

Anisotropic linear waves in spin magnetohydrodynamics

Zhe Fang (Zhejiang), KH, Jin Hu (Fuzhou), [2402.18601](#); [2409.07096](#).
Cf. KH, X.-G. Huang, M. Hongo, [2207.12794](#) for a review.

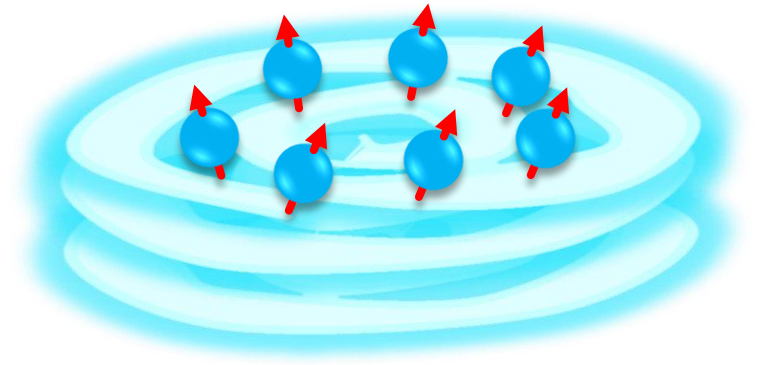
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Plan of this talk

1. *Generality I: Quark-gluon plasma and relativistic heavy-ion collisions*
2. *Generality II: Relativistic hydrodynamics*
- 3-1. *Magnetohydrodynamics (MHD) and the linear waves*
- 3-2. *Chiral MHD and instability*
- 3-3. *Spin MHD*

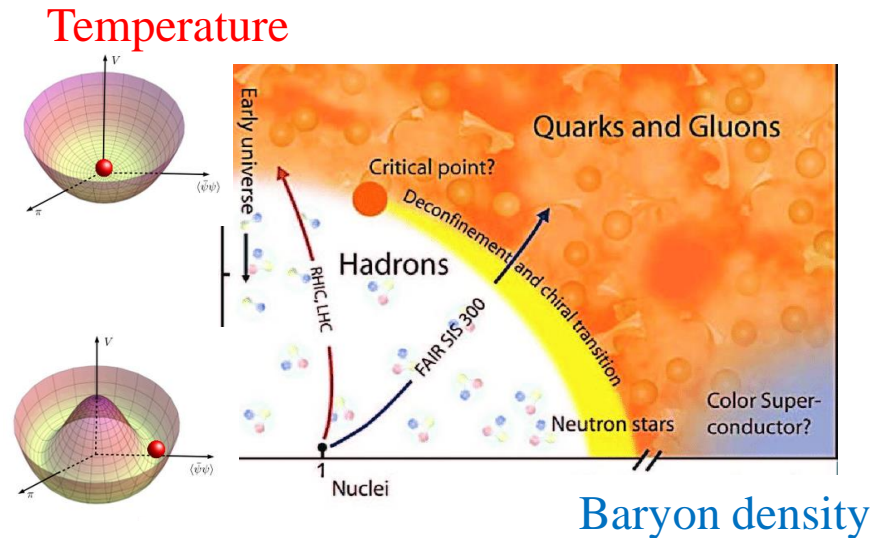


Generality I: Quark-gluon plasma and relativistic heavy-ion collisions

- *QCD phase diagram*
- *Relativistic heavy-ion collisions*
- *Magnetic and vortical fields*
- *Hadron polarization measurement*

"QCD phase diagram"

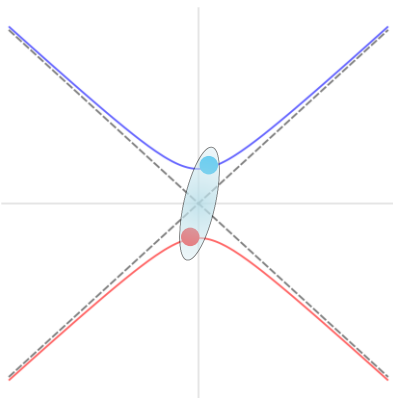
$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{QCD}} = \bar{\psi}(i\not{D} - m)\psi - \frac{1}{4}G^{a\mu\nu}G_{\mu\nu}^a$$



Chiral symmetry

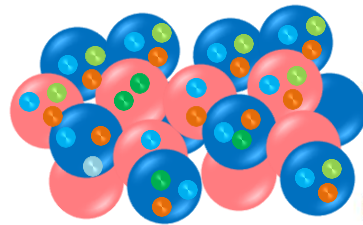
Pairing induces a quark mass gap like a superconducting gap.

Order parameter: Chiral condensate $\langle \bar{q}q \rangle$

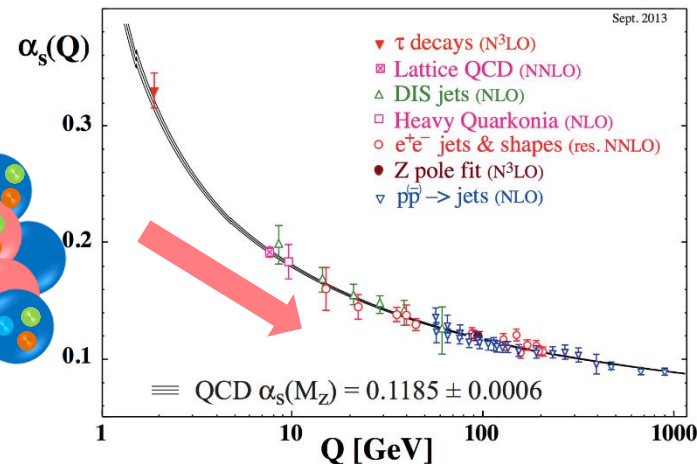


Confinement-deconfinement - Asymptotic freedom in QCD

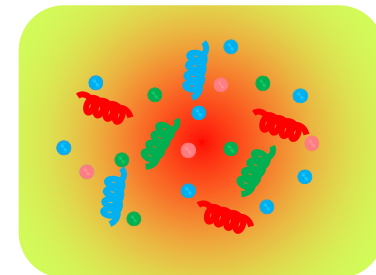
Confinement



Strong coupling
(Non-perturbative)



Deconfinement



Weak coupling
(Perturbative)

Early ideas of relativistic heavy-ion collisions

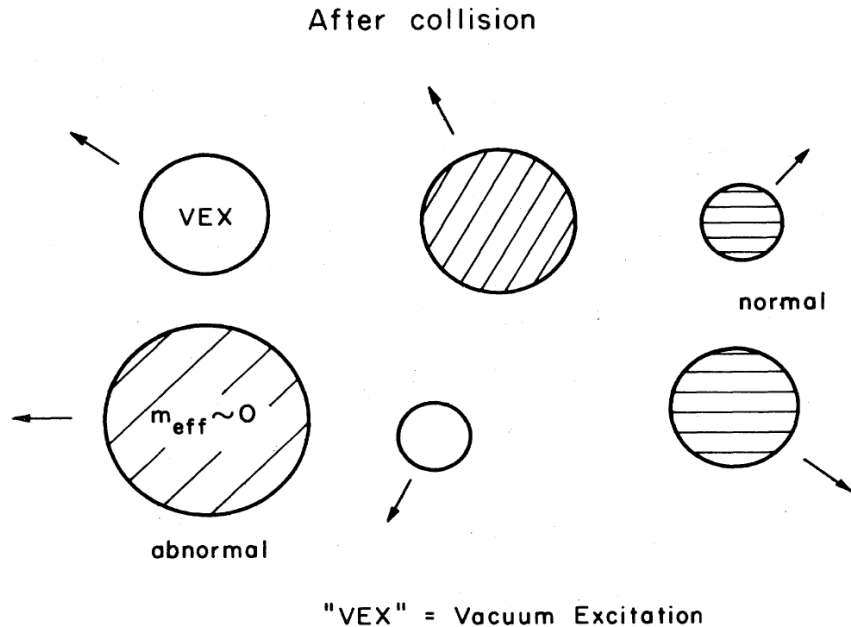
Abnormal nuclear states and vacuum excitation*†

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We examine the theoretical possibility that at high densities there may exist a new type of nuclear state in which the nucleon mass is either zero or nearly zero. The related phenomenon of vacuum excitation is also discussed.

[T. D. Lee \(1975\)](#)

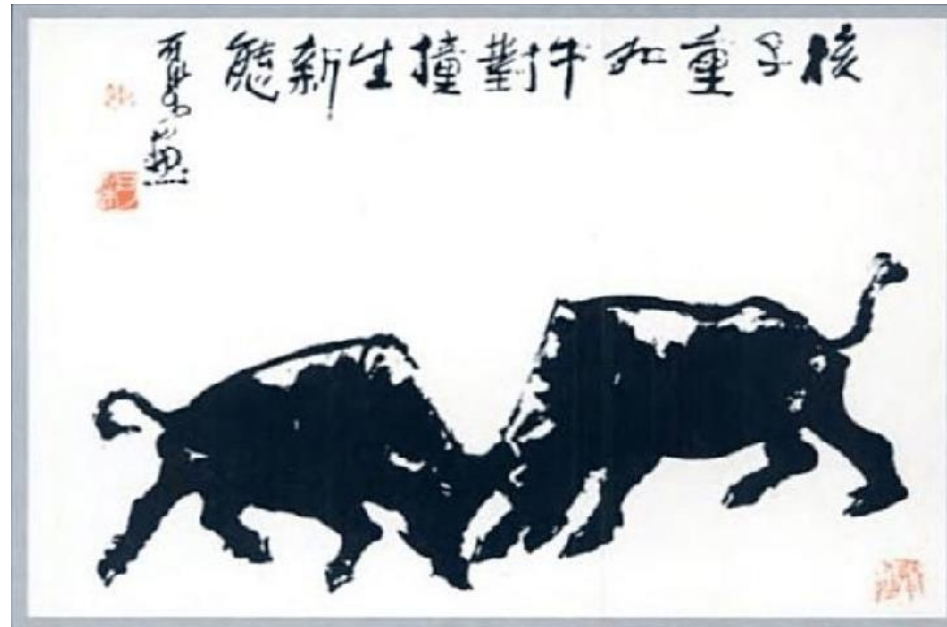


RELATIVISTIC HEAVY ION COLLISIONS

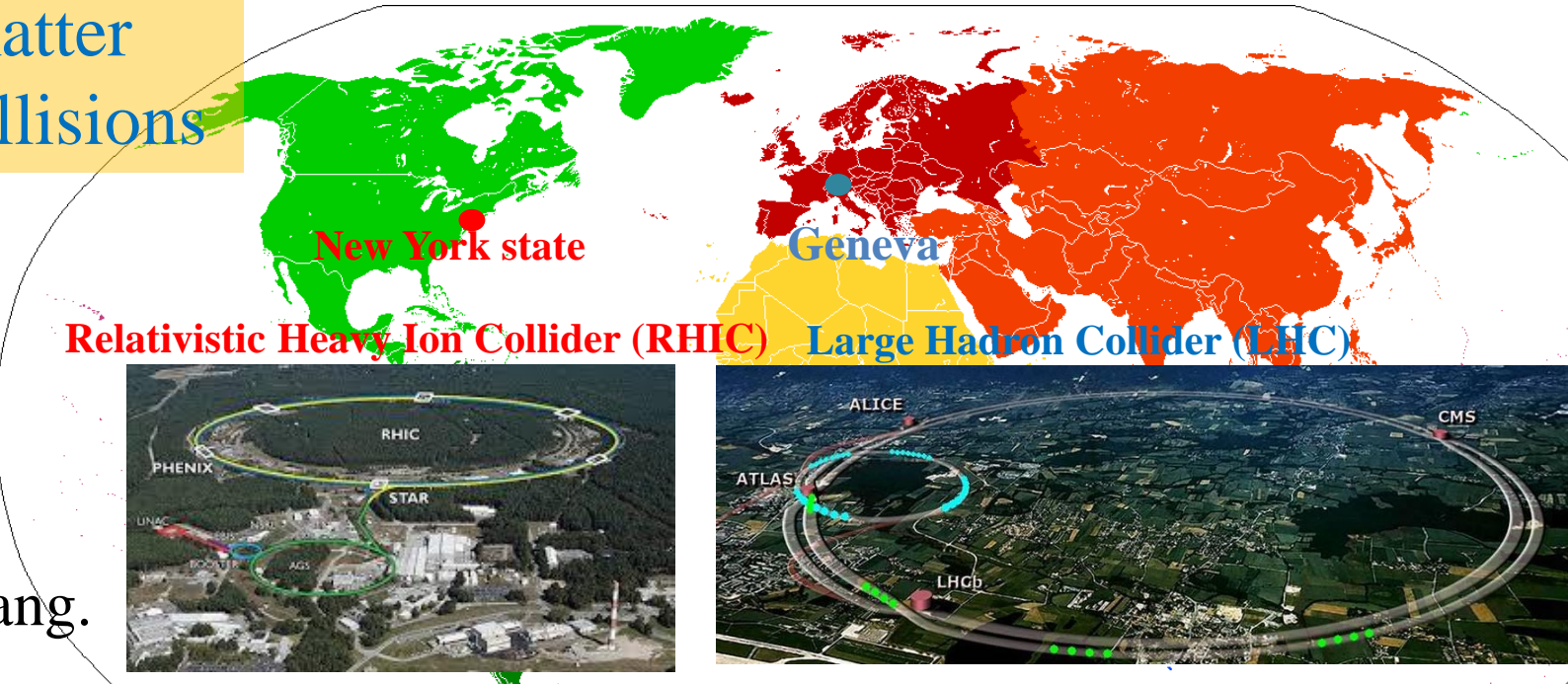
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[T. D. Lee \(1982\)](#)

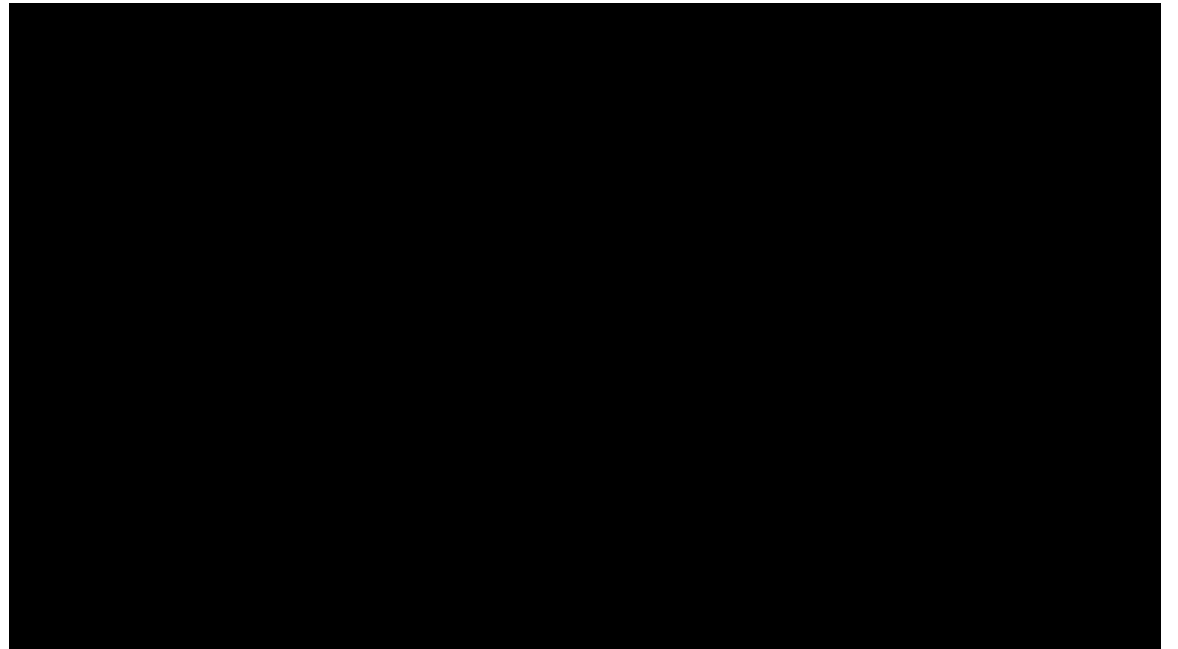
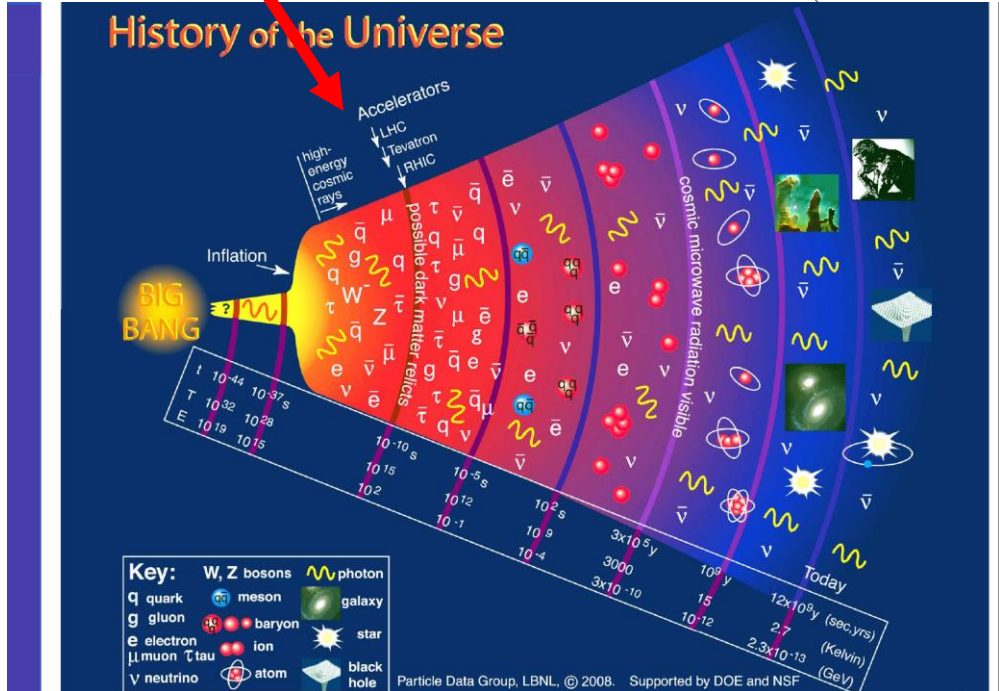


Quest to the extreme state of matter by the relativistic heavy-ion collisions

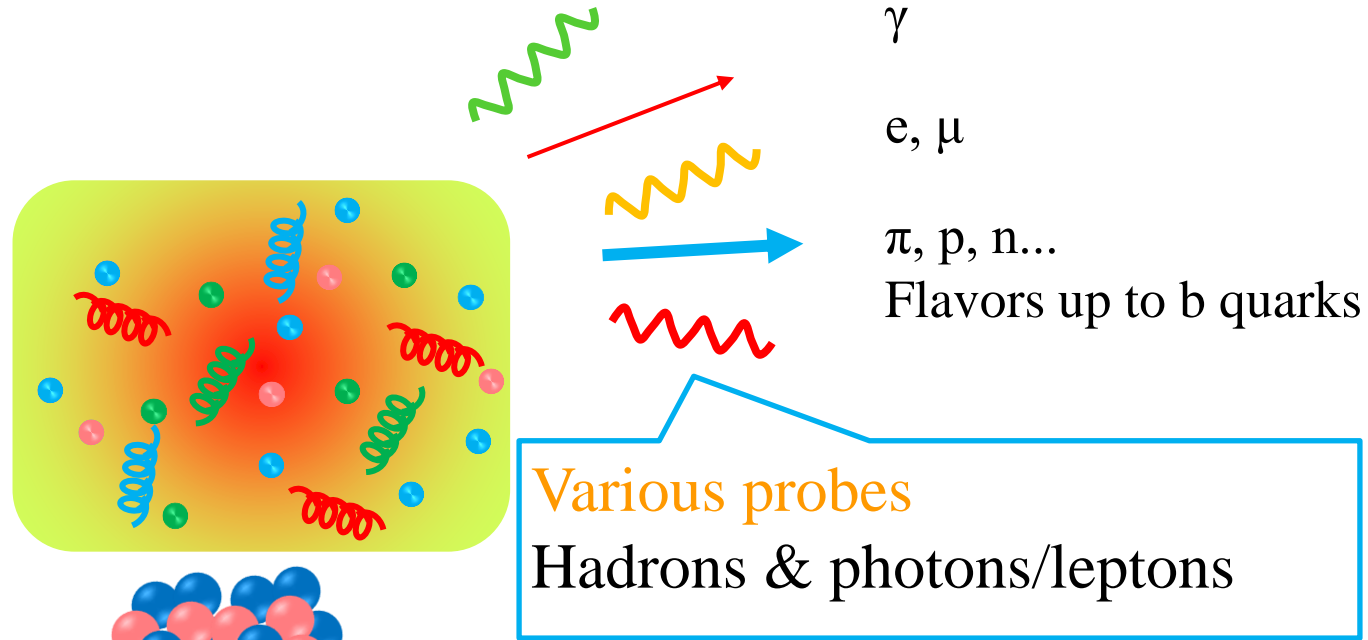


“Little bang”

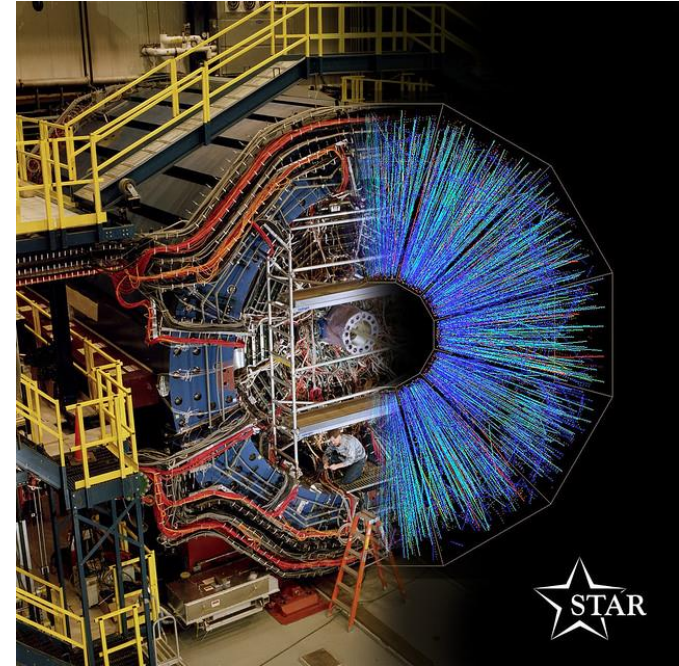
Reproducing 10μ sec after the big bang.



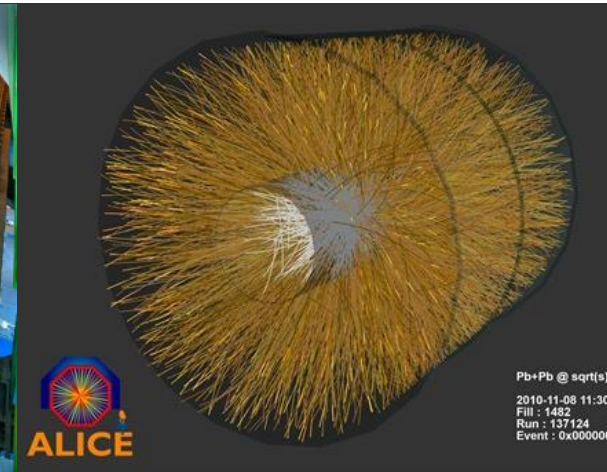
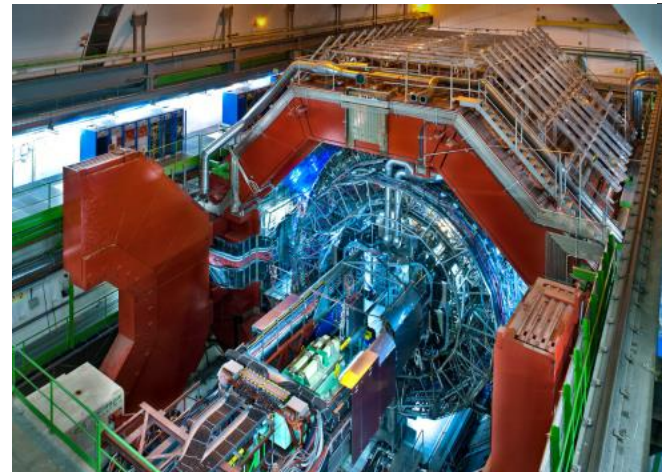
Observables in heavy-ion collisions



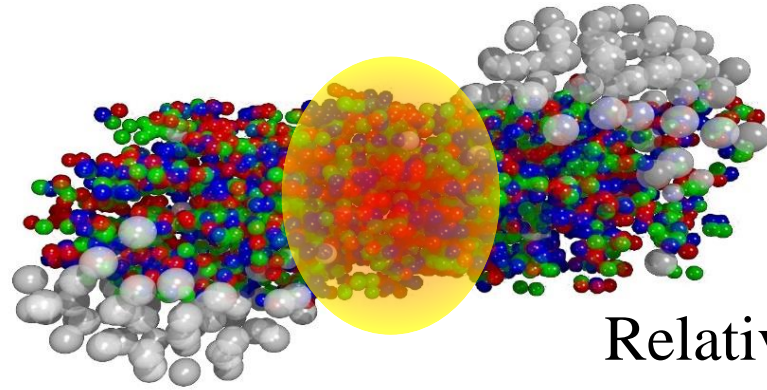
RHIC STAR collaboration



LHC ALICE collaboration



Hydrodynamics behavior of the quark-gluon plasma



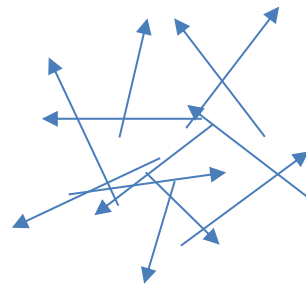
Relativistic heavy-ion collisions at RHIC and LHC

✗ Free-streaming limit?
(Asymptotic-free limit)

✓ Strongly correlated matter
→ Collective flow at RHIC and LHC

✗ Random momentum distribution

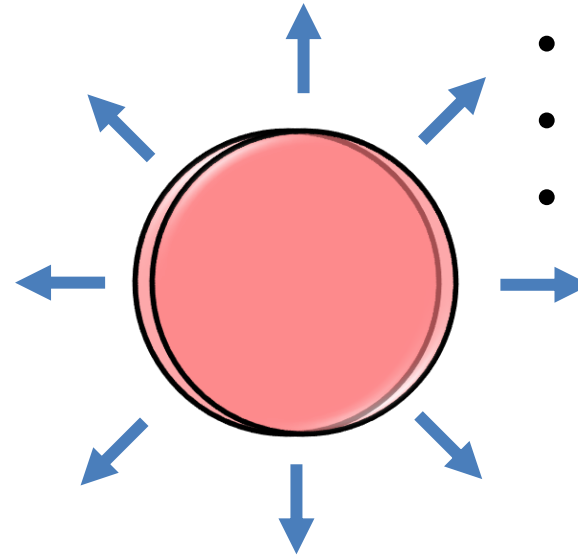
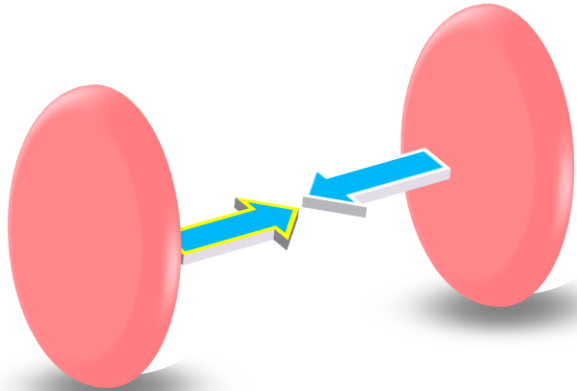
✓ Correlated momentum angle distribution



Frequent interactions induce strong correlations (even if the coupling constant is perturbatively small.)

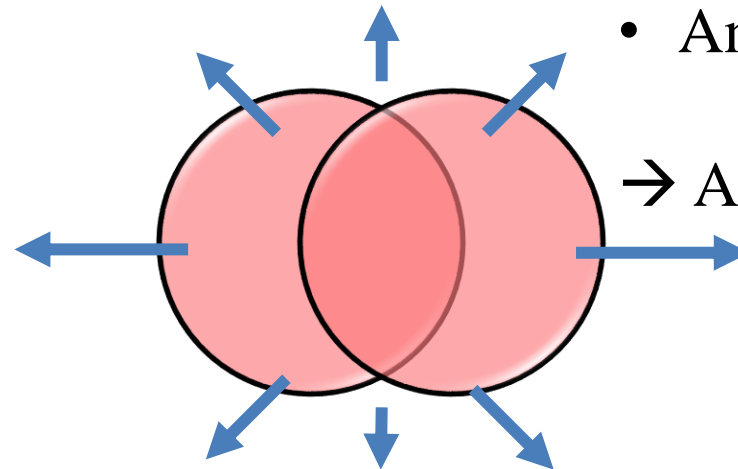
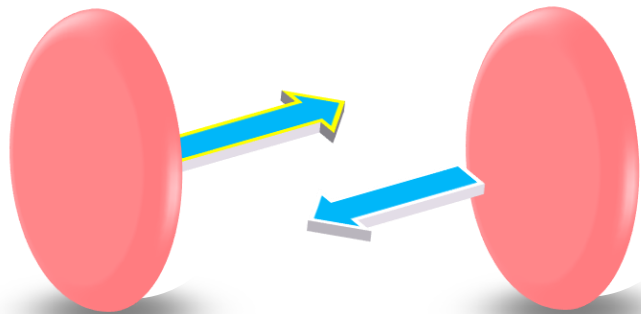
Hydrodynamic expansion

Central collisions (Head-on collisions)



- Isotropic overlap region
- Isotropic pressure gradient
- Isotropic expansion

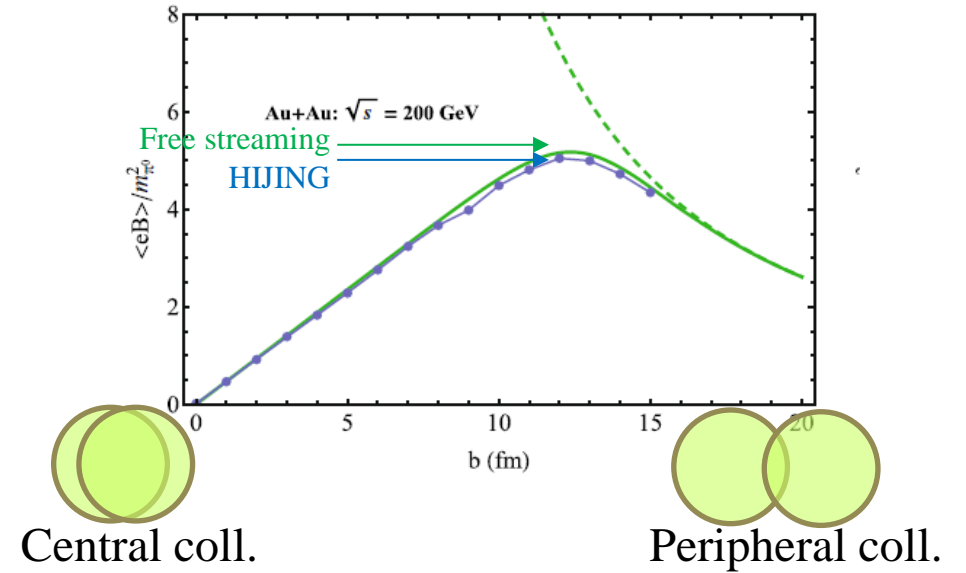
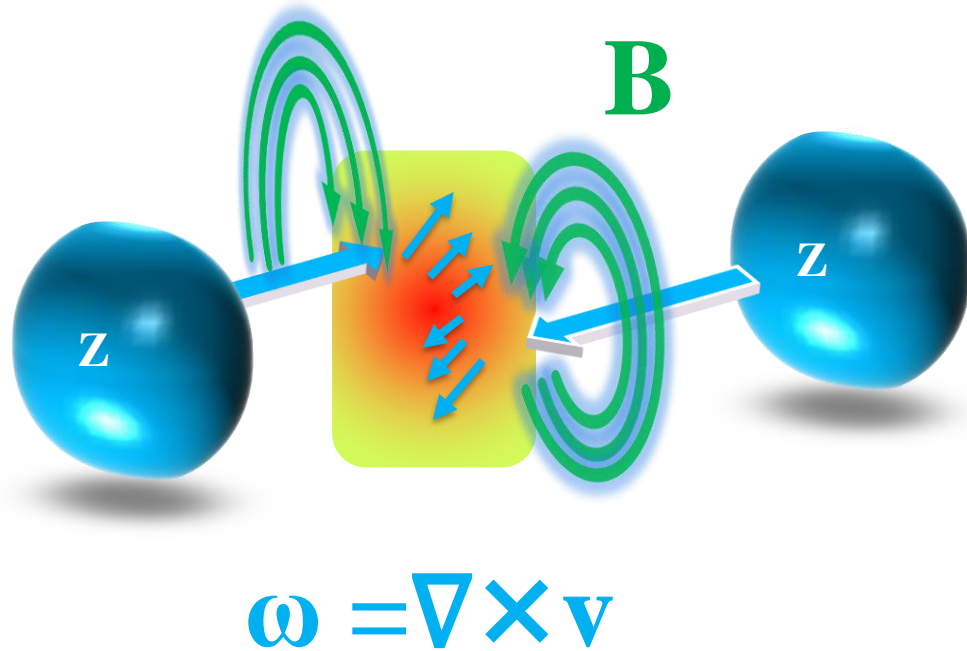
Non-central collisions (Peripheral collisions)



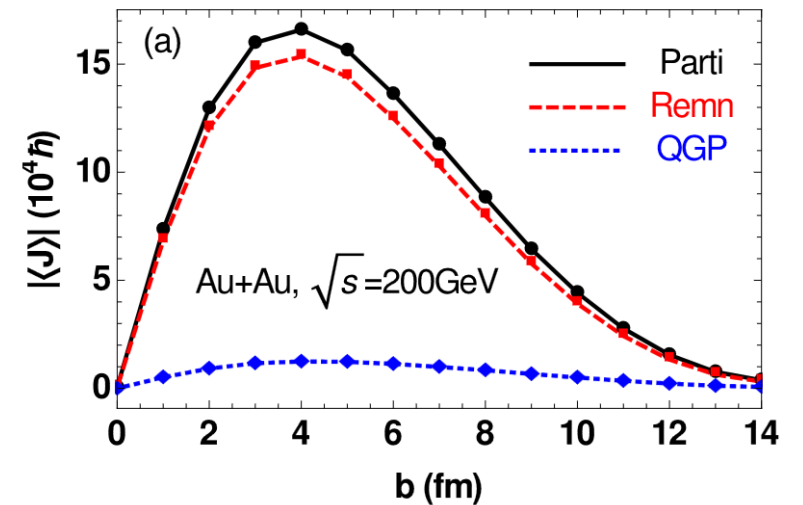
- Anisotropic overlap region
- Anisotropic pressure gradient
- Anisotropic expansion

→ Anisotropic hadron spectrum

Strong magnetic and vortical fields

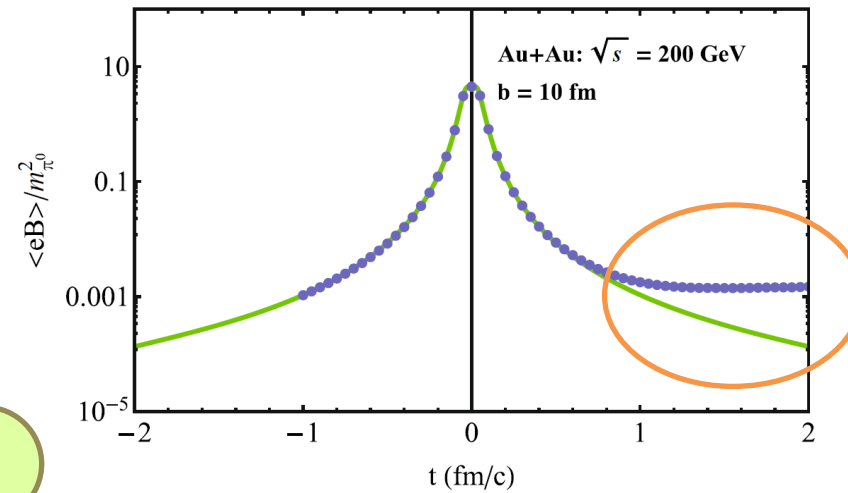
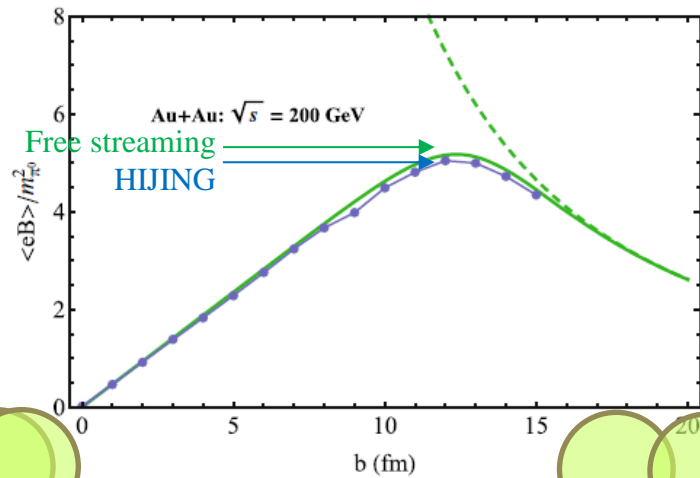
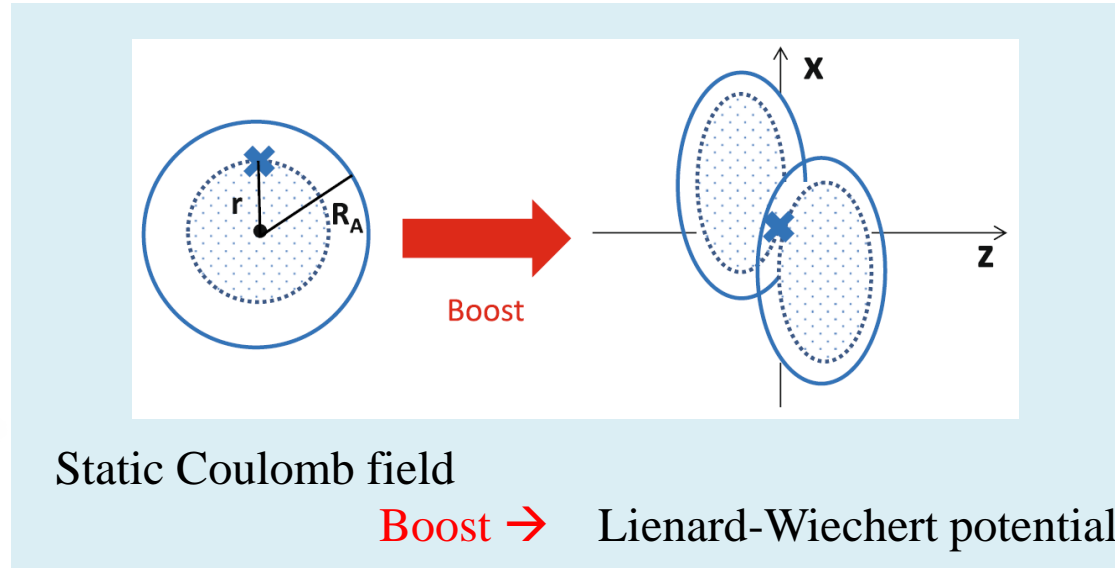
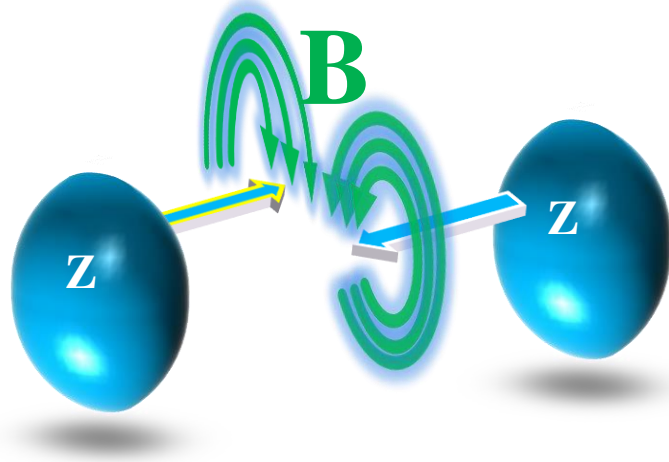


Deng, Huang [1201.5108](#); KH, Huang [1609.00747](#)



Deng, Huang, [1603.06117](#)

Strong magnetic fields induced by relativistic heavy-ion collisions



Central coll.

Peripheral coll.

Deng & Huang; KH & Huang [[1609.00747](#)]

Chiral magnetic effect

Vilenkin (1982)
 Nielsen, Ninomiya (1983)
 Kharzeev, McLerran, Warringa (2007)
 Kharzeev, Fukushima, Warringa (2008)

Chiral magnetic effect

$$j_V^\mu = \sigma_{\text{CME}} B^\mu$$

Ohmic current

$$j_V^\mu = \sigma_{\text{Ohm}} E^\mu$$

Parity

Odd

Odd

Even

Odd

Even

Odd

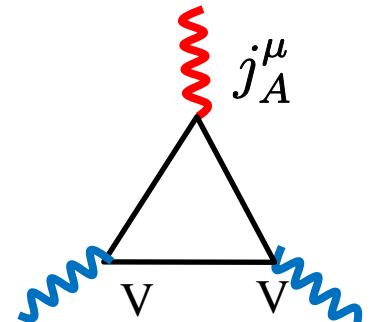
Parity-odd environment is provided by the chirality imbalance:

$$\mu_A = (\mu_R - \mu_L)/2$$

Anomalous transport coefficients \propto Anomaly coefficient C_A

$$\sigma_{\text{CME}} \propto \mu_A C_A$$

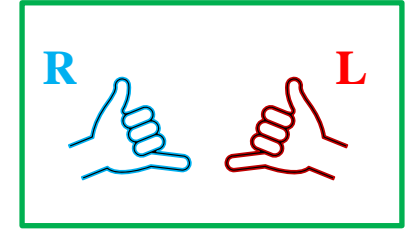
$$\partial_\mu j_A^\mu = -e^2 C_A E^\mu B_\mu$$



Chirality-momentum locking

Dirac equation in the chiral representation

→ Chirality-spin-momentum locked in the massless limit

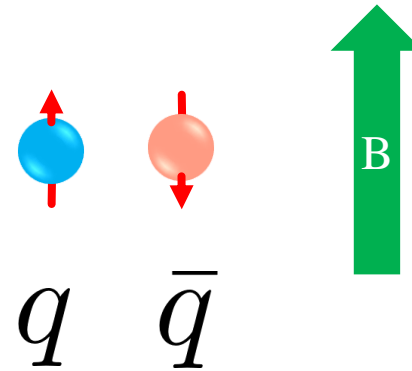


$$\{\text{Chirality, Spin, Momentum}\} \quad \begin{pmatrix} -m & p_\mu \sigma^\mu \\ p_\mu \bar{\sigma}^\mu & -m \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \psi_L \\ \psi_R \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

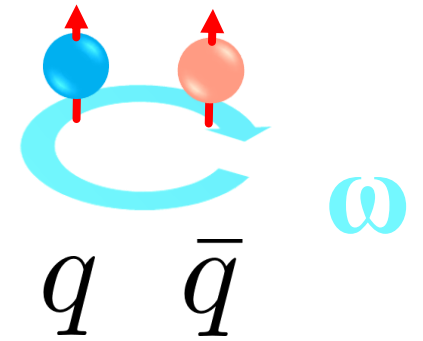
Spin polarization in B or ω

Chirality-momentum locking

→ Finite currents when one of chirality is favored (via anomaly).



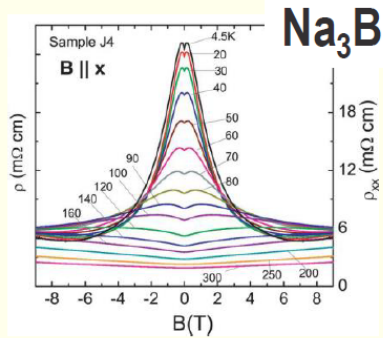
$$j_{\text{CME}} \propto \mu_A \mathbf{B}$$



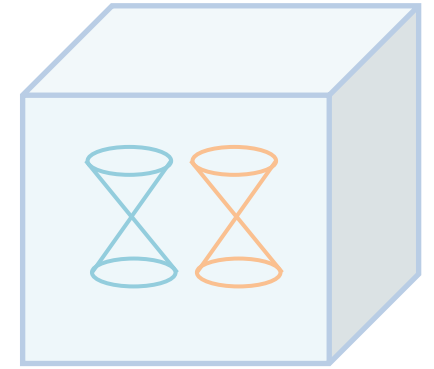
$$j_{\text{CVE}} \propto \mu \mu_A \omega$$

Chiral magnetic effect in Dirac/Weyl semimetals

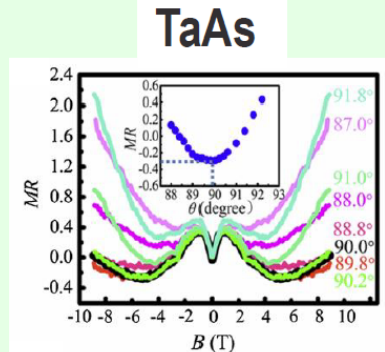
Dirac semimetals:



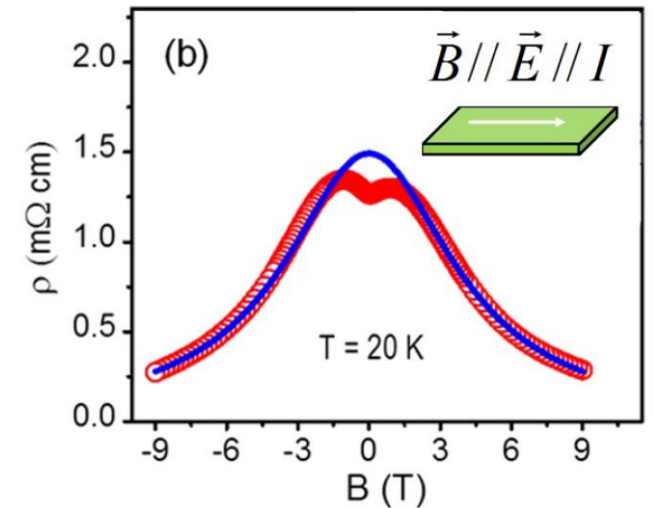
- ZrTe₅ - Q. Li, et al (BNL and Stony Brook Univ.)
arXiv:[1412.6543](#); Nat. Phys., doi:10.1038/NPHYS3648
- Na₃Bi - J. Xiong, N. P. Ong et al (Princeton Univ.)
arxiv:[1503.08179](#); Science 350:413,2015
- Cd₃As₂- C. Li et al (Peking Univ. China)
arxiv:[1504.07398](#); Nat. Commun. 6, 10137 (2015).



Weyl semimetals

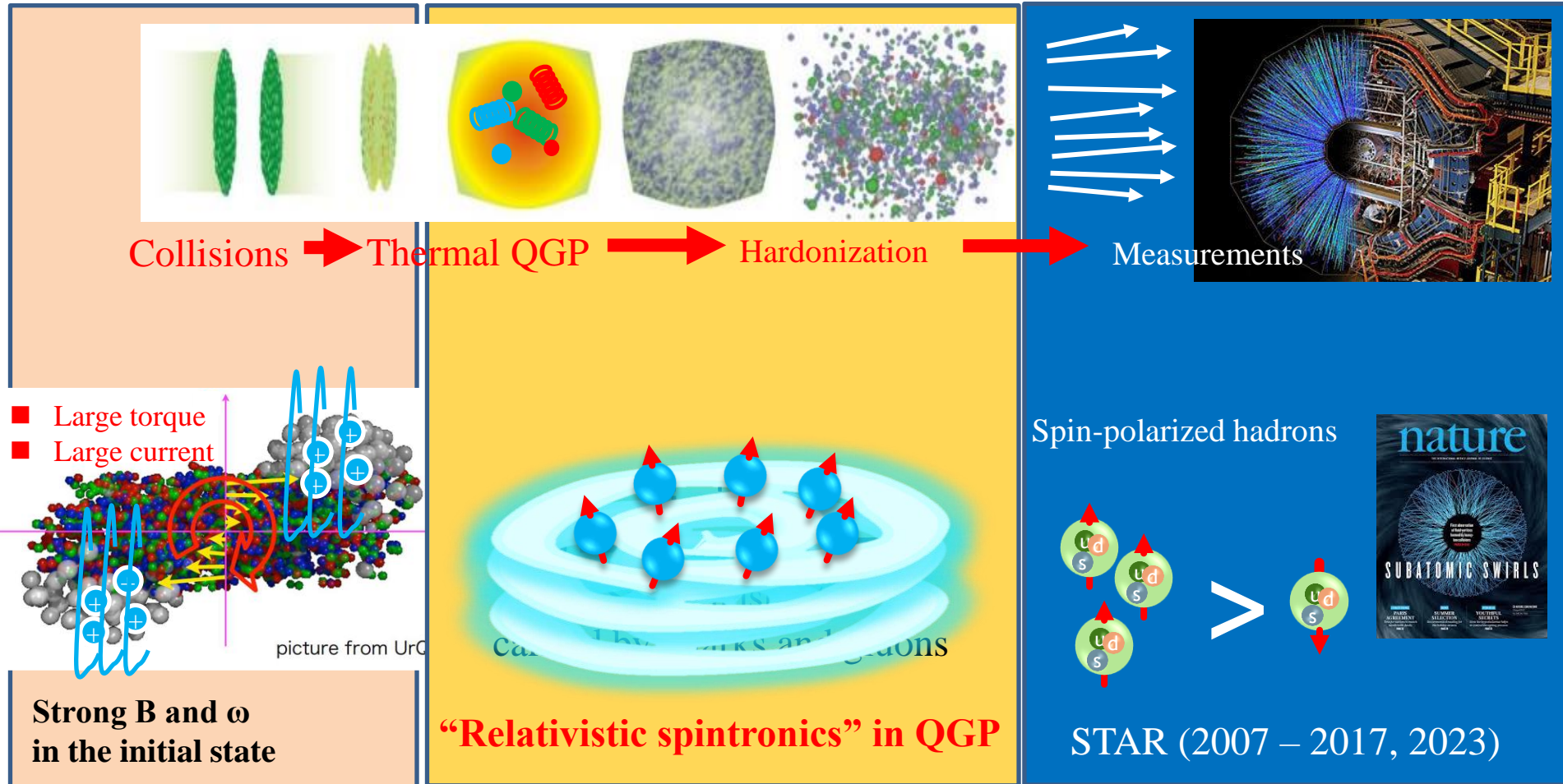


- TaAs - X. Huang et al (IOP, China)
arxiv:[1503.01304](#); Phys. Rev. X 5, 031023
- NbAs - X. Yang et al (Zhejiang Univ. China)
arxiv:[1506.02283](#)
- NbP - Z. Wang et al (Zhejiang Univ. China)
arxiv:[1506.00924](#)
- TaP - Shekhar, C. Felser, B. Yang et al (MPI-Dresden)
arxiv:[1506.06577](#), Nat. Commun. 7, 11615 (2016).



Borrowed from Li and Kharzeev

Hadron spin measurements



PRL 94, 102301 (2005)

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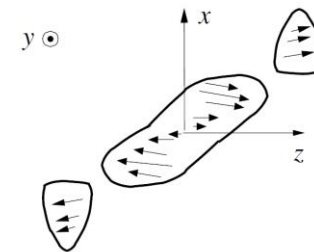
Globally Polarized Quark-Gluon Plasma in Noncentral $A + A$ Collisions

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Spin transport theories for QGP

Spin hydrodynamics

KH, Hongo, Huang, Matsuo, Taya, [1901.06615](#)
Fukushima, Pu, [2010.01608](#)
Li, Stephanov, Yee, 2011.12318
She, Huang, Hou, Liao, 2105.04060
Hongo, Huang, Kaminski, Stephanov, Yee, [2107.14231](#)
Biswas, Daher, Das, Florkowski, Ryblewski, [2304.01009](#)
etc

Quantum kinetic theory

Weickgenannt, Sheng, Speranza, Wang, Rischke, [1902.06513](#)
Gao, Liang, [1902.06510](#)
KH, Hidaka, Yang, [1903.01653](#); [2002.02612](#)
Liu, Mameda, Huang, [2002.03753](#)
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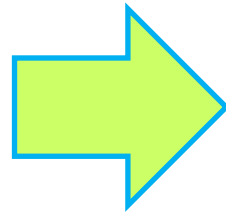
Generality II: Relativistic hydrodynamics

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Magnetic field

Chiral anomaly

Spin dof



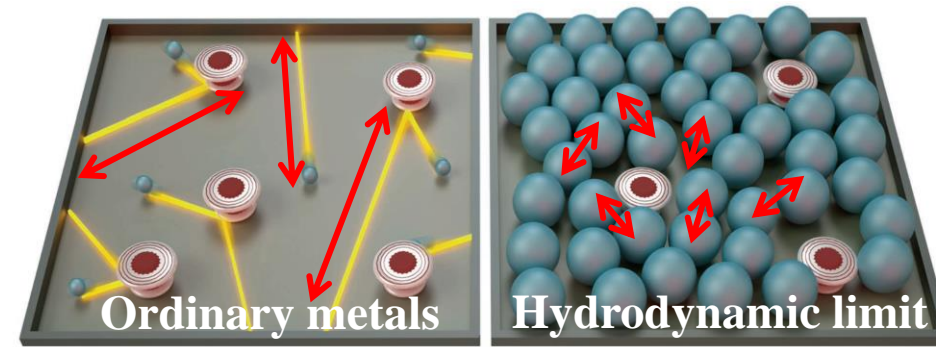
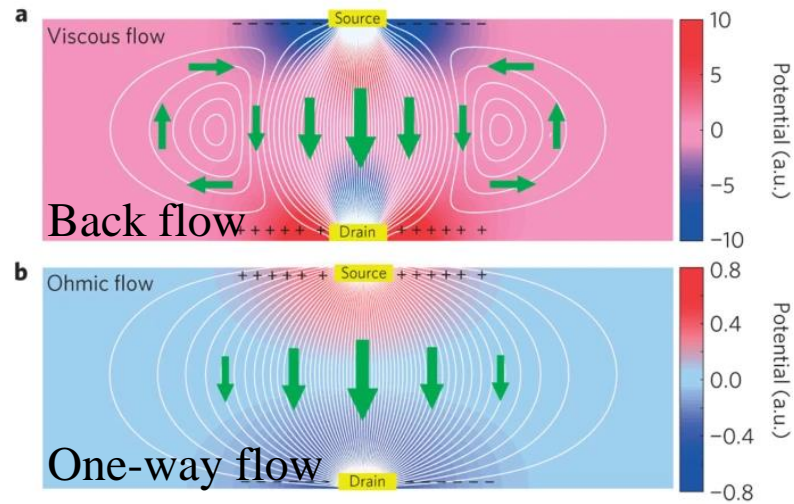
Magneto-hydrodynamics

Chiral hydrodynamics

Spin hydrodynamics

Collective “hydrodynamic” motion in various systems

Condensed matter systems

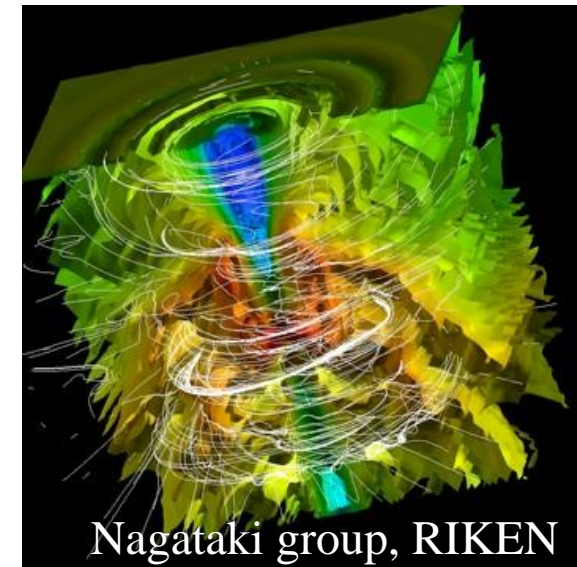
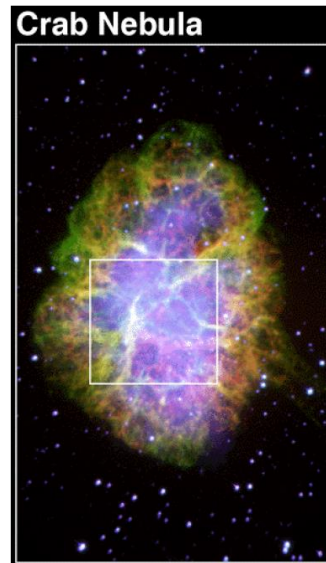
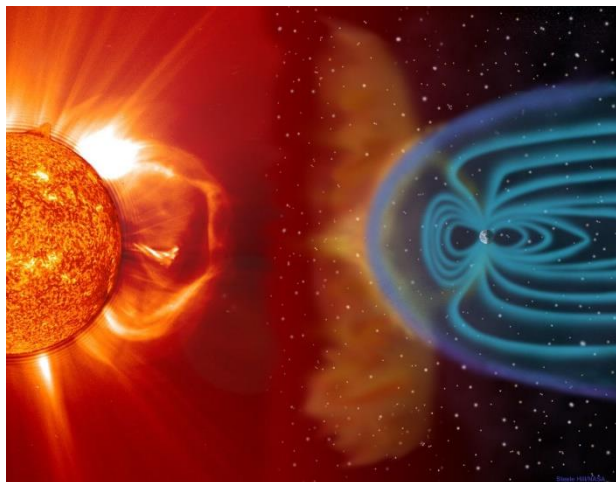


Science, Zaanen

Graphene

Nature Phys., Levitov & Falkovich

Astrophysics



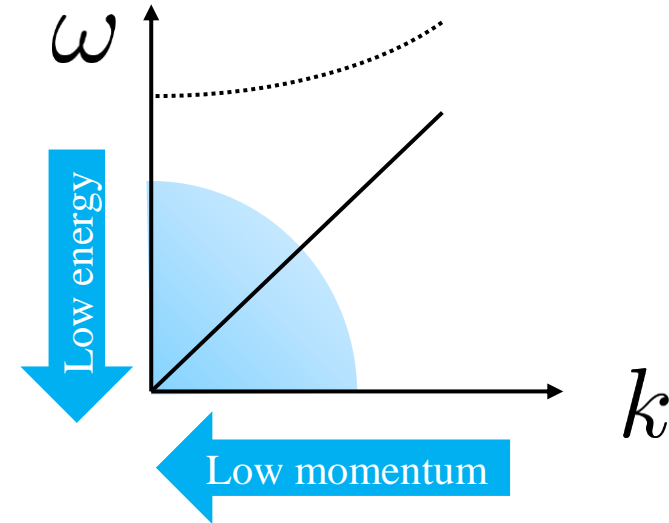
Hydrodynamics as universal low-energy EFT

Relevant dof. in low energy regime = **Gapless modes**
= **Conserved charges** surviving in a long spacetime scale.

A set of **conservation laws**
= Equations of motion

E.g., Translational symmetry

$$\partial_{\mu} T^{\mu\nu} = 0$$



Hydrodynamics = **Universal** low-energy EFT based on **symmetries**

Closing the system of equations

E.g., the simplest case

$$\partial_{\mu} T^{\mu\nu} = 0 \quad \text{Spacetime translational symmetry}$$

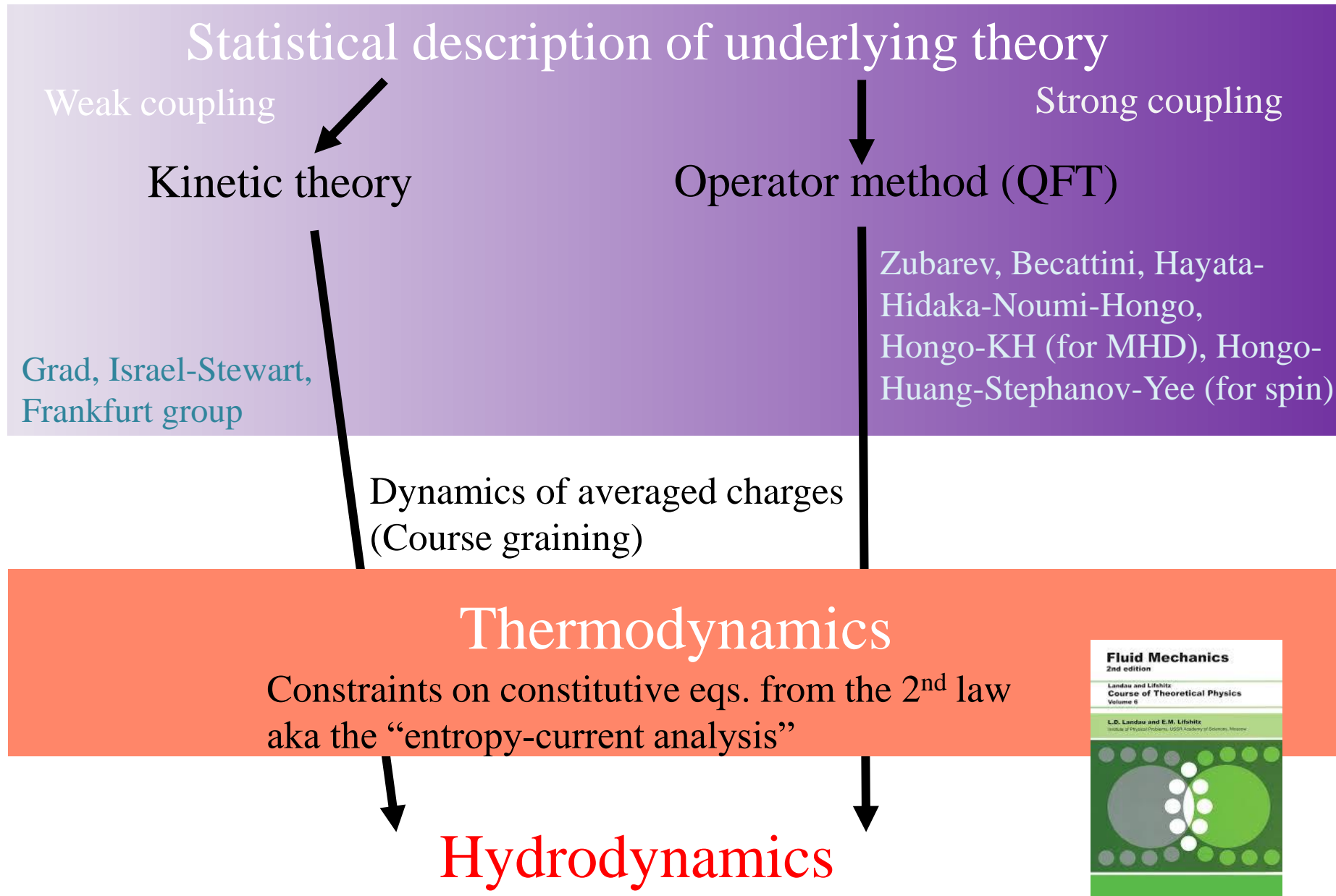
of conserved charges = # of equations

To get a closed system of eqs., one needs constitutive eqs.

$$T^{ij}[T^{0\mu}] = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \partial^{(n)} T^{0\mu} \quad \text{Derivative expansion works in the long spacetime scale.}$$

Derivation of constitutive equations

See a review, KH, Huang, Hongo (2022)



Simplest case

Translational symmetries

$$\partial_\mu \Theta^{\mu\nu} = 0$$

Hydrodynamic variables

$$\{ \epsilon, v^i \}$$

Thermodynamics

- 1st law $T ds = d\epsilon$ $\beta \equiv \frac{\partial s}{\partial \epsilon}$ Inverse temperature
- Thermodynamic conjugates
(Lagrange multipliers)

- 2nd law $\partial_\mu s^\mu \geq 0$ Fluid velocity: $u^\mu = (1, v^i) / \sqrt{1 - |\mathbf{v}|^2}$

$$\partial_\mu s^\mu = \partial_\mu (s u^\mu + \delta s^\mu)$$

Co-moving derivative: $D \equiv u^\mu \partial_\mu$

$$= s(\partial_\mu u^\mu) + \beta D\epsilon + \partial_\mu \delta s^\mu \geq 0$$

Derivatives of conserved charges
→ Connection to equations of motion

“Entropy-current analysis”

$$D \equiv u^\mu \partial_\mu$$

$$\Delta^{\mu\nu} = g^{\mu\nu} + u^\mu u^\nu$$

$$\text{Cf. } \Theta^{\mu\nu} = \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon & & \\ & p & \\ & & p \end{pmatrix}$$

in the rest frame

$$\partial_\mu s^\mu = s(\partial_\mu u^\mu) + \beta D\epsilon + \partial_\mu \delta s^\mu \geq 0$$



$$\Theta^{\mu\nu} = \epsilon u^\mu u^\nu - p \Delta^{\mu\nu} + \Theta_{(1)}^{\mu\nu}$$

Leading order (ideal fluid)

- Should be vanishing

$$\partial_\mu s^\mu = \boxed{\beta(Ts - \epsilon - p)\partial_\mu u^\mu} - \Theta_{(1)}^{\mu\nu} \partial_\mu \beta_\nu + \partial_\mu (s_{(1)}^\mu + \beta u_\nu \Theta_{(1)}^{\mu\nu})$$

NLO in derivative

- Should be semi-positive

$$\beta^\mu = \beta u^\mu$$

Constraints from the second law

LO

$$p = Ts - \epsilon$$

NLO

$$\Theta_{(1)}^{\mu\nu} = [\zeta \Delta^{\mu\nu} \Delta^{\alpha\beta} + \eta (\Delta^{\mu\langle\alpha} \Delta^{\beta\rangle\nu})] \partial_\alpha \beta_\beta$$

Trace part

→ Bulk viscosity

Traceless part

→ Shear viscosity

$$-\Theta_{(1)}^{\mu\nu} \partial_\mu \beta_\nu \geq 0 \text{ if } \zeta, \eta \geq 0$$

*Formulation of magnetohydrodynamics
with the entropy-current analysis*

[KH, Hirono, Yee, Yin \(2017\)](#)

[Hongo, KH \(2020\)](#) for a QFT approach

[KH, Hongo, Huang \(2022\)](#) for a review

[Fang, KH, Hu, 2402.18601](#) for solutions

Conserved charges in EM fields

Grozdanov et al. (2017)

[KH, Hirono, Yee, Yin \(2017\)](#)

[Hongo, KH \(2020\)](#)

Hydrodynamic variables

{Total energy density, fluid flow velocity}

$$\{\epsilon, u^\mu\}$$

Electromagnetism

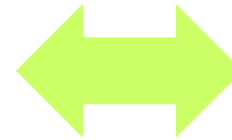
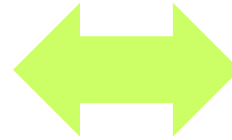
B

Conservation laws

Translational symmetries

$$\partial_\mu T_{\text{total}}^{\mu\nu} = 0$$

$$\partial_\mu \tilde{F}^{\mu\nu} = 0$$

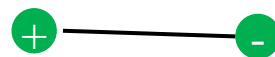


A static charge distribution does not screen the B-field.
(No “magnetic Coulomb field” without a magnetic monopole).

$$B \not\rightarrow 0$$

- Conservation of magnetic flux.

E-field is screened by a static charge distribution, i.e., the Debye screening effect.



$$E \rightarrow 0$$

$E(u, B)$ and $j(u, B)$ are induced at off-equilibrium

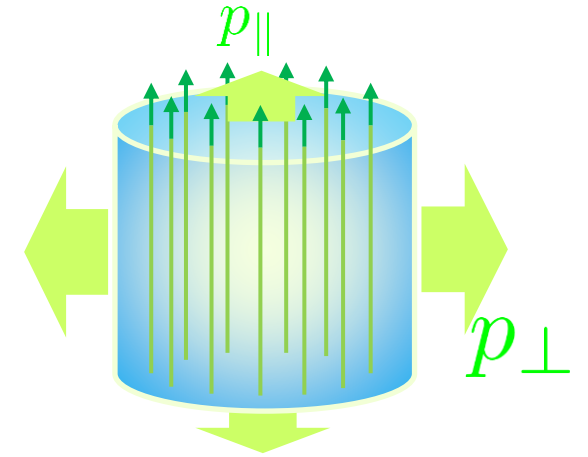
Anisotropies in constitutive equations

$$\Xi^{\mu\nu} = g^{\mu\nu} + u^\mu u^\nu - b^\mu b^\nu$$

Anisotropic pressure

$$\Theta_{(0)}^{\mu\nu} = \epsilon u^\mu u^\nu - p_\perp \Xi^{\mu\nu} + p_\parallel b^\mu b^\nu$$

p_\perp and p_\parallel are different by the Maxwell stress.



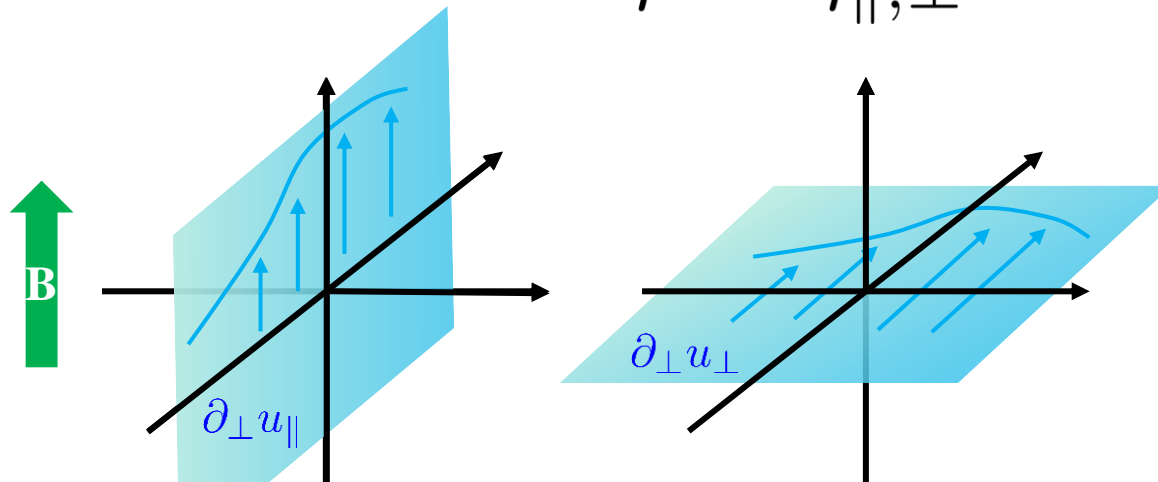
Anisotropic viscosities

$$\delta\Theta^{(\mu\nu)} = -T\eta^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}\partial_{(\rho}\beta_{\sigma)}$$

Splitting of shear viscosity $\eta \rightarrow \eta_{\parallel, \perp}$

2 shear viscosities

3 bulk viscosities



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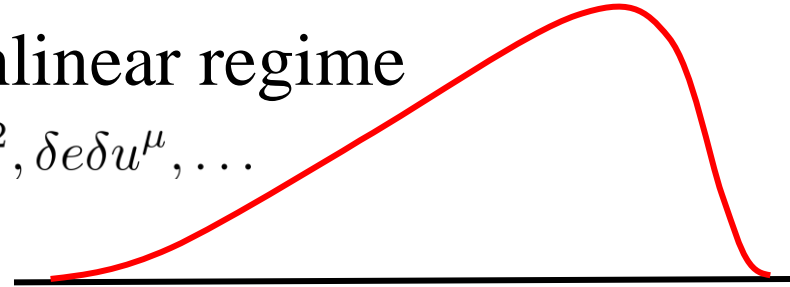
Solving spin MHD within linear-mode analysis

Linear regime



Nonlinear regime

$$\delta e^2, \delta e \delta u^\mu, \dots$$



For numerical methods beyond linear regime,
see talk by Benoit

$$e \rightarrow e + \delta e(x),$$

$$u^\mu \rightarrow u^\mu + \delta u^\mu(x),$$

$$B^\mu \rightarrow B^\mu + \delta B^\mu(x)$$

- Energy density (1)
- Flow velocity (3)
- Magnetic field (2)

$$\begin{pmatrix} \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \delta u_y \\ \delta B_y \\ \delta \epsilon \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

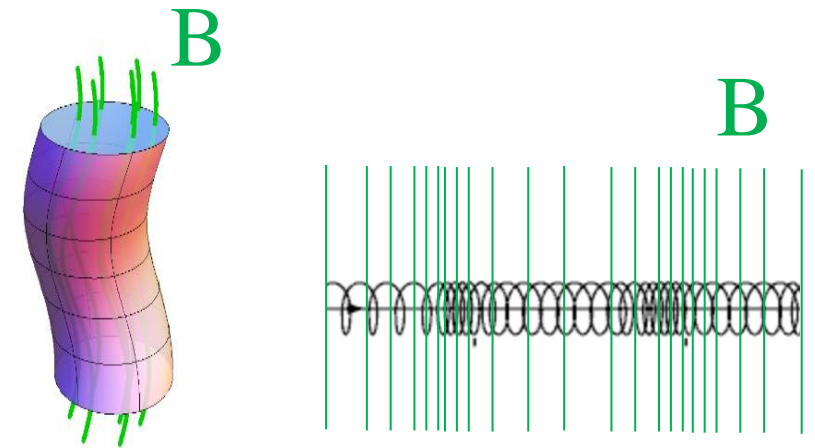
Exactly diagonalized with an analytic algorithm.

Fang, KH, Hu, [2402.18601](#); [2409.07096](#)

An issue in preceding works

- Ideal MHD (well-known)

Alfven waves and Magneto-sonic waves

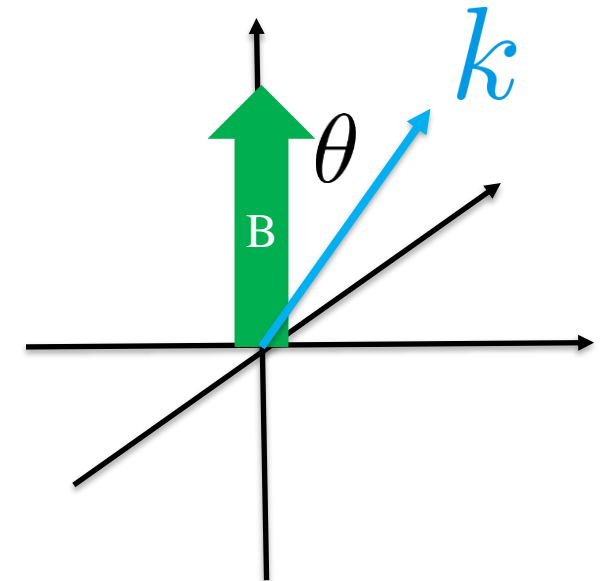


Magnetic tension and pressure

- First-order MHD (Not known due to strong anisotropy)

Solutions had been known only at $\theta = 0$ or $\pi/2$.

Moreover, there was disagreement between those known solutions at $\theta = \pi/2$.



Grozdanov et al. (2017)

Armas and Camilloni (2022)



Hernandez and Kovtun (2017)

“Critical angle”

Fang, KH, Hu, 2402.18601

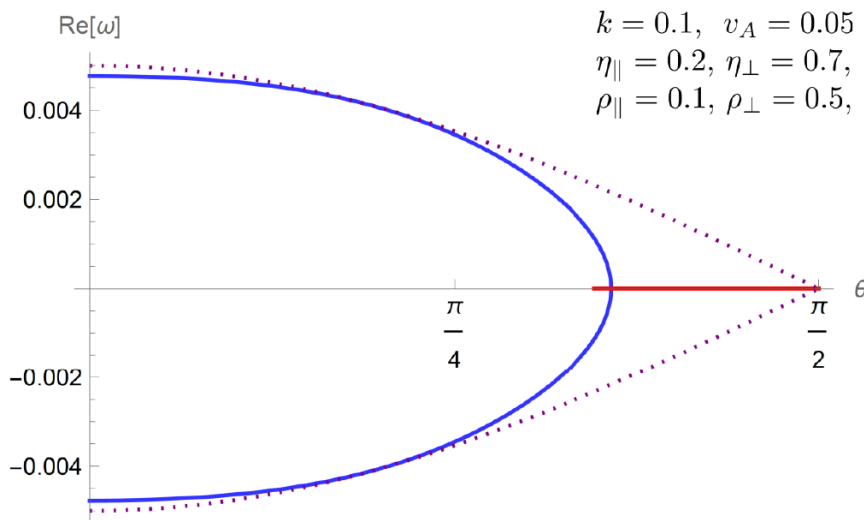
Solutions at $\theta = 0$ and $\pi/2$ are not smoothly connected.

$$\omega = \pm vk - i\Gamma k^2 + O\left(\frac{k^n}{\cos^n \theta}\right)$$

Small k expansion breaks down due to the anisotropy.
 → Small k and cos θ limit do not commute.

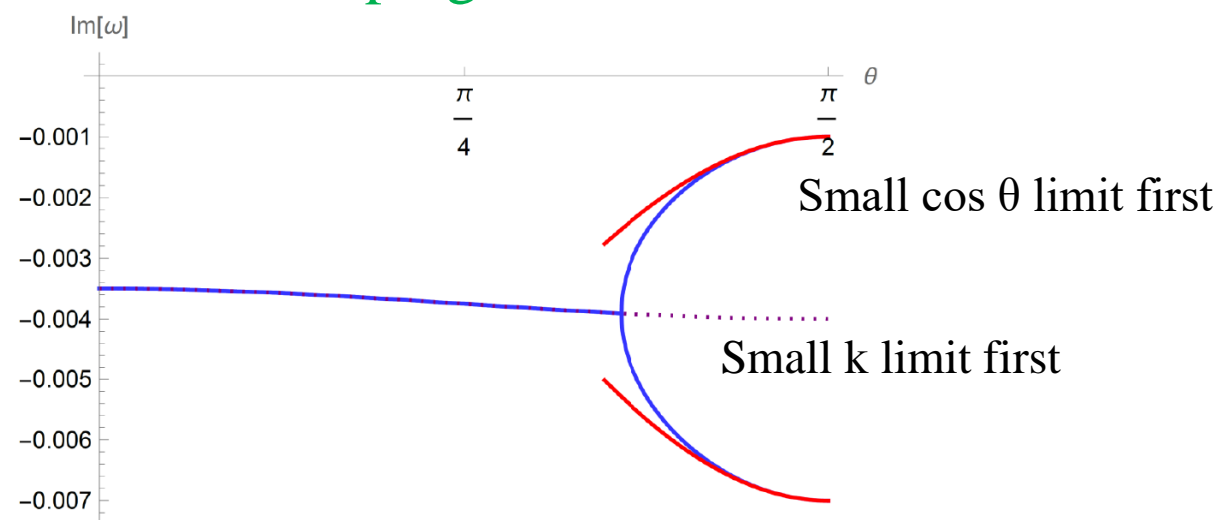
Small cosine expansion \neq Small k expansion (Dotted lines)
 Without any expansion

Phase velocities



Purely diffusive near the transverse direction.

Damping rates



Split of the diffusion rates

Chiral magnetohydrodynamics

Chirality in dynamical magnetic fields

KH, Hirono, Yee, Yin, [arXiv:1711.08450](https://arxiv.org/abs/1711.08450)

Conservation laws in chiral MHD

Energy-momentum conservation
[Translational symmetry] $\partial_\mu \Theta^{\mu\nu} = 0$


Magnetic flux conservation
[Magnetic one-form symmetry] $\partial_\mu \tilde{F}^{\mu\nu} = 0$

$$\tilde{F}^{\mu\nu} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -B_x & -B_y & -B_z \\ B_x & 0 & E_z & -E_y \\ B_y & -E_z & 0 & E_x \\ B_z & E_y & -E_x & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{Absence of a magnetic monopole}$$

$$\partial_\mu \tilde{F}^{\mu 0} = \nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} = 0$$

Grozdanov, Hofman, Iqbal
KH, Hirono, Yee, Yin

Maxwell equation (Electric lines terminating at charges)

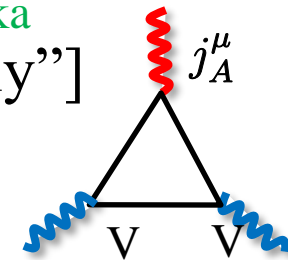
 $\partial_\mu F^{\mu\nu} = j^\nu \quad \partial_\mu F^{\mu 0} = \nabla \cdot \mathbf{E} = j^0$

Chiral charge (non)-conservation
[Chiral symmetry and its breaking by “quantum anomaly”]

Son, Surowka

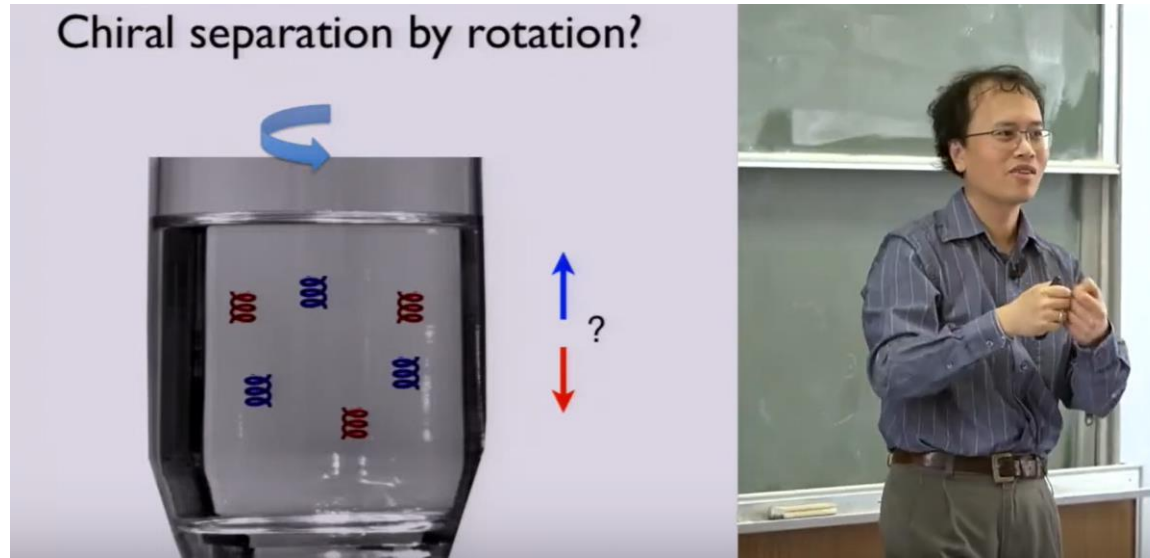
$$\partial_\mu j_A^\mu = C_A E_\mu B^\mu$$

$C_A = \frac{1}{2\pi^2}$: Chiral anomaly coefficient



Chiral hydrodynamics

Son, Surowka (2009)



[D. T. Son - Hydrodynamics and quantum anomalies from youtube](#)

- The answer is positive.
- **Thermodynamic stability requires induced currents** called the chiral magnetic/vortical effect.
- Manifestation of a quantum effect in fluid

$$\begin{aligned}\boldsymbol{\omega} &= \nabla \times \boldsymbol{v} \\ \boldsymbol{B} &= \nabla \times \boldsymbol{A}\end{aligned}$$

Chiral magnetohydrodynamics in **STRONG & DYNAMICAL** magnetic fields

-- Chiral hydrodynamics $n_A \neq 0$, $B^\mu \sim \mathcal{O}(\partial^1)$ and external

Son & Surowka

-- Chiral **magneto**hydrodynamics (MHD) $n_A \neq 0$, $B^\mu \sim \mathcal{O}(\partial^0)$

KH, Hirono, Yee, Yin

and dynamical

Variables in chiral MHD: $\{\epsilon, u^\mu, B^\mu, \text{ and } n_A\}$

n_A : # density of axial charge

Axial chemical potential: Lagrange multiplier to n_A

$$\mu_A = -T \frac{\partial s}{\partial n_A}$$

Constitutive eqs. and the entropy production in the first order

$$\begin{aligned}
 T^{\mu\nu} &= T_{(0)}^{\mu\nu} + T_{(1)}^{\mu\nu} \\
 \tilde{F}^{\mu\nu} &= \tilde{F}_{(0)}^{\mu\nu} - \epsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} u_\alpha E_{(1)\beta} \\
 j_A^\mu &= j_{A(0)}^\mu + j_{A(1)}^\mu
 \end{aligned}$$

$$T_{(1)}^{\mu\nu}, E_{(1)}^\mu, j_{A(1)}^\mu \sim \mathcal{O}(\partial^1)$$

$$\text{NB) } \partial_\mu j_A^\mu = -C_A E_{(1)}^\mu B_\mu.$$

Chiral anomaly

Computing the entropy current,

$$\begin{aligned}
 \partial_\mu (s u^\mu + \mathcal{O}(\partial^1)) &= T_{(1)}^{\mu\nu} \partial_\mu (\beta u_\nu) - j_{A(1)}^\mu \partial_\mu (\beta \mu_A) \\
 &\quad + E_{(1)}^\mu \{ \mu_A C_A B_\mu - \epsilon_{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} u^\nu \partial^\alpha (\beta H^\beta) \}
 \end{aligned}$$

Conductivities: CME and dissipative terms

From the constitutive eq. of $E_{(1)}^\mu$ and the Maxwell eq., $j^\nu = \partial_\mu F^{\mu\nu}$

$$J_V^\mu = \boxed{C_{A\mu A} B^\mu} + \left[\sigma_{\parallel} E_{\parallel}^\mu + \sigma_{\perp} E_{\perp}^\mu + \sigma_{\text{Hall}} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} u_\nu b_\alpha E_\beta \right] + \dots$$

CME

Ohmic currents
(\parallel and \perp to B-field)

Hall current

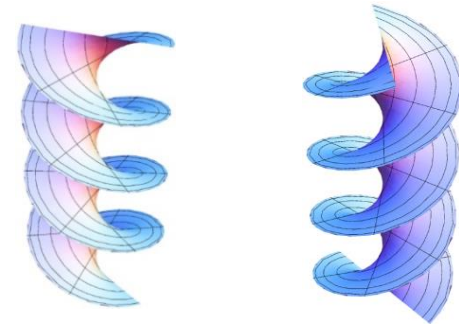
- The CME current is completely fixed by C_A .
- Without the CME, the thermodynamic stability is not insured.

Effects of chirality imbalance

How does the CME modify the waves in the chiral fluid?

$$j^\mu = \sigma_{\text{CME}} B^\mu$$

→ Helical waves

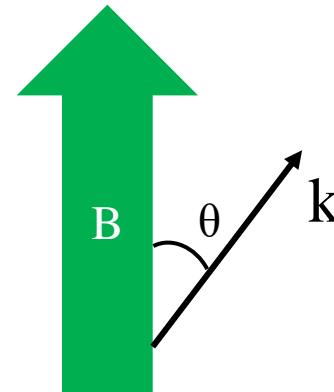
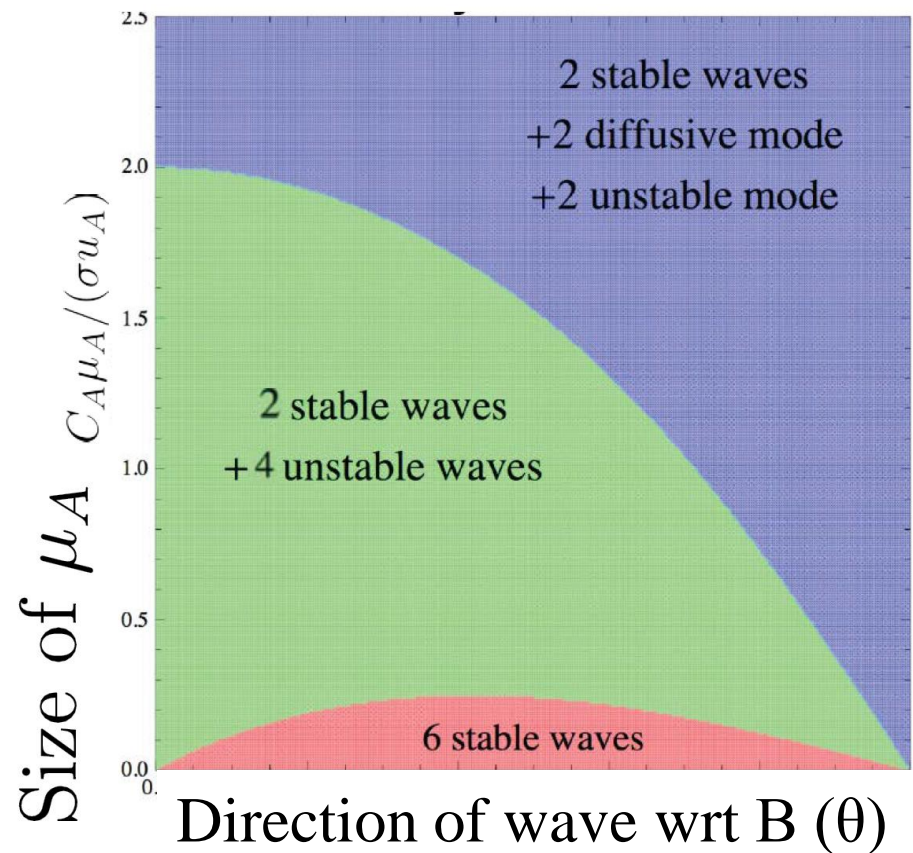


“Phase diagram” of the eigenmodes

Three modes propagating in the opposite directions (6 solutions in total)

$$(\omega^2 - x_1)(\omega^4 + b\omega^2 + c) = 0 \quad x_1: \text{Real solution}$$

Stability of the waves from classification of solutions



1 real and 2 pure imag. sols.

1 real and 2 complex sols.

3 real solutions



Alfven and magneto-sonic waves

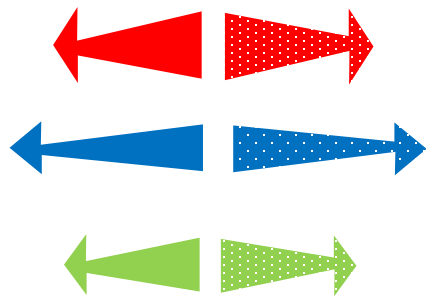
Helical unstable modes in Chiral MHD

Magnetohydrodynamics

6 stable modes

- Alfvén waves
- Magneto-sonic waves

Damping due to dissipation
Linear polarizations



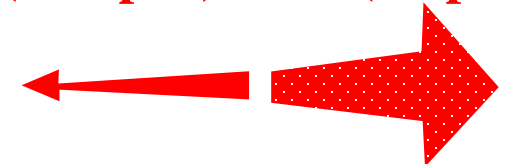
+ Chirality imbalance ($n_R \neq n_L$)
→ “Chiral magnetic effect” =

Chiral MHD

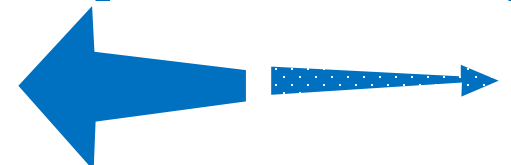
- 4 unstable modes
- 2 stable modes

Helicity eigenstates

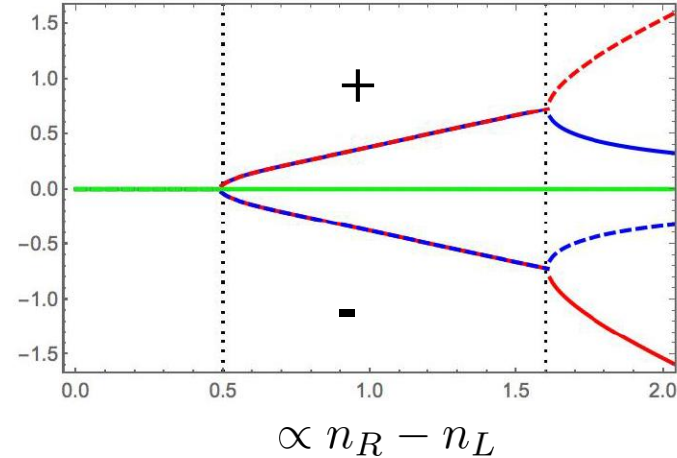
L (damped) R (amplified)



R (amplified) L (damped)



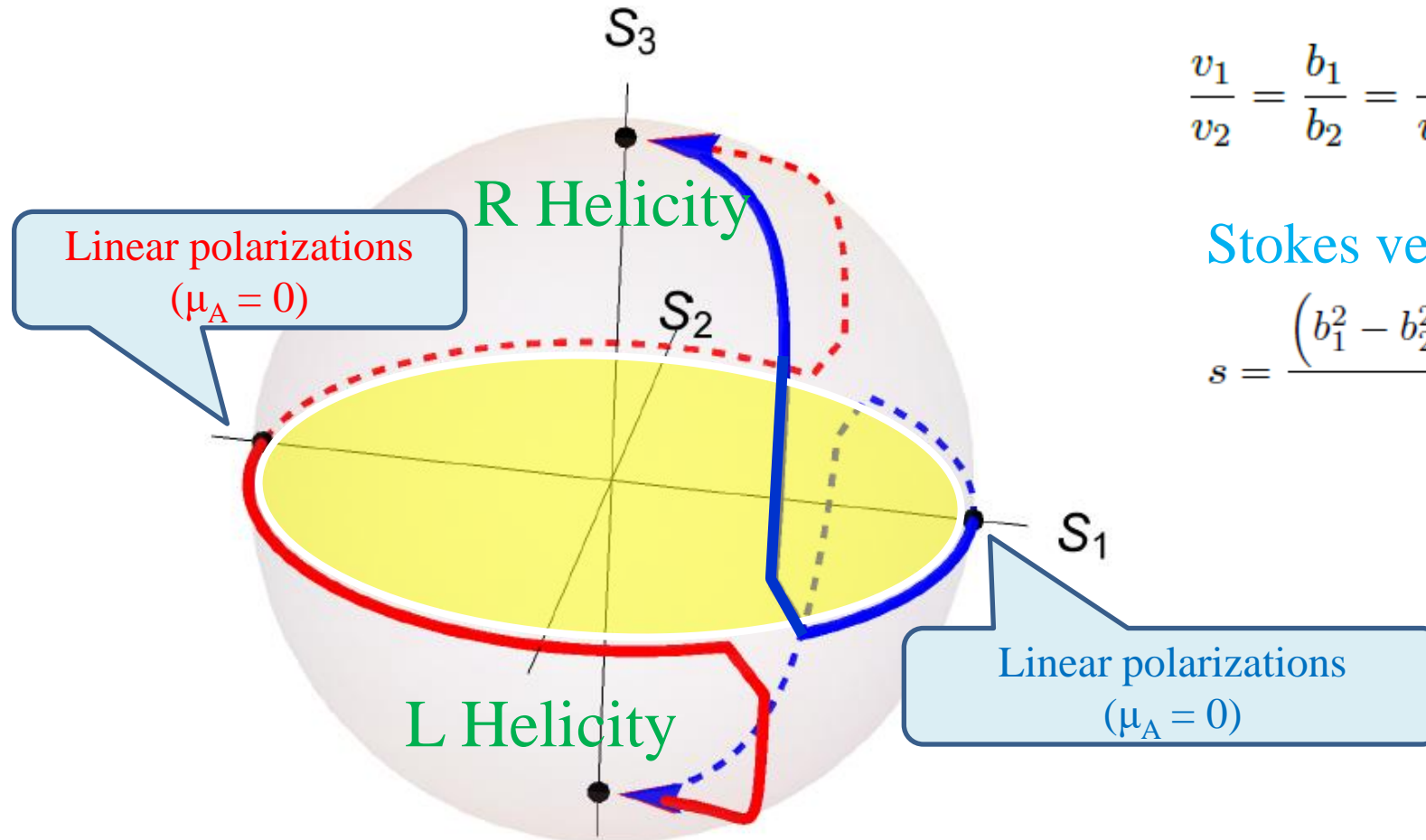
Imaginary part of the solutions



Hattori, Hirono, Yee, Yin (PRD, 2019)



Polarizations on the Poincare sphere with a varying μ_A



$$\frac{v_1}{v_2} = \frac{b_1}{b_2} = \frac{\epsilon_A V}{u_A^2 \cos \theta - V^2}$$

Stokes vector

$$s = \frac{(b_1^2 - b_2^2, 2\text{Re}[b_1 b_2^*], 2\text{Im}[b_1 b_2^*])}{b_1^2 + b_2^2}$$

Equator: Linear polarizations

Upper and lower hemispheres: R and L polarizations

(Poles: R and L circular polarizations)

The unstable modes are helical in nature.

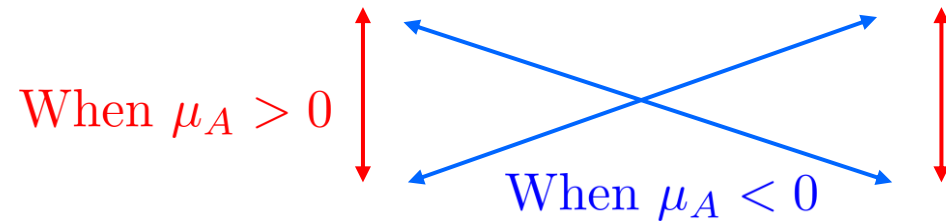
New hydrodynamic instability in a chiral fluid

Signs of the imaginary parts
(Damping/growing modes in the
hydrodynamic time evolution)



Positive
(Damping)

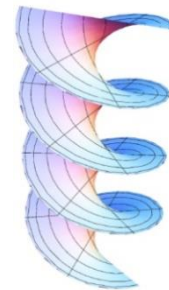
Negative
(Growing)



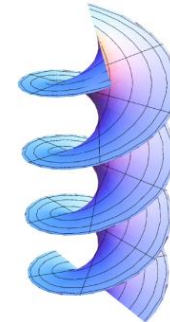
Helicity decomposition
(Circular R/L polarizations)

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{e}_{R/L} = \pm \mathbf{e}_{R/L}$$

LH mode



RH mode



A helicity selection, depending on the sign of μ_A .

Helicity conversions as a topological origin of the instability

Total helicity conservation: $\frac{d}{dt} \int_V d^3x \left[n_A + \mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{A} + \boldsymbol{\omega} \cdot \mathbf{v} \right] = 0$

↑ Fermion ↑ Chiral anomaly ↑ Fluid helicity

New hydrodynamic instability
 → Helicity conversion mechanism

“Chiral imbalance”
 btw the # of R and L fermions:

$$n_A = n_R - n_L$$



Helical fluid instability

CPI

Magnetic helicity $\int_V d^3x \mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{A}$

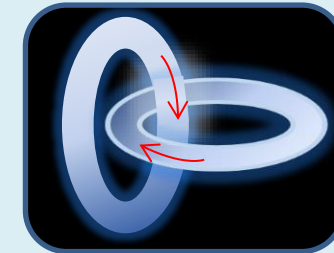


Hirono

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Fluid helicity
 (vortex strings)

$$\int_V d^3x \boldsymbol{\omega} \cdot \mathbf{v}_{\text{fluid}}$$



Magnetic fields are amplified!!!

Spin hydrodynamics

KH, Hongo, Huang, Matsuo, Taya, [1901.06615](#)
Fang, KH, Hu, 2409.07096

Spin as a quasi-hydro variable

- Total AM conservation from rotational symmetry : $\partial_\mu J^{\mu\alpha\beta} = 0$
- Spin-orbit coupling for relativistic constituents

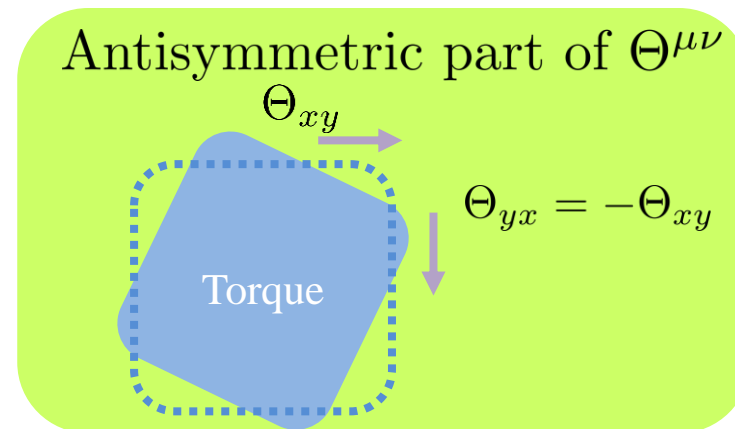
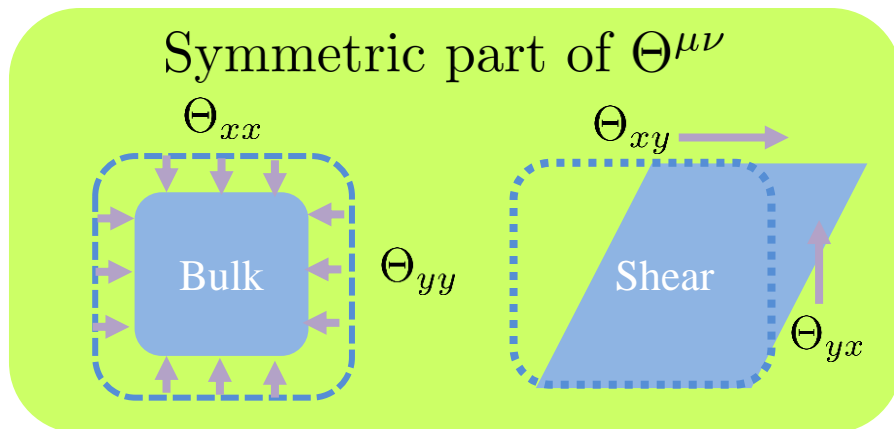
$$\partial_\mu \left(\underbrace{L^{\mu\alpha\beta}}_{\text{Orbital AM}} + \underbrace{\Sigma^{\mu\alpha\beta}}_{\text{Spin}} \right) = 0$$

$$L^{\mu\alpha\beta} = x^\alpha \Theta^{\mu\beta} - x^\beta \Theta^{\mu\alpha}$$

→ Spin “non-conservation” equation

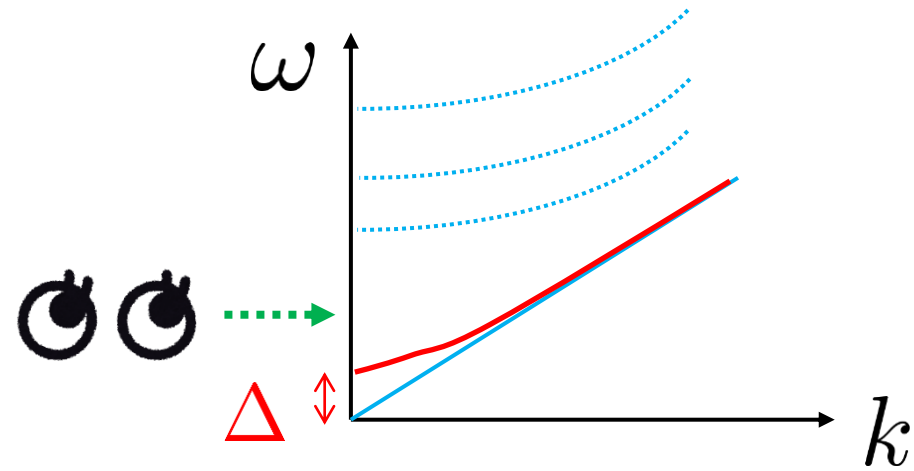
$$\begin{aligned} \partial_\mu \Sigma^{\mu\alpha\beta} &= -\partial_\mu L^{\mu\alpha\beta} \\ &= -(\Theta^{\alpha\beta} - \Theta^{\beta\alpha}) \end{aligned}$$

No symmetry protecting spin conservation.



Explicit, but weak, symmetry breaking
→ Small energy gap

Quasi-hydrodynamic modes



Cf. Hydro+ (Stephanov-Yin) for a long-lived mode due to the critical slowing down.

$$(\text{kinetic relaxation time}) \lesssim 1/\text{gap} \ll (\text{spacetime scale of our interest})$$

↑
Momentum transfer rate
(randomization of momentum)

↑
Transfer rate of quasi-conserved charge

Rotational viscosities (Anti-symmetric part)

$$\delta\Theta^{[\mu\nu]} \sim -T\gamma^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} (\partial_{[\rho}\beta_{\sigma]} - \beta\mu_{\rho\sigma})$$

Fang, KH, Hu, 2409.07096

Thermal vorticity

Spin potential

- Extended first law

$$Tds = de - \frac{1}{2}\mu^{\nu\rho}d\sigma_{\nu\rho} - H_{\mu}dB^{\mu}$$

$$\beta\mu^{\nu\rho} \equiv -2\frac{\partial s}{\partial\sigma_{\nu\rho}}$$

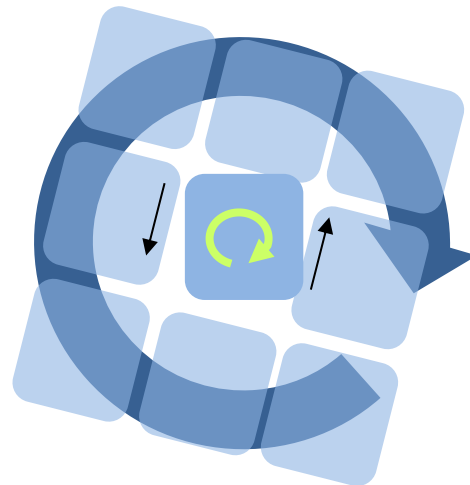
Energy density

Spin density

Magnetic flux

Spin potential

“No-slip condition” with
the rotational fluid motion



Spin hydrodynamics

KH, Hongo, Huang, Matsuo, Taya, [1901.06615](#)

Fukushima, Pu, [2010.01608](#)

Li, Stephanov, Yee, 2011.12318

She, Huang, Hou, Liao, 2105.04060

Hongo, Huang, Kaminski, Stephanov, Yee, [2107.14231](#)

Biswas, Daher, Das, Florkowski, Ryblewski, [2304.01009](#)

Isotropic limit

KH, Hongo, Huang, Matsuo, Taya, [1901.06615](#)

Solving spin MHD within linear-mode analysis

$$e \rightarrow e + \delta e(x), \quad u^\mu \rightarrow u^\mu + \delta u^\mu(x),$$
$$B^\mu \rightarrow B^\mu + \delta B^\mu(x), \quad S^{\mu\nu} \rightarrow S^{\mu\nu} + \delta S^{\mu\nu}(x)$$

- Energy density (1)
- Flow velocity (3)
- Magnetic field (2)
- Spin (3)

9 × 9 matrix !!

$$\begin{pmatrix} \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \delta u_y \\ \delta B_y \\ \delta S_x \\ \delta S_z \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

Still exactly diagonalized with an analytic algorithm.

Alfven modes with spin mixing

From the 4×4 matrix,

$$\omega = \pm v_A k_{\parallel} - \frac{i}{2} \left(\rho'_{\perp} k_{\parallel}^2 + \rho'_{\parallel} k_{\perp}^2 + \frac{(\eta_{\parallel} \gamma_{\parallel} - \xi^2) k_{\parallel}^2 + \eta_{\perp} \gamma_{\parallel} k_{\perp}^2}{h \gamma_{\parallel}} \right),$$

$$\omega = -i\Gamma_{\perp} - i \frac{\gamma_{\perp}}{h} k_{\perp}^2,$$

$$\omega = -i\Gamma_{\parallel} - i \frac{(\gamma_{\parallel} - \xi)^2}{h \gamma_{\parallel}} k_{\parallel}^2$$

$$\Gamma_{\parallel, \perp} = \frac{\delta}{\chi} \gamma_{\parallel, \perp}$$

Spin susceptibility: $S^{\mu\nu} = \chi \mu^{\mu\nu}$

Rotational viscosity:

$$\delta\Theta^{[\mu\nu]} = -T \gamma^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} (\partial_{[\rho} \beta_{\sigma]} - \beta \mu_{\rho\sigma})$$

Spins are not conserved \rightarrow Gapped modes at $k = 0$.

$$\partial_{\mu} \Sigma^{\mu\alpha\beta} = -2\Theta^{[\mu\nu]}$$

$$\omega = -i\Gamma_{\perp}$$

$$\omega = -i\Gamma_{\parallel}$$

All solutions are always damping (stable around the equilibrium)

Magneto-sonic modes with spin mixing

From the 5×5 matrix,

$$\begin{aligned}
 \omega &= \pm v_1 k - i w_1 k^2 & w_1 &= -\frac{W_1 - v_1^2 W_2}{2(v_1^2 - v_2^2)} \\
 \omega &= \pm v_2 k - i w_2 k^2 & w_2 &= +\frac{W_1 - v_2^2 W_2}{2\gamma_{\parallel}(v_1^2 - v_2^2)} \\
 \omega &= -i\Gamma_{\parallel} - i w_3 k^2 & w_3 &= \frac{(\gamma'_{\parallel} - \xi')^2}{\gamma'_{\parallel}} \frac{1 - v_A^2 \cos^2 \theta}{1 - v_A^2} + 4\xi' \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{1 - v_A^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

Always damping (stable around the equilibrium)

$$\begin{aligned}
 W_1 &= \frac{\gamma'_{\parallel} \eta'_{\parallel} - \xi'^2}{\gamma_{\parallel}} \left(c_s^2 \cos^2(2\theta) + \frac{v_A^2}{1 - v_A^2} \sin^2 \theta \right) + \rho'_{\perp} c_s^2 \left(1 + \frac{v_A^2}{1 - v_A^2} \sin^2 \theta \right) \\
 &\quad + \cos^2 \theta \left[\zeta'_{\parallel} \left(\frac{v_A^2}{1 - v_A^2} + c_s^2 \sin^2 \theta \right) + c_s^2 \left(\zeta'_{\perp} + \eta'_{\perp} - 2\zeta'_{\times} \right) \sin^2 \theta \right] \\
 W_2 &= \frac{\gamma'_{\parallel} \eta'_{\parallel} - \xi'^2}{\gamma_{\parallel}} \left(1 + \frac{v_A^2}{1 - v_A^2} \sin^2 \theta \right) + \rho'_{\perp} \left(1 + \frac{c_s^2 v_A^2}{1 - v_A^2} \sin^2 \theta \right) \\
 &\quad + \frac{\zeta'_{\parallel}}{1 - v_A^2} \cos^2 \theta + (\zeta'_{\perp} + \eta'_{\perp}) \sin^2 \theta
 \end{aligned}$$

Split of damping spin modes

$$\omega = -i\Gamma_{\perp} - i\frac{\gamma_{\perp}}{h}k_{\perp}^2$$

$$\Gamma_{\parallel,\perp} = \frac{8}{\chi}\gamma_{\parallel,\perp}$$

$$\text{Spin susceptibility: } S^{\mu\nu} = \chi\mu^{\mu\nu}$$

$$\omega = -i\Gamma_{\parallel} - i\frac{(\gamma_{\parallel} - \xi)^2}{h\gamma_{\parallel}}k_{\parallel}^2$$

$$\omega = -i\Gamma_{\parallel} - i\omega_3 k^2$$

$$\omega_3 = \frac{(\gamma'_{\parallel} - \xi')^2}{\gamma'_{\parallel}} \frac{1 - v_A^2 \cos^2 \theta}{1 - v_A^2} + 4\xi' \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{1 - v_A^2}$$

Spins are not conserved \rightarrow Gapped modes at $k = 0$.

All solutions are always damping.

Summary

1. We went through a brief overview of relativistic hydro. for QGP.
2. We discussed formulation of MHD with chirality and spin.
3. We developed an analytic algorithm for solutions search on an order-by-order basis in derivative.
4. We pointed out the breakdown of a small k expansion in anisotropic systems and an instability in chiral systems.

Outlook

- Extension to a finite (baryon) charge density for low-energy collisions.
- Charge density and E field may be included as quasi-hydro variables.
 - Spin polarization induced by a magnetic field.

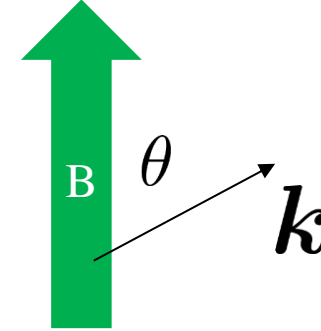


Cancelled in neutral fluid

Back-up slides

Breakdown of a small k expansion in anisotropic systems

Trig. functions serve as another small parameter.



Two limits, $\theta \rightarrow \pi/2$ and $k \rightarrow 0$, do not commute.

Demonstration with the simplest case: The Alfvén mode (w/o spin)

$$\begin{aligned} \omega &= \pm \sqrt{v_A^2 k_{\parallel}^2 - \frac{1}{4}(\tilde{\rho} - \tilde{\eta})^2 k^4 - \frac{i}{2}(\tilde{\rho} + \tilde{\eta})k^2} \\ &= \pm v_A k_{\parallel} - \frac{i}{2}(\tilde{\rho} + \tilde{\eta})k^2 + \mathcal{O}(k^3) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \omega(\theta \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}) &= \pm \frac{i}{2}|\tilde{\rho} - \tilde{\eta}|k_{\perp}^2 - \frac{i}{2}(\tilde{\rho} + \tilde{\eta})k_{\perp}^2 \\ &= -i\eta'_{\perp}k_{\perp}^2, -i\rho'_{\parallel}k_{\perp}^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\omega(\theta \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}) = -\frac{i}{2}(\rho'_{\parallel} + \eta'_{\perp})k_{\perp}^2 \pm \lim_{\theta \rightarrow \pi/2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{c_n(\rho'_{\parallel} - \eta'_{\perp})^{2n}}{(v_A \cos \theta)^{2n-1}} k_{\perp}^{2n+1}$$

Split of diffusive modes from an alternative expansion

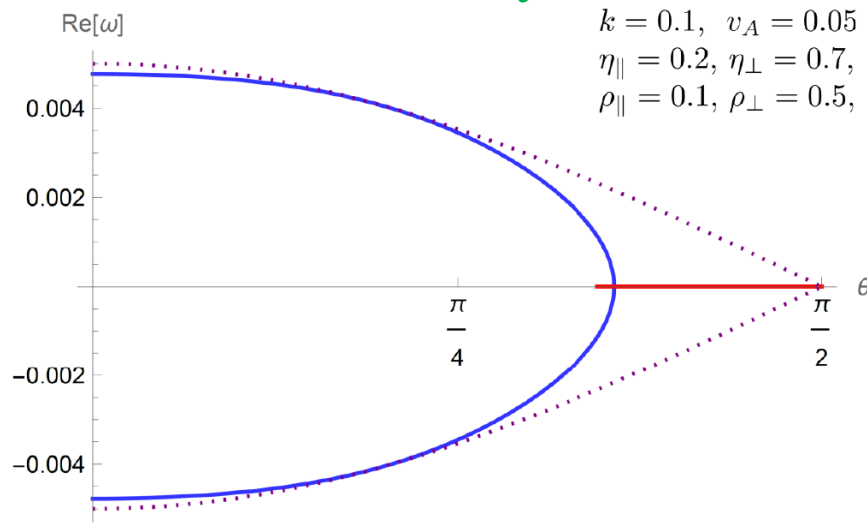
For $|\cos \theta| < \hat{k}$:

$$\omega_+ = -ik^2 \rho'_\parallel - i \left((\rho'_\perp - \rho'_\parallel) k^2 + \frac{v_A^2}{\eta'_\perp - \rho'_\parallel} \right) \cos^2 \theta + \mathcal{O}(\cos^4 \theta),$$

$$\omega_- = -ik^2 \eta'_\perp - i \left((\eta'_\parallel - \eta'_\perp) k^2 - \frac{v_A^2}{\eta'_\perp - \rho'_\parallel} \right) \cos^2 \theta + \mathcal{O}(\cos^4 \theta)$$

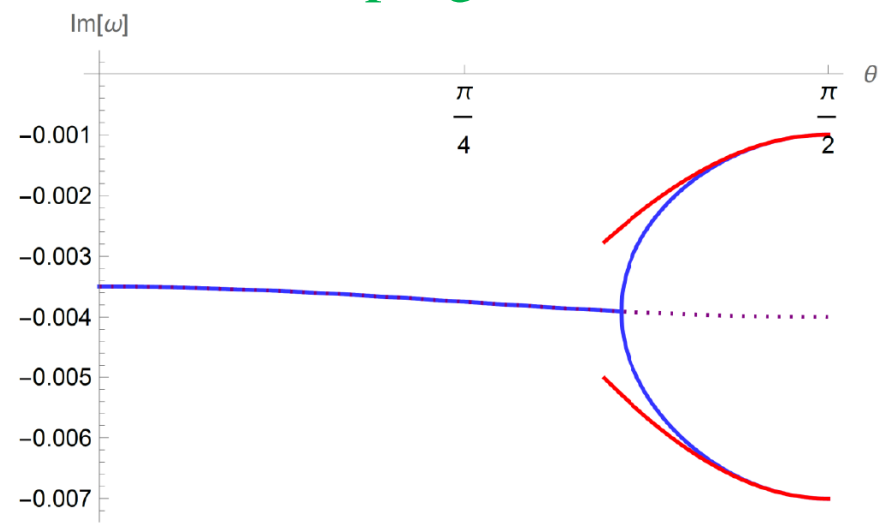
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Without any expansion

Phase velocity



Purely diffusive near the transverse direction.

Damping rate



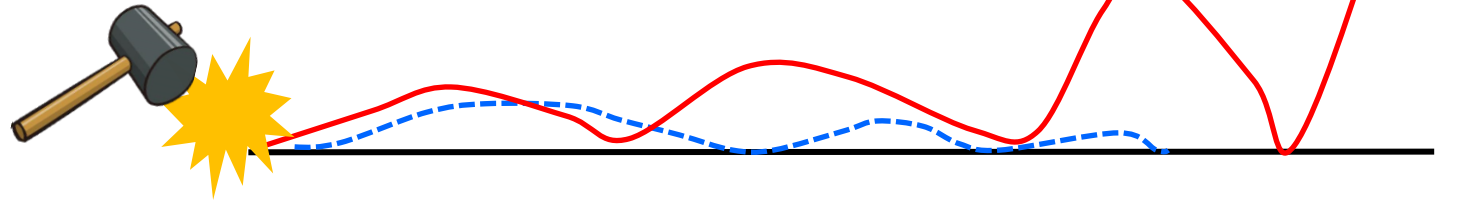
Splitting of the damping rates

Causality and artificial instability

Stability against perturbation on an equilibrium state

Stability (expectation)

Artificial instability despites dissipation, depending on Lorentz frames



Hiscock & Lindblom (1983-1987)

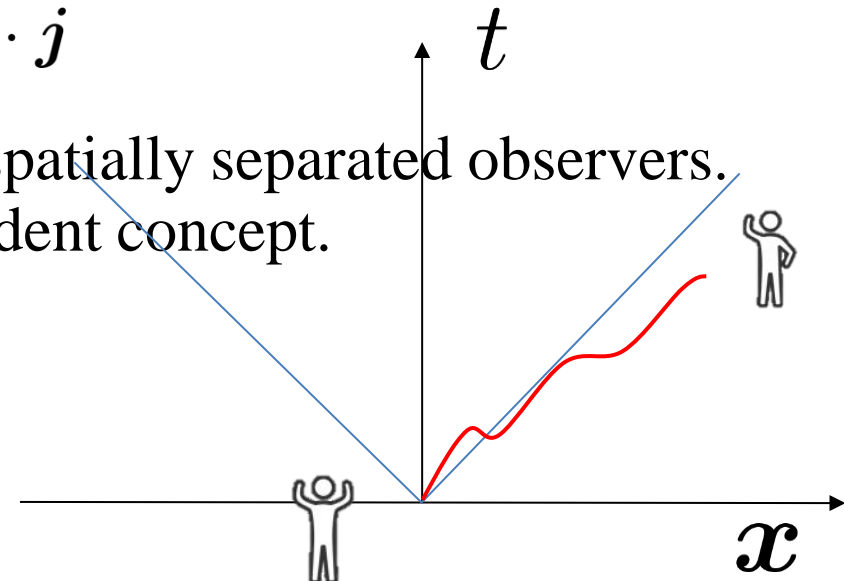
- Dissipative currents are acausal.
Systems need finite time to develop dissipative currents.

$$\mathbf{j} = -D\nabla \cdot \mathbf{n} \quad \partial_t n = -\nabla \cdot \mathbf{j}$$

- Chronicle order can be different for spatially separated observers.
X Stability becomes an observer-dependent concept.

- Causality is necessary for stability.
→ Israel-Stewart theory, etc.

Gavassino (2022)



MHD from the global symmetries of QED

We argued that E is screened in the equilibrium, but B is not.

→ MHD = fluid dynamics + magnetic flux

Q1: Can we understand MHD from any symmetry of the underlying microscopic theory?

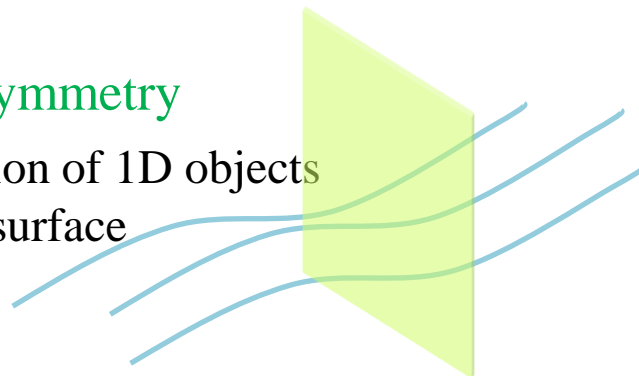
Grozdanov et al.
Hongo, KH

Q2: How is MHD derived from a microscopic theory?

Fluxes as conserved currents

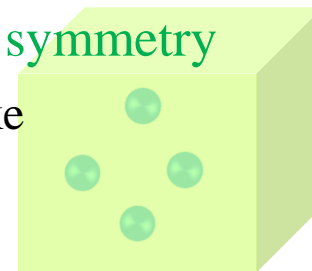
1-form symmetry

Conservation of 1D objects through a surface



Conventional (0-form) symmetry

Conservation of point-like charges in a box



Gaiotto et al.

[“MHD from QED” a talk at “Spin and Hydrodynamics in Relativistic Nuclear Collisions”](#)

Constitutive equations to the first order (in a parity-even environment)

Available tensors

$$\boxed{g^{\mu\nu}}$$

$$\boxed{\epsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta}}$$

$$\boxed{u^\mu}$$

$$\boxed{b^\mu = B^\mu / \sqrt{B^\nu B_\nu}}$$

$$\boxed{\begin{aligned} \Xi^{\mu\nu} &= g^{\mu\nu} + u^\mu u^\nu - b^\mu b^\nu \\ u_\mu \Xi^{\mu\nu} &= 0 = b_\mu \Xi^{\mu\nu} \end{aligned}}$$

$$\Theta^{\mu\nu} = e u^\mu u^\nu + p_\perp \Xi^{\mu\nu} + p_\parallel b^\mu b^\nu + \delta \Theta^{\mu\nu}$$

$$\Sigma^{\mu\nu\rho} = \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\lambda} (\sigma_\lambda + u_\lambda \delta\sigma)$$

$$\tilde{F}^{\mu\nu} = (B^\mu u^\nu - B^\nu u^\mu) + \delta \tilde{F}^{\mu\nu}$$

$$\sigma^\mu \equiv \frac{1}{2} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} u_\nu \sigma_{\rho\sigma}$$

- Totally anti-symmetric spin tensor $\Sigma^{\mu\nu\rho}$
(motivated by Dirac fermions)

$$\partial_\mu \Sigma^{\mu\alpha\beta} = -\partial_\mu L^{\mu\alpha\beta} = -2\Theta^{[\mu\nu]}$$

$$L^{\mu\alpha\beta} = x^\alpha \Theta^{\mu\beta} - x^\beta \Theta^{\mu\alpha}$$

Thermodynamics

- 1st law
$$T ds = de - \frac{1}{2} \mu^{\nu\rho} d\sigma_{\nu\rho} - H_\mu dB^\mu$$

Energy density Spin density Magnetic flux

Thermodynamic conjugates (Lagrange multipliers) $B^\mu = \tilde{F}^{\mu\nu} u_\nu$

$$\beta \equiv \frac{\partial s}{\partial e}, \quad \beta \mu^{\nu\rho} \equiv -2 \frac{\partial s}{\partial \sigma_{\nu\rho}}, \quad \beta H_\mu \equiv -\frac{\partial s}{\partial B^\mu}$$

Temperature Spin potential Magnetic field

$$Ts = e + p - \mu_{\alpha\beta} \sigma^{\alpha\beta} - H_\mu B^\mu$$

- 2nd law
$$\partial_\mu s^\mu \geq 0$$

$$\partial_\mu s^\mu = \partial_\mu (s u^\mu + \delta s^\mu)$$

$$= s\theta + \beta D e - \frac{1}{2} \beta \mu^{\nu\rho} D \sigma_{\nu\rho} - \beta H_\mu D B^\mu + \partial_\mu \delta s^\mu \geq 0$$

Time derivative: $D \equiv u^\mu \partial_\mu$

Time derivatives of conserved charges
 → Connection to equations of motion

Number of dof

e , n , and three components for $\sigma_{\nu\rho}$

For a totally anti-symmetric $\Sigma^{\mu\nu\rho}$,
 $\sigma_{\nu\rho} = -\sigma_{\rho\nu}$ and $0 = u_\mu u^\nu \Sigma^\mu{}_{\nu\rho} = -u^\nu \sigma_{\nu\rho}$

Constraint equation (no temporal derivative)

$$u^\rho \left(\partial_\mu \Sigma^\mu{}_{\nu\rho} + 2\Theta_{[\nu\rho]} \right) = 0$$

Both # of dof and EoM are reduced by 3.

Throwing away the redundancy

$$\sigma^\mu \equiv \frac{1}{2} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} u_\nu \sigma_{\rho\sigma} \quad \sigma^\mu u_\mu = 0$$

Divergence of the entropy current

$$\partial_\mu s^\mu = s\theta + \beta D e - \frac{1}{2} \beta \mu^{\nu\rho} D \sigma_{\nu\rho} - \beta H_\mu D B^\mu + \partial_\mu \delta s^\mu$$



$$D \equiv u^\mu \partial_\mu$$

Equations of motion

$$\partial_\mu s^\mu = s \partial_\mu u^\mu + D s + \partial_\mu s_{(1)}^\mu \quad \text{Leading order (ideal fluid)}$$

- Should be vanishing

$$= \beta (T s - \epsilon - p_\perp + \omega_{\alpha\beta} S^{\alpha\beta} + H_\mu B^\mu) \partial_\mu u^\mu - \beta \left[(p_\parallel - p_\perp) b^\mu b^\nu + B b^\mu H^\nu + 2 S^{\mu\alpha} \omega^\nu{}_\alpha \right] \partial_\mu u_\nu$$

$$- \Theta_{(1)}^{\mu\nu} (\partial_\mu \beta_\nu - 2\beta \omega_{\mu\nu}) \quad \text{NLO in derivative}$$

- Should be semi-positive

$$- \Sigma_{(1)}^{\mu\alpha\beta} \partial_\mu (\beta \omega_{\alpha\beta}) + \tilde{F}_{(1)}^{\mu\nu} \partial_\mu (\beta H_\nu)$$

$$+ \partial_\mu (s_{(1)}^\mu + \beta u_\nu \Theta_{(1)}^{\mu\nu} + \beta \omega_{\alpha\beta} \Sigma_{(1)}^{\mu\alpha\beta} - \beta H_\nu \tilde{F}_{(1)}^{\mu\nu})$$

First-order corrections

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_\mu s^\mu &= -\delta\Theta^{(\mu\nu)}\partial_{(\mu}\beta_{\nu)} - \delta\Theta^{[\mu\nu]}(\partial_{[\mu}\beta_{\nu]} - \beta\mu_{\mu\nu}) + \delta\tilde{F}^{\mu\nu}\partial_\mu(\beta H_\nu) \\ &\geq 0 \quad \text{Symmetric part} \quad \text{Anti-symmetric part} \quad \text{Induced EM field} \\ &\quad \text{(Shear)} \quad \quad \quad \text{(Torque, vorticity)} \end{aligned}$$

The entropy production stops when the spin potential equals the thermal vorticity.

$$\beta\mu_{\mu\nu} = \partial_{[\mu}\beta_{\nu]}$$

Semi-positivity is ensured by bilinear forms

Becattini

$$\delta\Theta^{\mu\nu} = -T \begin{pmatrix} \eta^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} & \xi^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \\ \xi'^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} & \gamma^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \partial_{(\rho}\beta_{\sigma)} \\ \partial_{[\rho}\beta_{\sigma]} - \beta\mu_{\rho\sigma} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\delta\tilde{F}^{\mu\nu} = -T \rho^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \partial_{[\rho}(\beta H_{\sigma]})$$

Viscous tensors

Resistivity tensor

The off-diagonal component $\xi^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta}$ converts symmetric shear to a torque and antisymmetric vorticity to a shear deformation.

Cross viscosities

Shear-Torque conversion

$$\delta\Theta^{\mu\nu} = -T \begin{pmatrix} \eta^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} & \xi^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \\ \xi'^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} & \gamma^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \partial_{(\rho}\beta_{\sigma)} \\ \partial_{[\rho}\beta_{\sigma]} - \beta\mu_{\rho\sigma} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\xi^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} = 2\xi (b^\mu \Xi^{\nu[\rho} b^{\sigma]} + b^\nu \Xi^{\mu[\rho} b^{\sigma]} + b^\mu \Xi^{\nu(\rho} b^{\sigma)} - b^\nu \Xi^{\mu(\rho} b^{\sigma)})$$

Onsager's reciprocal relations from time-reversal symmetry

$$\eta^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}(b) = \eta^{\rho\sigma\mu\nu}(-b), \quad \gamma^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}(b) = \gamma^{\rho\sigma\mu\nu}(-b), \\ \xi^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}(b) = \xi^{\rho\sigma\mu\nu}(-b), \quad \xi'^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}(b) = \xi^{\rho\sigma\mu\nu}(-b)$$

Short summary

Spin MHD is formulated based on

- Energy-momentum conservation
- Spin (non-)conservation
- Magnetic flux conservation

$$\partial_\mu \Theta^{\mu\nu} = 0$$

$$\partial_\mu \Sigma^{\mu\nu\rho} = -2\Theta^{[\mu\nu]}$$

$$\partial_\mu \tilde{F}^{\mu\nu} = 0$$

5 shear and bulk viscosities

2 rotational viscosities

1 cross viscosity

2 resistivity

$$\begin{aligned} \eta^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} &= (b^\mu b^\nu \quad \Xi^{\mu\nu}) \begin{pmatrix} \zeta_{\parallel} & \zeta_{\times} \\ \zeta'_{\times} & \zeta_{\perp} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} b^\rho b^\sigma \\ \Xi^{\rho\sigma} \end{pmatrix} \\ &\quad + 2\eta_{\parallel} (b^\mu \Xi^{\nu(\rho} b^{\sigma)} + b^\nu \Xi^{\mu(\rho} b^{\sigma)}) \\ &\quad + \eta_{\perp} (\Xi^{\mu\rho} \Xi^{\nu\sigma} + \Xi^{\mu\sigma} \Xi^{\nu\rho} + \Xi^{\mu\nu} \Xi^{\rho\sigma}), \\ \gamma^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} &= \gamma_{\perp} (\Xi^{\mu\rho} \Xi^{\nu\sigma} - \Xi^{\mu\sigma} \Xi^{\nu\rho}) - 2\gamma_{\parallel} (b^\mu \Xi^{\nu[\rho} b^{\sigma]} - b^\nu \Xi^{\mu[\rho} b^{\sigma]}), \\ \xi^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} &= 2\xi (b^\mu \Xi^{\nu[\rho} b^{\sigma]} + b^\nu \Xi^{\mu[\rho} b^{\sigma]} + b^\mu \Xi^{\nu(\rho} b^{\sigma)} - b^\nu \Xi^{\mu(\rho} b^{\sigma)}), \\ \rho^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} &= -2\rho_{\perp} (b^\mu \Xi^{\nu[\rho} b^{\sigma]} - b^\nu \Xi^{\mu[\rho} b^{\sigma]}) + 2\rho_{\parallel} \Xi^{\mu[\rho} \Xi^{\sigma]\nu} \end{aligned}$$

Inequalities for semi-positivity

$$\begin{aligned} \zeta_{\perp, \parallel} \geq 0, \quad \eta_{\perp, \parallel} \geq 0, \quad \gamma_{\perp, \parallel} \geq 0, \quad \rho_{\perp, \parallel} \geq 0, \\ \zeta_{\perp} \zeta_{\parallel} - \zeta_{\times}^2 \geq 0, \quad \eta_{\parallel} \gamma_{\parallel} - \xi^2 \geq 0 \quad (\text{Matrix} \geq 0) \end{aligned}$$

Solving the hydrodynamic equations

Linear-mode analysis

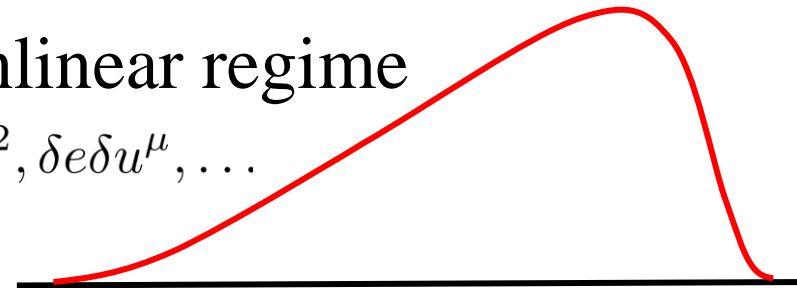
$$e \rightarrow e + \delta e(x), \quad u^\mu \rightarrow u^\mu + \delta u^\mu(x),$$
$$B^\mu \rightarrow B^\mu + \delta B^\mu(x), \quad S^{\mu\nu} \rightarrow S^{\mu\nu} + \delta S^{\mu\nu}(x)$$

Linear regime



Nonlinear regime

$$\delta e^2, \delta e \delta u^\mu, \dots$$



Linearized equation in a matrix form

→ Secular equation ($\det = 0$)

→ Dispersion relations

9 × 9 matrix !!

- Energy density (1)
- Flow velocity (3)
- Magnetic field (2)
- Spin (3)

$$\begin{pmatrix} \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \delta u_y \\ \delta B_y \\ \delta S_x \\ \delta S_z \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

We found an analytic algorithm for the solution search.

Spinless case (usual MHD)

$$\rho'_{\parallel, \perp} = \rho_{\parallel, \perp} / \mu_m$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} (\omega + i(\rho'_{\perp} k_{\parallel}^2 + \rho'_{\parallel} k_{\perp}^2)) / \mu_m & Bk_{\parallel} \\ h \frac{v_A^2}{B} k_{\parallel} & h\omega + i(\eta_{\parallel} k_{\parallel}^2 + \eta_{\perp} k_{\perp}^2) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \delta u_y \\ \delta B_y \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} -i \frac{B/h}{1-v_A^2} \rho'_{\perp} c_s^2 k_{\perp}^2 & -k_{\perp} B & 0 & -i \rho'_{\perp} k_{\parallel} k_{\perp} & \omega + i \rho'_{\perp} k_{\perp}^2 \\ i \frac{B/h}{1-v_A^2} \rho'_{\perp} c_s^2 k_{\perp} k_{\parallel} & k_{\parallel} B & 0 & \omega + i \rho'_{\perp} k_{\parallel}^2 & -i \rho'_{\perp} k_{\perp} k_{\parallel} \\ \omega & -hk_{\perp} & -h(1-v_A^2)k_{\parallel} & 0 & \frac{h}{B} v_A^2 \omega \\ -c_s^2 k_{\perp} & h\omega + i[(\zeta_{\perp} + \eta_{\perp})k_{\perp}^2 + \eta_{\parallel} k_{\parallel}^2] & i(\zeta_{\times} + \eta_{\parallel})k_{\perp} k_{\parallel} & \frac{h}{B} v_A^2 k_{\parallel} & -\frac{h}{B} v_A^2 k_{\perp} \\ -c_s^2 k_{\parallel} & +i(\zeta_{\times} + \eta_{\parallel})k_{\perp} k_{\parallel} & \bar{h}(1-v_A^2)\omega + i(\zeta_{\parallel} k_{\parallel}^2 + \eta_{\parallel} k_{\perp}^2) & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \delta e \\ \delta u_x \\ \delta u_z \\ \delta B_x \\ \delta B_z \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

($\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} = 0$)

Alfven waves (Transverse waves)

Secular equation for the 2*2 matrix

$$v_A^2 k_{\parallel}^2 - (\omega + i\tilde{\rho}k^2)(\omega + i\tilde{\eta}k^2) = 0$$

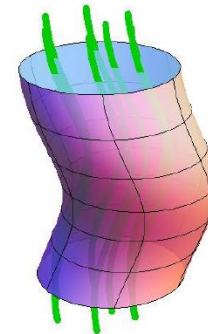
$$\tilde{\rho} = (\rho_{\perp} \cos^2 \theta + \rho_{\parallel} \sin^2 \theta) / \mu_m$$

$$\tilde{\eta} = (\eta_{\parallel} \cos^2 \theta + \eta_{\perp} \sin^2 \theta) / h.$$

Dispersion relation for the Alfven waves

$$\omega = \pm v_A k_{\parallel} - \frac{i}{2} (\tilde{\rho} + \tilde{\eta}) k^2 + \mathcal{O}(k^3)$$

Alfven velocity: $v_A^2 = \frac{B^2}{\mu_m h}$



Spinless case continued (usual MHD)

Magneto-sonic waves (Longitudinal waves)

Secular equation w/o dissipative corrections (the lowest order in k)

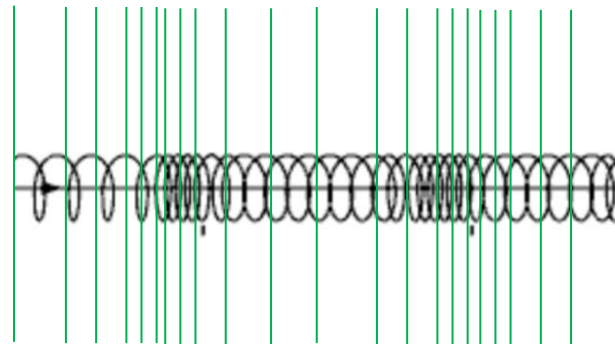
$$(\omega^2)^2 - \mathcal{V}^2 k^2 \omega^2 + v_A^2 c_s^2 k^2 k_{\parallel}^2 = 0$$

Modifications of the sound velocity due to **the magnetic pressure**.

$$\omega = \pm v_1 k, \quad \omega = \pm v_2 k$$

$$v_{1,2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sqrt{\mathcal{V}^2 \pm \sqrt{\mathcal{V}^4 - 4v_A^2 c_s^2 \cos^2 \theta}}$$

Fast and slow magneto-sonic waves



Magneto-sonic waves with dissipative corrections

- Solutions have not been known in the literature

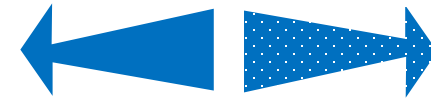
- 0th order solutions:

Pairs of waves propagating in opposite directions



- 1st order dissipative corrections:

Pairs of waves damping at the same rate
(w/o parity breaking effects)



The same magnitudes of
velocities and damping rates

Ansatz for the four solutions

$$\omega = \pm v_1 k - i w_1 k^2, \quad \omega = \pm v_2 k - i w_2 k^2$$

$w_{1,2}$: Unknown damping rates to be determined

$v_{1,2}$: Velocities already determined at the LO.

Analytic solutions: Damping rates

$$w_1 = -\frac{W_1 - v_1^2 W_2}{2(v_1^2 - v_2^2)}, \quad w_2 = +\frac{W_1 - v_2^2 W_2}{2(v_1^2 - v_2^2)}$$

$$W_1 = \eta'_{\parallel} \left(c_s^2 \cos^2(2\theta) + \frac{v_A^2 \sin^2 \theta}{1 - v_A^2} \right) + \rho'_{\perp} c_s^2 \frac{1 - v_A^2 \cos^2 \theta}{1 - v_A^2} \\ + \cos^2 \theta \left[\zeta'_{\parallel} \frac{v_A^2}{1 - v_A^2} + (\zeta'_{\parallel} + \zeta'_{\perp} + \eta'_{\perp} - 2\zeta'_{\times}) c_s^2 \sin^2 \theta \right],$$

$$W_2 = \eta'_{\parallel} \left(1 + \frac{v_A^2}{1 - v_A^2} \sin^2 \theta \right) + \rho'_{\perp} \left(1 + \frac{v_A^2 c_s^2}{1 - v_A^2} \sin^2 \theta \right) \\ + \frac{\zeta'_{\parallel}}{1 - v_A^2} \cos^2 \theta + (\zeta'_{\perp} + \eta'_{\perp}) \sin^2 \theta$$

One can show that $W_{1,2} \geq 0$.

All solutions are always damping (stable around the equilibrium)

Linearized spin MHD

4 × 4

$$\left(A_{(0)} + iA_{(1)} \right) \begin{pmatrix} \delta u_y \\ \delta B_y \\ \delta S_x \\ \delta S_z \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

$$A_{(0)} = \begin{pmatrix} Bk_{\parallel} & \omega & 0 & 0 \\ h\omega & \frac{1}{\mu_m} Bk_{\parallel} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \omega & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \omega \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A_{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \rho'_{\perp} k_{\parallel}^2 + \rho'_{\parallel} k_{\perp}^2 & 0 & 0 \\ (\eta_{\parallel} - 2\xi + \gamma_{\parallel})k_{\parallel}^2 + (\eta_{\perp} + \gamma_{\perp})k_{\perp}^2 & 0 & -\frac{4i}{\chi}(\xi - \gamma_{\parallel})k_{\parallel} & -\frac{4i}{\chi}\gamma_{\perp}k_x \\ -i2(\gamma_{\parallel} - \xi)k_{\parallel} & 0 & \Gamma_{\parallel} & 0 \\ i2\gamma_{\perp}k_x & 0 & 0 & \Gamma_{\perp} \end{pmatrix}$$

5 × 5

($\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} = 0$)

$$\left(M_{(0)} + iM_{(1)} \right) \begin{pmatrix} \delta e \\ \delta u_x \\ \delta u_z \\ \delta B_x \\ \delta B_z \\ \delta S_y \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

$$M_{(0)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -k_{\perp}B & 0 & 0 & \omega & 0 \\ 0 & k_{\parallel}B & 0 & \omega & 0 & 0 \\ \omega & -hk_{\perp} & h(v_A^2 - 1)k_{\parallel} & 0 & \frac{h}{B}v_A^2\omega & 0 \\ -c_s^2k_{\perp} & h\omega & 0 & \frac{h}{B}v_A^2k_{\parallel} & -\frac{h}{B}v_A^2k_{\perp} & 0 \\ -c_s^2k_{\parallel} & 0 & -h(v_A^2 - 1)\omega & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \omega \end{pmatrix}$$

$$v_A^2 = B^2 / (\mu_m h)$$

$$M_{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{v_A^2}{1-v_A^2} \frac{\rho_{\perp}}{B} c_s^2 k_{\perp}^2 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{\rho_{\perp}}{\mu_m} k_{\parallel} k_{\perp} & \frac{\rho_{\perp}}{\mu_m} k_{\perp}^2 & 0 \\ \frac{v_A^2}{1-v_A^2} \frac{\rho_{\perp}}{B} c_s^2 k_{\perp} k_{\parallel} & 0 & 0 & \rho_{\perp} \mu_m^{-1} k_{\parallel}^2 & -\rho_{\perp} \mu_m^{-1} k_{\perp} k_{\parallel} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & (\zeta_{\perp} + \eta_{\perp})k_{\perp}^2 + (\eta_{\parallel} - 2\xi + \gamma_{\parallel})k_{\parallel}^2 & (\zeta_{\times} + \eta_{\parallel} - \gamma_{\parallel})k_{\perp} k_{\parallel} & 0 & 0 & 4\frac{i}{\chi}(\xi - \gamma_{\parallel})k_{\parallel} \\ 0 & (\zeta_{\times} + \eta_{\parallel} - \gamma_{\parallel})k_{\perp} k_{\parallel} & \zeta_{\parallel} k_{\parallel}^2 + (\eta_{\parallel} + 2\xi + \gamma_{\parallel})k_{\perp}^2 & 0 & 0 & +4\frac{i}{\chi}(\xi + \gamma_{\parallel})k_{\perp} \\ 0 & 2i(\gamma_{\parallel} - \xi)k_{\parallel} & -2i(\gamma_{\parallel} + \xi)k_x & 0 & 0 & 8\Gamma_{\parallel} \end{pmatrix}$$

Sweeping trashes away

Our goal: Solutions at $\mathcal{O}(k^2)$.

(Higher orders do not mean anything for the first-order hydro.)

Determinant should be factorized with ansatz

$$\begin{aligned} \det M_{4 \times 4} = & \{\omega - (v_1 k - i w_1 k^2)\} \{\omega - (-v_1 k - i w_1 k^2)\} \\ & \times \{\omega - (v_2 k - i w_2 k^2)\} \{\omega - (-v_2 k - i w_2 k^2)\} \\ & + \mathcal{O}(\omega^3 k^3) + \mathcal{O}(\omega^2 k^4) + \mathcal{O}(\omega^1 k^5) + \mathcal{O}(\omega^0 k^6) \end{aligned}$$

However, actual determinant contains higher orders in k .

Greatly simplified if unnecessary higher orders are identified and thrown away appropriately at this stage.

Alfven modes with spin mixing

From the 4×4 matrix,

$$\omega = \pm v_A k_{\parallel} - \frac{i}{2} \left(\rho'_{\perp} k_{\parallel}^2 + \rho'_{\parallel} k_{\perp}^2 + \frac{(\eta_{\parallel} \gamma_{\parallel} - \xi^2) k_{\parallel}^2 + \eta_{\perp} \gamma_{\parallel} k_{\perp}^2}{h \gamma_{\parallel}} \right),$$

$$\omega = -i\Gamma_{\perp} - i \frac{\gamma_{\perp}}{h} k_{\perp}^2,$$

$$\omega = -i\Gamma_{\parallel} - i \frac{(\gamma_{\parallel} - \xi)^2}{h \gamma_{\parallel}} k_{\parallel}^2$$

$$\Gamma_{\parallel, \perp} = \frac{\delta}{\chi} \gamma_{\parallel, \perp}$$

Spin susceptibility: $S^{\mu\nu} = \chi \mu^{\mu\nu}$

Rotational viscosity:

$$\delta\Theta^{[\mu\nu]} = -T \gamma^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} (\partial_{[\rho} \beta_{\sigma]} - \beta_{\mu\rho\sigma})$$

Spins are not conserved \rightarrow Gapped modes at $k = 0$.

$$\partial_{\mu} \Sigma^{\mu\alpha\beta} = -2\Theta^{[\mu\nu]}$$

$$\omega = -i\Gamma_{\perp}$$

$$\omega = -i\Gamma_{\parallel}$$

All solutions are always damping (stable around the equilibrium)

Magneto-sonic modes with spin mixing

From the 5×5 matrix,

$$\begin{aligned}
 \omega &= \pm v_1 k - i w_1 k^2 & w_1 &= -\frac{W_1 - v_1^2 W_2}{2(v_1^2 - v_2^2)} \\
 \omega &= \pm v_2 k - i w_2 k^2 & w_2 &= +\frac{W_1 - v_2^2 W_2}{2\gamma_{\parallel}(v_1^2 - v_2^2)} \\
 \omega &= -i\Gamma_{\parallel} - i w_3 k^2 & w_3 &= \frac{(\gamma'_{\parallel} - \xi')^2}{\gamma'_{\parallel}} \frac{1 - v_A^2 \cos^2 \theta}{1 - v_A^2} + 4\xi' \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{1 - v_A^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

Always damping (stable around the equilibrium)

$$\begin{aligned}
 W_1 &= \frac{\gamma'_{\parallel} \eta'_{\parallel} - \xi'^2}{\gamma_{\parallel}} \left(c_s^2 \cos^2(2\theta) + \frac{v_A^2}{1 - v_A^2} \sin^2 \theta \right) + \rho'_{\perp} c_s^2 \left(1 + \frac{v_A^2}{1 - v_A^2} \sin^2 \theta \right) \\
 &\quad + \cos^2 \theta \left[\zeta'_{\parallel} \left(\frac{v_A^2}{1 - v_A^2} + c_s^2 \sin^2 \theta \right) + c_s^2 \left(\zeta'_{\perp} + \eta'_{\perp} - 2\zeta'_{\times} \right) \sin^2 \theta \right] \\
 W_2 &= \frac{\gamma'_{\parallel} \eta'_{\parallel} - \xi'^2}{\gamma_{\parallel}} \left(1 + \frac{v_A^2}{1 - v_A^2} \sin^2 \theta \right) + \rho'_{\perp} \left(1 + \frac{c_s^2 v_A^2}{1 - v_A^2} \sin^2 \theta \right) \\
 &\quad + \frac{\zeta'_{\parallel}}{1 - v_A^2} \cos^2 \theta + (\zeta'_{\perp} + \eta'_{\perp}) \sin^2 \theta
 \end{aligned}$$

The analytic solutions tell us that

1. All the phase velocities are subluminal.
2. All the imaginary parts act as damping effects in the fluid rest frame.

This is, however, not sufficient to insure causality and stability in arbitrary Lorentz frame (see a back-up slide).