

Thermal properties of UrQMD box-simulations

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short motivation

why box-calculations?

- final state at CERN, RHIC dominated by hadron-interaction
→ transport coefficients
- transport coefficients as input for inmedium models (dissipative fluid dynamics)
- low η/s values needed to reproduce elliptic flow
- lower bound for $\eta/s = 1/4\pi$ suggested (Kovtun Son Starinets bound KSS)

initialisation

use "infinite hadron matter":

- cubic box
- periodic boundary conditions:
particle leaving at \mathbf{r} reenters at $-\mathbf{r}$ with same momentum
- no string-excitations, no 1 to 3 decays:
destroys detailed-balance
- input to initialise box:
temperature T and volume V
used to calculate number of particles N and total energy E

number of particles

first find out number of particles in the system

from relativistic kinetic theory: number of particles in a phase space volume

$$dN = f(x, p) \frac{d^3x d^3p}{(\hbar c)^3 (2\pi)^3}$$

use Maxwell-Jüttner distribution function f in local Lorentz rest frame at high temperatures

Number of particles:

$$N = g_s g_I \frac{V}{(2\pi)^3 (\hbar c)^3} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} p^0 e^{-\frac{p^0}{T}} \frac{d^3p}{p^0}$$

$$N = g_s g_I \frac{2Vm^2 T}{(2\pi)^2 (\hbar c)^3} \kappa_2 \left(\frac{m}{T} \right)$$

energy of particles

Get energy from energy-momentum tensor:

$$T^{\mu\nu} = \int p^\mu p^\nu f \frac{d^3\mathbf{p}}{p^0},$$

energy density is T^{00} and thus:

$$E = g_s g_I \frac{V}{(2\pi)^3 (\hbar c)^3} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} p^0 e^{-\frac{p^0}{T}} d^3\mathbf{p}$$

solve analytically:

$$E = g_s g_I \frac{3 V m^2 T^2}{2 \pi^2 (\hbar c)^3} \left(\kappa_2 \left(\frac{m}{T} \right) + \frac{1}{3} \frac{m}{T} \kappa_1 \left(\frac{m}{T} \right) \right)$$

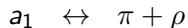
check thermal equilibrium

Initialize a box with π , η , ρ and a_1 mesons.

Calculate particle numbers and energies at $T = (80, 100, 110, 120, 130, 140, 150, 160, 170, 180, 200 \text{ and } 220 \text{ MeV})$.

The η -meson is stable.

The allowed inelastic channels:



check thermal equilibrium

temperature from thermal pion-distribution:

$$\frac{dN}{d|\mathbf{p}|} = g_I g_S \cdot \frac{2V}{(2\pi)^2 \hbar^3} \cdot |\mathbf{p}|^2 \cdot \exp\left(-\frac{\sqrt{m_\pi^2 + |\mathbf{p}|^2}}{T}\right)$$

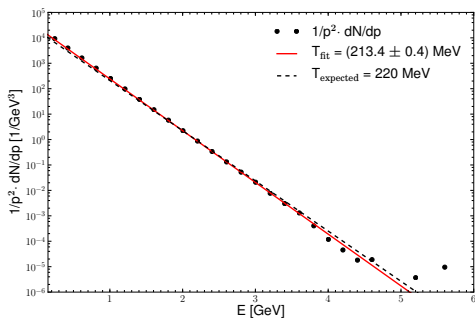
linearize this equation:

$$\ln\left(\frac{1}{|\mathbf{p}|^2} \cdot \frac{dN}{d|\mathbf{p}|}\right) = A \cdot E + B$$

A: inverse of the temperature and

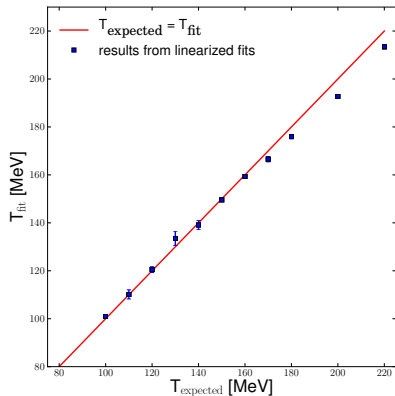
$$B = \ln\left(\frac{g_I g_S 4\pi V}{(2\pi)^3 \hbar^3}\right)$$

check thermal equilibrium

extract temperature T from thermal pion distribution

check thermal equilibrium

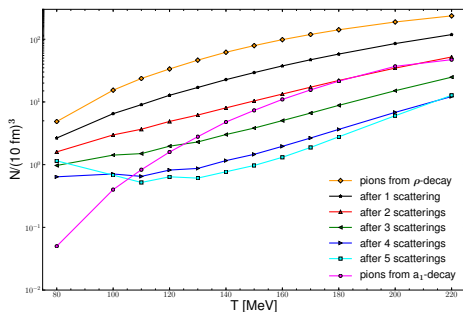
Results for temperature-fits for different temperatures:



Why is the temperature (of the pions) too low for high temperatures?

check thermal equilibrium

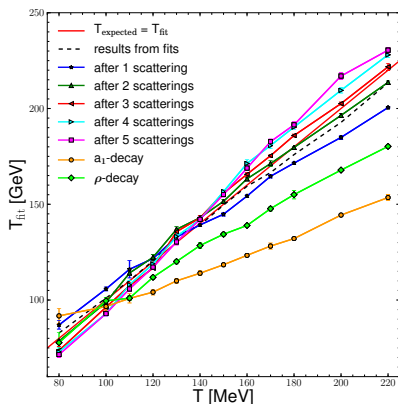
What are the sources of the pions?



- main-pion source: ρ -decay
- a_1 decay relevant for higher temperatures
- large number of pions with ≥ 5 scatterings for low T:
 a_1 channel starts to play role for higher T

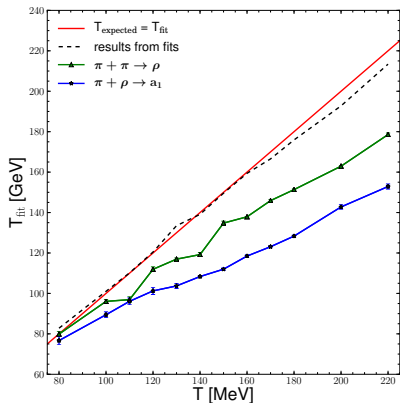
check thermal equilibrium

temperatures from different sources



→ Pions stemming from ρ and a_1 decay are colder than medium.
But:
Why are pions getting hotter?

check thermal equilibrium



→ Pions incoming in inelastic scatterings are colder than medium.

results of first part

- linear fitting itself works good (compared to exponential fitting)
- a_1 channel only relevant for high T
- gap between temperature of pions from decay and medium increases with higher overall-T
- additional effect: pions, that form ρ and a_1 , are colder than medium

analysis of further thermodynamic quantities

We use temperature T and volume V to calculate:

- energy E
- particle number N

We extract

- the energy density ϵ
- the isotropic pressure P
- the entropy using Gibbs formula $s = 1/T(\epsilon + P - \mu_B \rho_B)$.
- check Gibbs formula for whole box and virtual box inside the whole
- shear viscosity η , viscosity to entropy ratio η/s and thermal conductivity κ and compare to analytic calculations in the ultra-relativistic limit using Green-Kubo formulas.
- extract η (and η/s) for baryonic medium

isotropic pressure and entropy

Isotropic pressure from diagonal part of energy-momentum-tensor:

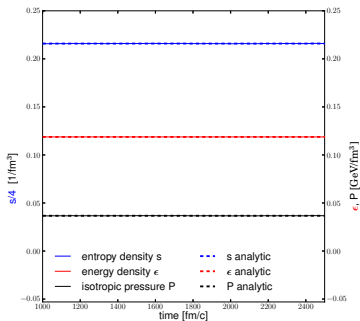
$$P = \frac{1}{3} \int |\mathbf{p}|^2 f \frac{d^3 \mathbf{p}}{p^0} = \dots = g_s g_I \frac{2}{(2\pi)^2} \frac{1}{(\hbar c)^3} m^2 T^2 \kappa_2 \left(\frac{m}{T} \right)$$

Entropy:

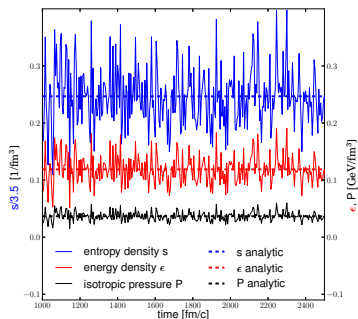
$$\begin{aligned} S &= -4\pi V \int_0^\infty f \left(\ln \left(\frac{(\hbar c)^3}{g_s g_I} f \right) - 1 \right) |\mathbf{p}|^2 d|\mathbf{p}| \\ &= \dots = g_s g_I \frac{V}{2\pi^2 (\hbar c)^3} m^3 \cdot \left(\kappa_1 \left(\frac{m}{T} \right) + 4 \frac{T}{m} \kappa_2 \left(\frac{m}{T} \right) \right) \end{aligned}$$

fluctuation of the quantities ϵ

whole box

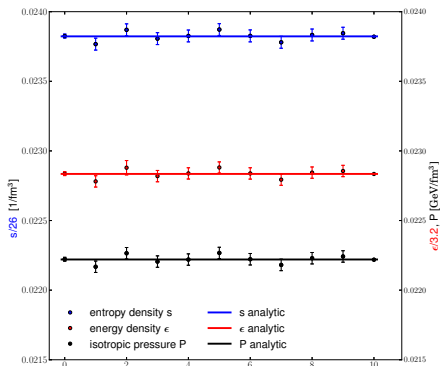


box in center

 $T = 180$ MeV

position of smaller box

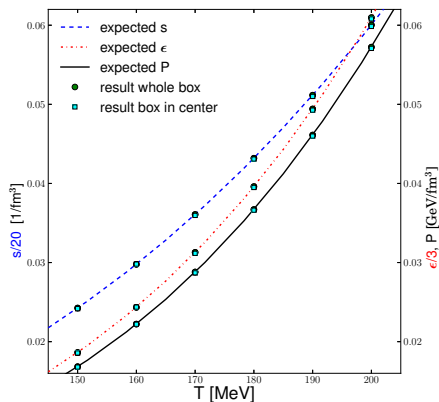
Is it important where to put smaller box?



- 1-8: box in each corner
- 9: box in center
- 0: average over 1-9
- 10: whole box

T = 160 MeV

results for different temperatures T



calculation:

$$\epsilon = \frac{1}{V} \sum_{i=1}^{N_{particles}} p_i^0$$

$$P = \frac{1}{3V} \sum_{i=1}^{N_{particles}} \frac{|\mathbf{p}_i|^2}{p_i^0}$$

$$s = 1/T \sum_{i=1}^{N_{particles}} (\epsilon_i + P_i)$$

η : mechanical definition

shear force:

→ velocity flow field

→ non-zero P^{xy}

shear viscosity (coefficient) η :

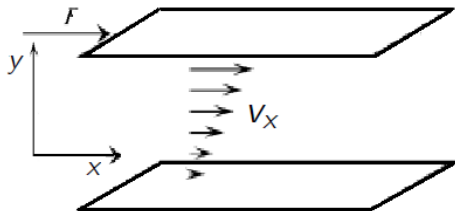
$$P^{xy} = -\eta \frac{\partial v_x}{\partial y}$$

in transport models:

use linear response theory (Green Kubo) to extract η :

$$\eta = \frac{V}{T} \int_0^{\infty} \langle \pi^{xy}(0) \pi^{xy}(t) \rangle_{\text{eq.}} dt$$

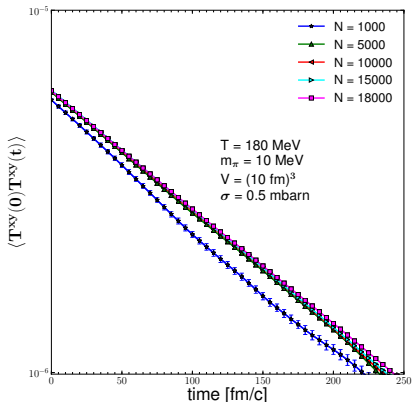
$$\pi^{xy} = T^{xy} = \sum_{i=1}^{N_{\text{particles}}} \frac{p_i^x p_i^y}{p_i^0}$$



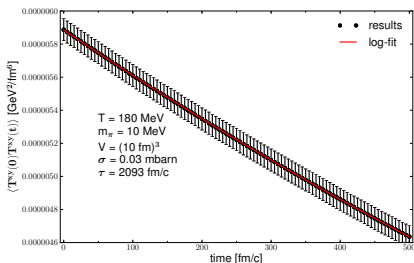
ensemble average

$$\langle \pi^{xy}(0) \pi^{xy}(t) \rangle_{\text{eq.}} = \frac{1}{N_{\text{events}}} \sum^{N_{\text{events}}} \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N T^{xy}(i\Delta t) T^{xy}(i\Delta t + t)$$

- How many timesteps N?
We use 18000
- How many independent box-calculations ? question of storage volume; at least 150 N_{events}



integrate correlation function

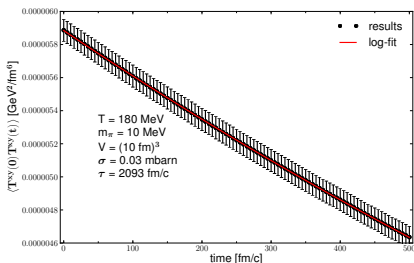


$$\int_0^{\infty} \langle \pi^{xy}(0) \pi^{xy}(t) \rangle_{\text{eq.}} dt$$

How to integrate the correlation function over time?

→ correlation function decays exponentially

integrate correlation function



Hence we can write:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \eta &= \frac{V}{T} \int_0^\infty \langle T^{xy}(0) T^{xy}(t) \rangle_{\text{eq.}} dt \\
 &= \frac{V}{T} \int_0^\infty e\left(\frac{-t}{\tau}\right) \cdot \langle T^{xy}(0)^2 \rangle_{\text{eq.}} dt \\
 &= \frac{V}{T} \cdot \tau \cdot \langle T^{xy}(0)^2 \rangle_{\text{eq.}}
 \end{aligned}$$

τ : relaxation time

comparing with analytic results

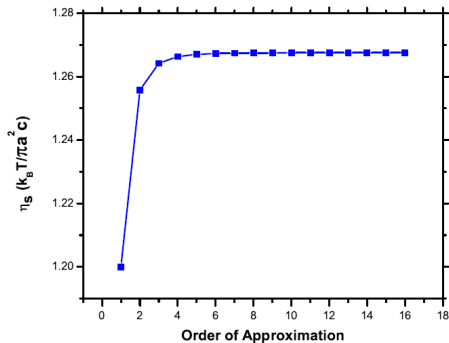
Now, compare to the results from
A. Wiranata and M. Prakash,
arXiv:1203.0281 (2012)

For a ultra-relativistic hard sphere
gas one can write:

$$\eta \approx 1.27 \cdot \frac{T}{\sigma}$$

T: temperature

σ : total cross section



ultrarelativistic-limit?

have to satisfy ultra-relativistic and hard-sphere-limit

Ultra-relativistic means massless particles and coldness $\zeta = m/T = 0$.

We try:

- coldness $\zeta = m/T \ll 1$
- mass: m_π 138 MeV \rightarrow 10 MeV
- temperature: $T = 180$ MeV

additional assumptions:

- isotropic cross-section
- one-component gas, binary, elastic scatterings
- hard-sphere approx.:
 const. differential cross-section:
 $\sigma = a^2/4$
 total cross-section: $\sigma_T = \pi a^2$
 a: radius of sphere

comparing with Green Kubo

compare Green Kubo

$$\eta = \frac{V}{T} \cdot \tau \cdot \langle T^{xy}(0)^2 \rangle_{\text{eq.}}$$

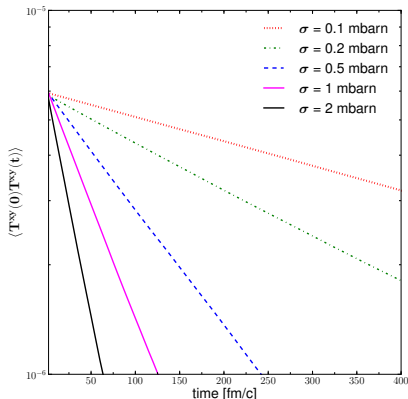
with

$$\eta \approx 1.27 \cdot \frac{T}{\sigma}$$

has T -, σ -dependence

σ -screening:

$\langle T^{xy}(0)^2 \rangle_{\text{eq.}}$ stays the same, but τ changes



σ -screening

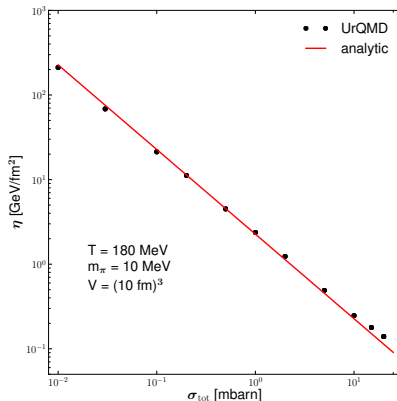
compare Green Kubo

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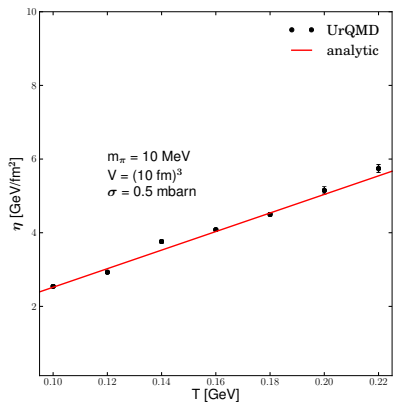
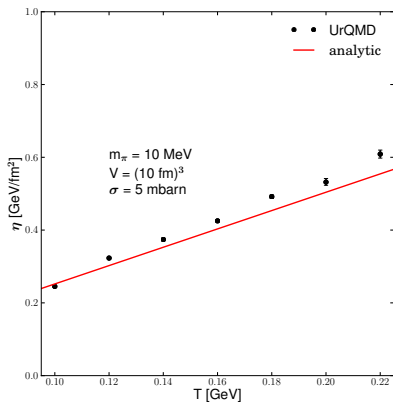
with

$$\eta \approx 1.27 \cdot \frac{T}{\sigma}$$

here σ -dependence



temperature screening

 η vs. temperature T

η/s

calculate η/s using

- Green Kubo results
- extracted value for s from

$$s = 1/T \sum_{i=1}^{N_{\text{particles}}} (\epsilon_i + P_i)$$

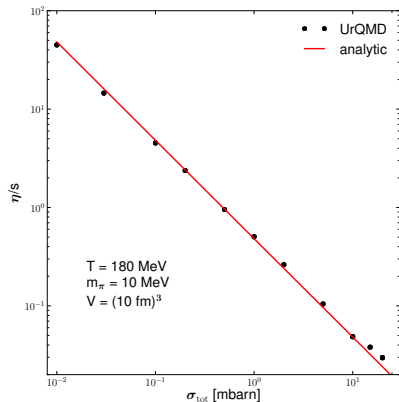
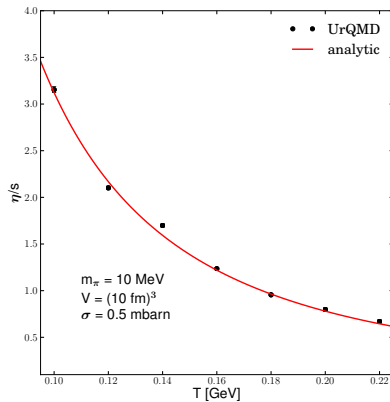
compare with analytic:

- viscosity from:

$$\eta \approx 1.27 \cdot \frac{T}{\sigma}$$

- entropy from:

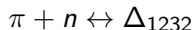
$$s = g_s g_l \frac{1}{2\pi^2 \hbar^3} m_i^3 \cdot \left(\kappa_1 \left(\frac{m}{T} \right) + 4 \frac{kT}{m_i c^2} \kappa_2 \left(\frac{m}{T} \right) \right)$$

η/s results η/s vs. cross-section σ  η/s vs. temperature T

η for box including baryons

different setting:

box with nucleons, π -mesons and Δ_{1232} -resonances.

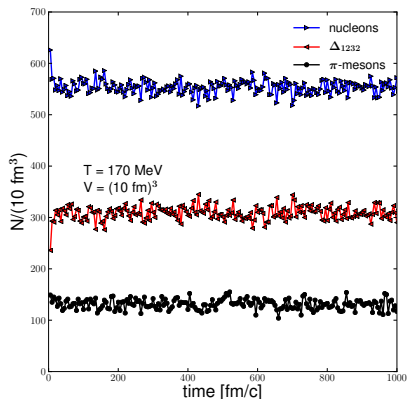


Motivation:

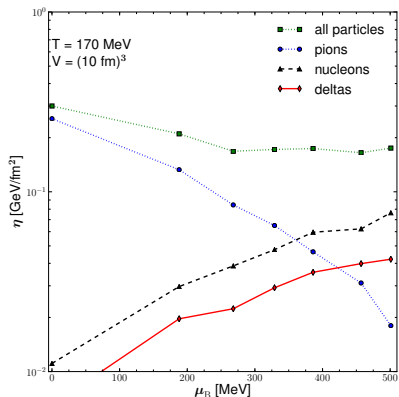
since $\eta \sim \frac{|\bar{\mathbf{p}}|}{\sigma}$, one might see where $N_{pions} = N_{nucleons}$

→ change baryon number by introducing baryo-chemical potential μ_B

thermalization



- chemical-equilibrium realized very fast
- we assume thermal-equilibrium is realized after 1000 fm/c

results η 

- note:
use extracted temperature T
- η falls and saturates
- to do: extract s for η/s
difficulty:
get real μ_B

thermal conductivity κ

isotropic medium: heat flux \mathbf{q} , thermal conductivity κ :

$$\mathbf{q} = -\kappa \nabla T$$

\mathbf{q} : heat flowing per second and per unit area

thermal conductivity κ (Green Kubo):

$$\kappa = \frac{V}{T^2} \int_0^\infty dt \langle q^\mu(0) q^\mu(t) \rangle_{\text{eq.}}$$

relativistic heat flow q^μ :

$$q^\mu = (u_\nu T^{\nu\sigma} - h N^\sigma) h^\mu_\sigma.$$

→ difference of energy flow and flow of enthalpy h carried by the particles

$h = (en + p)/n$: heat function per particle

u^μ : hydrodynamic velocity

$h^{\mu\nu} = g^{\mu\nu} - u^\mu u^\nu$: projector → gives part $\perp u^\mu$

heat flow

heat flow depends strongly on decomposition

Eckart's definition:

$$u_E^\mu = \frac{N^\mu}{\sqrt{N^\nu N_\nu}}$$

$$\rightarrow h^{\mu\nu} N_\nu = 0$$

$$q_E^\mu = u_\nu T^{\nu\sigma} h^\mu_\sigma.$$

Landau and Lifshitz's definition:

$$u_L^\mu = \frac{T^{\mu\nu} u_\nu}{\sqrt{u_\rho T^{\rho\sigma} T^{\sigma\tau} u_\tau}}$$

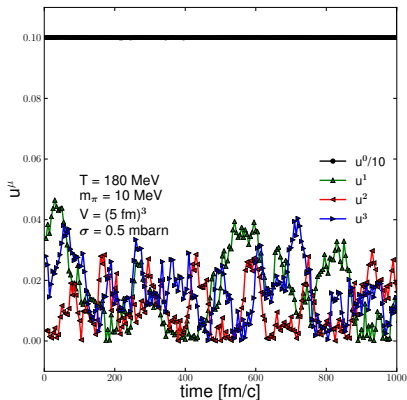
$$\rightarrow h^{\mu\nu} T_{\nu\sigma} u^\sigma = 0$$

$$q_L^\mu = -h N^\sigma h^\mu_\sigma.$$

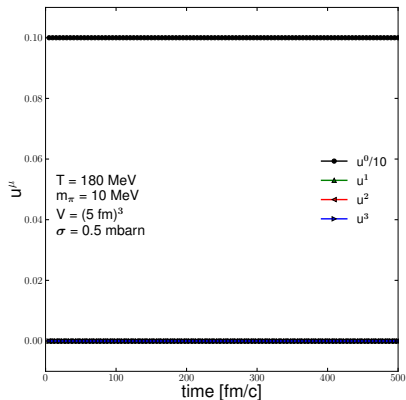
heat flow

In which local Lorentz rest frame ($u^\mu = (1, 0, 0, 0)^T$) are we?

Eckart:



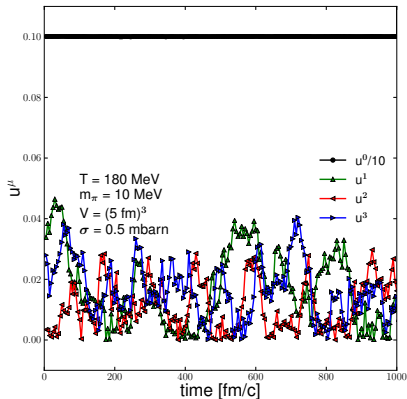
Landau Lifshitz:



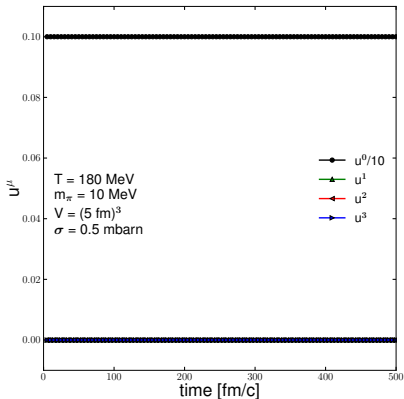
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Landau Lifshitz:



result heat flow and thermal conductivity

This means for heat flow:

$$q^\mu = -hN^i$$

N^i : flux of particle number per unit time and unit area in i -th spacial direction:

$$N^i = \int p^i f \frac{d^3\mathbf{p}}{p^0}$$

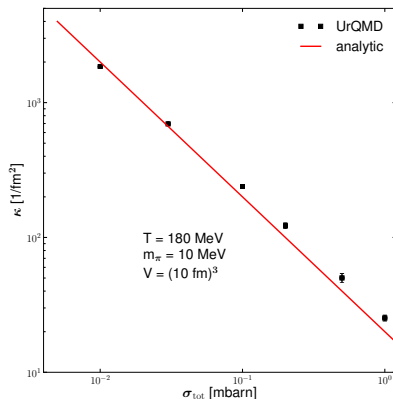
for UrQMD-calculations:

$$N^i = \frac{1}{V} \sum_{i=1}^{N_{particles}} \frac{p^i}{p^0} \quad \rightarrow \quad \kappa = \frac{V}{3T^2} \int_0^\infty \langle h\mathbf{N}(0) h\mathbf{N}(t) \rangle_0 dt$$

result thermal conductivity

compare Green Kubo with
 ultra-relativistic hard sphere
 approximation in first order from
 Carlo Cercignani and Gilberto
 Medeiros Kremer (Relativistic
 Boltzmann Equation):

$$\kappa \approx \frac{2}{\sigma} \left(1 + \left(\frac{m}{T} \right)^2 + \dots \right)$$



summary and outlook

- extracted thermal properties like pressure P and entropy s
- extracted η and η/s using Green Kubo:
successful T - and σ -screening
- η for baryonic-medium:
 μ_B -screening
- extracted κ using Green Kubo:
successful σ -screening
- to do:
try κ for Eckart decomposition
extract $\mu_B \rightarrow \eta/s$ from baryonic-medium

Thank you all for your attention.