

Polyakov loop extended chiral fluid dynamics at finite densities

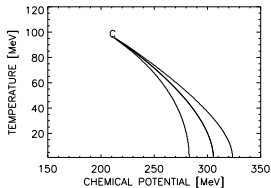
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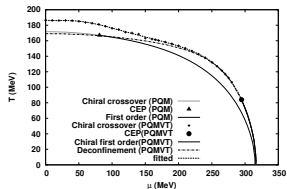
Effective models of QCD

Sigma model



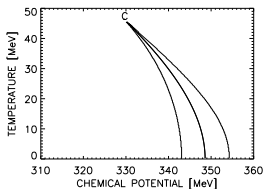
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Polyakov-quark-meson model



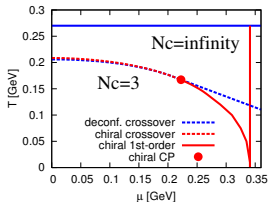
(Gupta, Tawari, arXiv:1107.1312v1 [hep-ph] (2011))

Nambu-Jona-Lasinio model



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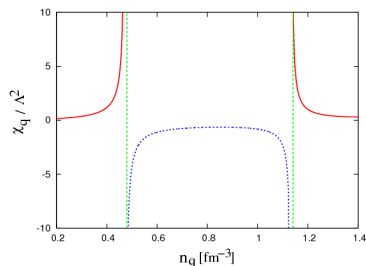
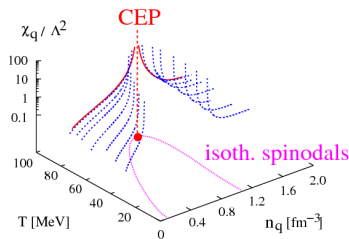
Polyakov-NJL model



(C. Sasaki, APPS.3:659-668 (2010))

Signals for a first order phase transition

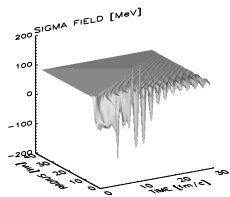
Out of equilibrium: Fluctuations at the first order transition can be as strong as at the critical point



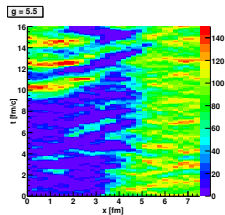
(Sasaki, Friman and Redlich, J. Phys. G **35** (2008))

Goal: study phase transition within fully dynamical model

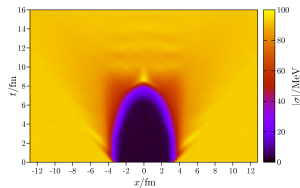
Chiral fluid dynamics with a Polyakov loop



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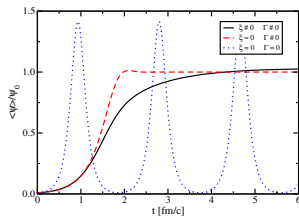


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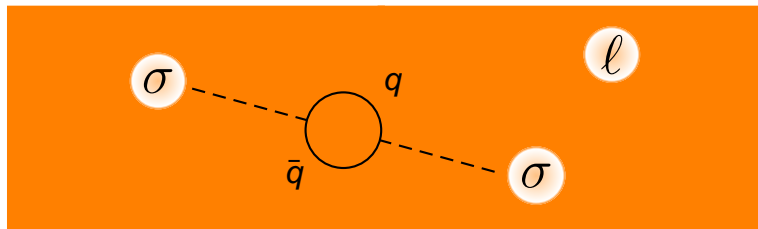
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M. Bleicher, arXiv:1105.1962v2)



(Fraga, Krein, Mizher, PRD **76** (2007))

Chiral fluid dynamics with a Polyakov loop



- ▶ quarks: heat bath in local thermal equilibrium, interacting with:
- ▶ σ : mesonic field, propagated via Langevin equation
- ▶ ℓ : Polyakov loop, coupled to heat bath
- ▶ dynamical, self-consistent and energy-conserving
- ▶ nonequilibrium effects

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In preparation: C. H., M. Nahrgang, I. N. Mishustin and M. Bleicher)

The Polyakov loop extended linear-sigma-model

The Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L} = \bar{q} [i (\gamma^\mu \partial_\mu - i g_{QCD} \gamma^0 A_0) - g\sigma] q + 1/2 (\partial_\mu \sigma)^2 - U(\sigma) - \mathcal{U}(\ell, \bar{\ell})$$

with the mesonic potential

$$U(\sigma) = \frac{\lambda^2}{4} (\sigma^2 - \nu^2)^2 - h_q \sigma - U_0$$

and the Polyakov loop potential

$$\frac{\mathcal{U}}{T^4}(\ell, \bar{\ell}) = -\frac{b_2(T)}{4} (|\ell|^2 + |\bar{\ell}|^2) - \frac{b_3}{6} (\ell^3 + \bar{\ell}^3) + \frac{b_4}{16} (|\ell|^2 + |\bar{\ell}|^2)^2$$

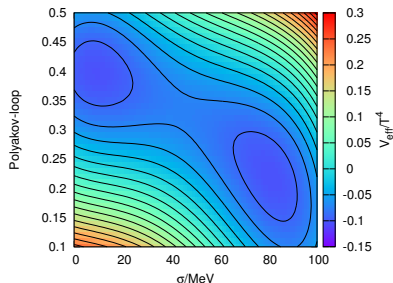
Thermodynamics

grand canonical potential at $\mu_B = 0$, $\ell = \bar{\ell}$, mean-field

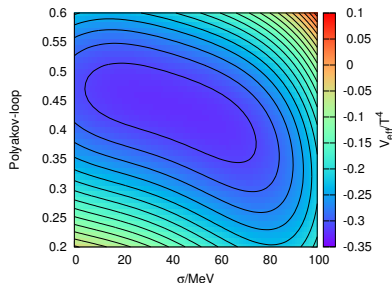
$$\Omega_{\bar{q}q} = -4N_f T \int \frac{d^3p}{(2\pi)^3} \ln \left[1 + 3le^{-\beta E} + 3le^{-2\beta E} + e^{-3\beta E} \right]$$

effective potential

$$V_{\text{eff}}(\sigma, \ell, T) = U(\sigma) + \mathcal{U}(\ell) + \Omega_{\bar{q}q}(\sigma, \ell, T)$$



first order transition,
 $g = 4.7$, $T_c = 172.9$ MeV



critical point,
 $g = 3.52$, $T_c = 180.5$ MeV

The equations of motion

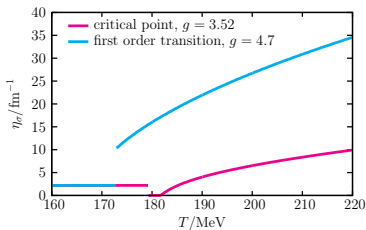
Propagation of fields

$$\partial_\mu \partial^\mu \sigma + \eta_\sigma(T) \partial_t \sigma + \frac{\partial V_{eff}}{\partial \sigma} = \xi_\sigma$$

(M. Nahrgang, S. Leupold, C. H. and M. Bleicher, Phys. Rev. C **84** (2011))

$$\frac{2N_c}{g_{QCD}^2} \partial_\mu \partial^\mu \ell T^2 + \eta_\ell \partial_t \ell + \frac{\partial V_{eff}}{\partial \ell} = \xi_\ell$$

(cf. A. Dumitru and R. D. Pisarski, Nucl. Phys. A **698** (2002))



Propagation of fluid

$$\partial_\mu T_q^{\mu\nu} = S_\sigma^\nu + S_\ell^\nu$$

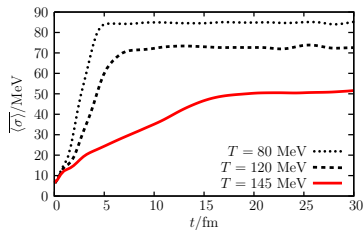
Calculate local temperature

$$e(\vec{x}) - e[\sigma(\vec{x}), \ell(\vec{x}), T(\vec{x})] = 0$$

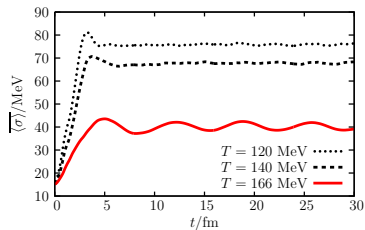
Box: Relaxation to equilibrium

- ▶ both transition scenarios
- ▶ initialize a cubic volume with $T > T_c$
- ▶ initialize σ, ℓ with their equilibrium values
- ▶ quench to $T < T_c$
- ▶ initialize energy density and pressure of quark fluid
- ▶ let system evolve and relax

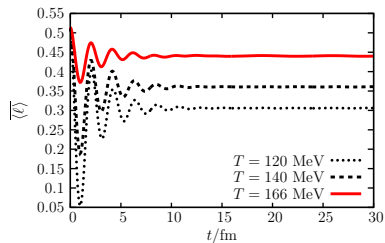
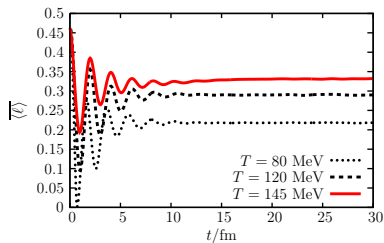
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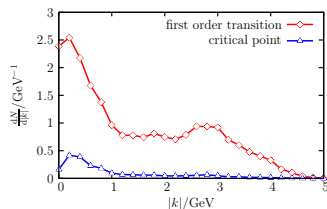
first order phase transition



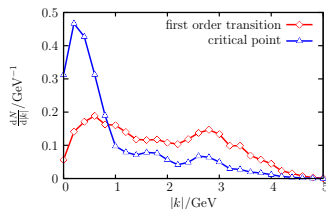
critical point



Box: Fourier analysis of Polyakov loop fluctuations



$t = 12$ fm, during transition

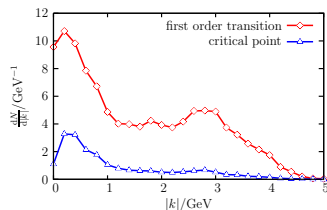


$t = 24$ fm, after equilibration

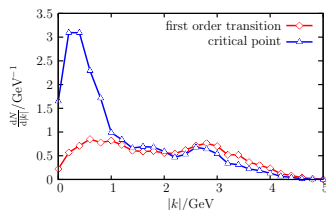
Intensity of Polyakov loop fluctuations:

$$N = \int_{\Delta k} d^3k N_k = \int_{\Delta k} d^3k \frac{a_k^\dagger a_k}{(2\pi)^3 2\omega_k} = \int_{\Delta k} d^3k T^2 \frac{\omega_k^2 |\delta \ell_k|^2 + |\dot{\delta \ell}_k|^2}{(2\pi)^3 2\omega_k}$$

Box: Fourier analysis of sigma fluctuations



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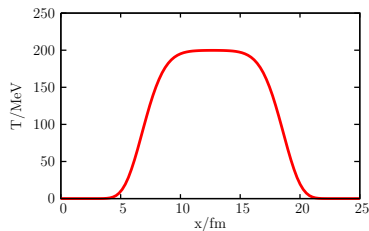


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Intensity of sigma fluctuations:

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The expanding plasma: Initial conditions



Temperature:
Woods-Saxon distribution

thermal distribution for fields:

$$\sigma = \sigma_{eq}(T) + \delta\sigma(T)$$

$$\ell = \ell_{eq}(T) + \delta\ell(T)$$

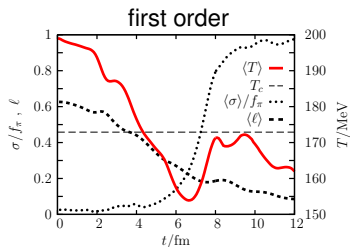
energy density and pressure of
fluid:

$$e = e(\sigma, \ell, T)$$

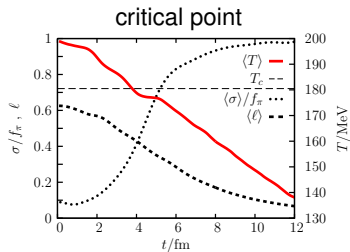
$$p = p(\sigma, \ell, T)$$

$$e/\text{MeVfm}^{-3}$$

The expanding plasma: First order transition



- ▶ formation of supercooled phase
- ▶ decay after ~ 2 fm
- ▶ reheating of the quark fluid



- ▶ smooth transition
- ▶ saddle point in $\langle T \rangle$ near T_c
- ▶ slowing down

The expanding plasma: Supercooling

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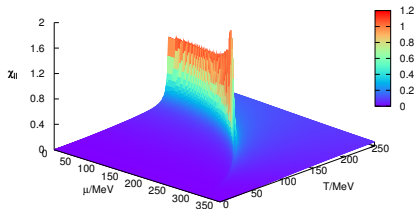
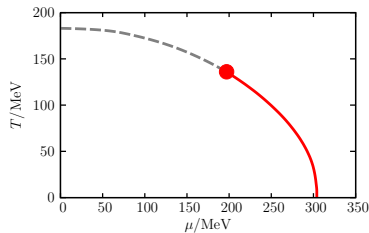
$$\sigma - \sigma_{\text{eq}}$$

$$l - l_{\text{eq}}$$

Finite density

grand canonical potential at $\mu_B > 0$, $\ell = \bar{\ell}$, mean-field

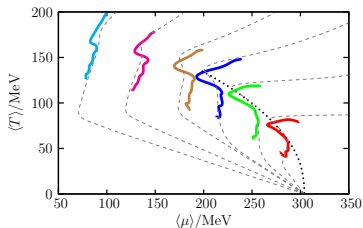
$$\Omega_{\bar{q}q} = -2N_f T \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \ln \left[1 + 3l e^{-\beta(E-\mu)} + 3l e^{-2\beta(E-\mu)} + e^{-3\beta(E-\mu)} \right] \\ + \ln \left[1 + 3l e^{-\beta(E+\mu)} + 3l e^{-2\beta(E+\mu)} + e^{-3\beta(E+\mu)} \right]$$



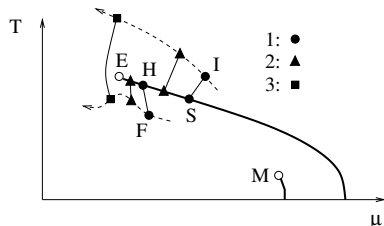
Finite density: Isentropes

Isentropic trajectories in T - μ -plane are determined by

$$\frac{S}{A} = 3 \frac{e(T, \mu) + p(T, \mu) - \mu n(T, \mu)}{Tn(T, \mu)}$$

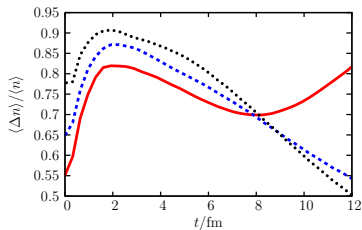
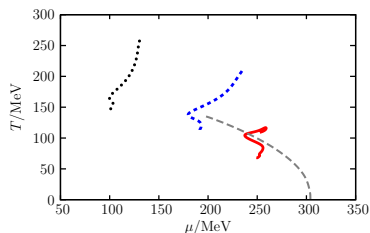


$$S/A = 24, 16, 12, 10, 8, 6$$



(Stephanov, Rajagopal and Shuryak, PRL **81** (1998))

Finite density: Baryon density fluctuations



- ▶ Root mean squared fluctuations $\langle \Delta n \rangle = \sqrt{\langle (n - \langle n \rangle)^2 \rangle}$
- ▶ Enhancement of density fluctuations along first order transition line
- ▶ Density inhomogeneities are pronounced after crossing the phase transition

Summary

- ▶ Chiral fluid dynamics with Polyakov loop
- ▶ at zero baryochemical potential:
 - ▶ supercooling and reheating
 - ▶ critical slowing down
 - ▶ out of equilibrium: large fluctuations at first order transition
 - ▶ in equilibrium: enhanced fluctuations of soft modes at critical point
- ▶ at finite baryochemical potential:
 - ▶ trajectories follow isentropes
 - ▶ no reheating
 - ▶ enhanced density fluctuations at first order transition

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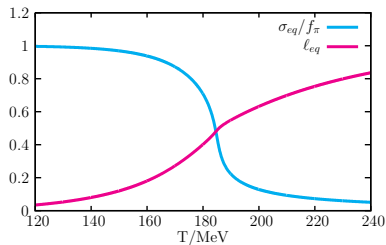
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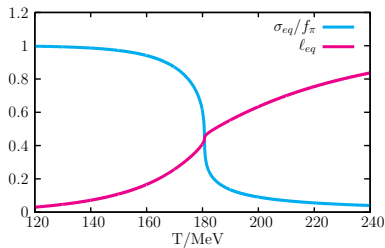
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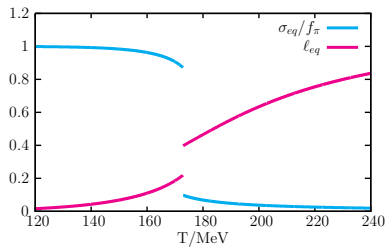
Thermodynamics



crossover



critical point



first order transition

order of the transition at $\mu = 0$
tuned via coupling g
 $g = 3.2$ (physical): crossover
 $g = 3.52$: critical point
 $g = 4.7$: first order

Propagation of the quark fluid: Source terms

For the quarks: $T^{\mu\nu}$ of ideal fluid

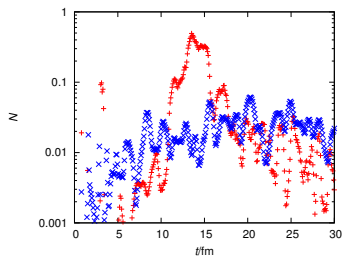
$$\partial_\mu T_q^{\mu\nu} = -\partial_\mu (T_\sigma^{\mu\nu} + T_\ell^{\mu\nu}) = S_\sigma^\nu + S_\ell^\nu$$

Source terms

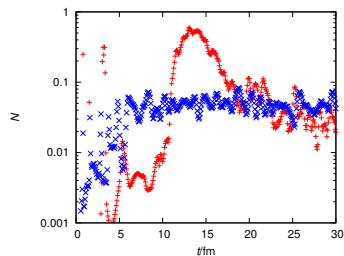
$$S_\sigma^\nu = \left(-\frac{\partial\Omega_{q\bar{q}}}{\partial\sigma} - \eta_\sigma \partial_t \sigma \right) \partial^\nu \sigma$$
$$S_\ell^\nu = \left(-\frac{\partial\Omega_{q\bar{q}}}{\partial\ell} - \frac{2N_c}{g_s^2} \eta_\ell \partial_t \ell T^2 \right) \partial^\nu \ell$$

- ▶ account for energy-momentum transfer only due to damping
- ▶ transfer of stochastic energy is estimated numerically

Box: Fourier analysis of Polyakov loop fluctuations



$0 \leq |k| < 100 \text{ MeV}$

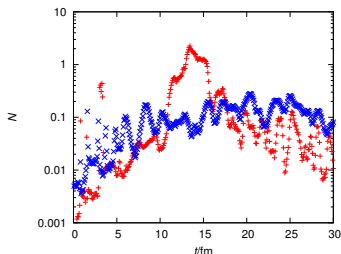


$100 \leq |k| < 200 \text{ MeV}$

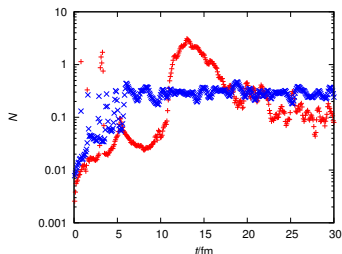
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Box: Fourier analysis of sigma fluctuations



$0 \leq |k| < 100$ MeV



$100 \leq |k| < 200$ MeV

Intensity of sigma fluctuations:

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