

# Classical Langevin Approach to Heavy Quarkonia

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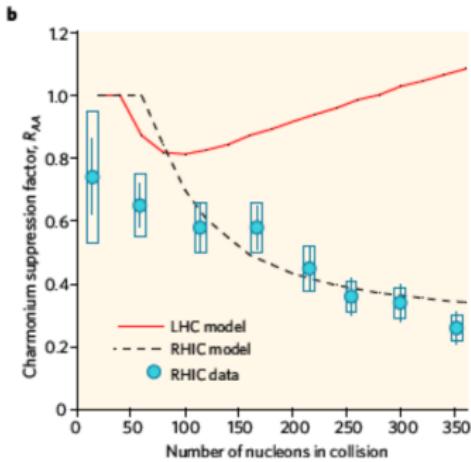
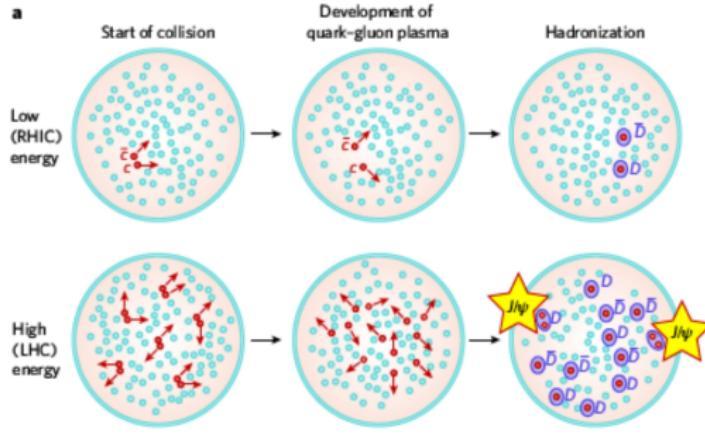
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# Motivation

- $J/\psi$  suppression in heavy-ion collisions as signal for deconfinement [MS86]
- heavy quarkonia produced in primordial hard collisions
- melt/dissociate in QGP due to color screening/collisions
- at higher beam energies: also regeneration



[from J. Stachel, Talk at EMMI workshop Feb/13/18]

# Langevin Equation for $Q\bar{Q}$ pair

- Fokker-Planck equation for c and  $\bar{c}$  quarks
- single as well as many pairs

$$\dot{\mathbf{r}} = \frac{1}{2M} \mathbf{p},$$

$$\dot{\mathbf{p}} = \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{r} - \bar{\mathbf{r}}) - \gamma \mathbf{p} + \sqrt{2MT\gamma\Delta t} \boldsymbol{\rho}$$

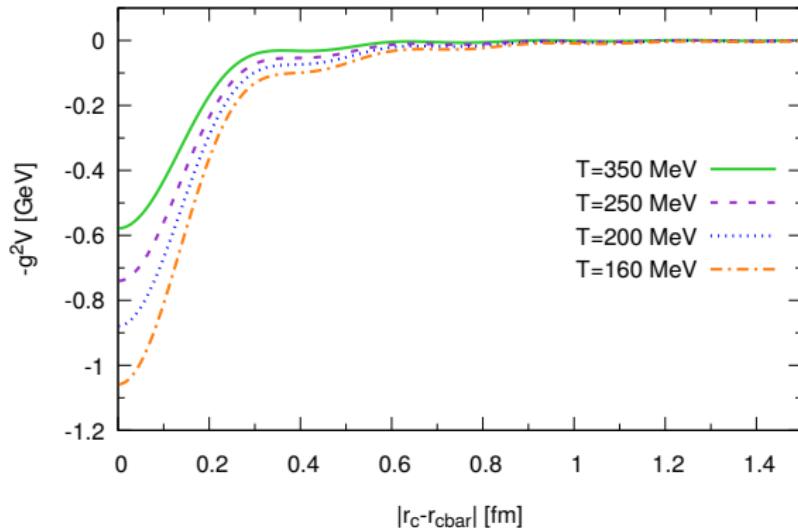
and analogous for  $\bar{c}$

- $\gamma$ : drag coefficient from [BDBFG16] (Abelian plasma model)
- $\boldsymbol{\rho}$ : Gaussian-distributed white noise
- $\mathbf{F} = -\nabla V$  from same model!

# Langevin Equation for $Q\bar{Q}$ pair

- UV-regularized screened Coulomb potential:  $\Lambda = 4 \text{ GeV}$
- running coupling

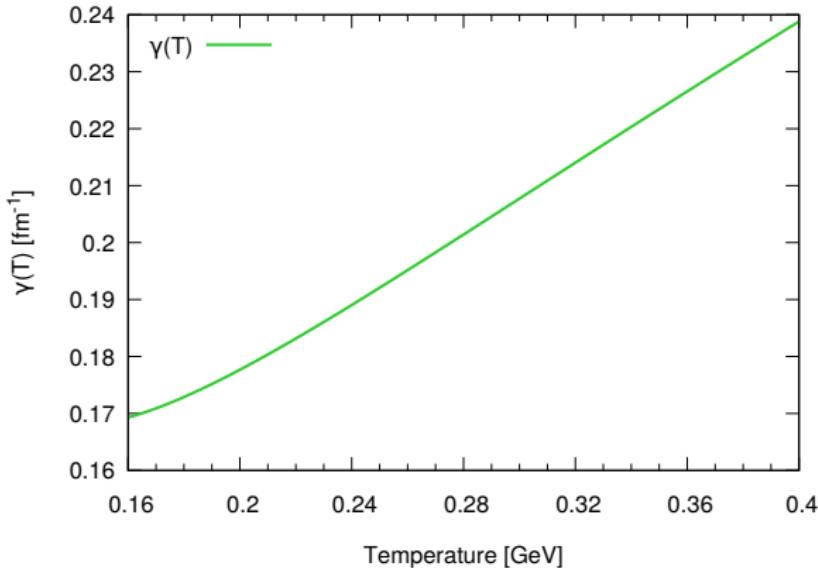
$$g^2 = 4\pi\alpha_s = \frac{4\pi\alpha_s(T_c)}{1 + C \ln(T/T_c)}, \quad C = 0.76, \quad T_c = 160 \text{ MeV}, \quad \alpha_s(T_c) = 0.5$$



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- drag coefficient

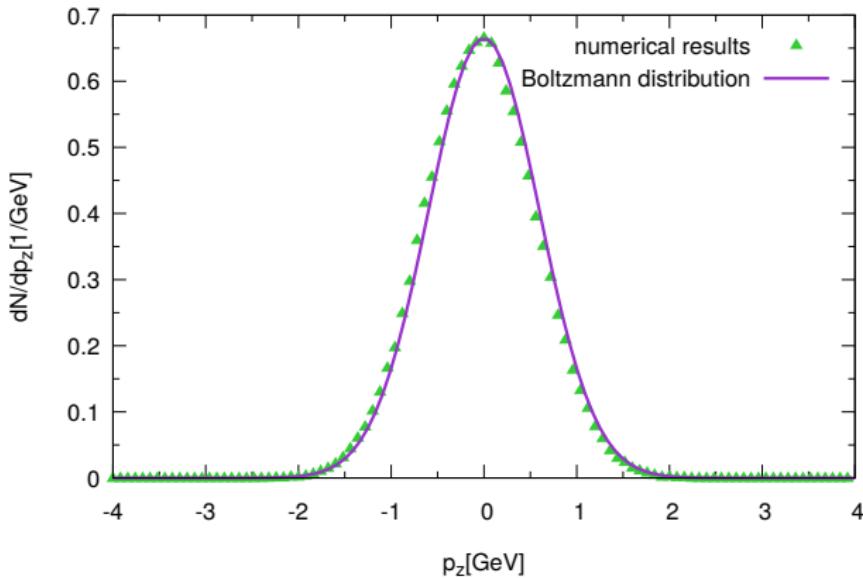
$$\gamma = \frac{m_D^2}{24\pi M} \left[ \ln\left(1 + \frac{\Lambda^2}{m_D^2}\right) - \frac{\Lambda^2/m_D^2}{1 + \Lambda^2/m_D^2} \right]$$



# Numerical tests

- single  $c\bar{c}$  pair,  $T = 200 \text{ MeV}$ ,  $M = 1.8 \text{ GeV}$  open system
- equilibrium limit: momentum distribution

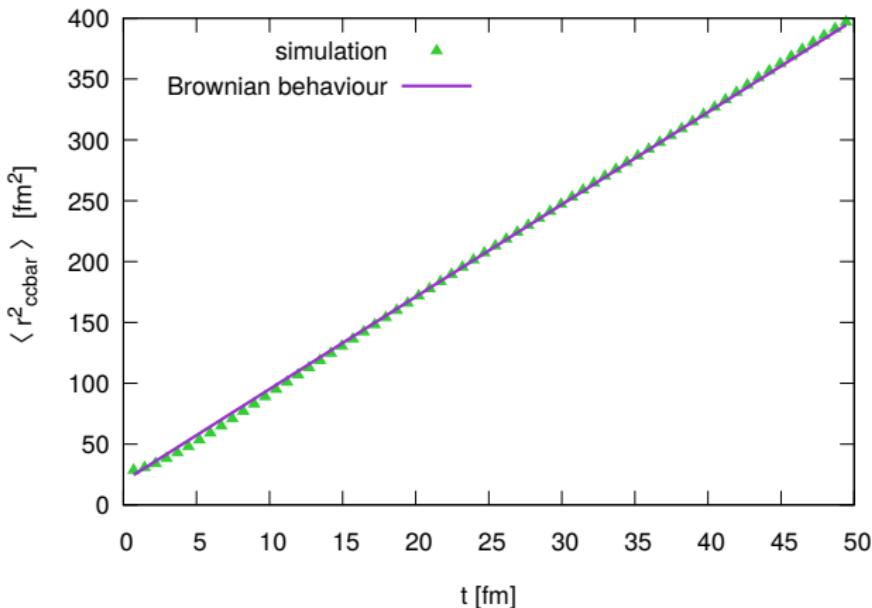
$$f_{\text{eq}}(\mathbf{p}) \propto \exp\left(-\frac{\mathbf{p}^2}{2MT}\right)$$



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- Brownian behavior of distance between  $c$  and  $\bar{c}$

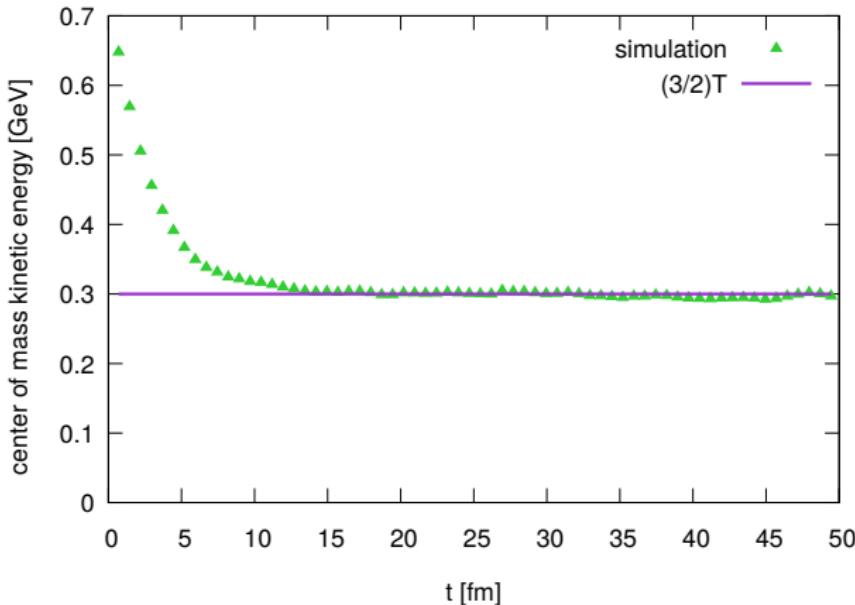
$$\langle (\mathbf{r}(t) - \mathbf{r}(0))^2 \rangle \underset{t \rightarrow \infty}{\cong} 2 \cdot 6 \cdot D_s t, \quad D_s = \frac{T}{M\gamma}$$



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- equipartition theorem for center-mass-pair energy

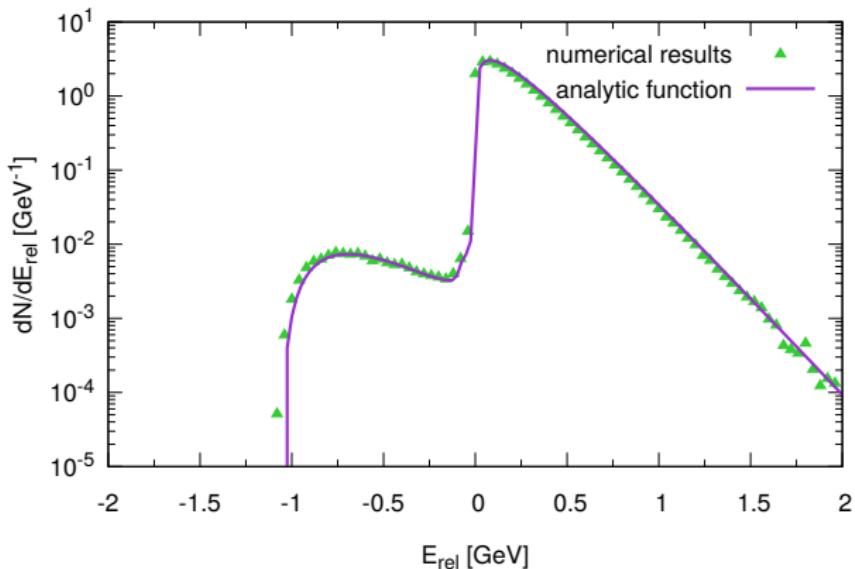
$$\langle E_{\text{cm}} \rangle \underset{t \rightarrow \infty}{\approx} \frac{3}{2} T$$



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- $E_{\text{rel}}$  distribution in equilibrium limit

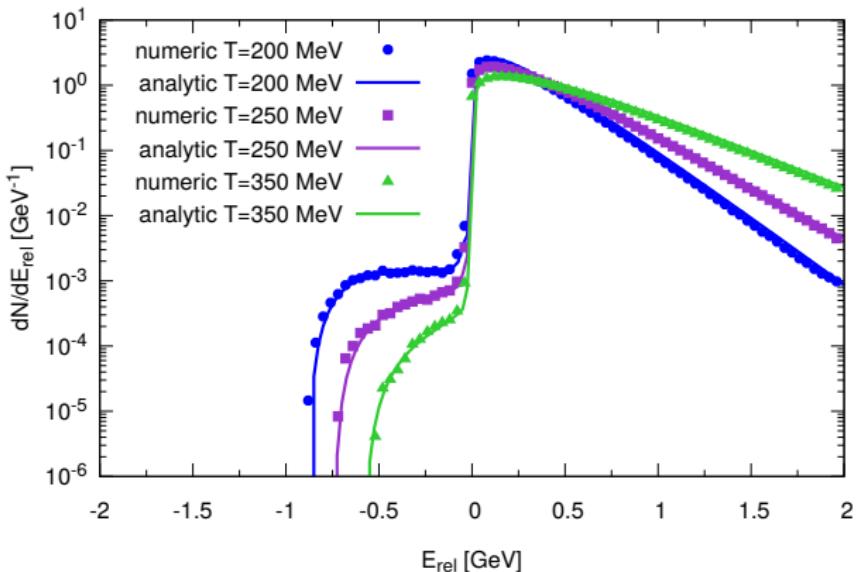
$$\frac{dN}{dE_{\text{rel}}} = (4\pi)^2 (2\mu)^{3/2} C \exp\left(-\frac{E_{\text{rel}}}{T}\right) \int_0^R dr dr^2 \sqrt{E_{\text{rel}} - V(r)}$$



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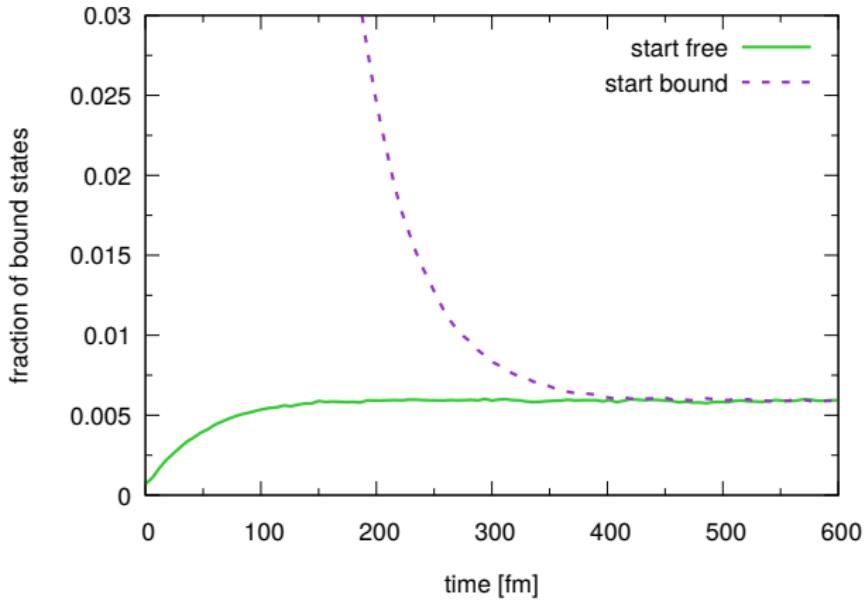
- single  $c\bar{c}$  pair,  $T = 200, 250, 300$  MeV  $M = 1.8$  GeV,  $(8\text{ fm})^3$  rigid box
- $E_{\text{rel}}$  distribution in equilibrium limit

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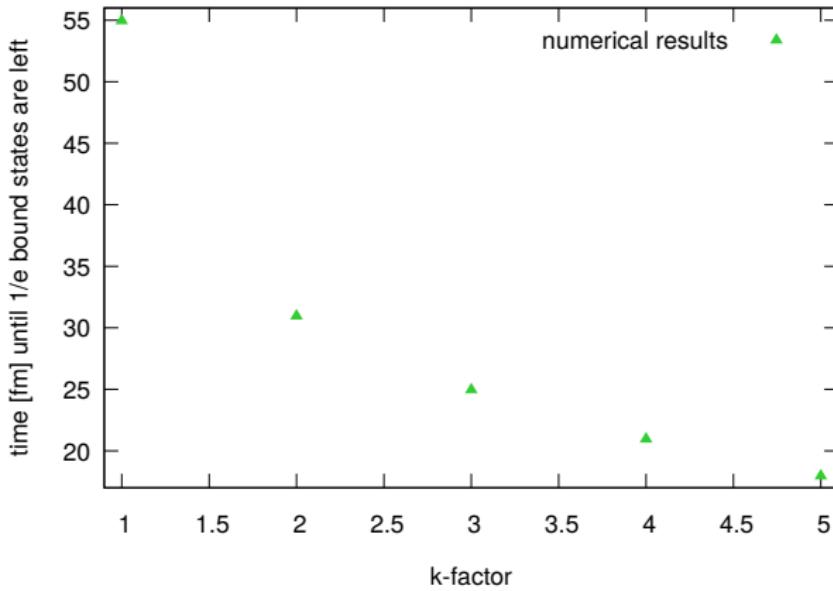
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- relaxation time for bound-state formation/dissociation
- “k factor”:  $\gamma \rightarrow k\gamma$



- single  $c\bar{c}$  pair,  $T = 160$  MeV, rigid boxes
- fraction of bound states:  
Langevin equilibrium limit vs. (grand-)canonical ensemble

Volume	$(8\text{ fm})^3$	$(10\text{ fm})^3$	$(12\text{ fm})^3$
grand canonical fraction of $J/\psi$	0.0066	0.0035	0.002
Langevin fraction of $J/\psi$	0.0059	0.0029	0.0017

- **Summary**

- Langevin simulation of charm-anticharm quarks in QGP
- based on potential and drag coefficients from Abelian gauge model  
[BDBFG16]
- passes all equilibration “box tests”
- bound-state properties in finite box  $\Leftrightarrow$  GC ensemble

- **Outlook**

- generalize to **expanding fireballs** mimicking a heavy-ion collision
- explore different heavy-quark potentials
- using quantum Wigner function to analyze phase-space distribution functions [YS09] in terms of **quantum bound states**
- long-time goal: full **in-medium quantum Langevin treatment**

# Backup Slides

# Langevin Equation for $Q\bar{Q}$ pair

- heavy quarks in an Abelian plasma [BDBFG16]
- $Q\bar{Q}$  pair described by set of Langevin equations

$$M \ddot{\mathbf{r}} + \frac{\beta g^2}{2} [\mathcal{H}(0) \dot{\mathbf{r}} - \mathcal{H}(\mathbf{s}) \dot{\mathbf{r}}] - g^2 \nabla V(\mathbf{s}) = \xi(\mathbf{s}, t)$$

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- Drag and diffusion coefficients derived from complex potential

$$\mathcal{V}(\mathbf{s}) = -g^2 V(\mathbf{r}) - i g^2 [W(\mathbf{s}) - W(0)]$$

$$= -\frac{g^2}{4\pi} \frac{\exp(-m_D s)}{s} - i \frac{g^2 T}{4\pi} \phi(m_D s),$$

$$\phi(x) = 2 \int_0^\infty dz \frac{z}{(z^2 + 1)^2} \left[ 1 - \frac{\sin(zx)}{zx} \right],$$

$$\mathcal{H}_{\alpha\beta}(\mathbf{s}) = \frac{\partial^2 W(\mathbf{s})}{\partial r_\alpha \partial r_\beta}$$

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- “Random force” as white noise

$$\langle \xi_\alpha(\mathbf{s}, t) \xi_\beta(\mathbf{s}, t') \rangle = \langle \bar{\xi}_\alpha(\mathbf{s}, t) \bar{\xi}_\beta(\mathbf{s}, t') \rangle = g^2 \mathcal{H}(0) \delta_{\alpha\beta} \delta(t - t'),$$

$$\langle \xi_\alpha(\mathbf{s}, t) \bar{\xi}_\beta(\mathbf{s}, t') \rangle = -g^2 \mathcal{H}_{\alpha\beta}(\mathbf{s}) \delta(t - t'),$$

$$g^2 \mathcal{H}_{\alpha\beta}(0) = 2MT\gamma\delta_{\alpha\beta}$$

- for  $m_D s \gg 1$  center-mass coordinate  $\boldsymbol{\rho} = (\mathbf{r} + \bar{\mathbf{r}})/2$  moves as Brownian particle with mass  $2M$ , drag  $\gamma$ , diffusion coefficient  $D = 2M\gamma T$

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