

# Anisotropic dissipative fluid dynamics – theory and applications in heavy-ion physics

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## Microscopic foundations of ideal fluid dynamics

**Ideal fluid dynamics:** fluid is in local thermodynamical equilibrium

⇒ single-particle distribution function:

$$f_{0k} = [\exp(-\alpha_0 + \beta_0 E_{ku}) + a]^{-1}$$

where:  $\beta_0 = 1/T$ ,  $T$  temperature,  $\alpha_0 = \beta_0 \mu$ ,  $\mu$  chemical potential,

$E_{ku} = k^\mu u_\mu$ , with  $k^\mu$  particle 4-momentum,  $u^\mu = \gamma(1, \vec{v})$  fluid 4-velocity,  
 $a = \pm 1, 0$  for fermions/bosons, Boltzmann particles

Boltzmann equation:

$$k^\mu \partial_\mu f_k = C[f]$$

⇒ 0<sup>th</sup> and 1<sup>st</sup> moment of the Boltzmann equation:

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_\mu N^\mu &= \mathcal{C} \\ \partial_\mu T^{\mu\nu} &= \mathcal{C}^\nu \end{aligned}$$

where:  $N^\mu \equiv \int_k k^\mu f_k$  particle no. 4-current,

$T^{\mu\nu} \equiv \int_k k^\mu k^\nu f_k$  energy-momentum tensor,

$\int_k \equiv g \int \frac{d^3 k}{(2\pi)^3 k_0}$ ,  $g$ : internal quantum no. degeneracy of momentum state

Note:  $\mathcal{C} \equiv \int_k C[f] = 0$  and  $\mathcal{C}^\nu \equiv \int_k k^\nu C[f] \equiv 0$  for binary elastic collisions  
 (particle no. and 4-momenta are microscopic collisional invariants)

⇒ macroscopic conservation of particle no., energy, and momentum!

⇒ set  $f_k \equiv f_{0k}$  (Note:  $f_{0k}$  is not a solution of the Boltzmann equation!)

⇒ equations of motion closed – 5 eqs., 5 unknowns:  $\alpha_0, \beta_0, u^\mu$  (3)

## Microscopic foundations of dissipative fluid dynamics (I)

equations of motion no longer closed:

⇒ in Landau frame, where  $u^\mu$  follows flow of energy

$$\begin{aligned}\partial_\mu N^\mu &= 0 \\ \partial_\mu T^{\mu\nu} &= 0\end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned}\dot{n} + n\theta + \partial \cdot n &= 0 \\ \dot{\epsilon} + (\epsilon + p + \Pi)\theta - \pi^{\mu\nu}\partial_\mu u_\nu &= 0 \\ (\epsilon + p)\dot{u}^\mu &= \nabla^\mu(p + \Pi) - \Pi\dot{u}^\mu - \Delta^{\mu\nu}\partial^\lambda\pi_{\nu\lambda}\end{aligned}$$

where:  $\dot{A} \equiv u^\mu\partial_\mu A$

comoving derivative,

$\theta \equiv \partial_\mu u^\mu$

expansion scalar,

$\Delta^{\mu\nu} \equiv g^{\mu\nu} - u^\mu u^\nu$

3-space projector onto direction orthogonal to  $u^\mu$ ,

$\nabla^\mu \equiv \Delta^{\mu\nu}\partial_\nu$

3-space gradient orthogonal to  $u^\mu$

and:  $n$  particle density,

$\epsilon$  energy density,

$p$  pressure,

$\Pi$  bulk viscous pressure,

$n^\mu$  particle diffusion current,

$\pi^{\mu\nu}$  shear-stress tensor

⇒ need additional equations of motion for  $\Pi, n^\mu, \pi^{\mu\nu}!$

## Microscopic foundations of dissipative fluid dynamics (II)

Consider small deviations from local thermodynamical equilibrium:

$$f_k = f_{0k} + \delta f_k \quad |\delta f_k| \ll 1$$

⇒ irreducible moments of  $\delta f_k$ :  $\rho_r^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_\ell} \equiv \int_k E_{ku}^r k^{\langle \mu_1 \dots \mu_\ell \rangle} \delta f_k$

where:  $A^{\langle \mu_1 \dots \mu_\ell \rangle} \equiv \Delta_{\nu_1 \dots \nu_\ell}^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_\ell} A^{\nu_1 \dots \nu_\ell}$ ,

$\Delta_{\nu_1 \dots \nu_\ell}^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_\ell}$  projectors onto subspaces orthogonal to  $u^\mu$ , formed from  $\Delta^{\mu\nu}$ ,  
symmetric in  $\mu_i, \nu_j$ , traceless,

Note:  $-\frac{m^2}{3} \rho_0 \equiv \Pi$ ,  $\rho_0^\mu \equiv n^\mu$ ,  $\rho_0^{\mu\nu} \equiv \pi^{\mu\nu}$ ,

matching conditions in Landau frame:  $\rho_1 = \rho_2 = \rho_1^\mu = 0$

⇒ derive equations of motion for irreducible moments:

$$\dot{\rho}_r^{\langle \mu_1 \dots \mu_\ell \rangle} \equiv \Delta_{\nu_1 \dots \nu_\ell}^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_\ell} u^\alpha \partial_\alpha \int_k E_{ku}^r k^{\langle \nu_1 \dots \nu_\ell \rangle} \delta f_k$$

⇒ use Boltzmann equation:  $\delta \dot{f}_k = -\dot{f}_{0k} - \frac{1}{E_{ku}} \{ k^\mu \nabla_\mu (f_{0k} + \delta f_k) - C[f] \}$

⇒ system of infinitely many coupled equations for irreducible moments  $\rho_r^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_\ell}$ ,  
completely equivalent to Boltzmann equation ⇒ truncation required!

### Microscopic foundations of dissipative fluid dynamics (III)

systematic power counting:

$$\text{Kn} \equiv \frac{\ell_{\text{mfp}}}{L_{\text{fluid}}} \sim \ell_{\text{mfp}} \partial_\mu \quad \text{Knudsen number}$$

$$\text{Re}^{-1} \equiv \frac{\Pi}{p} \sim \frac{n^\mu}{n} \sim \frac{\pi^{\mu\nu}}{p} \quad \text{inverse Reynolds number}$$

with pressure  $p$ , particle density  $n$

- ⇒ for  $\ell \geq 3$ :  $\rho_r^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_\ell} \sim O(\text{Kn}^2, \text{Kn Re}^{-1}) \Rightarrow$  will be neglected
- ⇒ linearize collision integral:  $\int_k E_{ku}^{r-1} k^{\langle \mu_1} \dots k^{\mu_\ell \rangle} C[f] = - \sum_{n=0}^{N_\ell} \mathcal{A}_{rn}^{(\ell)} \rho_n^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_\ell} + O(\delta f_k^2)$
- ⇒ linearized equations of motion  
for irreducible moments:
 
$$\begin{aligned} \vec{\dot{\rho}} + \mathcal{A}^{(0)} \vec{\rho} &= \vec{\alpha}^{(0)} \theta + O(\rho \times \text{Kn}) \\ \dot{\vec{\rho}}^{\langle \mu \rangle} + \mathcal{A}^{(1)} \vec{\rho}^\mu &= \vec{\alpha}^{(1)} \nabla^\mu \alpha + O(\rho \times \text{Kn}) \\ \dot{\vec{\rho}}^{\langle \mu\nu \rangle} + \mathcal{A}^{(2)} \vec{\rho}^{\mu\nu} &= 2 \vec{\alpha}^{(2)} \sigma^{\mu\nu} + O(\rho \times \text{Kn}) \end{aligned}$$
- where  $\sigma^{\mu\nu} \equiv \nabla^{\langle \mu} u^{\nu \rangle}$
- ⇒ diagonalize collision matrix:  $(\Omega^{-1})^{(\ell)} \mathcal{A}^{(\ell)} \Omega^{(\ell)} = \text{diag}(\chi_0^{(\ell)}, \dots, \chi_i^{(\ell)}, \dots) \equiv \chi^{(\ell)}$
- ⇒ equations of motion for eigenmodes  
 $\vec{X}^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_\ell} = (\Omega^{-1})^{(\ell)} \vec{\rho}^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_\ell}$  decouple:
 
$$\begin{aligned} \dot{\vec{X}} + \chi^{(0)} \vec{X} &= \vec{\beta}^{(0)} \theta + O(X \times \text{Kn}) \\ \dot{\vec{X}}^{\langle \mu \rangle} + \chi^{(1)} \vec{X}^\mu &= \vec{\beta}^{(1)} \nabla^\mu \alpha + O(X \times \text{Kn}) \\ \dot{\vec{X}}^{\langle \mu\nu \rangle} + \chi^{(2)} \vec{X}^{\mu\nu} &= \vec{\beta}^{(2)} \sigma^{\mu\nu} + O(X \times \text{Kn}) \end{aligned}$$

where  $\vec{\beta}^{(\ell)} = (\Omega^{-1})^{(\ell)} \vec{\alpha}^{(\ell)}$

## Microscopic foundations of dissipative fluid dynamics (IV)

$\implies$  slowest eigenmodes (w/o r.o.g.  $X_0, X_0^\mu, X_0^{\mu\nu}$ ) remain dynamical,  
 faster ones ( $i \neq 0$ ) are replaced by their asymptotic values:

$$X_i \simeq \frac{\beta_i^{(0)}}{\chi_i^{(0)}} \theta, \quad X_i^\mu \simeq \frac{\beta_i^{(1)}}{\chi_i^{(1)}} \nabla^\mu \alpha, \quad X_i^{\mu\nu} \simeq \frac{\beta_i^{(2)}}{\chi_i^{(2)}} \sigma^{\mu\nu}$$

**Note:** systematic improvement possible by making faster eigenmodes **dynamical**  
 G.S. Denicol, H. Niemi, I. Bouras, E. Molnar, Z. Xu, DHR, C. Greiner, PRD 89 (2014) 7, 074005

$\implies$  since  $\vec{\rho}^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_\ell} = \Omega^{(\ell)} \vec{X}^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_\ell}$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \rho_i &\simeq \Omega_{i0}^{(0)} X_0 + \sum_{j=3}^{N_0} \Omega_{ij}^{(0)} \frac{\beta_j^{(0)}}{\chi_j^{(0)}} \theta \\ \rho_i^\mu &\simeq \Omega_{i0}^{(1)} X_0^\mu + \sum_{j=2}^{N_1} \Omega_{ij}^{(1)} \frac{\beta_j^{(1)}}{\chi_j^{(1)}} \nabla^\mu \alpha \\ \rho_i^{\mu\nu} &\simeq \Omega_{i0}^{(2)} X_0^{\mu\nu} + \sum_{j=1}^{N_2} \Omega_{ij}^{(2)} \frac{\beta_j^{(2)}}{\chi_j^{(2)}} \sigma^{\mu\nu} \end{aligned}$$

$\implies$  for  $i = 0$ : express  $X_0, X_0^\mu, X_0^{\mu\nu}$  in terms of  $\Pi, n^\mu, \pi^{\mu\nu}$  as well as  $\theta, \nabla^\mu \alpha, \sigma^{\mu\nu}$   
 $\implies$  reinsert back, express  $\rho_i, \rho_i^\mu, \rho_i^{\mu\nu}$  in terms of  $\Pi, n^\mu, \pi^{\mu\nu}$  as well as  $\theta, \nabla^\mu \alpha, \sigma^{\mu\nu}$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{m^2}{3} \rho_i &\simeq -\Omega_{i0}^{(0)} \Pi + (\zeta_i - \Omega_{i0}^{(0)} \zeta_0) \theta \\ \rho_i^\mu &\simeq \Omega_{i0}^{(1)} n^\mu + (\kappa_i - \Omega_{i0}^{(1)} \kappa_0) \nabla^\mu \alpha \\ \rho_i^{\mu\nu} &\simeq \Omega_{i0}^{(2)} \pi^{\mu\nu} + 2 (\eta_i - \Omega_{i0}^{(2)} \eta_0) \sigma^{\mu\nu} \end{aligned}$$

where  $\zeta_i = \frac{m^2}{3} \sum_{r=0, \neq 1, 2}^{N_0} \tau_{ir}^{(0)} \alpha_r^{(0)}$ ,  $\kappa_i = \sum_{r=0, \neq 1}^{N_1} \tau_{ir}^{(1)} \alpha_r^{(1)}$ ,  $\eta_i = \sum_{r=0}^{N_2} \tau_{ir}^{(2)} \alpha_r^{(2)}$ ,  $\tau^{(\ell)} = \Omega^{(\ell)} (\chi^{-1})^{(\ell)} (\Omega^{-1})^{(\ell)}$

## Microscopic foundations of dissipative fluid dynamics (V)

⇒ equations of motion for  $\Pi$ ,  $n^\mu$ ,  $\pi^{\mu\nu}$ :

$$\tau_\Pi \dot{\Pi} + \Pi = -\zeta_0 \theta + \mathcal{K} + \mathcal{J} + \mathcal{R}$$

$$\tau_n \dot{n}^{<\mu>} + n^\mu = \kappa_0 \nabla^\mu \alpha + \mathcal{K}^\mu + \mathcal{J}^\mu + \mathcal{R}^\mu$$

$$\tau_\pi \dot{\pi}^{<\mu\nu>} + \pi^{\mu\nu} = 2\eta_0 \sigma^{\mu\nu} + \mathcal{K}^{\mu\nu} + \mathcal{J}^{\mu\nu} + \mathcal{R}^{\mu\nu}$$

Kn<sup>2</sup>:  $\mathcal{K} = \bar{\zeta}_1 \omega_{\mu\nu} \omega^{\mu\nu} + \bar{\zeta}_2 \sigma^{\mu\nu} \sigma_{\mu\nu} + \bar{\zeta}_3 \theta^2 + \bar{\zeta}_4 (\nabla \alpha)^2 + \bar{\zeta}_5 (\nabla p)^2 + \bar{\zeta}_6 \nabla_\mu \alpha \nabla^\mu p + \bar{\zeta}_7 \nabla^2 \alpha + \bar{\zeta}_8 \nabla^2 p ,$

$$\mathcal{K}^\mu = \bar{\kappa}_1 \sigma^{\mu\nu} \nabla_\nu \alpha + \bar{\kappa}_2 \sigma^{\mu\nu} \nabla_\nu p + \bar{\kappa}_3 \theta \nabla^\mu \alpha + \bar{\kappa}_4 \theta \nabla^\mu p + \bar{\kappa}_5 \omega^{\mu\nu} \nabla_\nu \alpha + \bar{\kappa}_6 \Delta^{\mu\lambda} \partial^\nu \sigma_{\lambda\nu} + \bar{\kappa}_7 \nabla^\mu \theta ,$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{K}^{\mu\nu} = & \bar{\eta}_1 \omega_\lambda^{\langle\mu} \omega^{\nu\rangle\lambda} + \bar{\eta}_2 \theta \sigma^{\mu\nu} + \bar{\eta}_3 \sigma_\lambda^{\langle\mu} \sigma^{\nu\rangle\lambda} + \bar{\eta}_4 \sigma_\lambda^{\langle\mu} \omega^{\nu\rangle\lambda} + \bar{\eta}_5 \nabla^{\langle\mu} \alpha \nabla^{\nu\rangle} \alpha \\ & + \bar{\eta}_6 \nabla^{\langle\mu} p \nabla^{\nu\rangle} p + \bar{\eta}_7 \nabla^{\langle\mu} \alpha \nabla^{\nu\rangle} p + \bar{\eta}_8 \nabla^{\langle\mu} \nabla^{\nu\rangle} \alpha + \bar{\eta}_9 \nabla^{\langle\mu} \nabla^{\nu\rangle} p \end{aligned}$$

Re<sup>-1</sup>Kn:  $\mathcal{J} = -\ell_{\Pi n} \nabla_\mu n^\mu - \tau_{\Pi n} n^\mu \nabla_\mu p - \delta_{\Pi\Pi} \theta \Pi - \lambda_{\Pi n} n^\mu \nabla_\mu \alpha + \lambda_{\Pi\pi} \pi^{\mu\nu} \sigma_{\mu\nu}$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{J}^\mu = & \tau_n \omega^{\mu\nu} n_\nu - \delta_{nn} \theta n^\mu - \ell_{n\Pi} \nabla^\mu \Pi + \ell_{n\pi} \Delta^{\mu\nu} \nabla^\lambda \pi_{\nu\lambda} + \tau_{n\Pi} \Pi \nabla^\mu p - \tau_{n\pi} \pi^{\mu\nu} \nabla_\nu p - \lambda_{nn} \sigma^{\mu\nu} n_\nu \\ & + \lambda_{n\Pi} \Pi \nabla^\mu \alpha - \lambda_{n\pi} \pi^{\mu\nu} \nabla_\nu \alpha \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{J}^{\mu\nu} = & 2\tau_\pi \pi_\lambda^{\langle\mu} \omega^{\nu\rangle\lambda} - \delta_{\pi\pi} \theta \pi^{\mu\nu} - \tau_{\pi\pi} \pi_\lambda^{\langle\mu} \sigma^{\nu\rangle\lambda} + \lambda_{\pi\Pi} \Pi \sigma^{\mu\nu} - \tau_{\pi n} n^{\langle\mu} \nabla^{\nu\rangle} p + \ell_{\pi n} \nabla^{\langle\mu} n^{\nu\rangle} \\ & + \lambda_{\pi n} n^{\langle\mu} \nabla^{\nu\rangle} \alpha \quad \text{where } \omega^{\mu\nu} \equiv (\nabla^\mu u^\nu - \nabla^\nu u^\mu) / 2 \end{aligned}$$

Re<sup>-2</sup>:  $\mathcal{R} = \varphi_1 \Pi^2 + \varphi_2 n_\mu n^\mu + \varphi_3 \pi^{\mu\nu} \pi_{\mu\nu}$

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$$\mathcal{R}^\mu = \varphi_4 \pi^{\mu\nu} n_\nu + \varphi_5 \Pi n^\mu$$

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$$\mathcal{R}^{\mu\nu} = \varphi_6 \Pi \pi^{\mu\nu} + \varphi_7 \pi_\lambda^{\langle\mu} \pi^{\nu\rangle\lambda} + \varphi_8 n^{\langle\mu} n^{\nu\rangle}$$

## Microscopic foundations of dissipative fluid dynamics (VI)

Single-particle distribution function:

$$f_k = f_{0k} \left[ 1 + (1 - af_{0k}) \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \sum_{n=0}^{N_\ell} \mathcal{H}_{kn}^{(\ell)} \rho_n^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_\ell} k_{\langle \mu_1} \dots k_{\mu_\ell \rangle} \right]$$

where  $\mathcal{H}_{kn}^{(\ell)} = \frac{W^{(\ell)}}{\ell!} \sum_{m=n}^{N_\ell} a_{mn}^{(\ell)} P_{km}^{(\ell)}$ , with  $P_{kn}^{(\ell)} = \sum_{r=0}^n a_{nr}^{(\ell)} E_{ku}^r$  polynomials of order  $n$  in  $E_{ku}$ ,

with coefficients  $a_{nr}^{(\ell)}$  determined such that  $\frac{W^{(\ell)}}{(2\ell+1)!!} \int_k (\Delta^{\alpha\beta} k_\alpha k_\beta)^\ell P_{kn}^{(\ell)} P_{km}^{(\ell)} f_{0k} (1 - af_{0k}) = \delta_{mn}$

$\Rightarrow$  explicitly for  $\ell \leq 2$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \delta f_k &= f_{0k} (1 - af_{0k}) \left( -\frac{3}{m^2} \left\{ \mathcal{H}_{k0}^{(0)} \Pi + \sum_{n=3}^{N_0} \mathcal{H}_{kn}^{(0)} \left[ -\Omega_{n0}^{(0)} \Pi + (\zeta_n - \Omega_{n0}^{(0)} \zeta_0) \theta \right] \right\} \right. \\ &\quad + \mathcal{H}_{k0}^{(1)} n^\mu k_\mu + \sum_{n=2}^{N_1} \mathcal{H}_{kn}^{(1)} \left[ \Omega_{n0}^{(1)} n^\mu + (\kappa_n - \Omega_{n0}^{(1)} \kappa_0) \nabla^\mu \alpha \right] k_\mu \\ &\quad \left. + \mathcal{H}_{k0}^{(2)} \pi^{\mu\nu} k_\mu k_\nu + \sum_{n=1}^{N_2} \mathcal{H}_{kn}^{(2)} \left[ \Omega_{n0}^{(2)} \pi^{\mu\nu} + 2(\eta_n - \Omega_{n0}^{(2)} \eta_0) \sigma^{\mu\nu} \right] k_\mu k_\nu \right) \\ \mathcal{H}_{k0}^{(2)} &= \frac{1}{2 J_{42}} \left( 1 + \sum_{m=1}^{N_2} \sum_{r=0}^m a_{m0}^{(2)} a_{mr}^{(2)} E_{ku}^r \right) \end{aligned}$$

usually:  $\delta f_k = f_{0k} (1 - af_{0k}) \frac{1}{2T^2(\epsilon+p)} \pi^{\mu\nu} k_\mu k_\nu$  with energy density  $\epsilon$

## Anisotropic fluid dynamics

Initial gradients in heavy-ion collisions are large

- ⇒ deviations from local thermodynamical equilibrium are large!
- ⇒ may invalidate dissipative fluid dynamics

**Idea:** “resum” dissipative corrections into single-particle distribution function,  
e.g.: W. Florkowski, PLB 668 (2008) 32; M. Martinez, M. Strickland, PRC 81 (2010) 024906

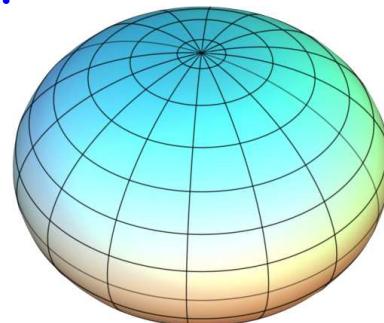
$$\hat{f}_{0k} = \left[ \exp \left( -\hat{\alpha} + \hat{\beta}_u \sqrt{E_{ku}^2 + \xi E_{kl}^2} \right) + a \right]^{-1}$$

where  $E_{kl} \equiv -l^\mu k_\mu$ , with  $l^\mu$  direction of anisotropy,  $l^\mu l_\mu = -1$ ,  $l^\mu u_\mu = 0$ ,

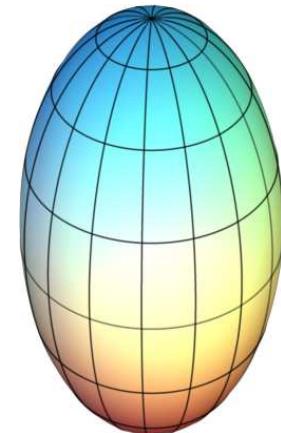
usually:  $l^\mu = \gamma_z(v_z, 0, 0, 1)$ ,  $\gamma_z = (1 - v_z^2)^{-1/2}$ ,

$\xi$  anisotropy parameter

- ⇒ in LR frame of fluid:



$$\xi > 0$$



$$\xi < 0$$

- ⇒ 5 conservation equations determine  $\hat{\alpha}$ ,  $\hat{\beta}_u$ ,  $u^\mu$  (3)
- ⇒ need additional equation to determine  $\xi$ !

## Microscopic foundations of anisotropic dissipative fluid dynamics (I)

$$f_k = f_{0k} + \delta f_k \equiv \hat{f}_{0k} + \delta \hat{f}_k$$

If  $|\delta f_k| \sim 1$ , choose  $\hat{f}_{0k}$  such that  $|\delta \hat{f}_k| \ll 1$

⇒ improved convergence properties of expansion around  $\hat{f}_{0k}$ !

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⇒ irreducible moments of  $\delta \hat{f}_k$ :

$$\hat{\rho}_{rs}^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_\ell} \equiv \int_k E_{ku}^r E_{kl}^s k^{\{\mu_1 \dots \mu_\ell\}} \delta \hat{f}_k$$

where:  $A^{\{\mu_1 \dots \mu_\ell\}} \equiv \Xi_{\nu_1 \dots \nu_\ell}^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_\ell} A^{\nu_1 \dots \nu_\ell}$ ,

$\Xi_{\nu_1 \dots \nu_\ell}^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_\ell}$  projectors onto subspaces orthogonal to both  $u^\mu$  and  $l^\mu$ , formed from  $\Xi^{\mu\nu}$ , symmetric in  $\mu_i, \nu_j$ , traceless,

$\Xi^{\mu\nu} \equiv g^{\mu\nu} - u^\mu u^\nu + l^\mu l^\nu$  2-space projector onto direction orthogonal to both  $u^\mu$  and  $l^\mu$

⇒ derive equations of motion for irreducible moments:

$$\dot{\hat{\rho}}_{rs}^{\{\mu_1 \dots \mu_\ell\}} \equiv \Xi_{\nu_1 \dots \nu_\ell}^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_\ell} u^\alpha \partial_\alpha \int_k E_{ku}^r E_{kl}^s k^{\{\nu_1 \dots \nu_\ell\}} \delta \hat{f}_k$$

⇒ use Boltzmann equation:

$$\dot{\delta \hat{f}}_k = -\dot{\hat{f}}_{0k} - \frac{1}{E_{ku}} \left\{ -E_{kl} D_l (\hat{f}_{0k} + \delta \hat{f}_k) + k^\mu \tilde{\nabla}_\mu (\hat{f}_{0k} + \delta \hat{f}_k) - C[f] \right\}$$

where:  $D_l \equiv -l^\mu \partial_\mu$ ,  $\tilde{\nabla}^\mu \equiv \Xi^{\mu\nu} \partial_\nu$

## Microscopic foundations of anisotropic dissipative fluid dynamics (II)

Truncation: so far, no eigenmode analysis, only 14-moment approximation

Define

$$\hat{I}_{nrq}(\hat{\alpha}, \hat{\beta}_u, \xi) \equiv \frac{1}{(2q)!!} \int_k E_{ku}^n E_{kl}^r (-\Xi^{\alpha\beta} k_\alpha k_\beta)^q \hat{f}_{0k}$$

⇒ the 14 moments are:

particle density

$$n \equiv \hat{n} = \hat{I}_{100} \iff \hat{\rho}_{10} = 0 \quad (\text{1}^{\text{st}} \text{ Landau matching cond.})$$

particle diffusion in  $l^\mu$ -direction

$$n_l \equiv \hat{n}_l + \hat{\rho}_{01} = \hat{I}_{110} + \hat{\rho}_{01}$$

energy density

$$e \equiv \hat{e} = \hat{I}_{200} \iff \hat{\rho}_{20} = 0 \quad (\text{2}^{\text{nd}} \text{ Landau matching cond.})$$

heat flow in  $l^\mu$ -direction

$$M \equiv \hat{M} + \hat{\rho}_{11} = \hat{I}_{210} + \hat{\rho}_{11}$$

pressure in  $l^\mu$ -direction

$$P_l \equiv \hat{P}_l = \hat{I}_{220} \iff \hat{\rho}_{02} = 0 \quad (\text{3}^{\text{rd}} \text{ Landau matching cond.})$$

transverse pressure

$$P_\perp \equiv \hat{P}_\perp + \frac{3}{2}\Pi = \hat{I}_{201} - \frac{m_0^2}{2}\hat{\rho}_{00}$$

particle diffusion in transverse direction

$$V_\perp^\mu \equiv \hat{\rho}_{00}^\mu$$

heat flow in transverse direction

$$W_{\perp u}^\mu \equiv \hat{\rho}_{10}^\mu$$

shear-stress current in  $l^\mu$ -direction

$$W_{\perp l}^\mu \equiv \hat{\rho}_{01}^\mu$$

shear-stress tensor in transverse direction

$$\pi_\perp^{\mu\nu} \equiv \hat{\rho}_{00}^{\mu\nu}$$

⇒ Landau frame:  $M = W_{\perp u}^\mu = 0 \iff \hat{\rho}_{11} = -\hat{M}, \hat{\rho}_{10}^\mu = 0$

⇒ eliminate all other moments by linear relation:

$$\hat{\rho}_{ij}^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_\ell} = (-1)^\ell \ell! \sum_{n=0}^{N_\ell} \sum_{m=0}^{N_\ell-n} \hat{\rho}_{nm}^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_\ell} \gamma_{injm}^{(\ell)} \quad \text{where } \gamma_{injm}^{(\ell)} \text{ function of } \hat{\alpha}, \hat{\beta}_u, \xi$$

Note: for  $\hat{f}_{0k}(\xi)$  :  $\hat{n}_l = \hat{M} \equiv 0!$

## Microscopic foundations of anisotropic dissipative fluid dynamics (III)

⇒ 5 conservation equations:

$$\begin{aligned}
 0 &= \dot{n} + \hat{n} (l_\mu D_l u^\mu + \tilde{\theta}) - D_l n_l + n_l (\tilde{\theta}_l - l_\mu \dot{u}^\mu) - V_\perp^\mu (\dot{u}_\mu + D_l l_\mu) + \tilde{\nabla}_\mu V_\perp^\mu \\
 0 &= \dot{e} + (\hat{e} + \hat{P}_l) l_\mu D_l u^\mu + \left( \hat{e} + \hat{P}_\perp + \frac{3}{2} \Pi \right) \tilde{\theta} + W_{\perp l}^\mu (D_l u_\mu - l_\nu \tilde{\nabla}_\mu u^\nu) - \pi_\perp^{\mu\nu} \tilde{\sigma}_{\mu\nu} \\
 0 &= (\hat{e} + \hat{P}_l) l_\mu \dot{u}^\mu + D_l \hat{P}_l + \left( \hat{P}_\perp - \hat{P}_l + \frac{3}{2} \Pi \right) \tilde{\theta}_l + W_{\perp l}^\mu (\dot{u}_\mu + 2 D_l l_\mu + l_\nu \tilde{\nabla}_\mu u^\nu) - \tilde{\nabla}_\mu W_{\perp l}^\mu - \pi_\perp^{\mu\nu} \tilde{\sigma}_{l,\mu\nu} \\
 0 &= \left( \hat{e} + \hat{P}_\perp + \frac{3}{2} \Pi \right) \Xi_\nu^\alpha \dot{u}^\nu - \tilde{\nabla}^\alpha \left( \hat{P}_\perp + \frac{3}{2} \Pi \right) + \left( \hat{P}_\perp - \hat{P}_l + \frac{3}{2} \Pi \right) \Xi_\nu^\alpha D_l l^\nu - \Xi_\nu^\alpha D_l W_{\perp l}^\nu + W_{\perp l}^\alpha \left( \frac{3}{2} \tilde{\theta}_l - l_\mu \dot{u}^\mu \right) \\
 &\quad + W_{\perp l,\nu} (\tilde{\sigma}_l^{\alpha\nu} - \tilde{\omega}_l^{\alpha\nu}) - \pi_\perp^{\mu\alpha} (\dot{u}_\mu + D_l l_\mu) + \Xi_\nu^\alpha \tilde{\nabla}_\mu \pi_\perp^{\mu\nu}
 \end{aligned}$$

where  $\tilde{\theta} \equiv \tilde{\nabla}_\mu u^\mu$ ,  $\tilde{\theta}_l \equiv \tilde{\nabla}_\mu l^\mu$ ,  $\tilde{\sigma}^{\mu\nu} \equiv \partial^{\{\mu} u^{\nu\}}$ ,  $\tilde{\sigma}_l^{\mu\nu} \equiv \partial^{\{\mu} l^{\nu\}}$ ,  $\tilde{\omega}_l^{\mu\nu} \equiv \frac{1}{2} \Xi^{\mu\alpha} \Xi^{\nu\beta} (\partial_\alpha l_\beta - \partial_\beta l_\alpha)$

+ 9 relaxation equations for  $\Pi$ ,  $n_l$ ,  $\hat{P}_l$ ,  $V_\perp^\mu$ ,  $W_{\perp l}^\mu$ ,  $\tilde{\pi}^{\mu\nu}$

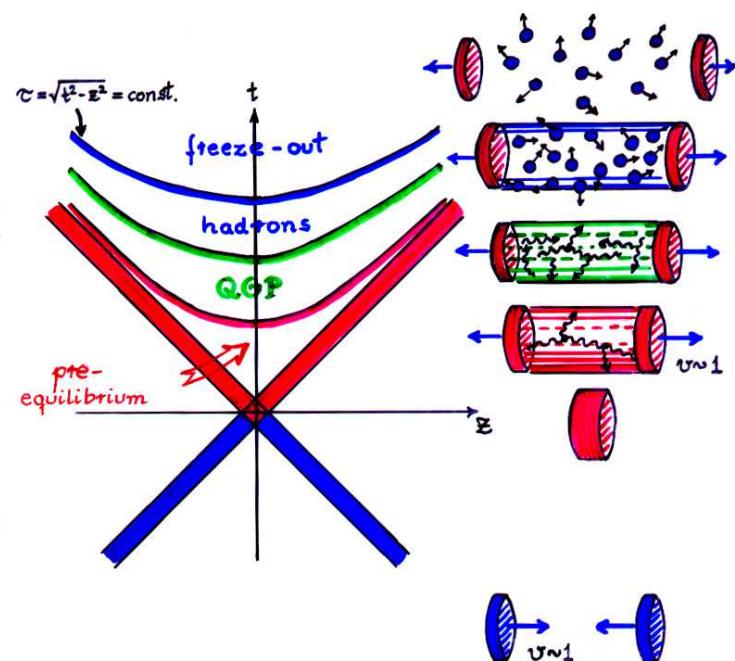
for details, see E. Molnár, H. Niemi, DHR, PRD 93 (2016) 11, 114025

## Application to heavy-ion collisions (I)

Bjorken flow:

J.D. Bjorken, PRD 27 (1983) 140

The space-time picture:



“Pure” anisotropic fluid dynamics

$$(\delta \hat{f}_k \equiv 0 \iff \text{all } \rho_{rs}^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_\ell} \equiv 0)$$

⇒ eqs. of motion for irreducible moments become eqs. of motion for moments  $\hat{I}_{nrq}$ :

$$\partial_\tau \hat{I}_{i+j,j,0} + \frac{(j+1)\hat{I}_{i+j,j,0} + (i-1)\hat{I}_{i+j,j+2,0}}{\tau} = \hat{c}_{i-1,j}$$

⇒ conservation equations:

$$i = 1, j = 0 : \partial_\tau \hat{n} + \frac{\hat{n}}{\tau} = 0$$

$$i = 2, j = 0 : \partial_\tau \hat{\epsilon} + \frac{\hat{\epsilon} + \hat{P}_l}{\tau} = 0$$

⇒ 2 eqs., 3 unknowns:  $\hat{\alpha}, \hat{\beta}_u, \xi$

⇒ need add. eq. to close eqs. of motion!

⇒ in principle, eq. of motion for any moment  $\hat{I}_{i+j,j,0}$  suffices

⇒ but which one is the best choice?

E. Molnár, H. Niemi, DHR, arXiv:1606.09019 [nucl-th]

## Application to heavy-ion collisions (II)

assume relaxation-time approximation for collision term:  $\hat{C}_{i-1,j} \equiv -\frac{\hat{I}_{i+j,j,0} - I_{i+j,j,0}}{\tau_{\text{eq}}}$   
 where  $I_{i+j,j,0} = \lim_{\xi \rightarrow 0} \hat{I}_{i+j,j,0}$

⇒ study the following choices:

$$(1) \quad i = 0, j = 2 : \quad \partial_\tau \hat{P}_l + \frac{3\hat{P}_l - \hat{I}_{240}}{\tau} = -\frac{\hat{P}_l - I_{220}}{\tau_{\text{eq}}}$$

$$(2) \quad i = 3, j = 0 : \quad \partial_\tau \hat{I}_{300} + \frac{\hat{I}_{300} - 2\hat{I}_{320}}{\tau} = -\frac{\hat{I}_{300} - I_{300}}{\tau_{\text{eq}}}$$

$$(3) \quad i = 1, j = 2 : \quad \partial_\tau \hat{I}_{320} + \frac{3\hat{I}_{320}}{\tau} = -\frac{\hat{I}_{320} - I_{320}}{\tau_{\text{eq}}}$$

$$(4) \quad i = 0, j = 0 : \quad \partial_\tau \hat{I}_{000} + \frac{\hat{I}_{000} - \hat{I}_{020}}{\tau} = -\frac{\hat{I}_{000} - I_{000}}{\tau_{\text{eq}}}$$

$$(5) \quad i = 0, j = 4 : \quad \partial_\tau \hat{I}_{440} + \frac{5\hat{I}_{440} - \hat{I}_{460}}{\tau} = -\frac{\hat{I}_{440} - I_{440}}{\tau_{\text{eq}}}$$

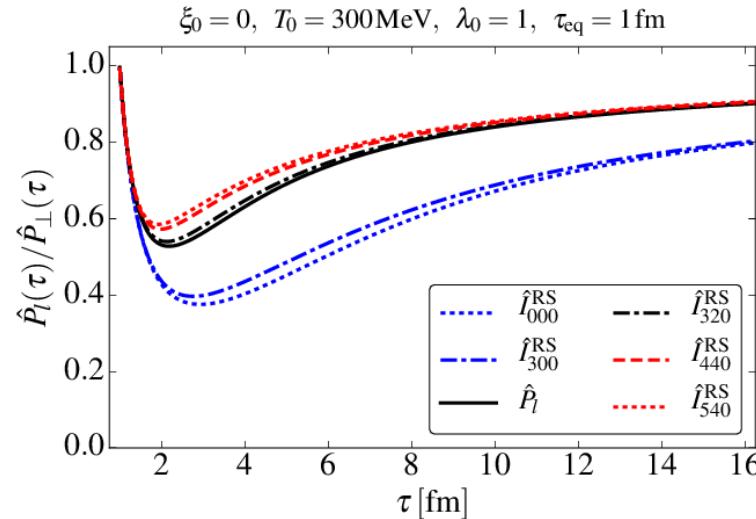
$$(6) \quad i = 1, j = 4 : \quad \partial_\tau \hat{I}_{540} + \frac{5\hat{I}_{540}}{\tau} = -\frac{\hat{I}_{540} - I_{540}}{\tau_{\text{eq}}}$$

$$(7) \quad \text{in case particle no. is not conserved: } i = 1, j = 0 : \quad \partial_\tau \hat{n} + \frac{\hat{n}}{\tau} = -\frac{\hat{n} - I_{100}}{\tau_{\text{eq}}}$$

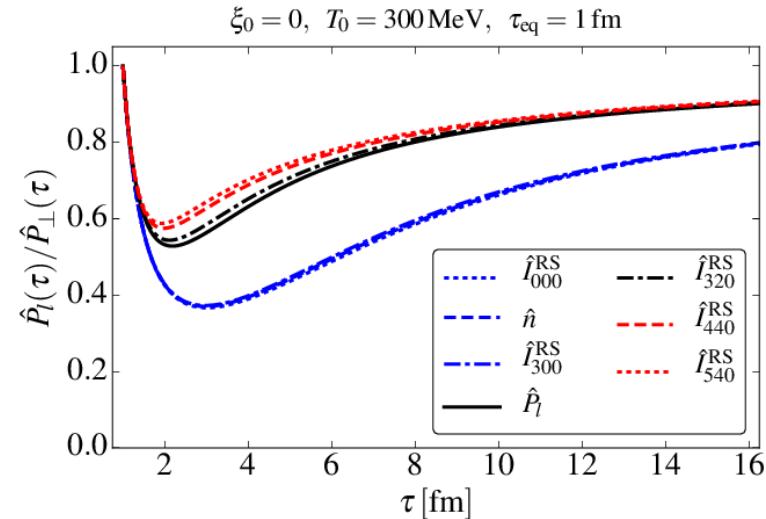
Note: different moments probe  $\hat{f}_{0k}$  in different regions of momentum space!

### Application to heavy-ion collisions (III)

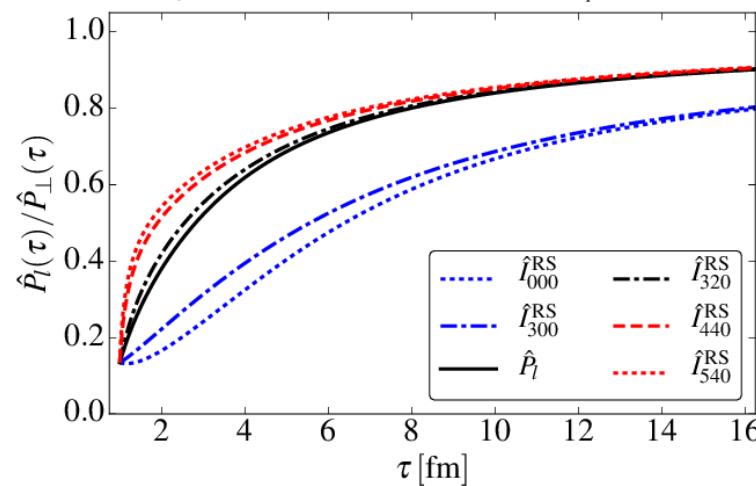
**particle no. conservation:**



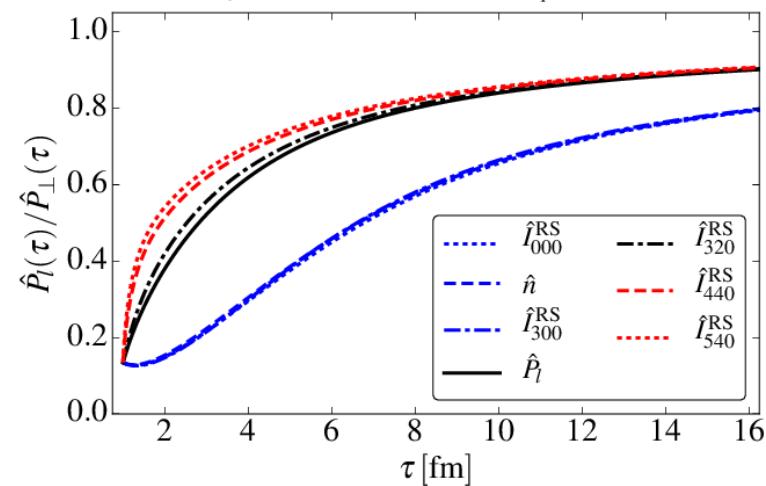
**no particle no. conservation:**



$\xi_0 = 10, T_0 = 300\text{MeV}, \lambda_0 = 1, \tau_{\text{eq}} = 1\text{fm}$



$\xi_0 = 10, T_0 = 300\text{MeV}, \tau_{\text{eq}} = 1\text{fm}$

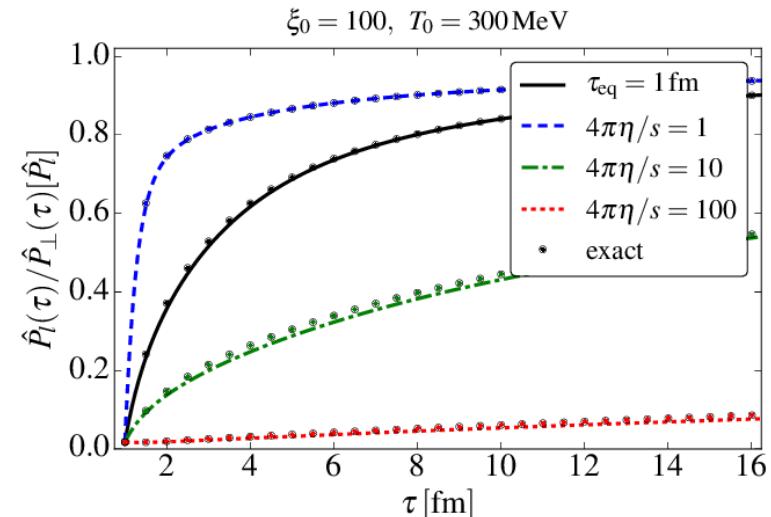
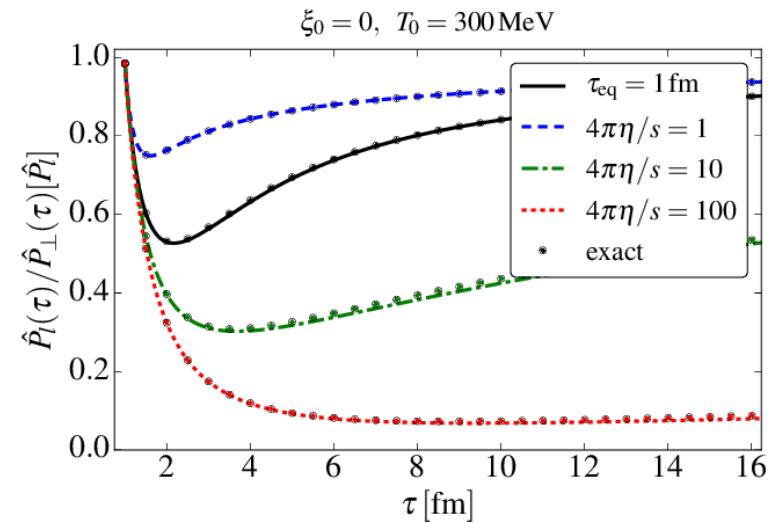
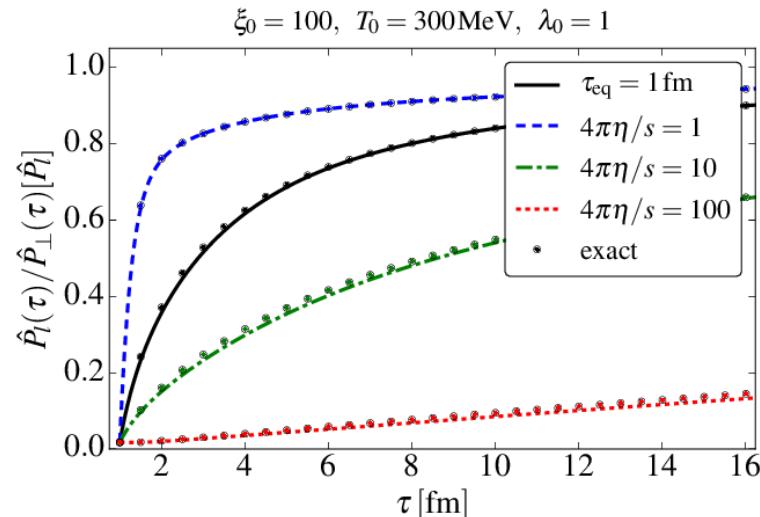
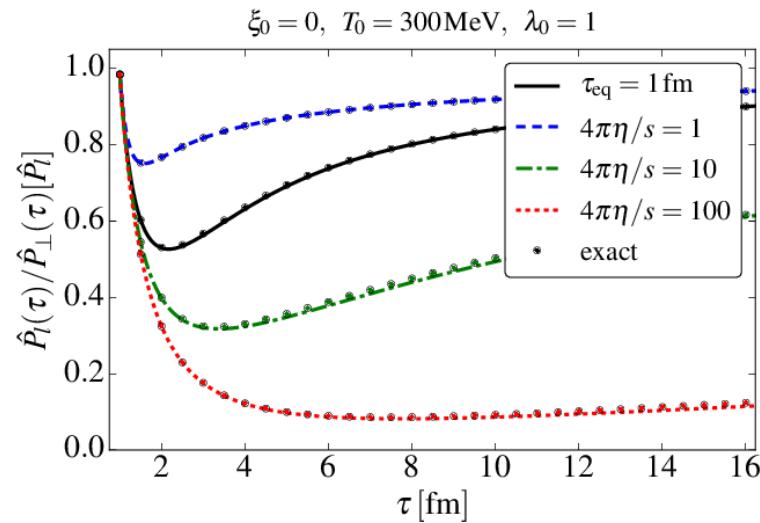


⇒ all cases (1) – (7) give different results!    ⇒ which one is the best?

## Application to heavy-ion collisions (IV)

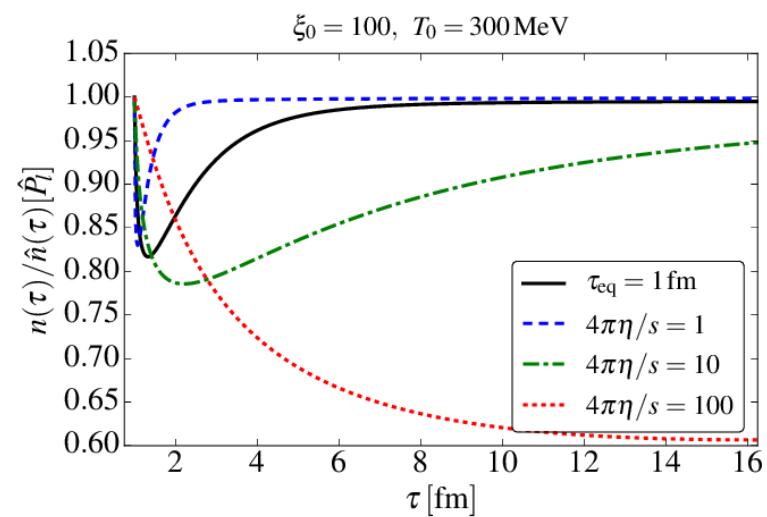
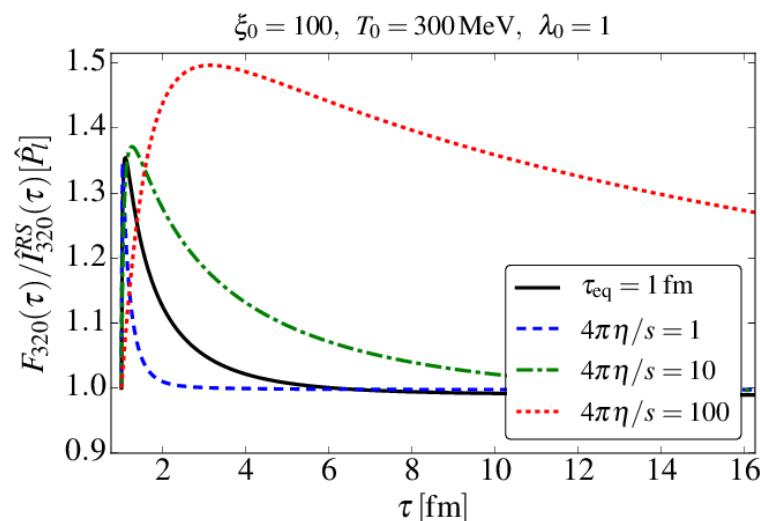
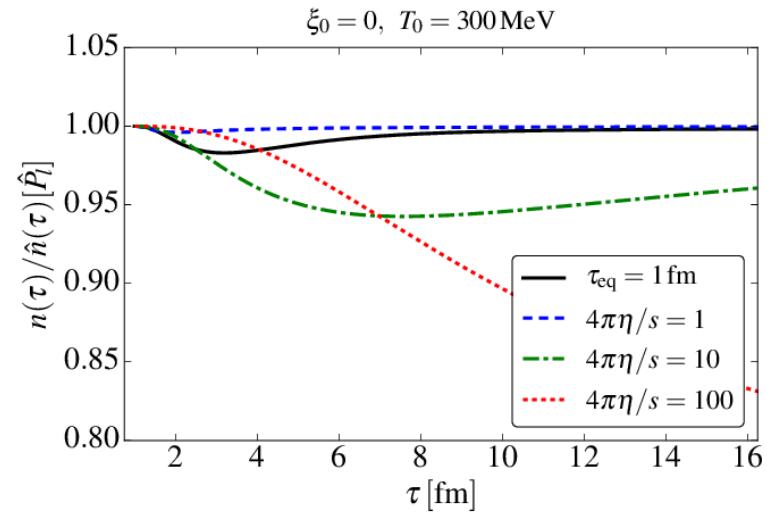
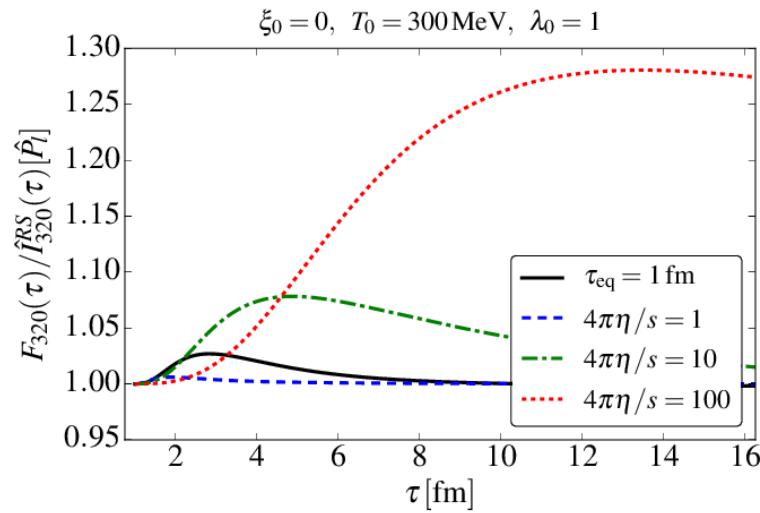
⇒ comparison of case (1) to solution of Boltzmann equation

**W. Florkowski, R. Ryblewski, M. Strickland, PRC 88 (2013) 024903**



## Application to heavy-ion collisions (V)

→ relaxation eq. for  $\hat{P}_l$  gives best match to solution of Boltzmann equation!  
 However: other moments not necessarily also agree well with Boltzmann eq.



## Conclusions and Outlook

1. Derivation of equations of motion of anisotropic dissipative fluid dynamics from Boltzmann equation  
E. Molnár, H. Niemi, DHR, PRD 93 (2016) 11, 114025  
⇒ still need to do eigenmode analysis!

2. Closure of equations of motion of “pure” anisotropic fluid dynamics  
⇒ best agreement to solution of Boltzmann equation provided by  $\hat{P}_l$   
**but:** not all moments agree with solution of Boltzmann equation  
E. Molnár, H. Niemi, DHR, arXiv:1606.09019 [nucl-th]  
⇒ need to improve  $\hat{f}_{0k}$  ?!