

Viscous chemical equilibration and cavitation at LHC energies

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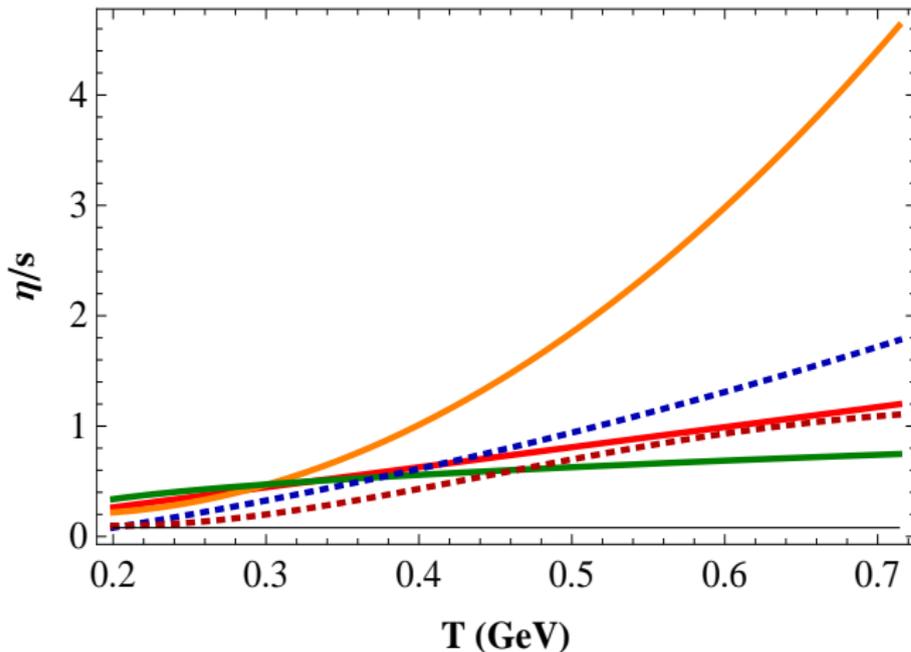
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- Introduction
- Shear viscosity of QGP: η/s
- Second order dissipative hydro
- Shear viscosity induced cavitations
- Chemical equilibration in early times
- Combined effect
- Summary

- It is believed that **perfect fluid** is created at RHIC experiments
- QGP at RHIC energies: lowest value of $\eta/s \sim 1/4\pi$
- Shear viscosity at the high energies: many temperature dependent forms are used by different groups
- most of these calculations are done using hydrodynamical approaches, assuming instantaneous chemical equilibration of matter together with thermal equilibration
- In heavy ion collisions number changing processes involving gluons and quark- anti-quarks govern the chemical equilibration of QGP

Temperature dependent Shear viscosity at LHC energies

- Viscous hydrodynamics for LHC energies
- Different prescriptions for *temperature dependent* η/s [Nakamura *et.al* 2005, S. Mantiello *et.al* 2005 etc.] to calculate flow properties [H. Niemi *et.al*, PRL, 2011; U. Heinz *et.al* 2011, 2015]



Relativistic hydrodynamical equations are obtained using

$$T^{\mu\nu} = \varepsilon u^\mu u^\nu - P \Delta^{\mu\nu} + \Pi^{\mu\nu}$$

$$u^\nu \partial_\mu T^{\mu\nu} = 0 \quad (\text{NR limit: Continuity eq})$$

$$\Delta_{\alpha\nu} \partial_\mu T^{\mu\nu} = 0 \quad (\text{NR limit: Euler eq})$$

$$D\varepsilon + (\varepsilon + P)\theta - \Pi^{\mu\nu} \nabla_{(\mu} u_{\nu)} = 0,$$

$$(\varepsilon + P)Du^\alpha - \nabla^\alpha P + \Delta_{\alpha\nu} \partial_\mu \Pi^{\mu\nu} = 0.$$

($D \equiv u^\mu \partial_\mu$, $\theta \equiv \partial_\mu u^\mu$, $\nabla_\alpha = \Delta_{\mu\alpha} \partial^\mu$ and $A_{(\mu} B_{\nu)} = \frac{1}{2}[A_\mu B_\nu + A_\nu B_\mu]$)

- The structure of viscous tensor can be determined with help of the definition of the entropy current s^μ and demanding the validity of second law of thermodynamics:

$$\partial_\mu s^\mu \geq 0 \quad (s = \frac{\varepsilon + P}{T})$$

- Second order hydrodynamics (Israel-Stewart) is obtained by using

$$s^\mu = s u^\mu - \frac{\beta_0}{2T} u^\mu \Pi^2 - \frac{\beta_2}{2T} u^\mu \pi_{\alpha\beta} \pi^{\alpha\beta} + \mathcal{O}(\Pi^3)$$

- Now $\partial_\mu s^\mu \geq 0$ gives *dynamical evolution equations* for $\pi_{\mu\nu}$ and Π

$$\pi_{\alpha\beta} = \eta \left(\nabla_{\langle\alpha} u_{\beta\rangle} - \pi_{\alpha\beta} TD \left(\frac{\beta_2}{T} \right) - 2\beta_2 D\pi_{\alpha\beta} - \beta_2 \pi_{\alpha\beta} \partial_\mu u^\mu \right),$$

$$\Pi = \zeta \left(\nabla_\alpha u^\alpha - \frac{1}{2} \Pi TD \left(\frac{\beta_0}{T} \right) - \beta_0 D\Pi - \frac{1}{2} \beta_0 \Pi \partial_\mu u^\mu \right),$$

The coefficients β_0 and β_2 are related with the relaxation time by

$$\tau_\Pi = \zeta \beta_0, \tau_\pi = 2\eta \beta_2.$$

- Unlike first order (Navier-Stokes) this description is *causal* and no *instabilities*

Bjorken's prescription to describe the one dimensional boost invariant expanding flow:-

- convenient parametrization of the coordinates using the proper time $\tau = \sqrt{t^2 - z^2}$ and space-time rapidity $y = \frac{1}{2} \ln\left[\frac{t+z}{t-z}\right]$;

$$t = \tau \cosh y \text{ and } z = \tau \sinh y$$

- in the local rest frame of the fireball $u^\mu = (\cosh y, 0, 0, \sinh y)$, form of $T^{\mu\nu} = \text{diag}(\varepsilon, P_\perp, P_\perp, P_z)$
- effective pressure in the transverse and longitudinal directions

$$P_\perp = P + \frac{1}{2}\Phi$$
$$P_z = P - \Phi$$

- Φ is the non-equilibrium contributions to the equilibrium pressure P coming from shear ($\pi^{ij} = \text{diag}(\Phi/2, \Phi/2, -\Phi)$)

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial \varepsilon}{\partial \tau} &= -\frac{1}{\tau}(\varepsilon + P - \Phi), \\ \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial \tau} &= -\frac{\Phi}{\tau_{\pi}} + \frac{2}{3} \frac{1}{\beta_2 \tau} - \frac{\Phi}{2} \left[\frac{1}{\tau} + \frac{T}{\beta_2} \partial_{\tau} \left(\frac{\beta_2}{T} \right) \right]\end{aligned}$$

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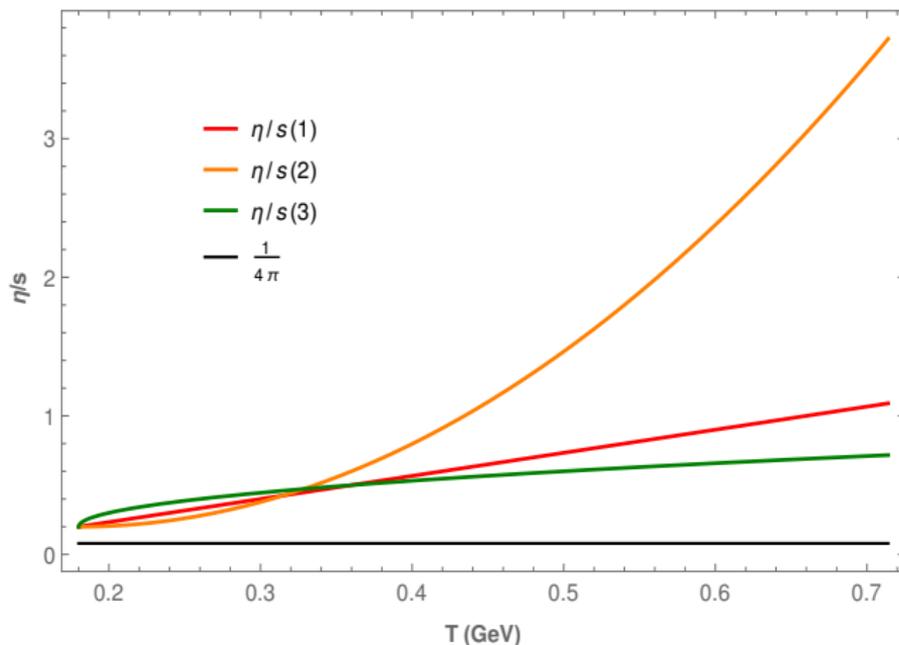
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- η/s information enters via τ_π

- From the definition of longitudinal pressure $P_z = P - \Pi - \Phi$ it is clear that if either Π or Φ is large enough it can drive P_z to negative values.
- $P_z = 0$ defines the condition for the onset of *cavitation*
- In the case of relativistic fluids such as the QGP studied in heavy-ion collisions, cavitation would imply a phase transition from a deconfined plasma phase of quarks and gluons to a confined hadron-gas phase.
- The resulting medium would be highly inhomogeneous with (possibly short-lived) hadron gas bubbles expanding and collapsing
- Maybe more importantly, hadron gas dynamics would take over at temperatures above the QCD phase transition, which would have immediate consequences on the measured particle spectra.
- Bulk viscosity induced cavitation scenarios at RHIC energies [Mishustin et. al. (PRC 2008), K. Rajagopal et. al. (JHEP 2010), Sreekanth et al (JHEP 2010), Romatschke et al (JHEP 2014)]

- High value of η/s [U.Heinz *et.al*, PRC, 2011] and cavitation

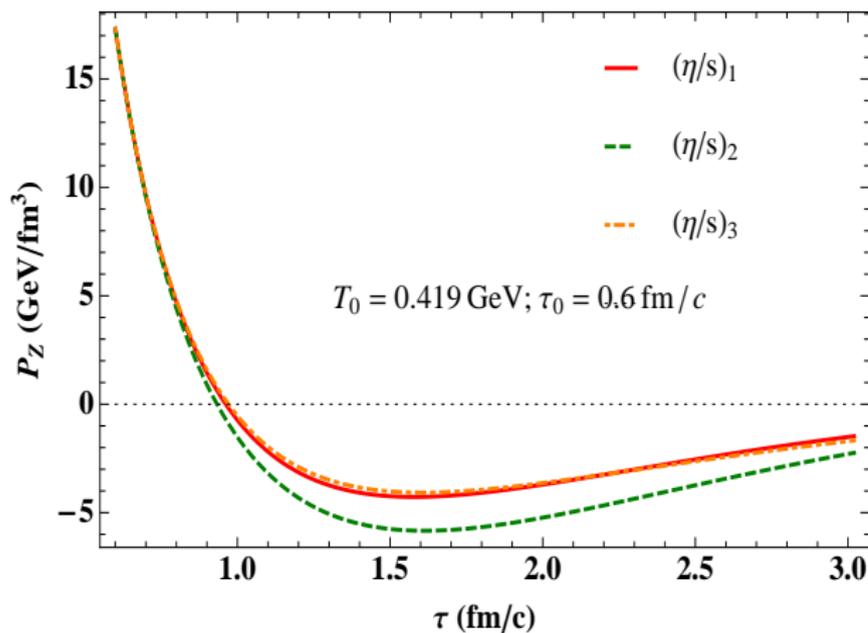


- $$\eta/s_1 = 0.2 + 0.3 * \frac{T-T_c}{T_c}; \quad \eta/s_2 = 0.2 + 0.4 * \left[\frac{T-T_c}{T_c} \right]^2;$$

$$\eta/s_3 = 0.2 + 0.3 * \sqrt{\frac{T-T_c}{T_c}}$$

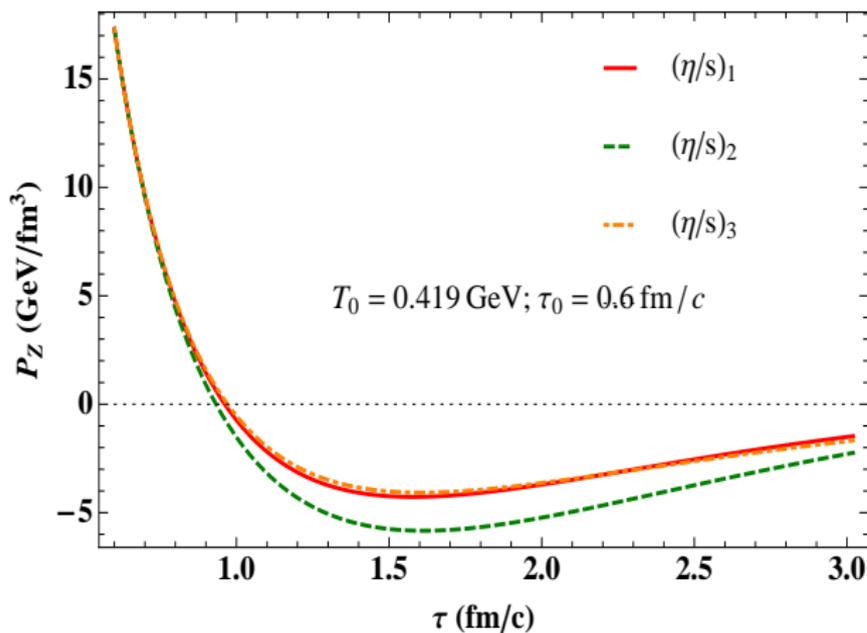
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- non-equilibrium effect is represented through *fugacities* - λ_i ($0 < \lambda_i \leq 1$) into distribution function,

$$f_i(p; \lambda_i, T) = \lambda_i \left(e^{\beta \cdot p} \pm \lambda_i \right)^{-1} \approx \lambda_i \left(e^{\beta \cdot p} \pm 1 \right)^{-1}.$$

(‘Boltzmann factorisation’)

- The prominent reactions driving the equilibration are $gg \longleftrightarrow q\bar{q}$ and $gg \longleftrightarrow ggg$ and the corresponding *rate equations* are given by

$$\partial_\mu(n_g u^\mu) = n_g R_{2 \rightarrow 3} [1 - \lambda_g] - 2n_g R_{g \rightarrow q} \left[1 - \frac{\lambda_q \lambda_{\bar{q}}}{\lambda_g^2} \right]$$

$$\partial_\mu(n_q u^\mu) = n_g R_{g \rightarrow q} \left[1 - \frac{\lambda_q \lambda_{\bar{q}}}{\lambda_g^2} \right] = \partial_\mu(n_{\bar{q}} u^\mu)$$

with $R_{2 \rightarrow 3} = \frac{1}{2} \langle \sigma_{2 \rightarrow 3} v \rangle n_g \simeq 2.1 \alpha_s^2 T (2\lambda_g - \lambda_g^2)^{1/2}$ and

$R_{g \rightarrow q(\bar{q})} = \frac{1}{2} \langle \sigma_{g \rightarrow q} v \rangle n_g \simeq 0.24 N_f \alpha_s^2 \lambda_g T \ln(5.5/\lambda_g)$. [Biro et. al PRC 93]

- At equilibrium, $\lambda_i = 1 \implies \partial_\mu(n_i u^\mu) = 0$

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$$\frac{\dot{T}}{T} + \frac{1}{3\tau} = -\frac{1}{4} \frac{\dot{\lambda}_g + b_2/a_2 \dot{\lambda}_q}{\lambda_g + b_2/a_2 \lambda_q} + \frac{\Phi}{4\tau} \frac{1}{(a_2 \lambda_g + b_2 \lambda_q) T^4},$$

$$\dot{\Phi} + \frac{\Phi}{\tau_\pi} = \frac{8}{27\tau} [a_2 \lambda_g + b_2 \lambda_q] T^4 - \frac{\Phi}{2} \left[\frac{1}{\tau} - 5 \frac{\dot{T}}{T} - \frac{\dot{\lambda}_g + b_2/a_2 \dot{\lambda}_q}{\lambda_g + b_2/a_2 \lambda_q} \right],$$

$$\frac{\dot{\lambda}_g}{\lambda_g} + 3 \frac{\dot{T}}{T} + \frac{1}{\tau} = R_3 (1 - \lambda_g) - 2R_2 \left(1 - \frac{\lambda_q^2}{\lambda_g^2} \right),$$

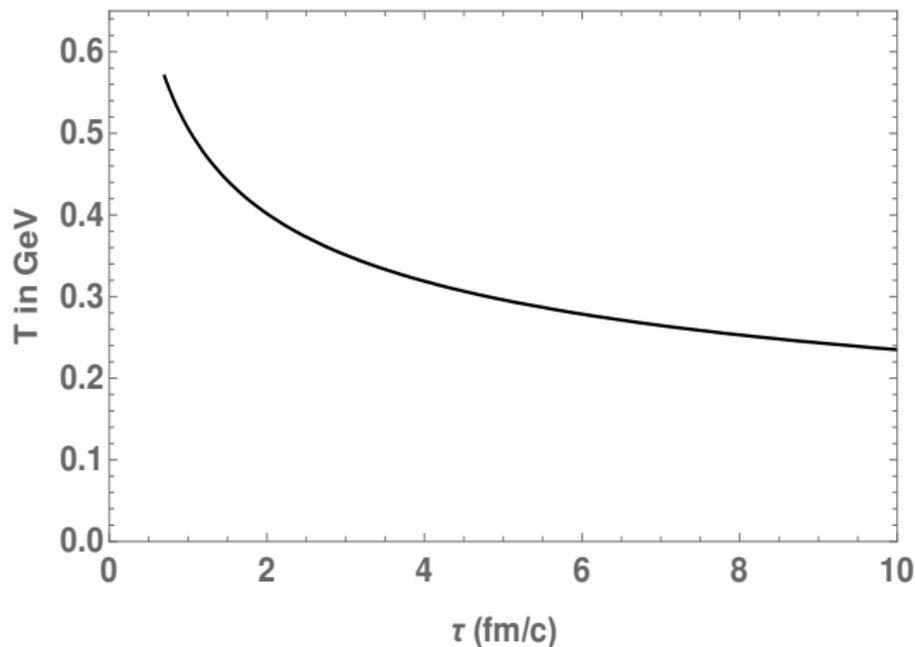
$$\frac{\dot{\lambda}_q}{\lambda_q} + 3 \frac{\dot{T}}{T} + \frac{1}{\tau} = R_2 \frac{a_1}{b_1} \left(\frac{\lambda_g}{\lambda_q} - \frac{\lambda_q}{\lambda_g} \right)$$

Numerical solving above set of equations, we get evolution profiles: $T(\tau)$, $\lambda_i(\tau)$ and $\Phi(\tau)$

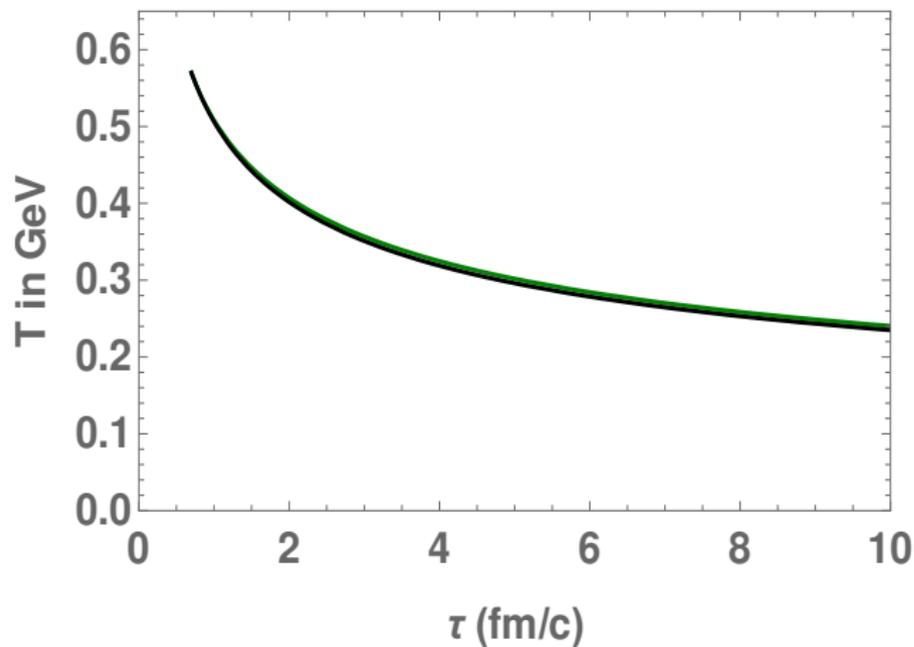
- Initial conditions: $T_0=0.570$ GeV, $\tau_0 = 0.7$ fm/c, $\lambda_g^0 = 0.08$, $\lambda_q^0 = 0.02$ (HIJING - D. Dutta et al PRC 2009, T. Biro et al PRC 1993)
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- Take KSS limit: $\eta/s = 1/4\pi$

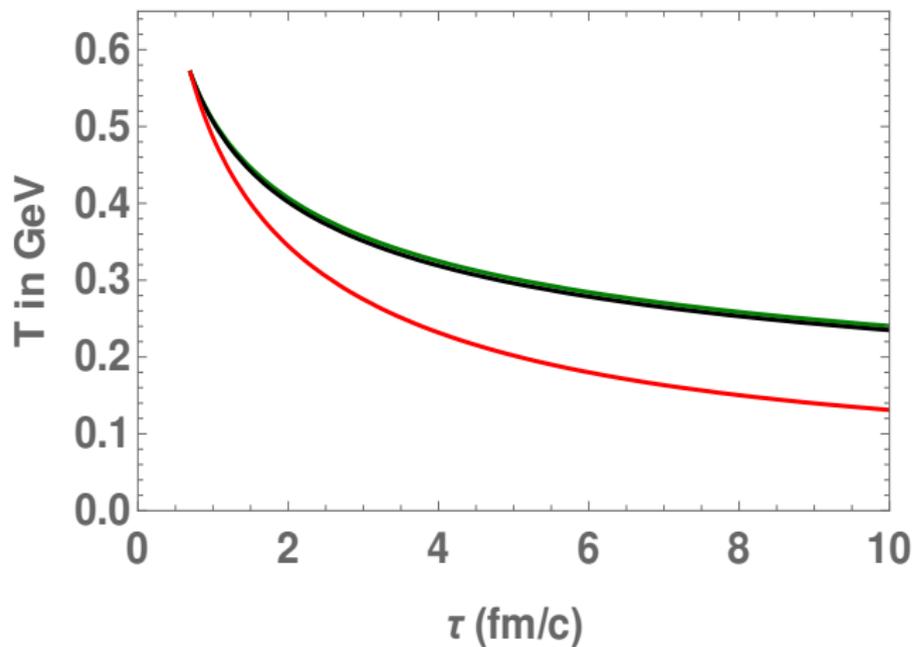
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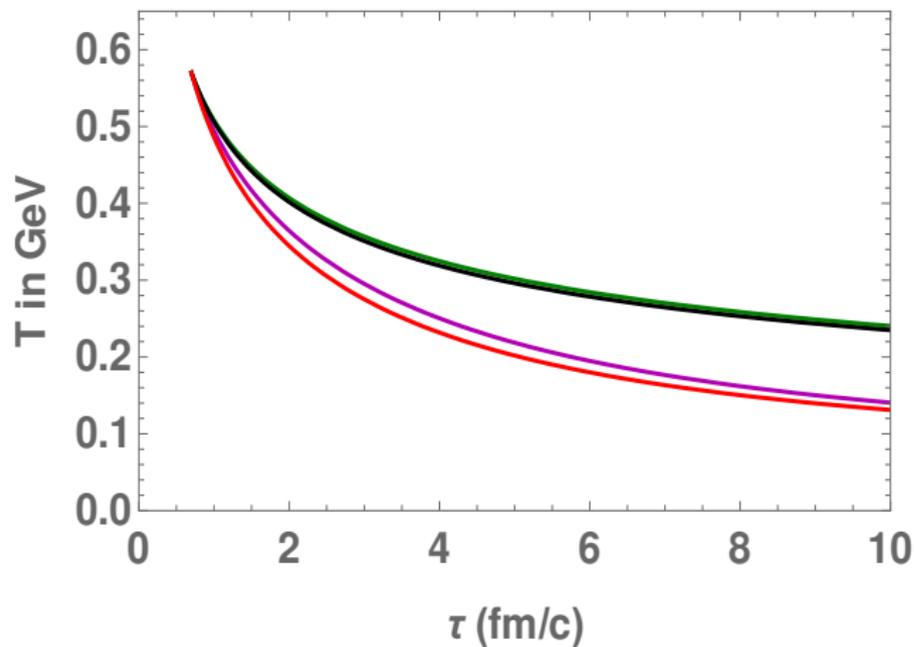
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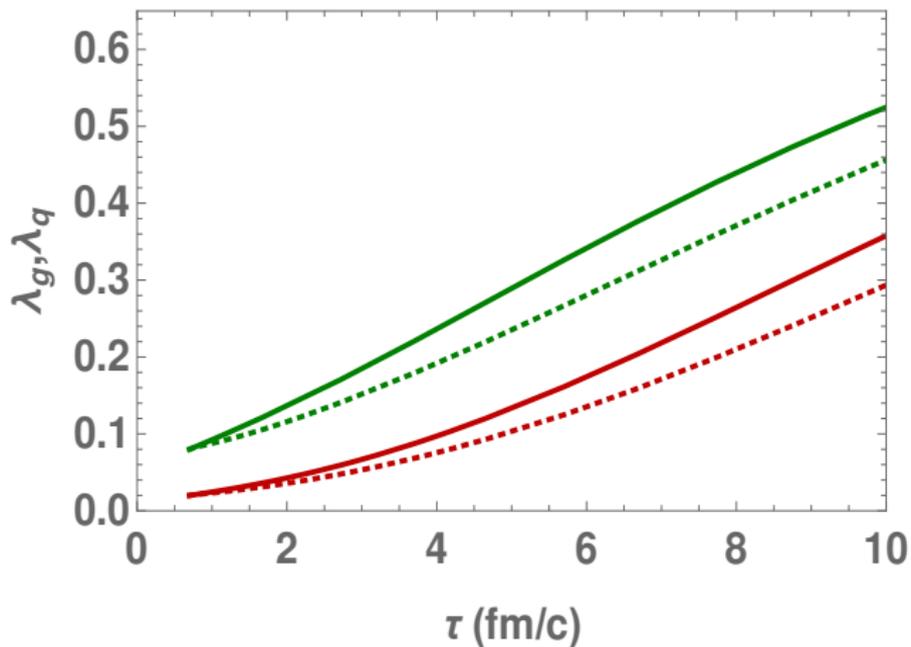
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Viscosity and chemical equilibration



Temperature dependent shear viscosity with *Chemical non-equilibrium* :

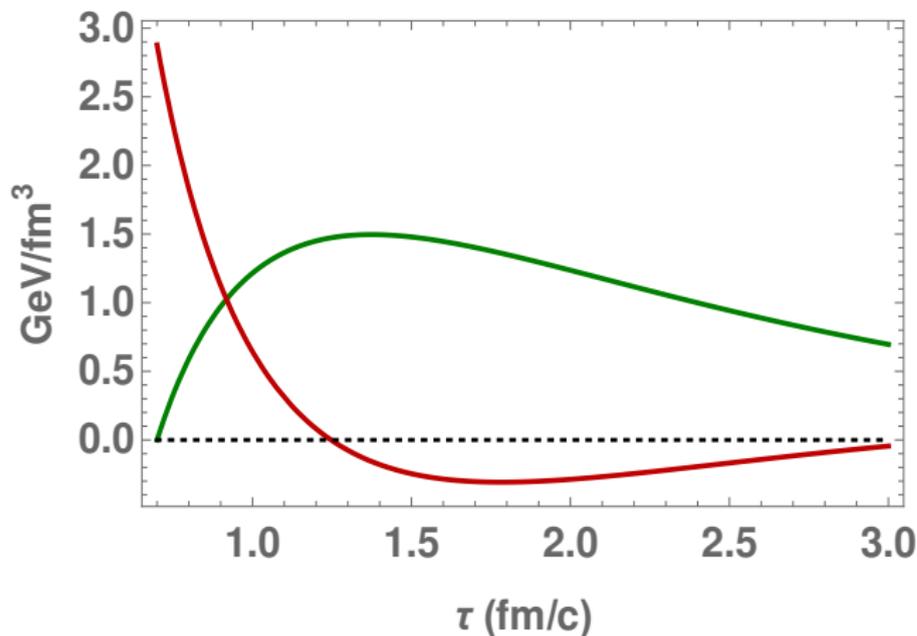
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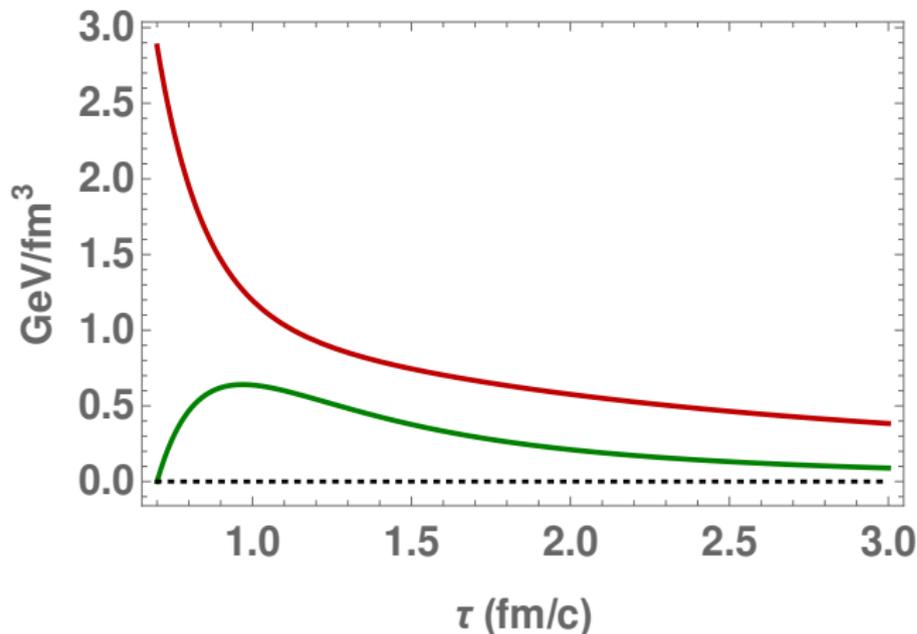
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- η/s driven cavitation survives and happens early times



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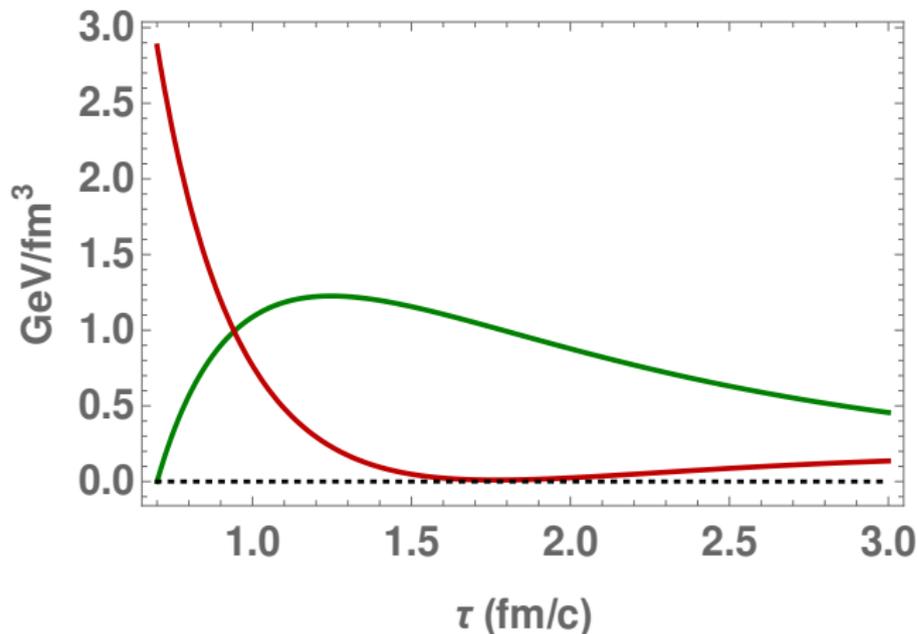
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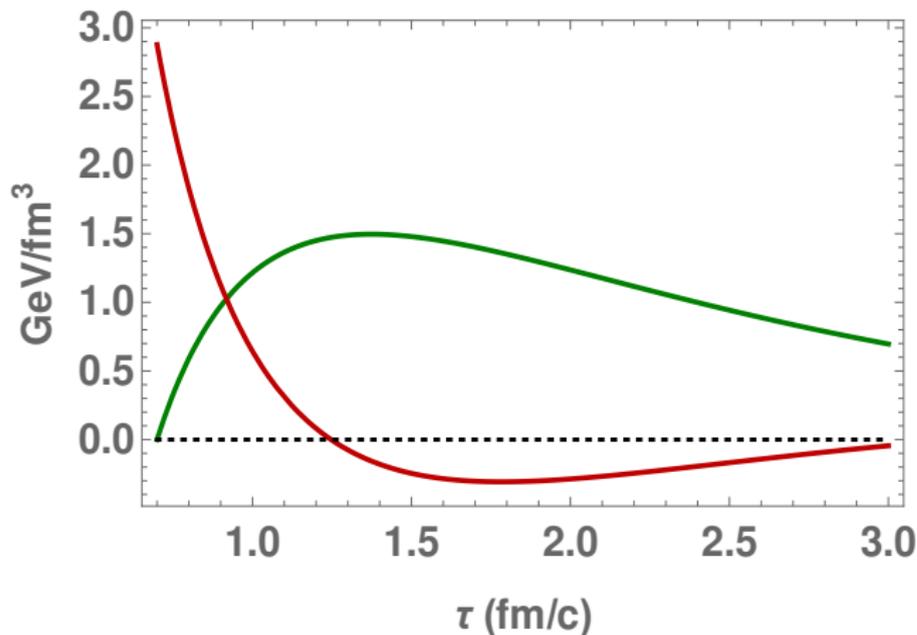
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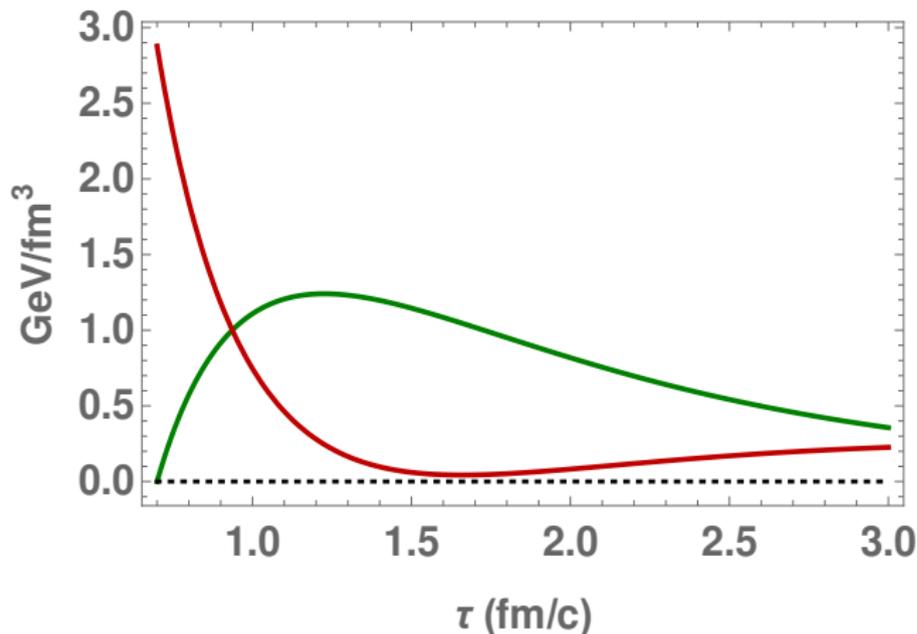
- Temperature dependent $\eta/s = \eta/s_1$



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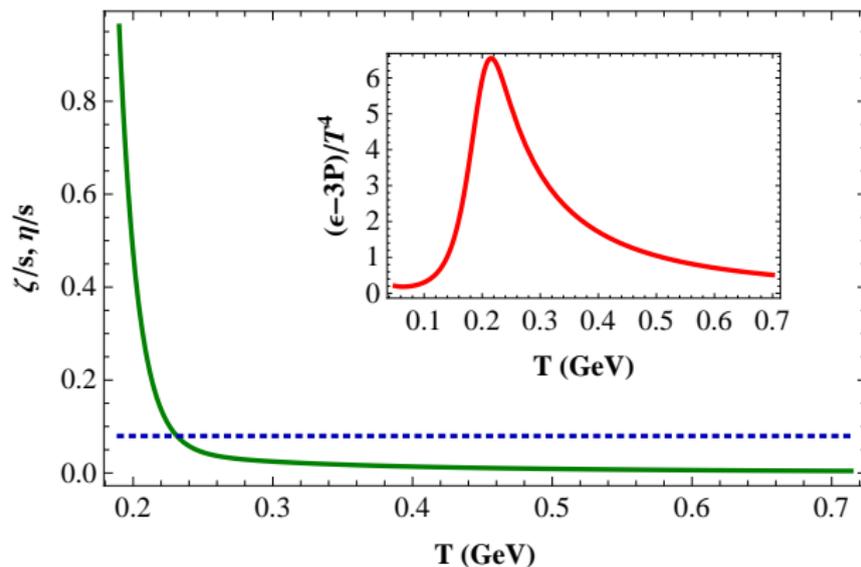
Summary and Conclusions

- We studied the effect of temperature dependent η/s on Chemical equilibration using second order hydrodynamics within Bjorken approximation
- Study of shear viscosity driven cavitation scenarios under chemical equilibration
- Chemical non-equilibrium is not washing away cavitation scenarios
- Obtained bound on the values of $\eta/s(T)$ by assuming that cavitations doesnt occur
- 2+1 D and 3+1 D Hydro codes **should** check the longitudinal effective pressure
- 'Boltzmann factorisation' \implies relatively simple equations
- used relativistic massless equation of state : $\epsilon = 3P$
- the bulk-viscous contributions to the fluid flow profiles themselves have been neglected for simplicity We studied how this combined effect alters temperature profile the system
- Need to do a meticulous analysis of these effects within all allowed parameter ranges

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Non-ideal Equation of State



- $(\epsilon - 3P)/T^4$, ζ/s (and $\eta/s = 1/4\pi$) as functions of temperature T . Around critical temperature ($T_c = .190$ GeV) $\zeta \gg \eta$ and departure of equation of state from ideal case is large.

In order to understand the effect of *non-ideal* EoS in hydrodynamical evolution and subsequent photon spectra we compare these results with that of an *ideal* EoS ($\varepsilon = 3P$).

- We consider the EoS of a relativistic gas of massless quarks and gluons. The pressure of such a system is given by

$$P = a T^4; a = \left(16 + \frac{21}{2} N_f\right) \frac{\pi^2}{90}$$

where $N_f = 2$ in our calculations.

- Hydrodynamical evolution equations of such an EoS within ideal (without viscous effects) Bjorken flow can be solved analytically and the temperature dependence is given by

$$T = T_0 \left(\frac{\tau_0}{\tau}\right)^{1/3},$$

where τ_0 and T_0 are the initial time and temperature.

- effect of bulk viscosity can be neglected in the relativistic limit when the equation of state $3P = \varepsilon$ is obeyed