Diffusion of non-Gaussian fluctuations of conserved charges

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Beam-Energy Scan





Non-Gaussian Cumulants @ BES



STAR, CPOD (Nov., 2014)

$\Delta\eta$ Dependence @ ALICE



Time Evolution of Fluctuations



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Particle # in $\Delta \eta$

continues to change until kinetic freezeout due to diffusion.

) changes due to a conversion y → η at kinetic freezeout

"Thermal Blurring"

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Under Bjorken picture,

coordinate-space rapidity of medium

momentum-space rapidity

coordinate-space rapidity of individual particles



Centrality Dependence



Is the centrality dependence understood solely by the thermal blurring at kinetic f.o.?

Centrality Dependence



Assumptions:

- Centrality independent cumulant at kinetic f.o.
- Thermal blurring at kinetic f.o.



Centrality dep. of blast wave parameters can qualitatively describe the one of $\langle \delta N_{\rm Q}^2 \rangle$

Diffusion + Thermal Blurring, Non-Gaussian Cumulants



 $<\delta N_{0}^{4} > @ LHC ?$



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Choices to introduce non-Gaussianity in equil.:

 \square *n* dependence of diffusion constant D(n)

colored noise

discretization of n our choice

REMARK: Fluctuations measured in HIC are almost Poissonian.

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Baryons in Hadronic Phase



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Total diffusion:
$$P(x - x'') = \int dx' P_1(x - x') P_2(x' - x'')$$

□ Diffusion + thermal blurring = described by a single P(x)□ Both are consistent with Gaussian → Single Gaussian

$\Delta\eta$ Dependence: 4th order

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Characteristic $\Delta \eta$ dependences!



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4th order : Large Initial Fluc.



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Initial Condition $D_4 = \frac{\langle Q_{(\text{net})}^4 \rangle_c}{\langle Q_{(\text{tot})} \rangle} = 4$ $b = \frac{\langle Q_{(\text{net})}^2 Q_{(\text{tot})} \rangle_c}{\langle Q_{(\text{net})} \rangle}$ $c = \frac{\langle Q_{(\text{tot})}^2 \rangle_c}{\langle Q_{(\text{tot})} \rangle}$ $D_2 = \frac{\langle Q_{(\text{net})}^2 \rangle_c}{\langle Q_{(\text{tot})} \rangle} = 1$

 $D \sim M^{-1}$

$\Delta\eta$ Dependence @ STAR



Non-monotonic dependence on $\Delta \eta$?

Summary

Plenty of information in $\Delta\eta$ and centrality dependences of various cumulants

 $\langle N_Q^2 \rangle_c, \ \langle N_Q^3 \rangle_c, \ \langle N_Q^4 \rangle_c, \ \langle N_B^2 \rangle_c, \ \langle N_B^3 \rangle_c, \ \langle N_B^4 \rangle_c, \ \langle N_S^2 \rangle_c, \ \cdots$

and those of non-conserved charges, mixed cumulants...

With ∆η dep. we can explore
> primordial thermodynamics
> non-thermal and transport property
> effect of thermal blurring

Future Studies

D Experimental side:

- rapidity window dependences
- baryon number cumulants
- consistency between RHIC and LHC

□ Theoretical side:

- > rapidity window dependences in dynamical models
- description of non-equilibrium non-Gaussianity
- accurate measurements on the lattice

■Both sides:

Compare theory and experiment carefully

> Do not use a fixed $\Delta \eta$ cumulant for comparison!!!

Very Low Energy Collisions

Large contribution of global charge conservationViolation of Bjorken scaling



Fluctuations at low \sqrt{s} should be interpreted carefully! Comparison with statistical mechanics would not make sense...

Initial Condition @ Hadronization

Hadronization (initial condition)



Boost invariance / infinitely long system
 Local equilibration / local correlation





distribution in rapidity space

• flat freezeout surface

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