

Motivation:

- -- Transport model view of lfspectra centrality dependent ( $\langle \mu_B \rangle, \langle T \rangle$ )...
- -- Explore bulkcorr assumption that centrality selection alone tightly constrains  $(\mu_B, T)$ ...
- -- Explore possibility of constraining  $(\mu_B, T)$  event-by-event with suitable cuts...
  - *e.g.* measure moments products gated on pbar/p?

Bulkcorr presentations:

http://wjllope.rice.edu/fluct/protected/urqmdthermus\_20120905.pdf
http://wjllope.rice.edu/fluct/protected/urqmdthermus\_20120912.pdf

#### Basic overview

- ...in UrQMD+Thermus (E-by-E and in 1 fm/c steps), constrain  $\mu_s$  and  $\gamma_s$ , 2 par fit, GCE
- ...on the Number of degrees of freedom (with Evan Sangaline)
- ...data+Thermus (with Daniel McDonald)
- ...STAR acceptance- & efficiency-filtered UrQMD+Thermus (eff from Evan Sangaline)

## UrQMD 3.3p1

Default parameters, only set impact parameter range and ecm only

centrality set on impact parameter in "standard" percentages assuming  $b_{max}$ =14fm output in 1 fm/c timesteps in each event

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500-800 timesteps total depending on root-s
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in each timestep, ignore spectators

and count multiplicity of 20 different particles (light hadrons and hyperons)

#### Thermus

Standalone application that reads the UrQMD files and fits the multiplicity ratios in every timestep in every event
Grand Canonical Ensemble, fit parameters: (T, μ<sub>B</sub>, μ<sub>S</sub>, γ<sub>S</sub>)
9 or 12 ratios considered (π±, K±, p±, Λ±)
Covariance from MINUIT, N<sub>DOF</sub> = N<sub>yields</sub> - 1
Mult errors in each time step & evt taken as Poisson (~√N) – but not that important Also fit "averaged events" (in a given centrality bin) in each time step

Can thus

plot the trajectories of individual events in  $(\mu_B, T)$  space plot the trajectories of averaged events in  $(\mu_B, T)$  space plot the distributions of  $(T, \mu_B, \mu_S, \gamma_S)$  in centrality-selected events



Codes run on the DAVINCI farm at Rice, generally 50-100 nodes available each day... Run as many events through thermus as fits in 24hrs of wall clock time... Few 100s to few 1000s evts in each root-s and centrality bin...



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#### Example Fits, 19.6 GeV, 0-5%







#### Example Fits, 200 GeV, 0-5%





Time Trajectories of "Average Events"



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Fit Examples, UrQMD by root-s and centrality



 $\mu_B$  distributions, 0-5% and 5-10% central



In previously presented slides, (T,  $\mu_{S_i} \mu_{B_i} \gamma_S$ ) were allowed to vary freely... Resulted in some events with  $\gamma_S$  pegged at 1, and others w/ low values and two peaks in  $\mu_B$  for non-peripheral collisions at low root-s







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#### N<sub>DOF</sub>

For N non-zero yields, one can form  $\sum_{i=1}^{i < N} i$  ratios...

*i.e.* for  $\pi^{\pm}, K^{\pm}, p^{\pm} \rightarrow up$  to N=6 non-zero yields  $\rightarrow 15$  non-zero ratios possible

Of these 15 non-zero ratios from N non-zero yields, N-1 are independent... I am only fitting events if  $N-1 \ge N_{par}$ 

Evan's simulation:
how probable is it to measure b if normal distributed with means m and covariance C.
(b-m)<sup>T</sup>C<sup>-1</sup>(b-m) is χ<sup>2</sup> distributed with k DOF

#### only yields....

k=5 measurements are independent plot diagonal-only  $\chi^2 \mbox{ sum}$ 



## $\mathbf{m}$ = meas (vector with k values)

- $\mathbf{b}$  = model (vector with k values)
- $C = meas covariance (k \times k matrix)$
- $\mathbf{v}$  = meas variances (diagonal of C)

### all ratios....

plot diagonal-only  $\chi^2$  sum for 5! ratios ...mean~10, k-1<mean<5!





Used same Thermus code to fit experimental  $\pi^{\pm}$ ,  $K^{\pm}$ ,  $p^{\pm}$  yield ratios event-by-event

Yields from Daniel McDonald

Detailed bad-run and bad-event rejection

Same event and track cuts as he uses in his moments analyses

Centrality from refmult2corr

dE/dx+TOF plus spallation  $P_T$  cut for p

N=6  $\pi^{\pm}$ , K<sup>±</sup>, p<sup>±</sup> yields calculated for all directly identified tracks with  $|\eta| < 0.5$ 

But, BTW, there is a problem re: feeddown contributions to the observed yields.... Thermus can be run in two modes.

- No Decays: *i.e.* Input yields do not include any feeddown contributions (this is how I appropriately run the UrQMD+Thermus simulations)
- Allow Decays: *i.e.* Input yields include 100% of the possible feeddown from all particles known to Thermus (fit or not) with known branching fractions

# AFAIK, our data is not consistent with either case

we can estimate feeddown but we don't generally measure all the necessary parent yields or we can completely ignore feeddown, but there is typically a 1-3fm dca cut applied

...I'll just run Thermus in both modes and will provide both sets of results...



Here, using 4 parameter fits – which look fine in general – non-zero ratios are reproduced...



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...same pbar/p=exp(-14 $\mu_B$ ) trend is seen when fitting the yields from the experimental data...



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Apply "STAR" acceptance & efficiency filter to UrQMD Compare perfect,  $4\pi$ , participant-only simulation results to those we measure E-by-E... refmult, refmult2 and refmult3 *vs*. impact parameter with and without the filter yields in  $|\eta| < 0.5$ , P<sub>T</sub>>0.2 GeV, and including a parameterized tracking efficiency

(parameterized tracking efficiencies from Evan Sangaline)





Fit Examples, UrQMD by root-s and centrality, Acceptance Filtered





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1D T distributions by centrality bin



# 1D $\mu_B$ distributions by centrality bin

