CMS Heavy Ion Results

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A PbPb event





Centrality: Geometry of ion collisions



Centrality is percentage of events with impact parameter b smaller than a given value. In CMS centrality normally measured with HF ,ie $3 < |\eta| < 5$

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Centrality defined by forward calorimeters





Making a hot system: $dE_T/d\eta$ vs η



Do the lead nuclei stop each other?





Scanning the Pb density profile





Centrality dependence of dE/dŋ

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Jets seem to be losing energy in plasma



Energy loss per unit path length <q> probably depends upon the density of colored objects and the temperature



How can we quantify the suppression?

$R_{AA} = \frac{\text{Number of particles from a PbPb event}}{N_{\text{collisions}}* \text{Number of particles from a pp event}}$

N_{collisions} = number of individual pp collisions in a PbPb event



Does jet quenching depend on momentum?



Start from blank slate

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(Non-) Suppression of colorless probes





Suppression of charged particles



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Suppression of inclusive jets



Jet R_{AA} looks similar to charge particles, flat at $\approx 0.5n$



Identifying bottom quarks



Look for jets with a high mass secondary vertex from a b quark



Suppression of b-quarks







- •Provides initial quark direction
- •Provides initial quark p_T



Jet/Photon momentum balance







Sequential Upsilon suppression



Sequential suppression of Y family, the least bound member is suppressed the most in PbPb collisions



Building a quarkonium-thermometer

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Clear hierarchy in R_{AA} of different quarkonium states

Expected in terms of binding energy



Summary

- System is extremely dense, ~ 100 time more than normal nuclei,
- Longitudinal flow not described by simple Landau Hydrodynamics
- We see a strong suppression of high momentum objects.
- As jets punch through medium they are many low momentum particles spray our to large radii.
- Systems of bound quarks like Y and J/ ψ show a characteristic melting with weakly bound systems being the most suppressed
- Thank you Joe for all you did for me & my family







Ratio of energy in peripheral/central for pPb (proton going to positive rapidity)



So far only for HF, with CASTOR and barrel should have 13.5 units of rapidity



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$dE_T/d\eta$ at $\eta=0$ versus \sqrt{s}





$dE_T/d\eta$ vs N_{part} and η

For all η the distribution rises rapidly at low N_{part} and then levels off



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Searching for color glass



Access to widest range phase space

Gluon density has to saturate at low x

