

MC generators

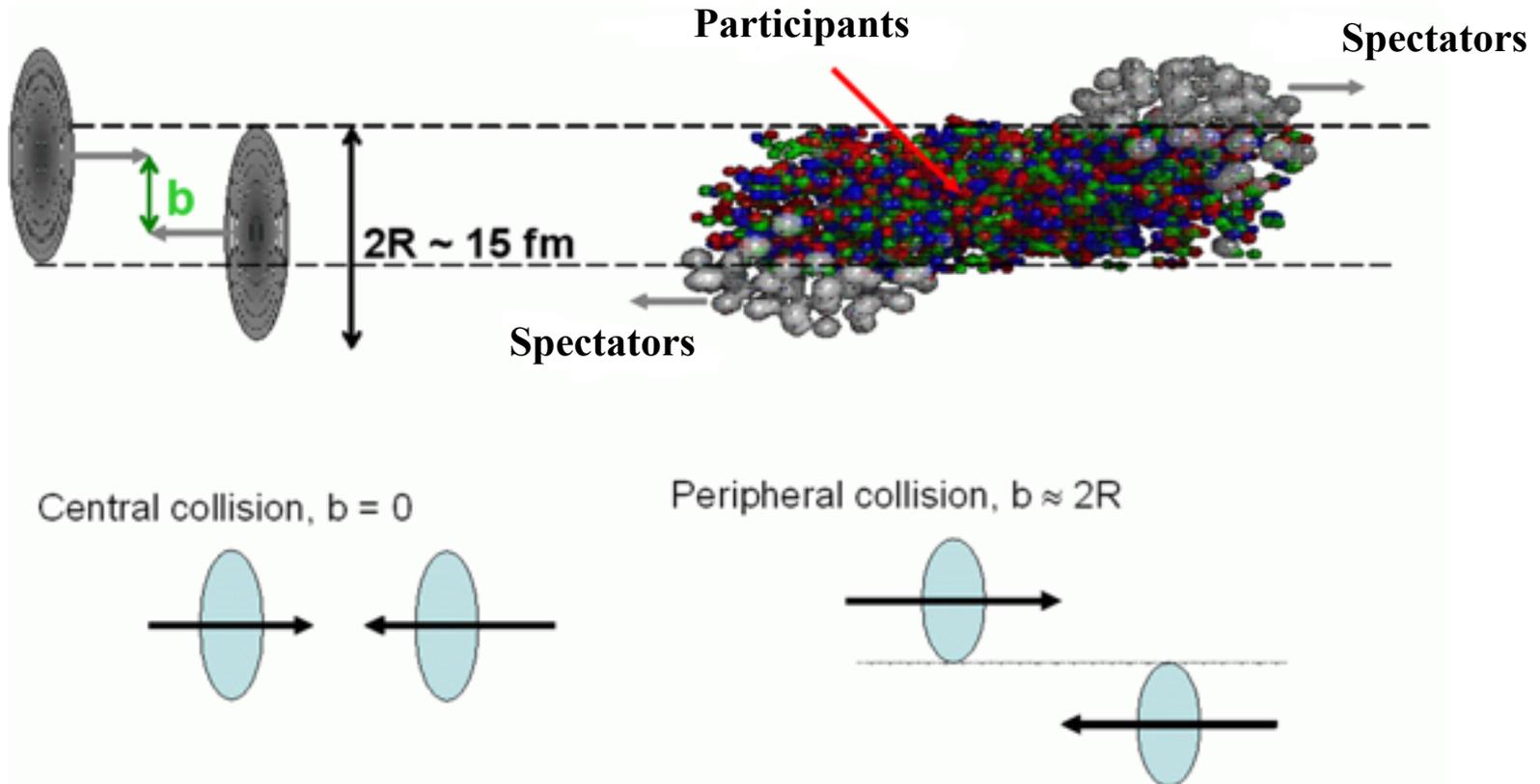
DCM-QGSM and DCM-SMM

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Heavy Ion Collision



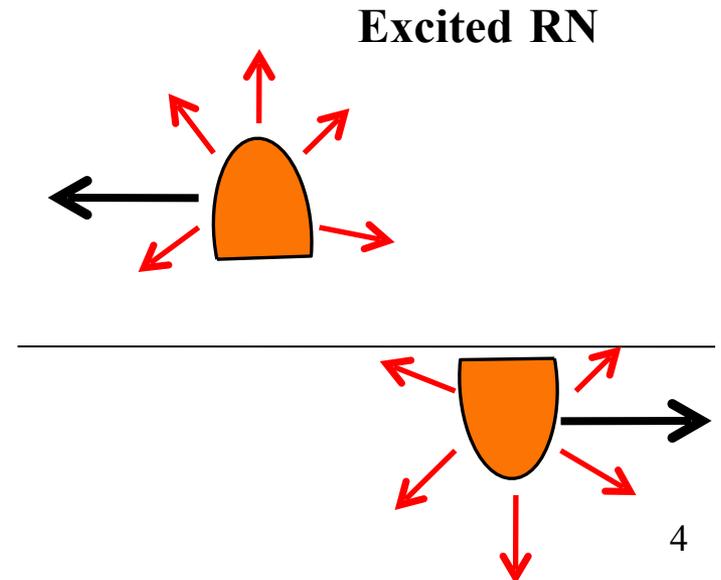
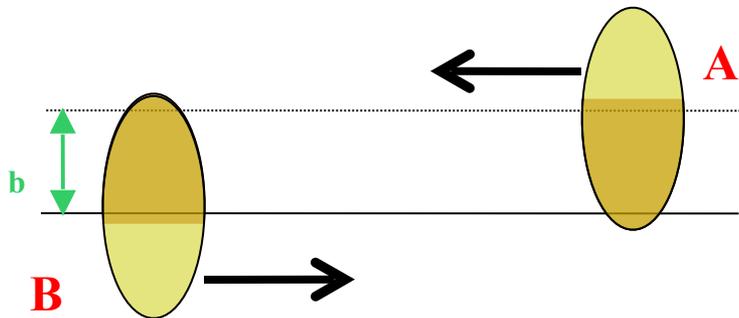
We need transport generators to

- generate particle production
- calculate the centrality of collision
 - ✓ calculate the number of participants
 - ✓ calculate the number of spectators
- and many other things ...

Heavy ion collisions

in details

- Participant/overlap region – many models
 - ✓ Production of species (mesons, nucleons, resonances, hyperons, ...) in binary collisions;
 - ✓ Coalescence of nucleons and hyperons
- Spectator region – a few models: LAQGSM, DCM-QGSM, DCM-SMM
 - ✓ Preequilibrium emission
 - ✓ Multifragmentation
 - ✓ Fermi break-up
 - ✓ Evaporation



LAQGSM and DCM-QGSM

Participant/overlap region

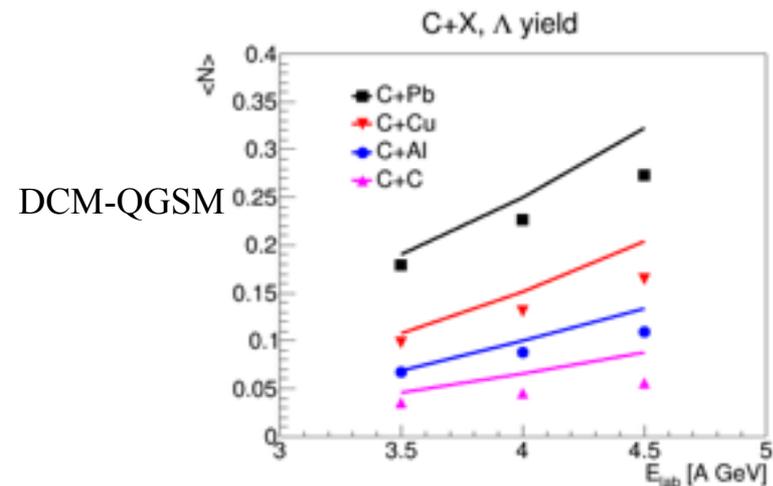
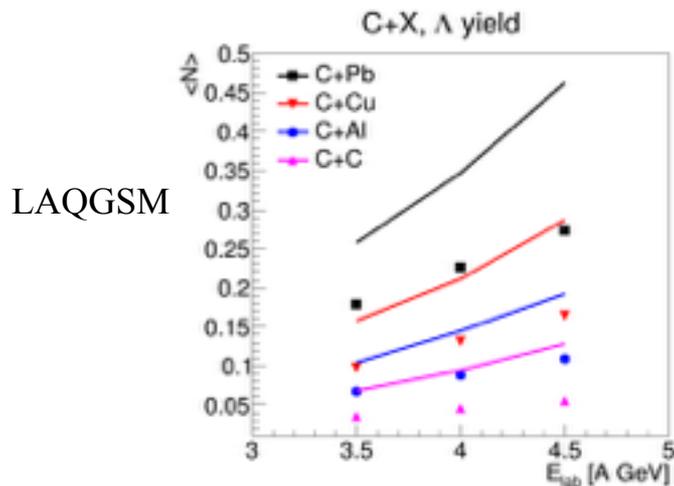
- ✓ Production of species (mesons, nucleons, resonances, hyperons, ...) in binary collisions;

LAQGSM **overestimates** meson production for

- larger colliding nuclei (kaons even at production threshold)
- higher energies
- more centralities

DCM-QGSM is **modified** LAQGSM

- Meson production is suppressed artificially (by formation time) for better agreement with experimental data.
- Corrections of different channels with hyperon production



DCM-QGSM and DCM-SMM

Spectator region - nuclear spallation

DCM-QGSM,

- ✓ Preequilibrium emission
- ✓ Fermi break-up
- ✓ Sequential Evaporation
- ✓ Fission

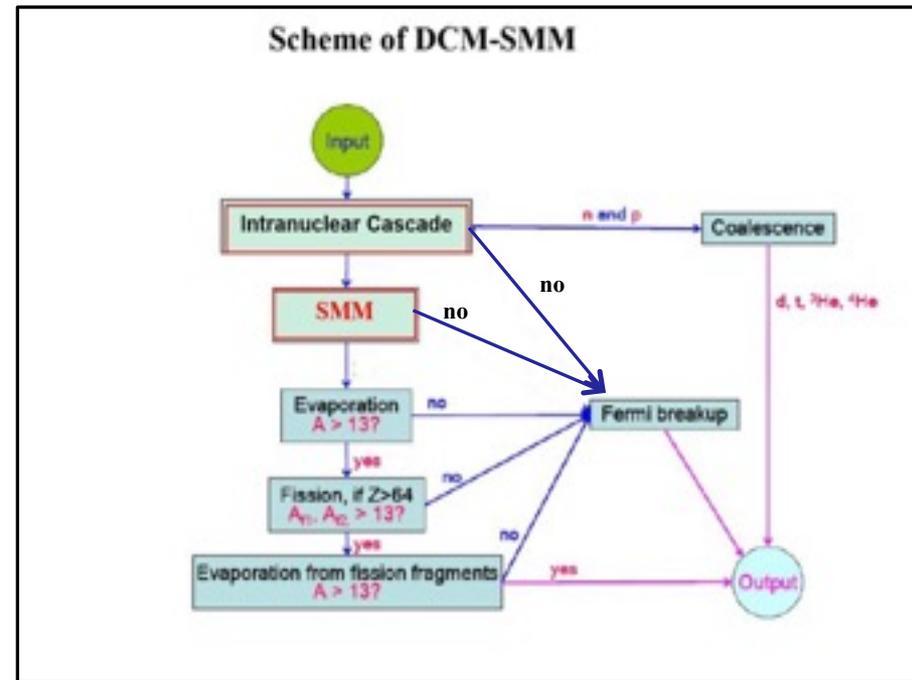
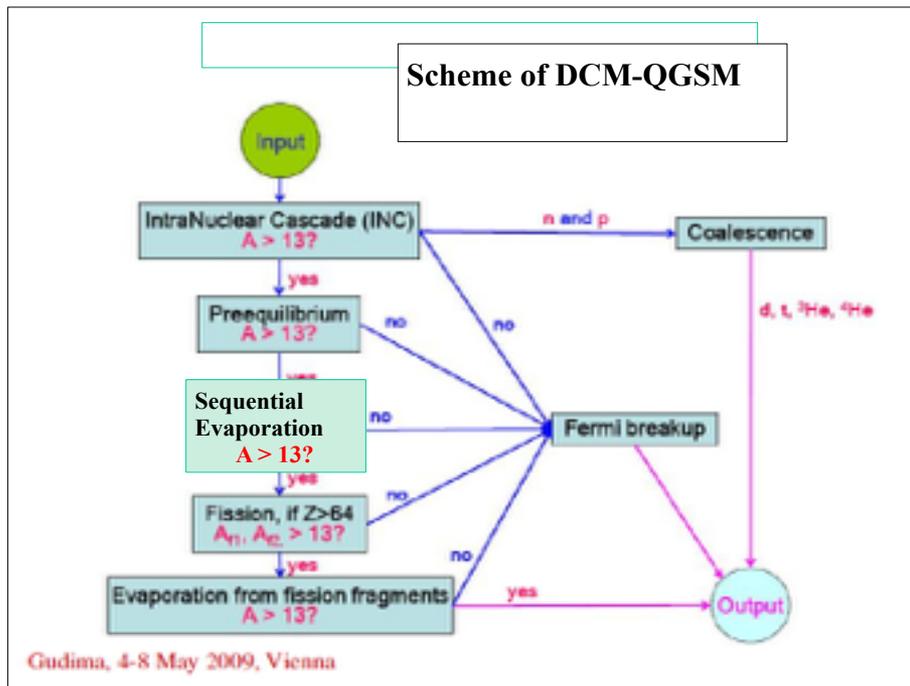
DCM-SMM

- ✓ Fermi break-up
- ✓ Multifragmentation
- ✓ Evaporation
- ✓ Fission

Versions of DCM generators:

DCM-QGSM

DCM-SMM



Models: DCM-QGSM vs DCM-SMM

DCM-QGSM

Step 1

- Intranuclear Cascade

Step 2

- Coalescence

Step 3 Residual Nucleus (RN)

- Fermi-break-up if $A_{\text{res}} < 13$
- Preequilibrium emission
- Sequential evaporation
- Fission
- Evaporation

DCM-SMM

Step 1

- Intranuclear Cascade

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Step 3 Residual Nucleus (RN)

- Fermi break-up if $A_{\text{res}} < 13$
- Statistical Multifragmentation
- Evaporation
- Fission
- Evaporation

Models: DCM-QGSM vs DCM-SMM

DCM-QGSM

Step 2: Coalescence

- Final state interactions
- Formation of fragments and hyperfragments (d, t, ^3He , ^4He , t_Λ , $^3\text{He}_\Lambda$, $^4\text{He}_\Lambda$, $^5\text{He}_\Lambda$)
- Coalescence criteria: $(p_i - p_0) < p_c$ and $(r_i - r_0) < r_c$
- $p_c = 150, 175, 175, 175$ for d, t, ^3He , ^4He

DCM-SMM

Step 2: Coalescence

The same...

Models: DCM-QGSM vs DCM-SMM

Step 3 Nuclear Spallation

Preequilibrium emission

Exciton model

$$p + A \rightarrow X$$

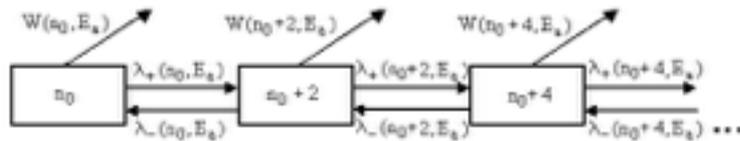
$$n = p + h,$$

n – number of excitons,

p – number of particles above Fermi surface,

h –

$$n_0 =$$



$\lambda_{+/-}$ – transition probability

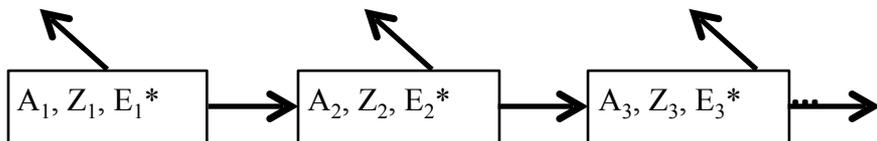
$W(n, E)$ – particle emission probability

Emission of p, n

Condensation of protons and neutrons $\rightarrow d, t, {}^3\text{He}, {}^4\text{He}$

Sequential Evaporation

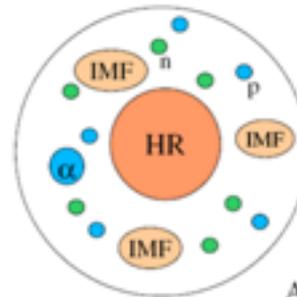
$$W_1(p, n, d, t, {}^3\text{He}, {}^4\text{He}) \quad W_2(p, n, d, t, {}^3\text{He}, {}^4\text{He}) \quad W_3(p, n, d, t, {}^3\text{He}, {}^4\text{He})$$



Step 3 Nuclear Spallation

Statistical Multifragmentation

J.P.Bondorf, A.S.Botvina, A.S.Iljinov, I.N.Mishustin, K.Sneppen, Phys. Rep. 257 (1995) 133



Ensemble of nucleons and fragments in thermal equilibrium characterized by

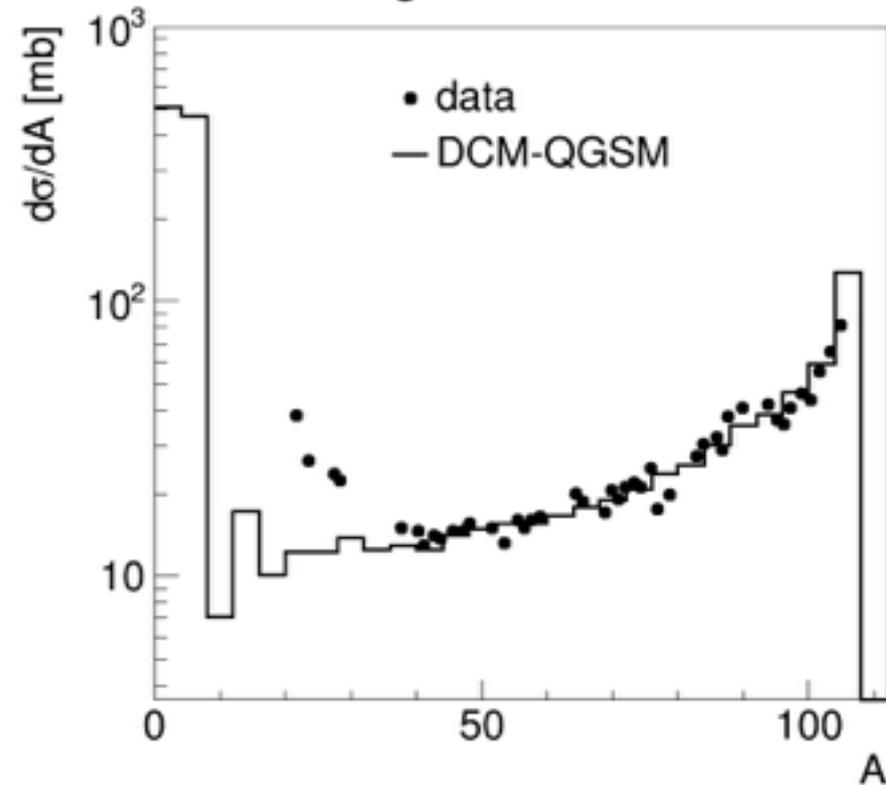
neutron number N_0
 proton number $Z_0, N_0+Z_0=A_0$
 excitation energy E^*
 break-up volume $V=(1+\kappa)V_0$

All break-up channels are enumerated by the sets of fragment multiplicities or partitions, $f=\{N_{AZ}\}$

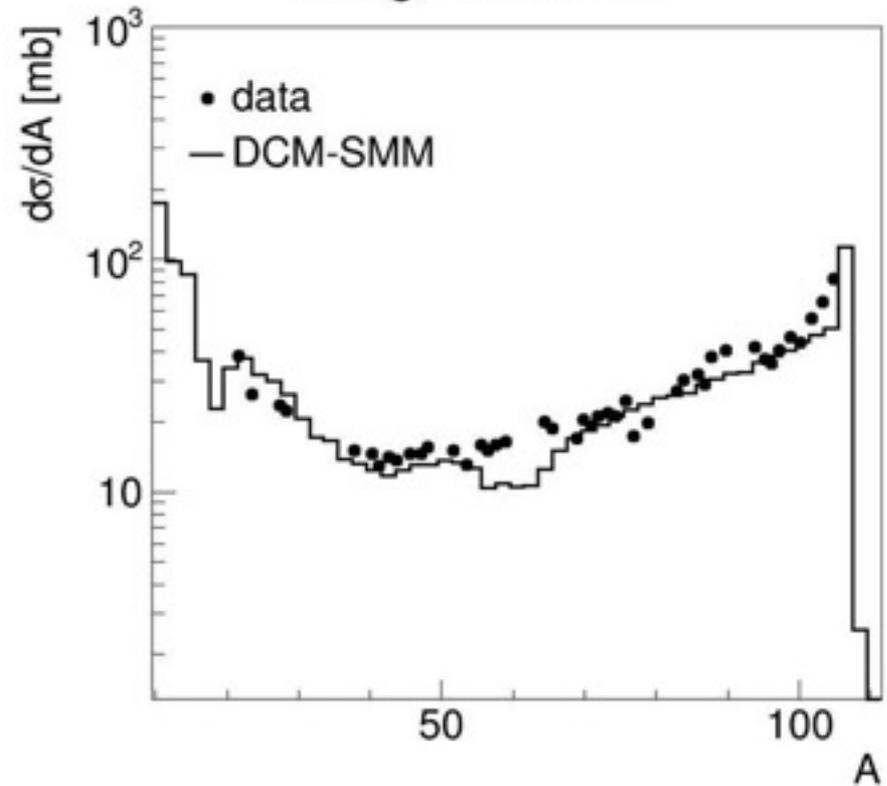
Statistical distribution of probabilities: $W_f \sim \exp \{S_f(A_0, Z_0, E^*, V)\}$ under conditions of baryon number (A), electric charge (Z) and energy (E^*) conservation, including compound nucleus.

Models: DCM-QGSM vs DCM-SMM

DCM-QGSM
Preequilibrium emission
Sequential evaporation
C+Ag, 4.5 A GeV

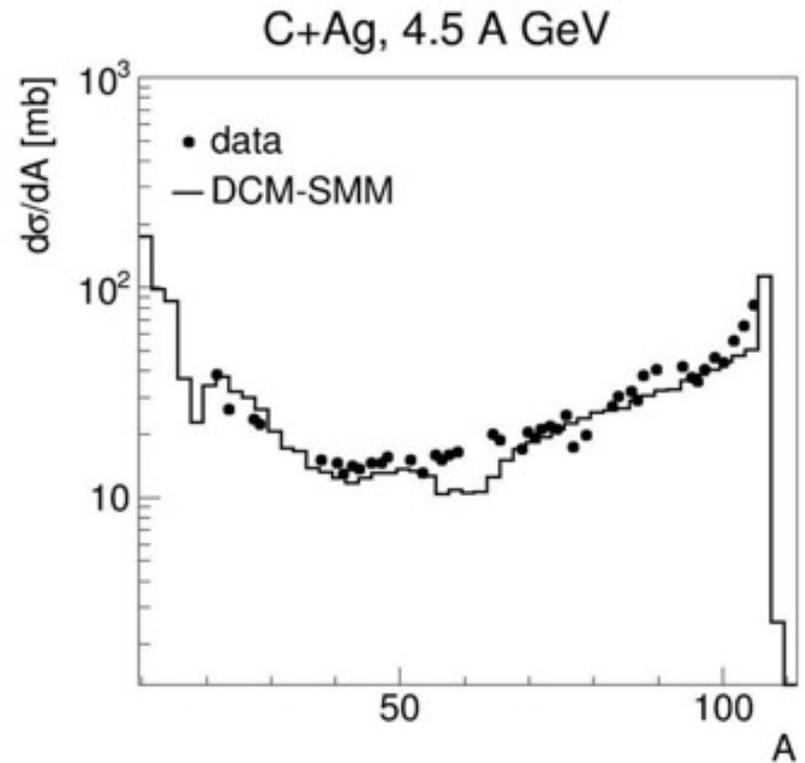
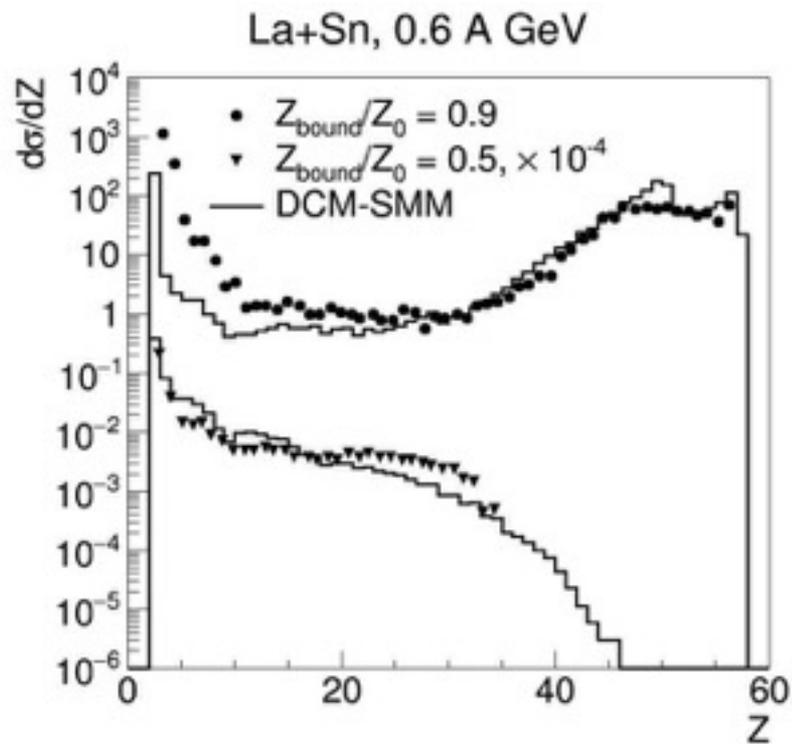


DCM-SMM
Statistical Multifragmentation
Evaporation
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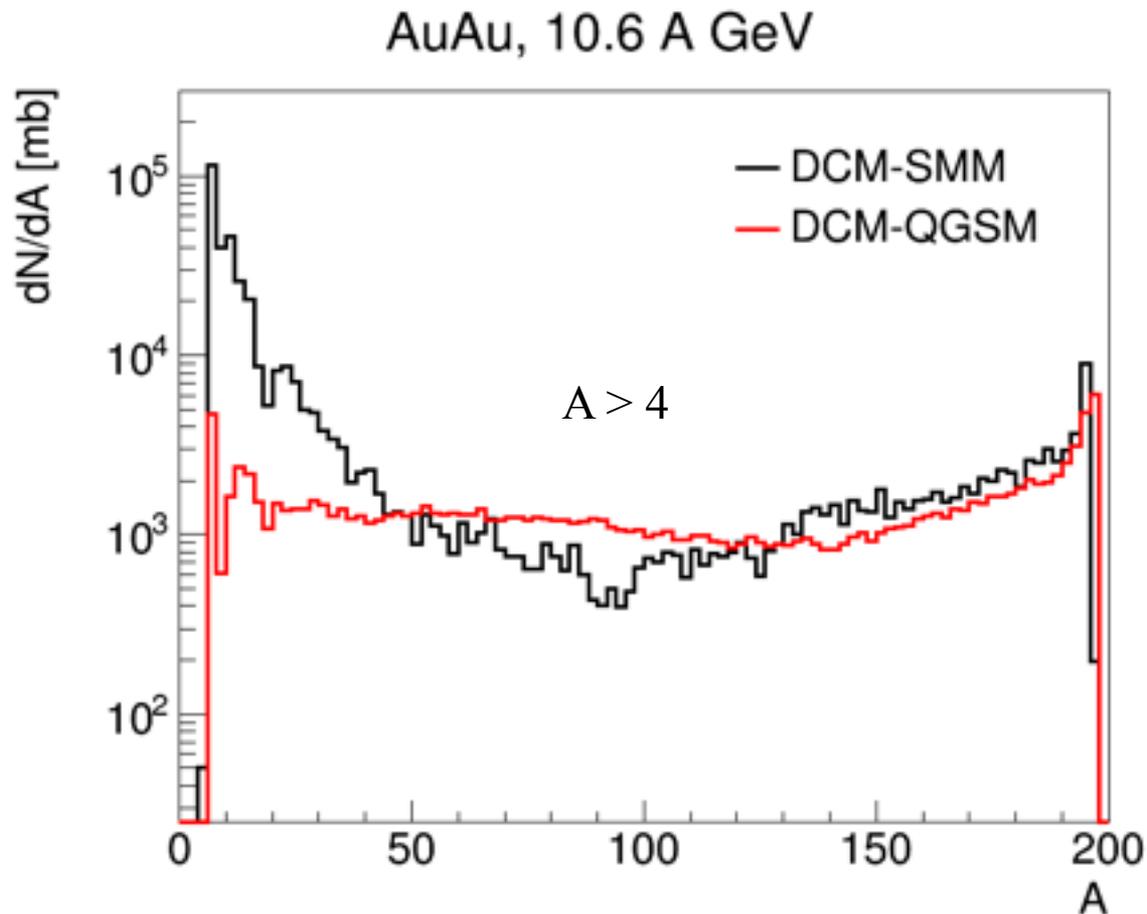
Models: DCM-QGSM vs DCM-SMM

DCM-SMM Statistical Multifragmentation



Models: DCM-QGSM vs DCM-SMM

DCM-QGSM contradicts to data for IMF
DCM-SMM is more reliable for the whole spectra

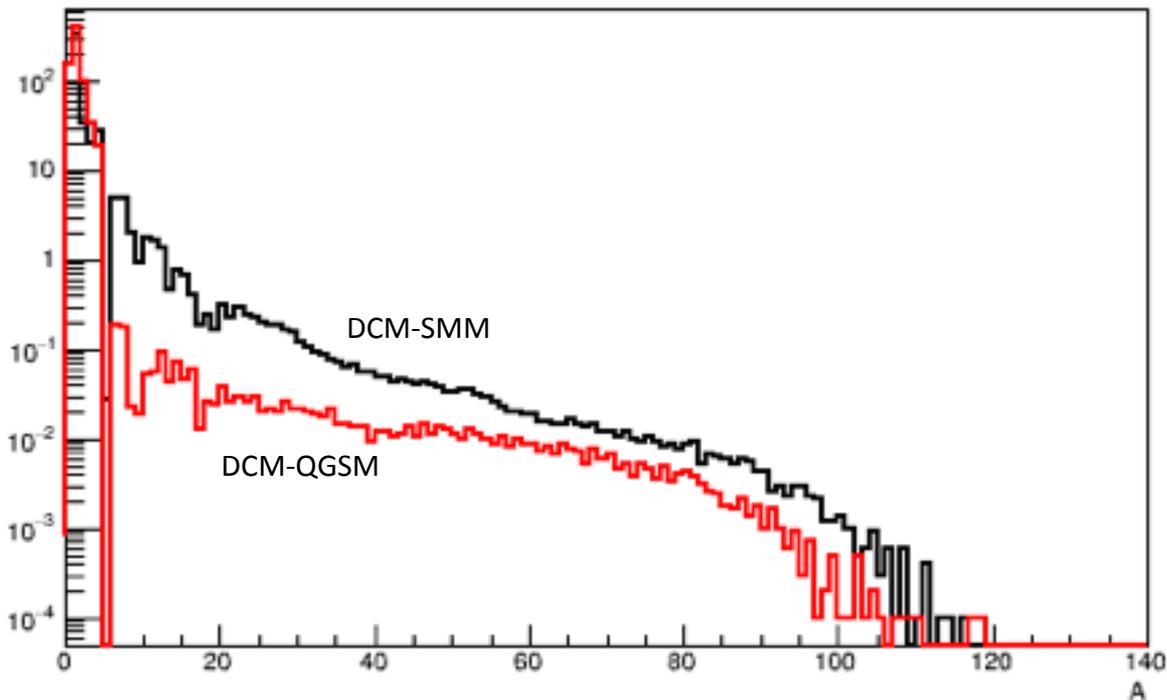


Models: DCM-QGSM vs DCM-SMM

Detailed analysis

Fragment spectra in acceptance of FHCAL at MPD

Au+Au $\sqrt{s}=5$ GeV, $2<|\eta|<5$



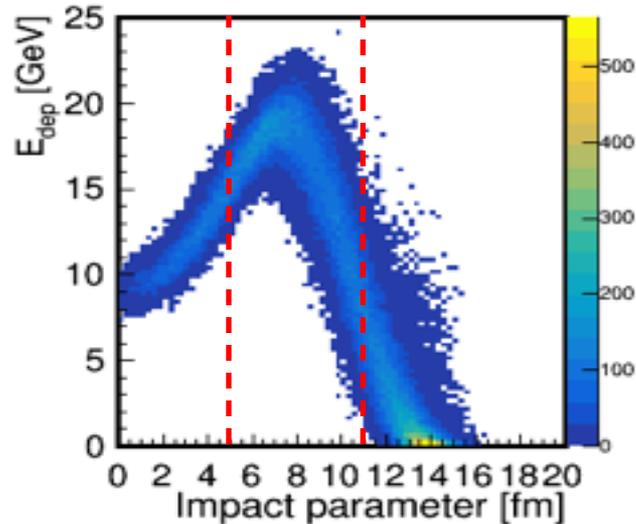
Much more nucleons and light nuclei are deposited in FHCAL by DCM-QGSM

They com from preequilibrium emission and sequential evaporation

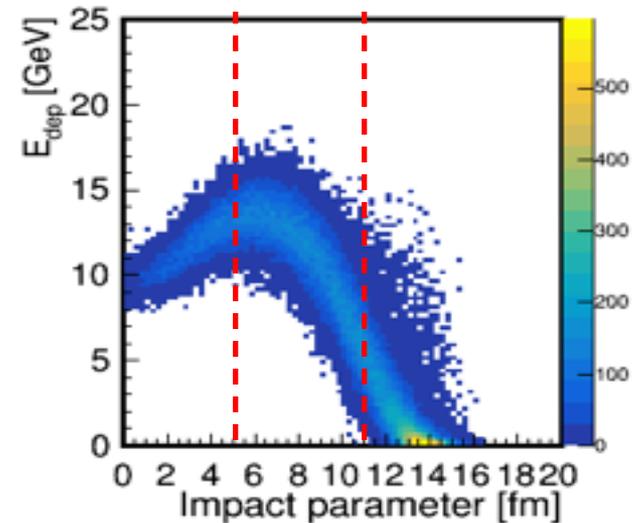
Resume

Energy deposited in forward calorimeter **FHCal**

DCM-QGSM



DCM-SMM



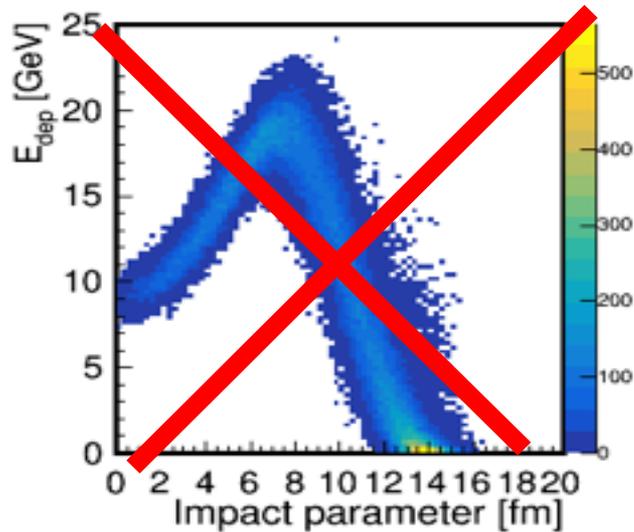
Much **more nucleons and light nuclei** are deposited in **FHCal** by **DCM-QGSM** than by **DCM-SMM**. They come from Sequential evaporation.

Most of **IMF** created at semicentral impact parameters escape through the **hole** that results in decreasing deposition of energy in **FHCal**.

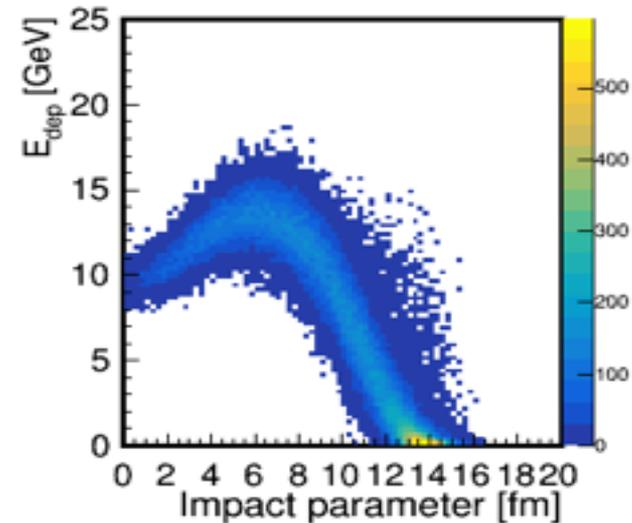
Resume

Energy deposited in forward calorimeter **FHCal**

DCM-QGSM



DCM-SMM



DCM-SMM is more reliable for description of nuclear spallation

Knowledge of mechanism of **nuclear spallation** is very important for **determination of Centrality by the number of Spectators**

Centrality by Participants + Spectators

DCM-QGSM & DCM-SMM

Taking into account **inelastic** binary collisions only.

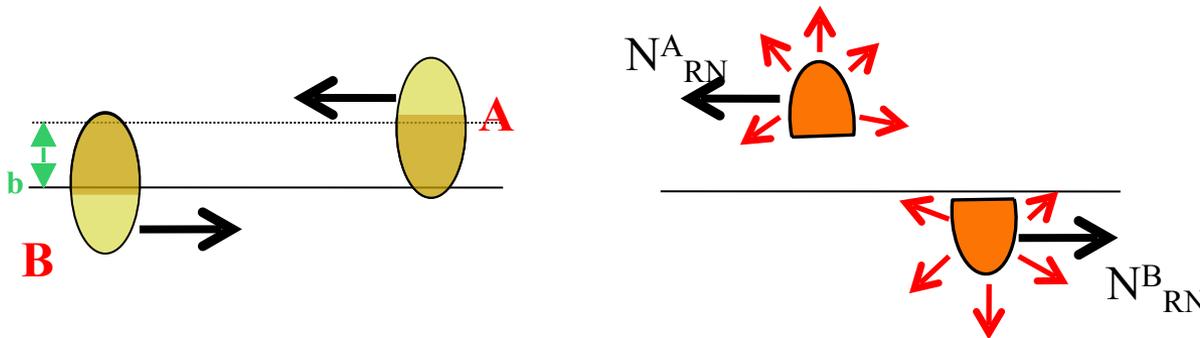
- elastically scattered nucleons are considered as spectators
- closer to Glauber considerations

• Number of participants

$$N_{\text{part}} = A_0 - N_{\text{spect}} = A_0 - A_{\text{RN}}$$

here A_0 – atomic number projectile/target nucleus

• We know A_{RN} , so we can determine N_{part}



Centrality definitions

1. Impact parameter interval

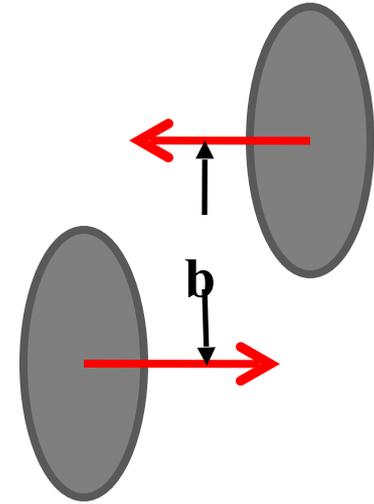
2. The Fraction of the Cross Section

3. Number of Participants

N_{part} or N_{wound}

4. Number of Spectators

N_{spect}



Motivation

- We need to select events by centrality!
- We can do it by characteristics of **spectators**
 - number
 - mass
 - energy
- **Experiment:** by energy deposited in forward calorimeter

MPD: FHCAL – under construction

- **Models**

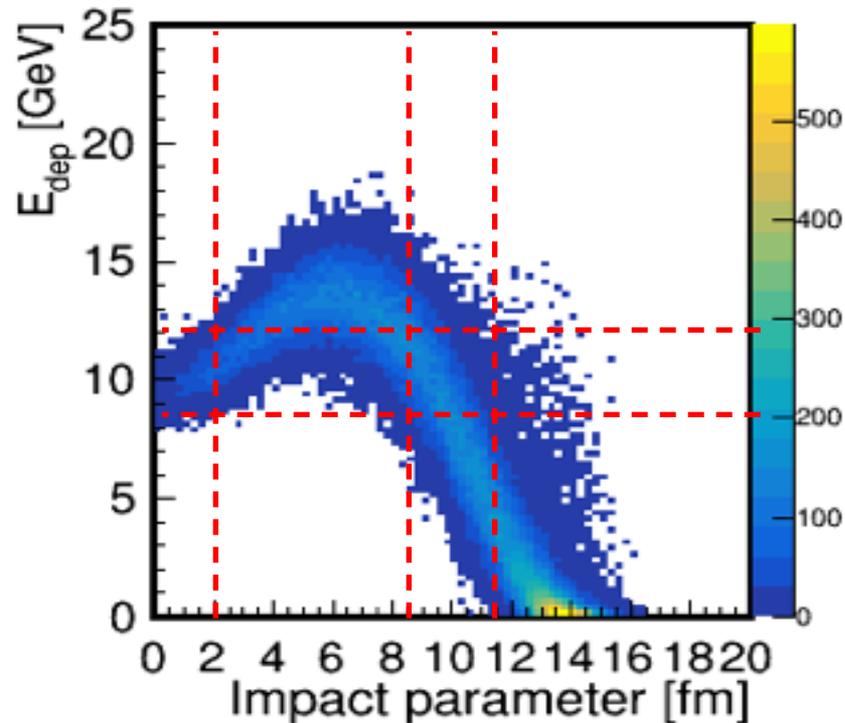
DCM-QGSM

DCM-SMM

But

Centrality determination by experiment

DCM-SMM

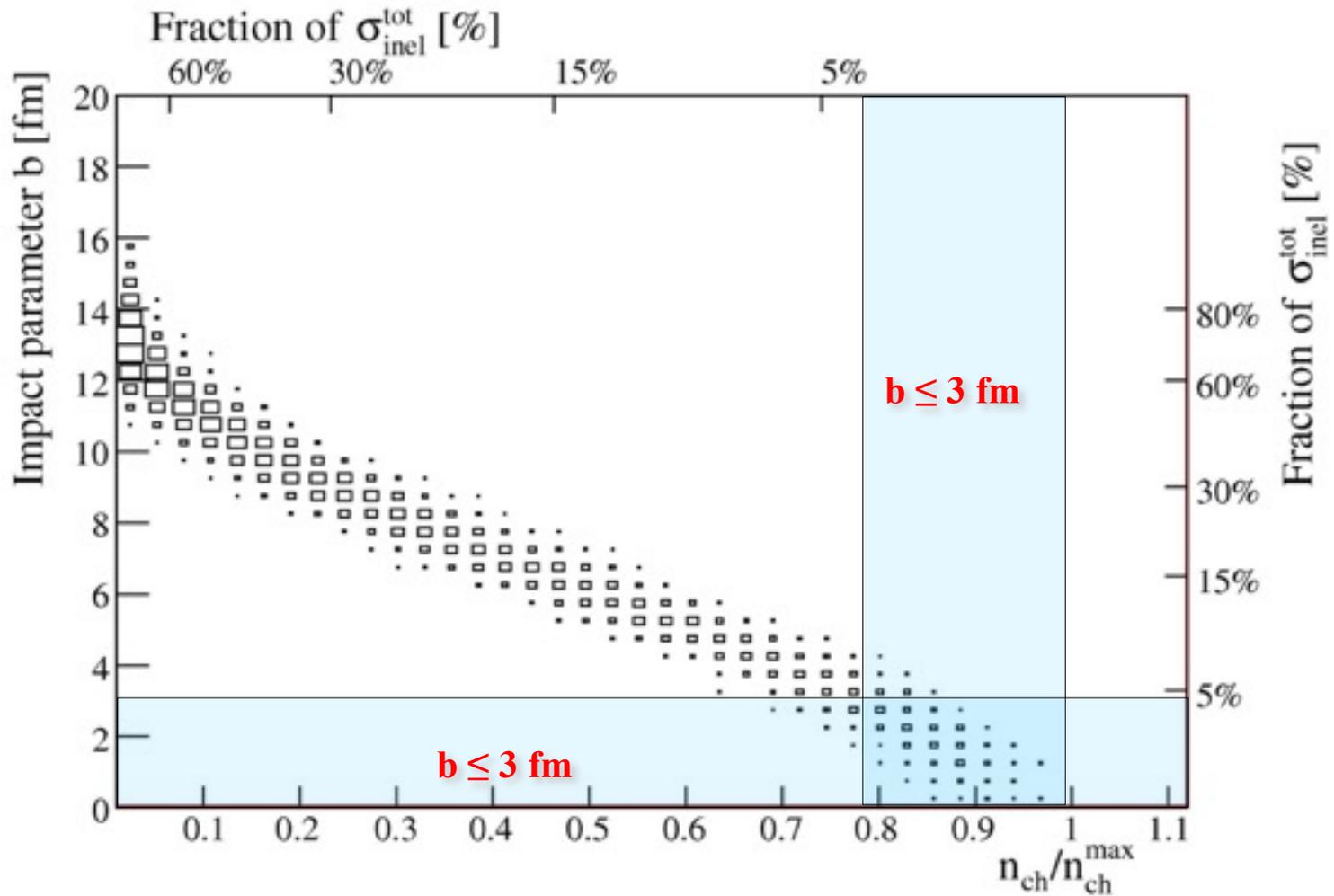


Energy deposited in FHCAL cannot resolve central and peripheral events.

Additional observables are needed to resolve this ambiguity

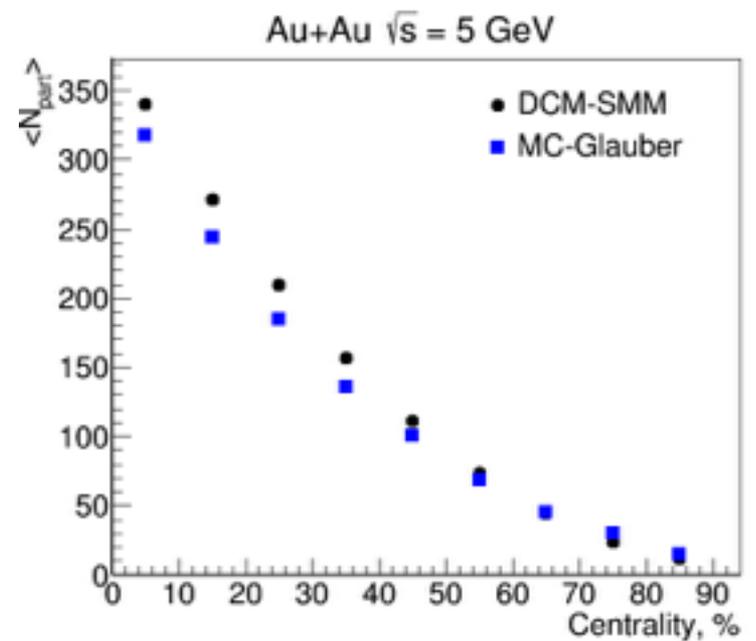
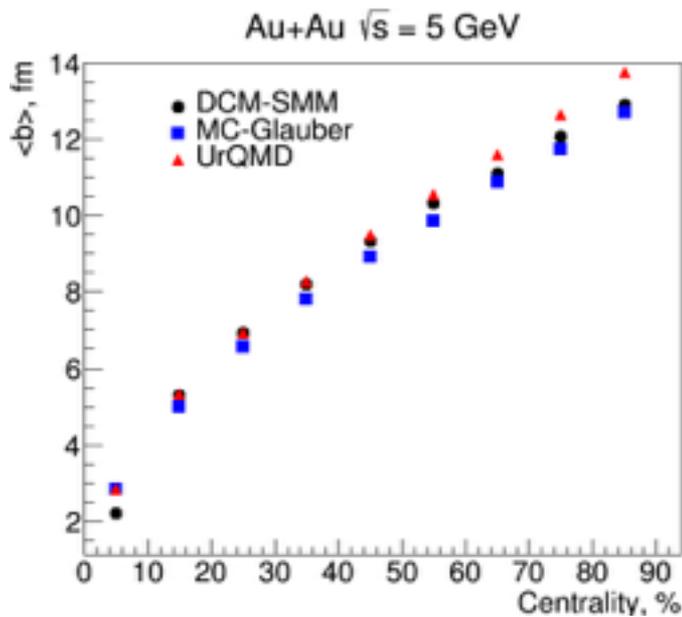
- space information about spectator hit points (INR Team)
- multiplicity of charged particles in an event

Centrality – impact parameter – charged multiplicity

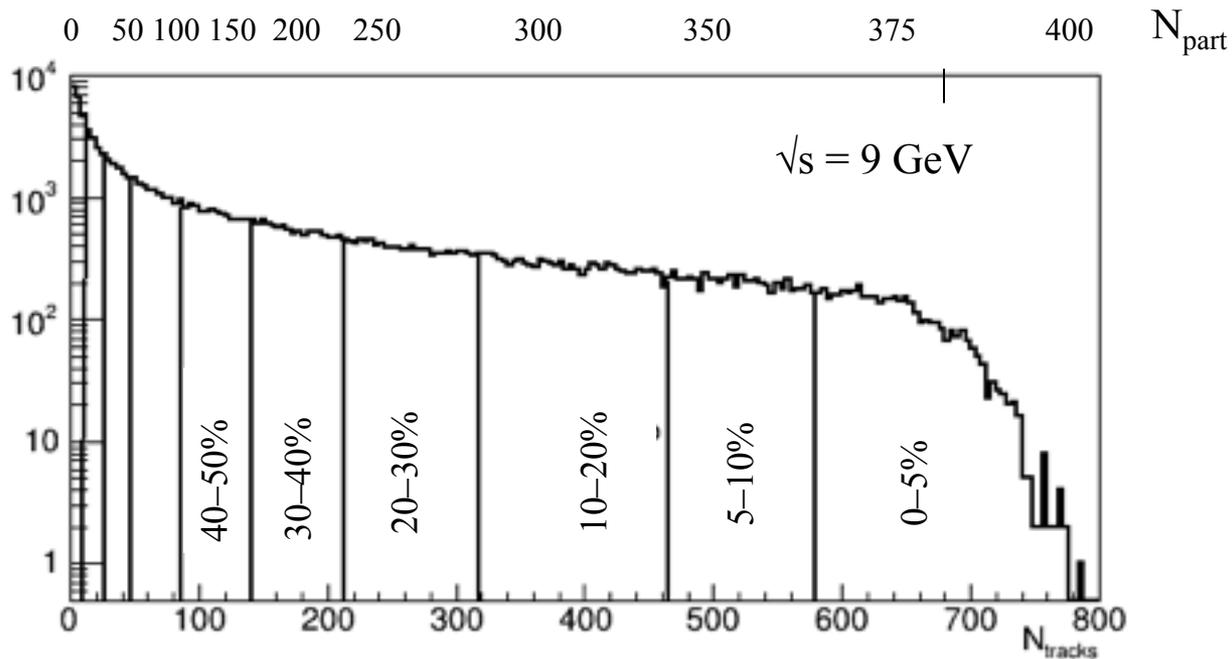


Centrality determination

By b , N_{part}



Centrality determination by number of tracks, N_{tracks} , and number of participants, N_{part}



Conclusions

- DCM-SMM is more reliable for description of the residual nucleus spallation
- DCM-QGSM with sequential evaporation of the residual nucleus more or less agrees with DCM-SMM for peripheral events
- Plans: to combine both into the generator DCM-QGSM-SMM

DCM-QGSM-SMM: Plans for Future

Any transport model with characteristics of binary collisions taken from exp. data overestimates particle production for heavy ion collisions

1. Modification of nucleon properties in heavy ion collisions
2. Inclusion of heavy resonances in binary collisions
3. Development of the mechanism of strangeness enhancement
4. Development of the mechanism of enhancement of mass spectra dileptons

Thank You!

Determination of Centrality by models

- **Number of Participants:** Glauber models, UrQMD, LAQGSM, **DCM-QGSM, DCM-SMM**
 - ✓ protons
 - ✓ neutrons
- **Number of Spectators:** LAQGSM, **DCM-QGSM. DCM-SMM**
 - protons
 - neutrons
 - nuclear fragments (stable and radioactive)

Models: DCM-QGSM vs DCM-SMM

DCM-QGSM

Step 1: Intranuclear Cascade

$E_{\text{Lab}} < 4.5 \text{ A GeV}$

Binary interactions: **Hadronic model**

hadrons \rightarrow hadrons (nucleons, hyperons, (non)strange mesons and resonances)

$E_{\text{Lab}} > 4.5 \text{ A GeV}$

Binary collisions: **QGSM**

hadrons \rightarrow quark-gluon strings \rightarrow hadrons (nucleons, hyperons, (non)strange mesons and resonances)

DCM-SMM

Step 1: Intranuclear Cascade

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Binary interactions: **Hadronic model**

The same...

$E_{\text{Lab}} > 4.5 \text{ A GeV}$

Binary collisions: **QGSM**

The same...

OverExcitation problem solution

DCM-QGSM

Before thermalisation **RN loses** high excitation energy and mass by

Preequilibrium emission of

p, n, d, t, ^3He , ^4He

and

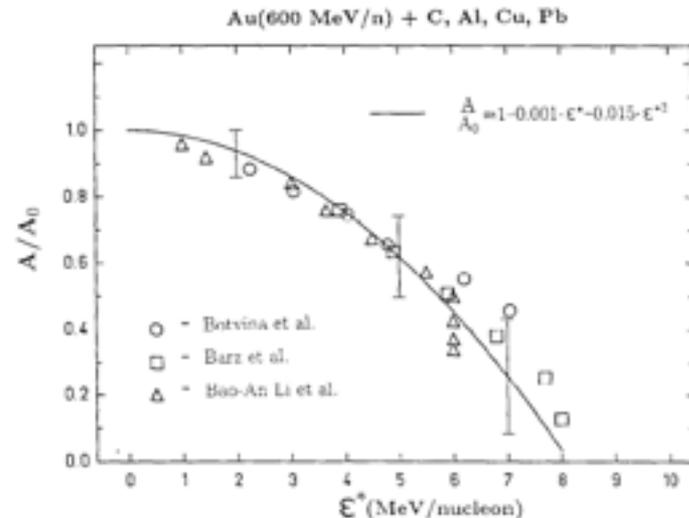
Sequential Evaporation

multistep emission of p, n, d, t, ^3He , ^4He

DCM-SMM

Recalculation of excitation energy according to **correlation** between **mass** and **excitation energy** of **RN**, derived from exp. data

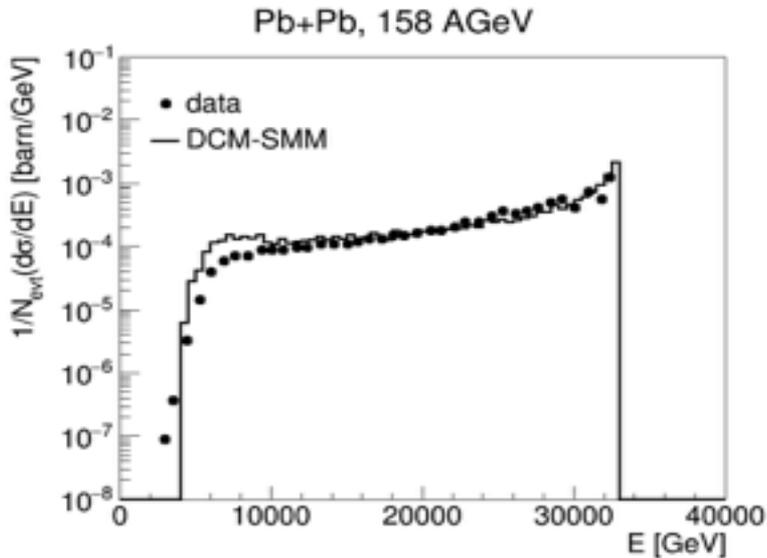
$$A/A_0 = 1 - 0.001\varepsilon^* - 0.015\varepsilon^{*2}$$



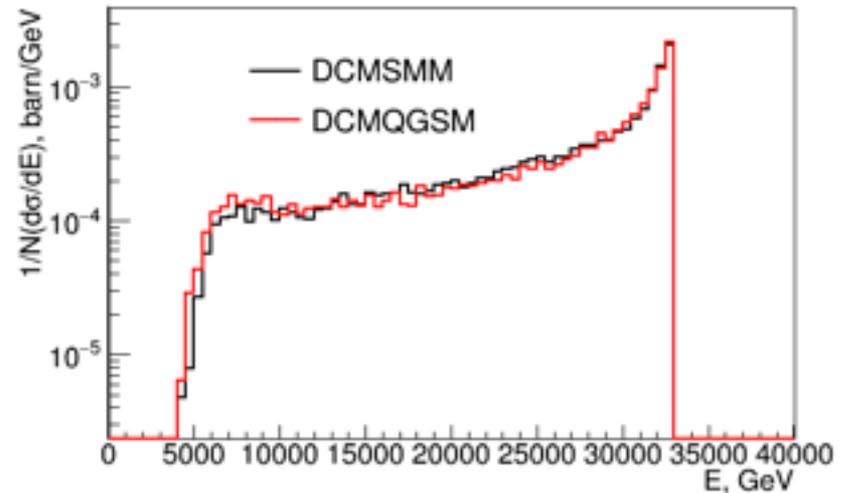
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Energy Spectra of Fragments

Comparison with NA49 data
Pb+Pb, 158 AGeV
Energy deposited in VCal



Agreement with data

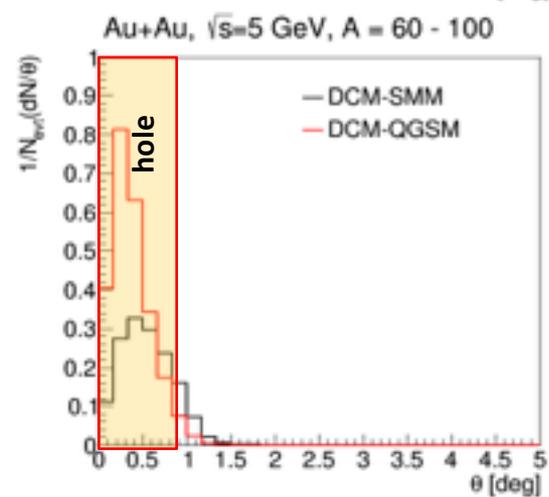
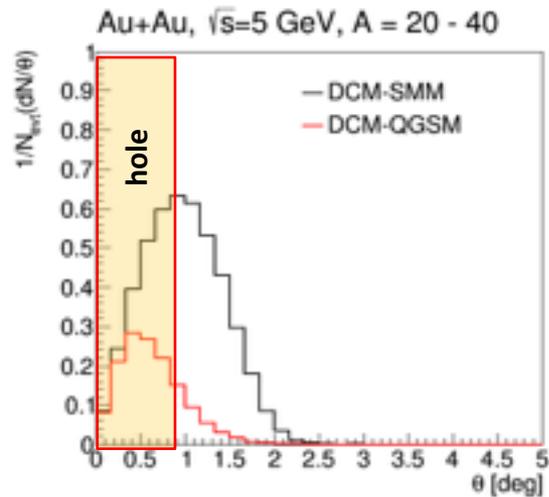
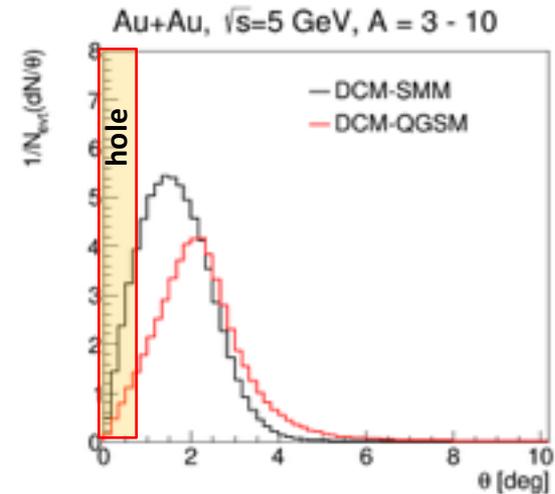
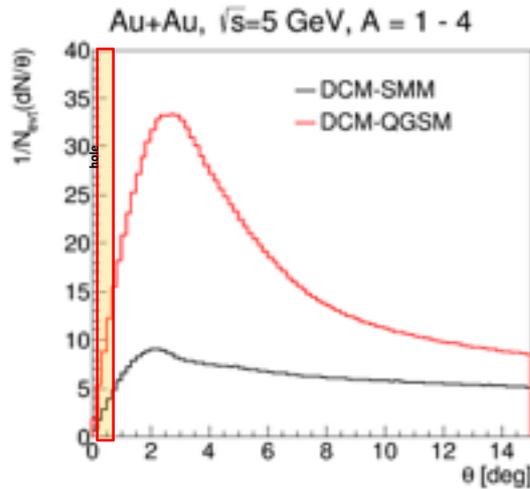


No difference in energy spectra

Models: DCM-QGSM vs DCM-SMM

Detailed analysis

Angular distributions of fragments



Baryonic matter under compression

At high compression

nucleons are converted into

- **delta isobars**

- **hyperons and their resonances**

- **higher mass resonances**

Their decay is suppressed

Scenario of nucleon modification

Higher compression



$$n, p \rightarrow \Delta$$

$$u, d \rightarrow s, \dots$$

$$n, p \rightarrow \Lambda, \Xi, \Omega, \dots$$

Hadron modifications in a dense nuclear medium

1. Hadronic matter at high density and temperature

Particle production in a hot and dense fireball

- π - production **is suppressed**
- vector mesons: $\rho, \omega, \varphi, K^*, \dots$ - are **dominating**
- ρ, ω – ‘**melting**’: mass dropping and width-broadening;
- Fireball ‘cooling’ \rightarrow decay of resonances