Elliptic and triangular flow for identified hadrons from the vHLLE+UrQMD for BiBi@9.2 GeV (Request 32)

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Anisotropic flow



- LHC/top RHIC: cross-over transition leading to the sQGP
- Beam-energy scan programs (RHIC/SPS/NICA/FAIR): search for 1st order phase transition, critical end point



$$v_n = \left\langle \cos\left[n\left(\phi - \Psi_{RP}\right)\right]\right\rangle$$

- Transfer of anisotropy from the initial coordinate space into the final momentum space via the thermalized medium
- Anisotropic flow is a sensitive probe of the sQGP properties (η/s, ζ/s, EoS)

Request 32

- Request 32: Flow vHLLE+UrQMD, 23M BiBi @ 9.2 GeV
- Event generator: vHLLE+UrQMD
- Detector response simulation: GEANT4
- Input root DST files at /scratch2/taranen/BiBi_ecm9.2GeV_hydro/part1 (/part2, /part3)

General distributions: Event



Observed a non-physical tail in the distribution Mult vs b

General distributions: Tracks



Centrality determination



The reasonable fit quality and good agreement of the impact parameter distribution with the model data for 0-60% centrality classes.

Methods for v_n measurements

Sub-event 2-particle Q-cumulants v2{2}: Δη=0.1 is applied between 2 sub-events A, B to suppress non-flow

$$Q_{n} = \sum_{i=1}^{M} e^{in\phi} \quad \langle 2 \rangle_{a|b} = \frac{Q_{n_{a}}Q_{n,b}^{*}}{M_{a}M_{b}} \quad v_{2}\{2\} = \sqrt{\langle \langle 2 \rangle \rangle_{a|b}} \quad (2)_{a|b} \quad (2)_{a|b}$$

• Event plane method: Δη=0.1

$$egin{aligned} Q_{n,x} &= \sum_i w_i \cos(n\phi_i) \ Q_{n,y} &= \sum_i w_i \sin(n\phi_i) \end{aligned} \qquad \Psi_n^{EP} &= rac{1}{n} an^{-1} \Big(rac{Q_{n,y}}{Q_{n,x}} \Big) \end{aligned} \qquad v_n &= rac{\langle \cos[n(\phi - \Psi_n^{EP})]
angle}{\sqrt{\langle \cos[n(\Psi_{n,a} - \Psi_{n,b})]
angle}} \end{aligned}$$

Here: $\omega_i - p_{T_i}$ transverse momentum of the i-th track in the TPC

- φ_{i} azimuthal angle of the i-th track in the TPC
- Ψ_n event plane angles

Method's details described in PRC 83 (2011), 044913 , EP method: Phys.Rev.C 77 (2008) 034904

Event plane Resolution



• Good agreement between $R_{MC}(\Psi_n)$ and $R_{reco}(\Psi_n)$

Comparison of Reco and MC: v₂ eta-sub EP



- Charged particles only
- Primary
- |η|<1.5
- $\Delta \eta = 0,1$
- p_T >0.2 GeV/c
- |DCA|<3σ
- nTPC hits ≥ 16
- PID: PDG code
- Good agreement of the $v_{2,mc}$ with $v_{2,reco}$ data
- □ The difference at large p_T between v_{2,mc} and v_{2,reco} (non-flow?)





Comparison of Reco and MC: v₃ eta-sub EP



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- Further research is required (need more statistics)

Conclusions

- Observed outlier events in the distribution Mult vs b typical for this model
- Centrality classes have been determined using the Inverse Bayes method. For this model, flow measurements (without cut on Mult vs b) are possible up to 50-60%
- There is a good agreement between $v_{2,mc}$ and $v_{2,reco}$. But there are differences at large p_{T} region contribution from non-flow.
- Current statistics are not enough for v_3 measurements.

BACKUP

QA test: Event

Charged only $|\eta| < 0.5$



Comparison of Reco and MC: v_3 SP



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- nTPC hits ≥ 16

 $|DCA| < 3\sigma$

р_т >0.2 GeV/c

Primary |n|<1.5

 $\Delta \eta = 0,1$

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Charged particles only

Comparison of Reco and MC: v₃ eta-sub EP



Cuts:

- Charged particles only
- Primary
- |η|<1.5
- Δη = 0,1
- p_T >0.2 GeV/c
- |DCA|<3σ
- nTPC hits ≥ 16
- PID: PDG code
- Further research is required (need more statistics)

Comparison of Reco and MC: v_2 eta-sub EP (different $\Delta \eta$)

MC events: impact parameter and reaction plane angle



General distributions: Event



Vtx: Anomalous peaks are visible. Source is unknown

Track: phi



DCA



QA test: Track (after cuts)



Energy



Reco







PID

(Anti)Protons



PID

