

Update on potential models

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Motivation

- Heavy Quarks are probes for the QGP

Bound states: Changes in spectral functions

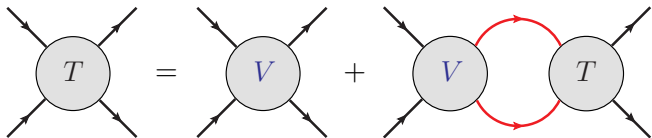
Transport observables: Relaxation rate

} Establish link!

- Open and hidden charm / bottom in common approach
- Non-perturbative information essential
→ Potential form IQCD
- Relativistic corrections
- Map out systematic uncertainties

T-Matrix formalism

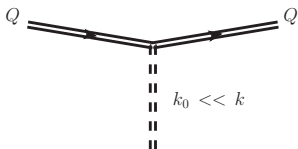
Start with the Bethe-Salpeter equation



Reduction: $4d \rightarrow 3d$ (Different schemes: BbS, Th, ...)

$$T(E, \vec{q}, \vec{k}) = V(\vec{q}, \vec{k}) + \int \frac{d^3 \vec{p}}{(2\pi)^3} V(\vec{q}, \vec{p}) G(E, \vec{p}) T(E, \vec{p}, \vec{k})$$

- Heavy quarks: $k_0 \ll k$
→ Potential
- One heavy quark determines kinematics
- Non-perturbative interactions
→ constrains from IQCD



Field theoretical Ansatz for the Potential

Megías, Arriola and Salcedo [05]

In perturbation theory:

$$e^{-F_1(r,T)/T} = e^{(g^2/(2N_c T^2)) \langle A_{0,a}(x) A_{0,a}(y) - A_{0,a}^2(x) \rangle} + \dots$$

Ansatz for propagator:

$$D_{00}(\vec{k}) = \frac{1}{k^2 + m_D^2} + \frac{m_G^2}{(k^2 + \tilde{m}_D^2)^2}$$

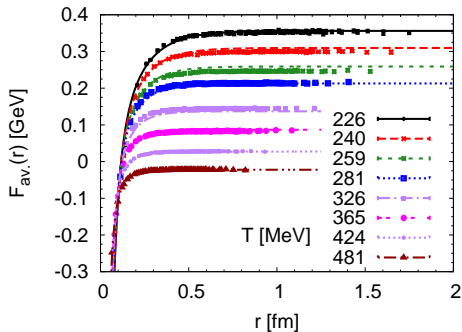
We arrive at:

$$\begin{aligned} F_a(r, T) &= F_a^C(r, T) + F_a^S(r, T) + F^\infty(T) \\ &= -\frac{4}{3}\alpha \left(\frac{C_a}{r} e^{-m_D r} + \frac{m_G^2}{2\tilde{m}_D} e^{-\tilde{m}_D r} \right) + \frac{4}{3}\alpha \left(\frac{m_G^2}{2\tilde{m}_D} - m_D \right) \end{aligned}$$

Casimir scaling only for the Coulomb term

Allows different relativistic factors for Coulomb and String

Determination of the parameters



Kaczmarek et. al. [07]
($n_f = 2 + 1$)

- Parameters: α_S , m_D , \tilde{m}_D , m_G
- Fit color averaged free Energy \rightarrow gauge invariant (\rightarrow requires again model)
- Fit in the region from $0.8 T_c$ to $2 T_c$
- Non-perturbative effects (string term) important at finite T

Potential

- What to use: F or U ?
- U has direct connection to $\langle H \rangle$: static limit: $U_1 = \langle H_{int.} \rangle$
- Studies in effective field theories seem to suggest F
- Bracket uncertainty by using F and U
- Quark self energy:

Heavy Quarks:

$$\begin{aligned} m_{eff} &= m_0 + \Sigma_Q(T) \\ &= m_0 + \frac{1}{2}X(\infty) \\ X &\in \{U_1, F_1\} \end{aligned}$$

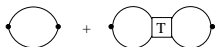
Light Quarks:

$$\begin{aligned} m_{th} &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}gT \\ m_q &= \sqrt{(m_q^0)^2 + (m_{th})^2} \\ m_u^0 &= m_d^0 = 0 \quad m_s^0 = 0.11\text{GeV} \end{aligned}$$

Additionally supply imaginary part: $\Gamma_{q,c} \sim 0.1 \text{ GeV}$
(connection to “imaginary potential” (e.g. Laine [07]))

Spectral functions and euclidian correlators

- Quarkonium spectral function:



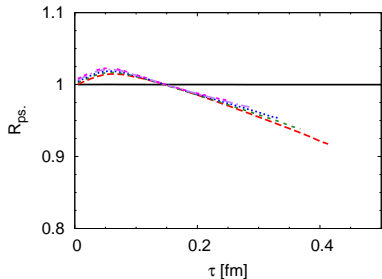
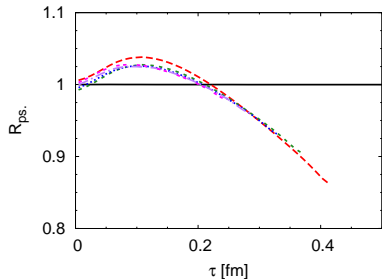
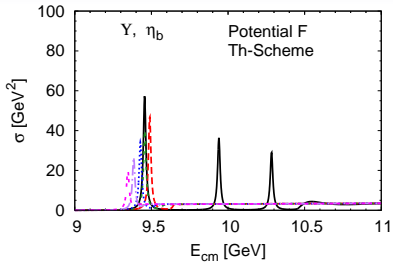
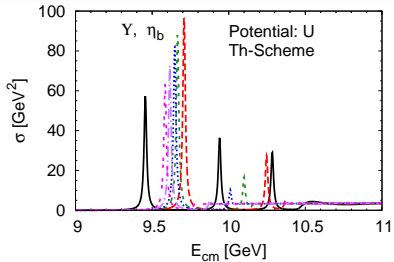
$$\sigma(\omega) = \frac{1}{\pi} \Im(\Gamma G \Gamma + \Gamma G T G \Gamma)$$

- In vacuum \rightarrow check spectrum
- In medium \rightarrow use Correlator ratios

$$R_G(\tau, T) = \frac{\int \sigma(\omega, T) K(\omega, \tau, T) d\omega}{\int \sigma(\omega, T_{rec.}) K(\omega, \tau, T) d\omega}$$

- Use vacuum spectral function for reconstruction
- Concentrate on pseudo-scalar channel
- Lattice suggests ratio $\sim 0.9 - 1.0$ (Jakovac [07], Aarts [07])

Results for $b\bar{b}$



$T=0 T_c$ —

$T=1.2 T_c$ - - -

$T=1.35 T_c$ - · - ·

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$T=1.75 T_c$ - · - ·

$T=2 T_c$ - · - ·

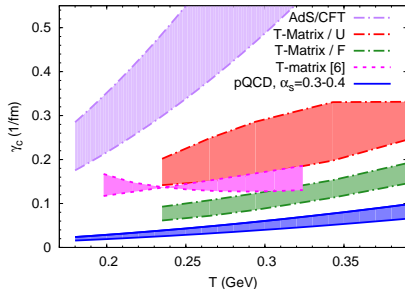
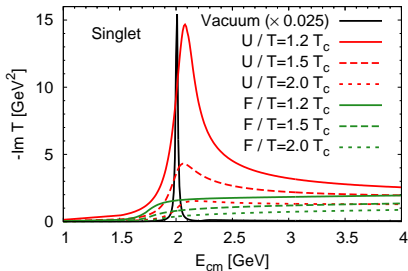
Charm quark transport

Heavy Quarks → Consider Fokker-Planck equation:

$$\frac{\partial f_Q}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial}{\partial p_i} (p_i A f_Q) + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial p_i \partial p_j} (B_{ij} f_Q)$$
$$A(\vec{p}) = \frac{1}{2 E_p} \int \frac{d^3 \vec{q}}{(2\pi)^3 2 E_q} \int \frac{d^3 \vec{q}'}{(2\pi)^3 2 E_{q'}} \int \frac{d^3 \vec{p}'}{(2\pi)^3 2 E_{p'}} \\ \times \frac{1}{\gamma_c} f_{kin.} \sum |T_{HL}|^2 (2\pi)^4 \delta(q + p - q' - p') f_B(\vec{q})$$

- Calculate heavy-light T-Matrix
- Sum over color channels and s- and p-waves.
- Include pQCD contribution from gluon interaction.
($\alpha_s = 0.4$)

Charm quark transport



- Feshbach resonance if U is used (melting at $\sim 1.5 T_c$)
- No resonance structures when using F
- $\gamma_c = A(0)$
- Non perturbative interactions
 \Rightarrow rate significantly larger than pQCD

Conclusions / Outlook

- Conclusions
 - T-matrix is a consistent thermodynamic approach for scattering and bound states
 - T-Matrix includes broad range of medium effects (quark self-energies, in-medium potential (IQCD), absorption, ...)
 - Open and hidden charm / bottom described in one approach (check with IQCD)
 - Link to transport properties (and constraints of them!)
 - [arXiv:1005:0769 \[hep-ph\]](#)
- Outlook
 - Calculation of correlator ratios also in other channels
 - Realistic quark spectral functions (zero modes)
 - What is the potential?
 - ...