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HYDRODYNAMIC FLUCTUATION IN RELATIVISTIC HEAVY ION COLLISIONS

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Outline

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Interpretation of data using hydro

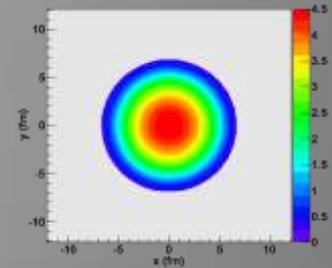
- Most of the people did not believe hydro description of the QGP (~ 1995)

coarse
graining
size

initial
profile

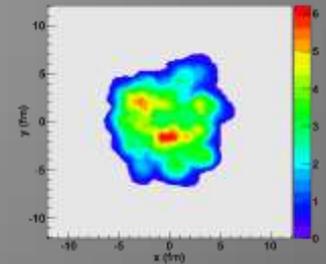
- Hydro at work to describe elliptic flow (~ 2001)

$d \lesssim 5 \text{ fm}$



- E-by-e hydro at work to describe higher harmonics (~ 2010)

$d \lesssim 1 \text{ fm}$



- Even in p+p and/or p+A?

$d \lesssim 1 \text{ fm?}$

?

Thermal Fluctuation

- Conventional hydro describes space-time evolution of (coarse-grained) thermodynamic quantities.
- Some of microscopic information must be lost through coarse-graining process.
- Does the lost information play an important role in dynamics on an e-by-e basis?
→ Thermal (Hydrodynamic) fluctuation!

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Green-Kubo Formula

$$\eta = \lim_{\omega \rightarrow 0} \lim_{q \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{2\omega} \int dt dx e^{i(\omega t - qx)} \\ \times \langle [T_{xy}(t, x), T_{xy}(0, 0)] \rangle$$

Slow dynamics \rightarrow How slow?

Macroscopic time scale $\sim 1/\omega \leftarrow t_{\text{macro}}$

Microscopic time scale $\sim \tau$

cf.) Long tail problem (liquid in 2D, glassy system, super-cooling, etc.)

Relaxation and Causality

Constitutive equations
at Navier-Stokes level

$$\pi^{\mu\nu} = 2\eta\partial^{\langle\mu}u^{\nu\rangle},$$

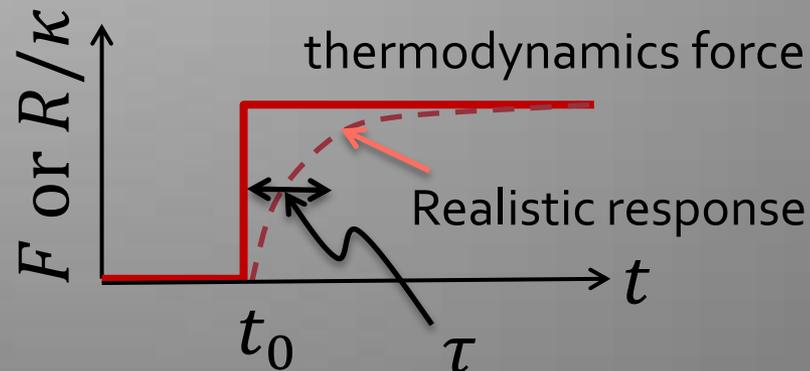
$$\Pi = -\zeta\partial_{\mu}u^{\mu},$$

...

Instantaneous response
violates causality

→ Critical issue in
relativistic theory

→ Relaxation plays an
essential role



Causal Hydrodynamics

Linear response to thermodynamic force

$$\Pi(t) = \int dt' G_R(t, t') F(t')$$

Retarded Green function (as an example)

$$G_R(t, t') = \frac{\kappa}{\tau} \exp\left(-\frac{t - t'}{\tau}\right) \theta(t - t')$$

Differential form

$$\dot{\Pi}(t) = -\frac{\Pi(t) - \kappa F(t)}{\tau}, \quad v_{\text{signal}} = \sqrt{\frac{\kappa}{\tau}} < c$$

 Maxwell-Cattaneo Eq. (simplified Israel-Stewart Eq.)

Relativistic Fluctuating Hydrodynamics (RFH)

Generalized Langevin Eq.

dissipative current

thermodynamic force

hydrodynamic fluctuation

$$\Pi(x) = \int d^4x' G_R(x, x') F(x') + \delta\Pi(x)$$

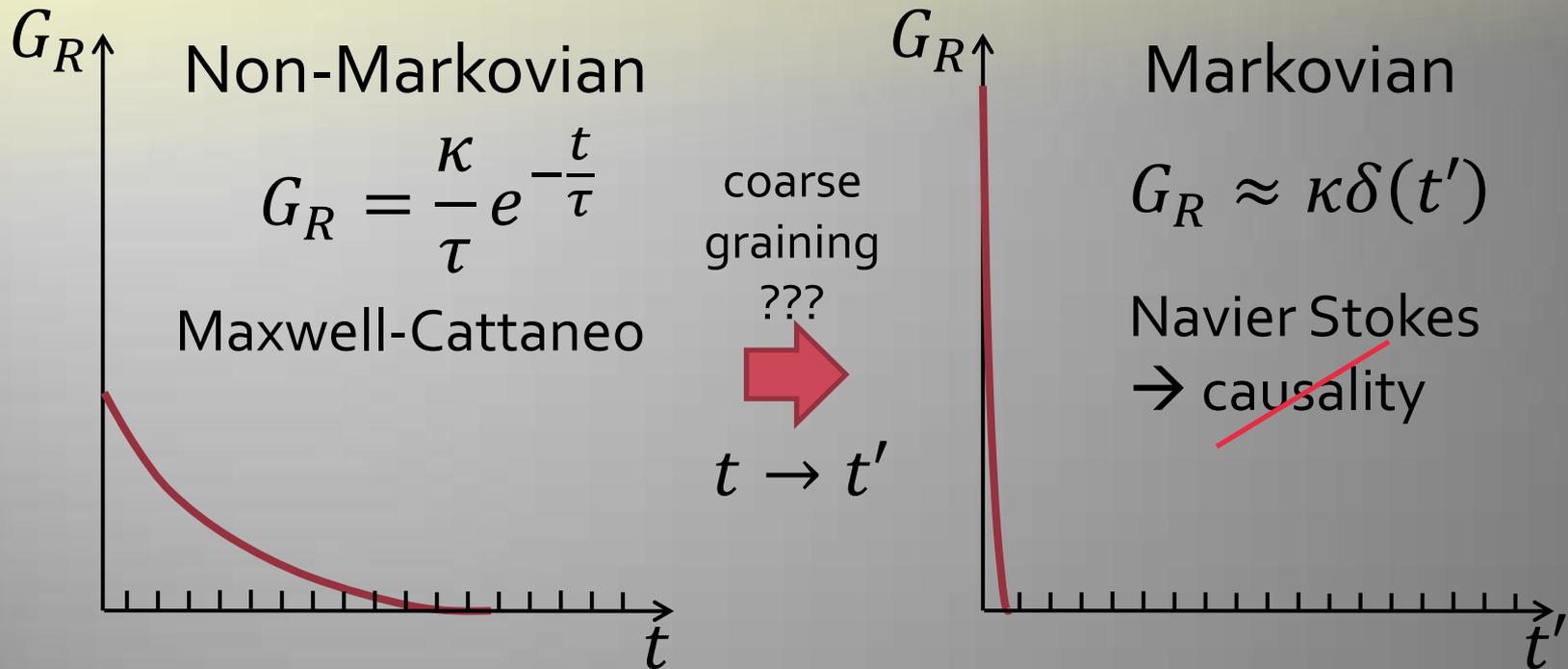
Fluctuation-Dissipation Relation (FDR)

$$\langle \delta\Pi(x) \delta\Pi(x') \rangle = T G^*(x, x')$$

G^* : Symmetrized correlation function

For non-relativistic case, see Landau-Lifshitz, Fluid Mechanics

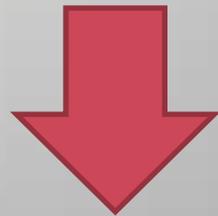
Coarse-Graining in Time



Existence of upper bound in coarse-graining time
(or lower bound of frequency) in relativistic theory???

Colored Noise in Relativistic System

$$G_R(t, t') = \frac{\kappa}{\tau} \exp\left(-\frac{t - t'}{\tau}\right) \theta(t - t')$$



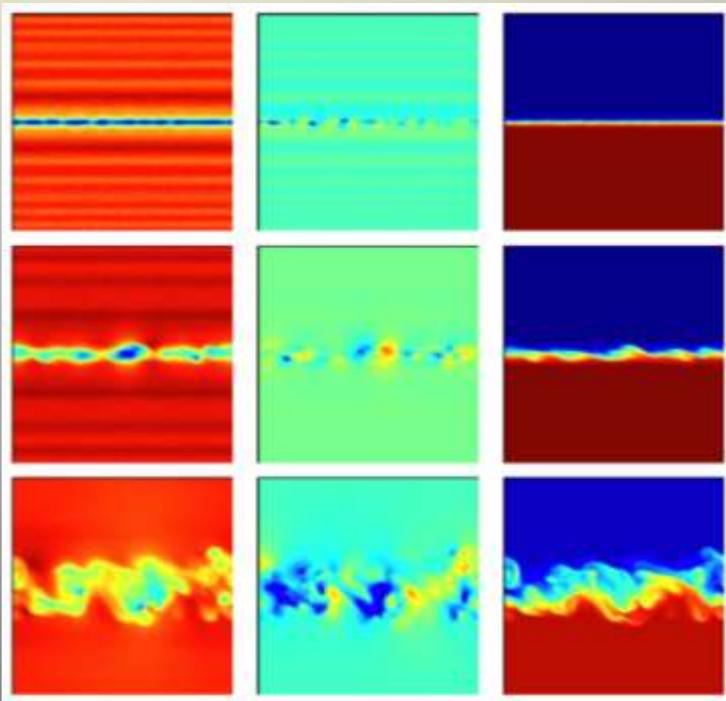
G^* : Extension to $t < t'$
Correlation in Fourier space

$$\langle \delta\Pi_{\omega, \mathbf{k}}^* \delta\Pi_{\omega', \mathbf{k}'} \rangle = 2\kappa \frac{(2\pi)^4 \delta(\omega - \omega') \delta^{(3)}(\mathbf{k} - \mathbf{k}')}{1 + \omega^2 \tau^2}$$

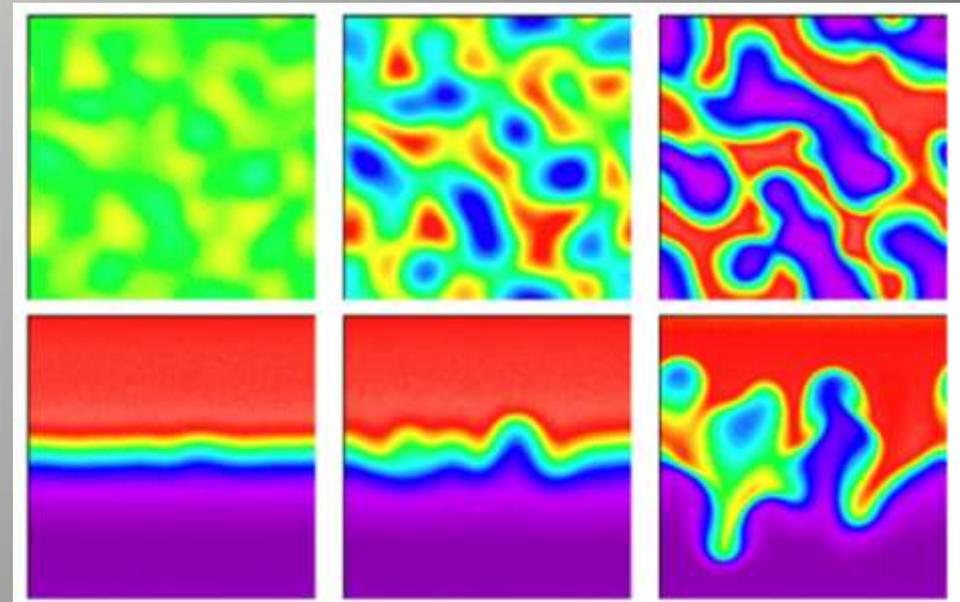
- Colored noise!
- (Indirect) consequence of causality
- Note: white noise in differential form

Need Fluctuation?

Ex.) Seeds for instabilities



Kelvin-Helmholtz instability



Rayleigh-Taylor instability

Non-linearity, instability, dynamic critical phenomena,...

Summary and Outlook

- Implement of hydrodynamic fluctuation into causal hydrodynamics
- Colored noise as a consequence of causality
- Numerical implementation and its consequences in observables
- Development of a more sophisticated dynamical model towards precision heavy-ion physics

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Fluctuation Appears Everywhere

