Heavy Quarkonium moving in a Quark-Gluon Plasma

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- Is this due, at least in part, to the fact that the in-medium properties of J/ψ depend on the velocity ?

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• $m \neq 0, T \neq 0$ case: contributions of energies above T are exponentially suppressed by Boltzmann factors

Non-Relativistic QED (T=0)

$$\mathcal{L}_{NRQED} = -\frac{1}{4} d_1 F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} + \frac{d_2}{m^2} F_{\mu\nu} D^2 F^{\mu\nu} + N^{\dagger} i D^0 N + + \psi^{\dagger} (i D^0 + \frac{\mathbf{D}^2}{2m} + \frac{\mathbf{D}^4}{8m^3} + c_F e \frac{\boldsymbol{\sigma} \mathbf{B}}{2m} + c_D e \frac{\boldsymbol{\nabla} \mathbf{E}}{8m^2} + + i c_S e \frac{\boldsymbol{\sigma} (\mathbf{D} \times \mathbf{E} - \mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{D})}{8m^2}) \psi$$

(Caswell, Lepage, 1986)

Potential NRQED (T=0)

$$\begin{split} L_{pNRQED} &= -\int d^3 \mathbf{x} \frac{1}{4} F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} + \int d^3 \mathbf{x} S^{\dagger}(t, \mathbf{x}) \left(i D_0 + \frac{\boldsymbol{\nabla}^2}{2m} + \frac{Z\alpha}{|\mathbf{x}|} + \frac{\boldsymbol{\nabla}^4}{8m^3} + \frac{Ze^2}{m^2} \left(-\frac{c_D}{8} + 4d_2 \right) \delta^3(\mathbf{x}) + i c_S \frac{Z\alpha}{4m^2} \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \left(\frac{\mathbf{x}}{|\mathbf{x}|^3} \times \boldsymbol{\nabla} \right) \right) S(t, \mathbf{x}) \\ &+ \int d^3 \mathbf{x} S^{\dagger}(t, \mathbf{x}) e \mathbf{x} \cdot \mathbf{E} S(t, \mathbf{x}) \,. \end{split}$$

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(Pineda, Soto, 1997)

Hard Thermal Loops EFT (m=0)

$$\delta \mathcal{L}_{HTL} = \frac{1}{2} m_D^2 F^{\mu\alpha} \int \frac{d\Omega}{4\pi} \frac{k_\alpha k_\beta}{-(k.\partial)^2} F^{\mu\beta} + m_e^2 \bar{\psi} \gamma^\mu \int \frac{d\Omega}{4\pi} \frac{k_\mu}{k.\partial} \psi$$
$$k = (1, \mathbf{\hat{k}}), \qquad m_D^2 = e^2 T^2/3, \qquad m_e^2 = e^2 T^2/8$$

(Braaten, Pisarsky, 1992)

The $v \neq 0$ case

• Bound state at rest, the medium moves at velocity v (Weldom, 82)

$$f(\beta k^0) \rightarrow f(\beta^{\mu} k_{\mu}) = \frac{1}{e^{|\beta^{\mu} k_{\mu}|} \pm 1}, \ \beta^{\mu} = \frac{\gamma}{T}(1, \mathbf{v})$$

$$v=|\mathbf{v}|$$
, $\gamma=1/\sqrt{1-v^2}$

- O(3) rotational symmetry is reduced to O(2)
- In light cone coordinates $k_+ = k_0 + k_3$, $k_- = k_0 k_3$

$$\beta^{\mu}k_{\mu} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{k_{+}}{T_{+}} + \frac{k_{-}}{T_{-}} \right) , \ T_{+} = T \sqrt{\frac{1+v}{1-v}} , \ T_{-} = T \sqrt{\frac{1-v}{1+v}}$$

- For $v \not\sim 1$ (moderate velocities), $T_+ \sim T \sim T_-$
- For $v \sim 1$ (relativistic velocities), $T_+ \gg T \gg T_-$
 - Collinear region, $k_+ \sim T_+$, $k_- \sim T_-$
 - Soft (ultrasoft) region, $k_+ \sim k_- \sim T_-$

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• For $T = \beta^{-1} \gg m \alpha^2 / n^2$,

$$\begin{split} \delta E_{nlm} = & \frac{2\pi C_F T^2}{3} \left[\frac{\alpha_s}{m_Q} + \frac{N_c \alpha_s^2}{2} \langle r \rangle_{nlm} + \\ & + \frac{N_c \alpha_s^2}{2} \langle r \rangle_{nlm} (1 - 3f(v)) \langle 2l00|l0 \rangle \langle 2l0m|lm \rangle \right] \\ & + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s r^2 E^3, \alpha_s^2 r^2 T^3) \end{split}$$

$$f(v) = \frac{1}{v^3} \left(v(2 - v^2) - 2(1 - v^2) \tanh^{-1}(v) \right)$$

• For $l \neq 0$ the energy shift already depends on the velocity at LO !

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• For $T = \beta^{-1} \gg m \alpha^2 / n^2$,

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$$h_{lm}(v) = \left[\left(1 - \frac{3}{v^2} \right) \log \left(\frac{1+v}{1-v} \right) + \frac{6}{v} \right] \langle 2l00|l0\rangle \langle 2l0m|lm\rangle$$

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Ultrarelativistic velocity ($v \sim 1$)

- Two cases analysed in detail:
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- The $T_+ \sim m \gg m \alpha / n \gg T_- \gg m \alpha^2 / n^2$ case:
 - QED must be used as a starting point
 - Match to NRQED + SCET
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- Agreement with the $v \rightarrow 1$ limit of the $v \not\sim 1$ case

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- One next matches to pNRQED, obtaining a v and T
 dependent potential

$$V(r,T) = -\frac{\alpha e^{-m_D r}}{r} - \alpha m_D + i\alpha T \phi(m_D r) + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{\alpha T^2}{m_\mu}\right)$$

$$\phi(x) = 2 \int_0^\infty \frac{dzz}{(z^2 + 1)^2} \left[\frac{\sin(zx)}{zx} - 1 \right]$$

- It has an imaginary part ! (Laine, Philipsen, Romatschke, Tassler, 06; Escobedo, JS, 08; Brambilla, Ghiglieri, Vairo, Petreczky, 08)
- The disociation temperature becomes

$$T_d \sim m_\mu \alpha^{2/3} / \ln^{1/3} \alpha < m_\mu \alpha^{1/2}$$

where $m_{\mu}\alpha^{1/2}$ is the scale of the disociation temperature for the screening mechanism (Matsui, Satz, 86)

- $\Re V(r,T)$ calculated before (Chu, Matsui, 89)
- V(r,T) is given by the Fourier transform of the longitudinal photon propagator $\Delta_{11}(k)$ at $k^0 = 0$ in the *v*-dependent HTL Lagrangian

$$\Delta_{11}(k) = \frac{1}{2} [\Delta_R(k) + \Delta_A(k) + \Delta_S(k)]$$

 $\Delta_R^*(k) = \Delta_A(k)$, $\Delta_S(k)$ contains the imaginary part

• $\Delta_S(k)$ must be calculated through the following formula, which differs from the one of the v = 0 case (Carrington, Hou, Thoma, 97)

$$\Delta_S(k,u) = \frac{\Pi_S(k,u)}{2i\Im\Pi_R(k,u)} (\Delta_R(k,u) - \Delta_A(k,u))$$

 $u = \gamma(1, \mathbf{v})$. Recall that in the real time formalism $\Pi_R = \Pi_{11} + \Pi_{12}$, $\Pi_S = \Pi_{11} + \Pi_{22}$, $\Delta_R(k) = 1/(\mathbf{k}^2 - \Pi_R)$

• $\Pi_R(k, u)$ is a (complex) function of v and θ , $\mathbf{kv} = |\mathbf{k}| v \cos \theta$, that reduces to $-m_D^2$ when v = 0

$$\Pi_R(k,u) = -m_D^2(v,\theta) = -\left(a(z) + \frac{b(z)}{1 - v^2}\right) \quad , \quad z = \frac{v\cos\theta}{\sqrt{1 - v^2\sin^2\theta}}$$

$$a(z) = \frac{m_D^2}{2} \left[z^2 - (z^2 - 1)\frac{z}{2} \ln\left(\frac{z + 1 + i\epsilon}{z - 1 + i\epsilon}\right) \right]$$
$$b(z) = (z^2 - 1) \left[a(z) - m_D^2(1 - z^2) \left(1 - \frac{z}{2} \ln\left(\frac{z + 1 + i\epsilon}{z - 1 + i\epsilon}\right)\right) \right]$$

We obtain

$$\Pi_S(k,u) = \frac{i2\pi m_D^2 T (1-v^2)^{3/2} (1+\frac{v^2}{2}\sin^2\theta)}{|\mathbf{k}|(1-v^2\sin^2\theta)^{5/2}} = i\frac{2\pi m_D^2 T}{\mathbf{k}}f(v,\theta)$$

The $m\alpha/n \ll T \ll m$ case at $v \neq 0$





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• The particular case $T \gg 1/r \sim 1/a_0 \gg m_D \gg E$ for 1S states

$$\Gamma_1^{s-wave} = 2\alpha_s C_F T m_D^2 \int_{-1}^1 d\cos\theta f(v,\theta) \times \int_{-1}^\infty \frac{dkk}{(k^2 + m^2)^2 q(z,w)} \left(1 - \frac{1}{(k^2 + m^2)^2 q(z,w)}\right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{(k^2 + m^2)^2 q(z,w)}\right)$$

$$J_0 \quad (k^2 + m_D^2 g(z, v))(k^2 + m_D^2 g^*(z, v)) \ \left(1 + \frac{k^2 a_0^2}{4} \right)^2 \Big)$$

$$\Gamma_1^{s-wave} = \frac{2\alpha_s C_F T m_D^2 a_0^2}{\sqrt{1-v^2}} \left[\log\left(\frac{2}{m_D a_0}\right) + \mathcal{O}(1) \right]$$

$$\frac{\Gamma_1^{s-wave}(v)}{\Gamma_1^{s-wave}(v=0)} \sim \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-v^2}}$$

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 - For $v \to 1$, new scales appear, analogous analysis leads to,

$$\Gamma \sim \alpha_s T \sqrt{1 - v^2} \quad , \quad \delta E \to \text{const.}$$

Numerical results:



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• The $\Upsilon(1S)$ spectral function at $v \neq 0$



Comparison with lattice results

- The $T \leq m\alpha/n$ case: compatible with Aarts, Allton, Kim, Lombardo, Oktay, Ryan, Sinclair, Skullerud, 2012, negative signal for $v \leq 0.2$.
- The $m\alpha/n \ll T \ll m$ case: compatible with Nonaka, Asakawa, Kitazawa, Kohno, 2011:

p	v	Γ_{lattice} (MeV)	$\Gamma \sim 1/\sqrt{1-v^2}$ (MeV)
0	0	106	input
6	0.6	135	132
7	0.65	134	139
8	0.67	128	142

Comparison with continuum approaches

- The $T \lesssim m \alpha / n$ case:
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- The $m\alpha/n \ll T \ll m$ case:
 - Weak coupling: compatible with NLO calculation of Song, Park, Lee, Wong, 2008 and with Dominguez, Wu, 2009.
 - Strong coupling: spectral functions in qualitative agreement with the AdS/QCD calculations of Myers, Sinha, 2008; Fujita, Fukushima, Misumi, Murata, 2009.
 - Stability at ultrarelativistic velocities missed before. OK with Kopeliovich, Potashnikova, Schmidt, Siddikov, 2014.

Consistent with arguments and results of Zhao, Rapp, 2008.

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- This suggests a non-trivial behavior of the yields as a function of the transverse momentum