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**The effect of electric and chiral magnetic conductivities on  
azimuthally fluctuating electromagnetic fields and observables  
in isobar collisions.**

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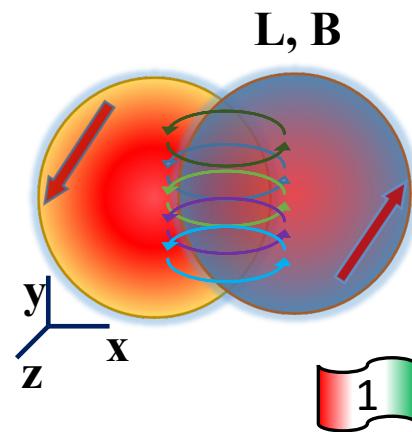
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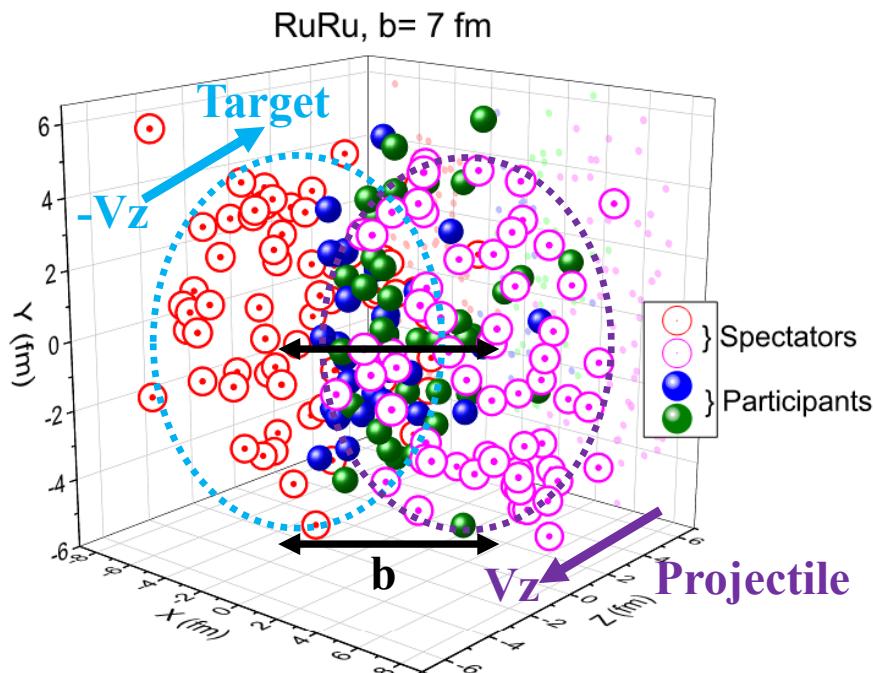


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- **Introduction & Motivation**
- **EM fields with and without medium feedback**
- **Numerical Results**
- **Summary**

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# Magnetic field in HICs

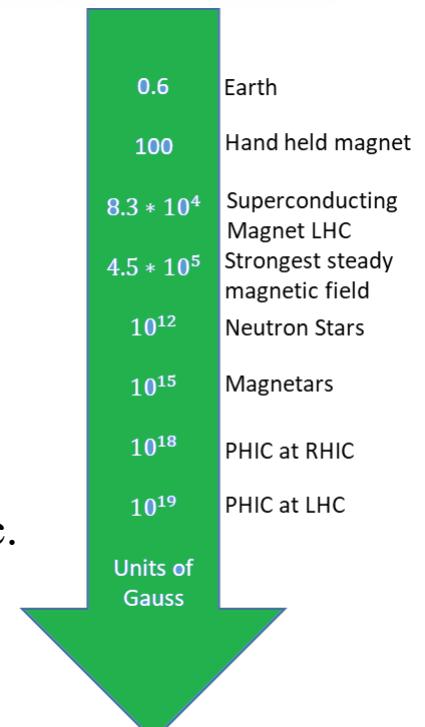
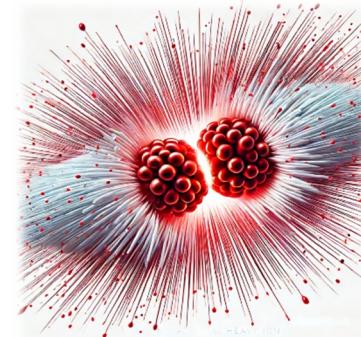


## Extremely Strong magnetic fields

x-axis impact parameter  
z-axis beam direction

### B Fields perpendicular to reaction plane

- Influencing the dynamics of QGP
- CME etc
- Time evolution and spatial distribution etc.



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# Electromagnetic Fields in HICs

- Without medium feedback:

- Use of Event generator/ transport model
- Use Lienard-Wiechert potential

$$\mathbf{E} = \frac{e}{4\pi} \sum_n \frac{(1 - v_n^2) \mathbf{R}_n}{(\mathbf{R}_n^2 - (\mathbf{R}_n \times \mathbf{v}_n)^2)^{3/2}}$$

$$\mathbf{B} = \frac{e}{4\pi} \sum_n \frac{(1 - v_n^2)(\mathbf{v}_n \times \mathbf{R}_n)}{(\mathbf{R}_n^2 - (\mathbf{R}_n \times \mathbf{v}_n)^2)^{3/2}}$$

Here  $\mathbf{R}_n = \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{x}_n$  is the relative position vector between the field point  $\mathbf{x}$  and the source point  $\mathbf{x}_n$

- Over estimate or underestimate

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$$\therefore \Gamma(a, z) = \int_z^\infty dt t^{a-1} \exp(-t)$$

- With medium feedback ( $\sigma$  &  $\sigma_\chi$ ):

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} = 0$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{E} = \rho/\epsilon$$

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{E} = -\partial_t \mathbf{B}$$

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{B} = \partial_t \mathbf{E} + \mathbf{j}_{ext} + \sigma \mathbf{E} + \sigma_\chi \mathbf{B}$$

$$B_\phi = \frac{Q}{4\pi} \frac{v\gamma x_T}{\Delta^{3/2}} \left( 1 + \frac{\sigma v\gamma}{2} \sqrt{\Delta} \right) e^A$$

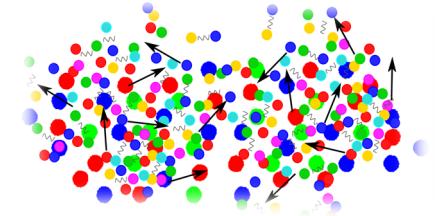
$$B_r = -\sigma_\chi \frac{Q}{8\pi} \frac{v\gamma^2 x_T}{\Delta^{3/2}} (\gamma(vt - z) + A\sqrt{\Delta}) e^A$$

$$B_z = \sigma_\chi \frac{Q}{8\pi} \frac{v\gamma}{\Delta^{3/2}} e^A \left[ \Delta \left( 1 - \frac{\sigma v\gamma}{2} \sqrt{\Delta} \right) + \gamma^2 (vt - z)^2 \left( 1 + \frac{\sigma v\gamma}{2} \sqrt{\Delta} \right) \right]$$

$$E_\phi = \sigma_\chi \frac{Q}{8\pi} \frac{v^2 \gamma^2 x_T}{\Delta^{3/2}} (\gamma(vt - z) + A\sqrt{\Delta}) e^A$$

$$E_r = \frac{Q}{4\pi} \left[ \frac{vx_T}{\Delta^{3/2}} \left( 1 + \frac{\sigma v\gamma}{2} \sqrt{\Delta} \right) - \frac{\sigma}{vx_T} \left( 1 + \frac{v\gamma(t - z/v)}{\sqrt{\Delta}} \right) e^{-\sigma(t-z/v)} \right] e^A$$

$$E_z = \frac{Q}{4\pi} \left\{ -\frac{1}{\Delta^{3/2}} \left[ v\gamma \left( t - \frac{z}{v} \right) + A\sqrt{\Delta} + \frac{\sigma\gamma}{v} \right] e^A + \frac{\sigma^2}{v^2} e^{-\sigma(t-\frac{z}{v})} \Gamma(0, -A) \right\}$$



**QGP**

Maxwell Eqs.

Finite conductivities

# Isobar collisions ( $\text{Ru}_{44}^{96} + \text{Ru}_{44}^{96}$ & $\text{Zr}_{40}^{96} + \text{Zr}_{40}^{96}$ )

The difference in number of protons can generate different magnitudes of electromagnetic fields and related induced effects, but the same mass number in two isobar systems can generate the same background effect .

Woods-Saxon distribution for Ru and Zr

$$\rho = \frac{\rho_0}{1 + \exp \left[ \frac{r - R(1 + \beta_2 Y_{20} + \beta_4 Y_{40})}{a} \right]}$$

$\beta_i$  deformation parameter

$Y_i(\theta)$  spherical harmonic functions

$f$  surface thickness parameter

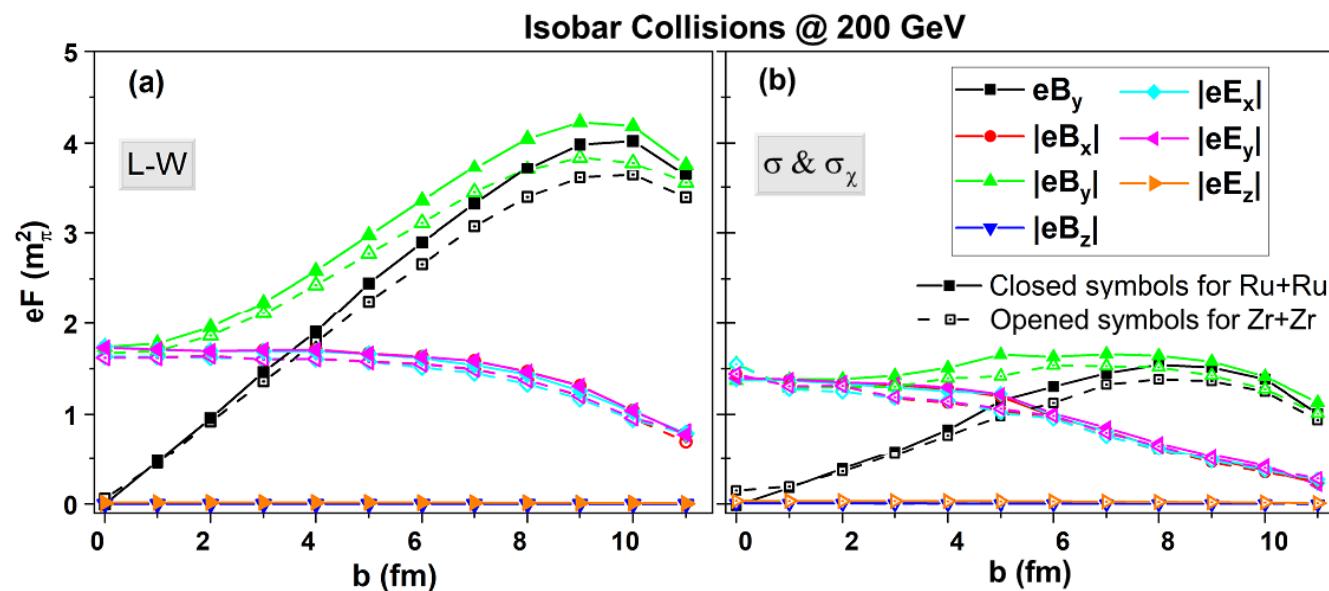
Deformed Nuclei Case			
	$R_0$	$a$	$\beta_2$
Ru	5.085	0.46	0.158
Zr	5.020	0.46	0.08
Halotype Nuclei Case			
Ru, n	5.085	0.523	0
Ru, p	5.085	0.523	0
Zr, n	5.021	0.592	0
Zr, p	5.021	0.523	0

Woods-Saxon parameters for Ru and Zr

**MCGlauber model**

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## Impact parameter dependence



Compared at  $t = t_Q$  (peak value time)

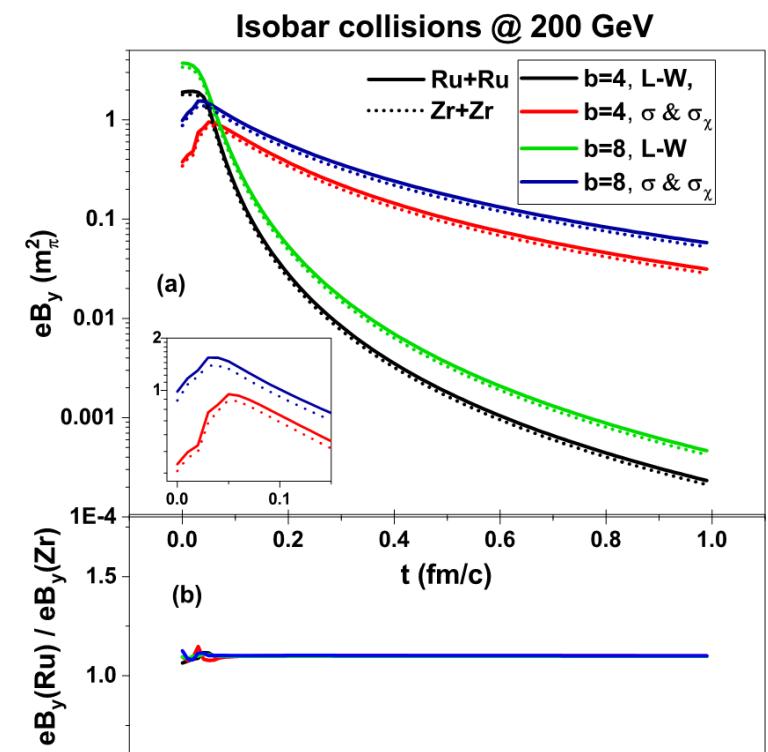
$$\begin{aligned} \sigma &= 5.8 \text{ MeV} \\ \sigma_\chi &= 1.5 \text{ MeV} \end{aligned}$$

$$eF_{Au} > eF_{Ru} > eF_{Zr}$$

$$|eB_x| \approx |eE_x| \approx |eE_y|$$

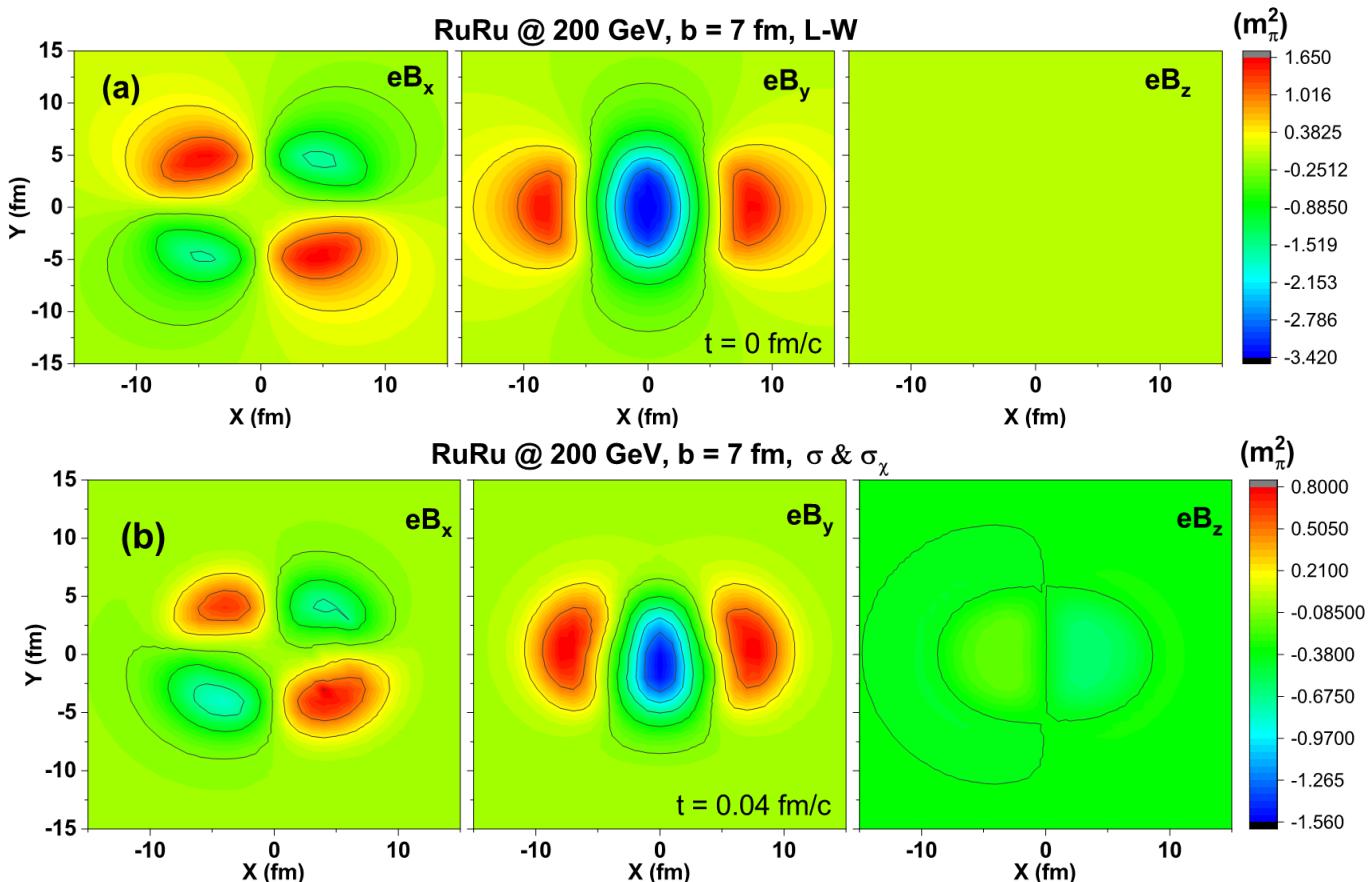
$$eF_z \ll eF_{x,y} \sim 0$$

## Time-Evolution



- Damps slower
- Ratio  $\sim 10\%$

# Spatial Distribution



- Inhomogeneous
- L-W symmetrical
- With  $\sigma$  &  $\sigma_\chi$  partially symmetric
- Asymmetry due to non vanishing radial component in the presence of  $\sigma_\chi$ .

## Effects on correlation

According to the expectations from CME, the difference between the correlation of opposite charge pairs and same charge pairs is expected to be directly proportional to the strength of the squared magnetic field and  $\cos 2(\Psi_B - \Psi_2)$ ,

$$\Delta\gamma = \gamma_{opposite} - \gamma_{same} \propto (eB)^2 \cos 2(\Psi_B - \Psi_2)$$

Quantitative contribution to B-induced effect

Where  $\Psi_B$  represents the azimuthal angle of the magnetic field and  $\Psi_2$  represents the second harmonic participant plane

$$\Psi_n = \frac{\text{atan} 2(\langle r_p^2 \sin(n\phi_p) \rangle, \langle r_p^2 \cos(n\phi_p) \rangle + \pi)}{n}$$

$$X_c = 2 \frac{c^{Ru} - c^{Zr}}{c^{Ru} + c^{Zr}} , \text{ Relative Ratios}$$

For similarity or dissimilarity

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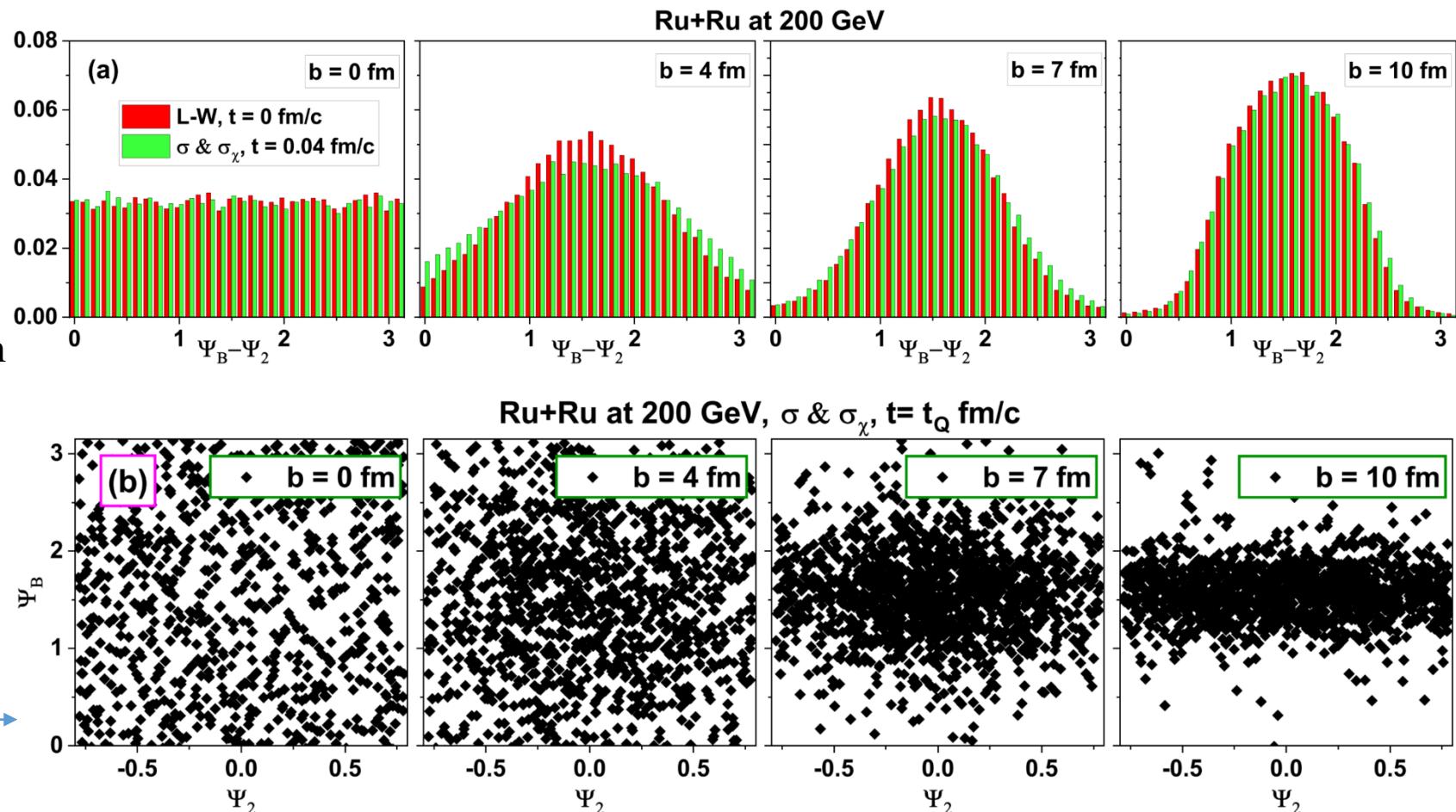
# Correlations between magnetic field and participant plane

Histogram  $\Psi_B - \Psi_2$

$b = 0 \text{ fm}$  ✗ no correlation

$b > 0 \text{ fm}$  ✓ correlation

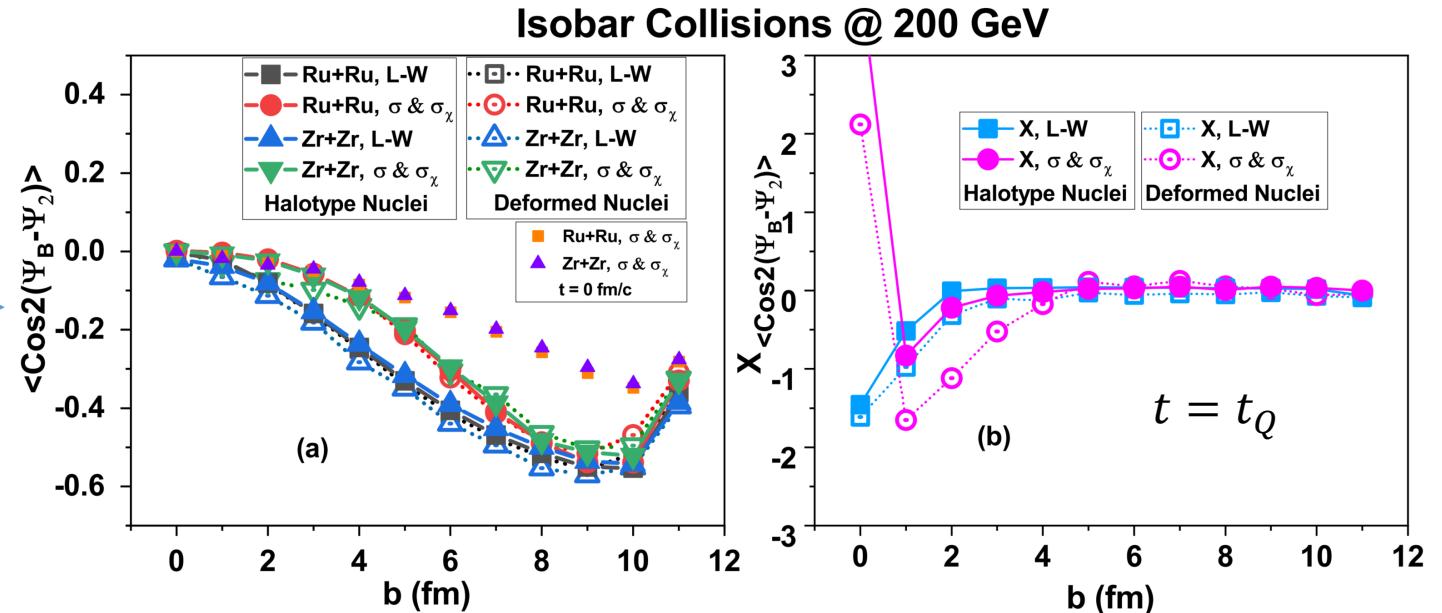
2D distribution plot  
for  $\Psi_B$  and  $\Psi_2$



- Fluctuates strongly in azimuthal direction
- $b > 0 \text{ fm}$  the concentration of distributions at  $(\Psi_B, \Psi_2) = (\pi/2, 0)$  indicating correlation

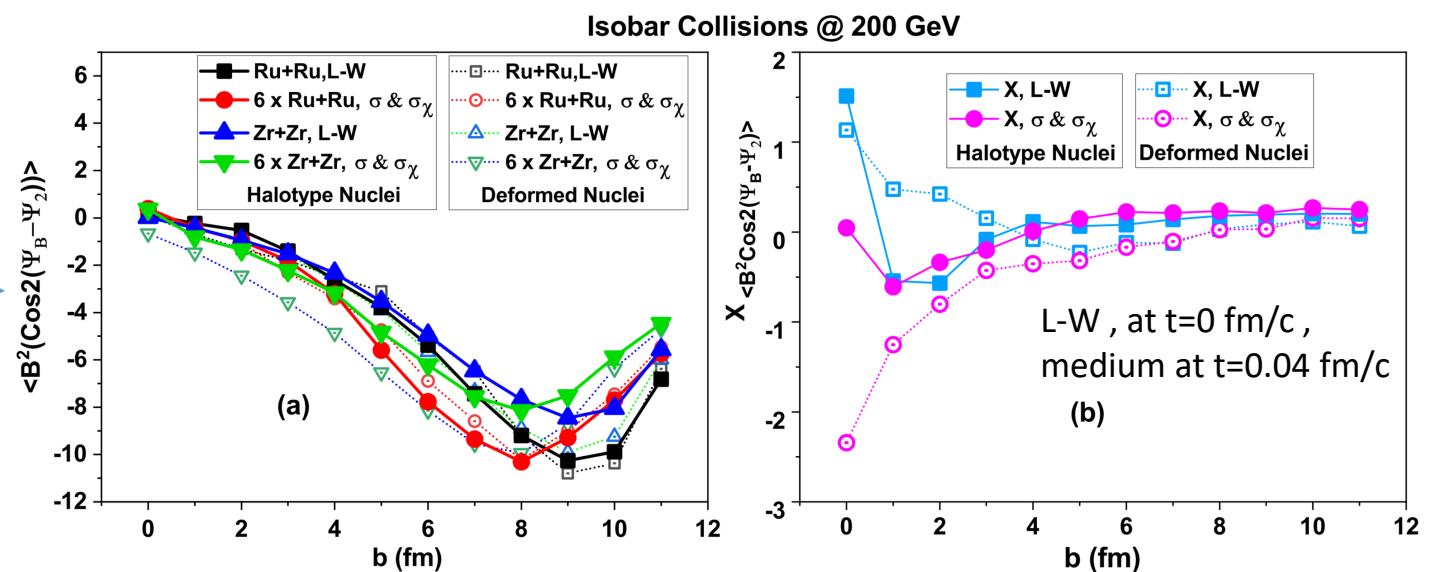
**1.  $\cos 2(\Psi_B - \Psi_2)$**

Correlation for azimuthal  
Fluctuations of magnetic field



**2.  $(eB)^2 \cos 2(\Psi_B - \Psi_2)$**

Inherits influence from both  
strength of magnetic field and  
 $\cos 2(\Psi_B - \Psi_2)$



$$3. \langle (eB)^2 \cos 2(\Psi_B - \Psi_2) \rangle_t$$

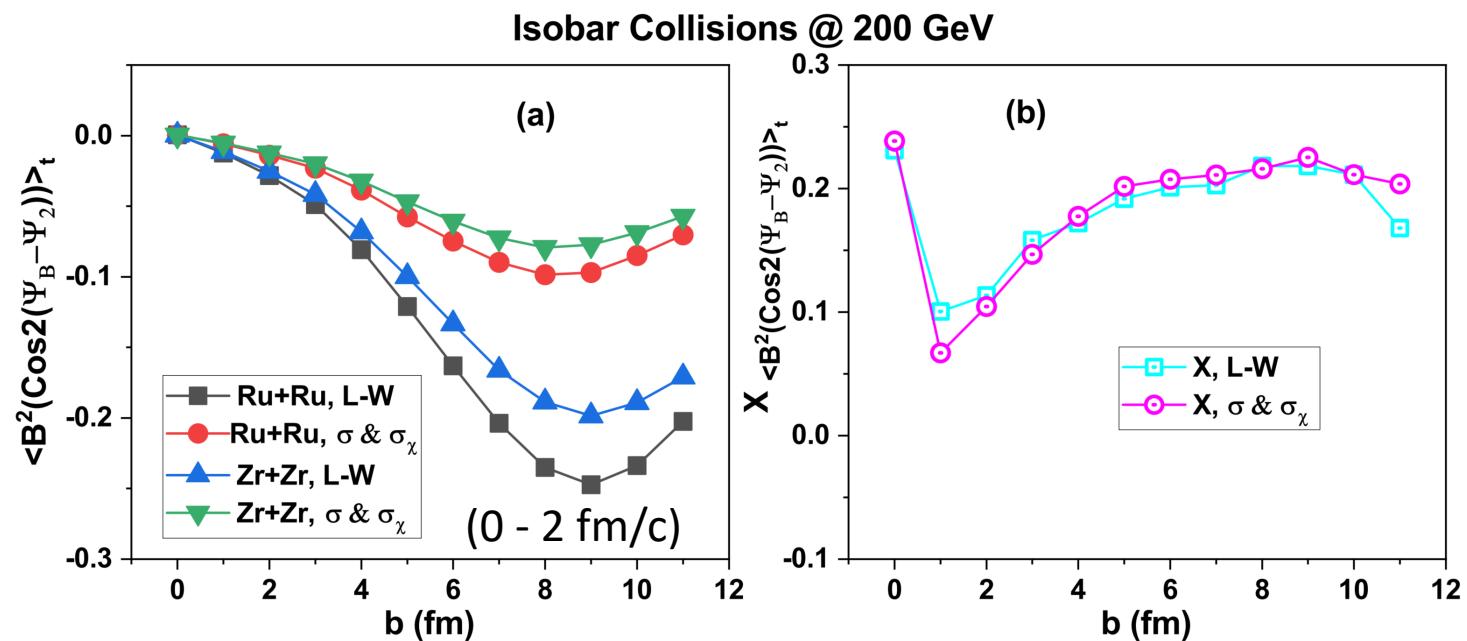
$$\langle \mathbf{G} \rangle_t(x) \equiv \frac{\int \mathbf{G}(t, x) dt}{\int dt} \quad \therefore \mathbf{G} \equiv (eF)^2 \cos 2(\Psi_F - \Psi_2)$$

**F is B or E**

## Time-averaged correlation

EM fields behavior varies with respect to both time and space, so their impact on physical observables should be at average level in lifespan of quark and nuclear matter. To quantify the average effects of correlators on physical observables time-averaged correlation can be defined

$$\langle \mathbf{G} \rangle_t(x) \equiv \frac{\sum_i \mathbf{G}(t_i, x) \Delta t_i}{\sum_i \Delta t_i}$$



## Summary

Effects of the electric ( $\sigma$ ) and chiral magnetic ( $\sigma$ ) conductivities on the space and time evolution of the electromagnetic fields.

Partially asymmetric spatial distribution as compared to zero-conductivity system.

Decay in the presence of conductivities is much slower as compared to zero conductivity system.

Studied effect on magnetic field related correlations which reflect the importance of taking into account medium feedback.

