

Extracting the baryon diffusion coefficient of the hot and dense strongly interacting matter with Bayesian method

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In a recent study, it was proposed that the rapidity odd directed flow splitting of proton and anti-proton observed in relativistic heavy ion collisions can be explained by incorporating the baryon diffusion effect into the hydrodynamic evolution of the strongly interacting matter created in heavy-ion collisions. However, extracting this coefficient from hydrodynamic simulations is a computationally intensive and numerically challenging task. To address this, we employ a statistically robust and sophisticated Bayesian analysis framework to estimate the baryon diffusion coefficient from hydro-simulated data by calibrating the model parameters against STAR experimental data at $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 19.6$ GeV.

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