

the collaboration project for **Cluster Subgroup**:

“Turbulence, Magnetic fields, and Particle Acceleration in High beta Intracluster Medium”

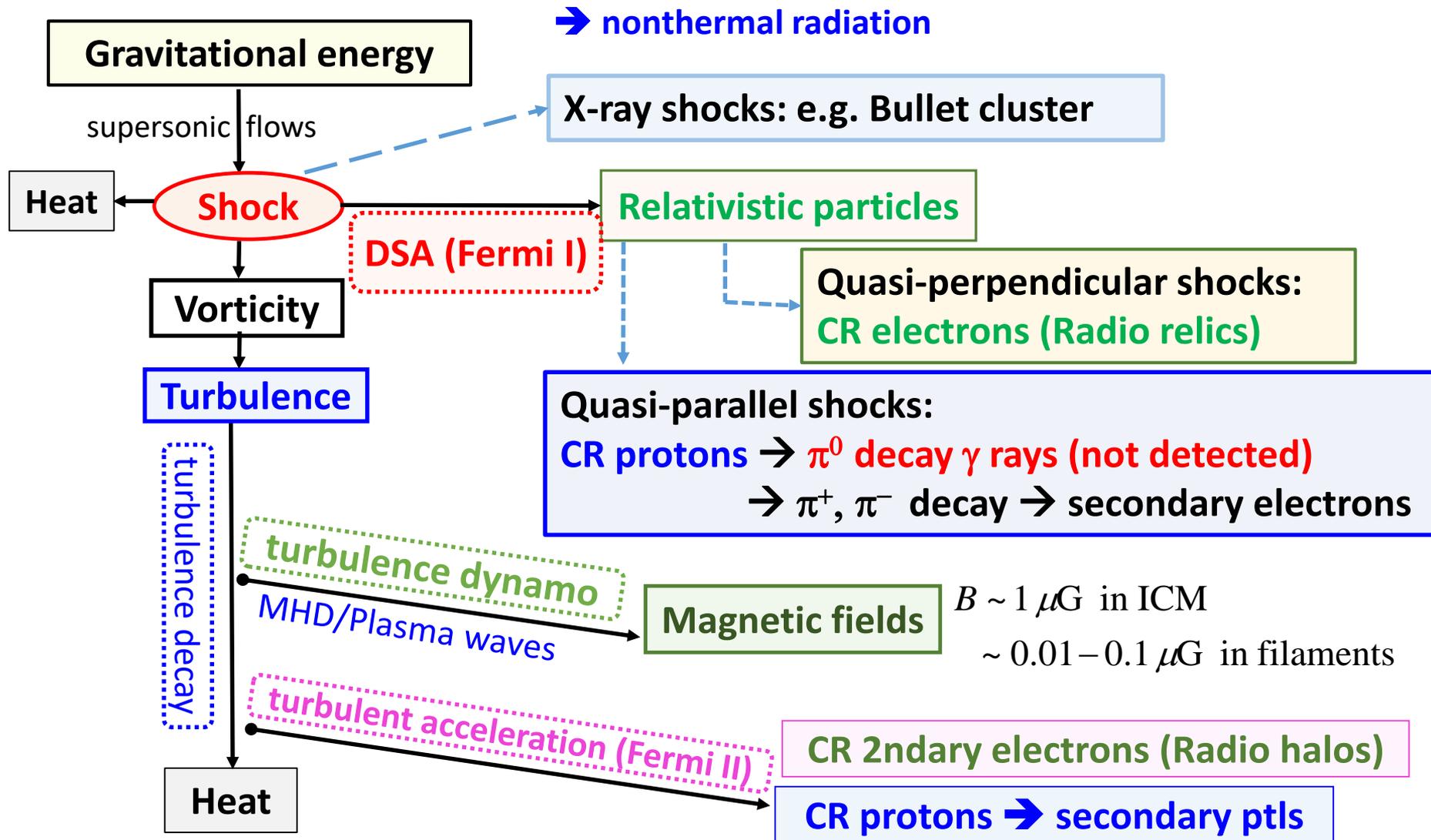
Aim: to understand MHD/plasma processes in high beta ICM

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Problems to explore

1. Turbulence dynamo in stratified clusters: MHD simulations – Roh, Ha (S), Ryu, Cho
2. Effects of turbulence on the polarization of synchrotron emission behind the shock – Cho, Ryu
3. Transport of Alfvén waves across MHD shocks – Kang, Ryu, Ha (J)
4. Damping of Alfvén waves in the presence of P_{CR} gradient : MHD+CR simulations – Kang, Ryu, +
5. Injection process of CR particles to Fermi I acceleration at weak shocks : PIC sim. – Ha (J), Ryu, Kang
6. Fermi I acceleration at weak shocks: MHD+PIC sim. – van Marle, Ryu, Kang
7. EM radiation in PIC simulations: Langmuir radiation from PDO (plasma dipole oscillation) for FRB: PIC sim. – Hur, Ryu, Kim

Key Physical Processes in ICM: shocks, turbulence, magnetic fields, particle acceleration



Non-detection of gamma-ray emission from galaxy clusters \rightarrow revision of DSA efficiency at weak shocks in high beta plasma?

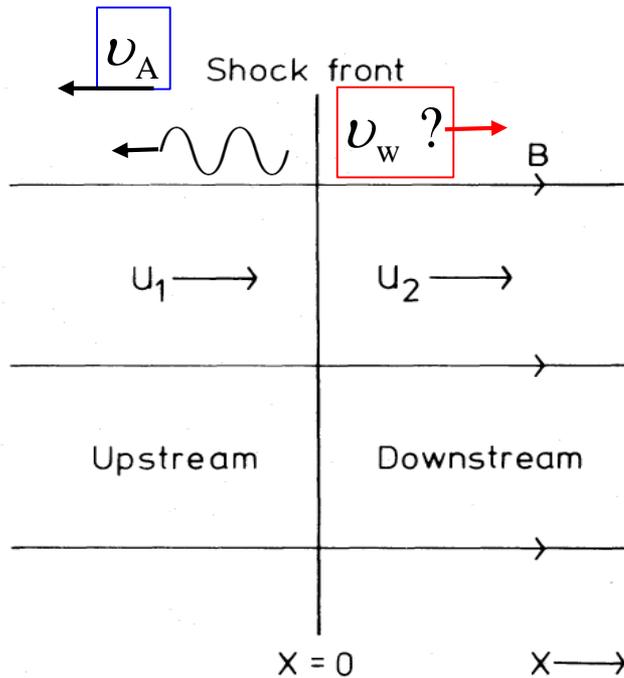
The acceleration of cosmic rays in shock fronts – I Bell 1978

CR transport equation: Fokker-Planck Equation

$$\frac{\partial \bar{f}}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial}{\partial p^3} (p^3 \mathbf{u}) \cdot \nabla \bar{f} = (\nabla \cdot \mathbf{u}) p^3 \frac{\partial \bar{f}}{\partial p^3} + \nabla \cdot (D_{\parallel} \mathbf{nn} \cdot \nabla \bar{f}) + \frac{\partial}{\partial p^3} \left(9p^4 D_{pp} \frac{\partial \bar{f}}{\partial p^3} \right)$$

(9) Skilling 1975

$$\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{v}_0 + \left\langle \frac{3}{2} (1 - \mu^2) \frac{v_+ - v_-}{v_+ + v_-} \right\rangle v_A \mathbf{n} = \text{flow speed} + \text{Alfvenic drift}$$



u_1, u_2 : mean velocities of scattering centers

$$u_1 = v_s - v_A, \quad u_2 = \frac{v_s}{\chi} + v_w$$

χ = gas compression ratio

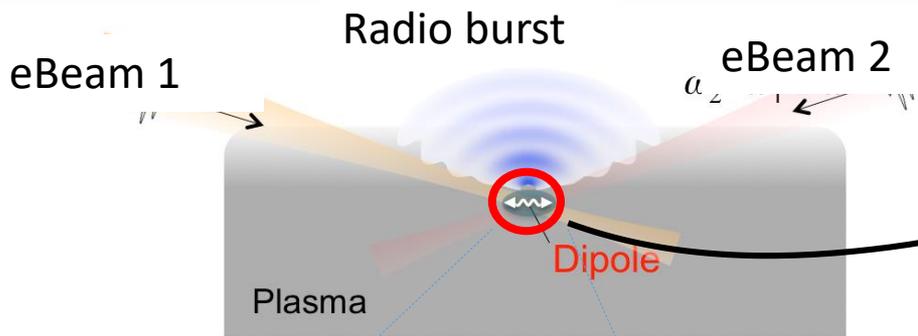
v_A = Alfvén wave speed

v_w = mean velocity of scattering centers

$$N(E) dE = \frac{\mu - 1}{E_0} \left(\frac{E}{E_0} \right)^{-\mu} dE \quad \text{energy spectrum}$$

$$\mu = \frac{(2 + \chi) + \dots}{(\chi - 1)} \quad \text{slope}$$

Alfvénic drift may steepen the CR energy spectrum.
→ may reduce the CR proton acceleration efficiency.
But not seen in PIC/Hybrid simulations yet.

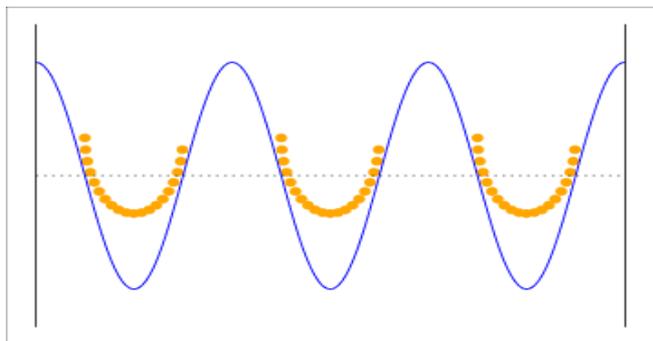
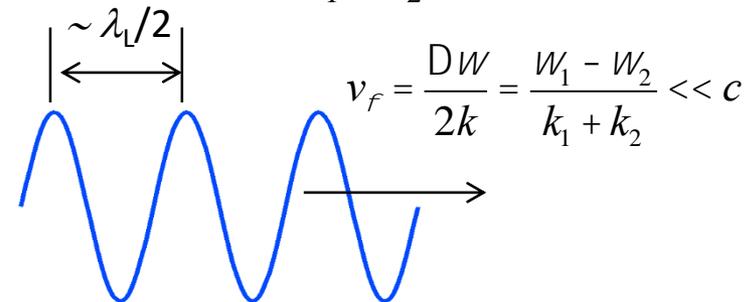


Moving Potential Train

$$F_{PM} \sim I_{laser} e^{2ikz - iDWt}$$

$$DW = W_1 - W_2 \ll W_{1,2}$$

$$2k \approx k_1 + k_2$$



Electrons riding on the potential train are displaced in a block to the right

Velocity of the displacement is determined by the laser detuning $\Delta\omega$