



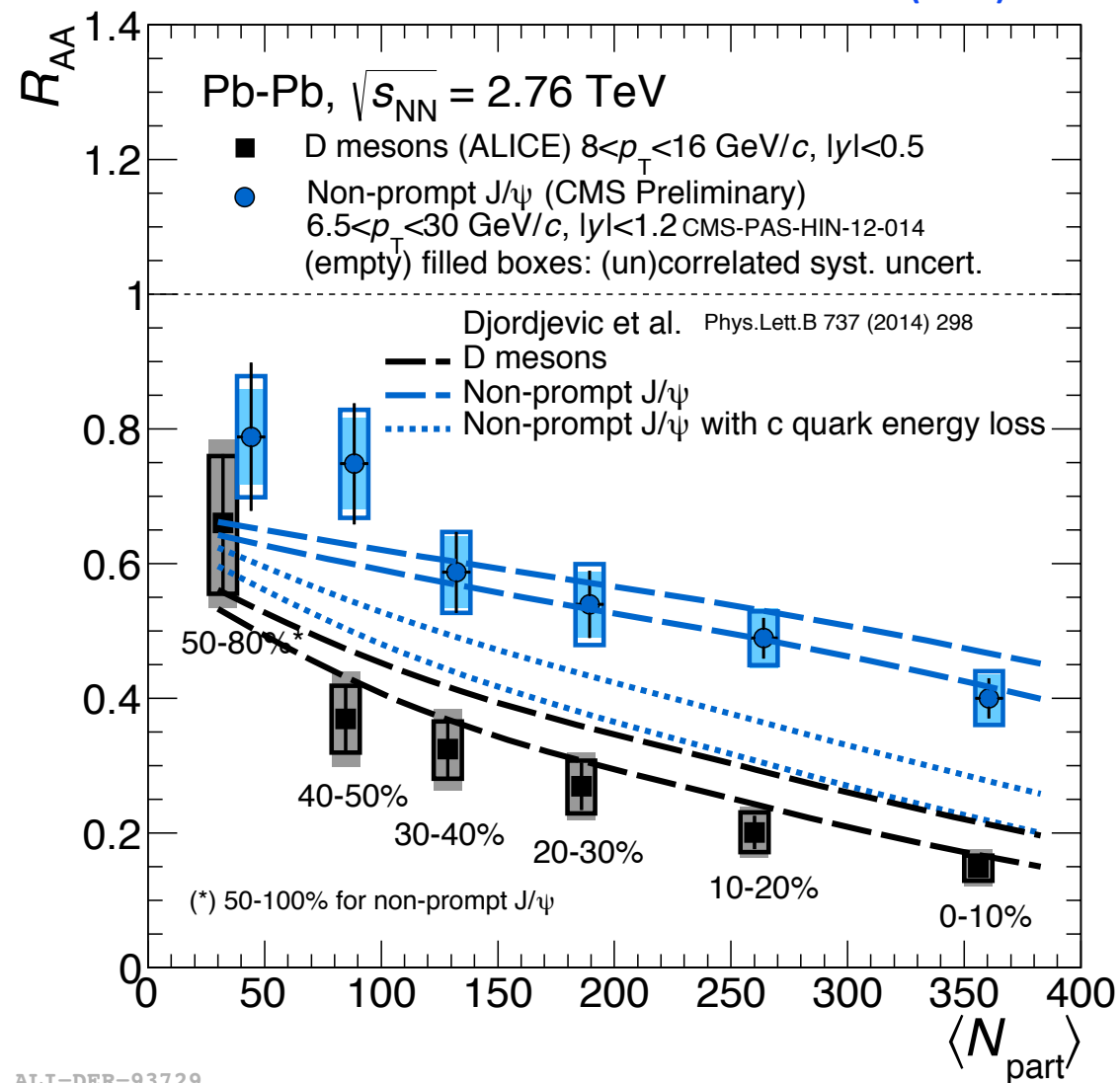
Charm results review with ALICE Run 1 data.

A biased review of heavy-flavour production results in heavy-ions collisions.

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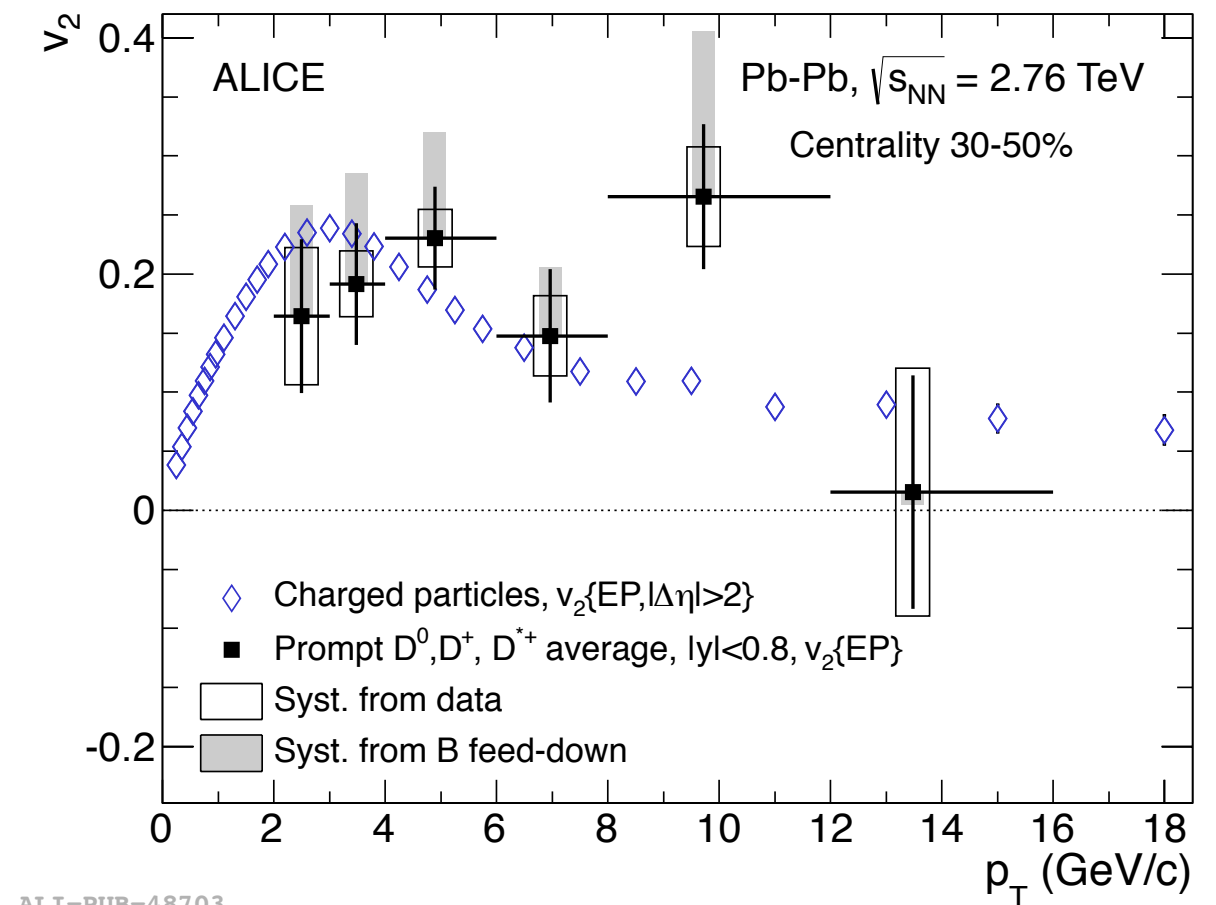
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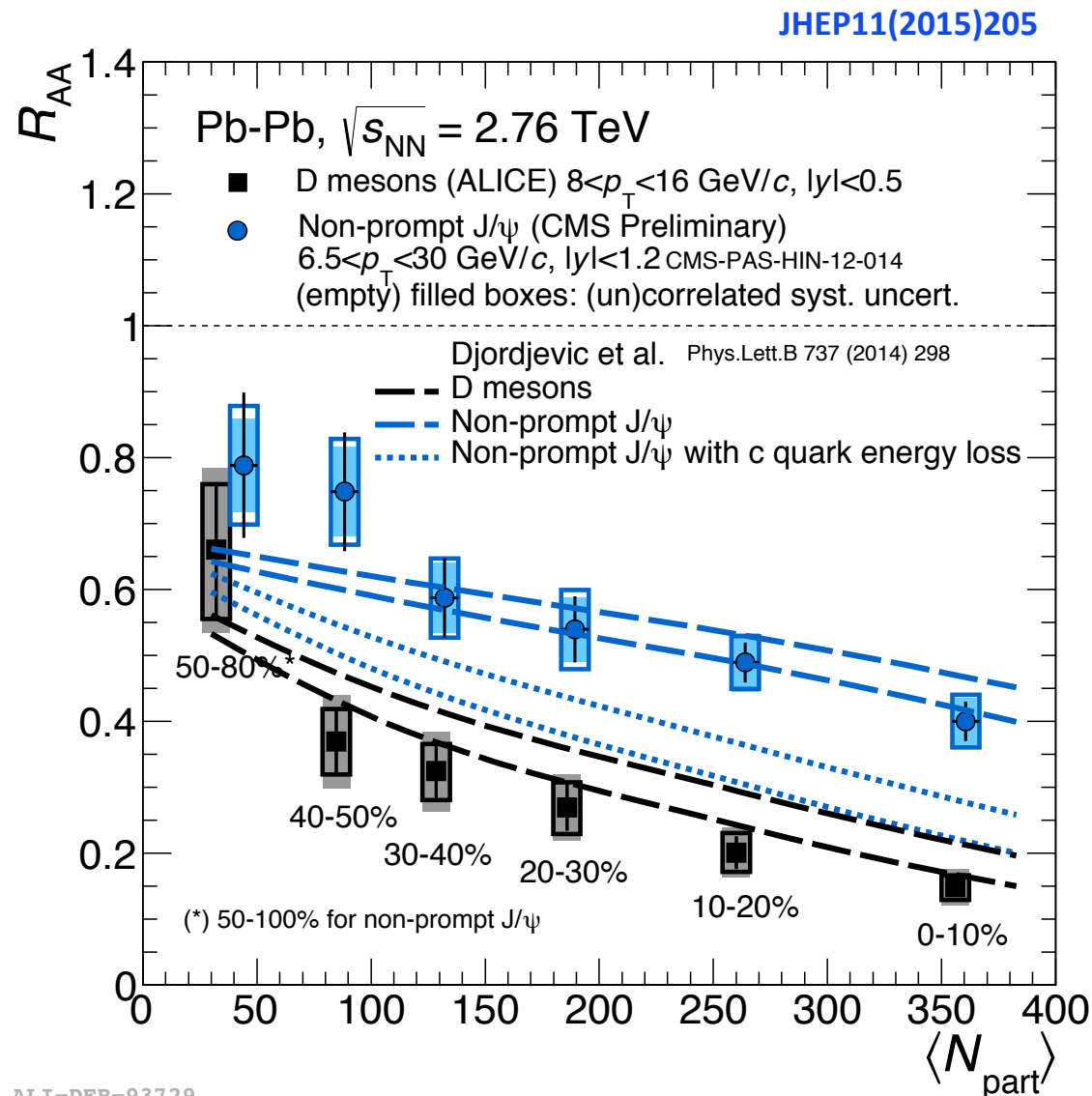
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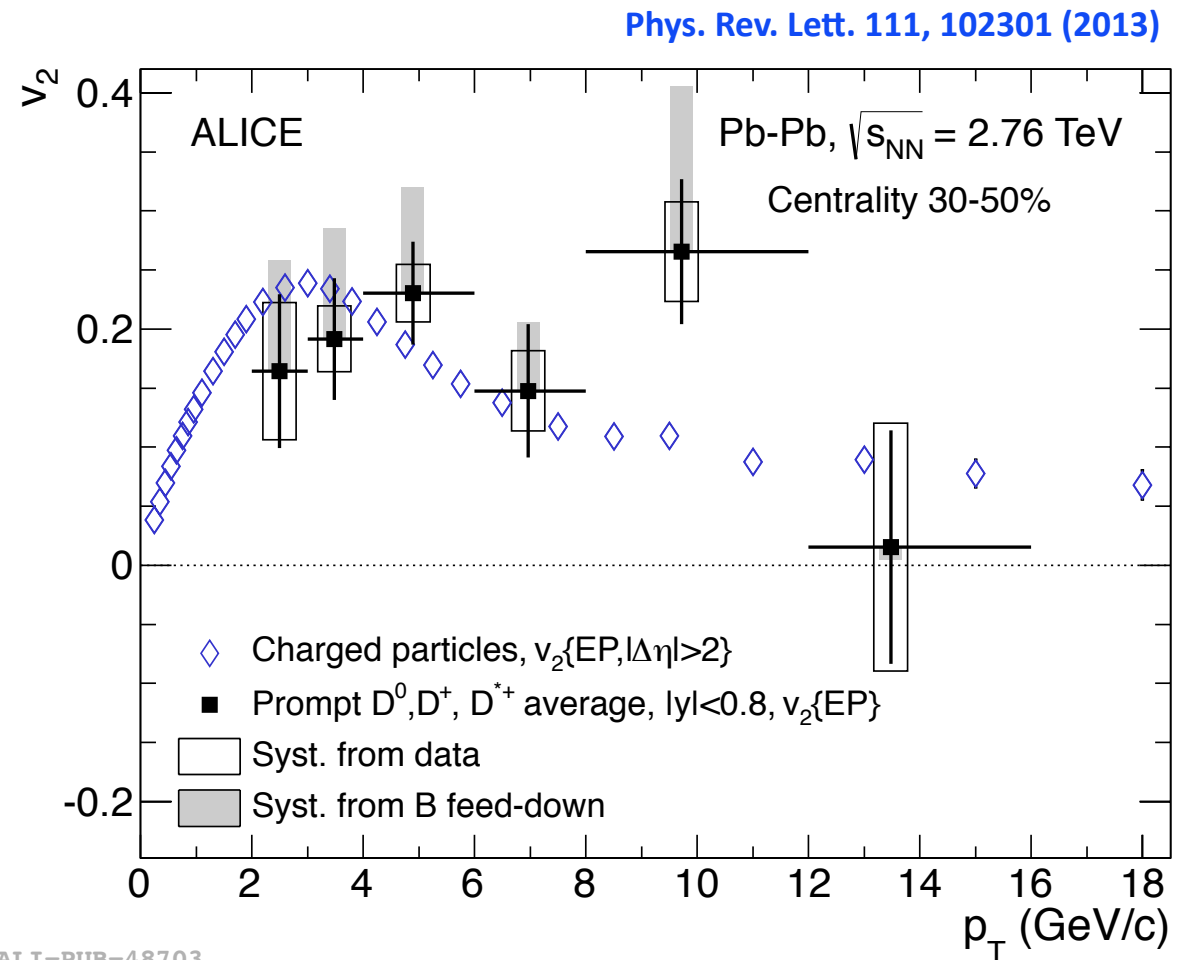


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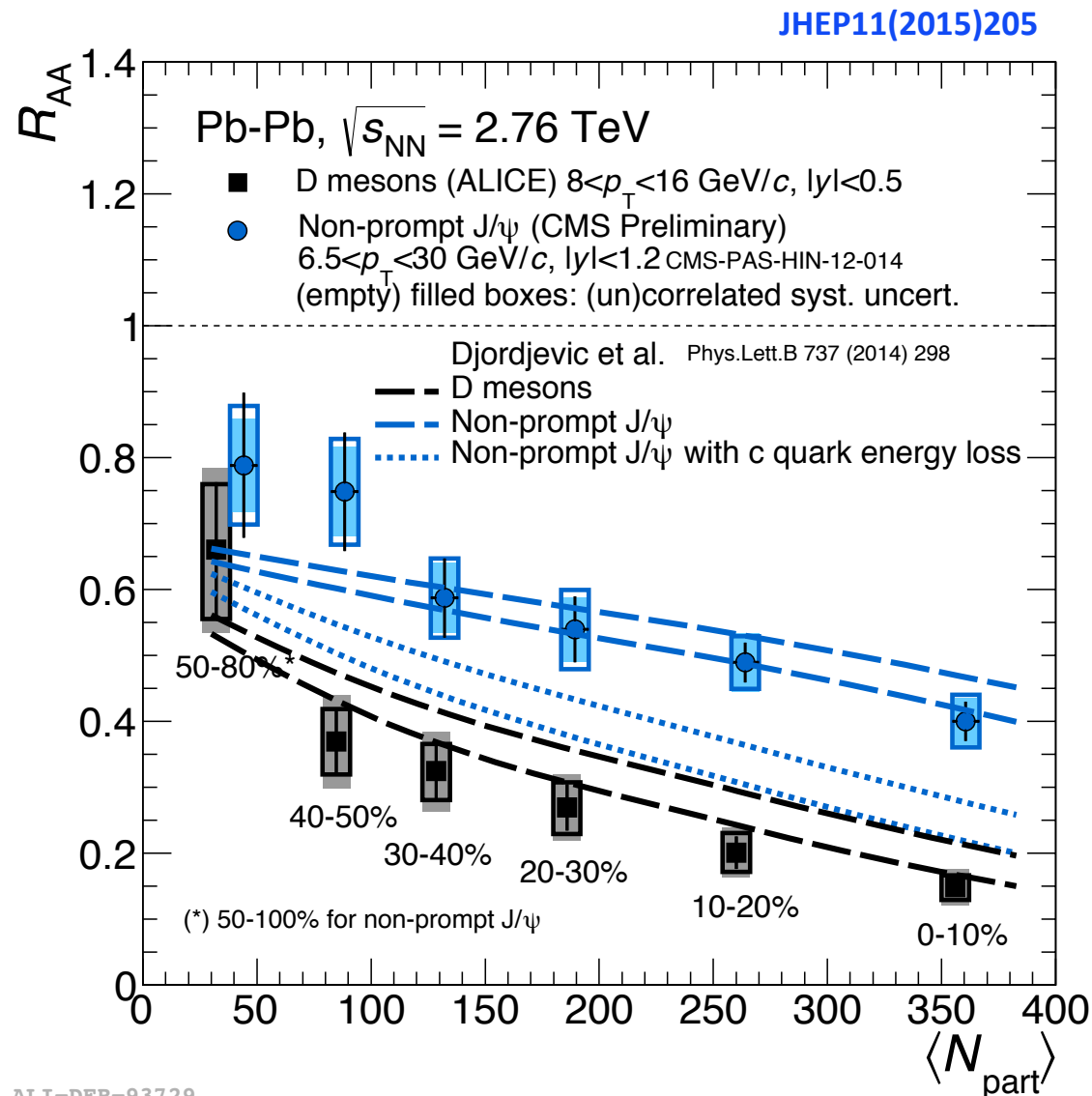
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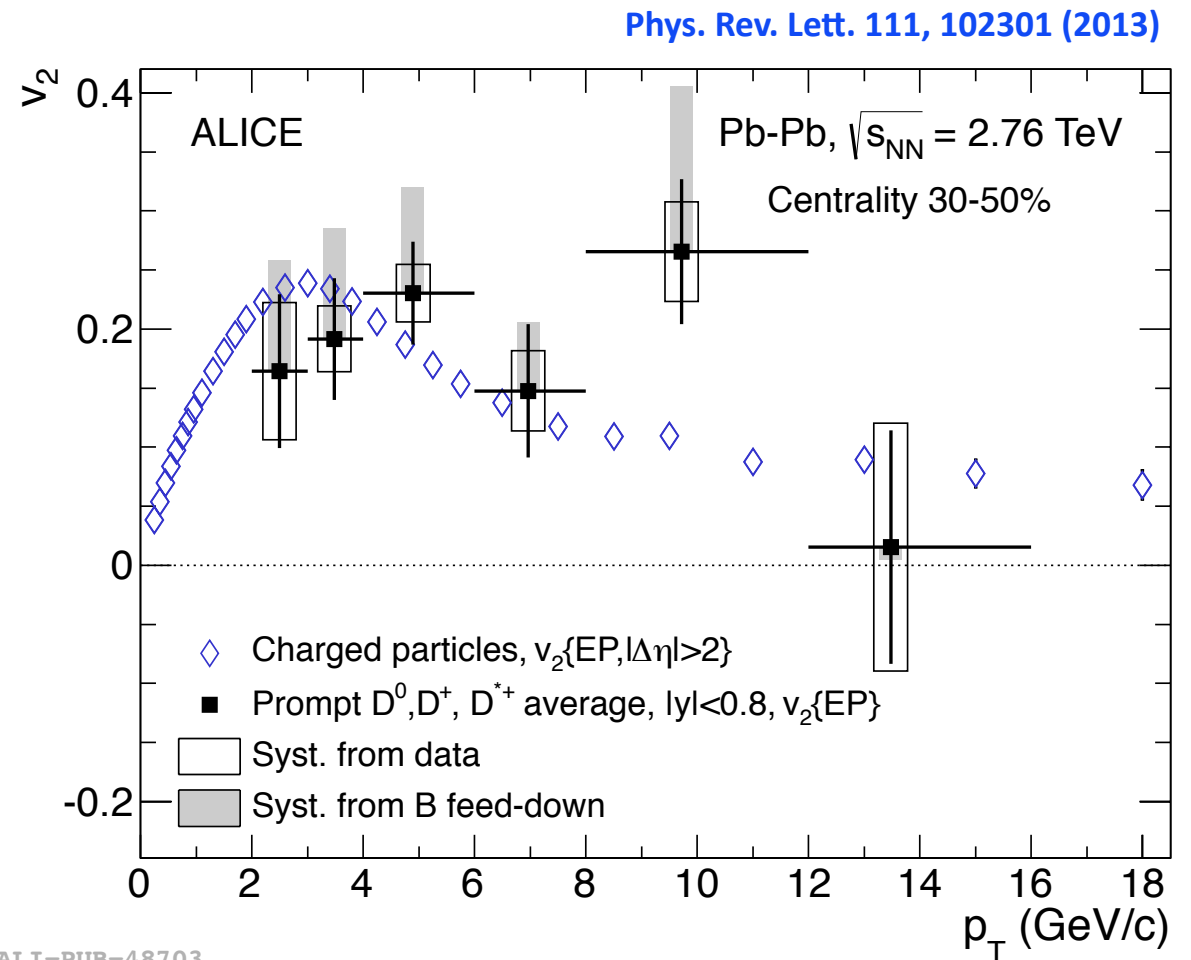
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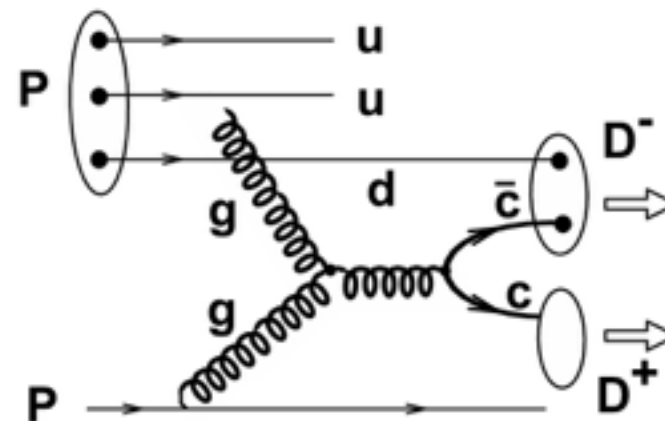
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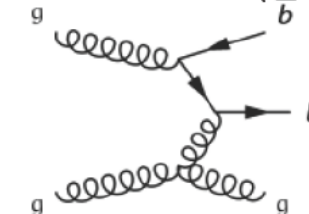
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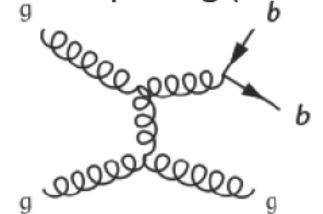
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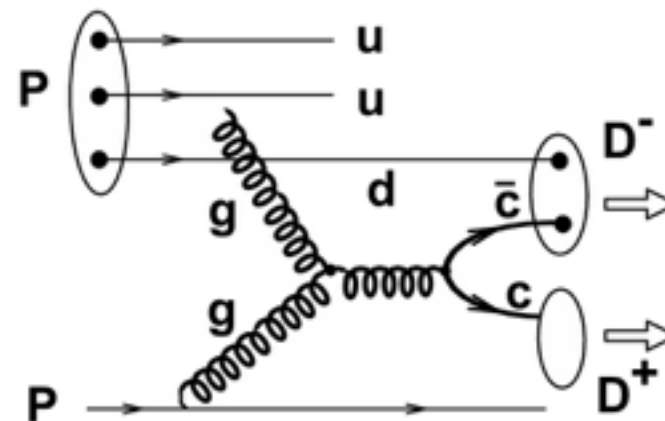


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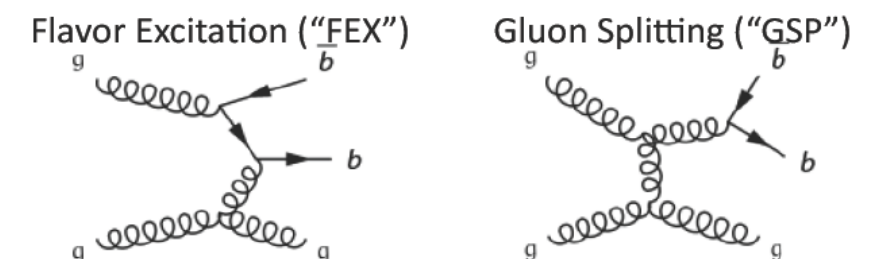
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Since $\mu \approx m_Q \Rightarrow \alpha_s(\mu) \ll 1 \Rightarrow \text{pQCD calculations.}$



► Fixed-Order-Next-to-Leading-Log (FONLL):

- large log beyond NLO are taken into account in the NLO resummation (at high p_T).
- Fit of the moments of the fragmentation distributions

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► General Mass Variable Flavour Number Scheme (GM-VFNS):

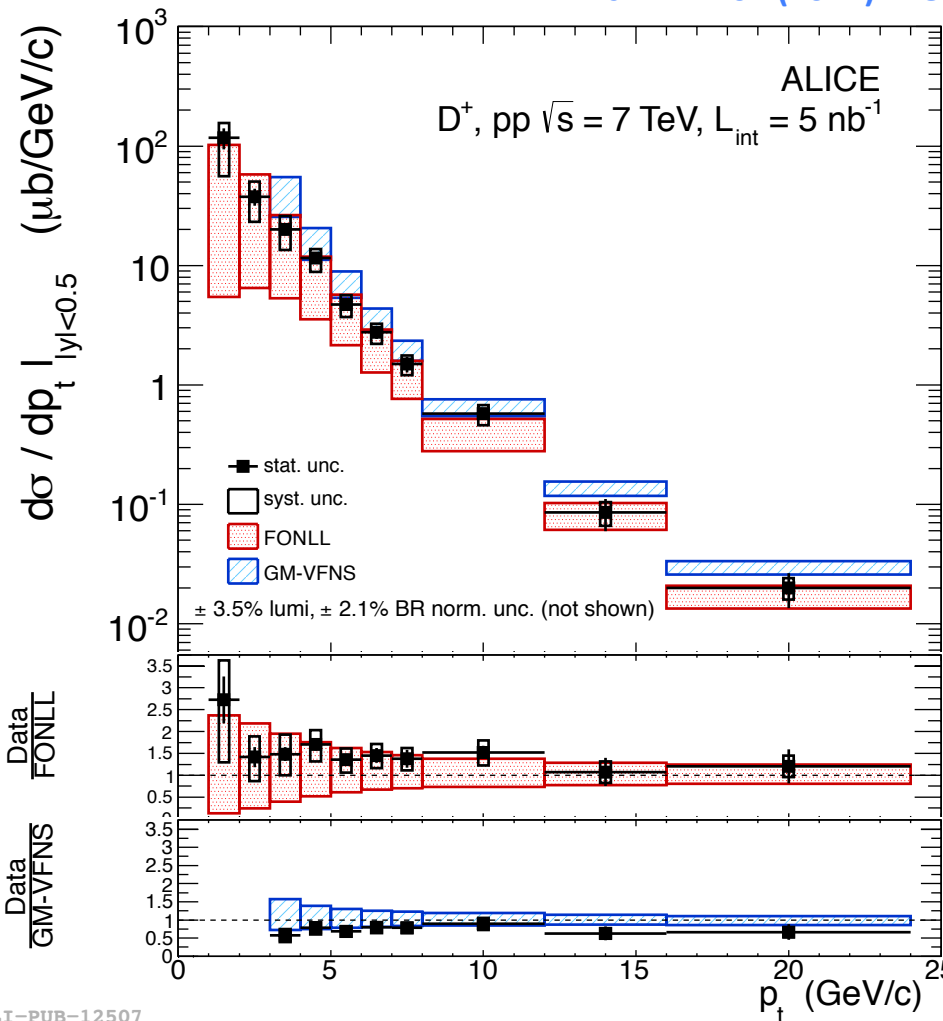
- large log beyond NLO are absorbed in the c-quarks PDF and the fragmentation function of $c \rightarrow \text{hadron}$

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Charm production in pp collisions @ $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV

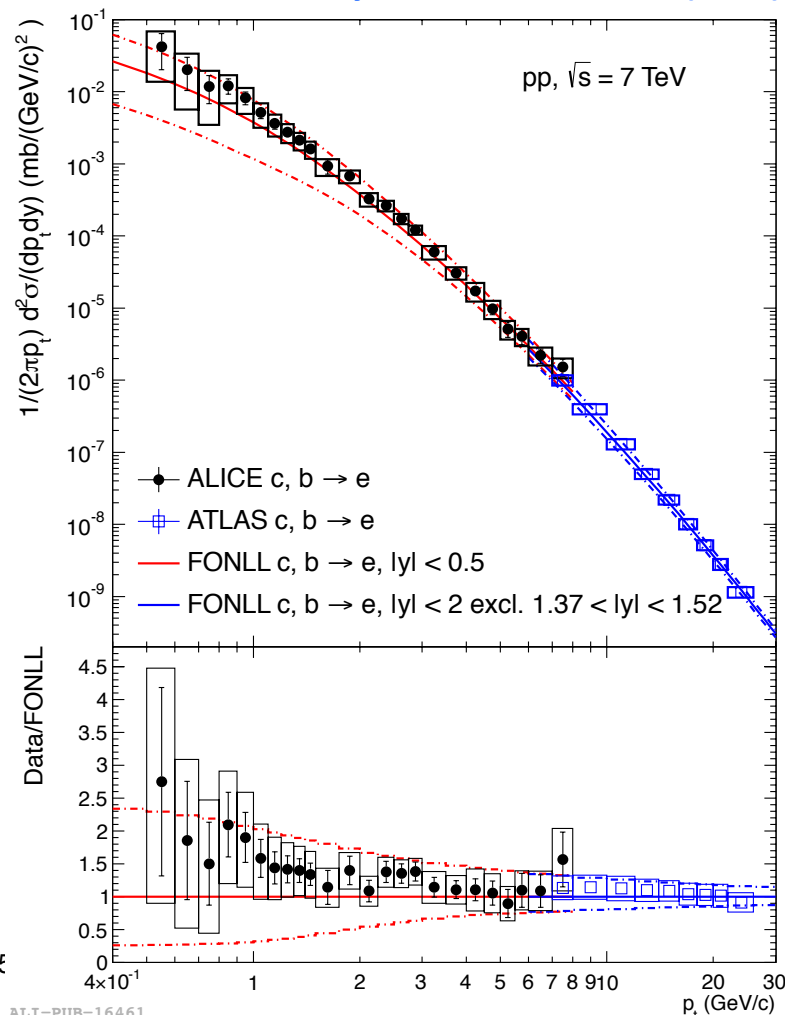
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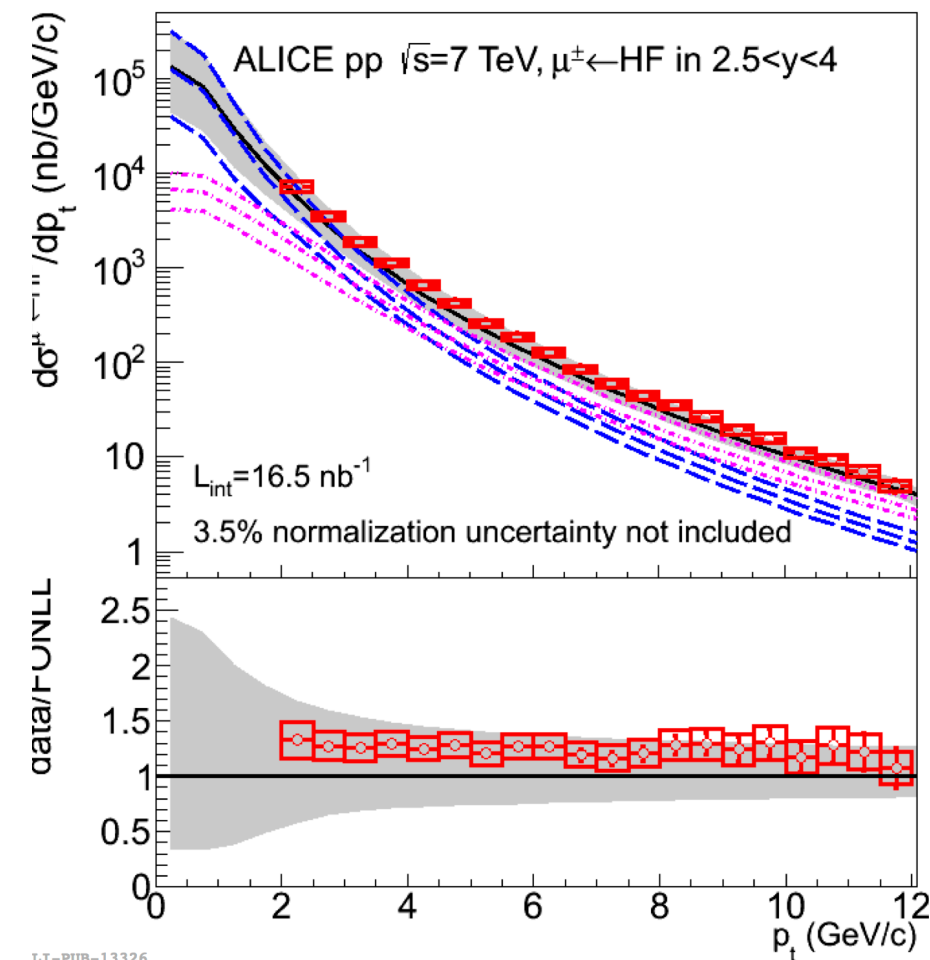
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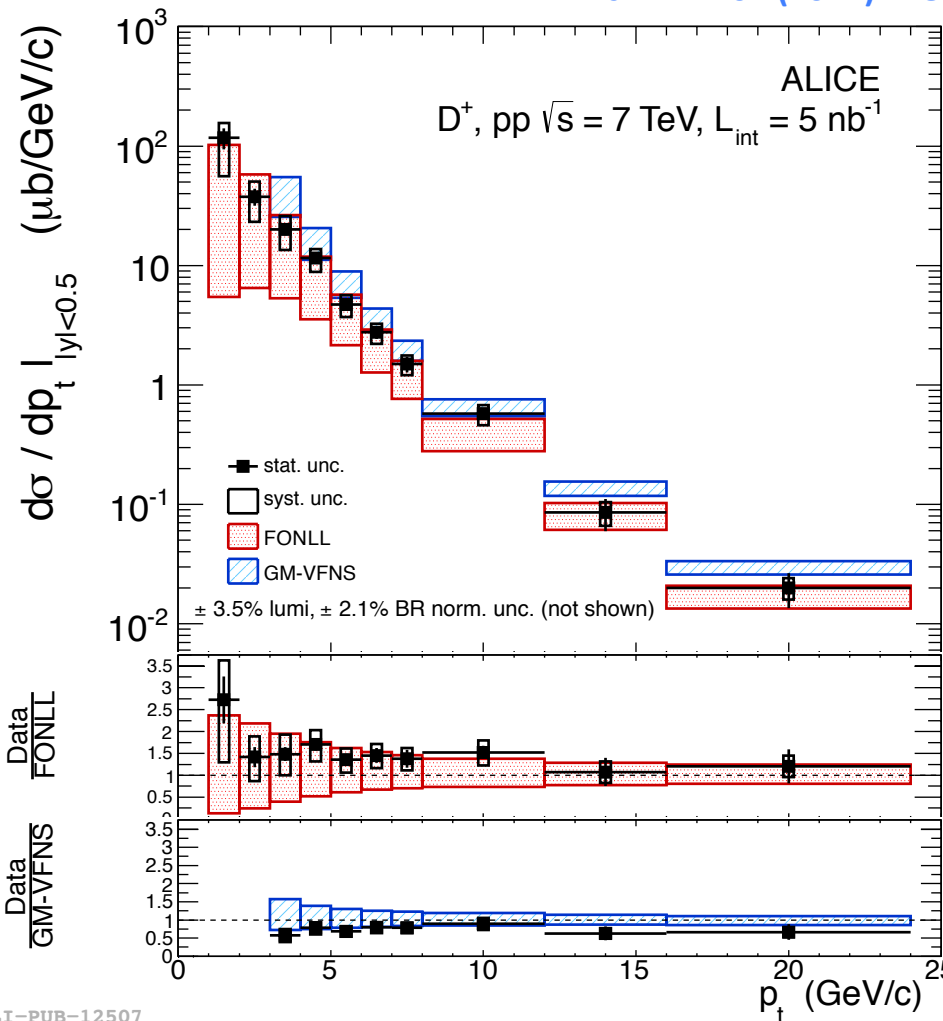
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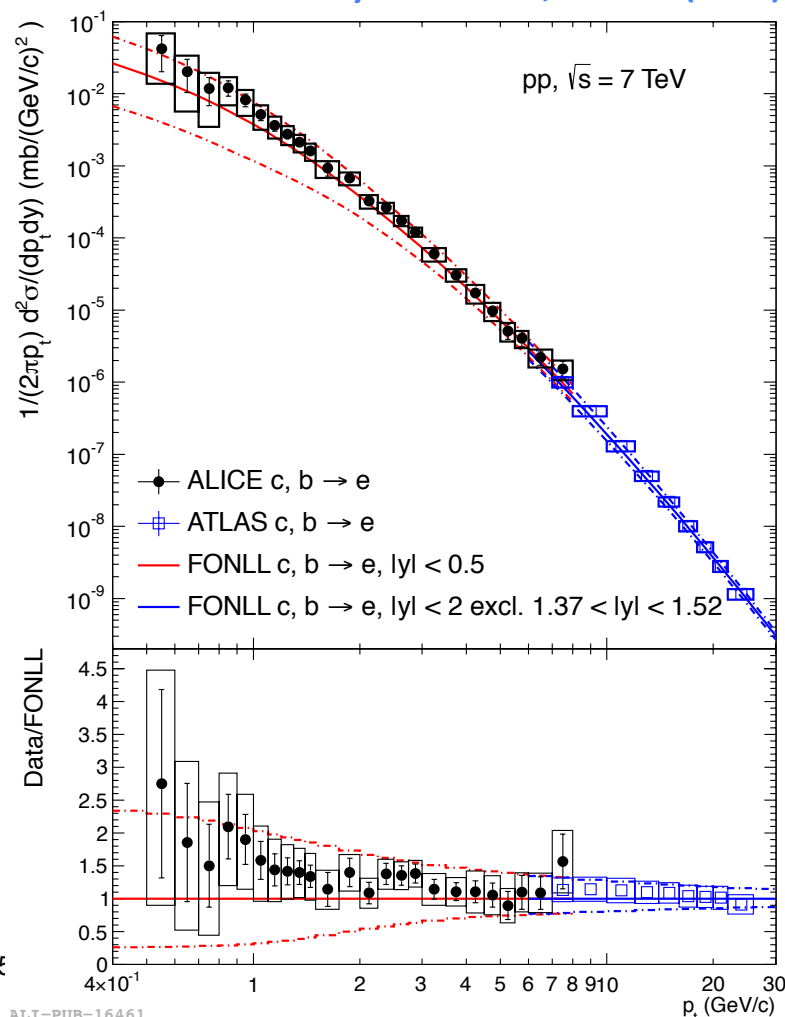
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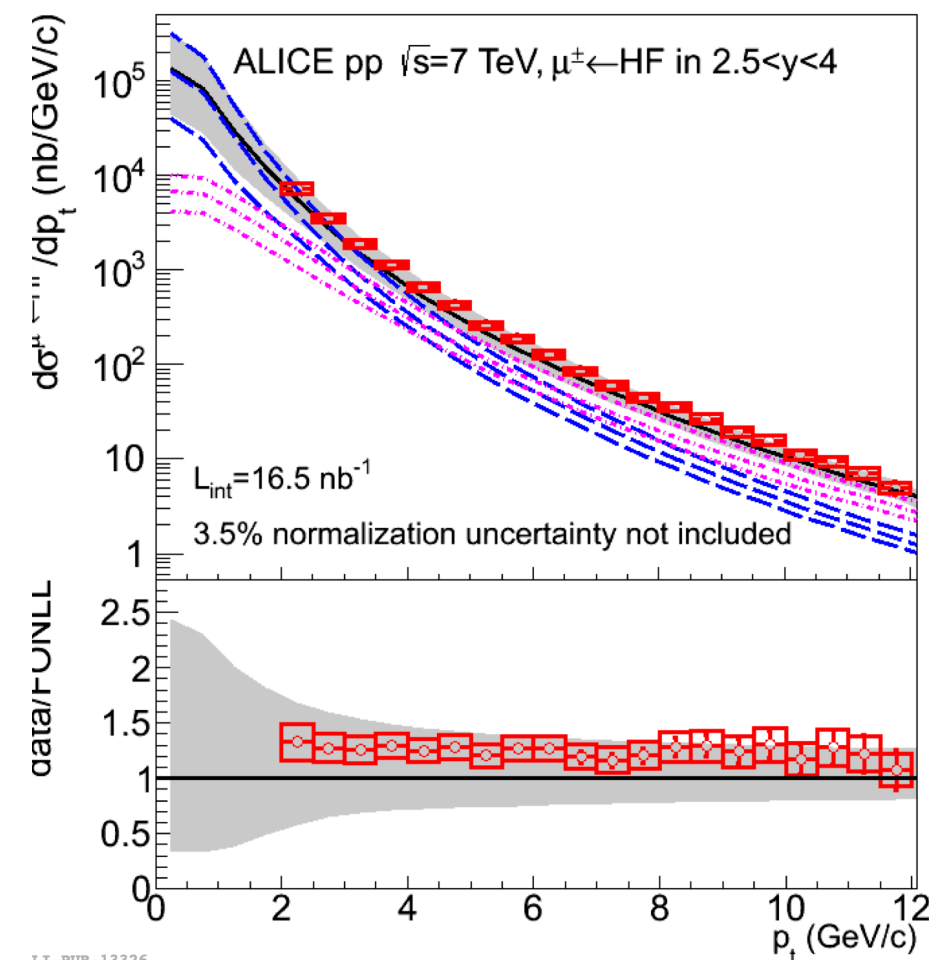
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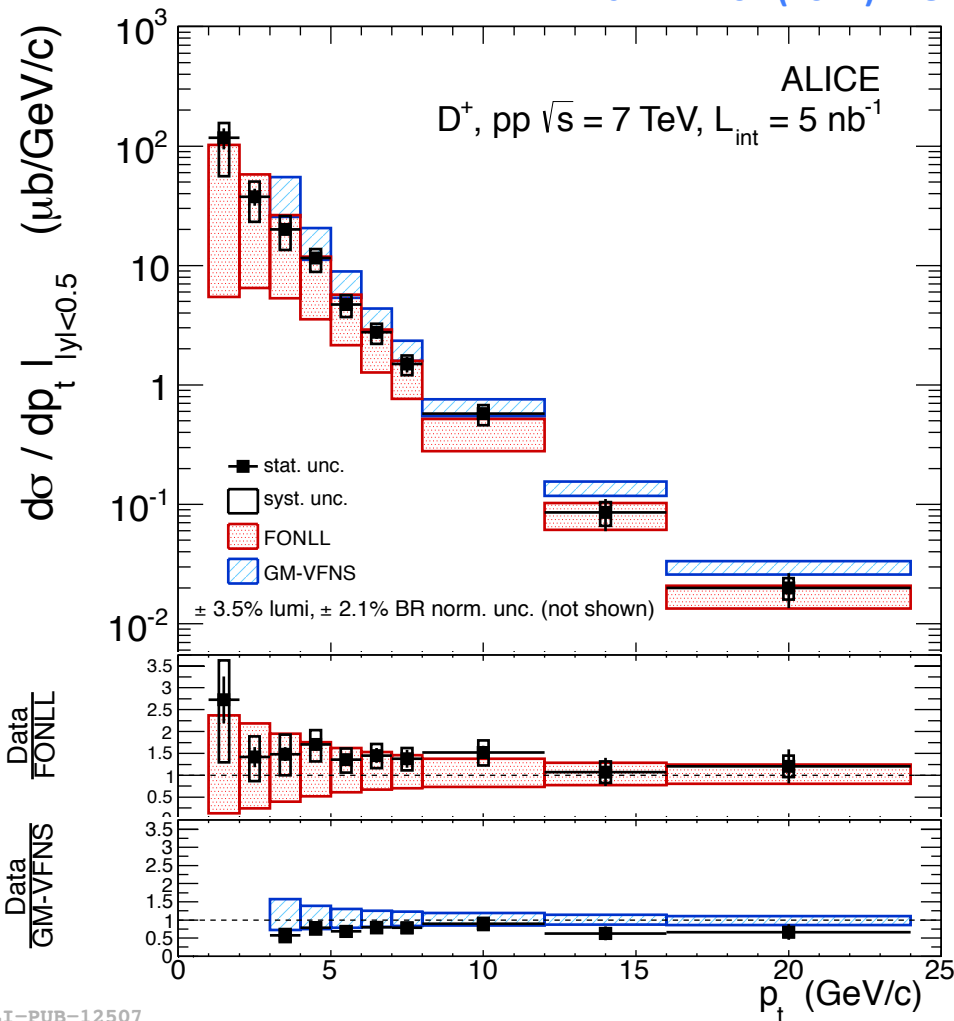
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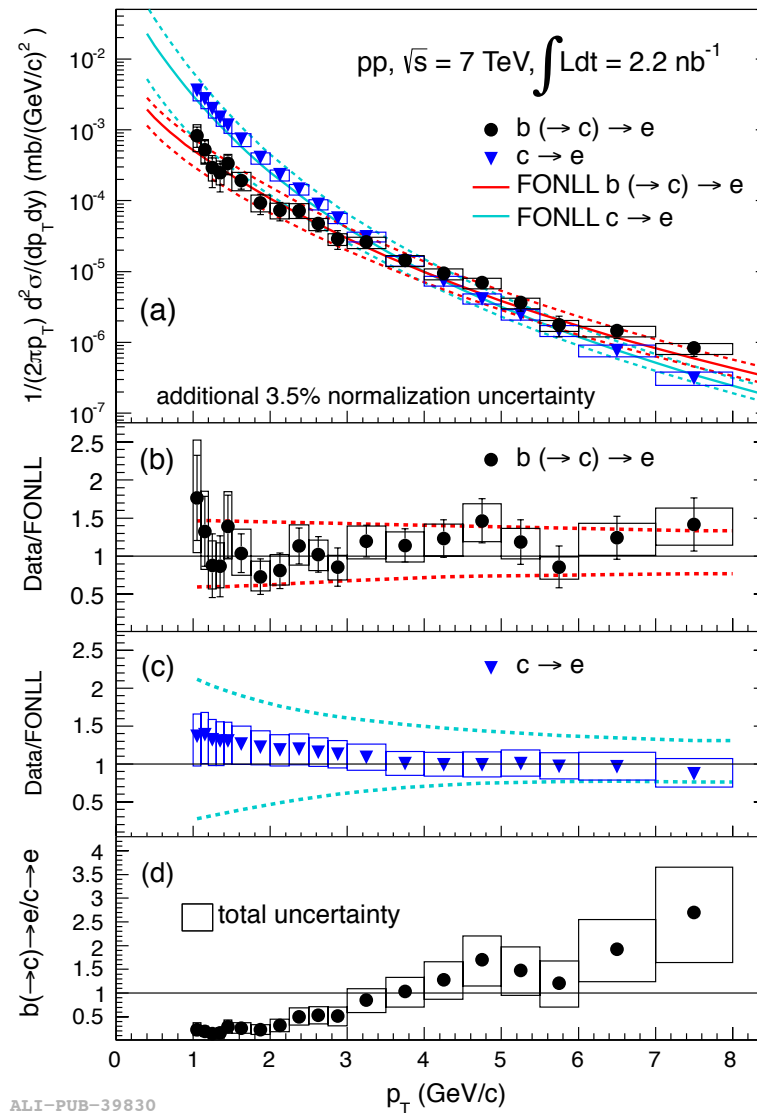
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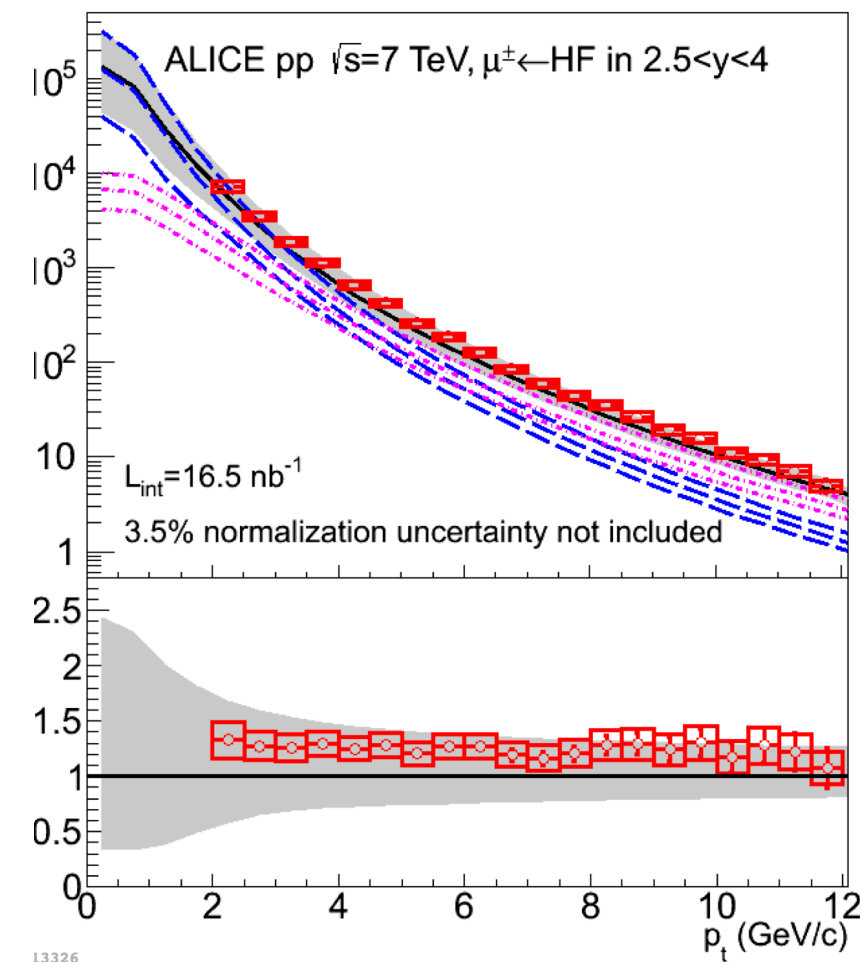
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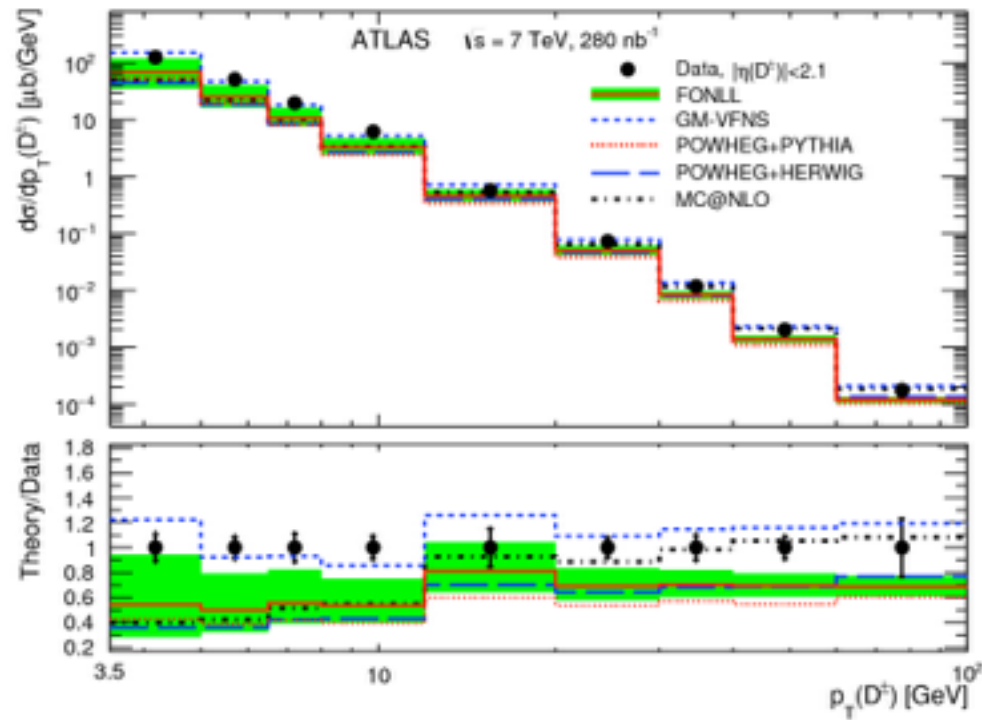


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- Beauty production described well by the central value theoretical calculations

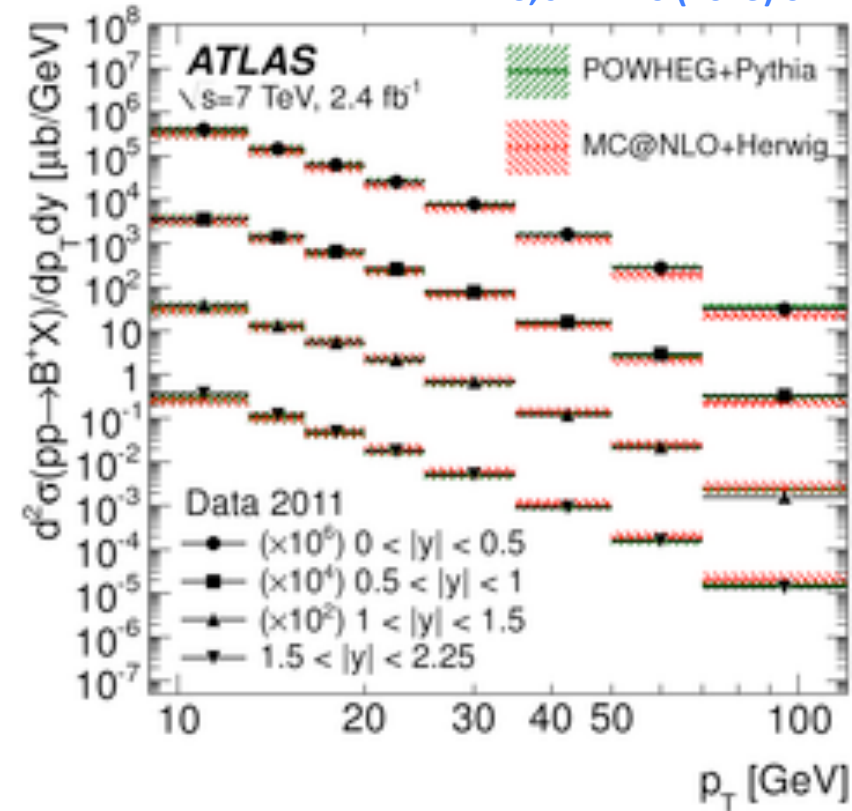
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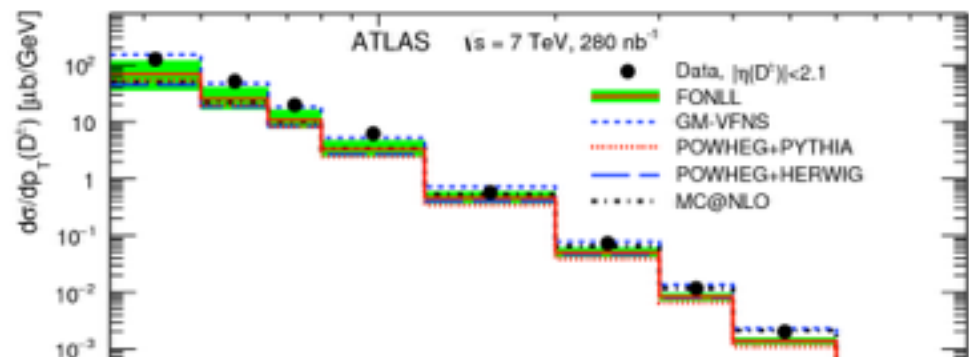


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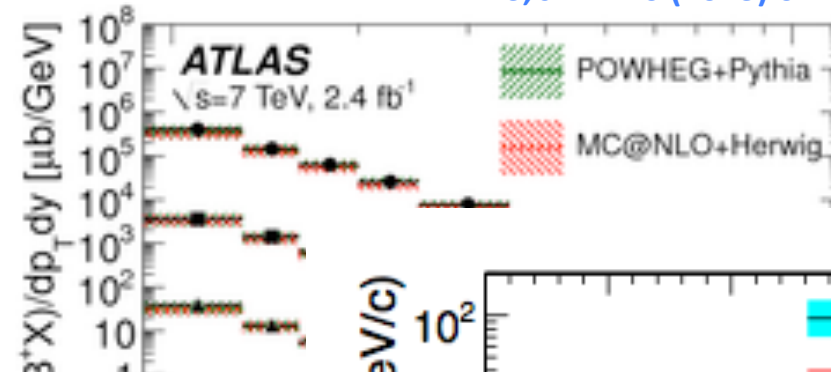


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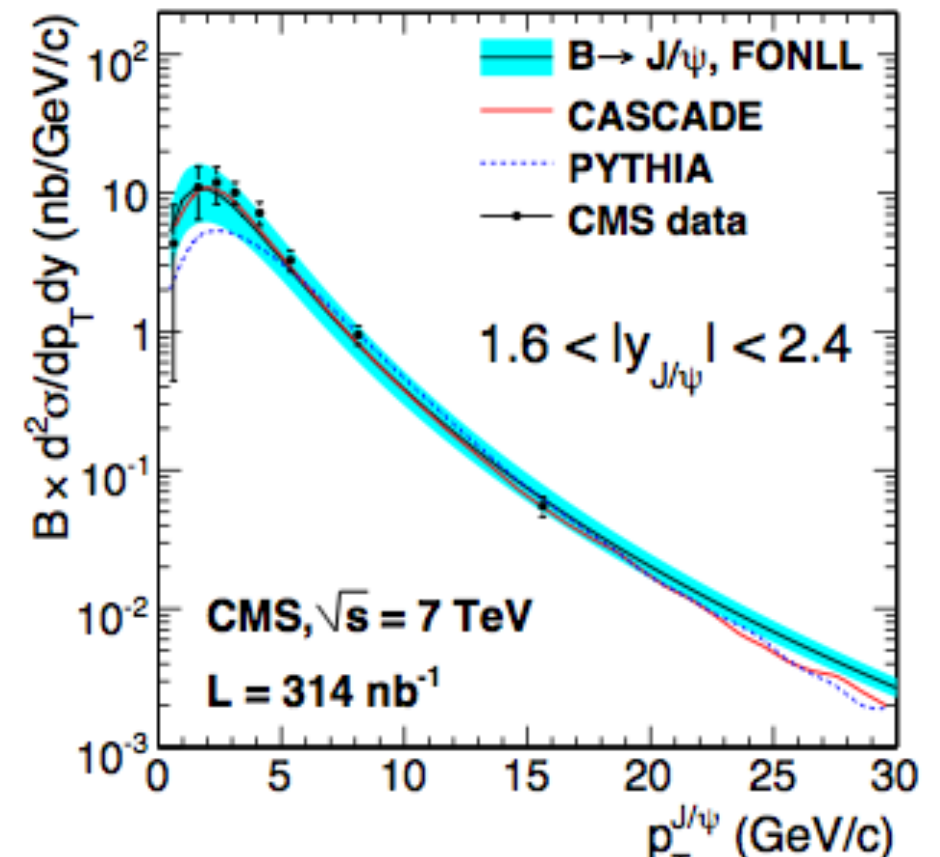
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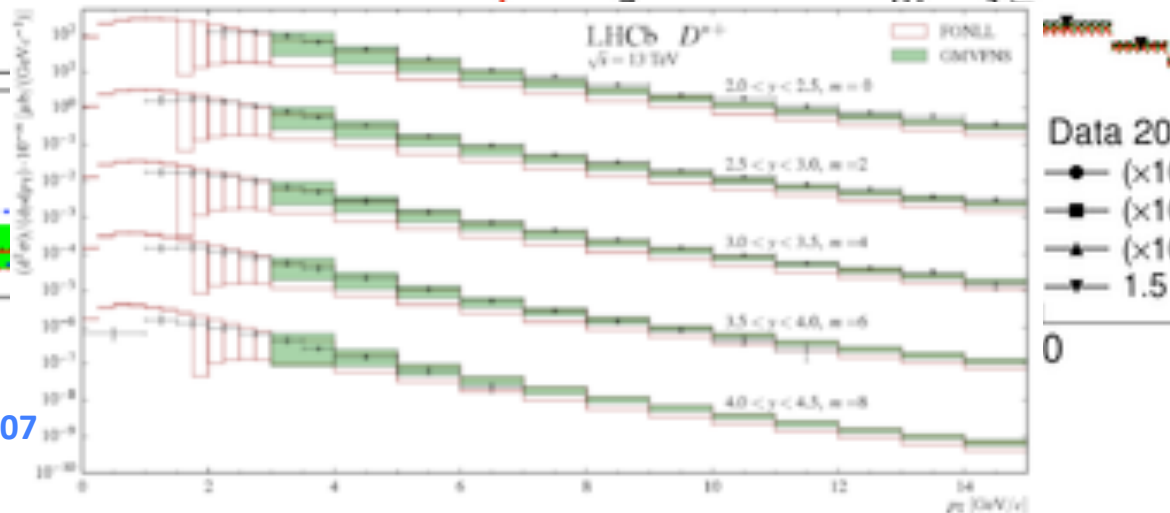
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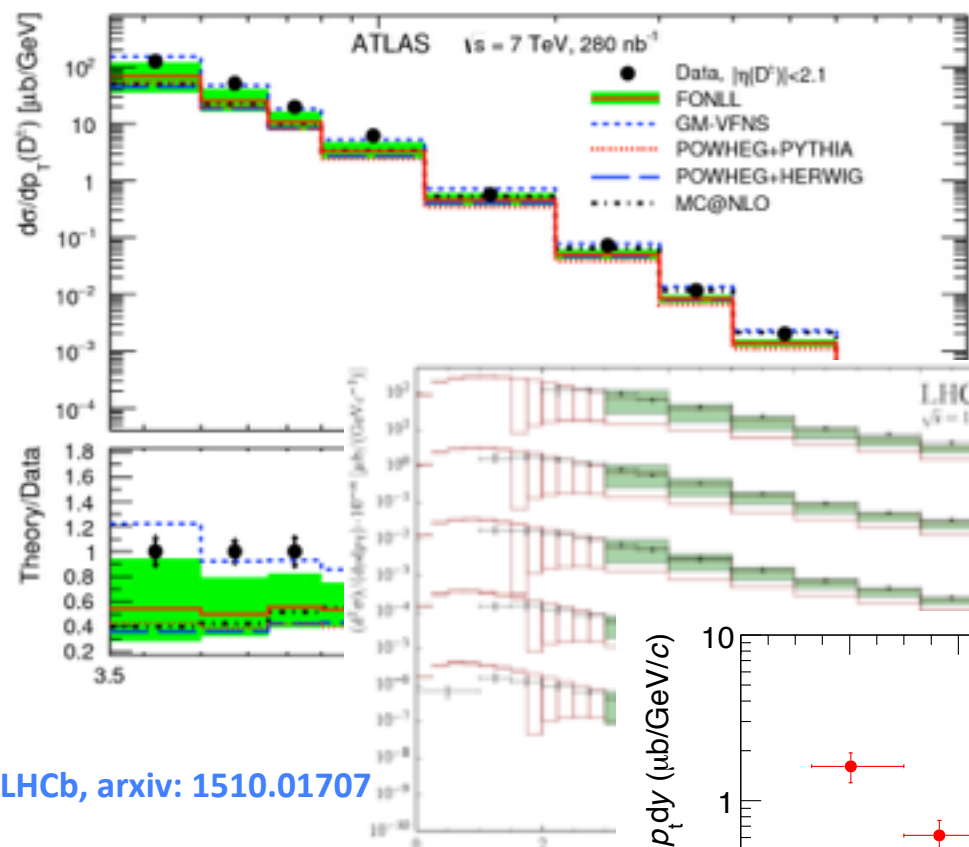


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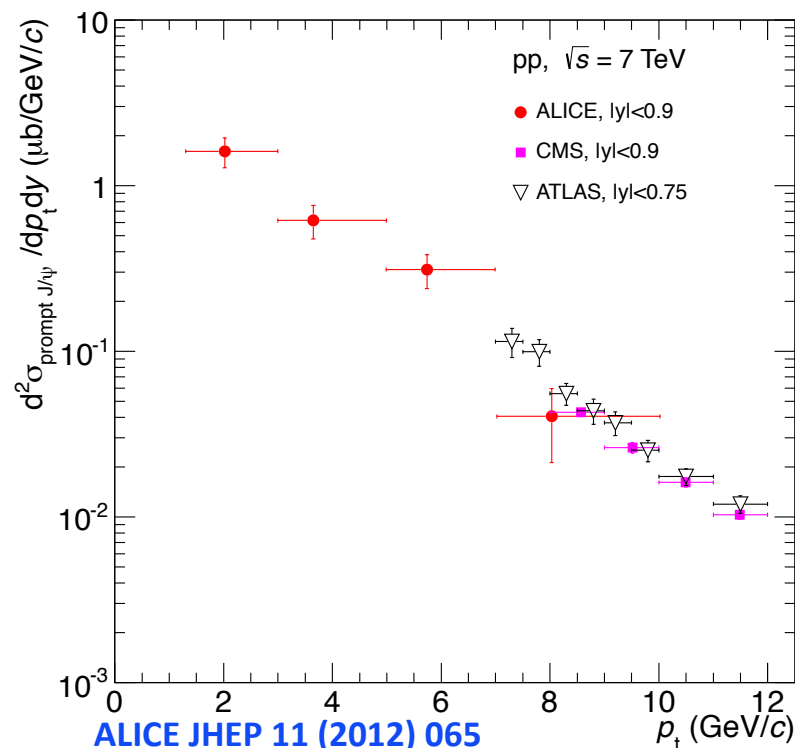


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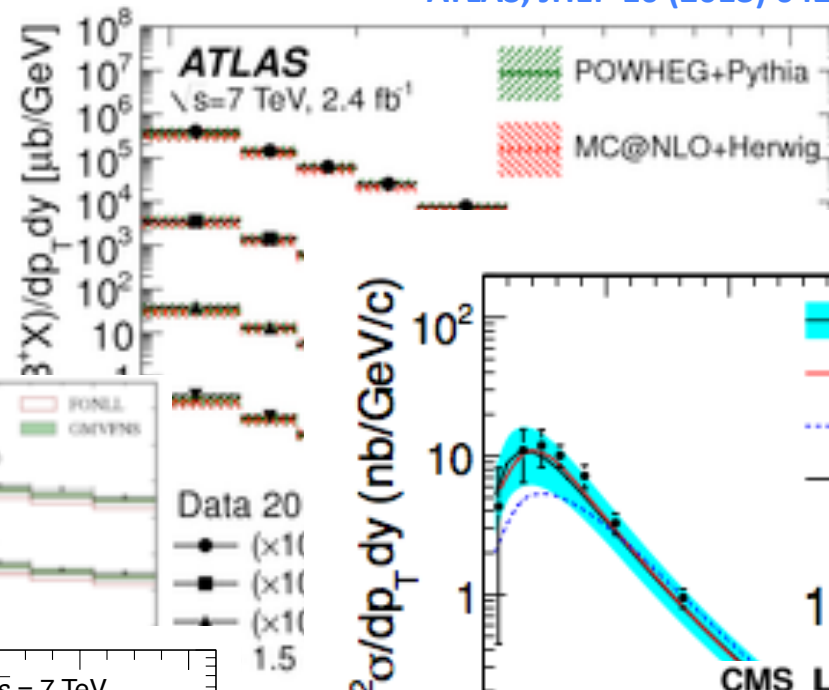


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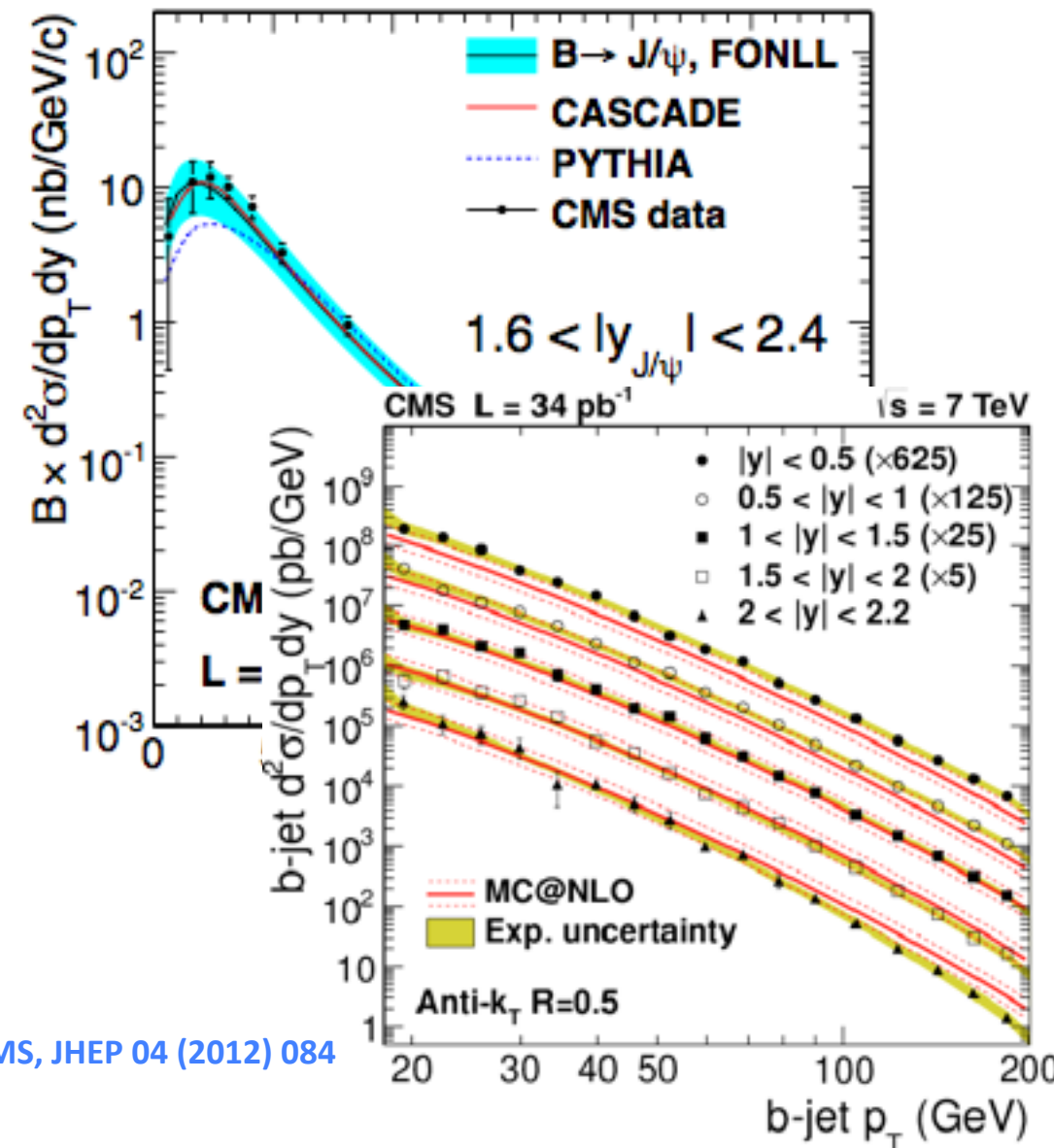


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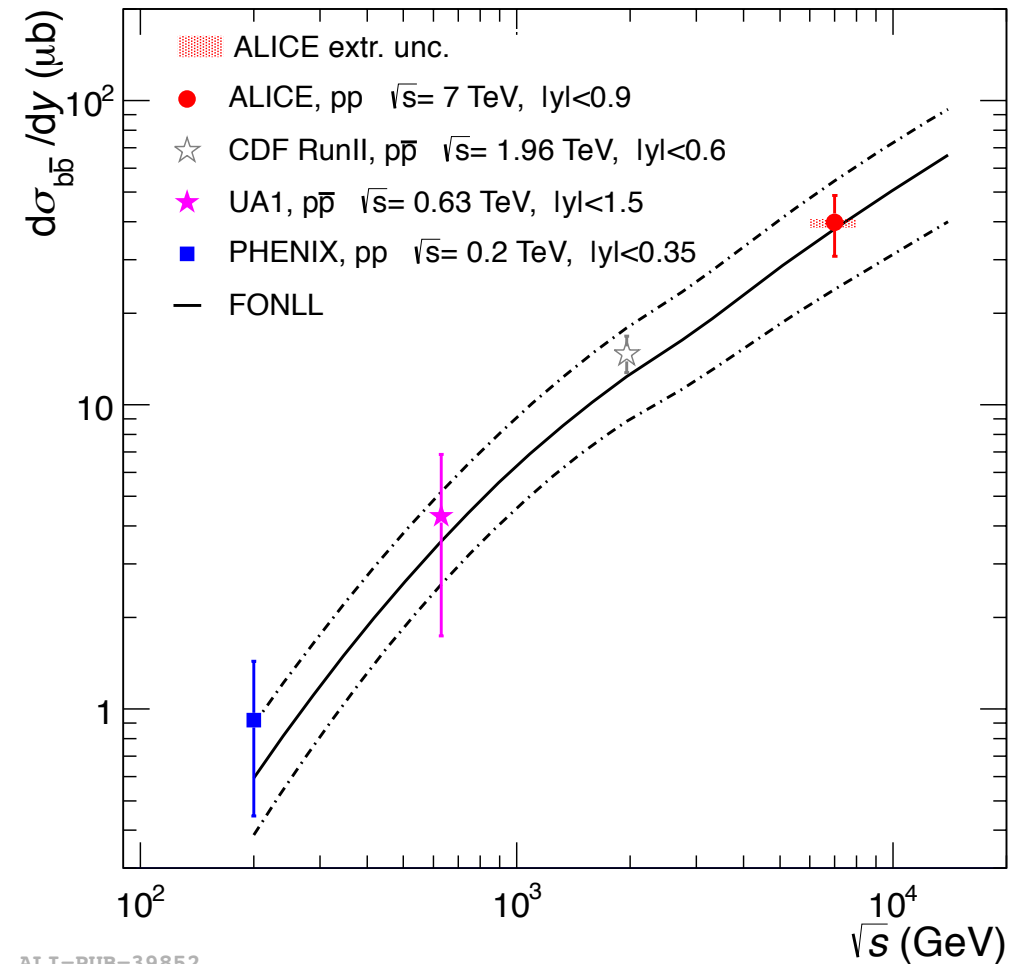
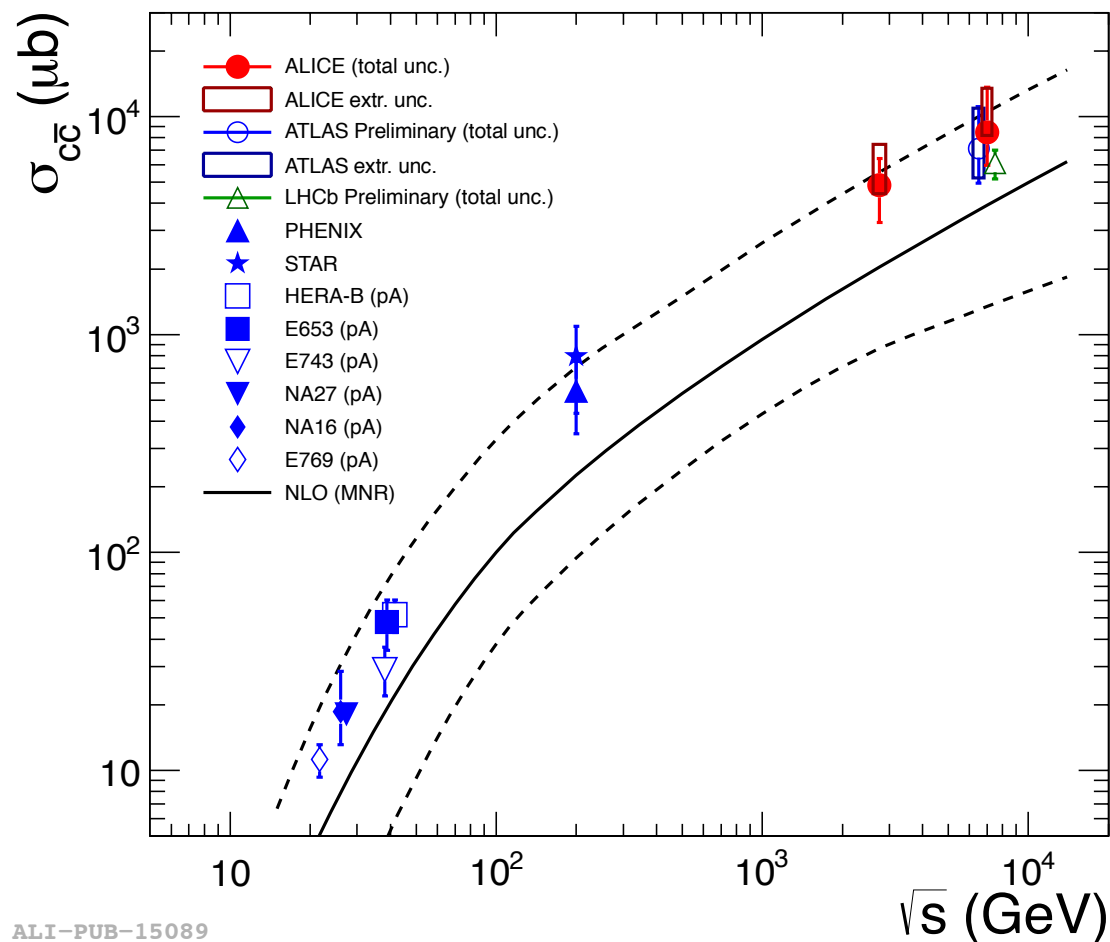


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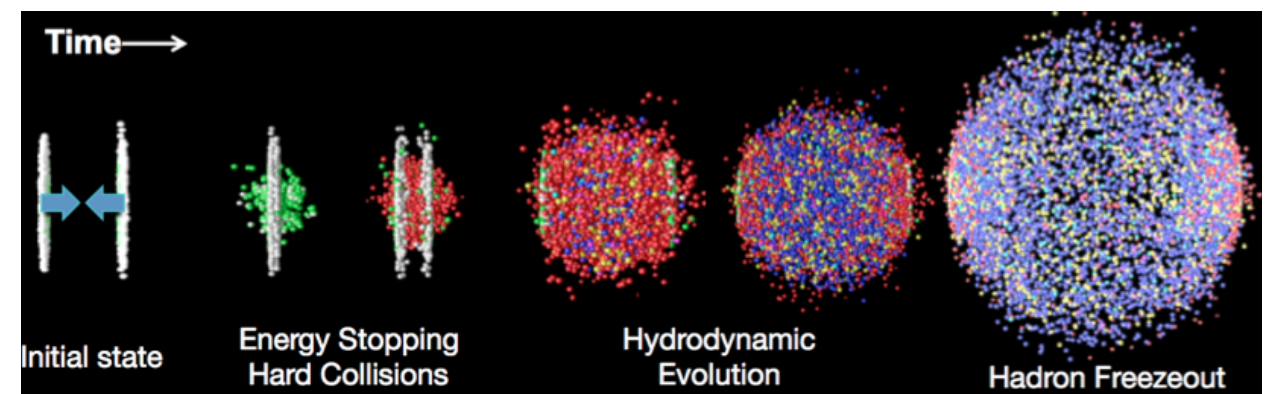
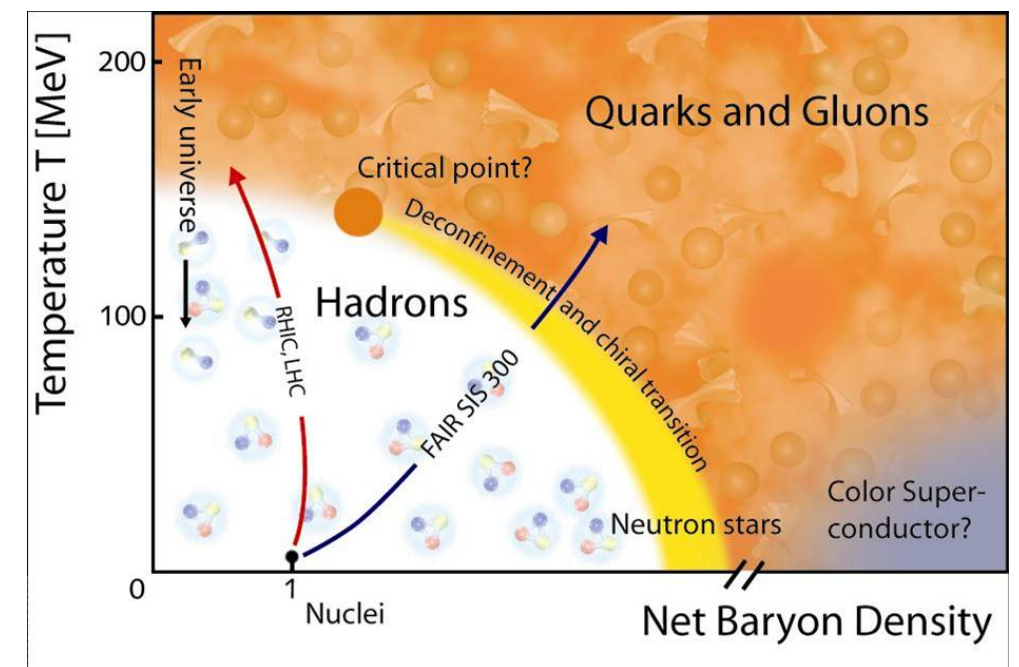
- Total charm and beauty cross sections production have been evaluated
- In both cases the cross section evolution is well reproduced by pQCD-based calculations.
- ~x10 cc pairs and ~x2 bb pairs produced at LHC Run1 energy with respect to RHIC.

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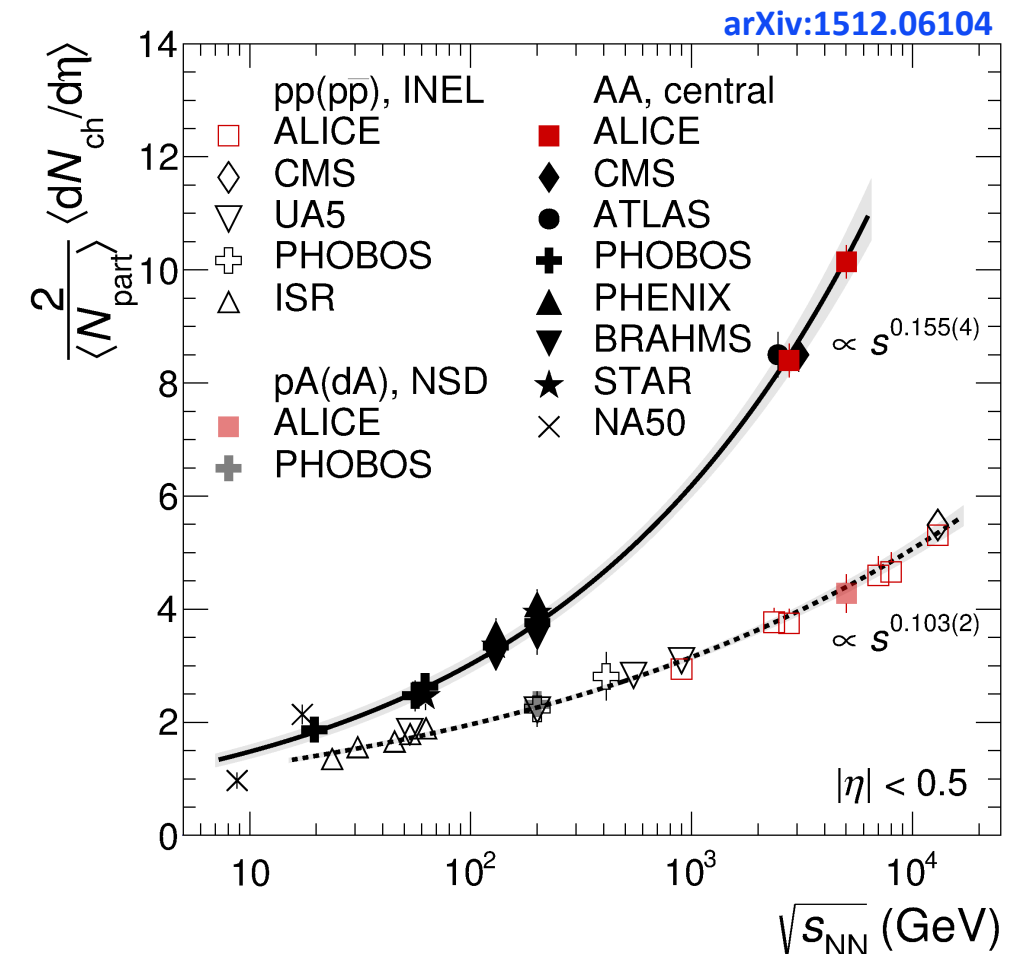
- ▶ Characterization of the state of the nuclear matter with hydrodynamics quantities, given its complexity and its extension.

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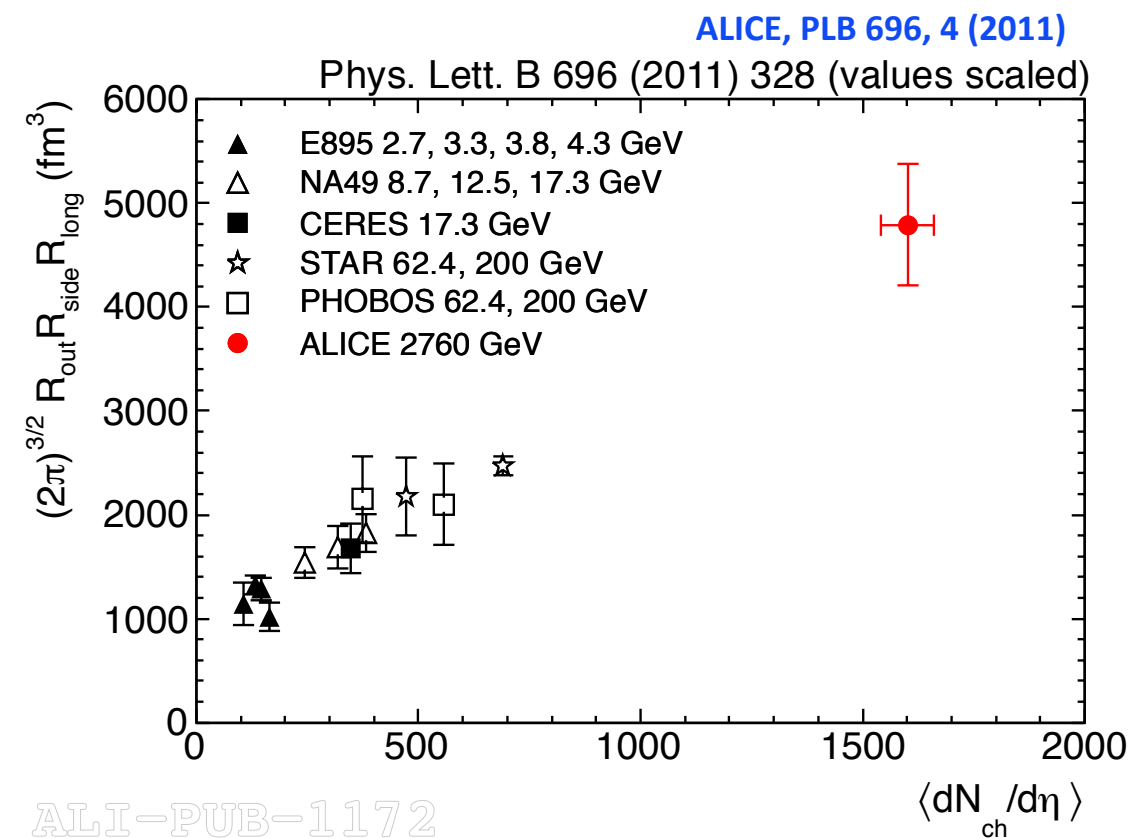


$$\varepsilon = \frac{E}{V} = \frac{1}{Sc\tau_0} \left. \frac{dE_T}{dy} \right|_{y=0}$$

S = transverse dimension of nucleus
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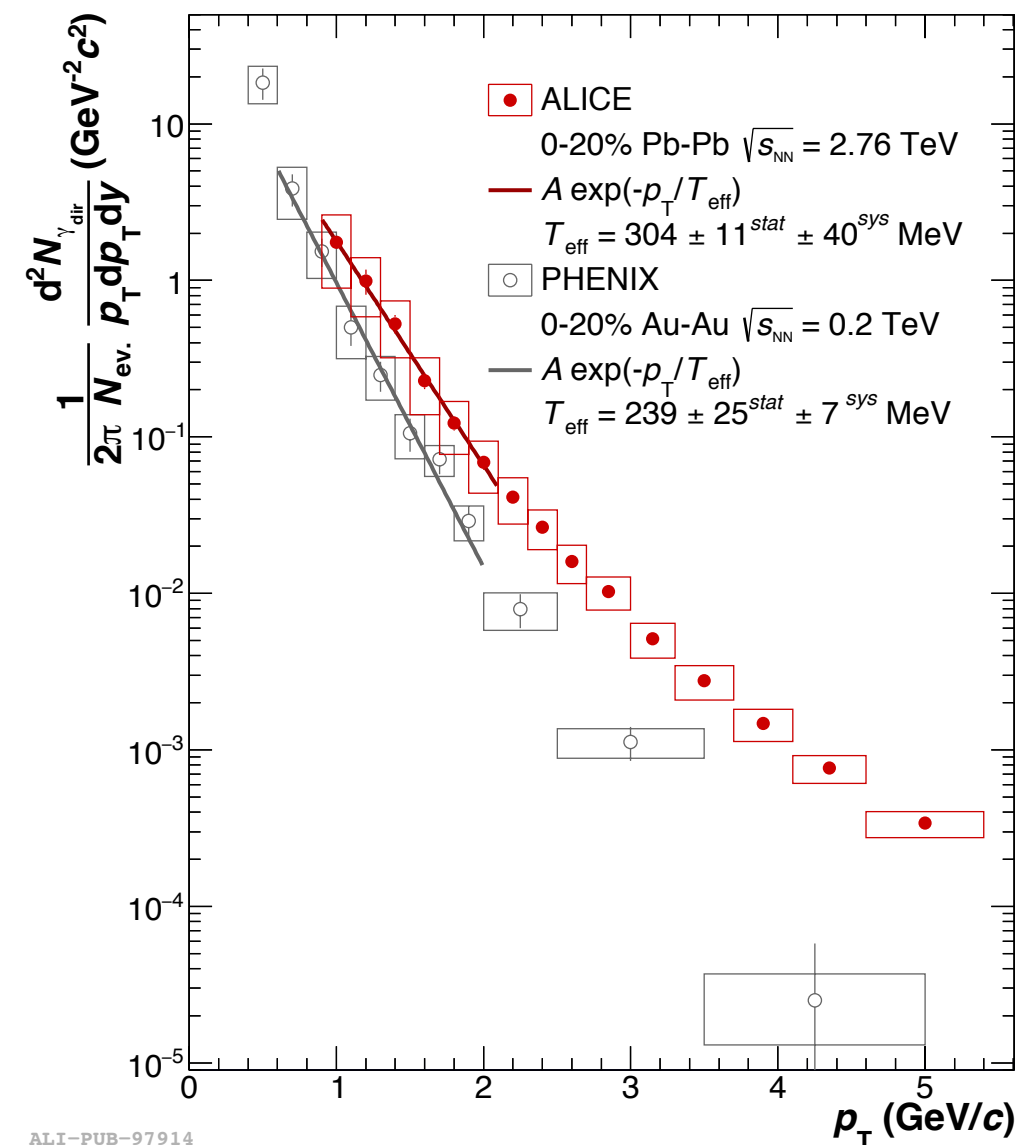
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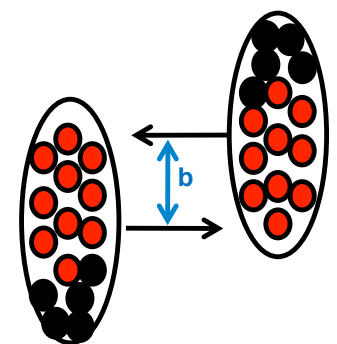
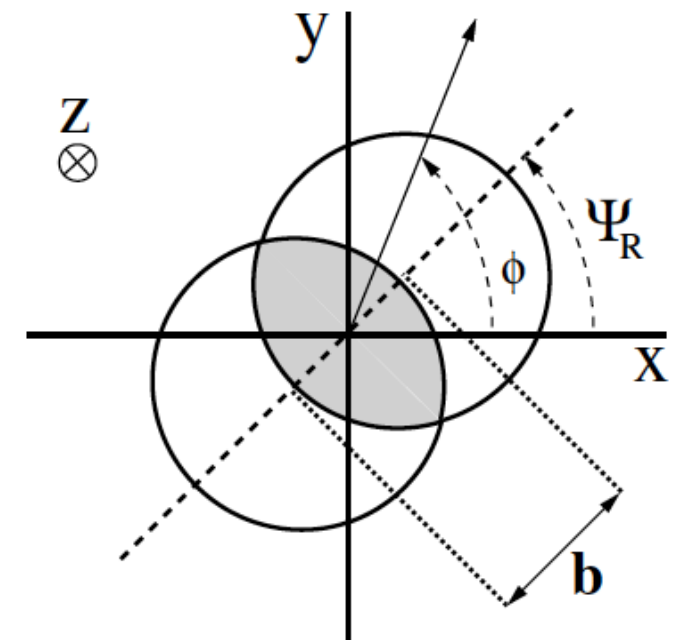


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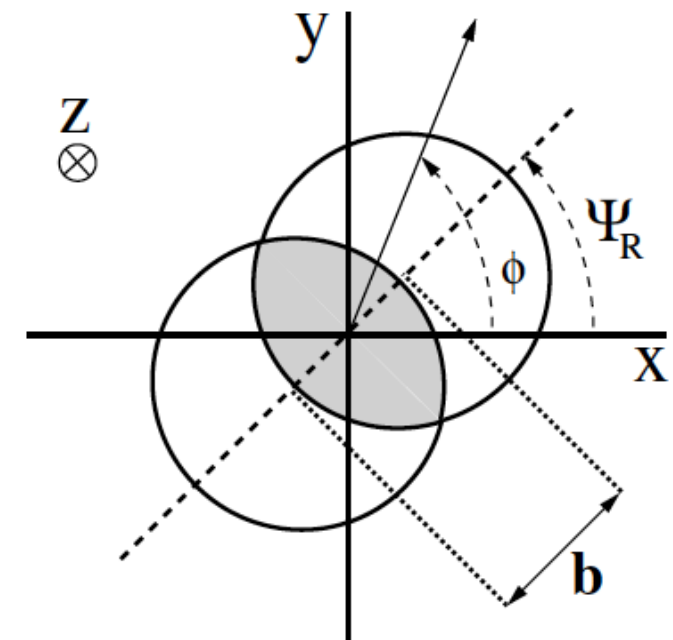
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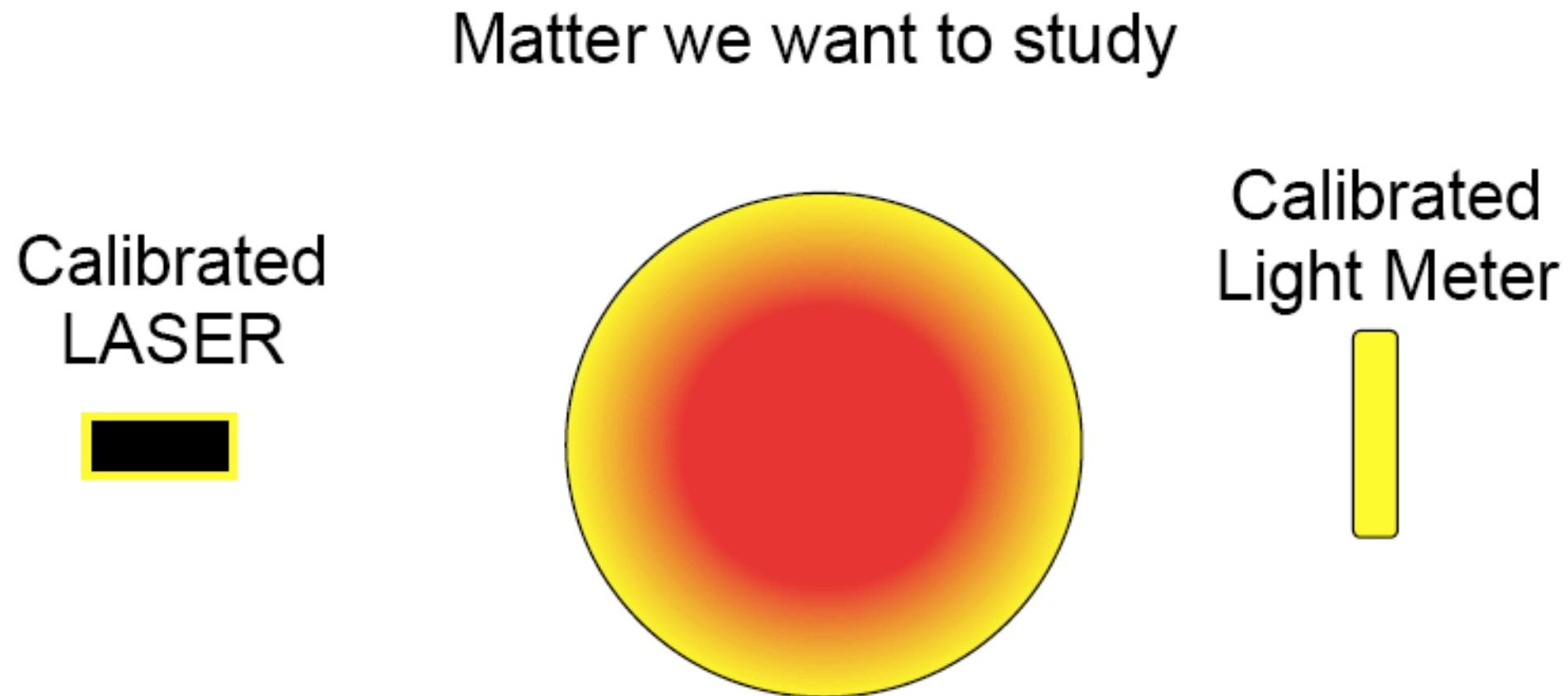
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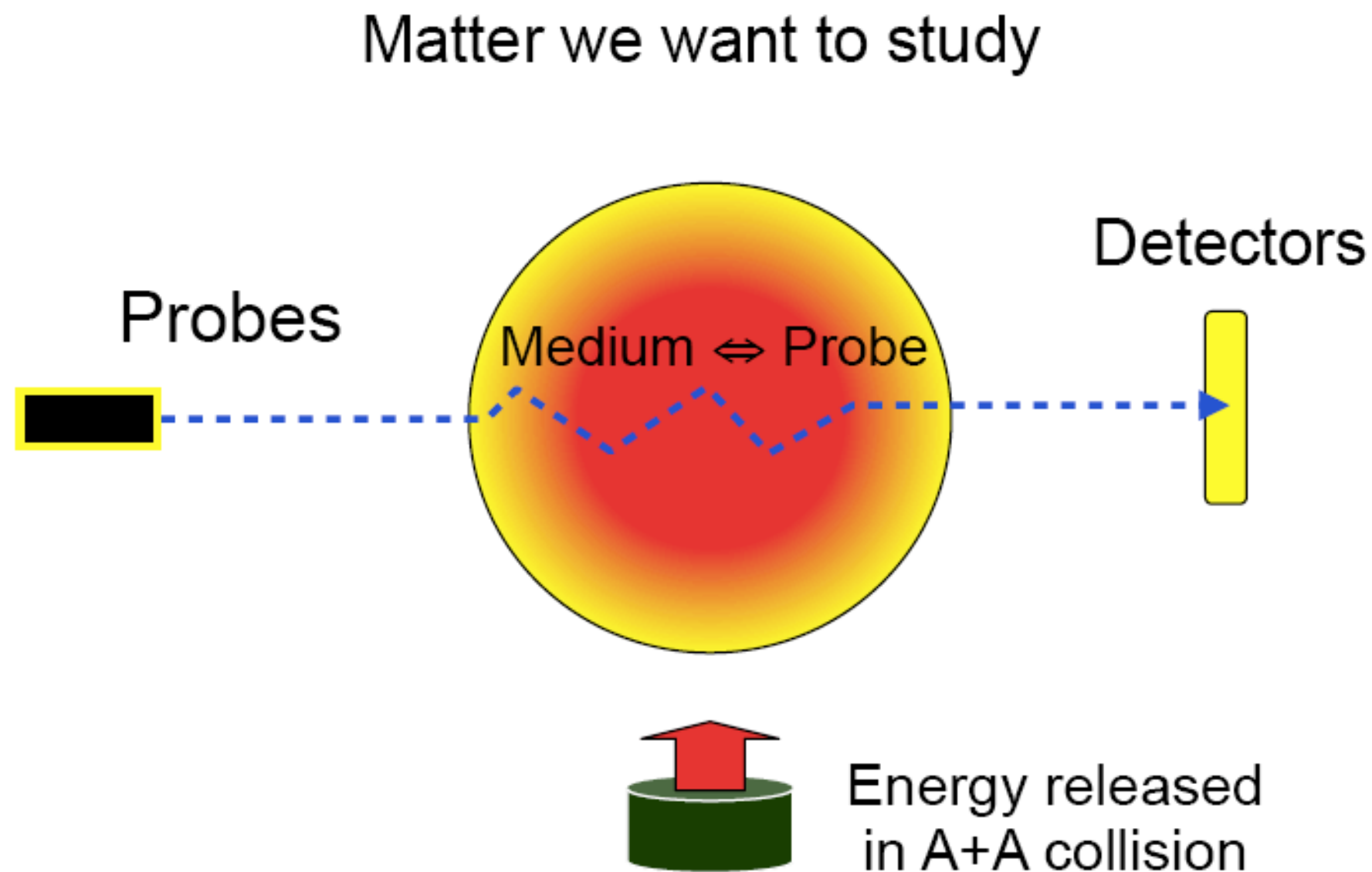
► Reaction Plane:

- Quantity to determine the “orientation” of the two nuclei during the collisions.
- The angle Ψ_R **between the x axis and the impact parameter (b) direction** identifies the reaction plane.
- The event plane can be measured using the azimuthal distribution of measured particles.

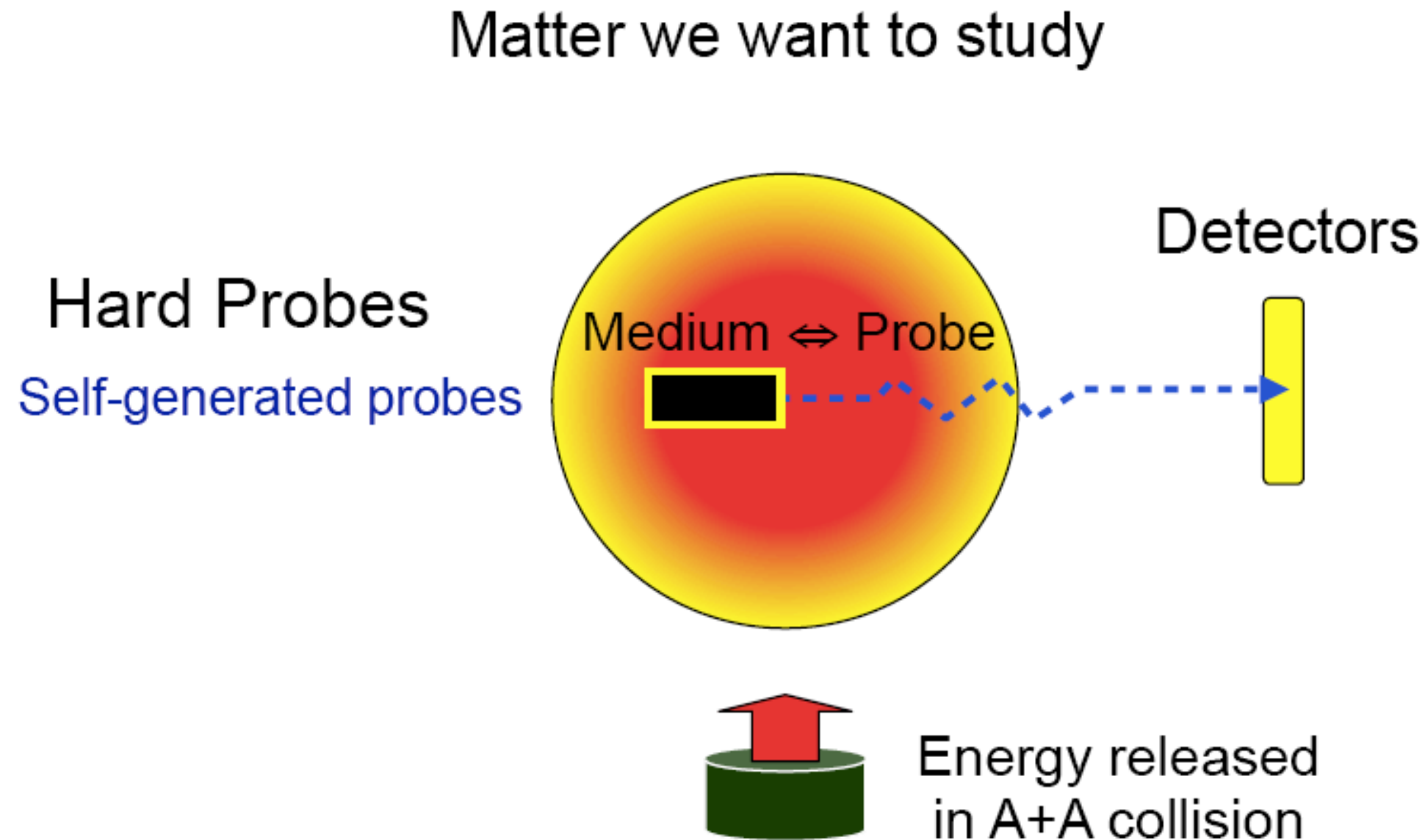
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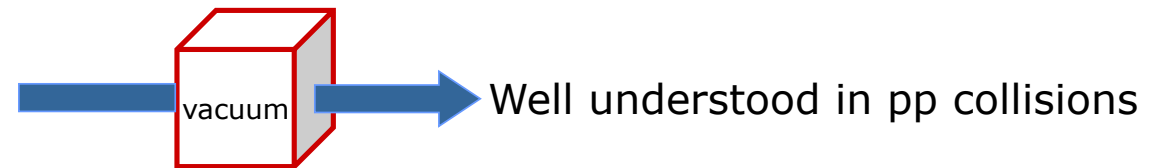


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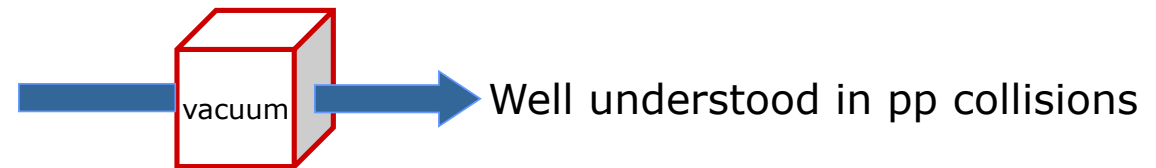
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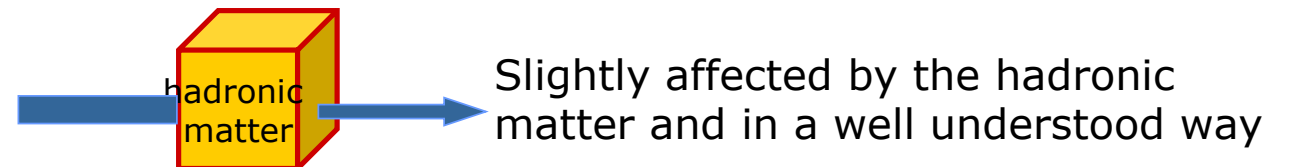


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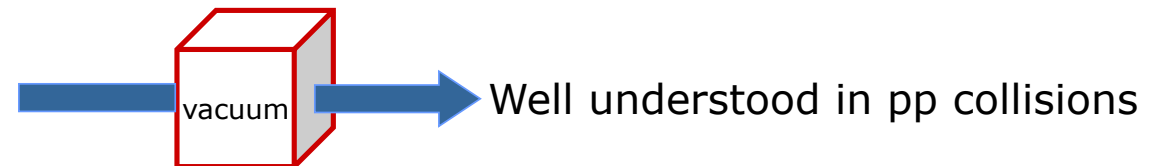


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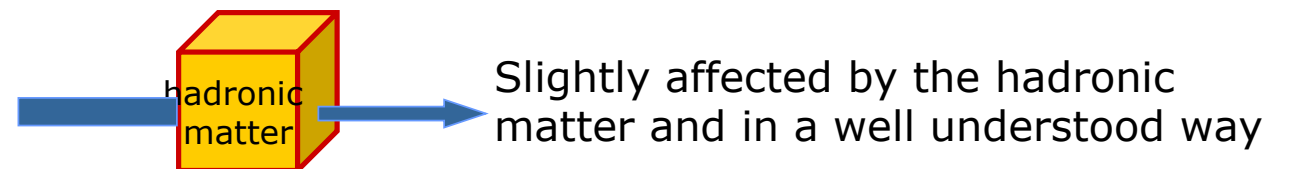


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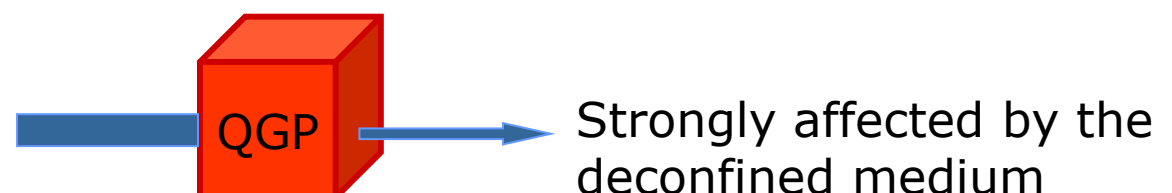
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Interaction of the probes with the hot, dense and deconfined nuclear matter



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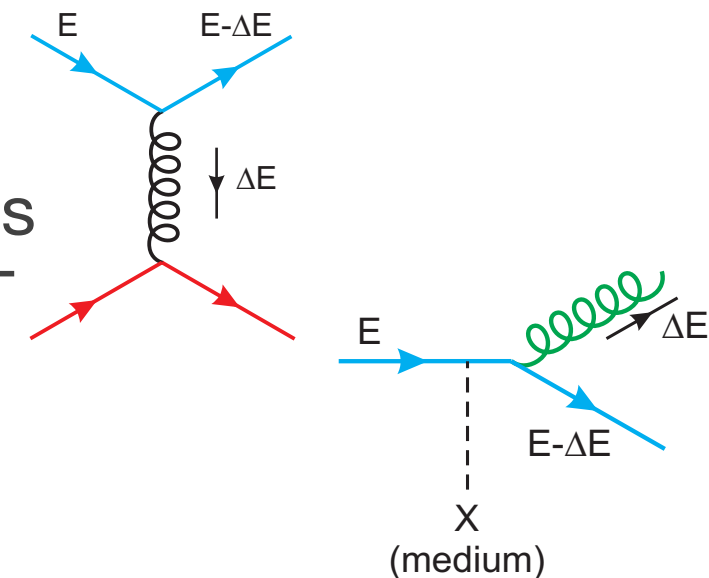
Heavy quarks interactions with the medium:

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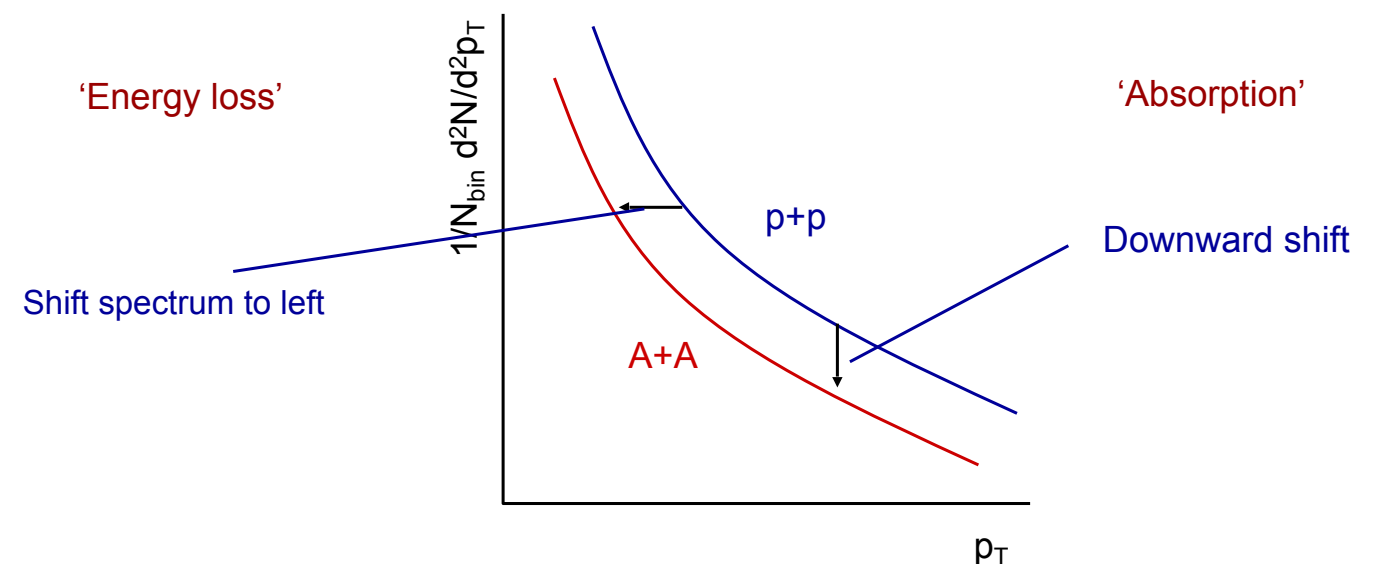
► Partons travel ~ 4 fm in the high colour-density medium.

► In their path they can lose energy for two mechanisms:
Scatterings with other partons → collisional energy loss
→ dominates at low- p_T

Gluon radiation → radiative energy loss
→ dominates at high energy



► The reduction of the parton energy translates to a reduction in the average momentum of the produced hadron.



Observables:

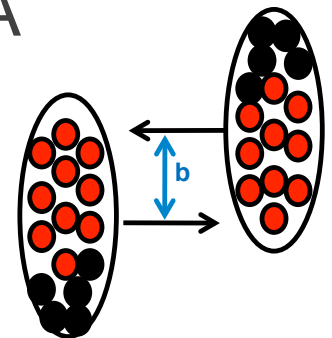
► Nuclear modification factor (R_{AA}):

► Comparison of the spectra in pp and AA collisions.

► If AA collisions would be a “simple” superposition of many pp collisions $R_{AA} = 1$

$$R_{AA}(p_T) = \frac{1}{\langle N_{coll} \rangle} \times \frac{d^2 N_{AA}/dp_T d\eta}{d^2 N_{pp}/dp_T d\eta}$$

► Similar ratio can be build comparing central and peripheral AA collisions (R_{CP})

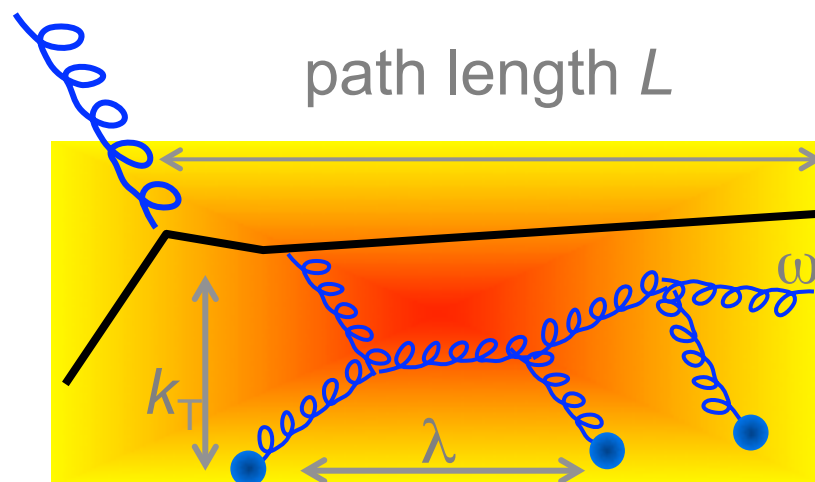


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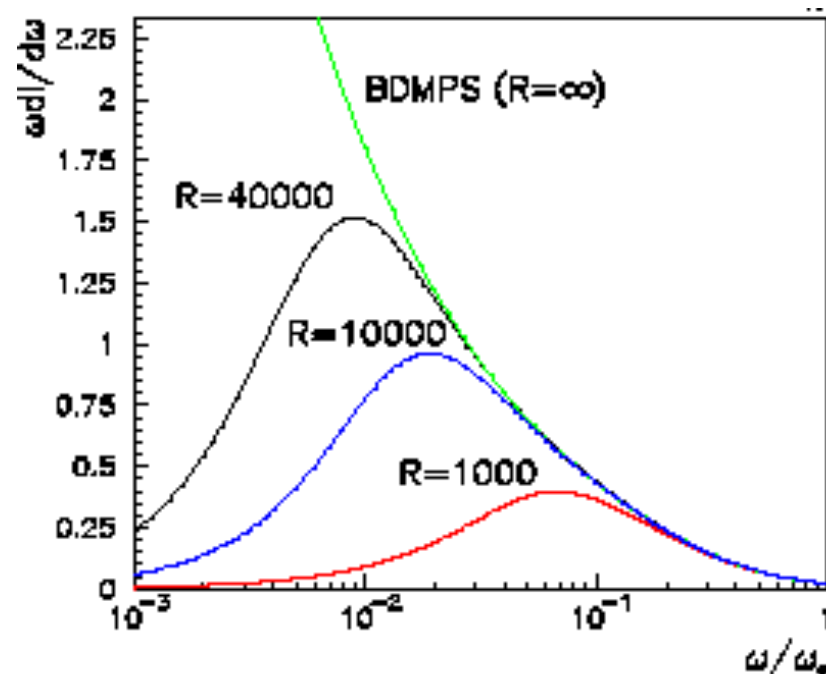
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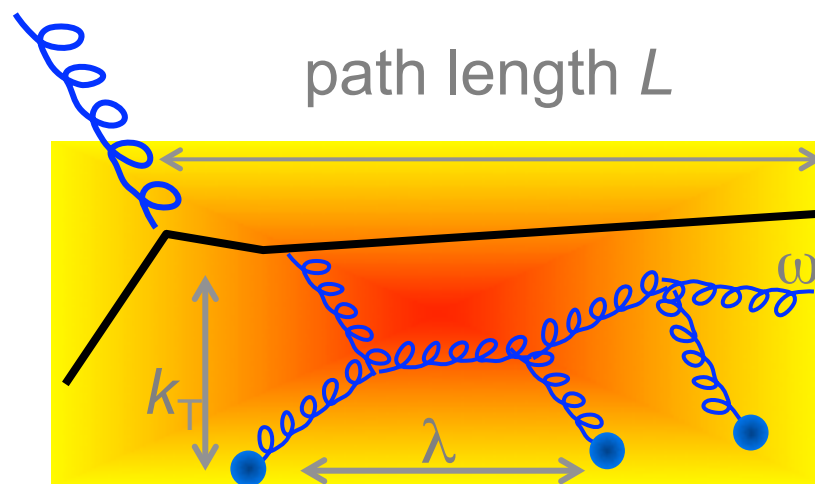


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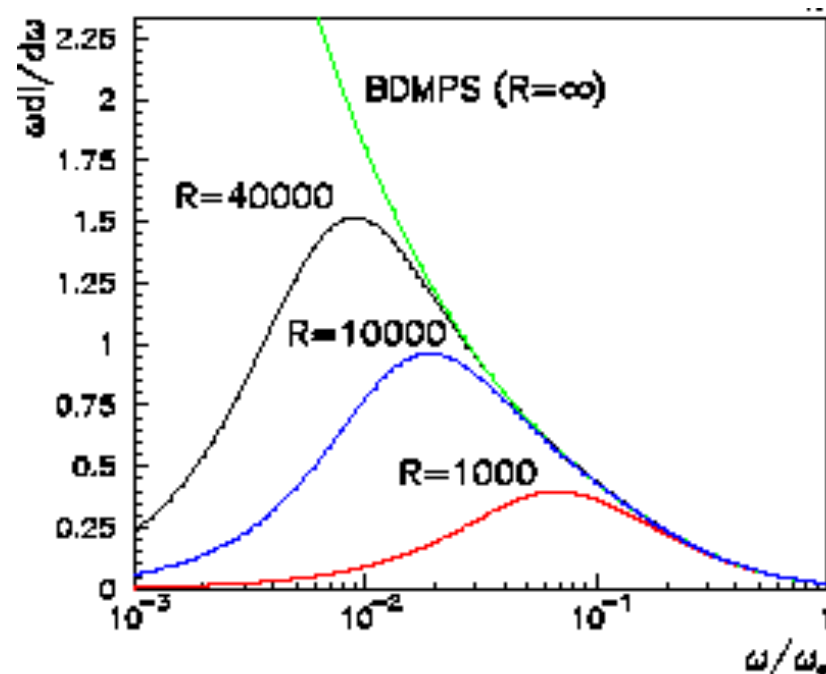
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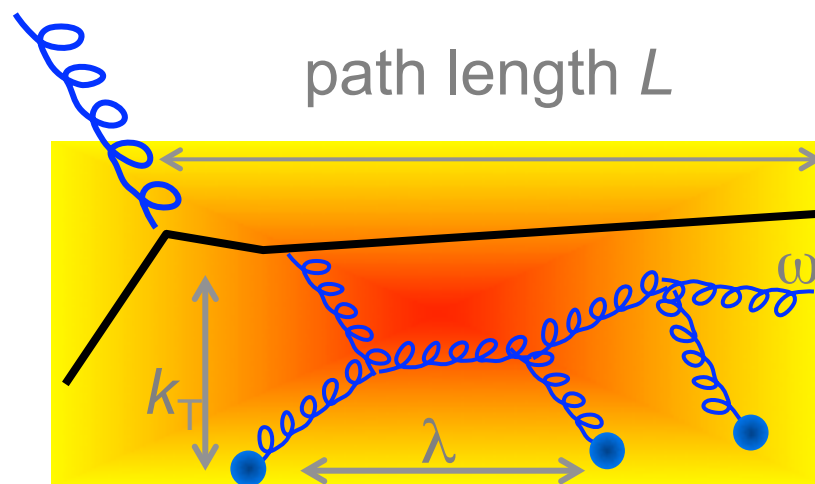
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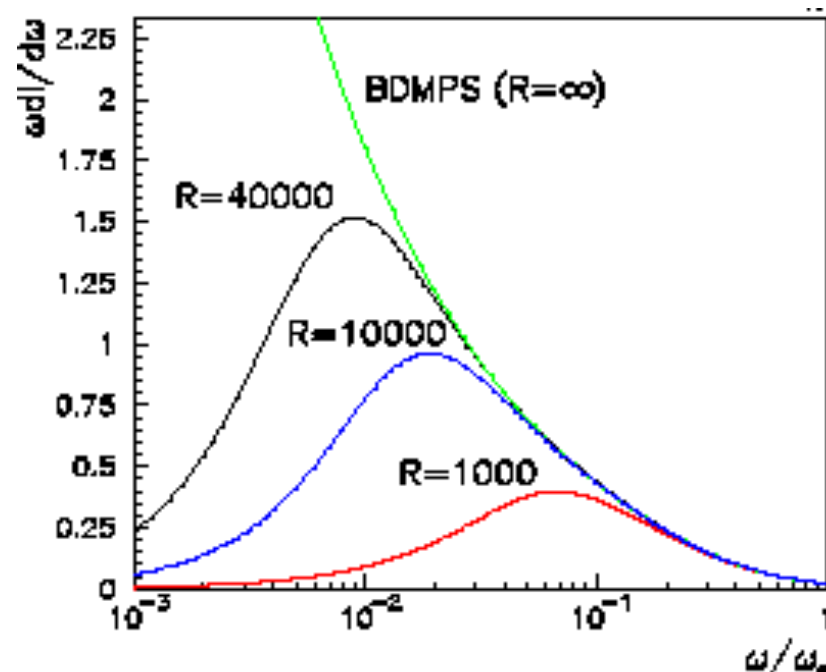
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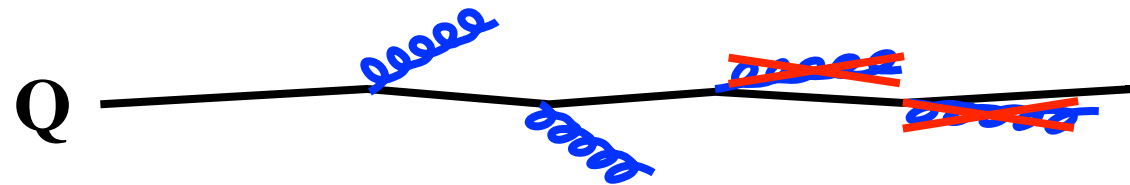


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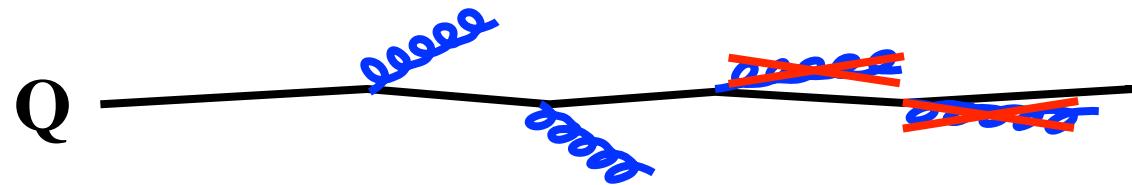
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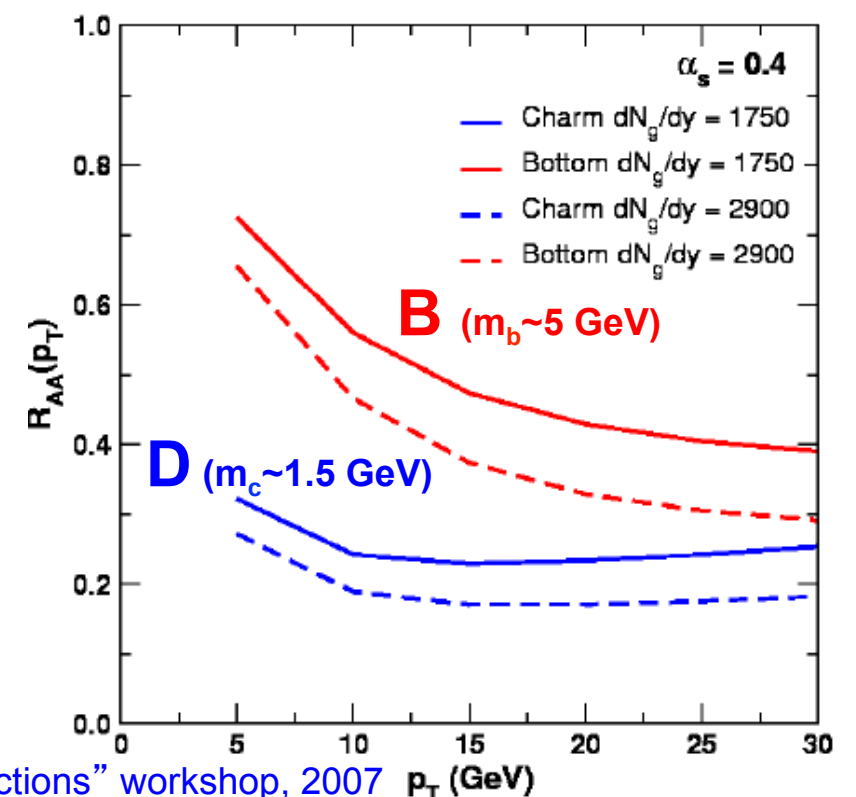
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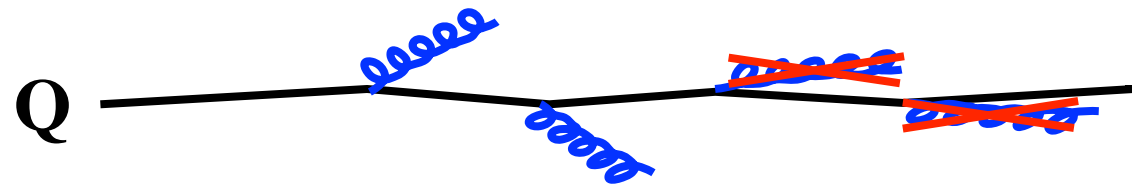
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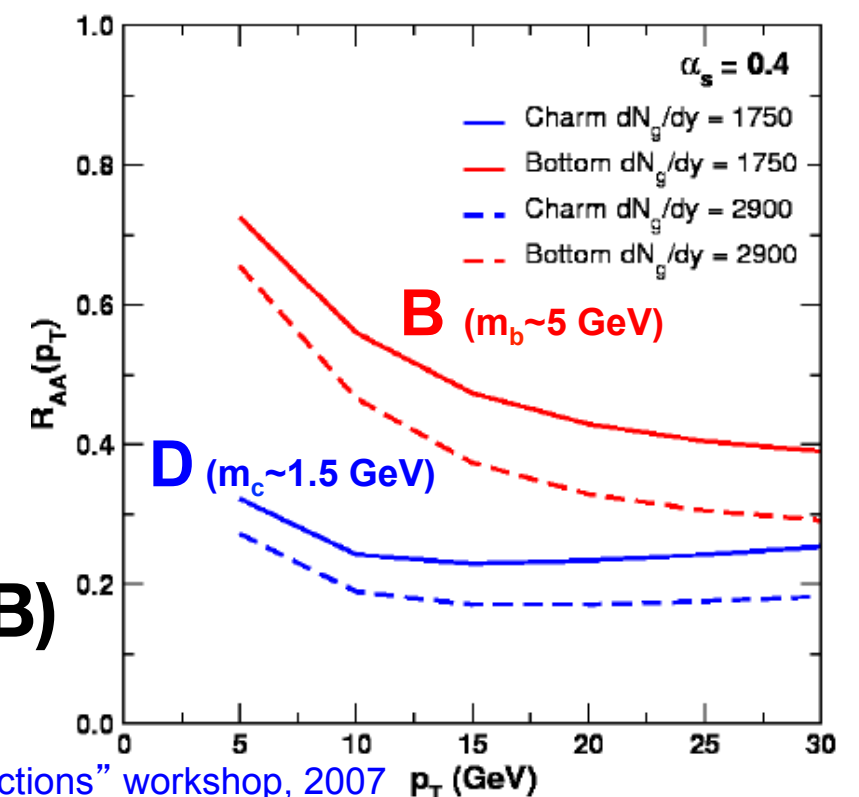
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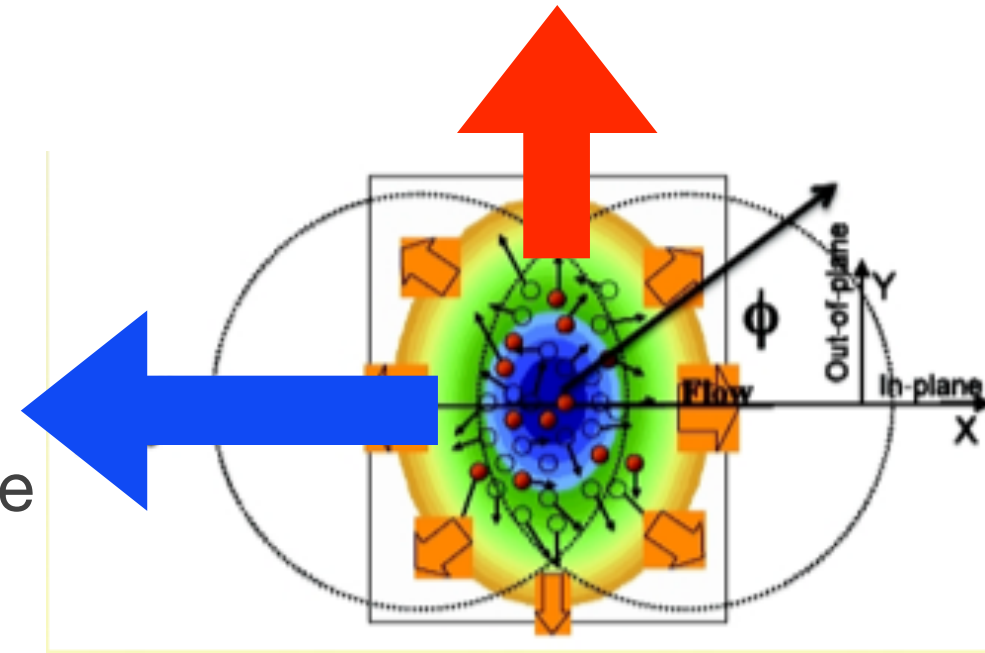


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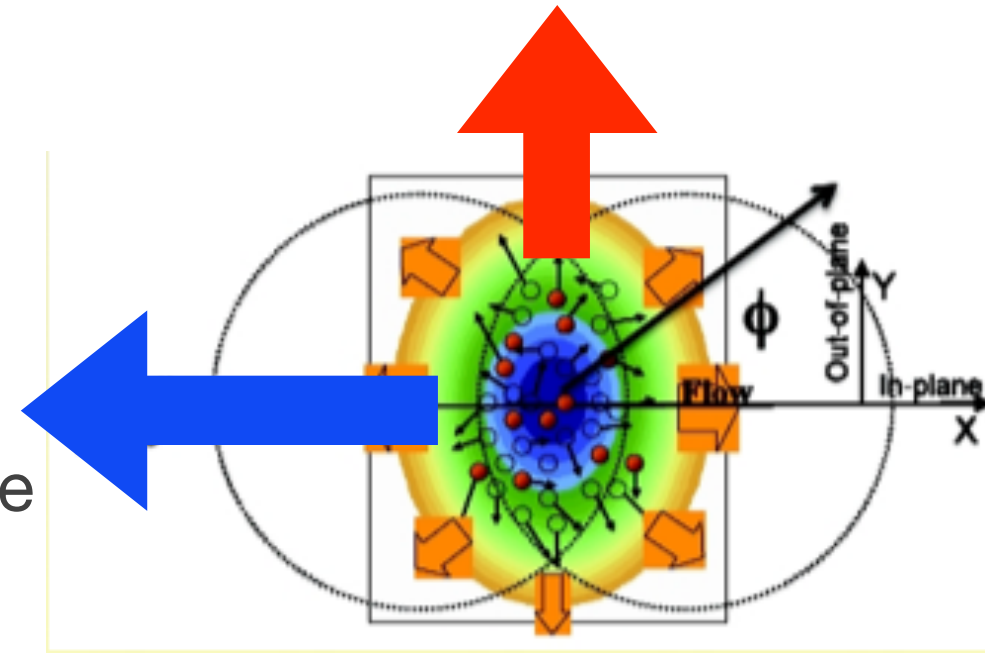
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Observables:

► Nuclear modification factor (R_{AA}):

► Comparison of the spectra in pp and AA collisions.

► If AA collisions would be a “simple” superposition of many pp collisions $R_{AA} = 1$

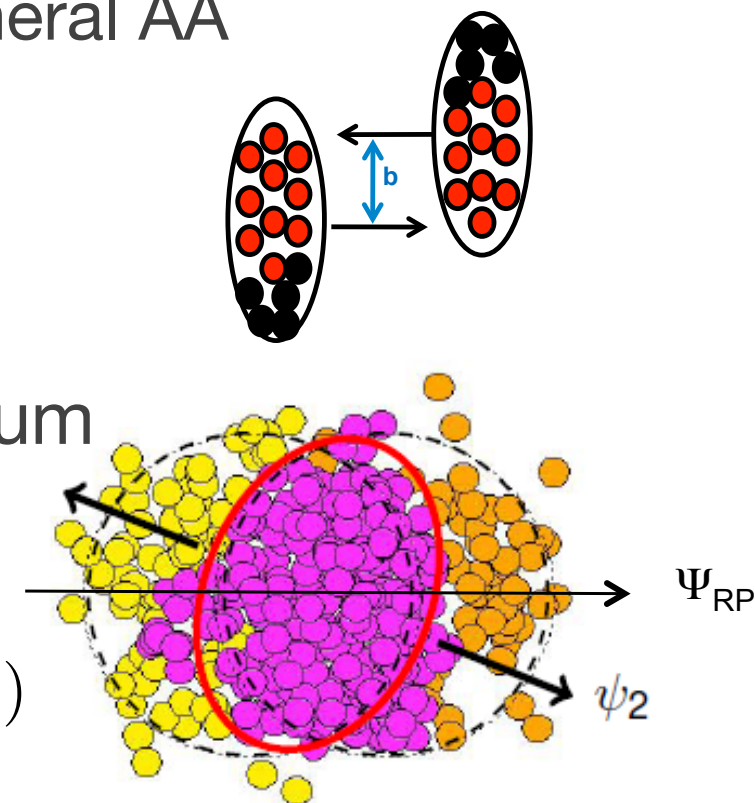
$$R_{AA}(p_T) = \frac{1}{\langle N_{coll} \rangle} \times \frac{d^2 N_{AA}/dp_T d\eta}{d^2 N_{pp}/dp_T d\eta}$$

► Similar ratio can be build comparing central and peripheral AA collisions (R_{CP})

► Azimuthal anisotropy (v_2):

► Initial spatial anisotropy transferred to the momentum anisotropy of particles.

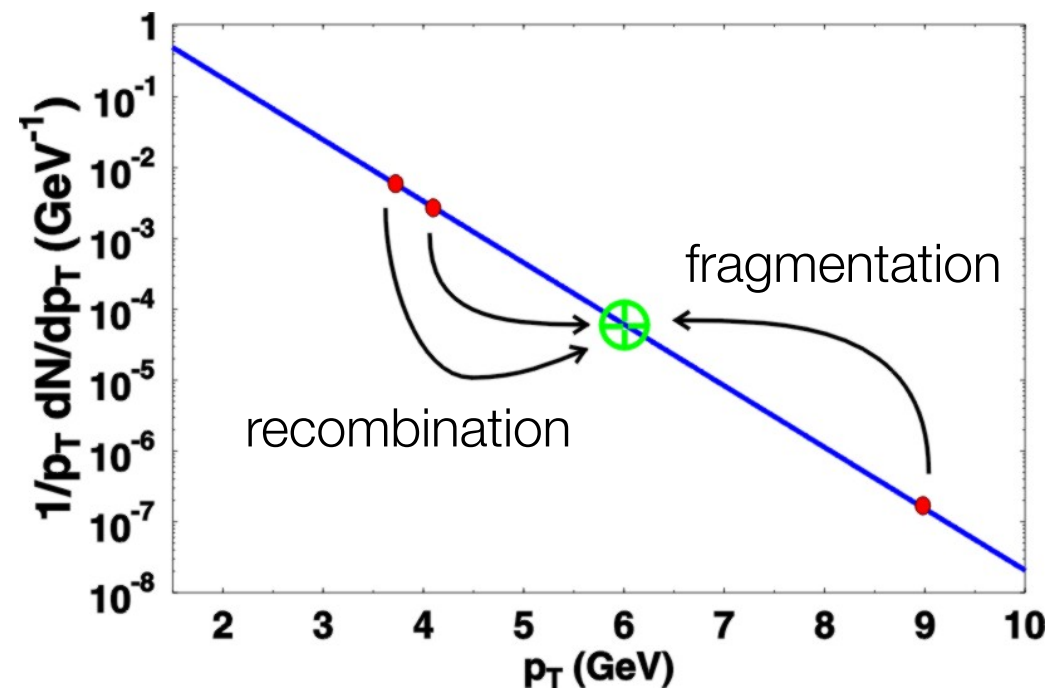
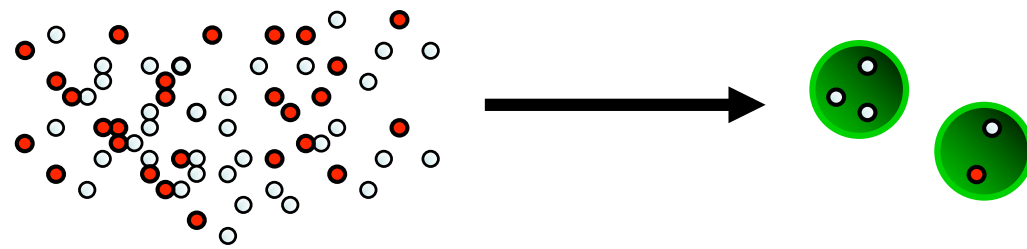
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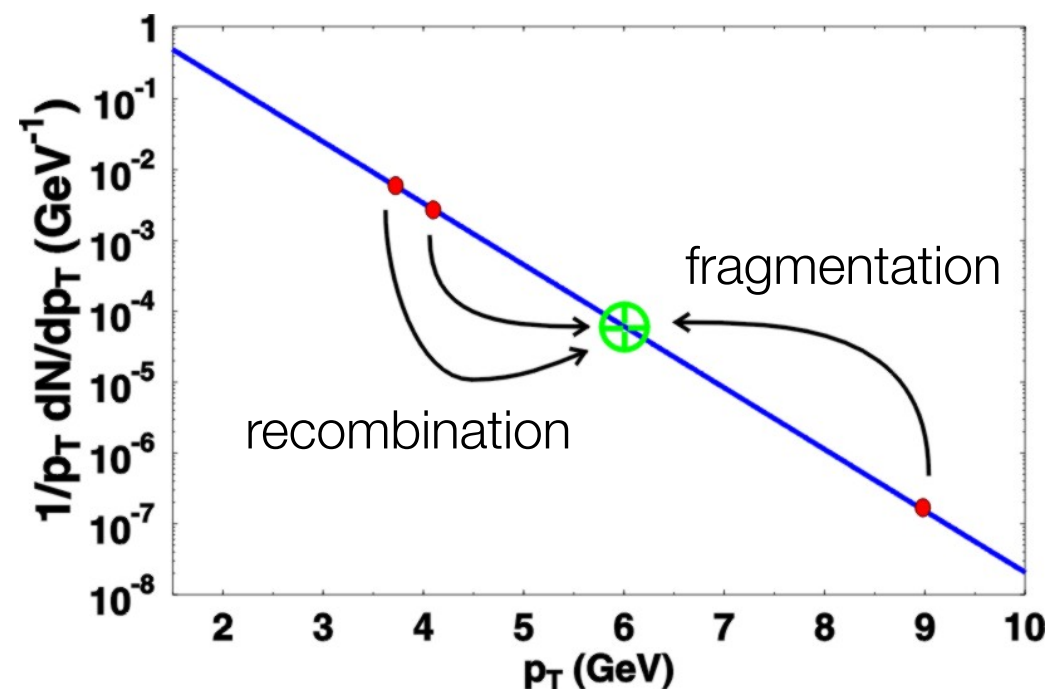
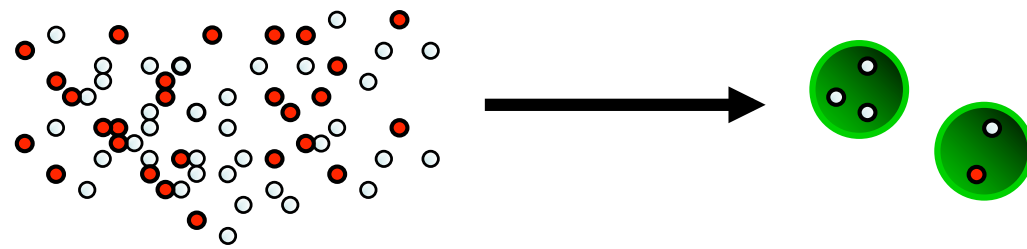
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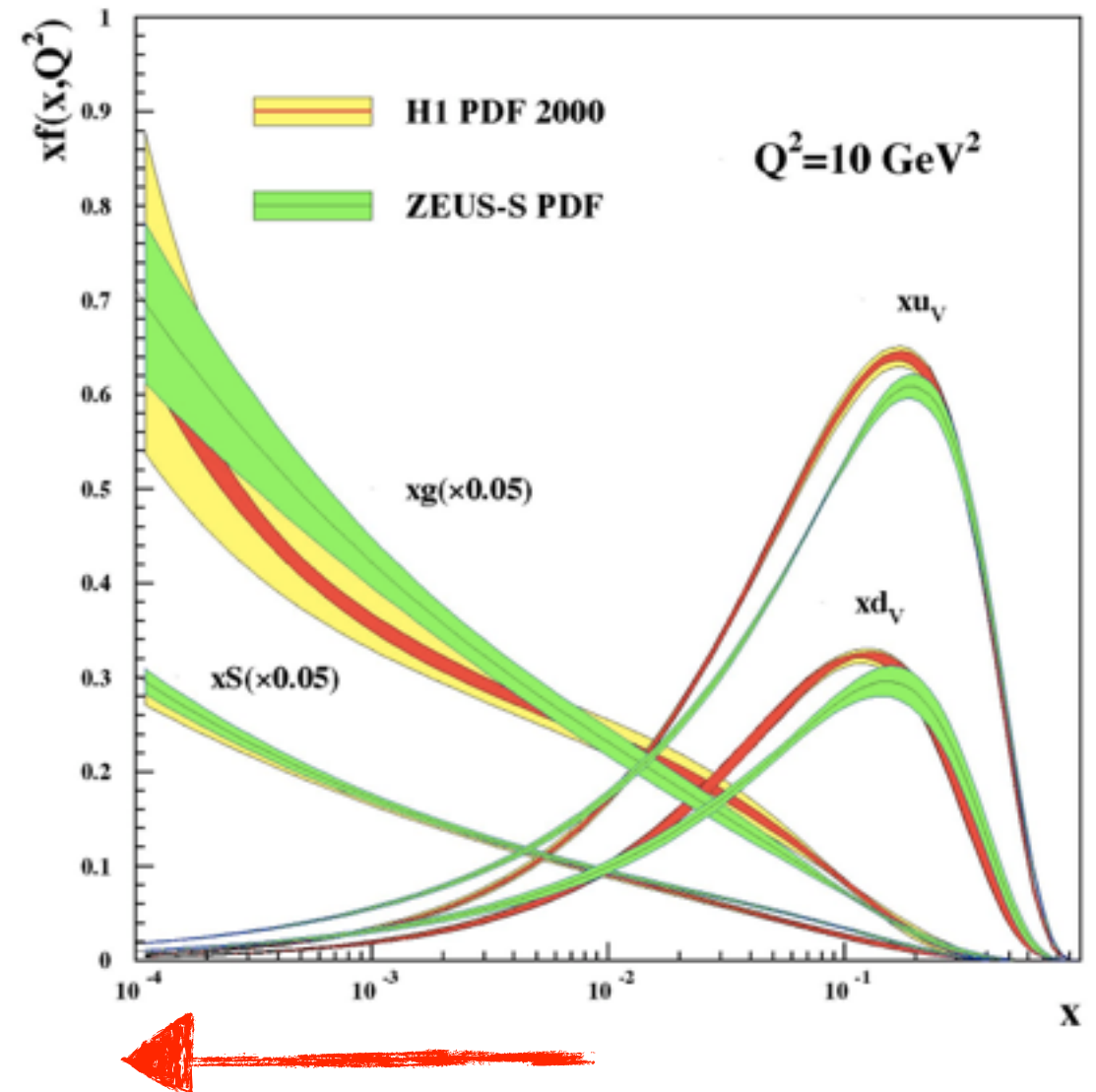
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- ▶ Recombination and radial flow can push even further hadrons formed by partons “taken from the medium”.
- ▶ Is charm (and beauty) so “part of the medium” (i.e. thermalized) that follow this mechanism to create hadrons, getting together with light partons of the medium?

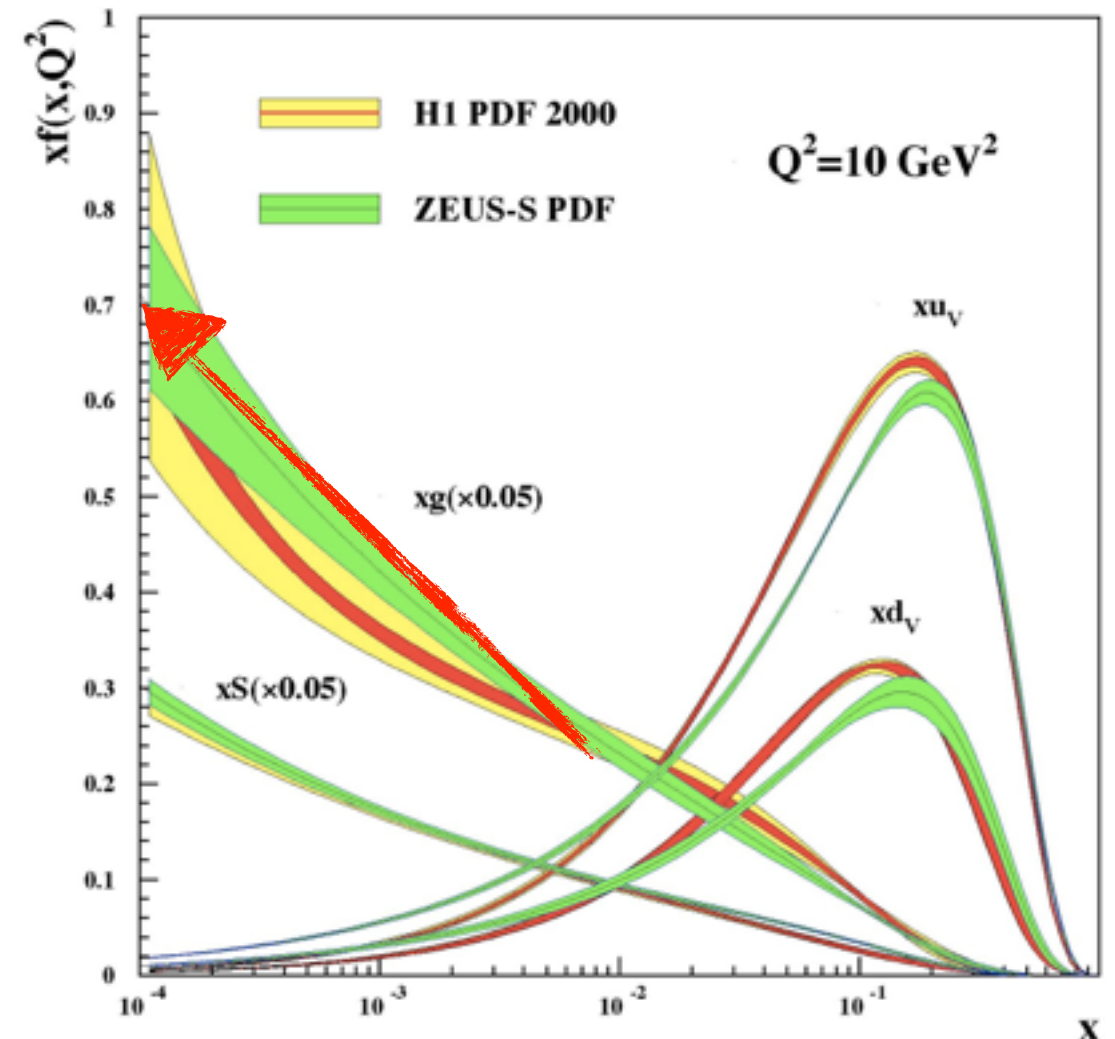
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- ▶ **Strong rise of the gluons density** in the nucleus for this regime (factor $A^{1/3} \sim 6$).
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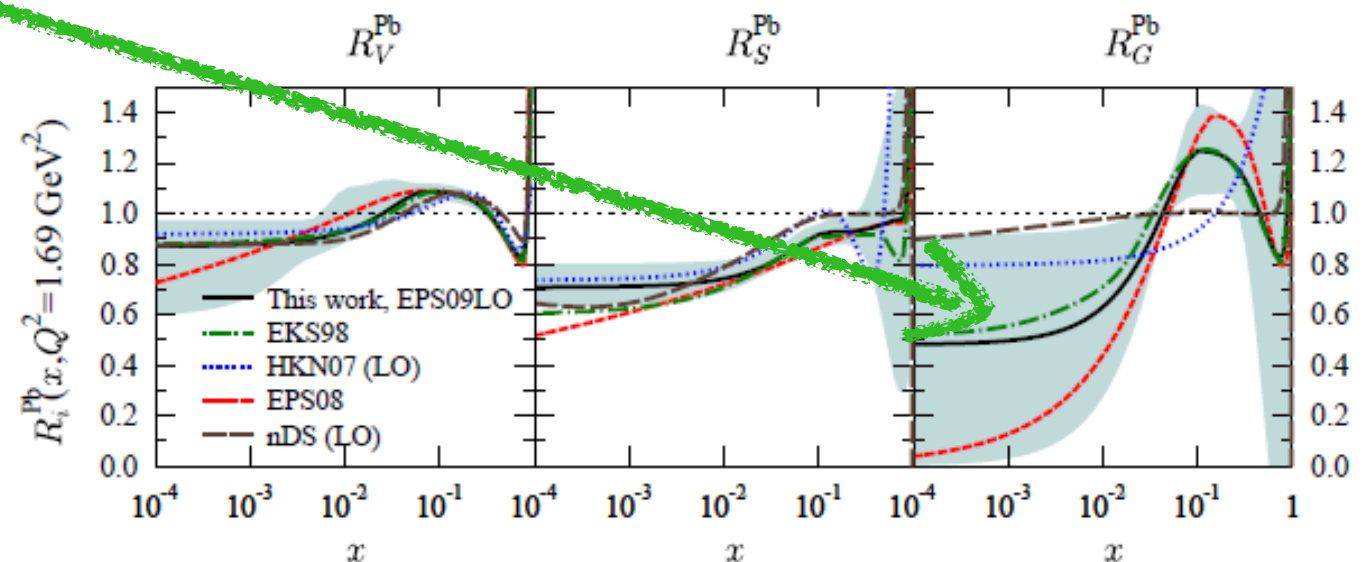


Cold nuclear matter effects: **Shadowing**

- ▶ Due to the high density of gluons present in the nucleons (saturation regime), possible modification of the PDF could be considered.
- ▶ **Shadowing**: parton densities in nuclei are depleted with respect to free patrons (“low-x gluon fusion”).

$$xG_A(x, Q^2) = A xg(x, Q^2) \mathbf{R_G^A(x, Q^2)}$$

- ▶ Most of the low-x data are in non-perturbative range
- ▶ Difficult to constraint the pQCD calculations
- ▶ Large uncertainties on $R_G^A(x, Q^2)$



see e.g. Eskola et al. JHEP0904(2009)065

Other cold nuclear matter effects

► **Colour Glass Condensate:**

- Effective theory used to approximate the saturation regime.
- Based on the high density of gluons that don't change their position rapidly.

McLerran, Venugopalan PRD49 (1994) 2233, Fujii-Watanabe, arXiv:1308.1258

► **kT broadening:**

- partons can reduce their transverse momentum due to multiple soft collisions before the hard scattering occurs.

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► **Parton energy loss:**

- recent calculations based on the possibility that cc pair are also affected by energy loss in pPb due to the high energy density reached at LHC energies.

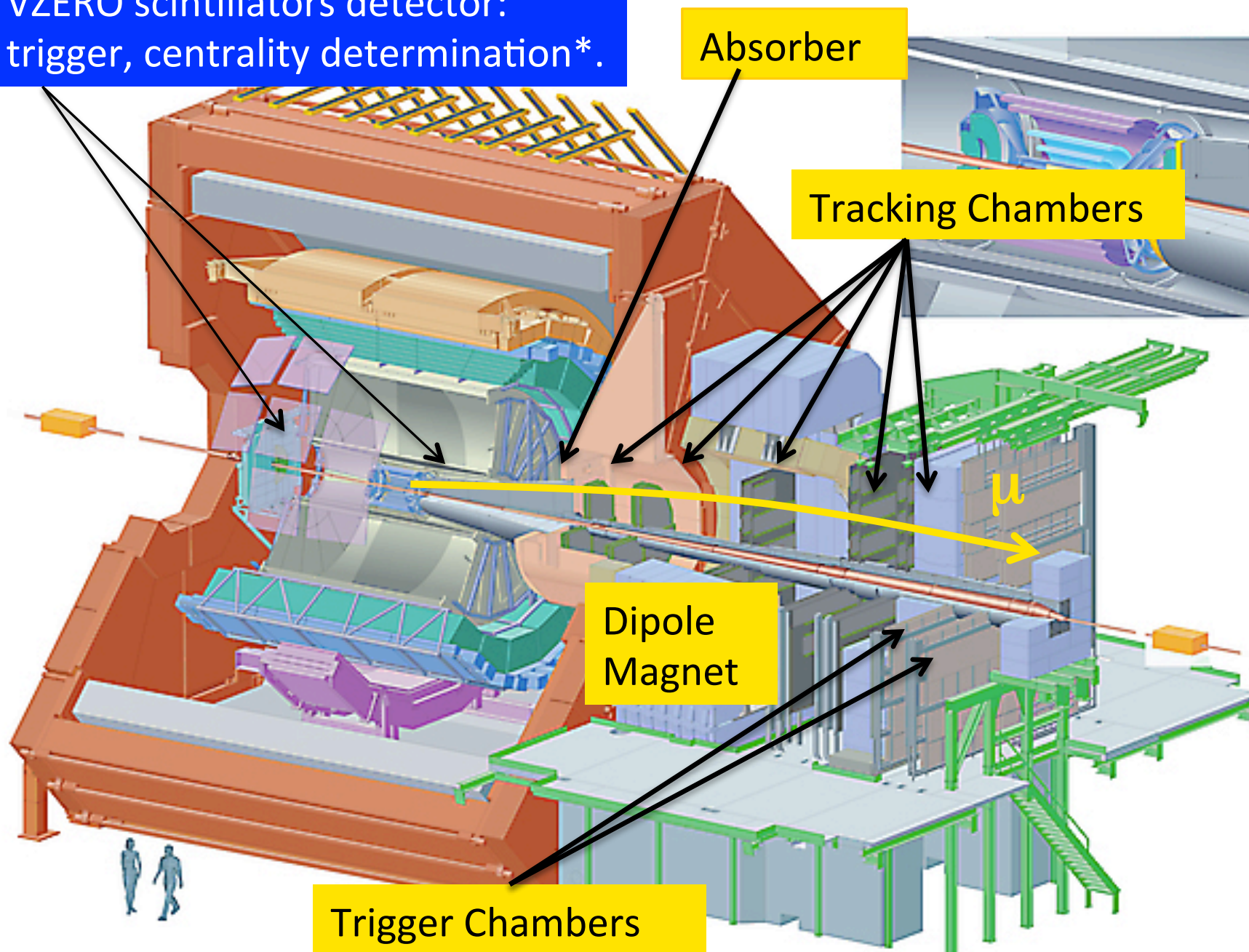
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VZERO scintillators detector:
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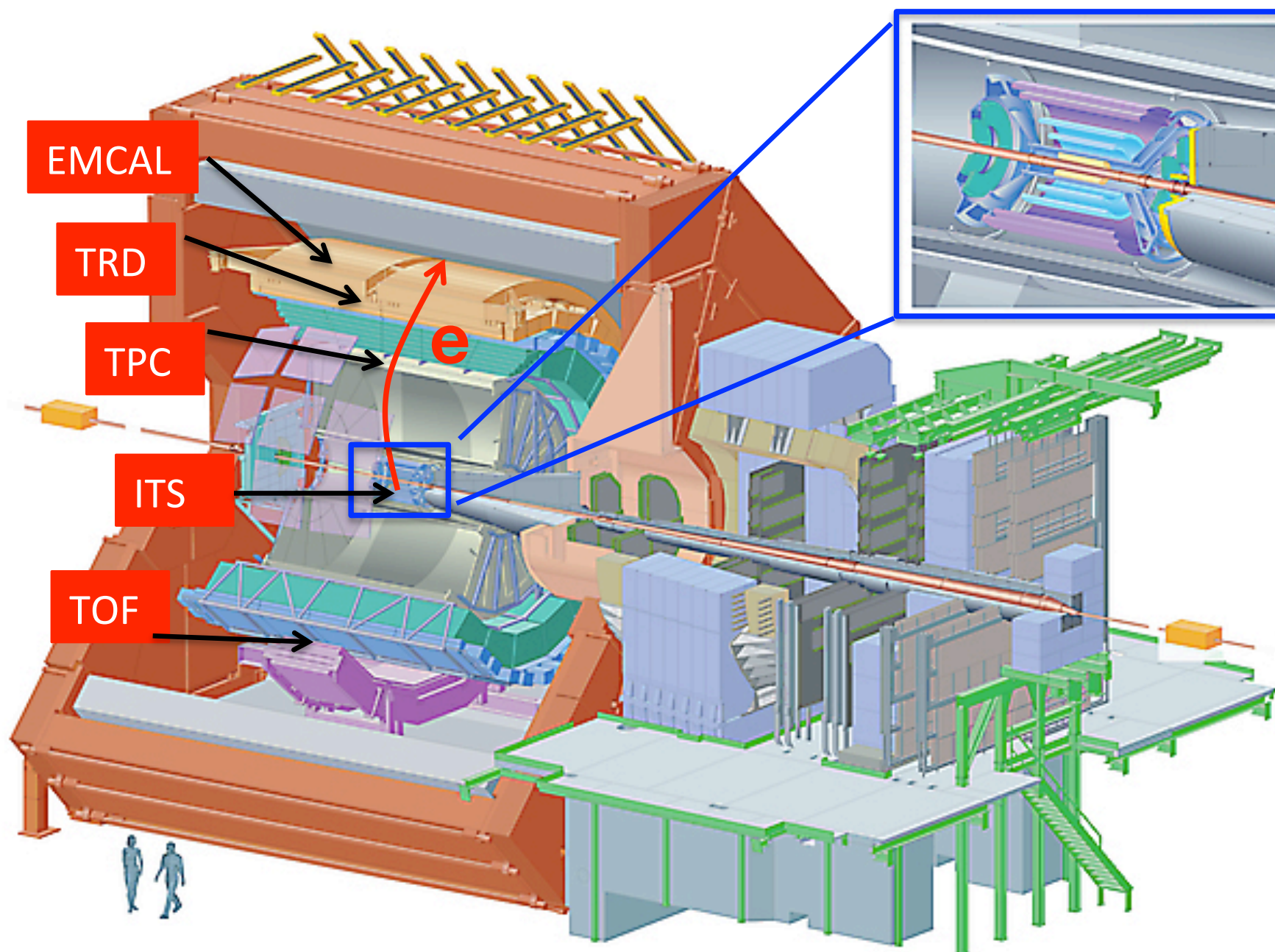


✓ $D, B, \Lambda_c, \dots \rightarrow \mu + X$

► Muon spectrometer:
 μ -ID via tracks matched
with and trigger system
 $-4 < \eta < -2.5$

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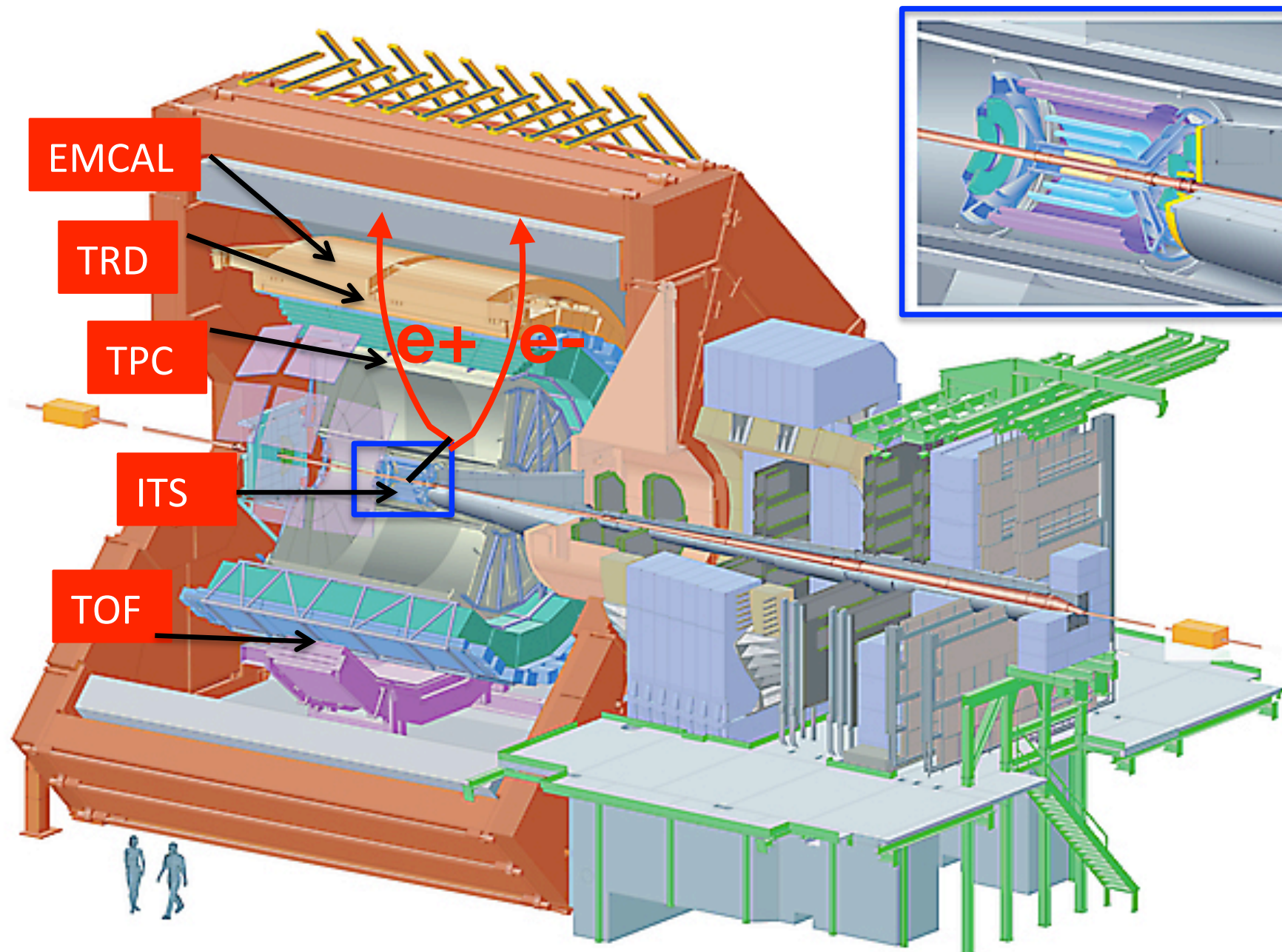
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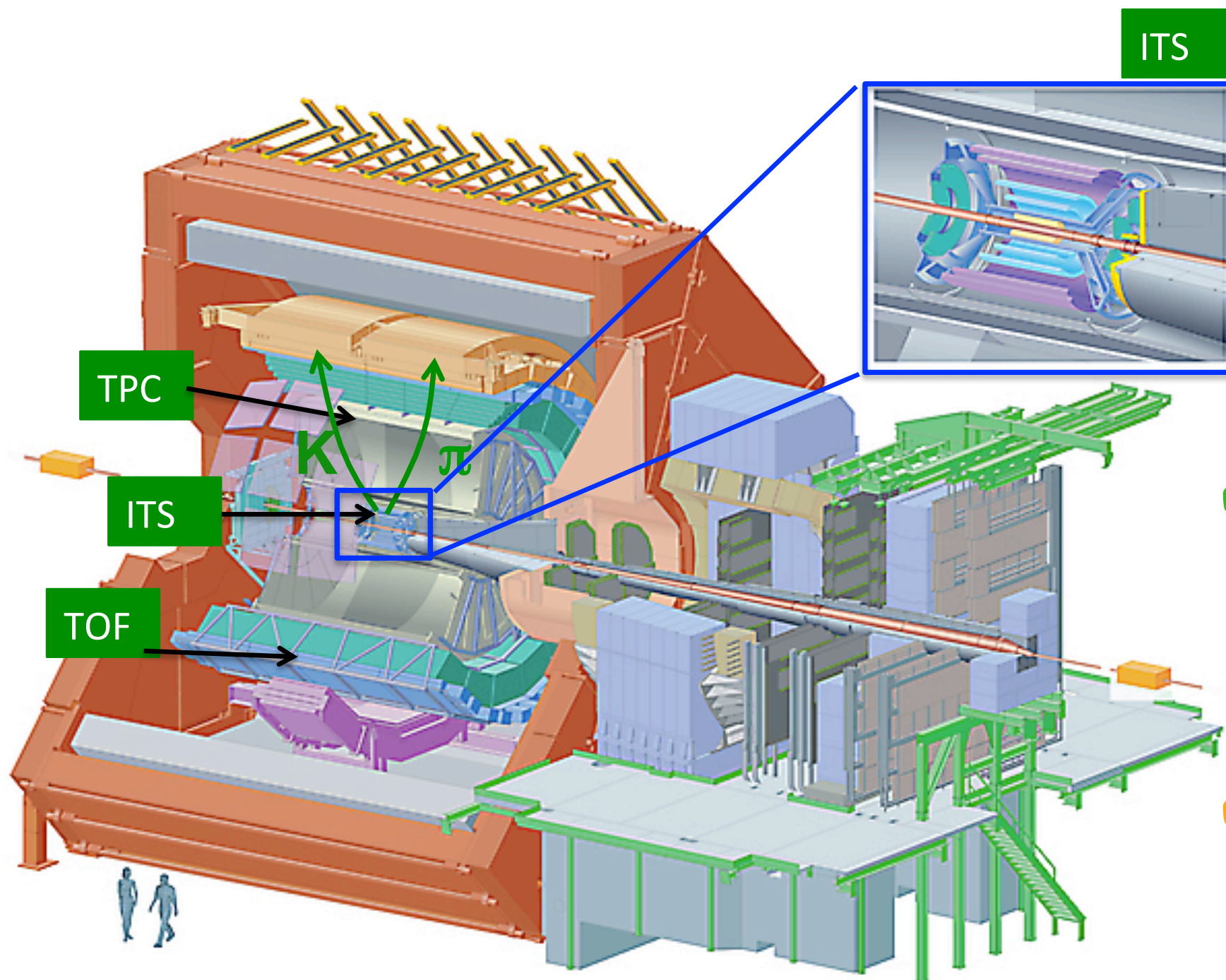
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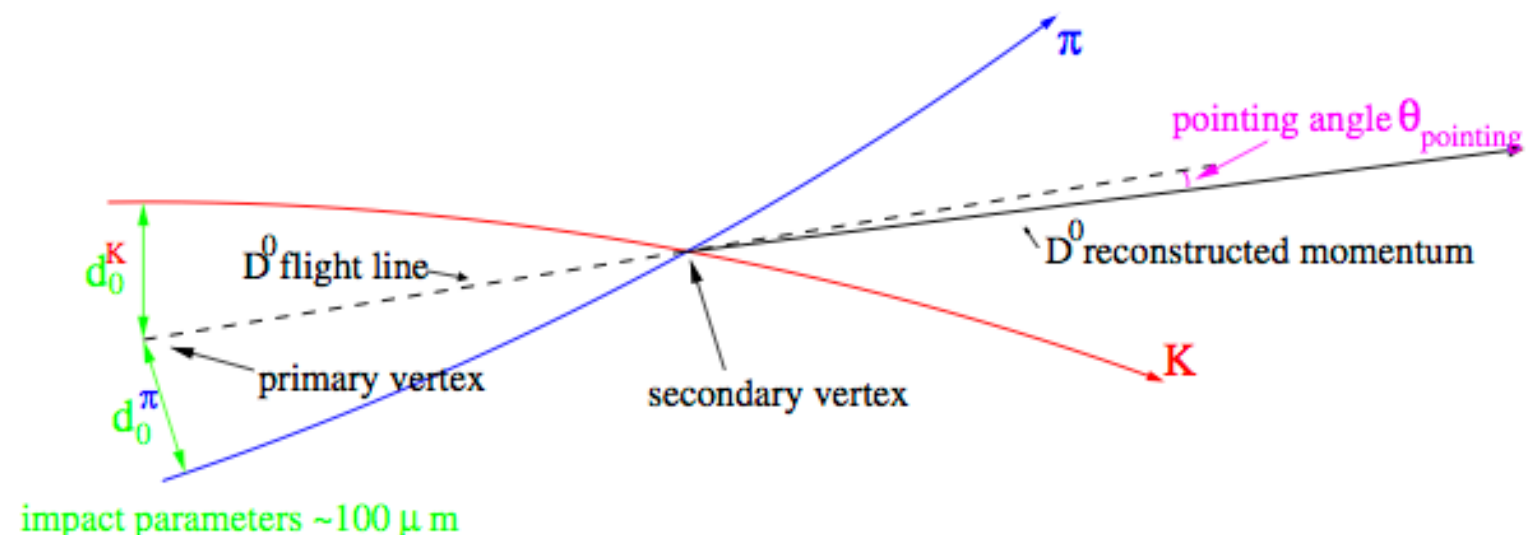


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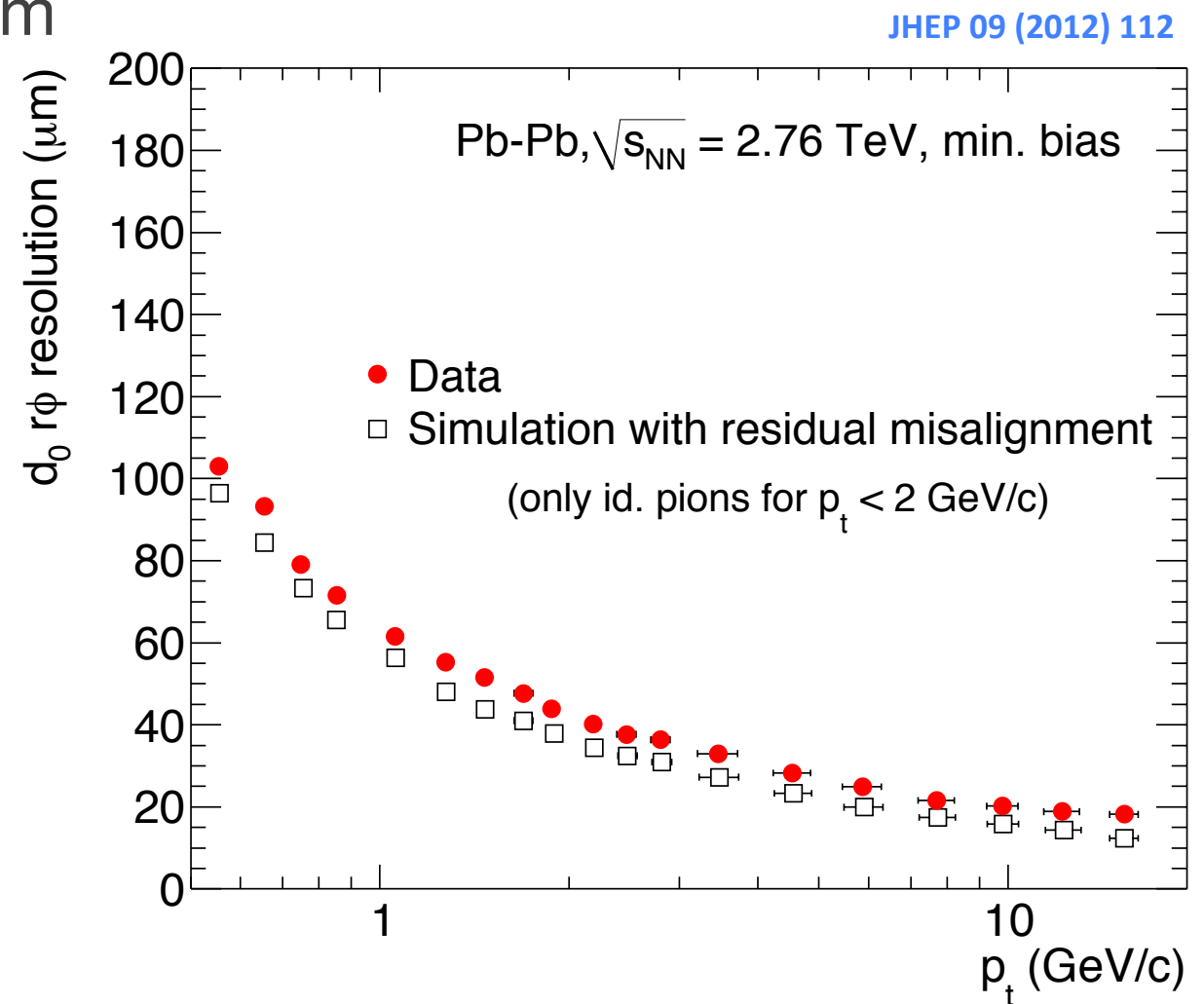
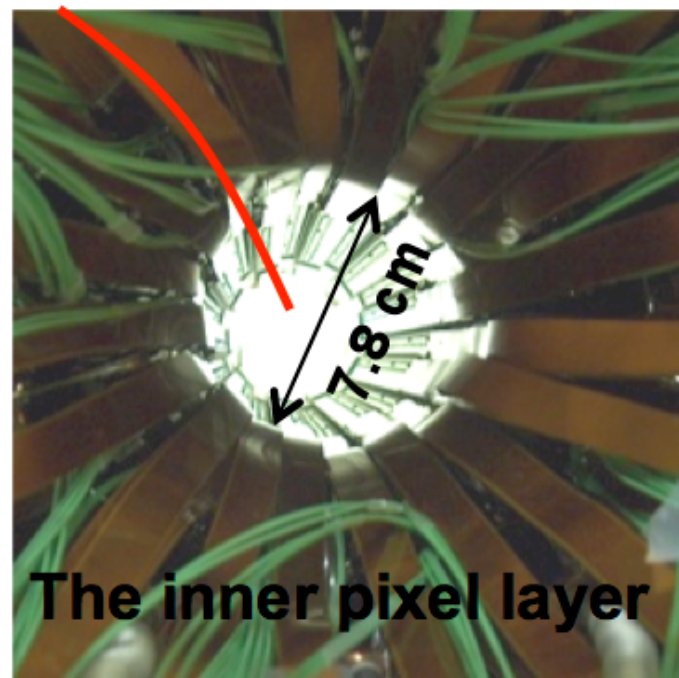


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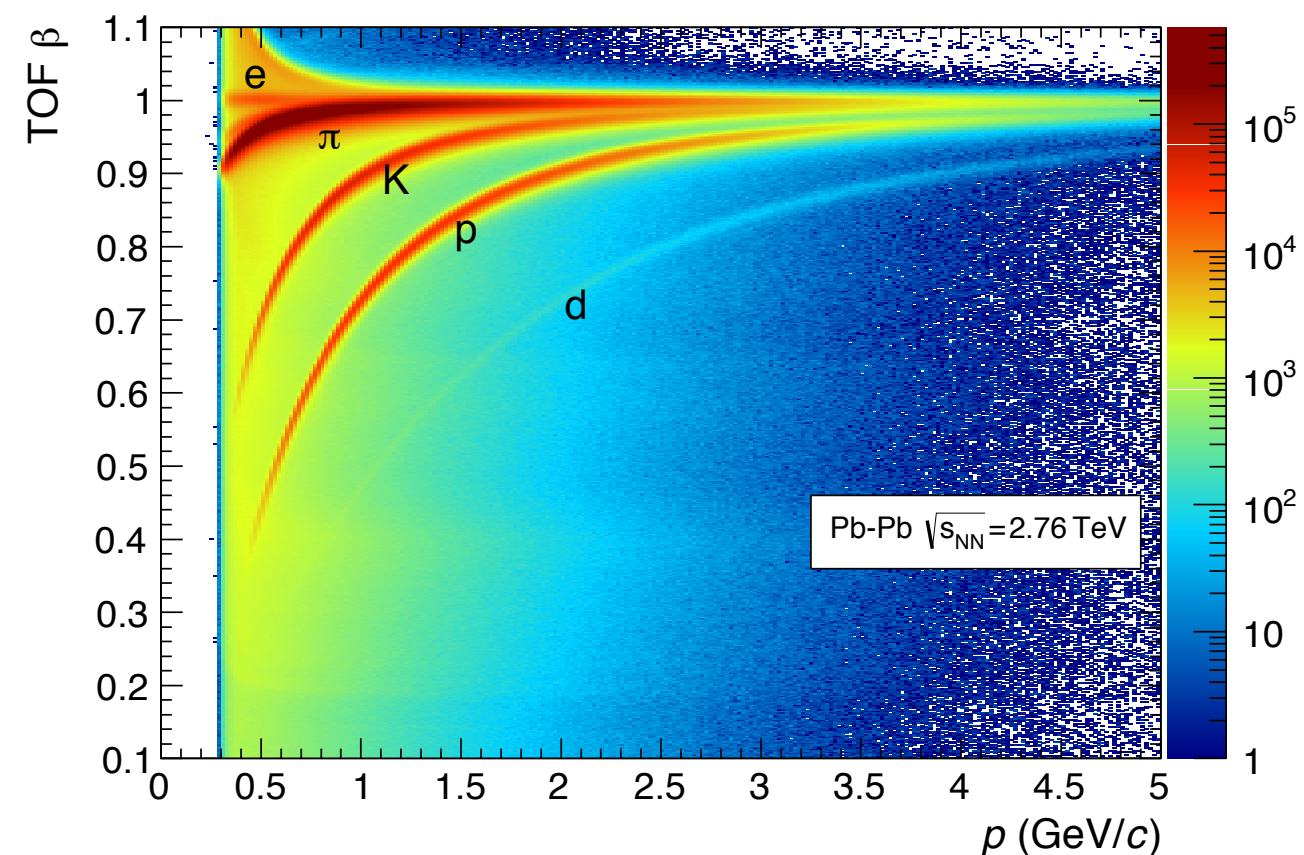
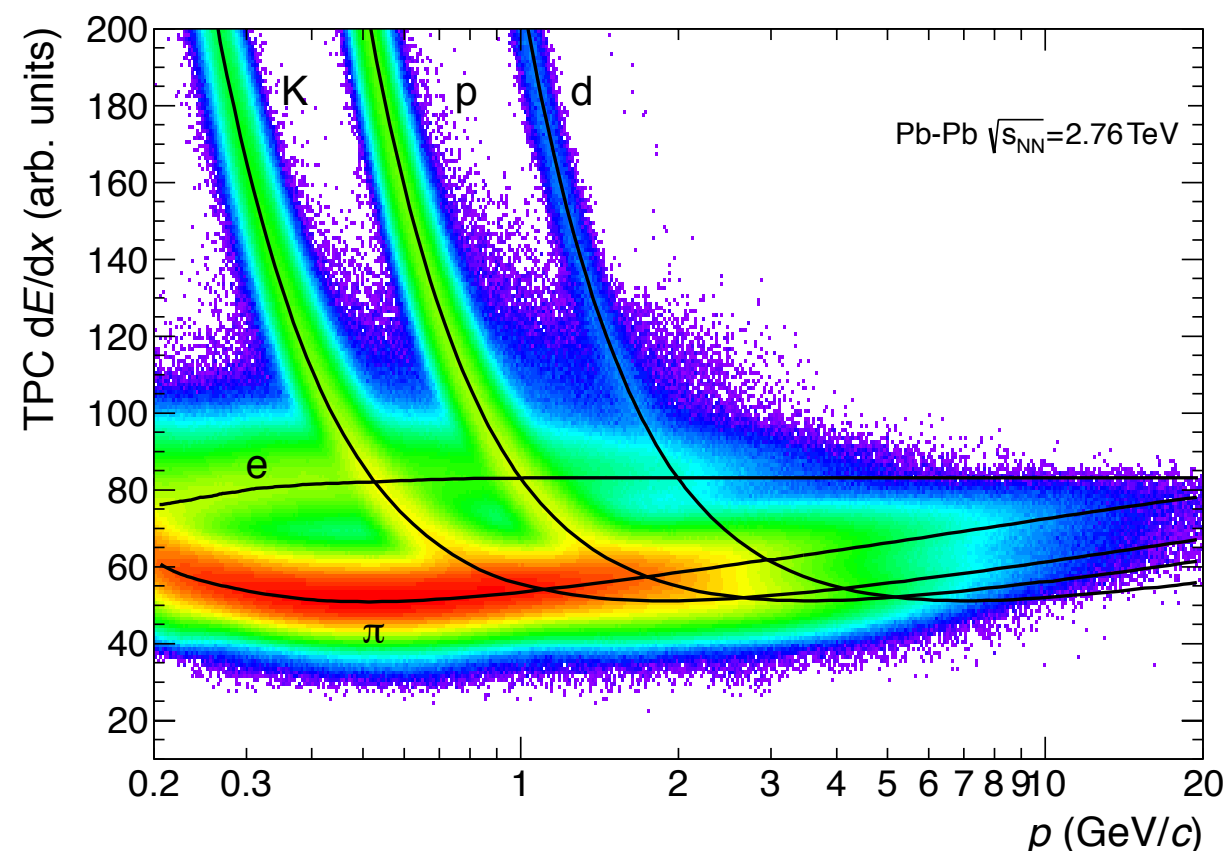
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 - two pixel layers at 3.9 cm and 7 cm



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- ▶ Conservative PID strategy used to identify the kaon candidates.
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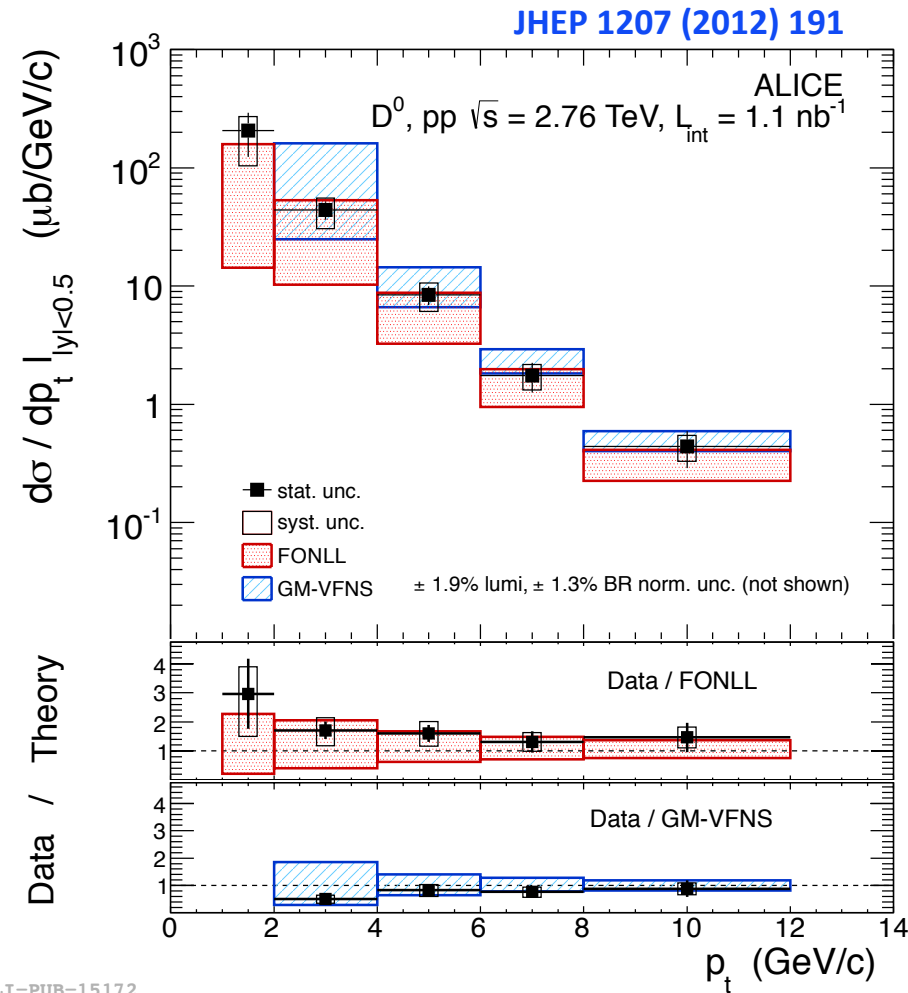
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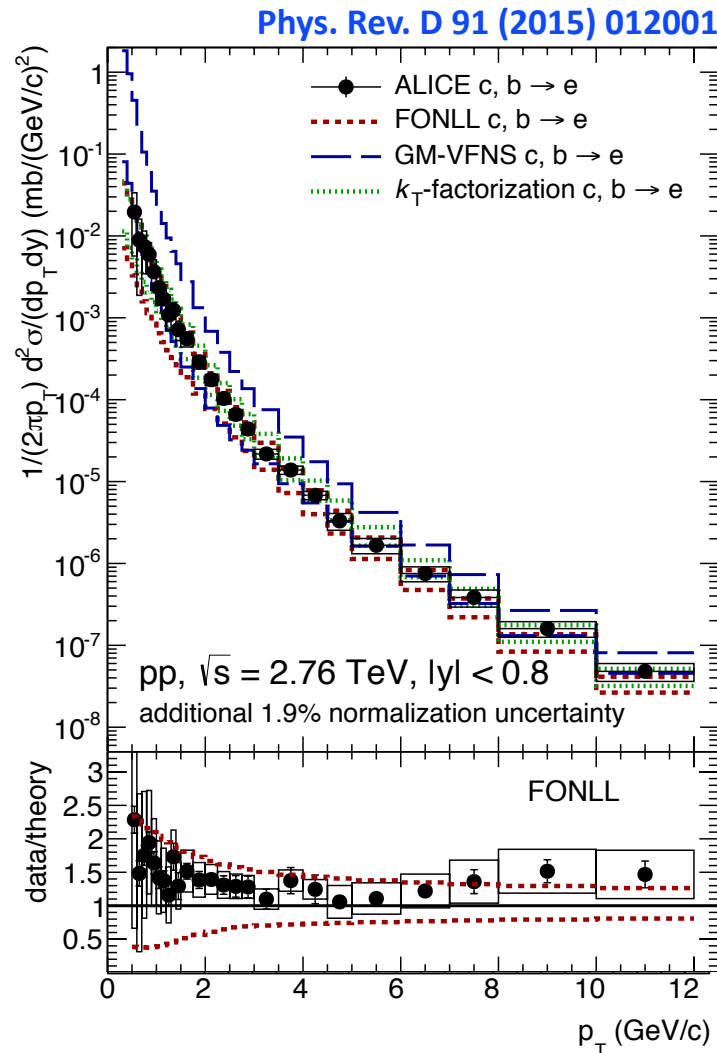
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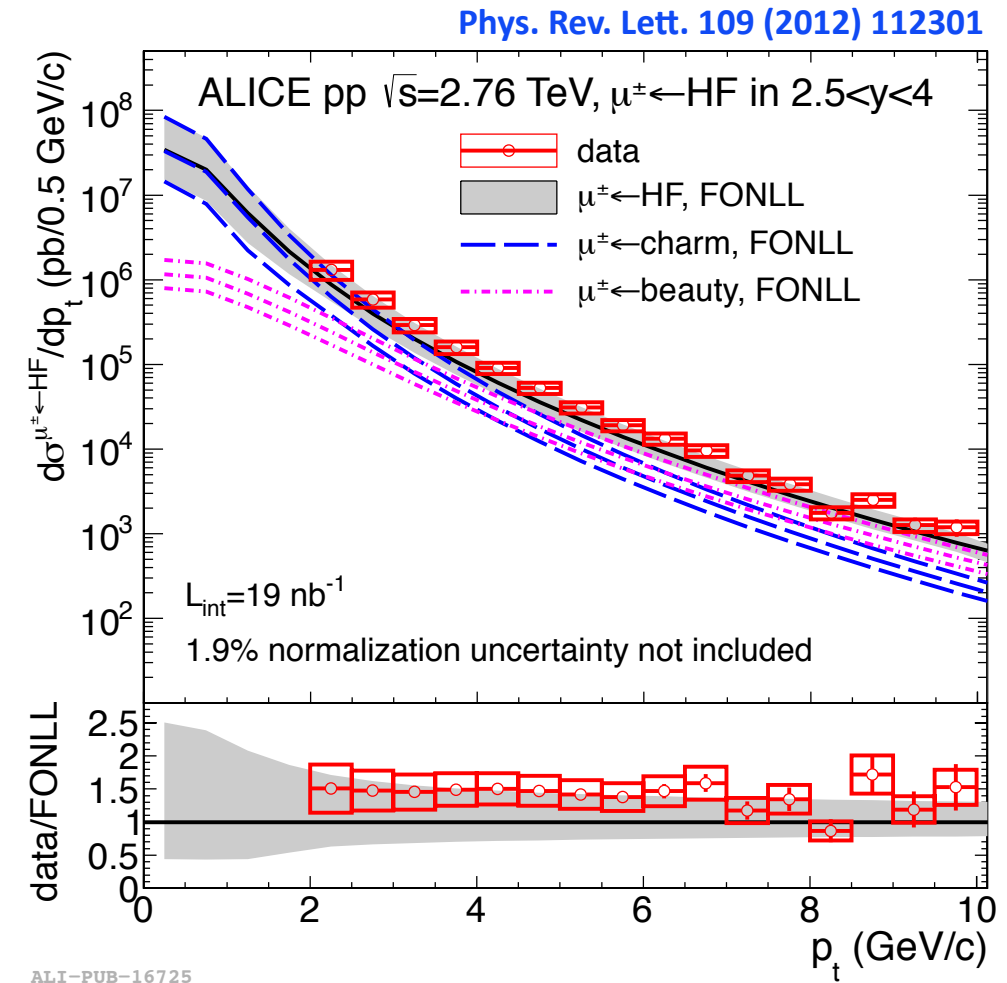
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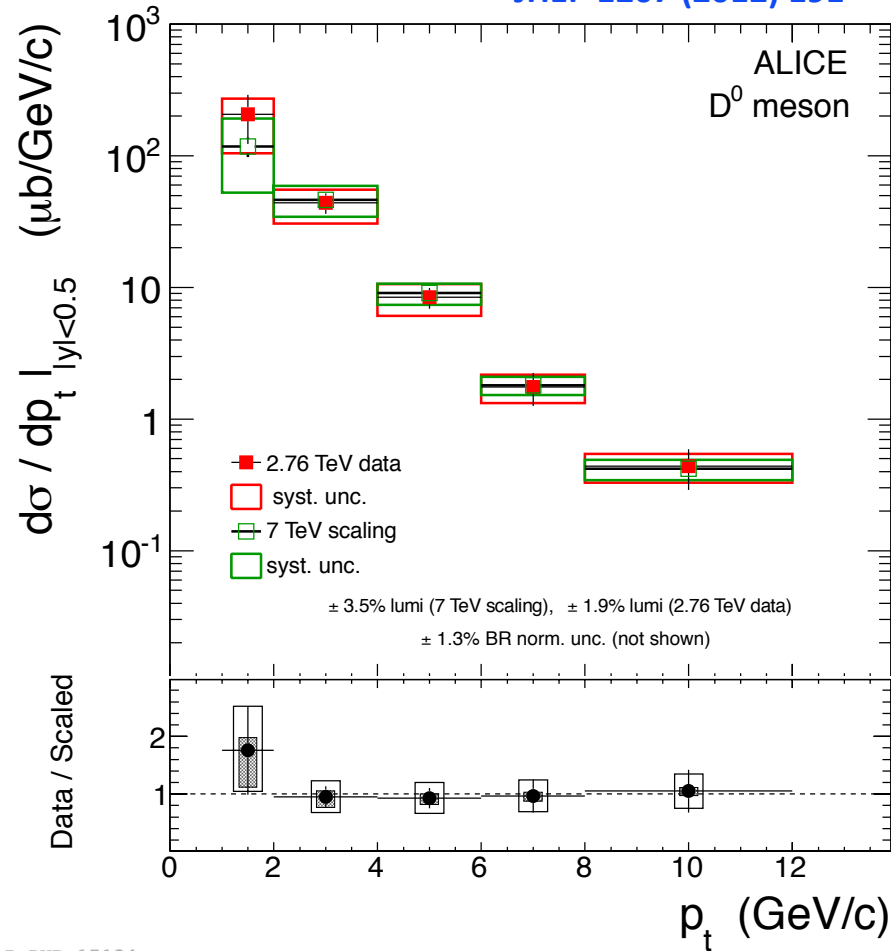
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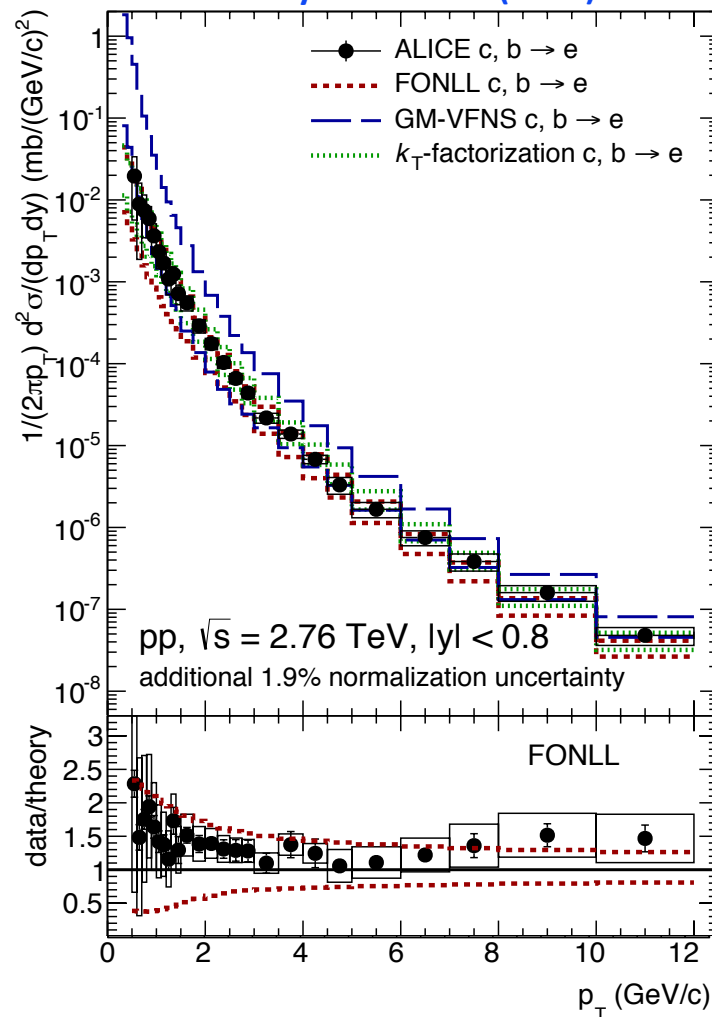
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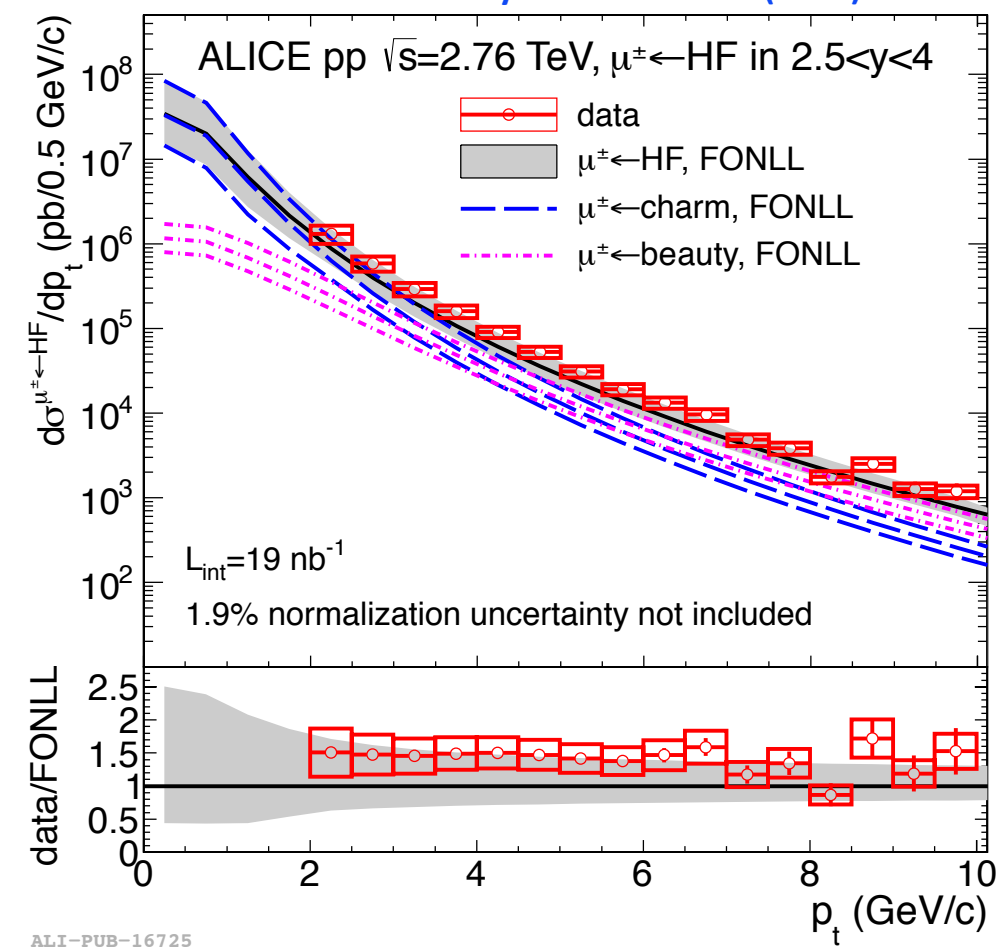
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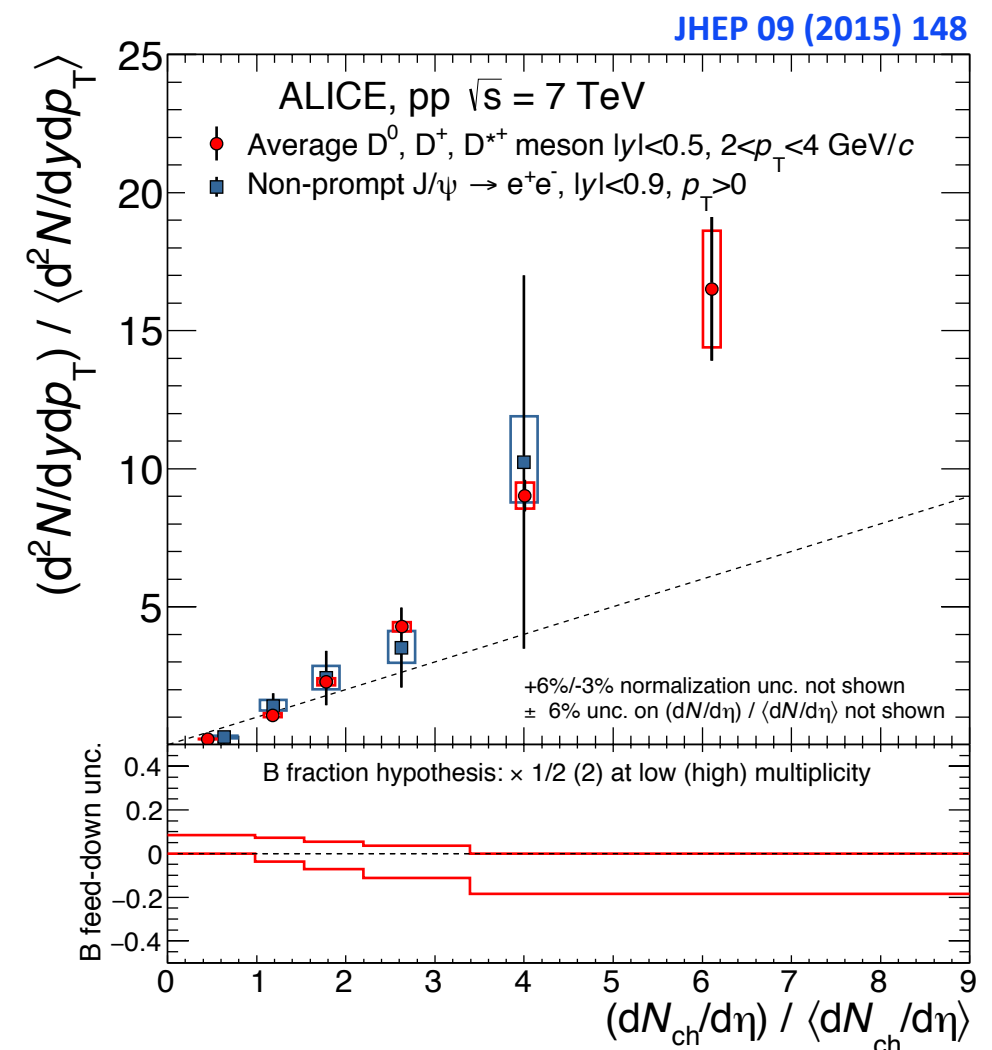
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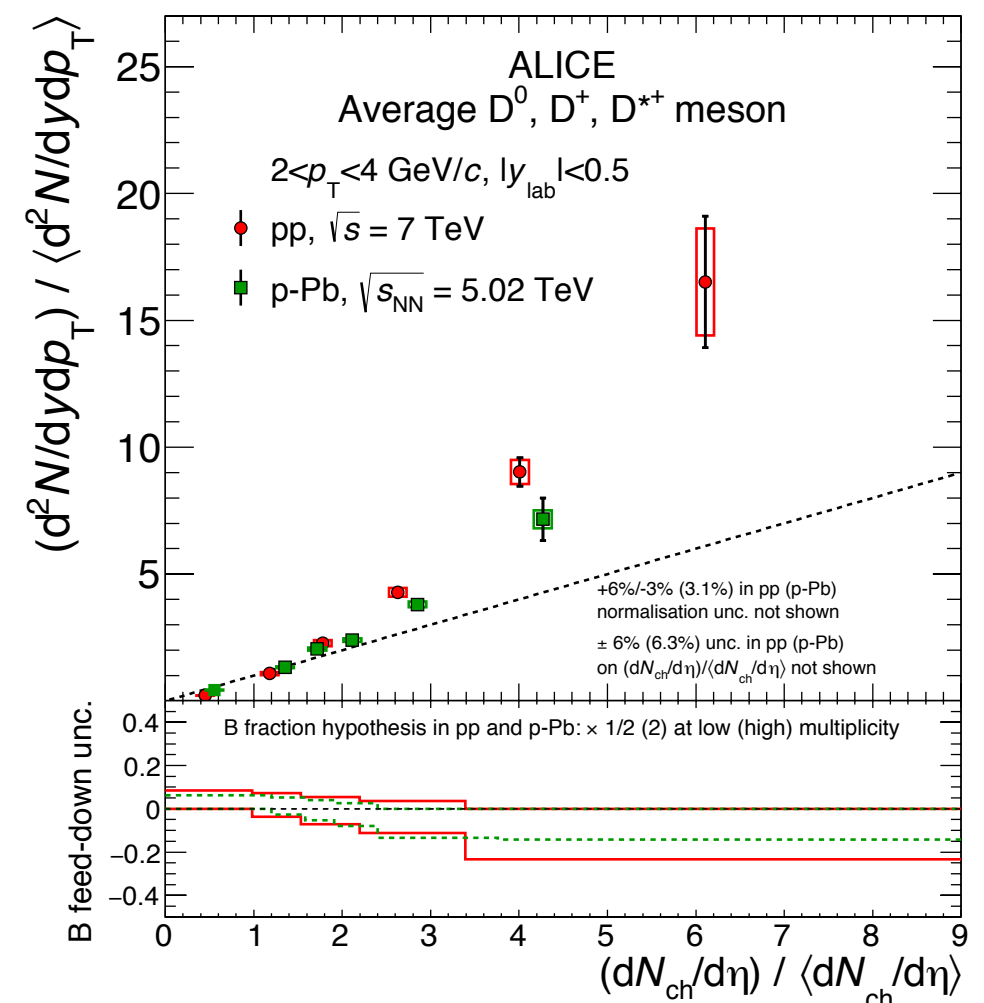
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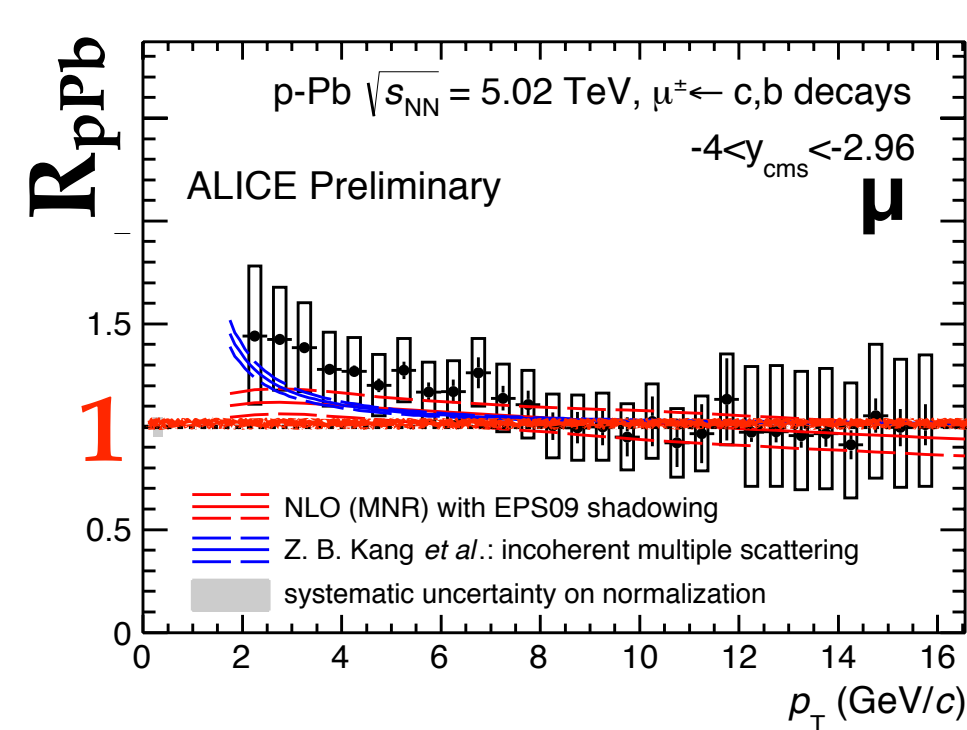


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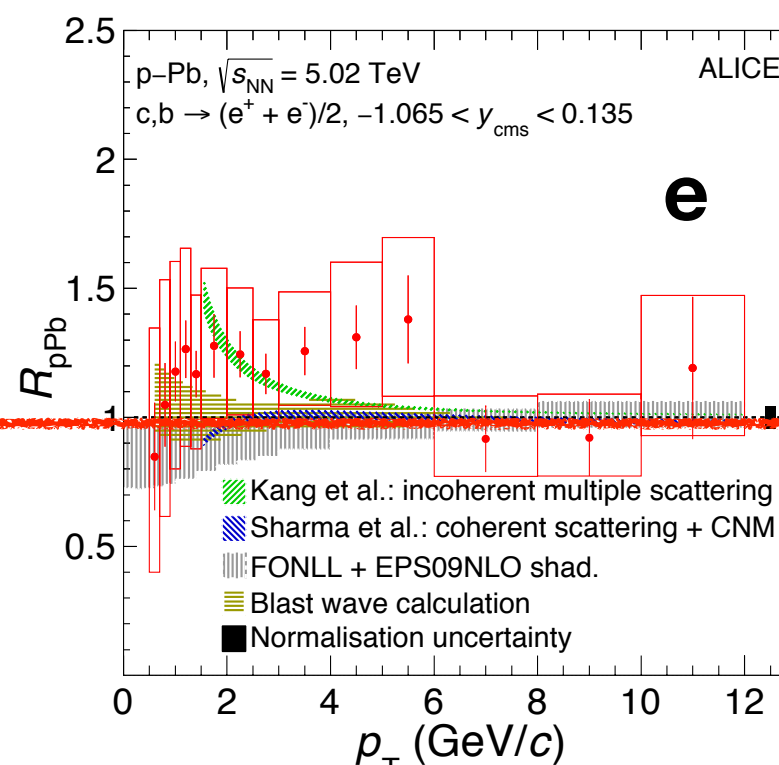
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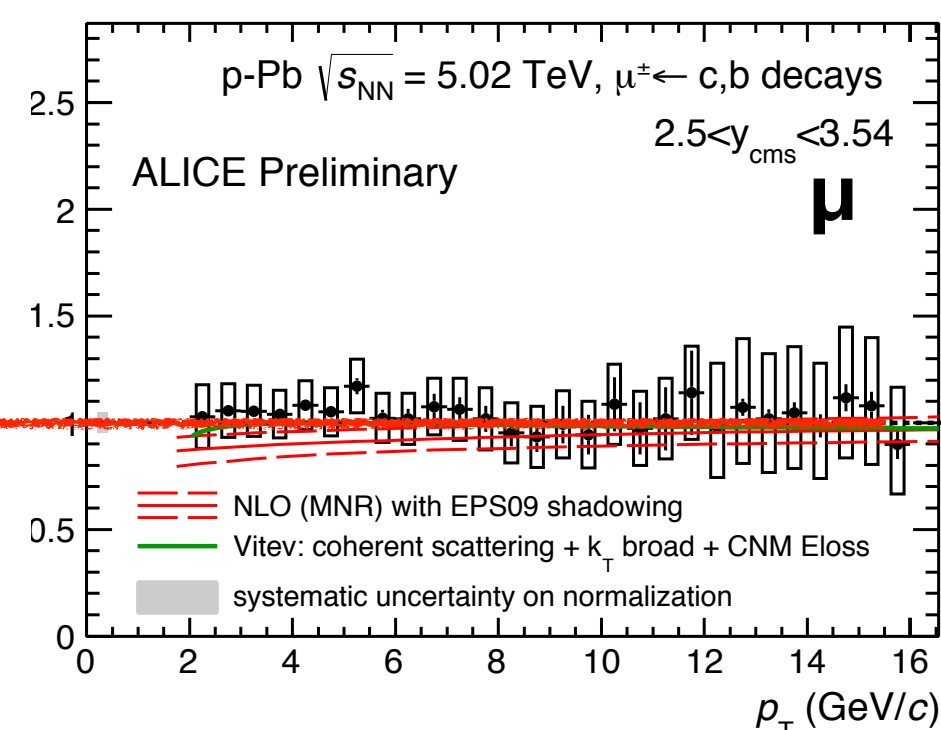
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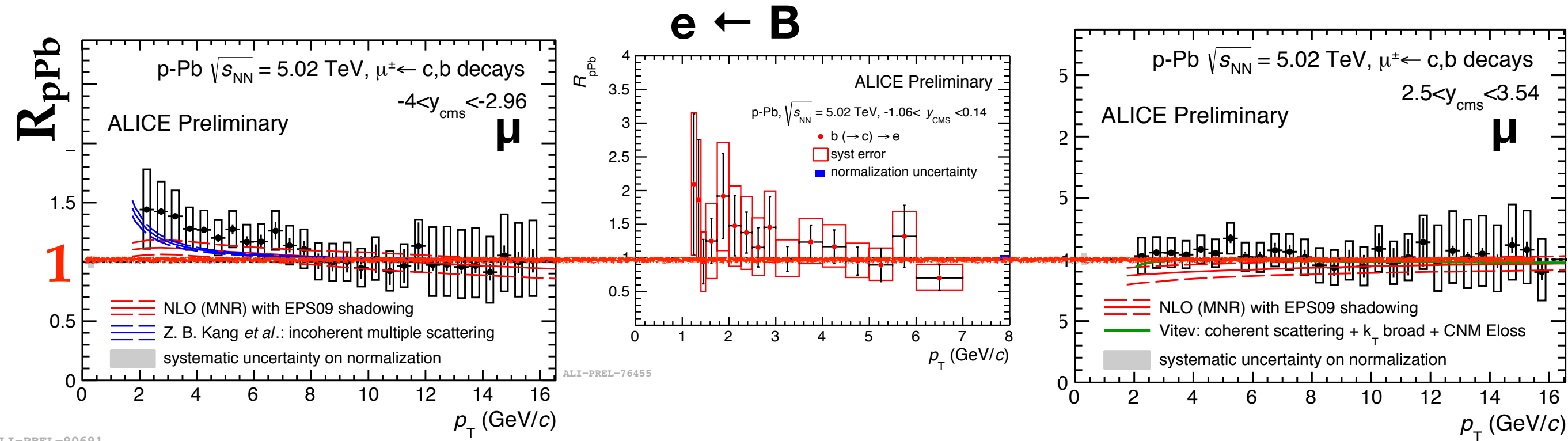
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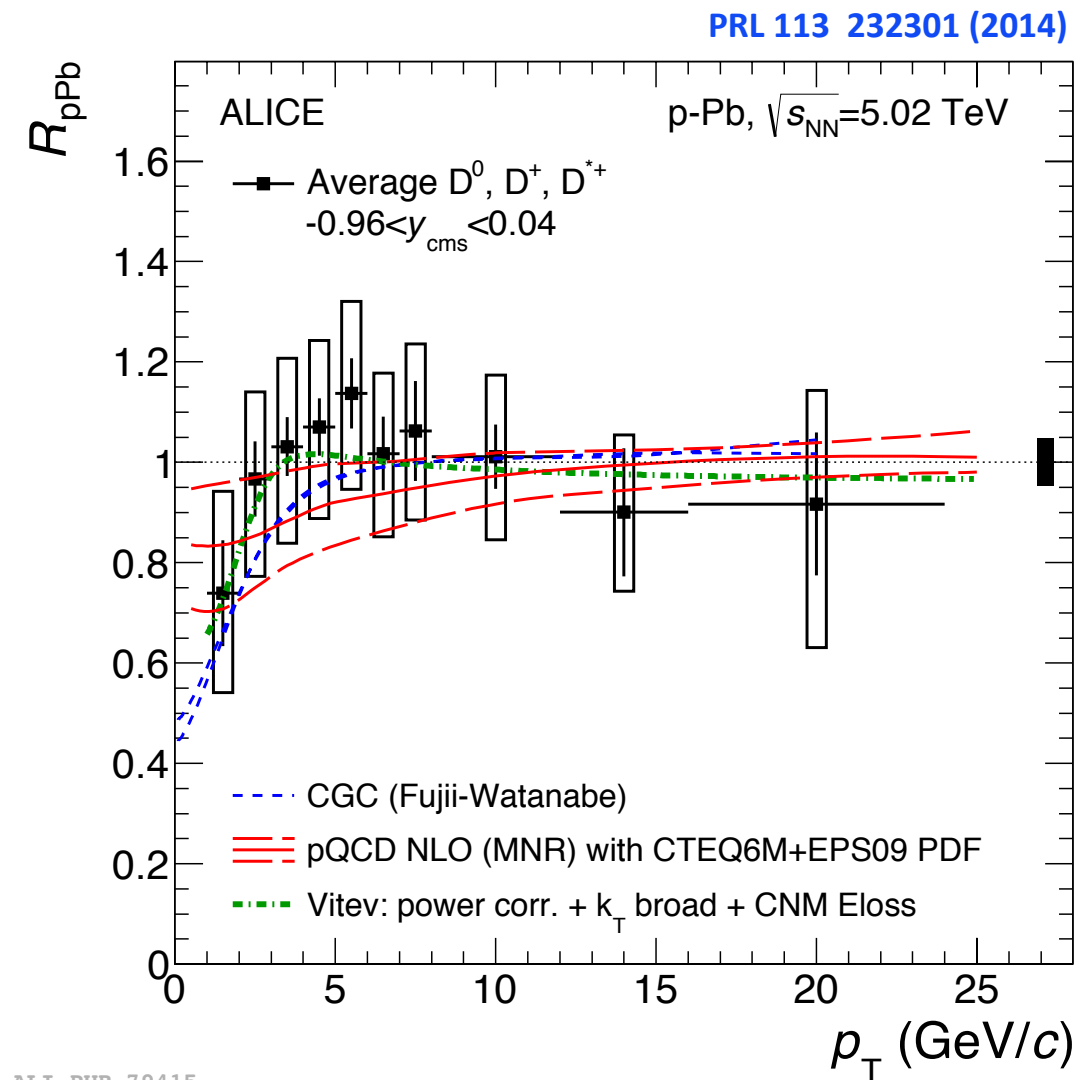
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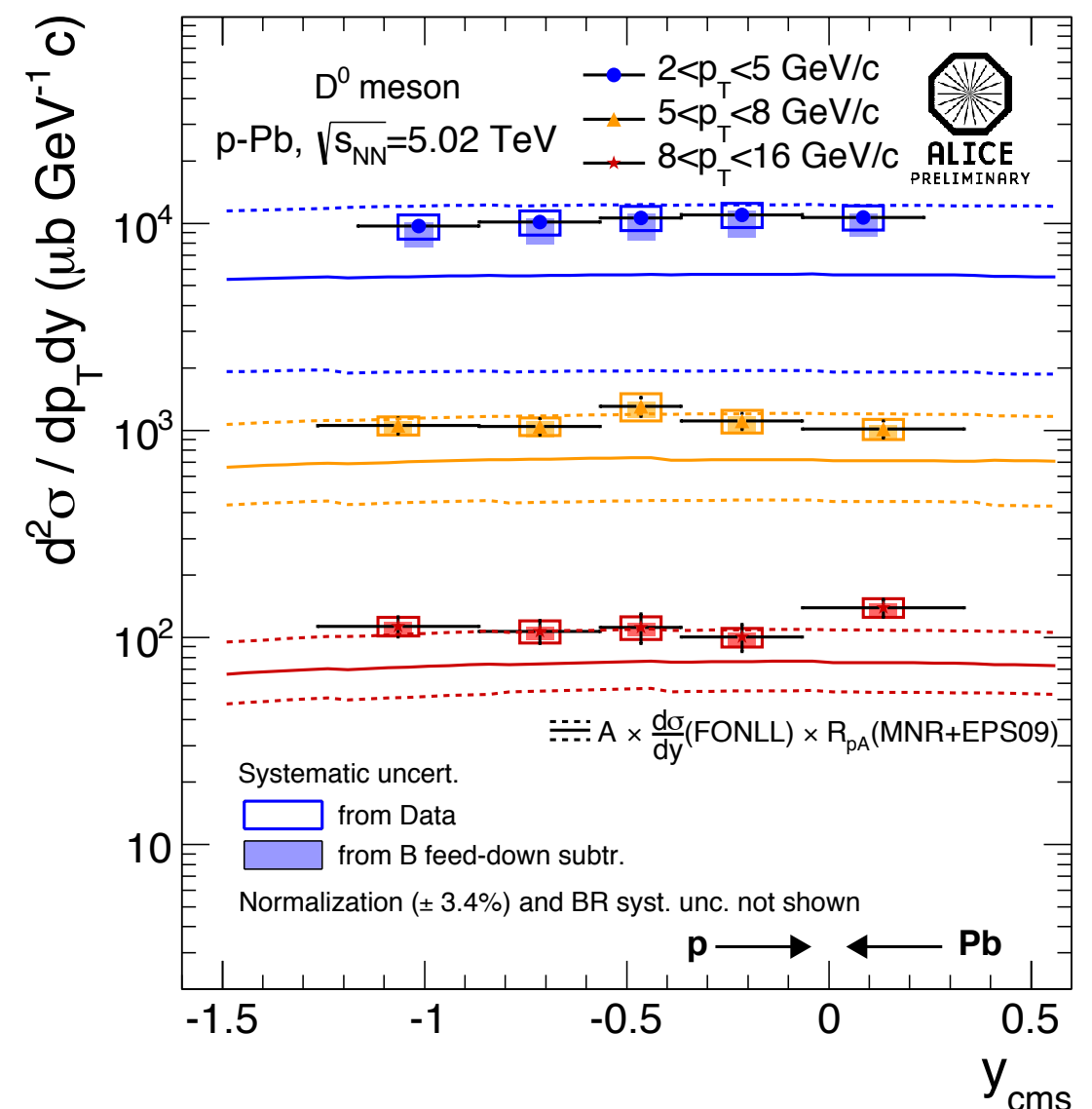
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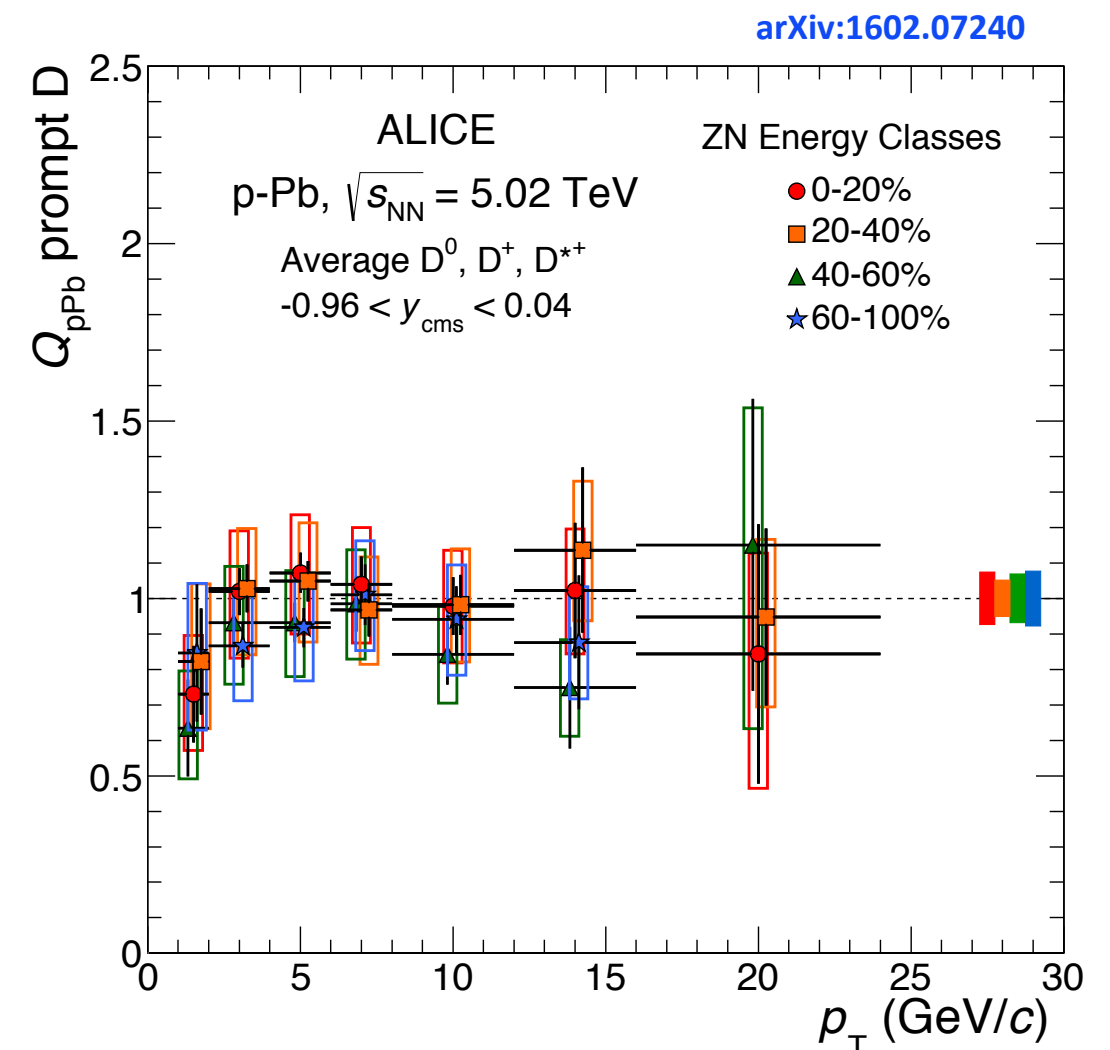


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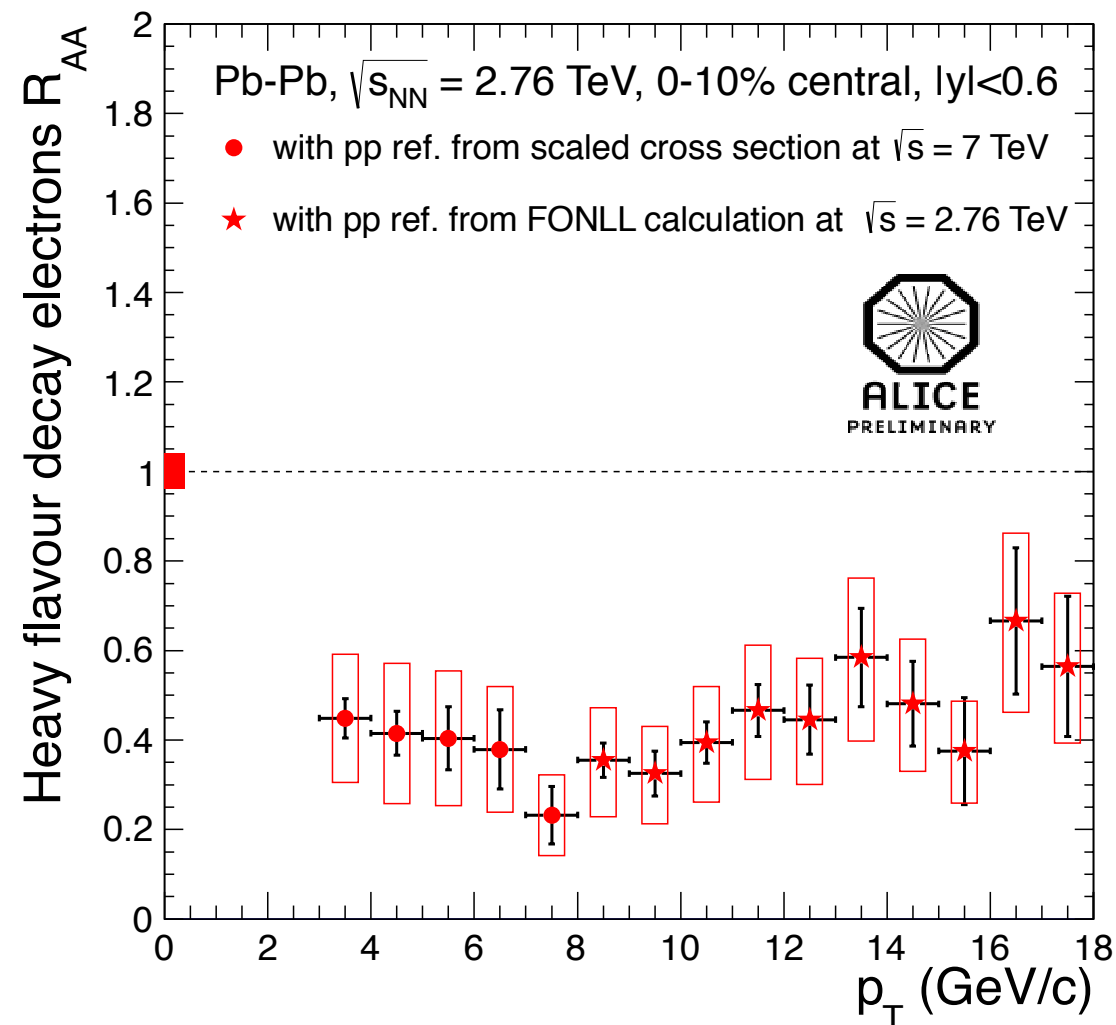


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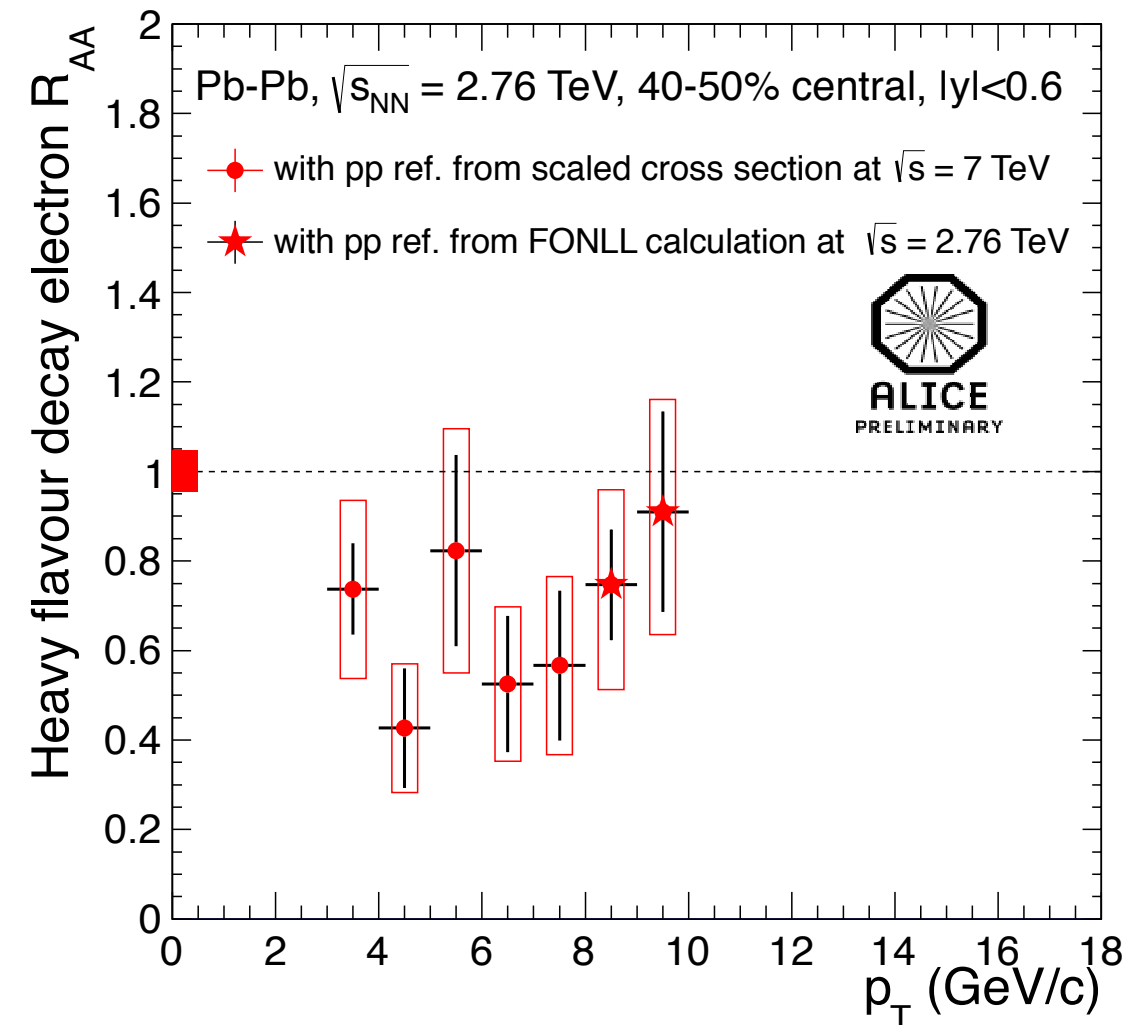
- * pp collisions @ $\sqrt{s} = 2.76, 7 \text{ TeV}$
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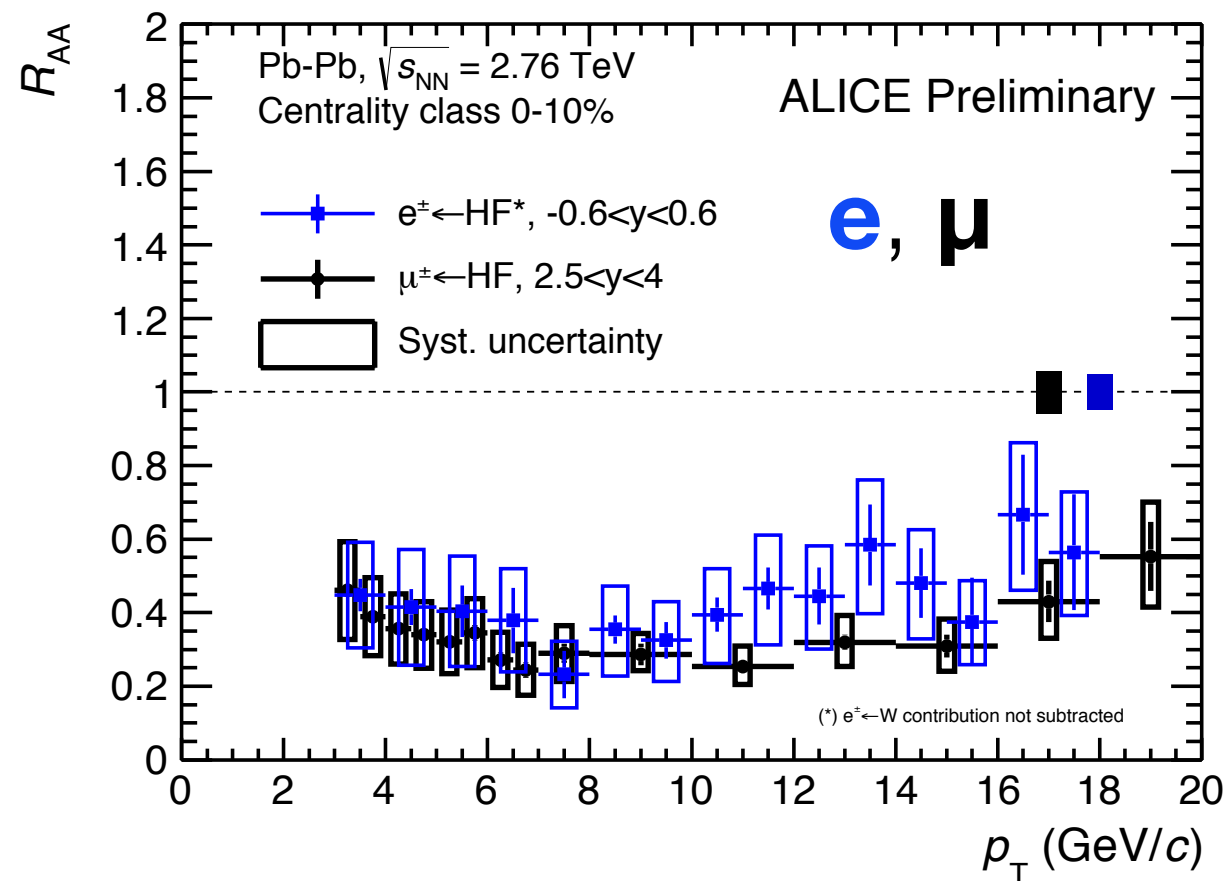


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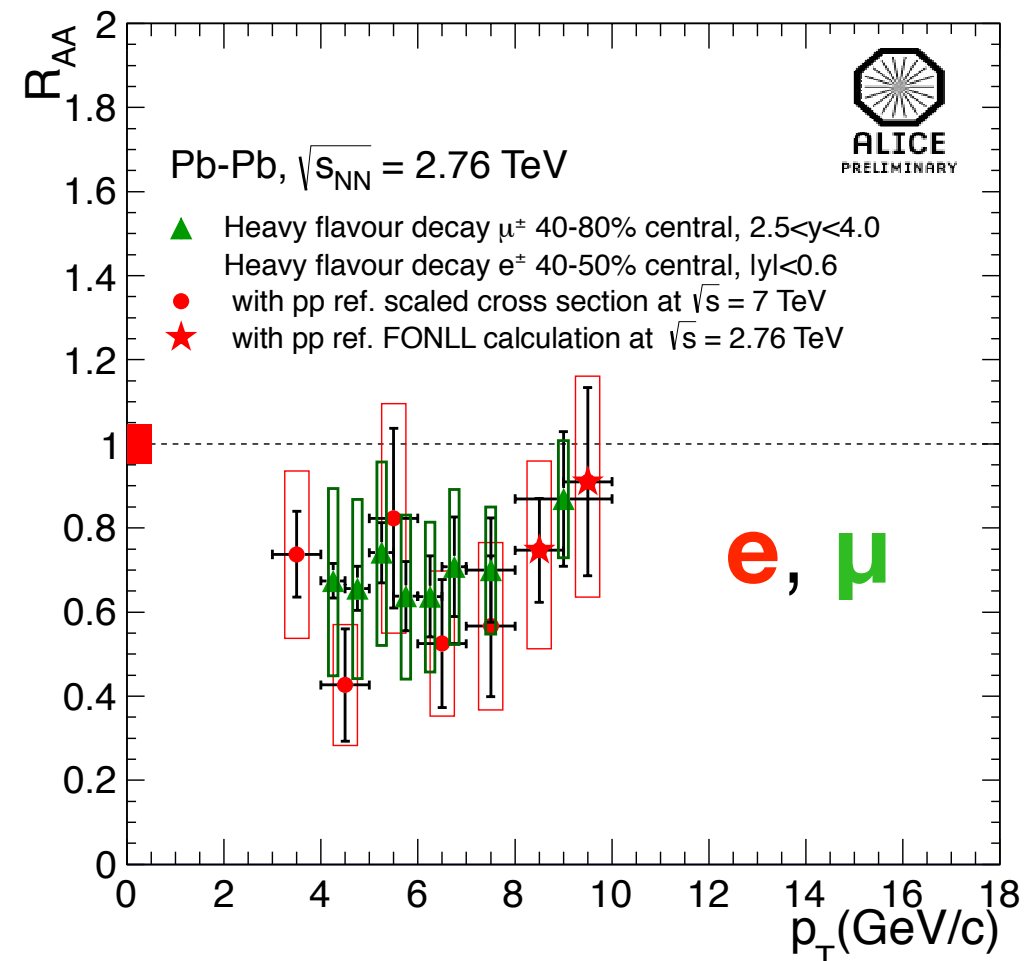
HF decay electrons and muons in Pb-Pb collisions

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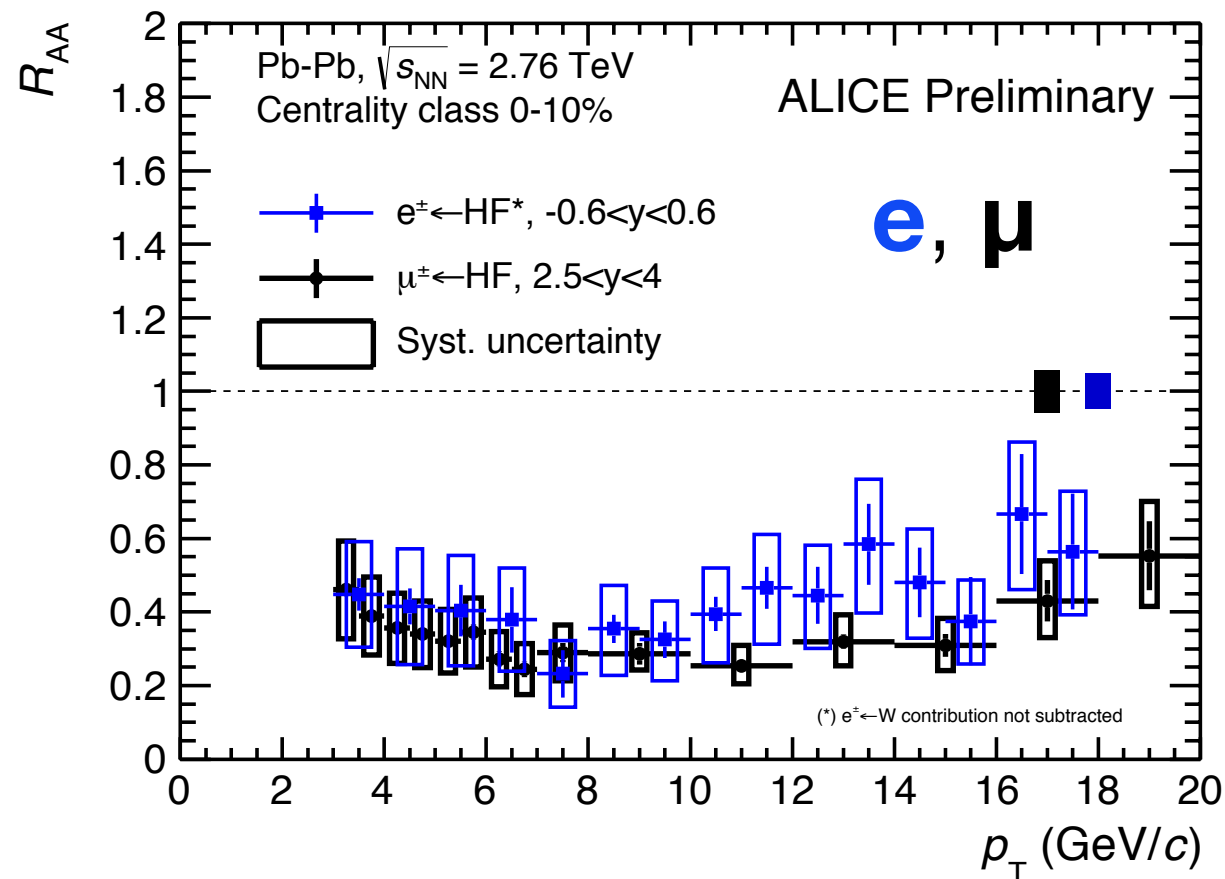
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Muons results: Phys.Rev.Lett. 109 (2012) 112301

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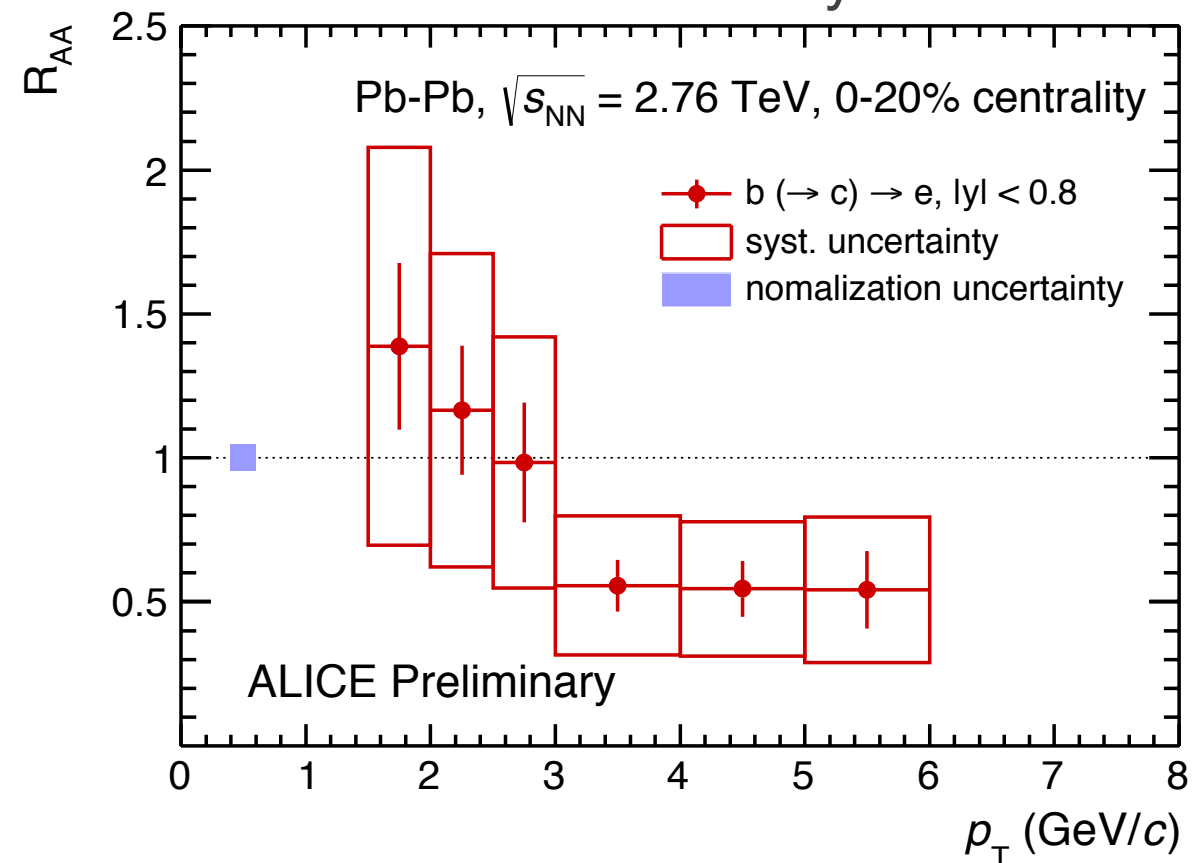
HF decay electrons from B decay in Pb-Pb collisions

HF decay e, μ (from c and b)
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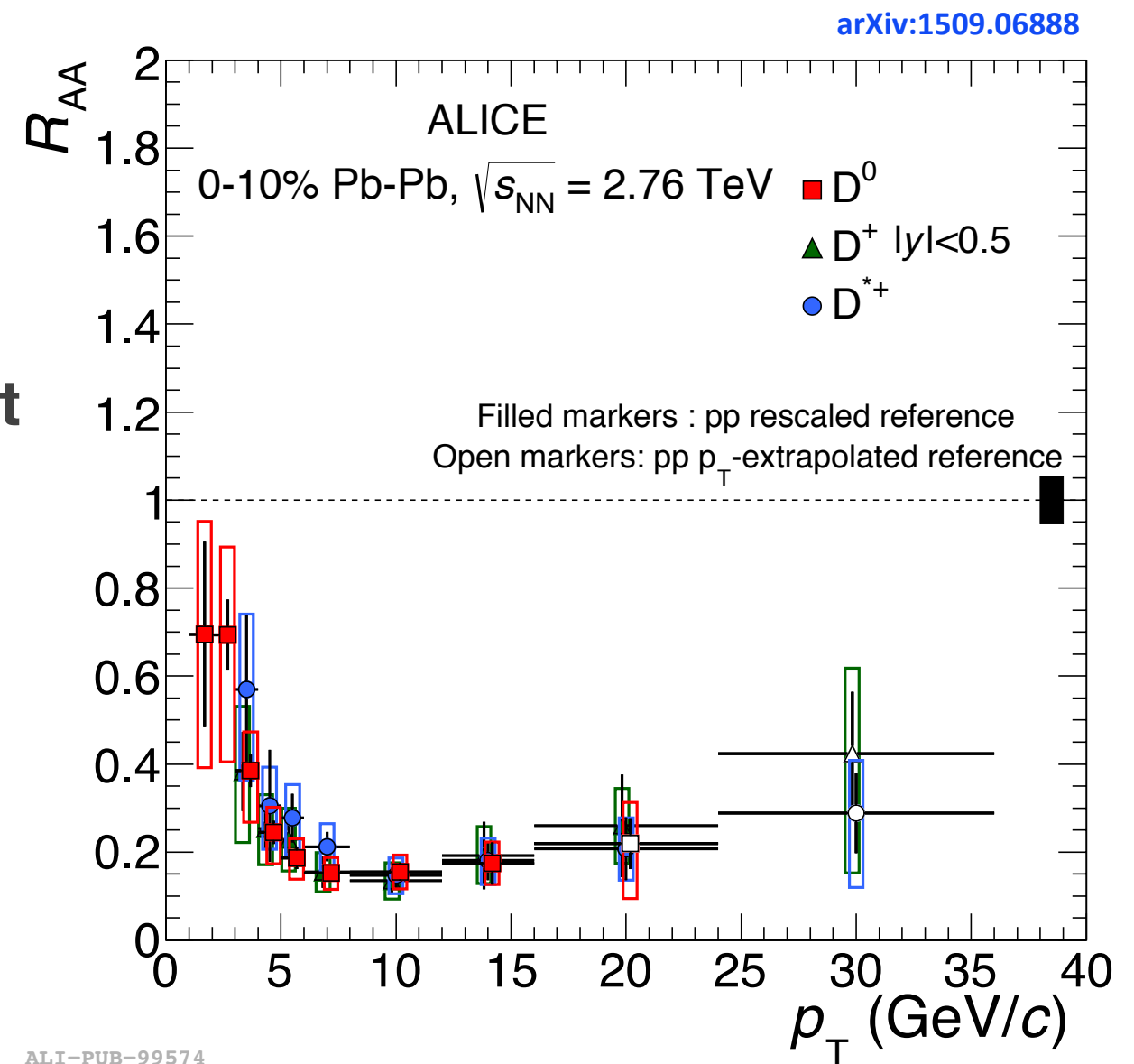
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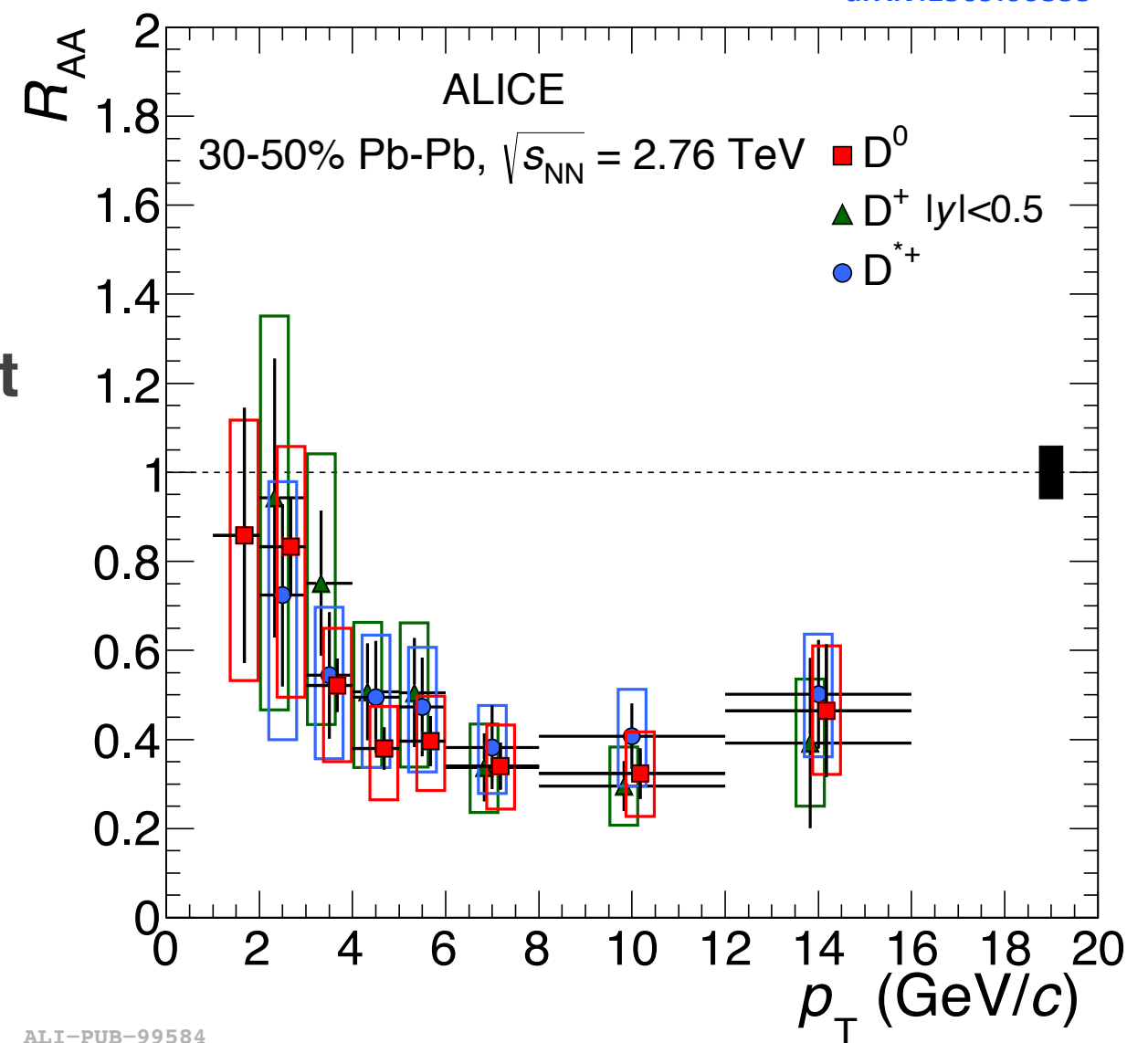
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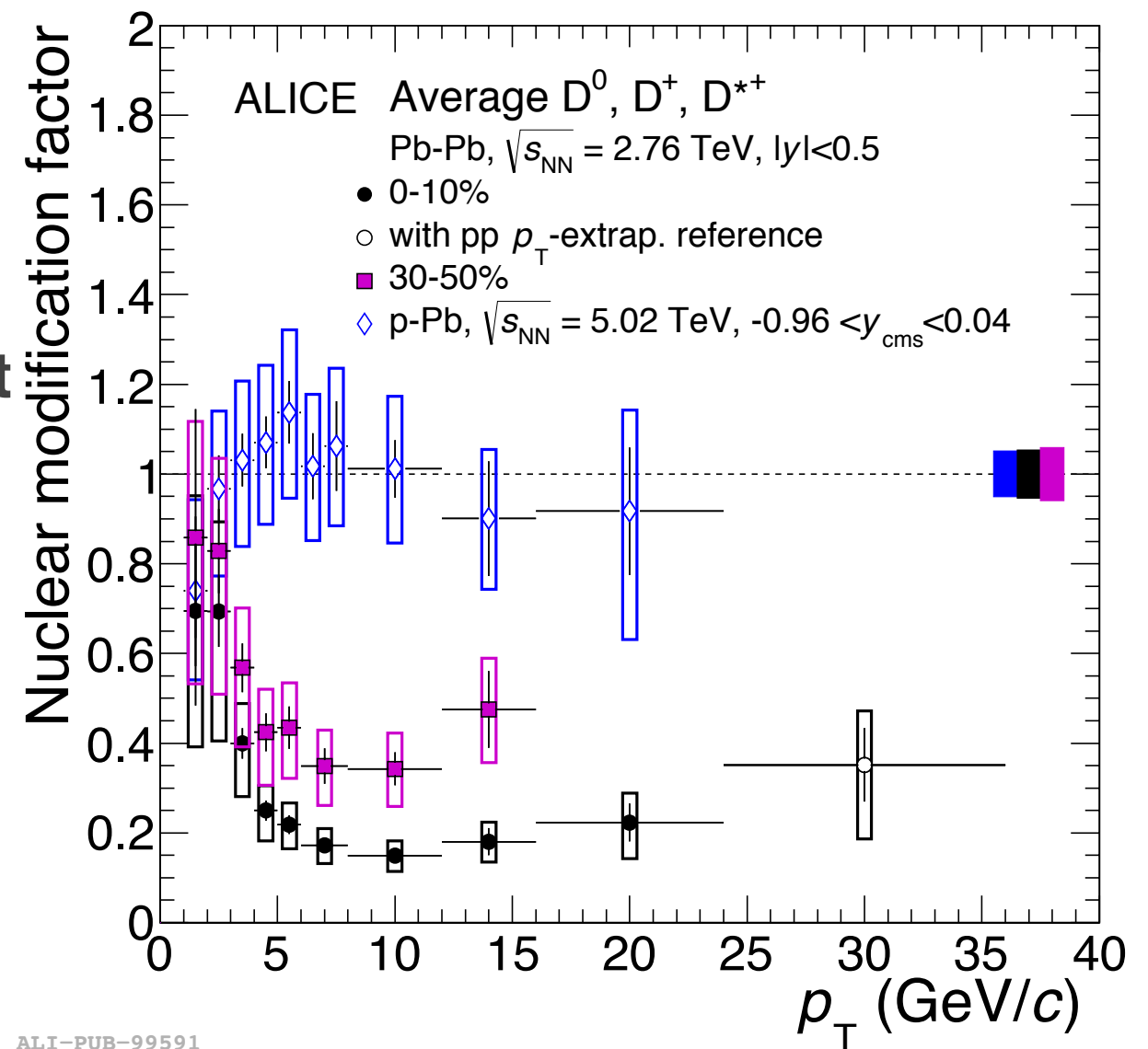
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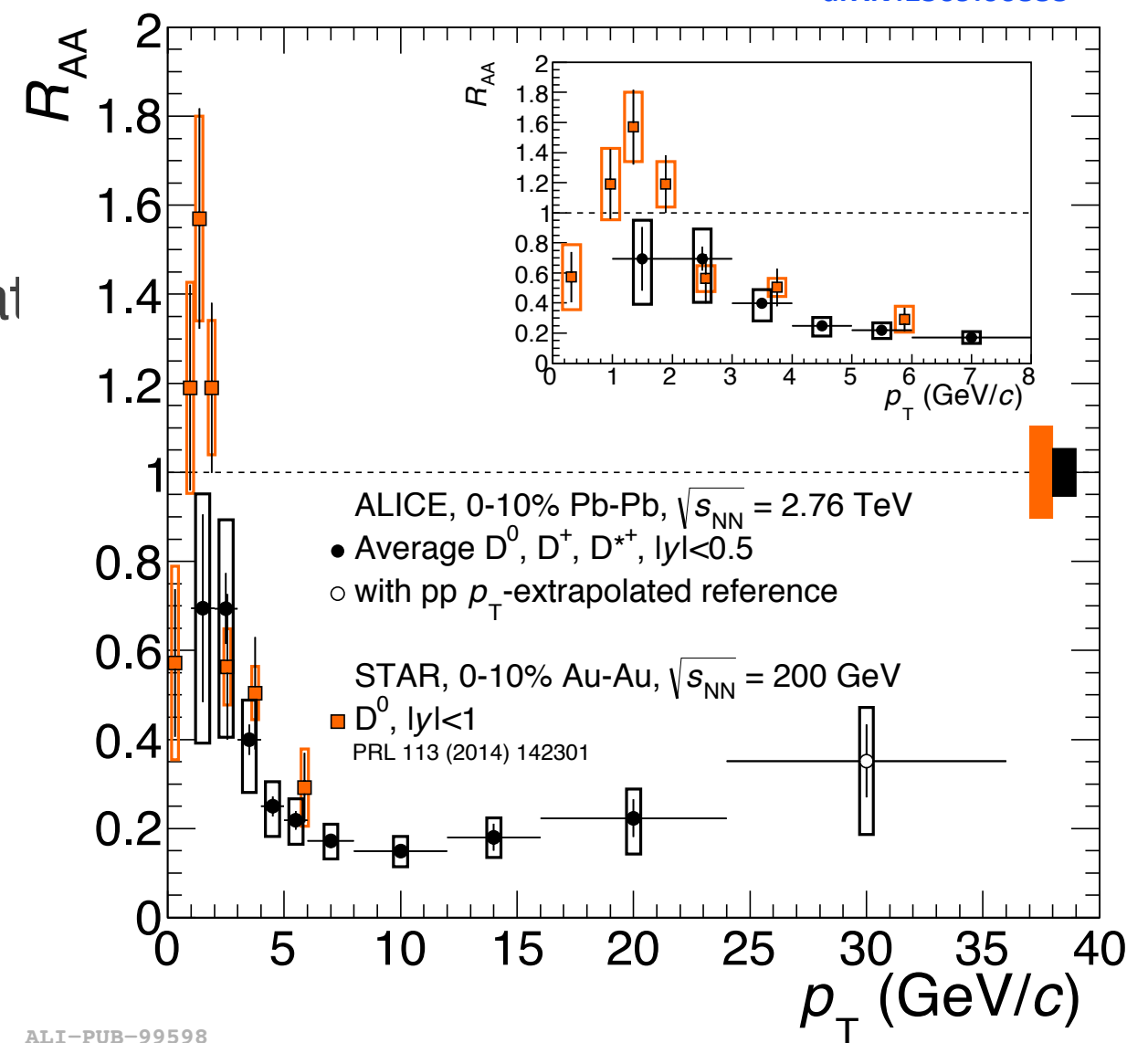
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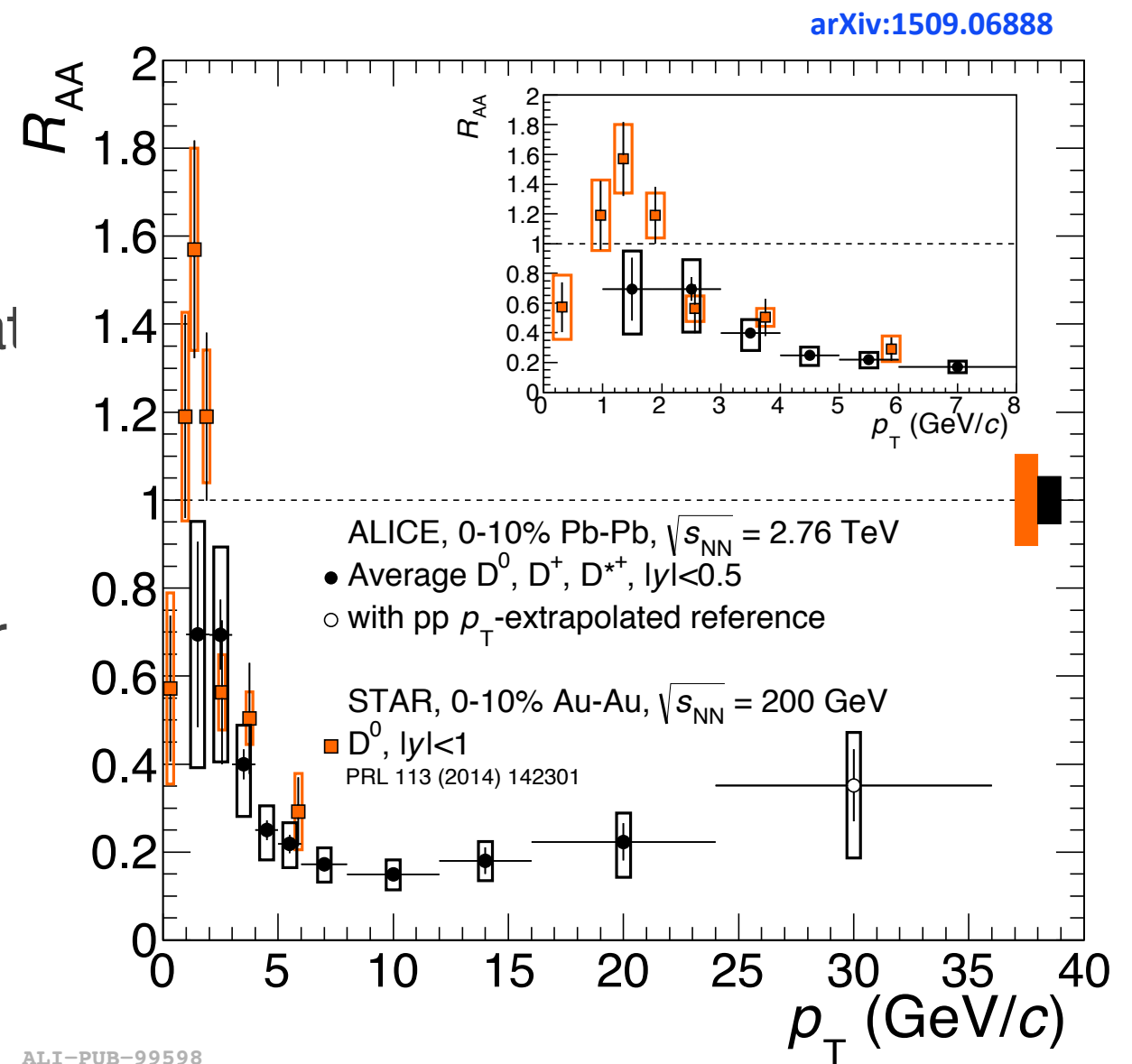
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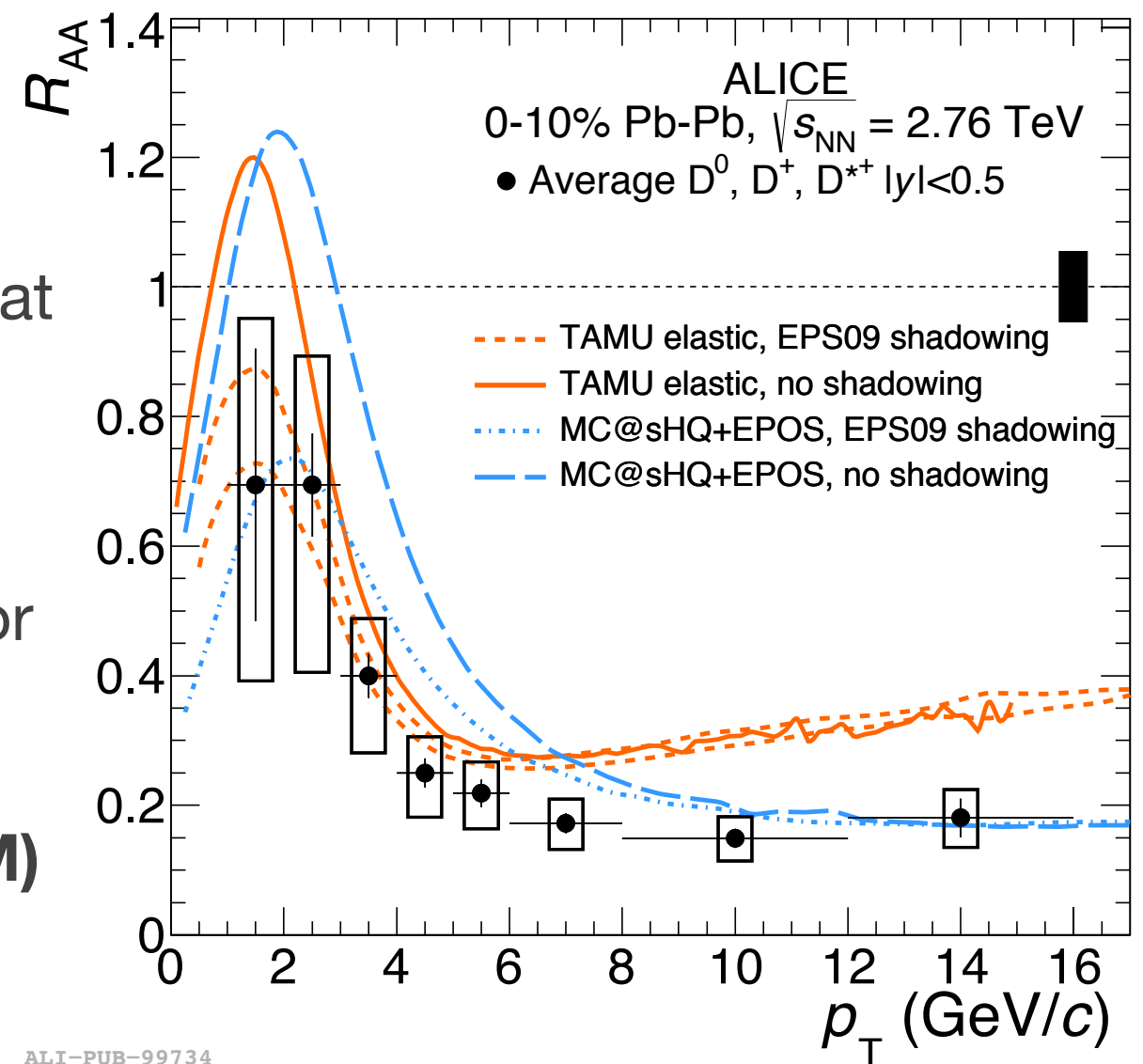
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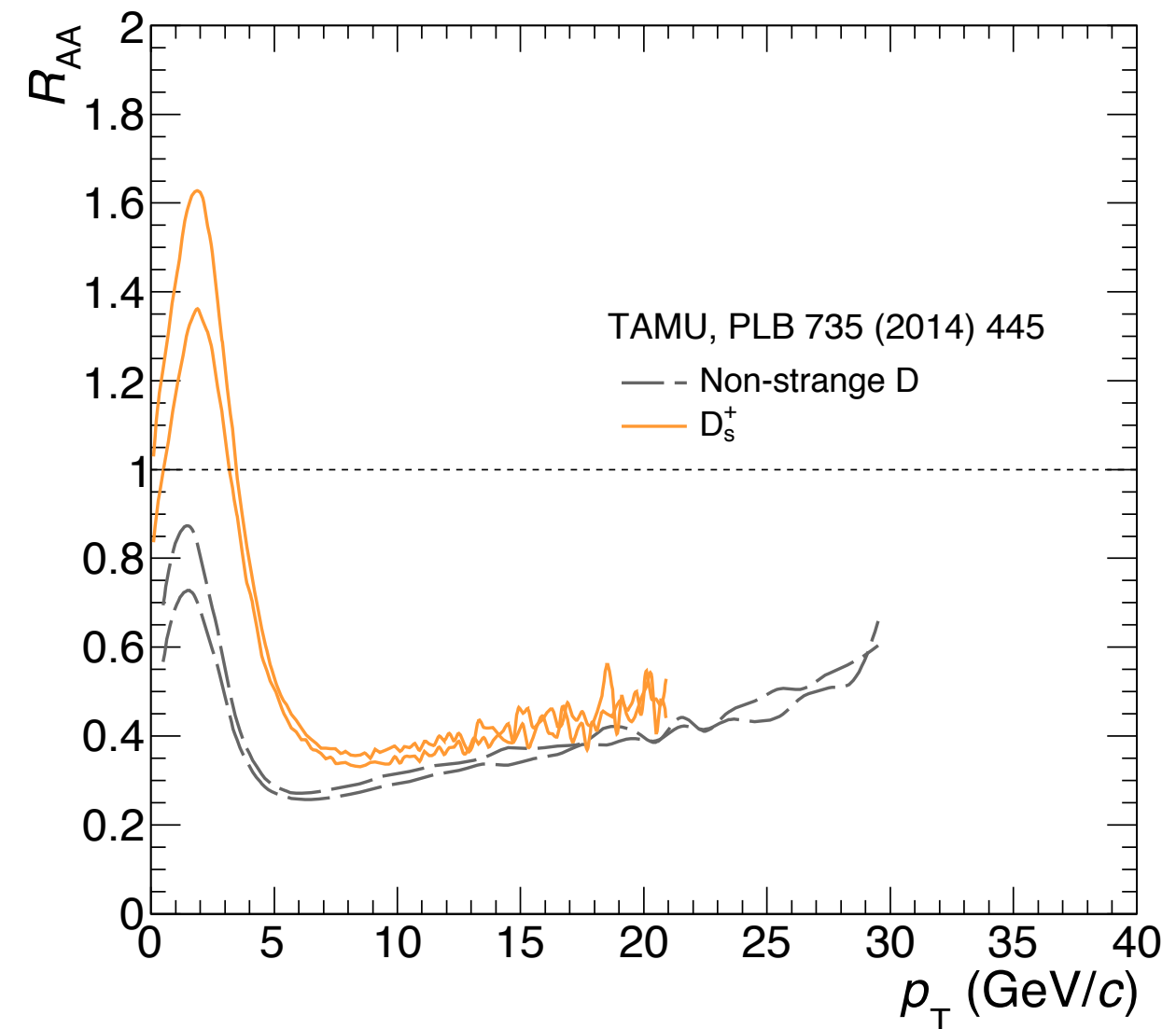
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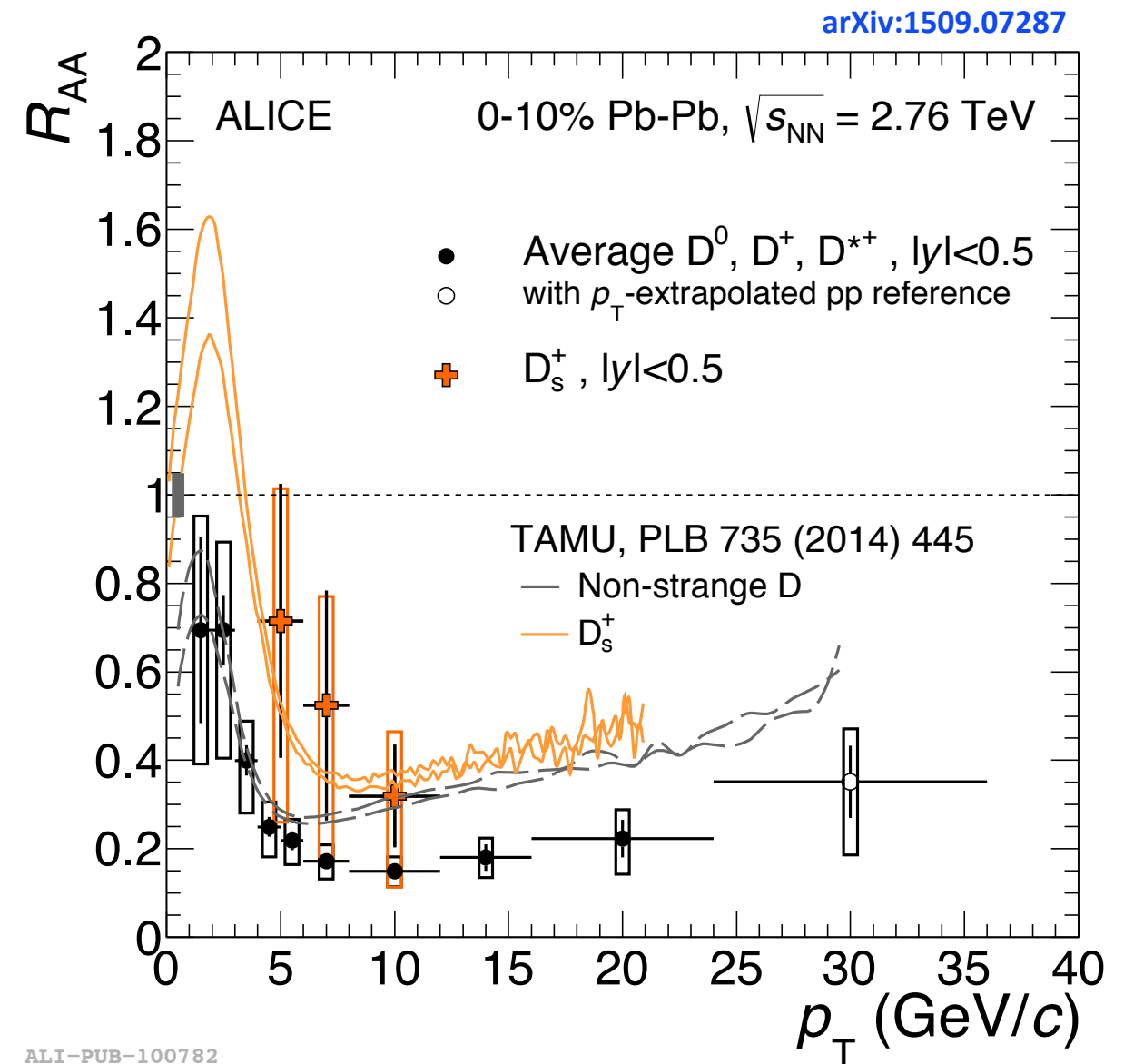
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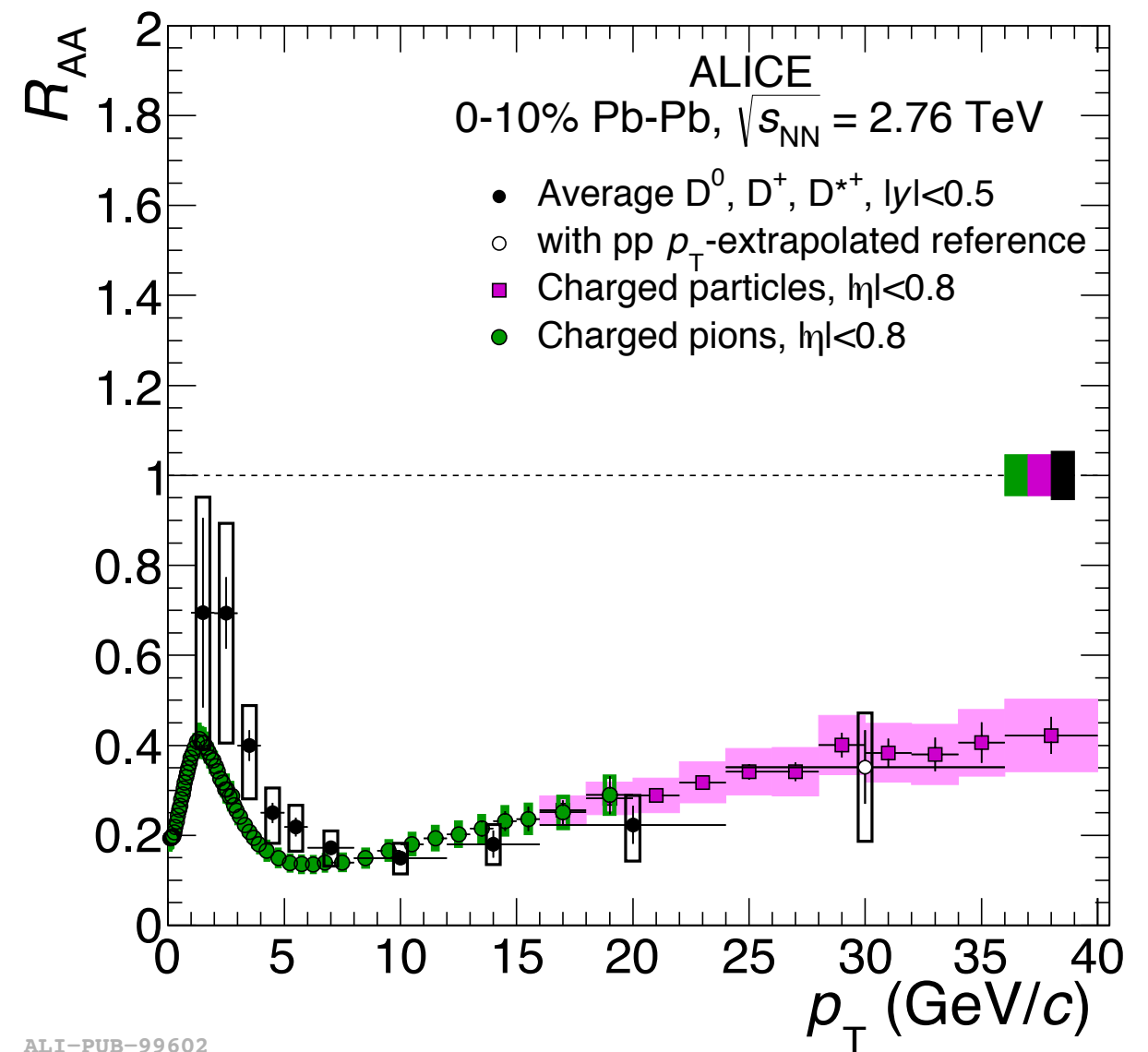
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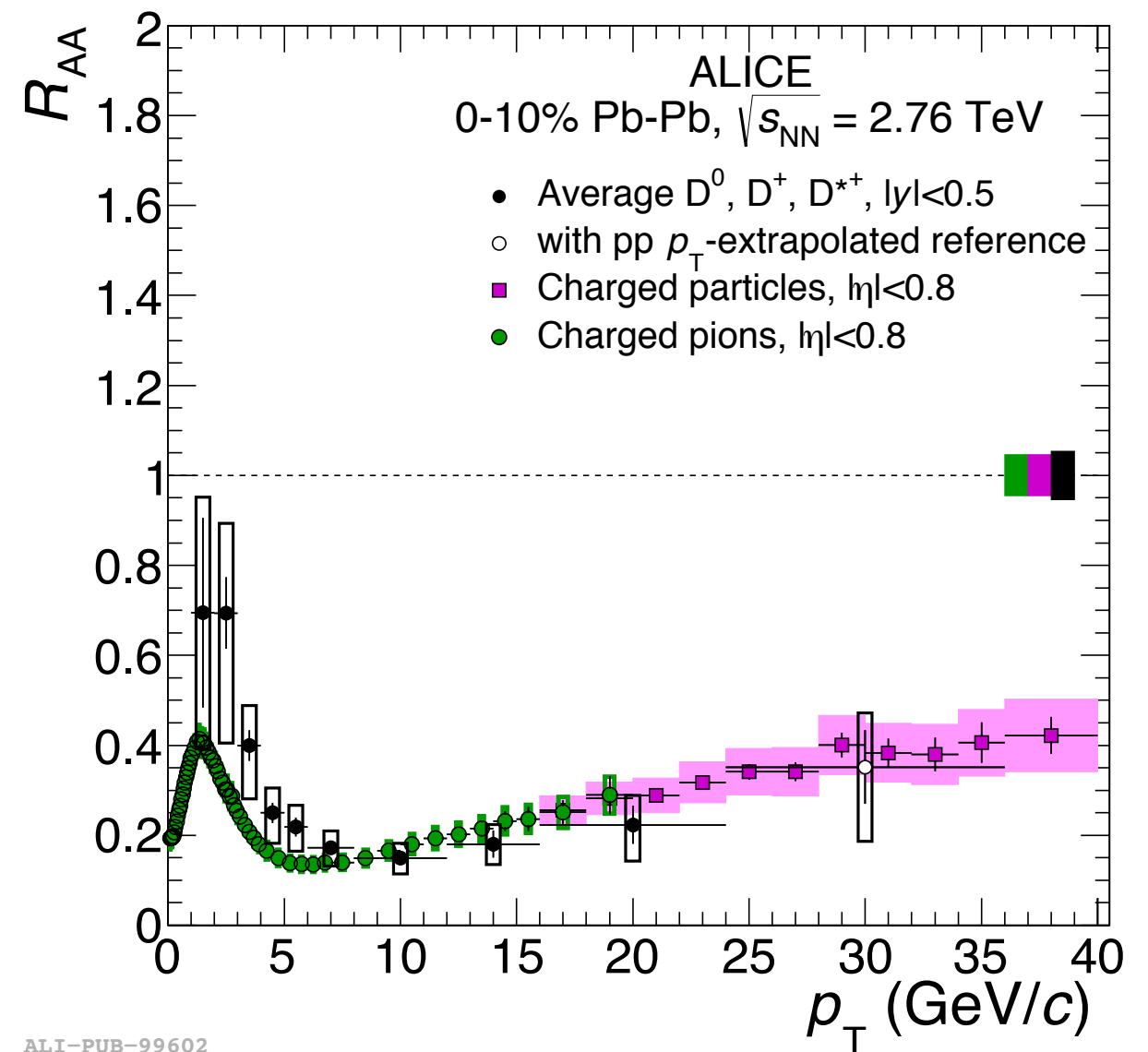
* Direct interpretation of results complicated by:

* harder p_T distribution and fragmentation of charm quarks

* pions can have a large contribution from radial flow

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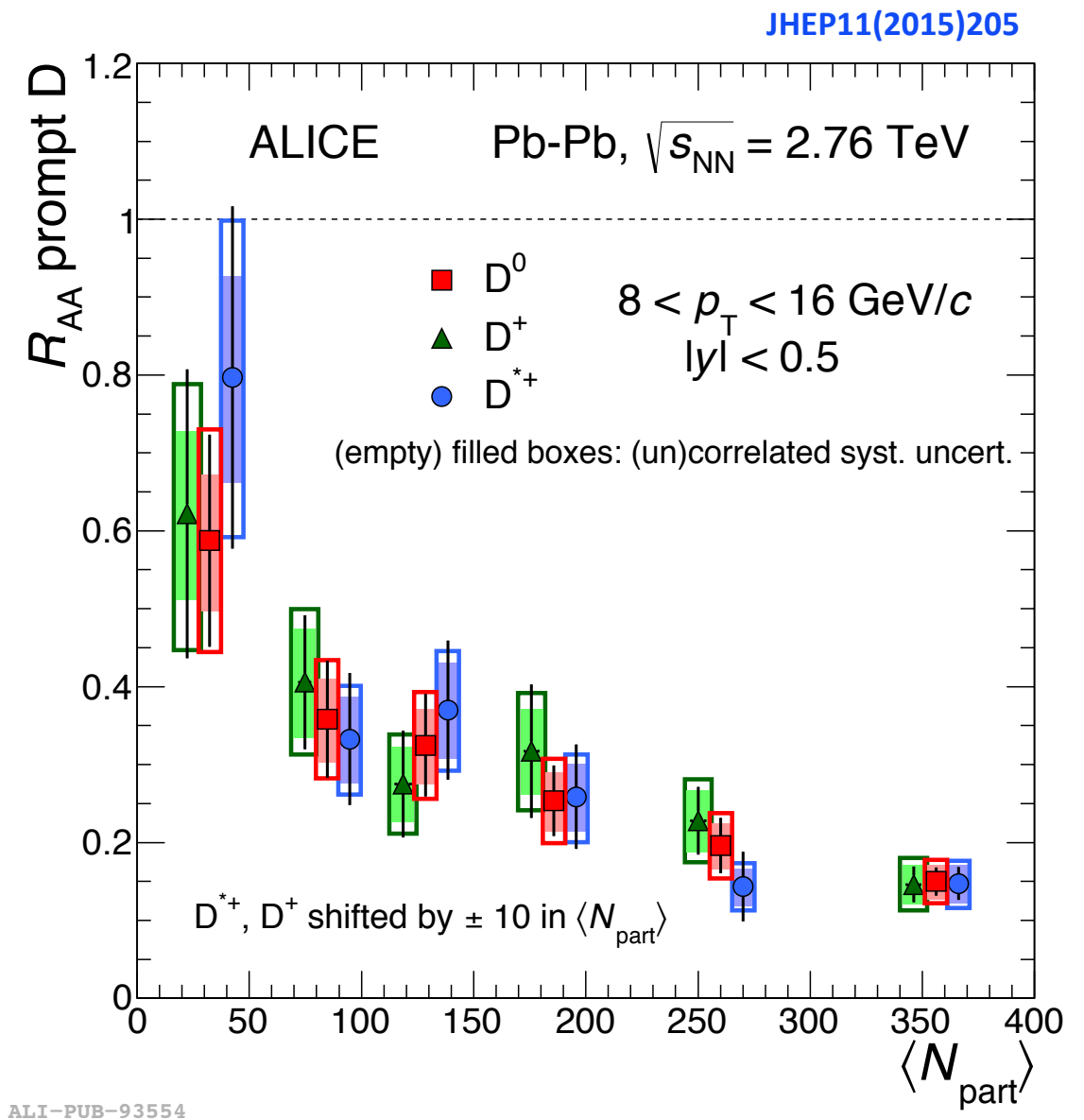
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D-meson R_{AA} vs N_{part}

- * D-meson R_{AA} measured as a function of the centrality of the collisions
- * Stronger suppression observed at intermediate and high- p_T going from peripheral to central events.
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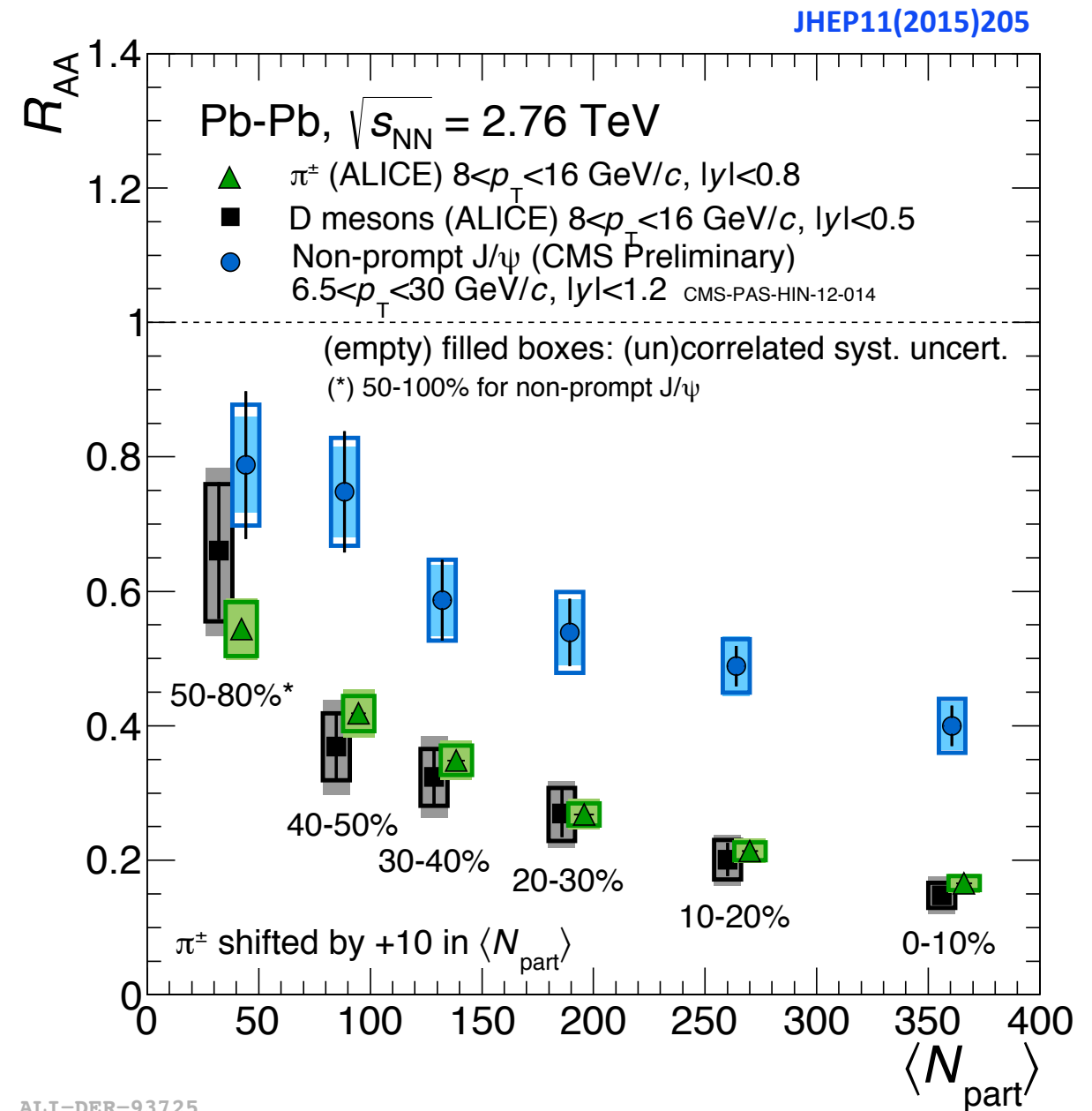
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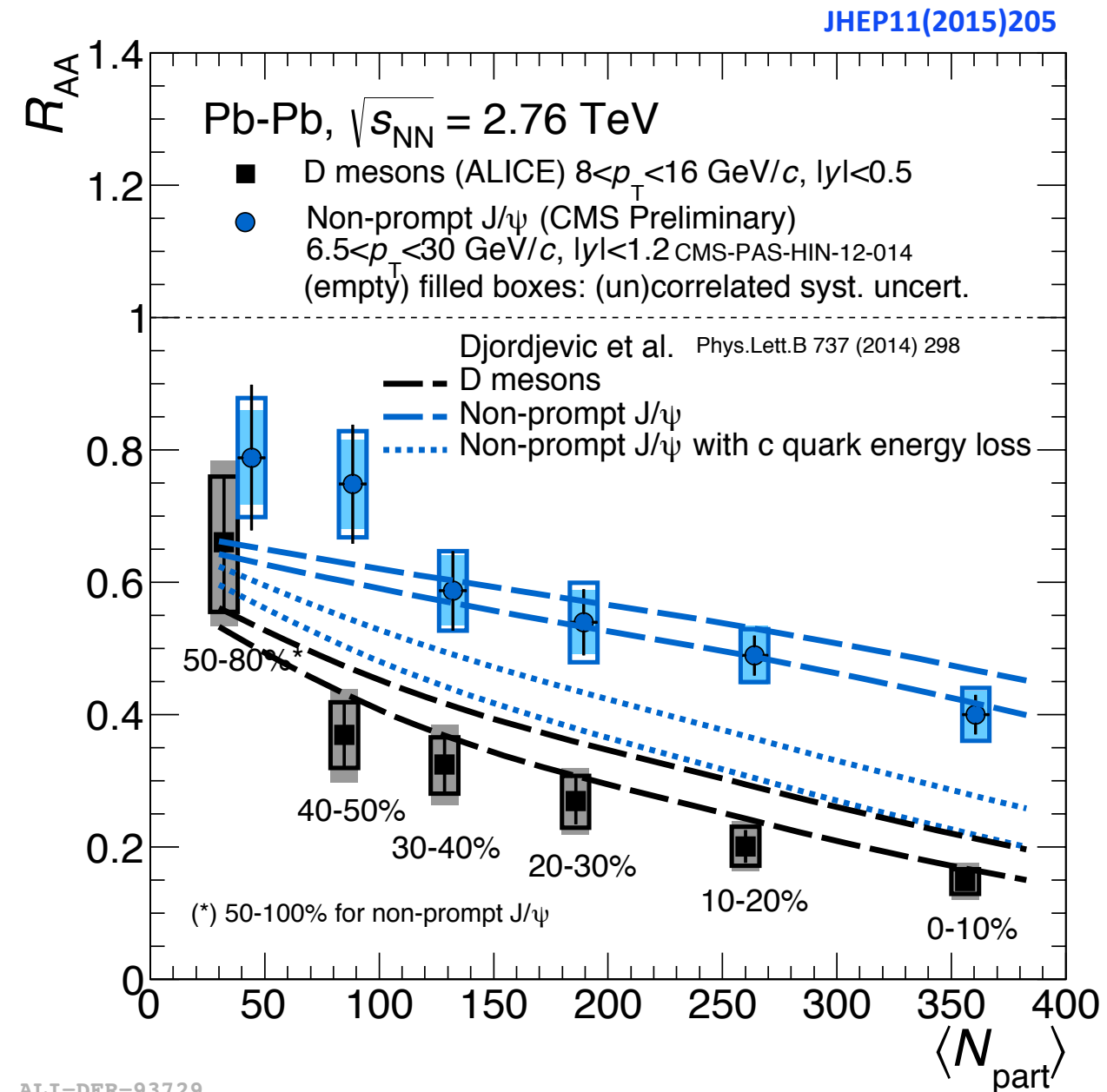
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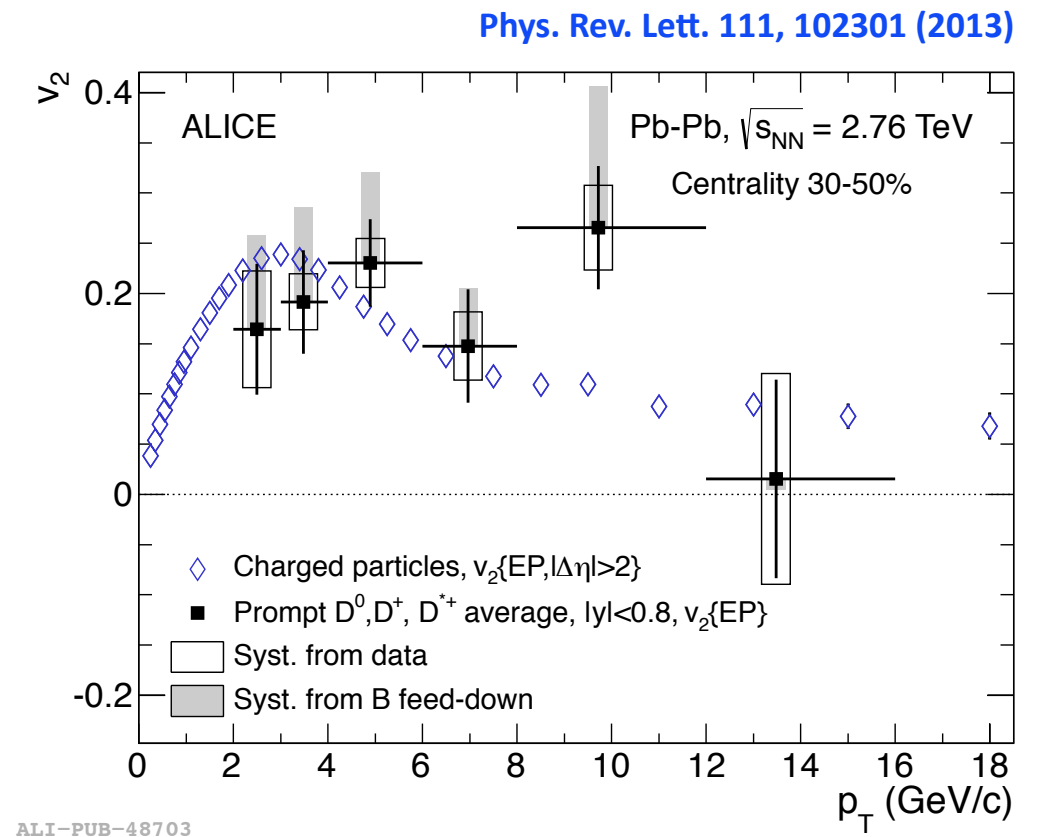
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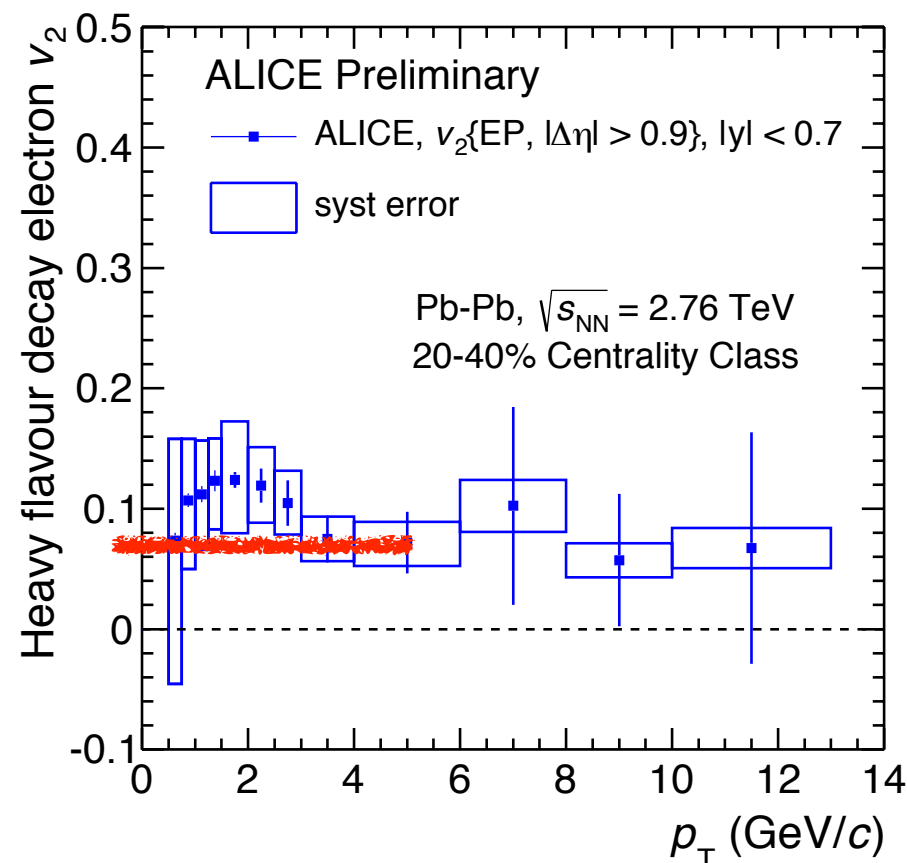
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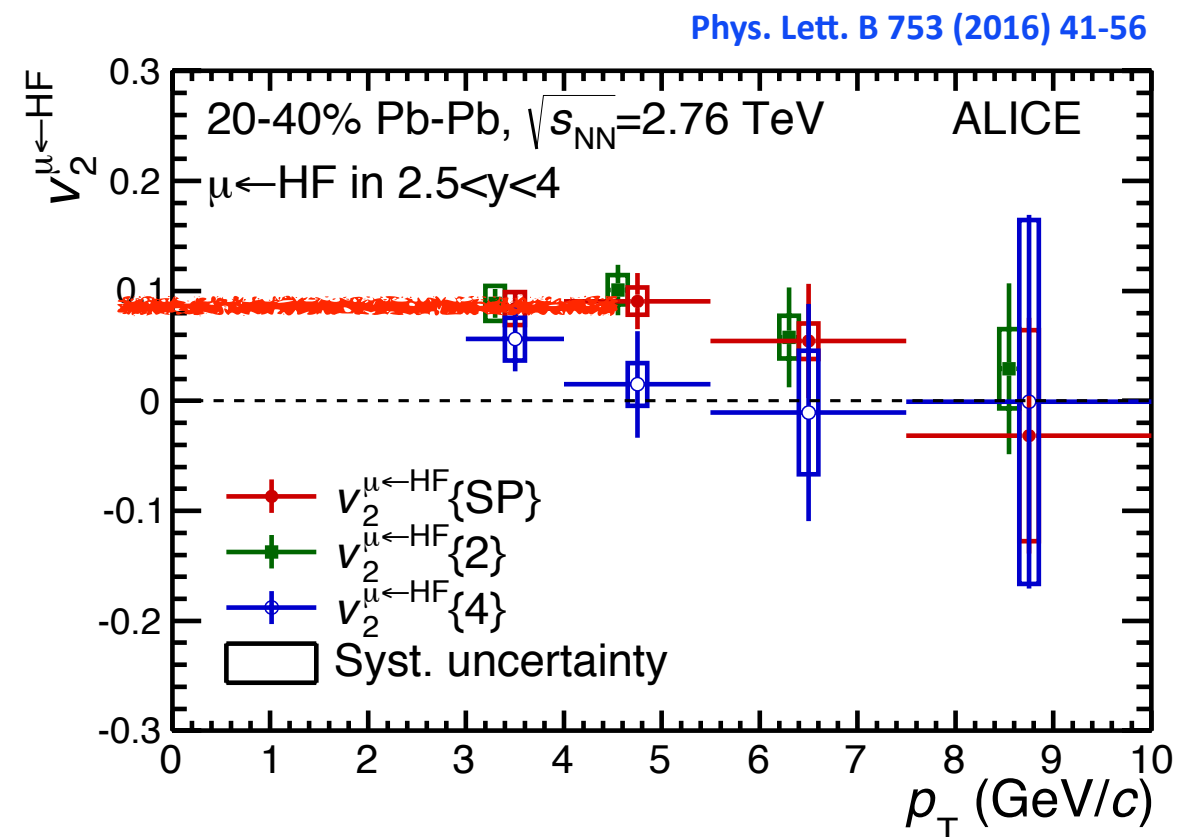
- * Similar amount of v_2 for D mesons and π .
- * Similar amount for HF decay muons and electrons in different rapidity regions ($v_2 \sim 0.08$ for $p_T \sim 5$ GeV/c)

e from HF decay



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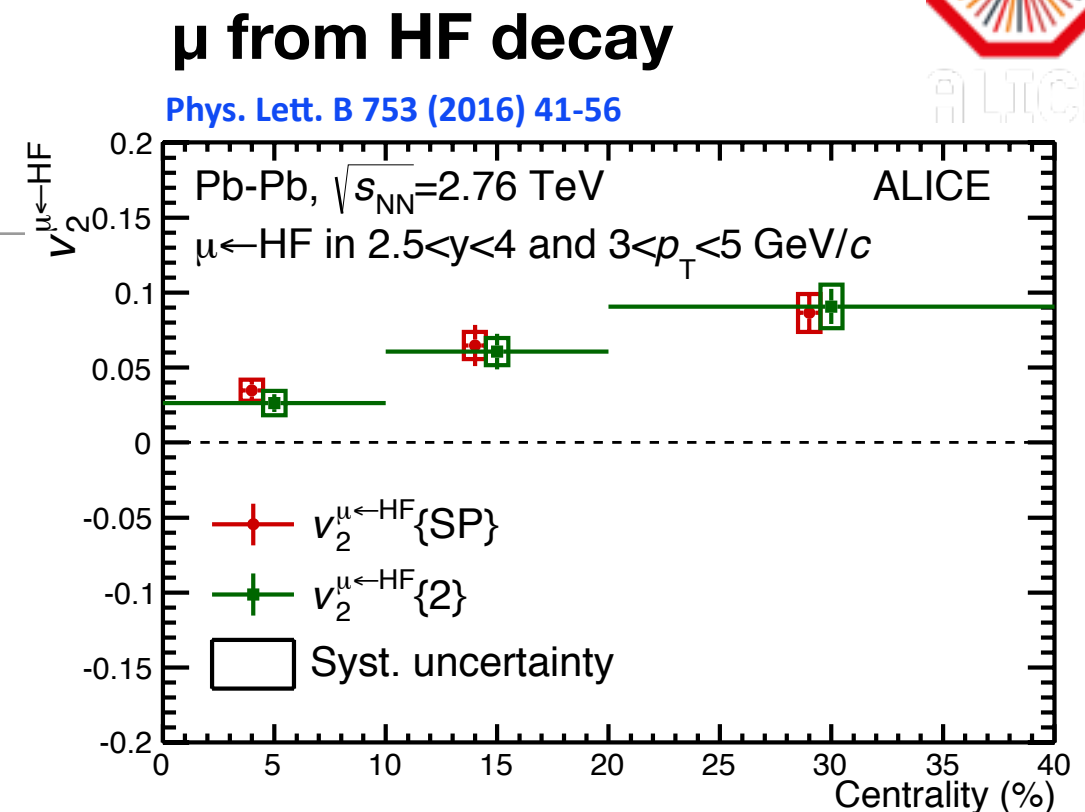
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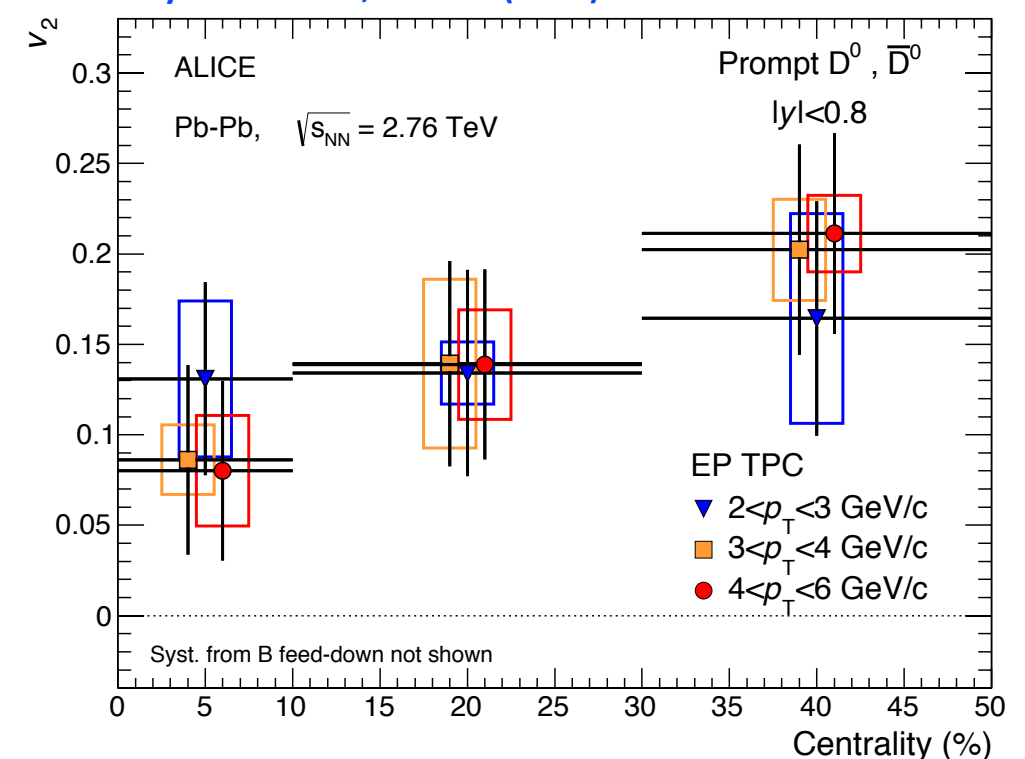
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D meson

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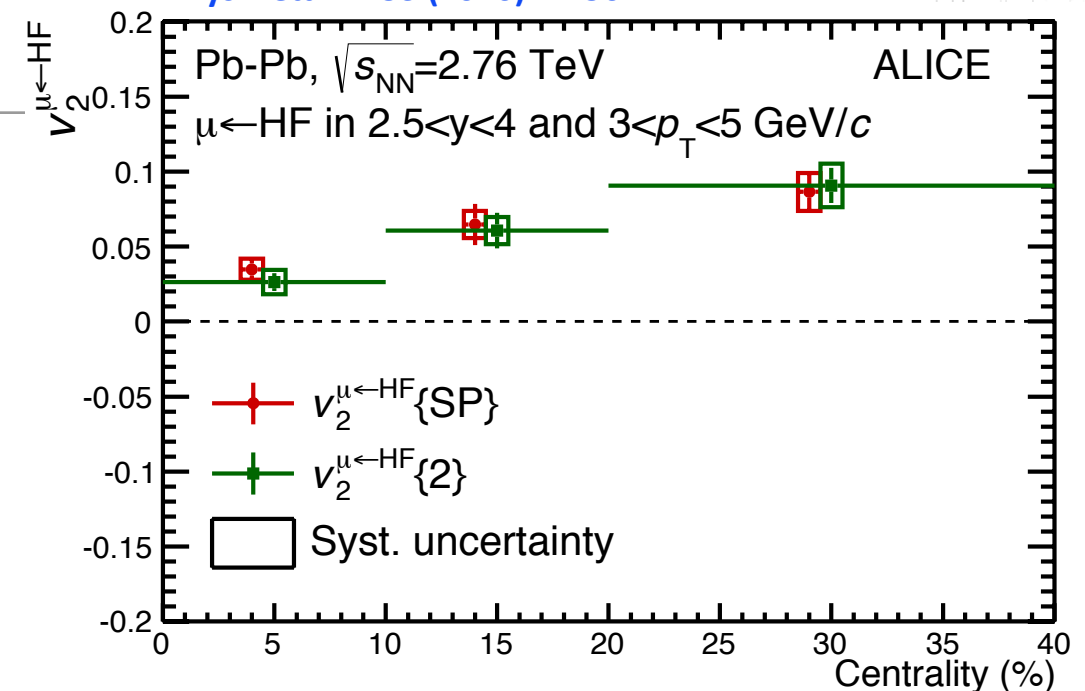


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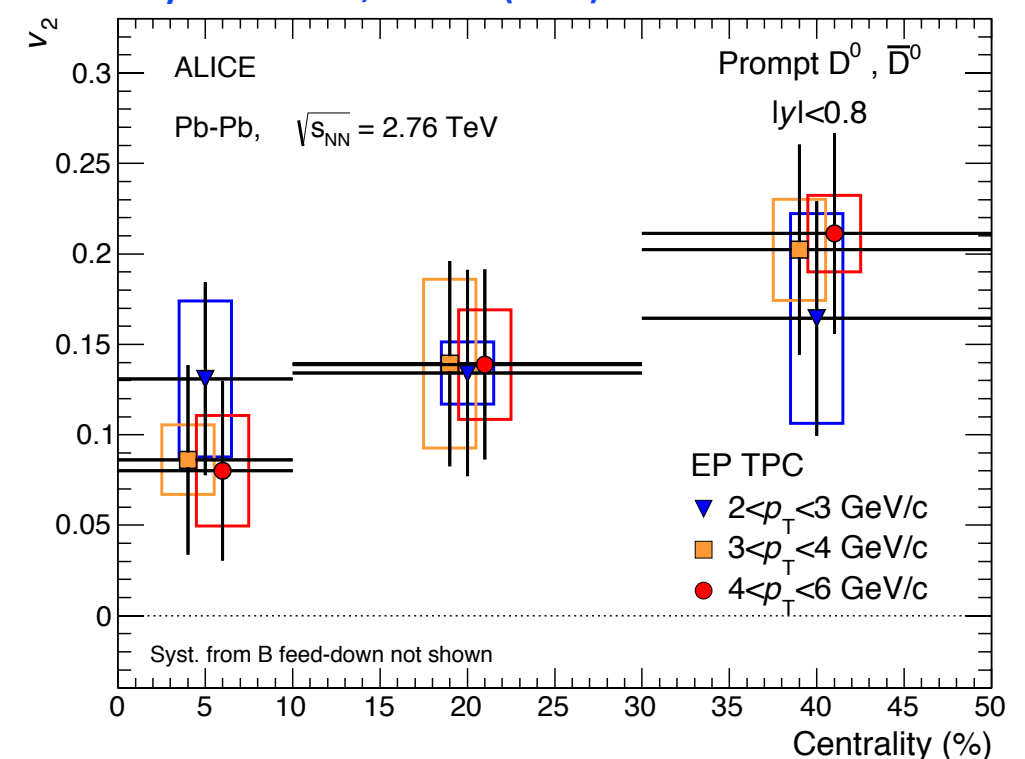
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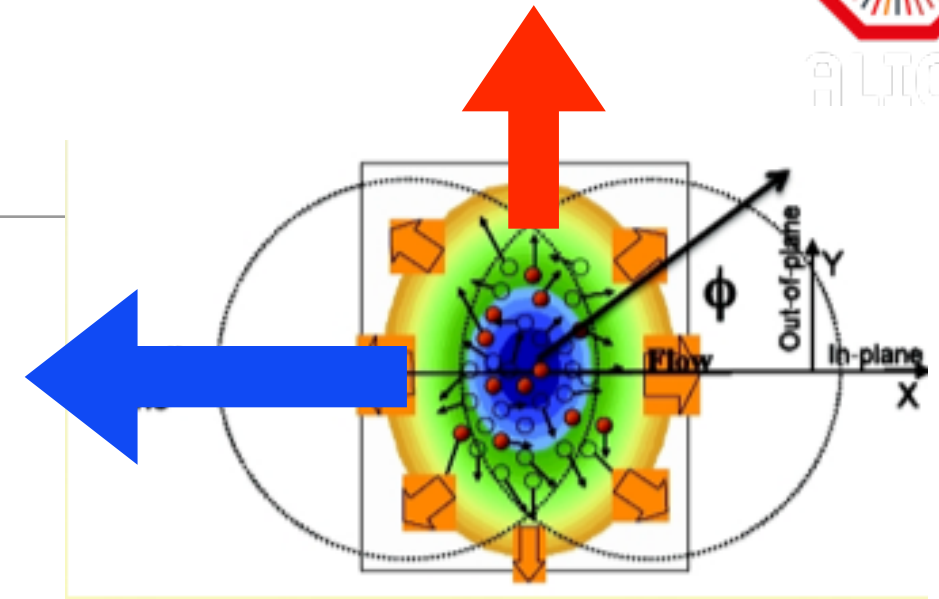
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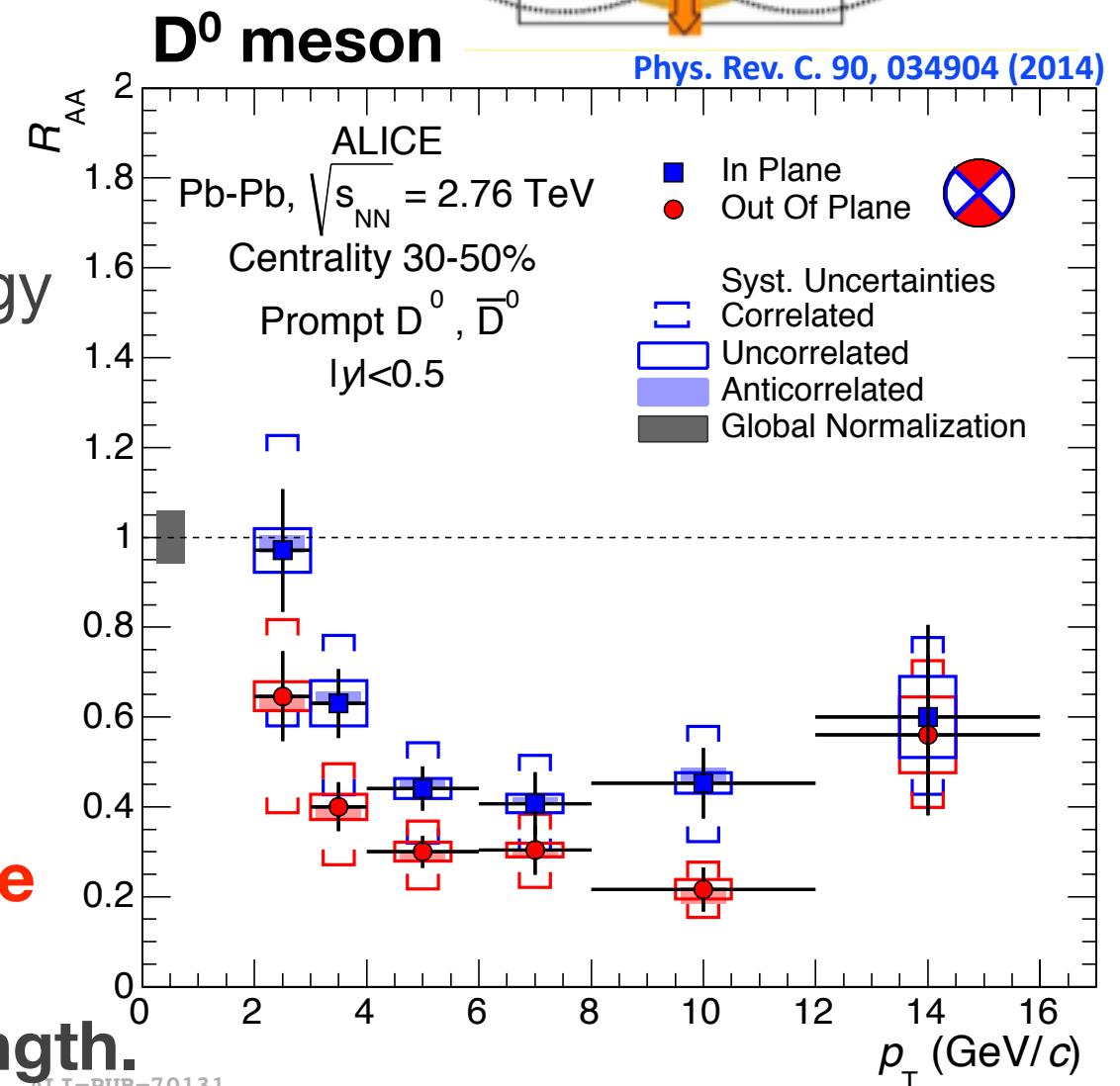
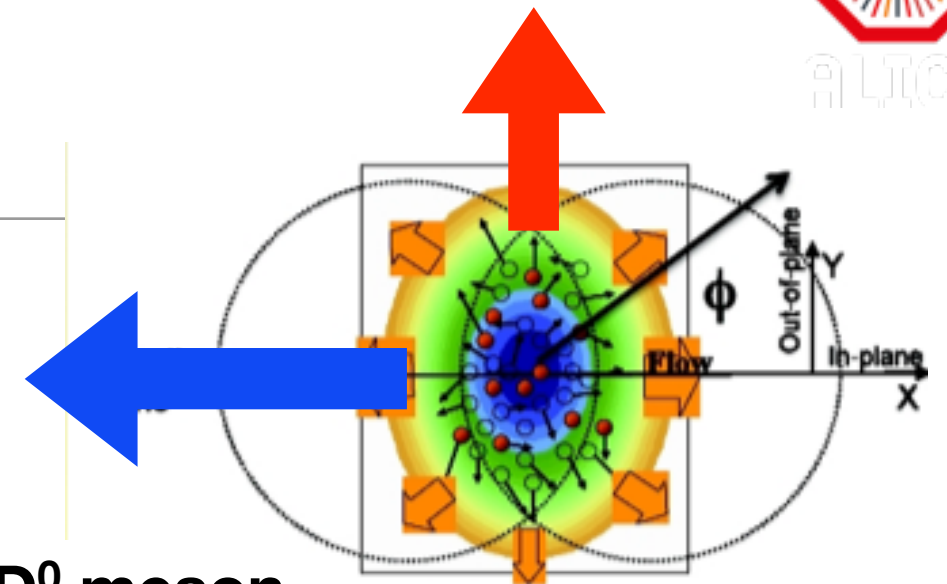
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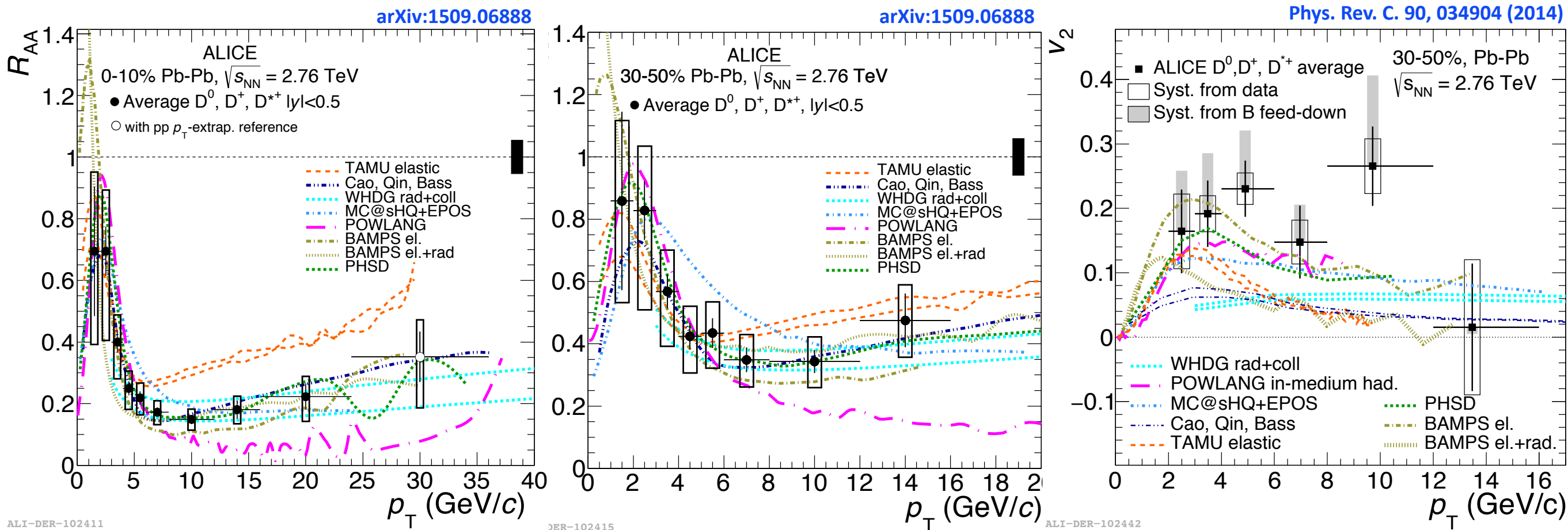
* More suppression is observed **out-of-plane** with respect to **in-plane** region.

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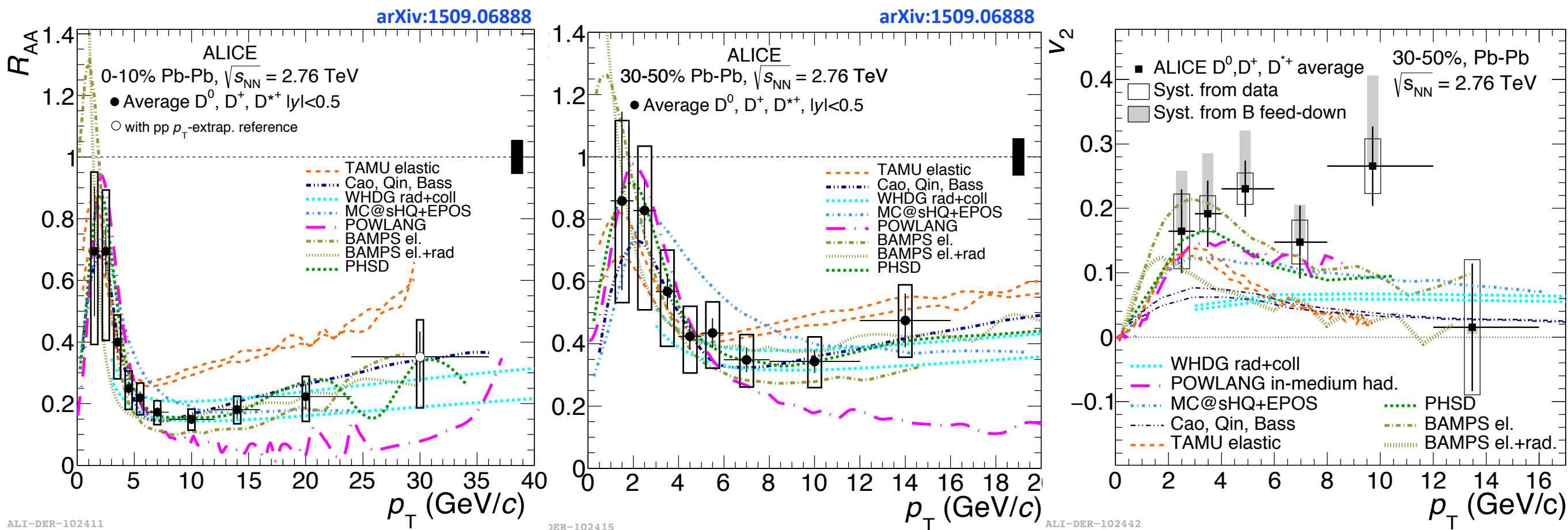


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M. He et al, PLB 735 (2014) 445-450

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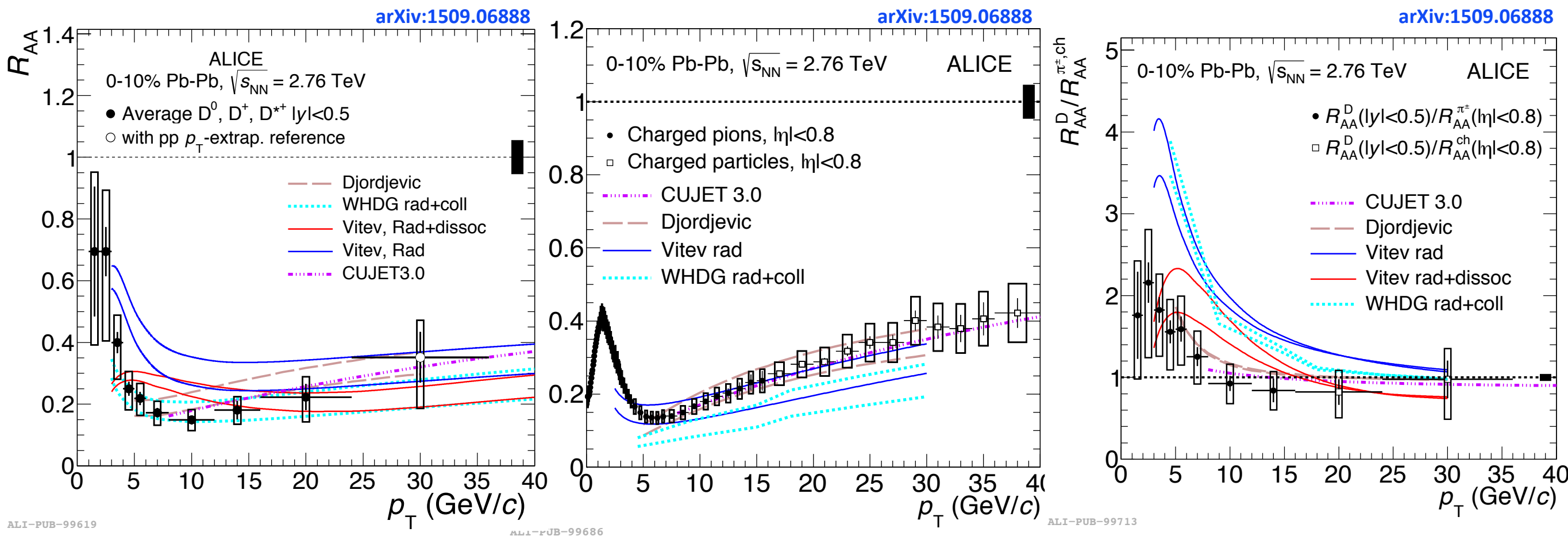


- * **WHDG** does not include an expanding medium and underestimate v_2 .
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M. He et al, PLB 735 (2014), S.Wicks et al, Nucl. Phys. A784 (2007), J.Uphoff et al, PLB 717 (2010), M.Nahrgang et al., PRC 89 (2014)

D-meson and π R_{AA} : comparison with models

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- * Only **Djordjevic** and **CUJET 3.0** models can describe the two R_{AA} ($p_T > 5$ GeV/c).
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Djordjevic et al., PLB 737 (2014), J. Xu et al., arXiv:1508.00552

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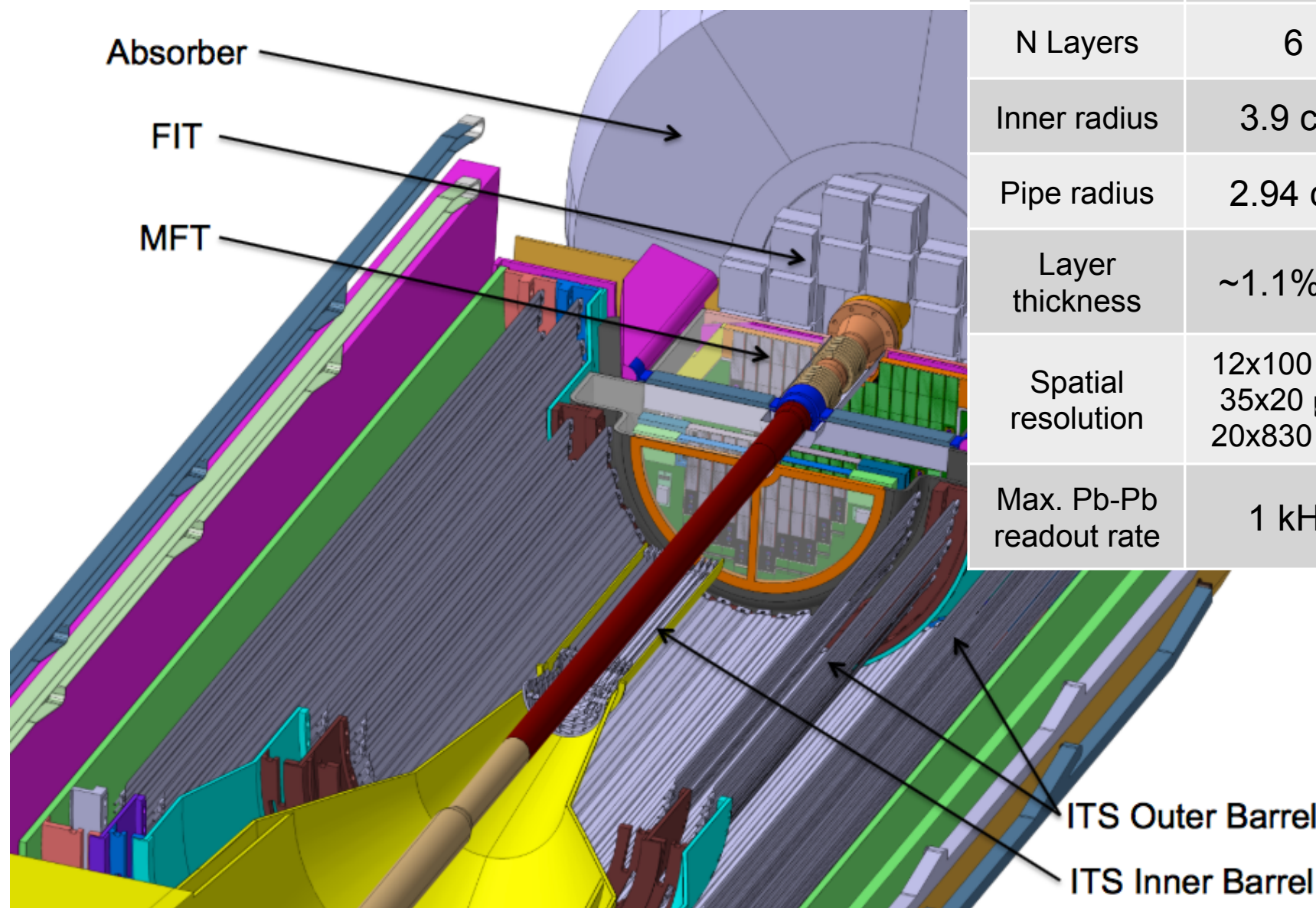
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HF with the ALICE upgrade

- * Characterise mechanisms of quark-medium interaction:
 - * Heavy Flavour dynamics and hadronisation at low p_T .
- * What is needed?
 - * Precision measurements also down to $p_T = 0$.
- * How this can reach?
 - * Improve vertexing resolution
 - * Preserve particle identification (to reject the background)
 - * Large statistics (no dedicated trigger)

New pixel system: ITS and MFT

- Both trackers fully based on Monolithic Active Pixel Sensor (MAPS)

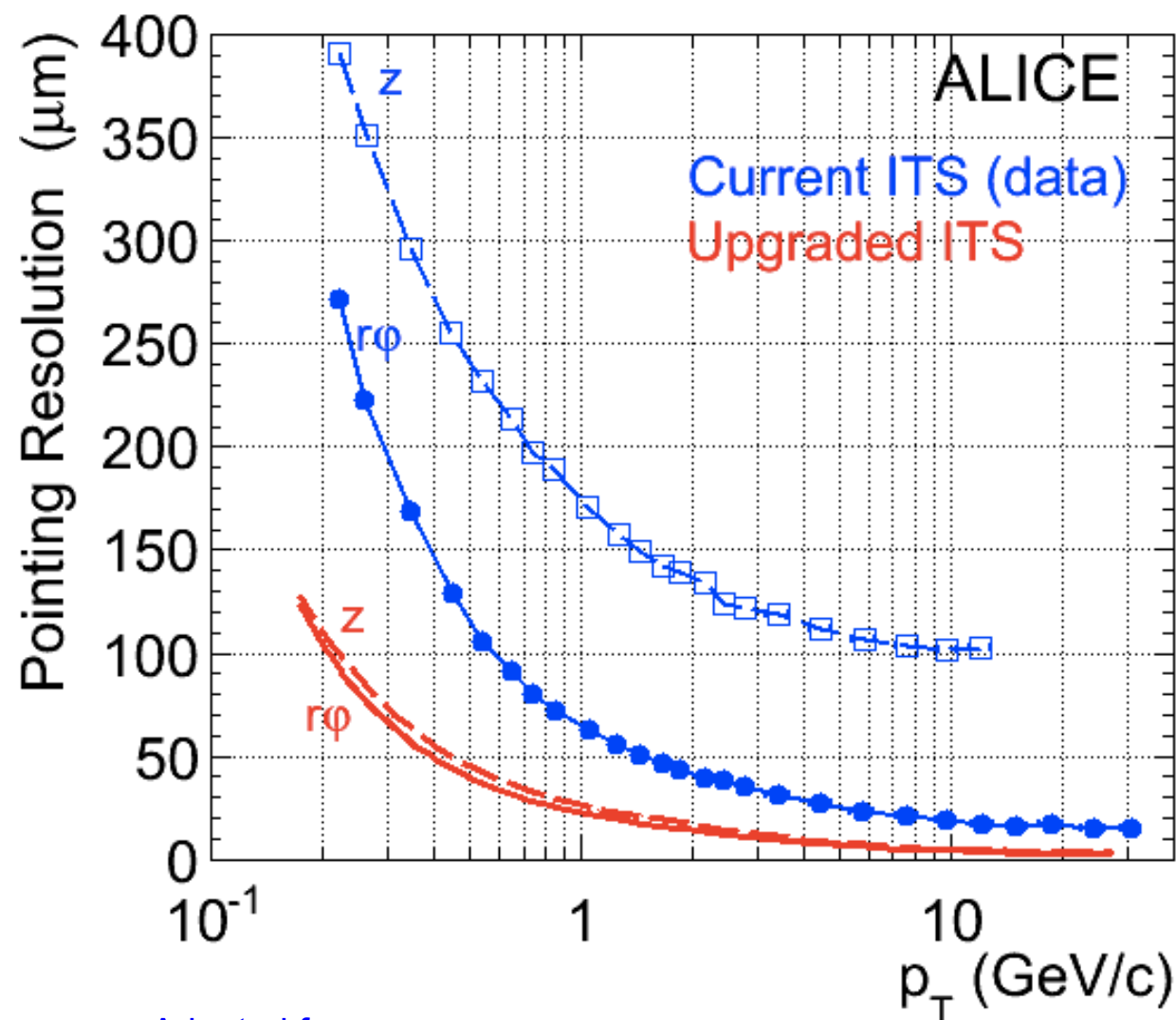


	Pres. ITS	New ITS	MFT
Acceptance	$ \eta < 0.9$	$ \eta < 1.5$	$-3.6 < \eta < -2.3$
N Layers	6	7	5
Inner radius	3.9 cm	2.3 cm	/
Pipe radius	2.94 cm	1.86 cm	/
Layer thickness	$\sim 1.1\% X_0$	$0.3-0.8\% X_0$	$0.6\% X_0$
Spatial resolution	$12 \times 100 \mu\text{m}^2$ $35 \times 20 \mu\text{m}^2$ $20 \times 830 \mu\text{m}^2$	$\sim 5 \times 5 \mu\text{m}^2$	$\sim 5 \times 5 \mu\text{m}^2$
Max. Pb-Pb readout rate	1 kHz	100 kHz	100 kHz

ITS: CERN-LHCC-2013-024
MFT: CERN-LHCC-2015-001

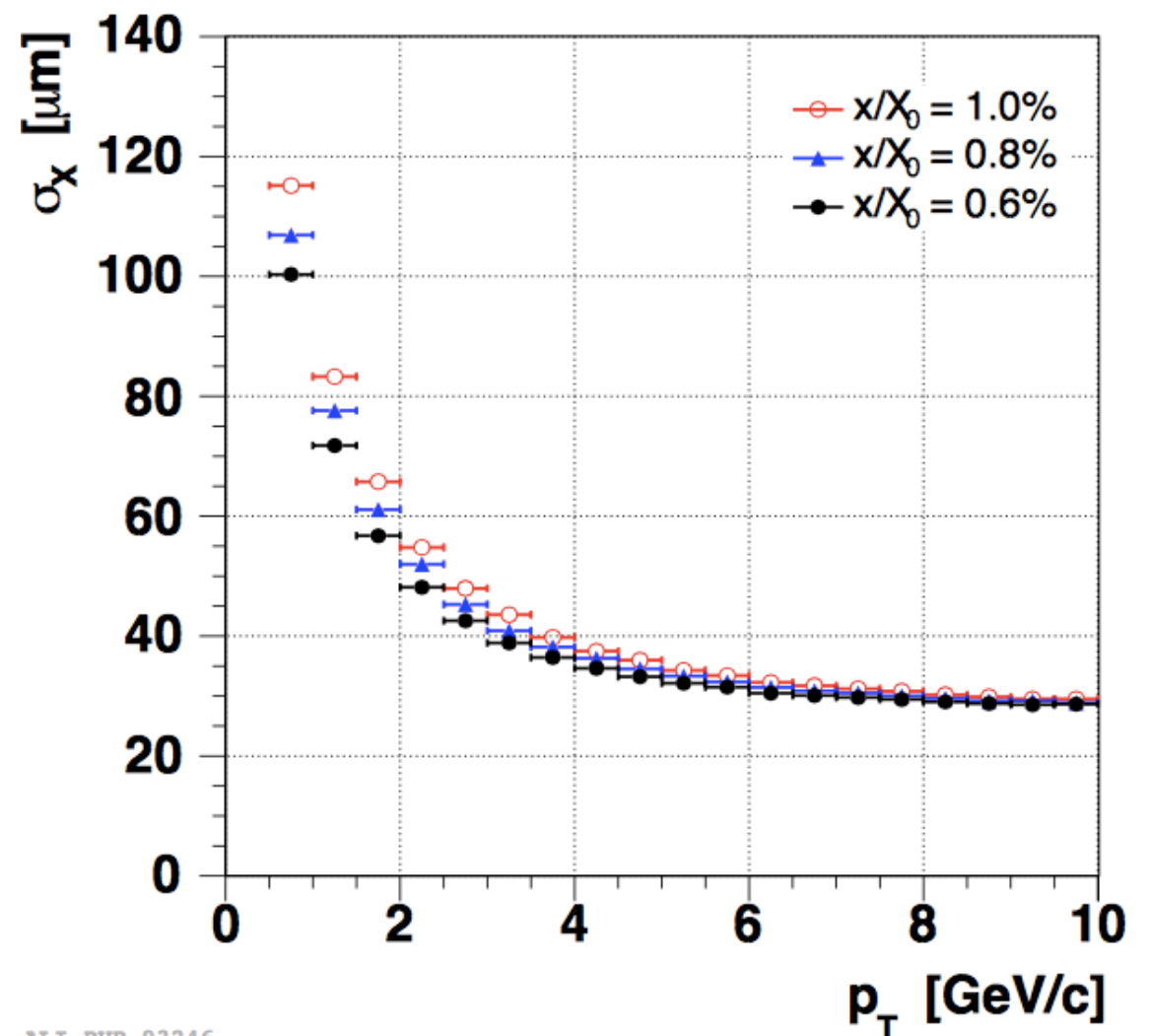
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 - ▶ x3 better in transverse plane
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Adapted from
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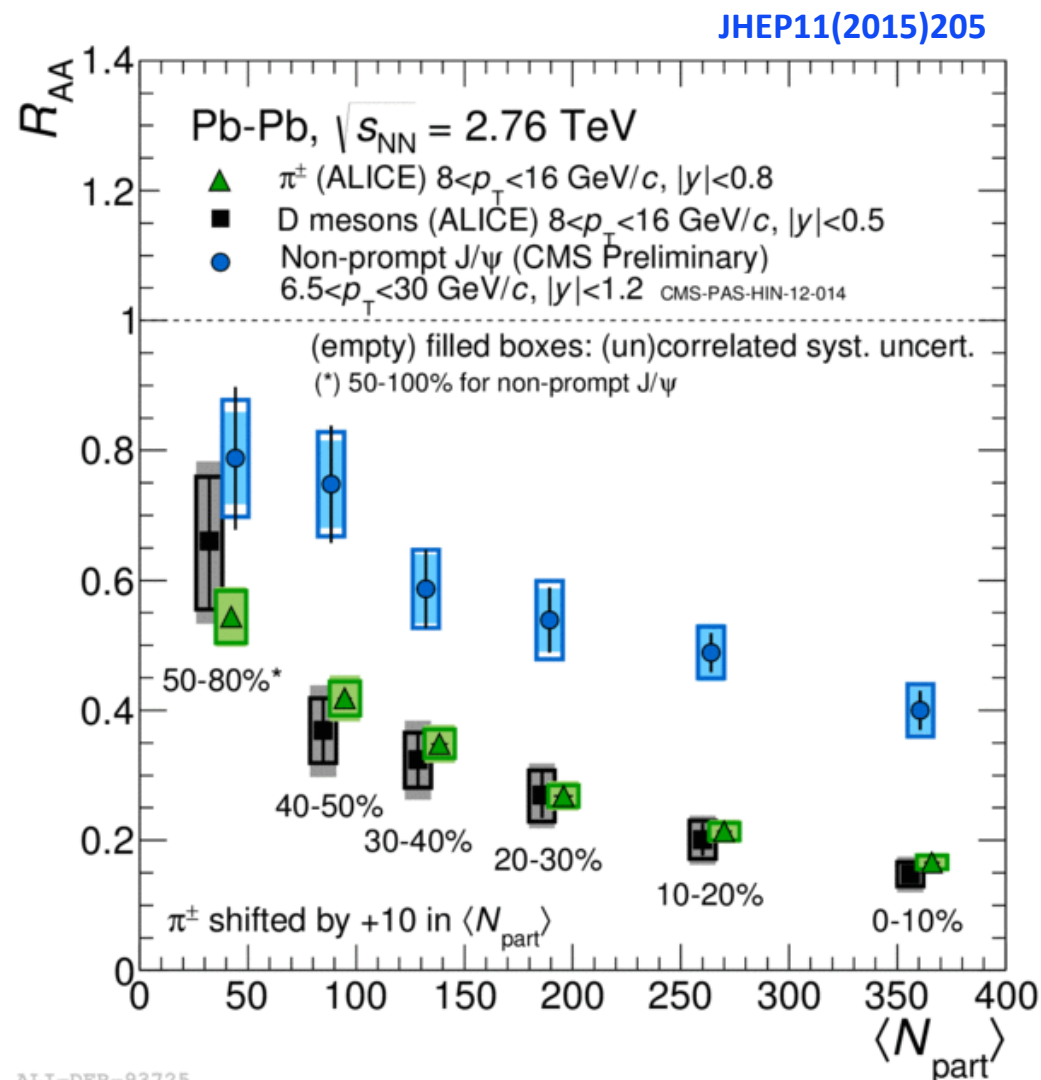


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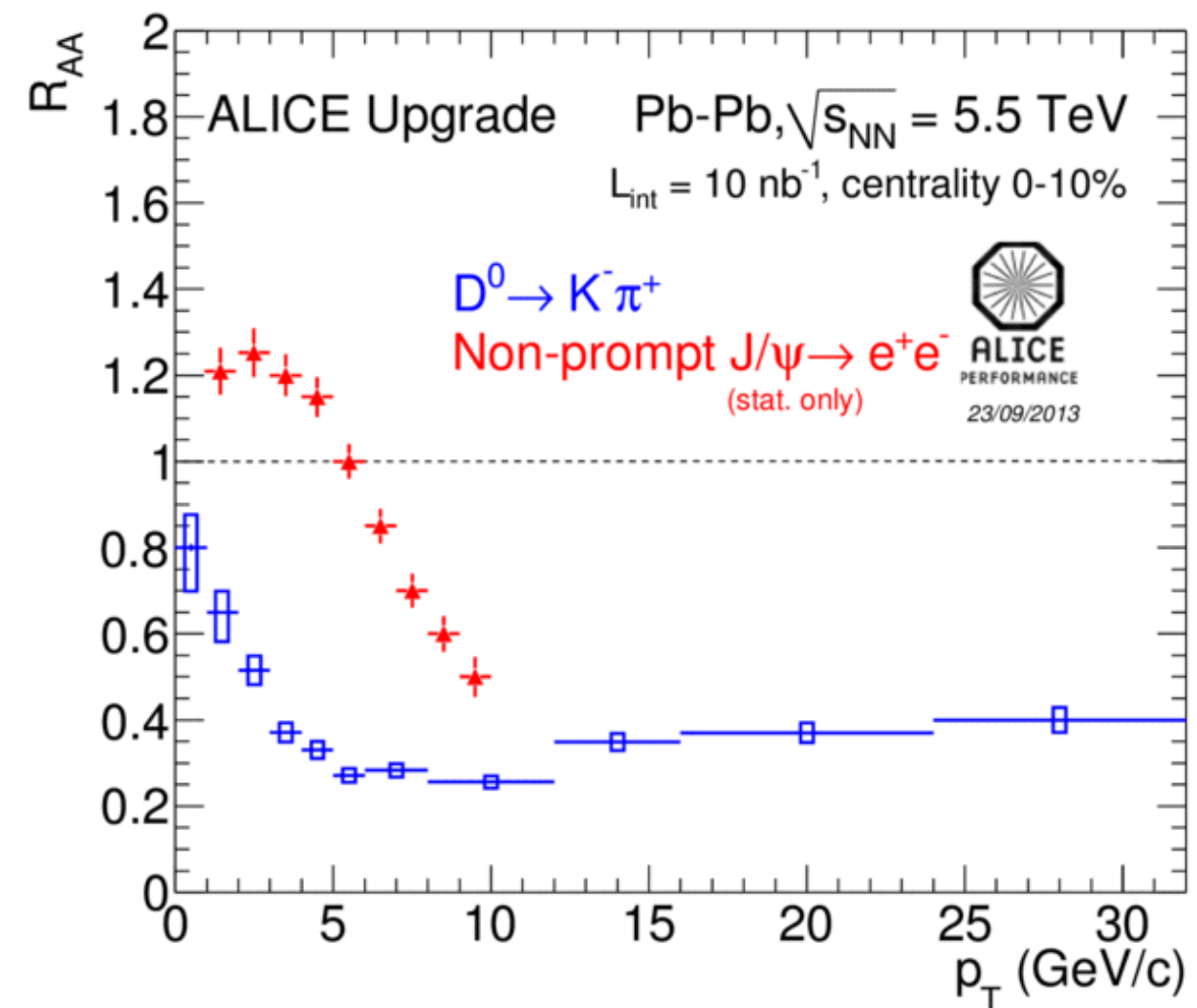
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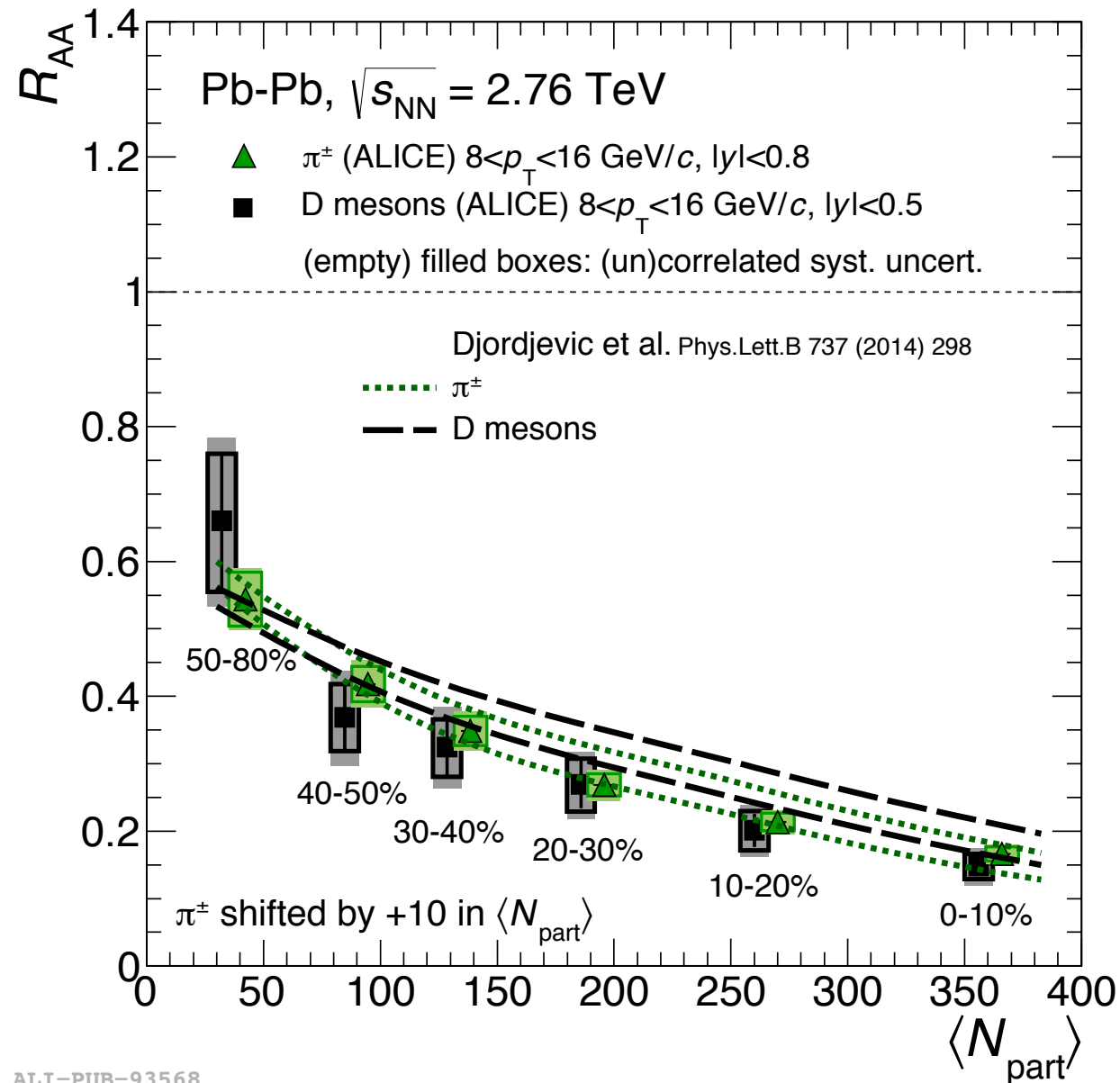


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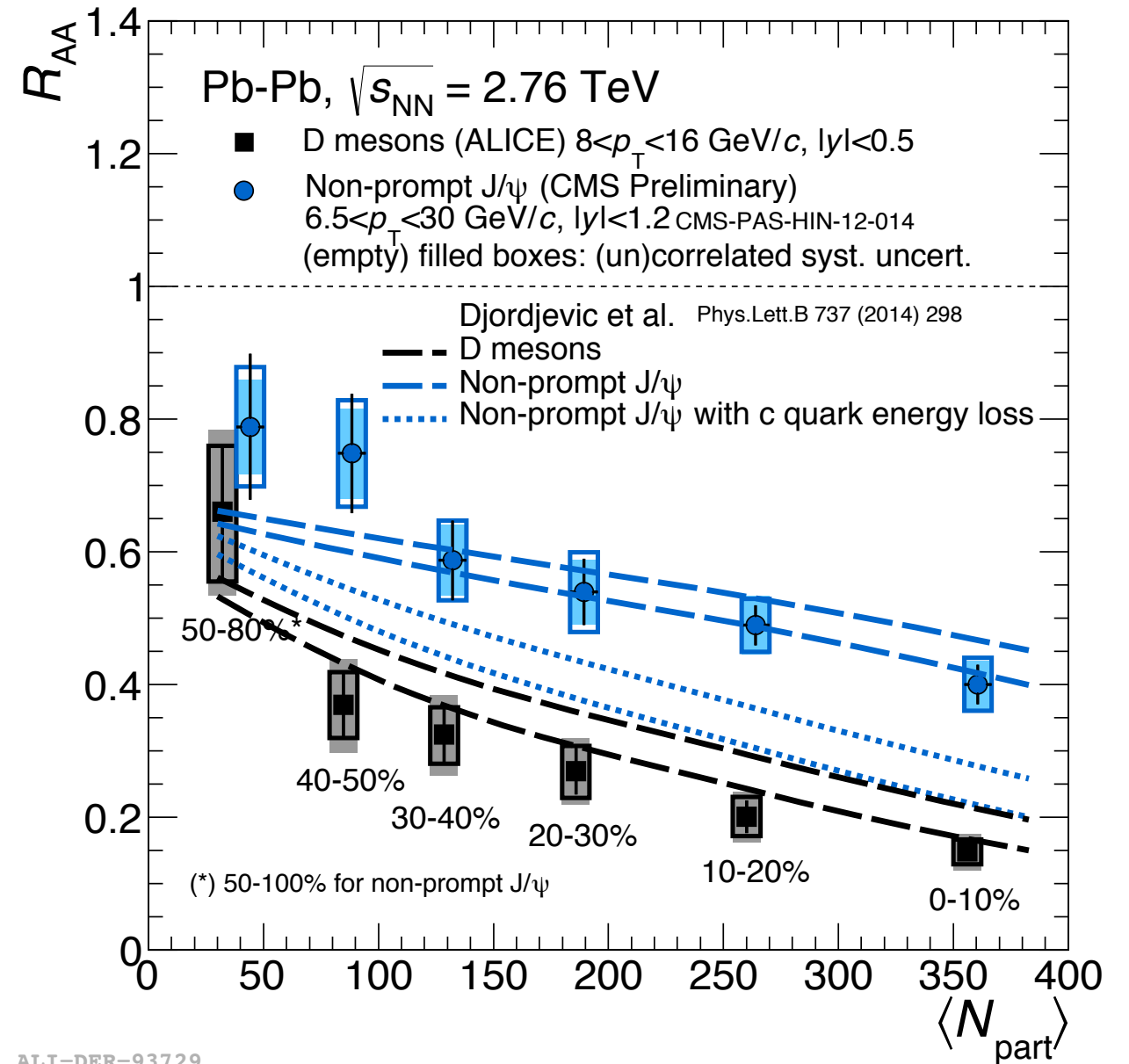


Back up

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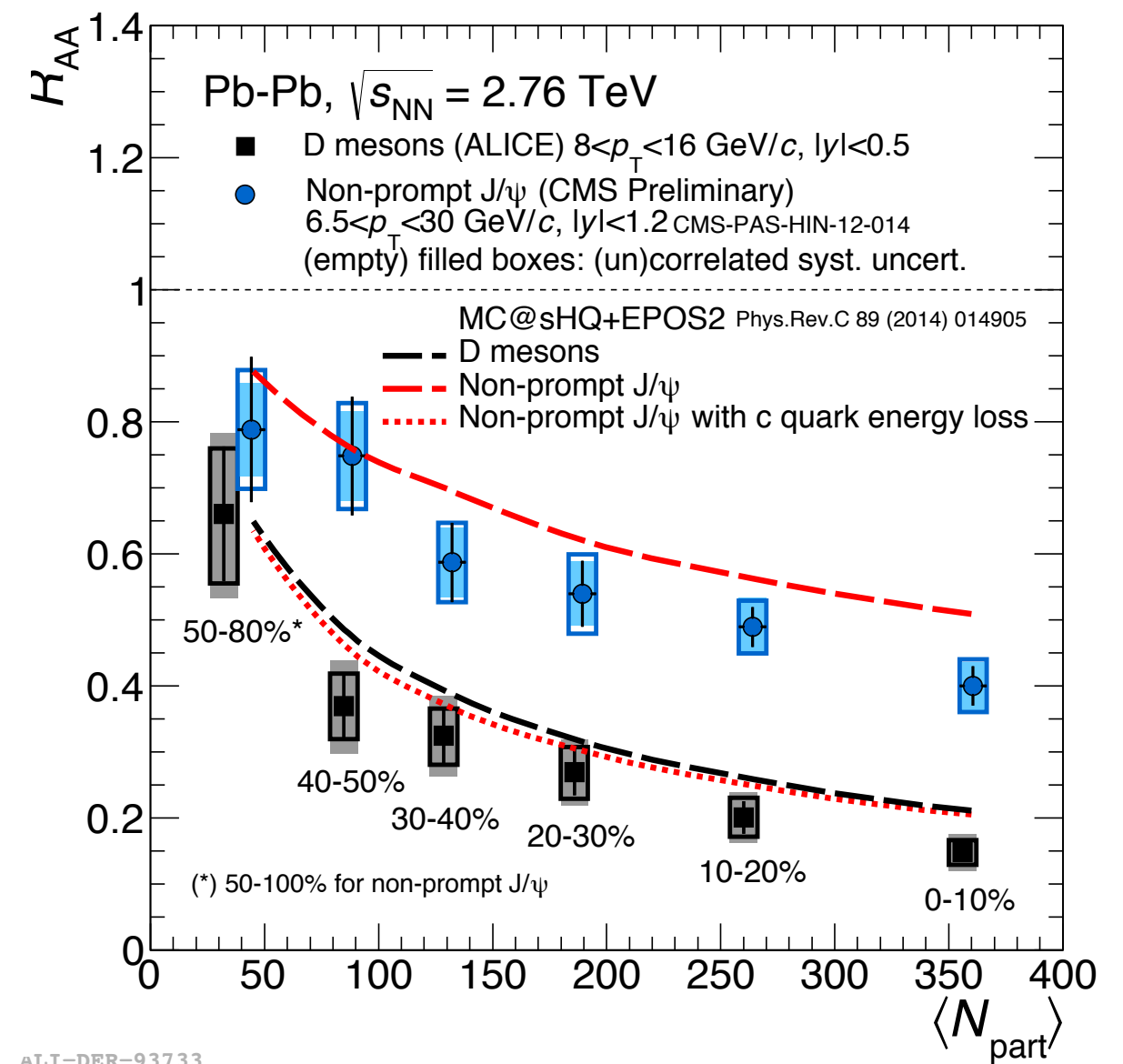
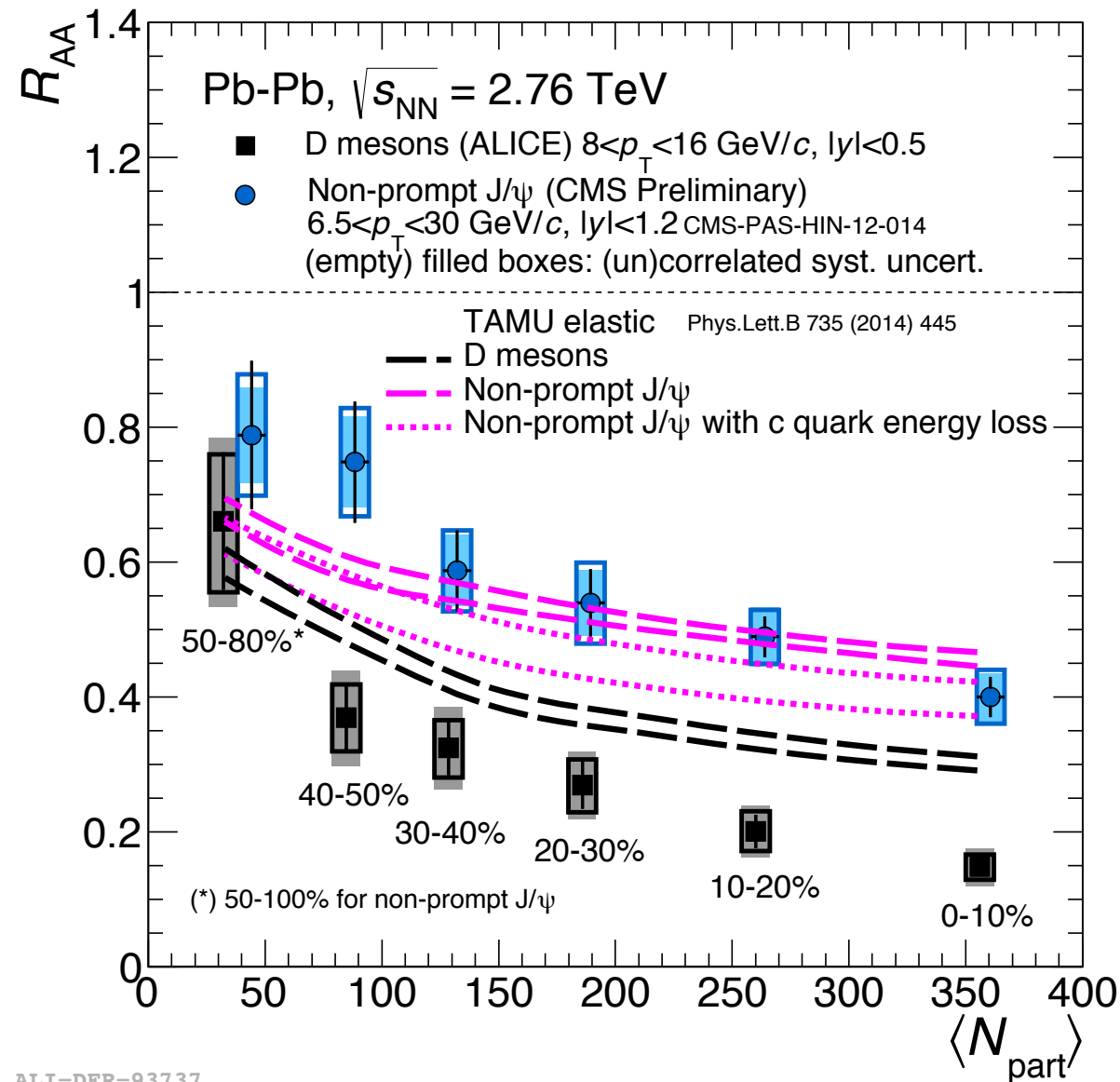


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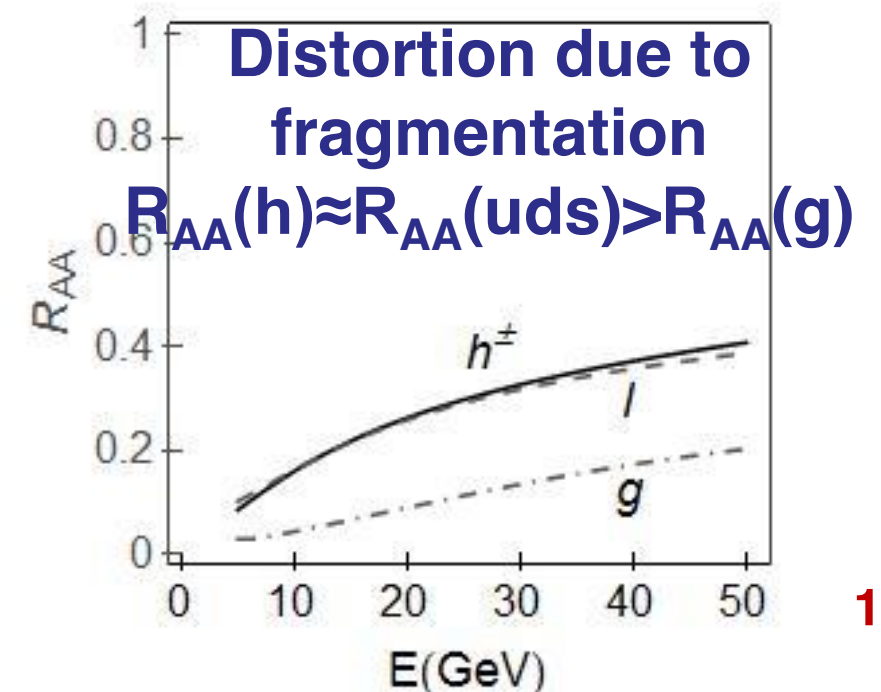
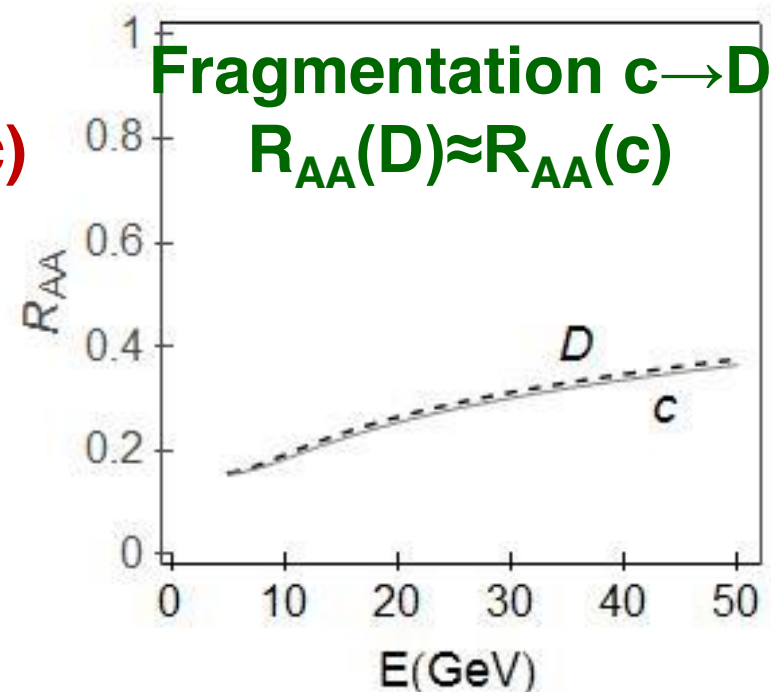
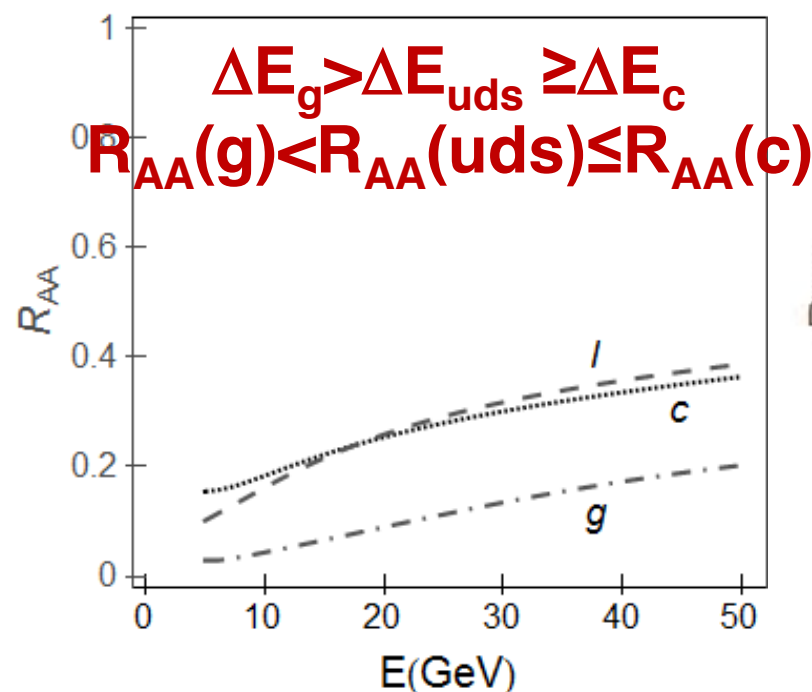


Summary of the models

	HQ production	Medium Modeling	Heavy quarks interactions	Hadronization
WHDG (AIP Conf Proc. 1441 (2012) 889)	FONLL, no shadowing	Glauber model collision geometry, no hydro evolution	radiative + collisional energy loss	fragmentation
POWLANG (J. Phys. G 38 (2011) 124144)	POWEG (NLO) + EPS09 shadowing	2+1d expanding medium with viscos hydro evolution	HQ transport (Langevin) + collisional energy loss	fragmentation
Cao, Quin, Bass (Phys Rev C 88 (2013) 044907)	LO pQCD + EPS09 shadowing	2+1d expanding medium with viscous hydro evolution	HQ transport (Langevin) + quasi elastic scattering + radiative energy loss	recombination + fragmentation
MC@sHQ+EPOS2 (Phys Rev C 89 (2014) 014905)	FONLL, no shadowing	3+1d fluid dynamical expansion (EPOS)	HQ transport (Boltzmann) + radiative + collisional energy loss.	recombination + fragmentation
BAMPS (Phys Lett B 717 (2012) 430)	MC@NLO, no shadowing	3+1d fully dynamic parton transport model	HQ transport (Boltzmann) + collisional energy loss	fragmentation
TAMU elastic (arXiv:1401.3817)	FONLL + EPS09 shadowing	transport + 3+1d ideal hydro evolution	HQ transport (Langevin) + collisional energy loss + diffusion in hadronic phase	recombination + fragmentation
UrQMD (arXiv:1211.6912)	PYTHIA, no shadowing	3+1d ideal hydro evolution	HQ transport (Langevin) + collisional energy loss	recombination + fragmentation

Djordjevic calculations

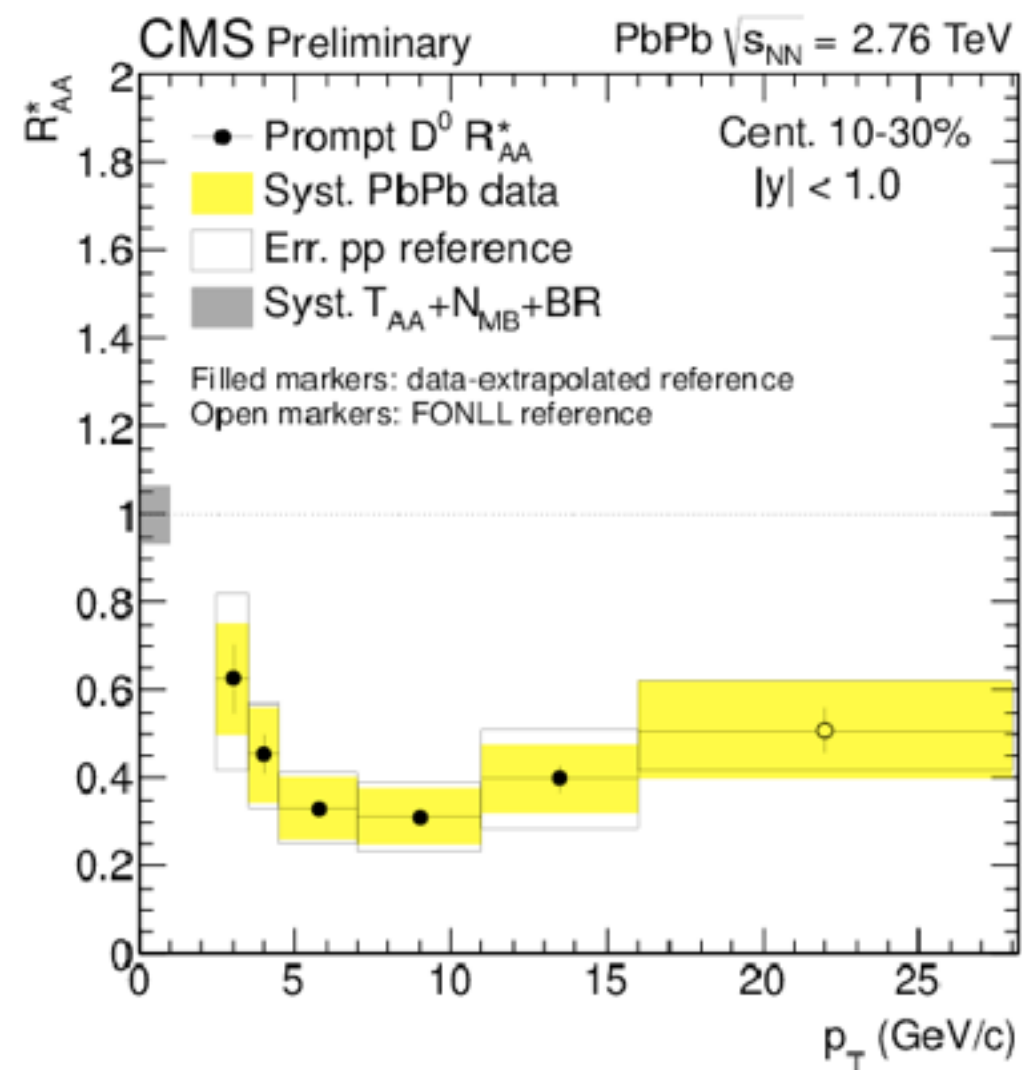
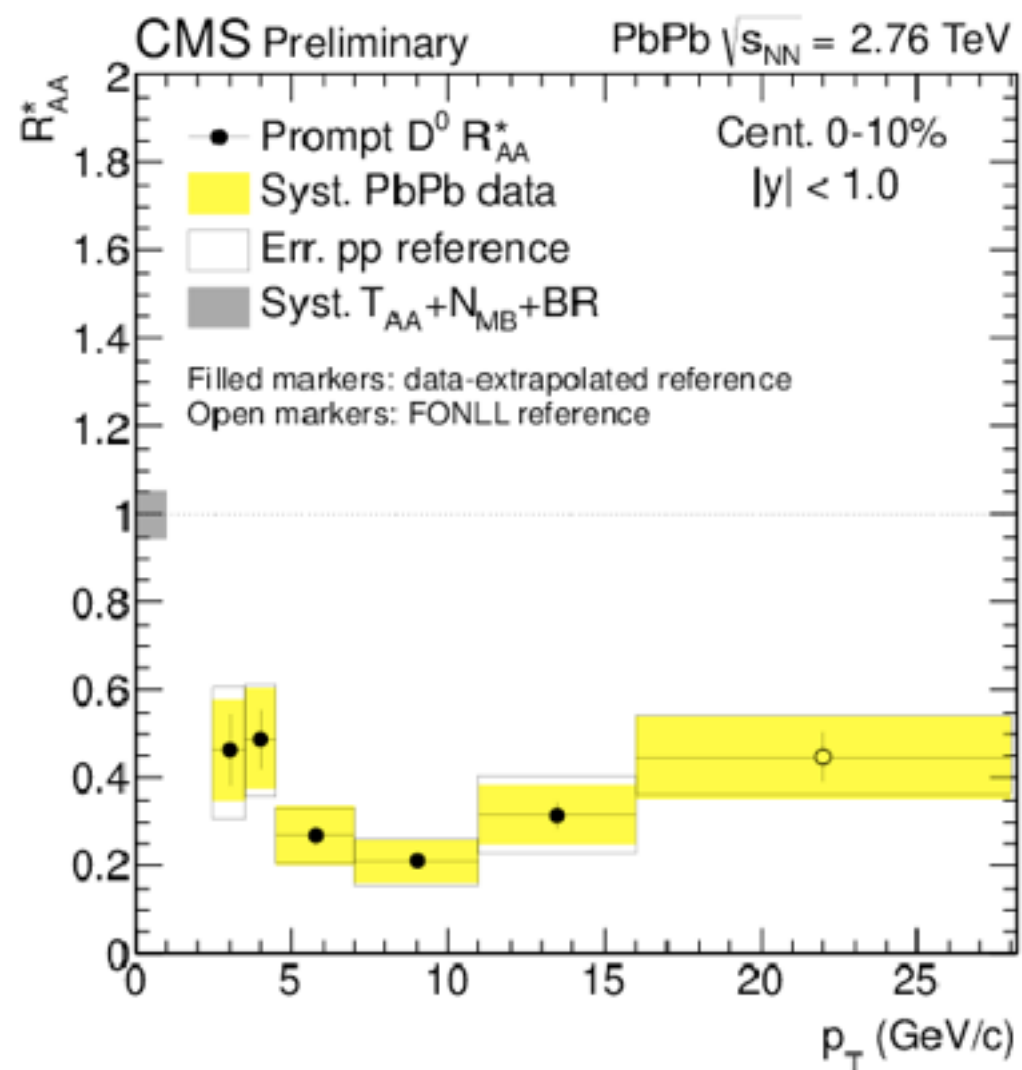
Djordjevic, Djordjevic, PRL 112 (2014) 042302



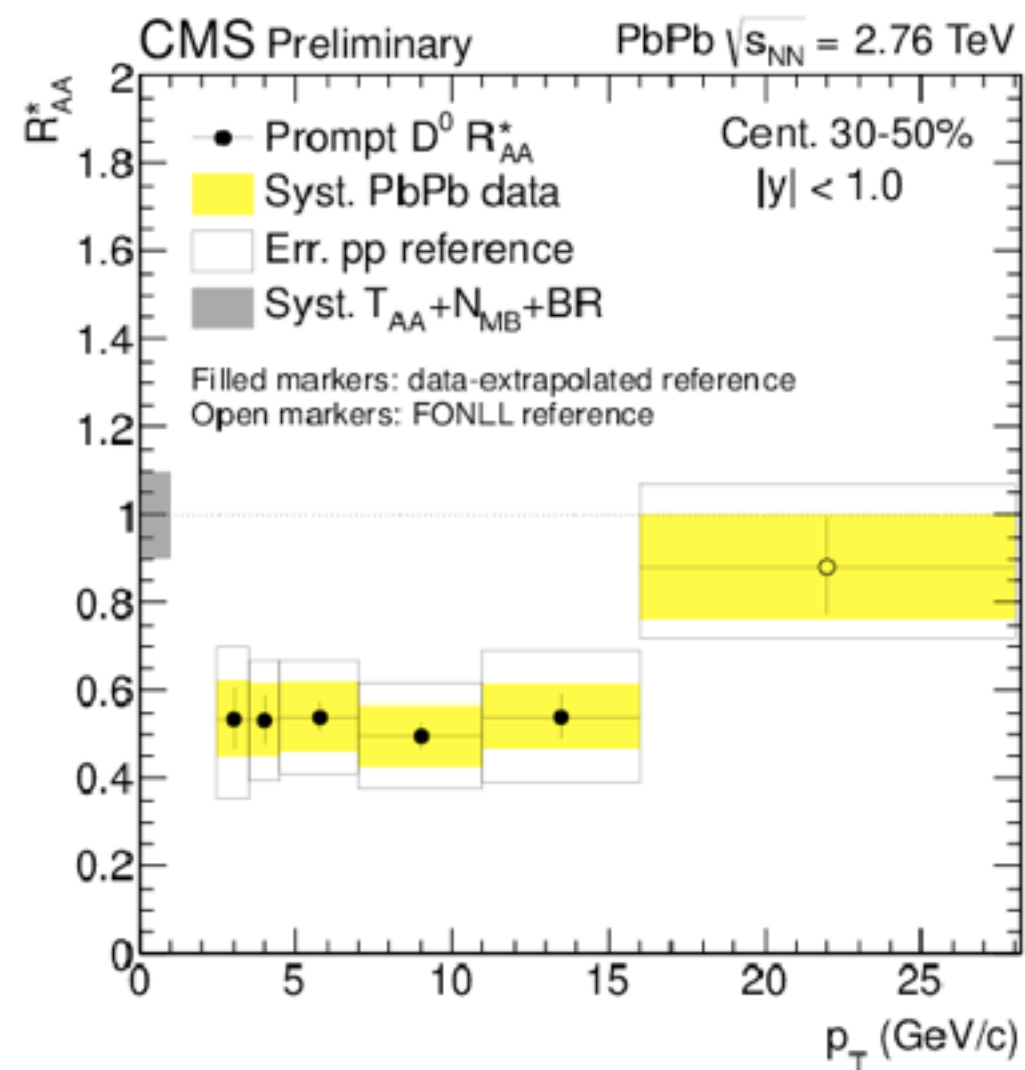
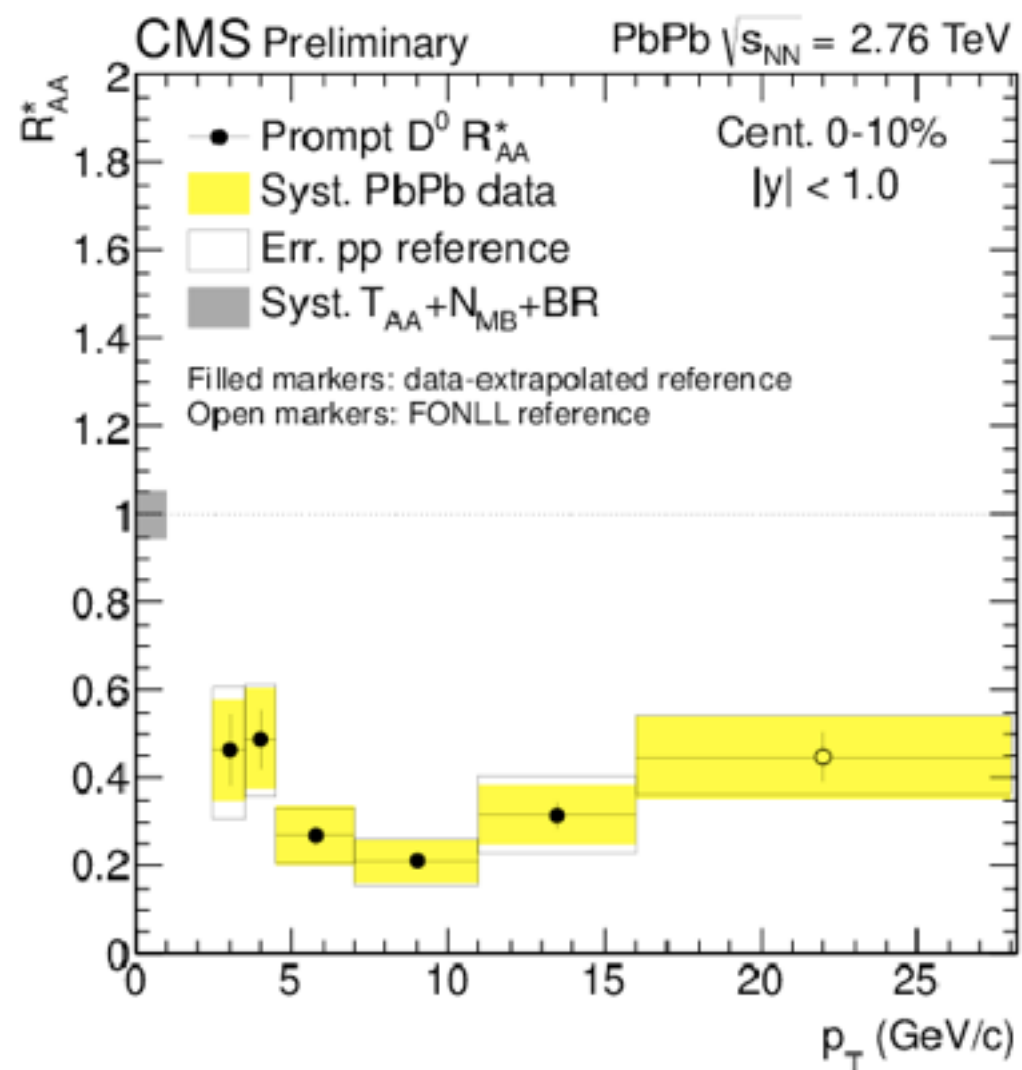
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- * Gluons lose more energy due to a larger Casimir factor
- * Energy loss is not sensitive to charm fragmentation into hadrons
- * Softer fragmentation of gluons than light quark and their larger energy loss makes their contribution to the R_{AA} “less strong” than the one of light quarks

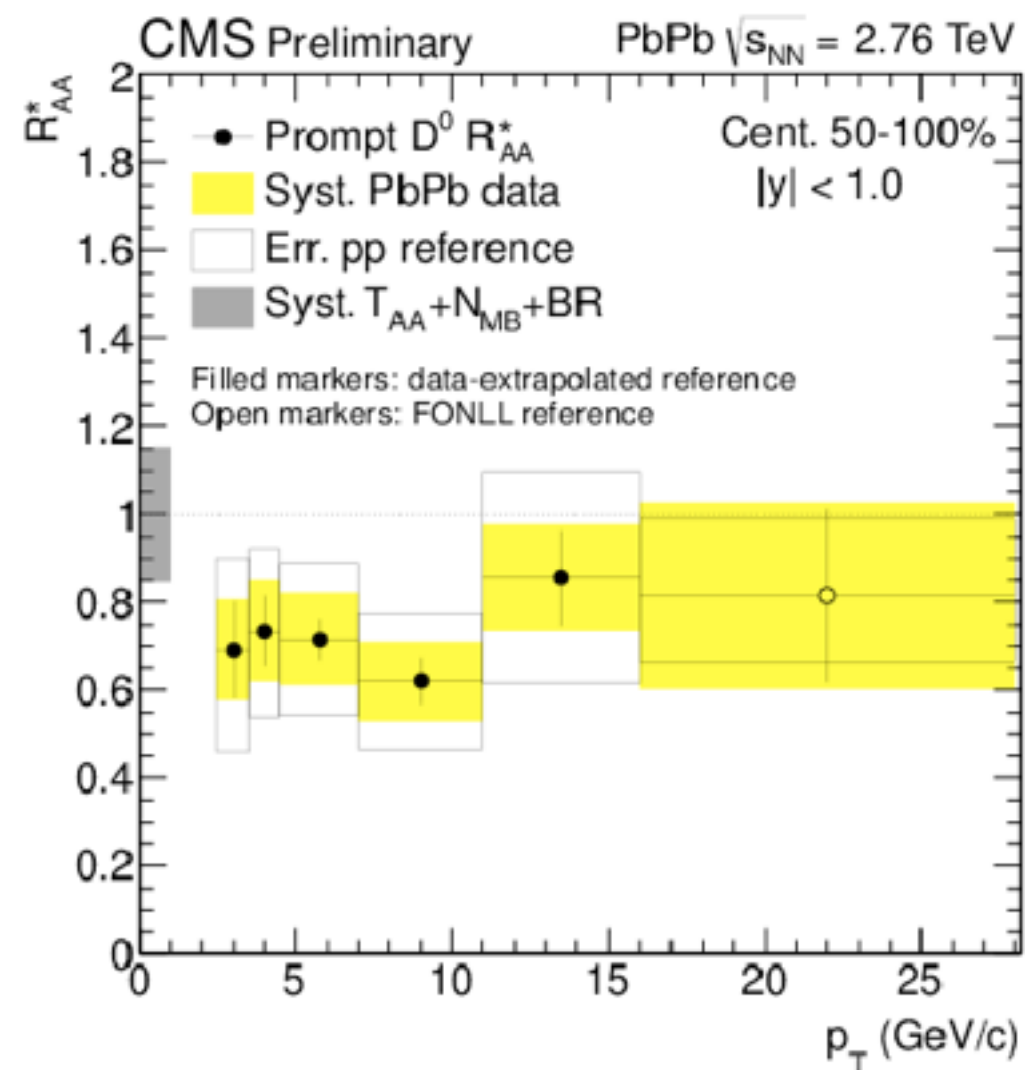
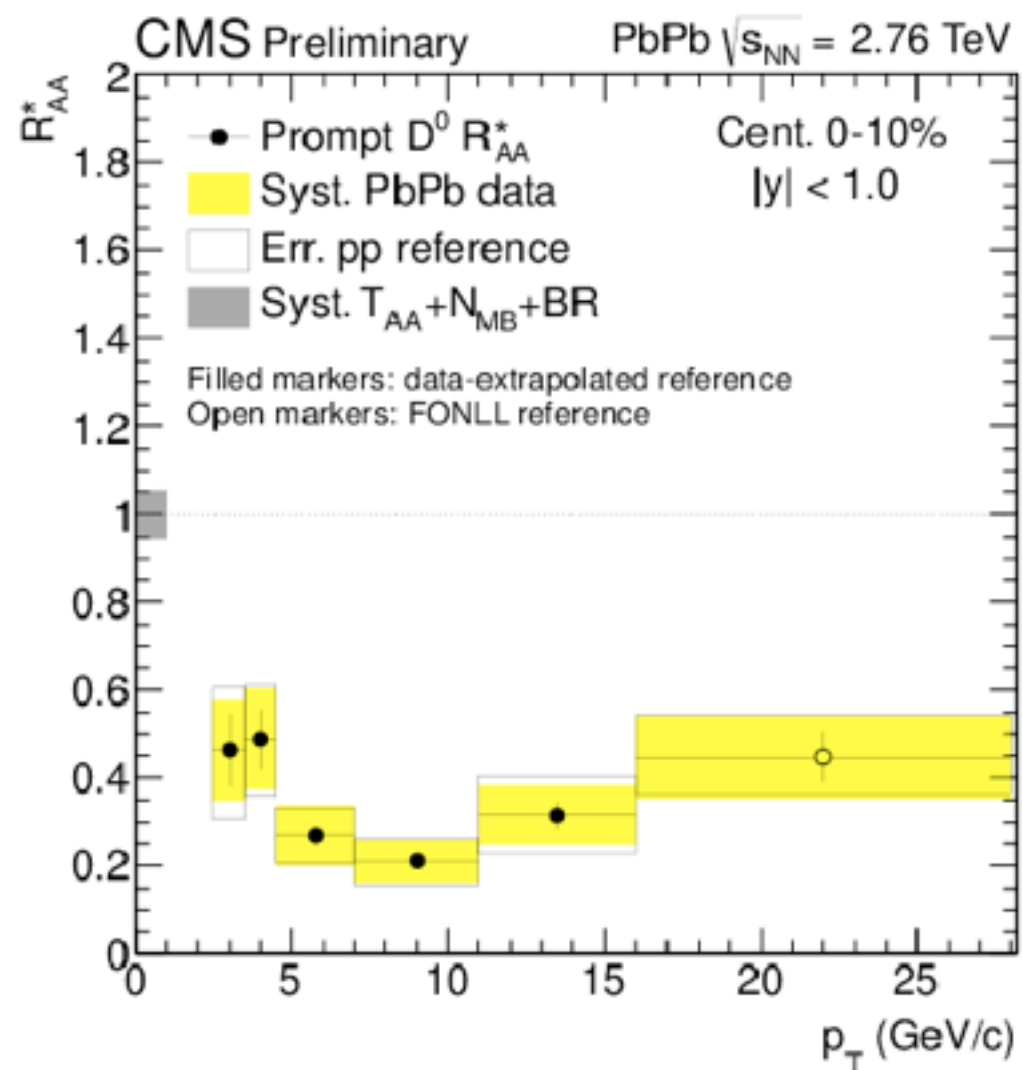
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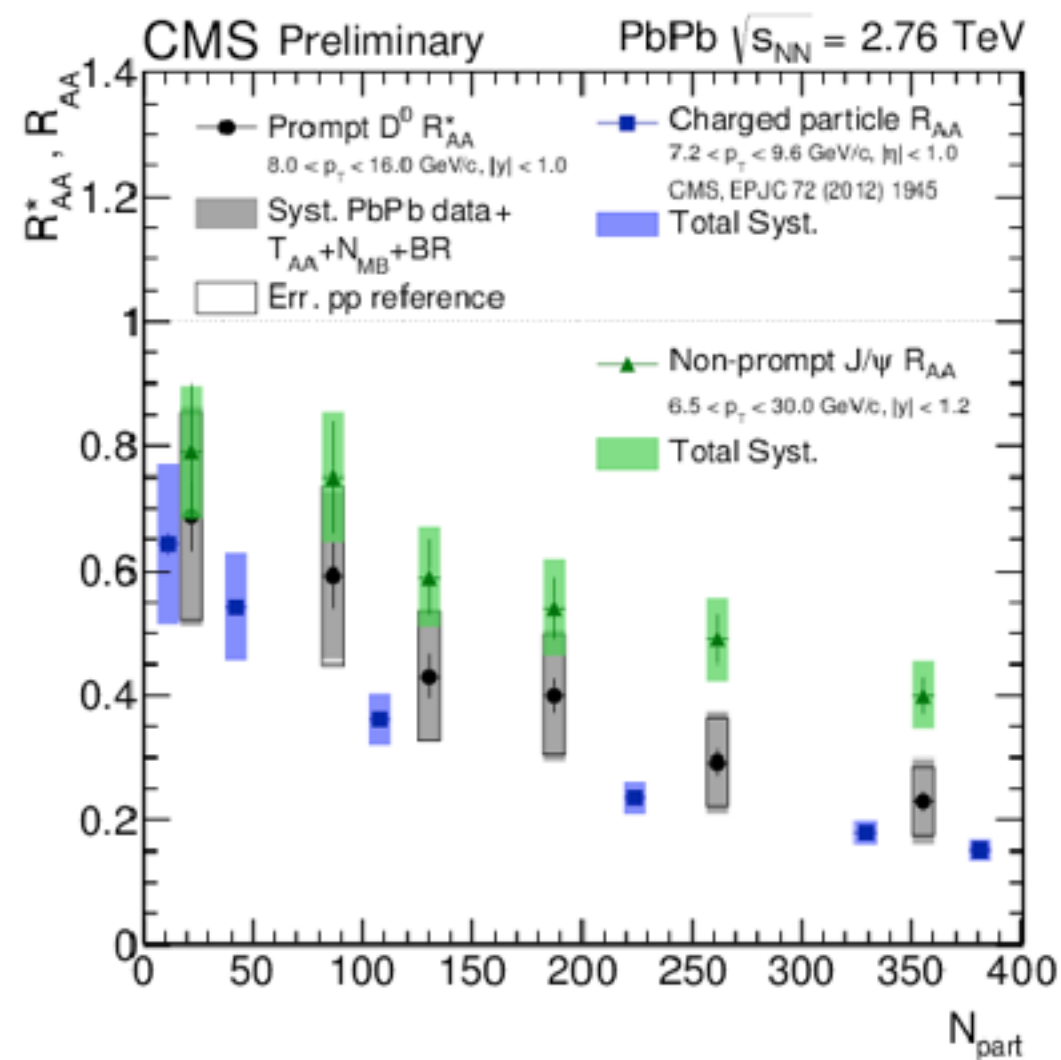
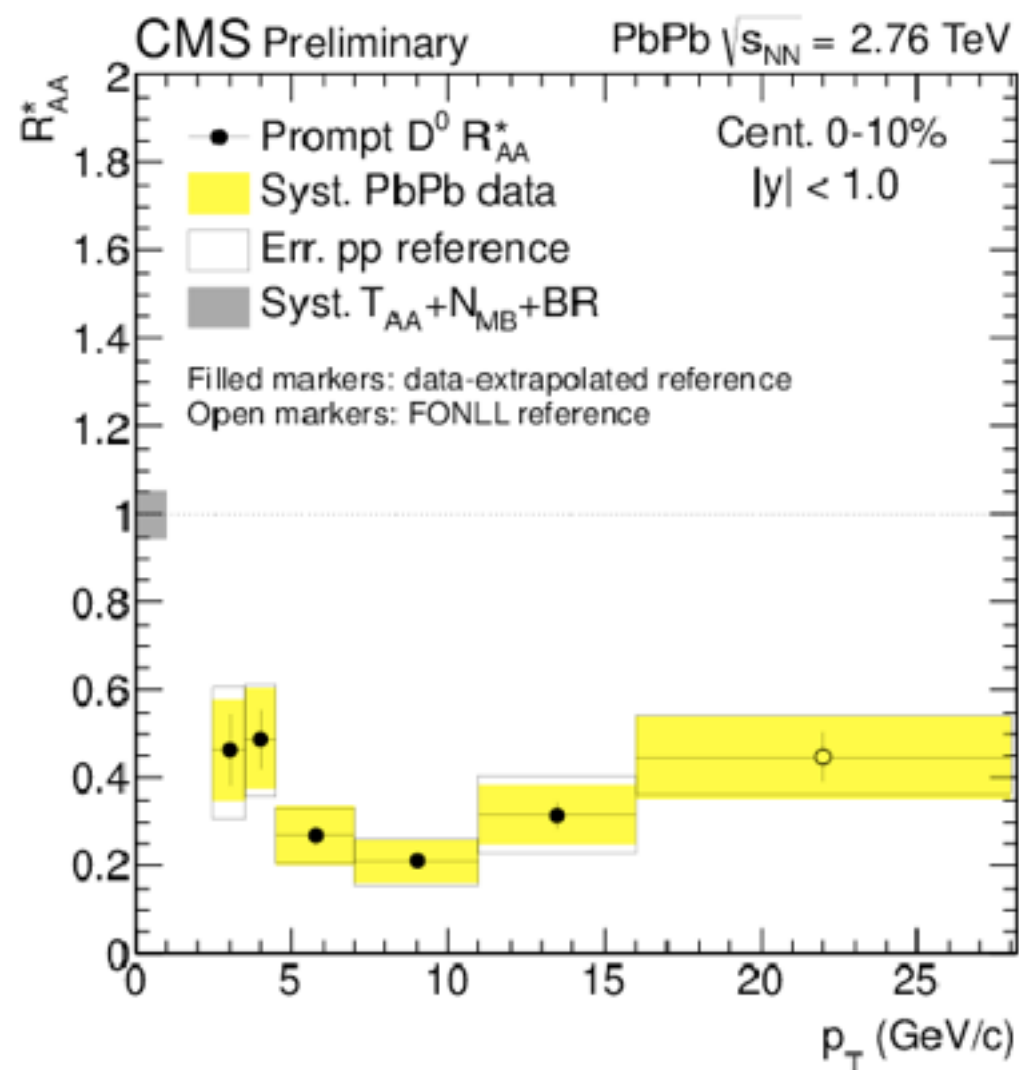
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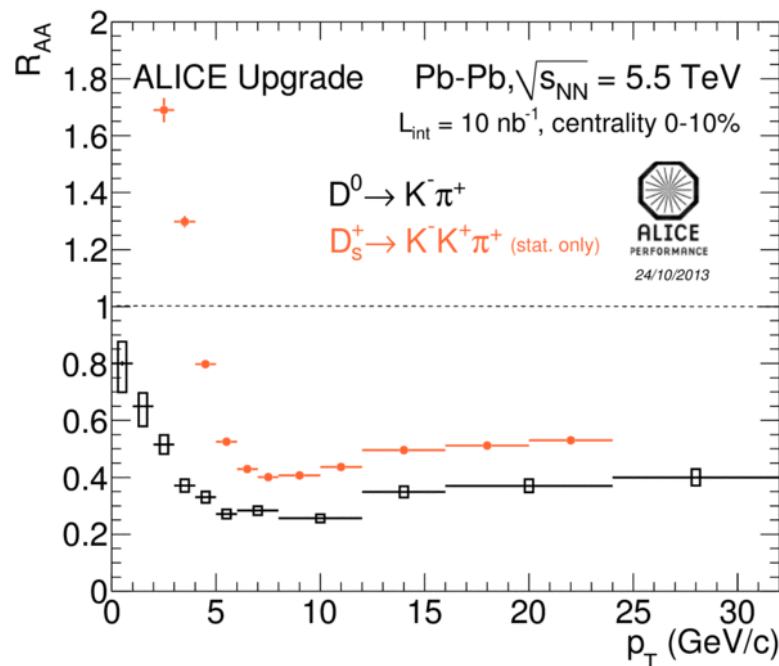
CMS D⁰ results



ITS upgrade: Charm “hadrochemistry”

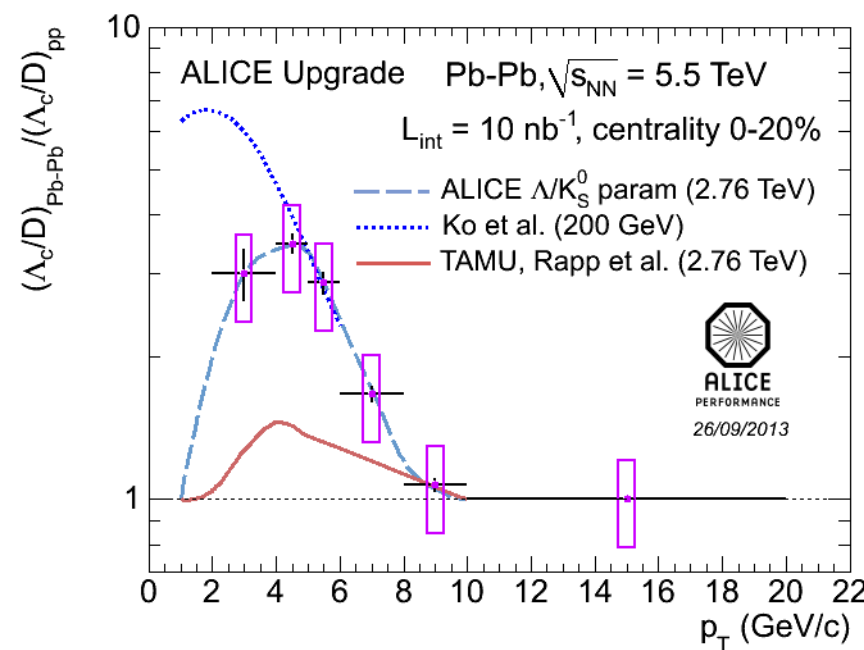
- ▶ $\Lambda_c \rightarrow pK\pi$ and $D_s \rightarrow KK\pi$ ($c\tau=60$ and $150 \mu\text{m}$) will be measured with good precision for $p_T > 2 \text{ GeV}/c$.
- ▶ $\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda_c\pi$ ($c\tau=450 \mu\text{m}$) accessible for $p_T > 7 \text{ GeV}/c$.

D^0 and D_s R_{AA}

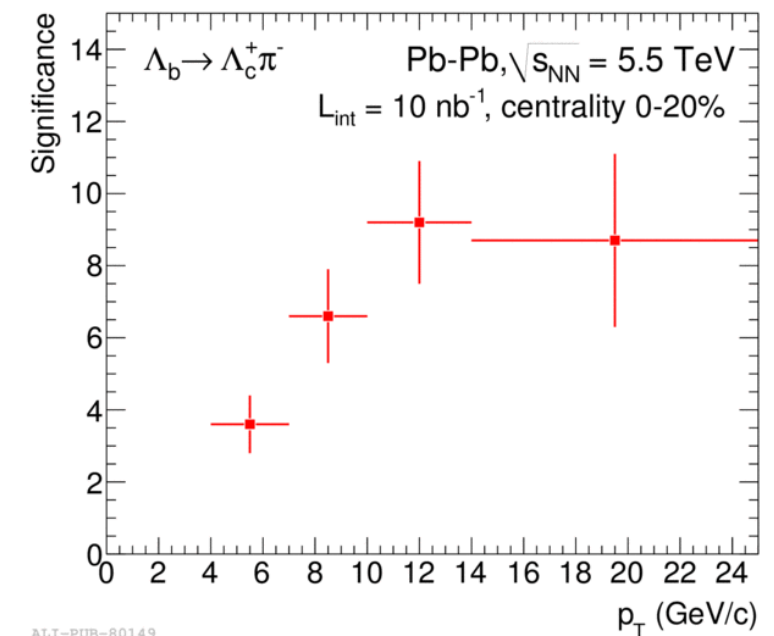


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Λ_c/D “enhancement”

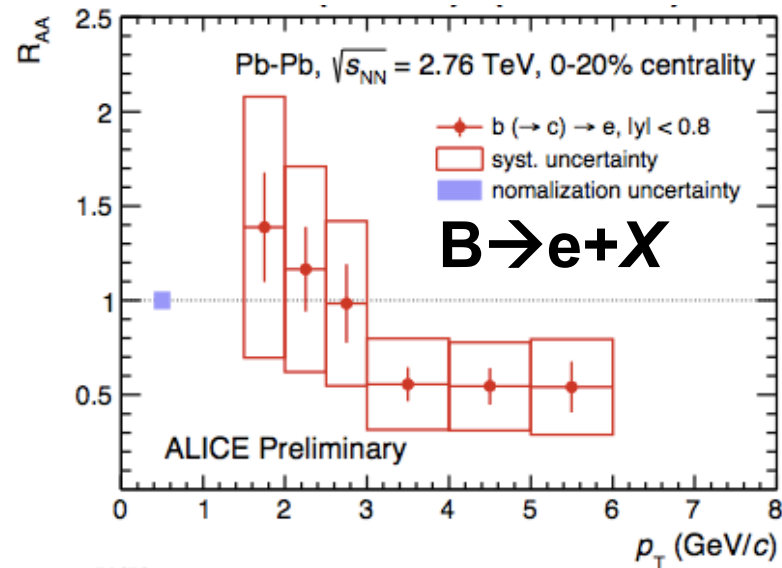


Λ_b significance

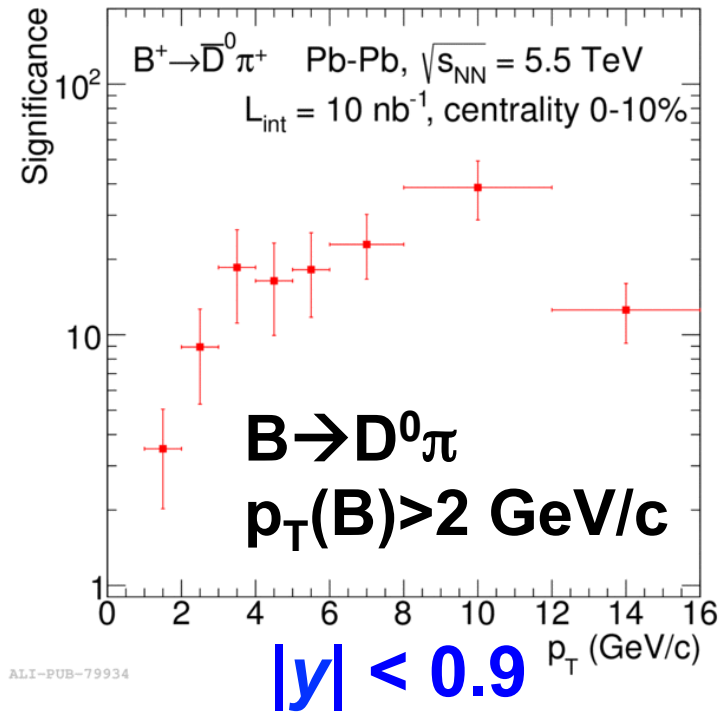


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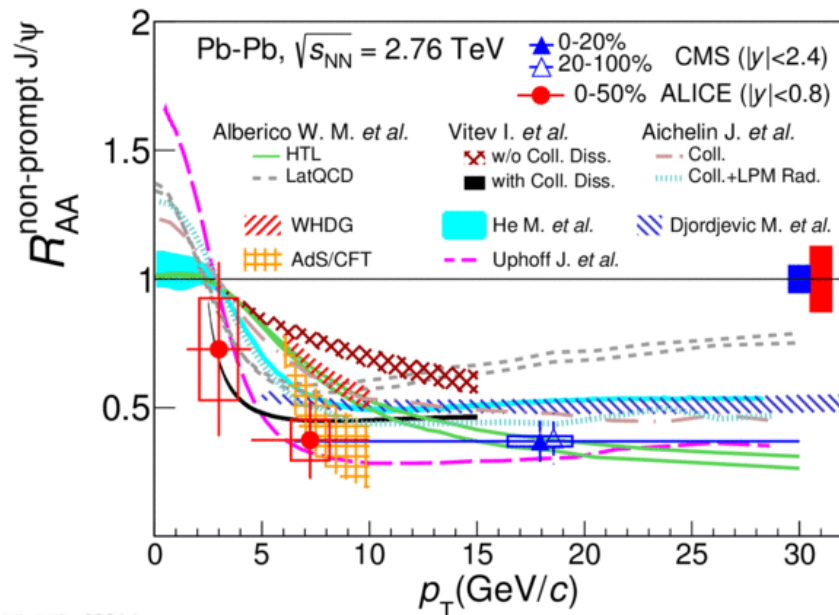
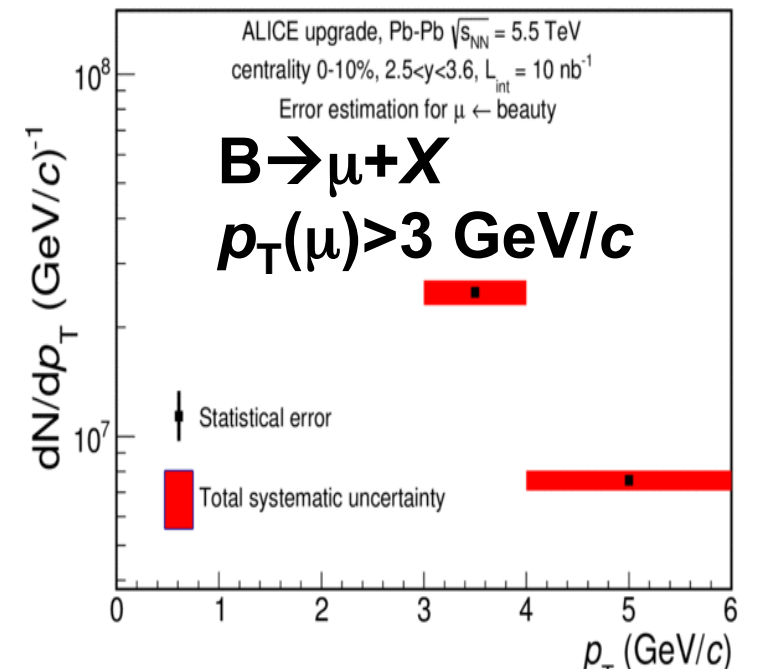
ITS upgrade: Beauty



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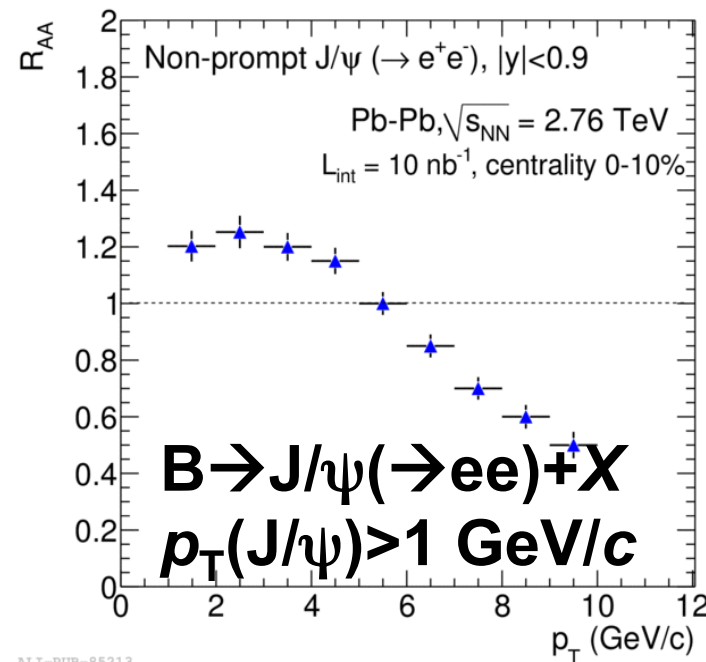


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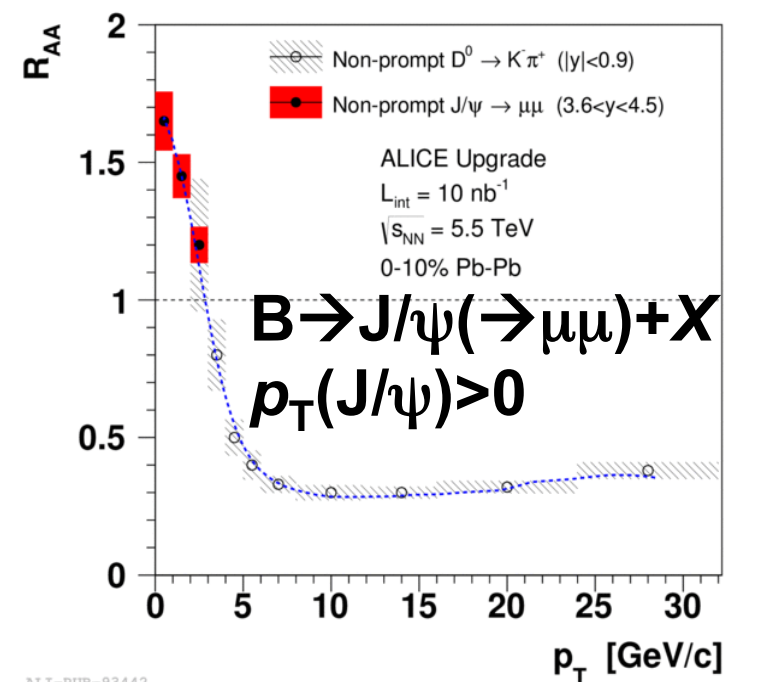


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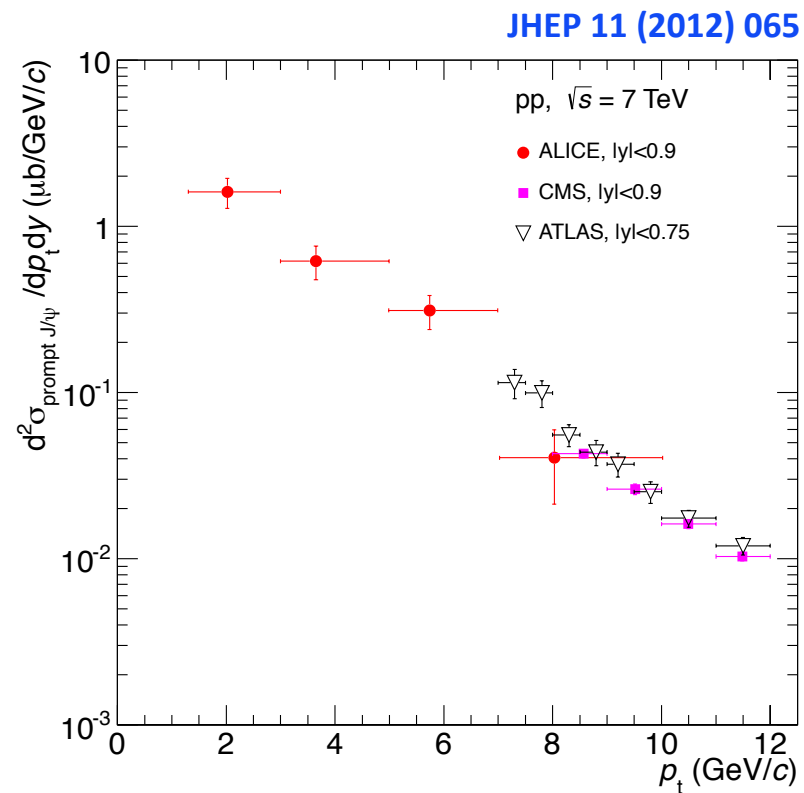
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Beauty production in pp collisions @ $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV

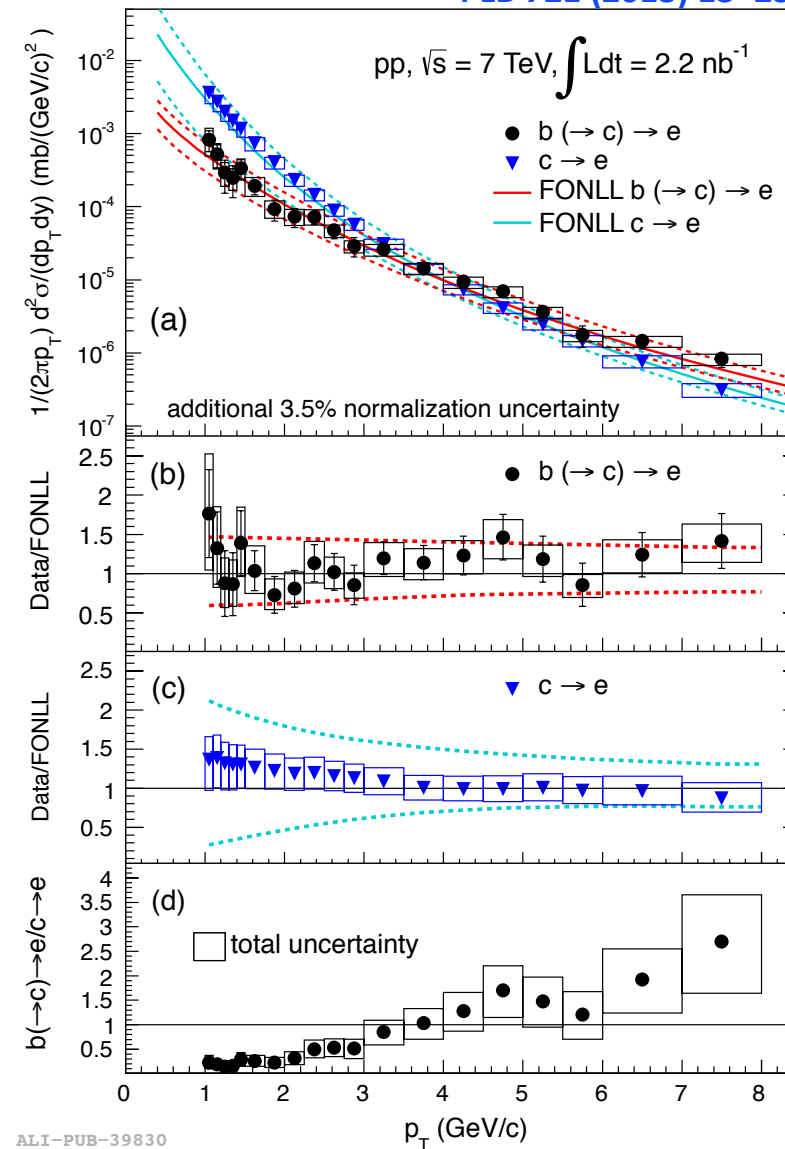
non-prompt J/ ψ



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e from B hadrons decay

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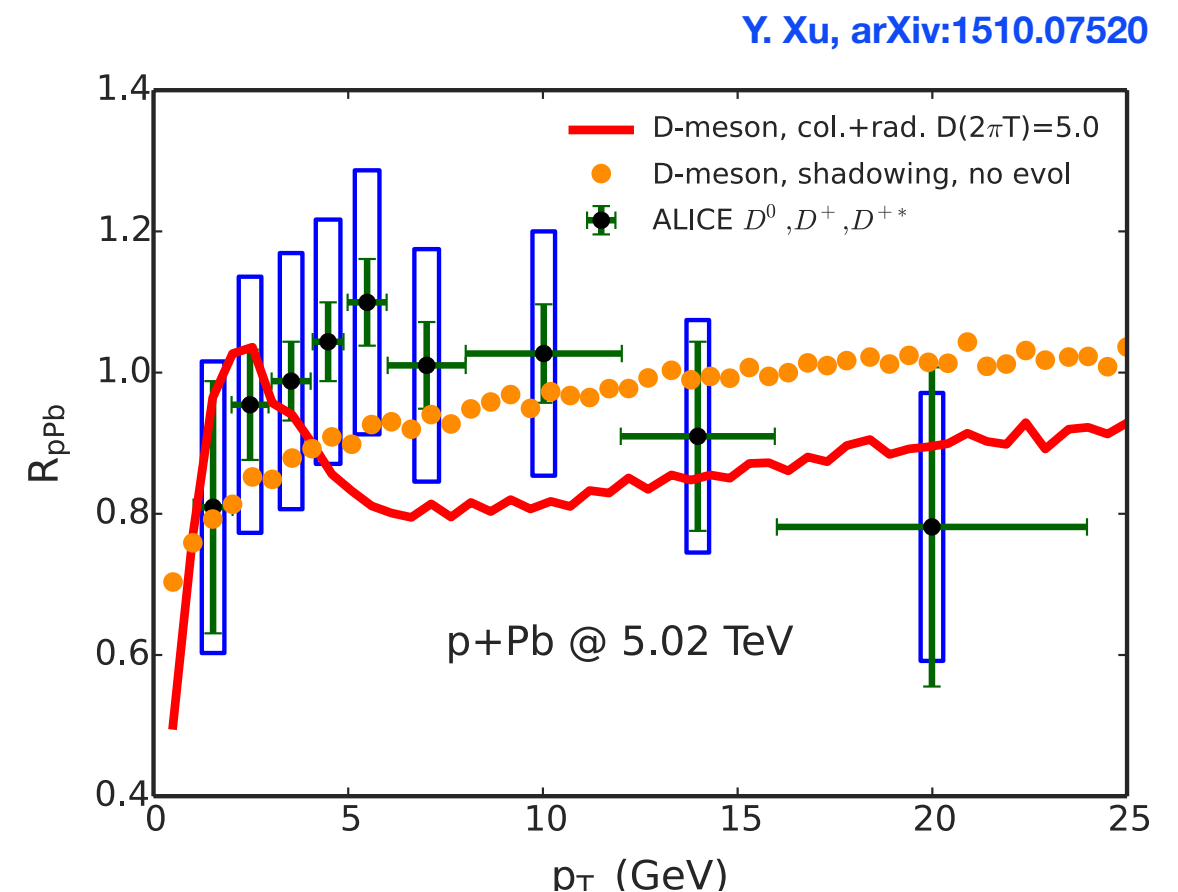


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- pQCD based calculations (FONLL) are compatible with data.
- Beauty production described well by the central value theoretical calculations

D meson in p-Pb collisions

- * **D meson R_{pPb} compatible with unity within uncertainties.**
- * Models that include Cold Nuclear Matter effects describe the data:
 - * **MNR calculation for heavy-flavour production with EPS09 parametrizations of nuclear PDF** Mangano et al., Nucl. Phys. B 373 (1992) 295. Eskola et al., JHEP 0904 (2009) 065
 - * **CGC predictions** Fujii-Watanabe, arXiv:1308.1258
 - * **Vitev: k_T broadening+CNM energy loss** R. Sharma et al., PRC 80 (2009) 054902.
- * Y. Xu et al. (arXiv:1510.07520)
 - * **Shadowing only**
 - * **Shadowing + Energy loss**



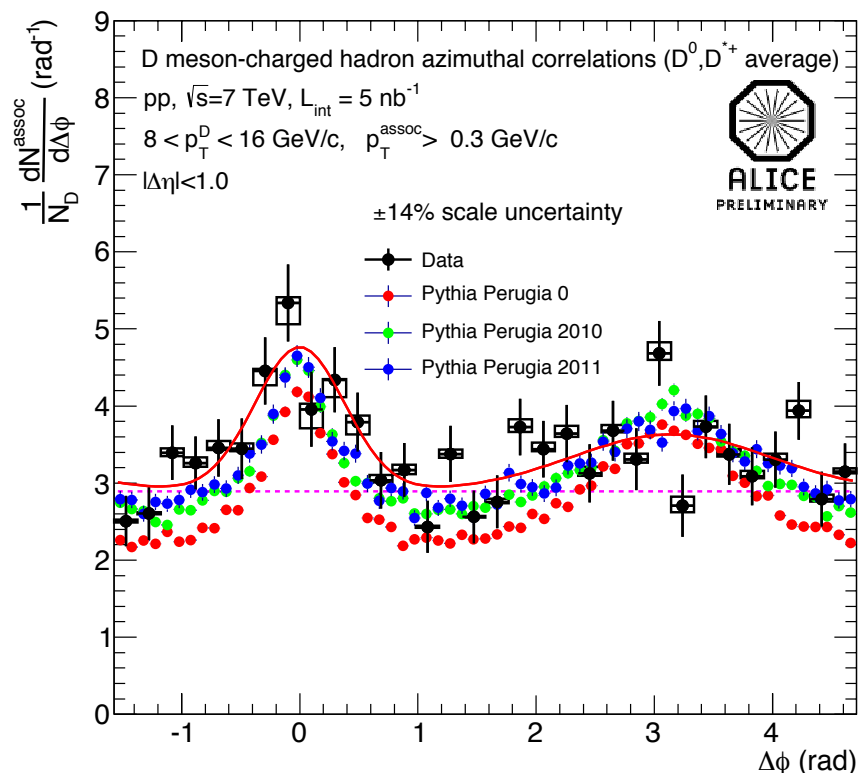
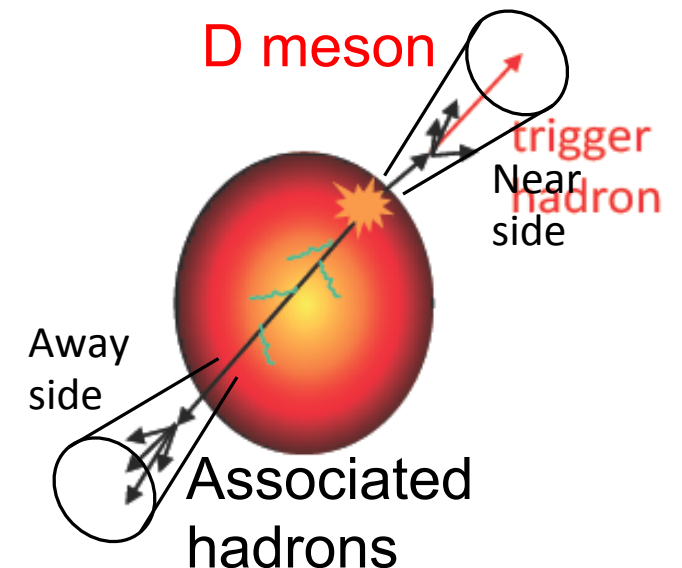
D-hadron correlation in pp @ collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV

Goals:

- * Study charm production mechanism (pp, p-Pb)
- * Address possible modification to charm fragmentation properties and path-length dependence of energy loss (Pb-Pb)

Method:

- * Measure the associated hadron yields in the near and away side regions



$$\frac{1}{N_{trig}} \frac{d^2 N_{assoc}}{d\Delta\varphi d\Delta\eta} = \frac{S(\Delta\varphi, \Delta\eta)}{B(\Delta\varphi, \Delta\eta)}$$

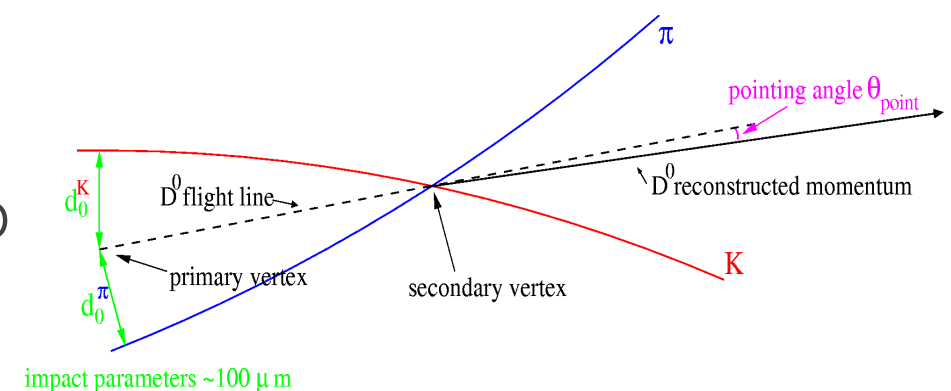
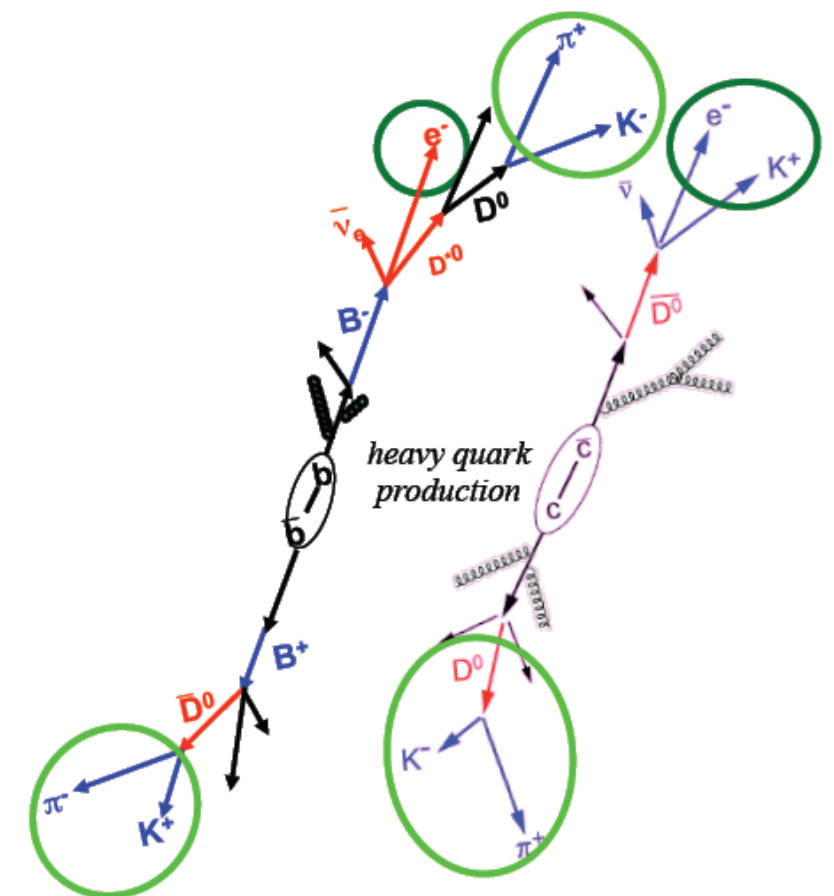
- * Correlation measurements are in agreement with Pythia within large statistical and systematic uncertainties.

- * Precise measurement expected from LHC Run2

How to measure heavy quarks?

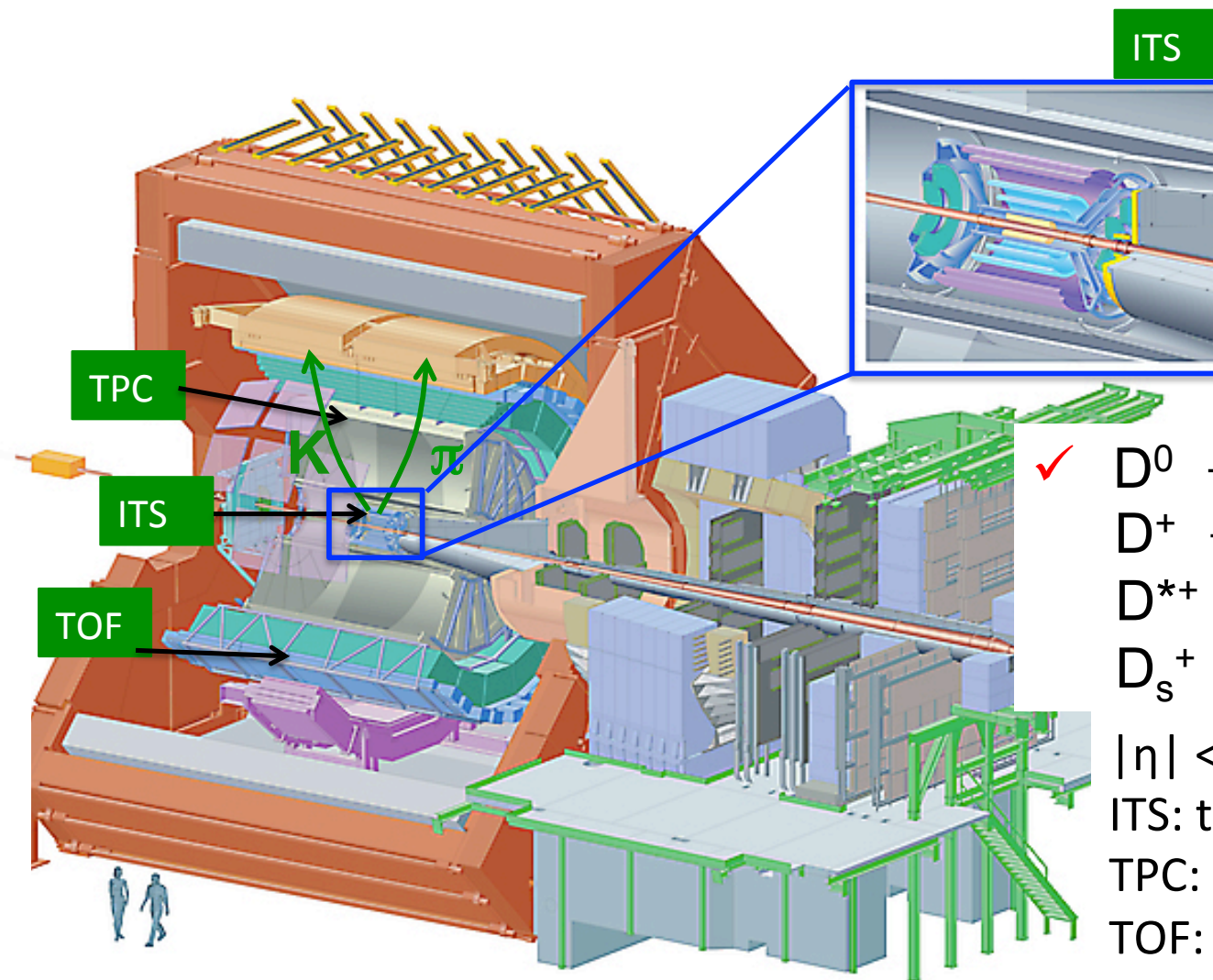
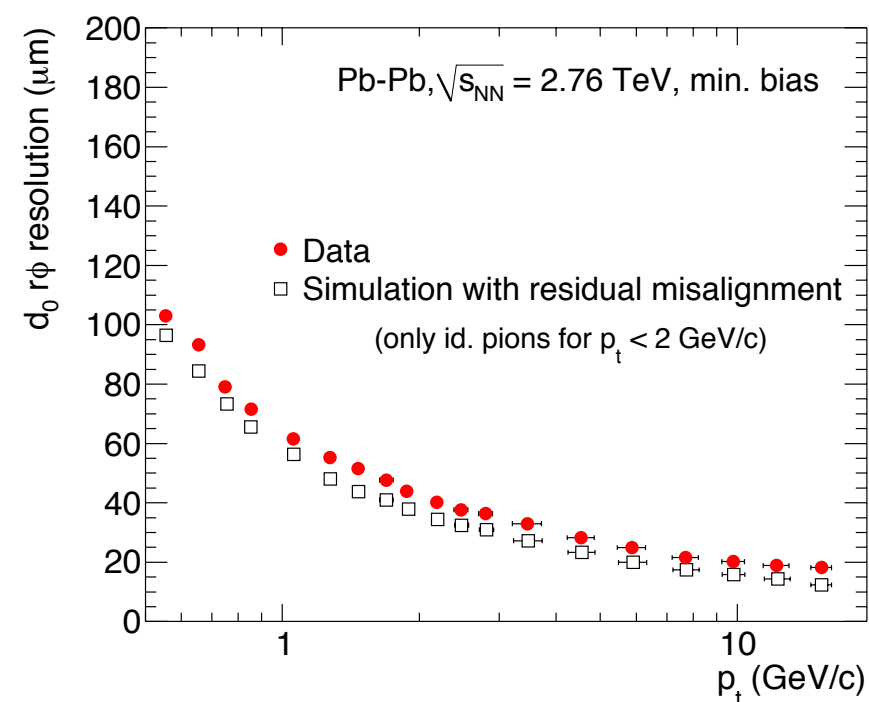
- * Leptons (e , μ) from semileptonic decays of hadrons containing heavy quarks.
 - * Inclusive measurement (i.e. cannot distinguish between charm and beauty decay)
 - * Larger BR for those channels than exclusive reconstruction.
 - * Broad correlation between leptons and hadron.

- * Fully reconstructed D mesons:
 - Exclusive measurement (charm only !)
 - Secondary vertex reconstruction important to reduce the background!
 - Vertex detector !!



D mesons in ALICE

- * Displaced vertex topology used in the reconstruction.
- * Inner Tracking System with 6 Si layers: two pixels layers at 3.9 and 7 cm

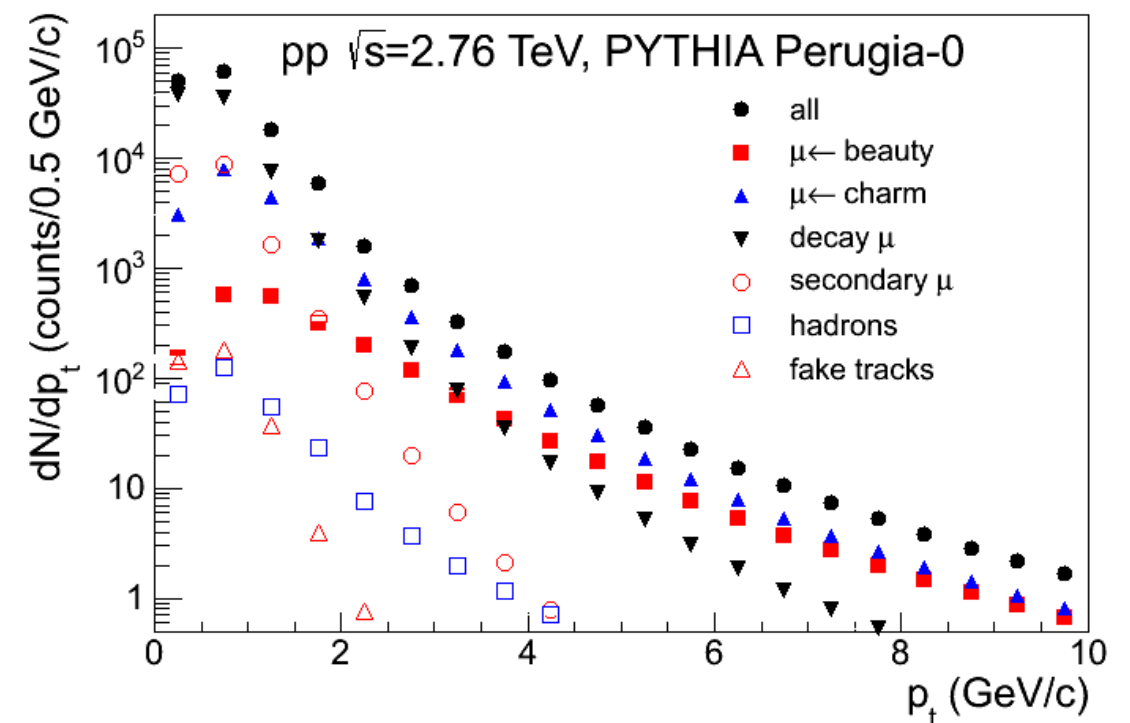


- ✓ $D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+$
- $D^+ \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ \pi^+$
- $D^{*+} \rightarrow D^0 \pi^+$
- $D_s^+ \rightarrow \phi \pi^+ \rightarrow K^- K^+ \pi^+$
- $|\eta| < 0.9$
- ITS: tracking, vertexing
- TPC: tracking, PID
- TOF: K-ID

- * Impact parameter resolution $\sim 60 \mu\text{m}$ for $p_T = 1$ GeV/c

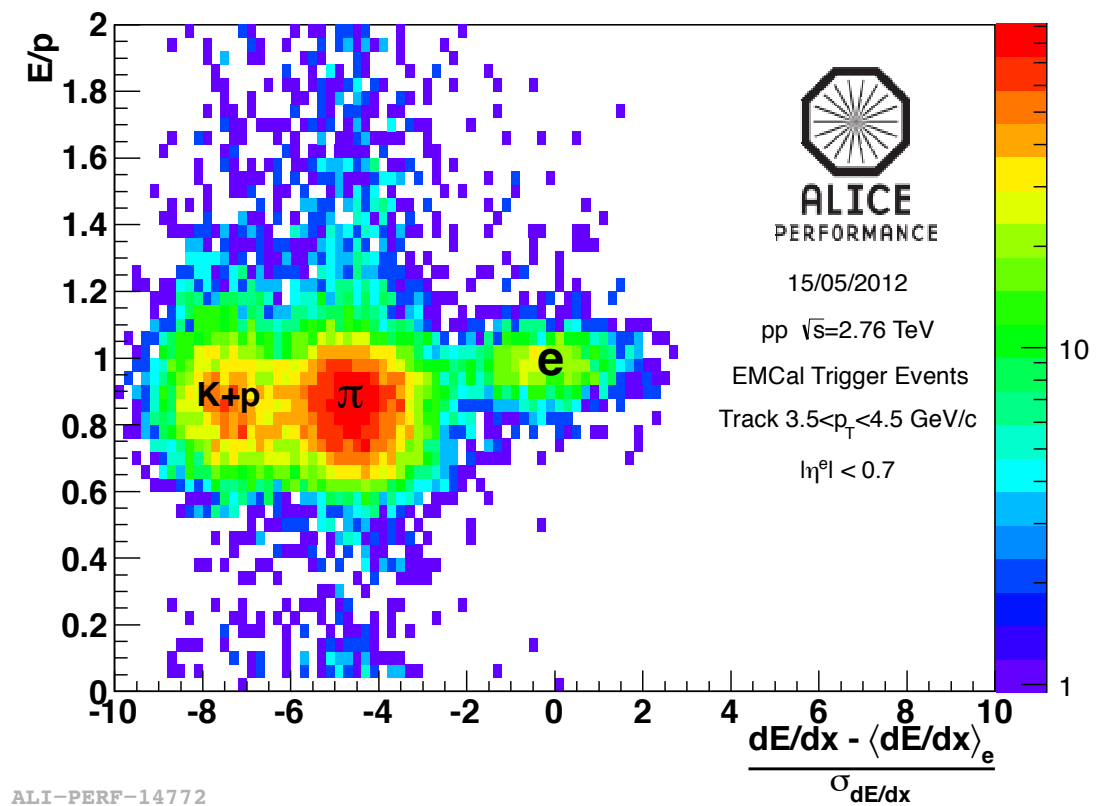
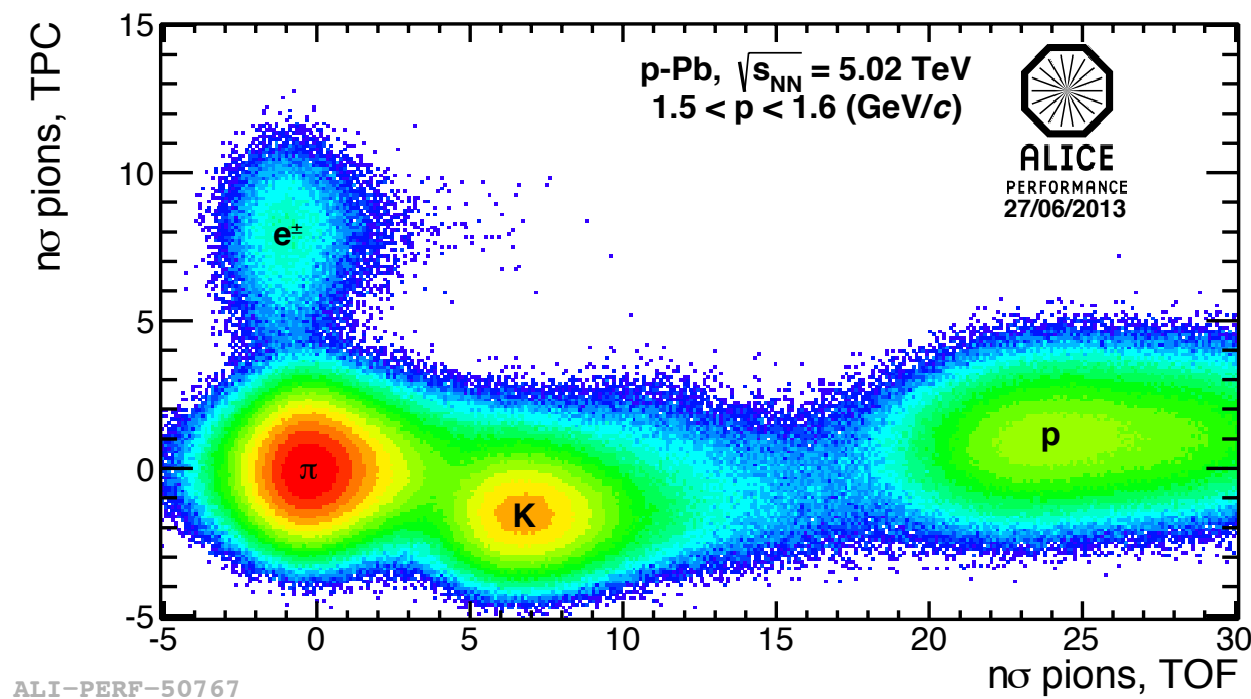
μ reconstruction in ALICE

- * μ -defined as matched tracks with tracklet in the trigger chambers
- remove punch-through hadrons
- * Cut on the $p \times \text{DCA}$ reject tracks from beam-gas interaction
- * Background subtraction:
 - * background contribution decreases with $p_T \rightarrow$ measurement for $p_T > 2 \text{ GeV}/c$
 - * Main source: muon from pions and kaons decays
 - * Subtracting using MC simulation as input (Pythia, Phojet)



e-ID in ALICE

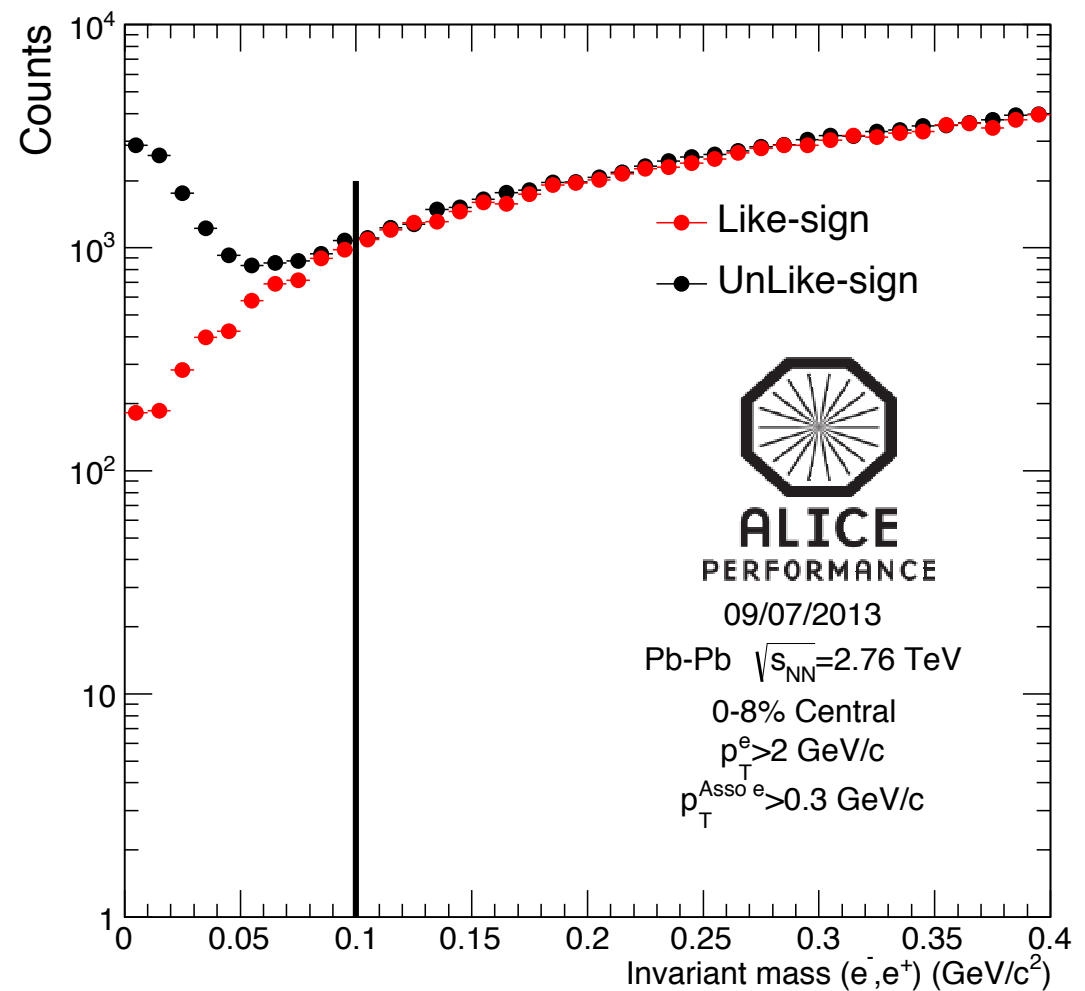
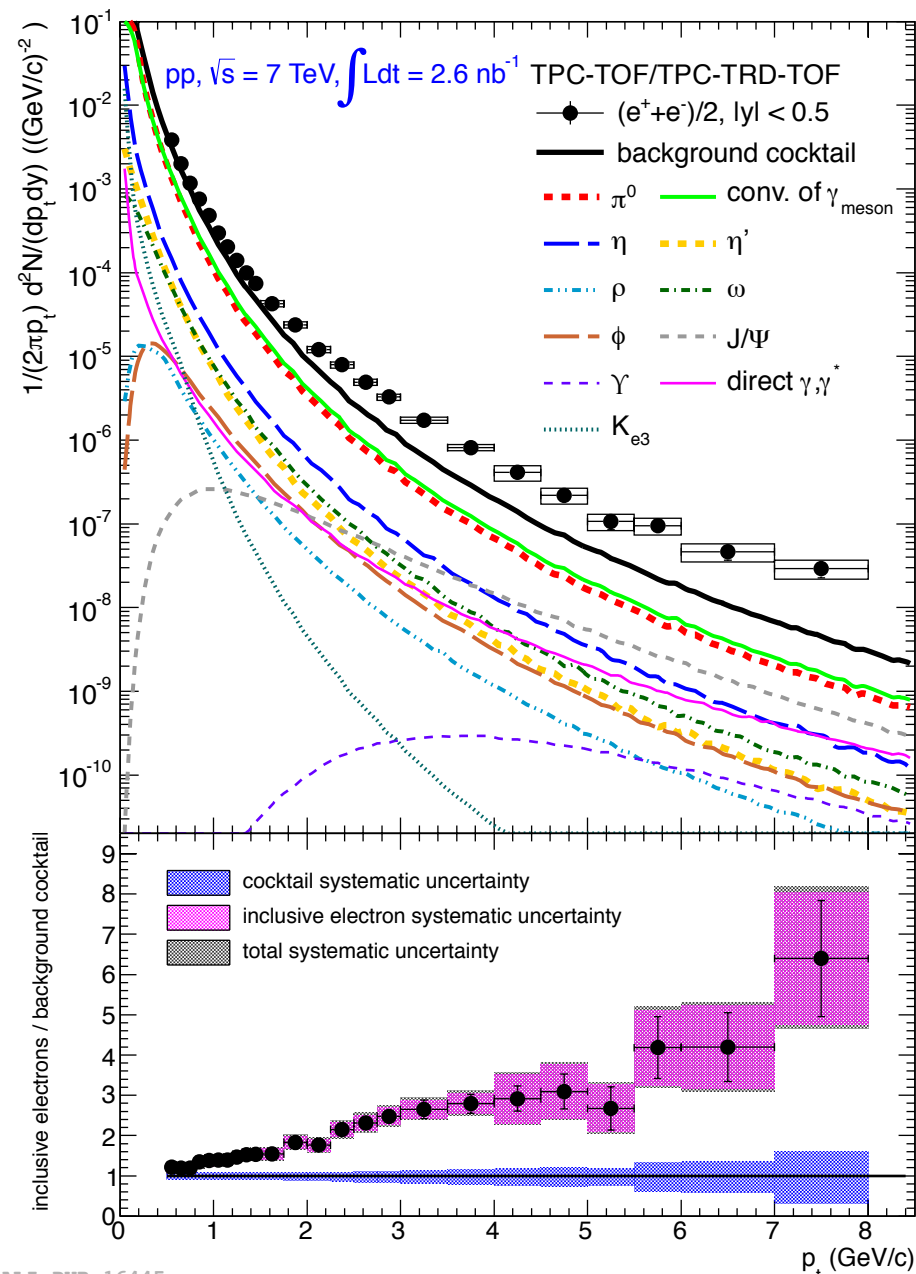
- ✧ TPC (dE/dx) + TOF + TRD
- ✧ TPC (dE/dx) + EMCAL



e reconstruction in ALICE

*Background subtraction:

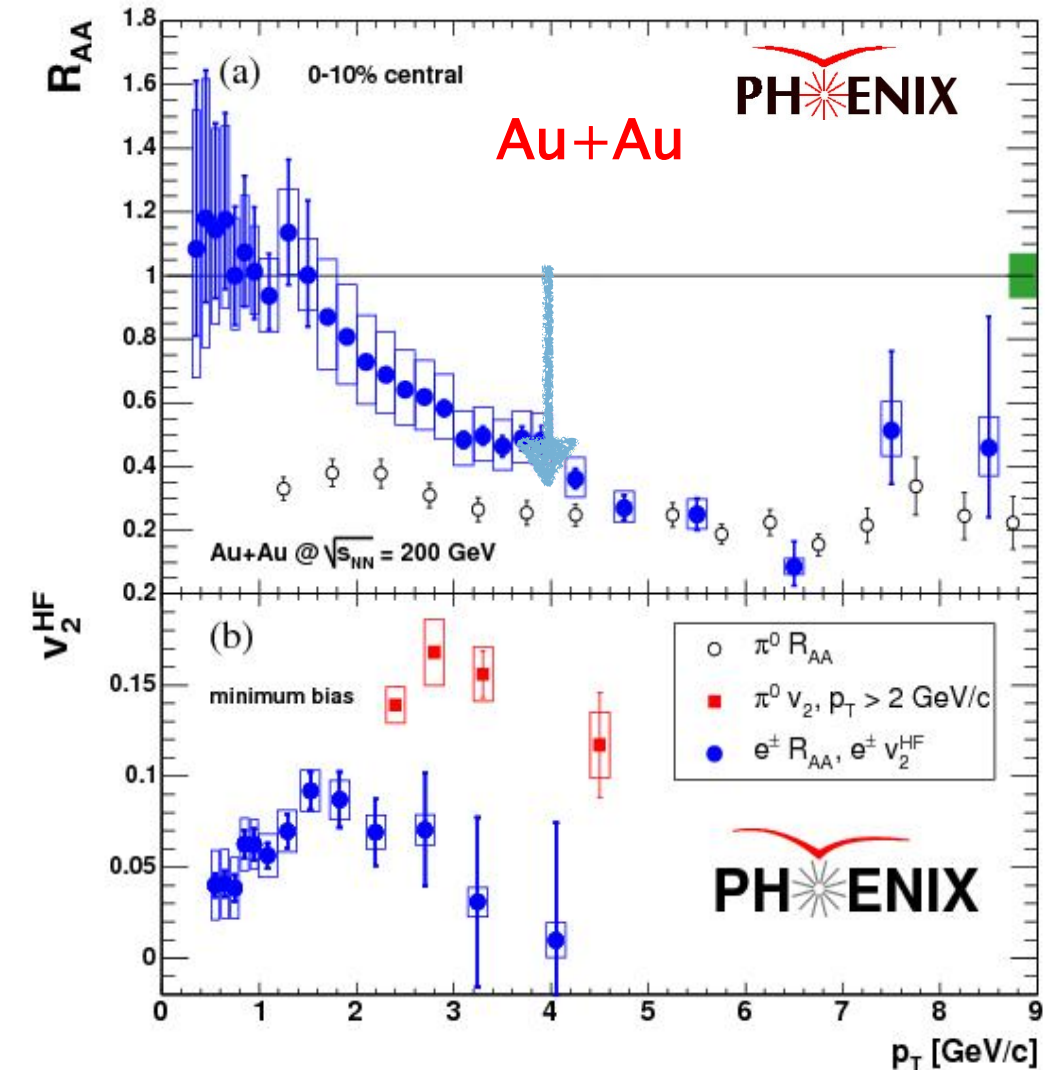
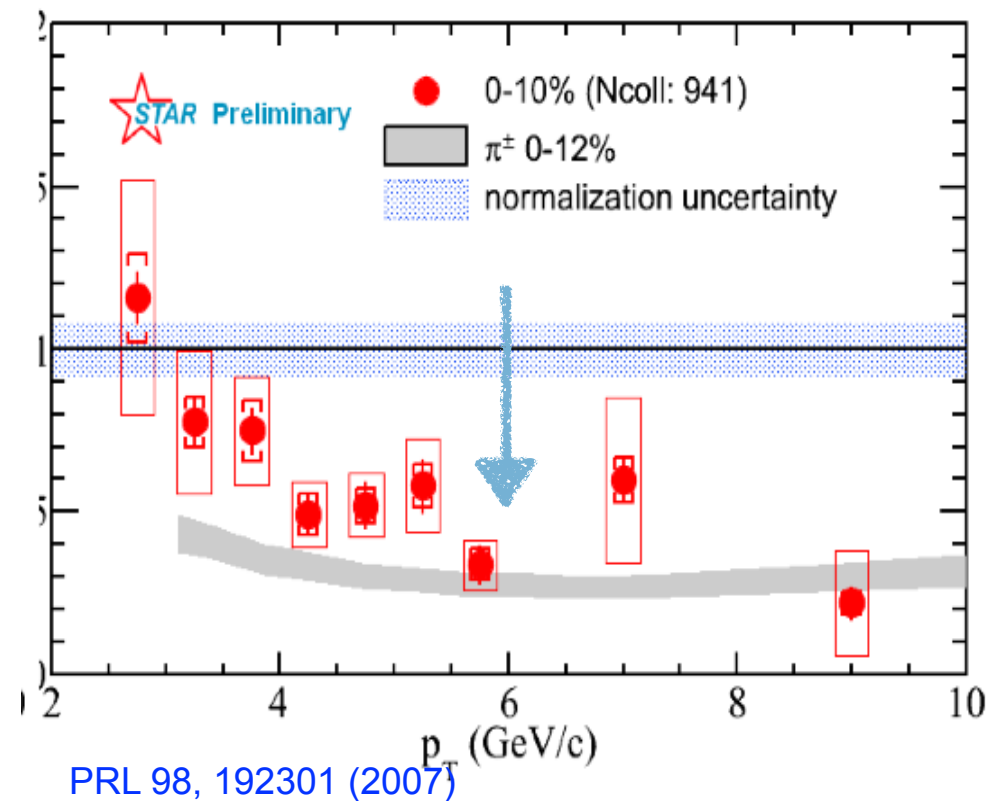
- *cocktail method : MC hadron generator for different background sources
- * e^+e^- invariant mass method to remove Dalitz decay and photon conversion



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HF electrons @ RHIC

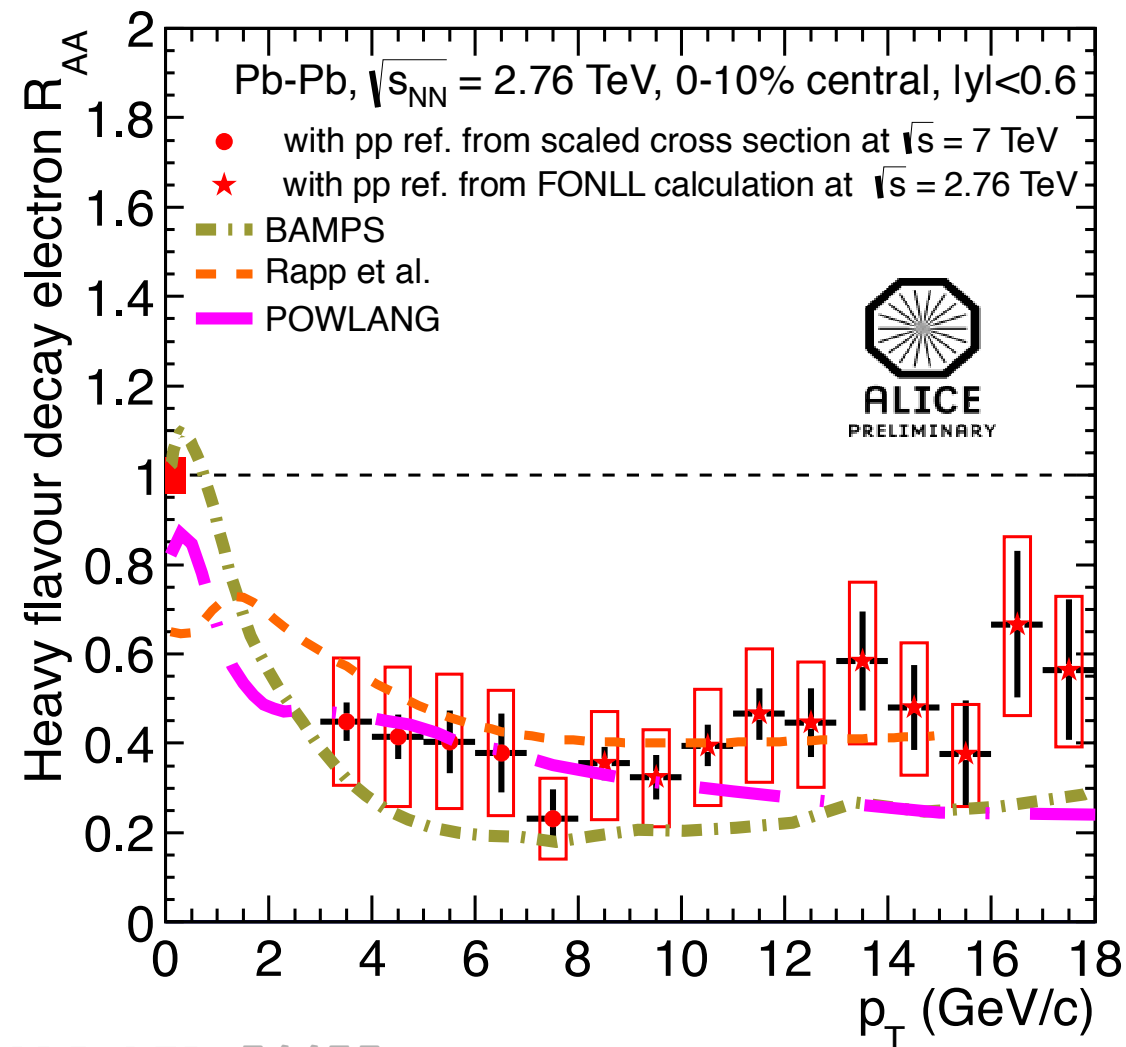
* Inclusive measurement (c+b) using electrons



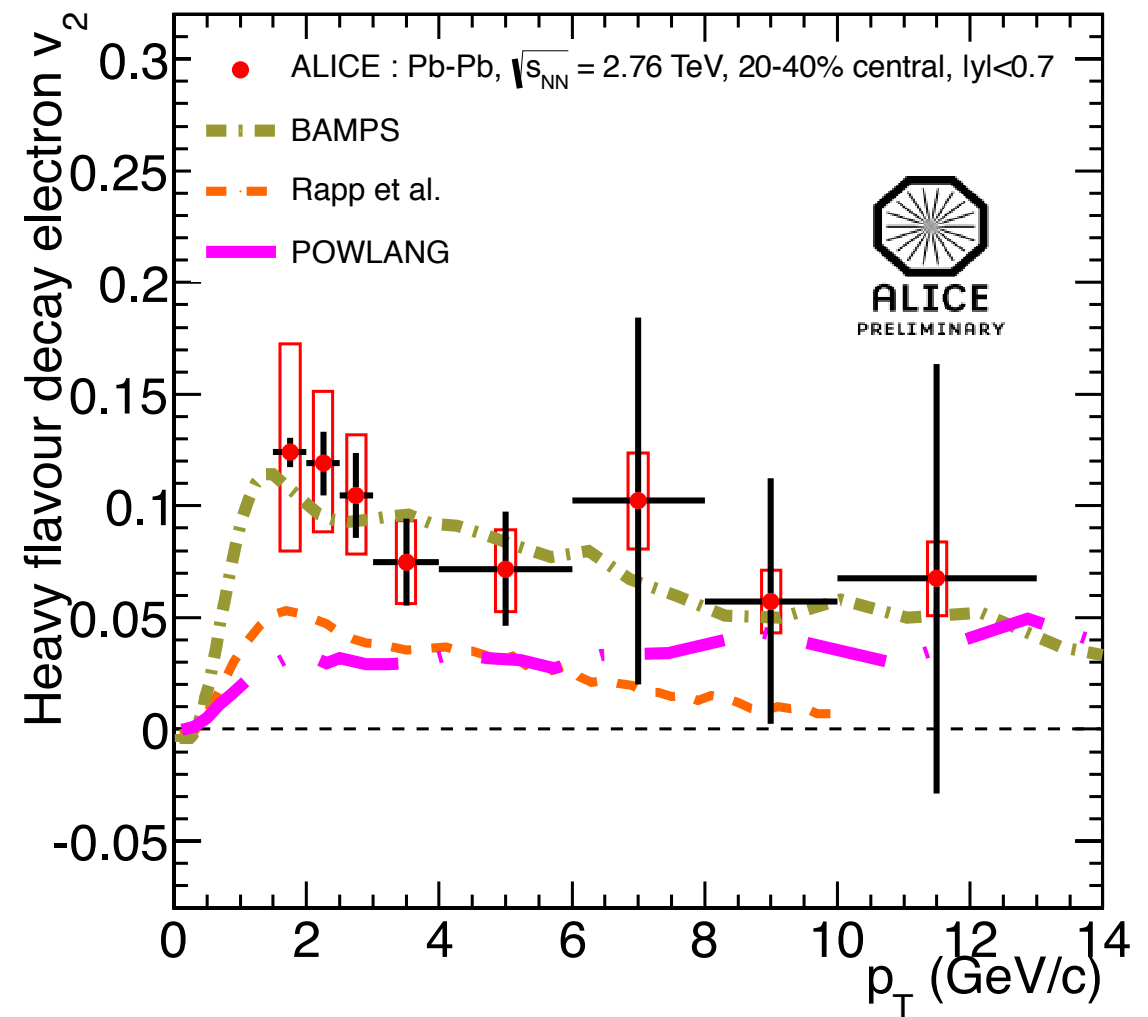
PHENIX, PRC 84, 044905 (2011)

- * Same suppression as for light-flavour hadrons above 5 GeV/c
- * Smaller suppression at 2-3 GeV/c but cannot conclude on mass effects.

HF e comparison with models



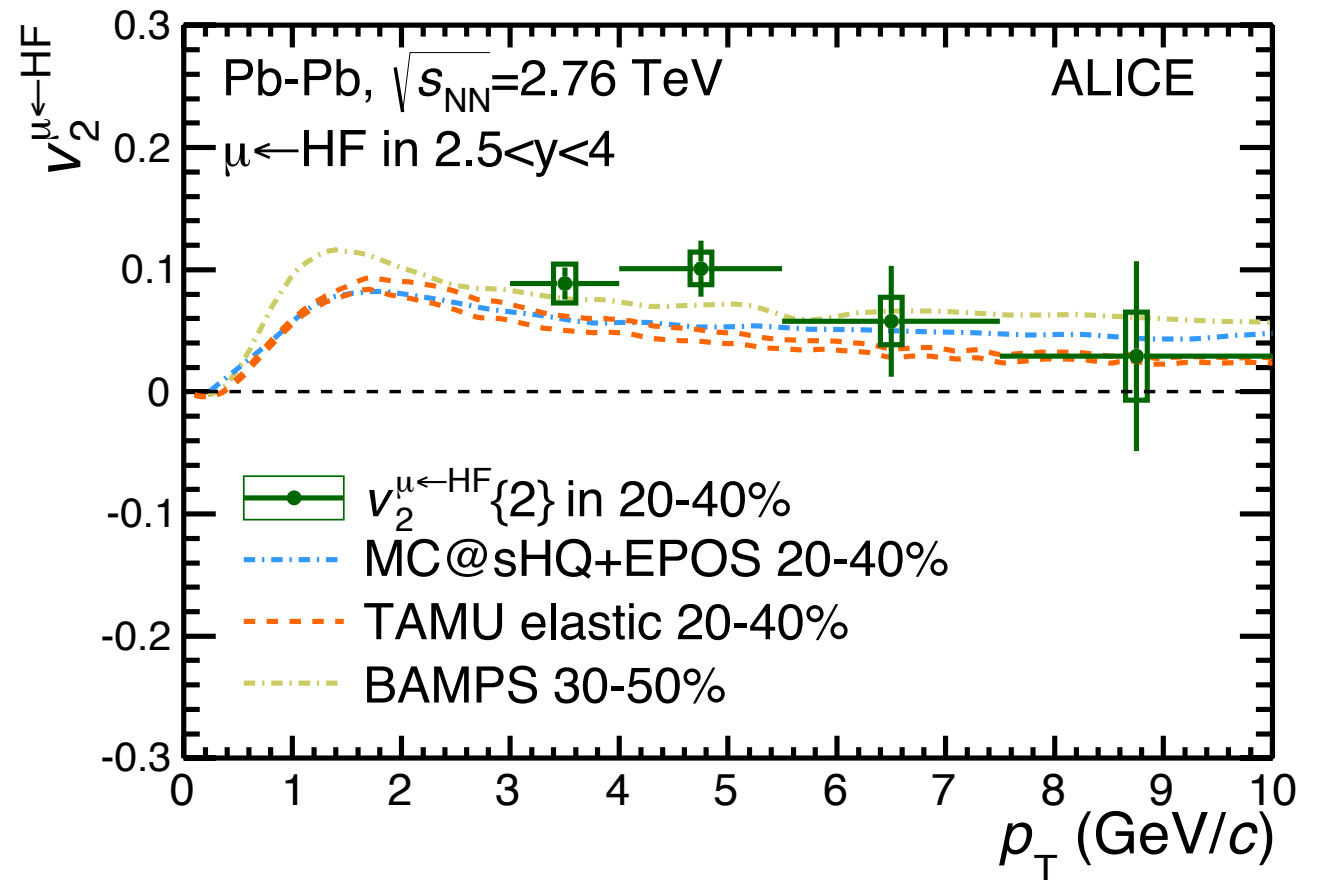
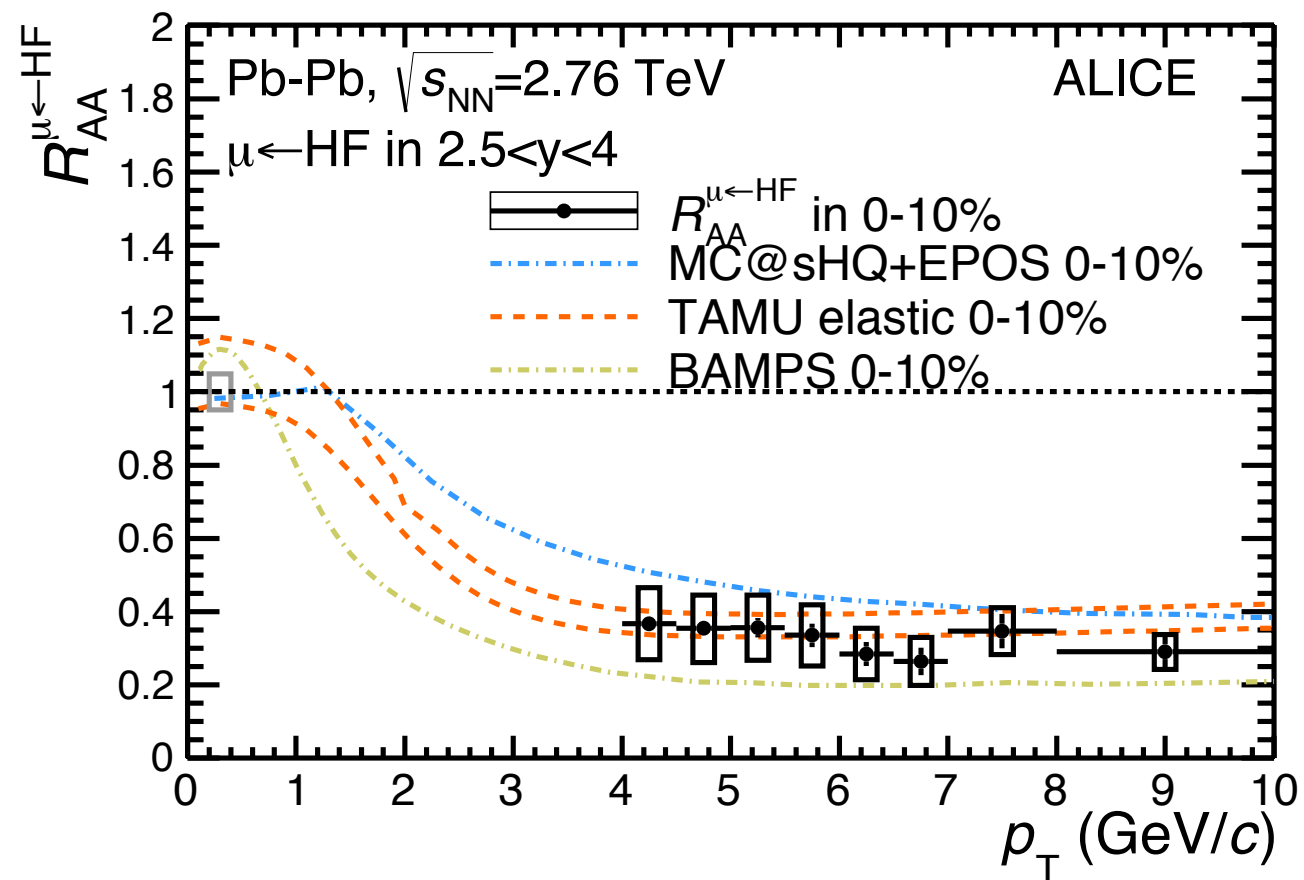
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POWLANG W. M. Alberico et al. Eur. Phys. J. C 71

HF μ comparison with models



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D mesons: systematic uncertainties

Cross section systematic uncertainties

p_T interval (GeV/c)	1–2	16–24
<i>Data systematics</i>		
Yield extraction	8%	11%
Correction for reflections	3%	4%
Tracking efficiency	6%	6%
Cut efficiency	8%	5%
PID efficiency	0	0
D^0 p_T distribution in MC	2%	0
B feed-down yield	$+5^{+0}_{-47}\%$	$+4^{+0}_{-9}\%$
Total	$+14^{+0}_{-49}\%$	$+15^{+0}_{-17}\%$

R_{pPb} systematic uncertainties

p_T interval (GeV/c)	1–2	16–24
B feed-down yield	$+1.3^{+0}_{-7.4}\%$	$+4.3^{+0}_{-10.8}\%$
pp reference	21%	$+31^{+0}_{-42}\%$
Total	$+25^{+0}_{-26}\%$	$+34^{+0}_{-45.6}\%$

D mesons vs multiplicity

✓ Multi-Parton Interactions at the LHC ?

- ✓ MPIs are expected to play an important role at LHC energies:

- ✓ CMS measurement of jets and underlying events show a better agreement with models including MPIs

[Eur. Phys. J C73 \(2013\) 2674](#)

- ✓ ALICE measurement of mini-jets shows an increase of MPI contribution with increasing charged particle multiplicity

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✓ MPIs and heavy-flavour ?

- ✓ NA27 measured that events with charm production have larger charged particle multiplicity (pp collisions, $\sqrt{s} = 28$ GeV)

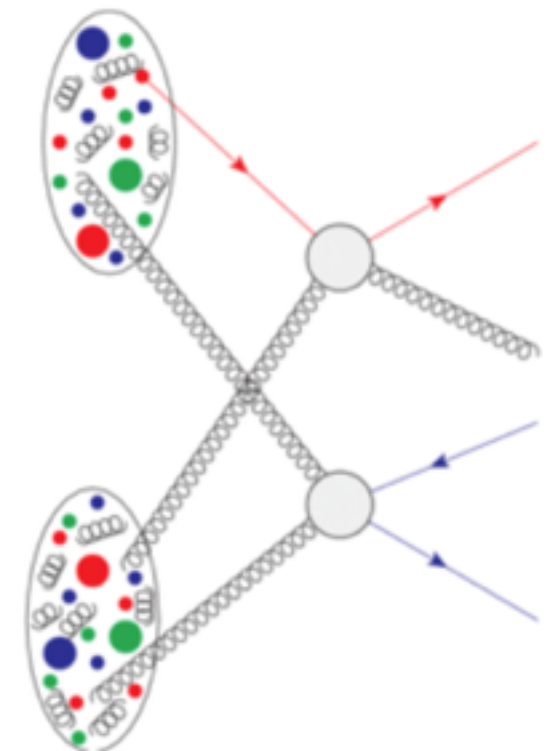
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- ✓ LHCb measured double charm production that shows a better agreement with models including double parton scattering

[J. High Energy Phys., 06 \(2012\) 141](#)

- ✓ ALICE measured an increase of J/ψ yield vs multiplicity

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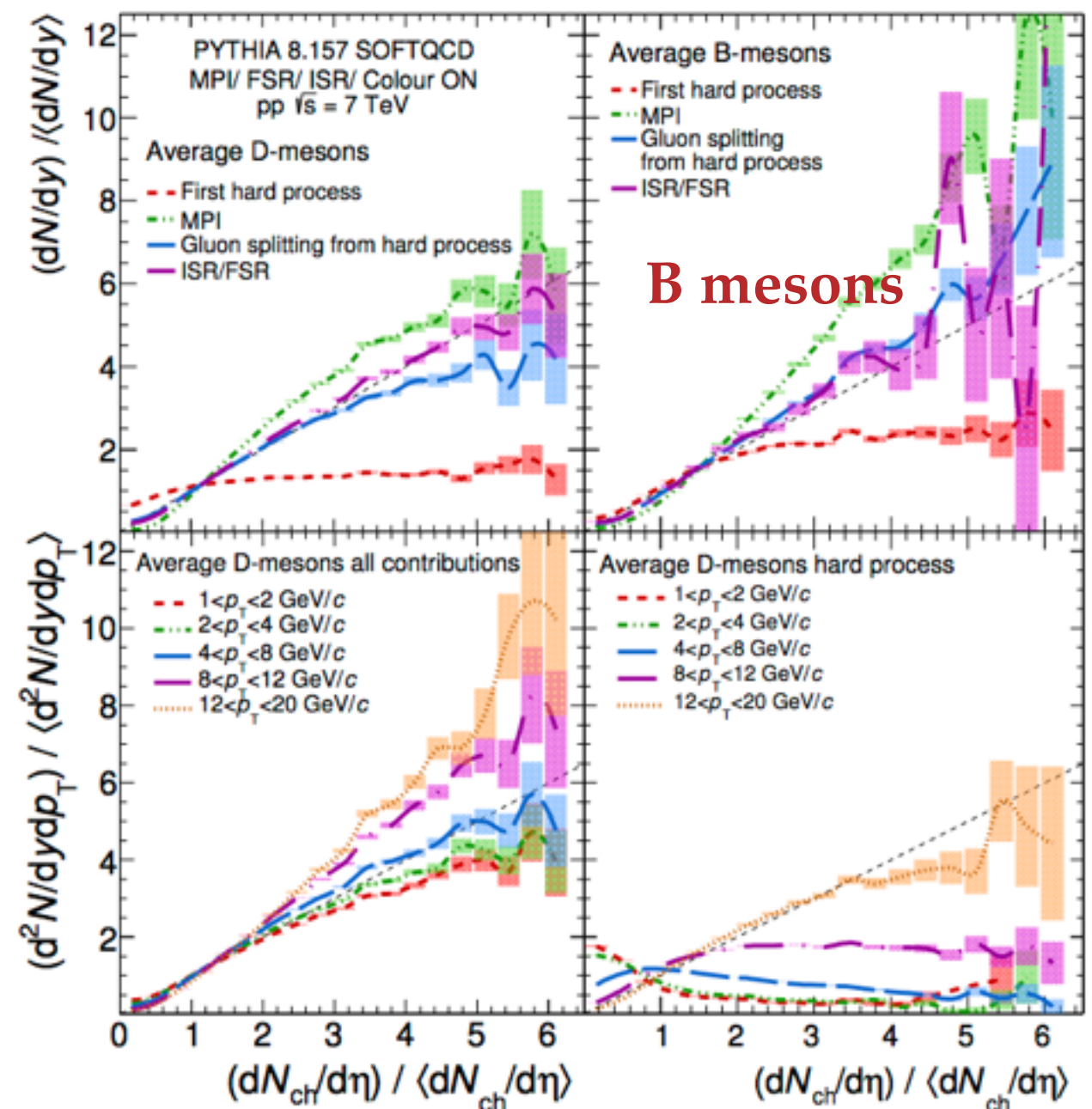


HF vs mult in pp

PYTHIA mechanisms of HF production:

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D mesons



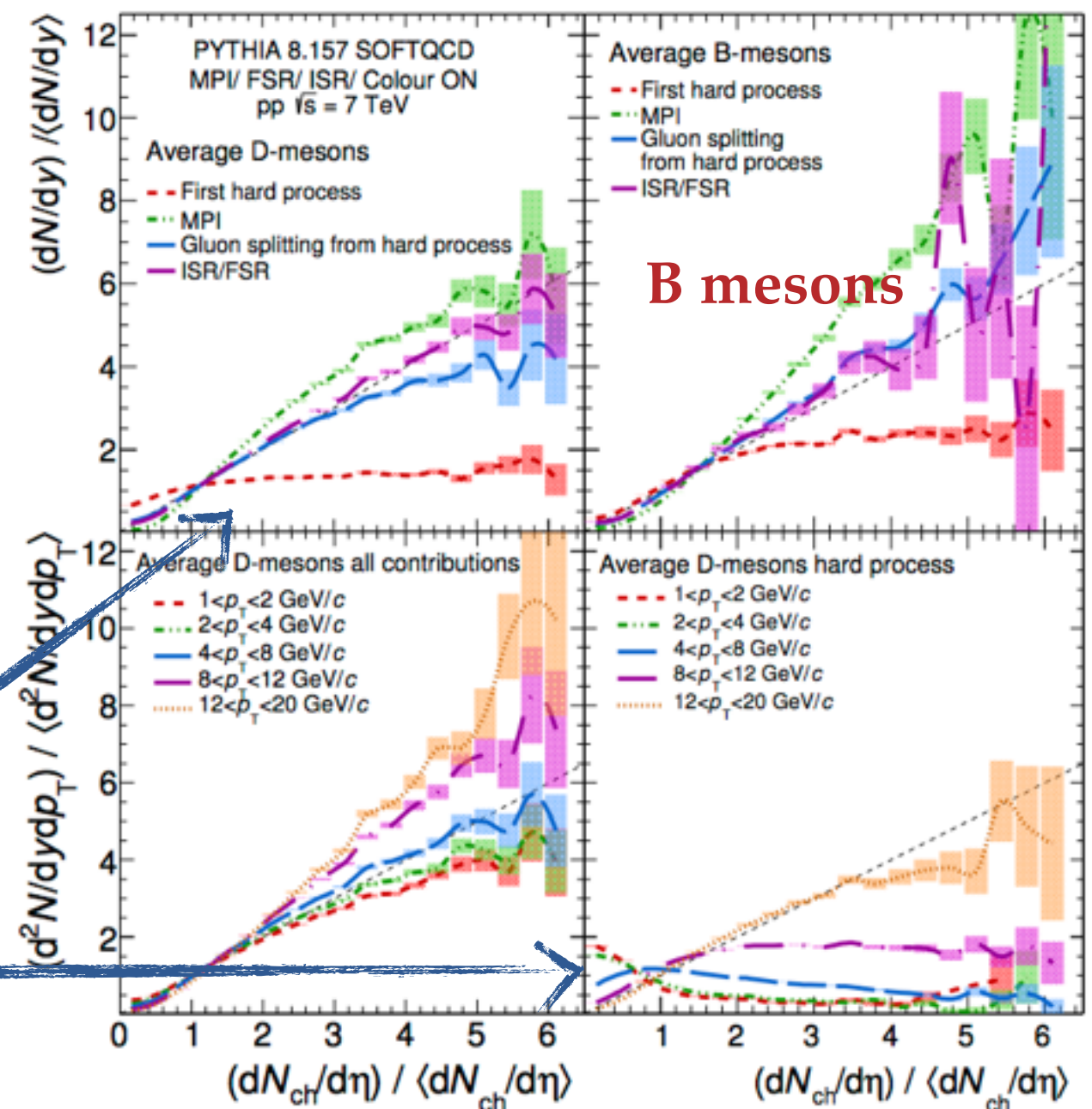
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In Pythia 8 first hard process independent of multiplicity but dependent on the p_T

D mesons



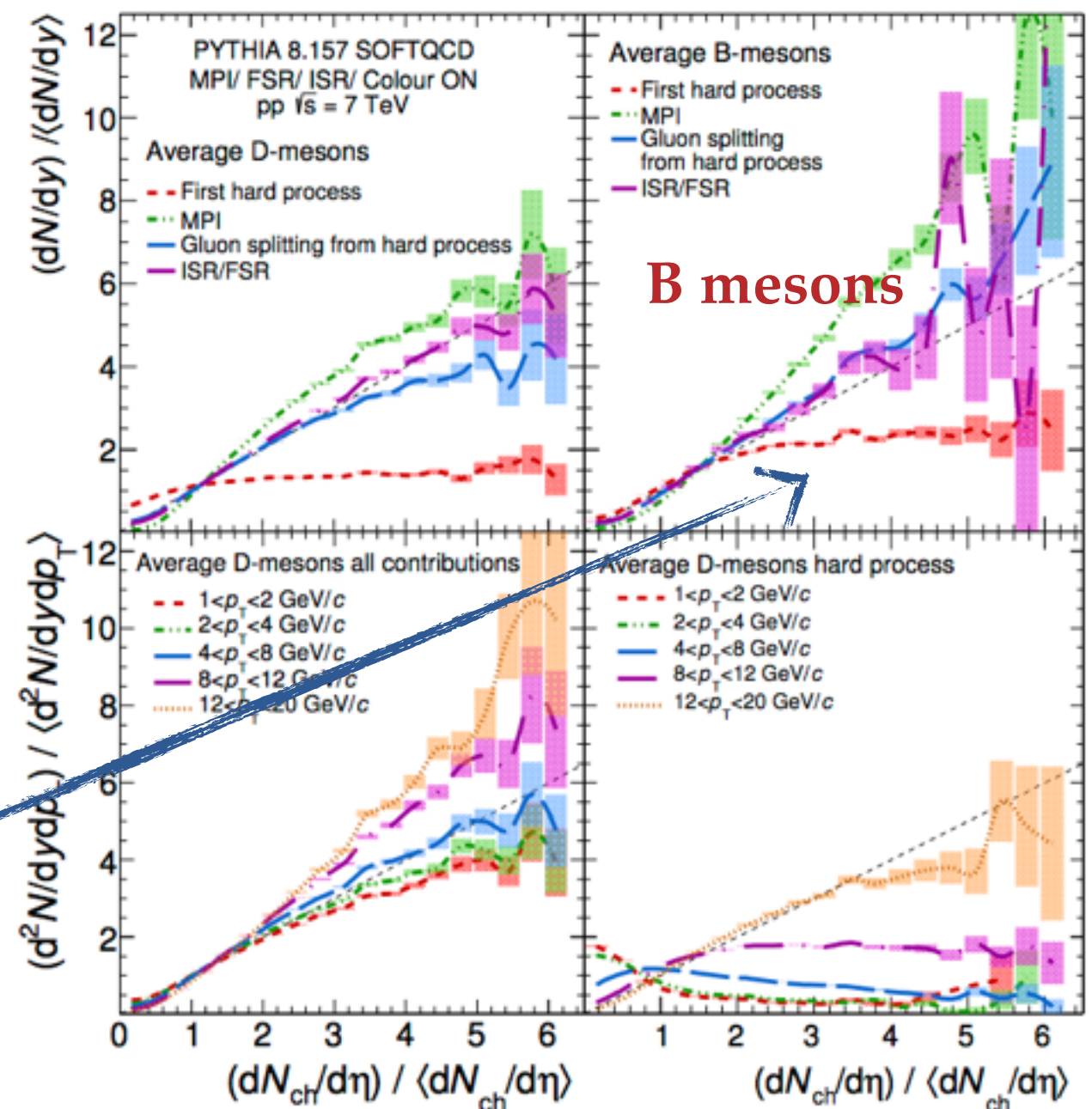
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Similar trend for D and B mesons but different “saturation” threshold

D mesons



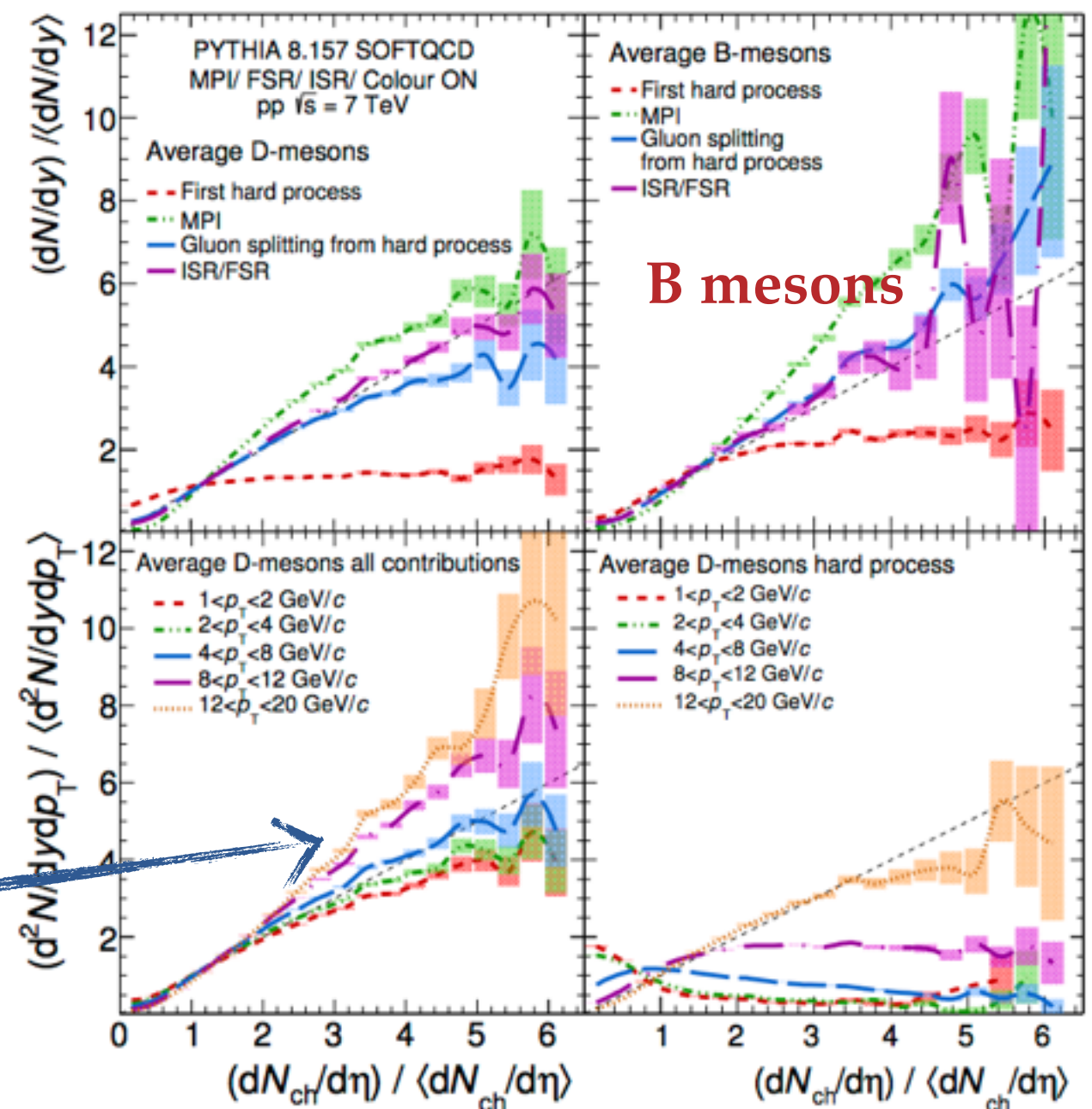
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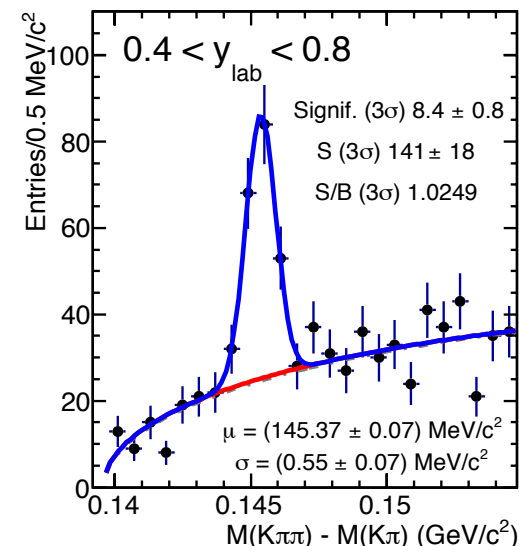
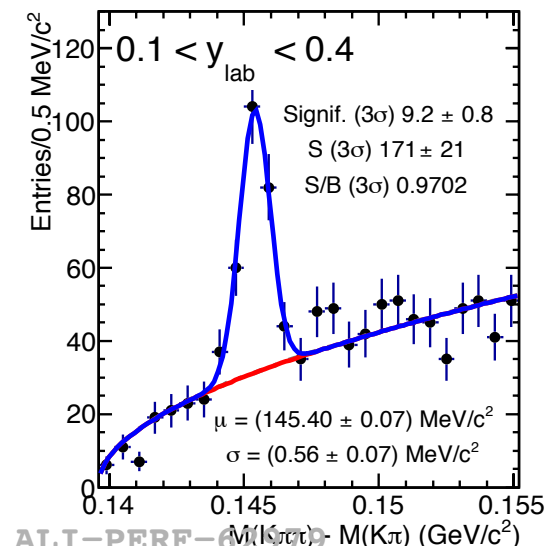
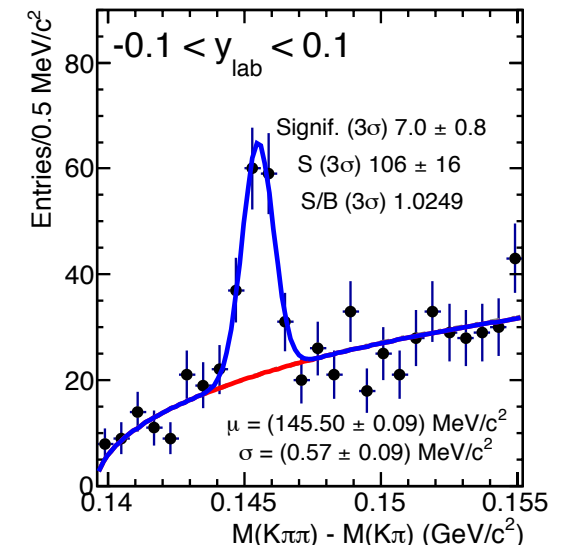
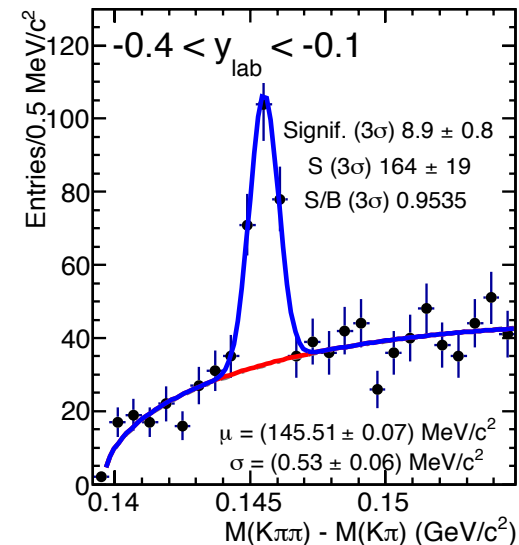
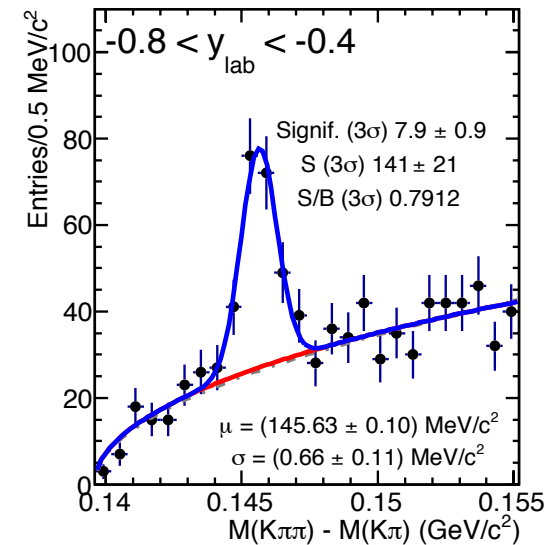
At high multiplicity at p_T ordering is expected for all processes.
For first hard process also at low-multiplicity

D mesons



D mesons: Cross section vs y

Invariant mass
analysis in
different y bins



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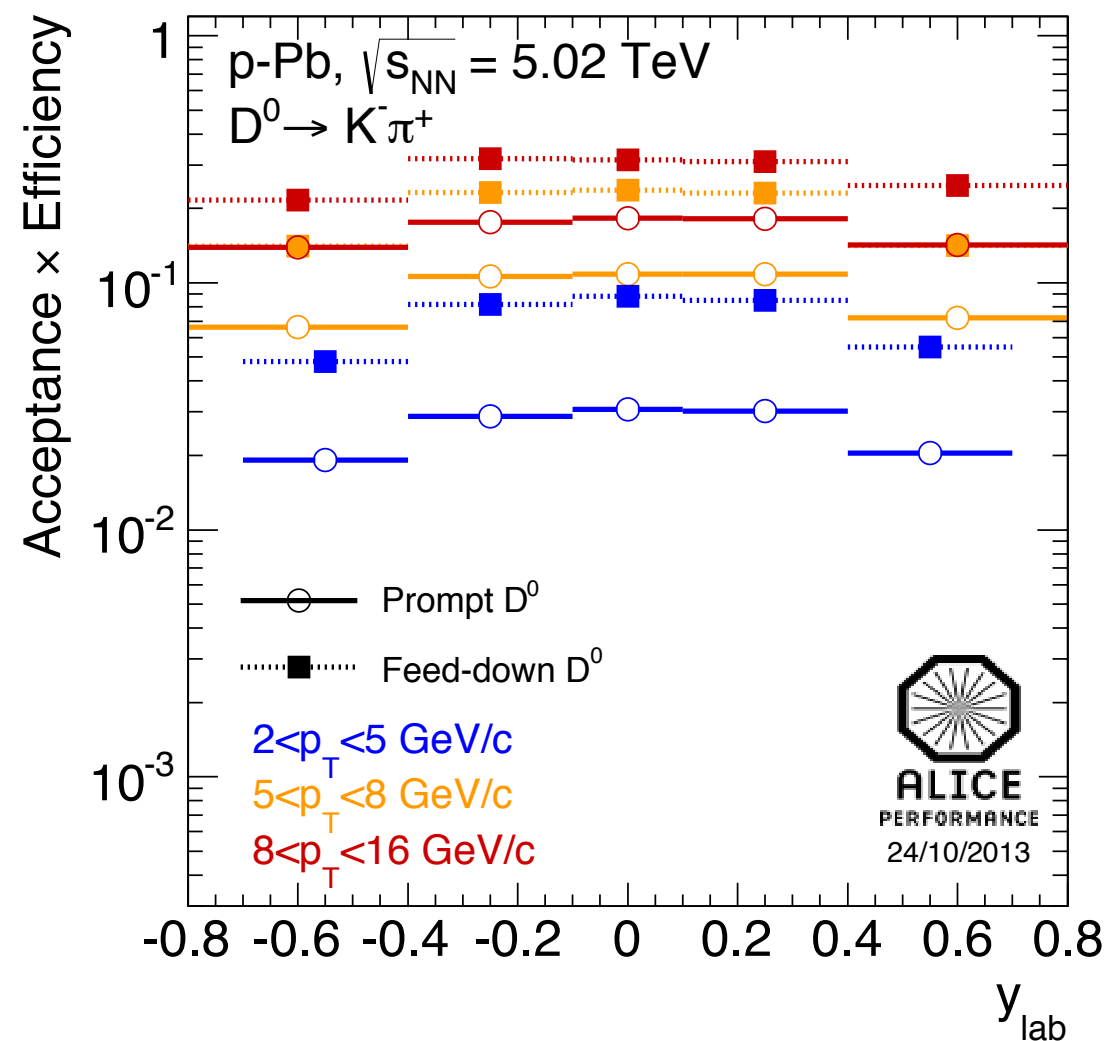
p-Pb, $\sqrt{s_{\text{NN}}} = 5.02 \text{ TeV}$
100M events

$D^{*+} \rightarrow D^0 \pi$
and charge conjugate
 $8 < p_{\text{T}} < 16 \text{ GeV}/c$

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D mesons: Cross section vs y

Acceptance x
efficiencies vs y for
three p_T intervals

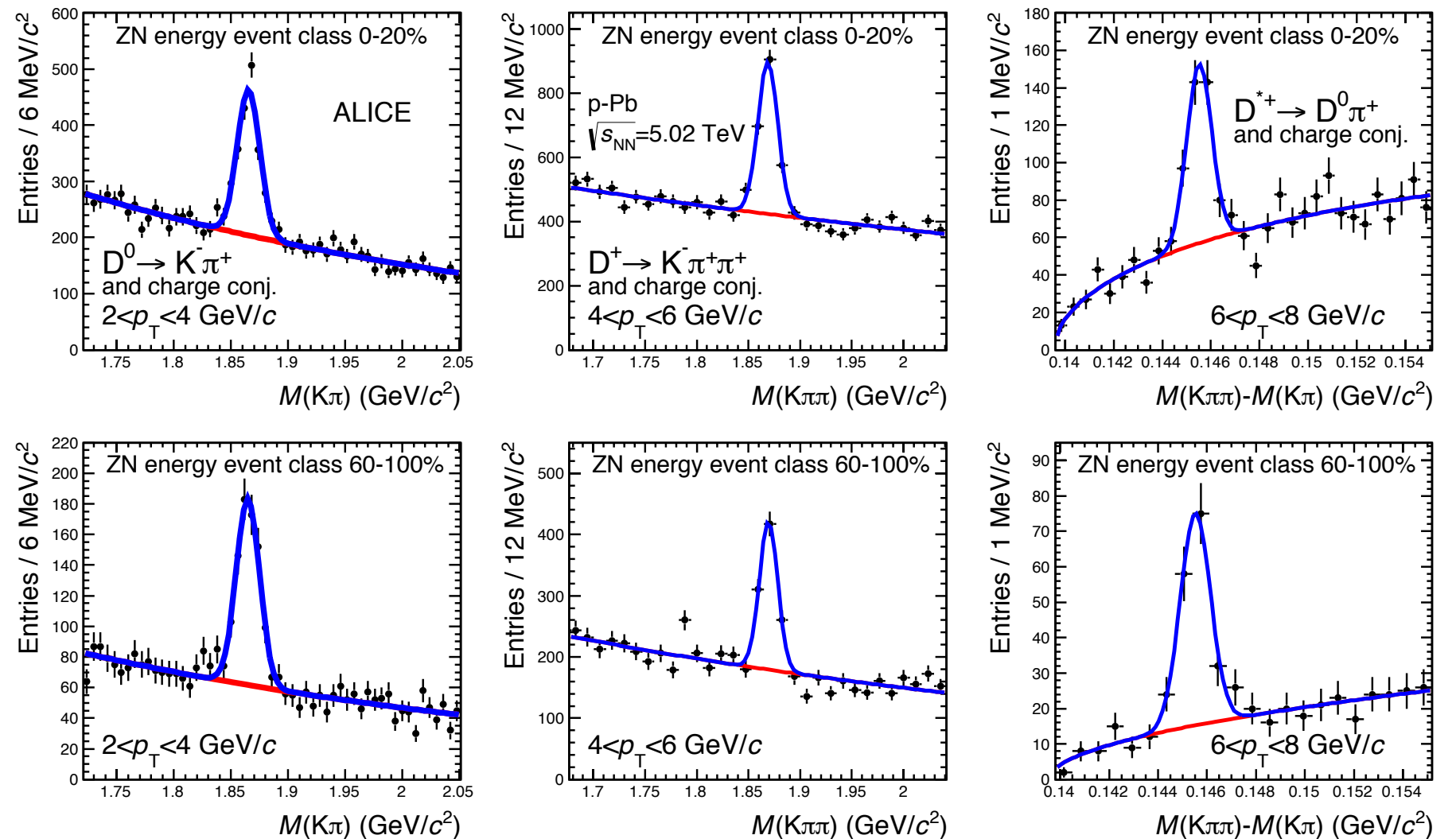


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D vs multiplicity: multiplicity differential raw yields

$$\frac{d^2 N^D / dy dp_T}{\langle d^2 N^D / dy dp_T \rangle} = \frac{(d^2 N^D / dy dp_T)^{mult} / (\epsilon^{mult} \times N_{event}^{mult})}{(d^2 N^D / dy dp_T)^{tot} / (\epsilon^{tot} \times N_{event}^{tot})}$$

**Multiplicity
differential
yields in p_T
intervals**



D vs multiplicity: Feed down subtraction

Assumption: the fraction of prompt D mesons f_{prompt} does not depend on multiplicity

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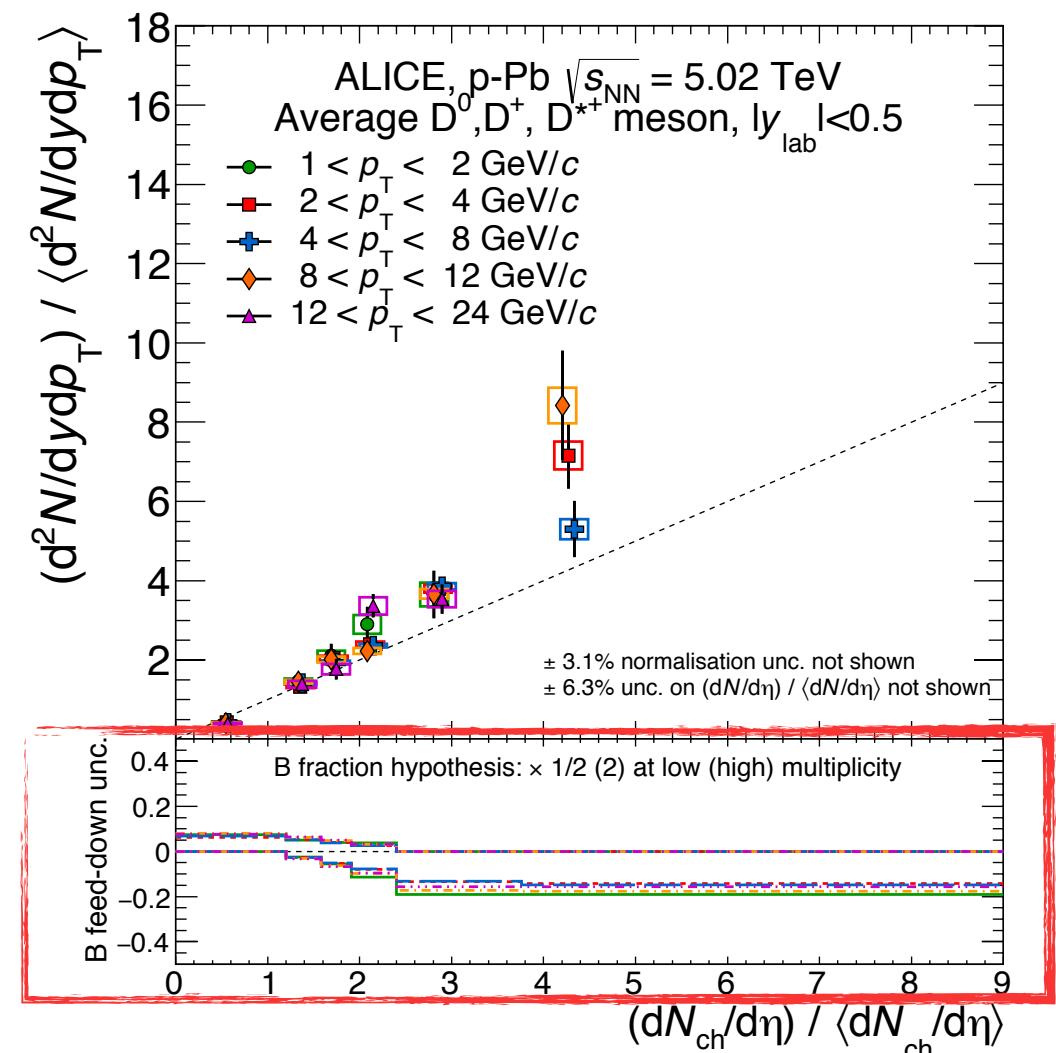
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Systematic uncertainties assigned due to beauty feed down fraction:

variation of beauty contribution vs multiplicity up to a factor of 2

maximum 20% at high p_T



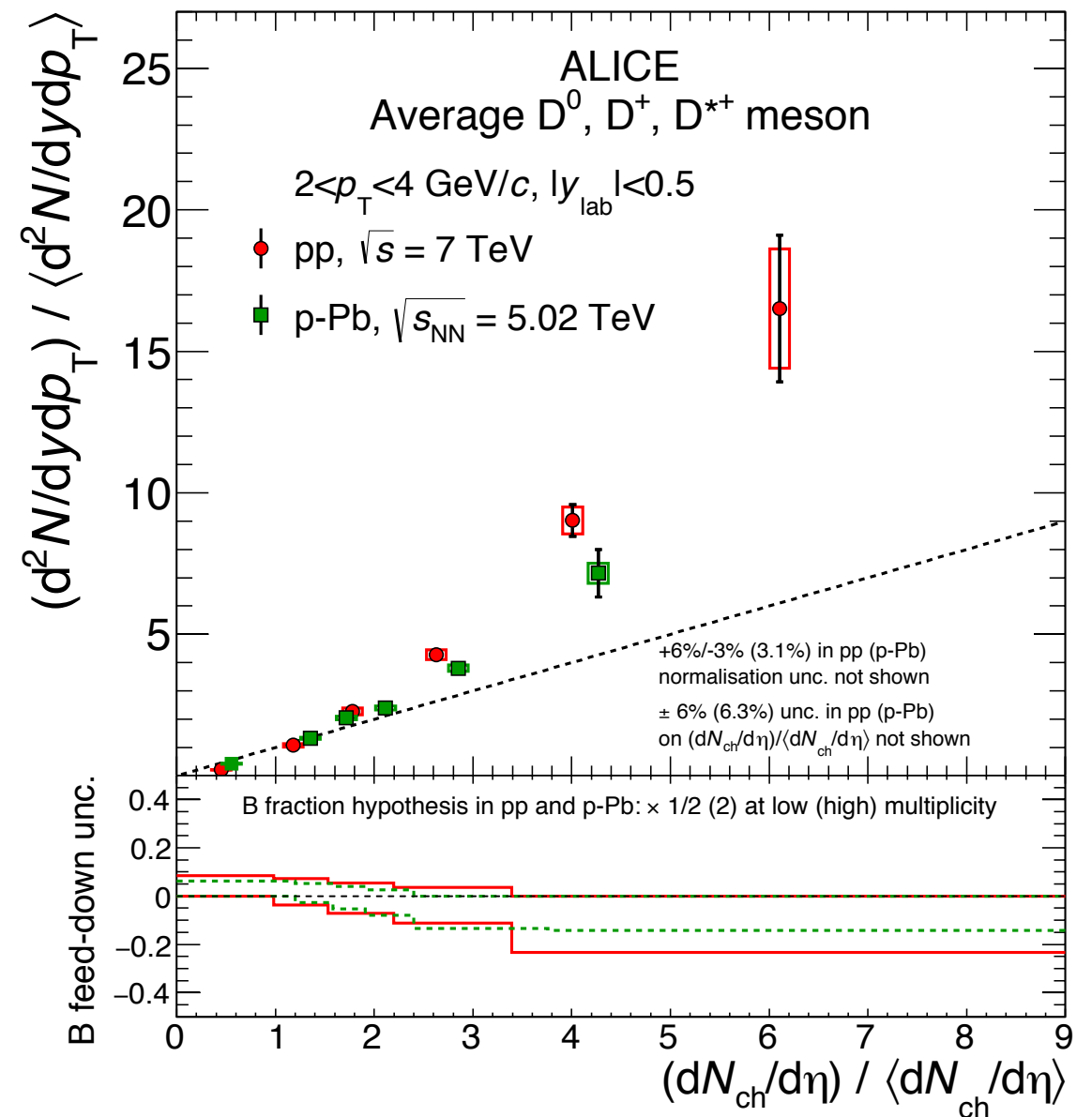
D vs multiplicity: systematic uncertainties

Yield extraction systematic uncertainties

p_T (GeV/ c)	Multiplicity bin					
	1-24	25-44	45-59	60-74	75-99	100-199
1-2	4%	3%	3%	5%	6%	-
2-4	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	5%
4-8	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	5%
8-12	4%	3%	3%	3%	4%	5%
12-24	6%	3%	3%	5%	5%	-

Comparison of pp and p-Pb collisions

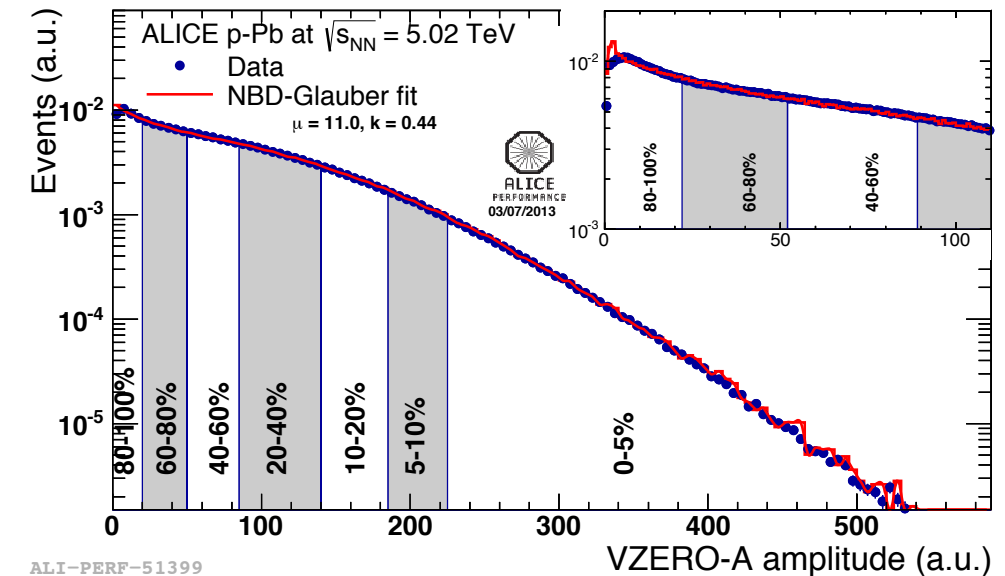
- ☑ The trend seems to be similar also when we compare Pb-Pb results, but...
- ☑ highest multiplicity bin in Pb-Pb collisions corresponds to 10% of the total cross section, for pp to only 1%.



Q_{pPb}: multiplicity estimator definitions

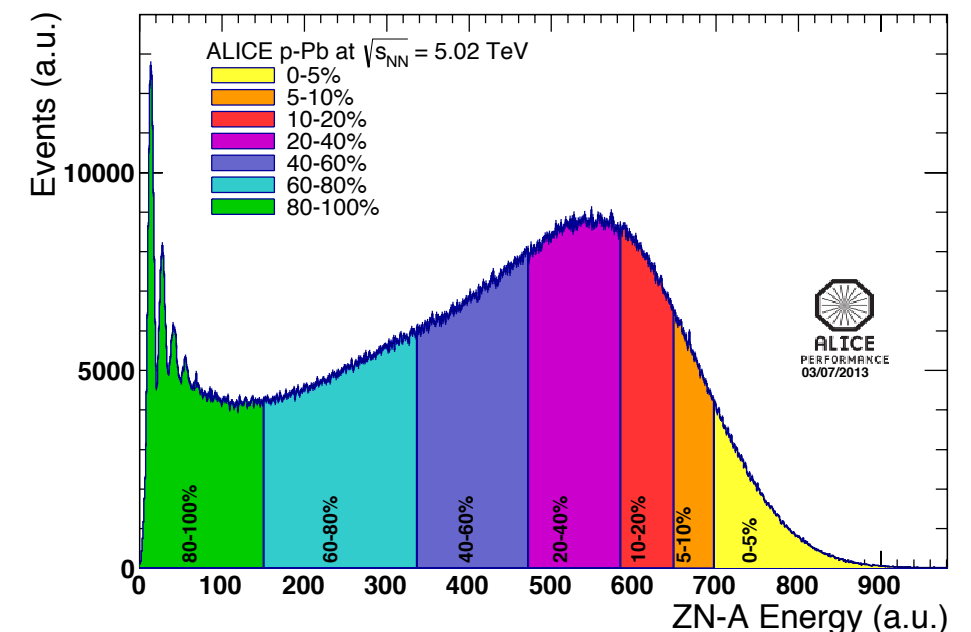
✓ V0A:

- ✓ $\langle N_{\text{coll}}^{\text{Glauber}} \rangle$ from Glauber fit to V0A amplitude
- ✓ multiplicity from Negative Binomial Distribution (NBD)



✓ ZNA: $\langle N_{\text{coll}}^{\text{mult}} \rangle$ obtained with an Hybrid method

- ✓ Slice events in ZN energy (Pb going side)
- ✓ $\langle N_{\text{part}} \rangle$ in ZN energy class obtained by scaling it to the minimum bias multiplicity at mid-rapidity.



QpPb: Hybrid method some details

Assumption 1 : ZN insensitive to dynamical biases → slice events in ZN

Assumption 2:

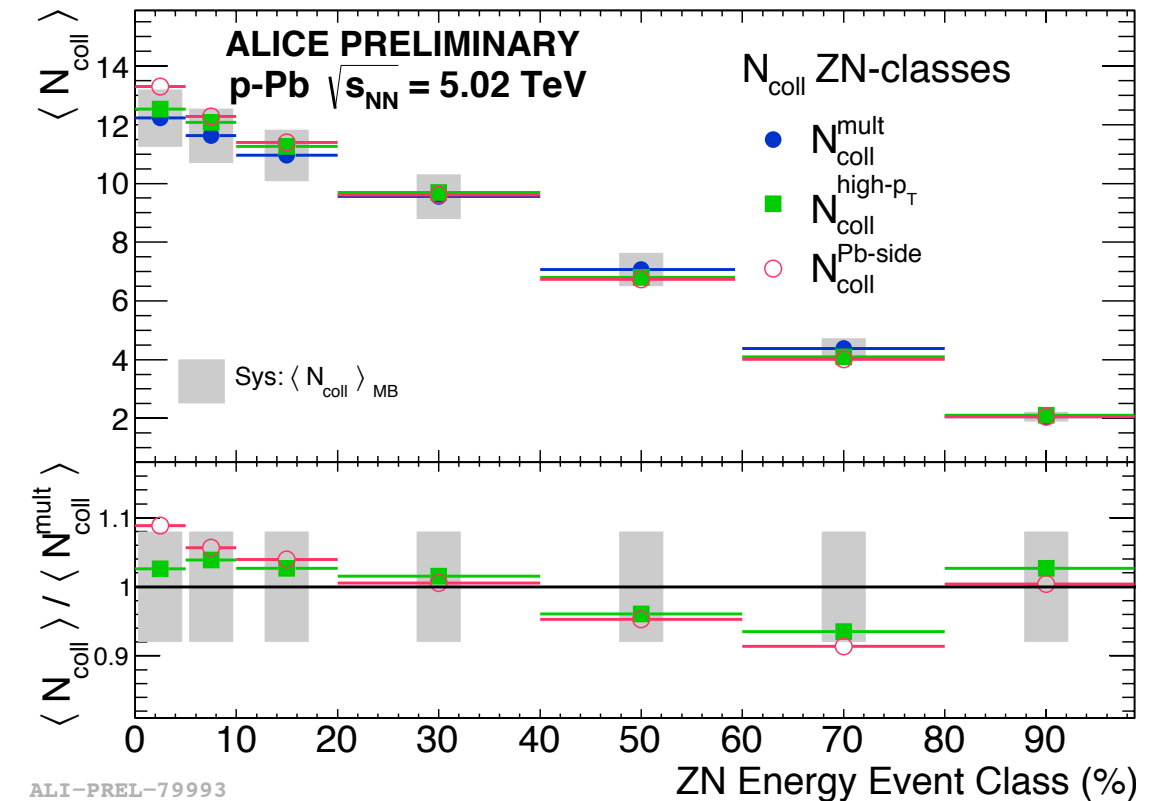
- a. mid-rapidity $dN/d\eta$ scales with N_{part}
- b. Pb-side $dN/d\eta$ scales with N_{part} ($= N_{\text{coll}}$ for p-Pb collisions)
- c. Yields at high- p_T scales with N_{coll}

$$\langle N_{\text{part}} \rangle_i^{\text{mult}} = \langle N_{\text{part}} \rangle_{MB} \cdot \frac{\langle S \rangle_i}{\langle S \rangle_{MB}}$$

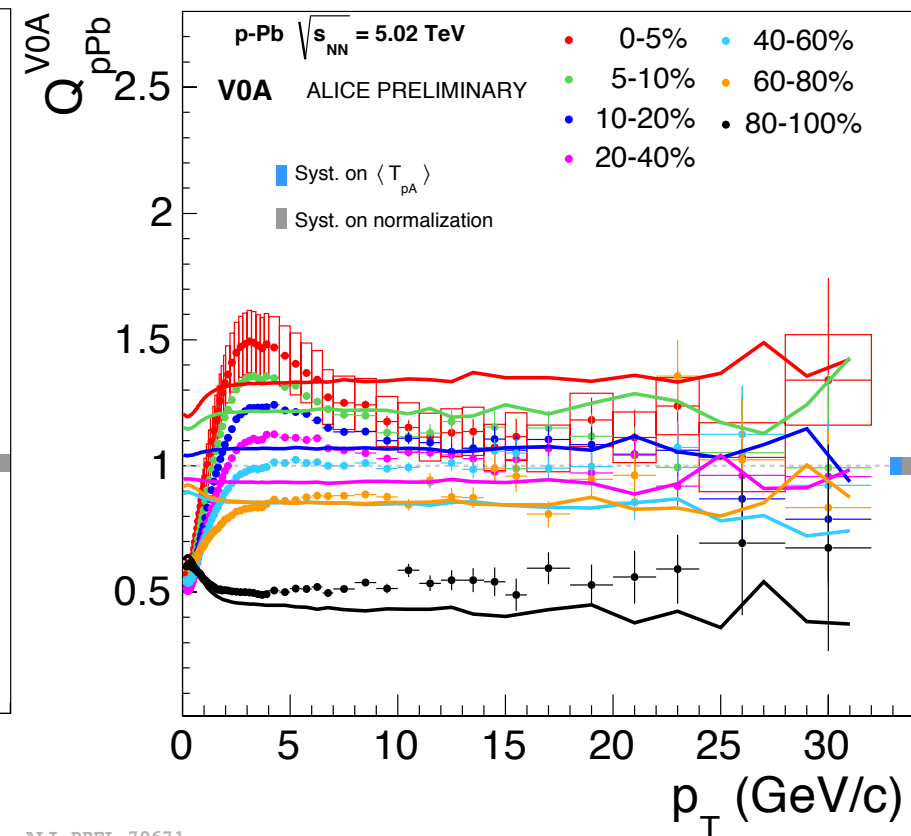
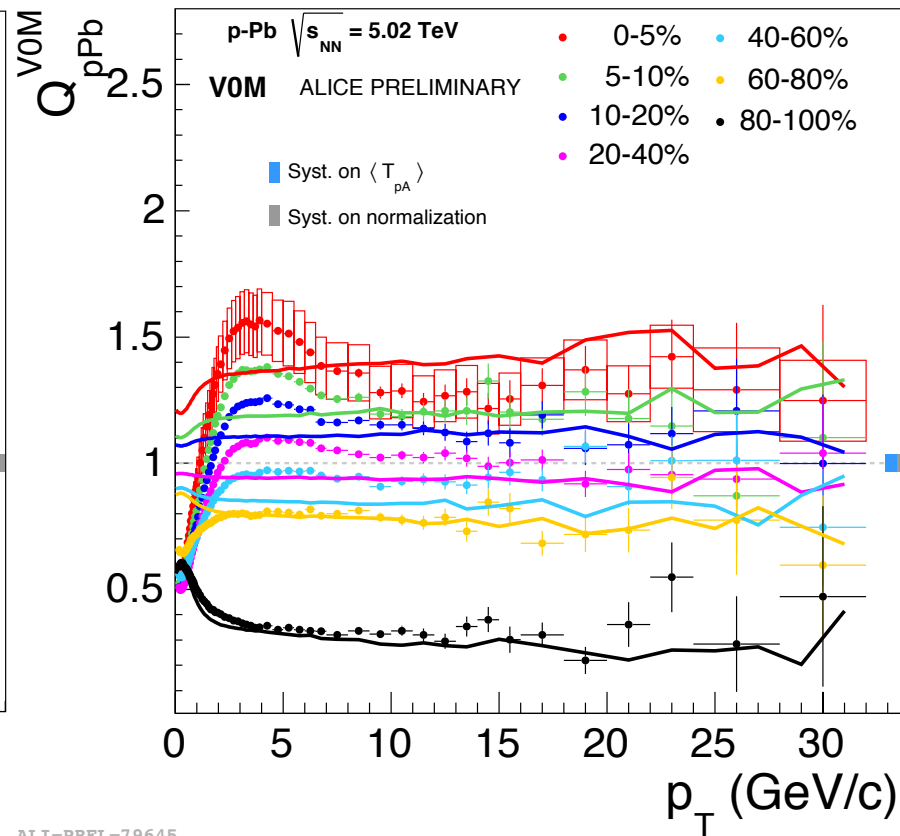
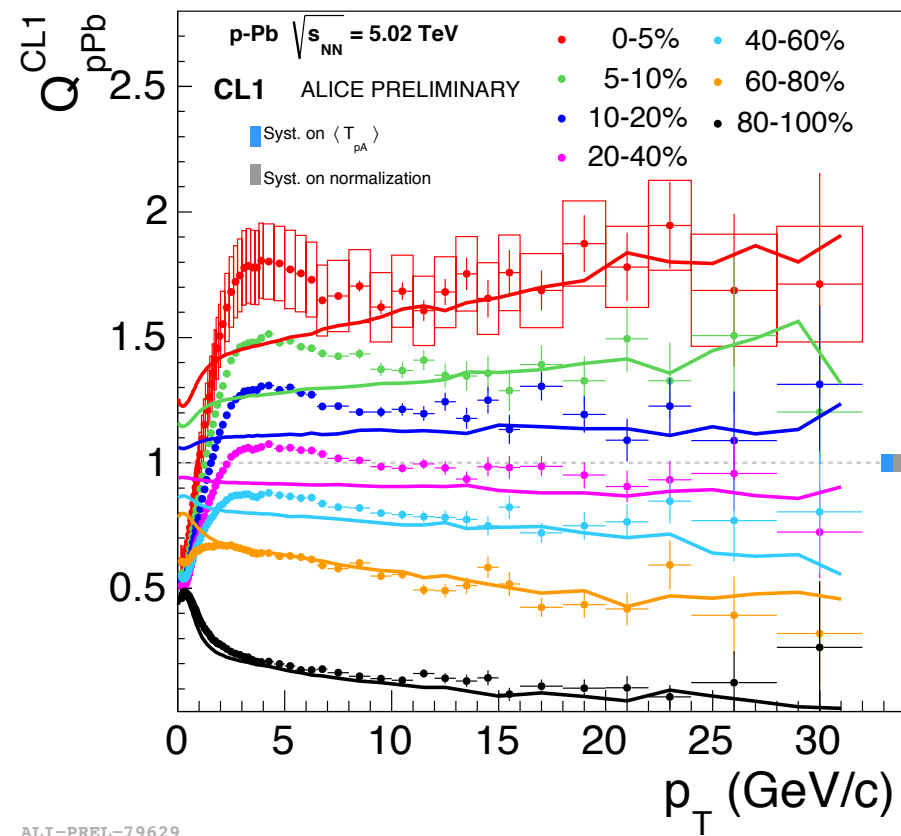
$$\langle N_{\text{coll}} \rangle_i^{\text{mult}} = \langle N_{\text{part}} \rangle_i^{\text{mult}} - 1$$

$$\langle N_{\text{coll}} \rangle_i^{\text{Pb-side}} = \langle N_{\text{coll}} \rangle_{MB} \cdot \frac{\langle S \rangle_i}{\langle S \rangle_{MB}}$$

$$\langle N_{\text{coll}} \rangle_i^{\text{high-pT}} = \langle N_{\text{coll}} \rangle_{MB} \cdot \frac{\langle S \rangle_i}{\langle S \rangle_{MB}}$$



QpPb: other estimators

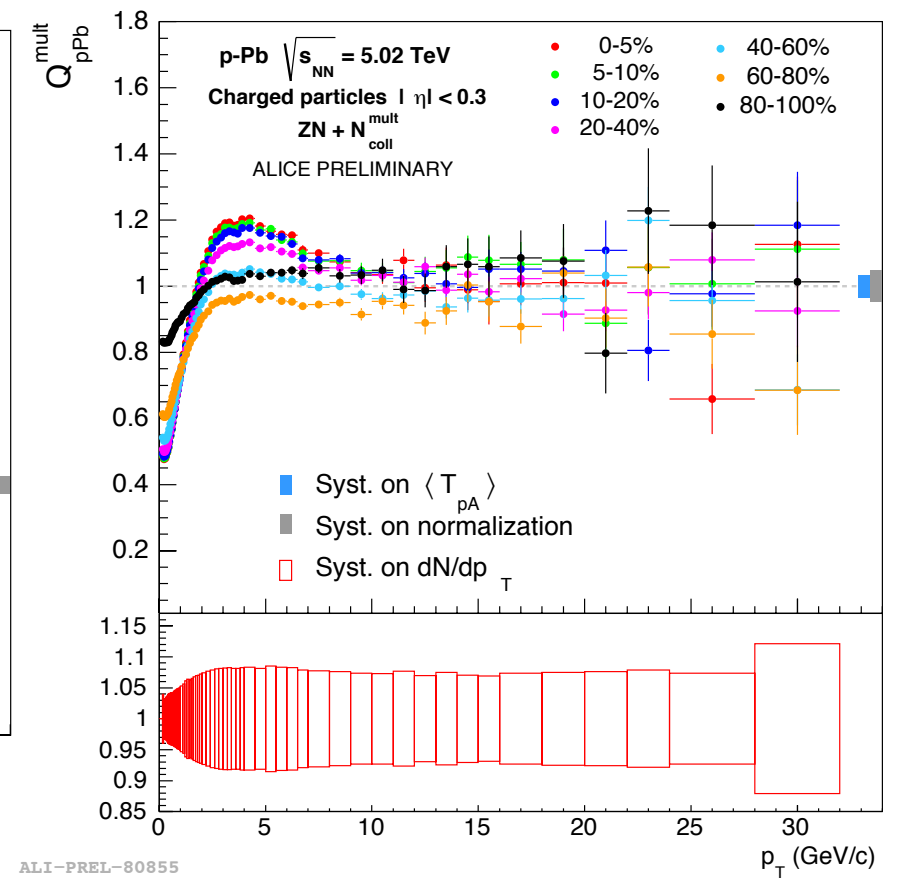
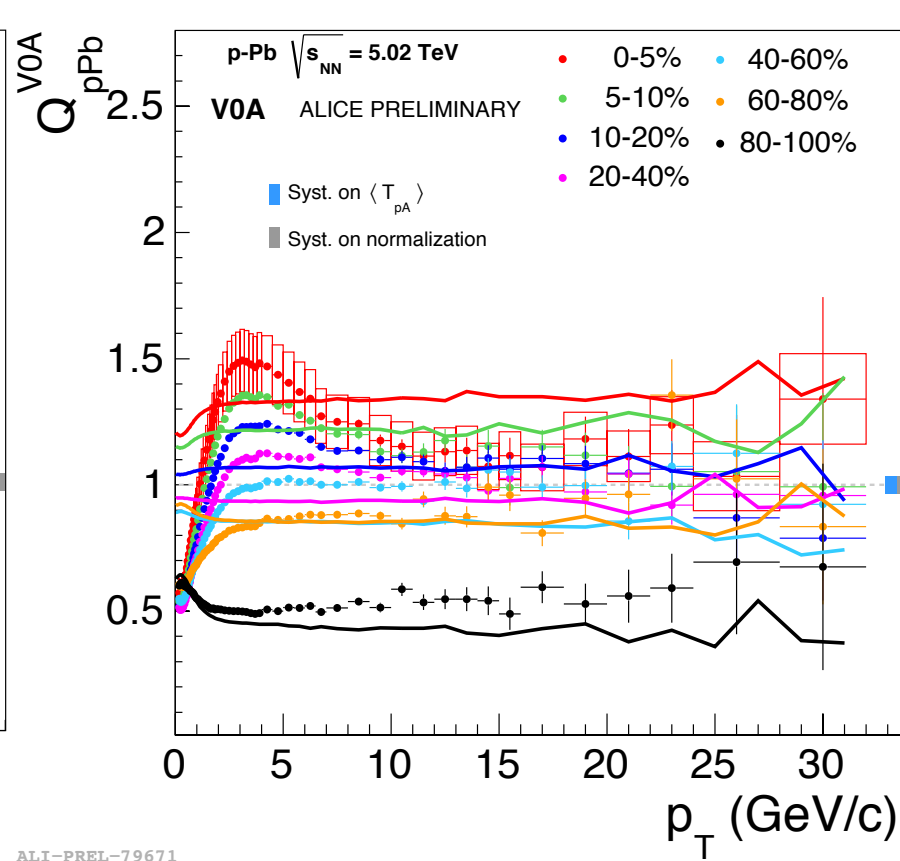
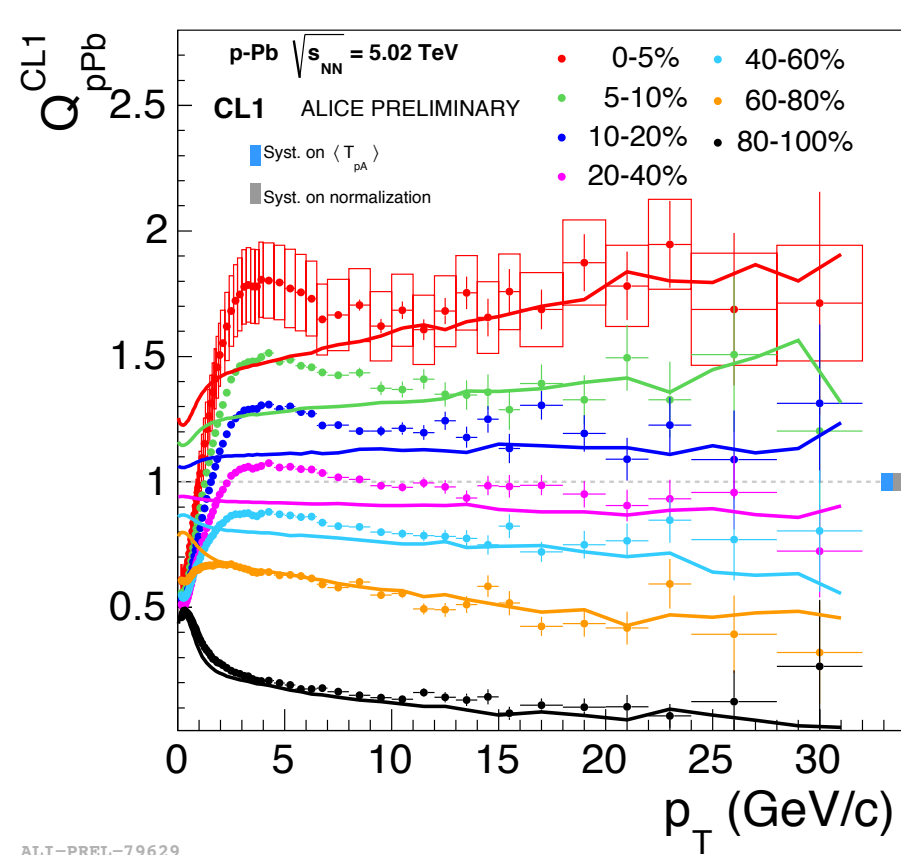


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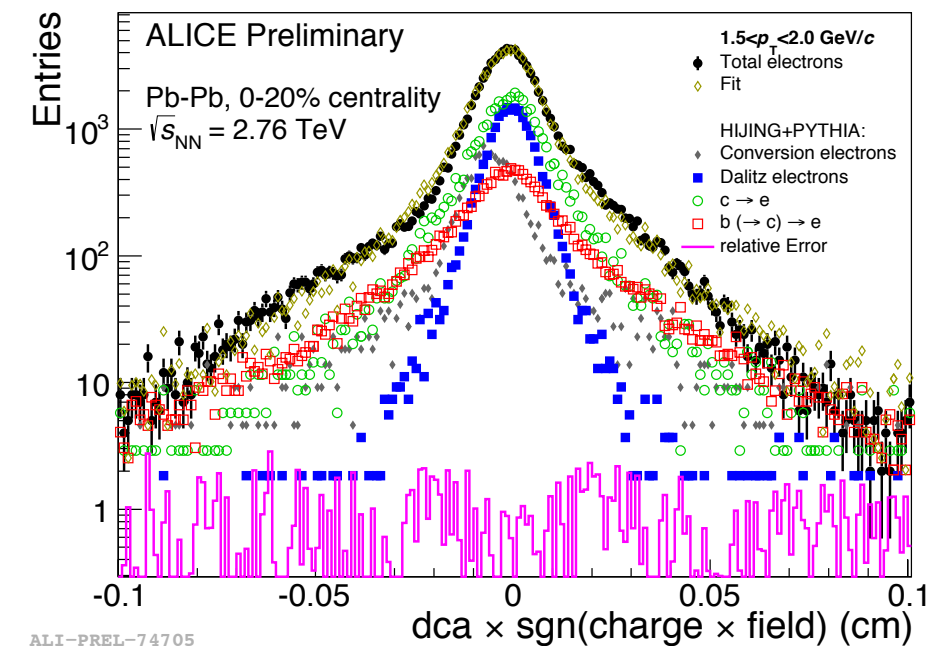
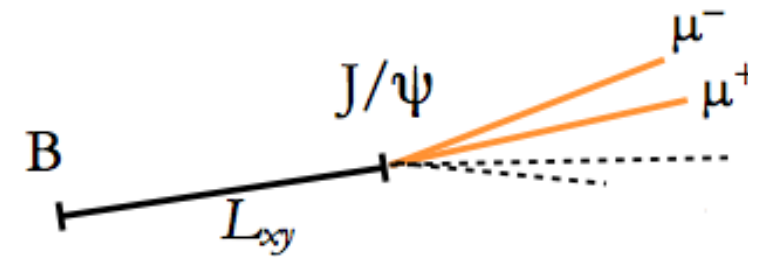
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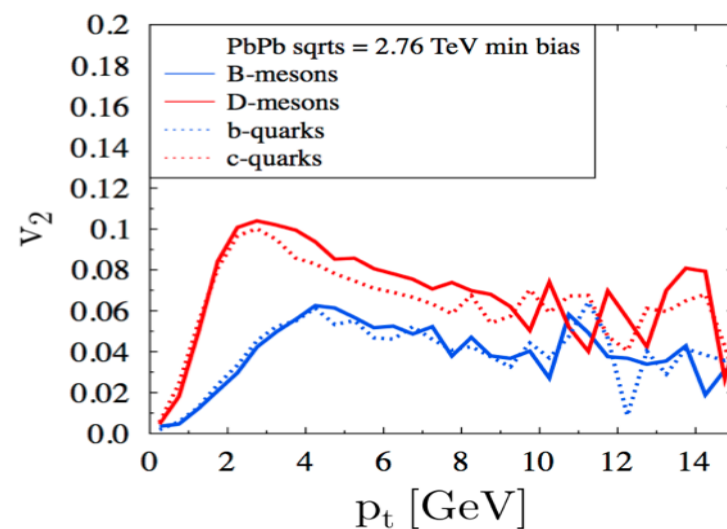
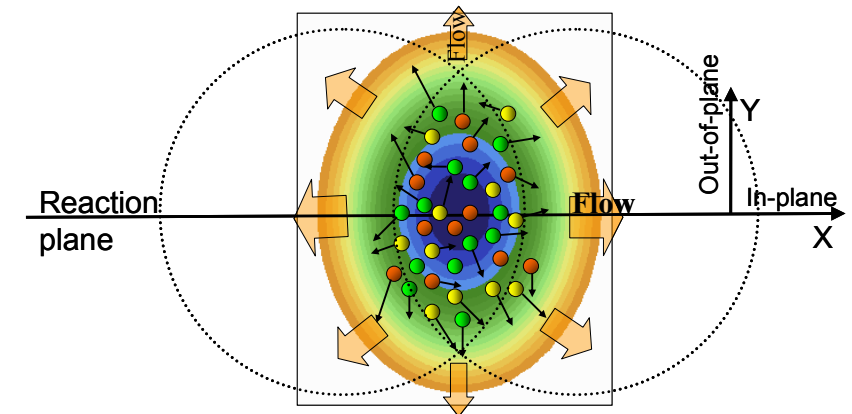
How to measure heavy quarks?

- * **Non-prompt J/ψ** from B hadron decays.
 - * First “direct” beauty measurement
 - * Exploit the displacement of J/ψ of $\sim$ hundreds μm in the transverse plane.
 - * Simultaneous fit of pseudo-proper decay length (L_{xy}) and invariant mass.
- * **Displaced electrons** coming from B hadron decays.
 - * Isolate the contribution of electrons coming from B hadrons using the larger impact parameter.
 - * Fit of the different component in the impact parameter distributions.

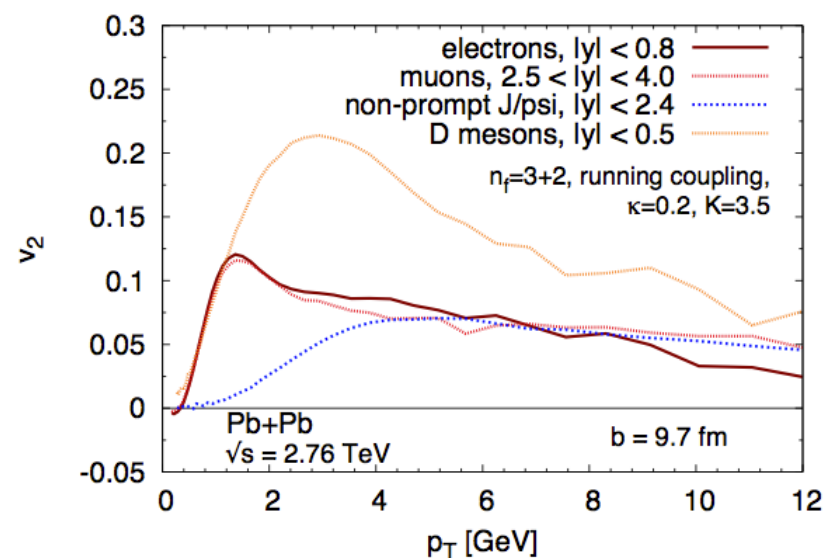


Heavy flavour v_2

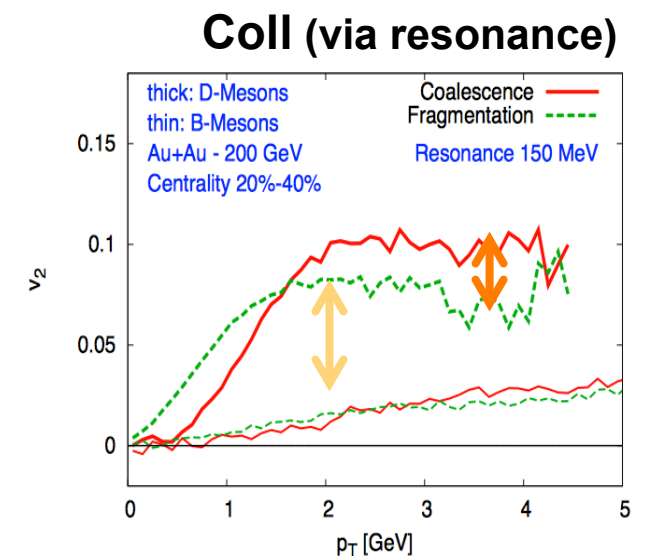
- * Low- p_T : do heavy quarks take part in the collectivity?
 - * Due to their large mass they should “feel” less the collective expansion
- * High- p_T probe the path length dependence of the heavy quarks energy loss



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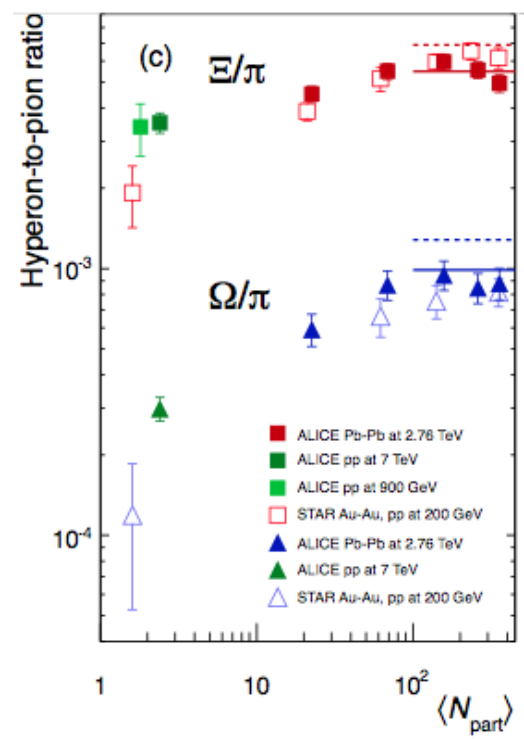
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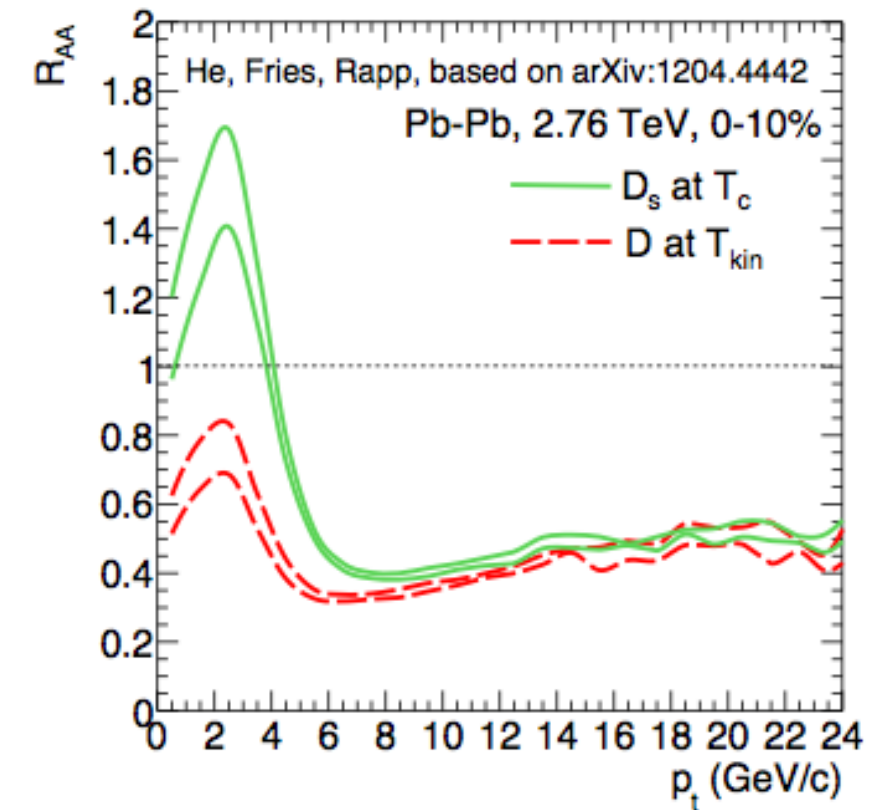
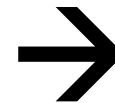
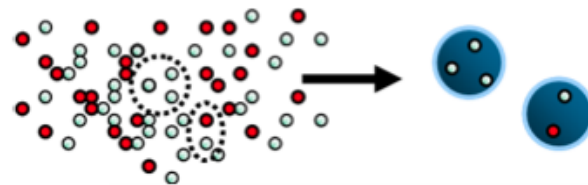
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Ds in PbPb collisions

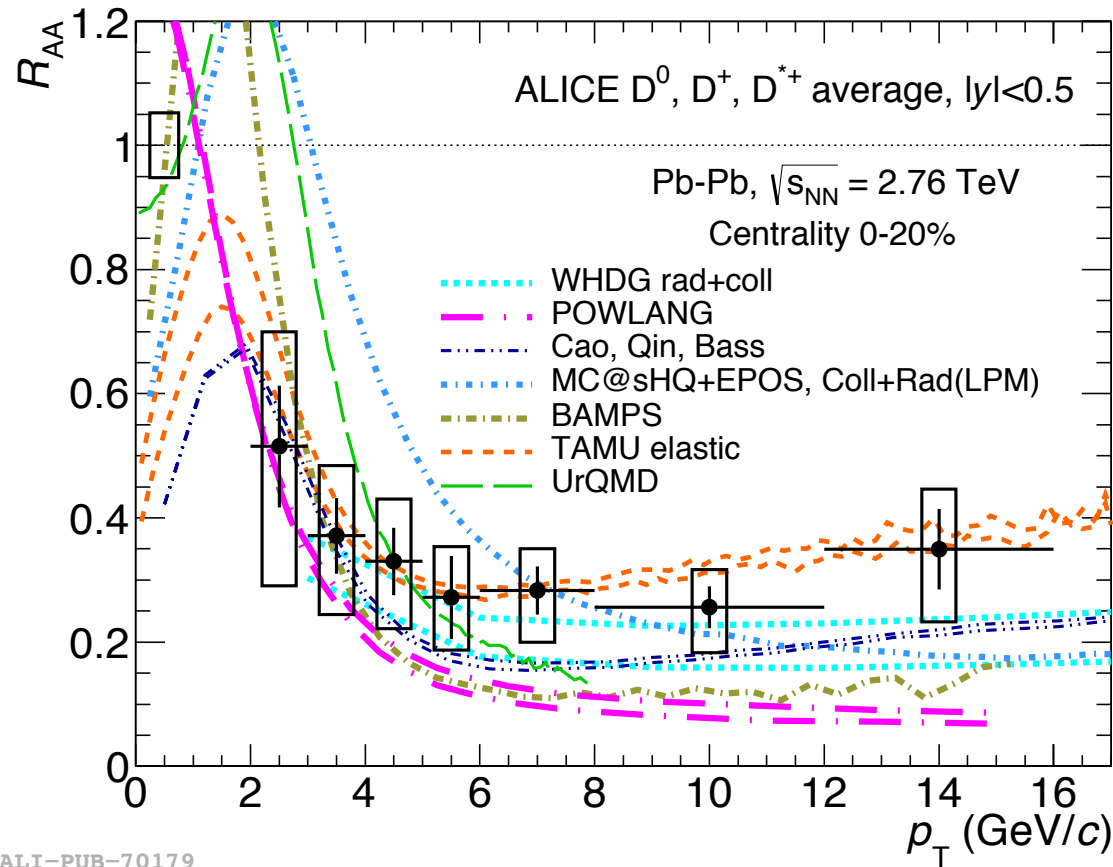
- * Abundance of strange quarks in the QGP (strangeness enhancement)
- * Large D_s enhancement expected if c quarks recombine in the QGP (recombination/coalescence models)



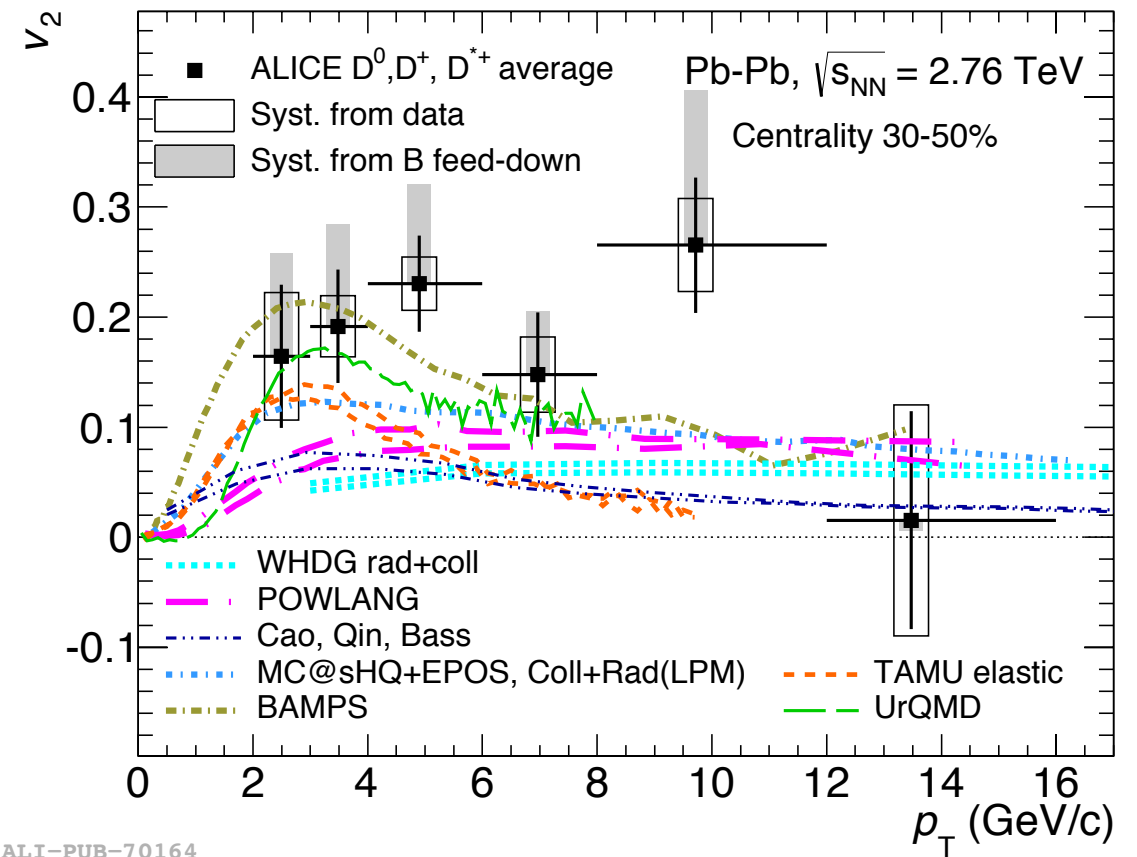
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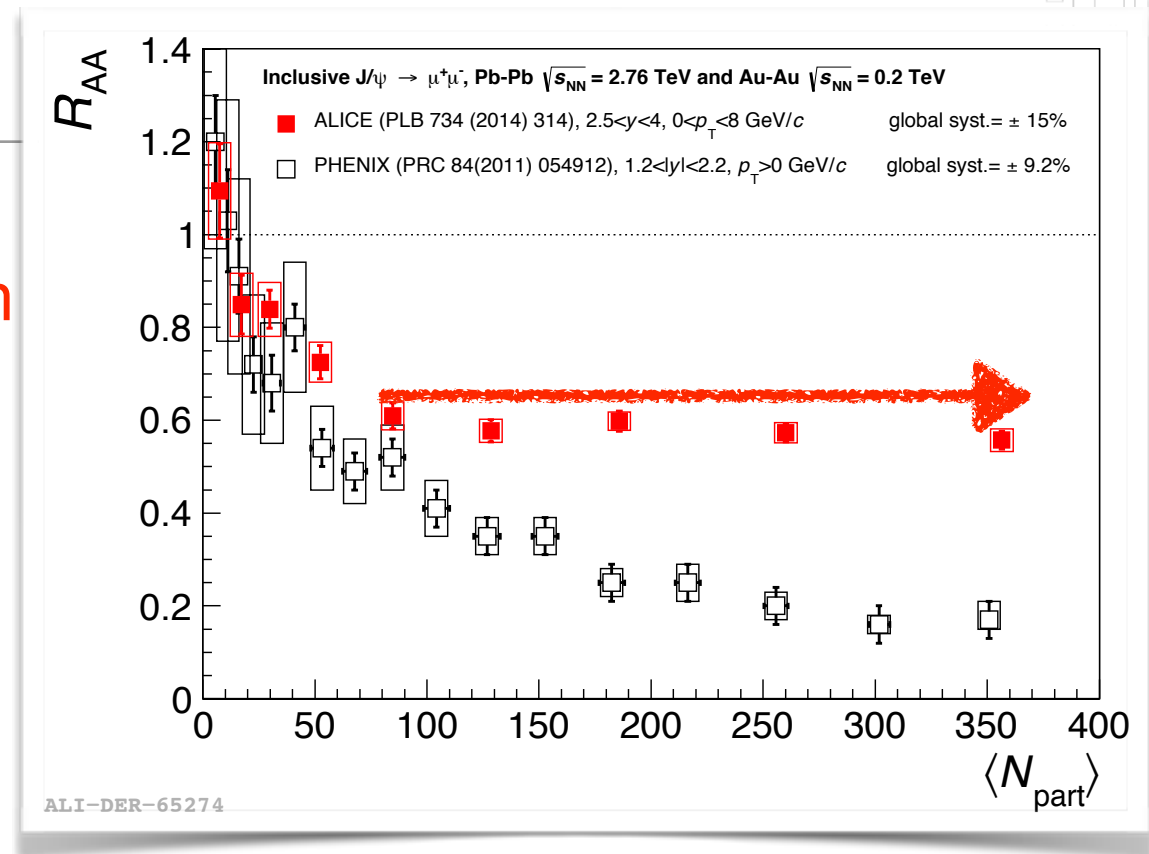
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	HQ production	Medium Modeling	Heavy quarks interactions	Hadronization
WHDG (AIP Conf Proc. 1441 (2012) 889)	FONLL, no shadowing	Glauber model collision geometry, no hydro evolution	radiative + collisional energy loss	fragmentation
POWLANG (J. Phys. G 38 (2011) 124144)	POWEG (NLO) + EPS09 shadowing	2+1d expanding medium with viscos hydro evolution	HQ transport (Langevin) + collisional energy loss	fragmentation
Cao, Quin, Bass (Phys Rev C 88 (2013) 044907)	LO pQCD + EPS09 shadowing	2+1d expanding medium with viscous hydro evolution	HQ transport (Langevin) + quasi elastic scattering + radiative energy loss	recombination + fragmentation
MC@sHQ+EPOS2 (Phys Rev C 89 (2014) 014905)	FONLL, no shadowing	3+1d fluid dynamical expansion (EPOS)	HQ transport (Boltzmann) + radiative + collisional energy loss.	recombination + fragmentation
BAMPS (Phys Lett B 717 (2012) 430)	MC@NLO, no shadowing	3+1d fully dynamic parton transport model	HQ transport (Boltzmann) + collisional energy loss	fragmentation
TAMU elastic (arXiv:1401.3817)	FONLL + EPS09 shadowing	transport + 3+1d ideal hydro evolution	HQ transport (Langevin) + collisional energy loss + diffusion in hadronic phase	recombination + fragmentation
UrQMD (arXiv:1211.6912)	PYTHIA, no shadowing	3+1d ideal hydro evolution	HQ transport (Langevin) + collisional energy loss	recombination + fragmentation



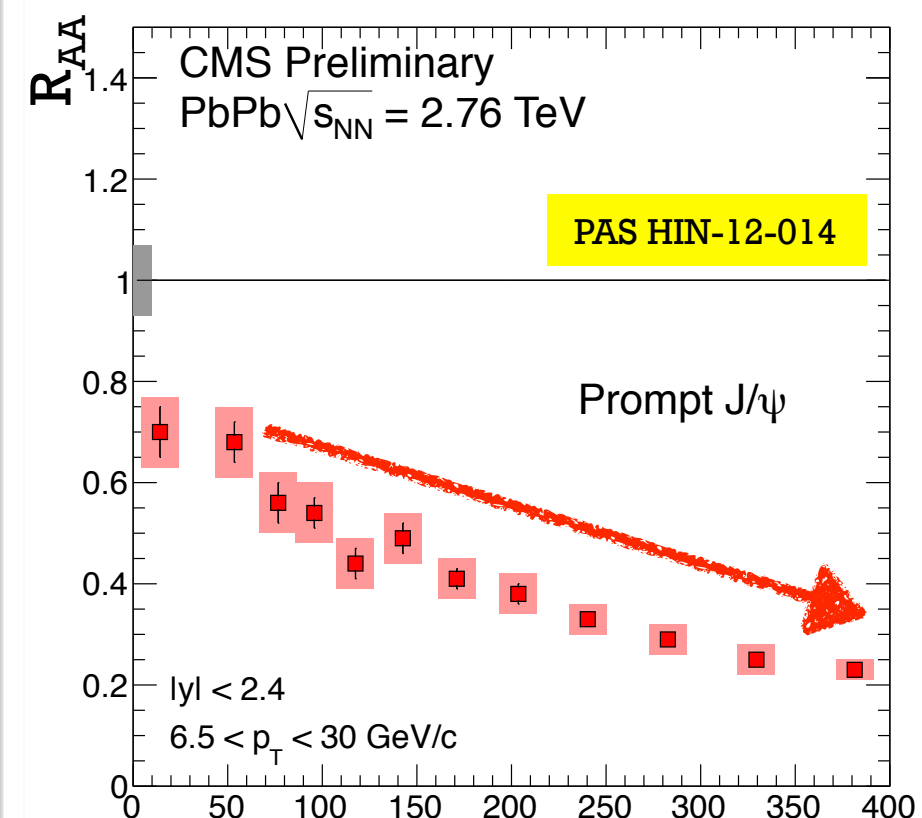
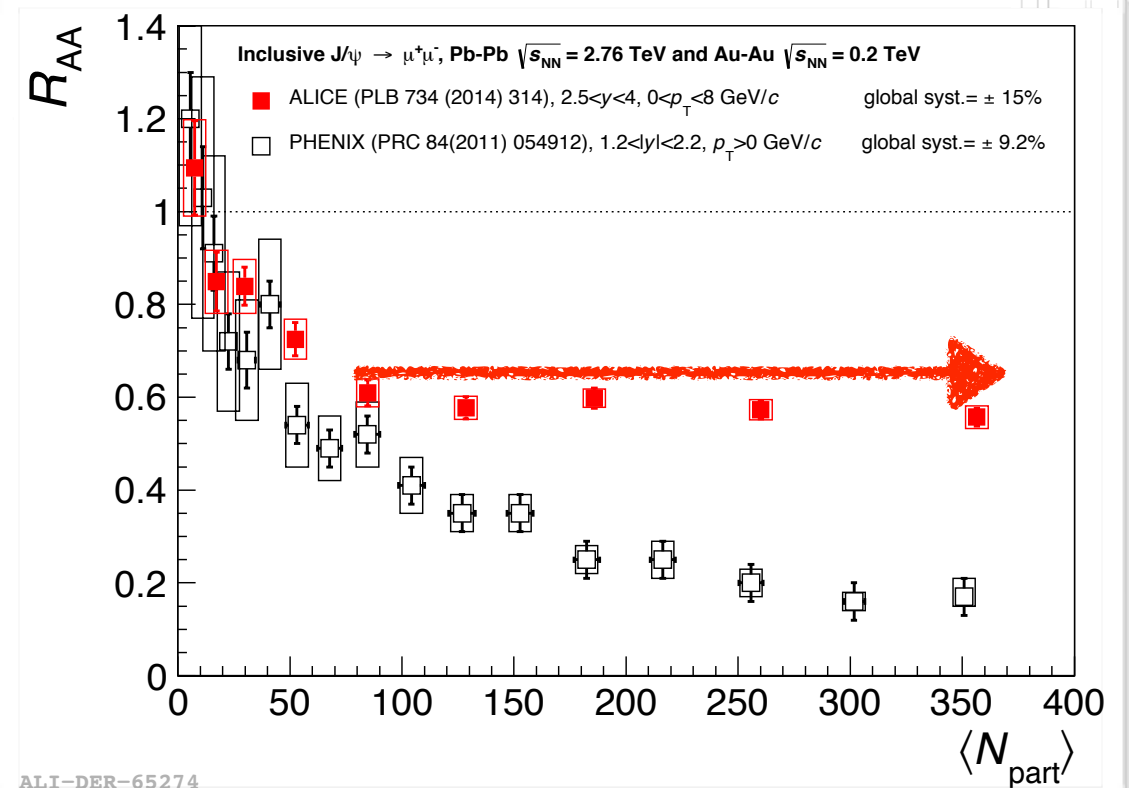
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- * **At high- p_T ($p_T > 6.5$ GeV/c) :**
 - * CMS observed a **suppression for J/ ψ** with $p_T > 6.5$ GeV/c.
 - * Similar (but slightly smaller) suppression than at RHIC.





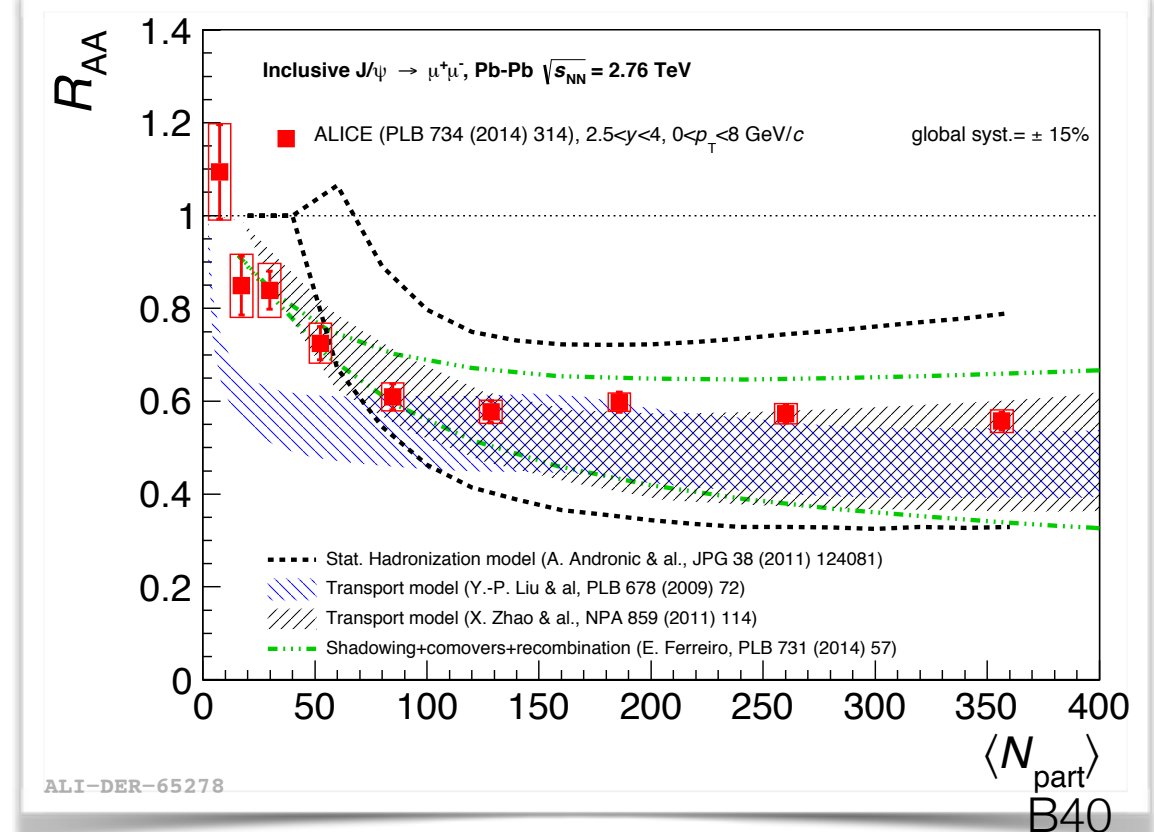
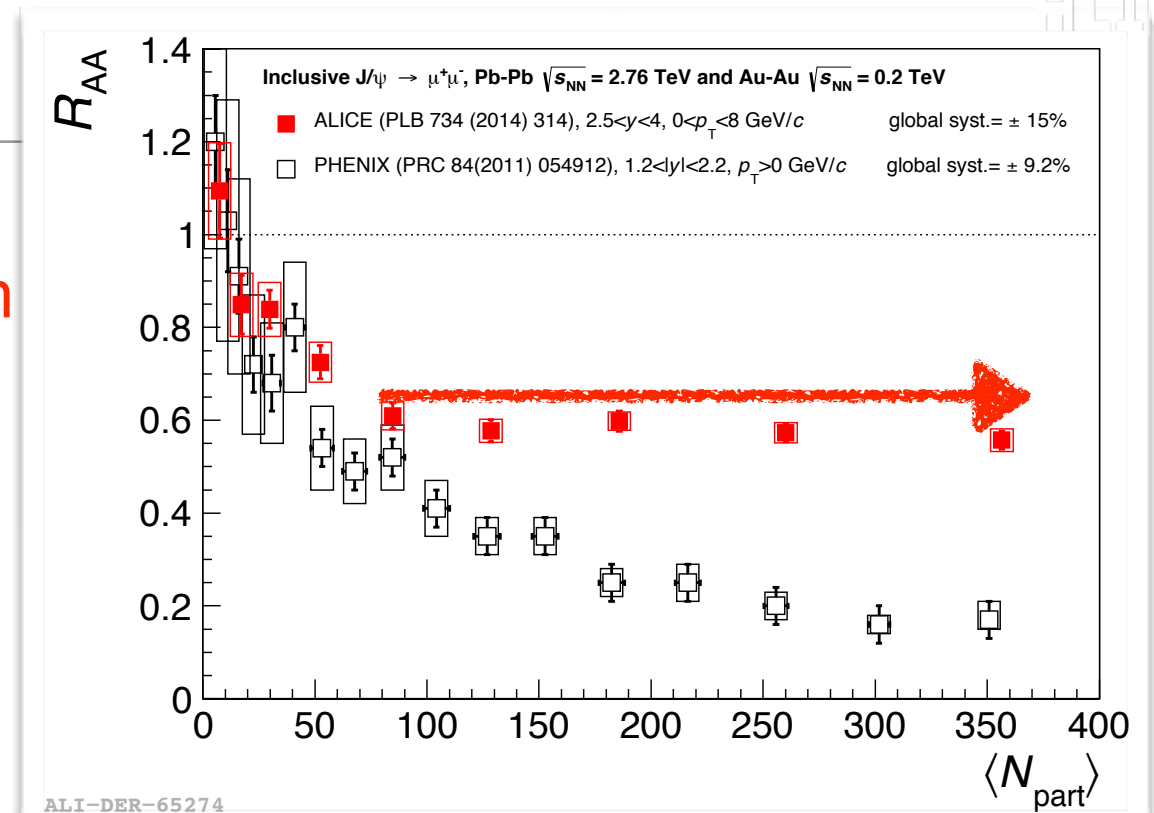
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Regeneration involves mainly low- p_T charm quarks?

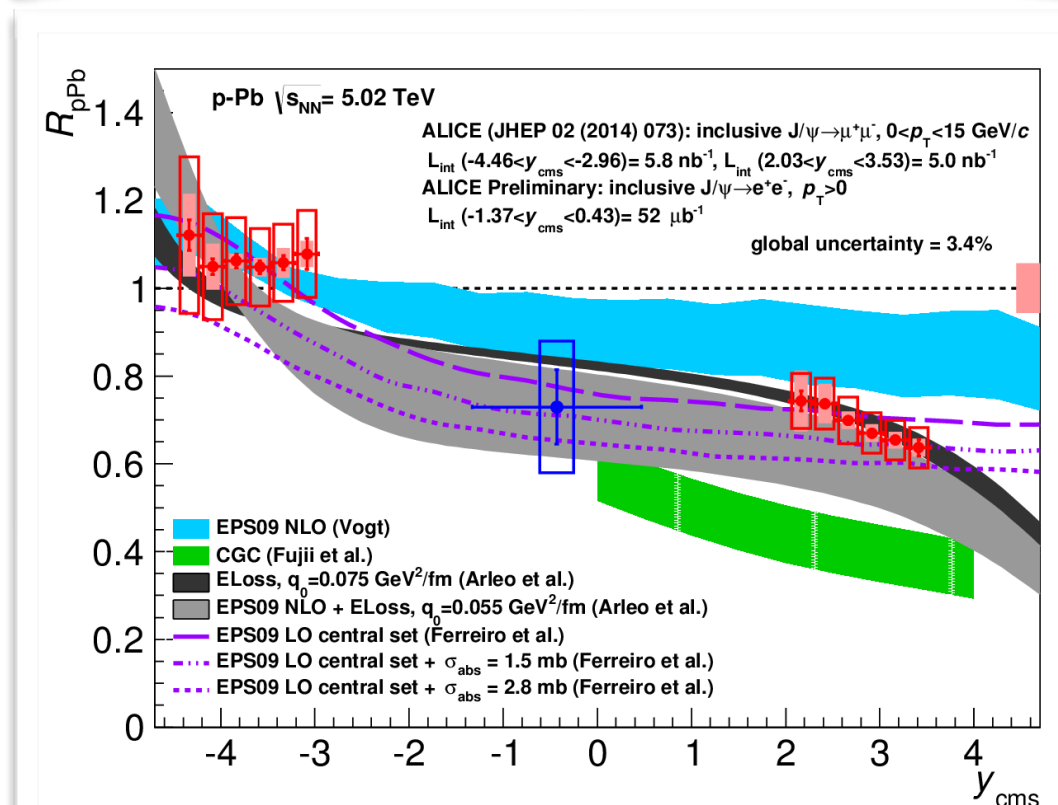
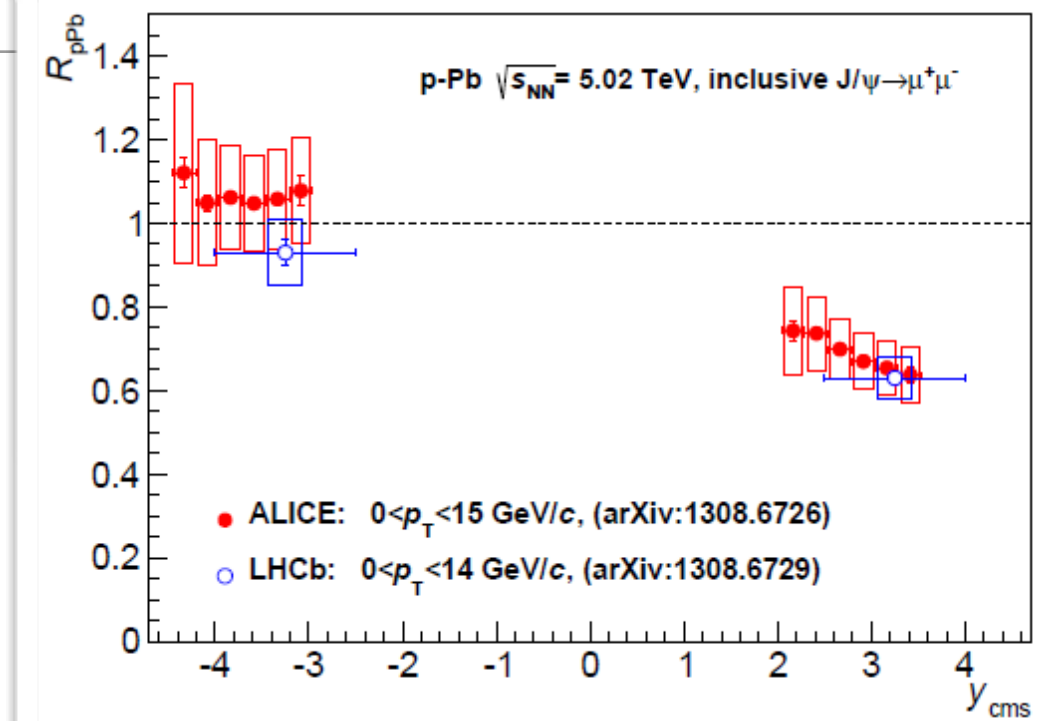
Charm quarks take part in the evolution of the system?

- * Models that include recombination of charm quark in a deconfined system can describe J/ ψ suppression.



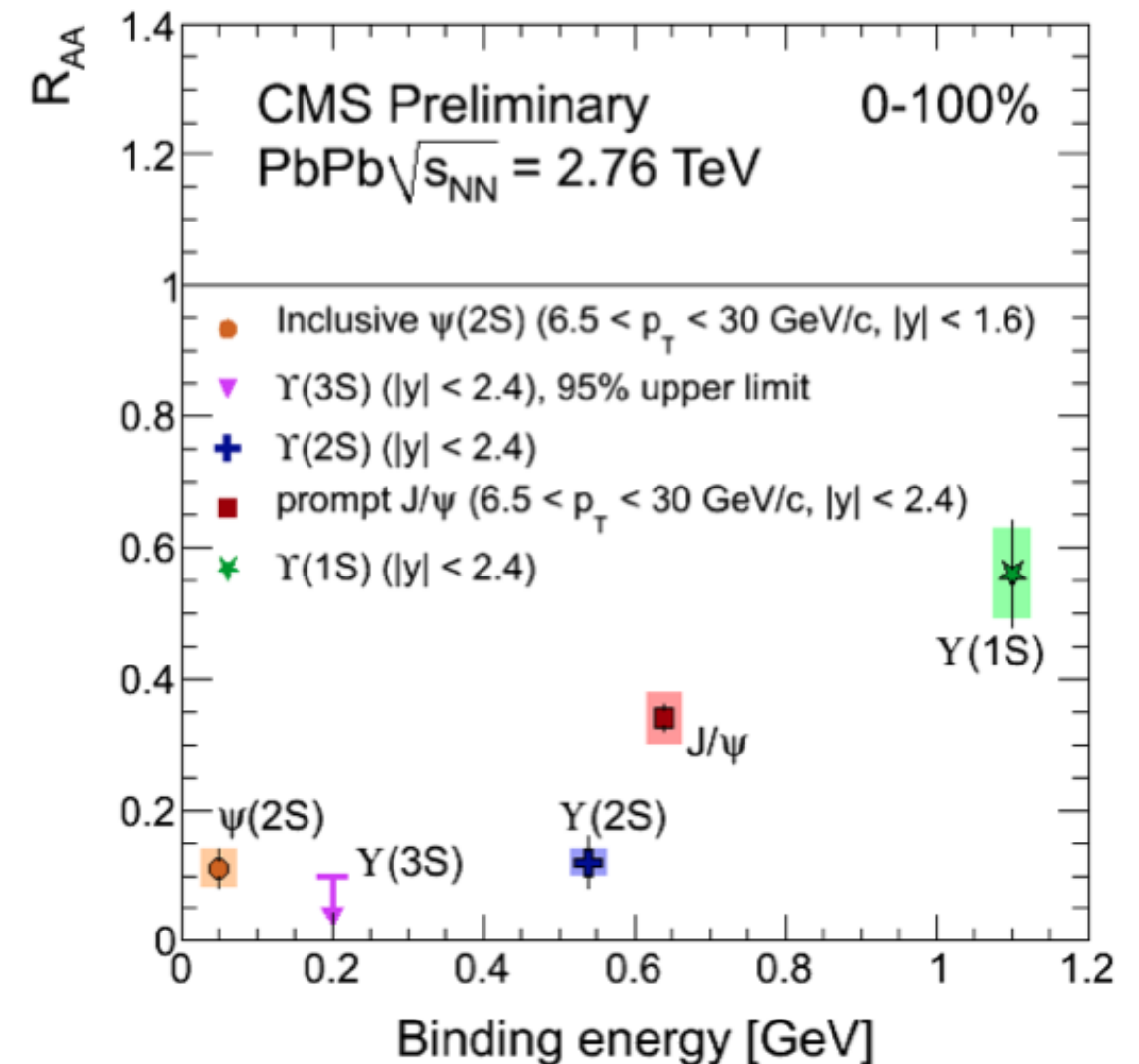
Quarkonia in pPb

- * Differently from open HF, J/ψ production is sensitive to cold nuclear matter effects:
- * at forward rapidity the J/ψ production is suppressed by about 20%
- * models including shadowing and coherent energy loss



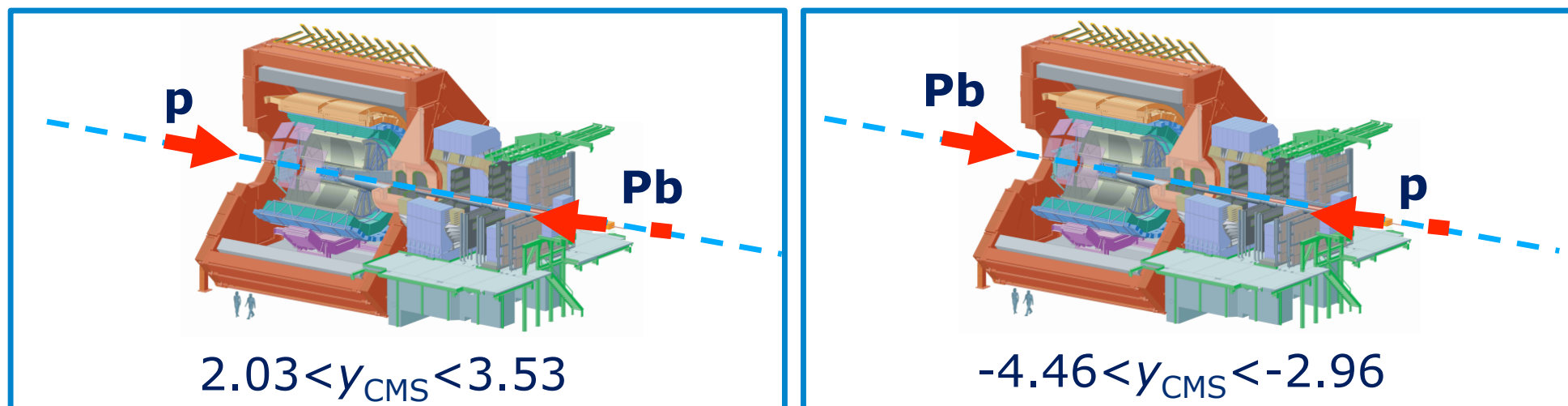
-onia suppression at LHC

- * Putting all quarkonia results together from the CMS experiment:
- * Excited states are always more suppressed than the ground state.
- * Is really binding energy driving the quarkonia suppression?
- * Important caveats:
 - * centrality and pT ranges
 - * regenerations
 - * initial state effects (pA!!)



J/ψ in pA collisions

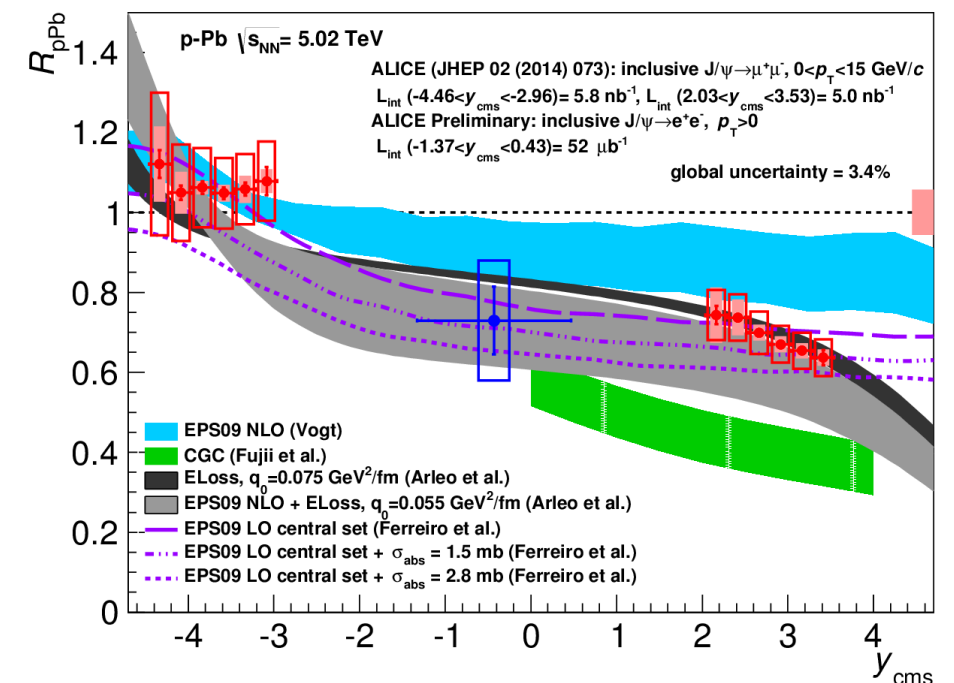
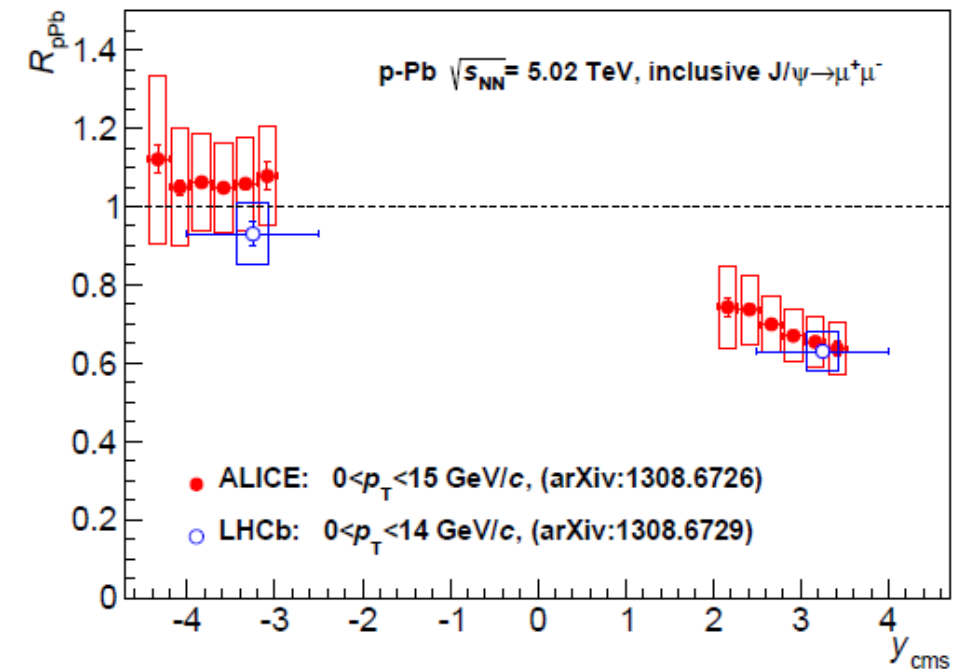
- * J/ψ production in pA collisions measured by the ALICE and LHCb detectors.
 - * Both of them are “asymmetric” detector for what concerns J/ψ reconstruction.
- * Data collected in two configurations:
 - * **p-Pb:**
 - * **p** going through the muon arm (forward direction)
 - * **x investigated:**
 - * **Pb-p:**
 - * **Pb** going through the muon arm (backward direction)
 - * **x investigated:**



J/ψ in pA collisions

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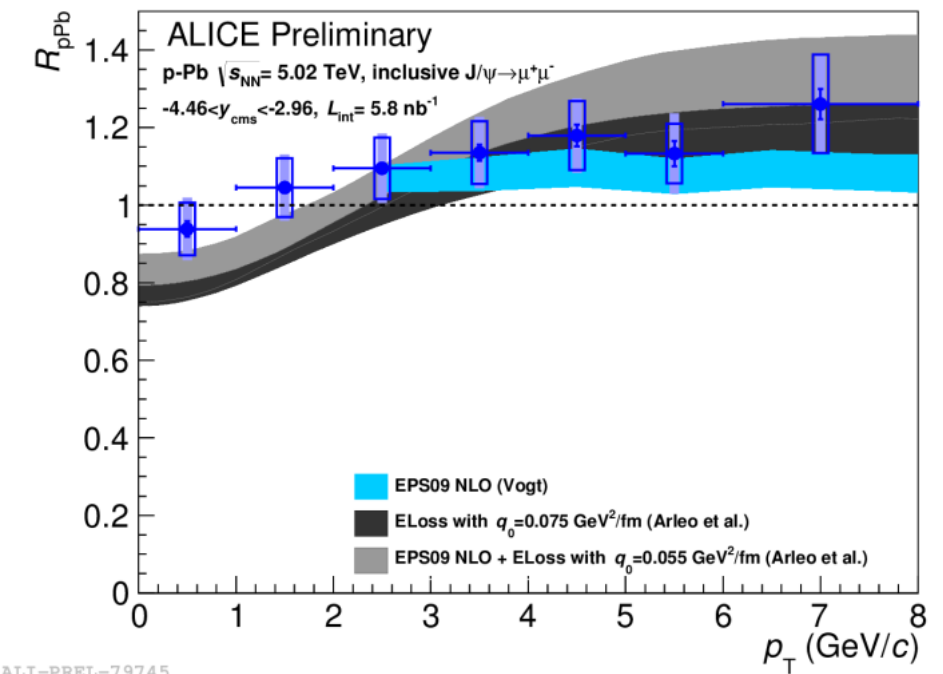
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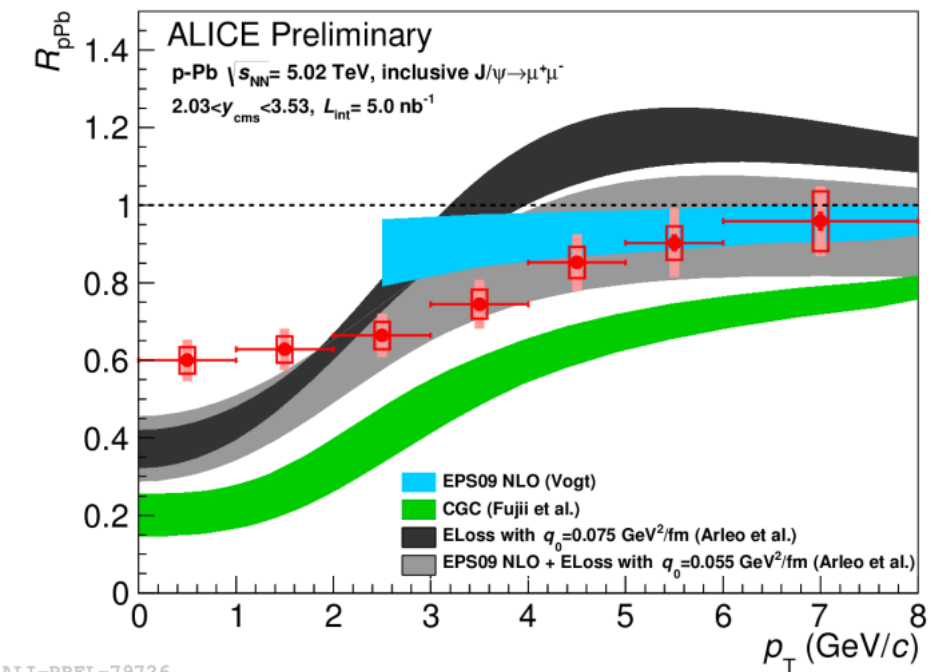
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- * models including shadowing and coherent energy loss
- * at forward rapidity the suppression seems to be driven by low-pT J/ψ
- * at backward rapidity the slight enhancement seems to be driven by high-pT J/ψ



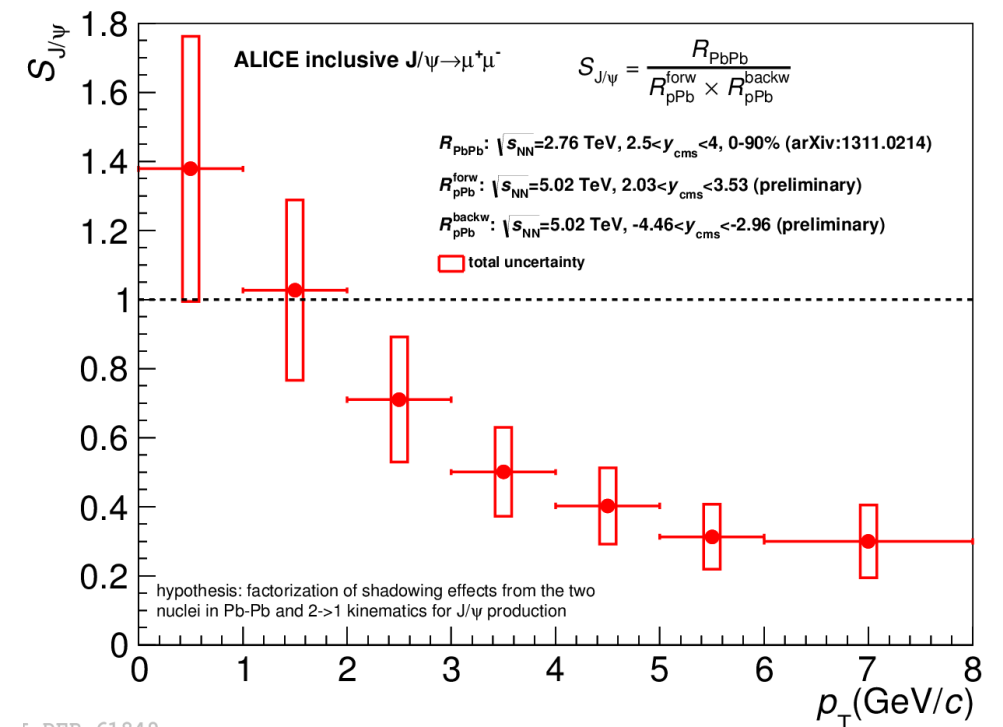
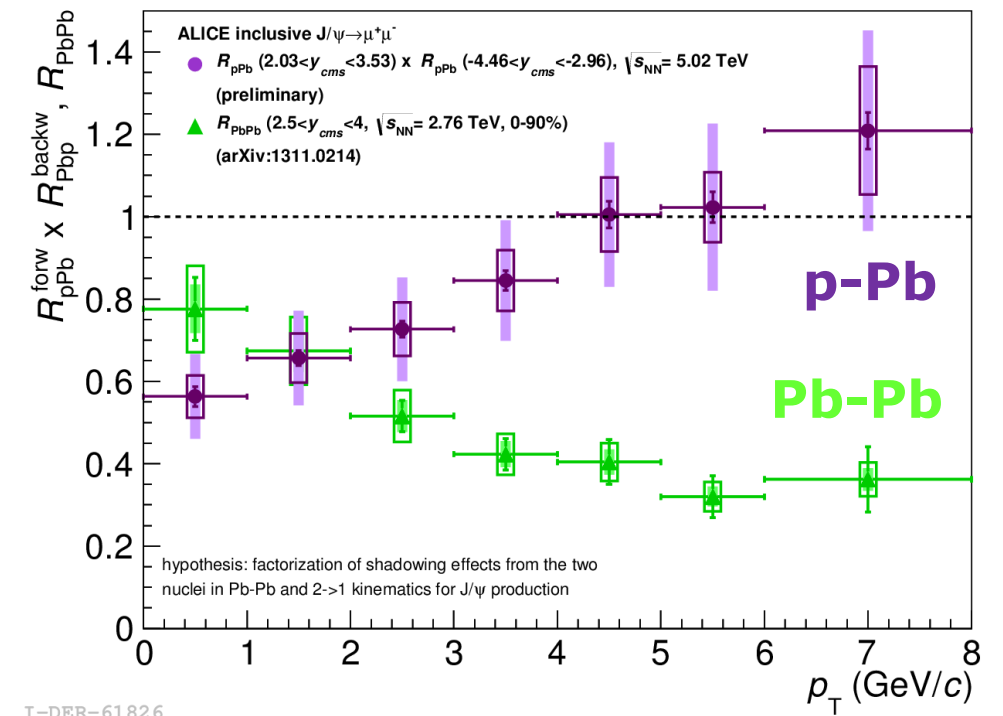
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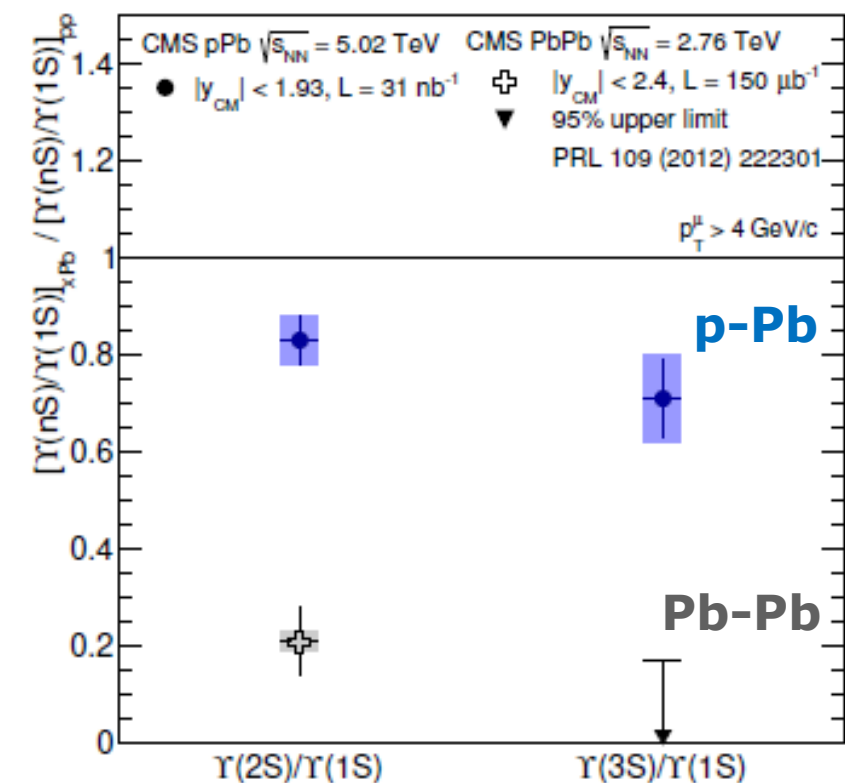
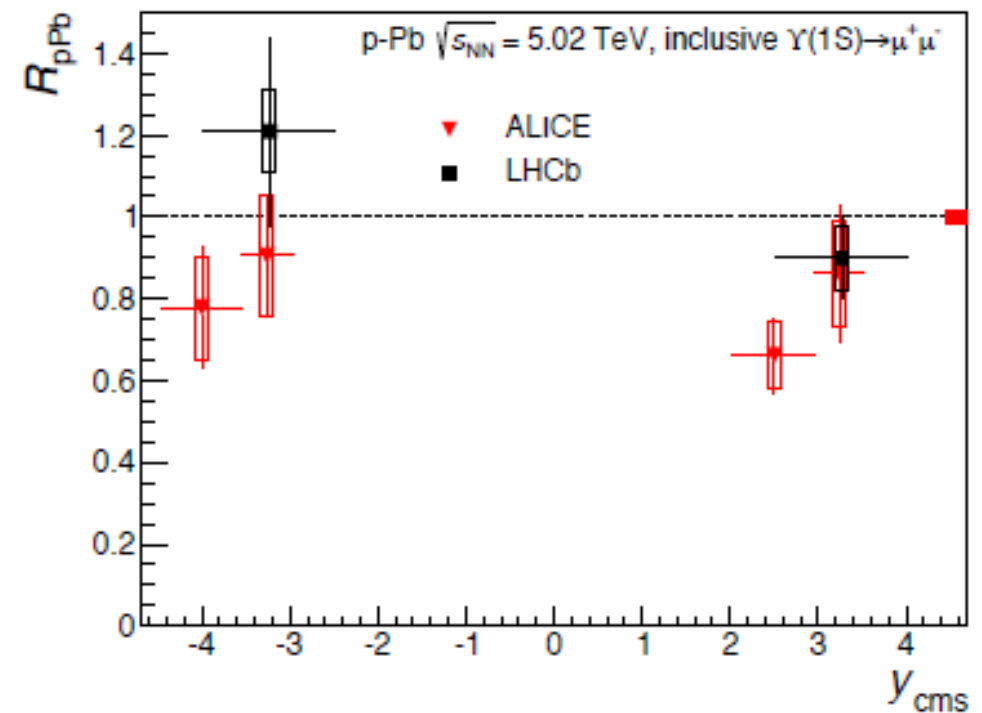
When we consider all data together...

- * Evaluate CNM effects with pA data:
 - * $2 \rightarrow 1$ kinematics for J/ψ production
 - * CNM effects factorize in pA
 - * CNM evaluated as $R_{pA} \times R_{Ap}$ since the x coverage is similar as PbPb
- * CNM effects don't explain the suppression observed at high- p_T , that it is then coming from hot medium effects.
- * Clear p_T trend observed when considering the ratio of the R_{AA} in the two collisions system:
 - * suppression at high- p_T
 - * enhancement at low- p_T



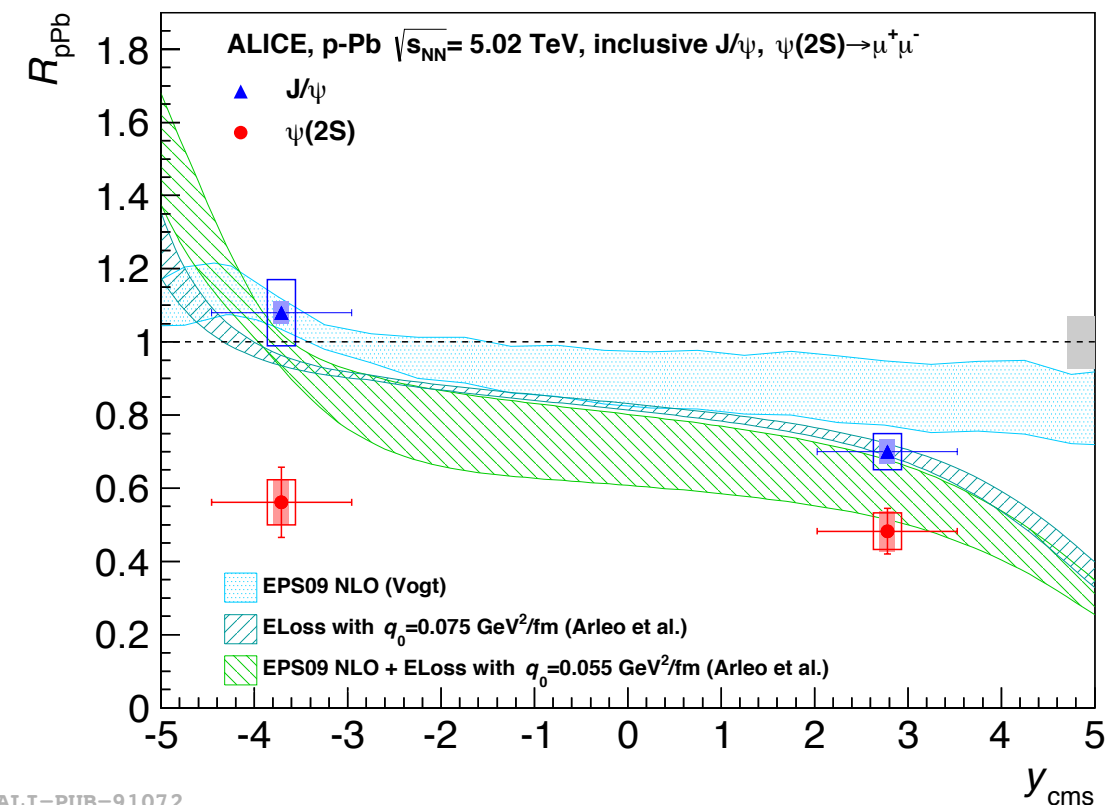
Υ production in p-Pb

- * Υ production in p-Pb collisions measured by ALICE and LHCb at forward rapidity, by CMS at mid-rapidity.
- * Similar suppression for $\Upsilon(1S)$ at forward and backward rapidity, even if LHCb data systematically higher than ALICE ones
- * In p-Pb collisions excited Υ states suppressed with respect to pp collisions.
- * Similar effects for the $\Upsilon(2S)$ and $\Upsilon(3S)$ with respect to the ground state.



$\psi(2S)$ in pPb

- R_{pPb} multiplicity and momentum integrated:
- Both backward and forward rapidity clear suppression observed. Final state effect?



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$\psi(2S)$ measured in

- **forward rapidity region**
- **$2.03 < y_{cmS} < 3.53$ (forward)**
- **$-4.46 < y_{cmS} < -2.96$ (backward)**
- **$p_T > 0$**

$\psi(2S)$ Q_{pPb}

$\psi(2S) \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$ measured in

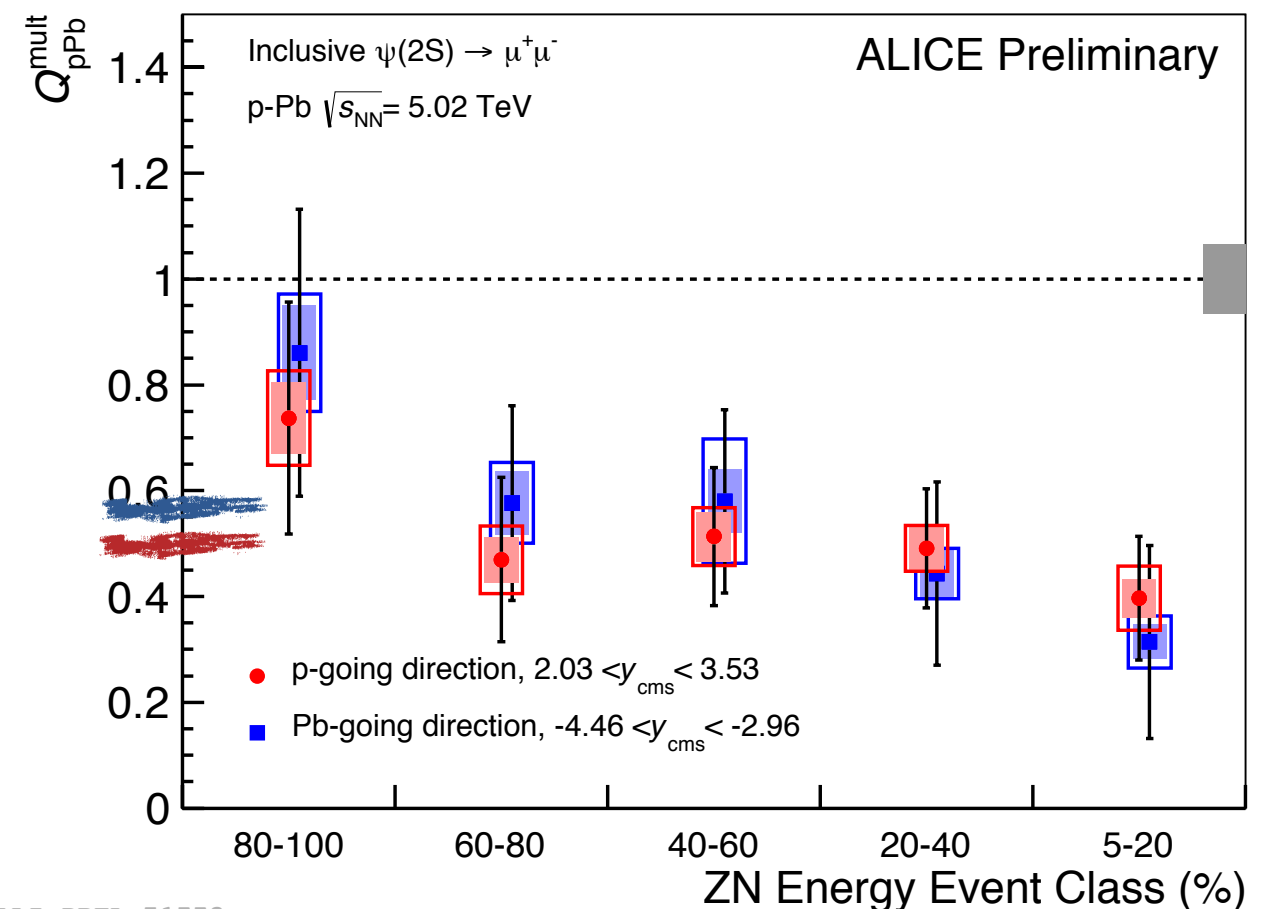
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- Focus on the ZN estimator that it is considered to be the less biased.

- Multiplicity integrated values for **backward** and **forward** rapidity



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Clear suppression of $\psi(2S)$

Increasing suppression from low to high multiplicity events

Similar suppression at both backward and **forward rapidity**

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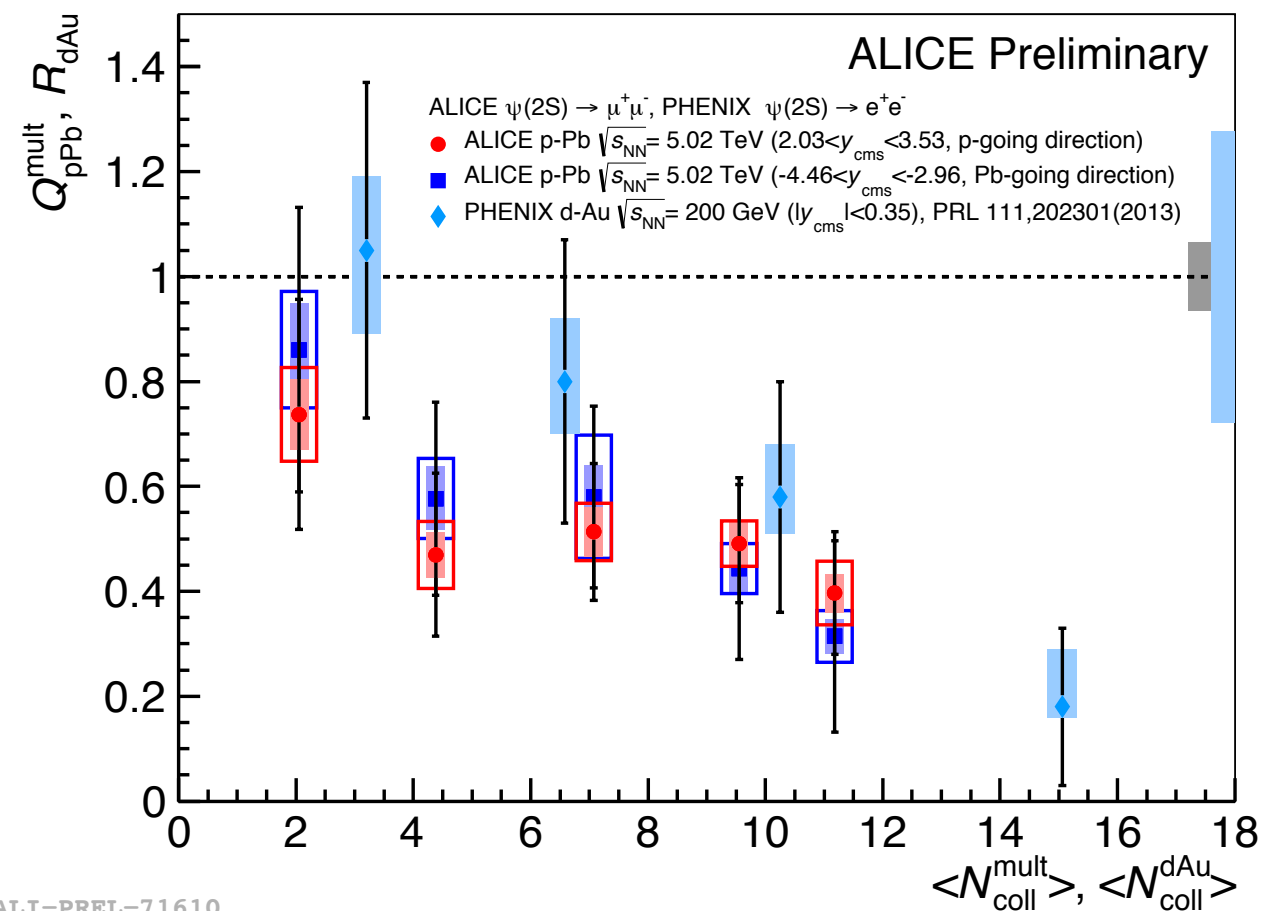
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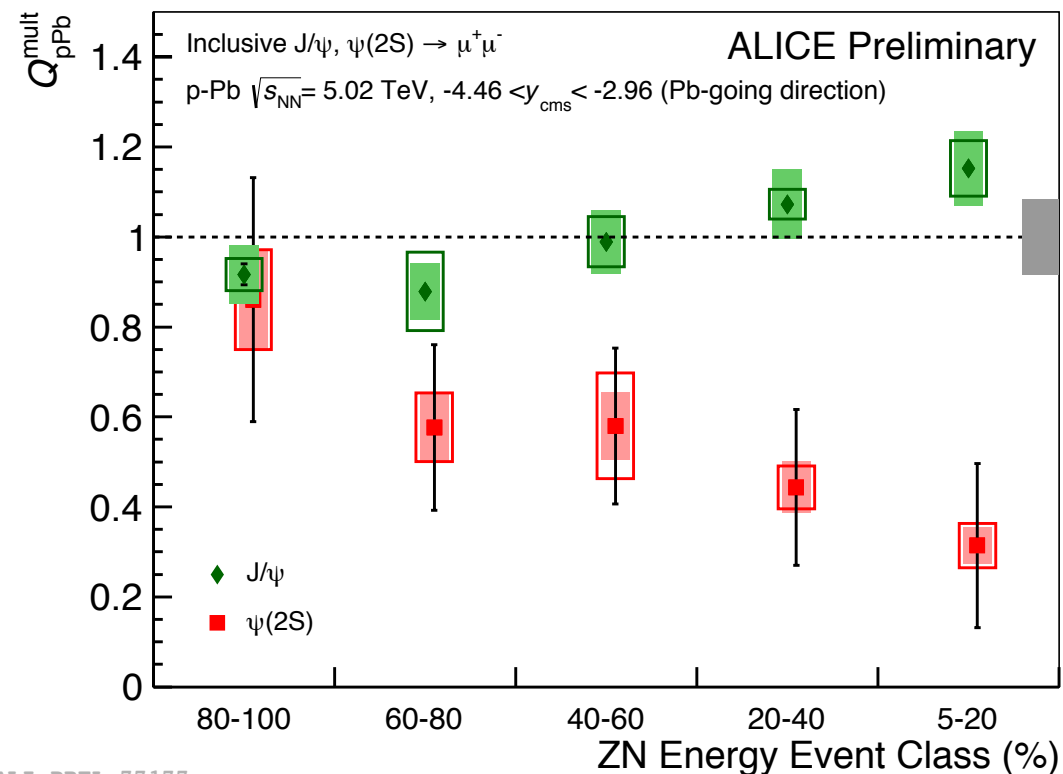
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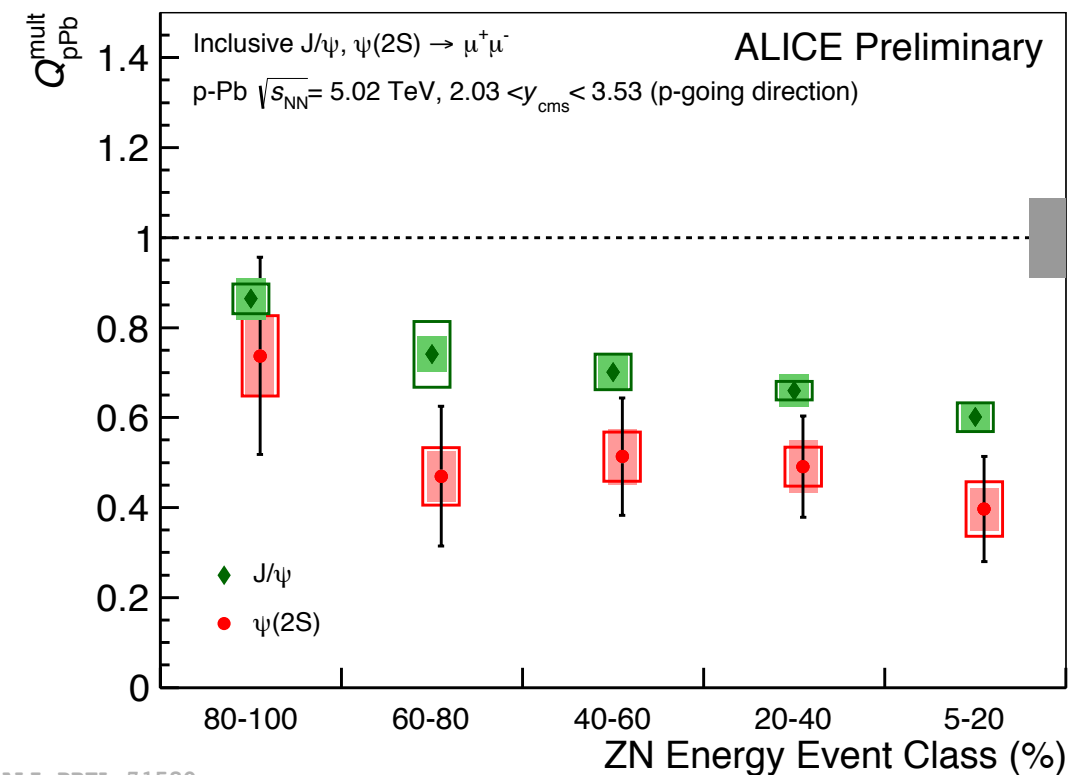
Similar trend observed at RHIC!

$\psi(2S)$ Q_{pPb}

Backward rapidity



Forward rapidity



Forward rapidity: J/ψ and $\psi(2S)$ show a similar decreasing trend vs event activity

Backward rapidity: J/ψ and $\psi(2S)$ clear different behavior, $\psi(2S)$ is more suppressed in high multiplicity events.

Wrap up (IV): Q_{pPb}

- D mesons: no multiplicity dependent modification of the spectra is observed within uncertainties.
- J/ψ Q_{pPb} :
 - ◆ **Backward rapidity**: Increase of Q_{pPb} for increased event activity; stronger enhancement at high- p_T
 - ◆ **Forward rapidity**: Decrease of Q_{pPb} for increased event activity; stronger suppression at low- p_T
- $\psi(2S)$ Q_{pPb} :
 - Increasing suppression from low to high multiplicity events
 - Similar suppression at both rapidities

