

## the Underlying Event in pp Collisions





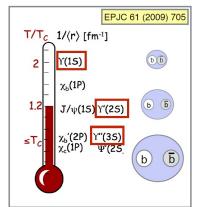
#### Big Picture

- Soft sector signatures that were once (uniquely) associated with a QGP have been measured in pp collisions
  - Most prominently "flow" which persists to low multiplicity pp & even photonuclear interactions
  - Strangeness enhancement
- It's more difficult to tell this story with hard sector observables
- Looking at Upsilon mesons and trying to bridge soft-hard gap

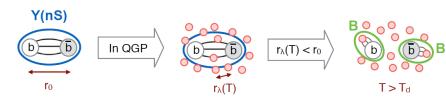


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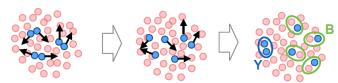
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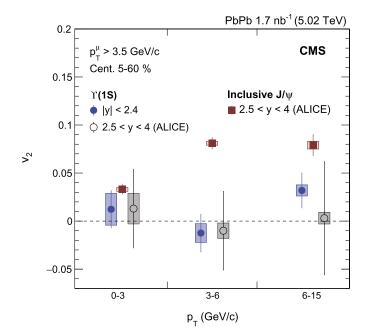


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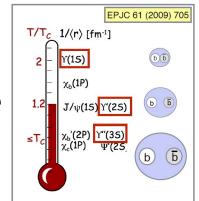




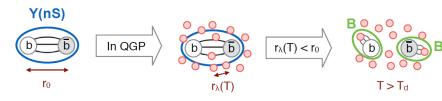


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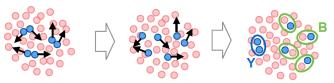
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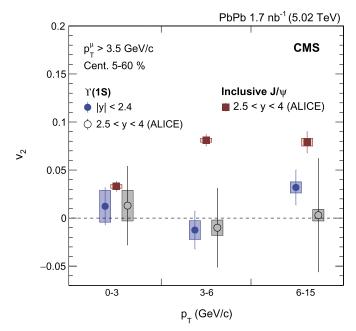


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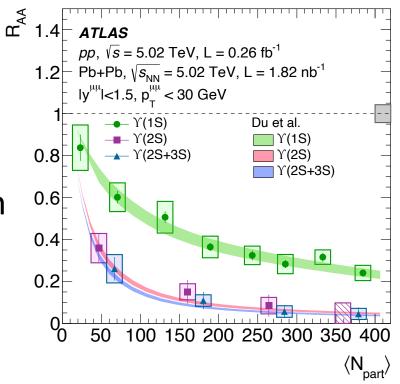
#### Upsilon Mesons in 5.02 TeV Pb+Pb & pp

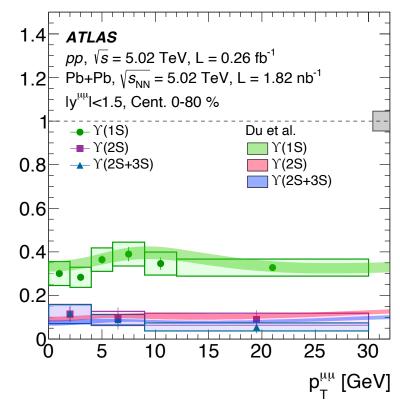
#### arXiv:2205.03042

Nuclear Modification

$$R_{AA} = \frac{N_{\Upsilon;AA}}{\langle T_{AA} \rangle \times \sigma^{pp \to \Upsilon}}$$

- Centrality and species dependent trends as expected from in-medium disassociation
- Looks like early (high T)
   disassociation 
   suppression compared to
   pp

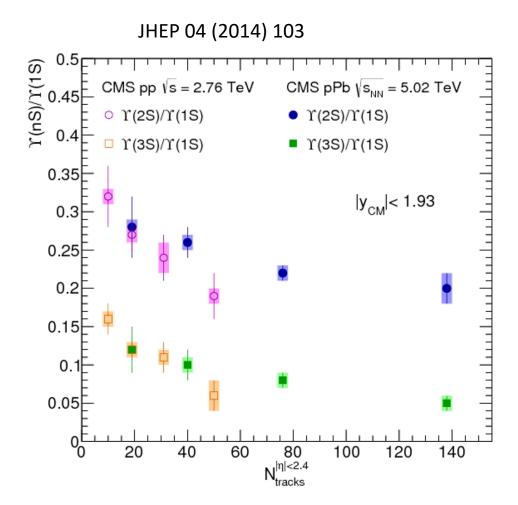






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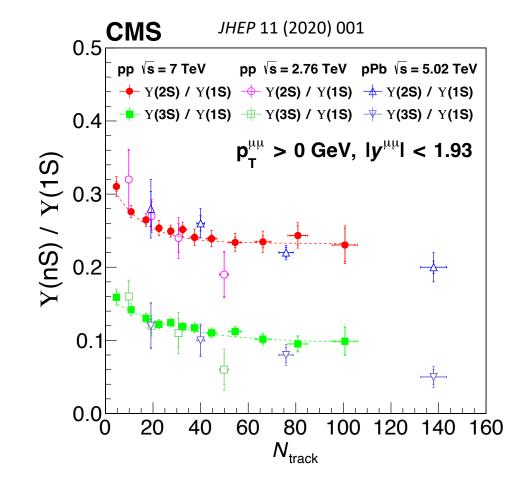
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- More detailed measurements in 2020





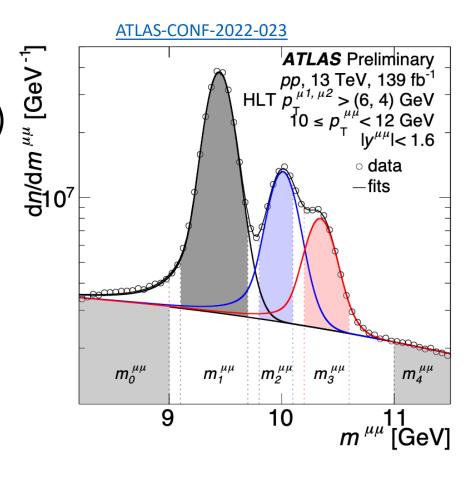
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- Full Run 2 high luminosity dataset, sampled with di-muon triggers
- Reconstruct Y(nS) → μμ
- Reconstruct inclusive charged particles

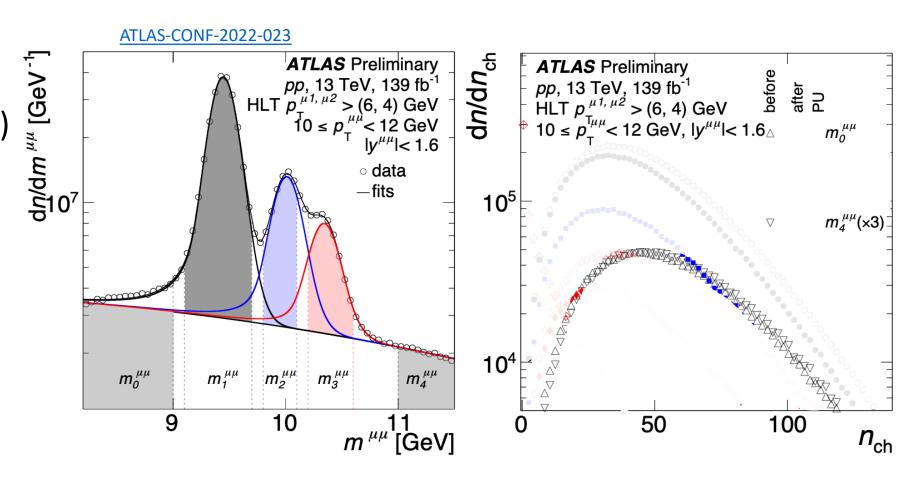


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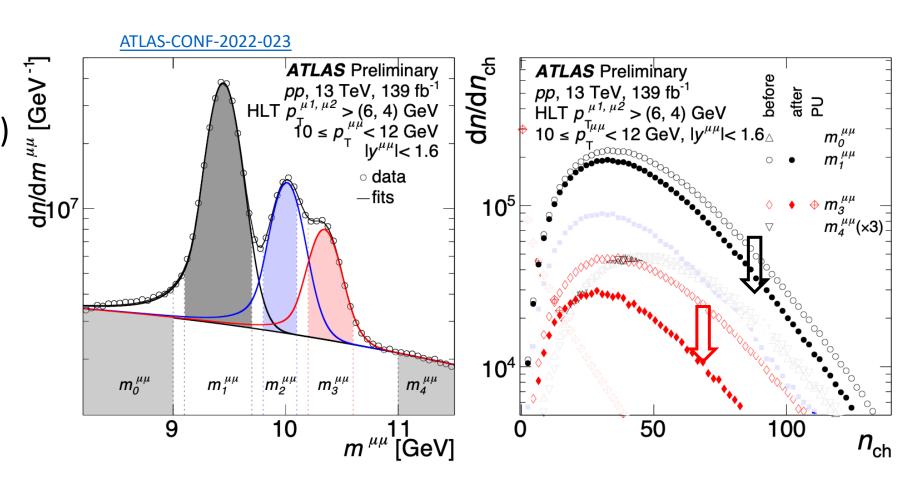


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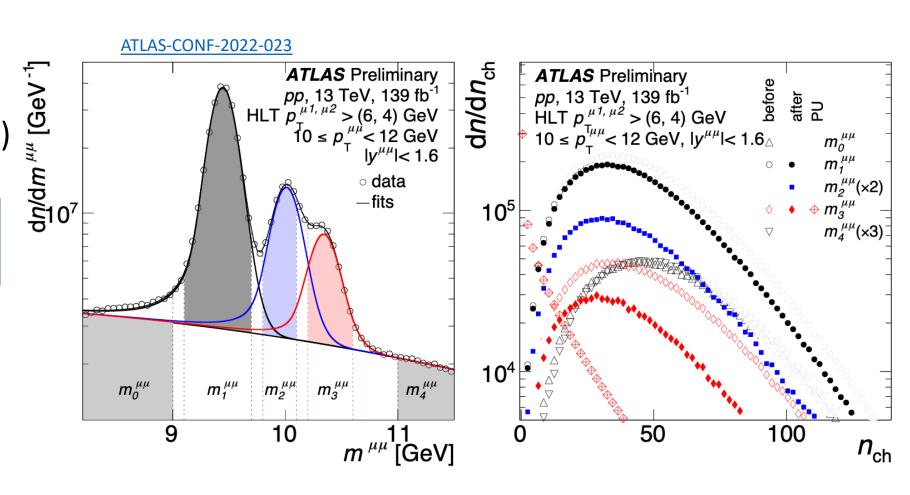


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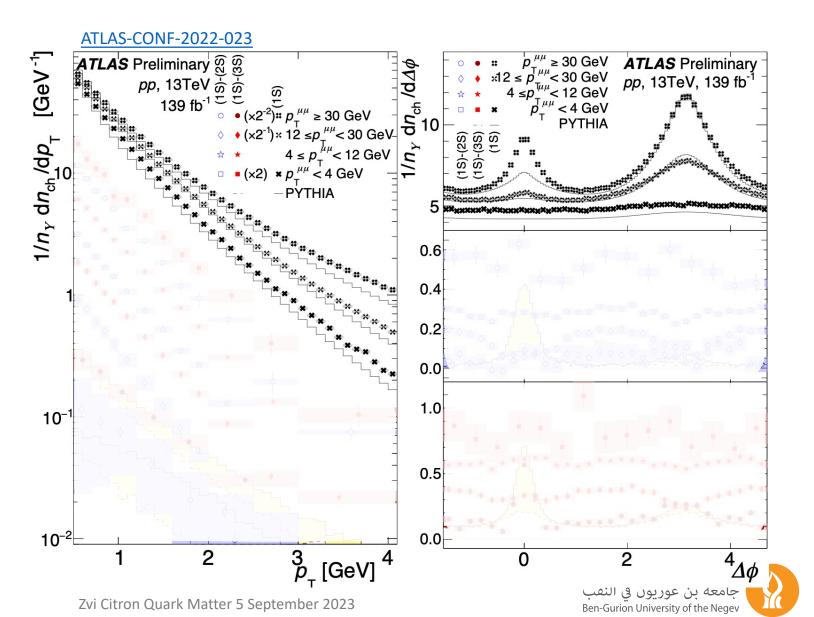
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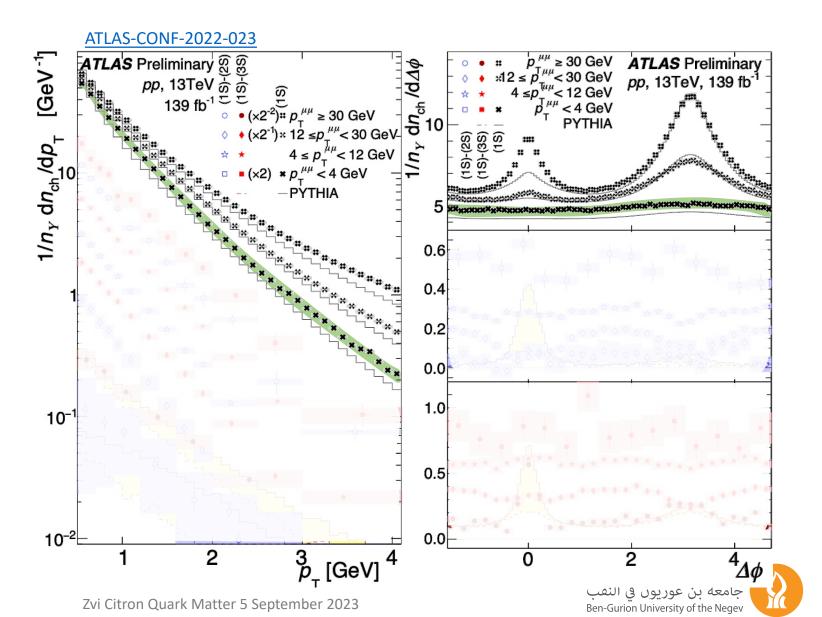
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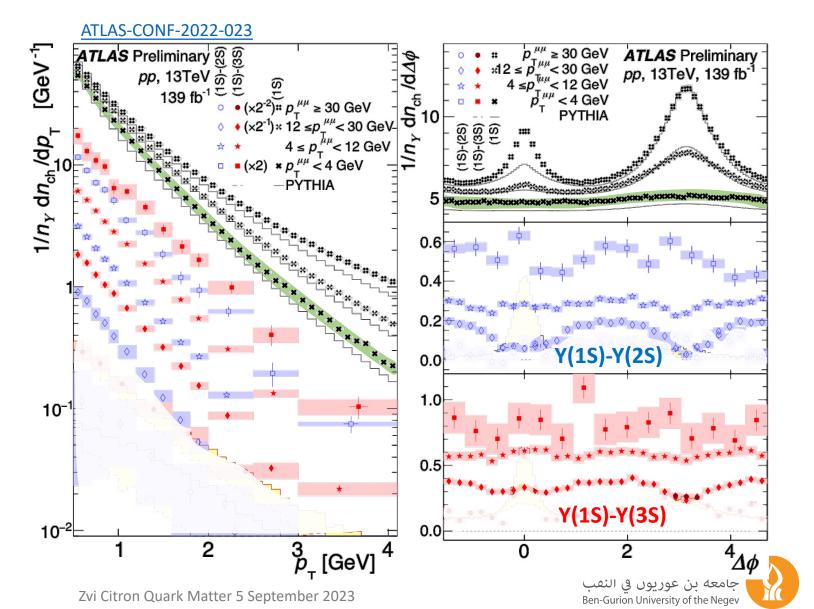
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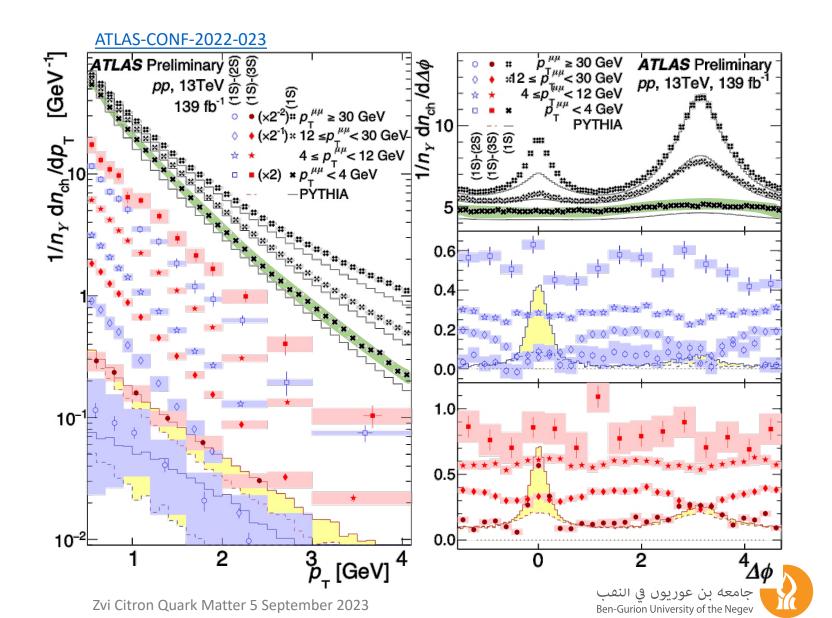
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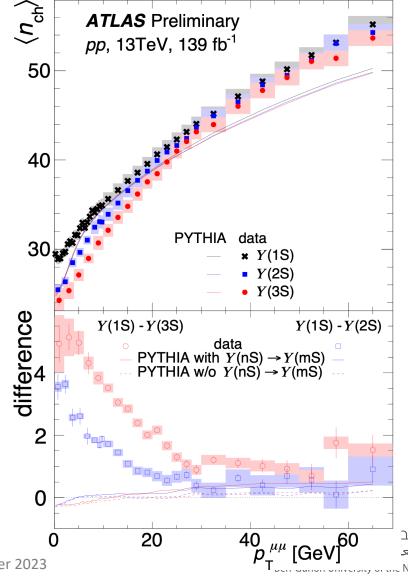




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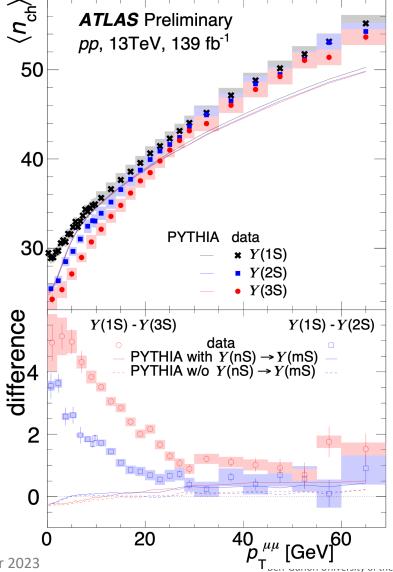
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Shift in UE
 multiplicity across
 different excitation
 states can be
 understood as
 suppression of
 excited states at
 higher multiplicity





### Is there Y(nS) Suppression in pp Collisions?

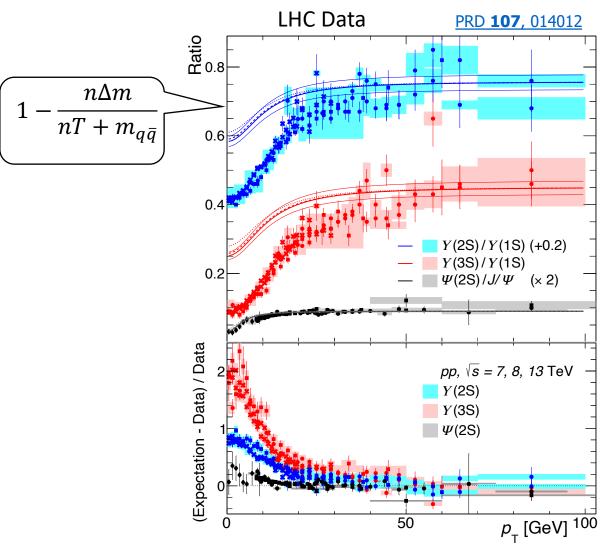
- As event multiplicity (should be UE) grows larger, excited Y states are, compared to the ground state, relatively less likely to be found
- Do the CMS and ATLAS results show some "QGP-like" quarkonium "melting"?
- Is it even a suppression? Maybe it's a lower state enhancement?
  - →In any case seems to be a hard UE correlated phenomenon



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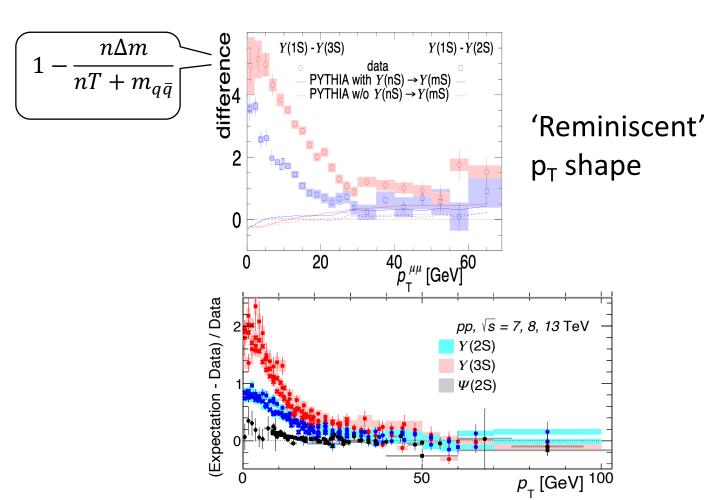
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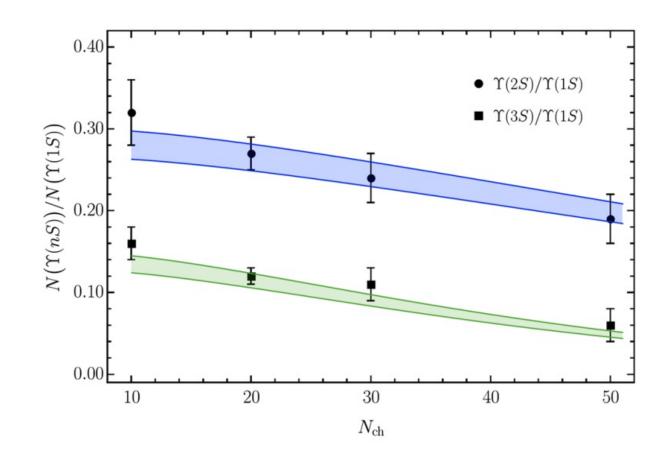




#### Co-mover Interaction Model (CIM)

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- Within CIM, quarkonia are broken by collisions with comovers – i.e. final state particles with similar rapidities.
- CIM is typically used to explain p+A and A+A systems, matches CMS Upsilon pp data.
- Could it reproduce ATLAS data? Crosssections?





#### Summary

- Comparing Pb+Pb and pp Upsilon production seems to fit some QGP expectations
- But pp "baseline" is not trivial
- Evidence from Upsilon mesons that there is some non-trivial interaction between the "UE" and a hard scattering in pp collisions
  - Appears to be a suppression of excited states
  - Effect is large and significant

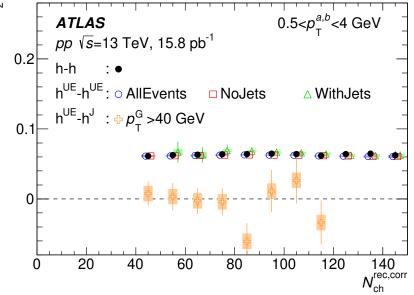


### Extra Slides



## Does Anything I Said Today Contradict the Recent ATLAS Results in arXiv:2303.17357?

- Easy to summarize as 'UE doesn't know about jets (i.e. hard scatter)'
- Easy summaries notwithstanding I don't think there is real tension
- Jet/non-jet flow measurement tells us that the ridge is not sensitive to hard contribution
- Excited upsilon suppression is still correlated with UE/bulk particles



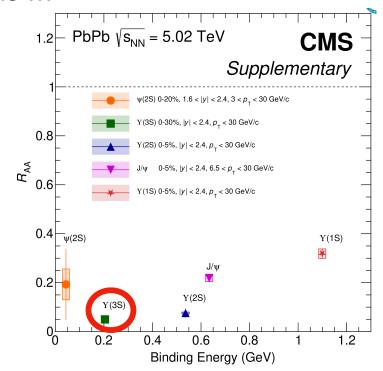
These results demonstrate that the magnitude of the  $v_2$  is not affected when removing tracks associated with jets, or by the presence or absence of jets in the event.

suggest a complete "factorization" between hard-scattering processes and the physics responsible for the ridge

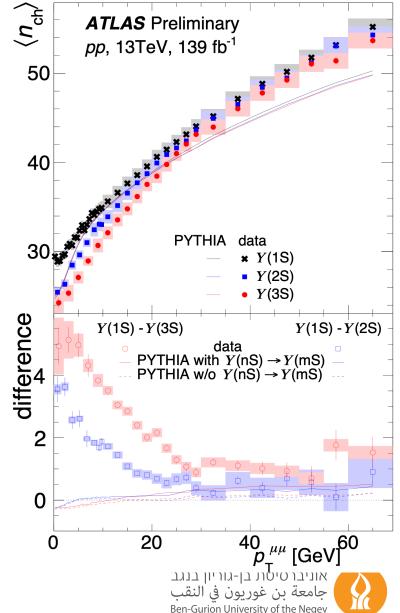


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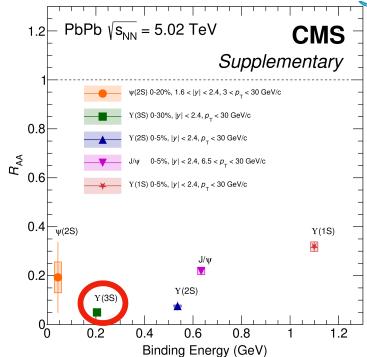


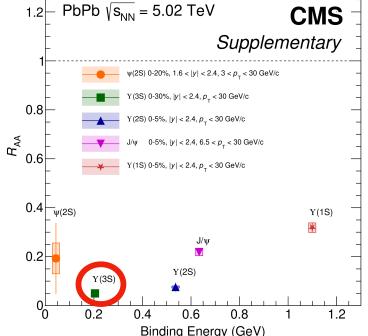




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Y(2S)/Y(1S) (+0.2)

 $pp, \sqrt{s} = 7, 8, 13 \text{ TeV}$ 

Y(3S)/Y(1S)

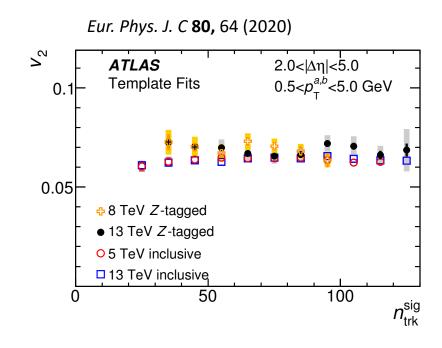
Y(2S) Y(3S)

 $\Psi$ (2S)

(Expectation - Data) / Data

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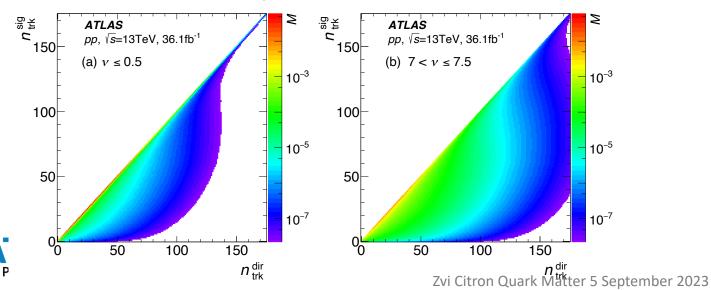
- In a previous study we asked: Does the presence of a hard scattering in the collision change "something-likegeometry" and consequently the observed "flow"?
- To answer we studied v<sub>2</sub> via 2particle correlations in pp collisions 'tagged' by a Z boson
- The answer to above question is not really

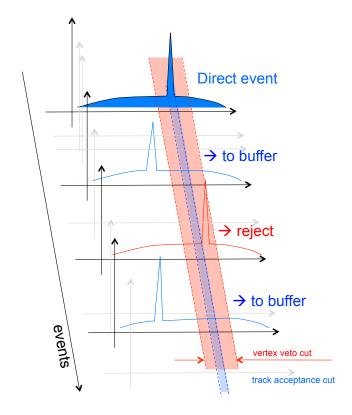




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- Developed techniques for HI-style analysis in high-luminosity pp collisions
  - We learned how to look at all tracks in the event even with high pile-up conditions
  - Starting thinking about where else this could be used ... **Upsilon mesons**!



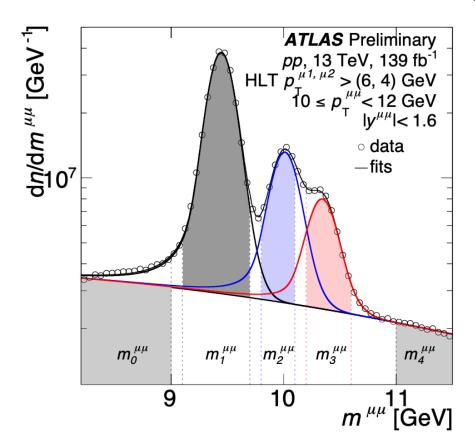


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#### Technical Fit Things



$$fit (m) = \sum_{nS} N_{\Upsilon(nS)} F_n(m) + N_{bkg} F_{bkg}(m)$$

$$F_n(m) = (1 - \omega_n) C B_n(m) + \omega_n G_n(m)$$
 Crystal Ball + Gaussian
$$F_{bkg}(m) = \sum_{i=0}^{3} a_i (m - m_0)^i; a_0 = 1$$
 Polynomial

$$\begin{pmatrix} P(m_0^{\mu\mu}) \\ P(m_1^{\mu\mu}) \\ P(m_2^{\mu\mu}) \\ P(m_3^{\mu\mu}) \\ P(m_4^{\mu\mu}) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1-f_{01} & f_{01} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ k_1 \left(1-s_1\right) & s_1 & 0 & 0 & \left(1-k_1\right) \left(1-s_1\right) \\ k_2 \left(1-s_2-f_{21}-f_{23}\right) & f_{21} & s_2 & f_{23} & \left(1-k_2\right) \left(1-s_2-f_{21}-f_{23}\right) \\ k_3 \left(1-s_3-f_{32}\right) & 0 & f_{32} & s_3 & \left(1-k_3\right) \left(1-s_3-f_{32}\right) \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} P_0 \\ P(\Upsilon(1S)) \\ P(\Upsilon(2S)) \\ P(\Upsilon(3S)) \\ P_4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$s_{n} = \frac{\int_{m_{n}^{\mu\mu}} N_{\Upsilon(nS)} F_{n}(m) dm}{\int_{m_{n}^{\mu\mu}} \operatorname{fit}(m) dm}$$

$$f_{nk} = \frac{\int_{m_{n}^{\mu\mu}} N_{\Upsilon(kS)} F_{k}(m) dm}{\int_{m_{n}^{\mu\mu}} \operatorname{fit}(m) dm}$$

$$k_{n} = \frac{\langle F_{\text{bkg}}(m) \rangle |_{m_{4}^{\mu\mu}} - \langle F_{\text{bkg}}(m) \rangle |_{m_{0}^{\mu\mu}}}{\langle F_{\text{bkg}}(m) \rangle |_{m_{0}^{\mu\mu}}}$$



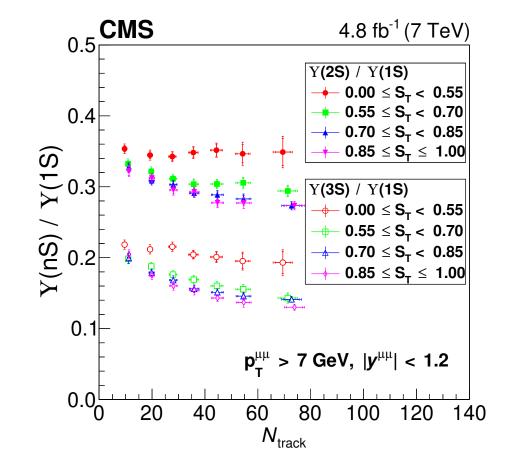
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  - Including analysis of event geometry via spherocity, which suggests effect is connected

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$$egin{align} S_{\mathrm{T}} &\equiv rac{2\lambda_2}{\lambda_1 + \lambda_2}, \ S_{xy}^T &= rac{1}{\sum_i p_{\mathrm{T}i}} \sum_i rac{1}{p_{\mathrm{T}i}} egin{pmatrix} p_{xi}^2 & p_{xi}p_{yi} \ p_{xi}p_{yi} & p_{yi}^2 \end{pmatrix} \end{split}$$



$$S_T = 0 \rightarrow \text{jet-like}$$
  
 $S_T = 1 \rightarrow \text{not jet-like}$ 

#### Systematics Summary

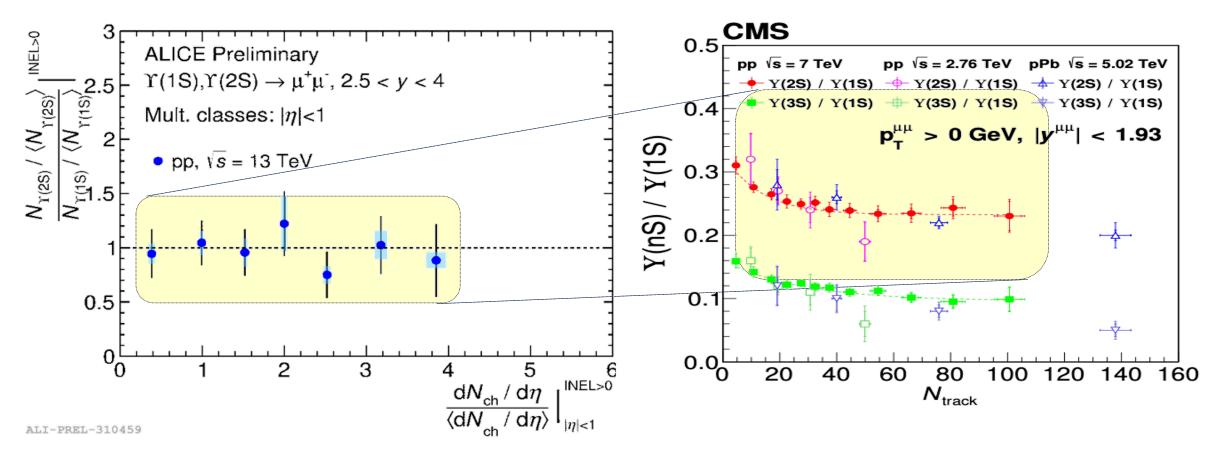
	$p_{\mathrm{T}}^{\mu\mu} \leq 4 \; \mathrm{GeV}$	$4 < p_{\mathrm{T}}^{\mu\mu} \le 12 \mathrm{GeV}$	$12 < p_{\rm T}^{\mu\mu} \le 30 {\rm GeV}$	$p_{\rm T}^{\mu\mu} > 30 \text{ GeV}$
$\Upsilon(1S)$	0.5 - 0.6	0.5 - 0.7	0.7 - 0.8	0.8 - 0.9
$\Upsilon(2S)$	0.6 - 0.6	0.5 - 0.7	0.7 - 0.8	0.8 - 1.0
$\Upsilon(3S)$	0.9 - 1.3	0.5 - 0.8	0.7 - 0.8	0.8 - 0.9
$\Upsilon(1S) - \Upsilon(2S)$	0.11 - 0.15	0.06 - 0.10	0.12 - 0.21	0.2 - 0.5
$\Upsilon(1S) - \Upsilon(3S)$	0.6 - 0.9	0.14 - 0.36	0.14 - 0.15	0.16 - 0.19

Table 1: Systematic uncertainties for measurements of  $\langle n_{\rm ch} \rangle$  and their differences for different  $\Upsilon(nS)$  states and for the difference between  $\langle n_{\rm ch} \rangle$  measured for  $\Upsilon(1S) - \Upsilon(nS)$ . The values are the number of charged particles with  $0.5 \le p_{\rm T} < 10$  GeV and  $|\eta| < 2.5$ .

Shown here in "units" of  $n_{\text{ch}}$  but propagated to all quantities



#### Does the rapidity matter?



ALICE result on forward (normalized)  $\Upsilon(2S)/\Upsilon(1S)$  vs (normalized) tracks at midrapidity

Looks flat unlike CMS, but must be careful about sensitivity of observables

