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Heavy quarks and quarkonia (Theory)

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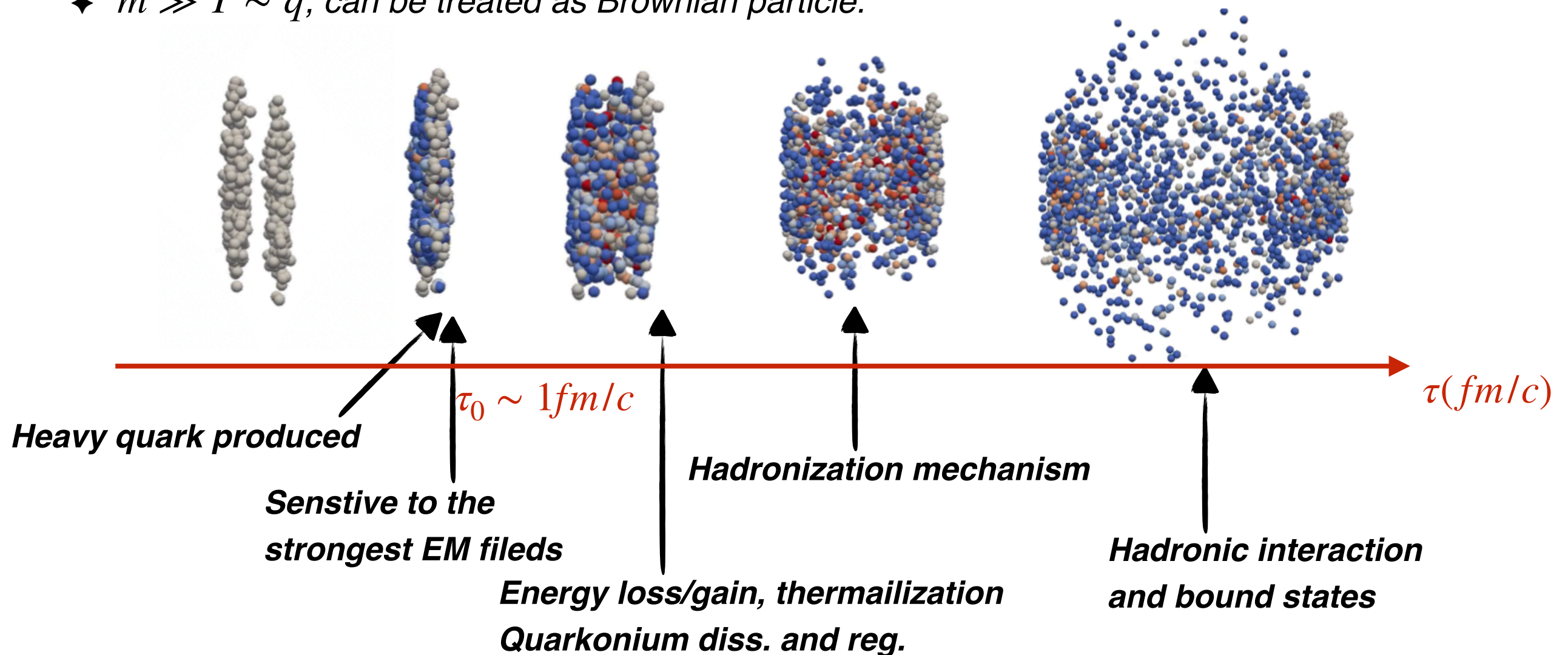
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Heavy quark in Heavy ion collisions

$$m_c \sim 1.5\text{GeV}, m_b \sim 4.7\text{GeV}$$

- ◆ $\tau_c \sim 1/m_c, \tau_b \sim 1/m_b < \tau_0 \sim 1\text{fm}/c$, “see” full system evolution.
- ◆ $\tau_c, \tau_b < \tau_B \approx R/\gamma \sim 0.1\text{fm}/c$, feel strong electromagnetic fields.
- ◆ $m_c, m_b \gg \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}$, produced by hard scattering, pQCD.
- ◆ $m_c, m_b \gg T$, Number is conserved during the evolution (thermal production can be neglected).
- ◆ $m \gg T \sim q$, can be treated as Brownian particle.



Heavy flavor is a nice probe to each stage of HIC and very useful to study the hot QCD!

I. *Open Heavy Flavor*

- ❖ *Heavy quark production and correlation*
- ❖ *Heavy quark energy loss in the Quark-gluon plasma*
- ❖ *Heavy quark hadronization*

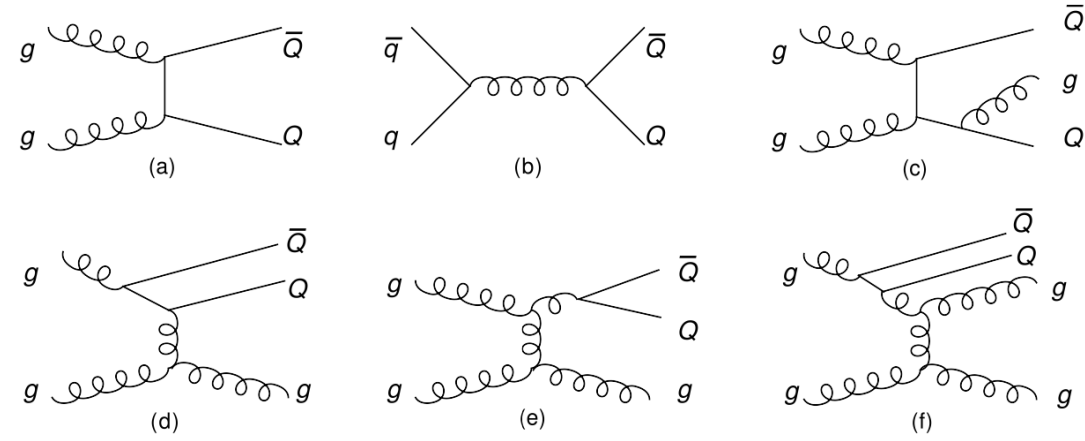
Heavy quark production and correlation

$$\sigma_{Q\bar{Q}} \propto f_i^A(x_1, \mu_F) f_j^B(x_2, \mu_F) \otimes \sigma_{ij \rightarrow Q\bar{Q}+X}$$

Parton distribution function (PDFs)

Hard scattering (pQCD)

LO & NLO



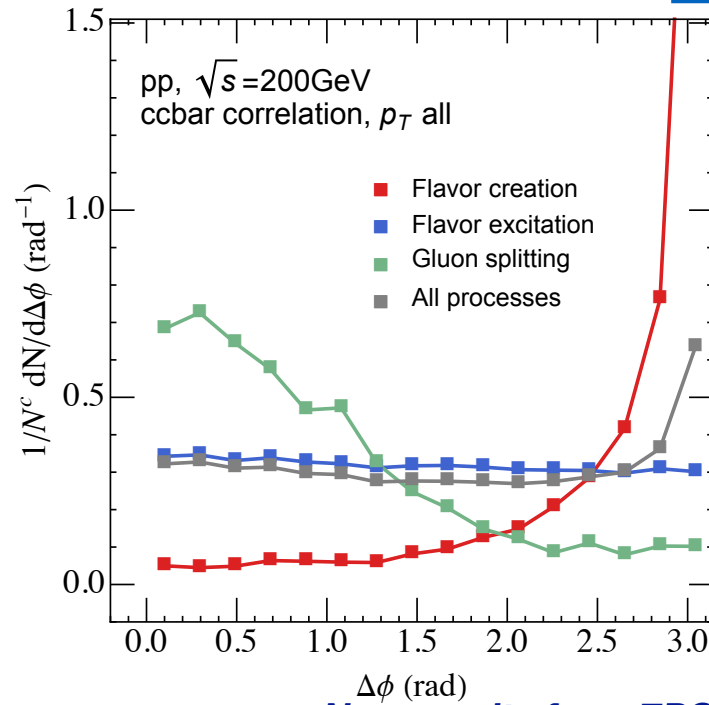
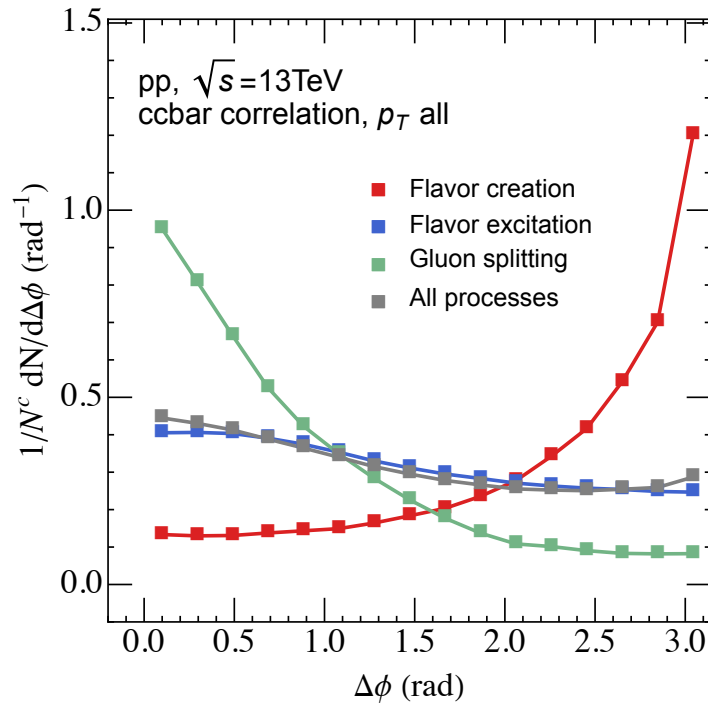
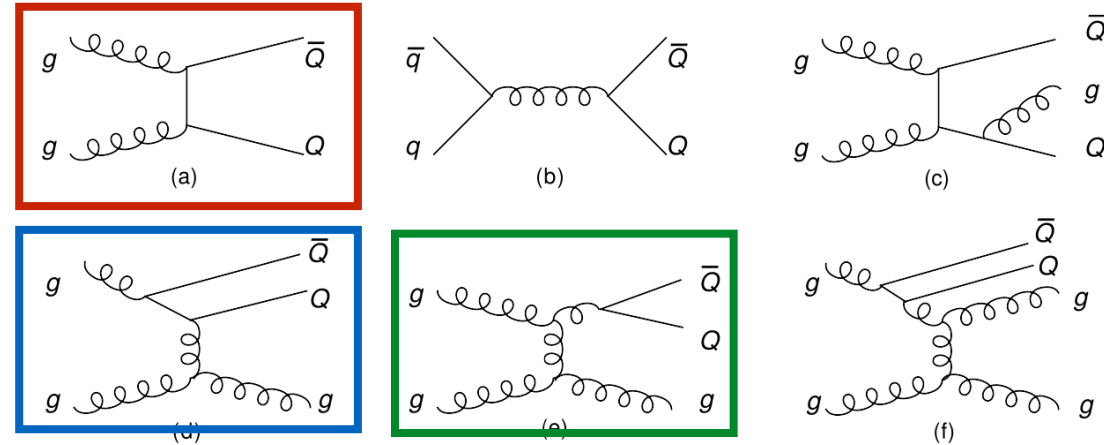
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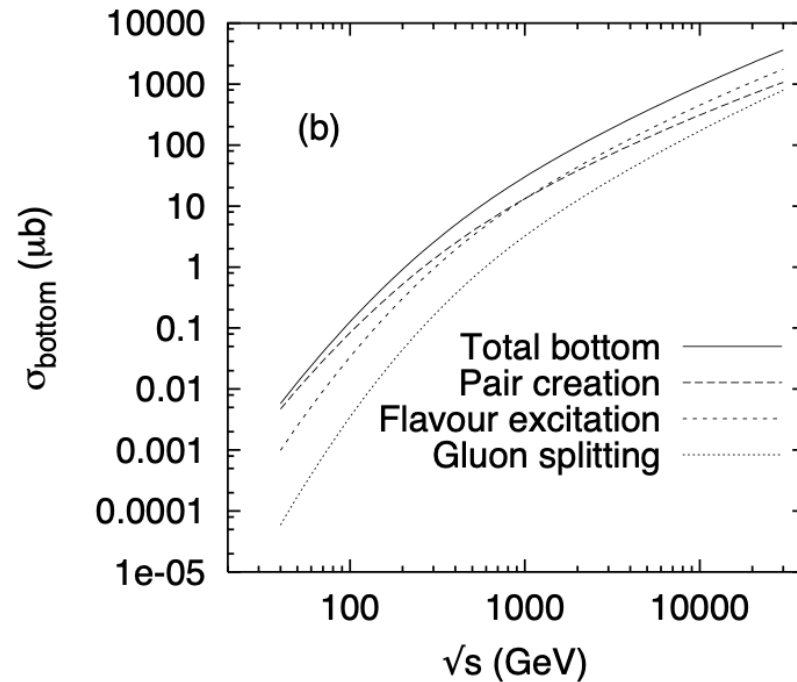
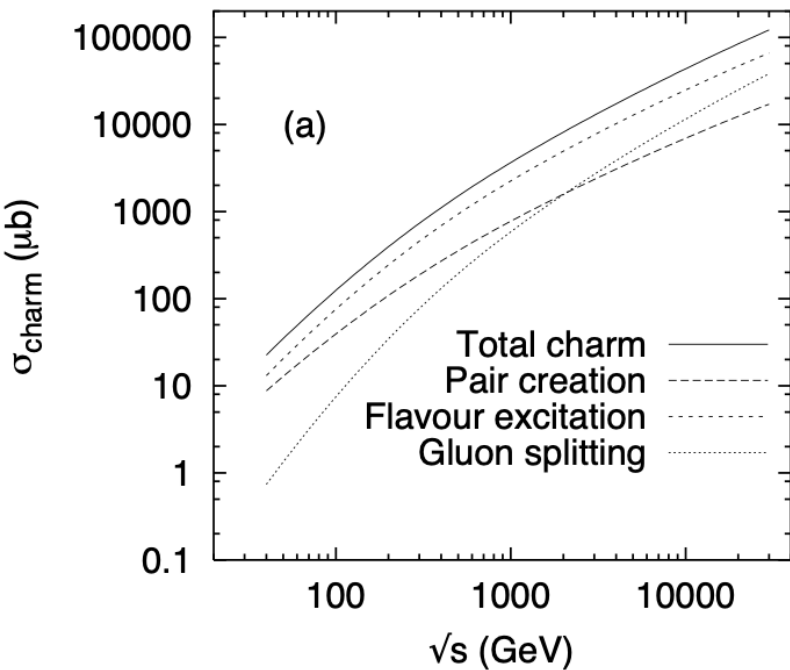
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New results from EPOS4

- c-cbar are correlated
- Flavor creation: back to back
- Gluon splitting: forward
- Flavor excitation: flat

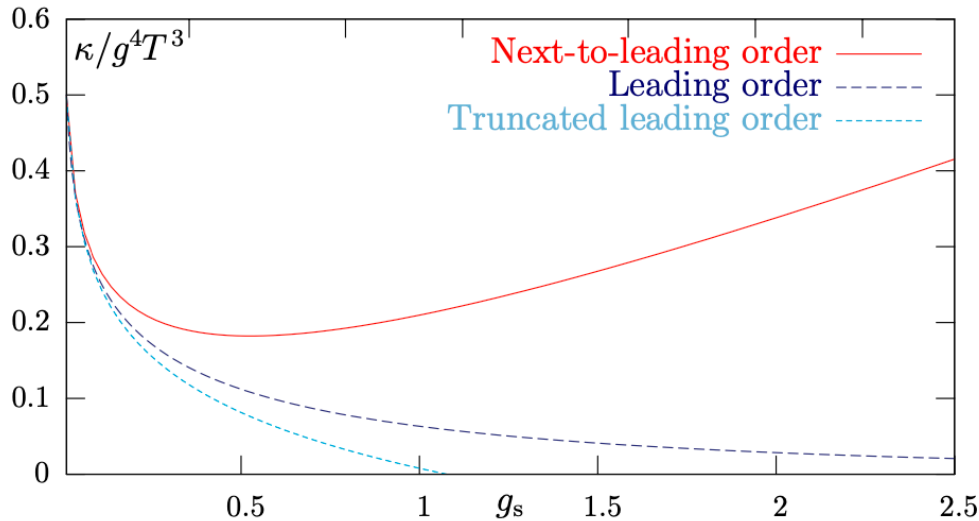
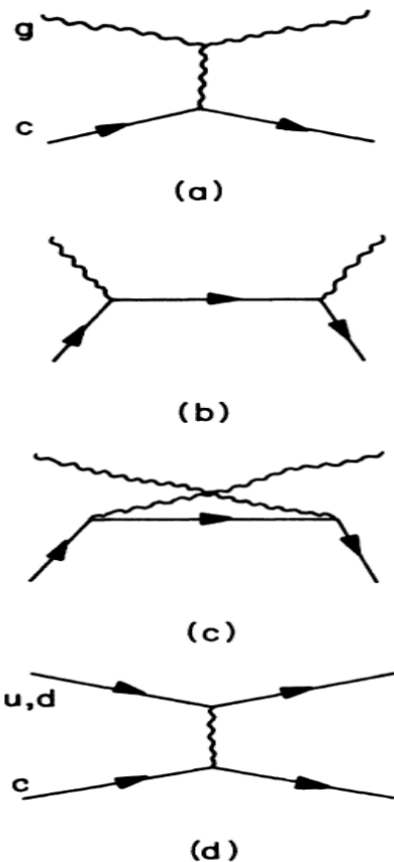
Flavor creation becomes important as energy decreasing, while Gluon splitting becomes important as energy increasing.



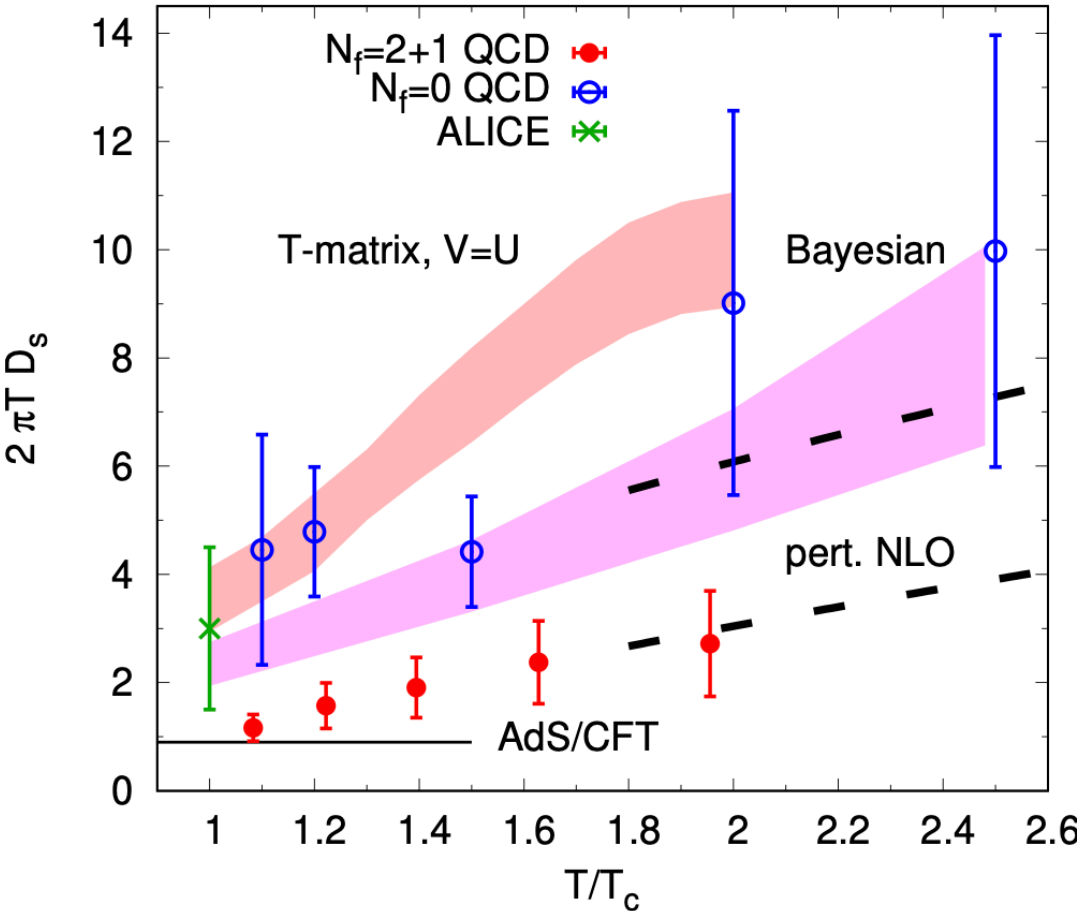
The correlation can be (has) measured in the experiment and important to quarkonium production!

Collisional and radiative energy loss in the hot medium

HQs suffer collisional and radiative energy loss in the QGP, can be simulated by *Boltzmann/Langevin equations*.



S. Caron-Huot, G. Moore, JHEP02(2008)081.
poor convergence of NLO!



non-perturbative method required (lattice QCD, T-matrix,..)

momentum diffusion coefficient:

$$\kappa = \lim_{\omega \rightarrow 0} \frac{2T \rho_E(\omega)}{\omega}$$

$$D_s = 2T^2 / \kappa$$

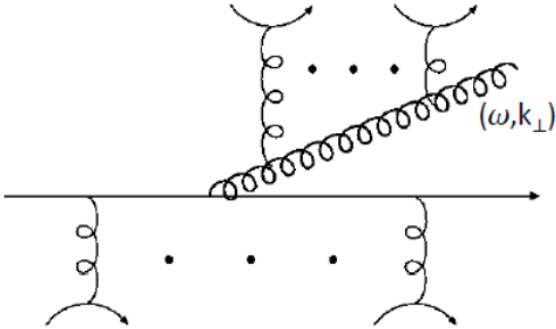
Olaf Kaczmarek et al, arXiv: 2302.08501

See also: O. Kaczmarek, HP2023, Wed. 09:40

Spatial diffusion coefficient is found to be significantly smaller than previous quenched lattice QCD and recent phenomenological estimates —> thermalized easily!

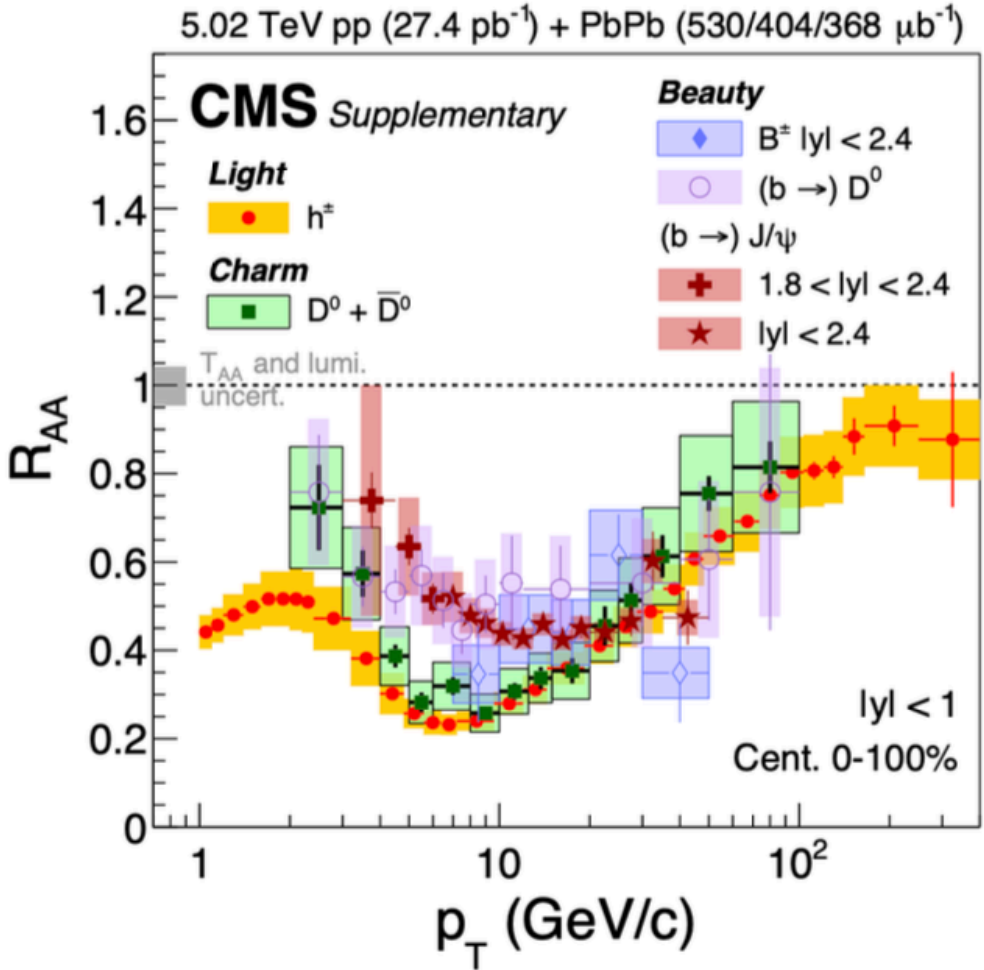
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Many approaches have been developed to simulate the radiative energy loss, such as the GLV, Higher Twist, AMY, ...

M. Gyulassy, P. Levai, and I. Vitev, *Phys. Rev. Lett.* 85, 5535 (2000)
 B. Zhang, E. Wang, and X. Wang, *Phys. Rev. Lett.* 93, 072301 (2004) .
 P. B. Arnold, G. D. Moore, and L. G. Yaffe, *JHEP* 06, 030 (2002).
 P. Gossiaux, J. Aichelin, T. Gousset and V. Guiho, *J.Phys.G* 37 (2010) 094019.



The radiative energy loss dominates at high p_T while collisional energy loss play at low p_T .

Energy loss hierarchy:

$$\Delta E_b < \Delta E_c < \Delta E_q < \Delta E_g$$

Reflected to the R_{AA} :

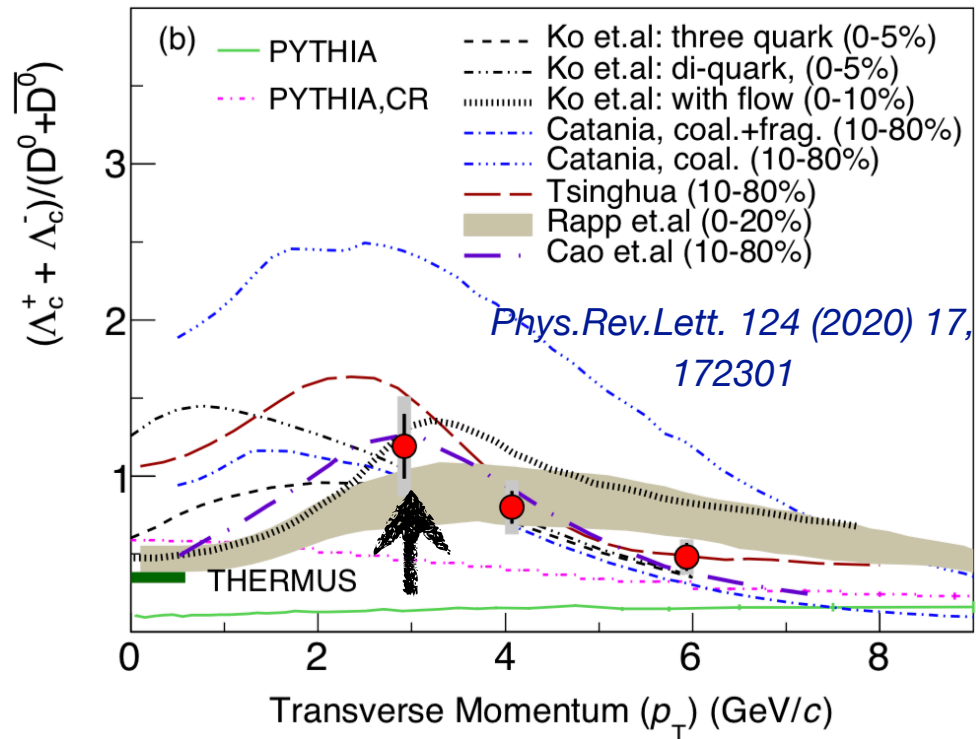
$$R_{AA}(\text{bottom}) > R_{AA}(\text{charm})$$

$$R_{AA}(p_T) = \frac{1}{\langle N_{coll} \rangle} \frac{dN_{AA} / dp_T}{dN_{pp} / dp_T}$$

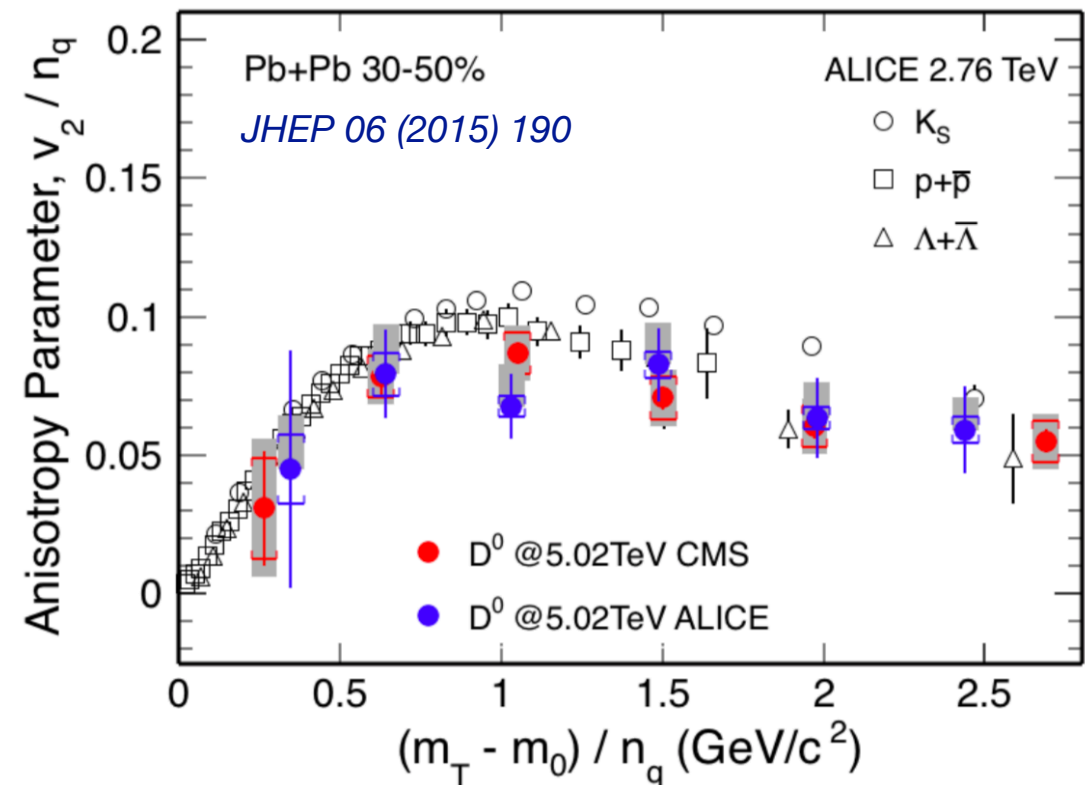
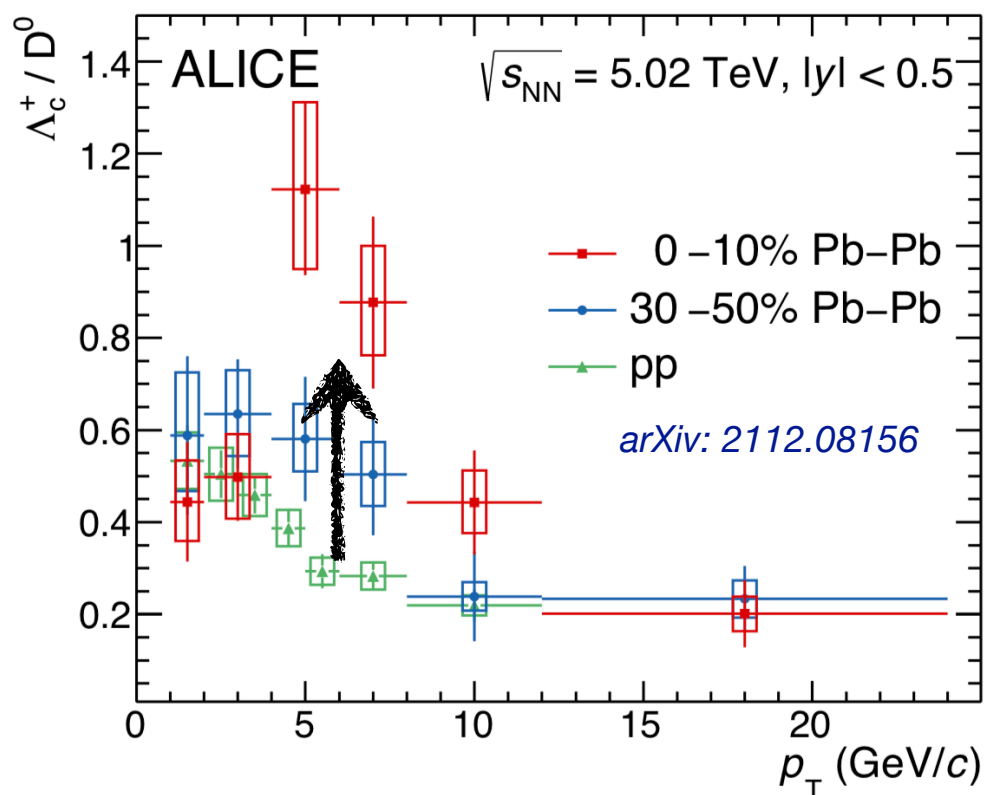
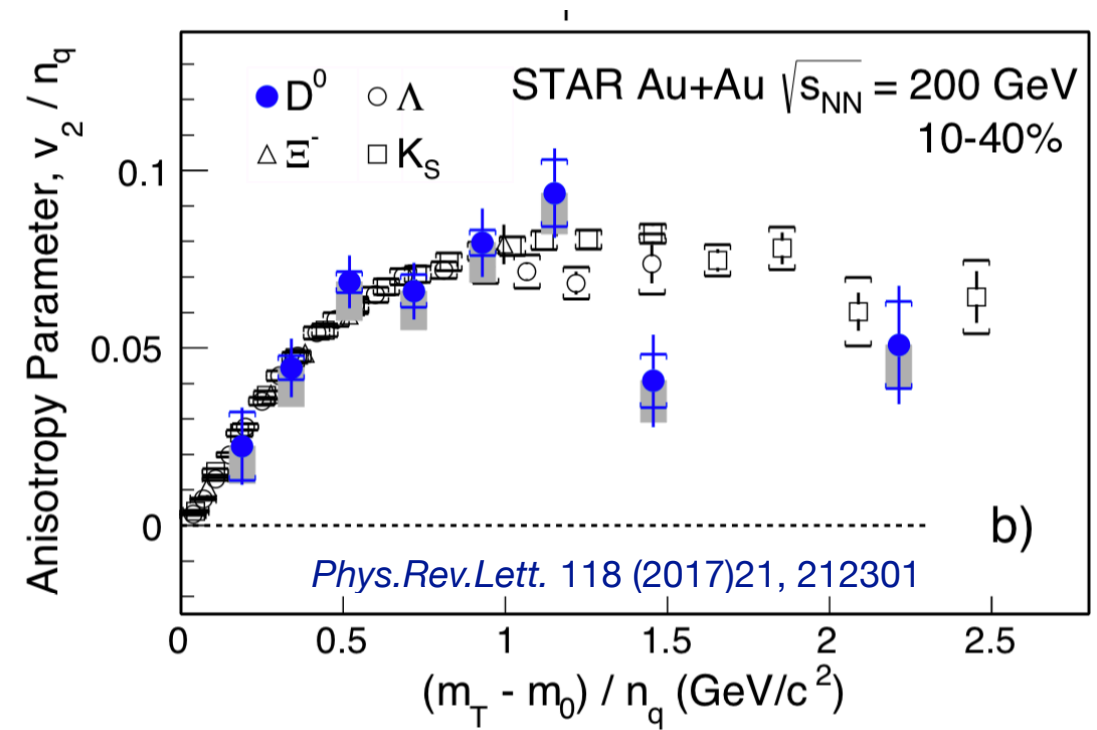
Hadronization mechanism in the hot medium

Hadronization in the hot medium shows a huge difference compared to the vacuum case (Fragmentation).

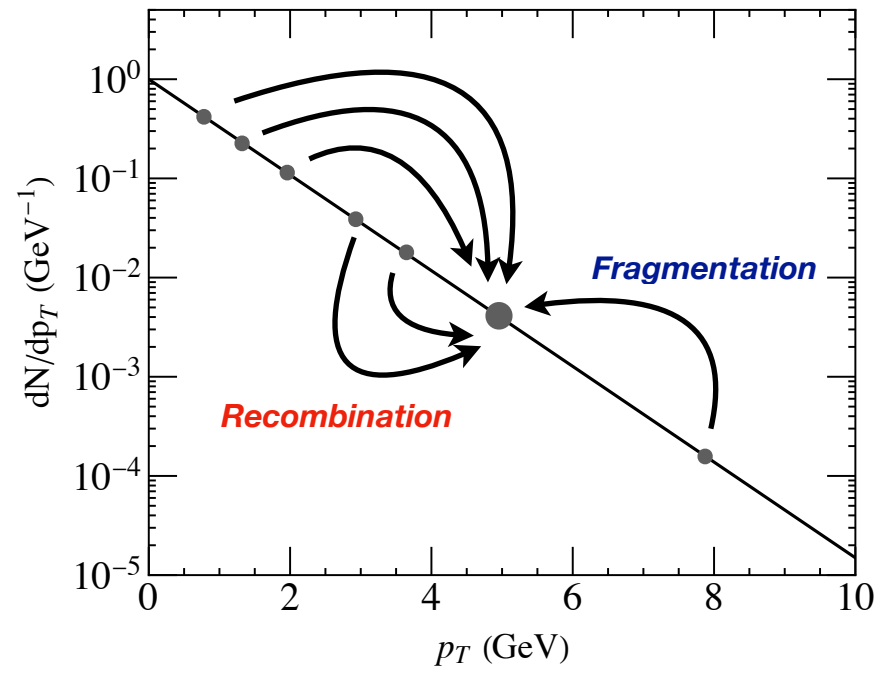
- Enhancement of Baryon / Meson Ratio



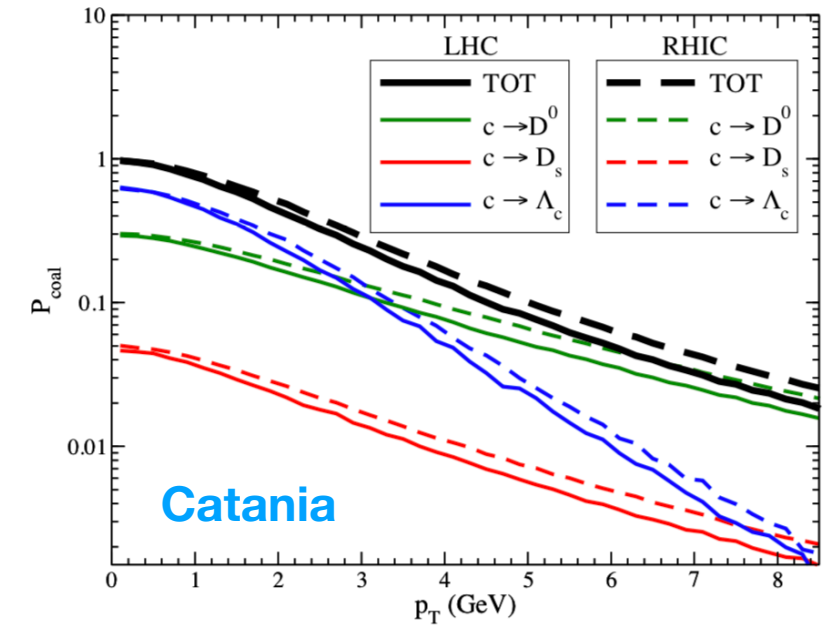
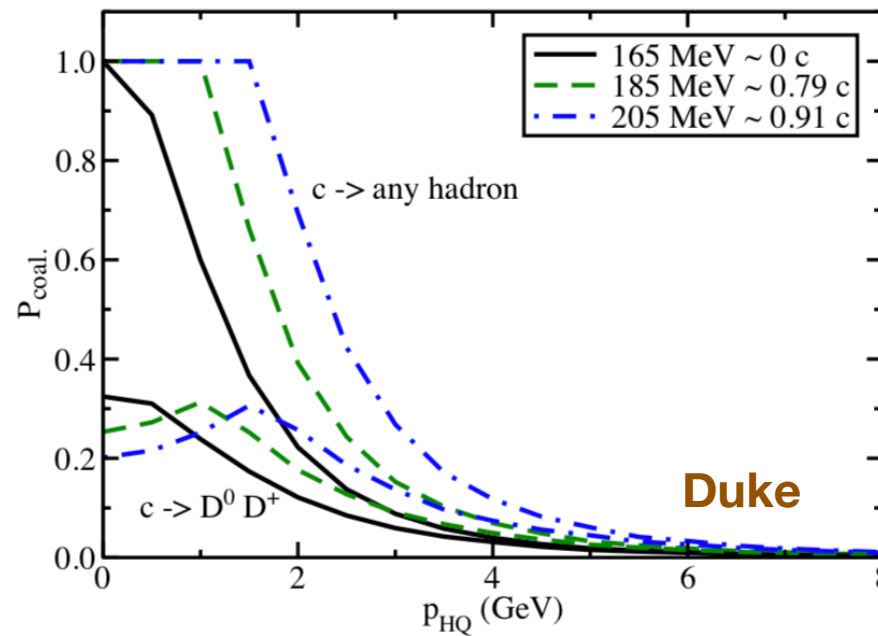
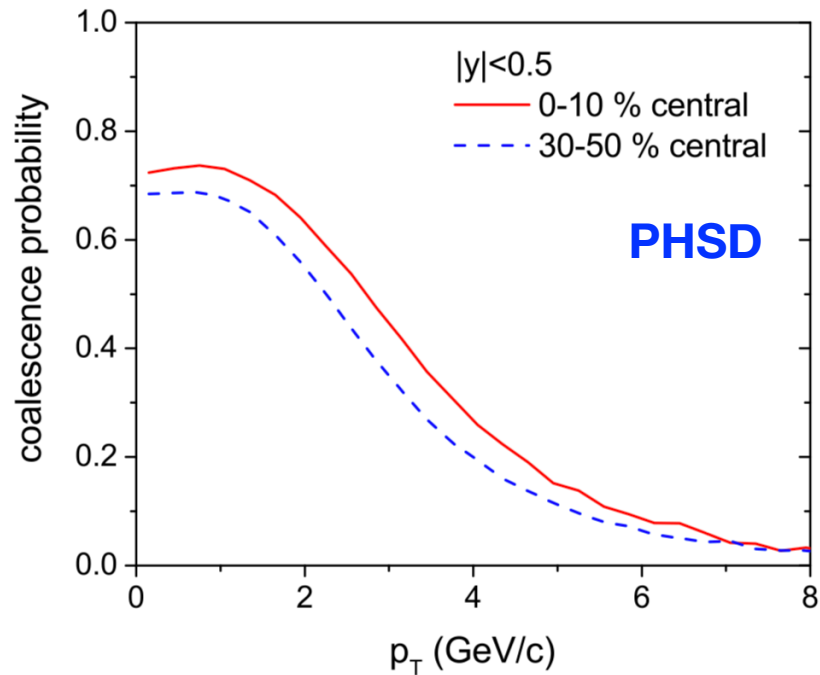
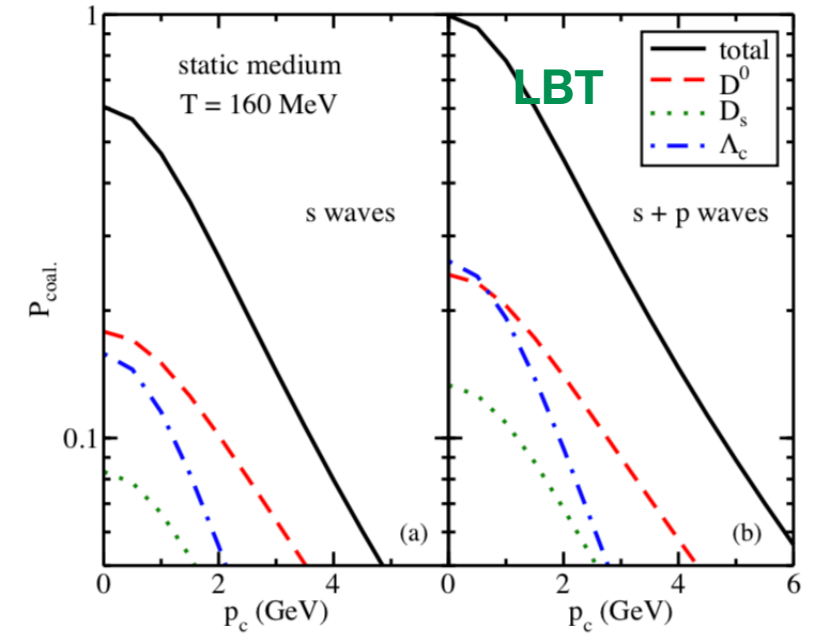
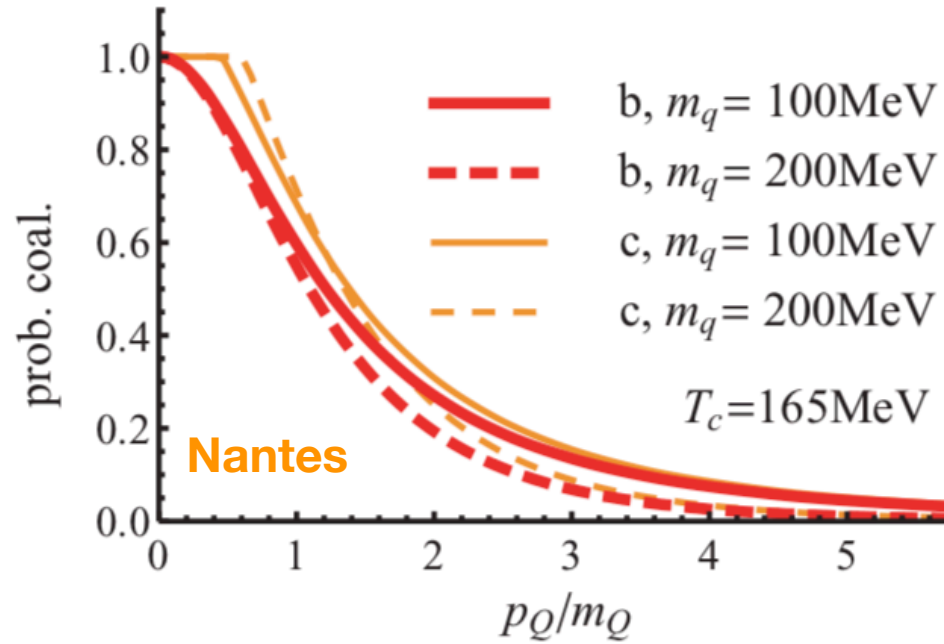
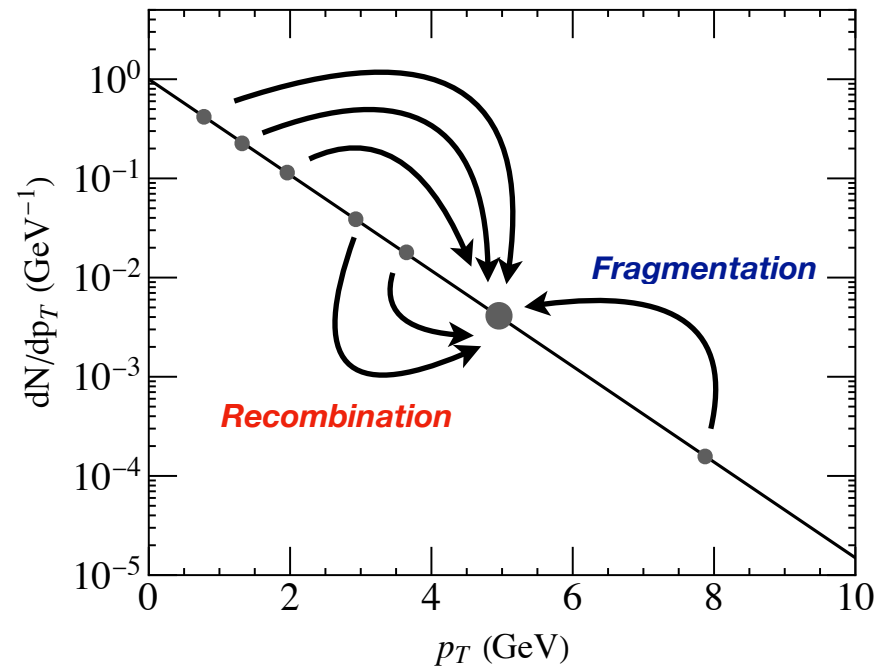
- Quark Number Scaling of Elliptic flow



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Low p_T heavy quark hadronizes via recombination, while high p_T through the fragmentation!

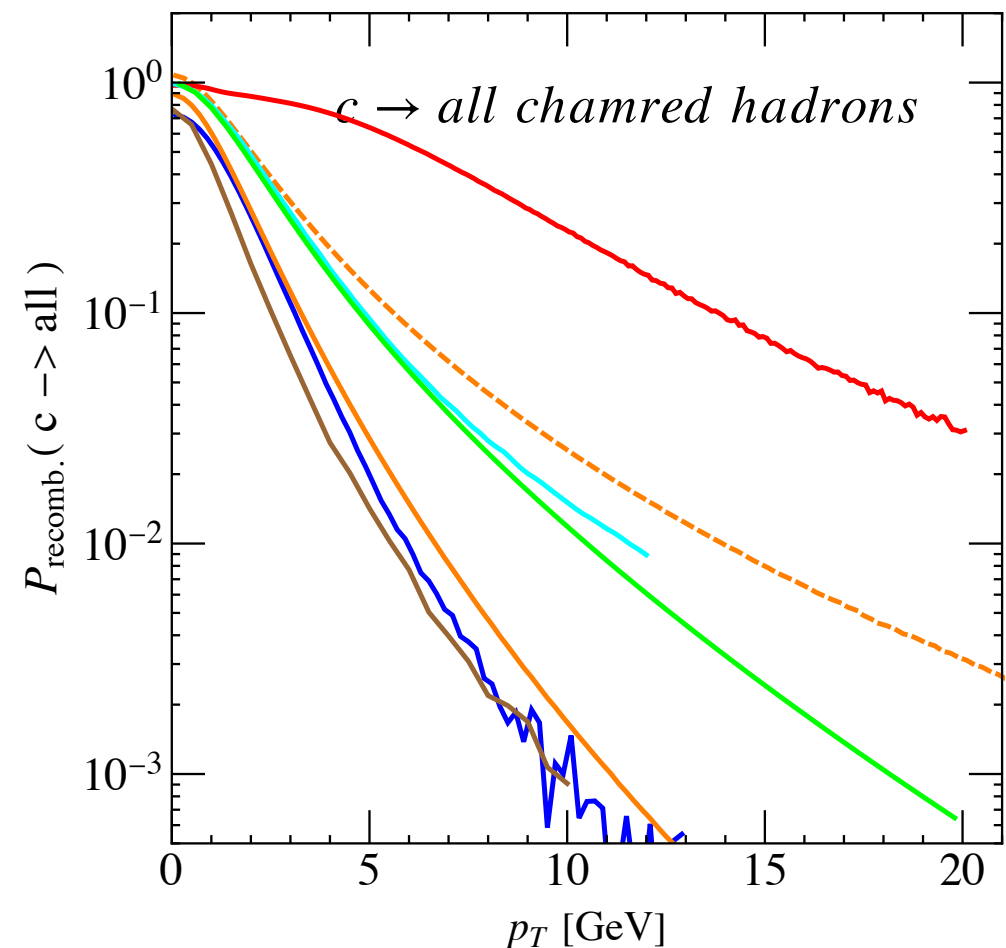
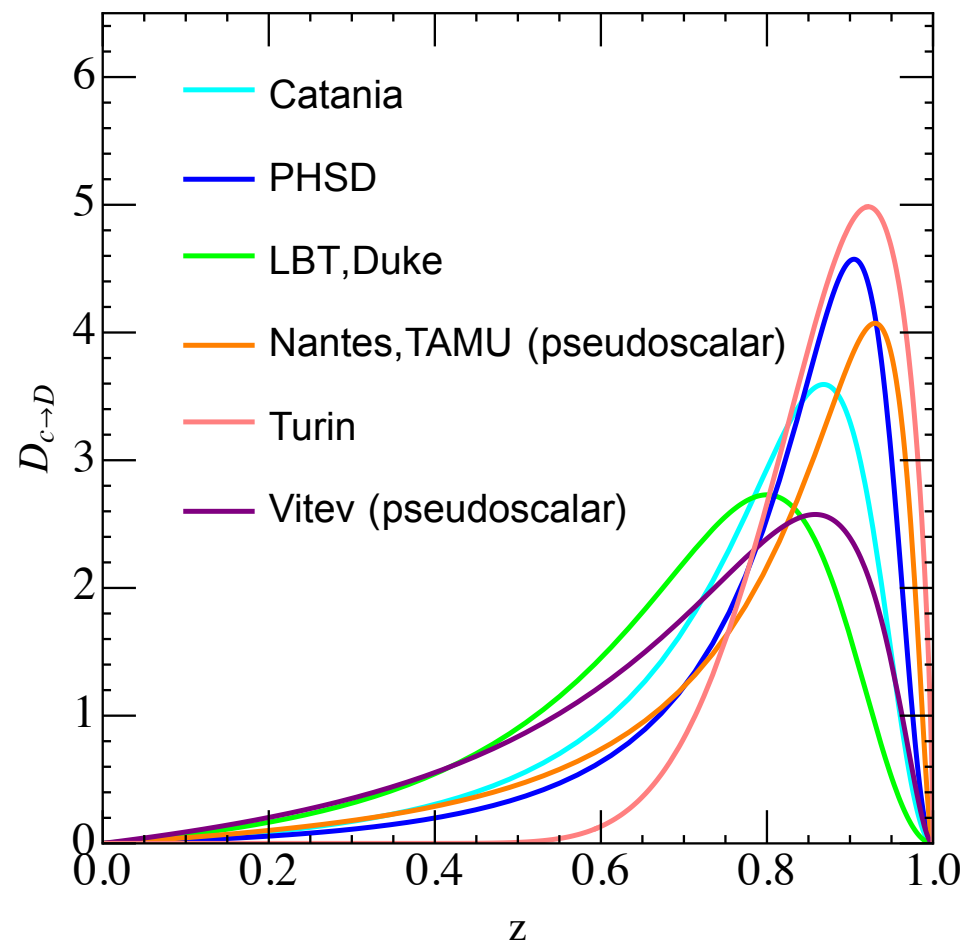
$$P_{\text{frag.}}(p_T) = 1 - P_{\text{recomb.}}(p_T)$$

Hadronization models

	Frag.	Recom.	Recom. Form	Charmed hadrons involved
Catania	Peterson	Phase space Wigner function	$W(x, p) = \prod_{i=1}^{N_q-1} A_W \exp\left(-\frac{x_i^2}{\sigma_{ri}^2} - p_i^2 \sigma_{ri}^2\right)$	S-wave, D0, Ds, D*+, D*0, D*s, several excited states of Λ_c, Σ_c
Duke	Pythia 6.4/ Peterson	Momentum space Wigner function	$W(p) = g_h \frac{(2\sqrt{\pi}\sigma)^3}{V} e^{-\sigma^2 p^2},$	S-wave, D, D*
LBT	Pythia 6.4/ Peterson	Momentum space Wigner function	$W_s(p) = g_h \frac{(2\sqrt{\pi}\sigma)^3}{V} e^{-\sigma^2 p^2},$ $W_p(p) = g_h \frac{(2\sqrt{\pi}\sigma)^3}{V} \frac{2}{3} \sigma^2 p^2 e^{-\sigma^2 p^2}.$	S-wave, P-wave, D, Ds, D*, $\Lambda_c, \Sigma_c, \Xi_c, \Omega_c$
Nantes	HQET	Phase space Wigner function	$W(x_Q, x_q, p_Q, p_q) = \exp\left(\frac{(x_q - x_Q)^2 - [(x_q - x_Q) \cdot u_Q]^2}{2R_c^2} - \alpha_d^2 (u_Q \cdot u_q - 1)\right)$	S-wave, D0
PHSD	Peterson	Phase space Wigner function	$W_s(r, p) = \frac{8(2S+1)}{36} e^{-\frac{r^2}{\sigma^2} - \sigma^2 p^2},$ $W_p(r, p) = \frac{2S+1}{36} \left(\frac{16}{3} \frac{r^2}{\sigma^2} + \frac{16}{3} \sigma^2 p^2 - 8\right) e^{-\frac{r^2}{\sigma^2} - \sigma^2 p^2},$	S-wave, P-wave D+, D0, Ds, D*+, D*0, D*s
TAMU	thermal density correlated	Resonance amplitude	$\frac{\gamma_M}{\Gamma} v_{rel} g_\sigma \frac{4\pi}{k^2} \frac{(\Gamma m)^2}{(s - m^2)^2 + (\Gamma m)^2}$	D+, D0, Ds and few excited states. Charm baryons+missing baryons
Turin	Pythia 6.4/ String fragmentation	Invariant mass criterion	$M_D < M_{Cluster} < M_{max}.$	(prompt) D+, D0, Ds, $\Lambda_c, \Xi_c, \Omega_c$
Los Alamos	HQET	—	—	S-wave, D+, D0, Ds, charm-baryons

... *Each model with a recombination part can give a nice explanation of the experimental data!*

Hadronization Model comparison



Phase-space vs. momentum space criterion; energy conservation; space-momentum correlation;...

Aiming to compare the hadronization model itself and put the understanding forward.

*We prepared several tasks for different groups with the **same hadronization hypersurface** and **charm distribution functions** at hadronization hypersurface. (2022.04-now)*

More results, analysis, and draft are coming soon!

J. Zhao, P.B. Gossiaux, J. Aichelin,...

See detail: J. Zhao, HP2023, Tue. 16:00

II. *Quarkonium*

- ❖ *Vacuum and finite-temperature potential and properties*
- ❖ *Real-time evolution in hot QCD medium*
- ❖ *Nice probe to both the initial stage and QGP*

Quarkonium in a vacuum

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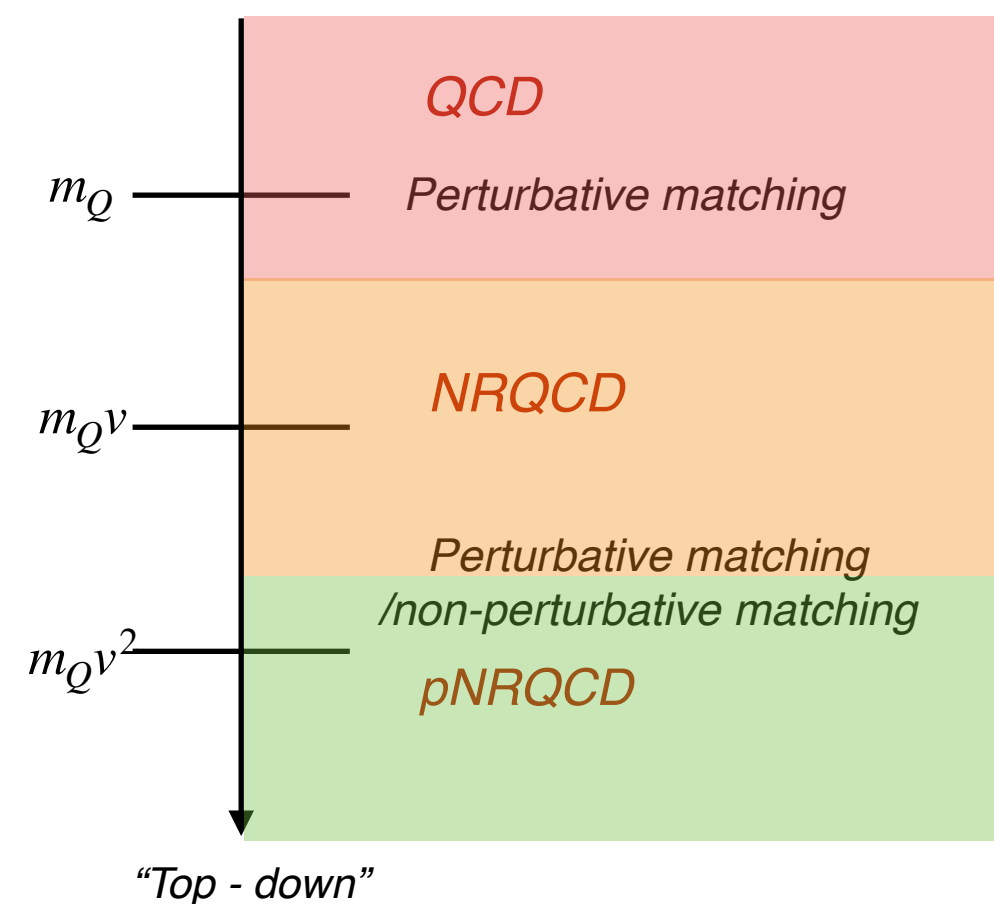
Separation of scales:

$$m_Q \gg m_Q v \gg m_Q v^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_{pNRQCD} = & \int d^3r \text{Tr} \left[S^\dagger (i\partial_0 - H_S) S + O^\dagger (i\partial_0 - H_O) O \right] \\ & + V_A(r) \text{Tr} [O^\dagger \mathbf{r} \cdot g\mathbf{E} S + S^\dagger \mathbf{r} \cdot g\mathbf{E} O] \\ & + \frac{V_B(r)}{2} \text{Tr} [O^\dagger \mathbf{r} \cdot g\mathbf{E} O + O^\dagger O \mathbf{r} \cdot g\mathbf{E}] + \mathcal{L}'_g + \mathcal{L}'_l; \end{aligned}$$

Singlet field S ; Octet field O .

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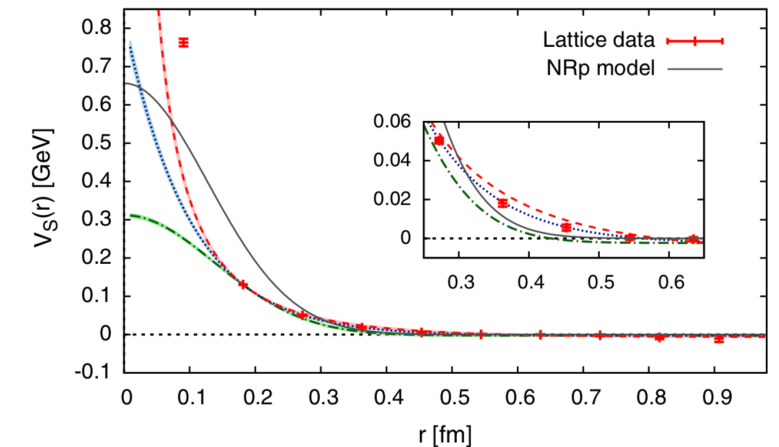
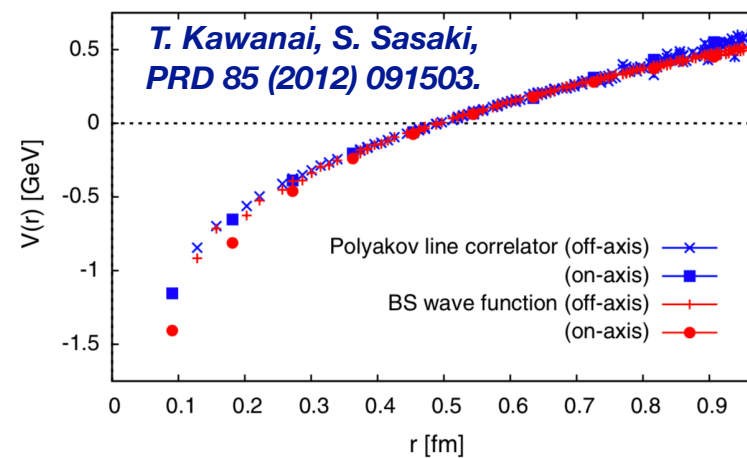
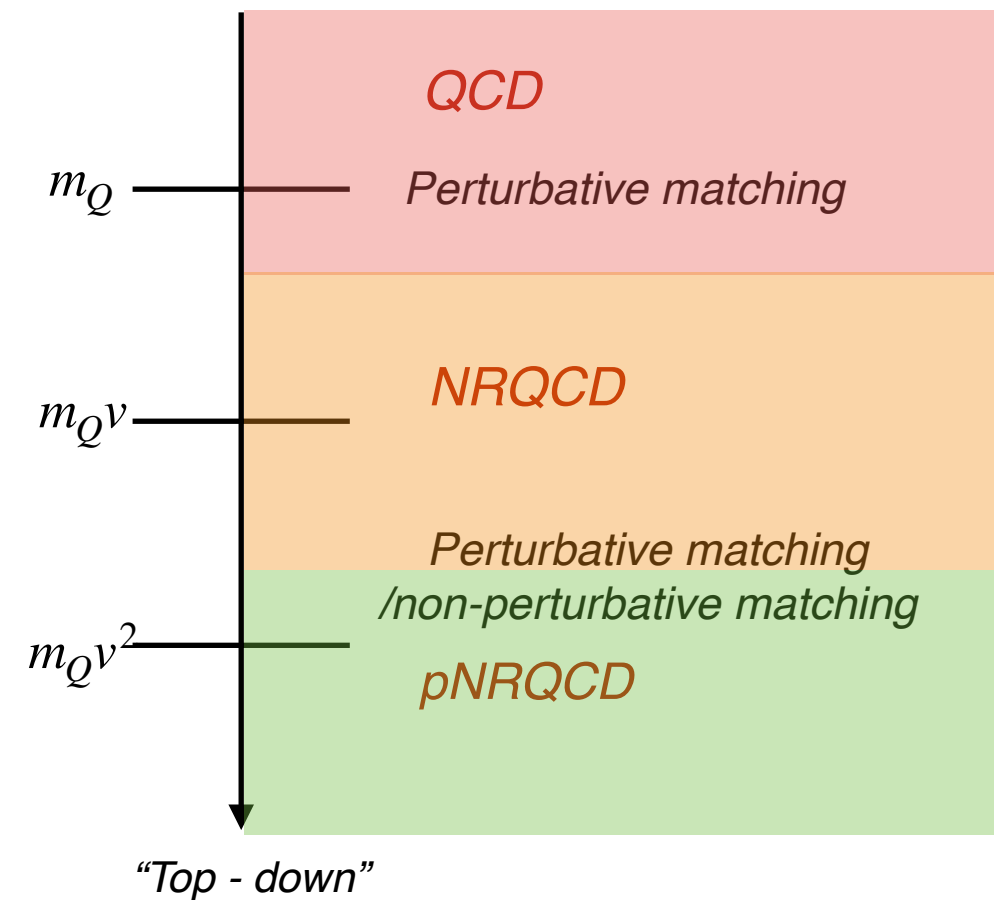
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Cornell potential + Spin-spin interaction

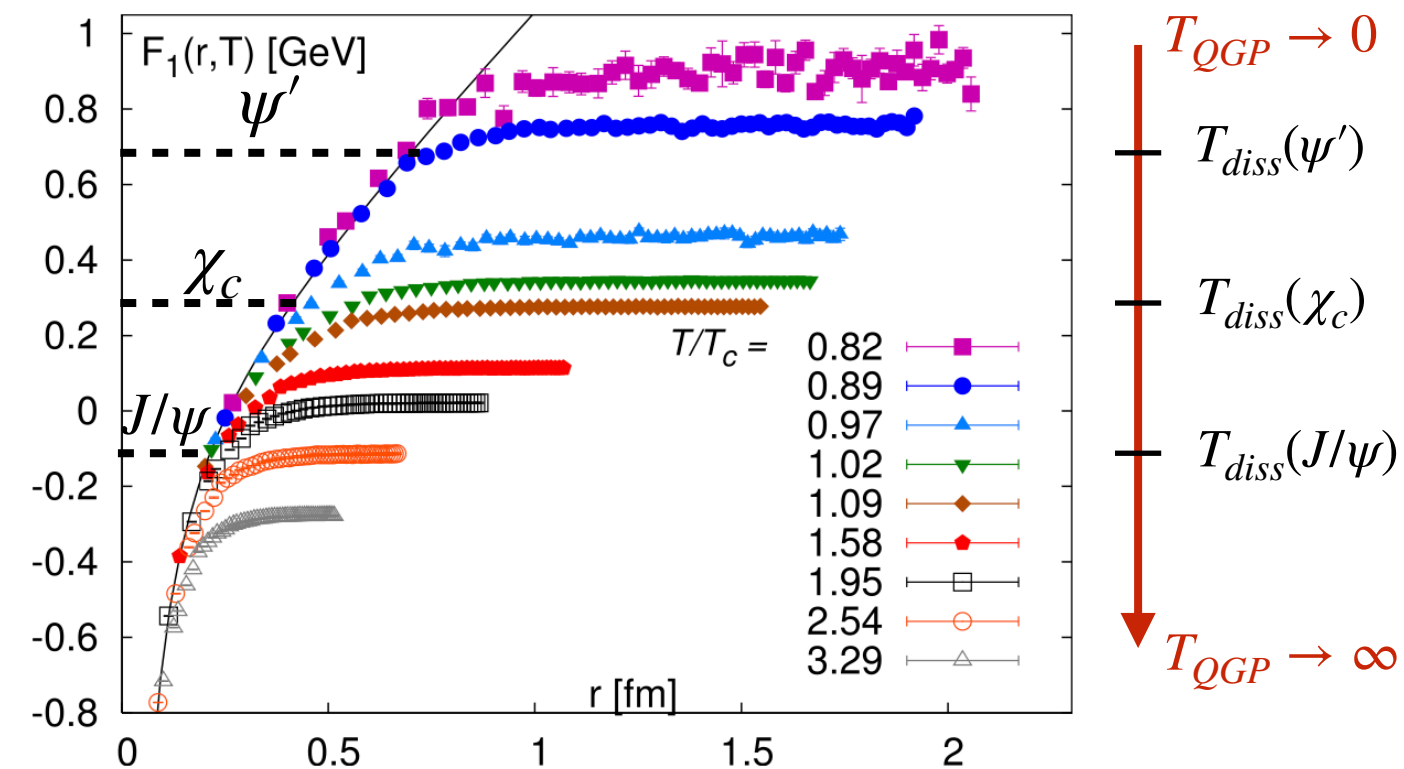


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$M_{Exp.}(\text{GeV})$	2.981	3.097	3.525	3.556	3.639	3.686	-	3.927
$M_{Th.}(\text{GeV})$	2.967	3.102	3.480	3.500	3.654	3.720	3.990	4.000
$\langle r \rangle(\text{fm})$	0.365	0.427	0.635	0.655	0.772	0.802	0.961	0.980
States	$\eta_b(1S)$	$\Upsilon(1S)$	$h_b(1P)$	$\chi_b(1P)$	$\eta_b(2S)$	$\Upsilon(2S)$	$\chi_b(2P)$	$\Upsilon(3S)$
$M_{Exp.}(\text{GeV})$	9.398	9.460	9.898	9.912	9.999	10.023	10.269	10.355
$M_{Th.}(\text{GeV})$	9.397	9.459	9.845	9.860	9.957	9.977	10.221	10.325
$\langle r \rangle(\text{fm})$	0.200	0.214	0.377	0.387	0.465	0.474	0.603	0.680

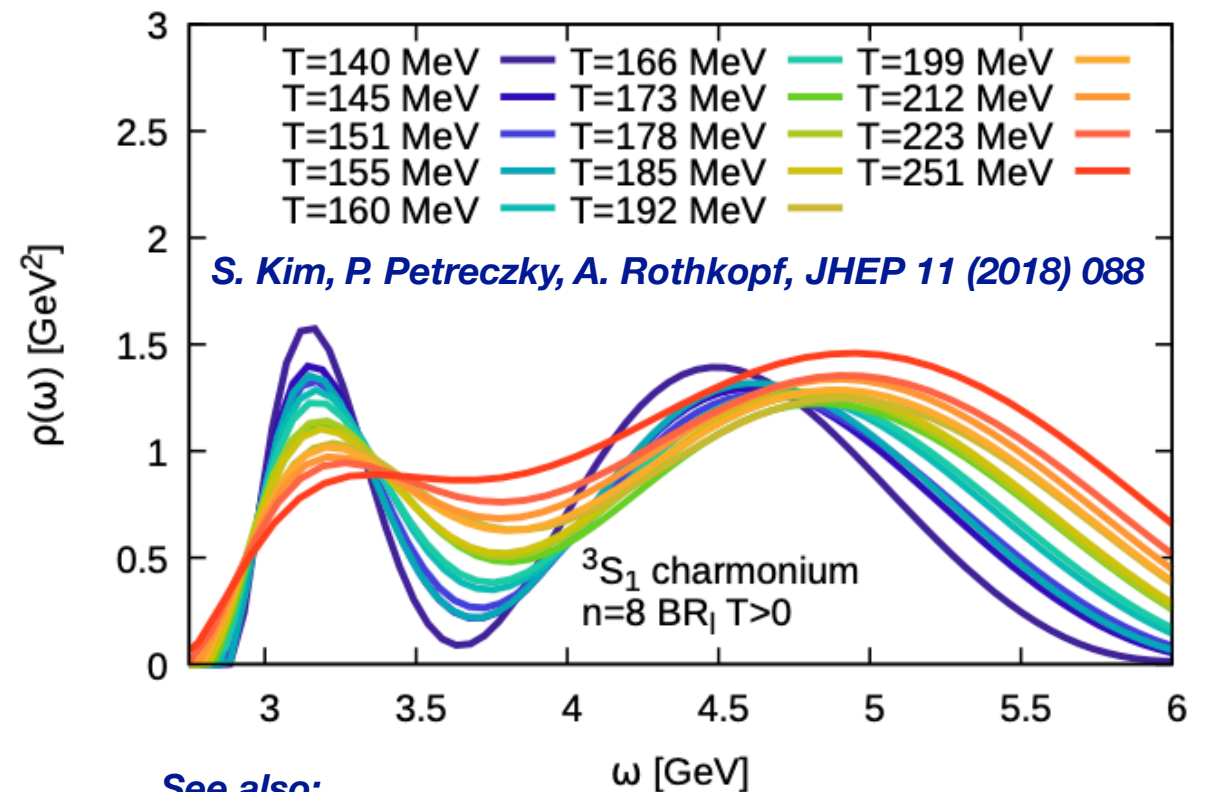
Can explain the exp. Mass very well!

Quarkonium in the hot medium

Quarkonia suppression has been considered as a smoking gun of the QGP (Matsui, Satz at 1986, ...)



P. Petreczky, J. Phys. G 37 (2010) 094009.



See also:

A. Ikeda, M. Asakawa, M. Kitazawa, PRD95, 014504 (2017)

M. Asakawa, T. Hatsuda and Y. Nakahara, PPNP. 46 (2001) 459. ...

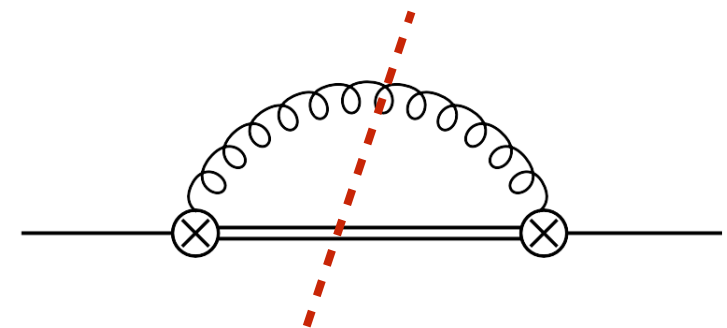
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$T_d/T_c(V = U)$	2.1	1.16	1.12	>4.0	1.76	1.6	1.19	1.17
$T_d/T_c(V = F)$	1.21	<1.0	<1.0	3.0	1.12	1.08	1.0	<1.0

Besides the **static color screening** of heavy potential, quarkonia will obtain the **thermal width!**

In the NRQCD/pNRQCD point of view:

Singlet-octet thermal break up \rightarrow gluon-dissociation

Landau damping \rightarrow inelastic scattering (quasifree limit)



N. Brambilla, M. Escobedo, J. Ghiglieri, M. Laine, O. Philipsen, P. Romatschke, M. Tassler, P. Petreczky, et al, JHEP 03, 054 (2007). PRD 78, 014017 (2008). JHEP 09, 038 (2010). JHEP 1112 (2011) 116...

Heavy Quark Potential at finite temperature

❖ *In the weak-coupling regime (High temperature → HTL,...) T , $m_D \sim gT$, g^2T , Λ_{QCD}*

Static Wilson loop in the imaginary-time:

M. Laine, O. Philipsen, P. Romatschke, M. Tassler, JHEP 03 (2007) 054

$$V(r, T) = -\frac{g^2 C_F}{4\pi} \left[m_D + \frac{\exp(-m_D r)}{r} \right] - \frac{ig^2 T C_F}{4\pi} \phi(m_D r) \quad \phi(x) = 2 \int_0^\infty \frac{dz z}{(z^2 + 1)^2} \left[1 - \frac{\sin(zx)}{zx} \right]$$

*Real part shows strong **Debye screening**, identical to the singlet free energy.*

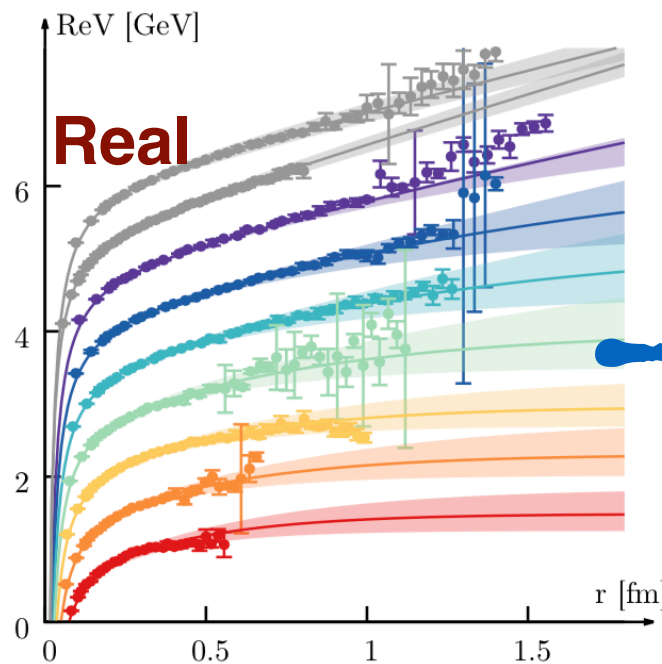
***Landau damping** contribute to the imaginary part.*

❖ *In the strong-coupling regime (Lattice QCD, T-Matrix approach...)*

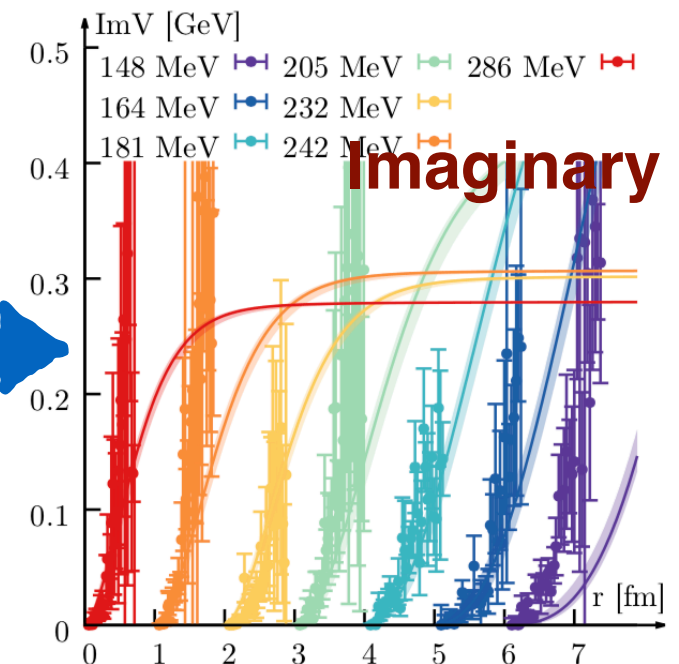
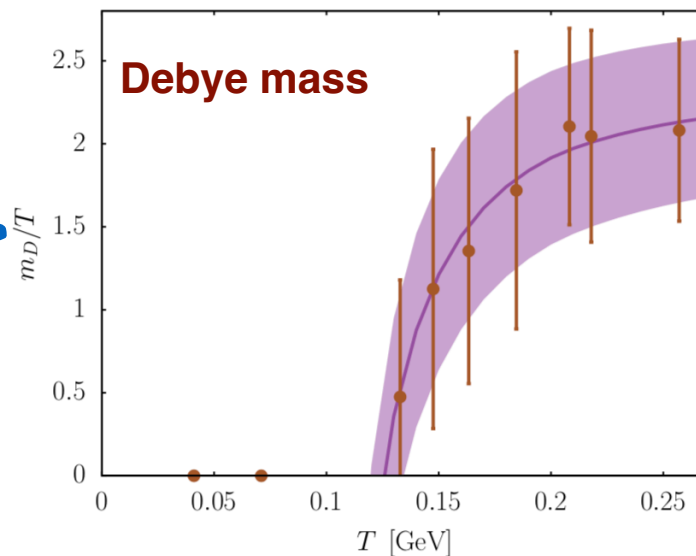
$$V(r) = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{i \partial_t W(t, r)}{W(t, r)}$$

$$W(\tau) = \int d\omega e^{-\omega\tau} \rho(\omega) \leftrightarrow \int d\omega e^{-i\omega t} \rho(\omega) = W(t)$$

$$V(r) = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \int d\omega \omega e^{-i\omega t} \rho(\omega, r) / \int d\omega e^{-i\omega t} \rho(\omega, r)$$

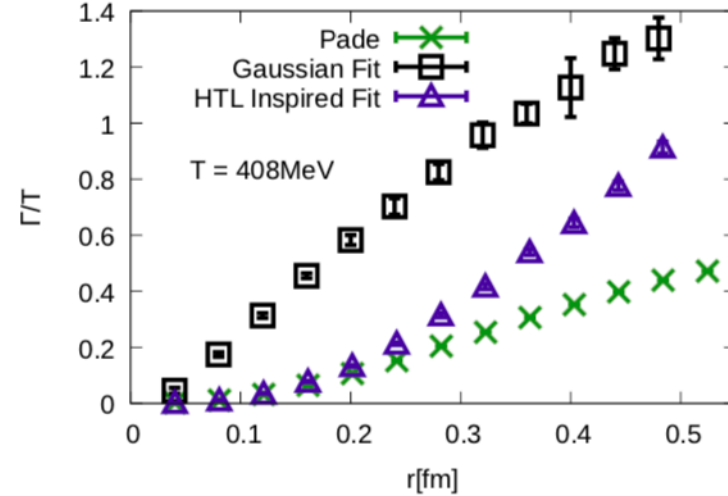
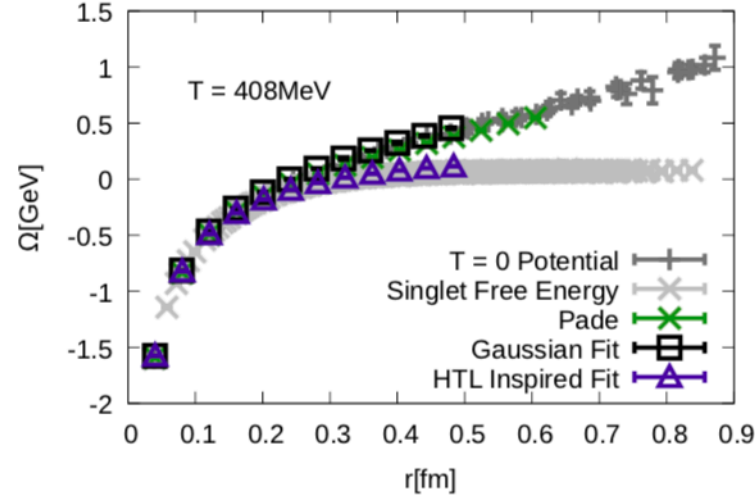
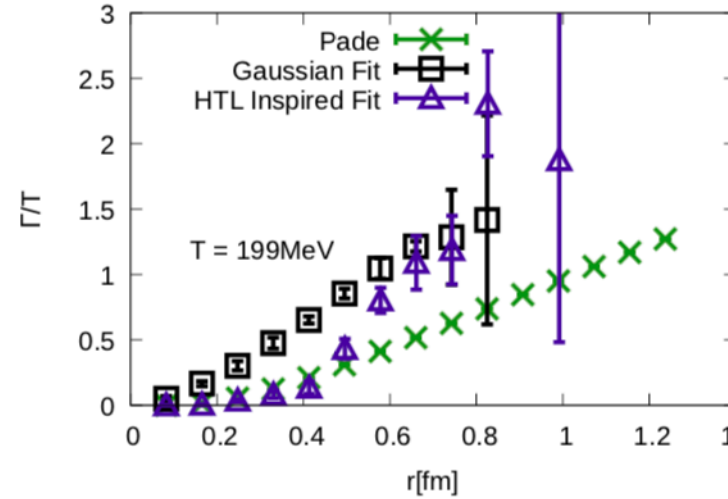
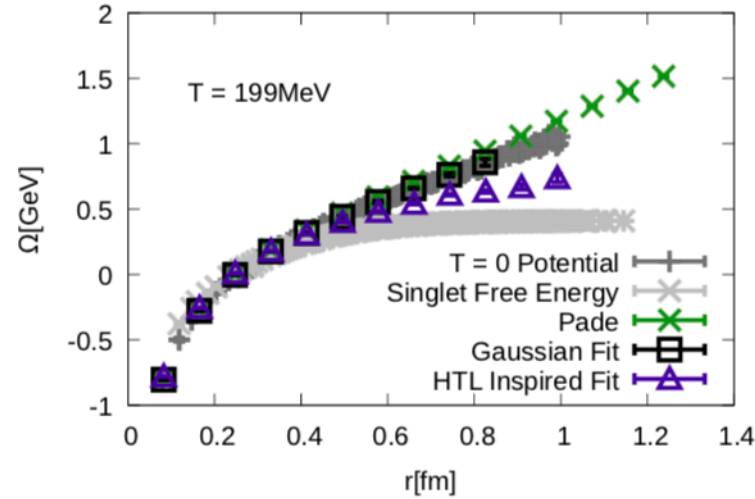
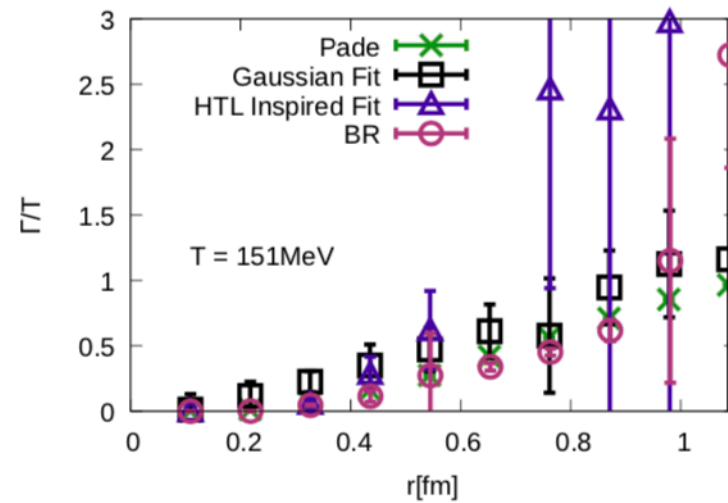
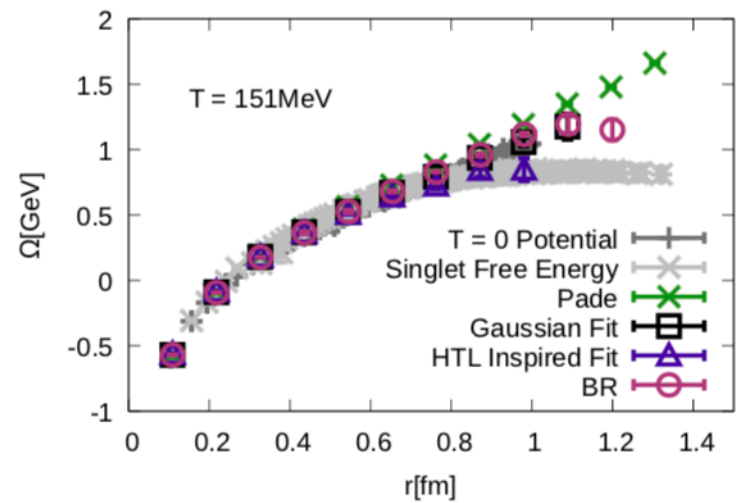


*Lafferty, A. Rothkopf, Phys.Rev.D 101 (2020) 5,
Y.Burnier, O.Kaczmarek, A. Rothkopf, JHEP, 2015.*



Obvious screening for the real part potential, the imaginary part larger than HTL results (large uncertainty)

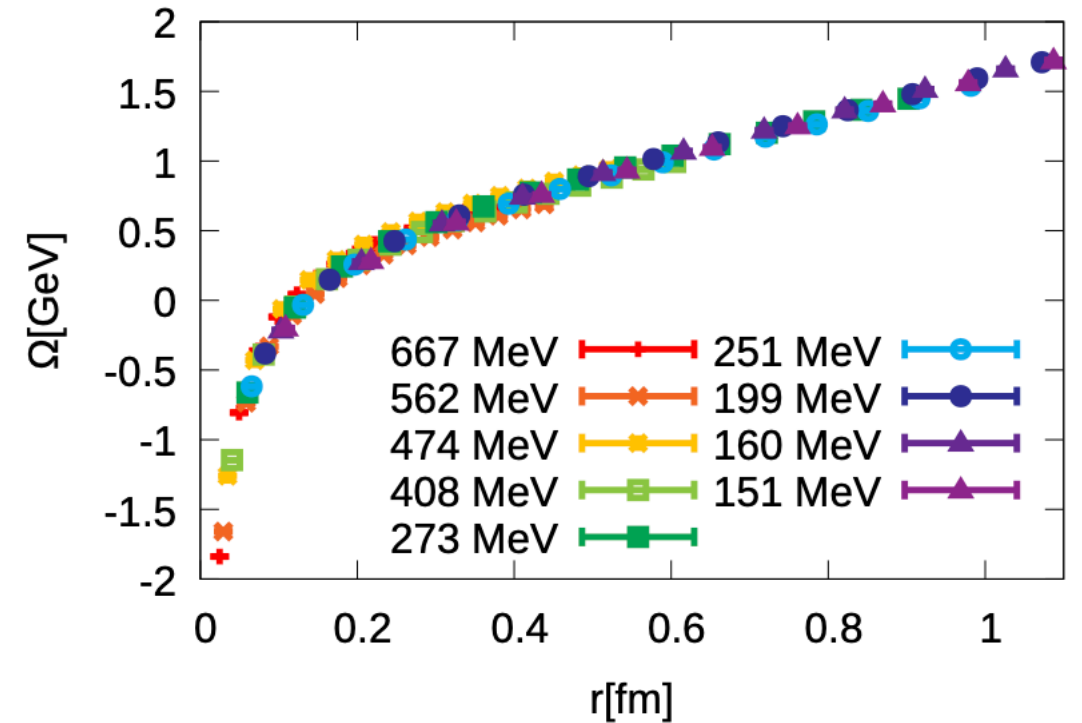
Heavy Quark Potential at finite temperature



Extract the spectral functions from correlators with four different methods:

1. Gaussian fit;
2. HTL inspired fit;
3. Pade fit;
4. Bayesian reconstruction (BR) method.

Large difference caused by the extraction strategy !

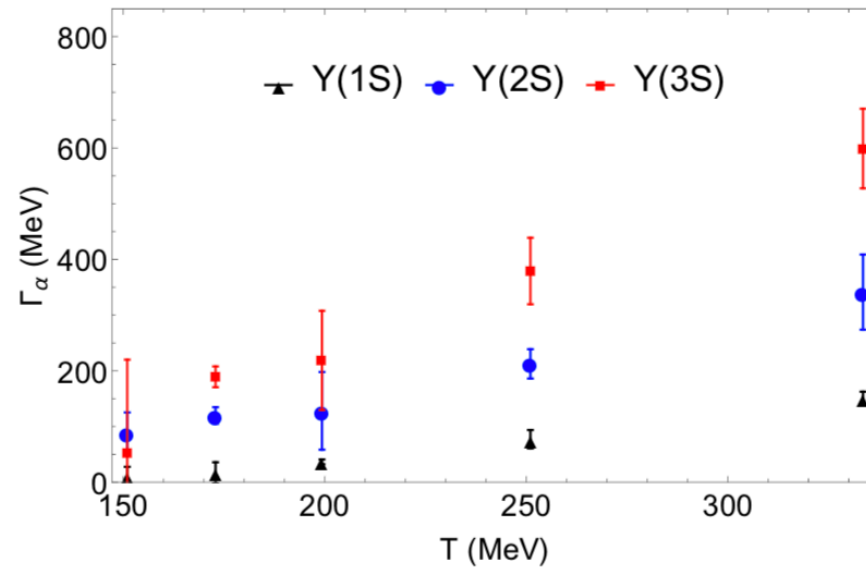
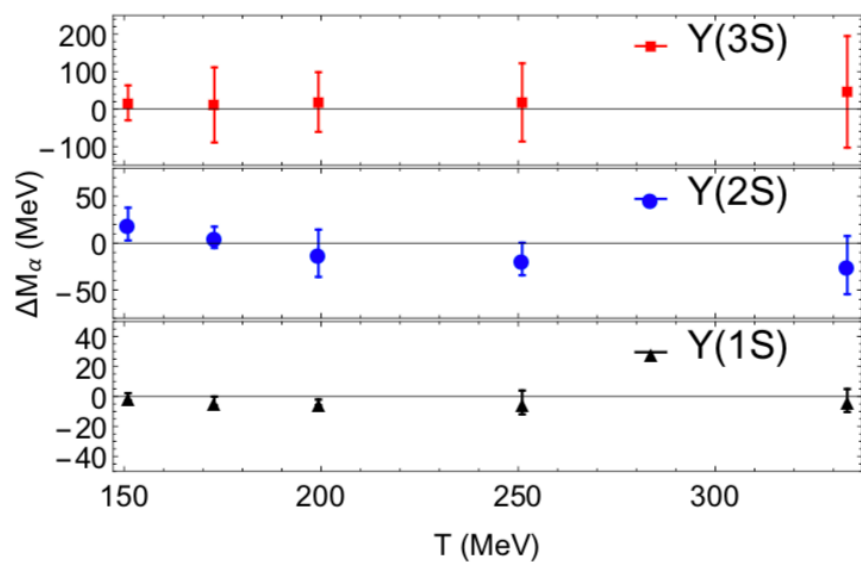


D. Bala, O. Kaczmarek, R. Larsen, S. Mukherjee, G. Parkar, P. Petreczky, A. Rothkopf, J. Weber. PRD105, 054513 (2022).

Lattice QCD with dynamical fermions indicate no screening in static quark-antiquark potential !

Heavy Quark Potential at finite temperature

- Extraction of the Heavy-Quark Potential from bottomonium mass and width (Lattice NRQCD)



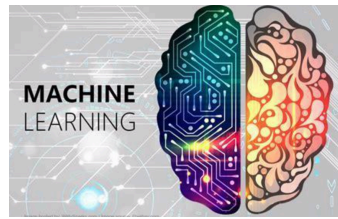
R.Larsen, S. Meinel, S. Mukherjee, P. Petreczky PLB. 800 (2020) 135119

Mass and Width



$$M = 2m_b + \text{Re}[E]$$

$$\Gamma = -\text{Im}[E]$$

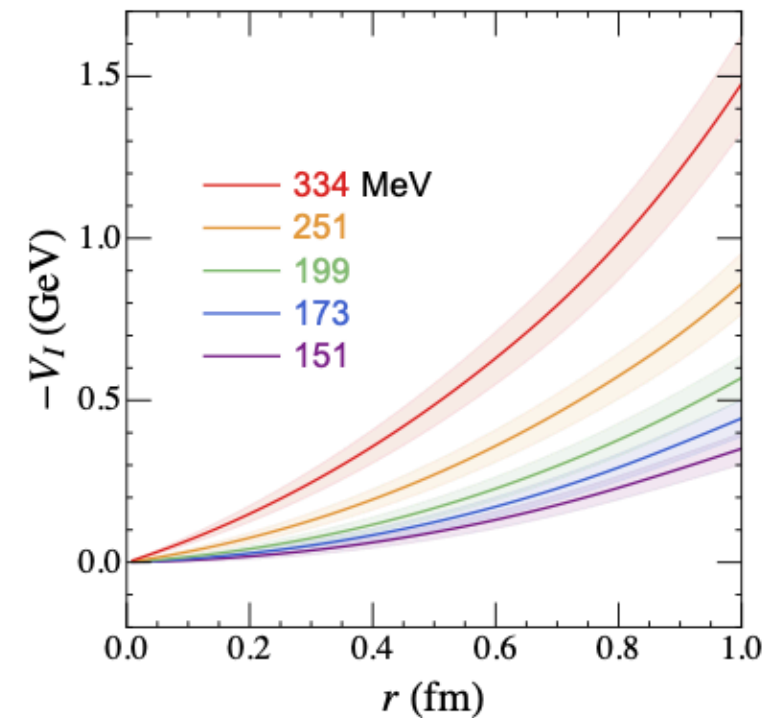
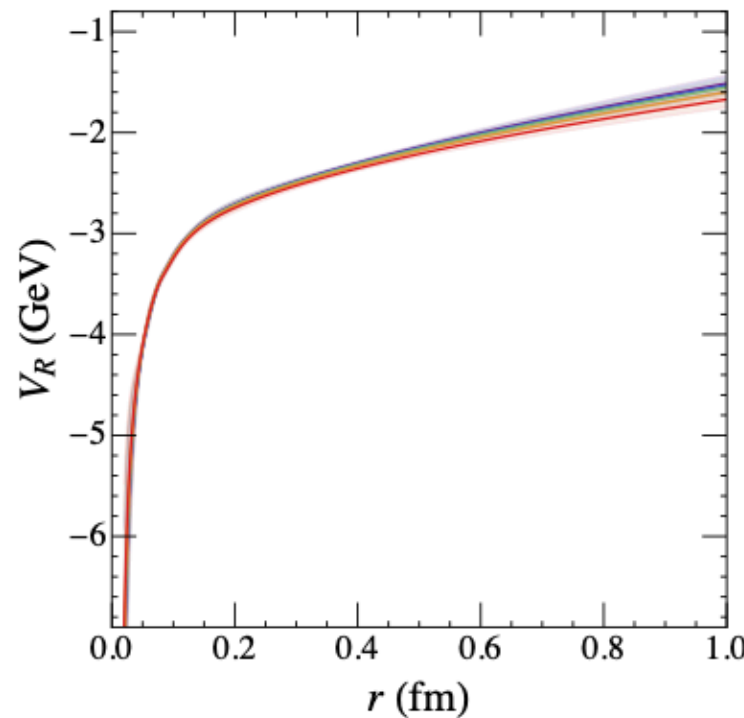


Inverse problem?
Deep Neural Networks

Heavy quark potential

$$V(r, T) = V_R(r, T) + iV_I(r, T)$$

$$-\frac{\nabla^2}{m_b} \psi_n + [V_R(T, r) + iV_I(T, r)] \psi_n = E_n \psi_n$$



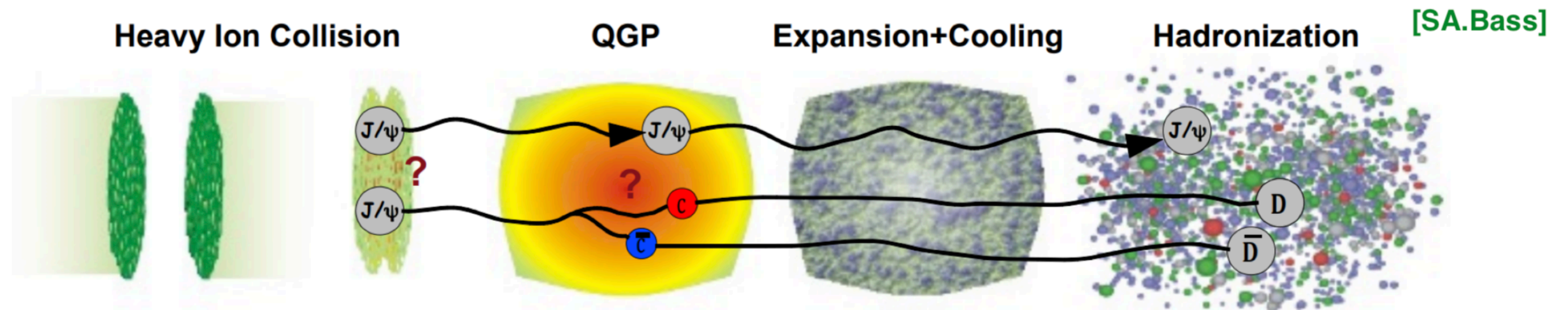
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Large imaginary part and very small screening effect!

- Extraction of the Heavy-Quark Potential from Bottomonium Observables (R_{AA})

X. Du, S. Liu, R. Rapp. Phys.Lett.B 796 (2019) 20-25.

χ -square fit the exp. data gives a rather strongly coupled potential obtained!

Quarkonium real-time evolution in heavy-ion collisions



◆ **Schrödinger approach**

For bottomonium, neglect regeneration, time-dependent Schrödinger equation.

With a complex potential given by Lattice (M.Strickland, A.Rothkopf...).

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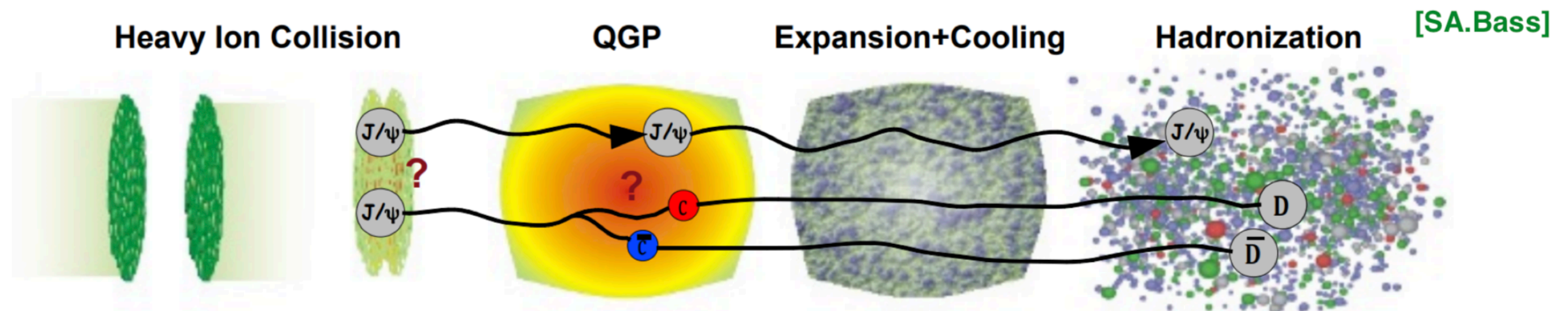
◆ **Transport approach**

(Boltzmann equation, THU model, P.Zhuang...; Rate equation, TAMU model, R.Rapp...)

Treat both dissociation and regeneration dynamically

Transition rates are given by cross-section, detail balance, heavy quark potential control the time and BE.

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Developing a genuine first principles based framework of quarkonium real-time evolution !

Quantum effects/deal with resonance with cross-section?/...

◆ Open quantum system

(N.Brambilla, M.Strickland, A.Rothkopf, Y.Akamatsu, M.Asakawa, P.Blaizot, P.Gossiaux, X.Yao, B.Müller...)

J. Blaizot, M. Escobedo, JHEP. 2018, 34 (2018).

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Quarkonium real-time evolution in heavy-ion collisions

Open quantum system

$$\hat{H}_{tot} = \hat{H}_s \otimes I_e + I_s \otimes \hat{H}_e + \hat{H}_{int},$$

Subsystem Environment Interaction

$$\frac{d\hat{\rho}_{tot}}{dt} = -i[\hat{H}_{tot}, \hat{\rho}_{tot}] \quad \text{von Neumann equation} \quad \hat{\rho}_{tot} = \sum_i p_i |\psi_i\rangle\langle\psi_i|$$

Trace over the environment degrees of freedom, reduced density matrix

$$i\hbar\dot{\hat{\rho}}_s(t) = \text{Tr}_e[\hat{H}_{tot}, \hat{\rho}_{tot}] = [\hat{H}_s, \hat{\rho}_s] + \text{Tr}_e[I_s \otimes \hat{H}_e + \hat{H}_{int}, \hat{\rho}_{tot}] \quad \text{Quantum master equation}$$

- Separation of time-scales:

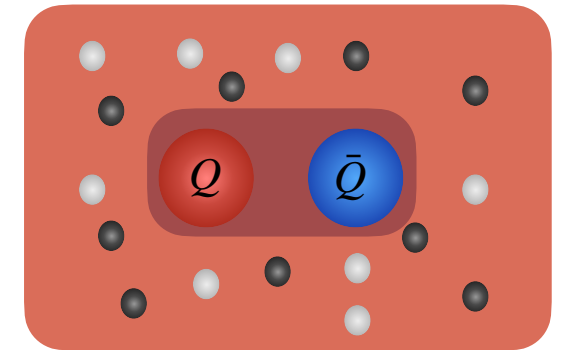
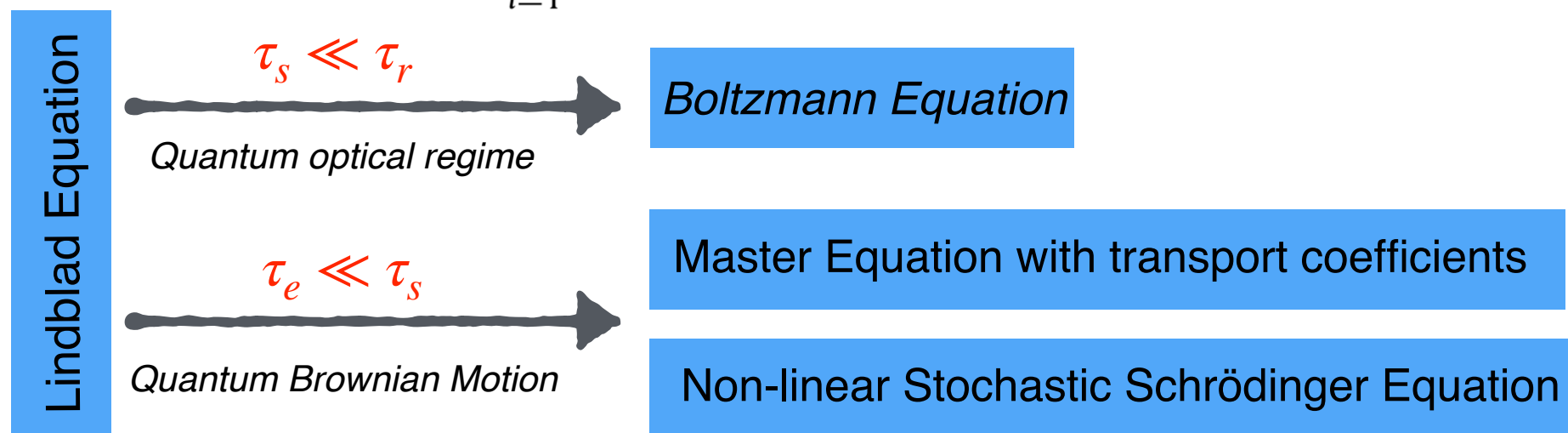
Environment relaxation time scale $\tau_e \sim 1/T$.

Intrinsic time scale of subsystem $\tau_s \sim 1/\Delta E$.

Subsystem relaxation time scale $\tau_r \sim 1/\Pi \sim m^2/T^3$.

- Markovian approximation: $\tau_e \ll \tau_r$, memory lose

$$\dot{\hat{\rho}}_s(t) = -i[\hat{H}_s, \hat{\rho}_s] + \sum_{i=1}^N \gamma_i \left(L_i \hat{\rho}_s L_i^\dagger - \frac{1}{2} L_i^\dagger L_i \hat{\rho}_s - \frac{1}{2} \hat{\rho}_s L_i^\dagger L_i \right) \quad \text{Lindblad equation}$$



See review:

A. Rothkopf, *Physics Reports* 858 (2020) 1-117.

Quarkonium as a nice probe

- ◆ *Charmonium Triangular Flow.*
- ◆ *Longitudinal energy deposition.*
- ◆ *Nuclear deformation.*
- ◆ *Charm quark energy loss and interaction in the QGP*

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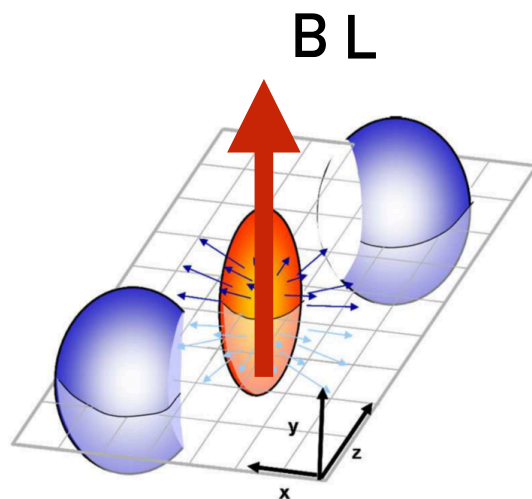
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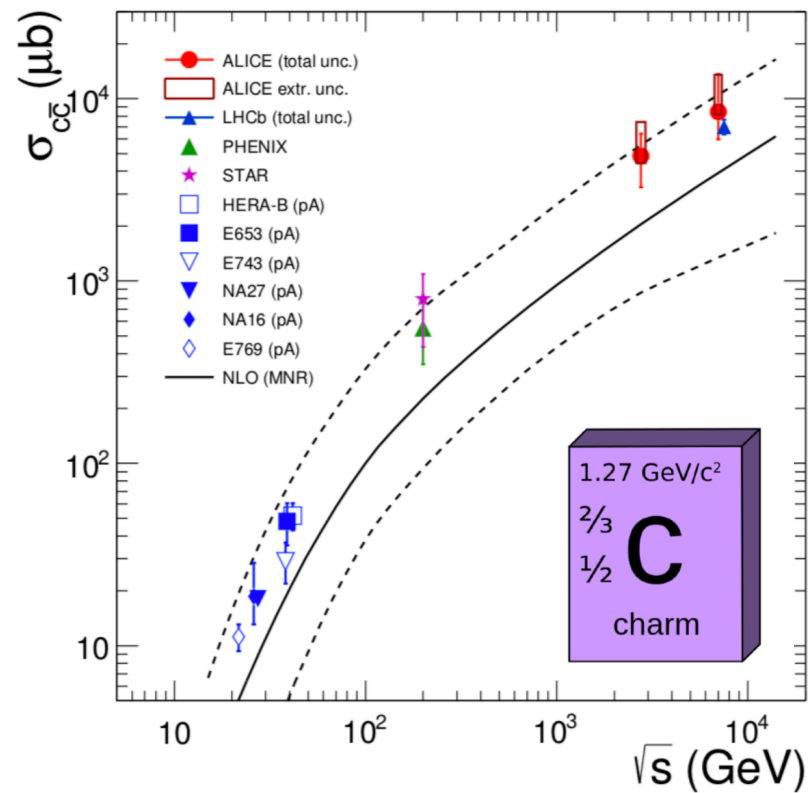
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- ◆ *Charmonium polarization*

J. Zhao, et al, in progress,...

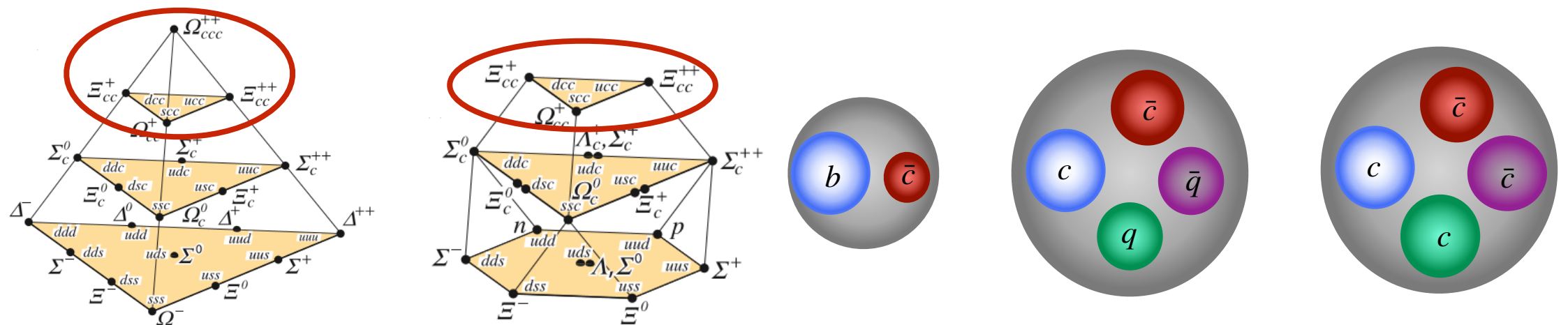
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$$N_{c\bar{c}} \sim T_A T_B \sigma_{c\bar{c}} \sim o(100) \text{ charm quarks in the QGP at LHC!}$$

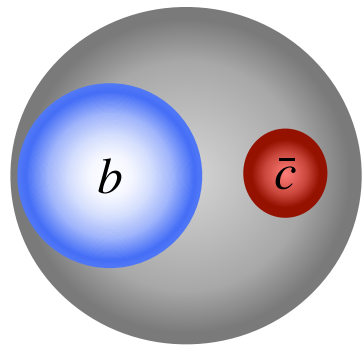
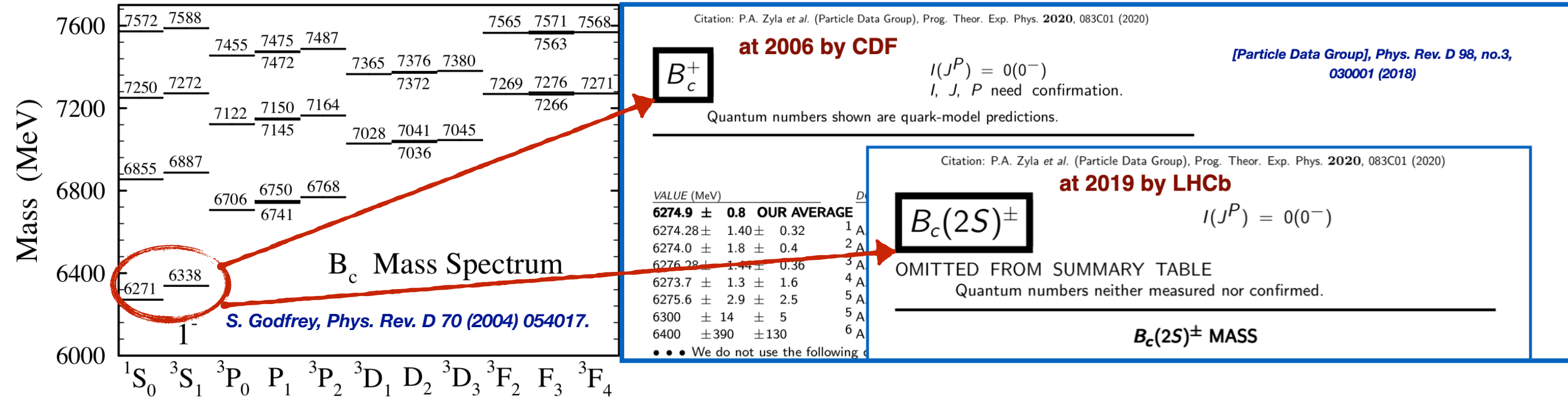
III. Heavy flavor rare/exotic states

- ❖ Searching for rare charmed hadrons in the most “charming” system.
- ❖ Probe the inner structure of tetraquark states



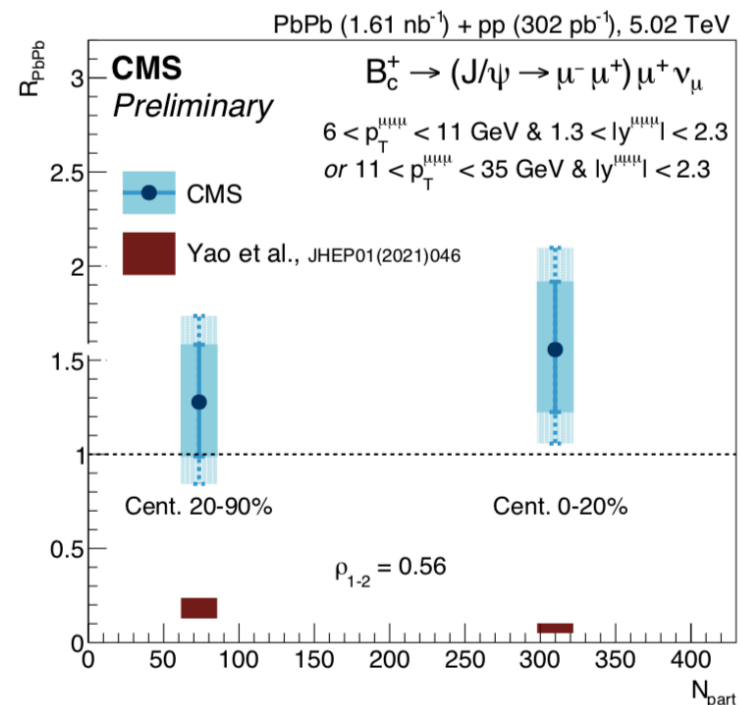
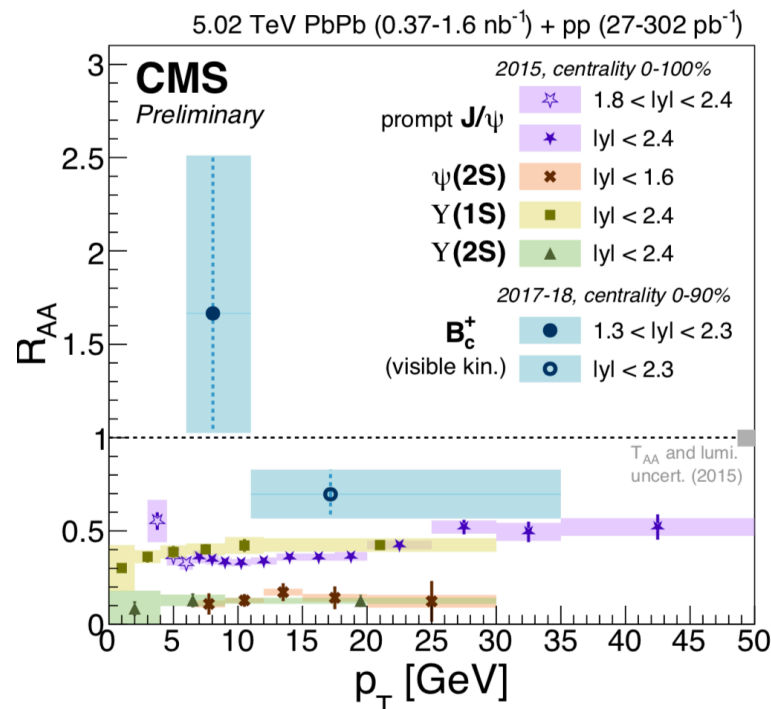
$$\Xi_{cc}, \Omega_{ccc}, B_c, X(3872), X(6900), \dots$$

B_c in heavy-ion collisions



It's hard to produce a pair of $c\bar{c}$ and a pair of $b\bar{b}$ in one event of e^+e^- and pp collisions!

First observation of B_c mesons in heavy-ion collisions !

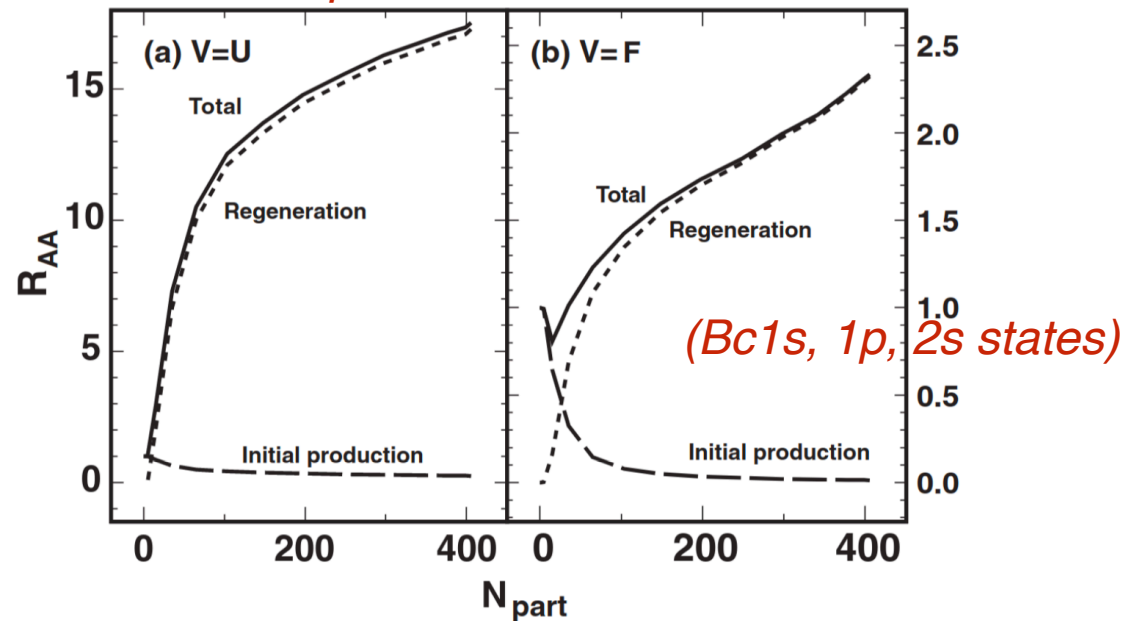


CMS Collaboration, PRL.128 (2022) 25, 252301.

$R_{AA} > 1$ indicate the production of B_c is largely enhanced in heavy-ion collisions!

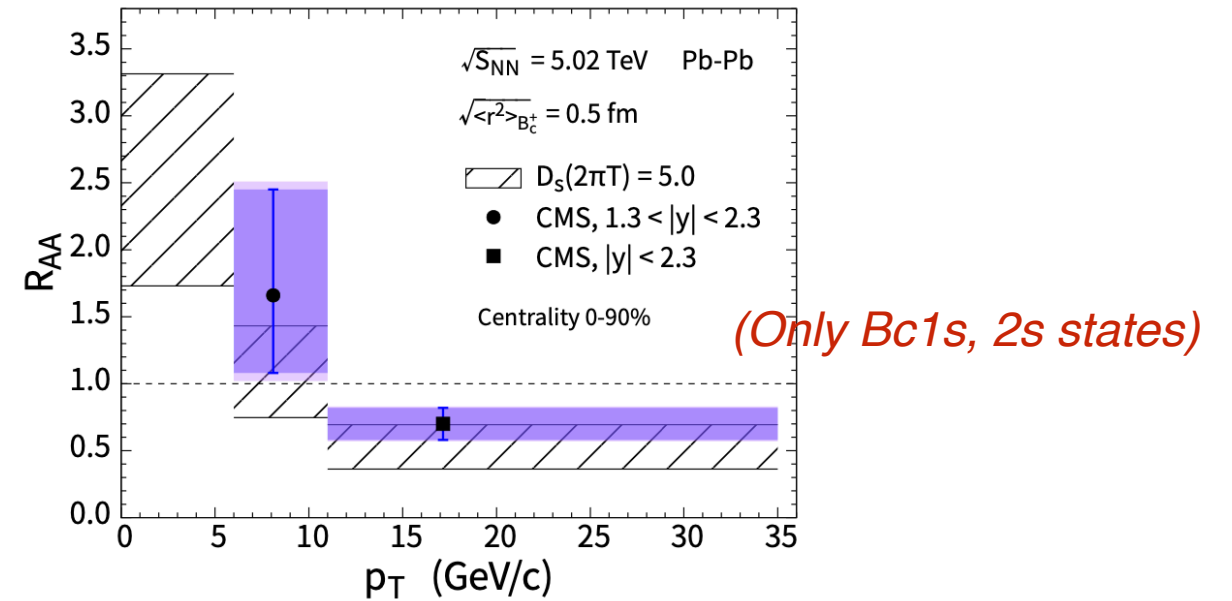
B_c in heavy-ion collisions

Boltzmann equation + thermal b and c dis.



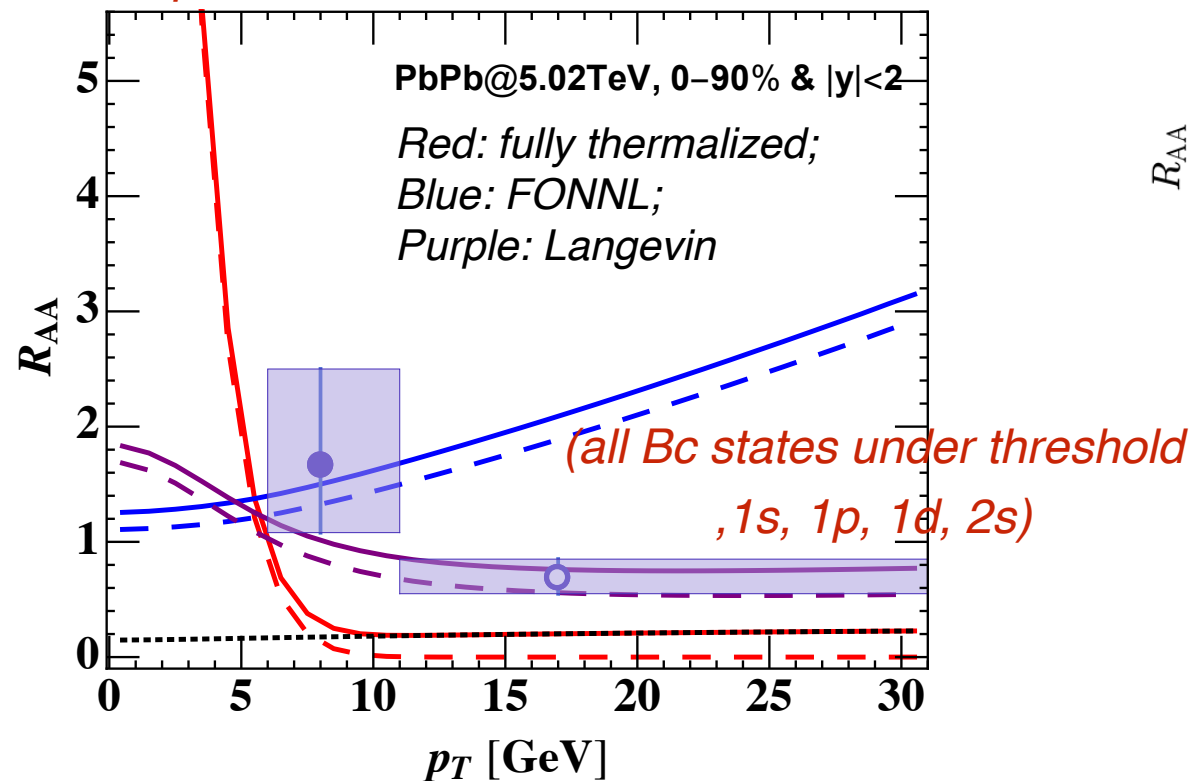
Y. Liu, C. Greiner, A. Kostyuk, PRC 87 (2013), 014910

Coalescence + non-thermal b and c quark dis.



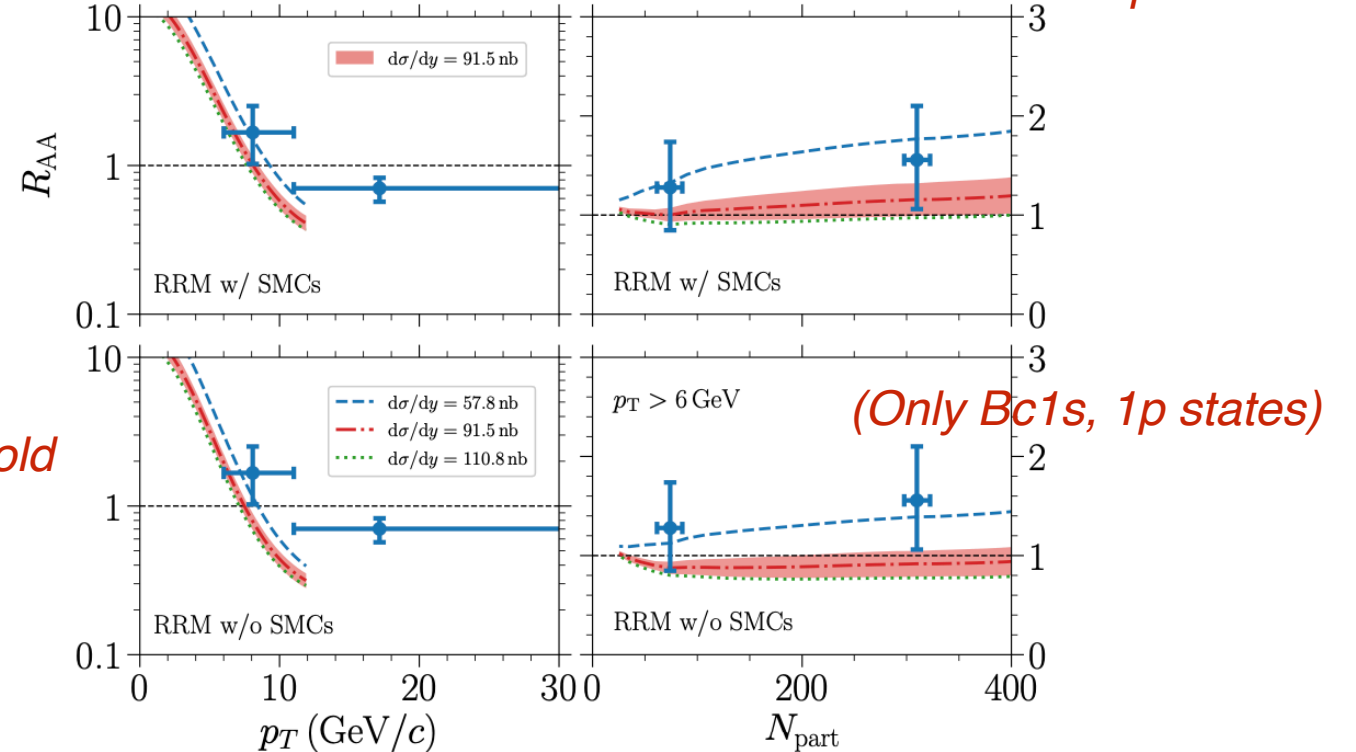
B. Chen, L. Wen, and Y. Liu, PLB 834 (2022) 137448

Boltzmann equation + non-thermal b and thermal c dis.



J. Zhao and P. Zhuang, arXiv: 2209.13275

Resonance recombination + non-thermal b and c quark dis.



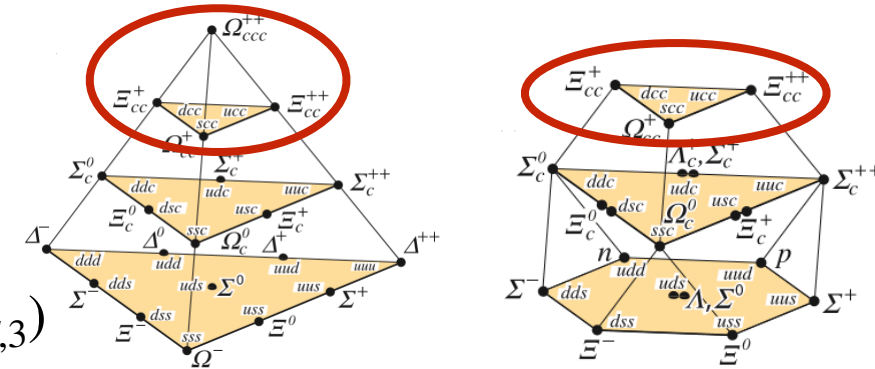
B. Wu, Zh. Tang, M. He, and R. Rapp, arXiv: 2302.11511

Significant regeneration contributions with *non-thermal bottom* and *charm* quark!

Multi-heavy baryons in heavy-ion collisions

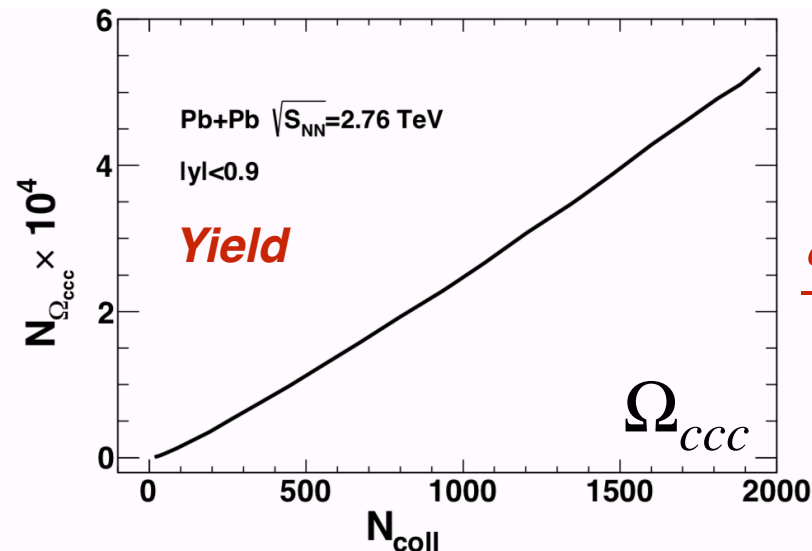
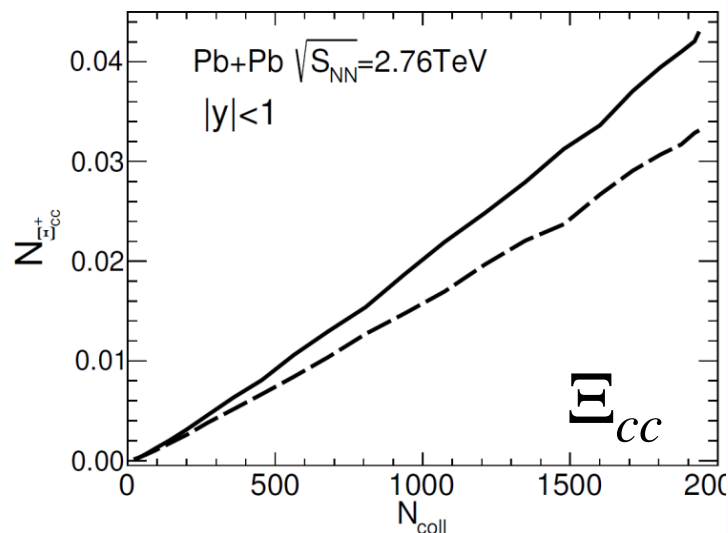
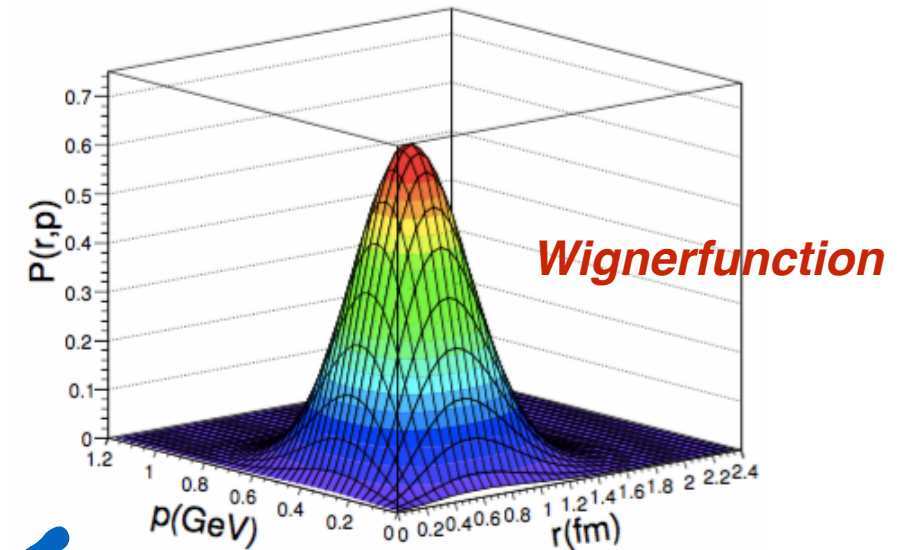
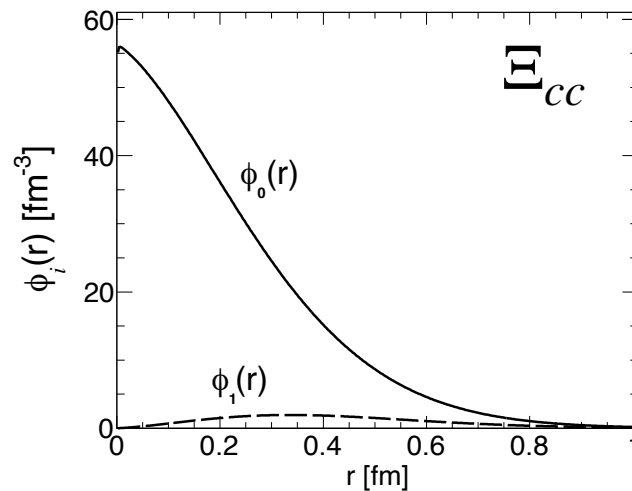
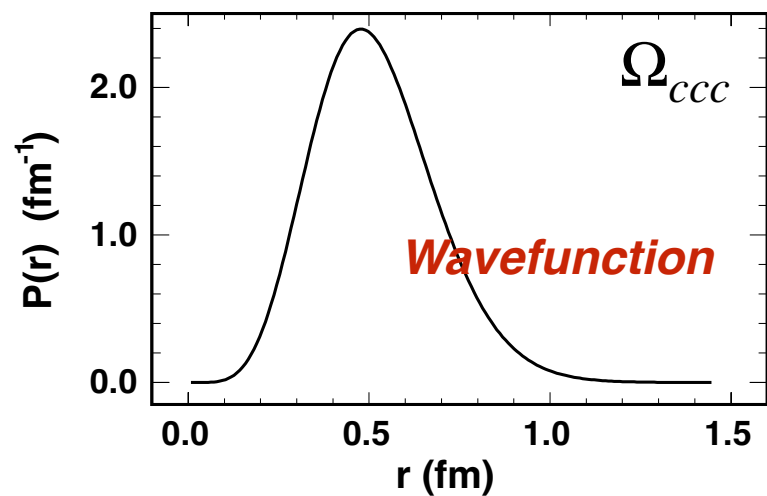
Coalescence mechanism:

$$\frac{dN}{d^2\mathbf{P}_T dy} = C \int \prod_{i=1}^3 \frac{d^3 p_i}{(2\pi)^3 E_i} p_i \cdot d\sigma_i f(r_1, p_i) W(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{p}) \delta^{(2)}(P_T - p_{T,1} - p_{T,2} - p_{T,3})$$



The Wigner function is determined by the *wavefunction* (solve 3-body Schrödinger equation).
Instead of taking a Gaussian distribution with the width as a free parameter.

$$W(r, p) = \int d^4 y e^{-ipy} \psi(r + \frac{y}{2}) \psi(r - \frac{y}{2})$$



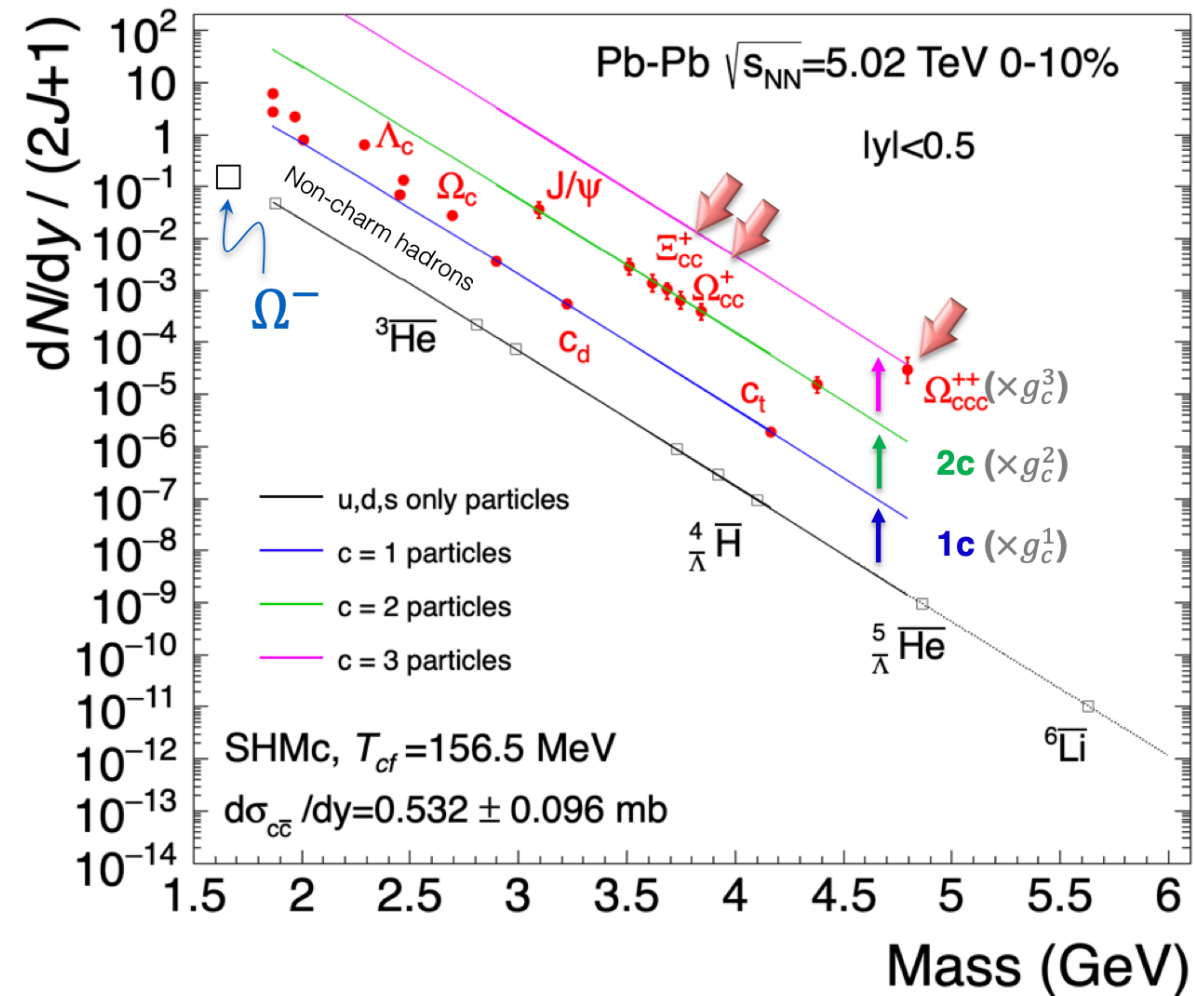
$$\sigma_{AA}^{eff} \equiv \frac{N_{AA}}{N_{coll} \Delta\eta} \sigma_{pp}^{inel}$$

$$\frac{\sigma_{AA}^{eff}(\Omega_{ccc})}{\sigma_{pp}(\Omega_{ccc})} : \frac{\sigma_{AA}^{eff}(\Xi_{cc})}{\sigma_{pp}(\Xi_{cc})} : \frac{\sigma_{AA}^{eff}(J/\psi)}{\sigma_{pp}(J/\psi)} \approx 10^2 : 10^1 : 10^0.$$

J. Zhao, H. He, Y. Liu, P. Zhuang. PLB 746(2015); PLB 771 (2017) 349-353; Few Body Syst. 58 (2017) 2, 100.

Multi-heavy baryons in heavy-ion collisions

Statistical Hadronization Model on charm sector (DHMc)



A. Andronic, PBM, M. Köhler, A. Mazeliauskas, K. Redlich, J. Stachel, V. Vislavicius. *JHEP* 07 (2021) 035.

Exhibit an enhancement hierarchy. The production of Ω_{ccc} is enhanced in heavy-ion collisions !

pT -spectra and ratio of Ω_{ccc} , Ω_{scc} , Ξ_{cc} , Ξ_{cc}^* in heavy-ion collisions.

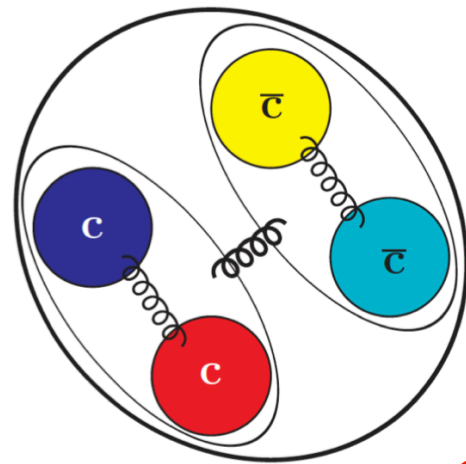
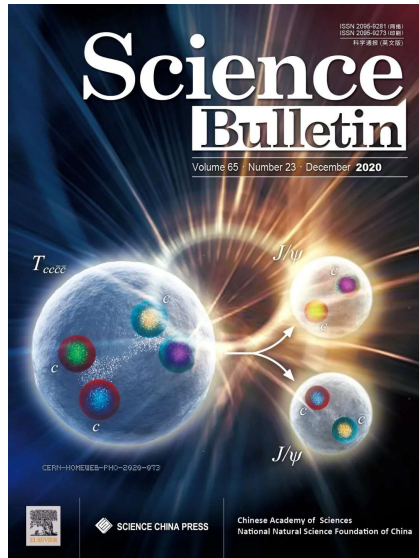
S. Cho and S. Lee, *Phys.Rev.C* 101 (2020) 2, 024902.

Due to the **combination of uncorrelated charm quarks** in the hot medium, the multi-charmed baryon yield are **largely enhanced** in comparison with pp collisions!

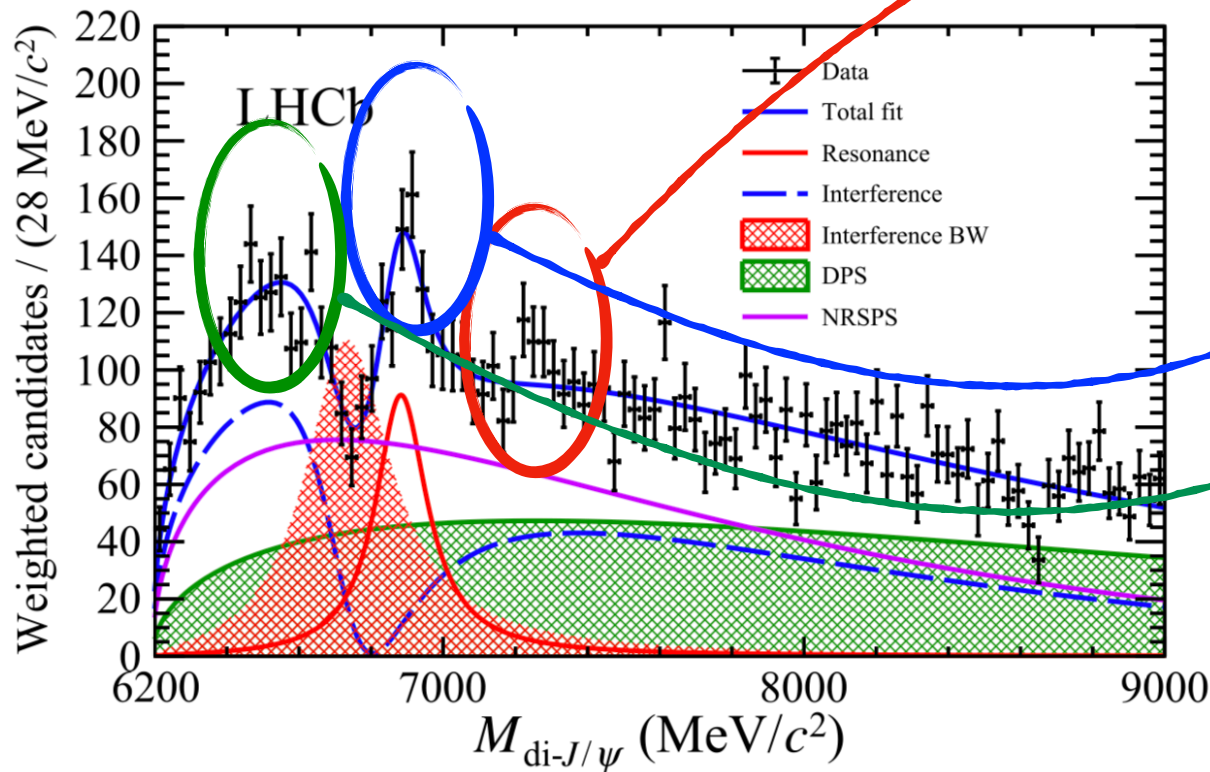
Run 5 & 6 at LHC

Fully-heavy Tetraquark

Solve four-body Schrödinger equation



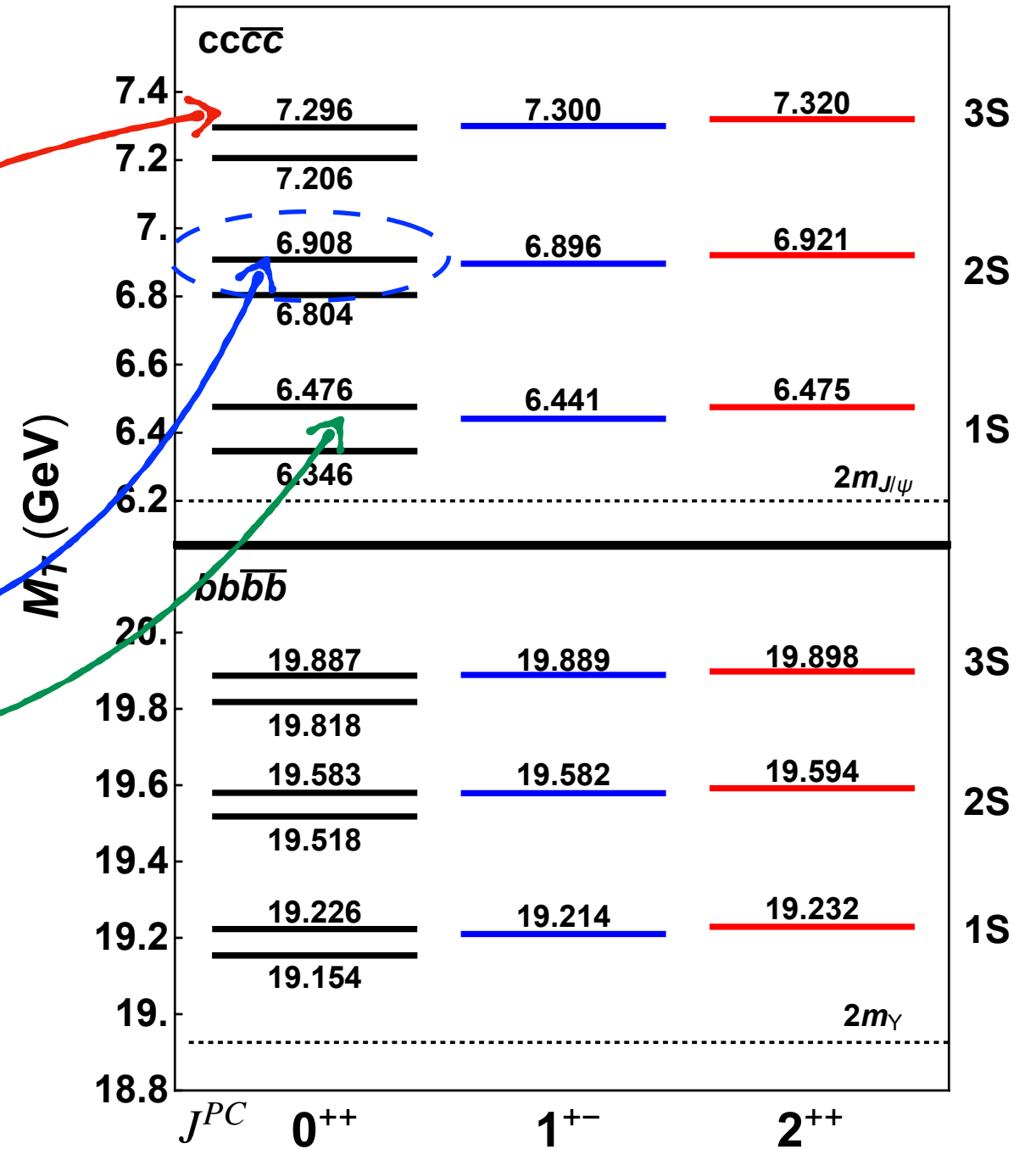
$$\left(\sum_{i=1}^4 \frac{\hat{q}_i^2}{2m} + \sum_{i<j} V_{ij}(|\mathbf{r}_{ij}|) \right) \Psi = E\Psi,$$



$$m[X(6900)] = 6905 \pm 11 \pm 7 \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

$$\Gamma[X(6900)] = 80 \pm 19 \pm 33 \text{ MeV}$$

LHCb Collaboration, Science Bulletin, 2020, 65(23)1983-1993

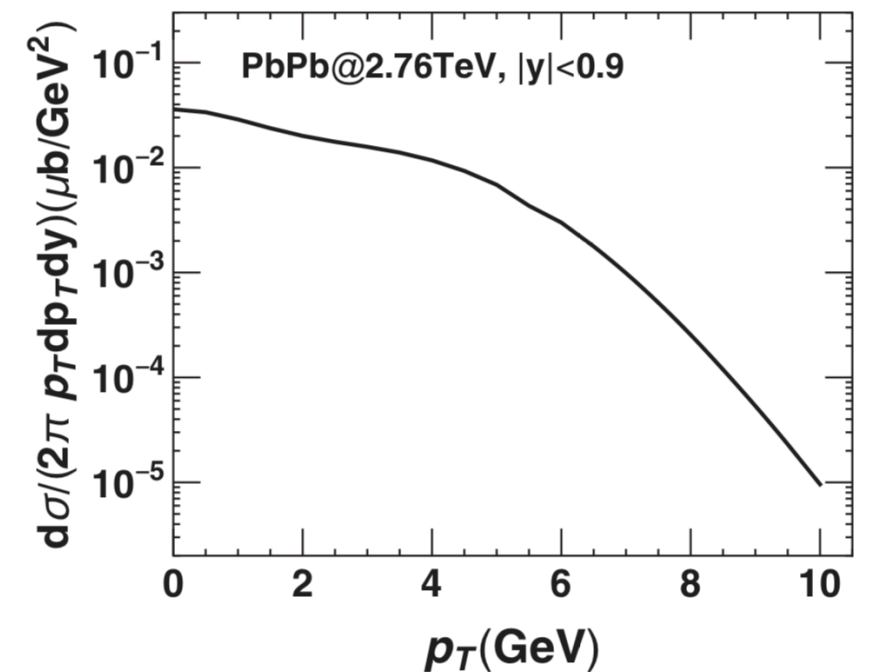
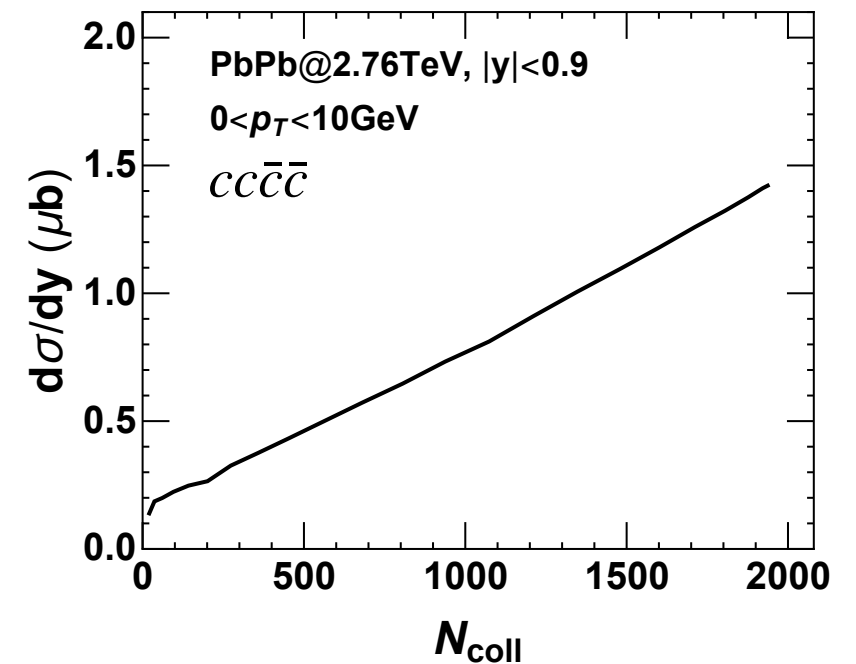
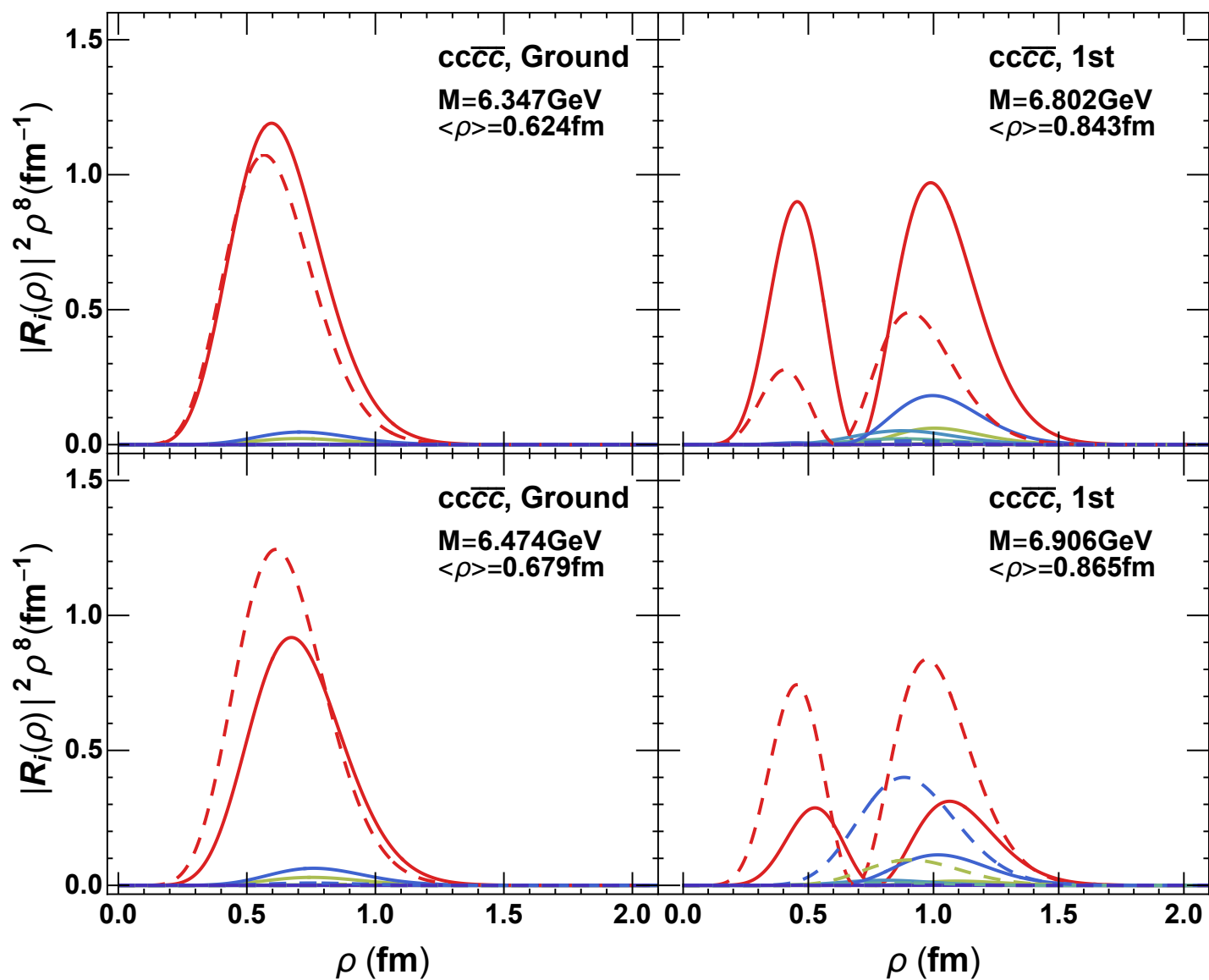


J. Zhao, S. Shi, and P. Zhuang, Phys.Rev.D 102 (2020) 11, 114001

- The X(6900) is probably the 1st excited state of $cc\bar{c}\bar{c}$ with $J^{PC} = 0^{++}$
- The potential states (~6.4GeV and ~7.2GeV) might be the ground and 2nd excited states.

Fully-heavy Tetraquark

Fully-heavy tetraquark production in heavy-ion collisions : Coalescence model



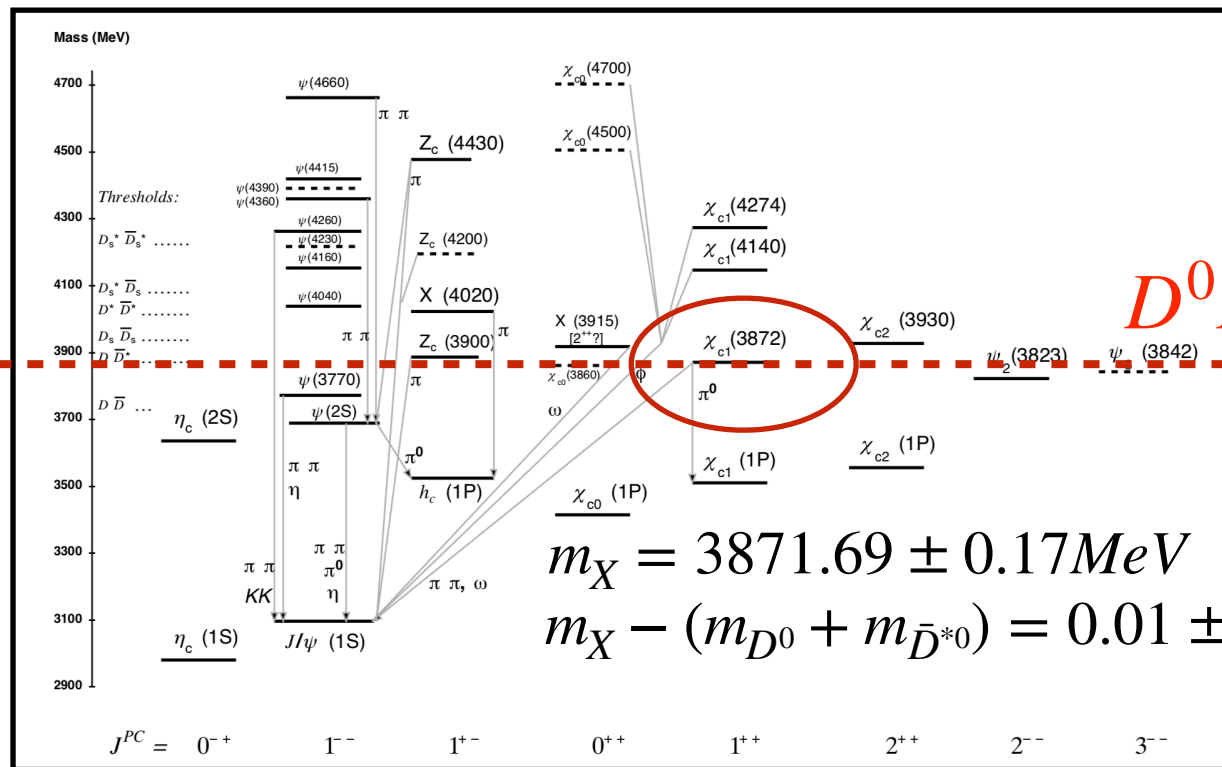
Coalescence probability: *Wigner function* \rightarrow *Wavefunction*

- $\left. \frac{d\sigma}{N_{coll} dy} \right|_{AA} \approx 770 pb$ in AA at 5.02 TeV is much larger than $\left. \frac{d\sigma}{dy} \right|_{pp} = 78 pb$

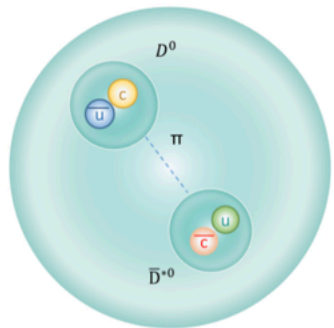
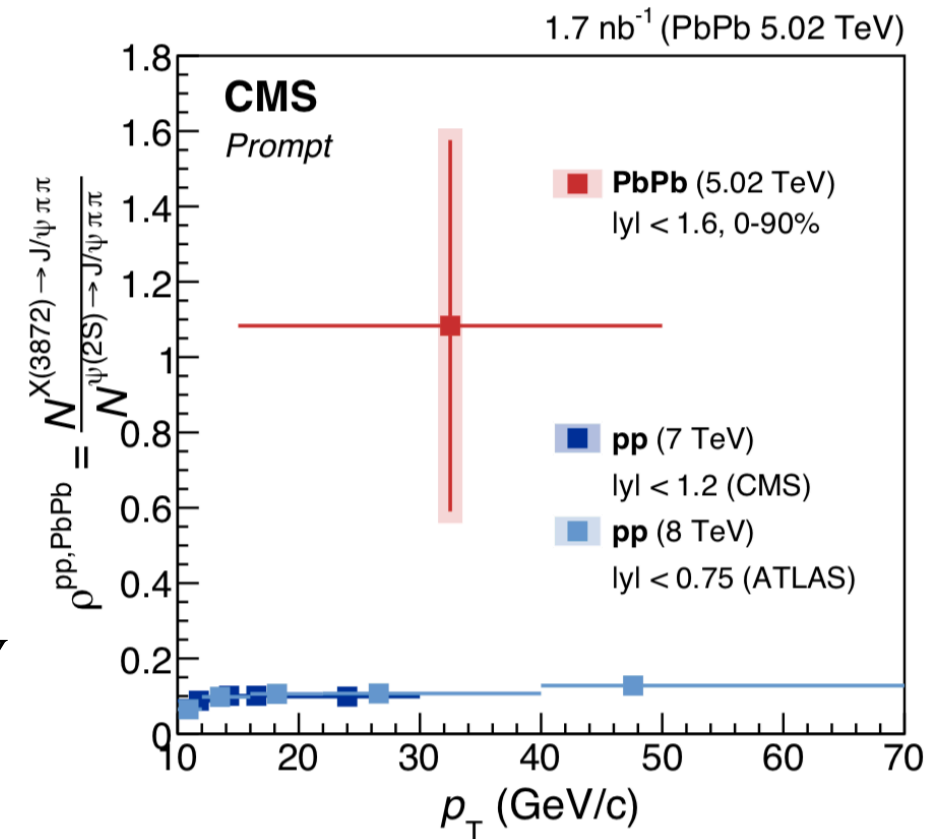
- The four-lepton decay ($X(cc\bar{c}\bar{c}) \rightarrow l_1^+ l_2^- l_3^+ l_4^-$), well separated from the bulk back ground !

X(3872)

First observed by Belle collaboration (2003)



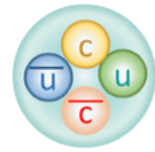
$D^0 \bar{D}^{*0}$



Y. Lee's slides

Hadronic molecule

$$(Q\bar{q})_1 + (\bar{Q}q)_1$$



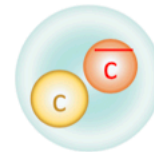
Tetraquark

$$(Q\bar{Q}q\bar{q})_1$$



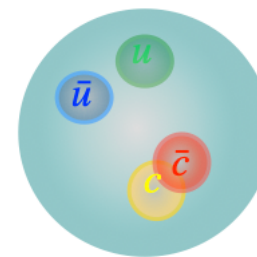
Hybrid

$$(Q\bar{Q})_8 + g$$



Charmonium

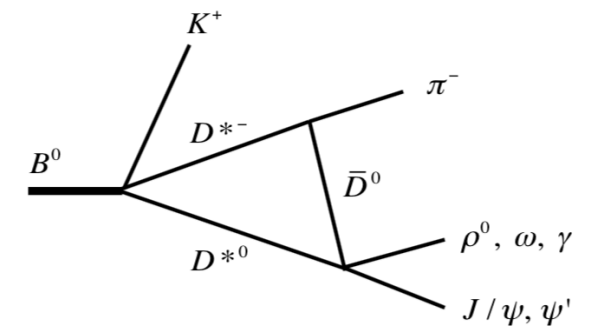
$$(Q\bar{Q})_1$$



Hadro-quarkonium

$$(Q\bar{Q})_1 + (q\bar{q})_1$$

$$(Q\bar{Q})_8 + (q\bar{q})_8$$



Triangle singularities

First evidence of X(3872) production in heavy-ion collisions, only one point at $p_T \sim 30 \text{ GeV}$ and with large uncertainty!

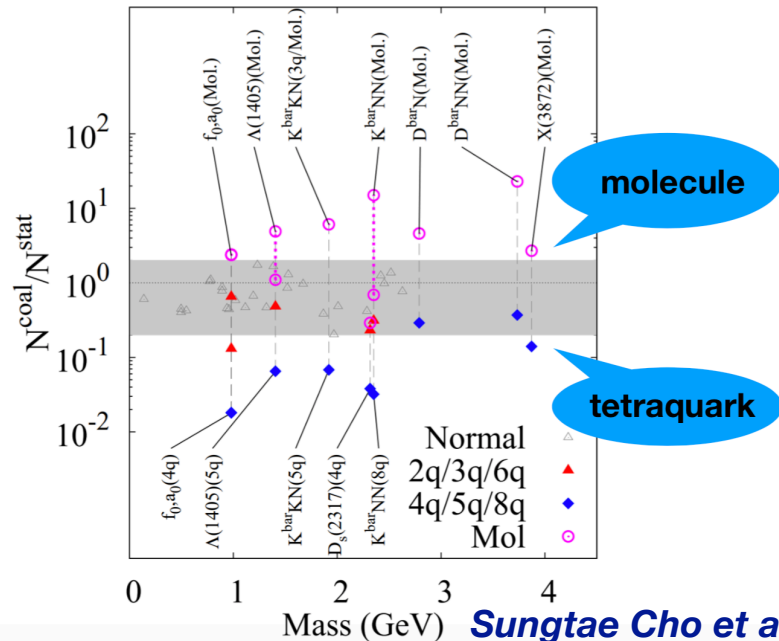
CMS Collaboration, PRL. 128 (2022) 3, 032001

Can HIC help us to understand its inner structure ?

X(3872)

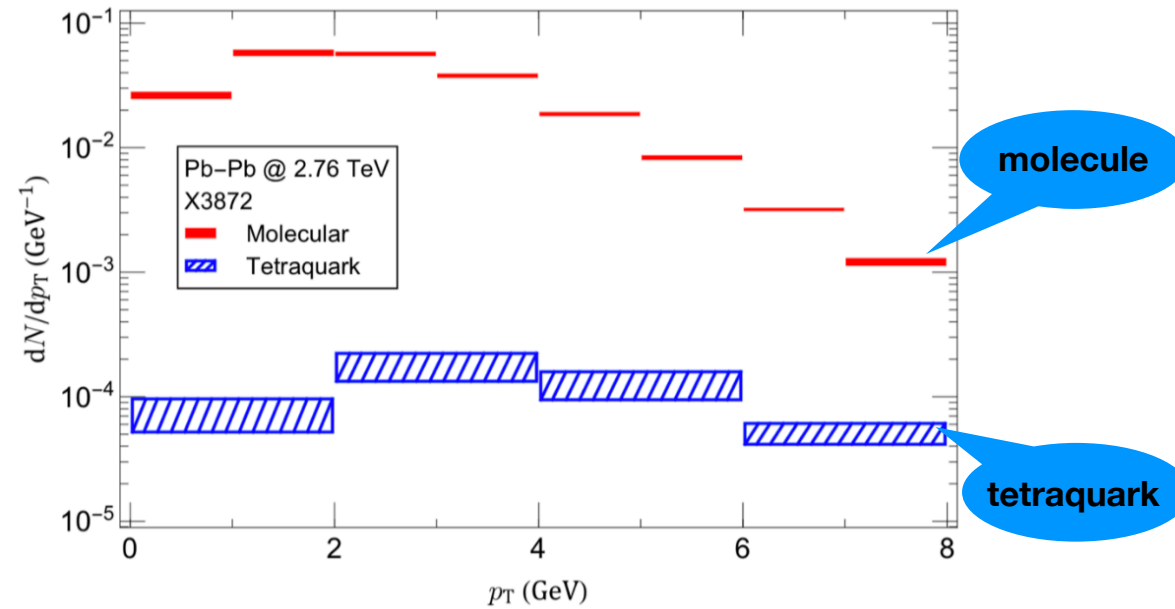
Coalescence

Coal. / Stat. ratio at RHIC



Sungtae Cho et al,
Phys. Rev. Lett. 106 (2011) 212001.

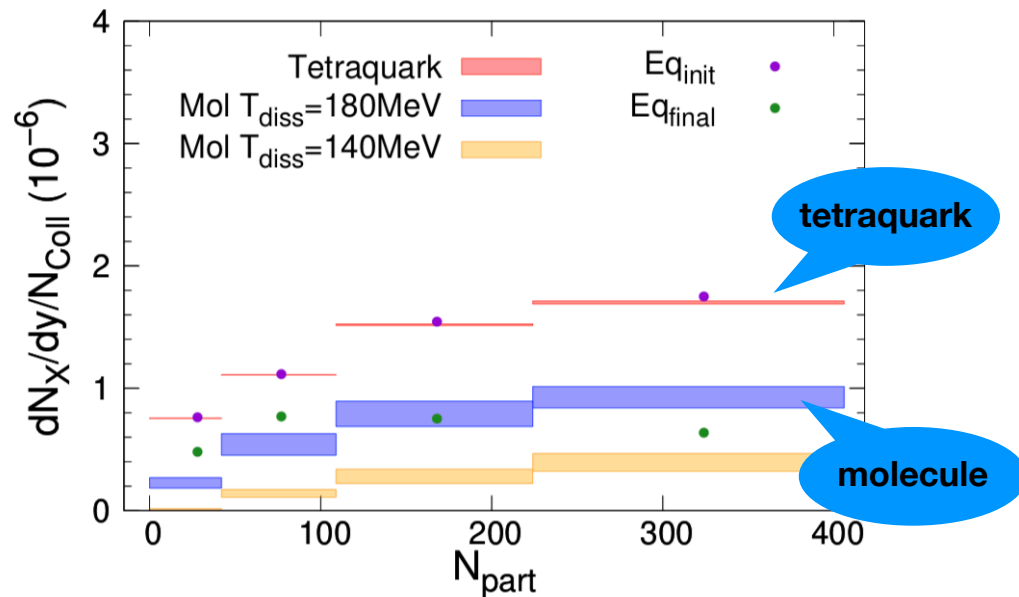
AMPT+invariant mass&radius



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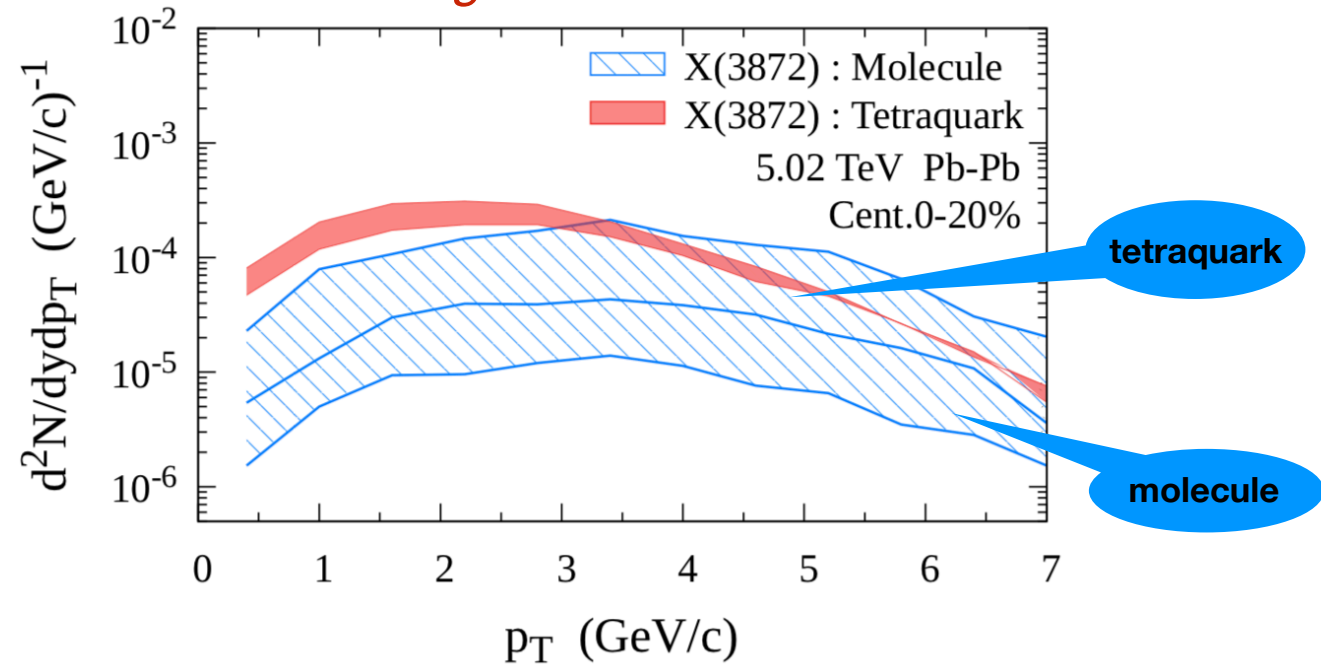
$N_{\text{Molecule}} > N_{\text{Tetraquark}}$

Transport(Rate Eq.)



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Langevin+Coalescence



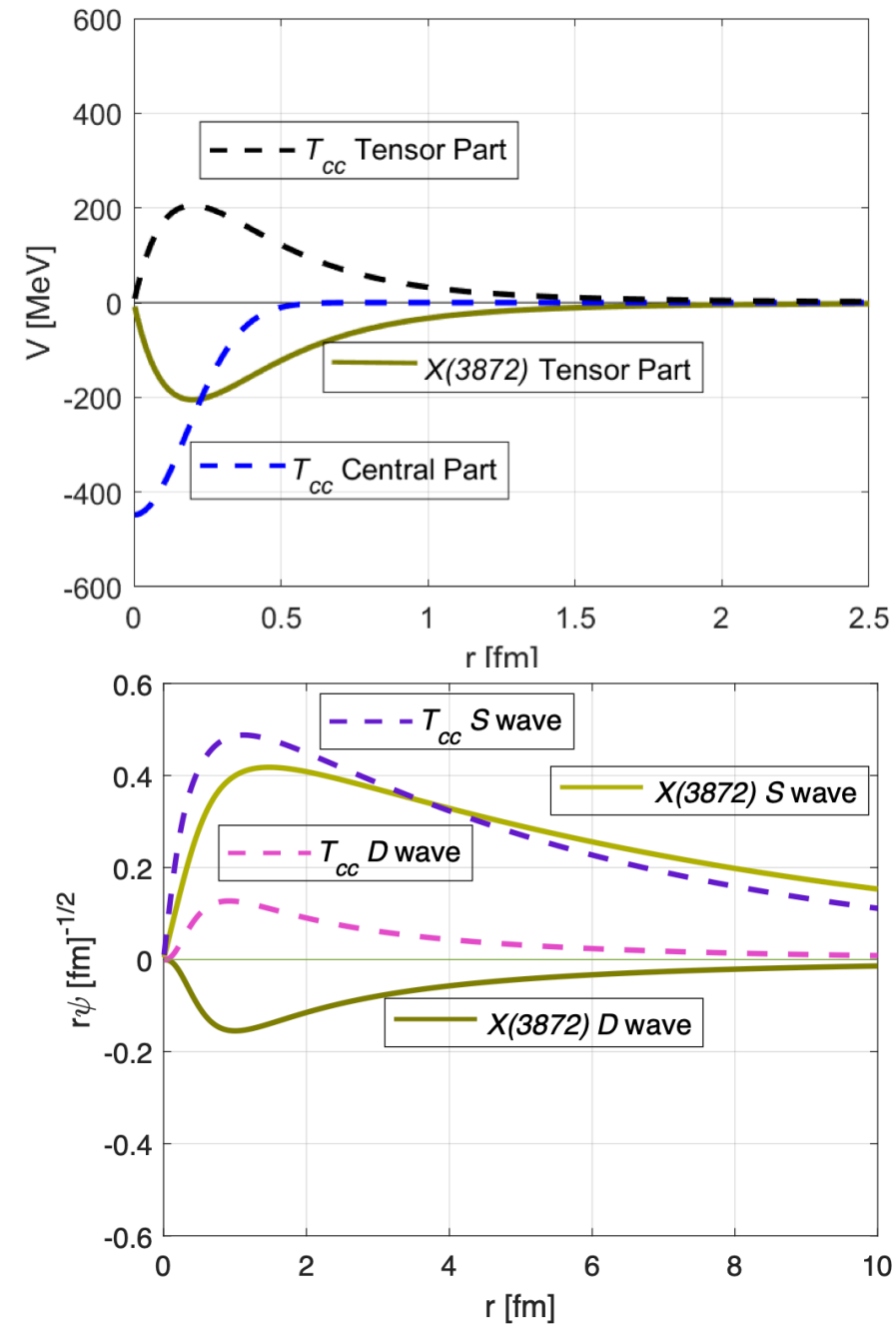
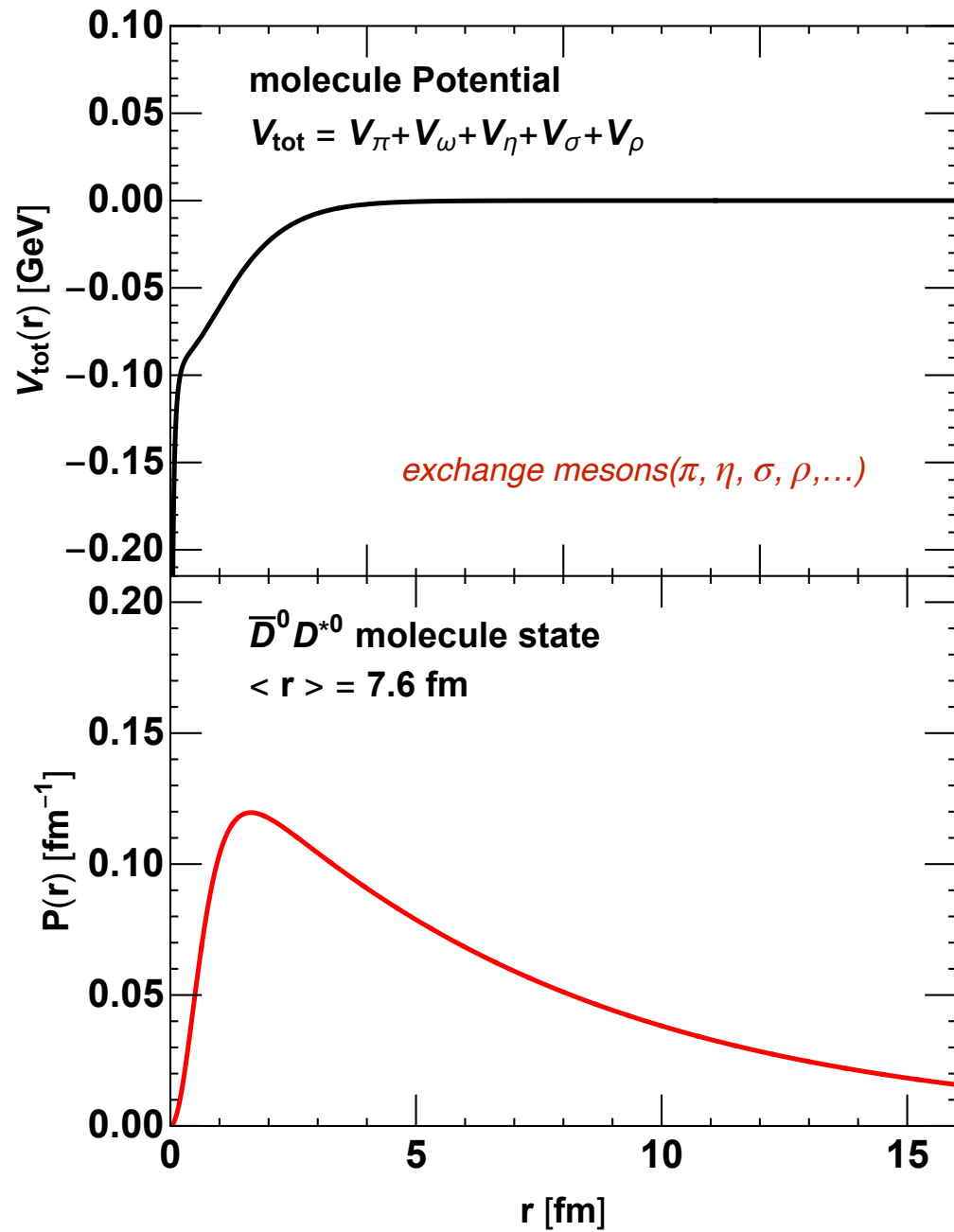
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$N_{\text{Tetraquark}} > N_{\text{Molecule}}$

- Production in heavy-ion collisions: Reveal the inner structure of X(3872) See also: H. Yun, Mon. 16:40
- Dissociation of loosely bound molecular states in hadronic phase is important !

X(3872)

Strictly study the potential and wavefunction of molecular states of X to obtain the coalescence probability !



B. Chen, L. Jiang, X. Liu, Y. Liu, J. Zhao. *Phys.Rev.C* 105 (2022) 5, 054901

H. Yun, D. Park, S. Noh, A. Park, et al, *Phys.Rev.C* 107 (2023) 014906

- In medium properties of tetraquark states.

S. Cho, S. Lee, M. Nielsen, F.S. Navarra, K. P. Khemchandani...

- Study the multiplicity dependence (from small to large system)!

A. Esposito, C. Salgado...
Y. Guo, X. Guo, J. Liao, E. Wang, H. Xing...

- $D\bar{D}$ Hadronic interaction \rightarrow Correlation function.

E. Hiyama, Thu. 11:40

Summary

I. Open Heavy Flavor

- ❖ *Heavy quarks correlation is strongly related to the production process and colliding energy.*
- ❖ *Heavy quarks suffer both collisional and radiative energy loss in the QGP.*
 - *Spatial diffusion coefficient from lattice QCD with dynamic quarks is found to be significantly smaller than previous ones.*
 - *There exist energy loss hierarchy.*
- ❖ *Heavy quark can help us to understand the hadronization mechanism in the QGP. Model comparison is very important to go forward.*

II. Quarkonium

- ❖ *The vacuum properties can be well described by the potential model. The in-medium properties mostly can be absorbed in the finite-temperature potential, which with both real and imaginary part.*
- ❖ *Although phenomenological transport models can describe the experimental data. To build a genuine first principles based framework is important. OQS is used and developed in different time scale.*
- ❖ *Nice probe to the initial stage, electromagnetic fields, and the QGP.*

III. Heavy flavor rare/exotic states

- ❖ *The production of B_c , Ξ_{cc} , Ω_{ccc} , $X(6900)$ are largely enhanced in heavy ion collisions!*
- ❖ *It is possible to probe the inner structure of tetraquark states, such as $X(3872)$, in heavy ion collisions.*

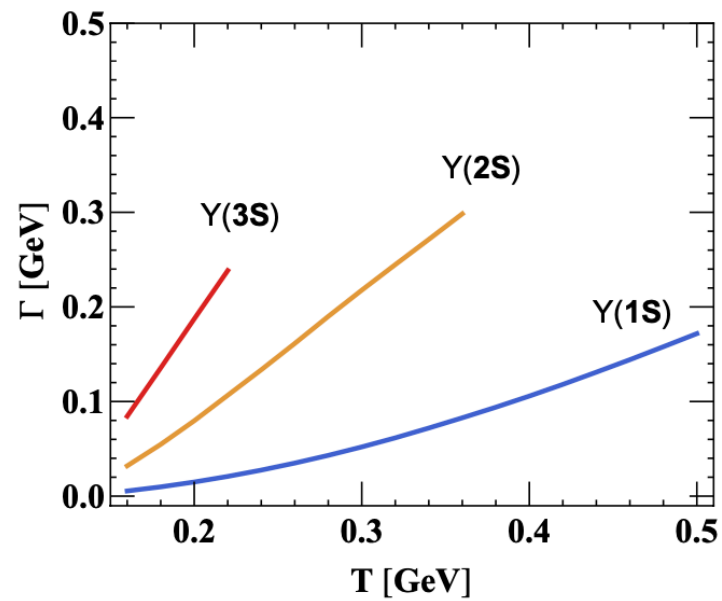
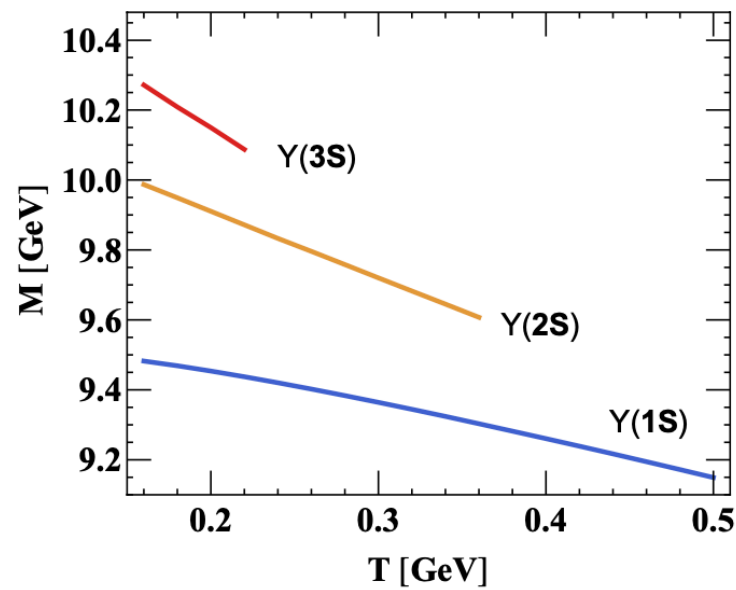
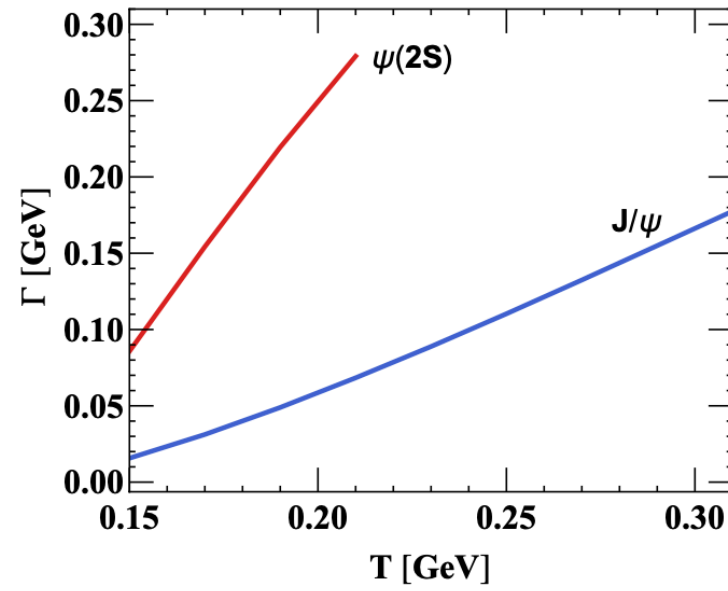
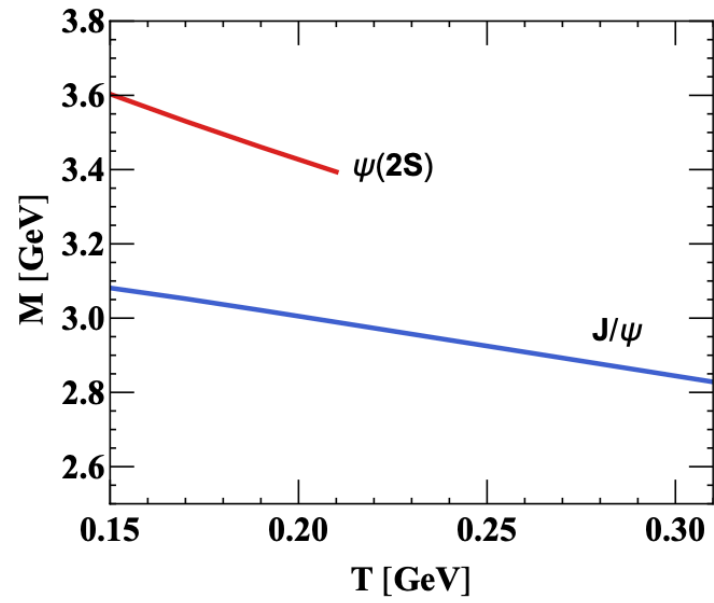
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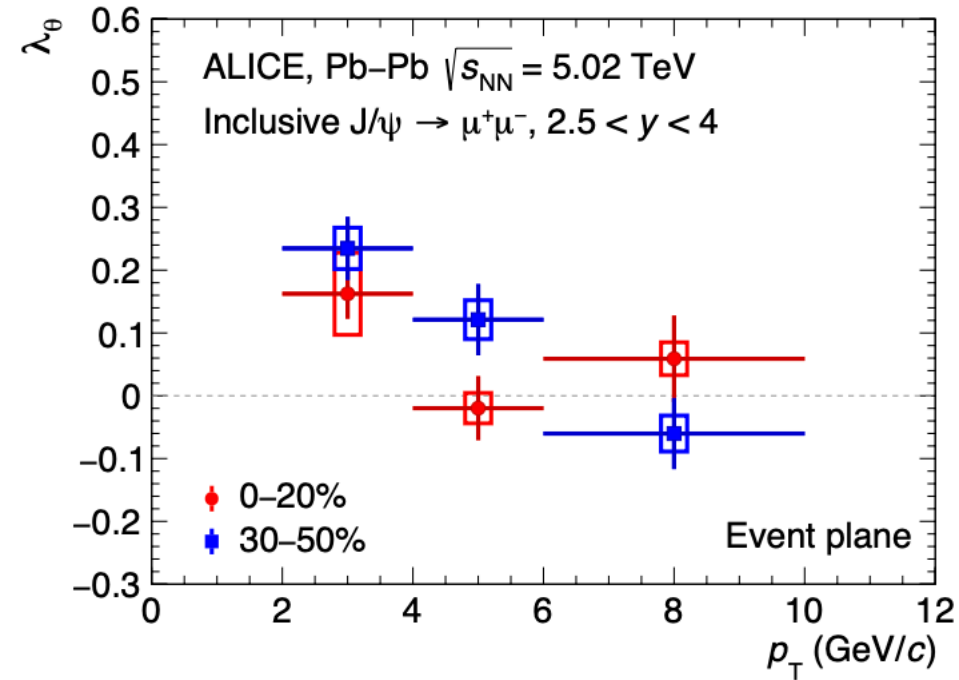
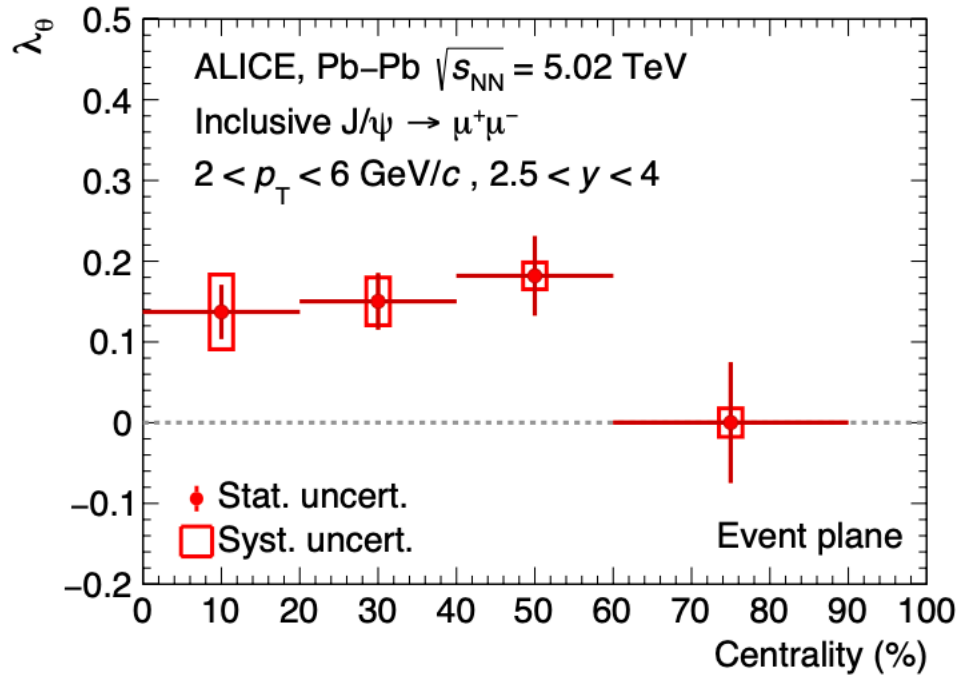
Quarkonium

$$-\frac{\nabla^2}{m_b} \psi_n + [V_R(T, r) + i V_I(T, r)] \psi_n = E_n \psi_n$$

$$\Gamma_{nl} = -\langle n, l | 2 \text{Im} V_s^{(0)}(r) | n, l \rangle$$



Quarkonium polarization



$$\left[\frac{(\mathbf{p}_a - q_a \mathbf{A}_a)^2}{2m} + \frac{(\mathbf{p}_b - q_b \mathbf{A}_b)^2}{2m} - \boldsymbol{\mu} \cdot \mathbf{B} + V \right] \Psi(\mathbf{x}_a, \mathbf{x}_b) = E \Psi(\mathbf{x}_a, \mathbf{x}_b),$$

