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Event shapes methods for pp and p-Pb collisions

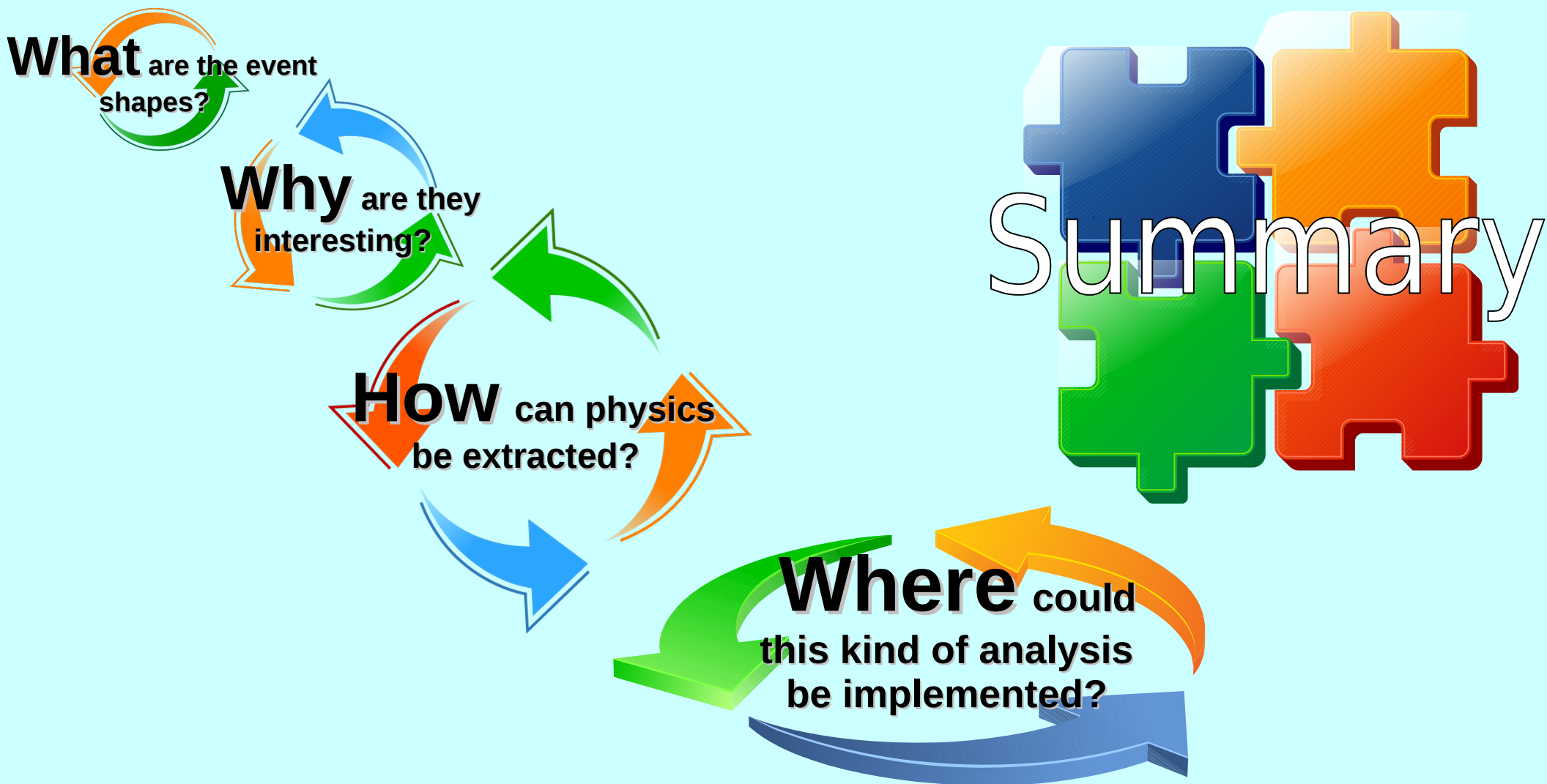
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Plan for this talk





What are the event shapes?

In the following, only results for transverse sphericity will be shown, but there are other variables: sphericity, thrust, aplanarity, circularity; which can be explored in the same way.



Event shapes at hadron colliders

- They provide a measurement of the energy flow in a hadron-hadron collision.
- They are restricted to the transverse plane in order to avoid the bias from the boost along the beam axis.
- By construction they are infrared and collinear safe.

[A. Banfi, G. P. Salam and G. Zanderighi, JHEP 0408, 062, 2004.](#)

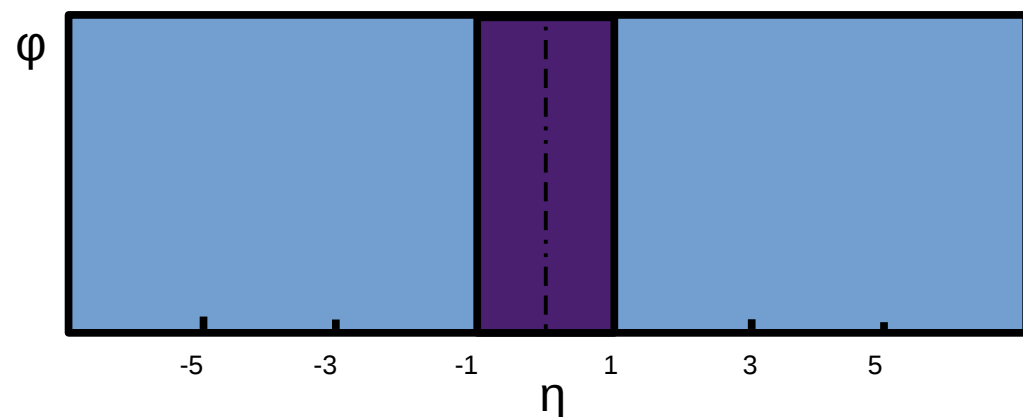
- They can be used for MC tuning.



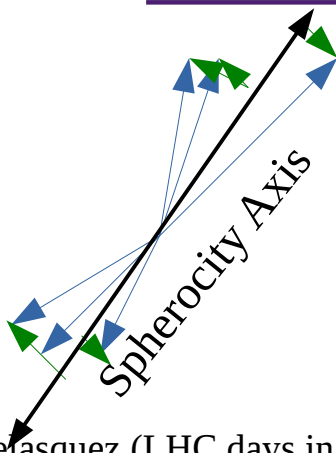
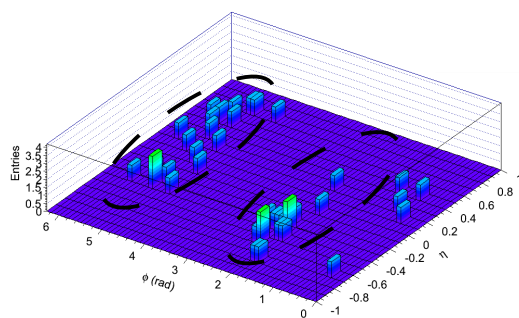
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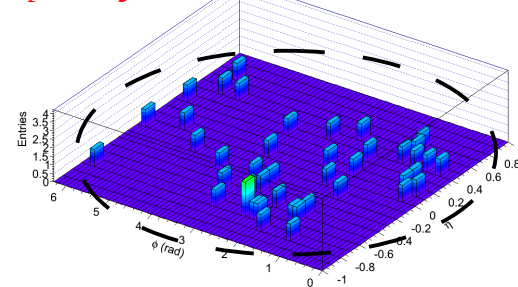
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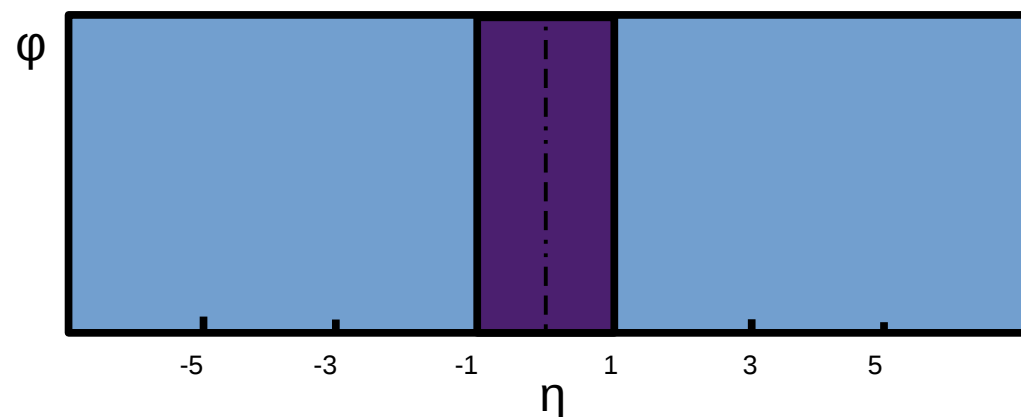
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In this work we consider the following cuts:

$$0.15 < p_T < 10 \text{ GeV}/c \text{ and } \eta_D = 1$$

Motivated by different measurements reported by ALICE.

ALICE Collaboration, EPJC73: 2662 (2013), PLB727:371-380 (2013)



The results presented here were obtained using Pythia 8.180 tune 4C. This MC describes qualitatively well several observables measured at the LHC.

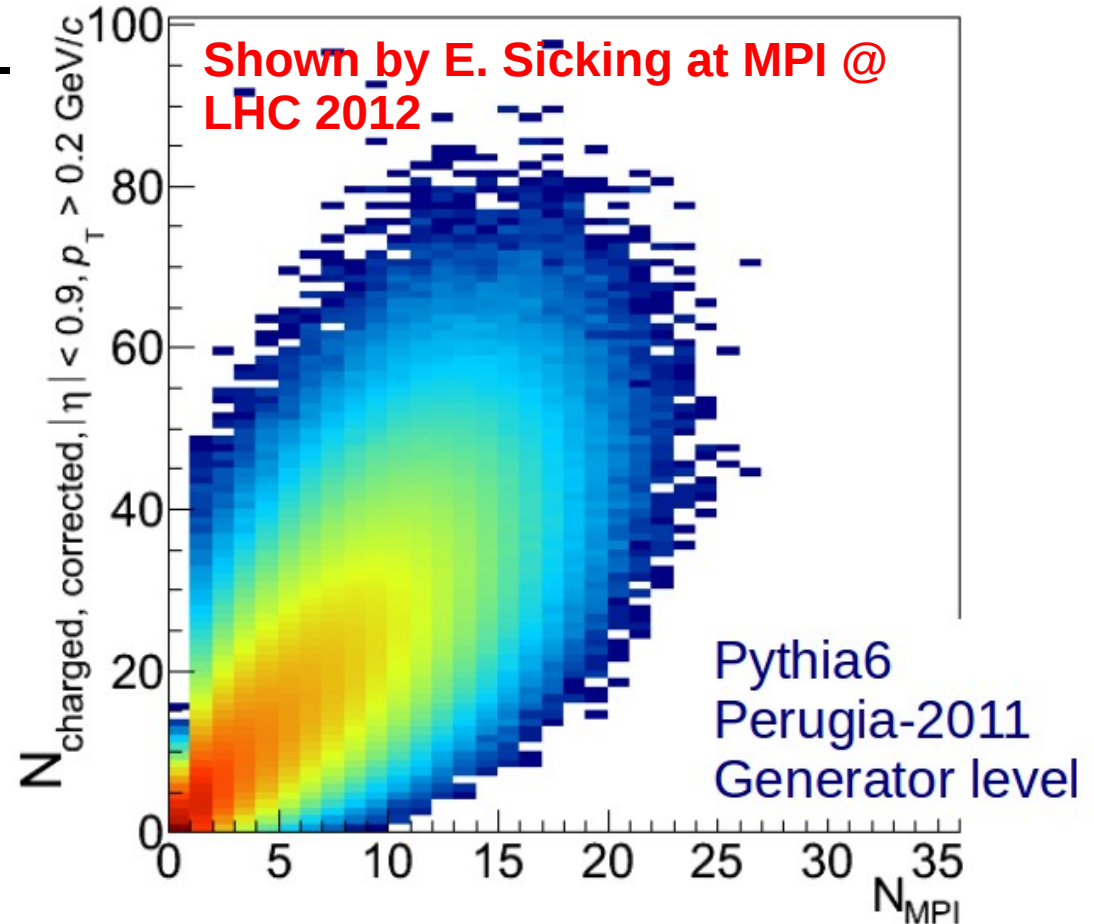
<http://home.thep.lu.se/~torbjorn/Pythia.html>



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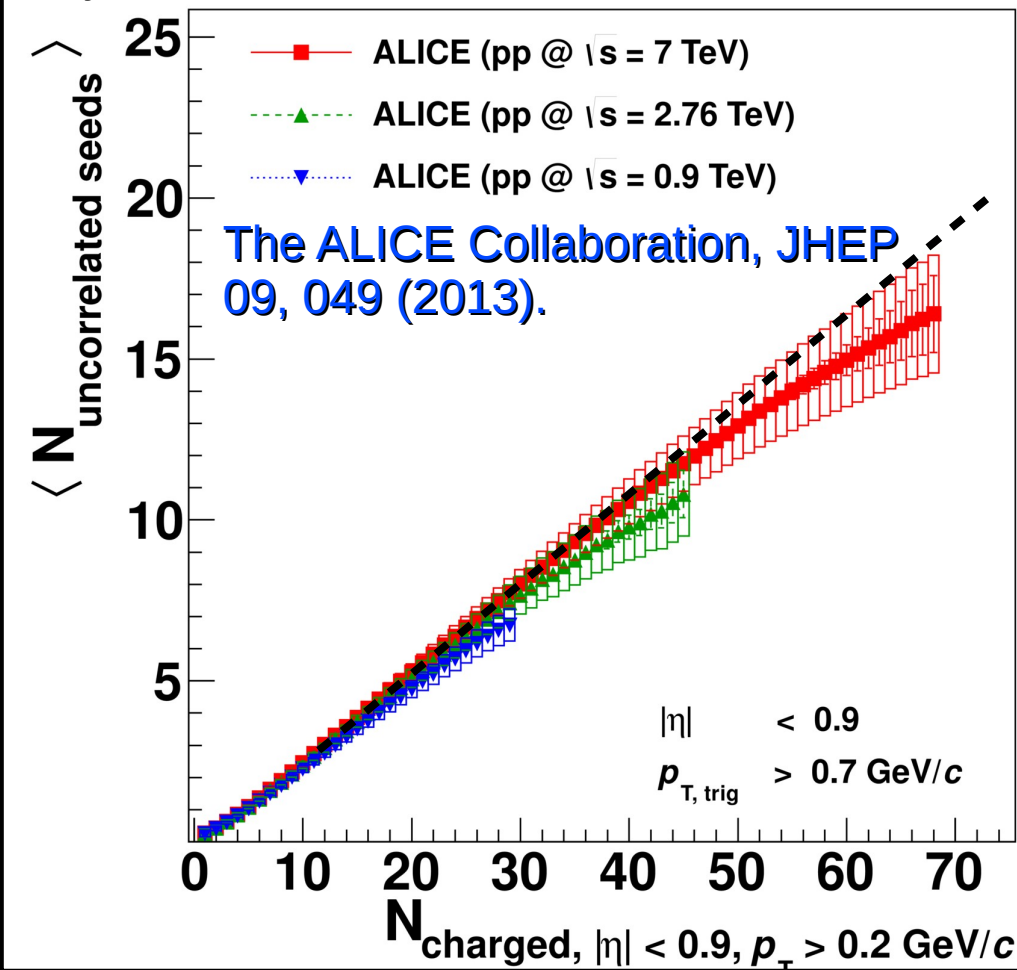
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Number of independent sources of particle production, in Pythia this is related with number of MPIs





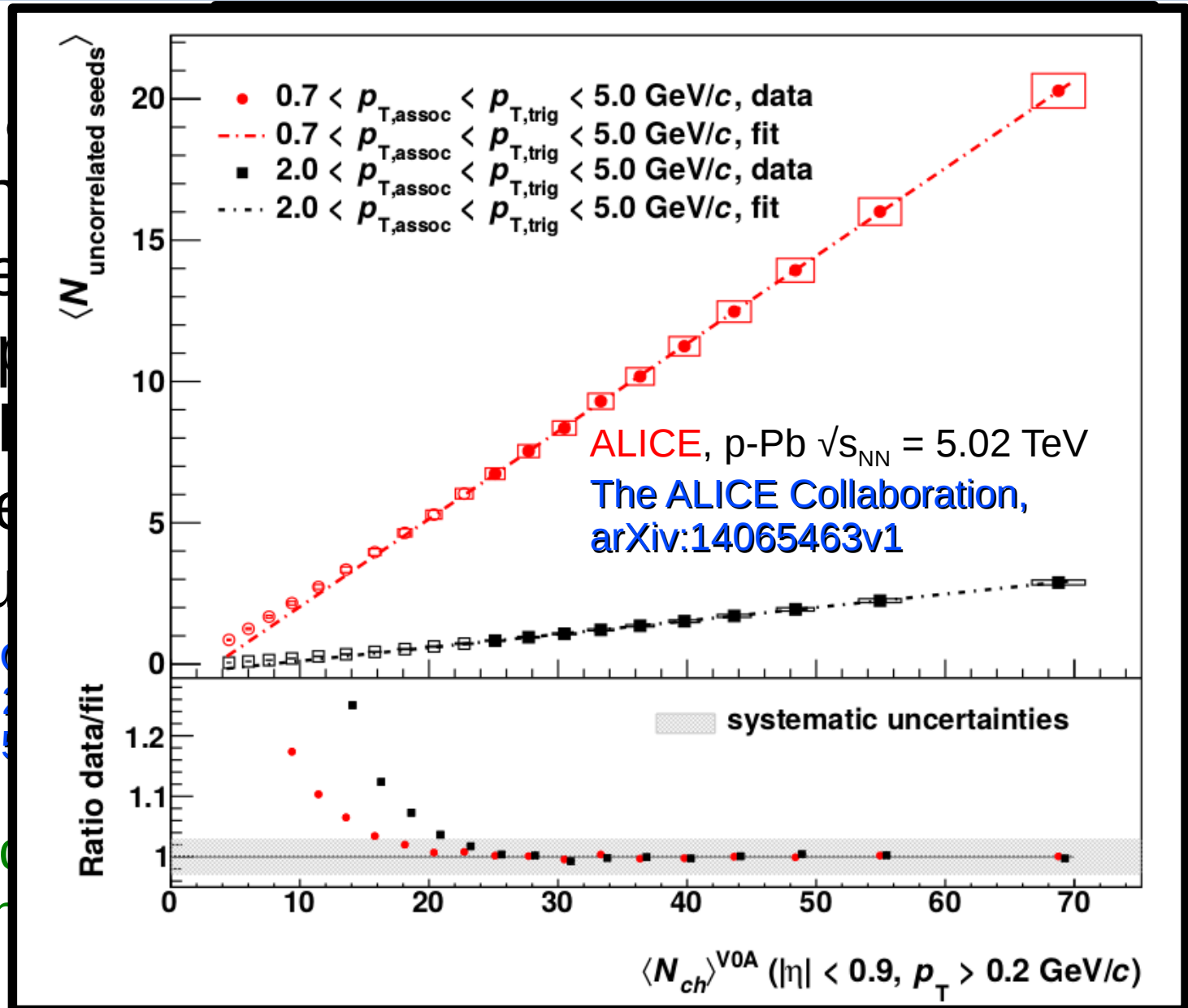
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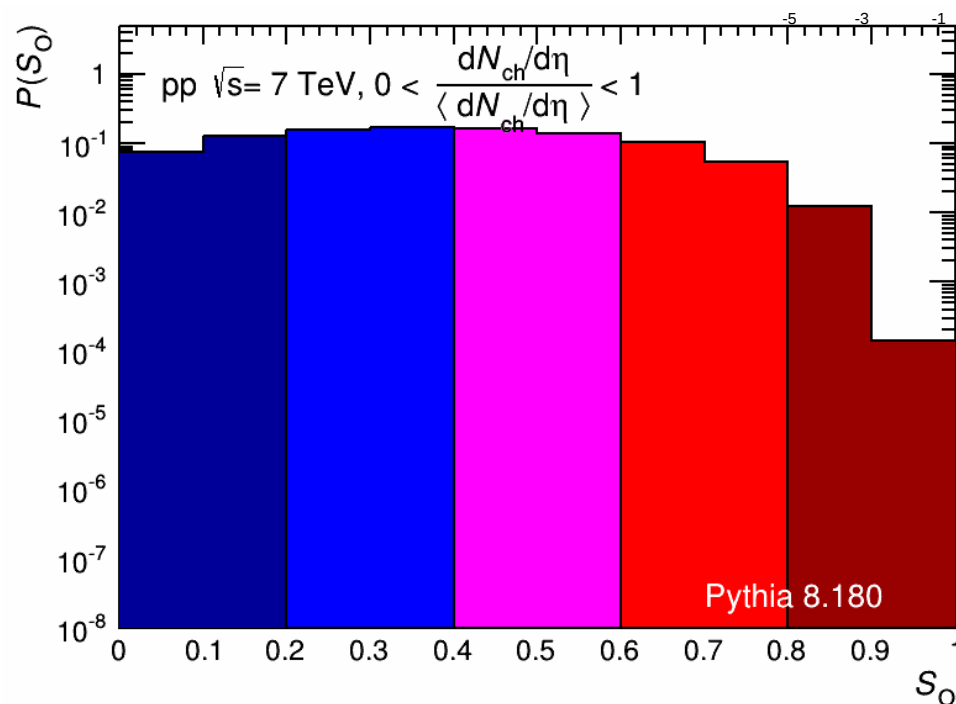
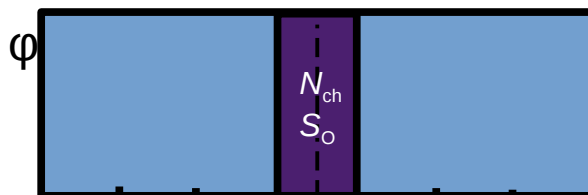
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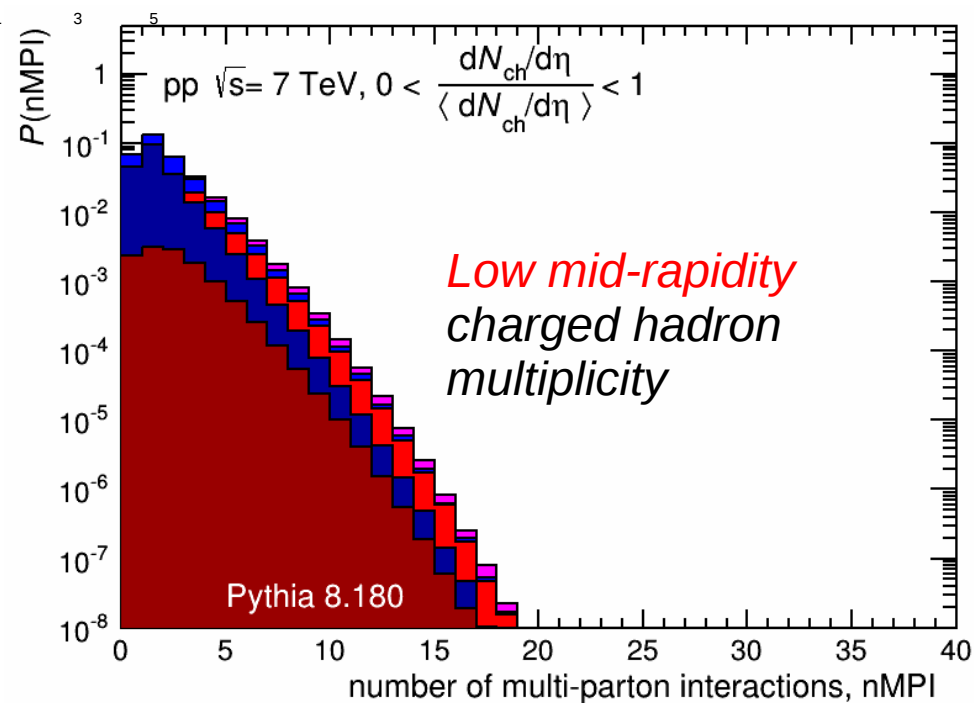


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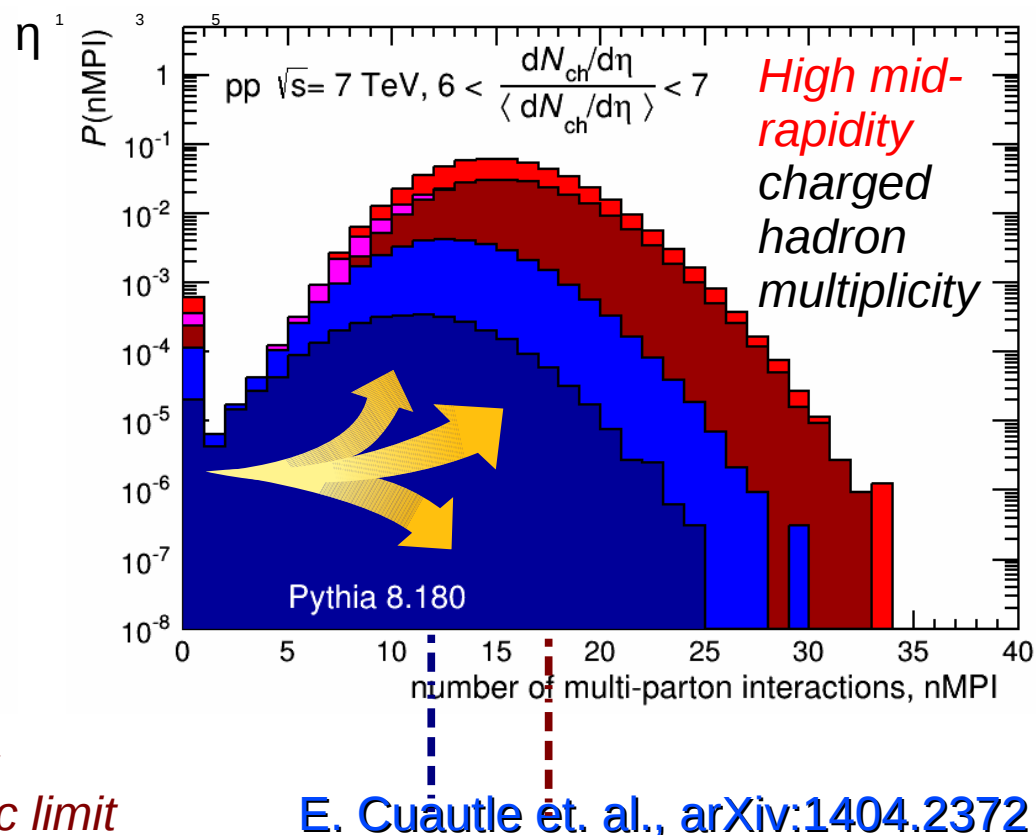
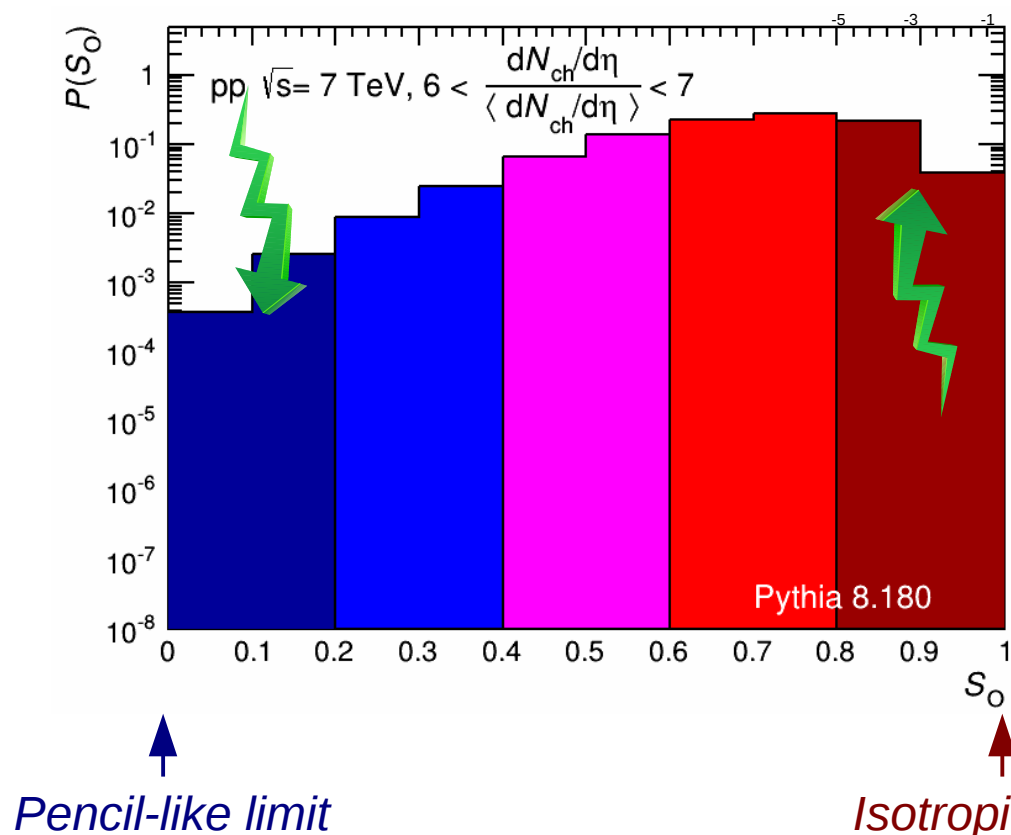
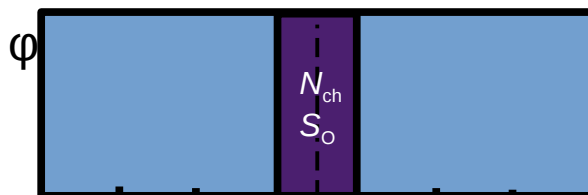
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E. Cuautle et. al., arXiv:1404.2372



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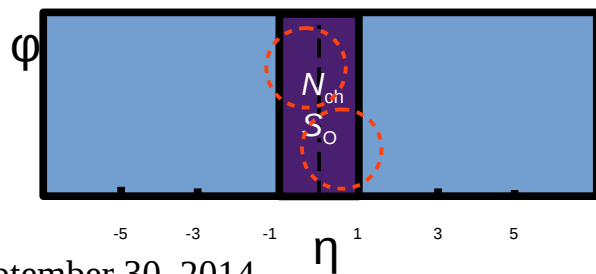
Jet production vs N_{ch} and S_o



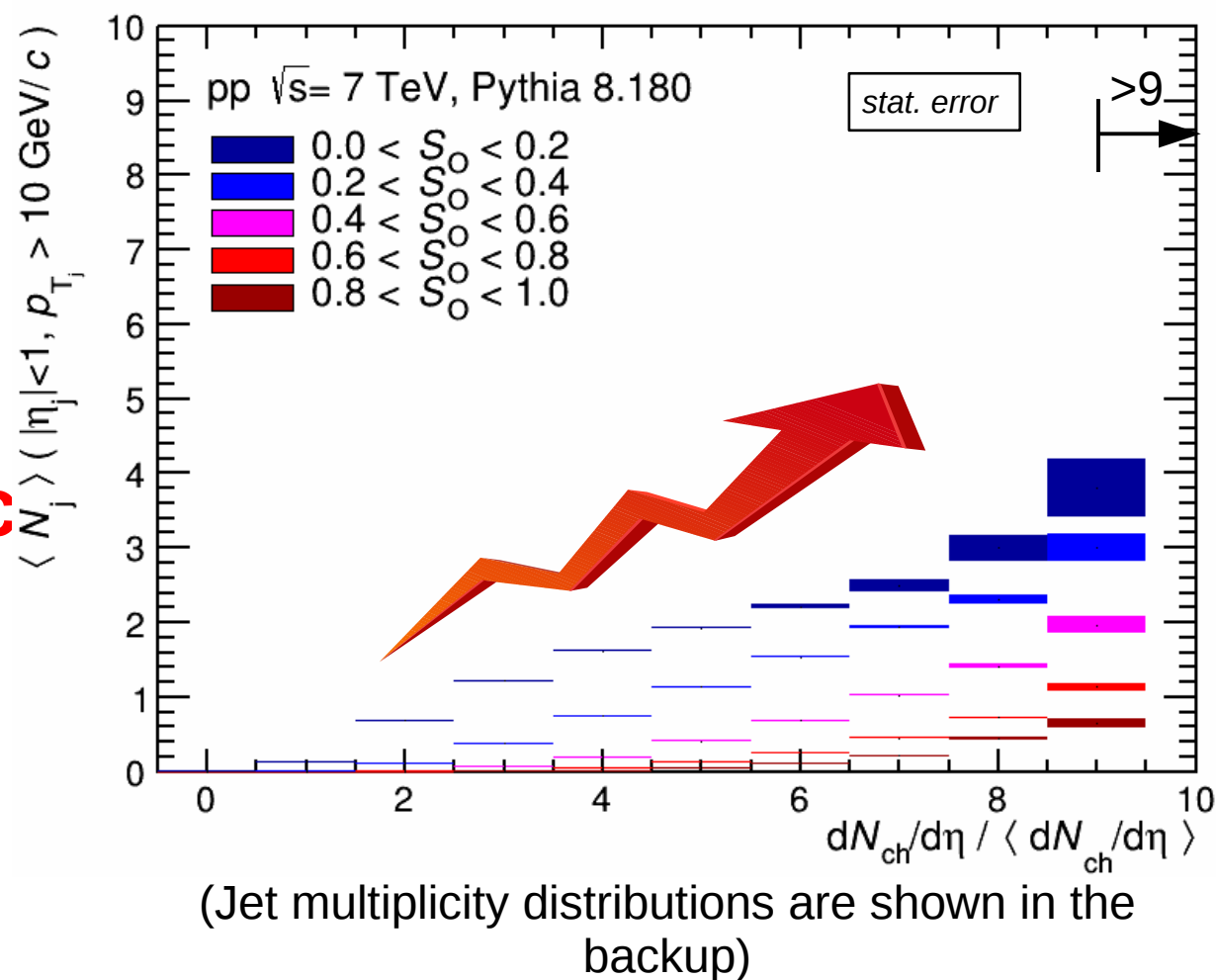
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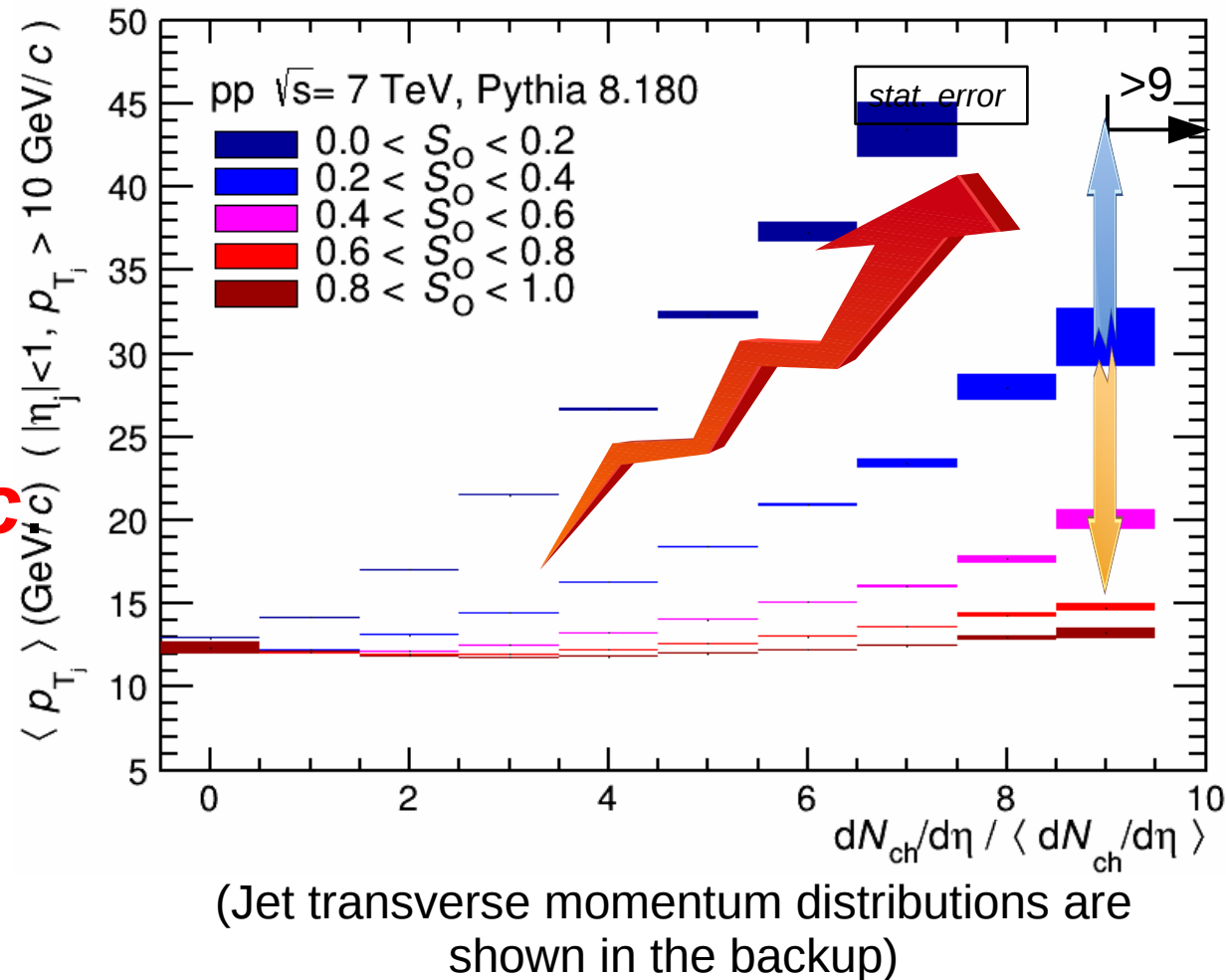


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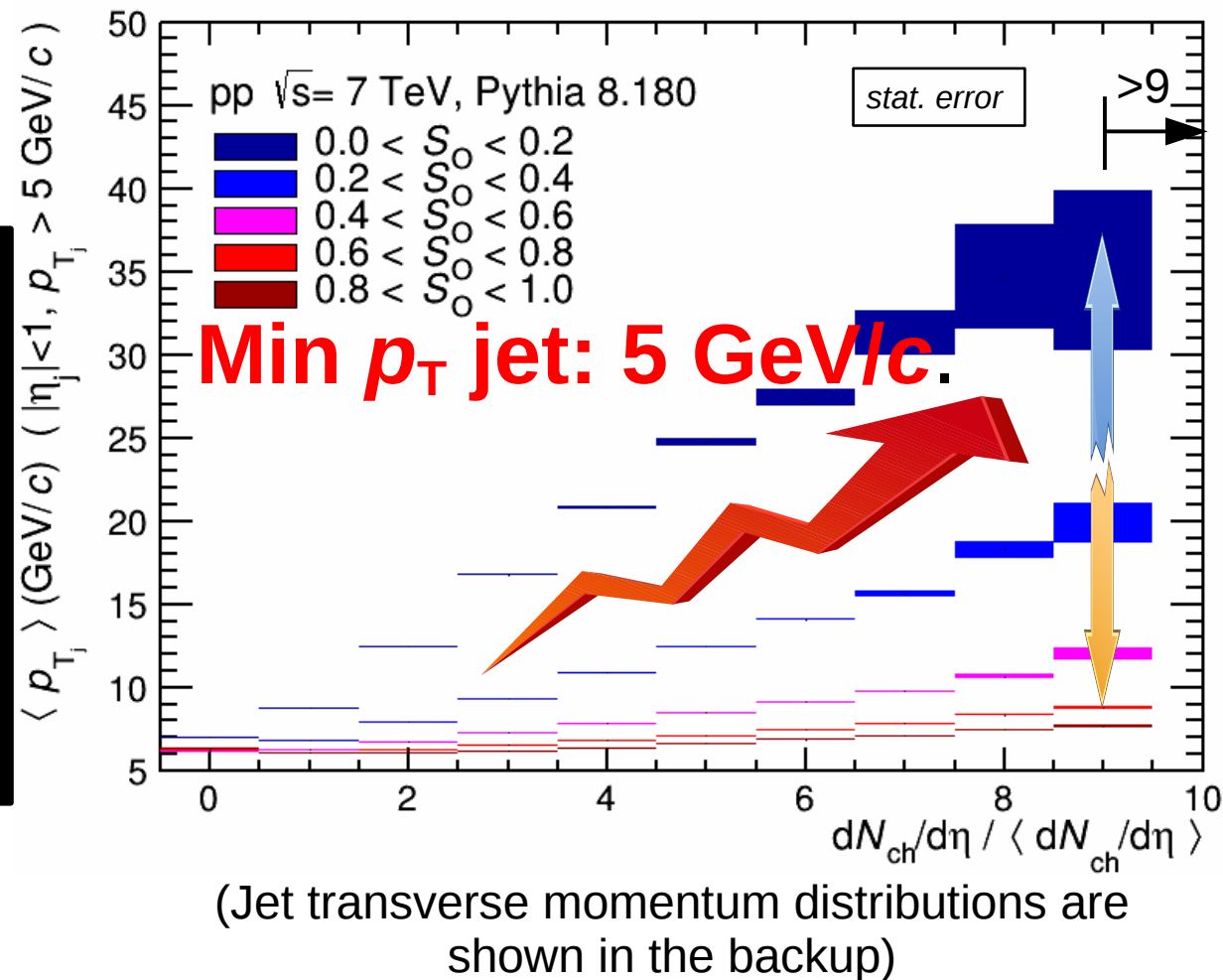
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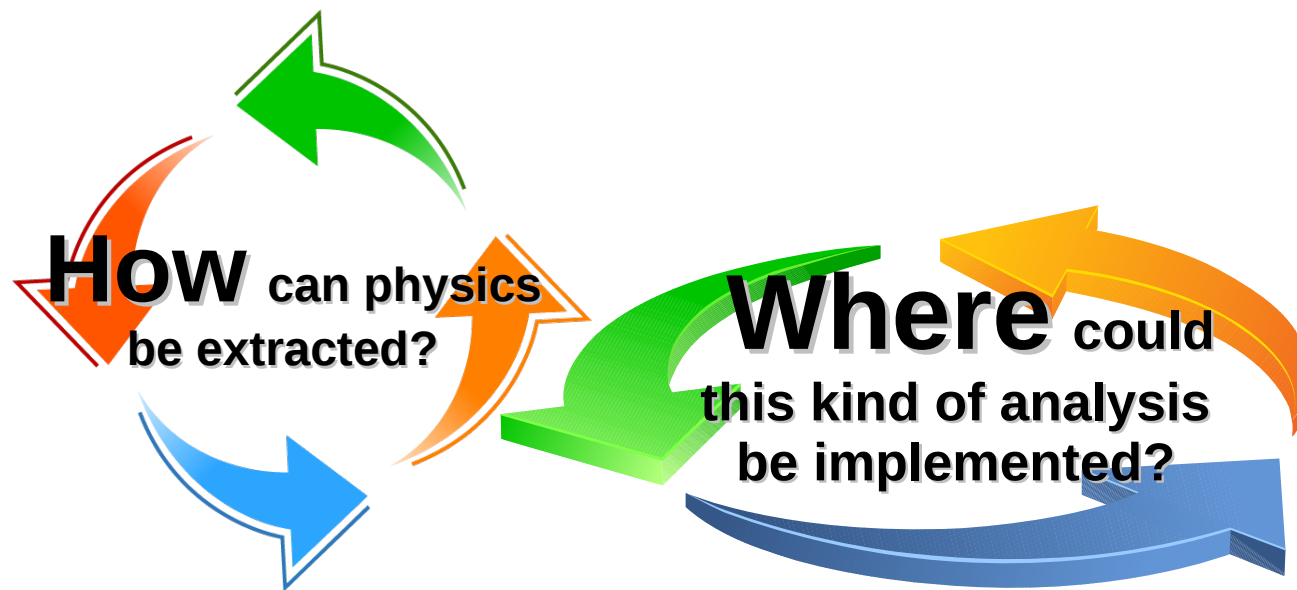
The analysis in a small acceptance allows the identification of events with pure underlying event (high S_O), or high p_T jets (low S_O).

In the experiments what we have done so far, is to study averages. But, the event shape approach is ideal for more detailed studies of the pp interactions.

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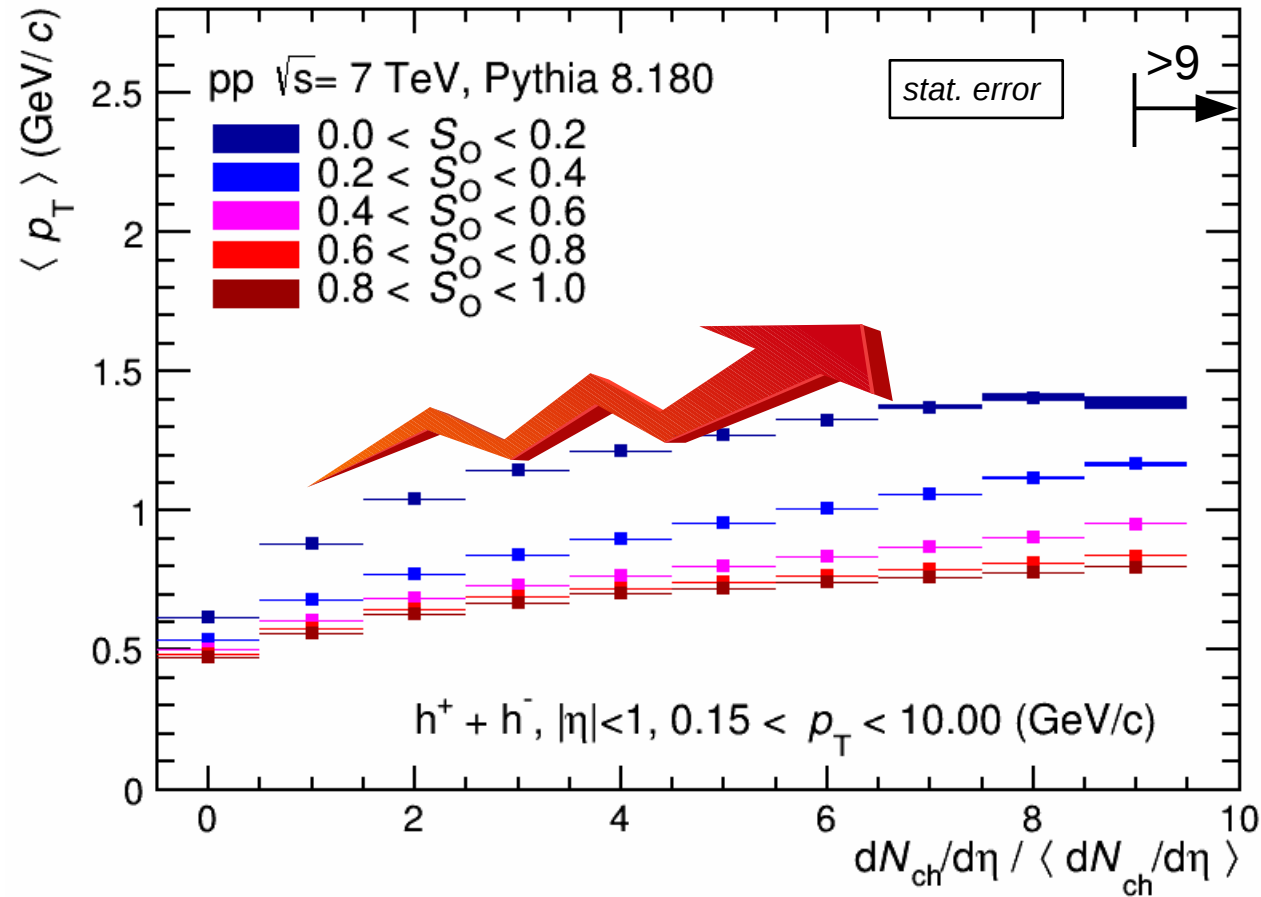
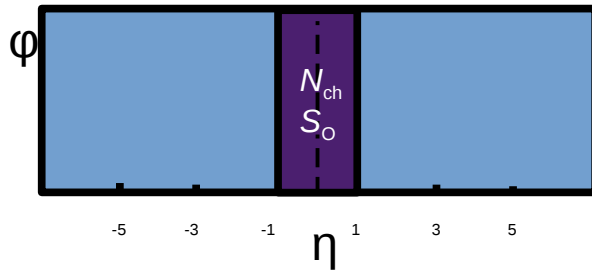
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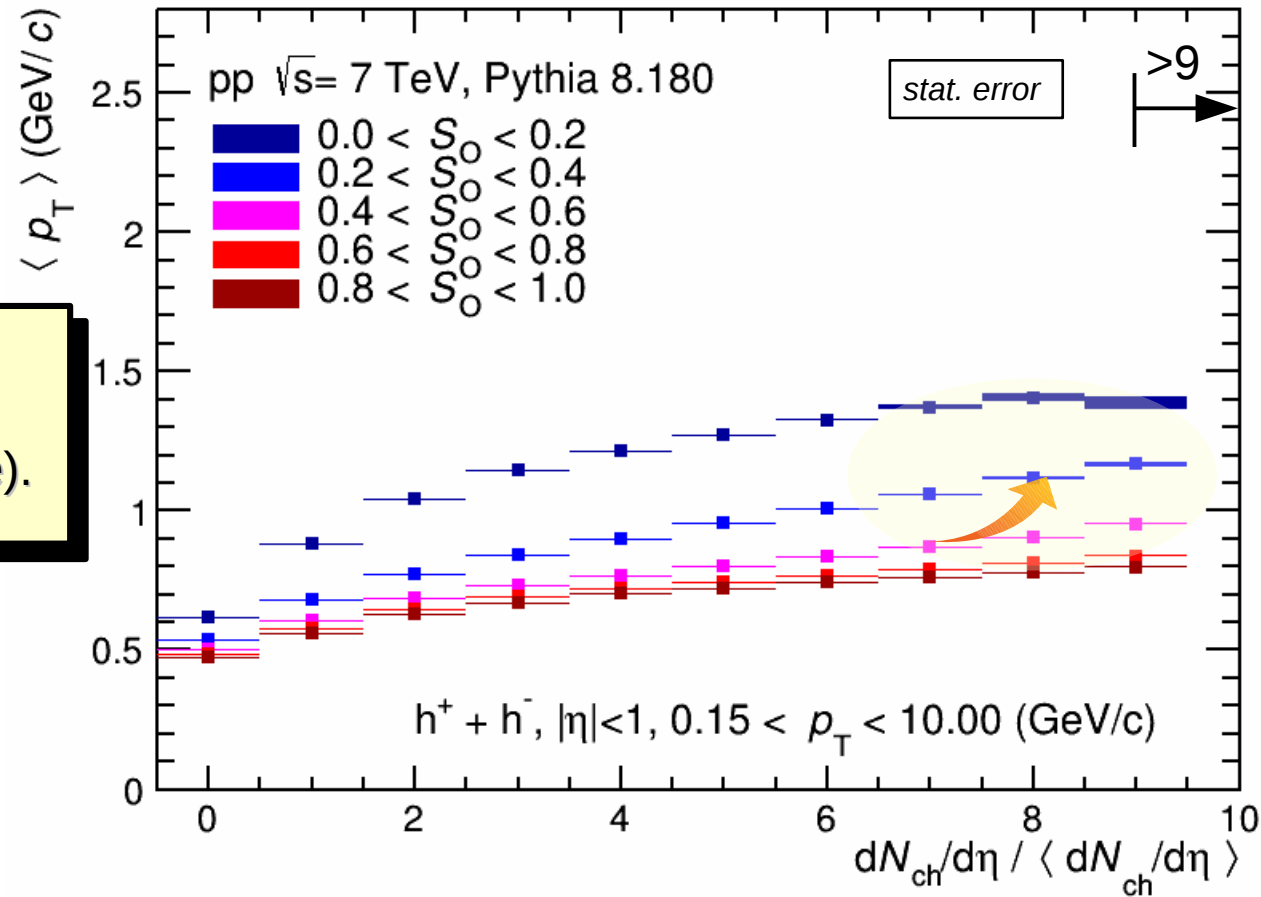


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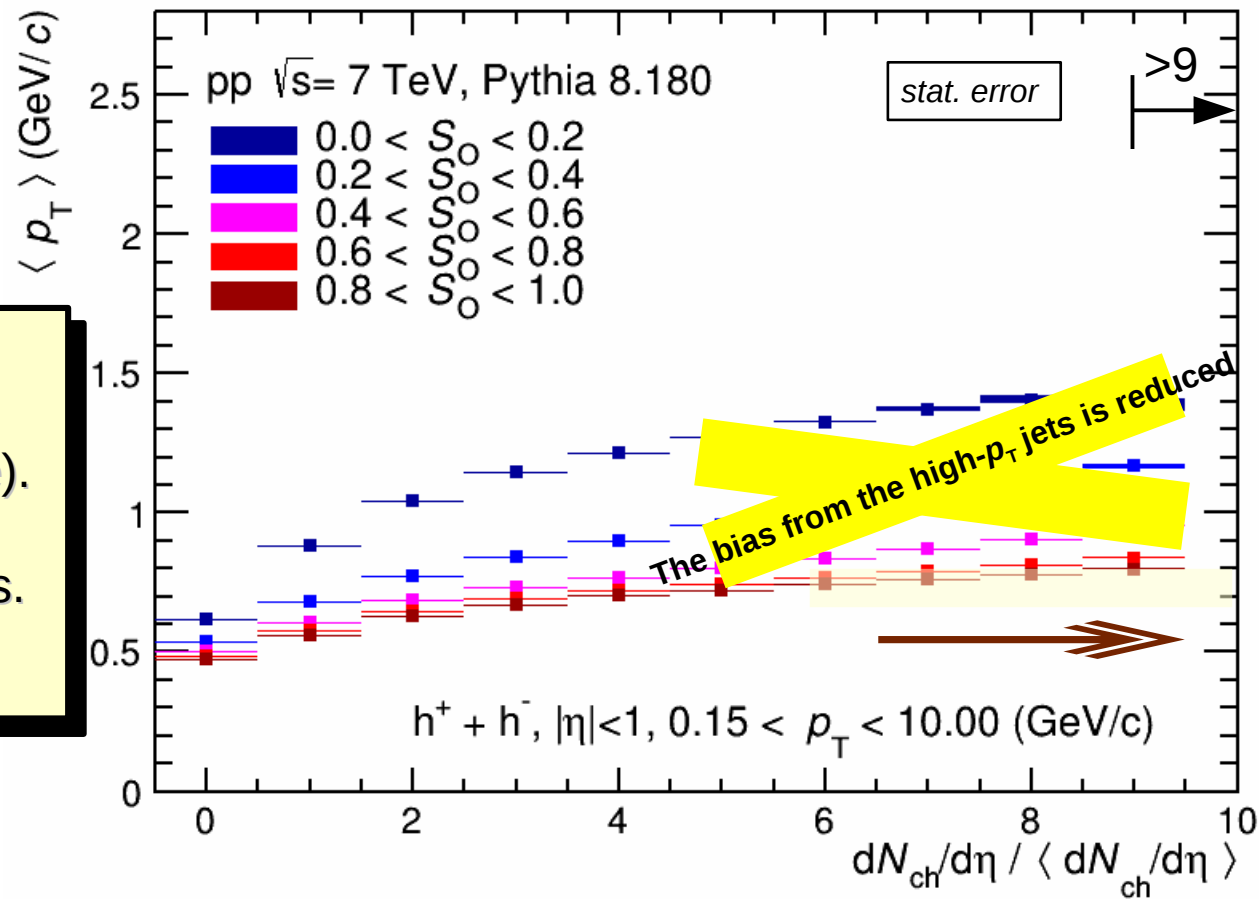


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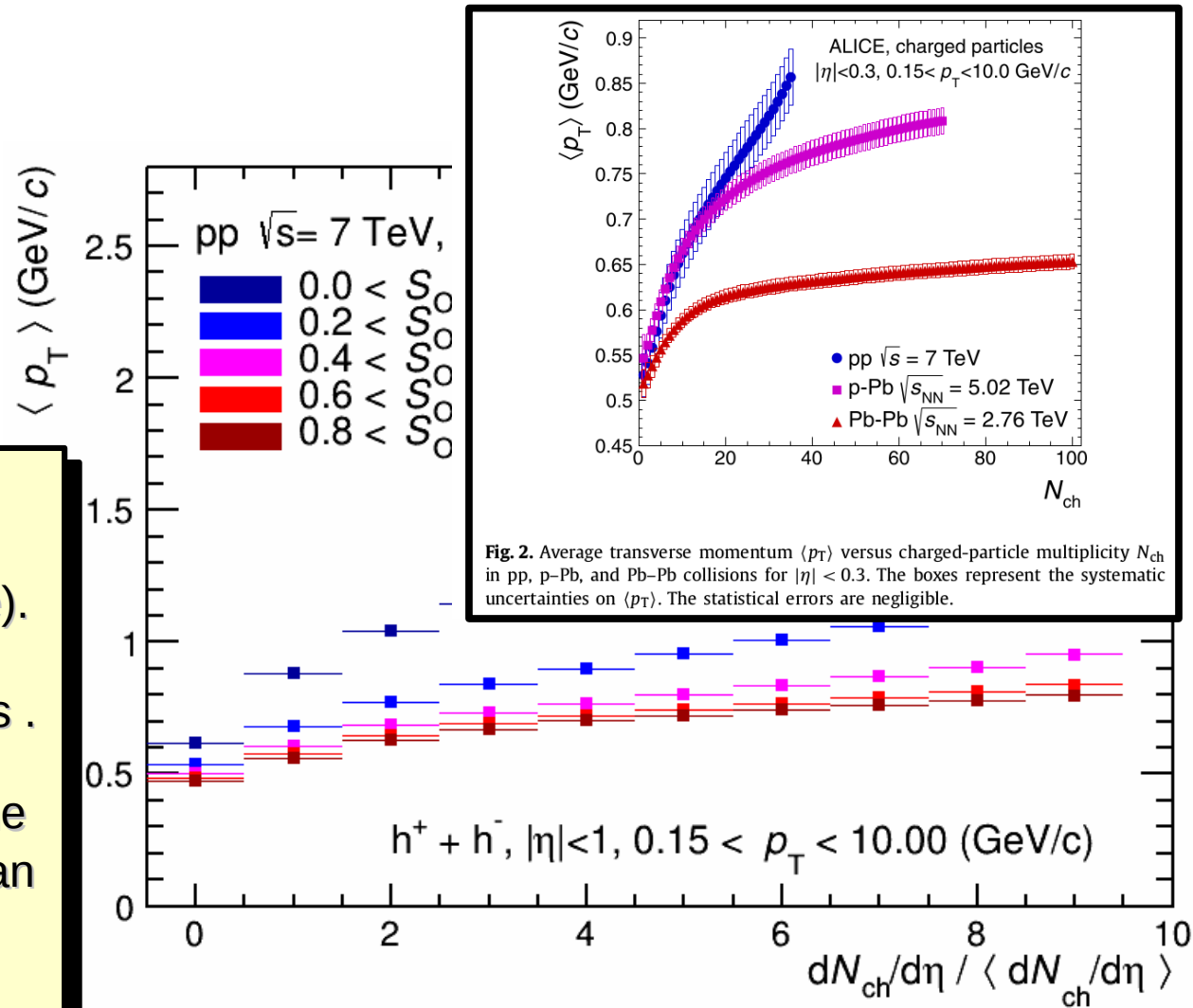
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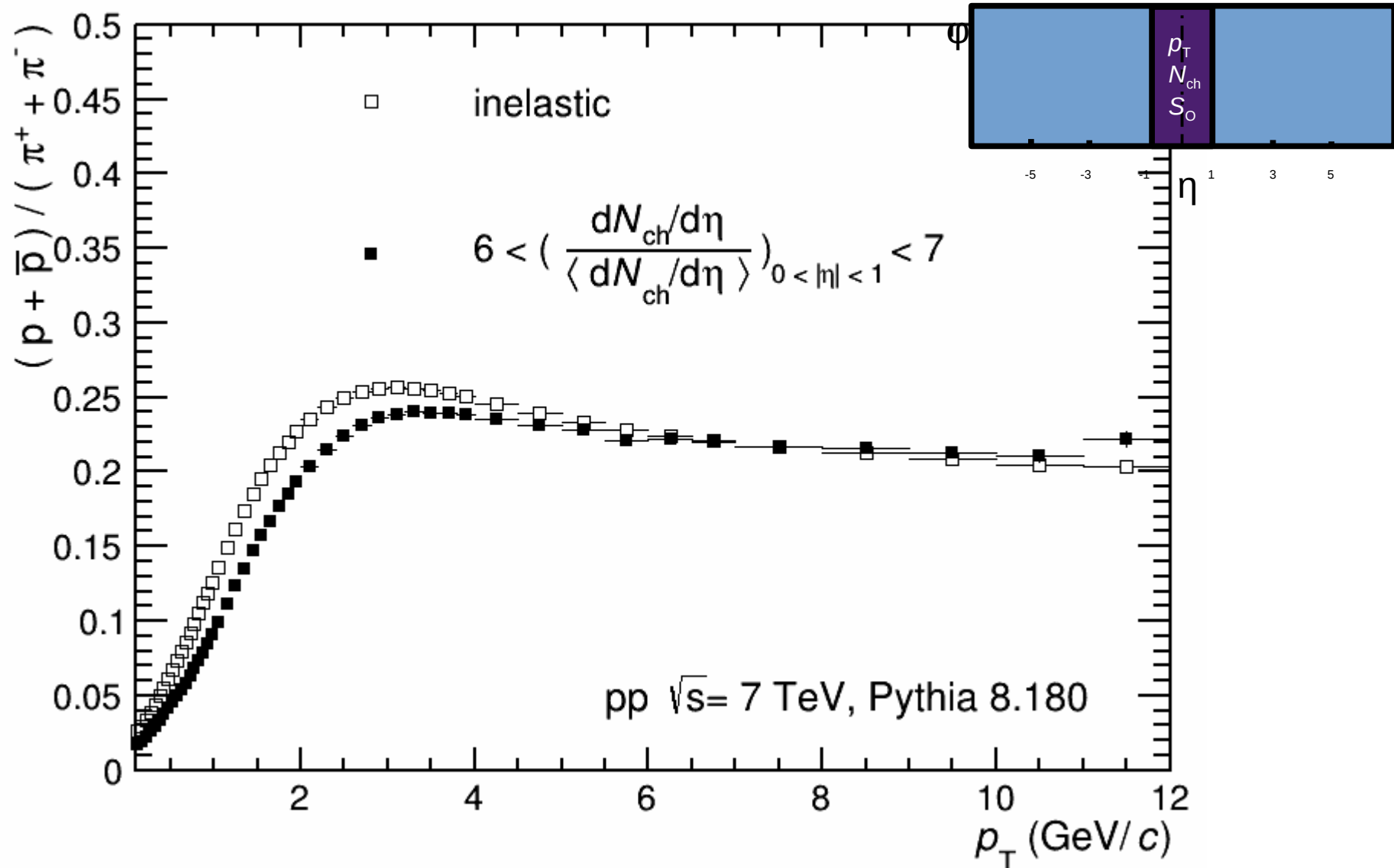
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$\langle p_T \rangle$ in p-Pb collisions is flatter than the one measured in pp collisions. Is this an effect of MPIs? [ALICE Collaboration, PLB727:371-380 \(2013\)](#).



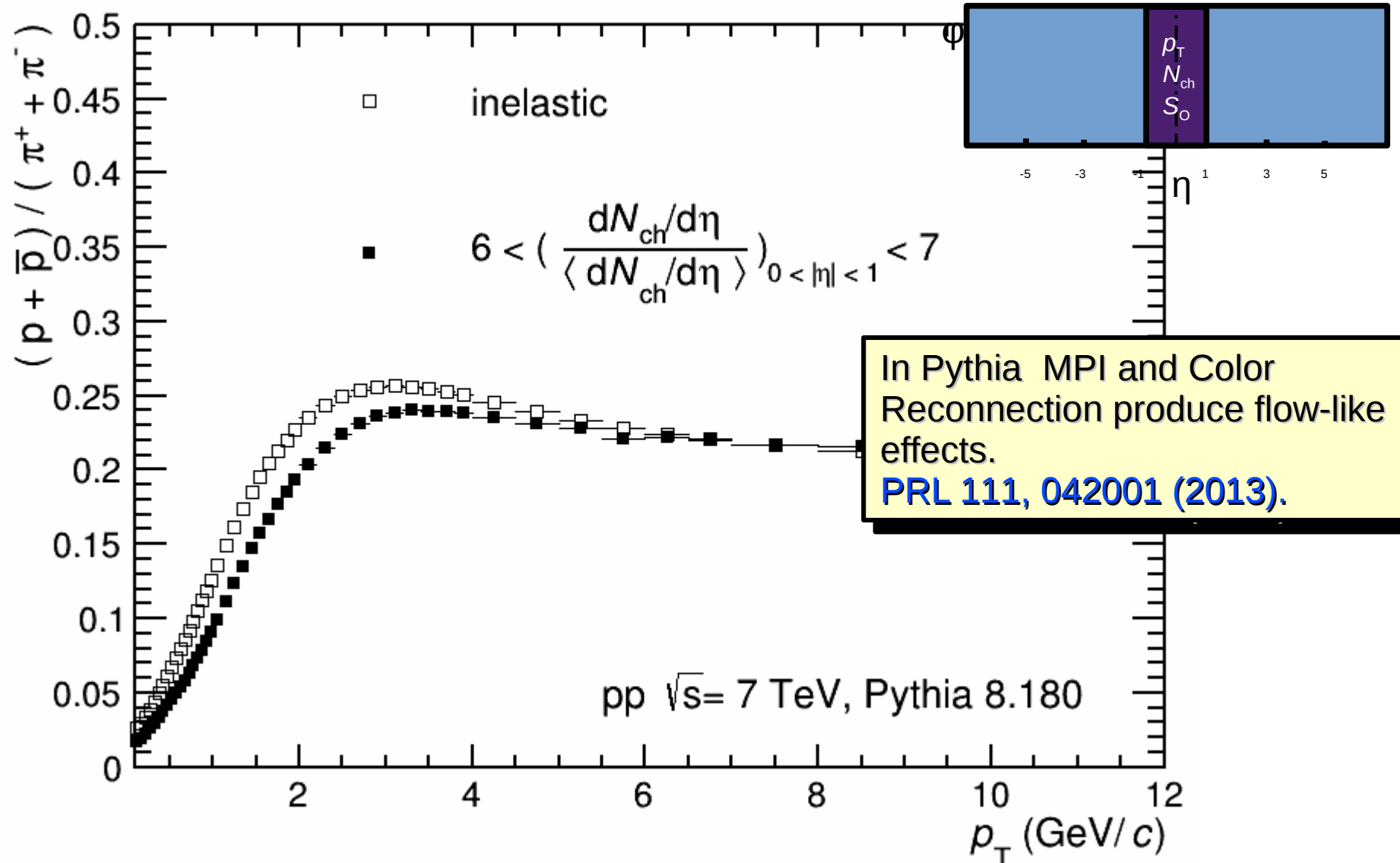


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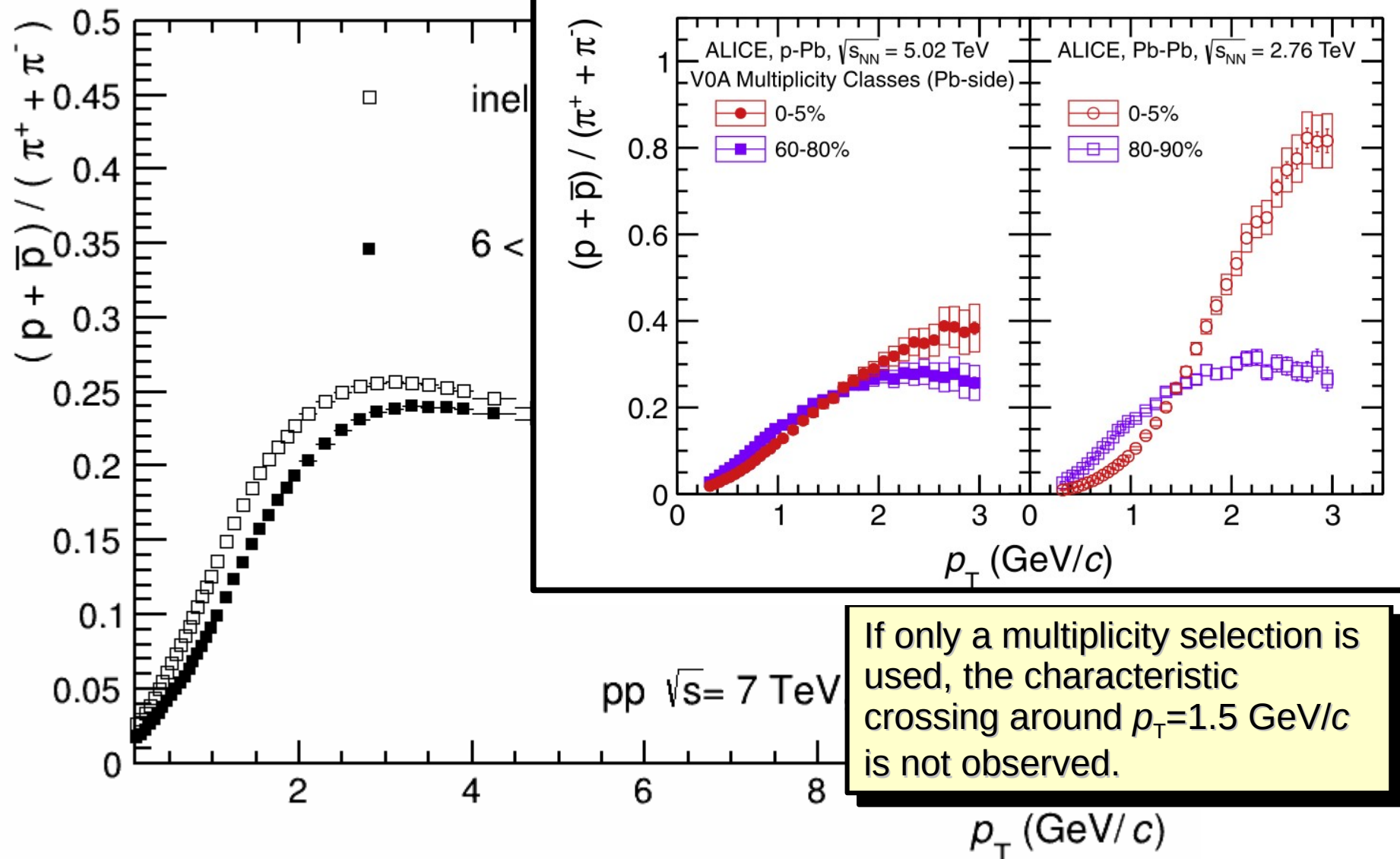


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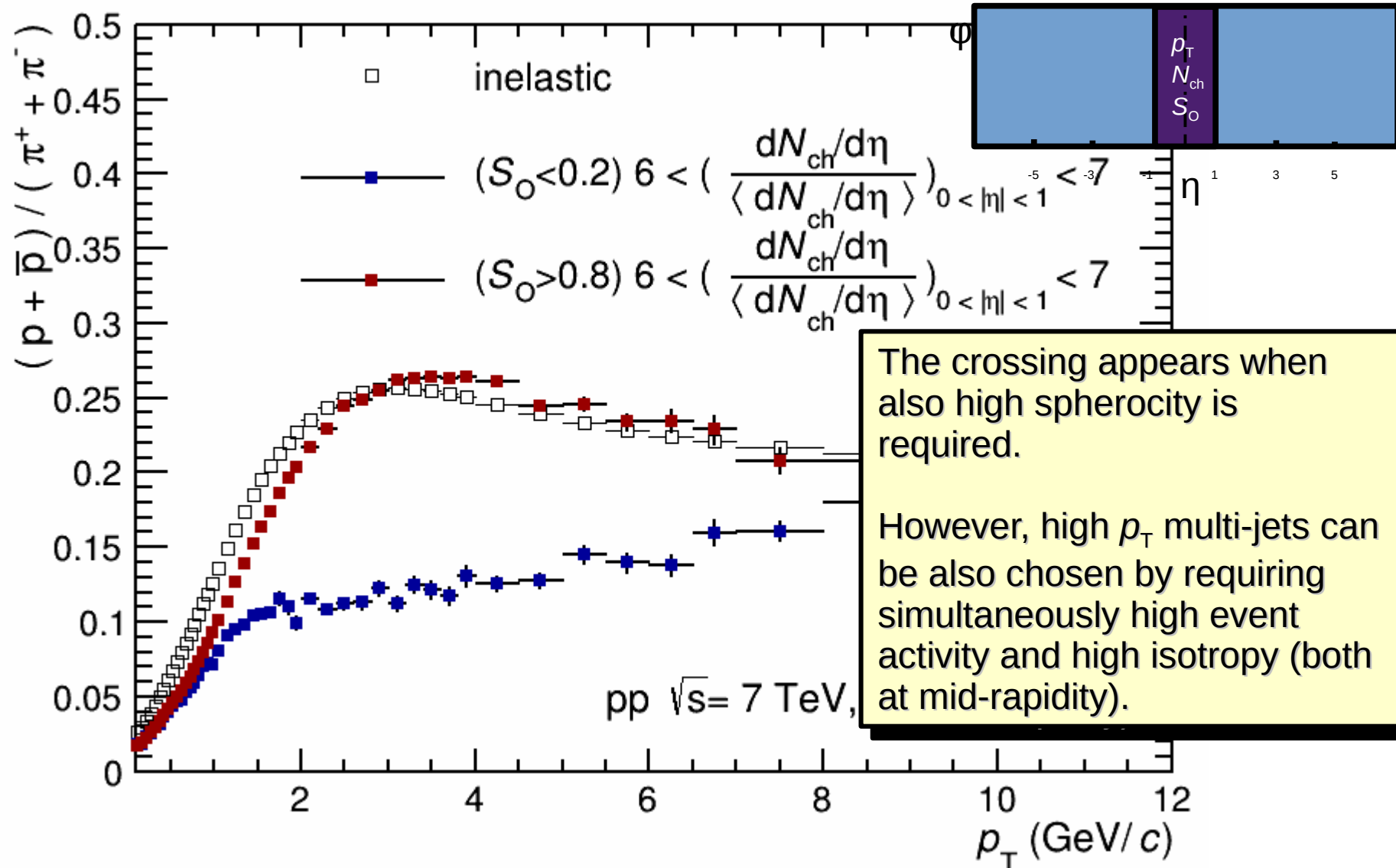


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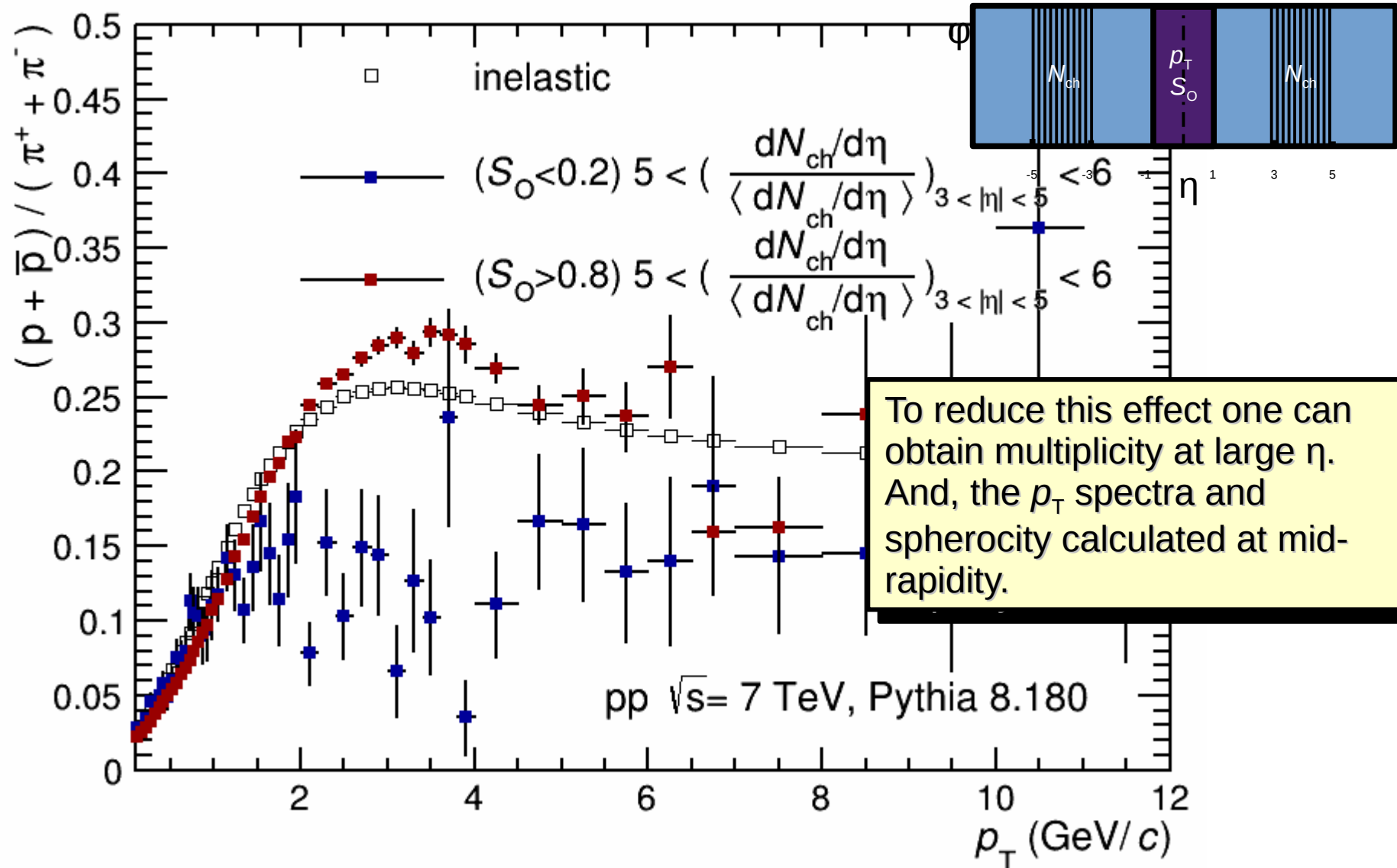


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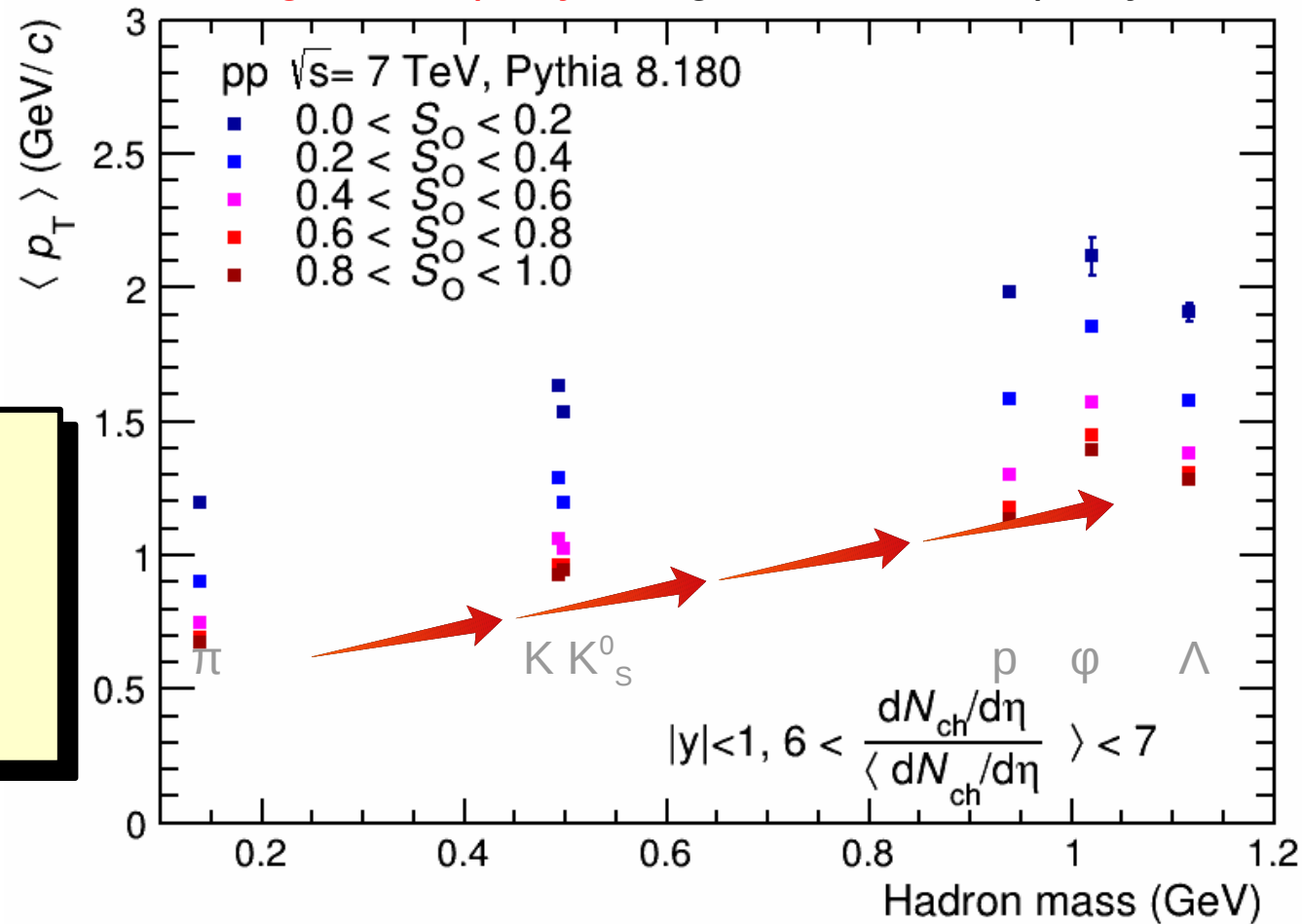




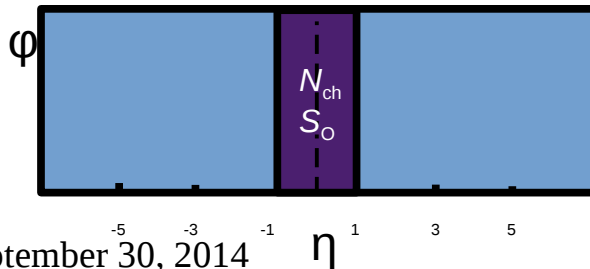
Mass ordering



High mid-rapidity charged hadron multiplicity



- An increase of the $\langle p_T \rangle$ with increasing hadron mass is observed for the different event classes.
- The harder the event, the larger the effect (larger $\langle p_T \rangle$).

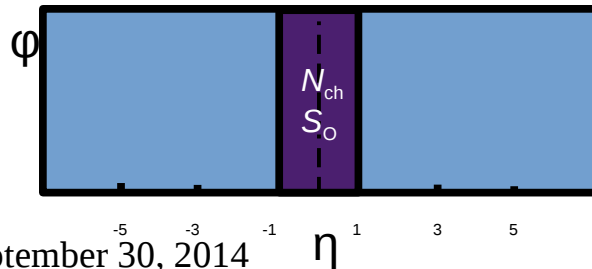
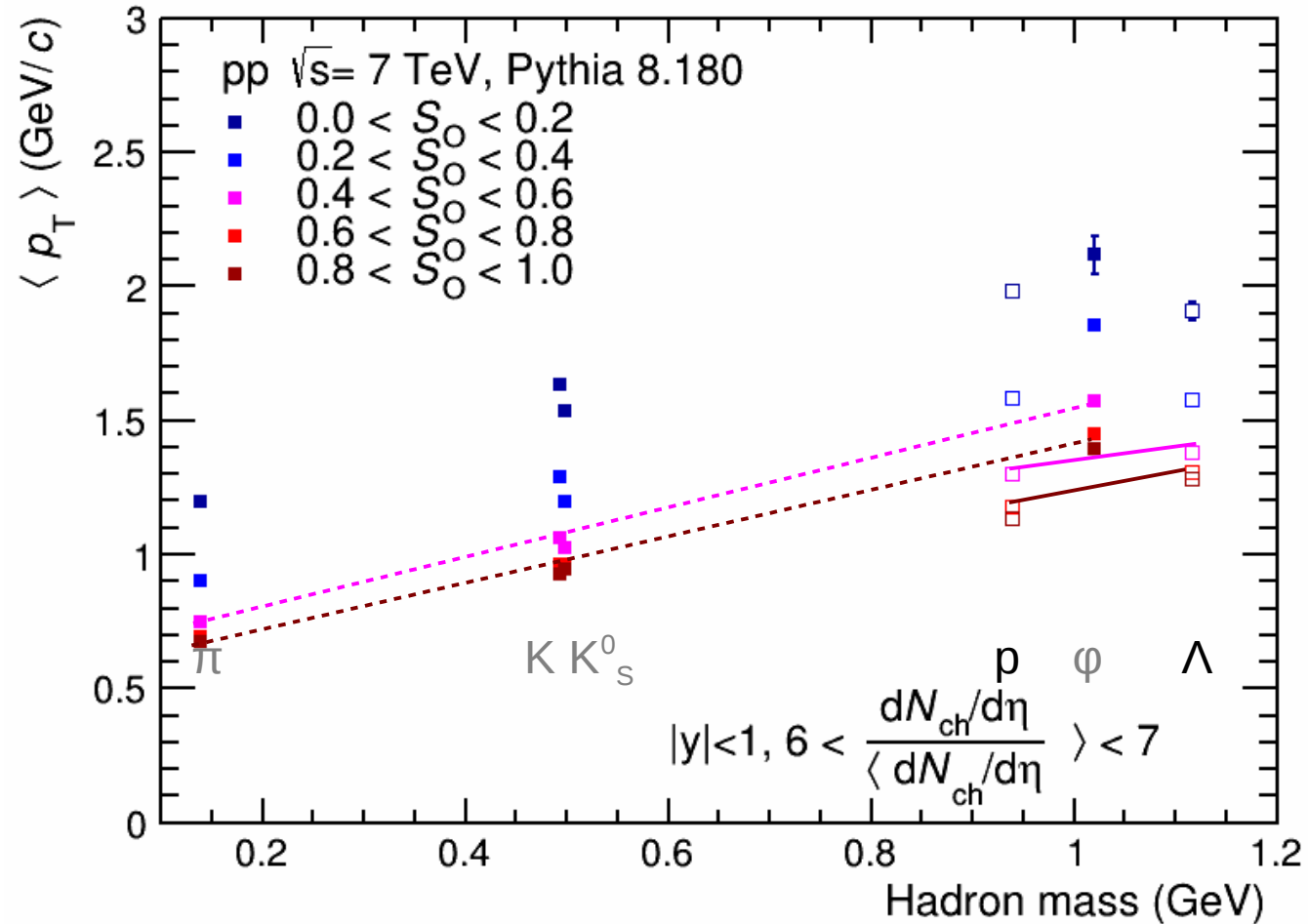




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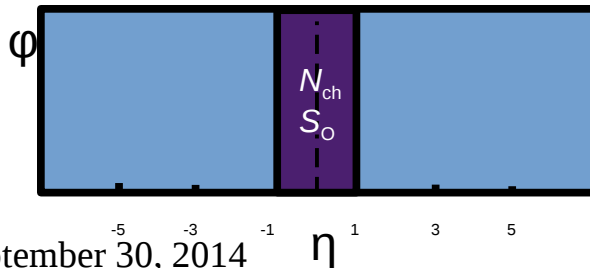


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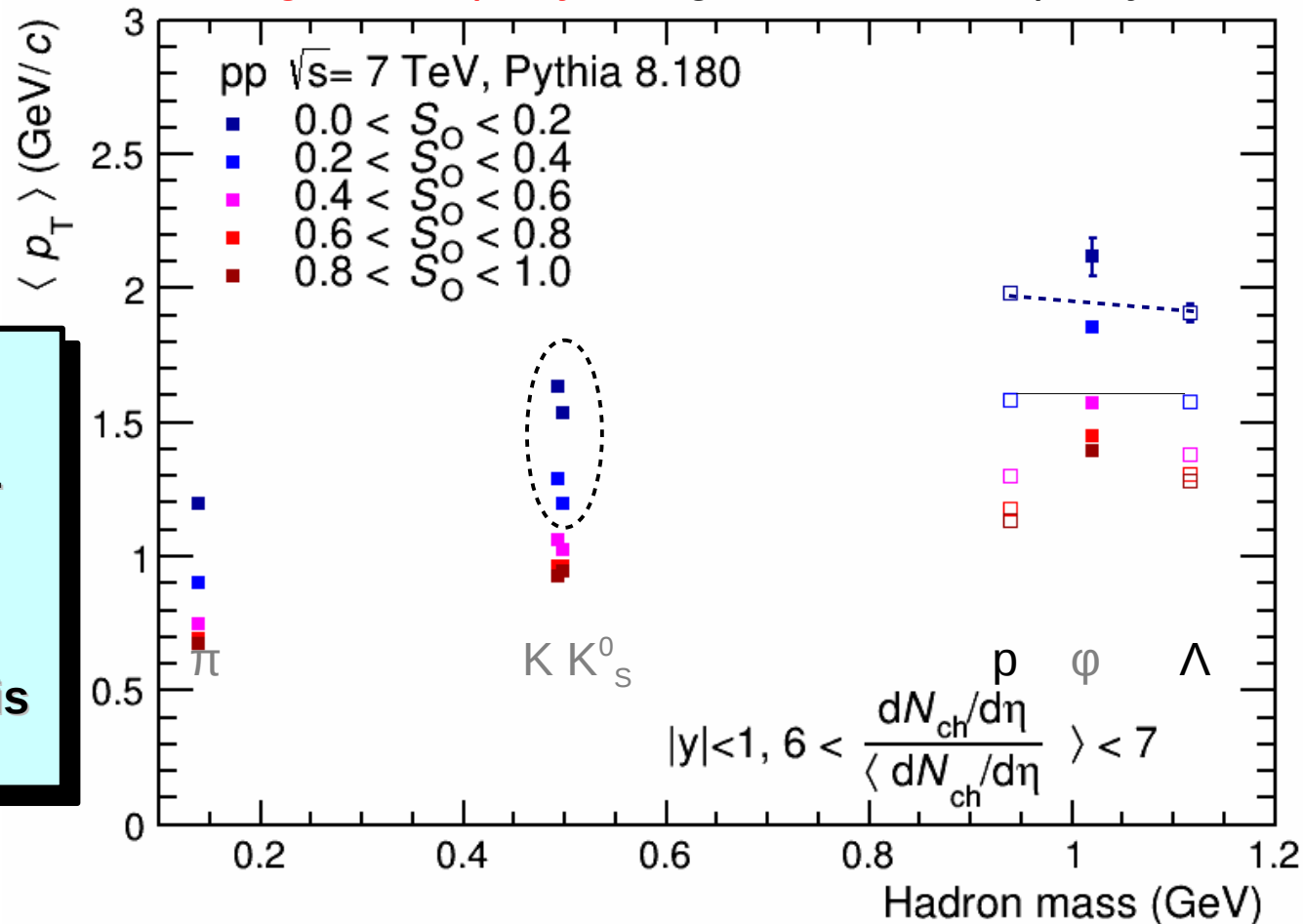
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The mass ordering seems to be broken for baryons in events enriched with high p_T jets ($S_0 < 0.4$).

Are these features exclusive of flow-like caused by a partonic mechanism? It would be very interesting to repeat this analysis in data and in EPOS (hydro).



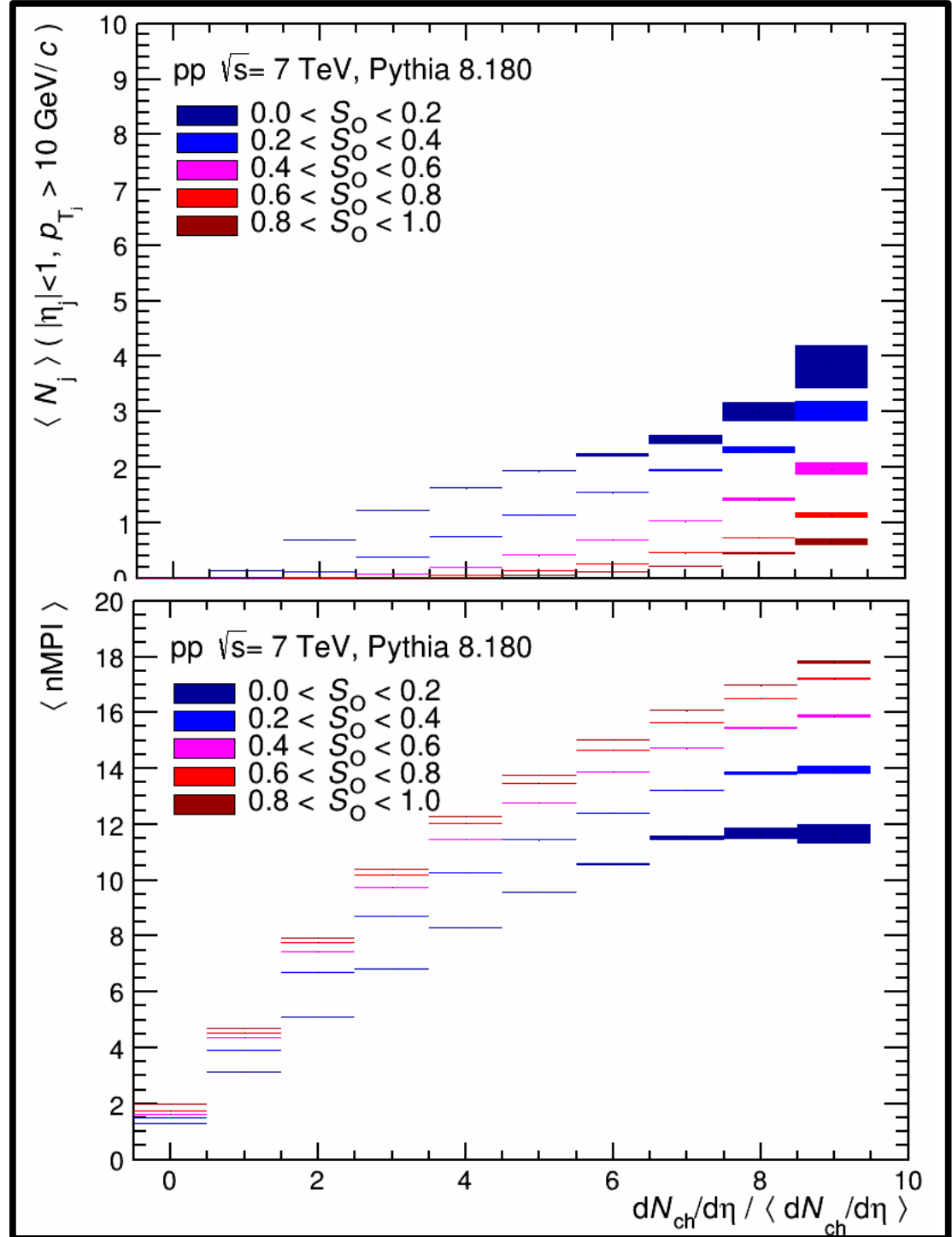
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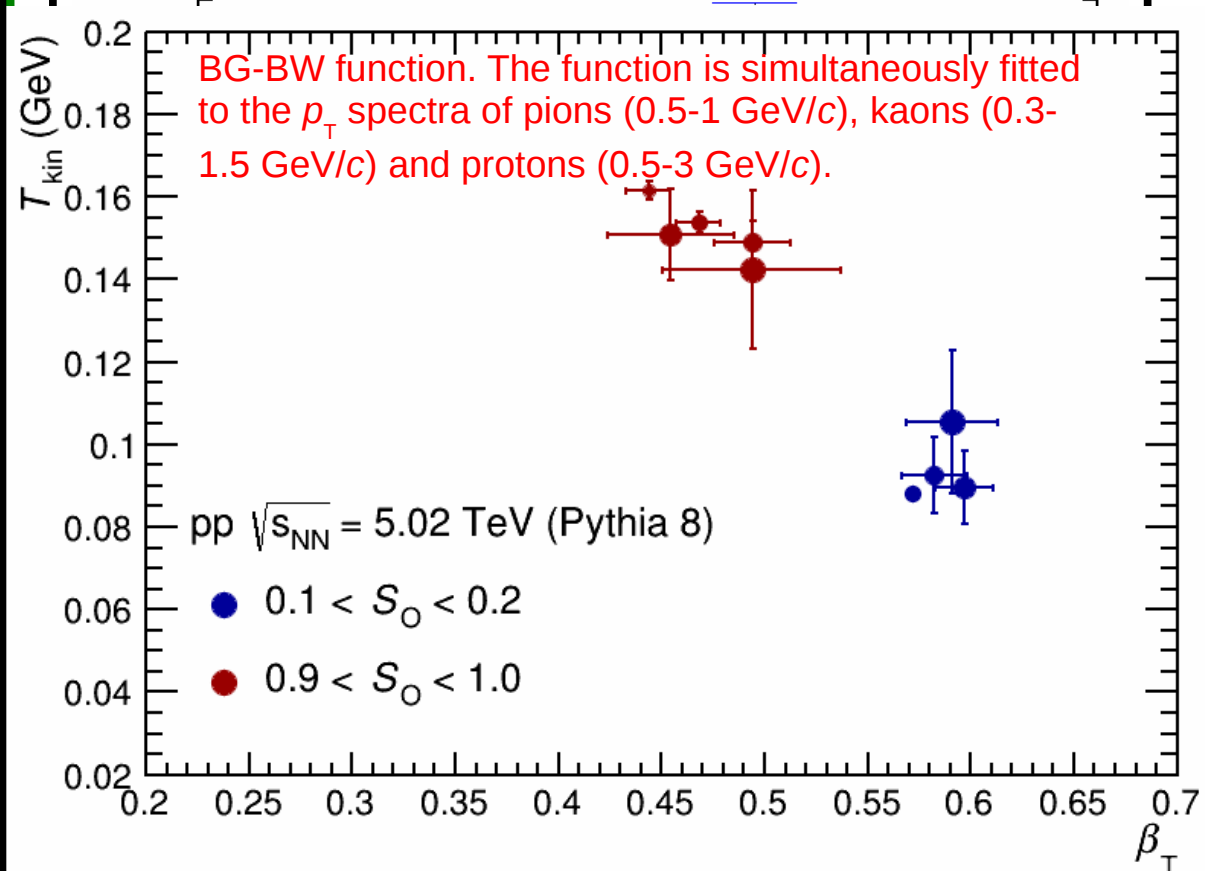
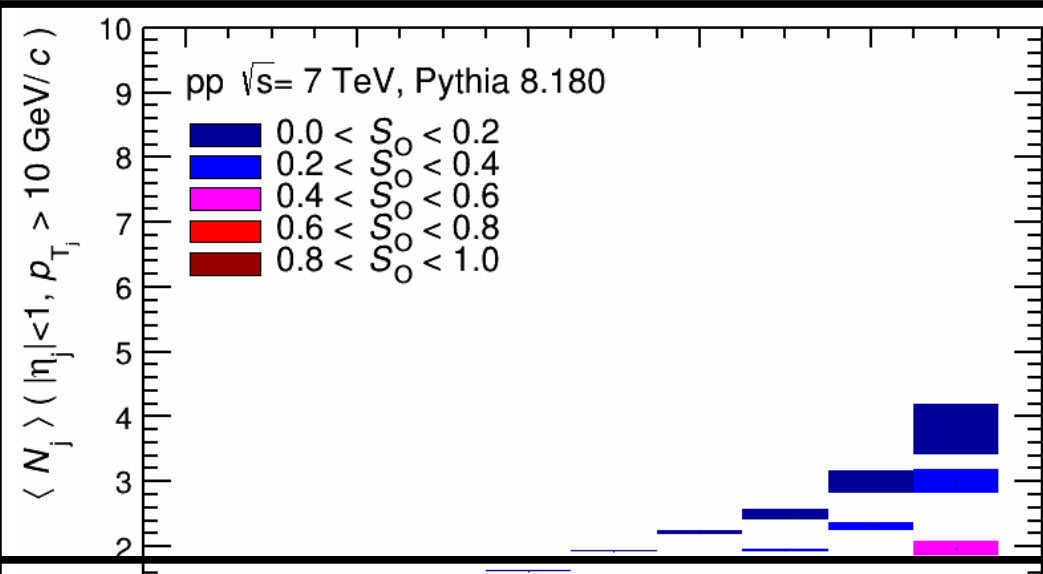
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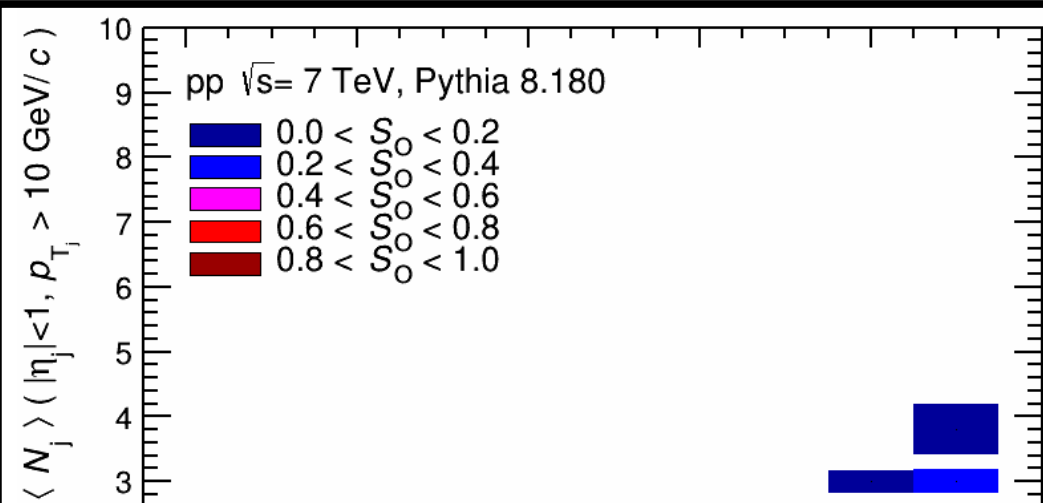


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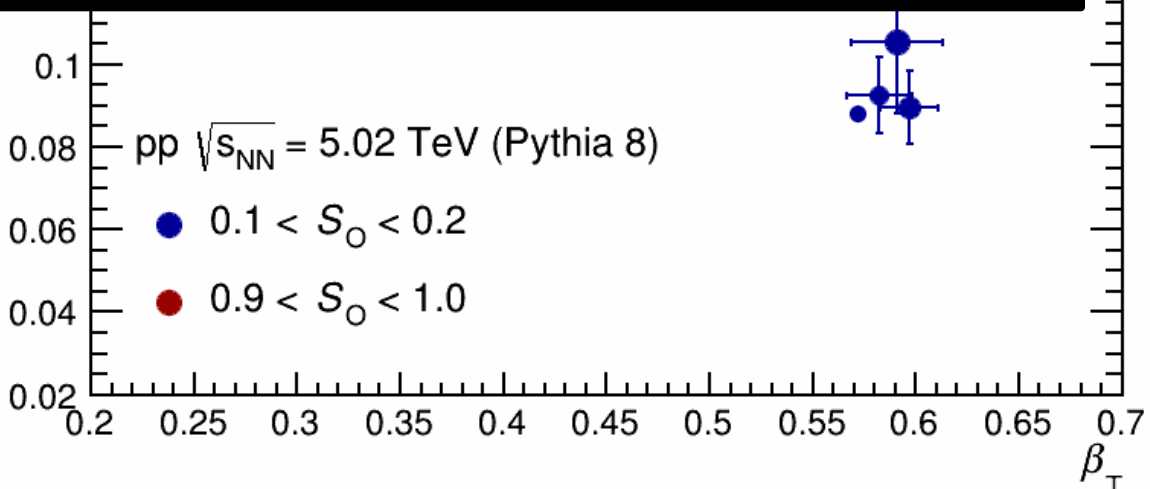
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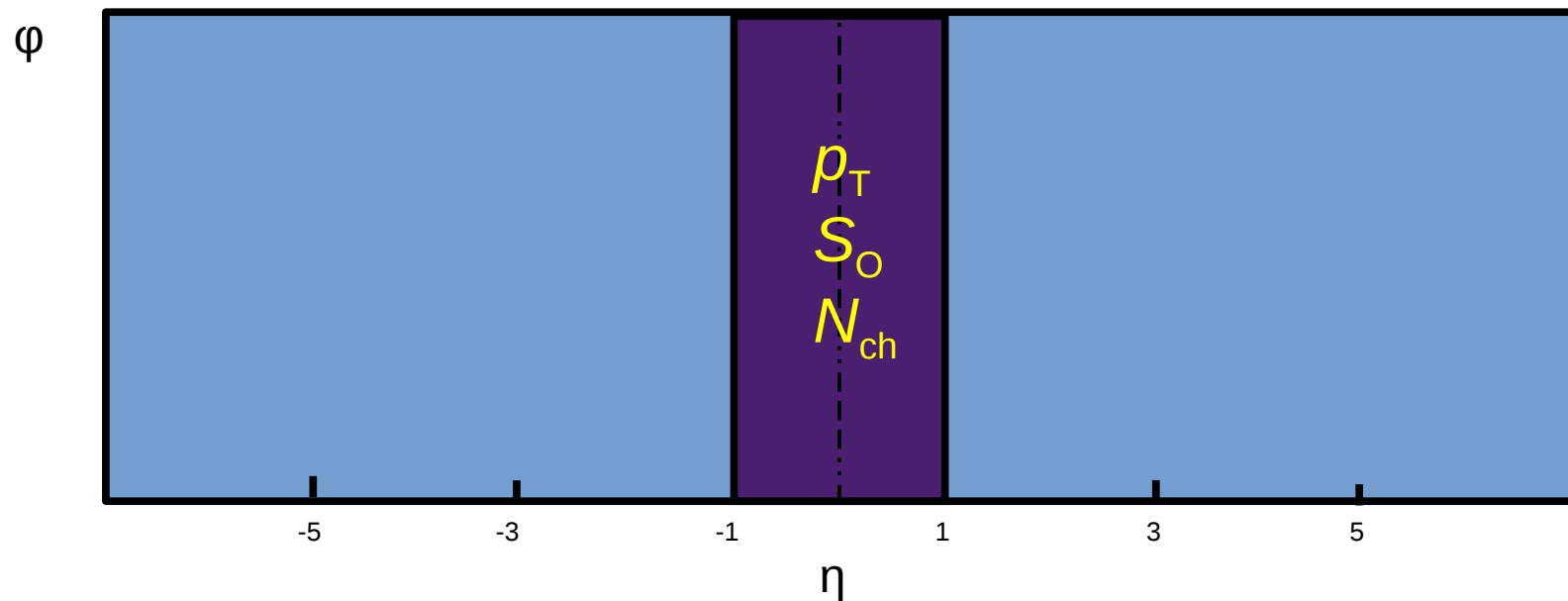


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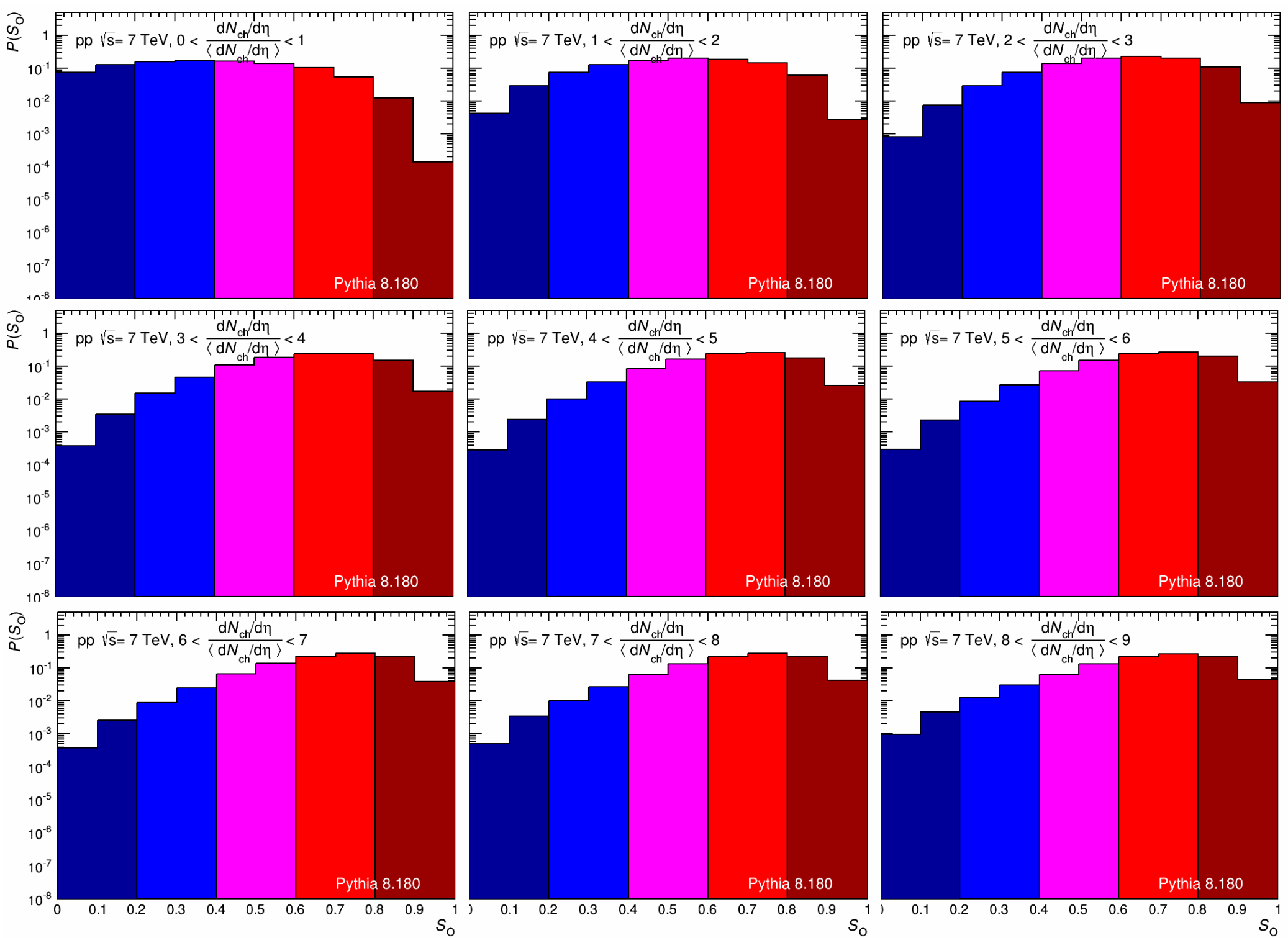


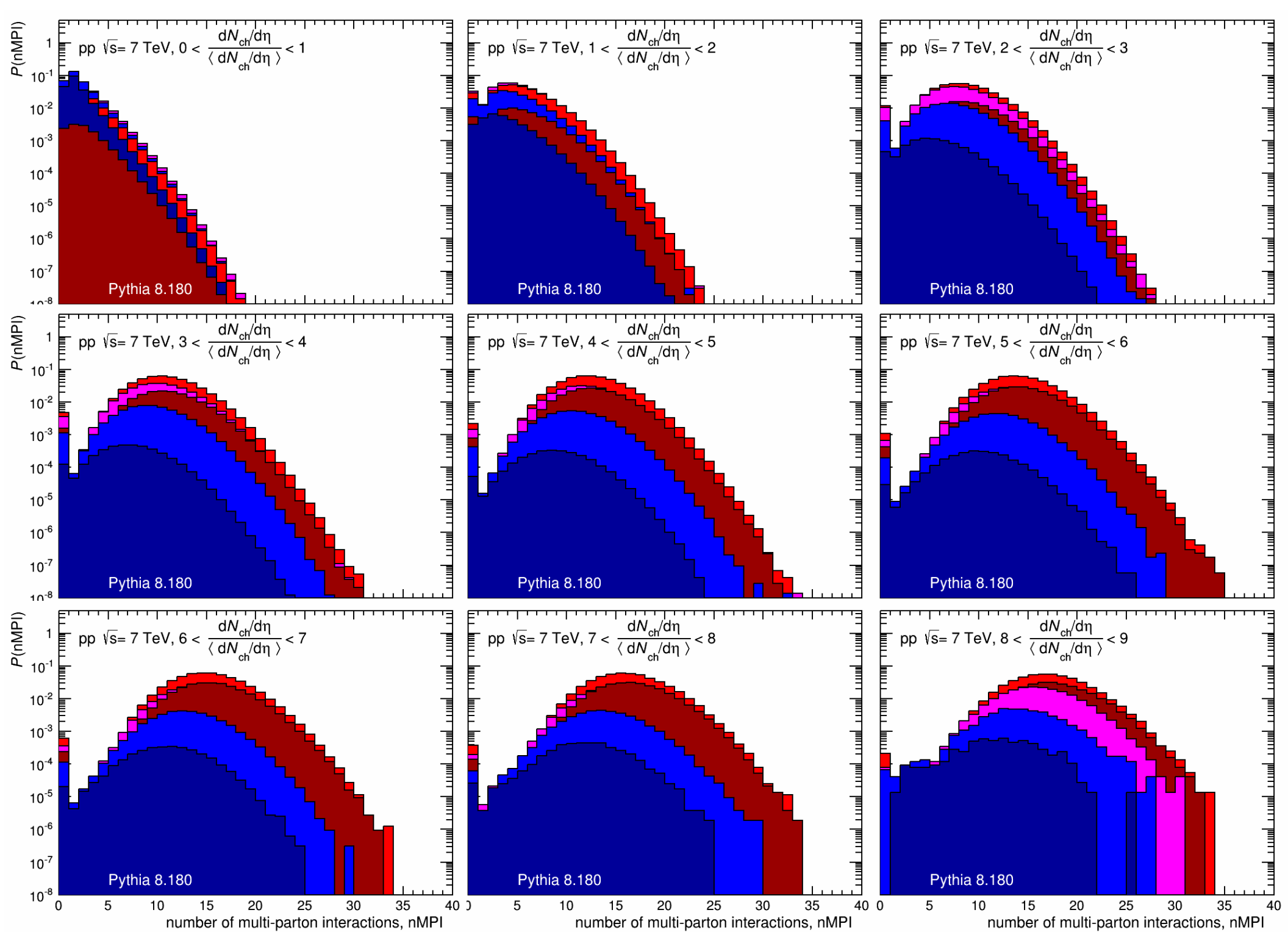


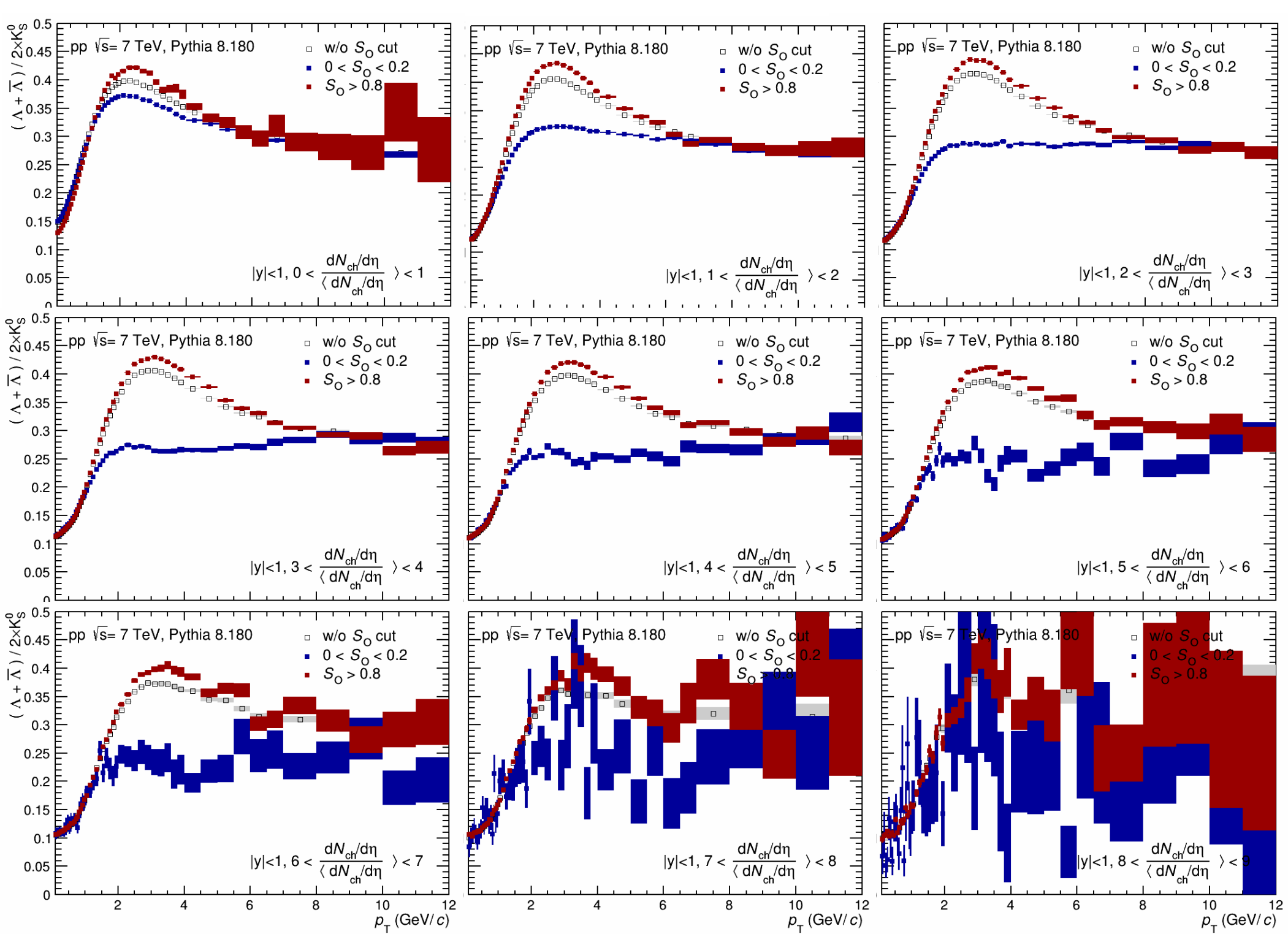
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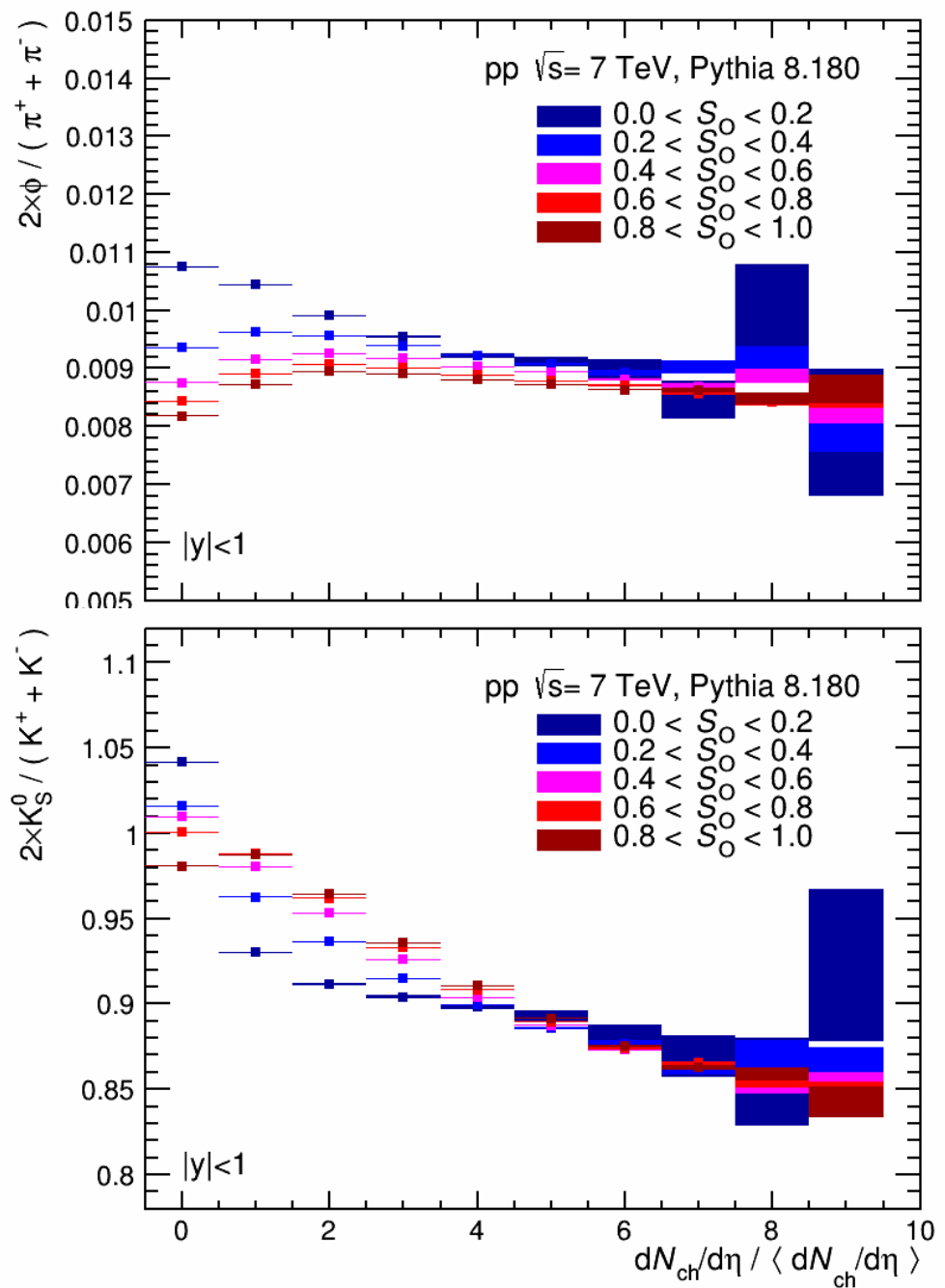
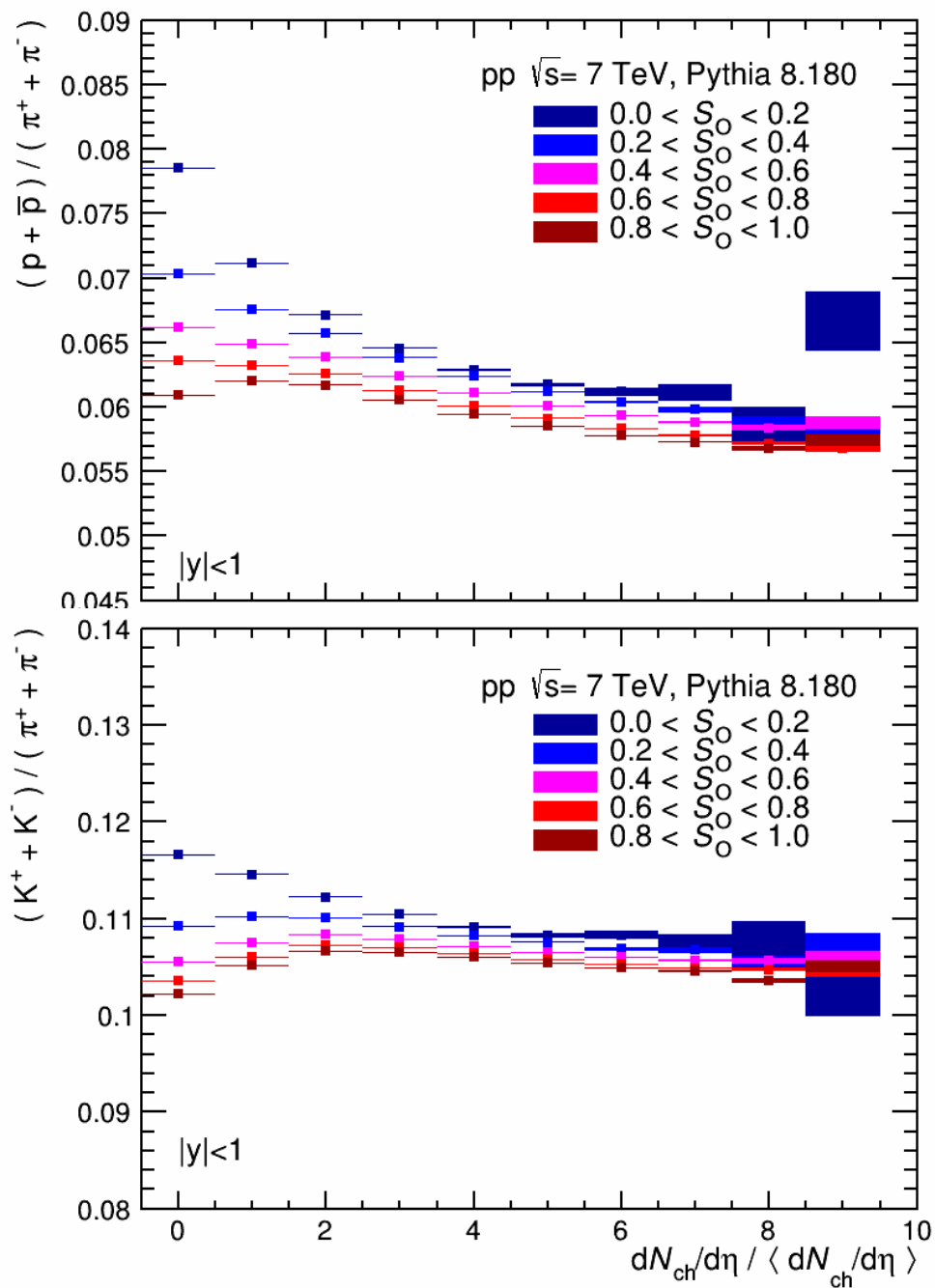


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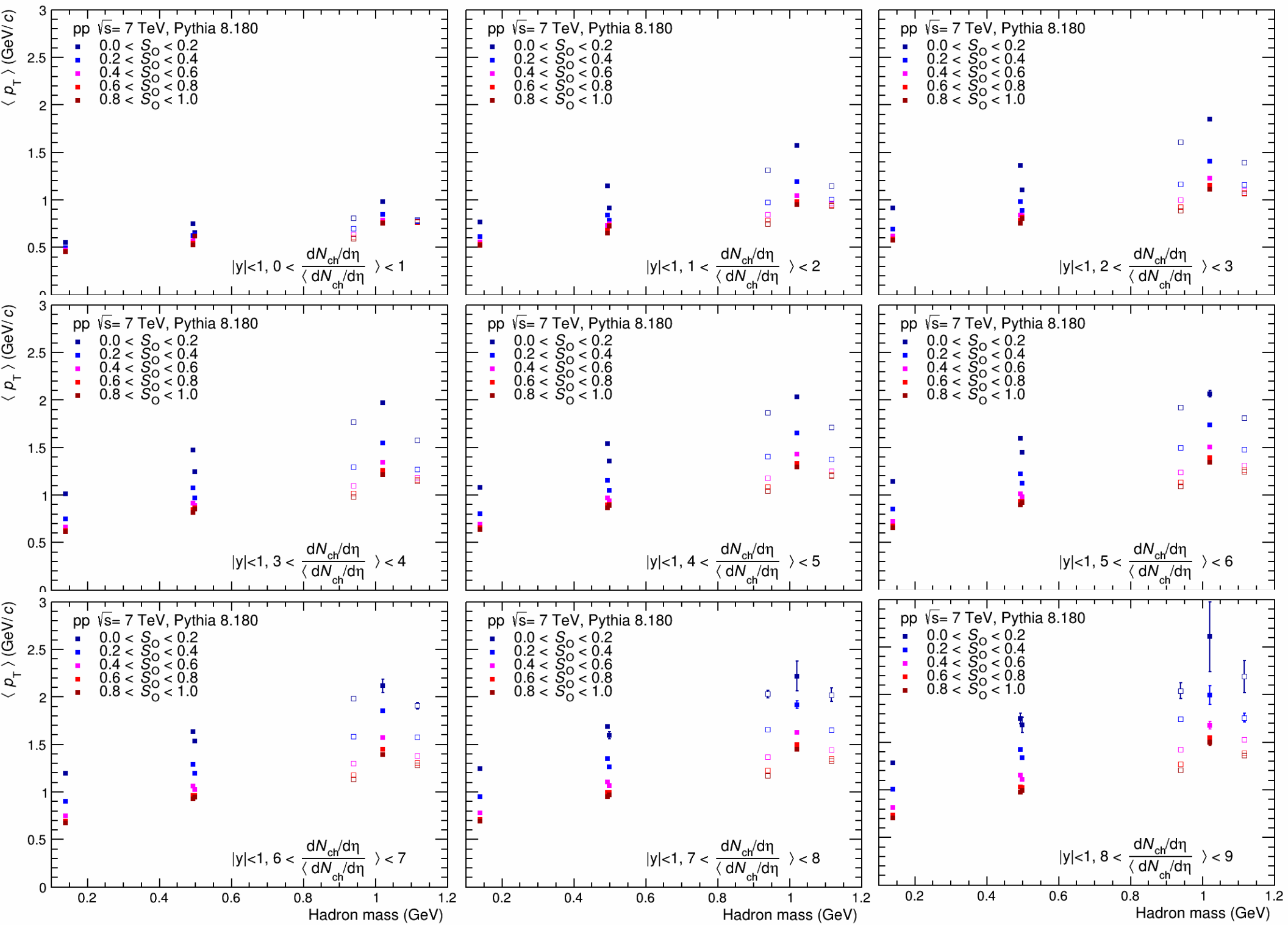




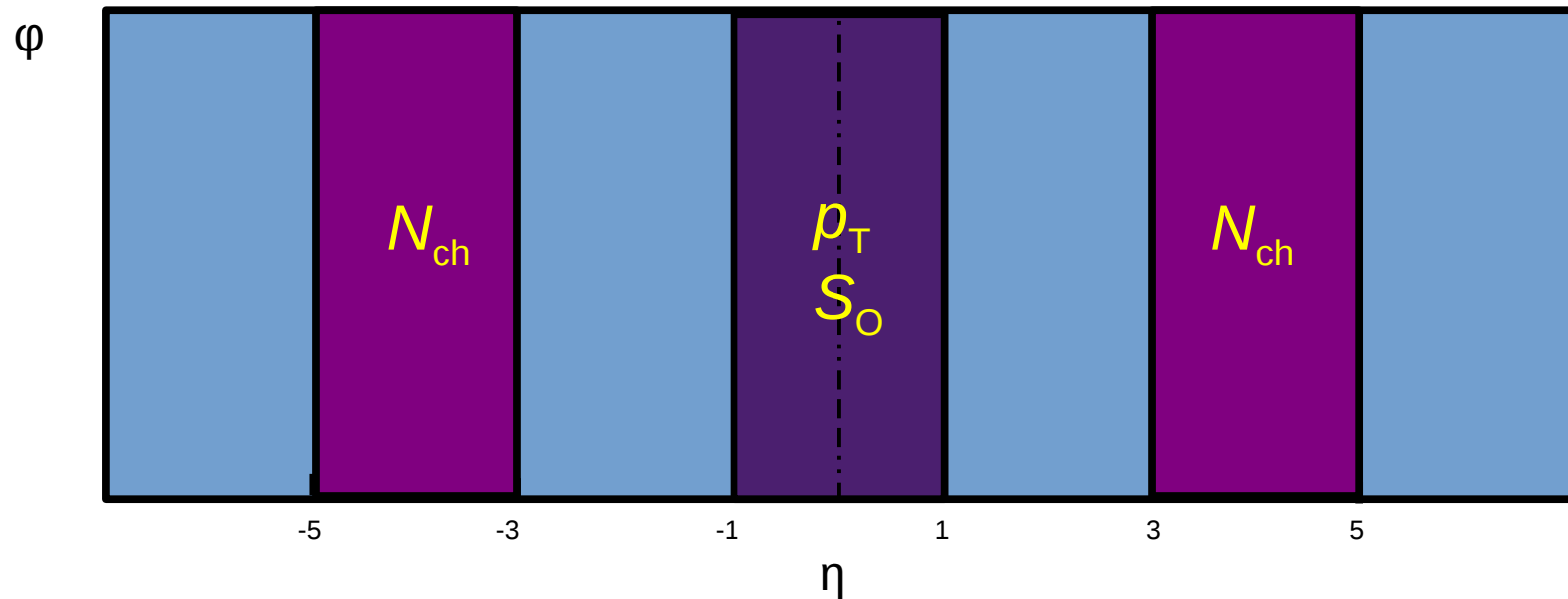




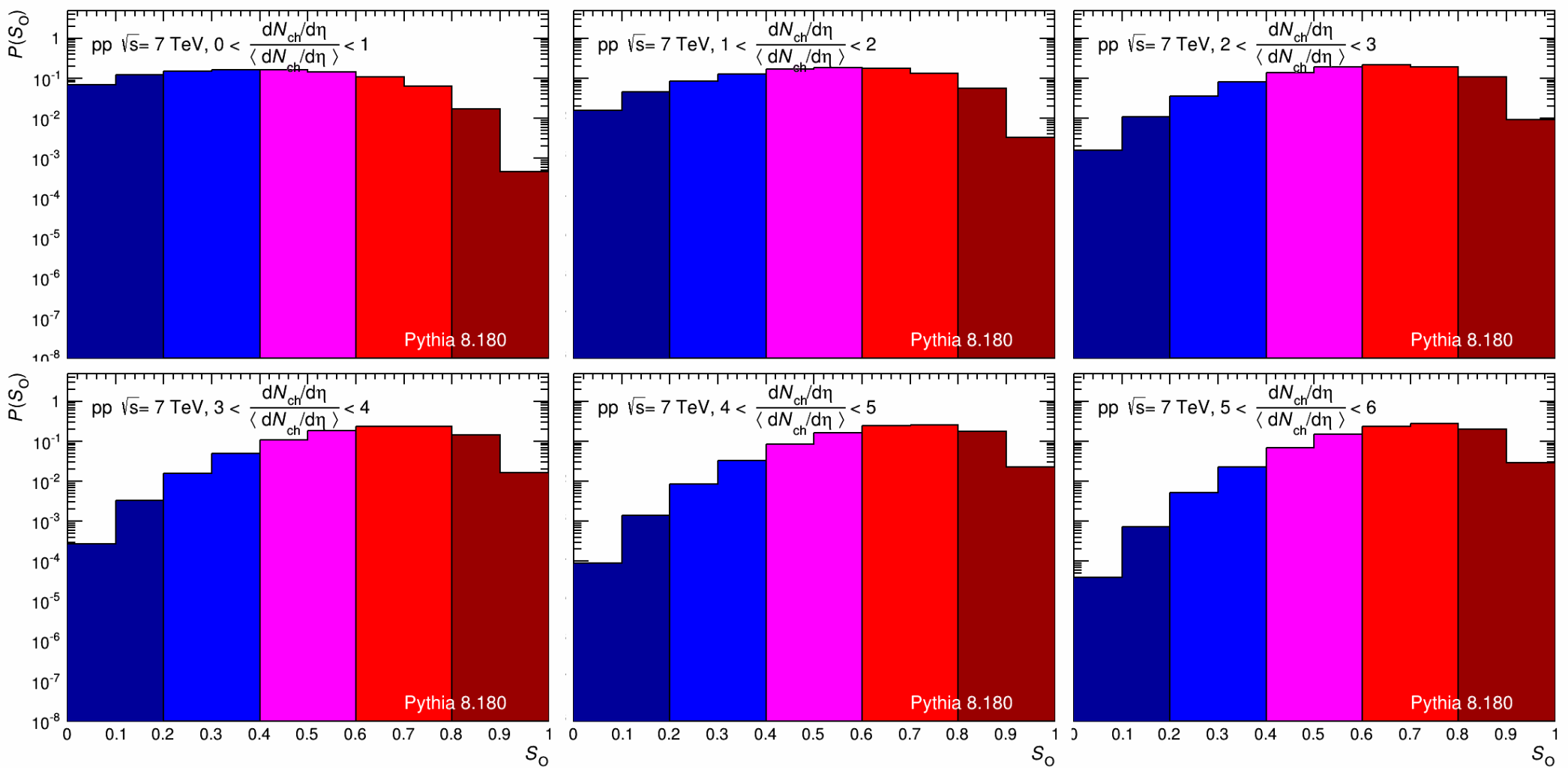
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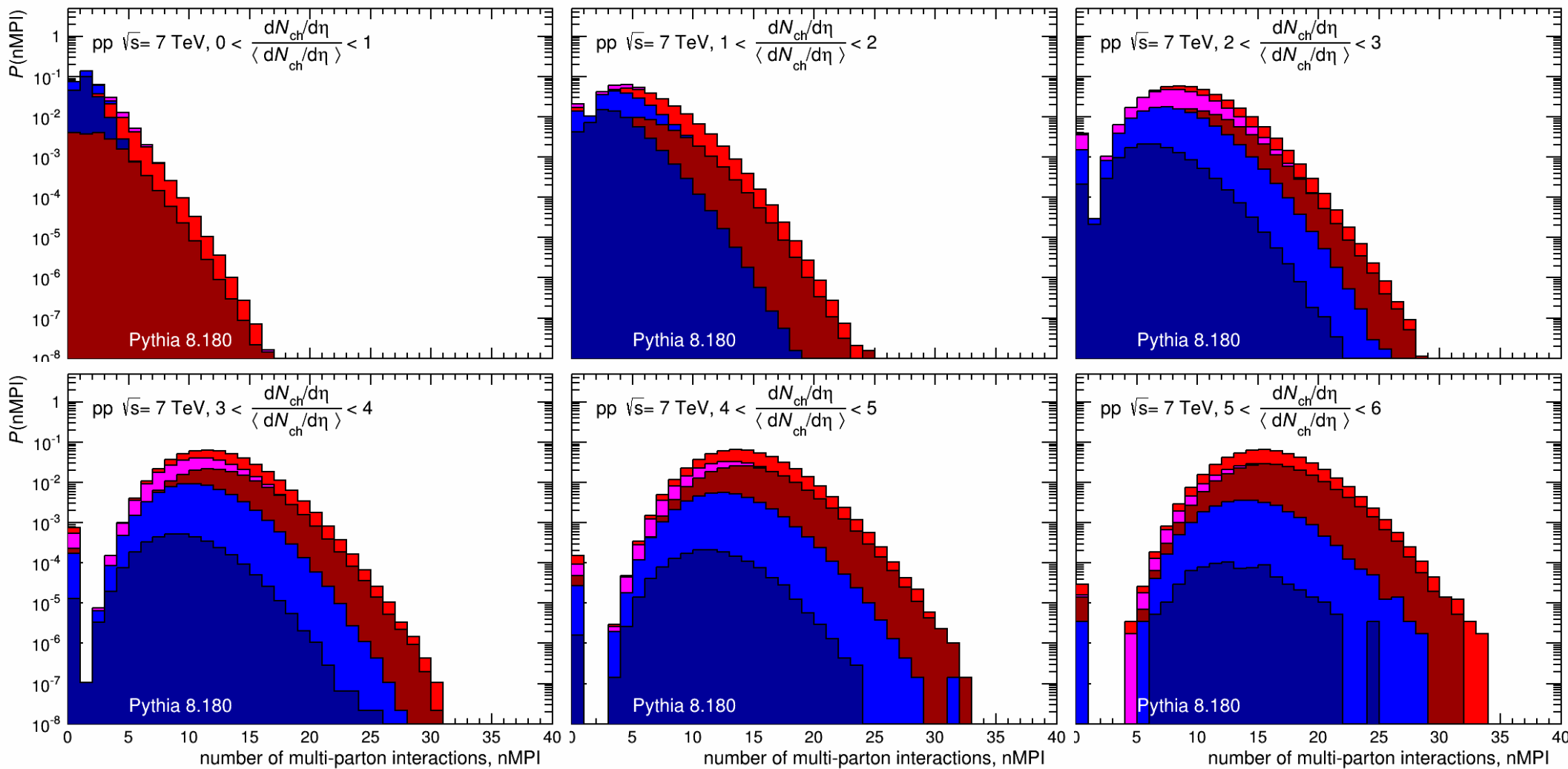


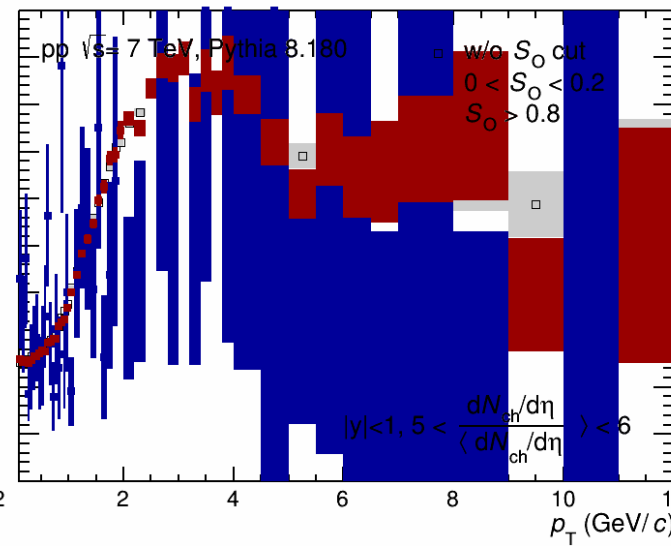
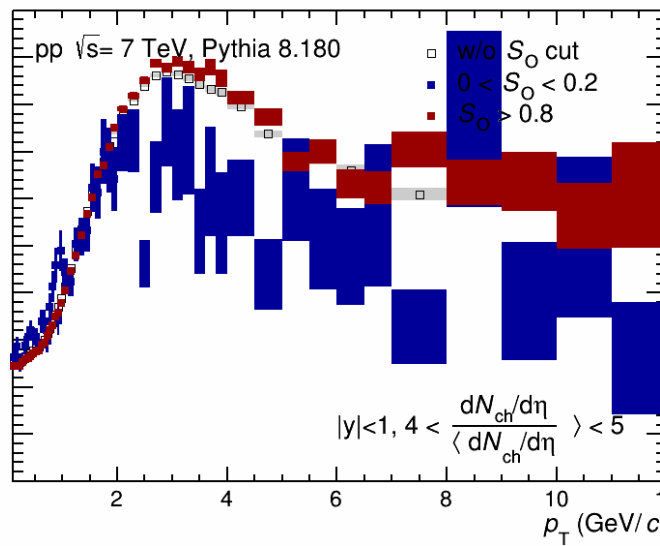
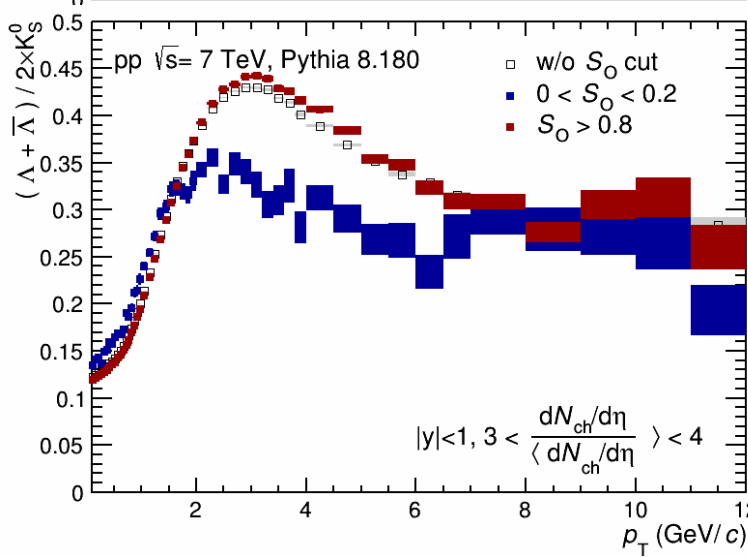
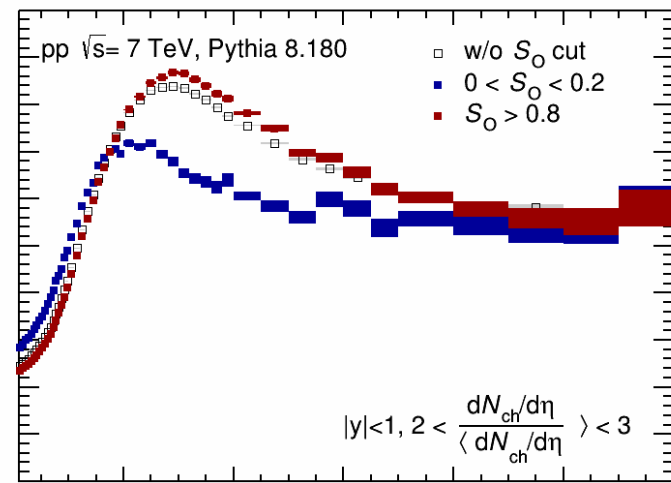
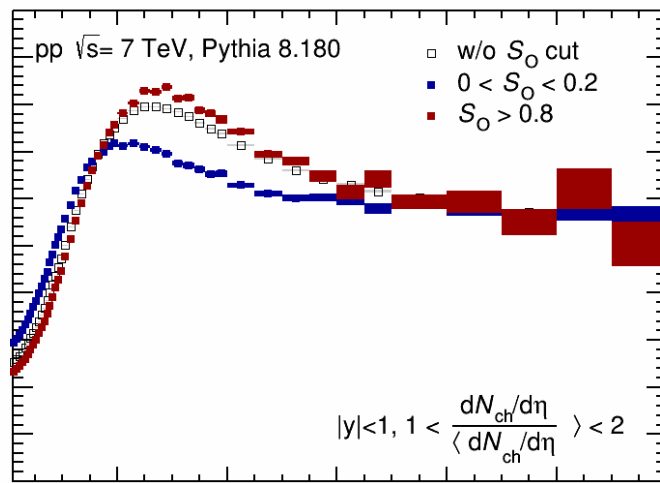
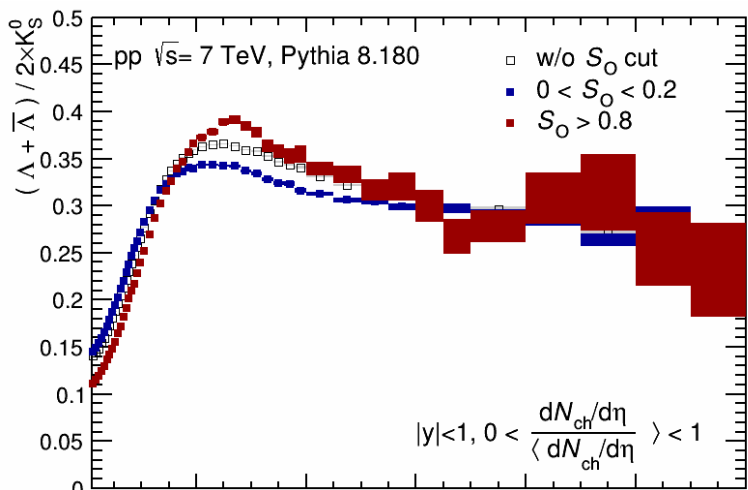
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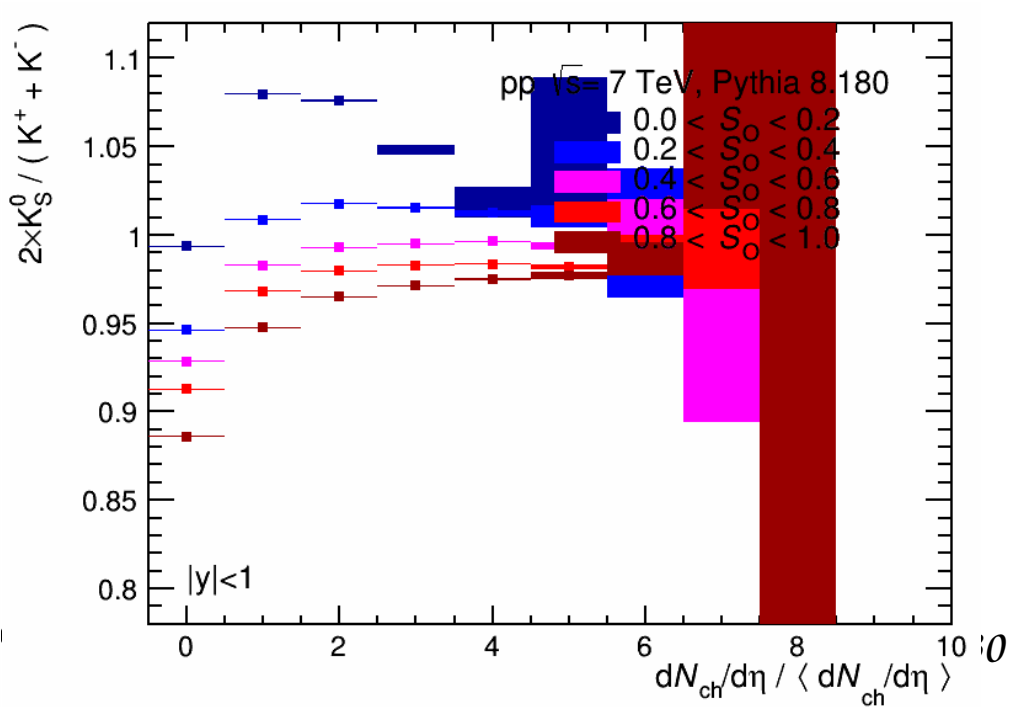
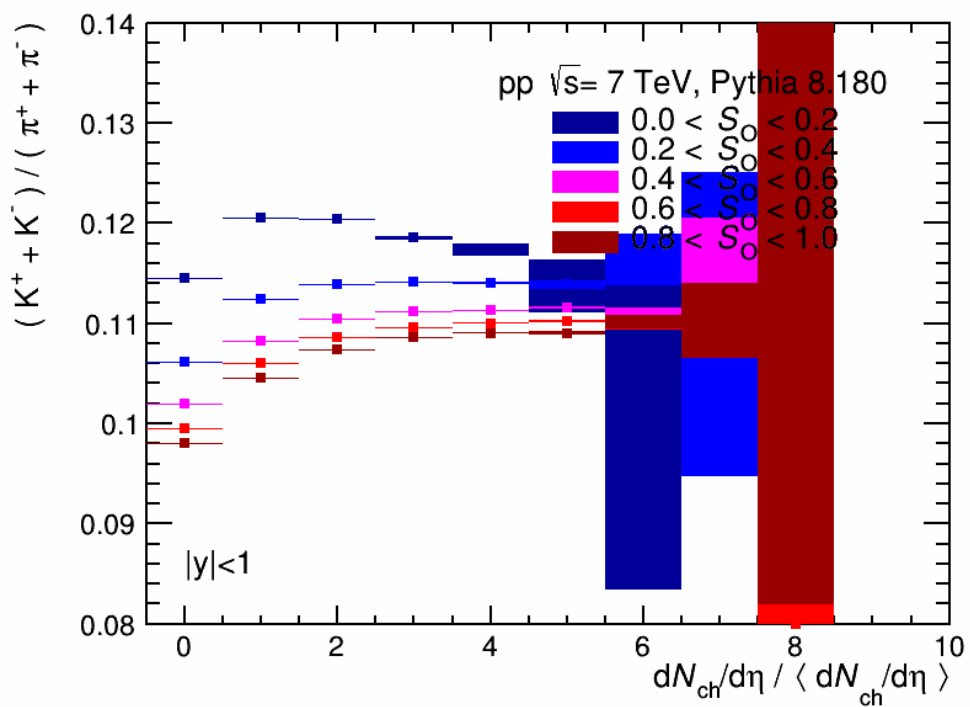
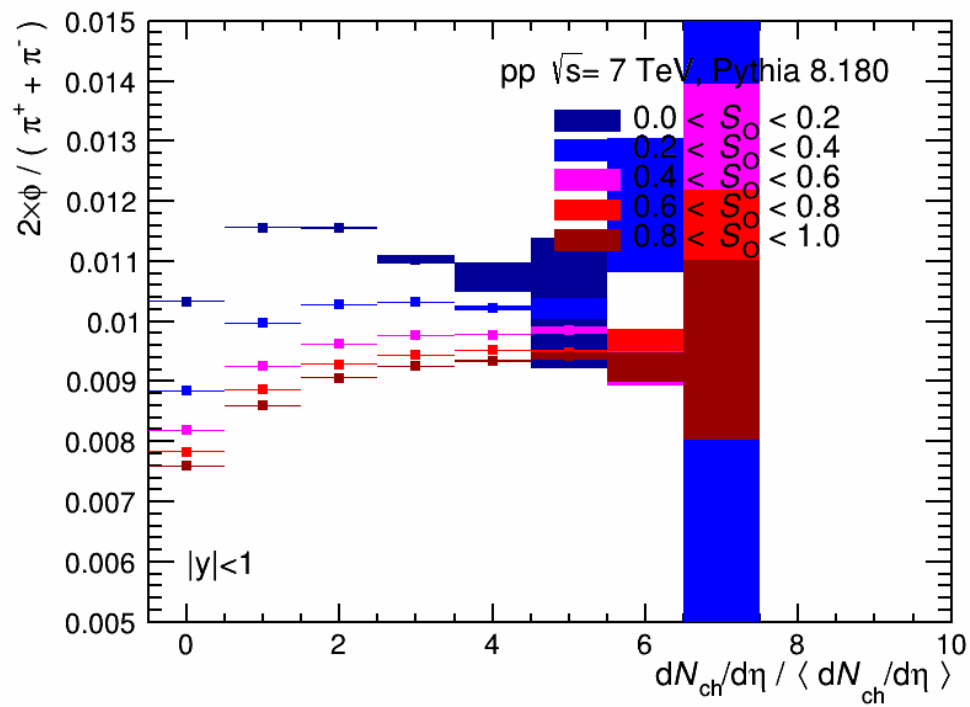
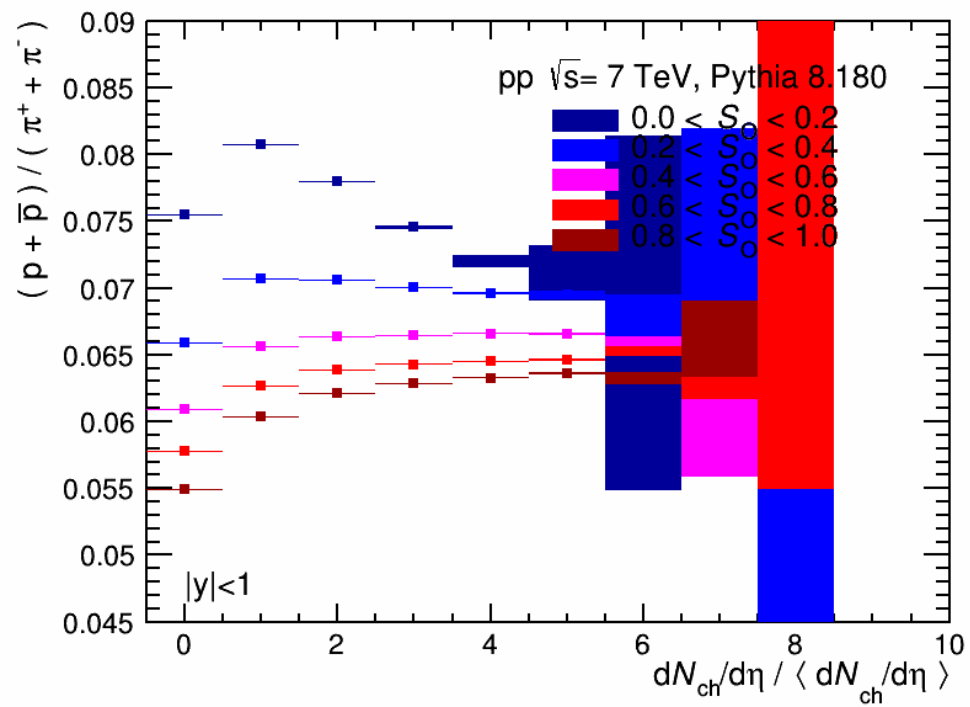


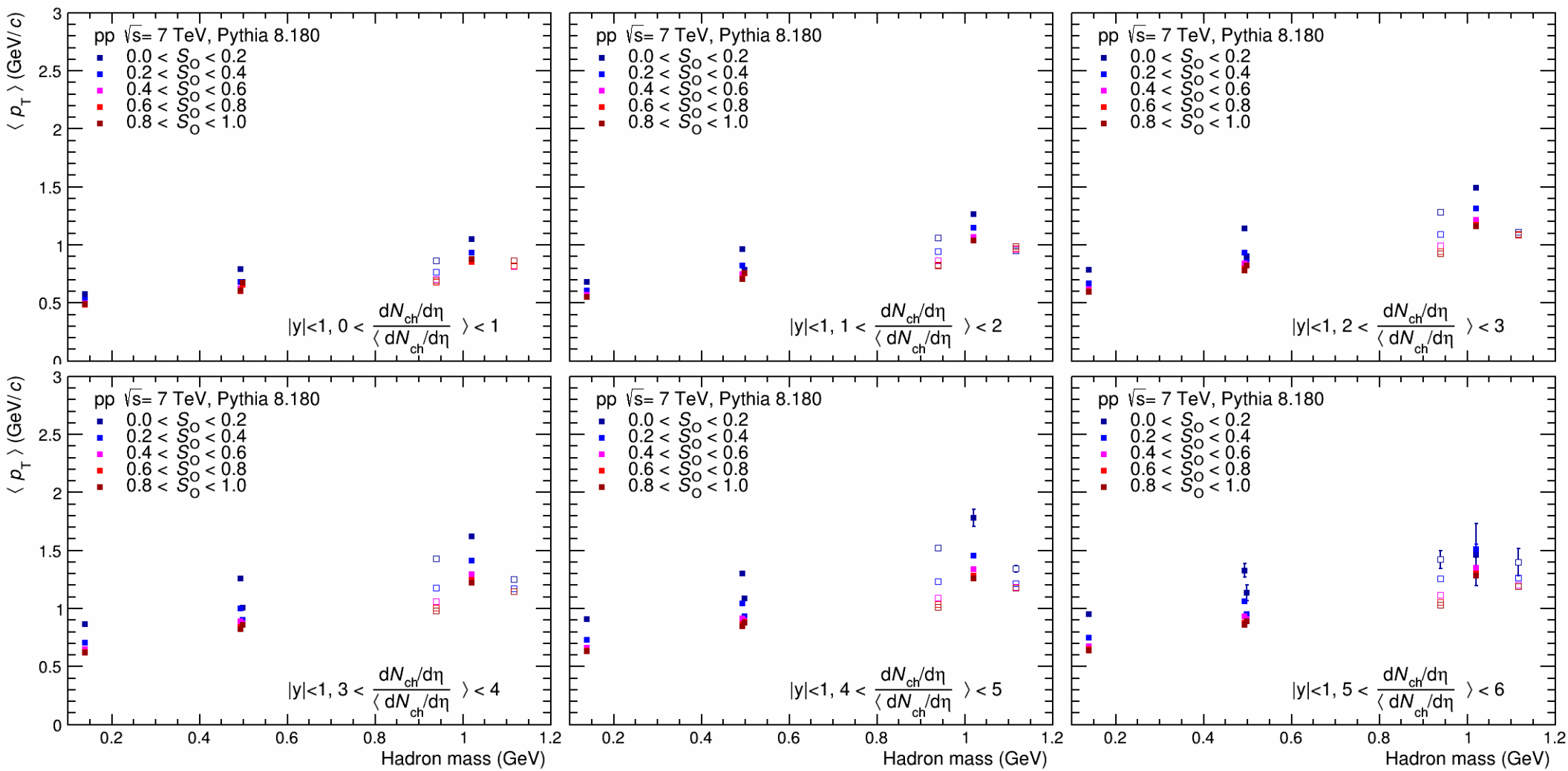
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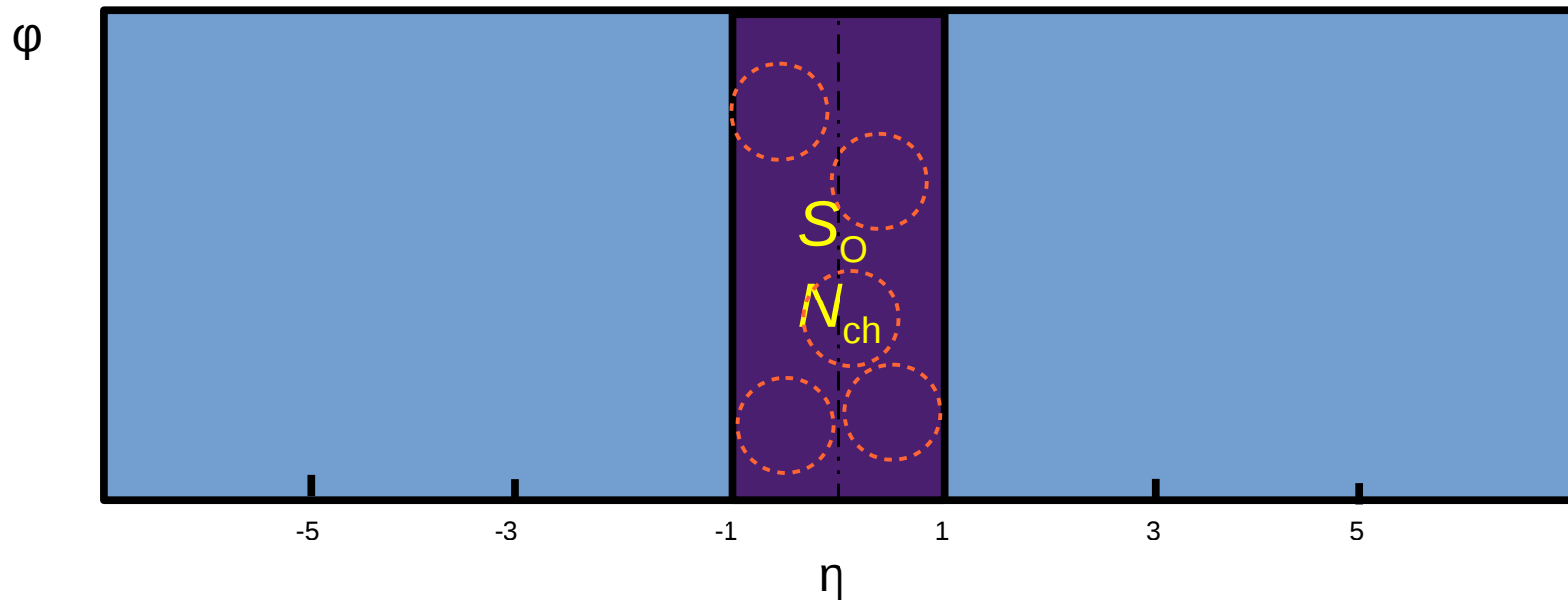




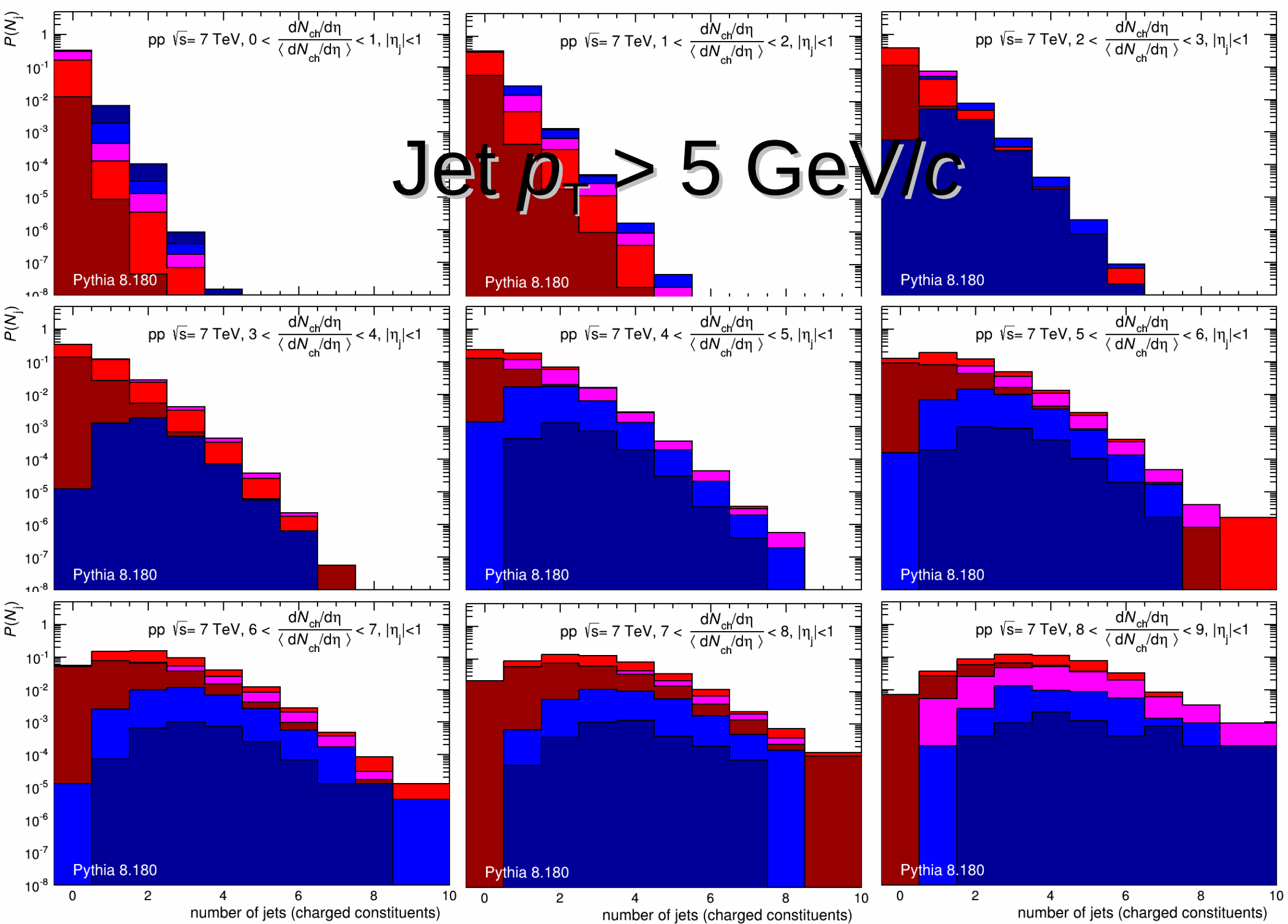


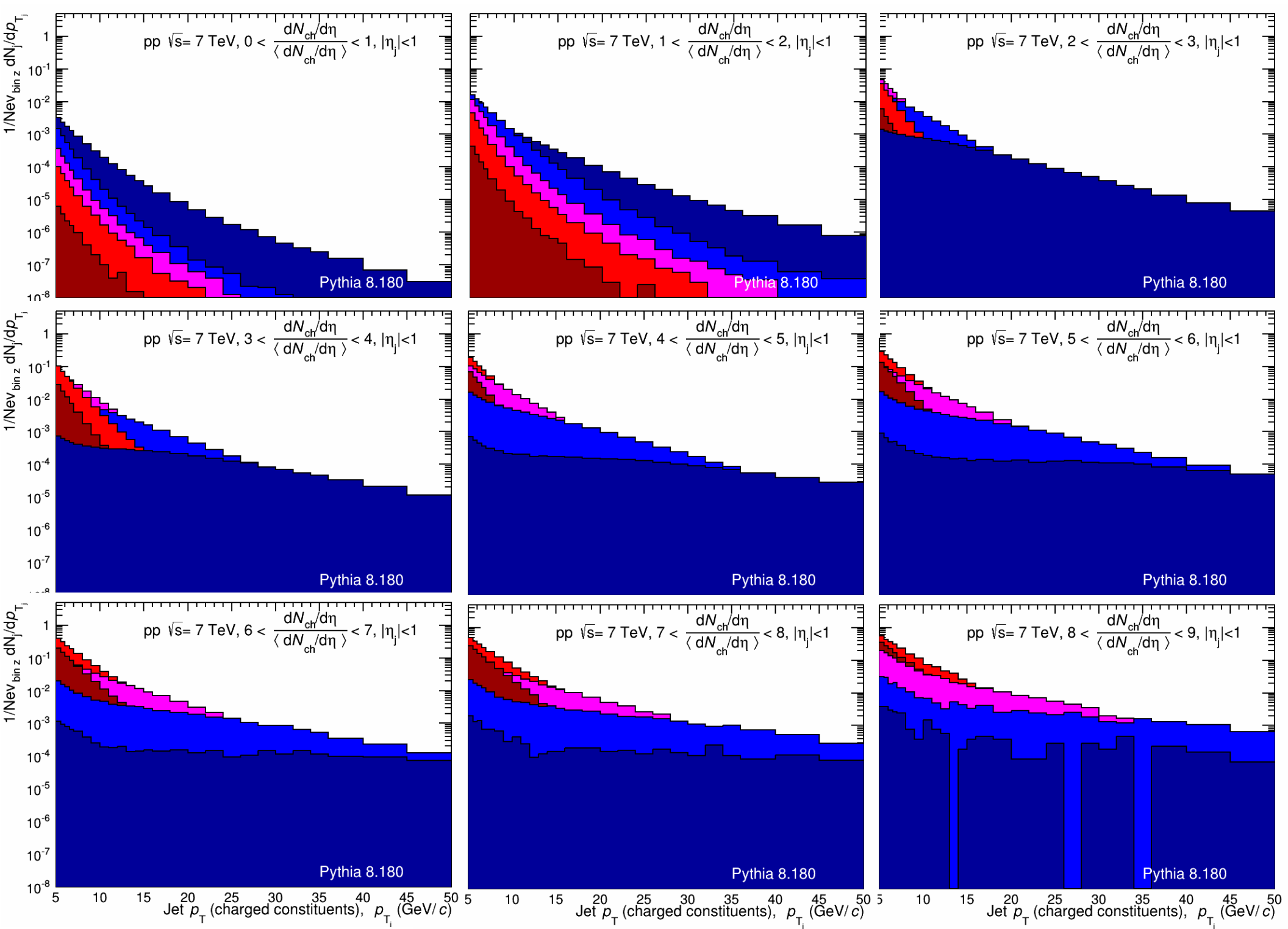






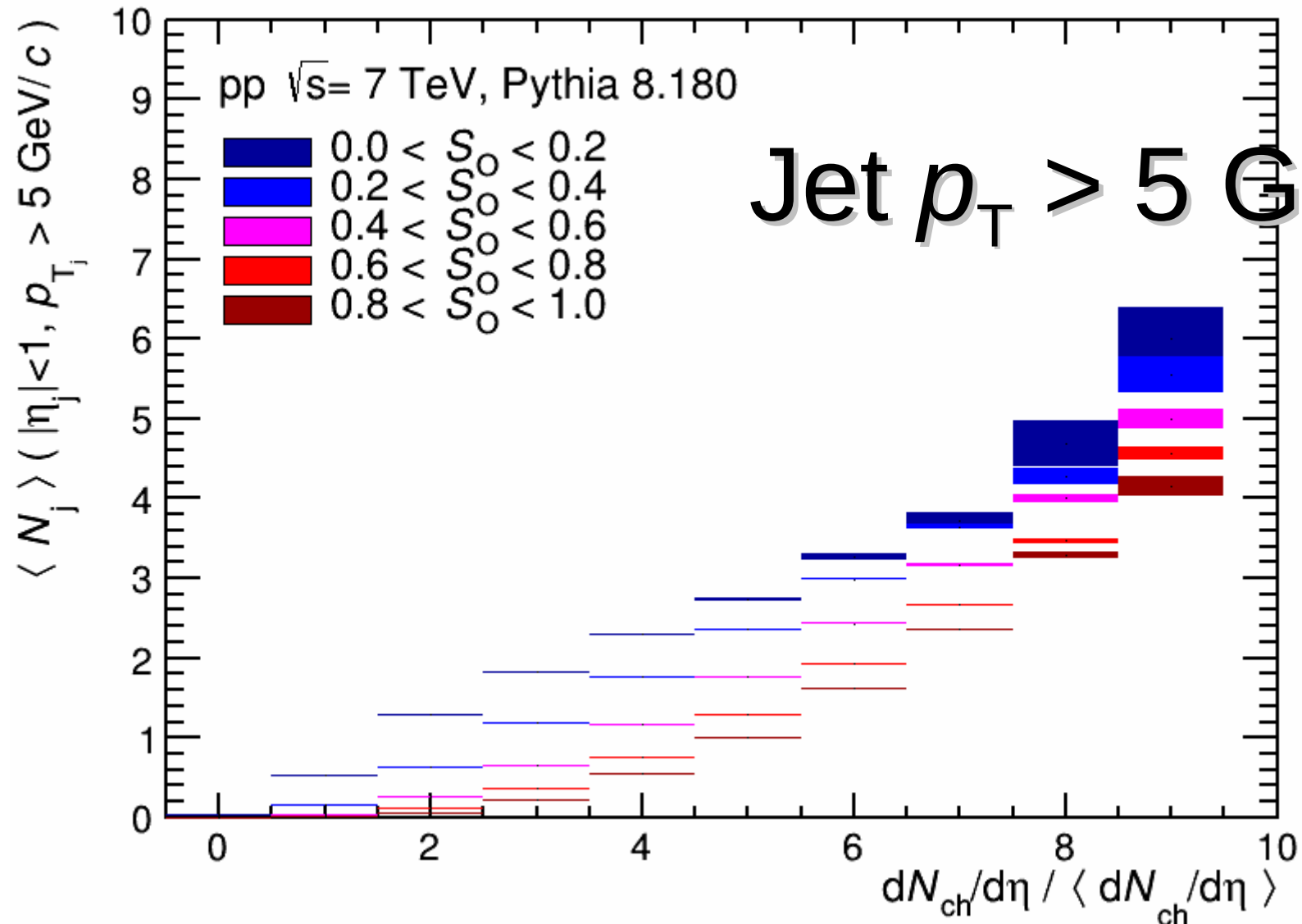
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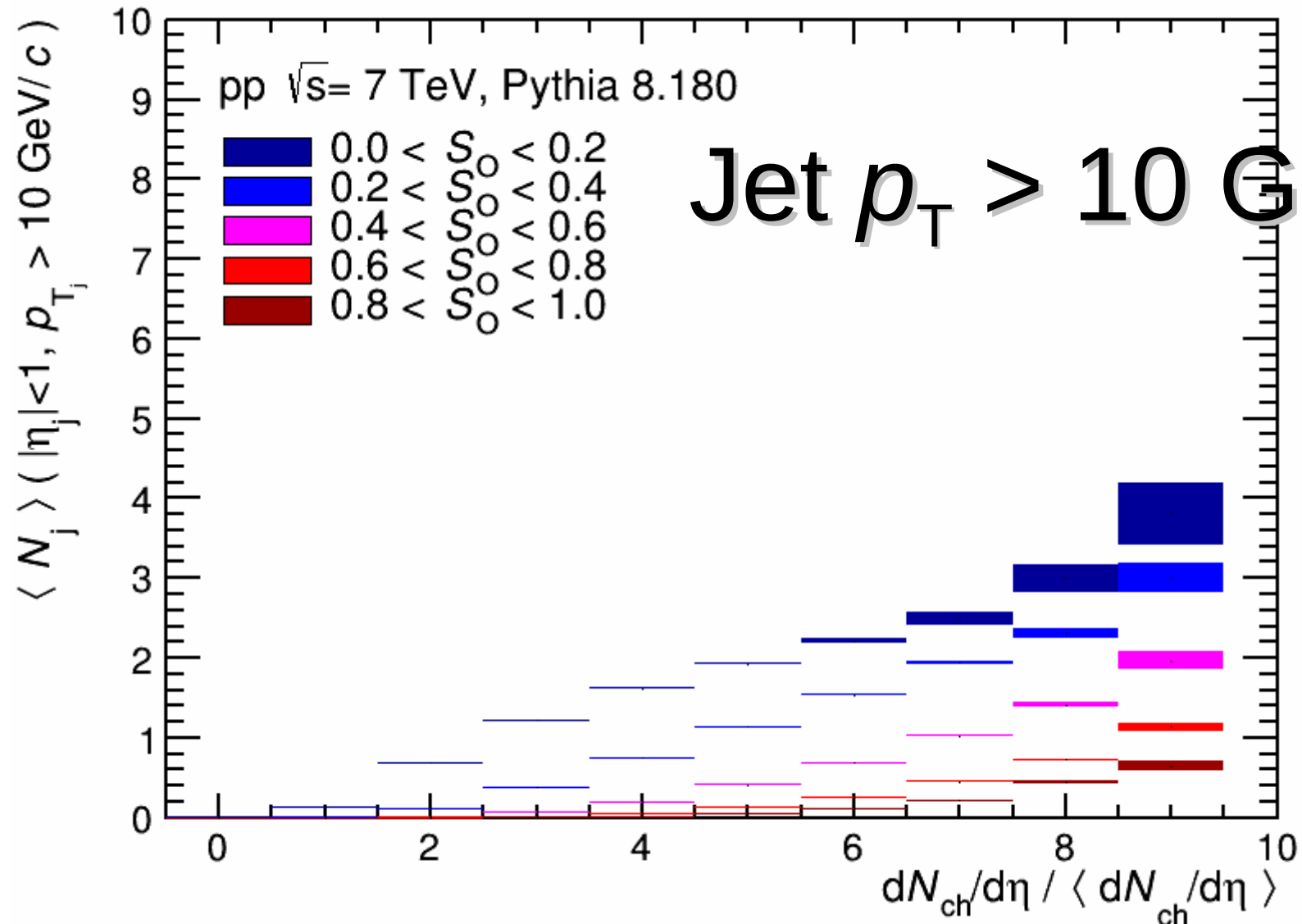


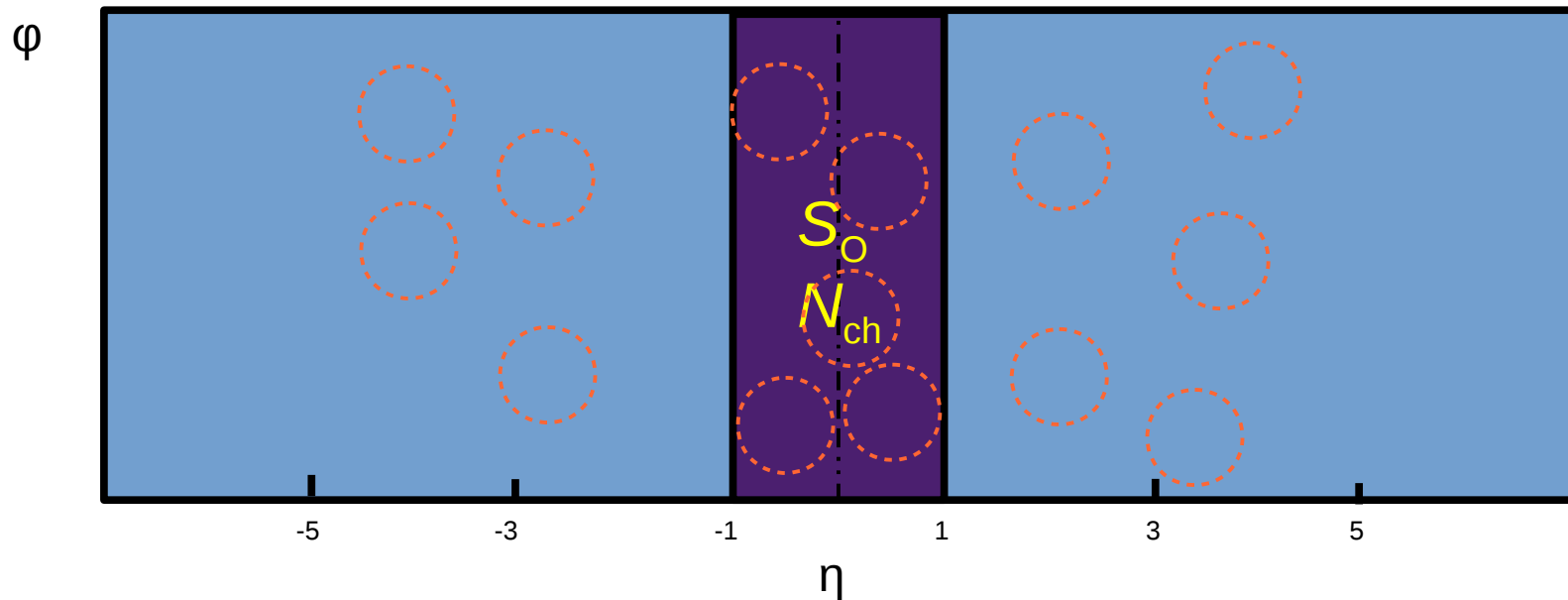
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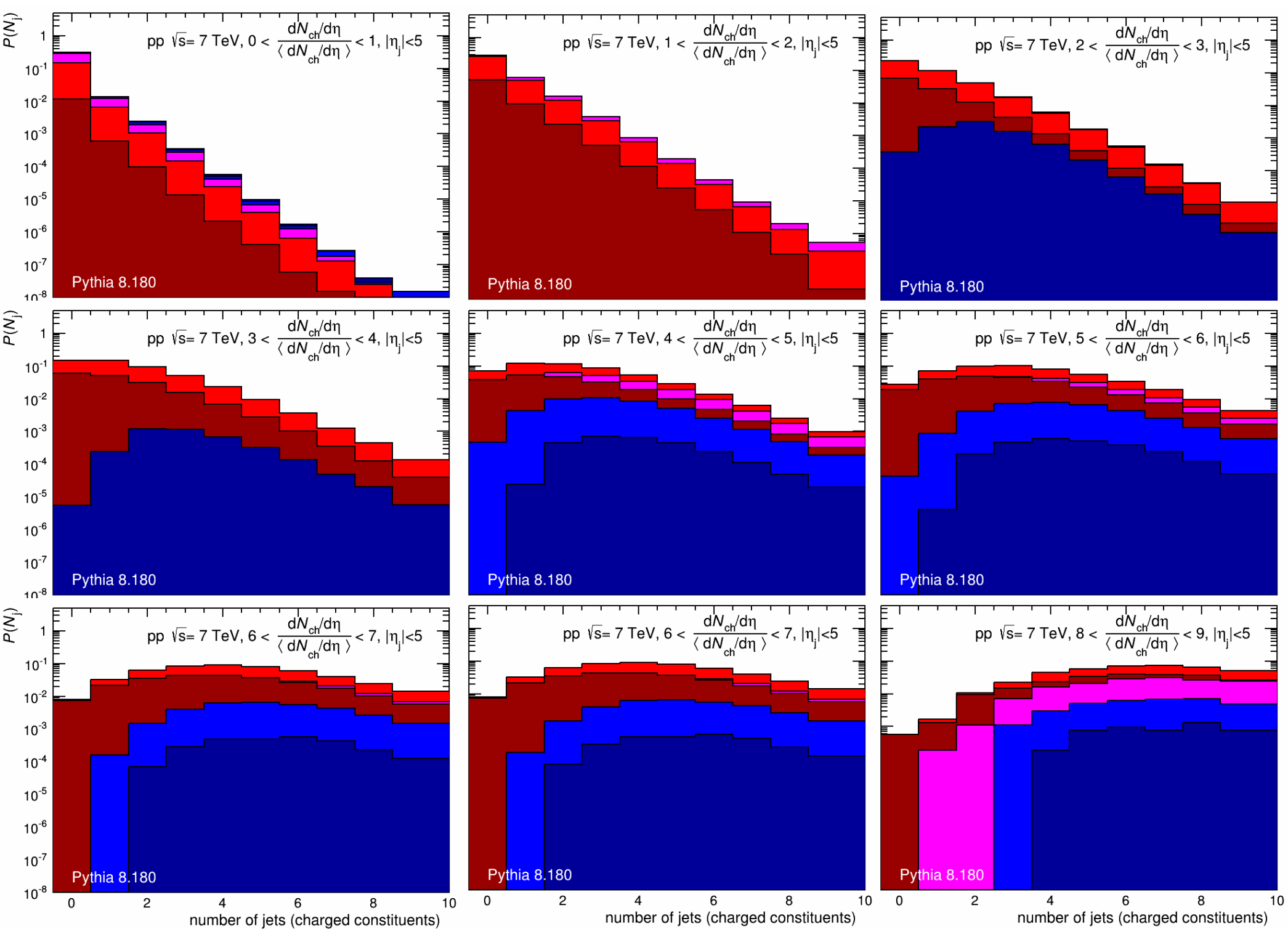


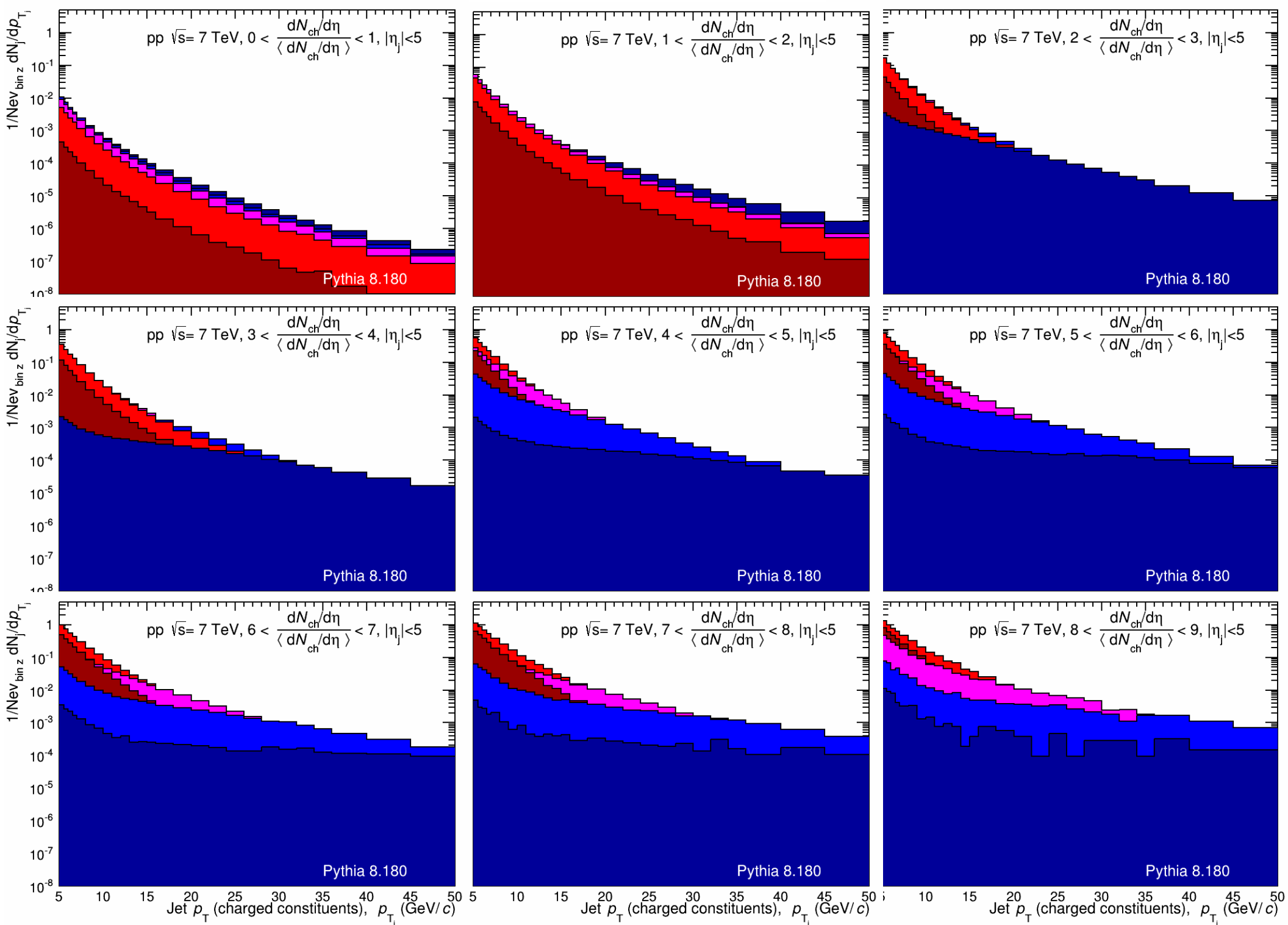
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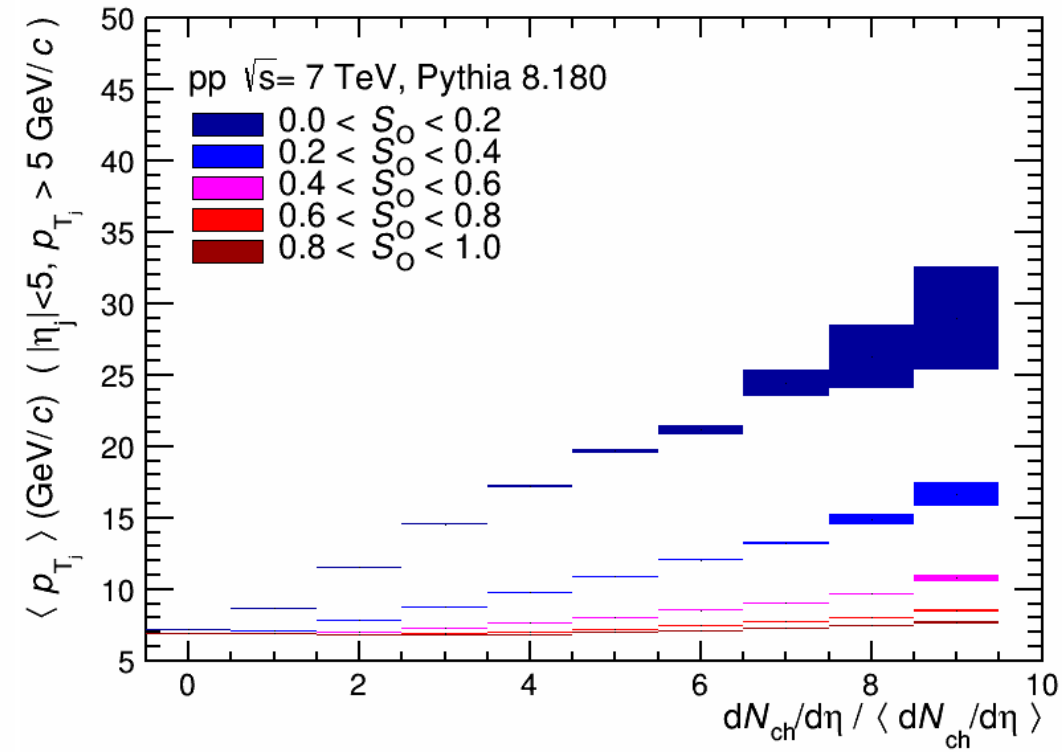
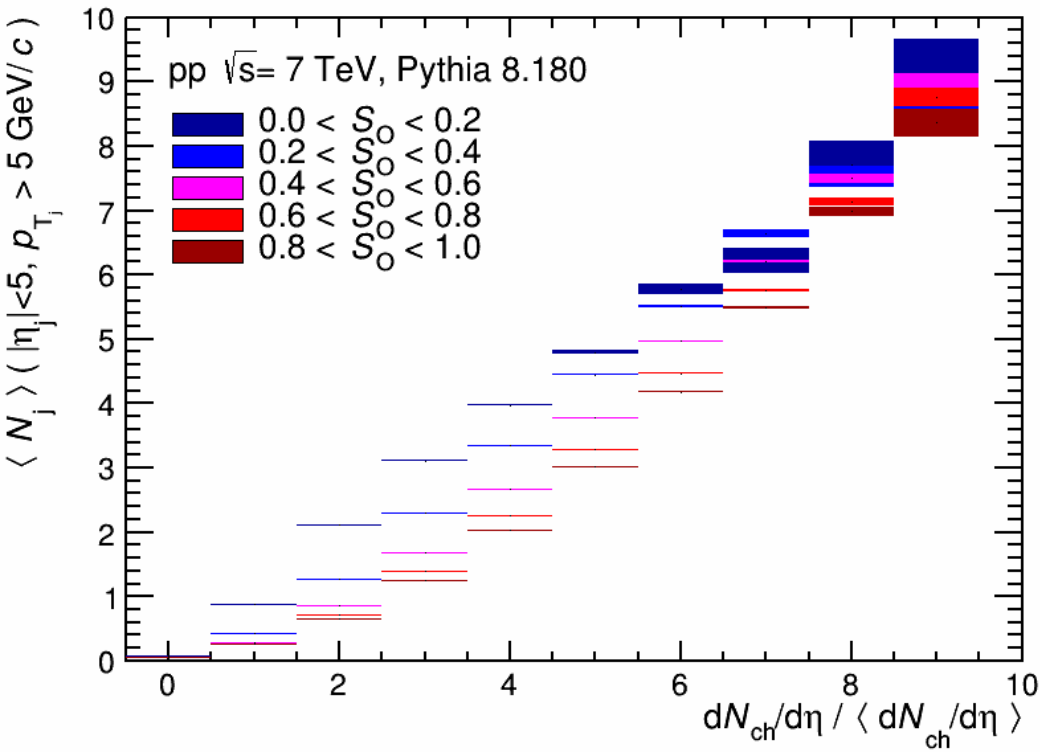
The next slides show the results where multiplicity and sphericity are calculated at mid-pseudorapidity interval ($|\eta| < 1$). The jet finder is implemented in a wider pseudorapidity interval ($|\eta| < 5$).





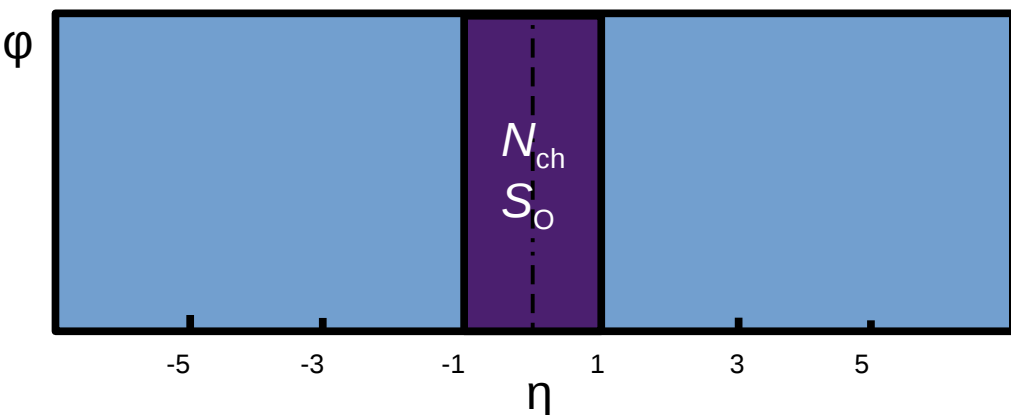


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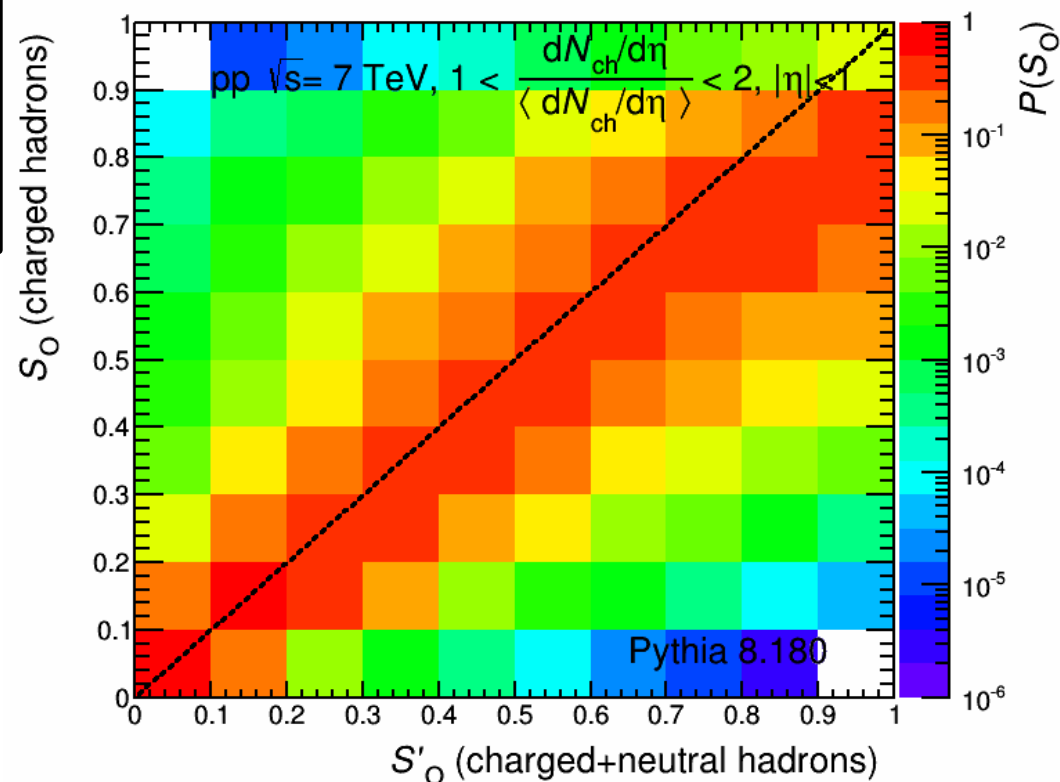




S_O including neutral hadrons



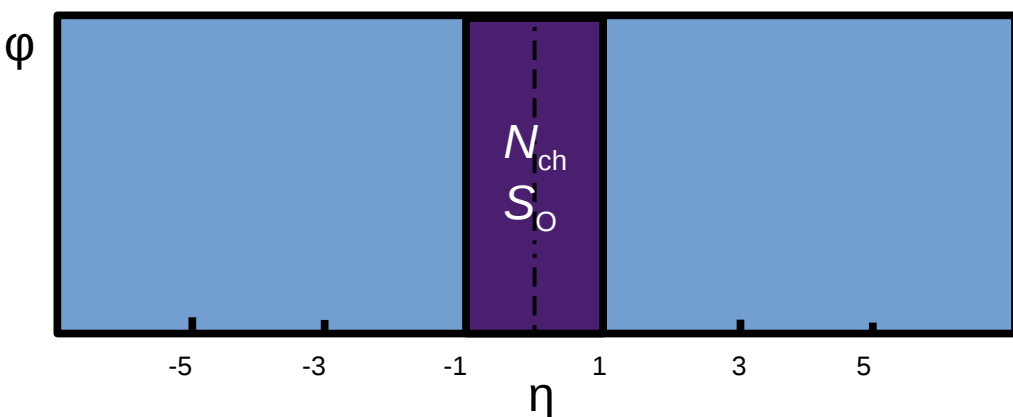
Correlation between transverse sphericity obtained using only charged hadrons vs the one including neutral hadrons.



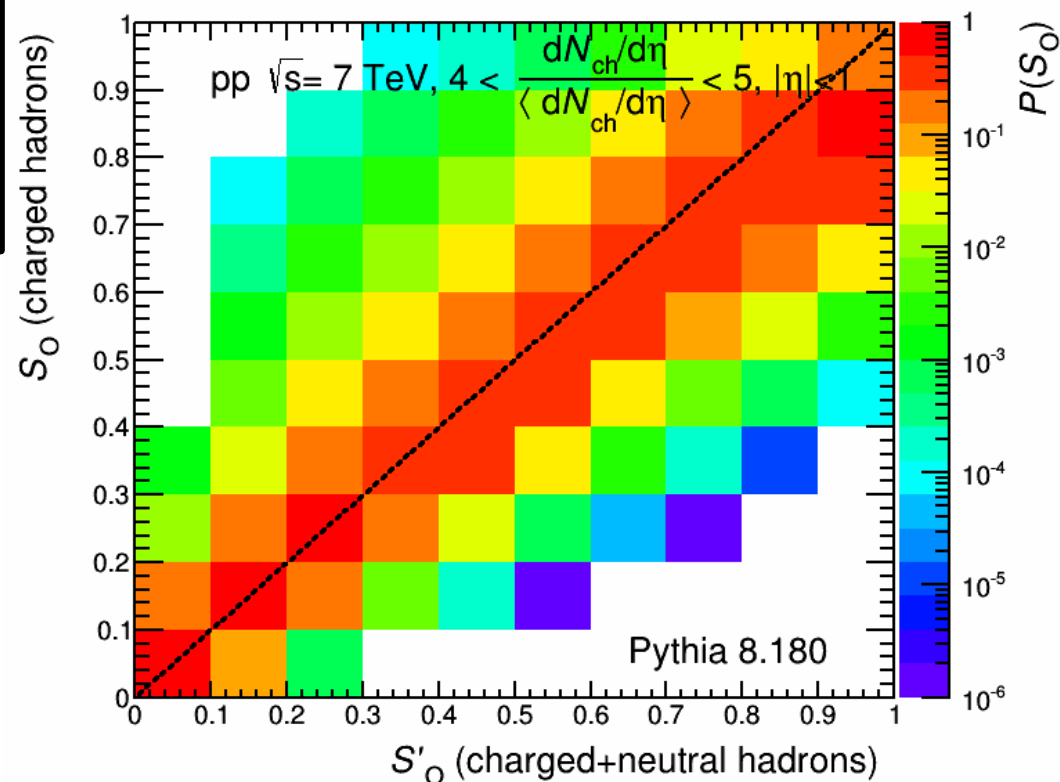
Result for *Low mid-rapidity* charged hadron multiplicity. The distribution becomes narrower with increasing multiplicity.



S_O including neutral hadrons



Correlation between transverse sphericity obtained using only charged hadrons vs the one including neutral hadrons.



High mid-rapidity charged hadron multiplicity

