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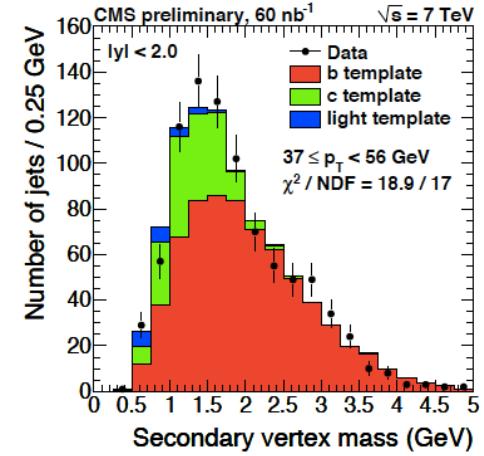
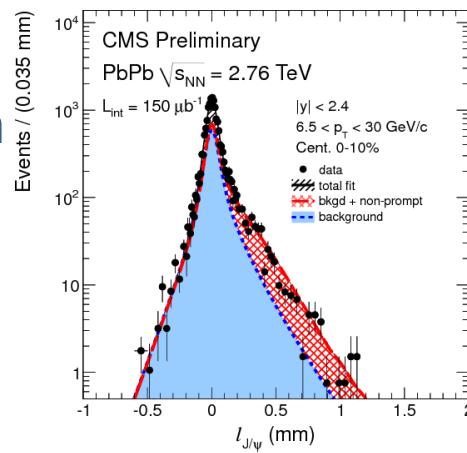
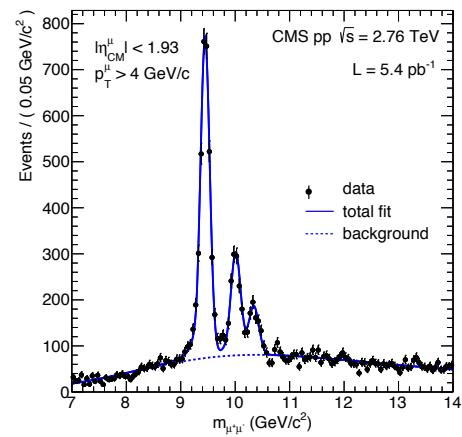
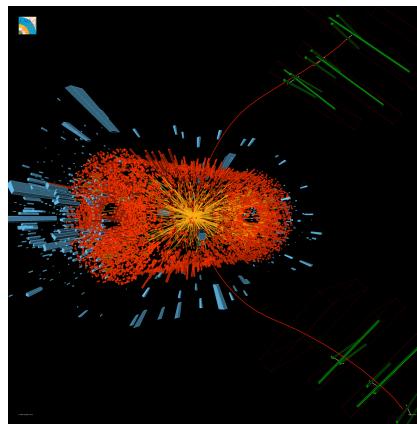
# Heavy Flavor Production in Heavy Ions w/ CMS

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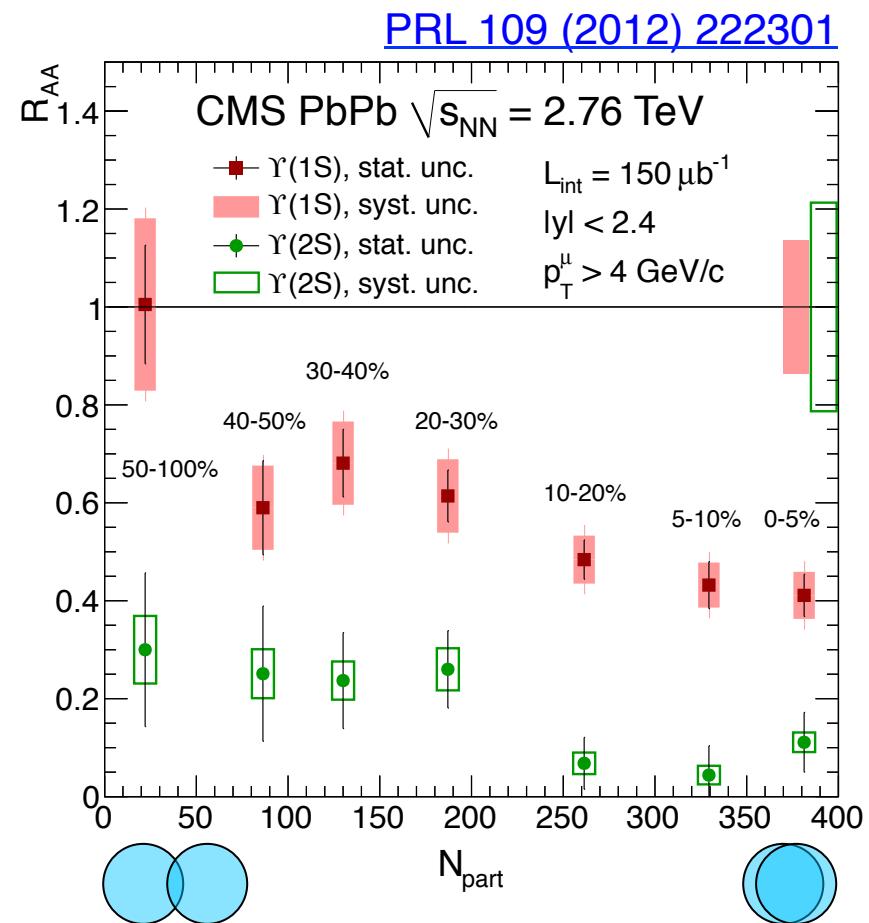
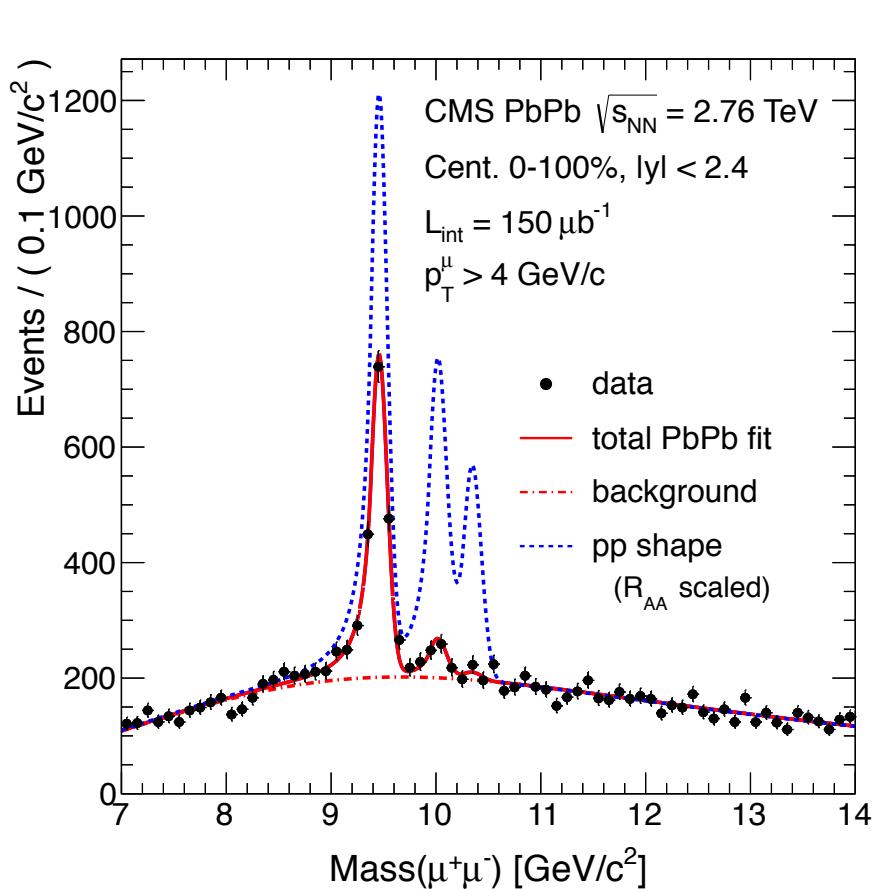
# Beauty in Heavy Ions

- **Bottomonia**
  - Bound state thermometry
  - Clean separation of excited states w/ dimuons
  - $p_T$  coverage down to zero
  - $b\bar{b}$  regeneration small
  
- **Open beauty**
  - Flavor dependence of parton energy loss
  - Low  $p_T$ : B meson suppression via non-prompt  $J/\psi$
  - High  $p_T$ : b-tagged jets
  
- Charm not discussed here



# Bottomonium

# “Sequential Melting”

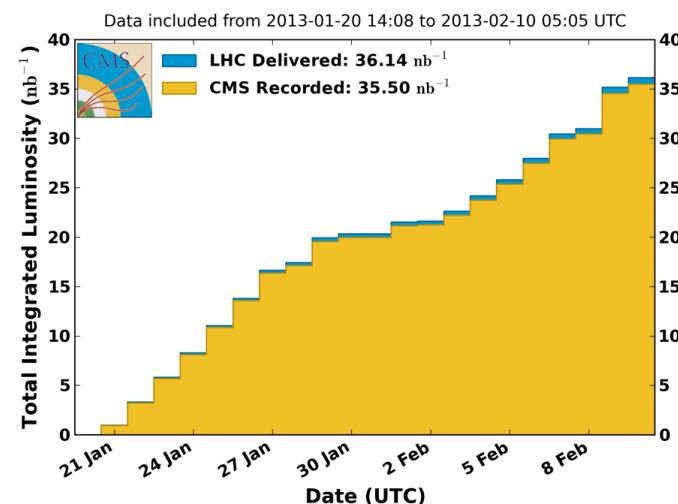


- $50.9 \pm 8.2 \pm 9\%$  of  $\Upsilon(1s)$  from feed-down, mostly from p states
- Nuclear modification of  $\Upsilon(1s)$  just melting of excited states?
- Are there other effects that could contribute to the dissociation of  $\Upsilon$  states?

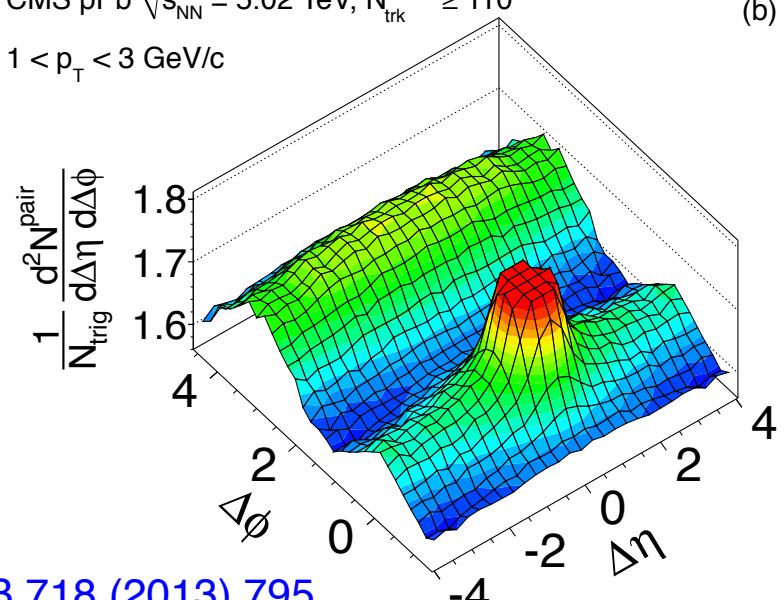
# Proton-lead collisions

- pPb used to understand
  - Nuclear effects on parton distributions
  - Final state effects from cold nuclear matter
  - Other non-QGP effects
- Some effects thought to be related to hot QCD seen in high multiplicity pPb
  - Long-range ‘ridge’ correlations indicating flow
  - But no evidence of others, e.g., jet quenching
- How about heavy flavor?

CMS Integrated Luminosity, pPb, 2013,  $\sqrt{s} = 5.02$  TeV/nucleon

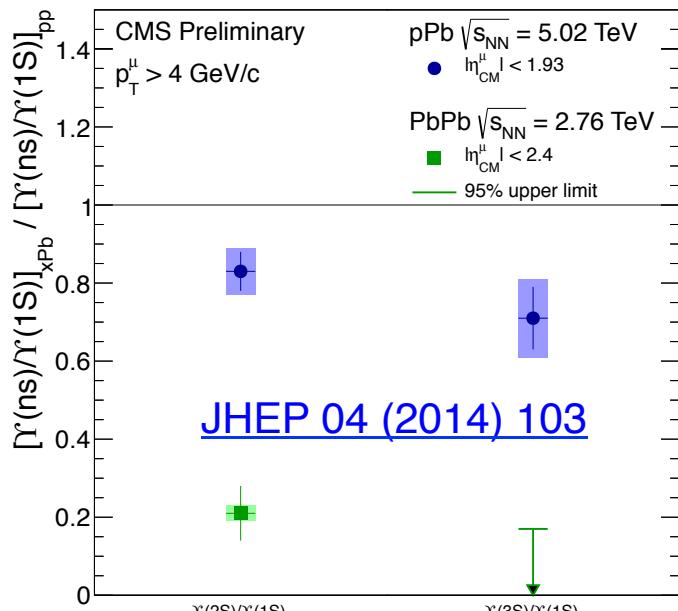


CMS pPb  $\sqrt{s_{\text{NN}}} = 5.02$  TeV,  $N_{\text{trk}}^{\text{offline}} \geq 110$  (b)  
 $1 < p_{\text{T}} < 3$  GeV/c

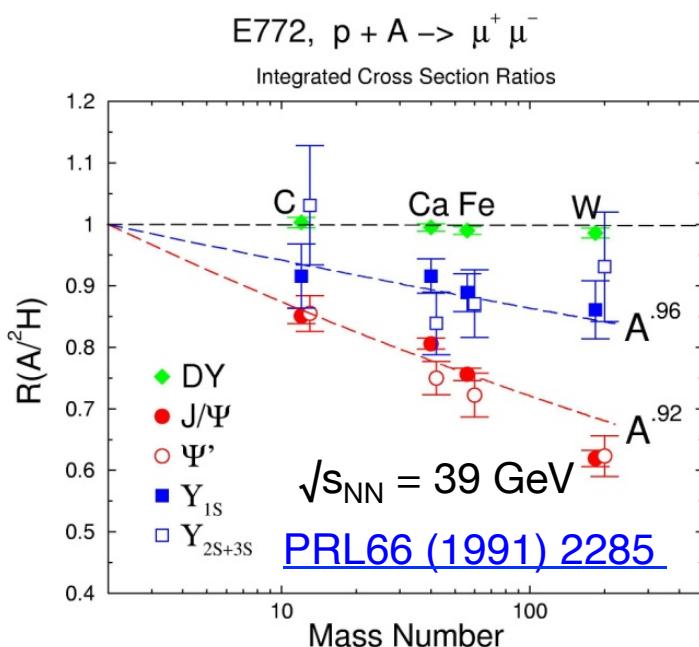


# $\Upsilon$ in pA

- Mild suppression of excited states (rel. to ground state) in pPb
- Effects of comparable size to previous observations at the SPS and at RHIC
- Extrapolation to PbPb is model dependent



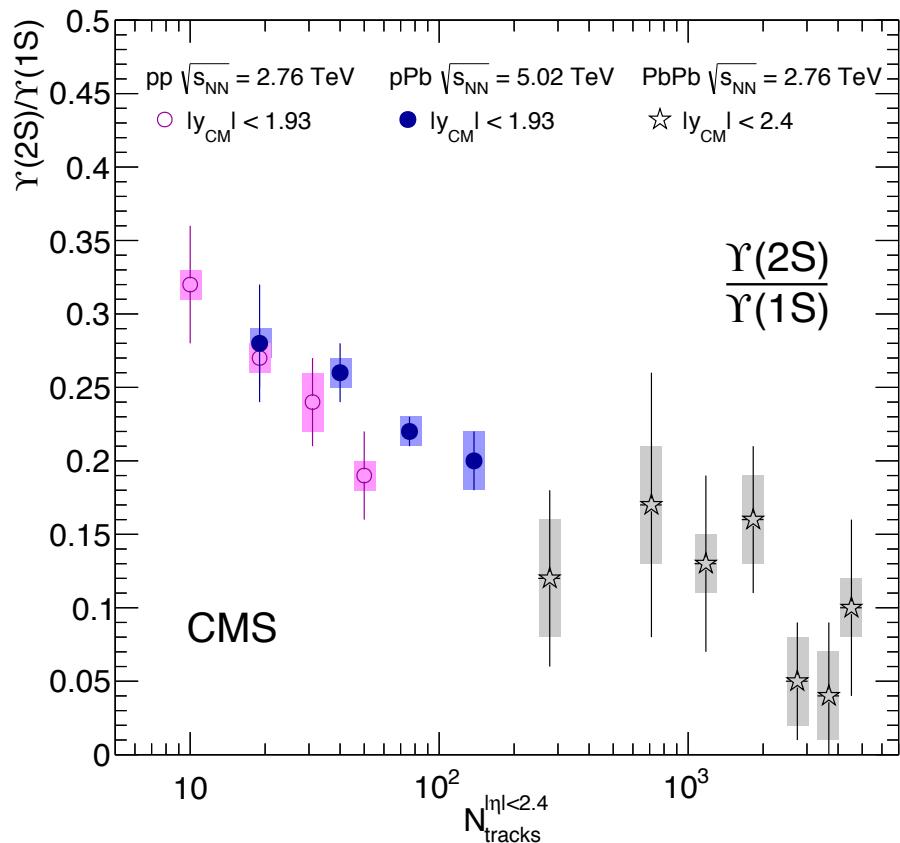
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# Event activity dependence

- Unlike PbPb, weak correlation btwn. event activity and collision geometry
- $\Upsilon(2S)/\Upsilon(1S)$  decreases w/ multiplicity in pPb  $\rightarrow$  final state interactions?
- Similar (stronger?) dependence in pp
- Tempting to interpret a smooth progression from pp to PbPb, but statistics errors are large
- Alternative scenario: associated production smaller for excited states

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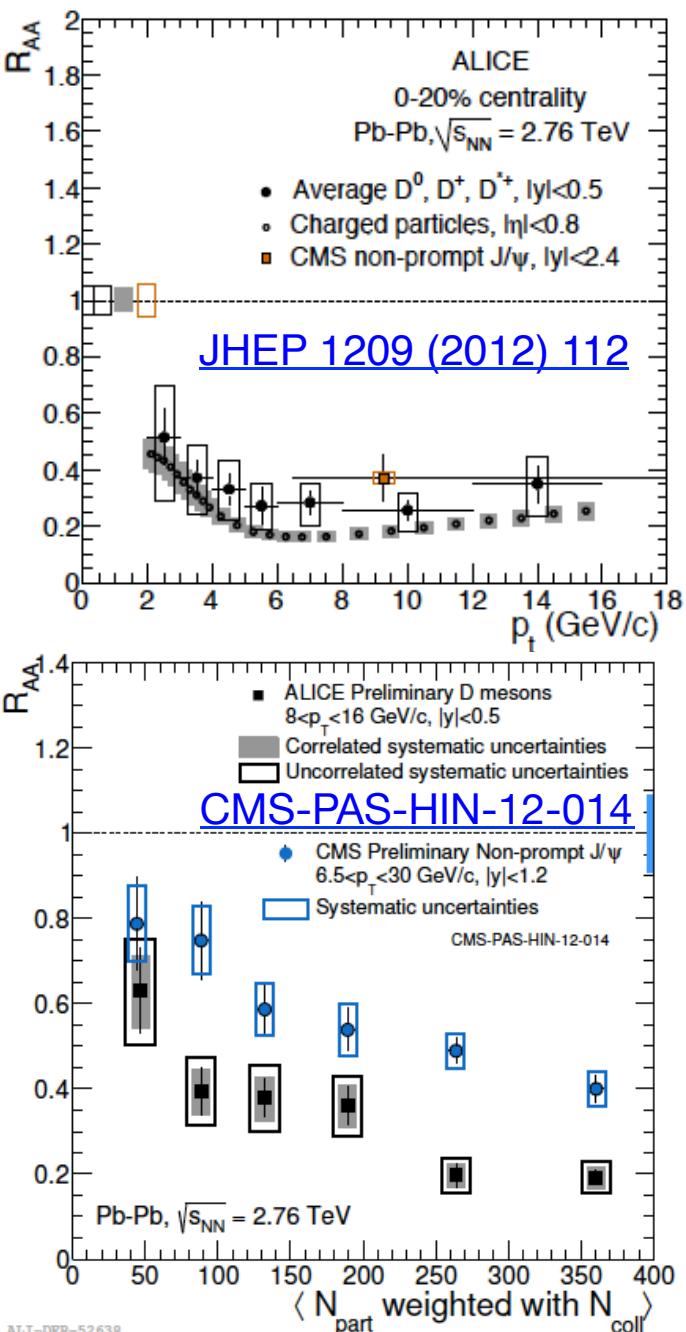


Larger statistics and further observables, e.g., upsilon-hadron correlations are needed to understand effect in pPb and extrapolate to PbPb

# Open Beauty

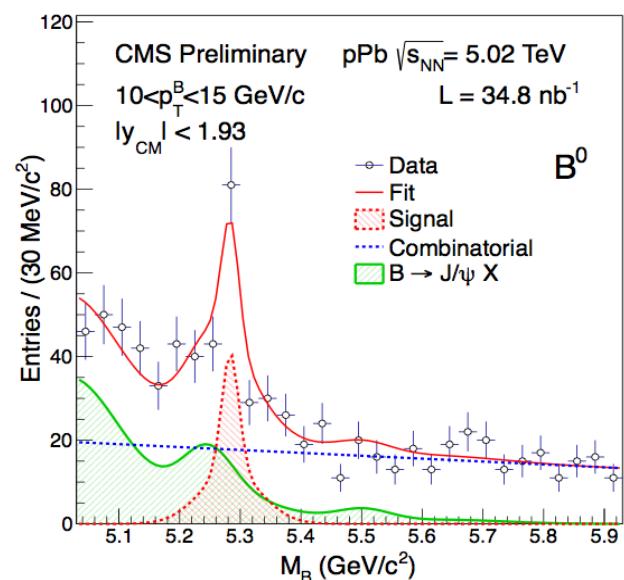
# Heavy quark energy loss

- Interest is two-fold
  - Quark vs gluon e-loss
  - Mass effects (radiation damping)
- Non-prompt  $J/\psi R_{AA}$   
 $> D \text{ meson } R_{AA} > ? h R_{AA}$
- $R_{AA}$  does not translate directly to parton energy loss
  - Different spectral shape for b and c
  - Harder fragmentation for b
  - Contamination from gluon splitting  
 (expected to be larger for c than b)

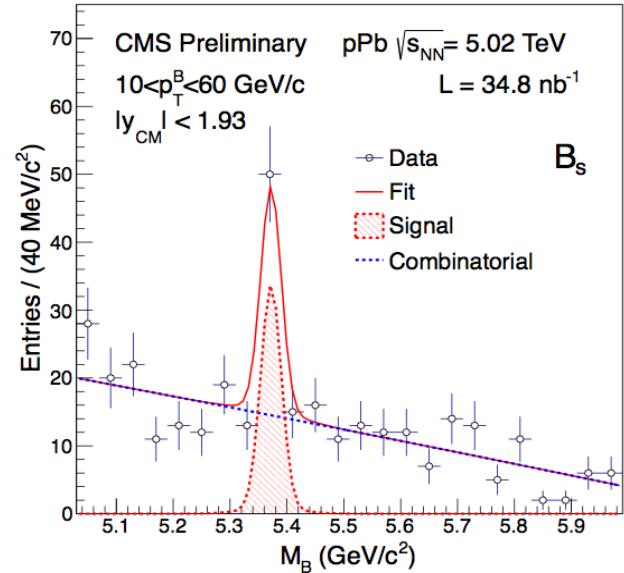
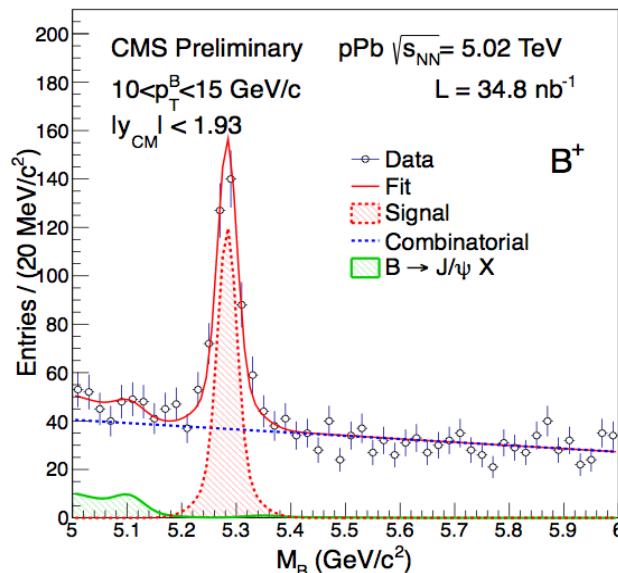


# Open beauty in pPb

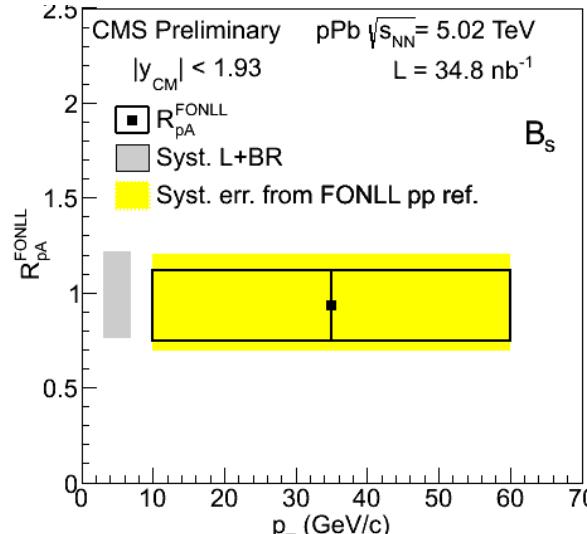
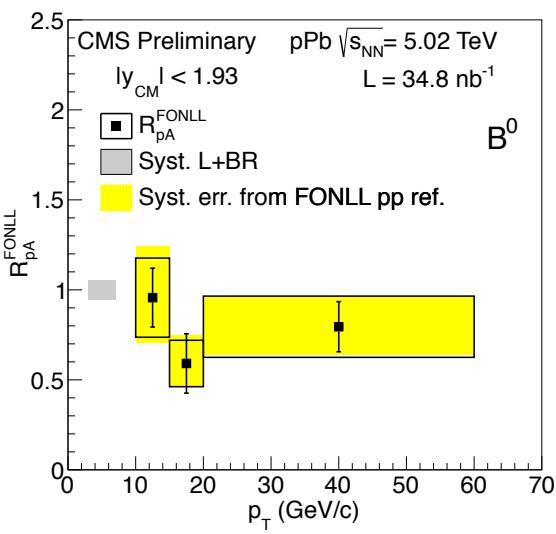
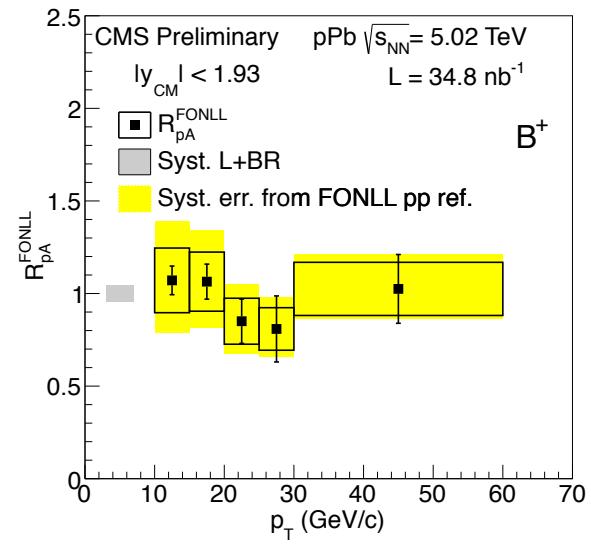
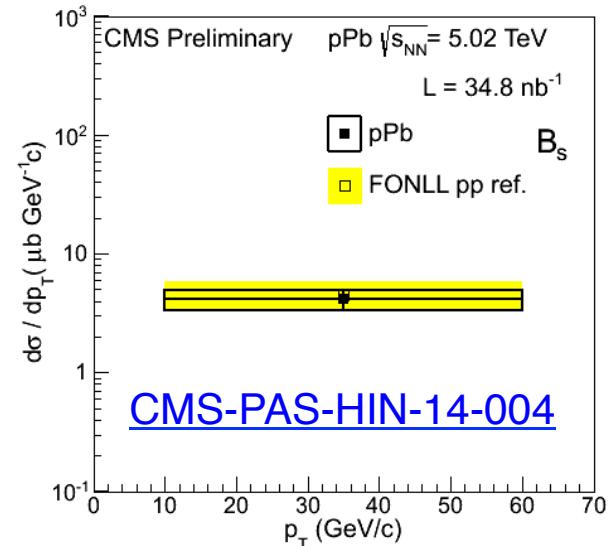
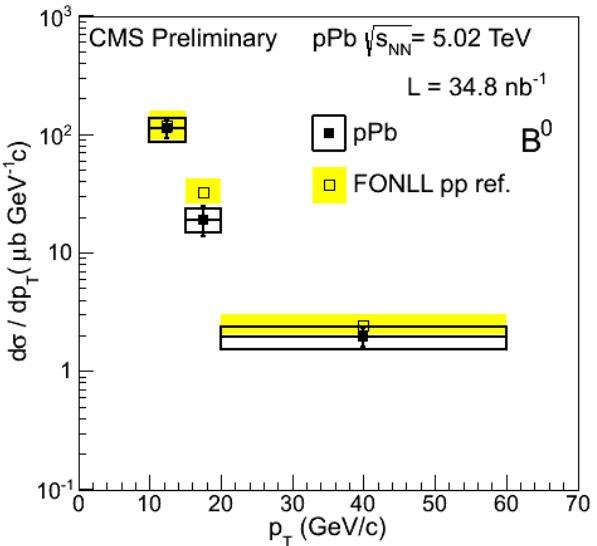
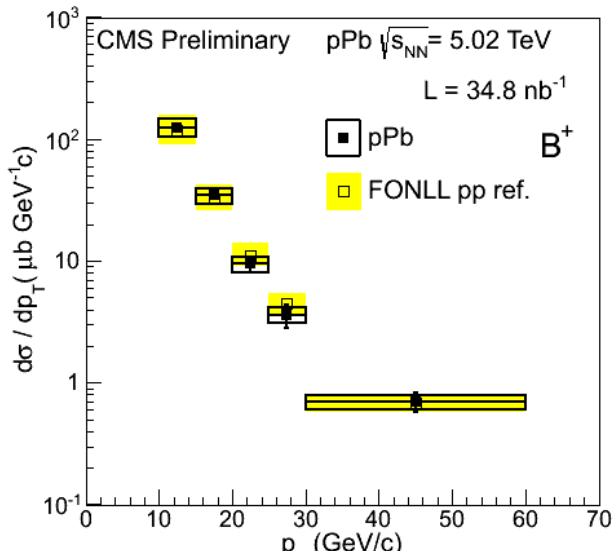
- 3 channels measured
  - $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi + K^+$
  - $B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi + K^{*0}$
  - $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi + \phi$
- Background modeling
  - Combinatorial background from  $J/\psi$ -track(s)
  - Resonant background from other  $B \rightarrow J/\psi + X$   
(e.g. for  $B^+$ , contribution from  $B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K^{*0}$ )



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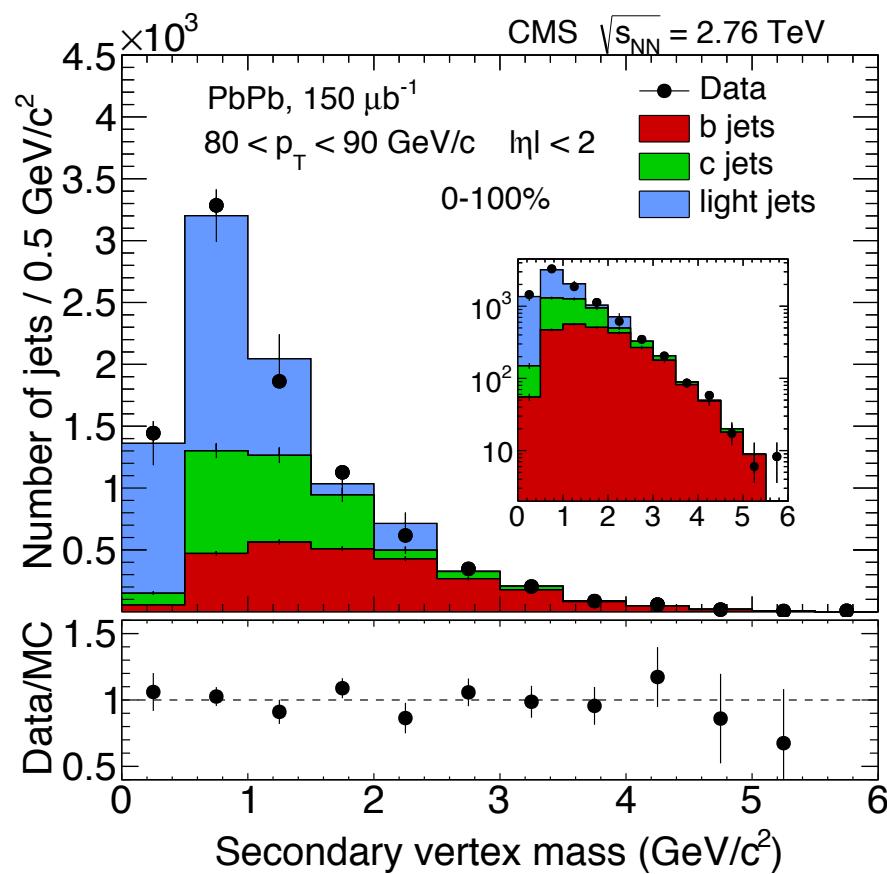
# B mesons in pPb vs FONLL



Ratios w/ FONLL consistent w/ unity → no large nuclear effect in pPb

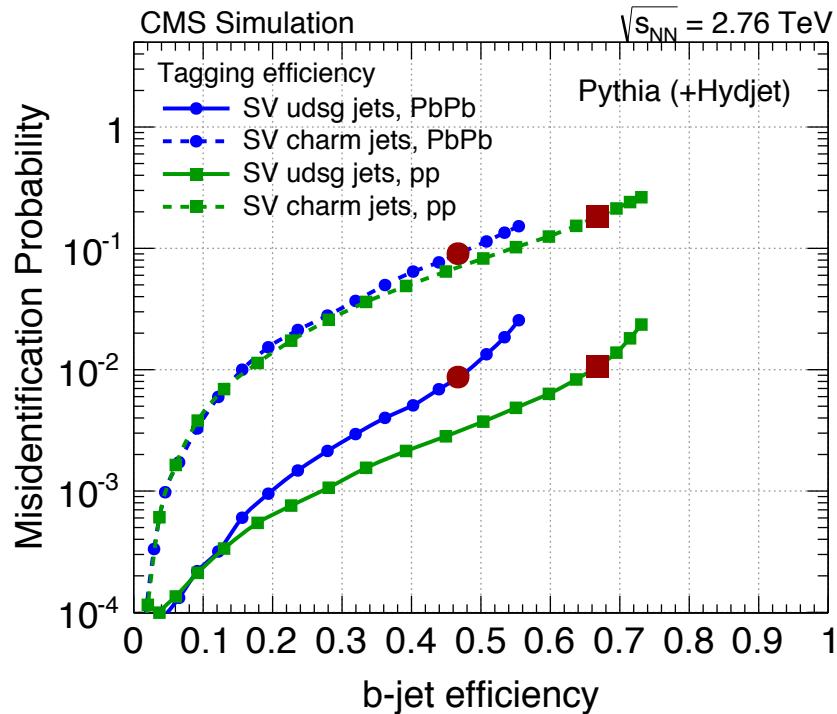
# b-jet tagging in PbPb

- Secondary vertex (SV) tagger
- Discriminating variable:  
Flight distance significance
- b-jet purity from template fit  
using Pythia embedded in  
PbPb MC events (Hydjet)
- Small contribution from jets  
overlapping w/ b-hadron from  
underlying event
- Data-driven tagging efficiency  
using a reference tagger  
based on impact parameter



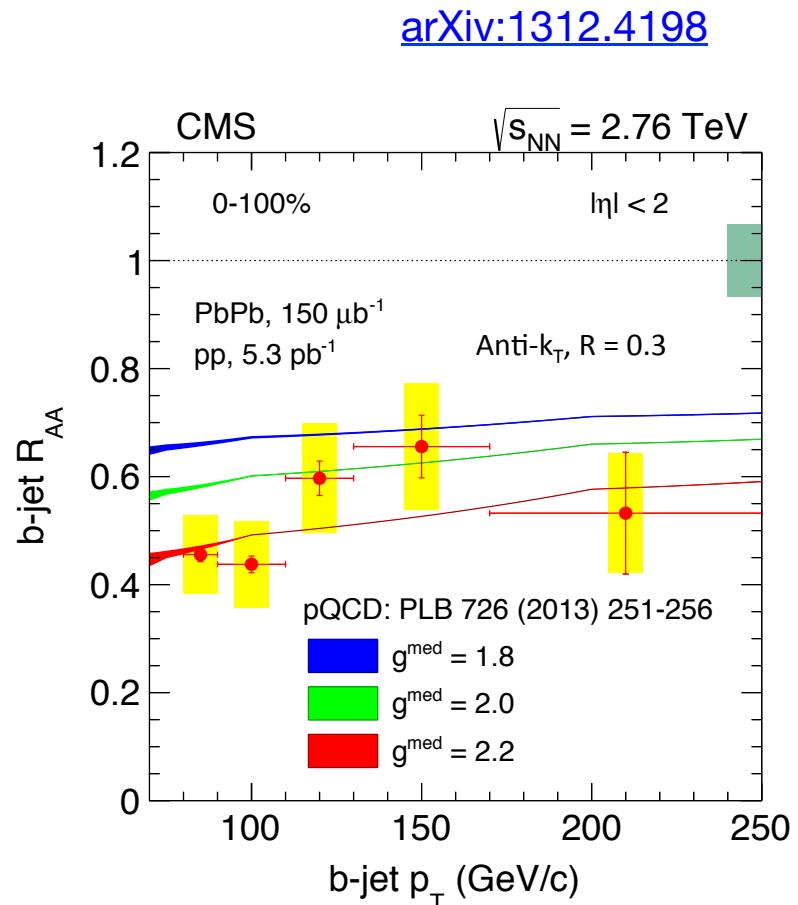
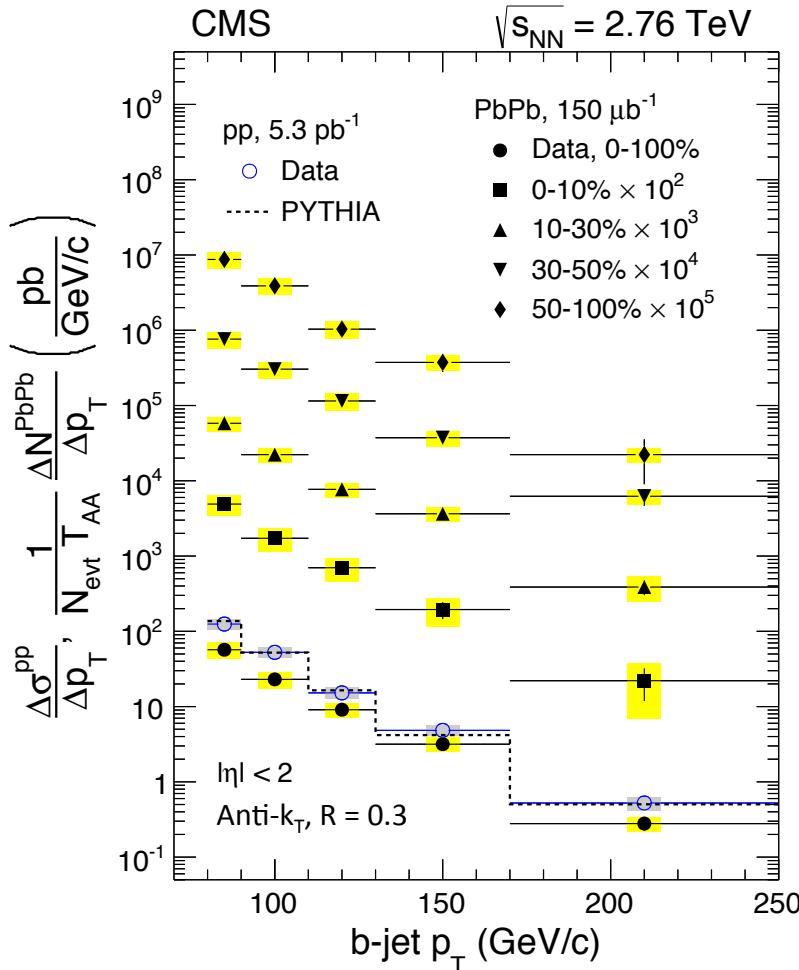
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# b-tagging (SV) performance in PbPb



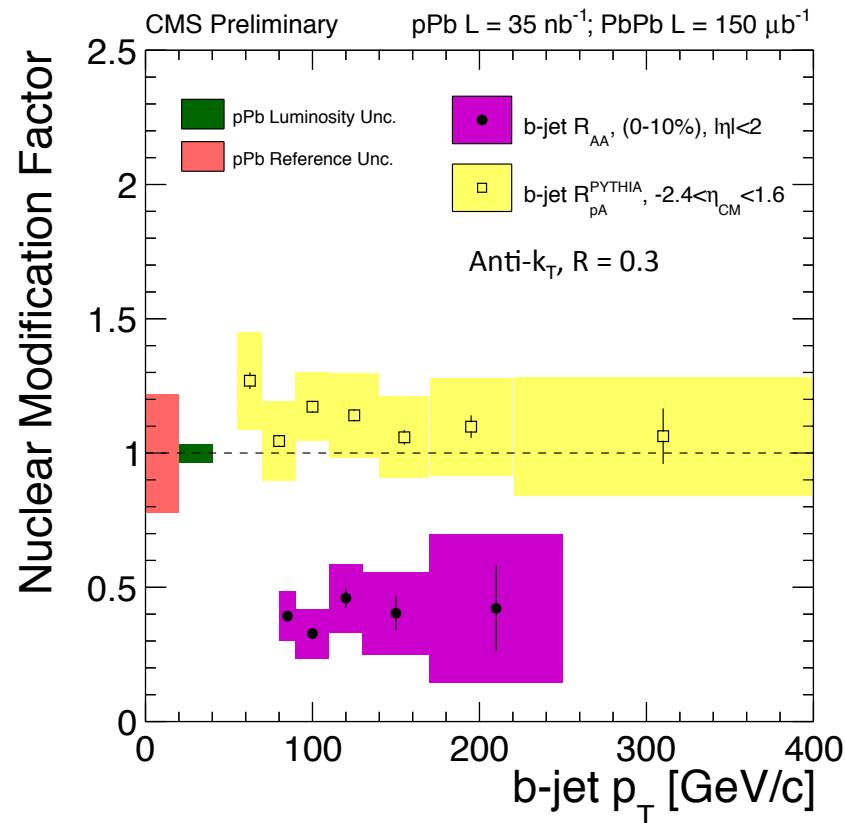
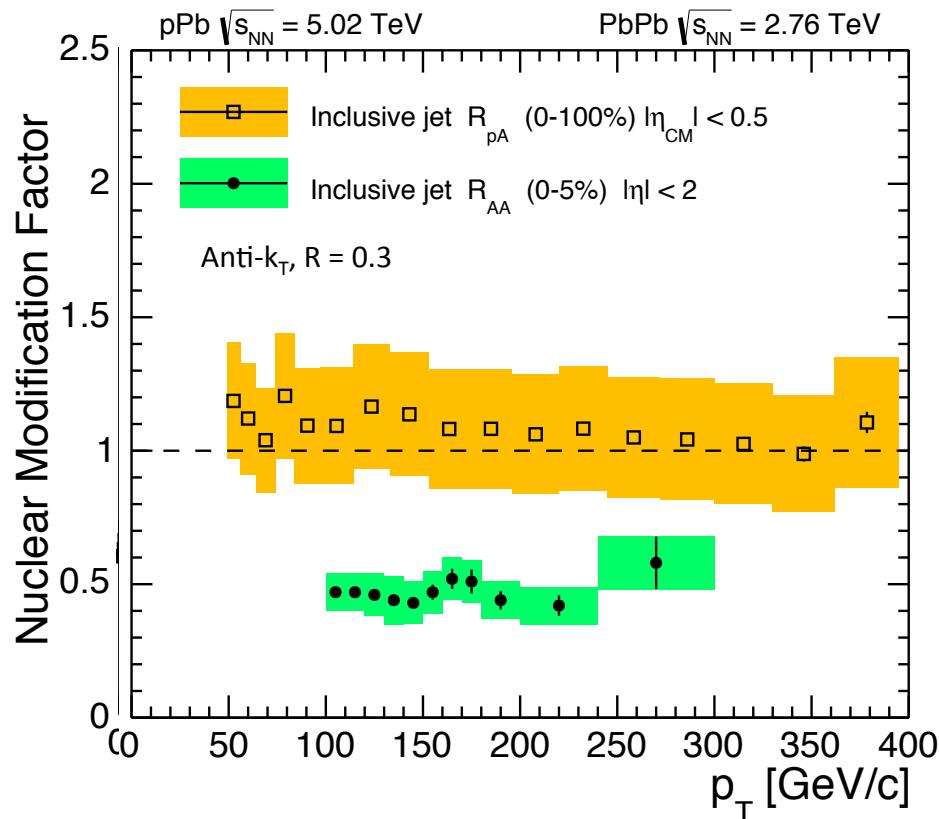
- Reduced efficiency in PbPb due to tighter track selections
- Larger light jet mis-ID in PbPb from combinatorics / UE
- Similar c-jet rejection

# Inclusive b jets in PbPb



- Unfolded jet spectra for several centrality selections and pp
- Suppression of  $\sim 2x$ , compatible w/ pQCD model expectations

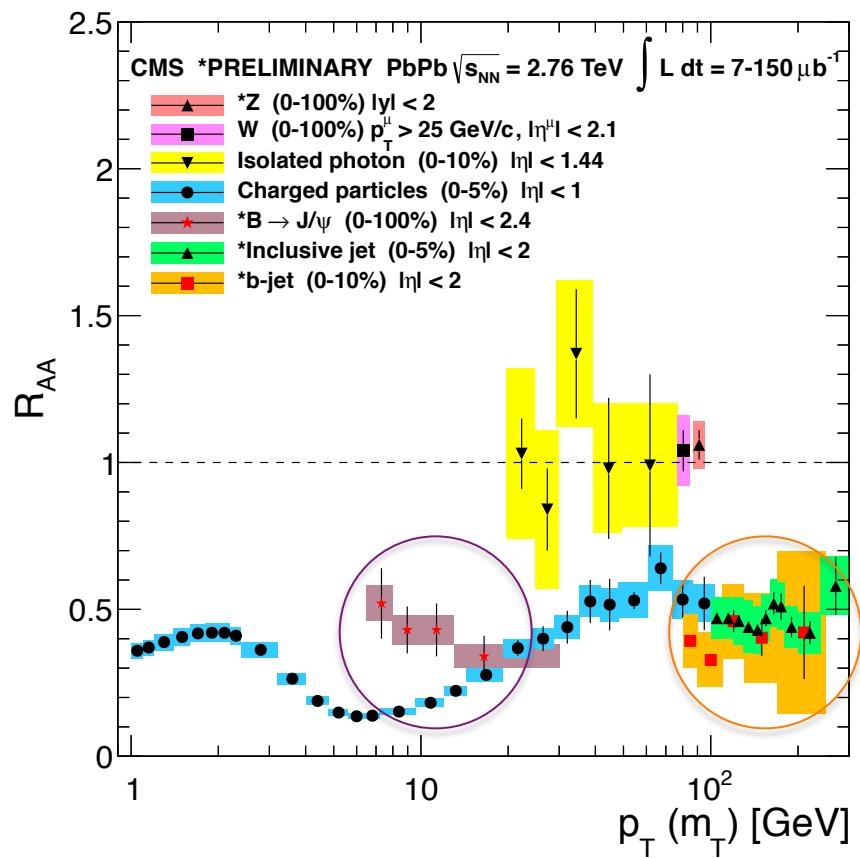
# b-jet vs. inclusive jet quenching



- Similar b-jet and inclusive modification in  $\text{PbPb}$ , within still large errors
  - Inclusive jets dominated by gluons
  - b jets should tag quarks, but sizable contribution from gluon splitting
- $\text{pPb}$  measurements consistent w/ no nuclear effect (w/ large errors)

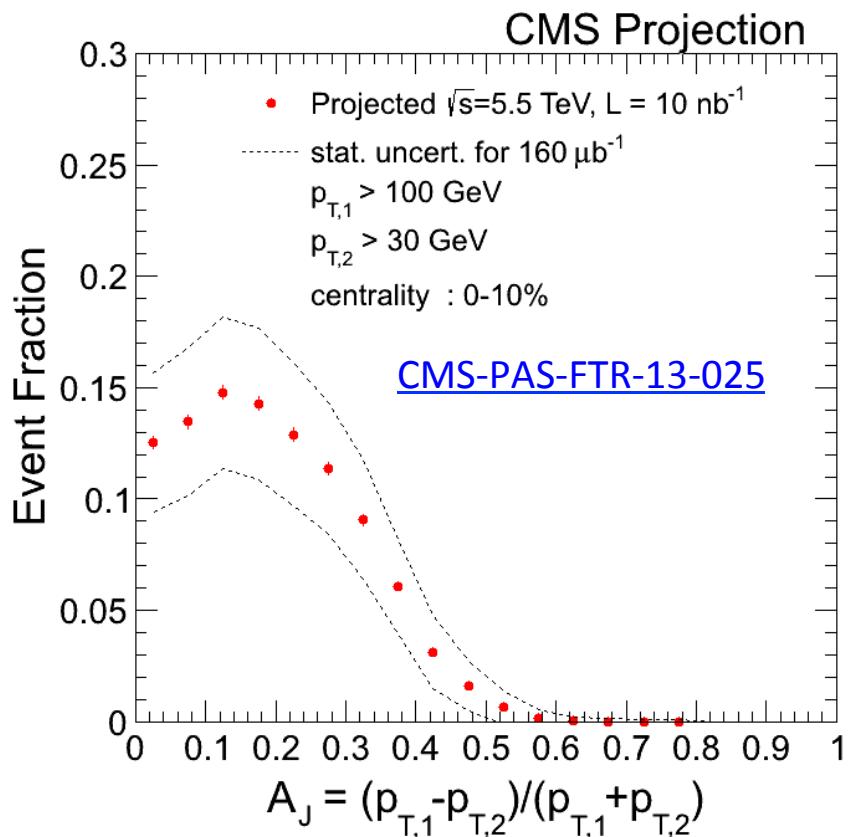
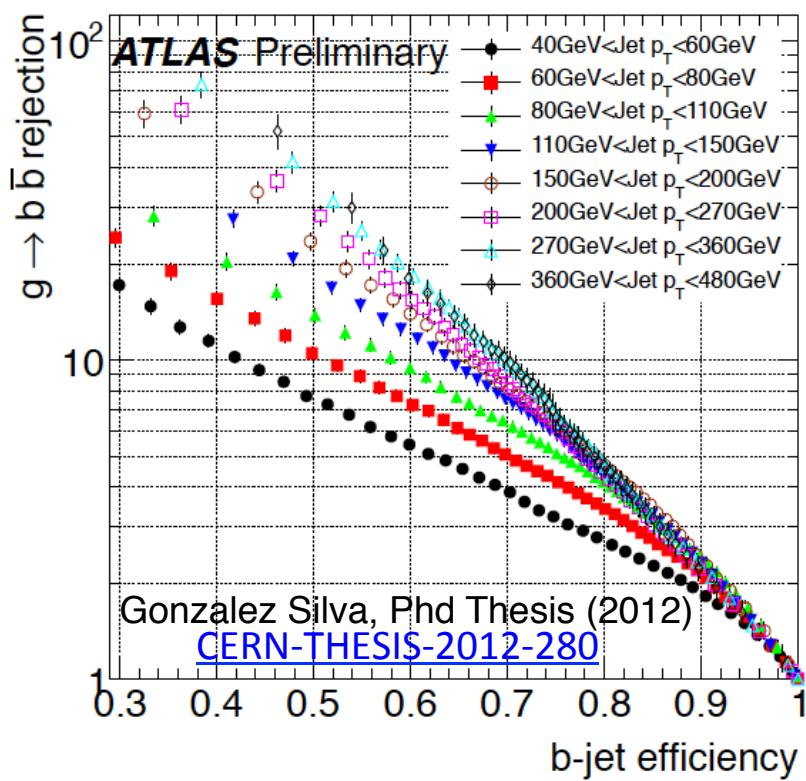
# Species dependence vs $p_T$

- Indication that species dependence dies out ~ where mass stops distorting the spectrum
- Could be that mass effects on e-loss die out
- Are we probing flavor dependence of e-loss, i.e., quark vs gluon?



# Beyond inclusive b-jet spectra

- Merged jet ID
- Double b-tagged dijets



- Identifiable w/ jet substructure methods
- Also useful for q/g separation
- Never been tried in heavy ions

- LO-like production, i.e., reduced gluon splitting
- Small systematics, can be compared to inclusive jets w/ high precision
- High purity, but low efficiency and x-section

# Conclusions

- Bottomonia
  - PbPb: preferential dissociation of excited states
  - pPb/pp: important variation w/ event activity, important to evaluate effects not coming from hot QCD medium
- Open beauty
  - Hadrons (low  $p_T$ )
    - PbPb: Reduced suppression of  $B \rightarrow J/\psi$  wrt lighter hadrons
    - pPb: No strong effect on B mesons
  - Jets (high  $p_T$ )
    - Same jet quenching as for light jets within errors
    - Important contribution from gluon splitting
- Run 2 will address open questions in heavy flavor in HI