

Quarkonium production in p-A and A-A collisions

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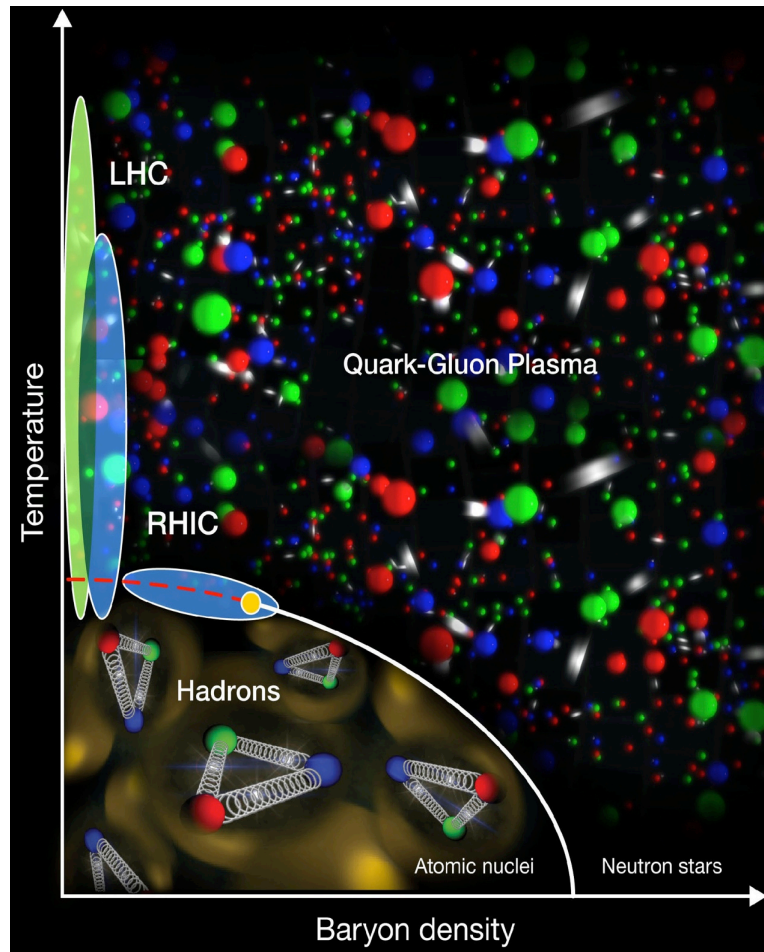


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- ✧ Pb-Pb results
- ✧ p-Pb results
- ✧ From p-Pb to Pb-Pb
- ✧ Summary and outlook

Quark-Gluon Plasma



- QCD: strong force describes the interactions between quarks and gluons forming hadrons.
- Lattice QCD predicts a deconfined state of matter (QGP) at high temperature.
- QGP can be recreated in Heavy-Ion Collisions (HIC) at hadron colliders.
- QGP lifetime is small ($\sim 2-4$ fm/c at RHIC, $\sim 15-20$ fm/c at the LHC)*, a direct observation of the QGP is not possible.
- Experimental probes of QGP: jet quenching, strangeness enhancement, quarkonia, etc.

* $1 \text{ fm/c} \sim 10^{-24} \text{ sec}$

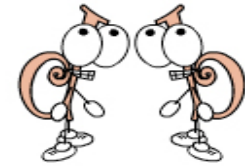
Quarkonia, a key tool for the QGP

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✧ Heavy and tightly bound



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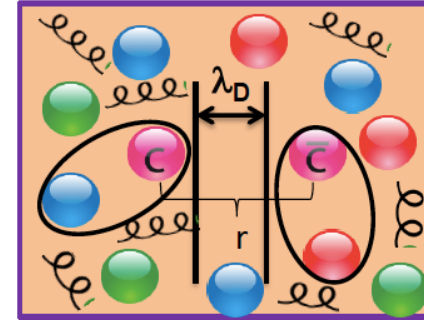


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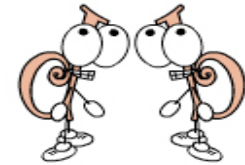
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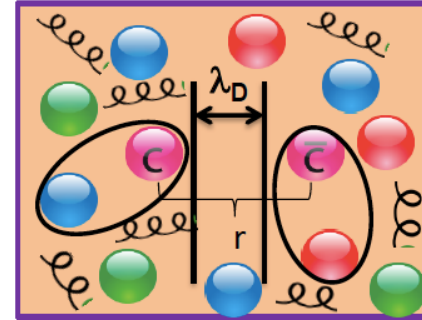


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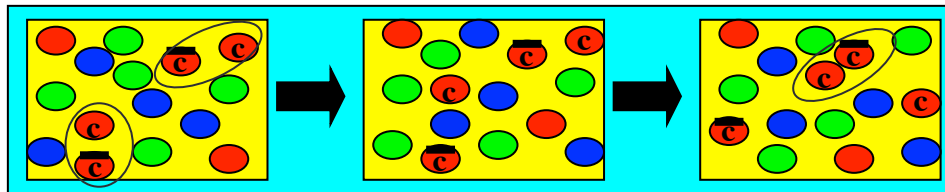
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✧ **Recombination**

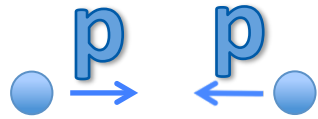
- ✓ In central HIC, $N_{cc} > 1$. (RHIC: ~ 10 ; LHC: ~ 100).
- ✓ Regeneration of J/ψ pairs possible from independently produced c & \bar{c}



➤ Leads to an enhancement of J/ψ (or less dramatic suppression if 2 effects compete).

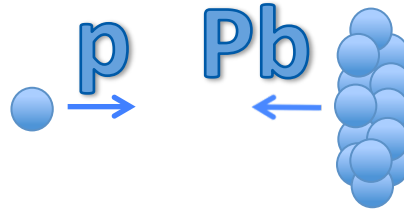
☐ No/small regeneration is expected for bottomonia.

Nuclear matter effects

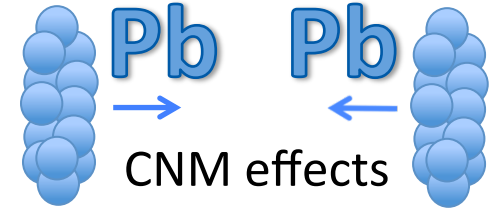


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Cold nuclear matter (CNM)
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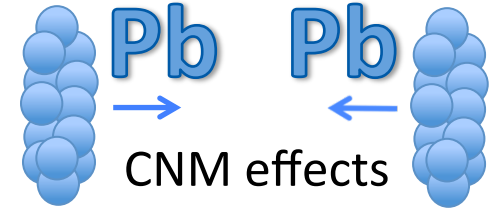


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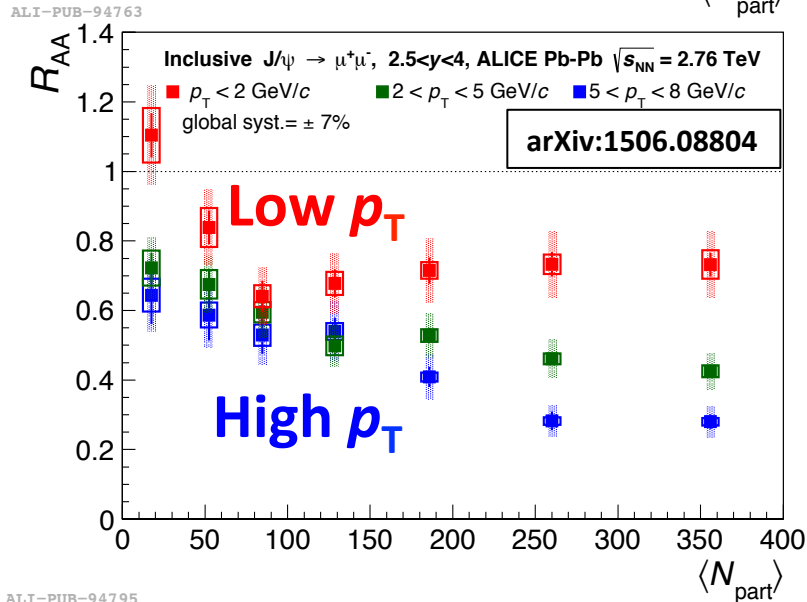
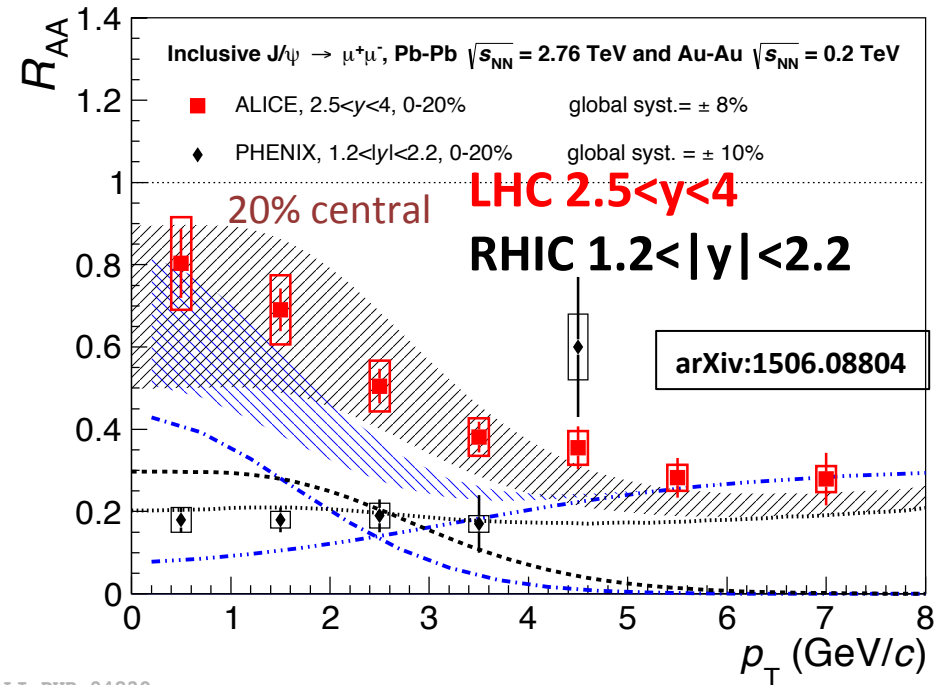
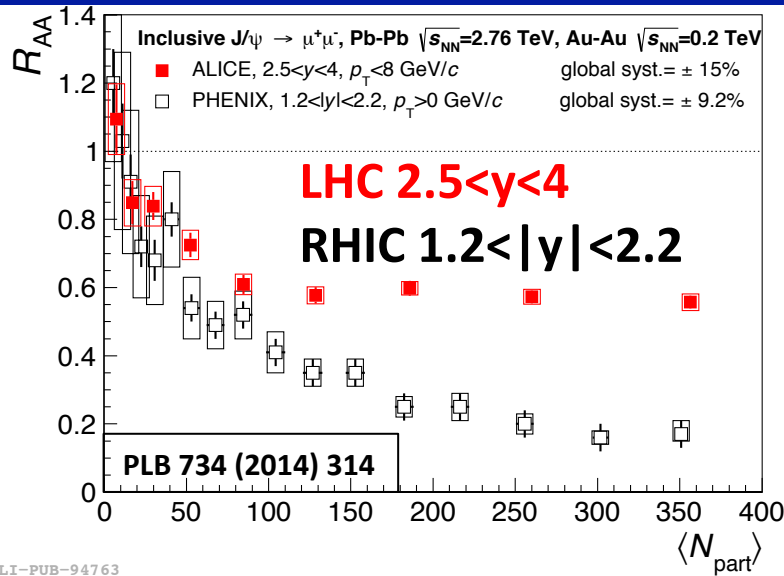
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Main observable:

$R_{AA} = \frac{Y_{AA}}{N_{coll} Y_{pp}}$ ratio of the production yield in AA to that in pp, scaled by the number of binary nucleon-nucleon collisions.

❖ If $R_{AA} \neq 1 \Rightarrow$ there are some nuclear matter effects.

J/ψ suppression in Pb-Pb

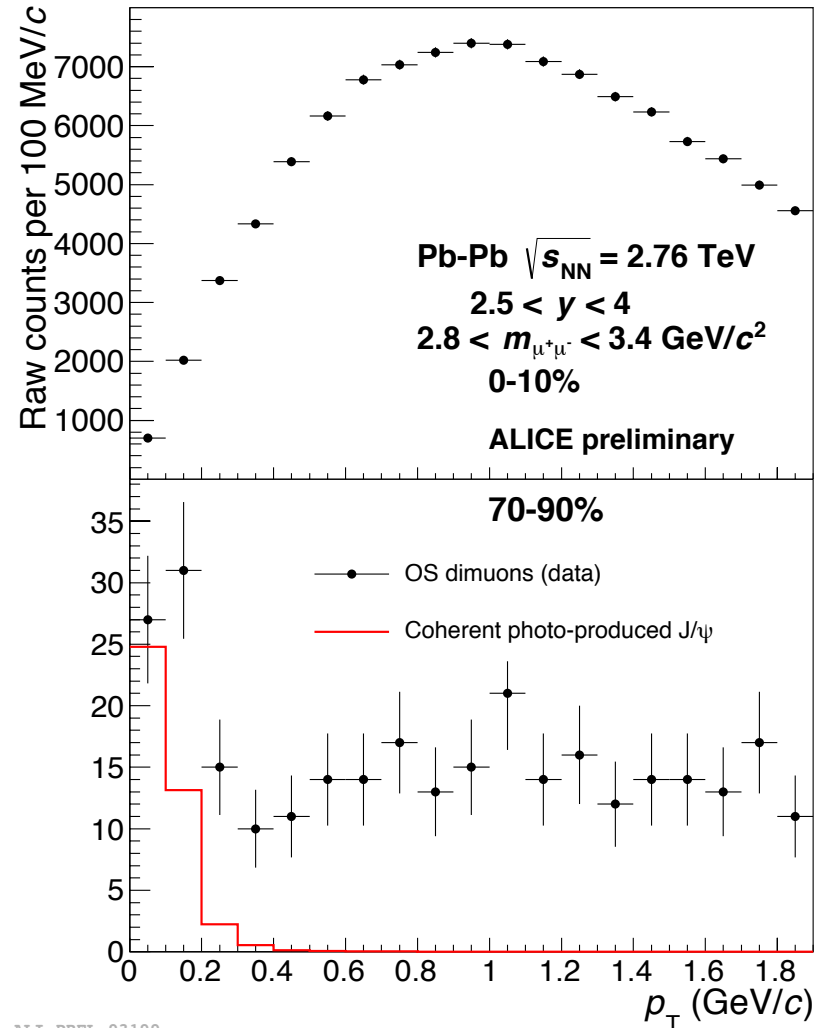
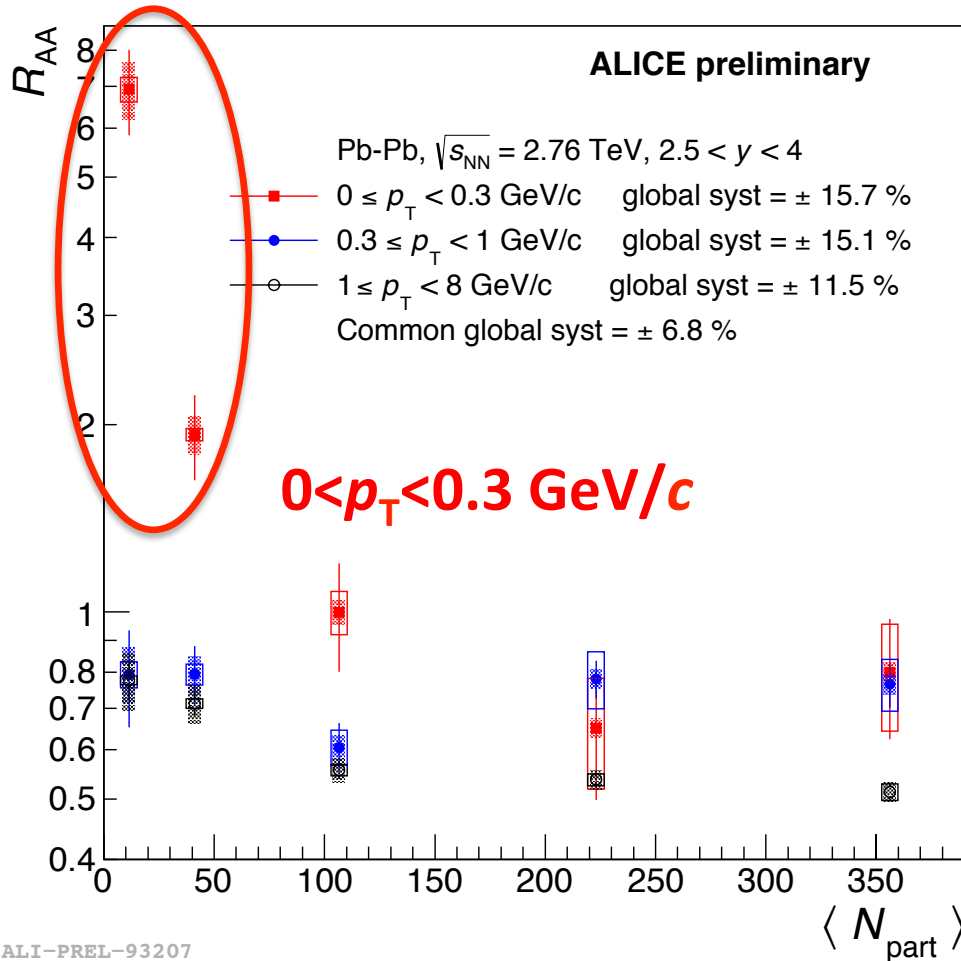


- Different R_{AA} at LHC vs RHIC: recombination.
- Regeneration is larger at low p_T .
- High- p_T J/ψ are suppressed.
- J/ψ suppression is less pronounced in central compared to peripheral collisions.

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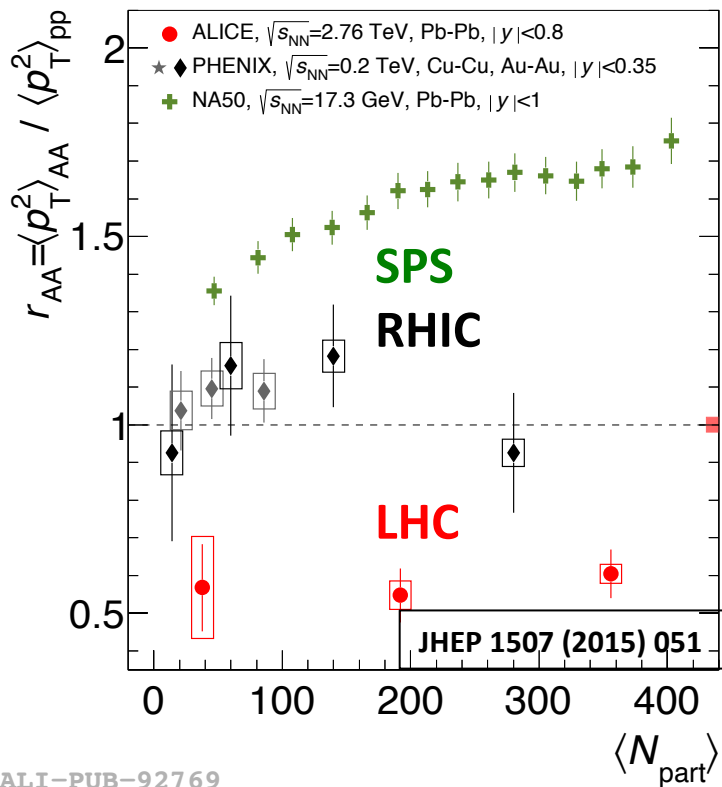
Low- p_T J/ ψ in Pb-Pb



➤ Huge R_{AA} increase at low N_{part} .

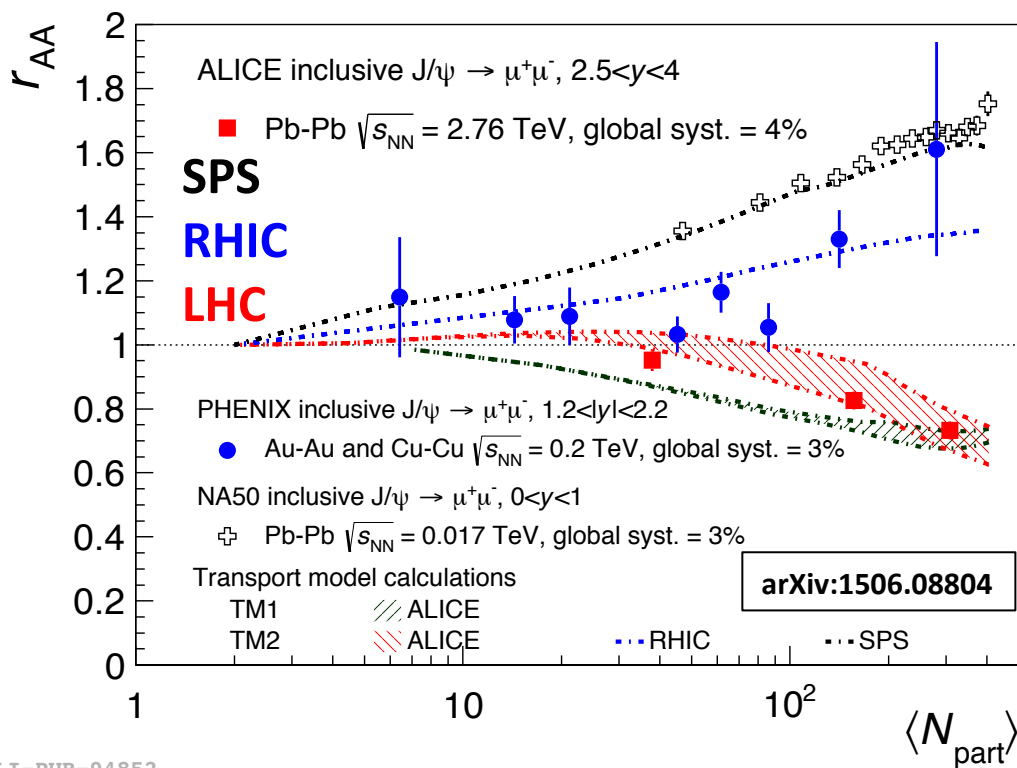
➤ p_T spectrum is similar to the photo-production seen in UPC ($b > 2R$).

$\langle p_T \rangle$ of J/ψ in Pb-Pb



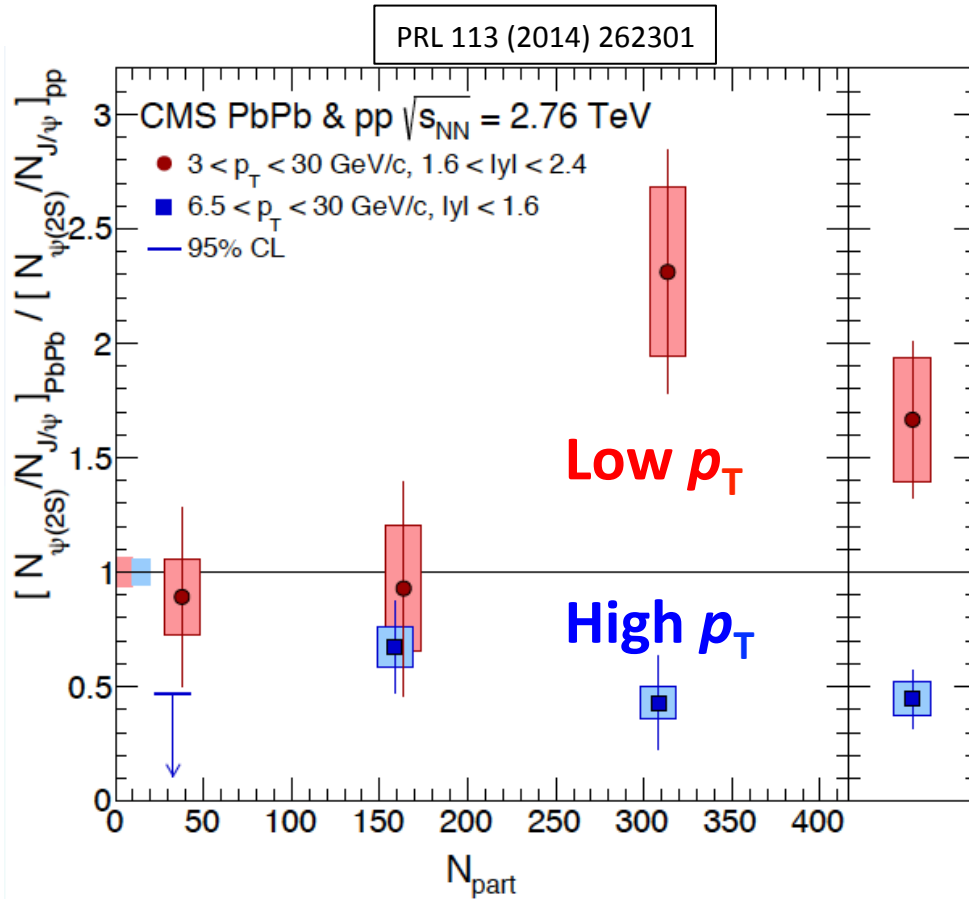
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- Significant reduction of J/ψ $\langle p_T \rangle$ in Pb-Pb as compared to pp collisions.
- Opposite trend at RHIC and SPS energies.
- Transport model with regeneration component reproduces data at different energies.

$\psi(2S)$ vs J/ψ in Pb-Pb

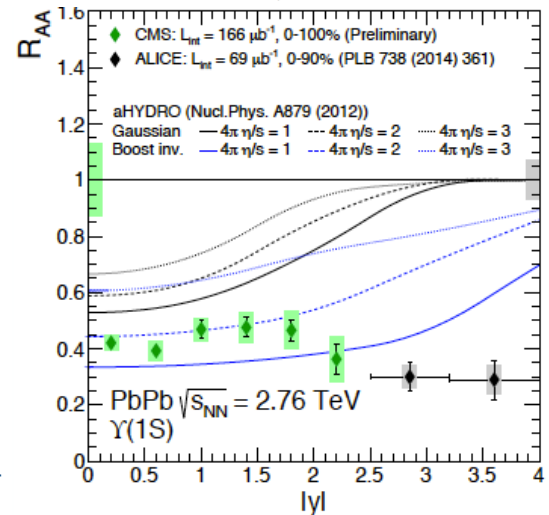
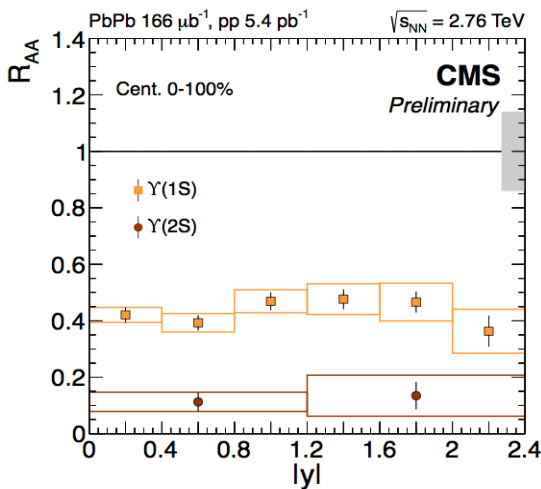
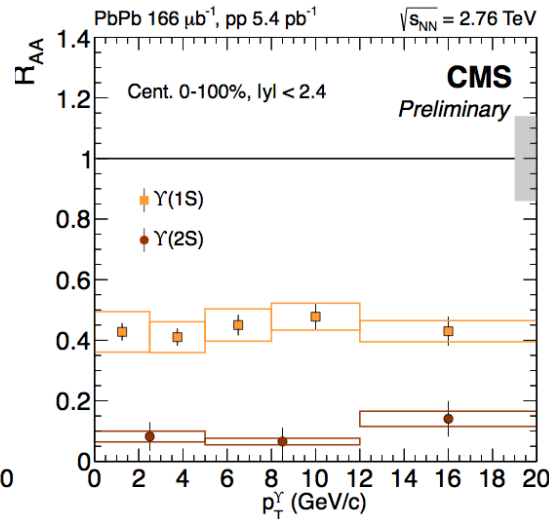
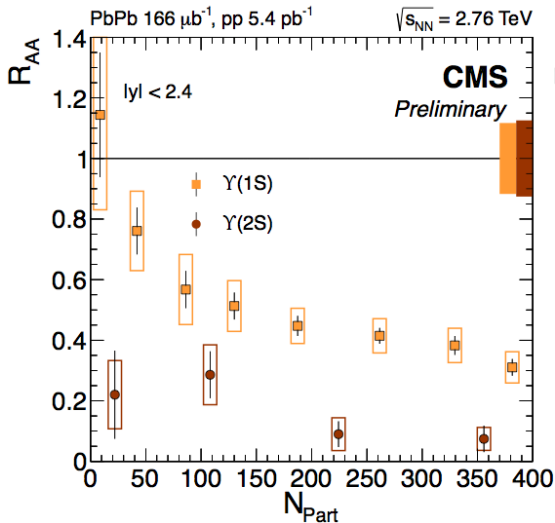


- High- p_T J/ψ and $\psi(2S)$ are suppressed, consistent with the sequential melting.
- At lower p_T , and forward y , less $\psi(2S)$ suppression.
- At high p_T , enhanced suppression in central events.

Bottomonia in Pb-Pb

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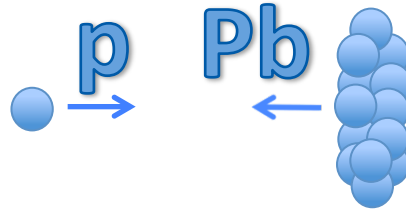


- Update of CMS results.
 - New reference at same energy.
 - Larger statistics.
- R_{AA} decreases with centrality down to 0.3.
- $R_{AA}(p_T) \approx$ constant in 0-100%.
- Flat $R_{AA}(y)$, closer to ALICE now.
- Zero or negligible statistical regeneration for $\Upsilon(1S)$.

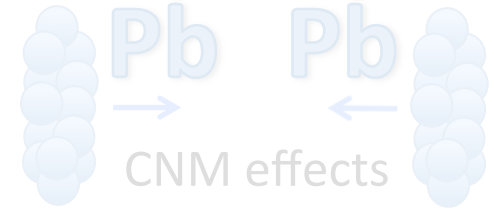
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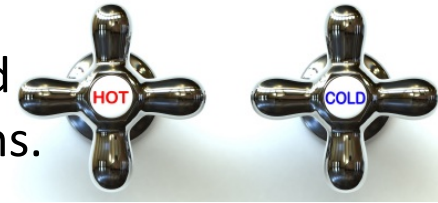
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➤ To disentangle hot and CNM effects, p-Pb collisions are needed as an intermediate step between Pb-Pb and benchmark pp collisions.

❖ In p-Pb collisions different kinds of CNM effects can be considered:

① Initial-state:

- ✓ gluon shadowing
- ✓ gluon saturation

② Final-state:

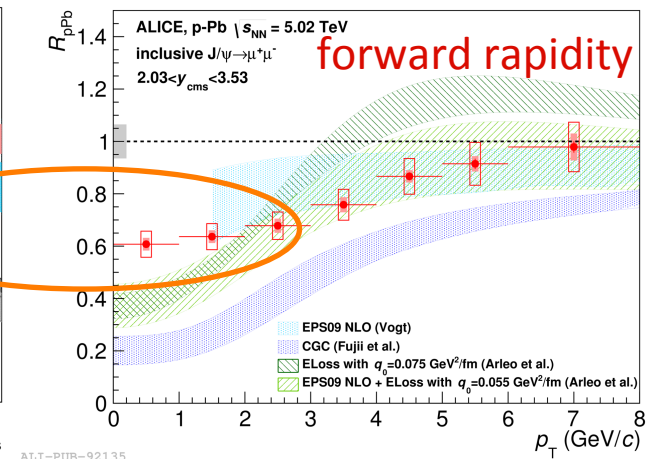
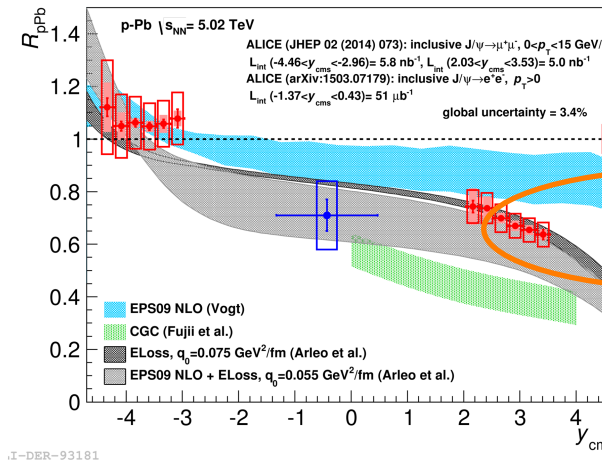
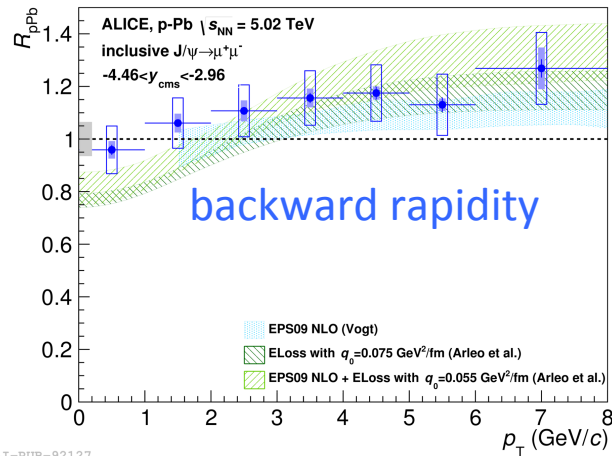
- ✓ nuclear absorption

③ Coherent parton energy loss

J/ψ vs p_T and y in p-Pb

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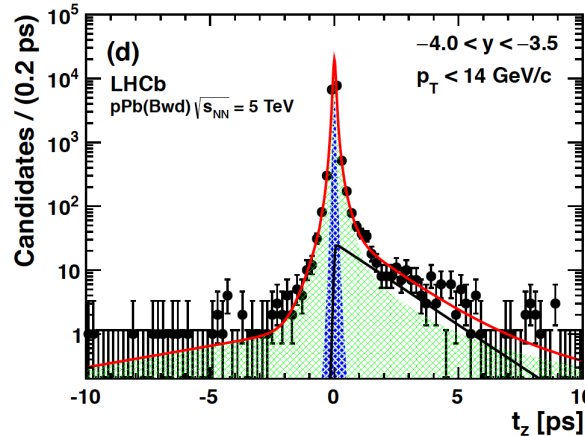
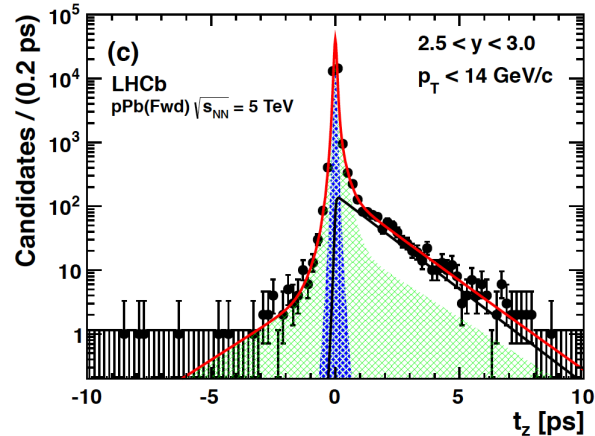
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- $R_{pPb} \approx 1$ for all p_T at backward y , and for high p_T at forward y .
- At forward y , R_{pPb} increases with p_T .
- As a function of rapidity, R_{pPb} decreases from backward to forward y .
- **Shadowing and coherent ELOSS**: fairly reproduce p_T and y dependence, except low p_T at forward y , where **coherent ELOSS** underestimates the data.
- **CGC**: overestimates the suppression at forward- y over the full p_T range.

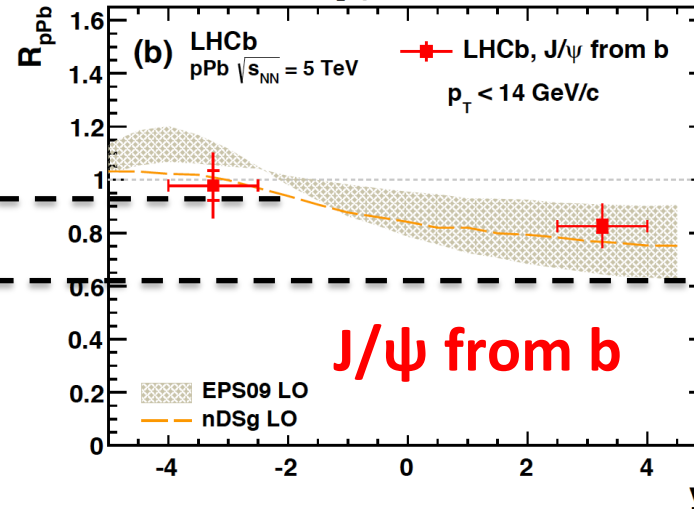
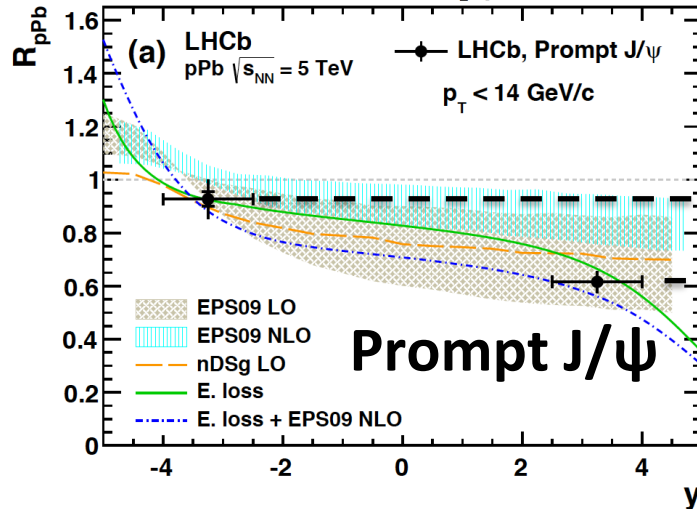
Prompt J/ψ in p-Pb

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$1.5 < y < 4$:
 $\sigma_{\text{prompt J}/\psi} = 1168 \pm 15 \pm 54 \mu\text{b}$ (88% inclusive)
 $\sigma_{\text{J}/\psi \text{ from b}} = 166.0 \pm 4.1 \pm 8.2 \mu\text{b}$ (12% incl.)

$-2.5 < y < -5$:
 $\sigma_{\text{prompt J}/\psi} = 1293 \pm 42 \pm 75 \mu\text{b}$ (92% incl.)
 $\sigma_{\text{J}/\psi \text{ from b}} = 118.2 \pm 6.8 \pm 11.7 \mu\text{b}$ (8% incl.)



- No difference between prompt and non-prompt J/ψ R_{pPb} at backward y .
- At forward y , the difference $< 25\%$.
- Small non-prompt fraction + large uncertainties \Rightarrow safe to compare to inclusive.

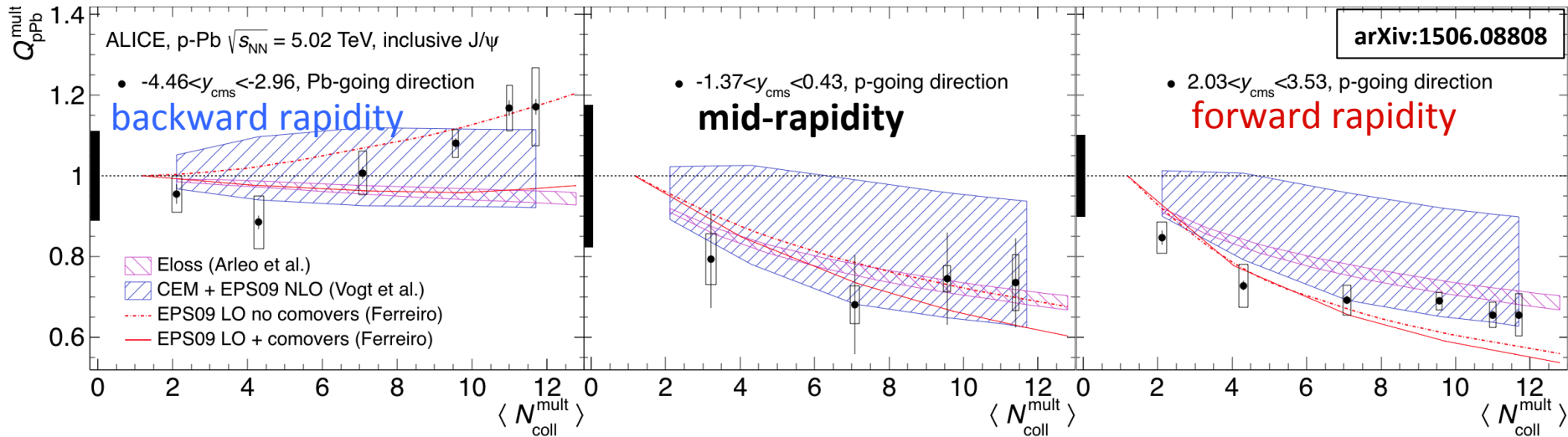
J/ψ Q_{pPb} vs centrality

$$Q_{pPb}^{J/\psi, i} = \frac{Y_{pPb}^i}{\langle T_{pPb}^i \rangle \sigma_{pp}^{J/\psi \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-}}$$

T_{pPb}^i - nuclear thickness function in a given ZN energy event class* i.

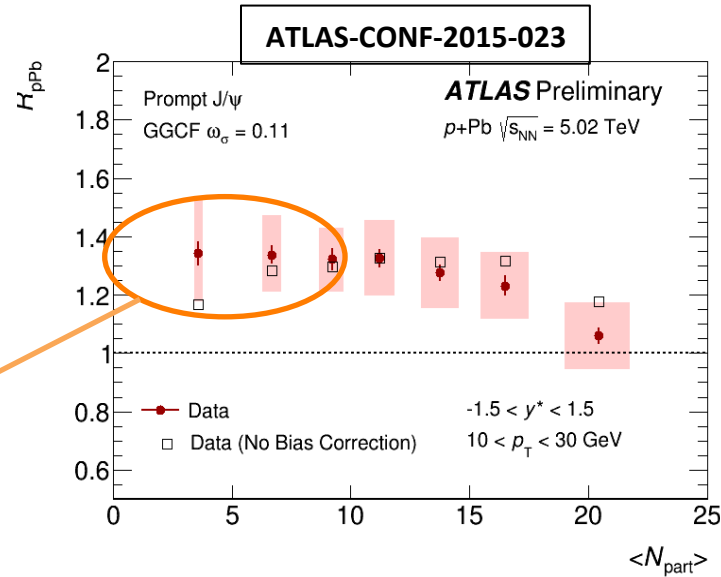
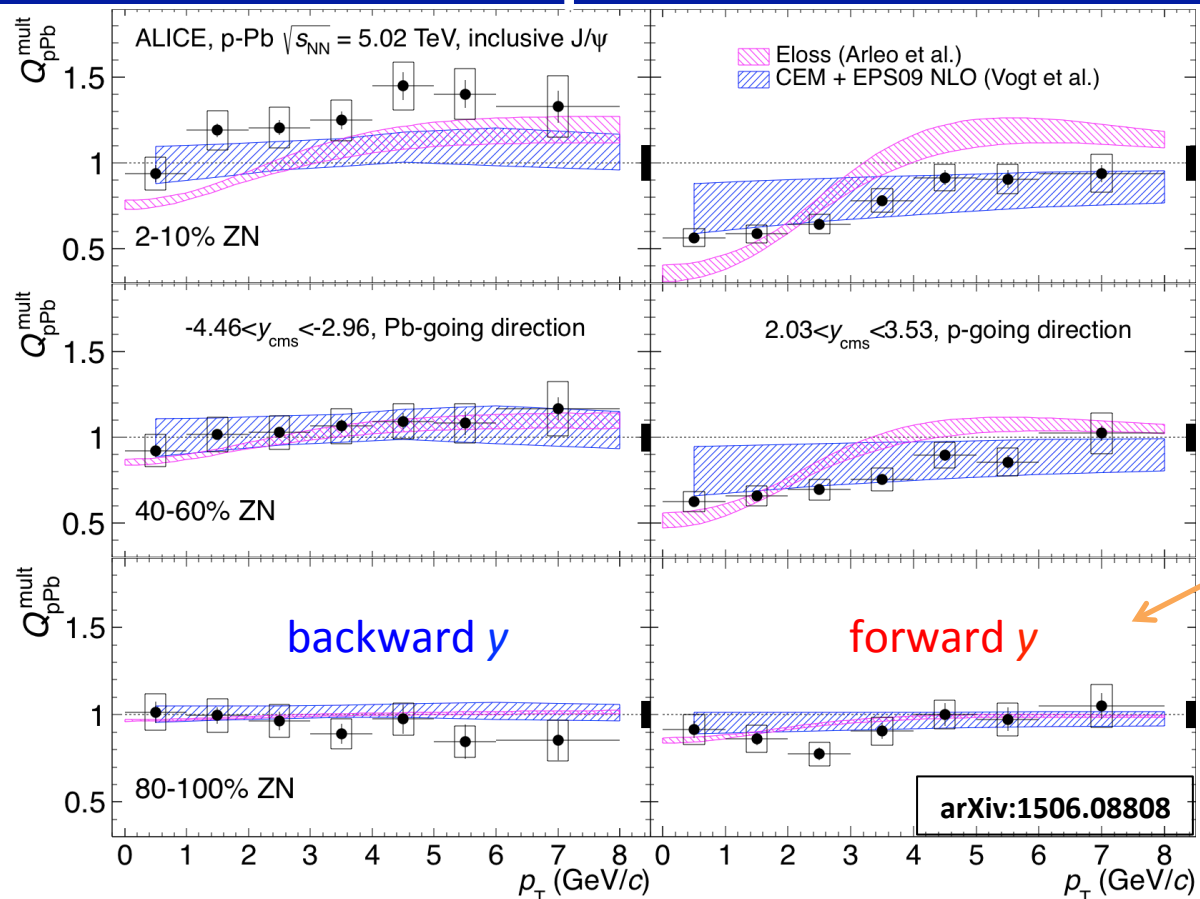
$\sigma_{pp}^{J/\psi \rightarrow \mu\mu}$ – interpolated pp cross-section at $\sqrt{s} = 5.02$ TeV.

*ZN is the neutron part of the ZDC



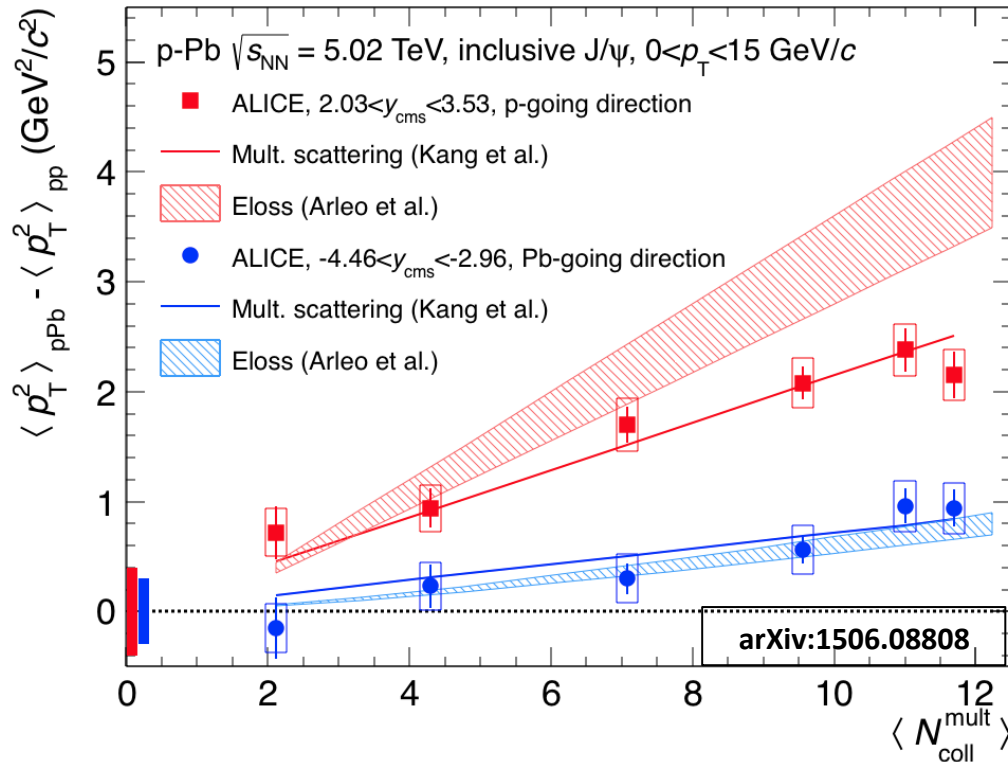
- Large J/ψ suppression at **forward y**, increasing with N_{coll} .
- Consistent with no CNM effects at **backward y**.
- Large uncertainties at **mid-y**.

J/ψ Q_{pPb} vs p_T and centrality



- Large CNM effects in most central events: Q_{pPb} increases with p_T at both **backward** and **forward** y .
- At small centrality Q_{pPb} is consistent with unity for **backward** and **forward** y .
- Surprising trend in ATLAS at high p_T for the most peripheral collisions.

J/ψ p_T broadening



$$\Delta \langle p_T^2 \rangle = \langle p_T^2 \rangle_{pPb} - \langle p_T^2 \rangle_{pp},$$

$\langle p_T^2 \rangle_{pp}$ is from interpolated pp distributions at $\sqrt{s} = 5.02$ TeV

*Boxes at $\Delta \langle p_T^2 \rangle = 0$: uncertainty from $\langle p_T^2 \rangle_{pp}$ at $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 5.02$ TeV

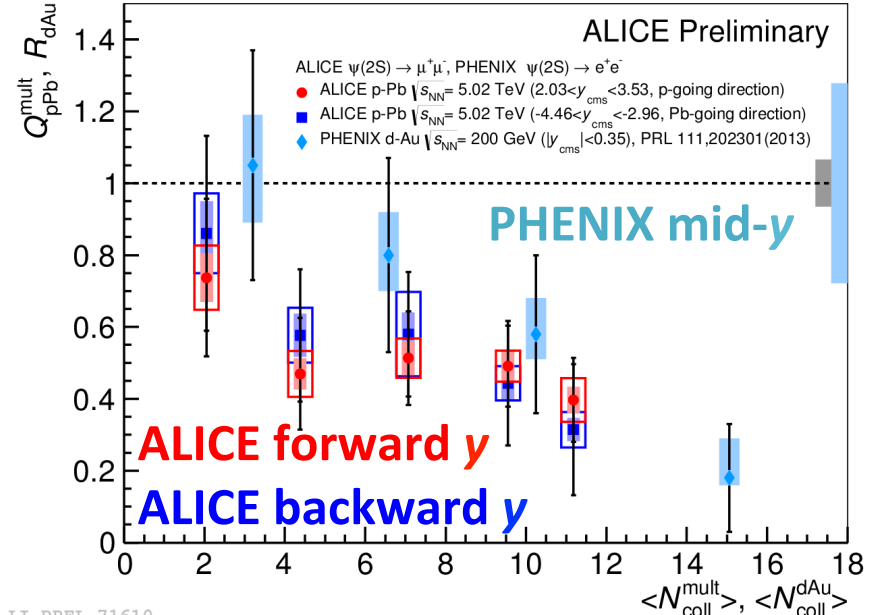
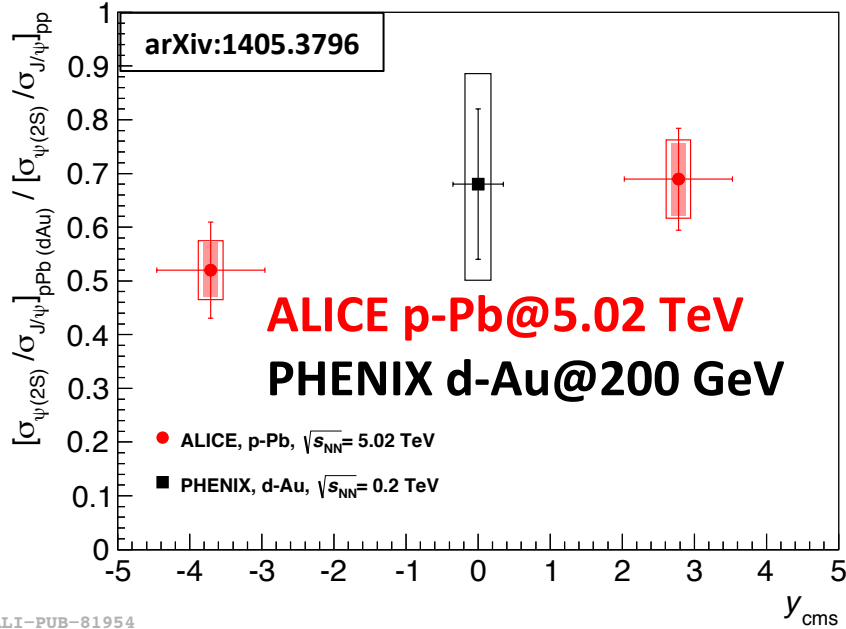
Models

- **Multiple scattering** model (Kang et al. Phys.Rev. D77 (2008) 114027, Phys.Lett. B721 (2013) 277).
- **Coherent energy loss** (Arleo et al., JHEP1305(2013)155).

- Harder p_T distribution at **forward** y than at **backward** y .
- At **backward** y , the $\langle p_T^2 \rangle_{pPb} \approx \langle p_T^2 \rangle_{pp}$ in peripheral collisions.
- Such a strong p_T broadening indicates a presence of Multi-Parton Interactions in p-Pb collisions.

$\psi(2S)$ vs J/ψ in p-Pb

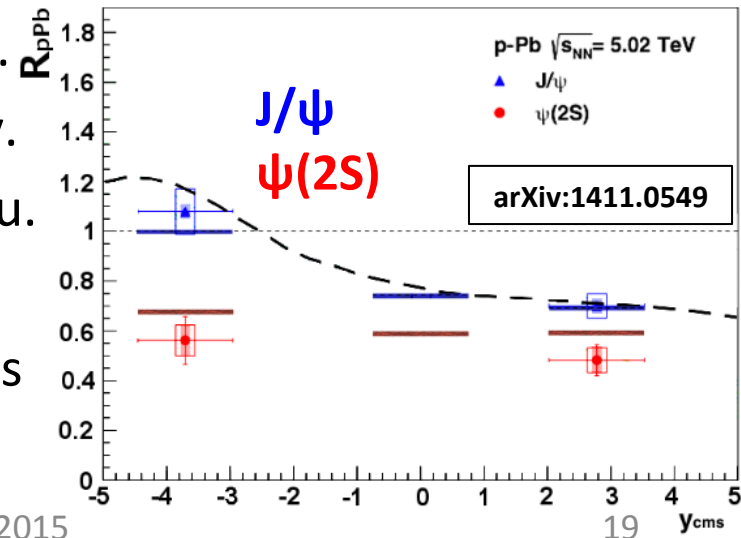
✧ $\psi(2S)$ is more weakly bound state with respect to J/ψ .



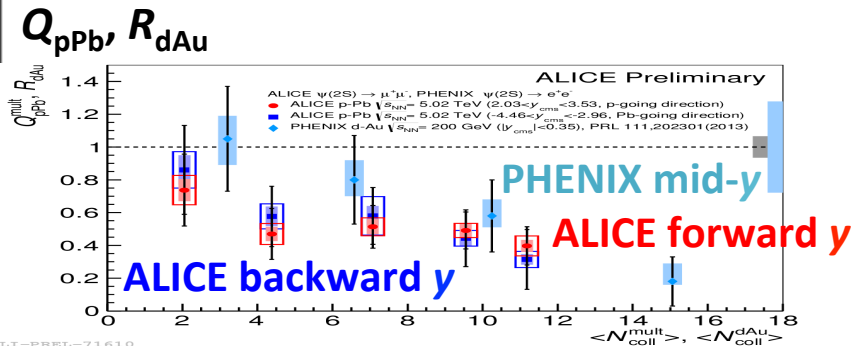
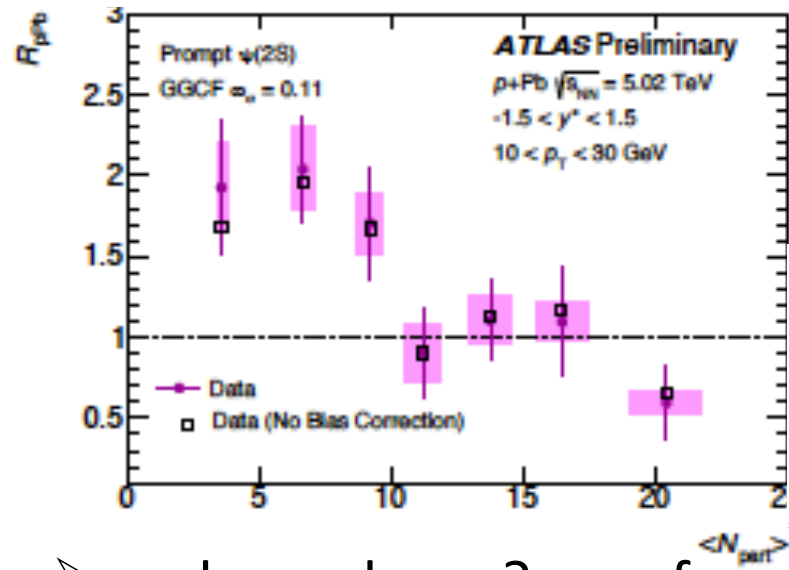
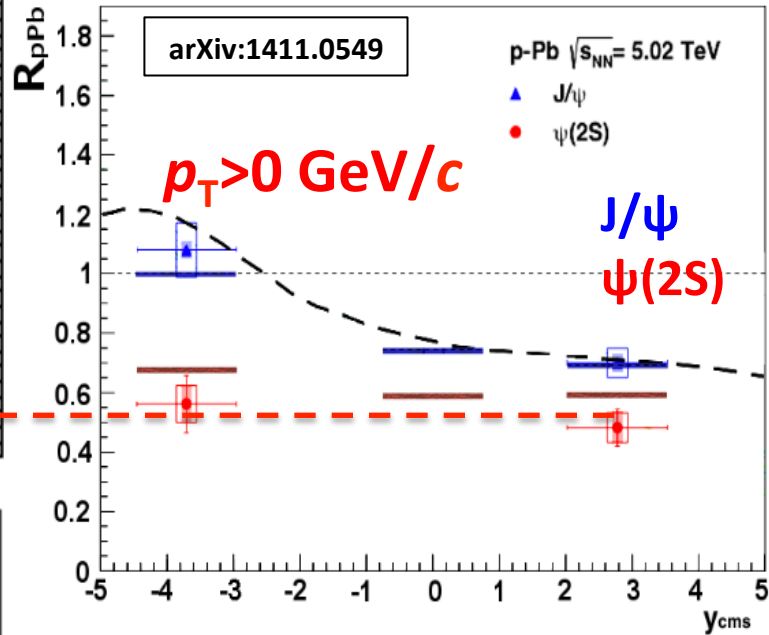
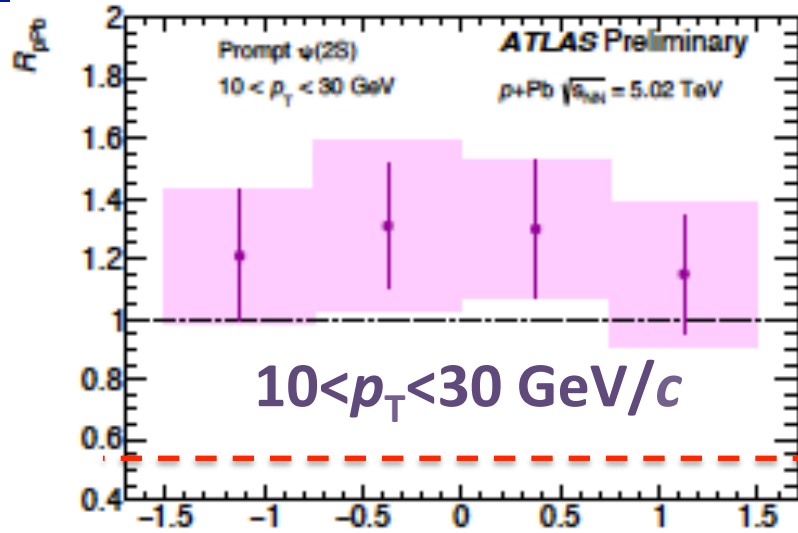
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- $[\psi(2S)/J/\psi]_{\text{pPb,dAu}}$ is suppressed compared to pp.
- $\psi(2S)$ suppression in p-Pb depends on centrality.
- Similar behaviour in ALICE p-Pb and PHENIX d-Au.
- ☐ Dependence on y ? on energy?
- ☐ Model with comover interactions + EPS09 agrees with ALICE and PHENIX. **Final state effect?**

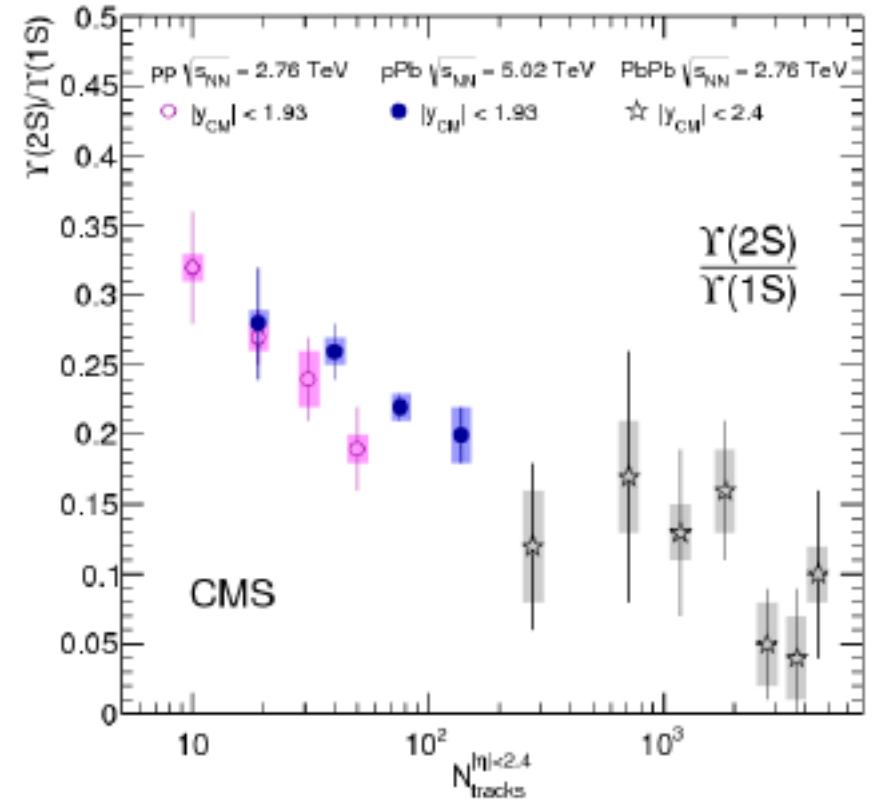
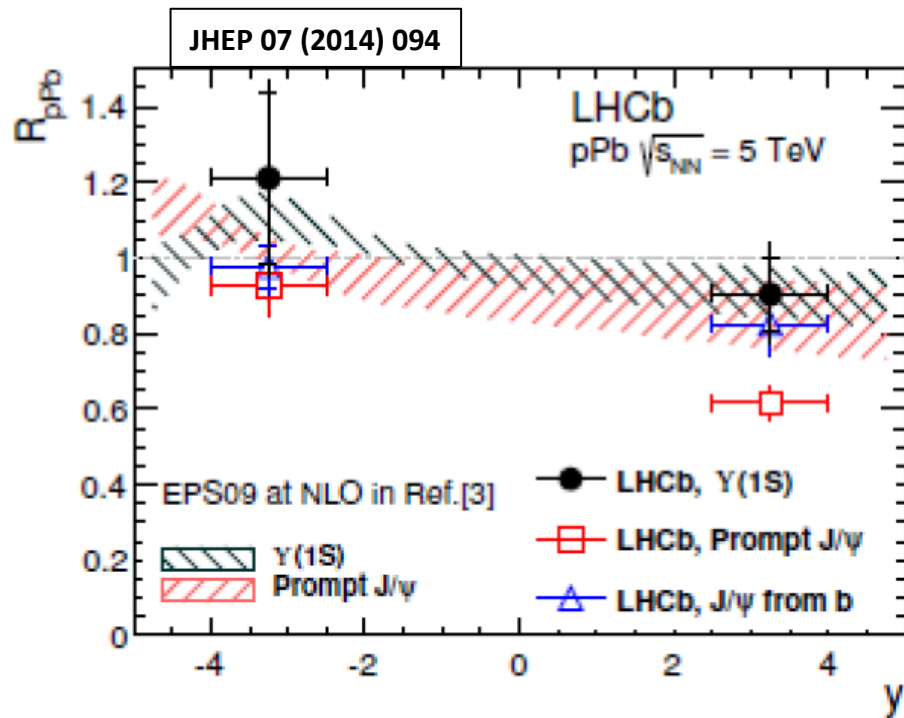


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➤ p_T dependence? or reference issue?

Y(nS) in p-Pb



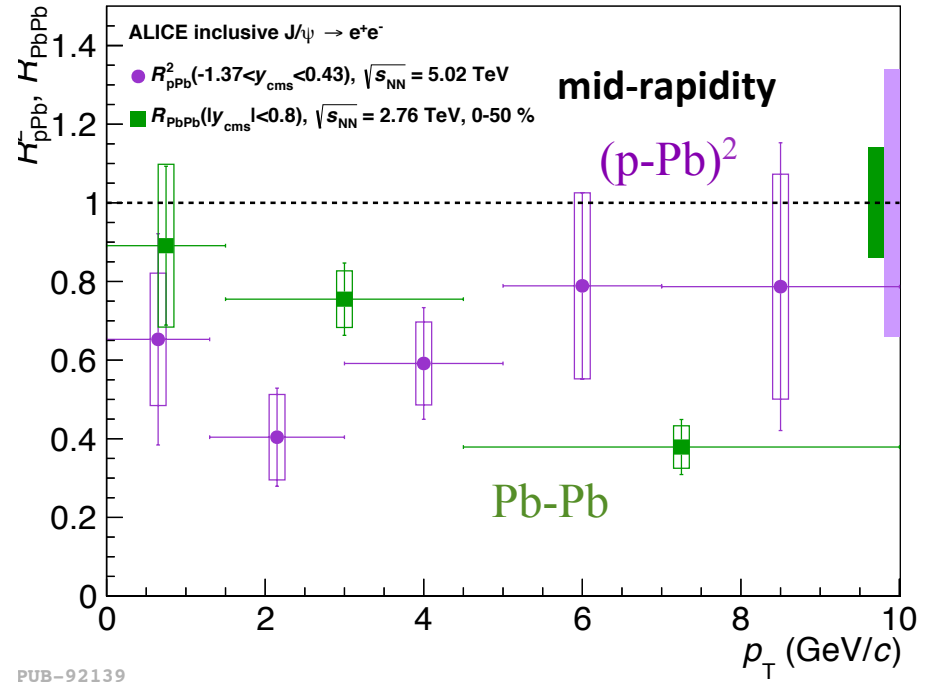
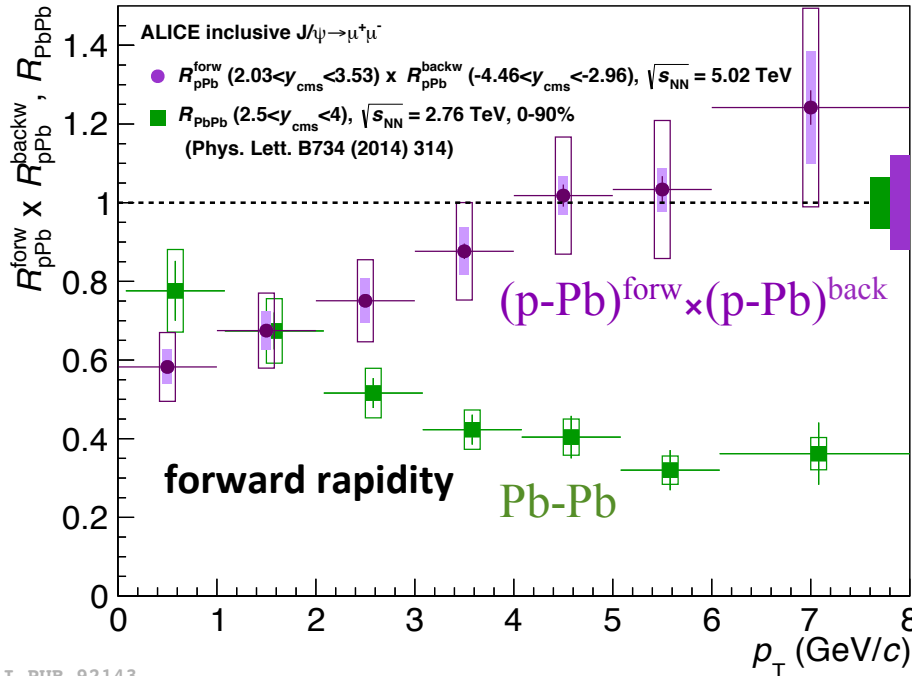
- Similar suppression of Y(1S) and (prompt) J/ψ.
- $Y(2S)/Y(1S)$ decreases with increasing multiplicity.

J/ψ: from p-Pb to Pb-Pb

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Hypothesis

- ✓ Assume similar x in Pb for Pb-Pb@ $\sqrt{s_{NN}}=2.76$ TeV and in p-Pb@ $\sqrt{s_{NN}}=5.02$ TeV.
- ✓ Factorization of shadowing effects in p-Pb and Pb-Pb $\Rightarrow R_{PbPb}^{Shad} = R_{pPb}(y \geq 0) \times R_{pPb}(y \leq 0)$.



- High p_T : suppression in Pb-Pb due to hot nuclear matter effects (QGP).
 - Low p_T : less or same suppression with R_{Pb-Pb} compared to R_{PbPb}^{Shad} .
- Hint for (re)combination in Pb-Pb?

Summary

- ❑ Quarkonium production in Pb-Pb is mainly dominated by the hot nuclear matter effects.
- ❑ In p-Pb: strong CNM effects in quarkonium production; depend on p_T , y and centrality.
- ❑ The CNM effects are higher in the most central collisions, decreasing towards peripheral.
- ❑ Strong p_T broadening is found at forward y .
- ❑ No model is able to reproduce precisely all observables, though shadowing and coherent energy loss work well.
- ❑ The $\psi(2S)$ is suppressed more than J/ψ in p-Pb compared to pp collisions.
- ❑ Comover model can describe different behaviour of the 2 charmonium states in p-Pb.
- ❑ Some inconsistencies between ALICE and ATLAS: p_T dependence or reference issue?
- ❑ Data taking of pp@5.02TeV are appreciated.

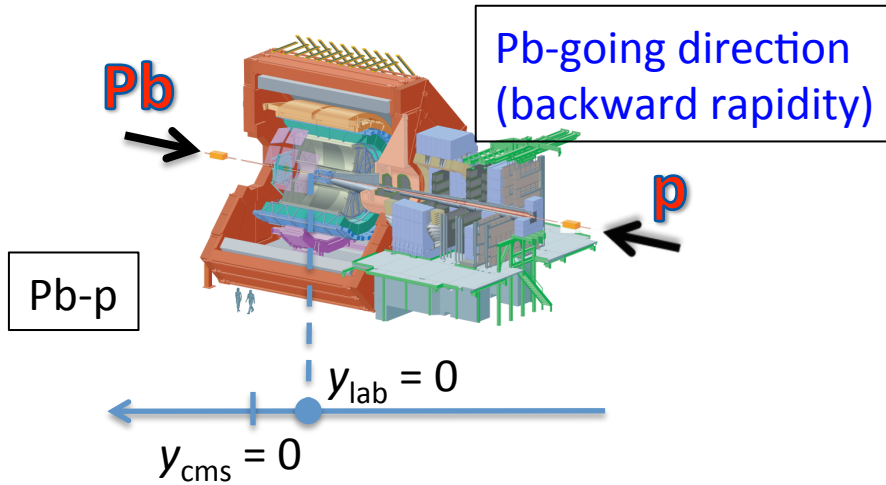
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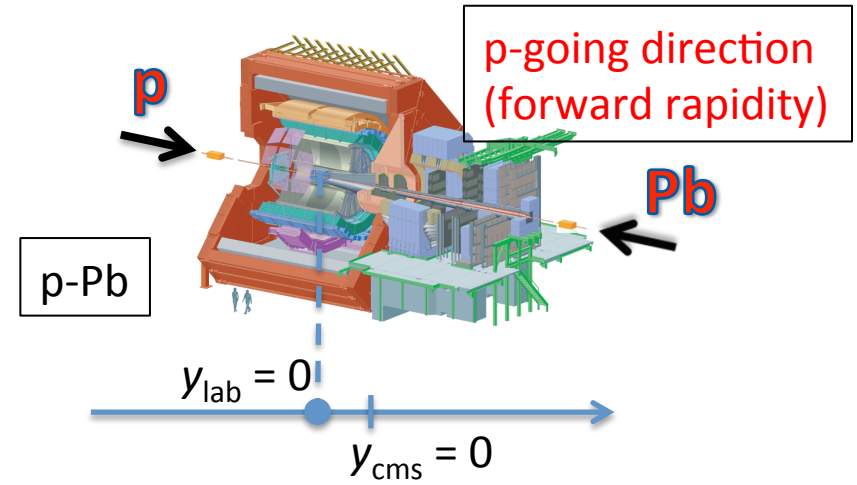
p-Pb detector setup

❖ Shift in y_{cms} in p-Pb collisions

LHC beam asymmetry ($E_{\text{Pb}}=1.58 \cdot A \text{ TeV}$, $E_{\text{p}}=4 \text{ TeV}$) $\Rightarrow |\Delta y|_{\text{cms}} = 0.5 \text{ Log}(Z_{\text{Pb}} A_{\text{p}} / Z_{\text{p}} A_{\text{Pb}}) = 0.465$



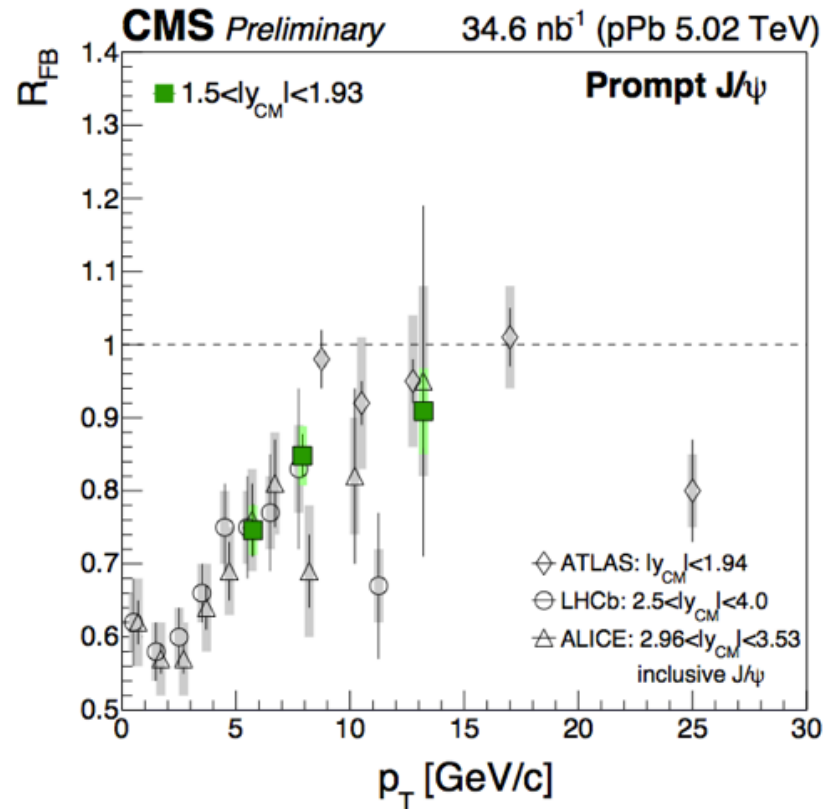
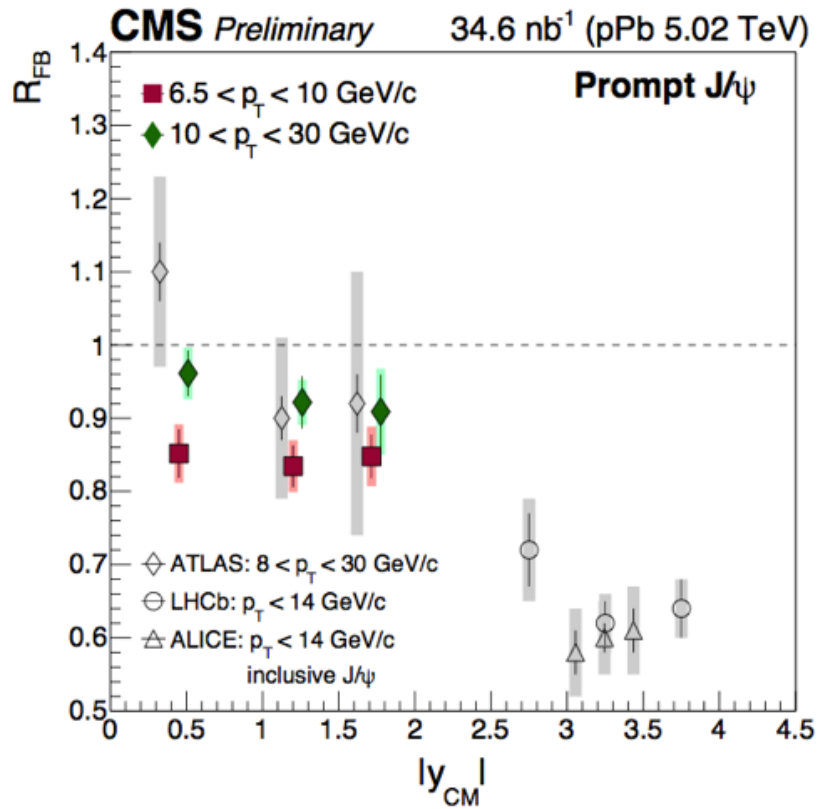
$J/\psi, \psi(2S), \Upsilon(nS) \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-: -4.46 < y_{\text{cms}} < -2.96$



$J/\psi \rightarrow e^+e^-: -1.37 < y_{\text{cms}} < 0.43$

$J/\psi, \psi(2S), \Upsilon(nS) \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-: 2.03 < y_{\text{cms}} < 3.53$

Prompt J/ψ in p-Pb



Y(1S) vs Y(2S) cross-sections

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- Y(1S) cross-sections in p-Pb@5.02 TeV (ALICE):

$$-4.46 < y_{\text{cms}} < -2.96: \quad 5.57 \pm 0.72^{\text{stat.}} \pm 0.60^{\text{syst.}} \mu\text{b}$$

$$2.03 < y_{\text{cms}} < 3.53: \quad 8.45 \pm 0.94^{\text{stat.}} \pm 0.77^{\text{syst.}} \mu\text{b}$$

- Y(2S) cross-sections in p-Pb@5.02 TeV (ALICE):

$$-4.46 < y_{\text{cms}} < -2.96: \quad 1.85 \pm 0.61^{\text{stat.}} \pm 0.32^{\text{syst.}} \mu\text{b}$$

$$2.03 < y_{\text{cms}} < 3.53: \quad 2.97 \pm 0.82^{\text{stat.}} \pm 0.50^{\text{syst.}} \mu\text{b}$$

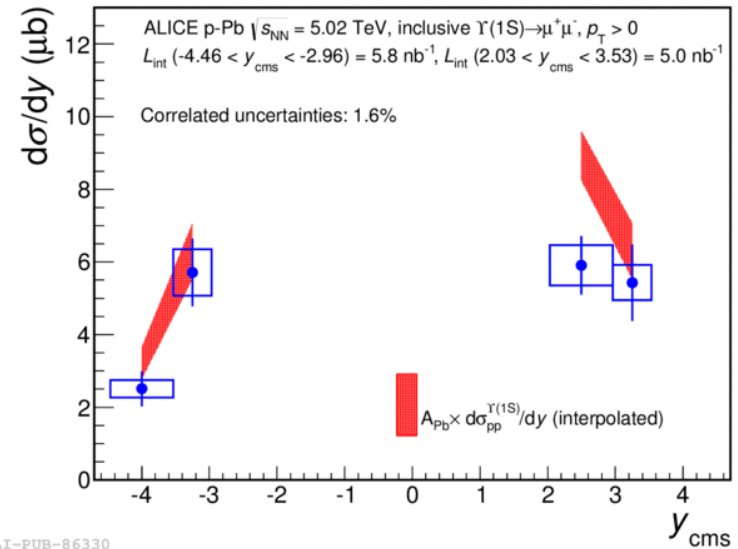
- ❖ [Y(2S)/Y(1S)] in p-Pb@5.02 TeV (ALICE):

$$-4.46 < y_{\text{cms}} < -2.96: \quad 0.26 \pm 0.09 \pm 0.04$$

$$2.03 < y_{\text{cms}} < 3.53: \quad 0.27 \pm 0.08 \pm 0.04$$

- ❖ [Y(2S)/Y(1S)] in pp@7 TeV (ALICE):

$$2.5 < y < 4.0: \quad 0.28 \pm 0.08$$



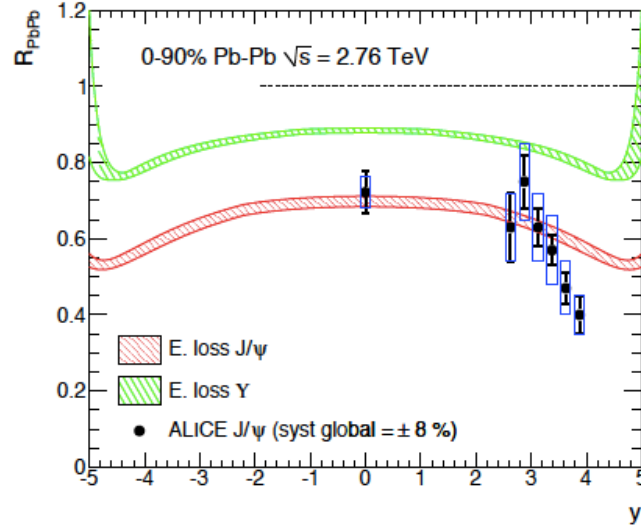
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- For ALICE no evidence of different CNM effects on Y(2S) compared to Y(1S).

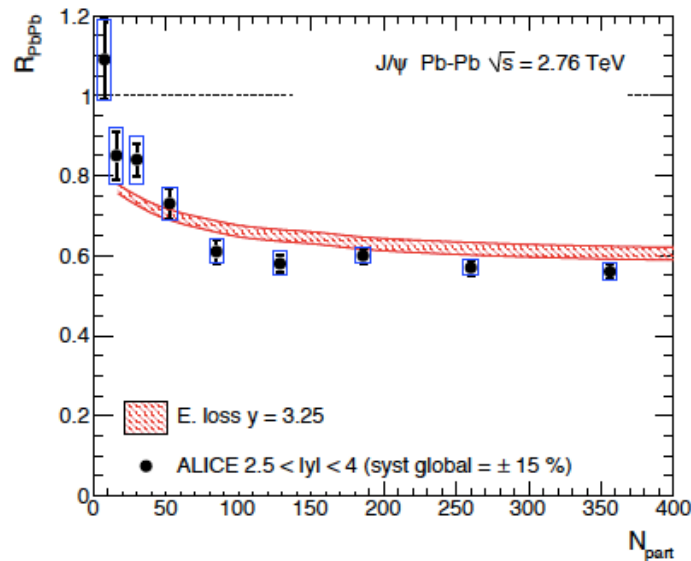
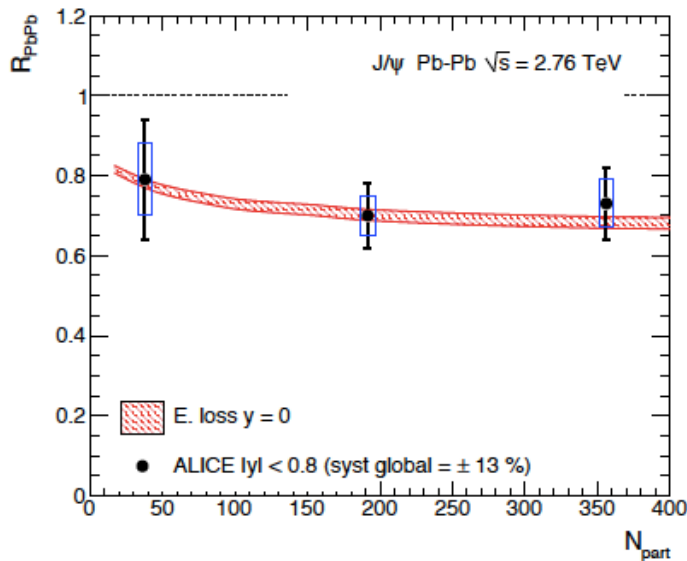
$$\square \text{ CMS measured at mid-}y \text{ [Y(2S)/Y(1S)]}_{\text{pPb}} / \text{[Y(2S)/Y(1S)]}_{\text{pp}} = 0.83 \pm 0.05^{\text{stat.}} \pm 0.05^{\text{syst.}}$$

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✧ Factorization of the effects in p-Pb and Pb-Pb is also assumed.



➤ Good job of the model (if the regeneration does indeed compensate the Debye screening).