

Jet properties in ALICE

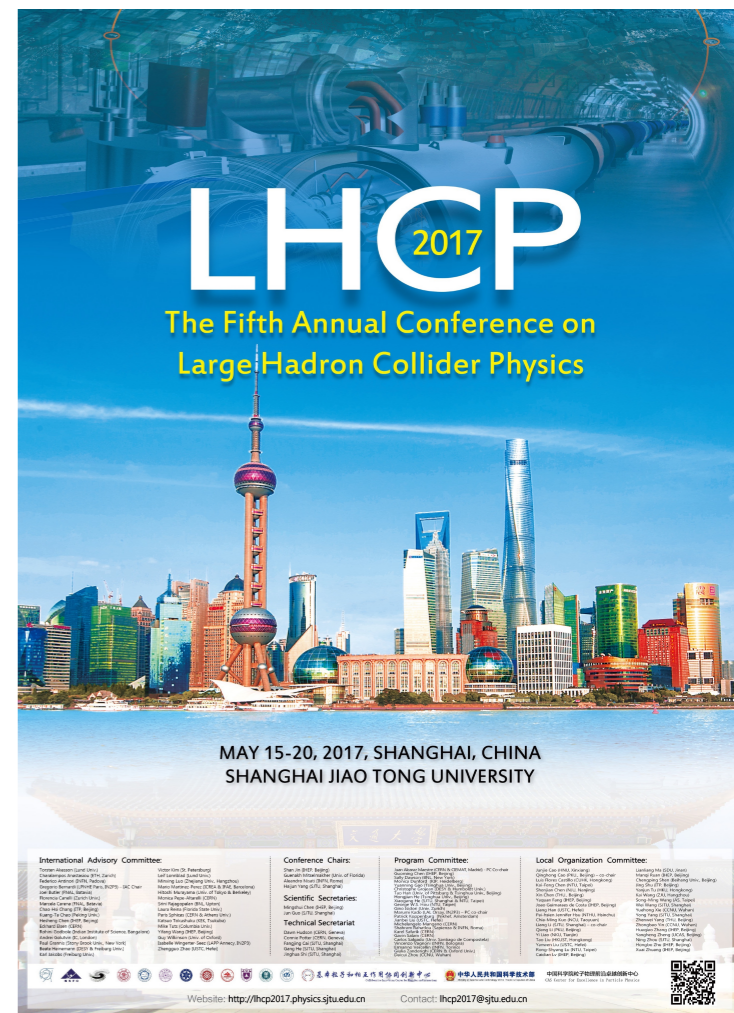
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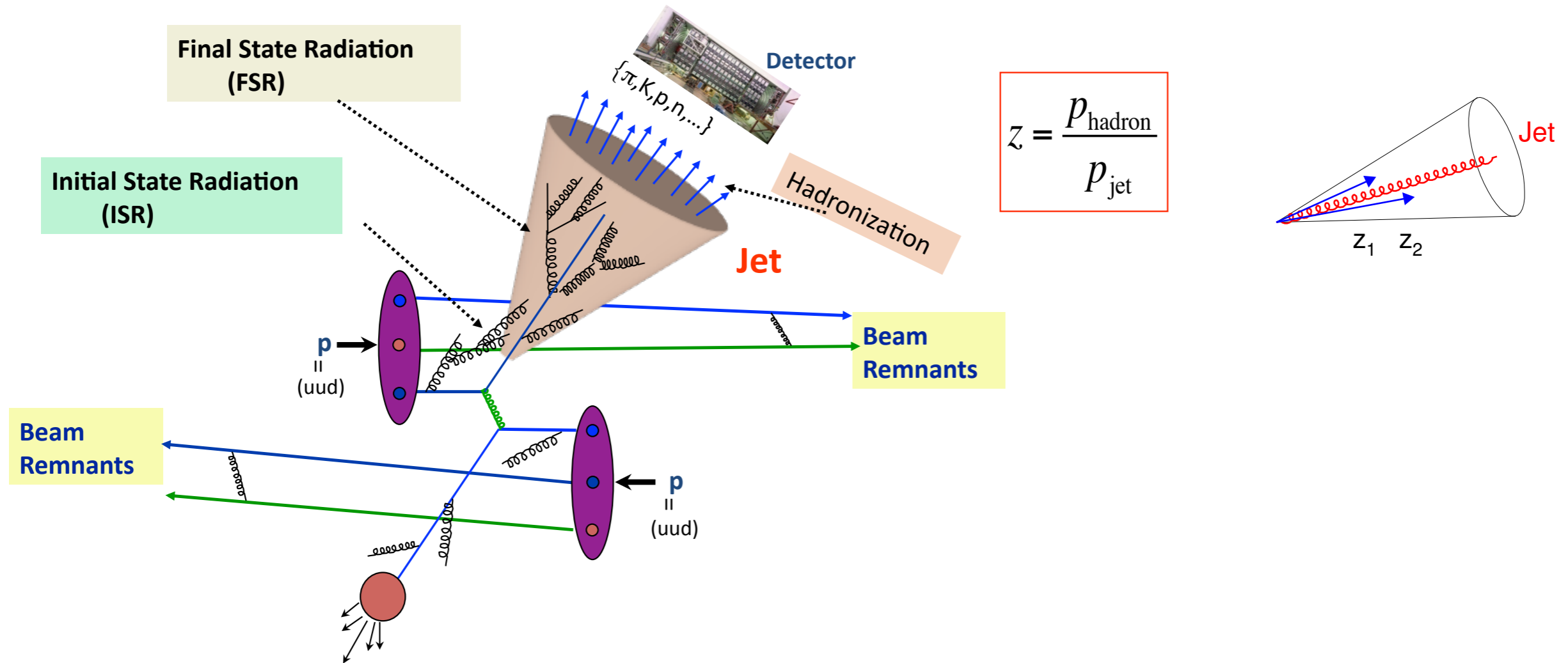
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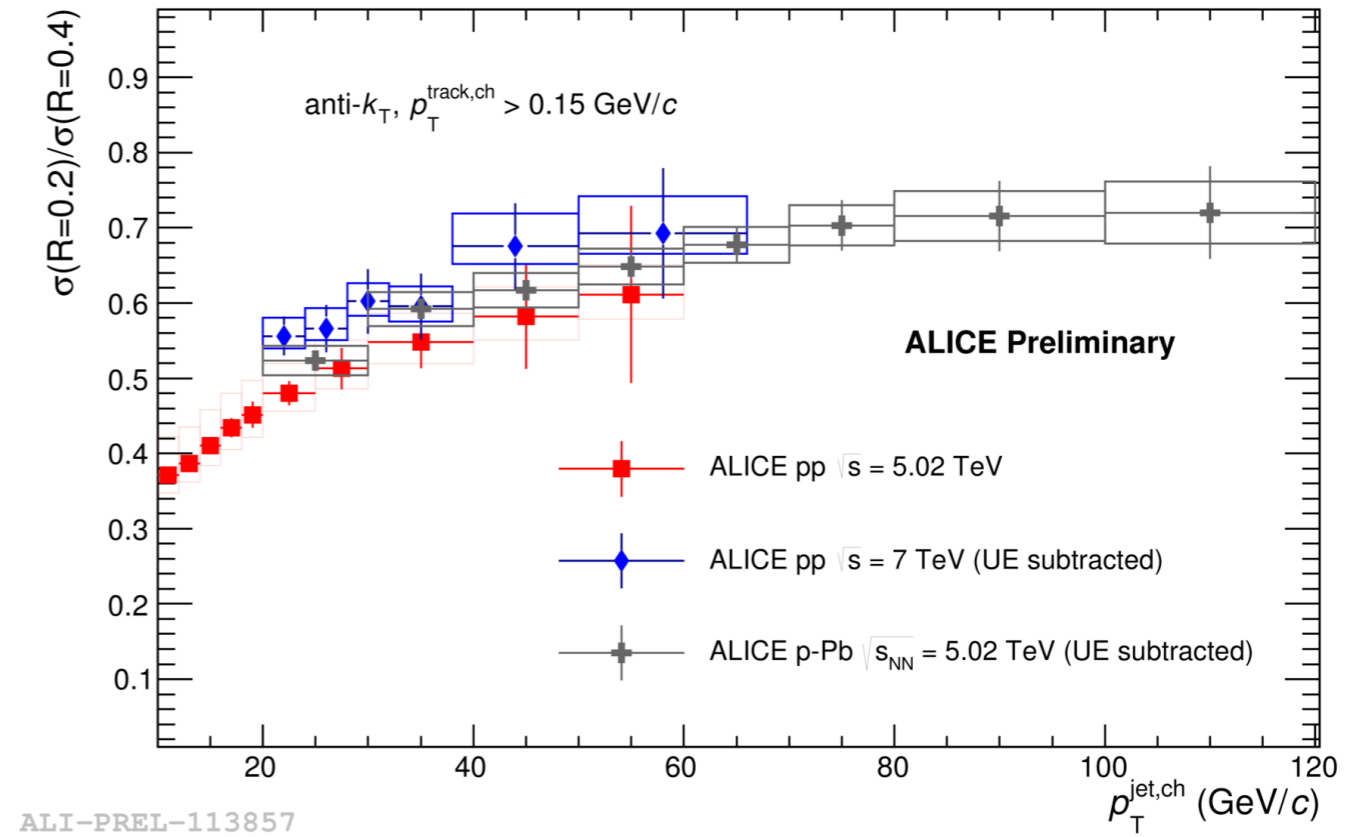
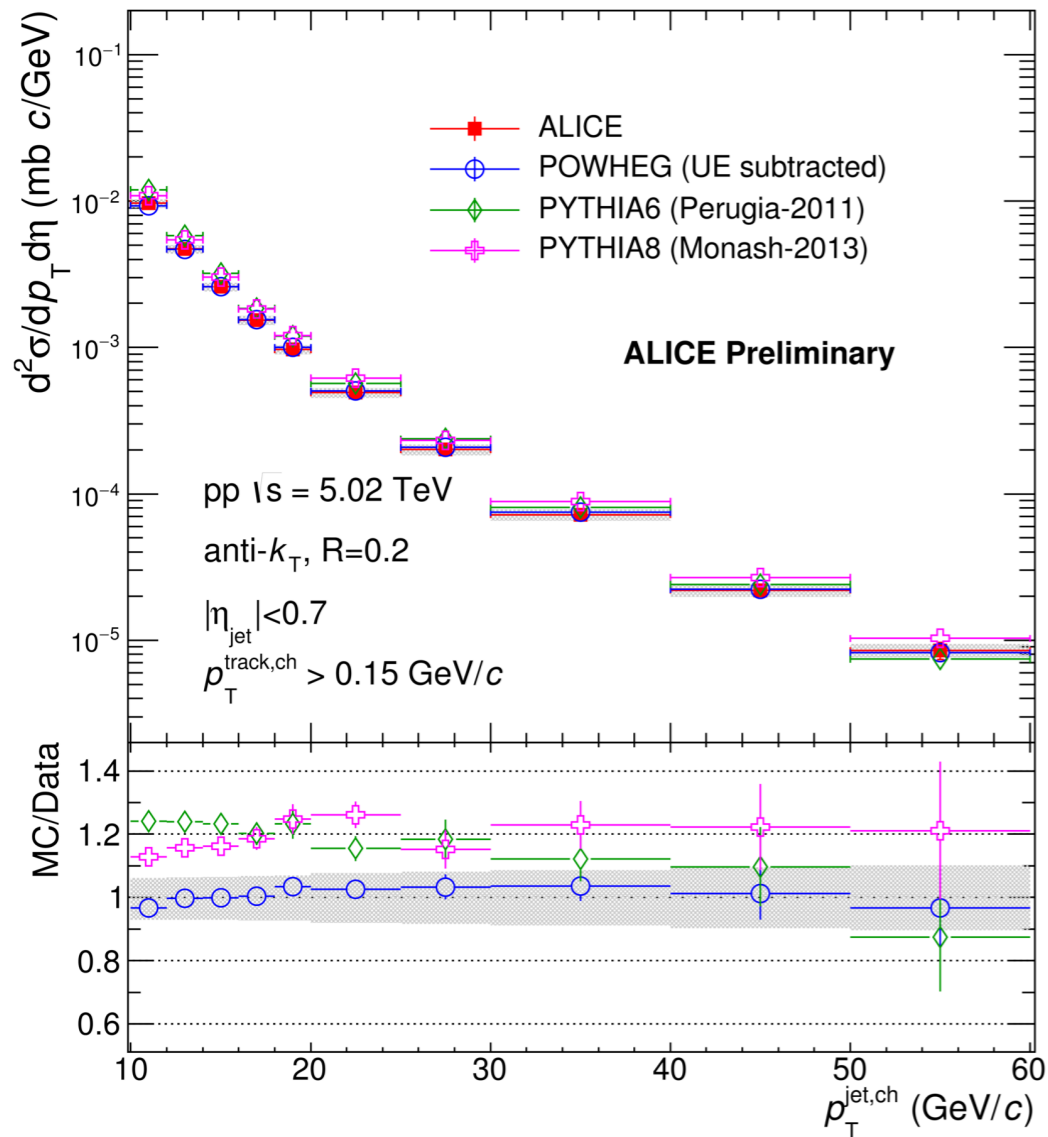


Jets: a tomographic probe of the medium



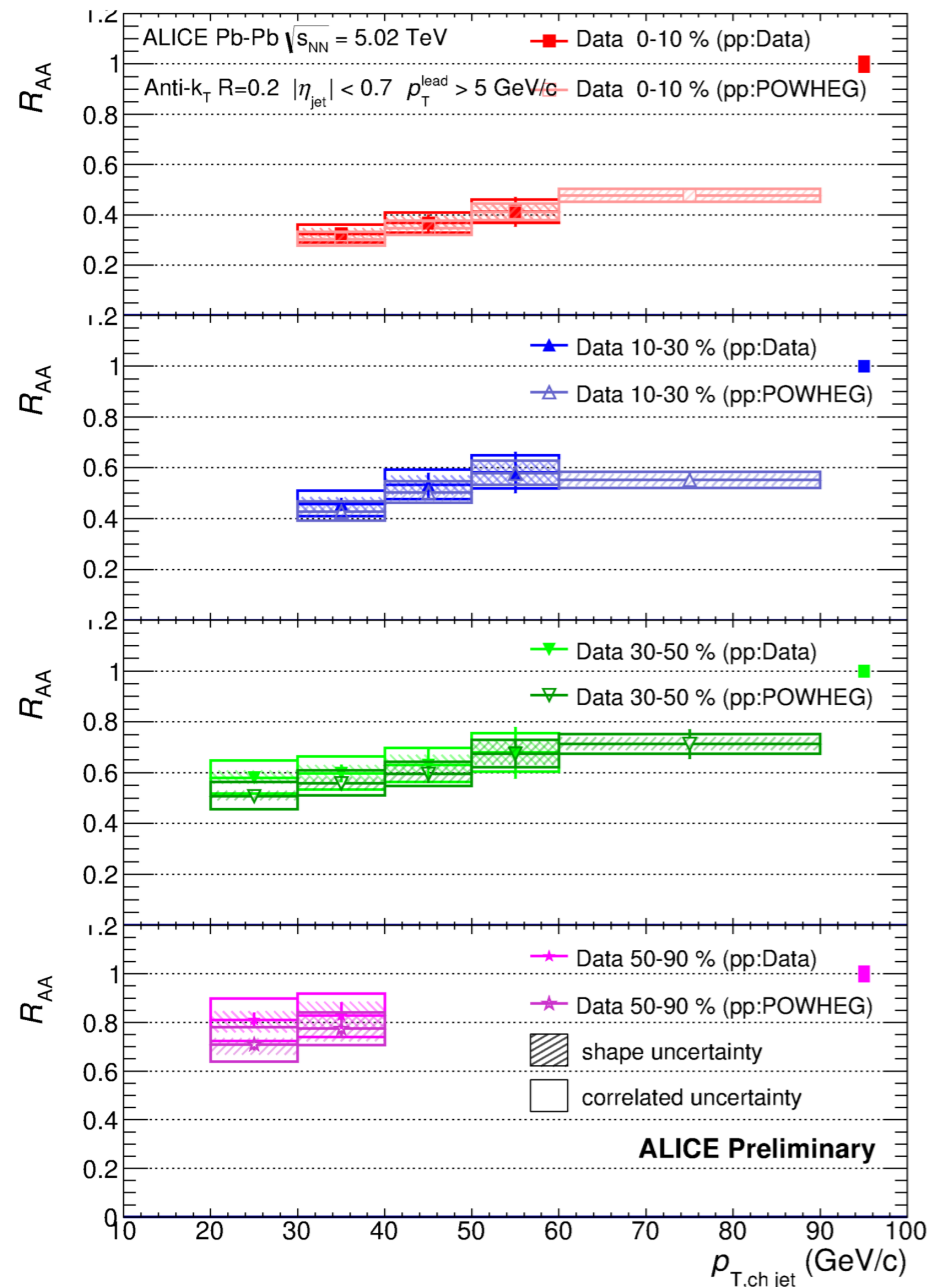
- High momentum transfer scattering in $2 \rightarrow 2$ process (LO pQCD) develops a partonic shower and hadronizes into final state particles (non pQCD) collimated in a spray of hadrons (jet)

Jet cross section measurements

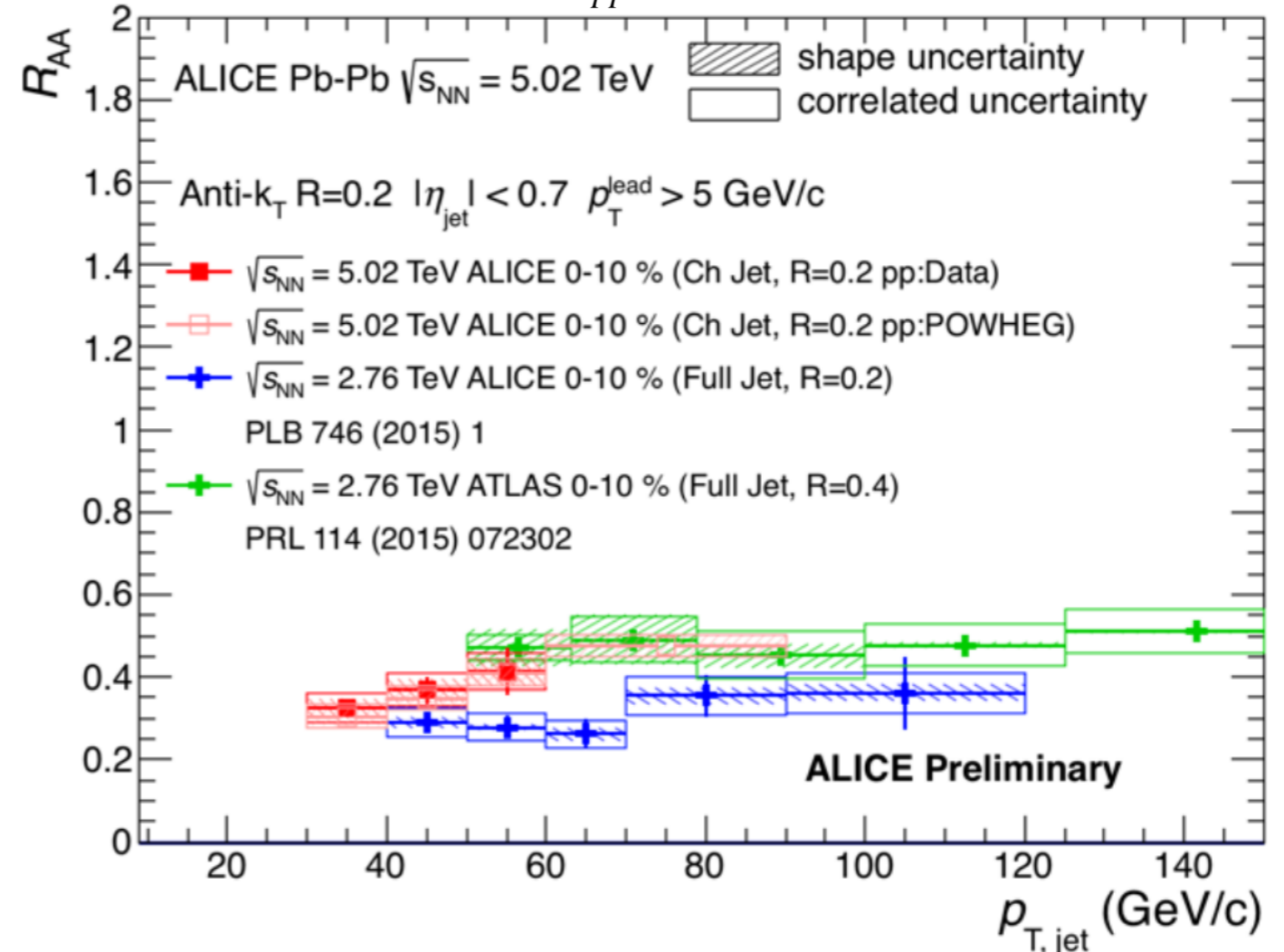


- Jet cross section is well described by POWHEG+PYTHIA8 NLO calculations within systematic uncertainties
- Cross section ratio between $R = 0.2/R = 0.4$ consistent with different \sqrt{s} , slightly increasing with jet $p_T \rightarrow$ reflect jet collimation info

Jet nuclear modification factor R_{AA}



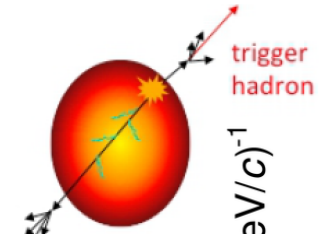
$$R_{AA} = \frac{1}{\langle T_{AA} \rangle} \frac{d^2 N_{AA} / dp_T d\eta}{d^2 \sigma_{pp} / dp_T d\eta}$$



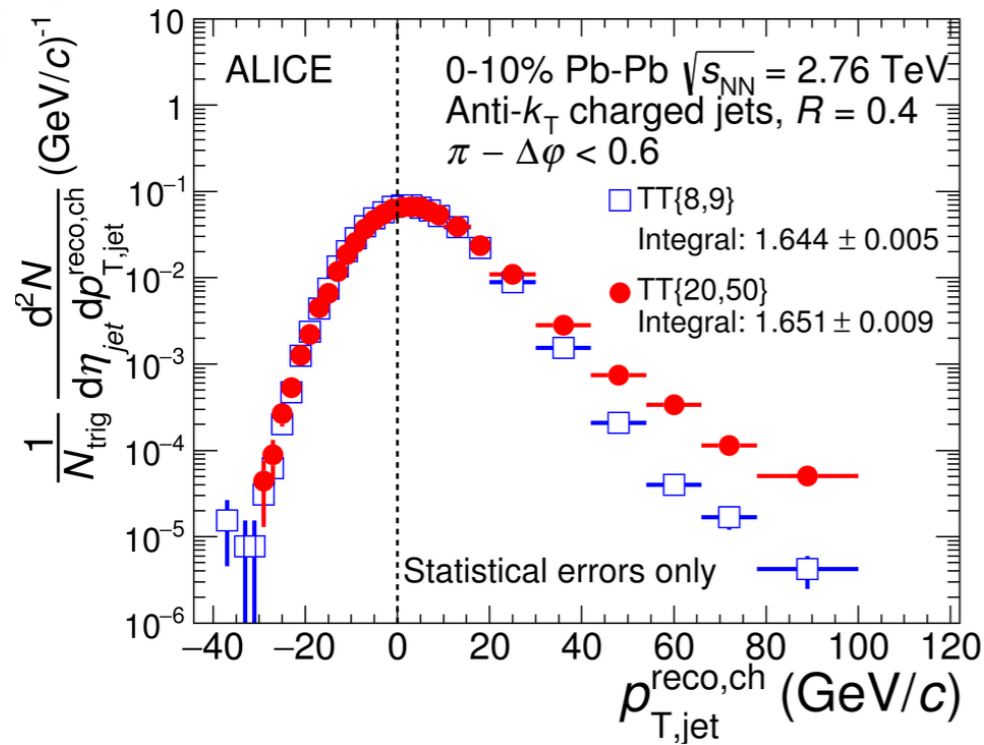
- Strong suppression of jet yield in most central collisions
 - R_{AA} at 5.02 TeV similar to 2.76 TeV
- ➔ “compensation” between increasing suppression and change of the shape of the spectra

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Semi-inclusive hadron-jet correlation



- Trigger-normalized yield of jets recoiling from a high p_T trigger



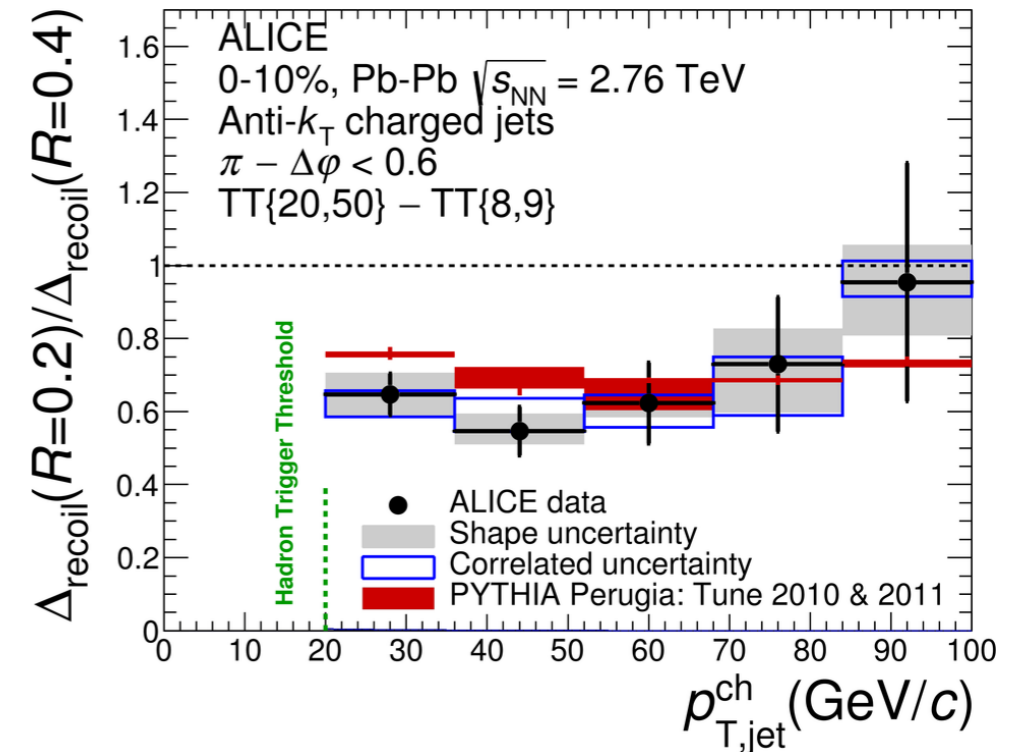
$$\Delta_{recoil} = \frac{1}{N_{trig}} \frac{d^2 N_{jet}}{dp_{T,jet}^{ch} d\eta} \Big|_{p_{T,trig} \in \{20,50\}} - c_{Ref} \cdot \frac{1}{N_{trig}} \frac{d^2 N_{jet}}{dp_{T,jet}^{ch} d\eta} \Big|_{p_{T,trig} \in \{8,9\}}$$

c_{Ref} : accounts for invariance of jet density with TT-class ($c_{Ref} \approx 0.94$)

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TT = Trigger Track

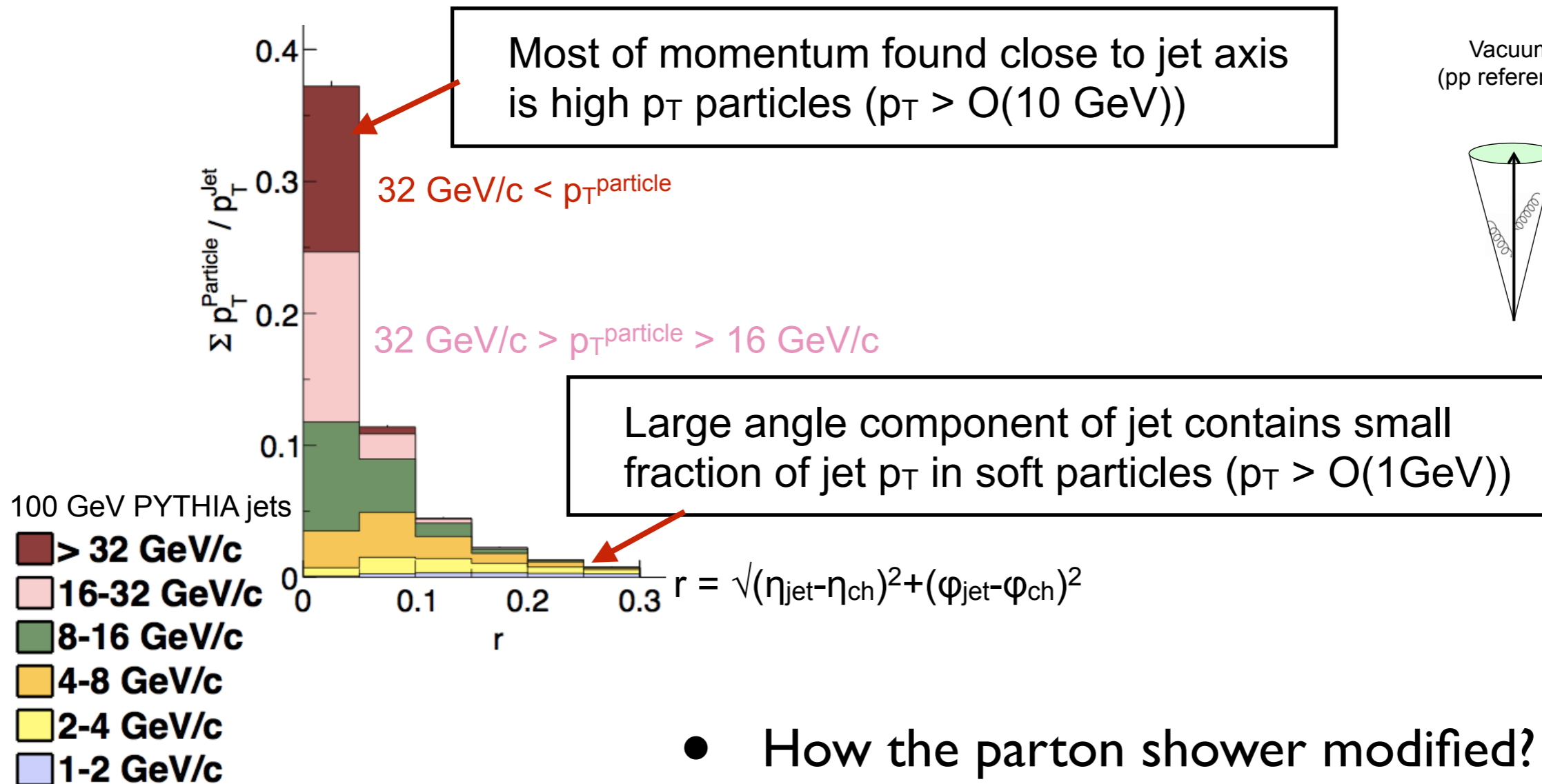
TT{X,Y} means
 $p_{T,trig} \in \{X,Y\}$ GeV/c



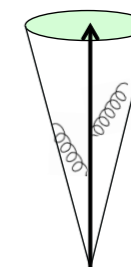
- New observable of jet quenching
- pp: calculable via pQCD
- AA: data-driven correction for large uncorrelated background by varying $p_{T,trig}$ → systematically well-controlled at low $p_{T,jet}$, large R
- No broadening observed

Jet anatomy

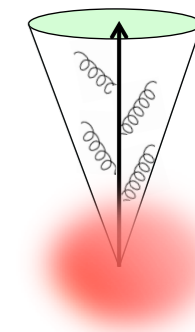
- Jet are extended objects with momentum and angular structure



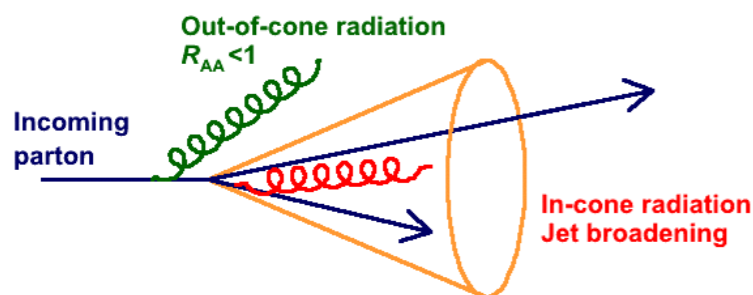
Vacuum
(pp reference)



Jets in Medium
(jet broadening)



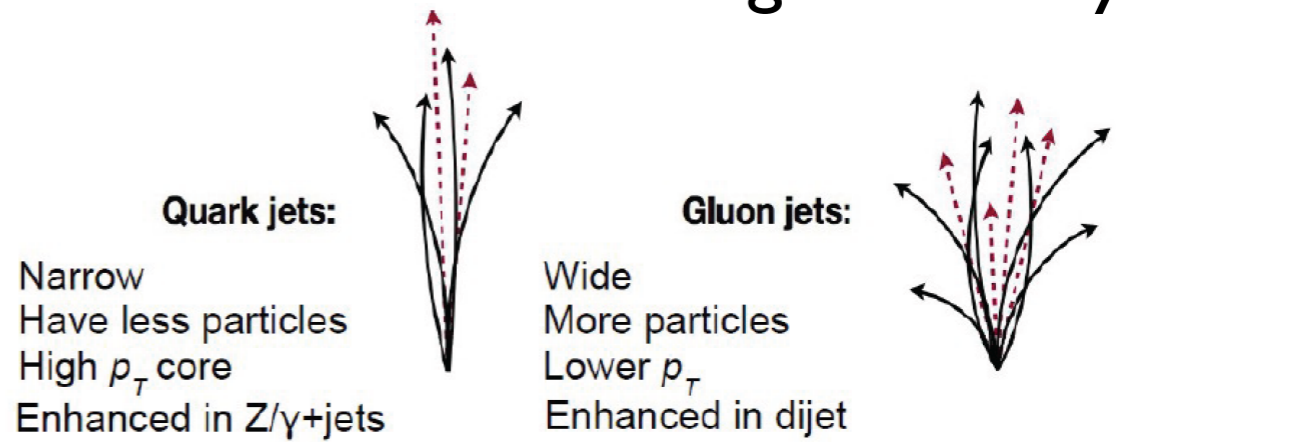
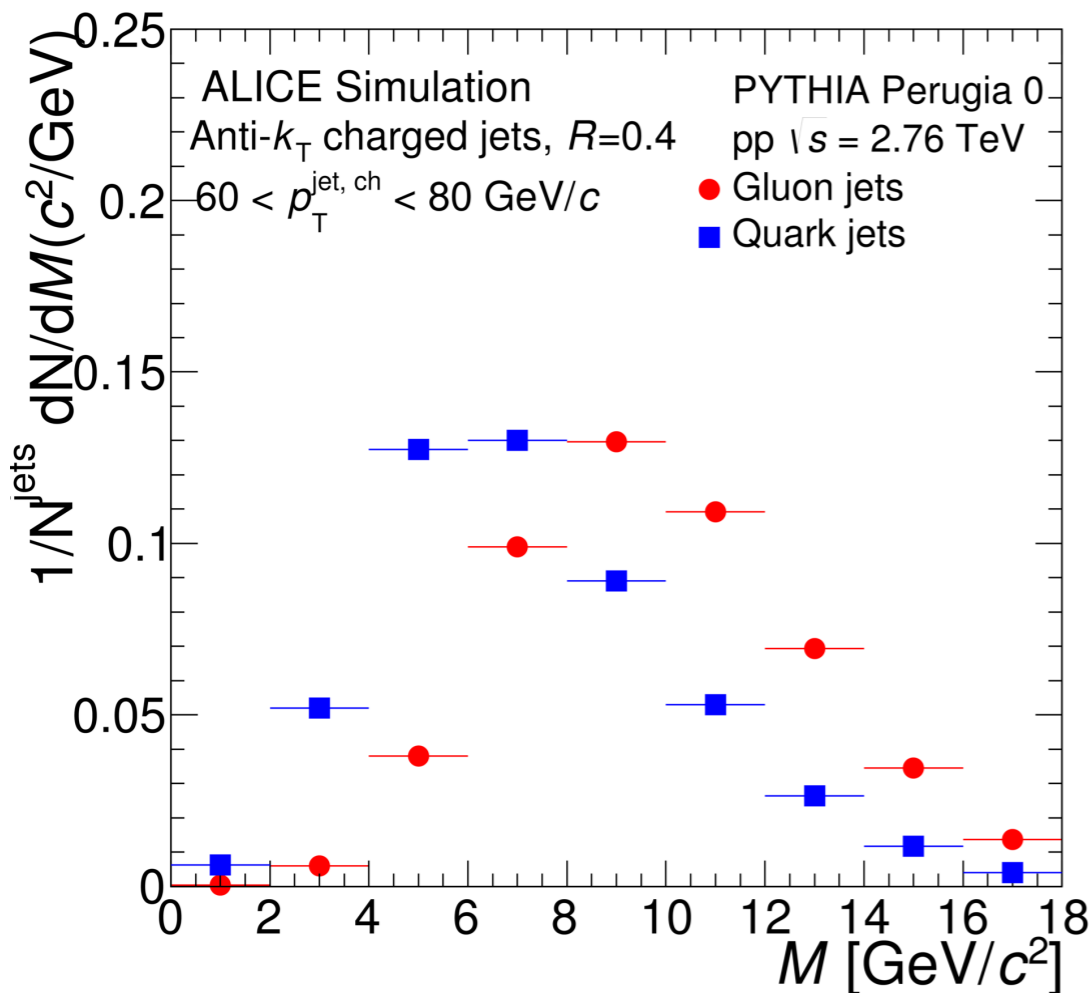
- How the parton shower modified?
- What is the mechanism modifying the shower?
- Can we relate to shower modifications to medium properties?



Jet mass

- Difference of the momentum of the jets and the energy of its constituents weighted by their pseudo-rapidity
- Related to the virtuality of the parton traversing the medium
 - small mass: collimated jet, small number of constituents → low virtuality
 - large mass: broad jet, large number of constituents → high virtuality

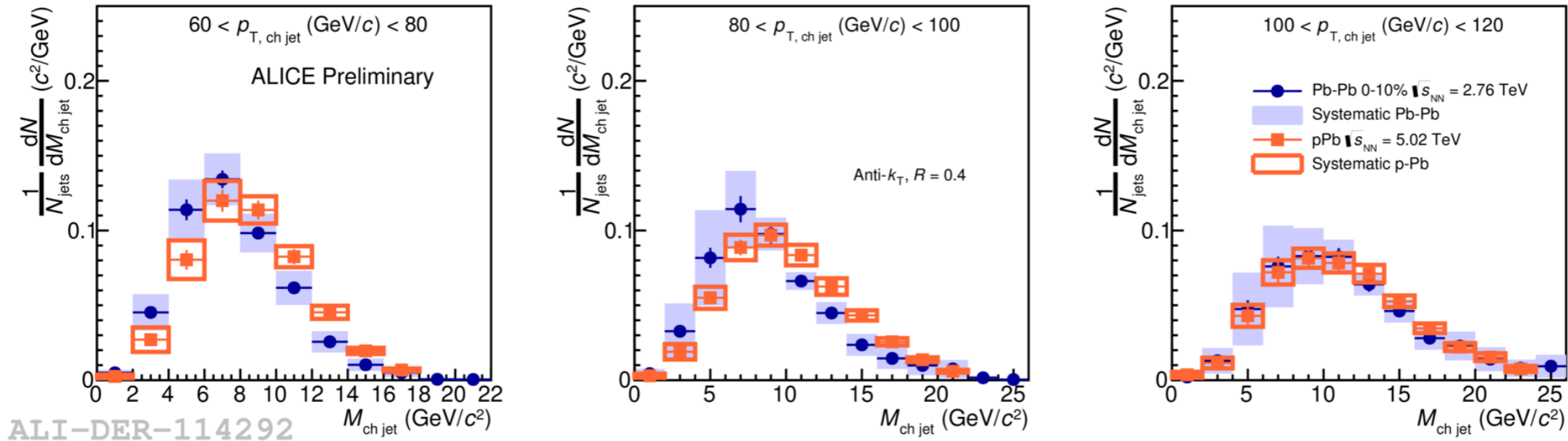
$$M = \sqrt{p^2 - p_T^2 - p_z^2} \quad p = \sum_{i=1}^n p_{T_i} \cosh \eta_i \quad p_z = \sum_{i=1}^n p_{T_i} \sinh \eta_i$$



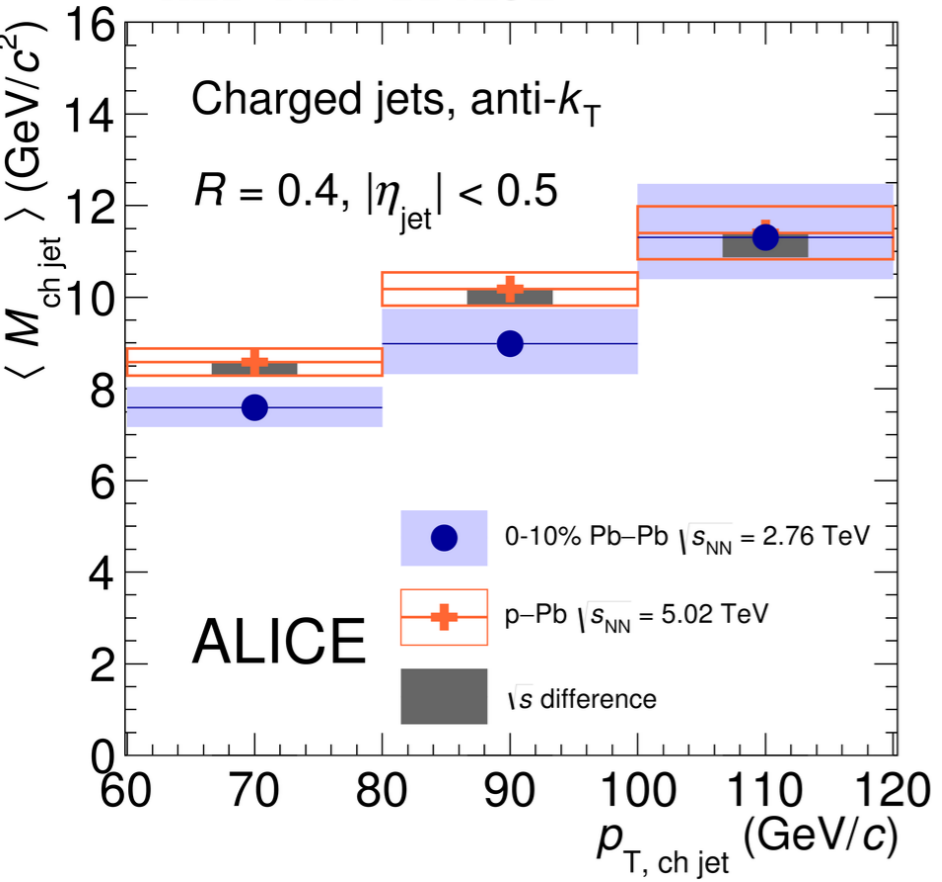
Gluon jets are wider than quark jets

Jet mass of gluon jets are larger than quark jets

Charged jet mass in different collision systems

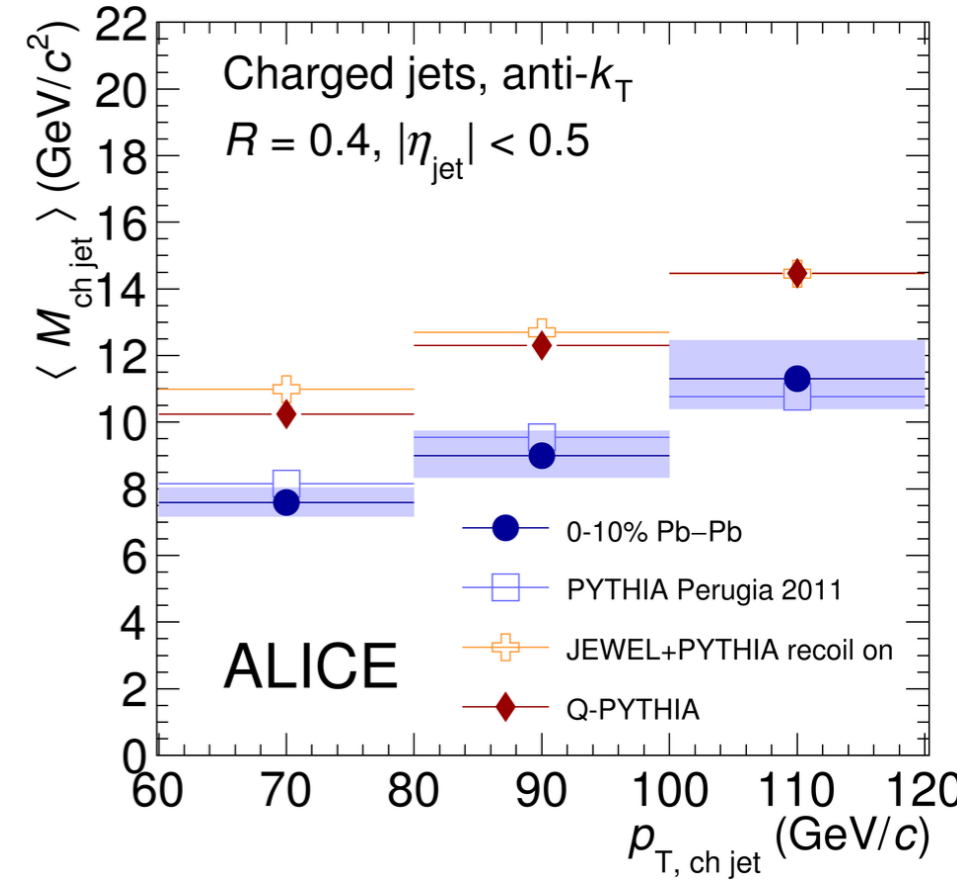


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anti- k_T , charged jets
 $R = 0.4, |\eta_{jet}| < 0.5$



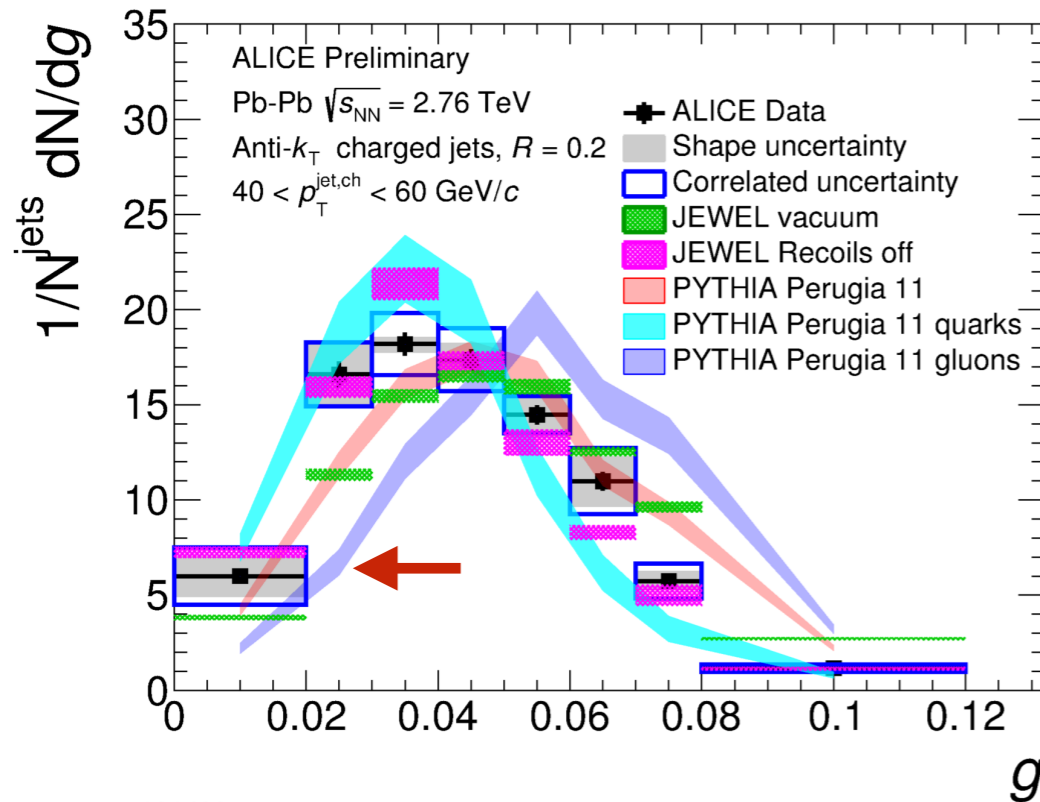
- Different observed between pPb and Pb-Pb jet mass distribution
- Models with quenching unable to reproduce data



Jet angularity and p_T dispersion

- Probe angular and momentum scale of quenched jets

jet width:
momentum redistribution of jet constituents weighted by distance

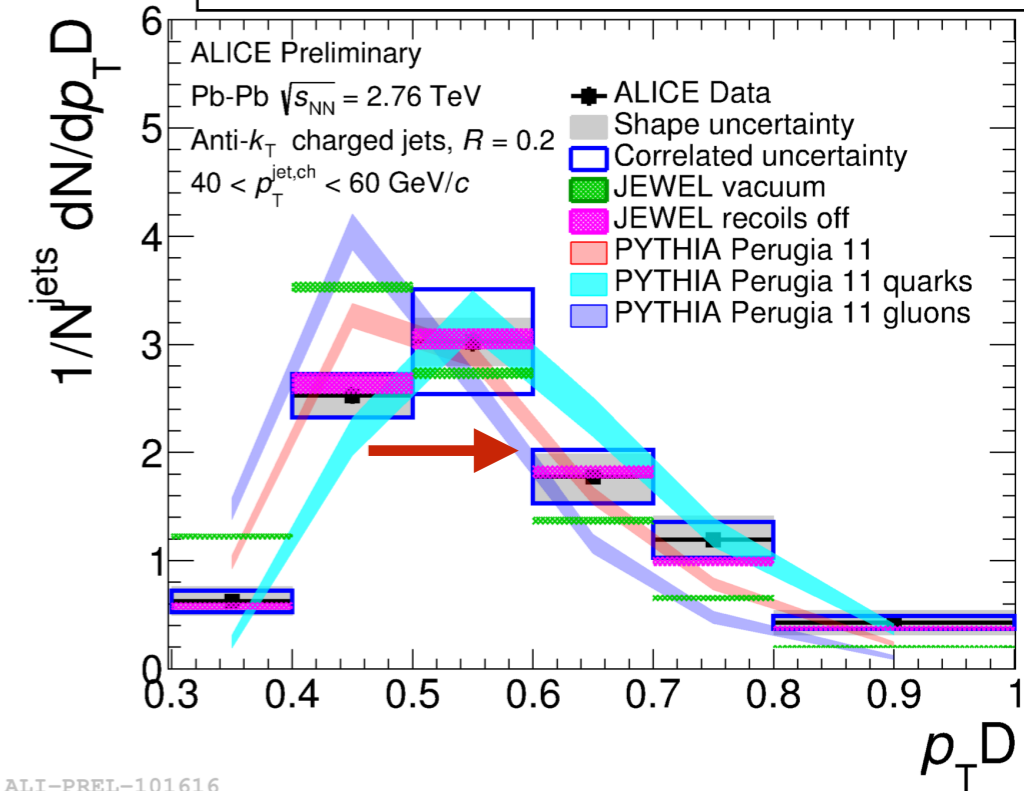


anti- k_T , charged jets
 $R = 0.2$

$$g = \sum_{i \in \text{jet}} \frac{p_{T,i}^i}{p_T^{\text{jet}}} |r_i|$$

$$p_T D = \frac{\sqrt{\sum_i p_{T,i}^2}}{\sum_i p_{T,i}}$$

p_T -dispersion $p_T D$:
momentum redistribution of jet constituents

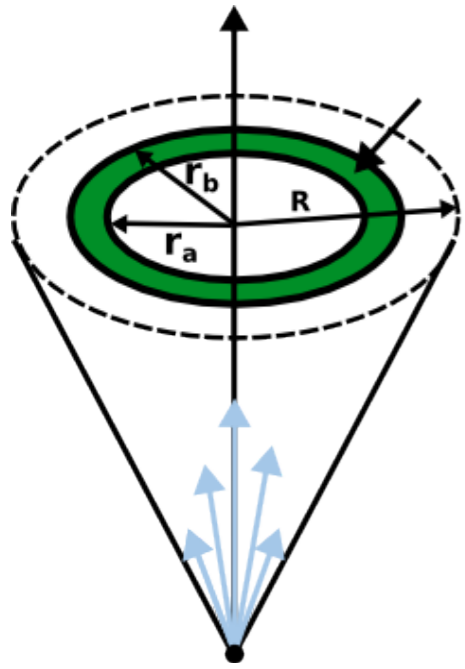


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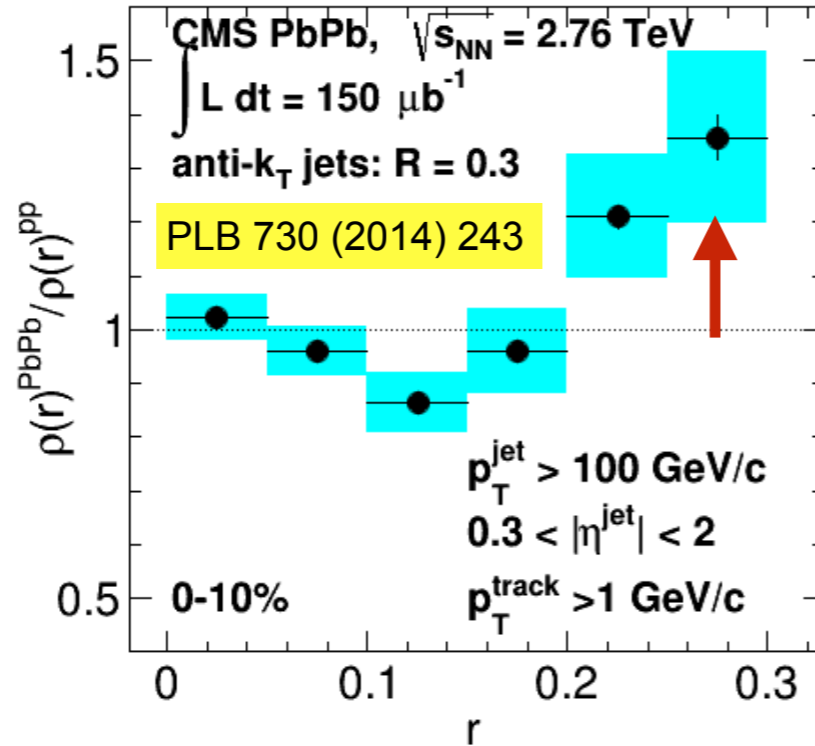
- Accelerated shower leads to higher angularities (broader) and small $p_T D$ (more constituents)
- Qualitatively consistent with collimation of the jet core
- g and $p_T D$ qualitatively described by JEWEL model with recoils off

Jet broadening

- Probe angular scale of quenched jets



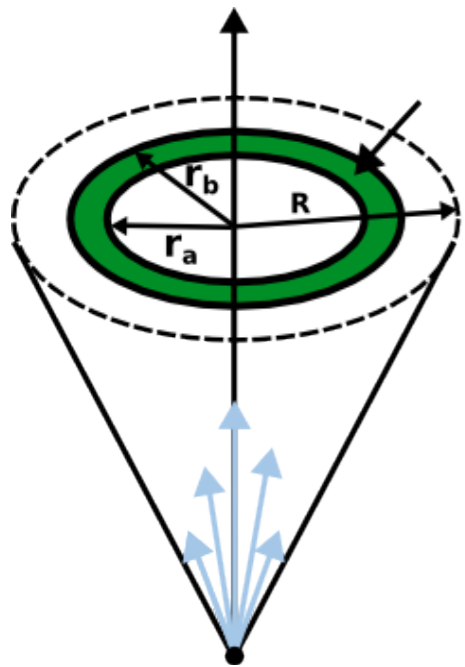
radial profile:
energy flow redistribution



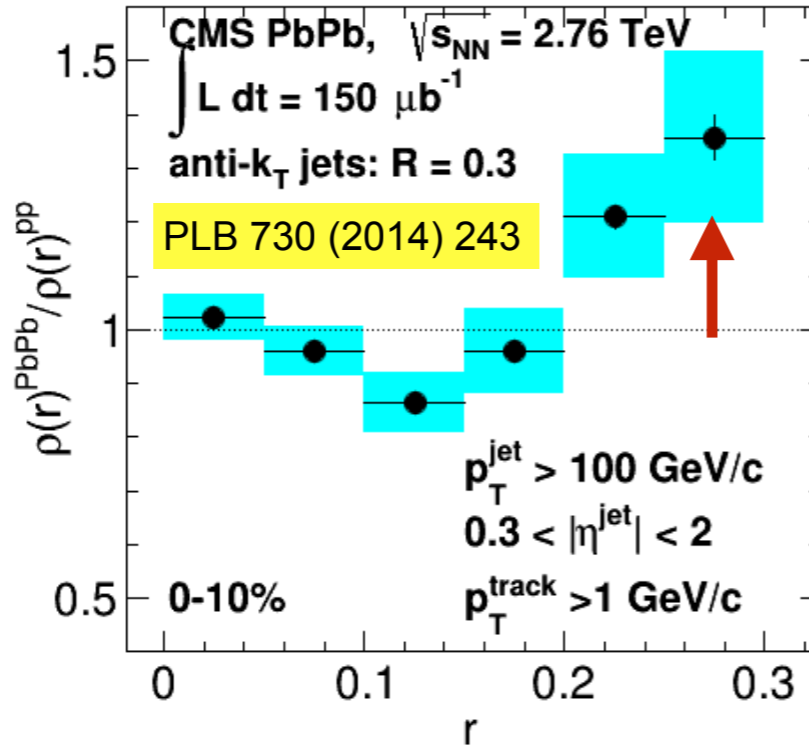
$$\rho(r) = \frac{1}{f_{\text{ch}}} \frac{1}{\delta r} \frac{1}{N_{\text{jet}}} \sum_{\text{jets}} \frac{p_T(r - \delta r / 2, r + \delta r / 2)}{p_T^{\text{jet}}},$$

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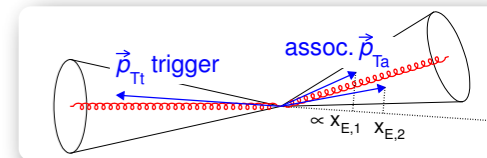
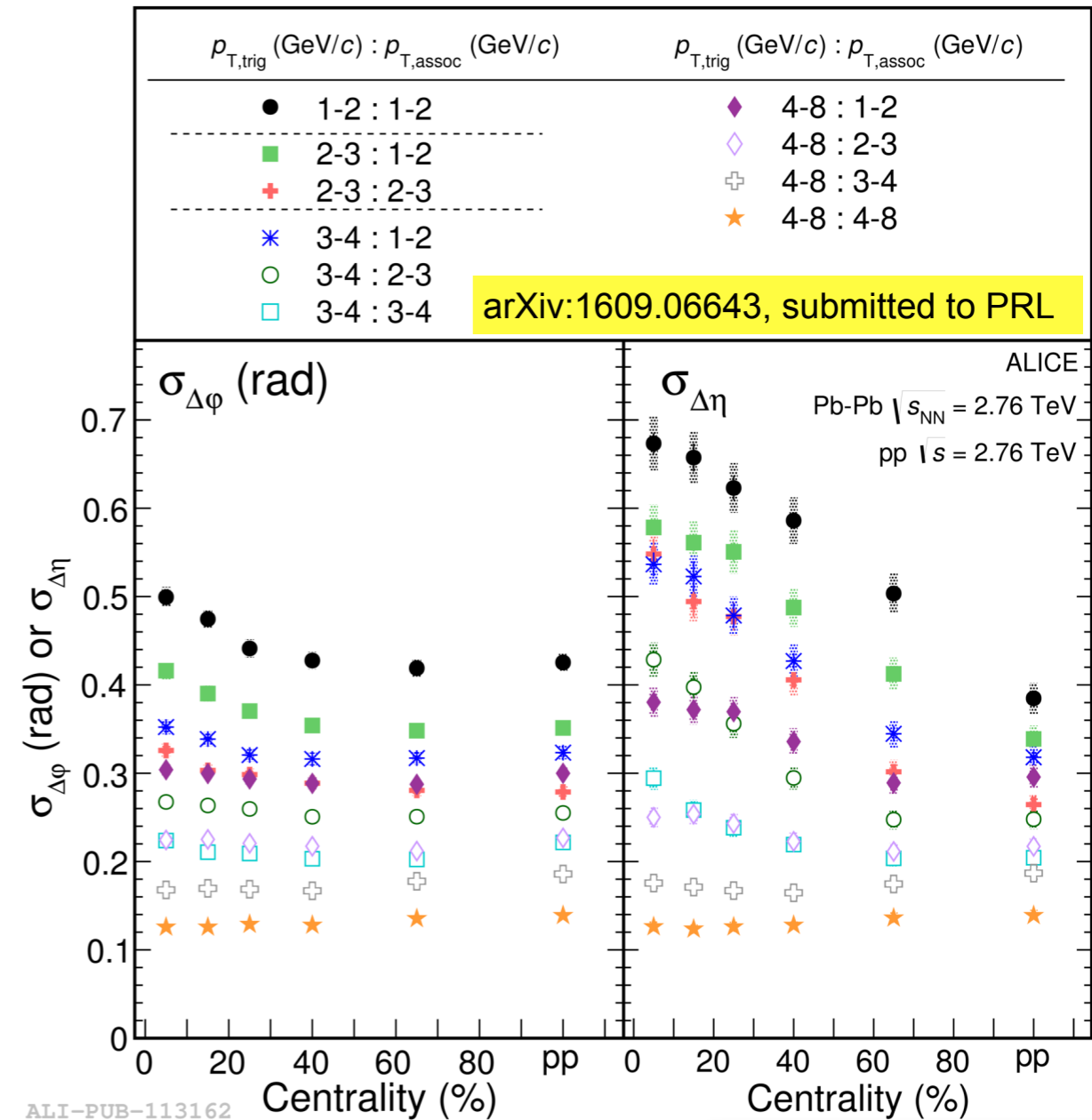
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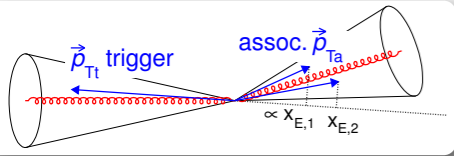
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- Excess at large angular distance \rightarrow jet broadening
- Jet broadening quantified using two particle correlations:

\rightarrow Small broadening in $\Delta\phi$, significant broadening in $\Delta\eta$ ($p_{T,trig} \uparrow$, width \downarrow)



Low p_T excess from two particle correlations



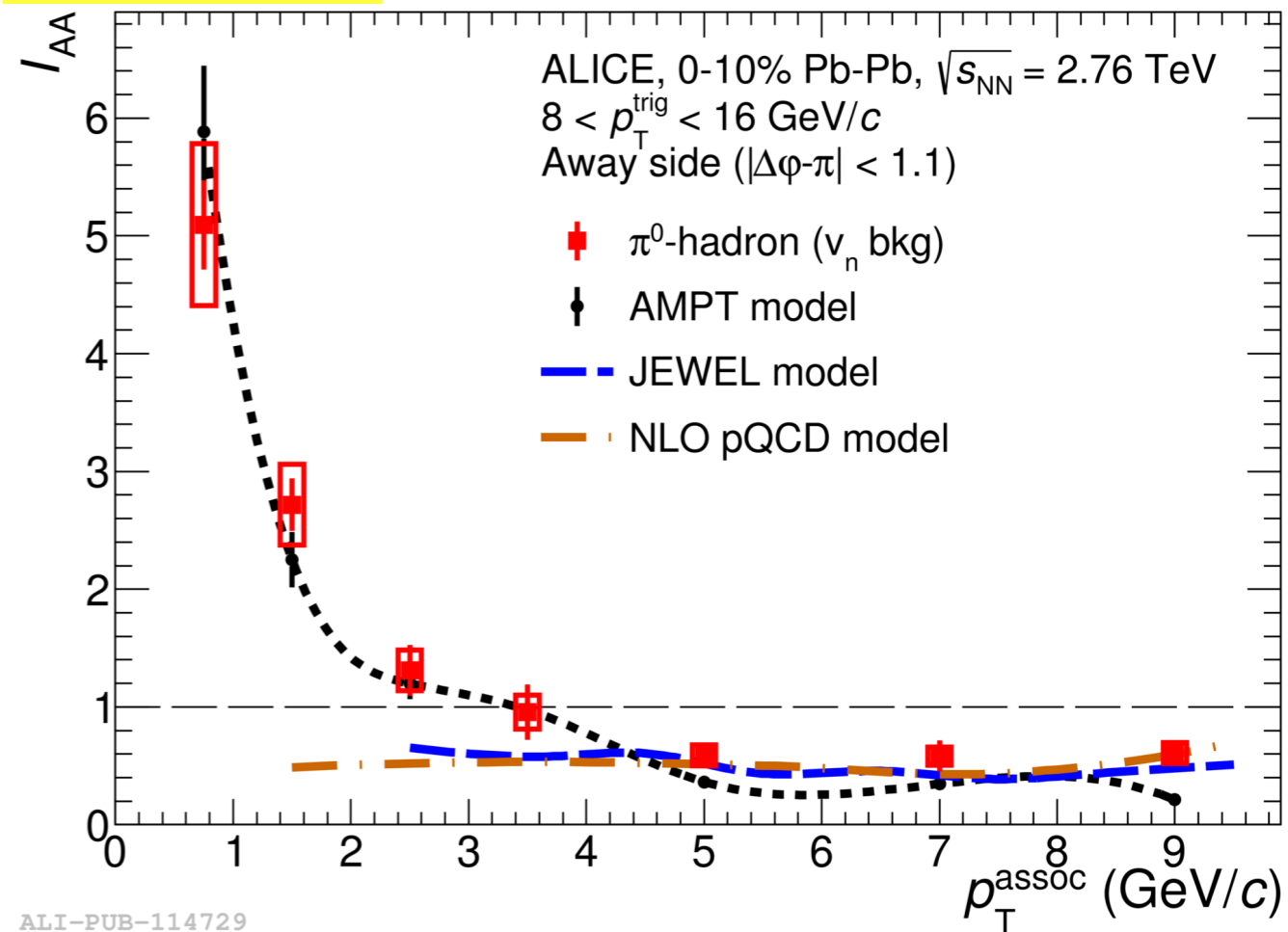
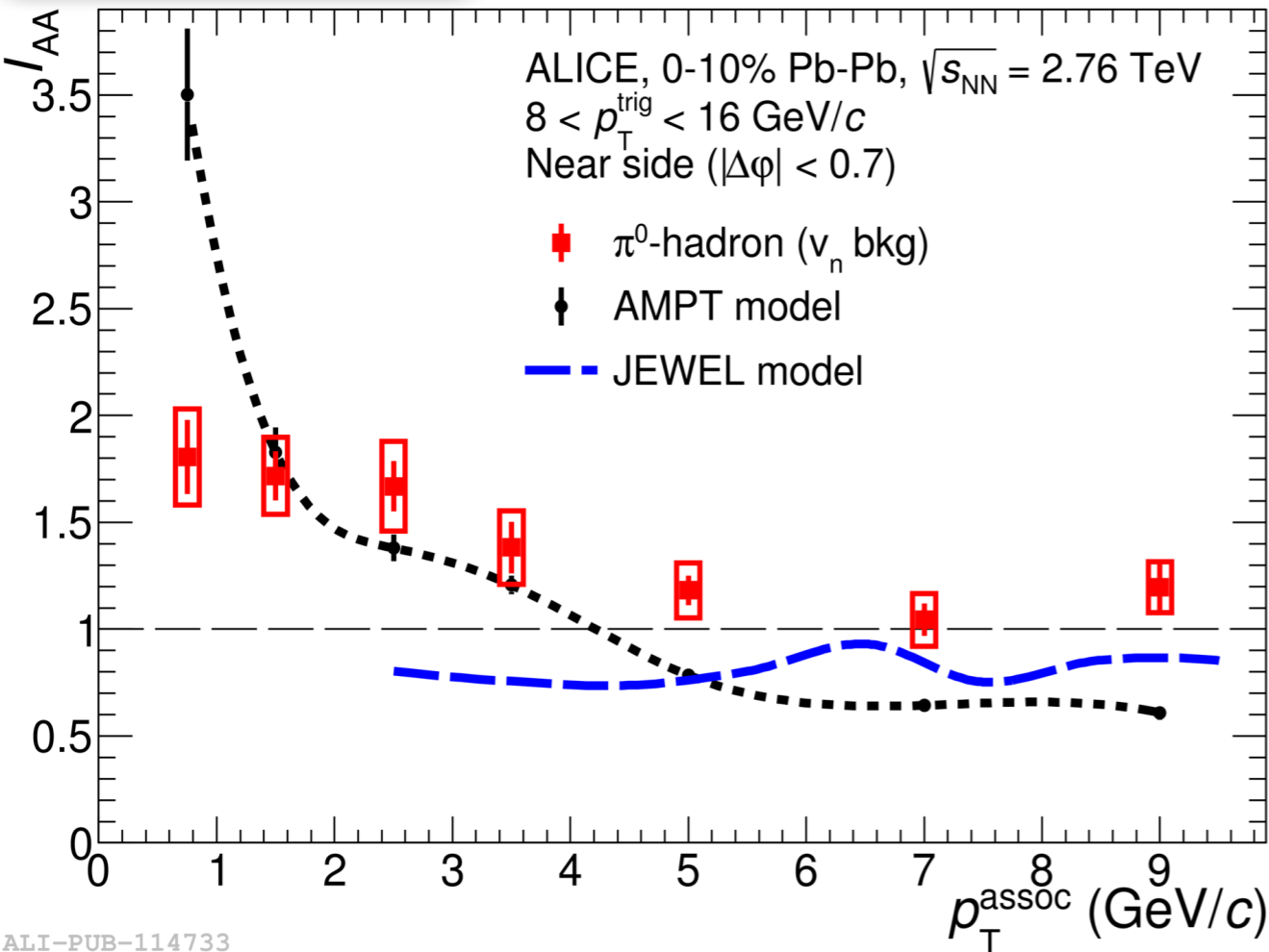
near side

$$I_{AA} = \frac{Y_{Pb-Pb}}{Y_{pp}}$$

$$Y = \int \frac{dN_{assoc}}{d\Delta\phi} d\Delta\phi$$

away side

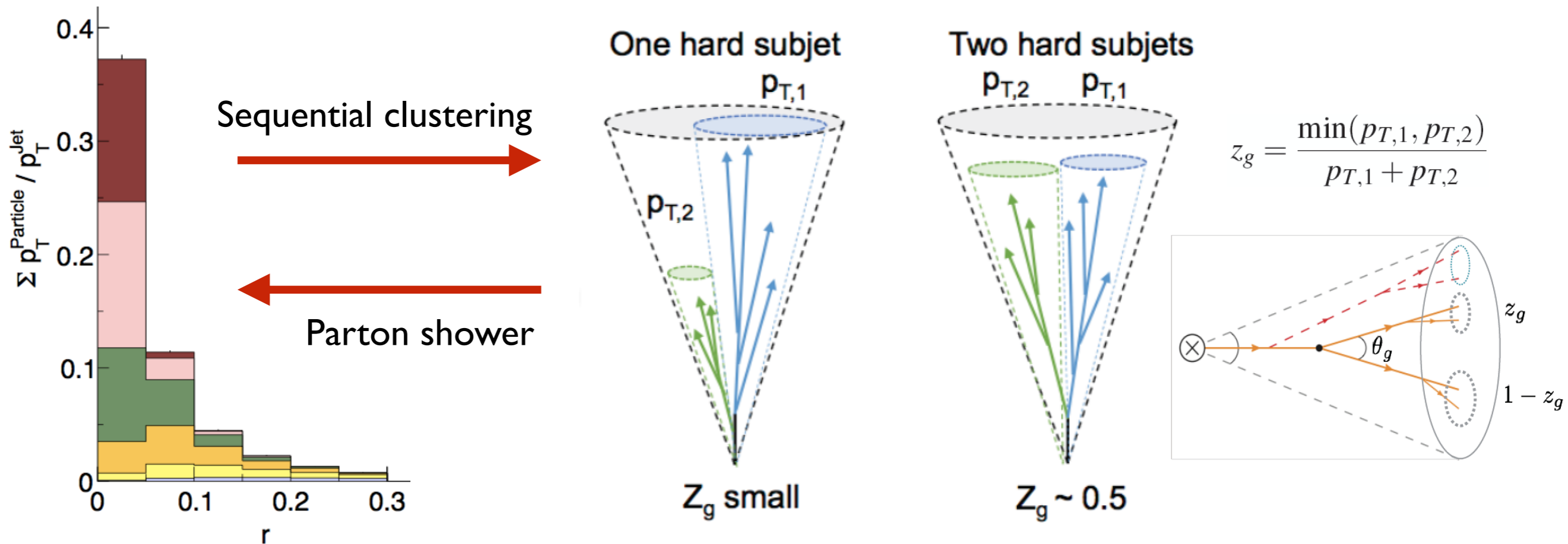
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- Enhancement at very low p_T , indicating extra particles excess \rightarrow consistent with low p_T broadening (soften of fragmentation functions? excited by medium?)
- Suppression on the away side for high $p_T \rightarrow$ consistent with jet quenching

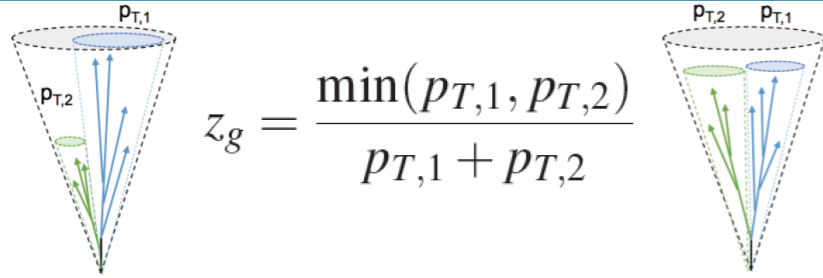
Jet substructure

- Using clustering+jet grooming techniques to map structure of final state jets to evolution of parton shower (e.g. “splitting function”)

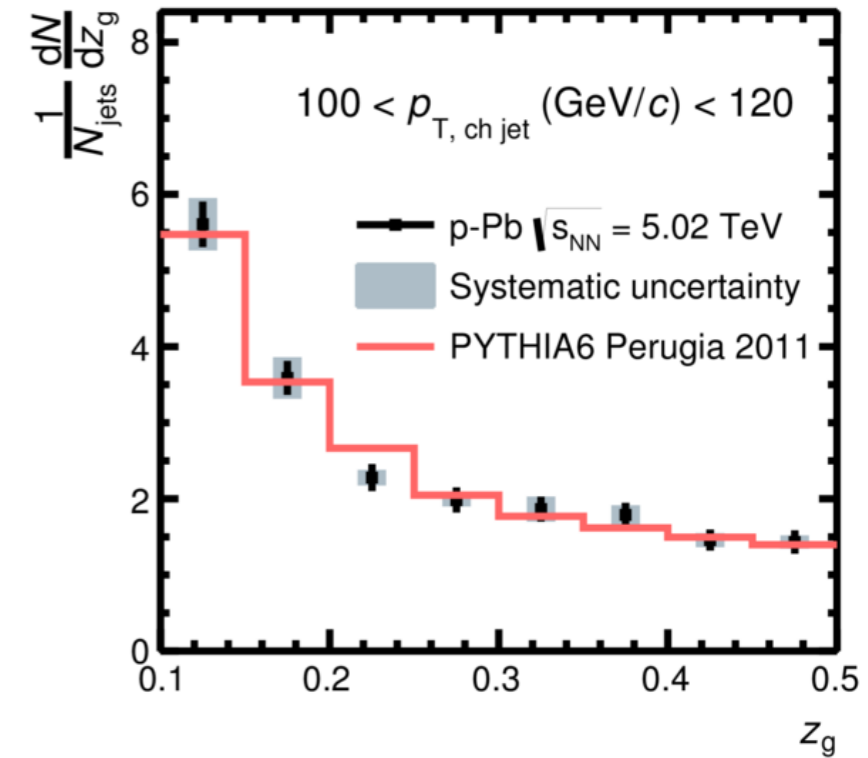
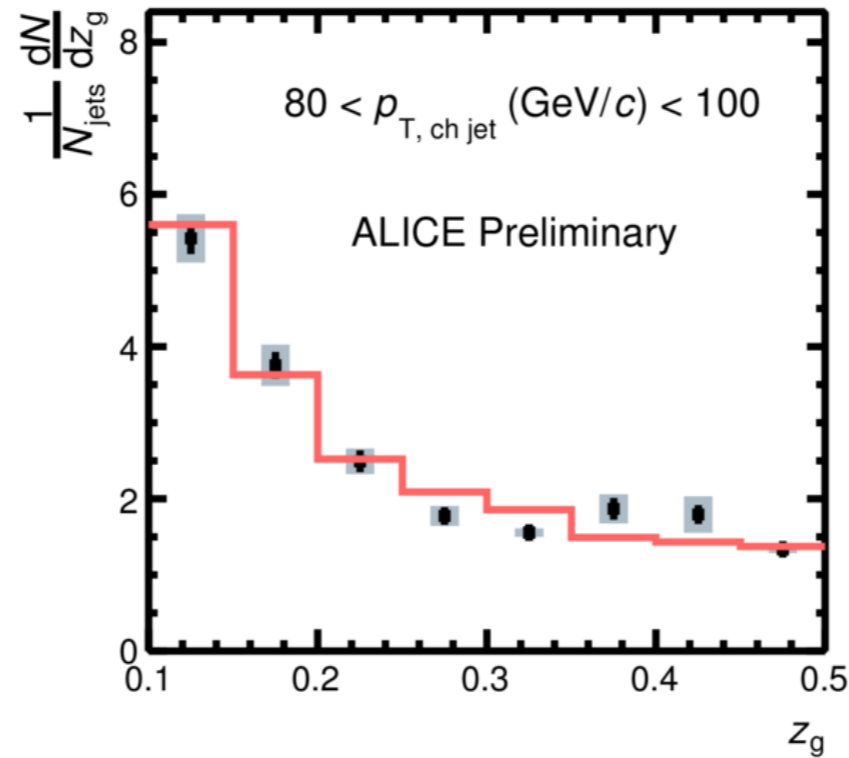
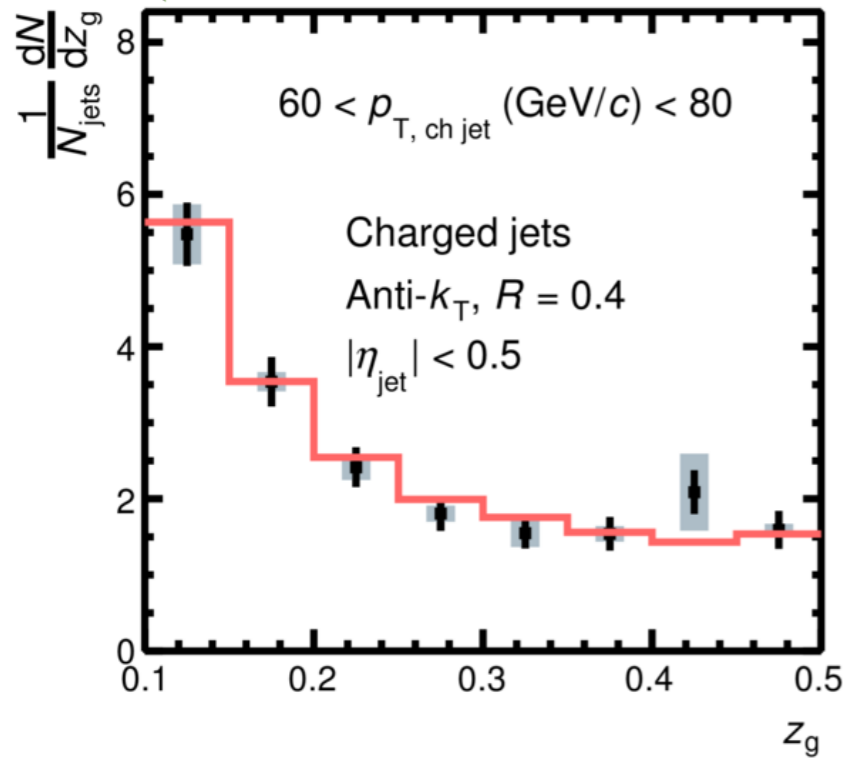


- Splitting function z_g : observable connected to the hardest splitting
- Measure the momentum balance of the two hard sub-jets
- Looking for modifications of the jet hard substructure

Splitting function in p-Pb collisions



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- First measurement of z_g in p-Pb collisions at 5.02 TeV
- No modification observed in minimum-bias p-Pb data compared to PYTHIA
- Next: redo the analysis in multiplicity classes, measurements in pp and PbPb collisions

Nsubjettiness measurements

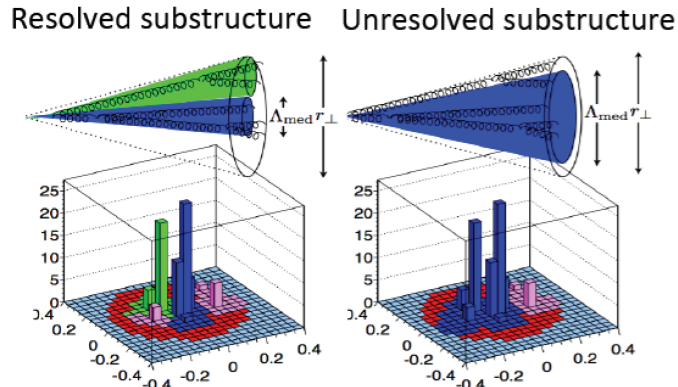
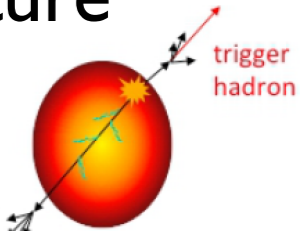
- Nsubjettiness jet shape τ_N : measures how N pronged a jet substructure

$$\tau_N = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^N p_{T,i} \text{Min}(\Delta R_{i,1}, \Delta R_{i,2}, \dots, \Delta R_{i,N})}{R_0 \sum_{i=1}^N p_{T,i}}$$

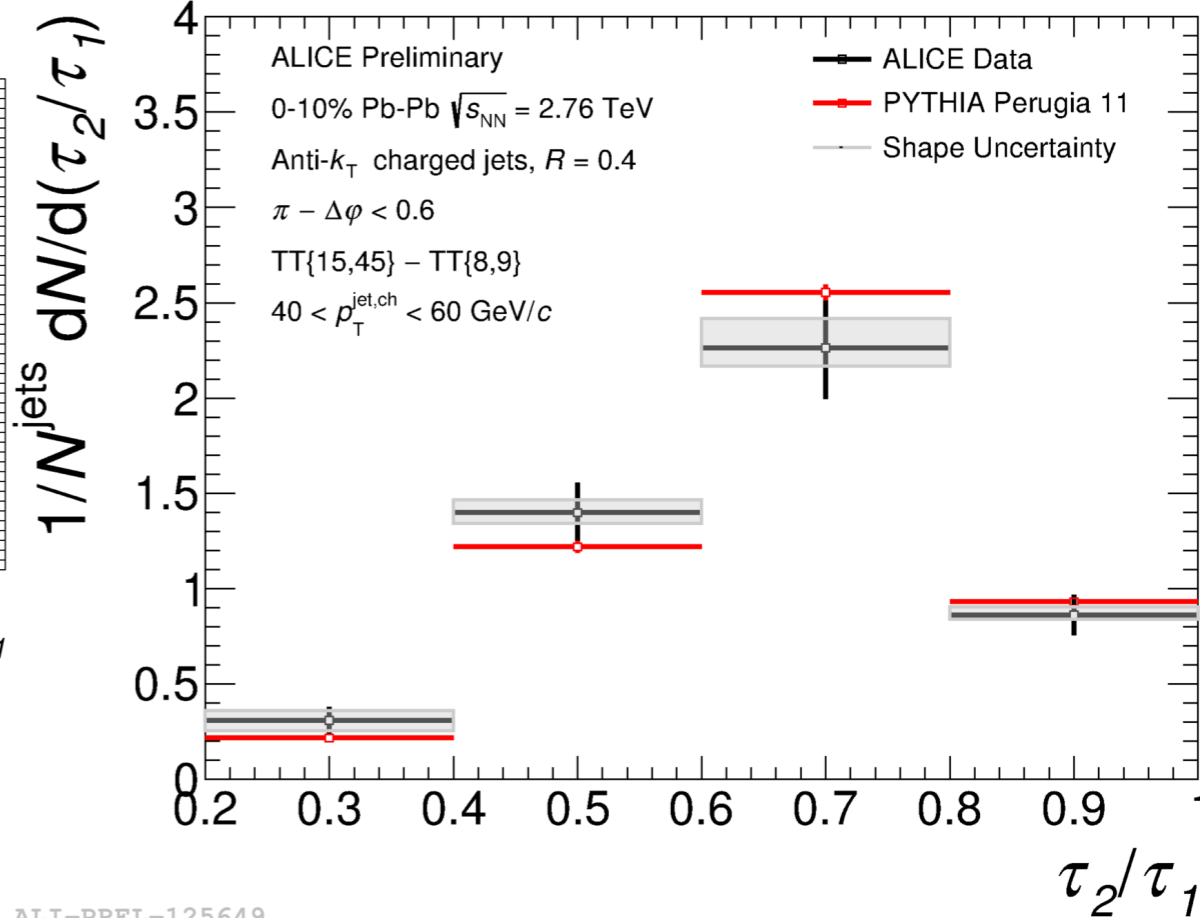
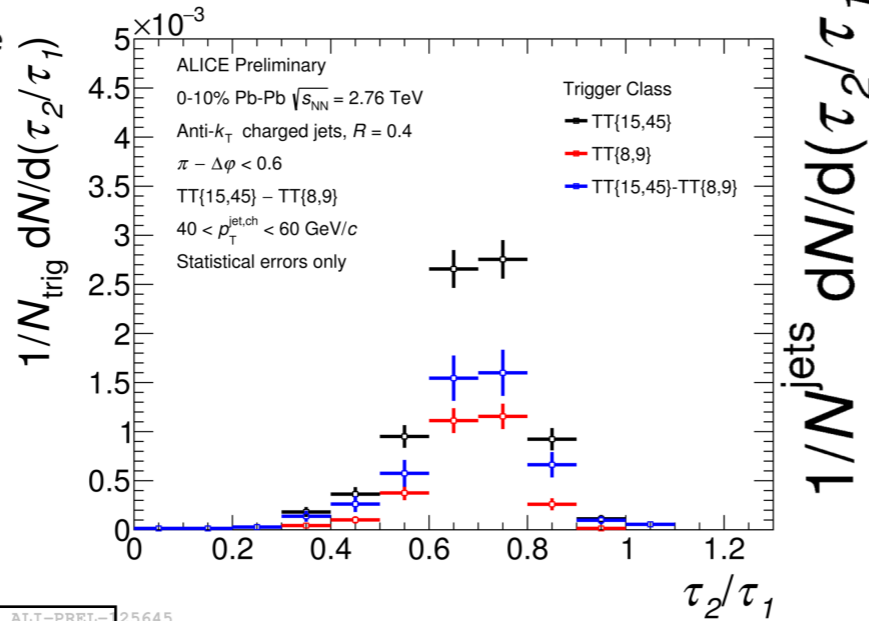
$\Delta R_{i,j}$: η - ϕ distance between track i and subject j

$p_{T,i}$: p_T of the i^{th} jet constituent

R_0 : jet resolution parameter



Casalderrey-Solana, Mehtar-Tani, Salgado, Tywoniuk *Phys.Lett.B* **725** (2013) 357–360



$\tau_N \rightarrow 0$: jet has N or fewer well defined cores
 $\tau_N \rightarrow 1$: jet has at least N+1 cores
 $\tau_N/\tau_{N-1} \rightarrow 0$: jet has N cores

- τ_2/τ_1 : measures the two prongness of the jet
 - ➔ Small τ_2/τ_1 related to leading parton splitting into 2 resolvable partons
 - ➔ Medium modifications can shift τ_2/τ_1 to a higher value
- Data comparable with PYTHIA prediction without quenching effect

Summary and outlook

- A consistent picture about jet quenching in PbPb collisions at LHC
 - high p_T jets/particles strongly suppressed
 - Jet fragmentation patterns and structure are modified
- New sets of jet observables probing additional aspects of QCD developed
 - sophisticated measurements ($g, p_T D, z_g, \tau_2/\tau_1, \dots$)
 - improving understanding on jet thermalization and resolving power of jets
 - ➔ More new jet results will come soon with precision measurements from Run2

Thank you!

Please stay tuned...

