

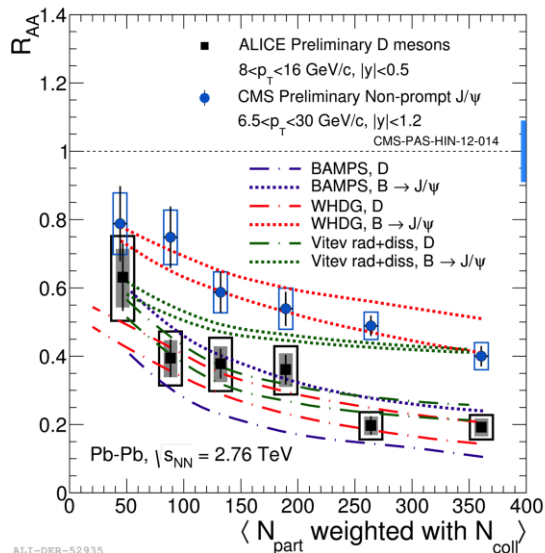
## Heavy Flavor Discussion....

Amazing new data opens new critical questions...

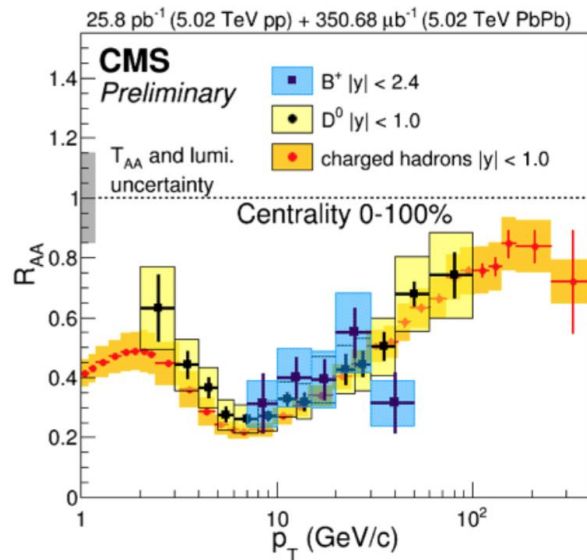
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# Dead cone effect?

now you see me...

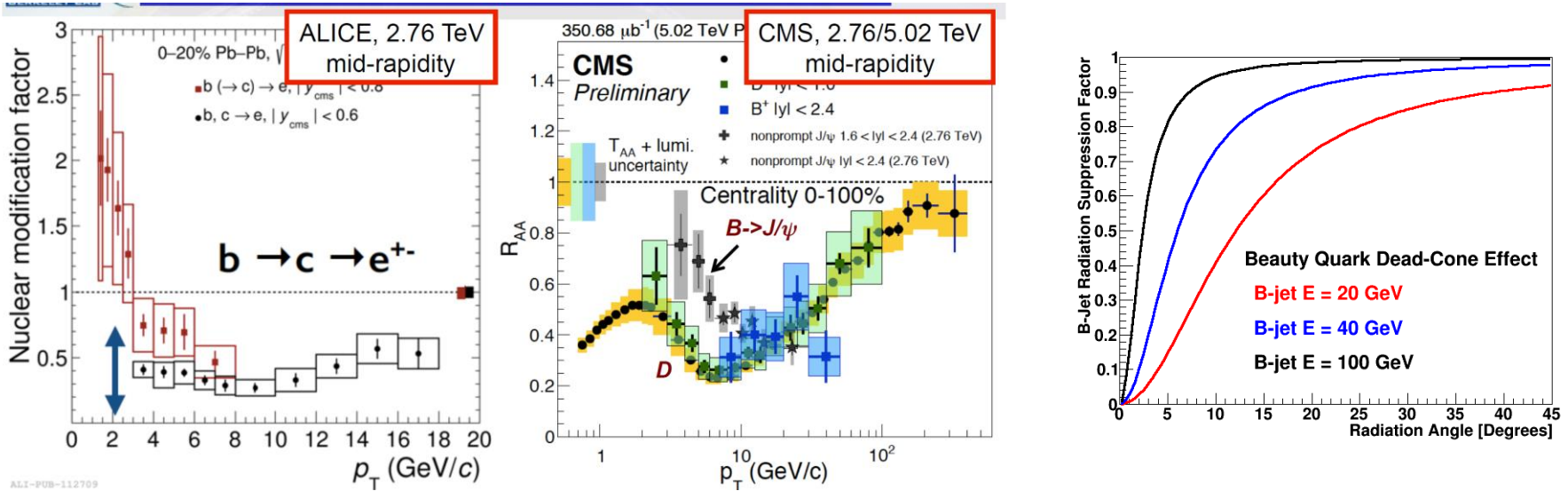


now you don't...



- expect difference at 10 GeV?

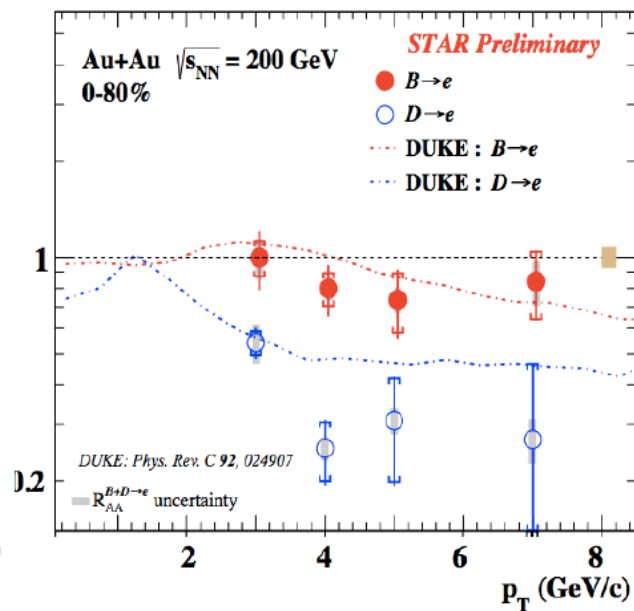
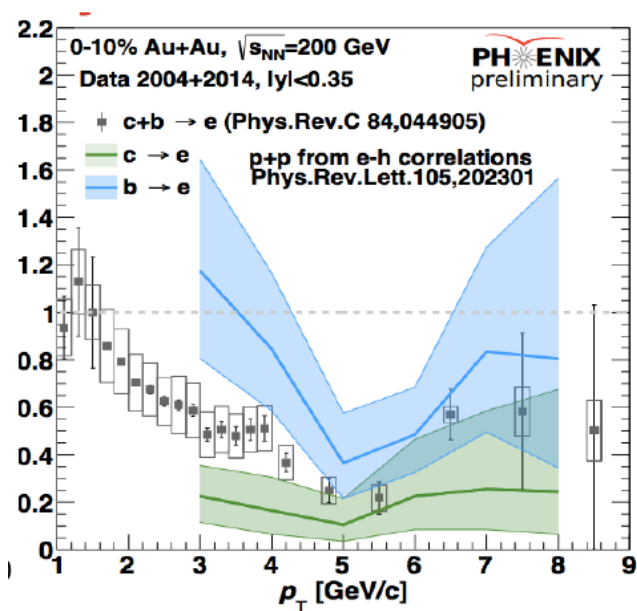
difference at low  $p_T$   
 rapidity dependence?  
 uncertainties still large  $\rightarrow$  more data needed



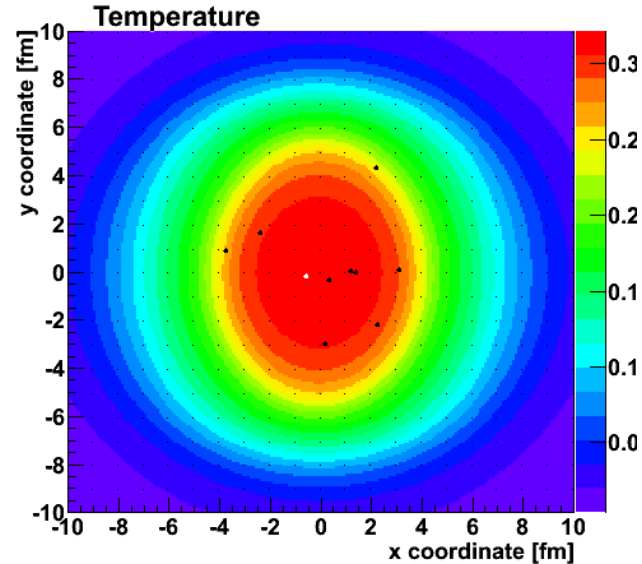
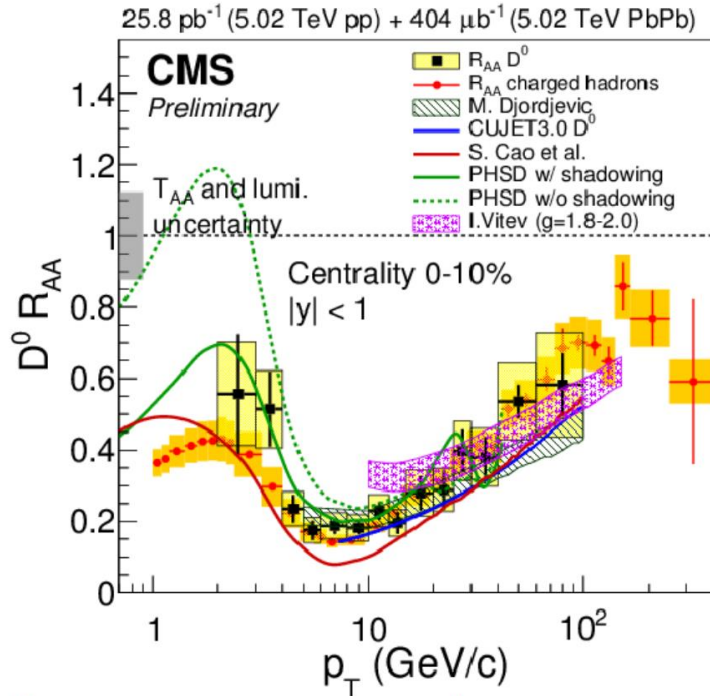
At  $p_T = 4$  GeV, is that dominated by radiative energy loss or by Langevin type throttling?

# RHIC 200 GeV

$$R_{AA}(e_B) > R_{AA}(e_D)$$



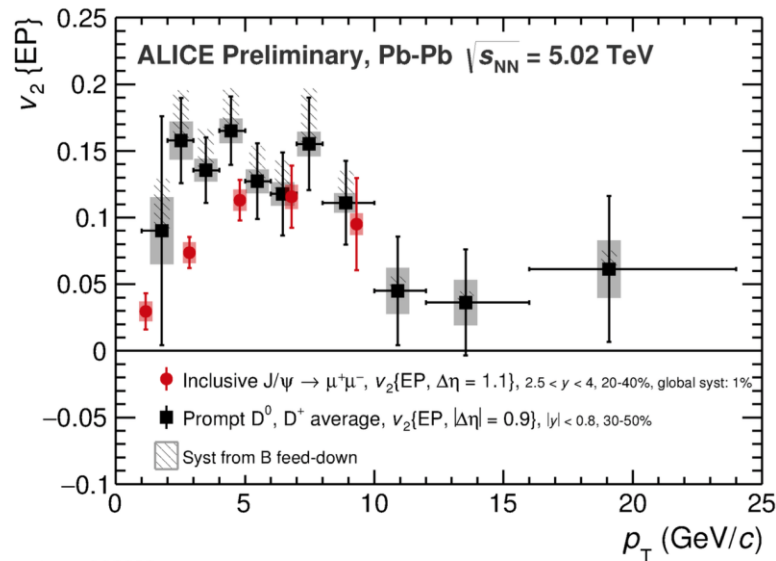
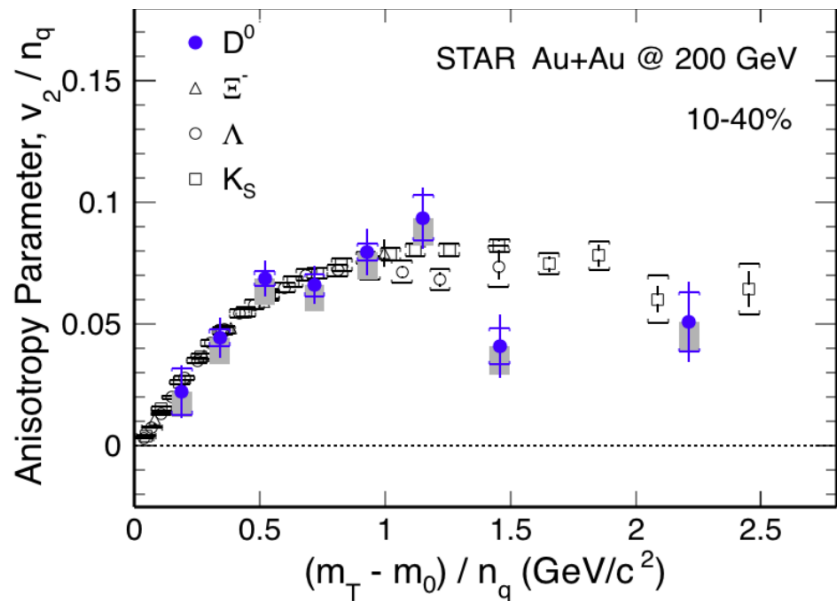
# Geometry and Shadowing Question



Shadowing suppressed charm  $\times 2$  for  $p_T < 3$  GeV.

Key for description. What about the spatial correlation?

# Charm Quark Flow versus Equilibration?



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Strong coupling → charm quark flow (?) → Thermalization or Equilibration

- is it the right question to ask?
  - is equilibration necessary for hydro?
  - see Romatschke arXiv:1609.02820

Hydrodynamization  
 Isotropization  
 Equilibration

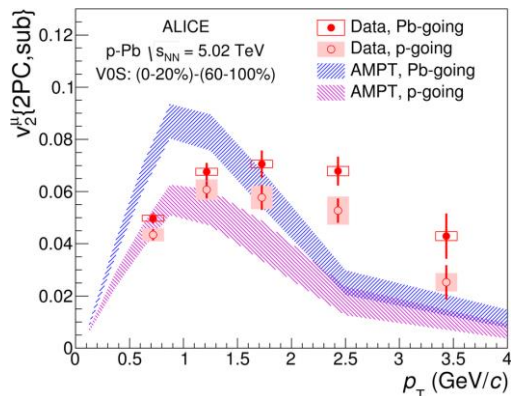
# Can charm help understand small systems?

light-flavour sector:

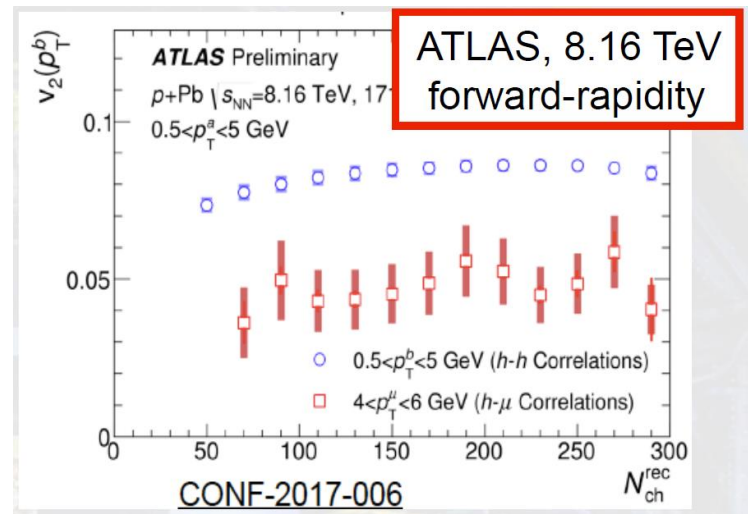
- azimuthal asymmetries
- no evidence of medium effects
  - but system is small...

can charm help?

- wouldn't charm  $v_2$  indicate interaction with medium?



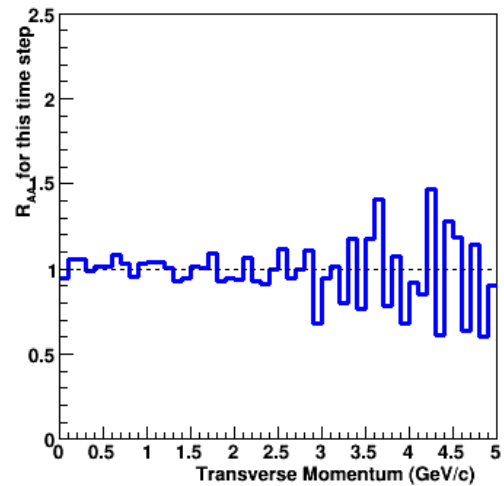
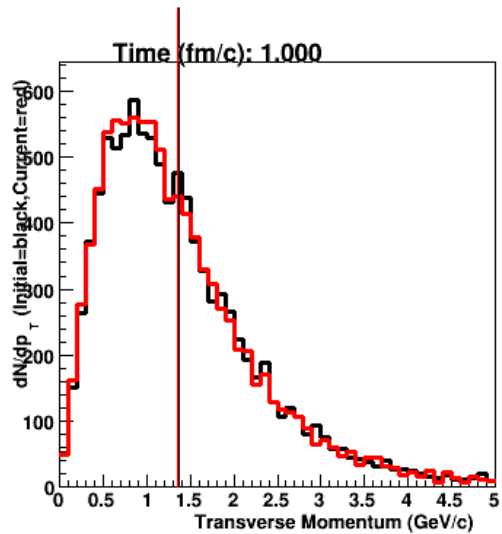
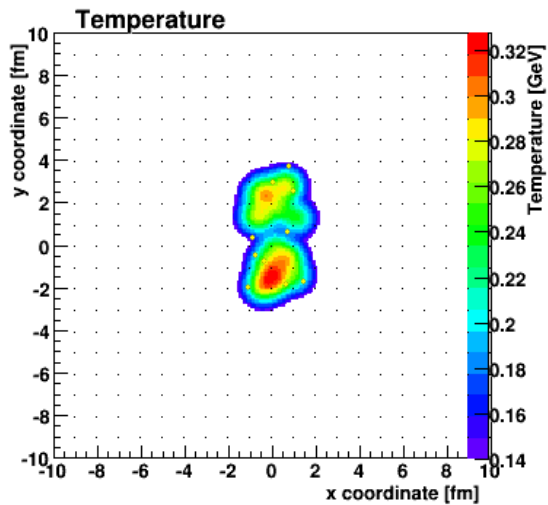
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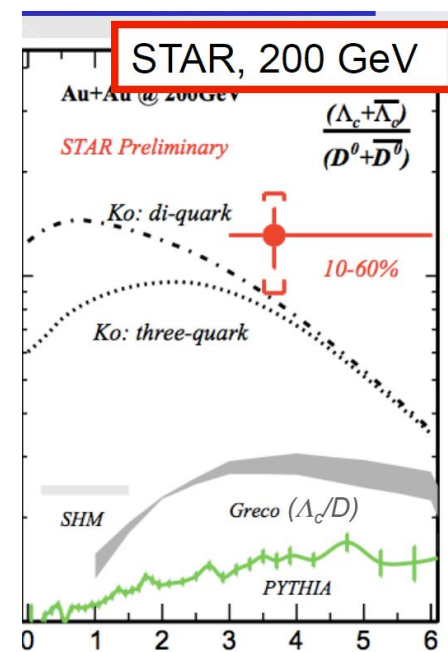
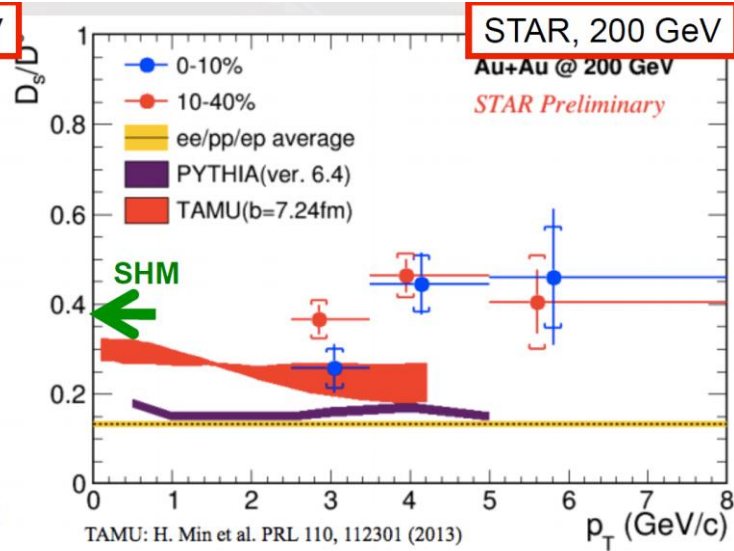
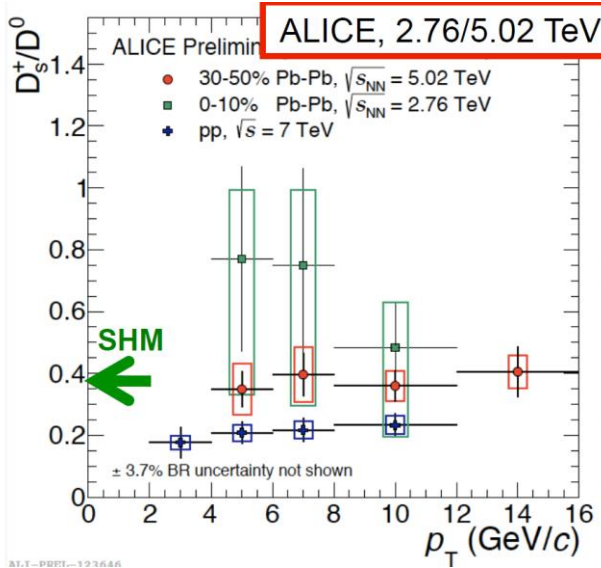
- modifications of  $p_T$  spectrum shape at high mult?







# Charm Chemistry



Longer time – momentum dependence of these yields should prove very exciting.  
 When do we transition from Langevin + Coalescence into Energy Loss + Fragmentation regimes...