

# QGP studies with FCC-Heavy Ions

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*A. Dainese et al. arXiv:1605.01389*

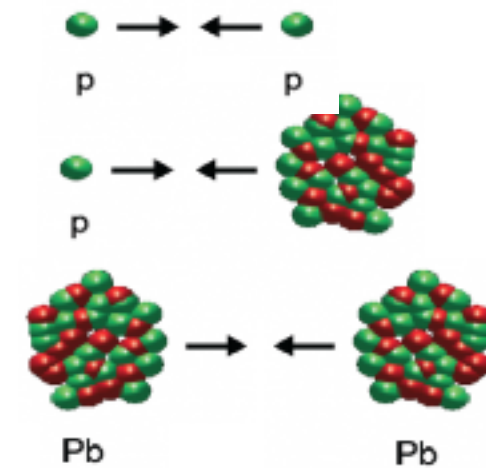


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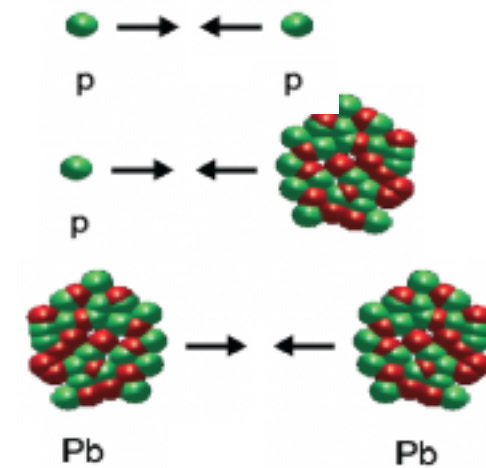
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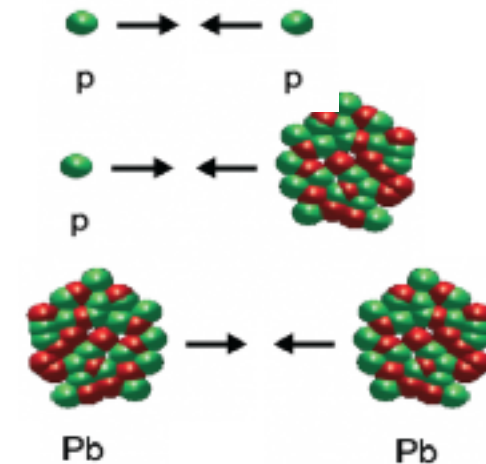


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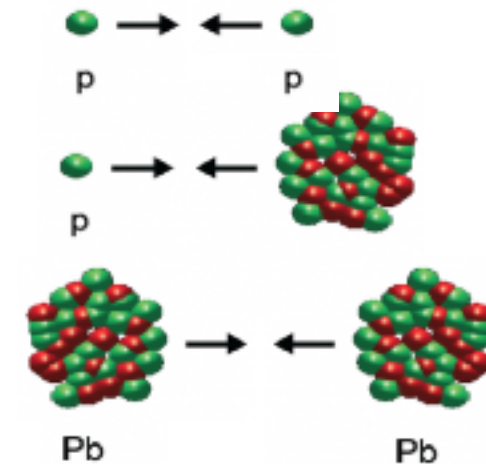


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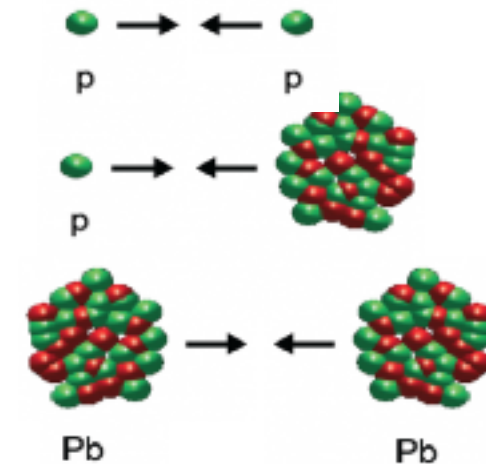
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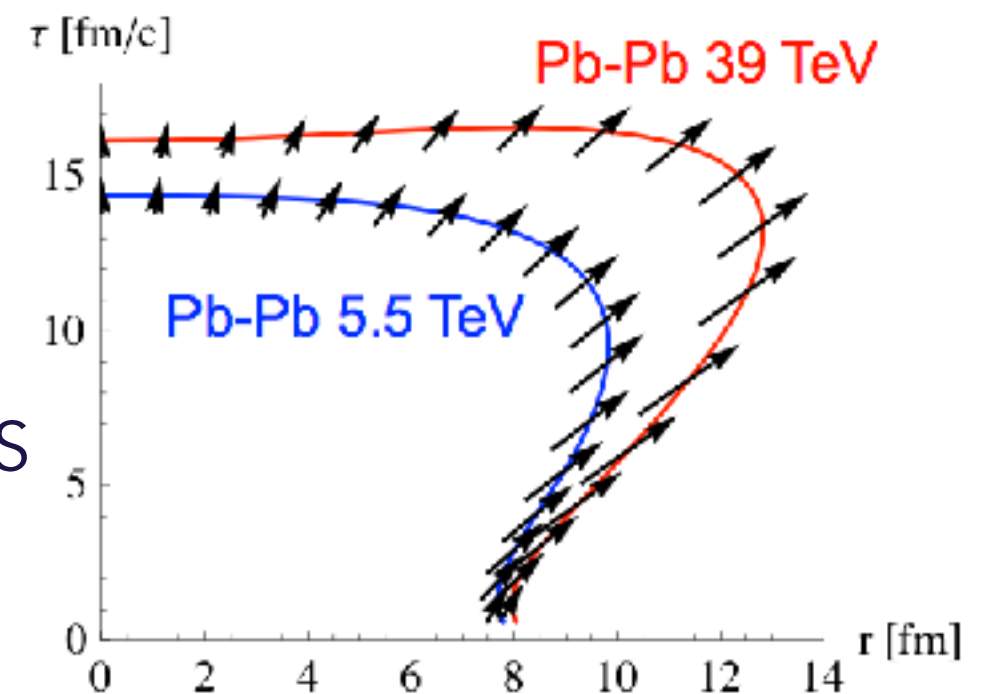
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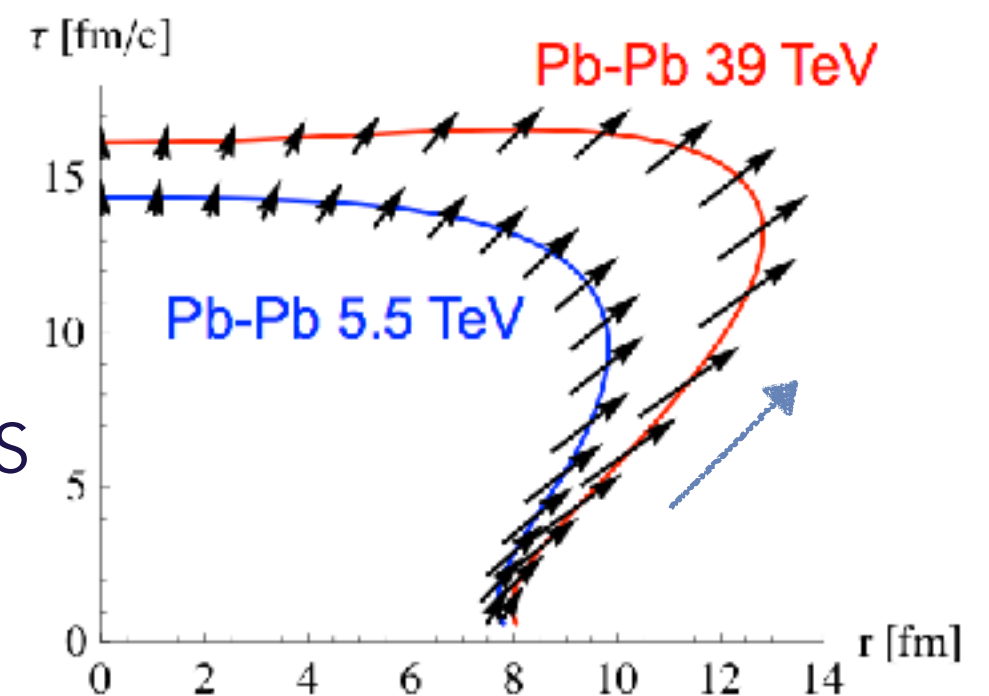
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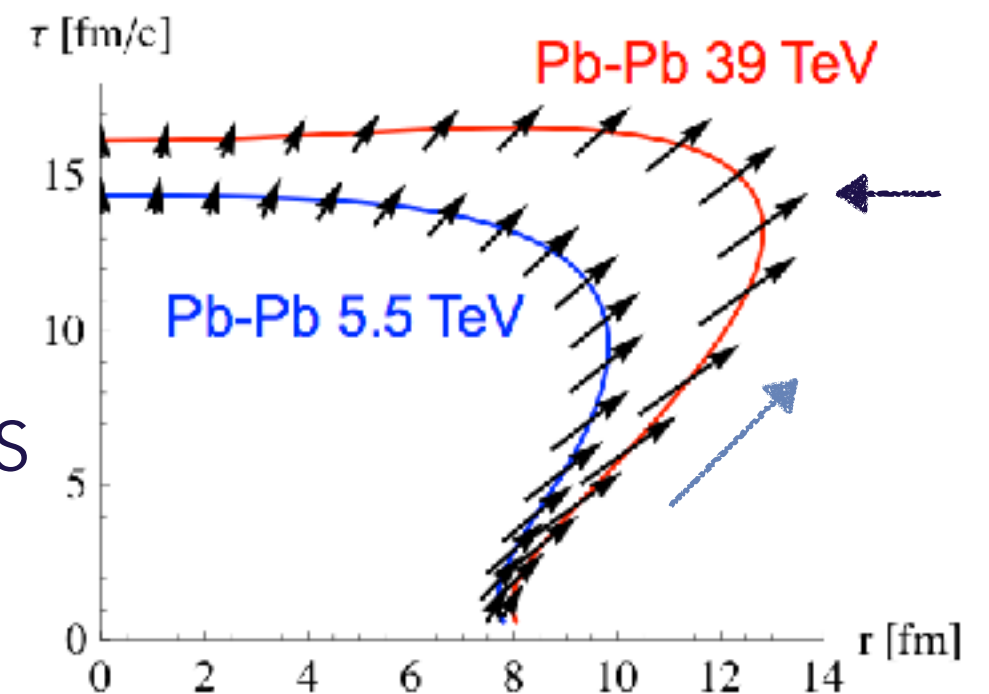
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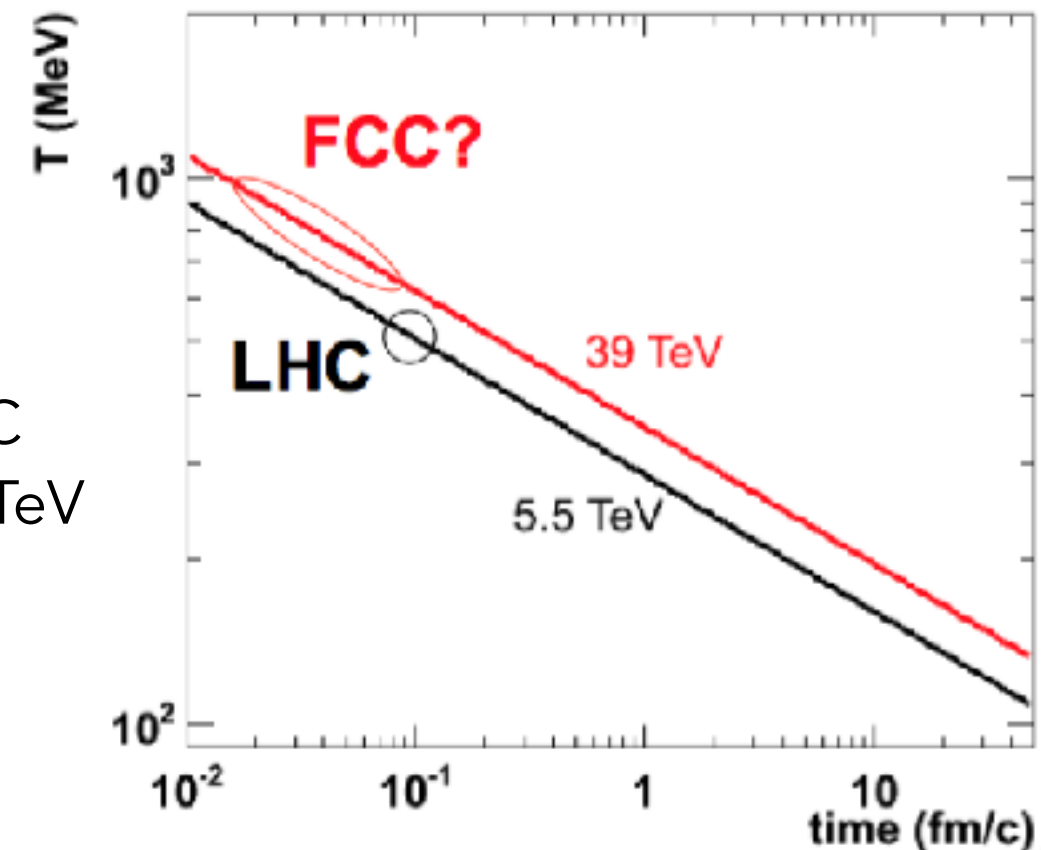
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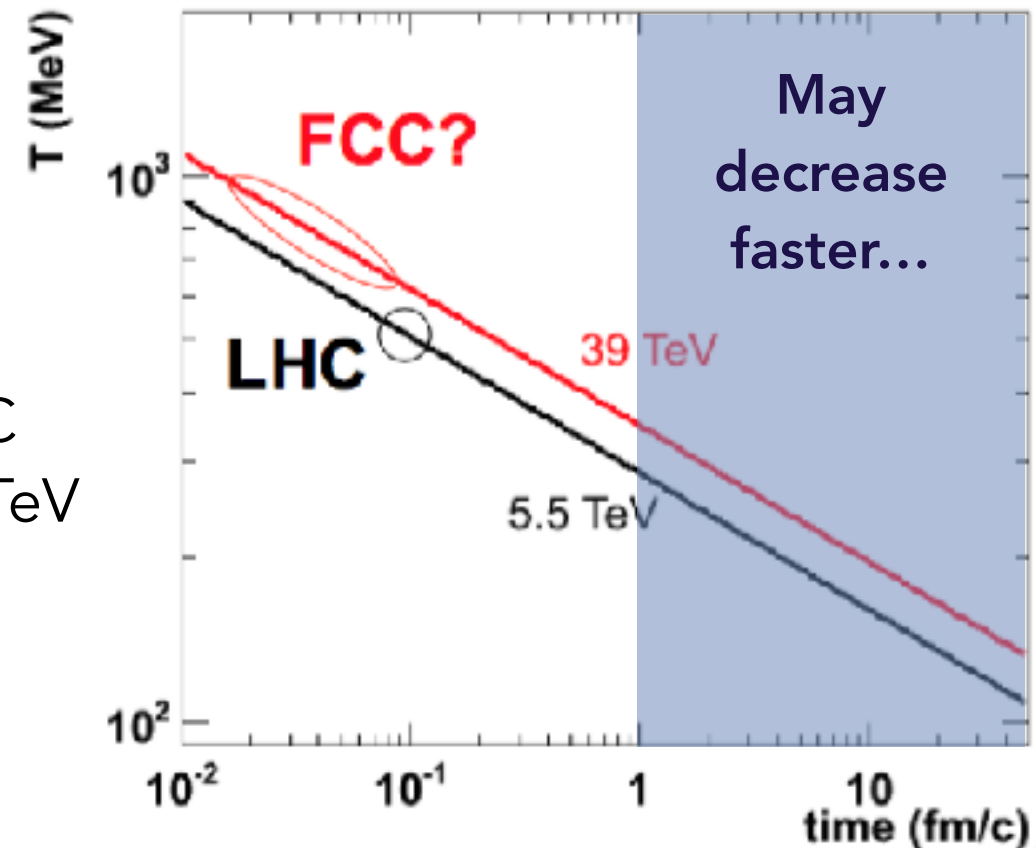
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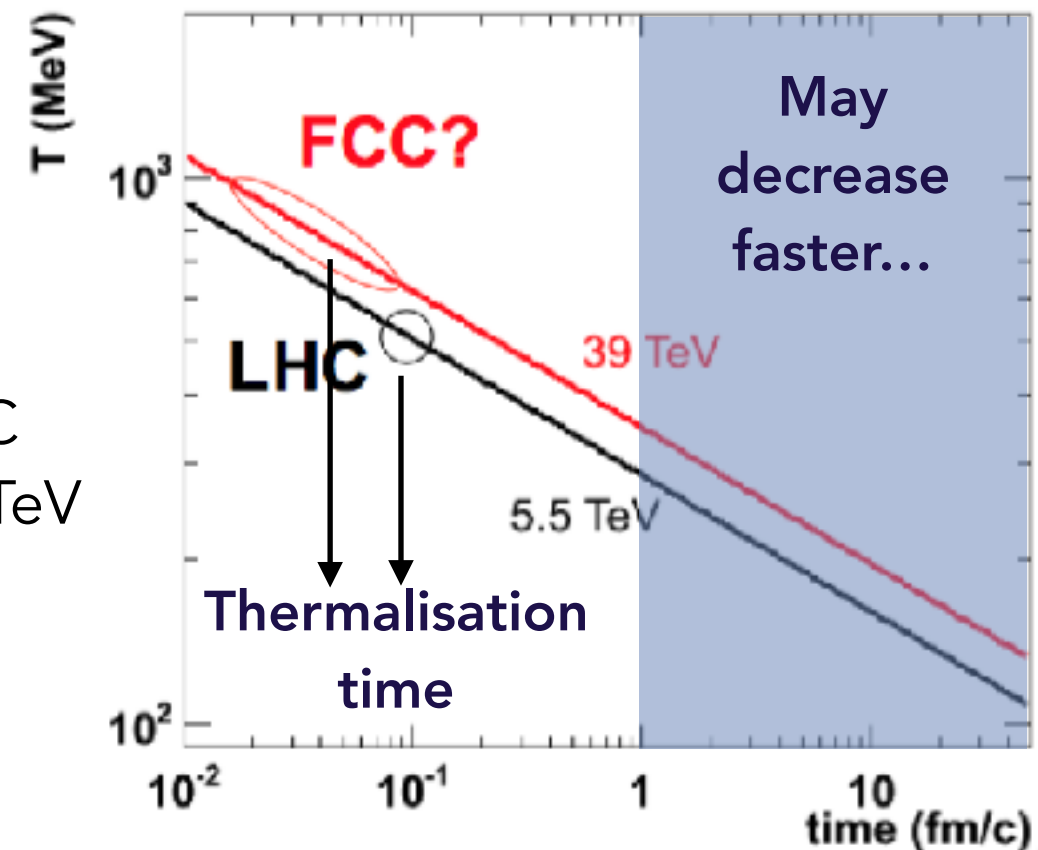
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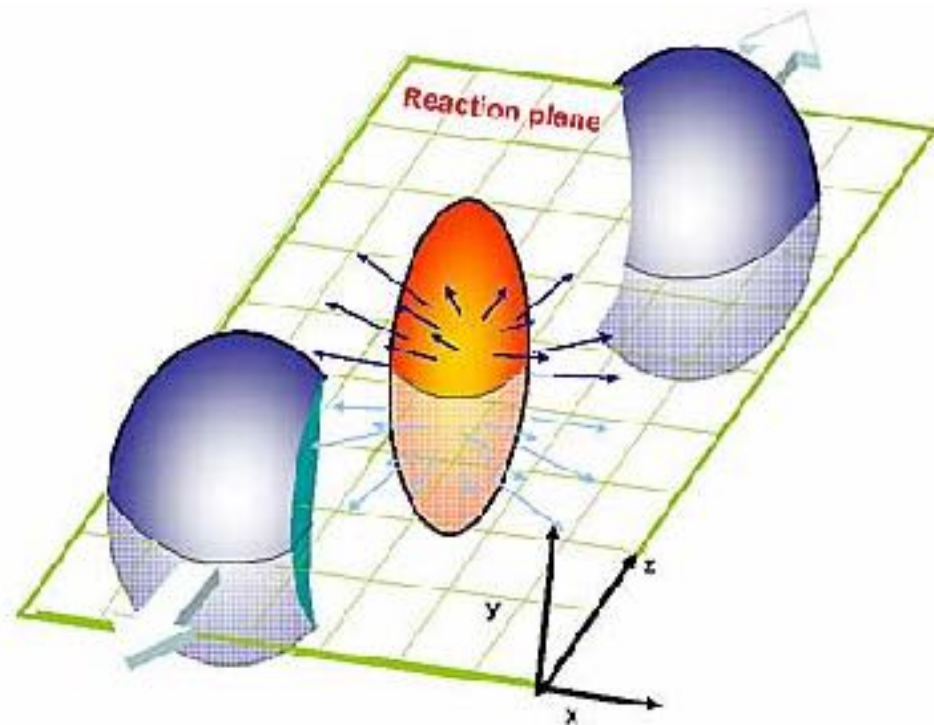


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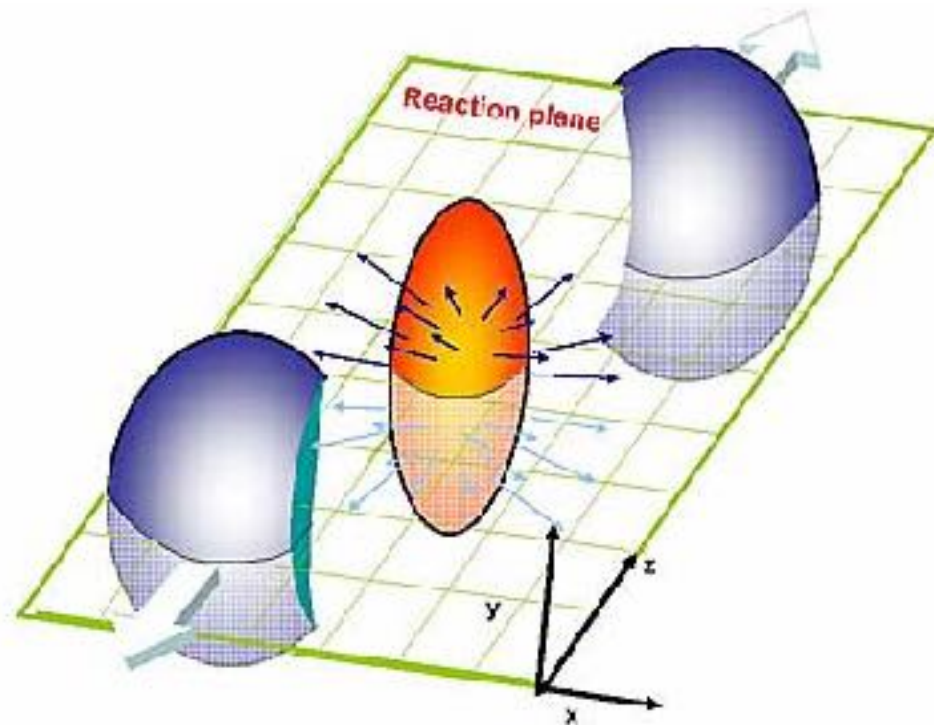
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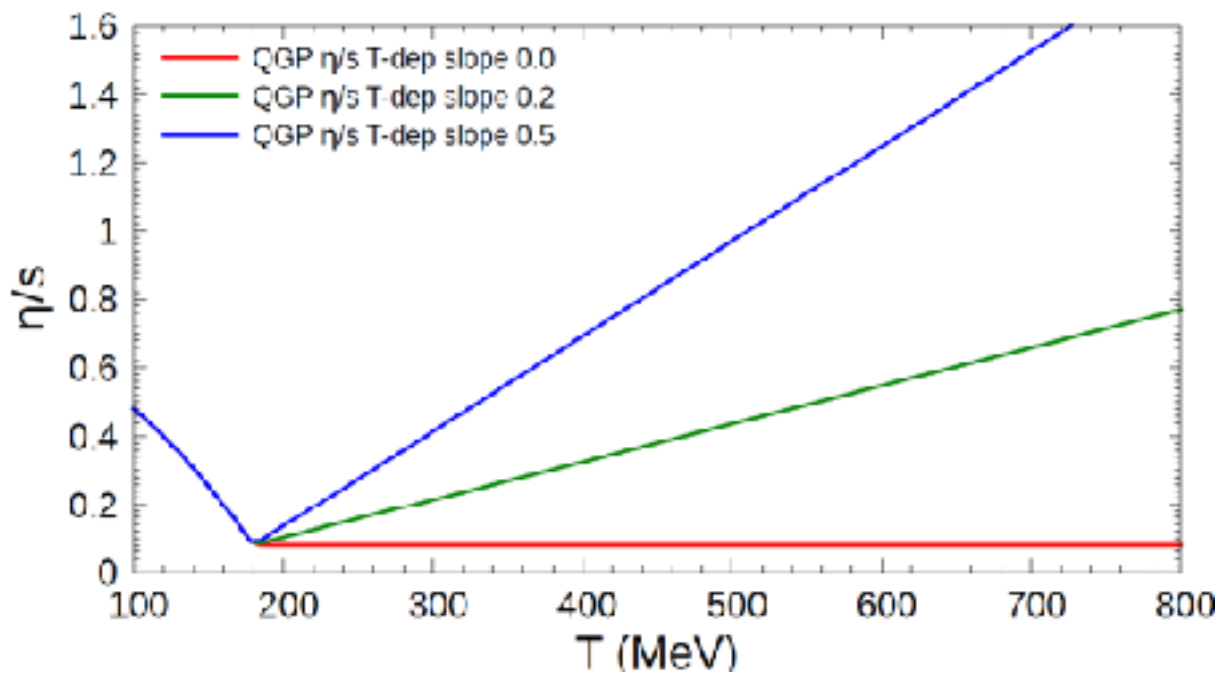
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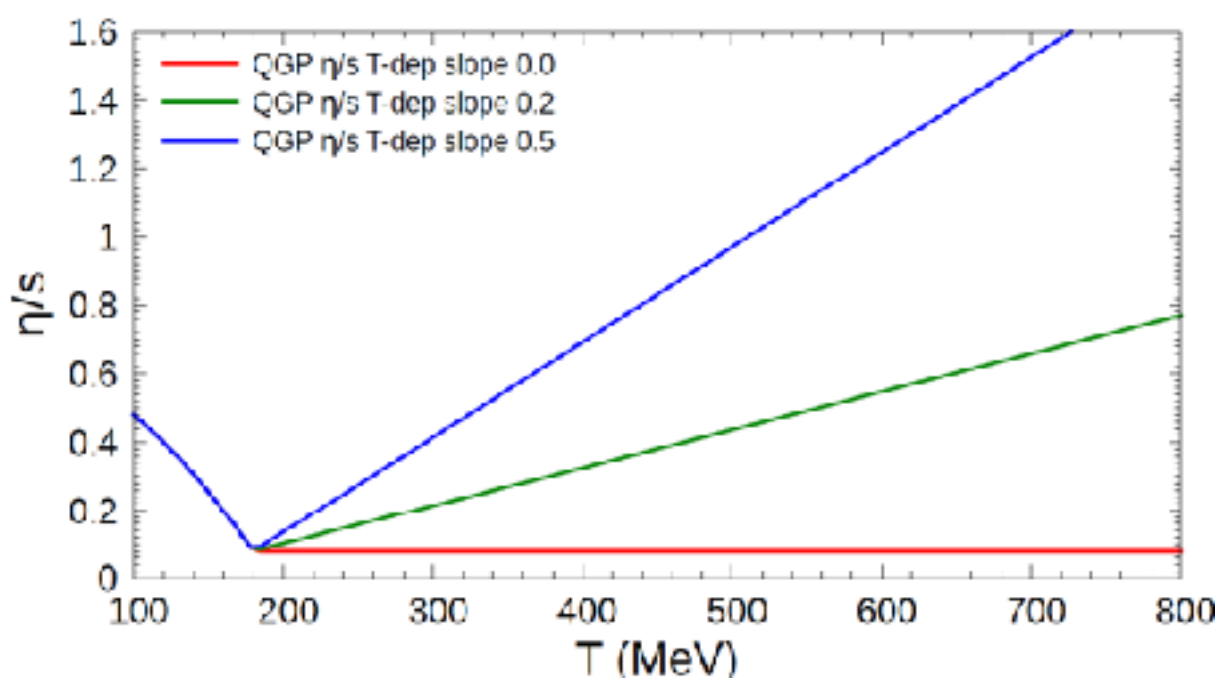
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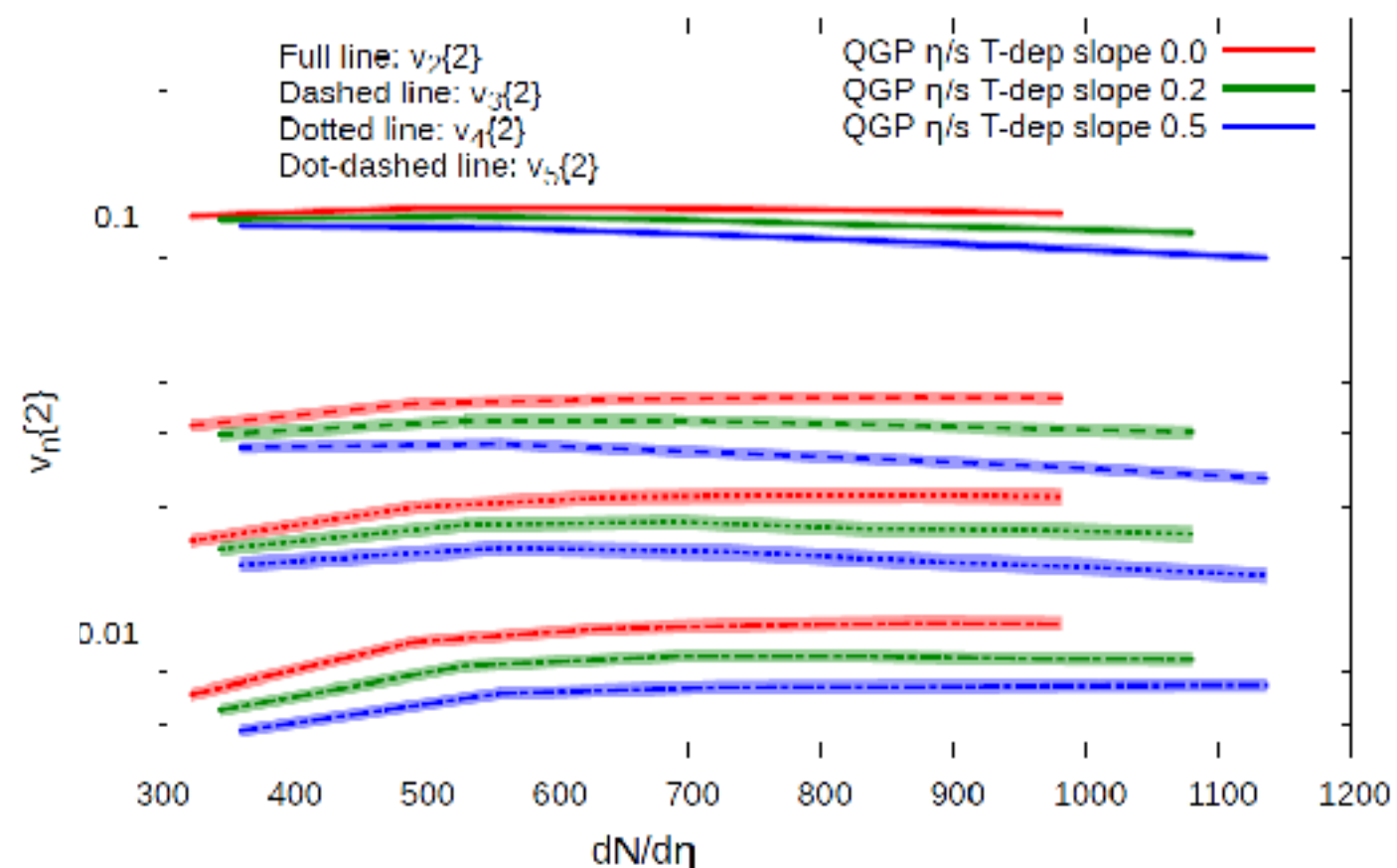
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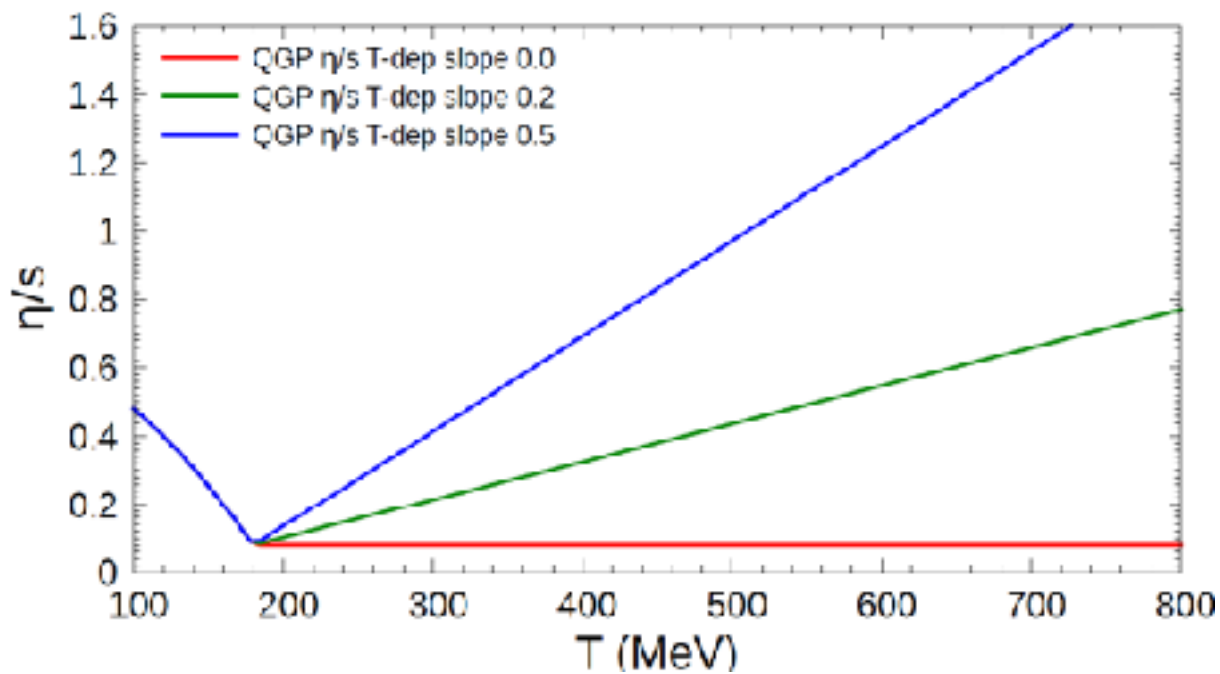


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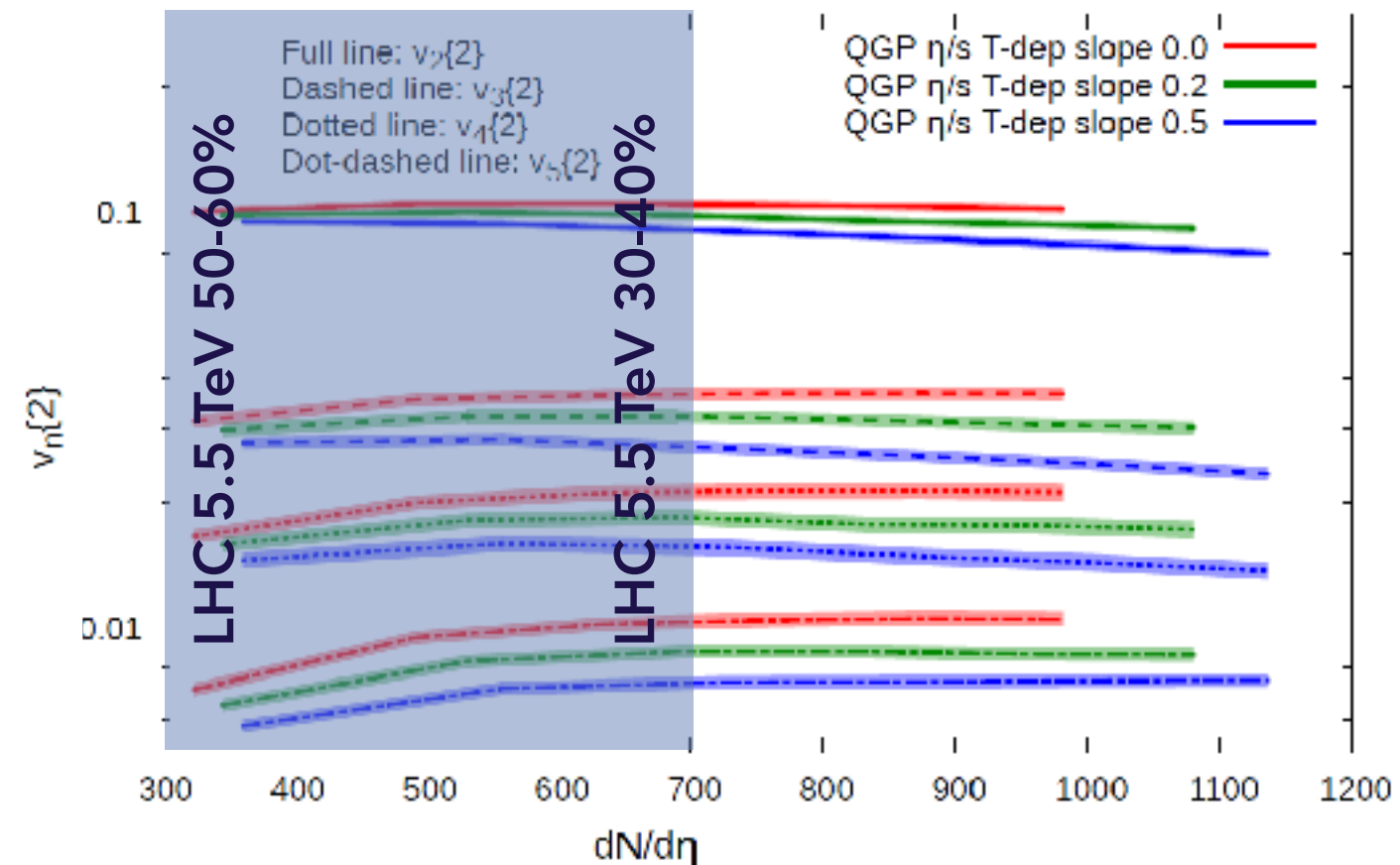


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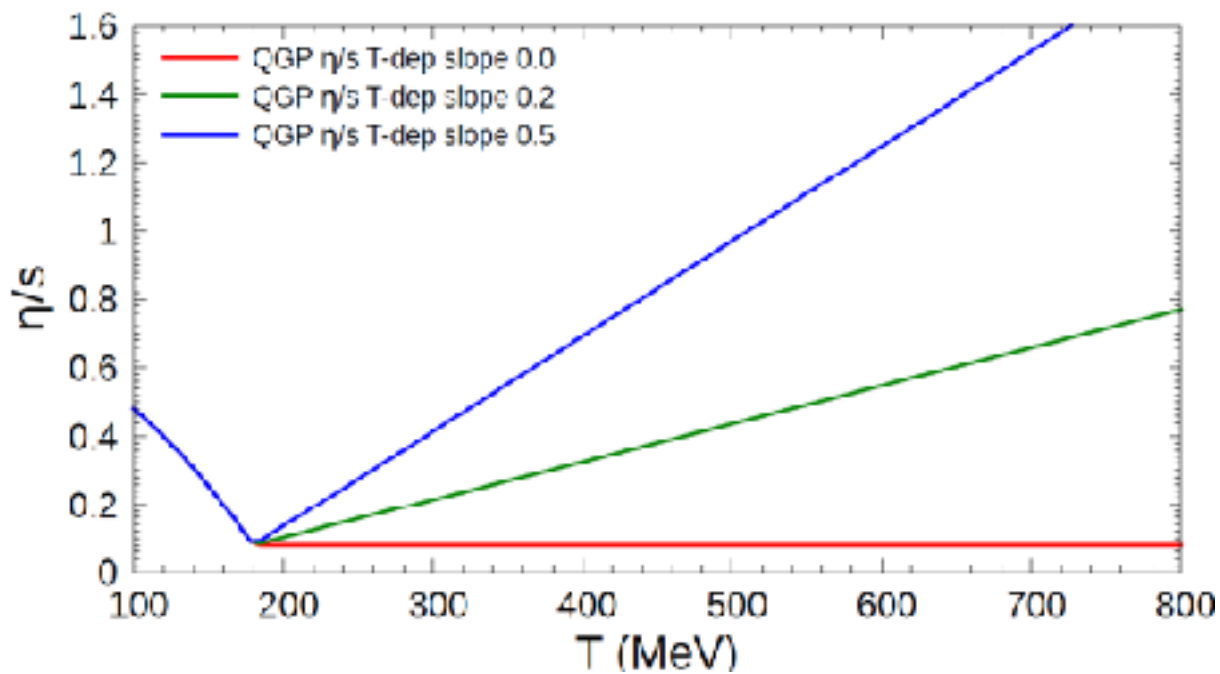
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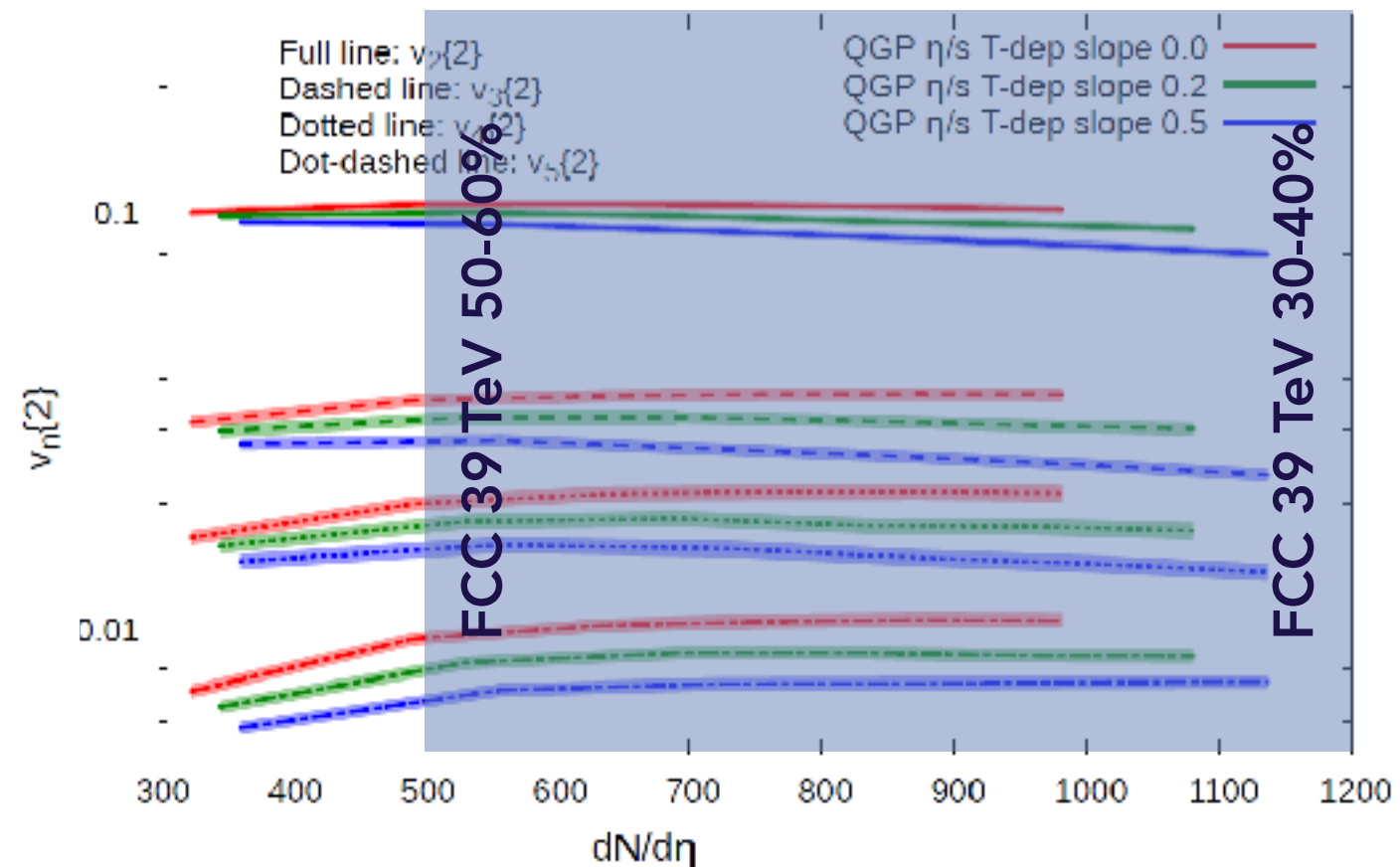
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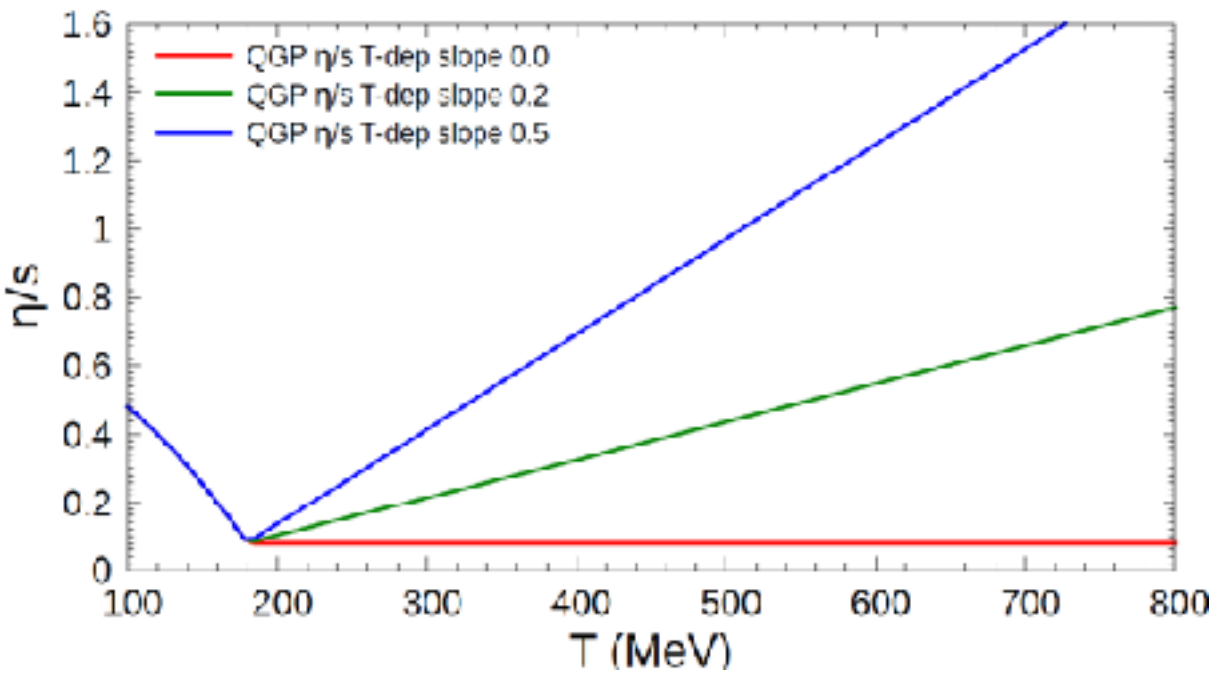


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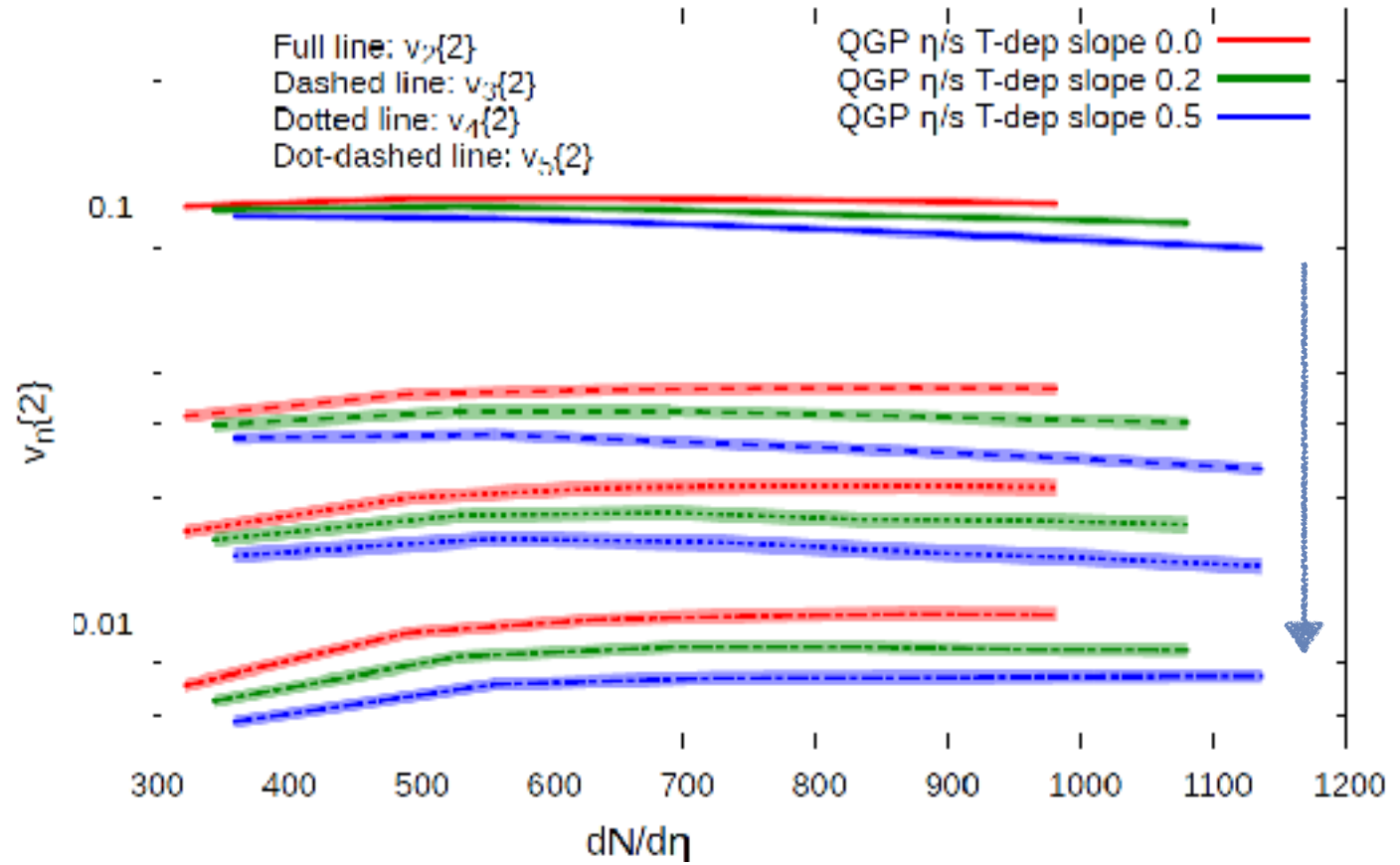
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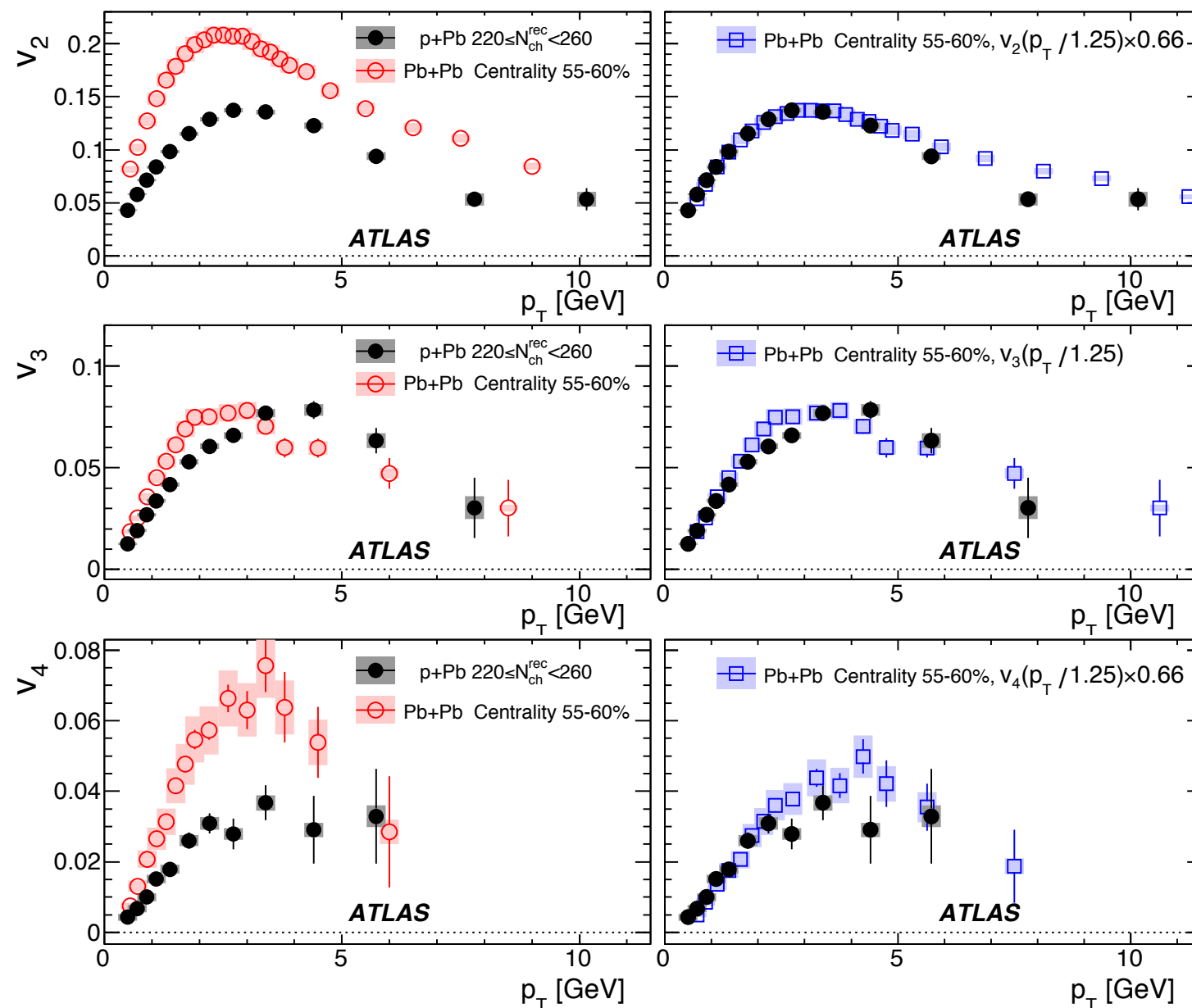


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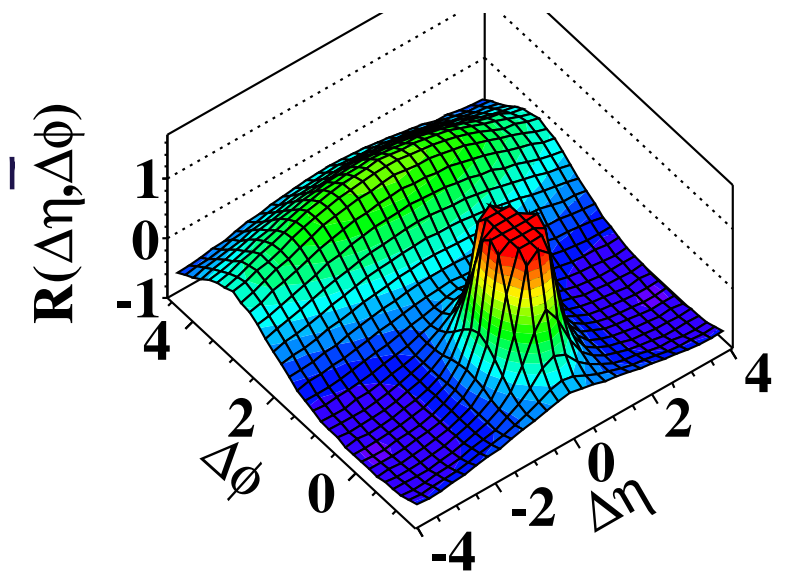
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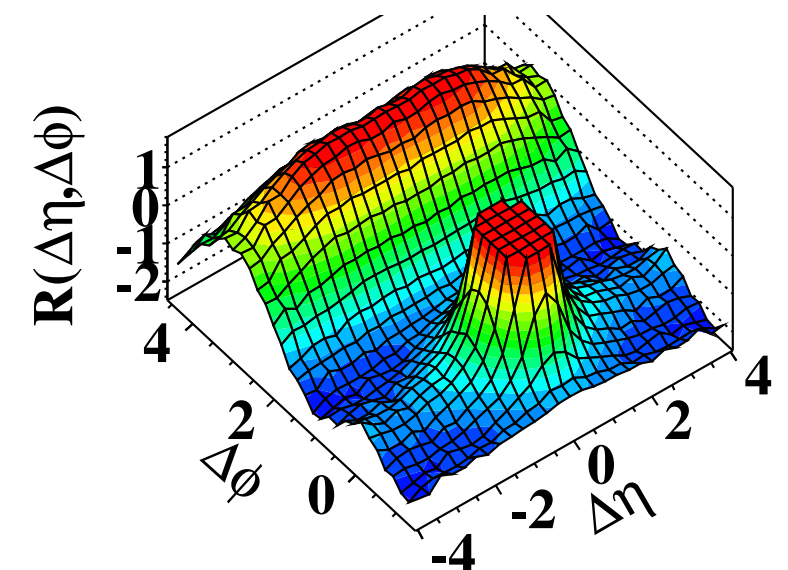


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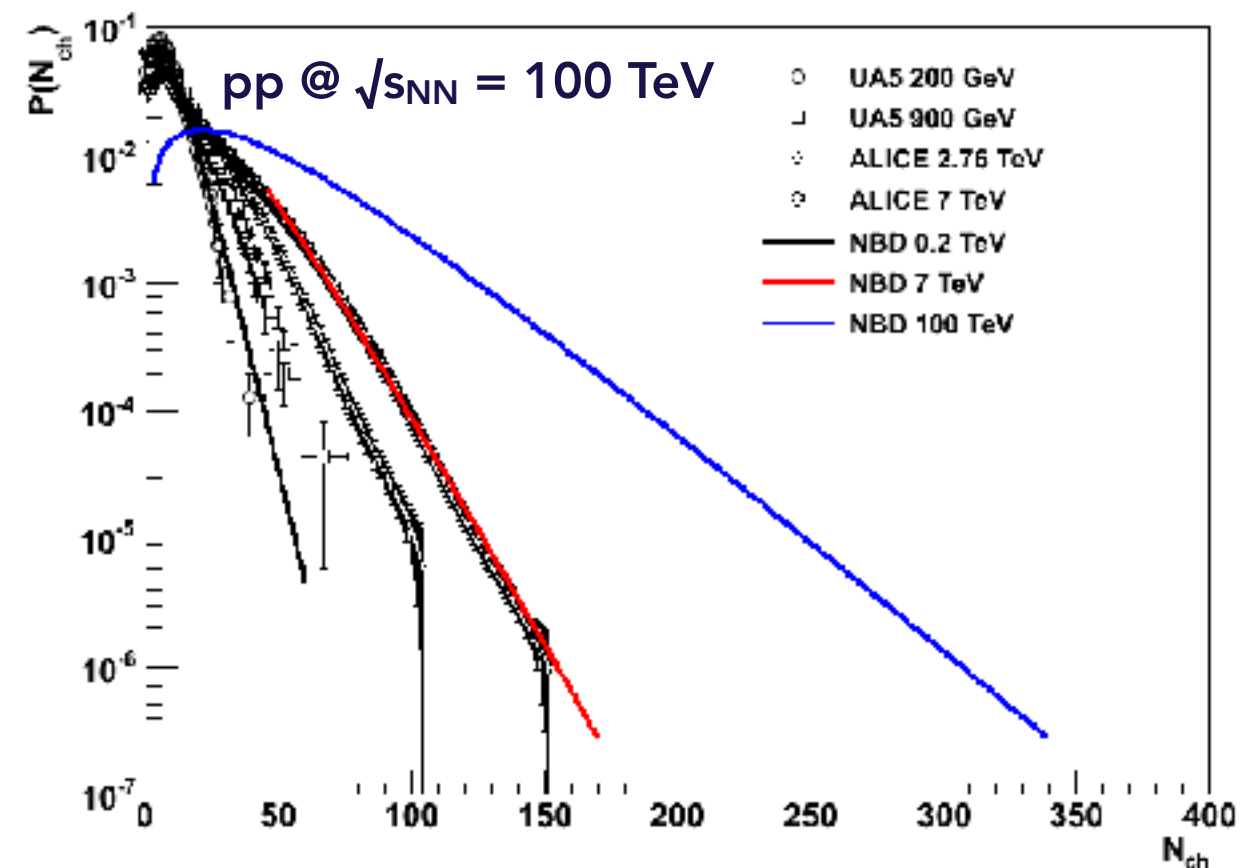


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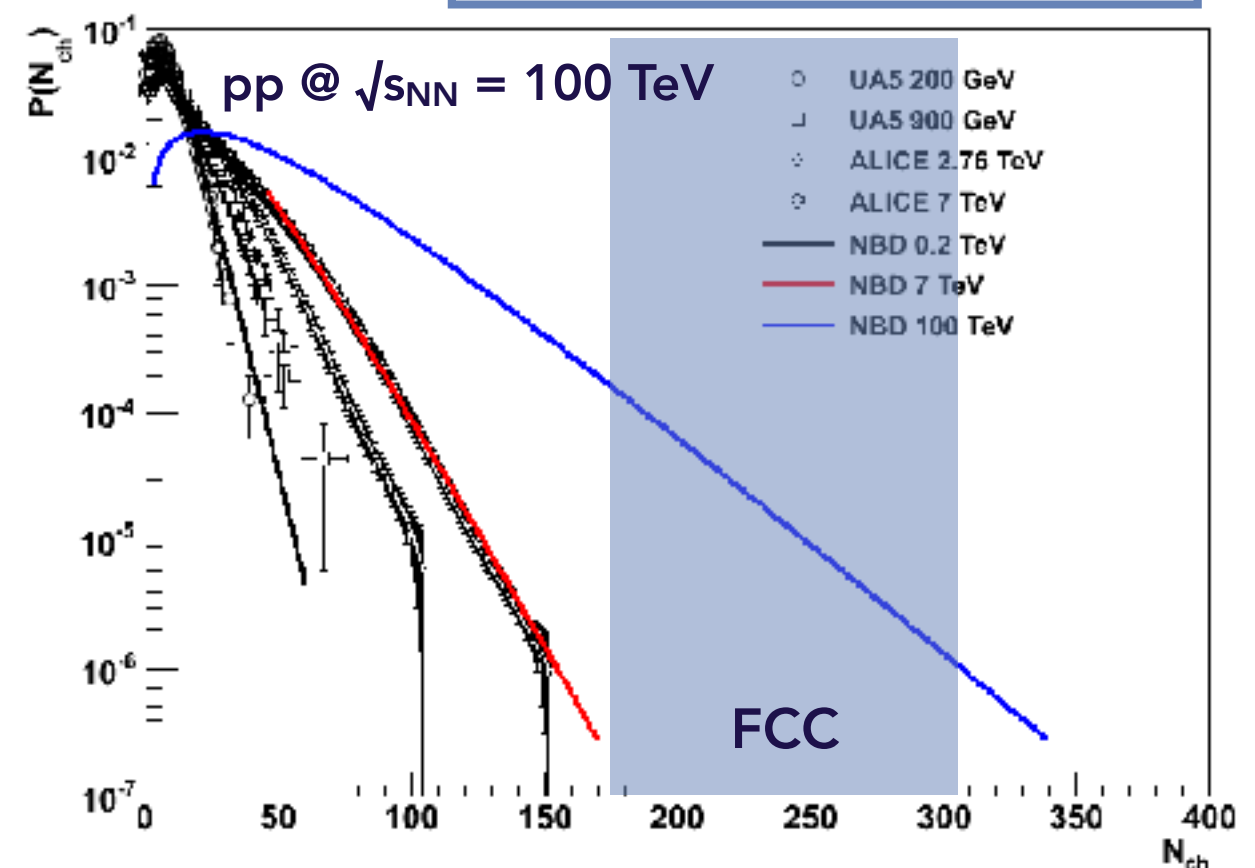
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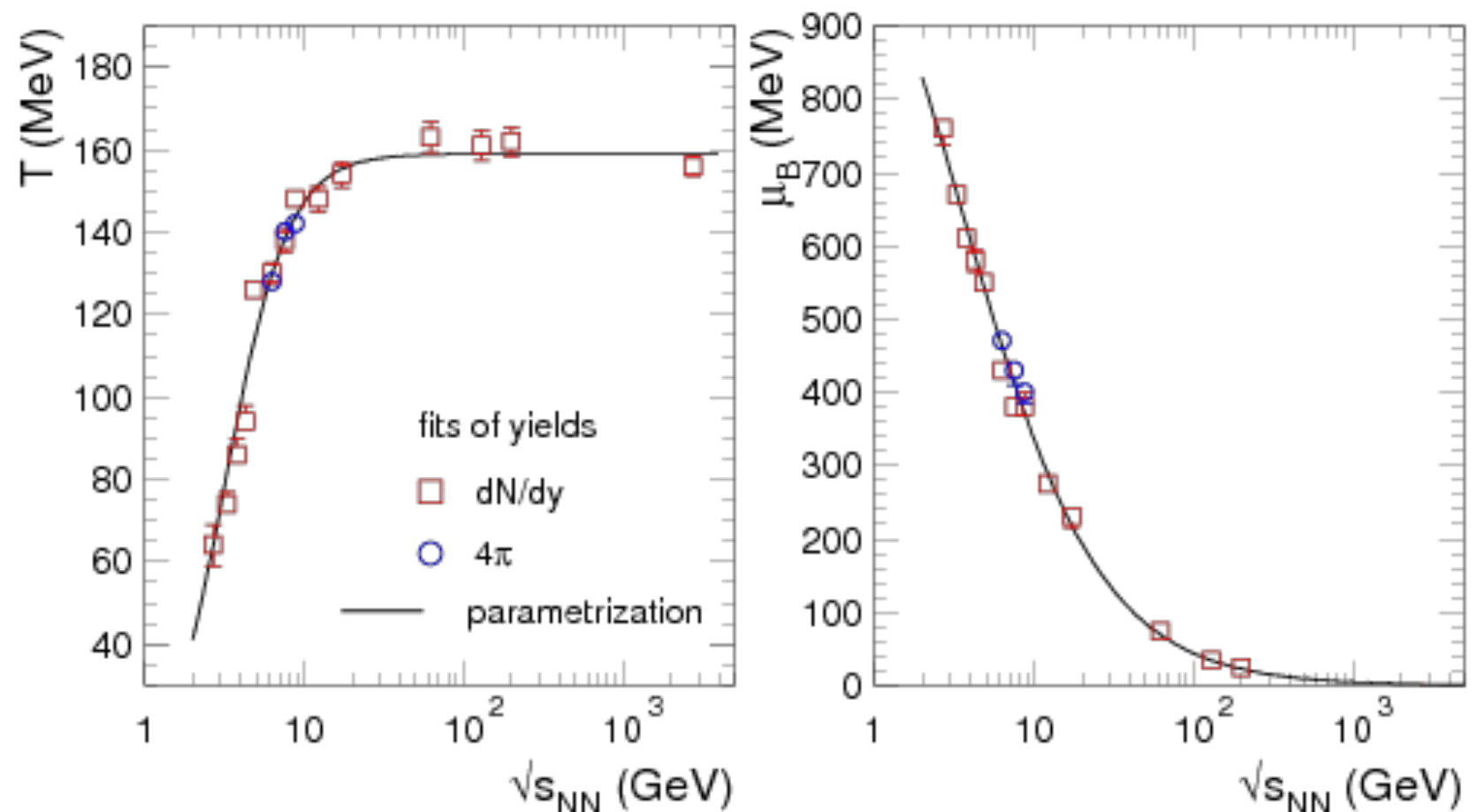


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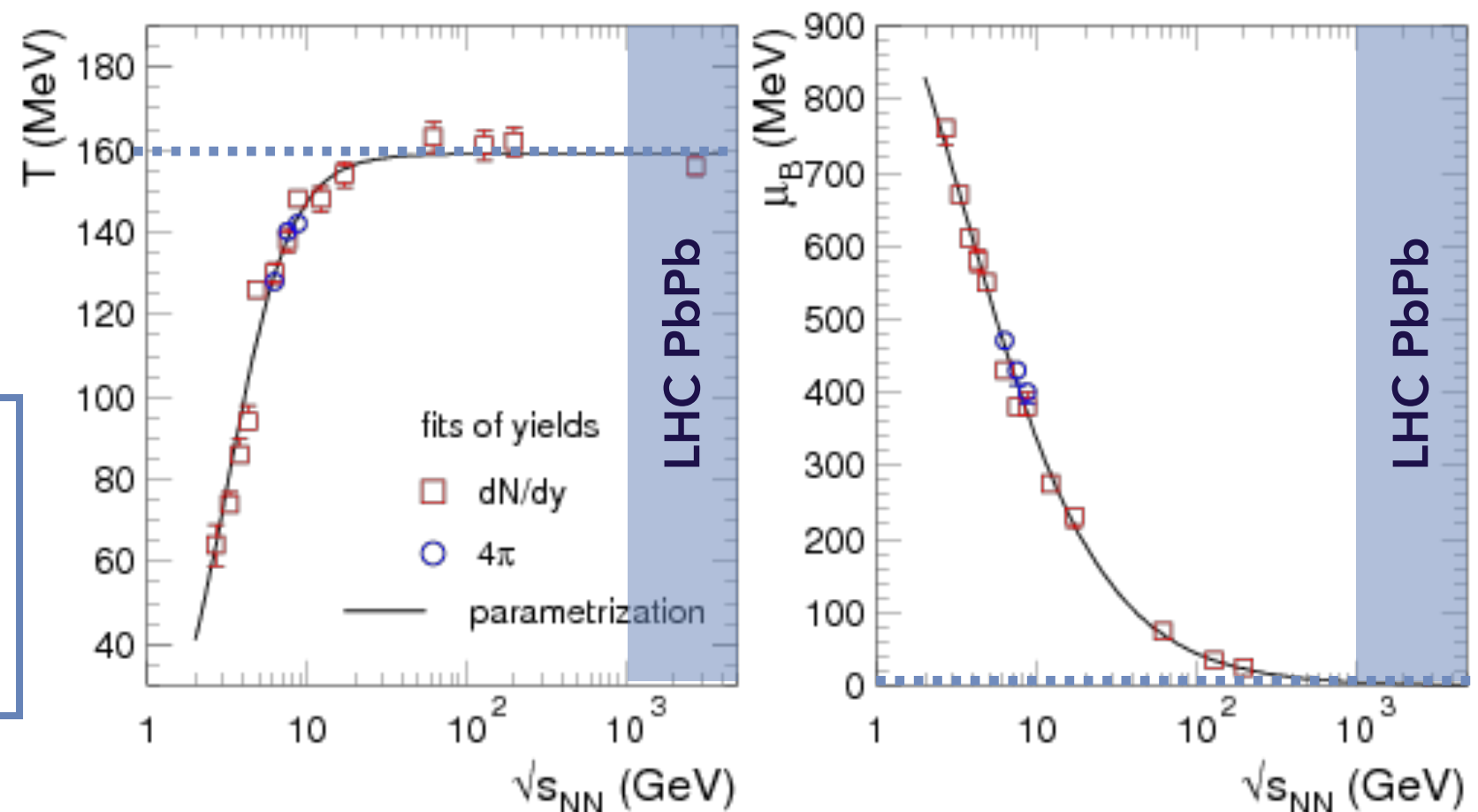




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# Hard Probes

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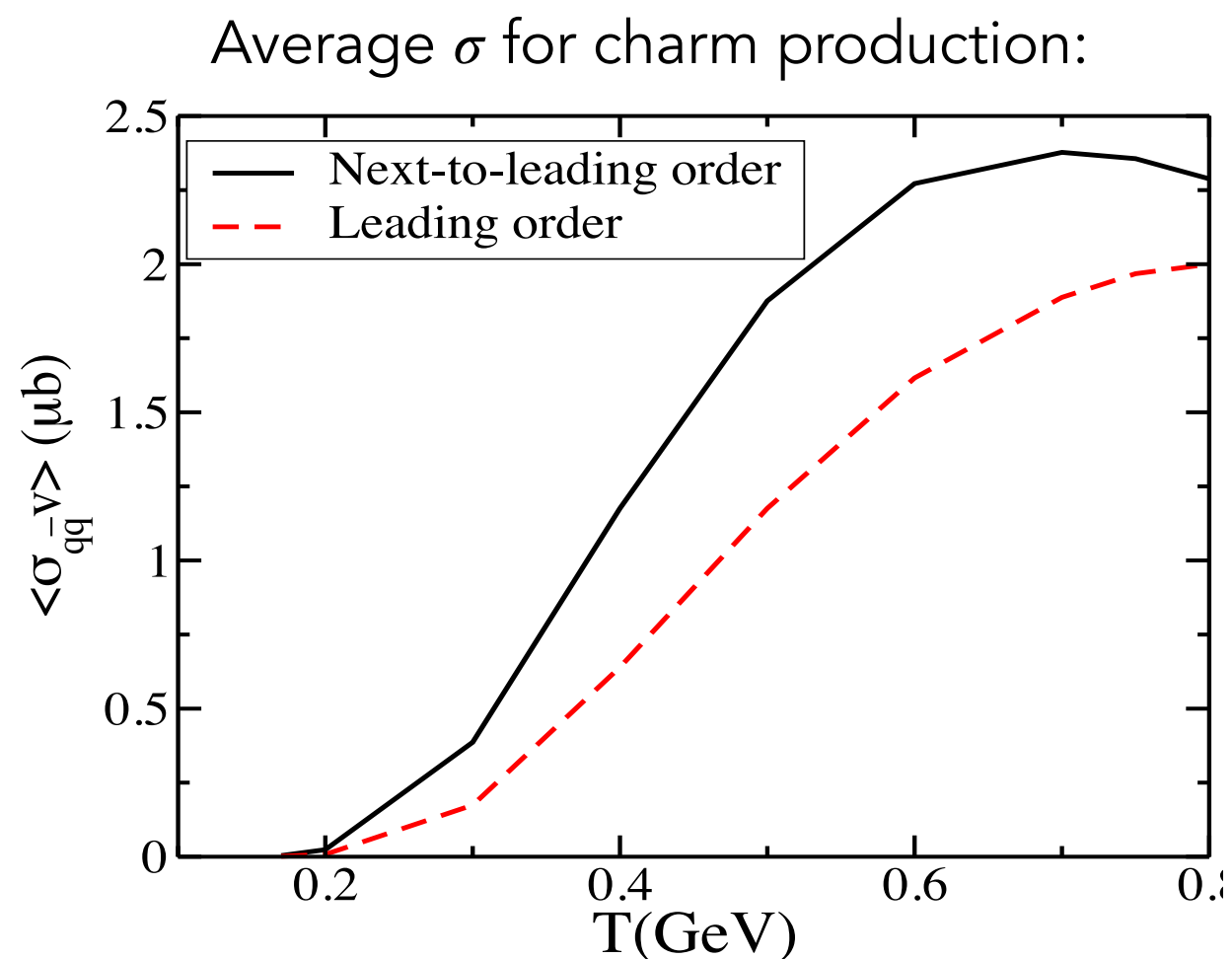
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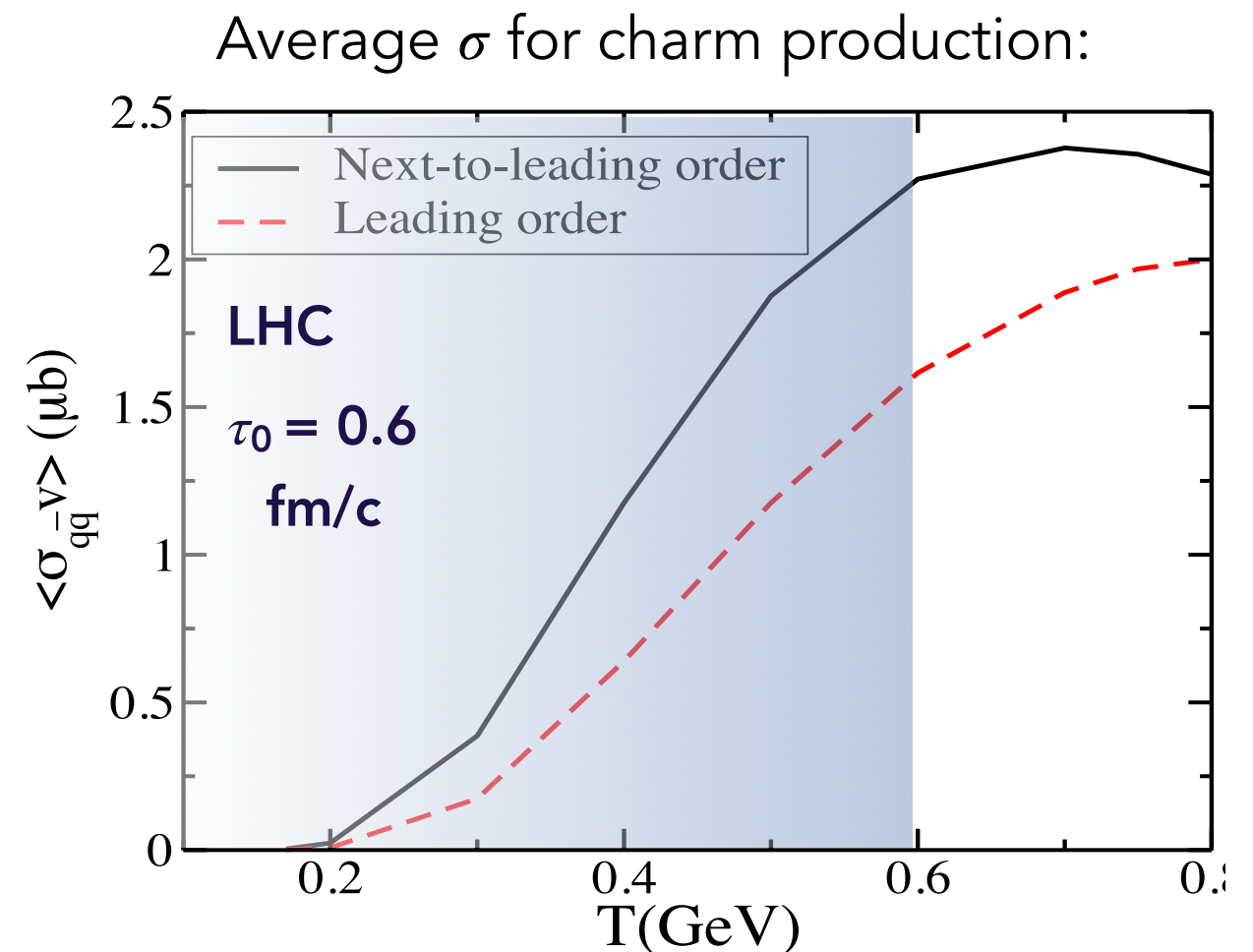


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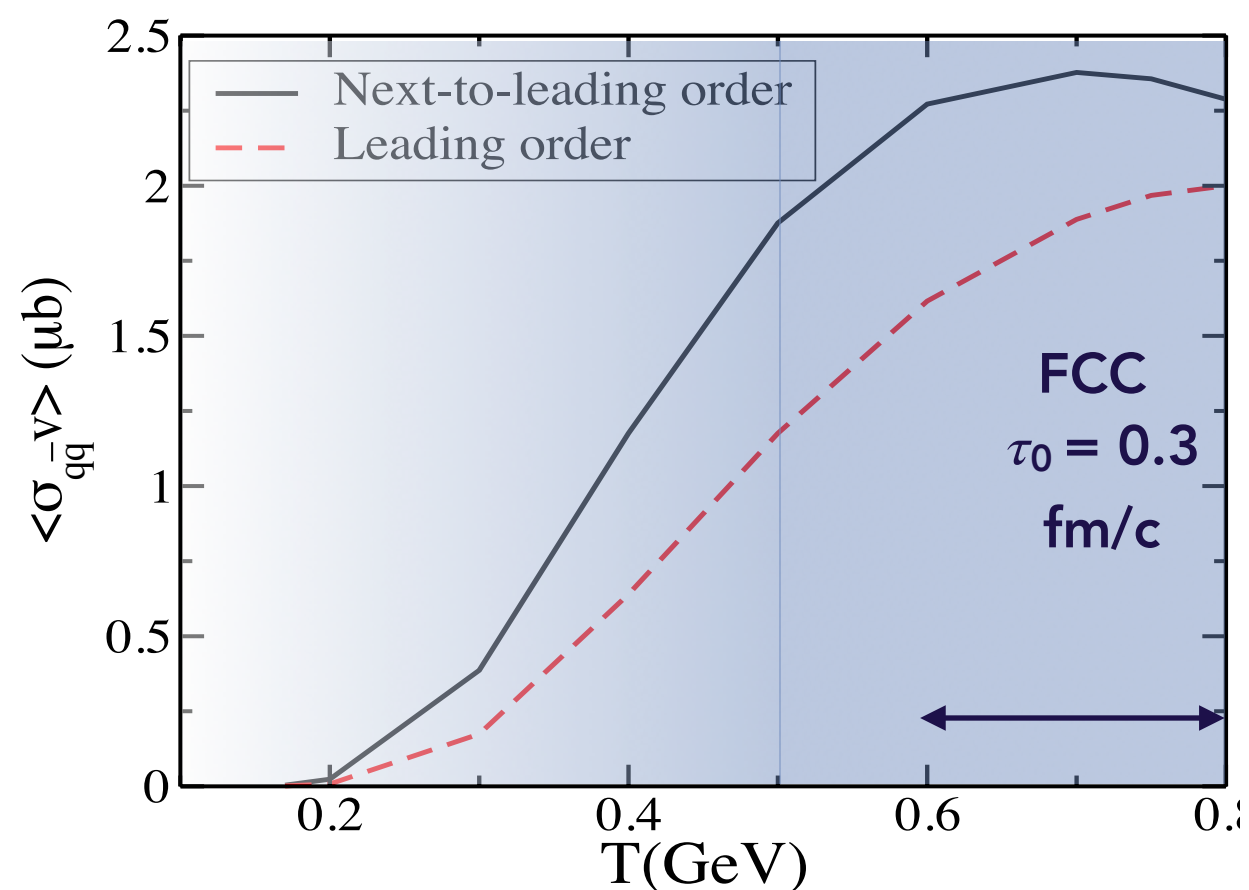
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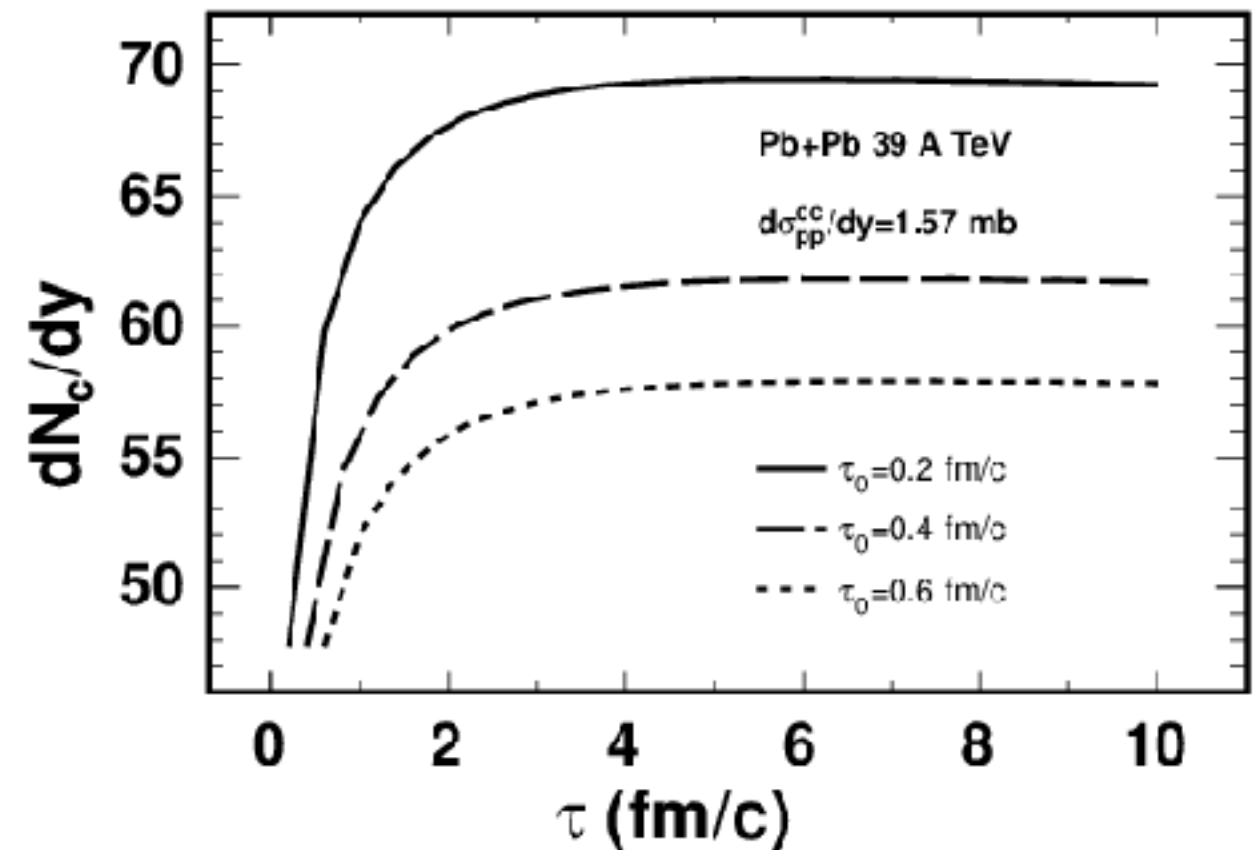
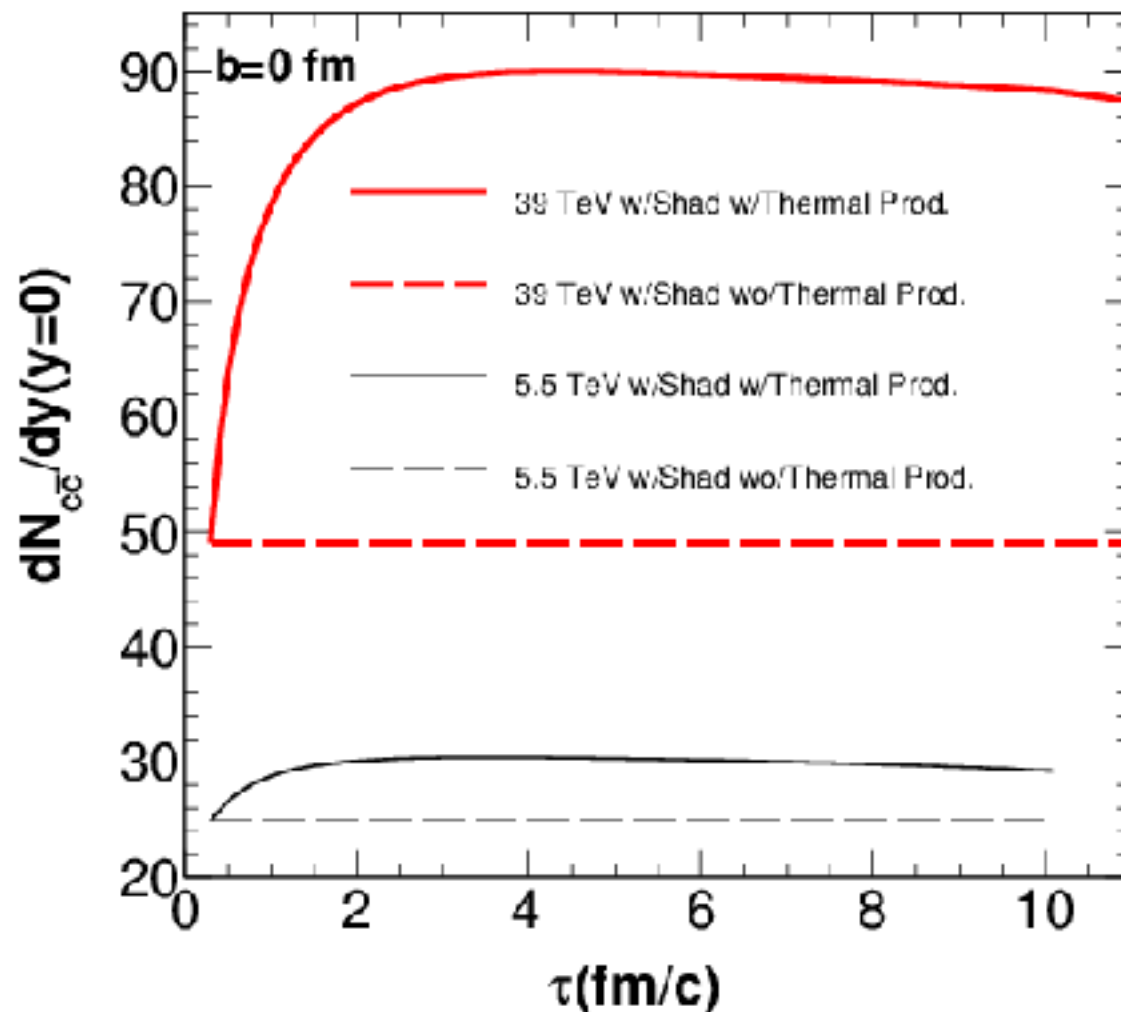
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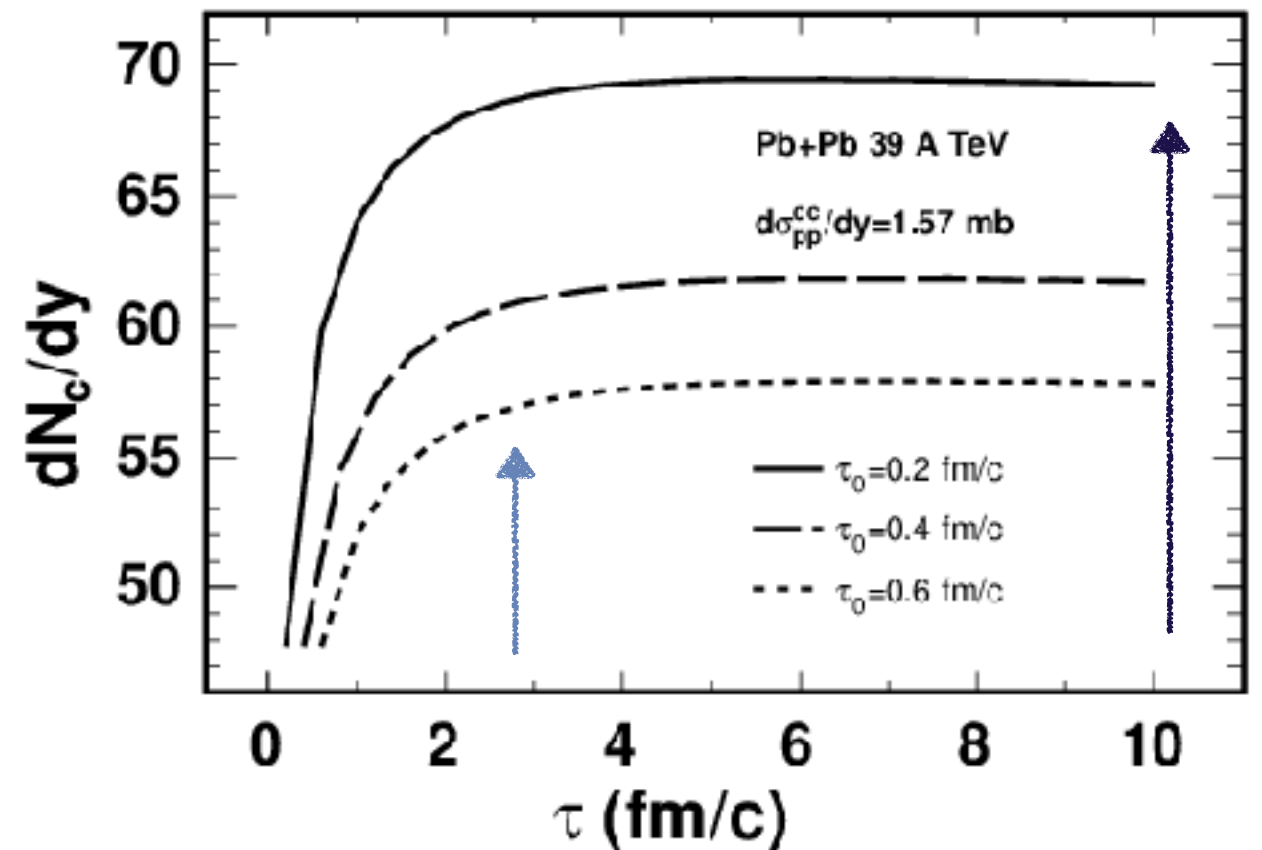
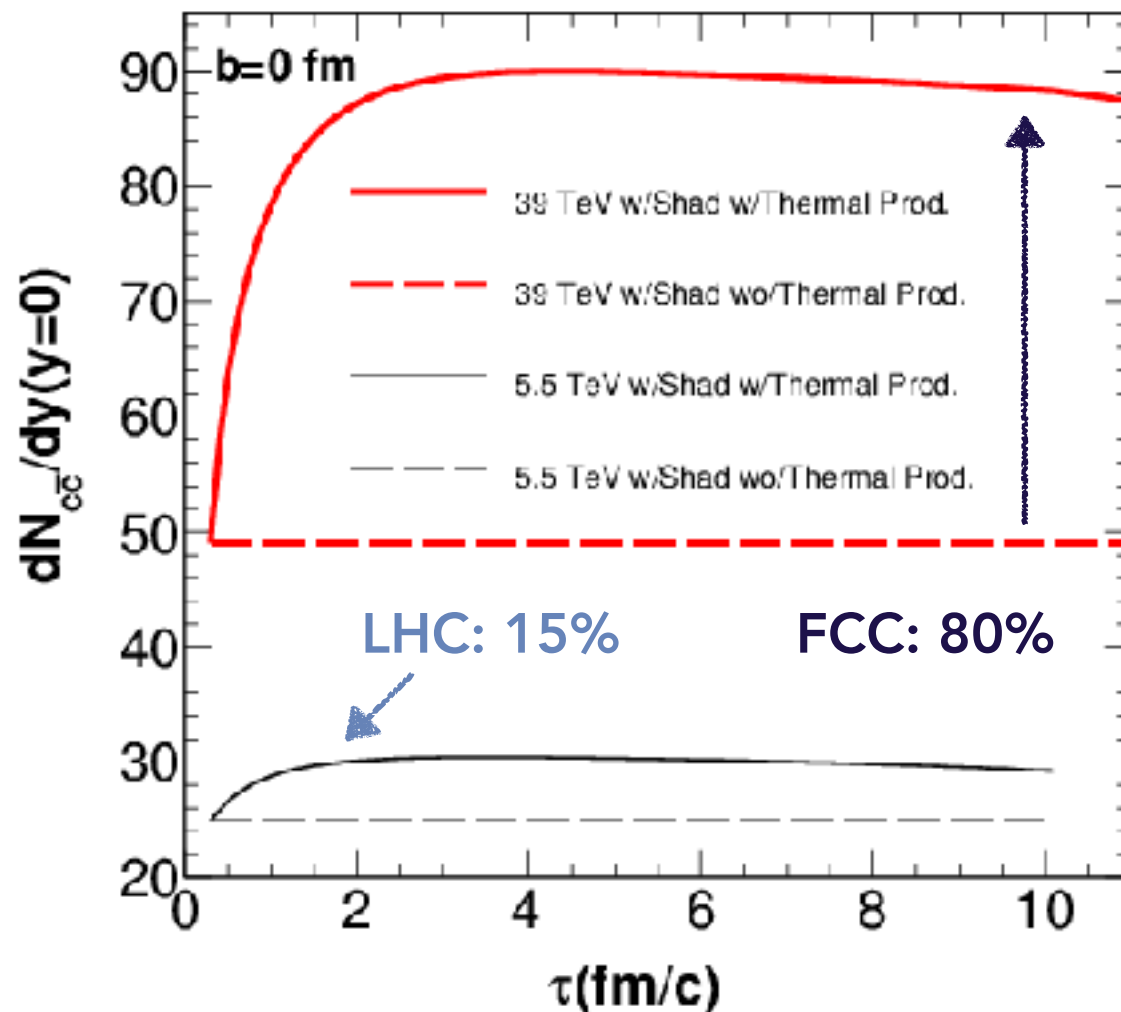
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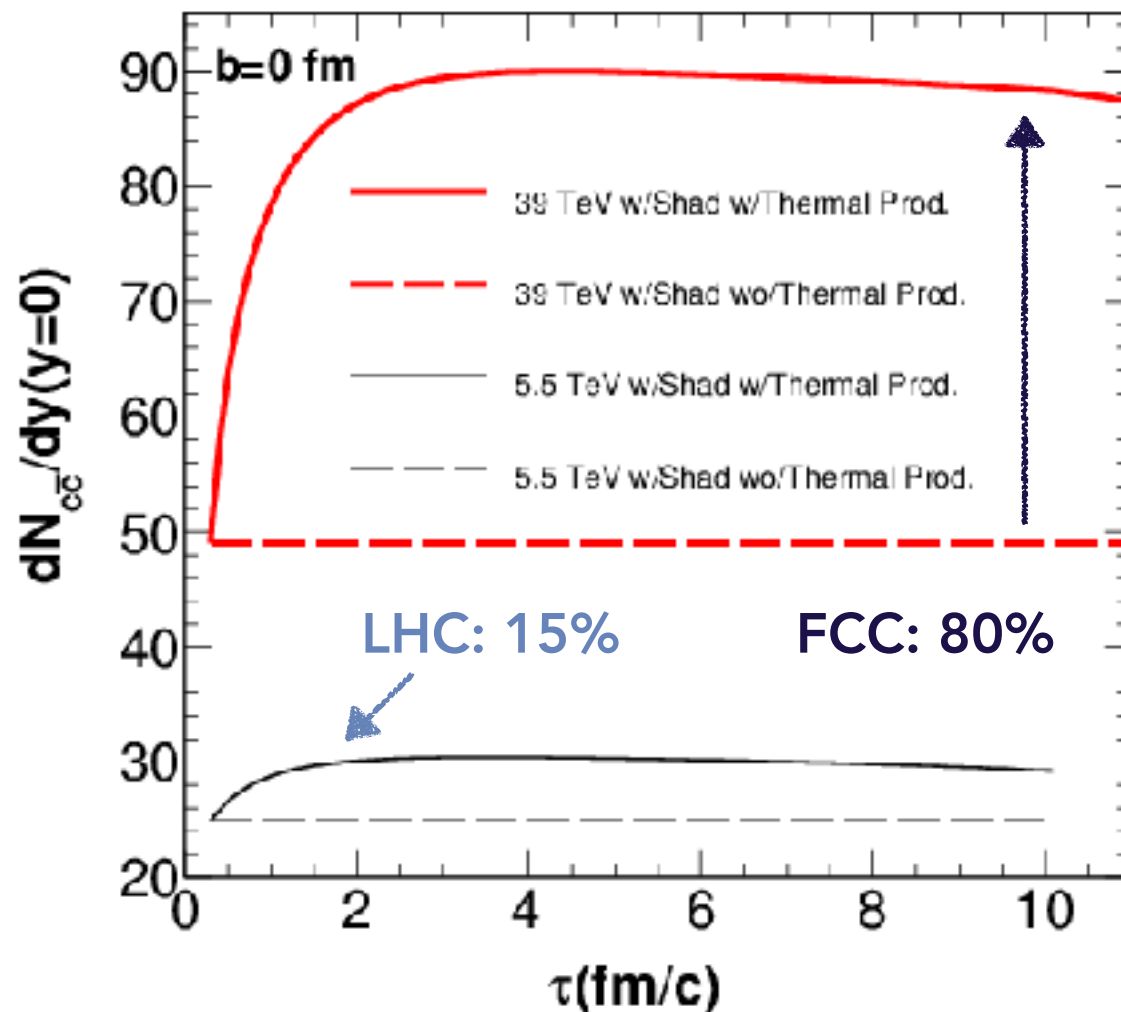


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 (related to QGP temperature)

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Recombination proportional to rapidity density of charm pairs in the QGP

Expected to be larger at FCC:

➔ Hard scattering  $\sigma_{cc}$  (x 2-2.5)

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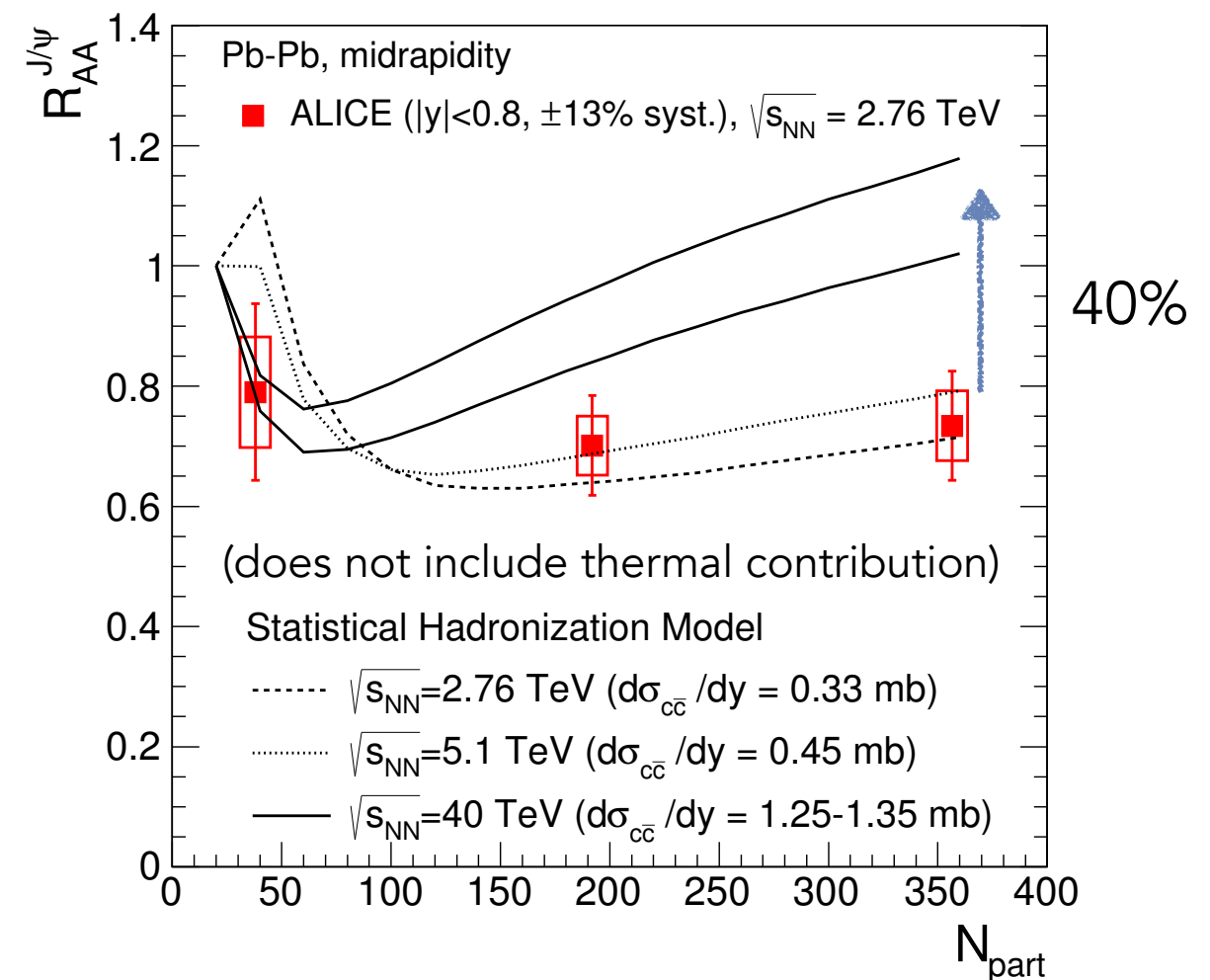
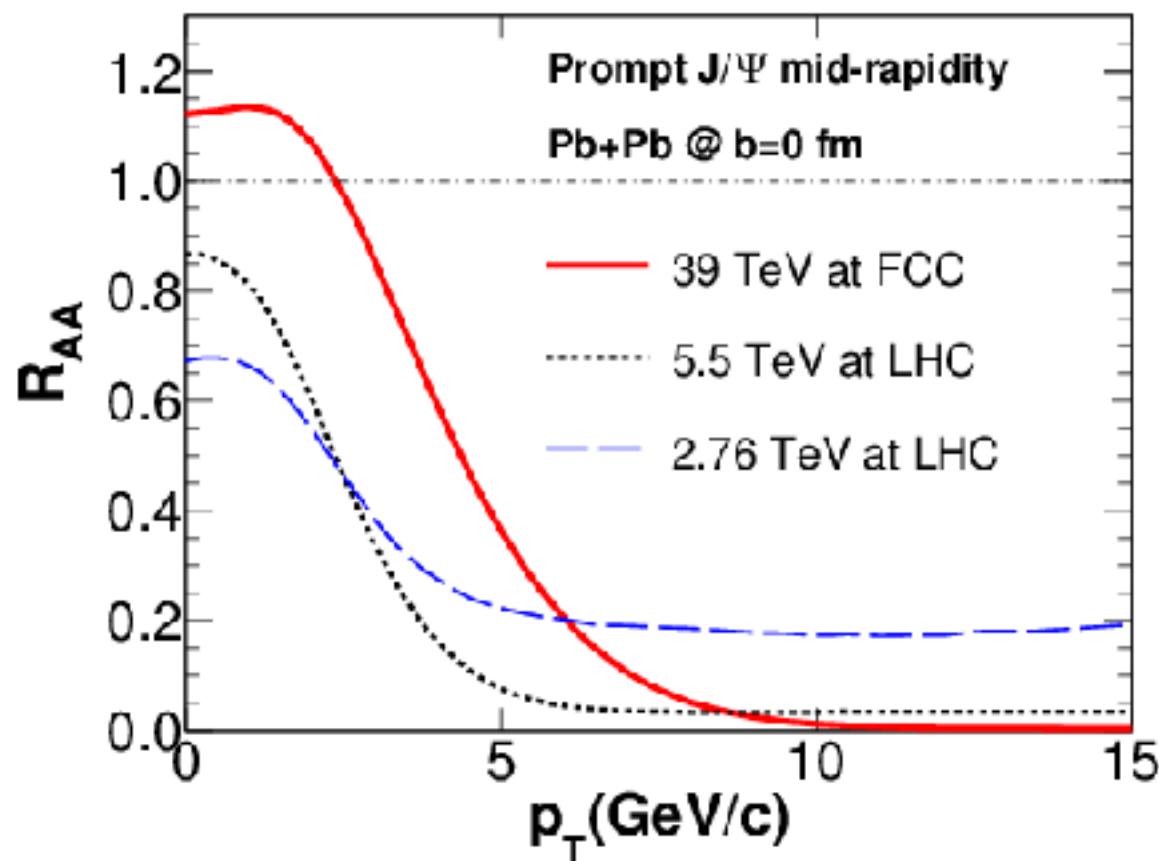
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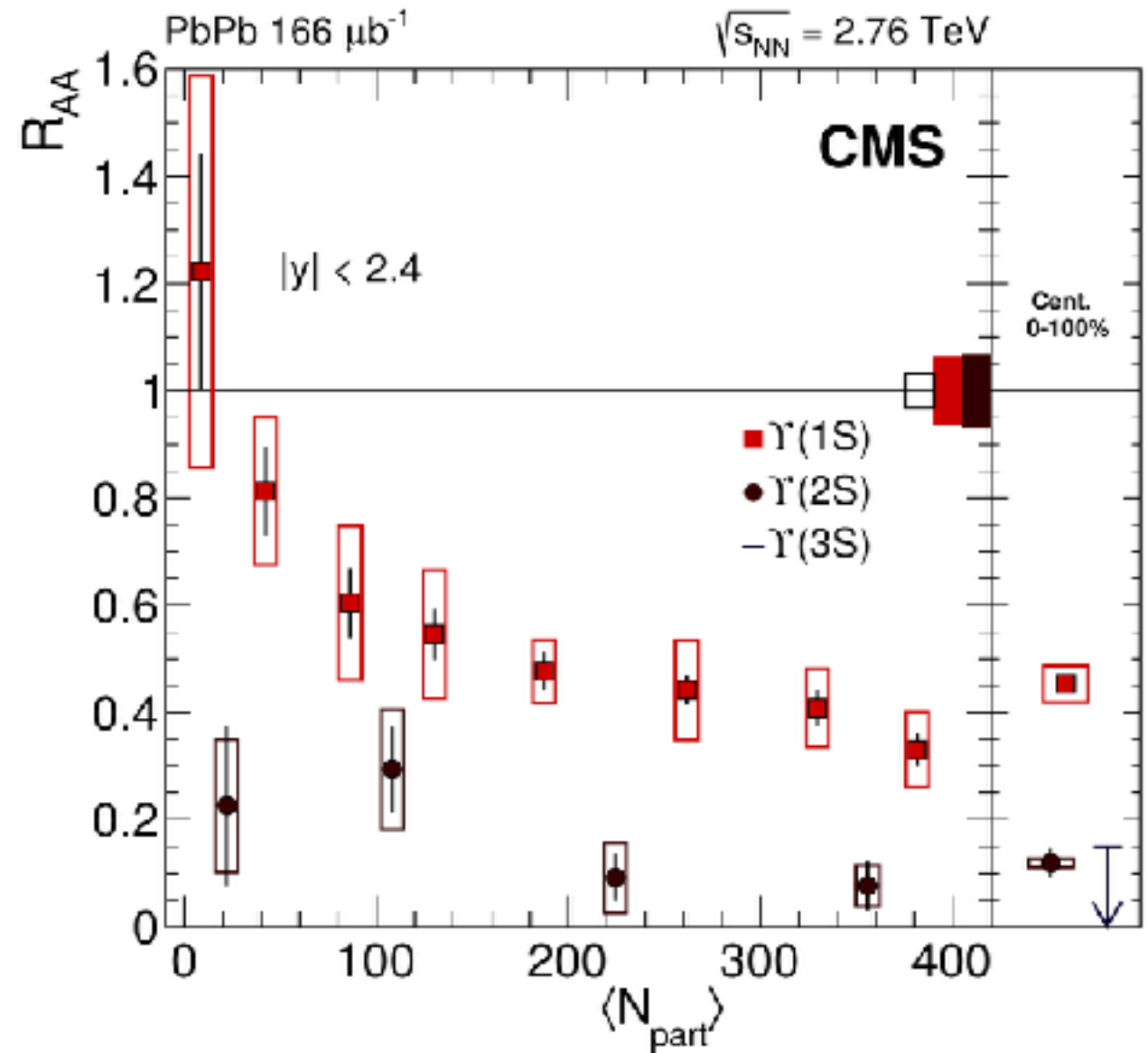
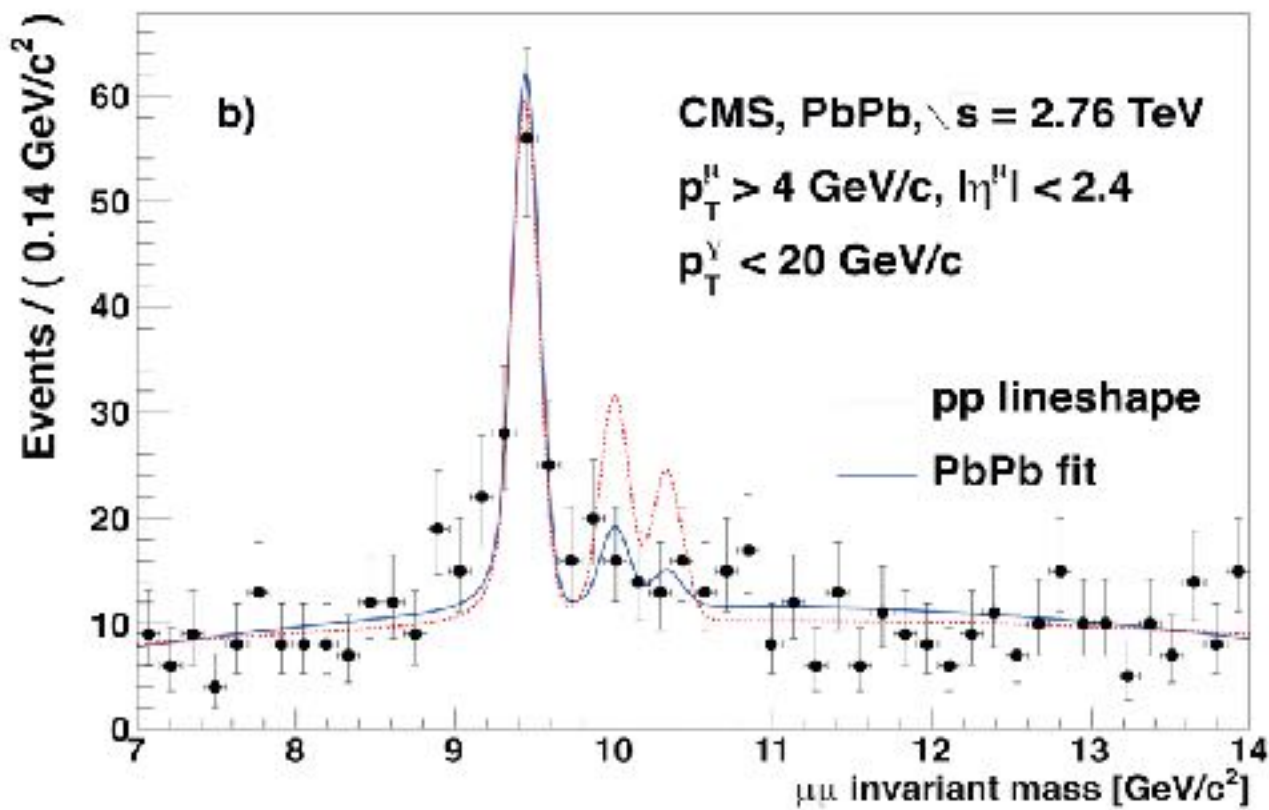
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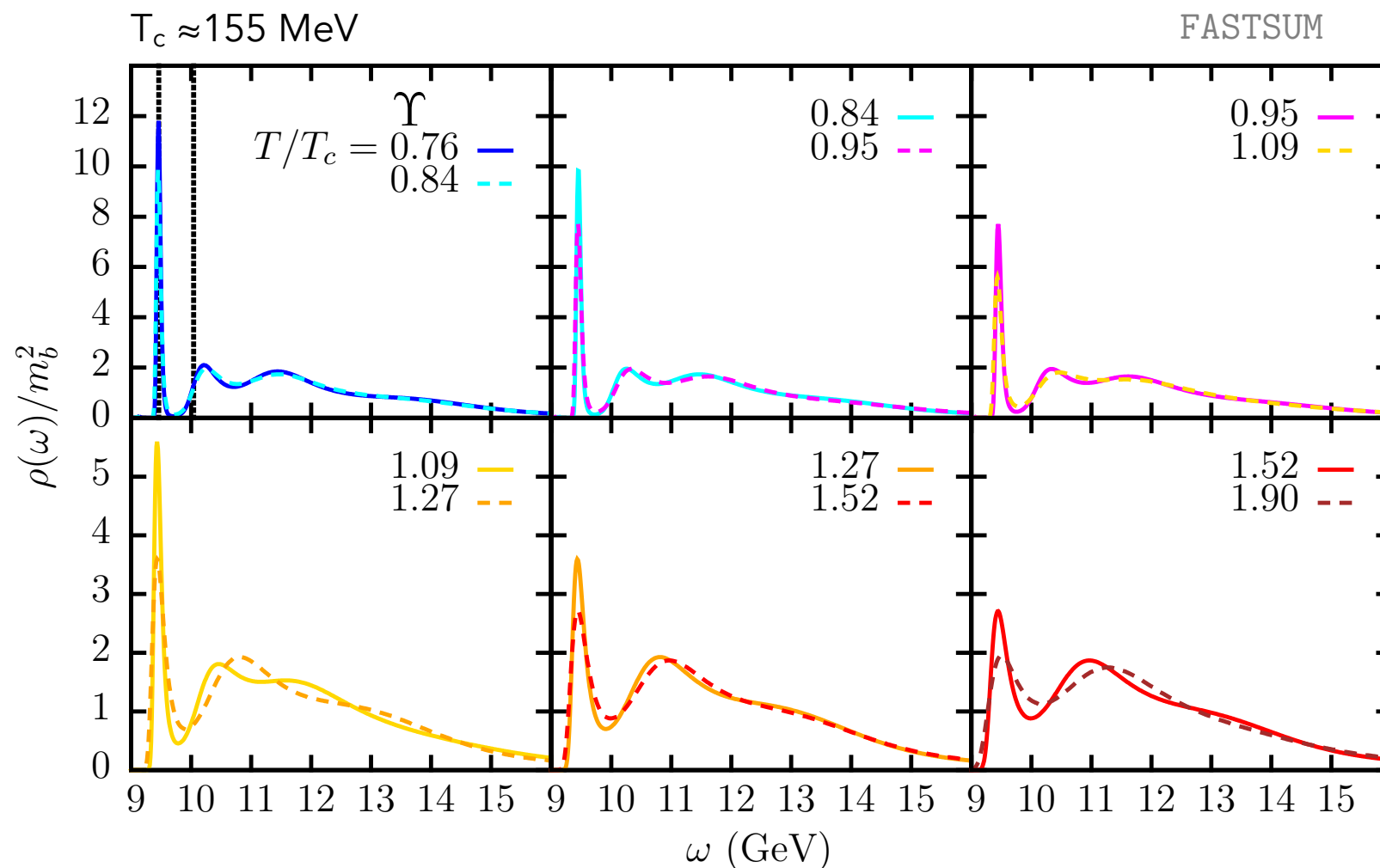


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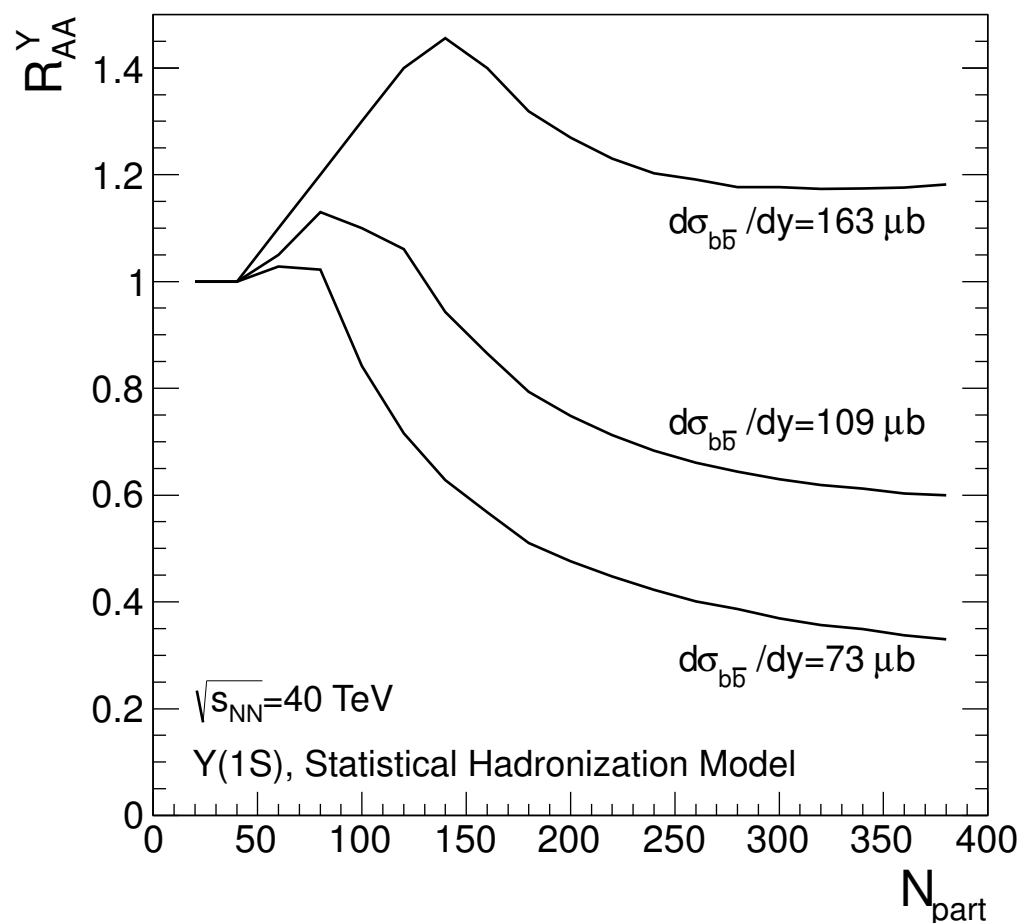


Strong suppression of  $\Upsilon(1S)$  expected at the FCC (4-5  $T_c$ )

Possibility to match high temperature pQCD spectral functions to lattice results



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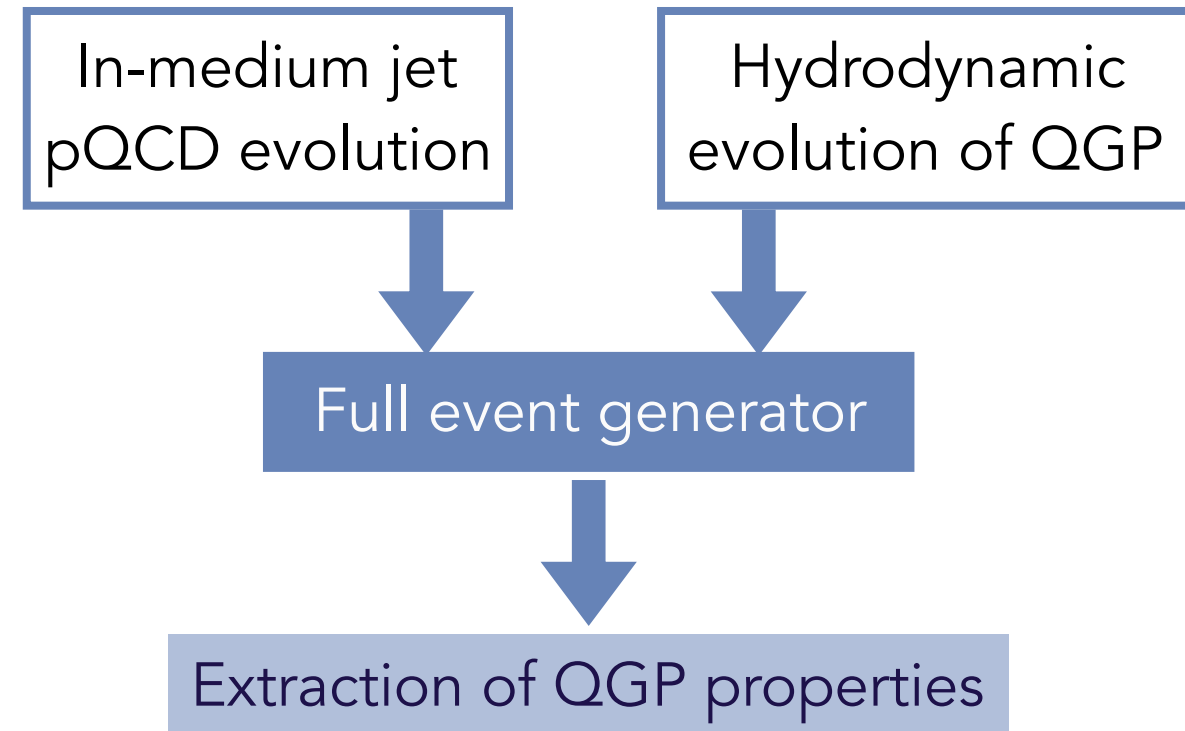


Expected nuclear suppression depends on the bottom cross-sections

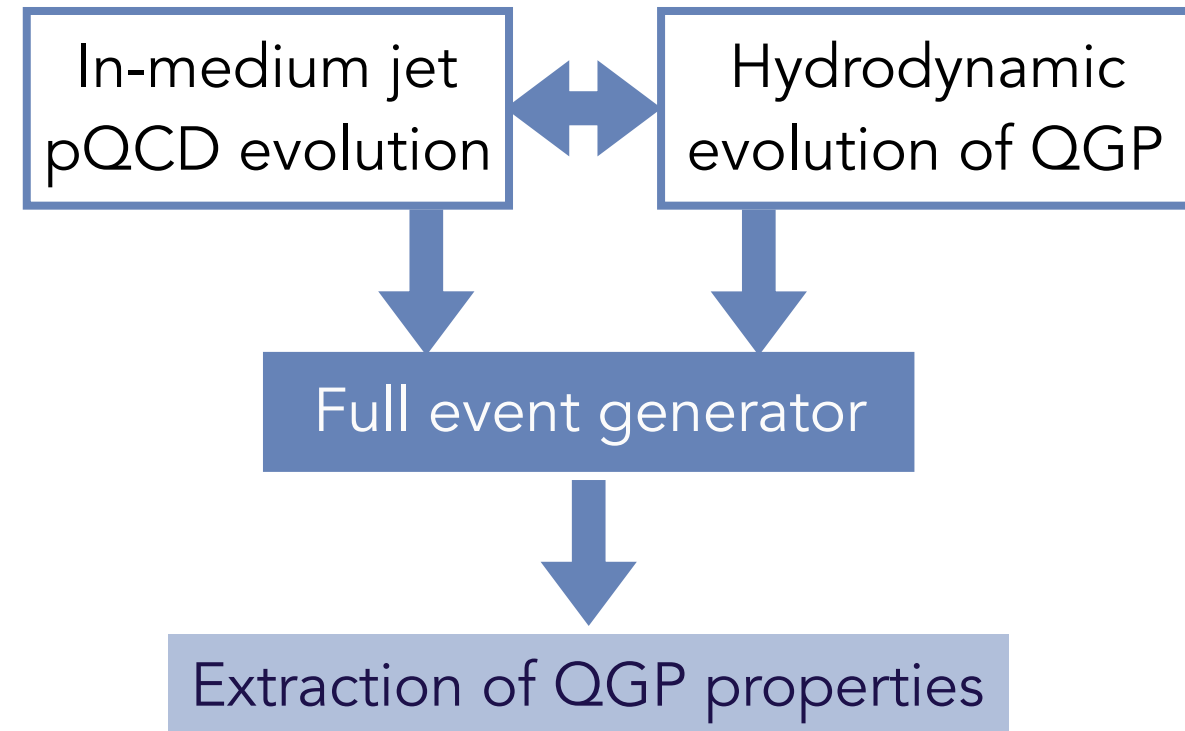
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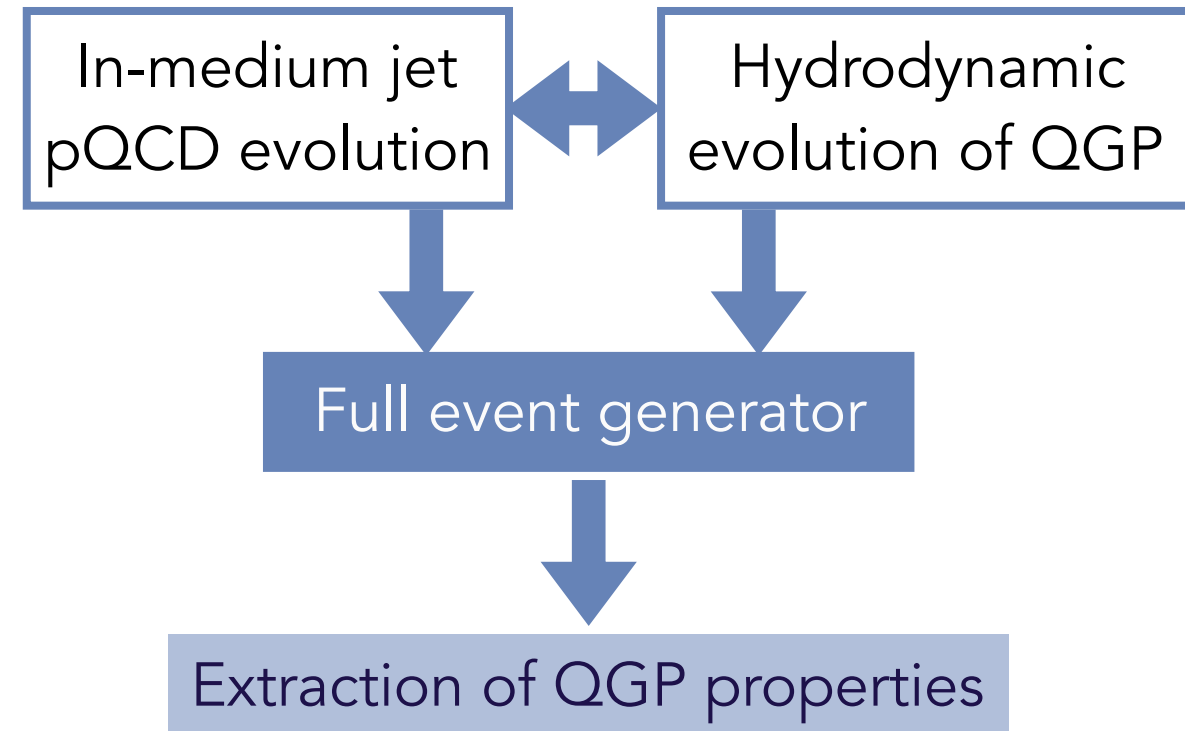


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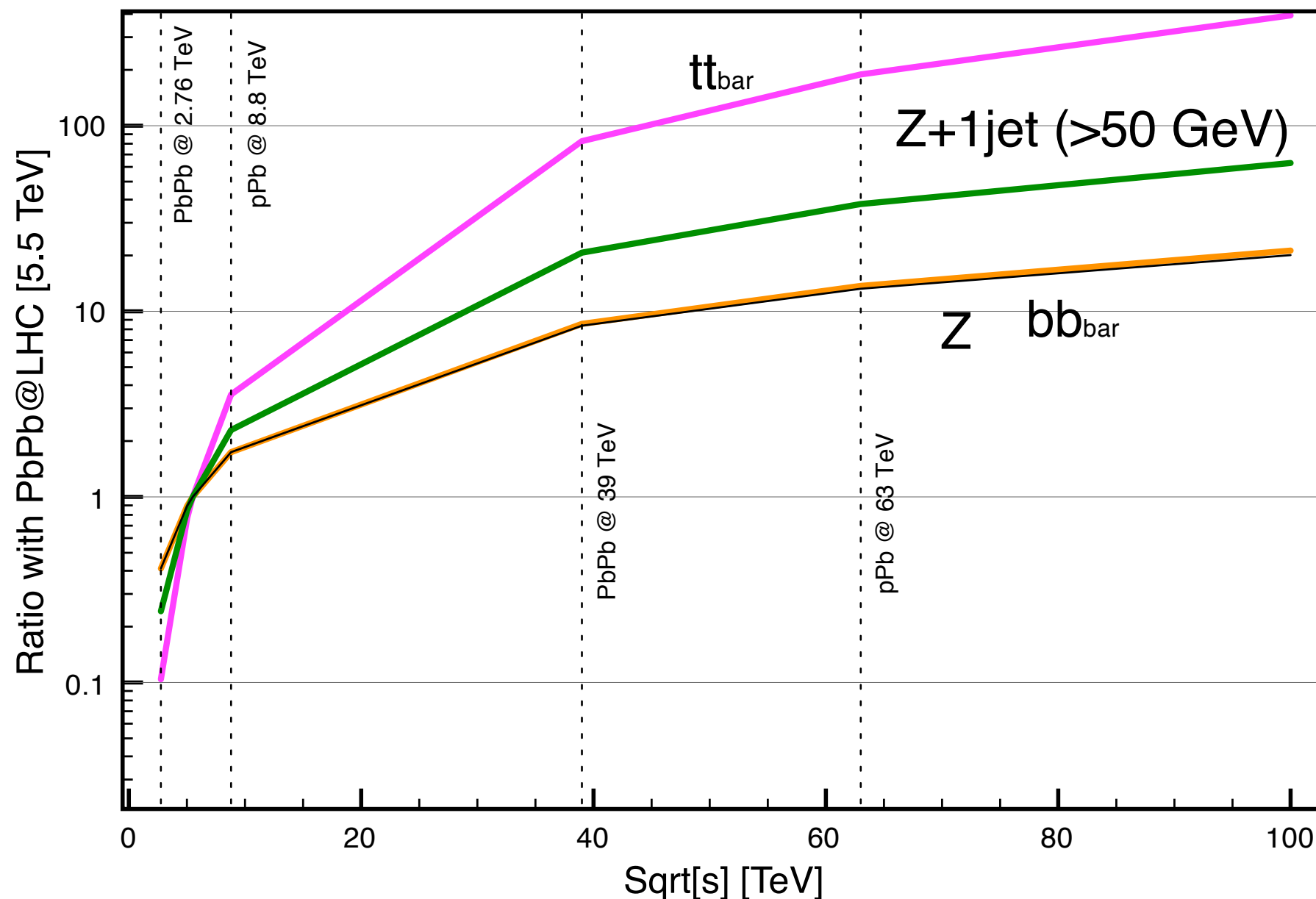
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## FCC-hh new possibilities:

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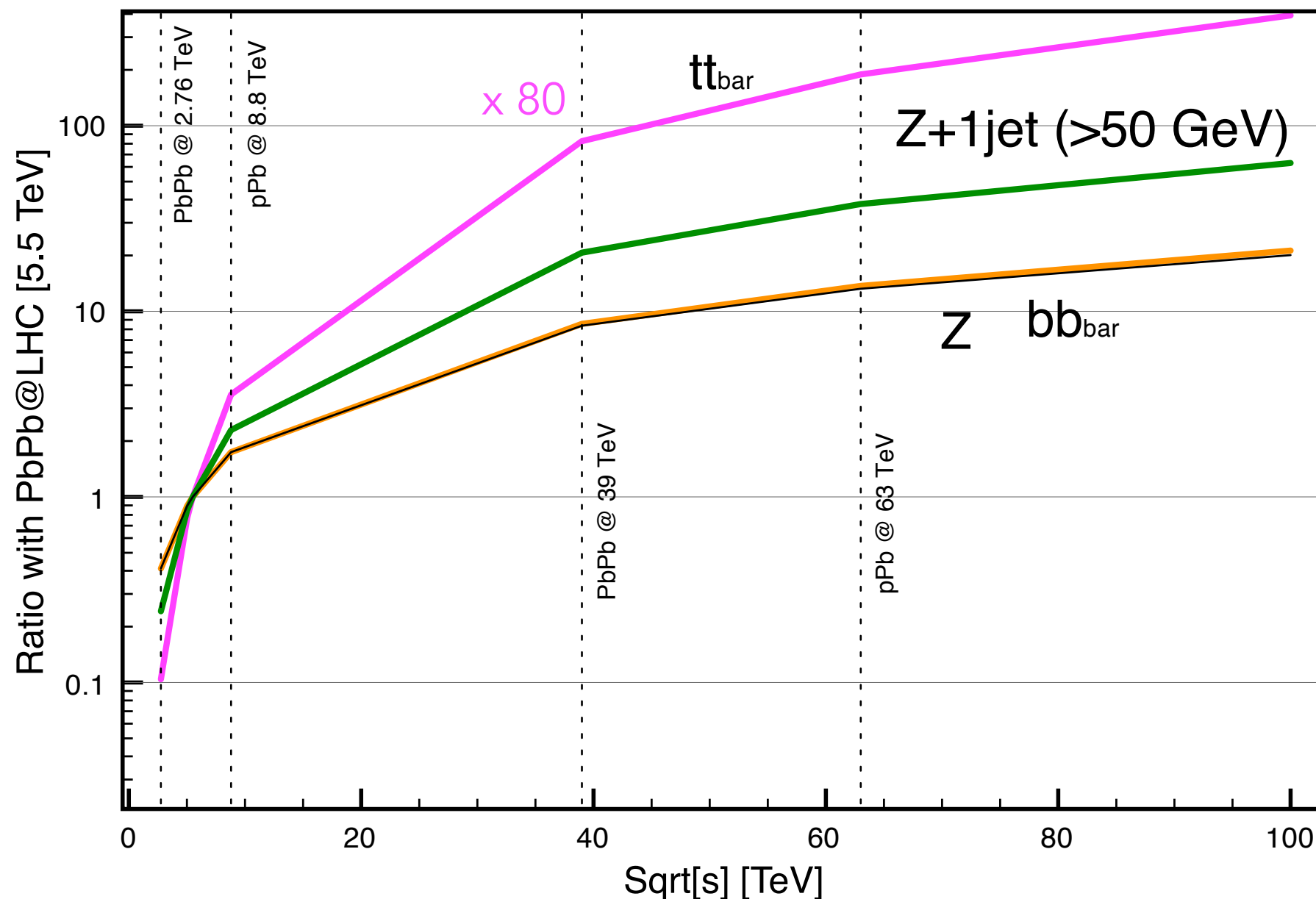
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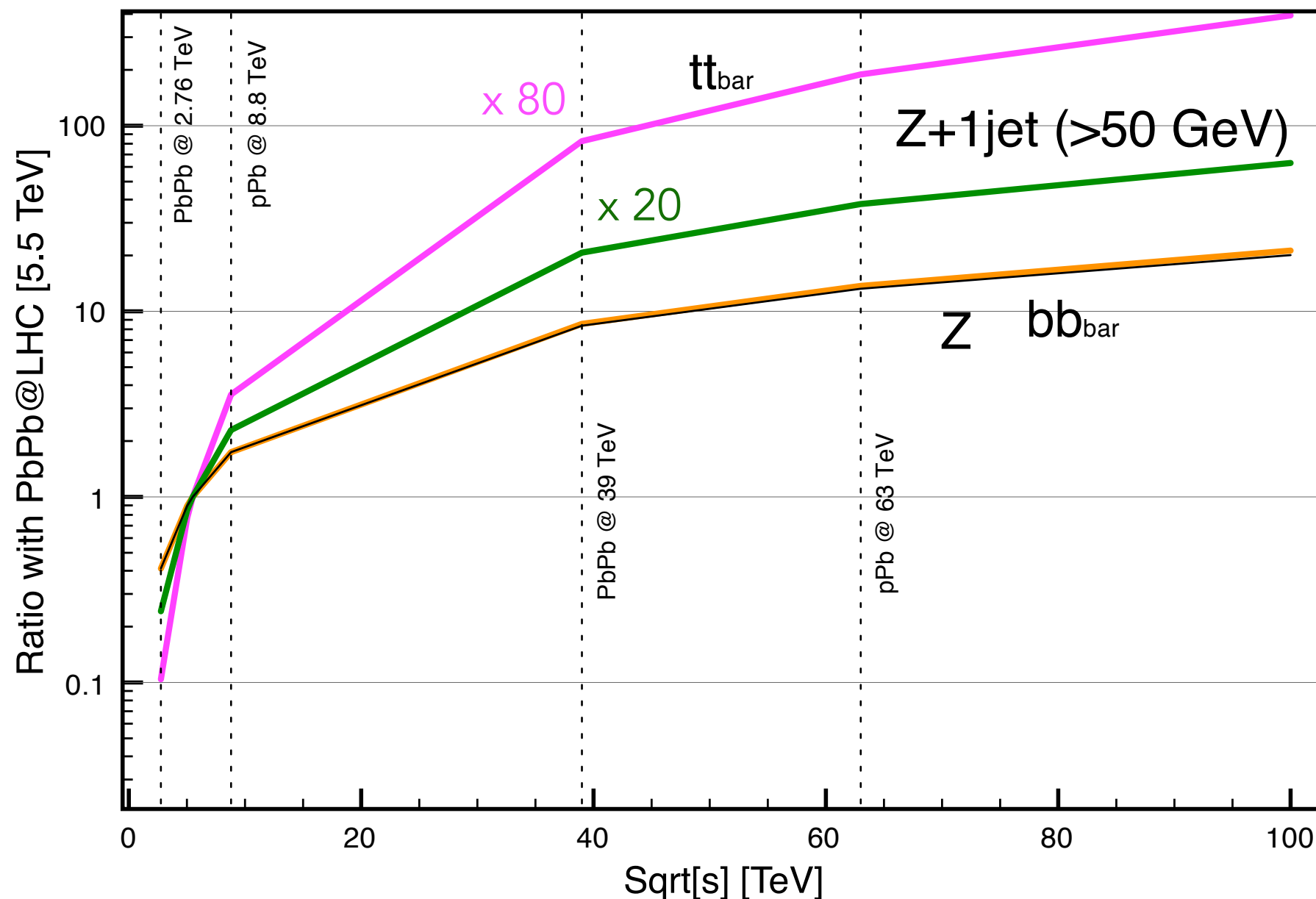
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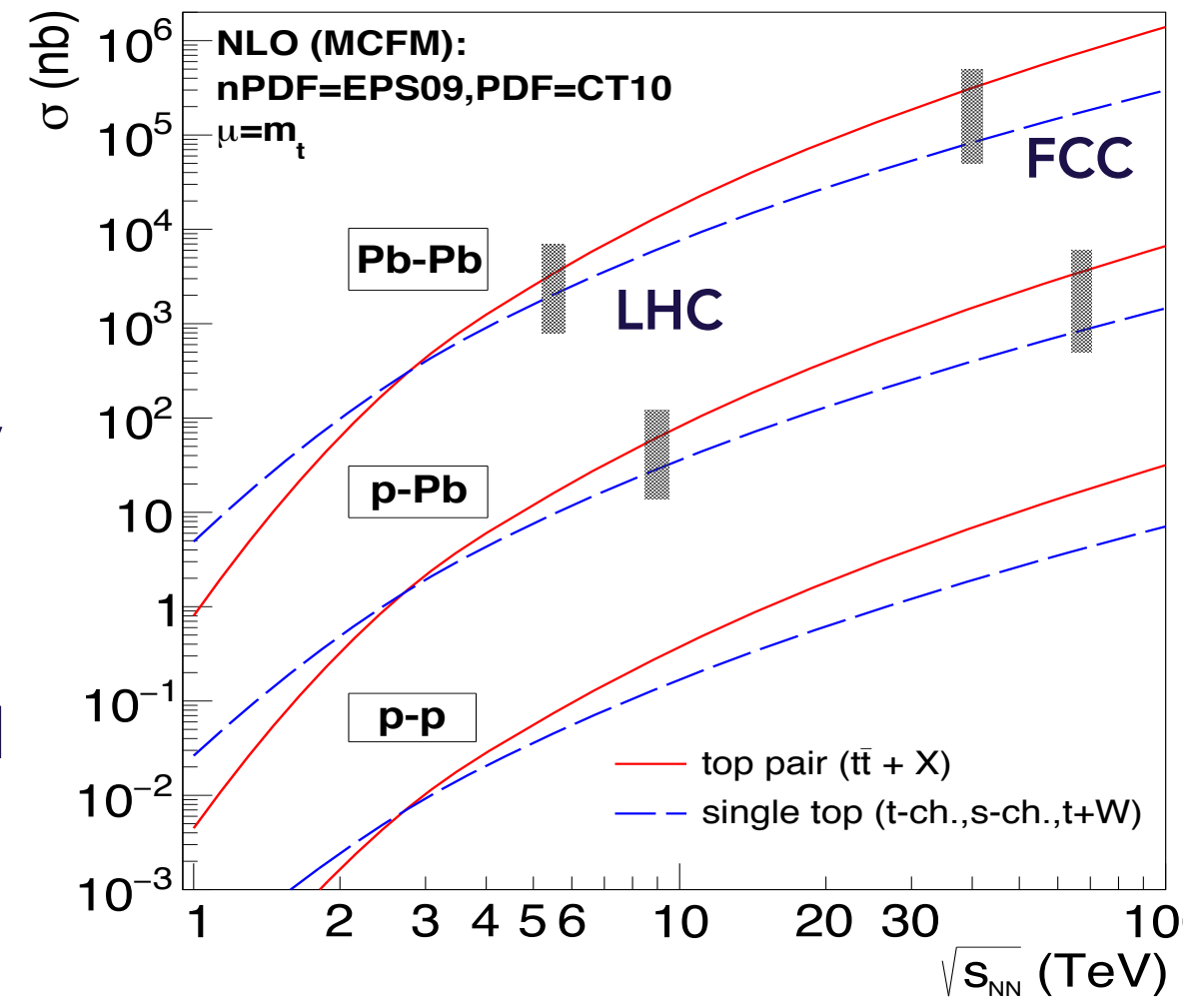
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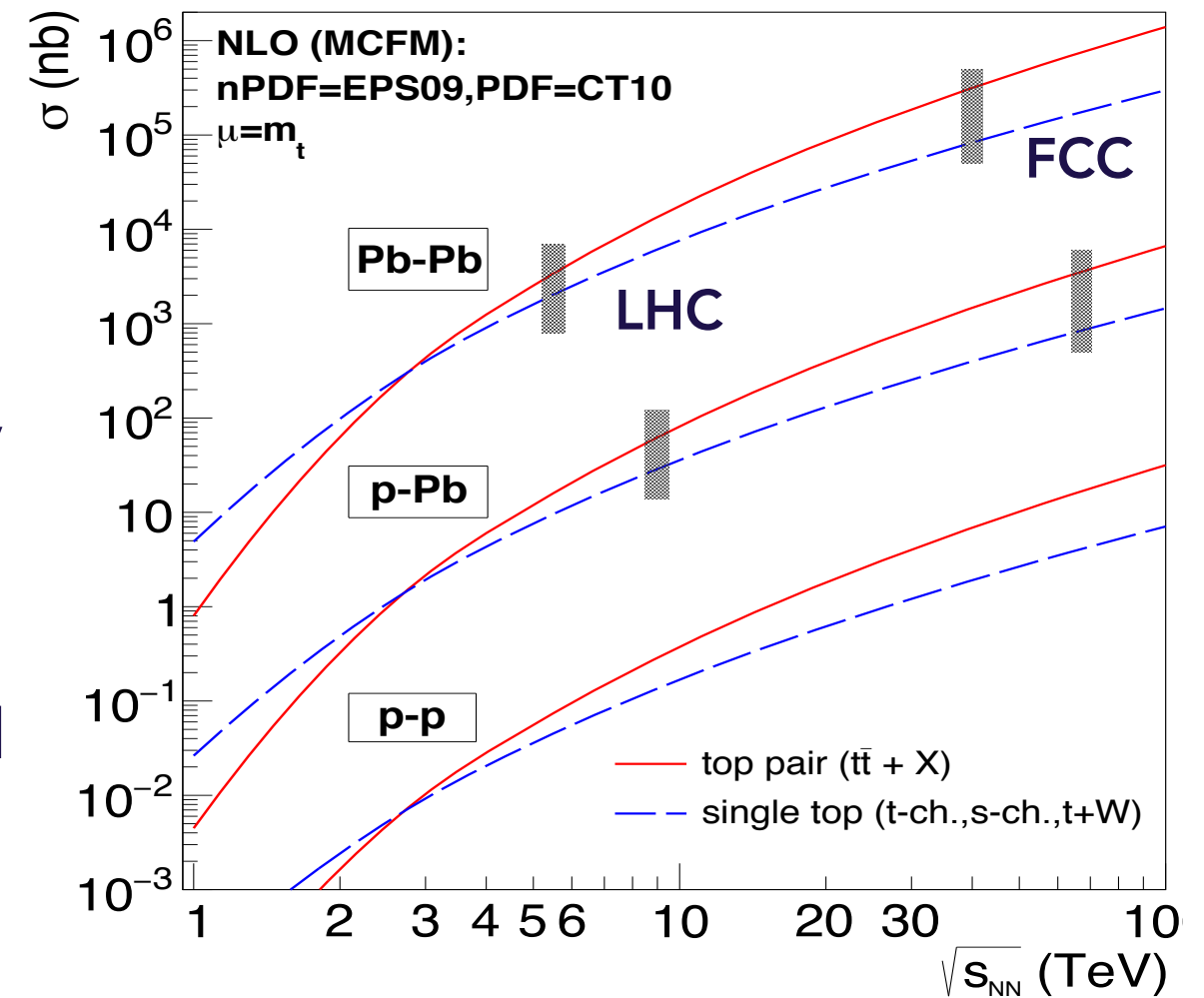
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For Top properties and decay studies see Daniel Stolarski's talk (Th)

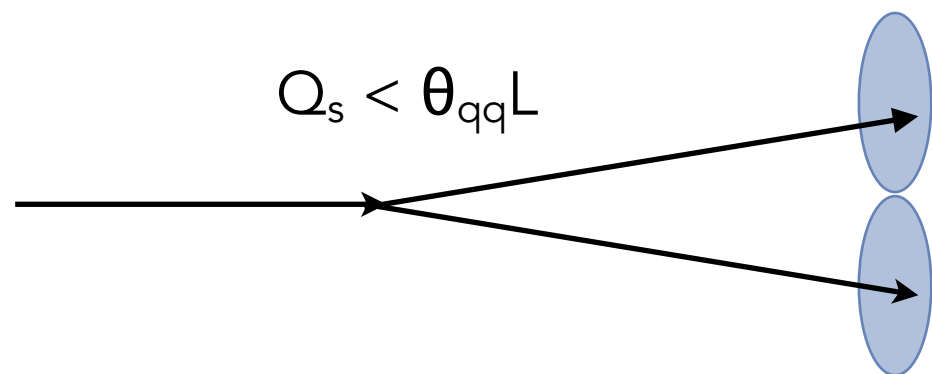
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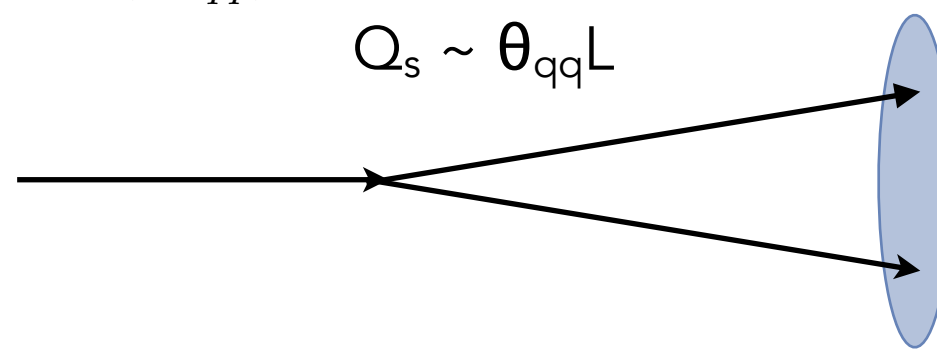
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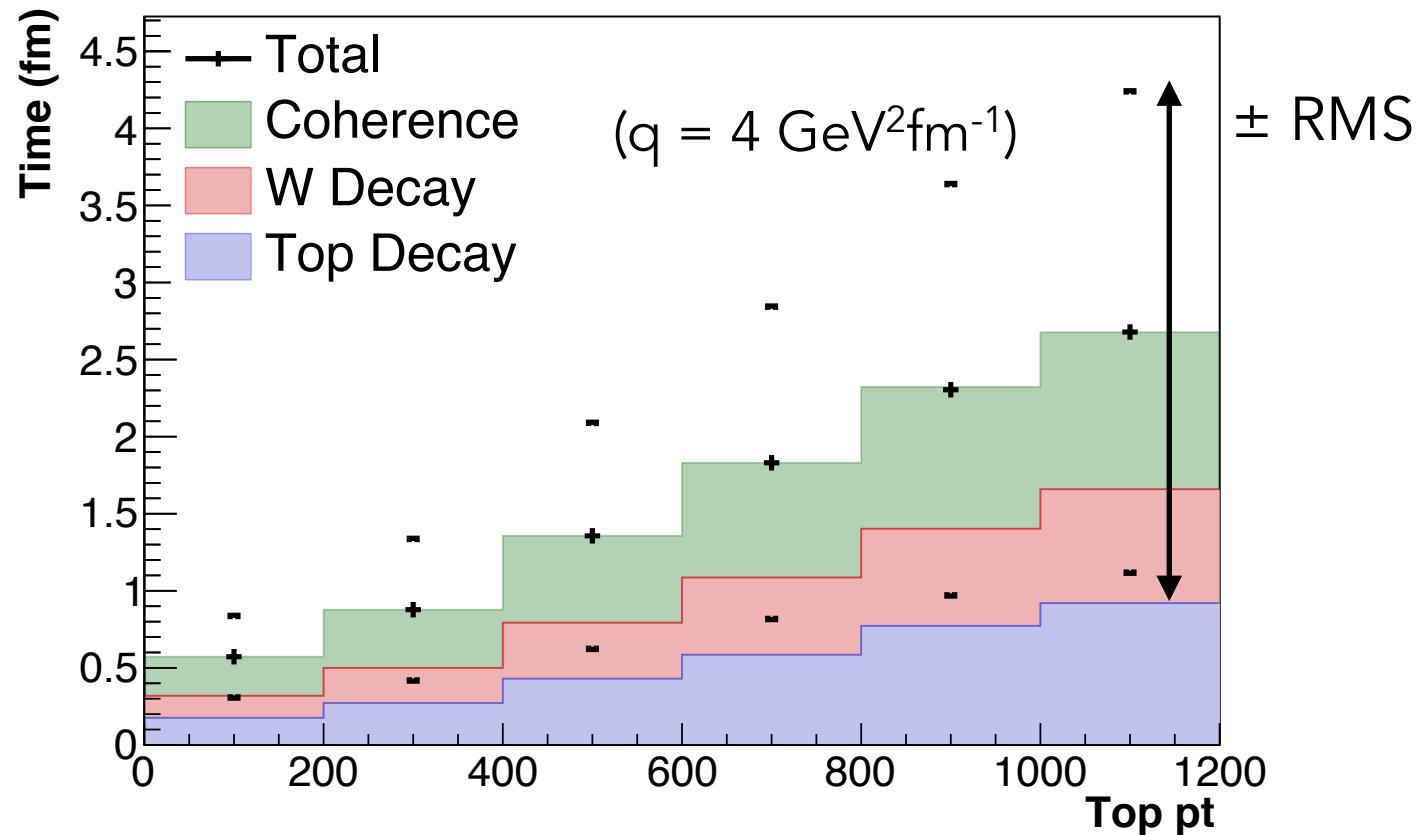
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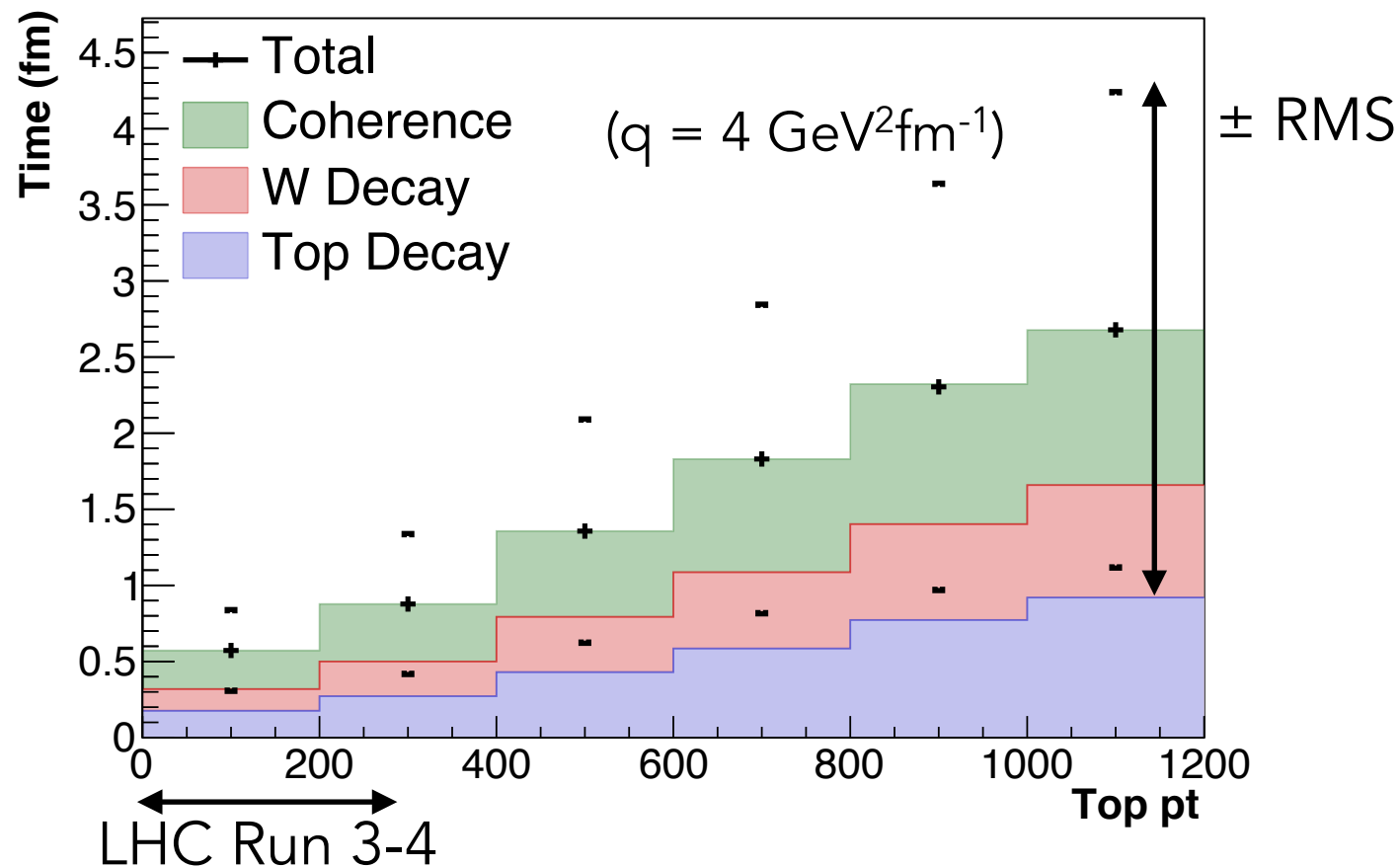


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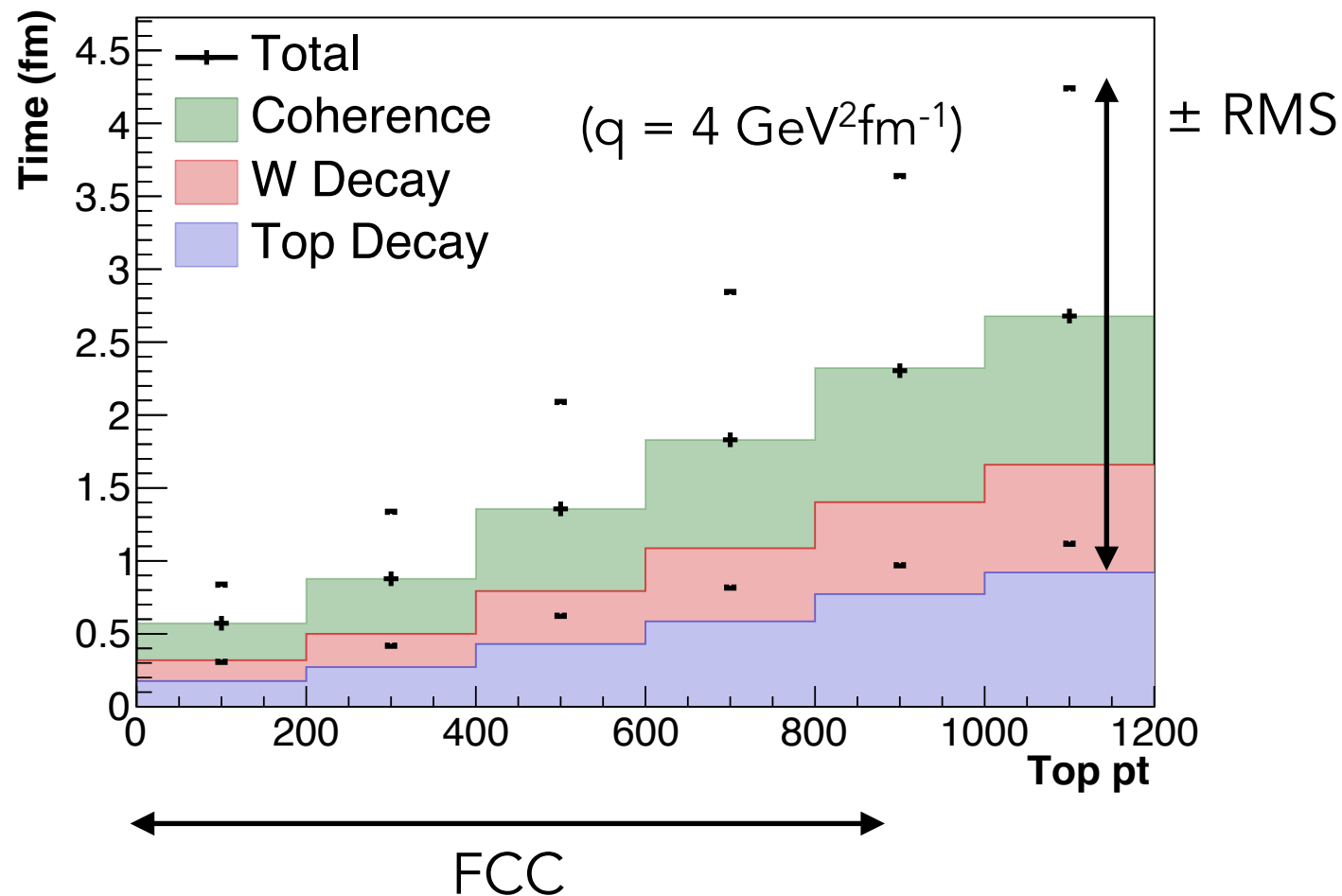
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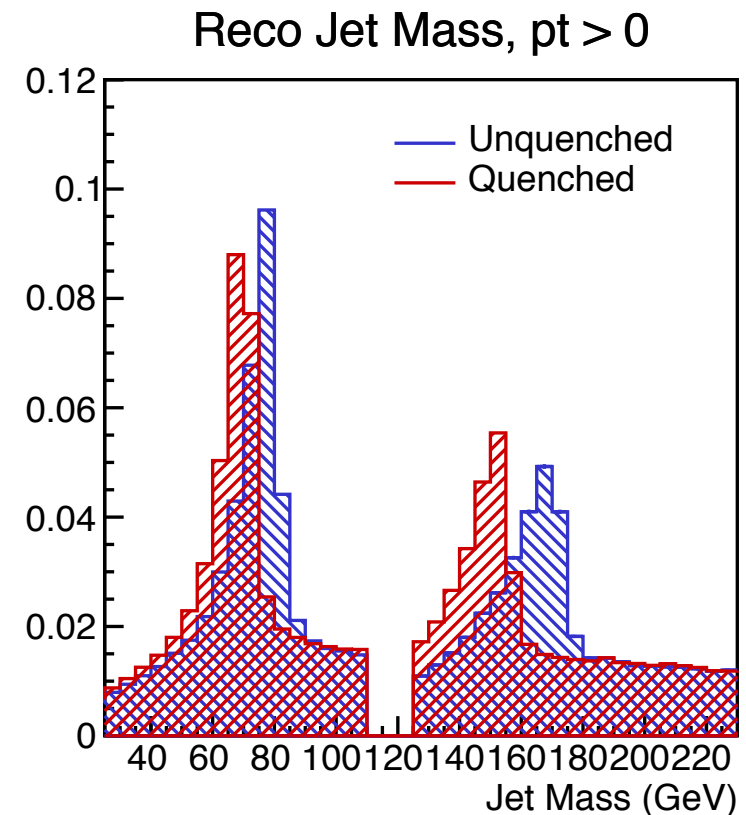
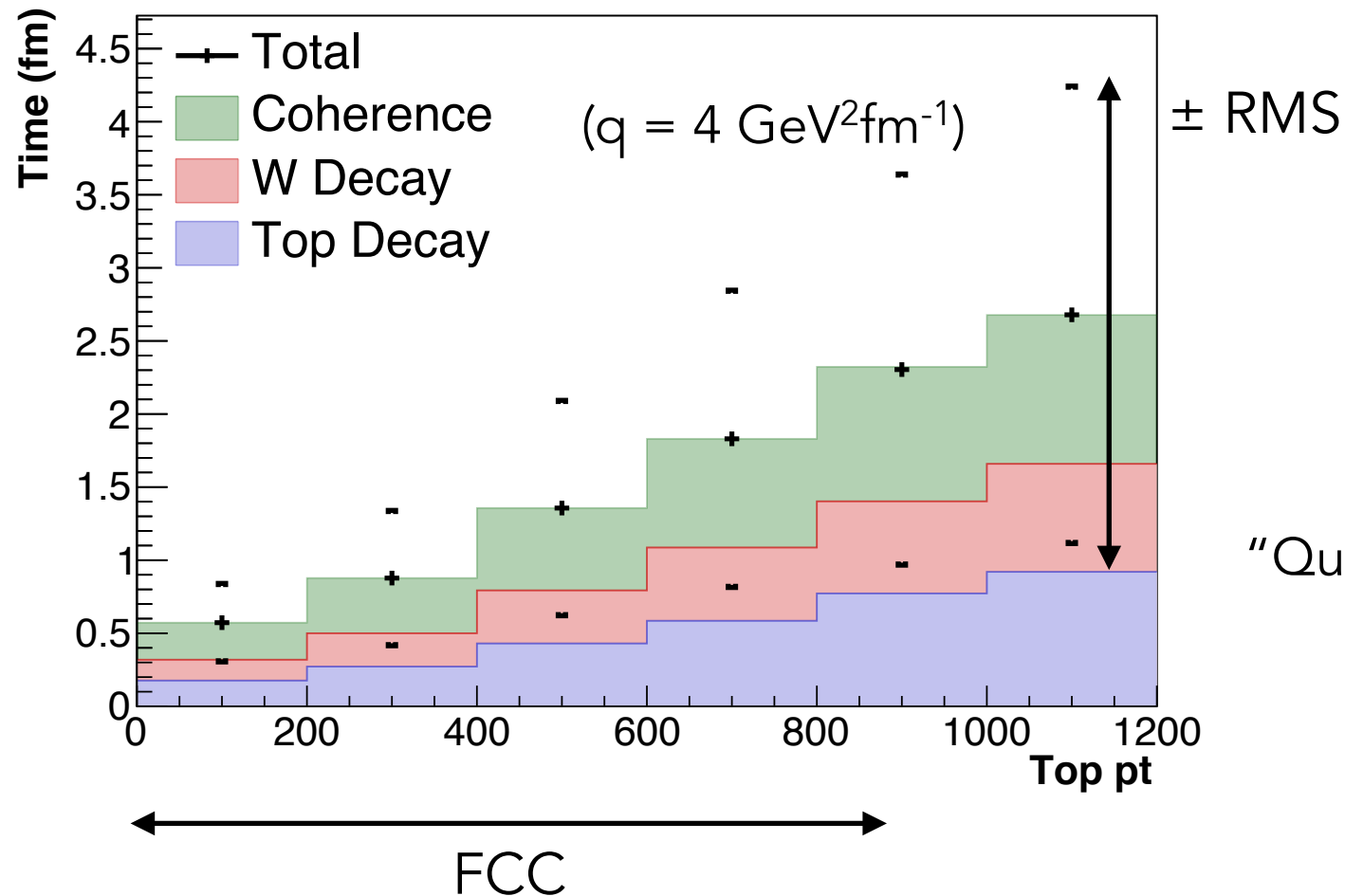


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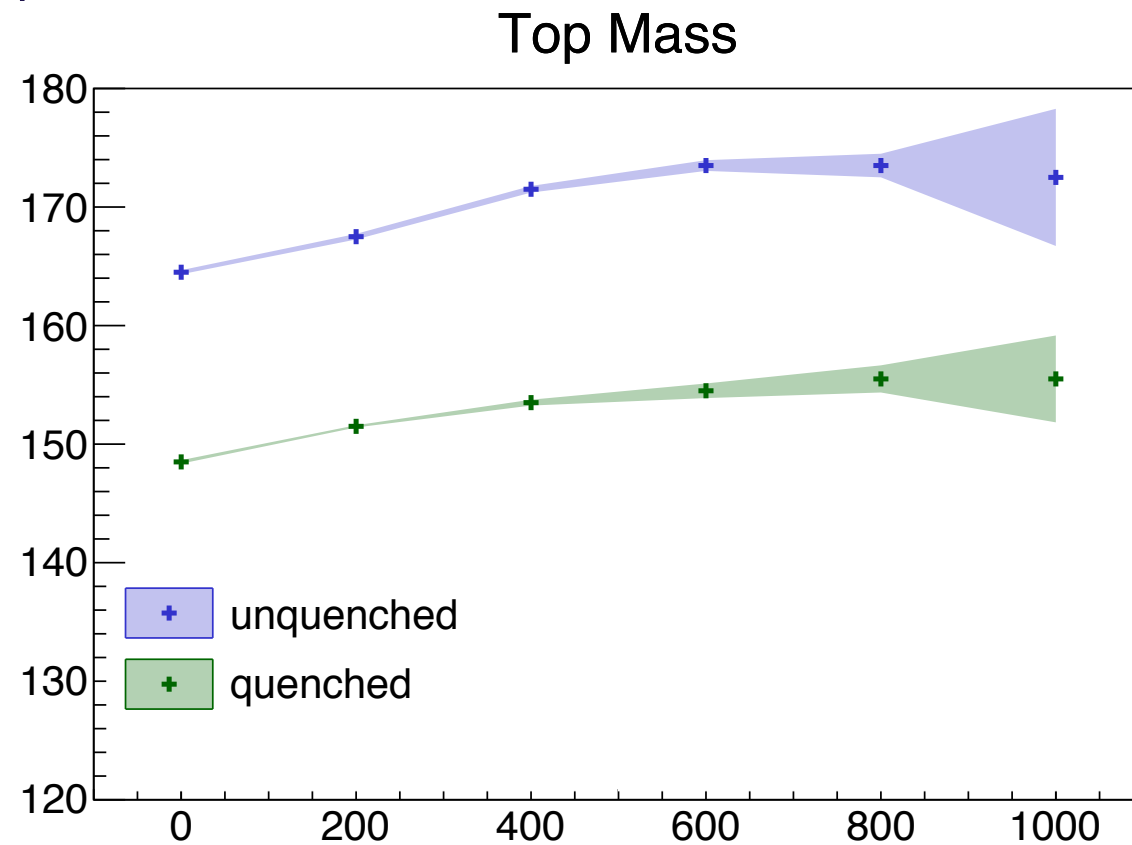
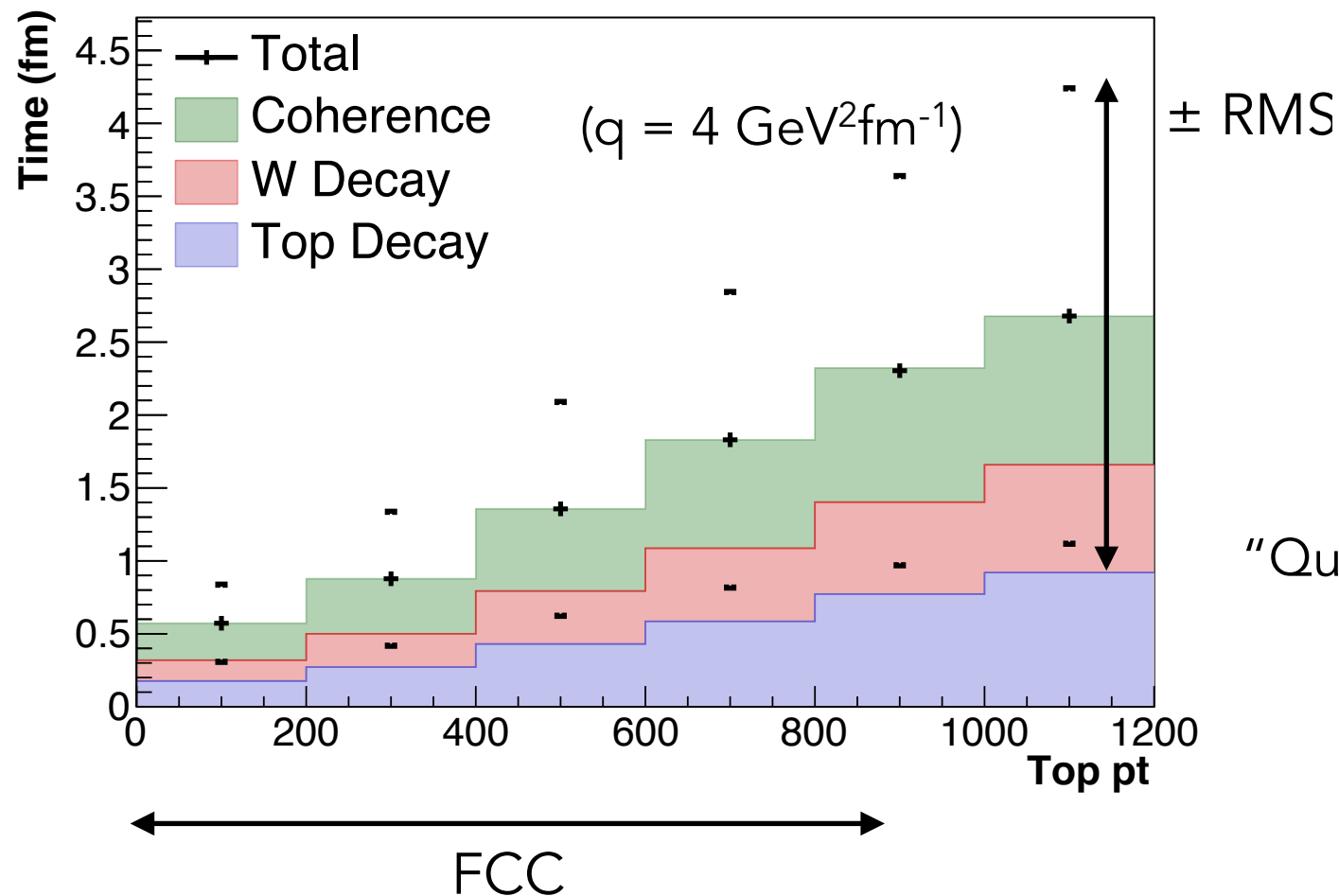
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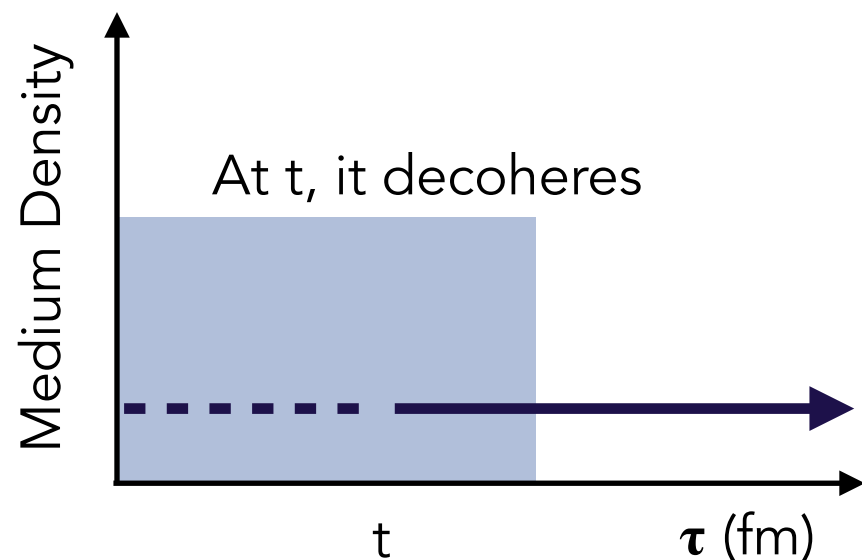
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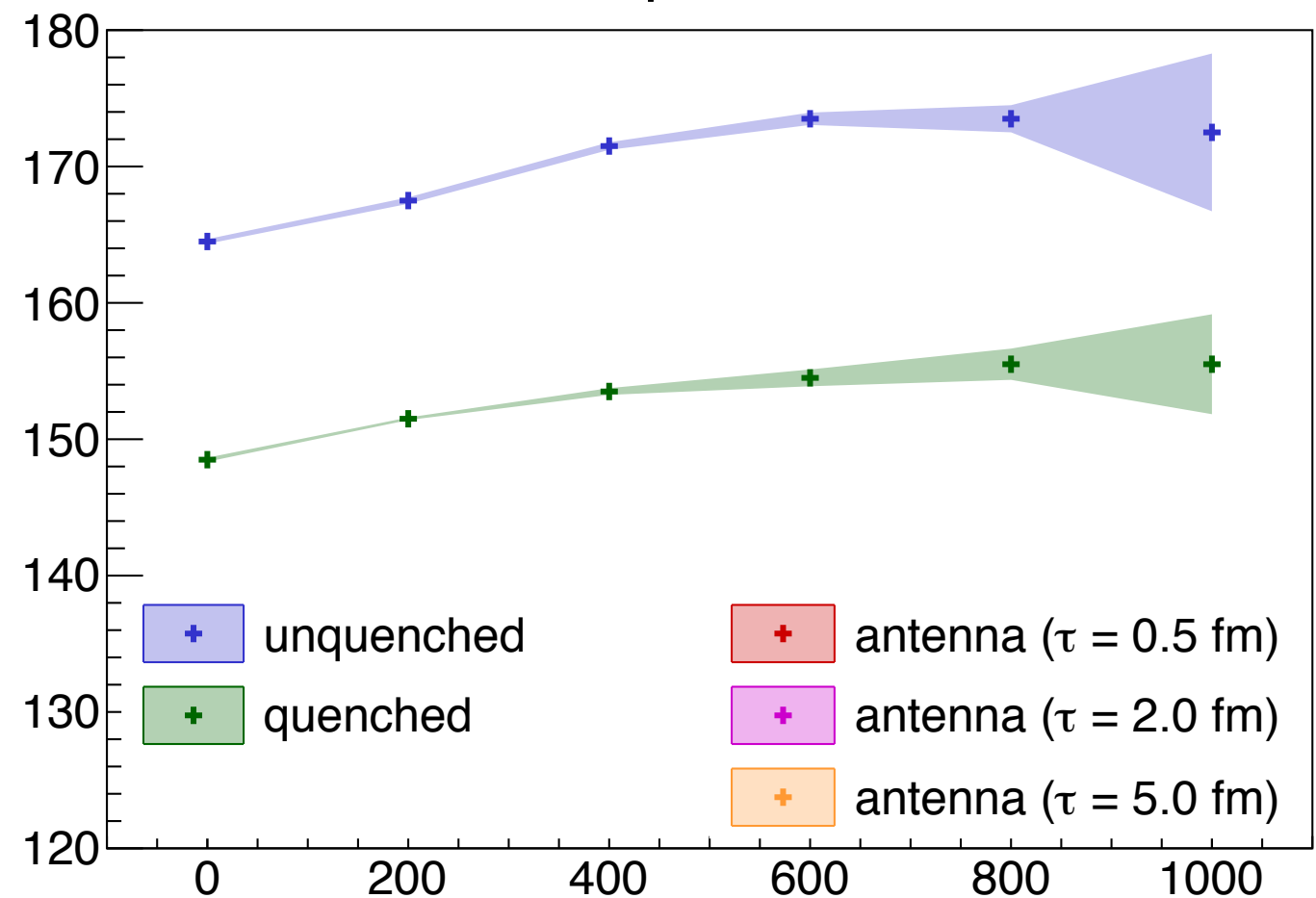
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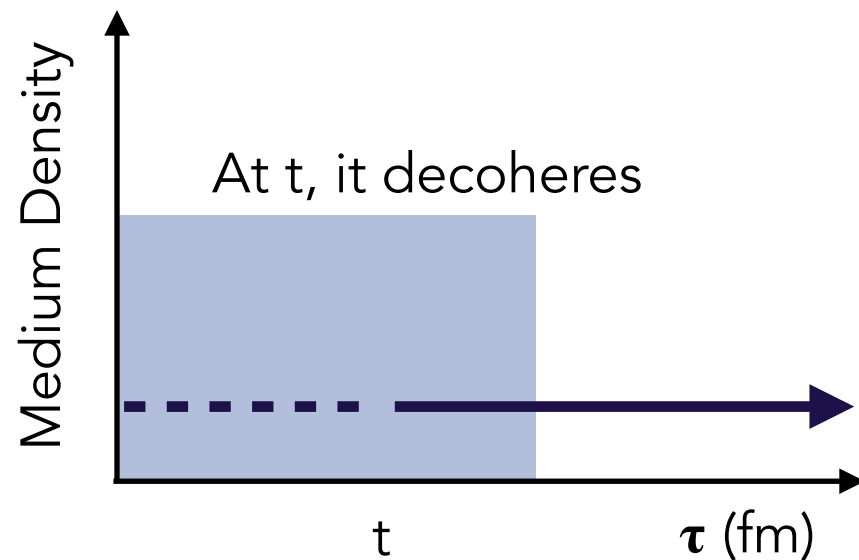


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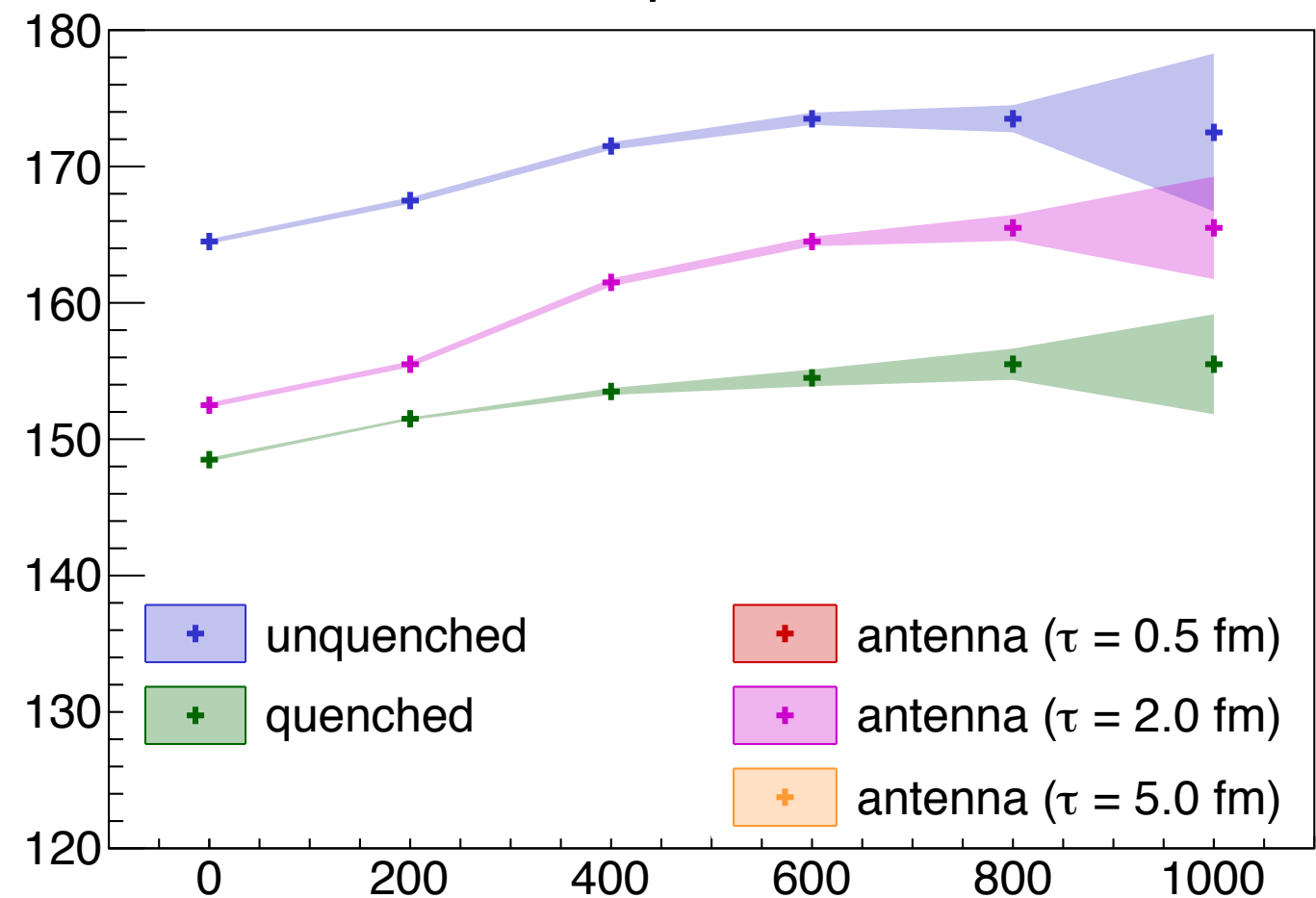
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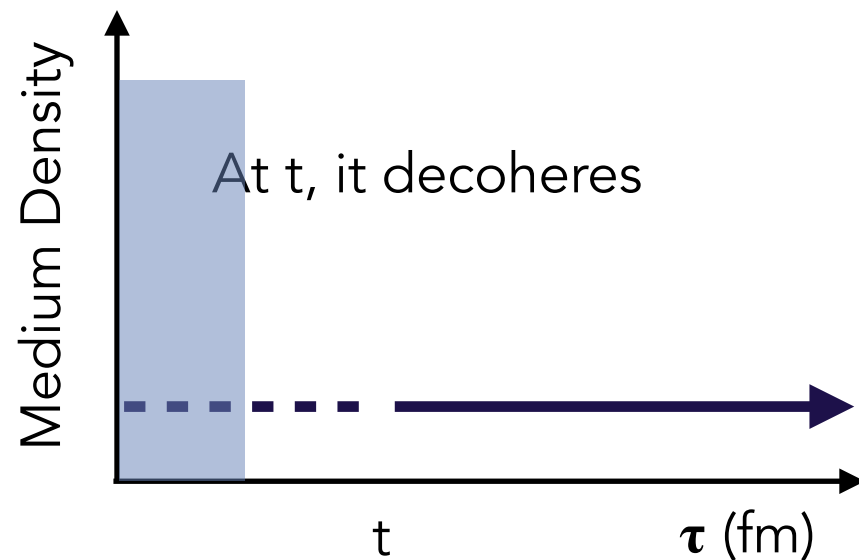


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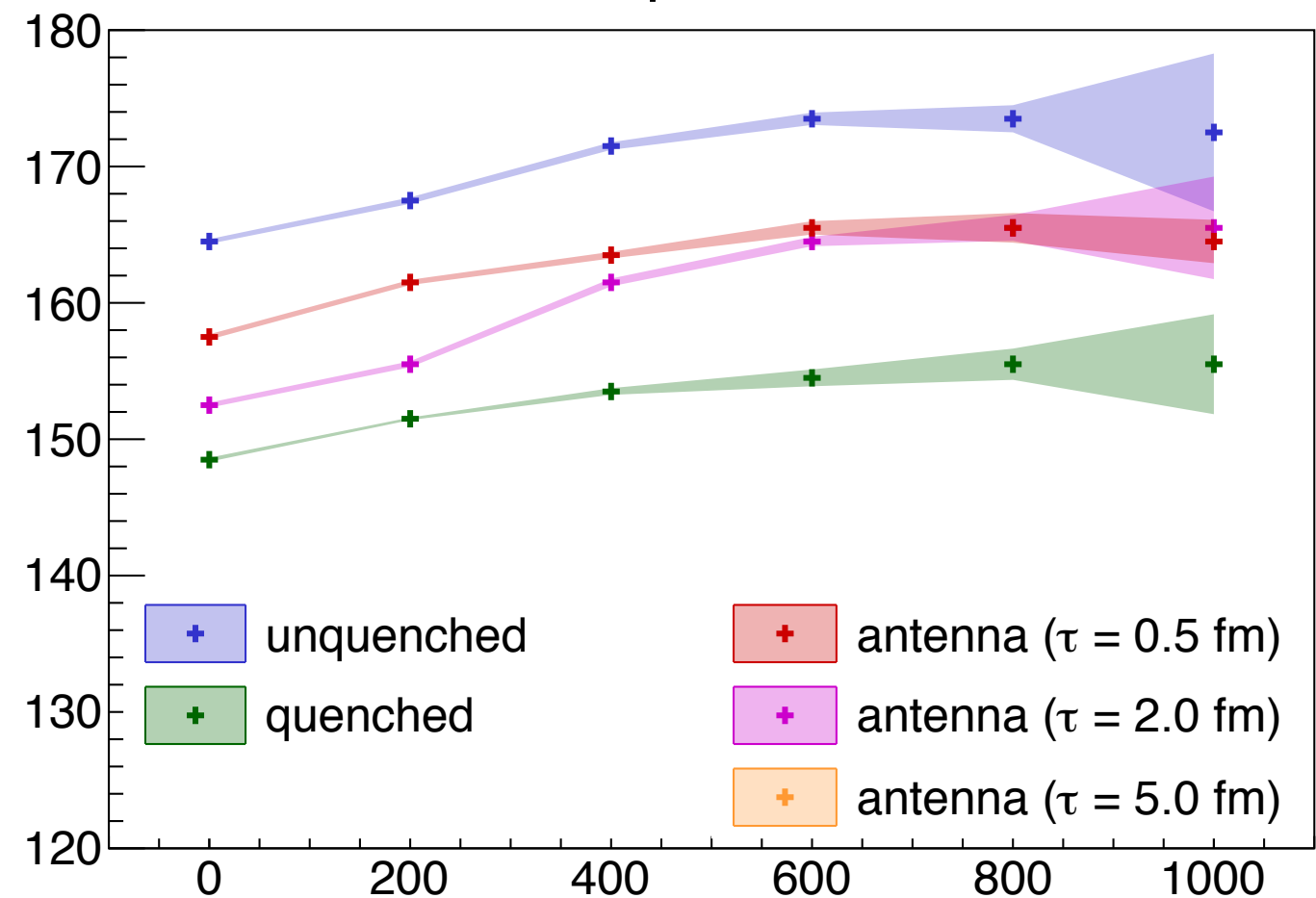
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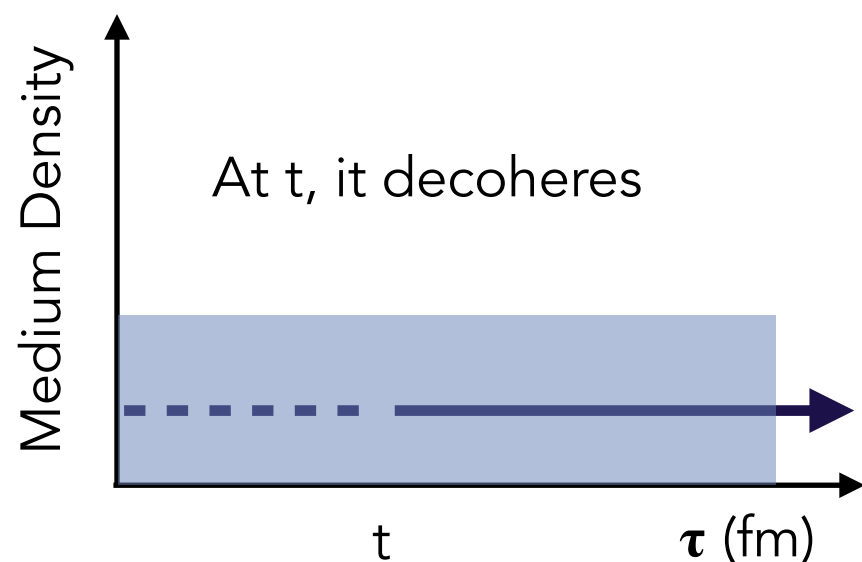


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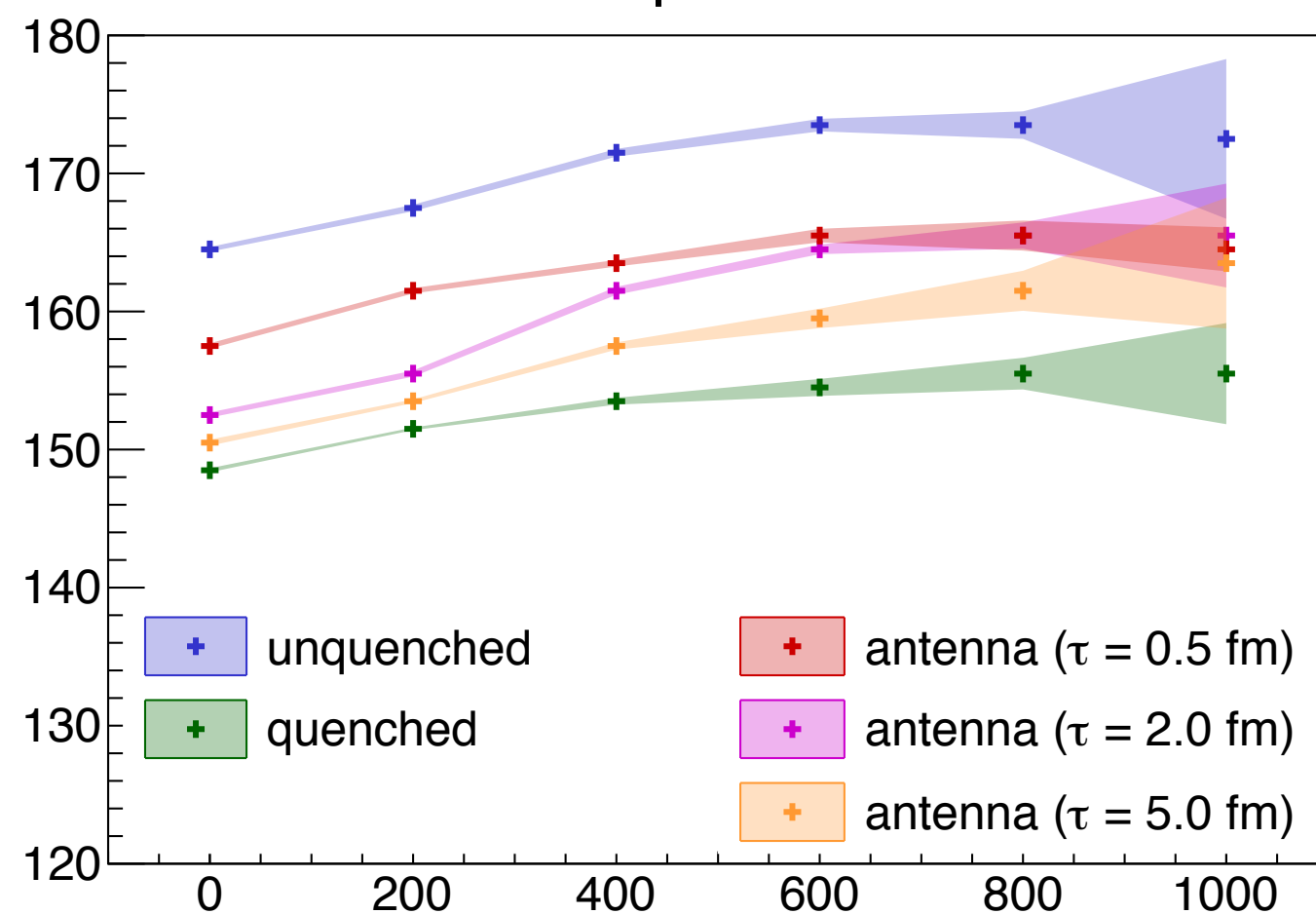
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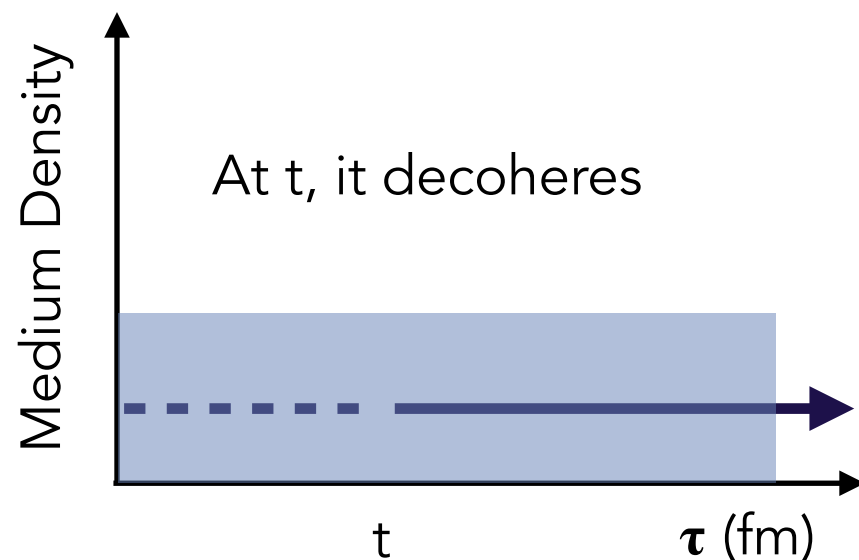


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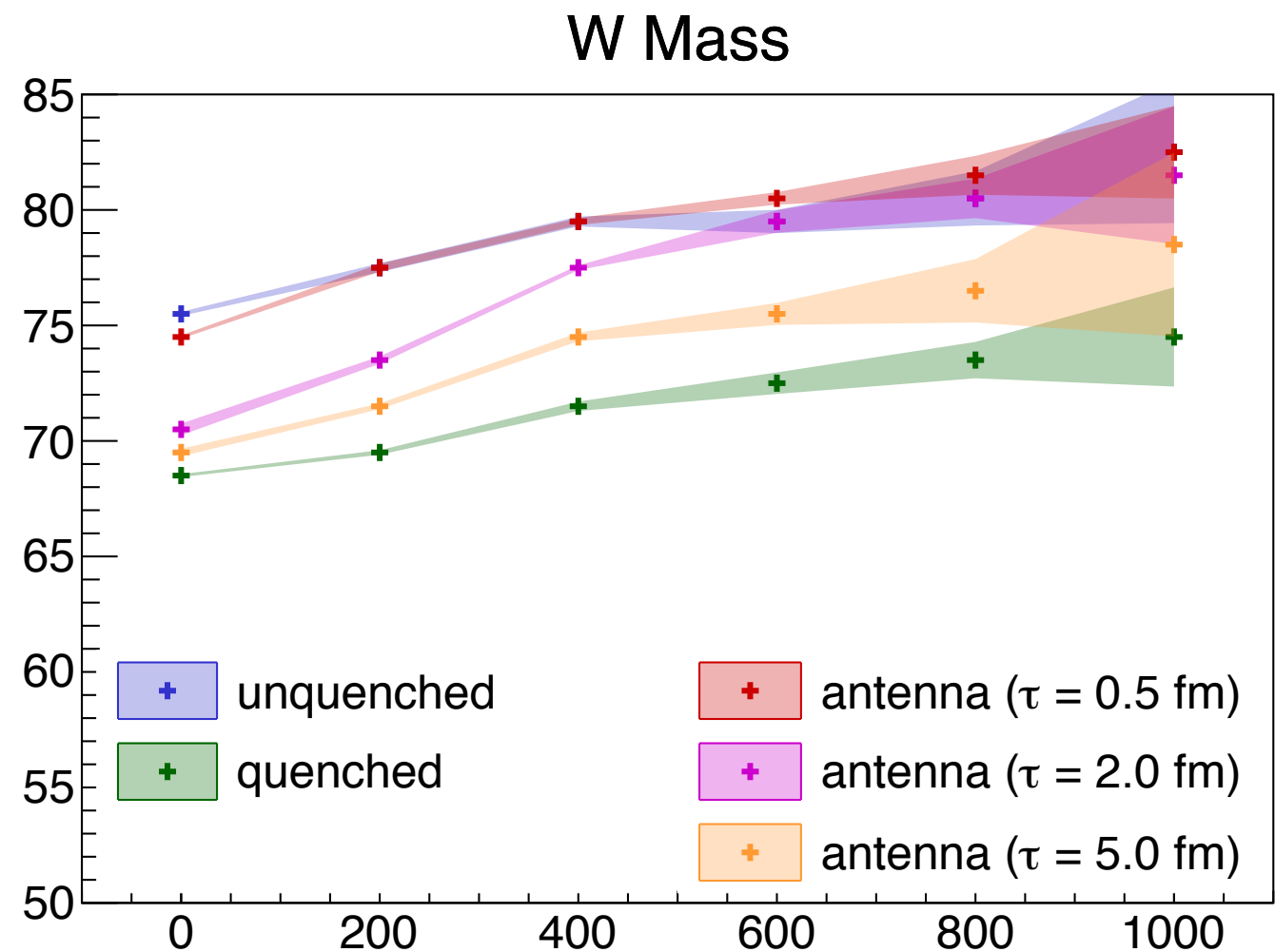
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Expected shift on the jet reconstructed mass depends on the boost

Should be possible to get information on the QGP evolution profile



(Reconstruction method not optimized...)

# Fixed-Target

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# Backup Slides



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◆ Charged-hadron identification to measure independently:

◆ Low- $p_T$  charged mesons and baryons

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◆ Track reconstruction down to low  $p_T$ , (starting from few MeV)

Combination of methods that include:

- specific energy deposition in silicon trackers;
- time-of-flight;
- Cherenkov radiation,

Delicate interplay between material thickness of the inner tracker and strong magnetic field

- General-purpose detector operated at  $B \approx 1$  T (?)





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