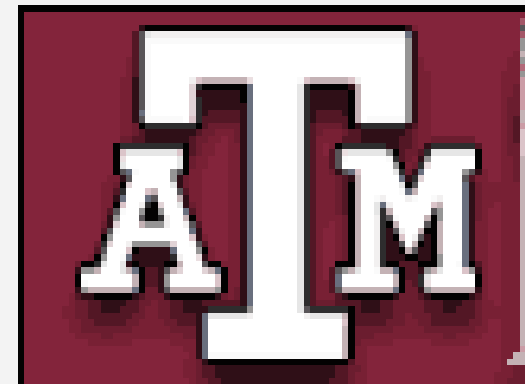


Quarkonia at High-Luminosity LHC:

Can we determine the in-medium QCD force?

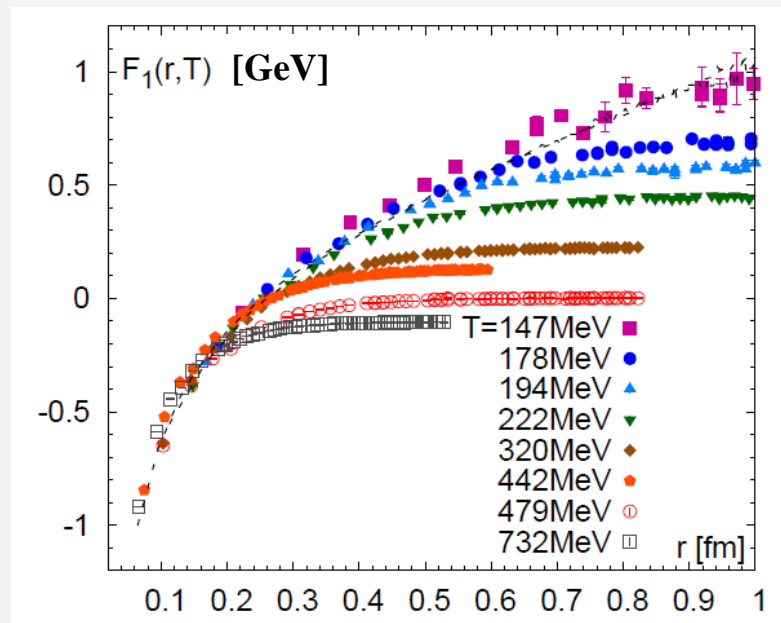
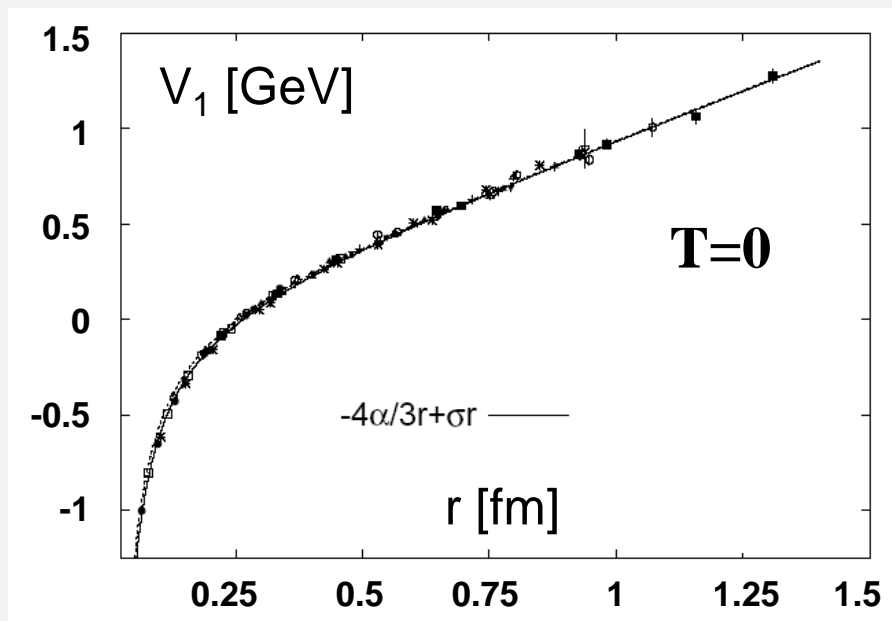
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1.) Introduction: A “Calibrated” QCD Force



[Bazavov et al '13]

- Vacuum quarkonium spectroscopy well described
- Confinement \leftrightarrow **linear part of potential**

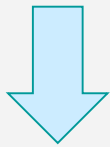
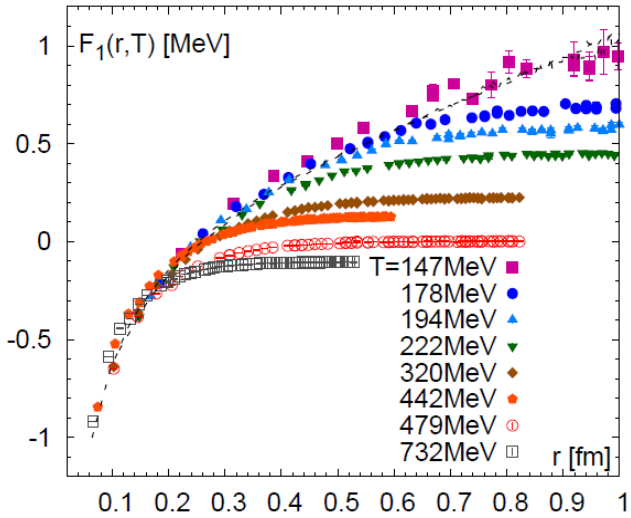
Opportunity: Utilize quarkonia to probe in-medium QCD force

\leftrightarrow infer consequences for transport coeffs. + spectral functs.

\leftrightarrow probe QGP properties at varying resolution

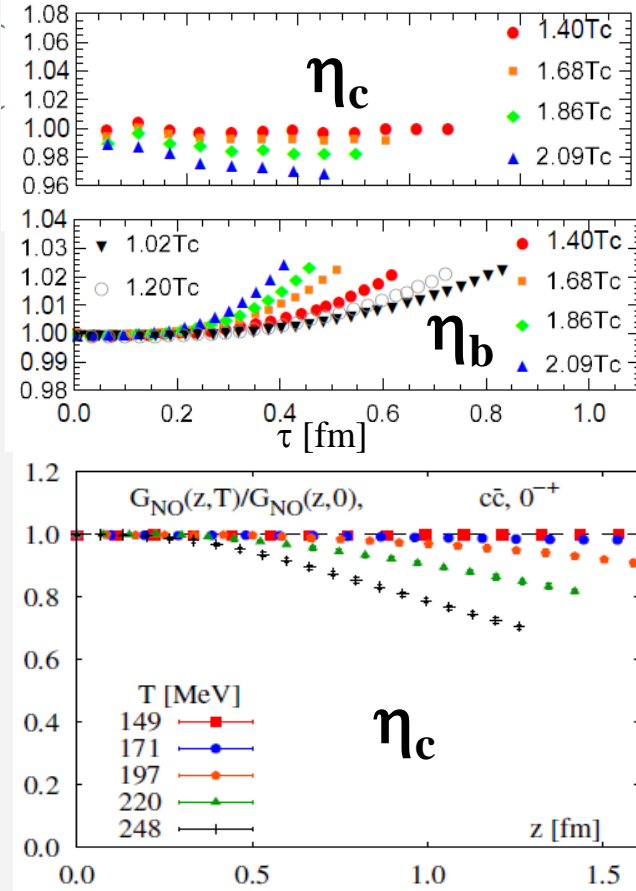
1.2 Heavy Quark/onia on the Lattice

QQ Free Energy



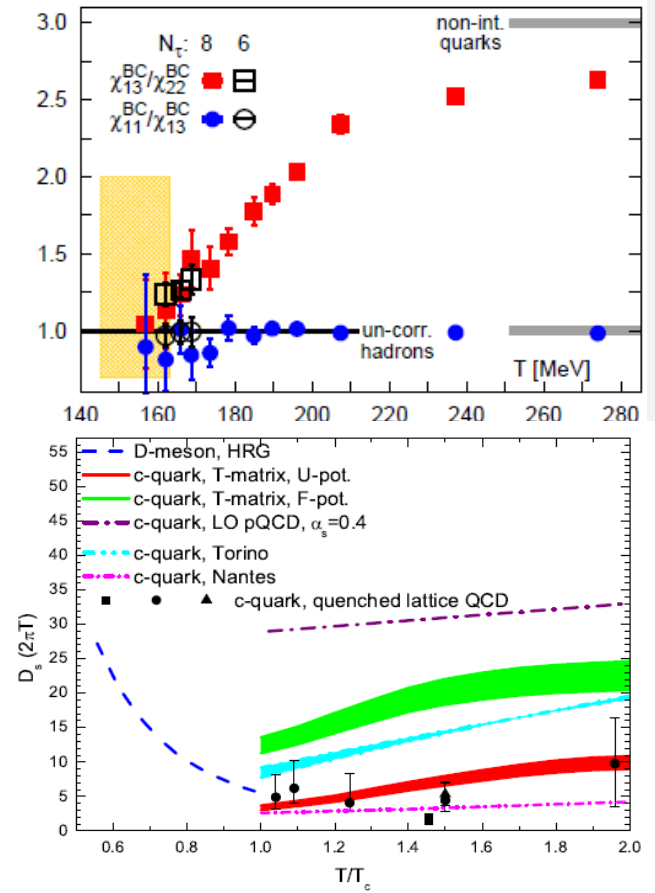
Heavy-quark potential

Onium Correlators



Energy + 3-mom. dep. of $\Psi + \Upsilon$ spectral fcts.

Quark Suscept./Diffusion

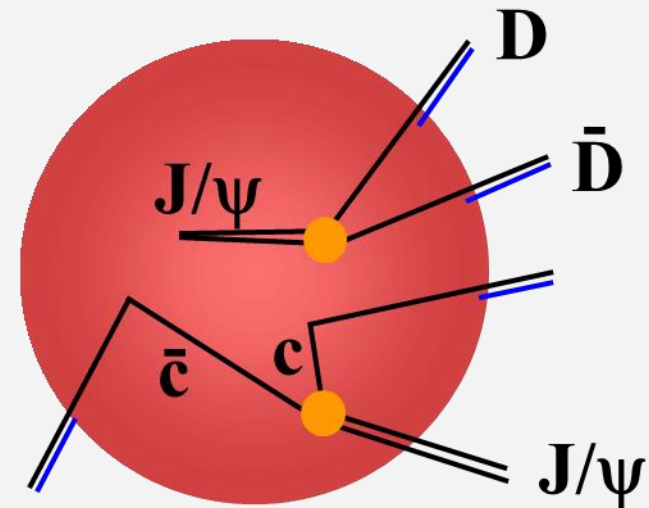
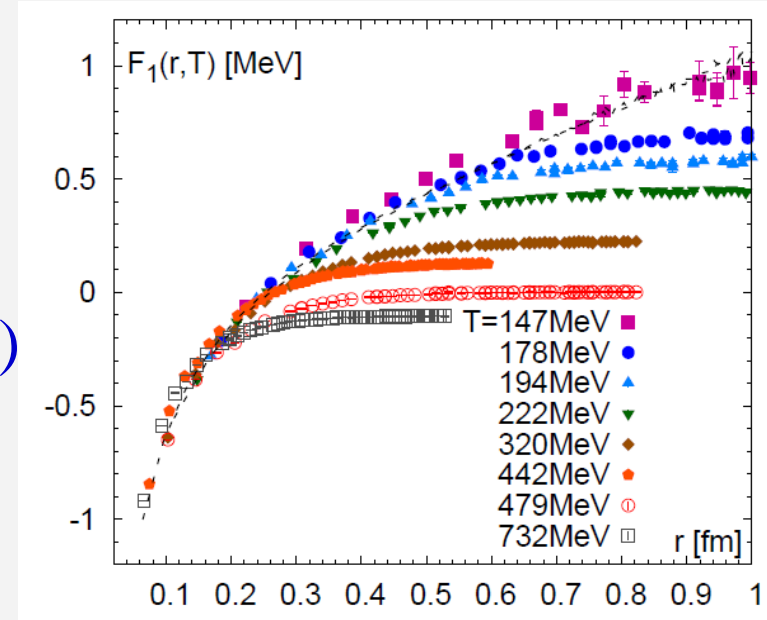


Individual heavy quarks in QGP

Ample source of information \Leftrightarrow Compelling Case for Experiment!

1.3 Quarkonia in Medium

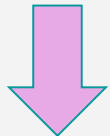
- Lattice-QCD suggests gradual progression of color screening
- Remnant confining force above T_{pc}
- $\Upsilon(1S)$: color-Coulomb ($E_B=1.1\text{GeV}$)
- $J/\psi, \Upsilon(2S,3S)$: confining force (0.6-0.2)
- $\psi(2S)$: barely bound (<0.1)
- Do not use as a thermometer ...
- Screening lowers binding energies $E_B(T)$
 \Rightarrow opens phase space for dissociation
- Dissociation rate $\Gamma_\psi(\mathbf{p};T)$ is key transport parameter for phenomenology



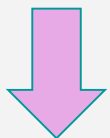
1.4 Systematic Approach to Heavy Flavor in Matter

Theory

latQCD HQ
free energy



Heavy-quark
potential



Quarkonium
binding E_B

Transport

HQ interactions
in QGP (\mathcal{D}_s)

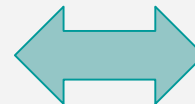
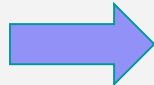
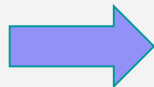


Quarkonium
reaction rate Γ_Ψ

Experiment

Open HF
observables

Quarkonium
observables



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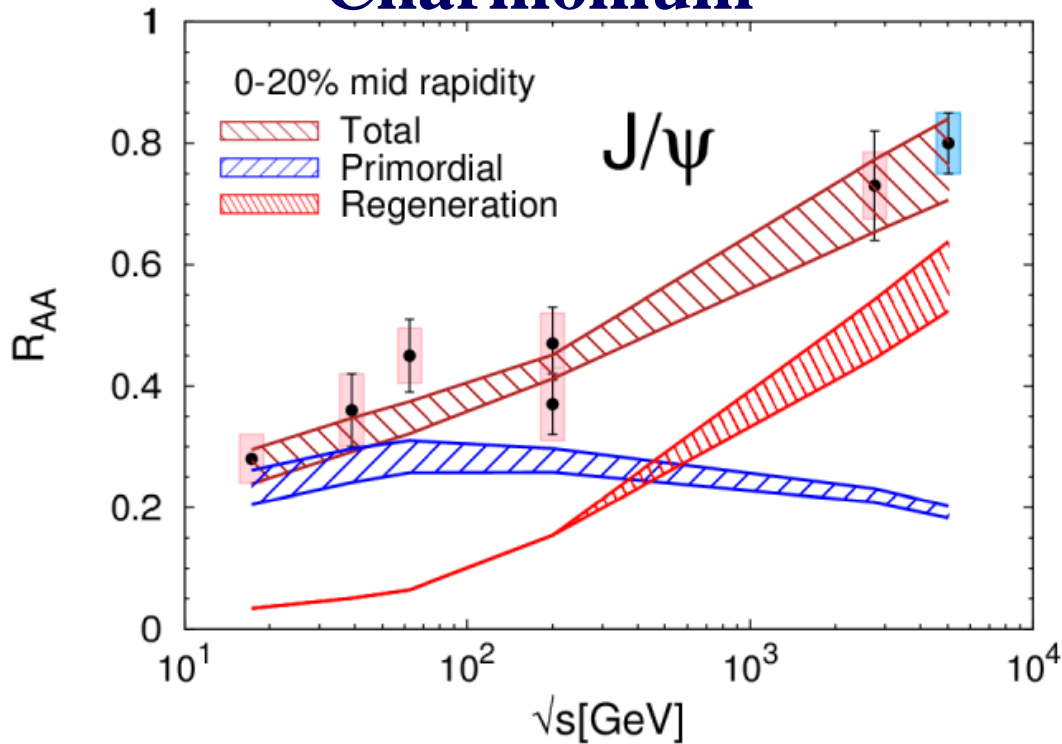
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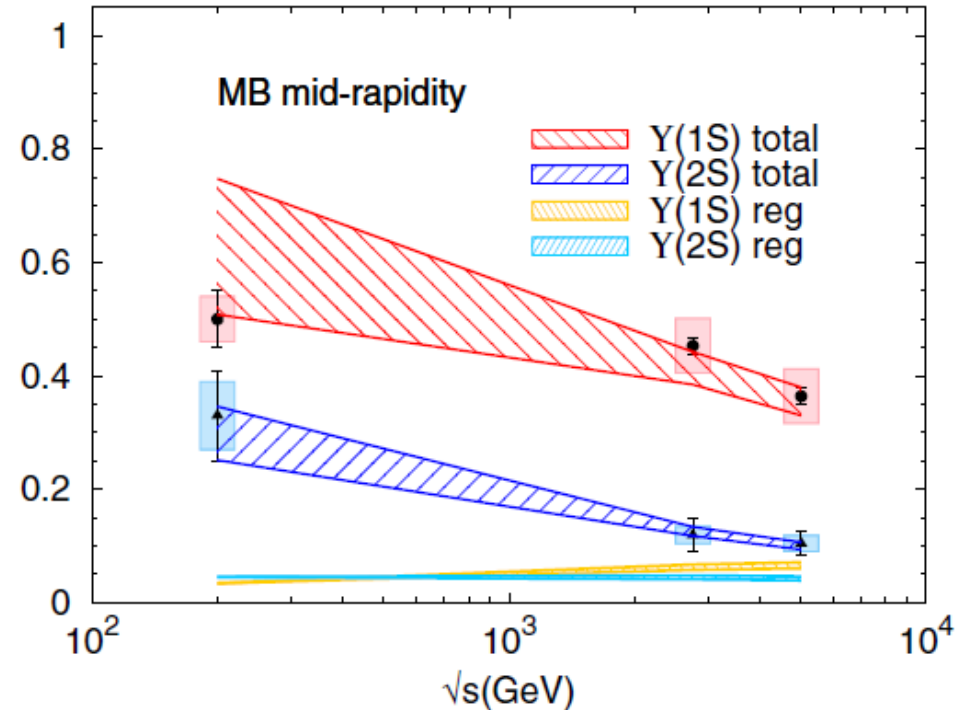
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2.1 Excitation Functions in AuAu / PbPb

Charmonium



Bottomonium



- Gradual **increase** of total J/ψ R_{AA}
- Regeneration **and** suppression increase
- Regeneration concentrated at low p_T !

- Gradual **suppression**
- Regeneration (N_Y^{eq}) small
- Qualitative difference from J/ψ

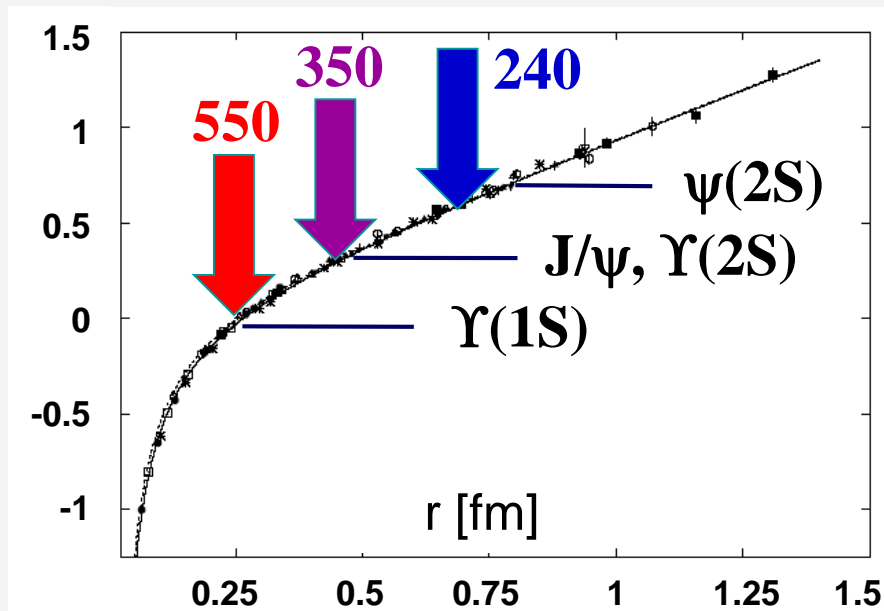
[data: NA50, PHENIX, STAR, ALICE, CMS]

2.2 Current Quarkonium Phenomenology

Use temperature estimates from hydro/photons/dileptons to infer:

$$T_{\text{melt}}(\psi') < T^{\text{SPS}} (\sim 240) < T_{\text{melt}}(\text{J}/\psi, \Upsilon') \leq T^{\text{RHIC}} (\sim 350) < T_{\text{melt}}(\Upsilon) \leq T^{\text{LHC}} (\sim 550)$$

- Remnants of confining force survive at **SPS** [melt ψ' , J/ψ intact]
- Confining force screened at **RHIC+LHC** [melt $\text{J}/\psi + \Upsilon'$]
- Color-Coulomb screening at **LHC** [$\Upsilon(1\text{S})$ suppression]
- Thermalizing charm quarks recombine at **LHC** [large J/ψ yield]



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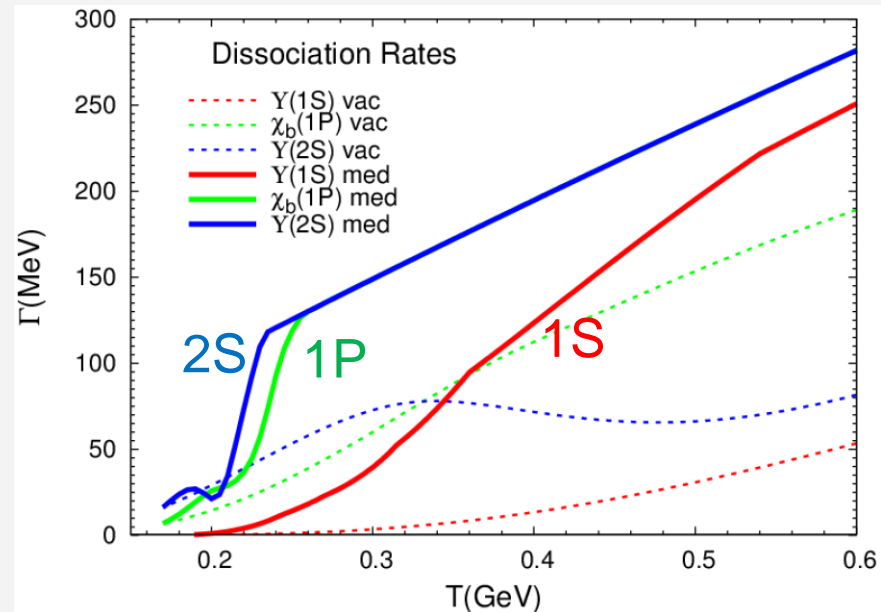
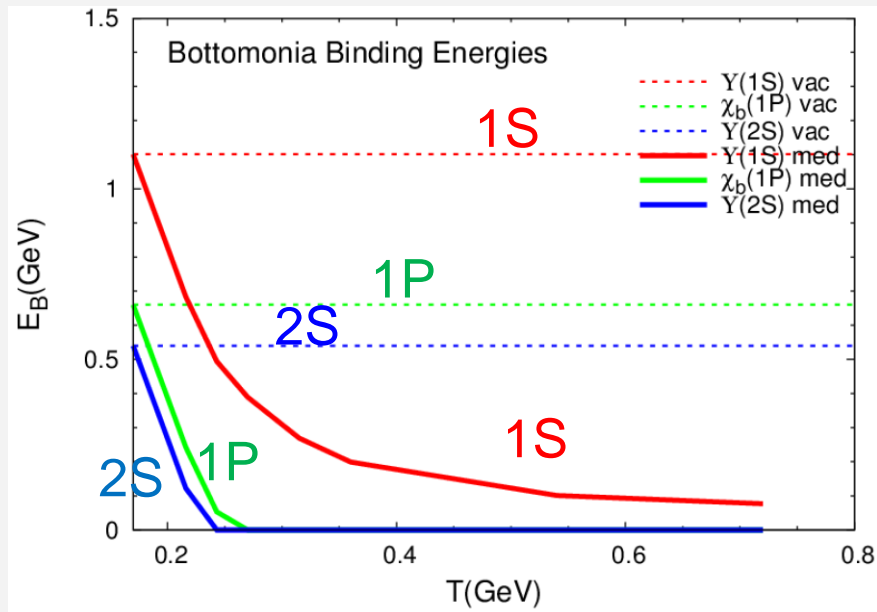
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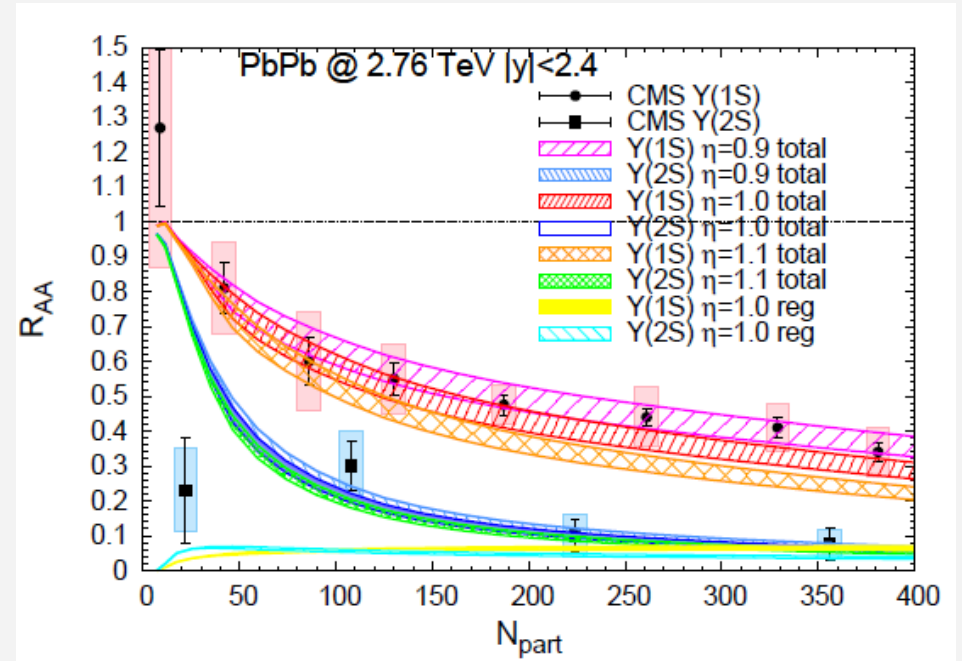
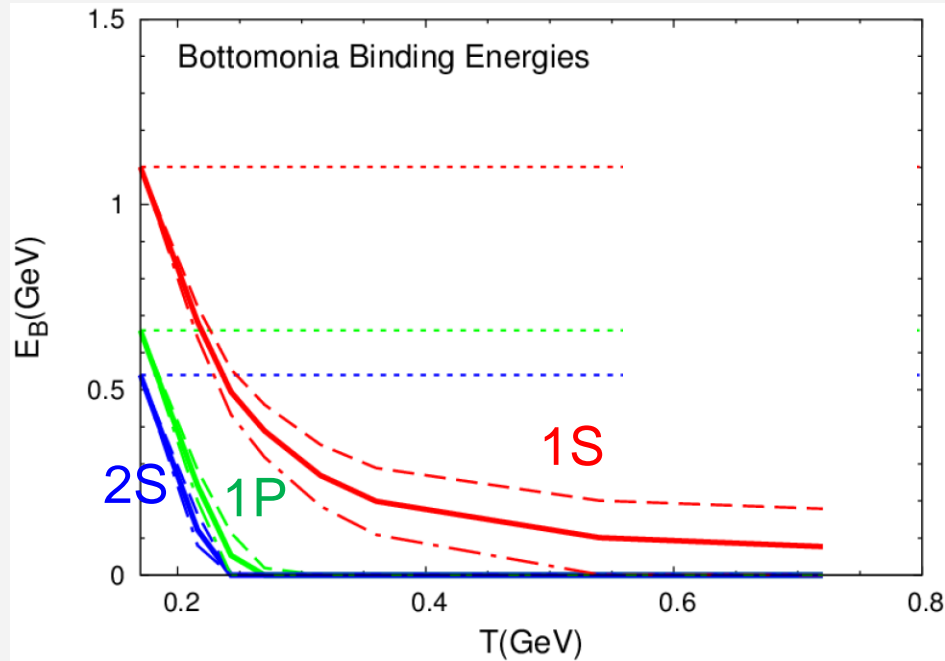
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3.1 Binding Energies + Reaction Rates: Y States



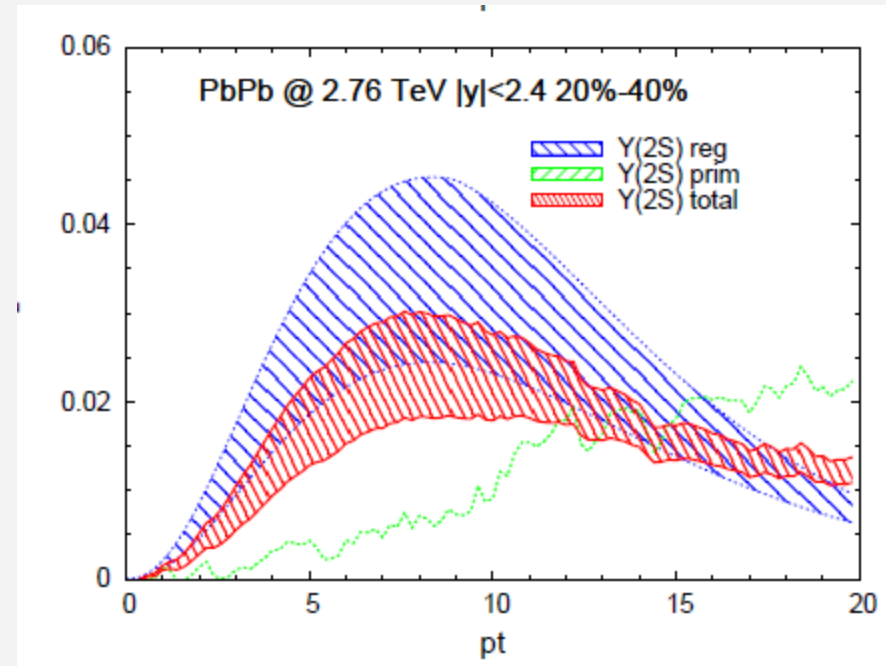
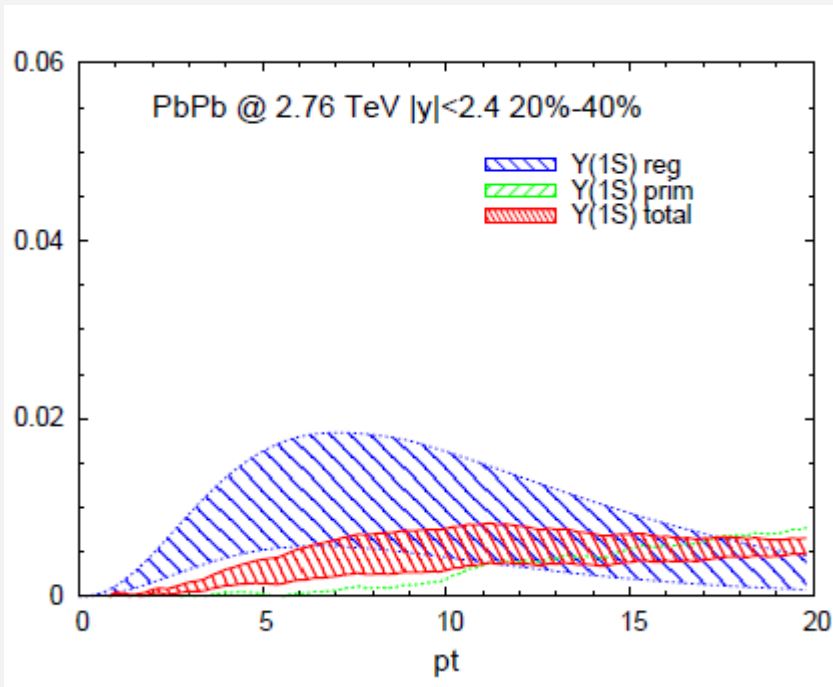
- Reduced binding “accelerates” dissociation ($\Gamma_Y(E_B=0) = 2\Gamma_b$)
- Localizes dissociation temperatures (centrality dependence!)
- Same rate for regeneration – experimental signatures of production time?

3.2 Sensitivity of R_{AA} to Binding Energies



- $\Upsilon(1S)$ suppression can discriminate (gradual) melting scenarios, need good control over auxiliary model components (bulk, CNM,...)
- $\Upsilon(2S,3S)$: need lower energies (**RHIC**), smaller systems (**pPb!**), or...

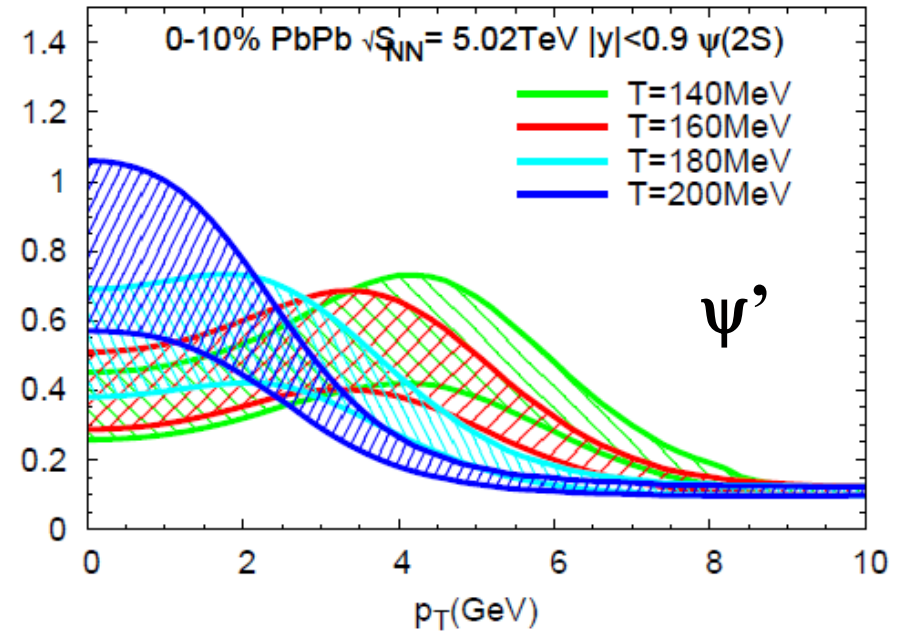
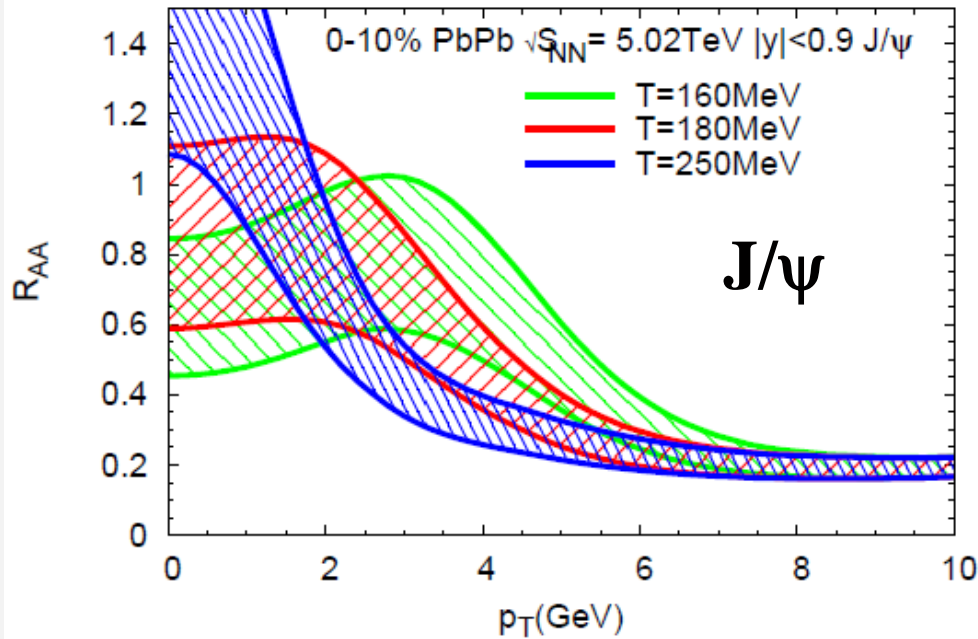
3.3 Υ Elliptic Flow



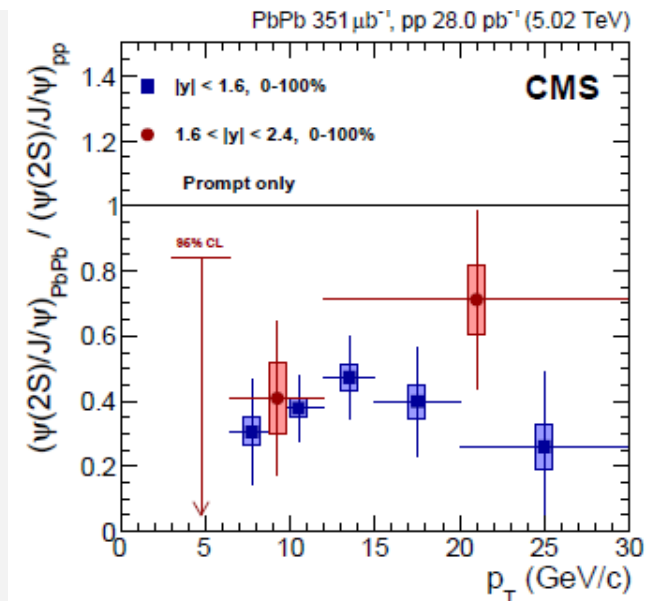
- Directly reflects production/suppression time!

$\Upsilon(1S)$: early , $\Upsilon(2S)$: late(r)

3.4 Charmonia: Production Time + “Flow Bump”



- Need **low- p_T R_{AA}** data to discriminate
- Sequential regeneration?!
- Recall double ratio of **CMS**...



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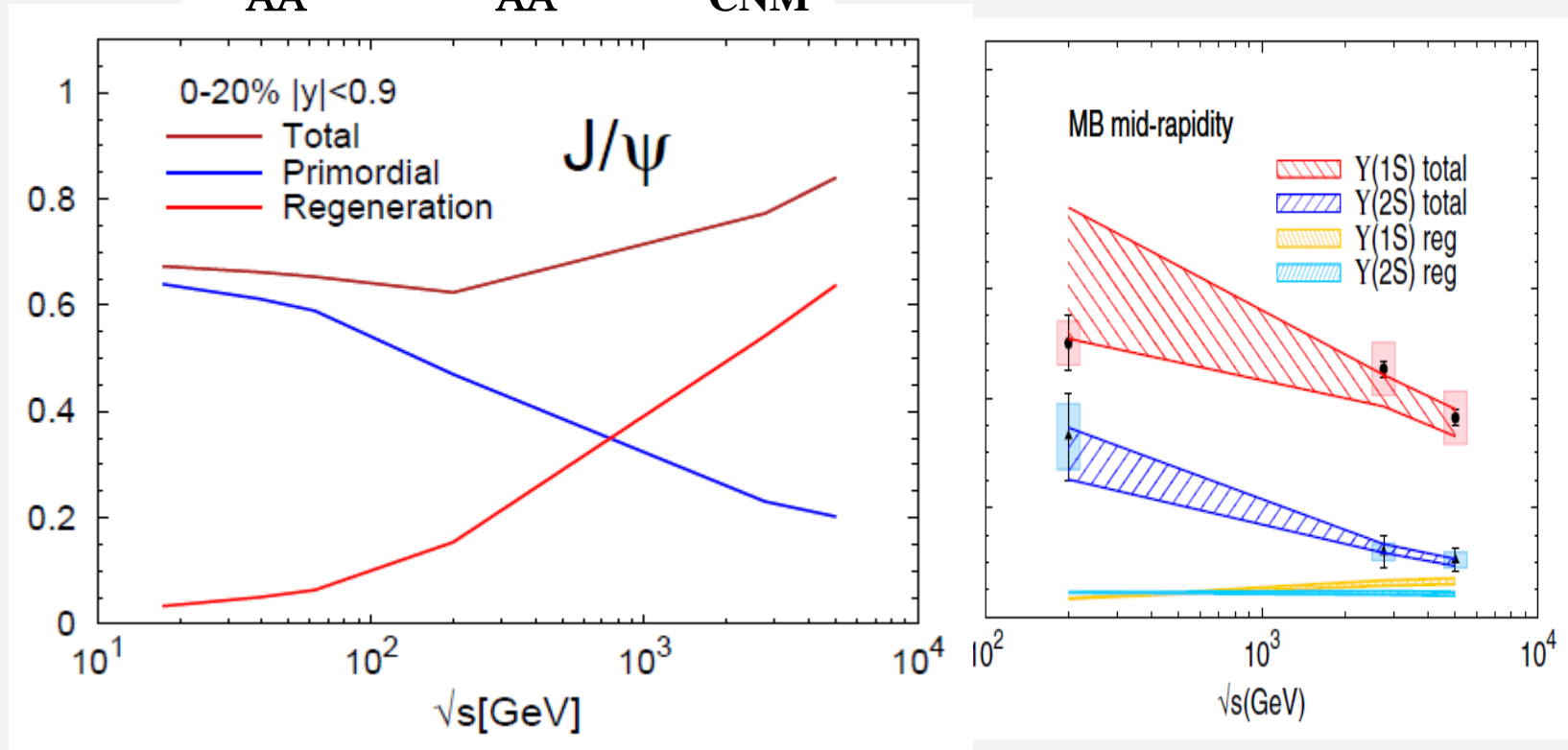
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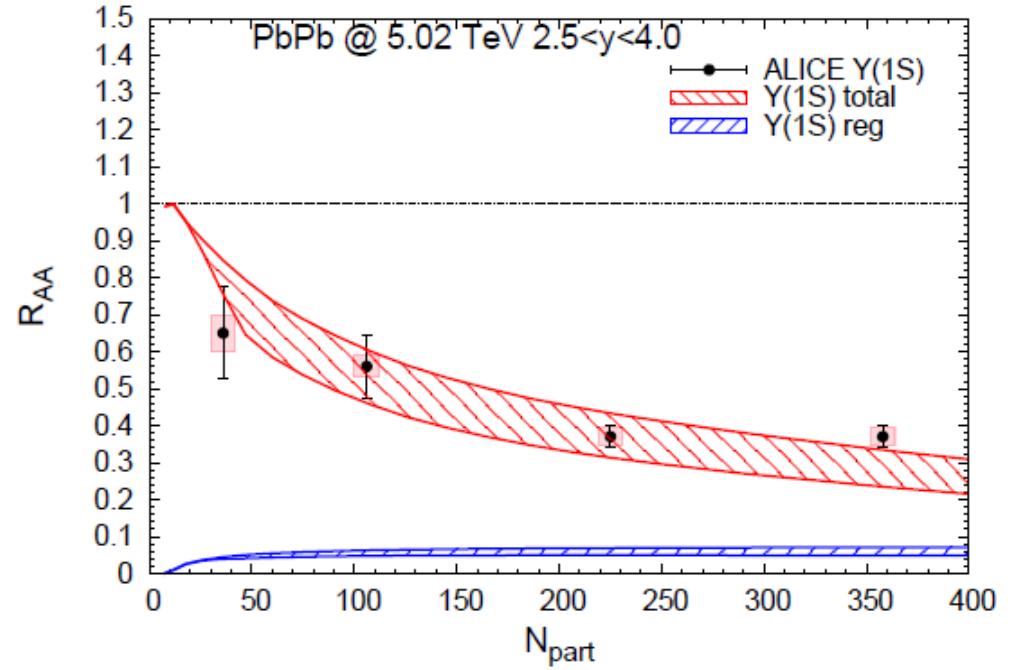
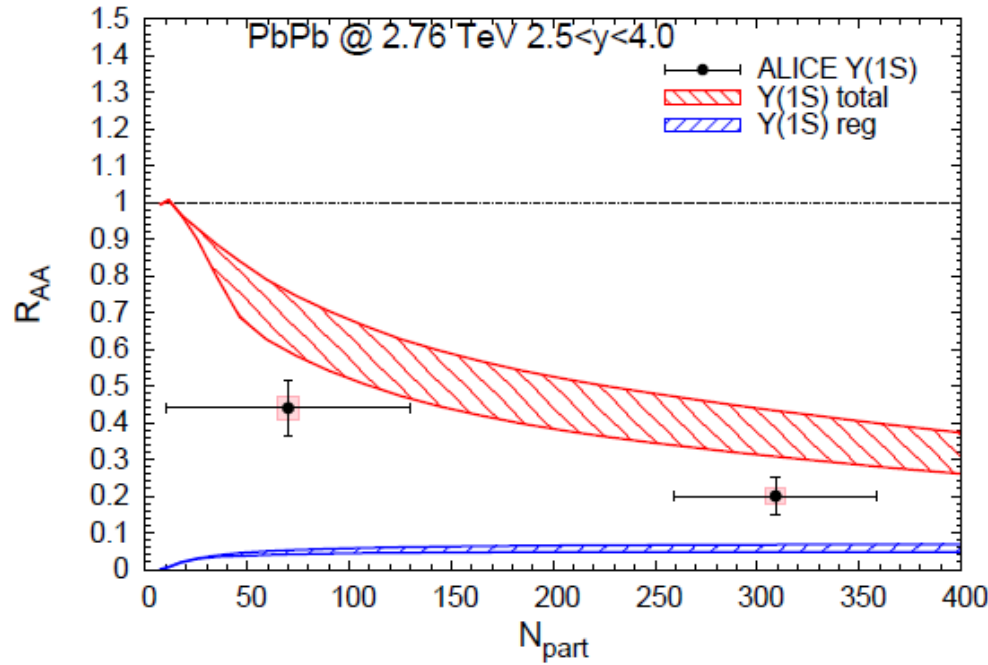
4.1 Divide out Cold-Nuclear-Matter Effects

$$R_{AA}^{\text{hot}} \equiv R_{AA}^{\text{tot}} / S_{\text{CNM}}$$

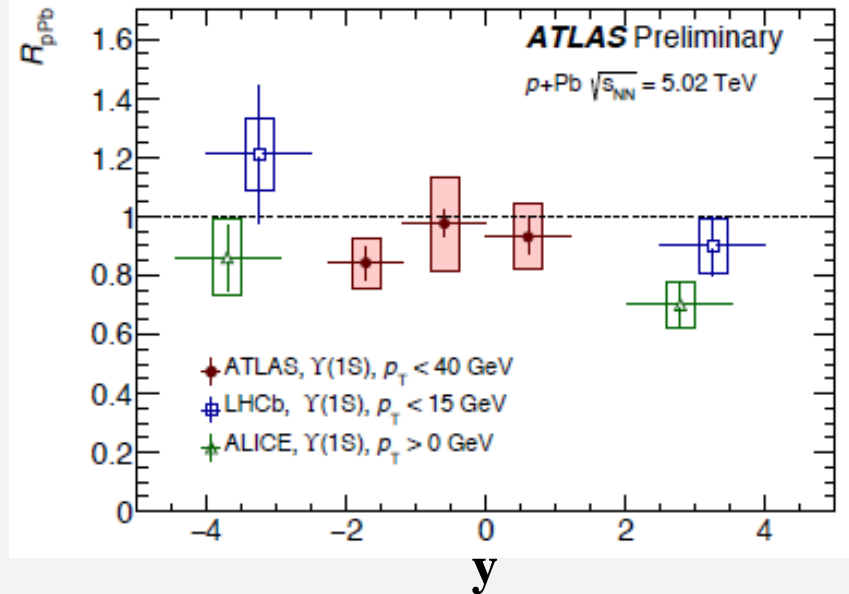


- J/ψ suppression at **SPS** mostly from feeddown ($\sigma_{\psi N} \sim 7.5\text{mb}$), melts in the **RHIC** \rightarrow **LHC** regime (not unlike $\Upsilon(2S)$)

4.2 $\Upsilon(1S)$: Rapidity Puzzle

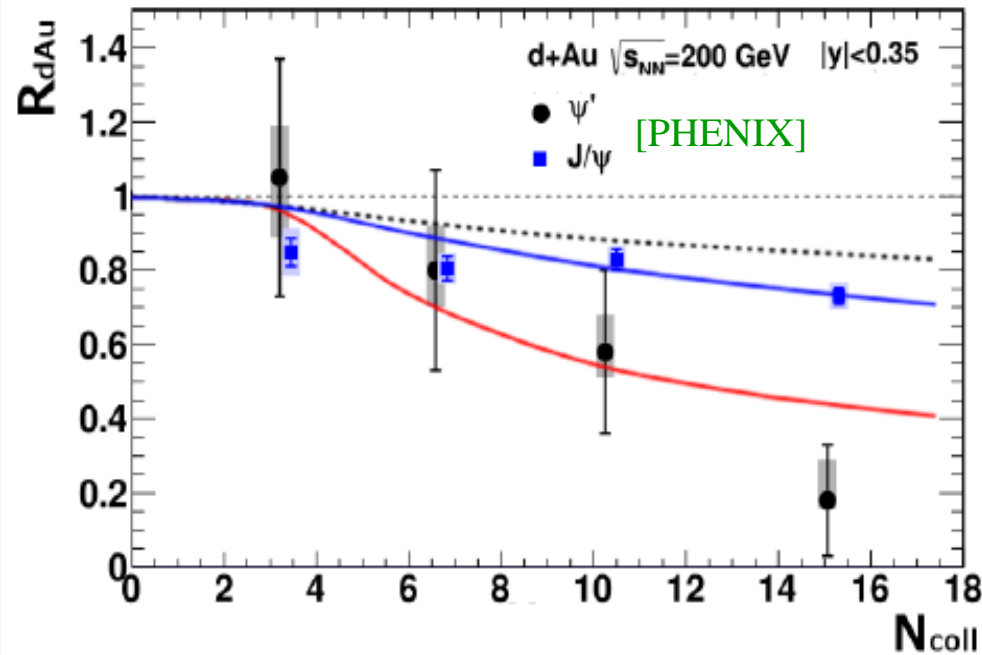


- problem of large(r) suppression in 2.76 TeV **ALICE** data
- beware of cold nuclear matter effects
- Regeneration: $N_{bb} \sim 1$ for central **PbPb**
 \Rightarrow canonical limit $N_Y \sim (N_{bb})^1$

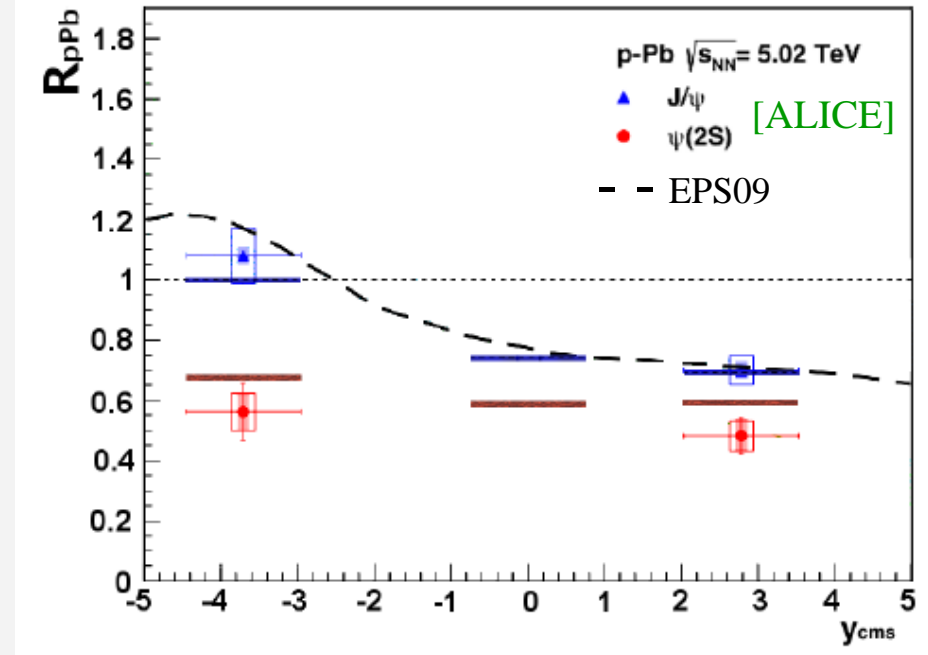


3.5 $\psi(2S)$ in p/dA: A Sensitive Medium Probe

d-Au (0.2TeV)



p-Pb (5.02TeV)



- noticeable ψ' but little J/ψ suppression, consistent with “comovers”

[Ferreiro '15]

- supports fireball formation with:

$$\tau_{\text{FB}} \Gamma(\psi') \sim 1 \Rightarrow \Gamma_{\text{avg}}(\psi') \sim 50\text{-}100 \text{ MeV}$$

similar to thermal

$$\tau_{\text{FB}} \Gamma(J/\psi) \ll 1 \Rightarrow \Gamma_{\text{avg}}(J/\psi) < 20 \text{ MeV}$$

widths at $T \approx 200\text{MeV}$

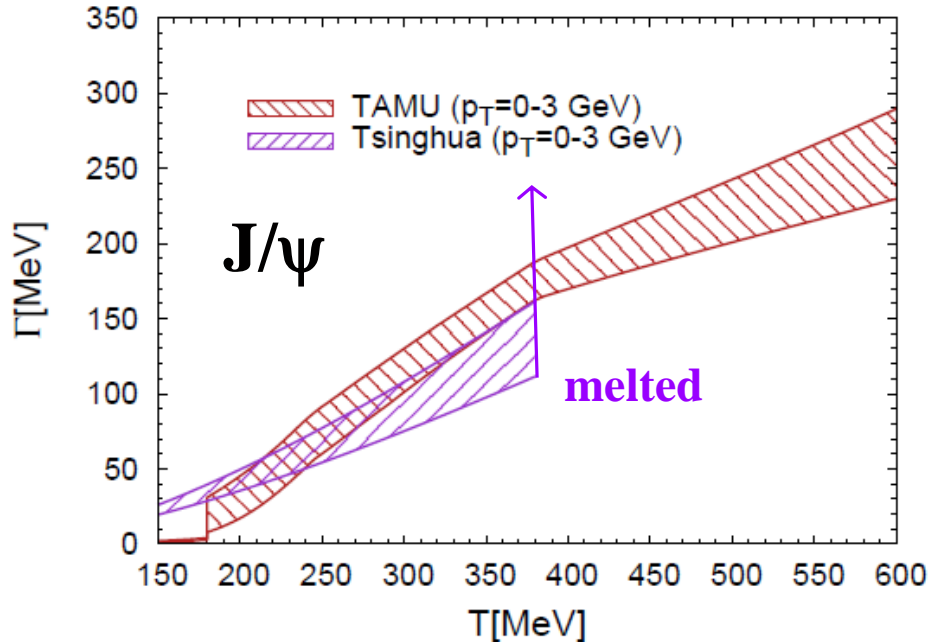
[Du et al '15]

5.) Summary

- Heavy quarkonia: hard production but **soft medium probe**
- Unique opportunity to unravel in-medium QCD force via thorough rooting in **lattice QCD**
- Both regeneration (Ψ) and dissociation (Υ) provide tell-tale signatures of in-medium screening
- Heavy-quark reaction rates rooted in open-HF phenomenology
- Key roles also in **pA**: CNM effects (\mathbf{J}/ψ , $\Upsilon(1\mathbf{S})$) + sensitive probes of putative medium ($\psi(2\mathbf{S})$, $\Upsilon(3\mathbf{S})$)

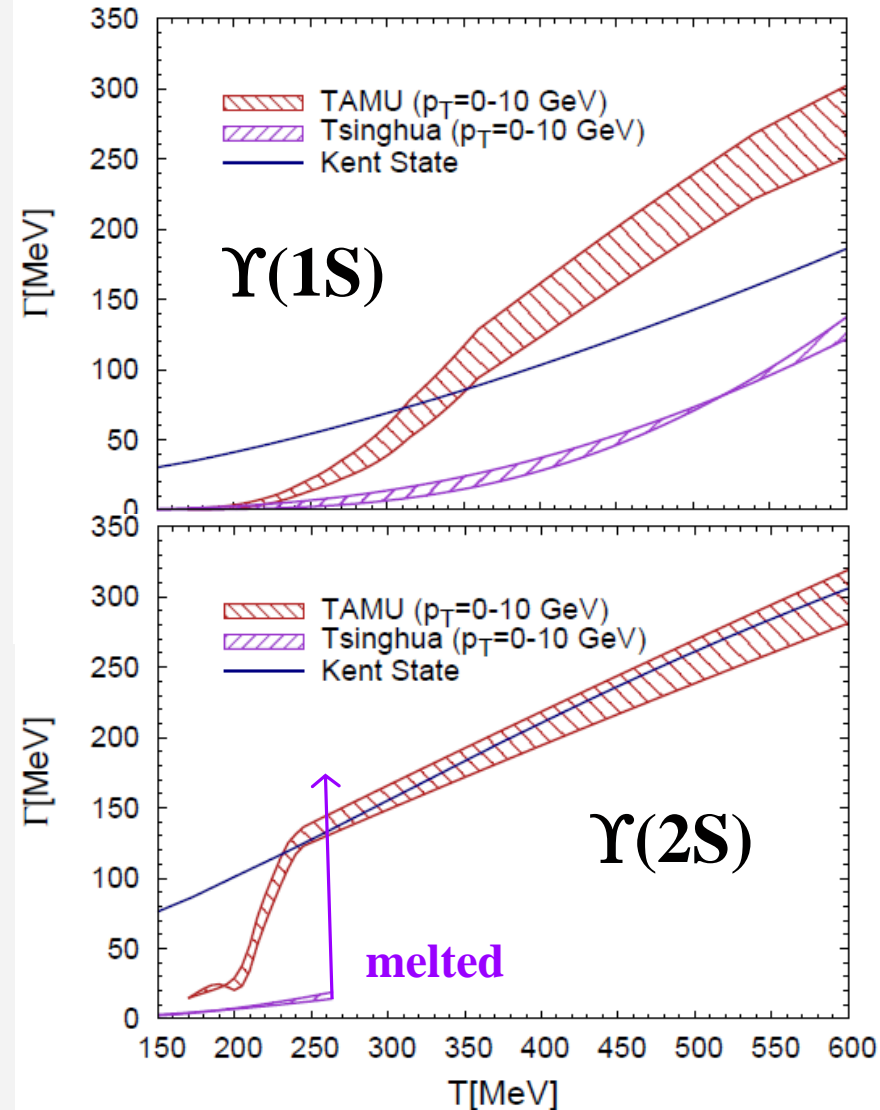
2.2 Quarkonium Width Comparisons

Charmonium



- Fair agreement for J/ψ
- Larger spread for Υ states
- Binding energies differ

Bottomonium



2.) Theoretical Tools

- **Statistical Hadronization model:**

chem. equil. of charm hadrons

$$N_{\psi}^{eq}(T_{ch}) = V_{FB} d_{\psi} \gamma_c^2 \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} f^{\psi}(m_{\psi}, T_{ch})$$

- **Transport Approaches**

Boltzmann equat.

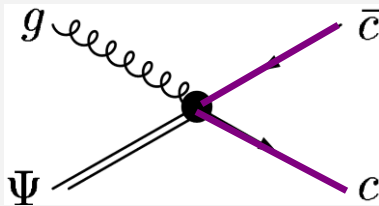
$$p^{\mu} \partial_{\mu} f^{\psi} = -E_p \Gamma_{\psi} f^{\psi} + E_p \beta$$

→ **Rate equation**

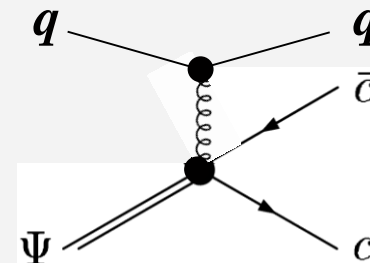
$$\frac{dN_{\psi}}{d\tau} = -\Gamma_{\psi} [N_{\psi} - N_{\psi}^{eq}]$$

- **Reaction Rate Γ_{ψ}**

“Strong” binding $E_B \geq T$



“Weak” binding $E_B < m_D$



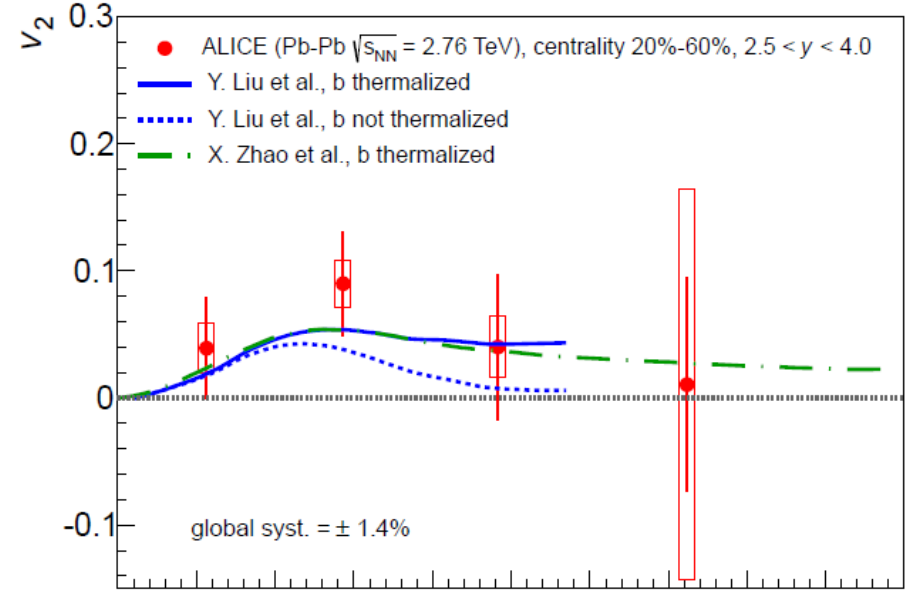
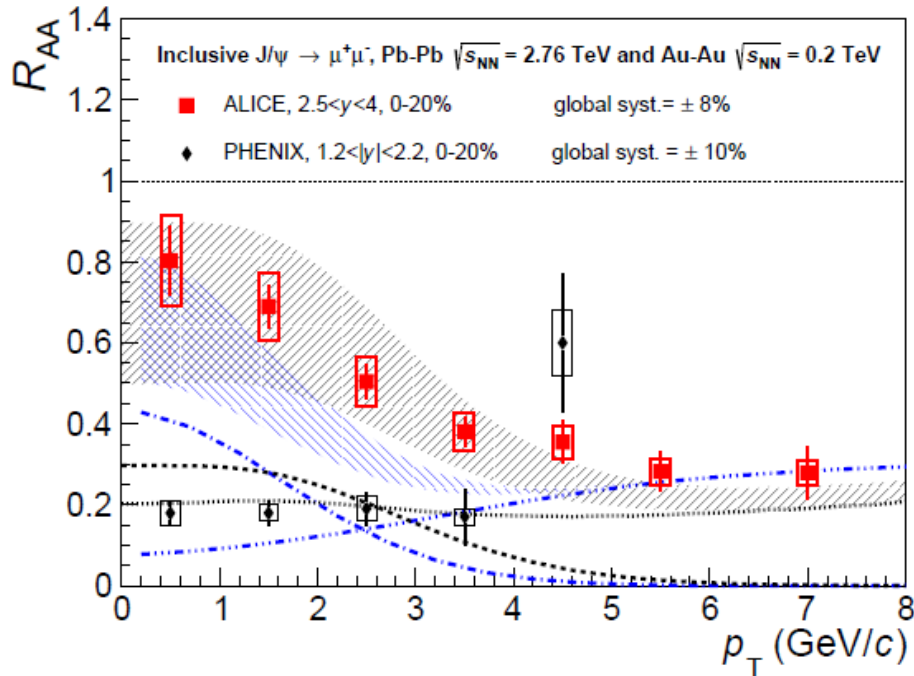
- **gluo-dissociation (“singlet-to-octet”)**

[Bhanot+Peskin '85, Brambilla et al '08, Liu et al '13...]

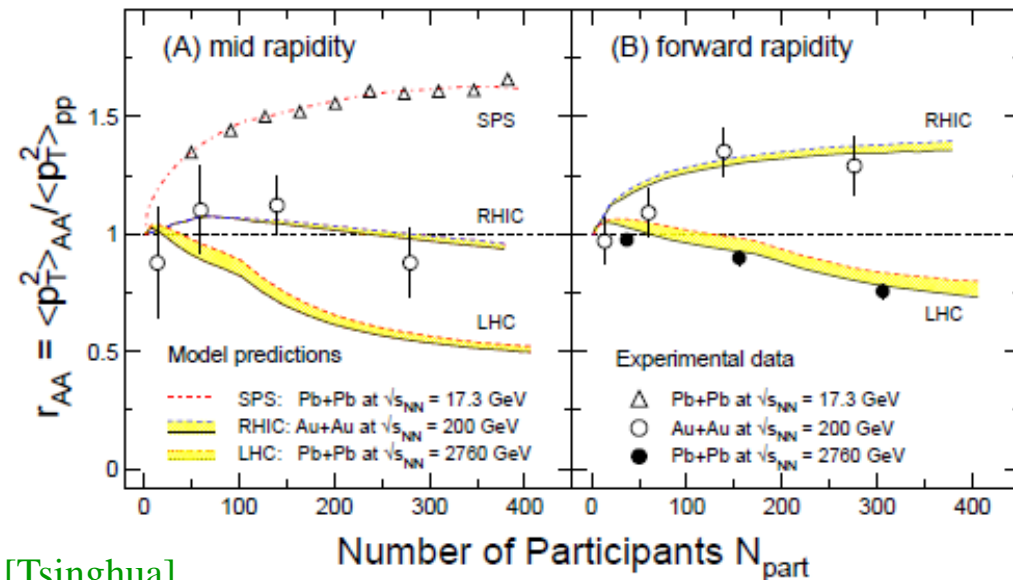
- **“quasi-free”/ Landau damping**

[Grandchamp+RR '02, Song et al '07, Laine et al '07,...]

3.3 Properties of Charmonium Excess



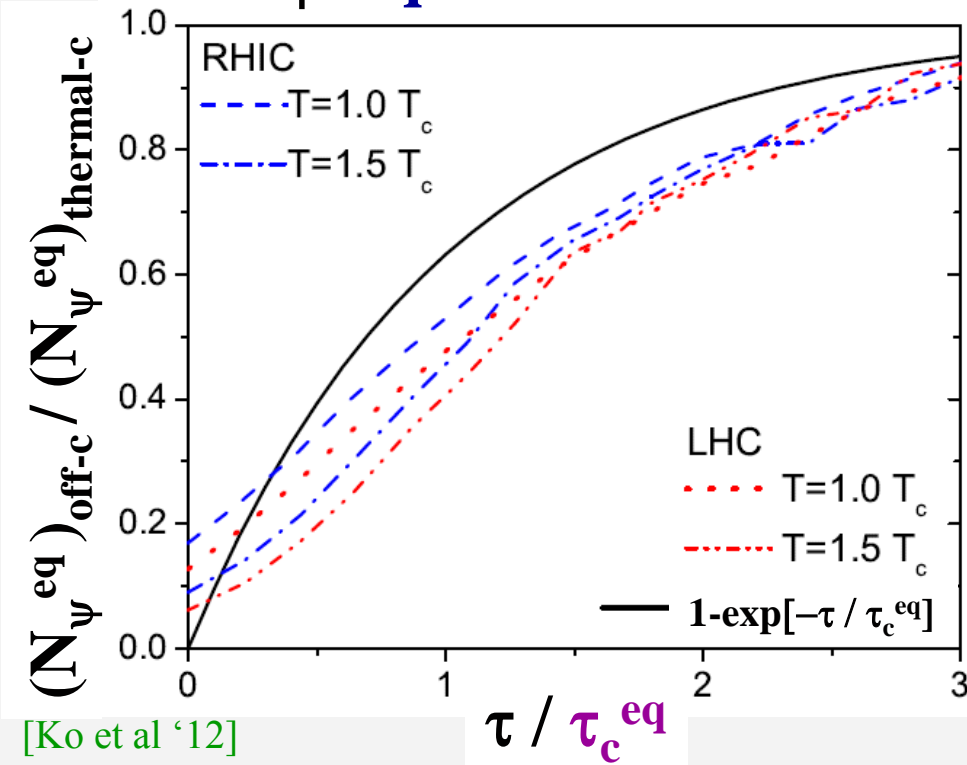
- excess concentrated at low p_T
- systematic softening of J/ψ p_T -spectra with increasing \sqrt{s} \rightarrow nature of source changes



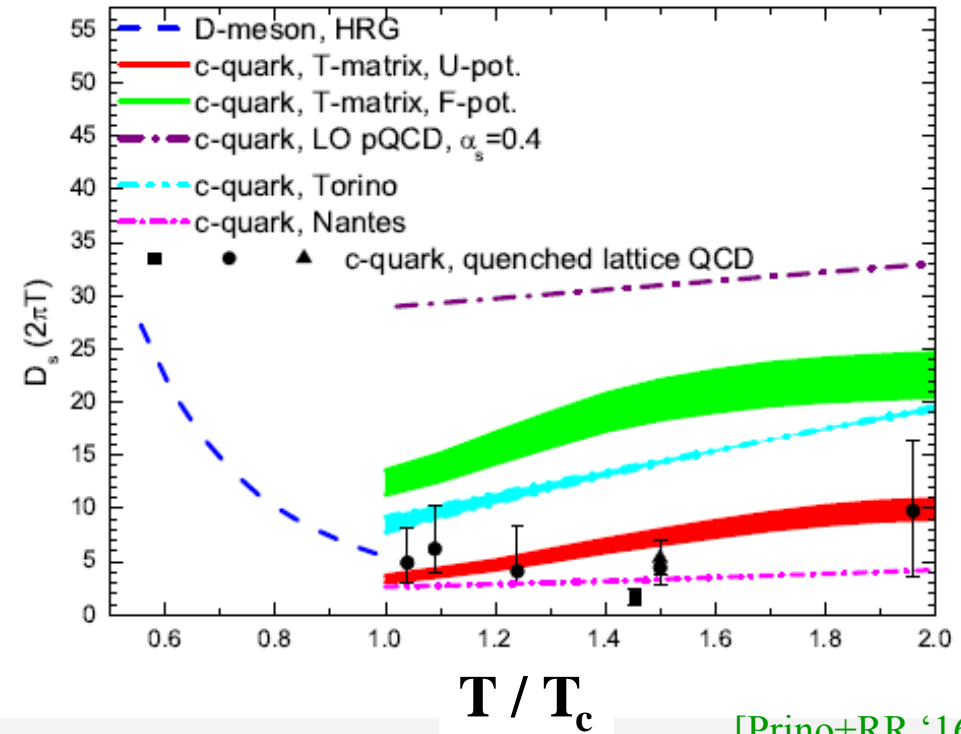
4.1 Charm Thermalization + J/ψ Regeneration

→ Softening of charm-quark spectra facilitates regeneration

J/ψ Equilibrium Fraction



Charm-Quark Diffusion Coeff.



- Charmonium phenomenology

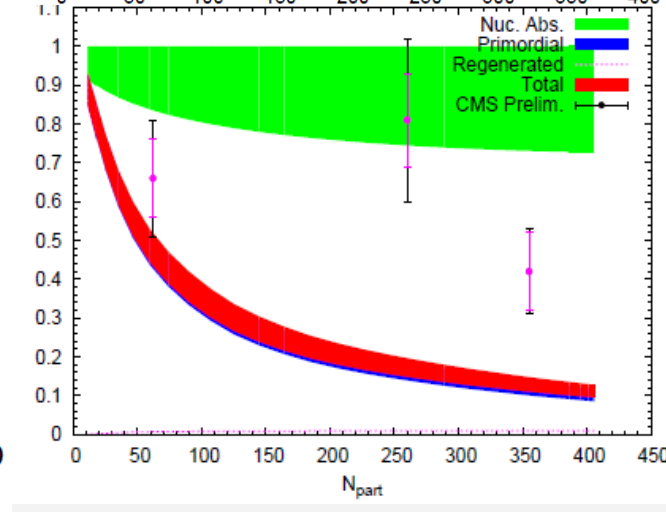
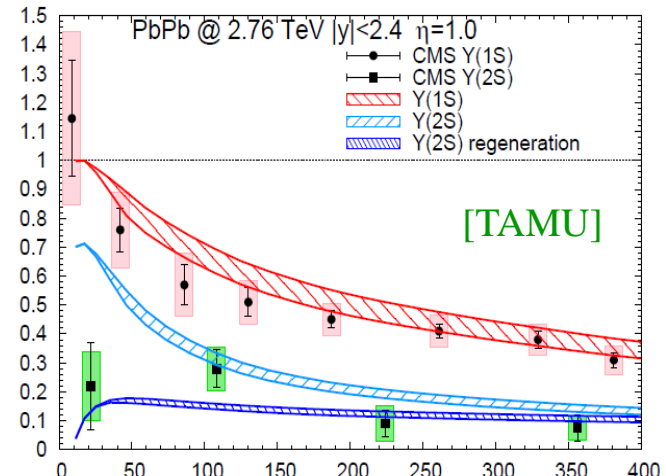
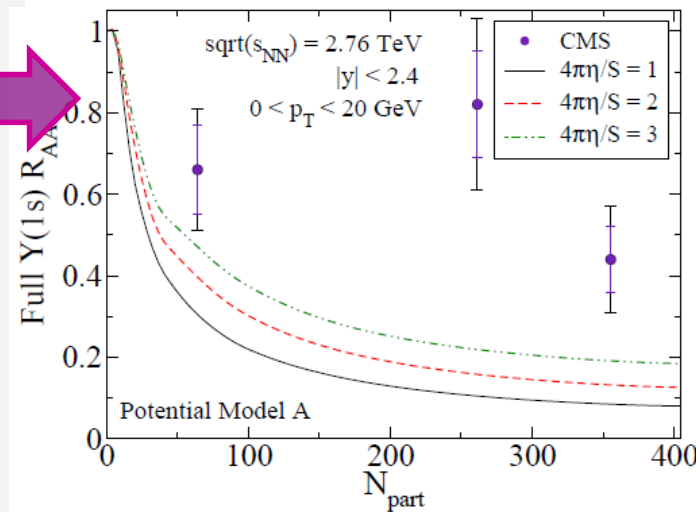
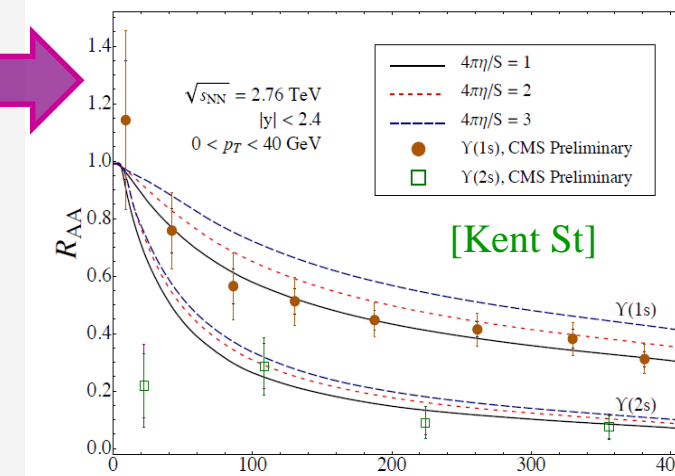
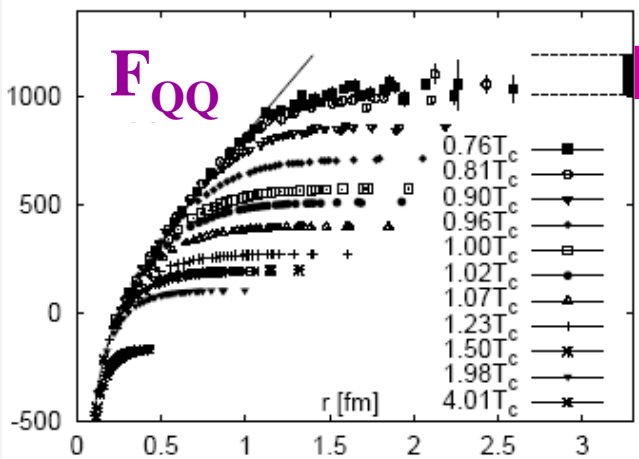
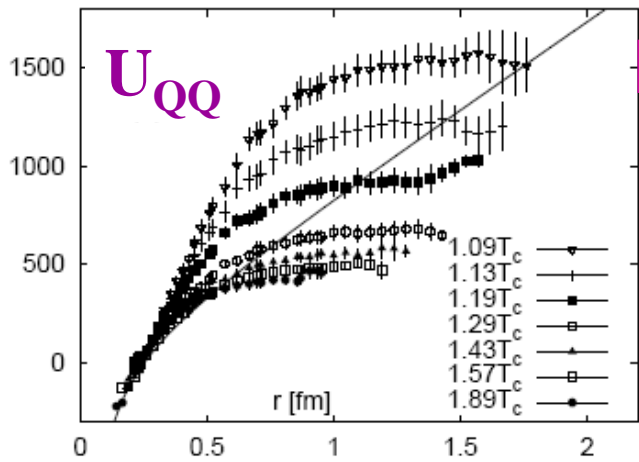
favors $\tau_c^{eq} \leq 5 \text{ fm}/c$
 (“strong” coupling)



$$D_s = \tau_c^{eq} T / m_Q \leq (4-8) / (2\pi T)$$

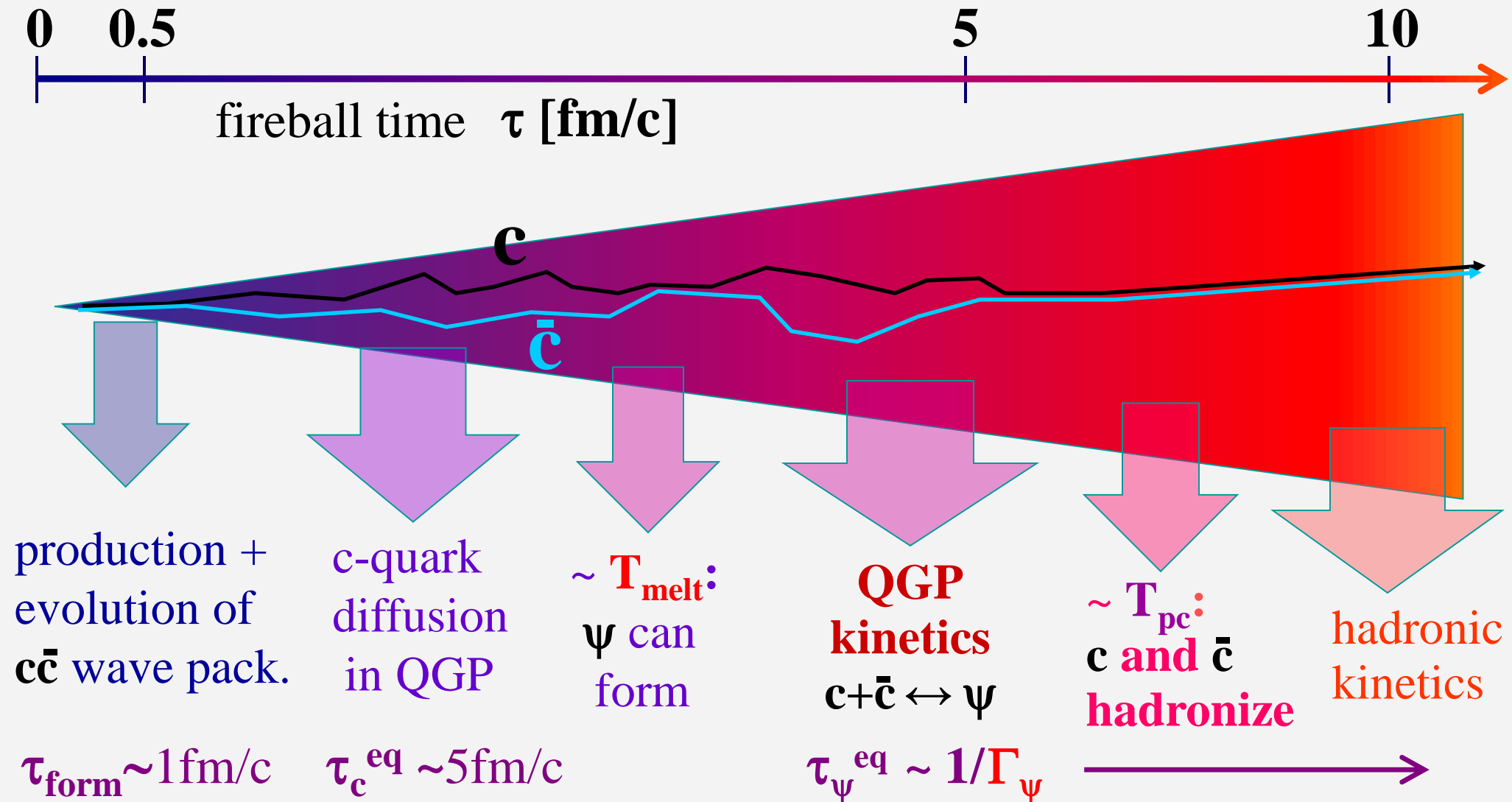
4.2 Heavy-Quark Potential and $\Upsilon(1S)$ Suppression

Input “Potential”



- $\Upsilon(1S)$ suppression prefers “strong” (**U**) over “weak” (**F**) in-med. potential
- role of regeneration for $\Upsilon(1S)$, $\Upsilon(2S)$?

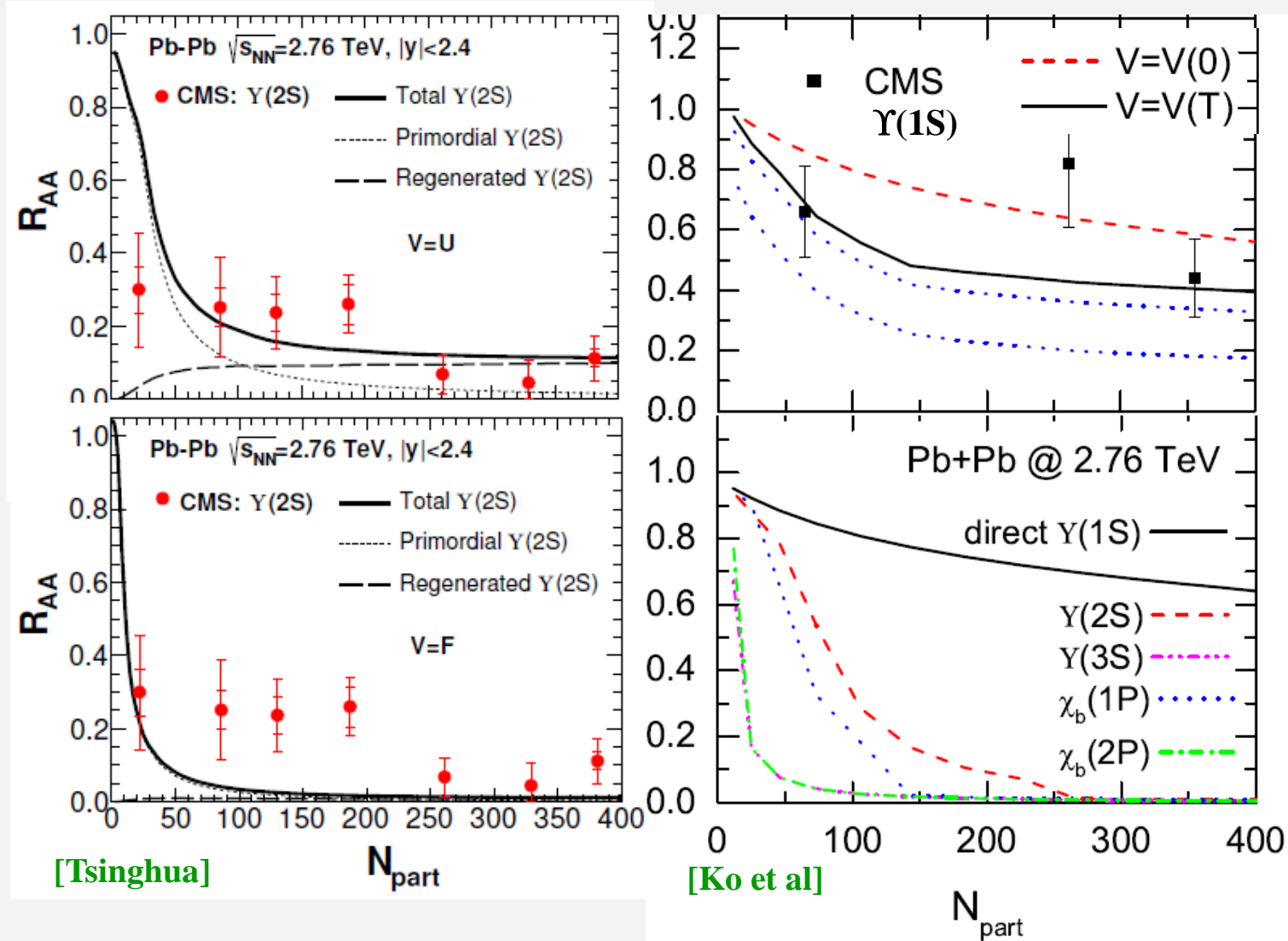
1.3 Quarkonium Transport in URHICs



[Satz et al, Capella et al, Spieles et al, PBM et al, Thews et al, Grandchamp et al, Ko et al, Zhuang et al, Zhao et al, Chaudhuri, Gossiaux et al, Young et al, Ferreira et al, Strickland et al, Brambilla et al, ...]

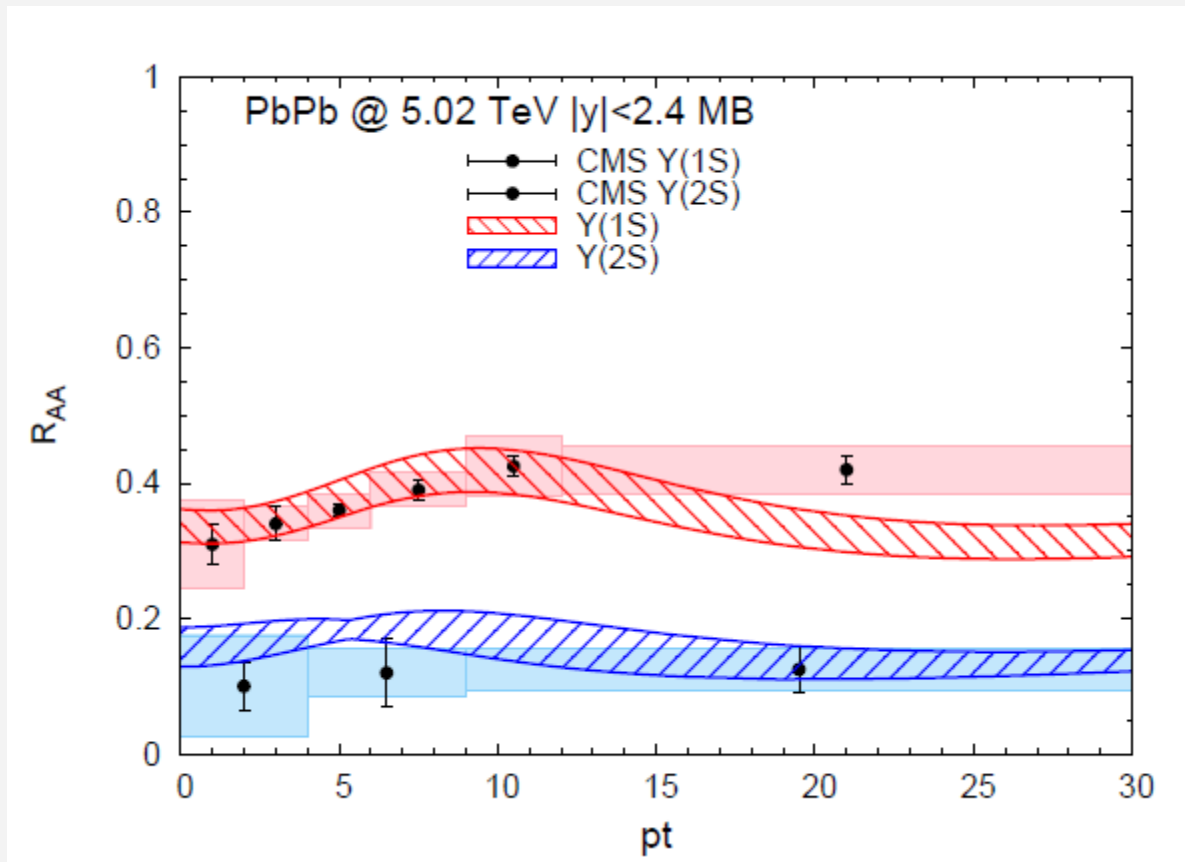
4.2 $\Upsilon(1S)$ and $\Upsilon(2S)$ Transport cont'd

... as implemented in current transport approaches

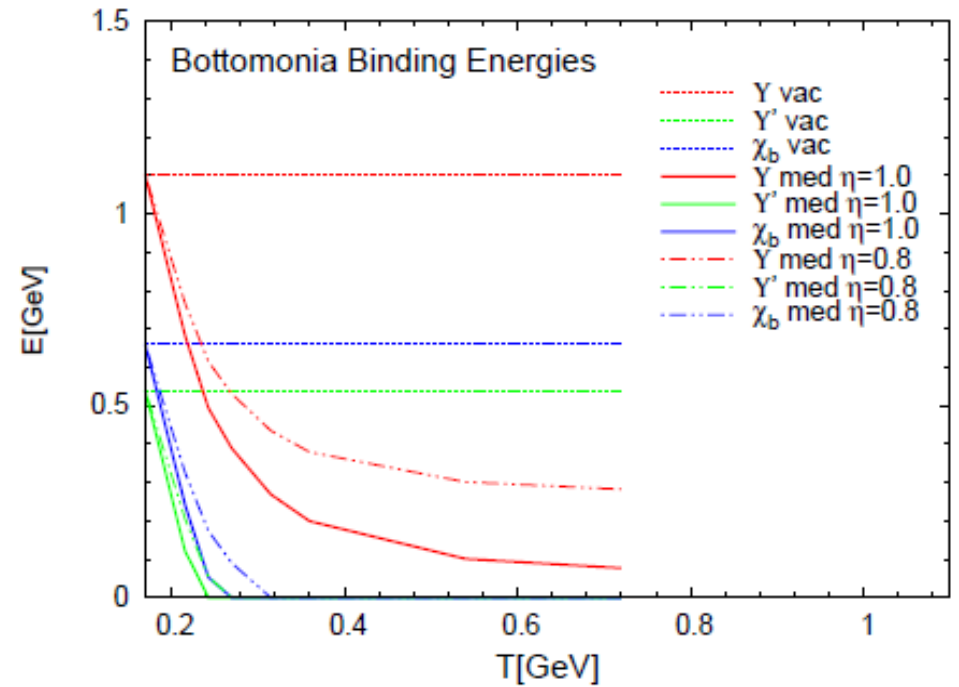
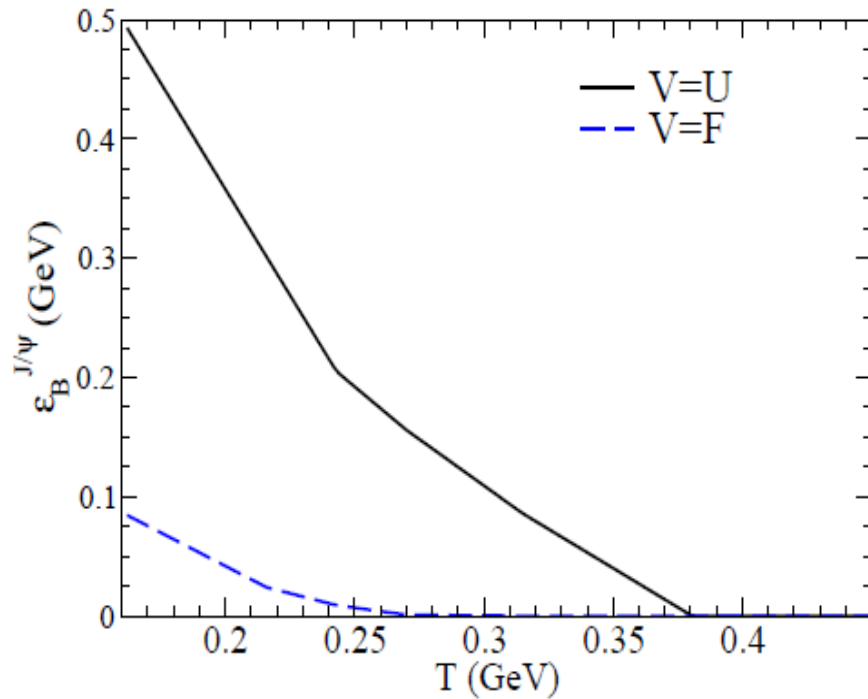


- $\Upsilon(2S)$ more sensitive sensitive to in-medium potential

4.5 Υ p_t Spectra in Pb-Pb(5.02TeV)



4.5 In-Medium Quarkonium Binding Energies

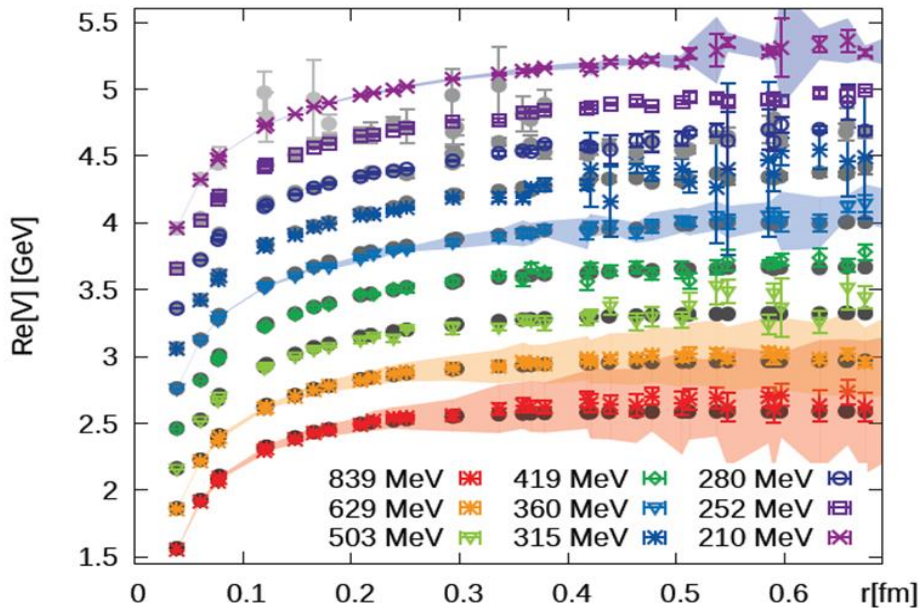


2.1 Potential Extraction from Lattice Data

- **Free Energy** $F_{Q\bar{Q}}(r_1 - r_2) = -\frac{1}{\beta} \ln(G^>(-i\beta, r_1 - r_2)) = -\frac{1}{\beta} \ln\left(\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\omega \sigma(\omega, r_1 - r_2) e^{-\beta\omega}\right)$

- **Q \bar{Q} Spectral Function** $\sigma(\omega, r) = \frac{1}{\pi} \frac{(V + \Sigma)_I(\omega)}{(\omega - (V + \Sigma)_R)^2 + (V + \Sigma)_I^2(\omega)}$

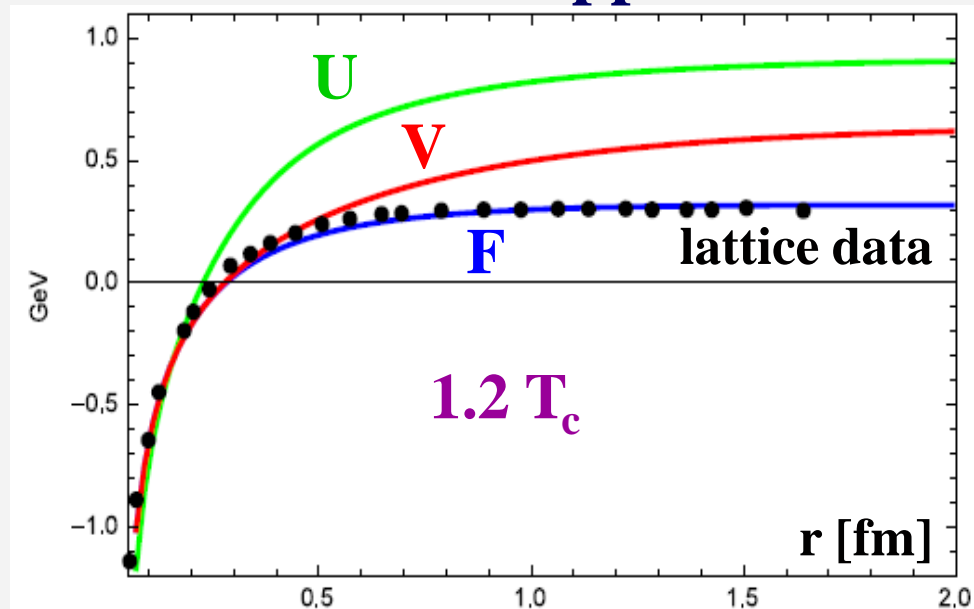
Bayesian Approach



- **Potential close to free energy**

[Burnier et al '14]

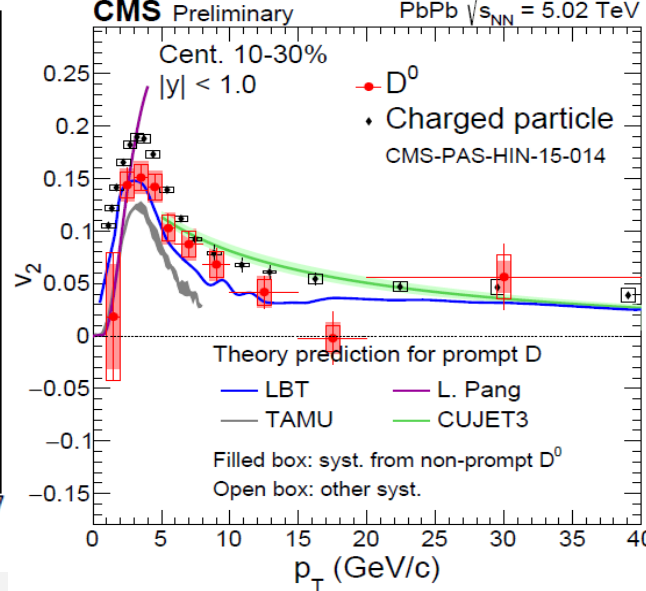
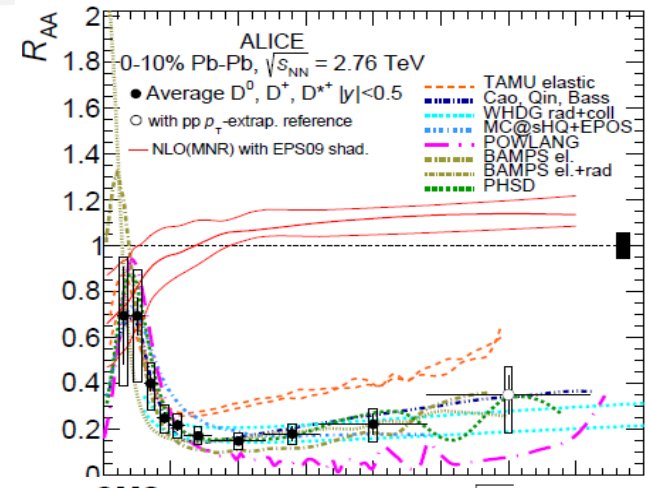
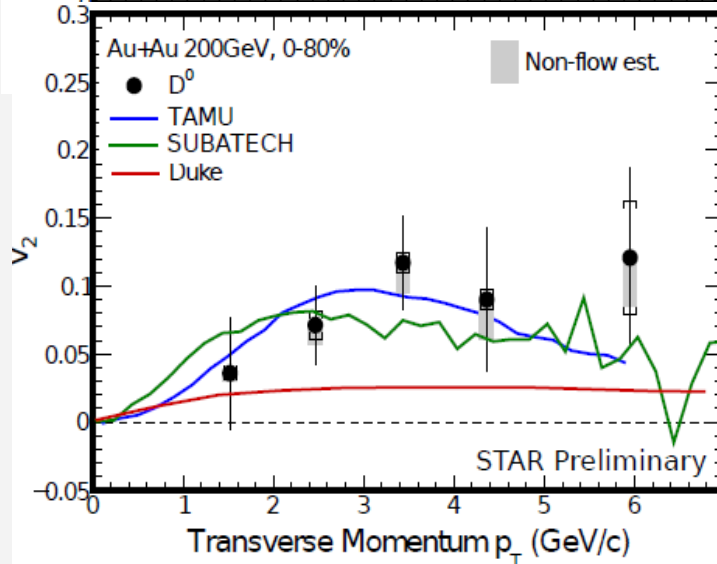
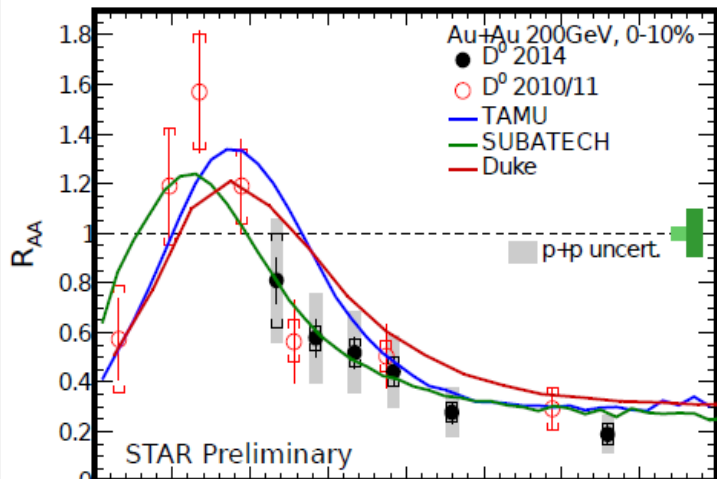
T-Matrix Approach



- Account for large imaginary parts
- **Remnant of confining force!**

[S.Liu+RR '15]

3.3 Heavy-Flavor Transport at RHIC + LHC



- flow bump in R_{AA} + large $v_2 \leftrightarrow$ strong coupling near T_{pc} (recombination)
- high-precision v_2 : transition from elastic to radiative regime?