

Coupled Transport Equations for Quarkonium Production in Heavy Ion Collisions

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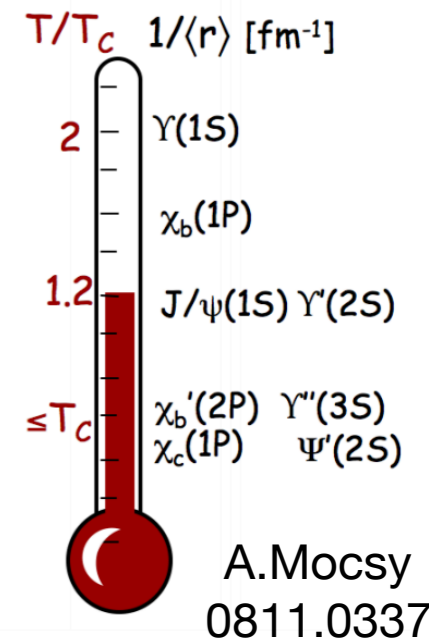


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Quarkonium as Probe of Quark-Gluon Plasma

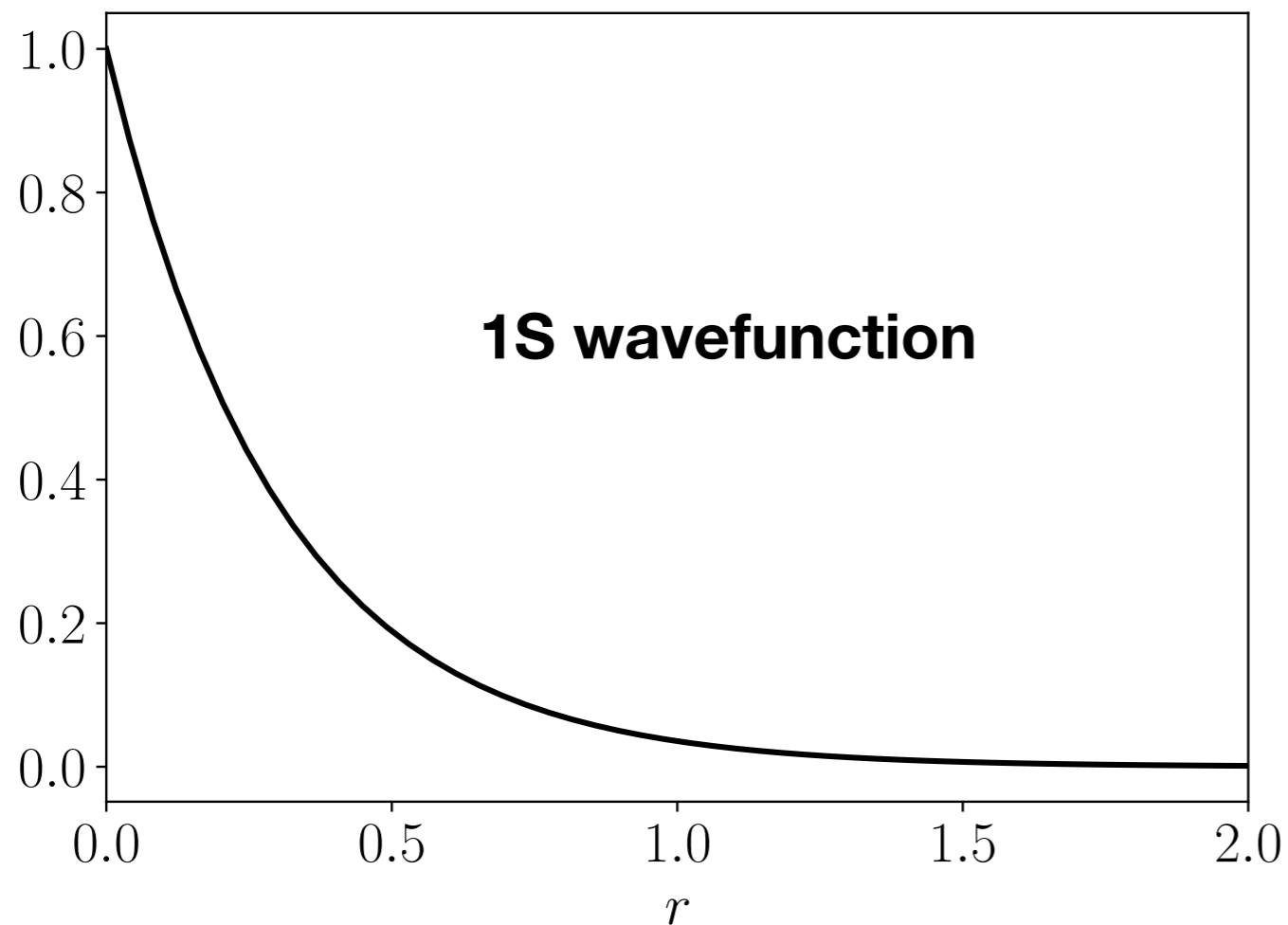
- Heavy quarkonium as **probe of QGP**:
 - **Static screening**: suppression of color attraction \rightarrow melting at high T , states of different sizes have different melting $T \rightarrow$ thermometer
 - **Dynamical screening**: dissociation induced by in-medium scattering, can happen even below melting T
 - **Recombination**: unbound heavy quark pair forms quarkonium, can happen below melting T , crucial for charmonium phenomenology and theory consistency
- Cold nuclear matter effect, feed-down contributions



Recent Theoretical Insights from Open System

In vacuum, quarkonium described by Schrödinger equation

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \psi(r) = \left[-\frac{\nabla^2}{M} + V(r) \right] \psi(r)$$



Start with 1S, **closed** system
1S probability is conserved

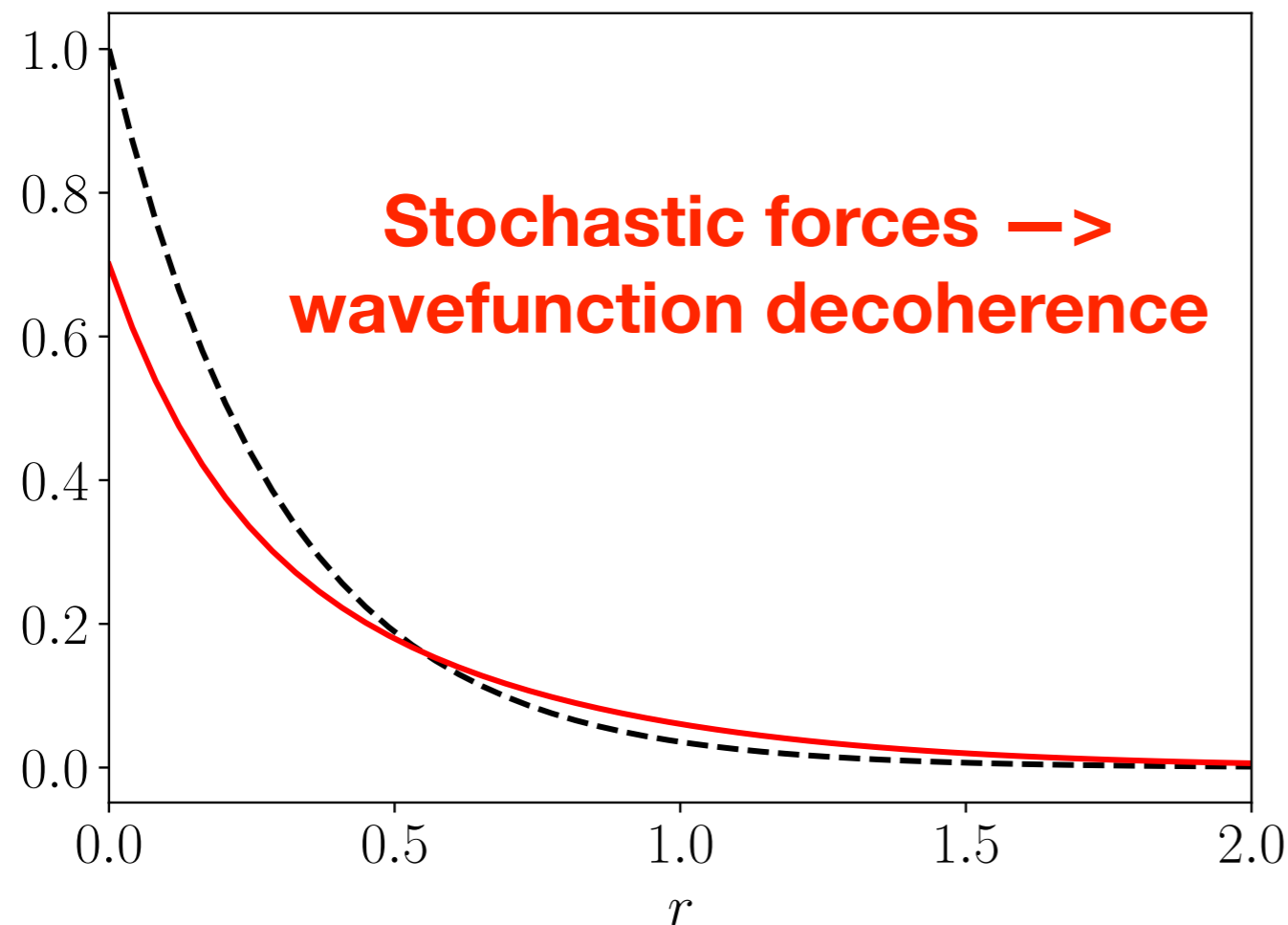
$$|\psi(t=0)\rangle = |1S\rangle$$

$$|\langle 1S | \psi(t) \rangle|^2 = 1$$

Recent Theoretical Insights from Open System

In **QGP**, quarkonium described by **stochastic** Schrödinger equation

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \psi(r) = \left[-\frac{\nabla^2}{M} + V(r) \right] \psi(r) + \left[-i\gamma(r) + \xi(r, t) \right] \psi(r)$$



Start with 1S, **open** system
1S probability **NOT** conserved

$$|\psi(t=0)\rangle = |1S\rangle$$

$$|\langle 1S | \psi(t) \rangle|^2 < 1$$

Dissociation of 1S

$$|\langle 2S | \psi(t) \rangle|^2 > 0 \text{ if } 2S \text{ exists}$$

**Recombination of 2S !
from correlated pair**

Correlated v.s. Uncorrelated Recombination

- **Correlated recombination:** heavy quark pair from **same** initial hard vertex / dissociation
- **Uncorrelated recombination:** heavy quark pair from **different** initial hard vertices; crucial contribution to charmonium production; negligible for bottomonium
- Recombination in most transport calculations: uncorrelated $\propto f_Q f_{\bar{Q}}$
 $\propto f_{\text{onia}}^{(\text{eq})}$
- **How to incorporate correlated one in semiclassical transport?**
- **Need 2-particle distribution**, derive recombination from open quantum system + effective field theory (separation of scales, weak coupling, Markovian, gradient expansion)

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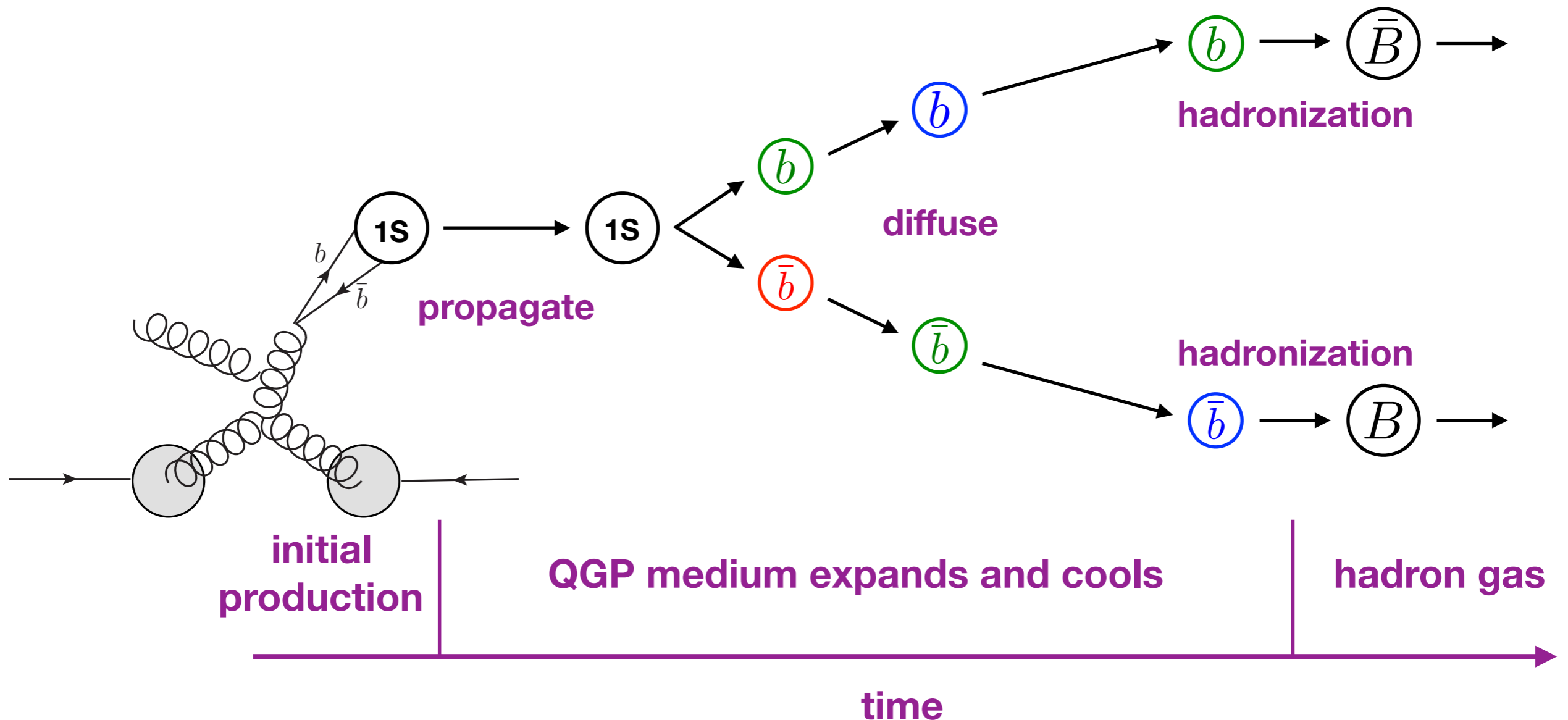
Coupled Transport Equations of Heavy Flavors

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$$\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \dot{\mathbf{x}}_Q \cdot \nabla_{\mathbf{x}_Q} + \dot{\mathbf{x}}_{\bar{Q}} \cdot \nabla_{\mathbf{x}_{\bar{Q}}}\right) f_{Q\bar{Q}}(\mathbf{x}_Q, \mathbf{p}_Q, \mathbf{x}_{\bar{Q}}, \mathbf{p}_{\bar{Q}}, t) = \mathcal{C}_{Q\bar{Q}} - \mathcal{C}_{Q\bar{Q}}^+ + \mathcal{C}_{Q\bar{Q}}^-$$

each quarkonium state
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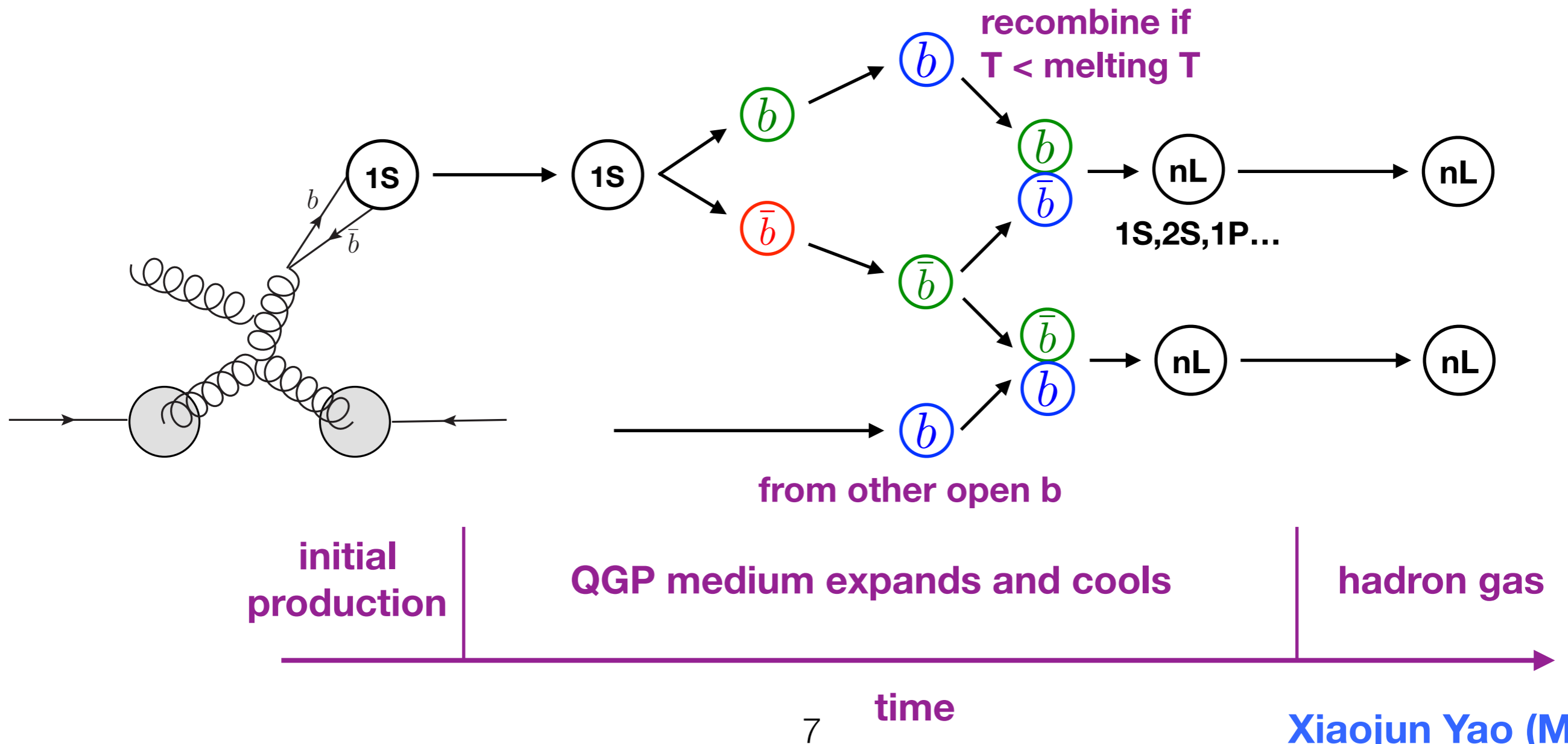
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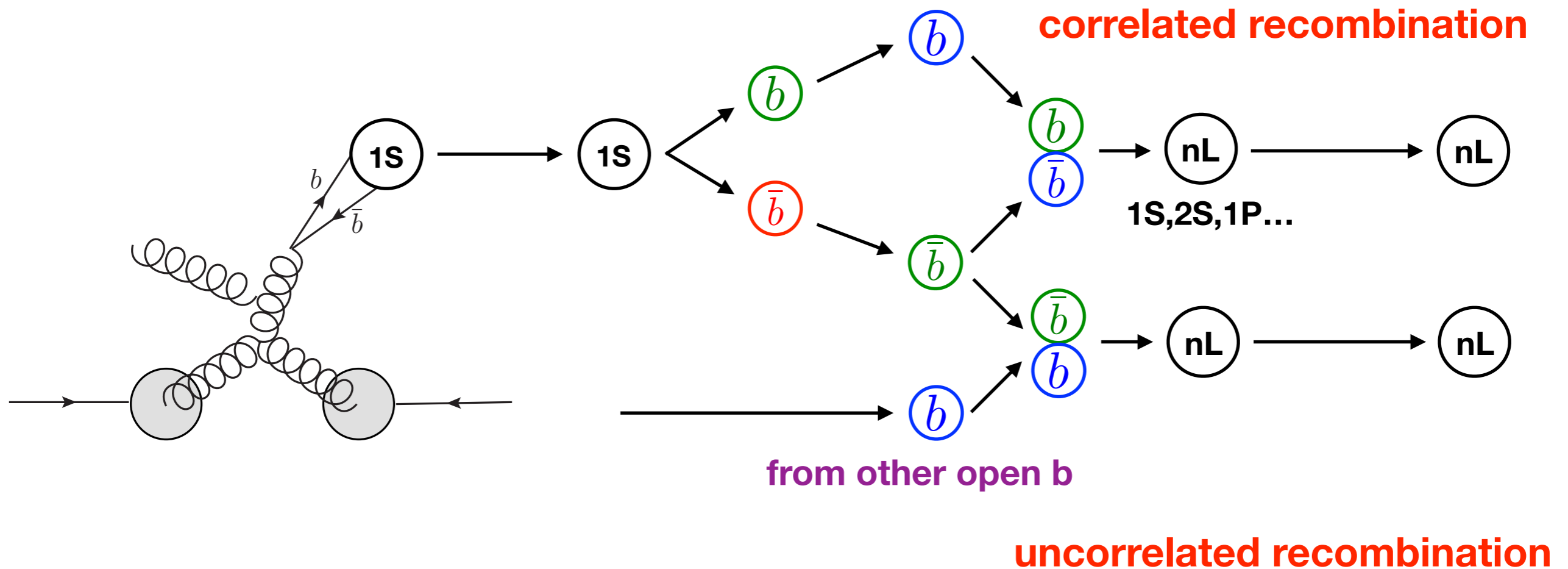
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Coupled with Transport of Open Heavy Flavor

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Can handle both correlated and uncorrelated recombination

$$\mathcal{C}_{Q\bar{Q}} = \mathcal{C}_Q + \mathcal{C}_{\bar{Q}}$$

Each independently interact with medium:

(1) Potential between pair screened

(2) Potential depends on color, average over

We use “Lido” for open heavy flavor transport

W.Ke, Y.Xu, S.A.Bass, PRC 98, 064901 (2018)

Upsilon in 5020 GeV PbPb Collision

Coulomb potential $\alpha_s = 0.3$ $\alpha_s^{\text{pot}} = 0.36$

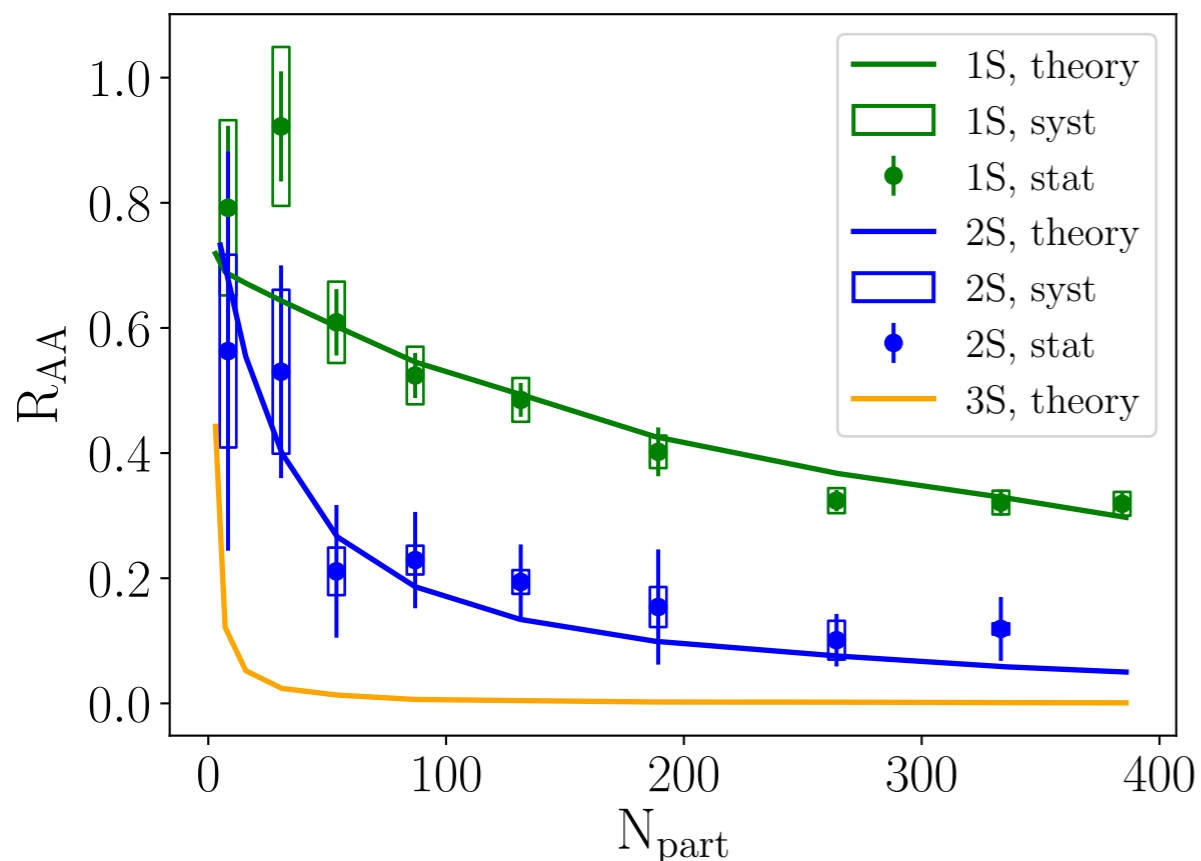
Pythia + nPDF: EPPS16

2+1D viscous hydro (calibrated)

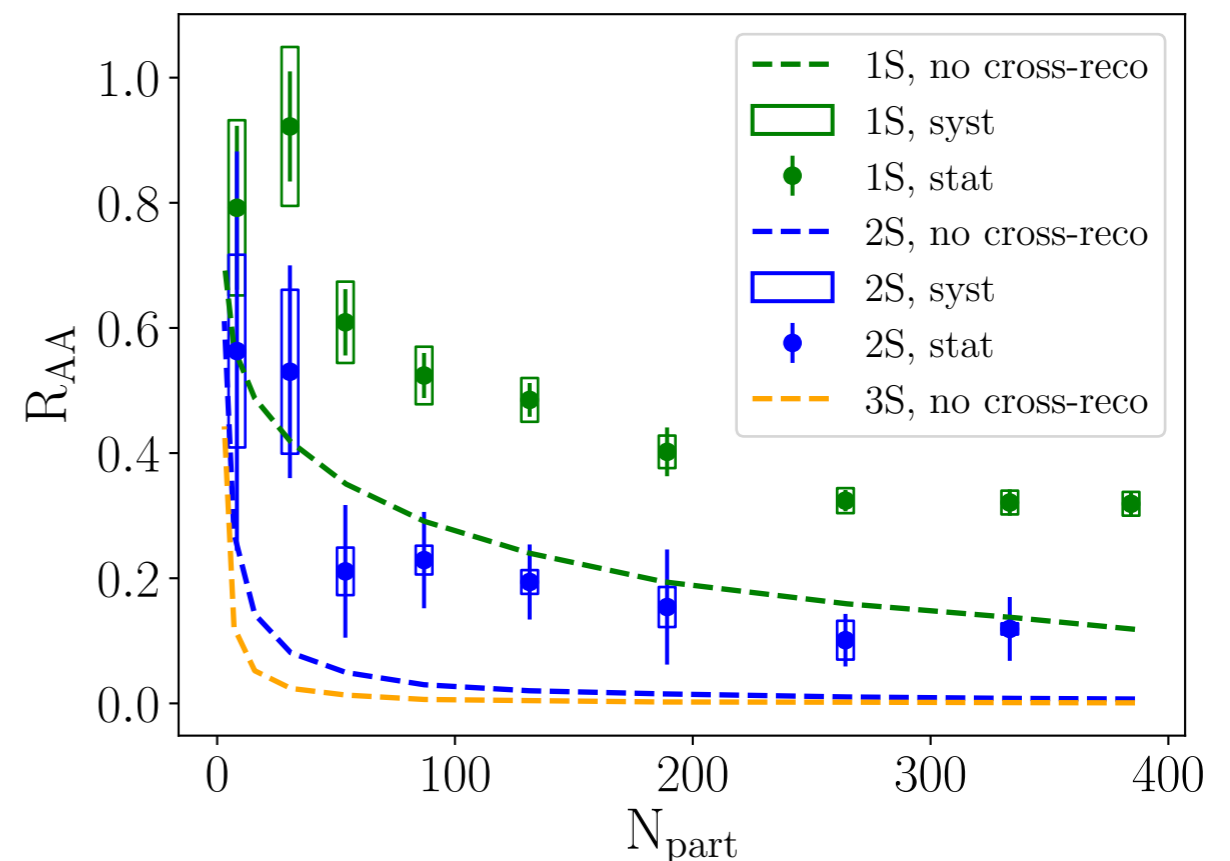
Bottomonium: 1S, 2S, 3S, 1P, 2P

Feed-down networks

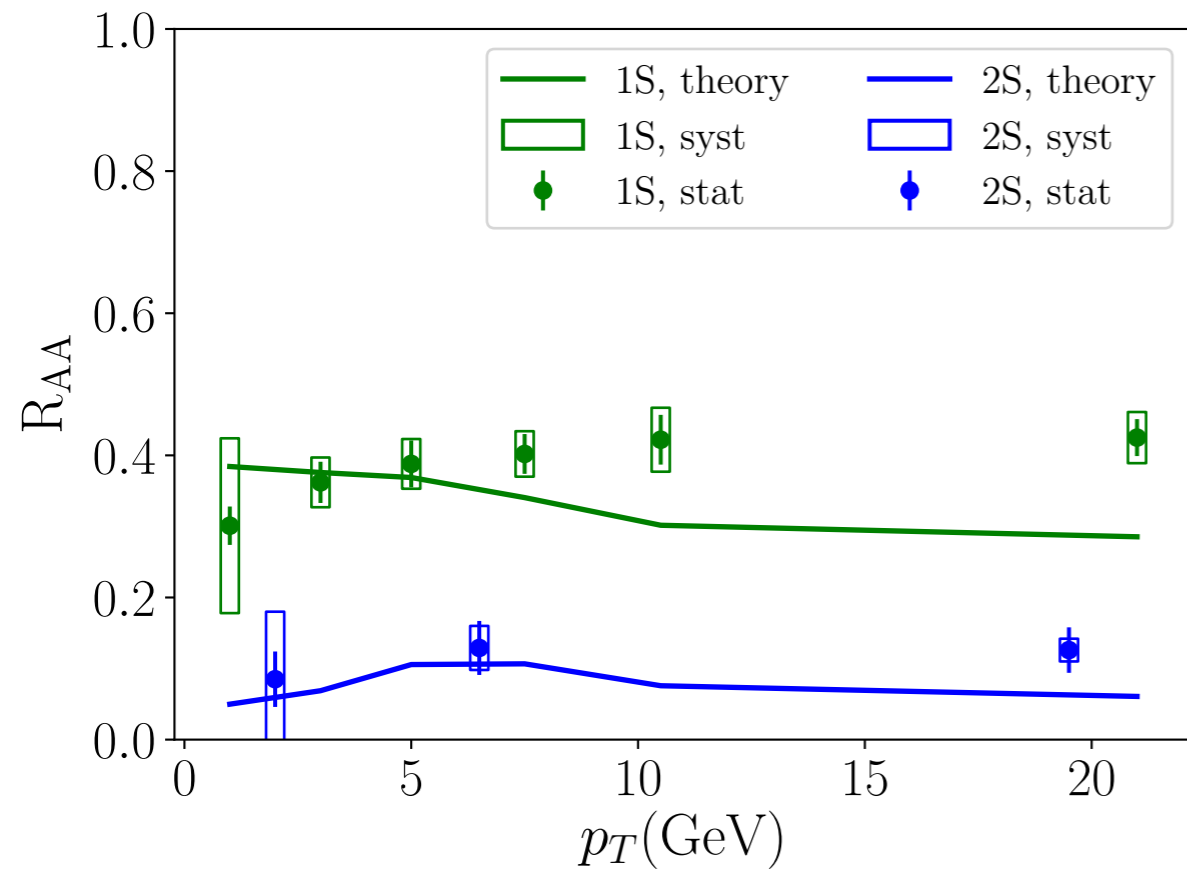
with cross-talk (correlated) recombination



e.g. no 2S \rightarrow 1S, 1S \rightarrow 1P etc
without cross-talk recombination



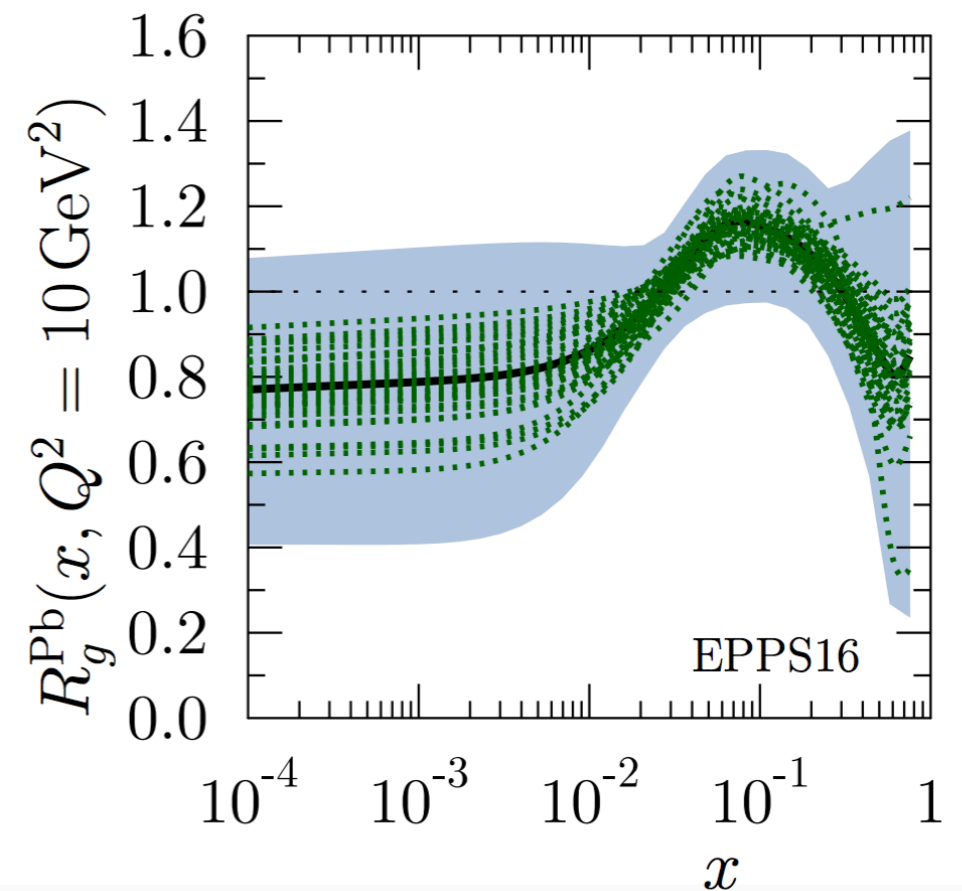
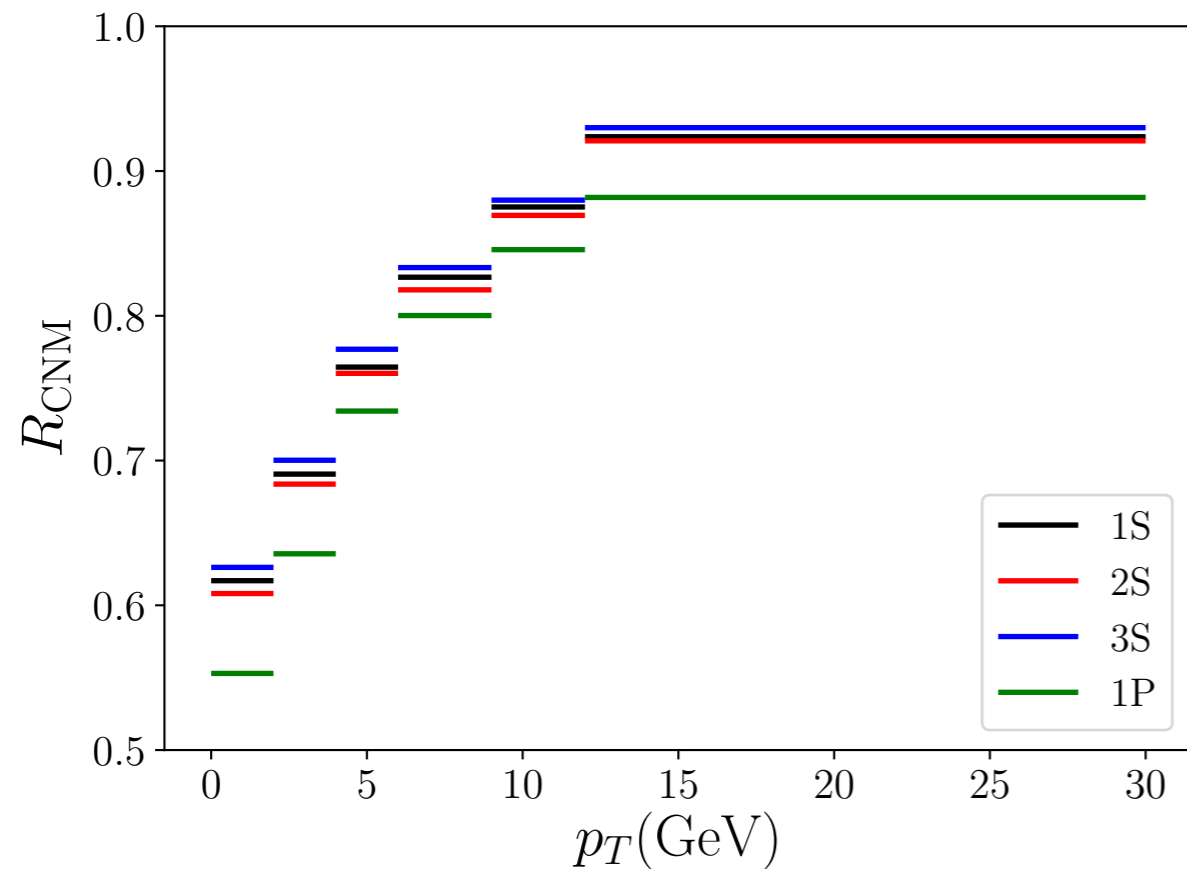
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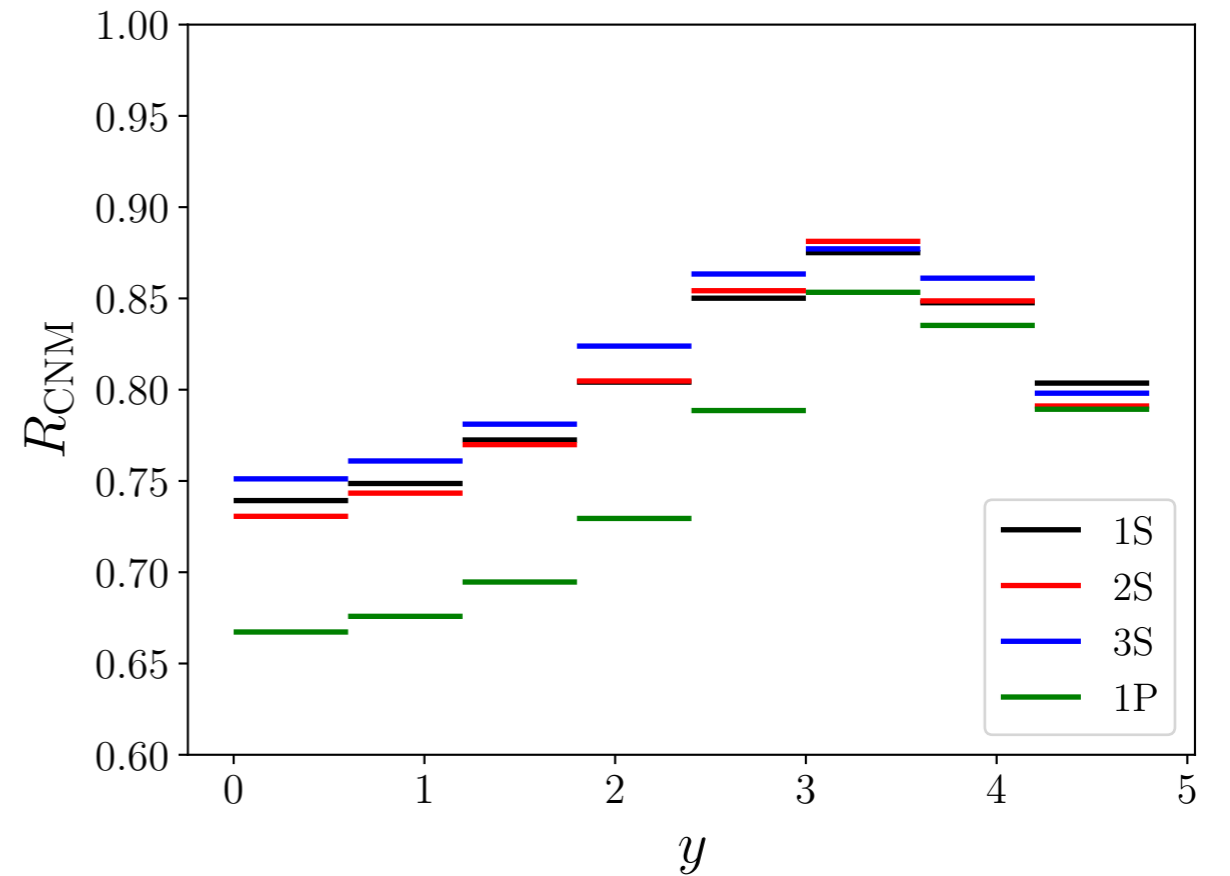
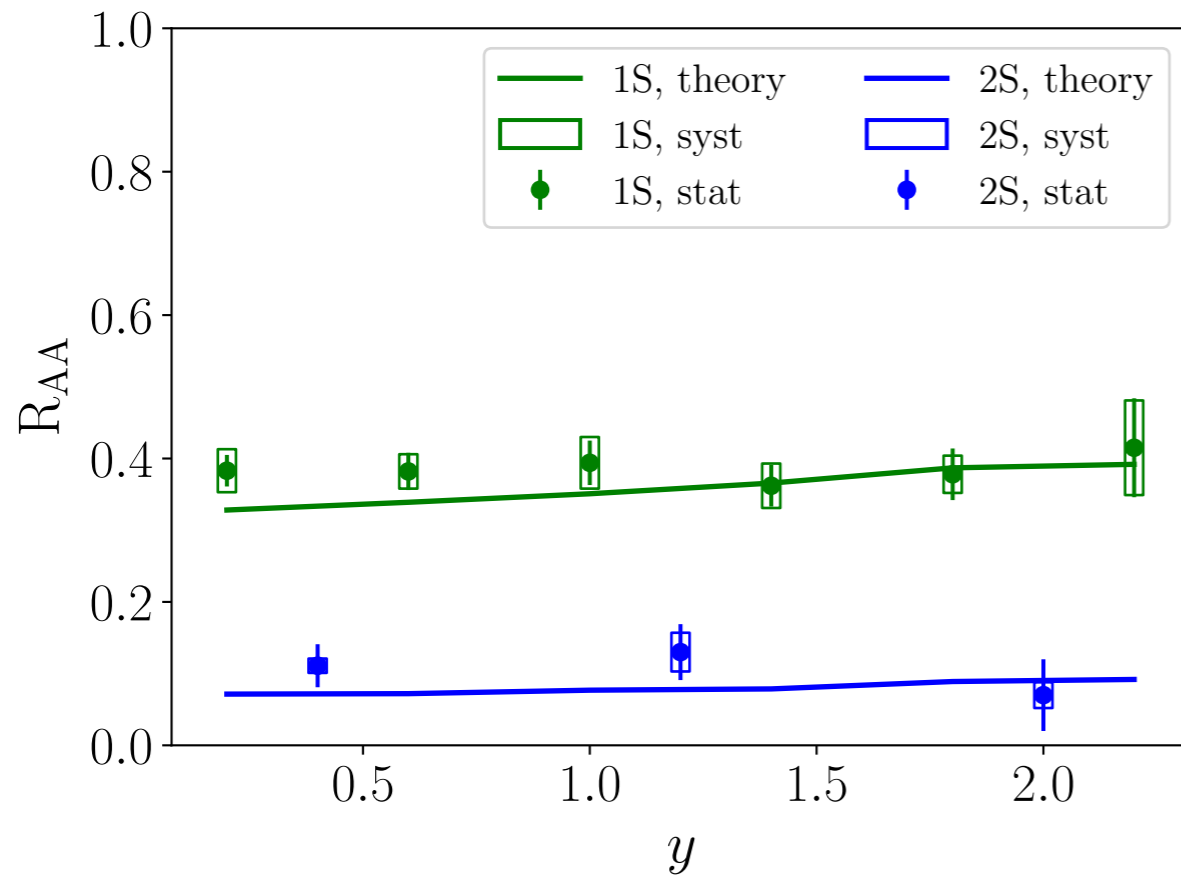
At mid rapidity

$$\text{CNM} \sim [R_g^{Pb}(x)]^2$$

$$x \sim \frac{2m_T}{\sqrt{s}}$$



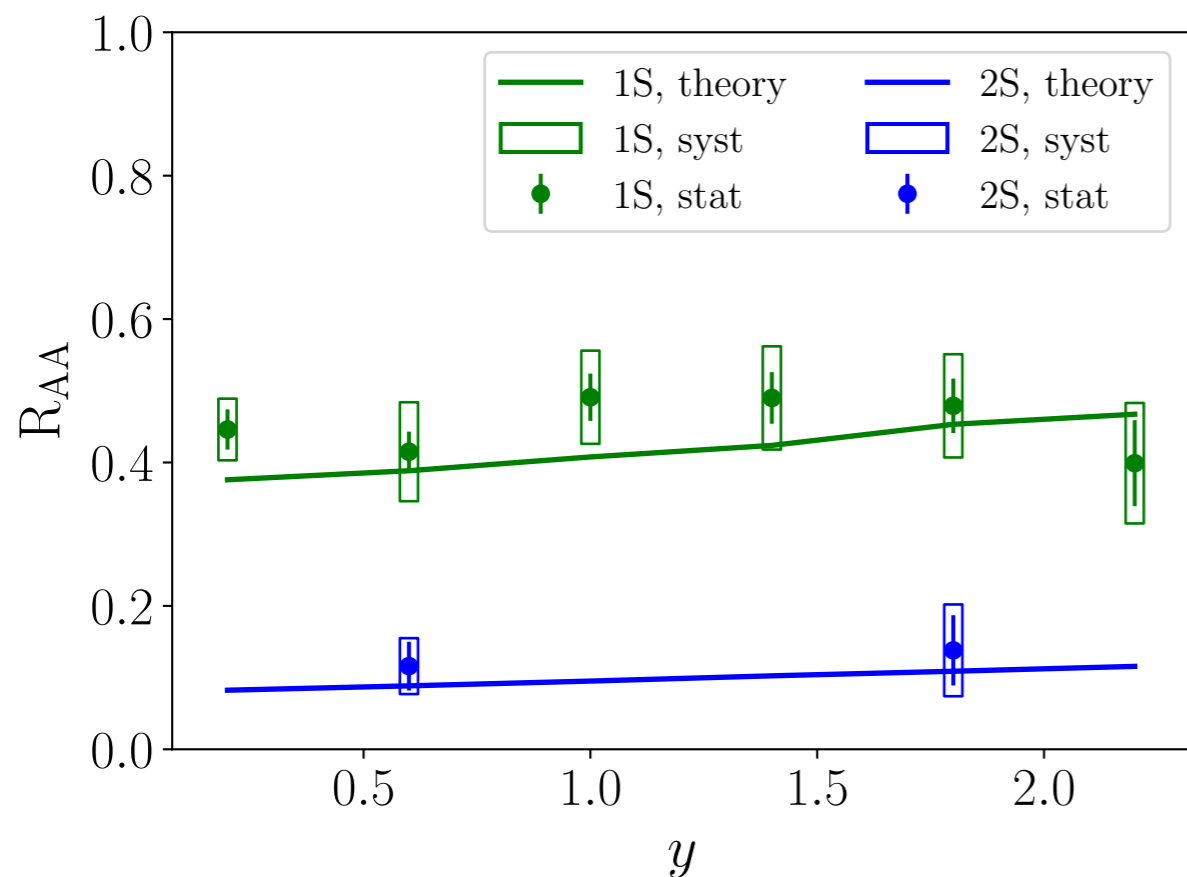
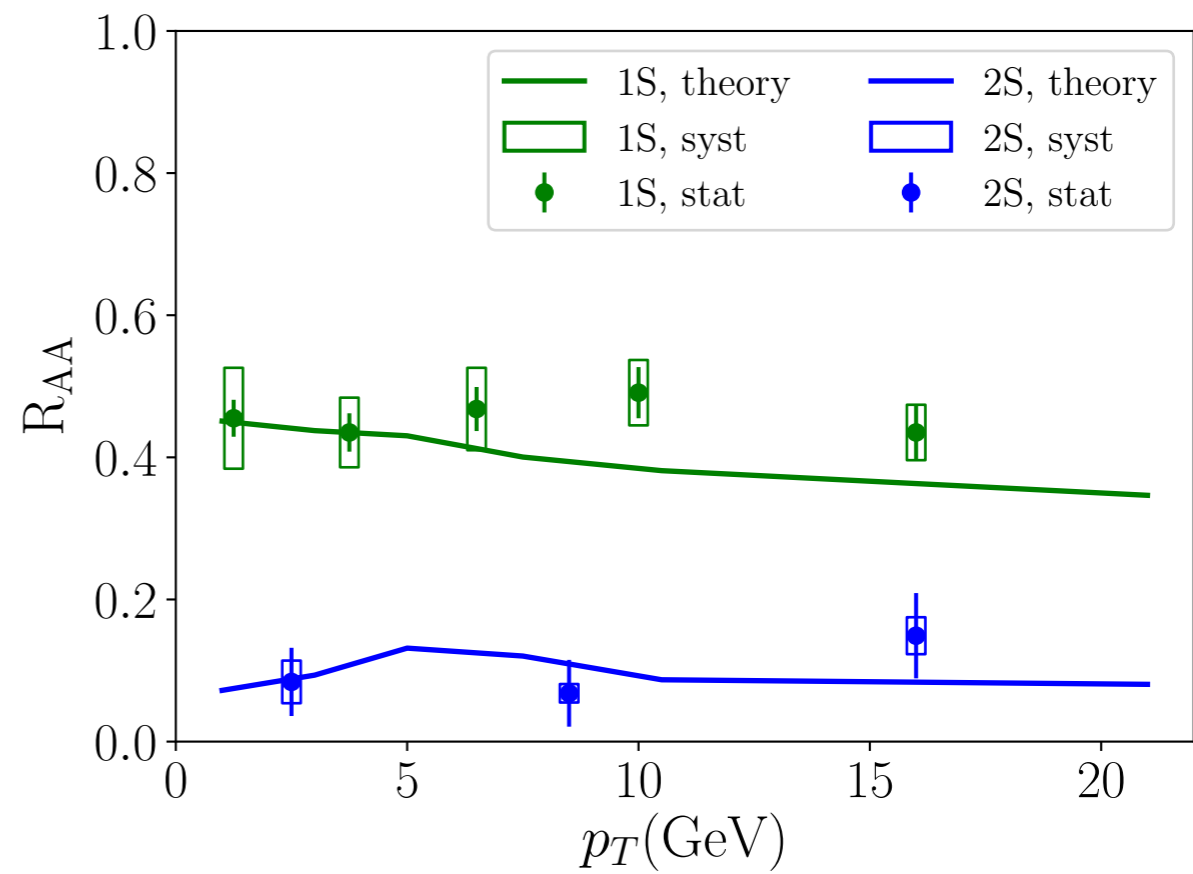
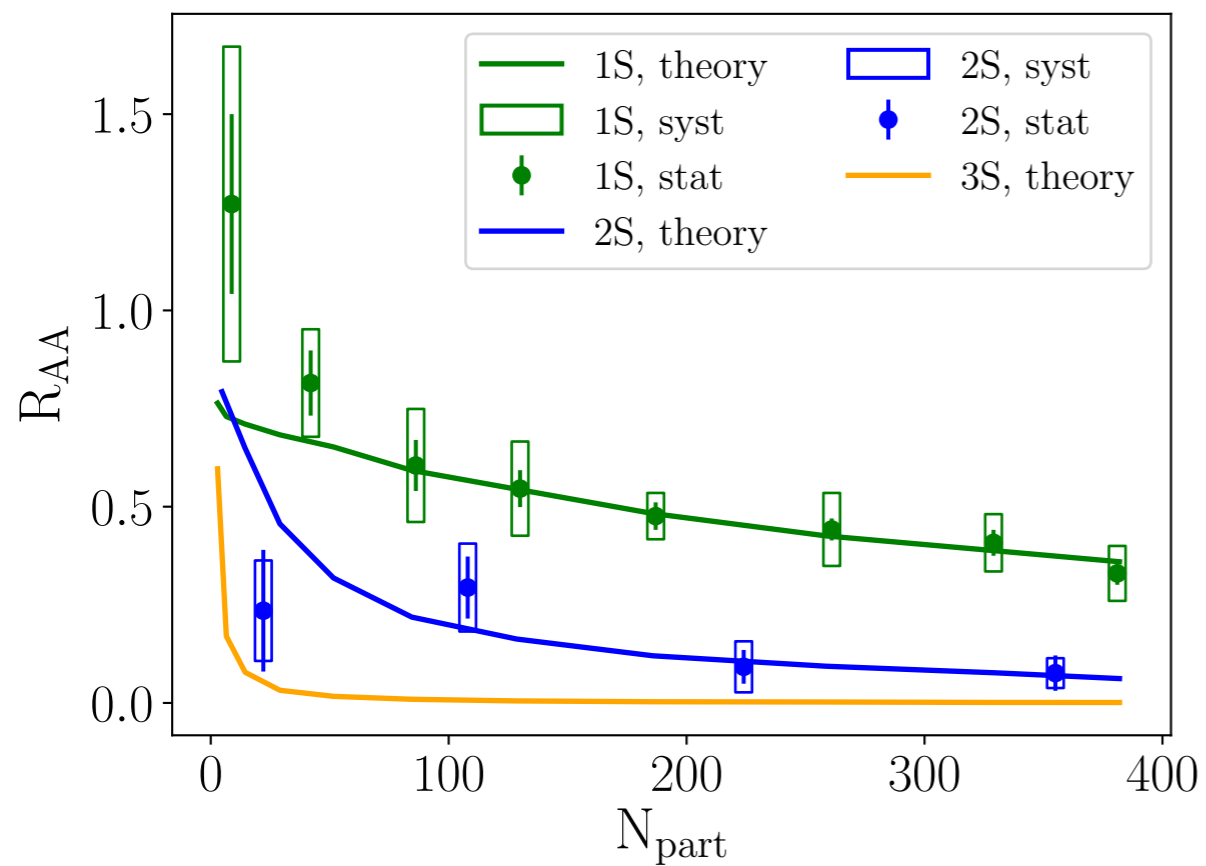
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CNM dependence on rapidity: mild for $y < 2.4$

2+1D hydro \rightarrow QGP effect rapidity independent

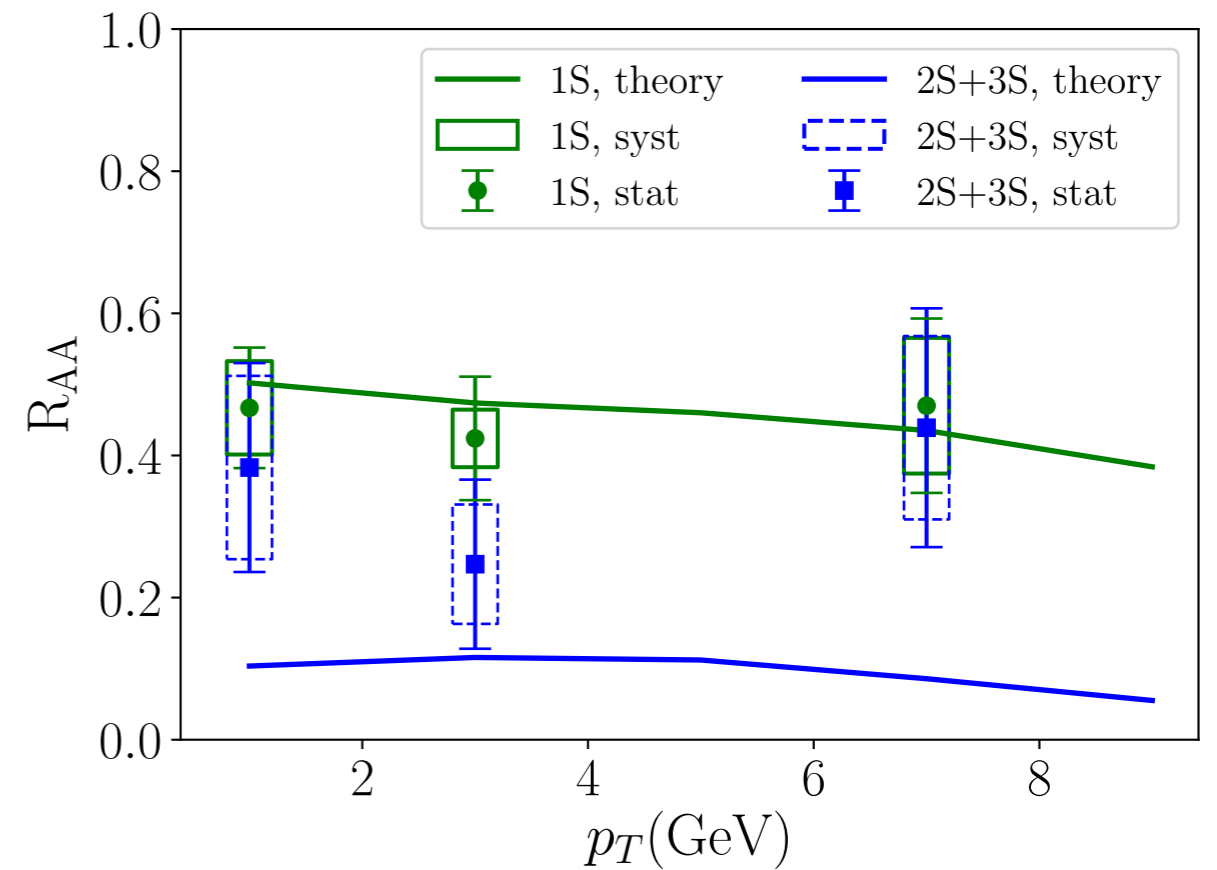
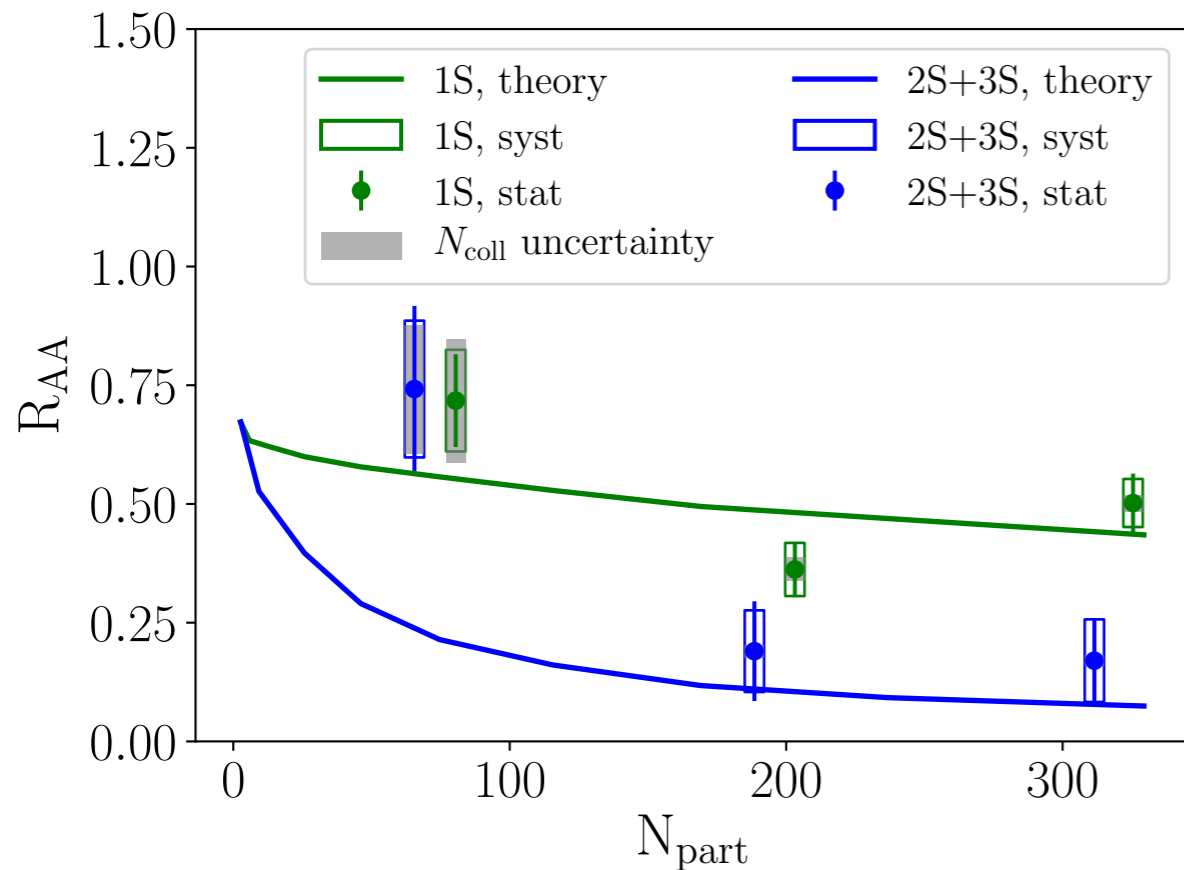
Upsilon in 2760 GeV PbPb Collision



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Upsilon in 200 GeV AuAu Collision

Cold nuclear matter effect ~ 0.72 (use p-Au data of STAR)



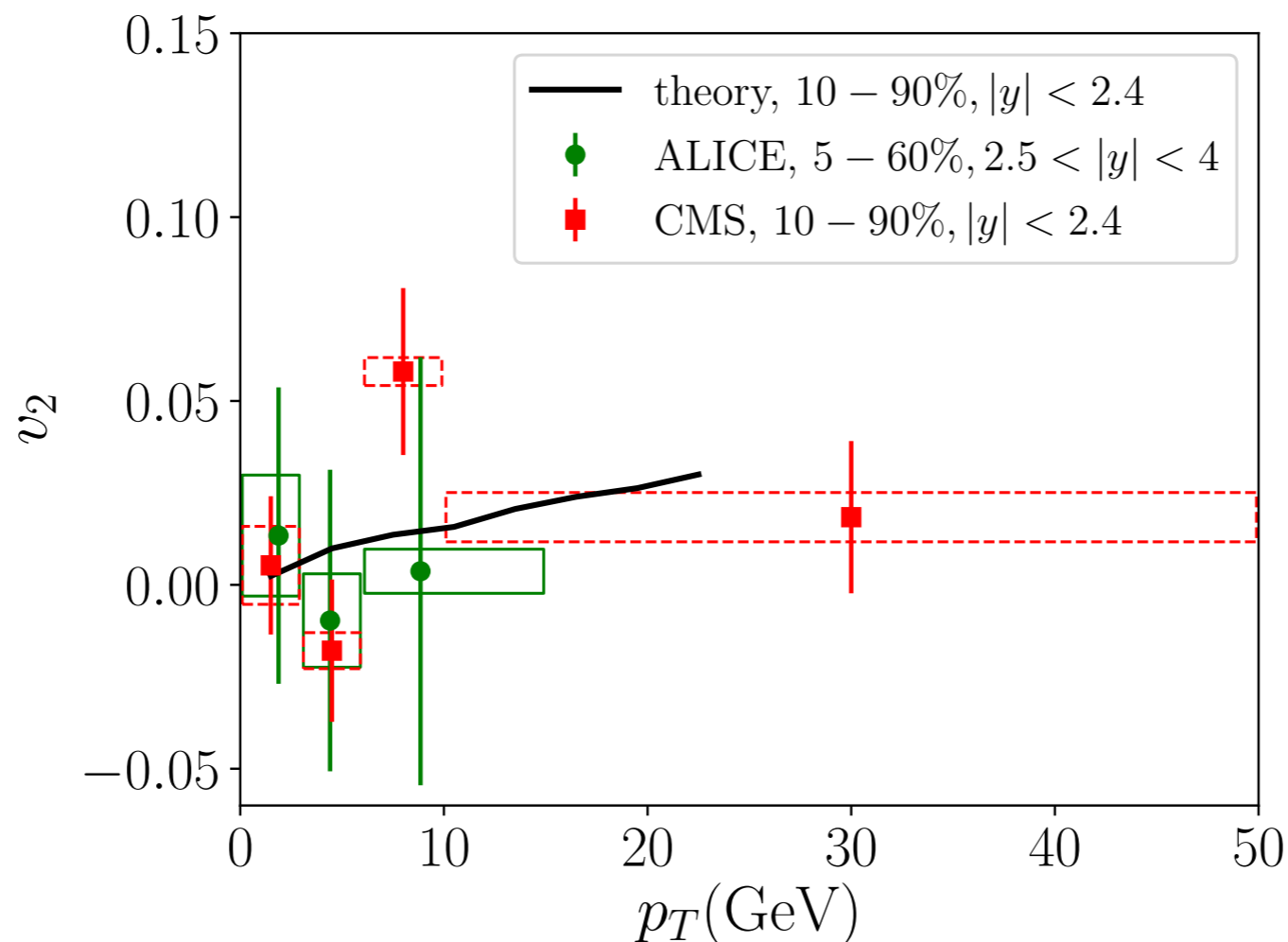
STAR Talks at QM 17&18

Need better understanding of CNM effect at 200 GeV AuAu

Discrepancy in $R_{AA}(2S+3S)$ at peripheral collisions? reduce uncertainty

Upsilon(1S) Azimuthal Anisotropy in 5020 GeV PbPb

$$E \frac{d^3 N}{dp^3} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{d^2 N}{p_T dp_T dy} (1 + 2v_2 \cos(2\phi) + \dots)$$



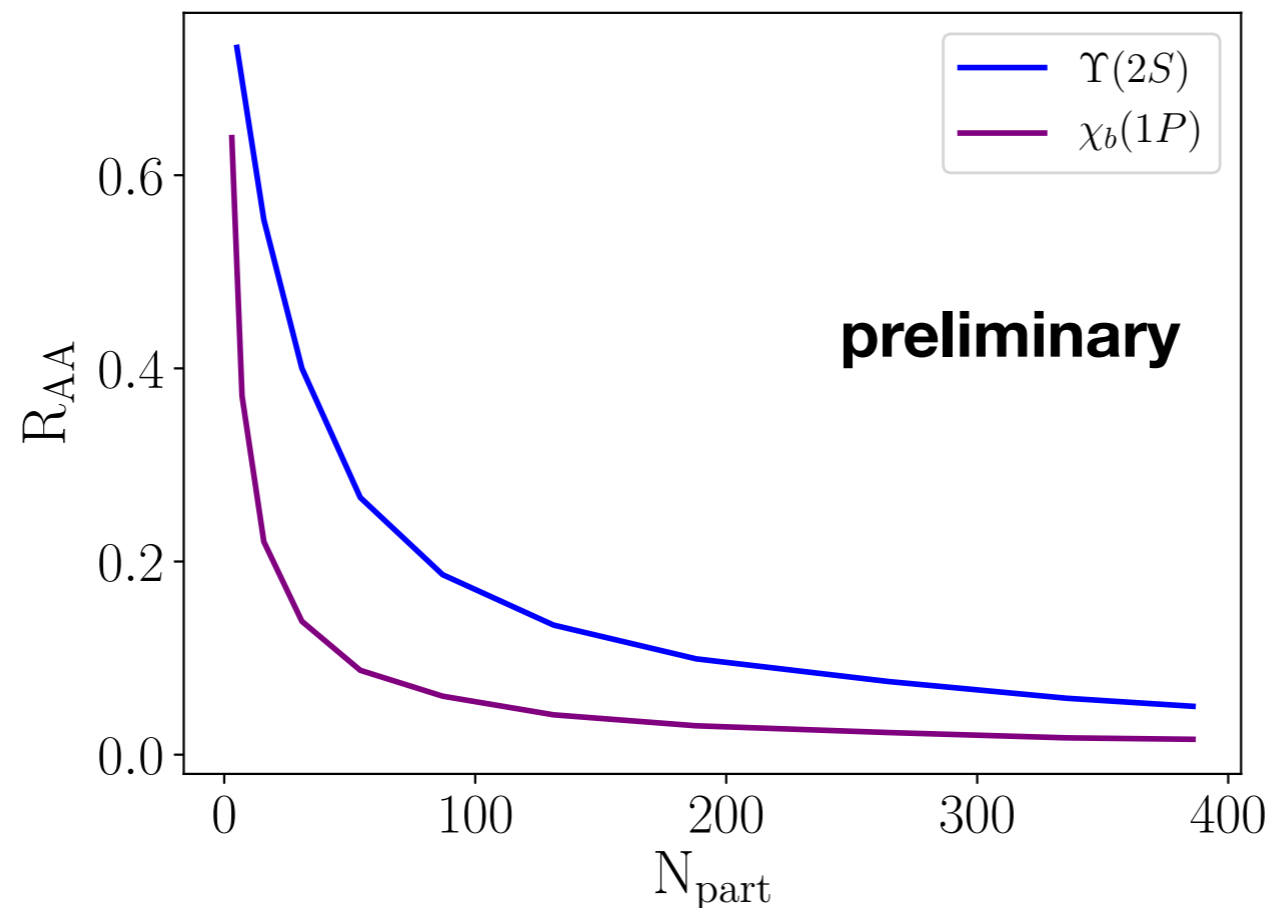
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v_2 : (1) path dependence, (2) reaction rates depend on relative velocity between quarkonium and hydro cell

recombination from uncorrelated b-quarks negligible (different for charm)

Experimental Test of Correlated Recombination

Correlated recombination predicts 1P more suppressed than 2S



Traditional sequential suppression argument based on hierarchy of binding energy or size $\rightarrow R_{AA}(2S) \sim R_{AA}(1P)$, since their binding energies are close

In open quantum system based approach, correlated recombination rates $(2S \rightarrow 1P) \sim (1P \rightarrow 2S)$ because of similar binding energy

but primordial production cross section $\frac{\sigma_{1P}}{\sigma_{2S}} \sim 4.5$

Conclusion

- Recent theoretical developments using open quantum system: wavefunction decoherence \rightarrow dissociation, recombination occurs at the same time
- Construct coupled transport equations of open heavy flavors and quarkonium, can handle correlated and uncorrelated recombination
- Bottomonium phenomenology, importance of correlated recombination
- **Experimental test: measure $R_{aa}(1P)$, compare with $R_{aa}(2S)$**

Backup

