



Modification of hadron productions in small systems observed by PHENIX

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For PHENIX collaboration

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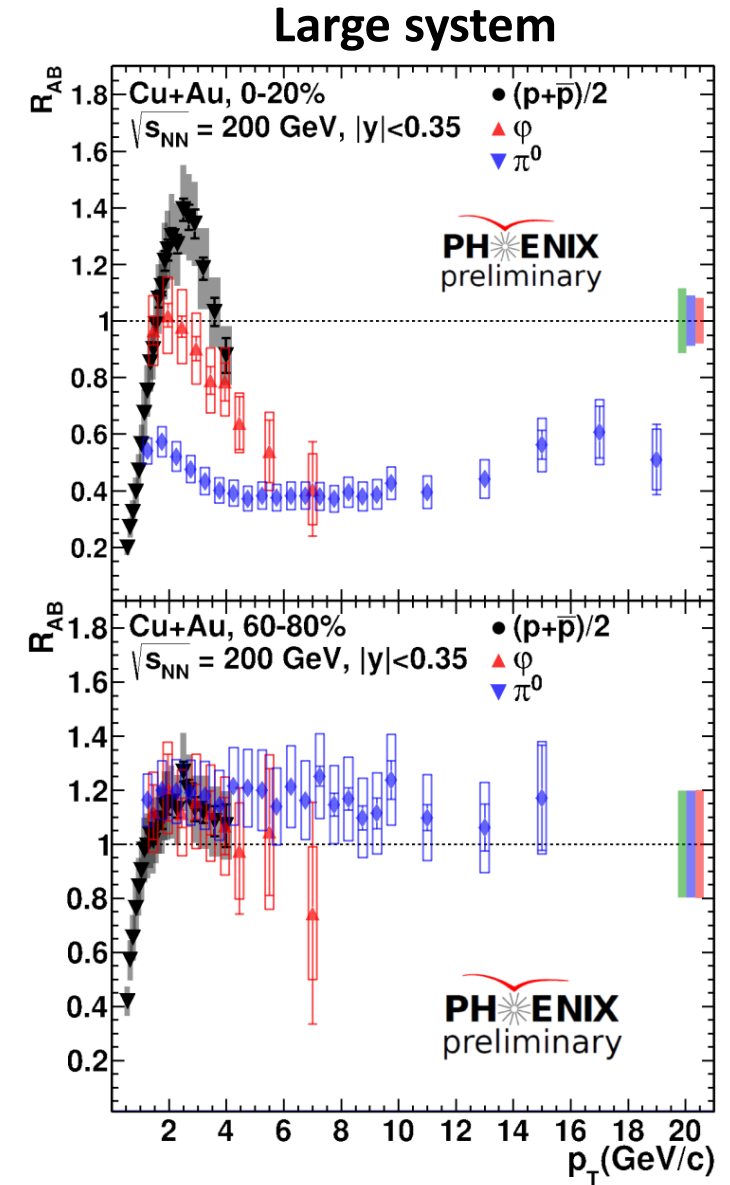
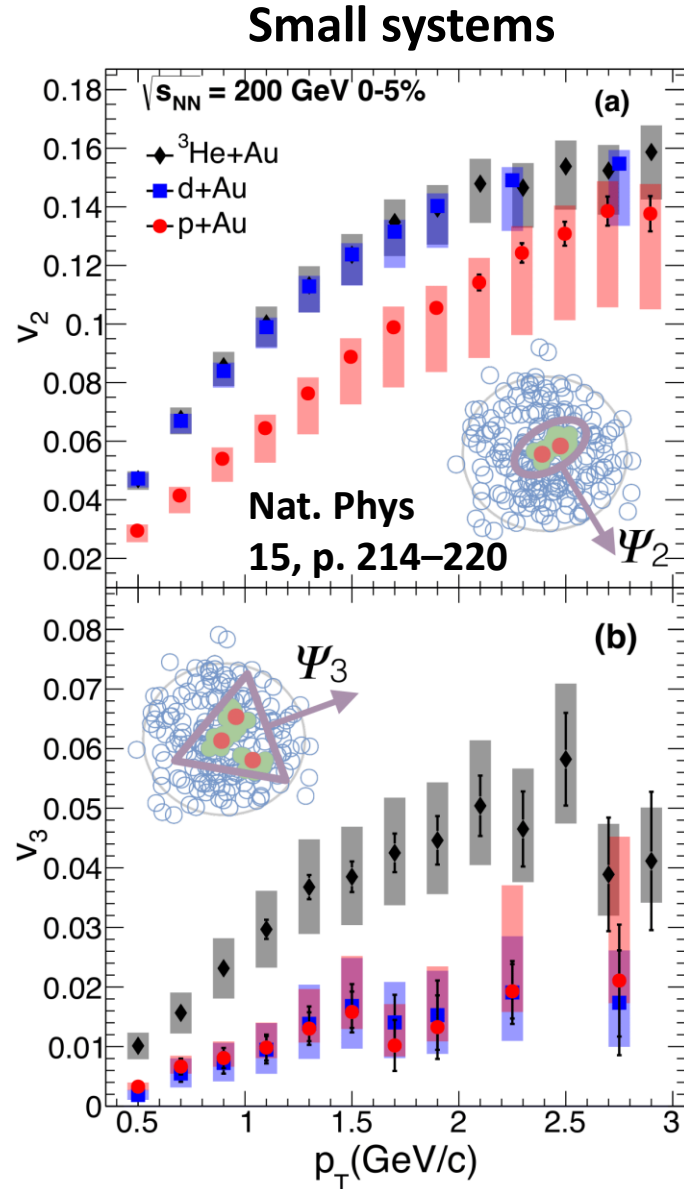
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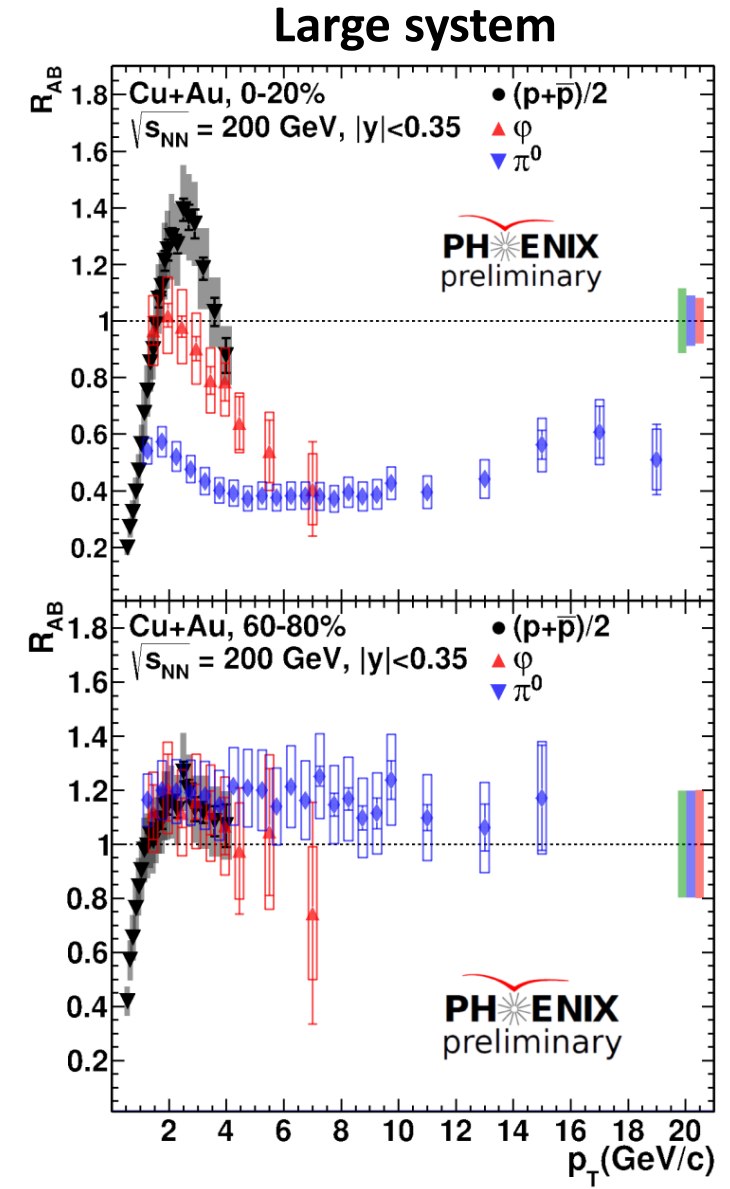
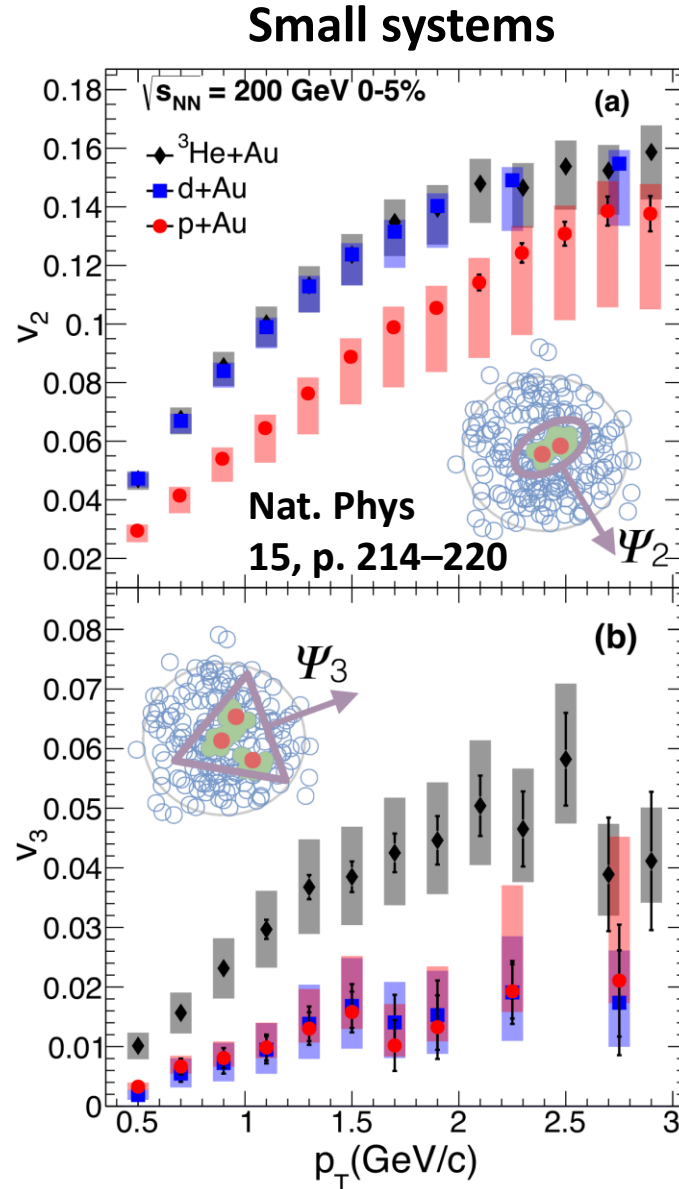


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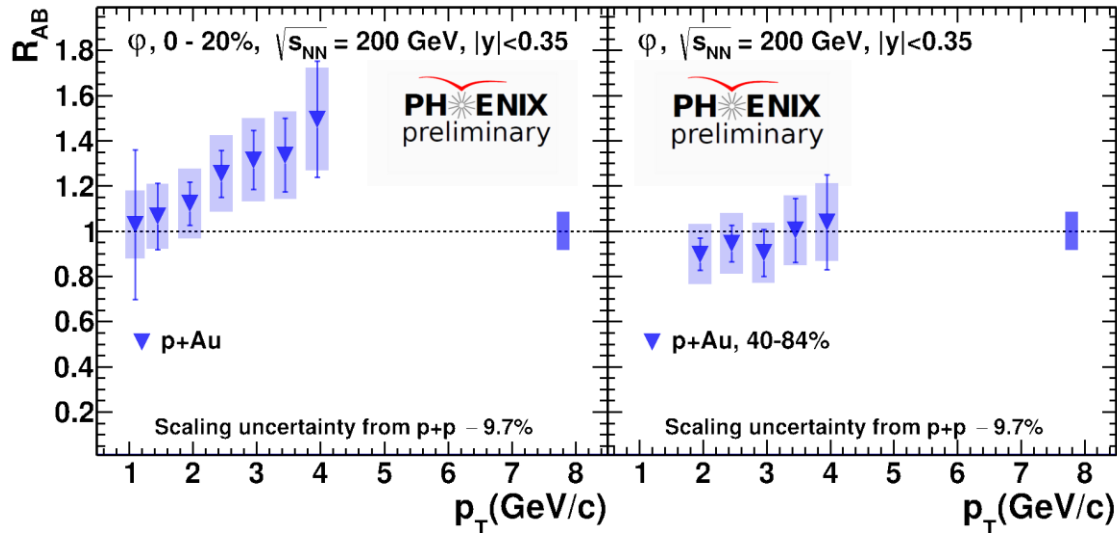
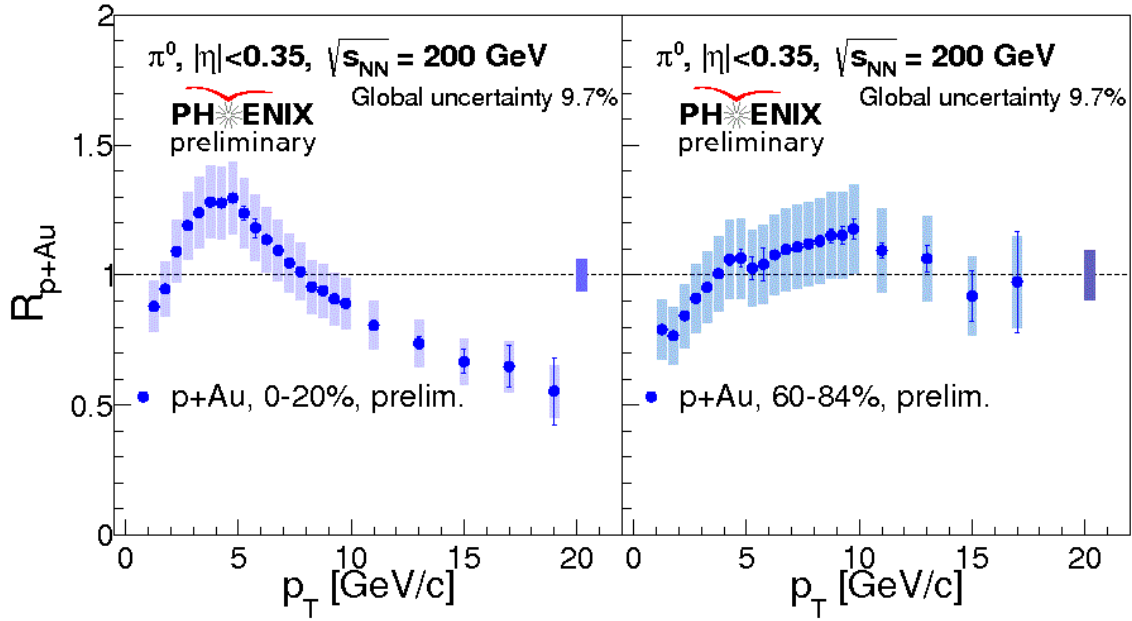
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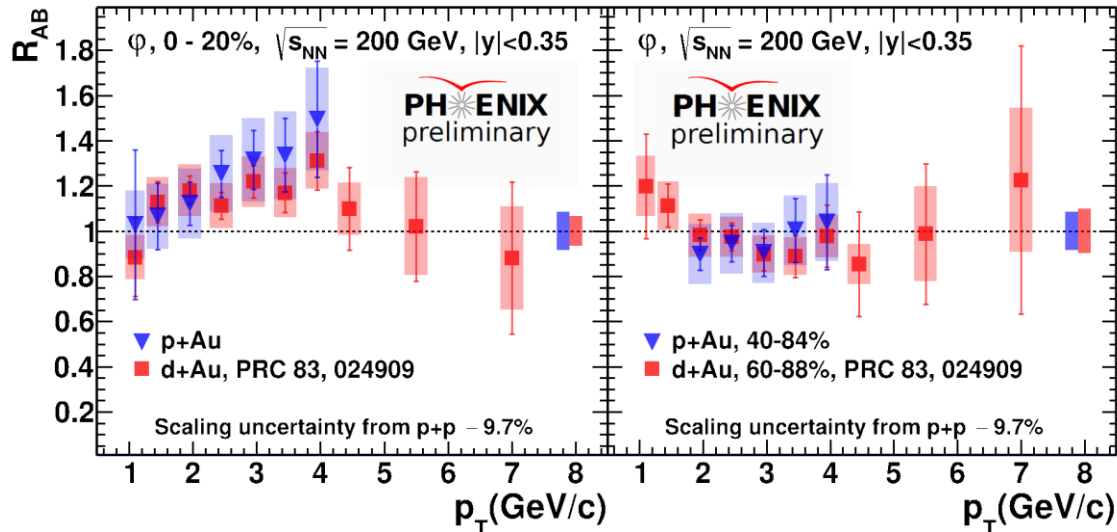
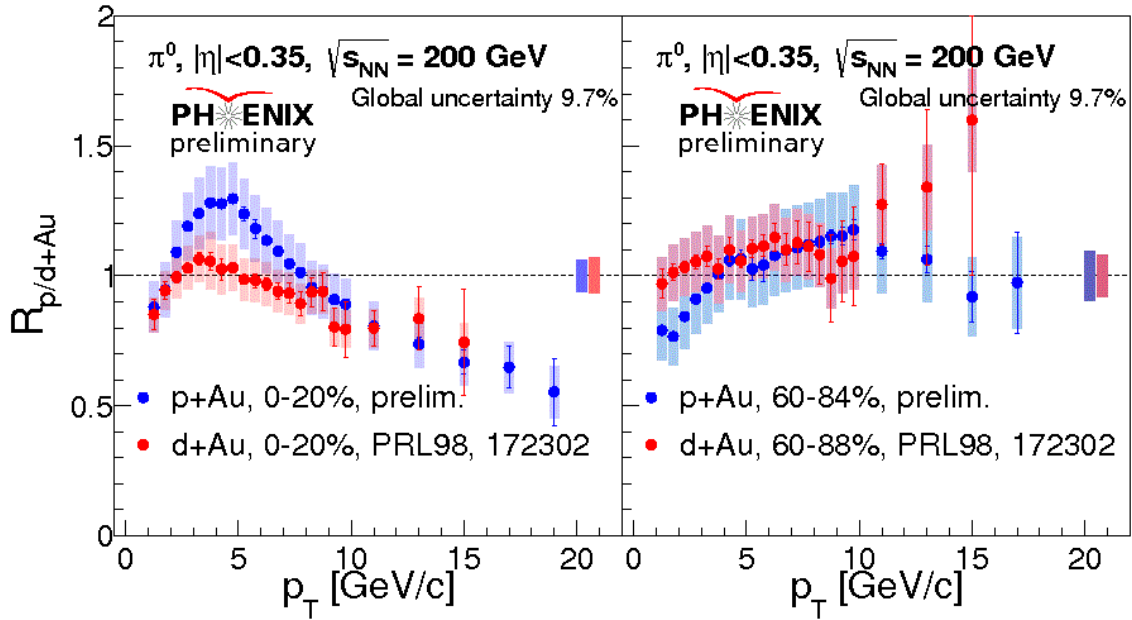
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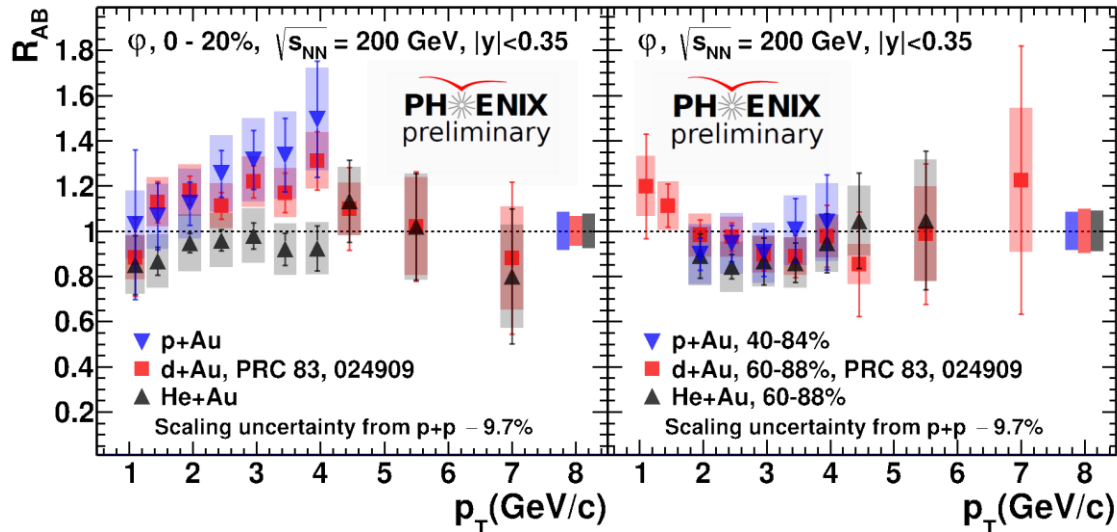
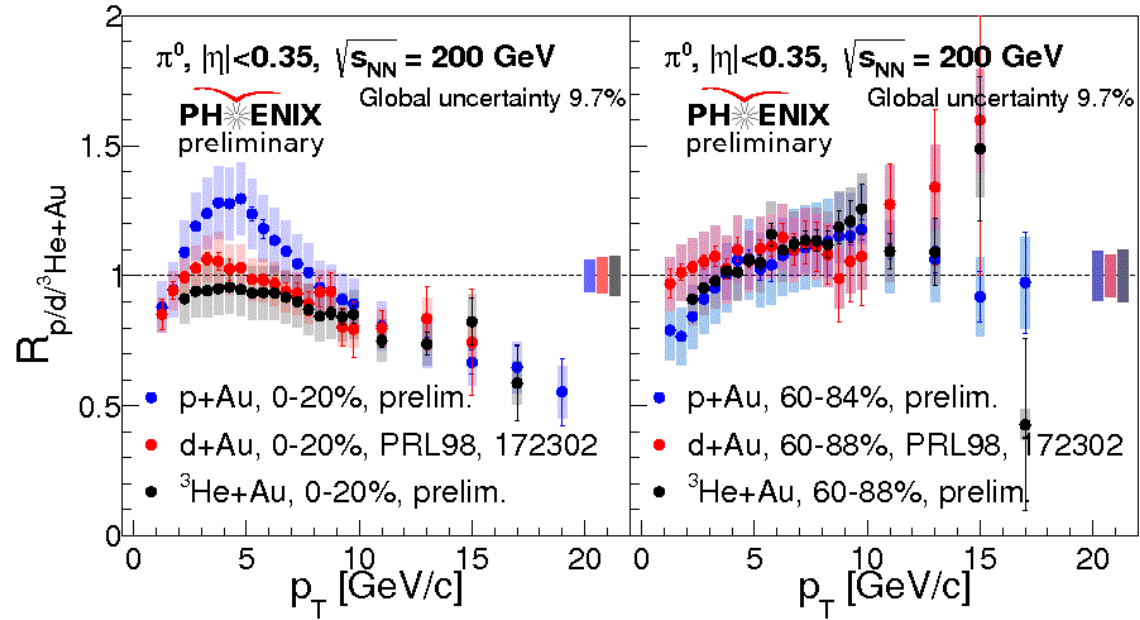
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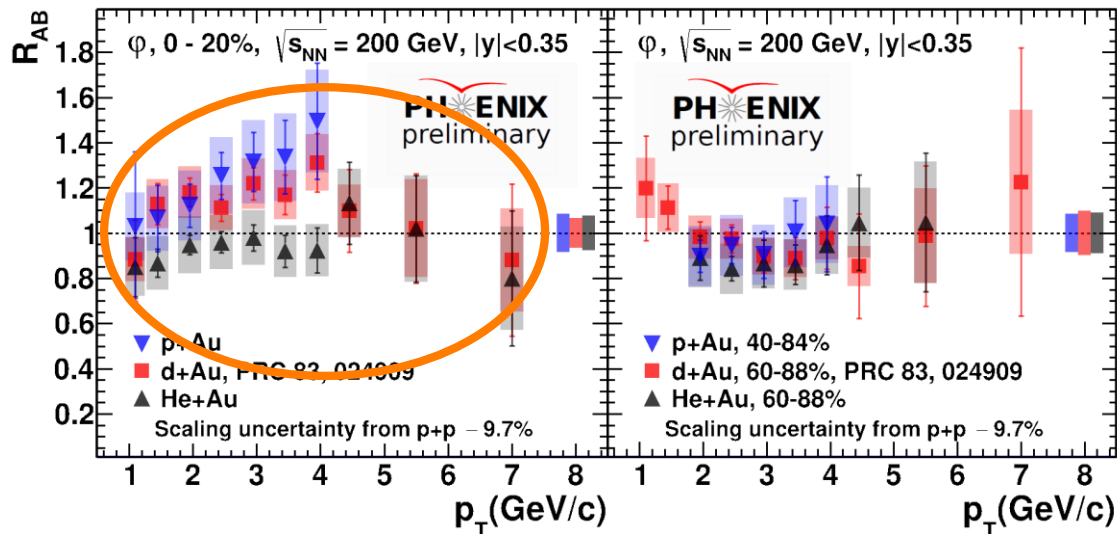
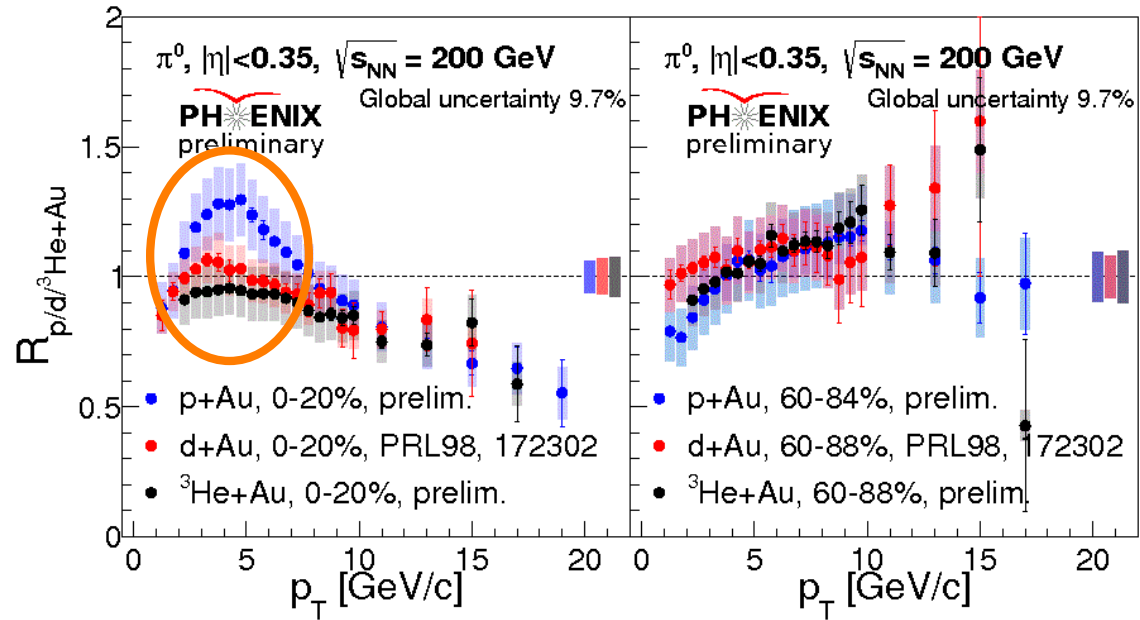
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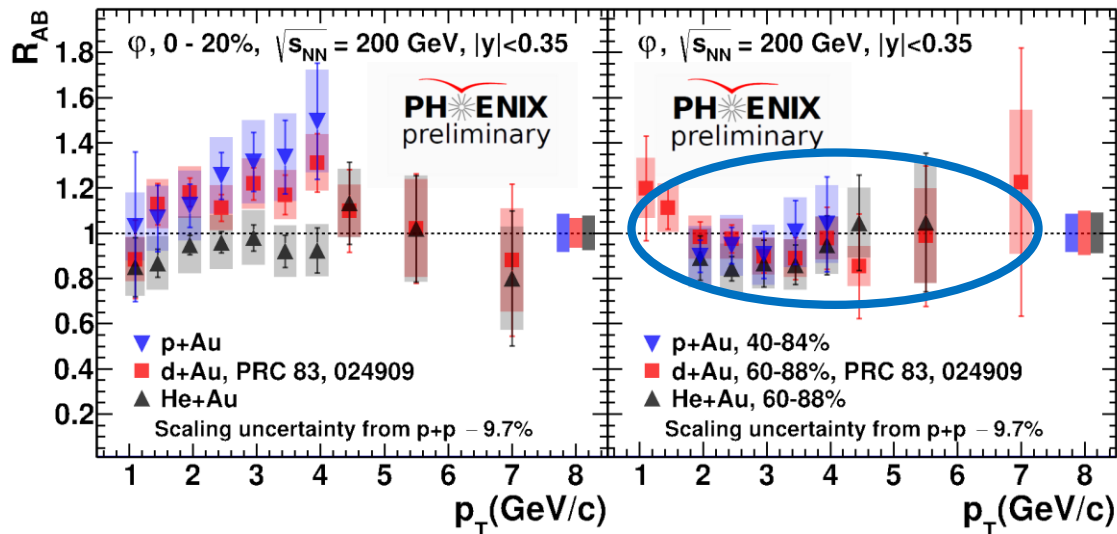
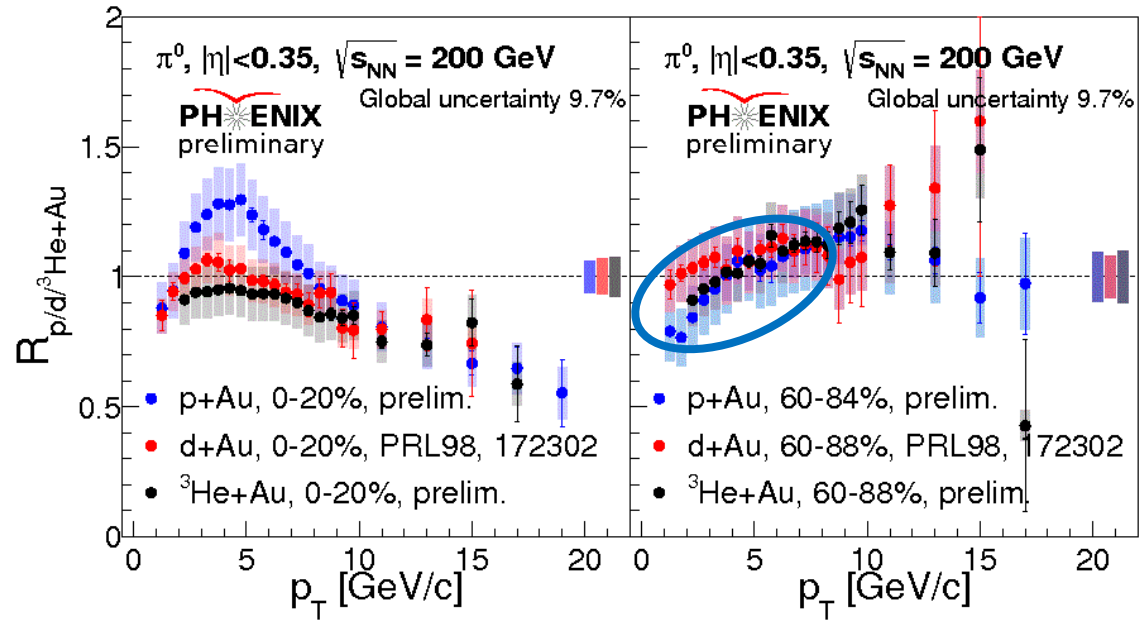
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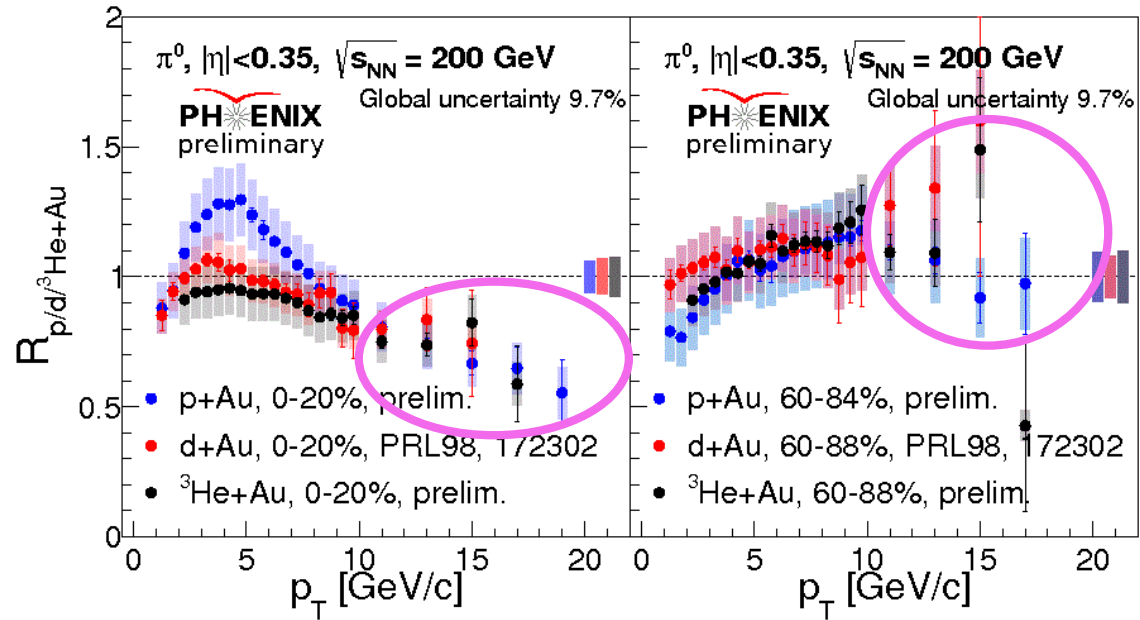
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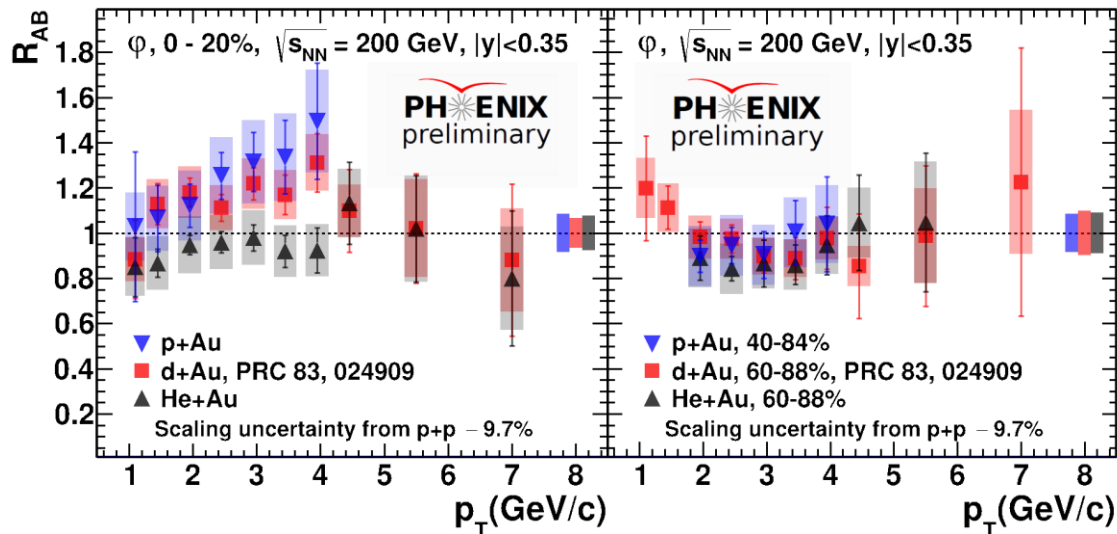


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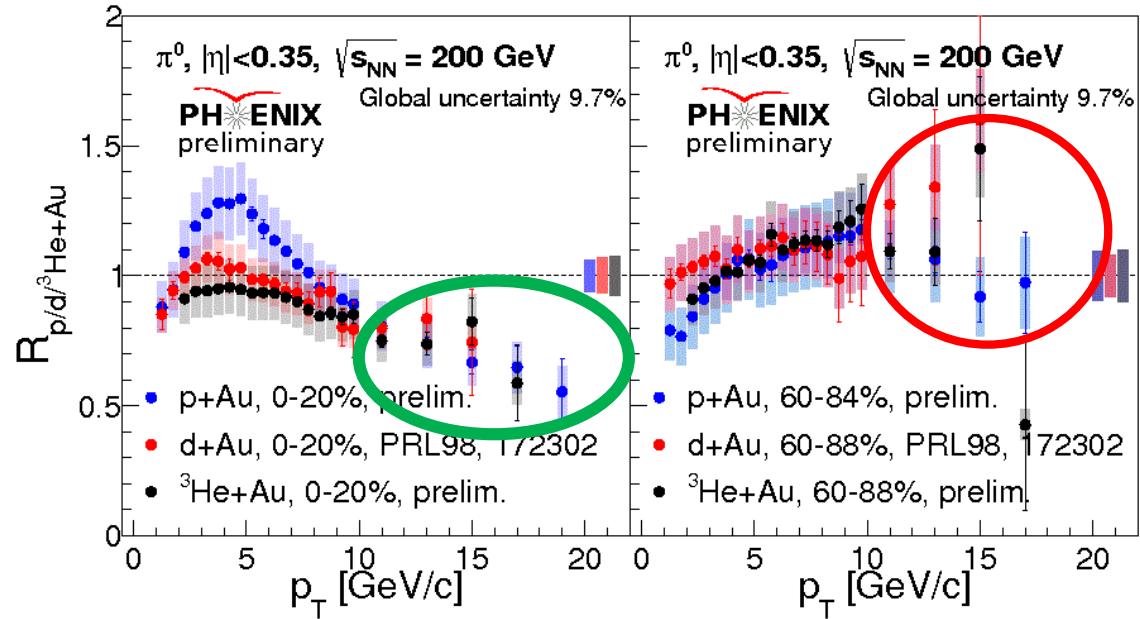
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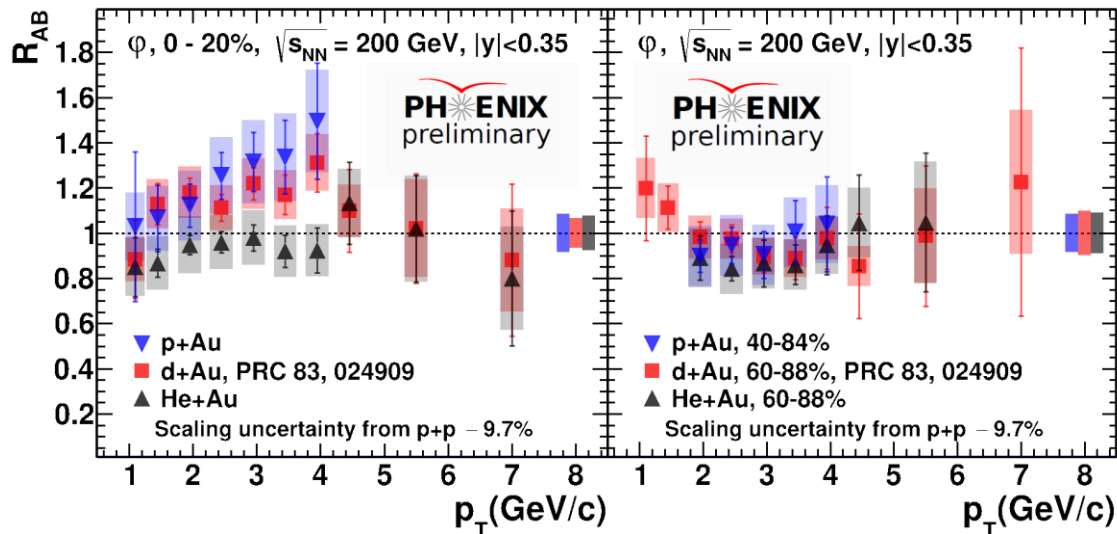
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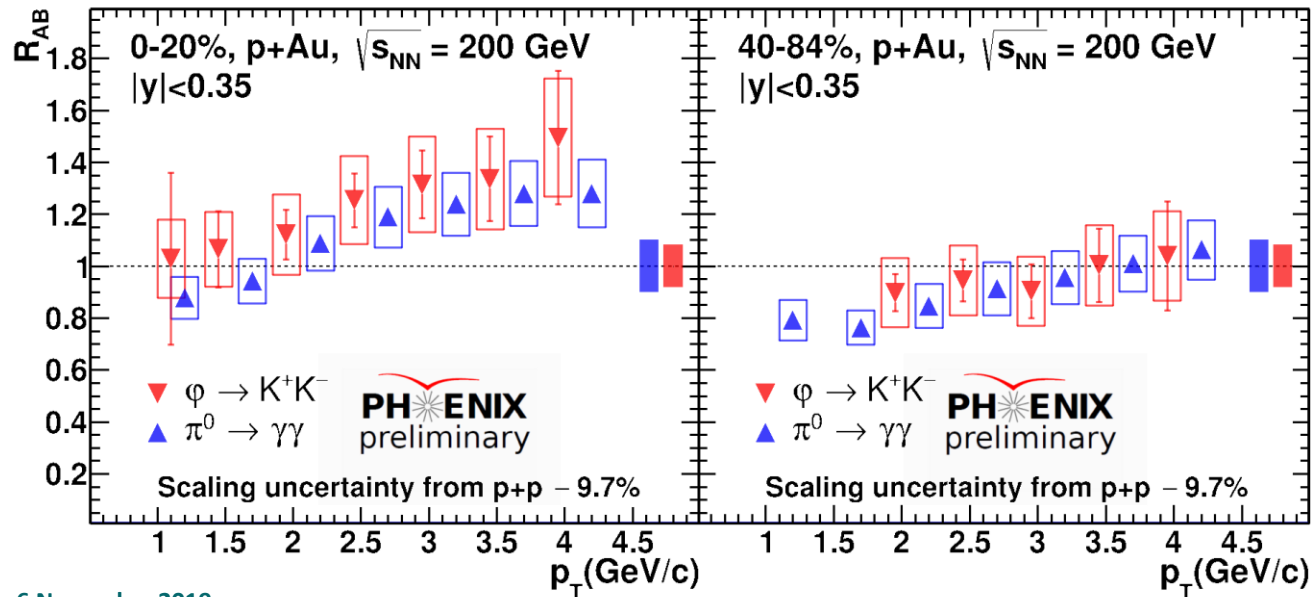
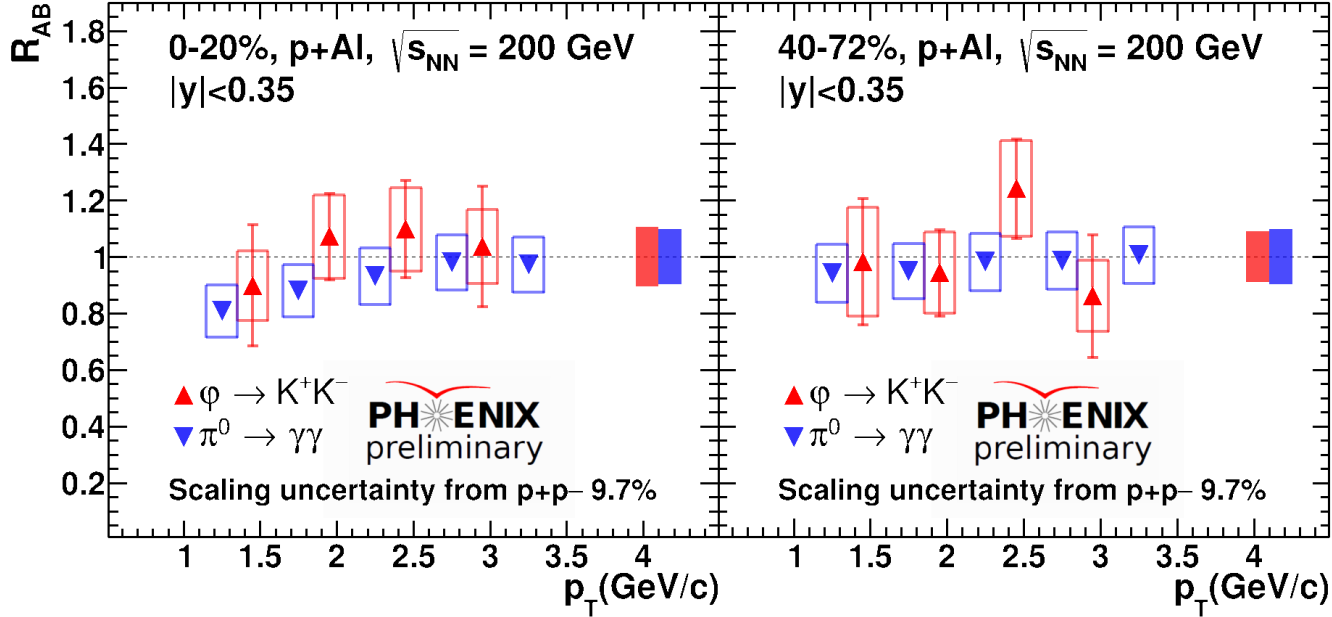
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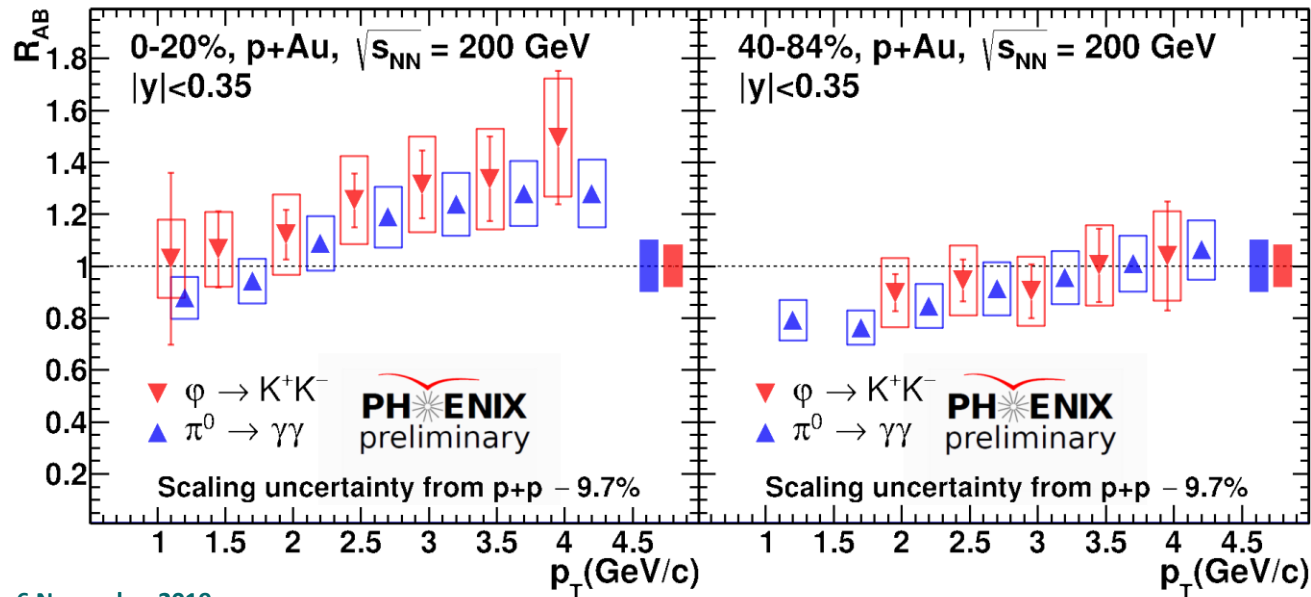
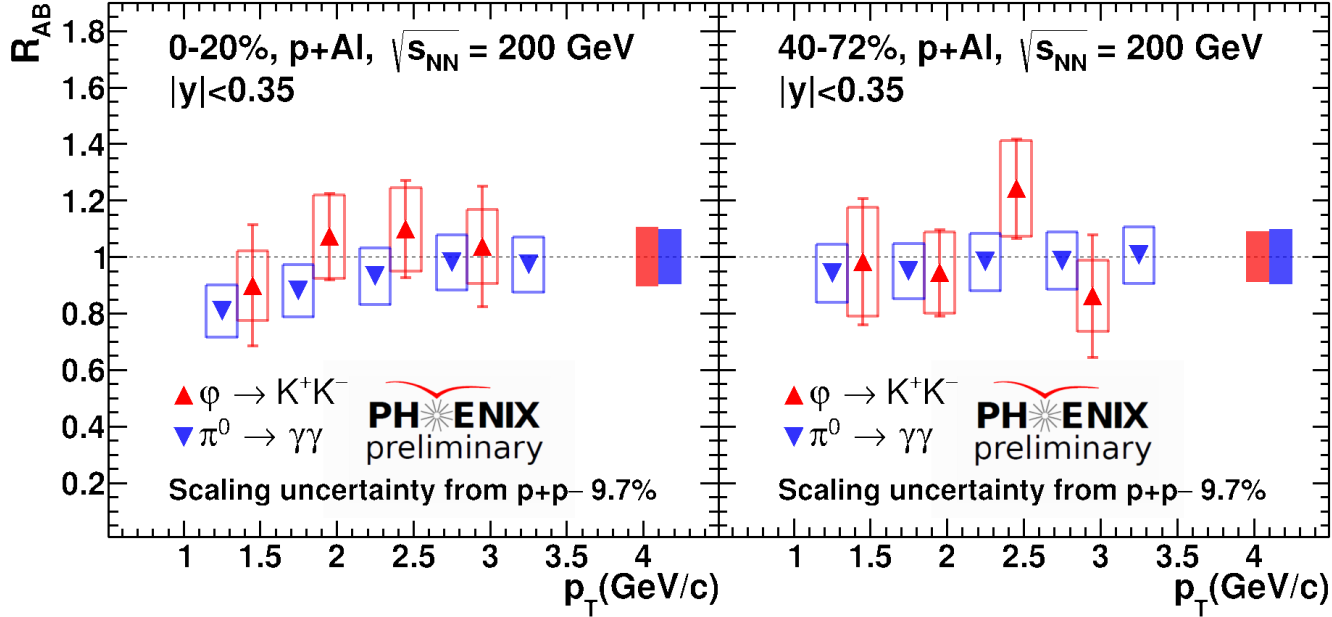
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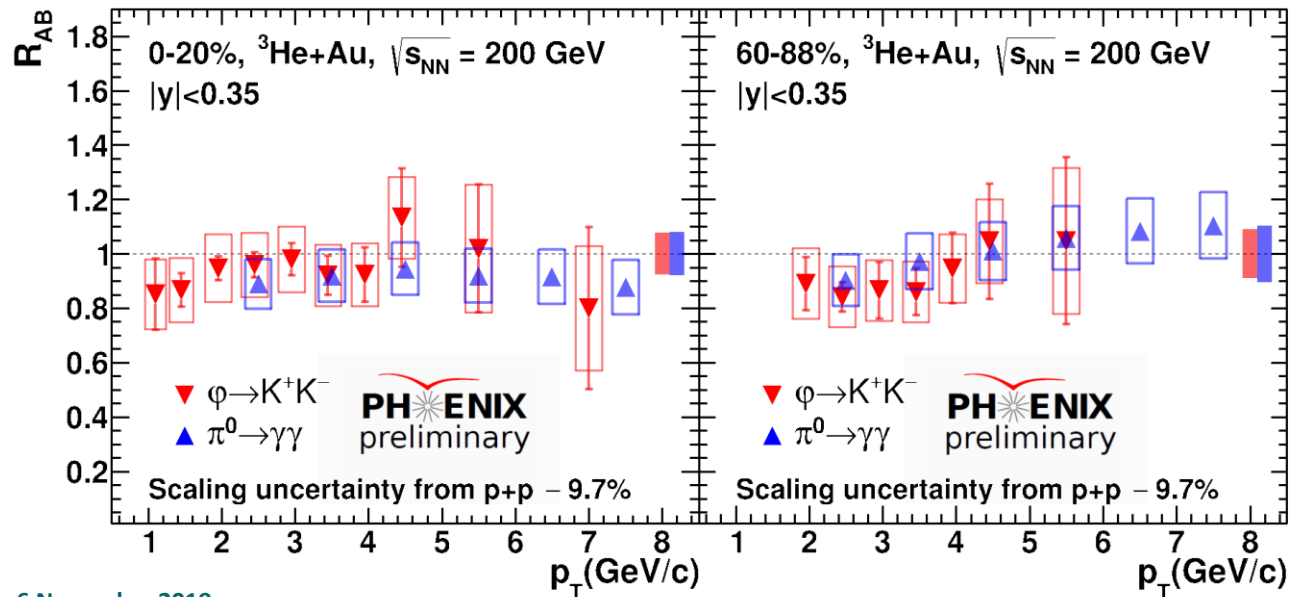
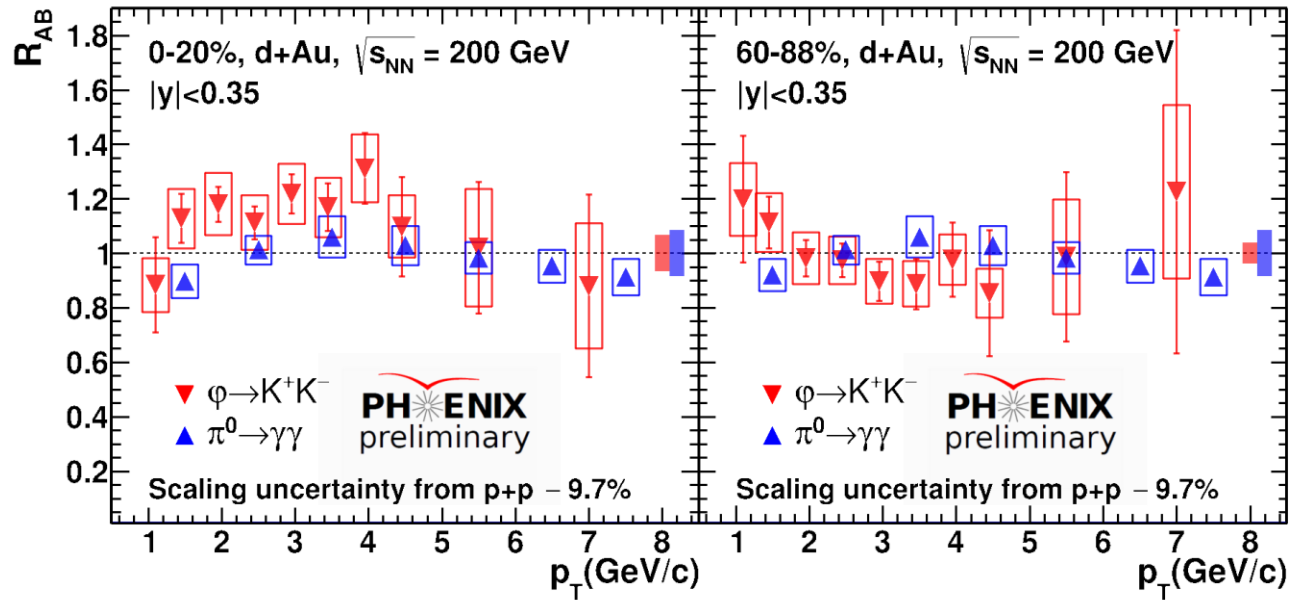
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- Hint of suppression in central collisions!
- Hint of enhancement in peripheral collisions

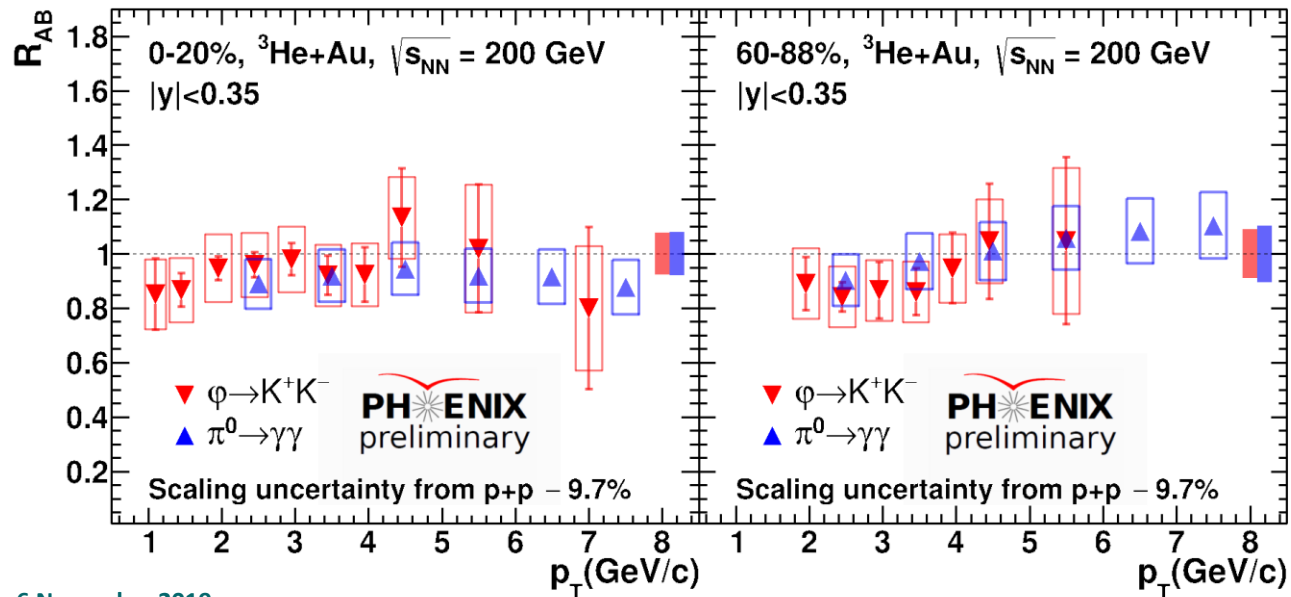
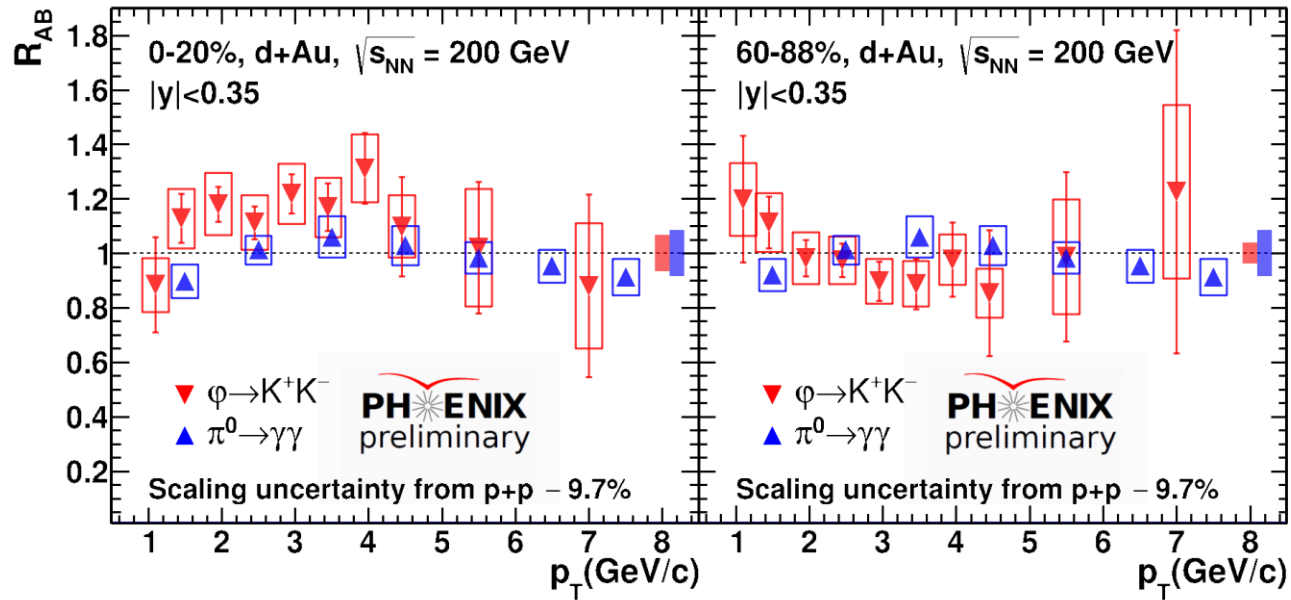




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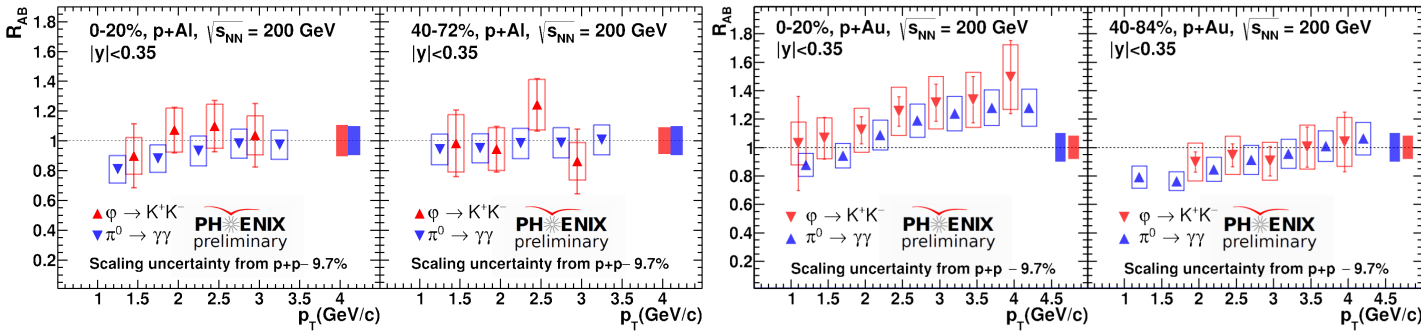


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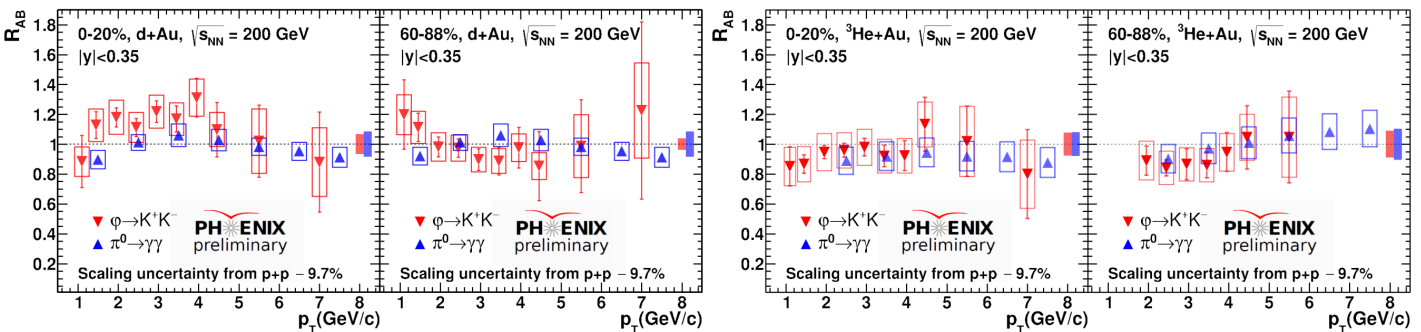


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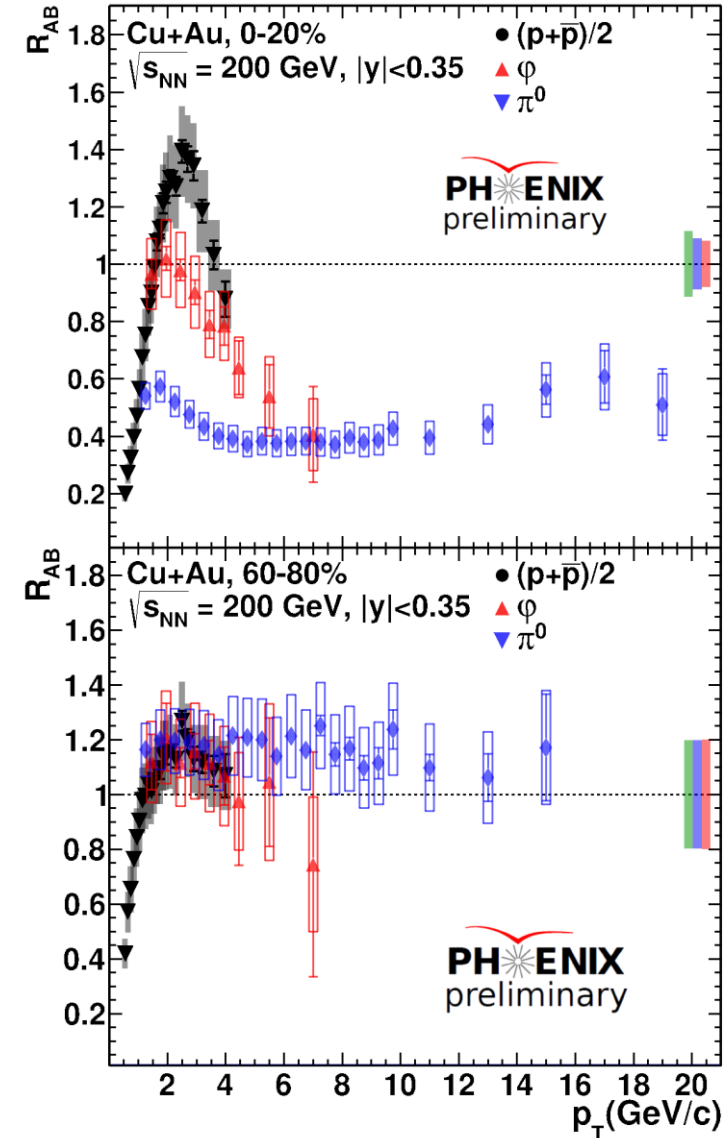
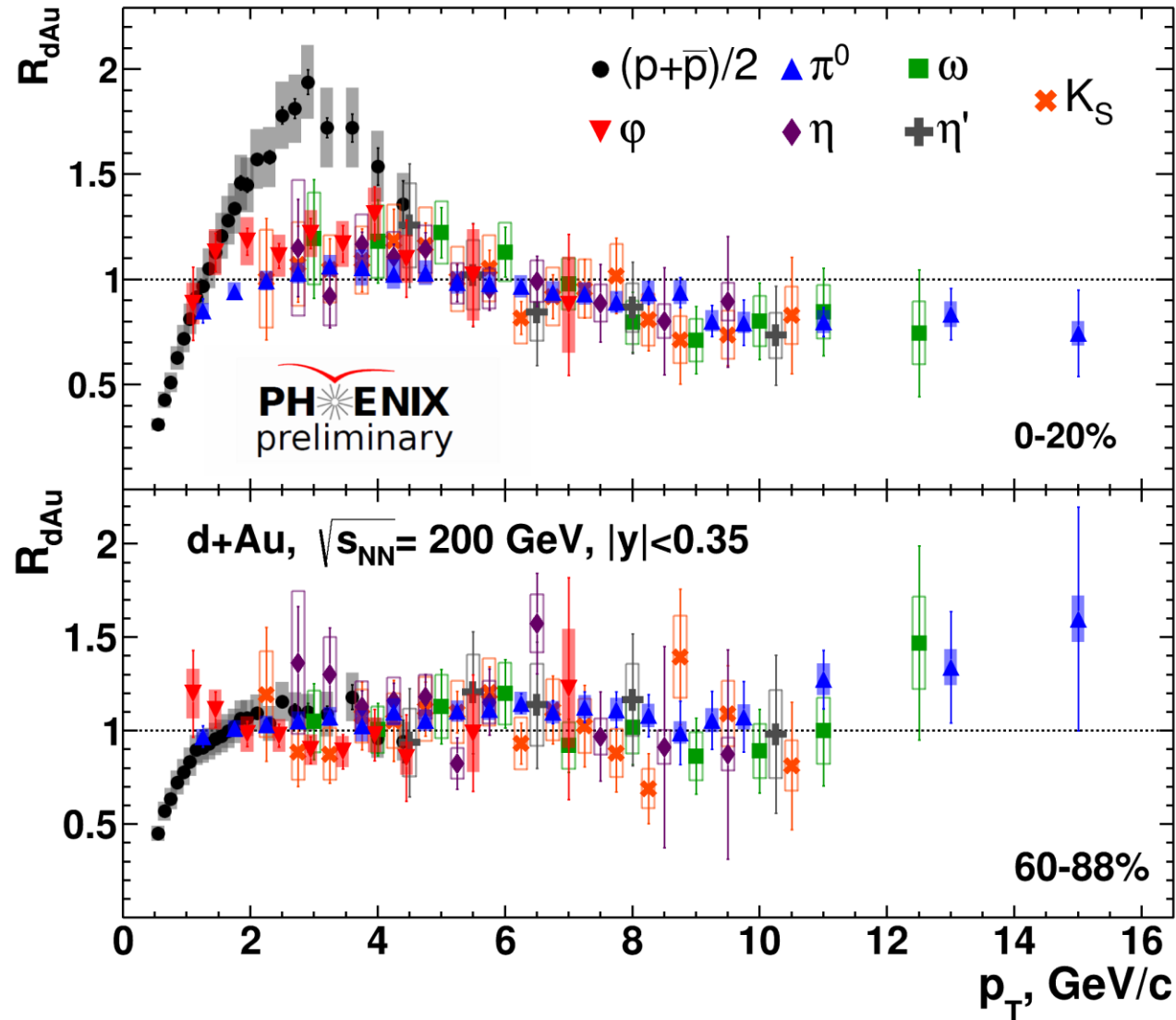
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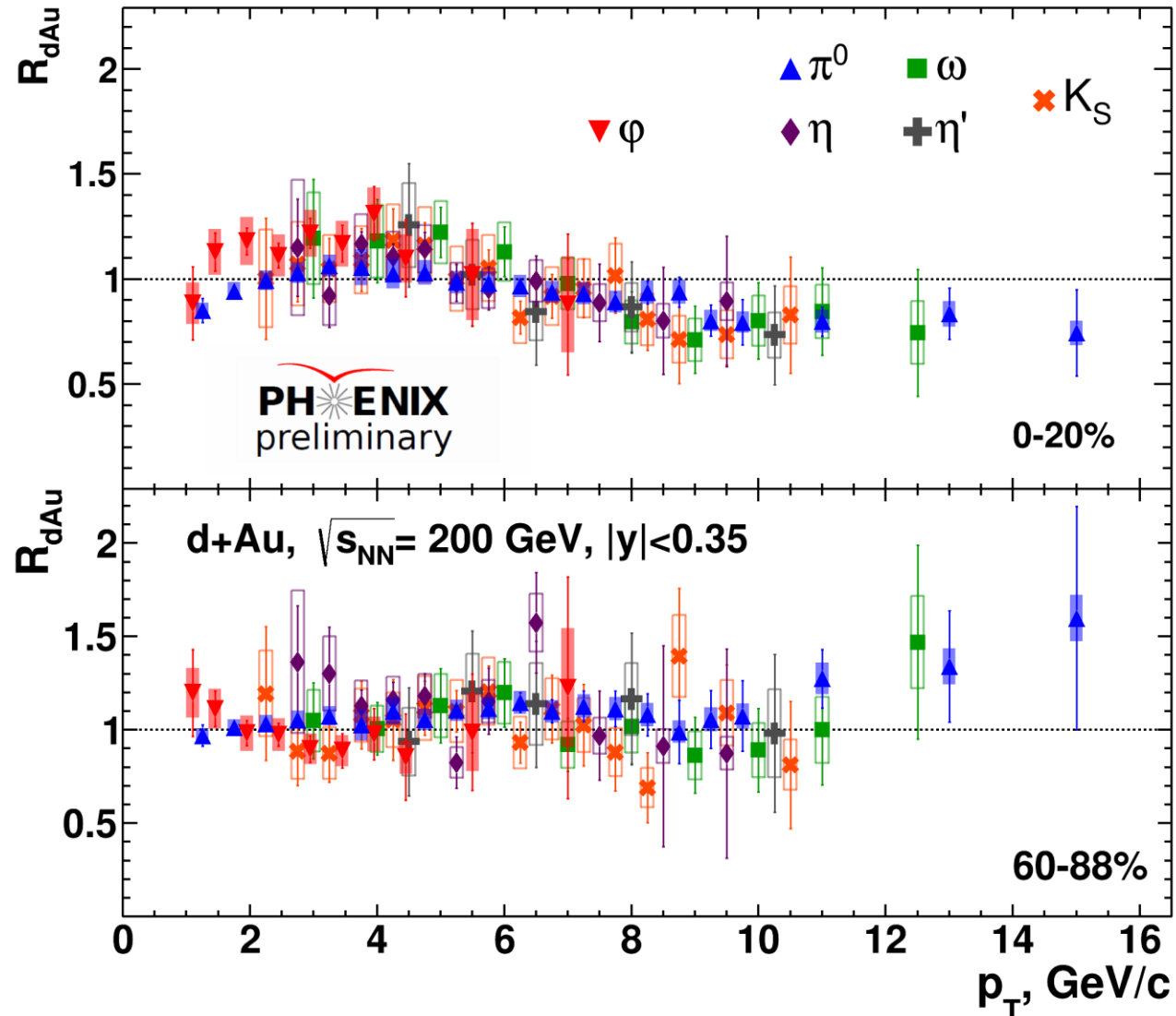
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Might indicate that CNM effects are not
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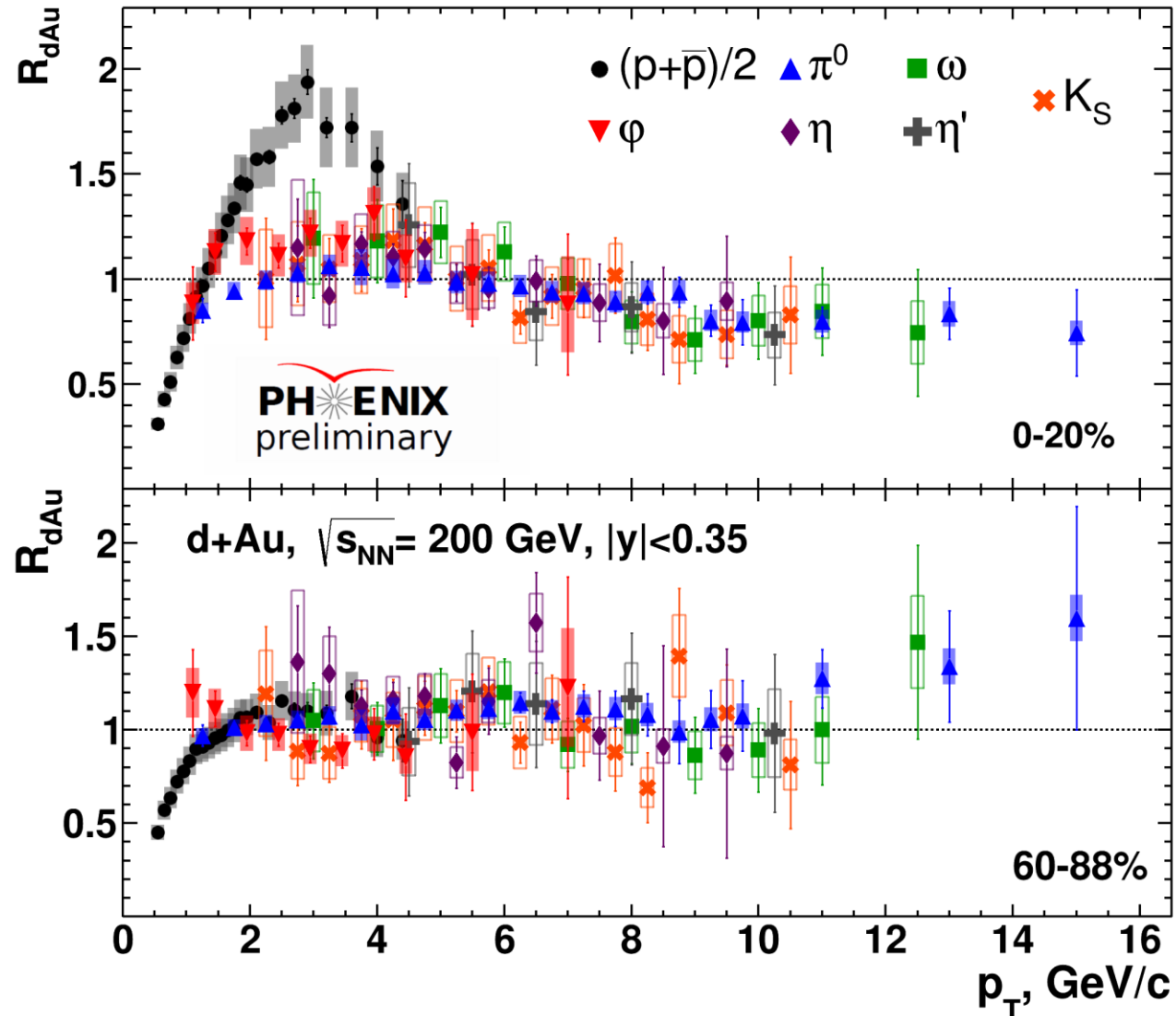


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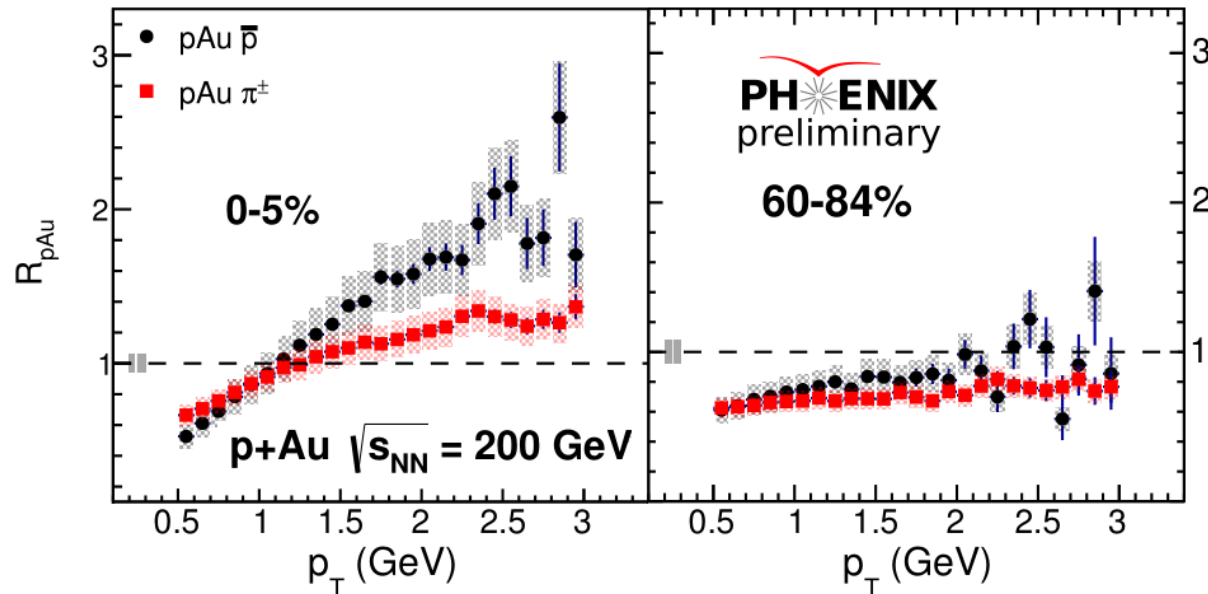
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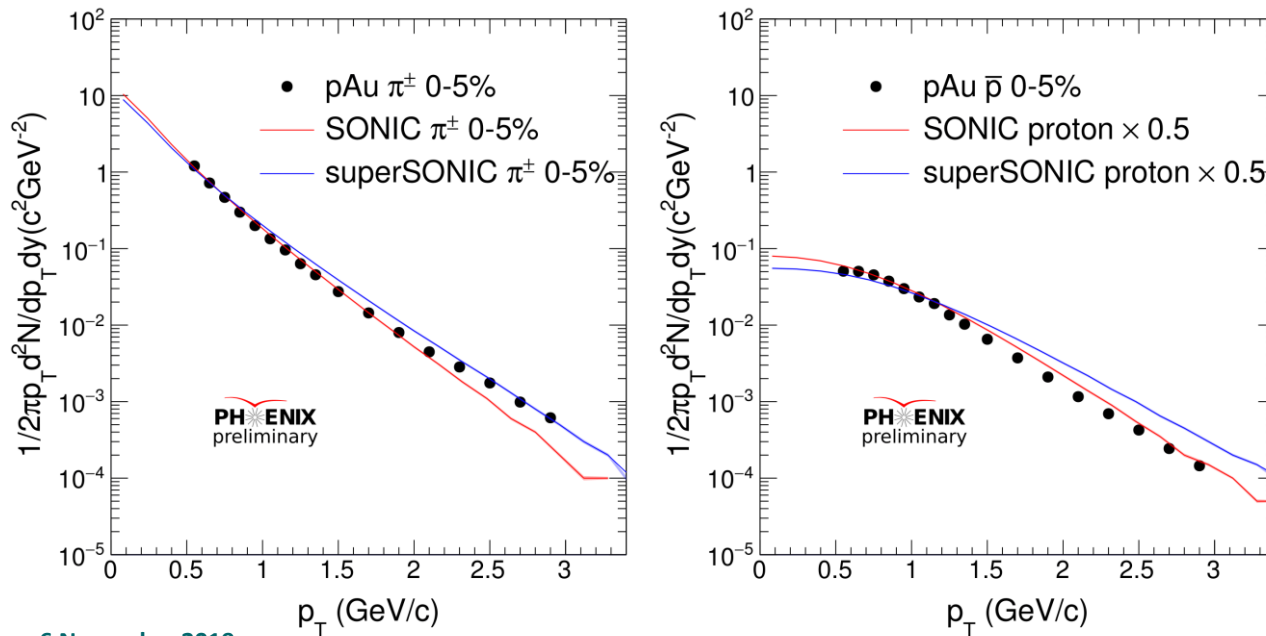


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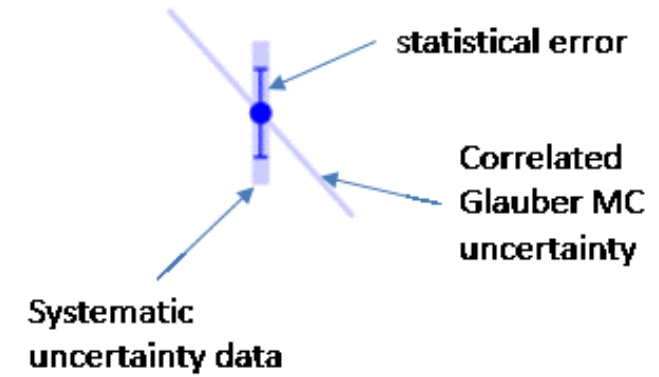
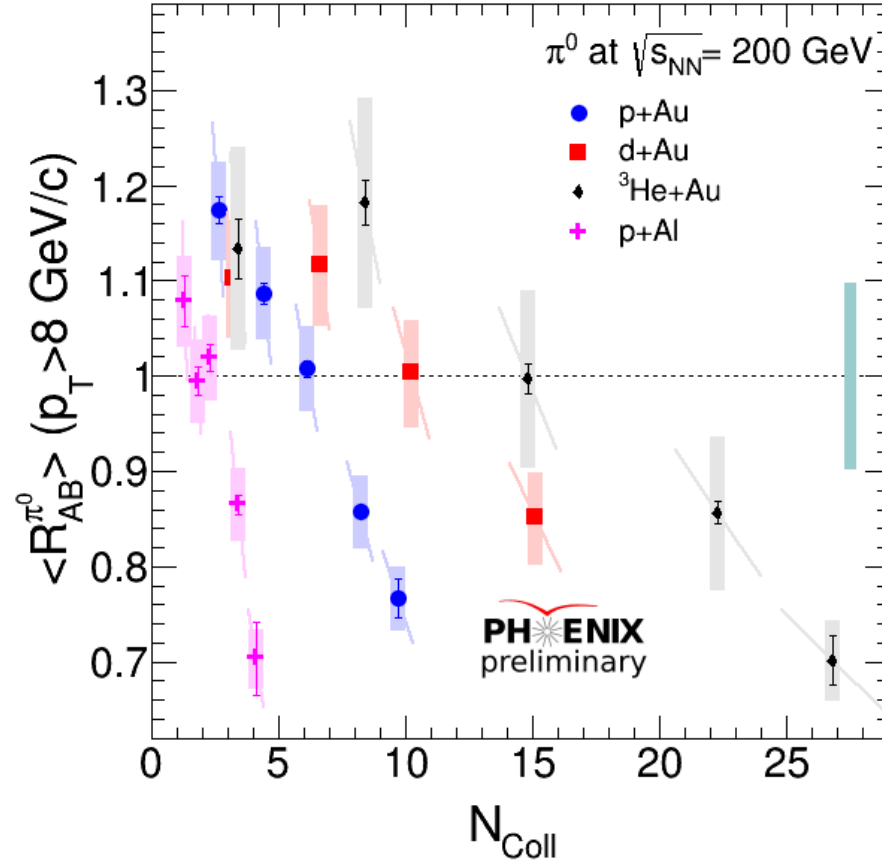
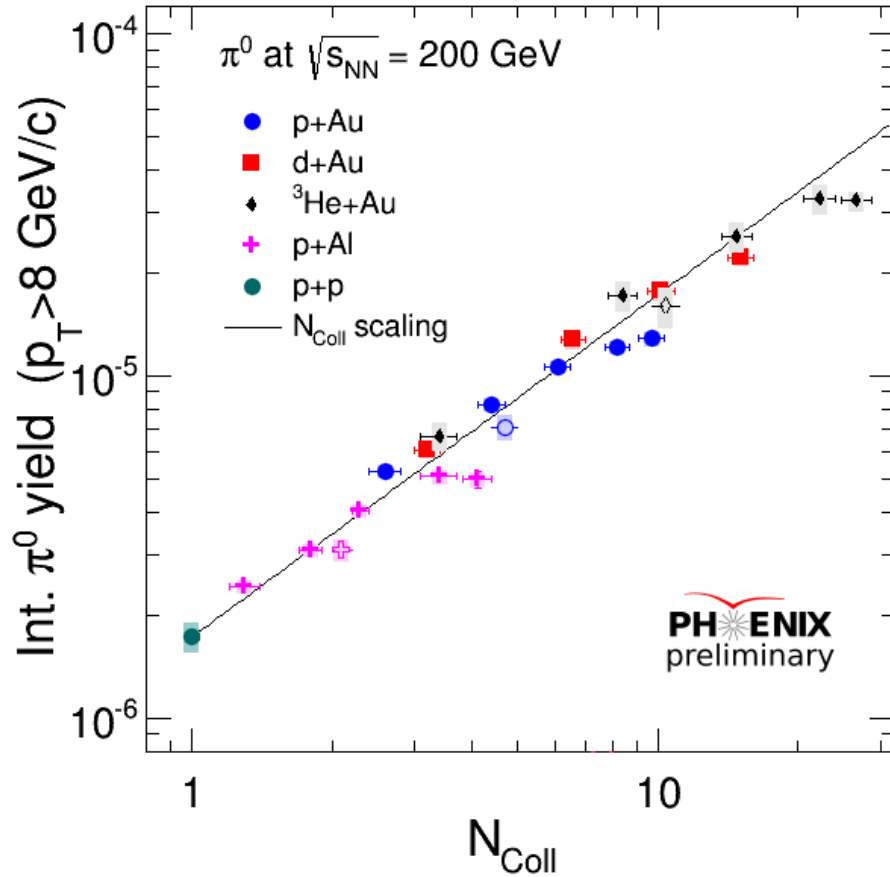
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π^\pm & \bar{p} invariant yield in 0-5% described by SONIC and superSONIC

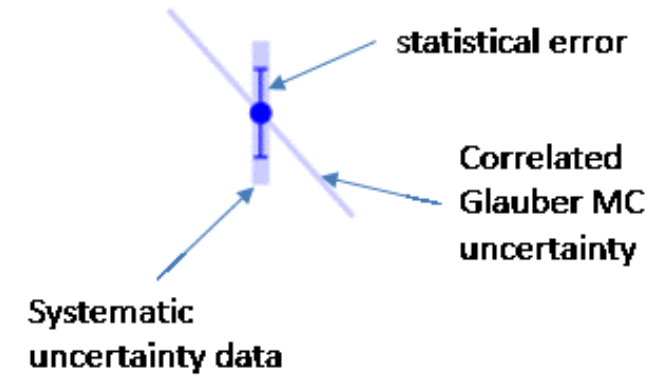
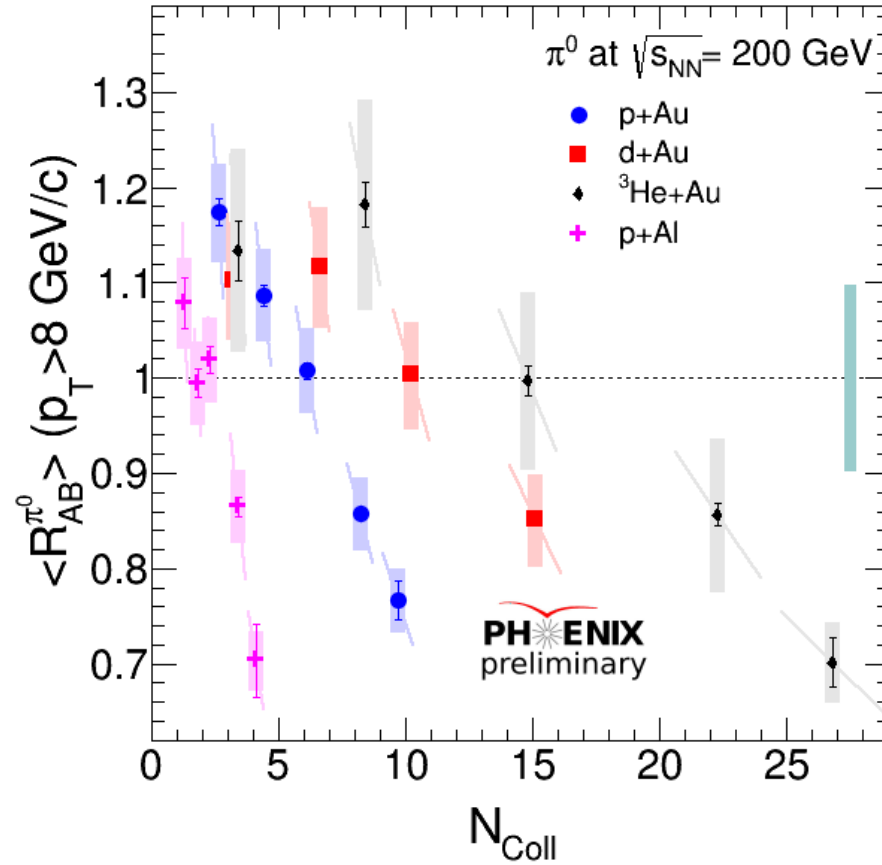
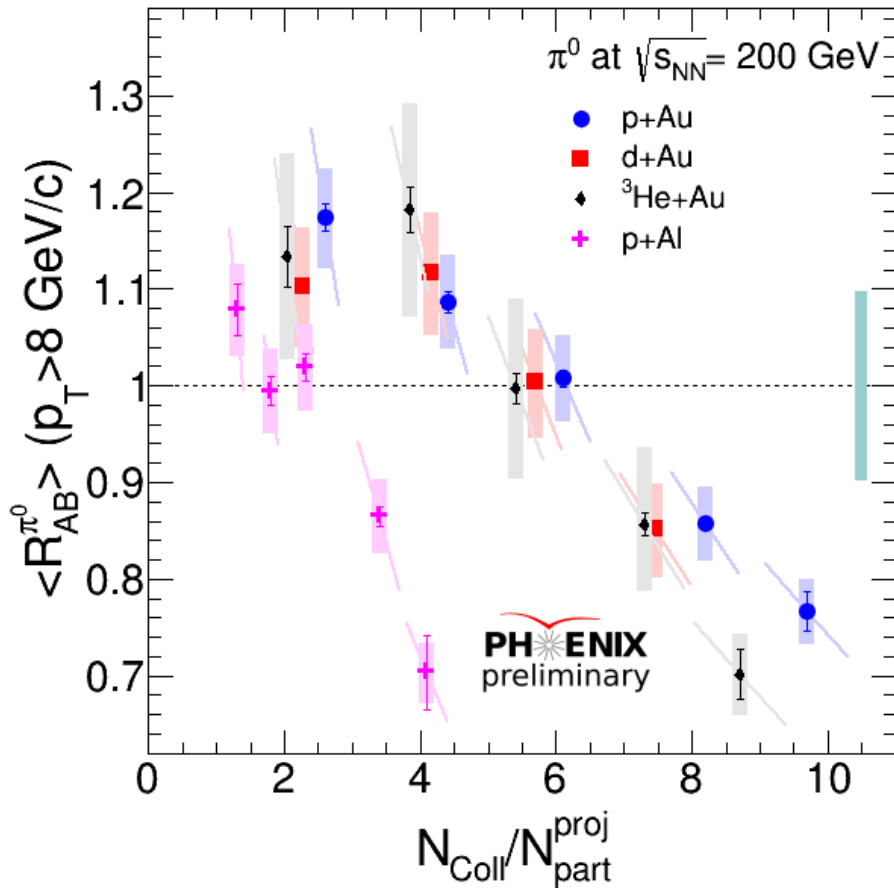
FLOW might be responsible for protons enhancement!



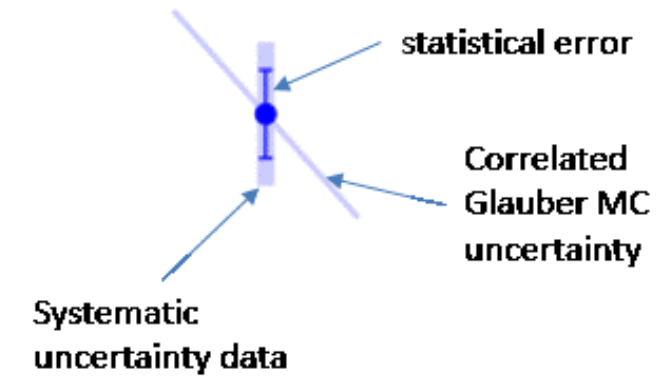
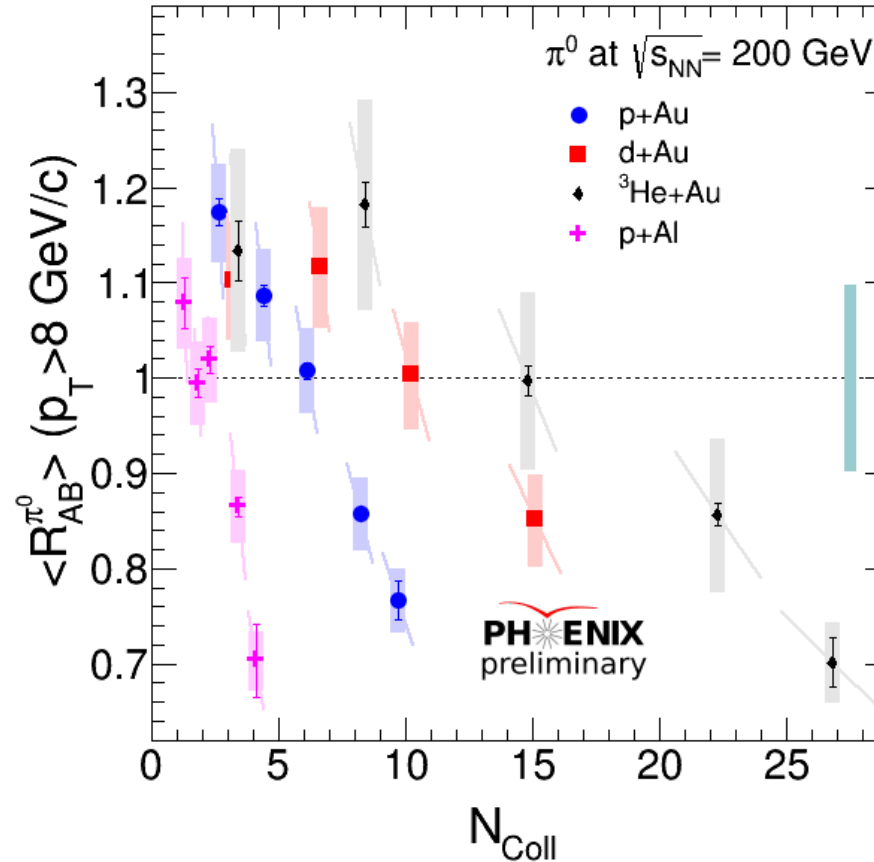
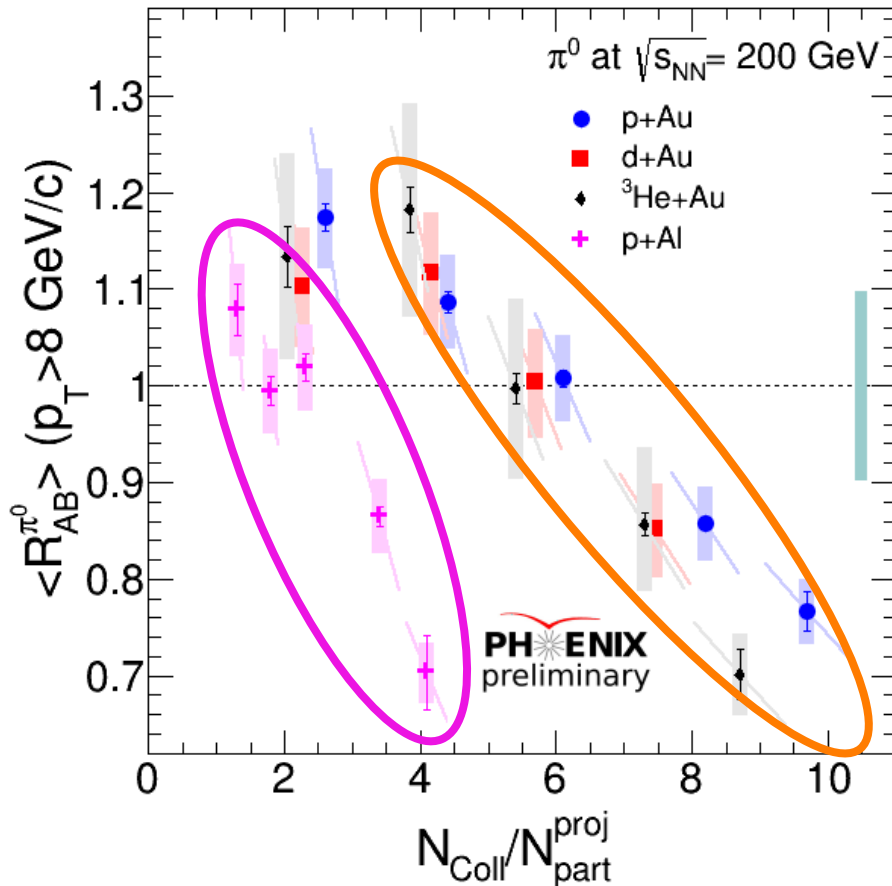
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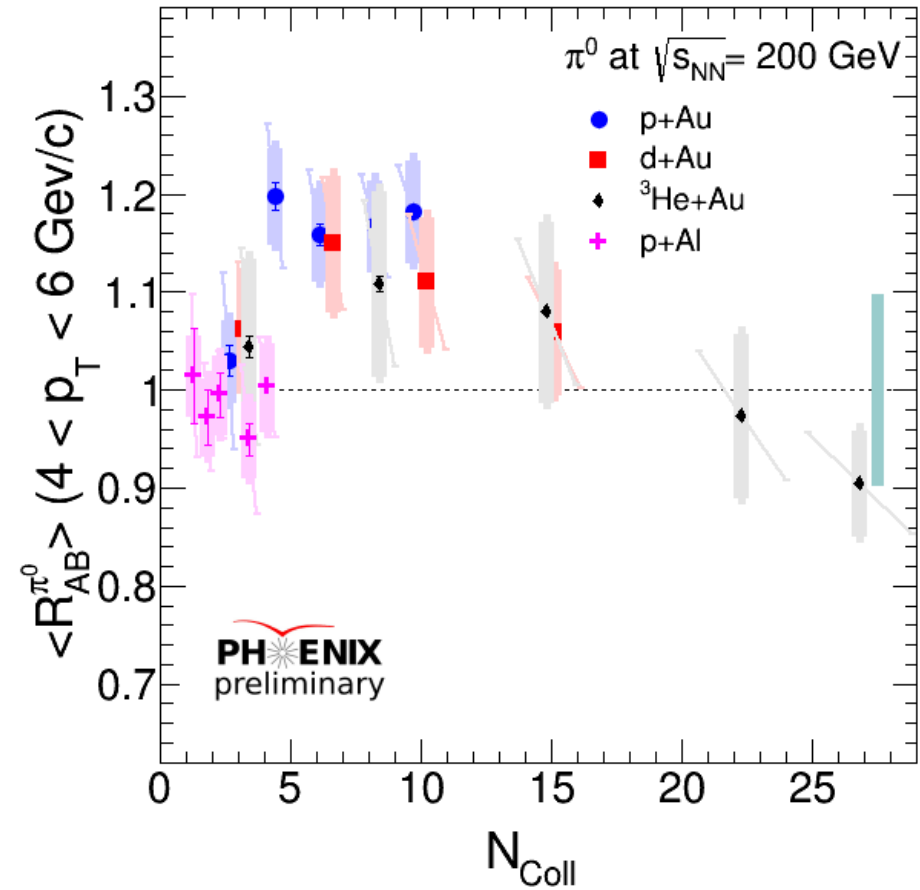
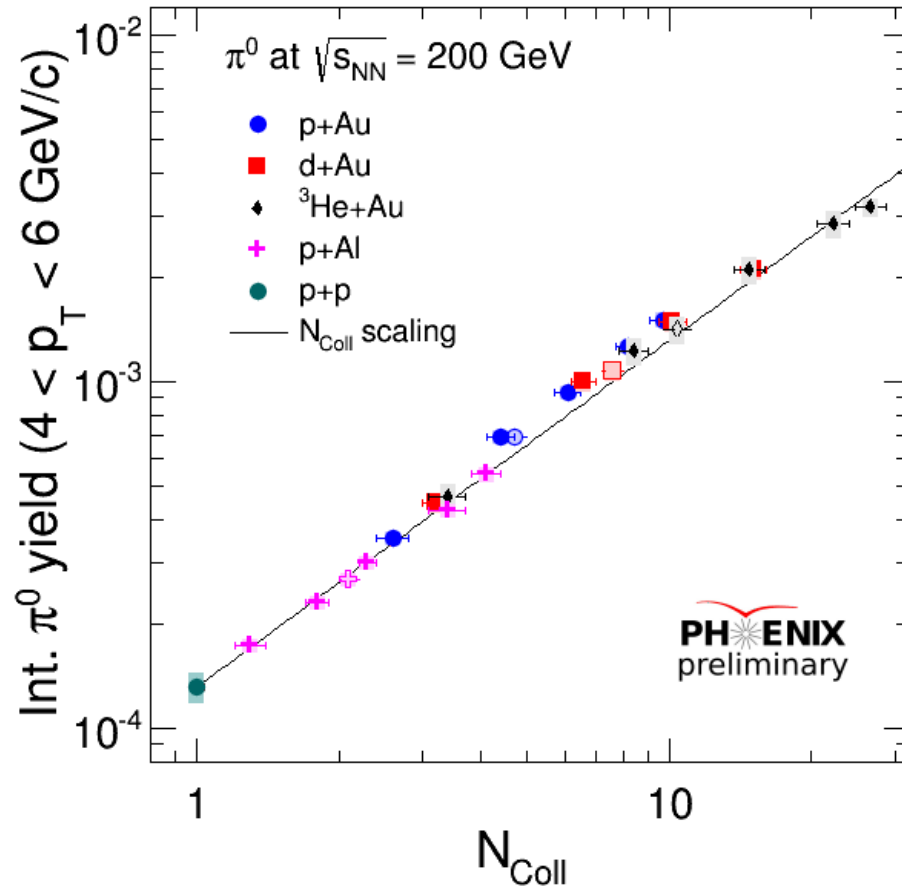


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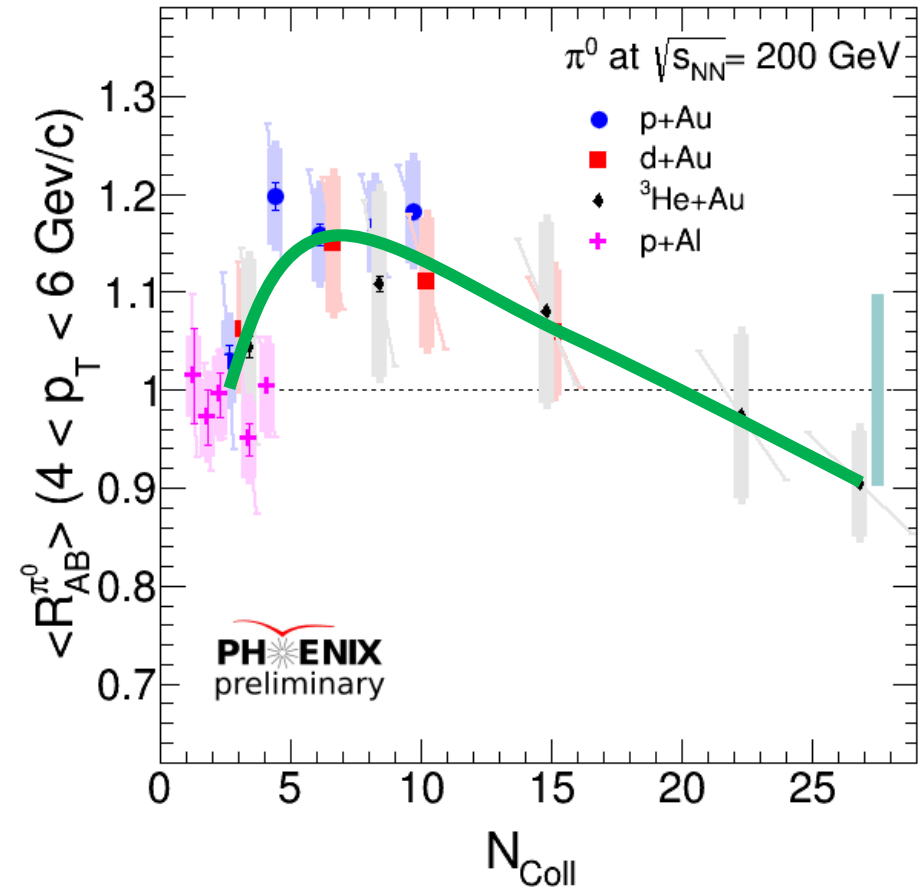
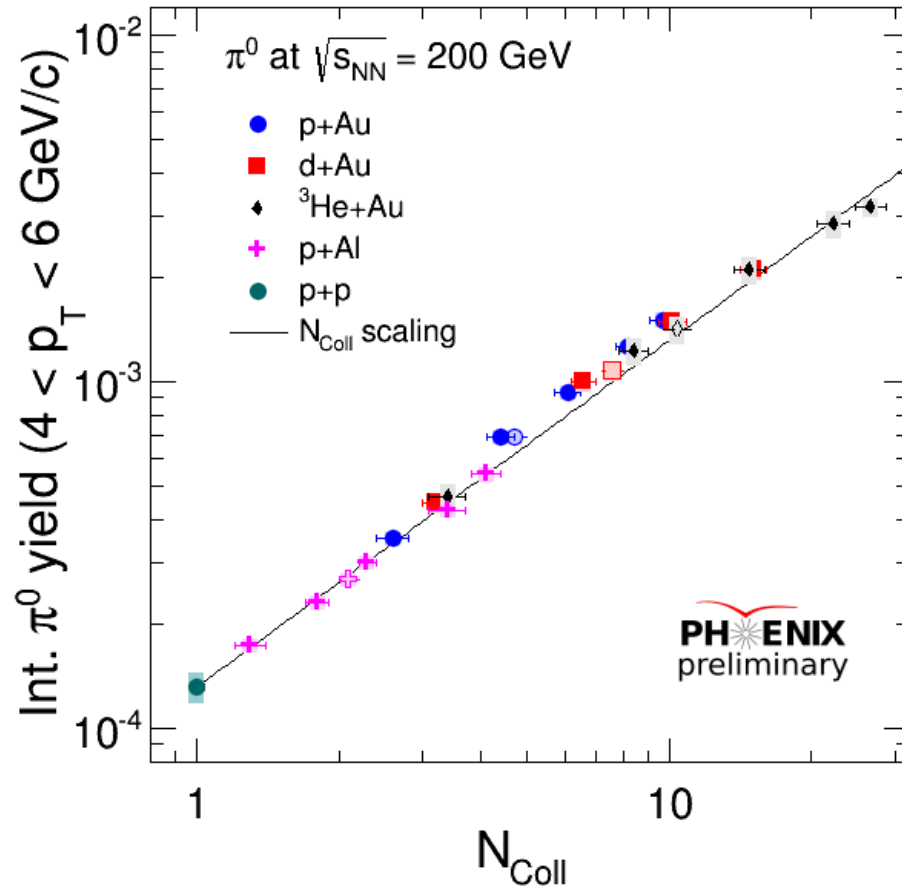


$\pi^0 R_{AB}$'s seem to scale with $N_{\text{coll}}/N_{\text{part}}^{\text{proj}}$ for systems with same target at high- p_T

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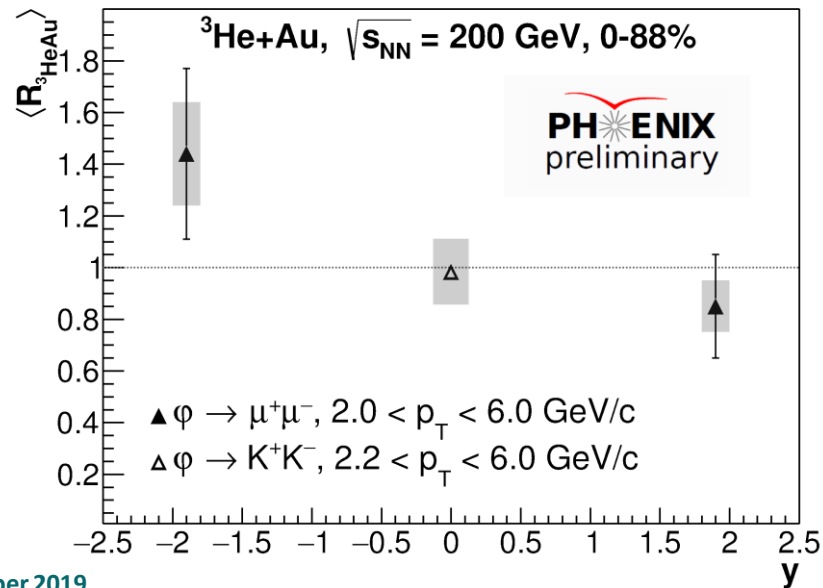
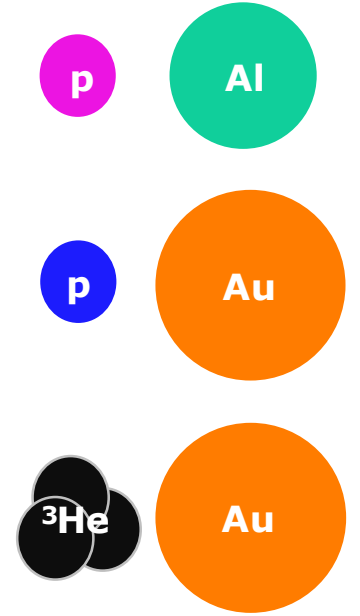
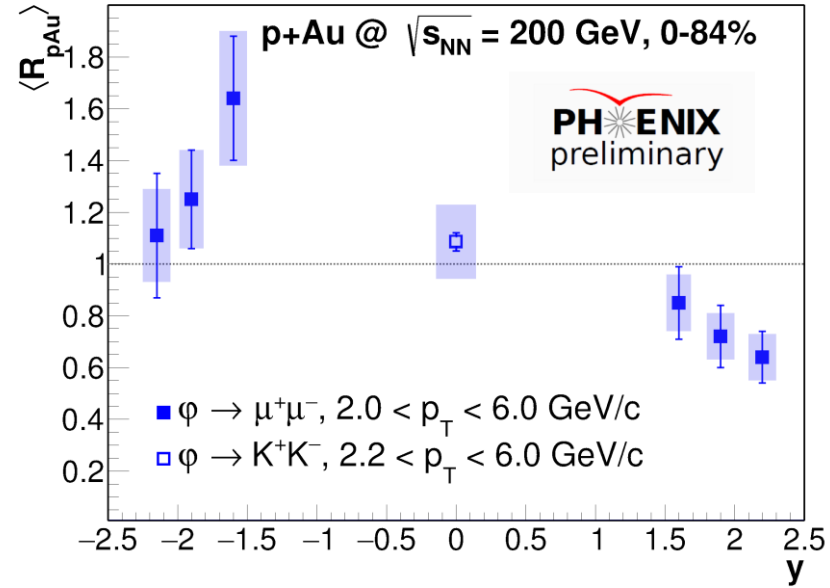
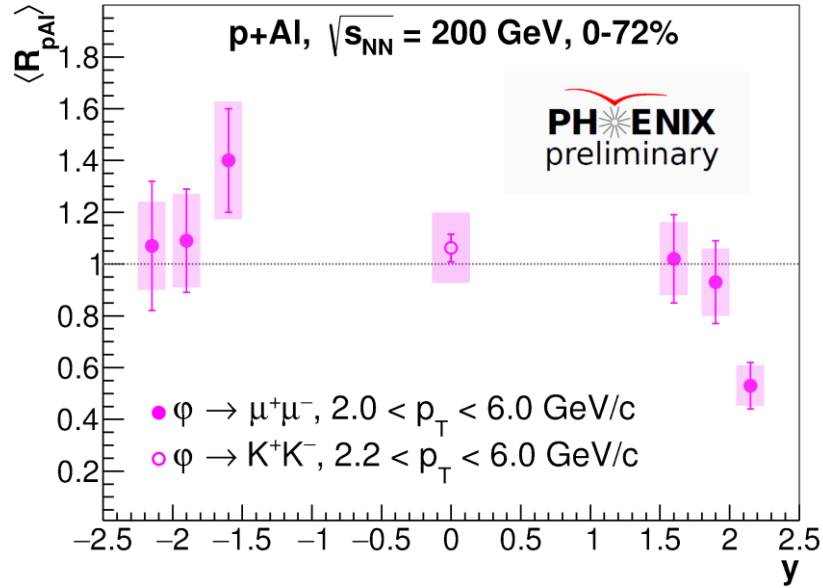


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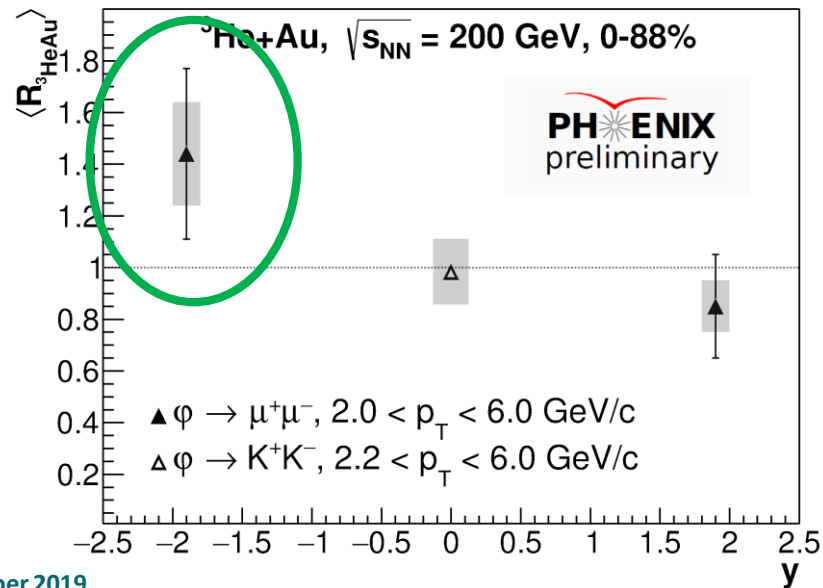
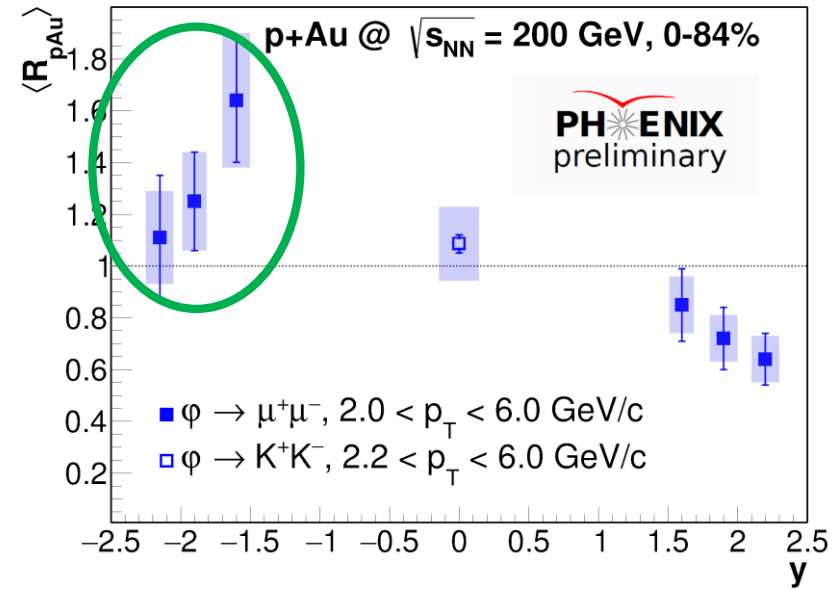
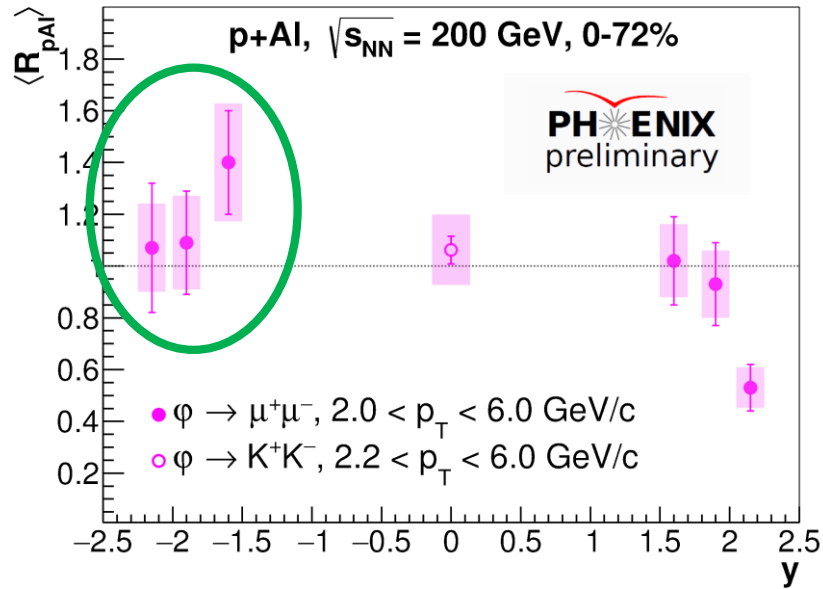


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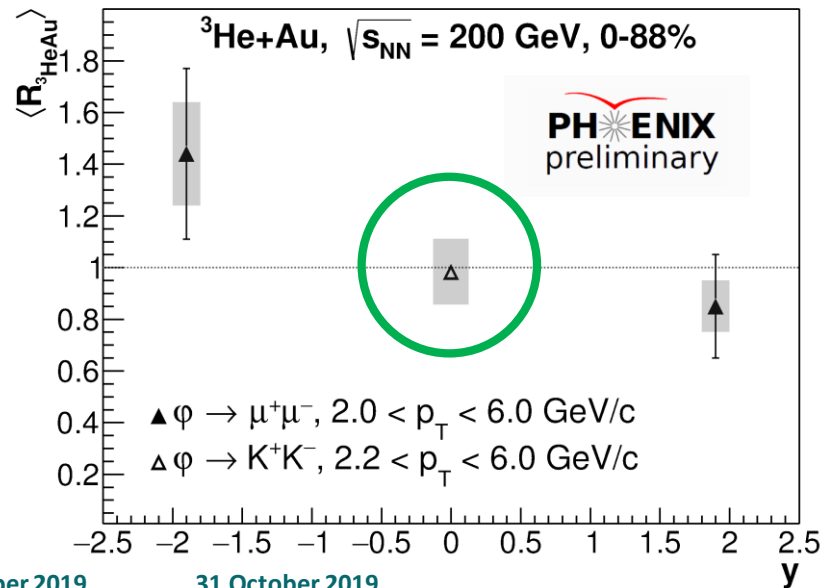
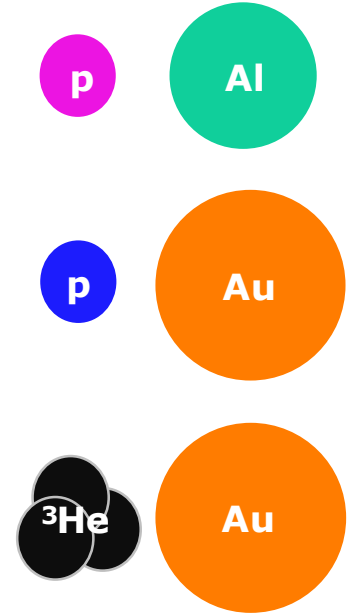
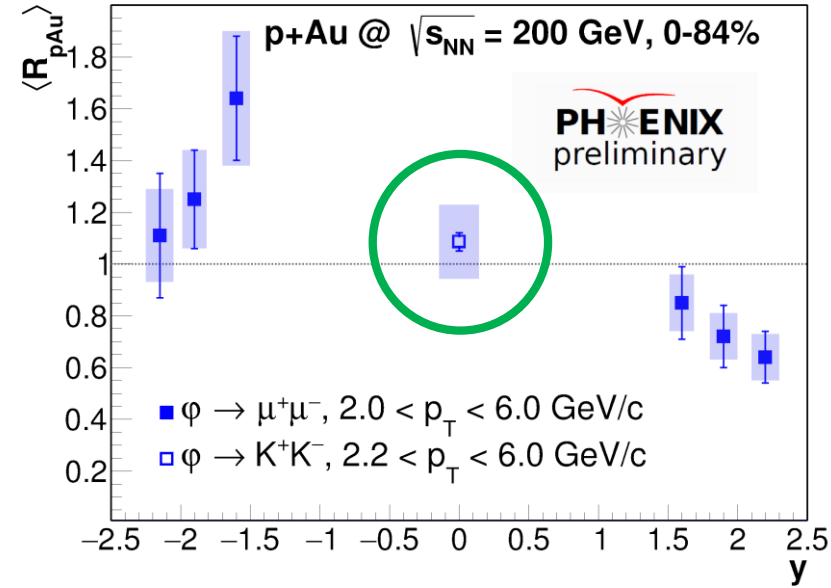
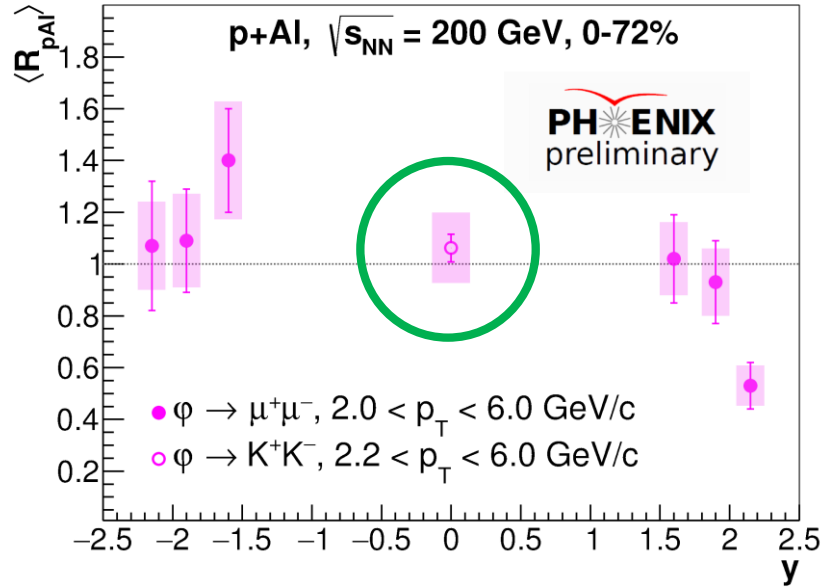


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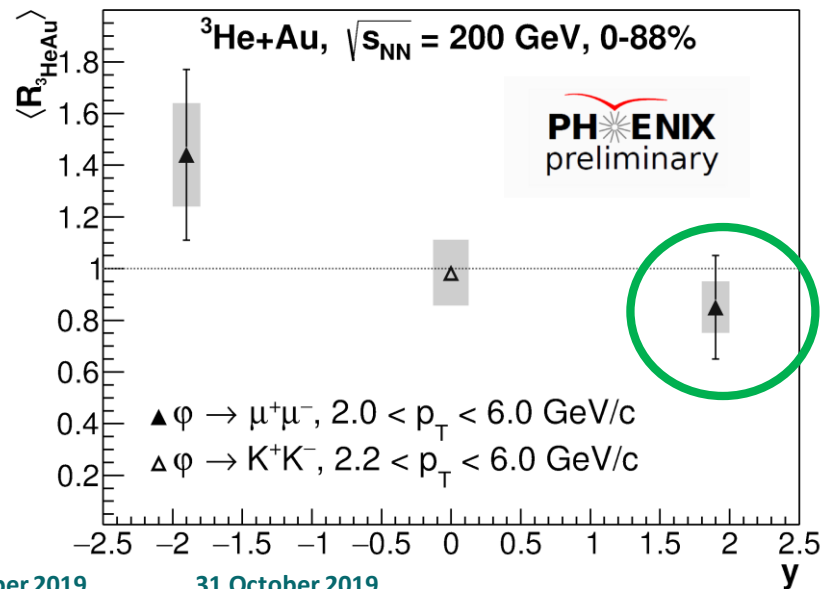
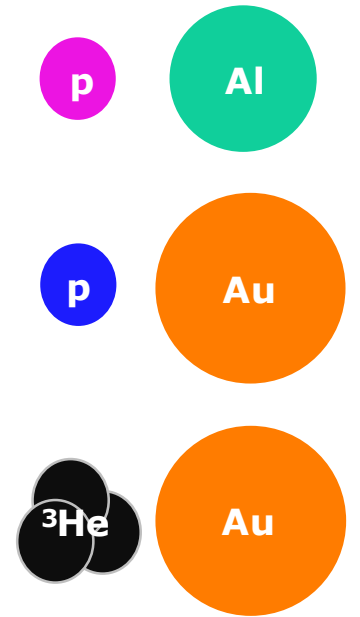
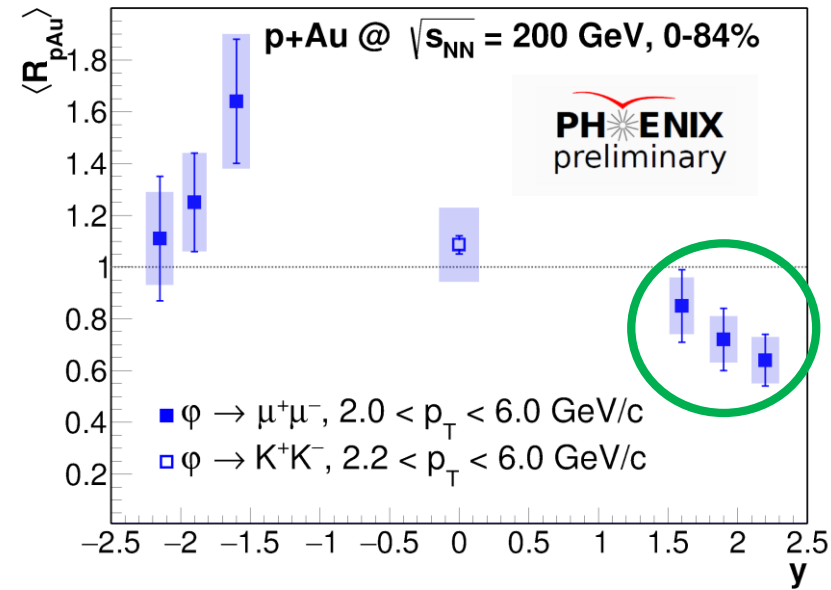
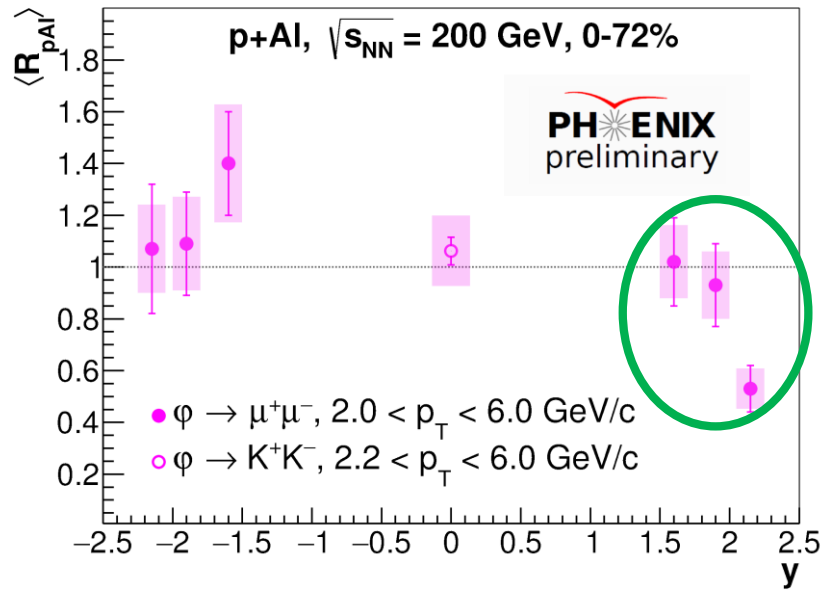
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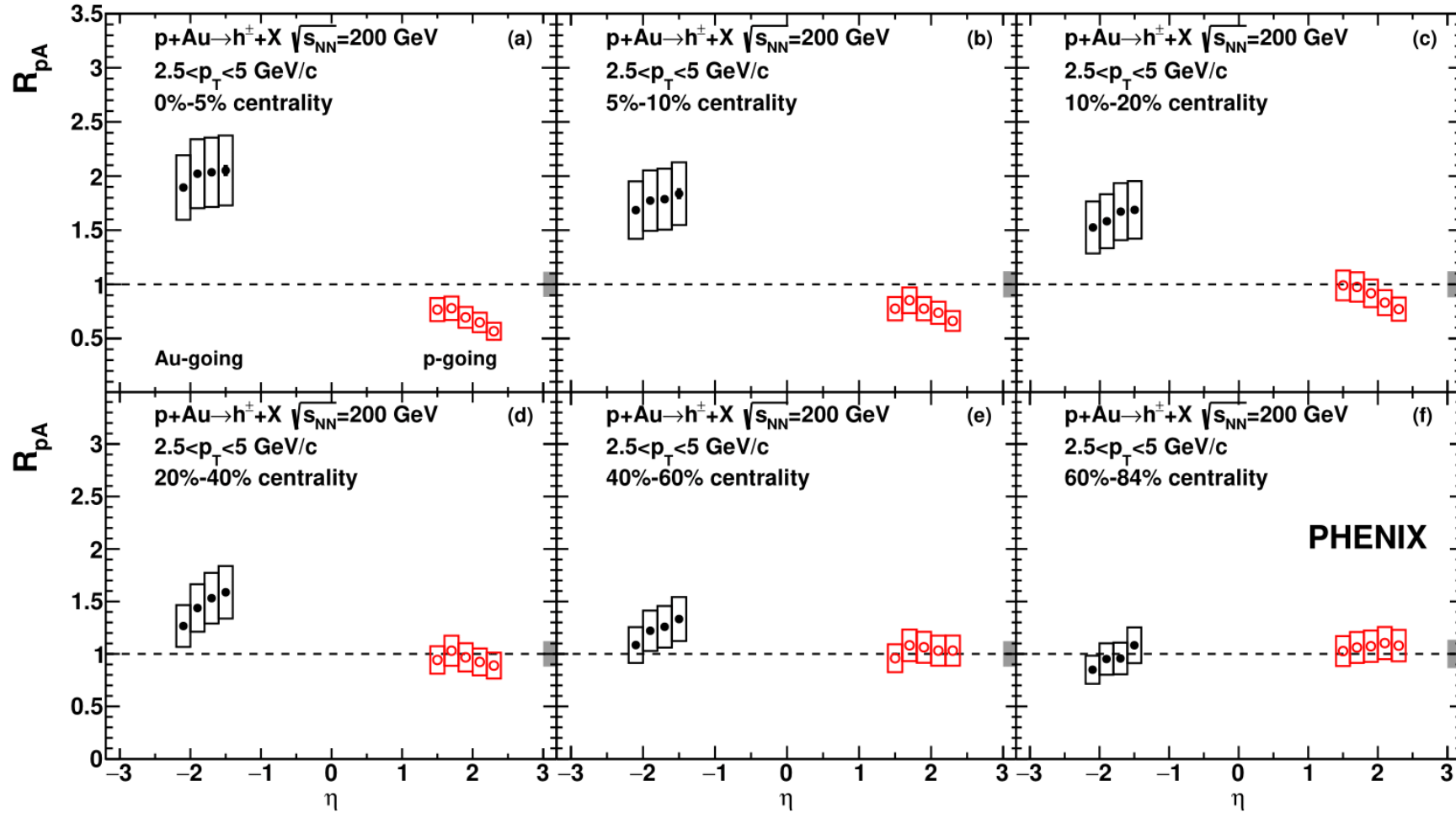
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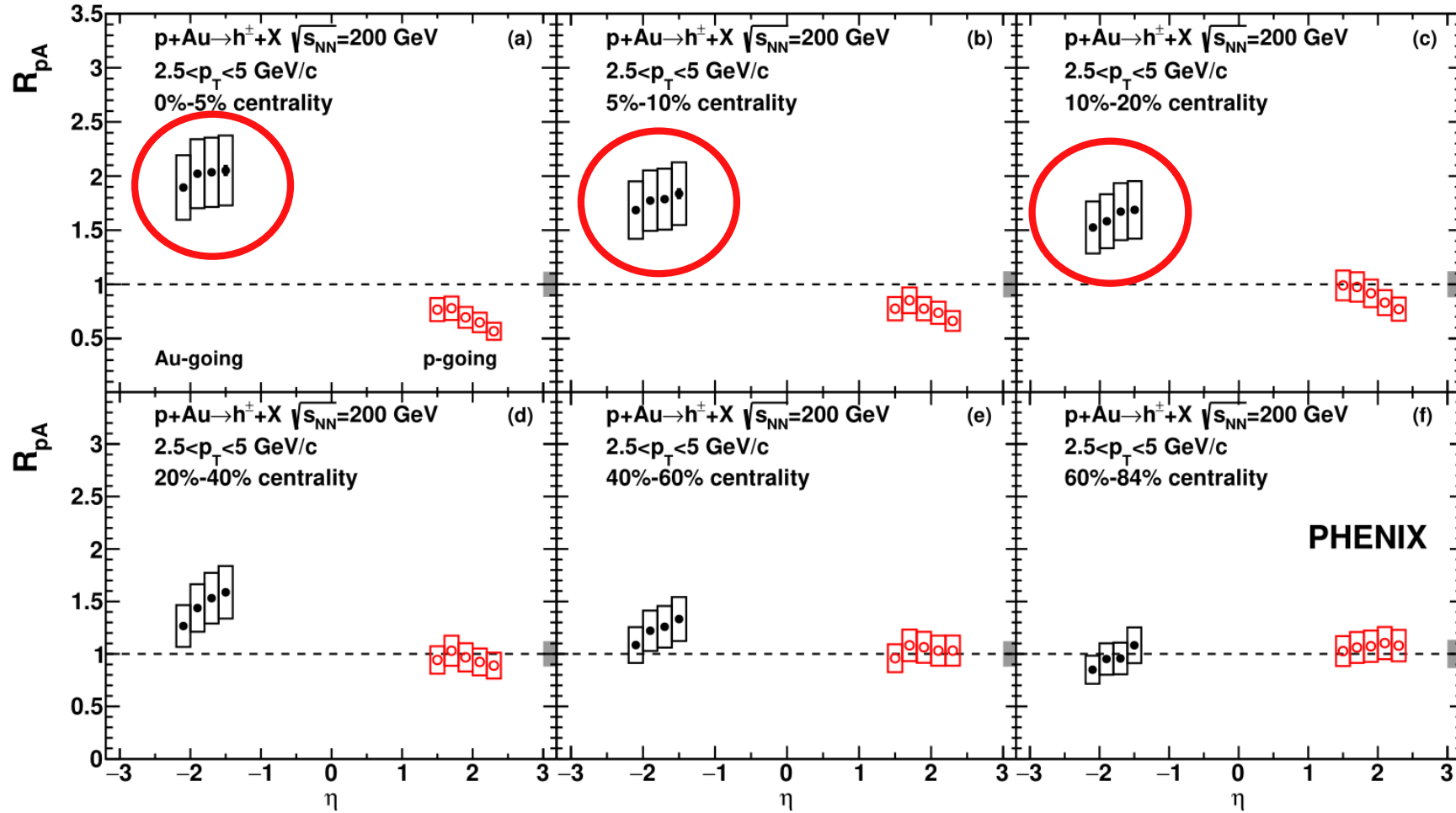
$h^\pm \langle R_{AB} \rangle (\eta)$ in p+Al and p+Au

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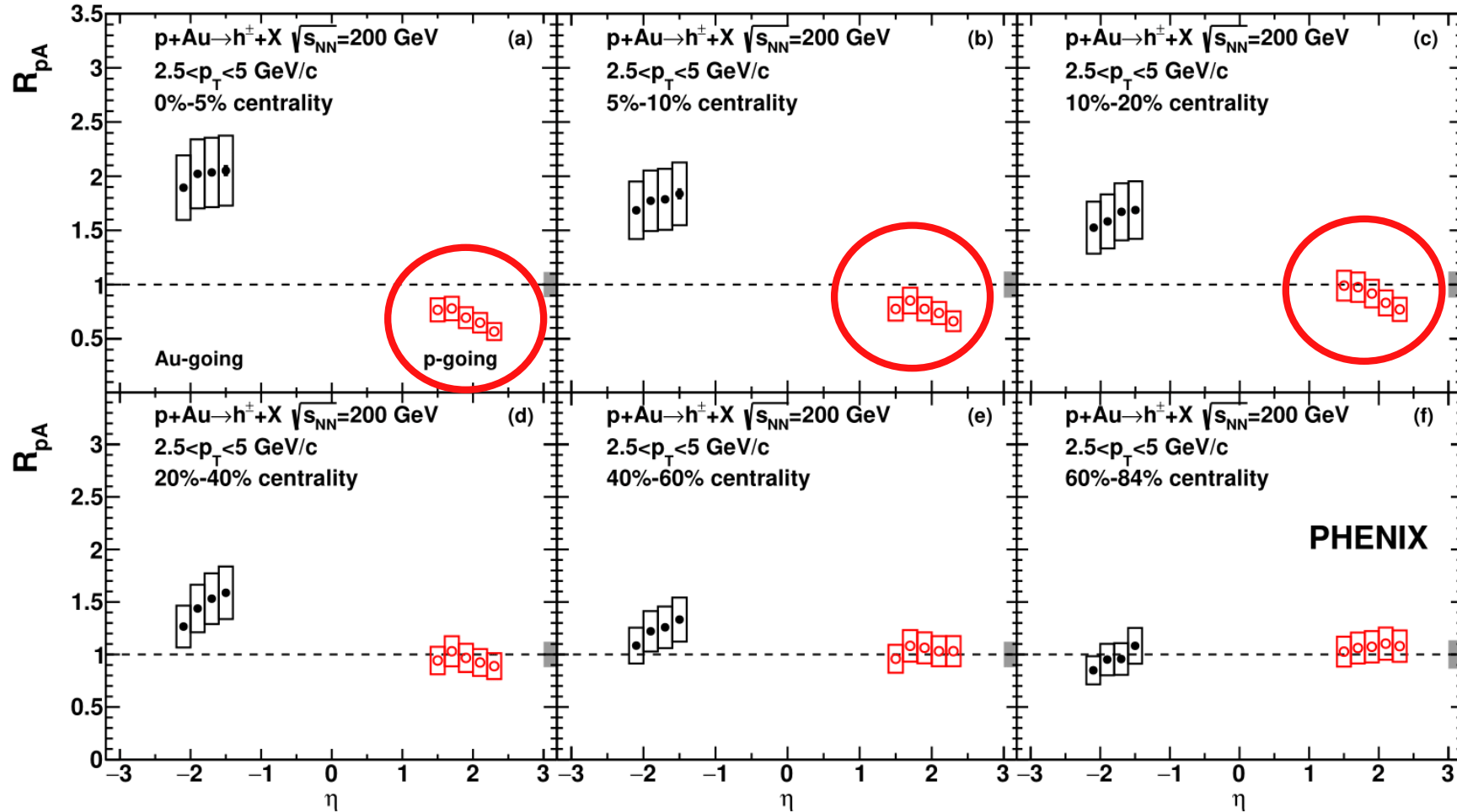
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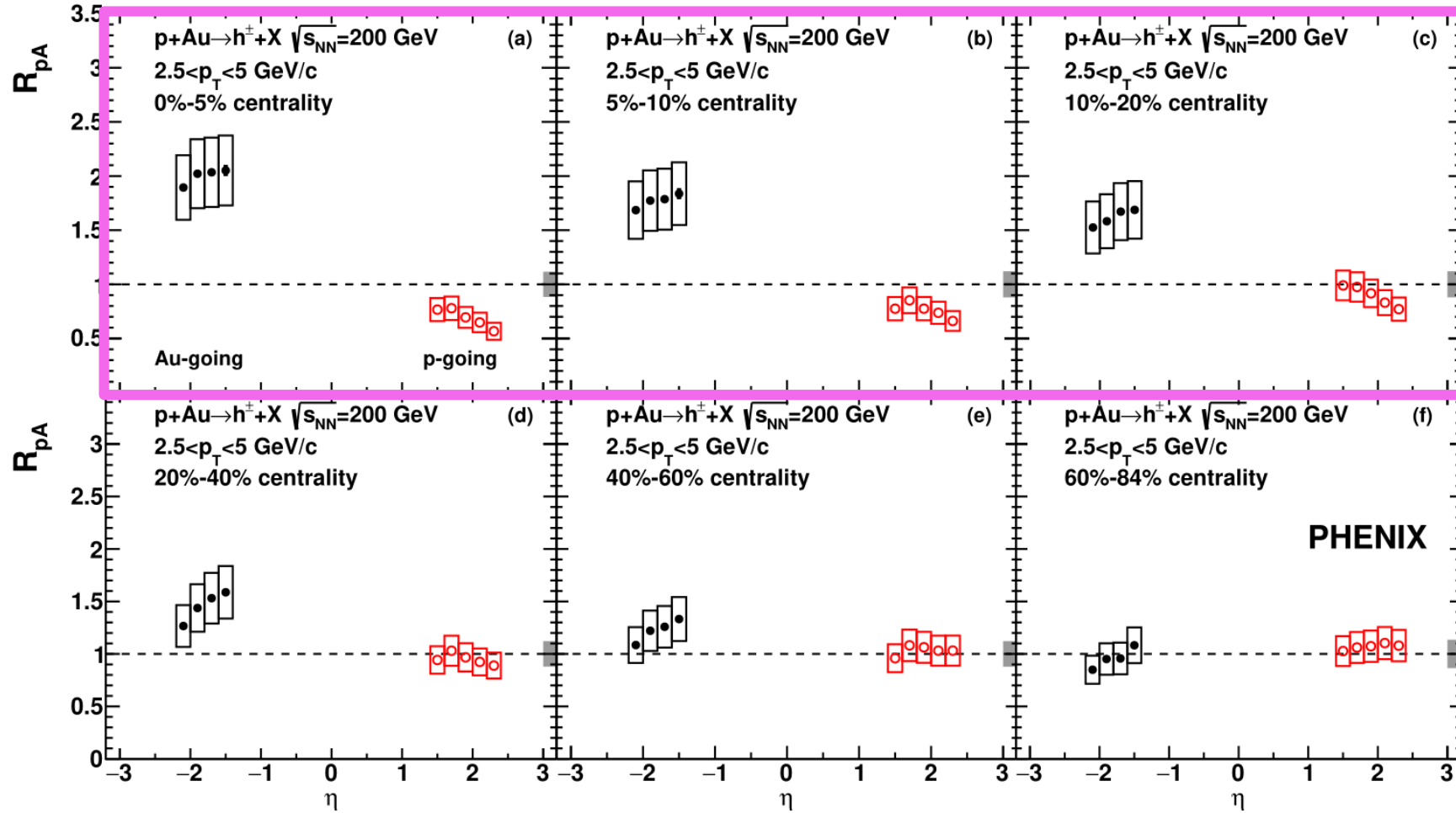
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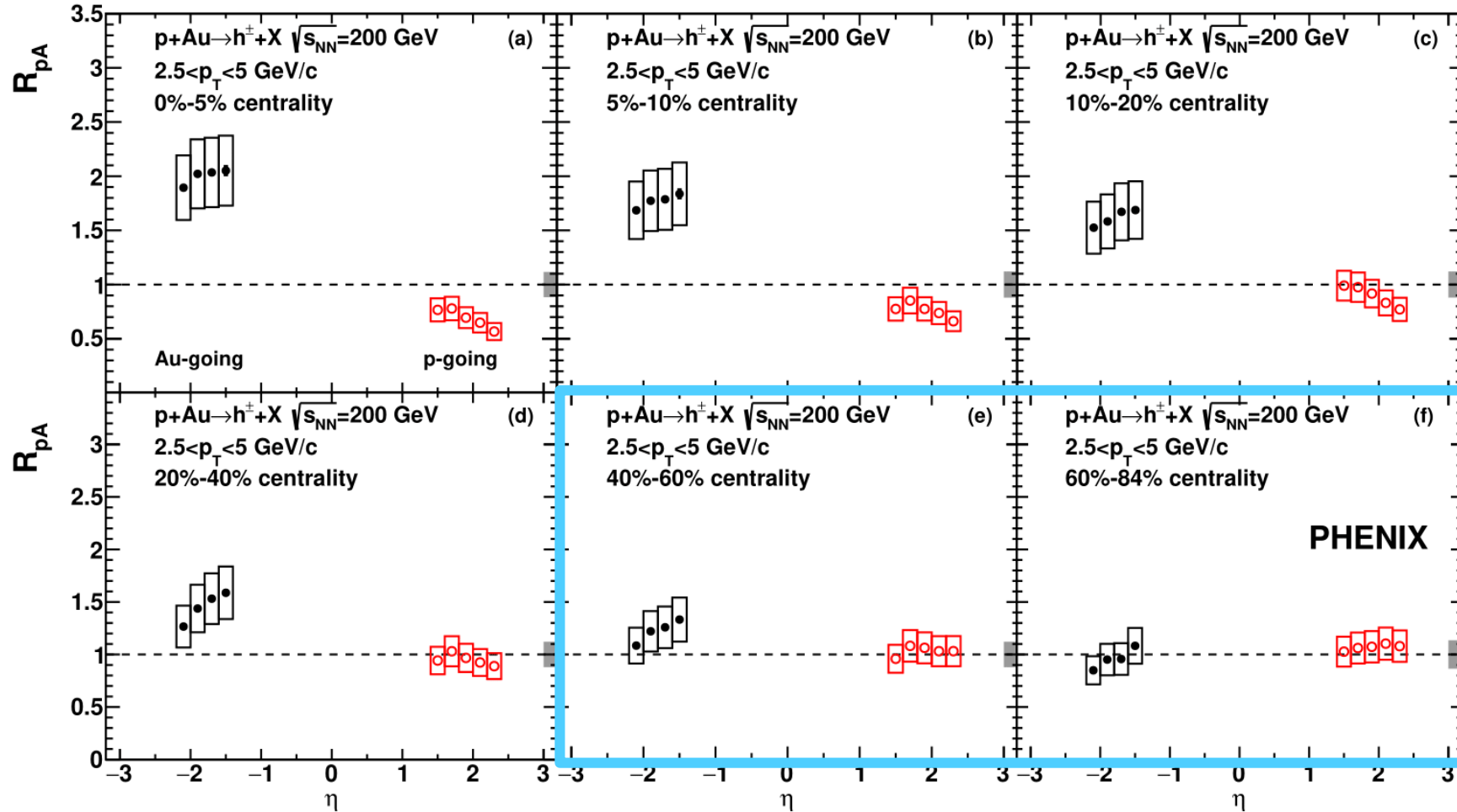
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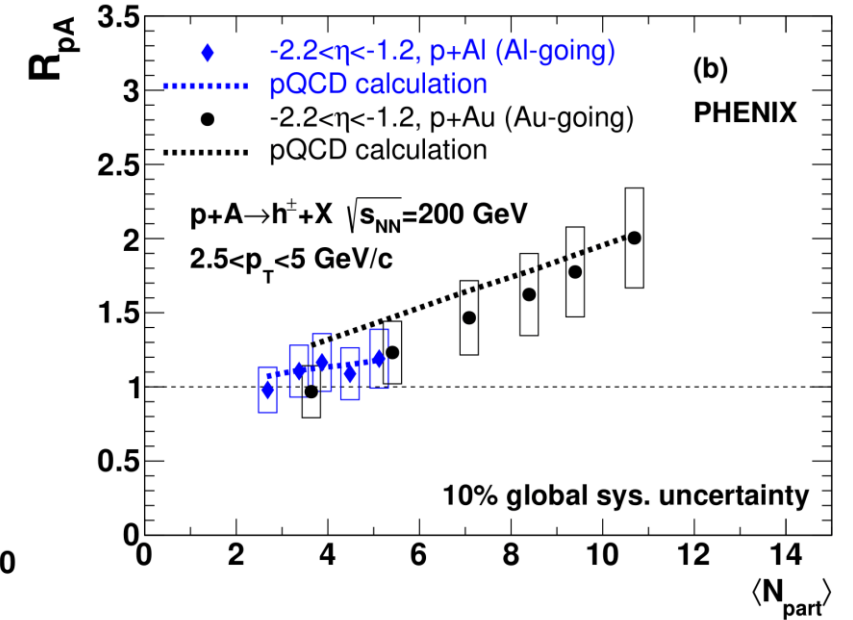
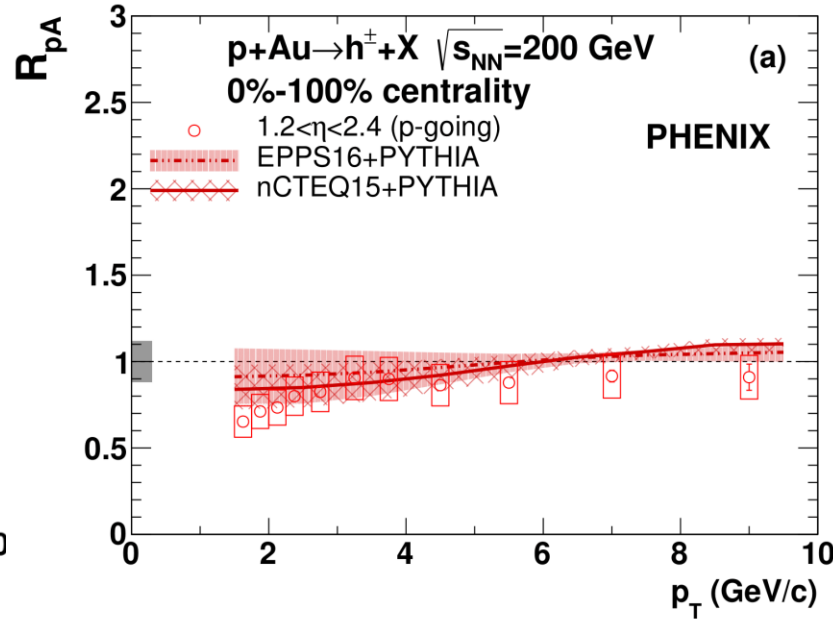
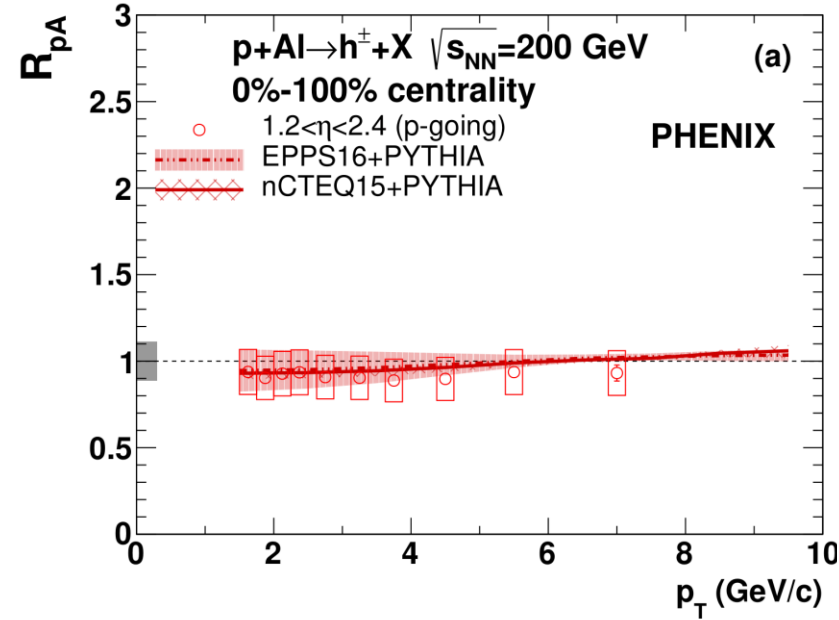
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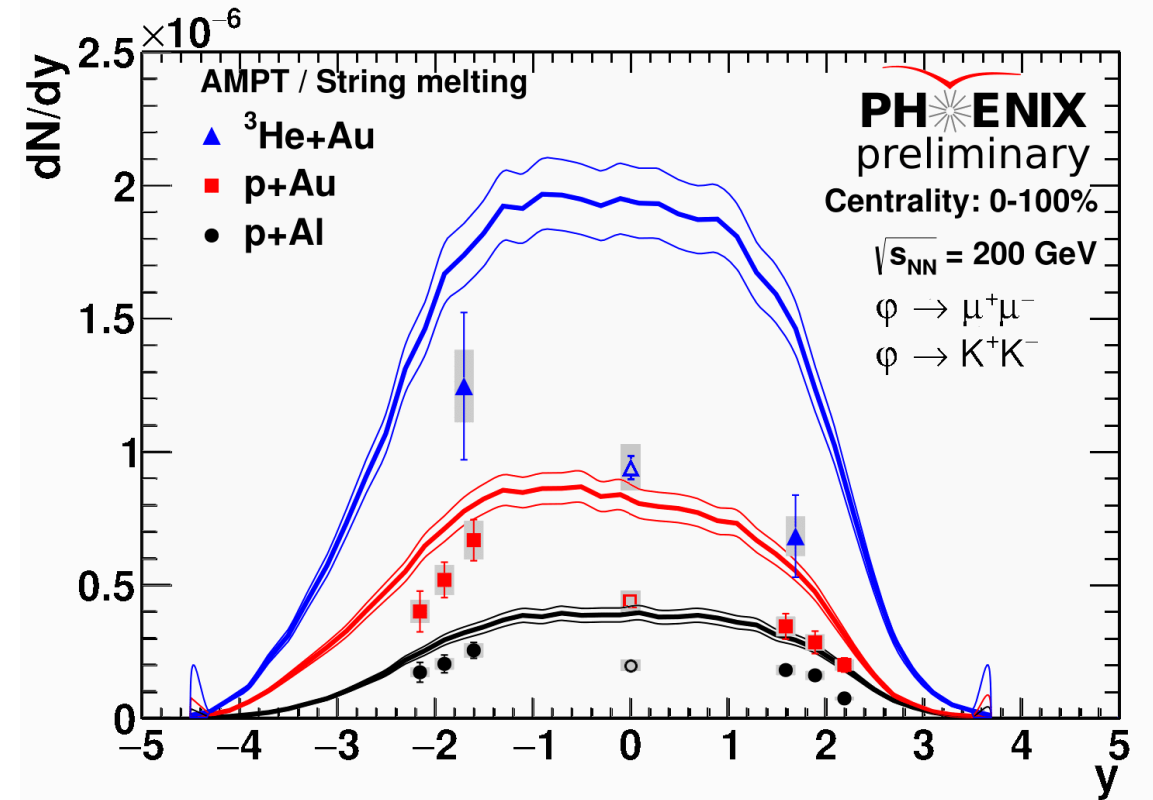
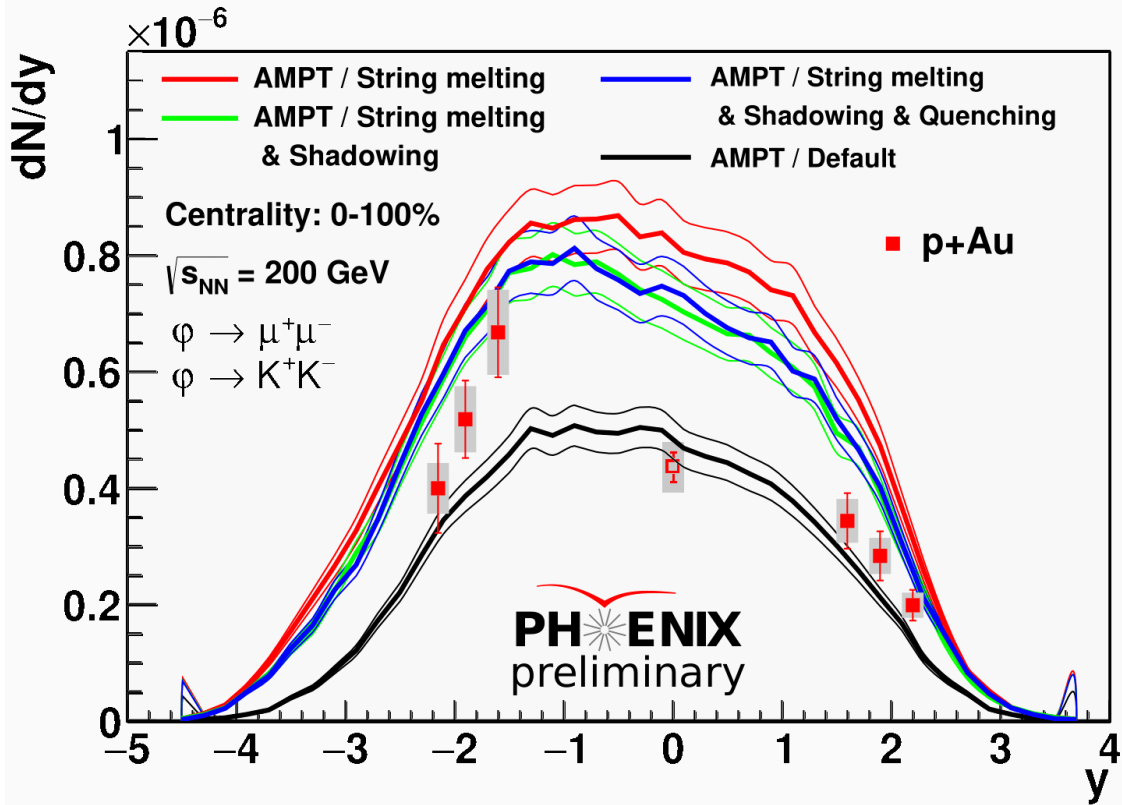
$h^\pm R_{AB}$ in p-going direction is described by EPPS16+PYTHIA and nCTEQ15+PYTHIA

$\langle R_{AB} \rangle$ vs. N_{part} in A-going direction is described by pQCD multi scattering calculations

- Integrated π^0 R_{AB} seem to:
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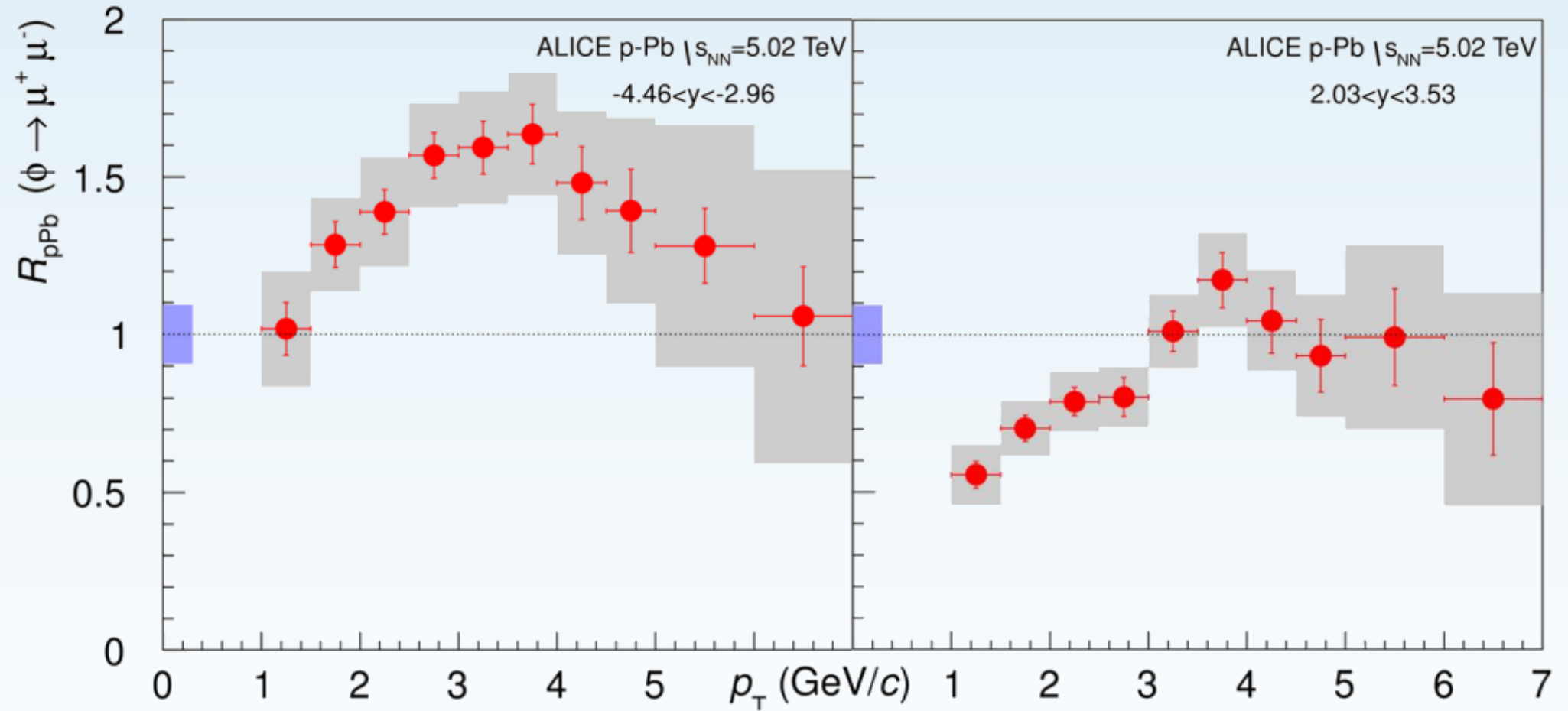
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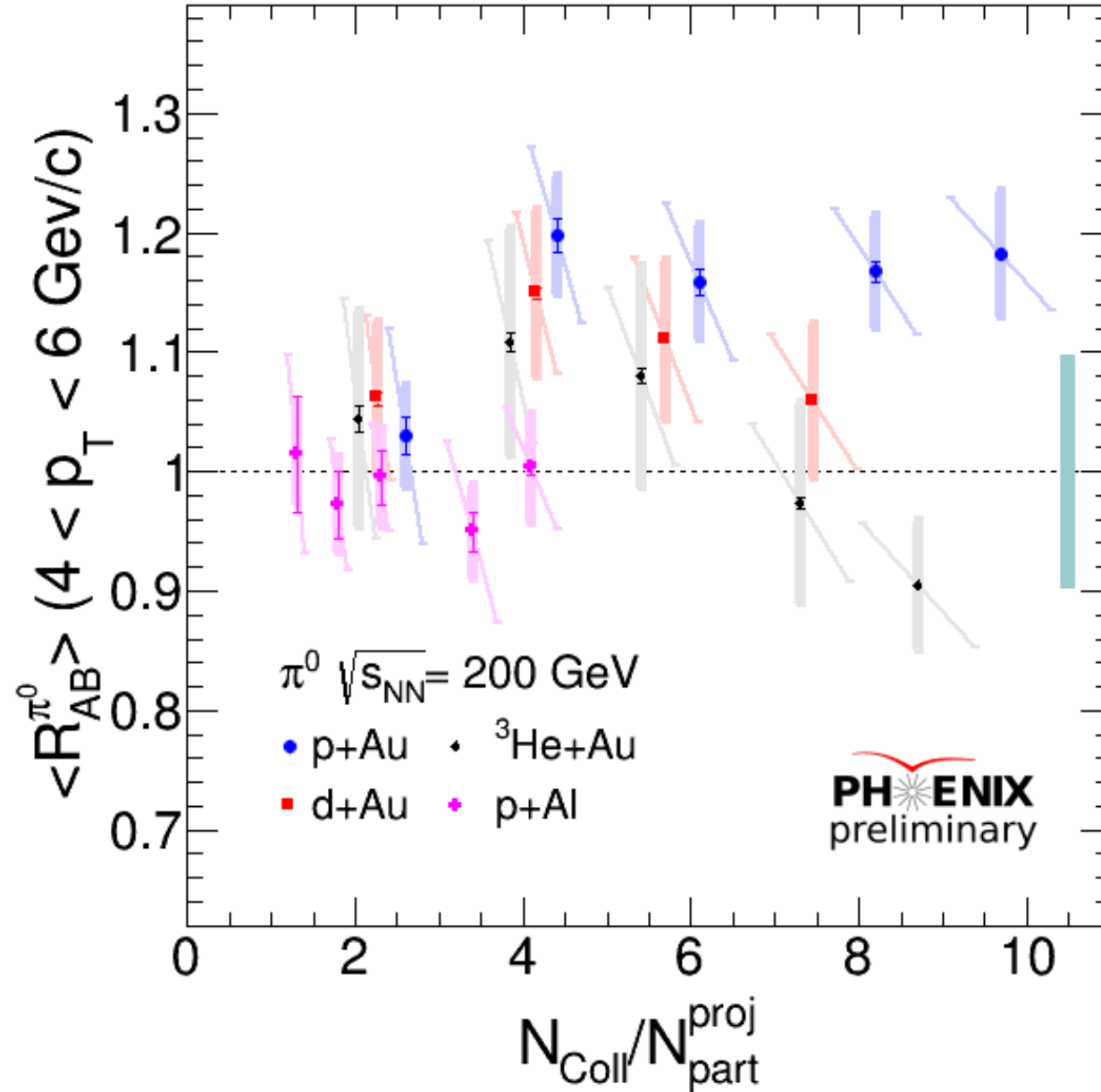
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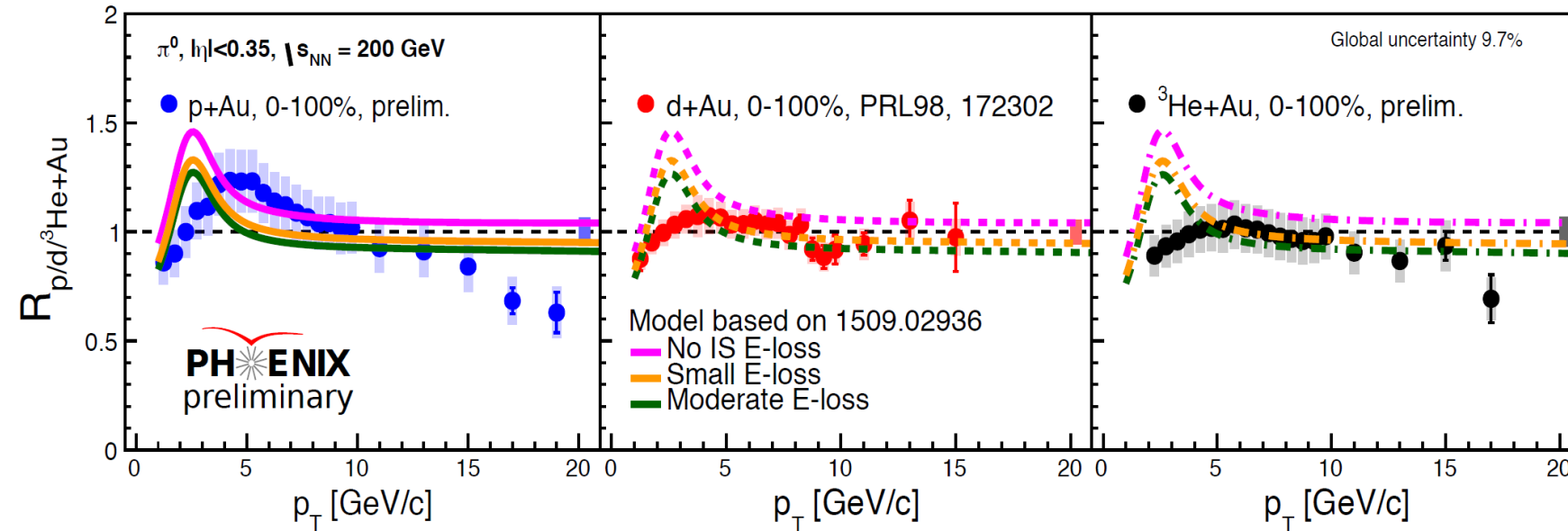
ϕ $dN/dy(\eta)$ in p+Al, p+Au, $^3\text{He}+\text{Au}$

Using these data sets allow to discriminate the various CNM effects included in models like AMPT and EPOS.

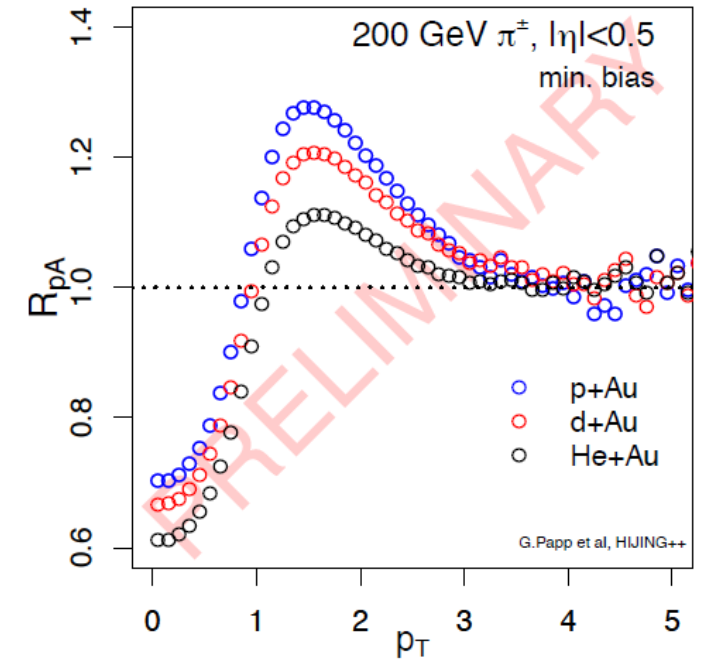




Cold Nuclear E-loss



HIJING++ simulation



model	Ordering	Peak position	High- p_T
Cold Nuclear E-loss	X	X	V
HIJING++	V	X	X

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p+Au, d+Au, $^3\text{He}+\text{Au}$