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Probing longitudinal distributions and correlations of net charges in the early-stage of heavy ion collisions

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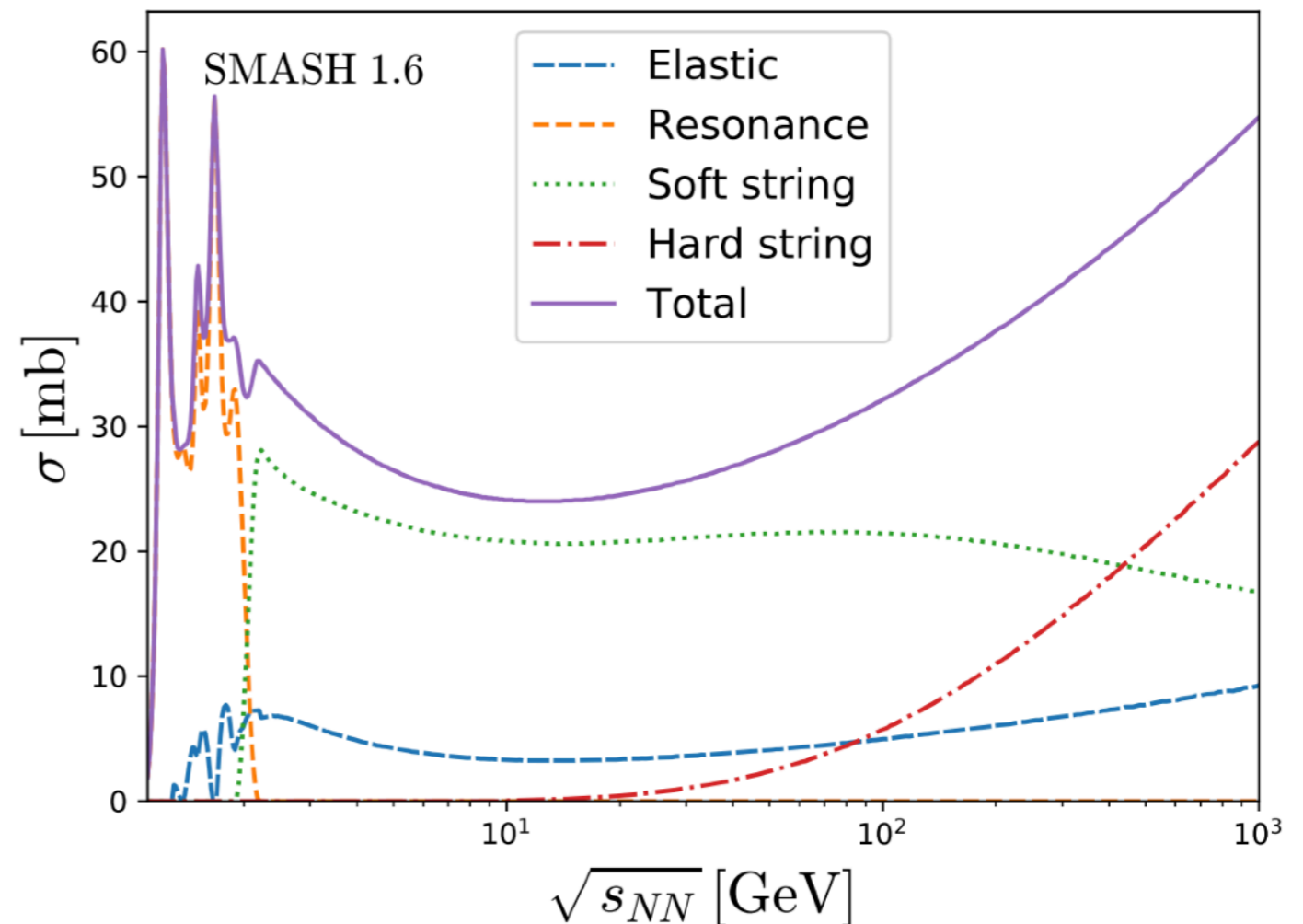
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Introduction and motivation

- Conserved charges (net baryon, strangeness, etc.) have non-trivial longitudinal distributions in heavy-ion collisions at intermediate and low energies.
- We explore how those distributions evolve using the SMASH microscopic transport (for hadronic system). Weil J *et al.*, Phys. Rev. C94 054905 (2016)

Particle production mechanisms

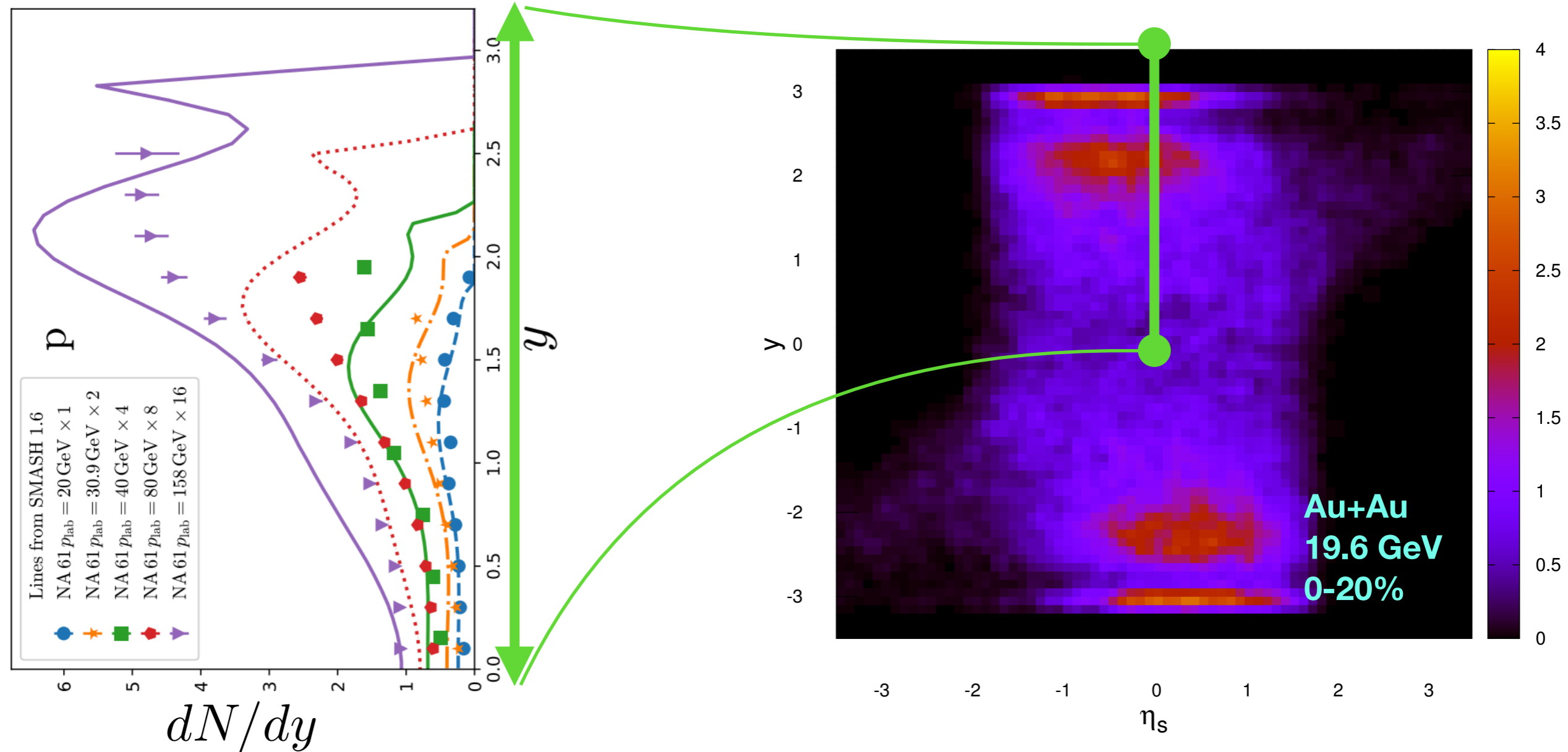
- resonance excitations and decays for low collision energies
- string excitations and fragmentations for high collision energies
- (anisotropic) elastic collisions



Results : net baryon transport in early stage spacetime-momentum rapidity correlation

Early-time momentum-space distribution of net baryon is similar to that from nucleon-nucleon collisions.

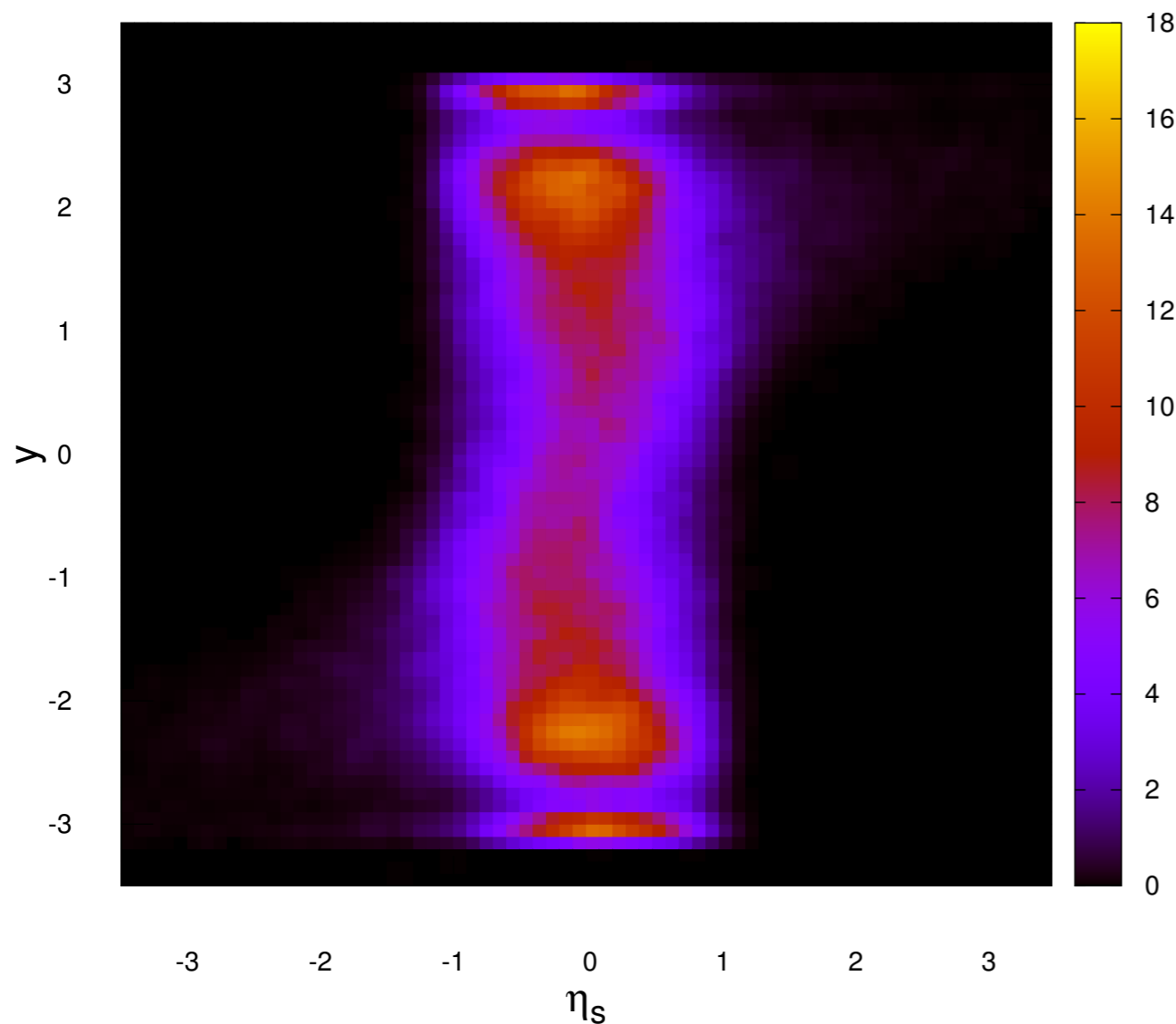
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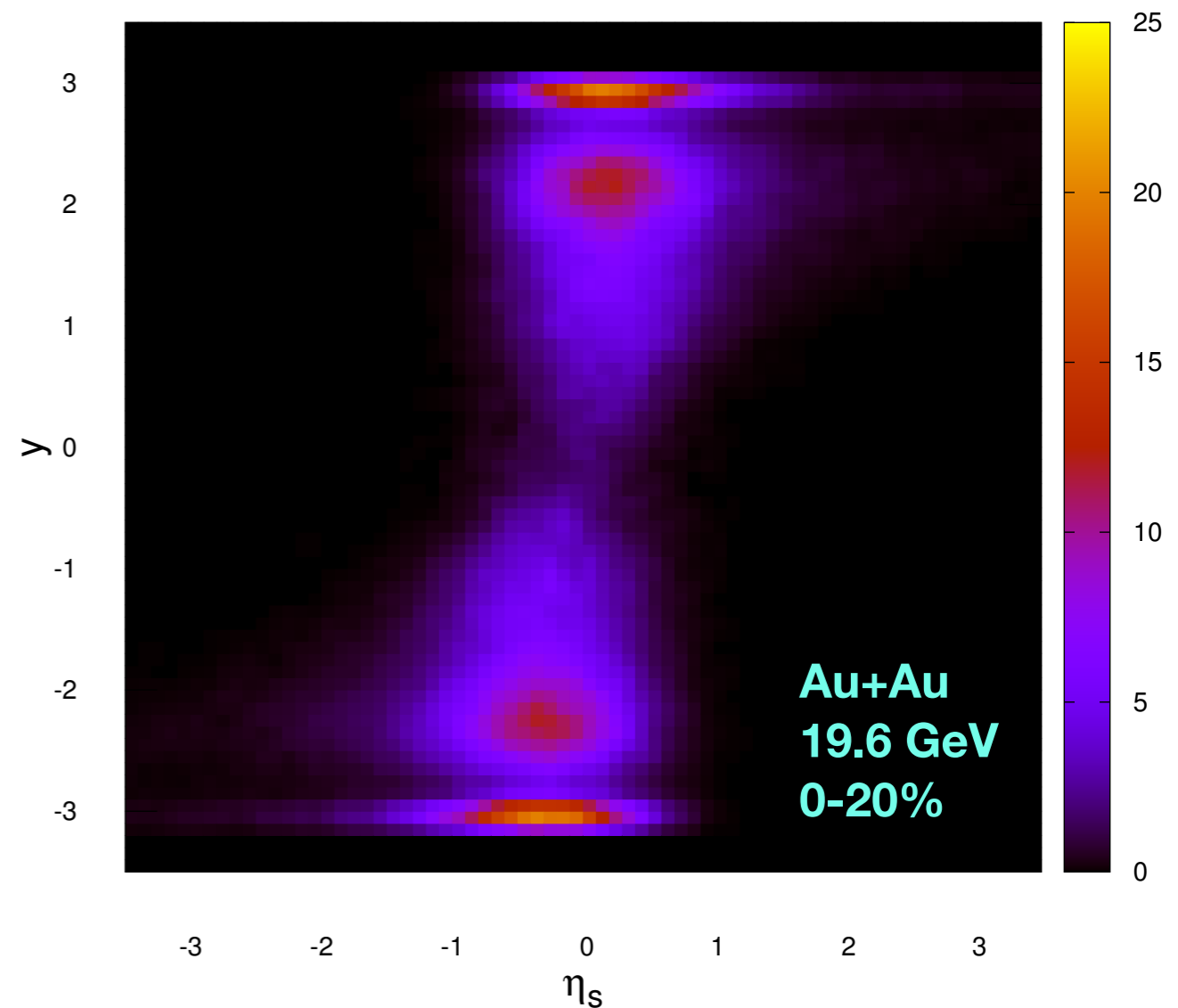
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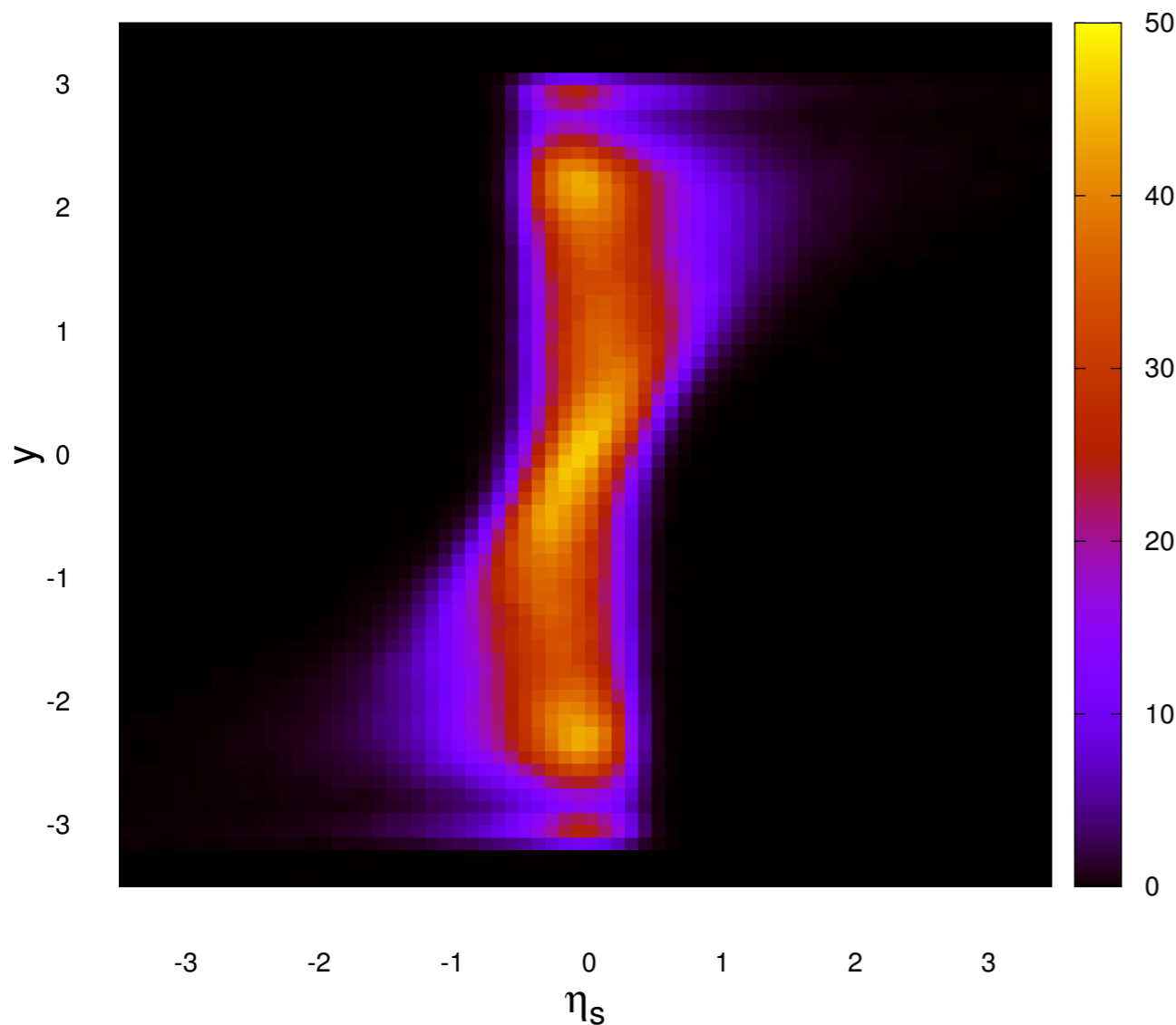


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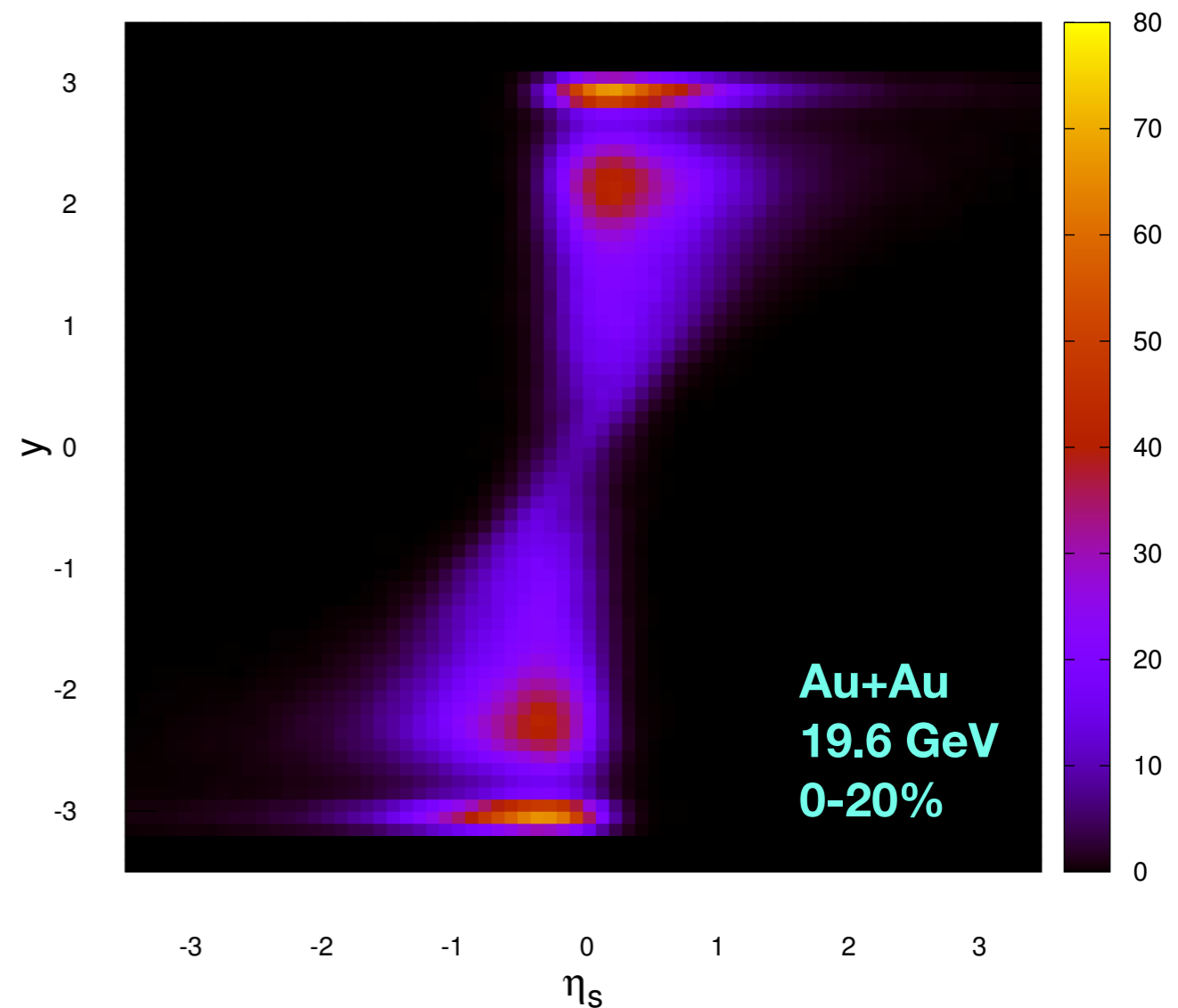
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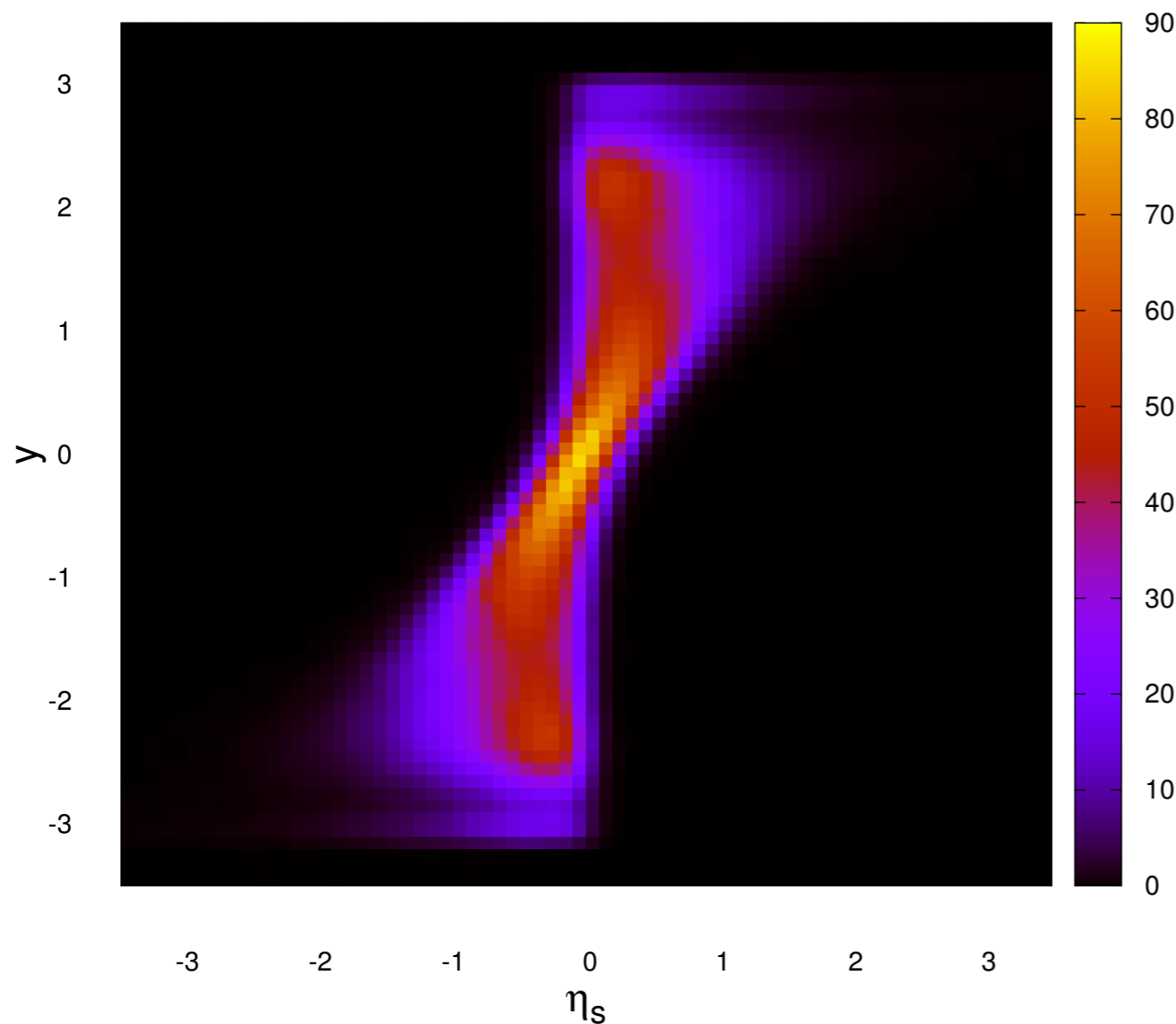


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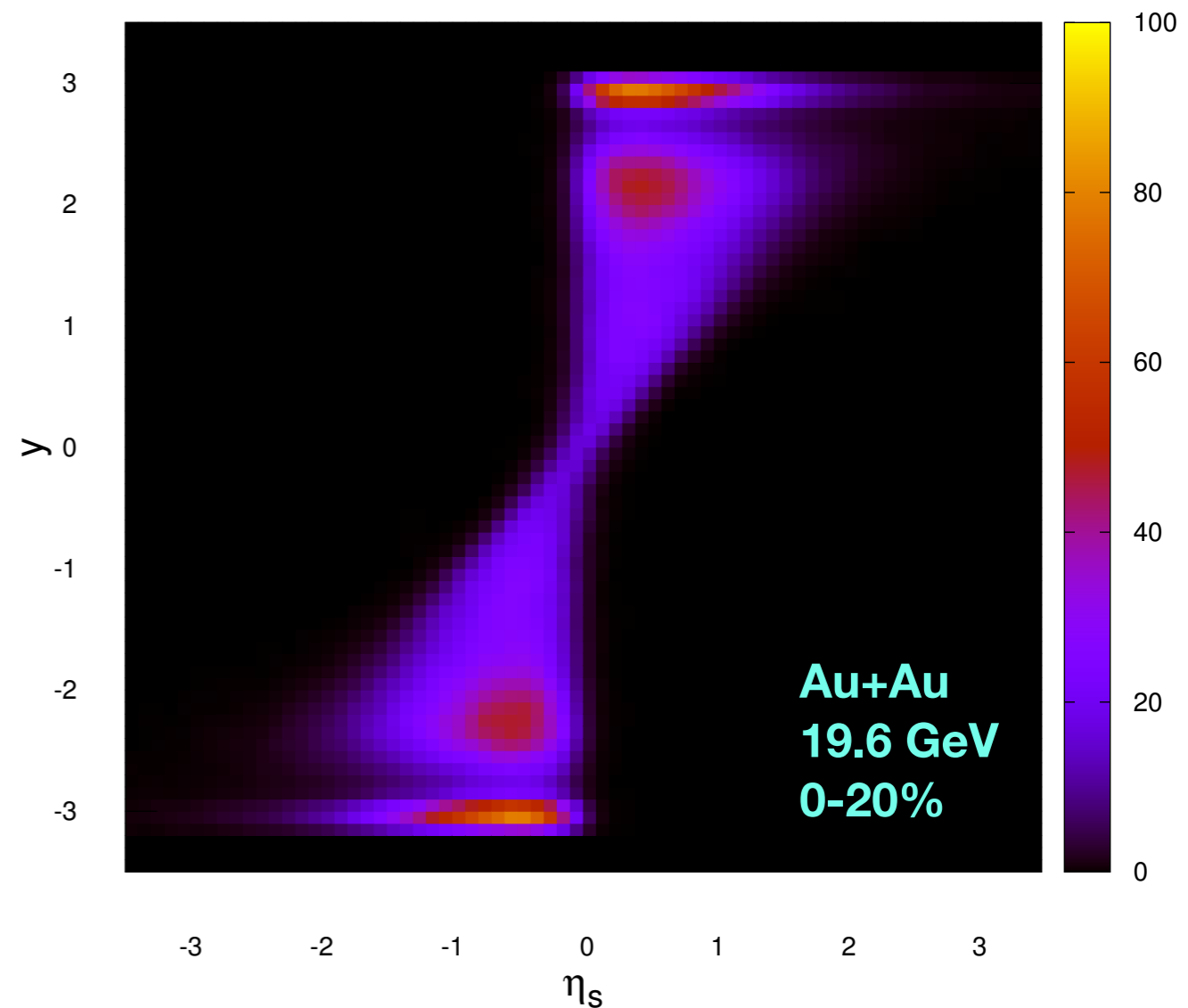
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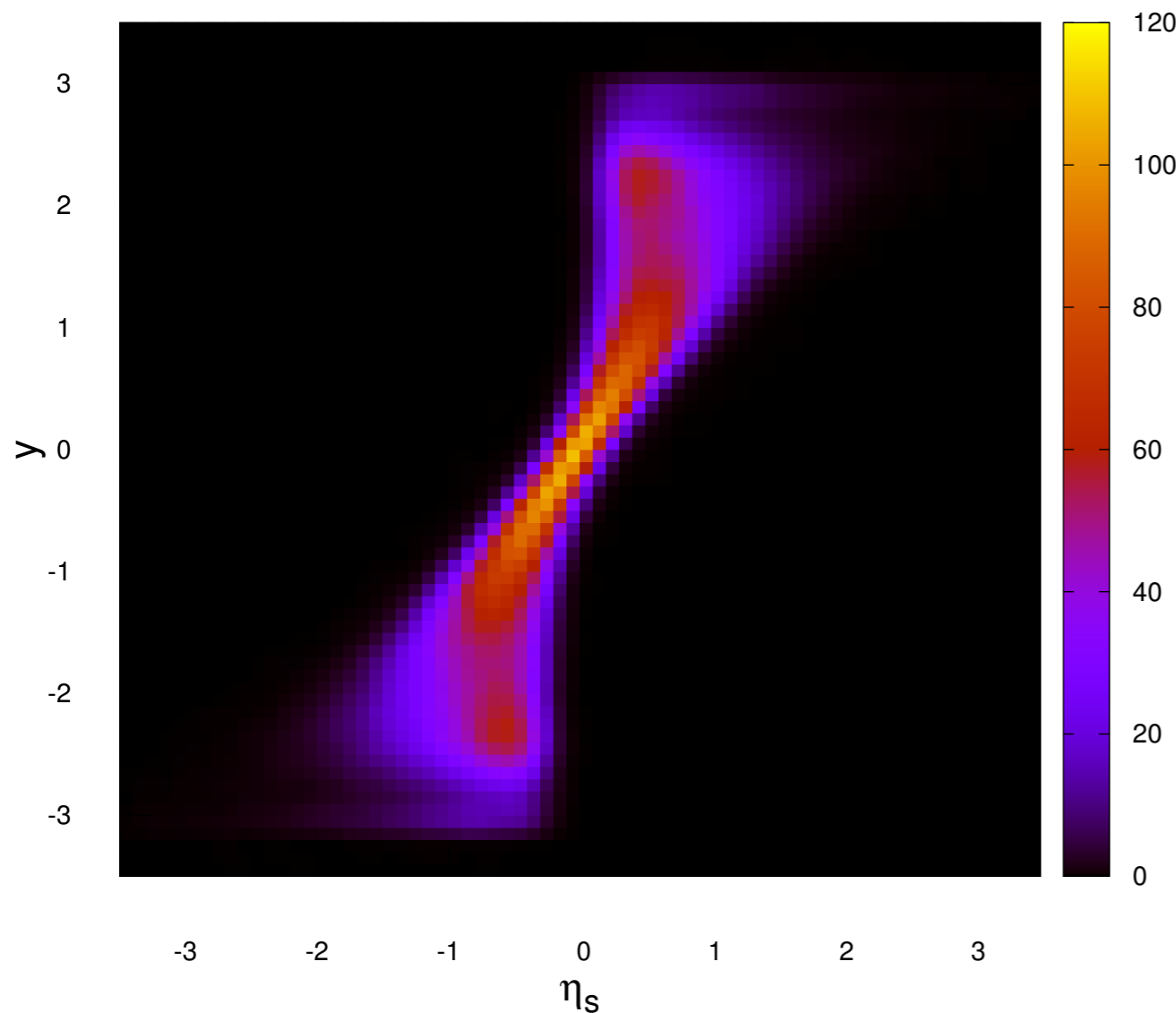


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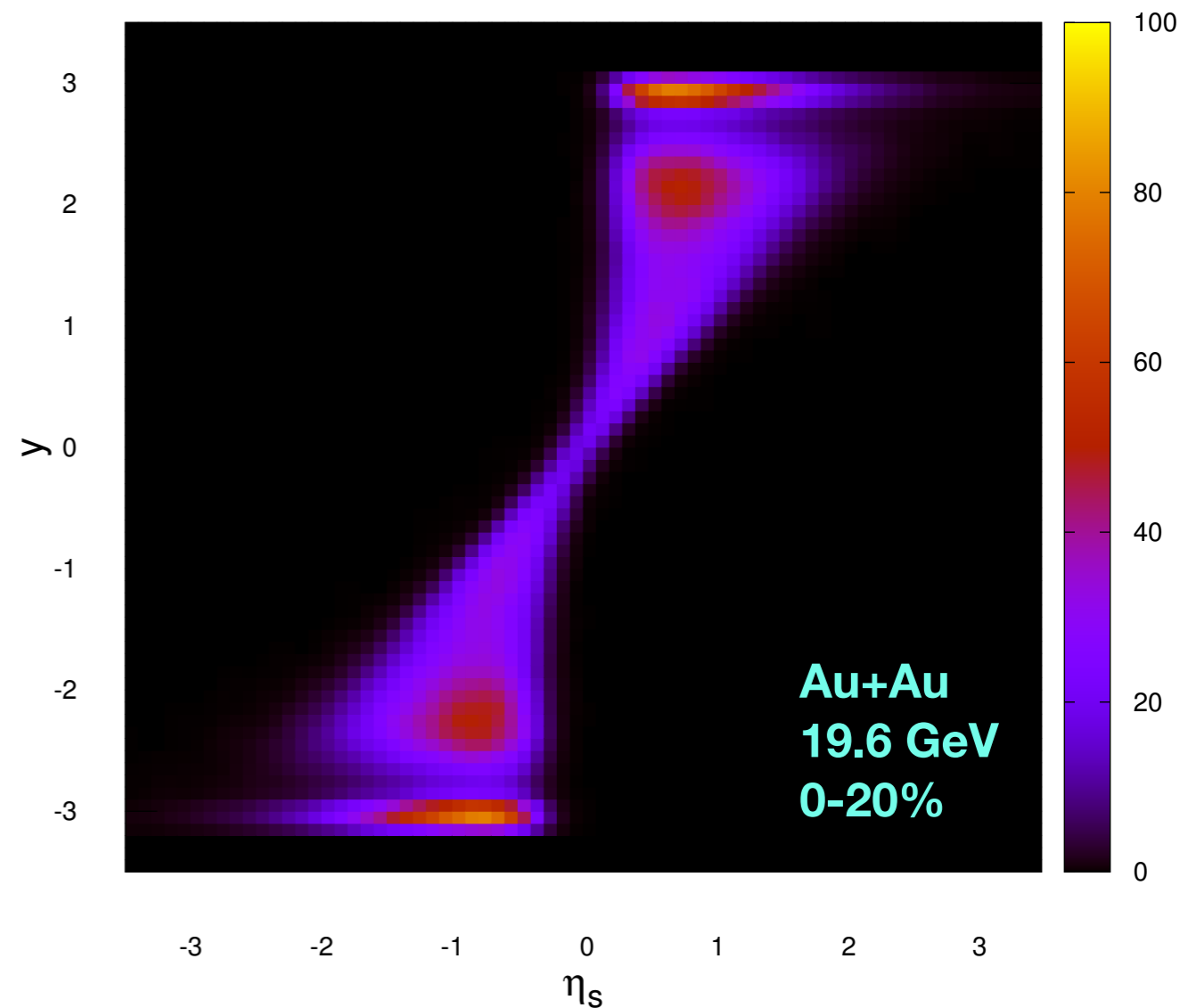
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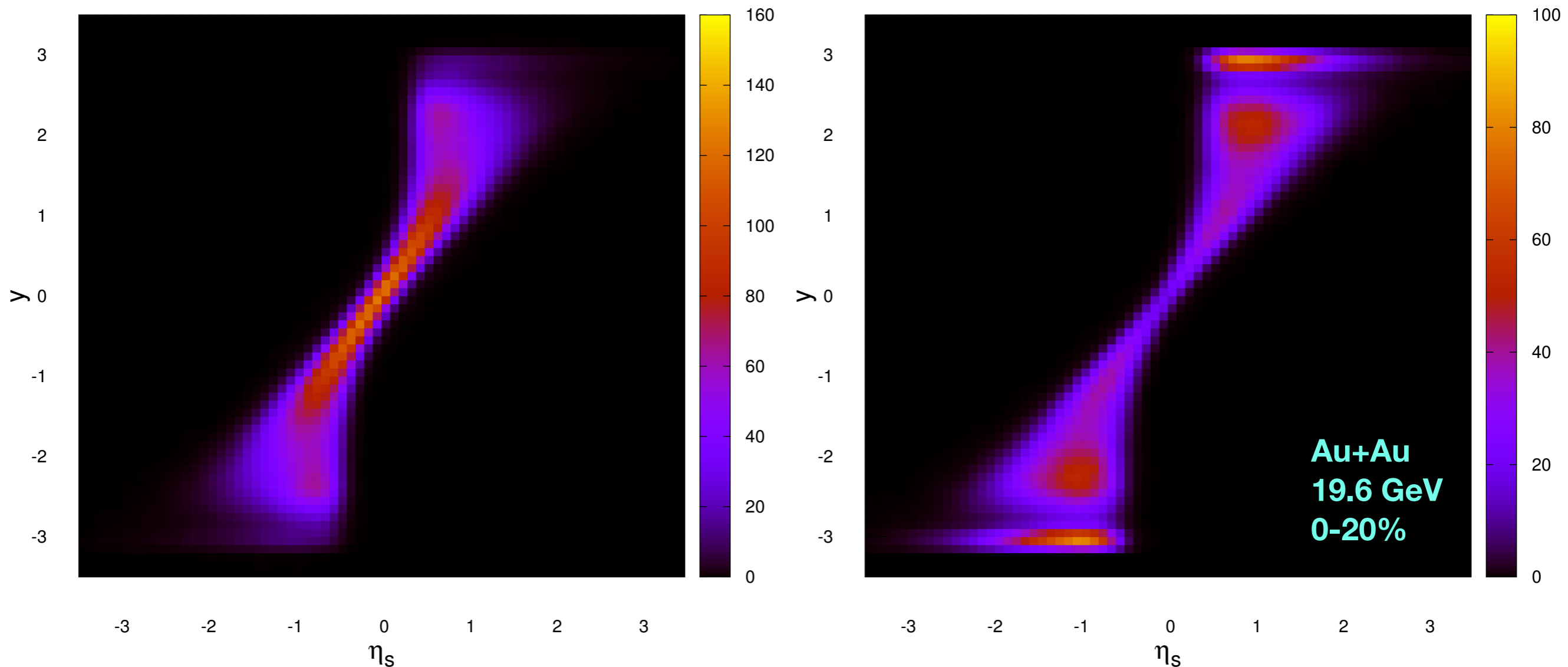


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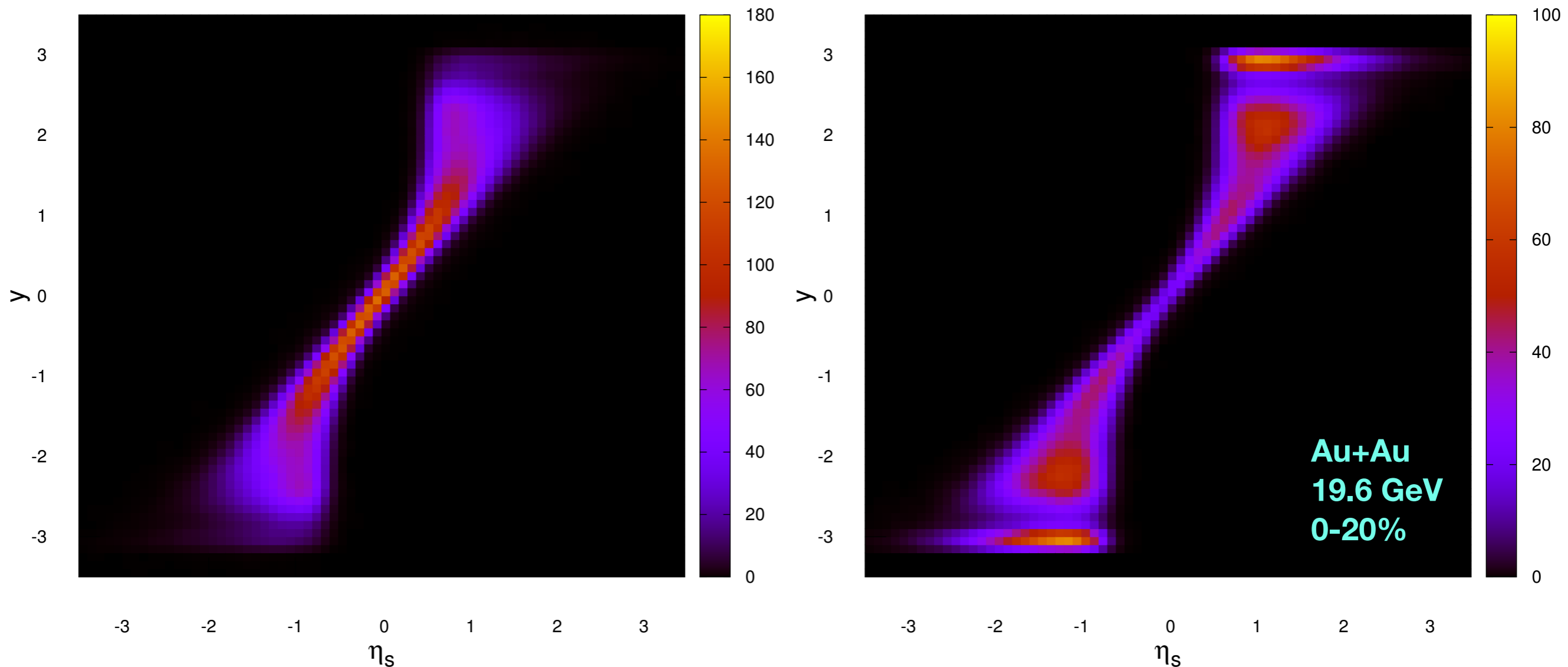
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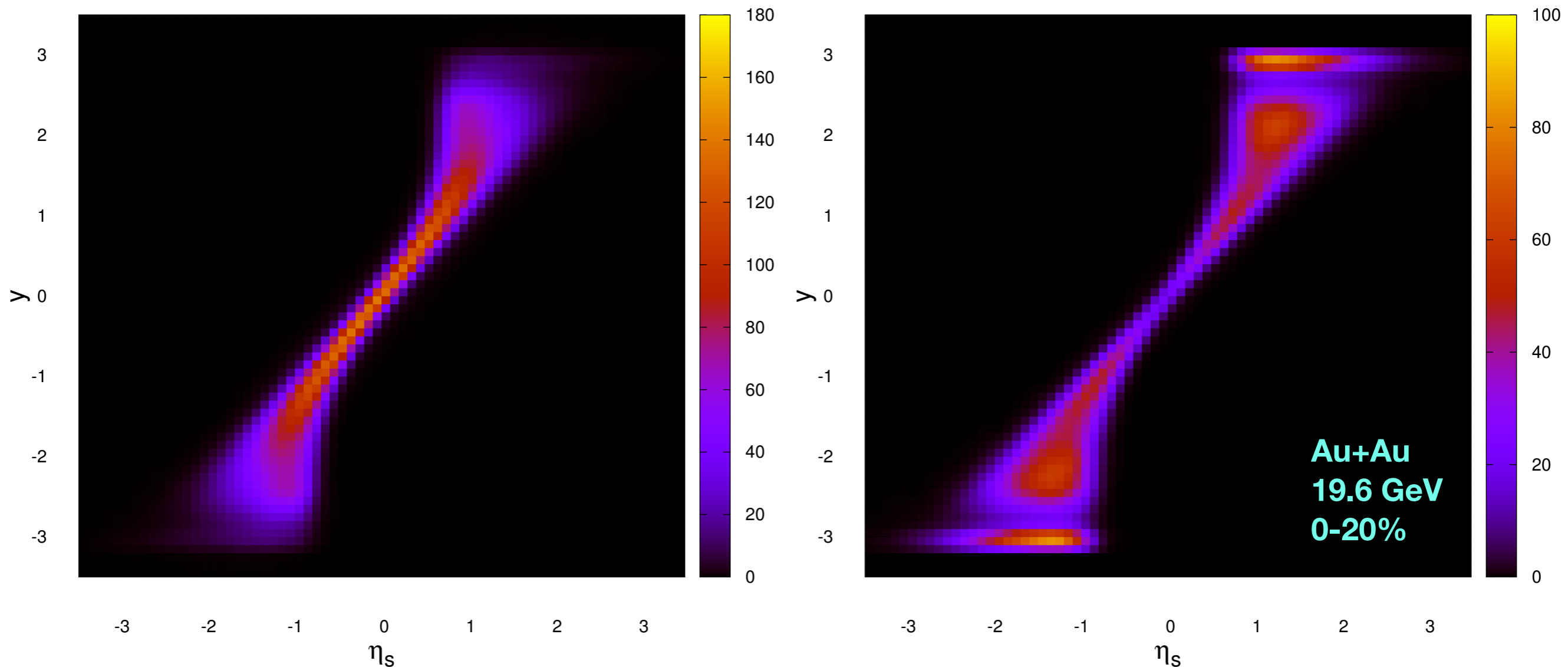
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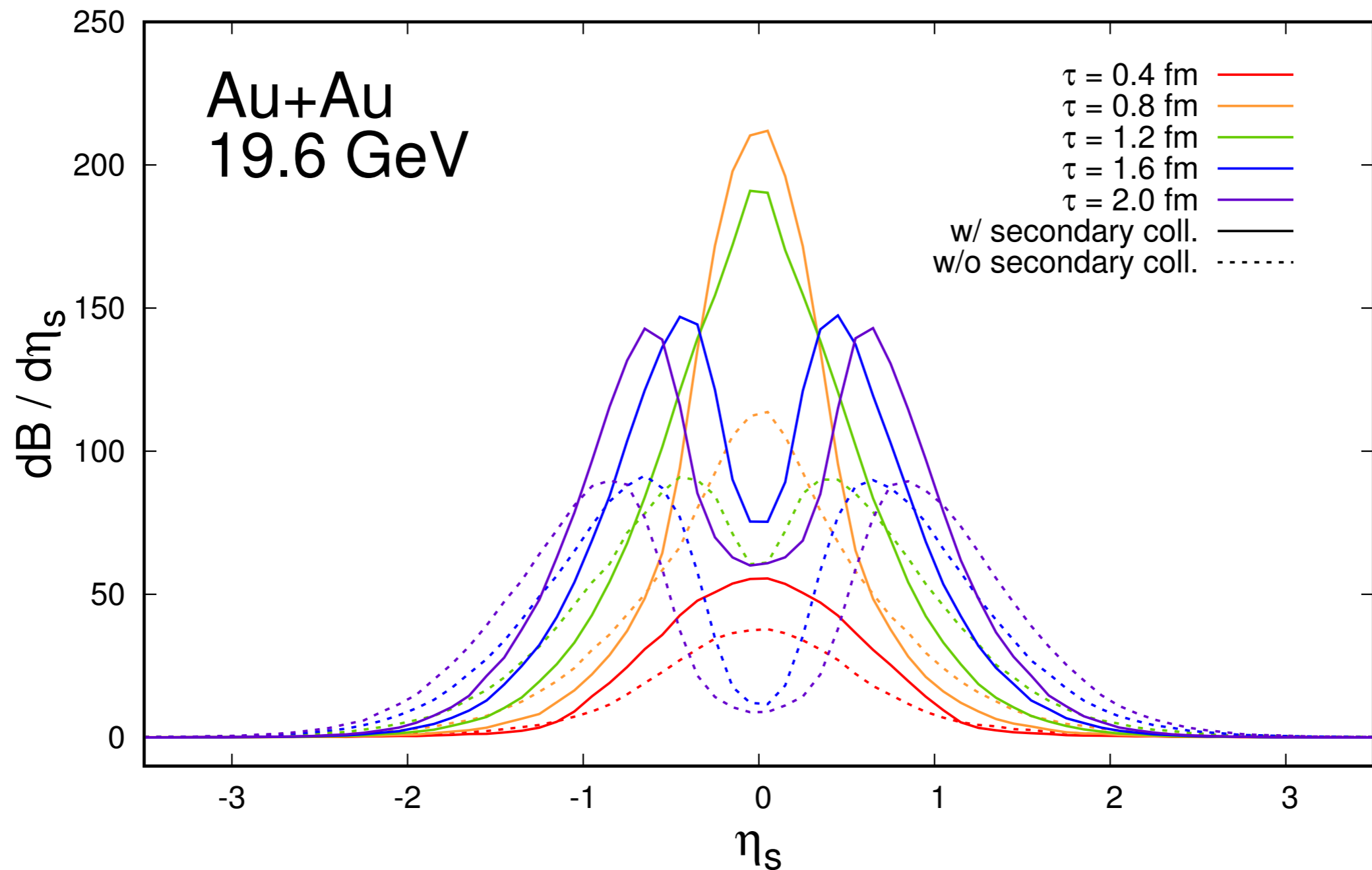
Conclusions

- We study early-time longitudinal dynamics of net baryon number with the microscopic transport SMASH, in which particles are produced through resonance excitations and string fragmentations.
- Secondary collisions play crucial roles to efficiently transport net baryon number from forward to mid-rapidity in the first fm/c.

Even more story

Results : net baryon transport in early stage spacetime rapidity distribution

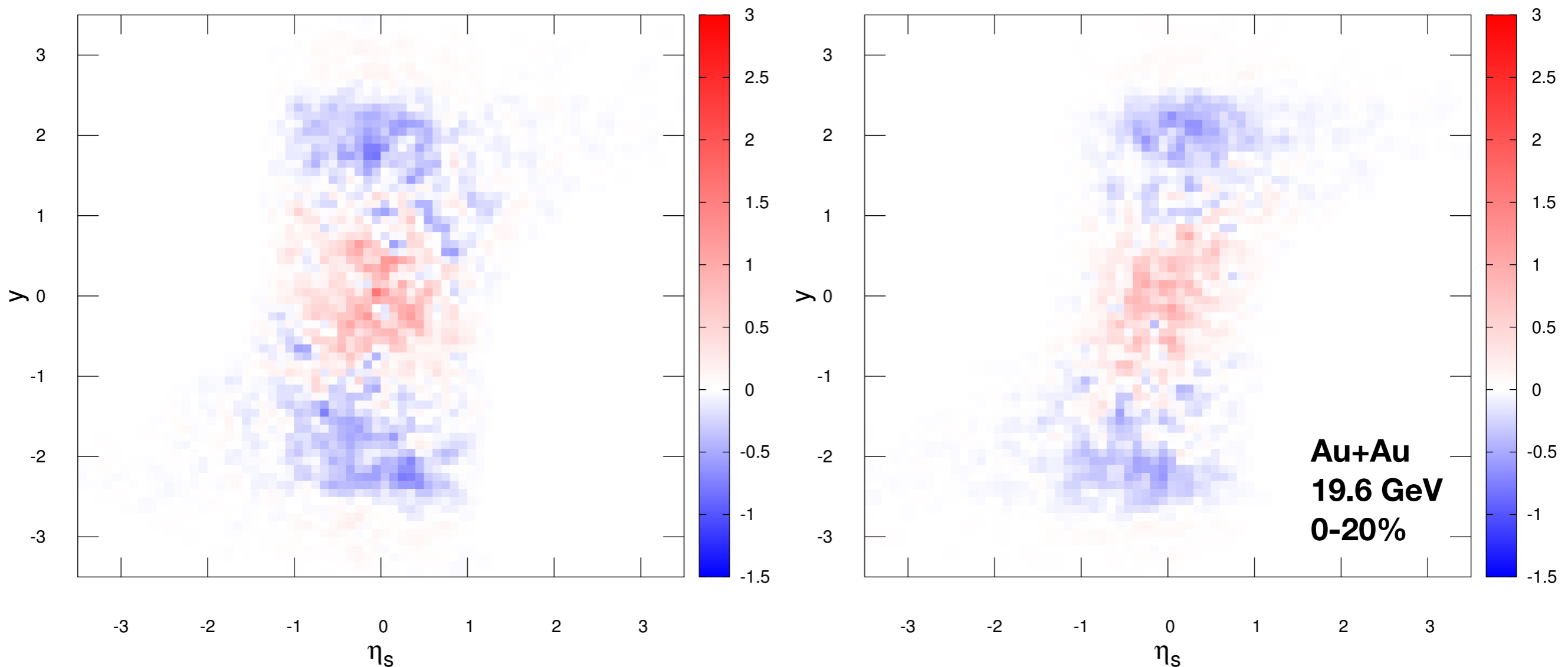
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Results : net strangeness in early stage spacetime-momentum rapidity correlation

Secondary collisions does not make as big difference as net baryon.

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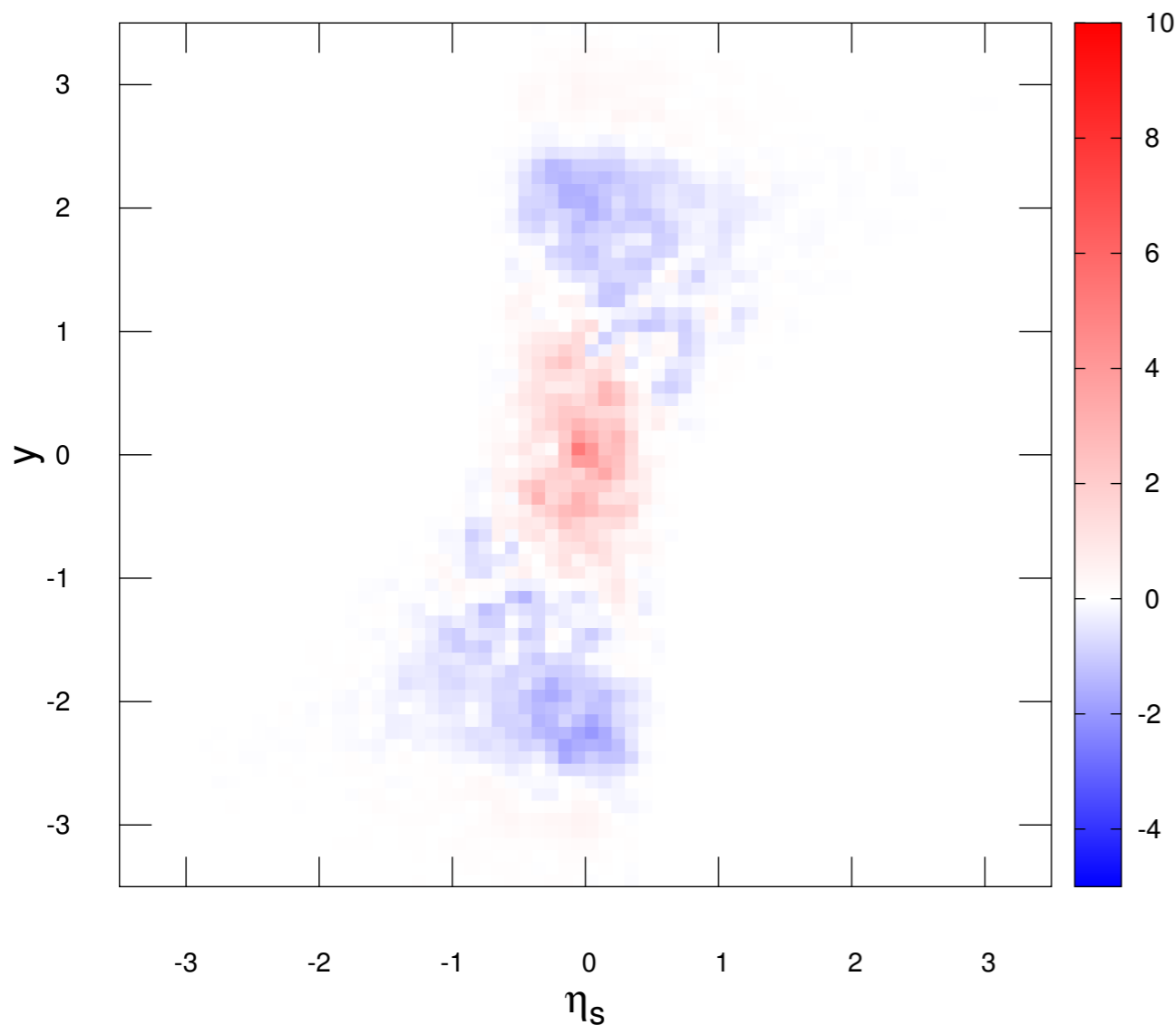
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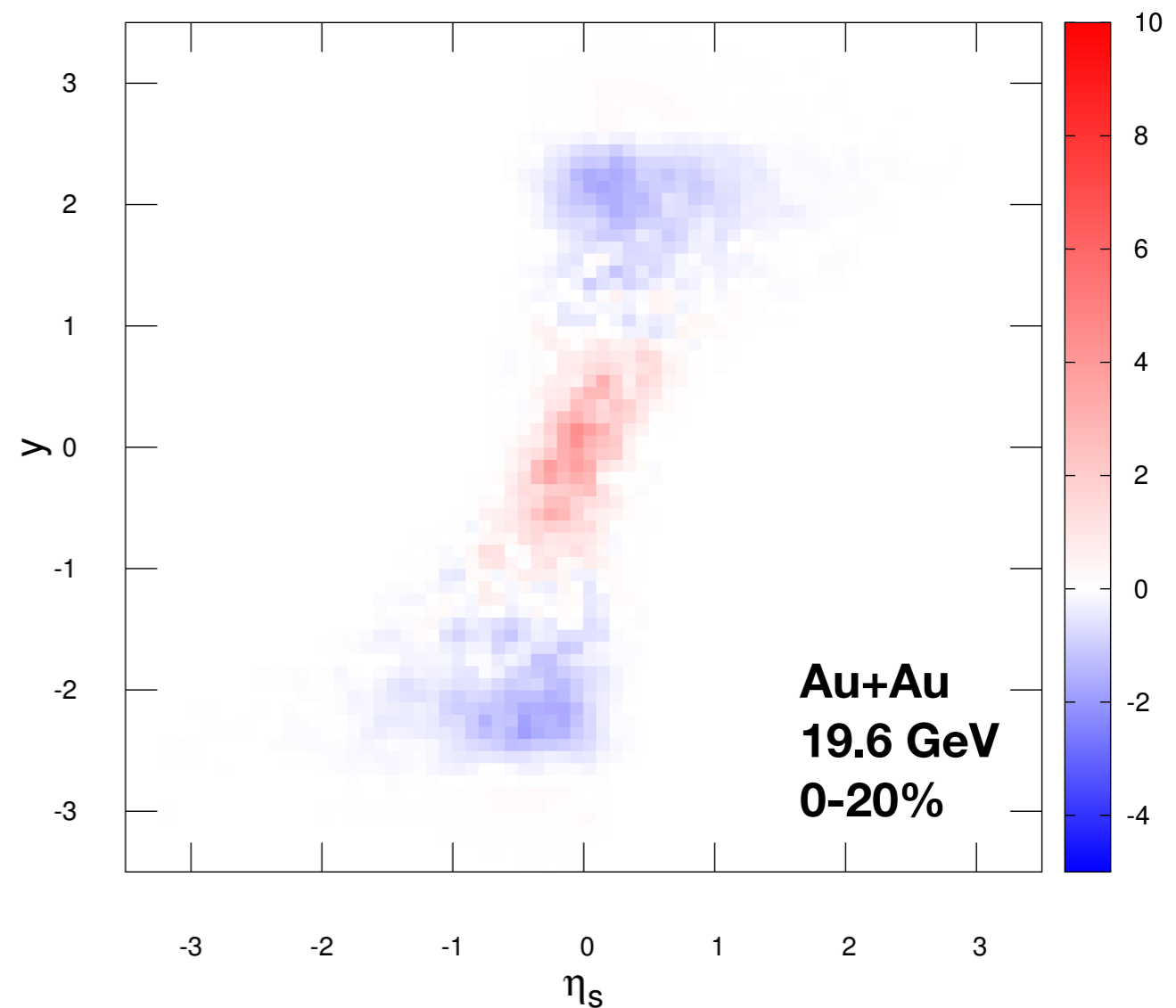
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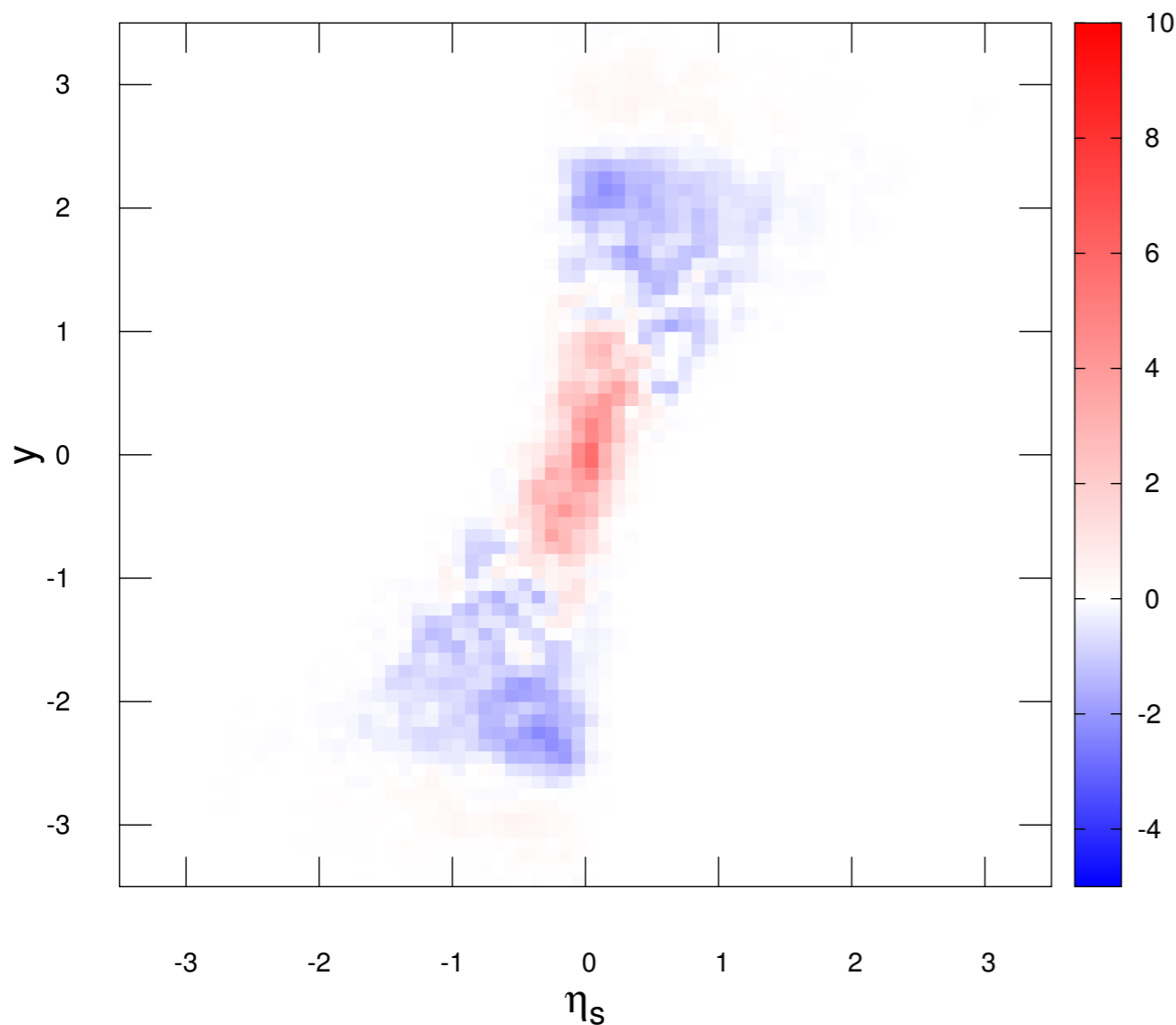


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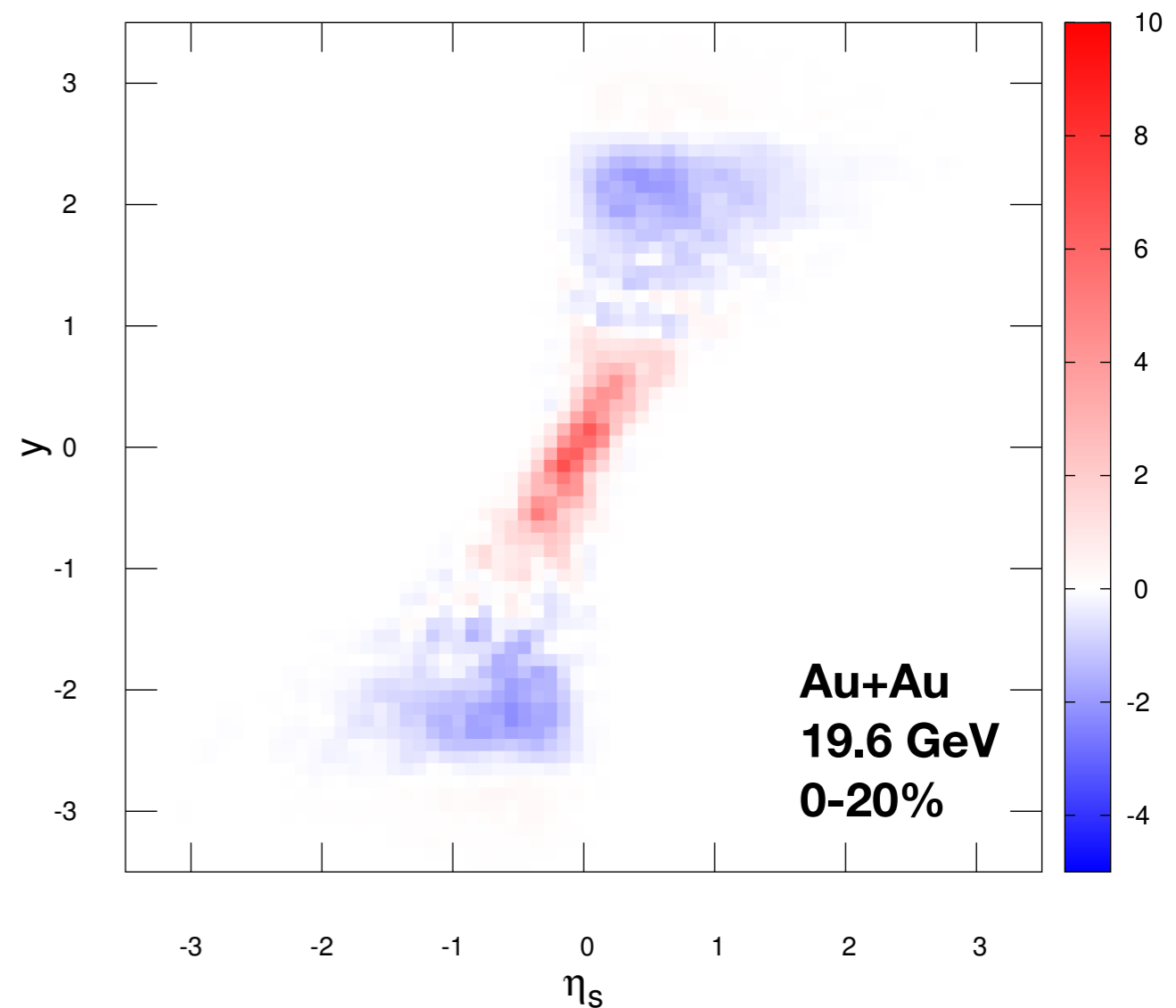
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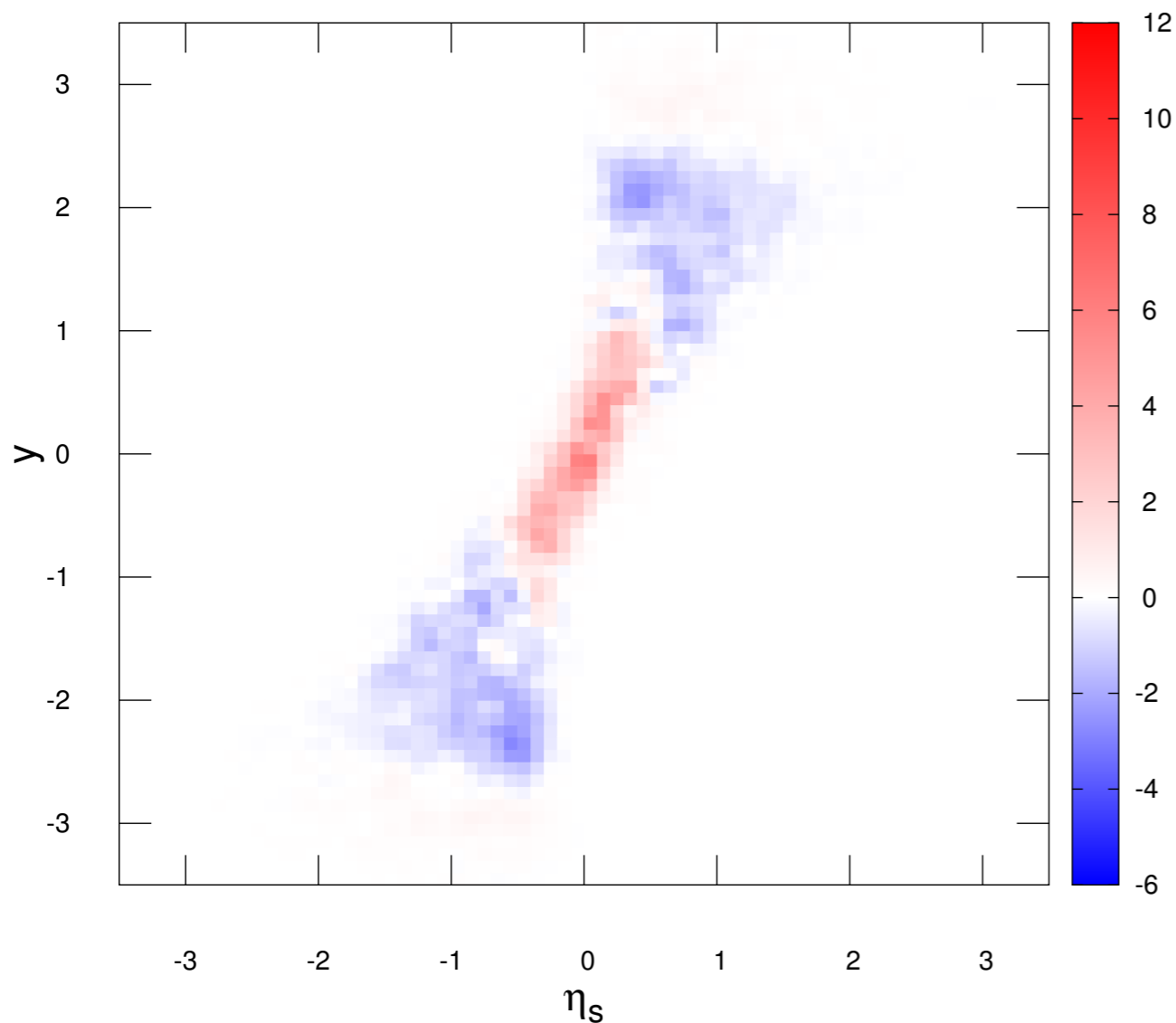
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**Au+Au
19.6 GeV
0-20%**

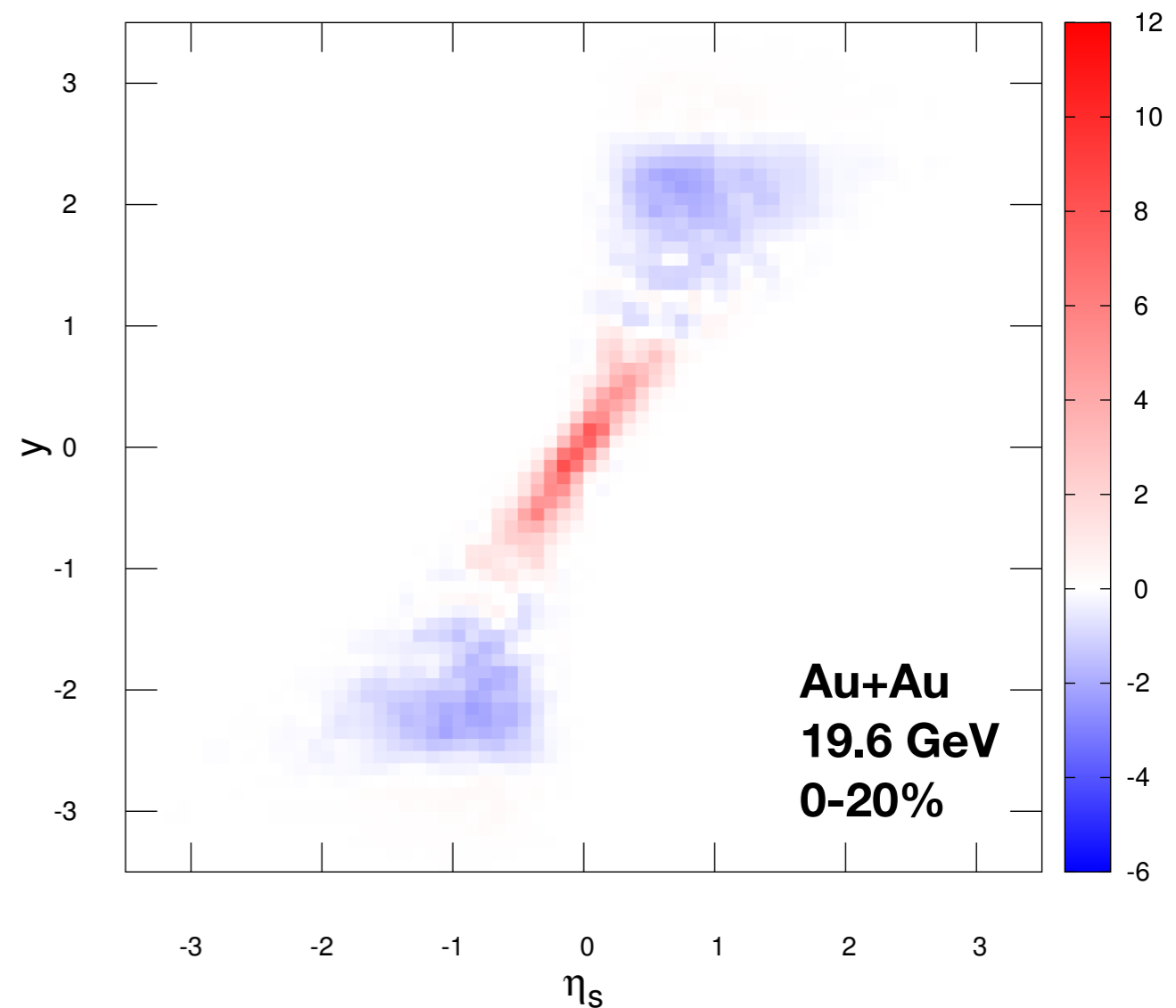
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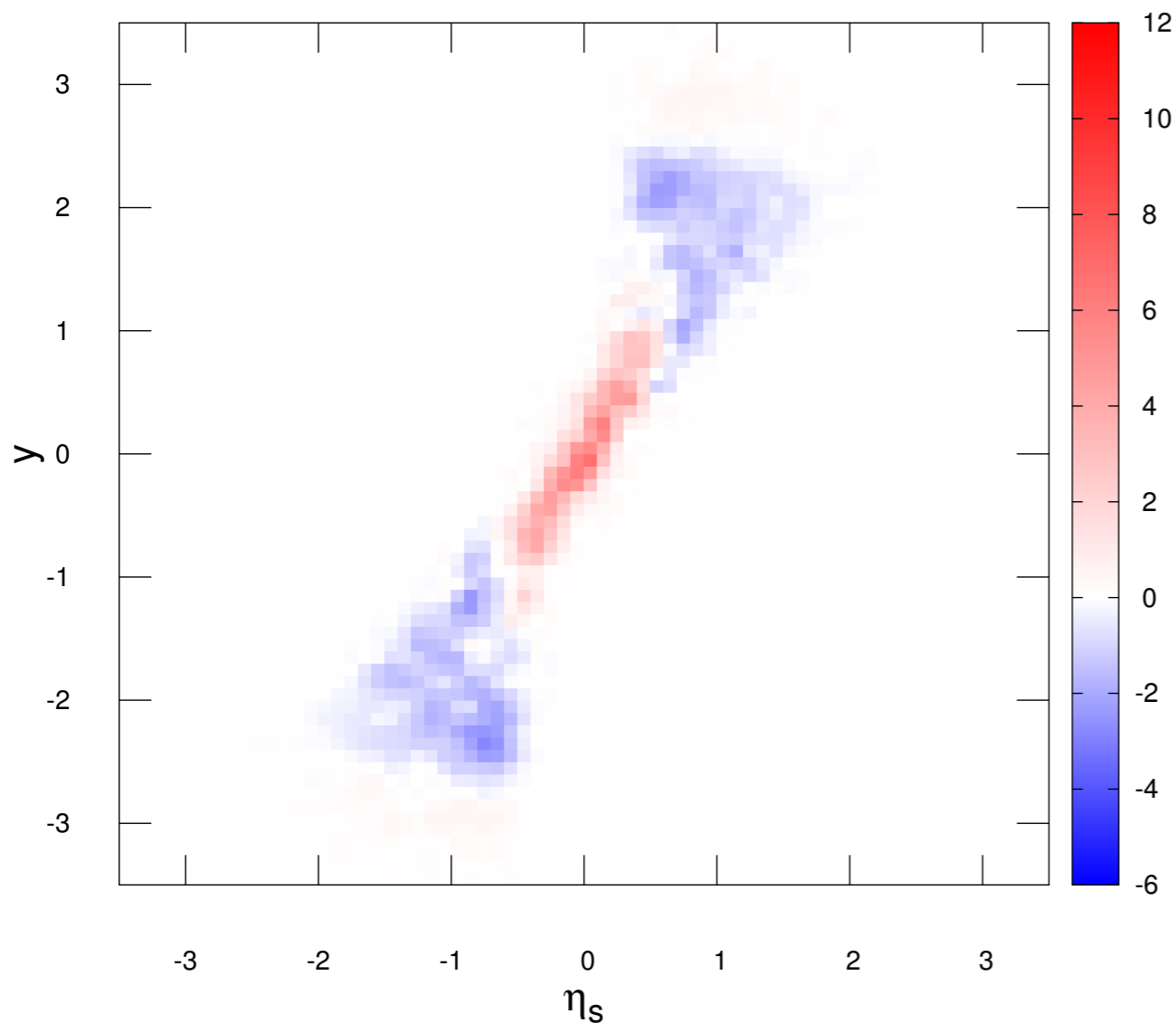


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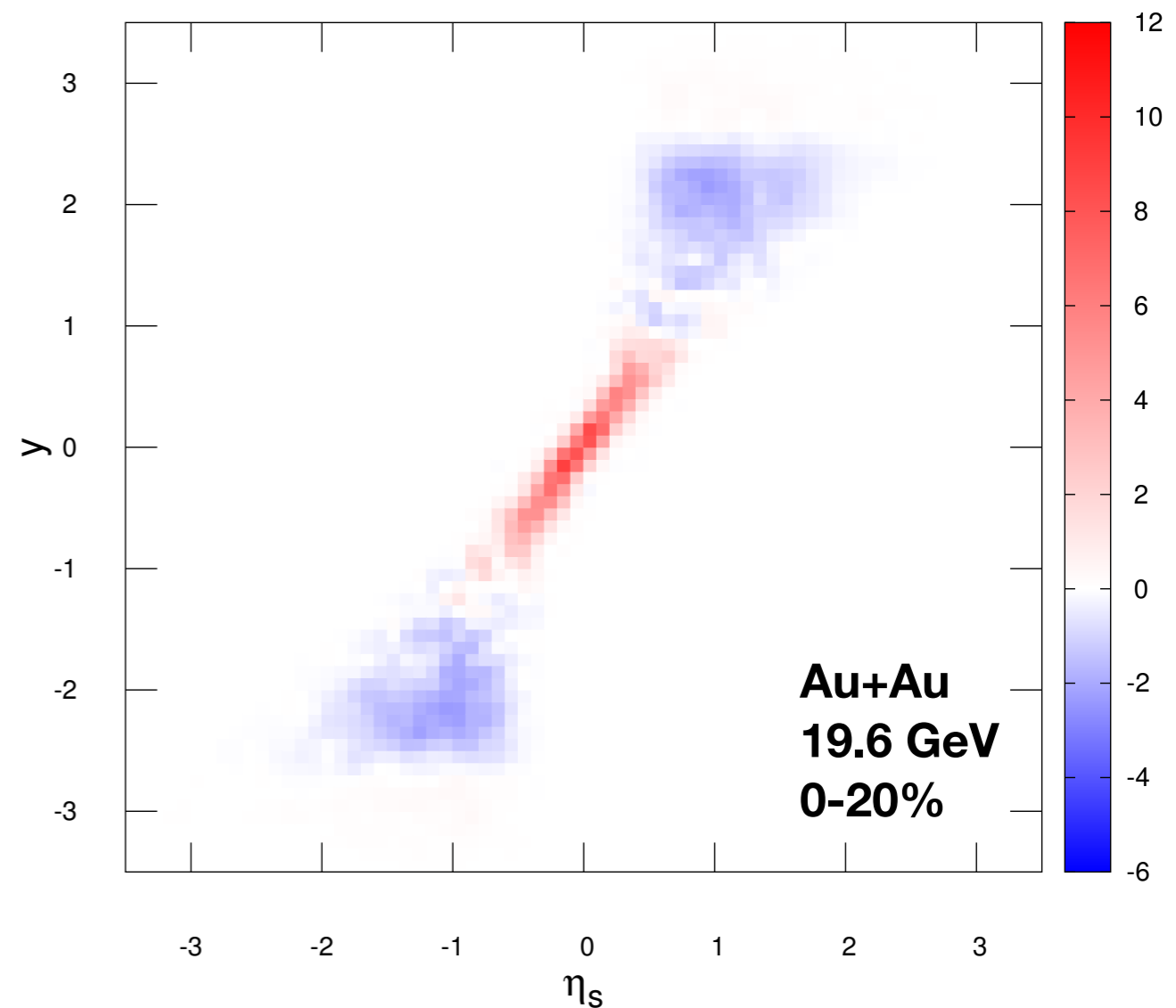
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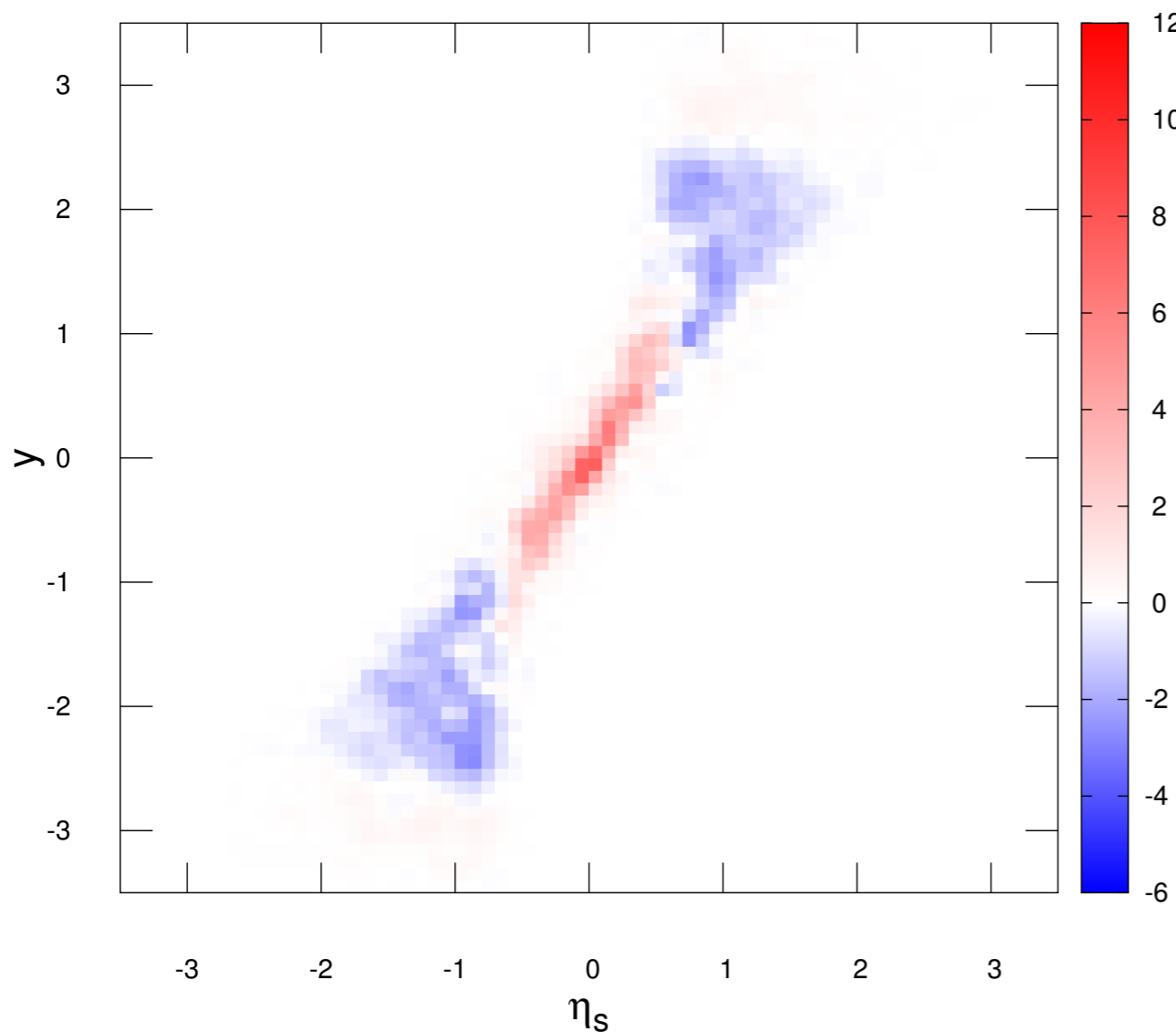


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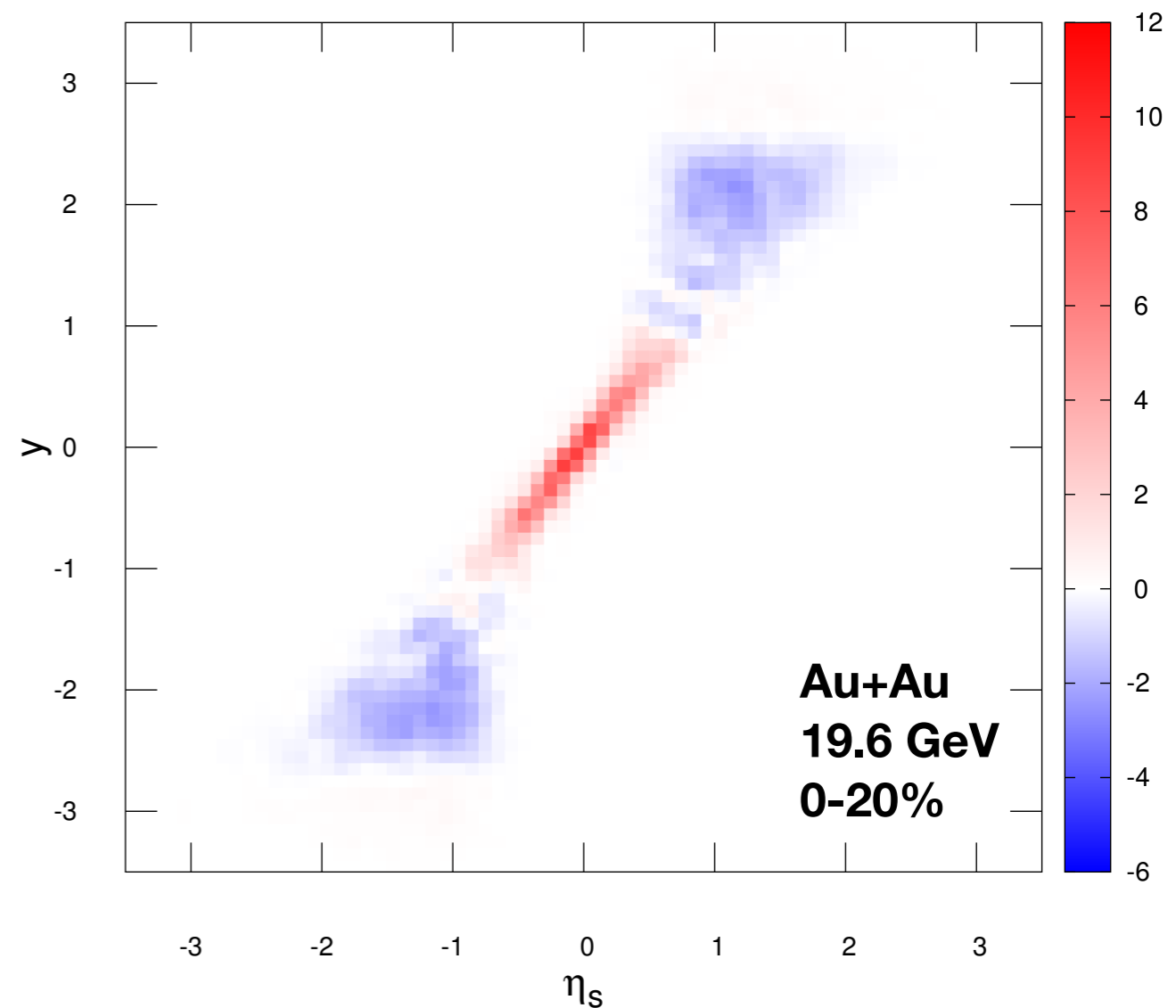
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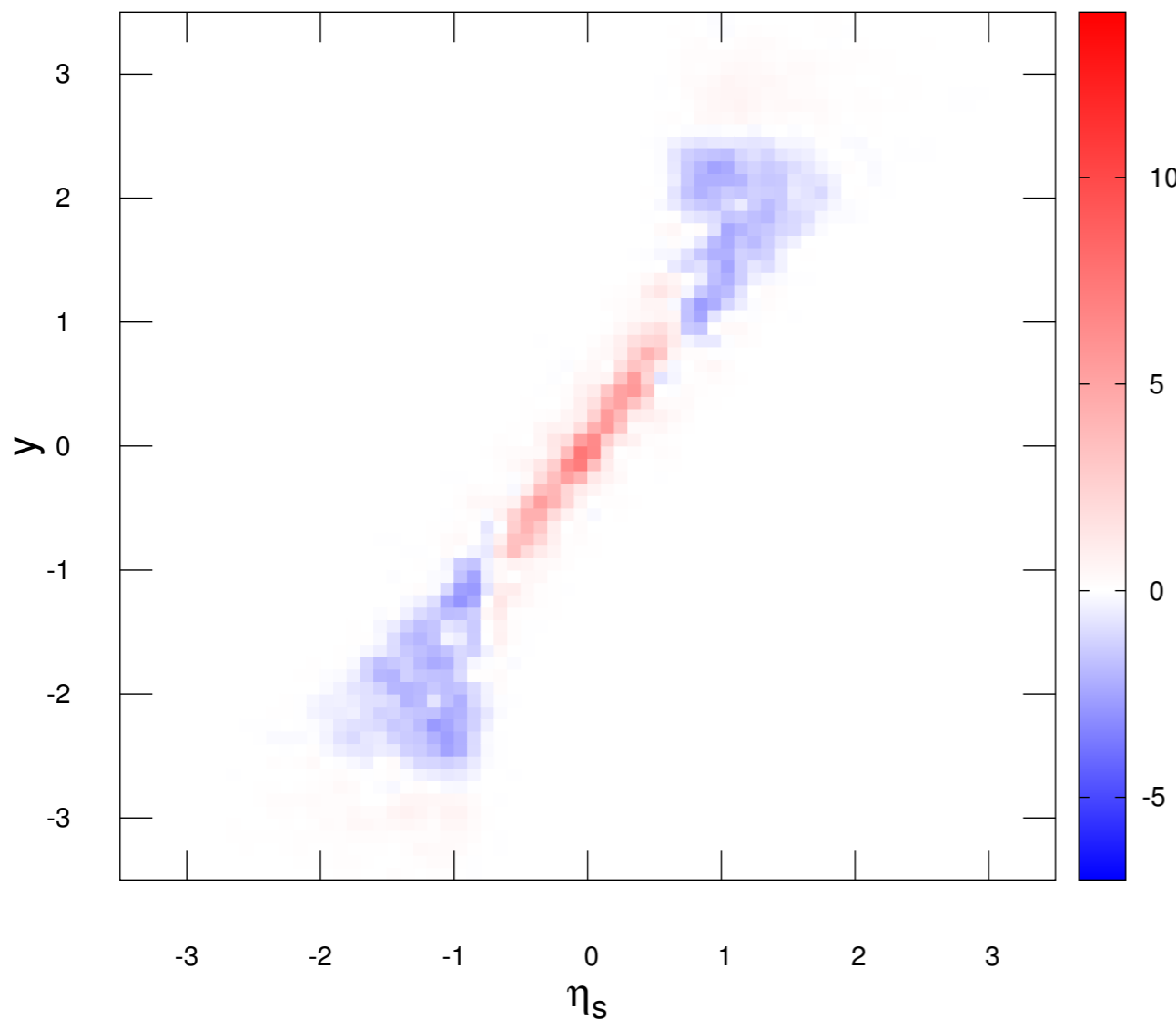


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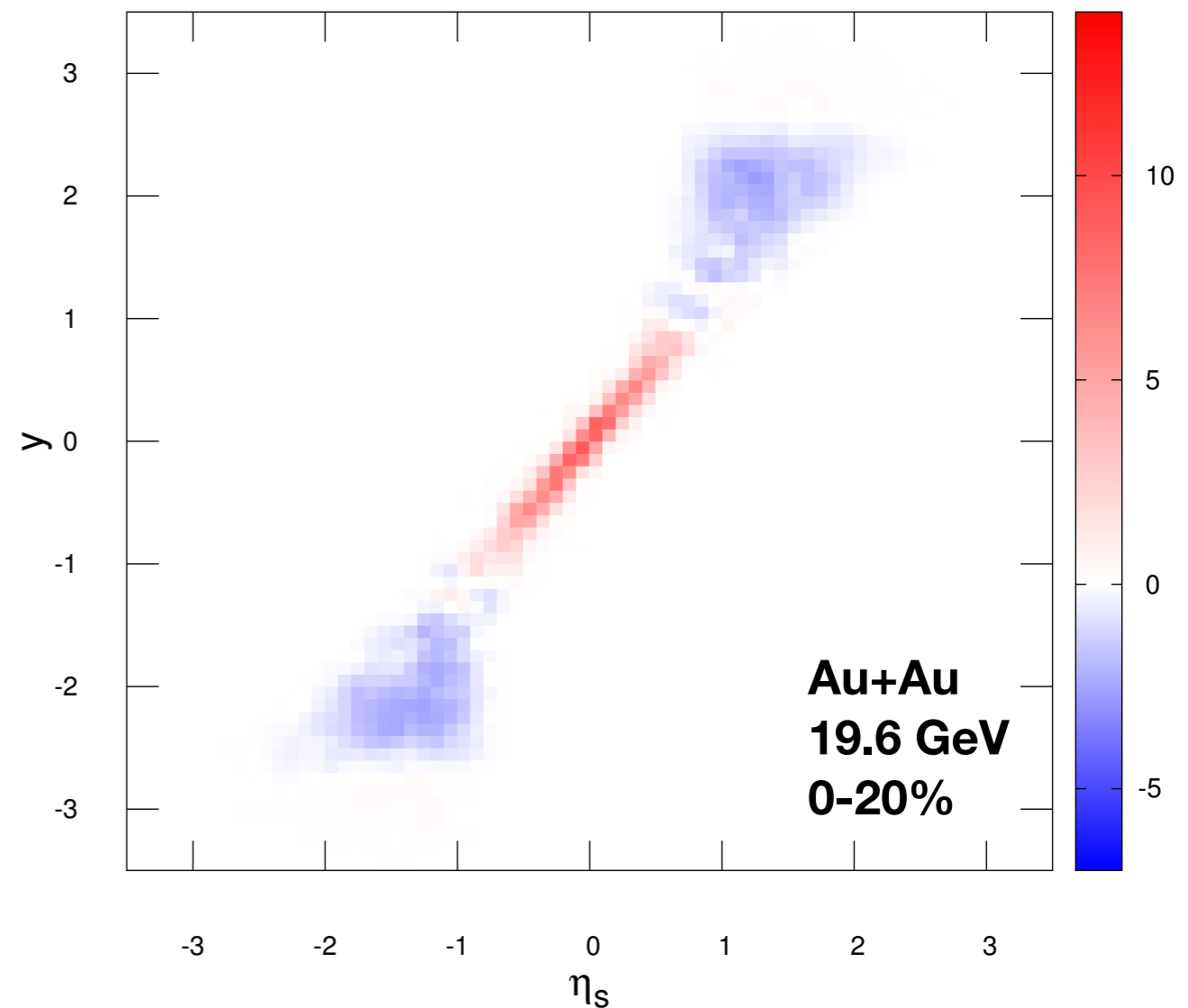
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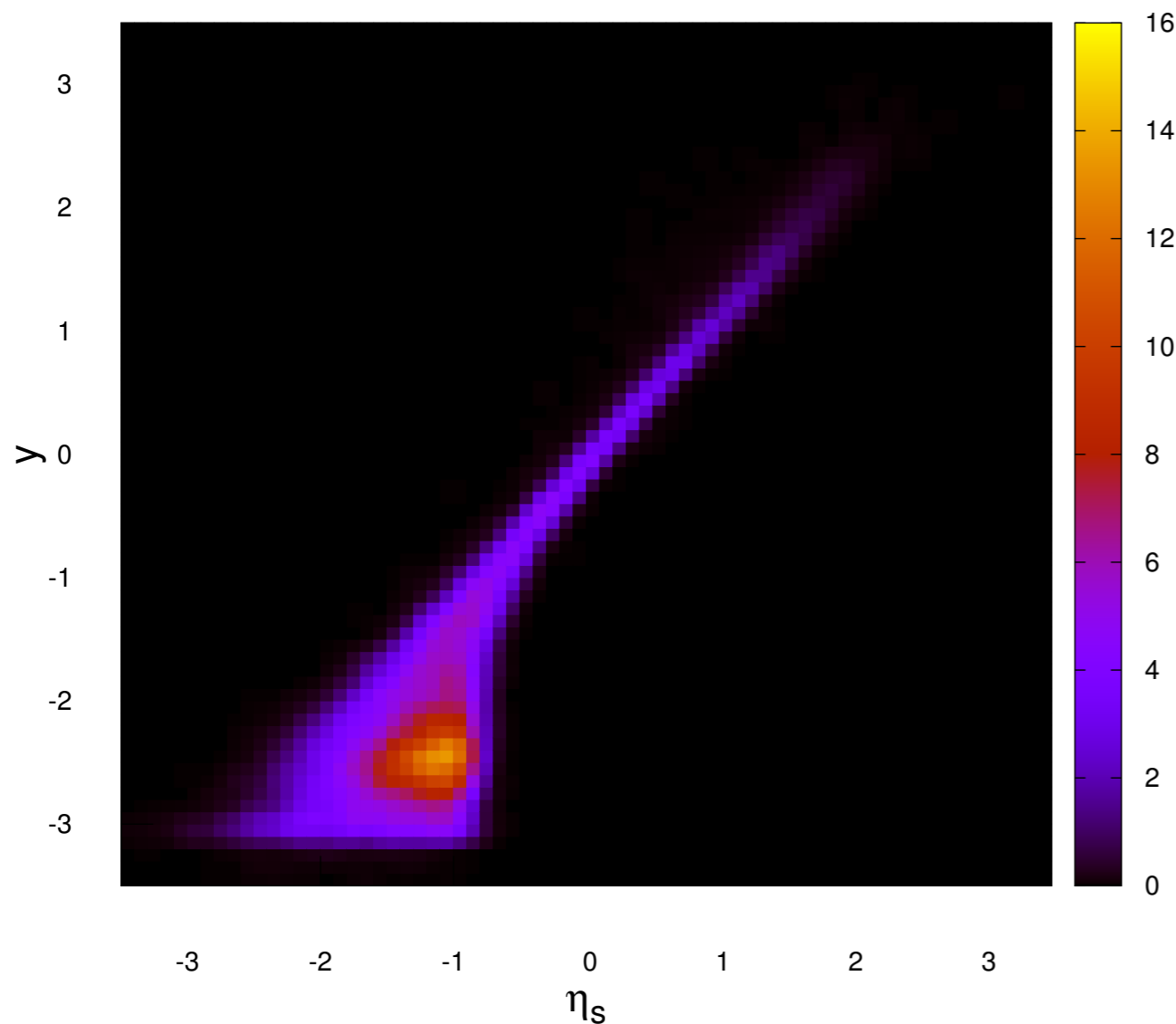


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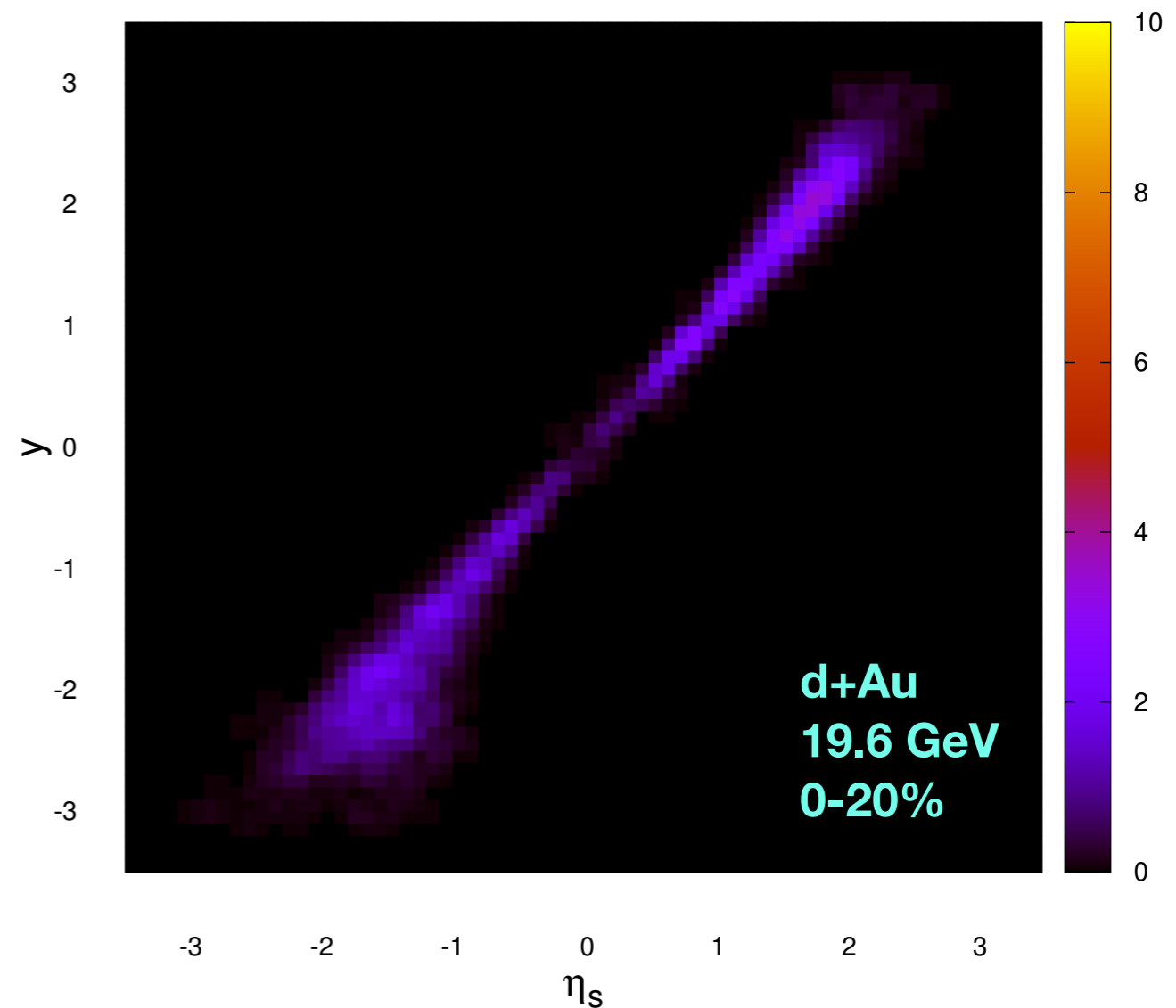
Results : system size dependence of net baryon spacetime-momentum rapidity correlation

Secondary collisions are crucial in net baryon transport.

$$\tau = 2.8 \text{ fm}$$



w/ secondary collisions



w/o secondary collisions