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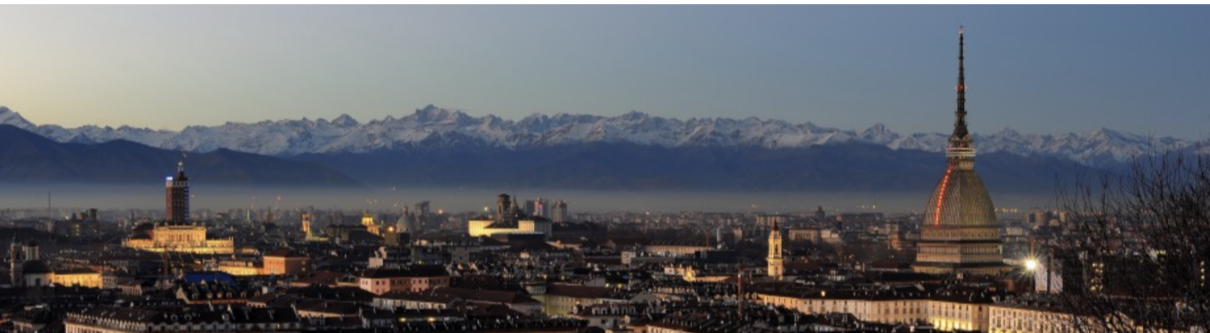
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Brief Introduction

LHCb, Past and Present

- Tens of new hadrons **discovered by LHCb** using data sets from Run 1 (2010–2012) and Run 2 (2015–2018)
- Many are new **charmonium** and **charmonium-like** exotic states
- Also includes pentaquark-like $P_c(4312)^+$, $P_c(4380)^+$, $P_c(4457)^+$
- More than **50 new particles** discovered by LHCb on **New Particles** web page

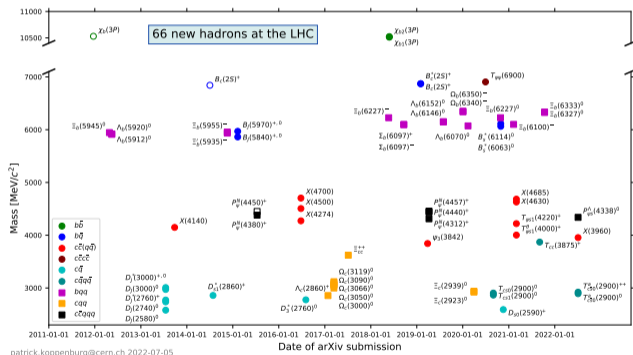
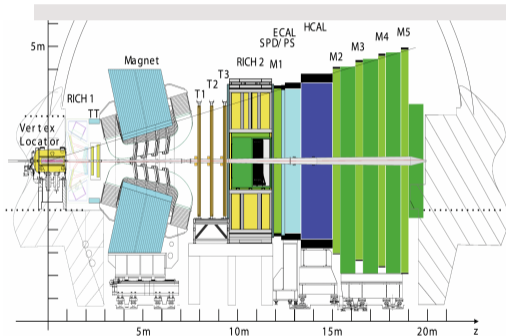


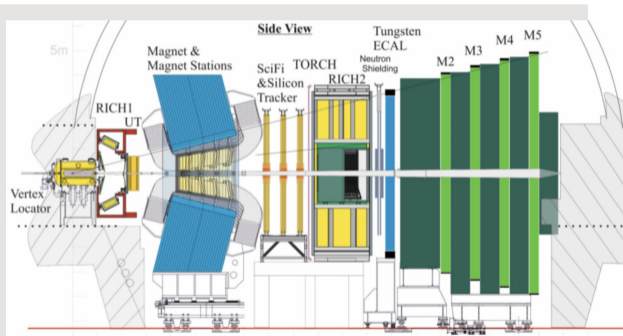
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LHCb Detector Upgrade

Runs 1 & 2



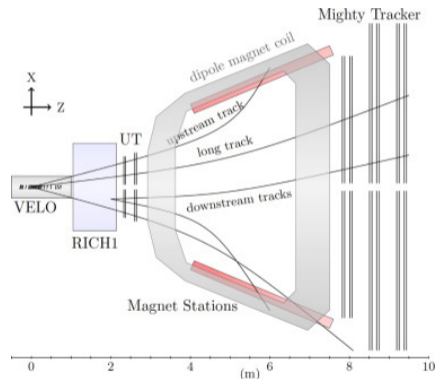
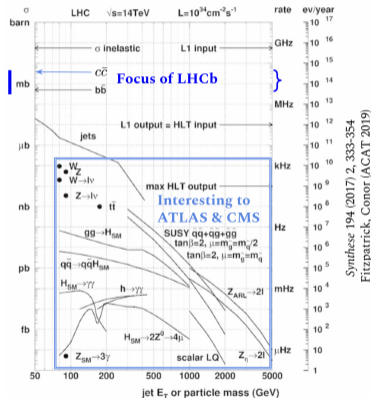
Runs 3–4



- Designed for searches of new physics in beauty and charm hadron decays
 - Measures particles from $p_T > 0$ at forward pseudorapidity $2 < \eta < 5$
- **LHCb tracking fully upgraded for Run 3 (2022–2026)**

LHCb, Present and Future

Estimated full centrality capabilities by 2030

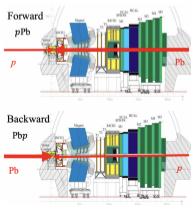


- Run 1/2 trigger limited at L0 (hardware) to 1 MHz \rightarrow full software trigger running at 40 MHz in now & future **see Patrick Robbe's talk**
- Additional tracking detector inside magnet (Magnet Station) expected \sim 2026

LHCb Results Overview

Six recent LHCb analyses focus on the following collision systems and present the following measurements:

- *pp* collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 5, 8, \text{ and } 13 \text{ TeV}$
 - *pPb* collisions at $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 8.16 \text{ TeV}$
 - *PbNe* collisions at $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 68.5 \text{ GeV}$
 - *PbPb* collisions at $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 5 \text{ TeV}$
- 1 *J/ψ* production in *pp* collisions
 - 2 Bottomonium nuclear modification in *pPb* collisions
 - 3 $\chi_{c1}(3872)$ and $\psi(2S)$ production in *pPb* collisions
 - 4 Fixed target *J/ψ* and D^0 production
 - 5 *J/ψ* and $\psi(2S)$ production in UPC collisions

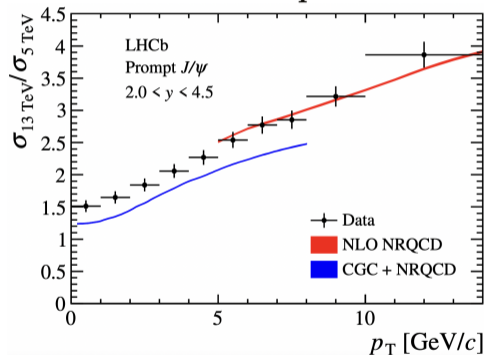




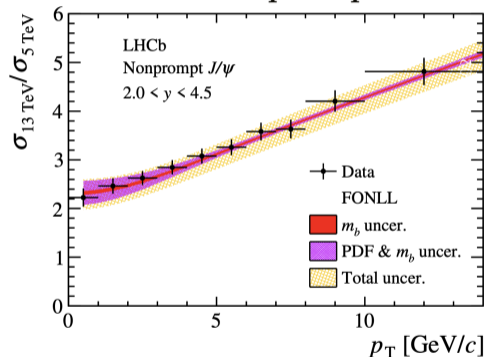
LHCb Quarkonia Results

J/ψ Production in pp Collisions

Prompt



Nonprompt

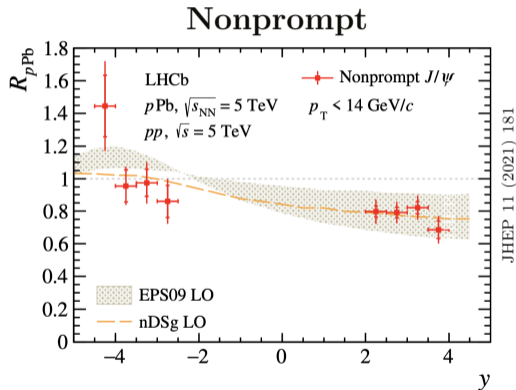
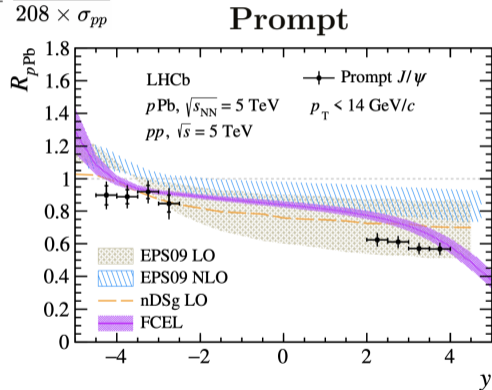


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- Ratio of differential J/ψ cross-section at 13 TeV vs. 5 TeV increases with p_T
 - Discrepancy between prompt J/ψ ratio & CGC+NRQCD^[2] (errors mostly cancel)
 - Nonprompt J/ψ data consistent with FONLL^[3] predictions as function of p_T

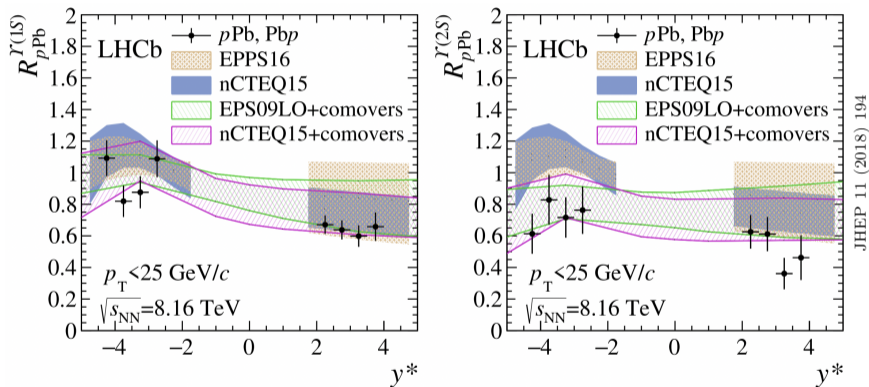
J/ψ Nuclear Modification in pPb Collisions

$$R_{pPb} = \frac{\sigma_{pPb}}{208 \times \sigma_{pp}}$$



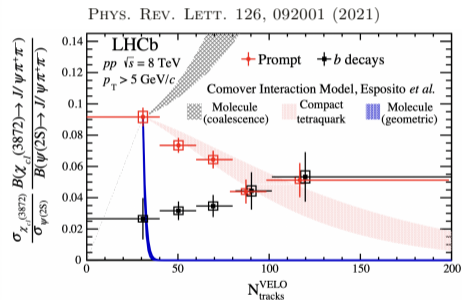
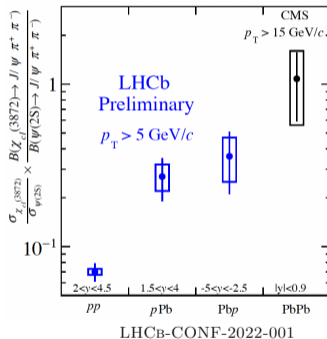
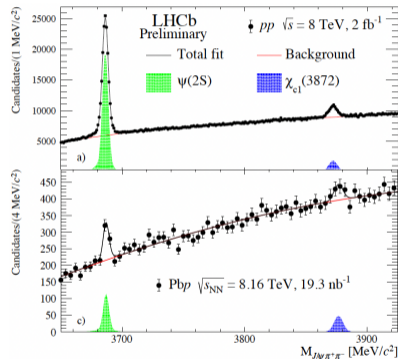
- At forward rapidity, prompt and nonprompt J/ψ nuclear modification consistent with nPDF predictions (EPS09 LO, nDSg LO)^[4]
- Prompt J/ψ R_{pPb} more suppressed than EPS09 LO, NLO^[5] for $-4.5 < y < -2$

Bottomonium Nuclear Modification in p Pb Collisions



- At both forward and backward rapidity, $\Upsilon(2S)$ more suppressed than $\Upsilon(1S)$
- At backward rapidity, nPDFs alone do not fully describe modification of either state
 - nPDF+comovers^[6] calculations provide better description of data

$\chi_{c1}(3872)$ & $\psi(2S)$ Production in pPb Collisions



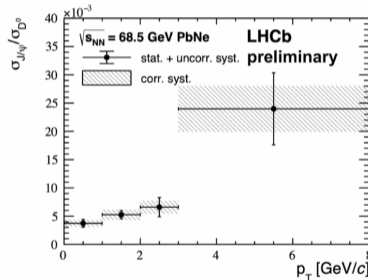
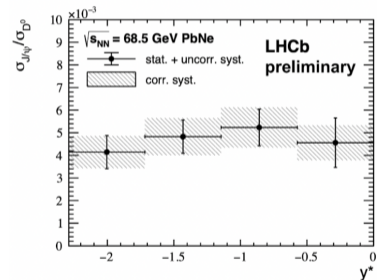
- First measurement of $\chi_{c1}(3872)$ in pPb collisions from LHCb
- Ratio of prompt $\chi_{c1}(3872)$ to $\psi(2S)$ shows increasing trend from small to larger systems
 - Suggests quark coalescence could be affecting $\chi_{c1}(3872)$ production

J/ψ & D^0 Production in PbNe Collisions

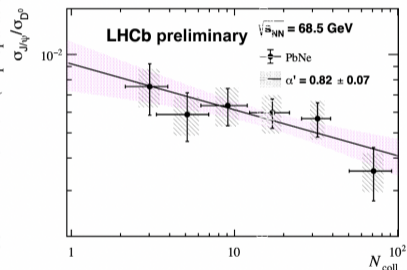
Fixed Target

$$\frac{\sigma_{J/\psi}}{\sigma_{D^0}} = \frac{\sigma_{J/\psi}^{pp}}{\sigma_{D^0}^{pp}} \times \langle N_{coll}^{\alpha' - 1} \rangle = C' \times \langle N_{coll}^{\alpha' - 1} \rangle$$

Phys. Letters B 410 (1997) 337-343 [NA50]

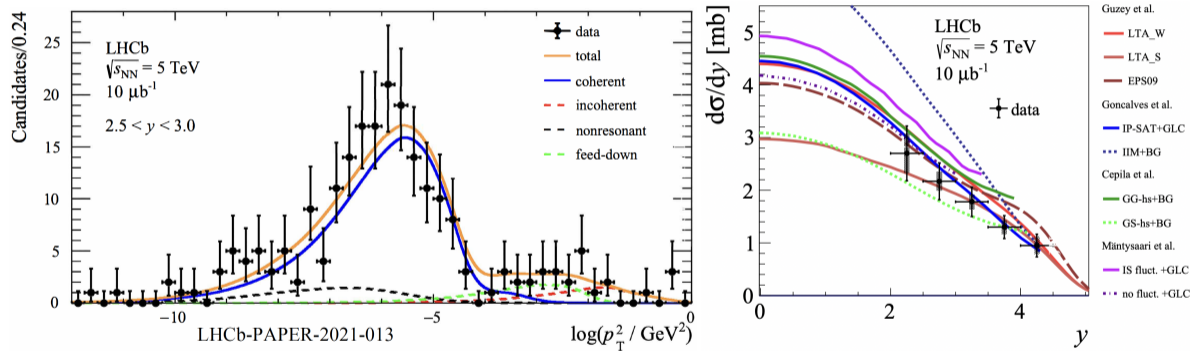


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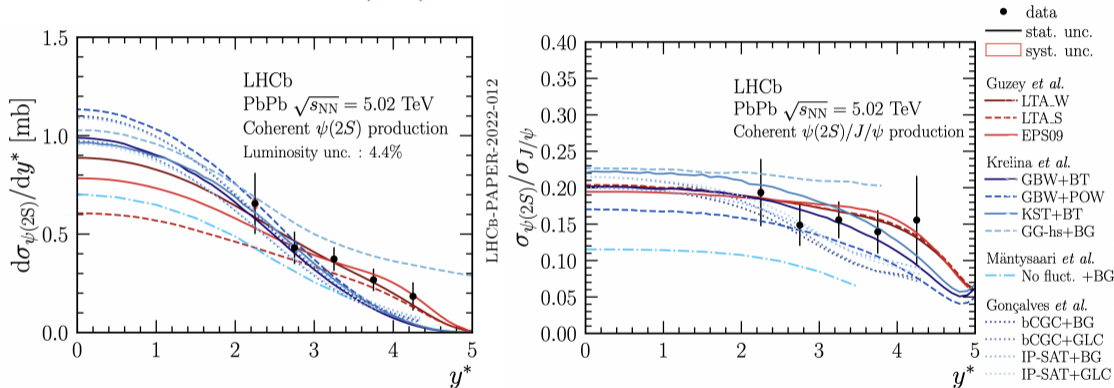
- Fixed target configuration with p or Pb projectiles at GeV COM energies (see P. Robbe talk)
 - Noble gases injected into VELO using SMOG (System for Measuring Overlap with Gas)
- Fit to ratio of J/ψ to D^0 vs. N_{coll} consistent with NA50 results in $p+A$ collisions
 - α' indicates no anomalous J/ψ suppression as seen in NA50 PbPb results

Coherent J/ψ Production in PbPb UPC



- Fit to the log of p_T^2 distribution performed to isolate coherent from incoherent production
- Differential cross-section for coherent J/ψ production decreases as function of y
 - Several of the CGC-based predictions (blue dotted, solid magenta & solid green curves) overestimate the J/ψ production

Coherent $\psi(2S)$ Production in PbPb UPC



- First measurement at LHC for coherent $\psi(2S)$ production at forward rapidity
 - pQCD calculations (red curves) by Guzey *et al.* describe data well at large y
- Ratio of $\psi(2S)$ to J/ψ not as well described by CGC predictions (blue curves)



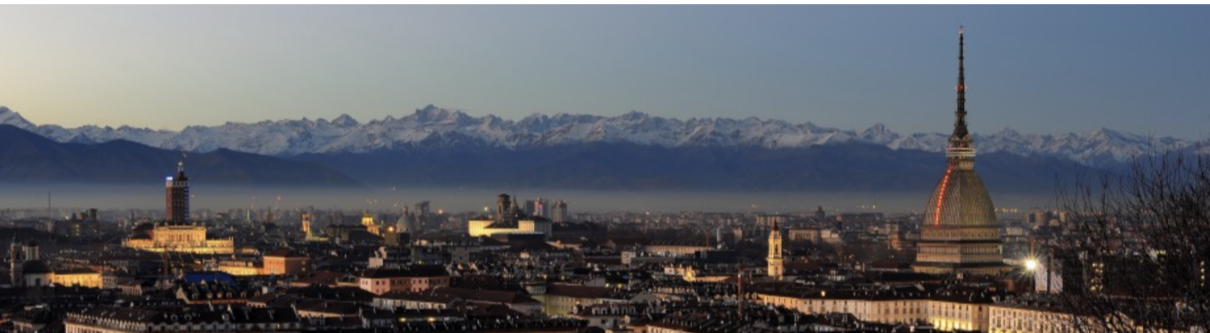
Summary

LHCb Quarkonia Summary

- ① J/ψ Production in pp and pPb Collisions
 - Discrepancy between prompt J/ψ data and CGC+NRQCD at low p_T
 - Prompt J/ψ R_{pPb} more suppressed than EPS09 NLO for $-4.5 < y < -2$
- ② Bottomonium Nuclear Modification in pPb Collisions
 - $\Upsilon(2S)$ more suppressed than $\Upsilon(1S)$ at both rapidities
 - At backward rapidity, nPDFs alone do not fully describe modification
- ③ Exotic Meson Production in pPb Collisions
 - First measurement of $\chi_{c1}(3872)$ in pPb collisions
 - Ratio of $\chi_{c1}(3872)$ to $\psi(2S)$ increases from small to large systems
- ④ J/ψ and D^0 Production in Fixed Target PbNe Collisions
 - Ratio of J/ψ to D^0 vs. N_{coll} shows no anomalous QGP suppression
- ⑤ Charmonium Production in Ultra-Peripheral PbPb Collisions
 - First measurement of coherent $\psi(2S)$ production at forward rapidity
 - Ratio of coherent $\psi(2S)$ to J/ψ consistent with pQCD predictions

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Back-Up

Selected LHCb Quarkonia Talks Since 7th HF-WINC

DIS 2019, QM 2019, QM 2022, DIS 2022, LHCP 2022, and SQM 2022 (all talks hyperlinked)

[Quarkonia Production in Ultraperipheral PbPb collisions at LHCb](#)

[New Measurements in Fixed-Target Collisions at LHCb](#)

[Open and Hidden Beauty Production in pPb Collisions at LHCb](#)

[Heavy Flavor and Exotic Production at LHCb](#)

[Charmonium Production in PbPb Ultraperipheral Collisions \(UPC\) and Z Production in pPb at LHCb](#)

[SMOG: Experimental Results](#)

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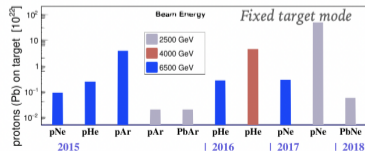
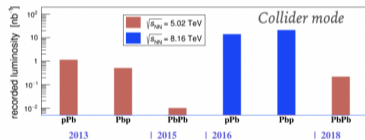
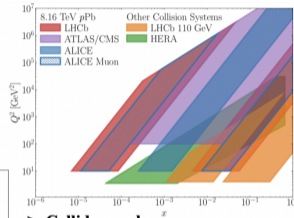
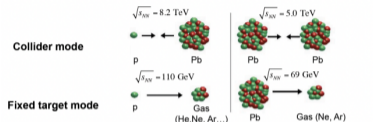
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LHCb heavy ion collision modes and datasets



► Collider mode

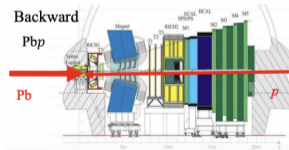
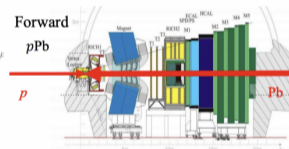
- pPb/PbPb:
 - 5.02 TeV and 8.16 TeV
 - Probes saturation region and small Bjorken- x physics
 - PbPb: centrality-limited to 60%

► Fixed-target mode (SMOG)

- pNe, pHe, pAr: $\sqrt{s_{NN}} \sim 100 \text{ GeV}$
- PbNe: $\sqrt{s_{NN}} \sim 68.6 \text{ GeV}$
- Covers mid to backward rapidity: anti-shadowing region

► pPb/PbPb rapidity coverage

- y^* : rapidity in nucleon-nucleon cms
- $y^* = y \pm 0.465$
- Forward: $1.5 < y^* < 4.0$
- Backward: $-5.0 < y^* < -2.5$
- Common region: $2.5 < |y^*| < 4.0$



Quarkonium in pp collisions

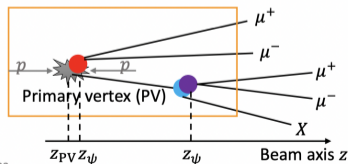
- Charmonium (J/ψ , $\psi(2S)$) in pp collisions:
 - Prompt: originate from the primary pp collision vertex
 - Nonprompt: originate from b -decay vertex
- Bottomonium (Υ) in pp collisions: only prompt
- To separate prompt and nonprompt charmonium

- Pseudo decay time

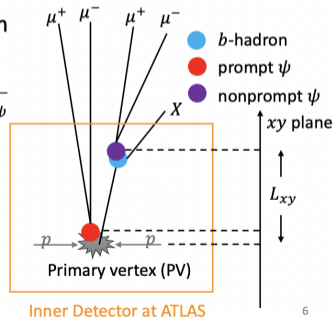
$$\text{forward-}y: t_z = \frac{z_\psi - z_{PV}}{p_z/m_\psi}$$

$$\text{mid-}y: \tau = \frac{L_{xy}}{p_T/m_\psi}$$

Vertex Locator at LHCb



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A large Scintillating Fibre Tracker for LHCb

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on behalf of the LHCb Scintillating Fibre Tracker Collaboration

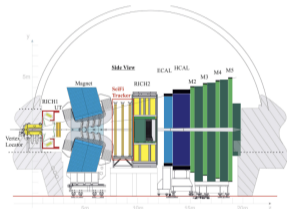


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The LHCb Detector



The upgraded LHCb detector.

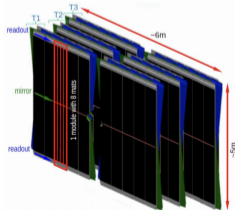
Single-arm forward spectrometer with a pseudorapidity acceptance between 2 and 5 that is specialised in the search of new physics in beauty and charm hadron decays

LHCb Upgrade: 2019-2022

Upgrade of the LHCb detector to increase the precision on key observables and extend its physics reach by obtaining 5 to 10 times higher signal yields.

- ⇒ 5 times higher instantaneous luminosity
- ⇒ Triggerless 40 MHz readout
- ⇒ New front- and back-end electronics
- ⇒ Replacement of complete tracking system

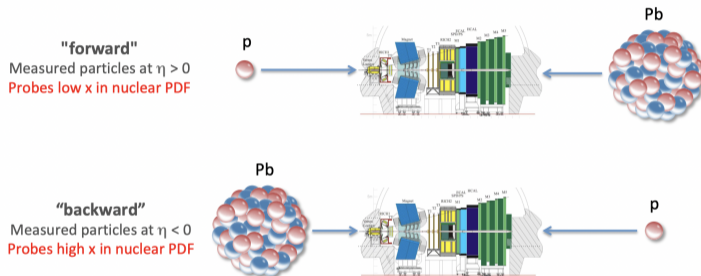
The Scintillating Fibre (SciFi) Tracker



Large and high granular scintillating fibre tracker that is readout by arrays of silicon photomultipliers (SiPMs).

- 3 stations (T1, T2, T3) with 4 layers each
- Covering a total area of 340 m²
- 1% X_0 per layer
- Spatial resolution < 100 μ m
- Single hit efficiency ~99%
- 524 288 channels in total
- 250 μ m fibre diameter and channel width
- 40 MHz readout
- ~20 Tb/s data rate

Nuclear effects & asymmetric acceptance



Nuclear modification factor

$$R_{pPb} = \frac{\text{cross-section for pPb}}{A_{Pb} \times \text{cross-section for pp}}$$

No nuclear effects: $R_{pPb} = 1$

Forward-Backward (FB) ratio

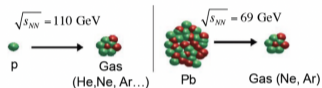
$$R_{FB} = \frac{\text{cross-section for pPb} + |y|}{\text{cross-section for pPb} - |y|}$$

SMOG: fixed-target program



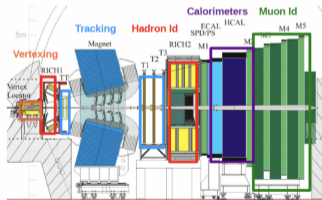
SMOG: System for Measuring Overlap with Gas.

Noble gases at a pressure of $O(10^{-7})$ mbar are injected into the VELO.

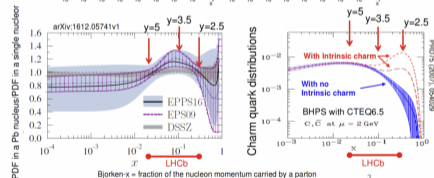
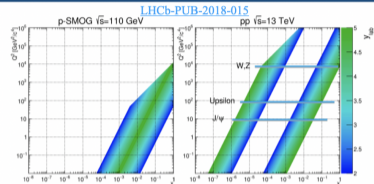


$$y = y^* + \ln\left(\frac{\sqrt{s_{NN}}}{m_p}\right)$$

$$x_F \approx \frac{2}{\sqrt{s_{NN}}} \sqrt{M^2 + p_T^2} \sinh(y^*)$$



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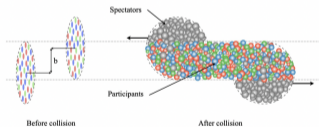


- $-3.0 < y^* < 0$
- Probe intrinsic charm content in the nucleon.
- Access nPDF anti-shadowing region.

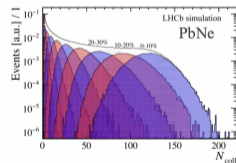
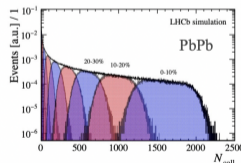
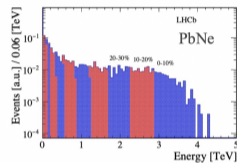
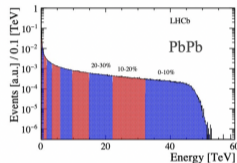
Centrality determination in PbNe

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- The centrality of a nucleus-nucleus \rightarrow overlap region between the nuclei where the nucleons are colliding.
- MC Glauber model used to isolate the hadronic part and subsequently define the centrality classes
- Proxy: energy deposit in the ECAL (VELO clusters saturates)



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<https://arxiv.org/pdf/2111.01607.pdf>



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