

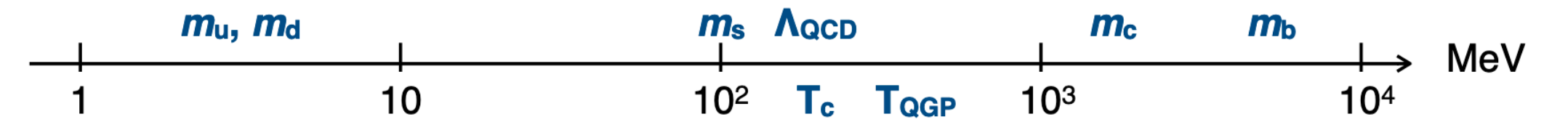


Experimental results on open and hidden heavy-flavour measurements

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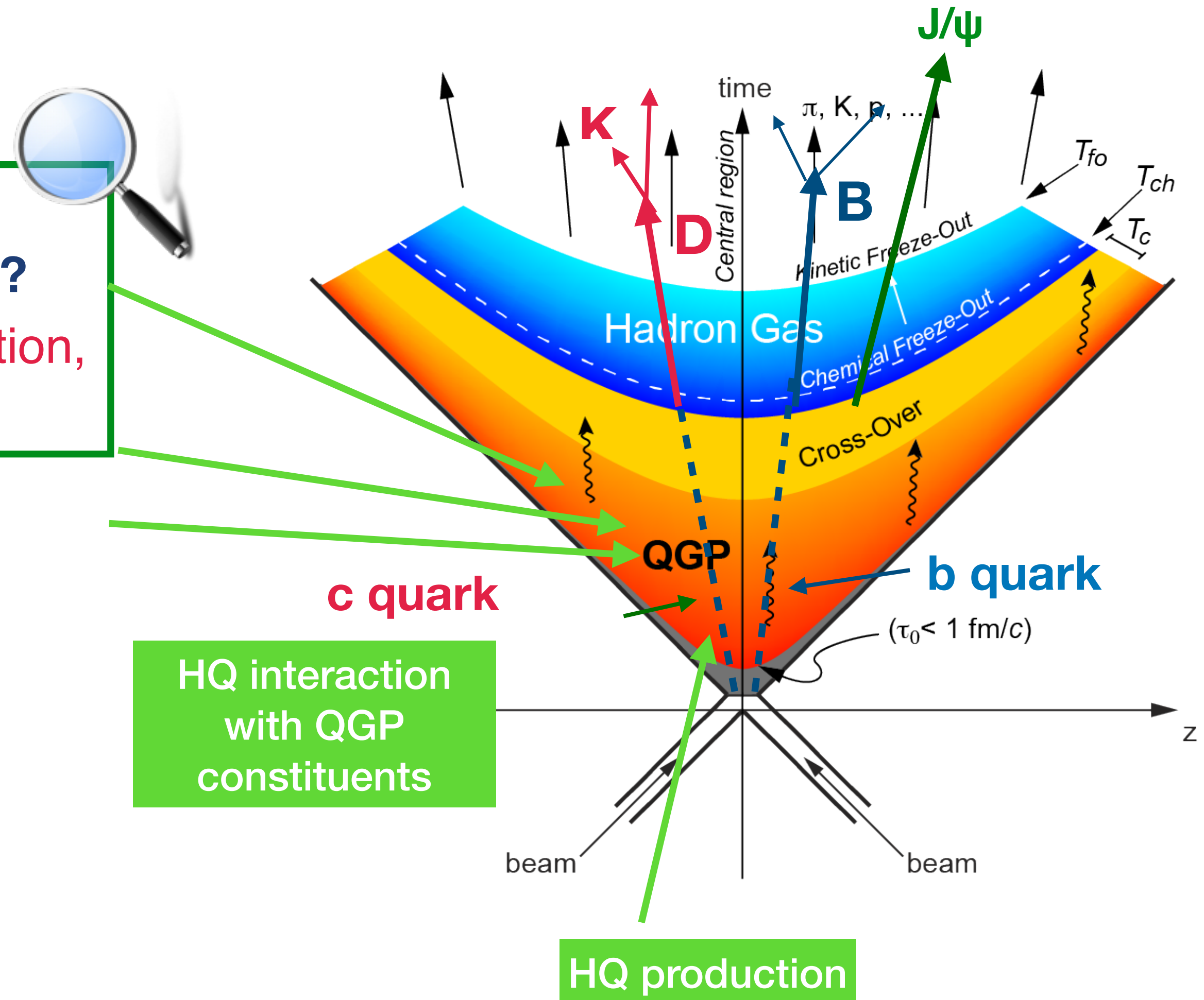
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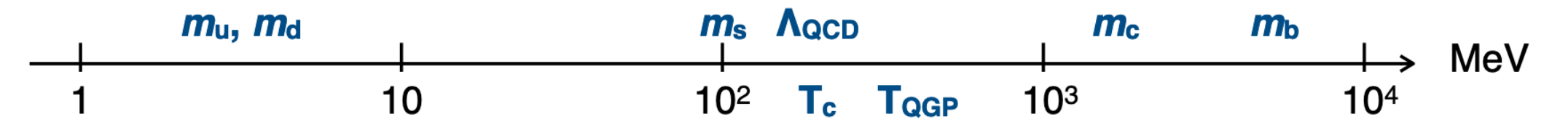


Investigating QGP features:

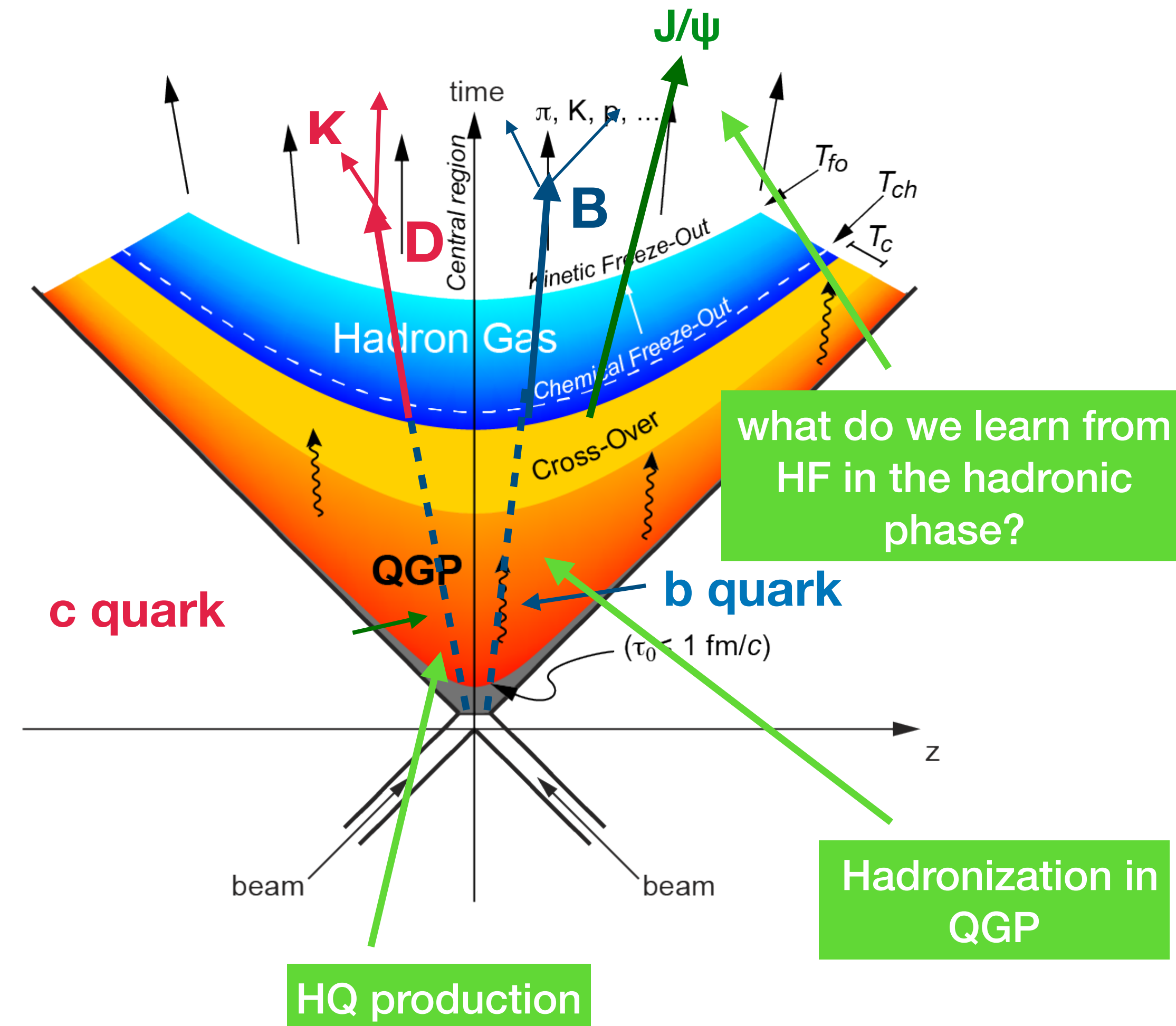
- how do HQ interact with medium constituents?
- energy loss, quarkonia suppression/recombination, HQ diffusion and thermalization



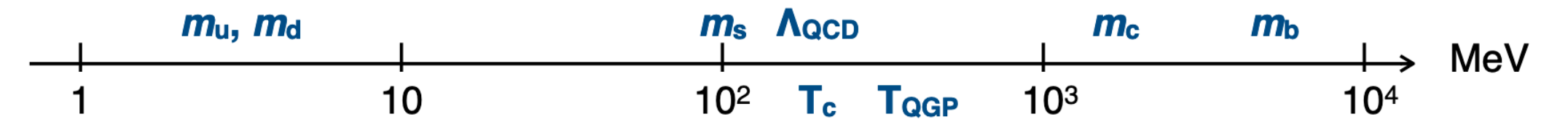
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- What are the **hadron formation mechanisms in QGP?**
 - do they **differ from small systems?**
- **what is the origin of the observed collective effects** in high-multiplicity pp and p-Pb collisions?
- is there an **interaction of charm hadrons with charged particles** in the **hadronic phase?**

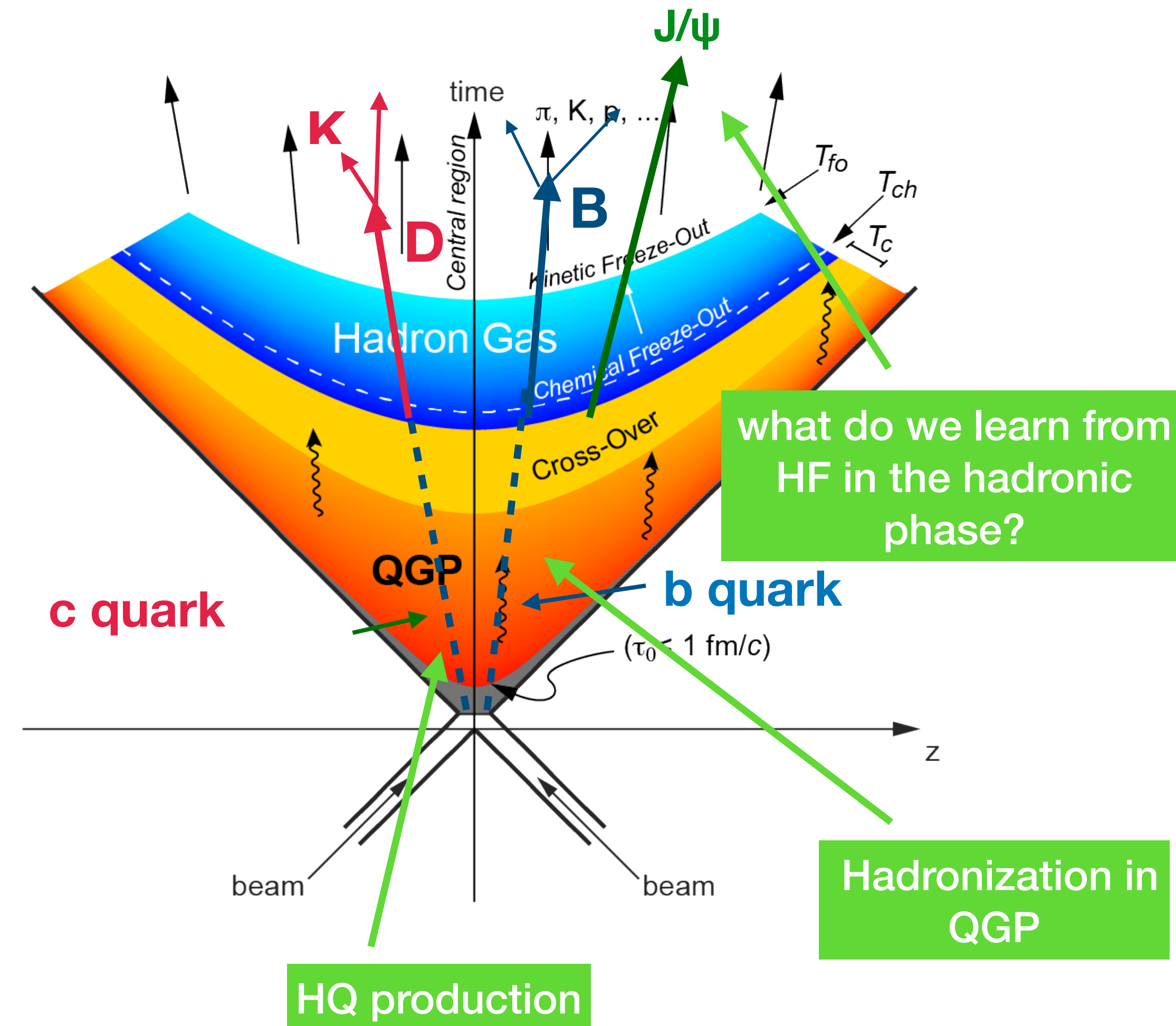


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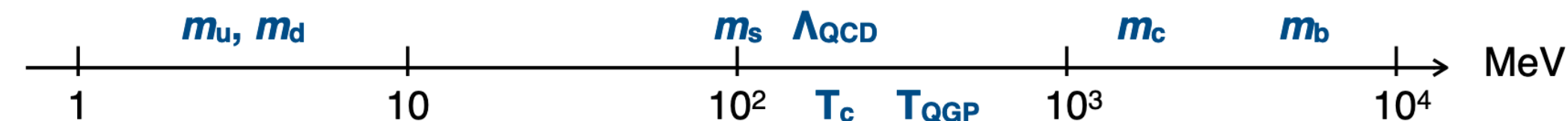


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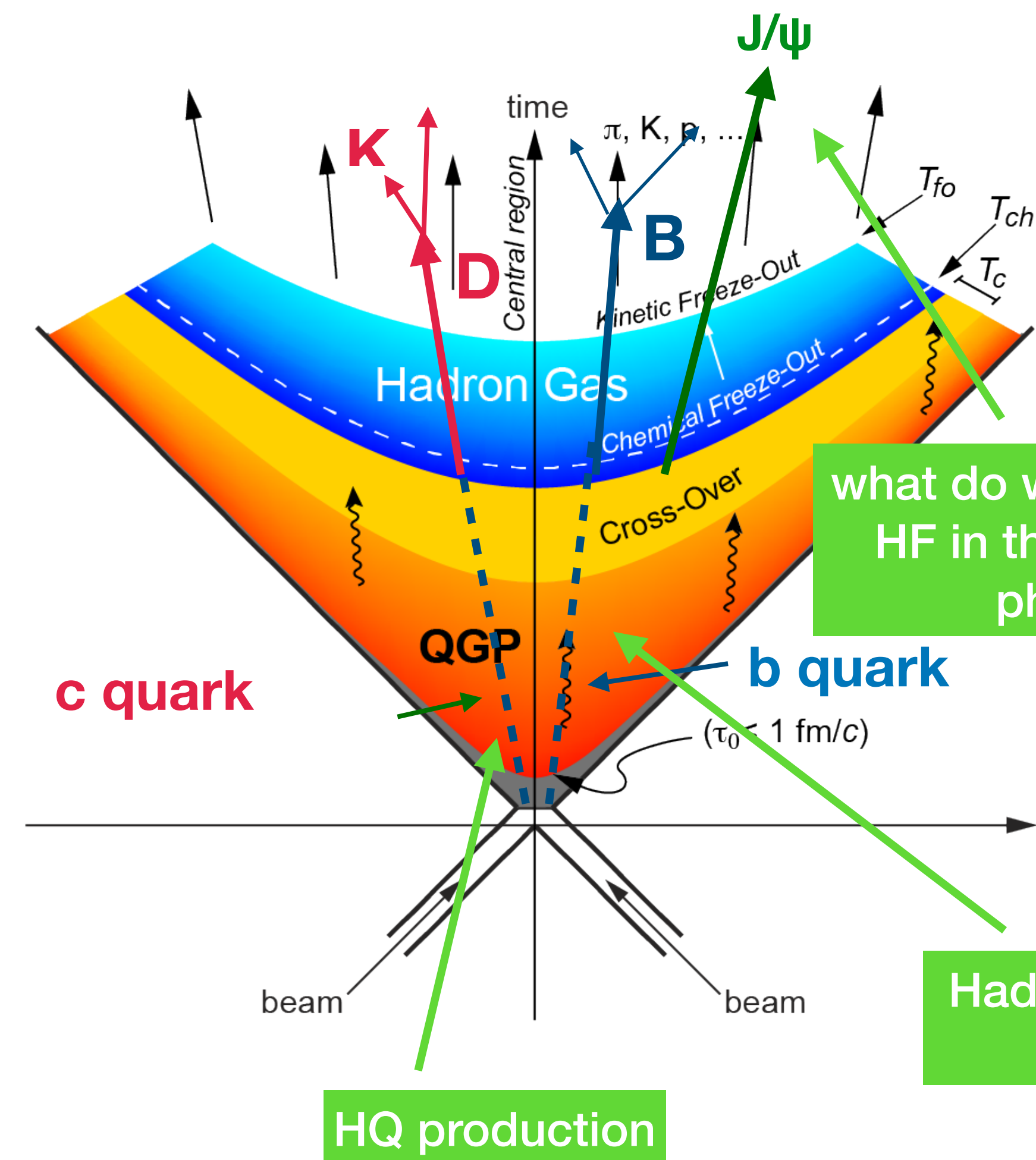
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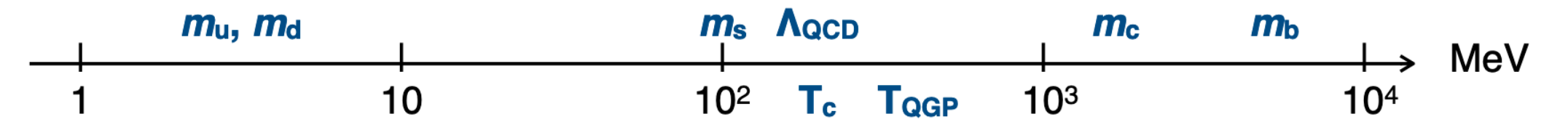


what do we learn from HF in the hadronic phase?

Hadronization in QGP

HQ production

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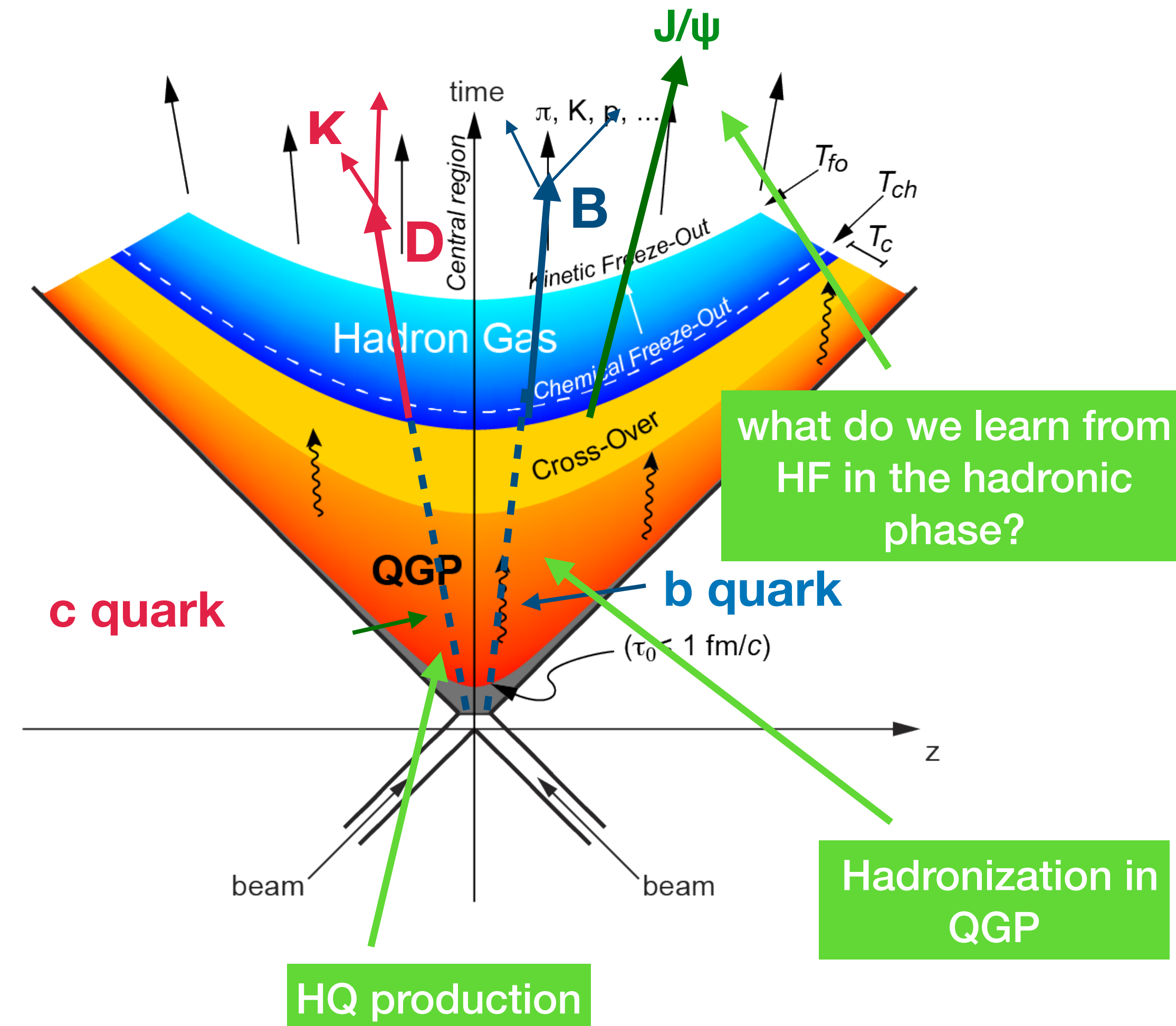


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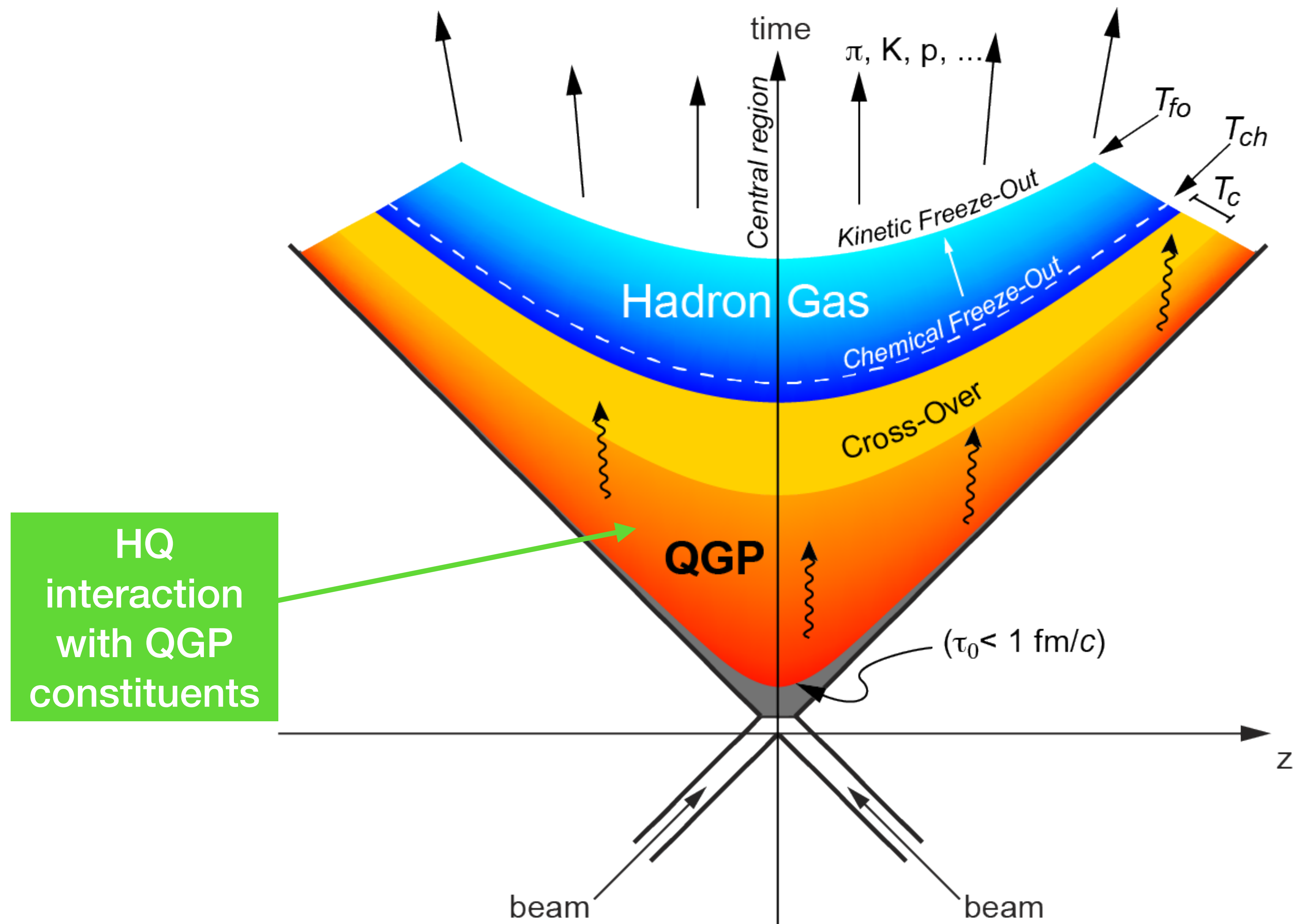
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not shown: production measurements in pp collisions (input for models to describe spectra modification in QGP) and p-N measurements

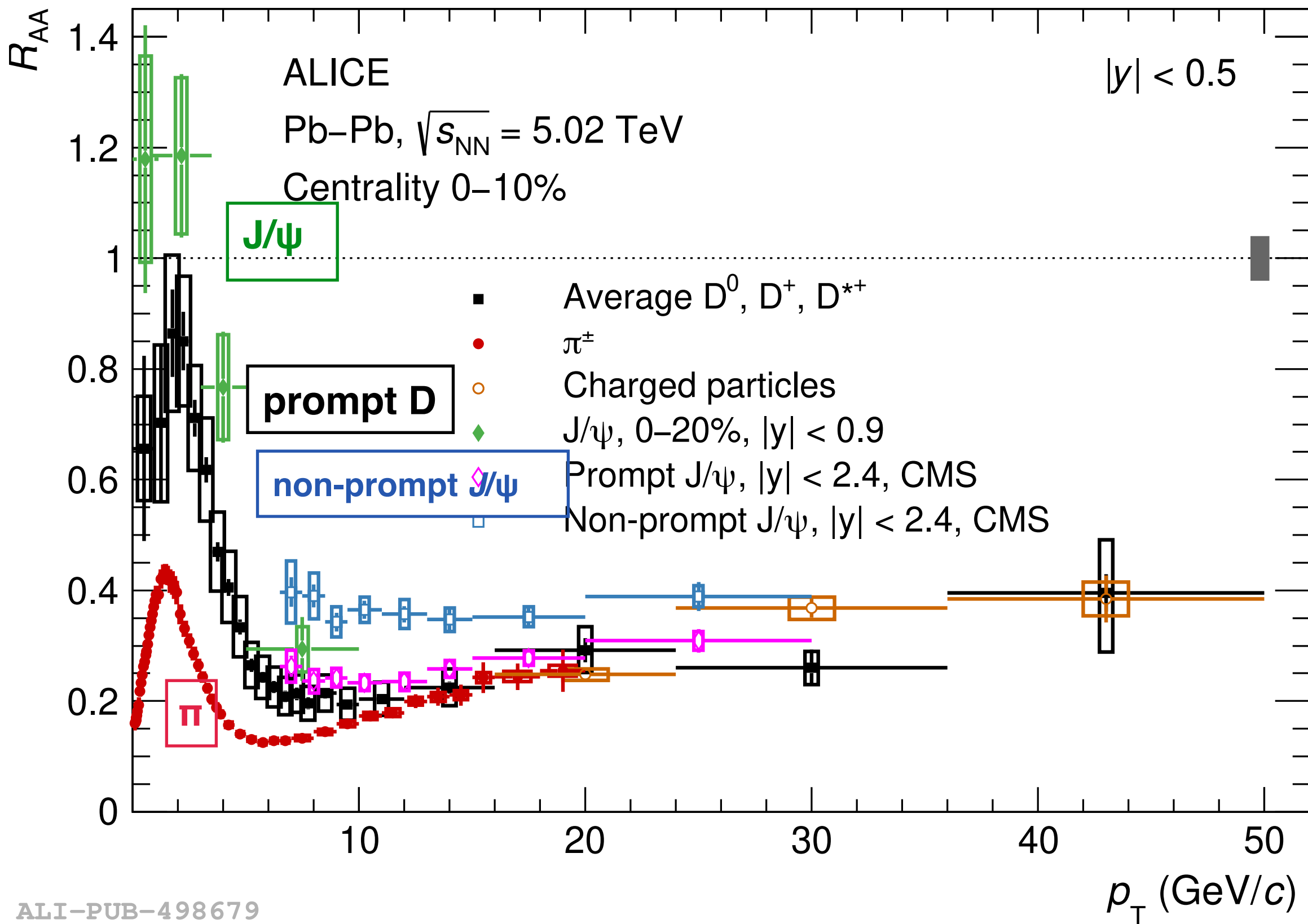


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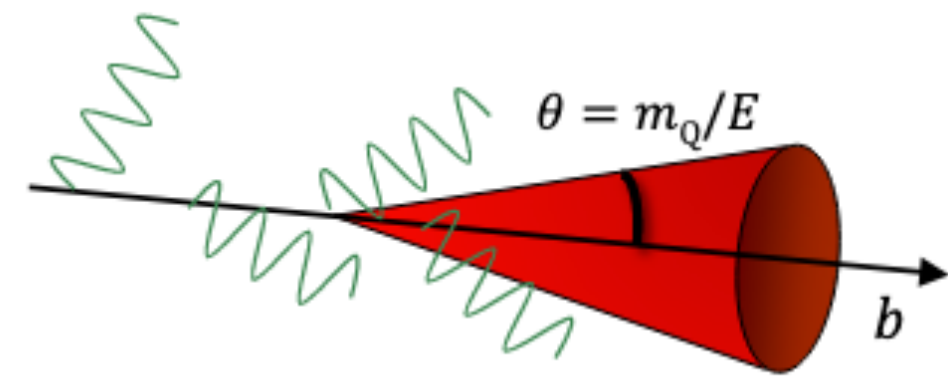
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$$R_{AA} = \frac{1}{\langle T_{AA} \rangle} \frac{dN_{AA}/dp_T}{d\sigma_{pp}/dp_T}$$

$$\Delta E_g > \Delta E_{u,d,s} > \Delta E_c > \Delta E_b$$

$$R_{AA}(\pi) < R_{AA}(D) < R_{AA}(\text{non-prompt } J/\psi)$$

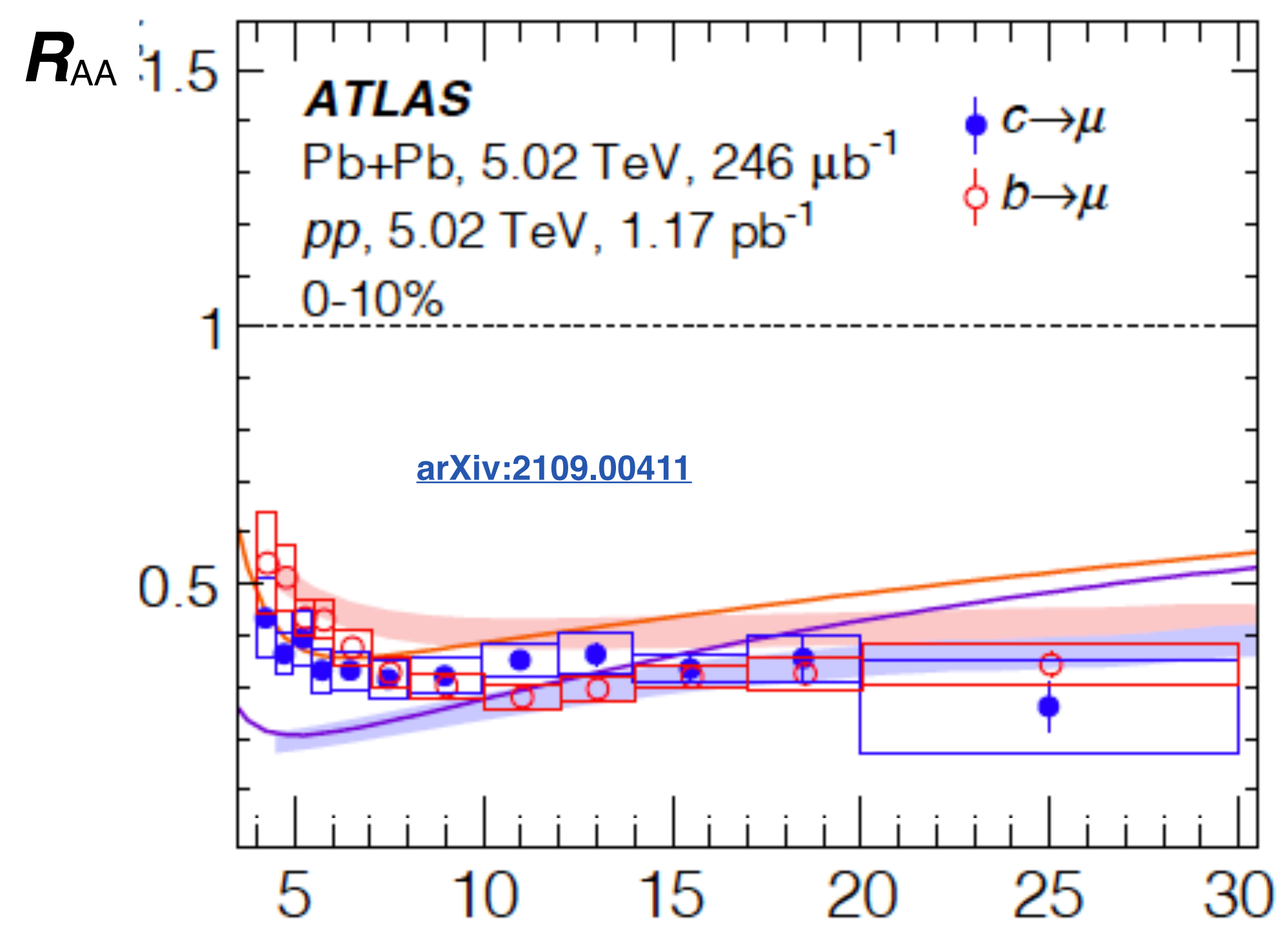
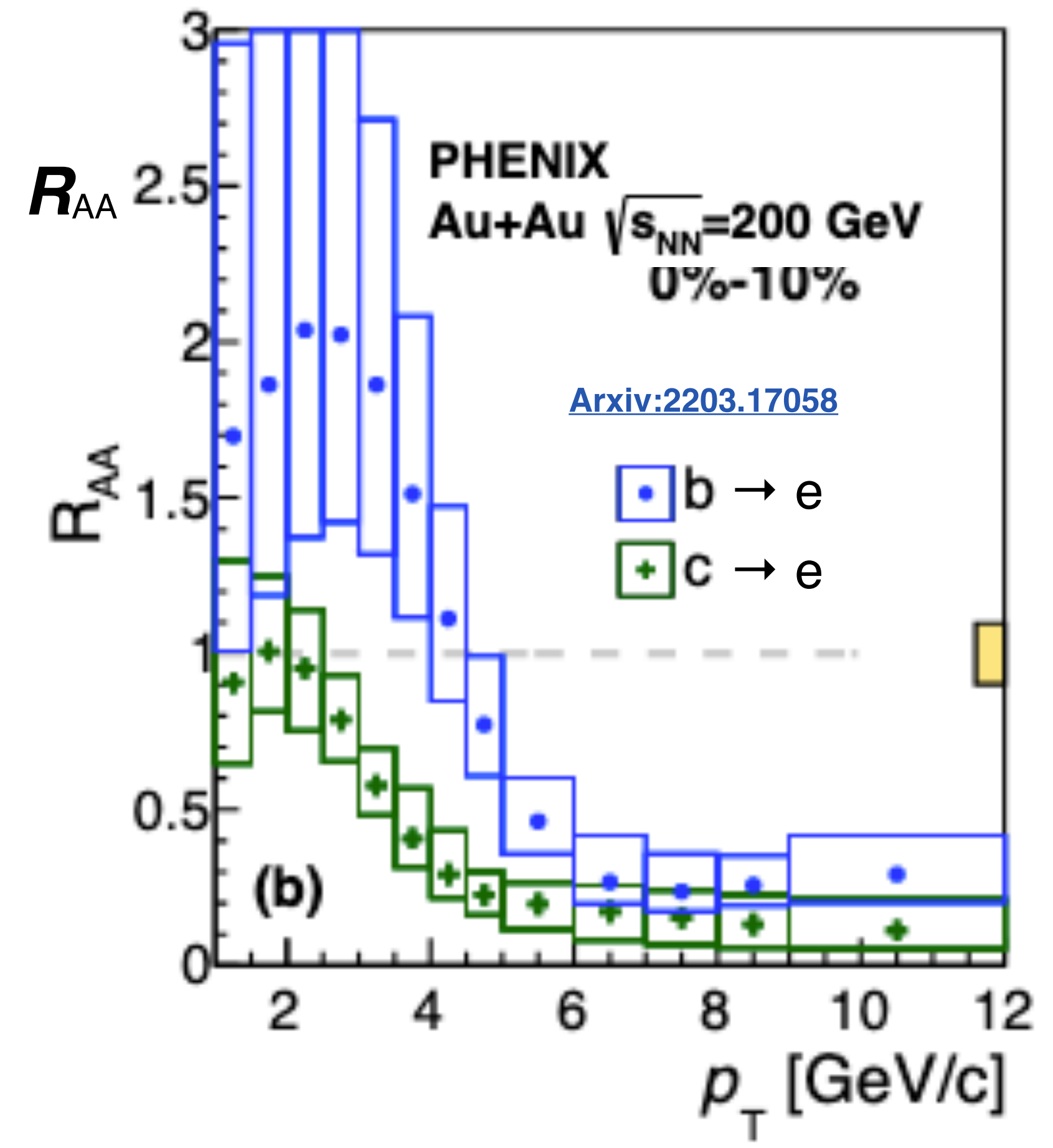


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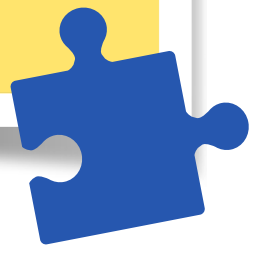
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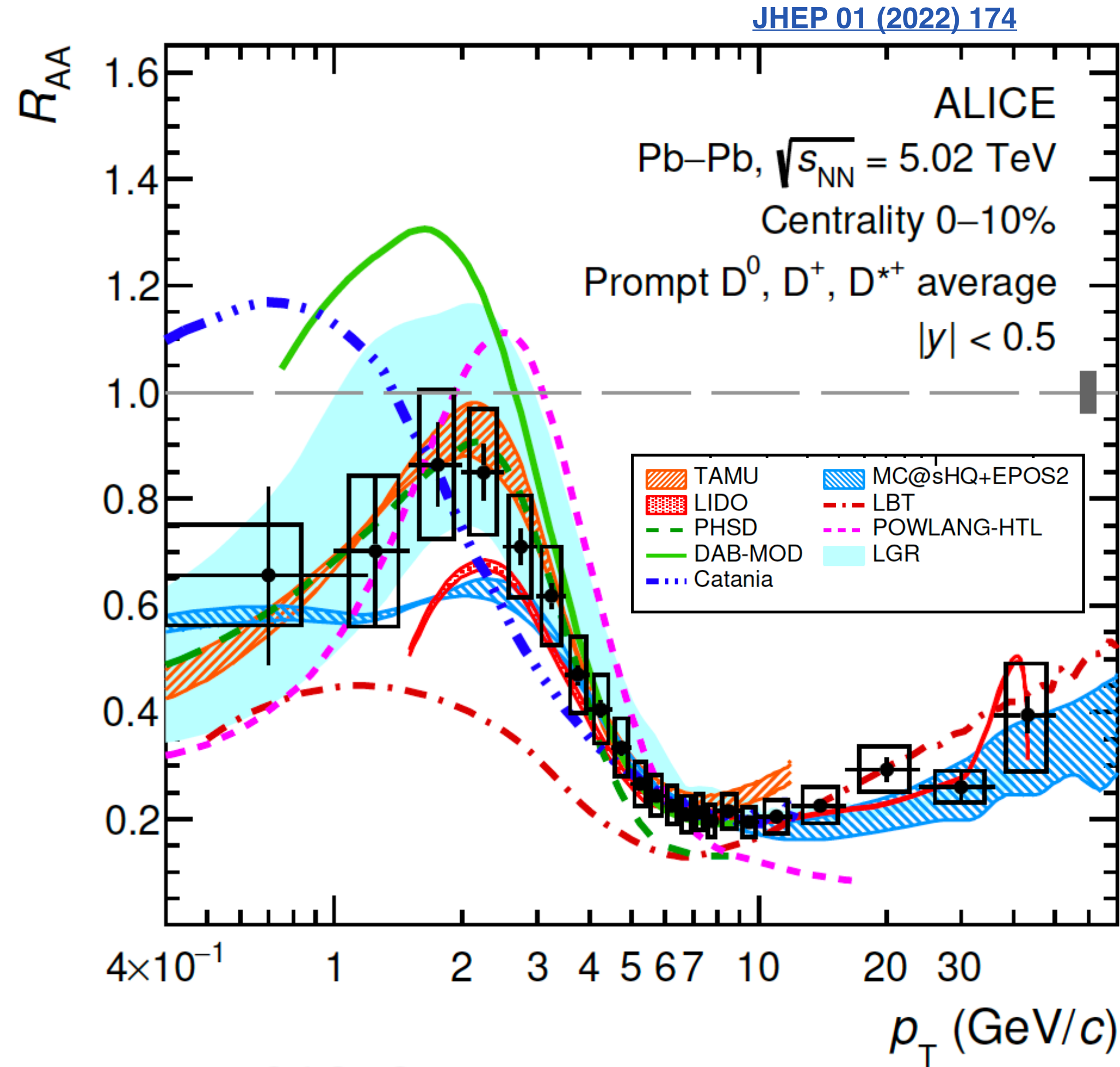


precise measurements of full decay topology of beauty hadrons



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not only energy loss:

Interpretation of R_{AA} p_T shape

➔ several mechanisms that contribute in different p_T range

R_{AA} shape: interplay of parton energy loss, shadowing, radial flow, hadronization mechanisms

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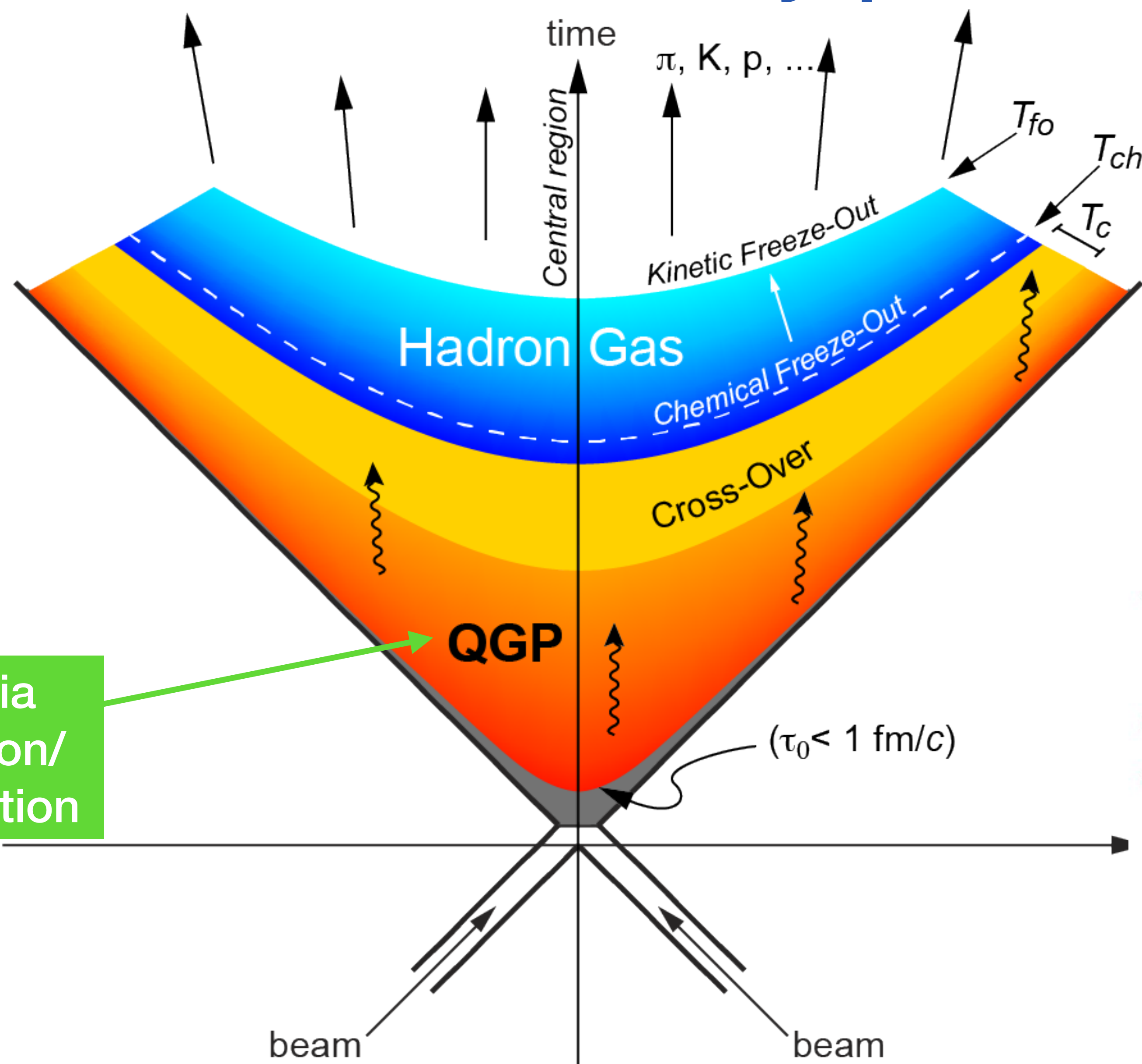
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crucial to measure all HF charm hadron ground states!

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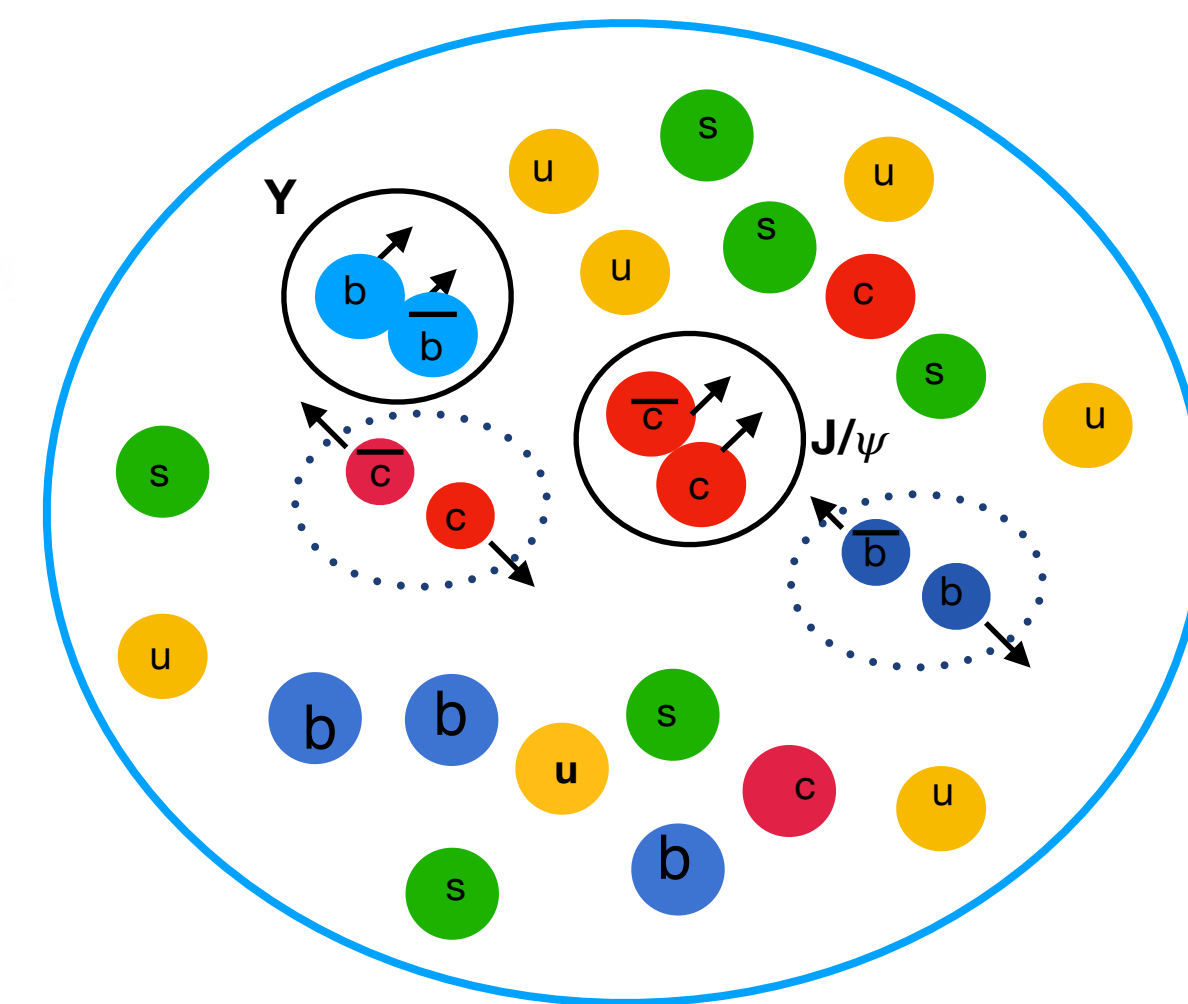
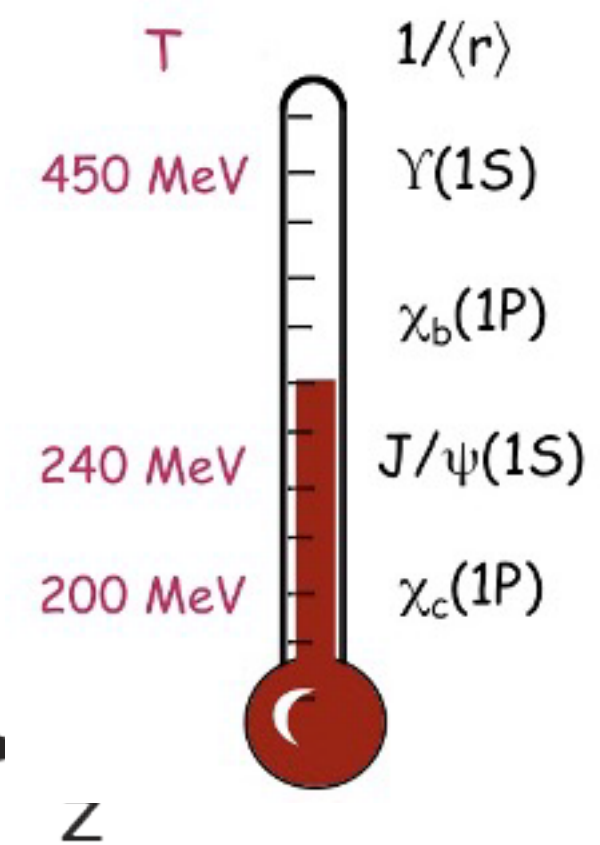
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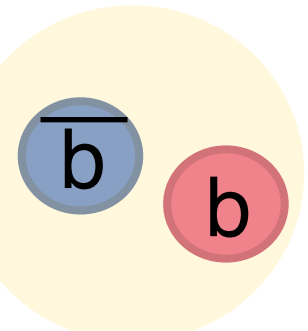


quarkonia: **sequential melting** depending on their binding energy; quarkonia **regeneration** at low p_T

Quarkonia suppression/recombination



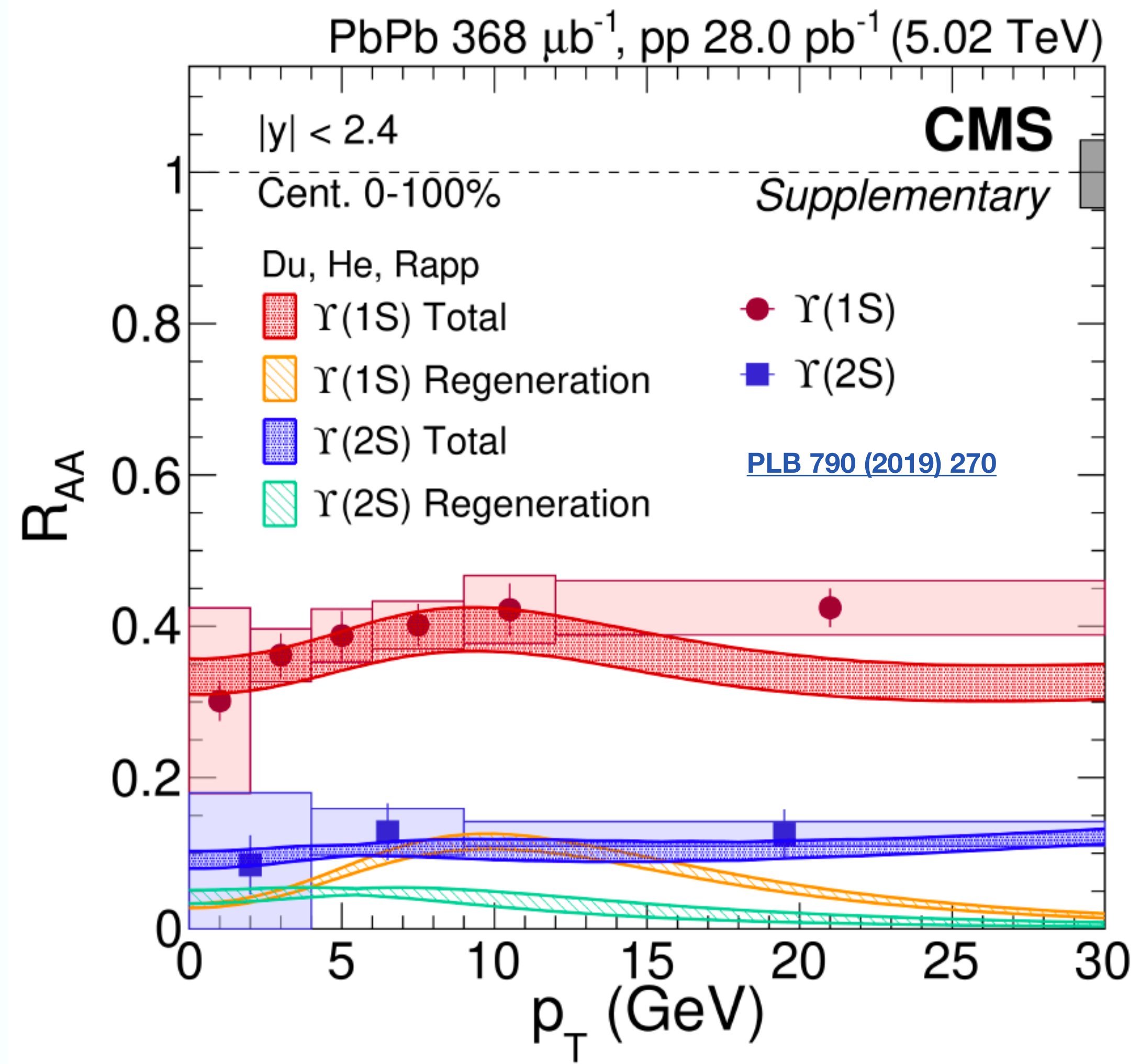
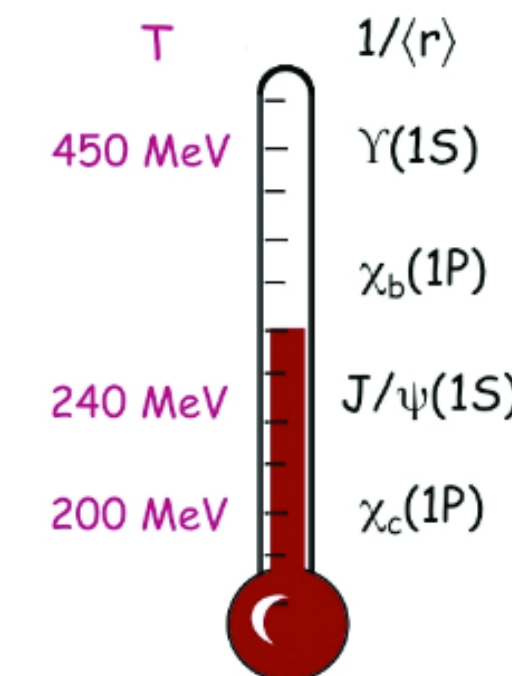
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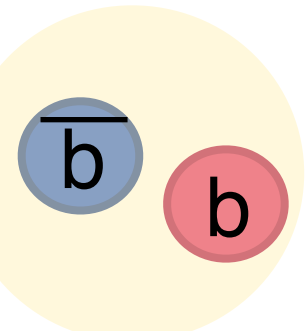
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Bottomonium: very clear ordering of R_{AA} as in the sequential melting picture

- transport calculation describe measurements
 - small contribution from regeneration
- **Suppression is the dominant process**

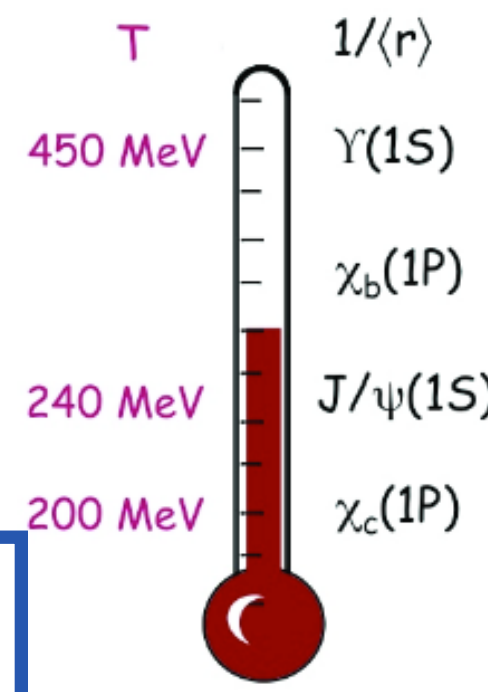
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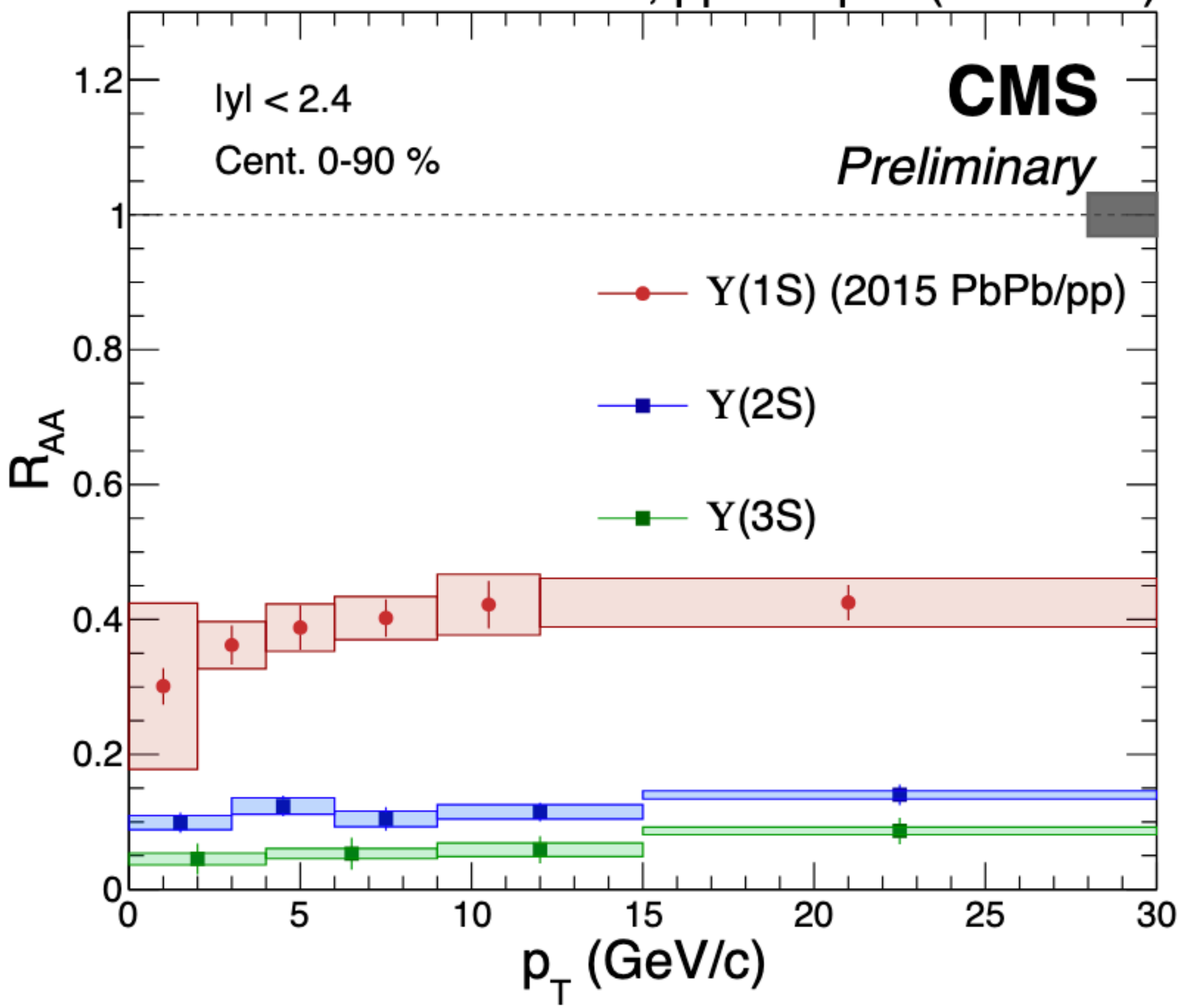
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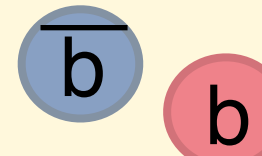


Bottomonium: First Y(3S) measurement in Pb-Pb

- no significant p_T dependence of R_{AA}

- $\frac{R_{AA}^{(3S)}}{R_{AA}^{(2S)}} \approx 0.5$

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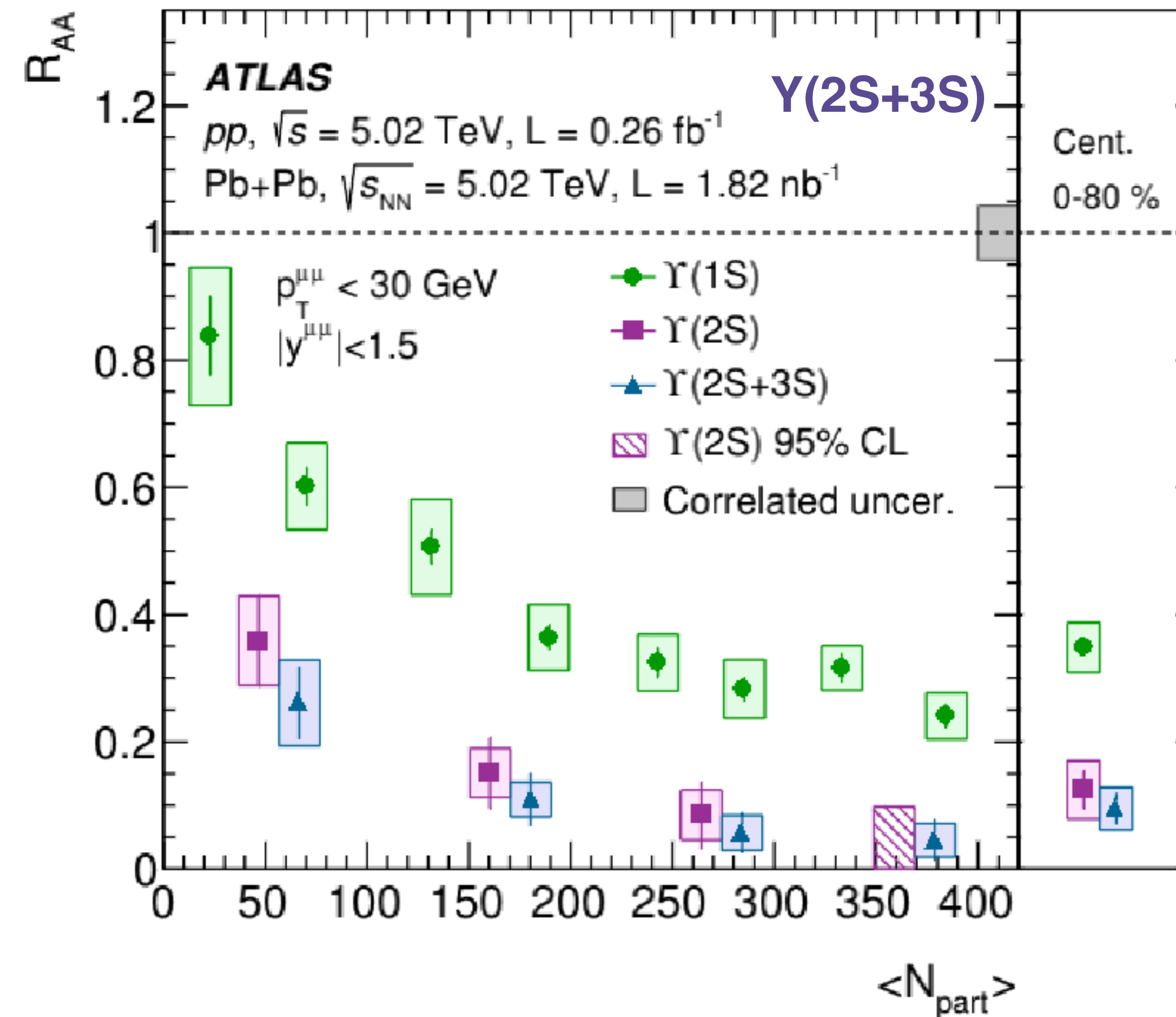
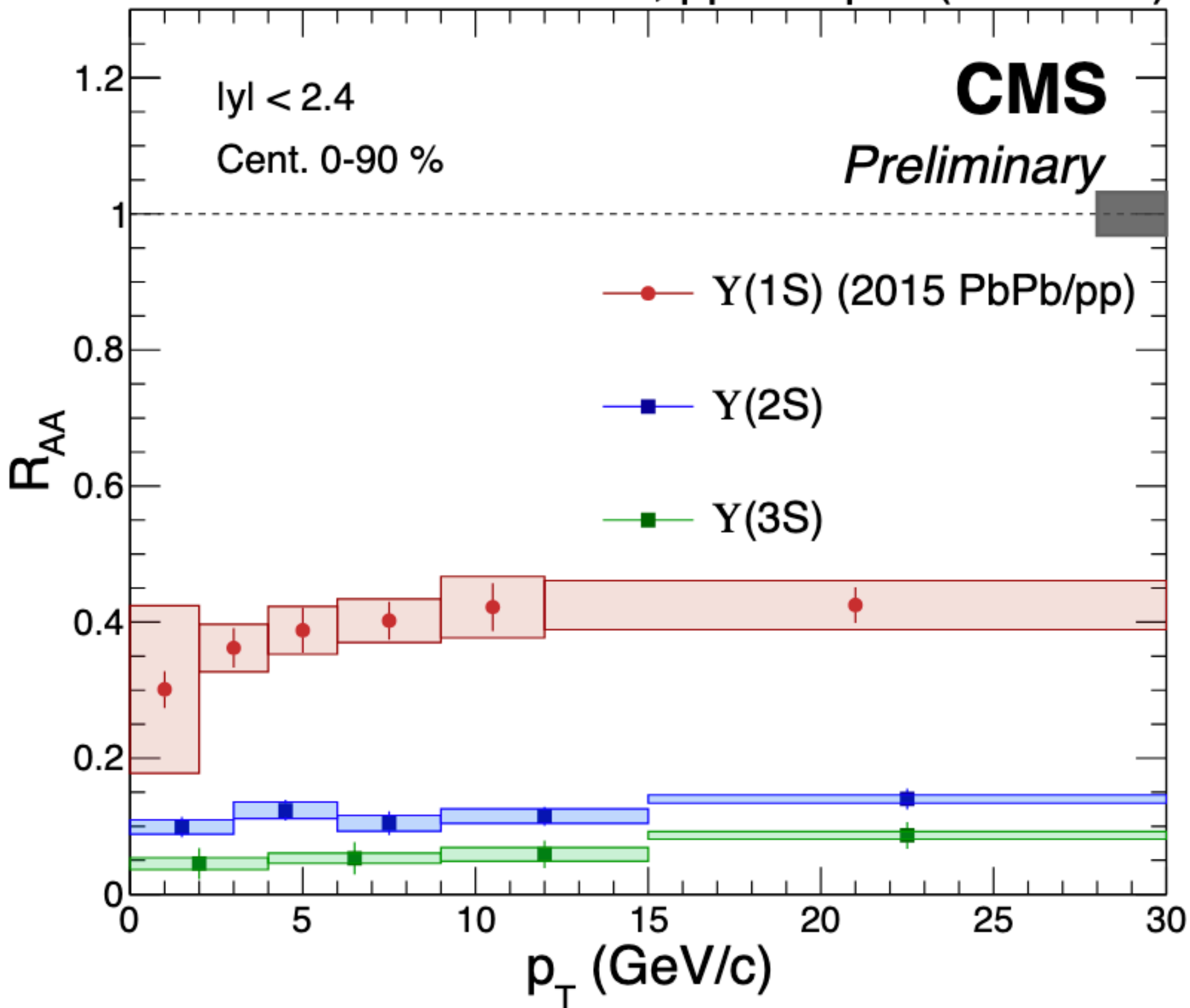
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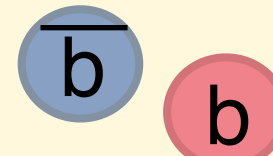
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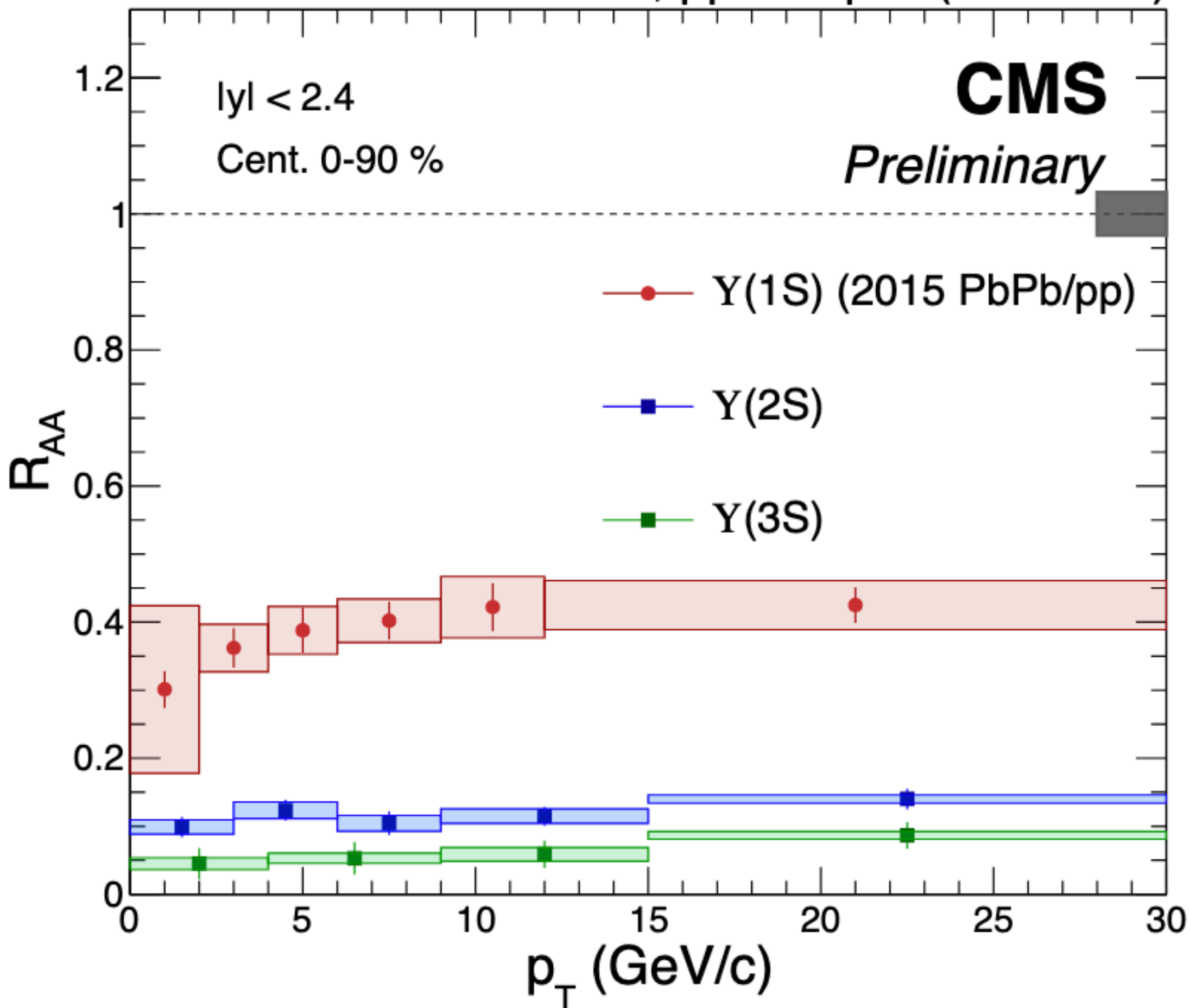
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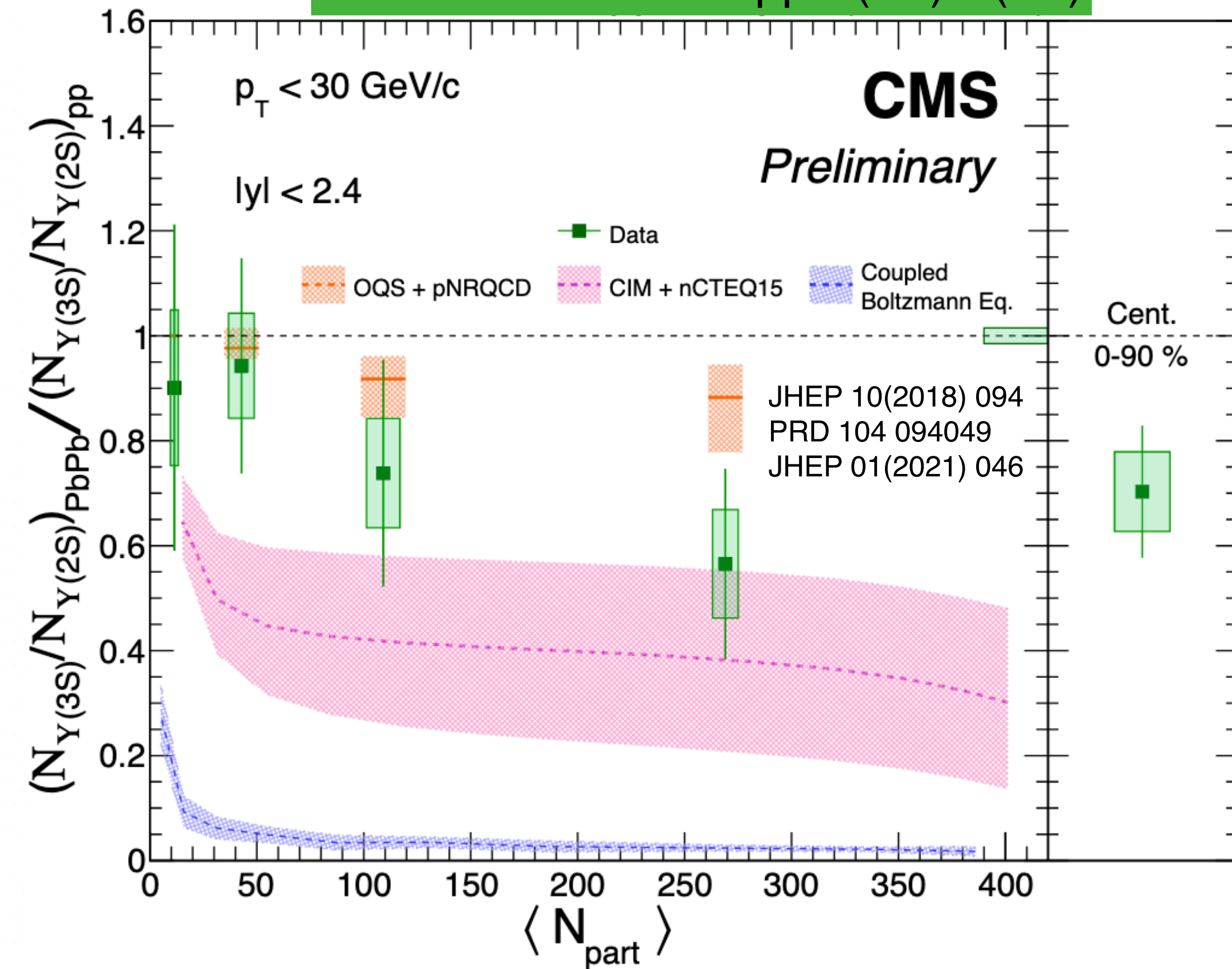
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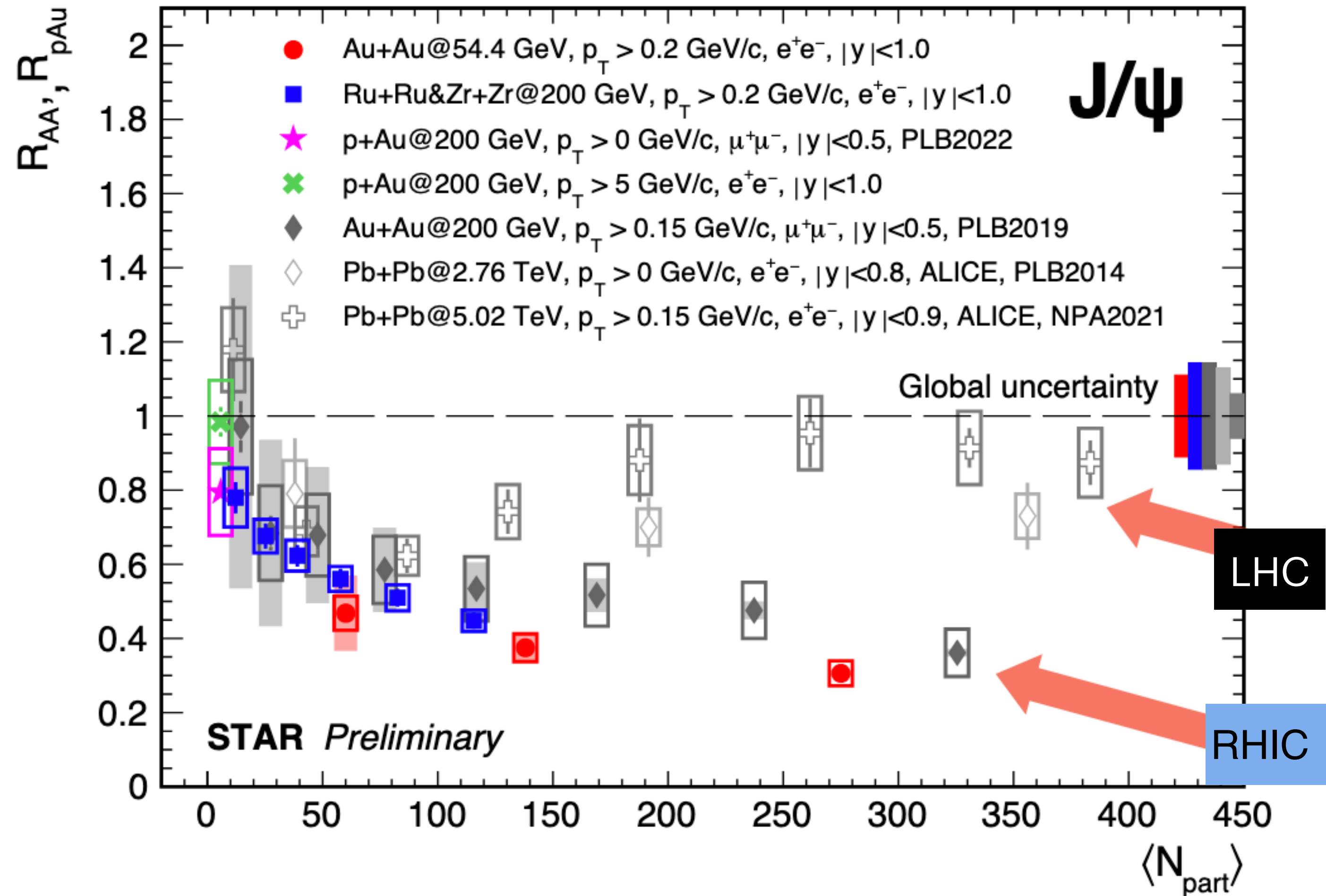


Double ratio Pb-Pb/pp Y(3S)/Y(2S)



could provide more constraints to theoretical models

Quarkonia suppression and recombination in the QGP: RHIC vs LHC R_{AA}



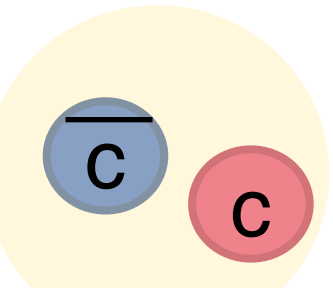
J/ψ R_{AA} in Ru+Ru&Zr+Zr and Au+Au 54.4 GeV

- No significant energy and nuclei species dependence of the R_{AA}

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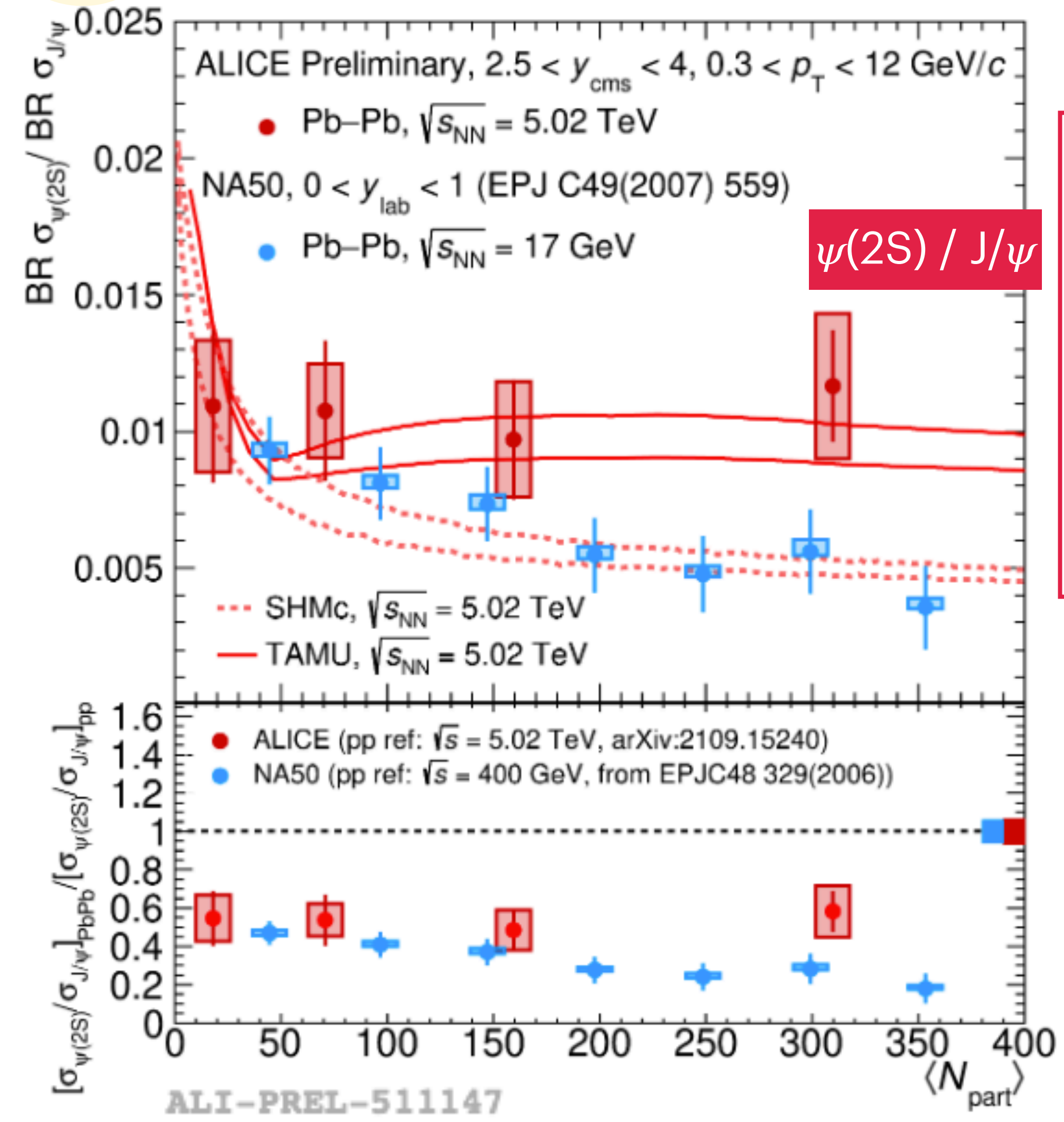
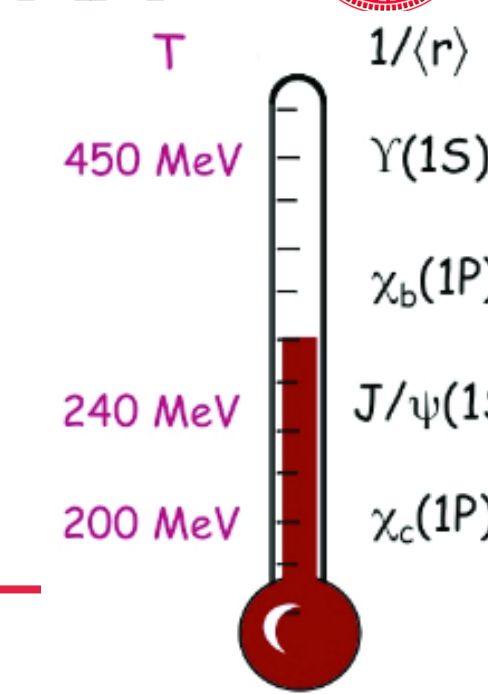
J/ψ R_{AA} in Pb-Pb at 2.76, 5.02 TeV

- Larger contribution from recombination at LHC than at RHIC



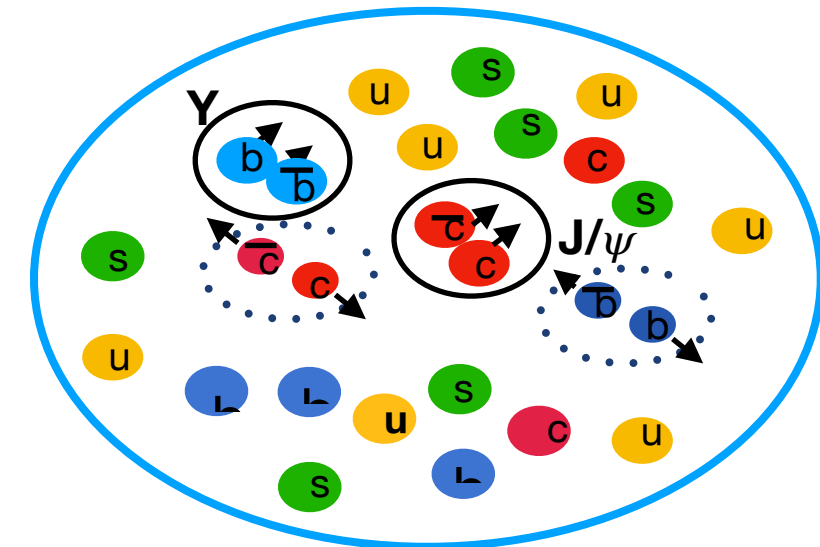
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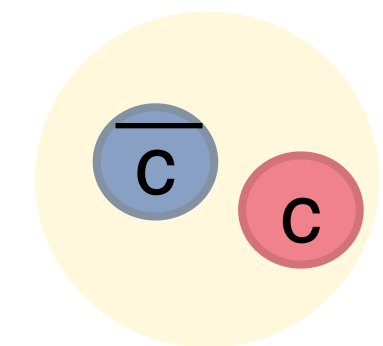


Charmonium: First $\psi(2S)$ measurement down to 0 p_T

- $\psi(2S)$ strongly suppressed wrt to J/ψ
- TAMU and SHMc models:
 - initial state effects (shadowing) and charm cross section uncertainty cancel in the ratio
 - smaller theoretical uncertainties
- Hint of larger $\psi(2S)/J/\psi$ in central collisions at **LHC** wrt **SPS**

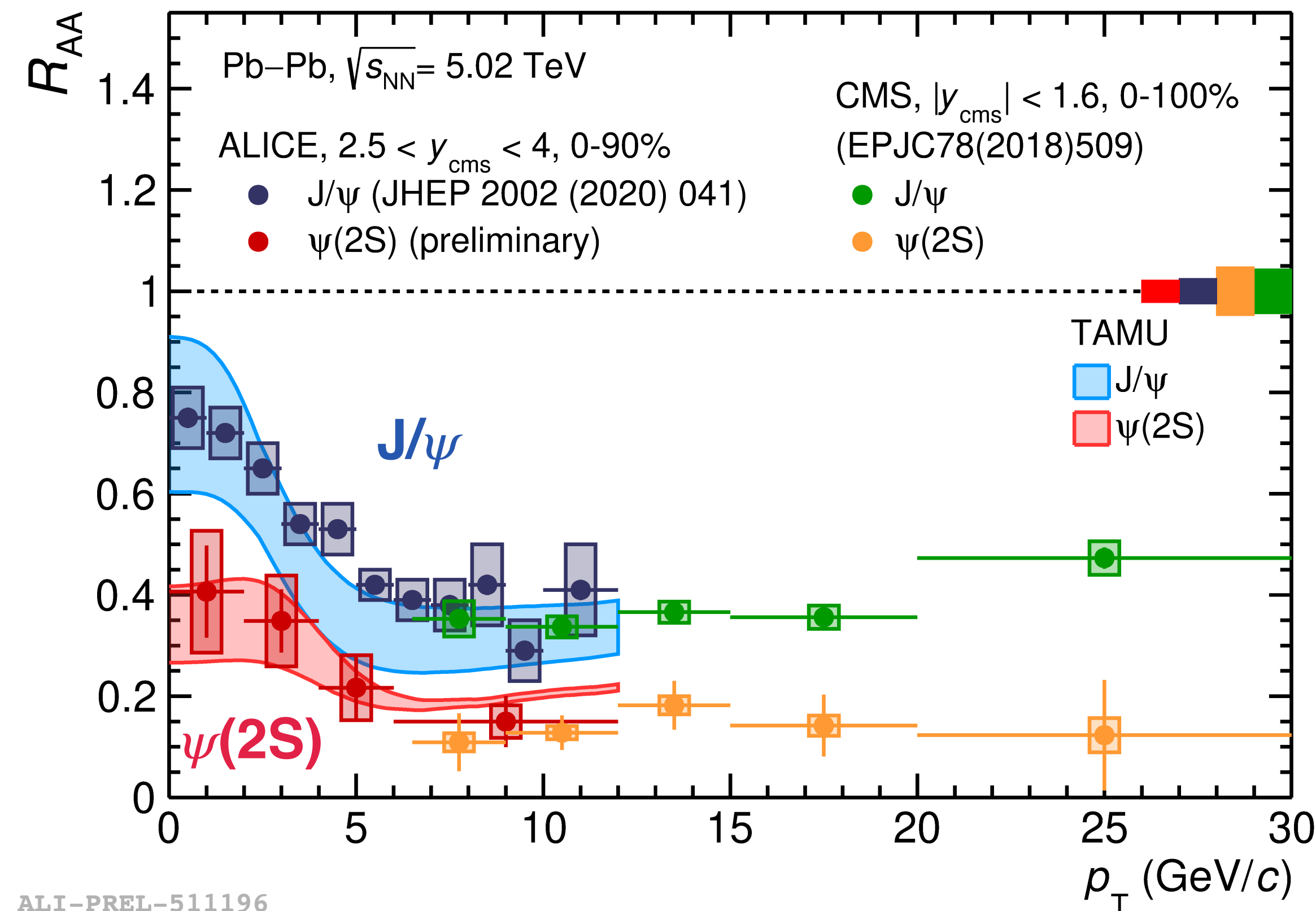


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Charmonium: larger suppression of $\psi(2S)$ wrt J/ψ in a wide p_T range

- agreement among **ALICE** and **CMS** in the overlapping p_T region
- **increasing R_{AA} at low p_T :** regeneration of charmonium, described by models, for J/ψ and $\psi(2S)$

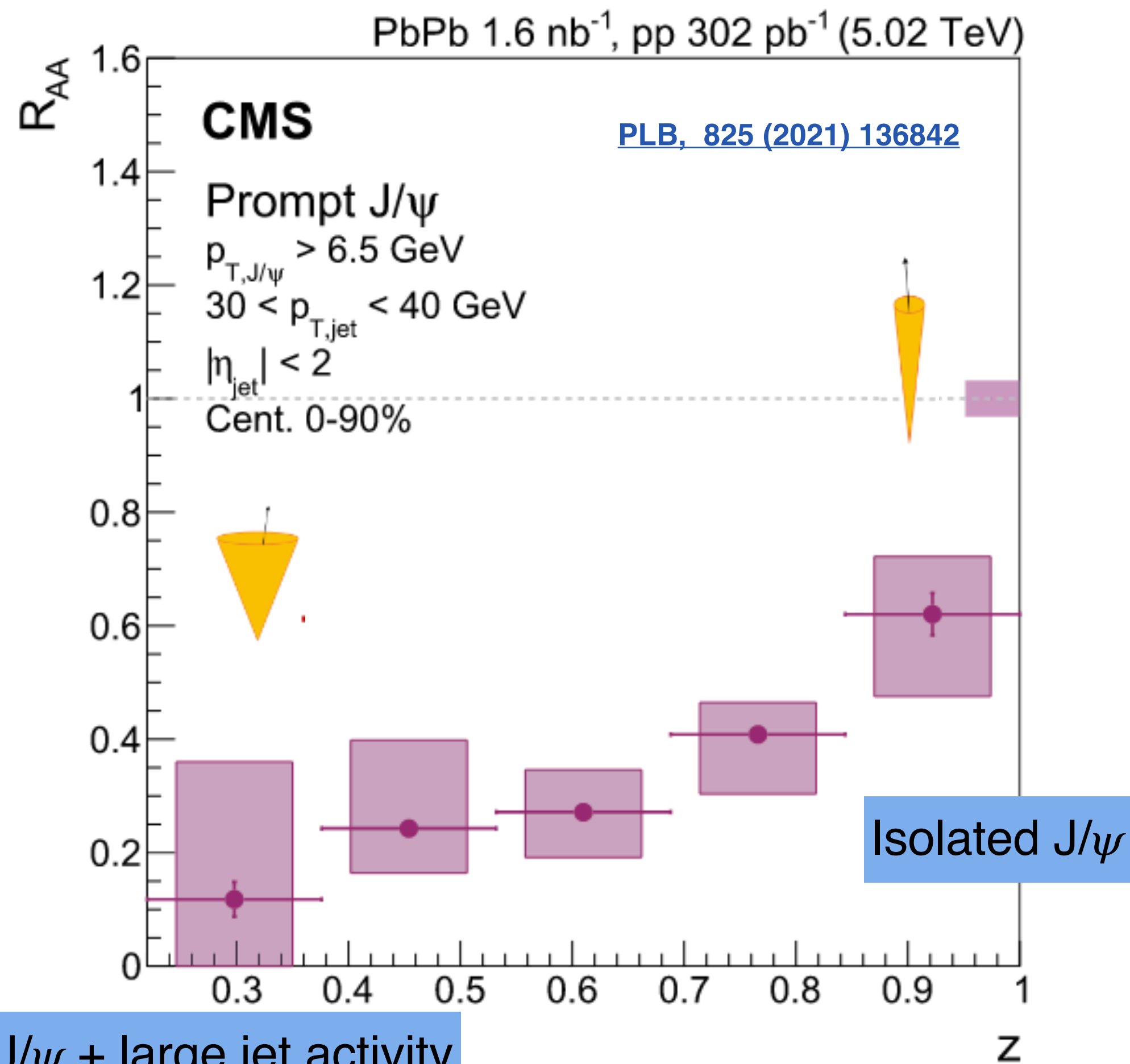
recombination: at which temperature? up to which p_T ?



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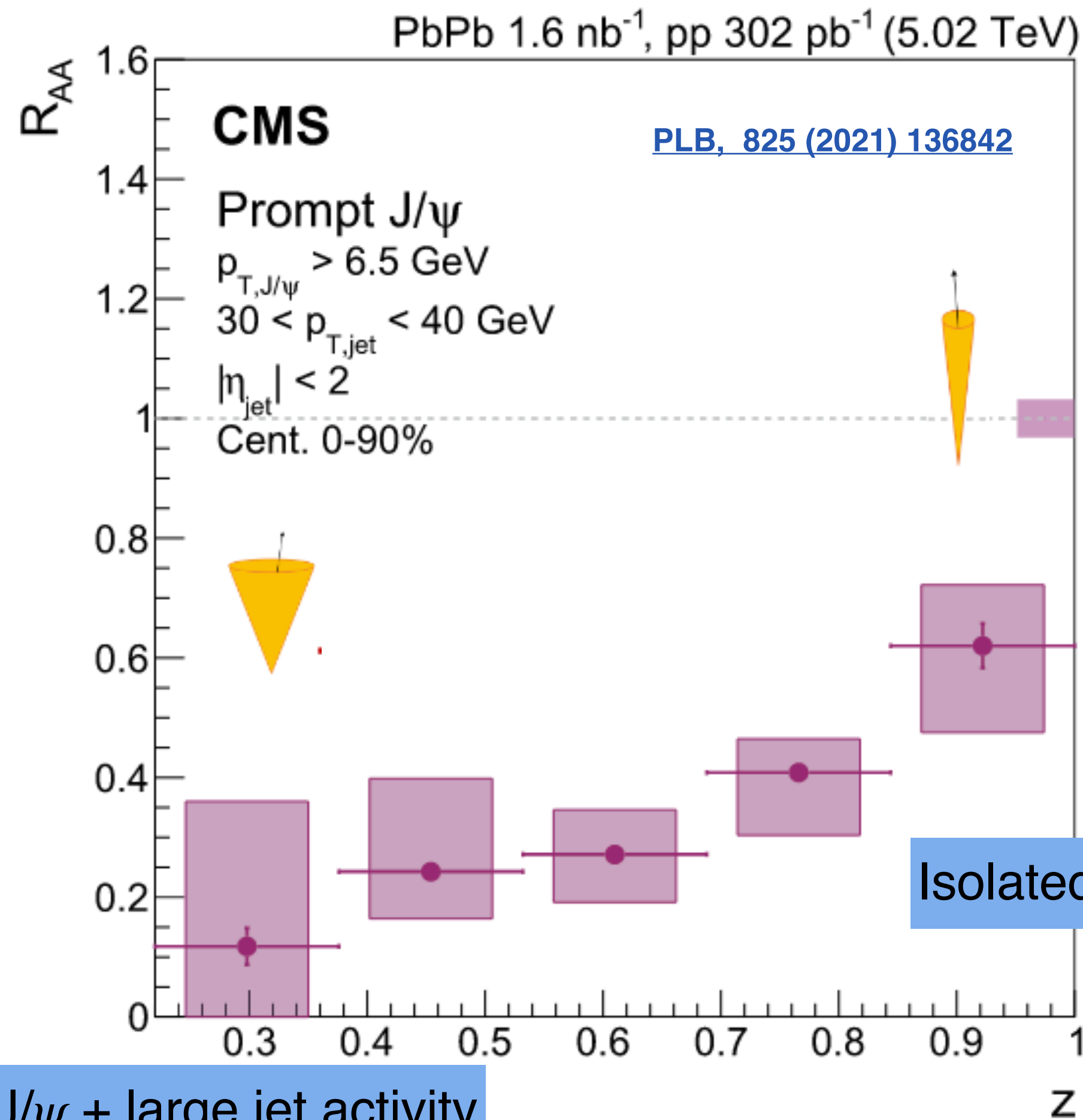
J/ψ + large jet activity

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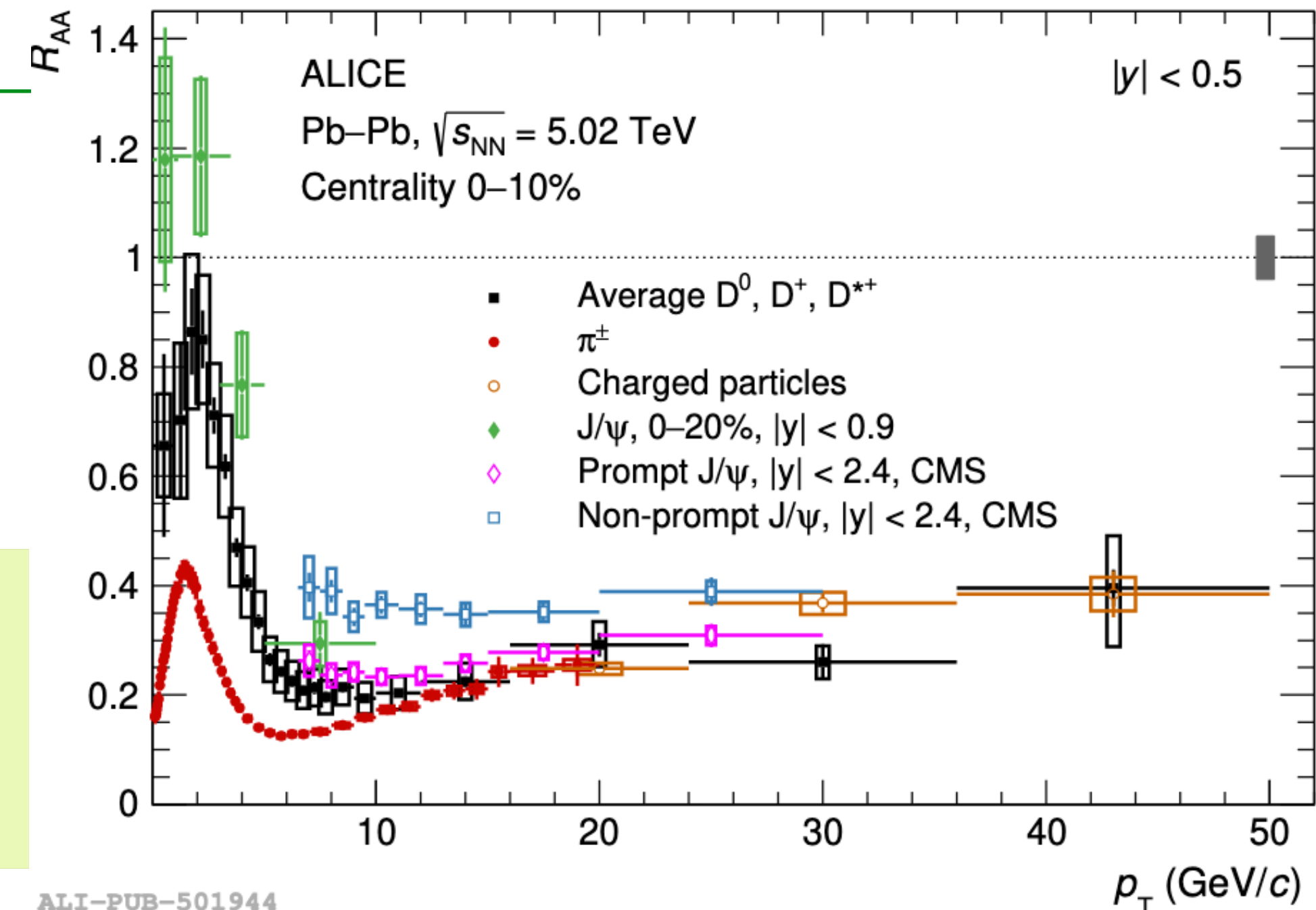
$$z = \frac{p_T (J/\psi)}{p_T (Jet)}$$

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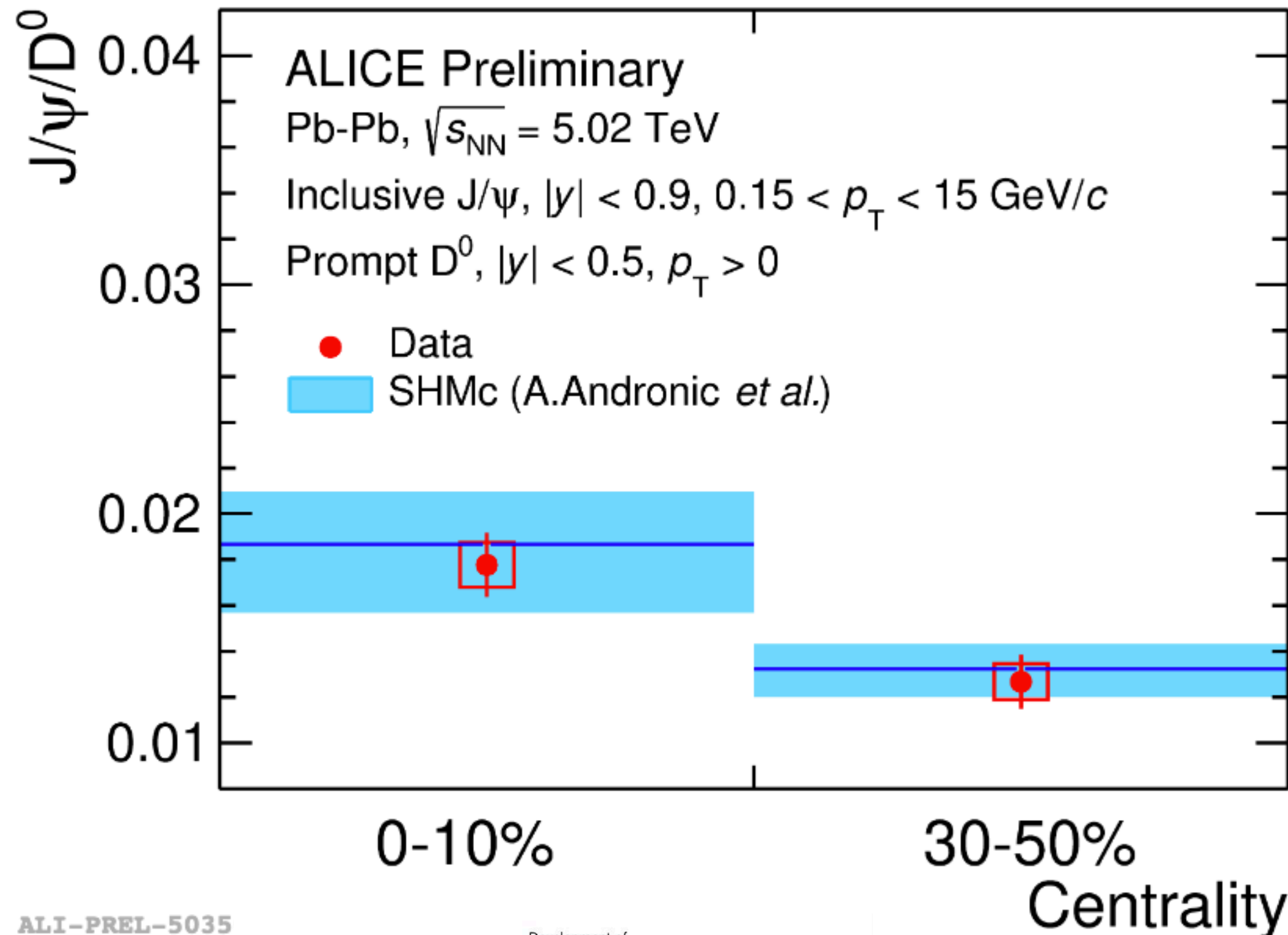
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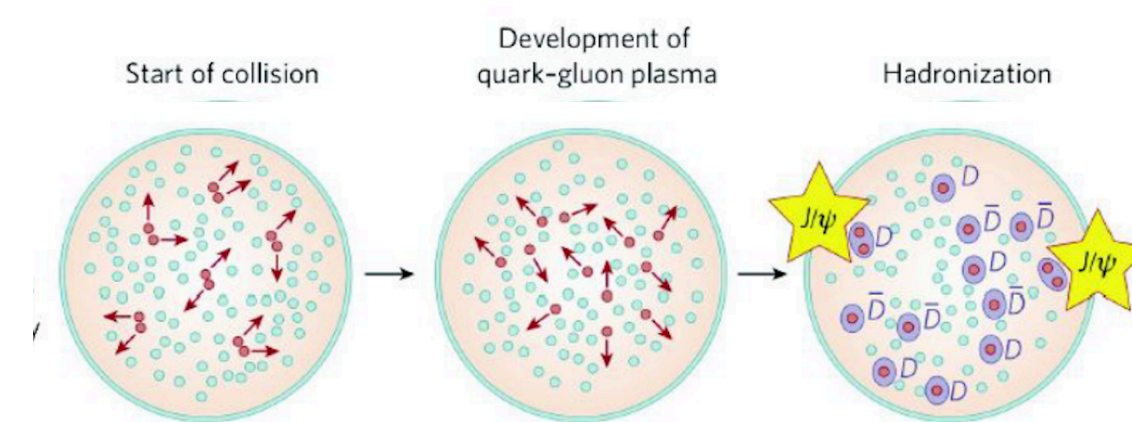
Similar **prompt D** and **prompt J/ψ** at intermediate/high p_T: contribution from production with **parton shower** from the splitting of a hard-scattered gluon

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- Similar p_T -integrated D^0/N_{coll} in 0-10% and 30-50% PbPb:
- Larger $J/\psi/D^0$ in 0-10%:
 - ➔ due to larger J/ψ contribution from the recombination in most central events?
 - ➔ caveat: inclusive J/ψ ; possible centrality dependence of $f(c \rightarrow D^0)$
- Comparison with SHMc: JHEP07 (2021) 035
- most of the thermodynamic parameters cancel out:
 - ➔ sensitive to charm fugacity: increase of charm fugacity in most central according to SHMc

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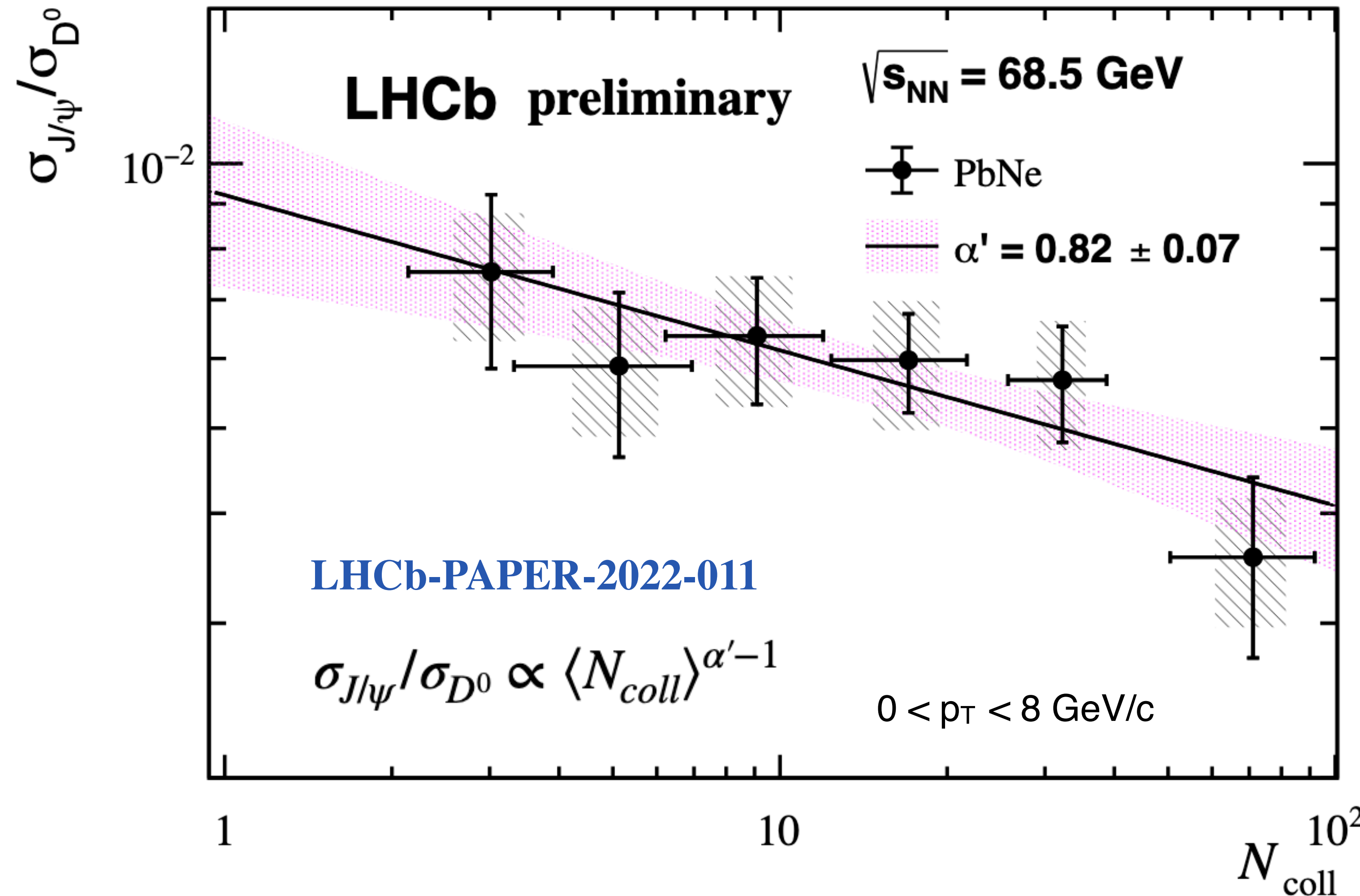
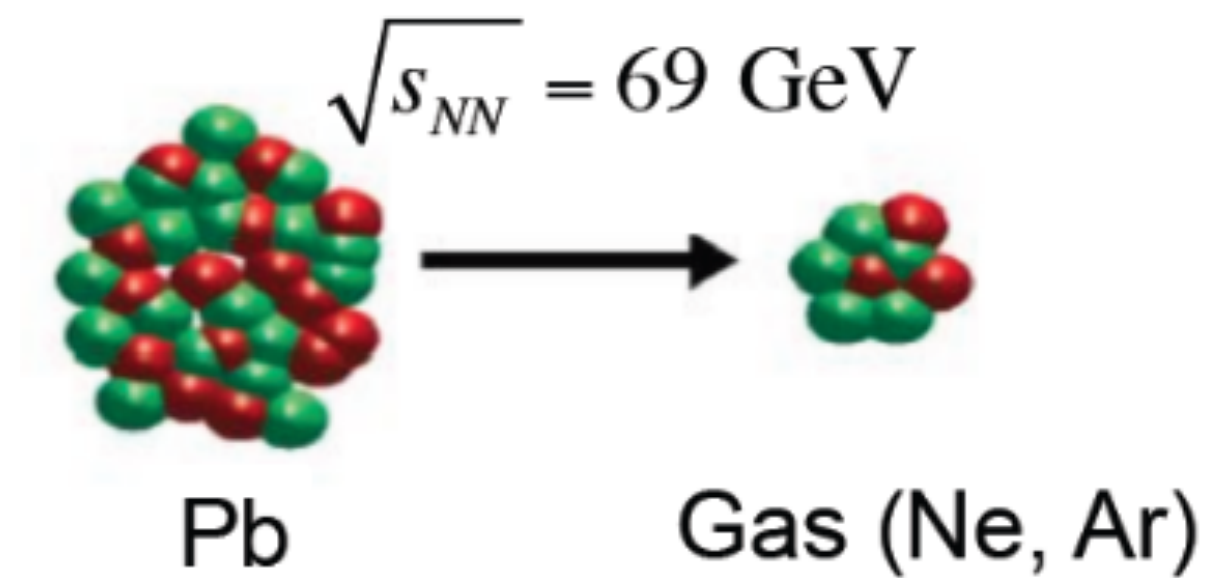
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Precise measurement of total charm cross section needed

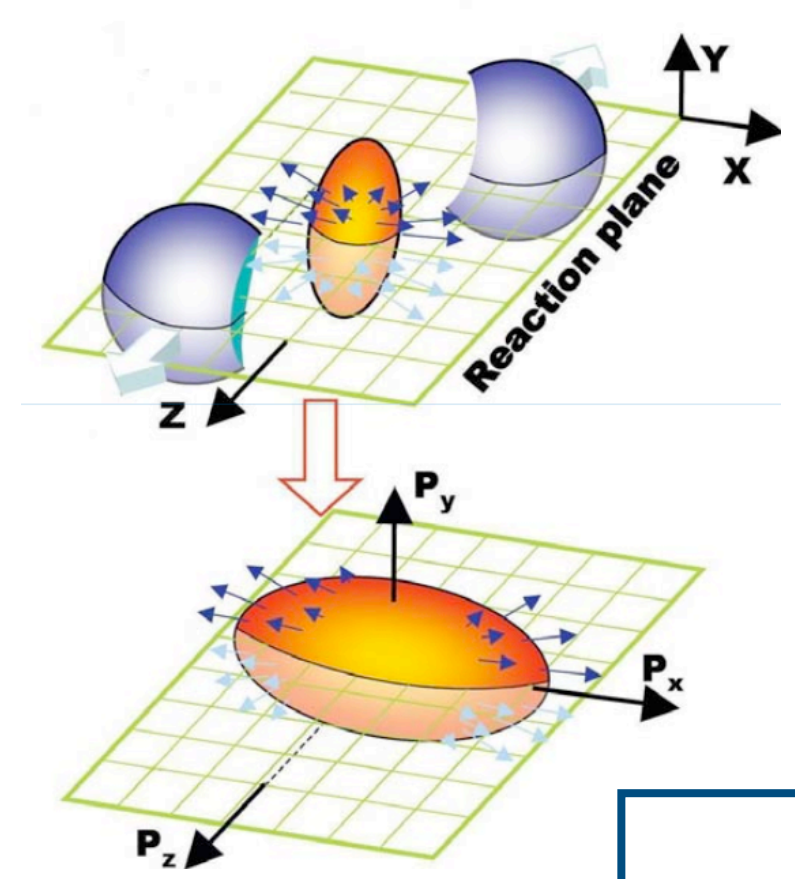
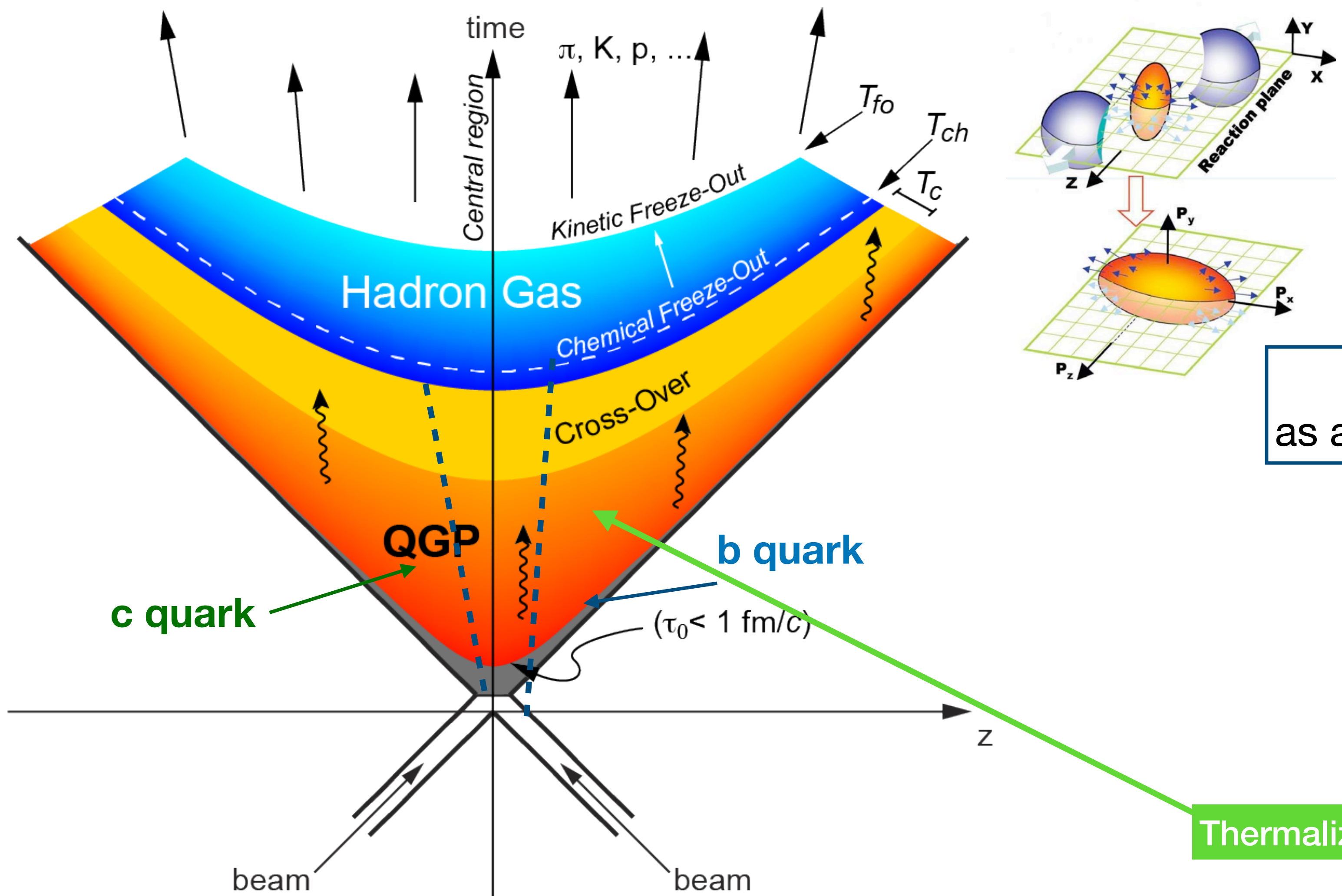
J/ψ and D⁰ in PbNe collisions at 68.5 GeV

First measurement in fixed-target nucleus-nucleus collisions at the LHC: QGP in PbNe?

Look for the onset of the transition from ordinary hadronic matter to the QGP

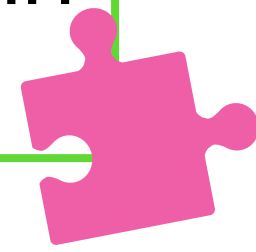


- similar trend as results at pA fixed target experiment at NA50 ([Phys.Lett. B 410 \(1997\) 337](#))
- no anomalous J/ψ suppression is observed that could indicate the formation of QGP
- decreasing trend due to additional nuclear effects for J/ψ



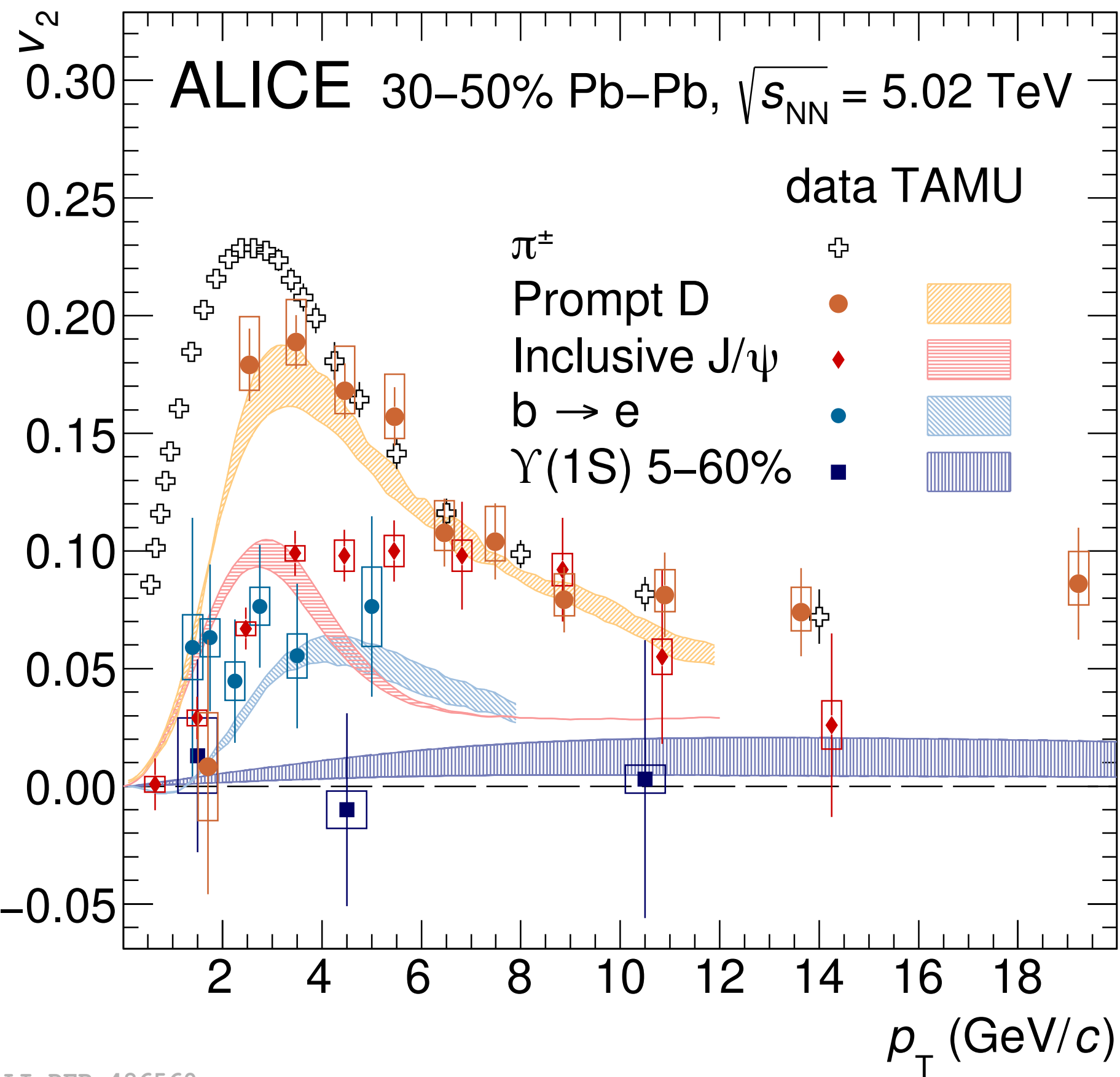
Thermalization
as a consequence of HQ coupling with medium

Which is the degree of thermalization of HQs in the medium?



Thermalization

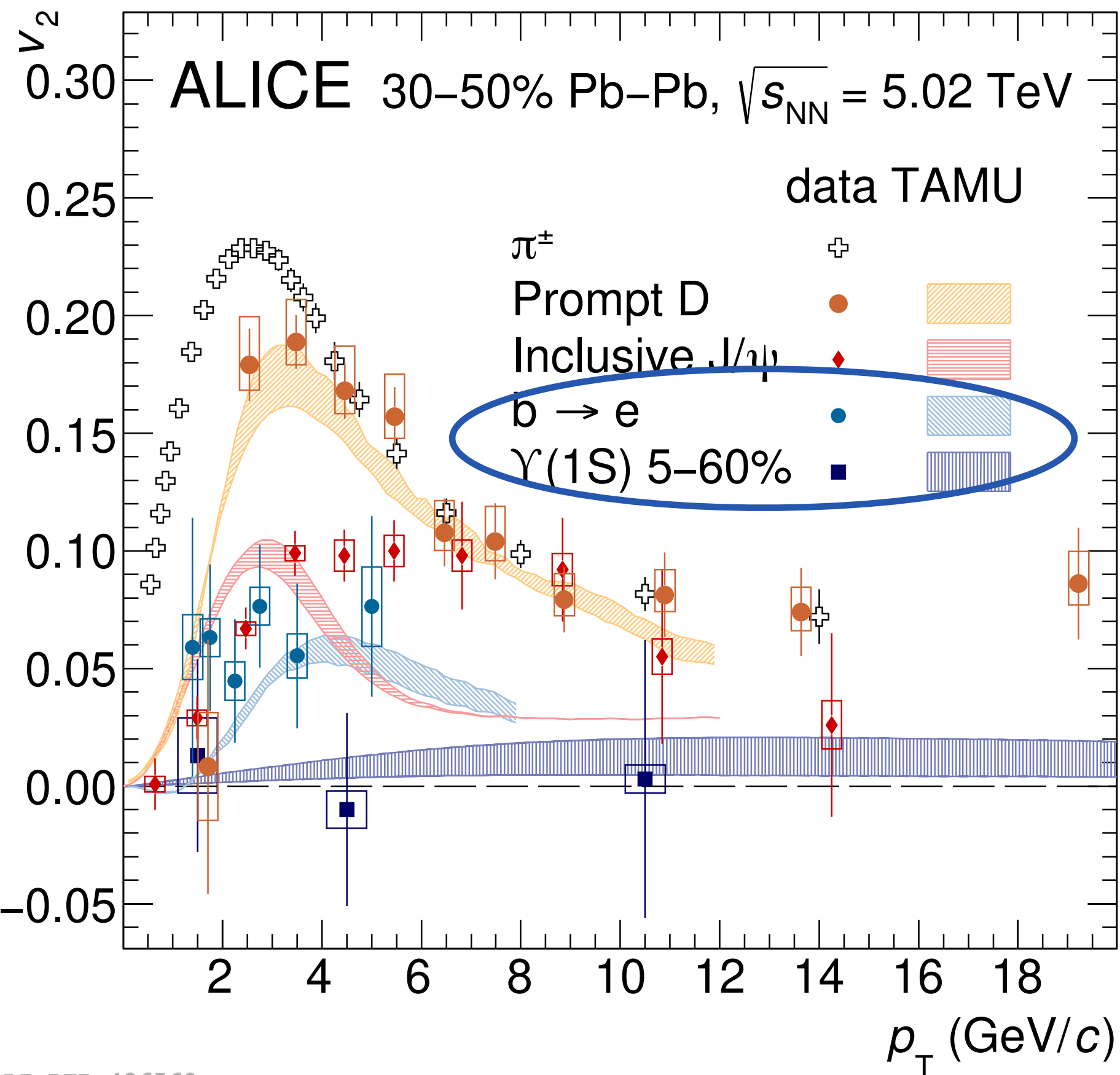
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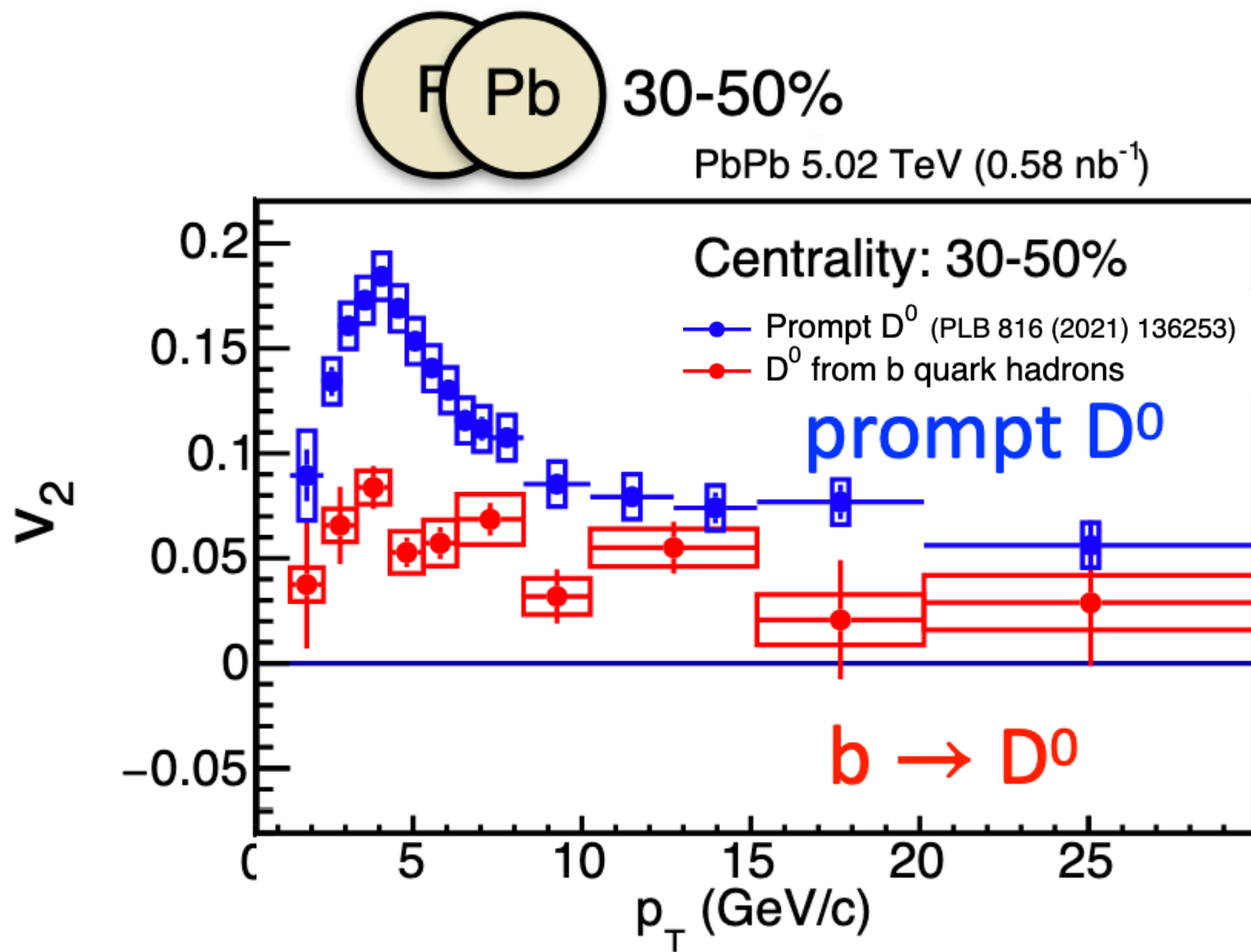
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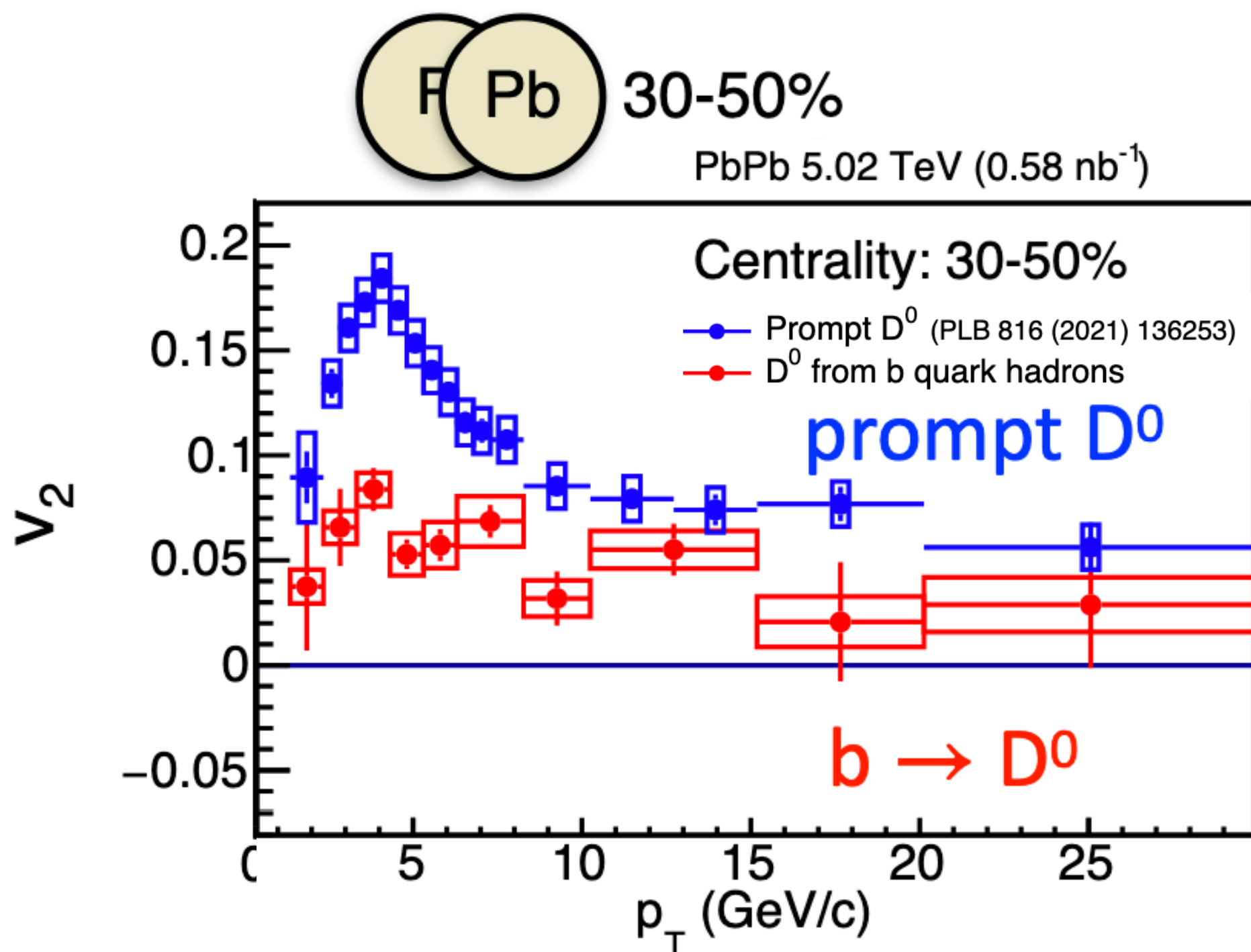
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- **Open beauty-hadrons $v_2 > 0$:** for from recombination with light quarks?
- **Bottomonia: $v_2(\Upsilon(1S)) = 0$:** negligible recombination. Does beauty flow?



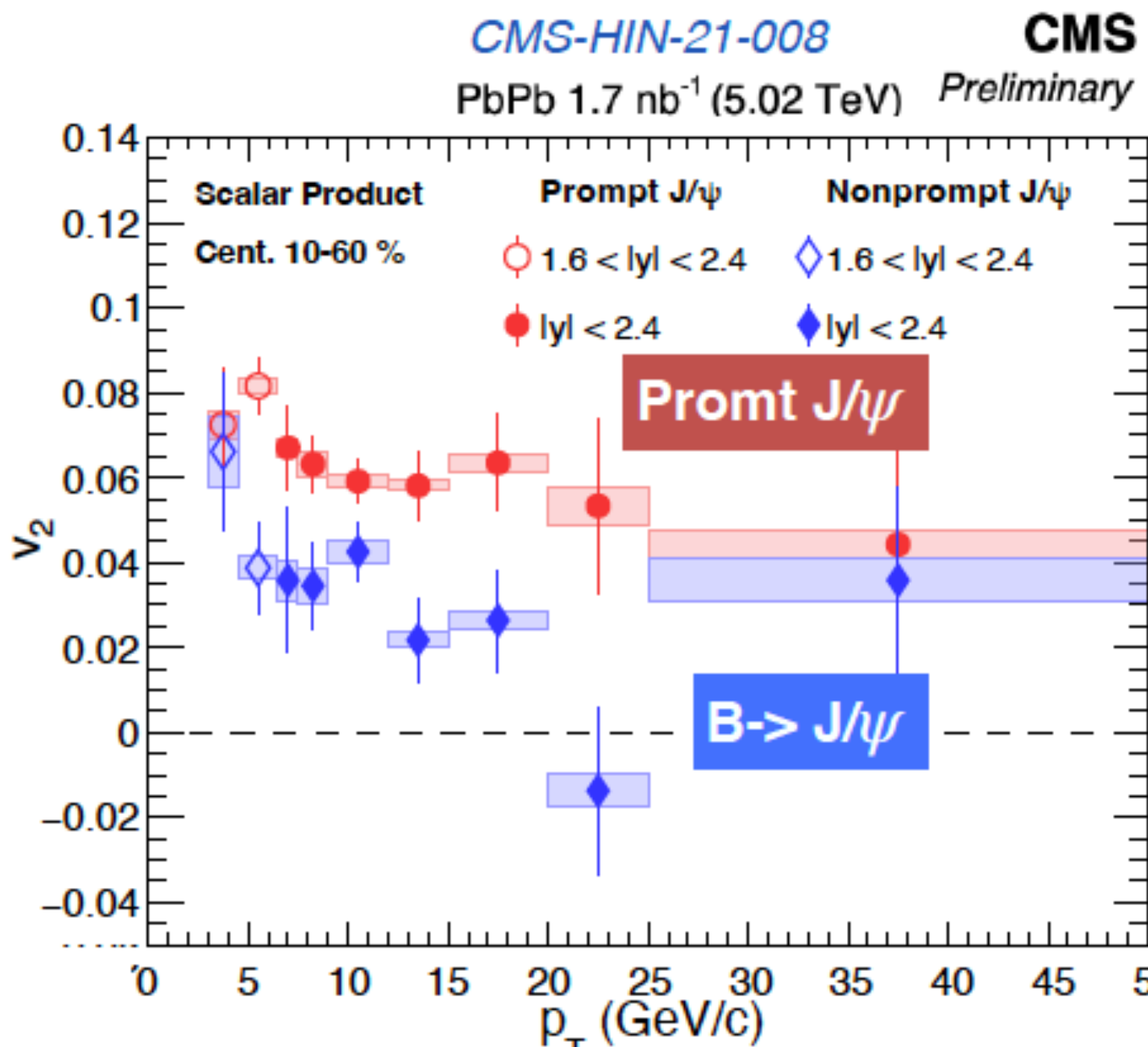
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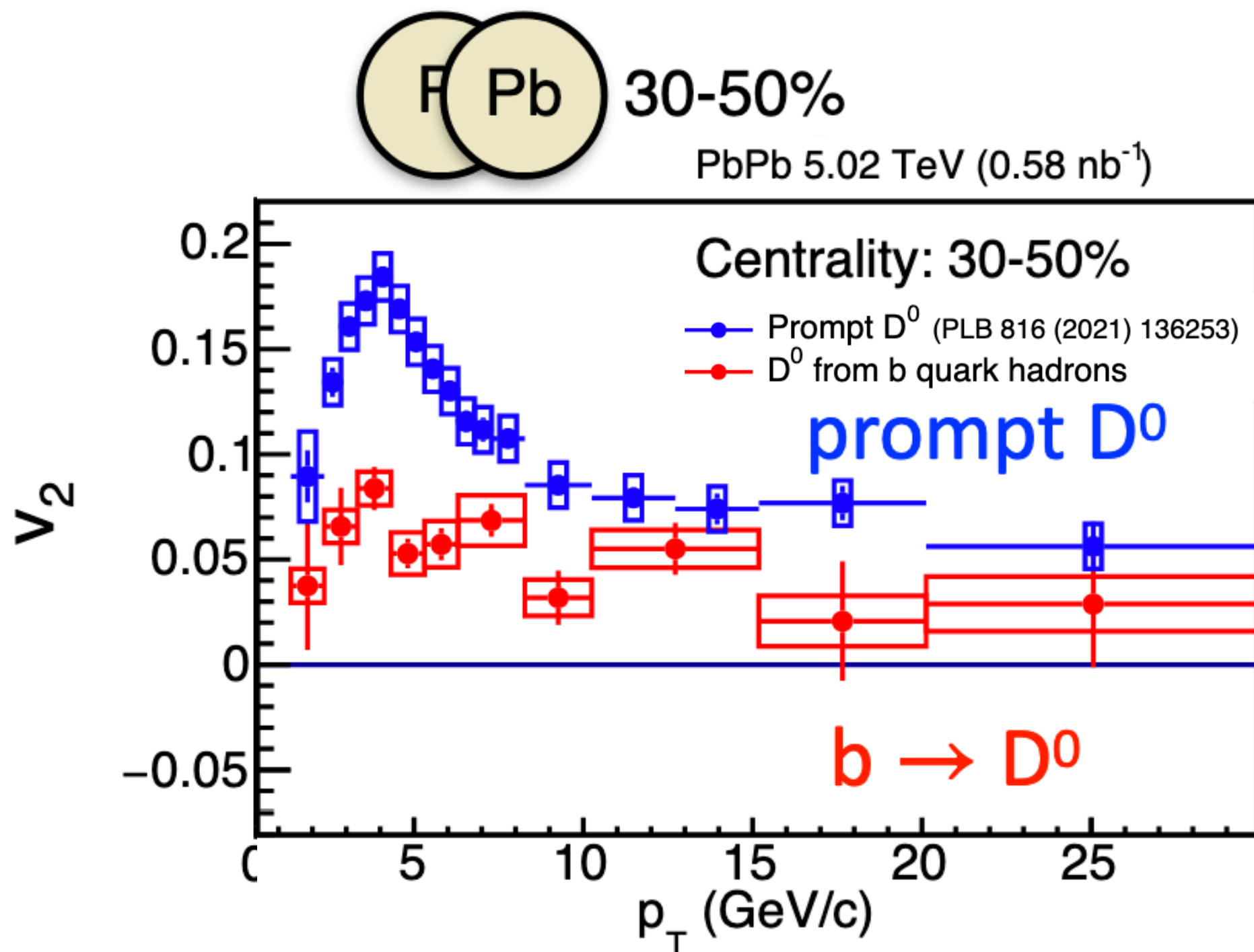


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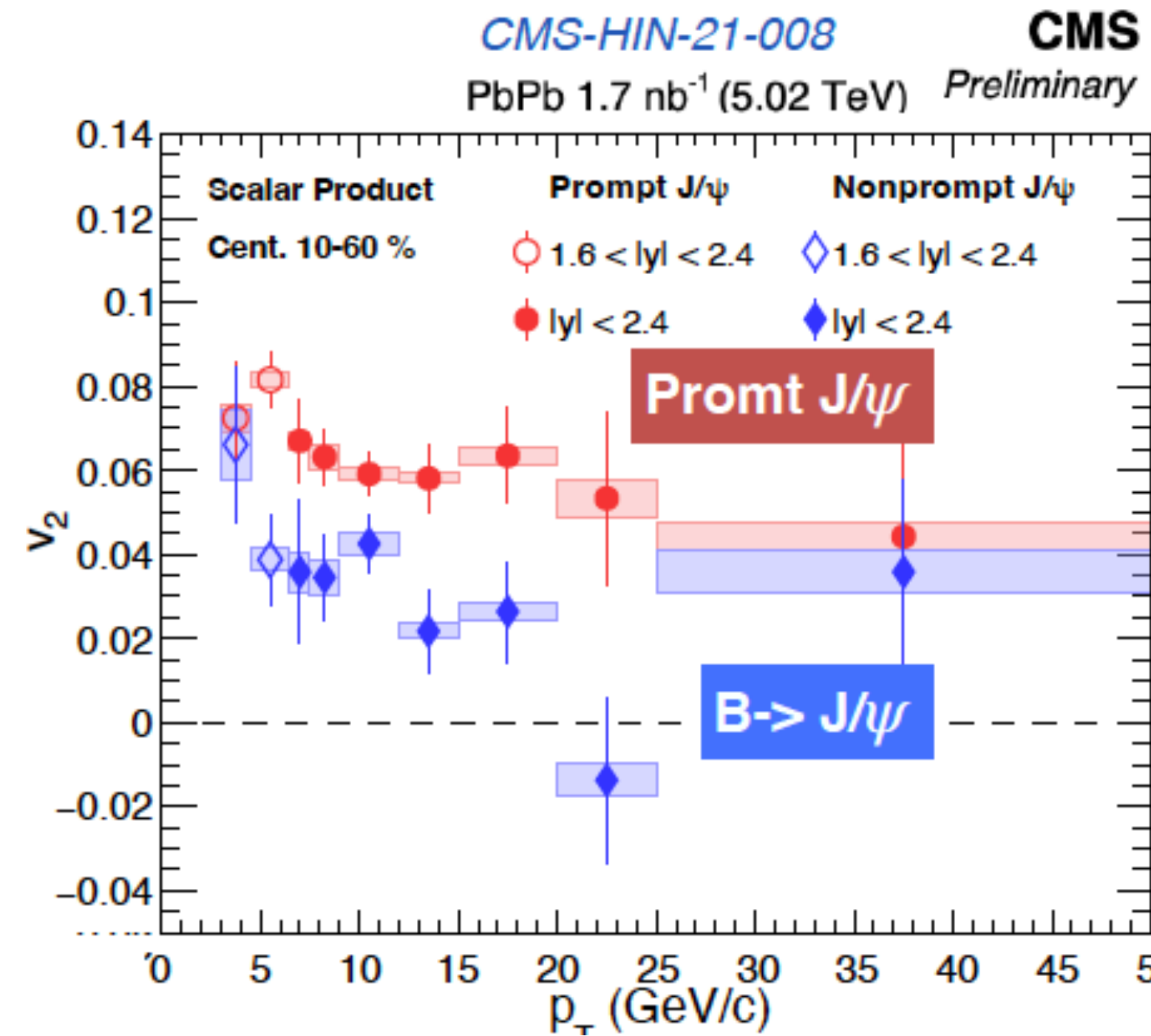
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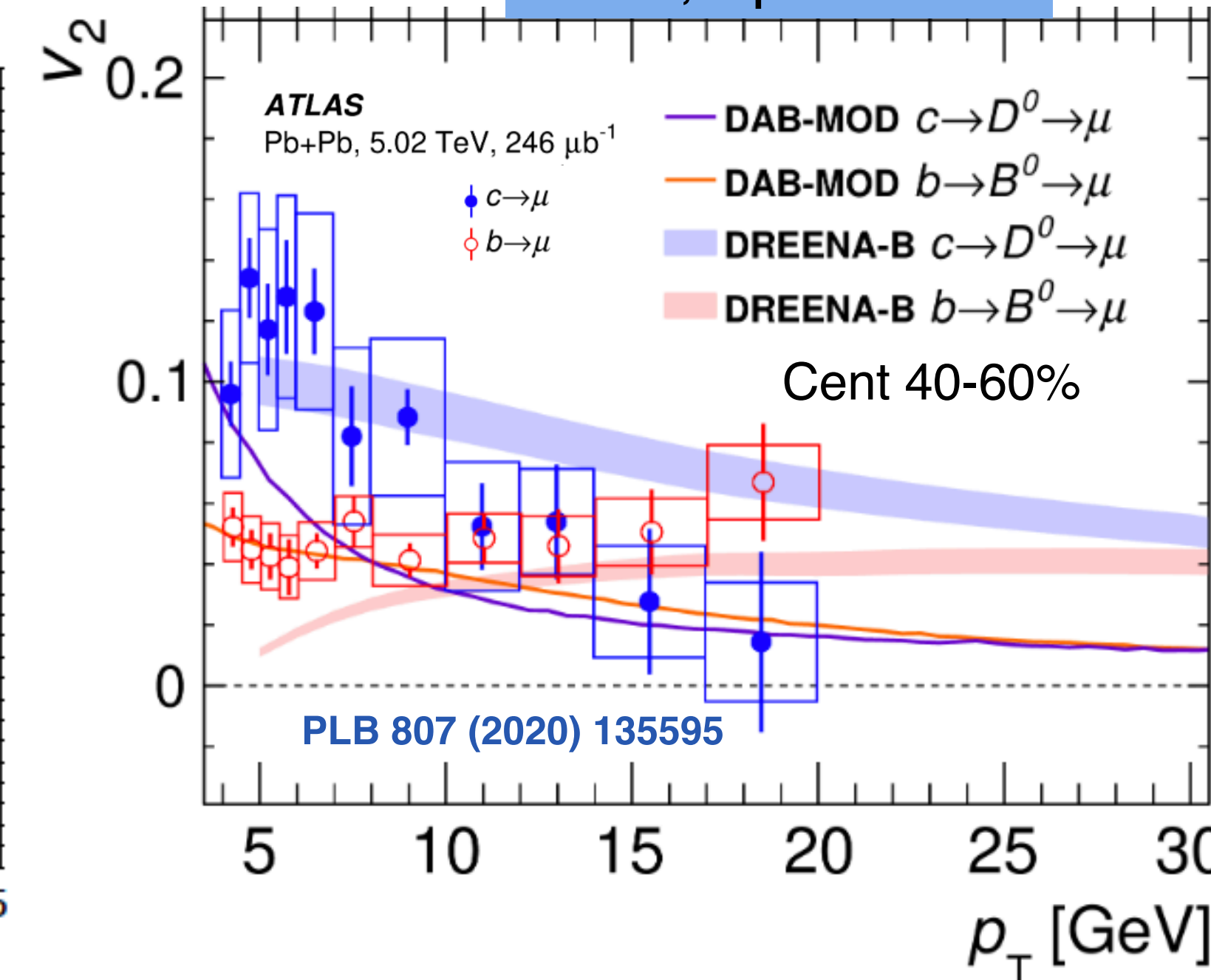
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First measurement of non-prompt D^0 v_2



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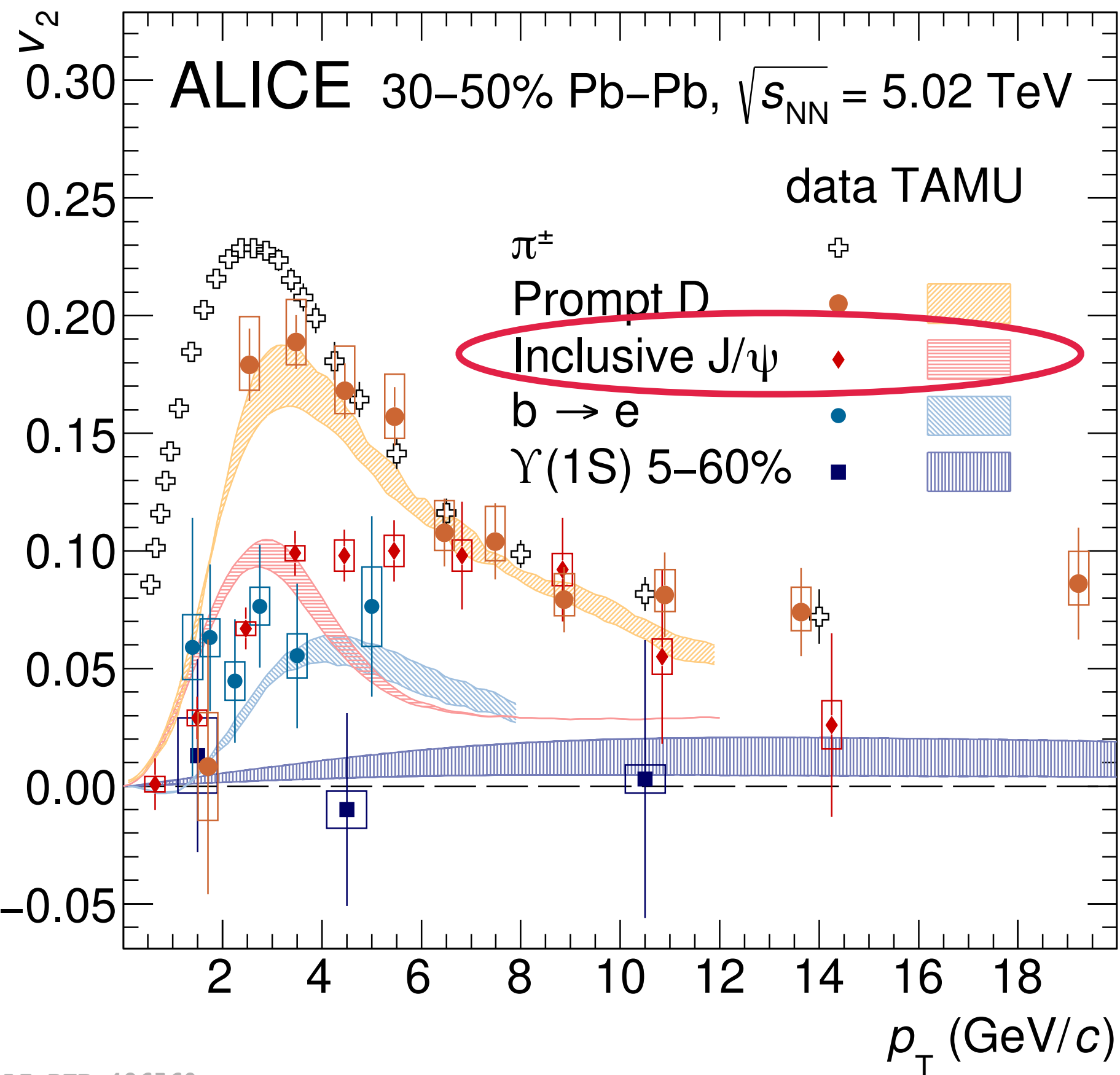
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Mass splitting of **charm** and **bottom** at low p_T in v_2 .

Positive beauty hadron v_2 both at low and high p_T
→ Indication of participation in the collective motions of the system

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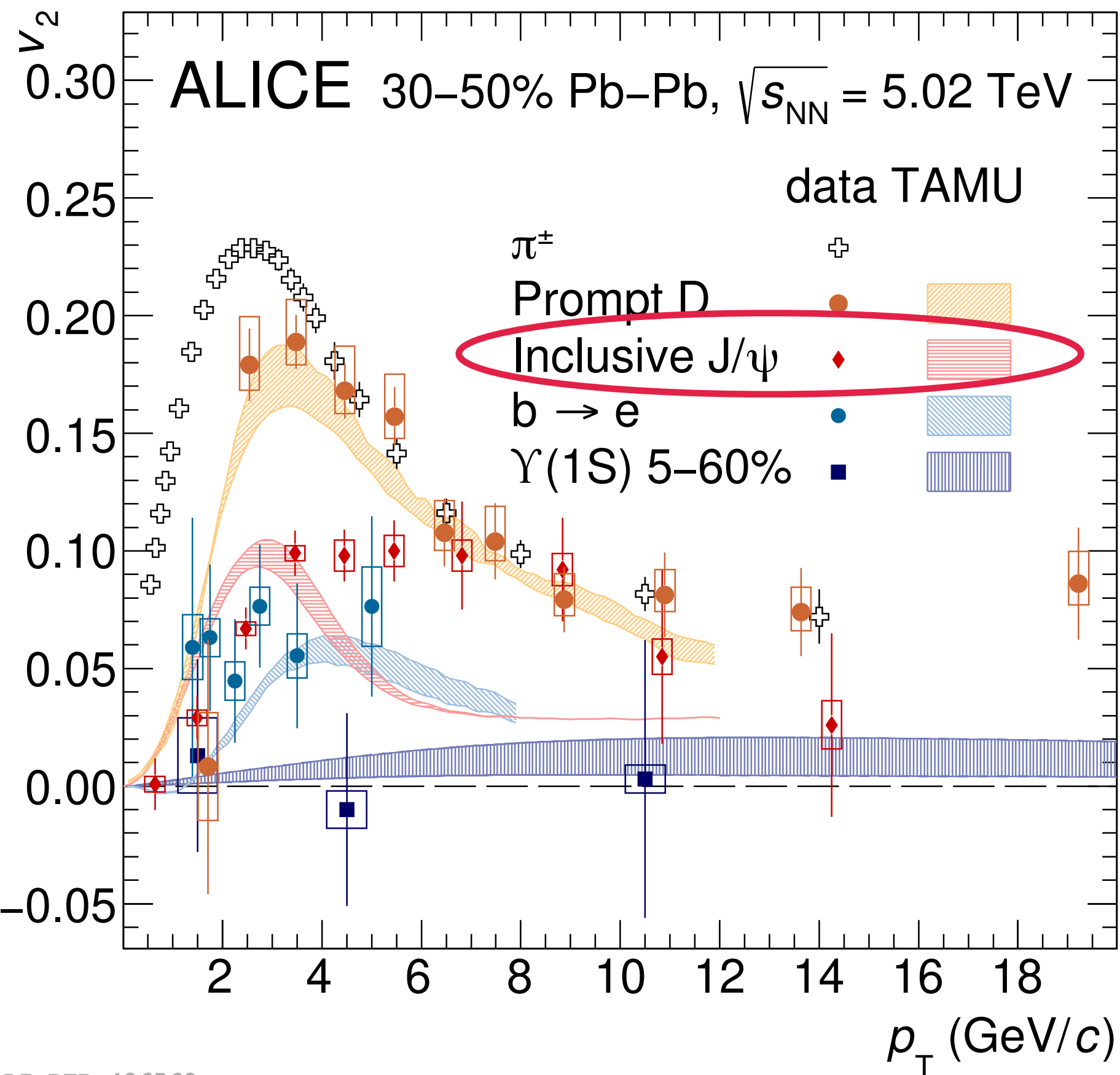


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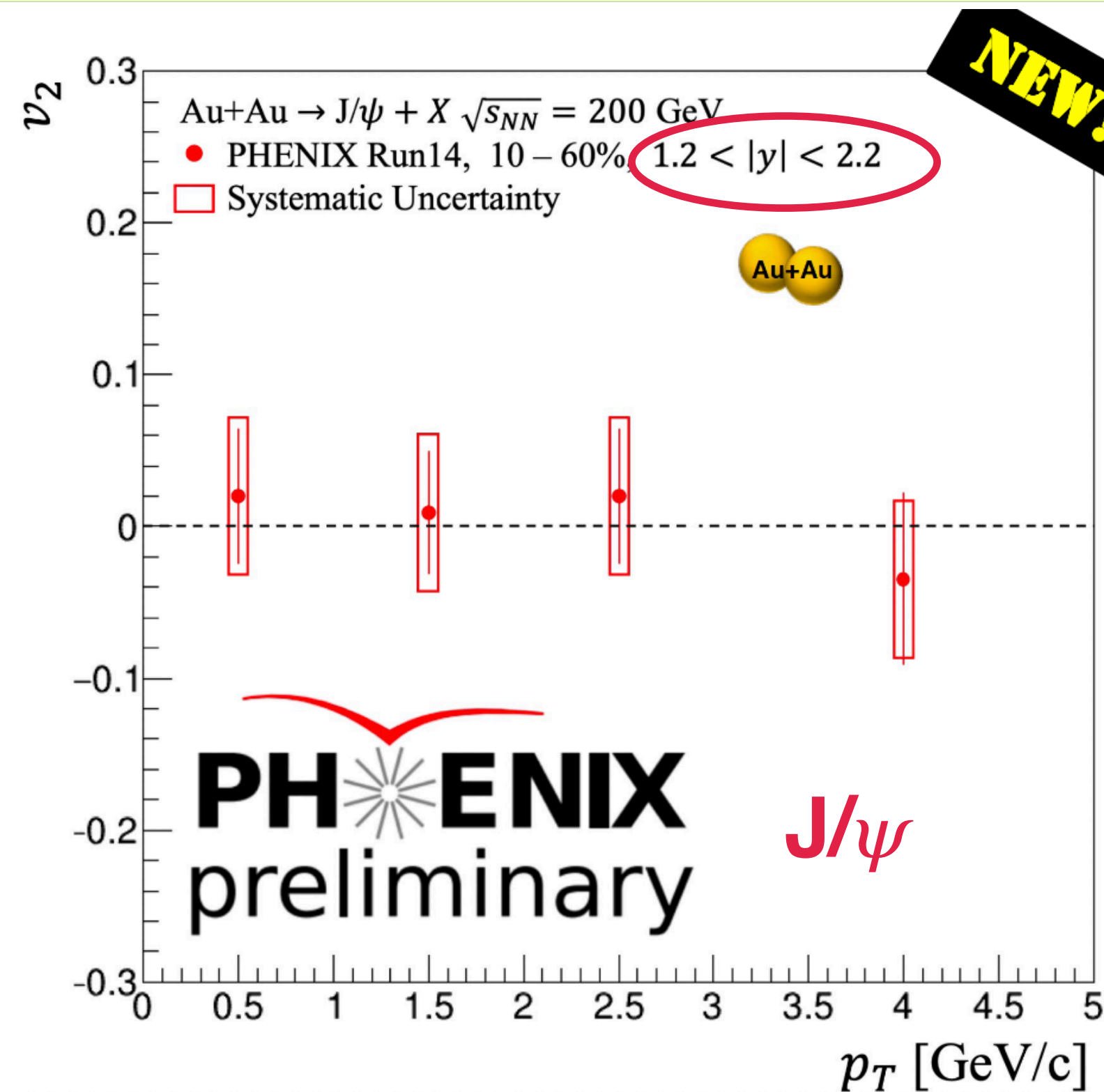
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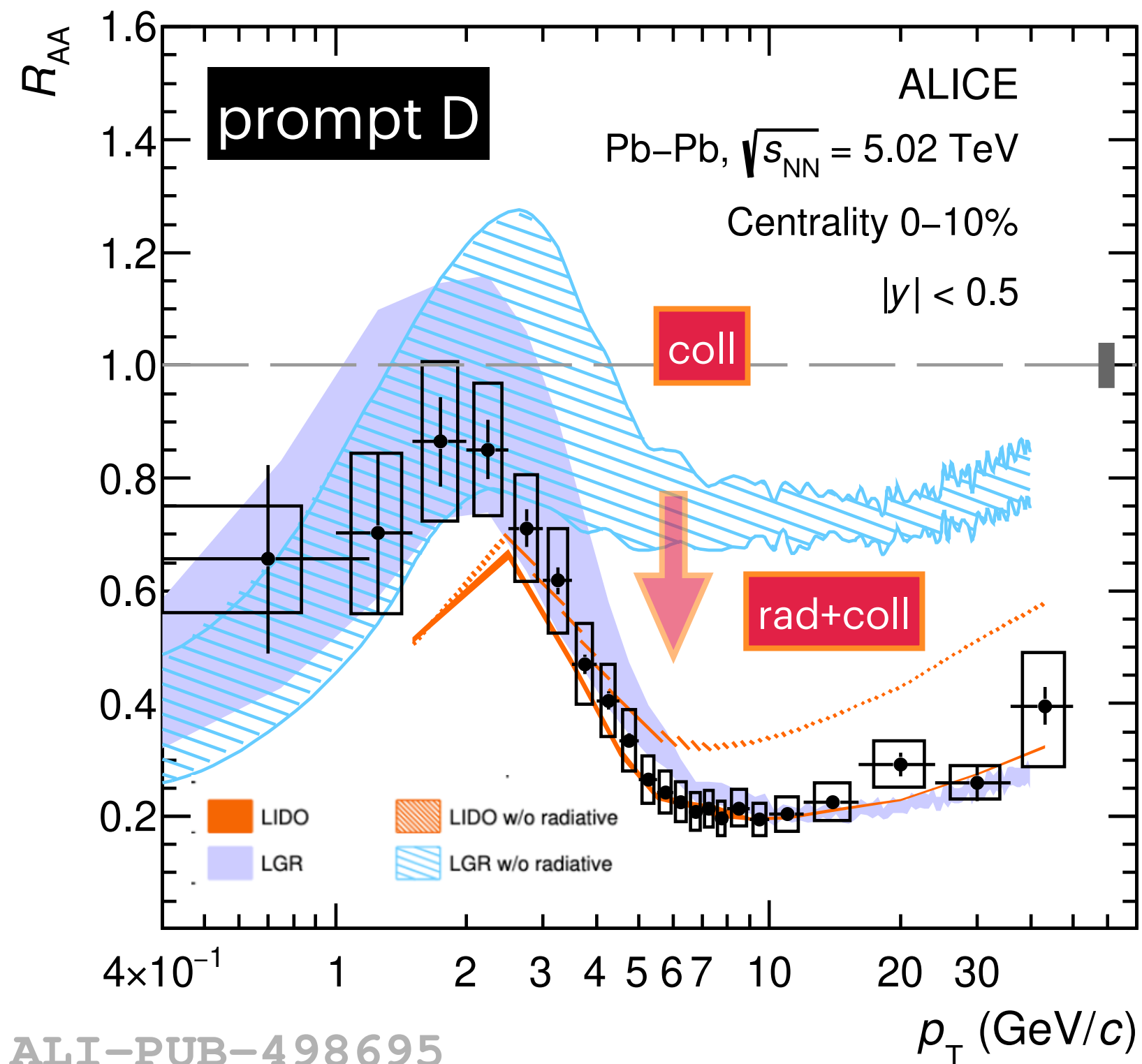


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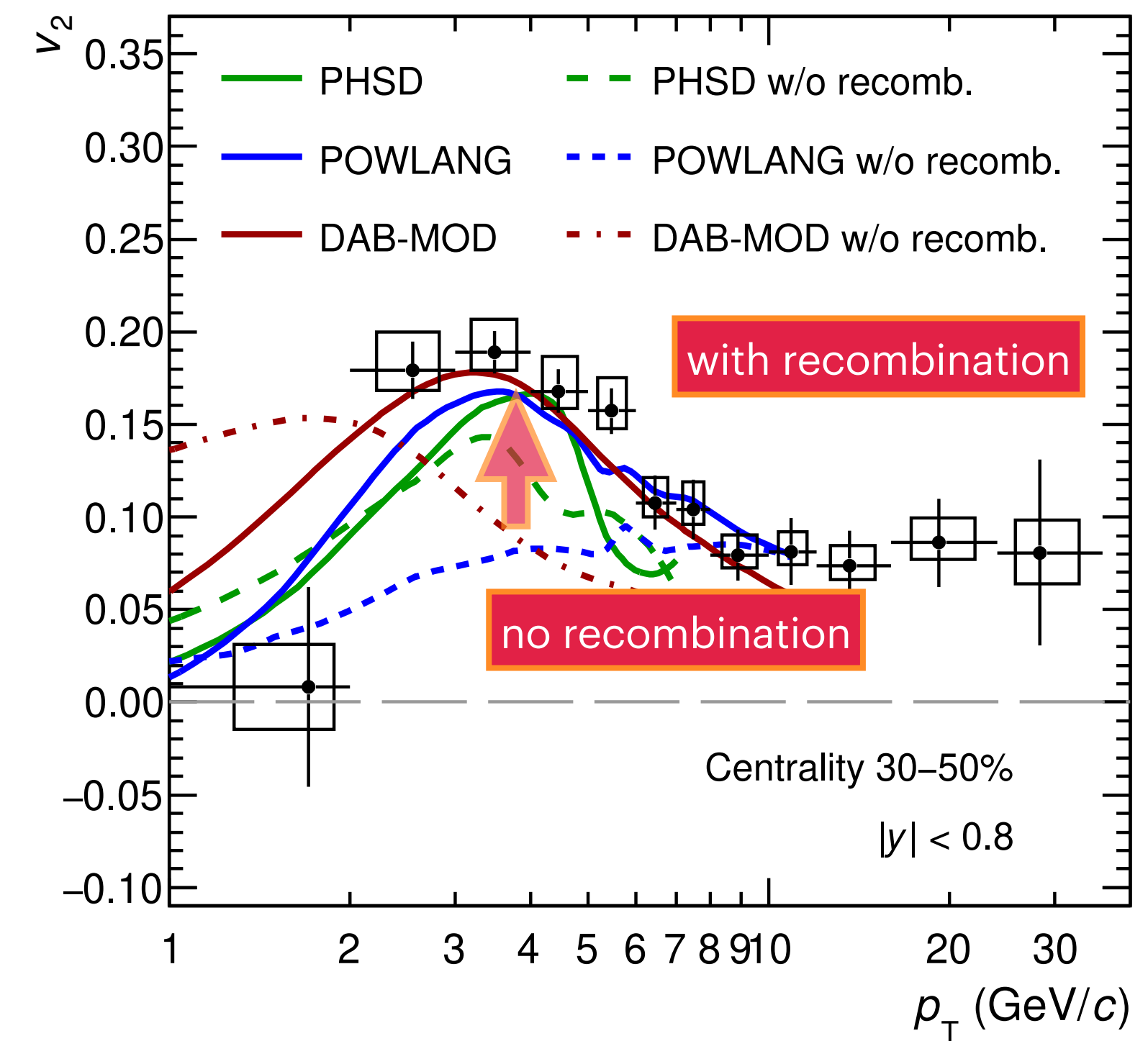
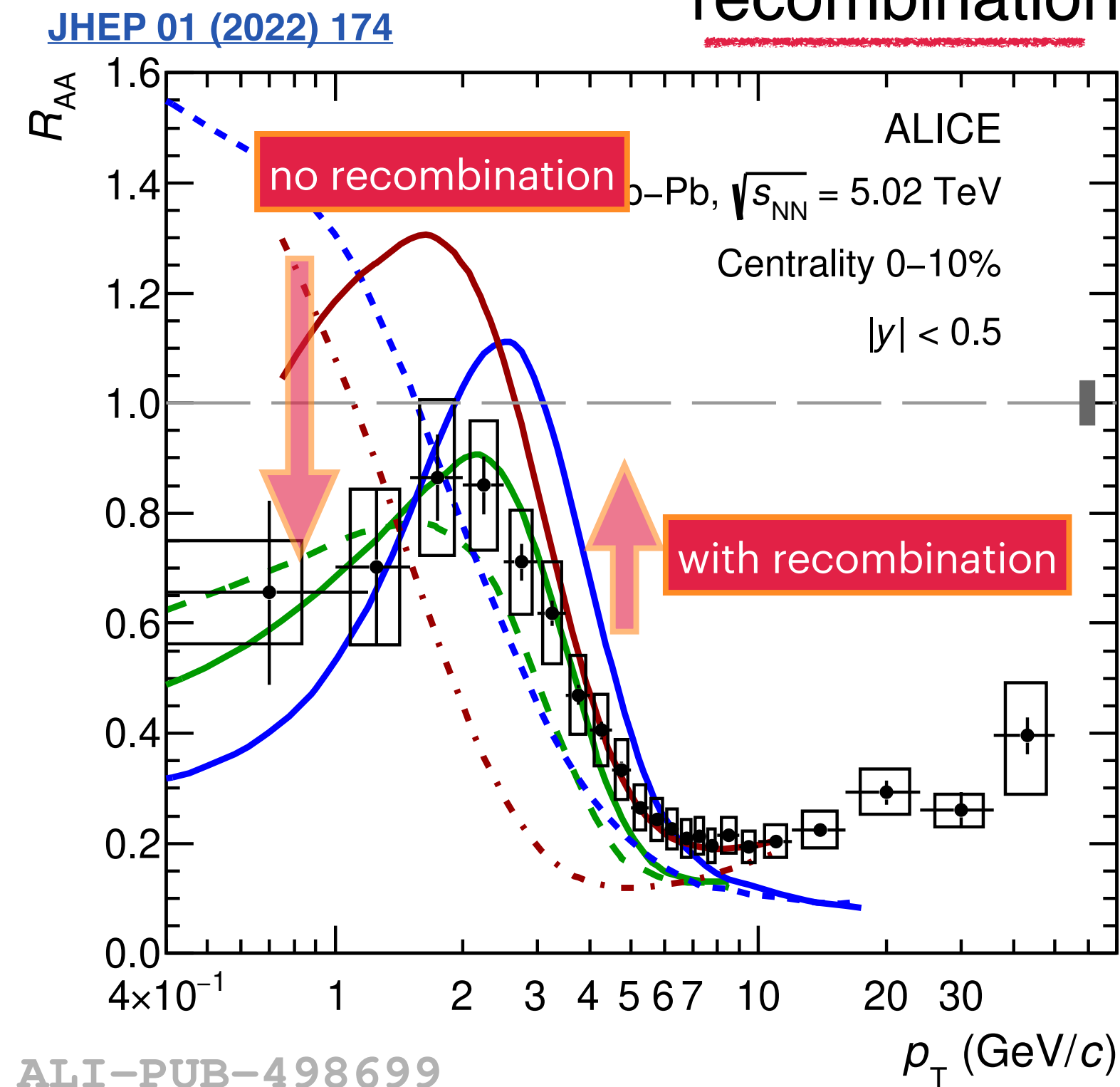


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Radiative vs w/o radiative



recombination w/o recombination

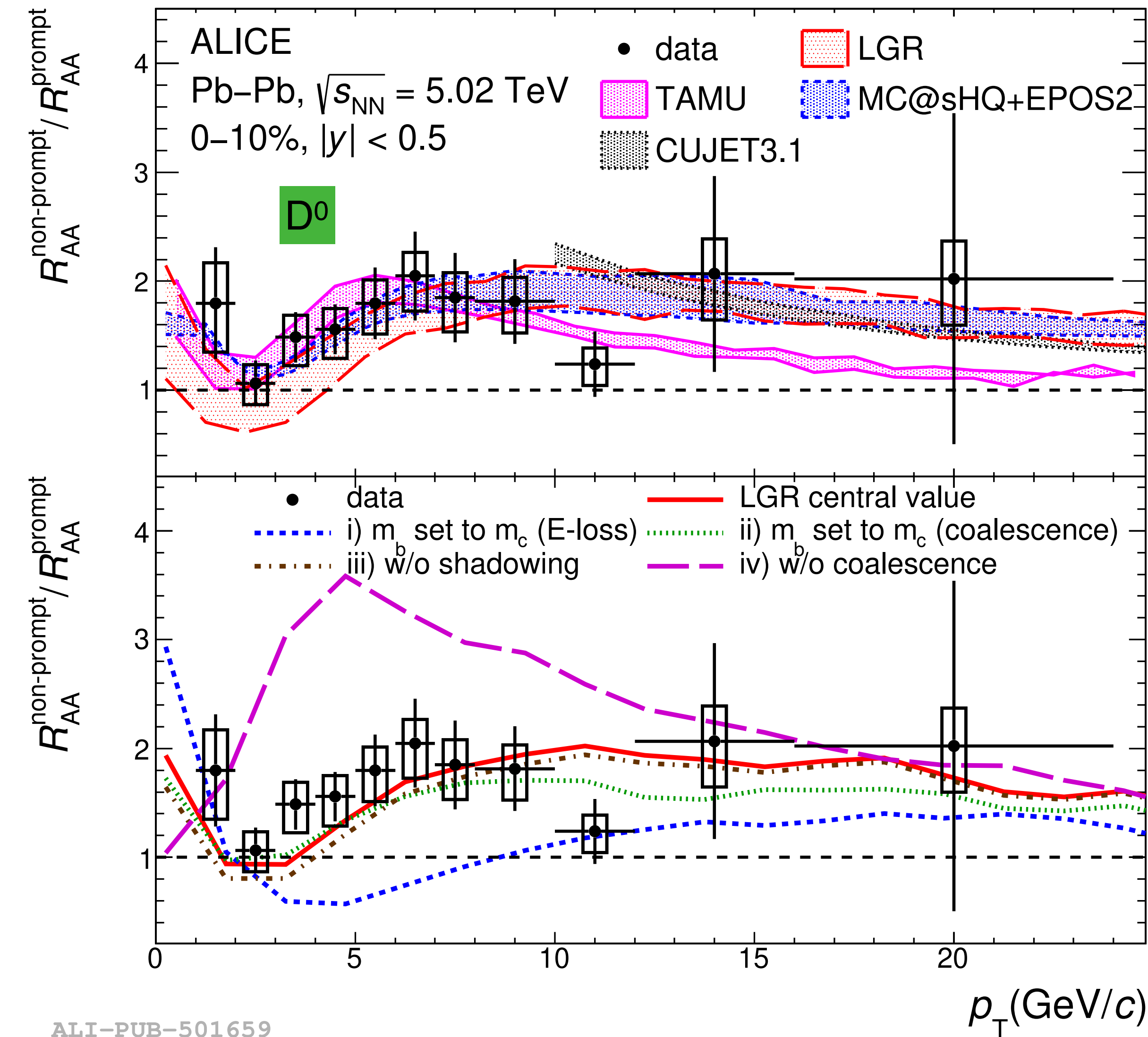


recombination, collisional and radiative energy loss: systematic study to disentangle contributions in the models and constraint theory

- Recombination with light quarks enhances R_{AA} and v_2 at low and intermediate p_T
- Both Radiative and Collisional energy loss needed to describe measurements at high p_T

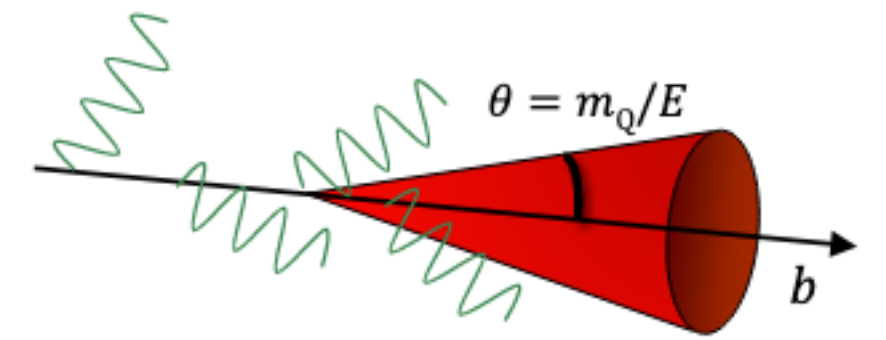
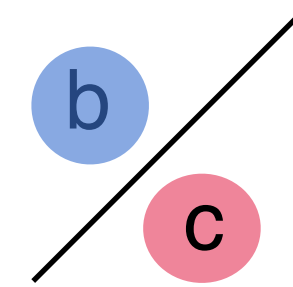
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beauty/charm R_{AA} ratio: via non-prompt/prompt D:
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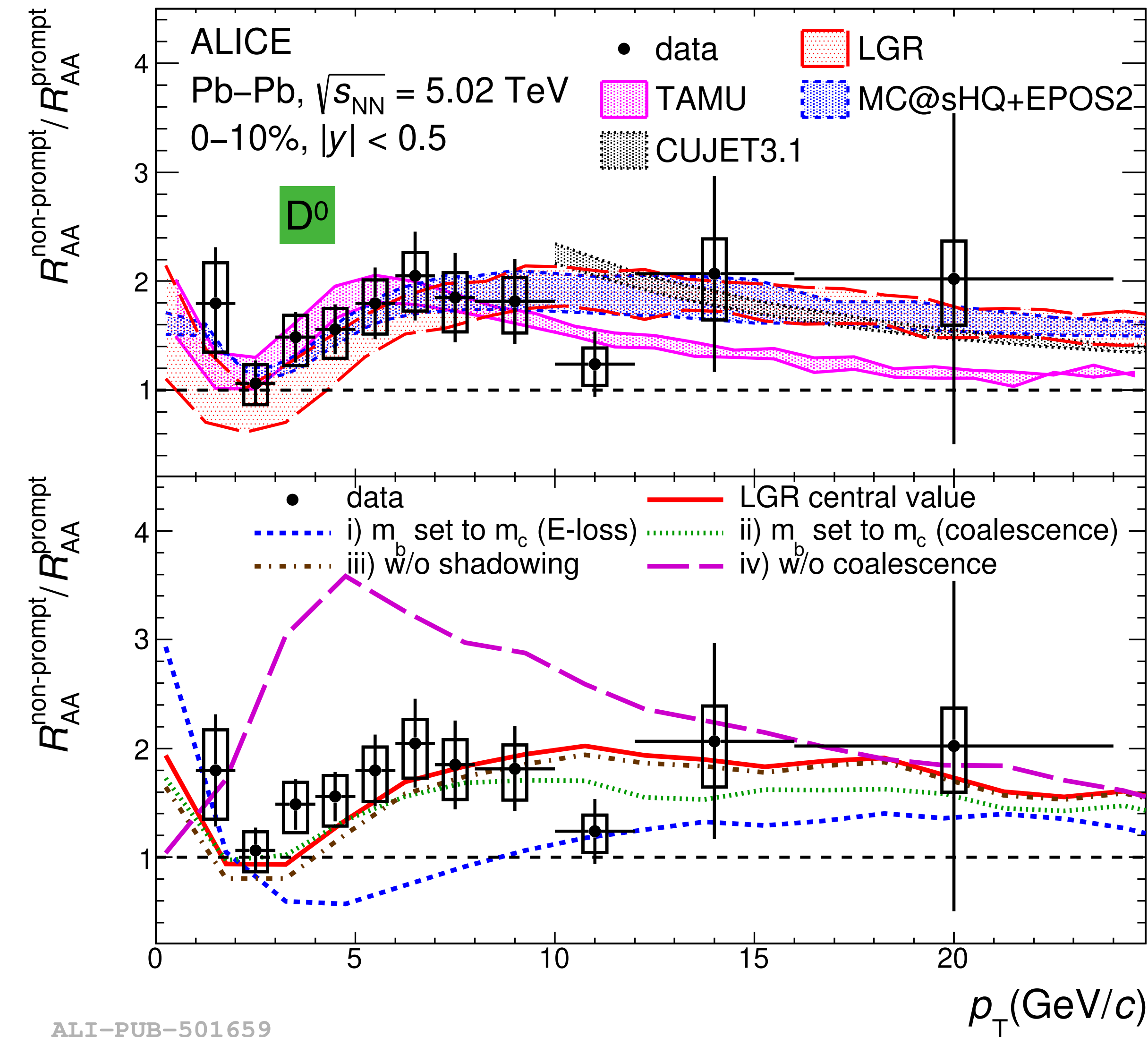
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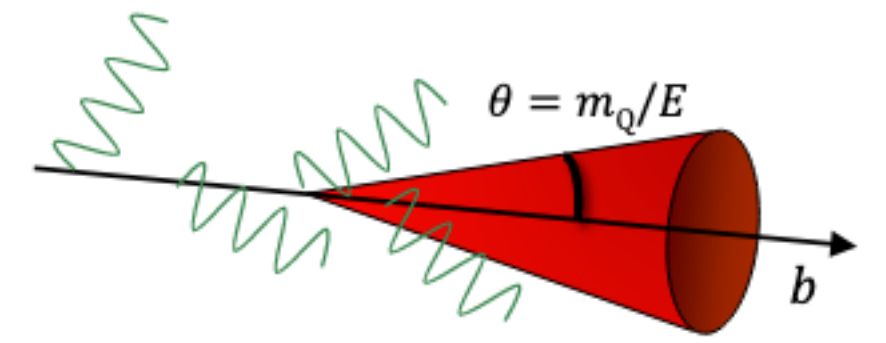
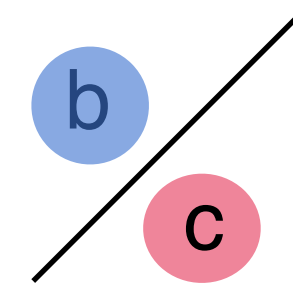
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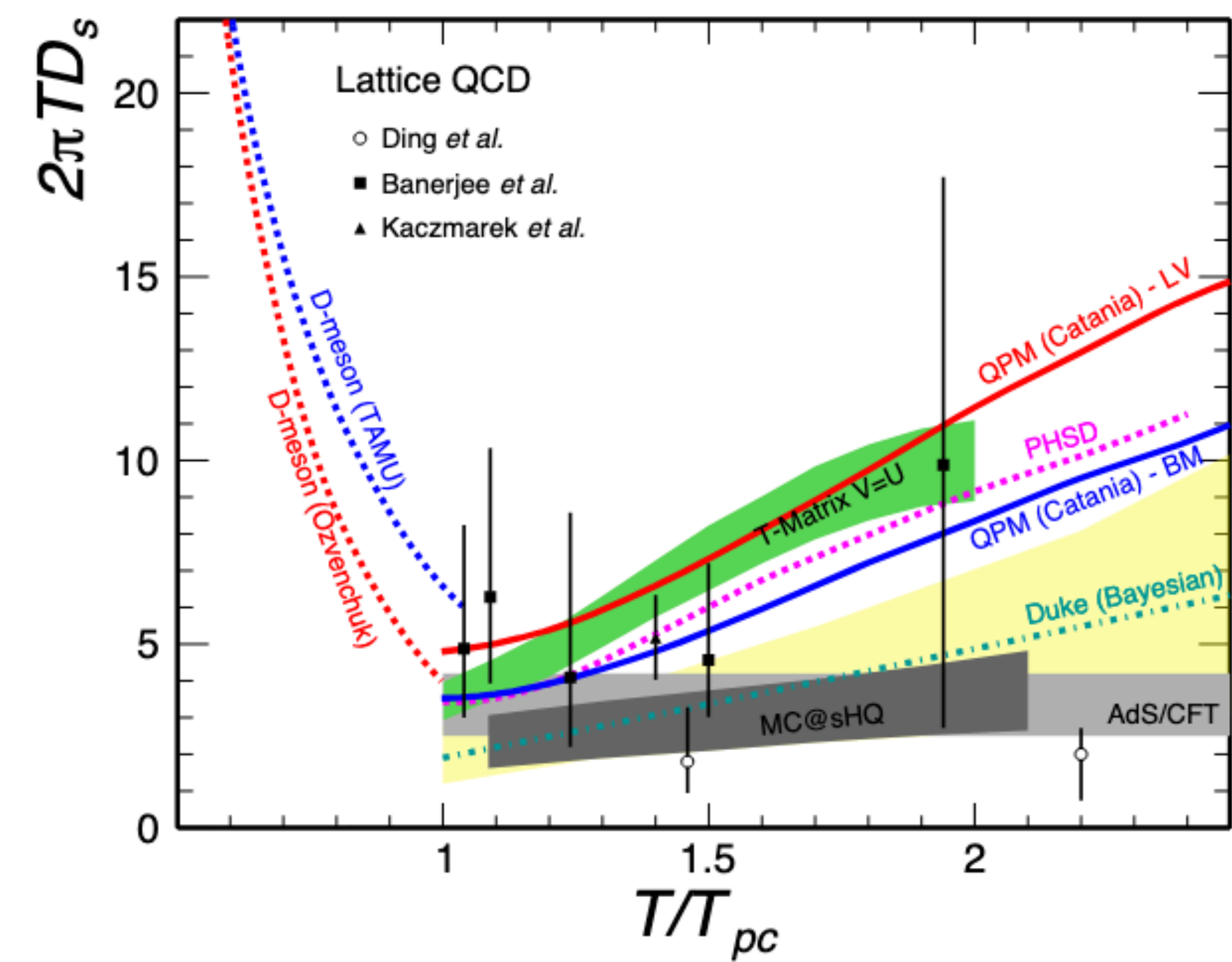
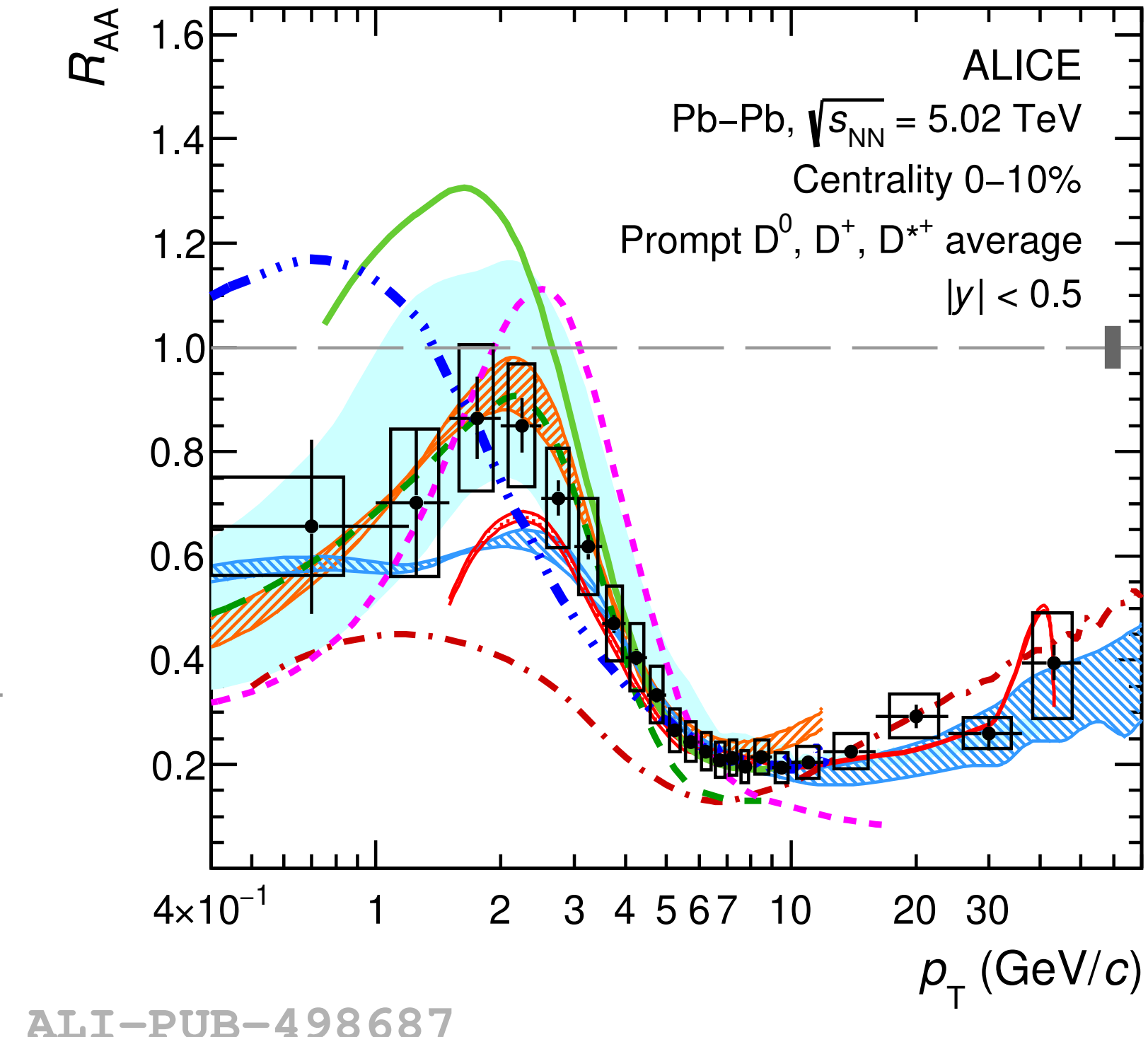
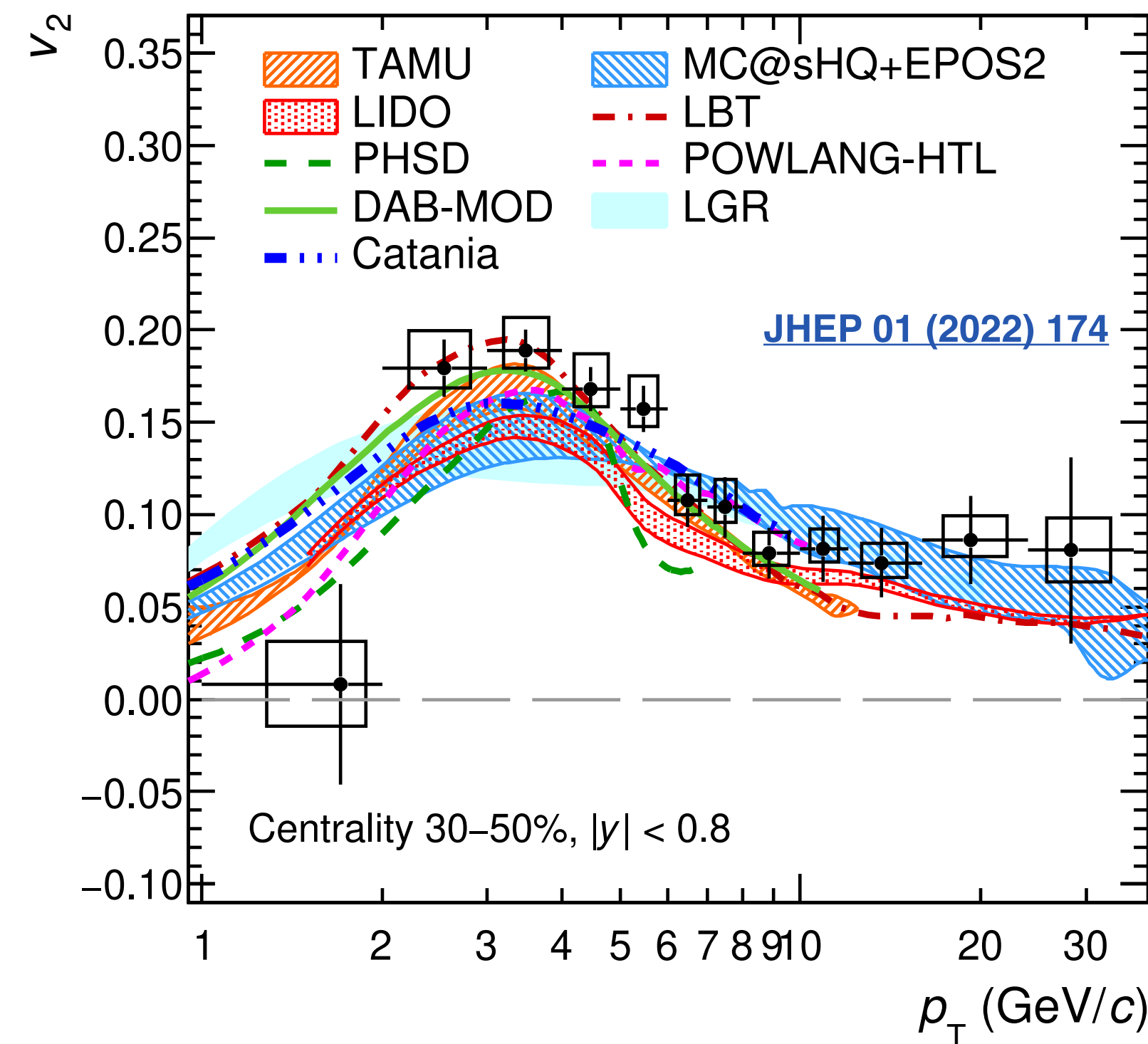
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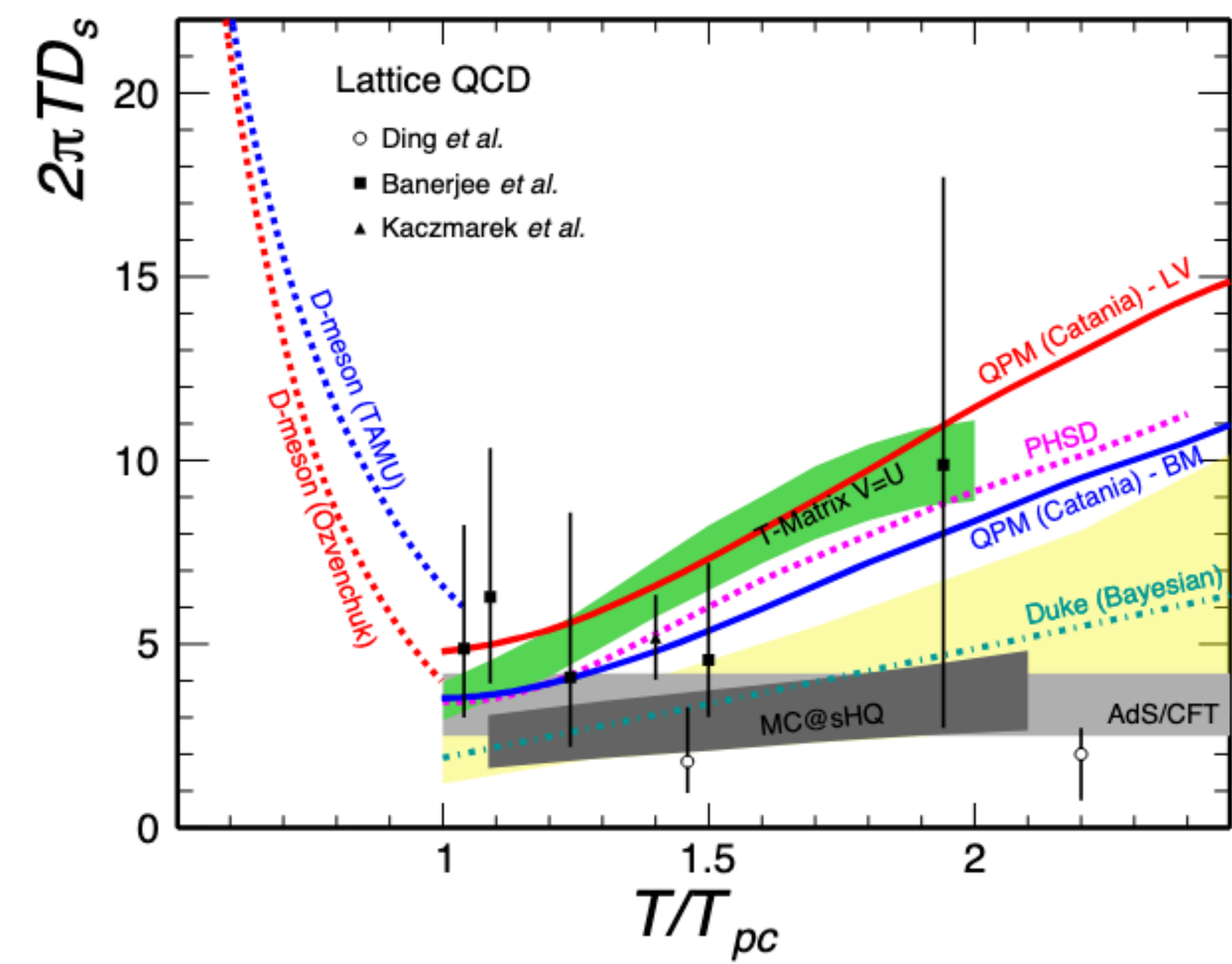
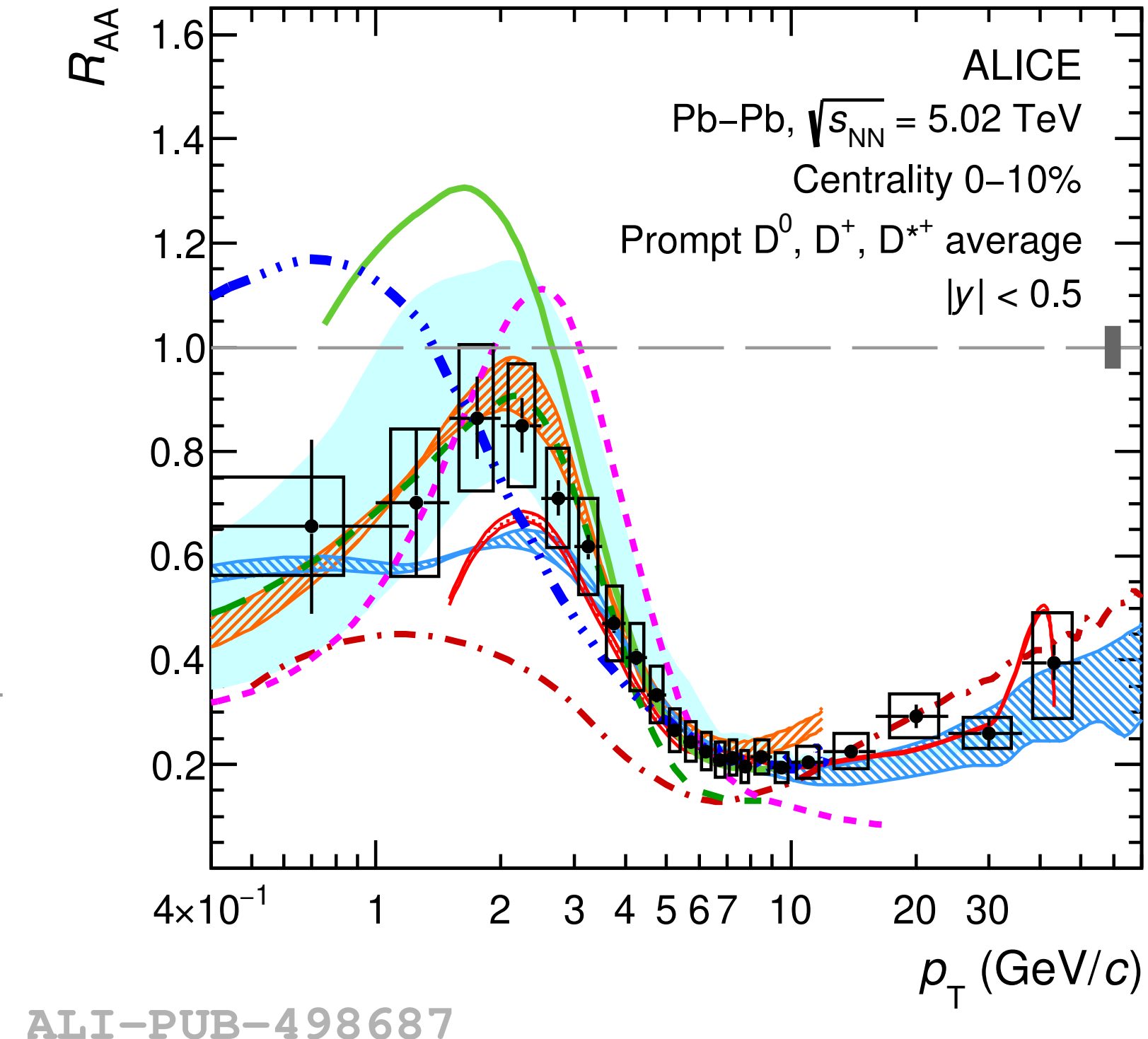
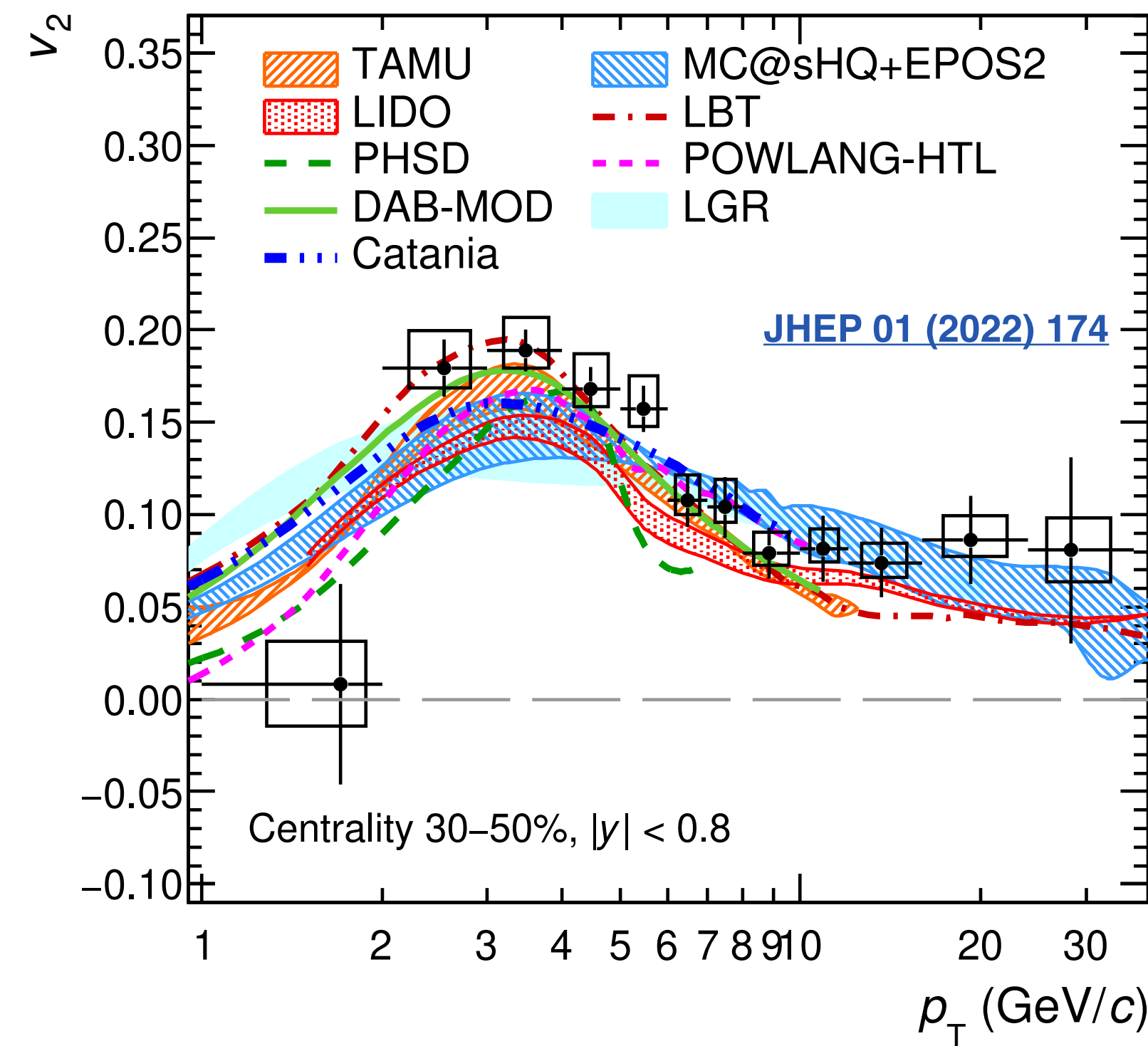
R_{AA} , v_2 : simultaneous description

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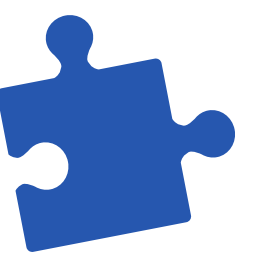
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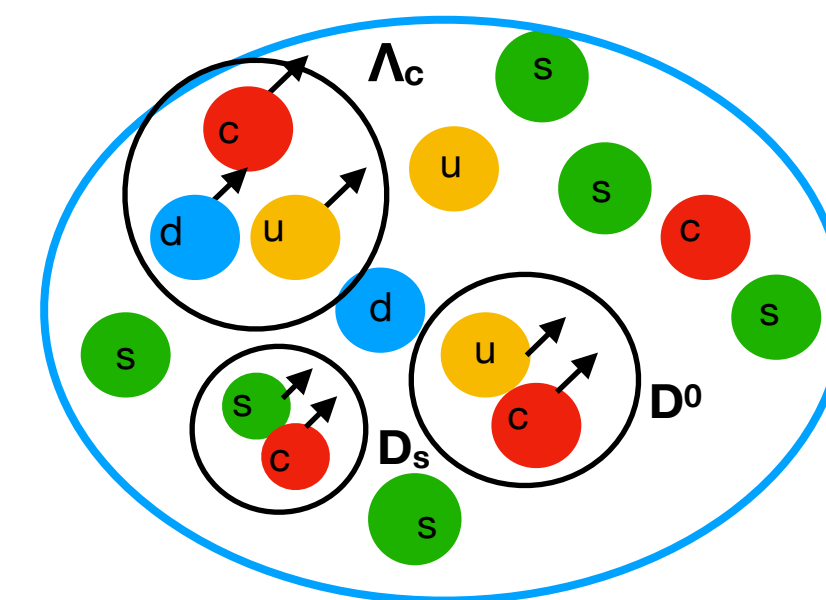
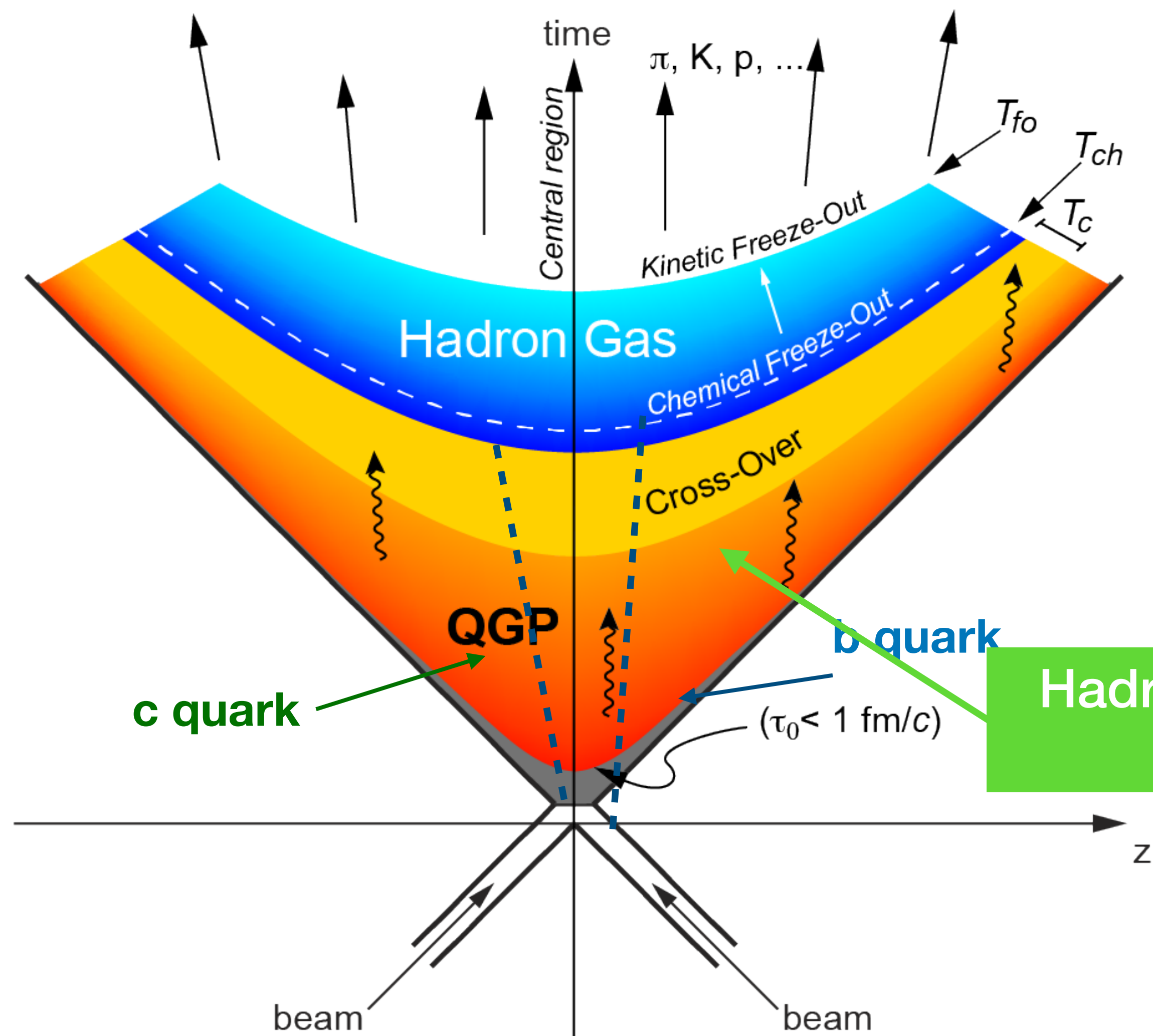
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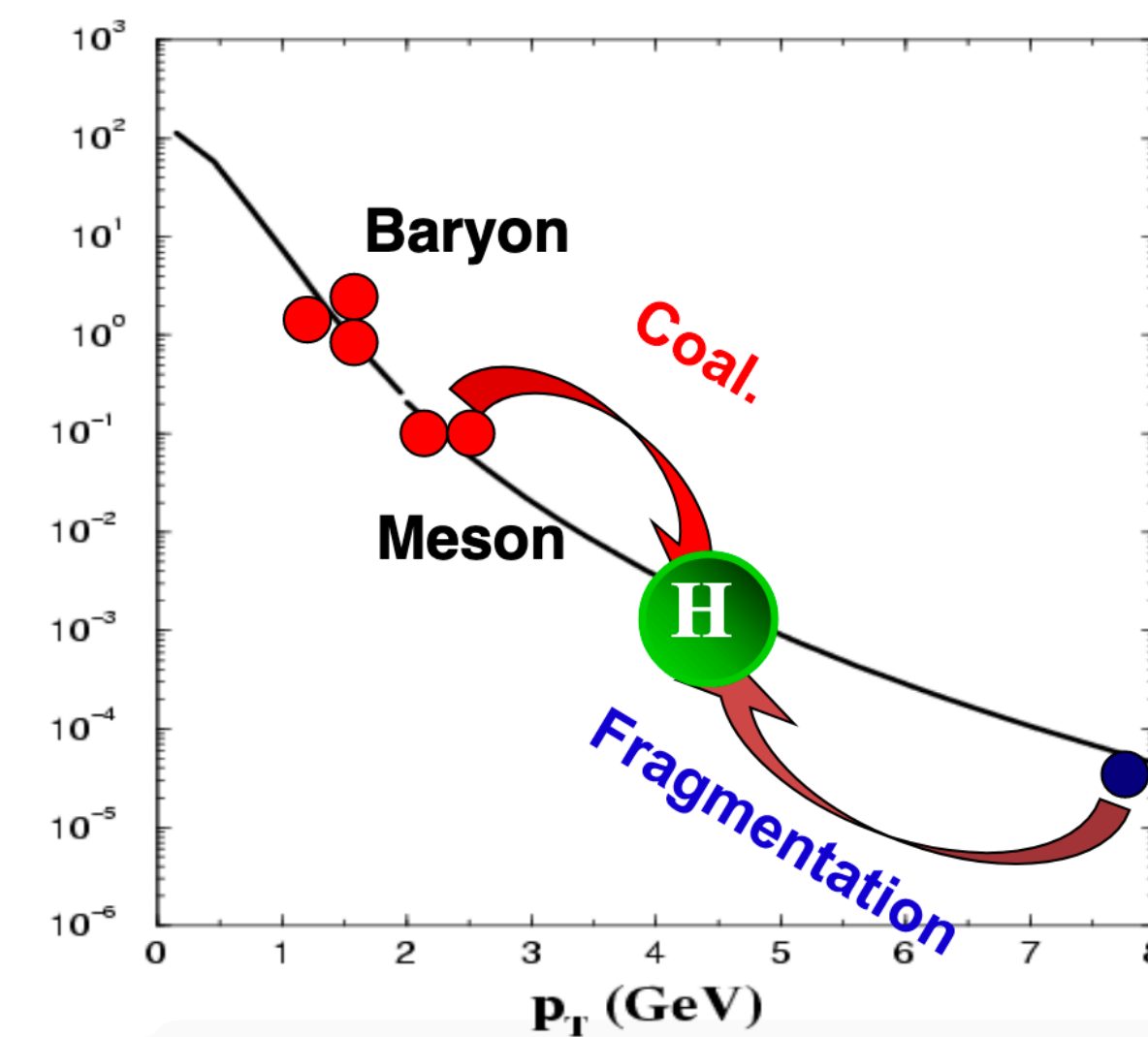
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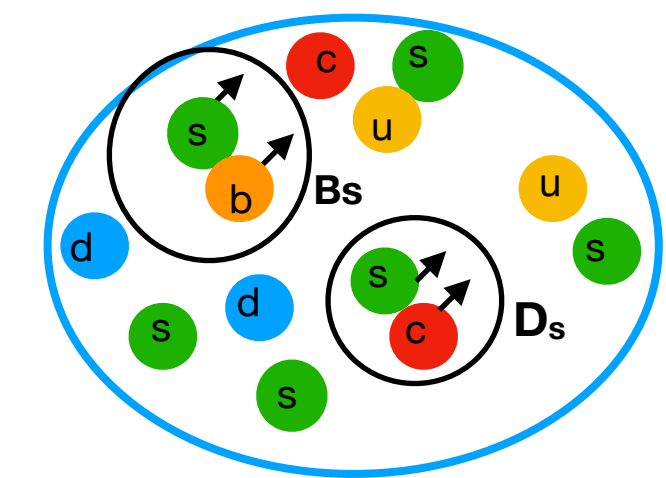


Hadronization in QGP:
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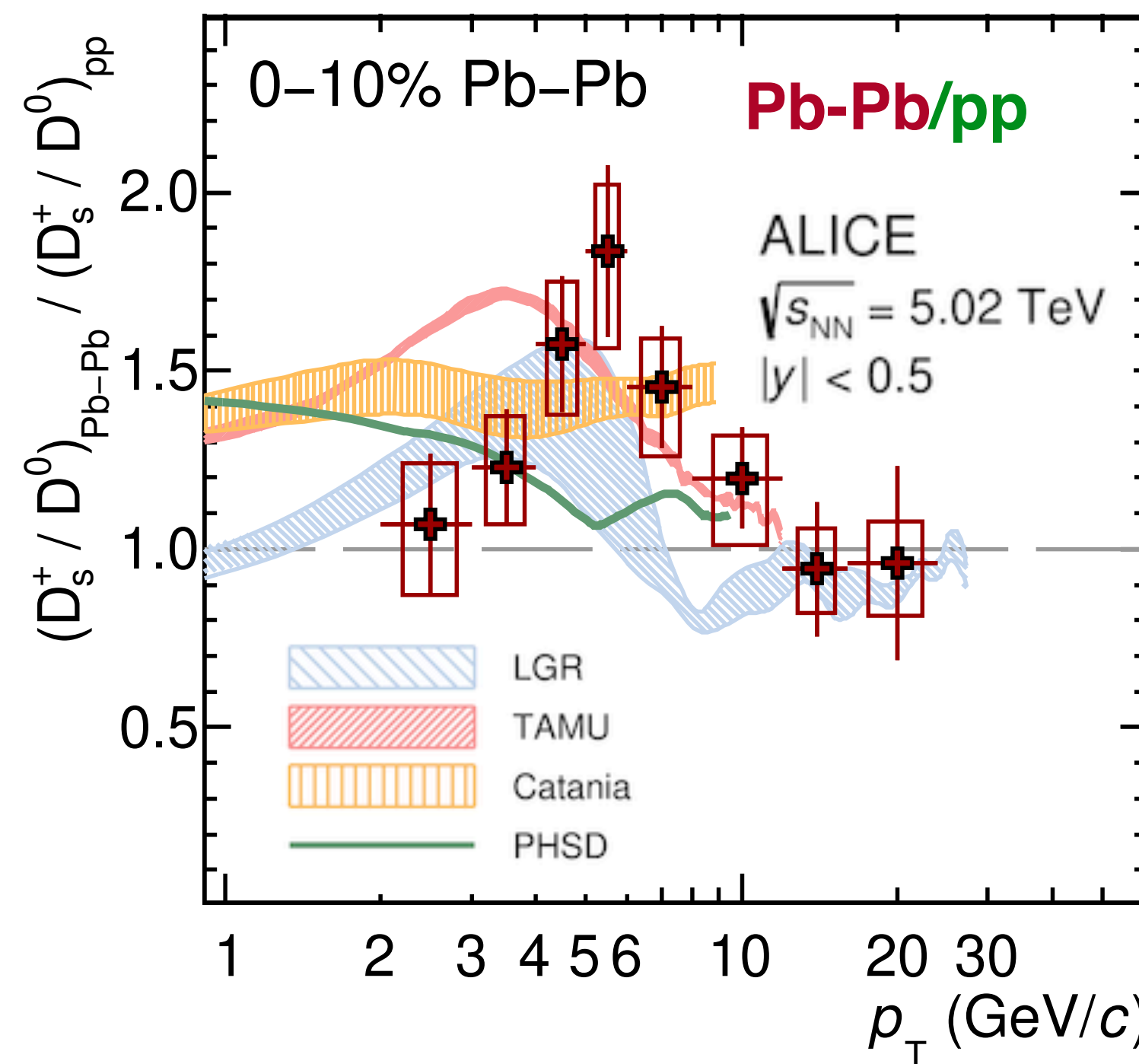
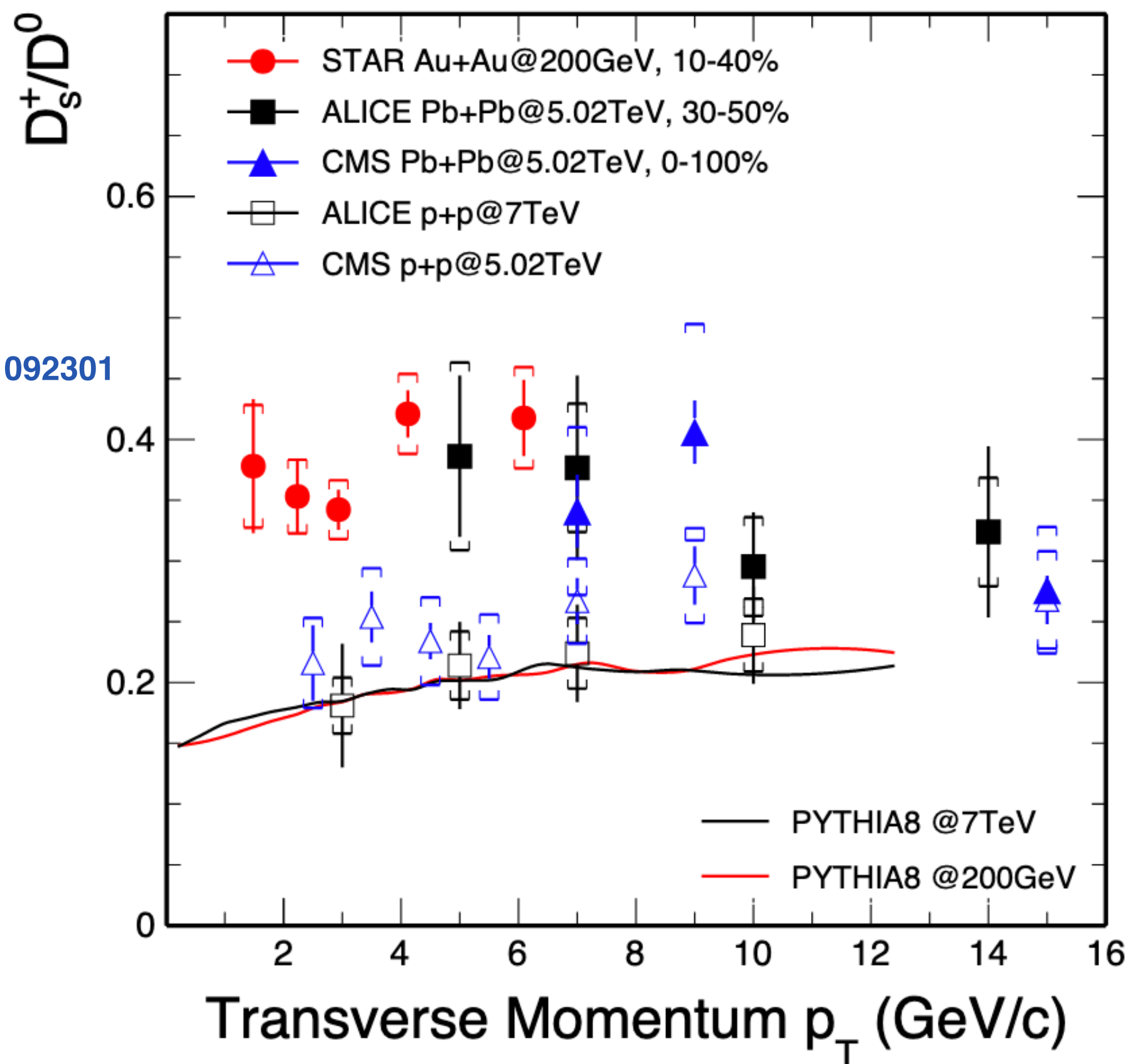
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Recombination + Strangeness enhancement in the A-A wrt to pp collisions \rightarrow enhancement of strange heavy mesons in A-A w.r.t. pp?



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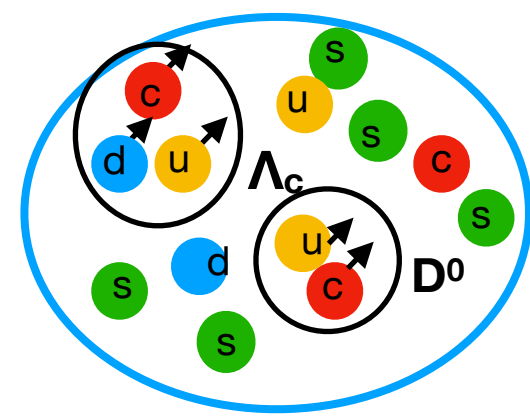
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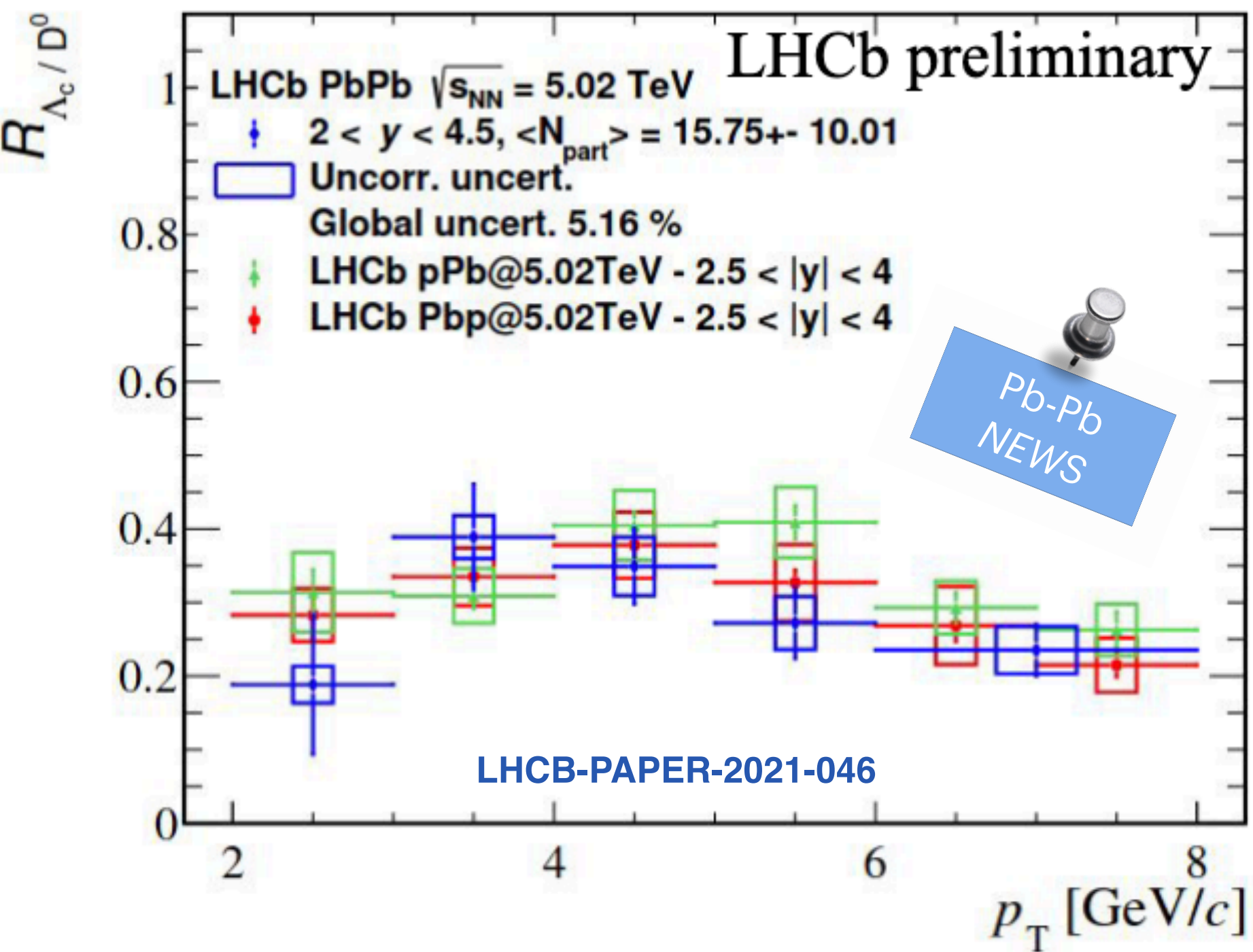
Compatible results at low-intermediate p_T : $D_s/D^0 \sim 0.4$

Agreement with models that include strangeness enhancement, frag + reco in QGP



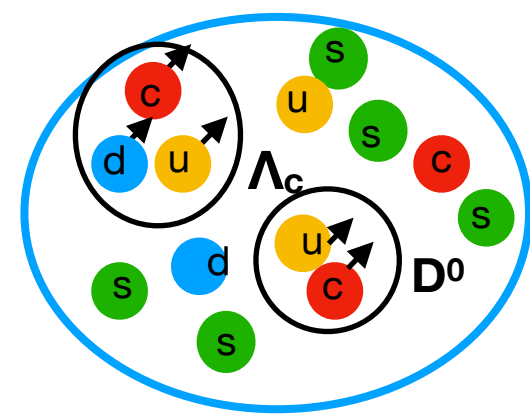
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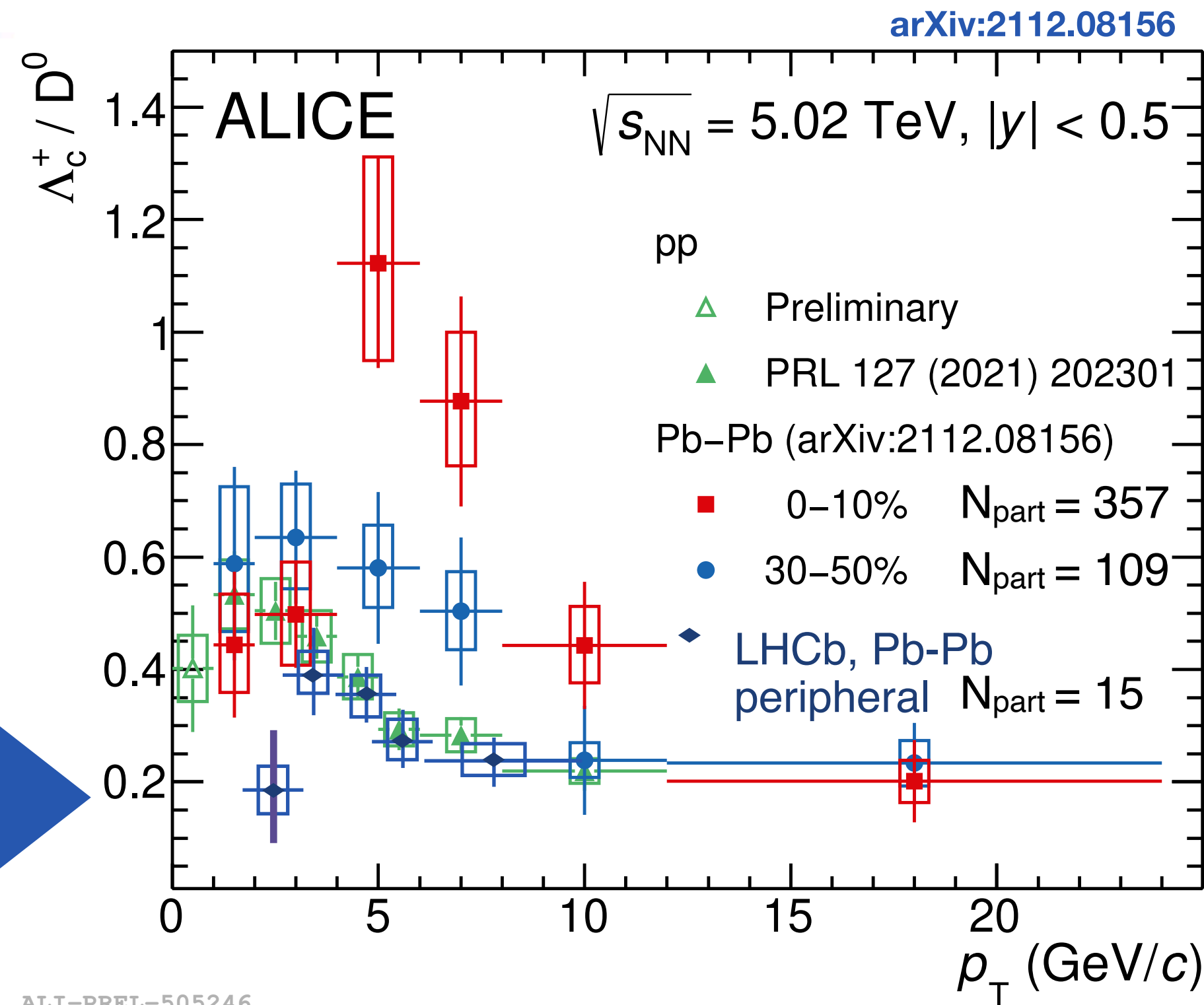
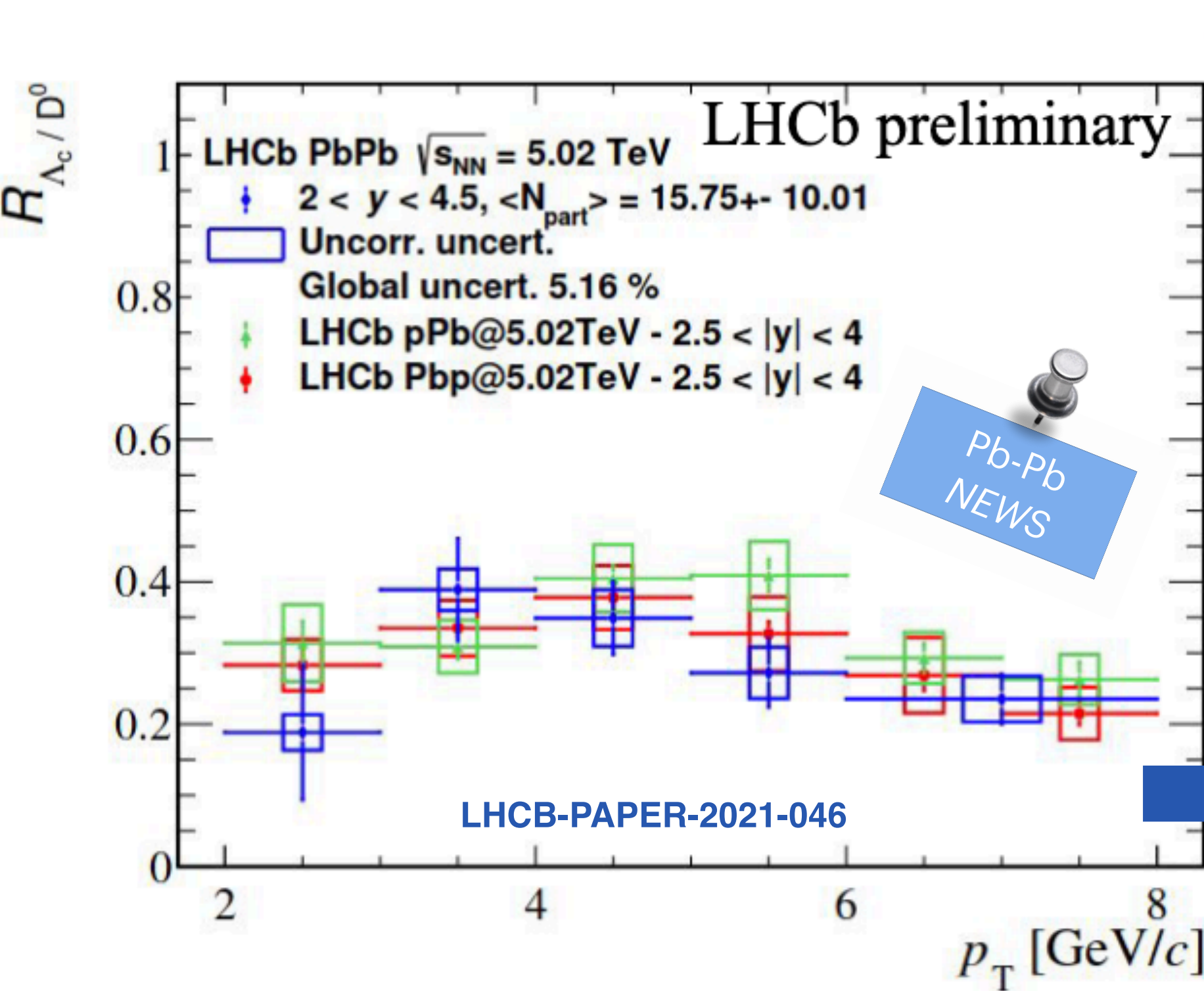
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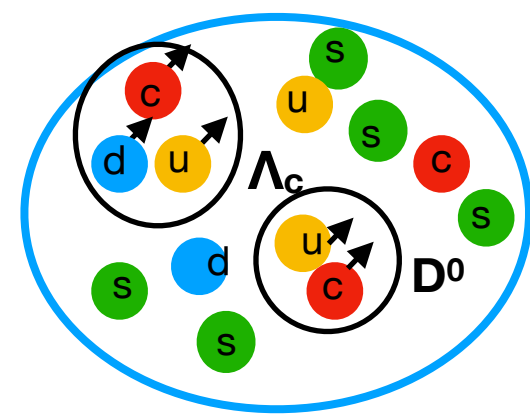


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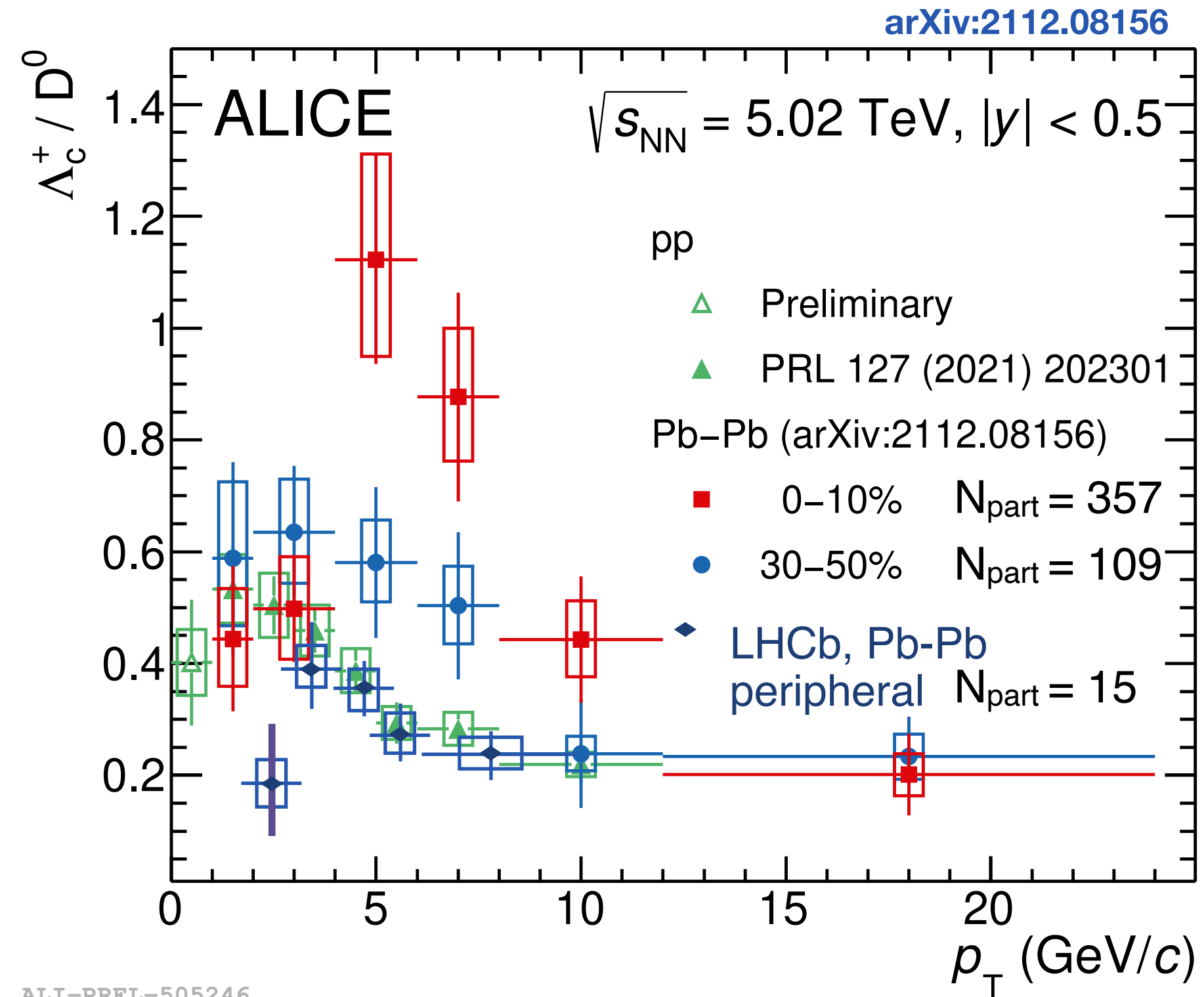
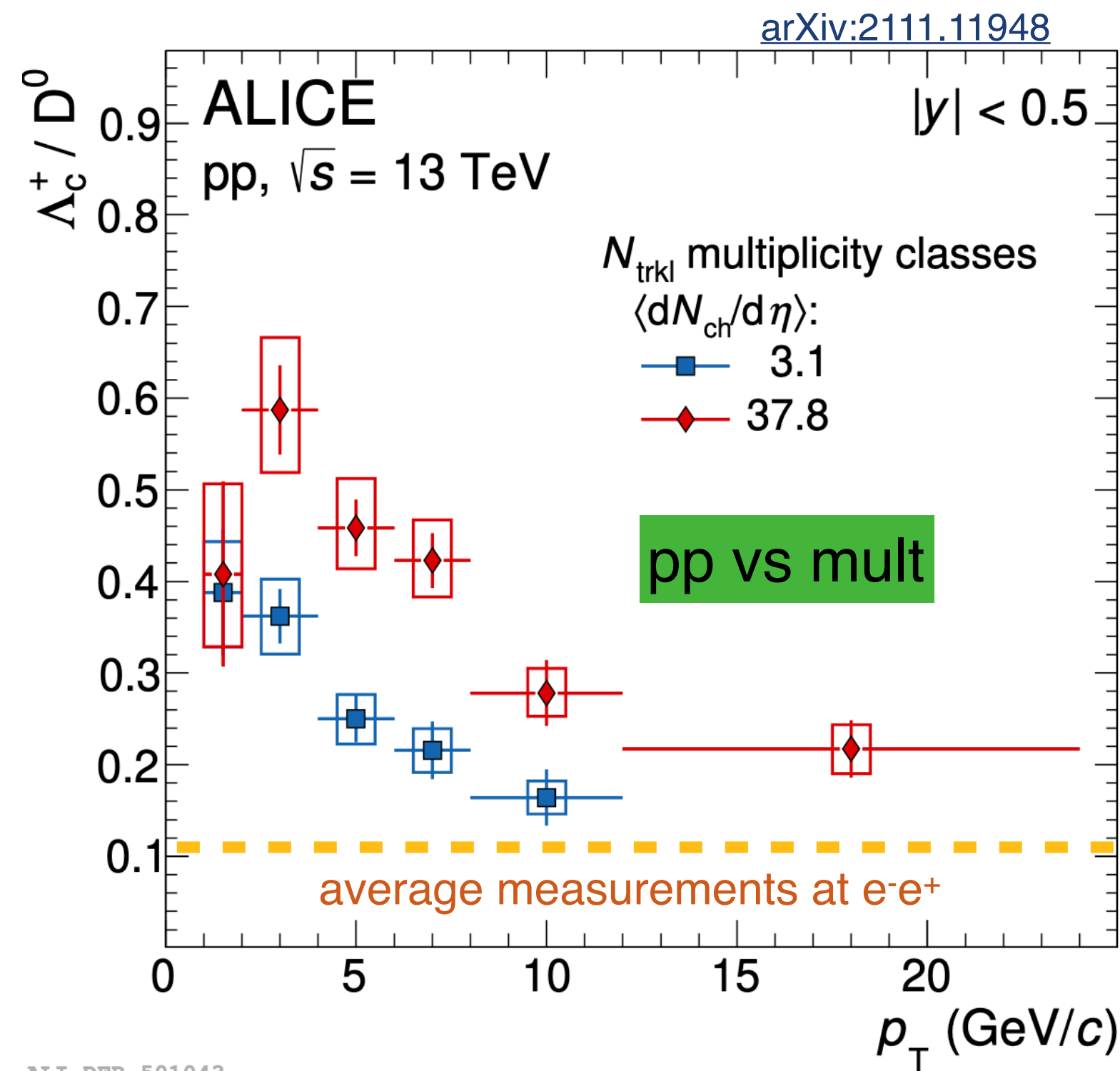
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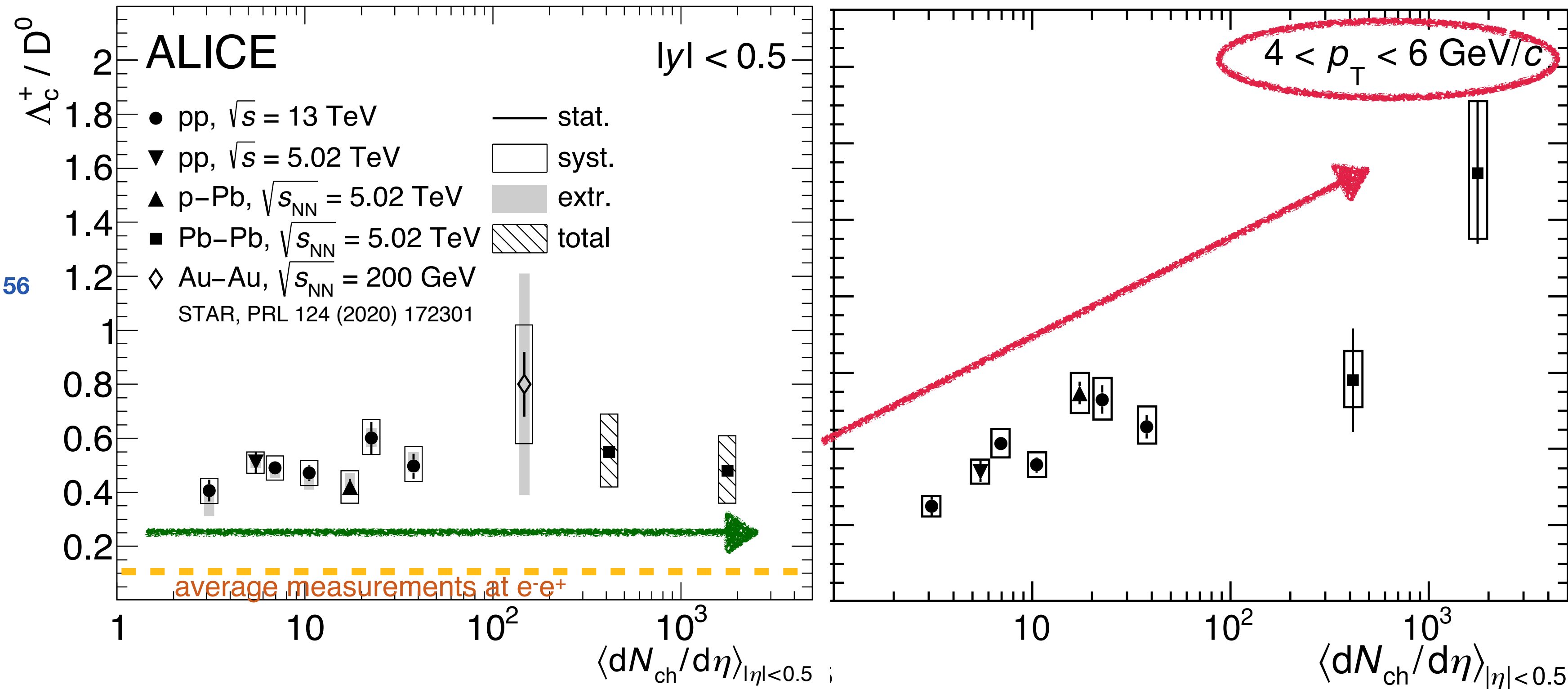
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Is there a **transition of the hadronization mechanisms with multiplicity across different systems?** the same formalisms describe results from small to large systems?

Charm baryon/meson: from small to large systems



pp: arXiv:2111.11948
Pb-Pb: arXiv:2112.08156

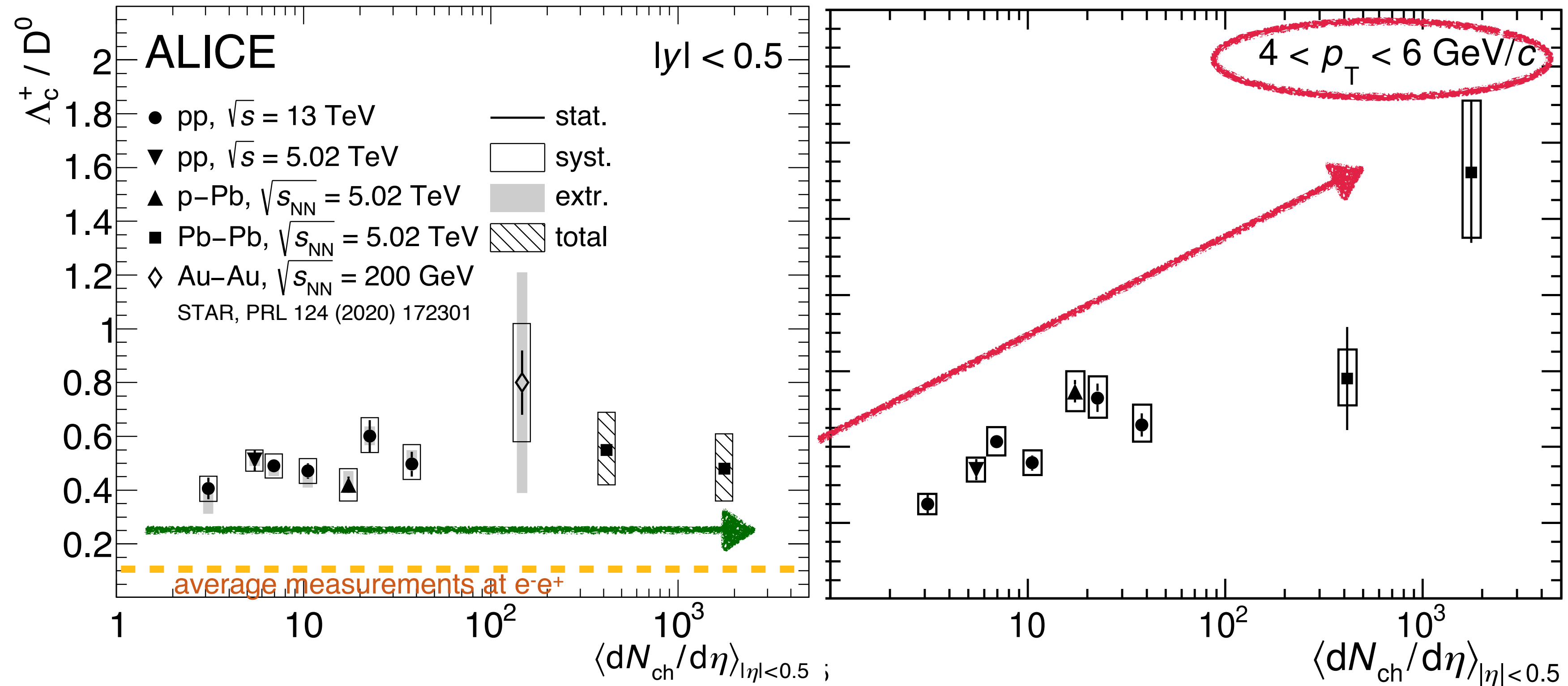
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p_T -integrated for $p_T > 0$: no evident multiplicity dependence from very low (pp) to very high (most central Pb-Pb) multiplicity

no enhancement of total yield of Λ_c^+ wrt D^0 in Pb-Pb wrt to pp collisions

- a **dense particle environment** in pp: act as proxy for “collectivity”?
- different hadronization mechanisms for baryons and mesons act in different momentum ranges? effect of radial flow?

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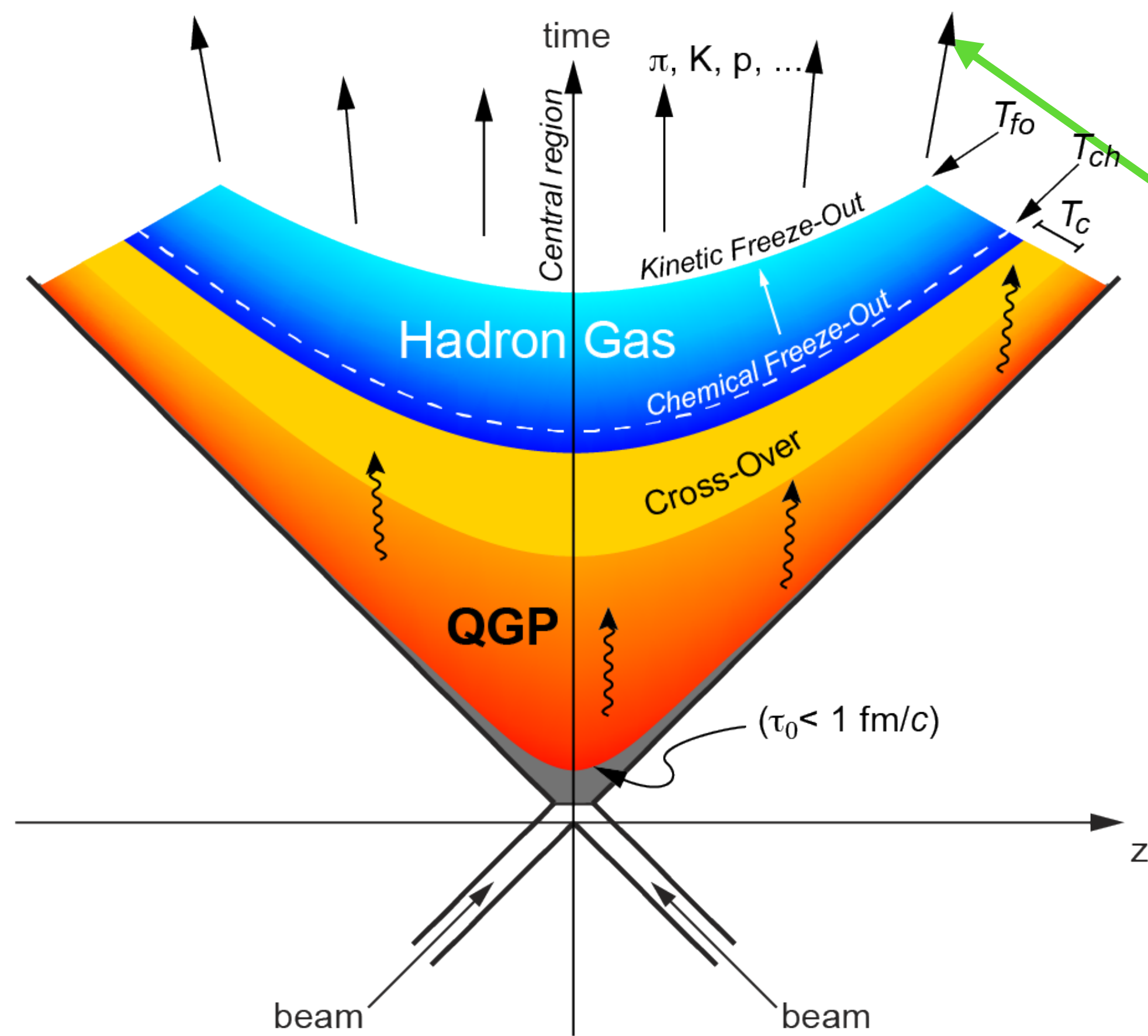


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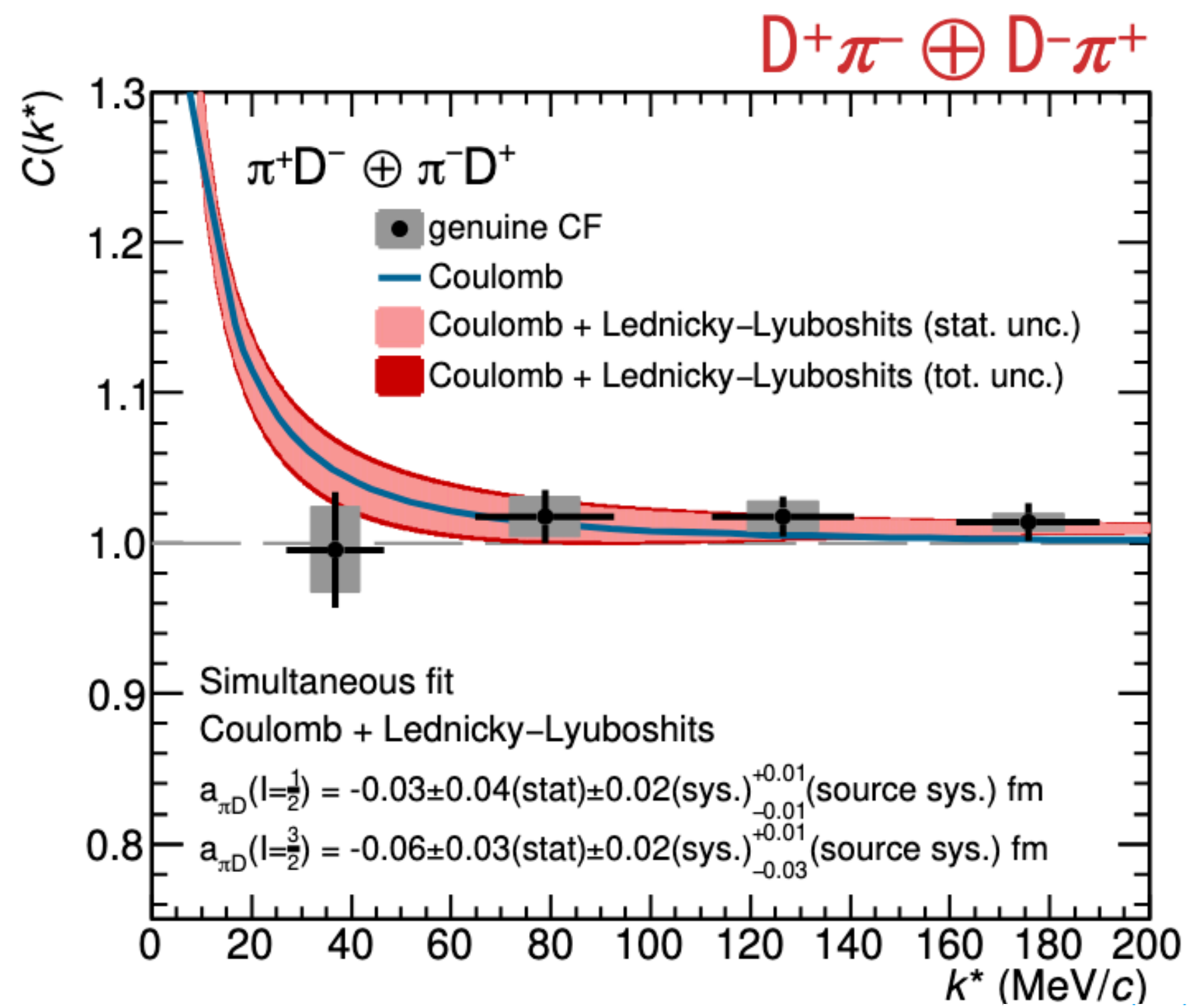
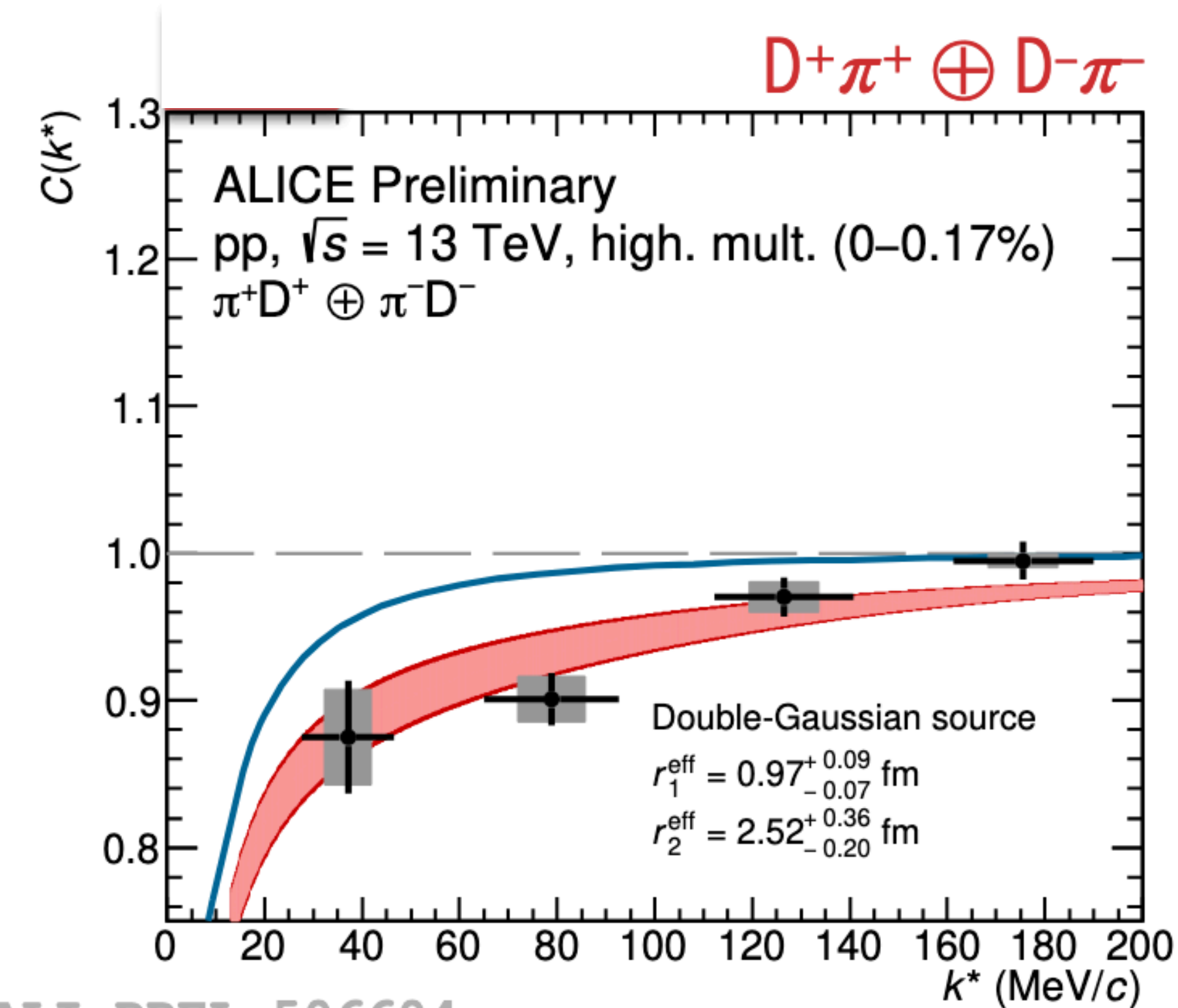
—> p_T -integrated yields for $p_T > 0$ crucial measurements



what do we learn from HF in the hadronic phase?

investigating hadronic phase with charm hadrons

how much hadronic rescattering influence our observables after the hadronization?



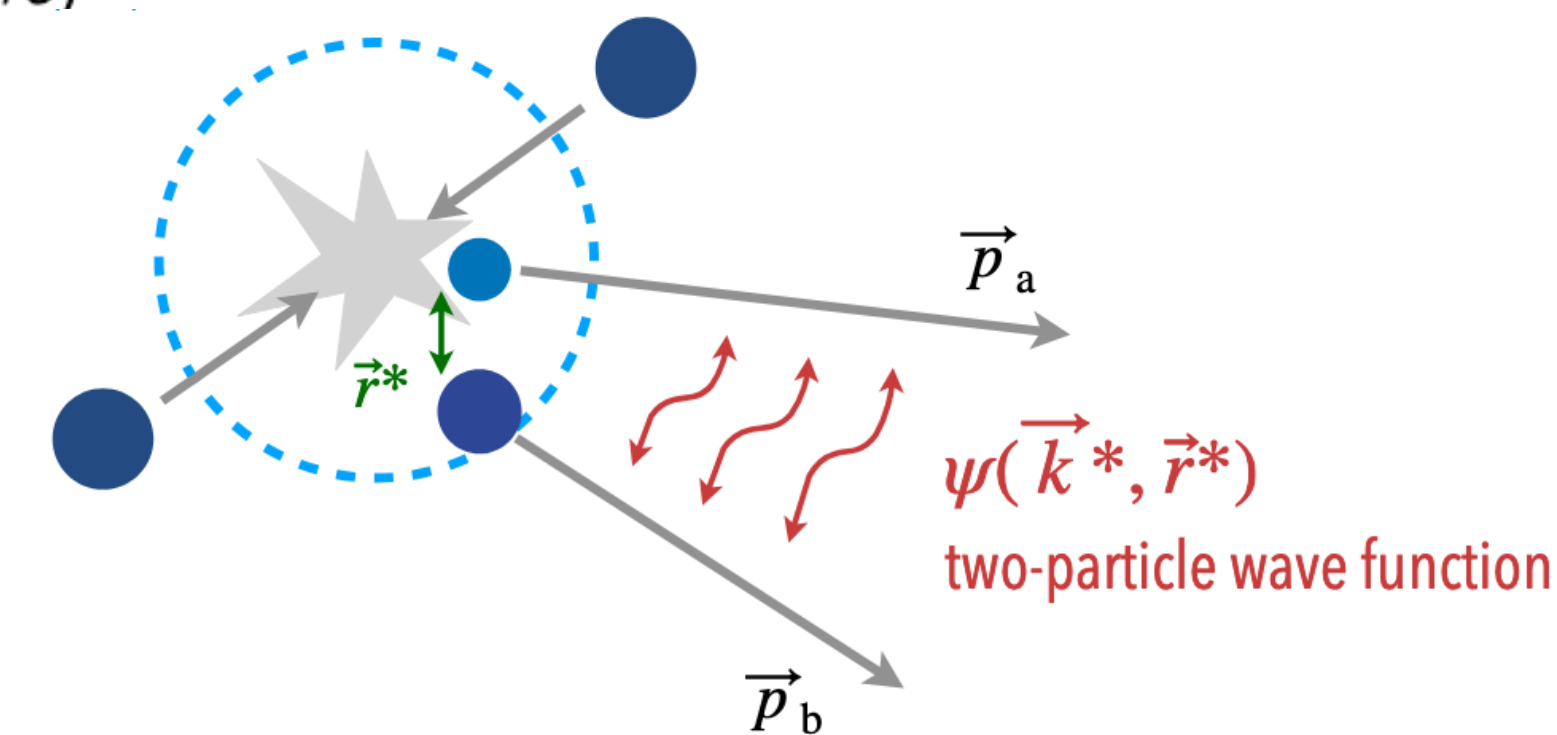
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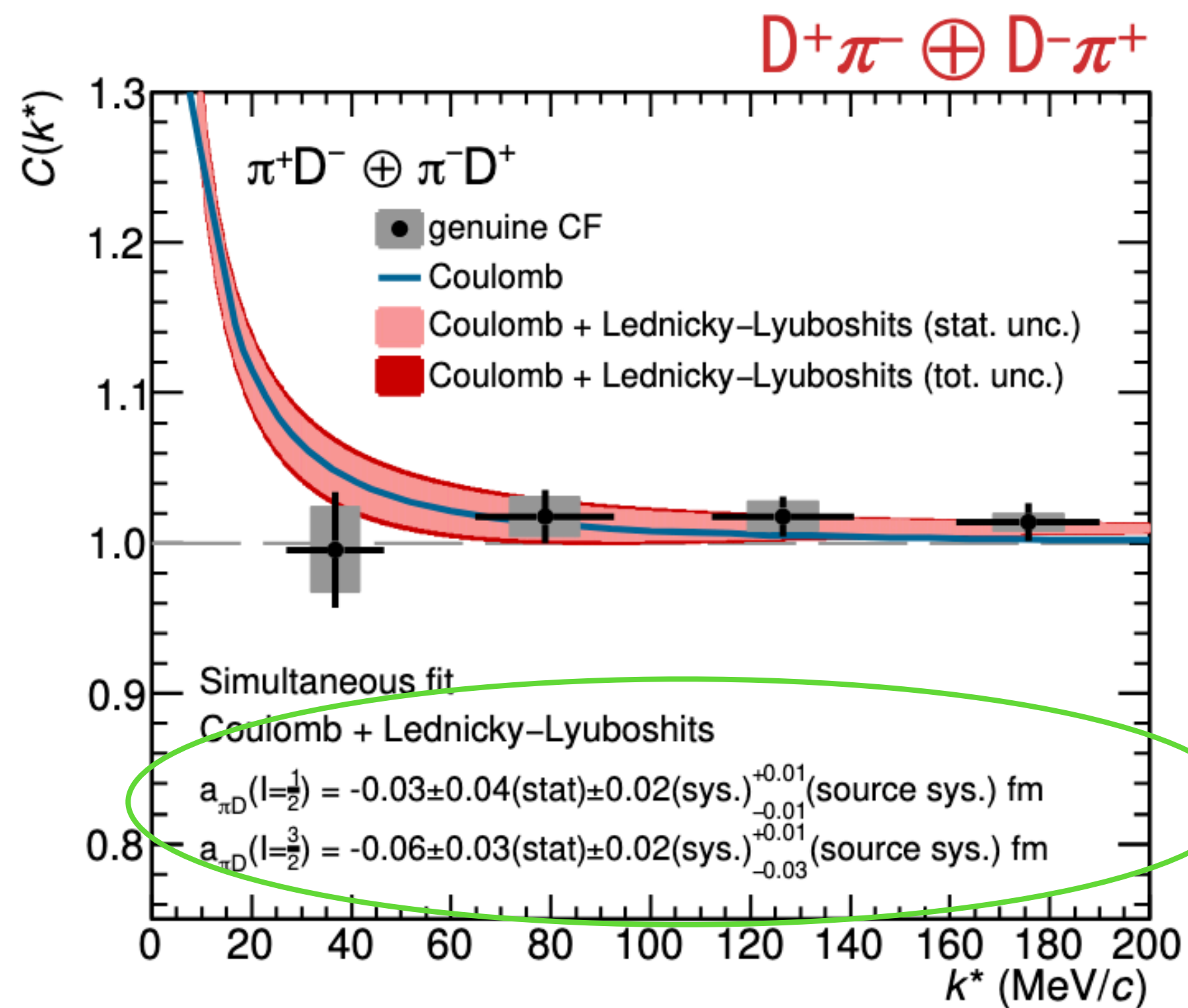
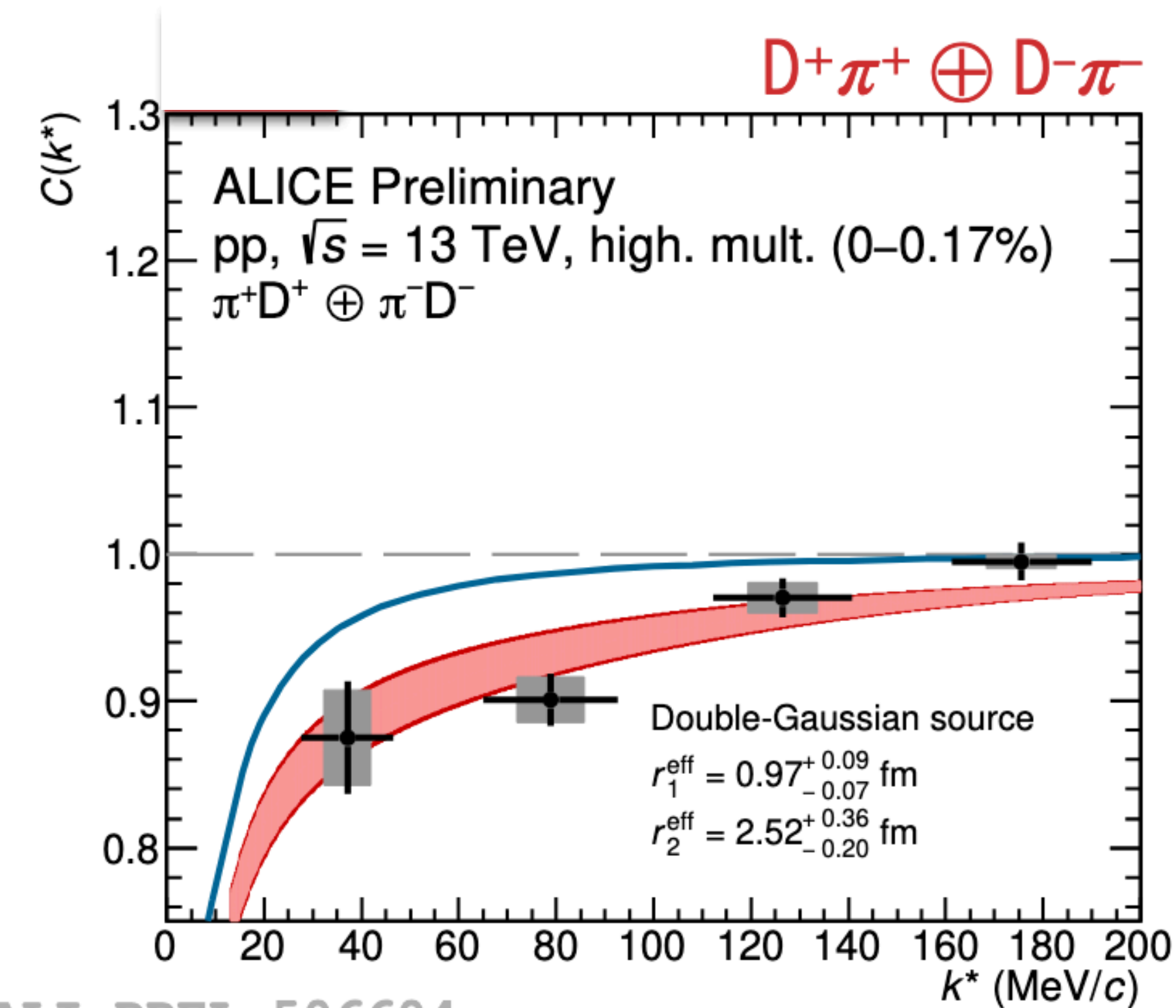
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measurement indicates a small rescattering of D mesons in the hadronic phase

- charm and beauty mesons and baryons: v_2 , R_{AA}
- low p_T regime, wider η range
- D_s constraint with beauty

- Systematic measurements of multi-heavy-flavour hadrons
- $D-\bar{D}$ correlations
- p-wave charmonium



- Y spectroscopy
- open heavy flavor over full kinematic range: v_2 , R_{AA}

- Onset of J/ψ suppression
- Hadronic decays of charmed mesons/baryons

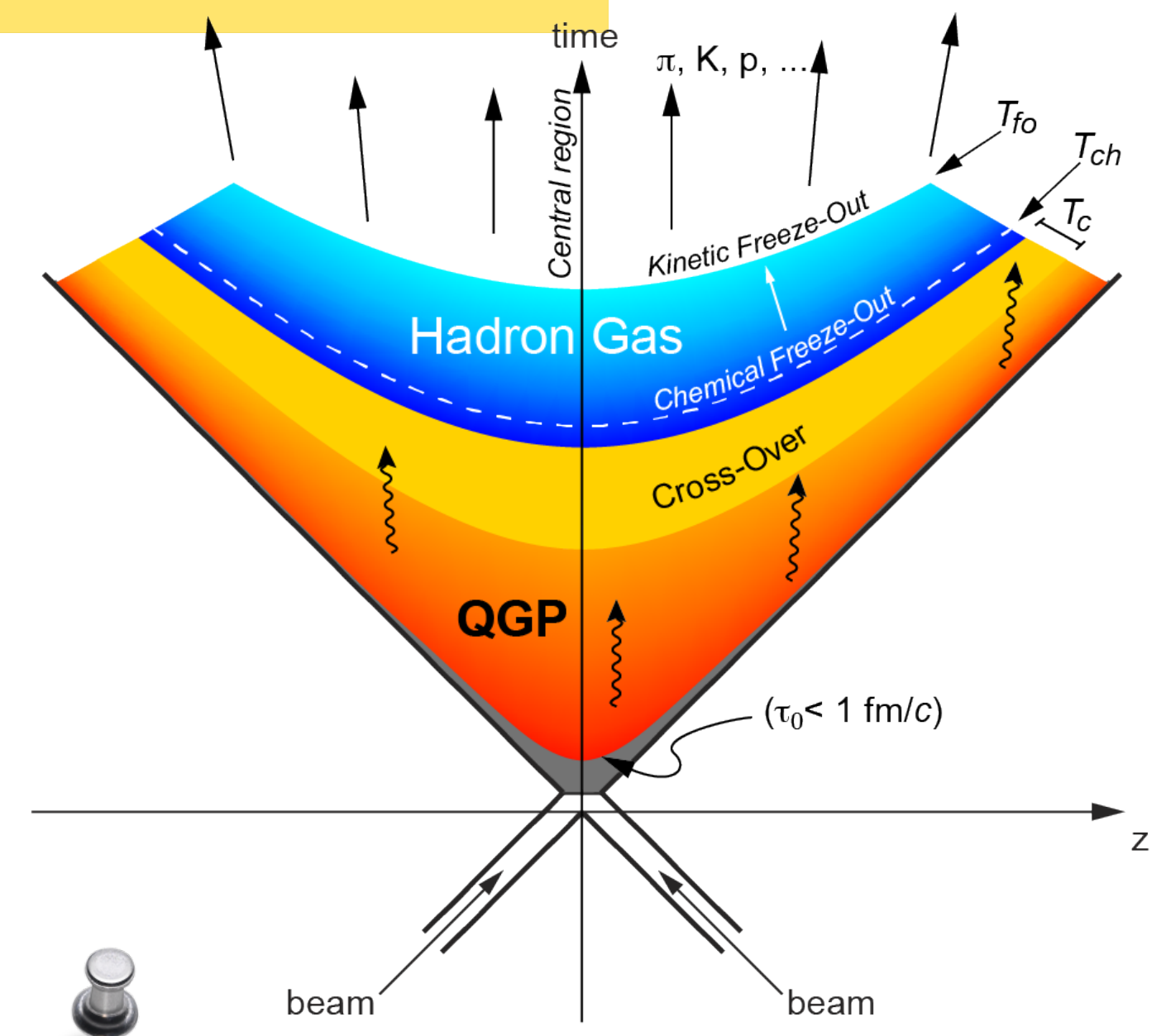
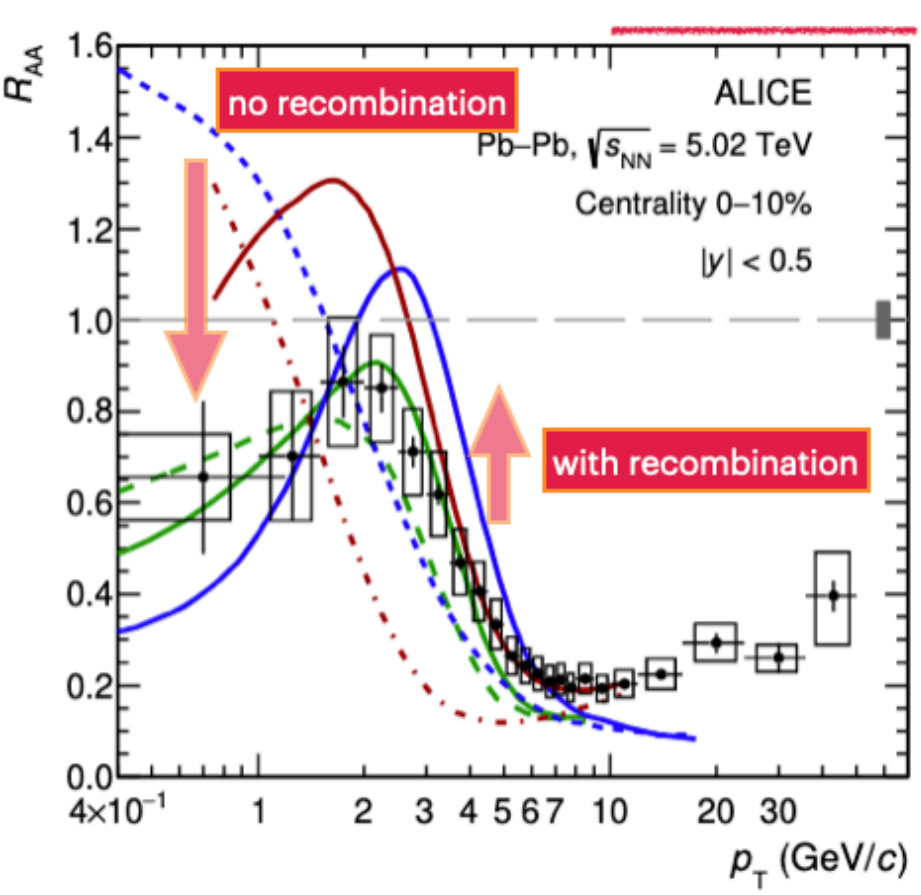
• open charm production at SPS

Improved measurements: expected to offer new constraints to models; further insights into the hot and dense medium, origin of collectivity in small systems

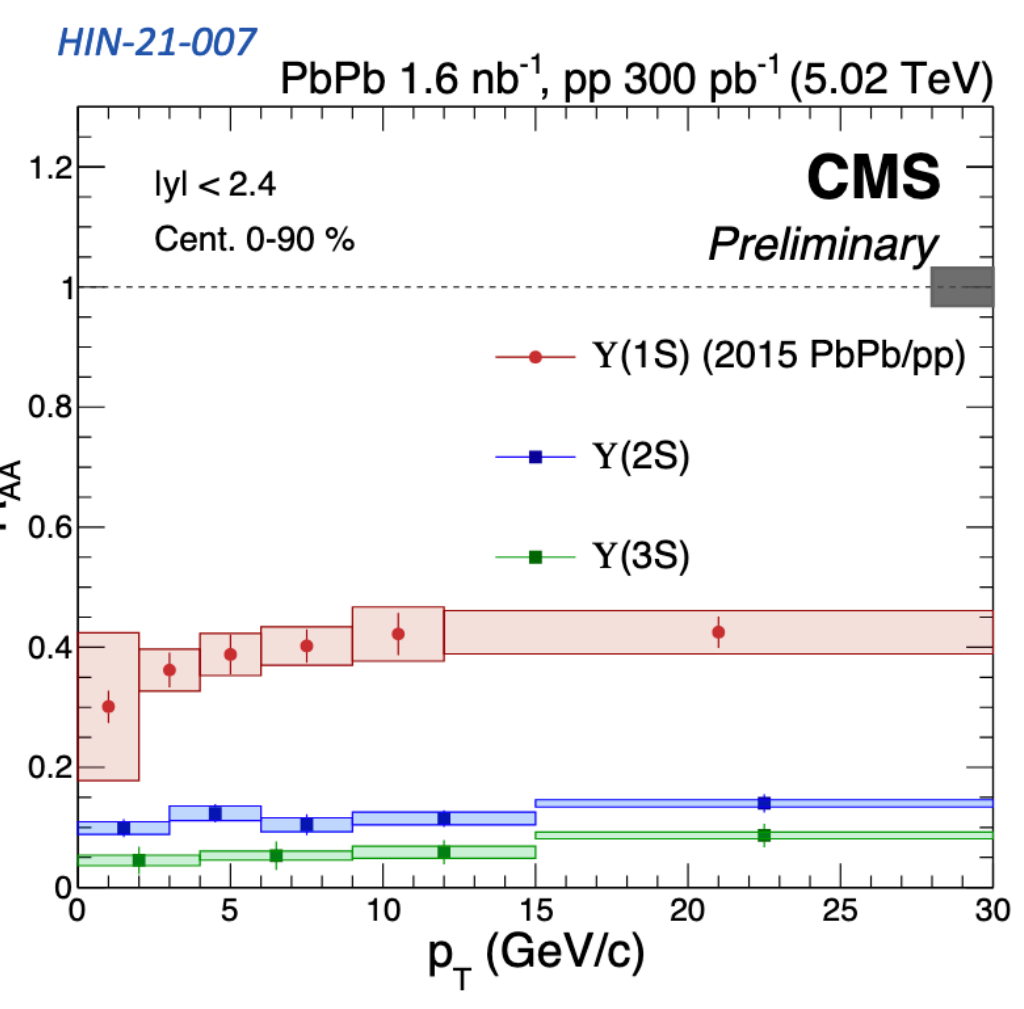
Conclusions

Systematic studies ongoing to disentangle **different mechanisms in the theory models to explain R_{AA} and v_2 shape**: good knowledge of **charm**.
More baryons to be measured in different systems

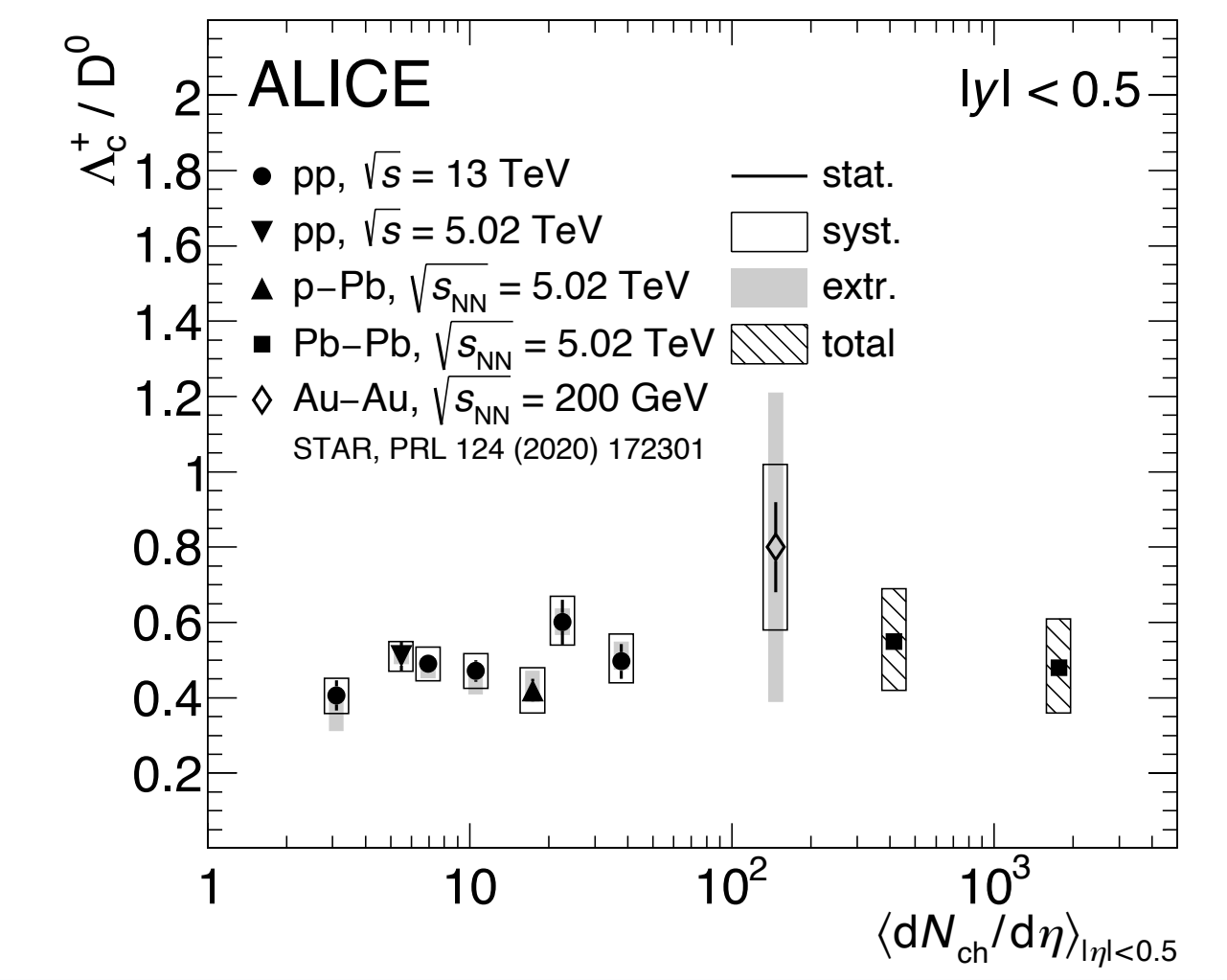
New channels accessible in the beauty sector in different collision systems: **less interaction with medium than charm**
Towards more constraints to D_s with beauty



studies of **baryon-to-meson ratios** as a function of multiplicity in pp: evolution of the p_T -spectra, but indication of **no enhancement of baryon-to-meson from small to large systems**



Quarkonia: interplay of recombination, energy loss and suppression in the QGP. New measurements and comparison with models to better clarify momentum range for different contributions

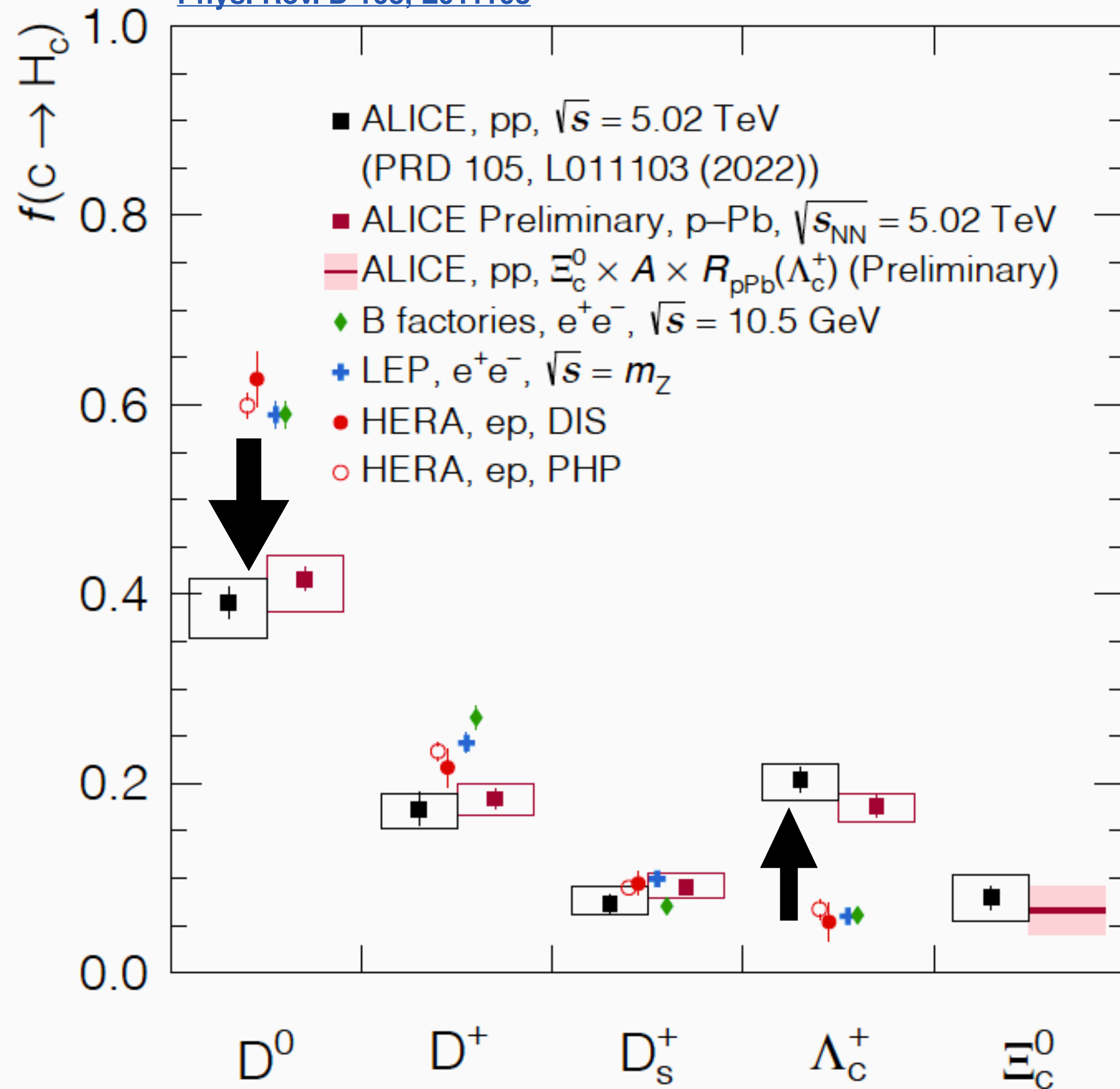




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- New charm baryon and meson measurements down to very low pT
 - all ground states of charm hadrons measured with high precision

→ First measurement of charm fragmentation fractions in pp collisions

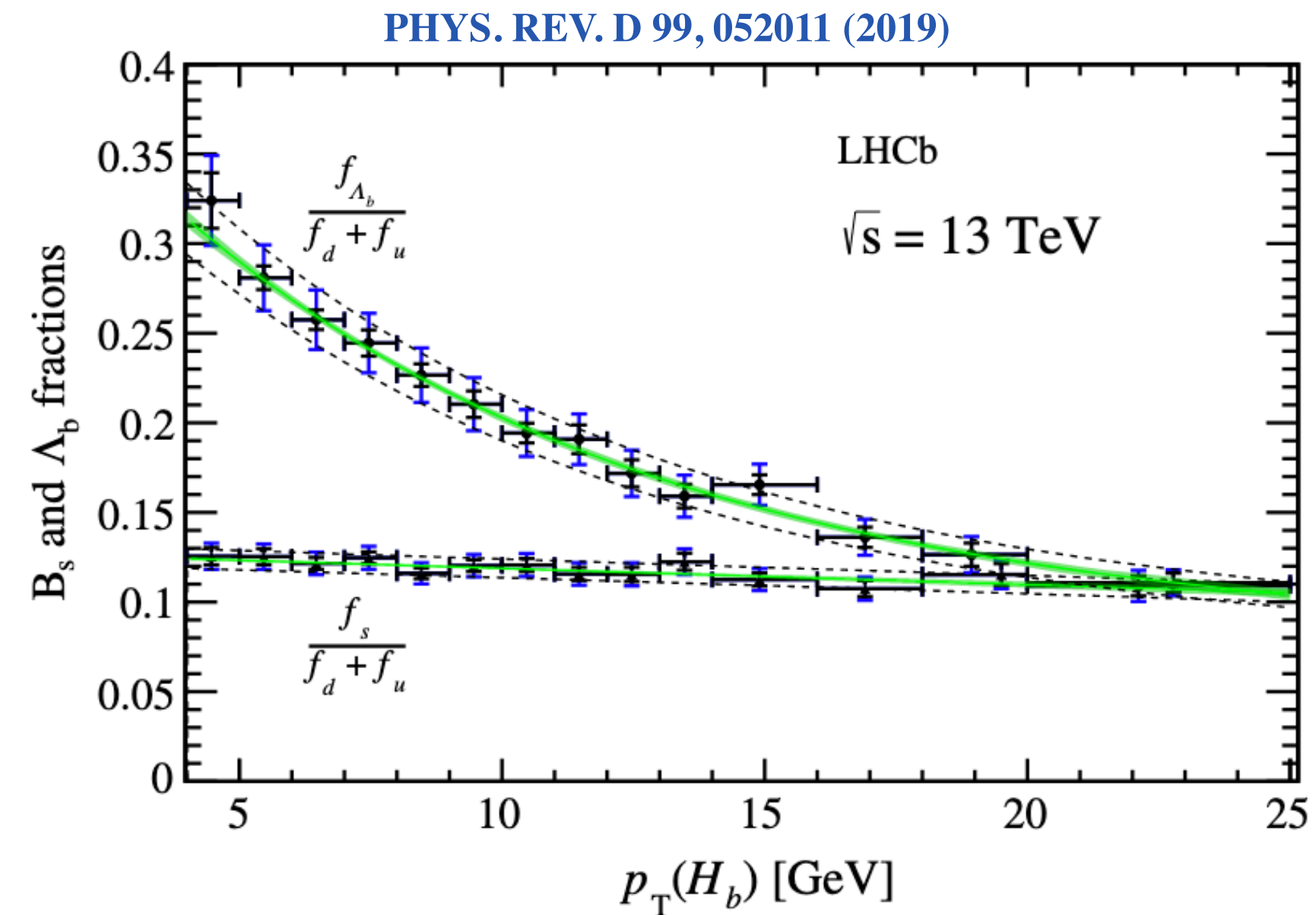
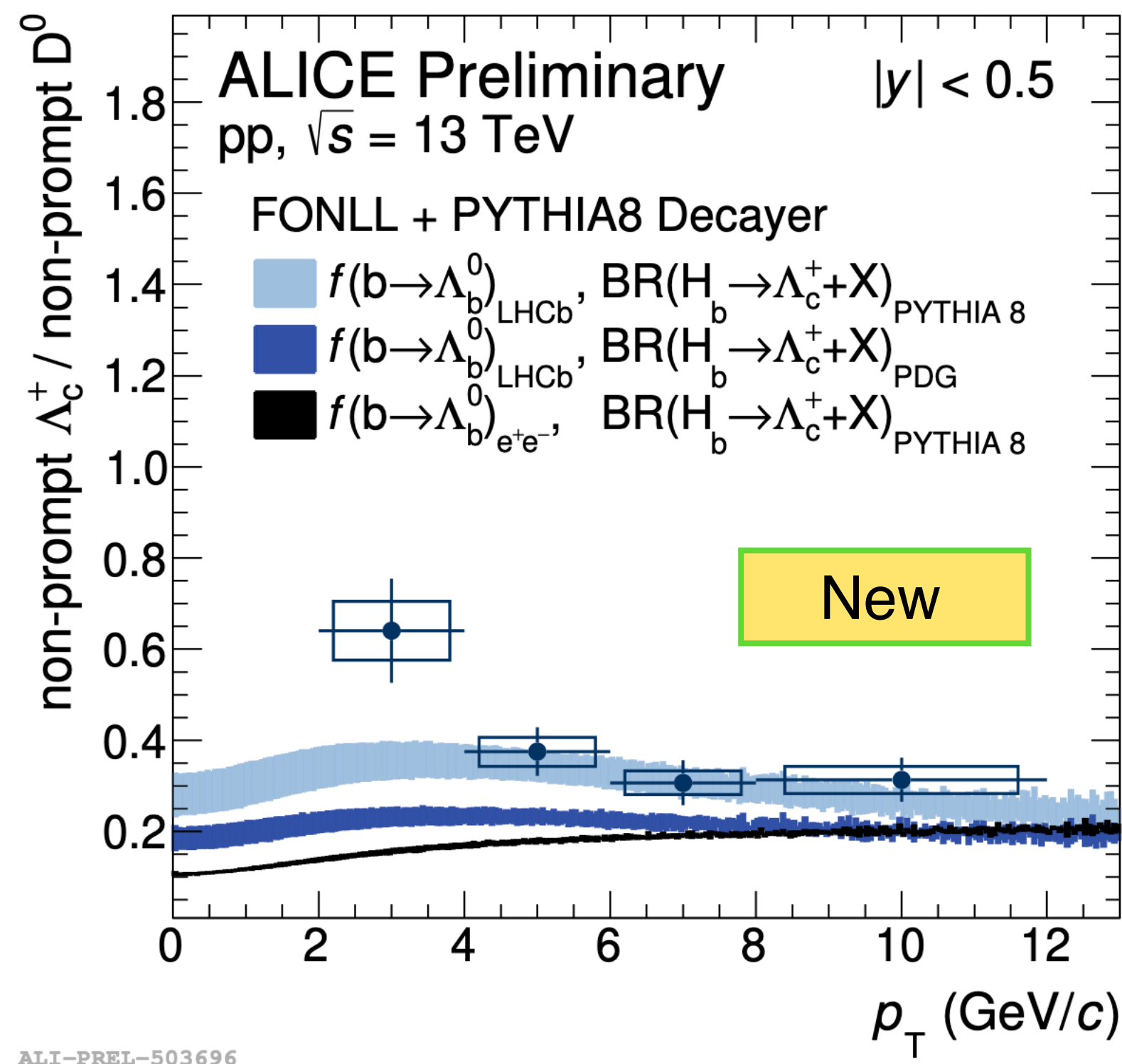
A significance deviation from e^+e^- , ep $f_c \rightarrow H_c$ measurements observed in pp collisions

- ✓ larger baryon-to-meson ratios wrt to pp at low momenta
- ✓ strong pt dependence
- ✓ different fragmentation fractions

Fragmentation of charm quark is not a universal process among different collision systems:
 ➔ hadronic environment in pp collisions plays a role!

Fragmentation functions universality violated already in pp collisions
 Multiple parton interactions in pp build a system rich of quarks or gluons, dense enough to alter hadronisation w.r.t. e^+e^-

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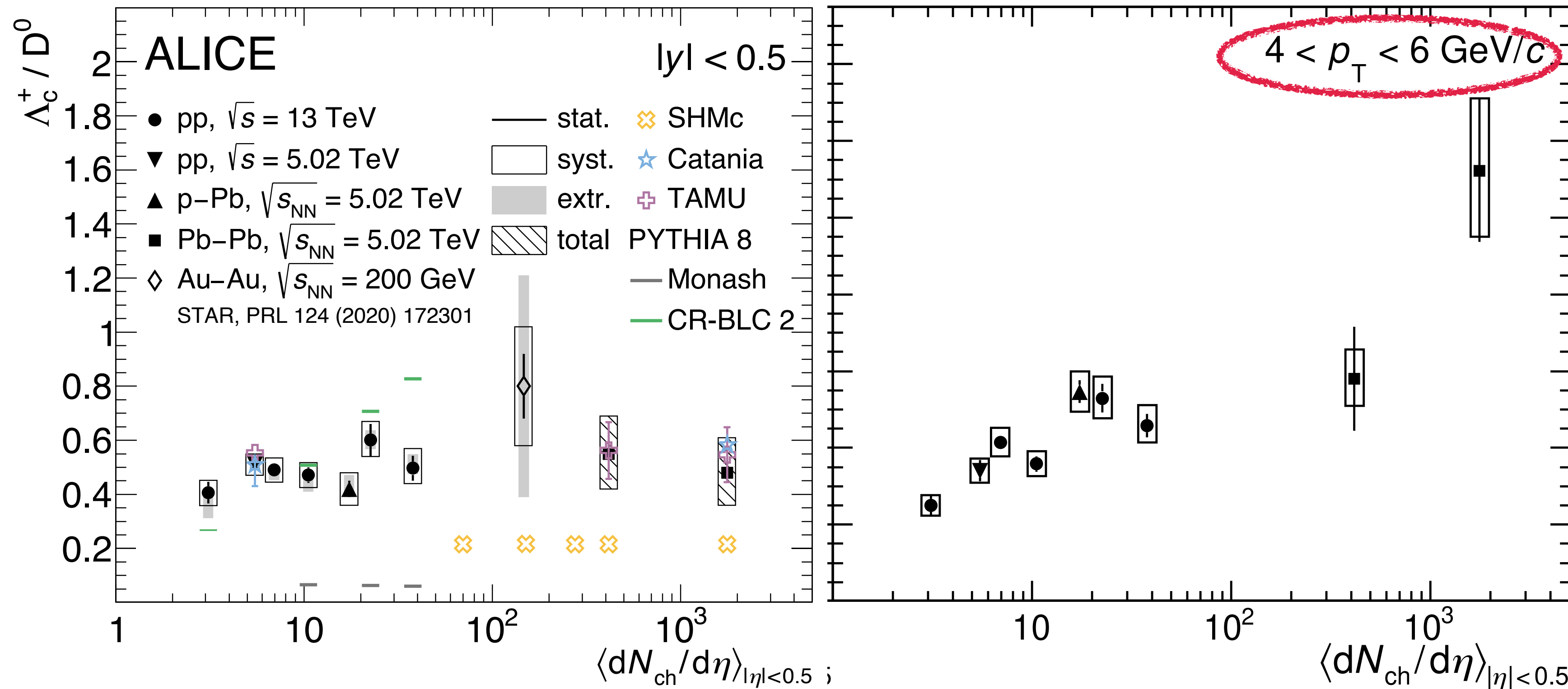


Fragmentation of beauty: first measurements of non-prompt Λ_c over non-prompt D^0 in pp and p-Pb collisions:

- FONLL + Pythia 8 and fragmentation fraction $f_{c \rightarrow \Lambda_b}$ measured by LHCb ([Phys. Rev. D 100, 031102\(R\)](#))
 - predictions with $f_{c \rightarrow \Lambda_b}$ measured at e^+e^- underestimate data
- suggest similar trend vs p_T as for prompt Λ_c/D^0 : hint of larger enhancement at low p_T
- similar p_T shape as measured by LHCb for Λ_b/B
 - caveats: different p_T for non-prompt Λ_c and Λ_b

beauty fragmentation fractions for baryons different wrt to e^+e^- measurements

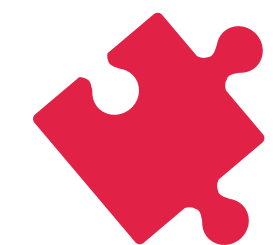
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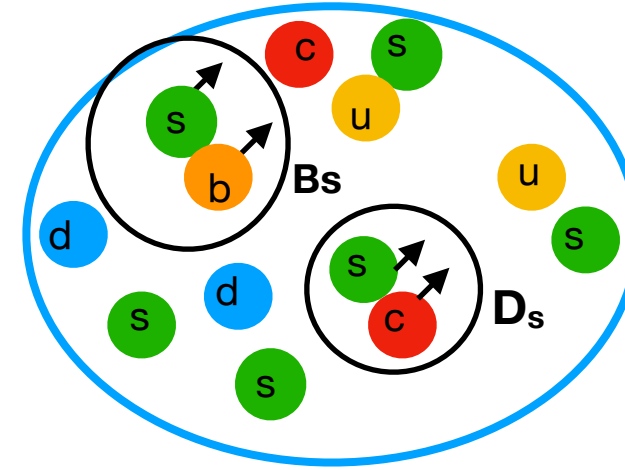
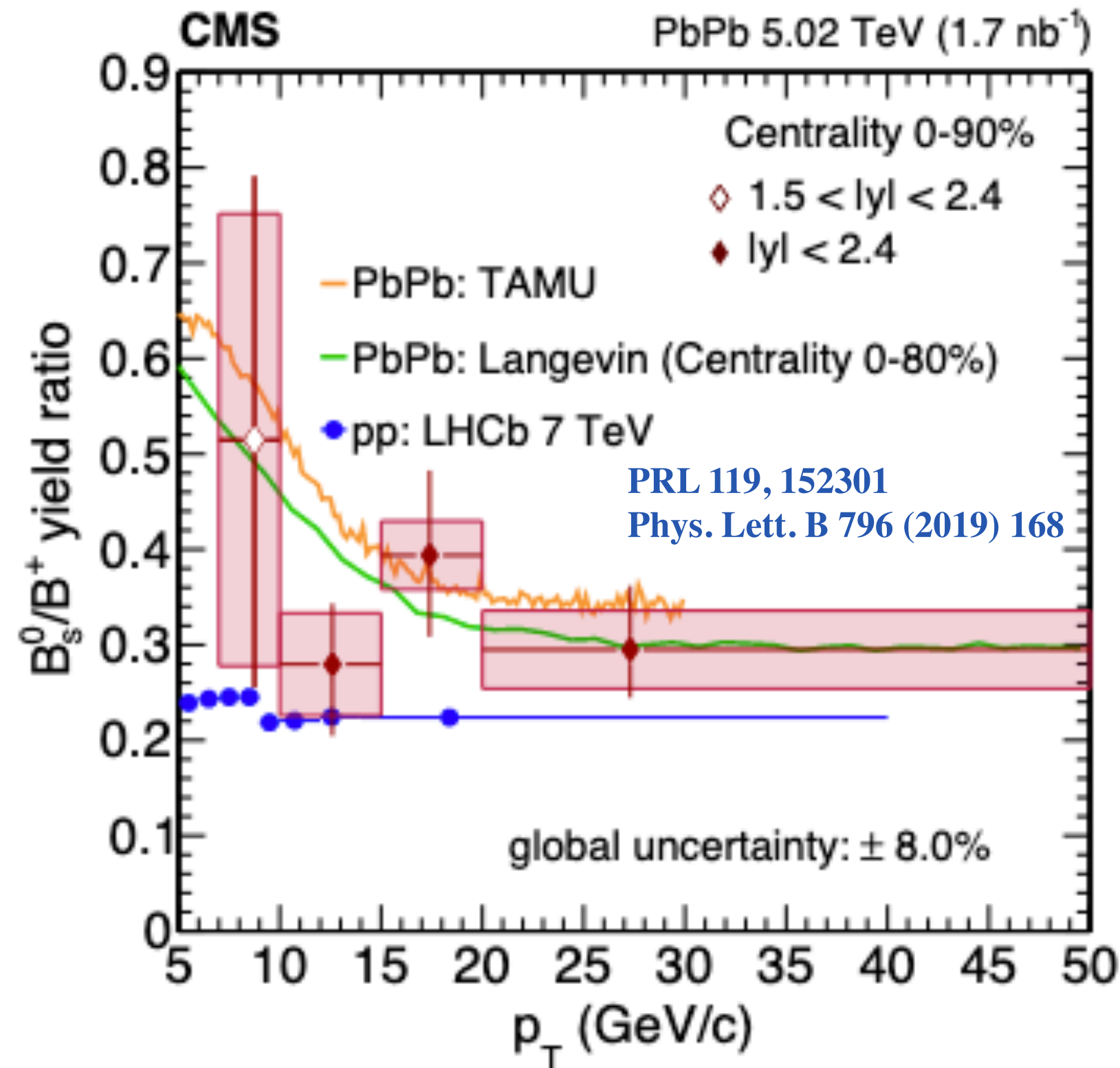
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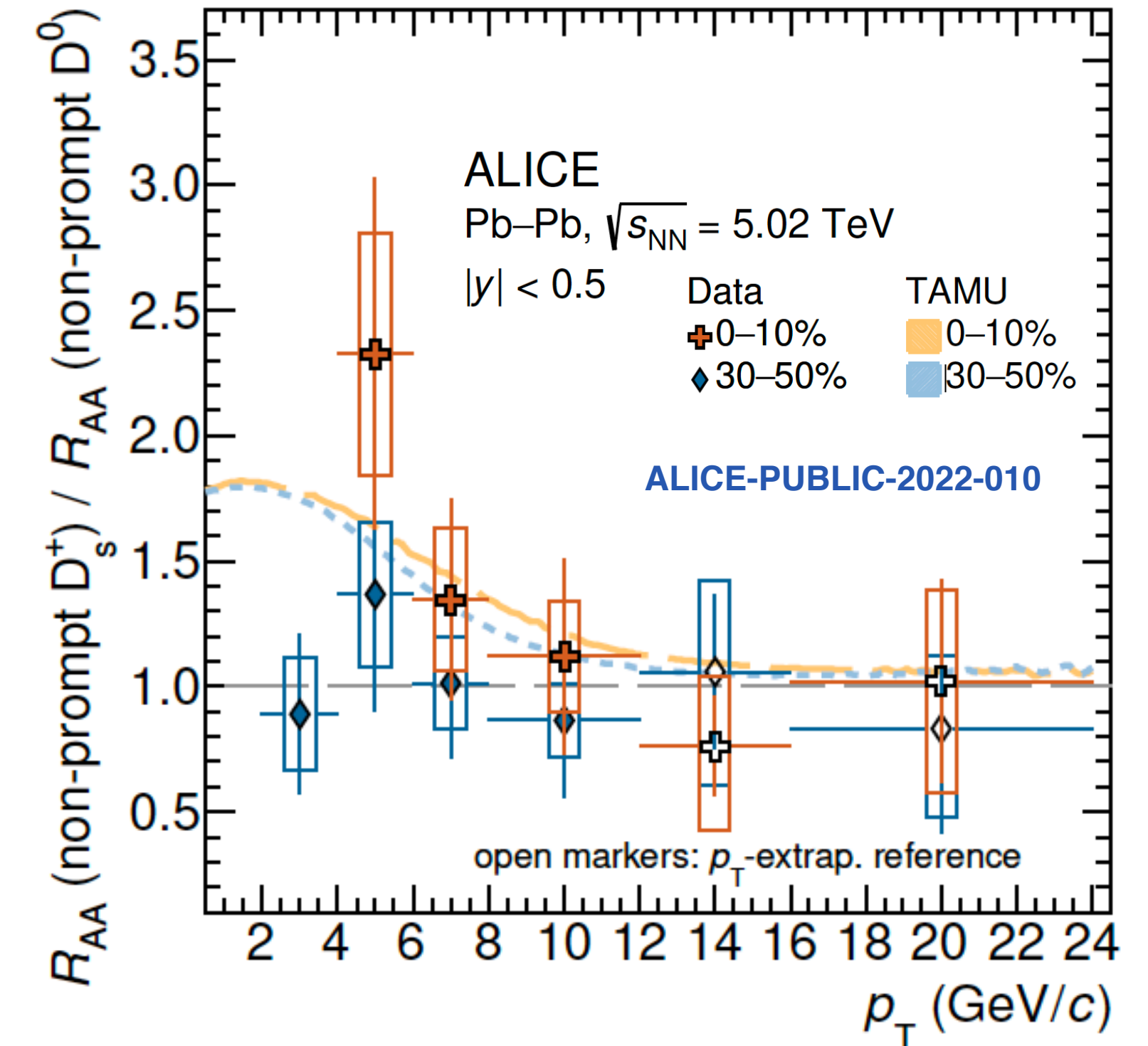
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Hadronisation: beauty non-strange and strange mesons



hadronization of **beauty quarks** in pp and Pb-Pb: need precise measurements

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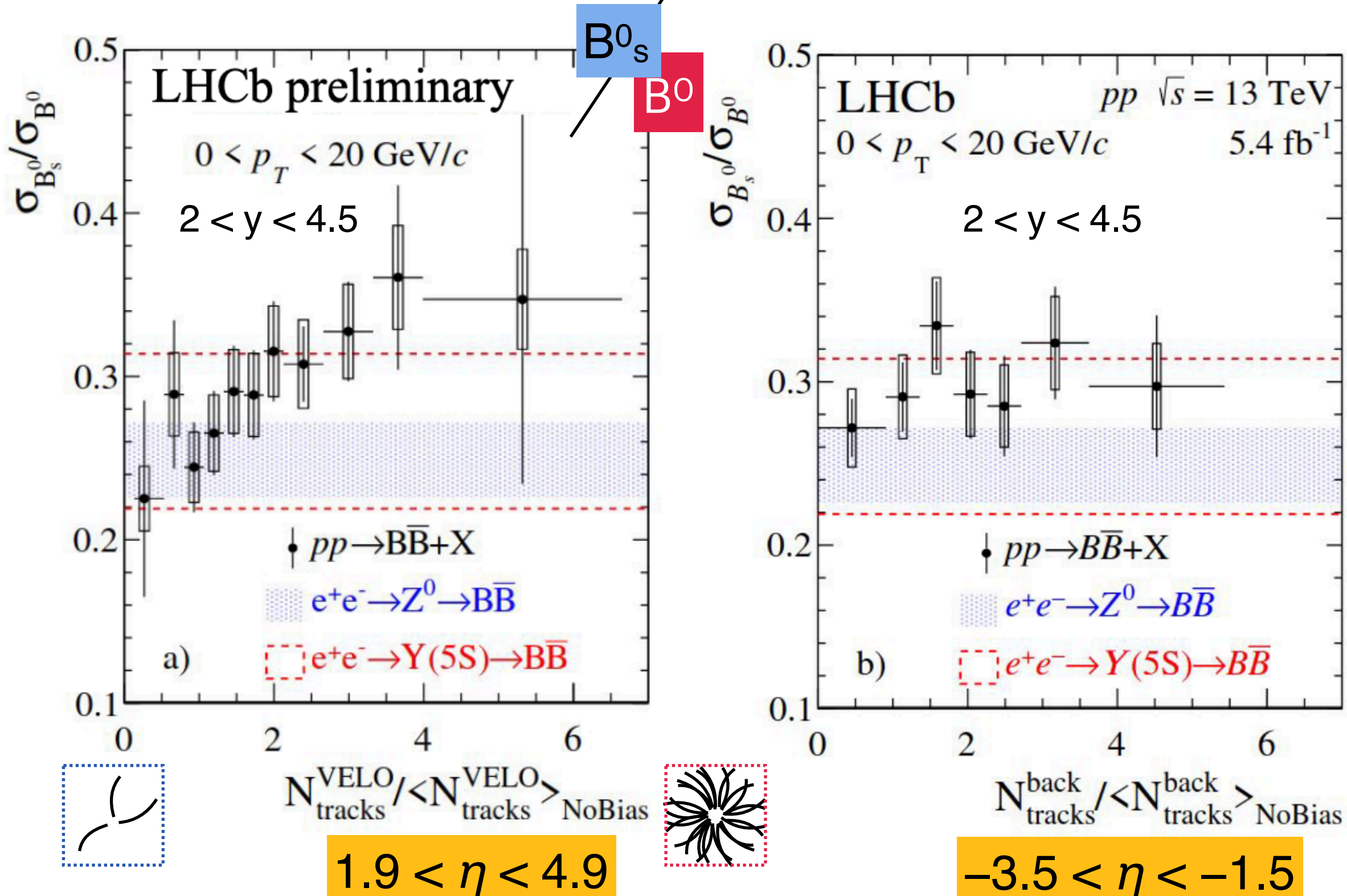
B_s^0/B^+ : suggestion for increased B_s yield relative to B^+

Non-prompt D^0 and non-prompt D_s in Pb-Pb collisions

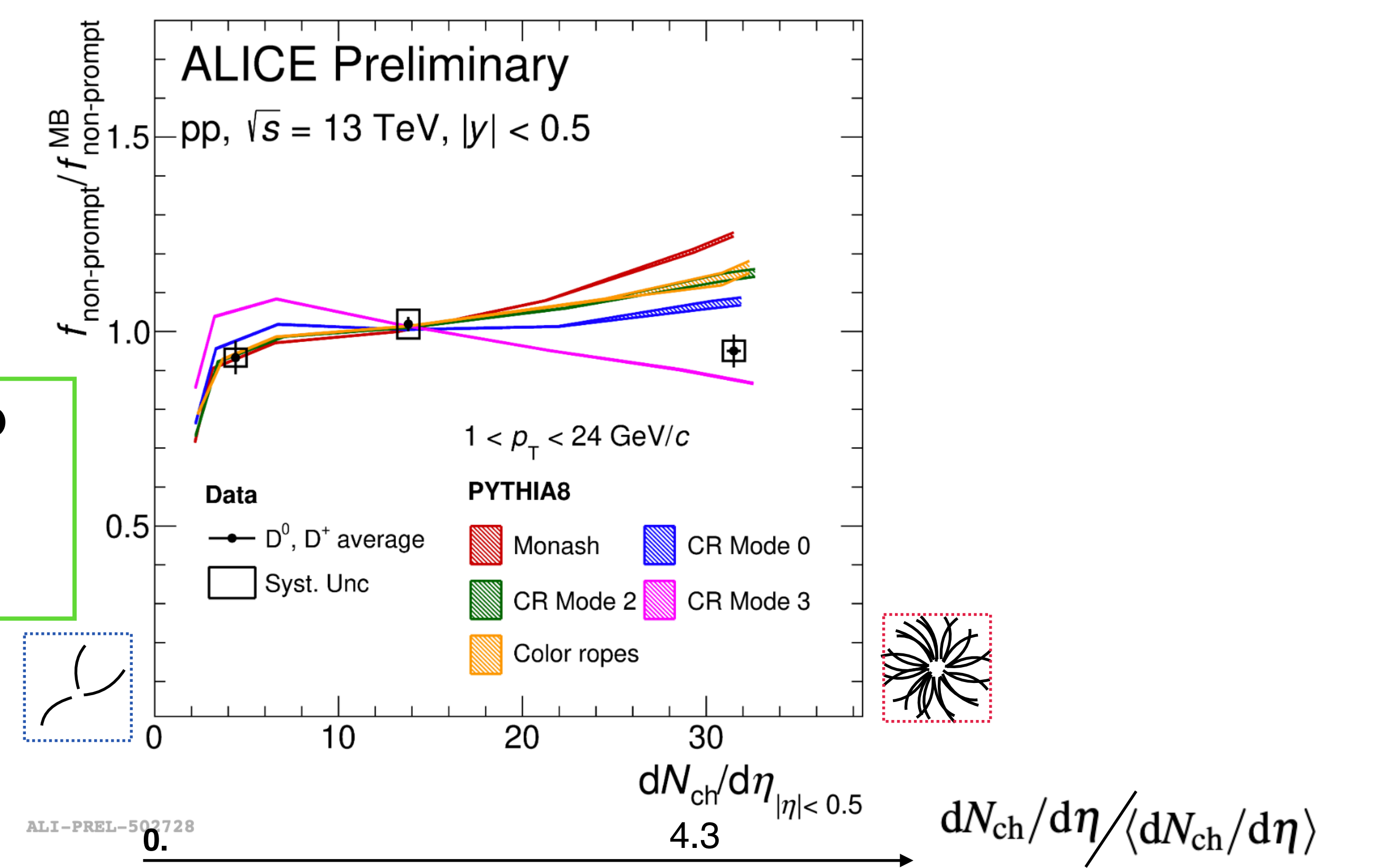
- Hint for increased non-prompt D_s yield relative to non-prompt D^0
- **Non-prompt D_s originating 50% from B_s decays and 50% from B^0 and B^+ decays**

models that include parton recombination predict an enhancement of yield ratios at low momentum

Strange charm and beauty mesons vs multiplicity



Hint of B_s/B^0 increase with increasing multiplicity
 for $0 < p_T < 20 \text{ GeV}/c$: no significant increase when different multiplicity estimator is used.
 local effect? does depend on the particle density measured in the same rapidity interval as the B?



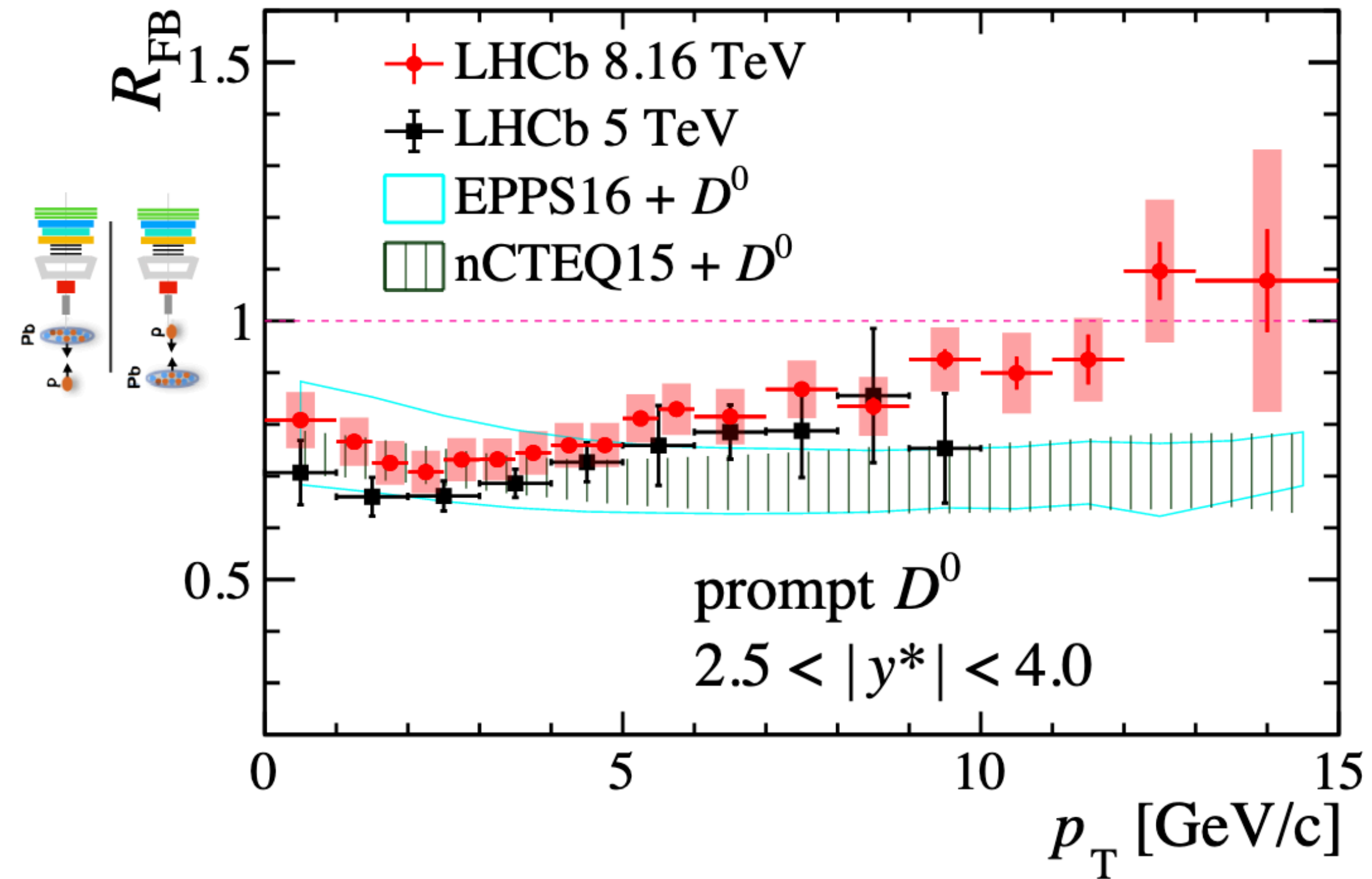
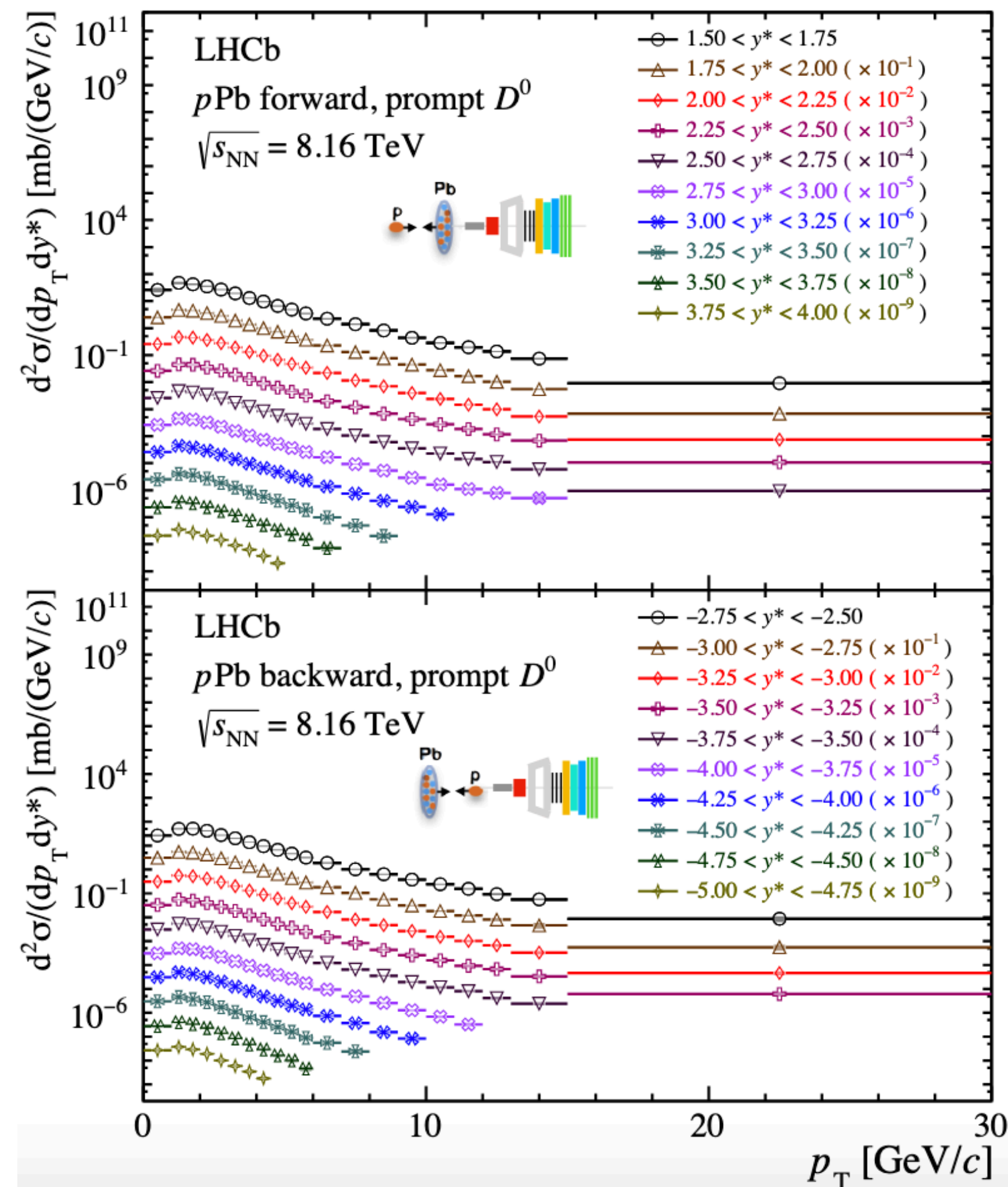
D_s^+/D^0 (backup) and non-prompt D meson fractions do not show dependence on multiplicity

- similar multiplicity ranges as measured by LHCb
- described by Pythia predictions

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New Open-charm production in pPb collisions

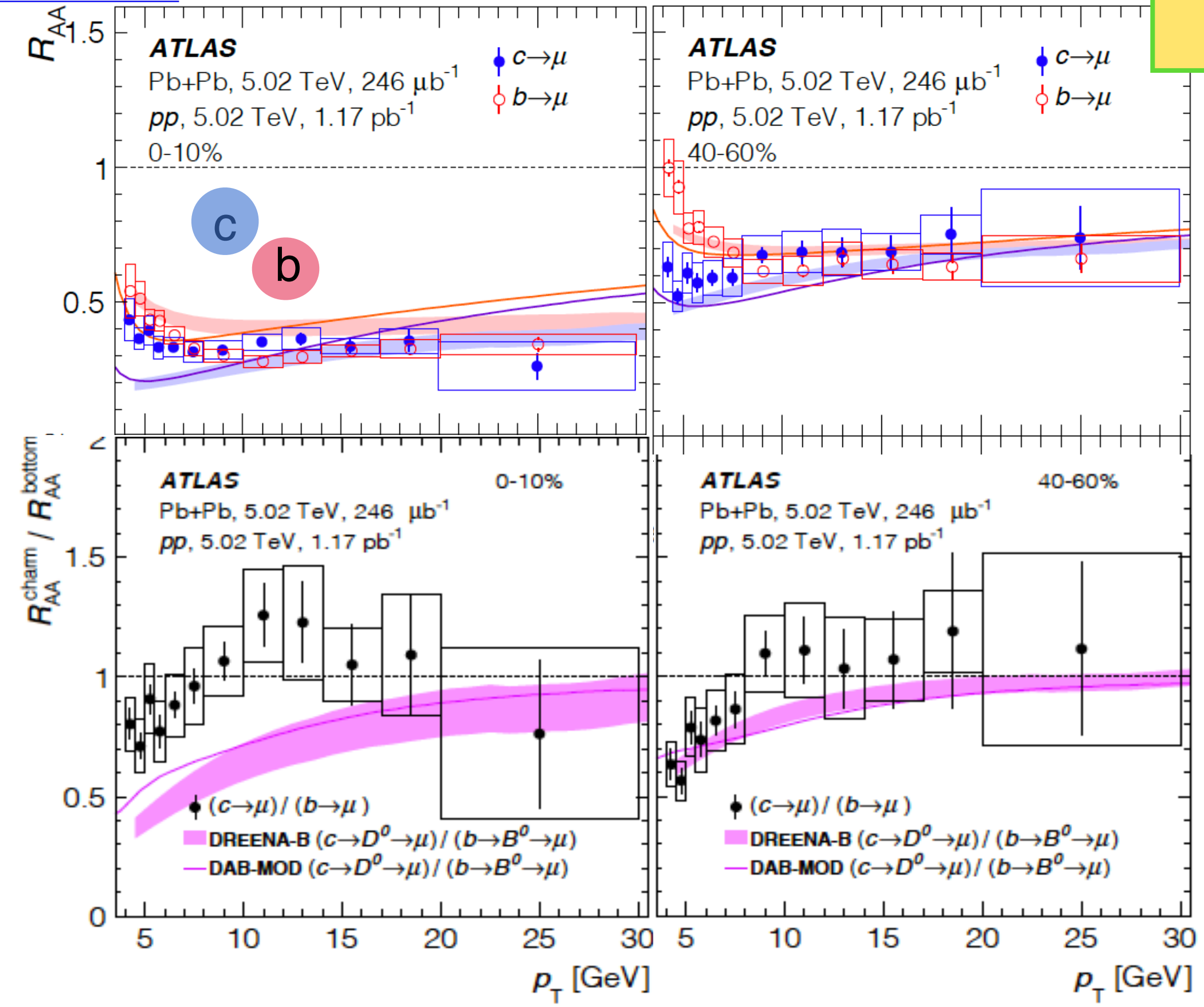
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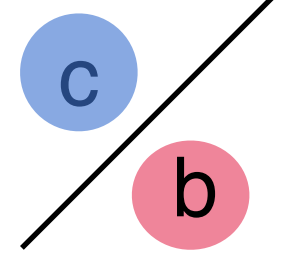
- ❖ Tension between data and theory predictions at high p_T .
- ❖ Additional effect required?

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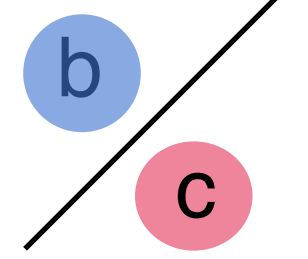
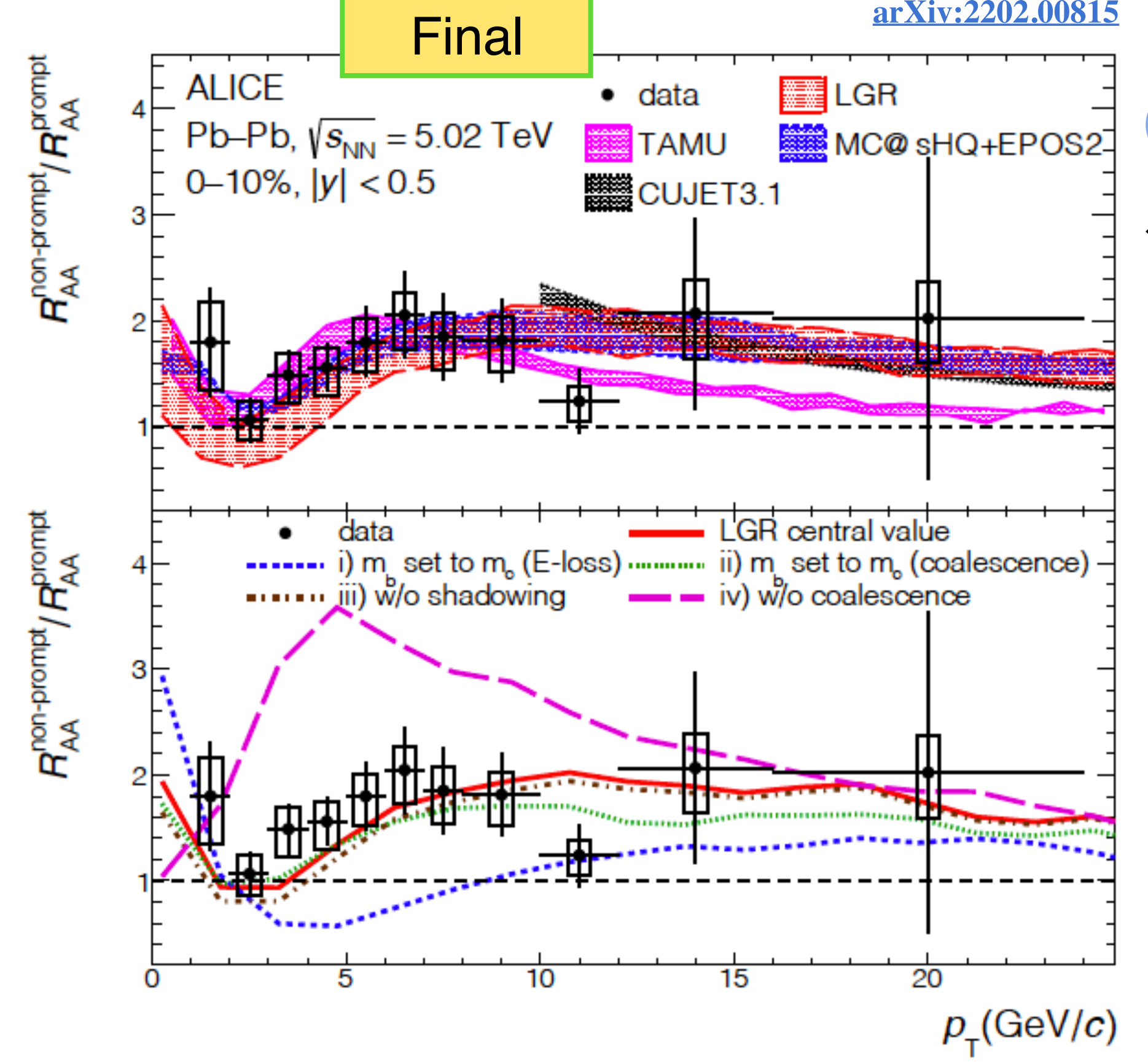
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beauty/charm R_{AA} ratio: via non-prompt/prompt D or leptons from semi-leptonic decays of charm and beauty:

- **Smaller beauty suppression:** for $p_T > 4$ GeV/c (D mesons) and $p_T > 10$ GeV/c (HF leptons): **beauty quark lose less energy than charm quark in the QGP due to the large mass**

Heavy flavor v_2 from CMS



Charged hadrons

Phys. Lett. B 776 (2017) 195

Prompt D^0

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Nonprompt D^0

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Prompt J/ψ

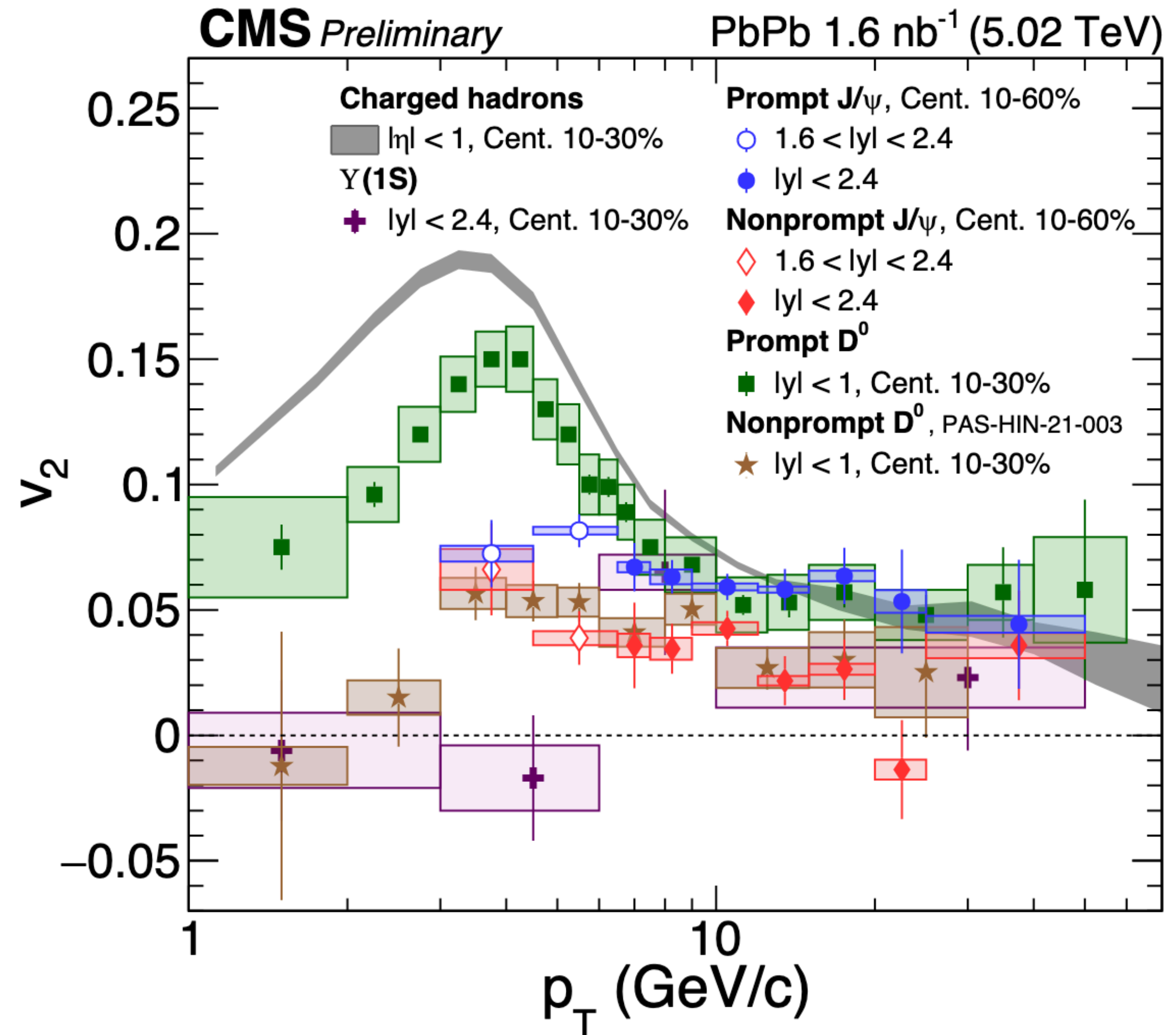
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Nonprompt J/ψ

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$Y(1S)$

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Statistical hadronisation of charm



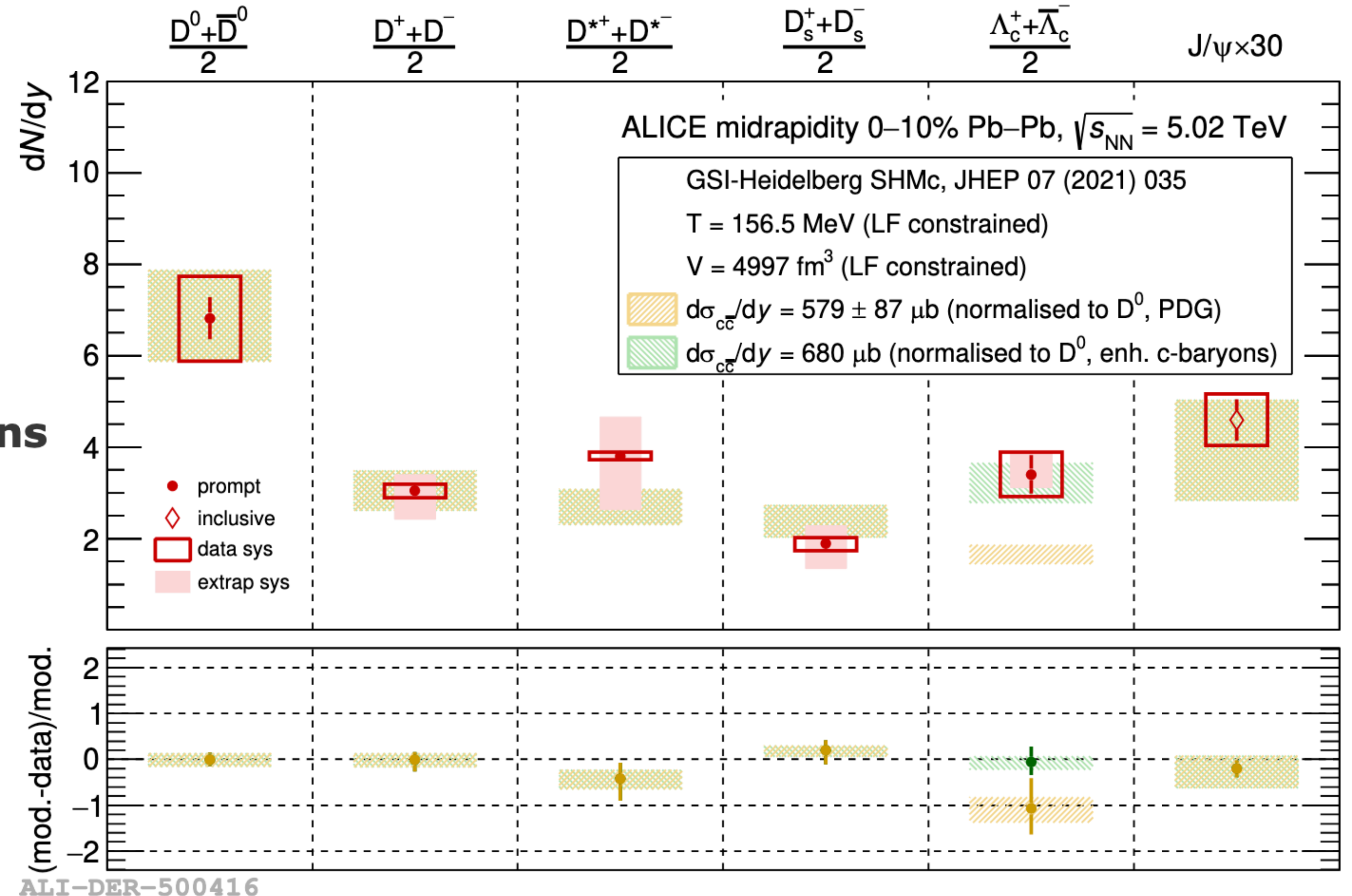
SHMc (charm quarks fully thermalised in the QGP)

→ Distributed into hadrons at phase boundary according to **thermal weights**

Measured yields of **open-charm mesons compatible** with SHMc

Measured yield of Λ_c^+ **underestimated**

→ Described in case of an enhanced charm-baryon resonance spectrum

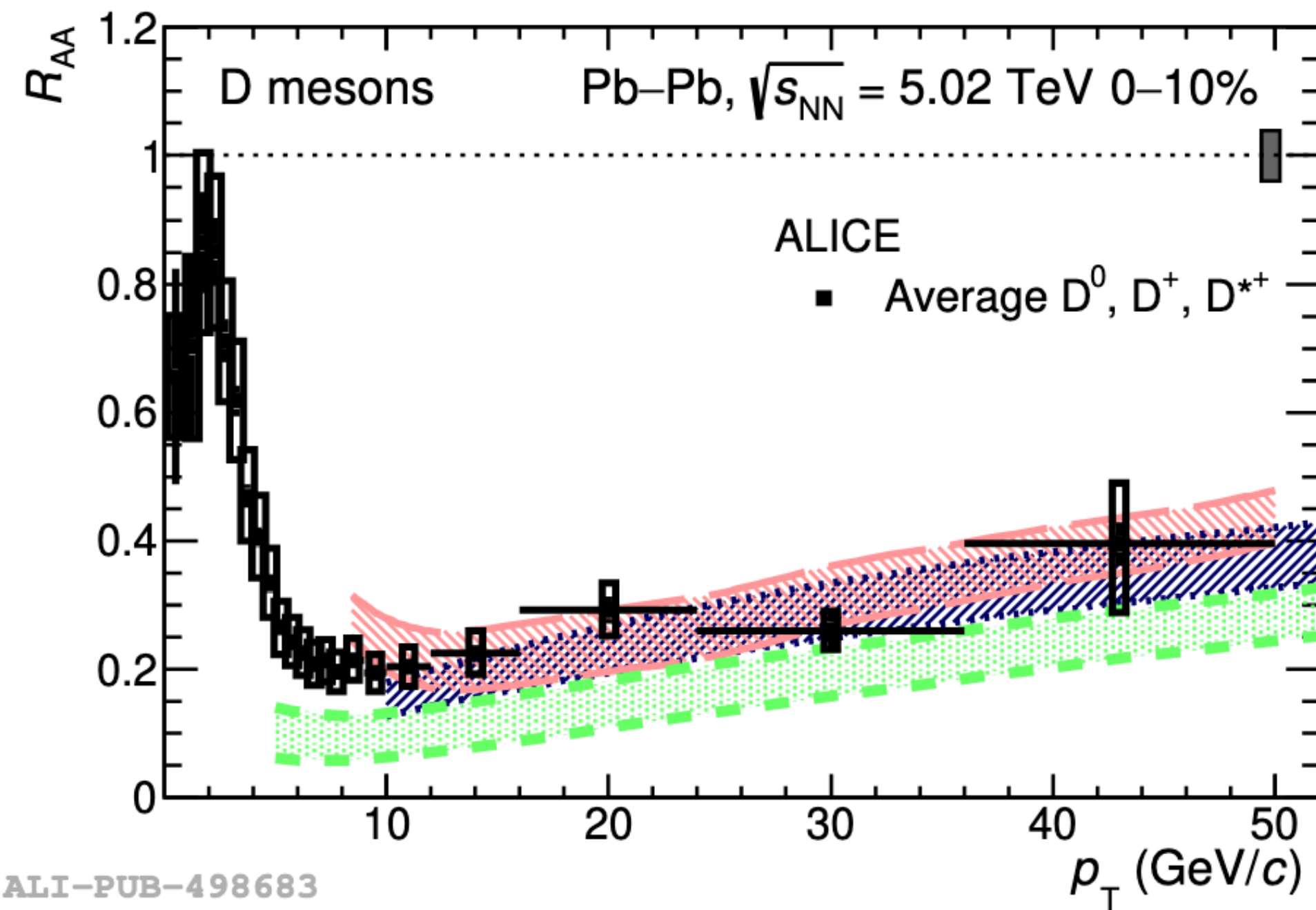


Charm-quark transport models: ingredients

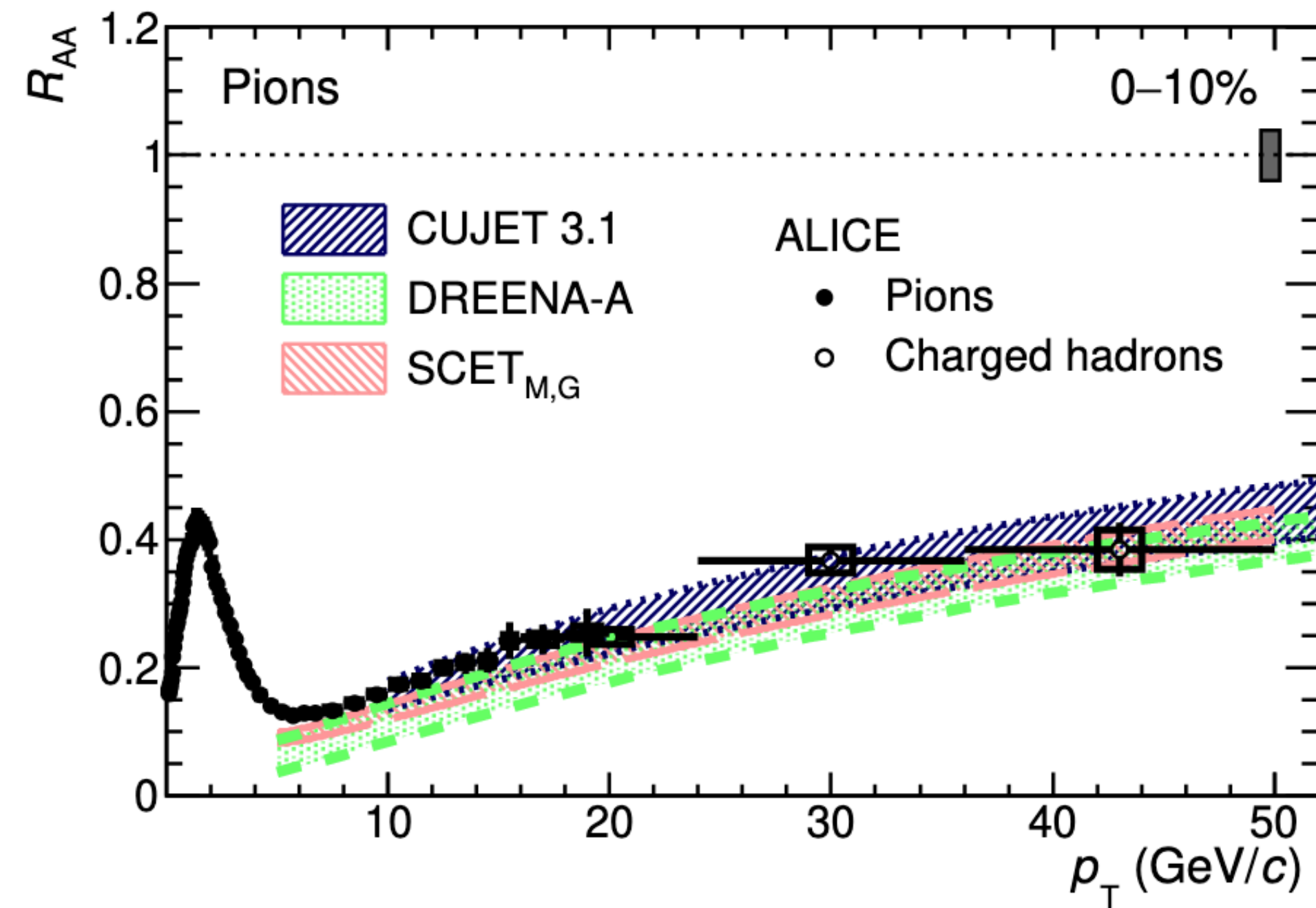


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TAMU	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓
LIDO	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
PHSD	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓
DAB-MOD	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗
Catania	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓
MC@shQ+EPOS	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LBT	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
POWLANG+HTL	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓
LGR	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

But more importantly: different **implementations** and **input parameters**.



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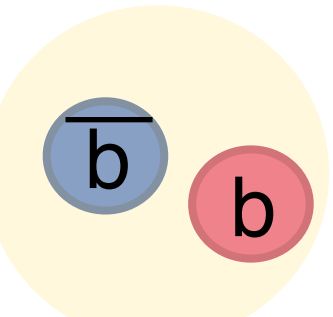


Perturbative QCD calculations describe reasonably well the measured R_{AA} , “confirming”

- the **quadratic path length dependence** of radiative energy loss;
- the expected mass dependence due to the **dead-cone effect**.

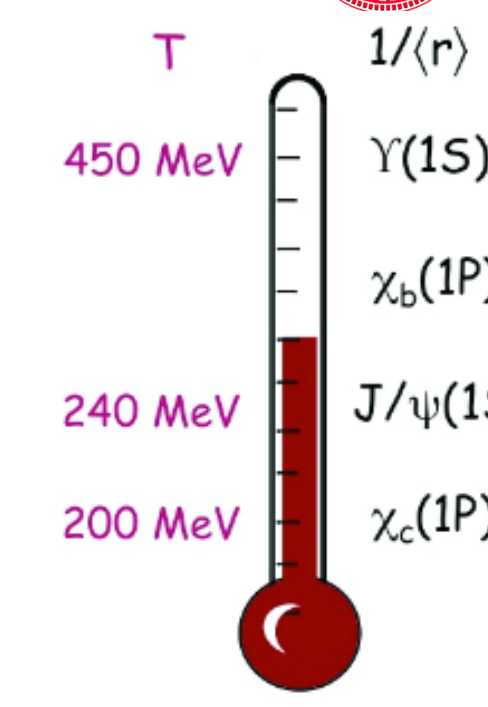
	Collisional en. loss	Radiative en. loss	Coalescence	Hydro	nPDF	
CUJET 3.1	✓	✓	✗	✓	✓	opacity expansion model
DREENA-A	✓	✓	✗	✓	✗	
SCET _{M,G}	✓	✓	✗	✗	✓	soft-collinear effective theory

Quarkonia suppression in the QGP: R_{AA}



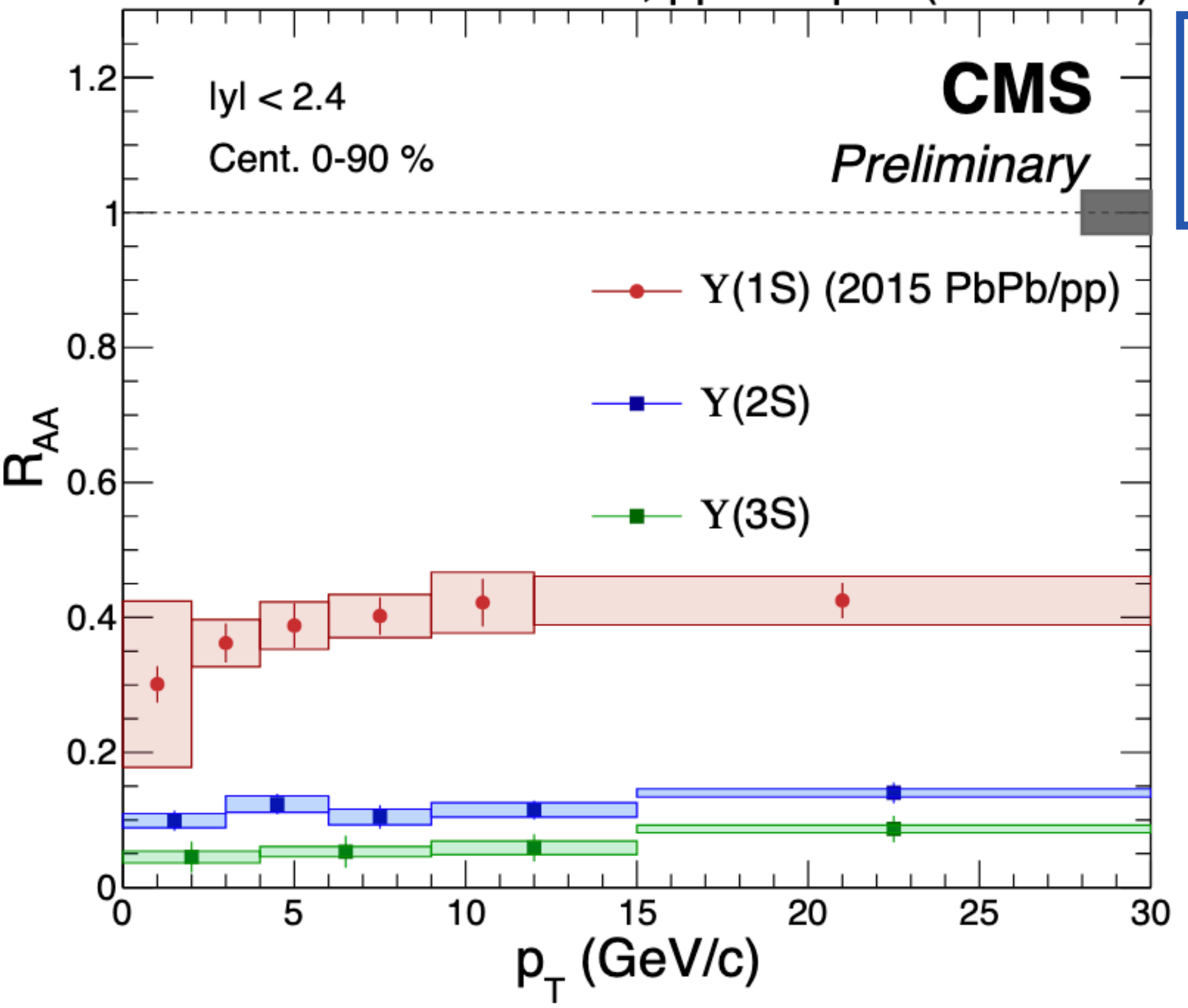
$$R_{AA} = \frac{1}{\langle T_{AA} \rangle} \frac{dN_{AA}/dp_T}{d\sigma_{pp}/dp_T}$$

Probing the sequential suppression



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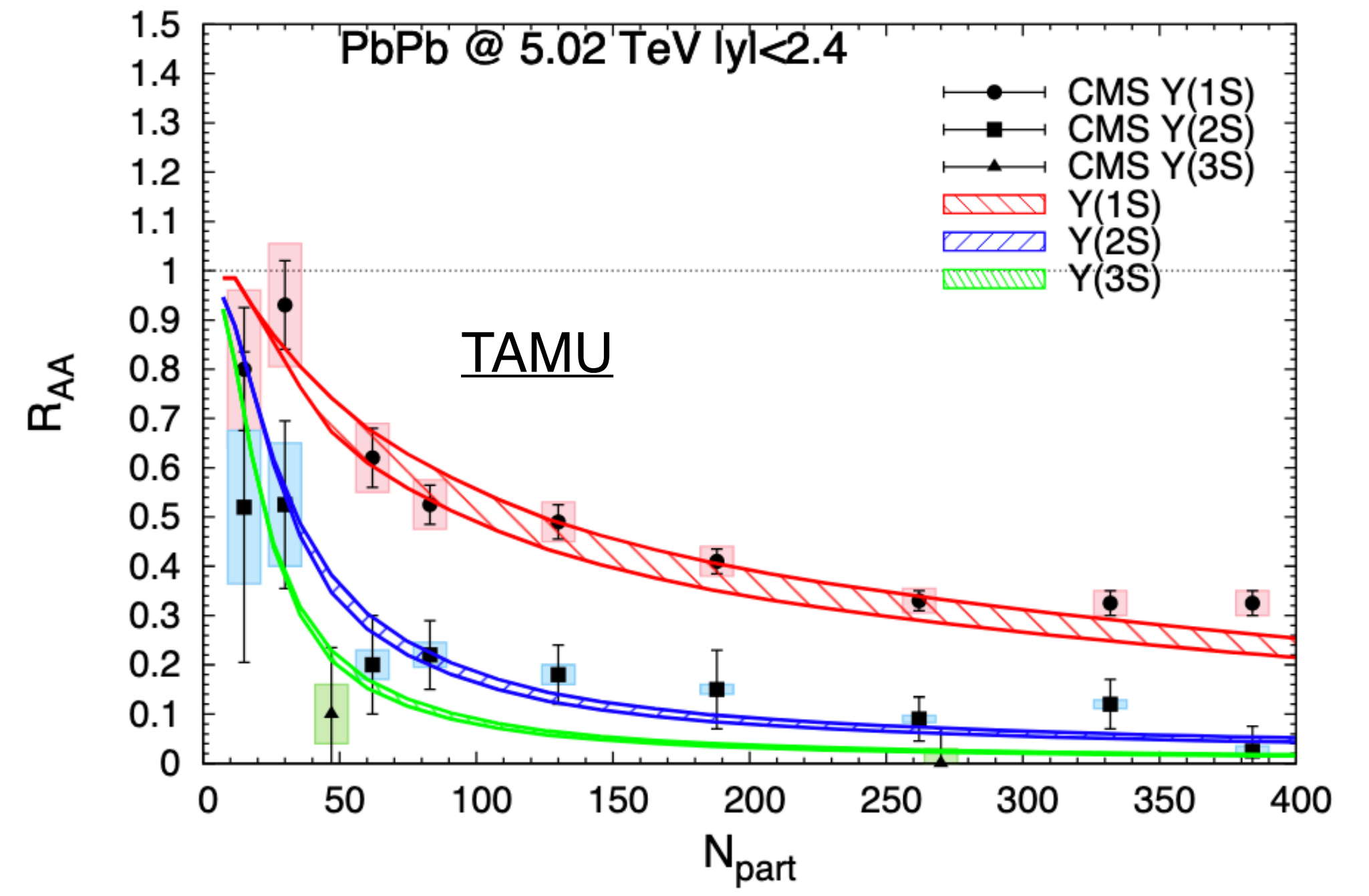
PbPb 1.6 nb⁻¹, pp 300 pb⁻¹ (5.02 TeV)



Bottomonium: First Y(3S) measurement in Pb-Pb

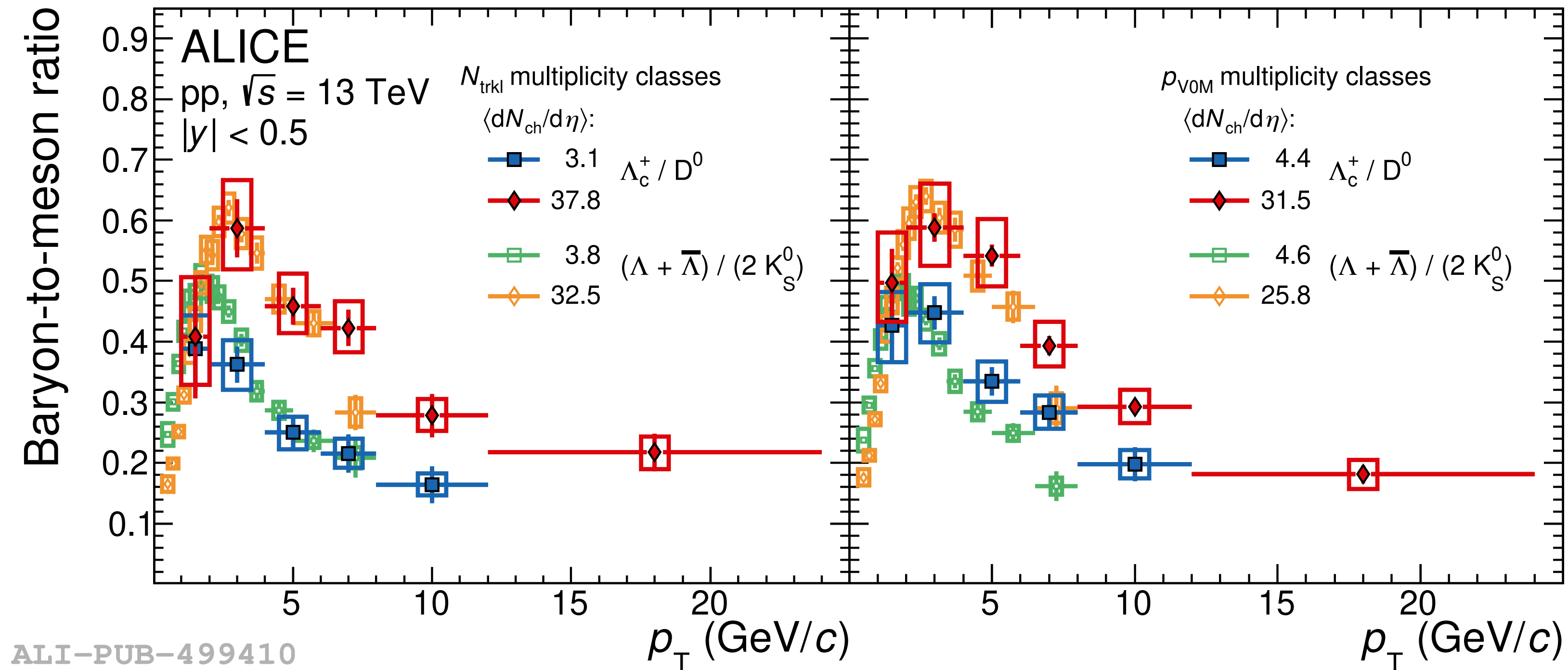
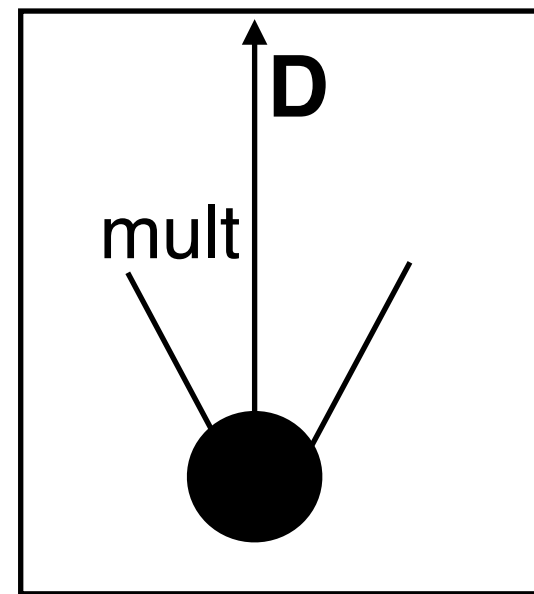
- very clear ordering of R_{AA} : ordering like sequential melting picture
- no significant p_T dependence of R_{AA}

$$\frac{R_{AA}^{(3S)}}{R_{AA}^{(2S)}} \approx 0.5$$

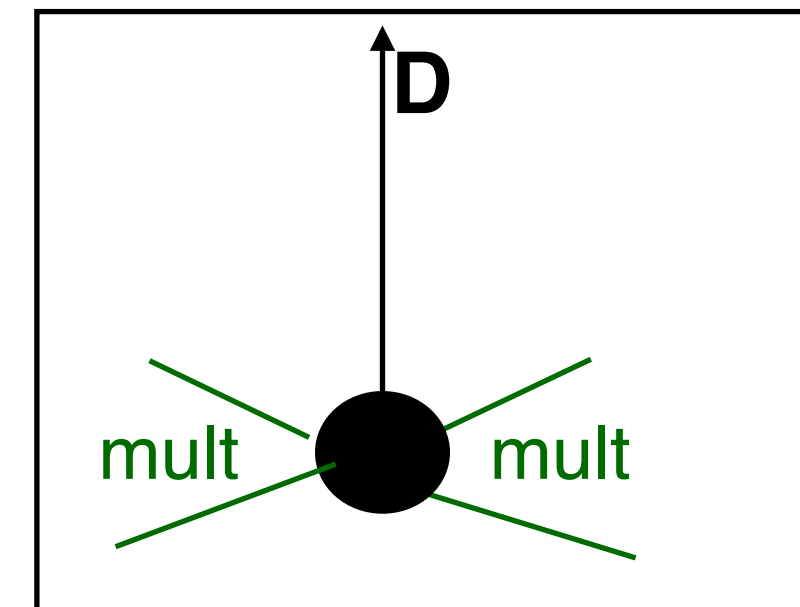


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Λ_c^+/D^0 vs Λ/K_S^0 : heavy-flavour vs light-flavour yield ratios



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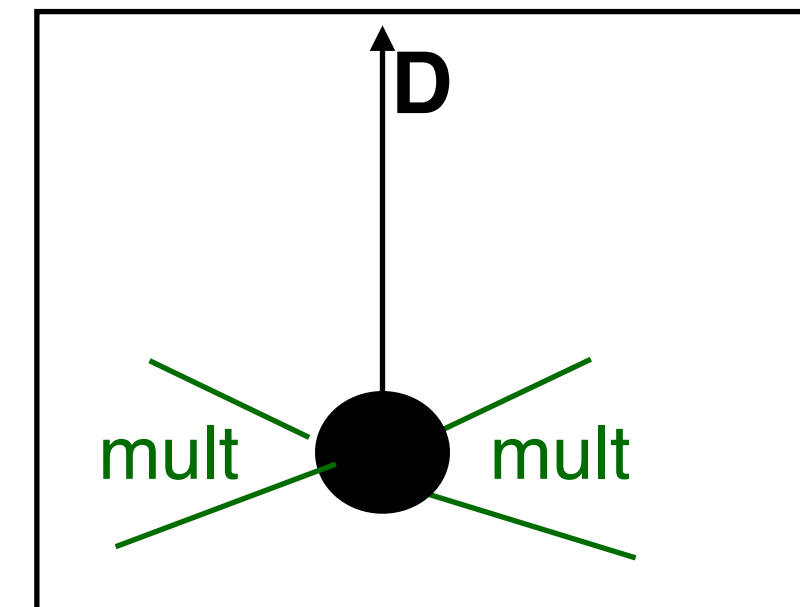
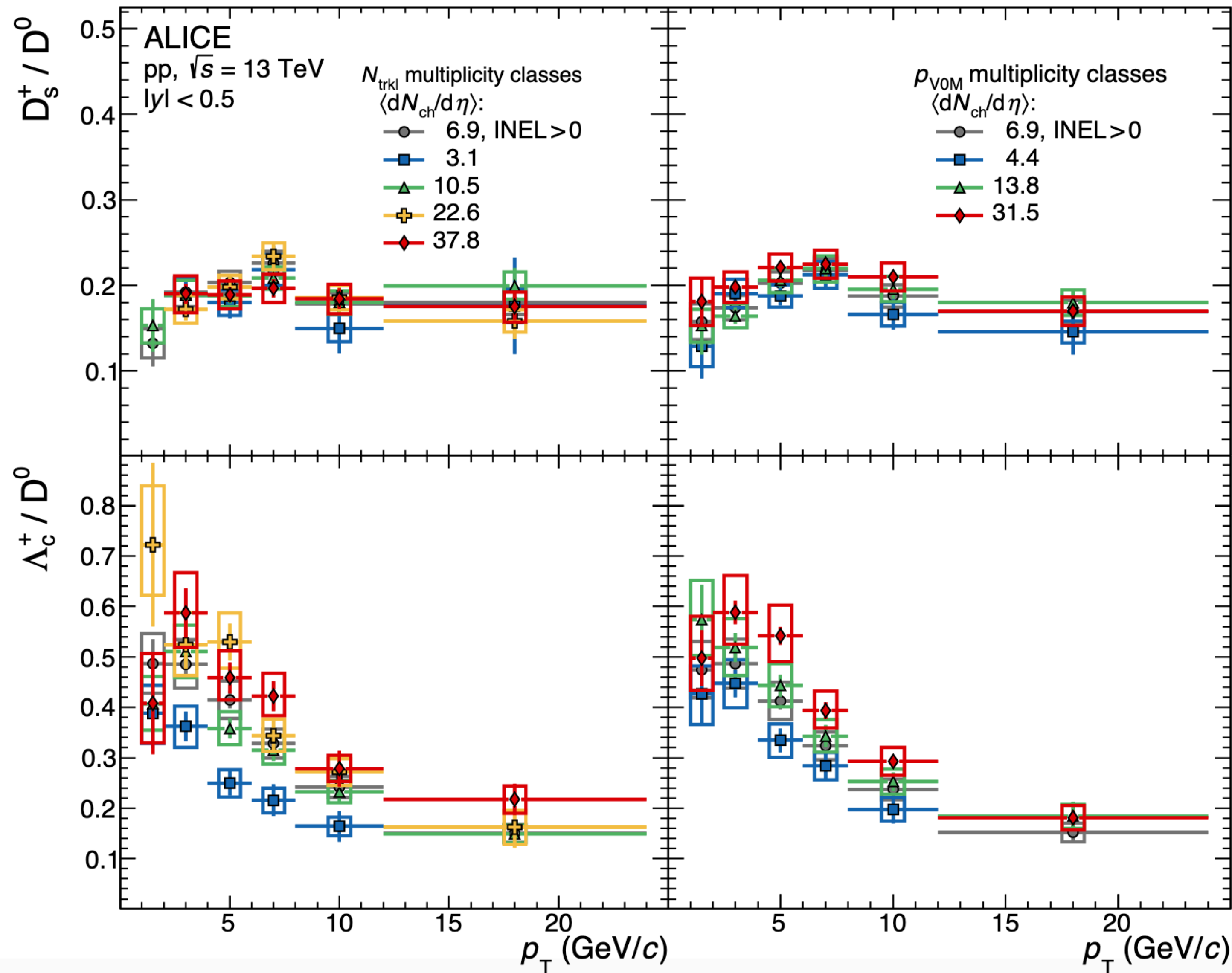
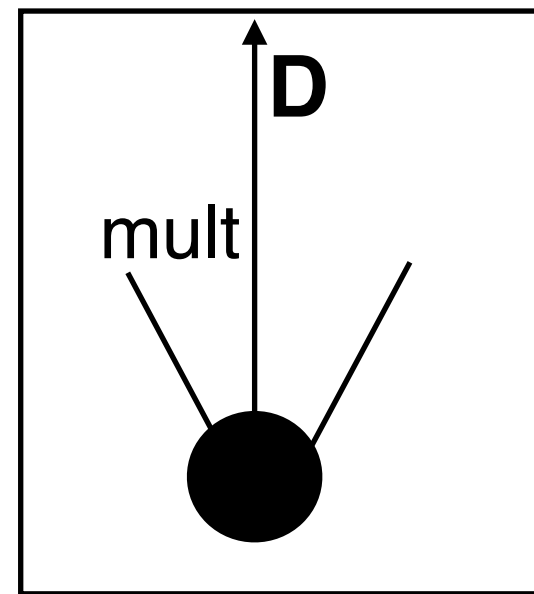


$-3.7 < \eta < -1.7$ and $2.8 < \eta < 5.1$

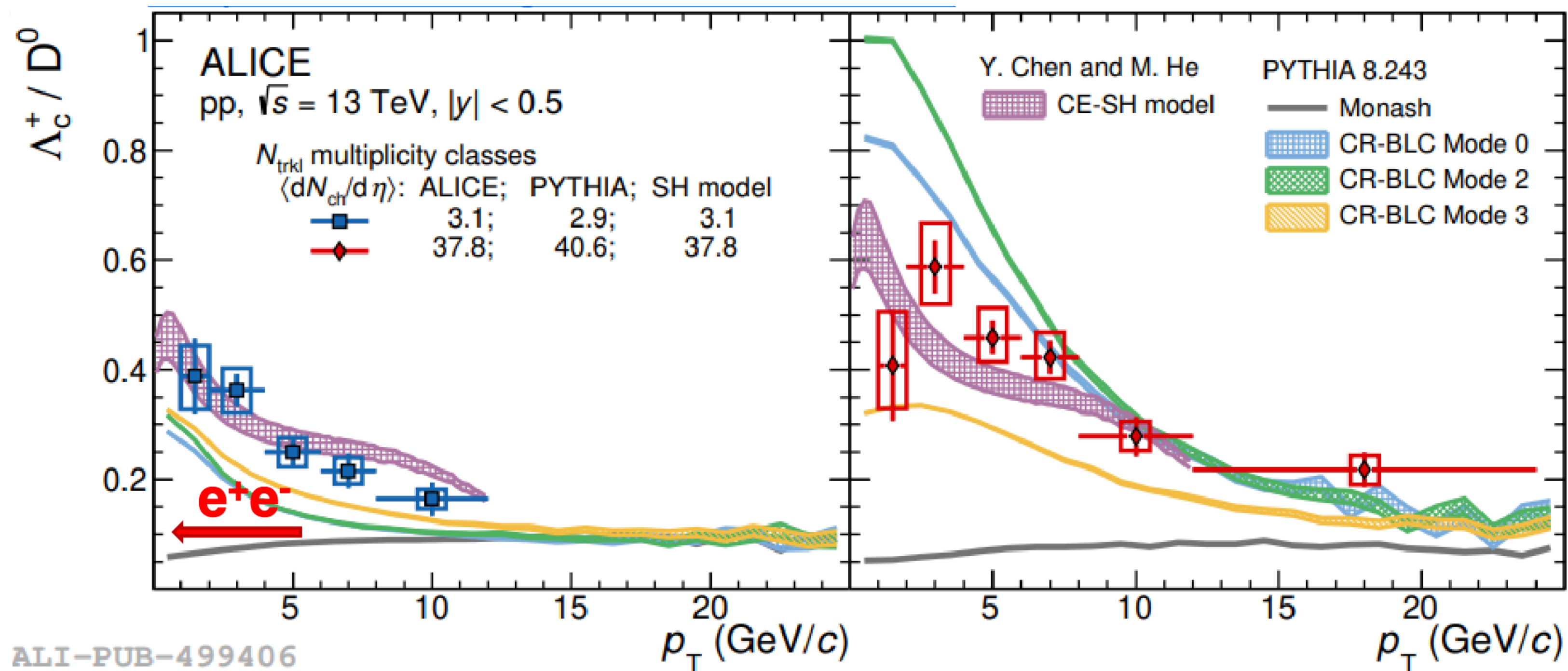
Similar trend of baryon-to-meson yield ratios as in the heavy-flavour and light-flavour sector, both in MB pp collisions and in different charged-particle multiplicity intervals:

- Similar shift of the peak toward higher momentum, with increasing multiplicity? \rightarrow potential common mechanisms for LF and HF baryons formation

D_{+s}/D^0 vs multiplicity



$-3.7 < \eta < -1.7$ and $2.8 < \eta < 5.1$



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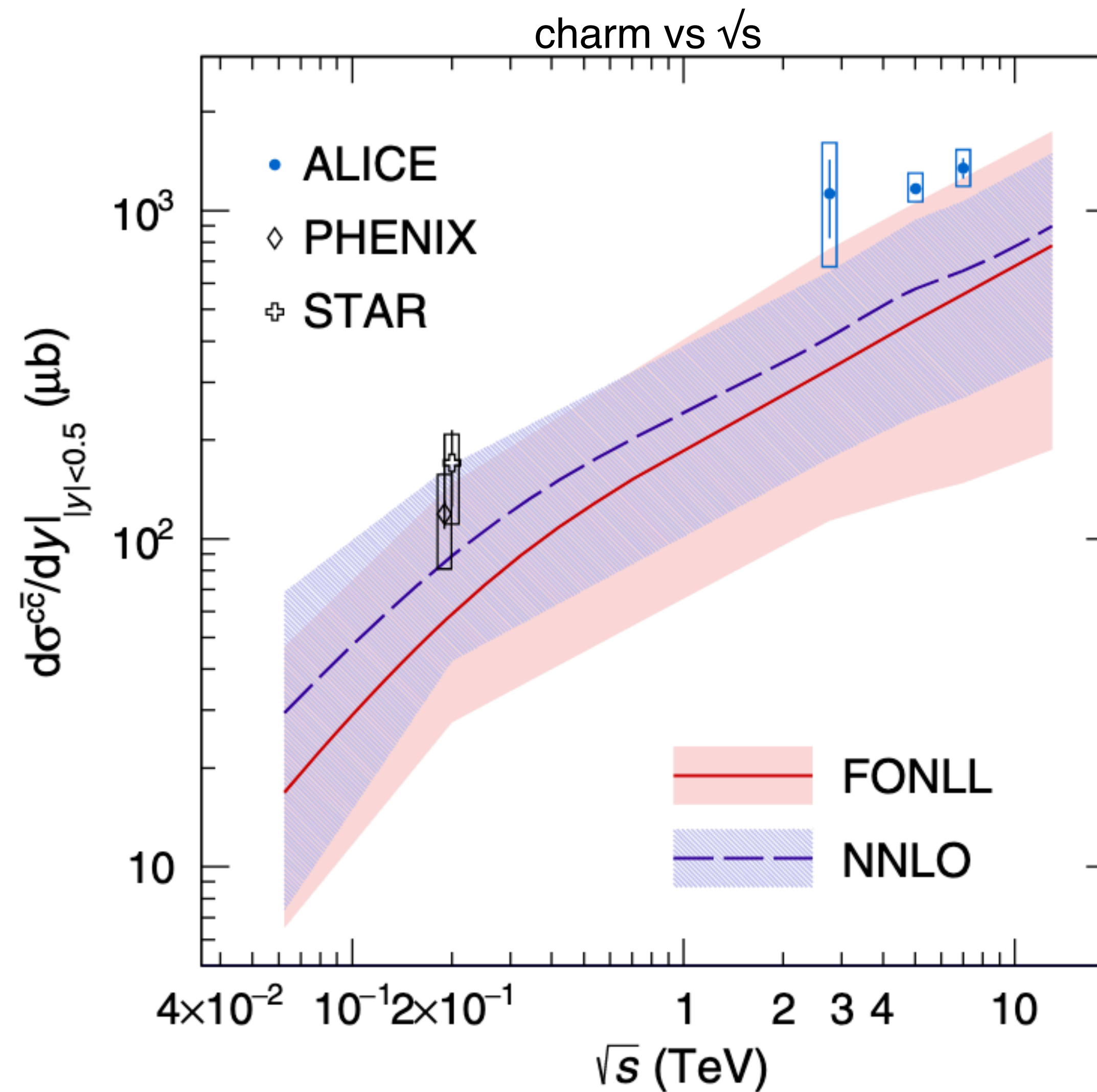
- Pythia with CR Beyond Leading Color (junctions to enhance baryon formation) [JHEP 08 \(2015\) 003](#)
- SH model with **Multiplicity dependence** derived from **reduced volume size towards smaller multiplicity.**

[Phys.Lett.B 815\(2021\) 136144](#)

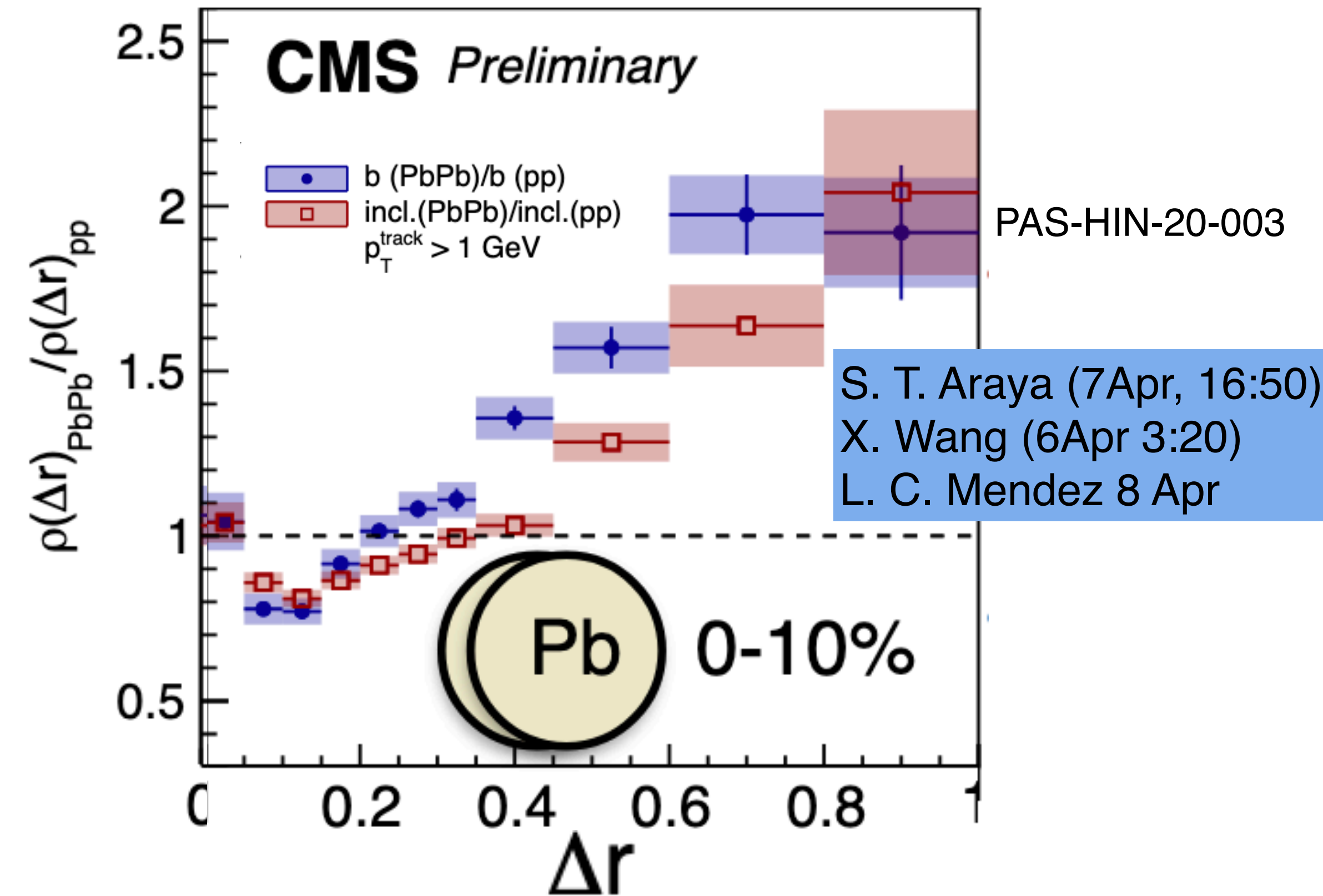
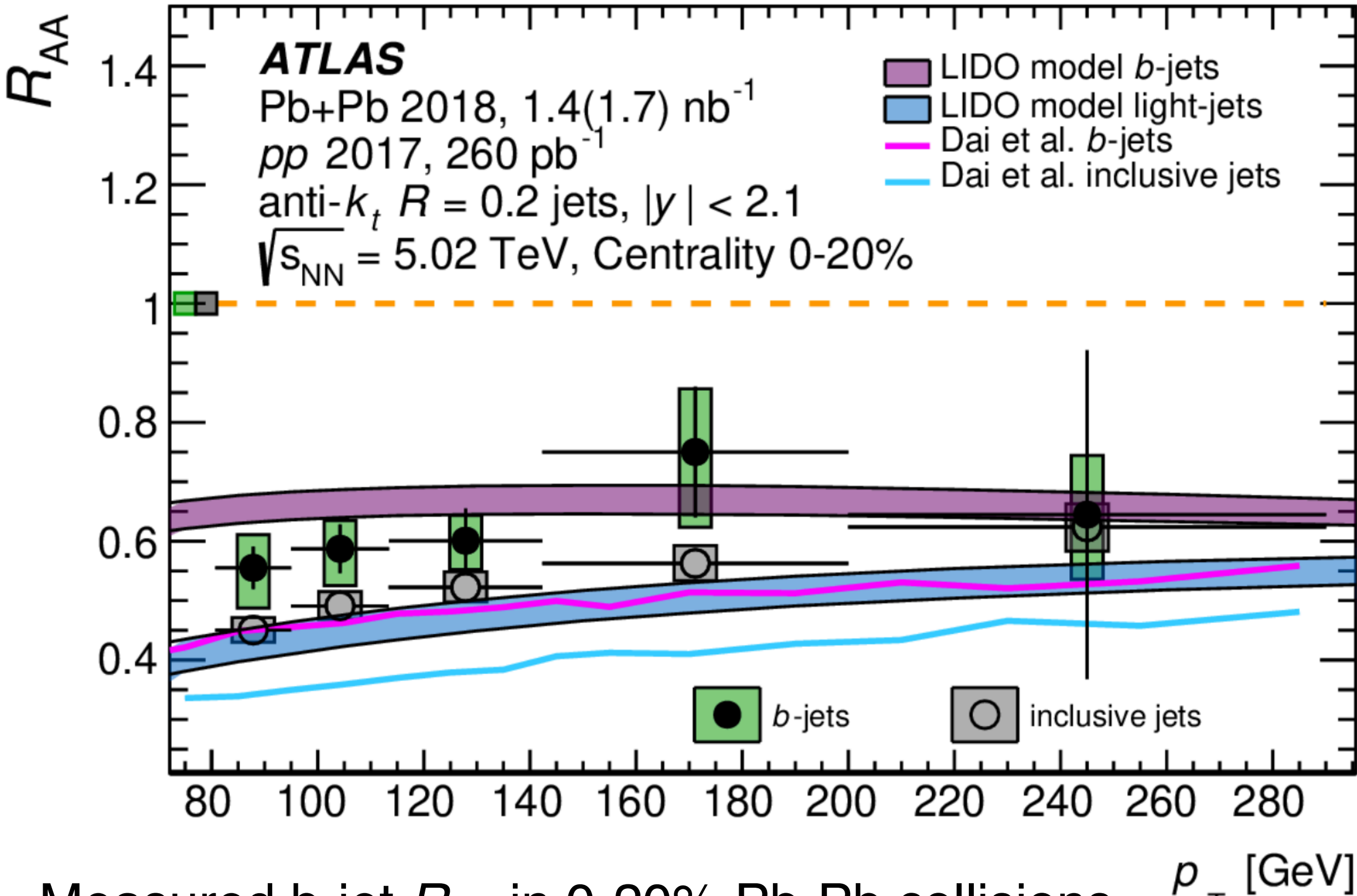
Collective effects in high-multiplicity pp and pPb collisions, significant spectra modification in high-multiplicity pp collisions!
What is the origin of these observations in high-multiplicity small system?

- New charm baryon and meson measurements down to very low pT
 - all ground states of charm hadrons measured with high precision

total charm cross section including all measured charm hadron ground states
 • 40% higher including charm-baryon measurements

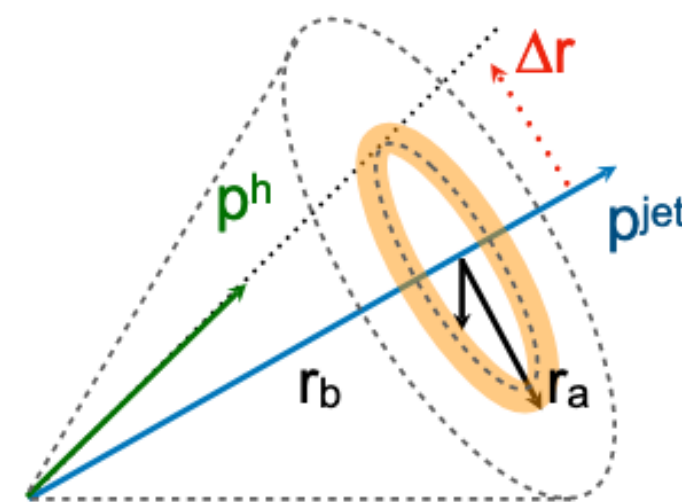


Study in-medium color/mass dependent energy loss and modification of internal jet sub-structure with heavy-flavour jets

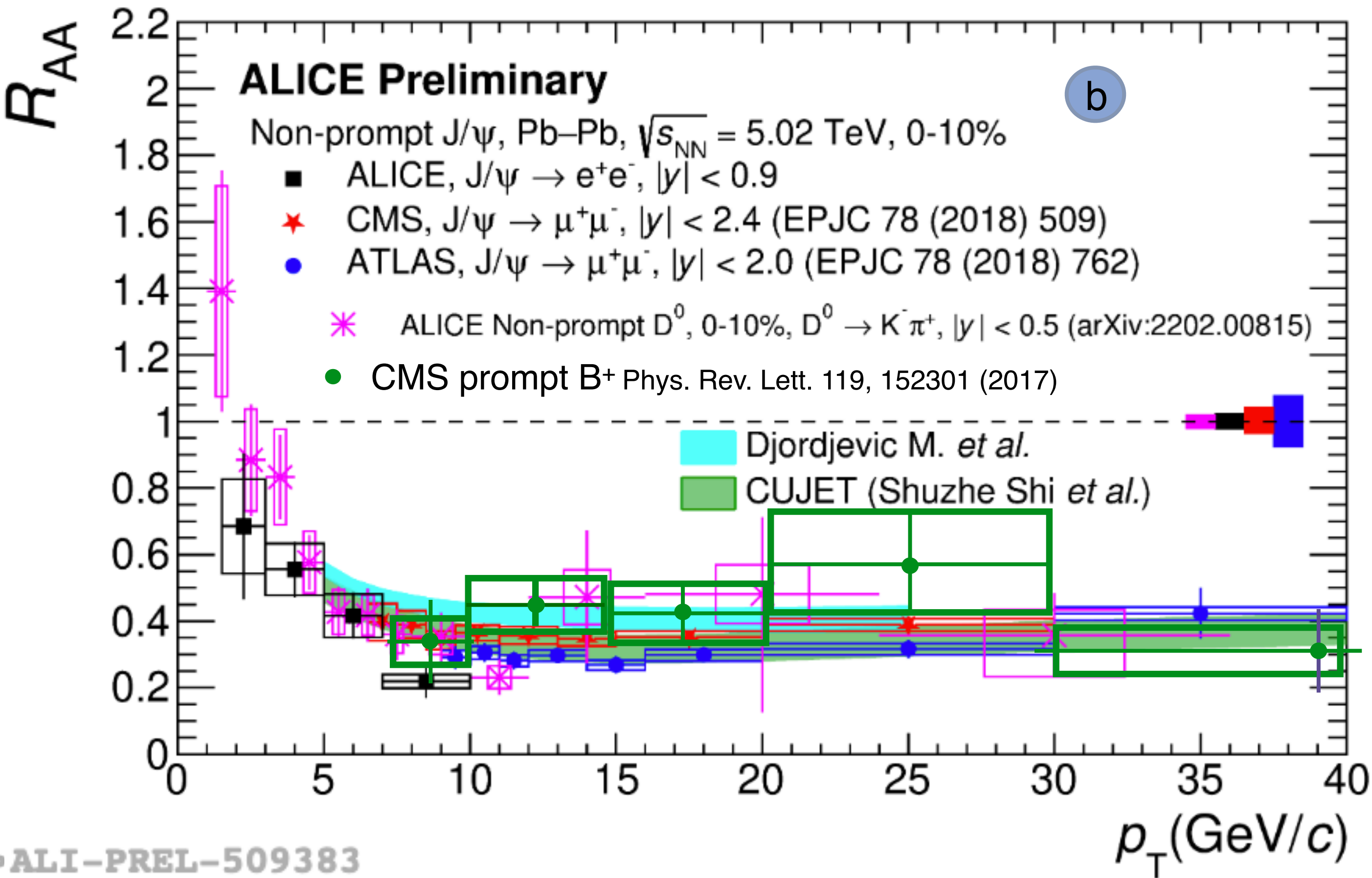


Measured b -jet R_{AA} in 0-20% Pb-Pb collisions, compared to inclusive jets

in central Pb+Pb, b -jets are less suppressed than inclusive jets



Enhancement/depletion of constituent hadrons of jets as a function of the distance. b -jet: broader in Pb-Pb than in pp. **Relative modification of b jets is slightly stronger than that of inclusive jets** (redistribution of the beauty mesons with respect to the jet axis)



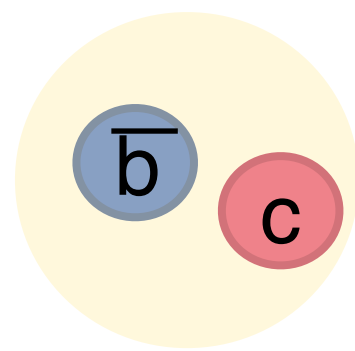
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precise measurements of full decay topology of beauty hadrons



Access to the low- p_T region for charm and beauty hadron R_{AA} through the measurement of prompt D and non-prompt, D^0 , J/ψ and leptons from beauty hadron decays. **B^+ measured for $p_T > 7$ GeV/c**

➔ caveat: different kinematics \rightarrow different B p_T investigated

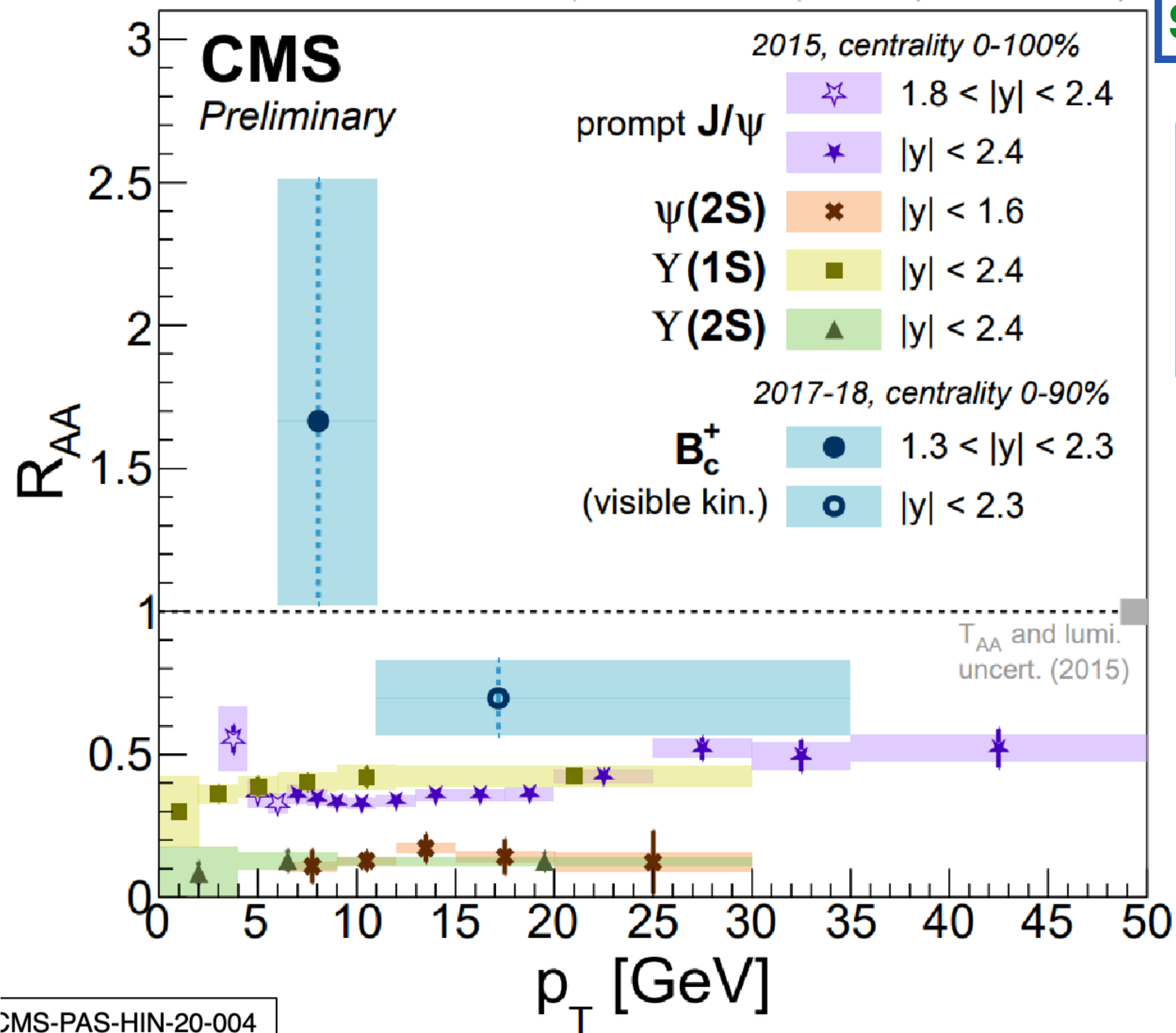


B⁺_c Nuclear Modification Factor

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5.02 TeV PbPb (0.37-1.6 nb⁻¹) + pp (27-302 pb⁻¹)

Special “onium” state : First B⁺_c measurement in Pb-Pb



State	J/ψ	ψ(2S)	B _c ⁺	Y(1S)	Y(2S)	Y(3S)
Mass (GeV)	3.10	3.68	6.27	9.46	10.02	10.36
Δ E (GeV)	0.64	0.05	0.87	1.10	0.54	0.20

B_c binding energy between J/ψ and Y(1S):

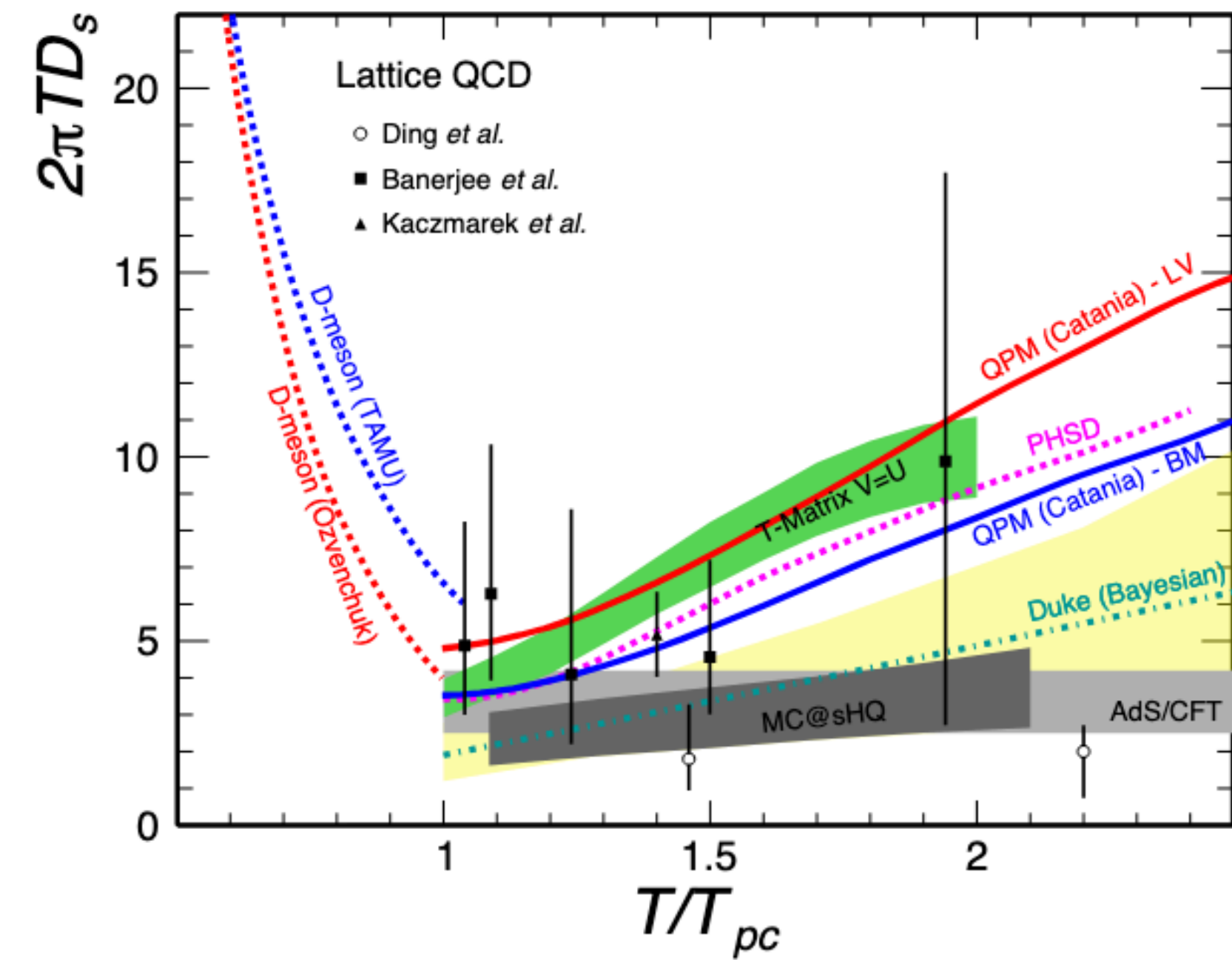
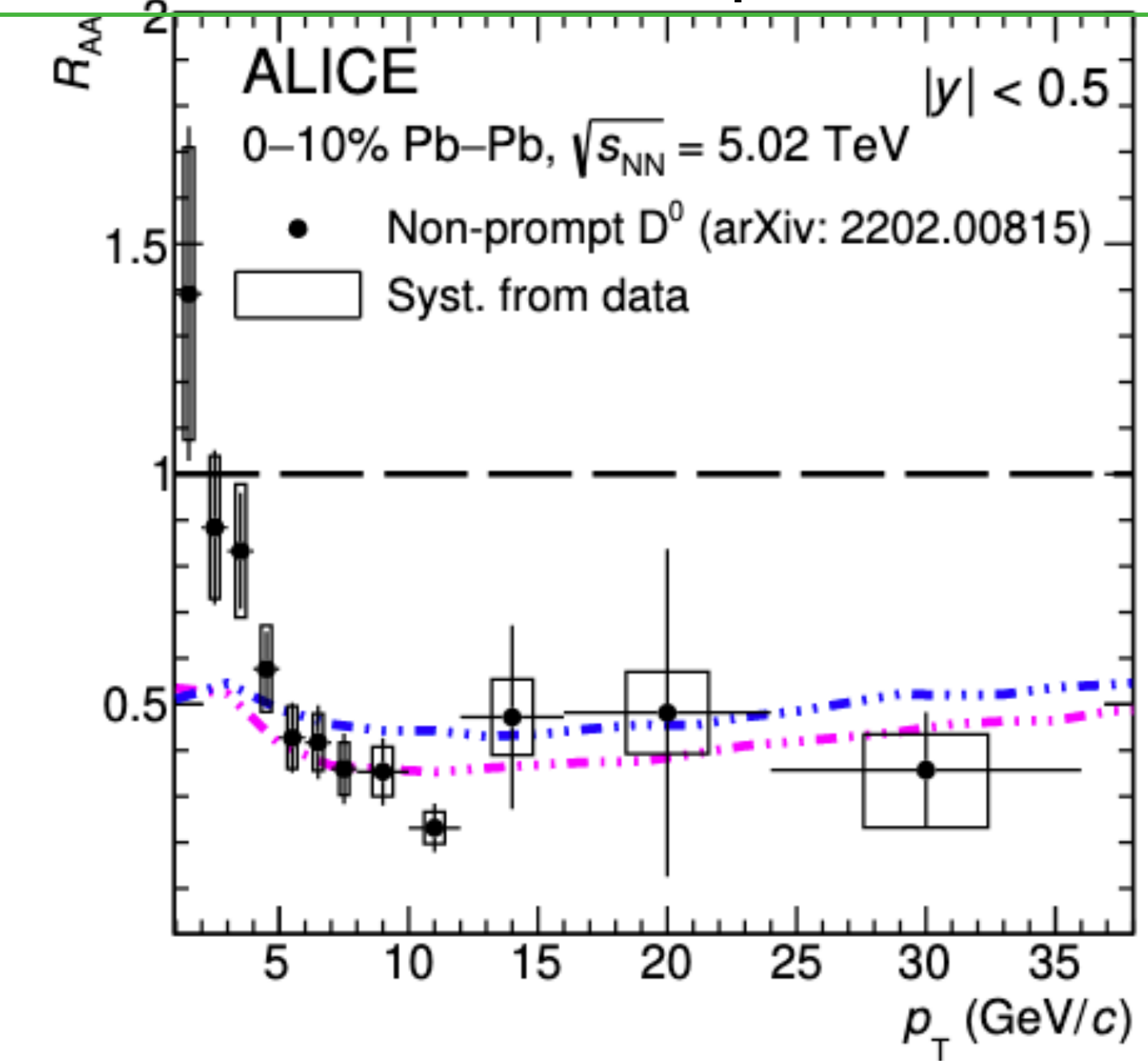
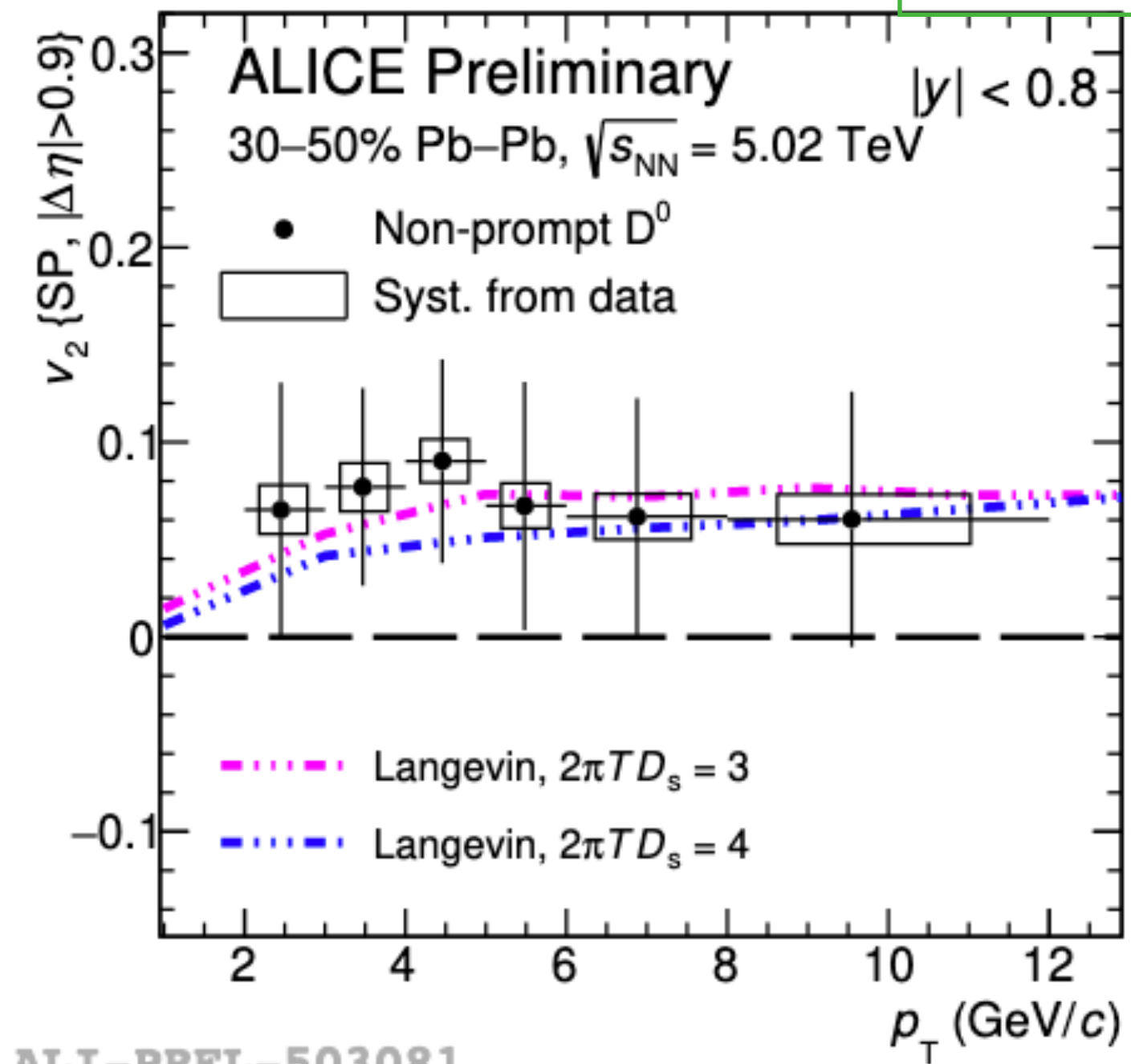
bridges the gap between charmonia and bottomonia.

- Production in single hard scattering: strongly disfavoured
 - B_c production in pp smaller than other quarkonia states
- Could be enhanced by the combination of beauty quarks with the charm quarks
 - ➔ additional insights into the recombination mechanism.

Investigating effects on QGP on heavy-quark bound states: more precision data with Run3+4

[arxiv.2201.02659](https://arxiv.org/abs/2201.02659)

measurements down to low- p_T : production yields and angular distributions sensitive to the diffusion and possible thermalization of charm quark in medium.

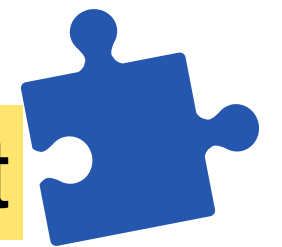


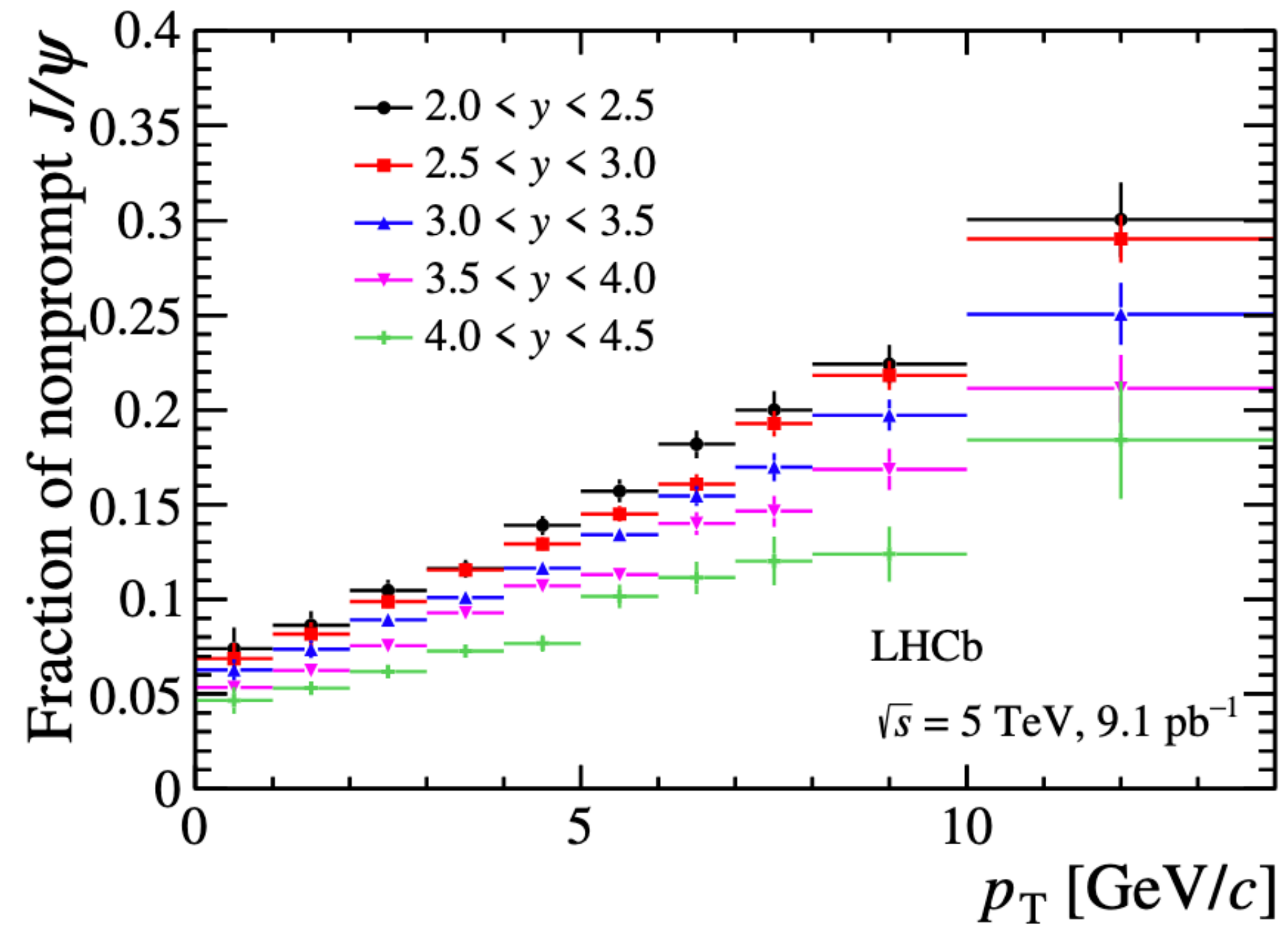
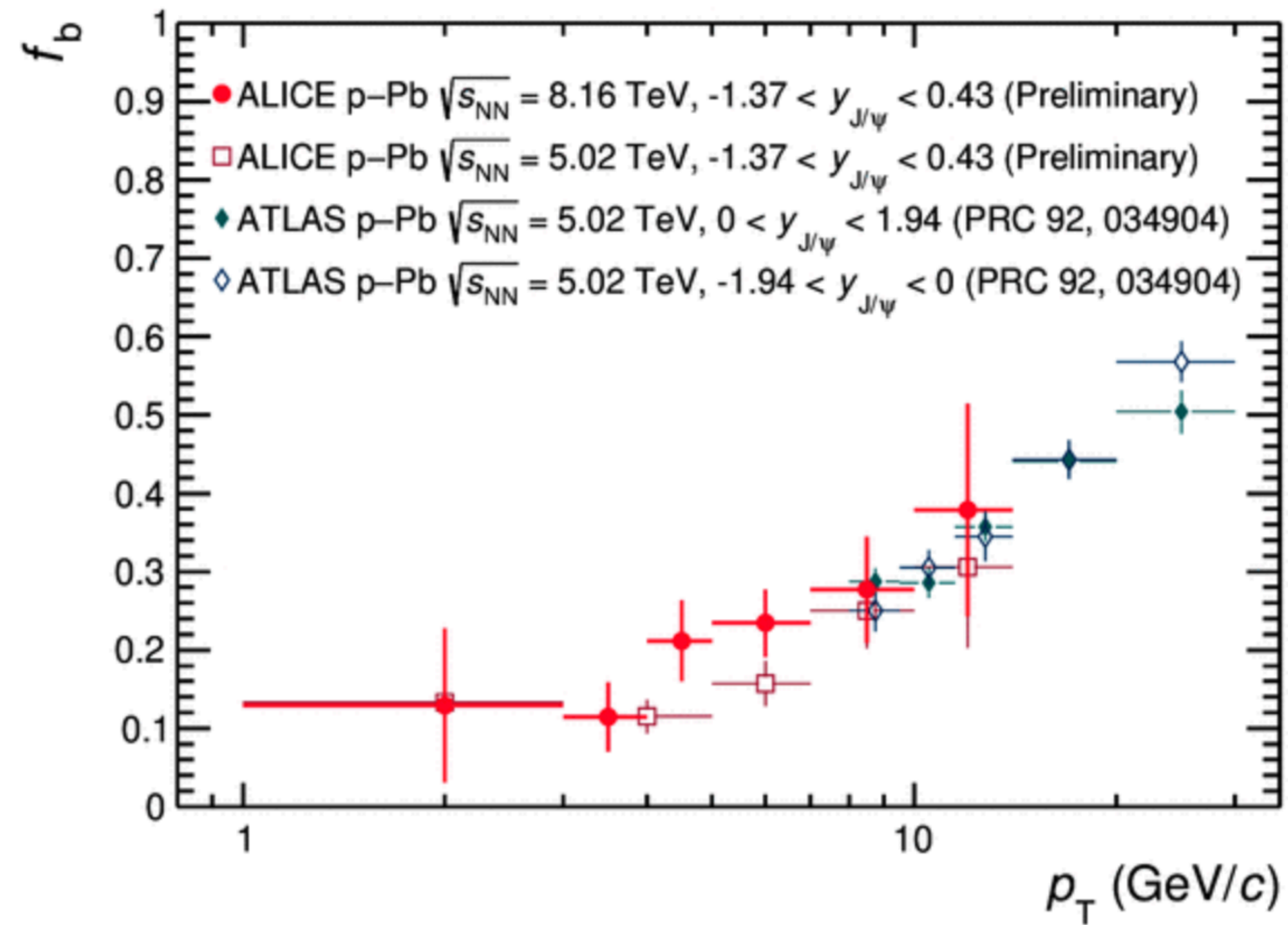
XD, Y-J Lee & R. Rapp, Ann. Rev. Nucl & Part. Sci. 69 (2019) 417

Non-prompt D^0 R_{AA} and v_2 simultaneously compared with different Langevin configurations for $2\pi TD_s$

Langevin: S.Q Li et al., EPJC 81 (2021) 11, 1035

More precise data measurements will provide important constraint to beauty spatial diffusion coefficient

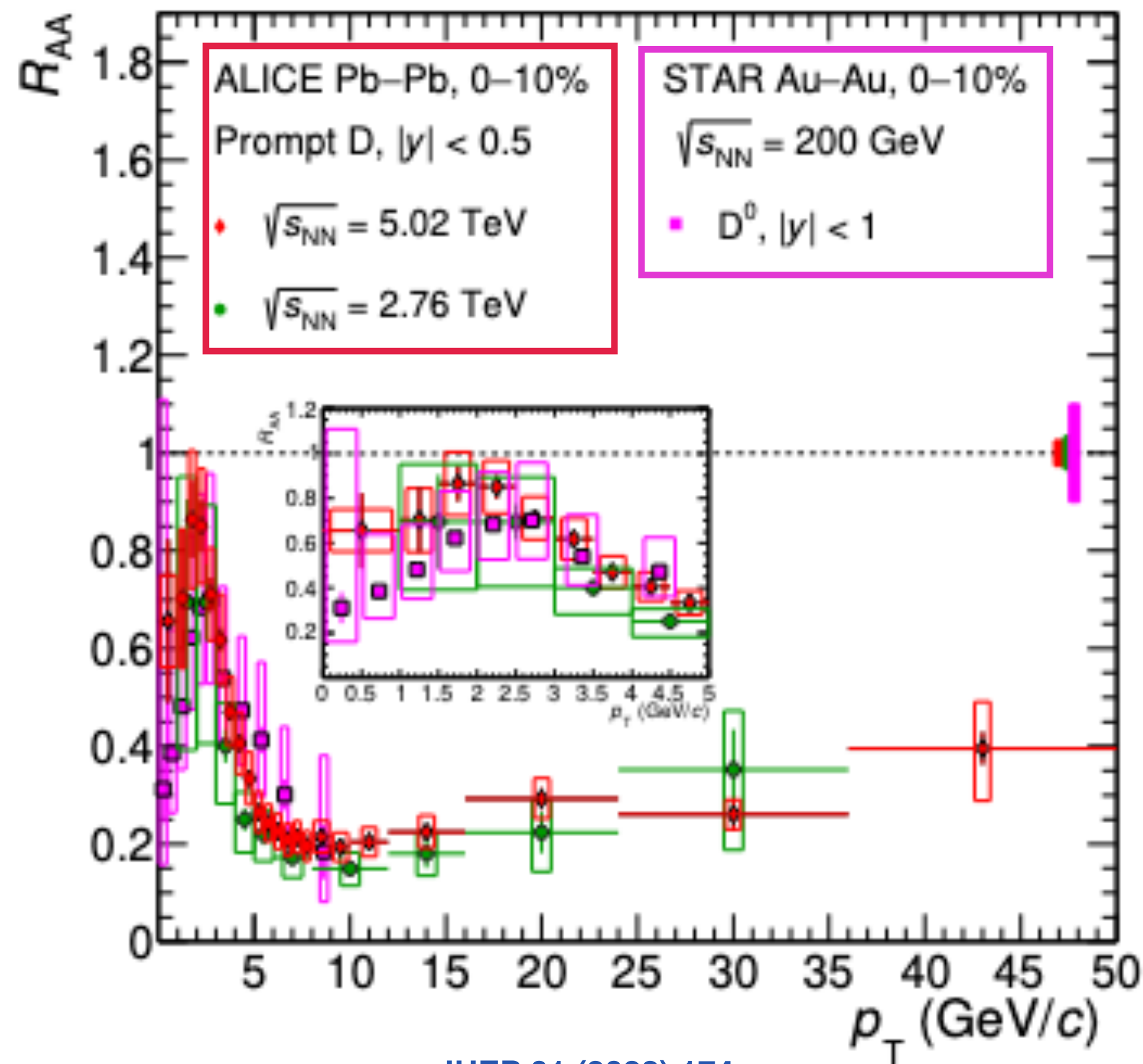




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Energy loss in the QGP: Open HF R_{AA}

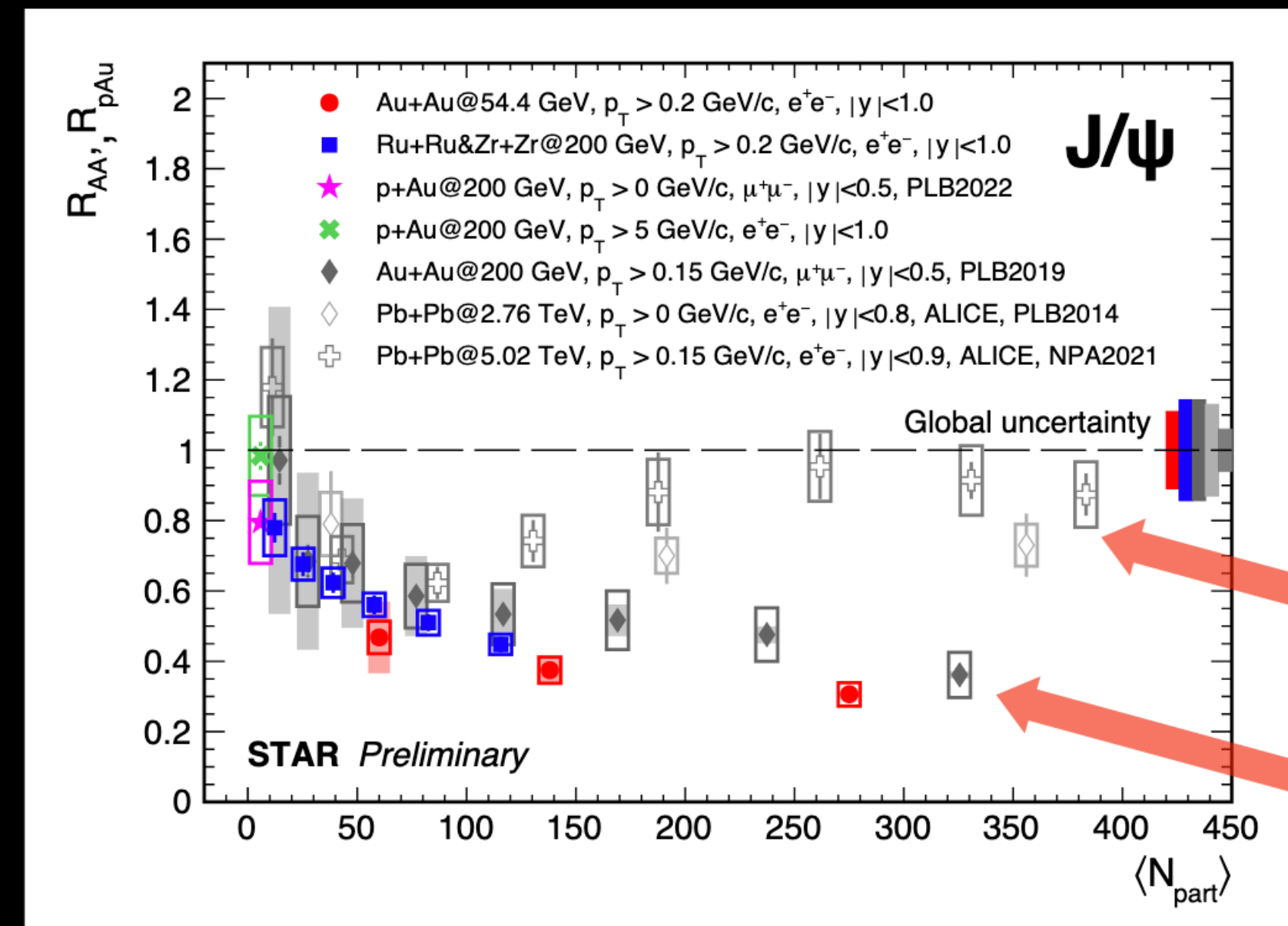
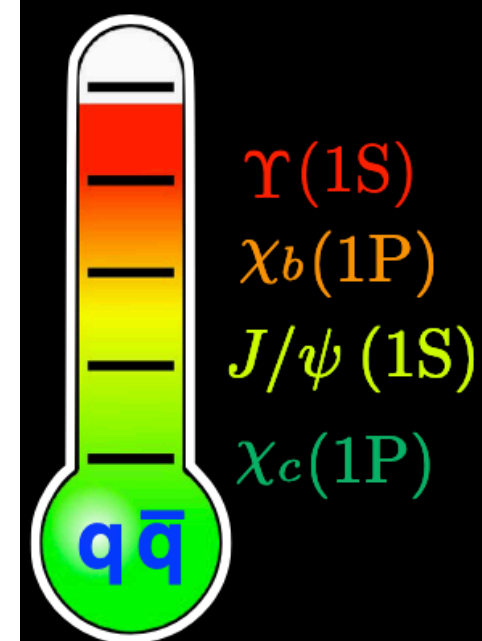
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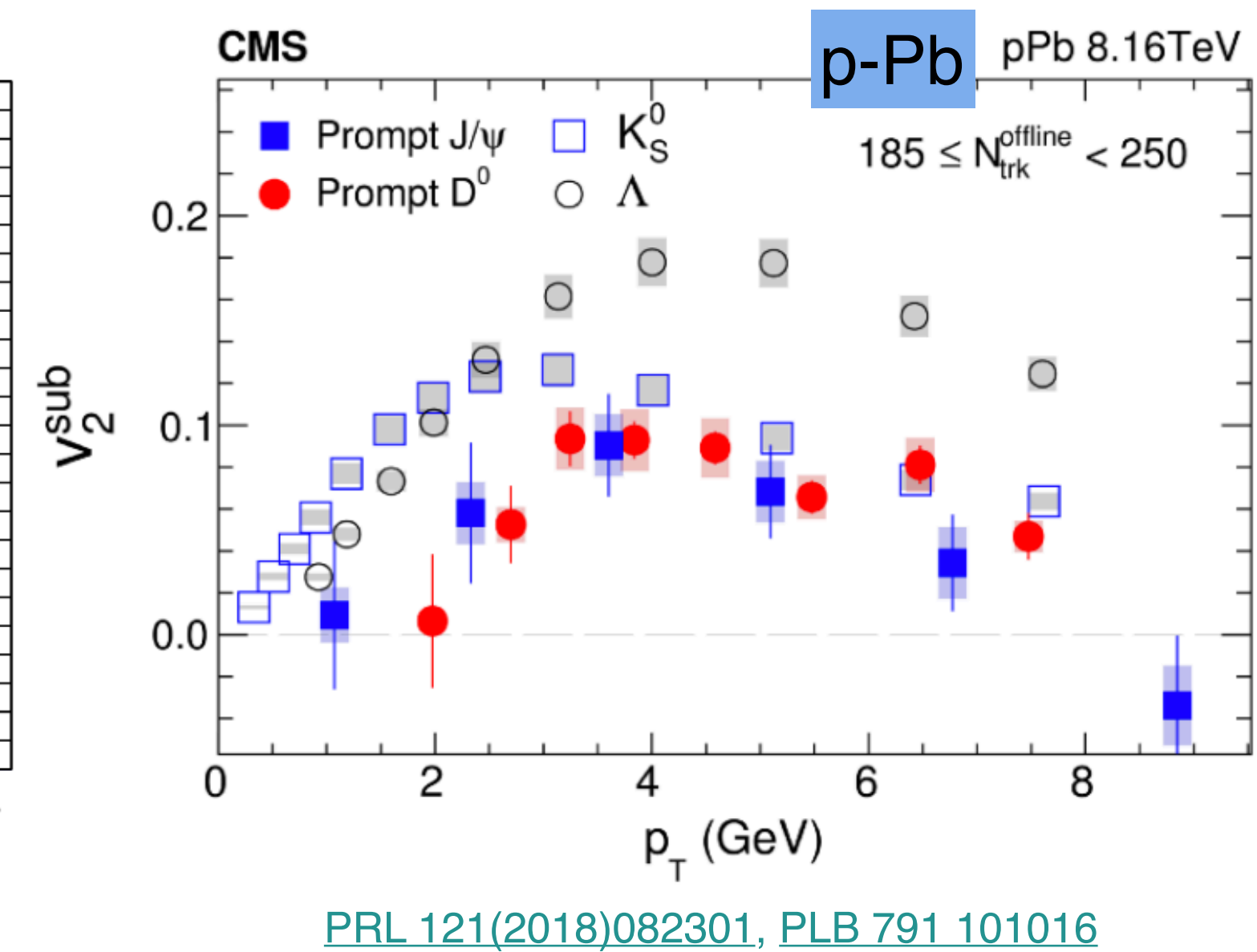
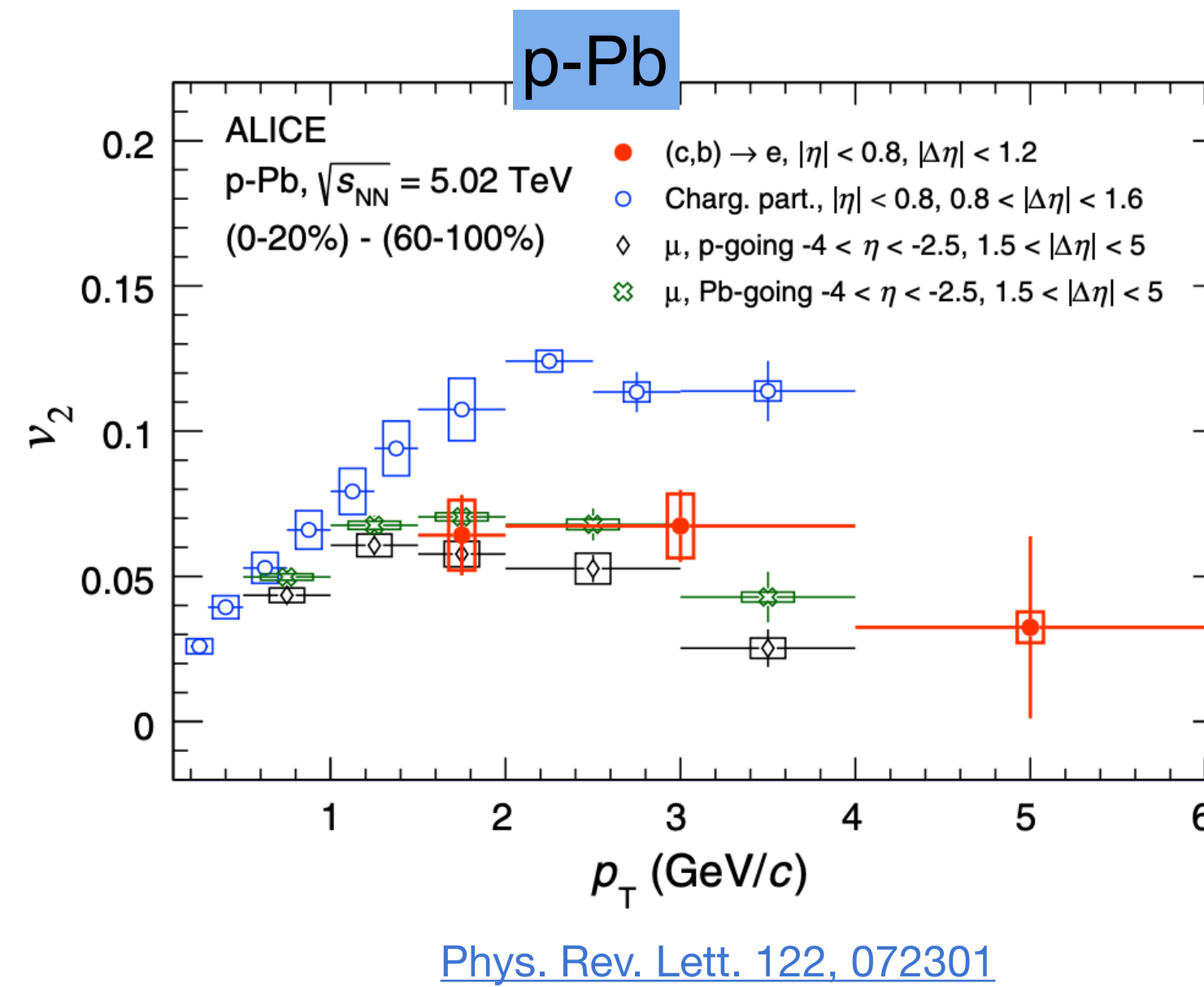
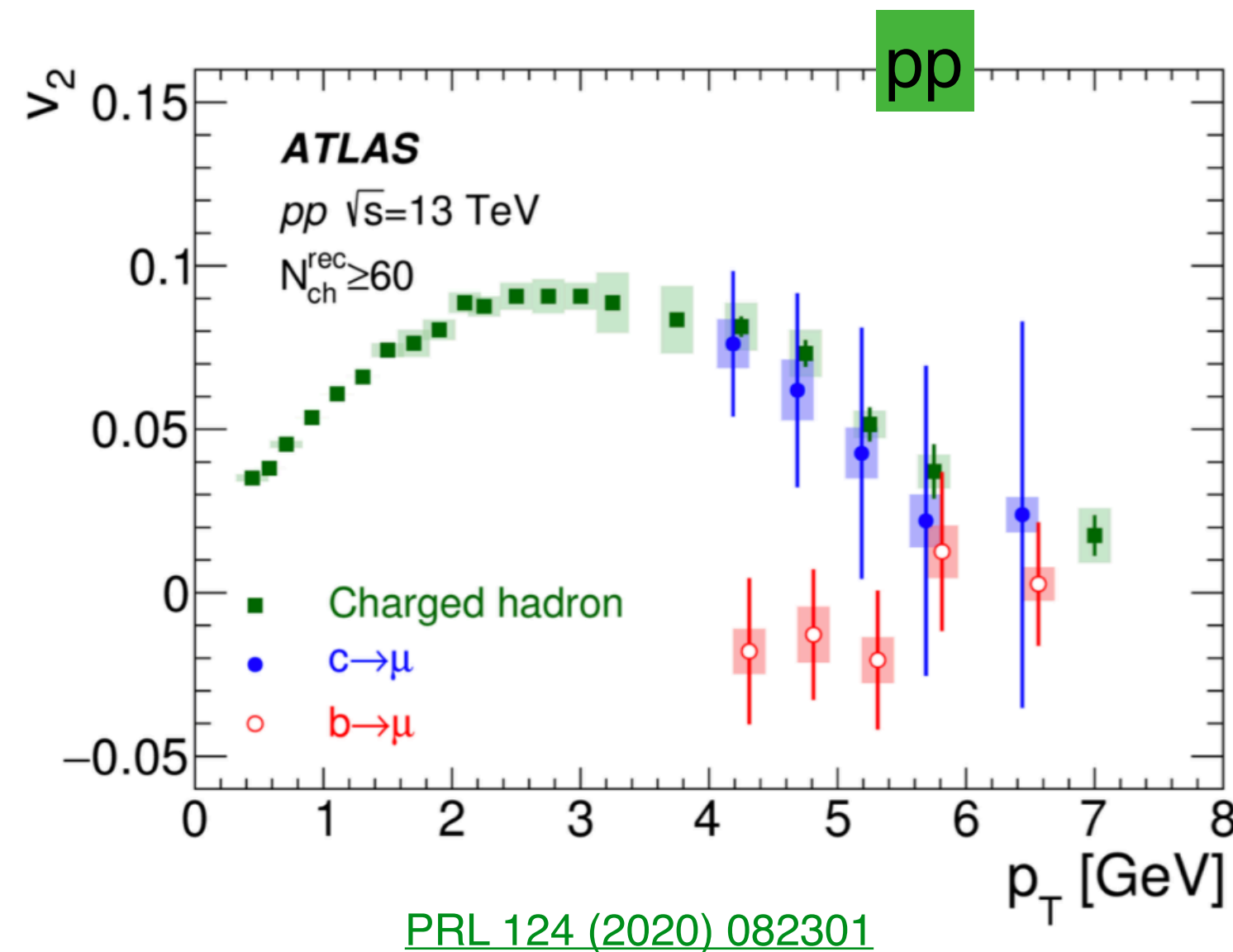
Different QGP density/size/lifetime with energy? hint of smaller R_{AA} from **STAR** for $p_T < 2$ GeV/c and larger for $p_T > 4$ GeV/c dependence with collision energy of the p_T distribution of charm, initial/final state effects and medium properties \rightarrow more precision needed to draw conclusions

Medium modification of J/ψ studied via R_{AA} in isobar and Au+Au 54.4 GeV, new baseline measurement of R_{pA}



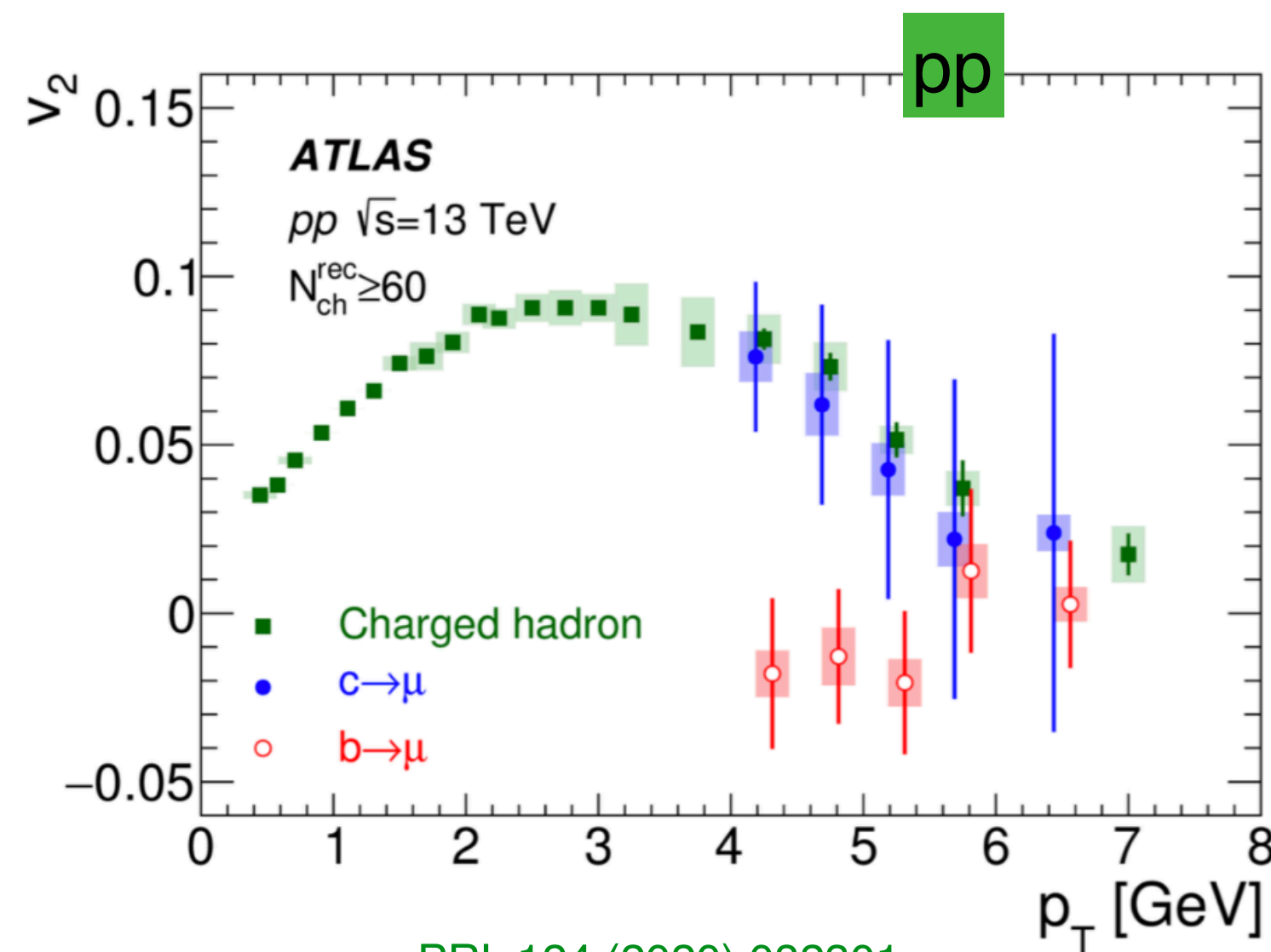
Clear indications of J/ψ suppression at RHIC that scales with N_{part}

Collectivity in small systems? v_2 in high multiplicity collisions



- Positive v_2 of **heavy-flavor** decay **muons** and **electrons, D mesons** and **J/ψ** in high-multiplicity pp and p-Pb collisions from experiments at LHC (also at RHIC in d-Au collisions):
- Smaller v_2 of HF-hadrons wrt charge particles, similar v_2 for **D mesons** and **J/ψ** (**open vs hidden hf hadrons**): weaker collective motion for charm quarks, as compared to that of the bulk medium
 - initial-state effects or final-state? in Pb—Pb: recombination of charm quarks thermalized in the medium for $p_T < 3-4$ GeV/c.

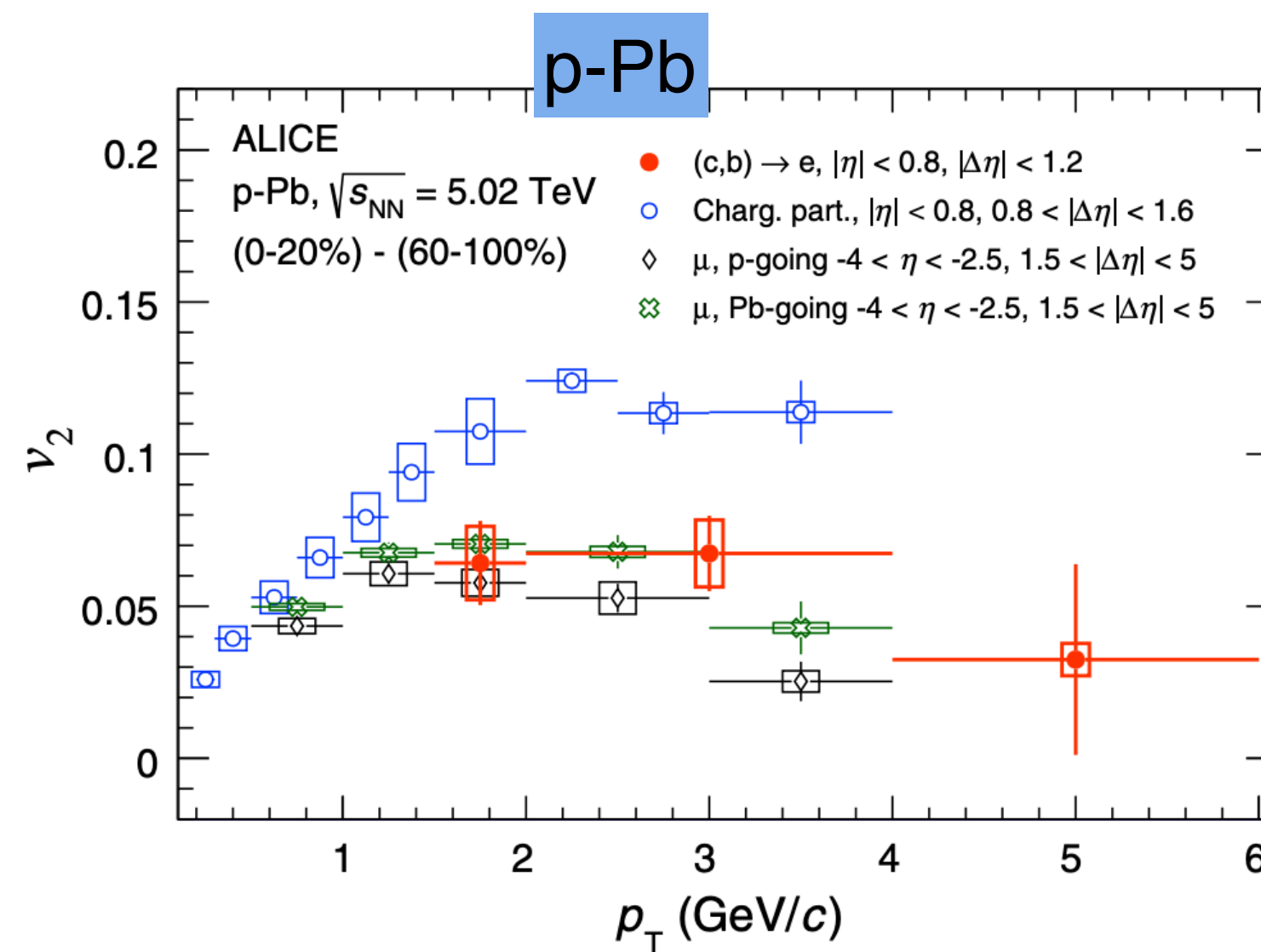
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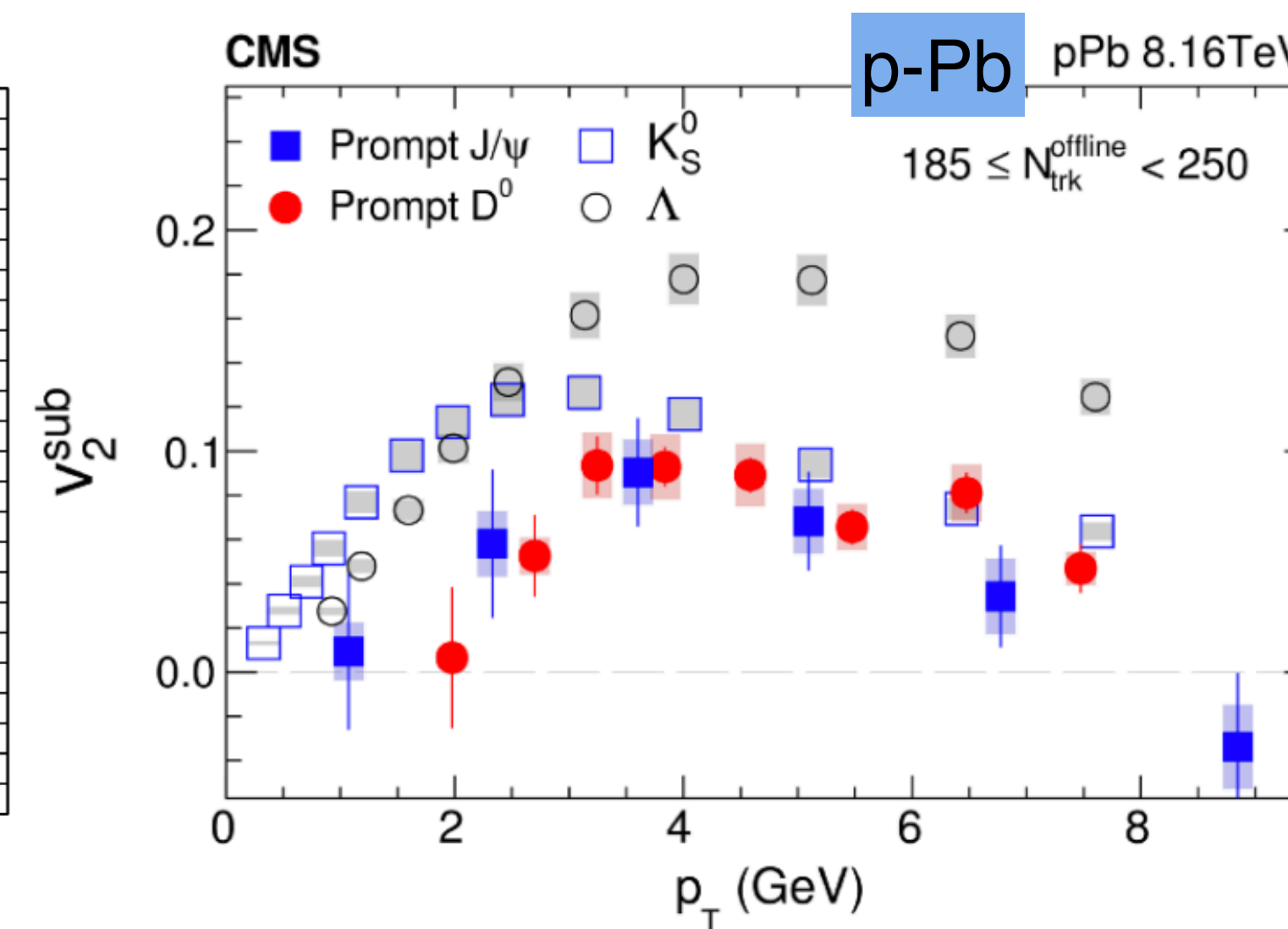
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Du, Rapp [High Energ. Phys. \(2019\) 2019](#)

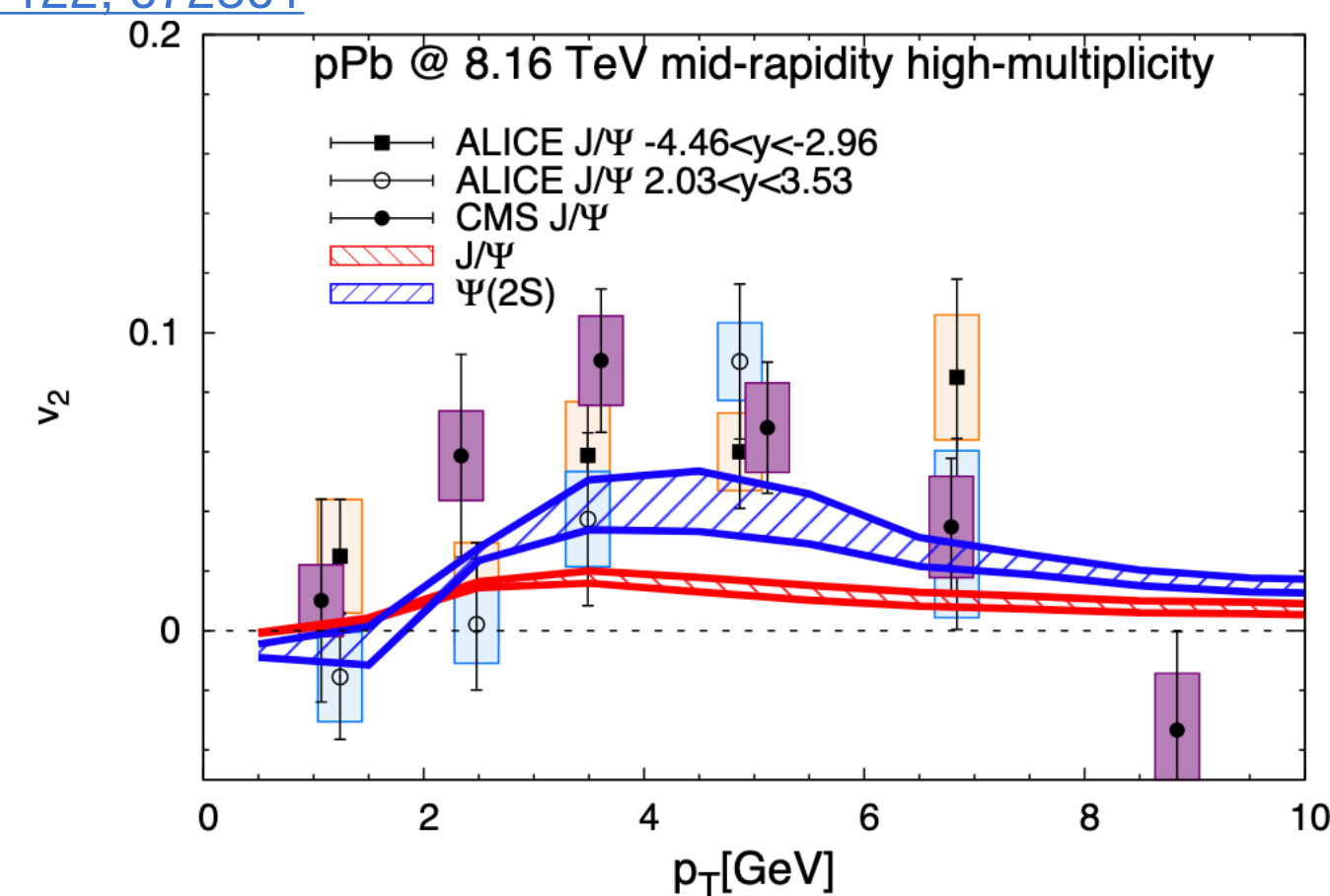
final-state effects, from the formation of an expanding medium: large v_2 observed in p-Pb collisions at the LHC is unlikely to be due to the final-state collectivity of the fireball alone.



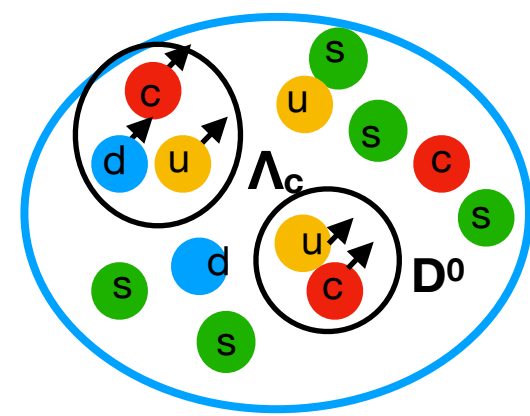
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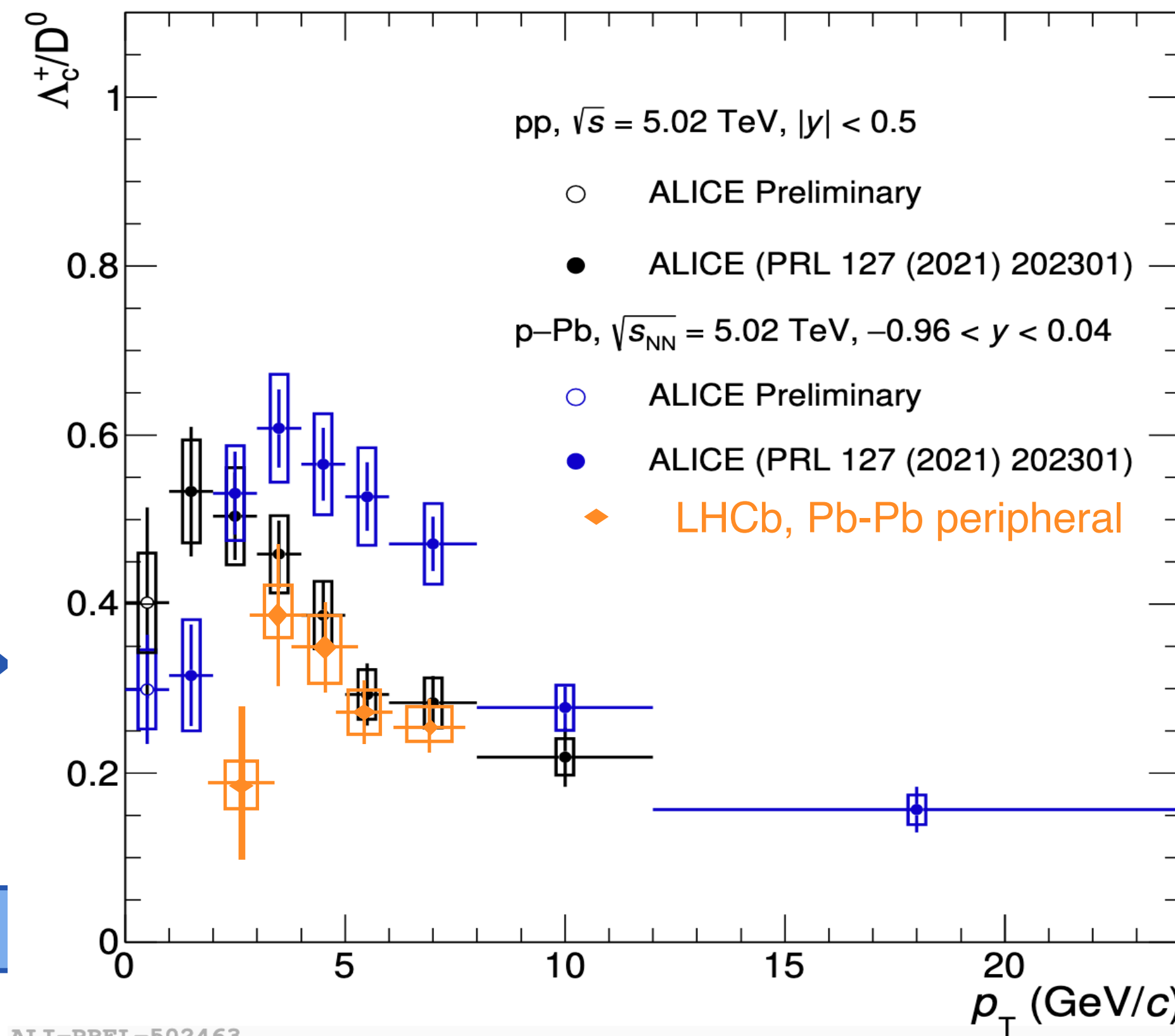
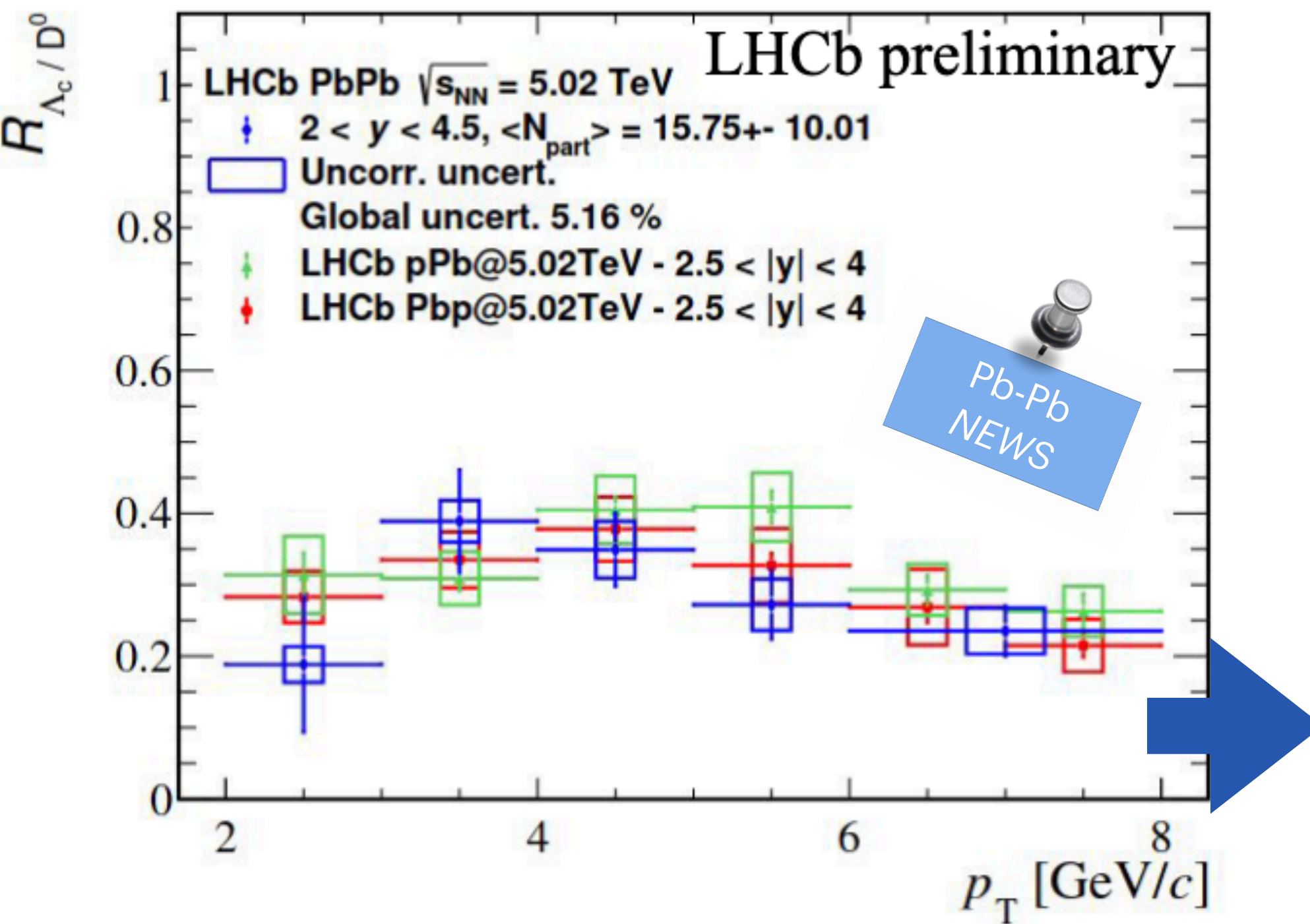
[PRL 121\(2018\)082301](#), [PLB 791 101016](#)



comparison with models to constraint the collective dynamics



Hadronisation: baryon-to-meson



$N_{part}(pPb) = 7.7$
 $N_{part}(Pb-Pb \text{ LHCb}) = 15$

increasing trend of the Λ_c^+/D^0 at intermediate p_T from pp, to semi-central and most central Pb-Pb events

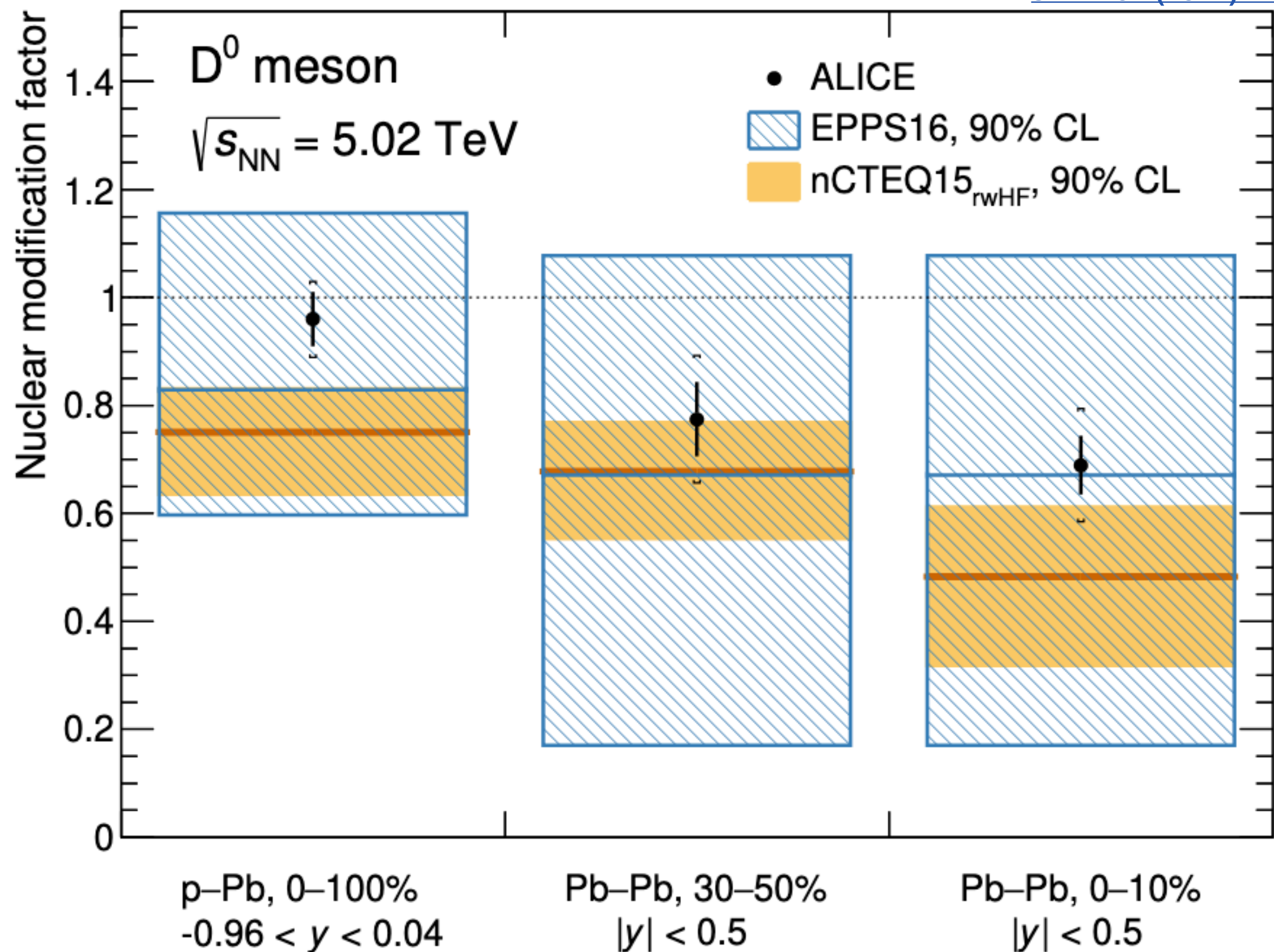
LHCb: enter the games with Pb-Pb measurements!

centrality 65-90% Pb-Pb

Is there a transition of the hadronization mechanisms with multiplicity across different systems? the same formalisms describe results from small to large systems?

$D^0 R_{AA}$ measured down to $p_T = 0$: investigating if there is a modification of total yields in different systems

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p_T -integrated $D^0 R_{AA} < 1$ in Pb-Pb collisions and $R_{AA} < R_{pPb}$

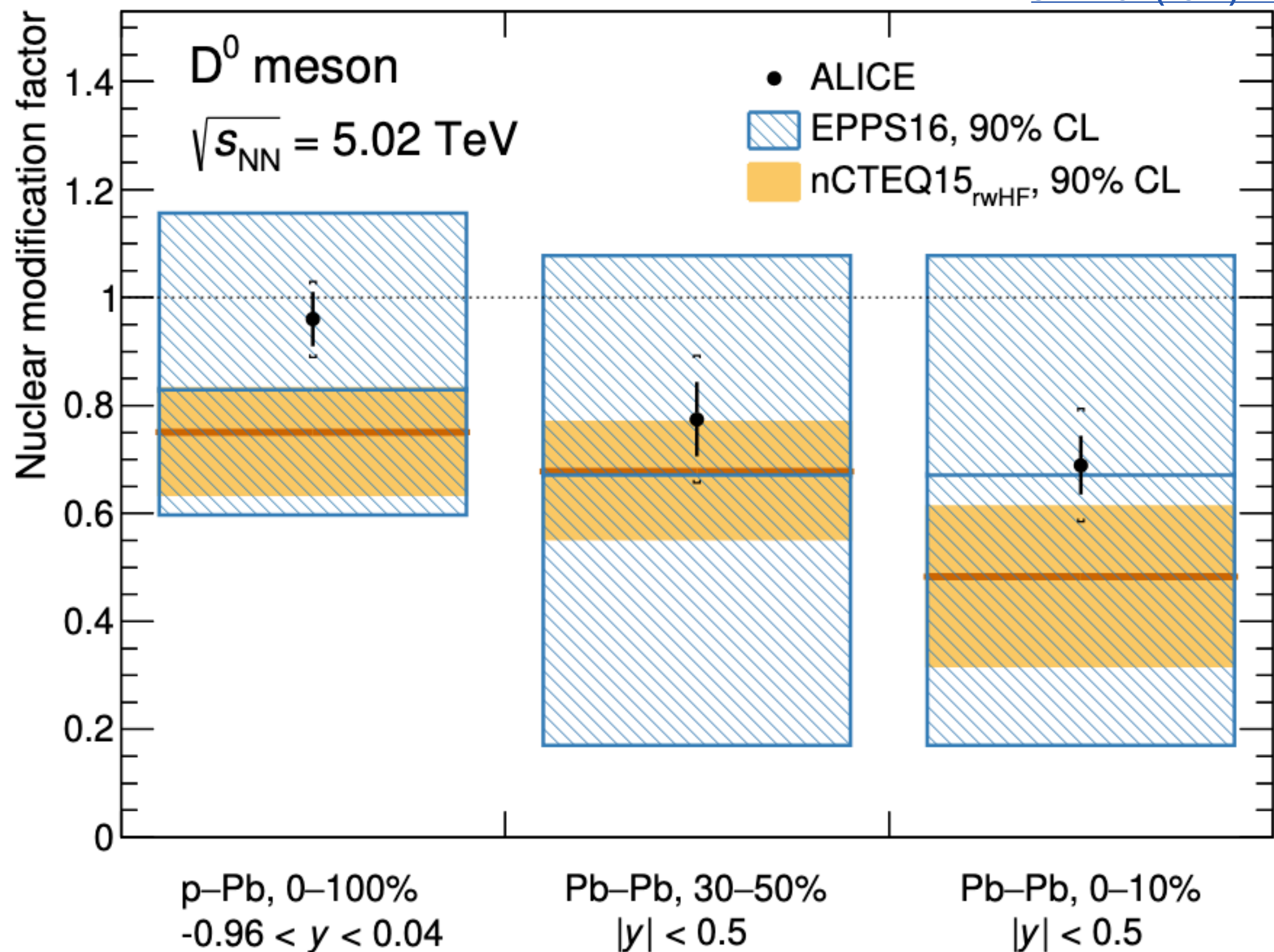
➔ nuclear shadowing effect reduces charm production in Pb-Pb and in p-Pb

➔ R_{pPb} close to unity → small shadowing effect

➔ comparison with pQCD including only initial-state effects with two different nPDF

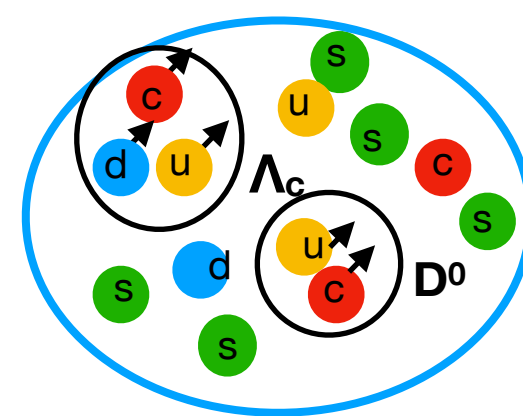
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p_T -integrated $D^0 R_{AA} < 1$ in Pb-Pb collisions and $R_{AA} < R_{pPb}$

→ possible enhancement of D_s, Λ_c due to recombination could decrease the fraction of D^0 in Pb-Pb collisions



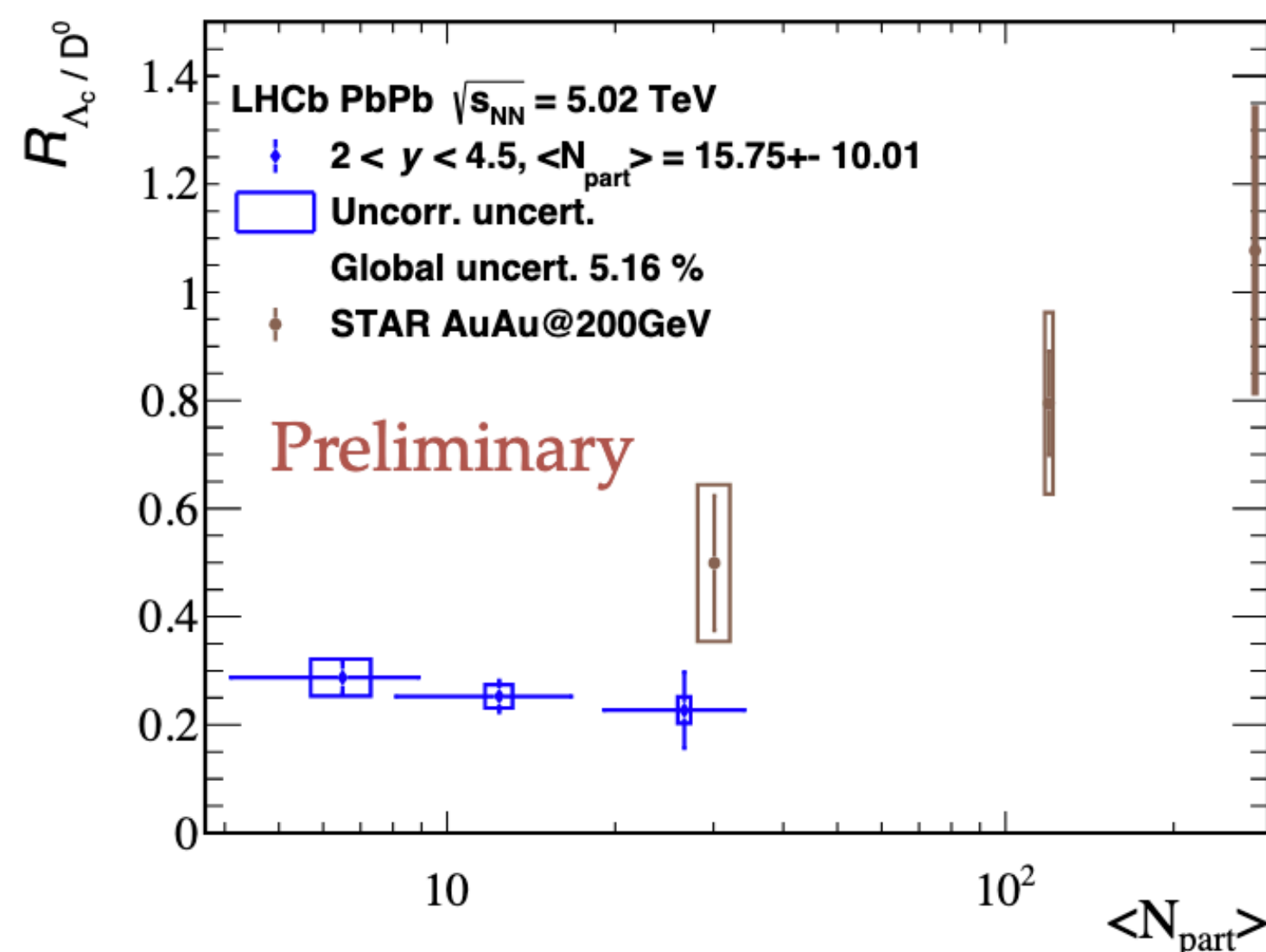
crucial to measure HF hadron production down to 0 for more charm hadrons

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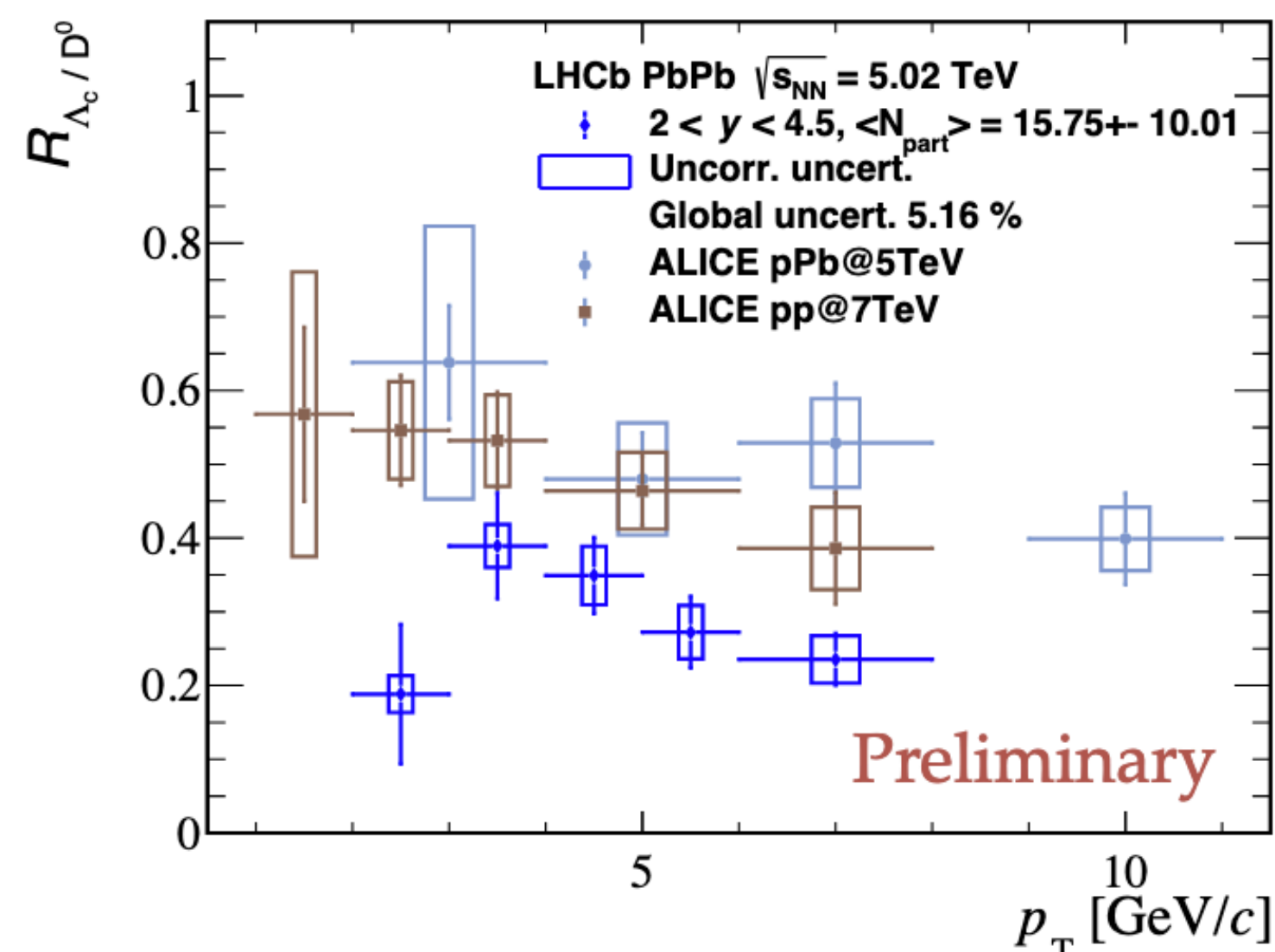
New Λ_c^+ -to- D^0 ratio in peripheral PbPb collisions

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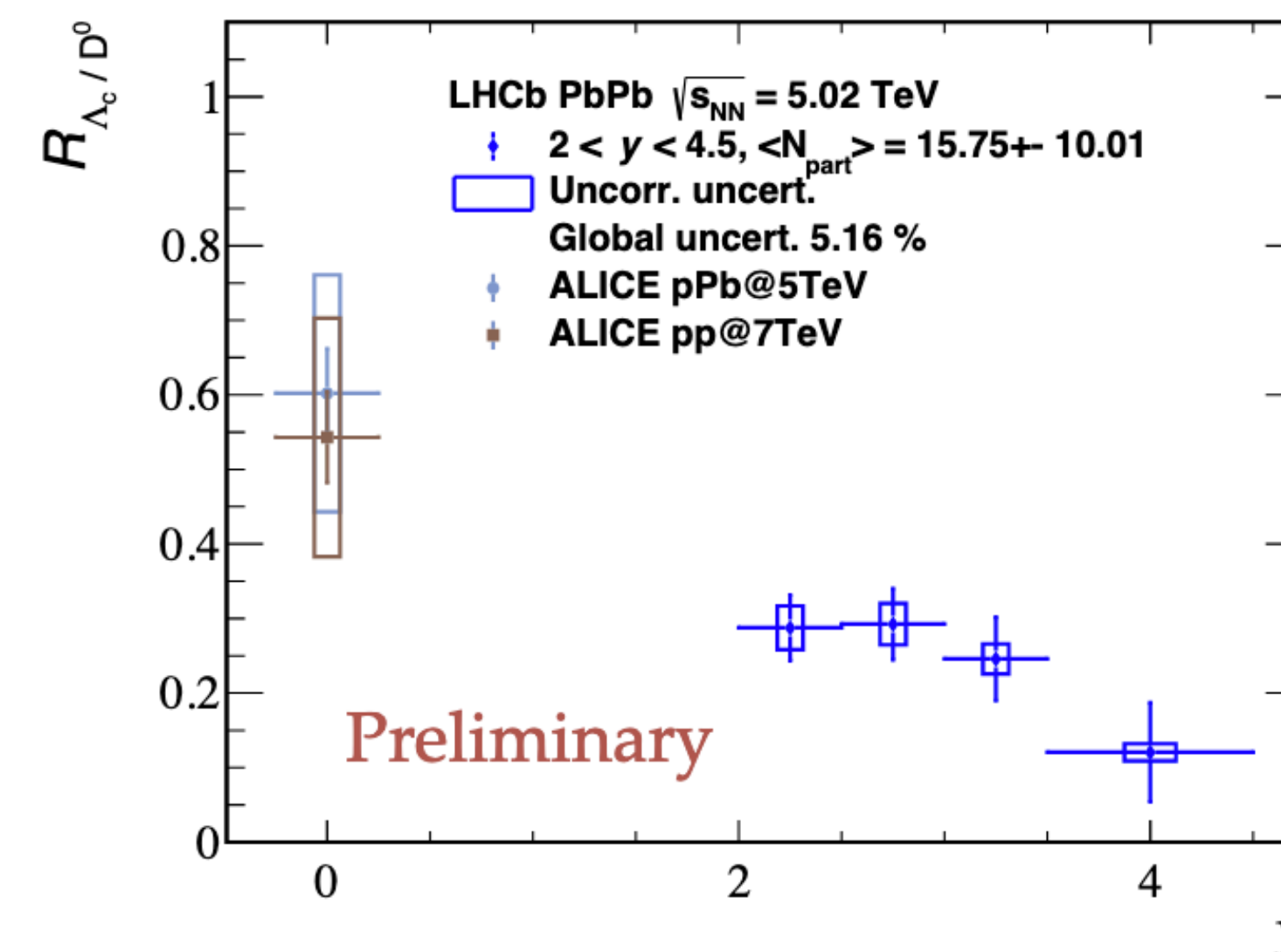
First Λ_c^+ -to- D^0 production ratio measured in peripheral PbPb collisions at forward rapidity.



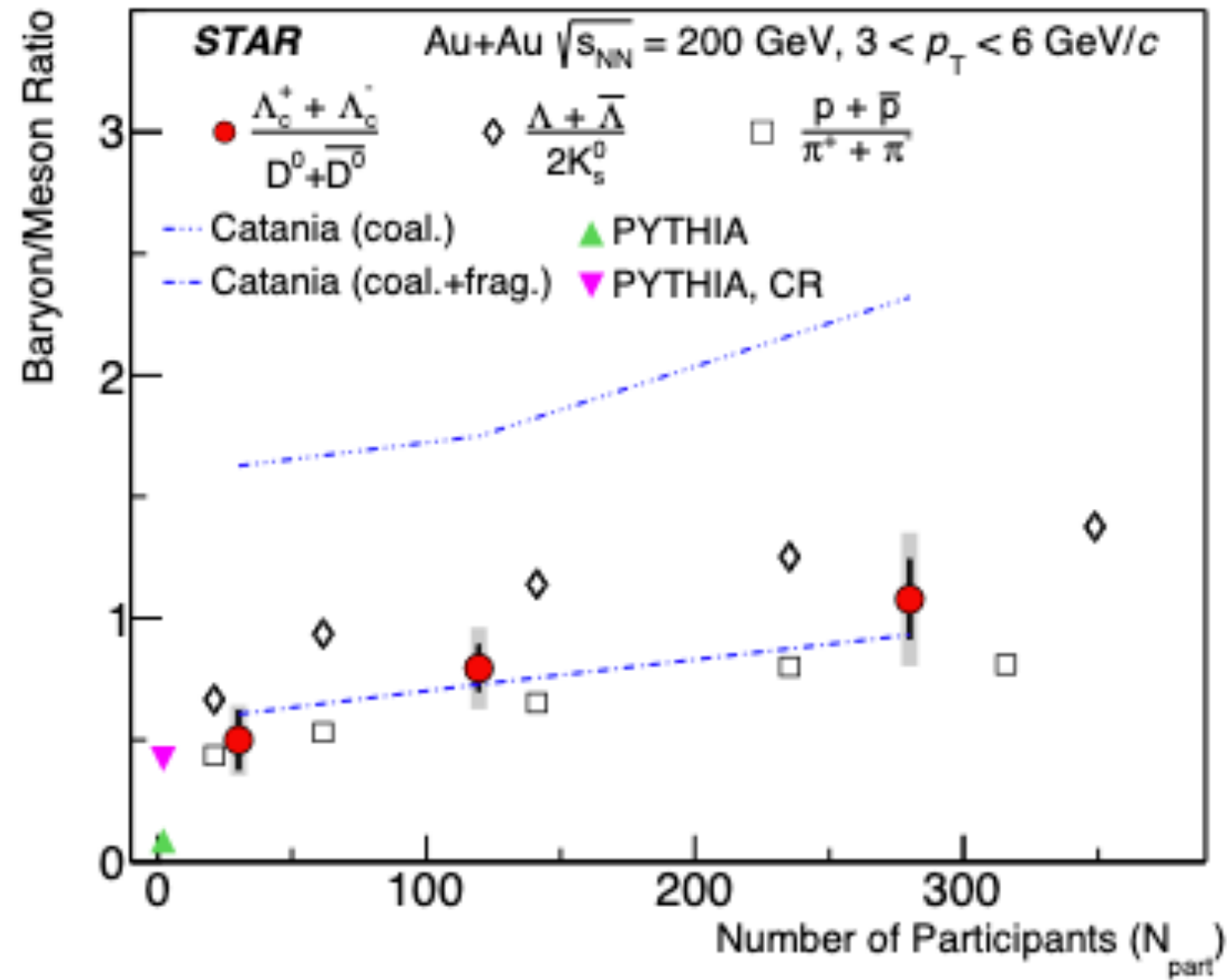
- Most central point compatible with STAR measurements.
- Rising trend ?



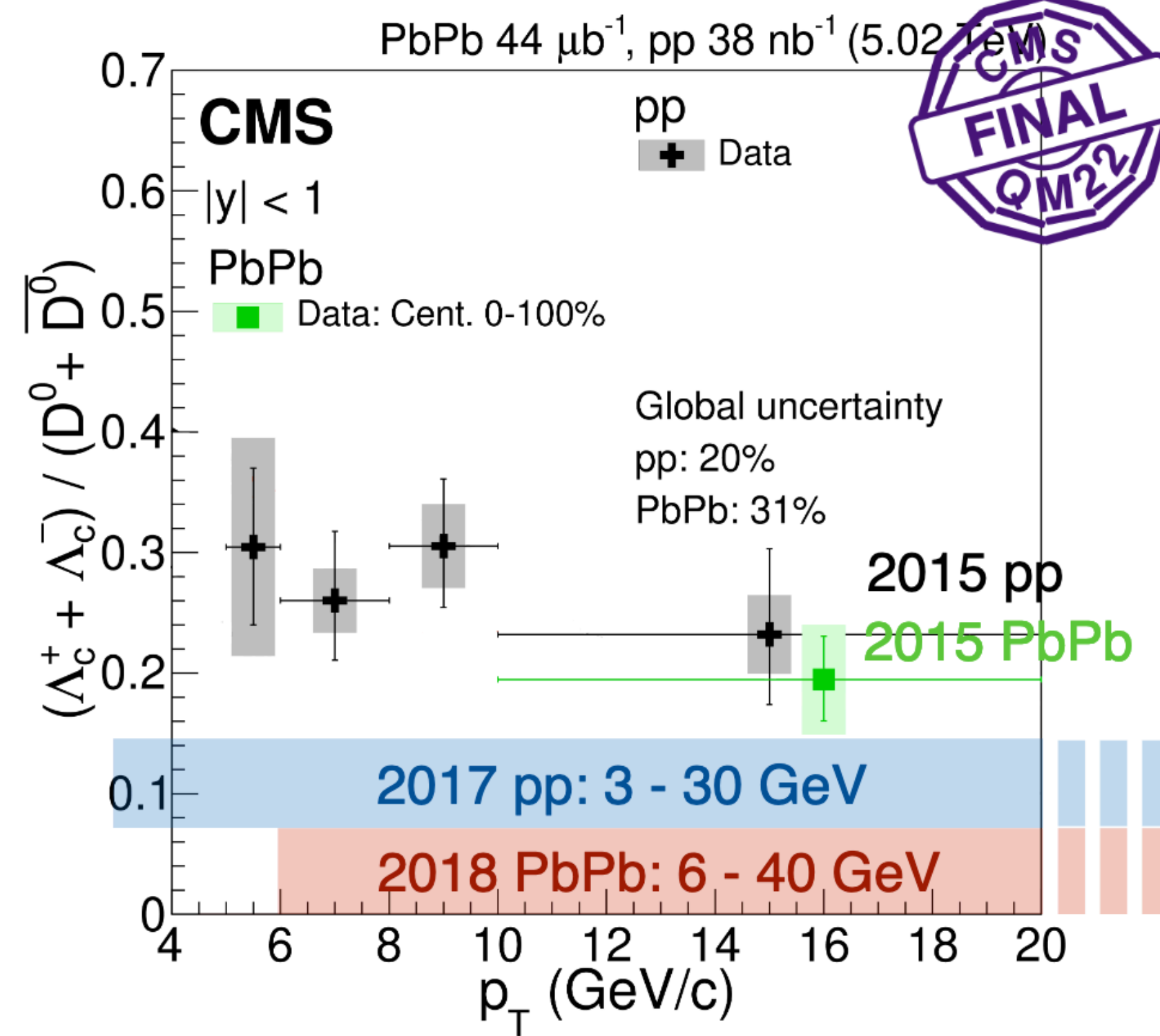
- Similar p_T trend between ALICE and LHCb for $p_T > 4$ GeV/c.



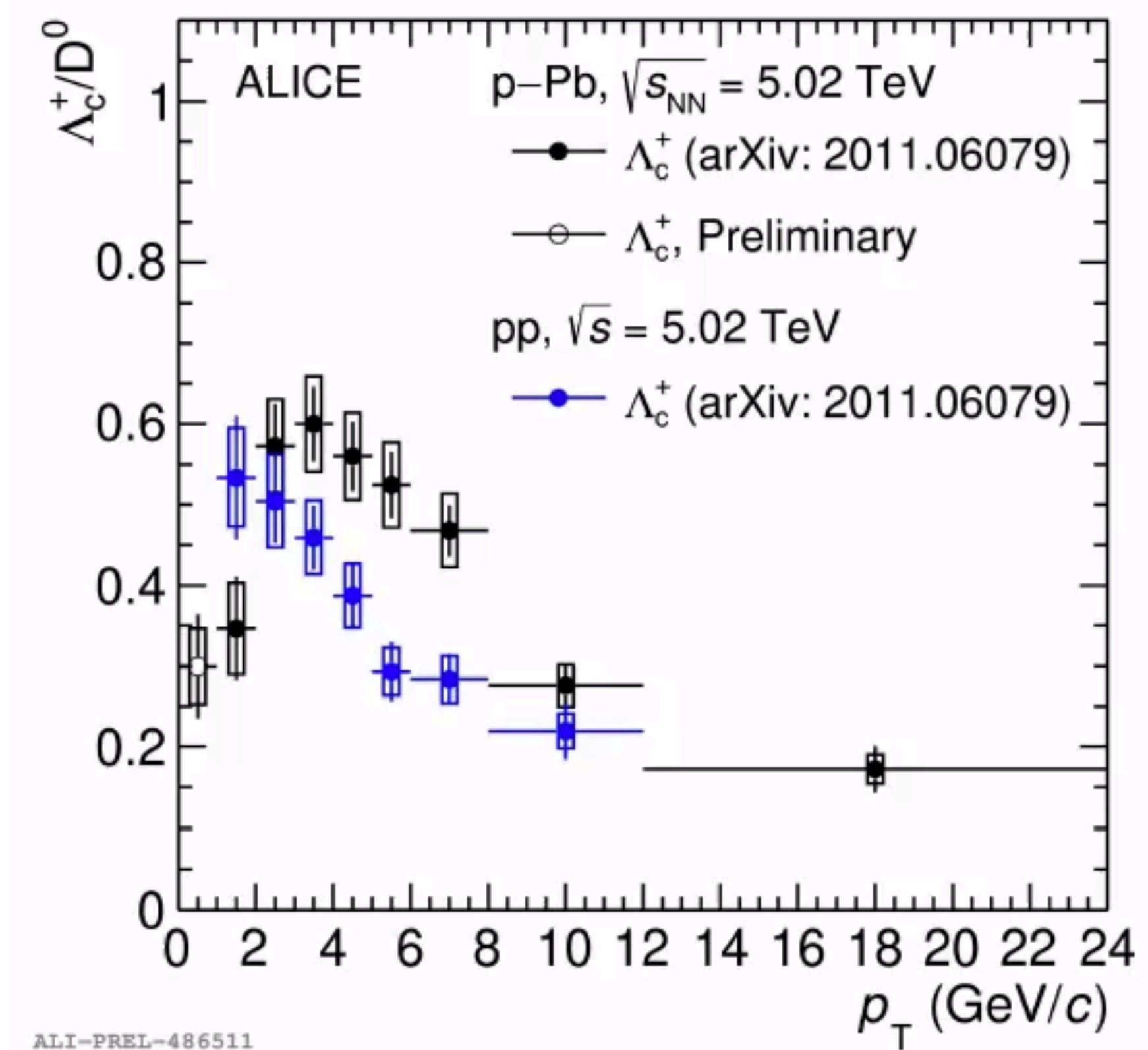
- Difference between LHCb and ALICE data versus rapidity.

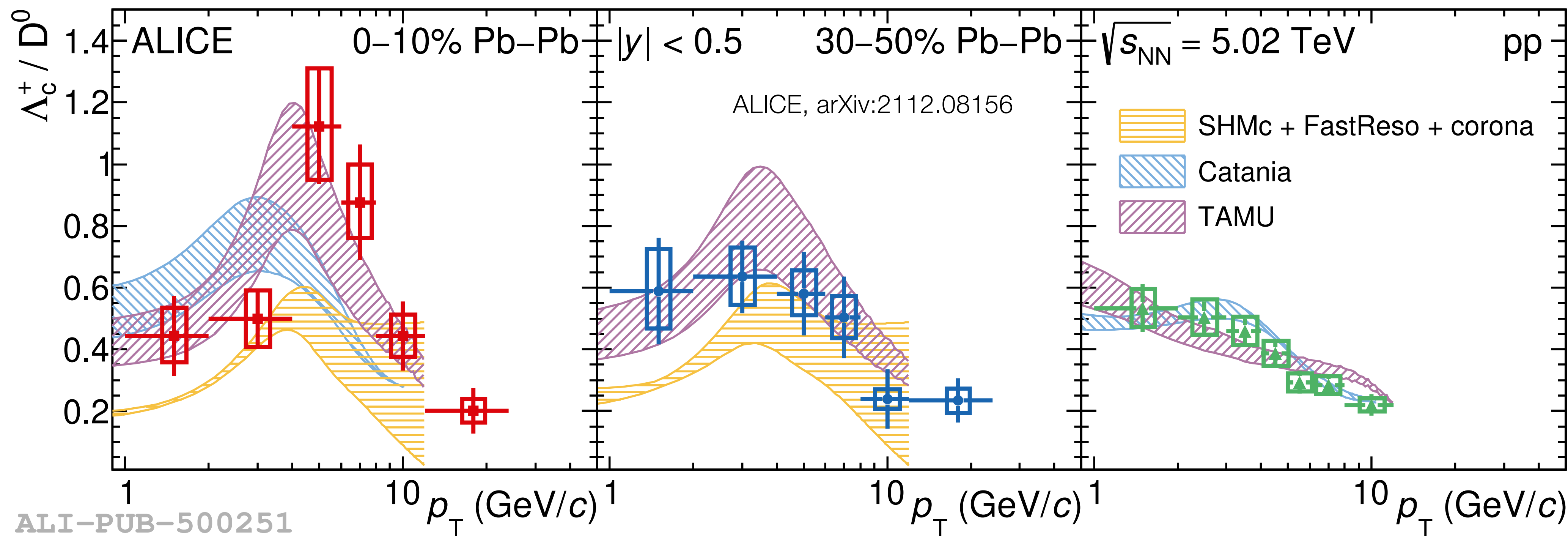


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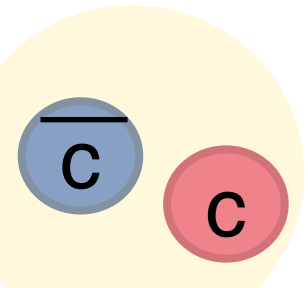
- Hint of enhanced Λ_c^+ / D^0 in Pb-Pb compared to pp collisions for $4 < p_T < 8$ GeV/c
 - *interplay* of *radial flow* and hadronisation via *coalescence*
- Described by models with charm hadronisation via *fragmentation+coalescence*, slightly underestimated by SHMc

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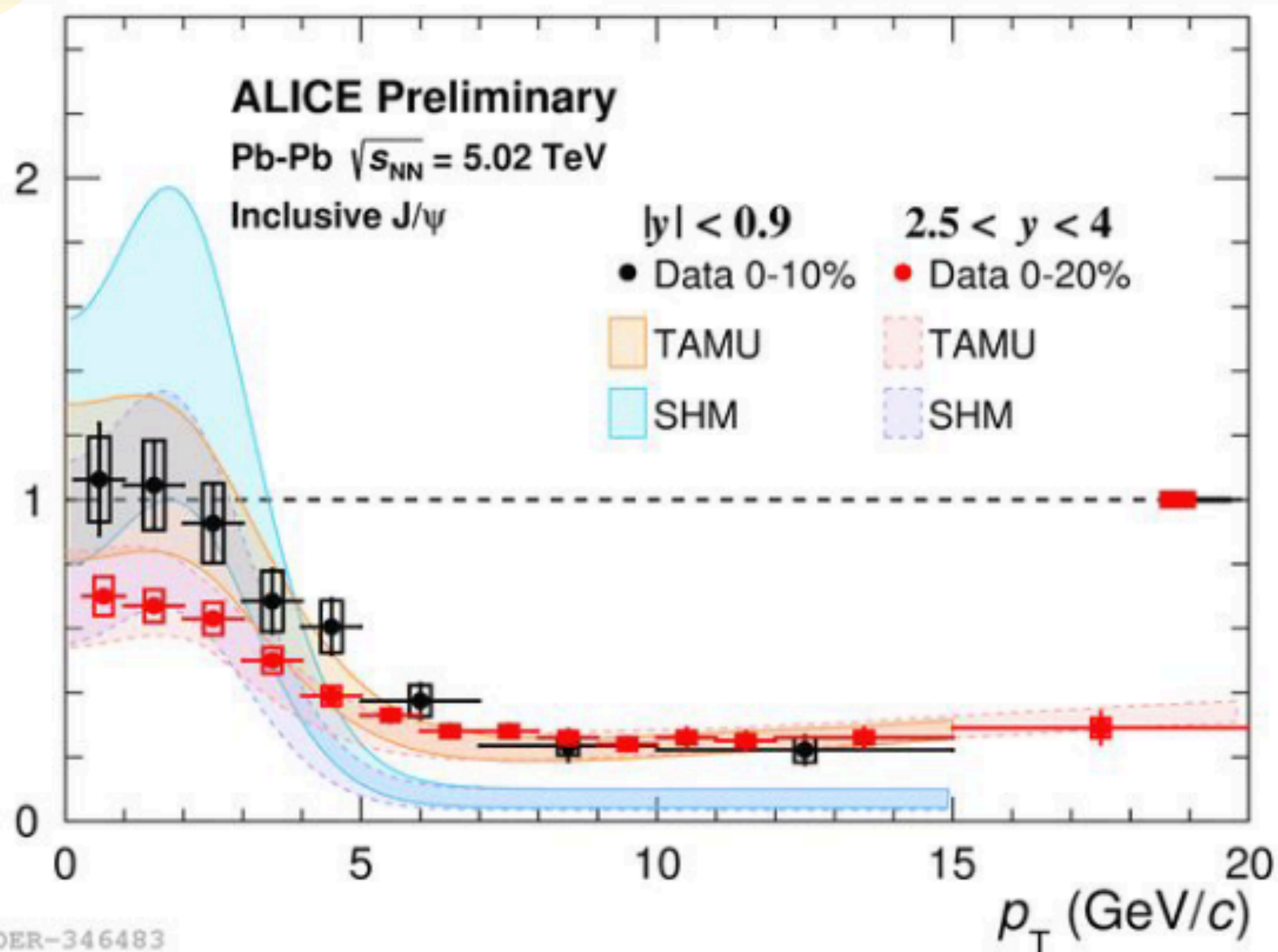
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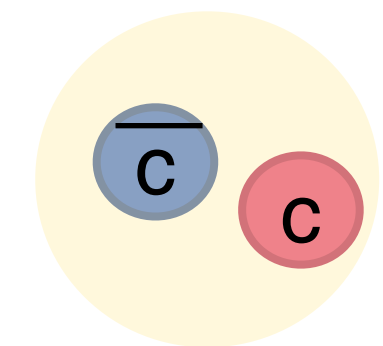


Models implementing **charmonium regeneration**, either at the freeze-out (SHM) or during the fireball lifetime (transport models), in agreement to data:
 → large model uncertainties prevent conclusions

Precise measurement of total charm cross section needed

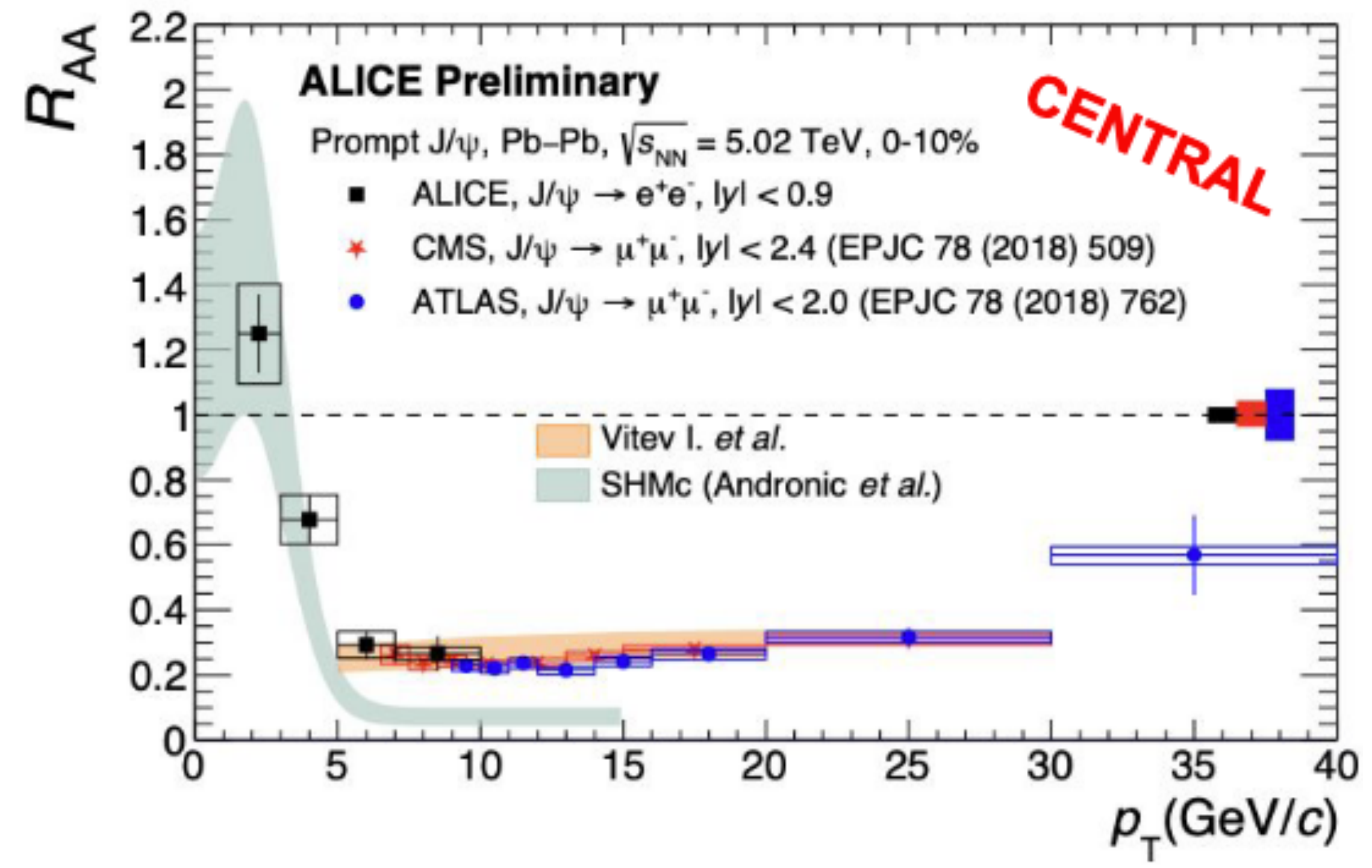
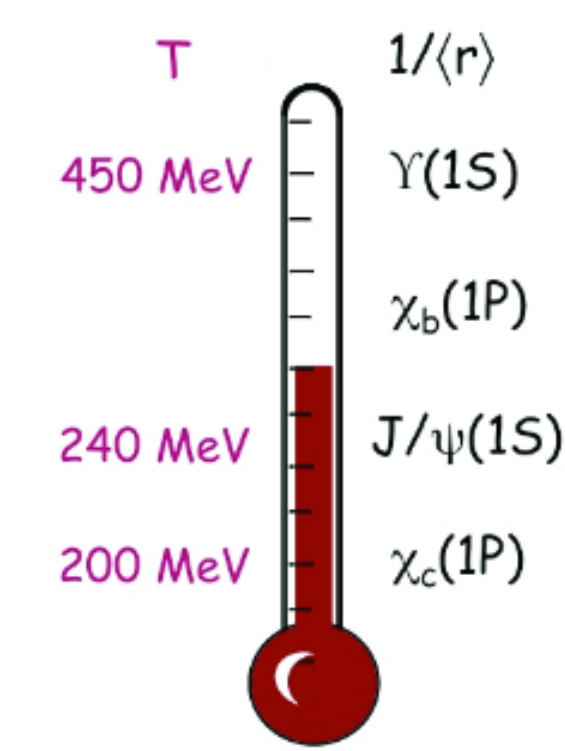
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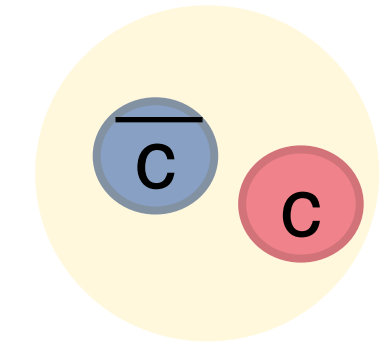
J/ψ also measured at mid rapidity:

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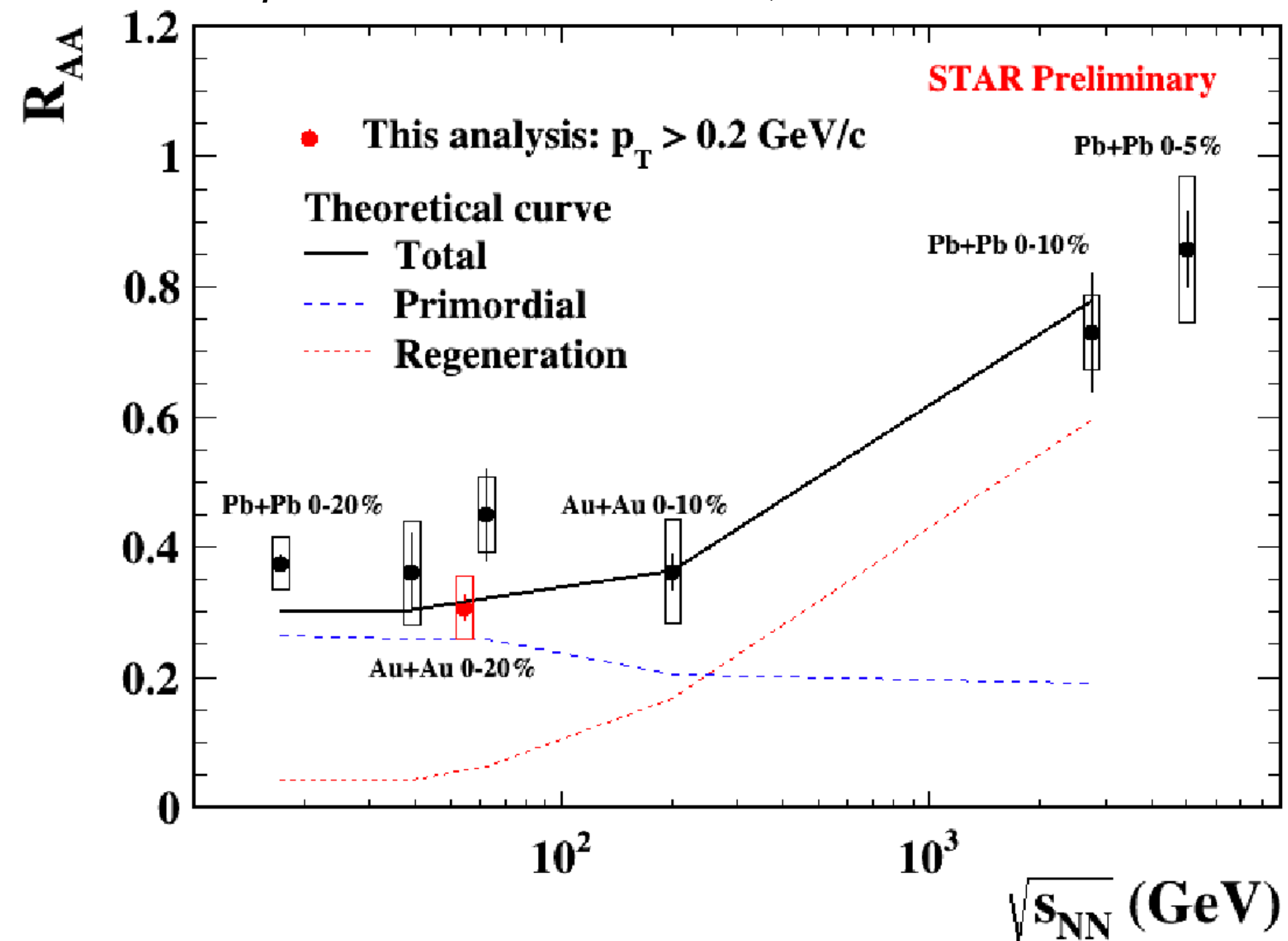
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J/ψ R_{AA} measured at 39, 54.4 and 62.4 GeV



R_{AA} : unique energy scan by STAR

R_{AA} vs energy in comparison with models:
no significant energy dependence up to 200 GeV

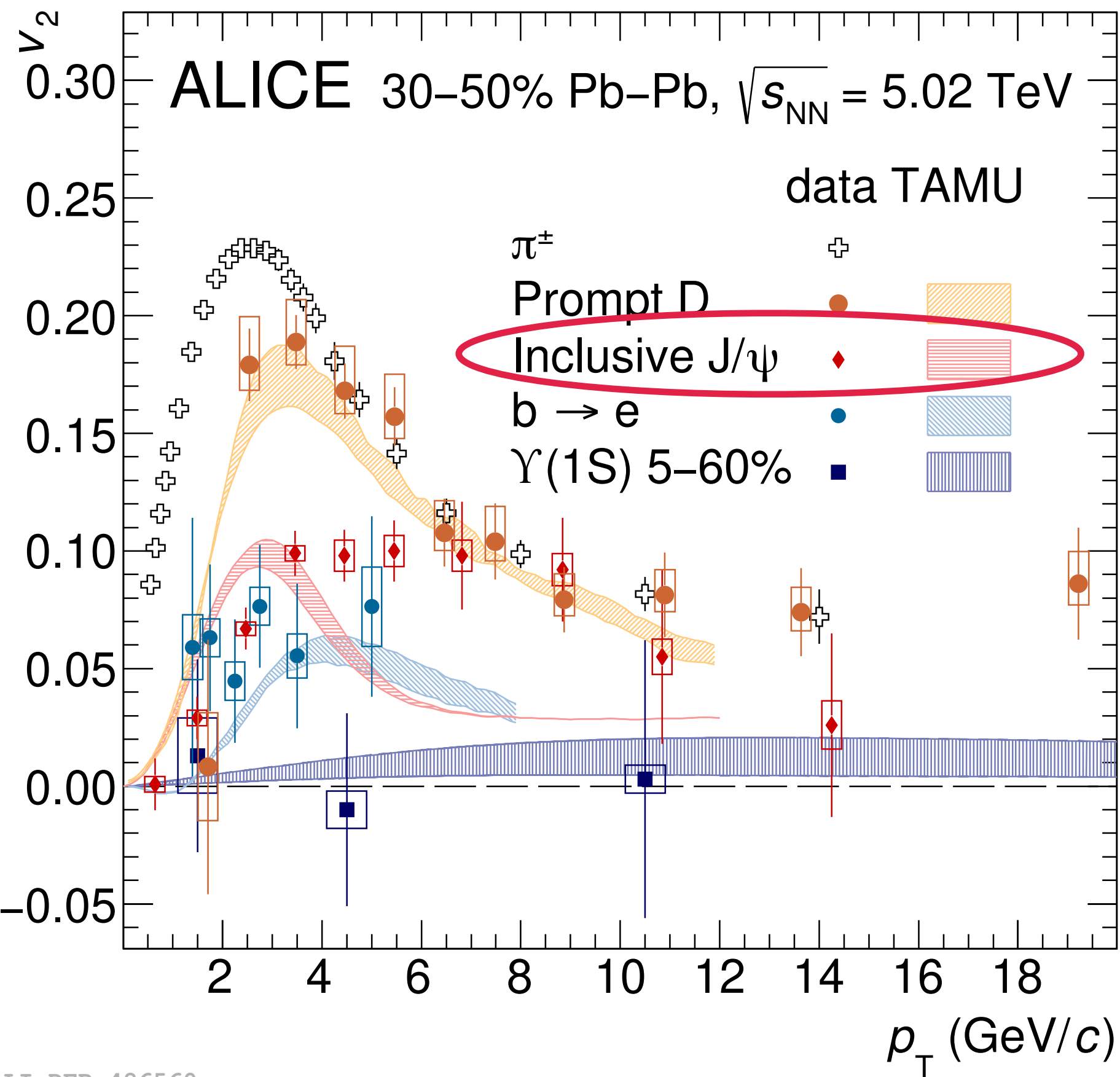
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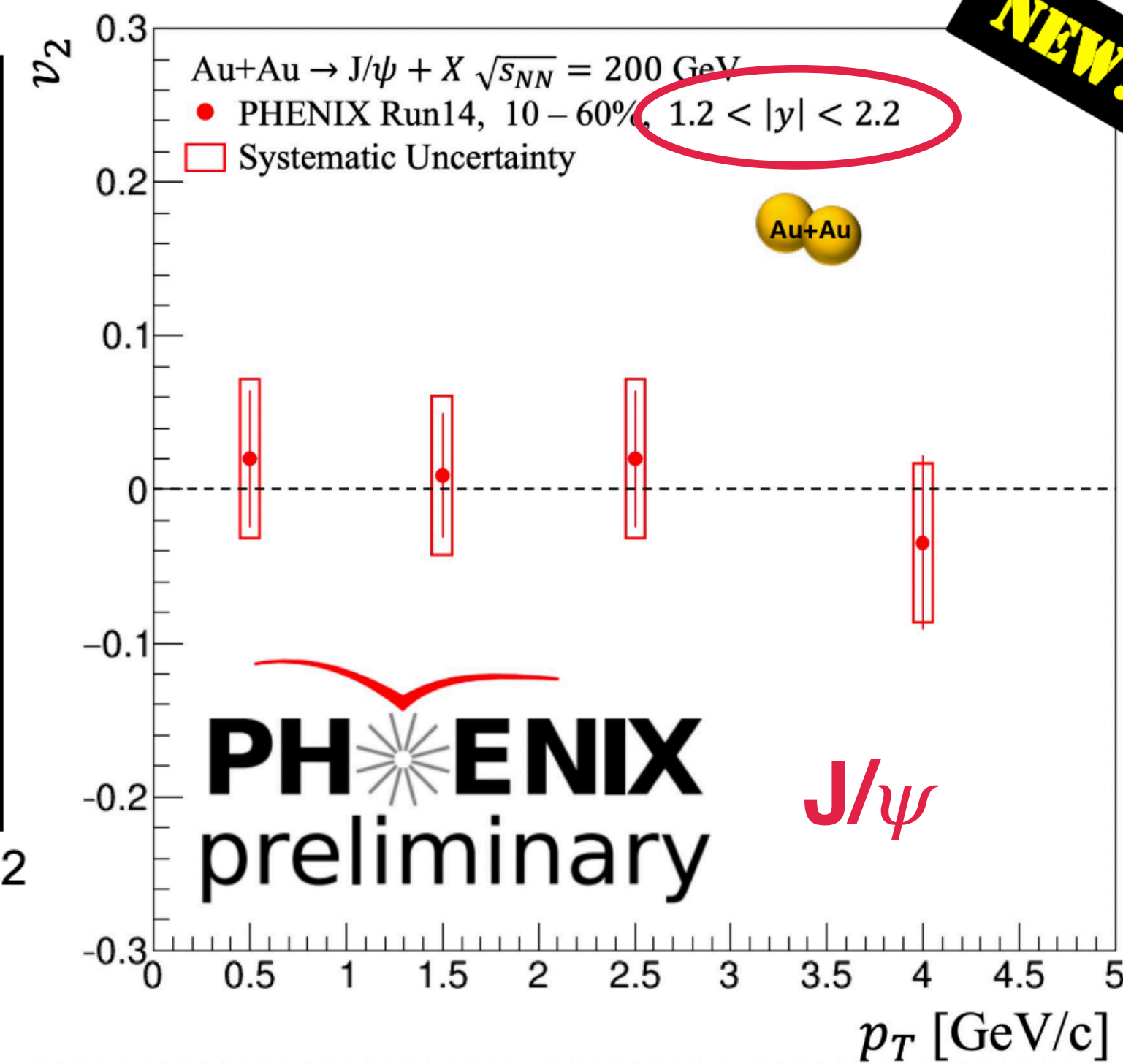
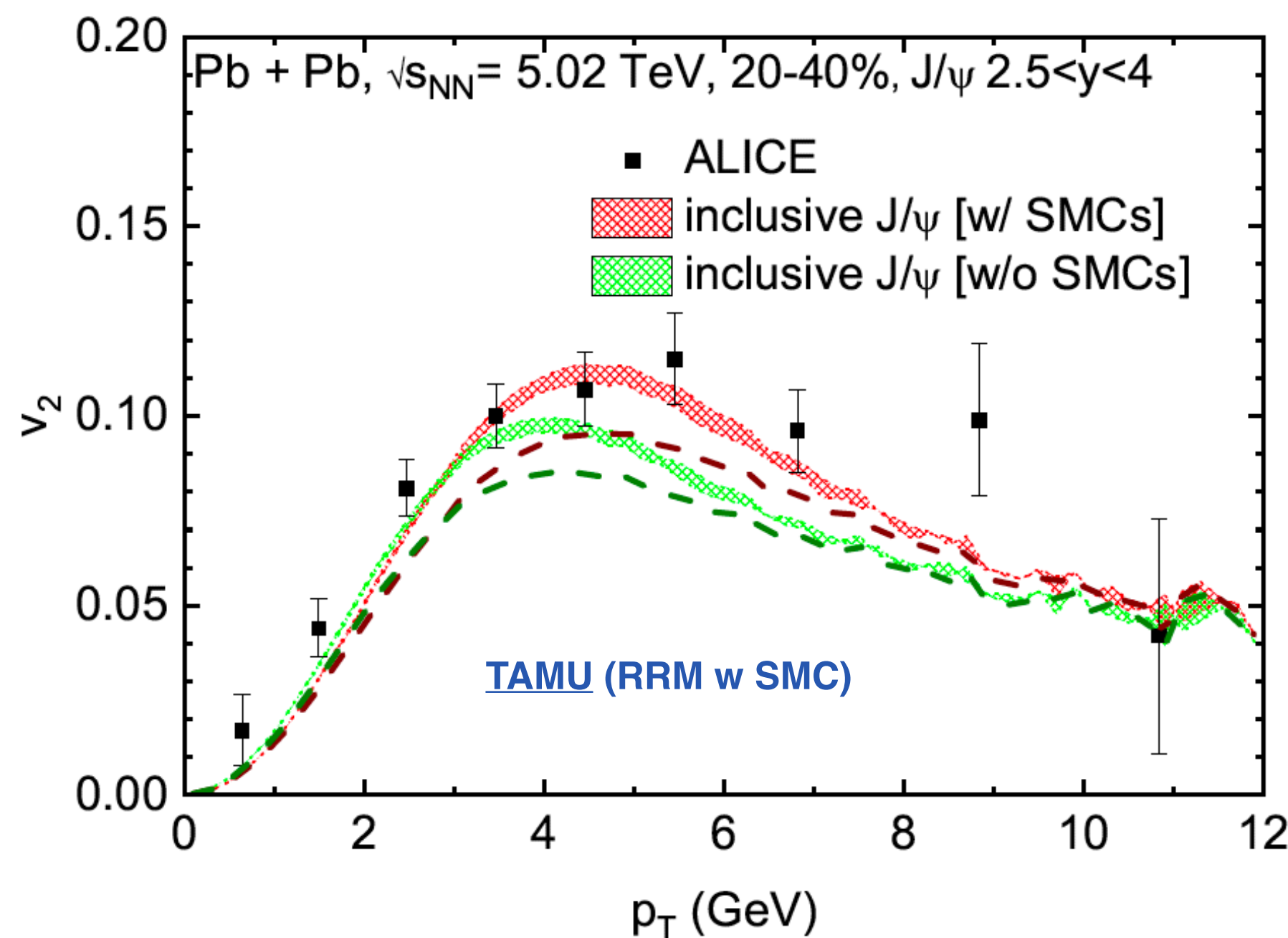
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- ➔ Positive v_2 of hadrons with charm observed at RHIC and LHC
- **charm quarks largely thermalize in QGP until hadronization**
- **smaller v_2 of open-beauty hadrons**

L. Bichon, Apr 7



- charmonia:** recombining charm quarks, inherit thermalized charm flow
- described by models that implement suppression+recombination
 - RHIC: less recombination that at LHC $\rightarrow v_2(J/\psi, Au-Au) \sim 0$



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