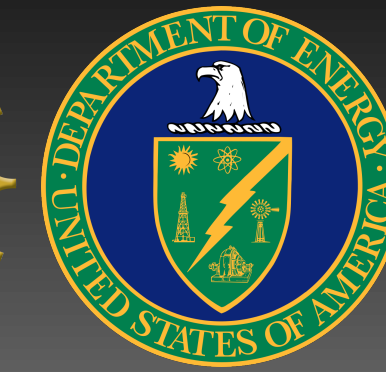




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# Dynamical modeling of particle production and baryon distribution in heavy-ion collisions from GeV to TeV

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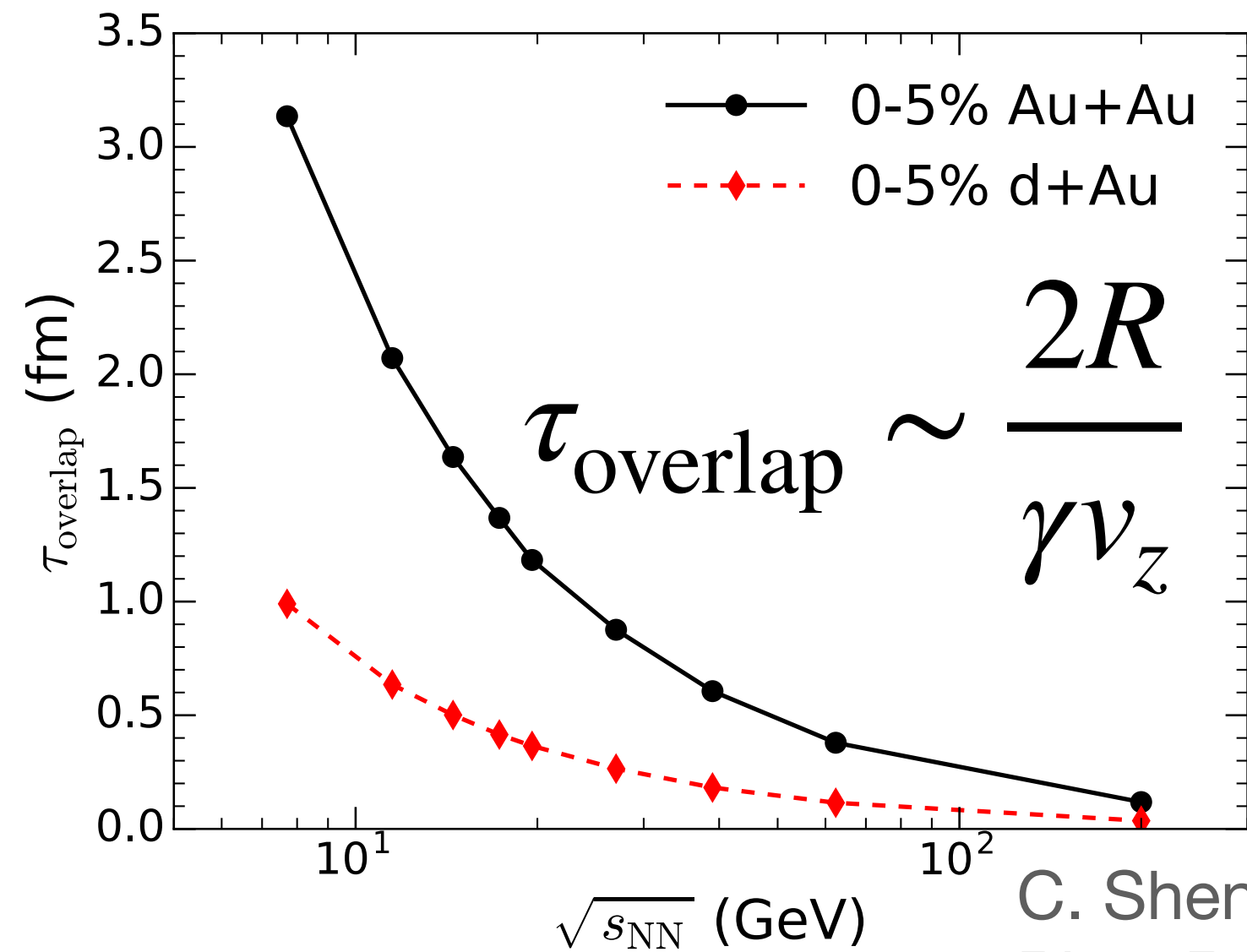
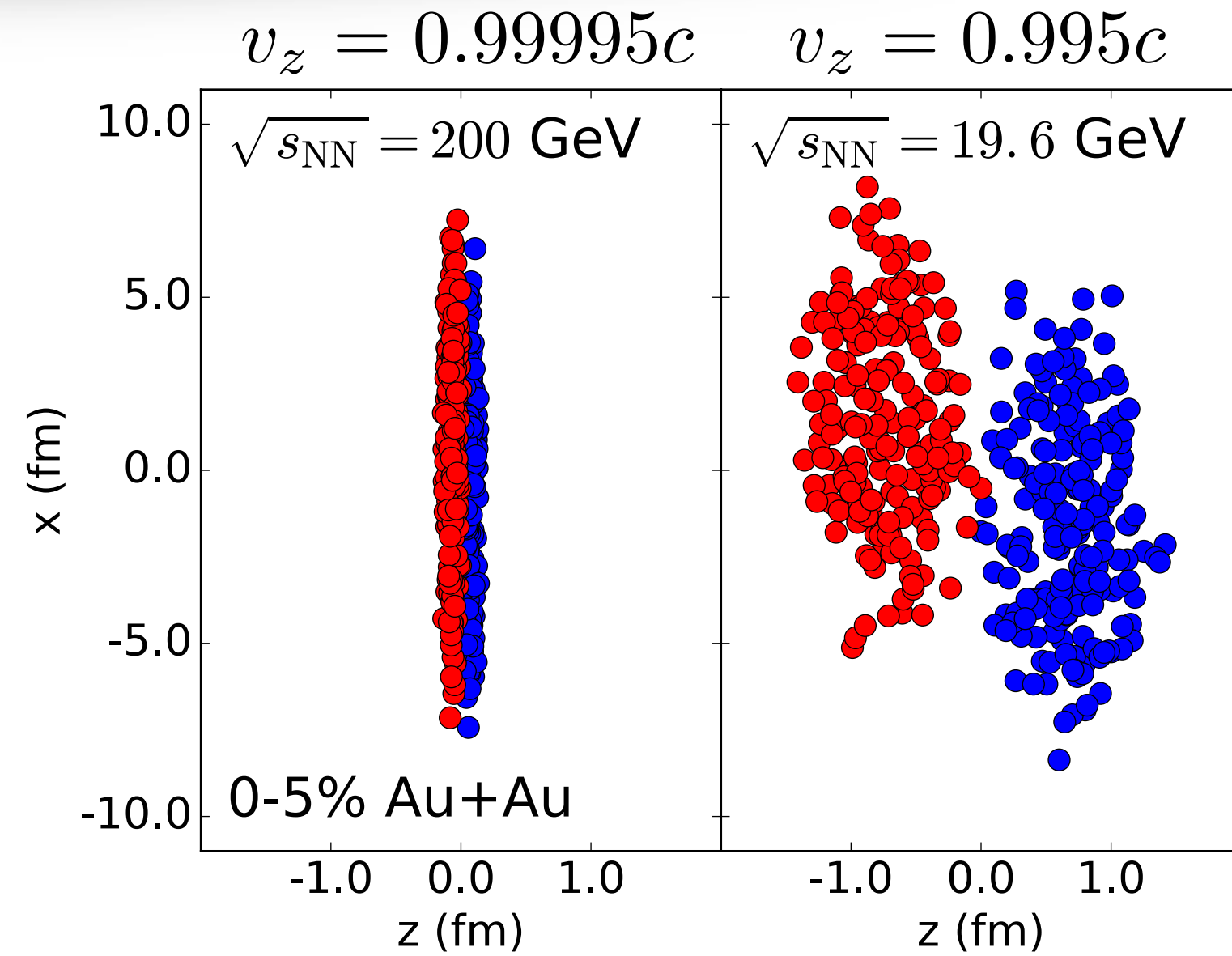
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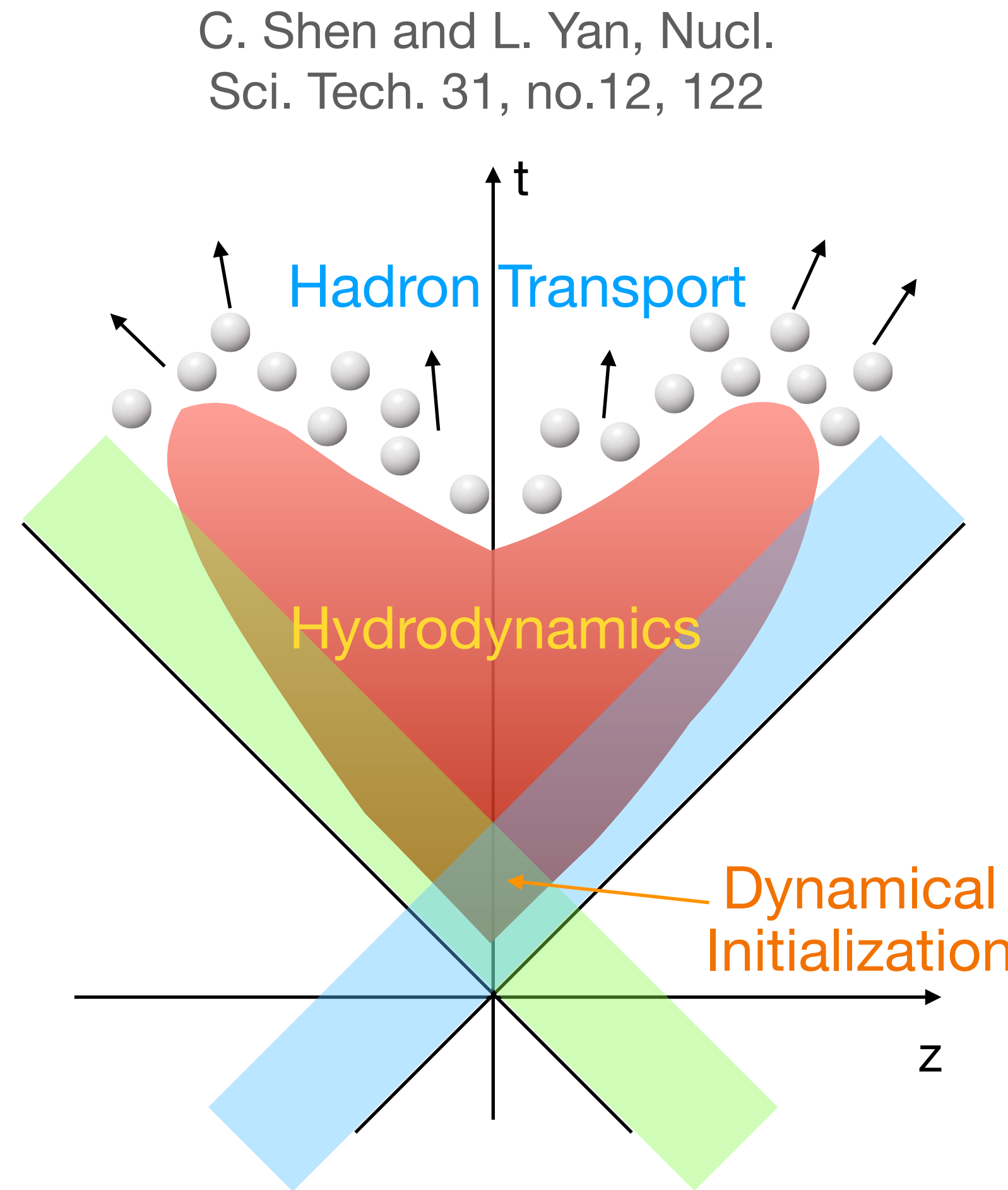


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# (3+1)D modeling of relativistic nuclear collisions



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- Heavy-ion collisions with various collision energy probe nuclear matter properties in a wide  $(T, \mu_B)$  region
- Heavy-ion collisions with  $\sqrt{s} \sim \mathcal{O}(10)$  GeV have significant nucleus overlapping time  $\tau_{\text{overlap}}$
- 3D Dynamical initialization of hydrodynamic evolution plays an important role in modeling the dynamics of relativistic nuclear collisions

# 3D MC-Glauber model with string deceleration

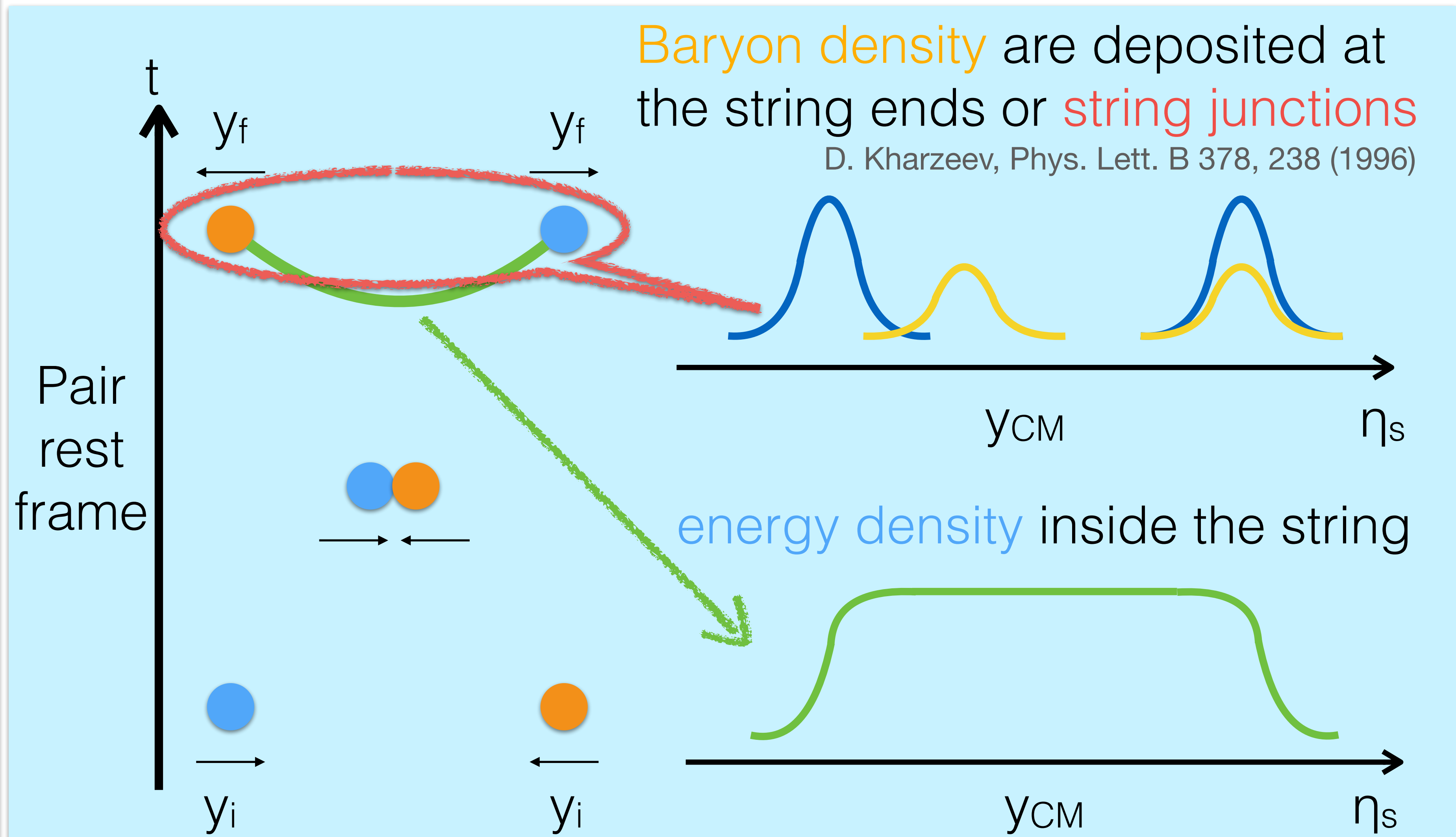
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- Transverse collision geometry is determined by MC-Glauber model
- 3 valence quarks are sampled from PDF with

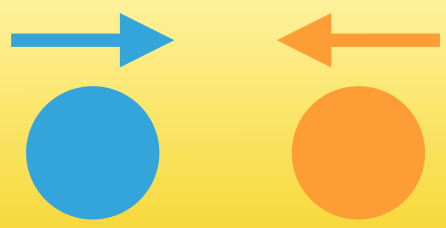
$$\sum_i x_i \leq 1$$

- Incoming quarks are decelerated with a string tension  $\sigma$ ,

$$dp^z/dt = -\sigma$$

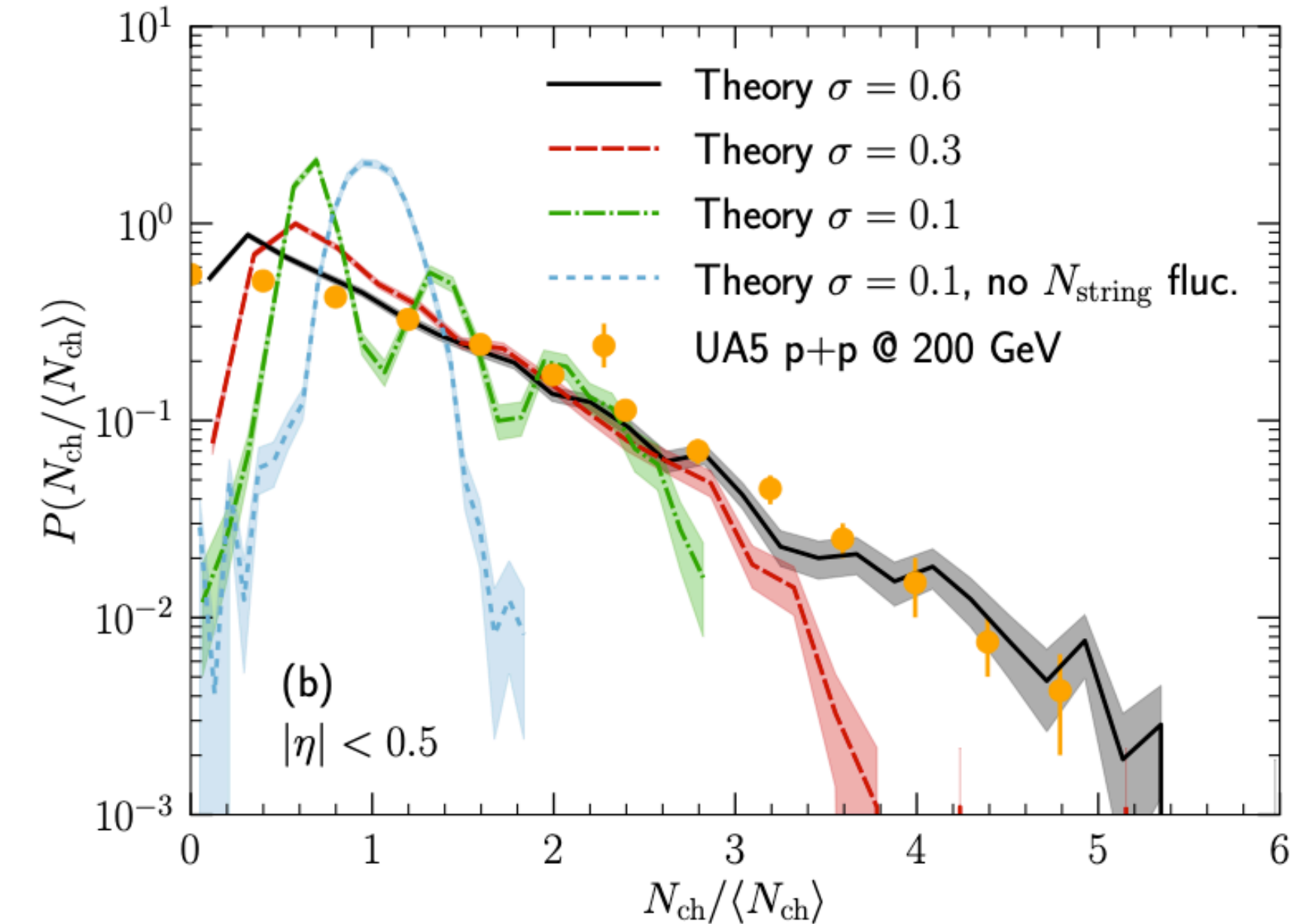
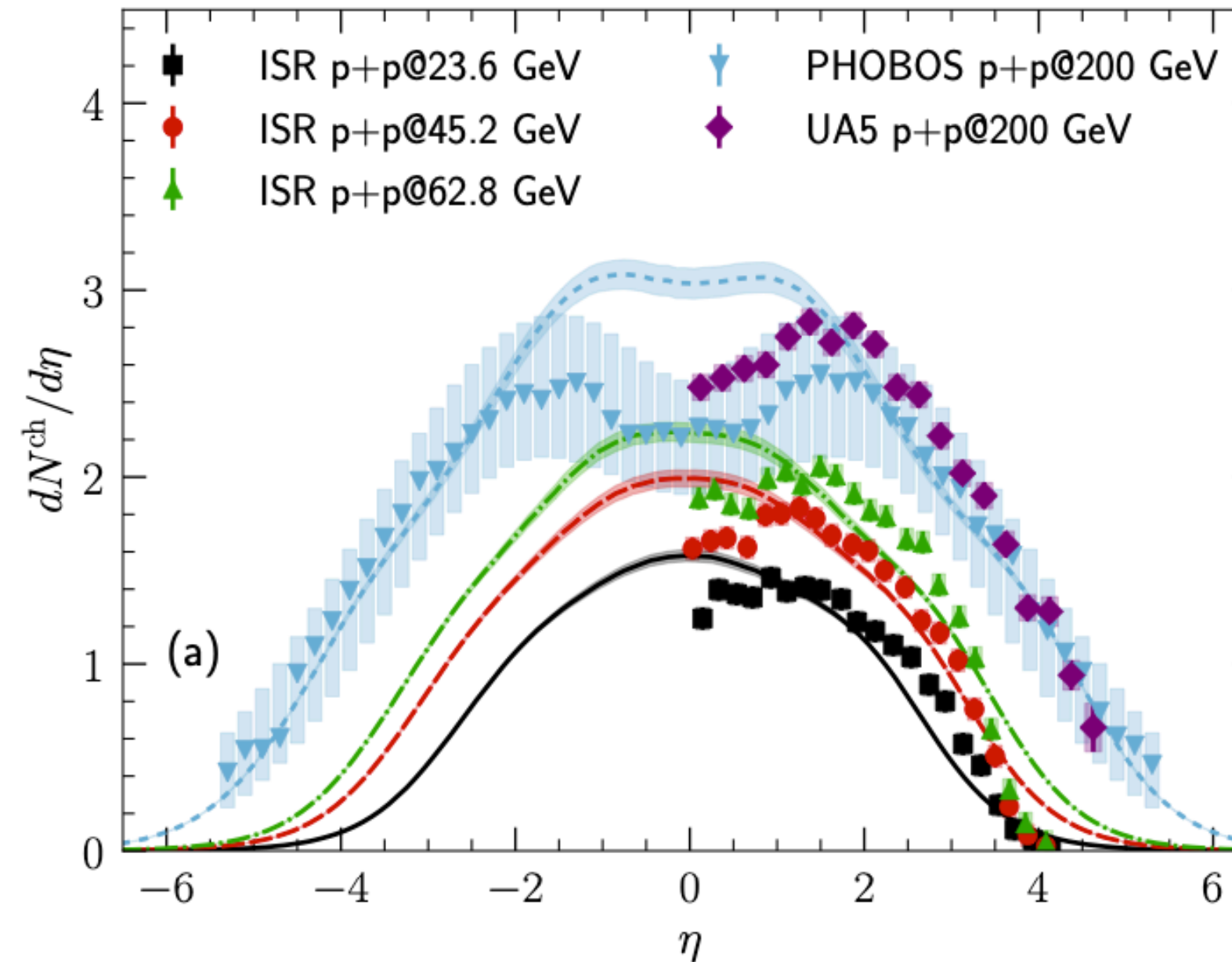
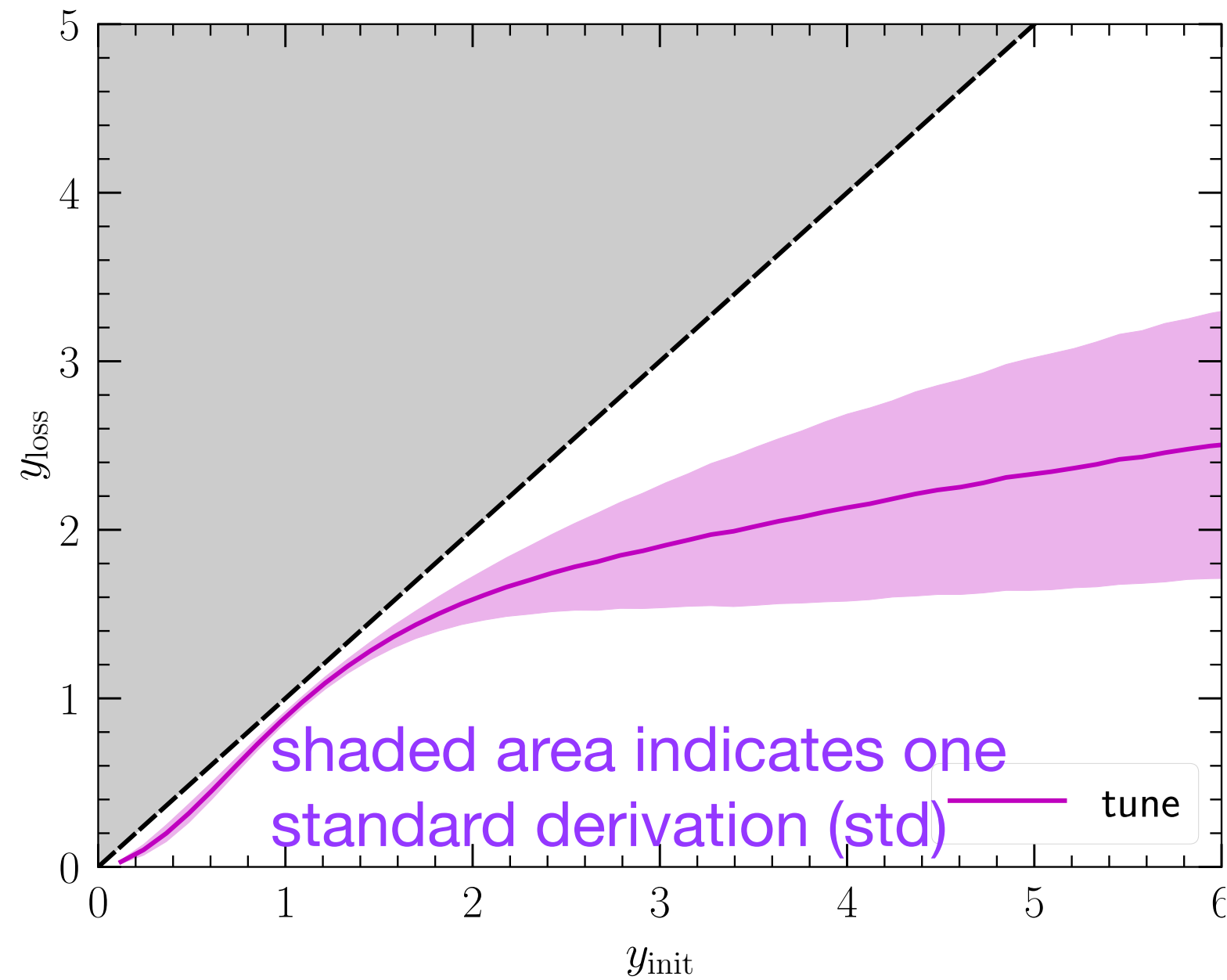


**Imposed conservation for energy, momentum, and net baryon density**



# Particle production in pp collisions

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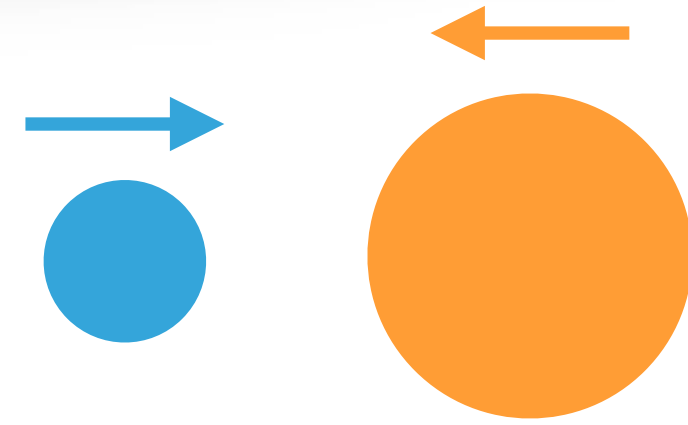
## Rapidity loss parameterization

$$\langle y_{\text{loss}} \rangle = A y_{\text{init}}^{\alpha_2} [\tanh(y_{\text{init}})]^{\alpha_1 - \alpha_2}$$

- A: the slope
- At small  $y$ :  $\langle y_{\text{loss}} \rangle \propto y_{\text{init}}^{\alpha_1}$
- At large  $y$ :  $\langle y_{\text{loss}} \rangle \propto y_{\text{init}}^{\alpha_2}$
- Std of  $y_{\text{loss}}$  fluctuations:  $\sigma_y$  ( $y_{\text{loss}} \in [0, y_{\text{init}}]$ )

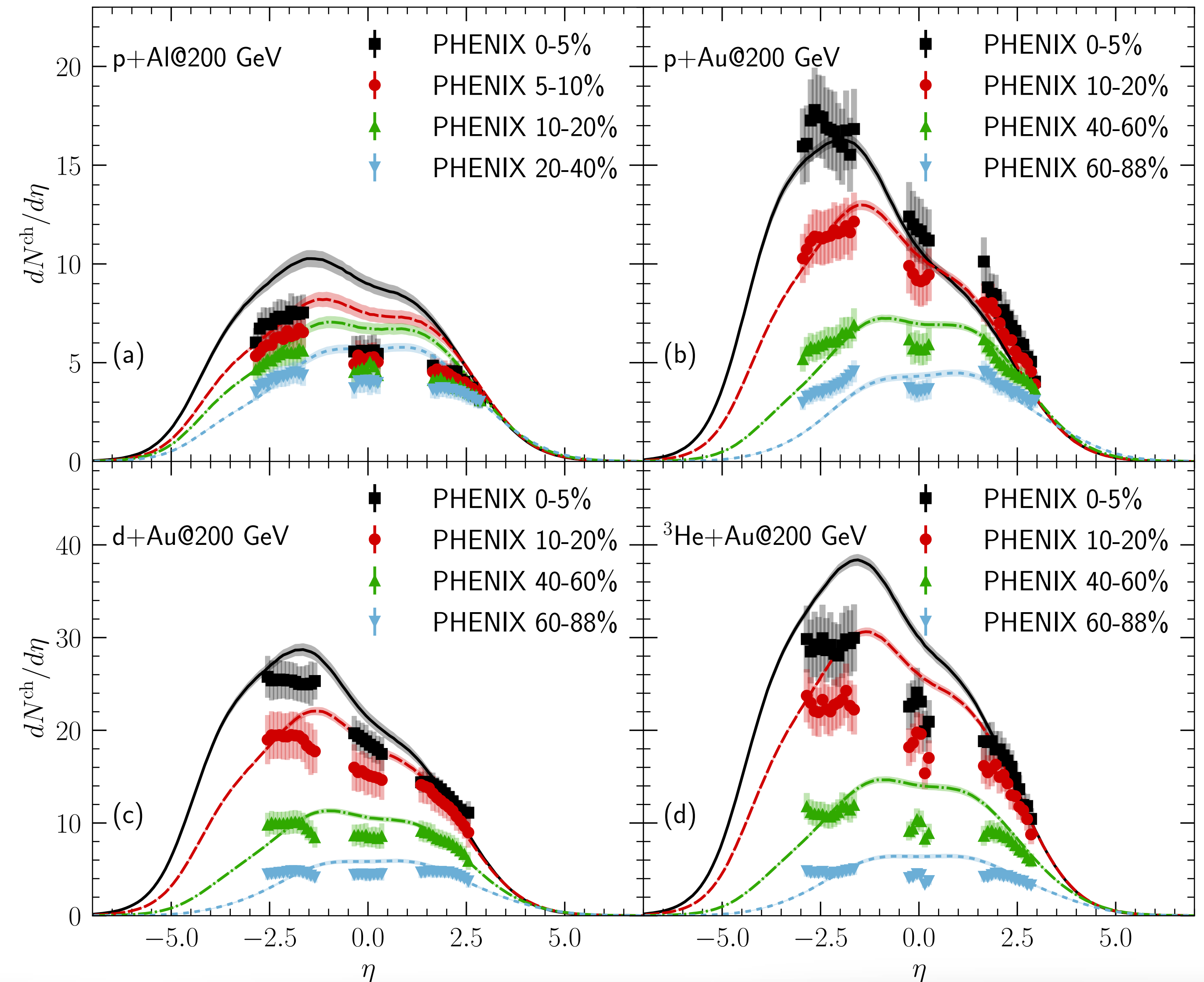
- Calibrate parton's rapidity loss with charged particle pseudo-rapidity distribution in minimum bias p+p collisions [1-3]
- Rapidity loss fluctuations are essential to reproduce the p+p multiplicity distribution [4]

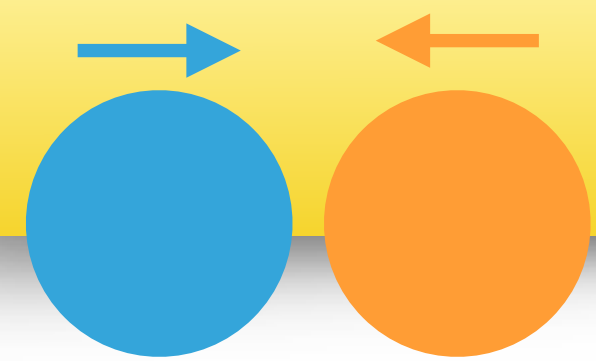
# Extend the 3D description to asymmetric systems



- Our model reasonably **predicts** the asymmetric charged hadron rapidity distributions in light-heavy nuclear collisions measured by the PHENIX Collaboration [5]
- Centrality dependence of the shapes of  $dN^{\text{ch}}/d\eta$  are captured
- Particle productions in central p+Al and  ${}^3\text{He}+\text{Au}$  are overestimated by 15%

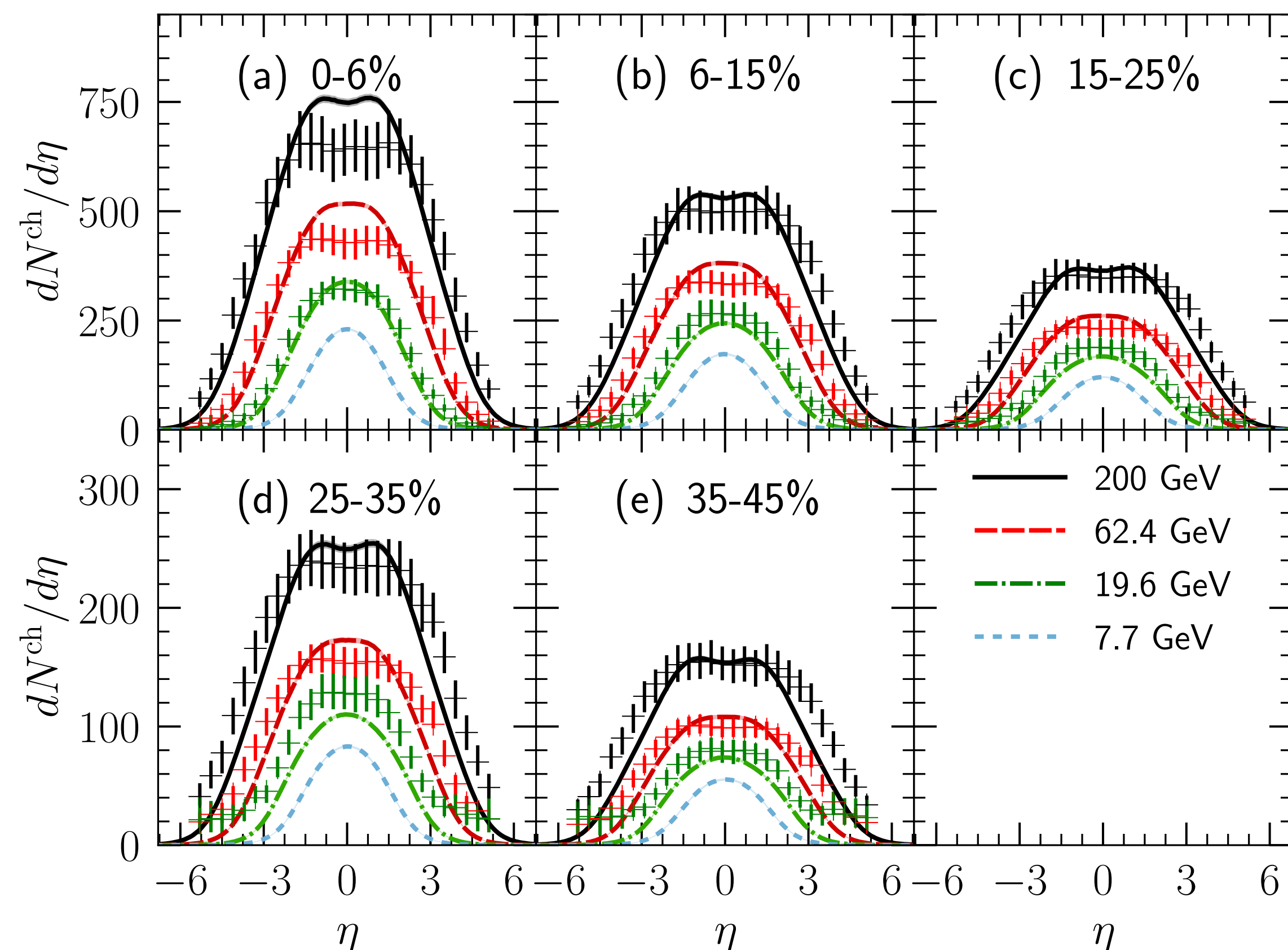
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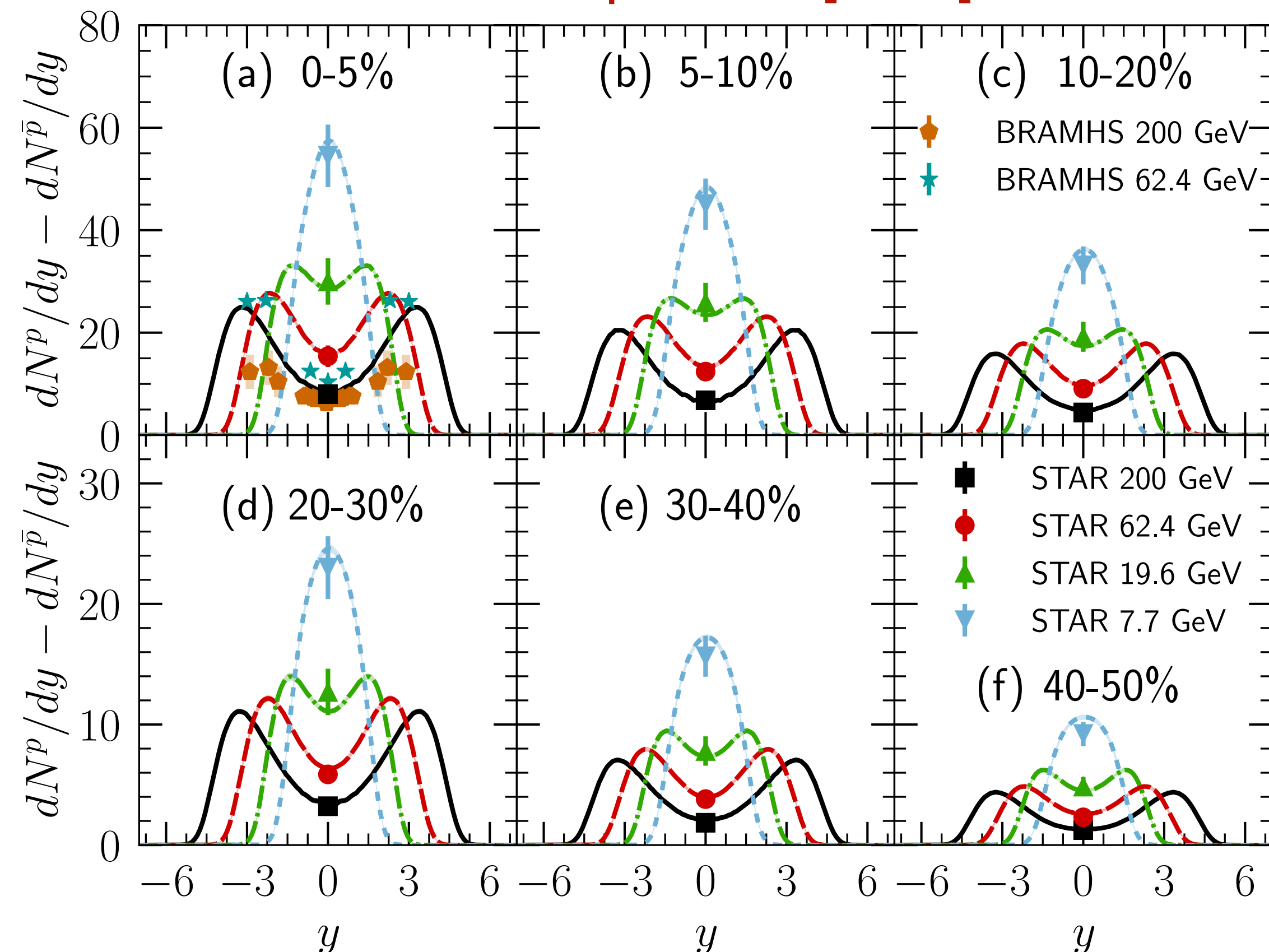


# Particle production at RHIC BES

Charged hadrons [6]



Net protons [7-10]



- Model **predictions** for Au+Au collisions show good descriptions of charged hadron and net proton rapidity distributions vs. data at the RHIC BES energies
- Our model is a **unified** framework to study the full (3+1)D dynamics of pp,  $\gamma^*A$ , pA, and AA collisions from GeV to TeV

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