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COMBINATION OF CHARM MEASUREMENTS AT THE LHC

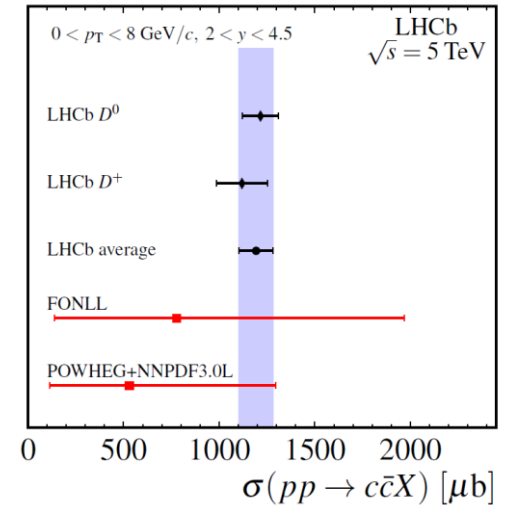
HonexComb Meeting

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Total charm cross-section in pp collisions

- The measurement of the total charm cross section could be one of the most promising area for combining measurements from different experiments.
- Our first goal is to combine open charm results obtained by the four collaborations in pp collisions, to derive a total charm cross-section.
- Collect existing open charm measurements from the four collaborations
- Compare results, and study p_T and rapidity dependence.

Decay channel	Fragmentation fraction Phys. Lett. B667 (2008) 1.
$D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+$	$f(c \rightarrow D^0) = 0.565 \pm 0.032$
$D^+ \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ \pi^+$	$f(c \rightarrow D^+) = 0.246 \pm 0.020$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow (K^- K^+) \phi \pi^+$	$f(c \rightarrow D_s^+) = 0.080 \pm 0.017$
$D^{*+} \rightarrow D^0(\rightarrow K^- \pi^+) \pi^+$	$f(c \rightarrow D^{*+}) = 0.224 \pm 0.028$



Summary of open charm meson results in pp

- Collected open charm meson (D^0 , D^\pm , D_s^\pm , $D^{*\pm}$) results

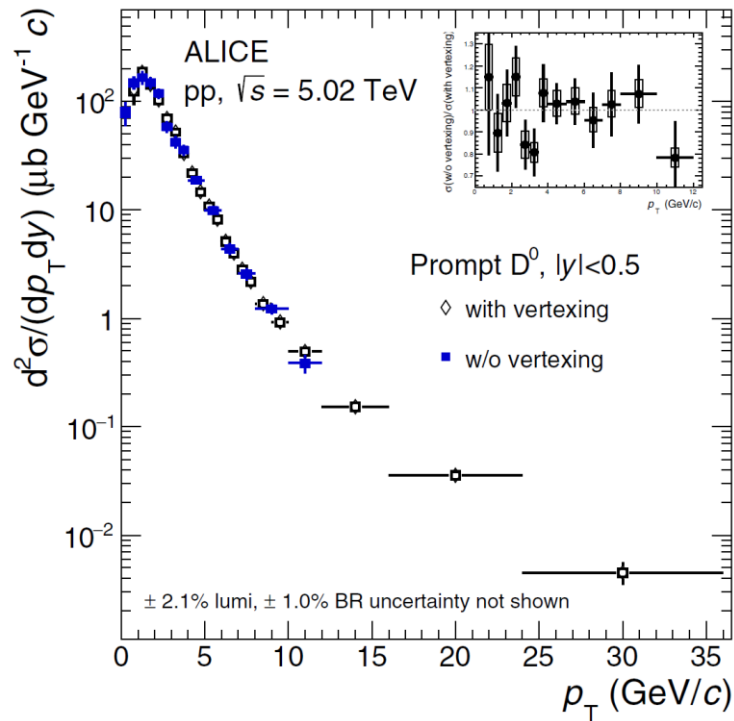
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13TeV		JHEP 05 (2017) 074, JHEP 09 (2016) 013 $D^0, D^\pm, D_s^\pm, D^{*\pm}$		

- The 5TeV results seem to be a good starting point:

D^0 in 5TeV pp	ALICE	LHCb	CMS
p_T [GeV/c]	0 -- 36	0 -- 10	2 -- 100
Rapidity	$ y < 0.5$	$2.0 < y < 4.5$	$ y < 1.0$

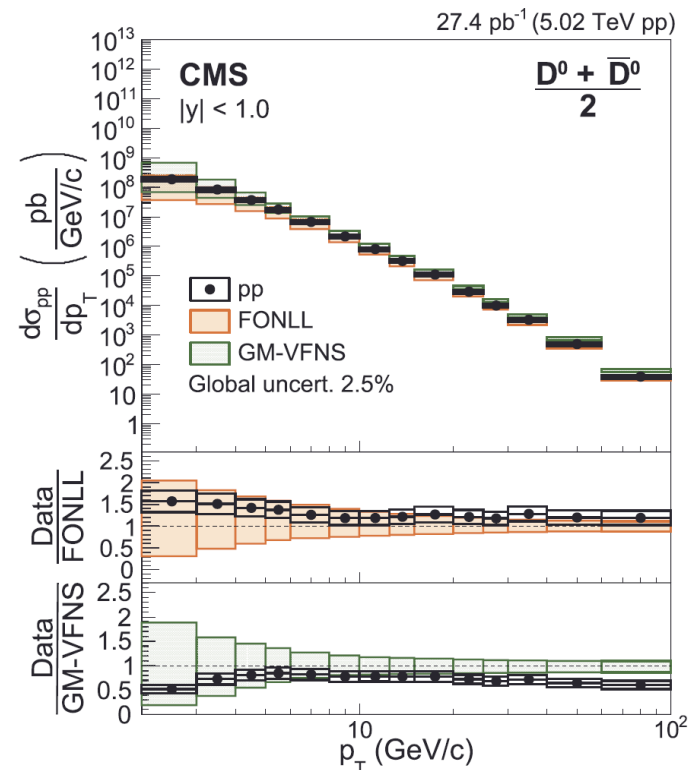
Prompt D^0 meson p_T spectrum

- **ALICE:**
- $0 < p_T < 36 \text{ GeV}/c$
- $|y| < 0.5$
- Average of D^0 and \bar{D}^0
- Table from [HEPDATA](#)



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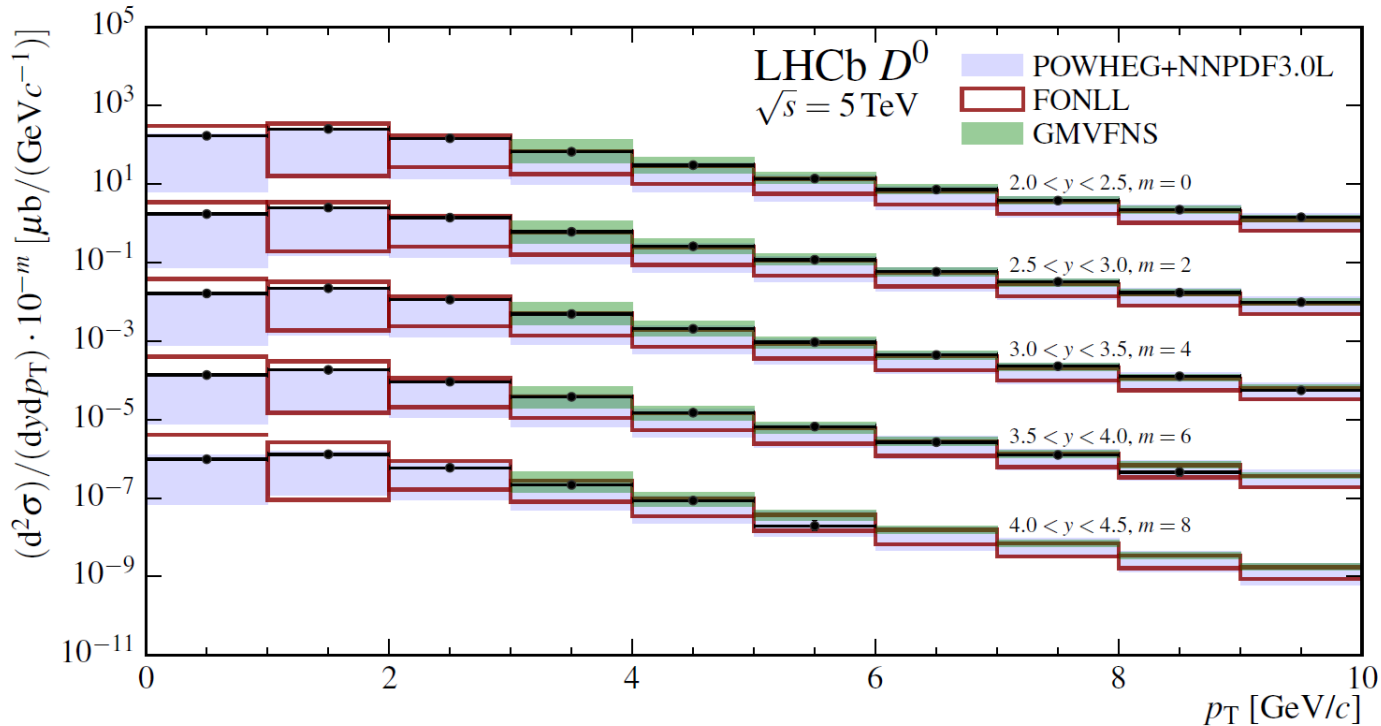
- **CMS**
- $2 < p_T < 100 \text{ GeV}/c$
- $|y| < 1.0$
- Average of D^0 and \bar{D}^0
- Table from [HEPDATA](#)



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Prompt D^0 meson p_T spectrum

- **LHCb**
- $0 < p_T < 10$ GeV/c
- $2 < y < 4.5$, in $\Delta y = 0.5$ bins
- Sum of D^0 and \bar{D}^0
- Tables from [HEPDATA](#)



Prompt D^0 cross-section vs. p_T

Average of D^0 and \bar{D}^0

LHCb results divided by 2

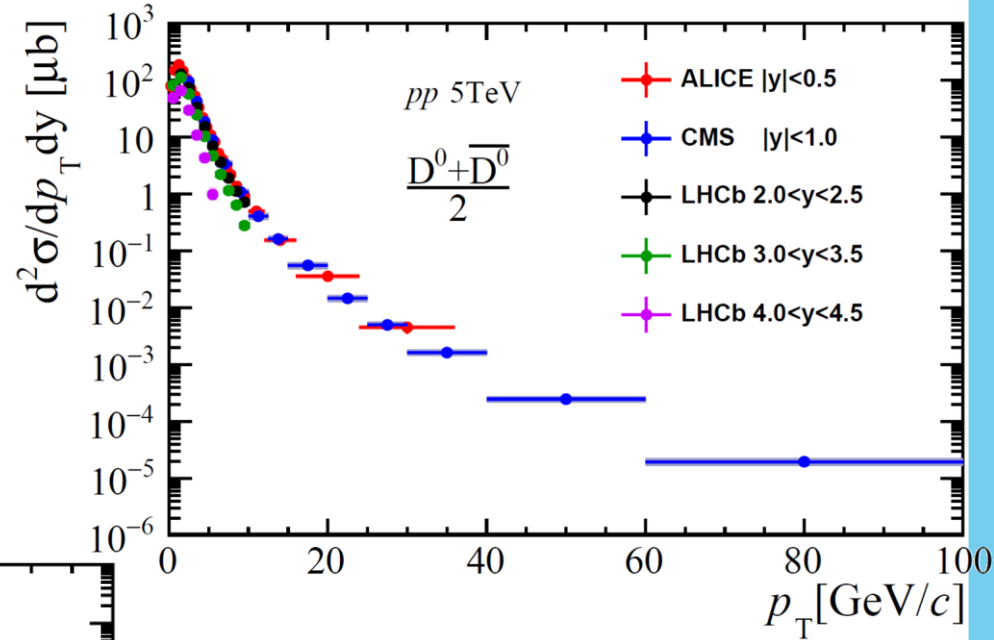
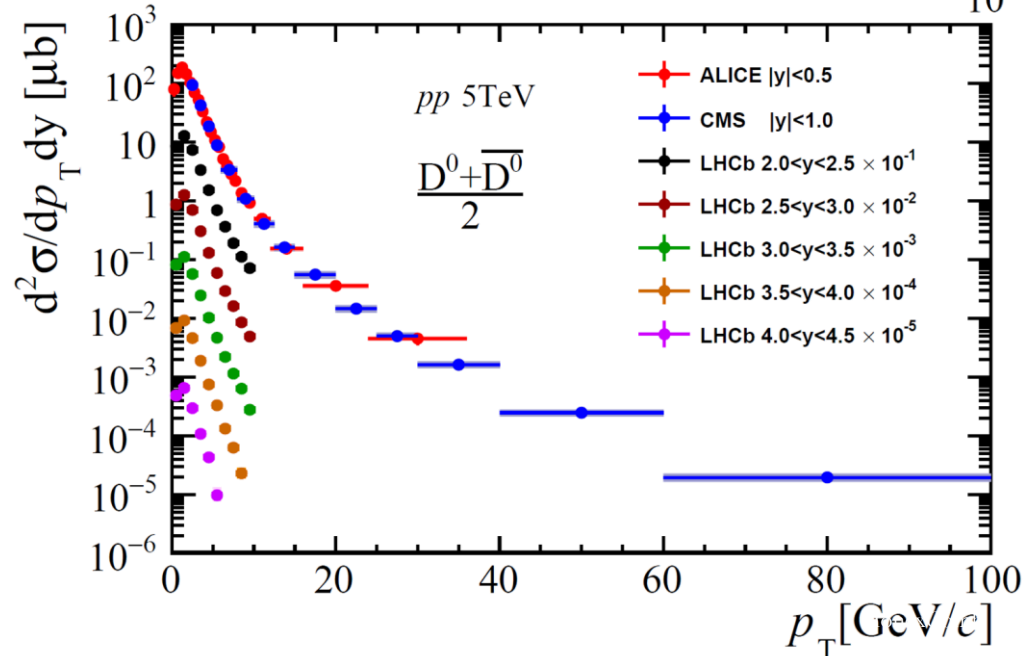
Divided by Δy

CMS $\Delta y = 2.0$

ALICE $\Delta y = 1.0$

LHCb $\Delta y = 0.5$

Comparison to FONLL in the future

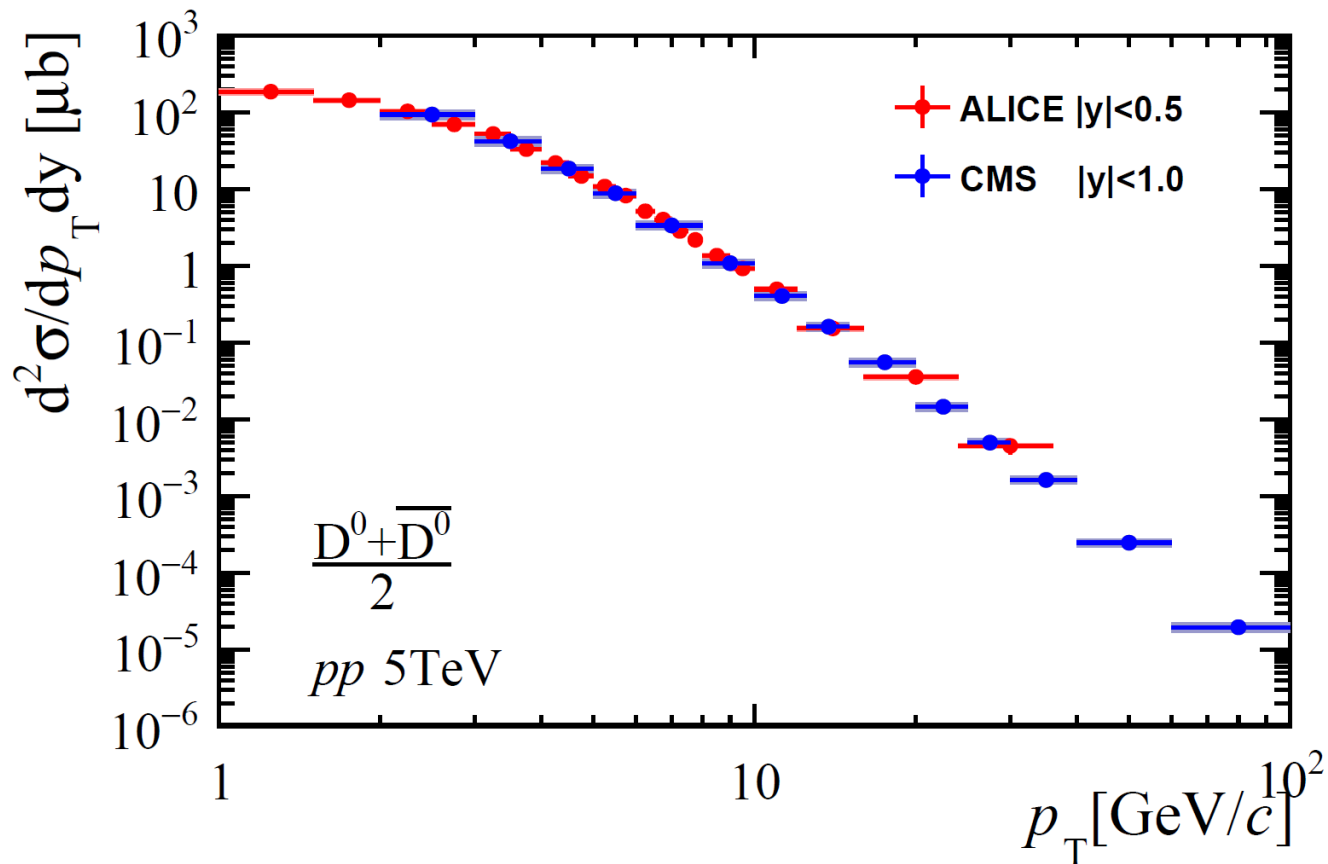


LHCb points scaled for better visibility

Prompt D^0 cross-section vs. p_T

higher p_T

- Nice agreement between ALICE and CMS

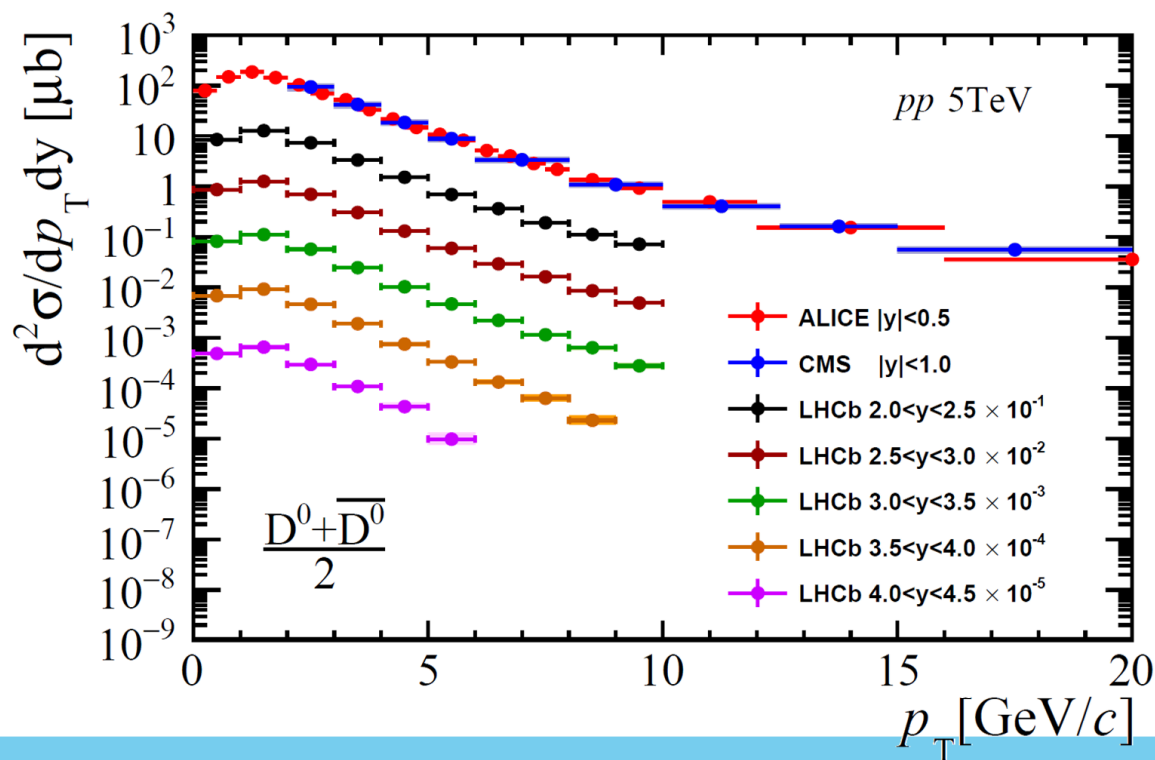
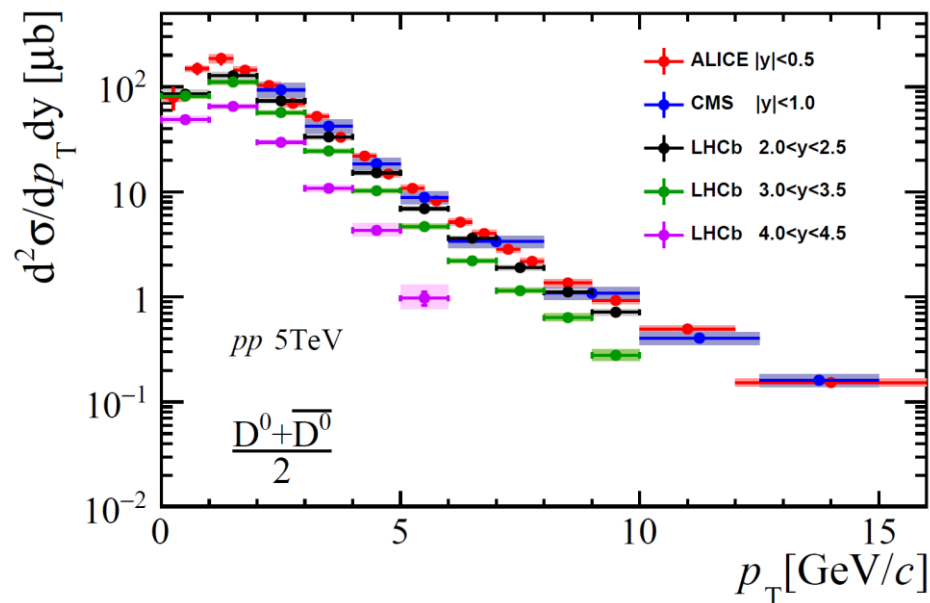


Prompt D^0 cross-section lower p_T

LHCb and ALICE reach $p_T \sim 0$

Comparison of mid/forward rapidity:
shape change in p_T ?

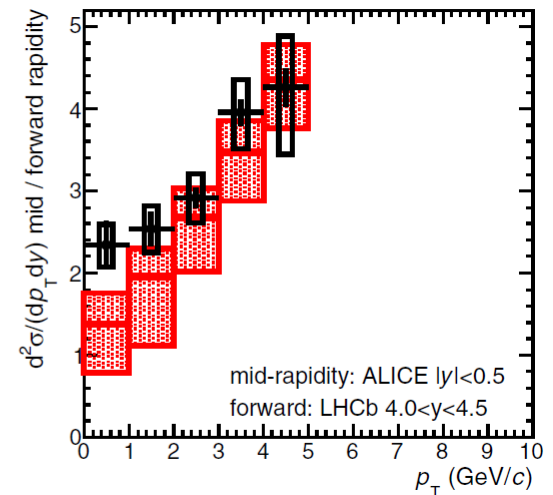
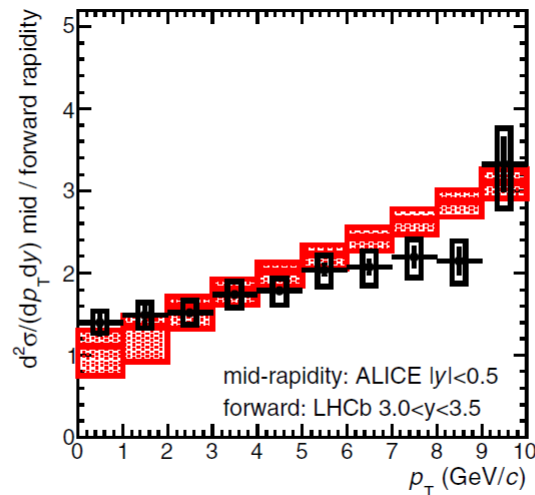
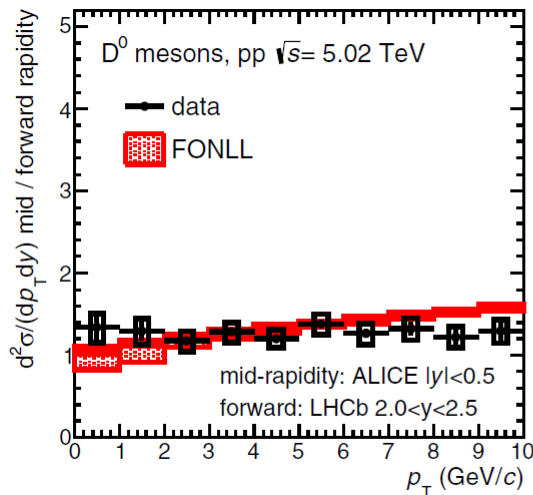
Comparison to FONLL



Prompt D^0 cross-section vs. p_T

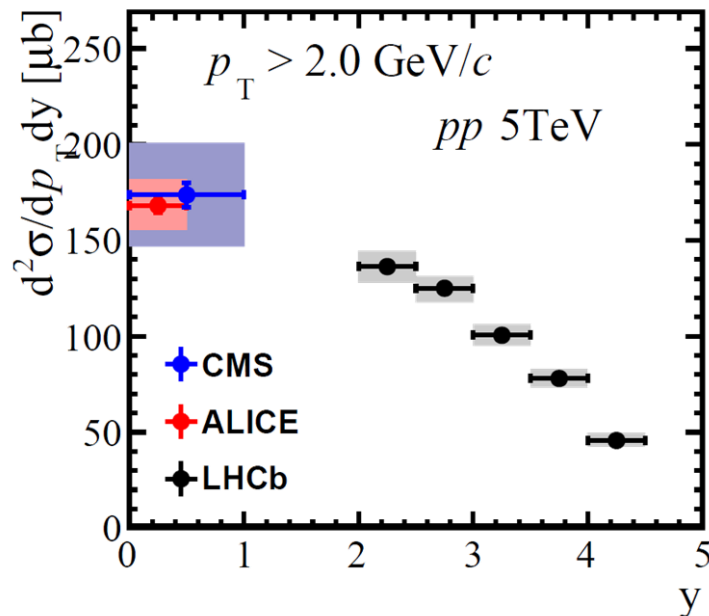
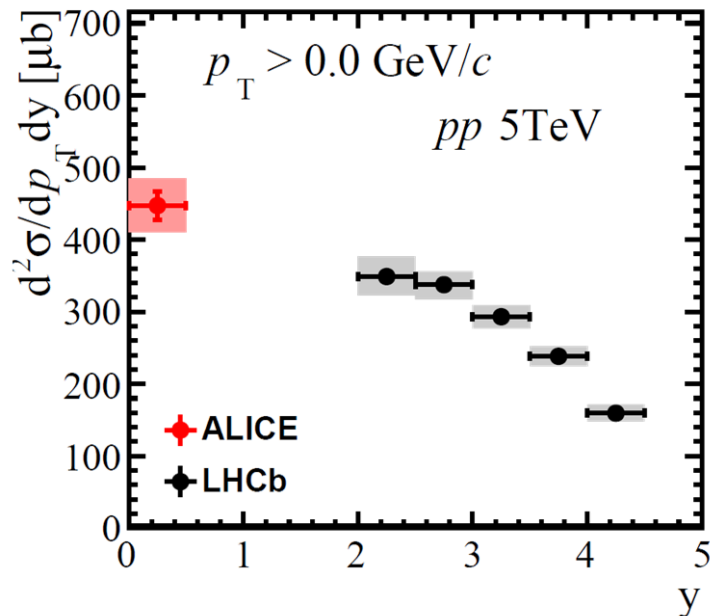
ALICE/LHCb ratio vs. p_T

- ALICE/LHCb ratio already published in the ALICE paper.
- Mid/forward rapidity ratio vs. p_T
 - LHCb $2.0 < y < 2.5$ bin: flat distribution vs. p_T
 - Larger rapidity bins: ratio increases with increasing p_T
 - Slope increases with increasing y
- Consistent with **FONLL** calculations



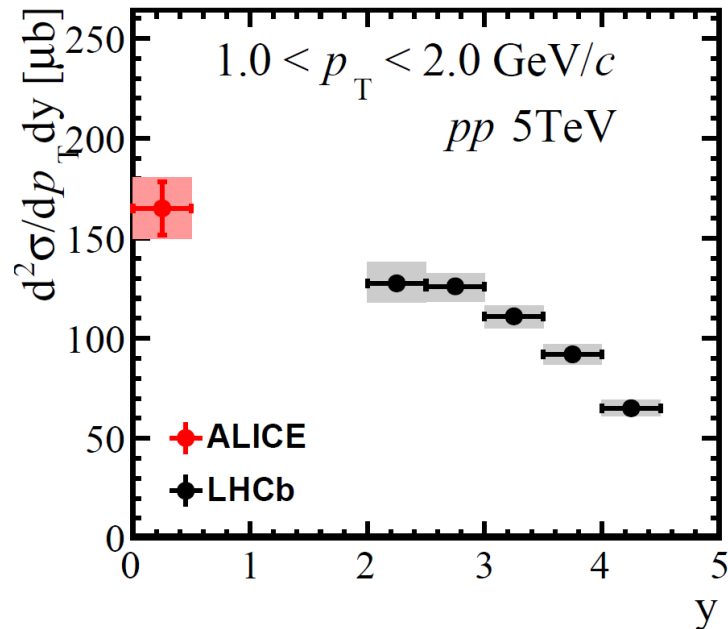
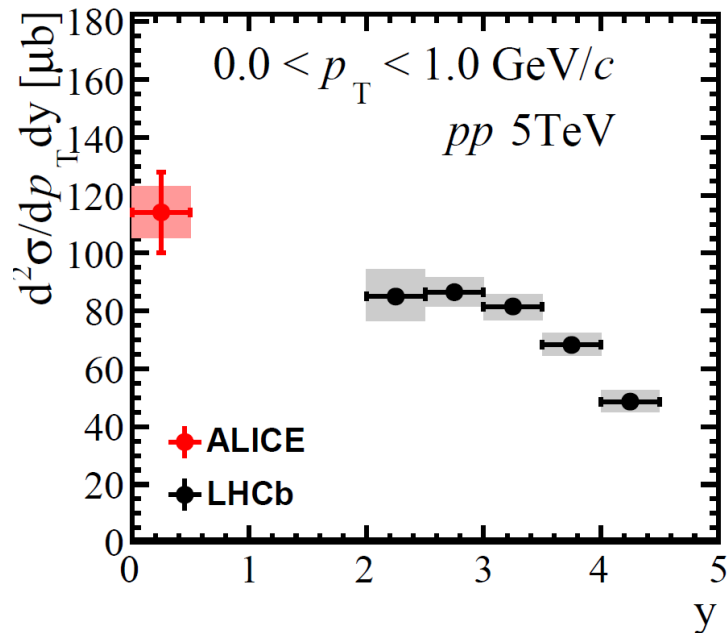
Prompt D^0 cross-section vs. y

- Summing all p_T bins:
 - ALICE: $0 < p_T < 36 \text{ GeV}/c$
 - CMS: $2 < p_T < 100 \text{ GeV}/c$
 - LHCb: $0 < p_T < 10 \text{ GeV}/c$
- Conservative systematic uncertainties:
 - Assuming totally correlated systematic across bins for now
- Comparison to FONLL in the future



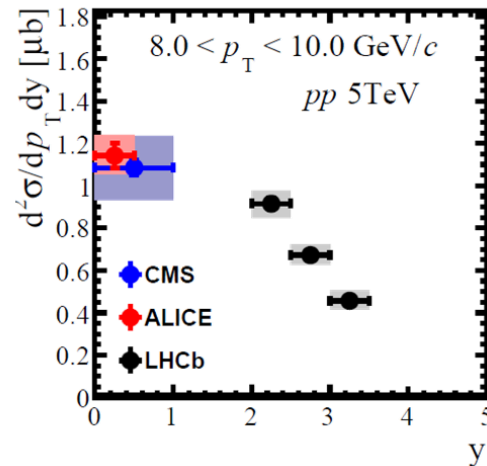
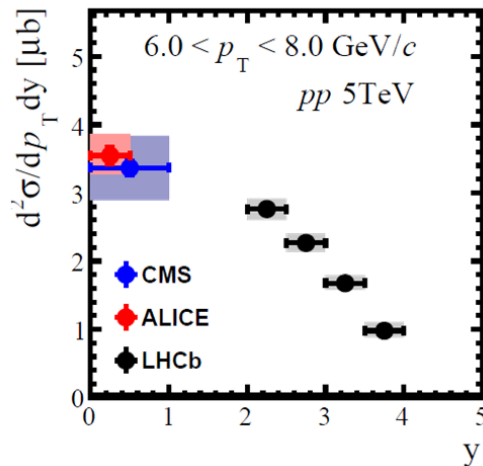
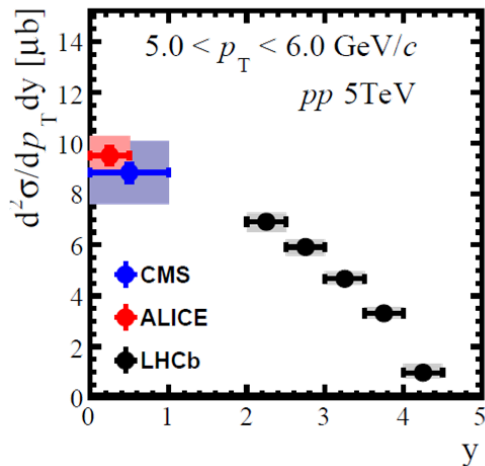
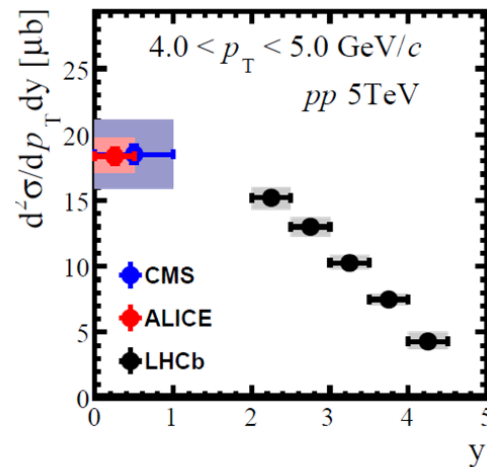
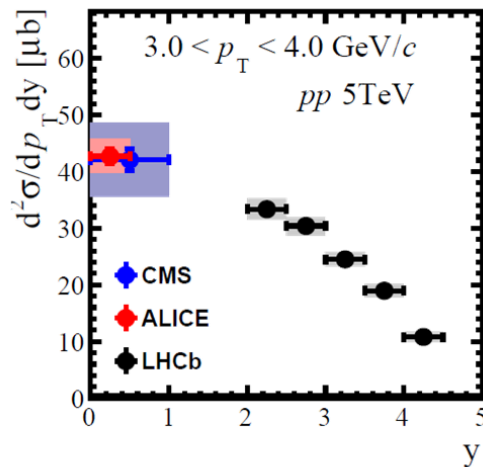
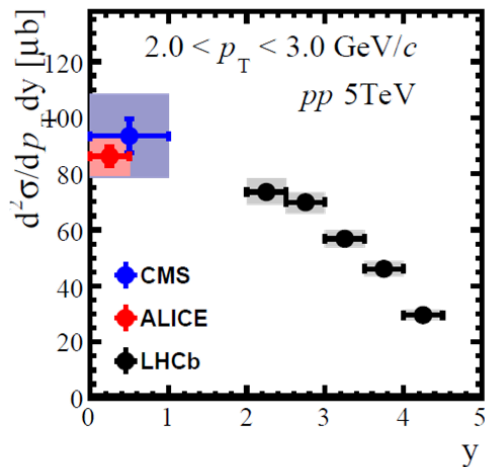
Prompt D^0 cross-section vs. y in common p_T bins

- No CMS measurement below $p_T = 2\text{GeV}/c$
- Conservative systematic uncertainties:
 - Assuming totally correlated systematic across bins for now



Prompt D^0 cross-section vs. y in common p_T bins

- Gap at $1 < y < 2$



For the next step...

- Comparisons of D_s^\pm meson (ALICE LHCb CMS)

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- Comparisons of Λ_c^+ baryon (ALICE LHCb CMS)
- Comparison to FONLL calculations whenever possible
- A twiki page for collecting results:
 - <https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/Honexcomb/HonexcombCharmSection>
- After collecting all the results, we will have a clear picture of what is worth combining with a real statistical procedure.