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Heavy Flavor at the LHC

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The Road: Past, Present and Future

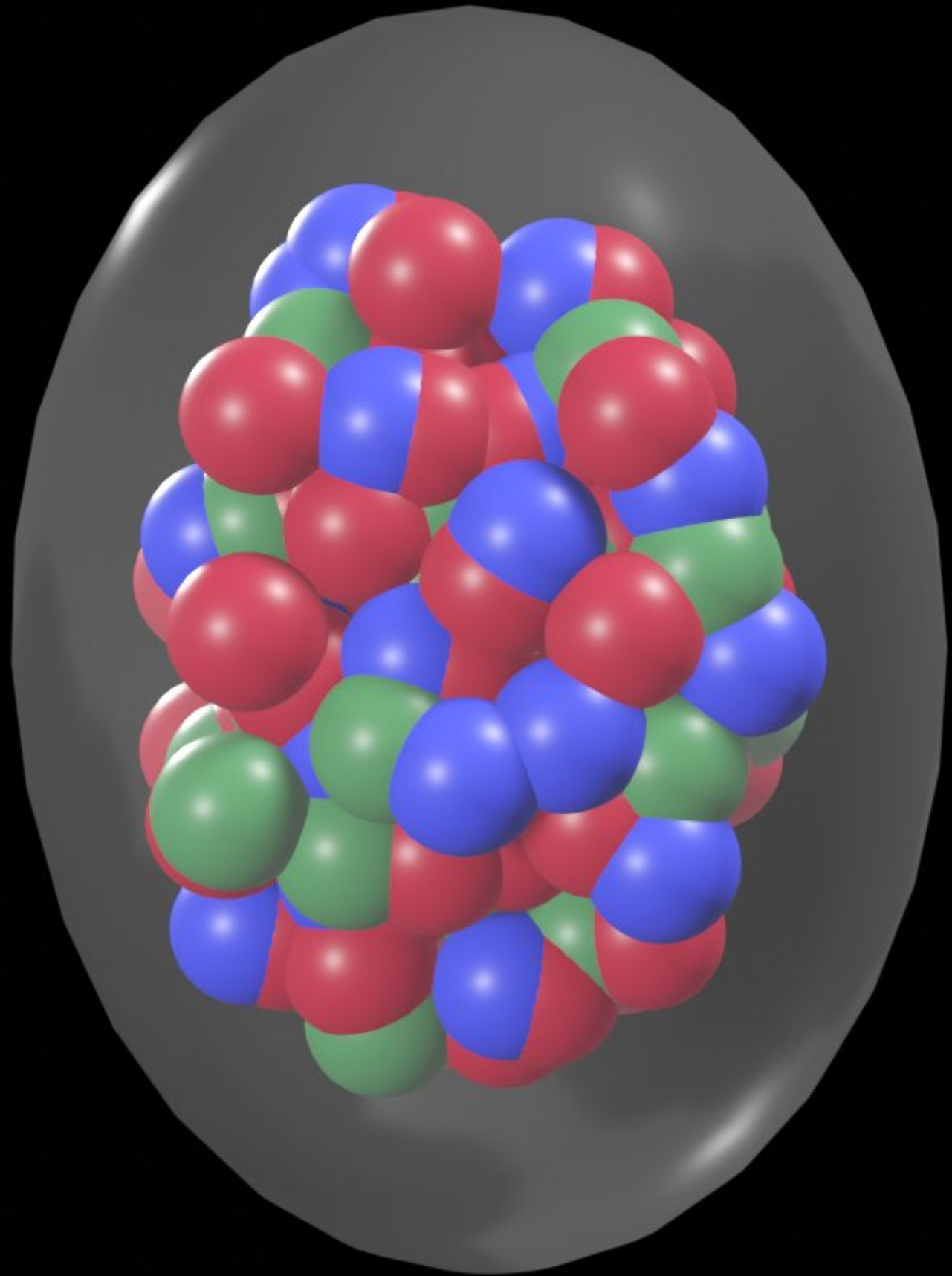


We are here!

sPHENIX 23-35

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(32 nb⁻¹)
pAu
(0.11 pb⁻¹)

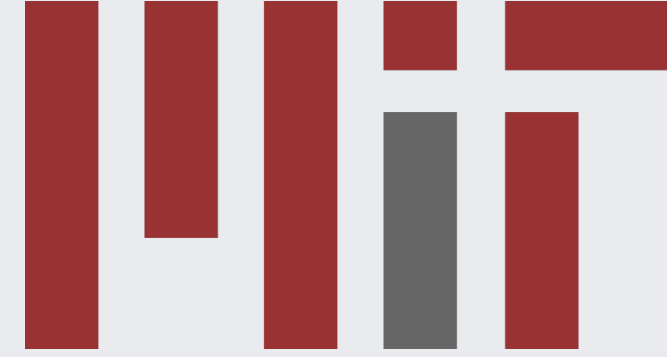
- High precision at Low p_T
- Jets with full HCAL
- Different collision systems from LHC



Initial stage

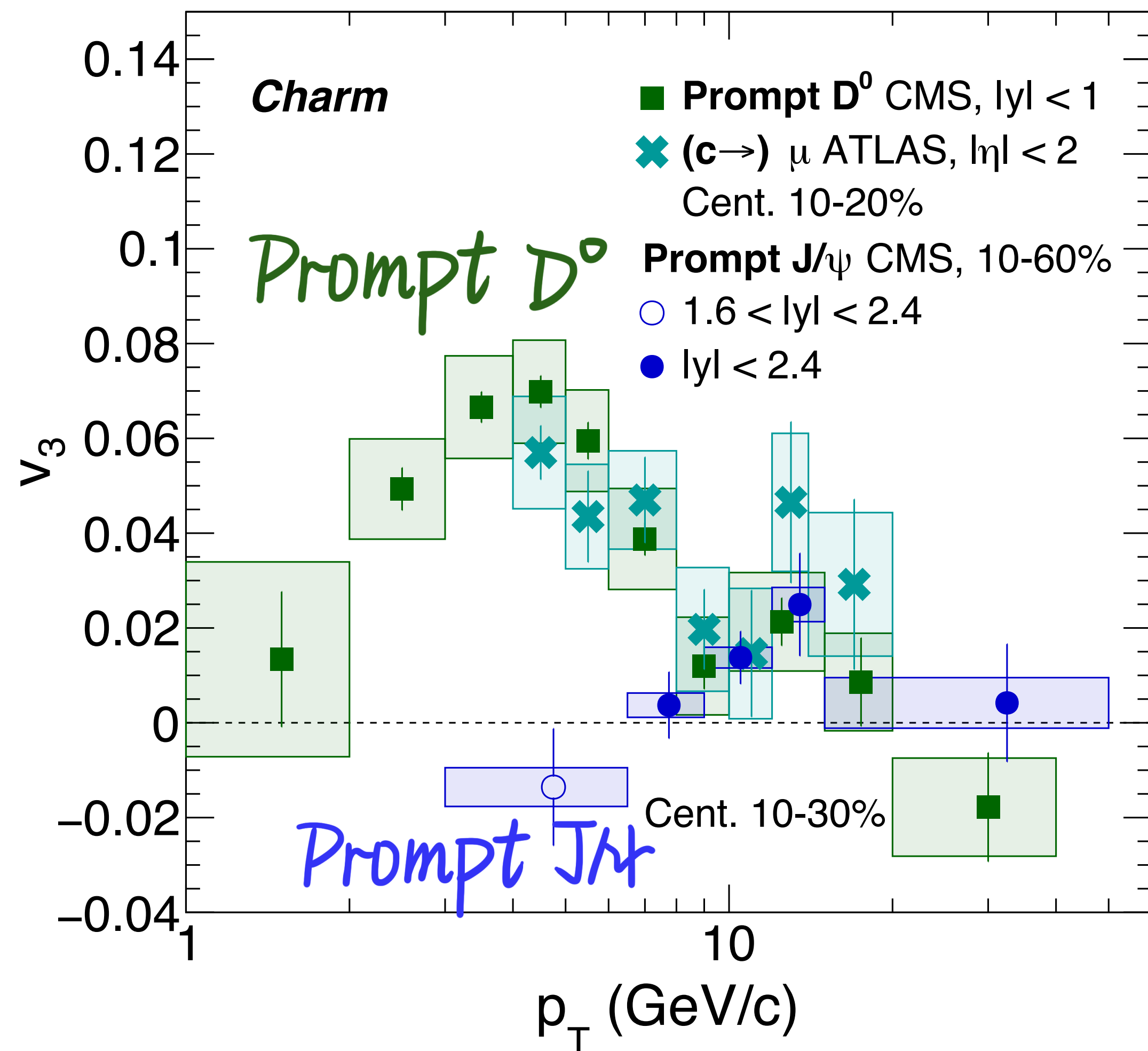
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Probe Initial Fluctuations: Charm v_3



Charm v_3 : Open vs. hidden

5.02 TeV PbPb



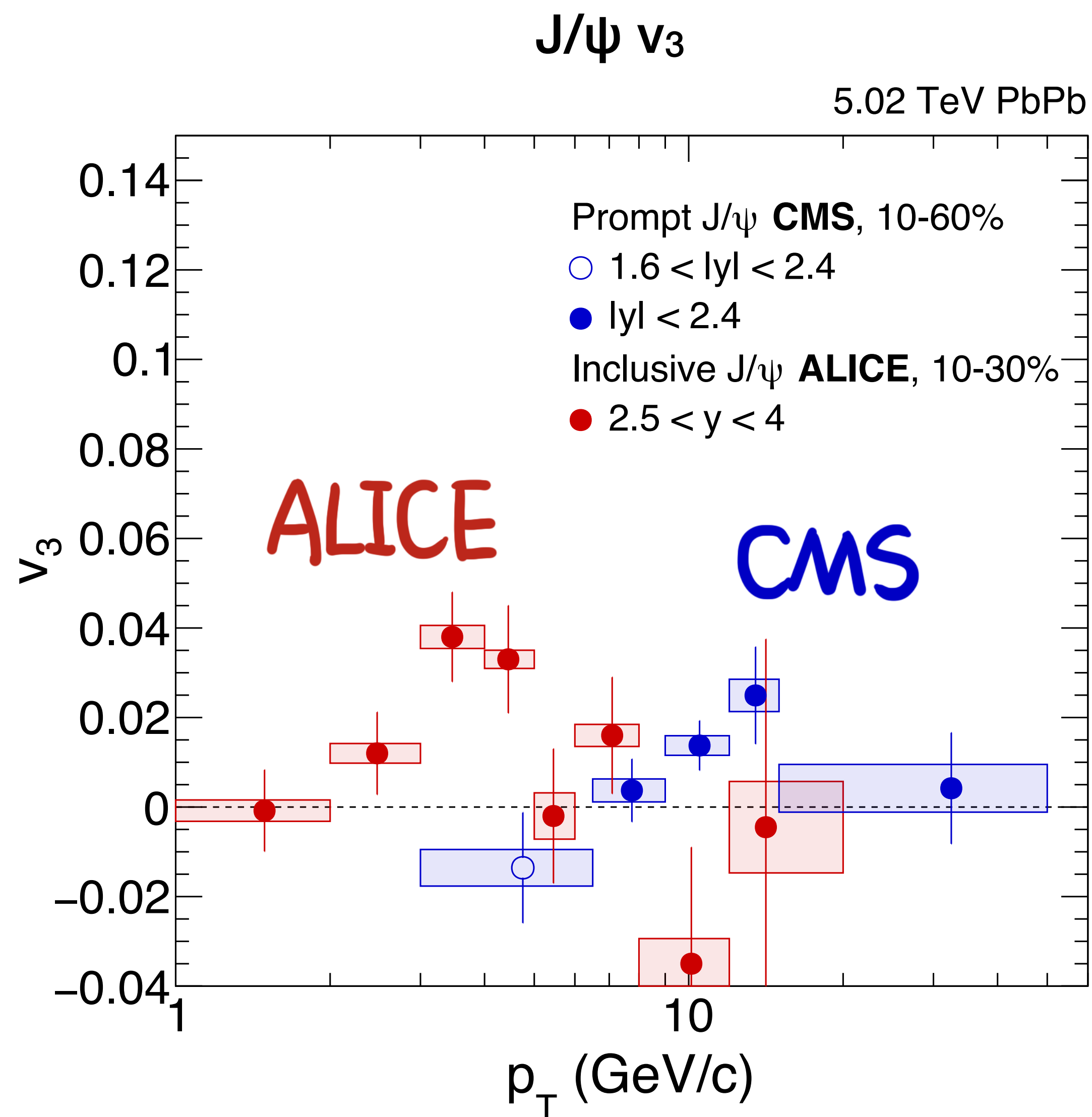
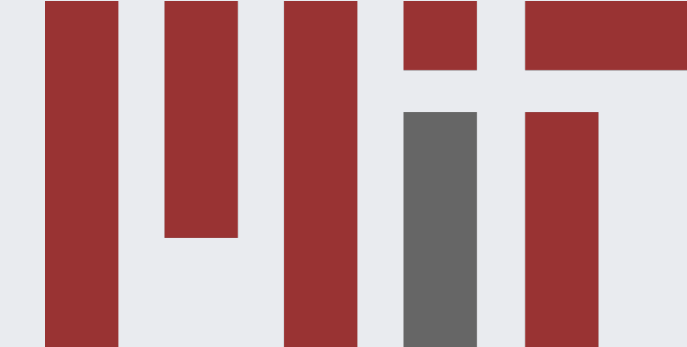
- Significant non-zero **open charm** v_3
 - so charm can see initial fluctuations?
- v_3 (Prompt D^0) > 0 vs. v_3 (Prompt J/ψ) ≈ 0
 - Is v_3 of D^0 picked from light quarks?

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Probe Initial Fluctuations: Charm v_3

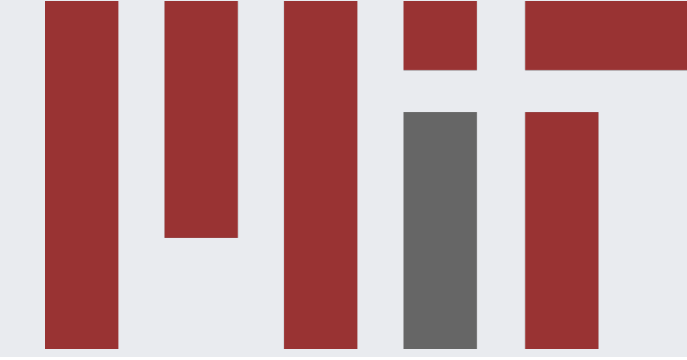


- Can charm see initial fluctuations?
- Is there J/ψ v_3 signal?
 - Difference between **CMS** and **ALICE**
 - Rapidity difference?
 - Need to follow up in Run 3
- sPHENIX access to low p_T is crucial!

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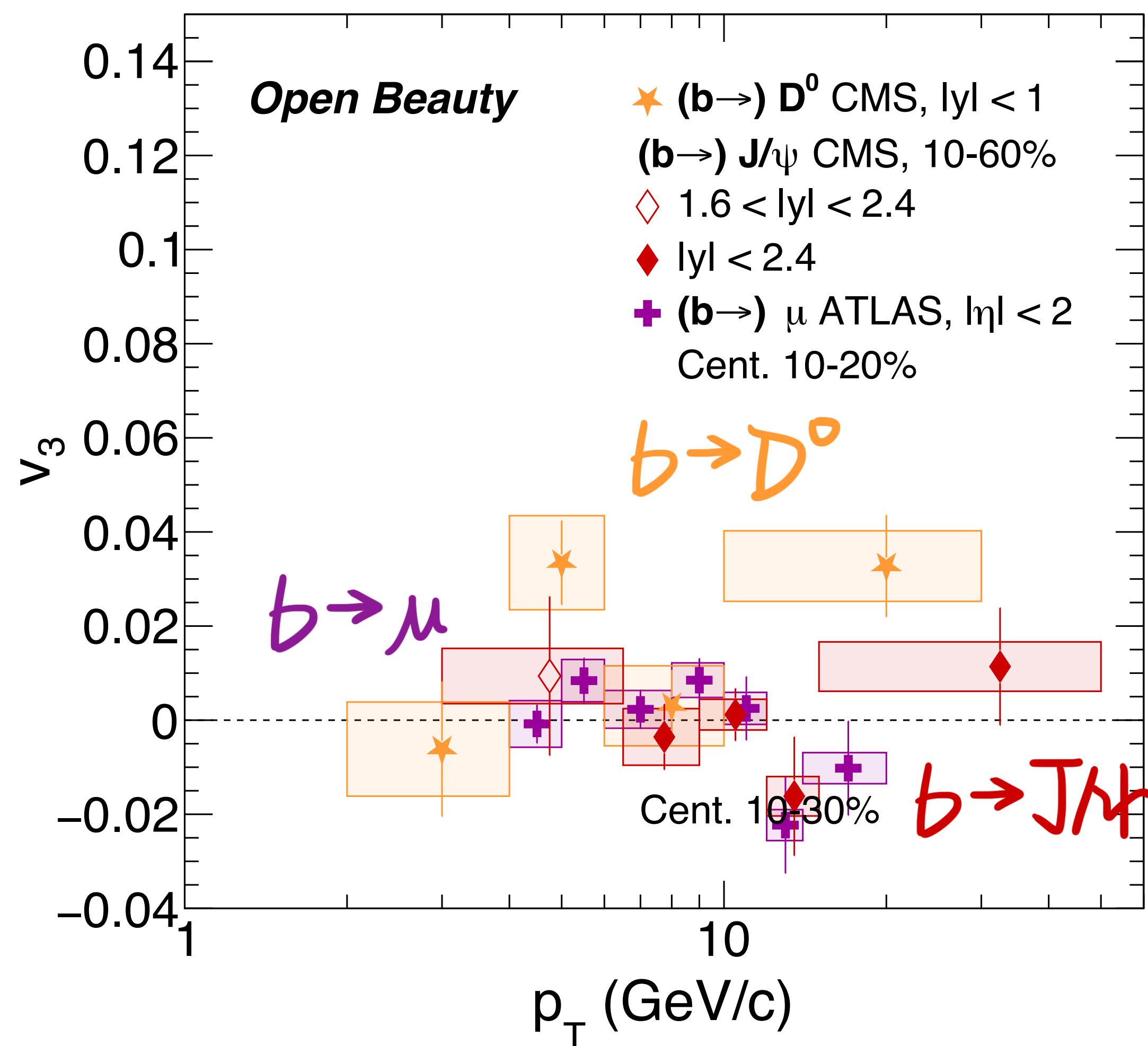
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Probe Initial Fluctuations: Beauty v_3



Open Beauty v_3

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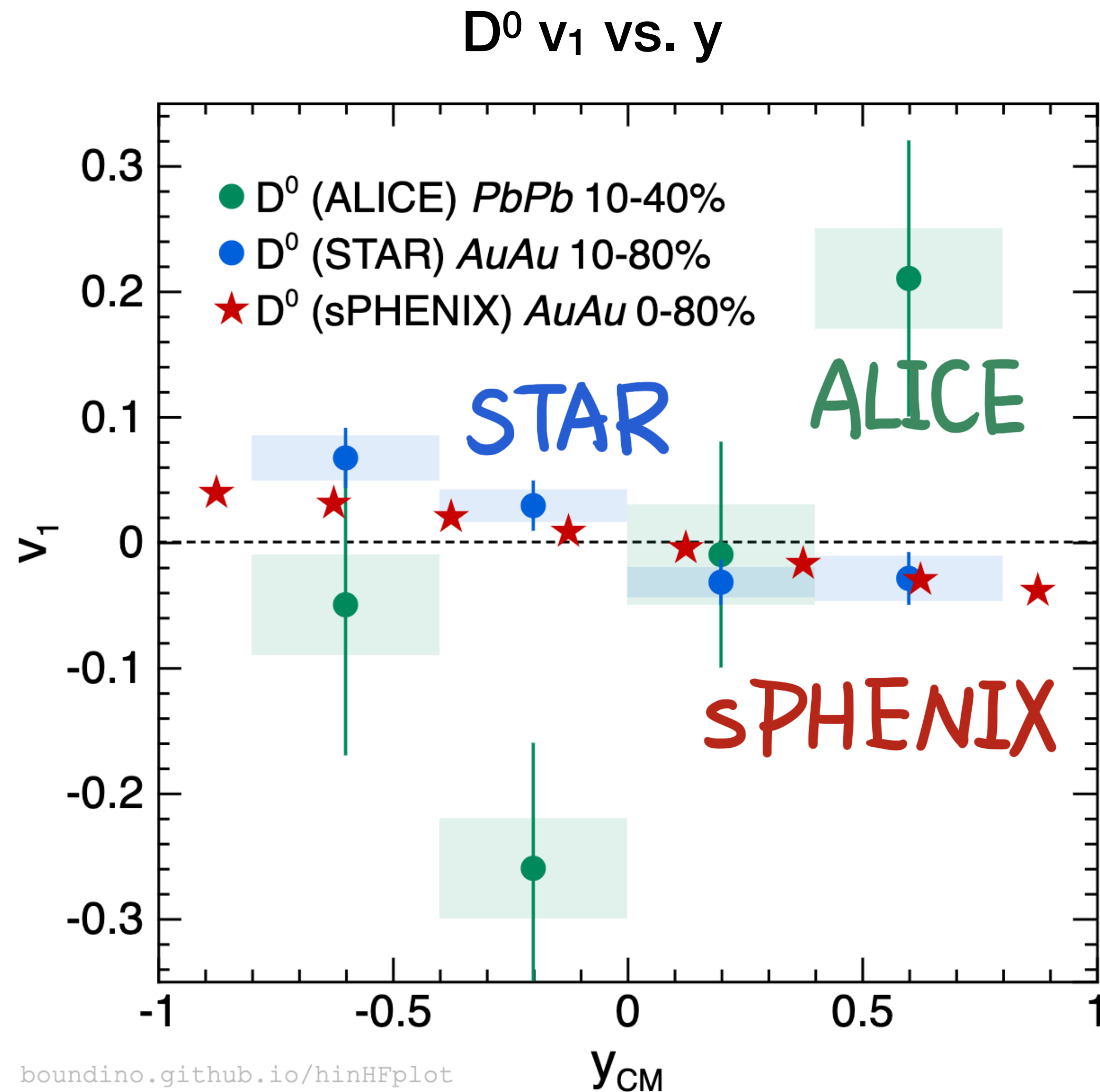


- Beauty v_3 statistically consistent with zero
 → Flavor dependent sensitivity to initial state
 → Recombination component of B is small?
- Heavy flavor v_3 at RHIC?

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- Sensitive to initial EM field and tilt
- Opposite slope of ALICE and STAR?
 - High precision of sPHENIX may draw the conclusion

[PRL 125 \(2020\) 022301](#)

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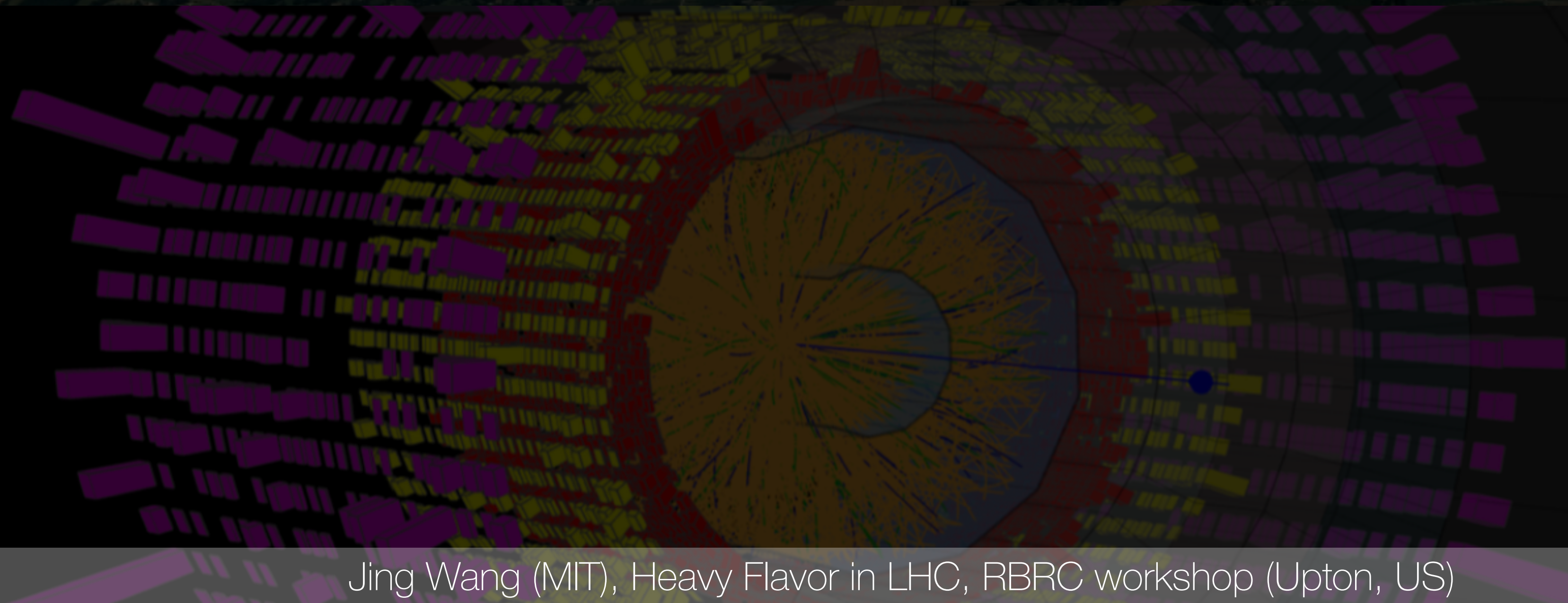
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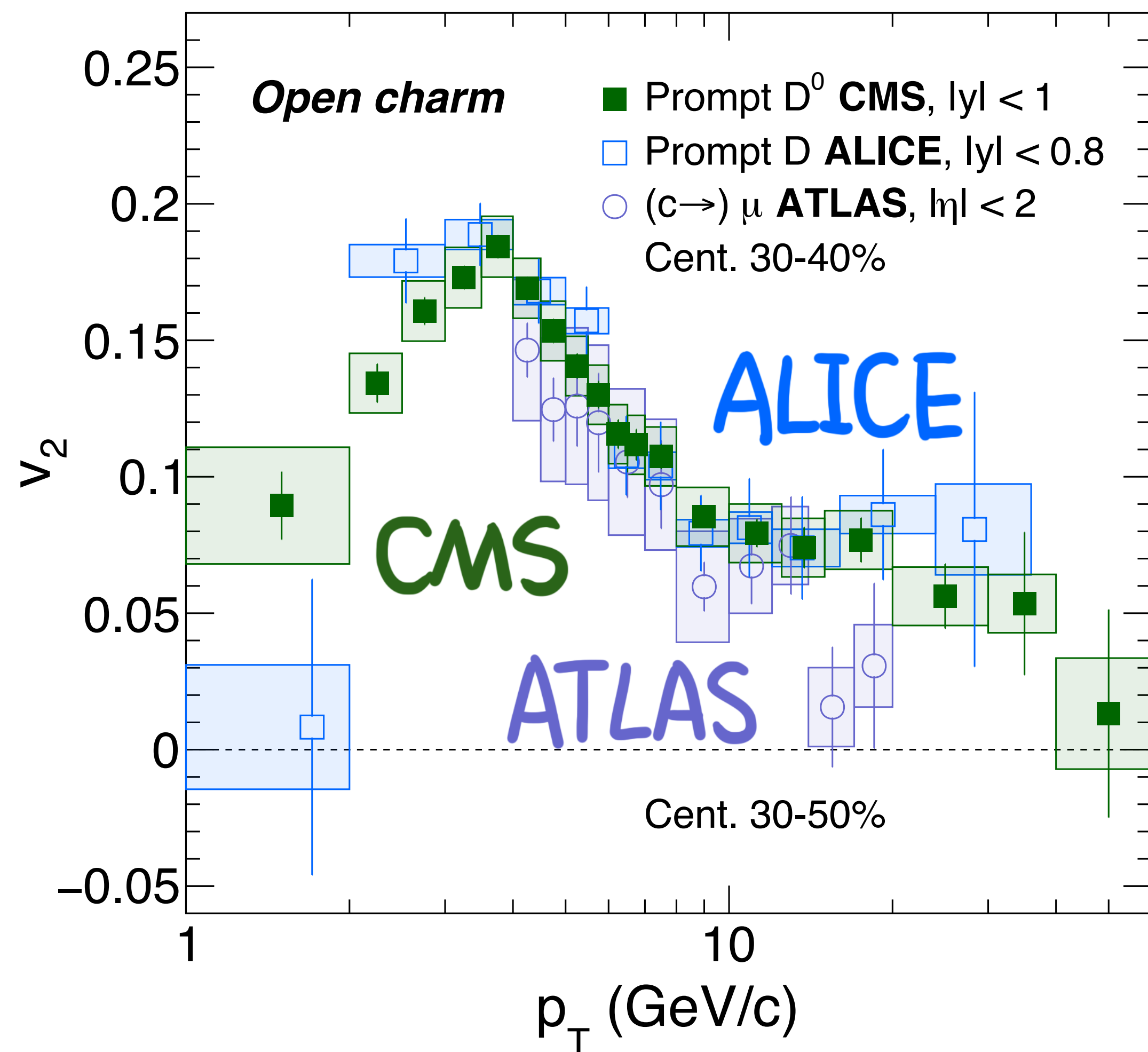


Heavy Flavor Flow in A-A Collisions



Open charm v_2

5.02 TeV PbPb



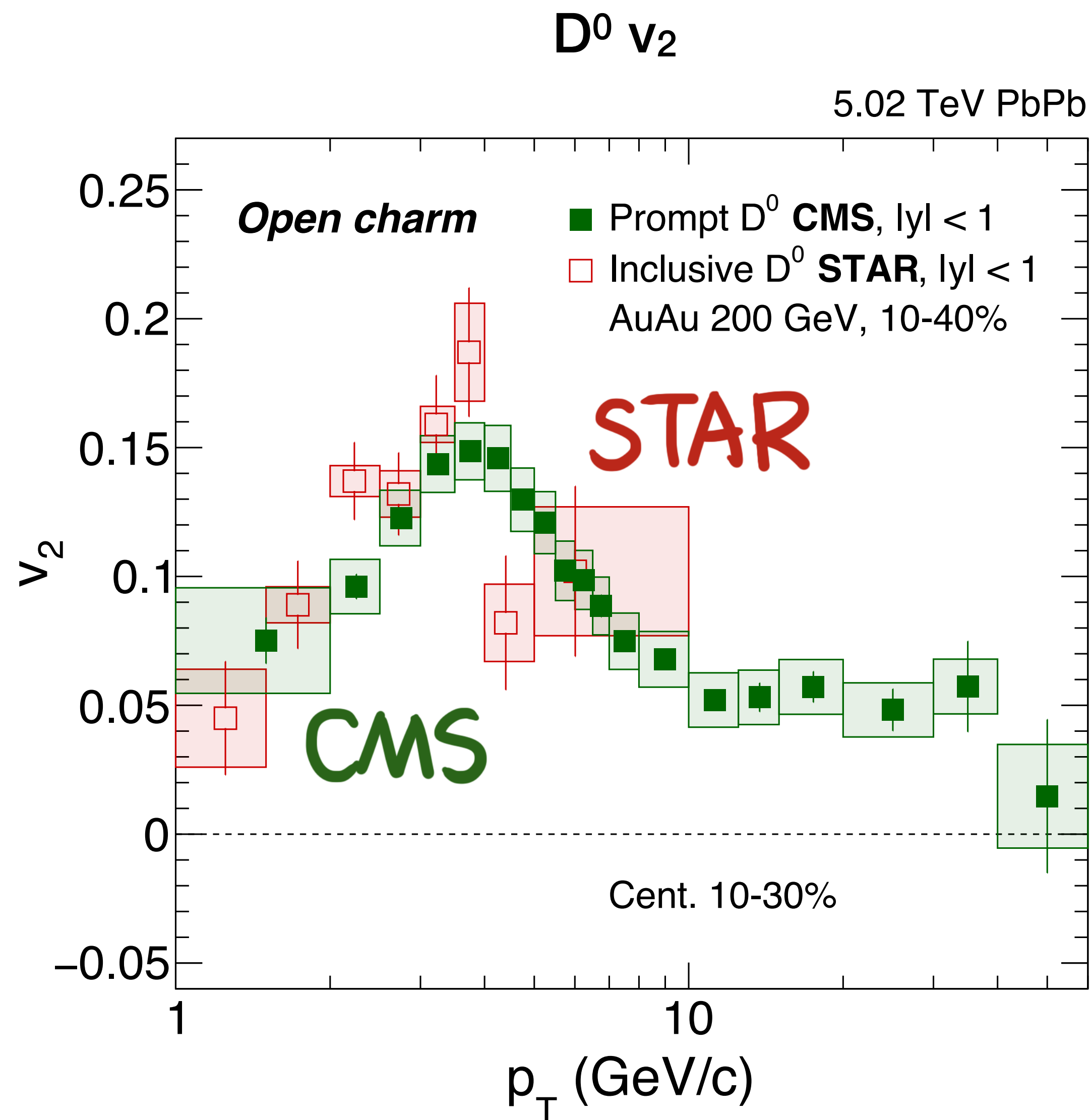
- Open charm v_2 has been well-established
 - Consistent among **LHC** experiments
 - Prominent flow shape at low p_T
- Non-zero v_2 up to high $p_T = 40$ GeV
 - Path-length dependence of energy loss

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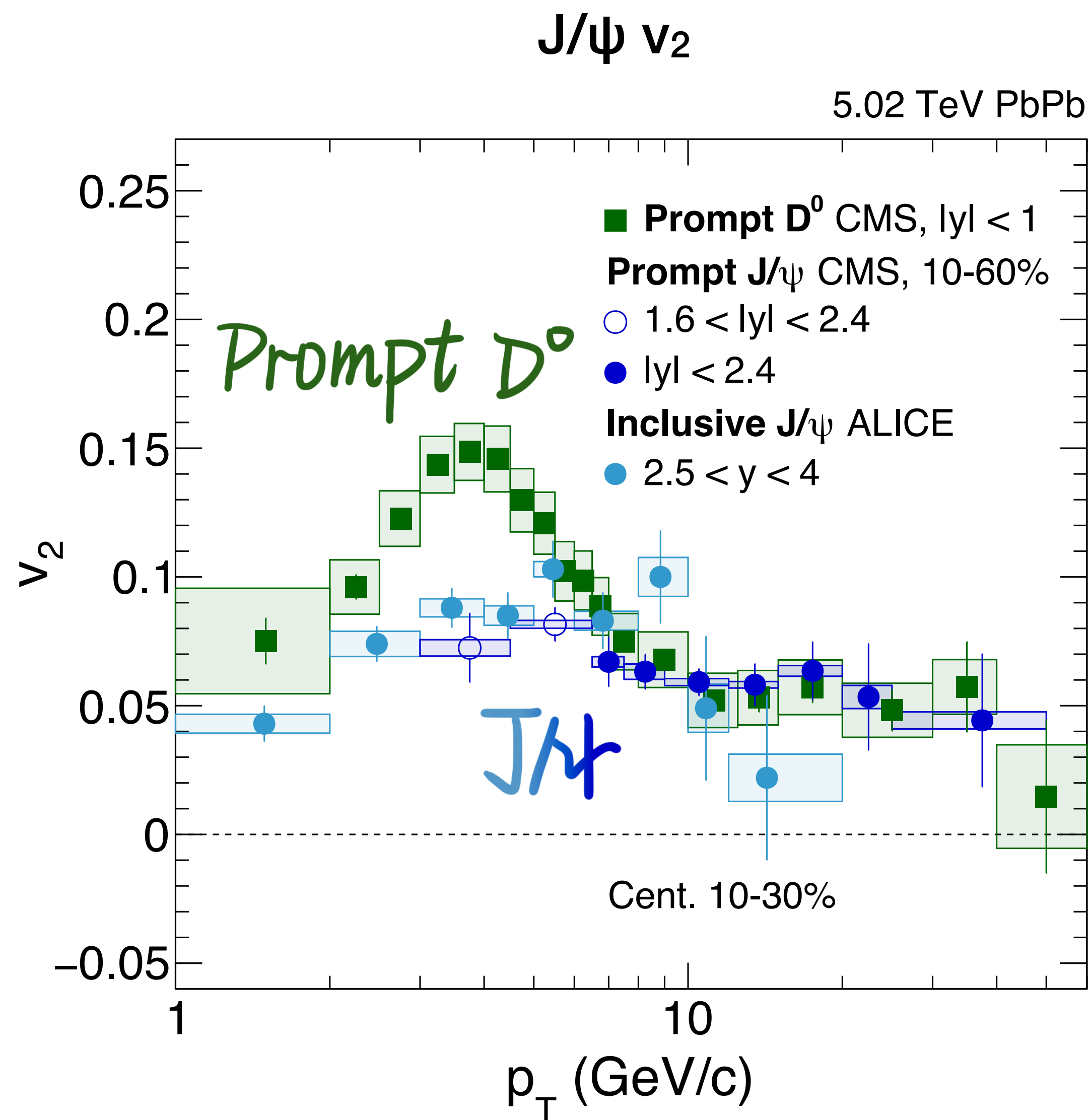
Open Charm v_2 : LHC vs. RHIC



- Similar $D^0 v_2$ in **LHC** and **RHIC**
 - Is this expected considering different collision systems and energies?
- High precision from sPHENIX

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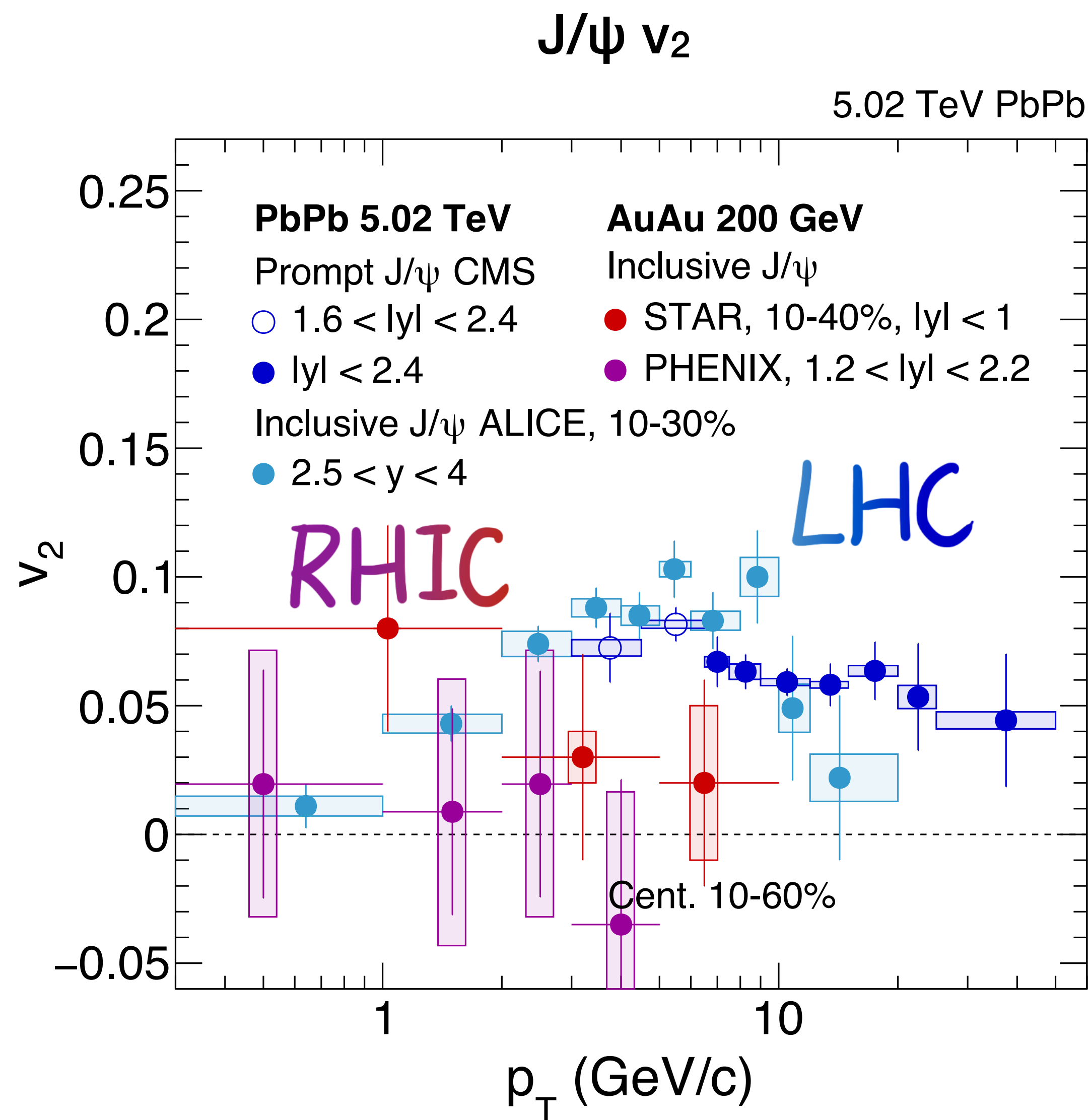
[PRL 118 \(2017\) 212301](#)



- Significant non-zero J/ψ v_2 at the LHC
- Smaller J/ψ v_2 than D^0 v_2 at low p_T
 - Different constituent quarks
 - Recombination

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Charmonium v_2 : LHC vs. RHIC



- But no significant J/ψ v_2 at RHIC?
 - Smaller system, lower energy?
 - Weaker recombination?
 - Current precision is poor
- Interesting for sPHENIX to follow it up

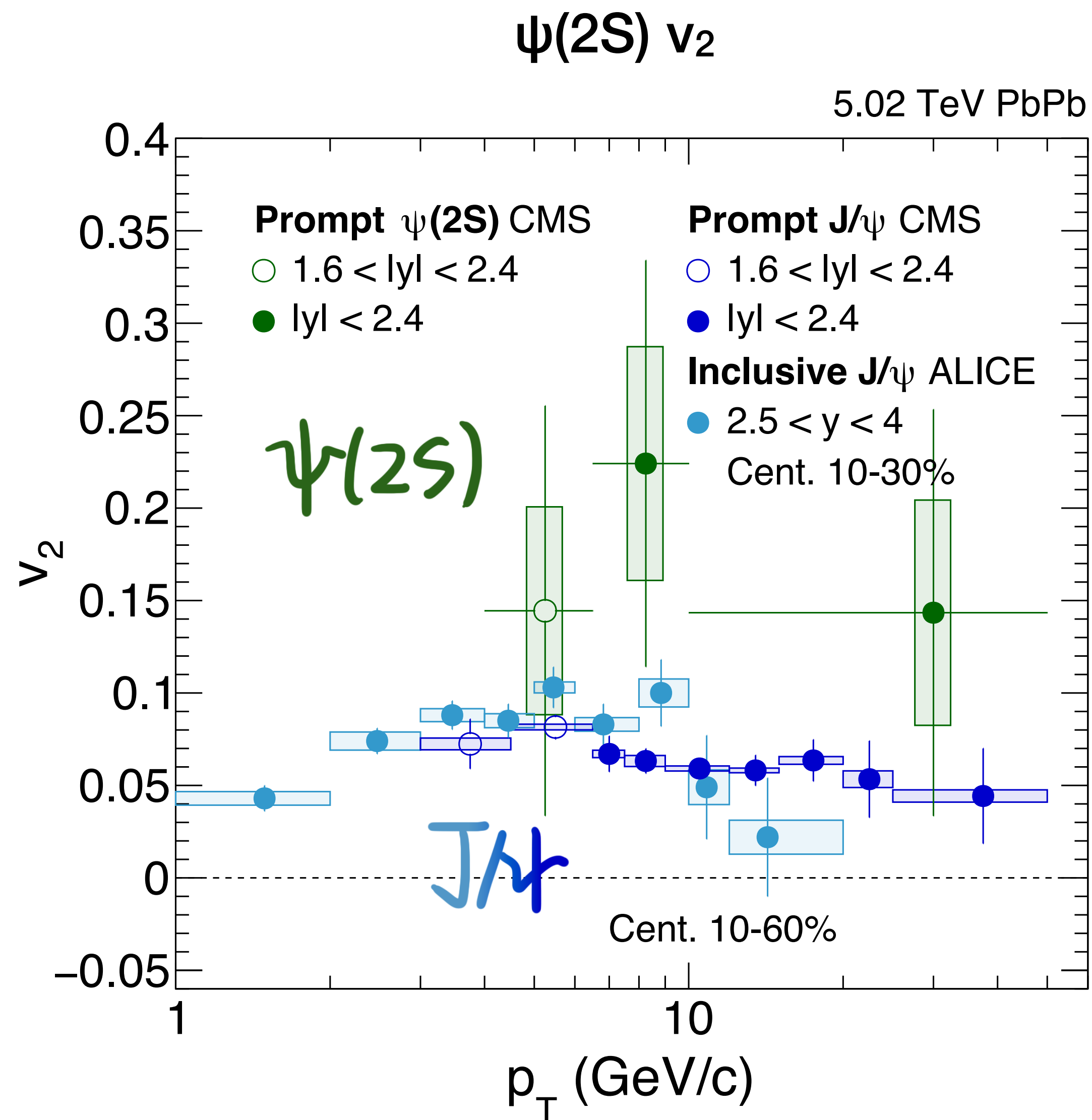
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Charmonium v_2 : J/ ψ vs. $\psi(2S)$

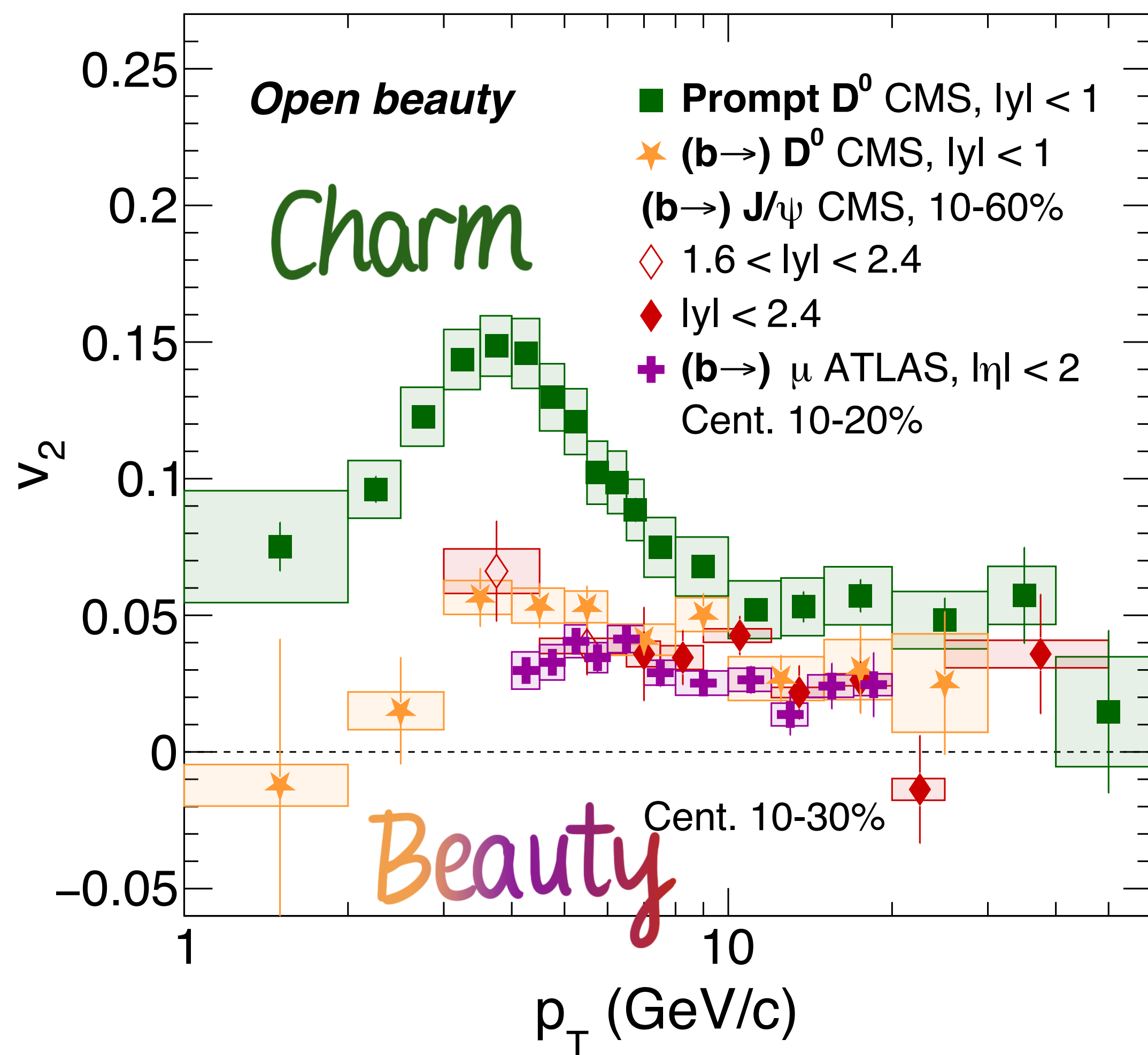


- Hint of larger $\psi(2S) v_2$ than J/ ψv_2
 - Interplay of recombination and different suppression?

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Open beauty v_2

5.02 TeV PbPb



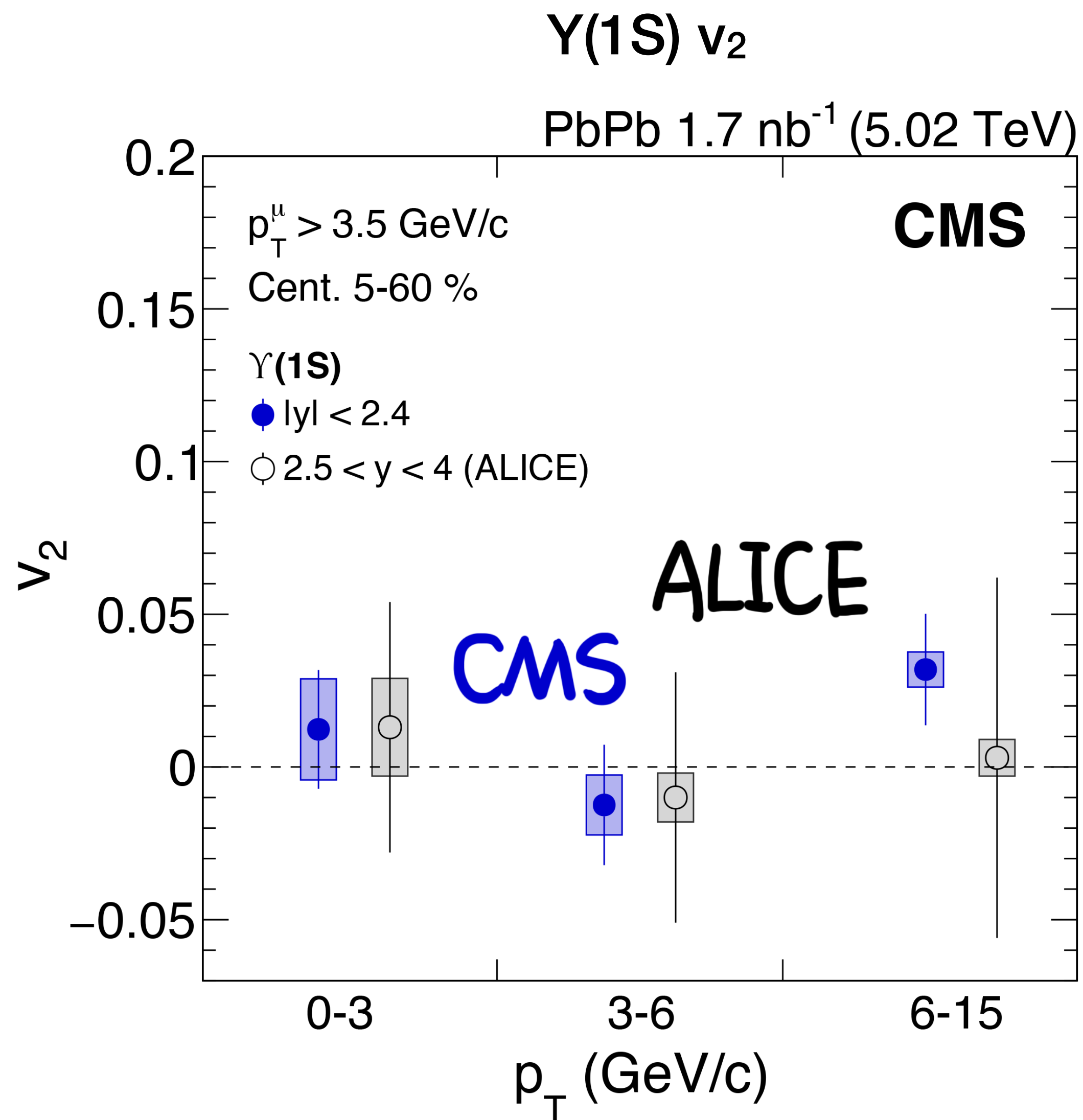
- **Open beauty v_2** is also well-established
 - Smaller than **open charm v_2** at low p_T
 - All flavors tend to converge at high p_T
- What about RHIC?

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- Bottomonium flow not yet observed
- Open beauty pick up v_2 from light quark?
 - but recombination of B should be small?
- Should Y suppression lead to asymmetry?

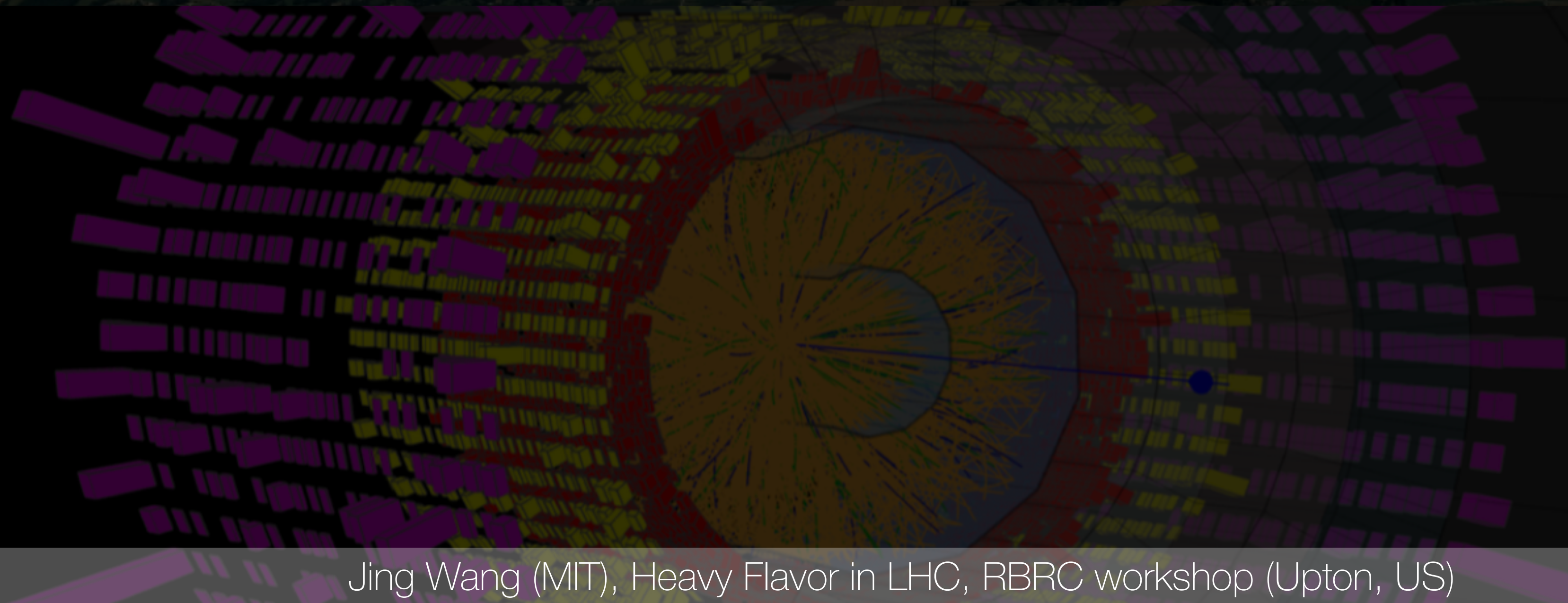
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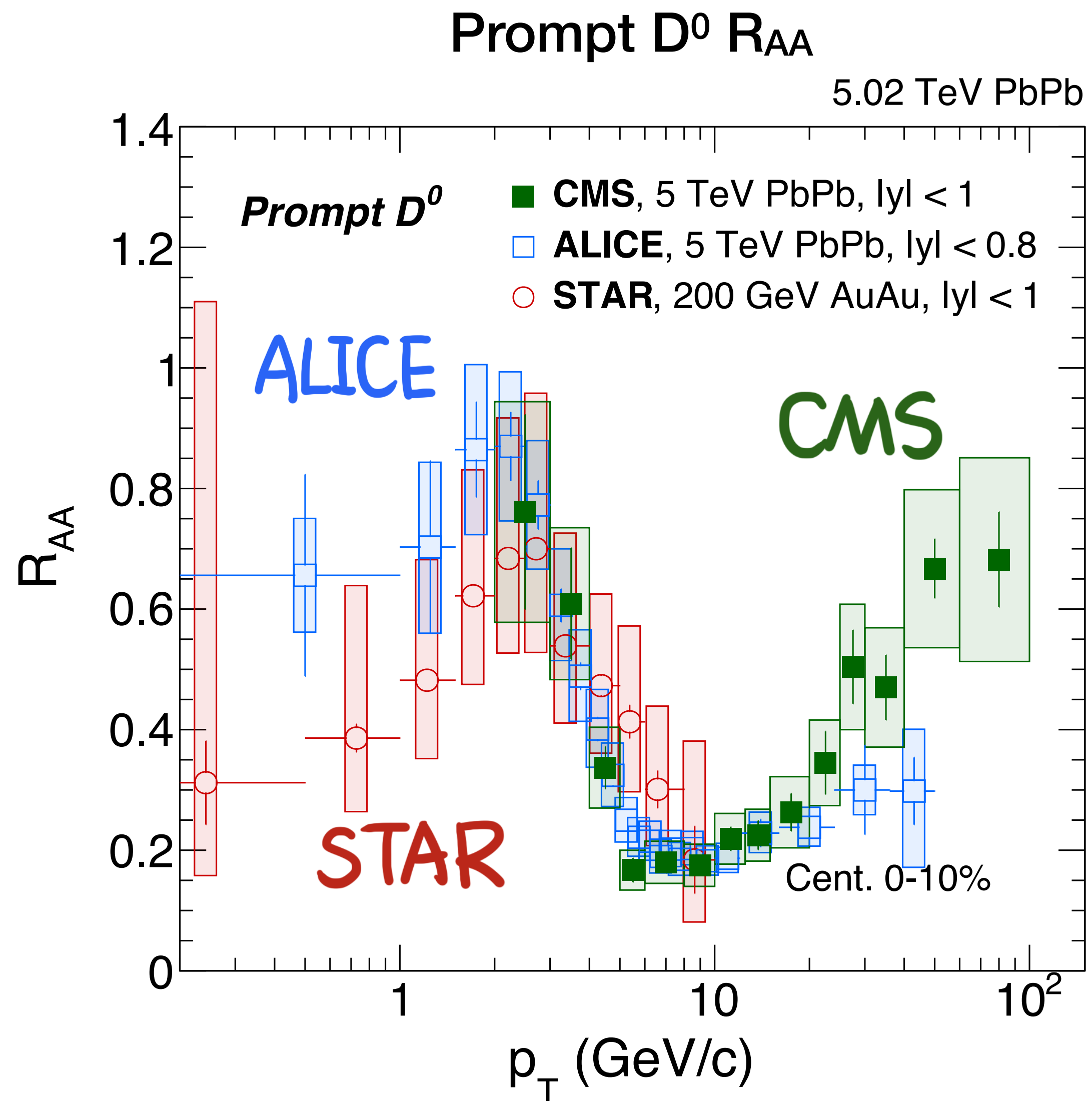
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Heavy Flavor Energy Loss



Charm Energy Loss: Prompt D^0 R_{AA}

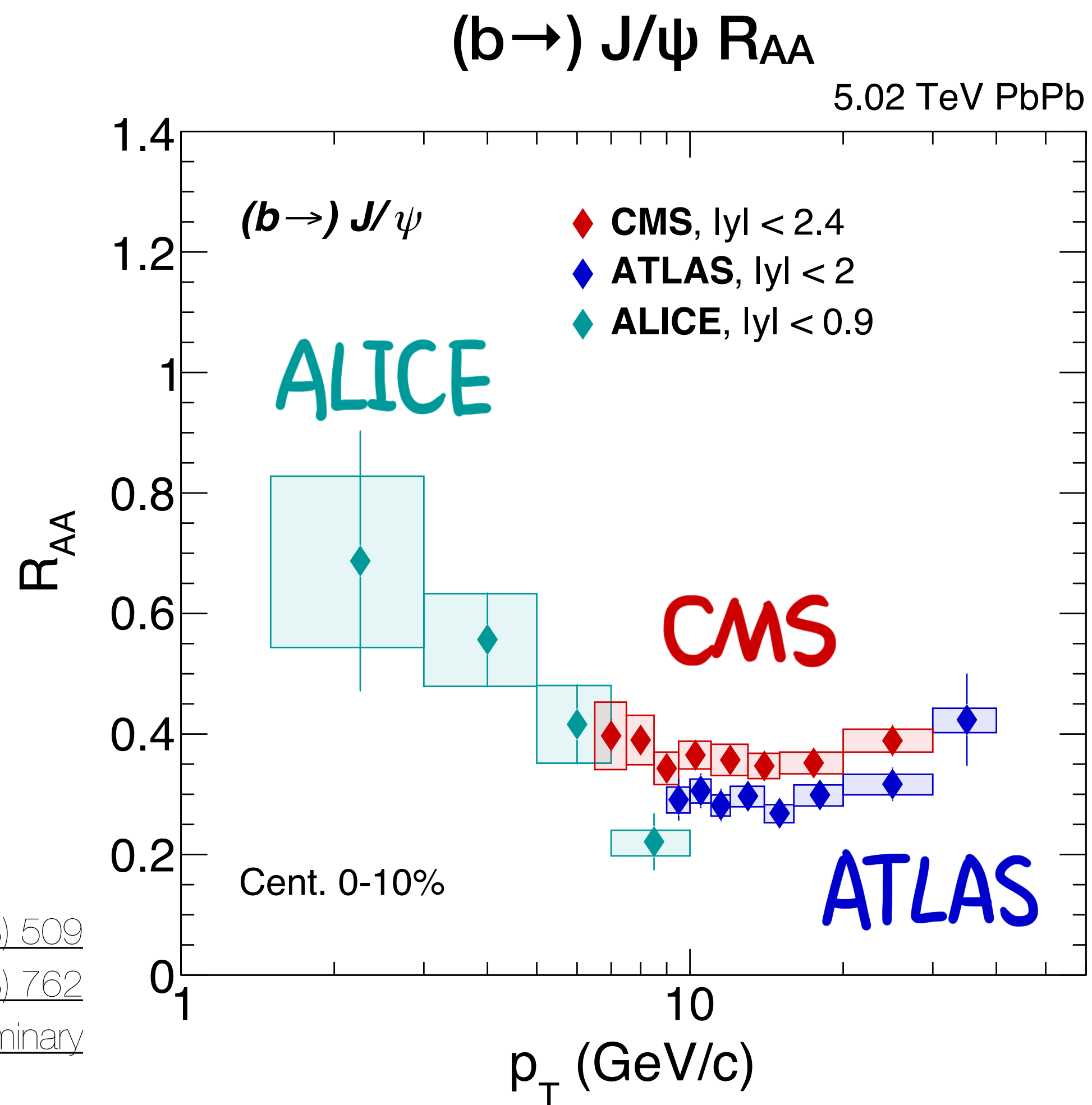


- Similar D^0 R_{AA} in LHC and RHIC?
 - Need better precision
 - High quality pp sample is important

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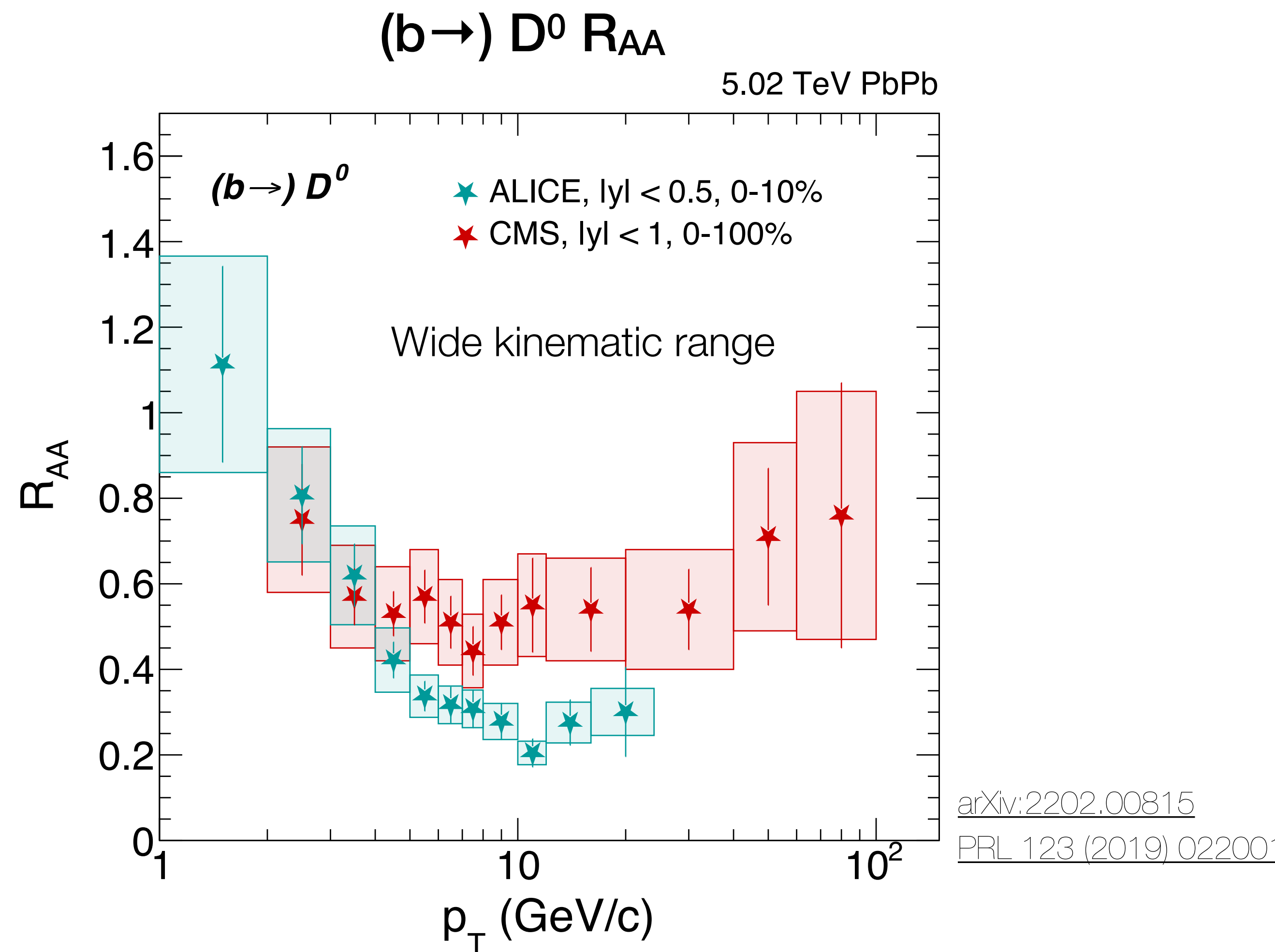
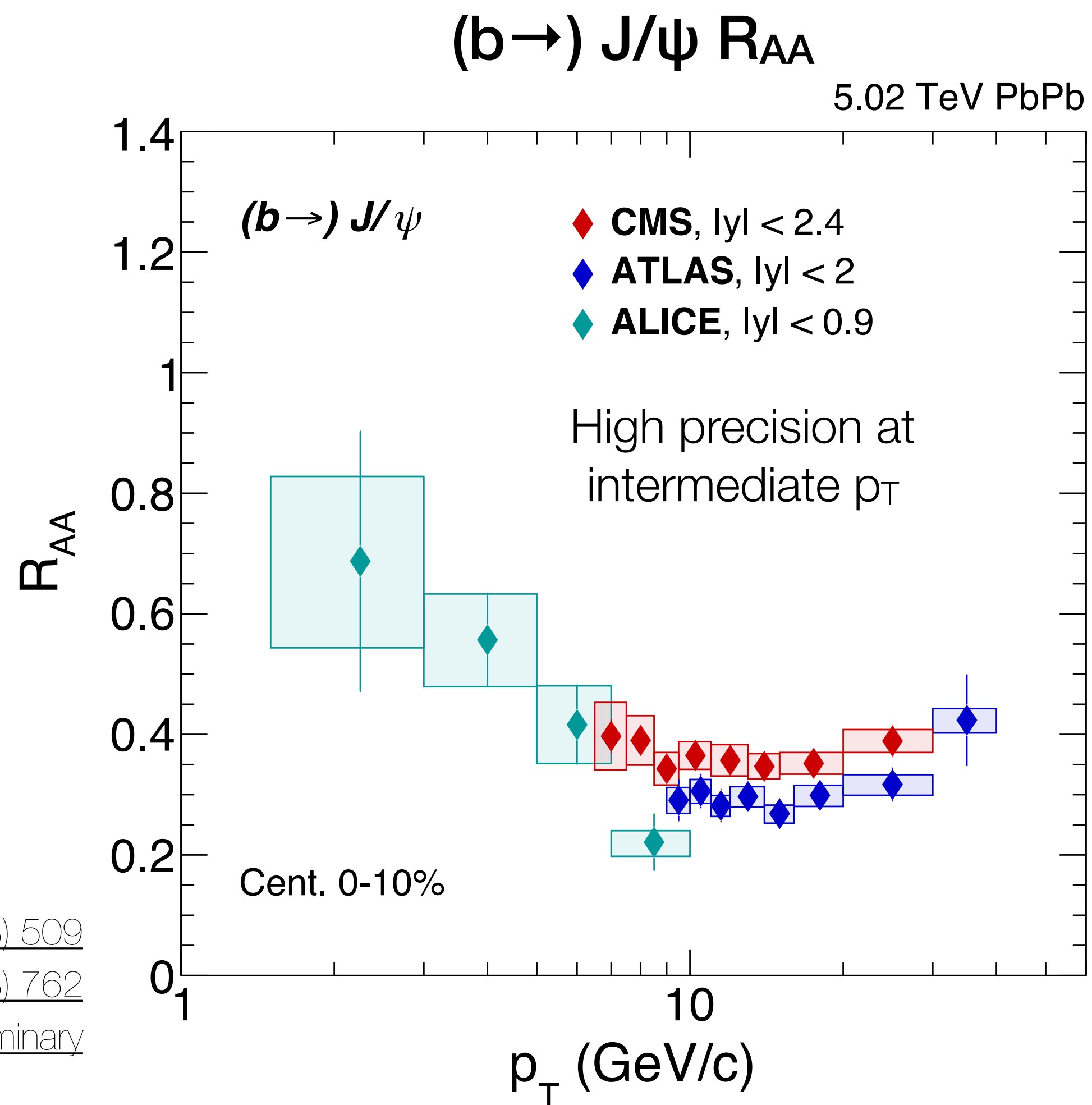
- Little inconsistency between **CMS** and **ATLAS** → should follow it up

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ALICE Preliminary

Beauty Energy Loss at LHC



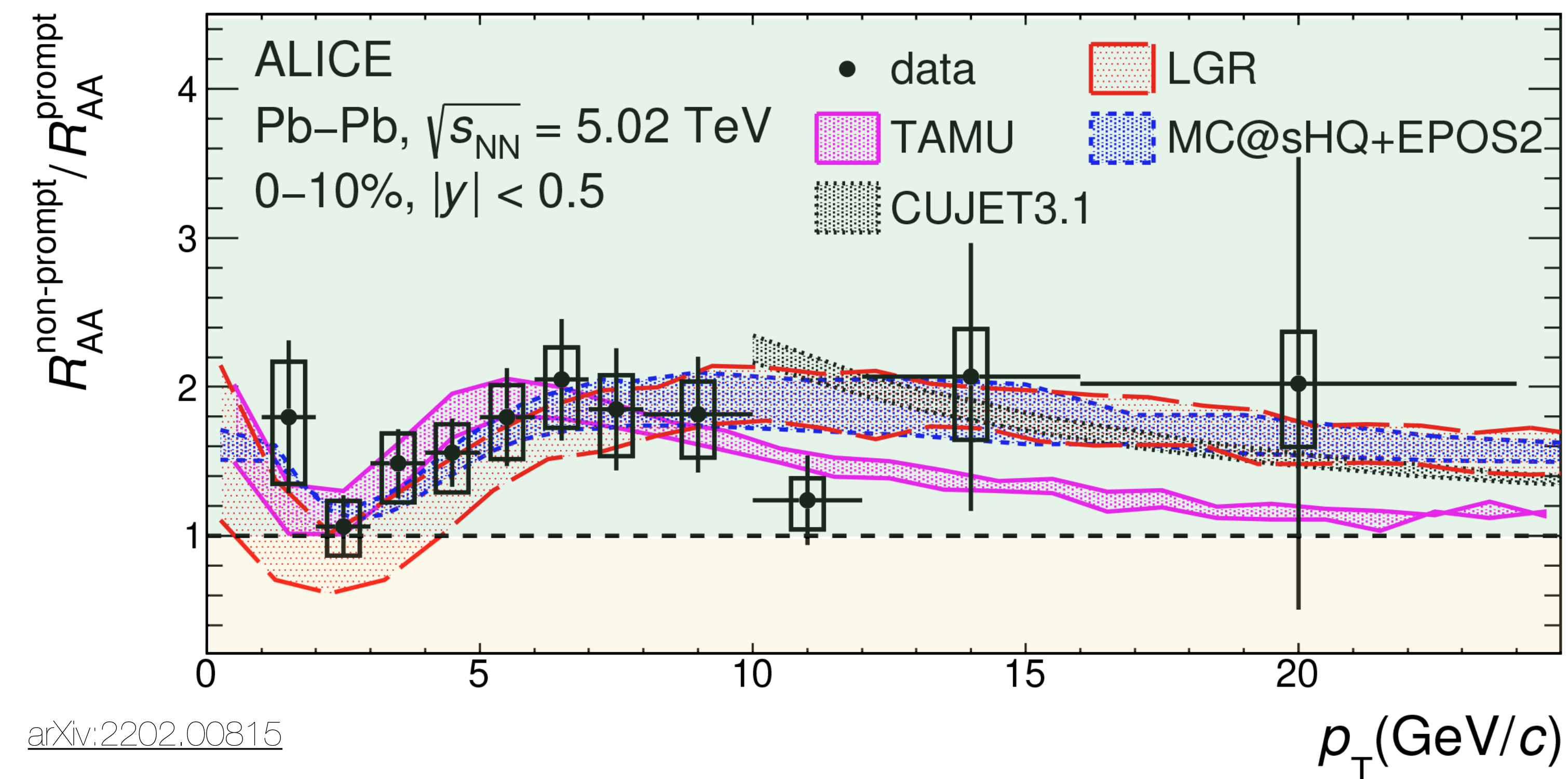
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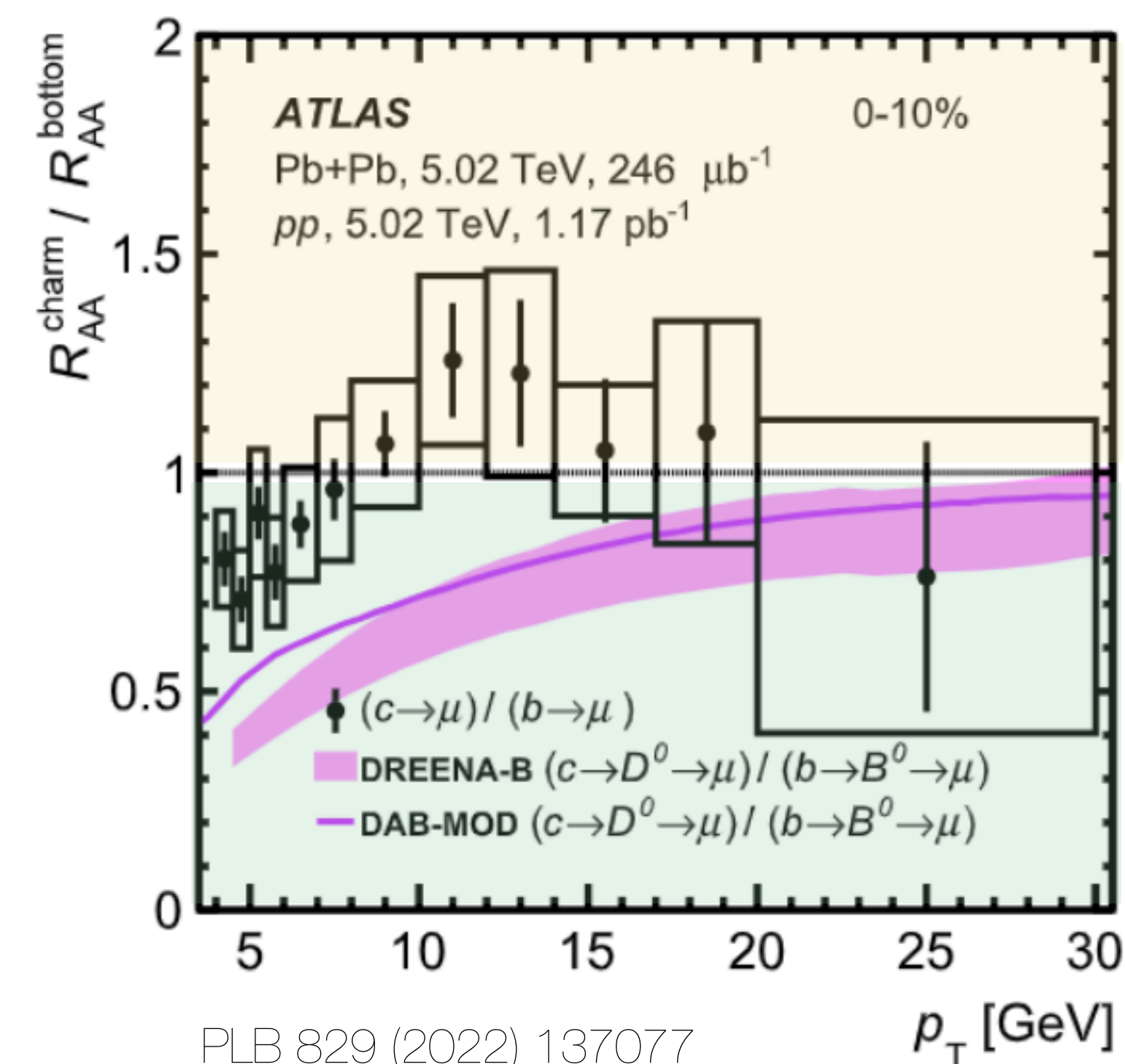
- Only beauty decay lepton R_{AA} measured at RHIC $\rightarrow$ $(b \rightarrow) D^0 R_{AA}$ in sPHENIX
- Kinematics of hadron daughters are closer to the parents than leptons

Flavor Dependence of R_{AA}

$b \rightarrow D^0$ / Prompt D^0 R_{AA}



$c \rightarrow \mu$ / $b \rightarrow \mu$ R_{AA}

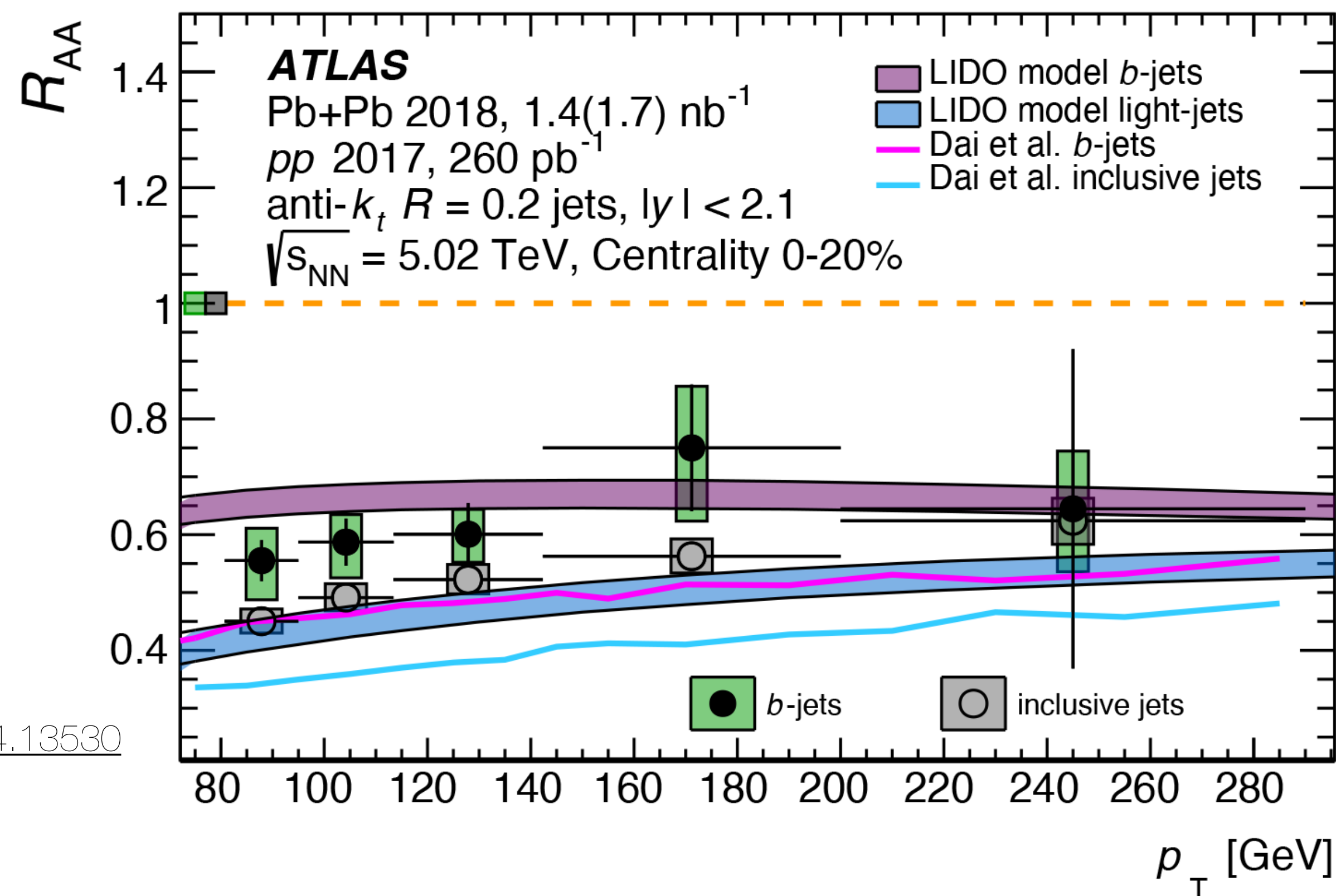


- ALICE: $R_{AA}(b \rightarrow D^0) > R_{AA}(\text{Prompt } D^0)$ over full p_T
- Interplay of energy loss, shadowing, flow, coalescence, spectrum shapes, ...

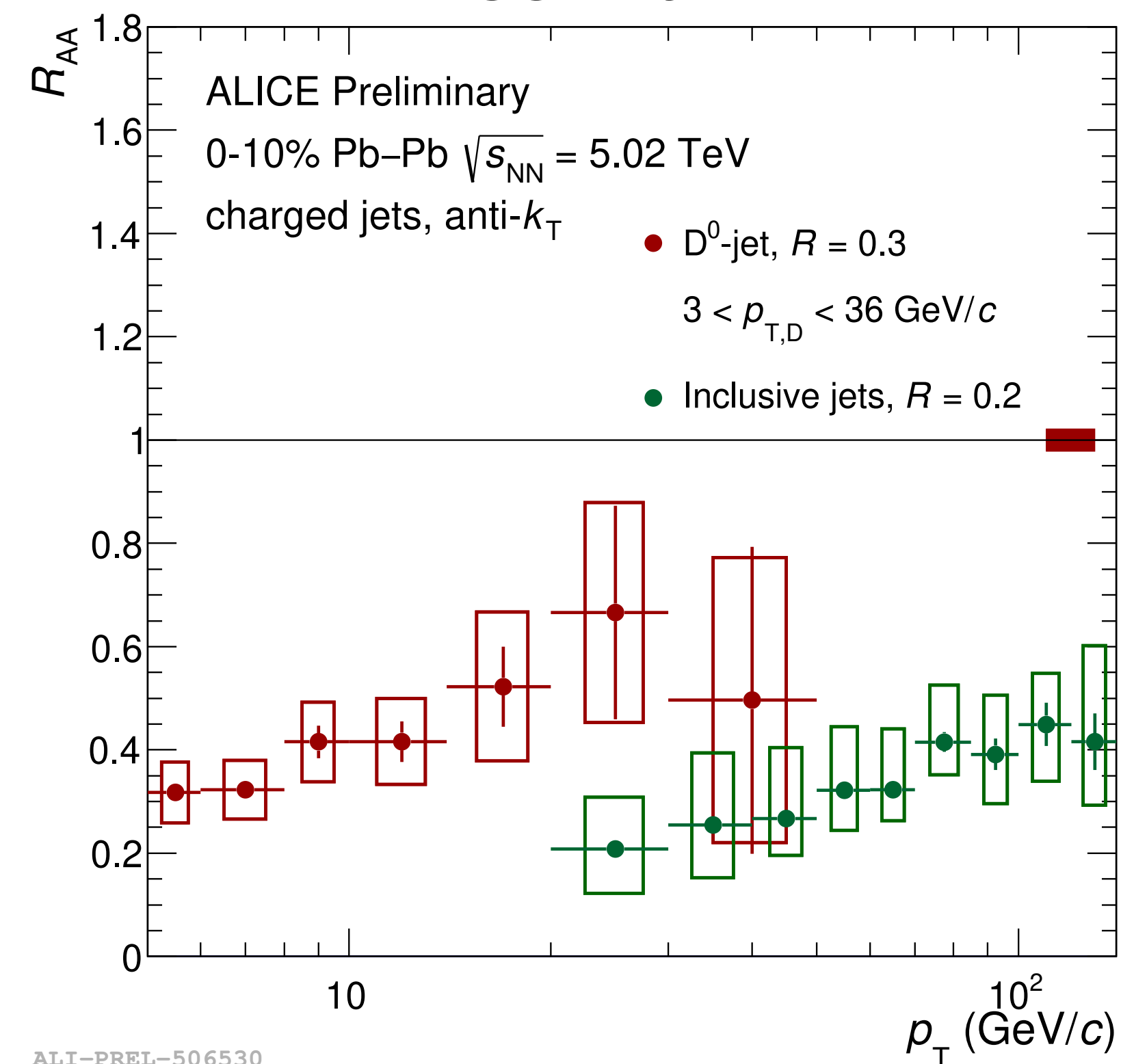
- ATLAS: $R_{AA}(b \rightarrow \mu) < R_{AA}(c \rightarrow \mu)$ in part of p_T ranges
 - Not predicted by theory
 - Not observed at RHIC

Heavy Flavor Jet R_{AA}

b-jet R_{AA}



D⁰ tagged jet R_{AA}

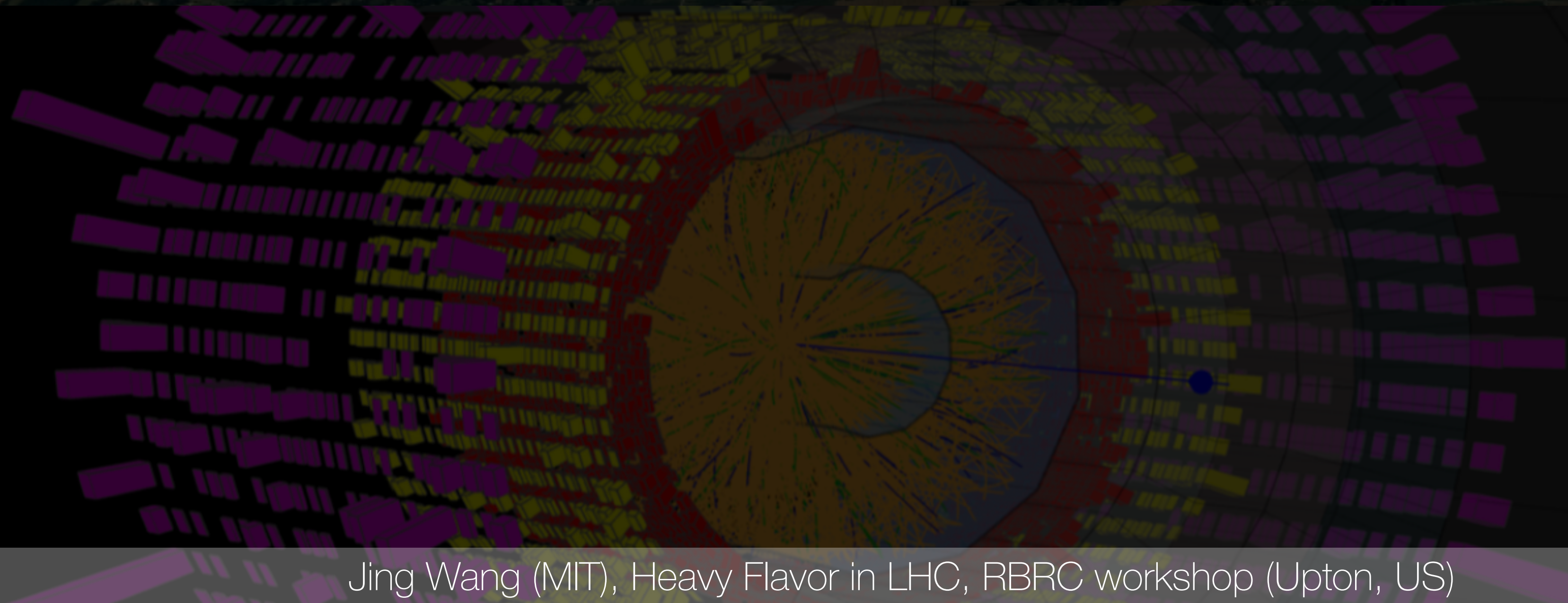


- Less suppression for b -jet (D⁰ tagged jet) than inclusive jets
 - Quark jet vs. gluon jet
- HF jet down to very low p_T : Study energy loss not sensitive to hadronization

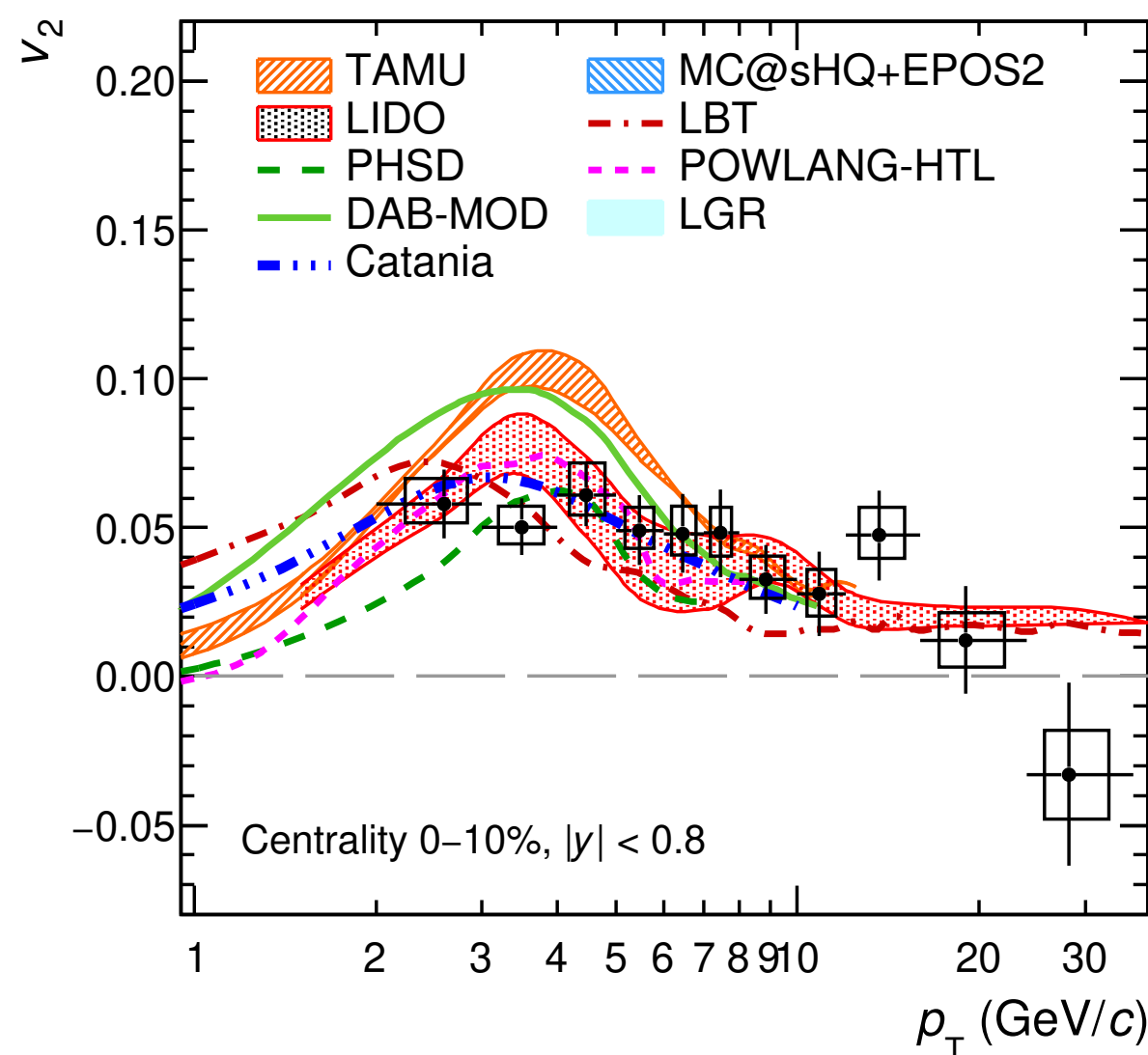
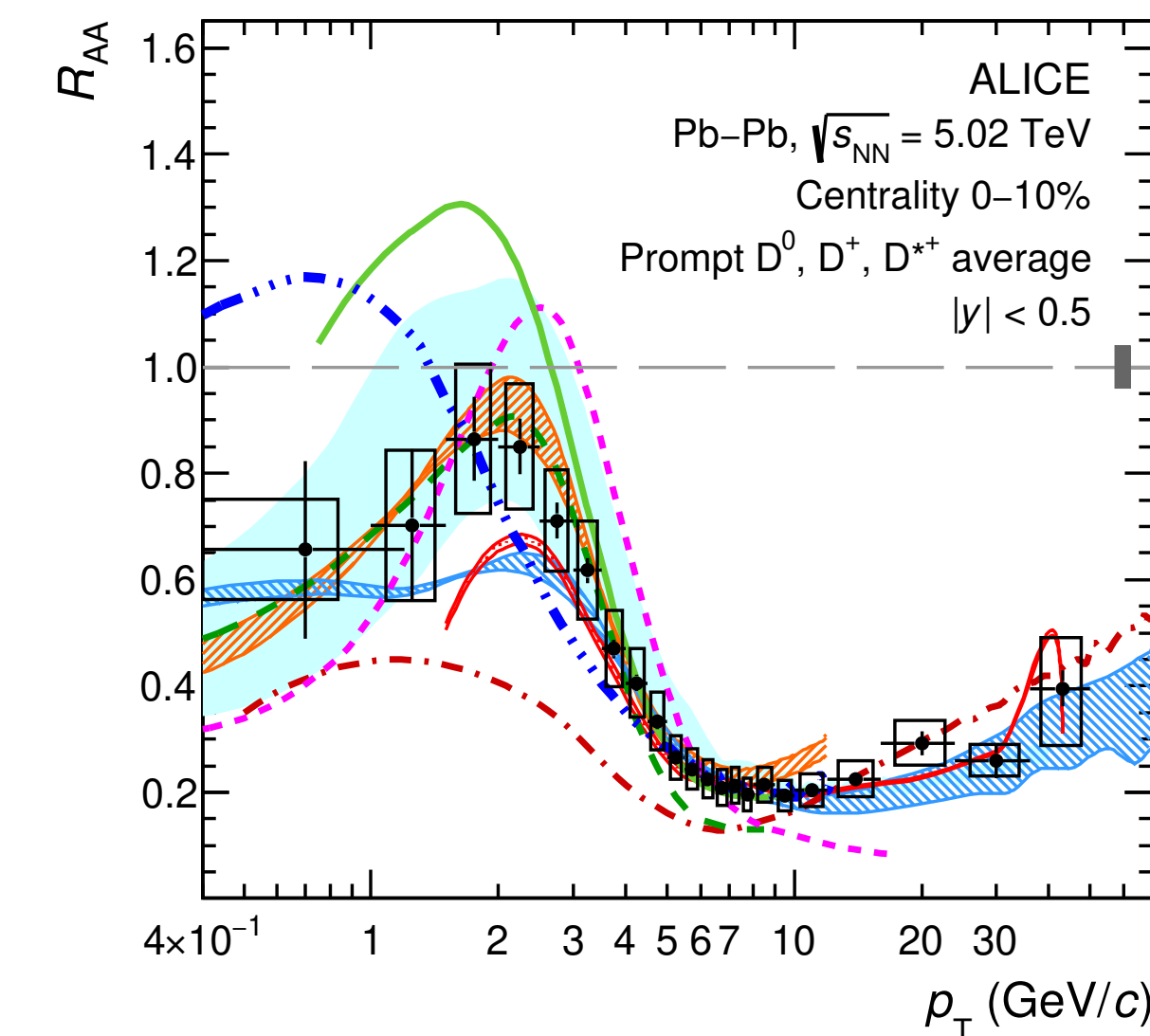
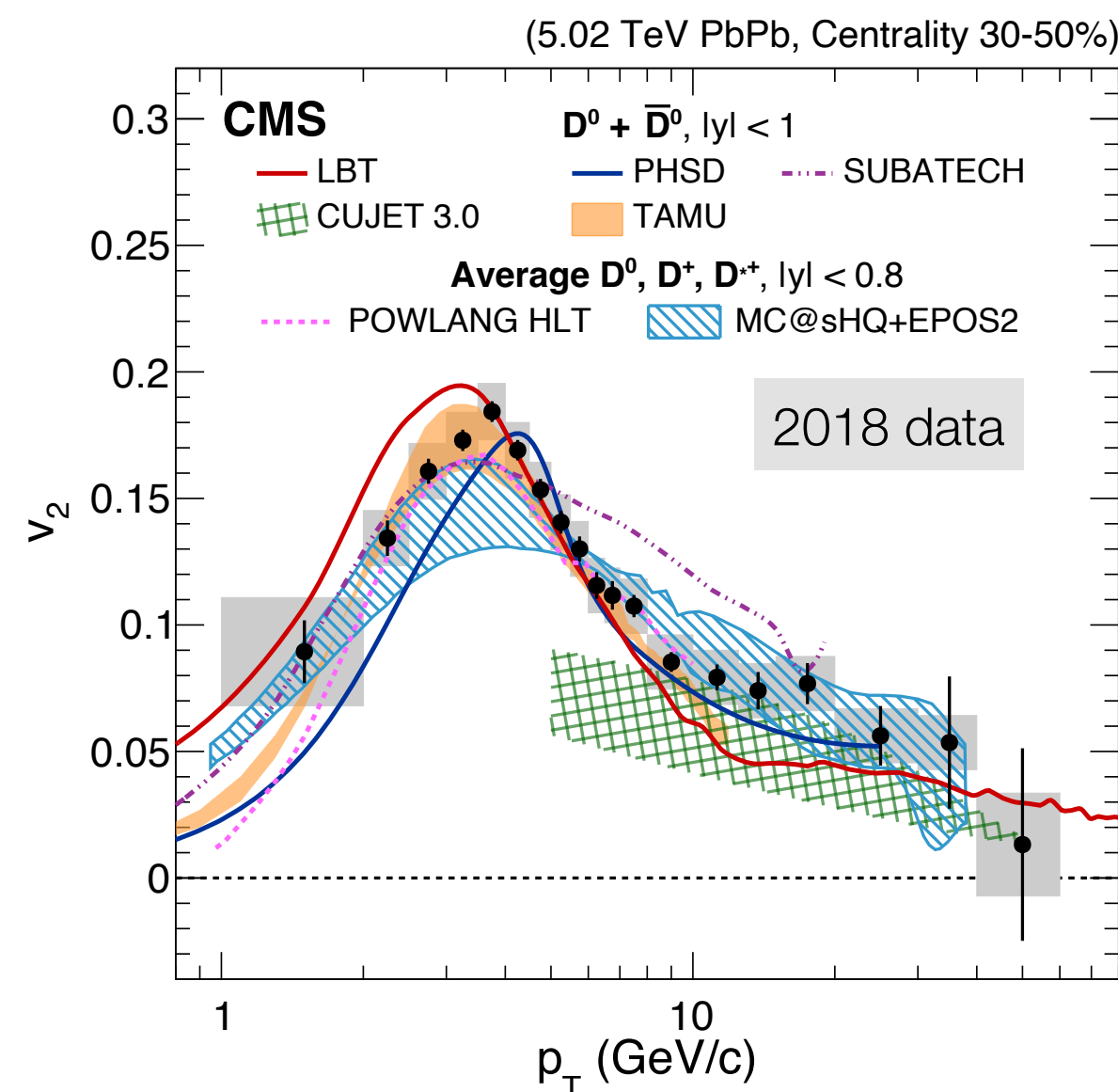
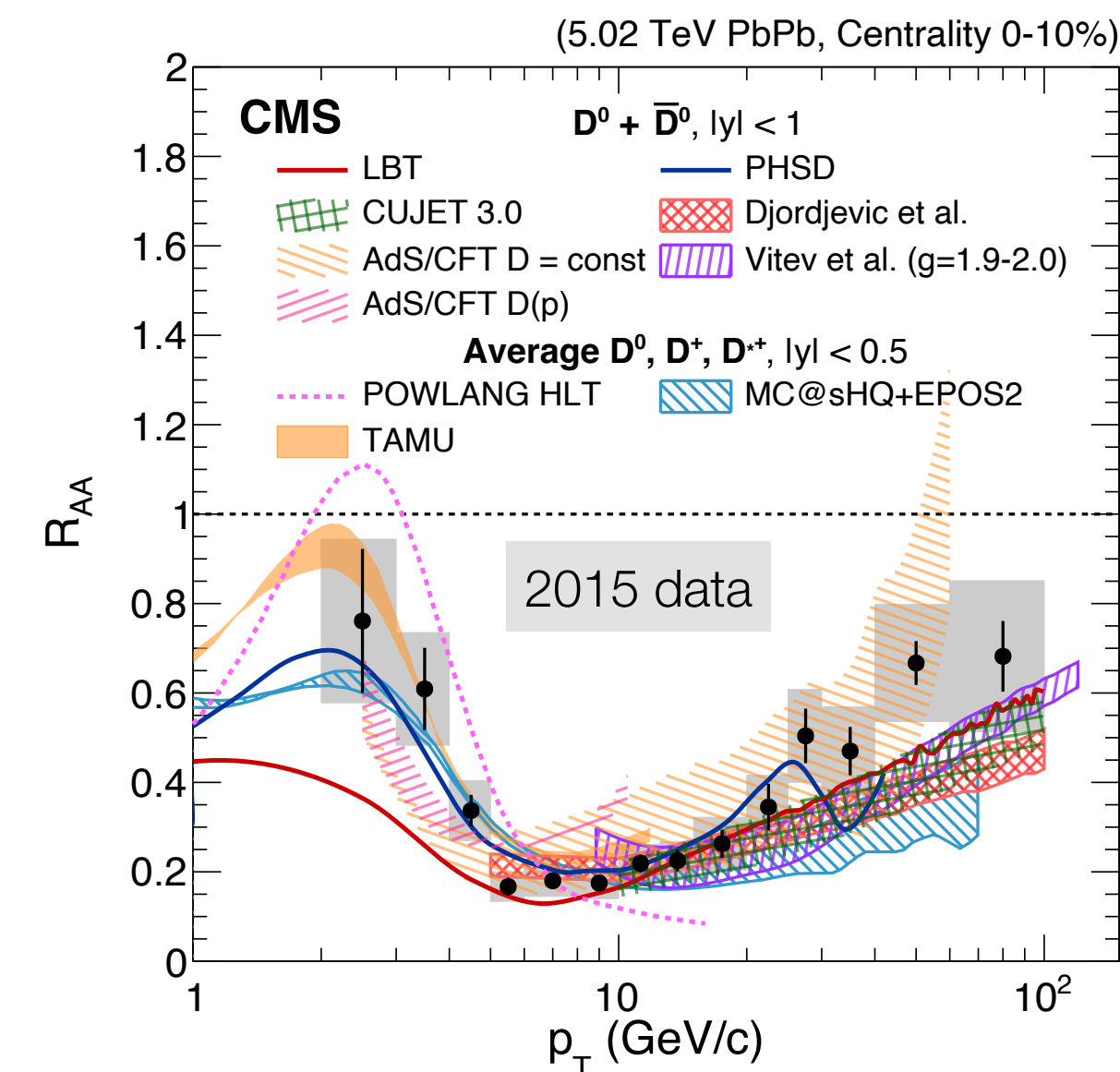
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Quick Discussion on R_{AA} and v_2



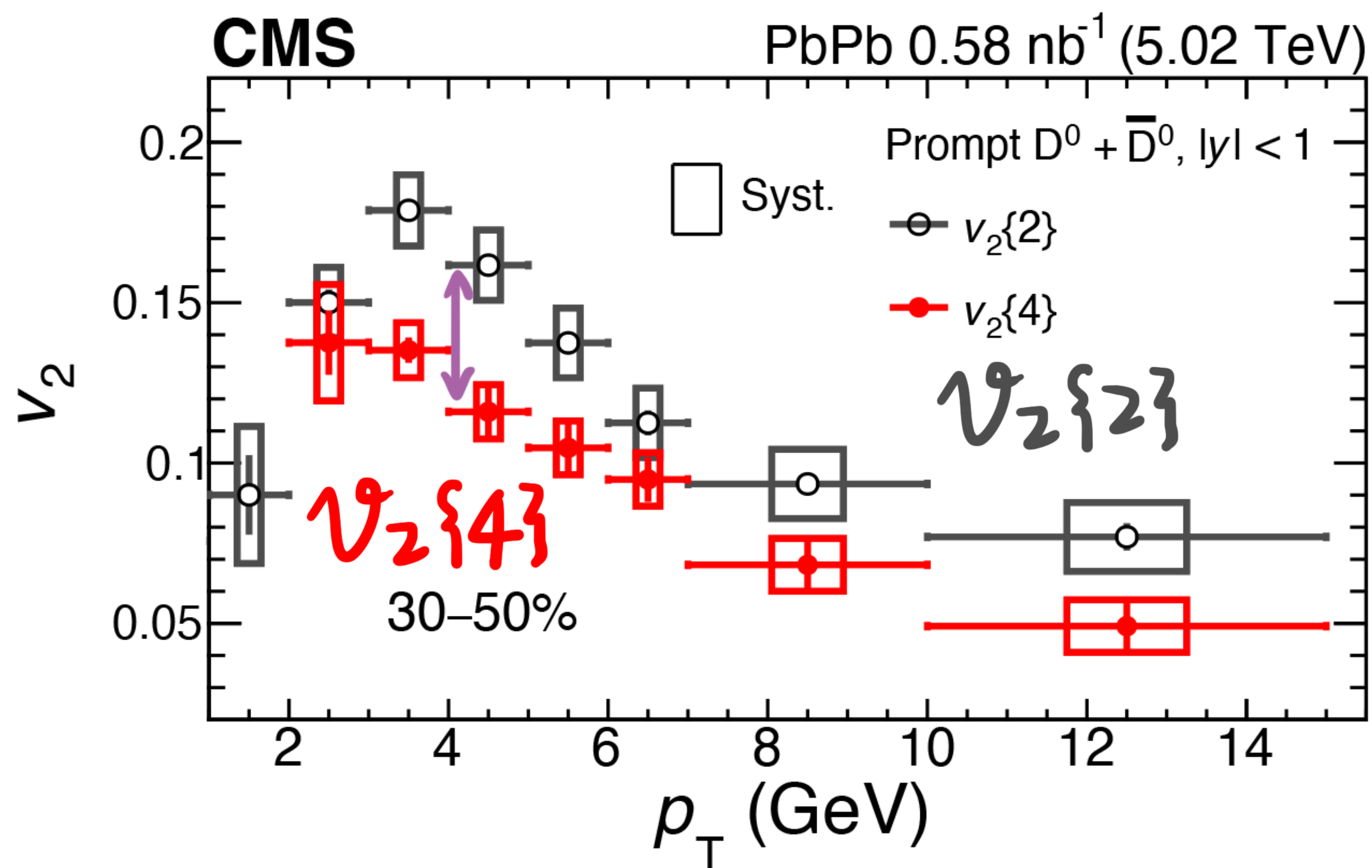
Model Comparison



- Data described by many models fairly well
 - Data significantly constrained models
 - Or actually “overtrained” the models...
 - ➡ Very different underlying mechanisms and components in these models
- sPHENIX result will be a good test
 - Different collision systems and energies
 - More divergent at low p_T
- But only improving precision is probably not enough...
 - New observables than the traditional ones

New Observable: Multi-particle Correlation

Prompt D^0 $v_2\{2\}$ vs. $v_2\{4\}$



- Probe event-by-event fluctuation

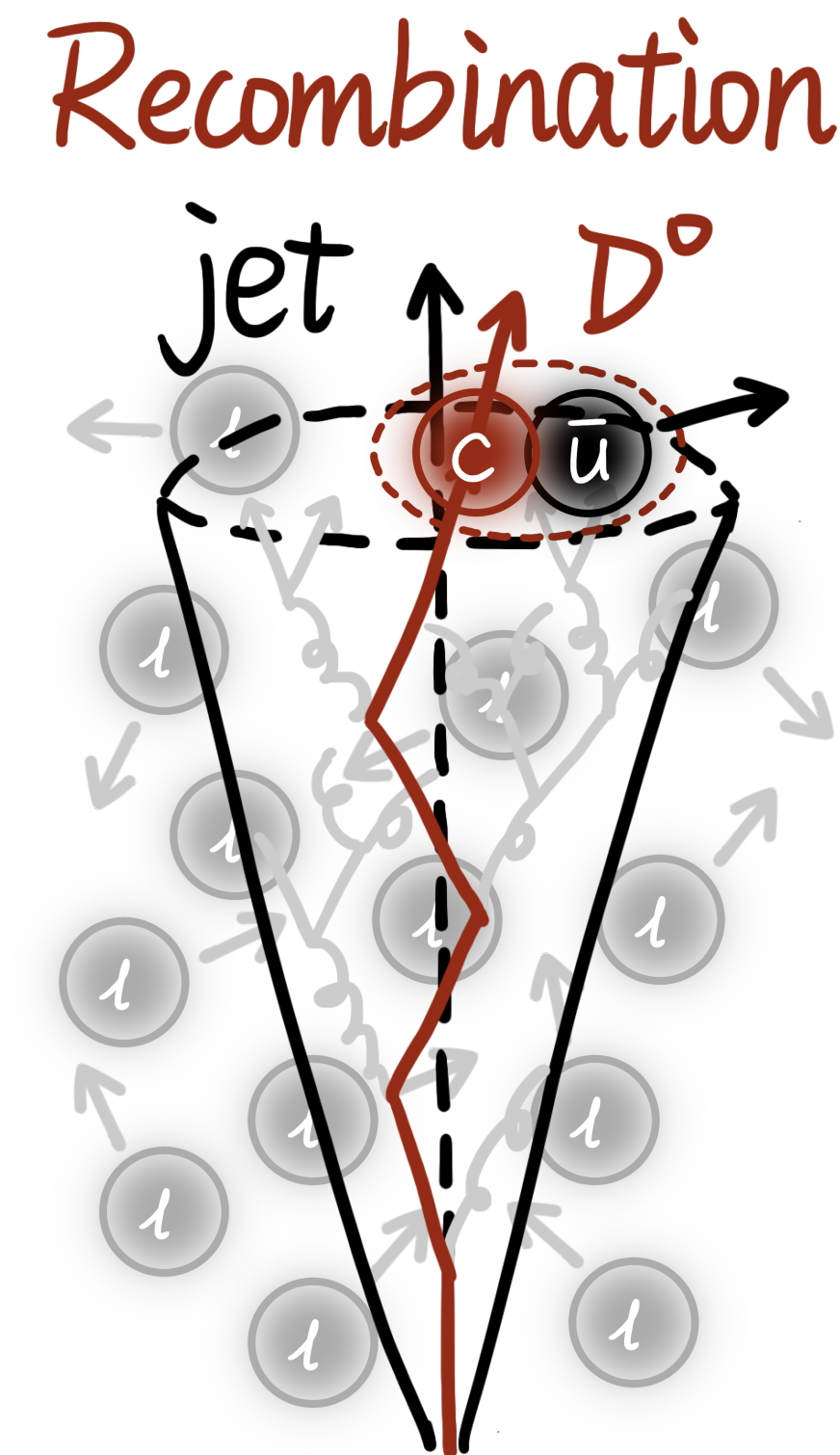
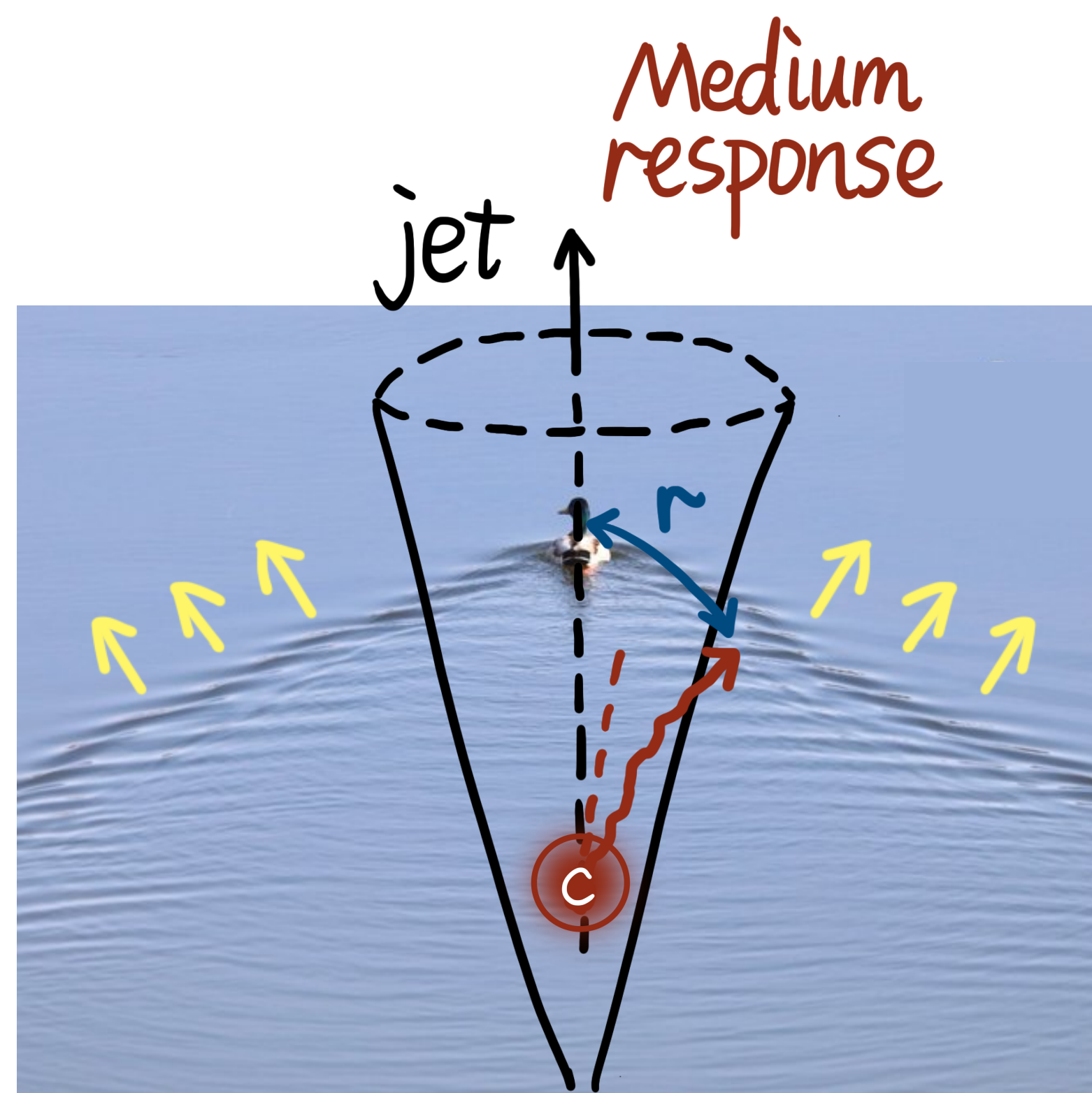
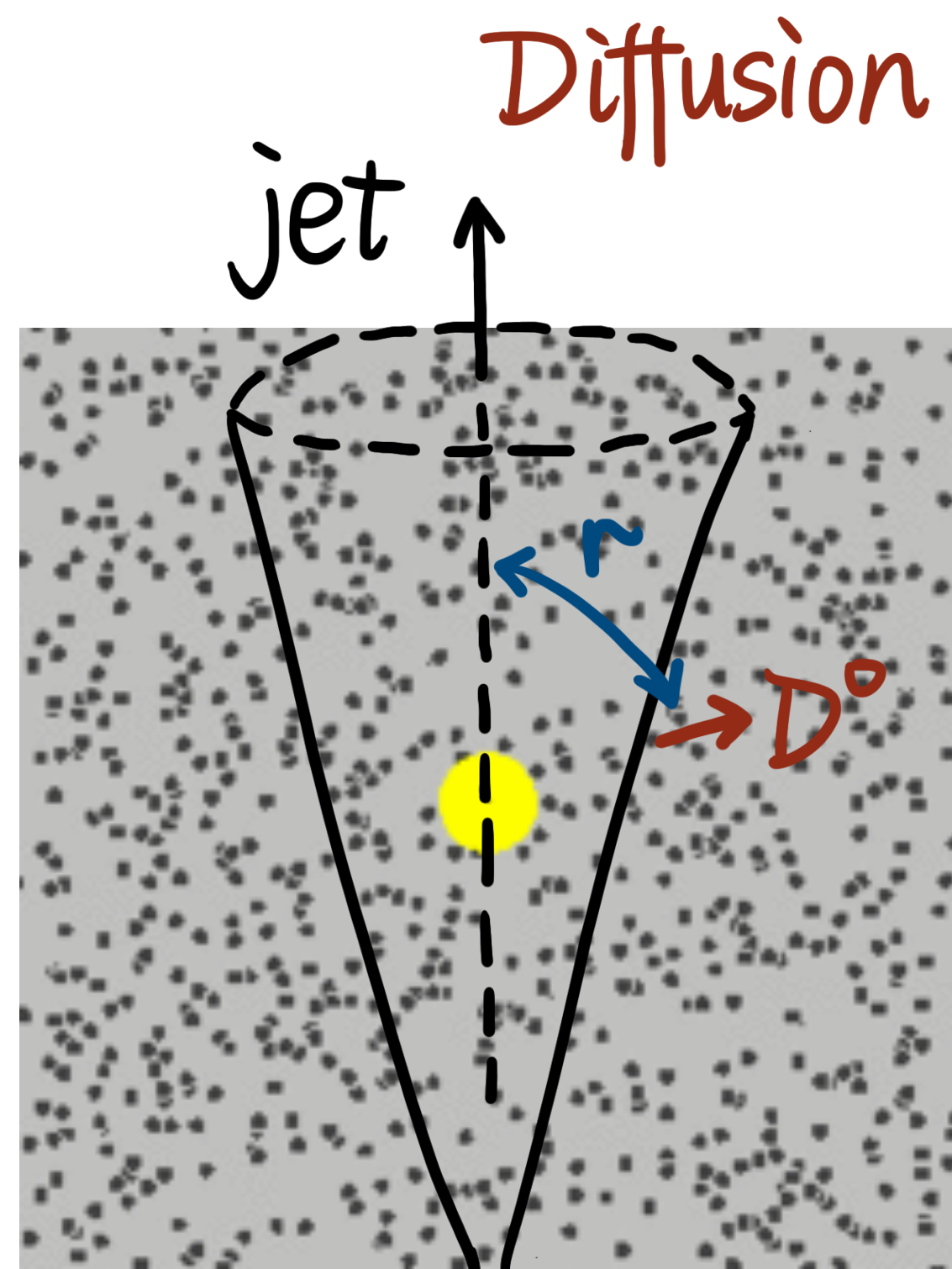
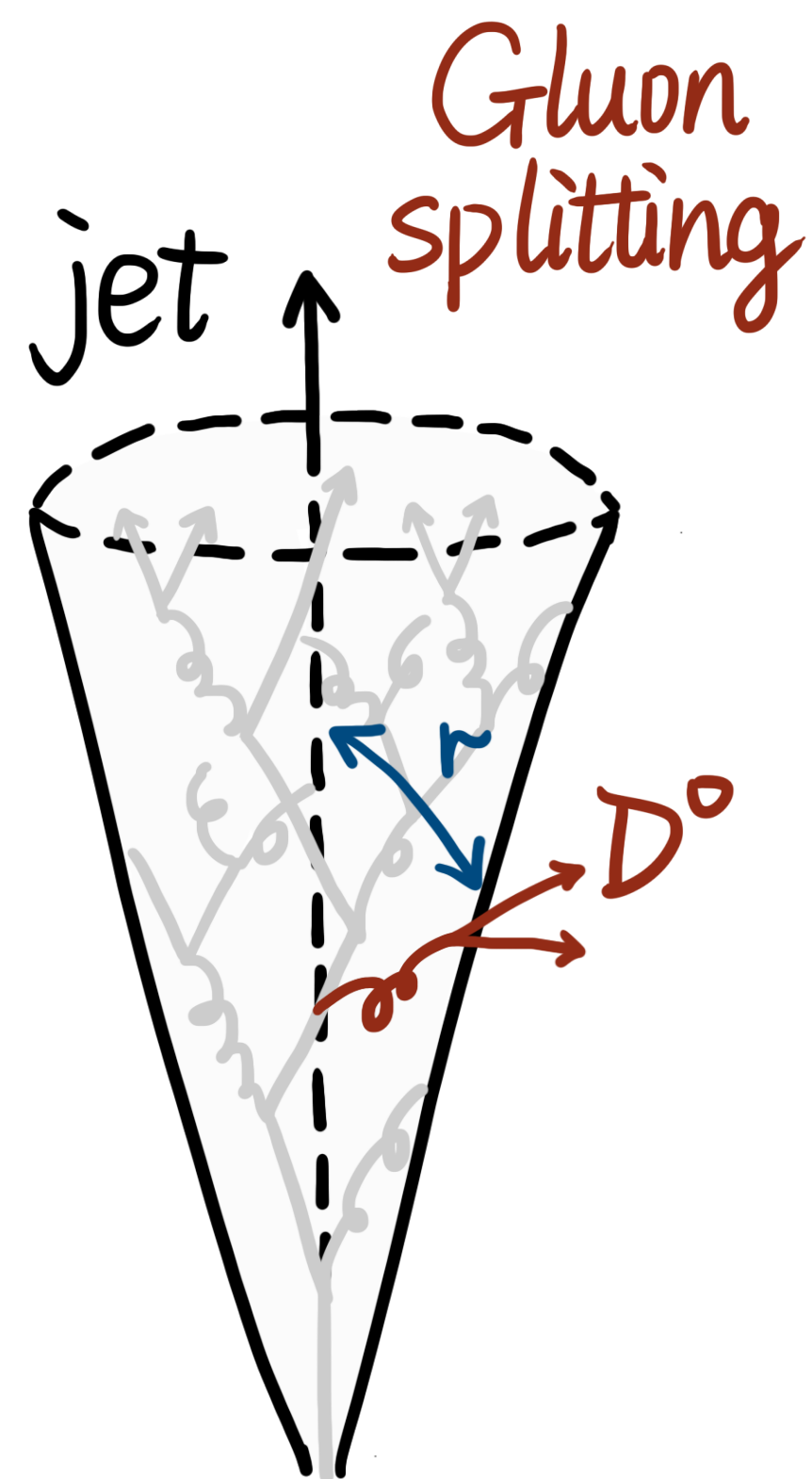
$$v_2\{2\}^2 \approx \langle v \rangle^2 + \sigma^2$$

$$v_2\{4\}^2 \approx \langle v \rangle^2 - \sigma^2$$

flow fluctuation

- Indeed $v_2\{4\} < v_2\{2\}$ for D^0
 - Provide additional constraints
- Fluctuations from both initial geometry (soft) and energy loss (hard)
 - can be distinguished by p_T dependence of $v_2\{4\}/v_2\{2\}$

New Observable: Correlation with Hard Probe

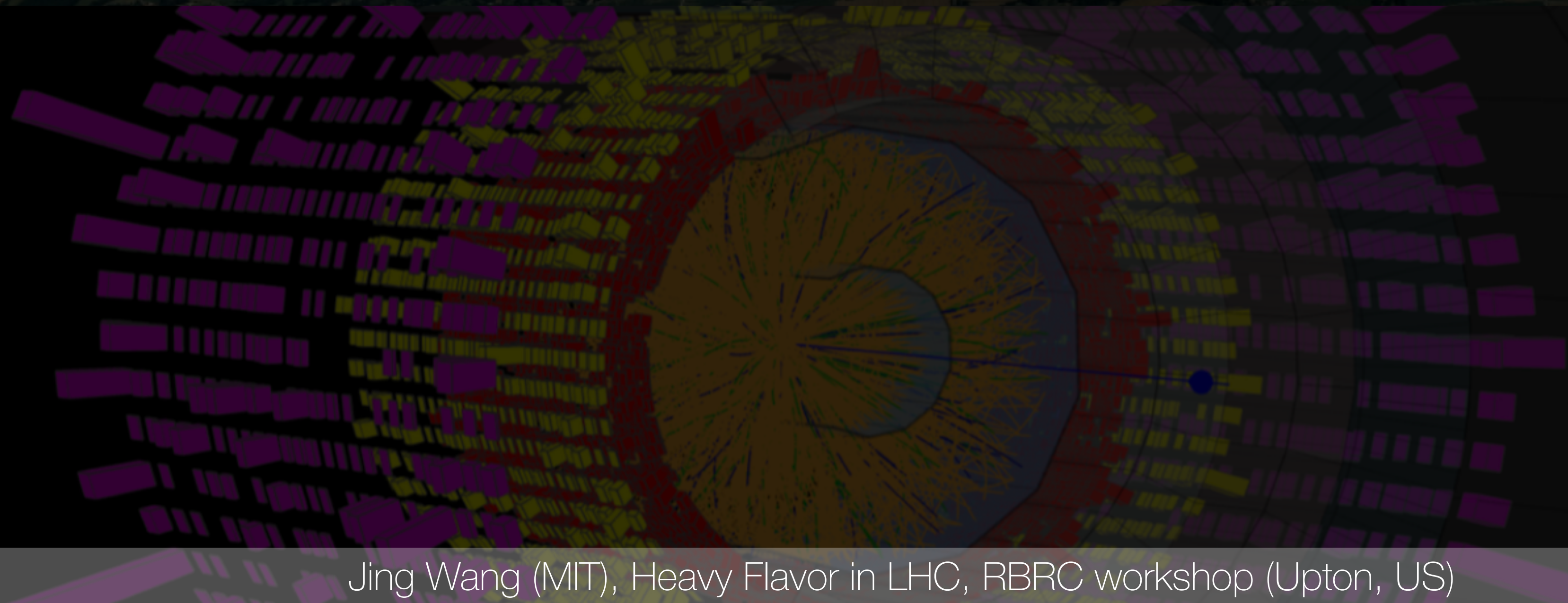


- New constraints of diffusion with a hard reference: jet-D, photon-D, h-D, ...
- Study effects that decouple charm and axis

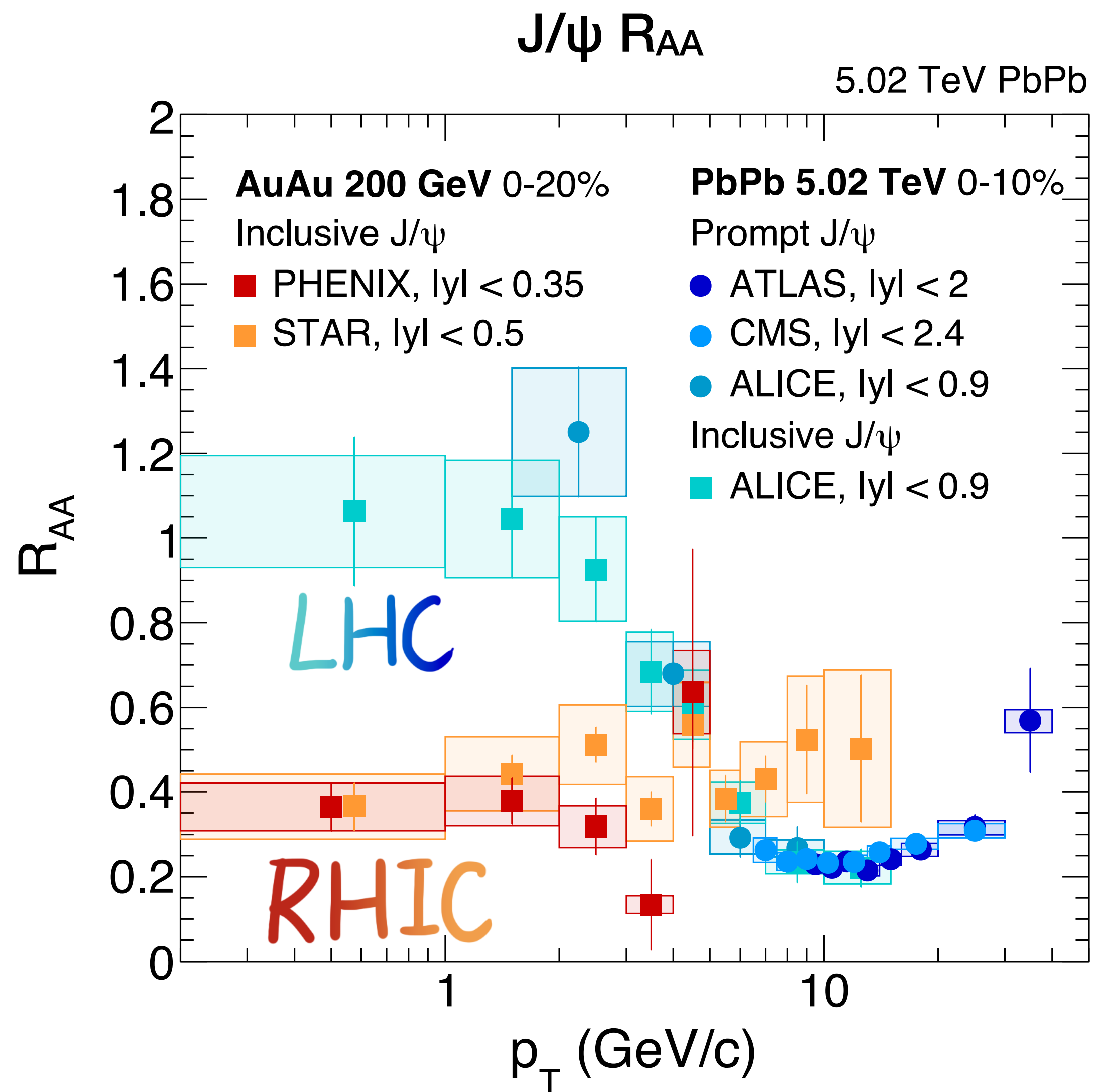
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Quarkonium Production



J/ψ Production in Heavy-ion Collisions



- Different J/ψ behavior at **LHC** and **RHIC** (both R_{AA} and v_2)
 - Enhancement at low p_T as a sign of recombination
 - ➔ LHC has larger $\sigma_{c\bar{c}}$
 - Constrain different components with both LHC and RHIC measurements

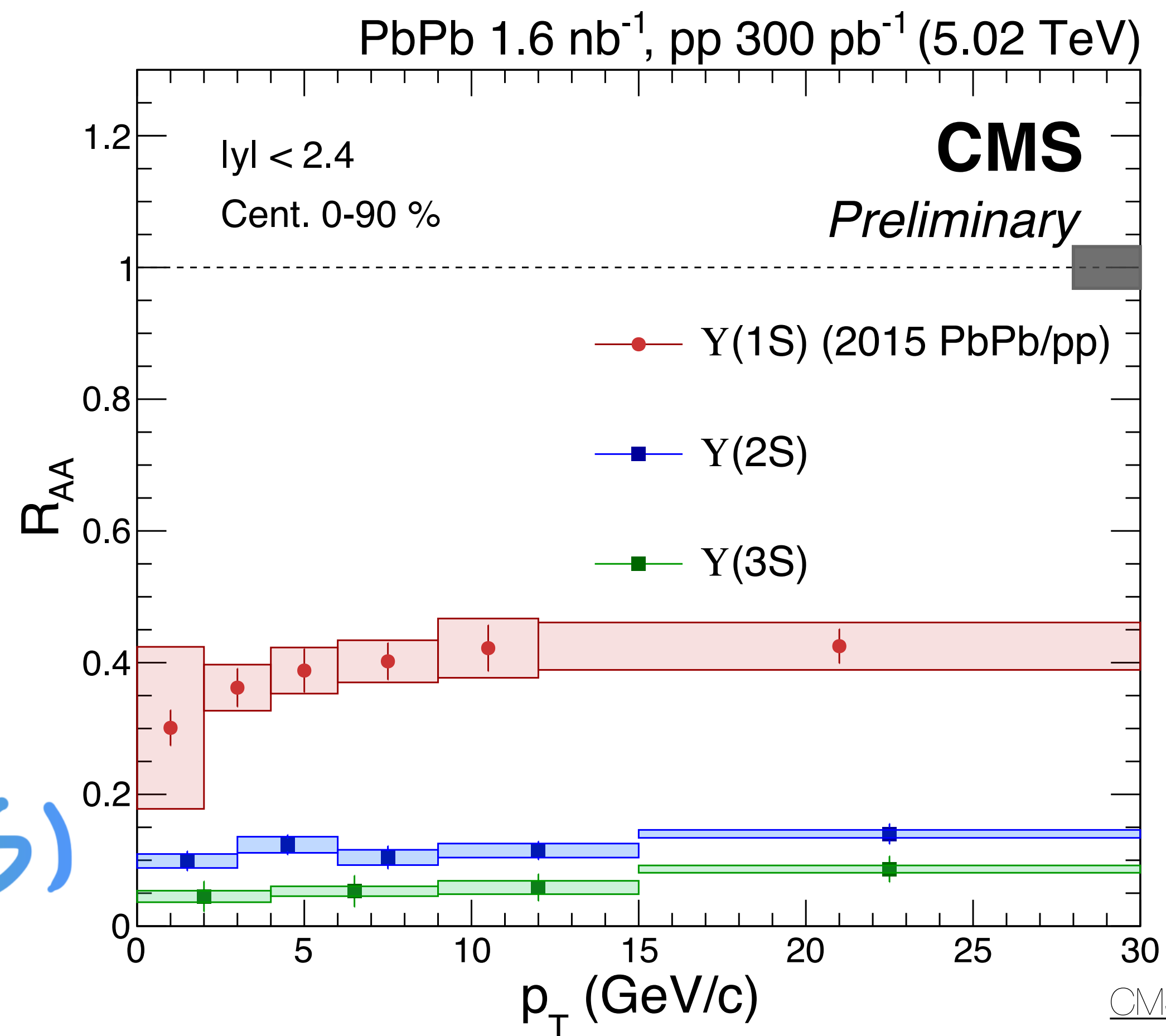
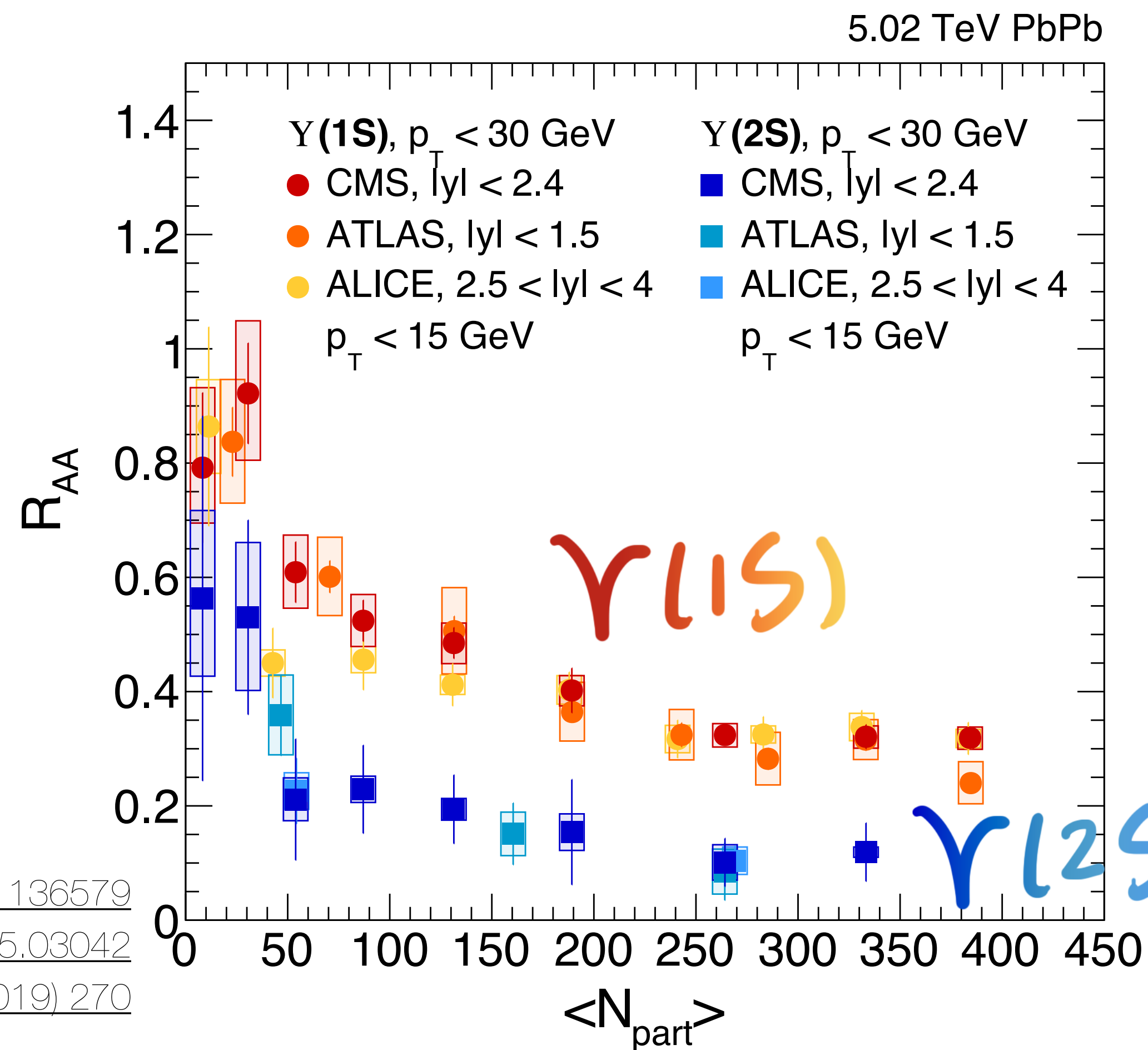
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[PRL 98 \(2007\) 232301](#)

[PLB 797 \(2019\) 134917](#)

Y Suppression in Heavy-ion Collisions



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- Consistent Y(1S), Y(2S) results at LHC

- Y(3S) stronger suppressed

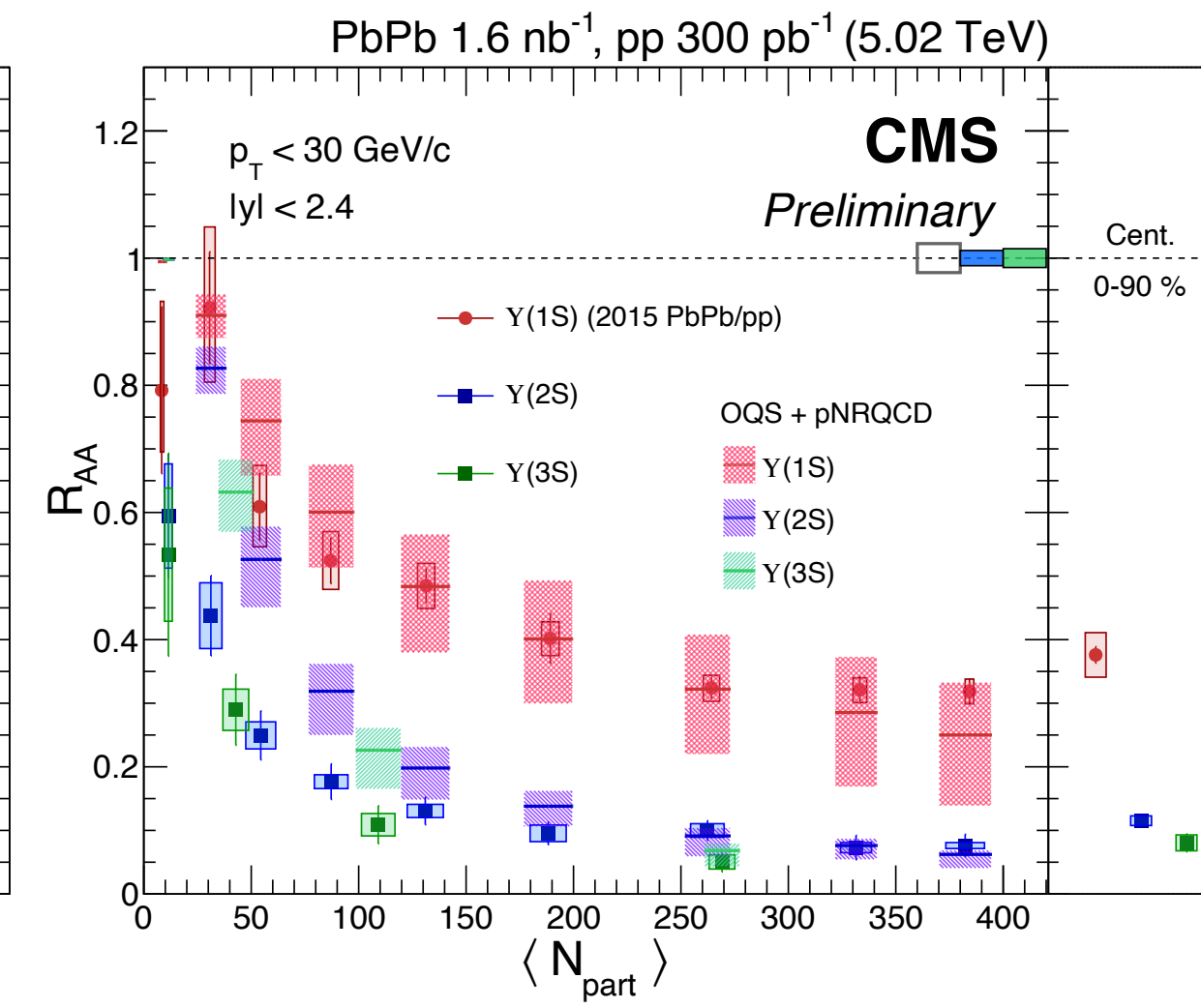
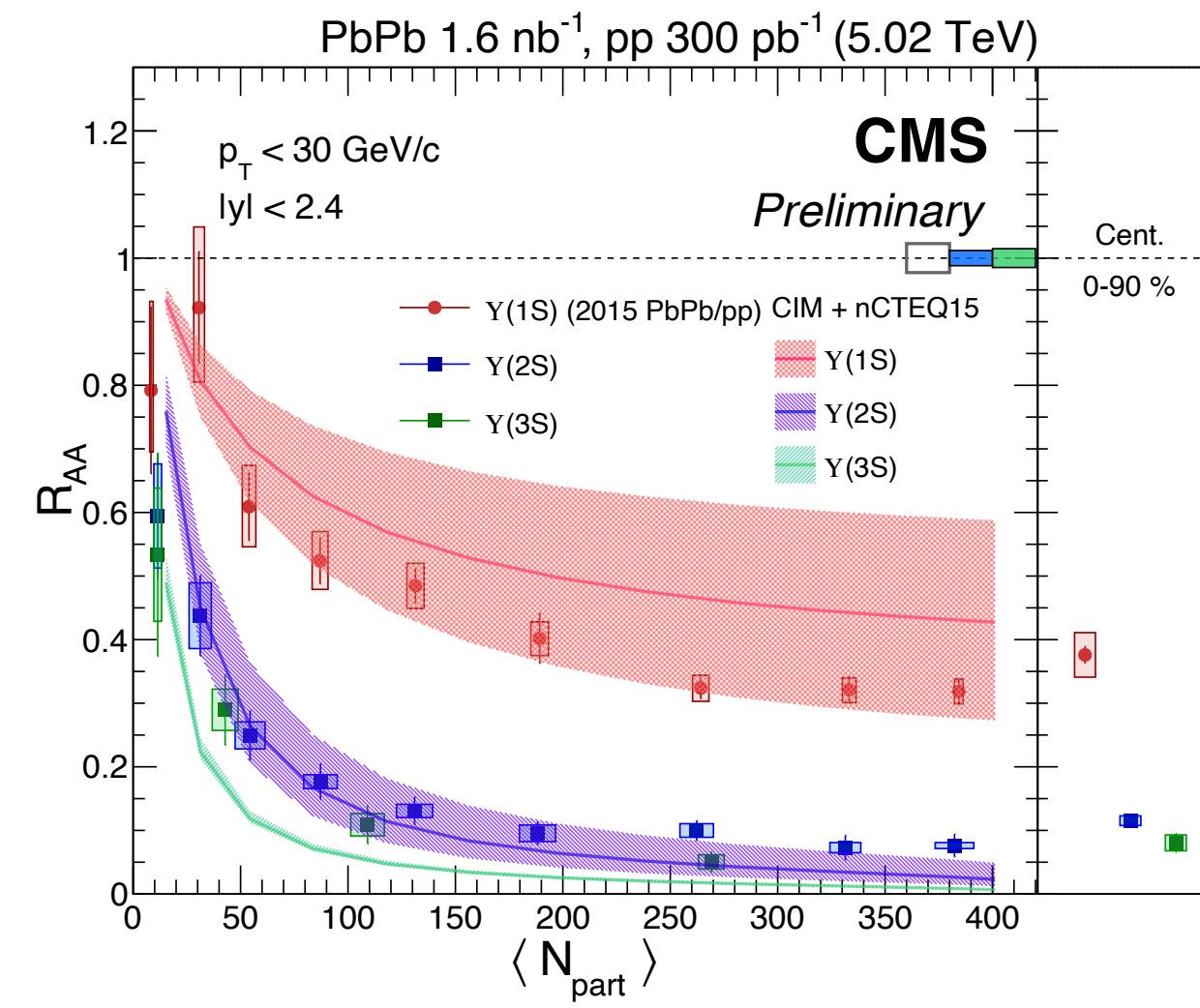
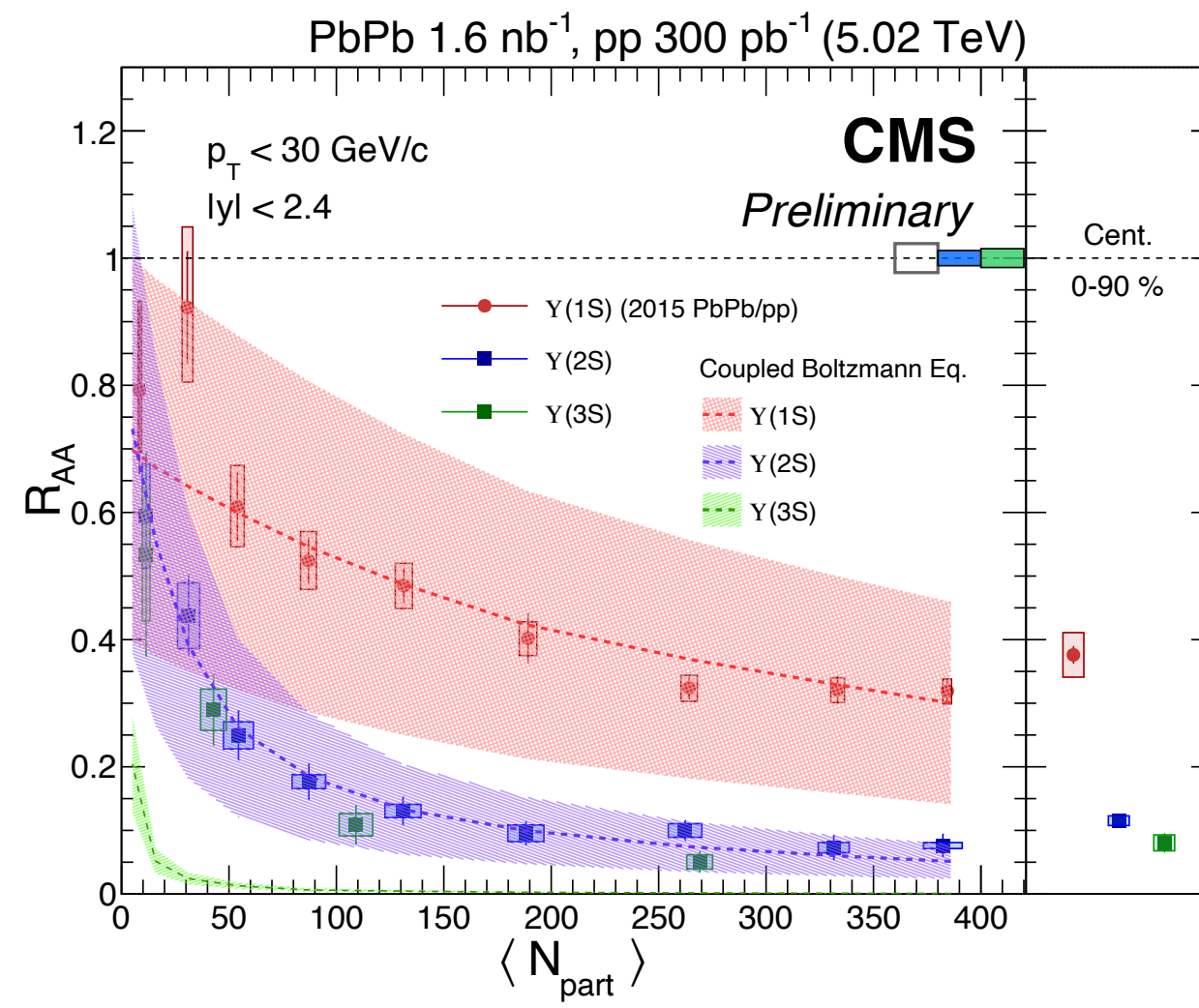
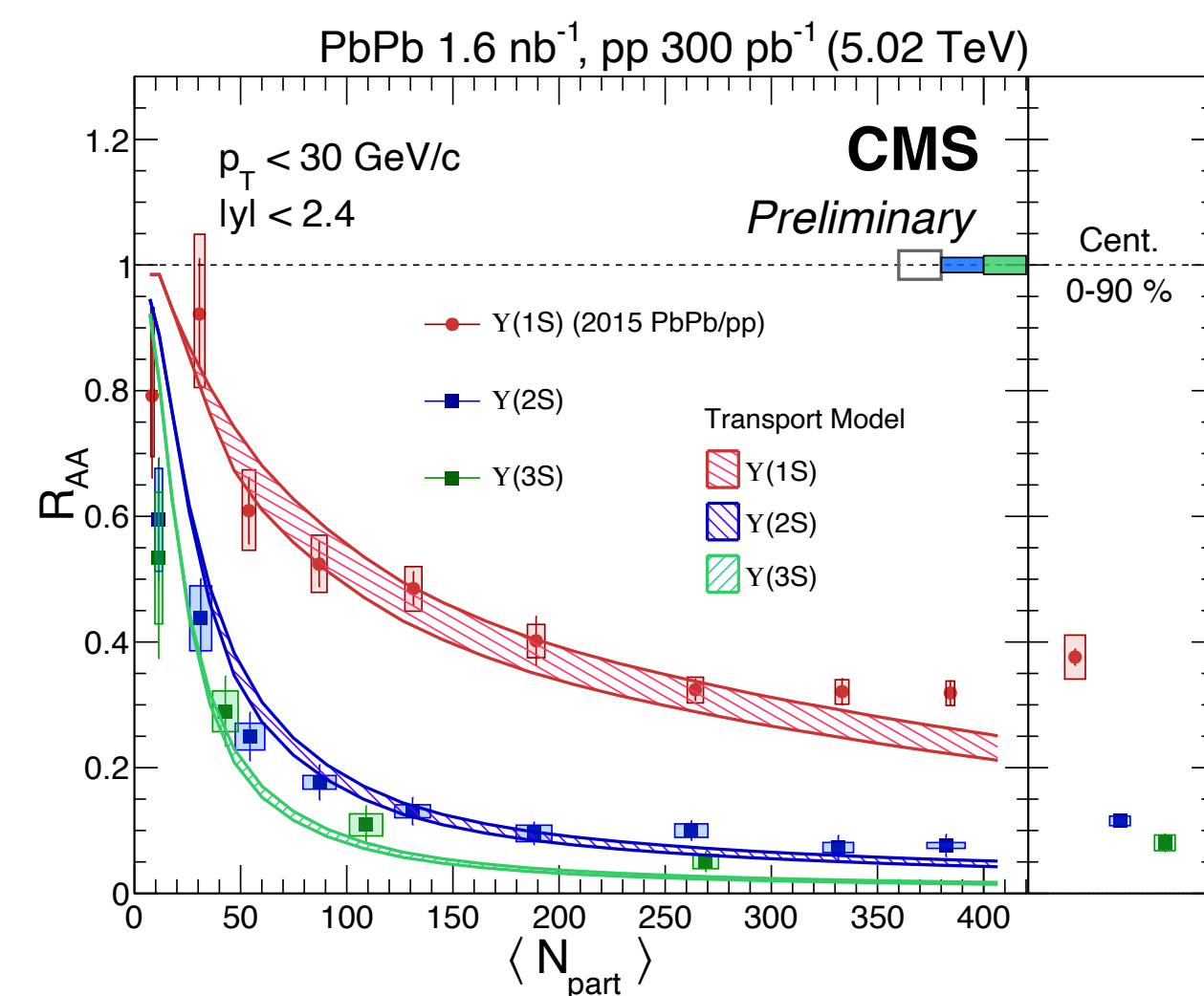
Y Suppression: Model Comparison (1/2)

→ TAMU transport model
[PRC 96 (2017) 054901]

→ Coupled Boltzmann eq.
[JHEP 01 (2021) 046]

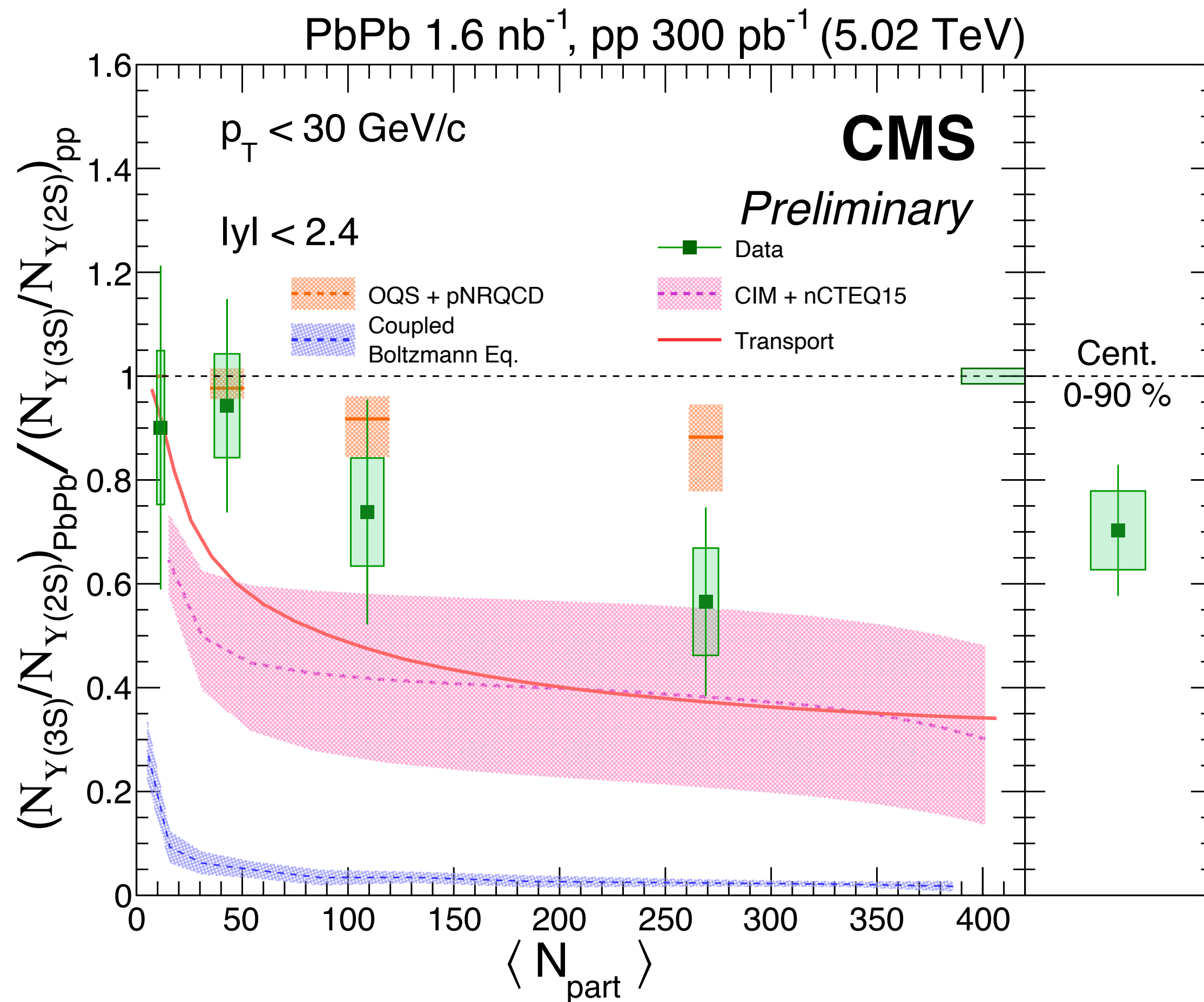
→ Comover interaction
[JHEP 10 (2018) 094]
No thermalization

→ Open-quantum system
+ pNRQCD
[PRD 104 (2021) 094049]



- Reasonable description of **Y(1S)** and **Y(2S)** data with very different ingredients
 - Different hydro simulation
 - With and without thermalization
- sPHENIX measurements at RHIC can provide another different constraint

Y(3S) R_{AA} / Y(2S) R_{AA}

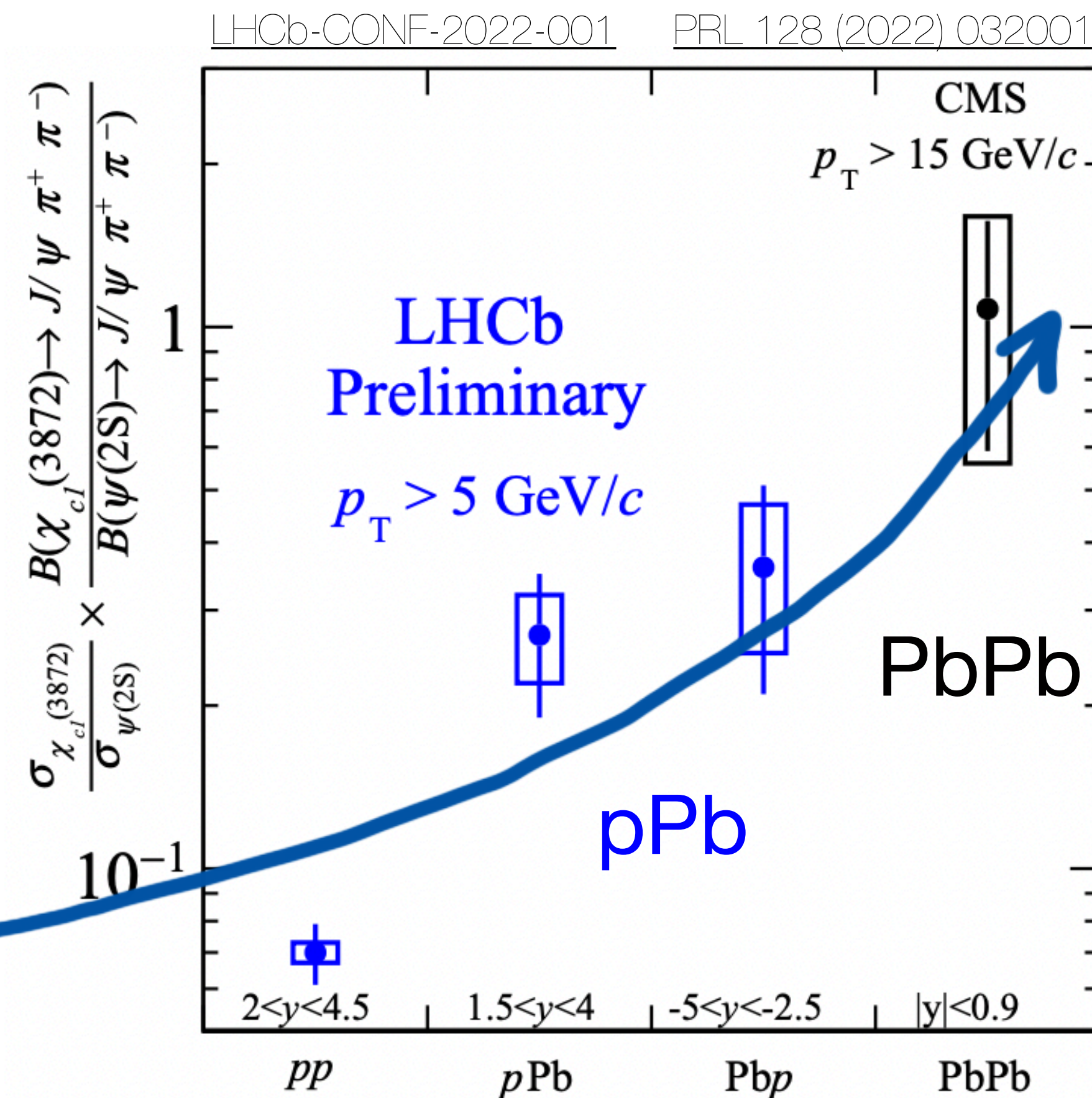
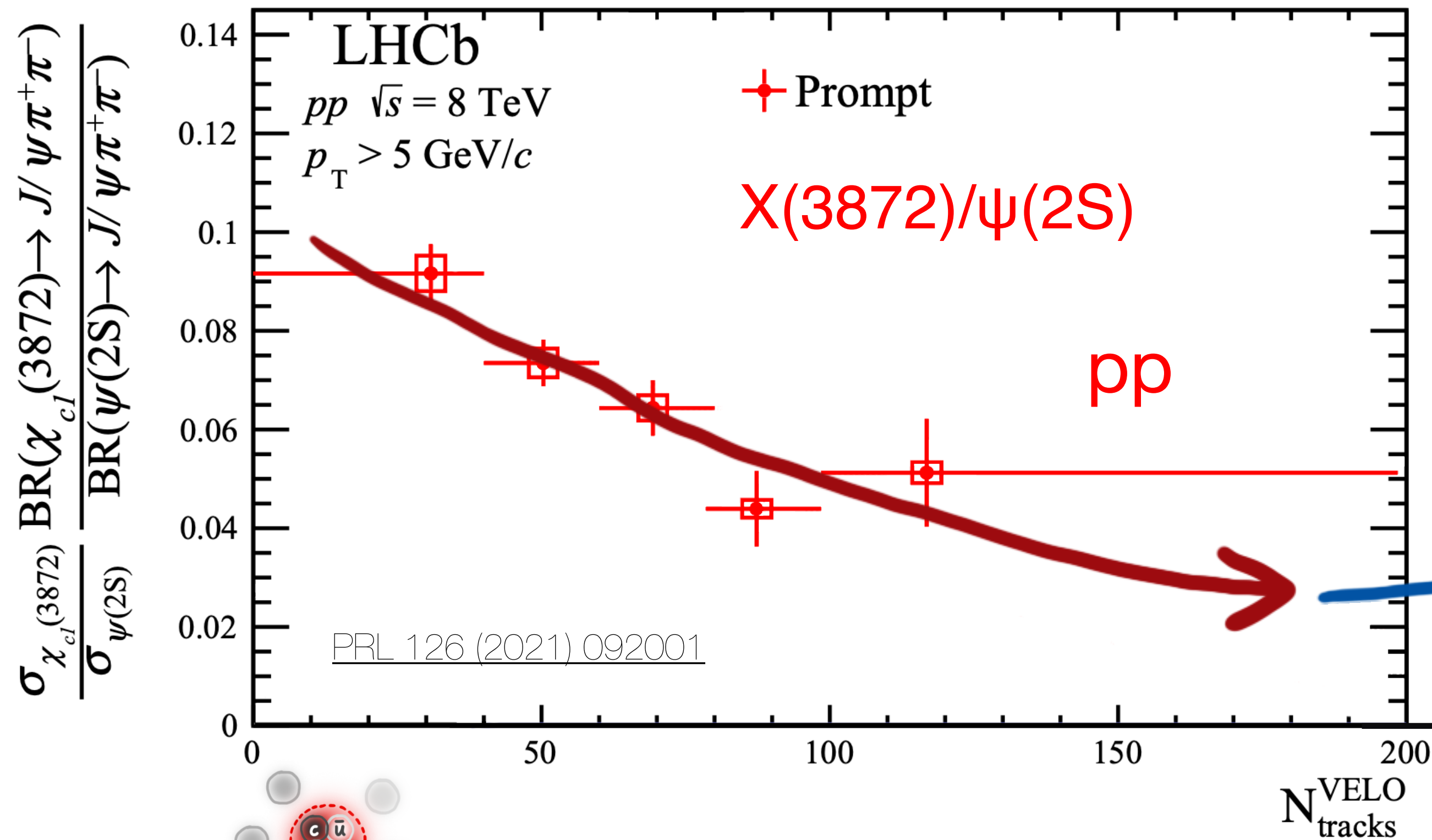


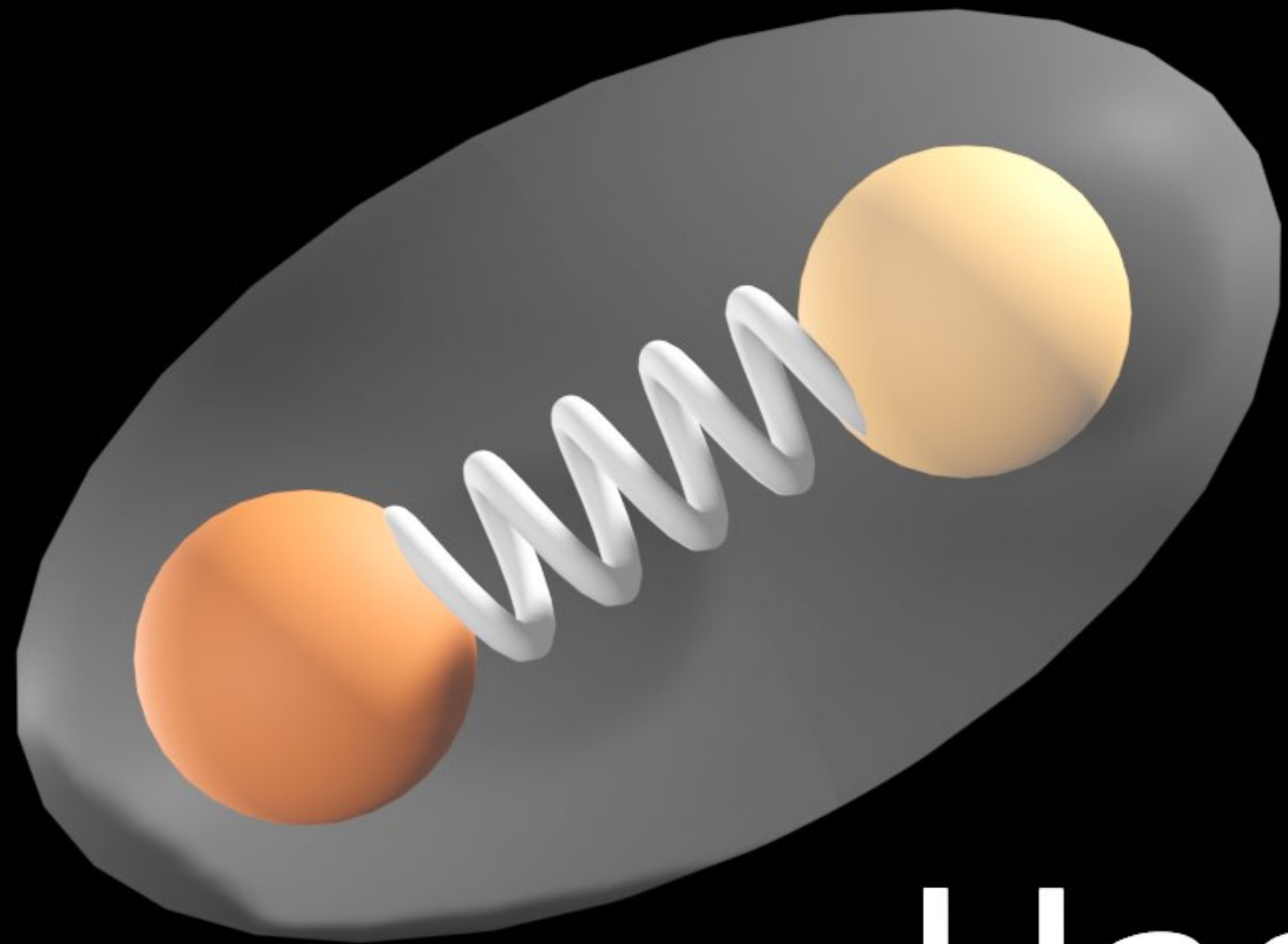
- Poor description of the **new Y(3S) data**
 - Excited state measurement is very useful
 - Constrain *feed down* contribution
 - Reduce systematics from *nPDF* in models

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Exotic Hadrons

- $X(3872)/\psi(2S)$ decreases wrt multiplicity in pp, but has hint of enhancement in pPb and PbPb
 - What about pAu and AuAu?

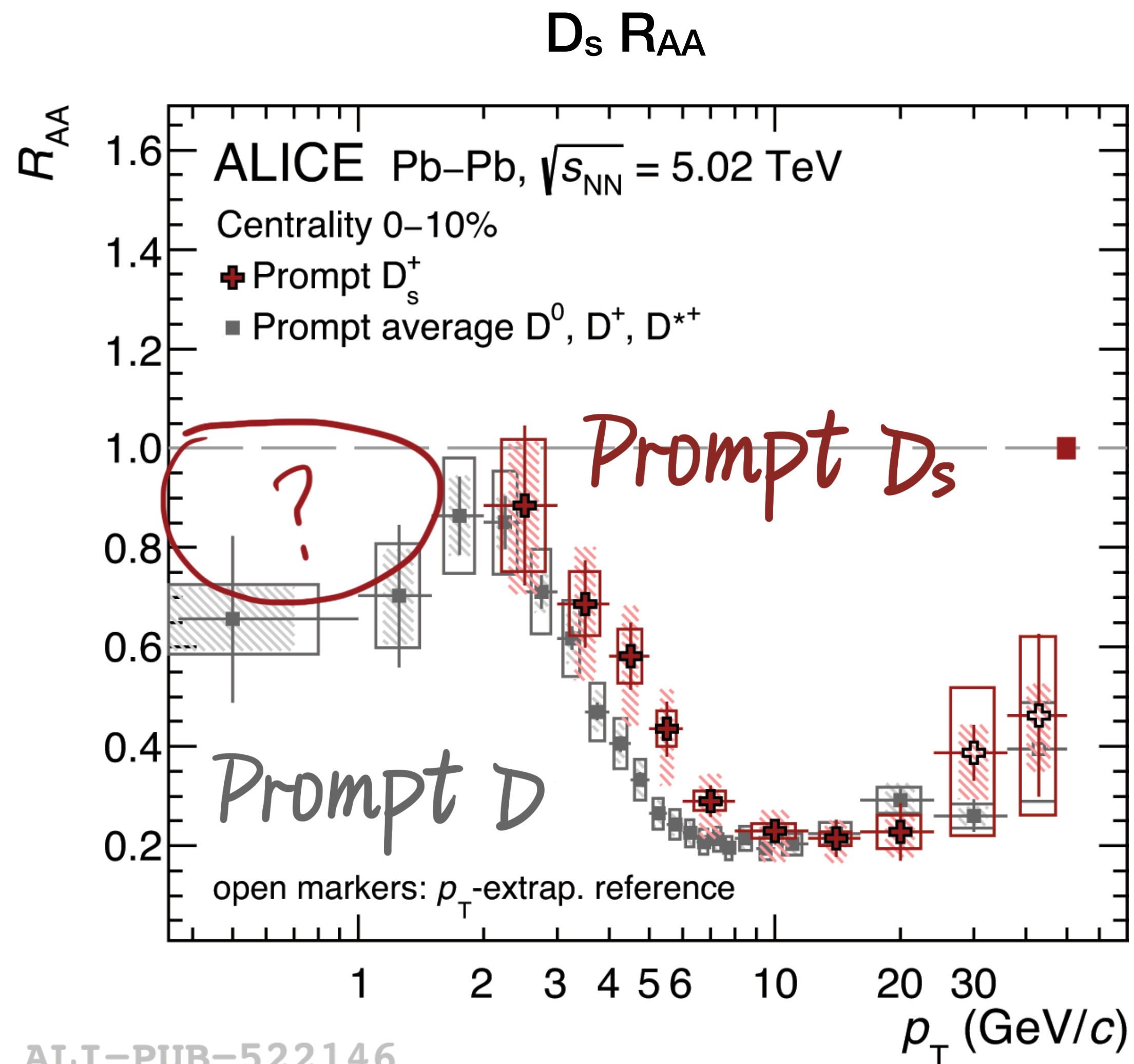




Hadronization

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Strangeness Charm Mesons in PbPb

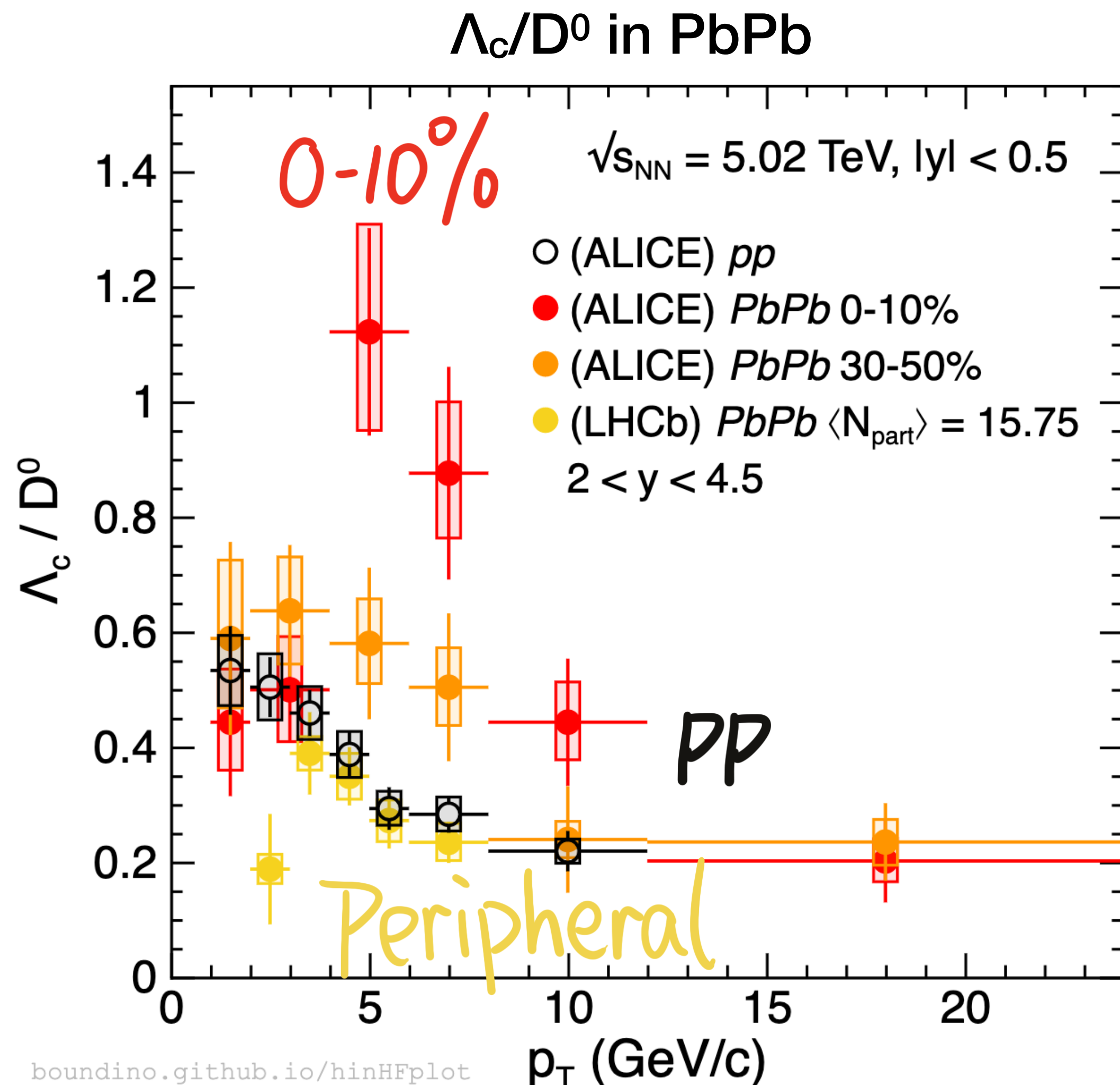


- Indication of enhanced production of D_s in PbPb collisions (2.3σ)
- What will happen at lower p_T ?
 - Divergence of theoretical models

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Heavy Flavor Baryons in PbPb

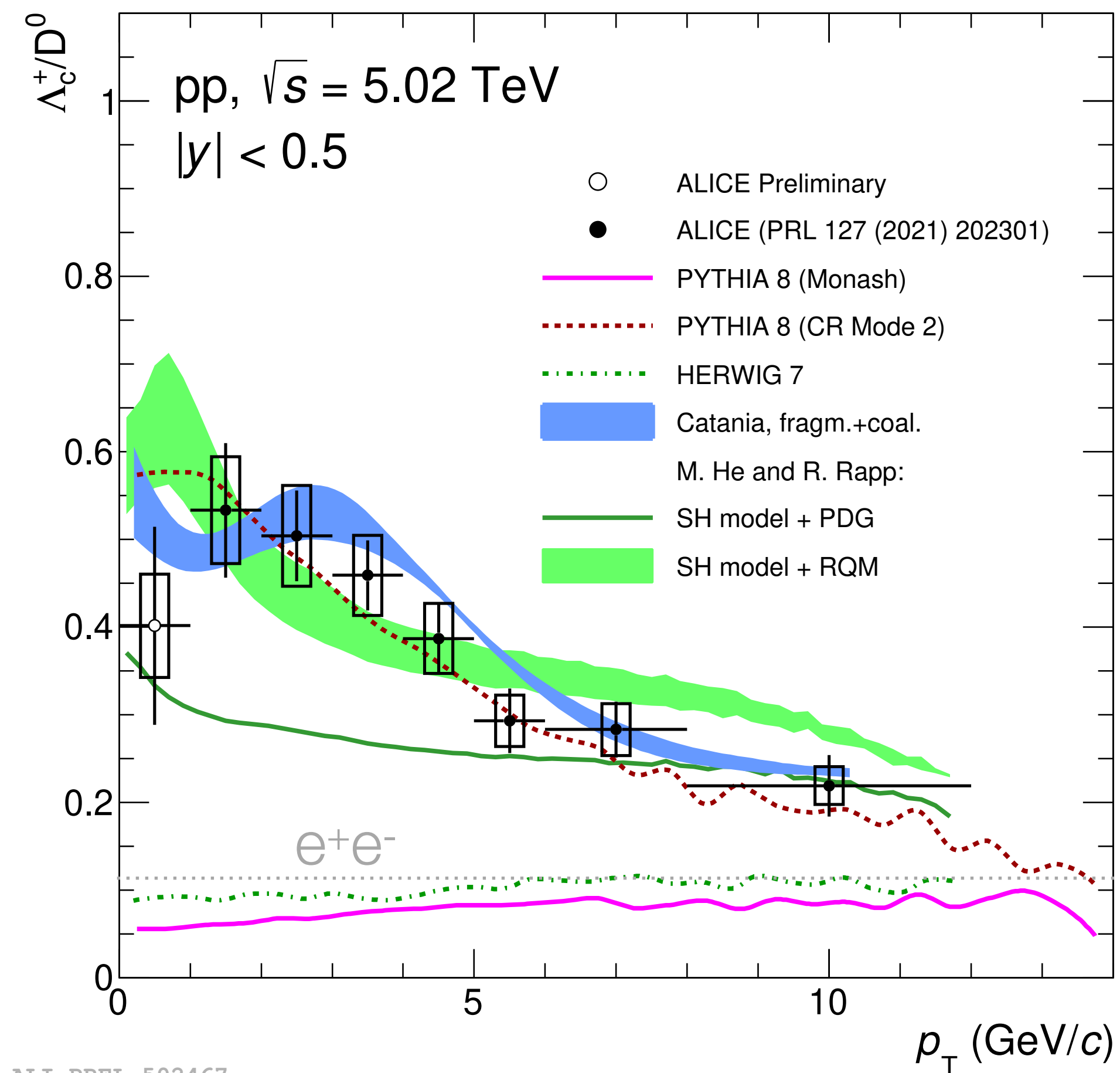


[boundino.github.io/hinHFplot](https://github.com/boundino/hinHFplot)

- **Enhanced production** of charmed baryons in PbPb
- Hint of lower ratio in **very peripheral** events than pp?
 - Note: different rapidity range
 → what's the role of rapidity dependence?

[arXiv:2112.08156](https://arxiv.org/abs/2112.08156)

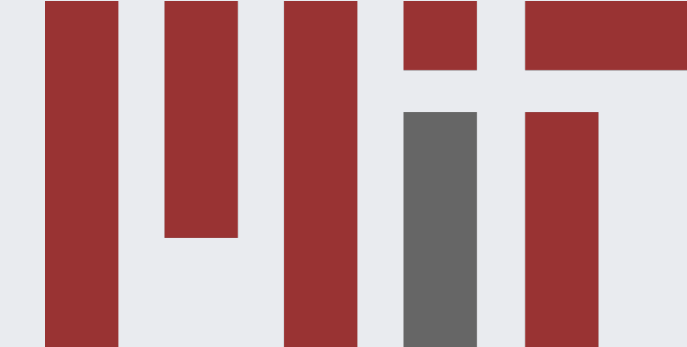
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Λ_c/D^0 in pp

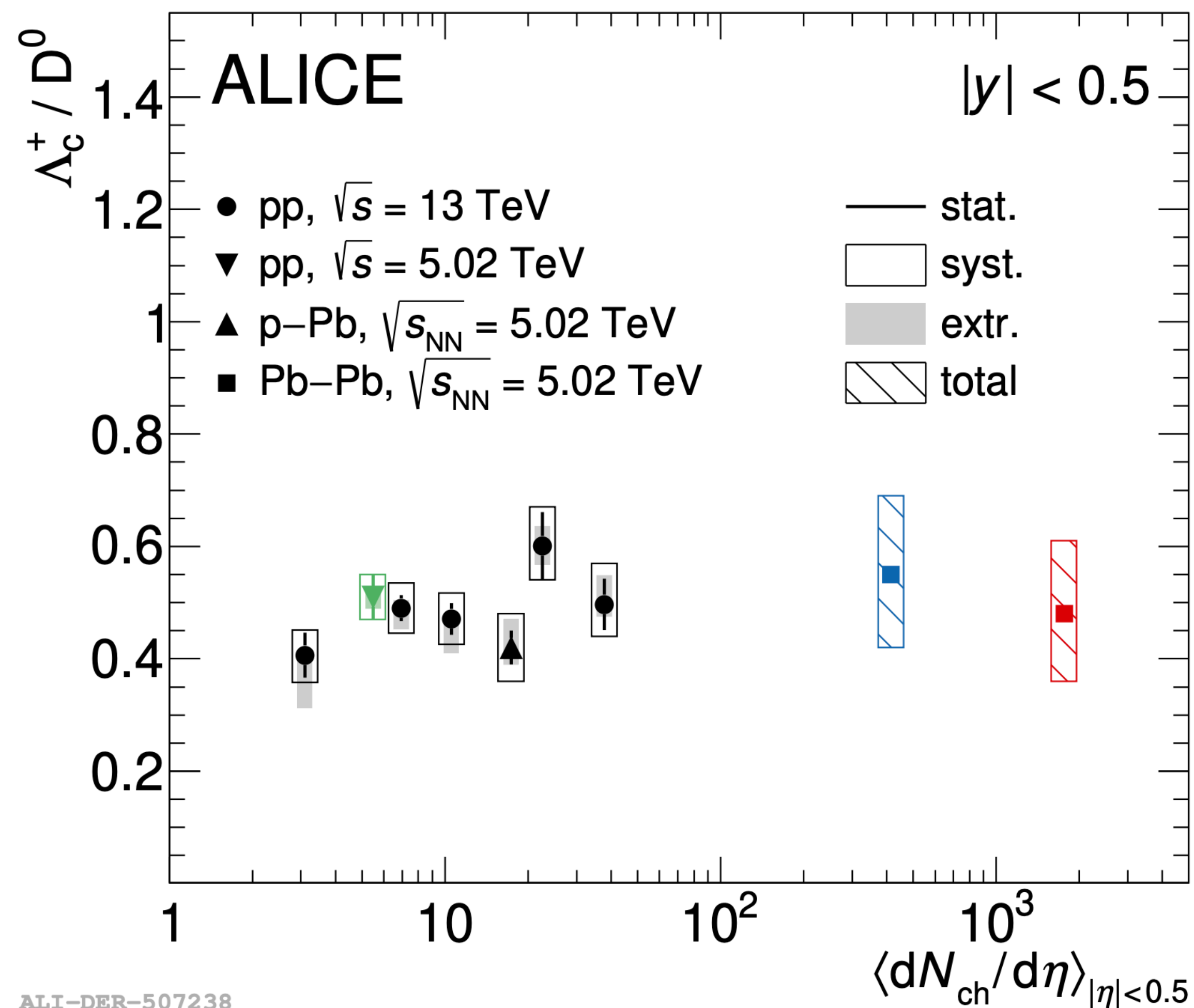
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- Modification (wrt e^+e^-) already happens in pp
- Several efforts to describe the enhancement
 - Color reconnection
 - Coalescence + fragmentation
 - Additional excited baryons than PDG
- Then, the most low p_T bin is overestimated

Λ_c over Collision Systems



p_T -integrated Λ_c/D^0

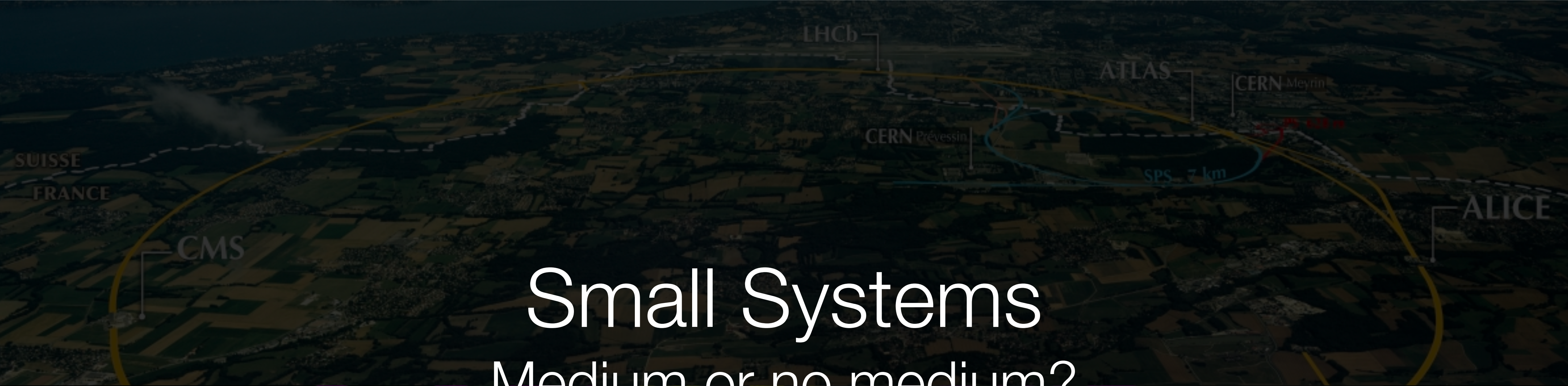


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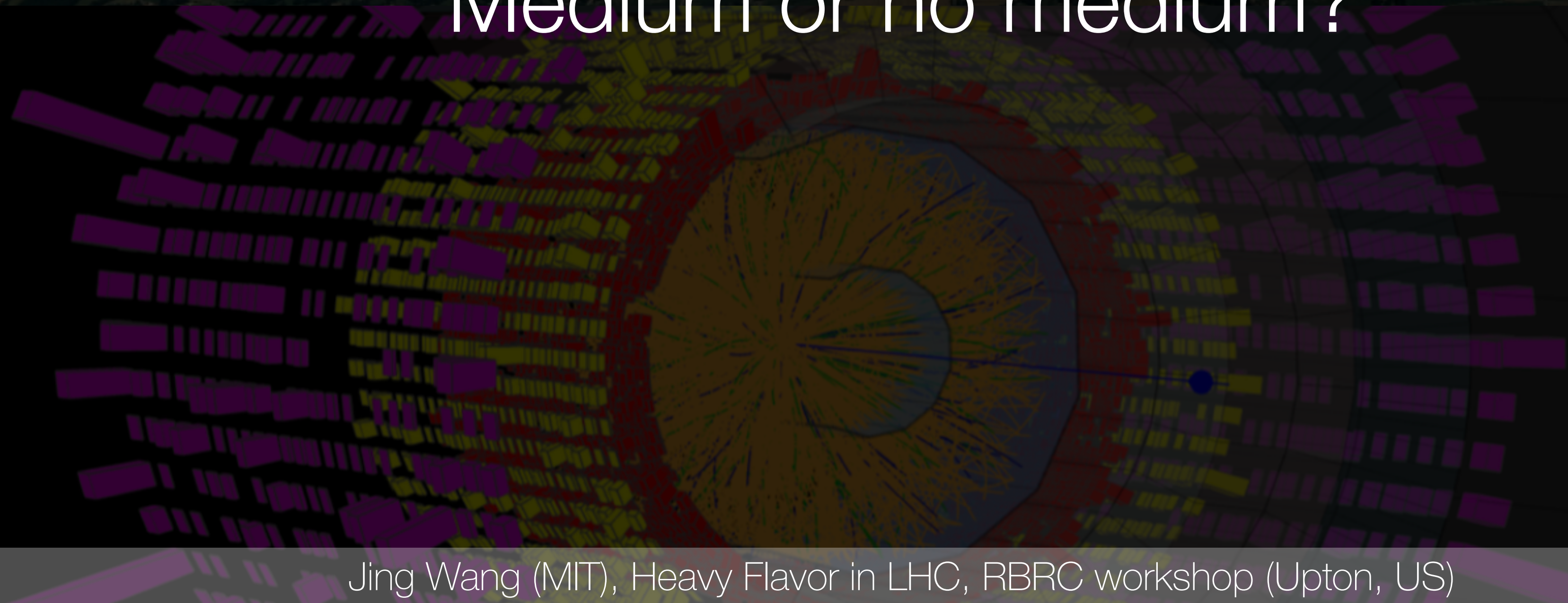
[arXiv:2207.07590](https://arxiv.org/abs/2207.07590)

- p_T integrated ratio is independent of collision system, multiplicity and energy
 - Redistribution instead of enhancement
- But indeed larger than e^+e^-
 - What is the essential difference between e^+e^- and $pp/pPb/PbPb$?
- Look forward to a full collision system and energy scan in LHC and RHIC

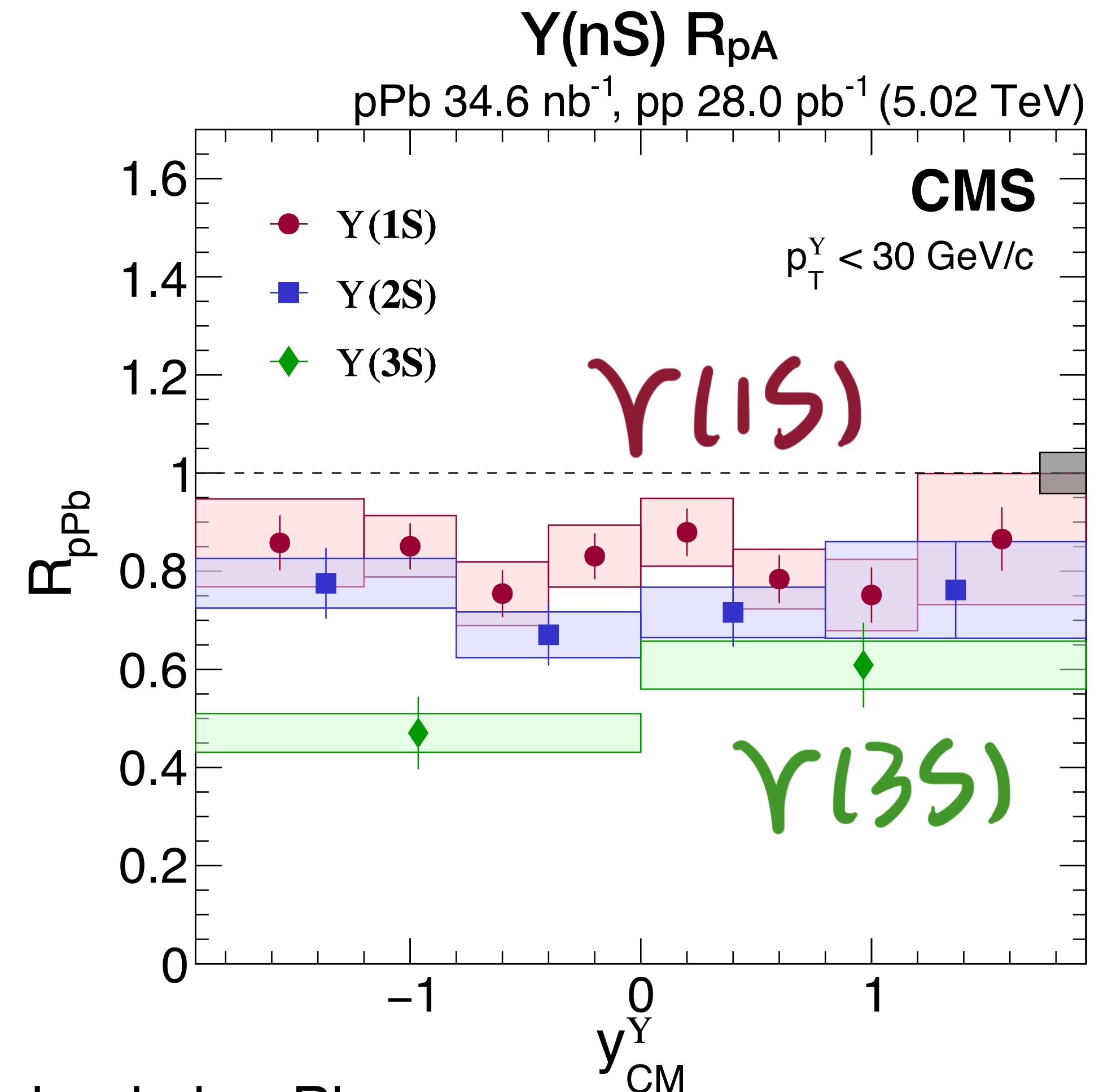
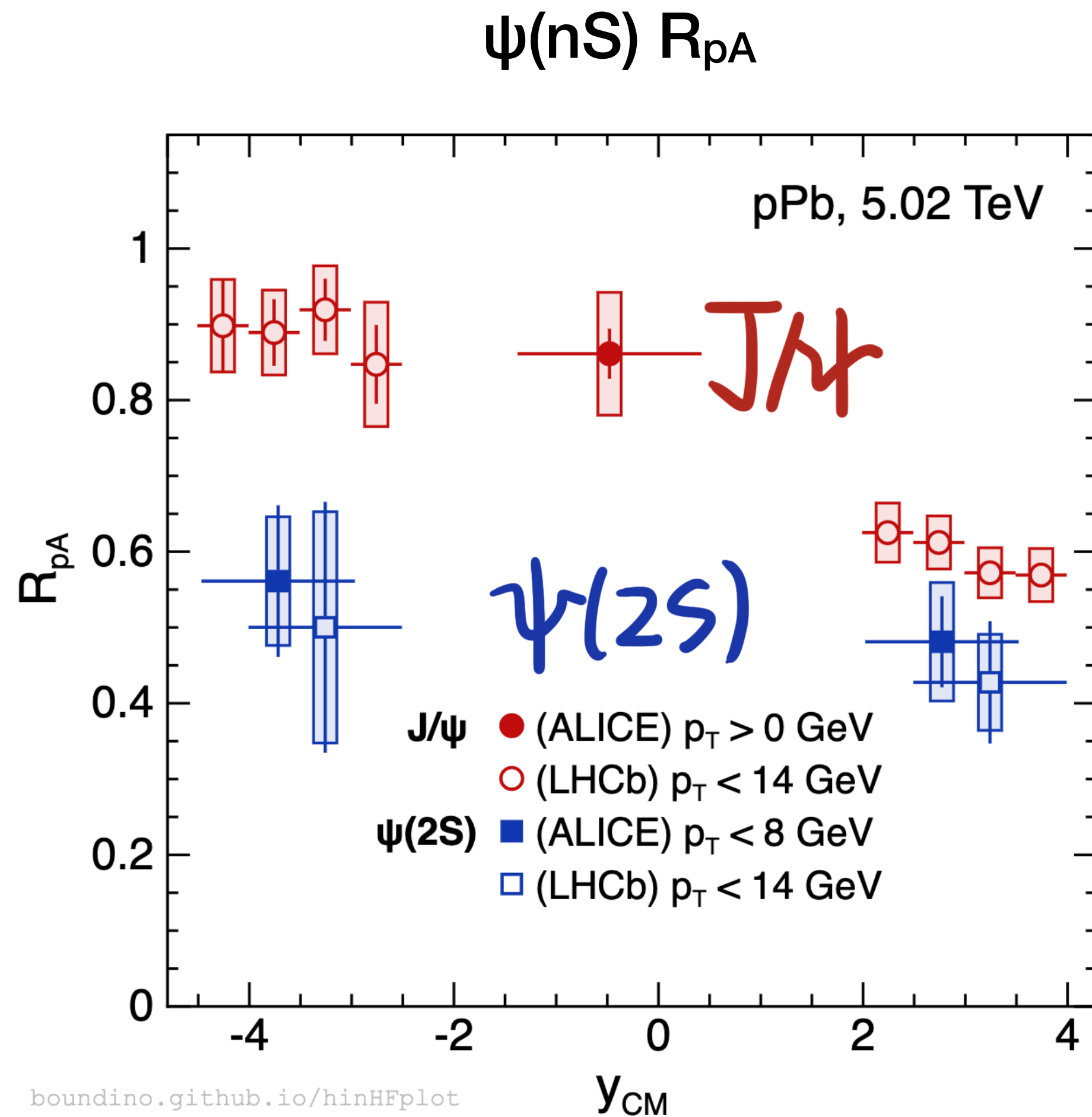
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Small Systems Medium or no medium?



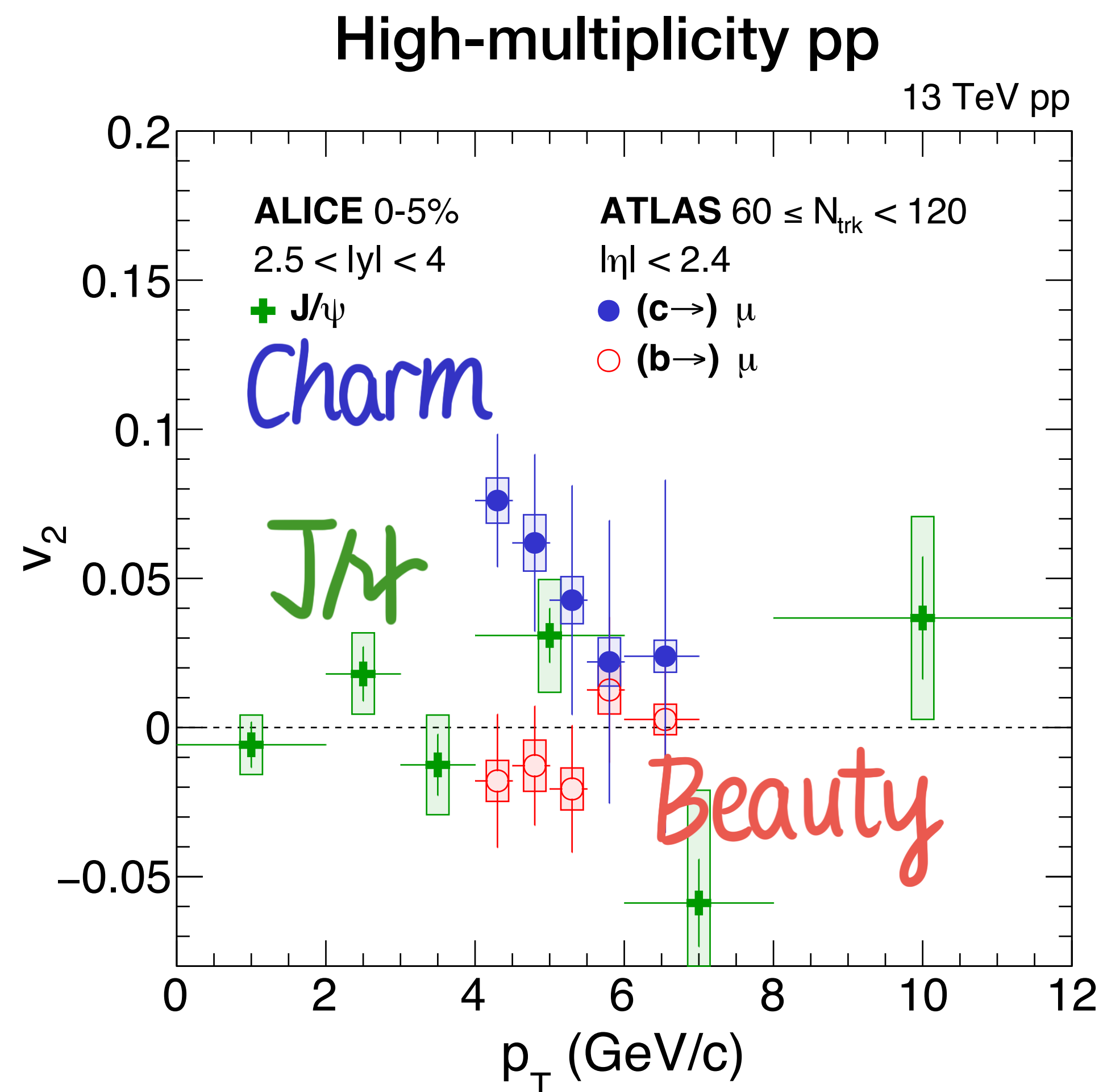
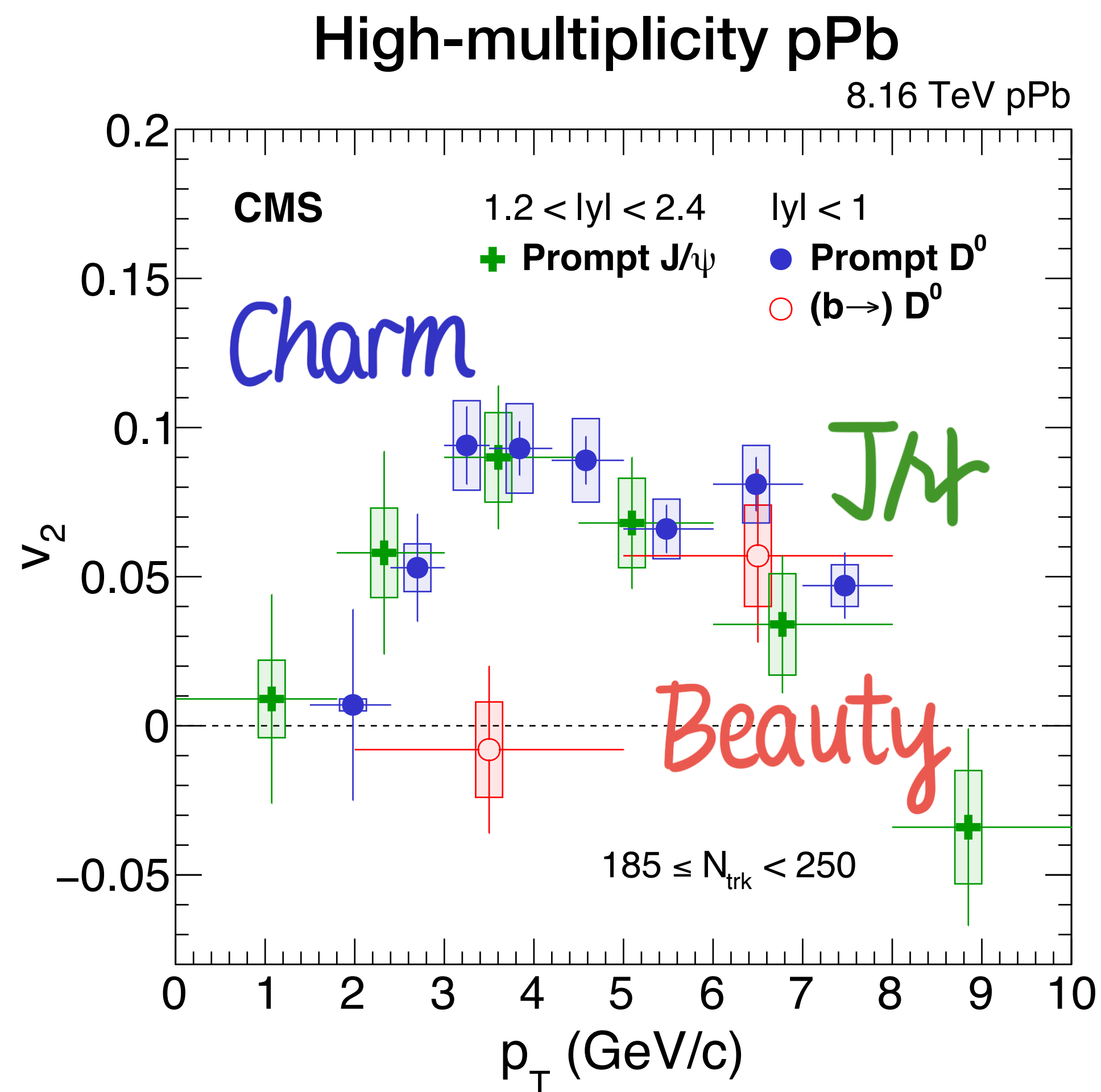
Suppression of Quarkonia in pPb



[arXiv:2202.11807](https://arxiv.org/abs/2202.11807)

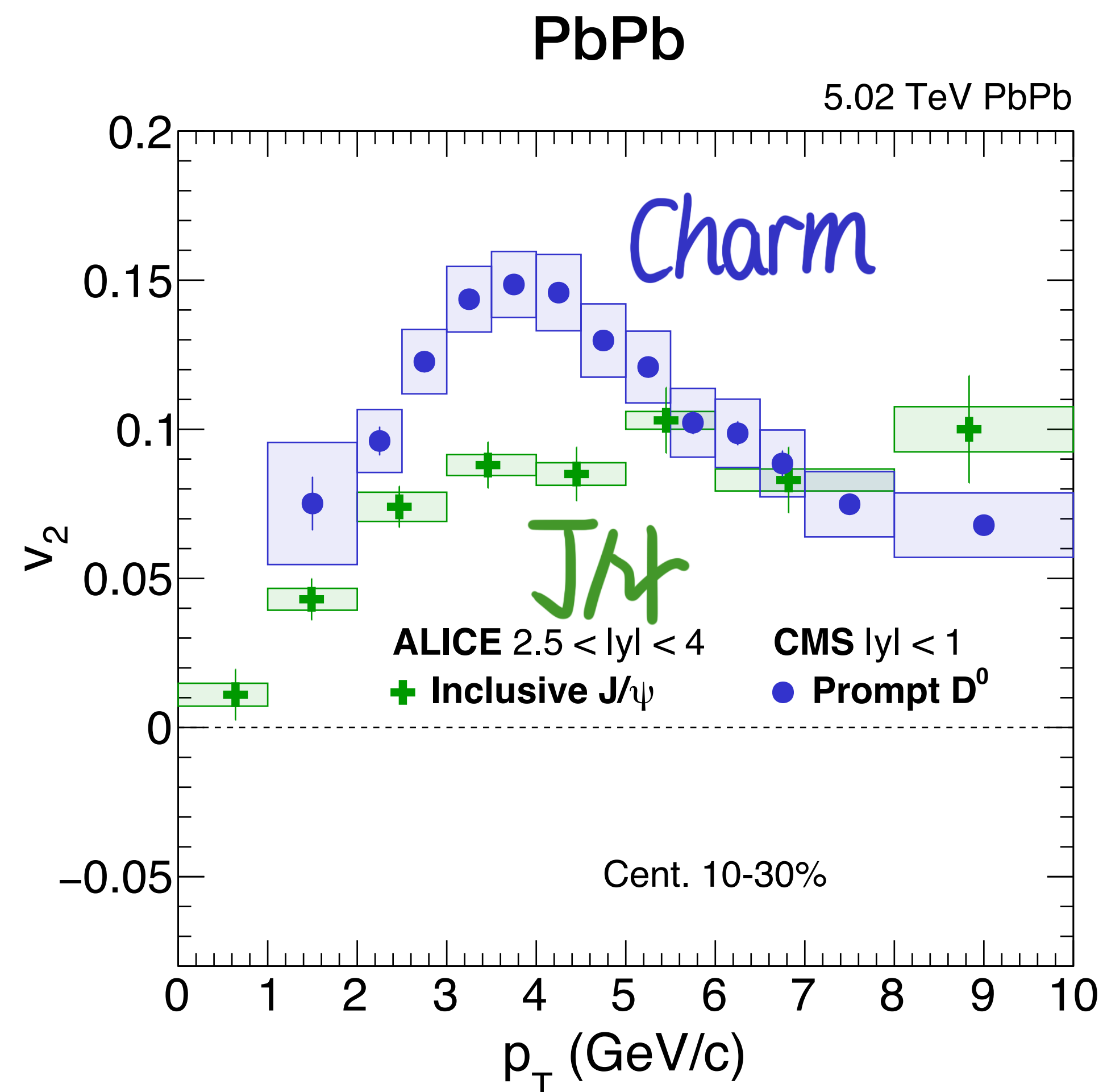
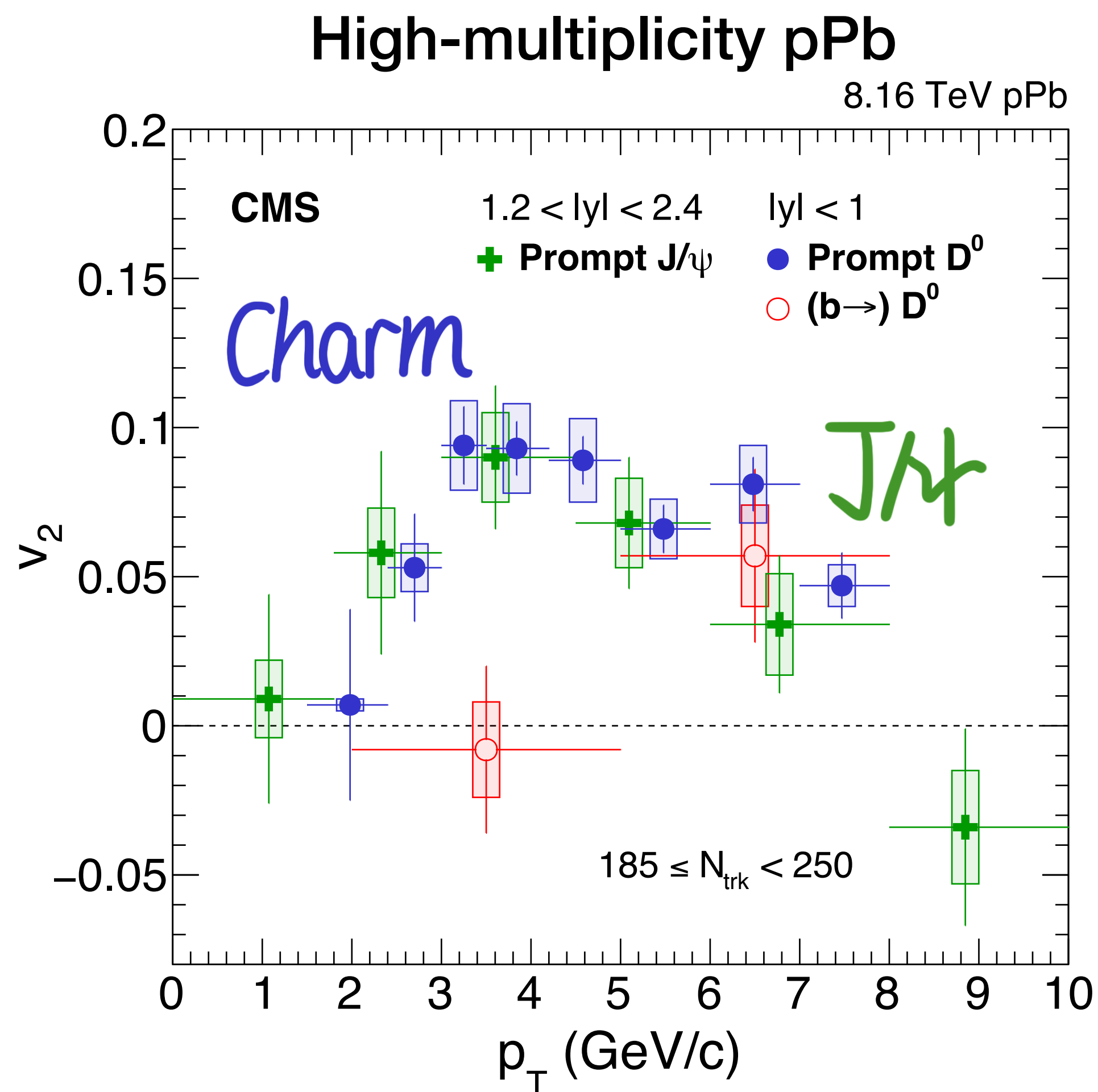
- Sequential suppression pattern of quarkonia in pPb
- Excited state modification beyond nPDF
- Studied with comover and medium interaction → How do we distinguish them?

Heavy Flavor Flow in Small Systems



- Open charm flow signal observed in both pp and pPb
- Non-zero J/ ψ v_2 in pPb but not in pp

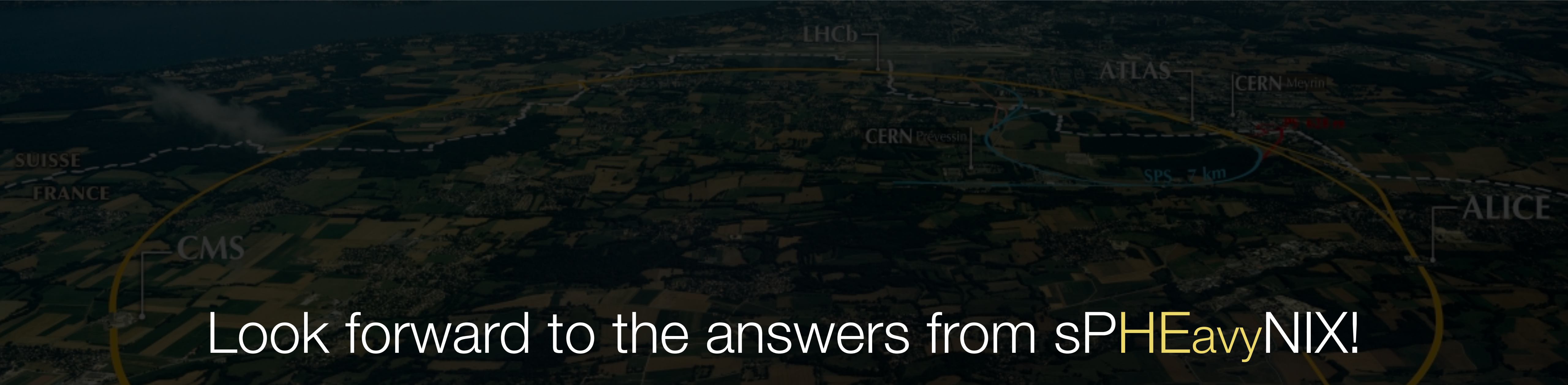
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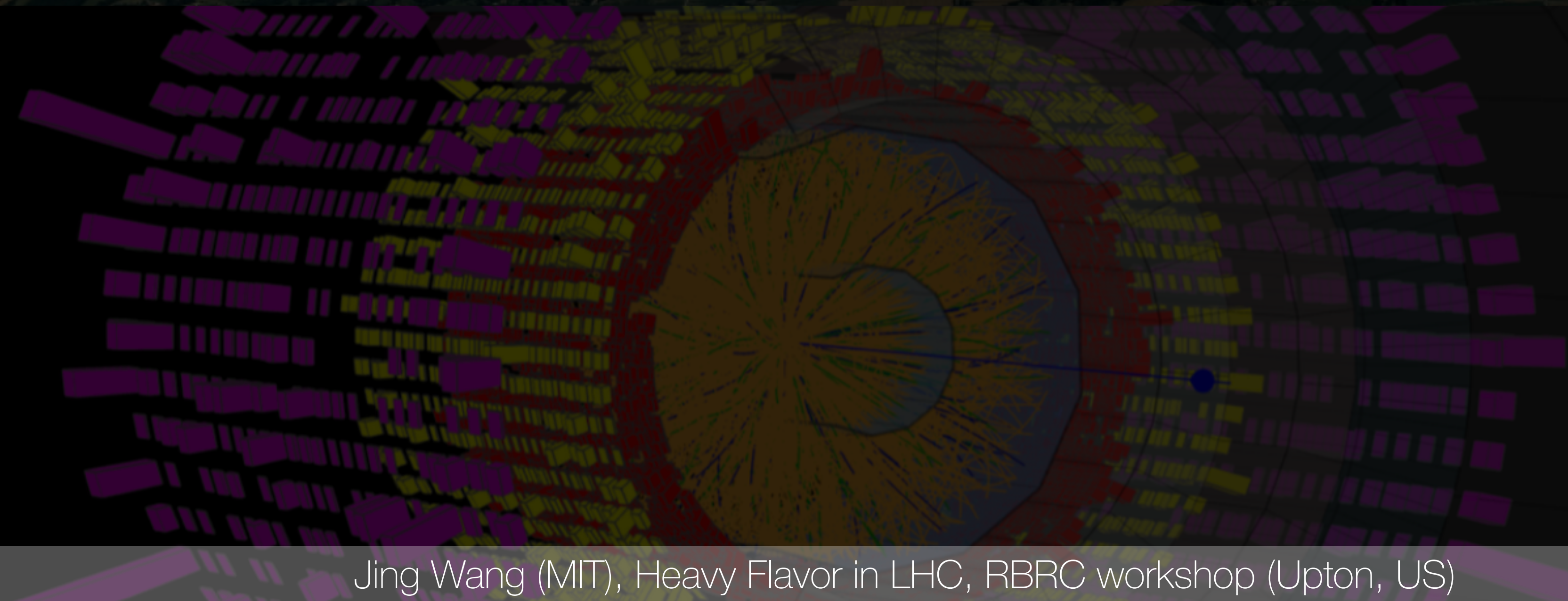
- Different flavor dependence of v_2 in pPb and PbPb → hint of different source?
- How do we distinguish initial and final state effects?

- Many **medium-like effects** (charm flow, sequential quarkonia suppression and modification of hadronization) are observed in small collision systems
- There should be some final state effects, but **no sign of jet quenching** signal
- We don't know how to isolate **initial and final state** effects
- We don't fully understand the role of **high multiplicity**, and need a more coherent definition of event classes across systems and experiments

Summary



Look forward to the answers from sP^HE^{avy}NIX!





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Thanks for your attention!

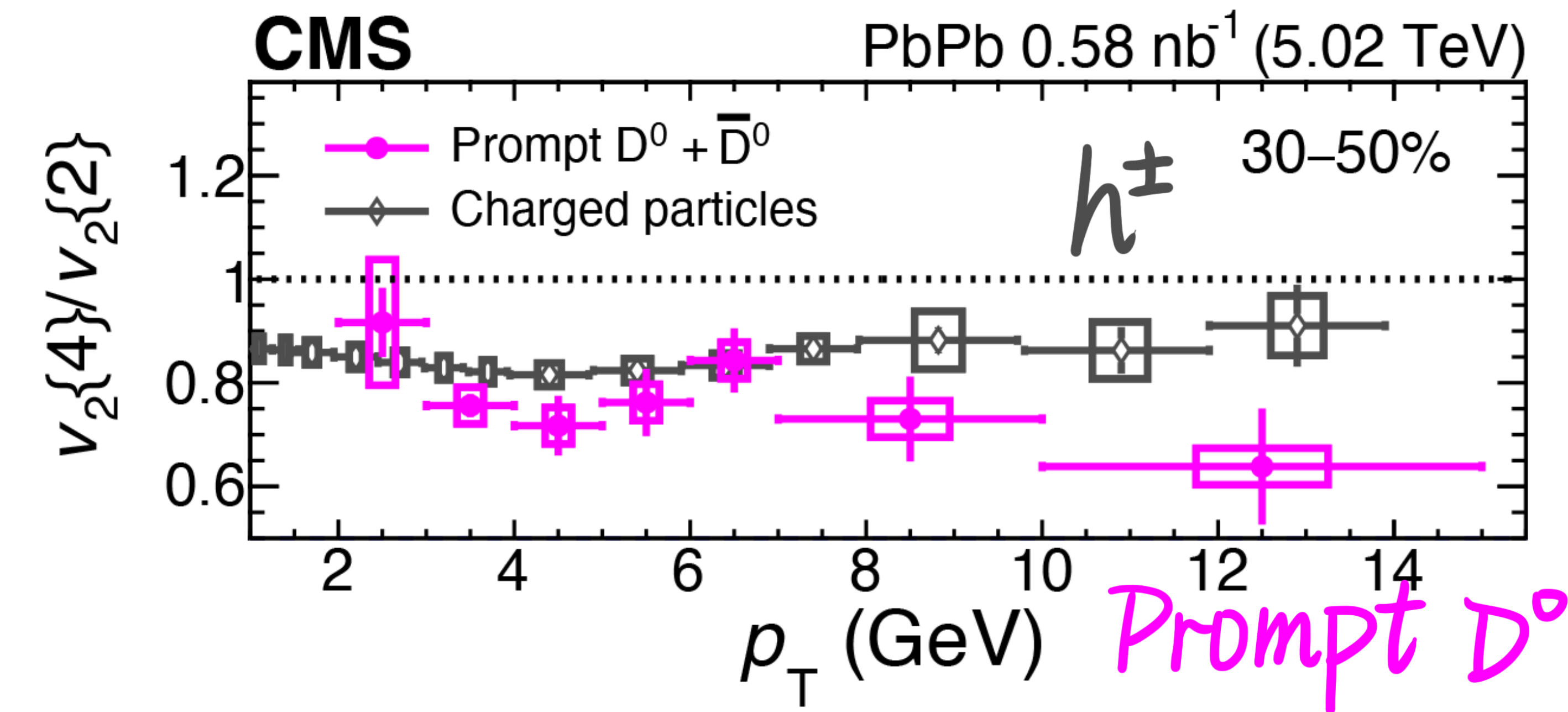


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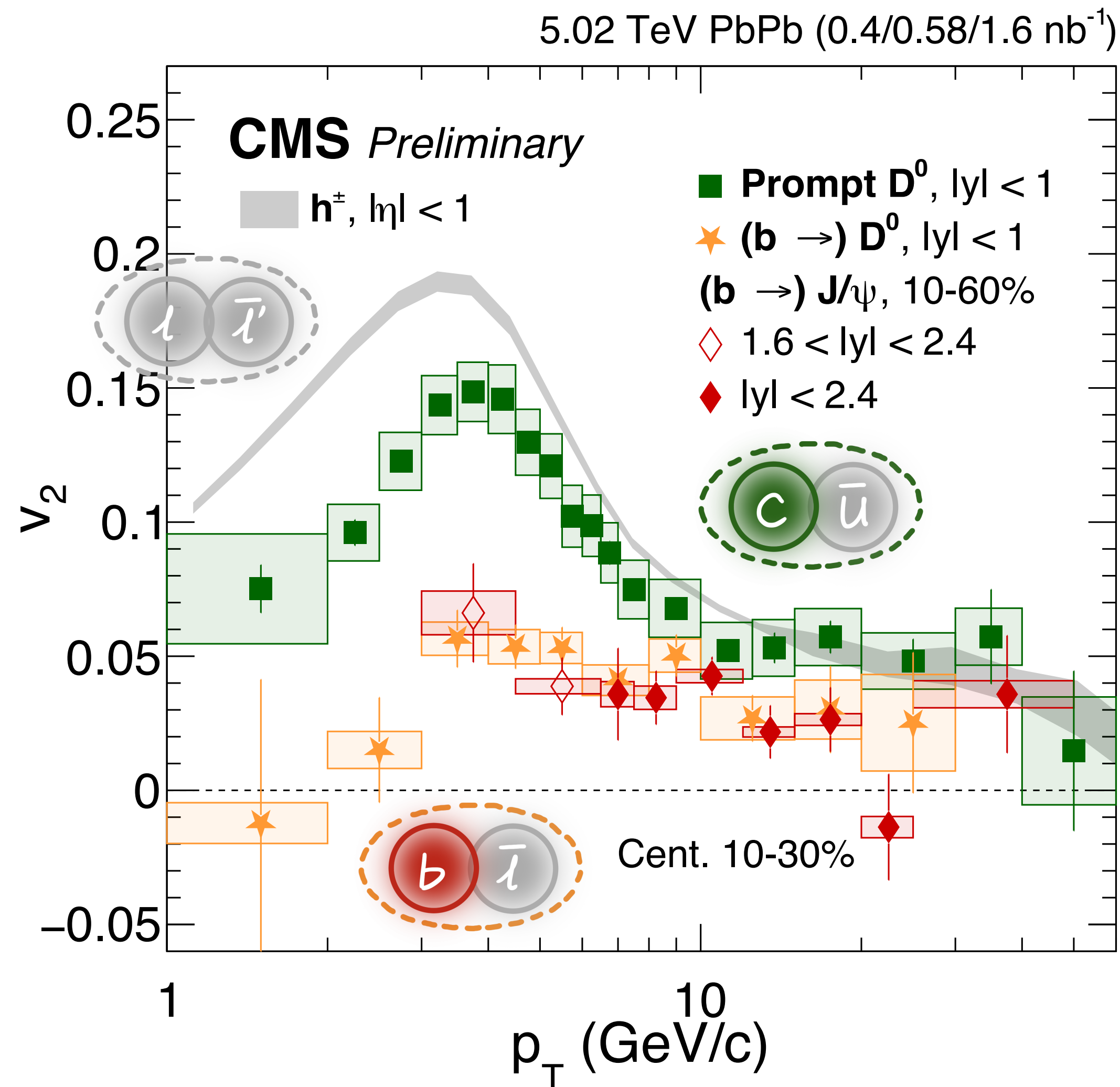
Probe Initial Fluctuations: D^0 $v_2\{4\}$

Prompt D^0 $v_2\{2\}/v_2\{4\}$



- Fluctuations of both initial geometry (soft) and energy loss (hard)
 - can be distinguished by:
- Prompt D^0 $v_2\{4\}/v_2\{2\}$
 - Weak p_T dependence
 - ➔ Initial geometry is the main source of fluctuations

Open Beauty v_2 : Full Flavor Picture



- Unique beauty flow info covering wide kinematic range
 - $(b \rightarrow) D^0 v_2$ consistent with $(b \rightarrow) J/\psi v_2$
- Low p_T : Similar peak structure as other flavors
 - Open beauty $v_2 < \text{Open charm } v_2 < \text{Light } v_2$
 - ➔ Weaker collectivity of heavy than light quark
 - ➔ Recombination
- High p_T : All flavors tend to converge
 - Mass effect disappears

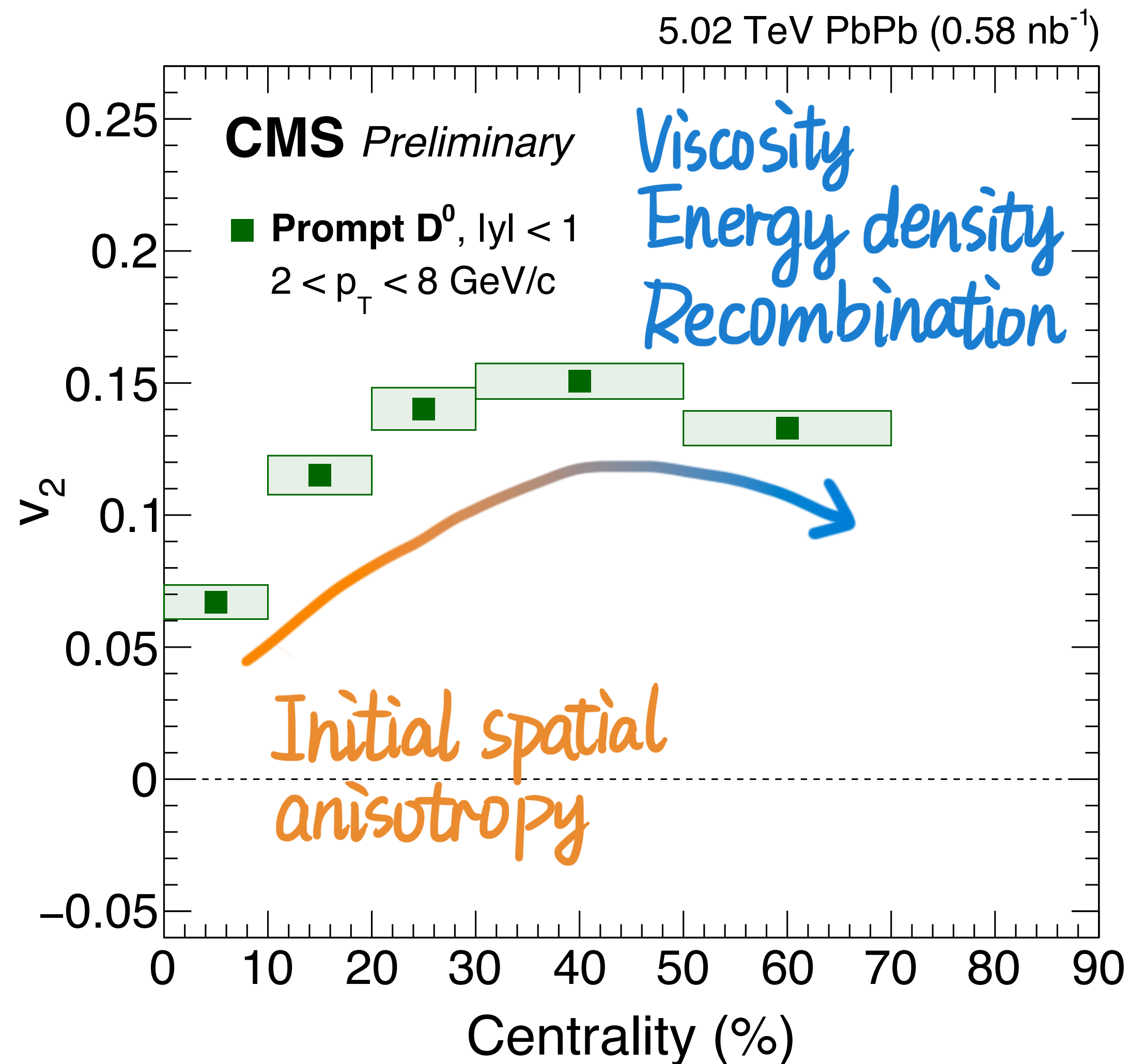
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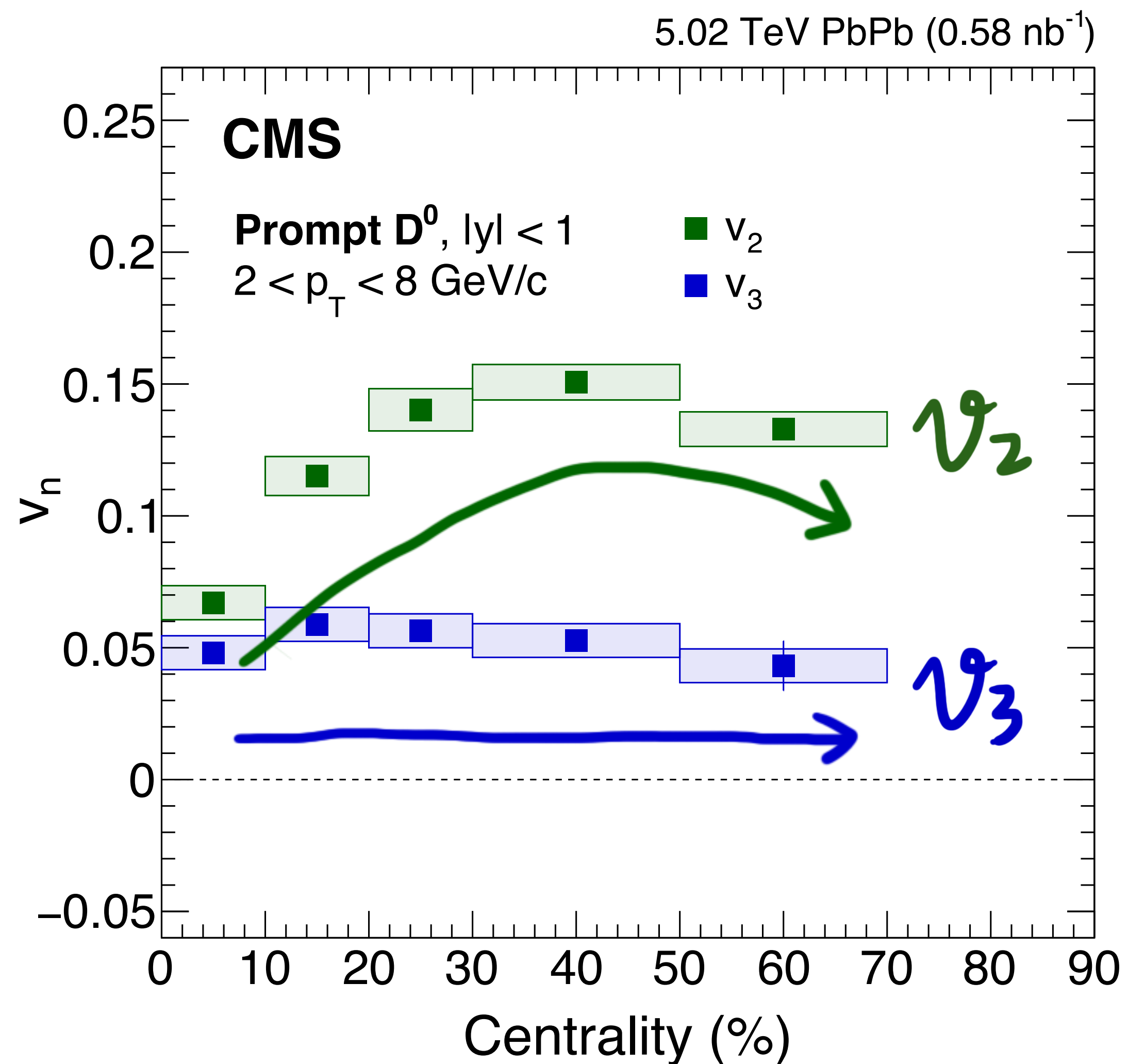
HF v_2 : Centrality Dependence



- v_2 **increase** and then **decrease** from central to peripheral events
 - as expected by hydrodynamics
 - but different effects work differently for different flavors

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HF v_n : Centrality Dependence

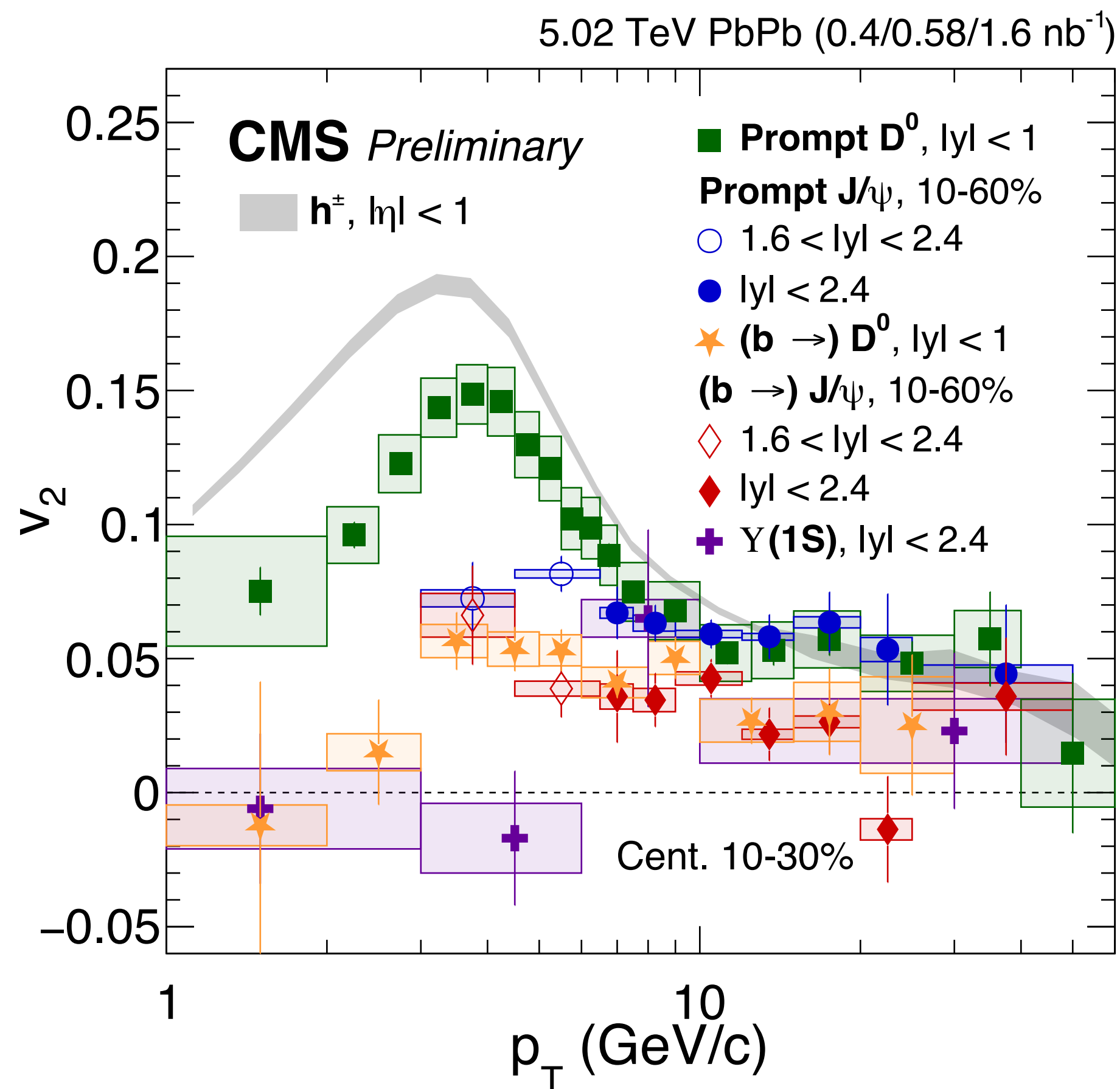


- Centrality dependence is **strong** for v_2 and **weak** for v_3
→ expected by hydrodynamics

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Summary: CMS Heavy Flavor v_2 Zoo

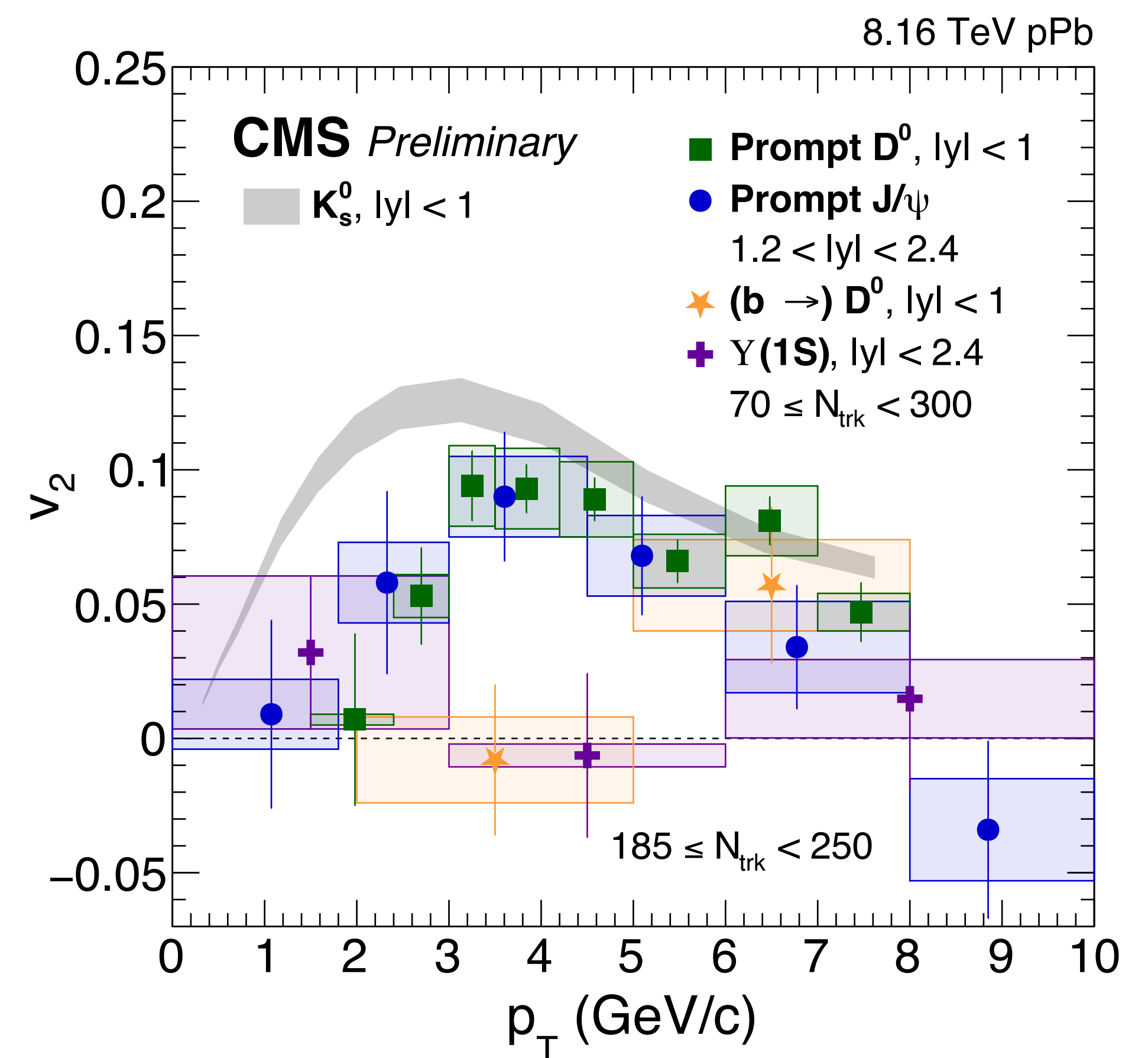
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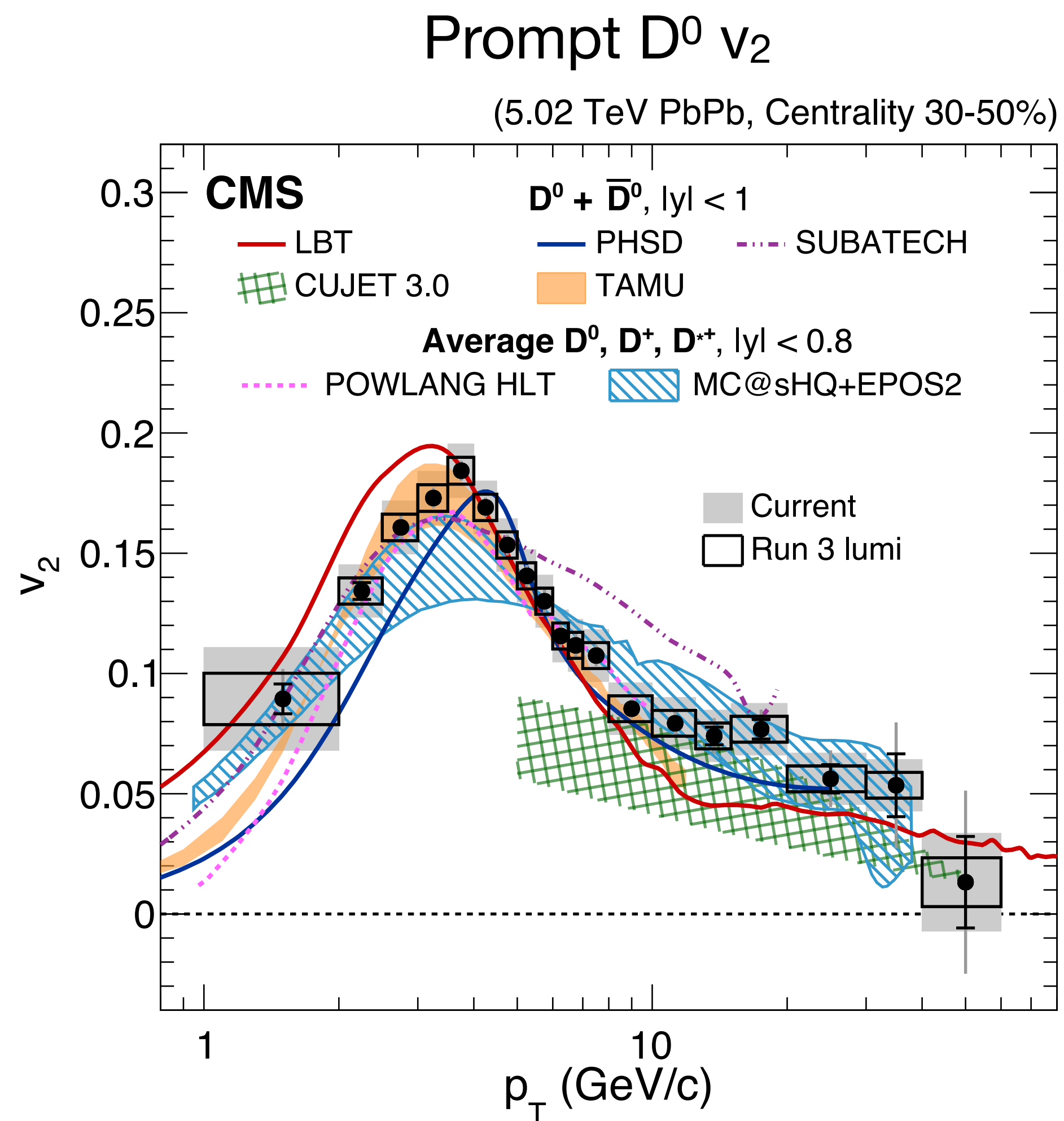
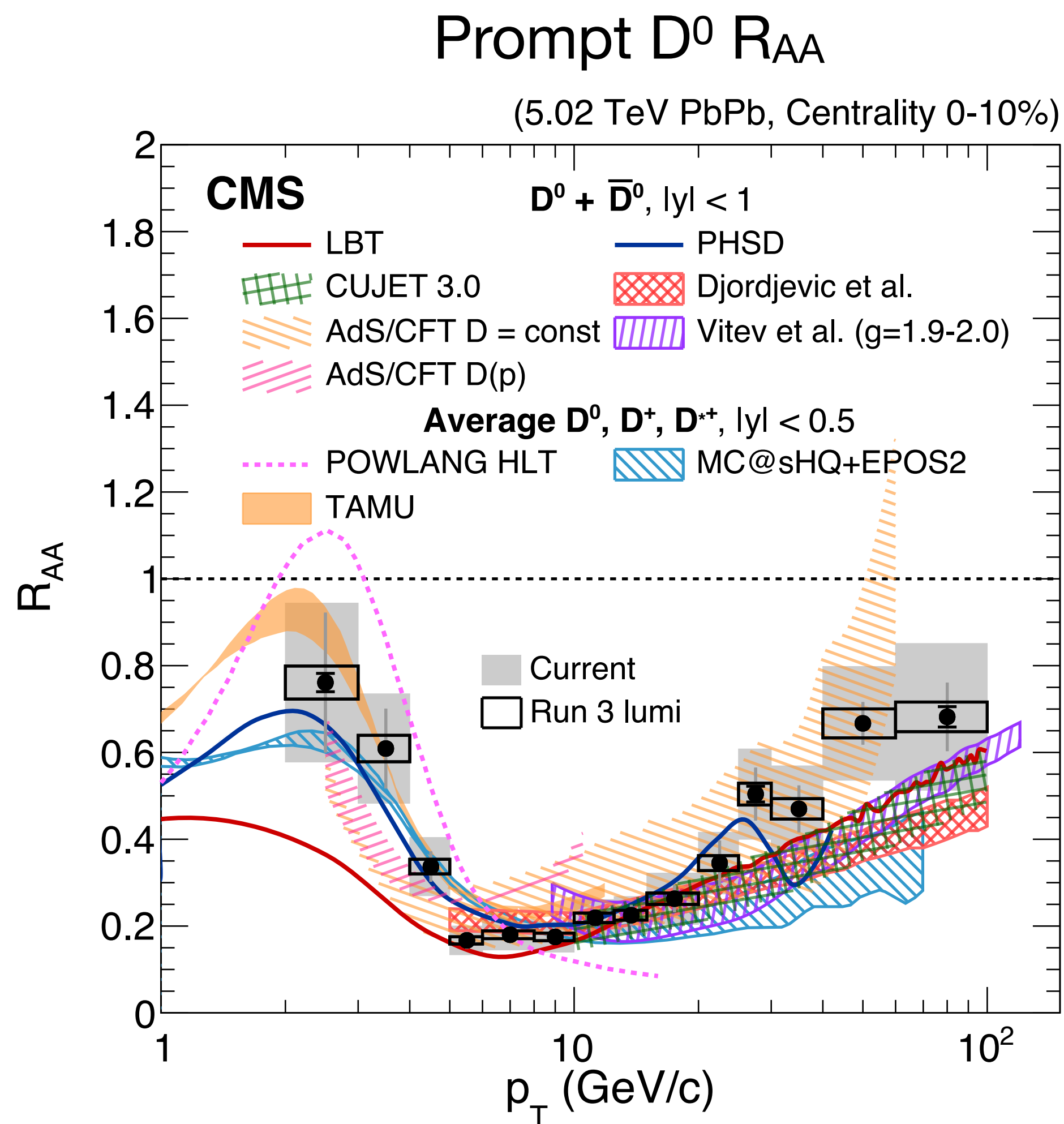
$h^\pm$
 D^0
 J/ψ
 $b \rightarrow D^0$
 $b \rightarrow J/\psi$
 $Y(1S)$

Reference

pPb @ 8.16 TeV

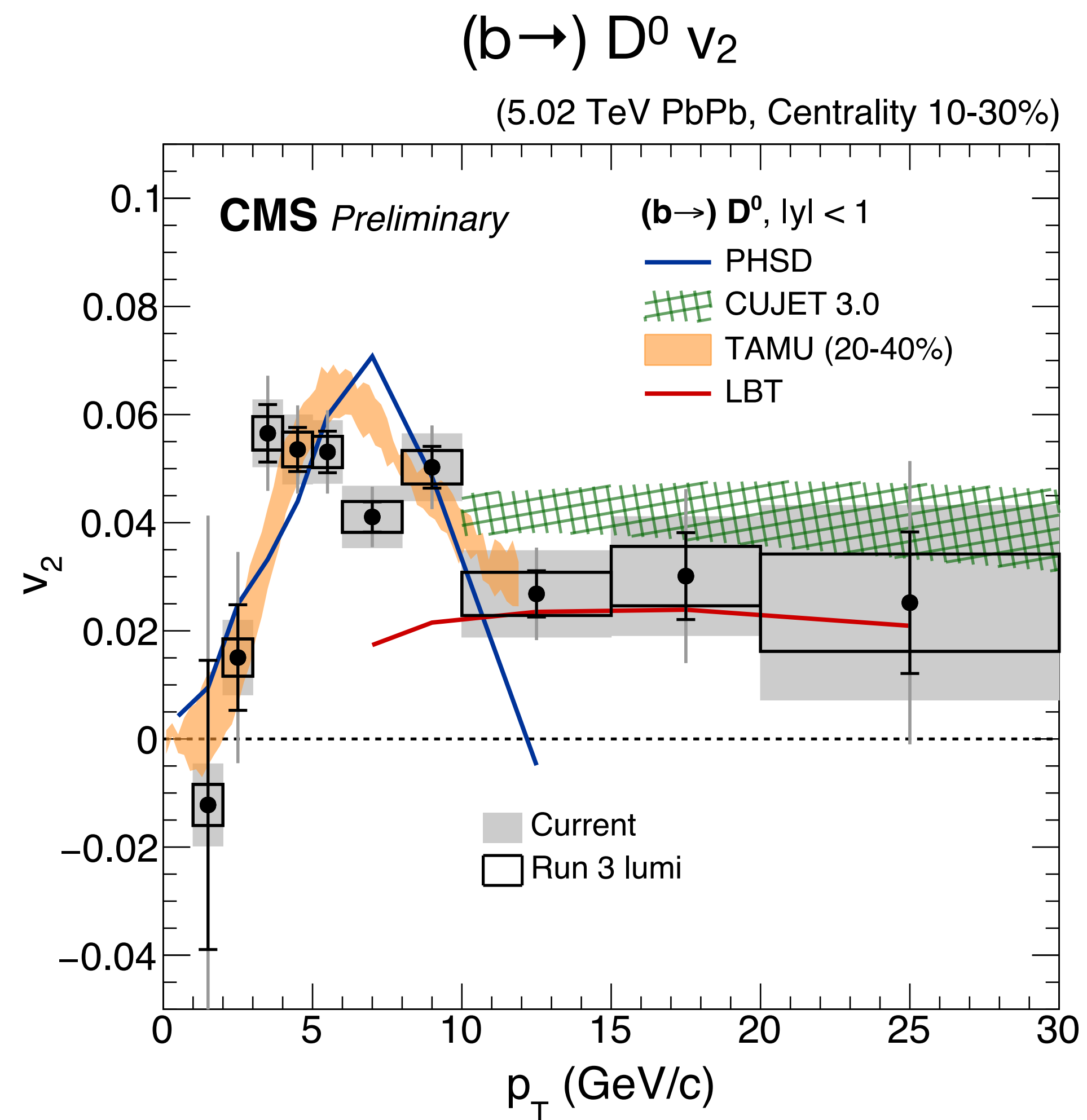
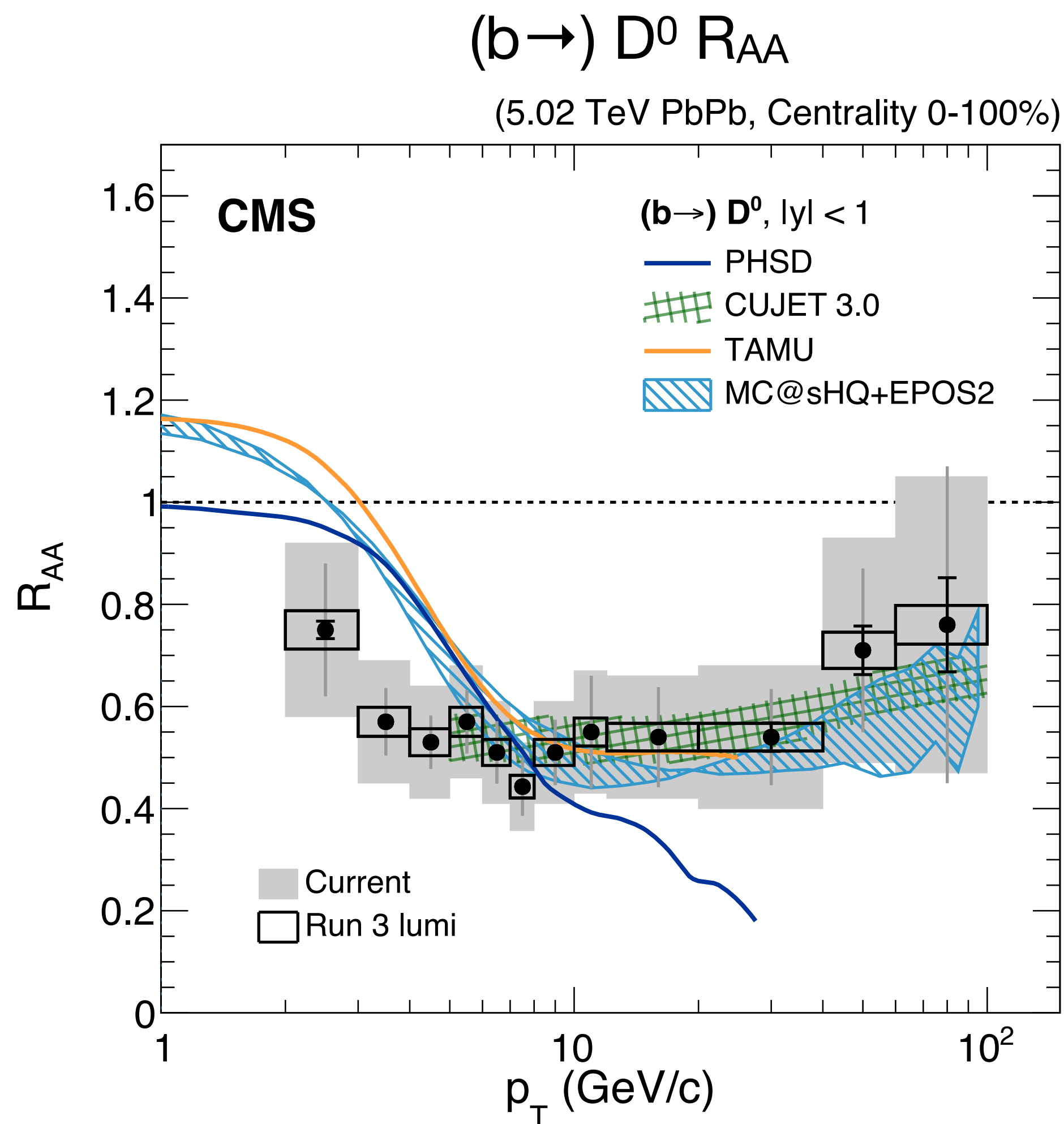


- Abundant physics behind these high precision and unique measurements from CMS!
- Challenging for models to reproduce data across all systems and flavors



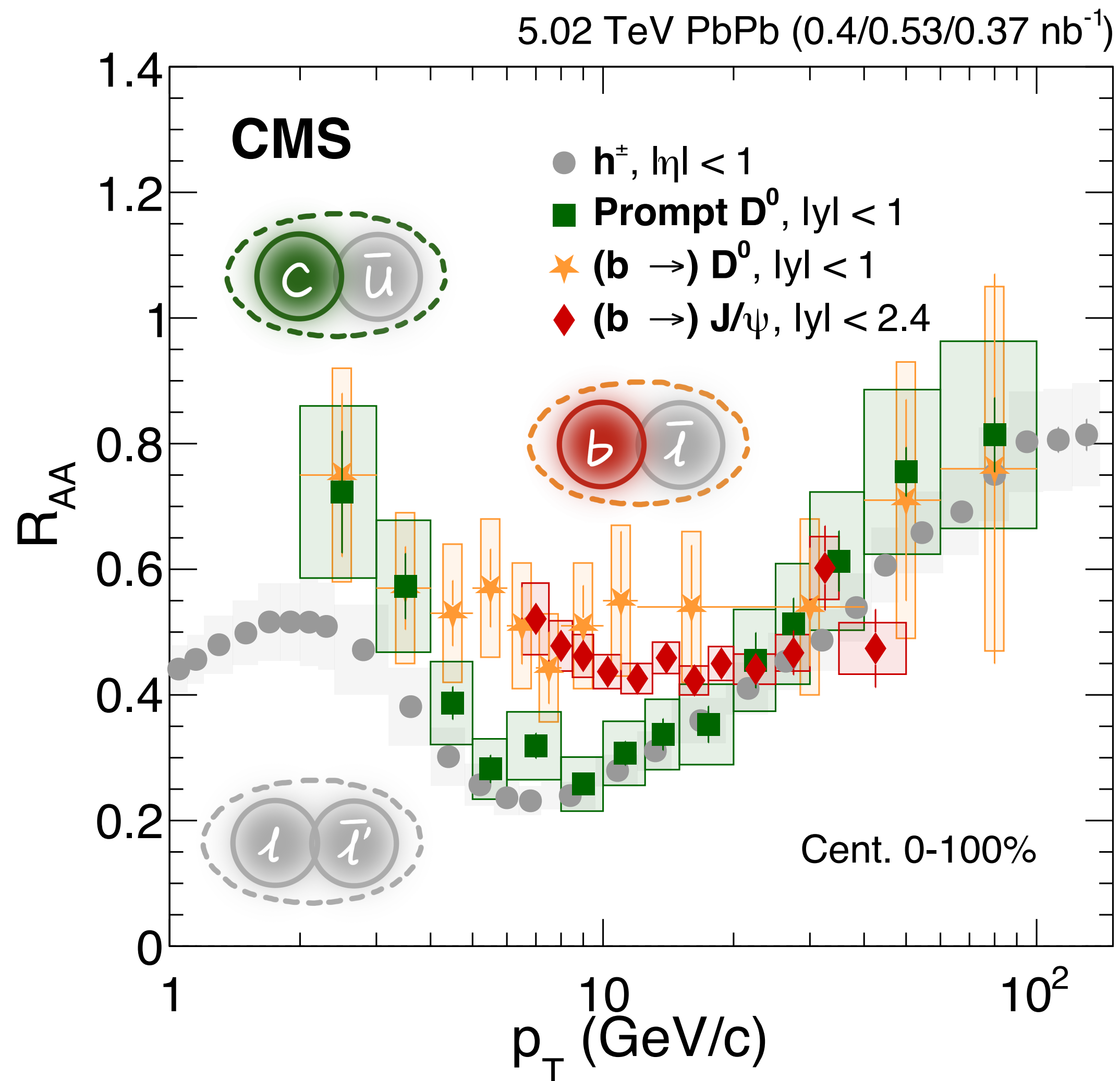
- Run 3 data has very strong discrimination power for models

Model Comparison: Open Beauty



- Look forward to more calculations of open beauty

Beauty Energy Loss: Flavor Dependence



- Flavor difference at low and intermediate p_T
- Convolution of many effects
 - Mass dependent e-loss (dead cone effect)
 - Shadowing
 - Flow
 - Coalescence
 - p_T spectra, ...

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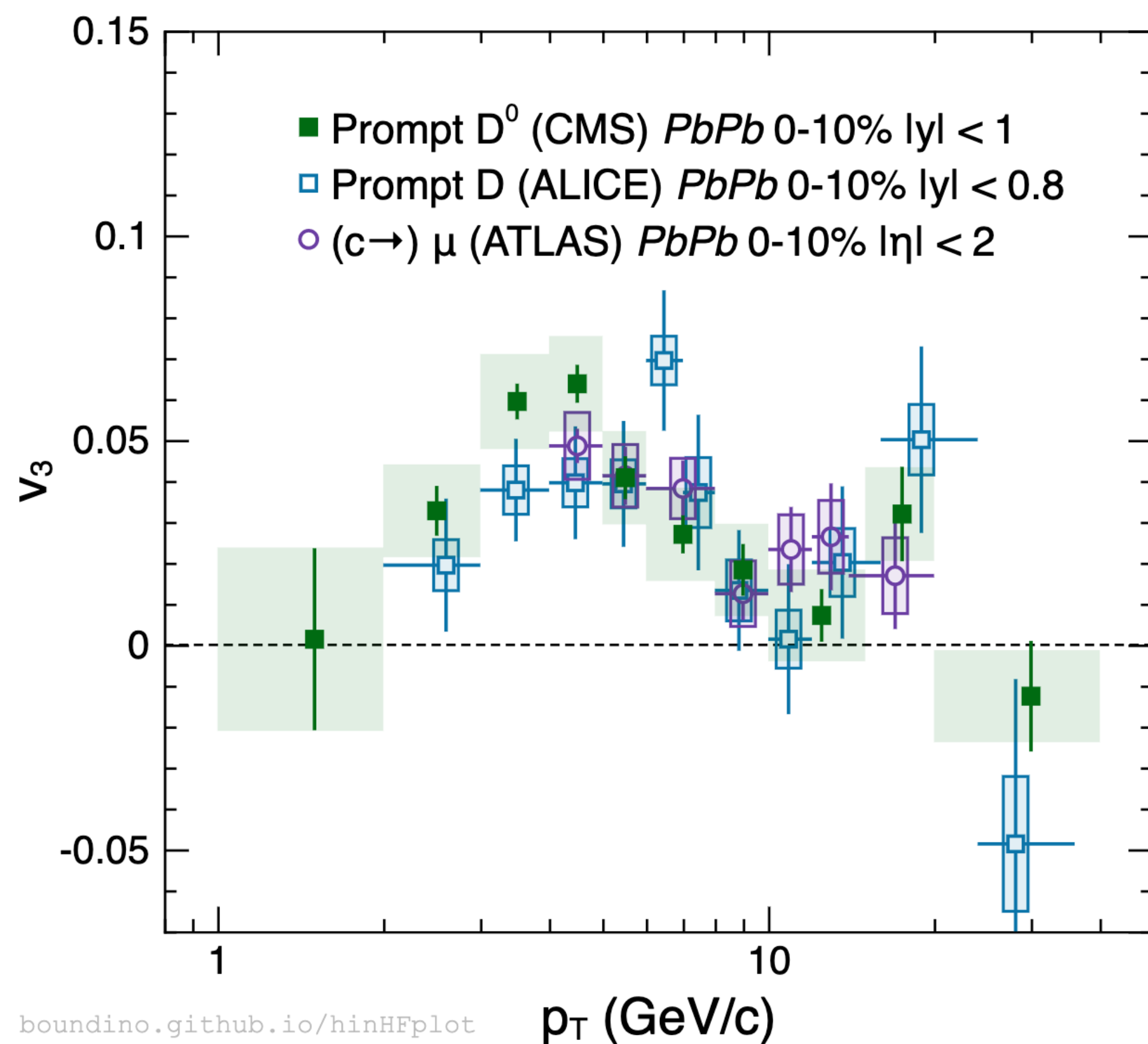
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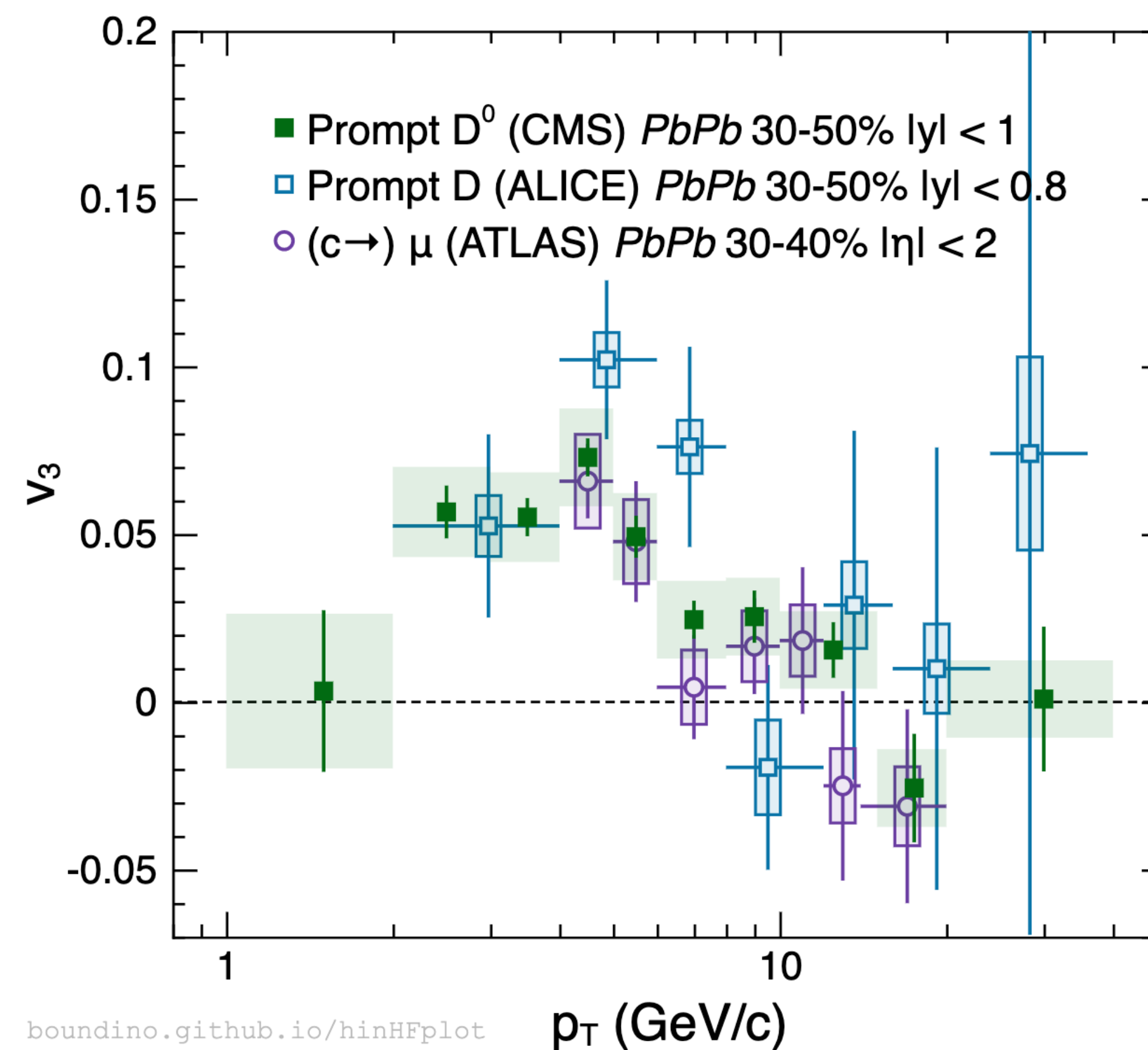
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Probe Initial State: Open Charm v_3

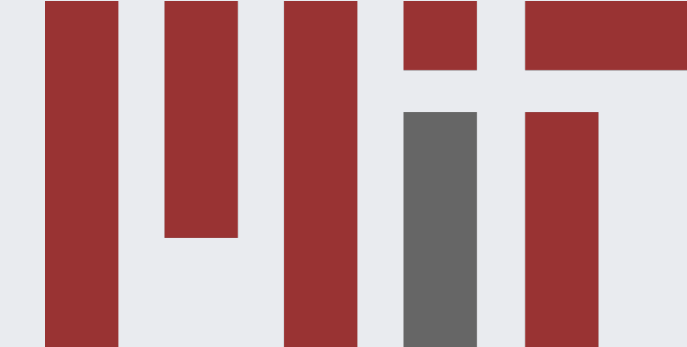
Open charm v_3 (0-10%)



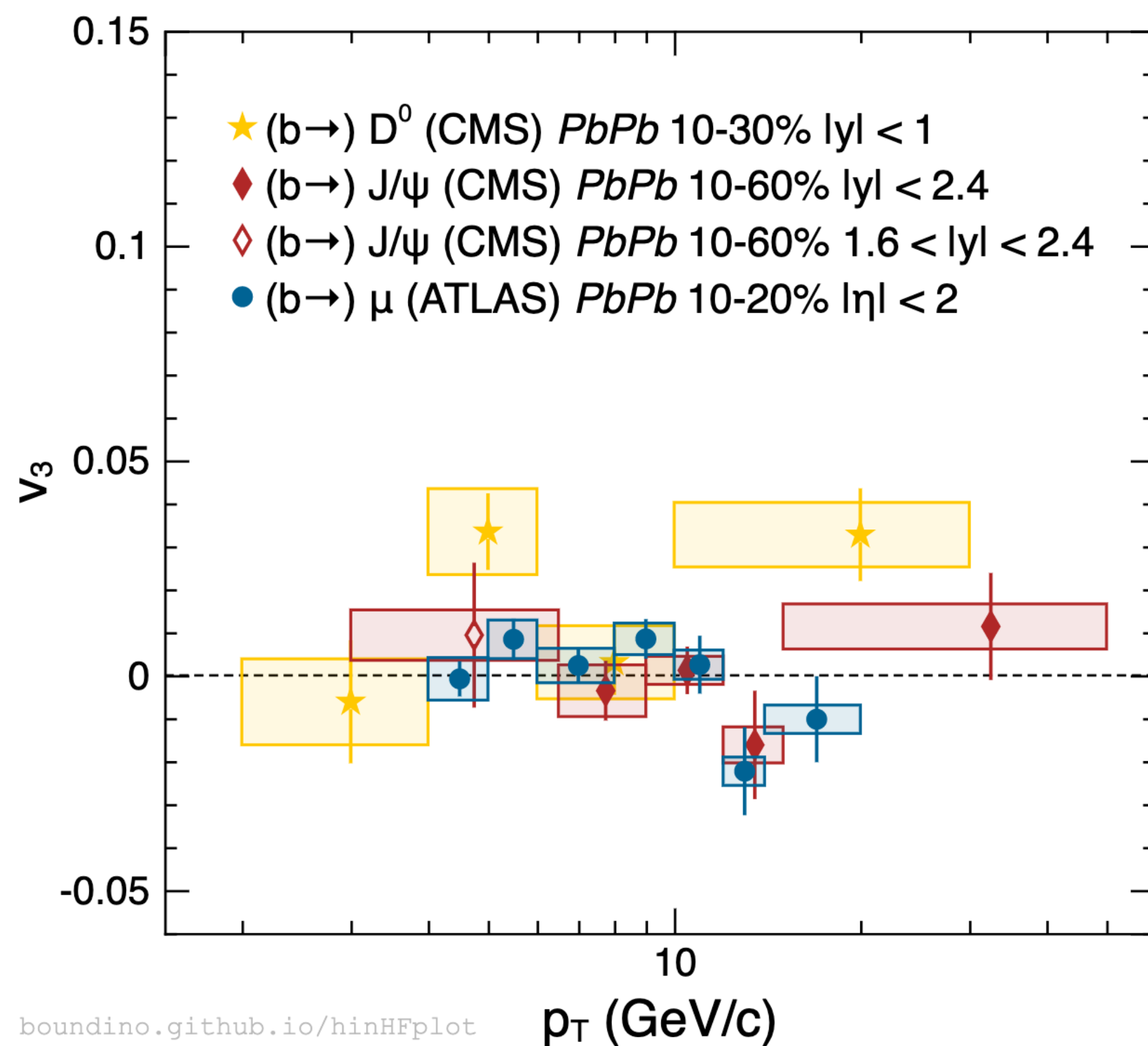
Open charm v_3 (30-50%)



Probe Initial State: Open Beauty v_3

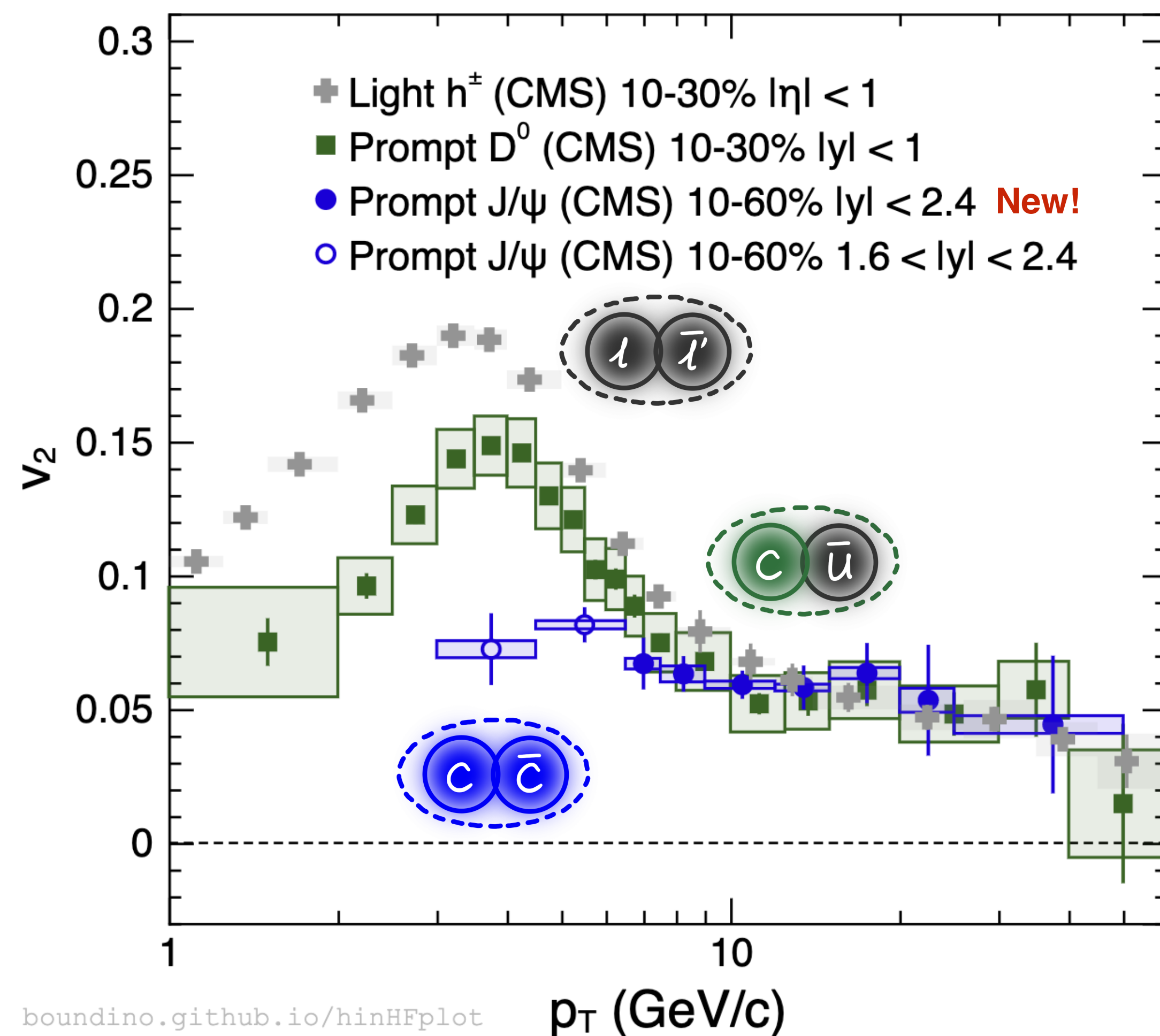


Cent. 10-30%



Charm v_2 in PbPb: Open vs. Hidden

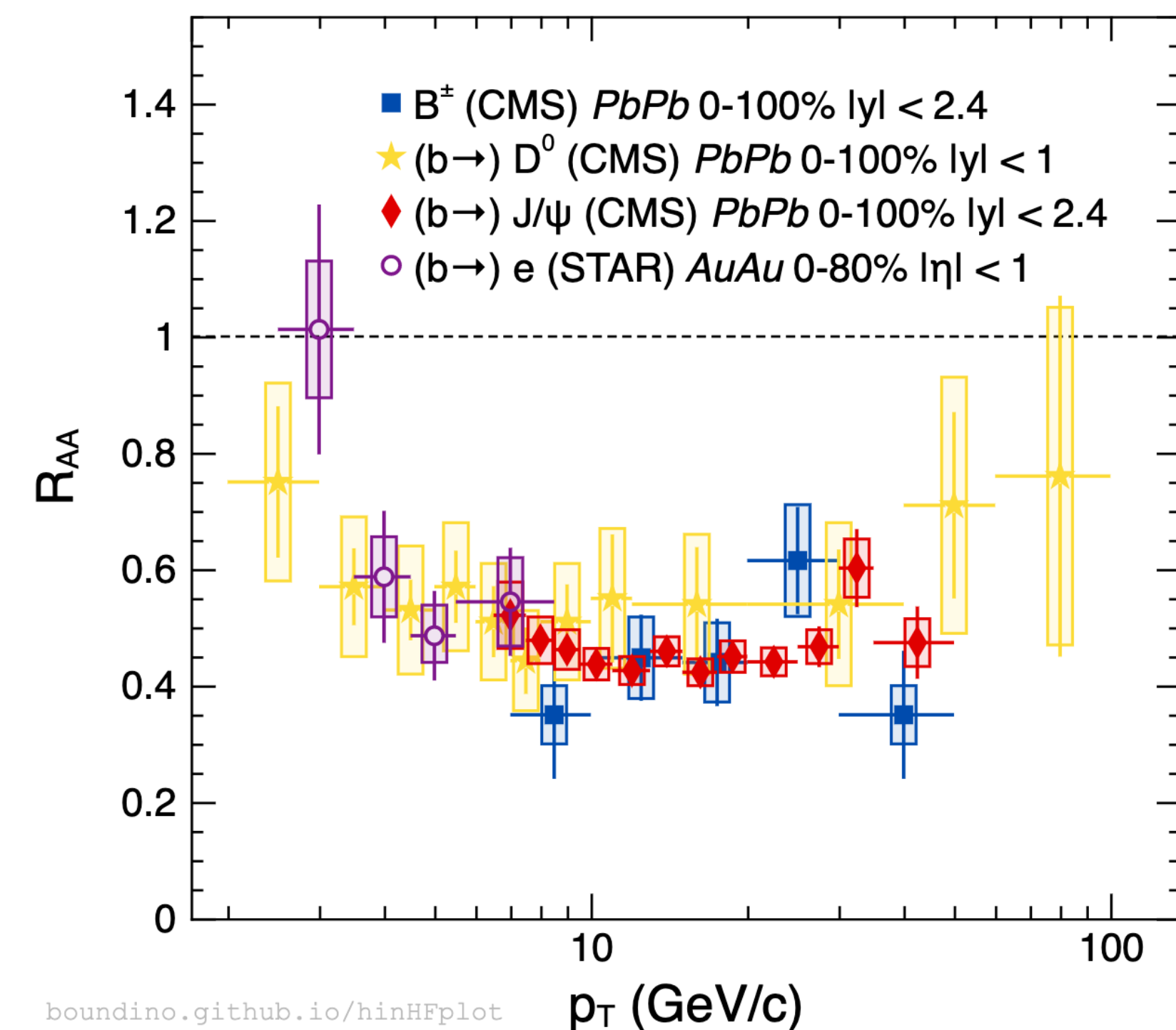
v_2 VS. p_T



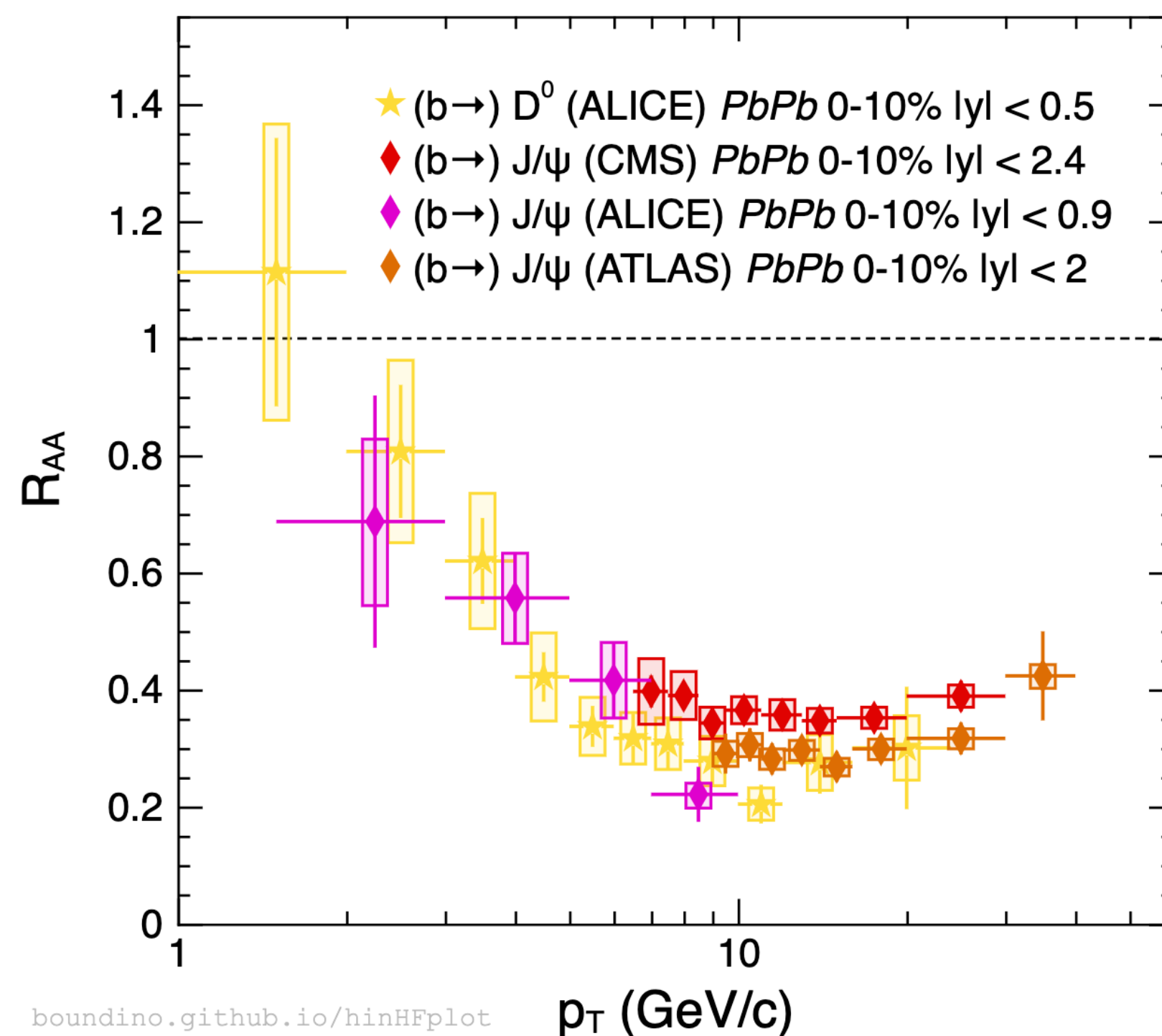
- High precision measurement over wide p_T range
- Low p_T : $v_2(h^\pm) > v_2(\text{Prompt } D^0) > v_2(\text{Prompt } J/\psi)$
 - ➔ Different constituent quarks
 - ➔ Recombination
- High p_T : $v_2(h^\pm) \approx v_2(\text{Prompt } D^0) \approx v_2(\text{Prompt } J/\psi)$
 - ➔ Mass effect disappears
 - ➔ Path-length dependence of energy loss
 - ➔ Non-zero v_2 up to high $p_T = 50$ GeV

Open Beauty v_2 : Across Experiments

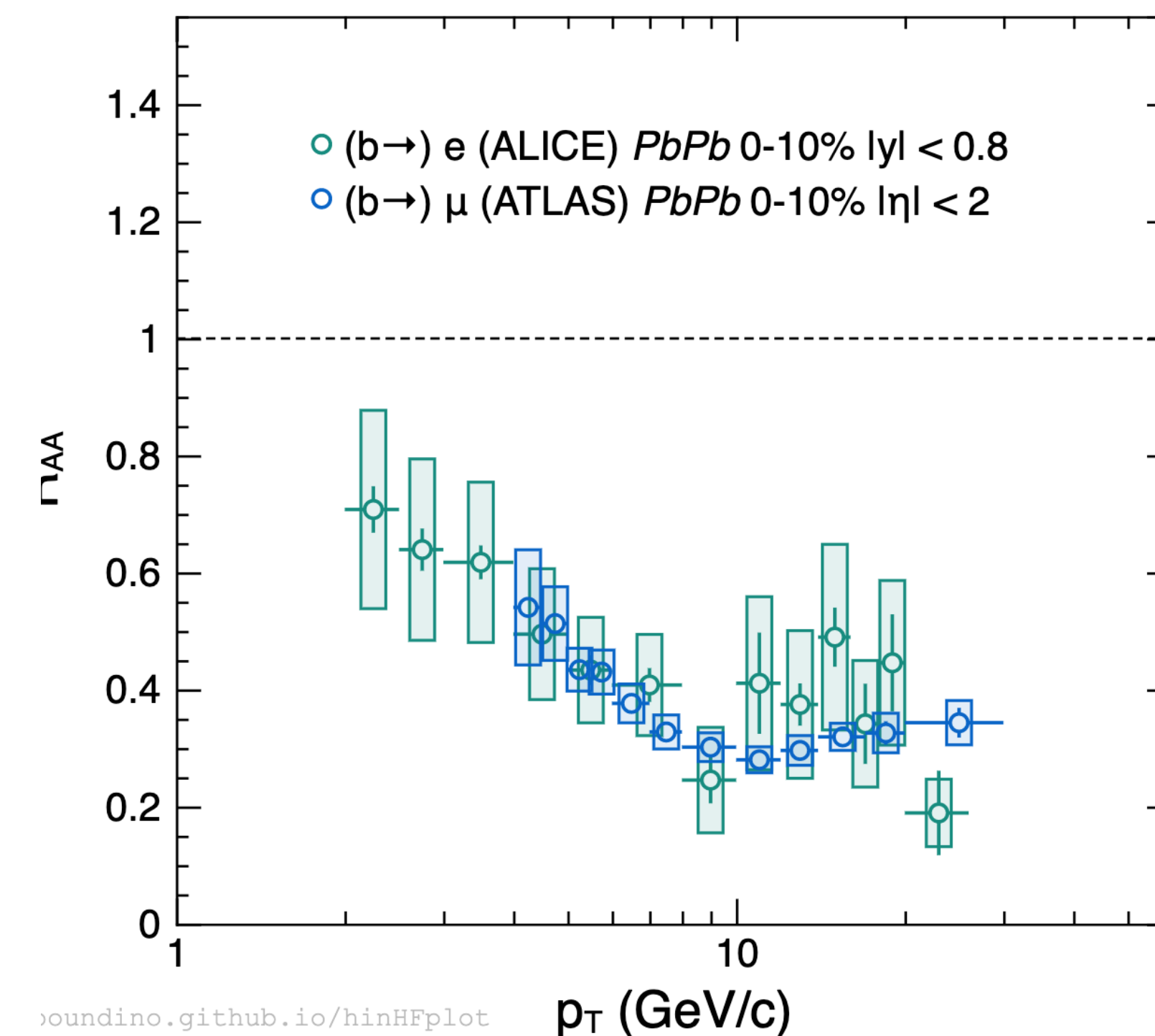
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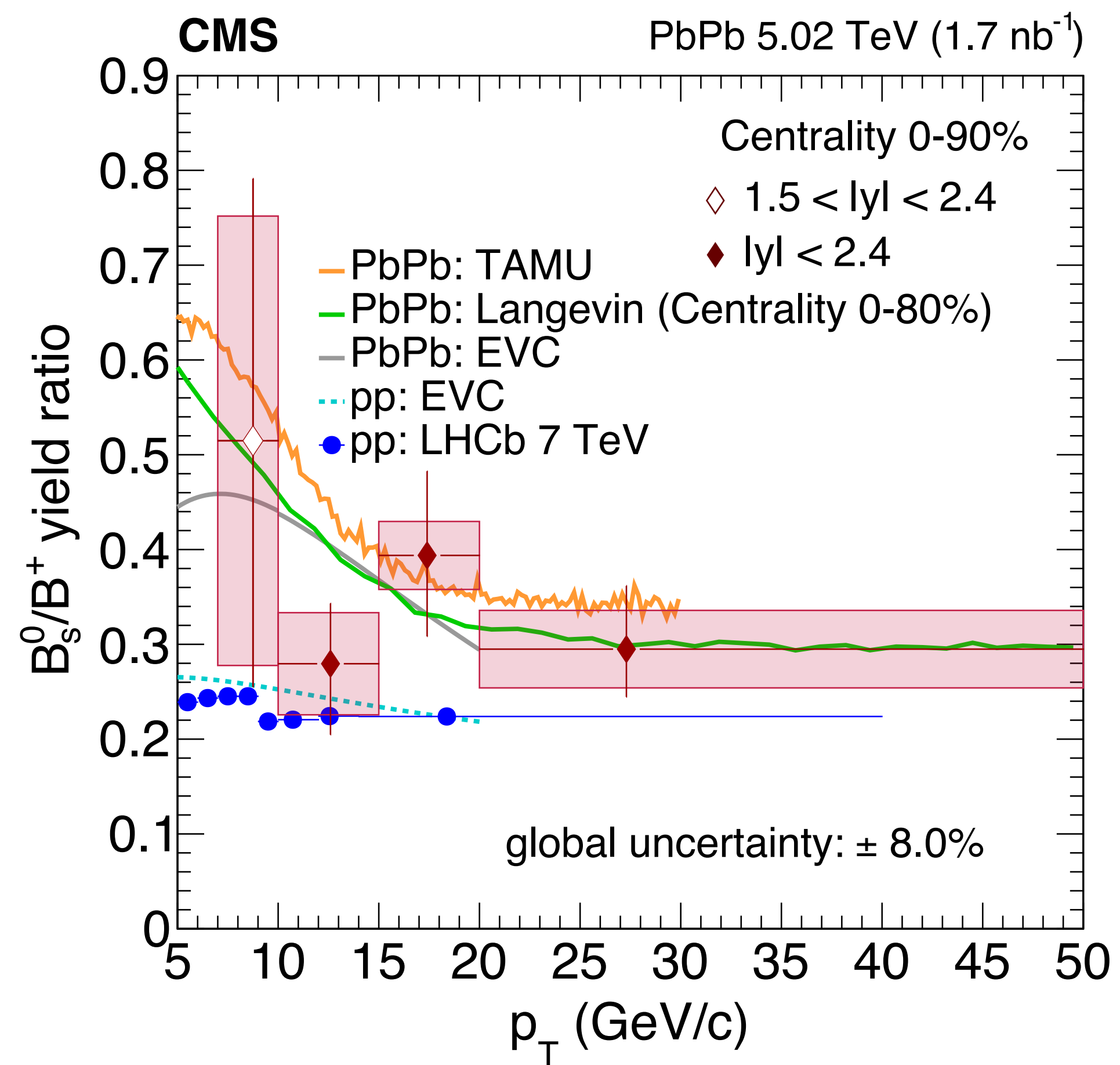
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Strangeness Beauty Mesons in PbPb



CMS Phase-2 upgrades for HL-LHC

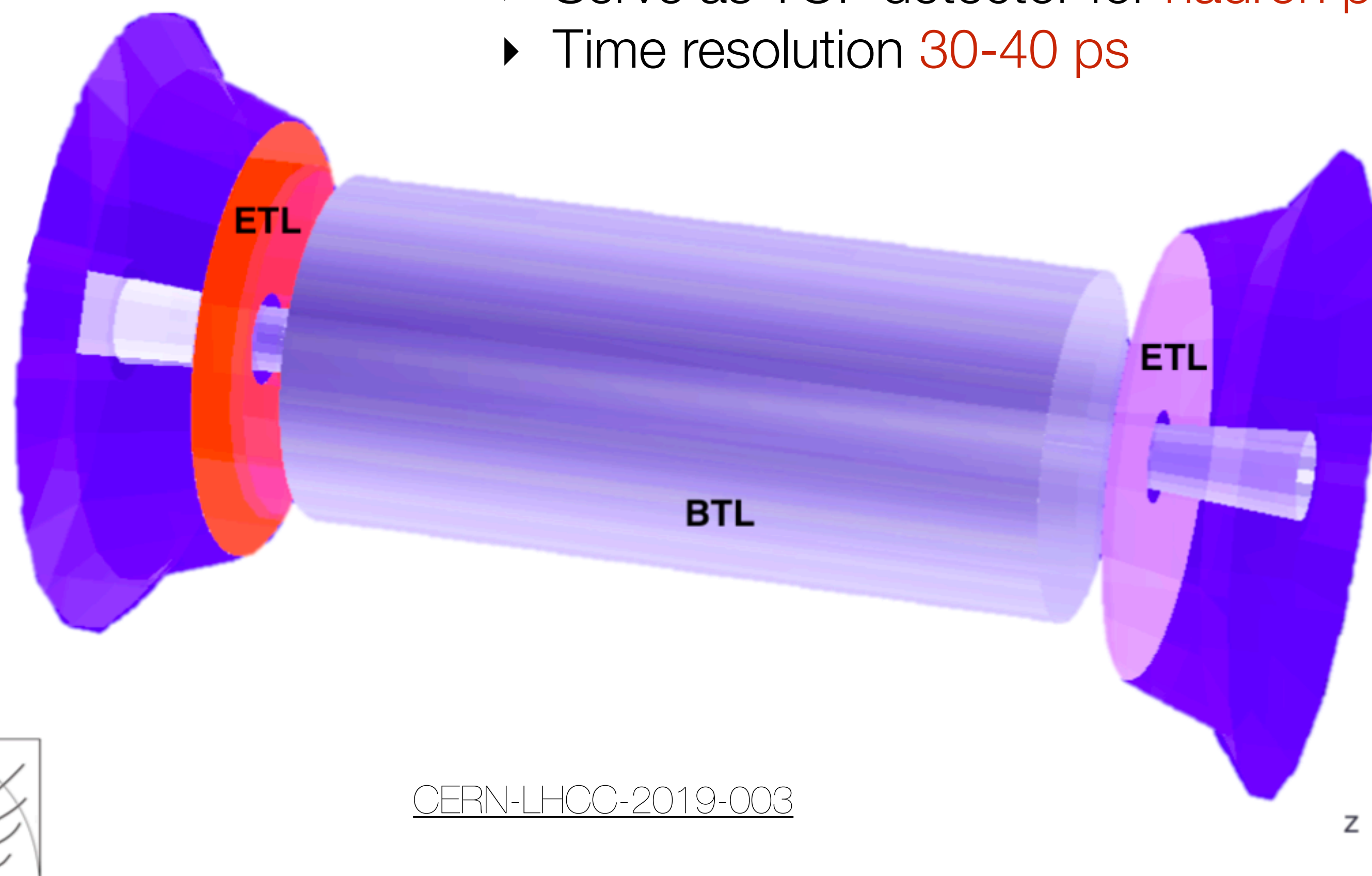
Table 1: Main features of CMS detector at present and Phase 2 upgrades.

Subdetector	CMS present	CMS Phase-2
Inner Tracker	$ \eta < 2.4$, $100 \times 150 \mu\text{m}^2$ pixel size	$ \eta < 4$, $50 \times 50 \mu\text{m}^2$ pixel size
Calorimeter	Low-granularity	High-granularity end-cap with silicon sensors
Muon detector	$ \eta < 2.4$	$ \eta < 2.8$
L1 trigger bandwidth	30 kHz for PbPb, 100 kHz for pp and pPb	750 kHz (pass through all PbPb events)
DAQ throughput	6 GB/s	60 GB/s
Time-of-flight for Particle ID	N/A	MTD for charged hadron PID over $\eta < 3.0$

- ▶ New **MIP Timing Detector (MTD)** for TOF-PID!
 - ▶ Unique PID up to $|\eta| = 3$
- Precision determination of the arrival time of the signal

CMS MIP Timing Detector (MTD)

- ▶ Large **acceptance**
 - Barrel Timing Layer (BTL): $|\eta| < 1.5$
 - End-cap Timing Layer (ETL): $1.6 < |\eta| < 3$
- ▶ Serve as TOF detector for **hadron particle identification**
- ▶ Time resolution **30-40 ps**

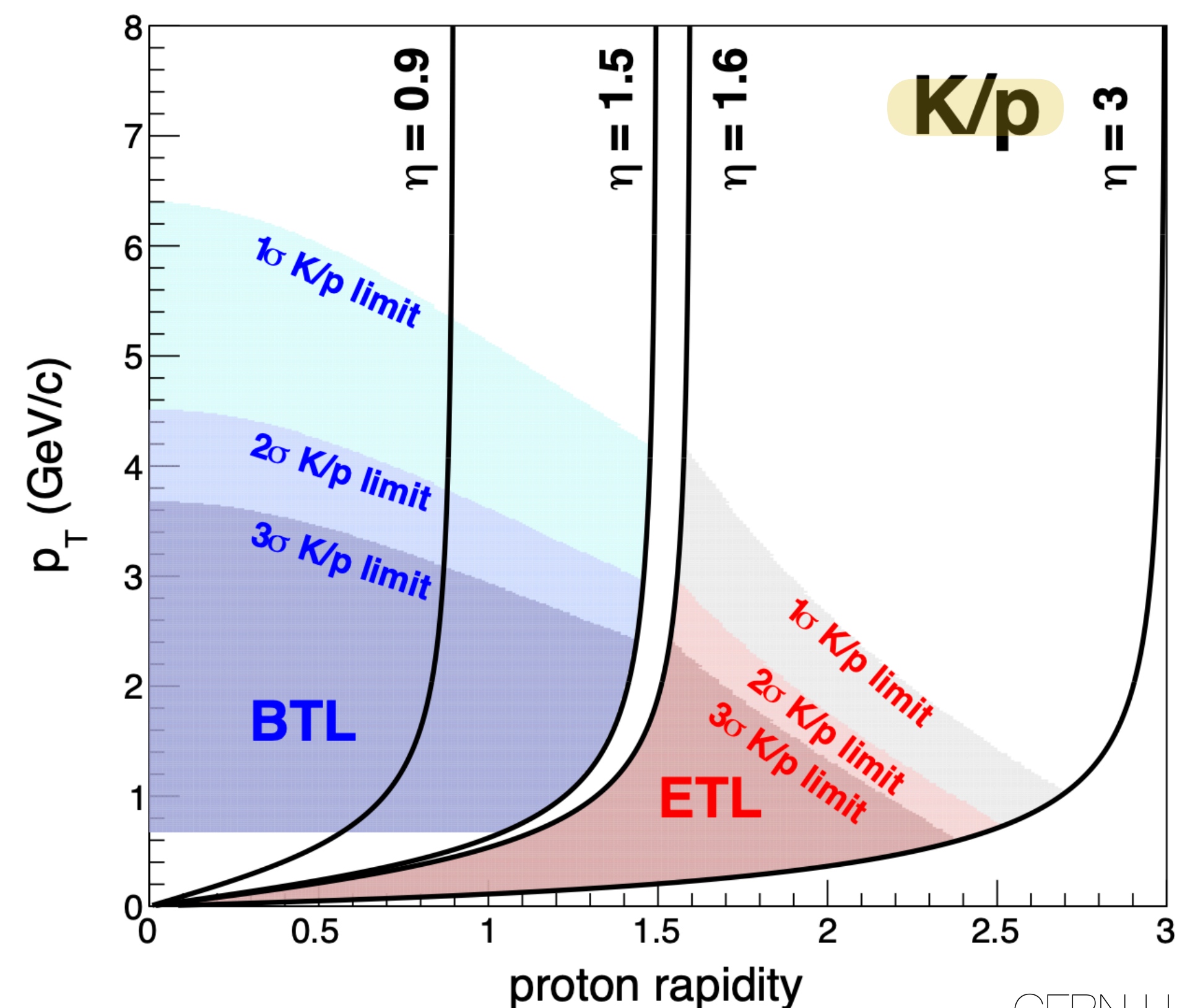
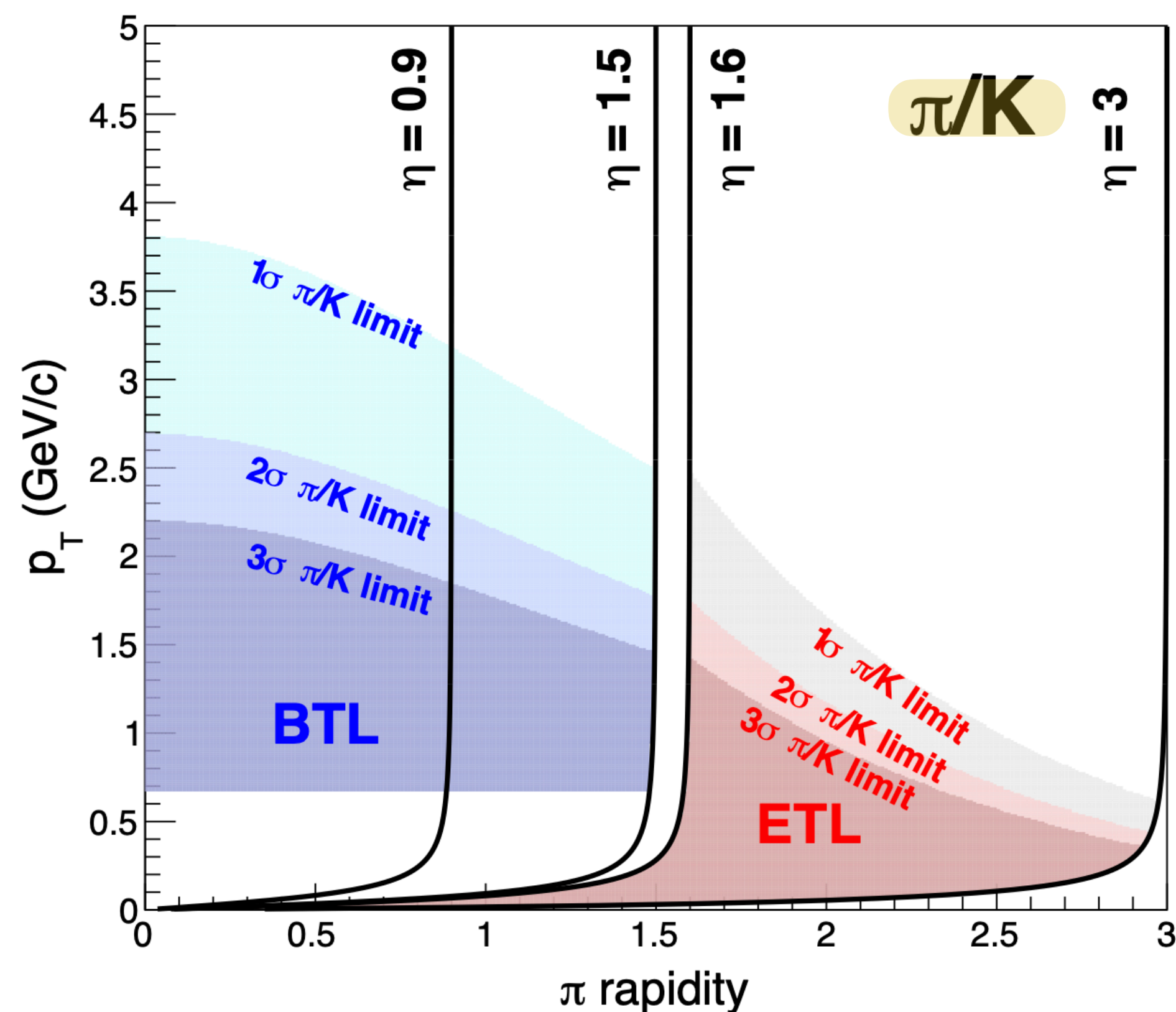


Experiment	r (m)	σ_T (ps)	$r/\sigma_T (\times 100)$ (m $\times$ ps $^{-1}$)
STAR-TOF	2.2	80	2.75
ALICE-TOF	3.7	56	6.6
CMS-MTD	1.16	30	3.87

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CMS MIP Timing Detector (MTD)

Separation Power vs. kinematic phase space



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- CMS MTD brings complementarity and uniqueness in PID

CMS MTD ($|\eta| < 3$)

vs.

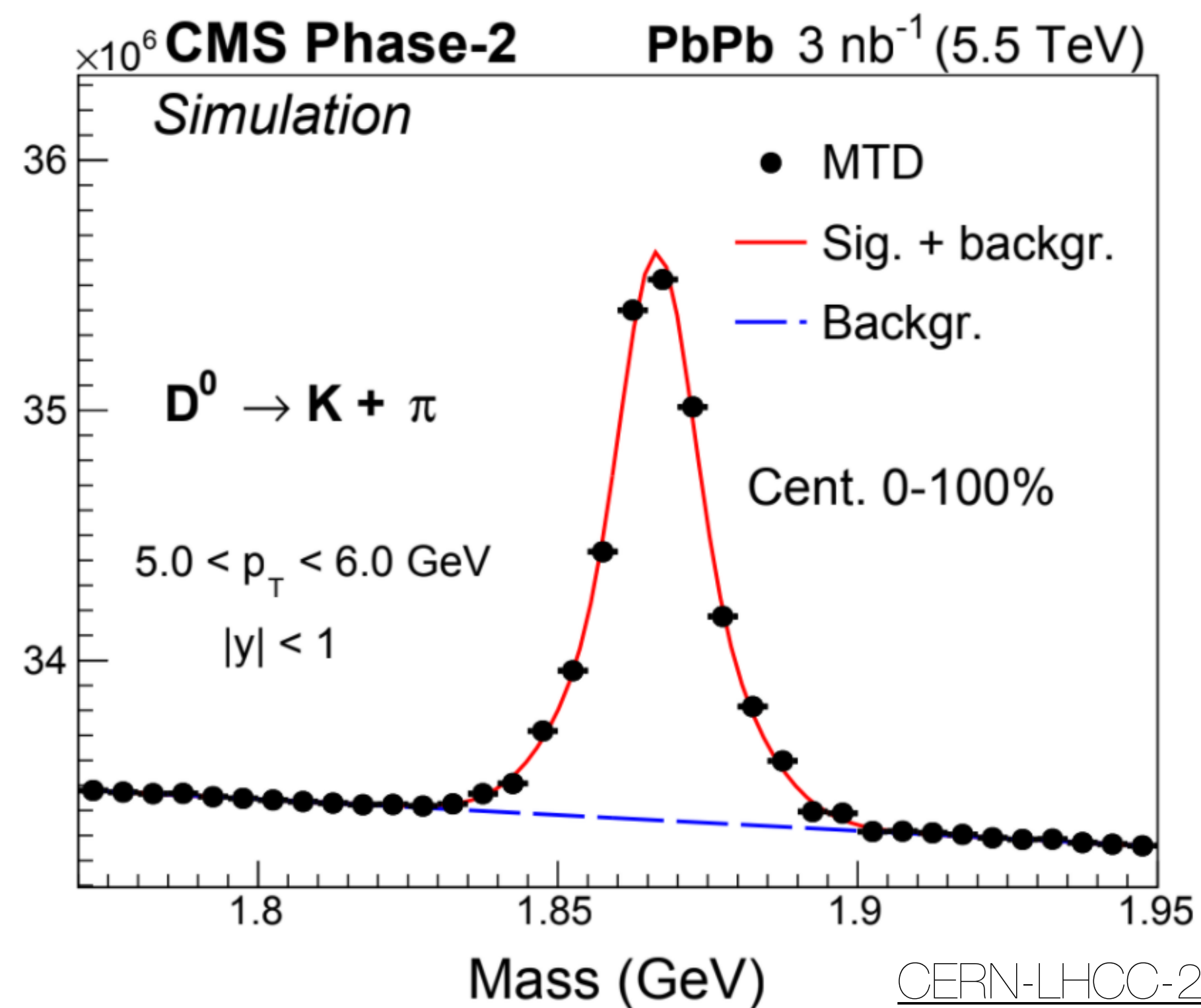
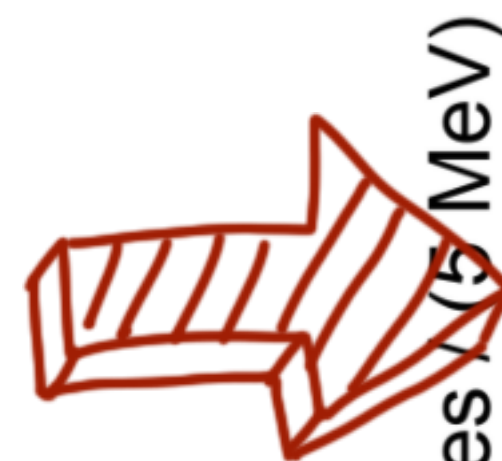
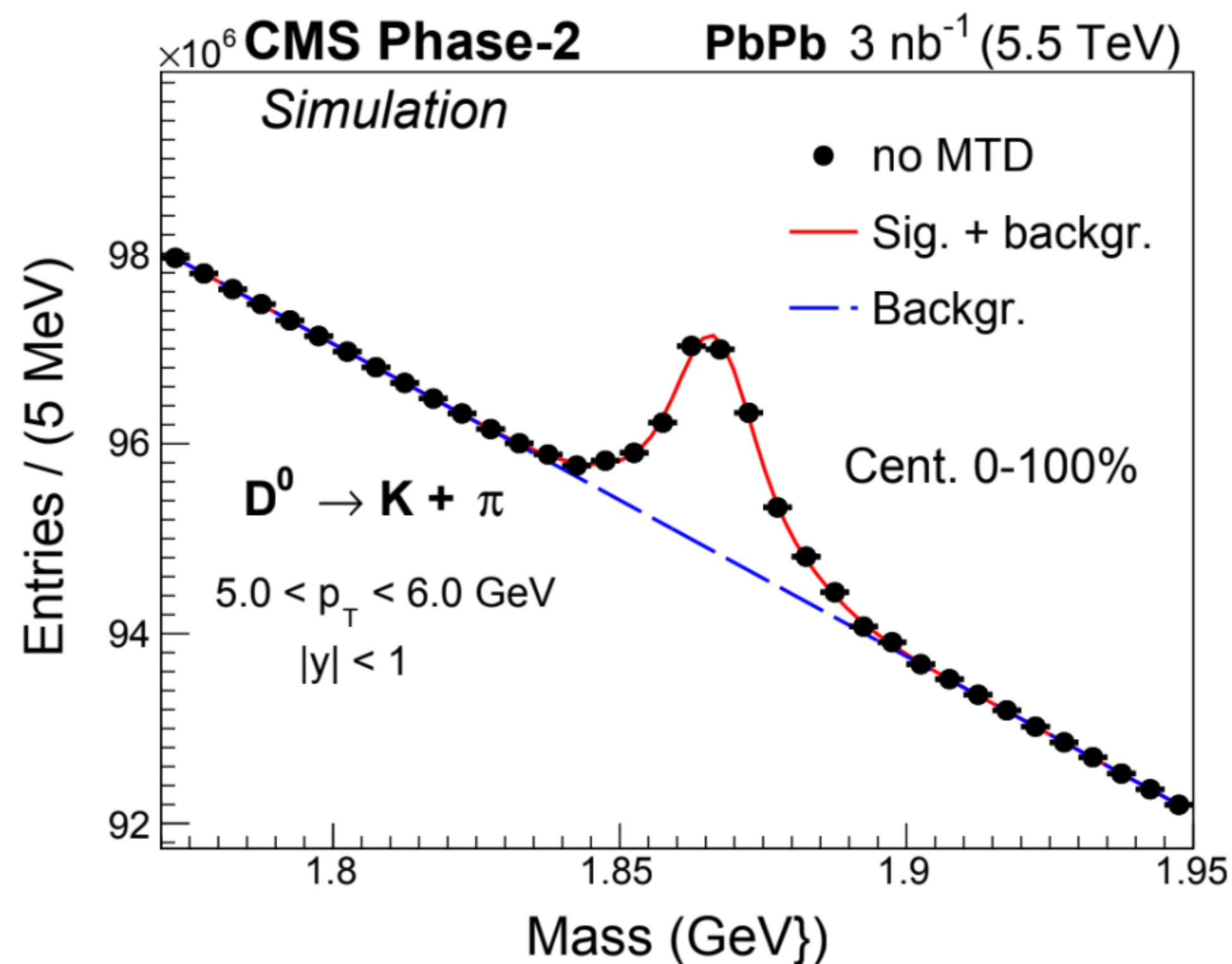
ALICE: mid-rapidity ($|\eta| < 0.9$)

LHCb: forward ($2 < \eta < 5$)

Without MTD

CMS 1 year of Run 4

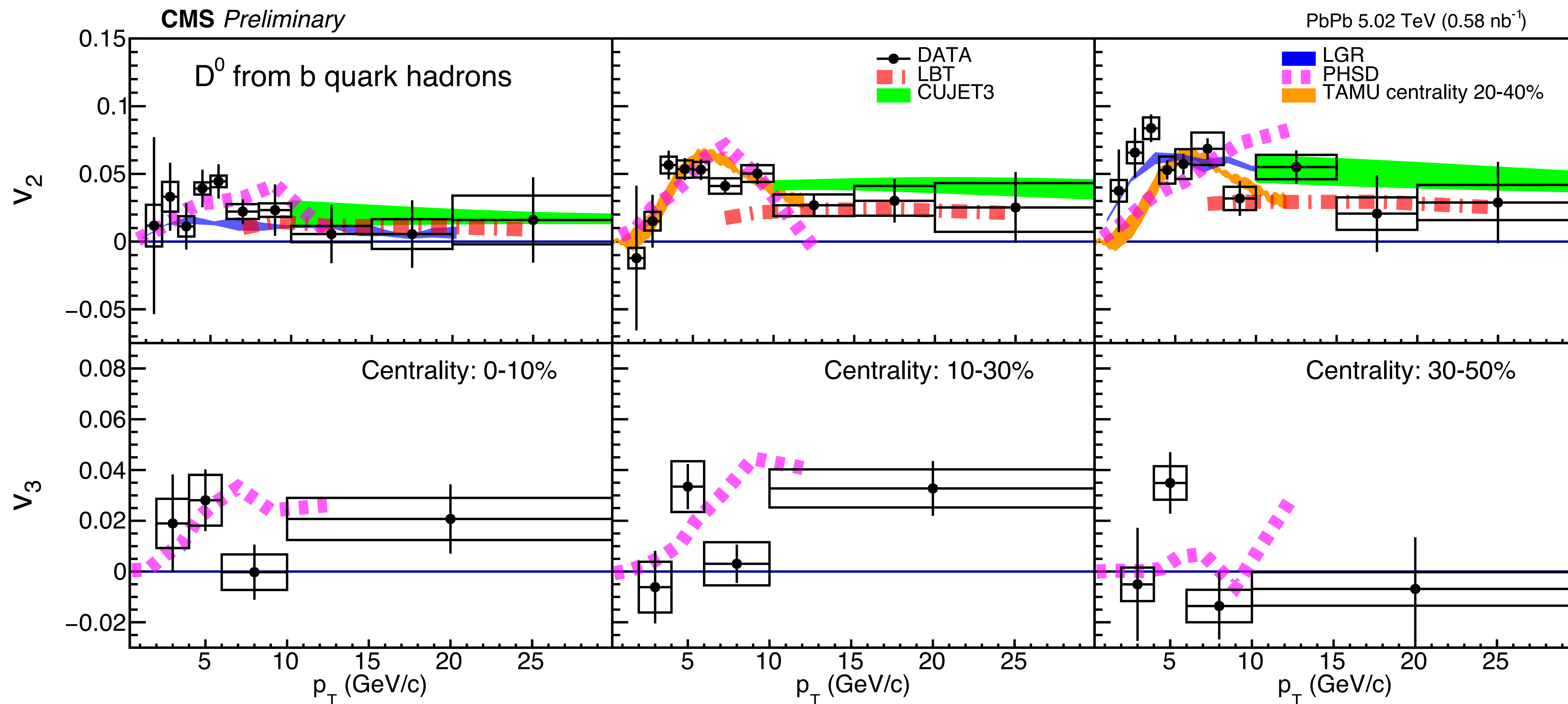
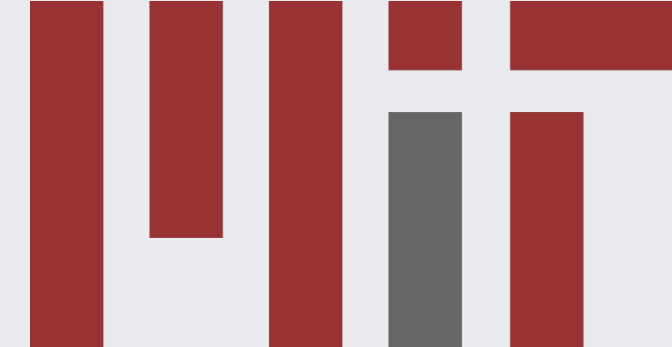
With MTD



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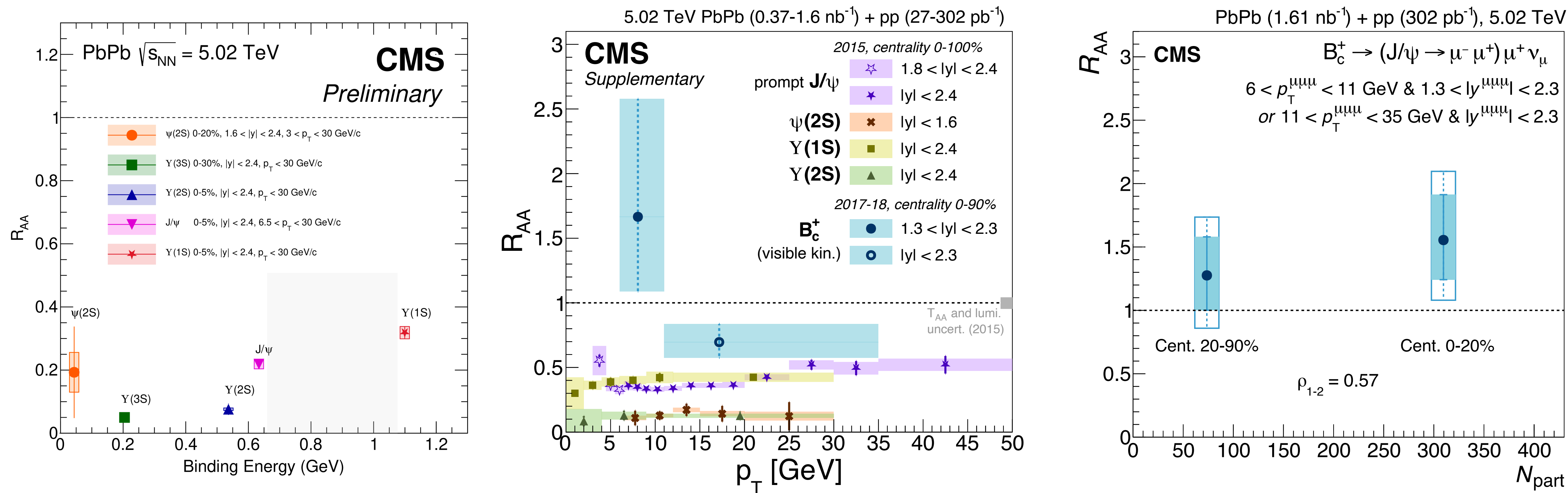
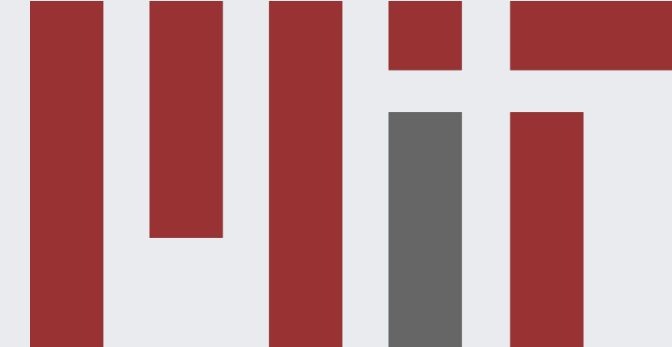
- Significant improvement of signal to background ratio with PID information from MTD

$b \rightarrow D \nu_n$ vs. Theory



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B_c in PbPb



B_c^+ less suppressed than quarkonia despite a binding energy between J/ψ and $Y(1S)$

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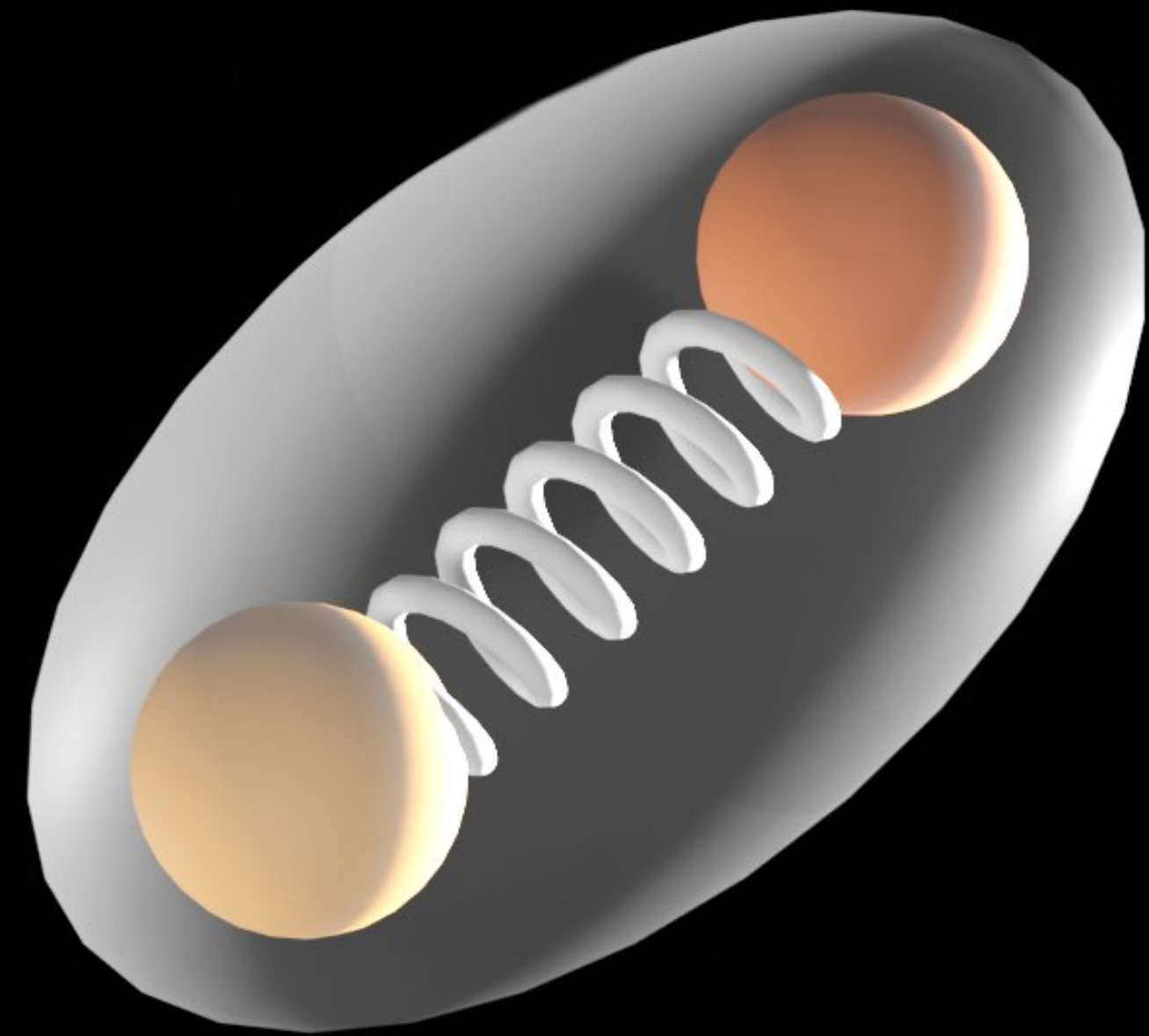
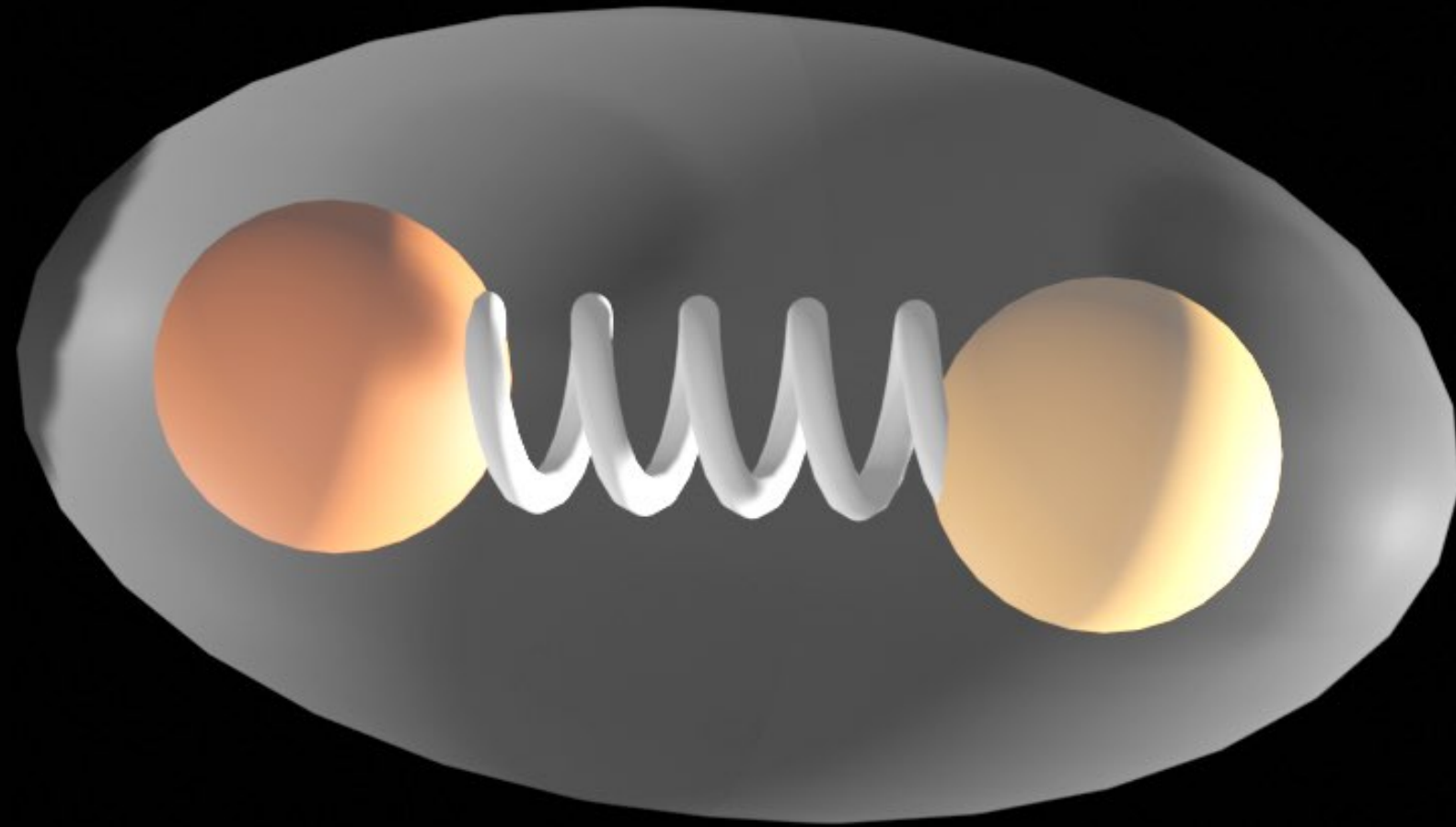
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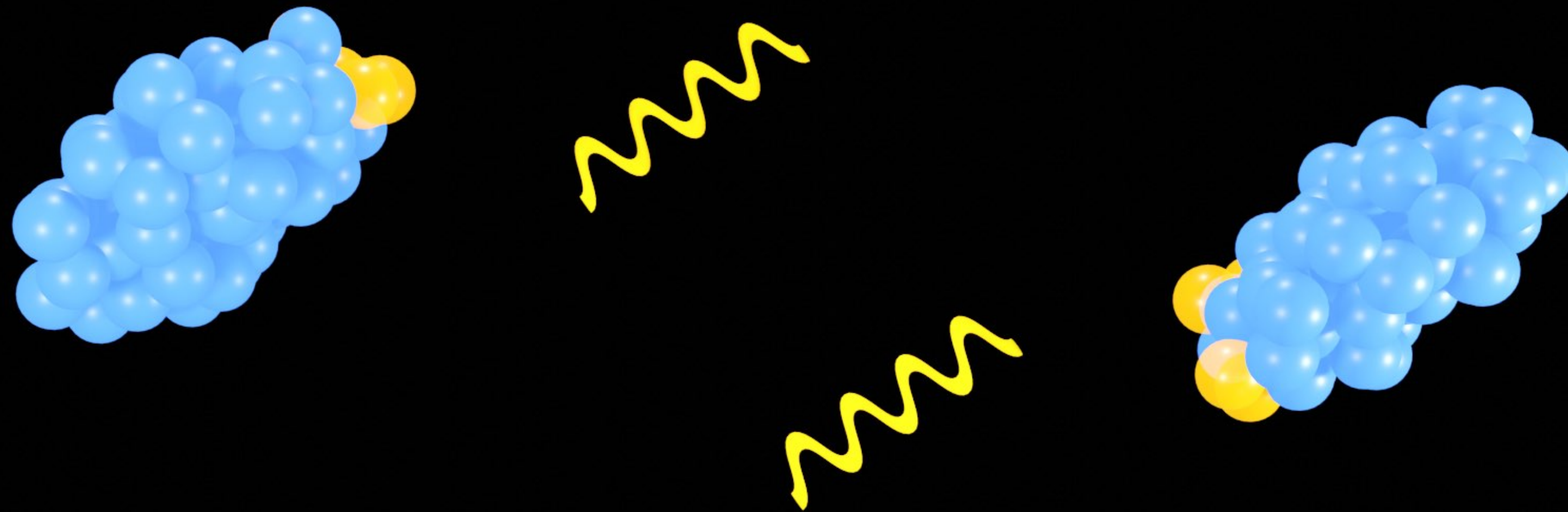
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Freeze-out & Rescatterings



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Ultra-Peripheral Collisions

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