

Heavy flavour hadronization from small to large collision systems

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Heavy-flavour production in small systems

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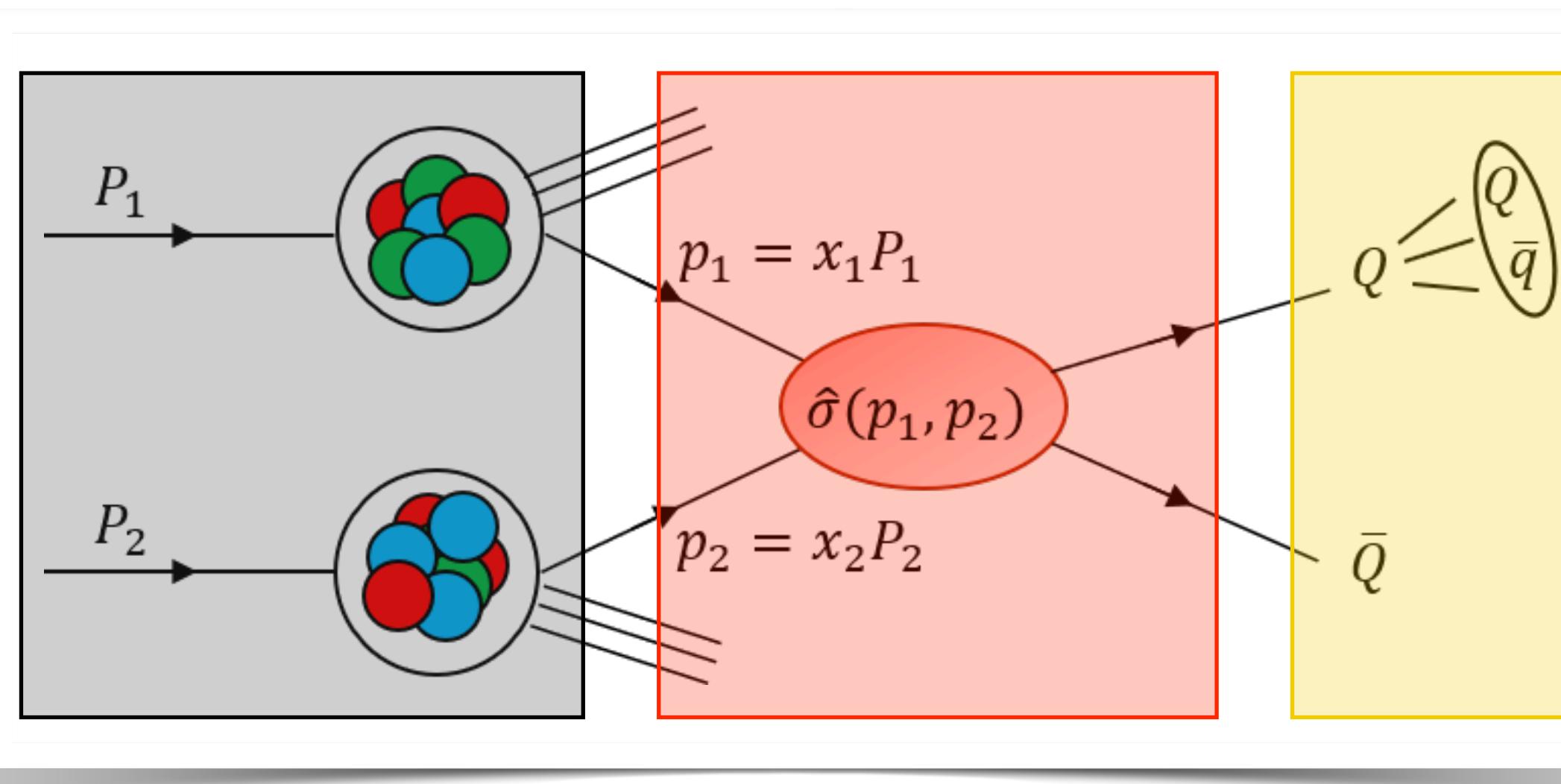
- ▶ Heavy quarks produced in initial hard-scattering processes
- ▶ Inclusive hadron production from hard-scattering processes (large Q^2)
 - factorization of: PDFs, partonic cross section, fragmentation function

$$\frac{d\sigma^{H_c}}{dp_T} = \boxed{\text{PDF}(x_1, Q^2) \cdot \text{PDF}(x_2, Q^2)} \otimes \boxed{\frac{d\sigma^c}{dp_T^c}(x_1, x_2, Q^2)} \otimes \boxed{D_{c \rightarrow H_c}(z = p_{H_c}/p_c, Q^2)}$$

Parton distribution functions (PDFs)

Hard scattering cross section (pQCD)

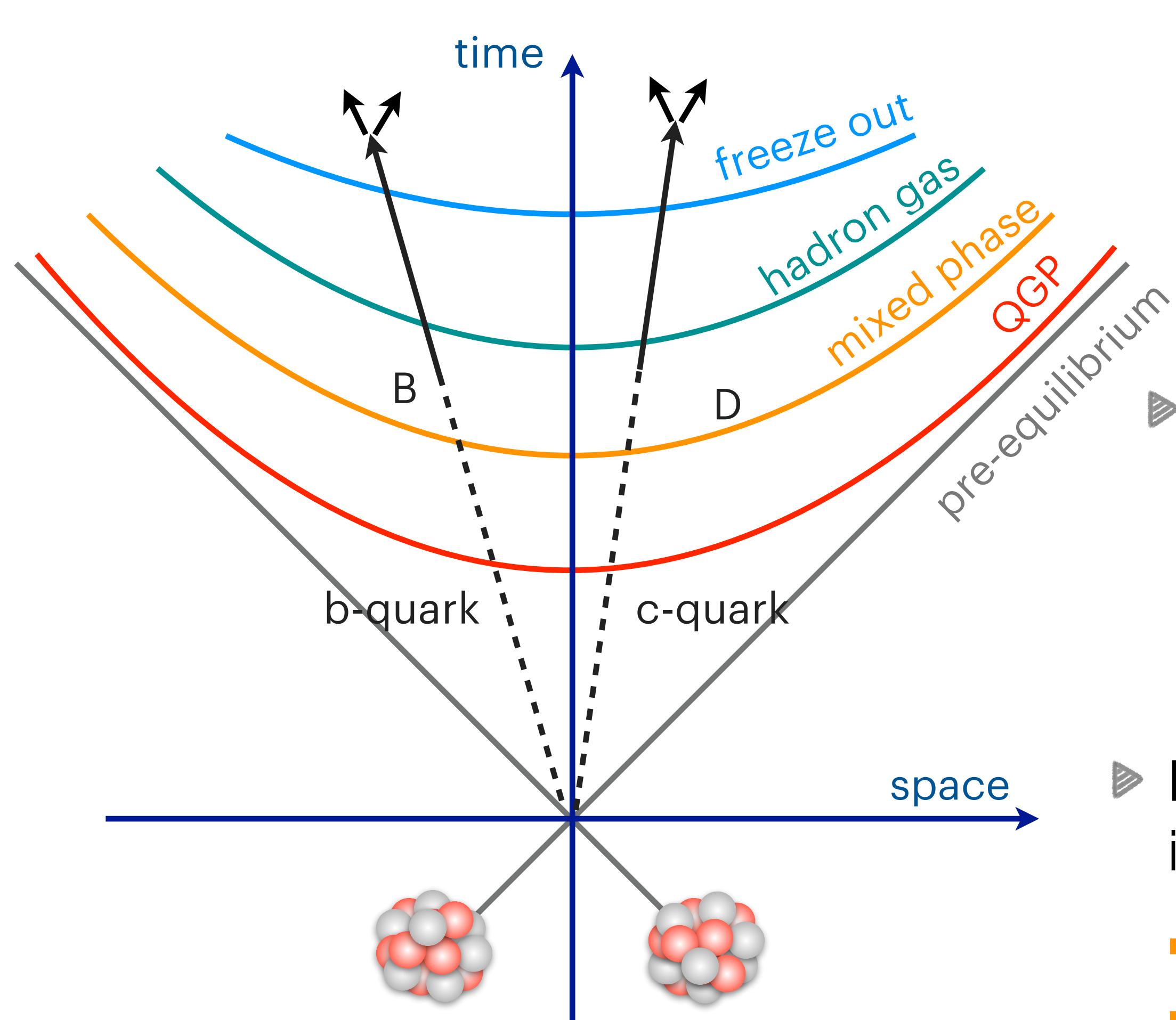
Fragmentation function (hadronisation)



- ▶ Fragmentation functions $D_{c \rightarrow H_c}(z, Q^2)$
 - phenomenological functions → non-perturbative parton-to-hadron transition
 - z = fraction of the parton momentum taken by the hadron H_c
 - parameterized on data and assumed to be universal

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- ▶ In ultra relativistic heavy-ion collisions → colour-deconfined medium, called quark-gluon plasma (QGP)
 - ➔ high energy density $\varepsilon > 15 \text{ GeV/fm}^3$
 - ➔ hydrodynamic expansion after a pre-equilibrium phase
- ▶ Hadronization from QGP medium at pseudo-critical temperature
 - ➔ transition from a deconfined medium to a colour-neutral hadronic matter
- ▶ Heavy flavours produced in hard-scattering processes in the early stages of the collision
 - ➔ $\tau_{\text{HF}} \approx \hbar/m \approx 0.05\text{-}0.1 \text{ fm}/c$
 - ➔ $\tau_{\text{QGP form (LHC)}} \approx 0.3 \text{ fm}/c$



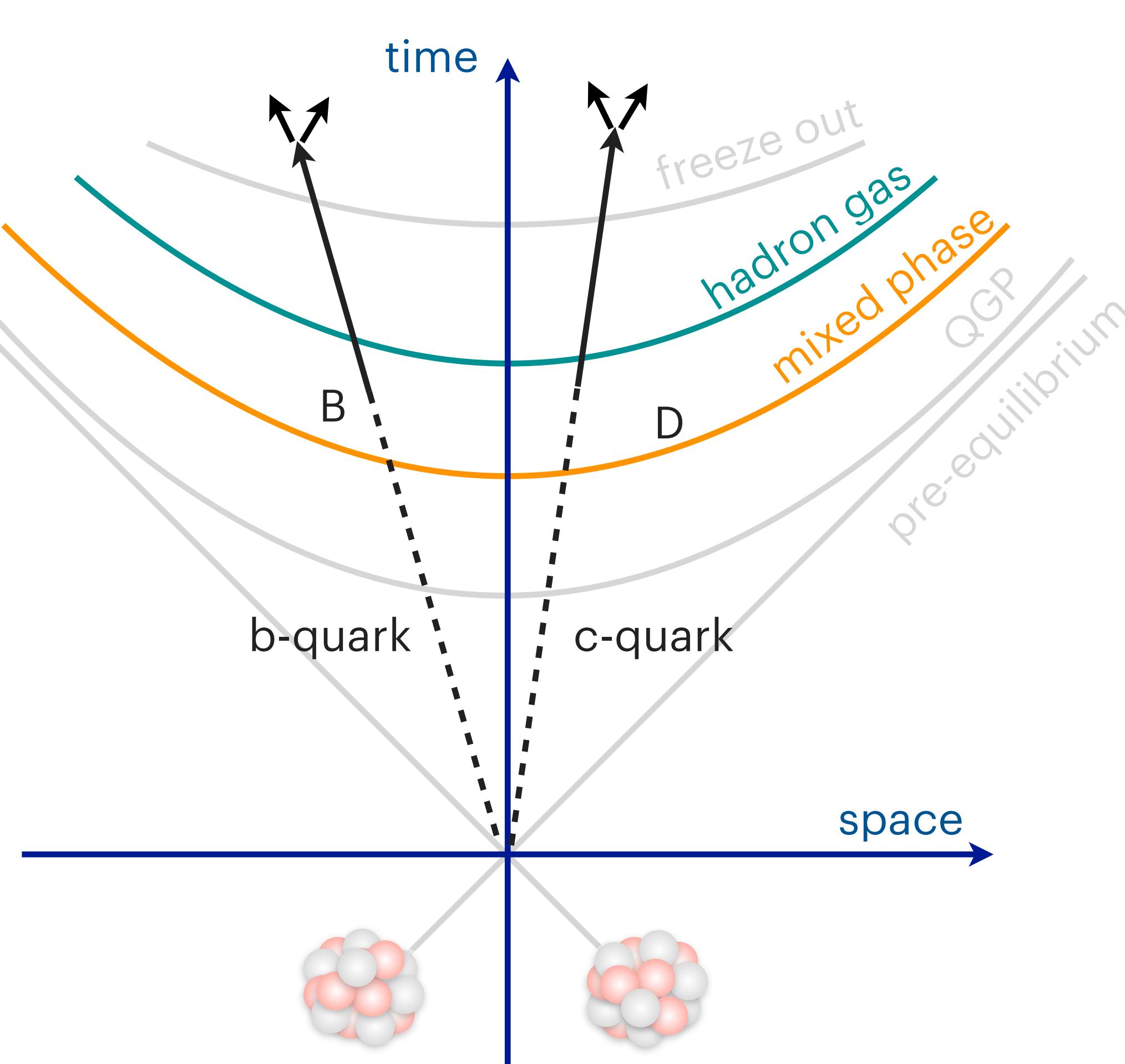
F.M. Liu et al., PRC 89, 034906 (2014)



experience the full system evolution

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- ▶ Two mechanisms for HF hadronisation in heavy-ion collisions
 - 1. Fragmentation $D_{q \rightarrow h}(z_q, Q^2)$
 - 2. Coalescence
 - partons close in space and with similar velocities
- ▶ Statistical hadronisation model (SHM)
 - hadrons from the interaction region in statistical equilibrium
 - thermal origin of particle production → macroscopic description in terms of thermodynamic variables

A. Andronic et al., PLB 659 (2008) 149-155

A. Andronic et al., JHEP 07 (2021) 035

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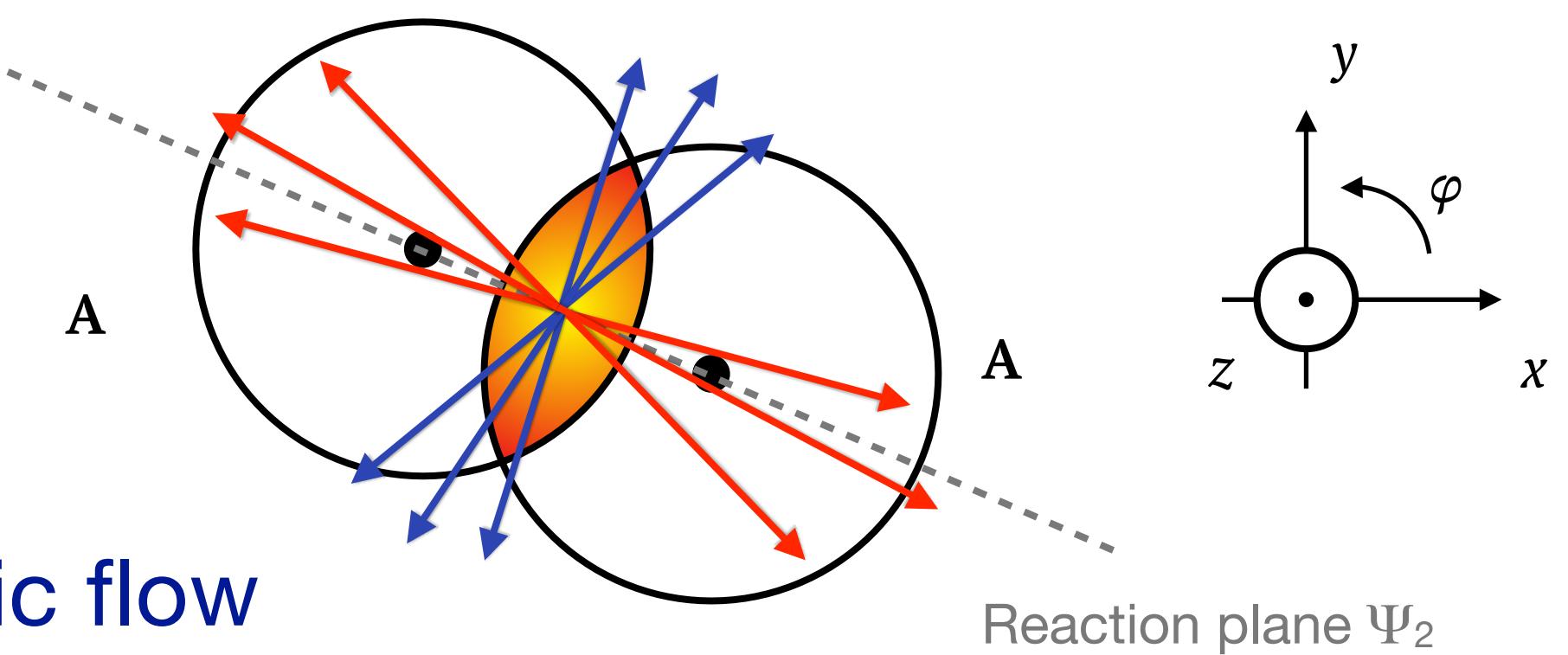
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2. Azimuthal anisotropies

$$E \frac{d^3N}{dp_T} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{d^2N}{p_T dp_T dy} \left\{ 1 + \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} v_i \cos[i(\varphi - \Psi_i)] \right\}$$

$$v_2 = \langle \cos[2(\varphi - \Psi_2)] \rangle$$

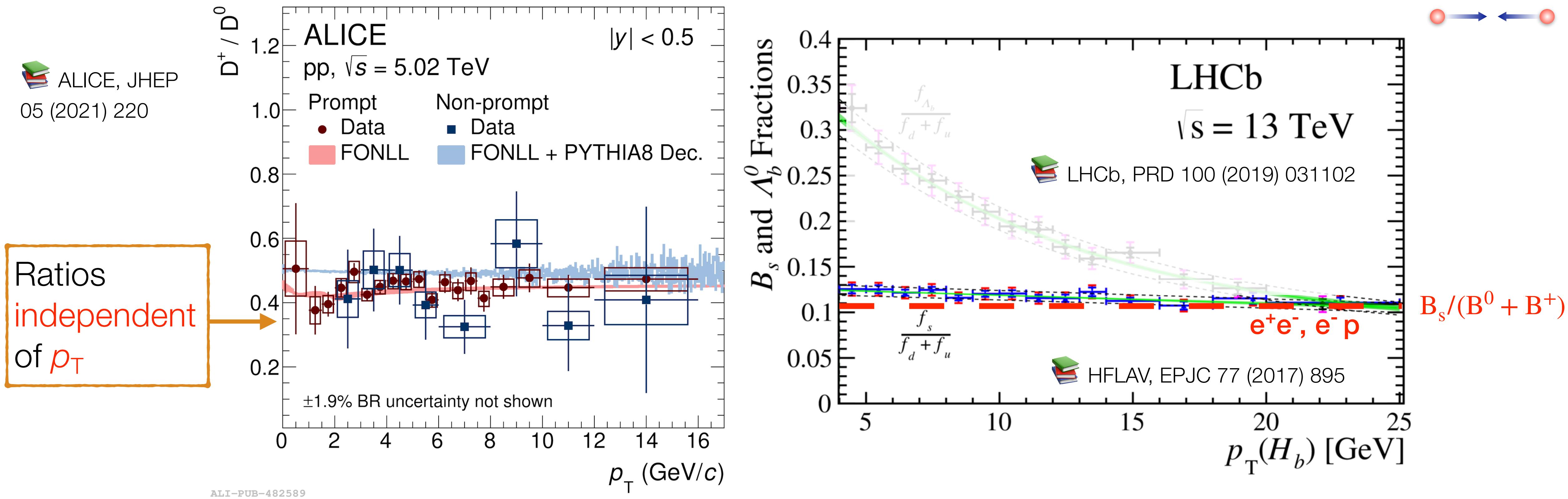
second harmonic coefficient **elliptic flow**



Mesons

Charm and beauty meson production in pp collisions

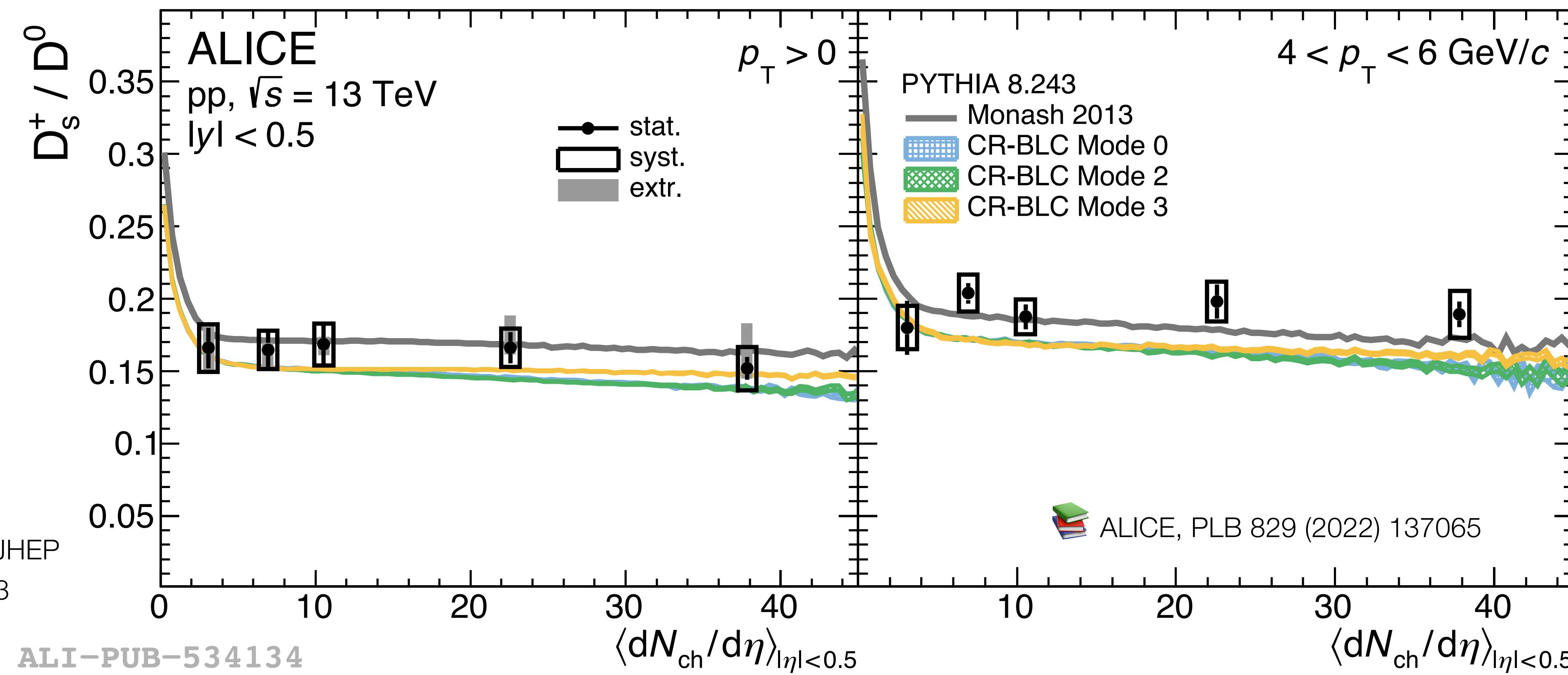
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- ▶ Agreement with model calculations (FONLL) based on **factorisation approach** and relying on **fragmentation functions universality** (e^+e^- , e^-p)
- ▶ → D meson ratios compatible with e^+e^- measurements
- ▶ $B_s^0/(B^0 + B^+)$ compatible with e^+e^- measurements

Charm hadronization vs. multiplicity in pp collisions

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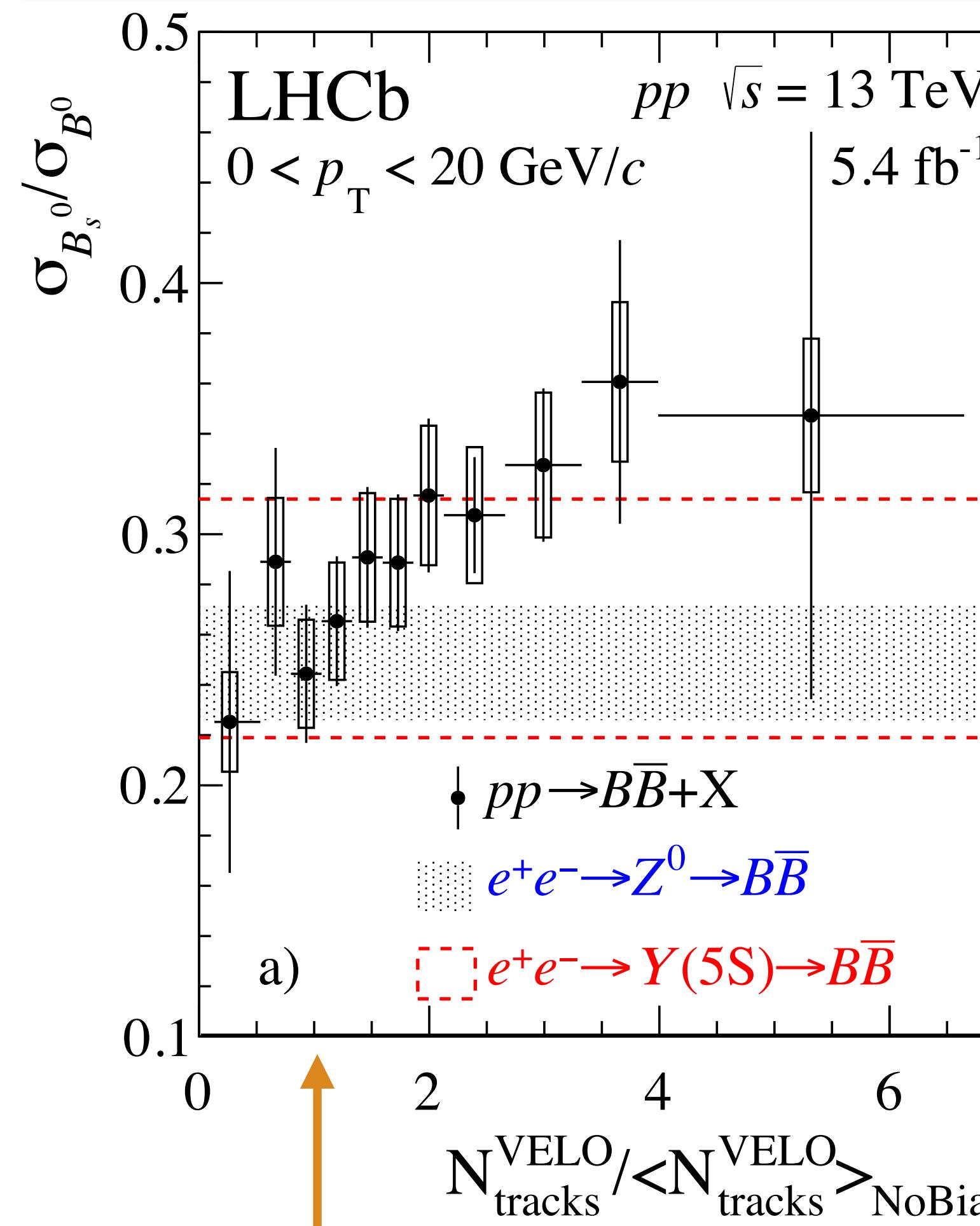
- ▶ Charm quark production dominated by hard parton-parton scatterings
- ▶ D_s/D^0 does not show dependence with increasing multiplicity
- ▶ better agreement with Monash 2013 tuning, though CR-BLC compatible within uncertainties

CR-BLC → based on Monash + additional topologies for Color Reconnection mechanisms

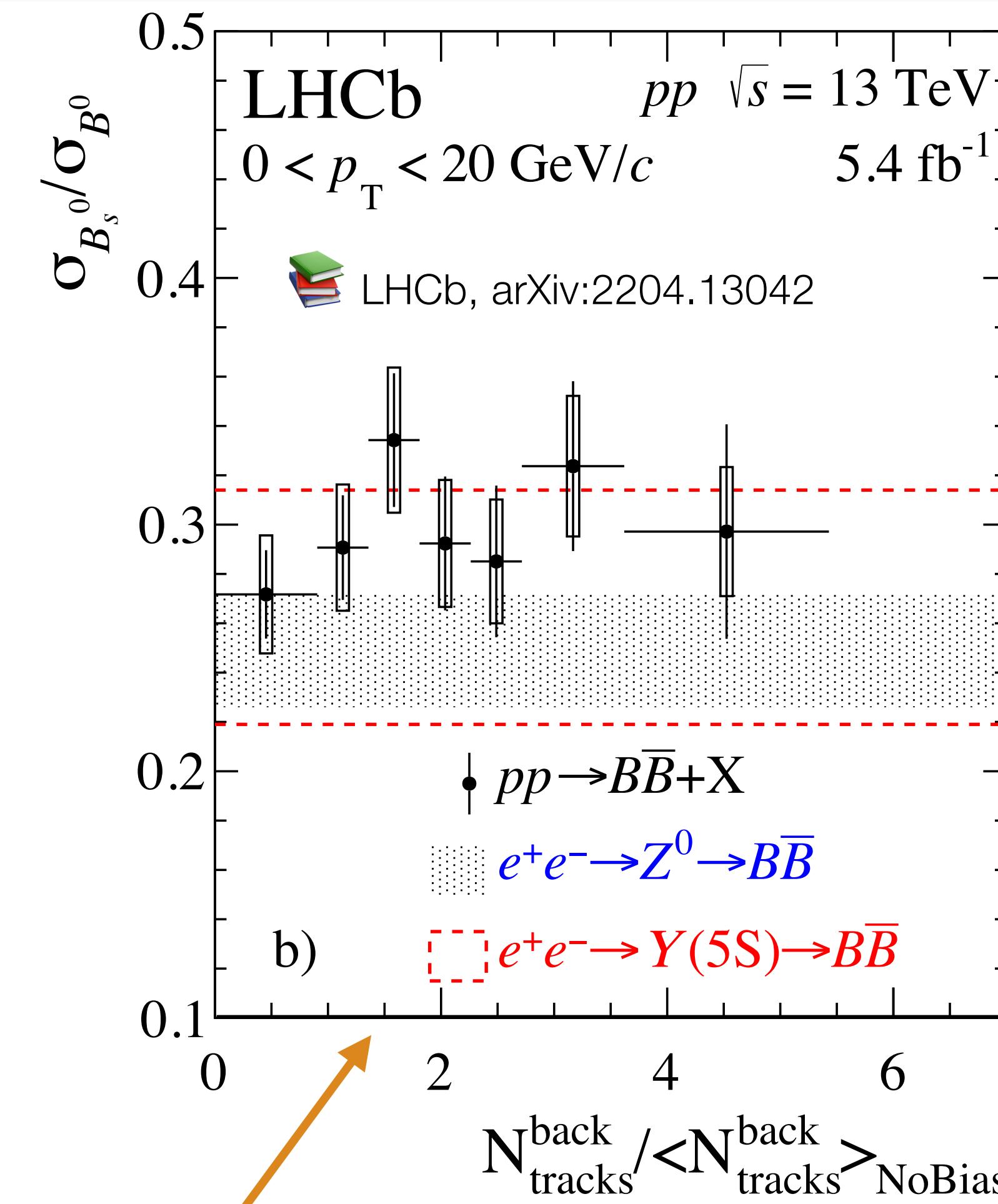


Beauty hadronization vs. multiplicity in pp collisions

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Increasing B_s/B^0 vs. multiplicity in the VELO



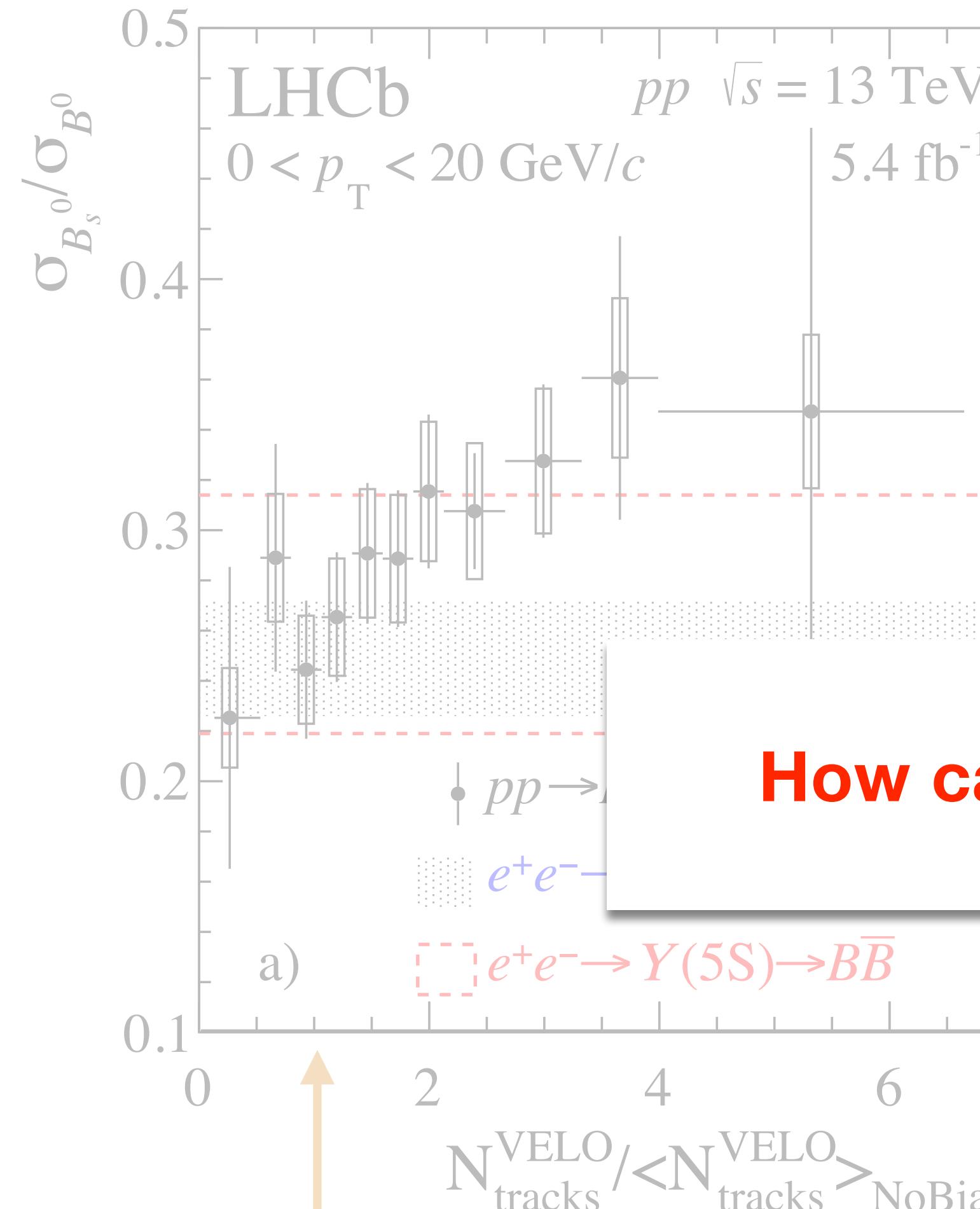
B_s/B^0 vs. multiplicity → no significant dependence at backward rapidity

- ▶ Beauty quark production dominated by hard parton-parton scatterings
- ▶ Increase of **strangeness** production with **increasing multiplicity**
- ▶ Hadronization via **recombination** may **enhance B_s/B^0** with increasing multiplicity
- ▶ B_s/B^0 at low p_T **increases** with local particle density

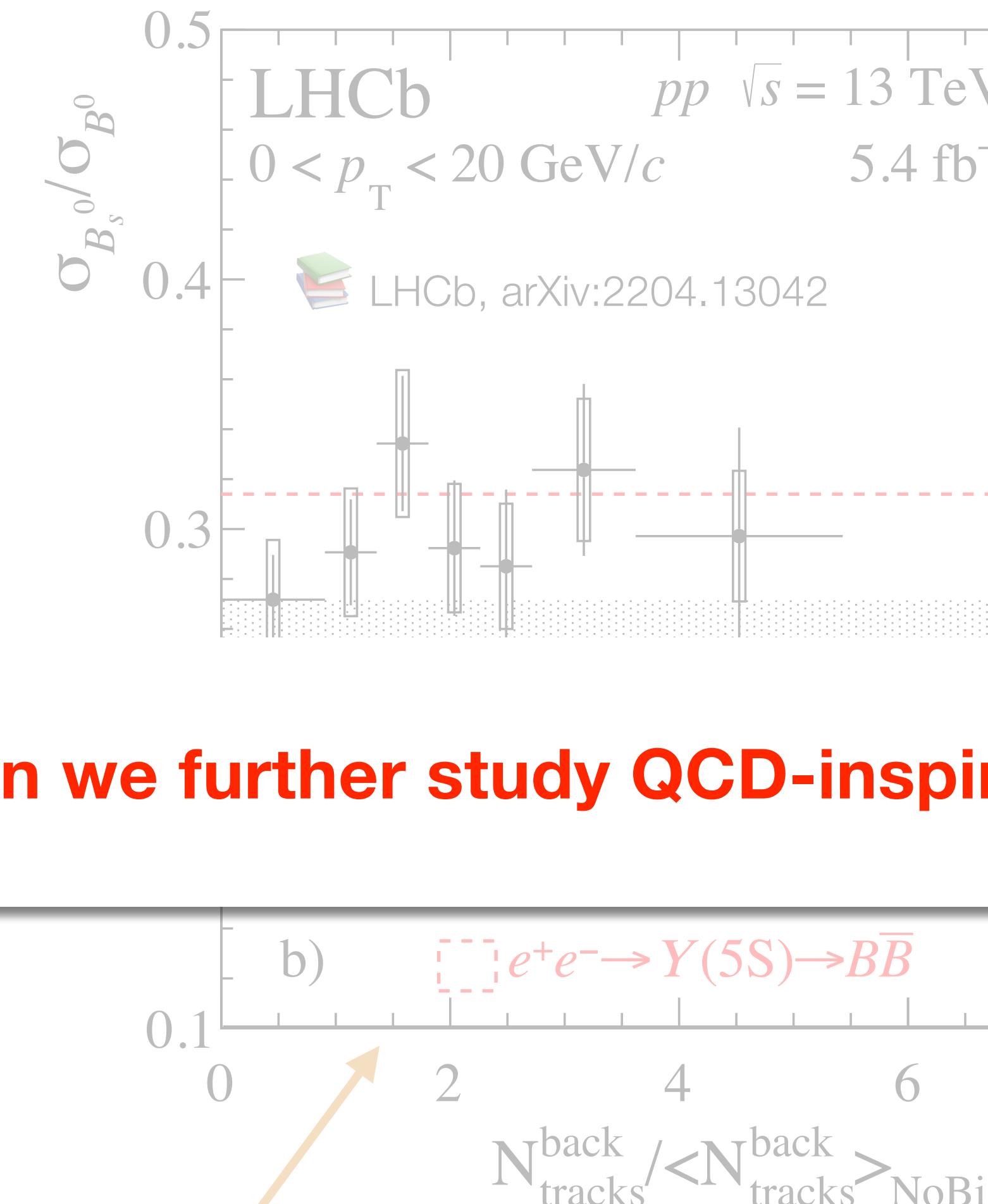


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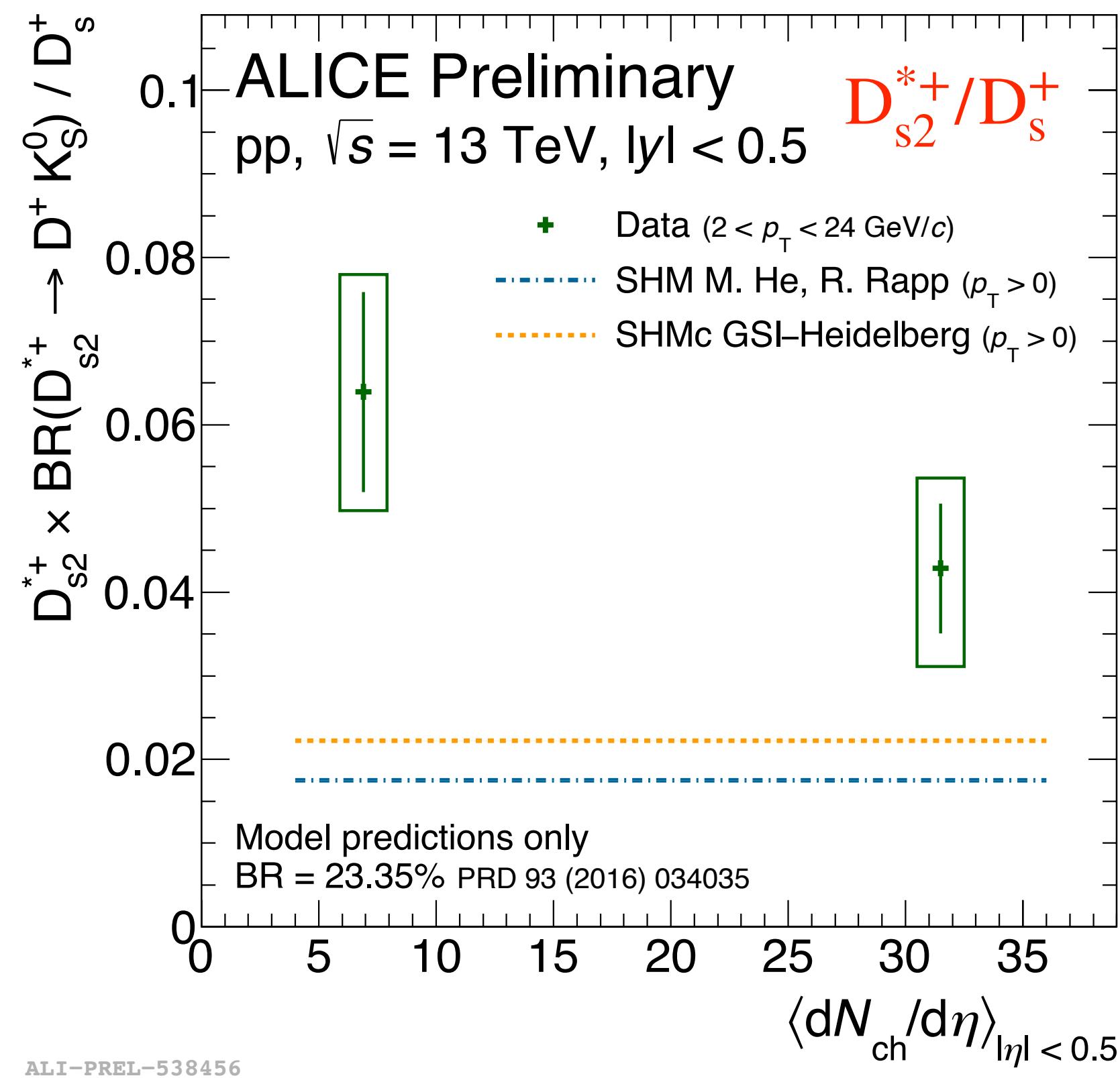
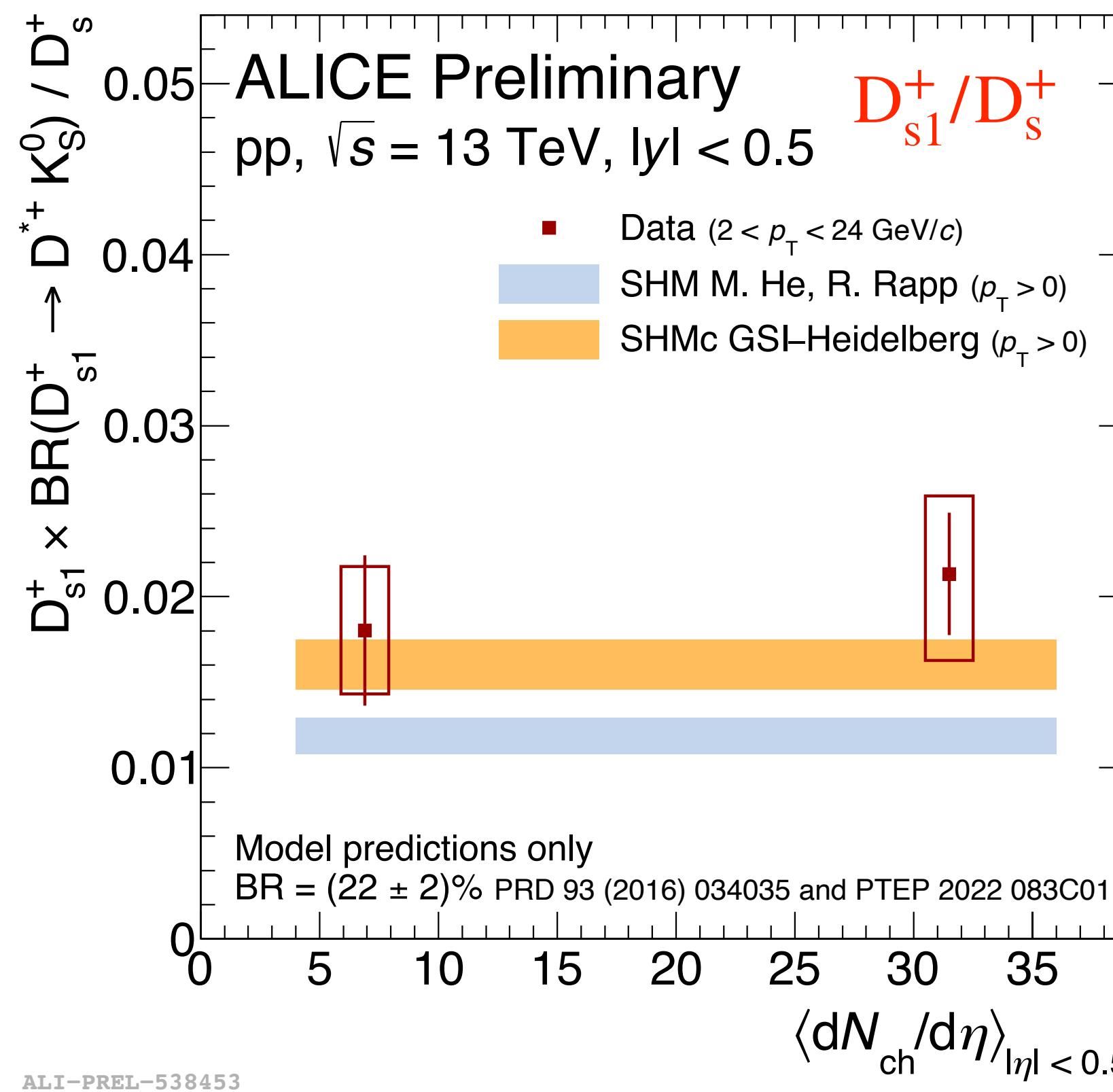
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Excited D_s^+ meson states

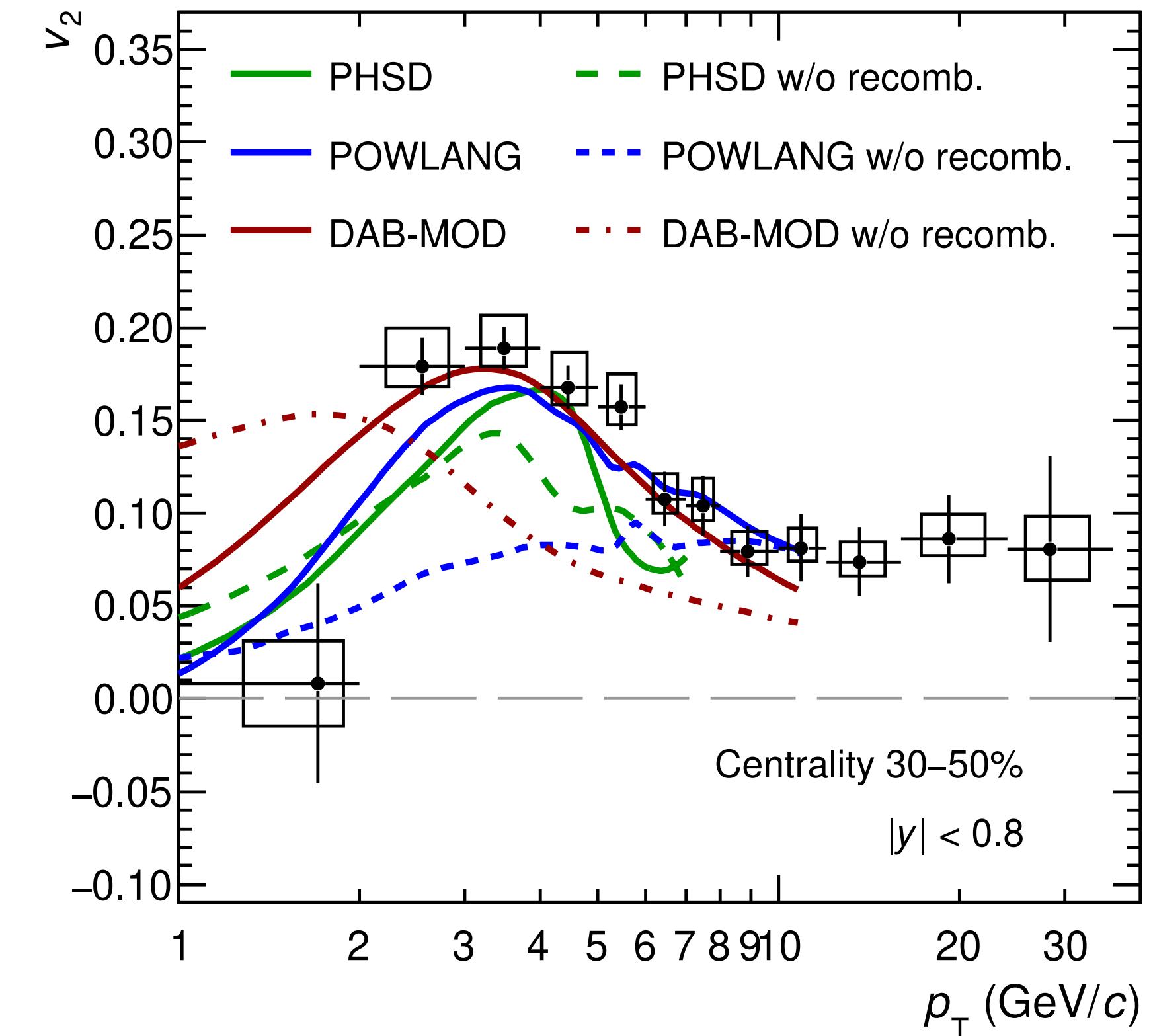
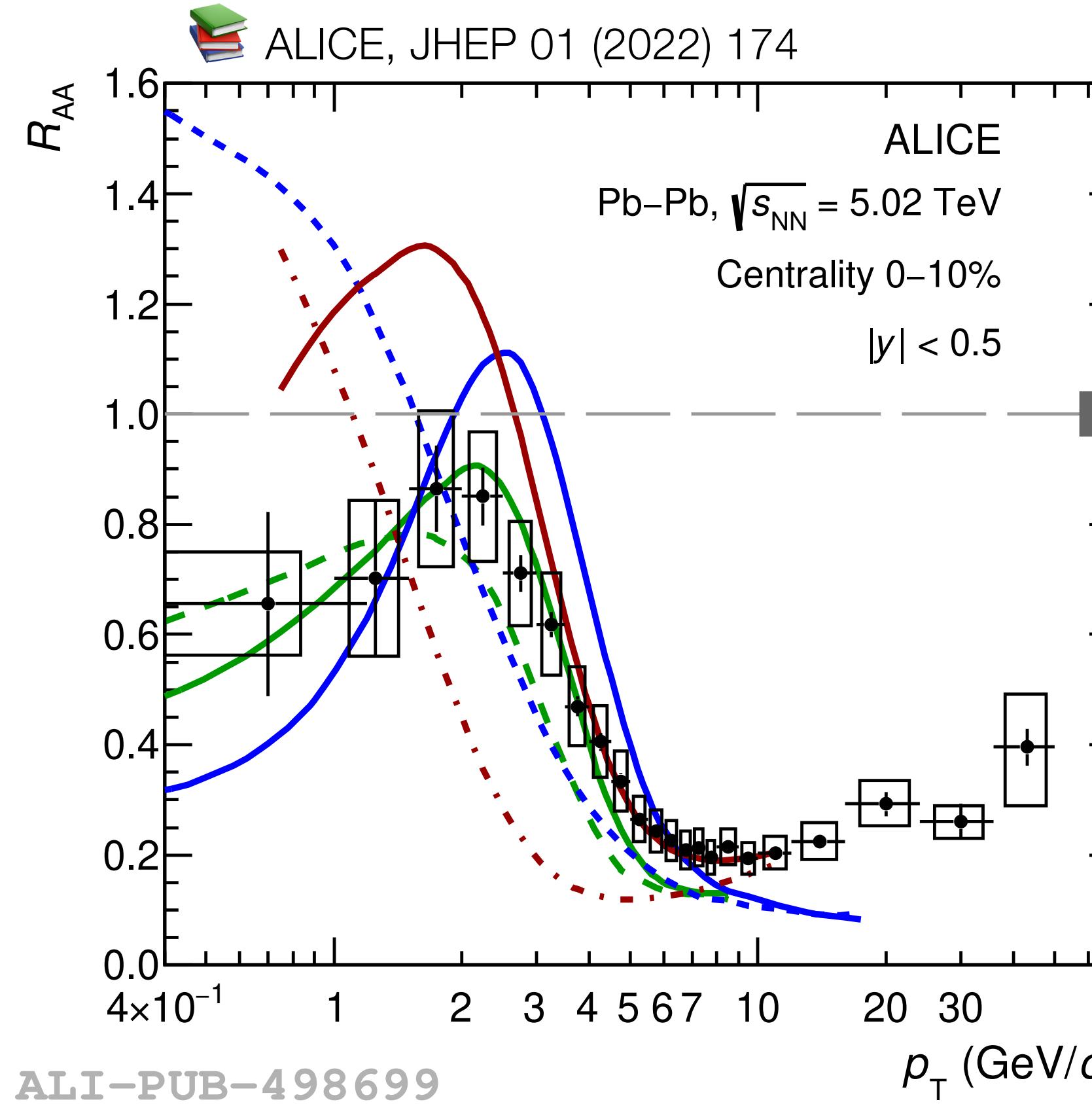


- ▶ Ratio to ground states factorise strangeness and charm dependencies for prediction
 - ▶ No multiplicity dependence expected from SHM and SHMc
- $\tau(D_{s1}^+) \sim 219$ fm/c;
 $\tau(D_{s2}^{*+}) \sim 11.61$ fm/c

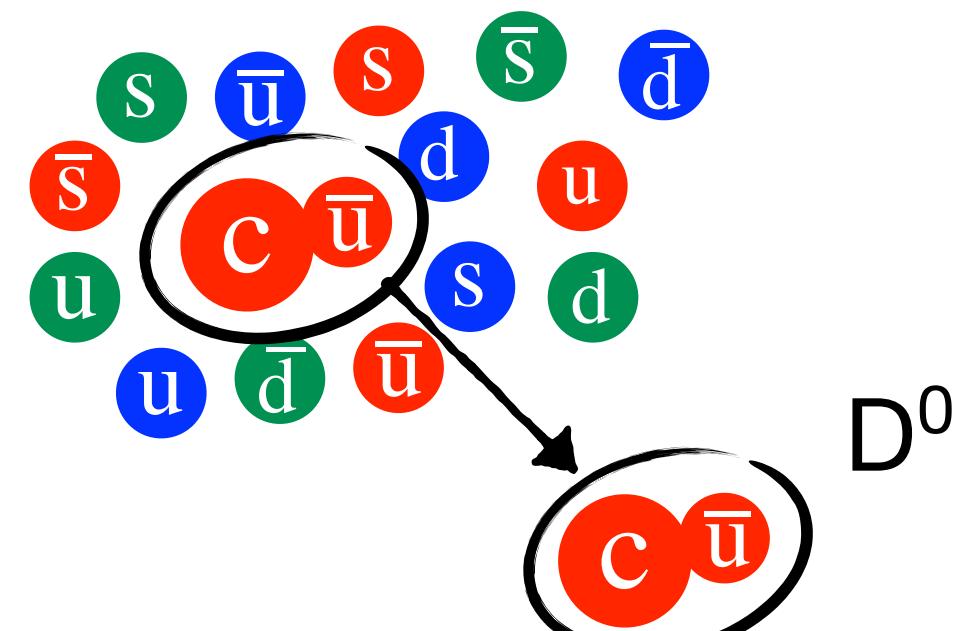
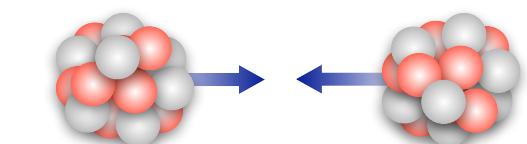
- ▶ D_{s1}^+ / D_s^+ and D_{s2}^{*+} / D_s^+ p_T -integrated yield ratios → compatible vs. mult. within uncertainties
 - D_{s1}^+ / D_s^+ no multiplicity dependence observed in data and agreement with models within uncertainties
 - D_{s2}^{*+} / D_s^+ potential trend which might arise from hadronic rescattering due to D_{s2}^{*+} lifetime

Recombination in heavy-ion collisions

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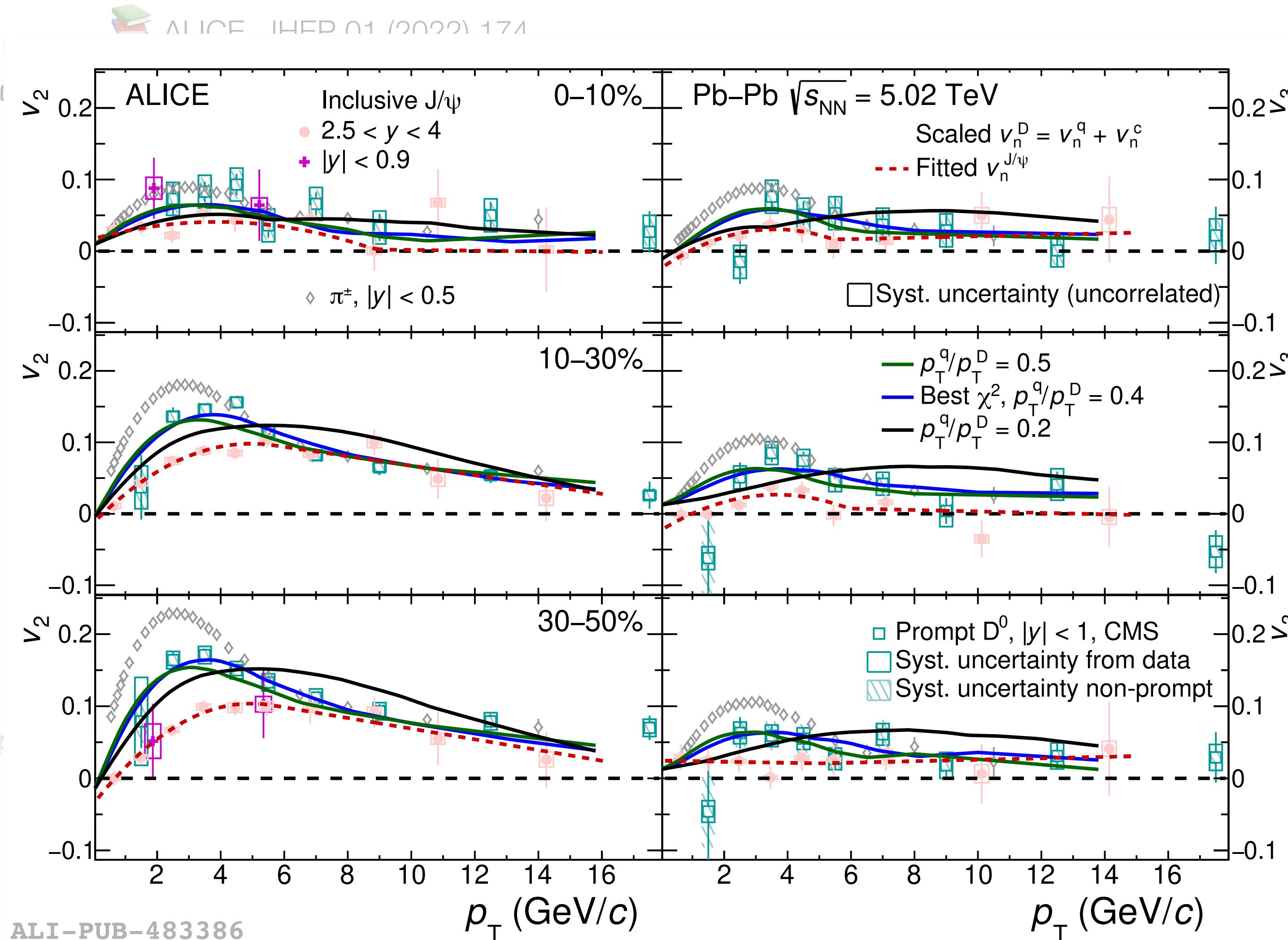
- ▶ Recombination of heavy quarks with light quarks from QGP affects HF hadrons momentum distribution
- ▶ HF hadrons pick-up the radial and elliptic flow of light quark



- ▶ Relation between p_{charm} and p_D is different for fragmentation and recombination
- ▶ recombination → $p_D > p_{\text{charm}}$ and D meson inherits also the flow of light quark

Recombination is a crucial component to describe the data at low/mid p_T

Recombination in heavy-ion collisions



- ▶ Test of the n-quark scaling and coalescence mechanism
 - quark flow obtained by interpolating $v_n(J/\psi)$ and $v_n(\pi)$
 - assumption $v_n^\pi(p_T^\pi) = 2 \cdot v_n^q(p_T^\pi/2)$

$$\nu_n^D(p_T^D) = \nu_n^q(p_T^q) + \nu_n^c(p_T^c)$$

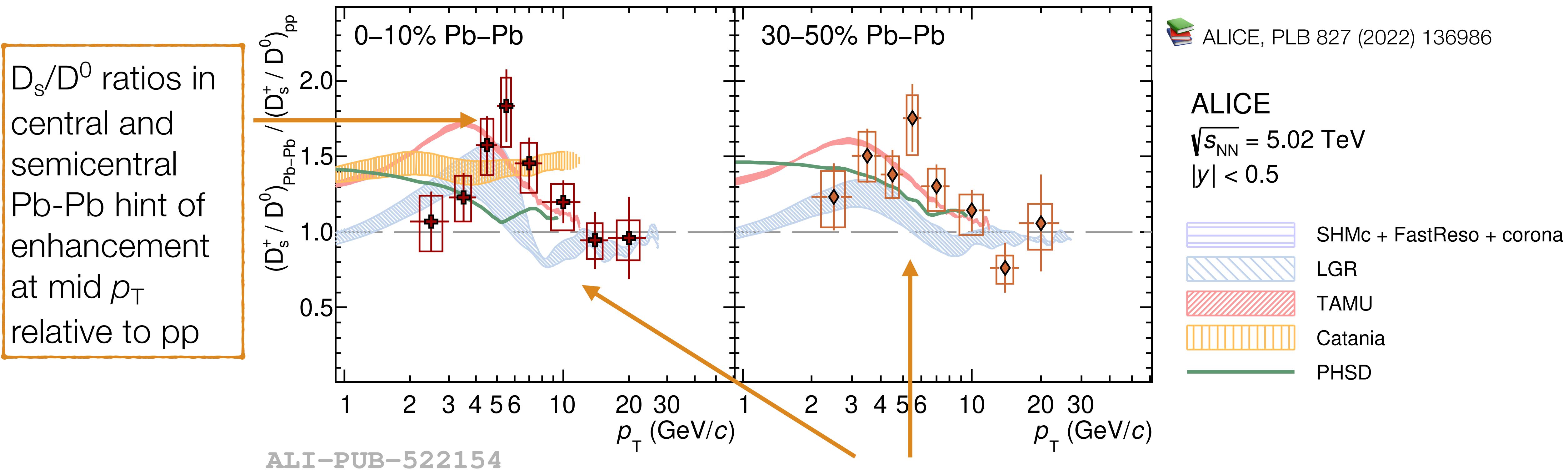
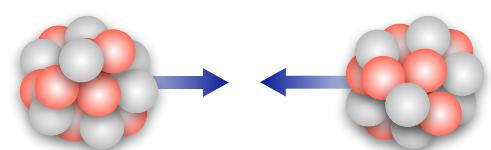
- good description of D^0 flow when light quark carries a large fraction (i.e. $p_T^q/p_T^D = 0.4$) of D -meson p_T

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Open charm hadrochemistry: D_s^+/D^0

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- Recombination of heavy quarks with light quarks from the QGP affects HF hadrochemistry
 - enhanced D_s^+ yield relative to non-strange mesons (strange quarks more abundant in QGP)
 - as expected in a scenario with hadronization via fragmentation and recombination

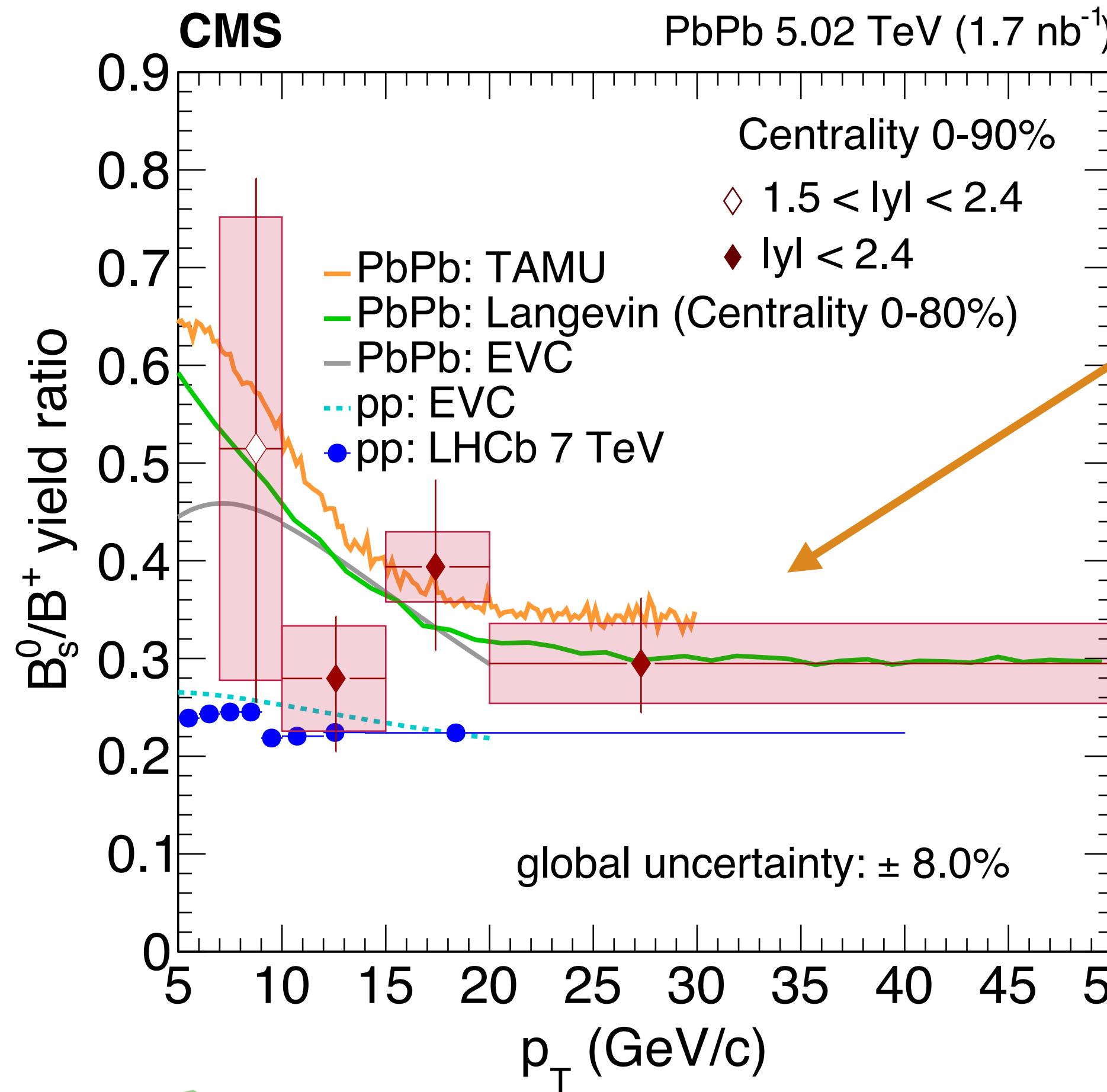
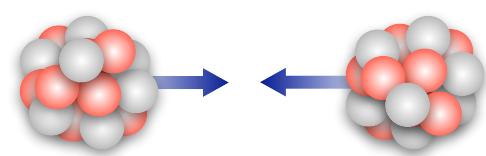


Described by SHMc and by different models including hadronization via recombination

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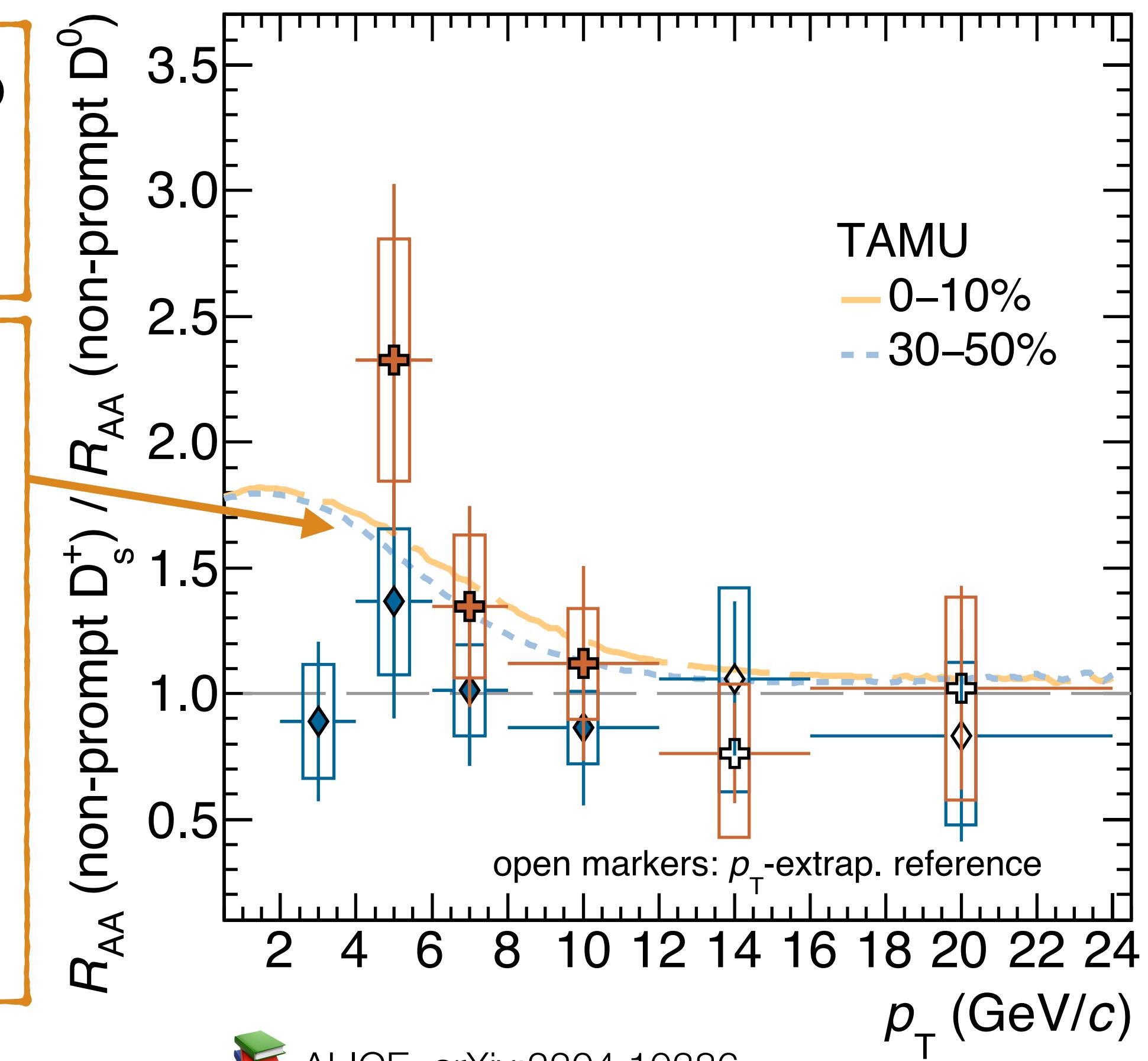


B_s/B^+ in Pb-Pb tend to lie systematically above the pp results

Hint of R_{AA} of non-prompt D_s larger than non-prompt D^0

→ Non-prompt D_s origin:

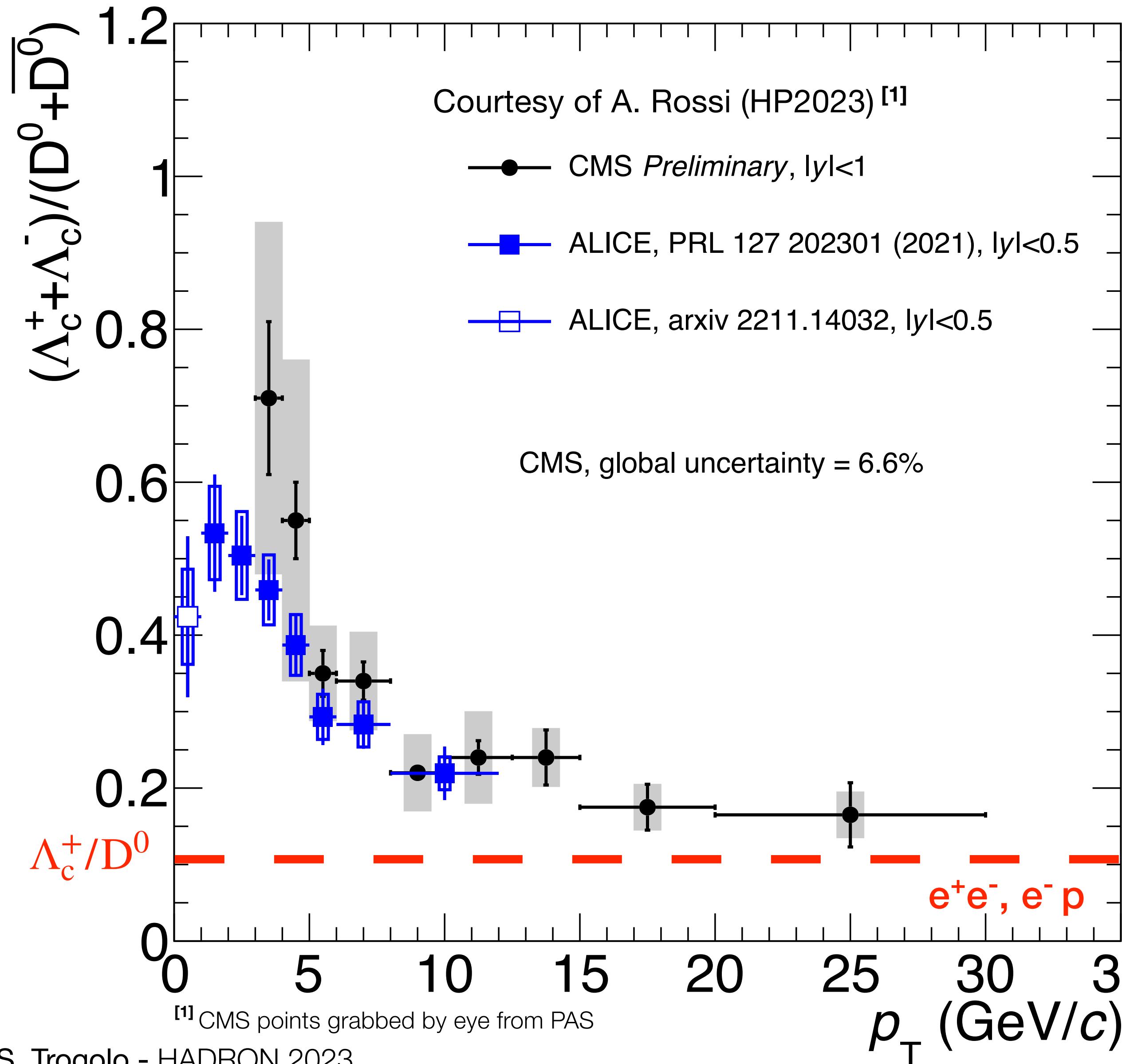
- 50% from B_s
- 50% from B^0, B^+



Baryons

Baryon-to-meson ratio in pp collisions - charm

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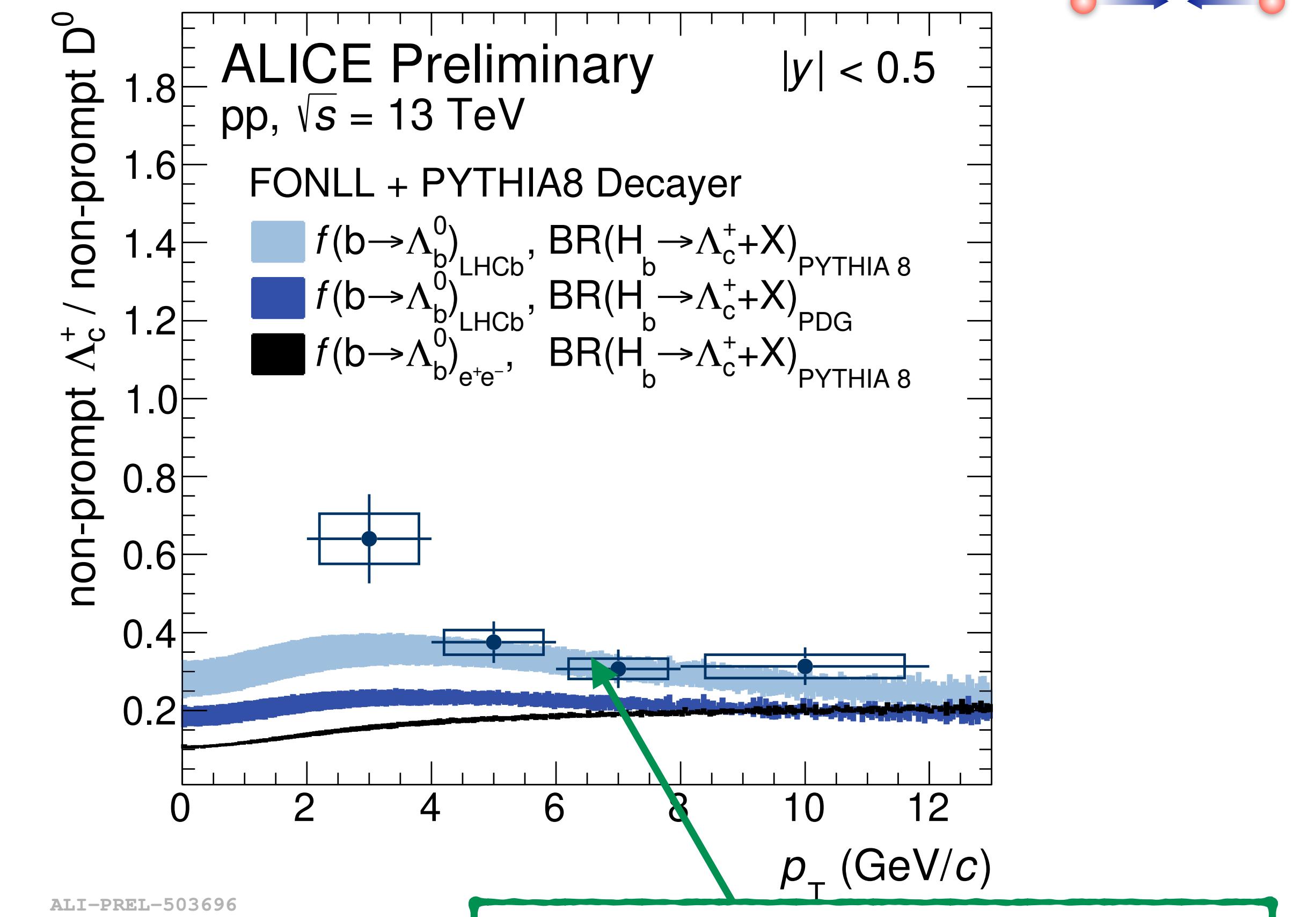
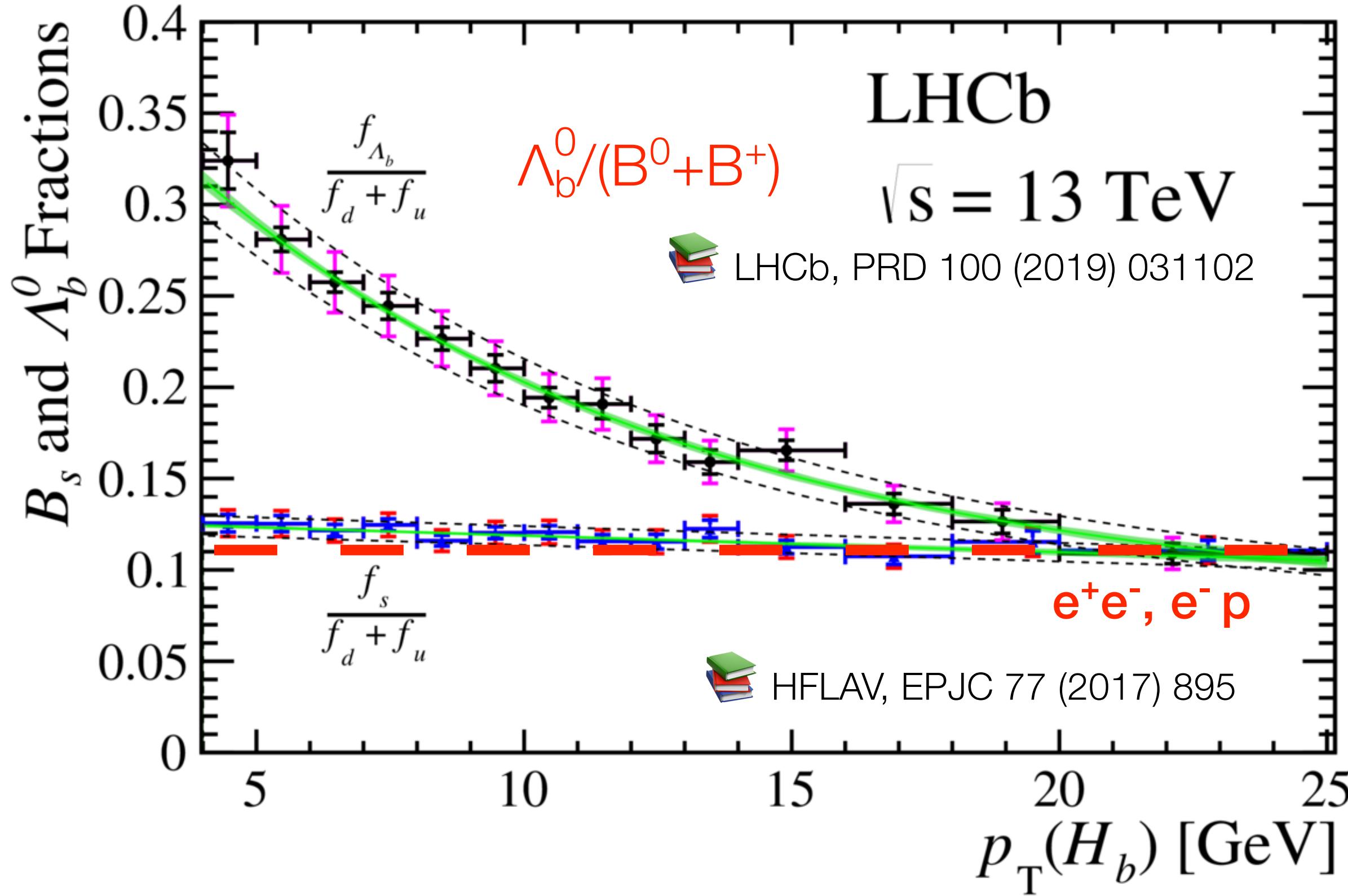
- Enhancement at low p_T with respect to measurements at e^+e^-/e^-p :
- Λ_c^+/D^0 ratio higher (x 4-5) at low p_T
- approaching e^+e^-/e^-p at high p_T

H_c	$f(c \rightarrow H_c)$ [%]	$f(b \rightarrow H_c)$ [%]
D^0	$54.2 \pm 2.4 \pm 0.7$	$58.7 \pm 2.1 \pm 0.8$
D^+	$22.5 \pm 1.0 \pm 0.5$	$22.3 \pm 1.1 \pm 0.5$
D_s^+	$9.2 \pm 0.8 \pm 0.5$	$13.8 \pm 0.9 \pm 0.6$
Λ_c^+	$5.7 \pm 0.6 \pm 0.3$	$7.3 \pm 0.8 \pm 0.4$
D^{*+} , rate	$23.4 \pm 0.7 \pm 0.3$	$23.3 \pm 1.0 \pm 0.3$
D^{*+} , double-tag	$24.4 \pm 1.3 \pm 0.2$	$17.5 \pm 2.0 \pm 0.1$
D^{*+} , combined	$23.6 \pm 0.6 \pm 0.3$	$22.1 \pm 0.9 \pm 0.3$

- Λc/D (LEP) L. Gladilin, EPJC 75 (2015) 19
- ALICE, PRC 104 (2021) 054905
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Baryon-to-meson ratio in pp collisions - beauty

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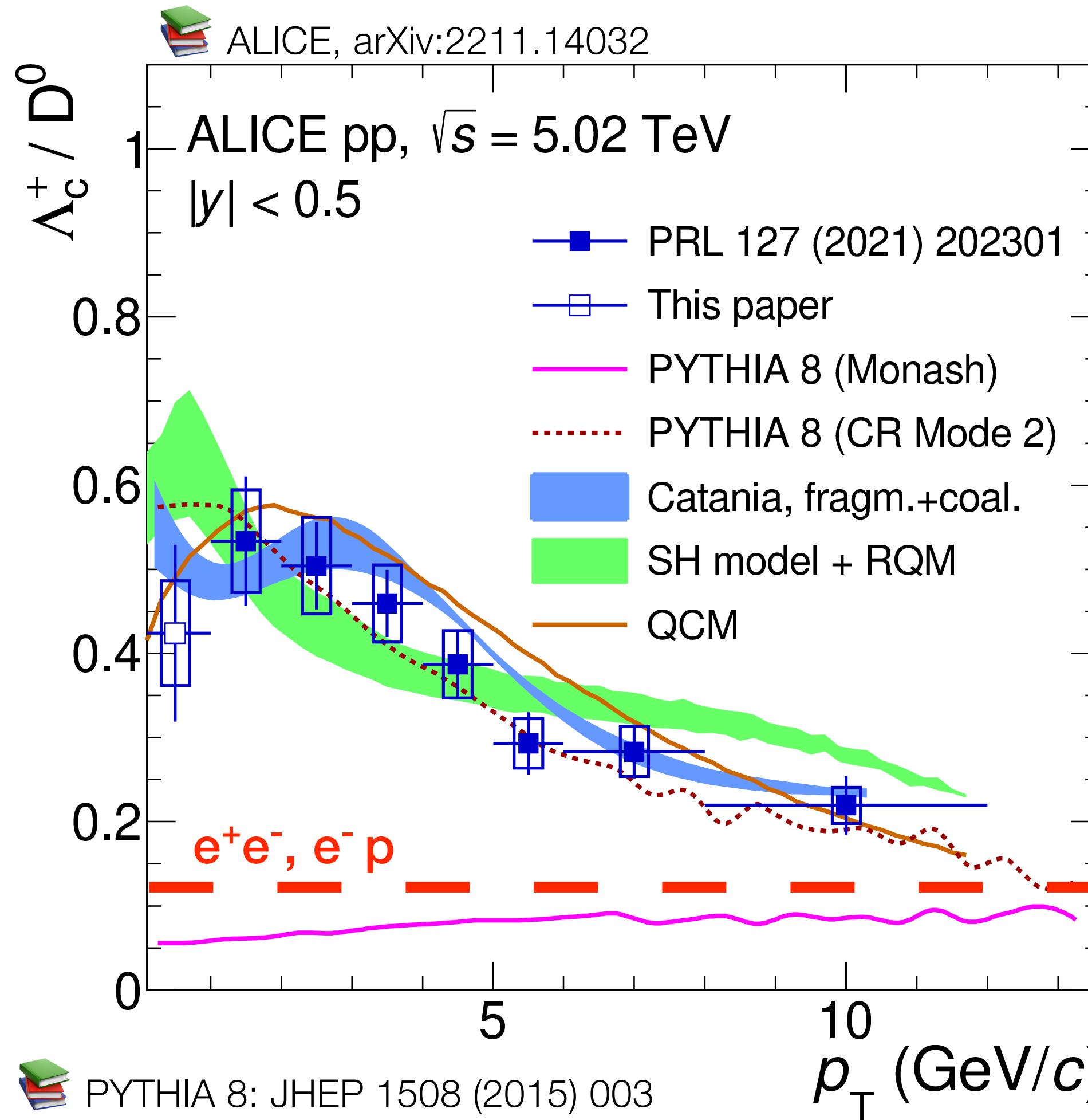


- ▶ Enhanced beauty-baryon production w.r.t. e^+e^- collisions
 - similar trend observed in the beauty sector
 - non-prompt Λ_c^+/D^0 ratio well described with LHCb fragmentation fractions and PYTHIA 8 decay table

Access to the frag. of beauty quark via non-prompt ratio

Prompt Λ_c^+/\bar{D}^0 in pp collisions vs. models

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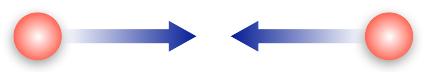
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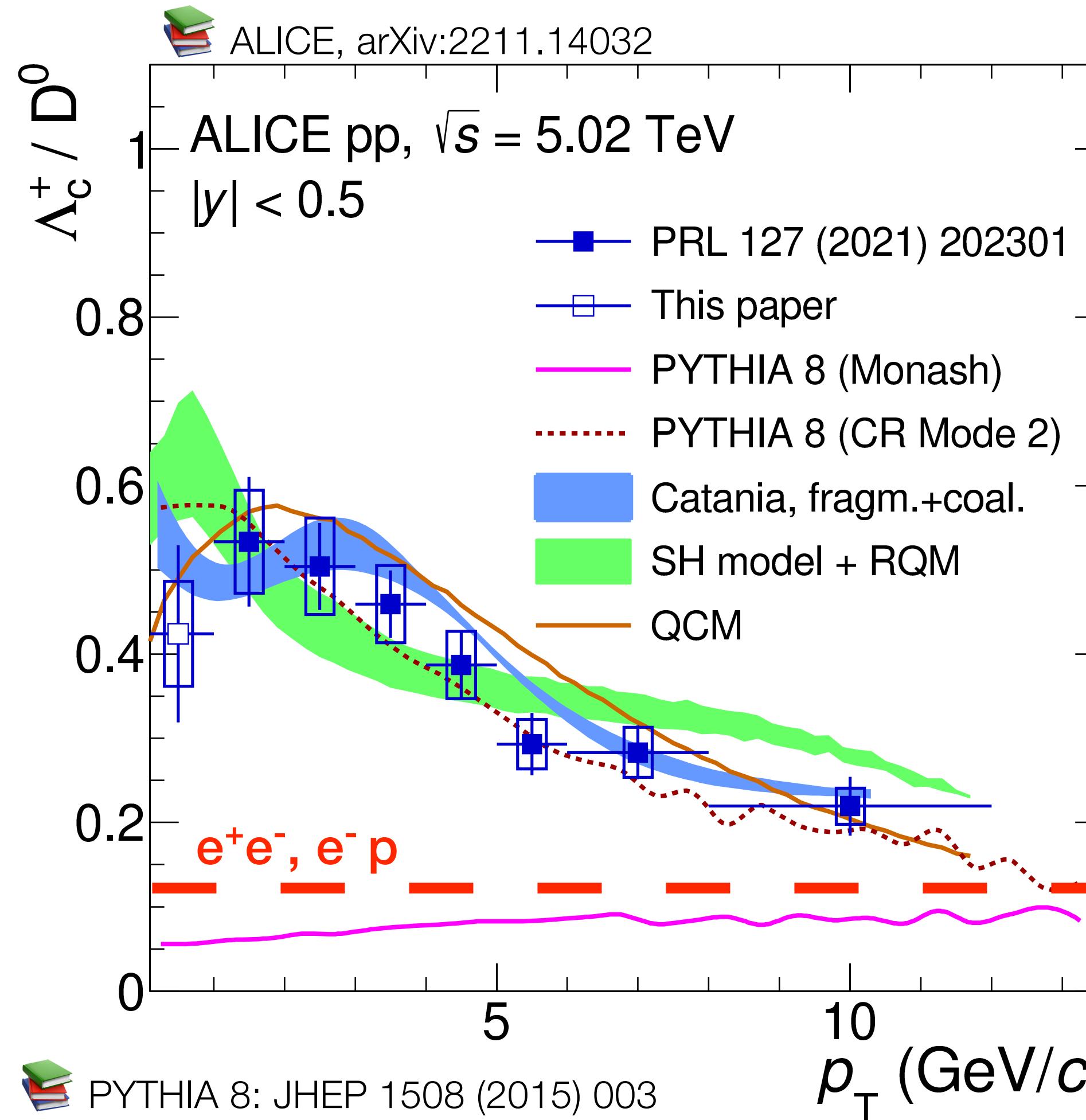
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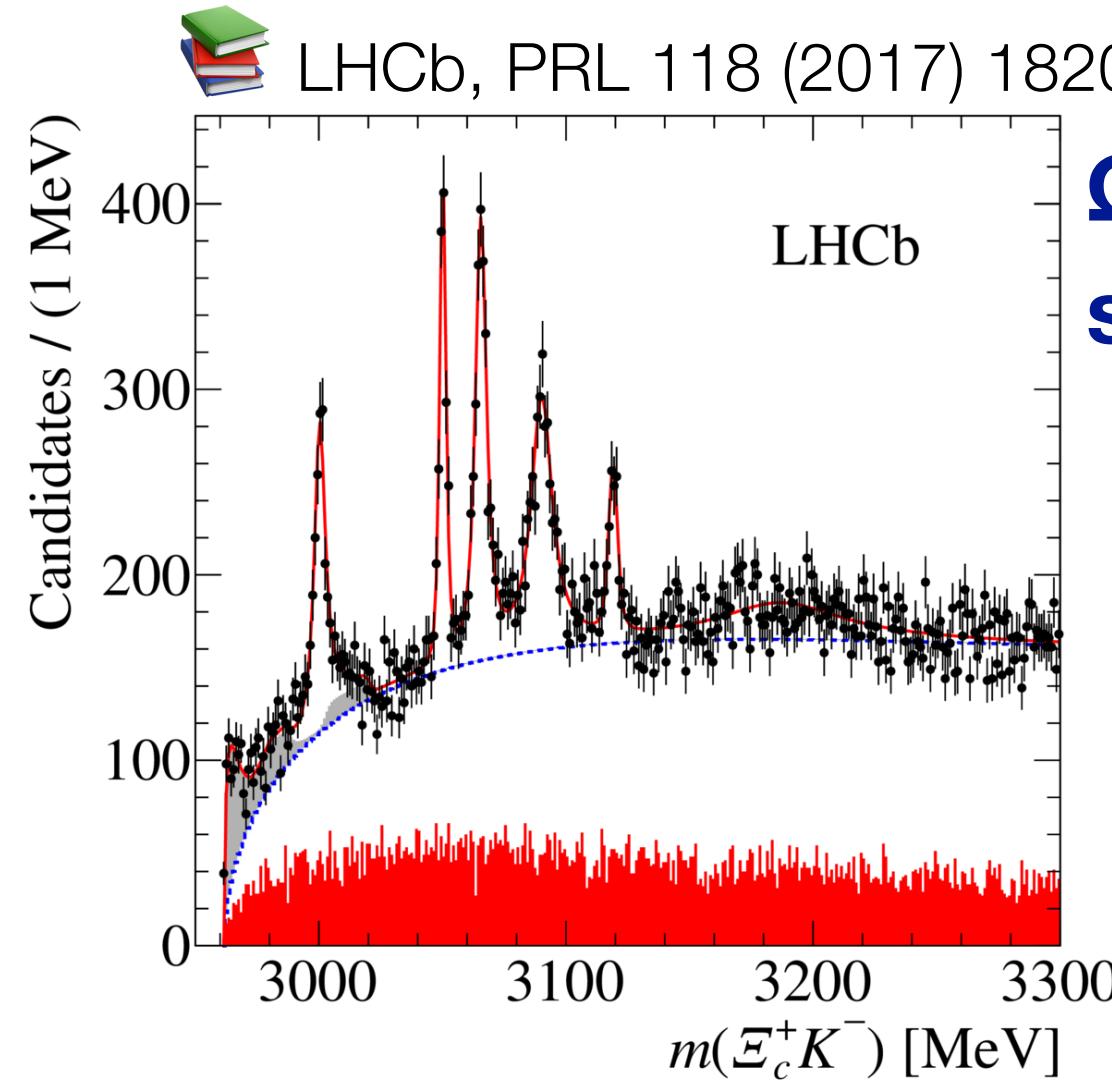
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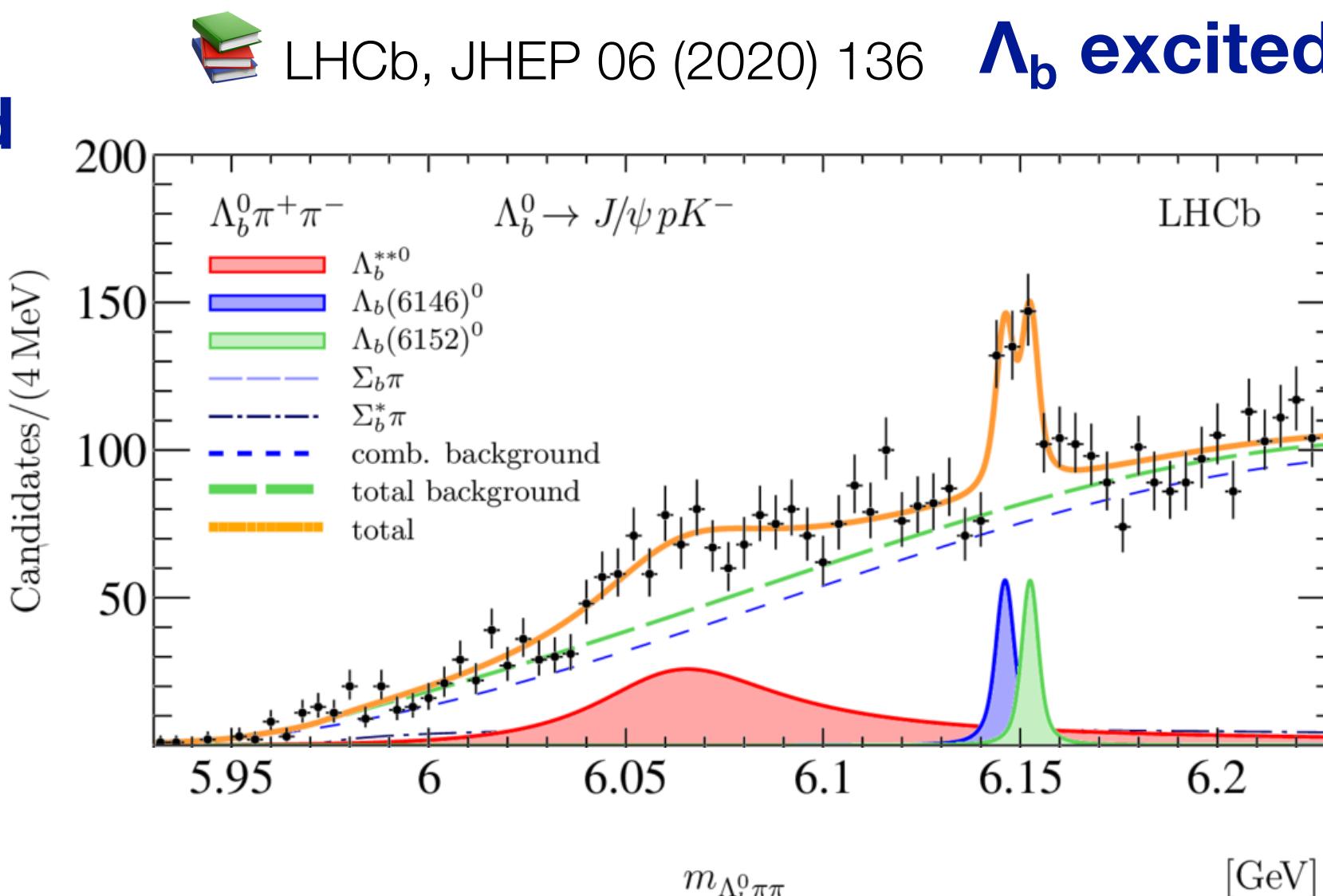
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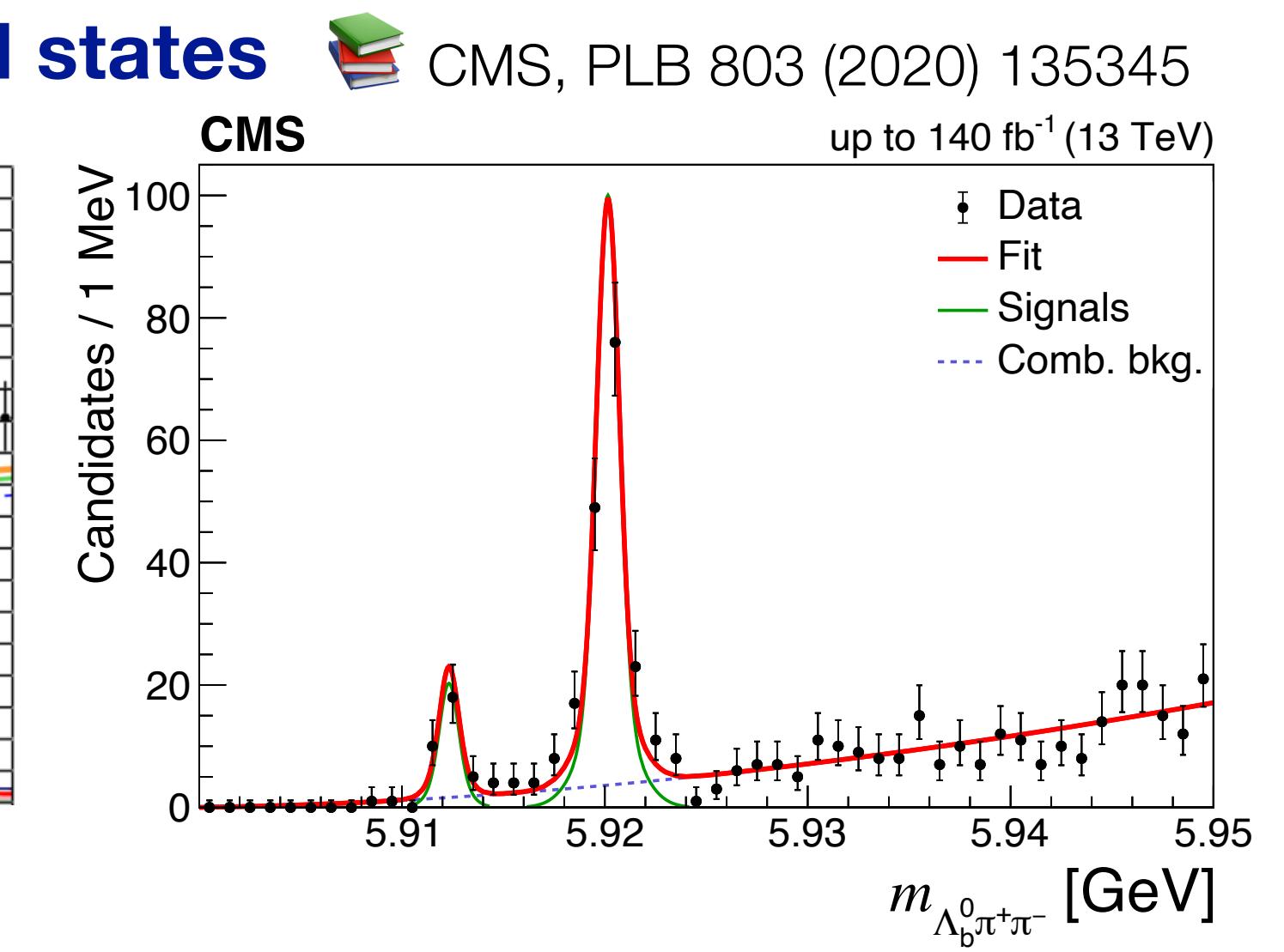
► Higher-mass states: new states popping up



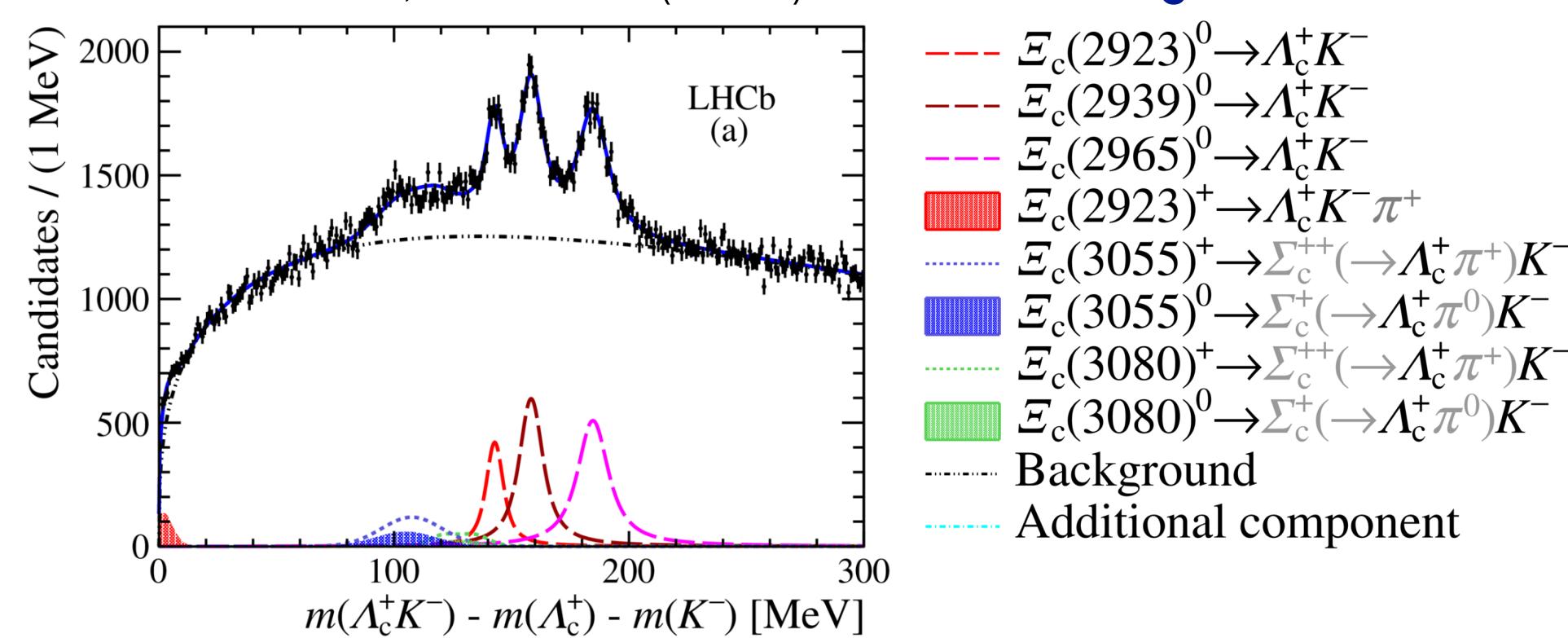
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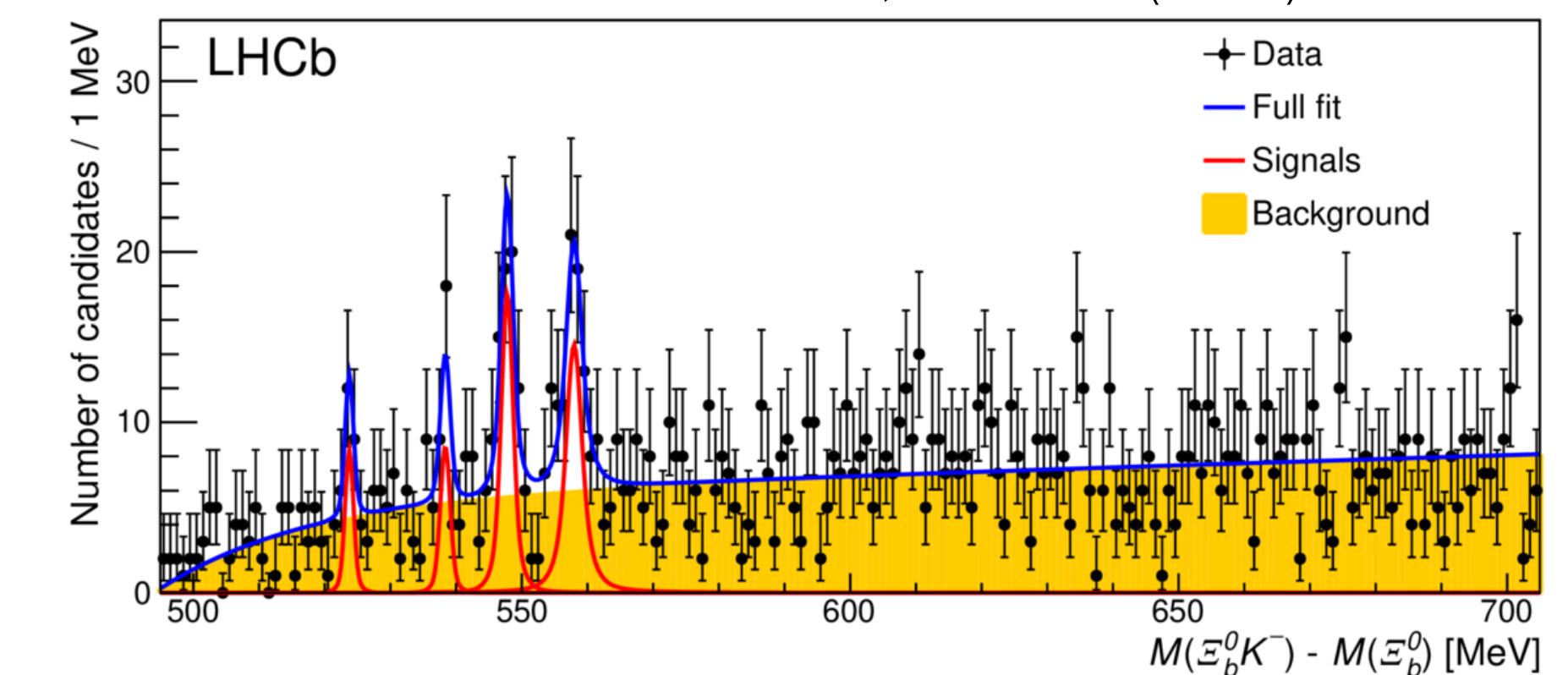


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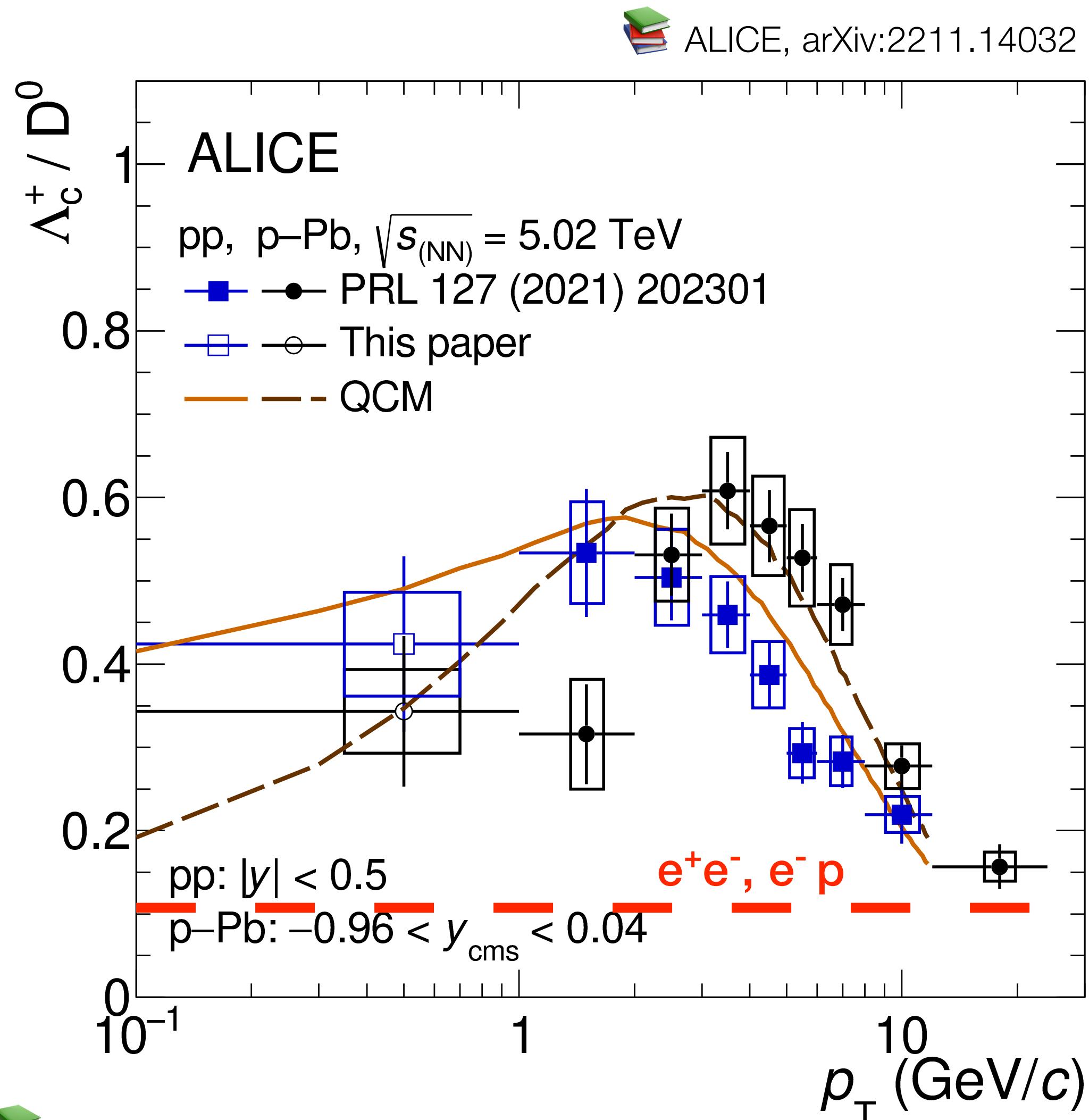
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Prompt Λ_c^+/\bar{D}^0 in p-Pb collisions vs. models

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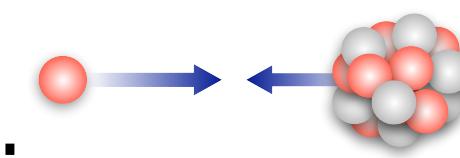


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- Enhancement with respect to e^+e^- measurements:
 - peak towards higher $p_T \rightarrow$ contribution of collective effects?
 - both ratios described by QCM model

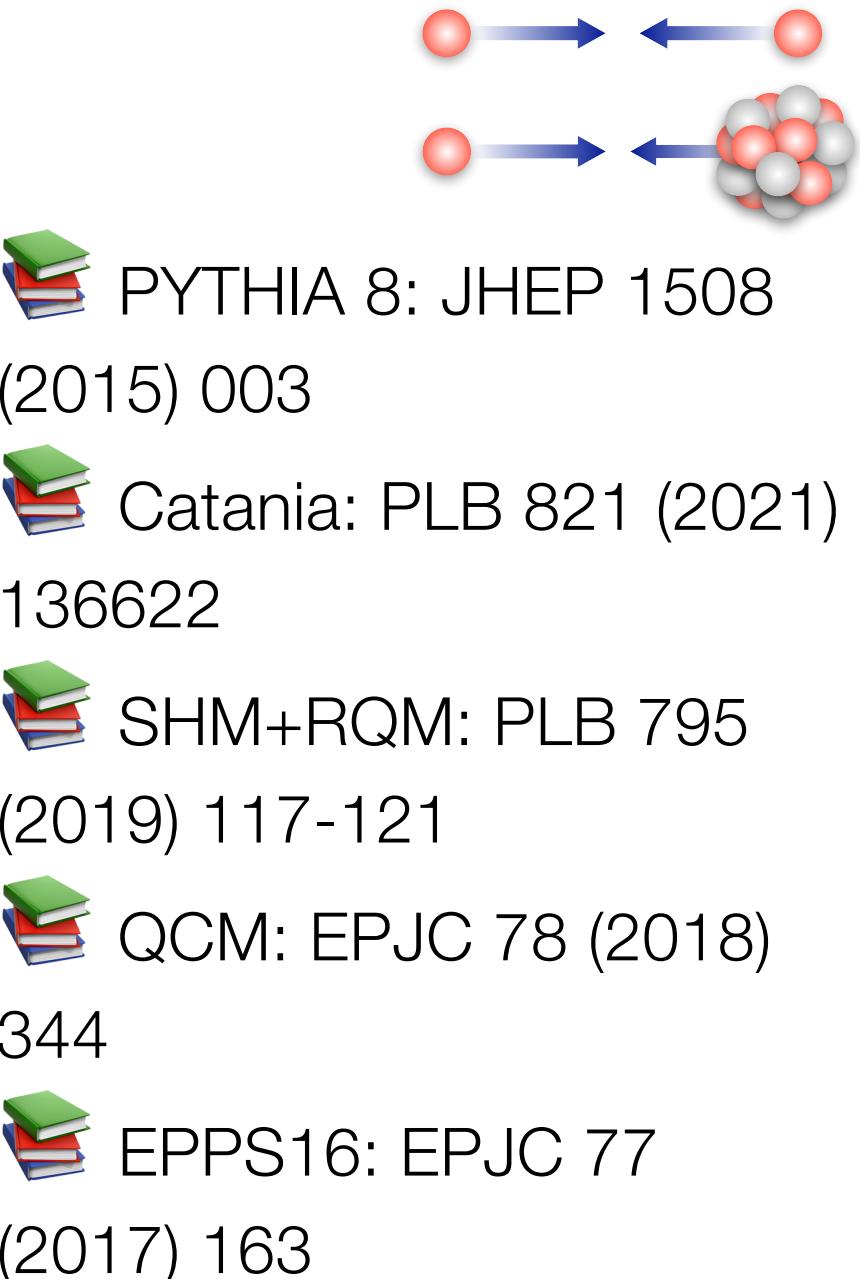
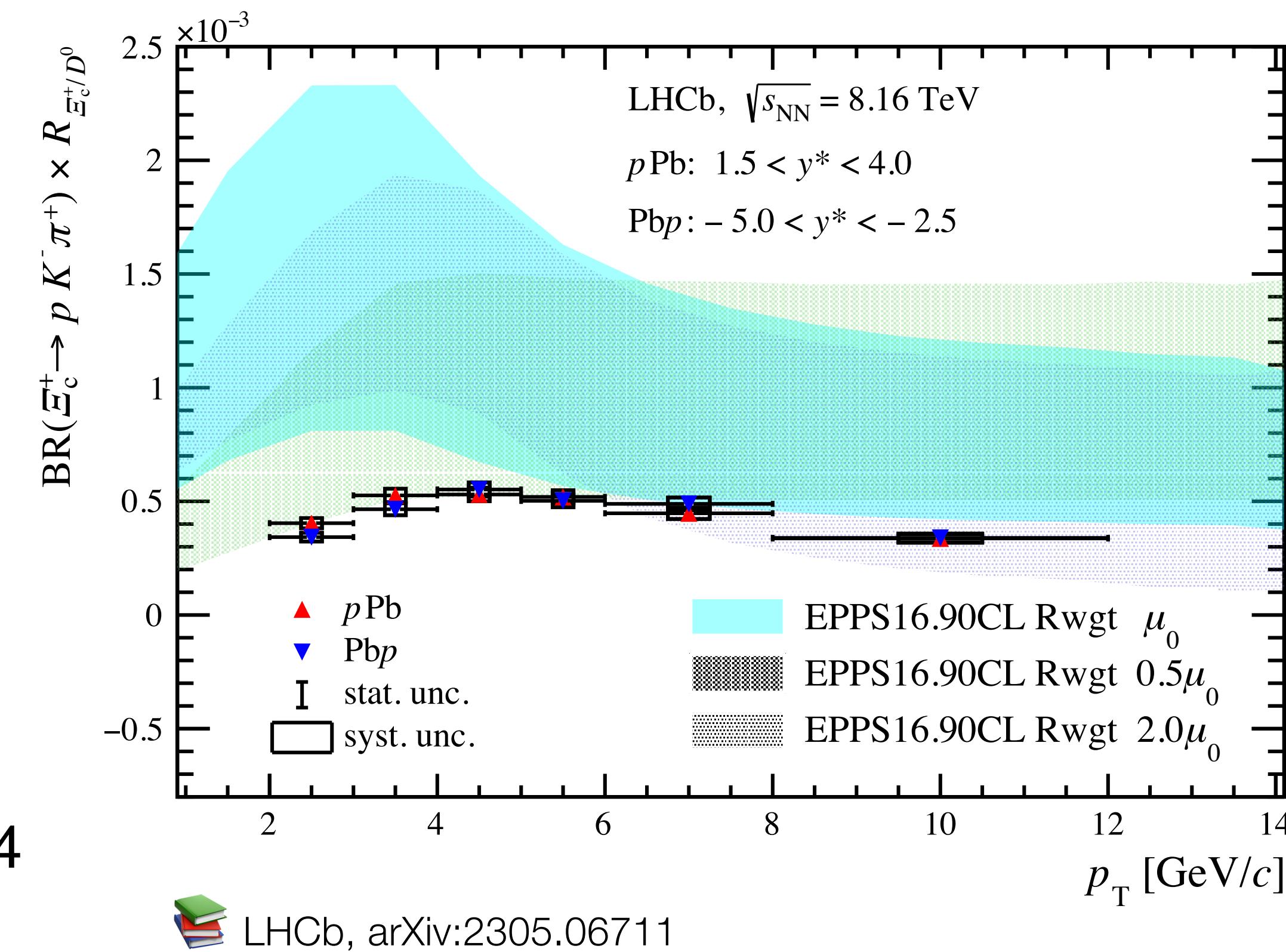
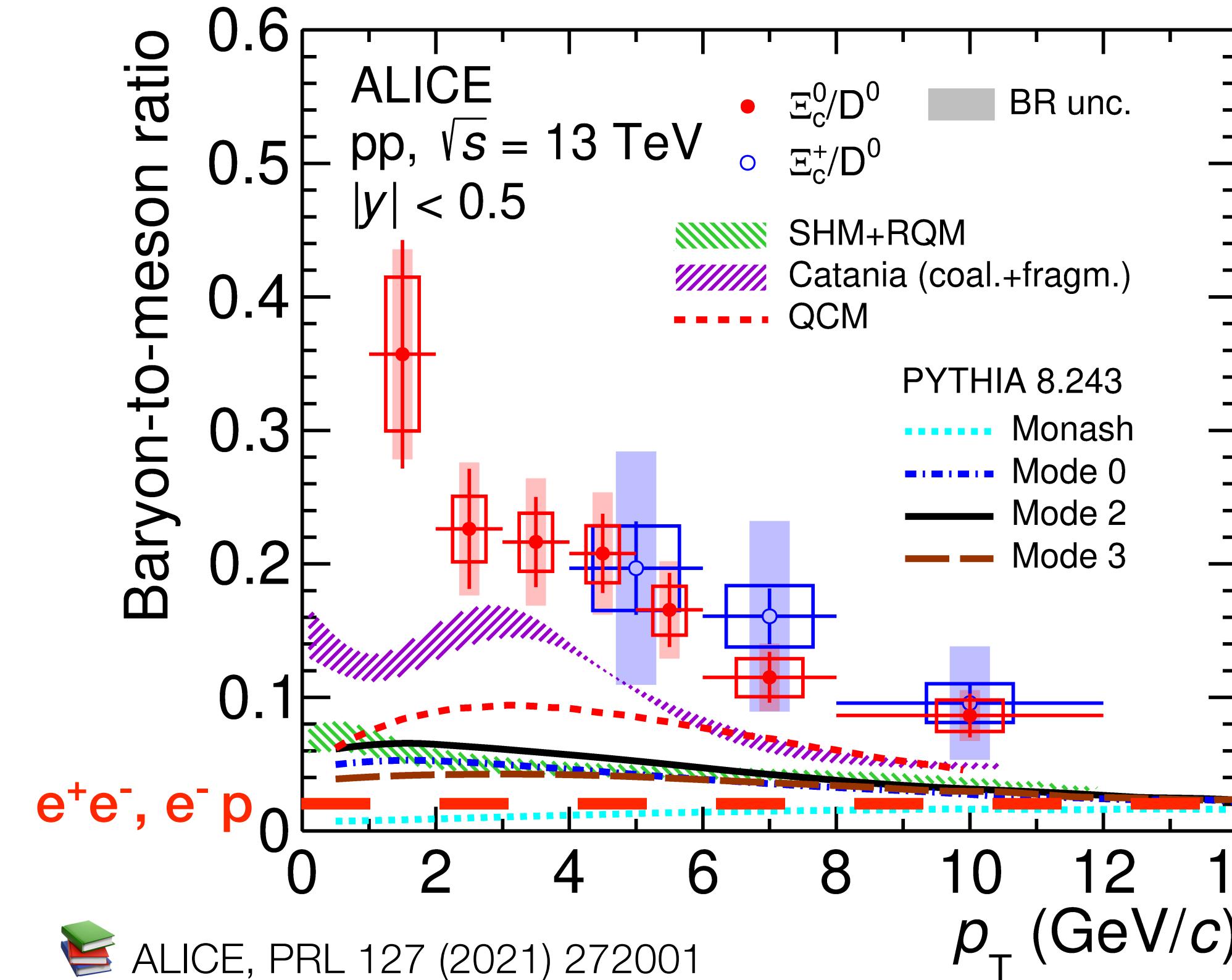
		$\langle p_T \rangle (\text{GeV}/c)$	
		pp	p-Pb
D^0		$2.06 \pm 0.03 \text{ (stat.)} \pm 0.03 \text{ (syst.)}$	$2.07 \pm 0.02 \text{ (stat.)} \pm 0.04 \text{ (syst.)}$
Λ_c^+		$1.86 \pm 0.06 \text{ (stat.)} \pm 0.03 \text{ (syst.)}$	$2.29 \pm 0.06 \text{ (stat.)} \pm 0.06 \text{ (syst.)}$

- Comparing pp and p-Pb results:
 - larger $\langle p_T(\Lambda_c^+) \rangle$ in p-Pb than in pp, but p_T -integrated ratios compatible
 - modification of p_T distribution different for baryons and mesons from pp to p-Pb collisions?



Heavier charm baryons: $\Xi_c^{0,+}$

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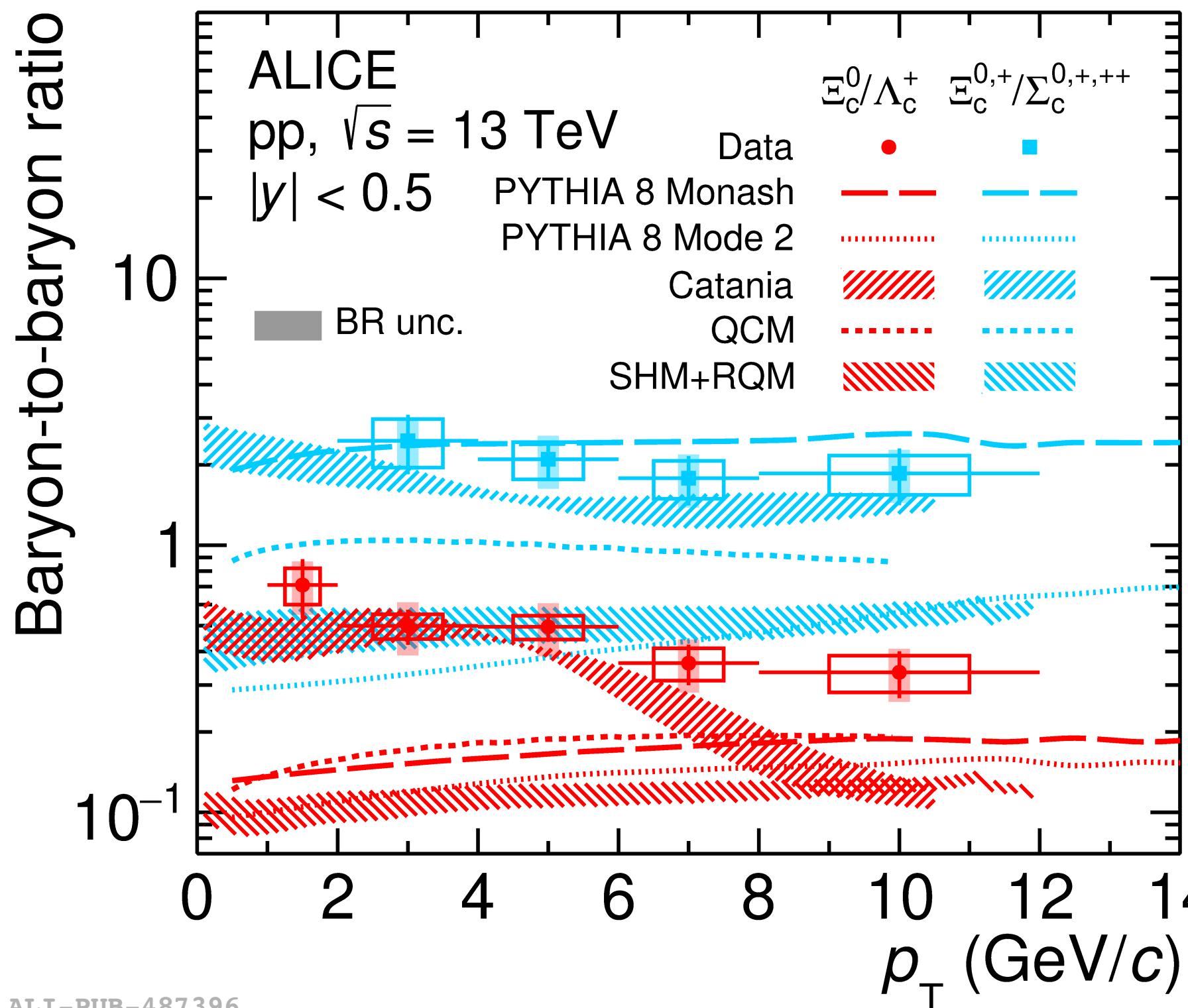
- $\Xi_c^{0,+}/D^0$ in pp collisions → higher than PYTHIA Monash (e^+e^- tuning)
- only recombination models are able to get closer to the measurement
- Ξ_c^+/D^0 in p-Pb collisions mild p_T dependence at forward/backward y
- likely lower than mid y but larger than $e^+e^- \rightarrow$ is there a rapidity dependence?

Heavier charm baryons: $\Xi_c^{0,+}$, Ω_c^0

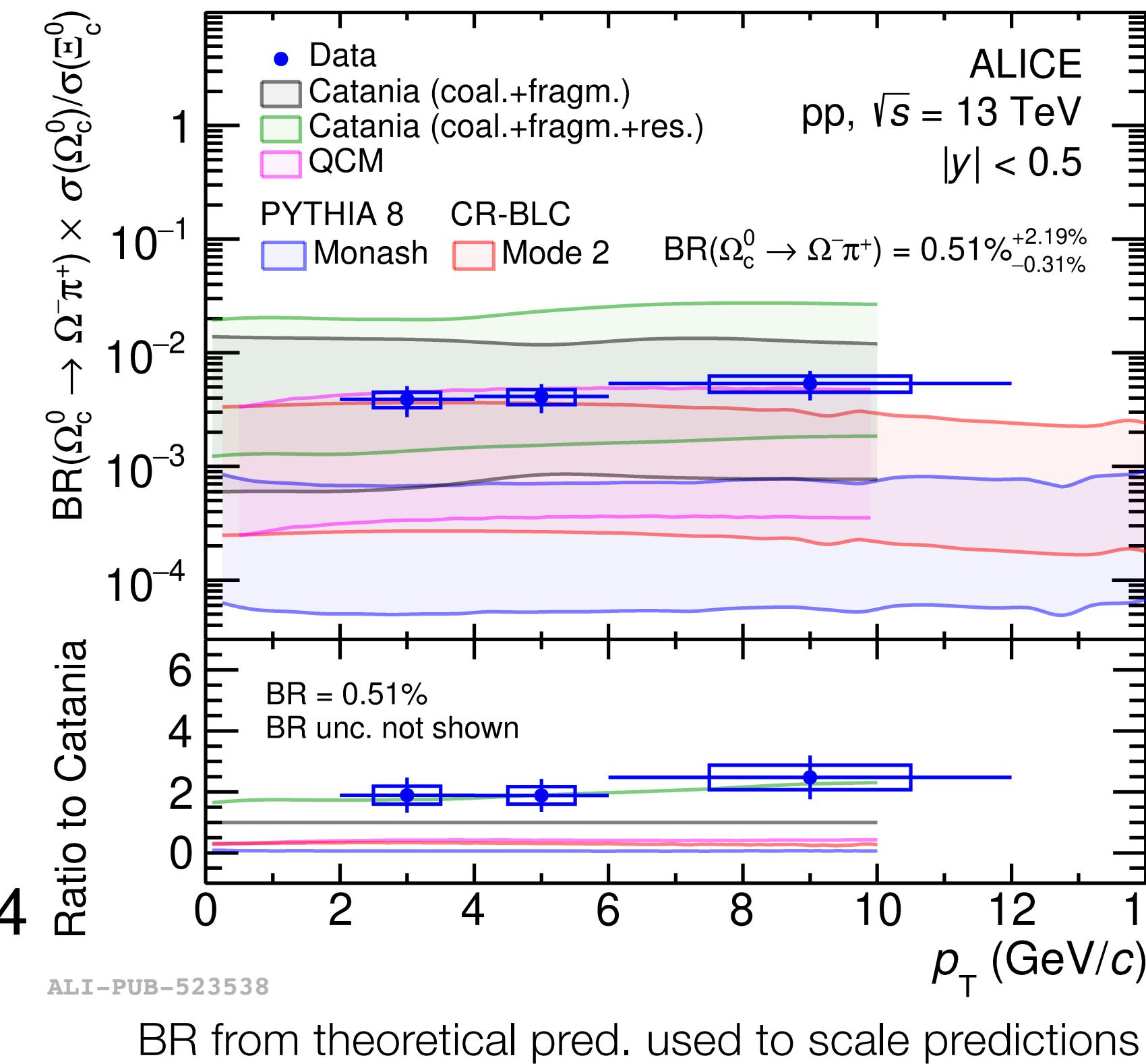
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Additional challenge from strange-quark production?

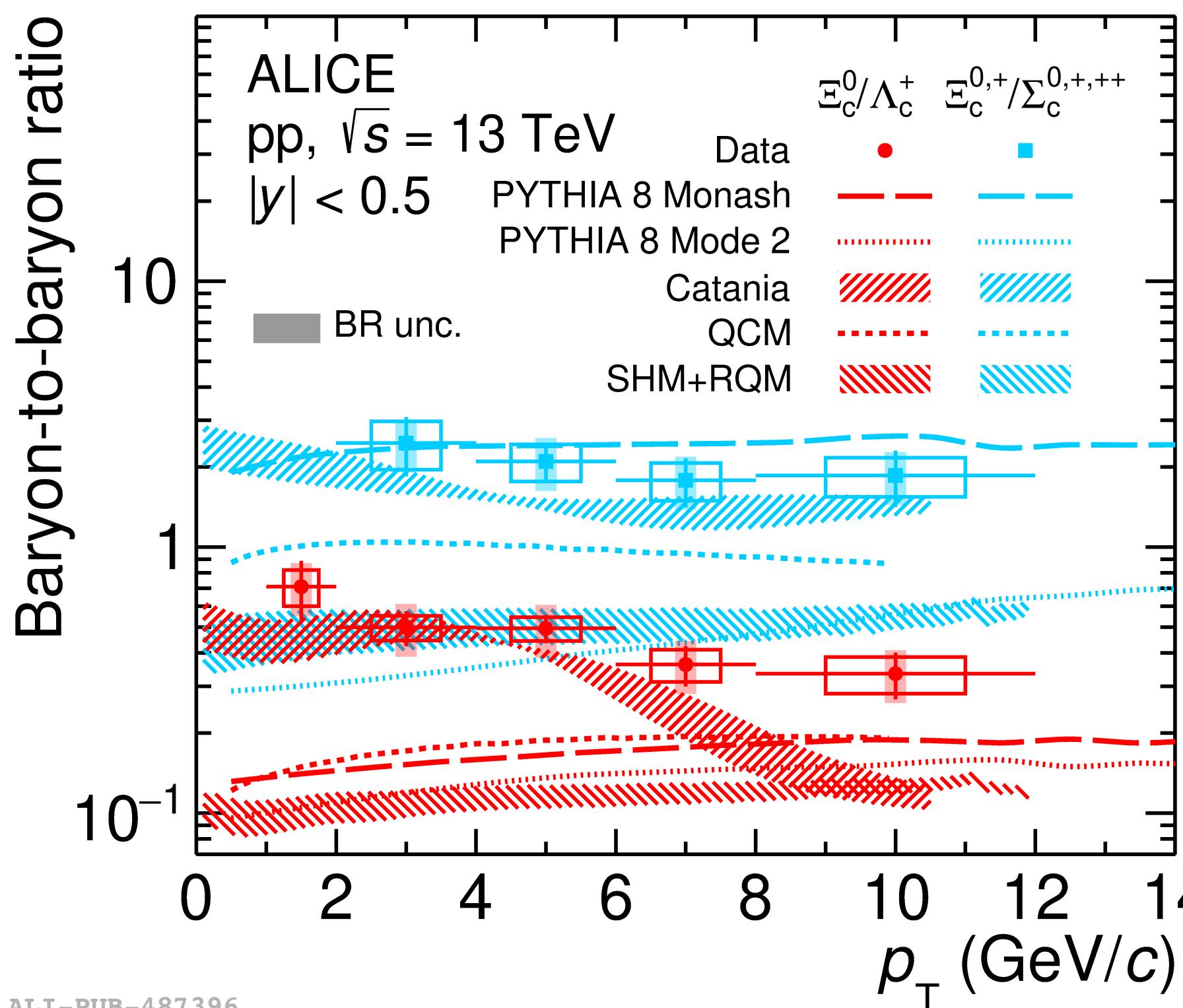
- baryon-to-meson higher than e^+e^-
- baryon-to-baryon:
 - strange/non-strange inline with e^+e^-
 - double-strange/strange higher e^+e^-

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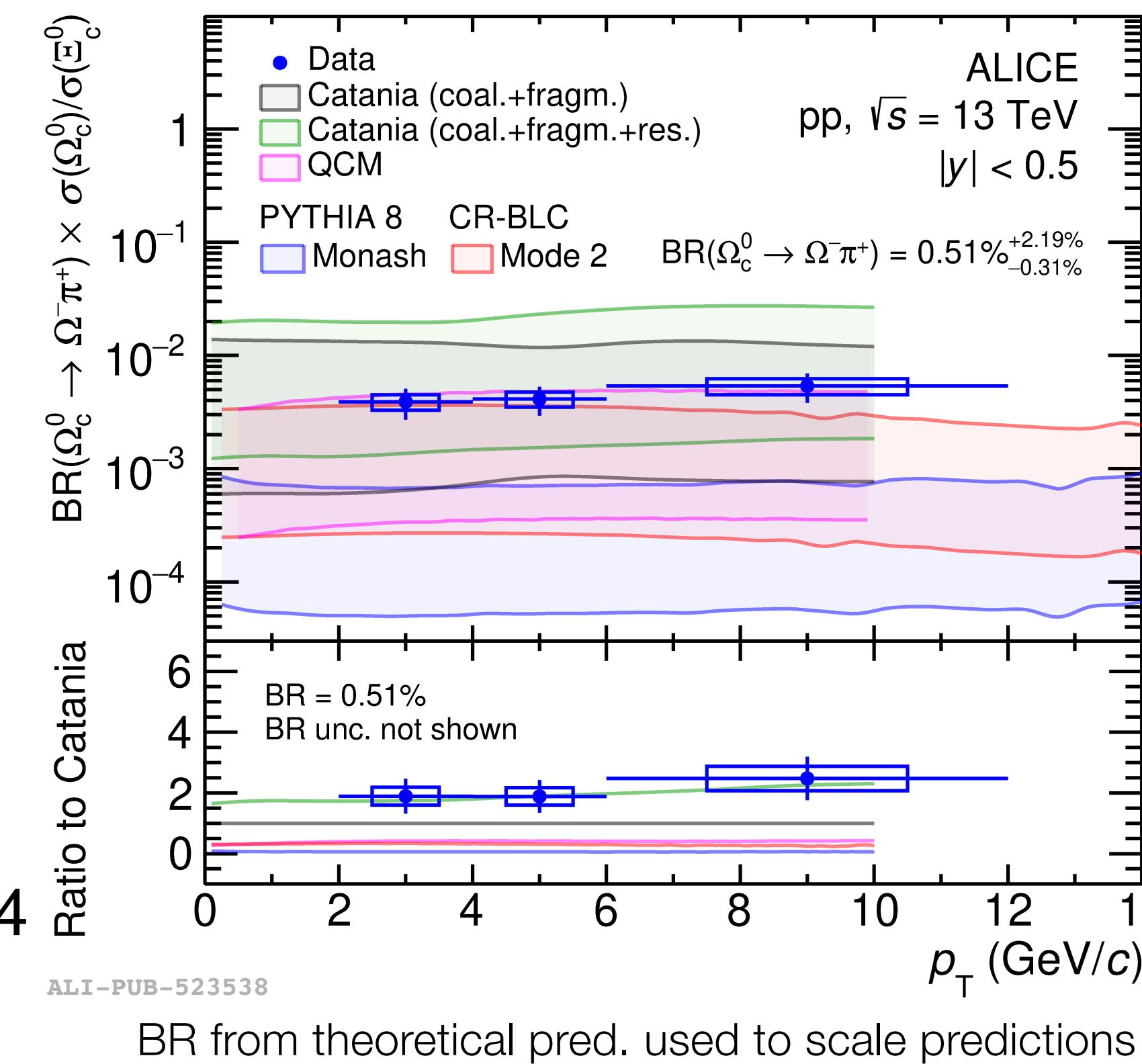
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Full description of
charm-baryon
production in pp
collisions still a puzzle

→ double-strange/strange
higher e^+e^-

charm production in pp and p-Pb collisions

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Comparing to e^+e^- :

- D mesons \downarrow factor 1.4-1.6
- Λ_c^+ baryon \uparrow factor ~ 3

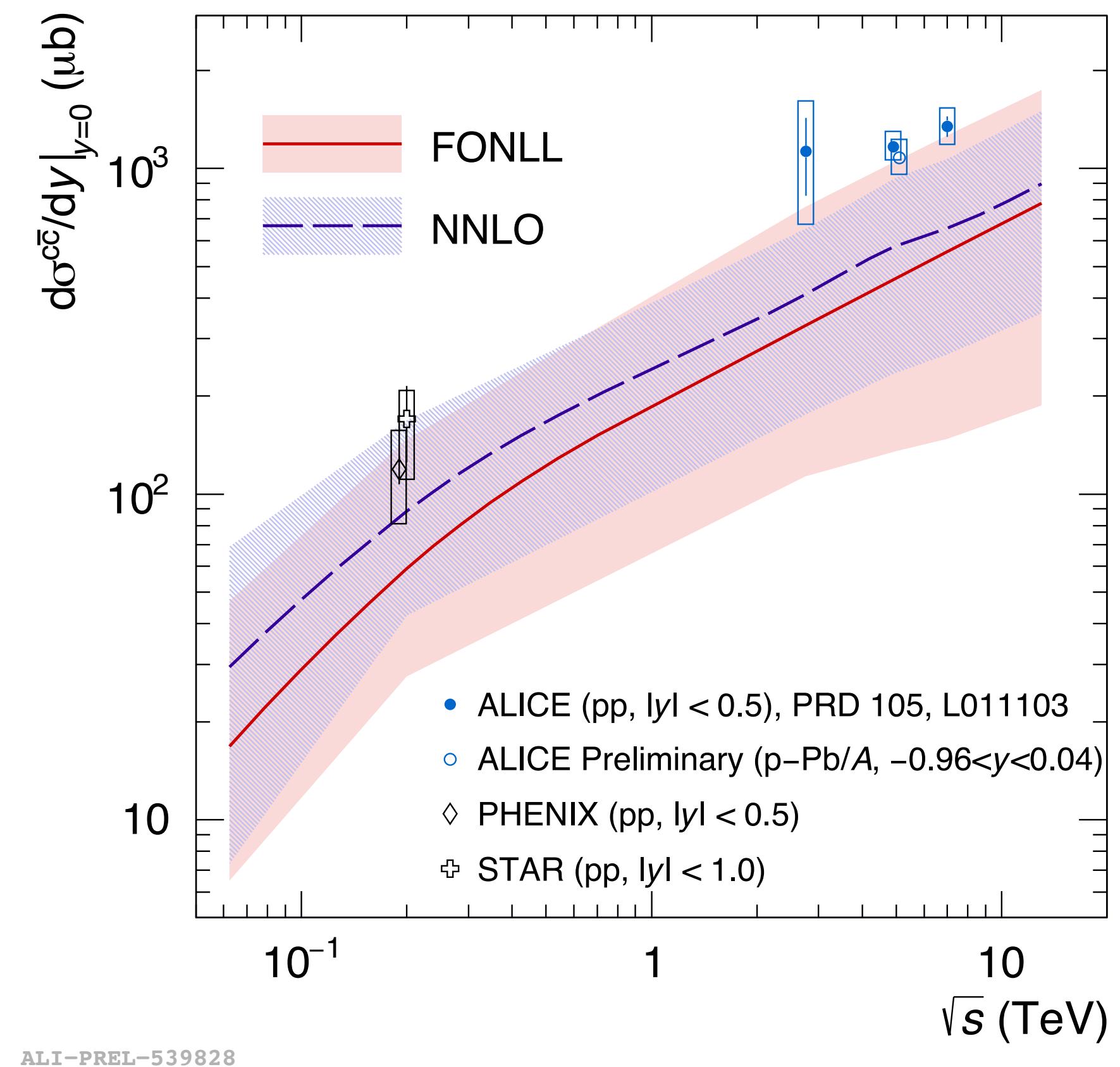
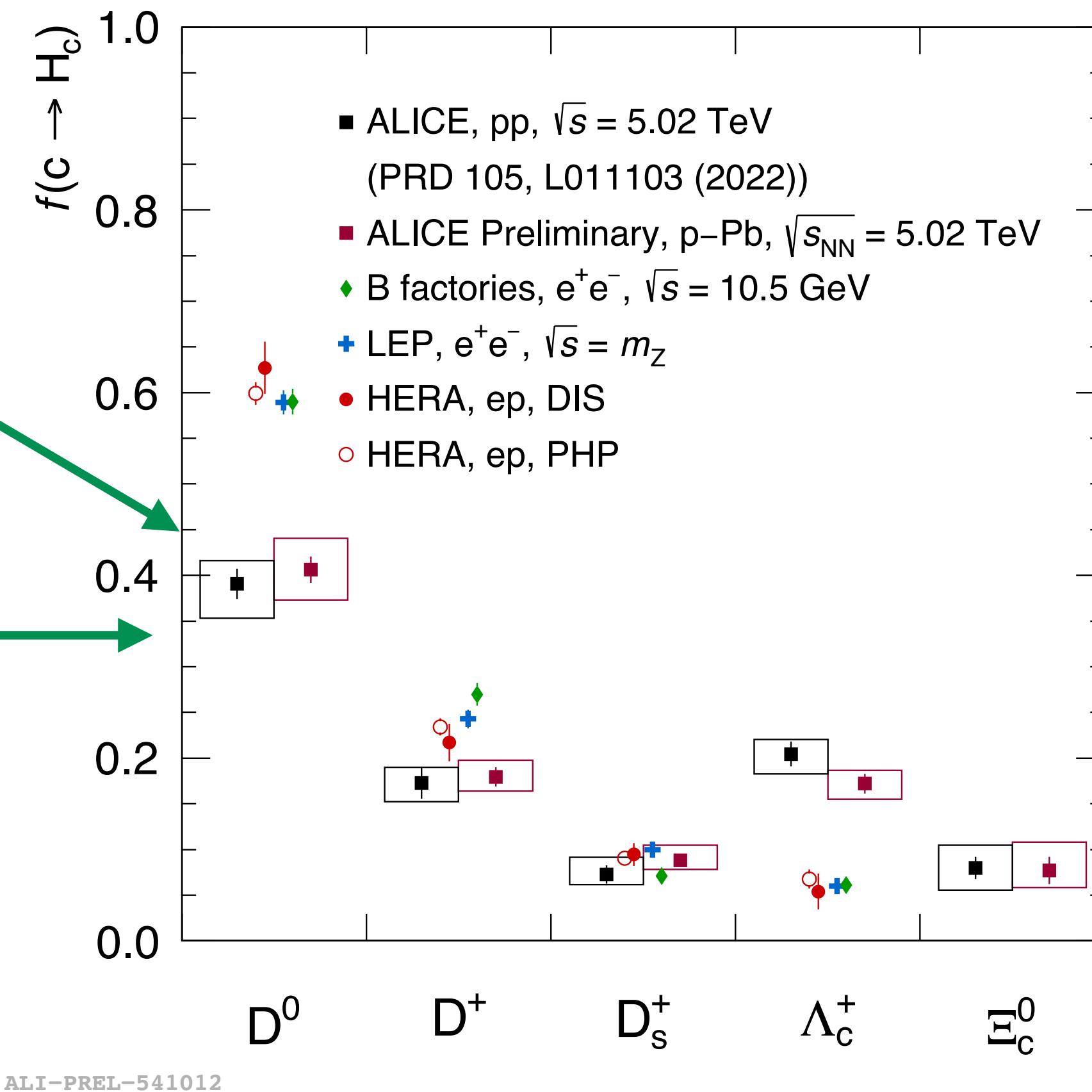
charm fragmentation
fractions \rightarrow pp \sim p-Pb

FONLL, JHEP 1210 (2012) 137

NNLO, JHEP 03 (2021) 029

PHENIX, PRC 84 (2011) 044905

STAR, PRD 86 (2012) 072013



- ▶ $c\bar{c}$ production cross section at $|y|<0.5$ measured as sum of ground state hadron cross sections
 - compatible within systematic uncertainties
 - previous results in pp at 2.76 and 7 TeV updated with the fragmentation fraction at 5.02 TeV

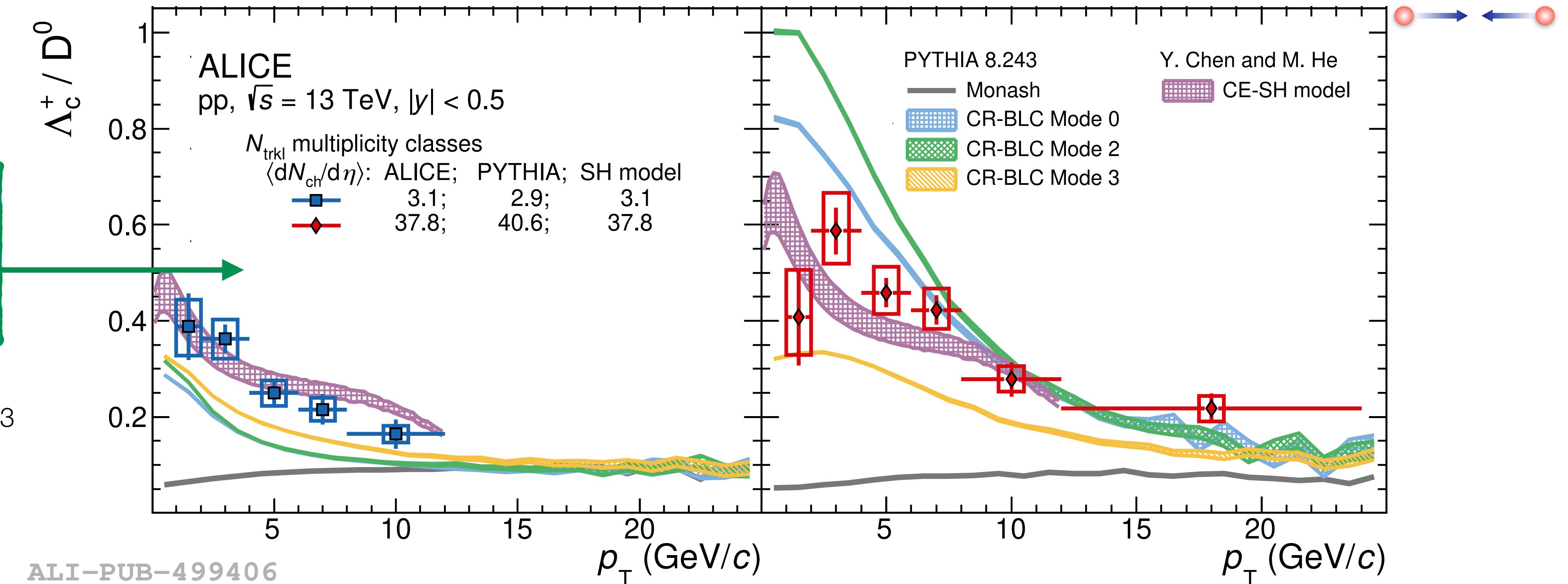
Prompt Λ_c^+/\bar{D}^0 vs. event multiplicity in pp collisions

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ALICE, PLB 829 (2022) 137065

Difference low-high
multiplicity with 5.3σ
significance

PYTHIA 8: JHEP 1508 (2015) 003
CE-SH: PLB 815 (2021) 136144



► Λ_c^+/\bar{D}^0 larger at highest multiplicity than at lowest multiplicity

→ p_T and multiplicity dependence qualitatively described by:

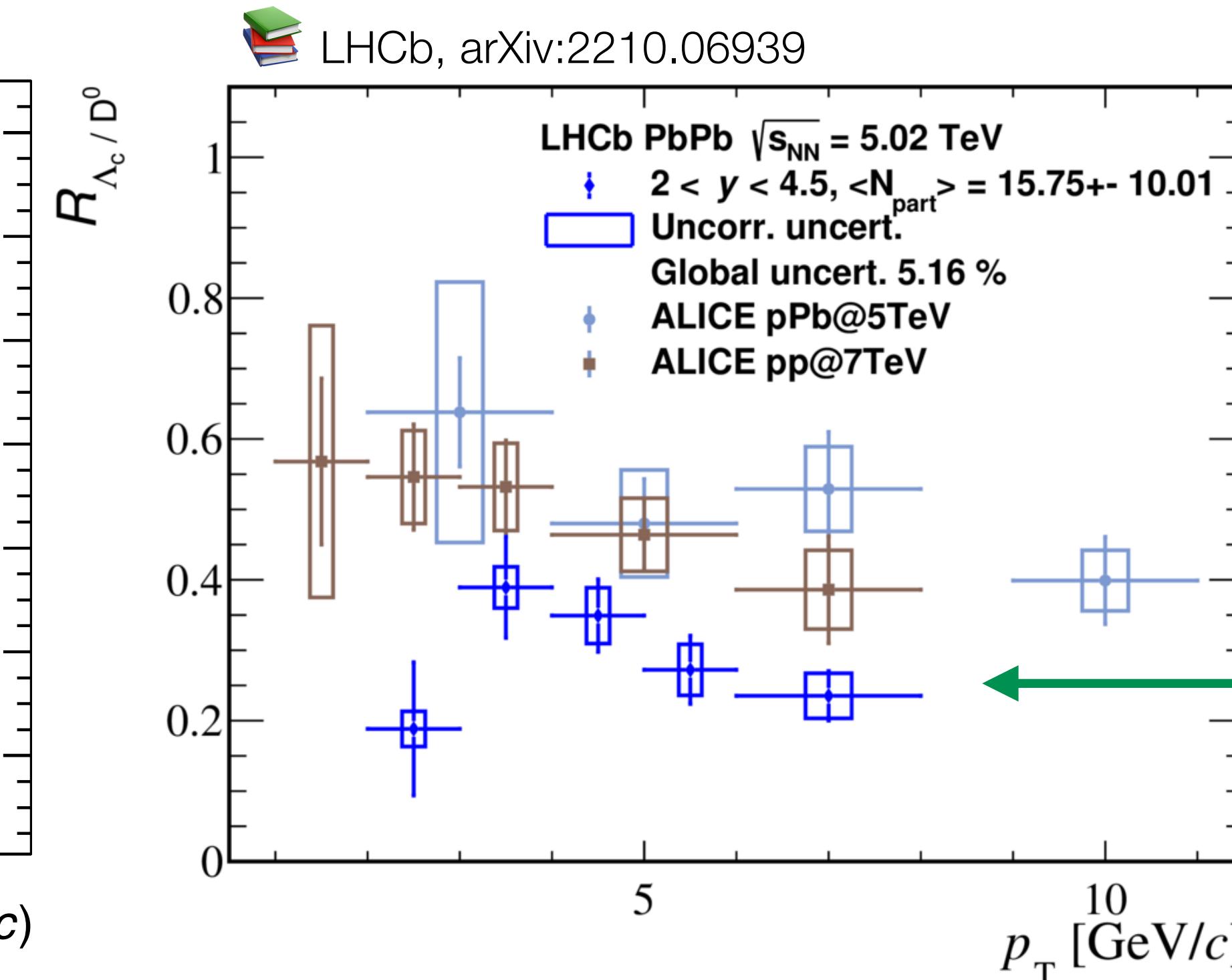
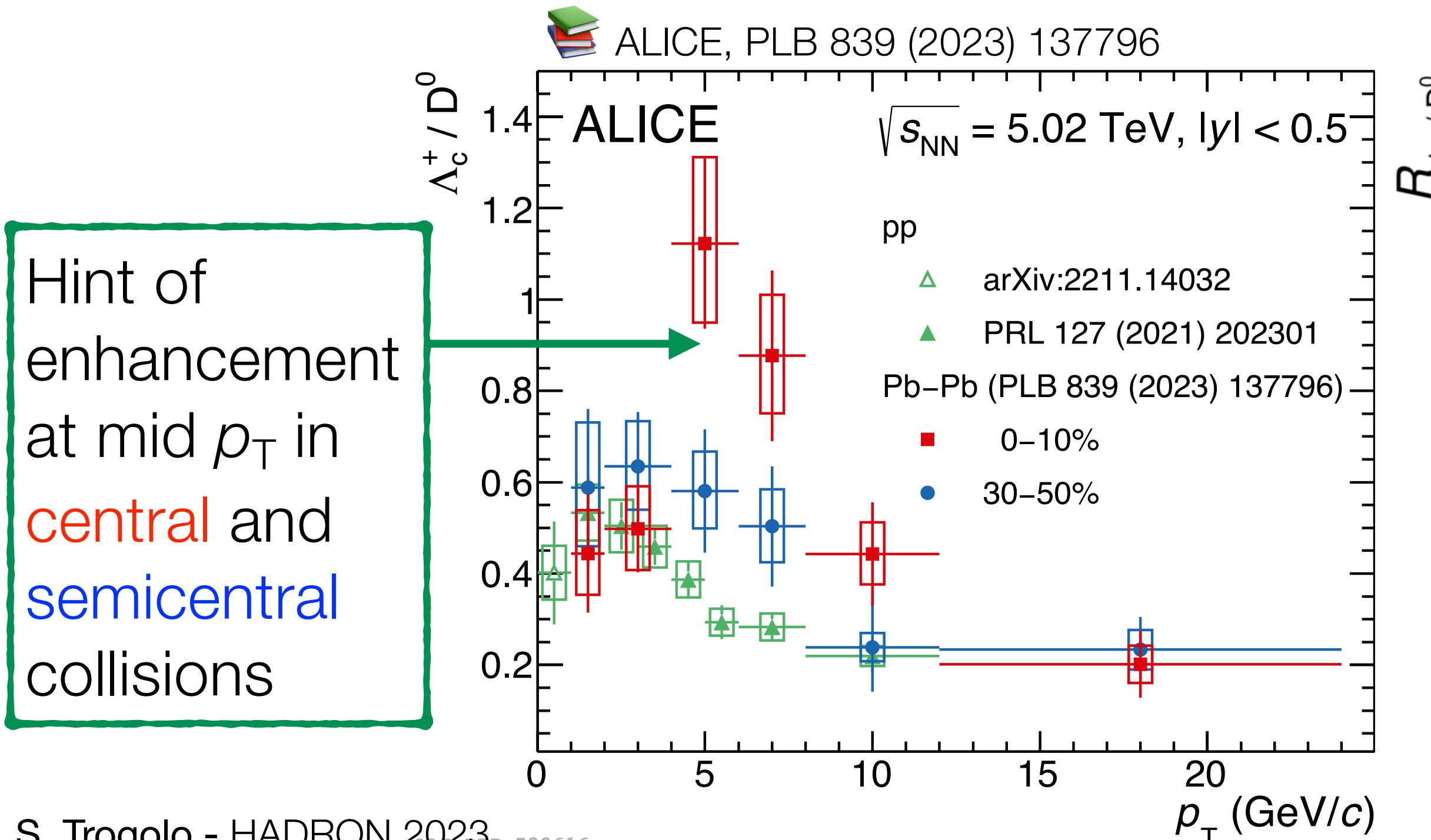
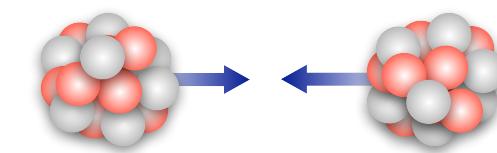
- PYTHIA with colour reconnection beyond leading-colour approximation (**CR-BLC**)
- Statistical Hadronization Model (**CE-SH**)

► Λ_c^+/\bar{D}^0 does not exhibit a multiplicity dependence in p-Pb ([backup](#))

Prompt Λ_c^+/\bar{D}^0 in Pb-Pb collisions

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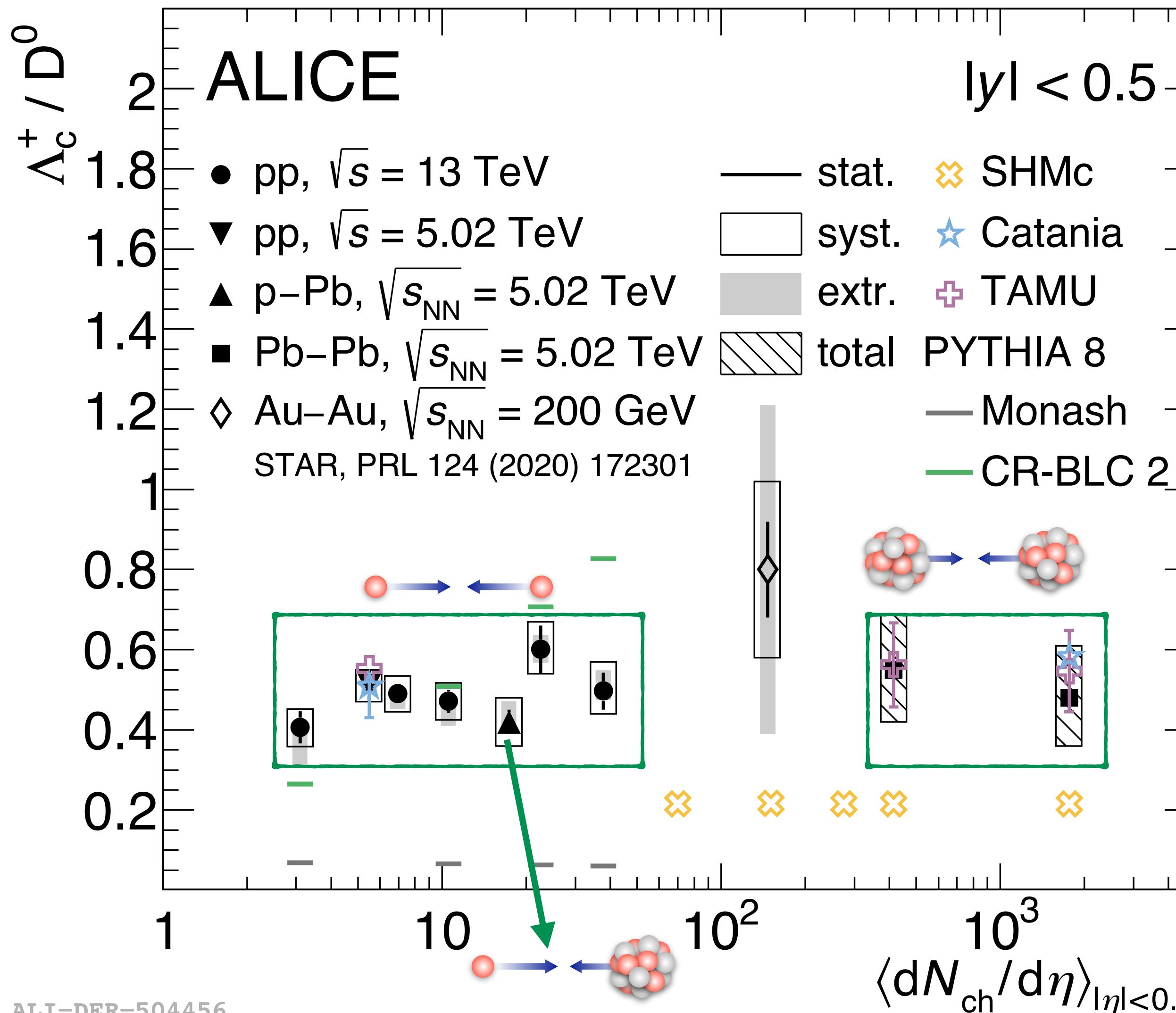
- ▶ Recombination of **heavy quarks** with **light quarks** from the QGP affects **HF hadrochemistry**
 - enhanced production of baryons relative to mesons
 - observed enhancement Λ_c^+/\bar{D}^0 → interplay of collective motion and recombination?
- ▶ Λ_c^+/\bar{D}^0 ratios in **central** and **semicentral** Pb–Pb collisions described by different models **including hadronization via recombination** ([backup](#))
- ▶ → CMS preliminary results compatible ([backup](#))



Ratios in peripheral Pb-Pb at forward y close to pp at mid y

Λ_c^+/\bar{D}^0 vs. multiplicity in hadronic collisions

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- ▶ p_T -integrated Λ_c^+/\bar{D}^0 ratio **not dependent** on multiplicity, collision system and energy within uncertainties
 - Monash predictions ruled out by the measurements in pp collisions
- ▶ increasing trend ($1 < p_T < 24$ GeV/c) from a **different redistribution** of p_T for mesons and baryons?
 - Flow effects in Pb-Pb collisions

ALICE, PLB 829 (2022) 137065

ALICE, PRL 127 (2021) 202301

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ALICE, PLB 839 (2023) 137796

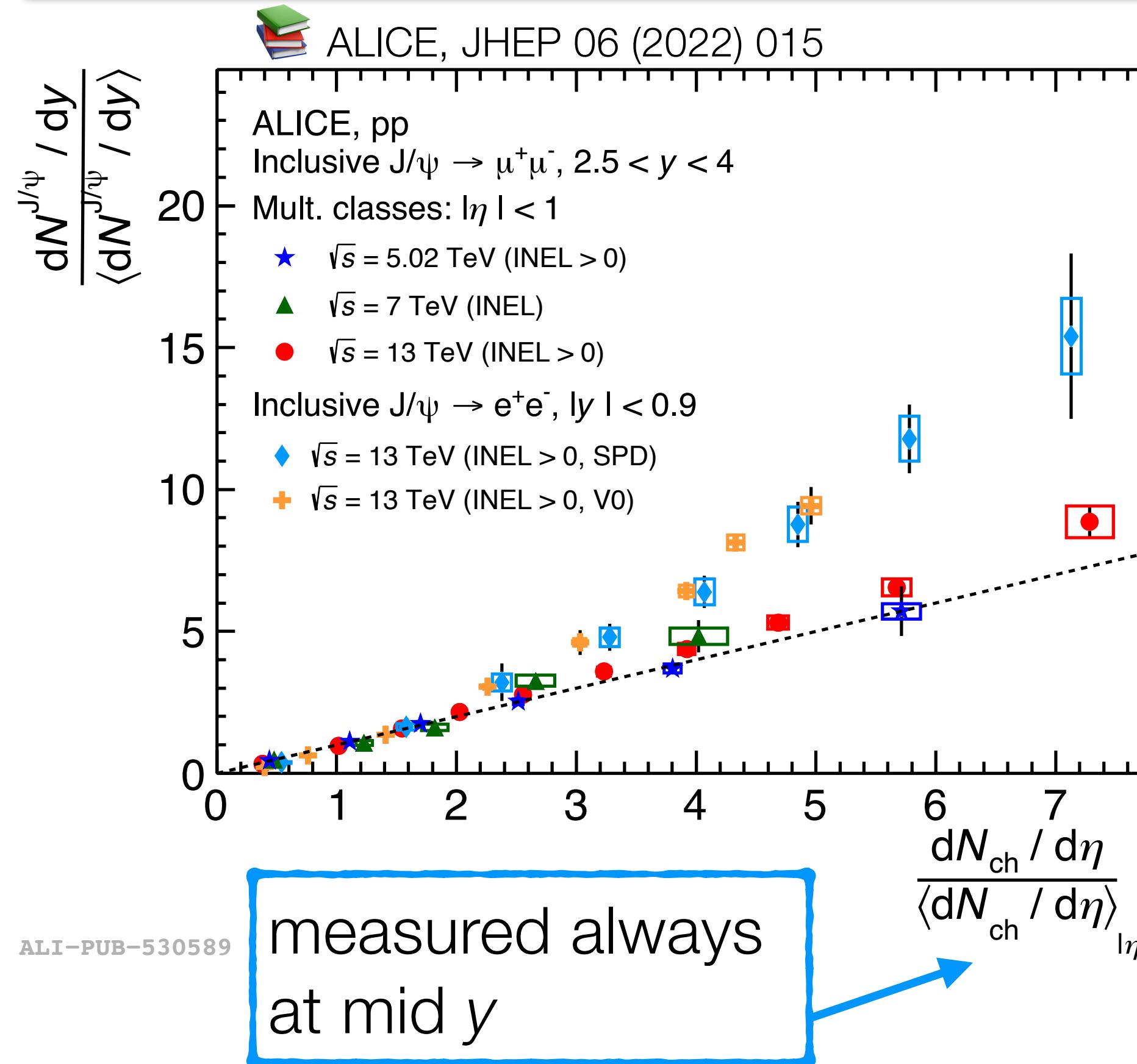
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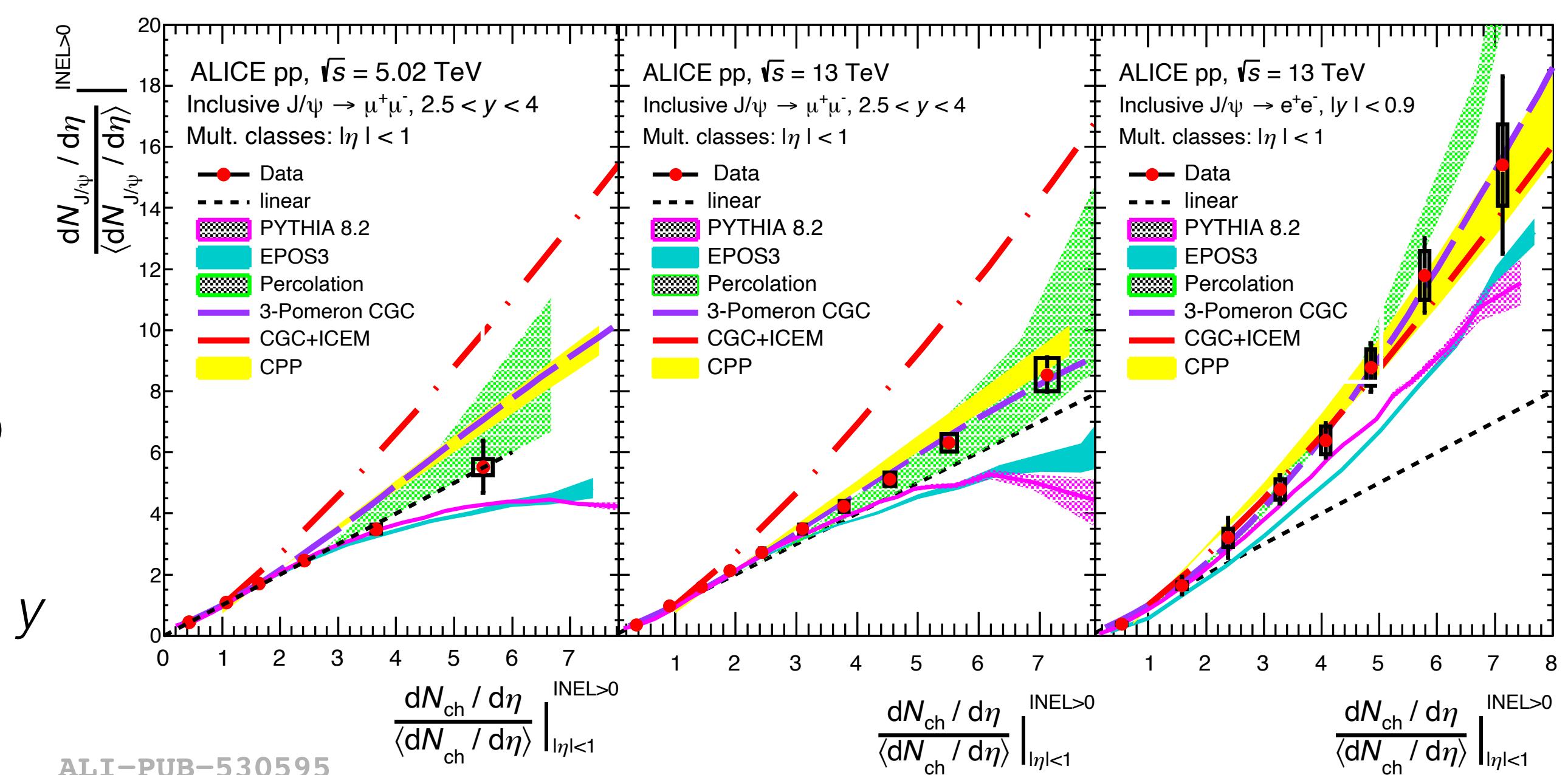
Quarkonium

Quarkonium production vs. multiplicity

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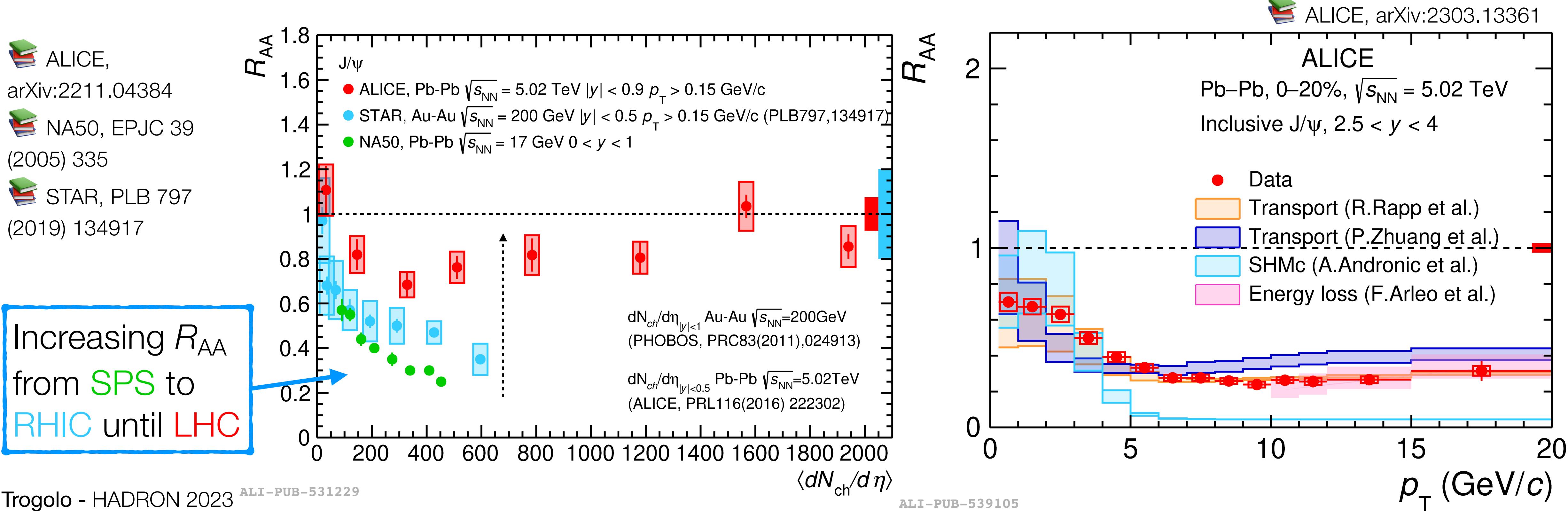
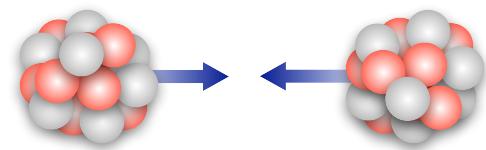
- Inclusive J/ψ production measurement in pp collisions
- $J/\psi \rightarrow e^+e^-$ at **midrapidity**
 - stronger than linear increase of the self-normalised yield with multiplicity
- $J/\psi \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$ at **forward rapidity**
 - compatible with linear dependence and independent of \sqrt{s}



Role of regeneration in quarkonia: J/ψ

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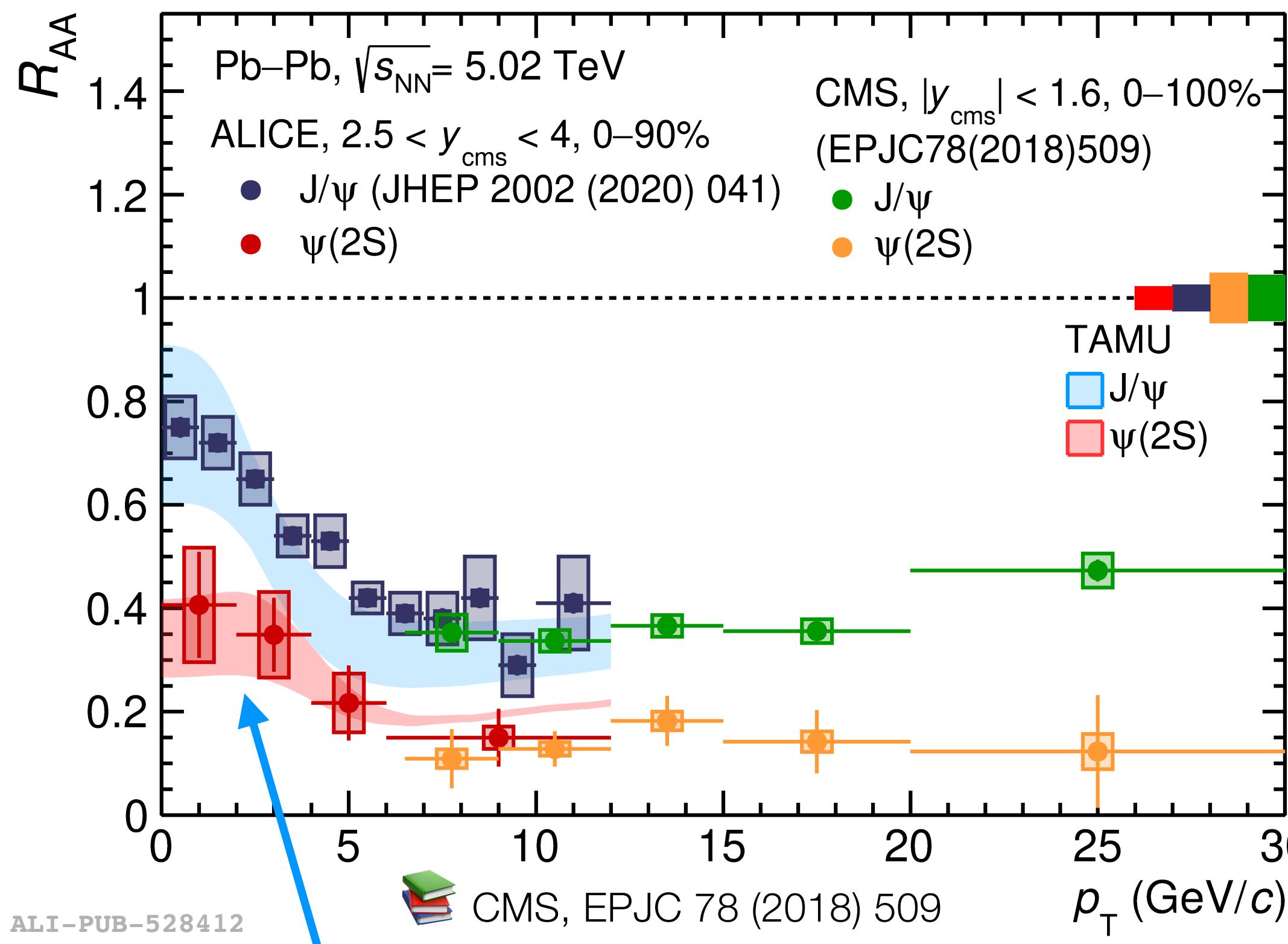
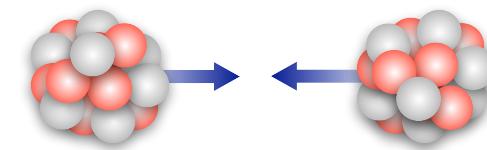
- Quarkonium **dissociation** in QGP → Debye **screening** of $q\bar{q}$ potential
- Production can occur also via **quark (re)combination** → evidence from LHC results
 - Data described by:
 - **SHMc**: melting of initially produced $c\bar{c}$ pairs + combination at phase boundary
 - **Transport models**: in-medium charmonium dissociation + recombination (relevant at low p_T)



Role of regeneration in quarkonia: $\psi(2s)$

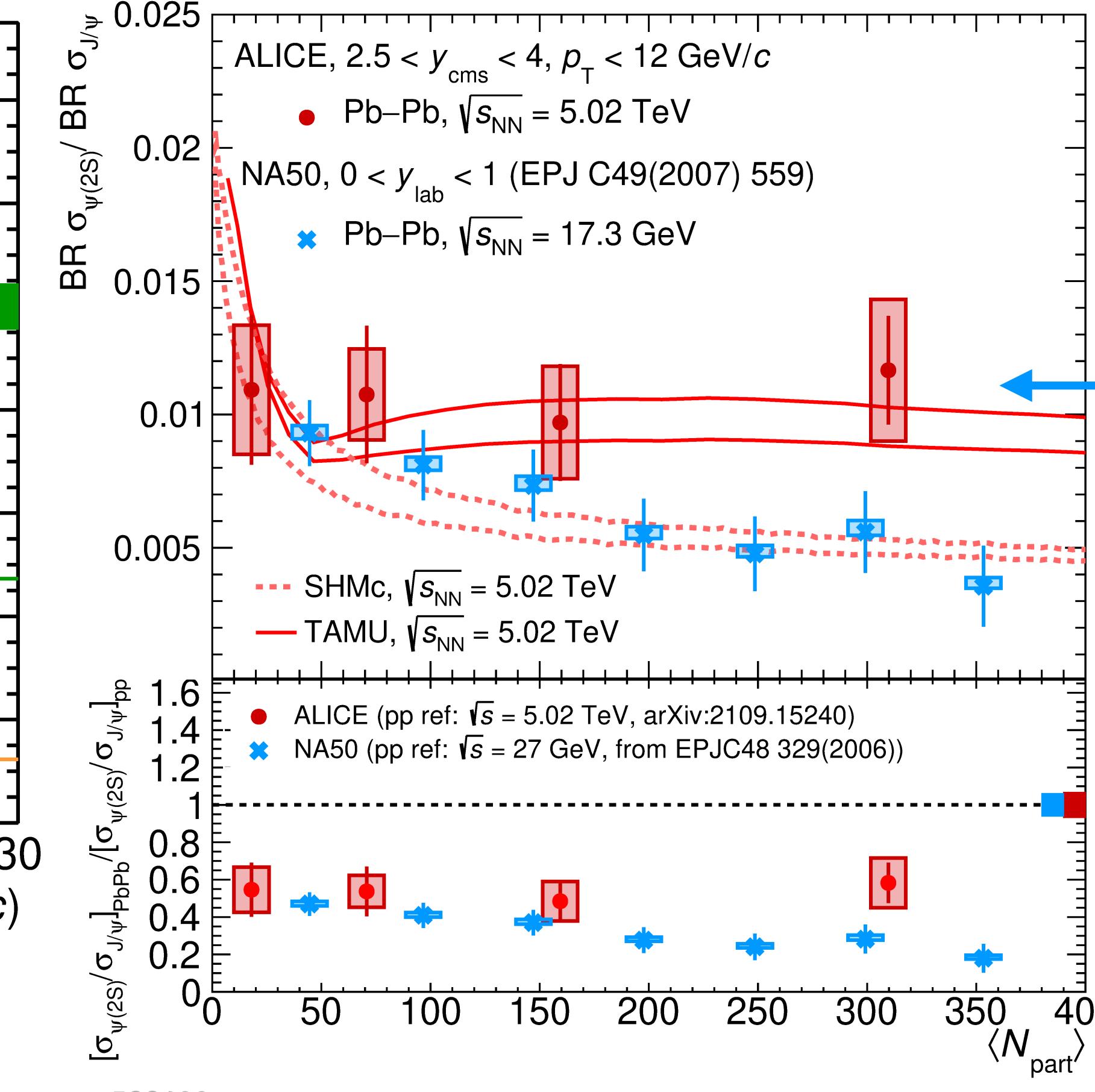
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- ▶ Quarkonium **dissociation** in QGP → Debye screening of $q\bar{q}$ potential
- ▶ Production can occur also via **quark (re)combination** → evidence from LHC results
 - relevant for $\psi(2s)$ at low p_T



low p_T increase due to recombination

ALICE, arXiv:2210.08893



No centrality dependence at LHC
Smaller values reached by NA50 in central collisions

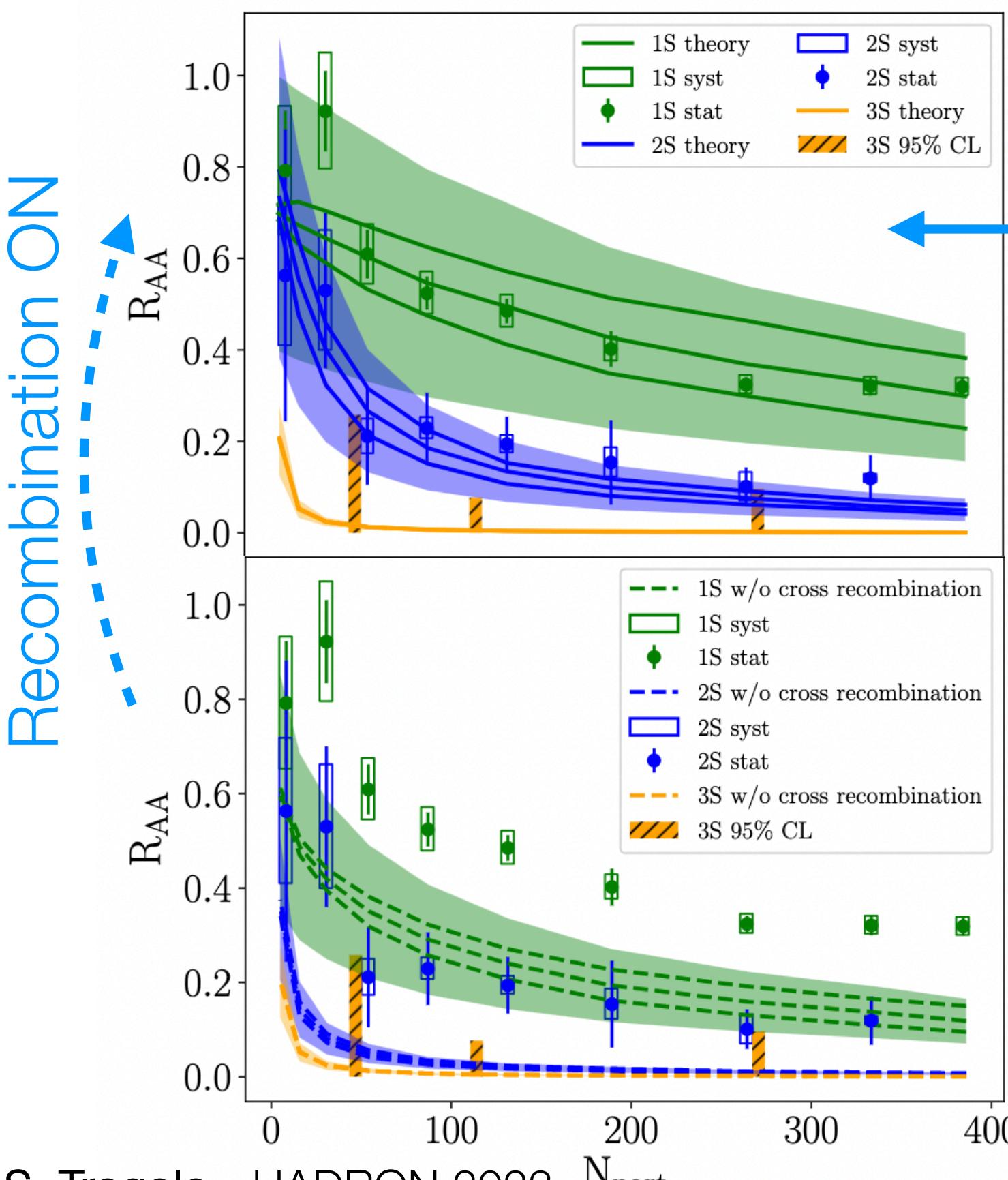
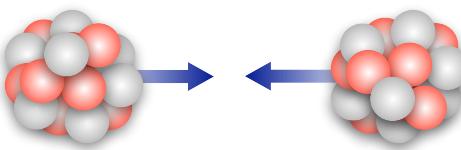
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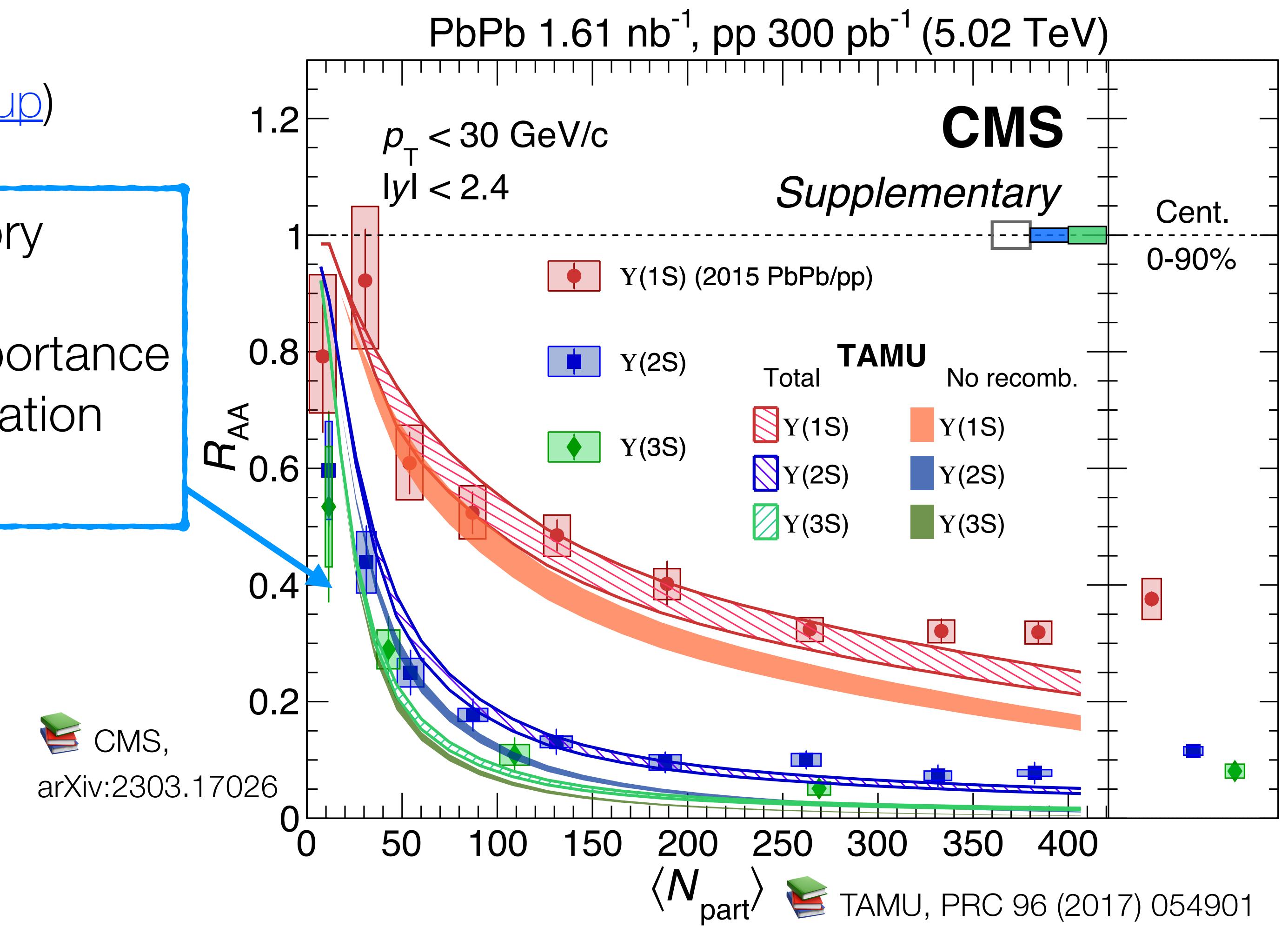
Role of regeneration in quarkonia: $\Upsilon(nS)$

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- Quarkonium **dissociation** in QGP \rightarrow Debye **screening** of $q\bar{q}$ potential
- Production can occur also via **quark (re)combination** \rightarrow evidence from LHC results
 - relevant also for bottomonia?
 - ATLAS results compatible with CMS ([backup](#))

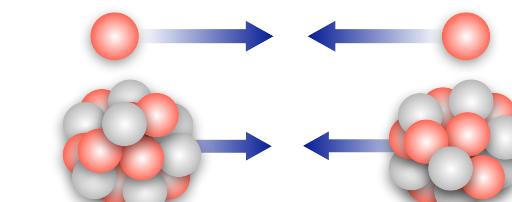


Recent theory calculations showed importance of recombination for $\Upsilon(nS)$



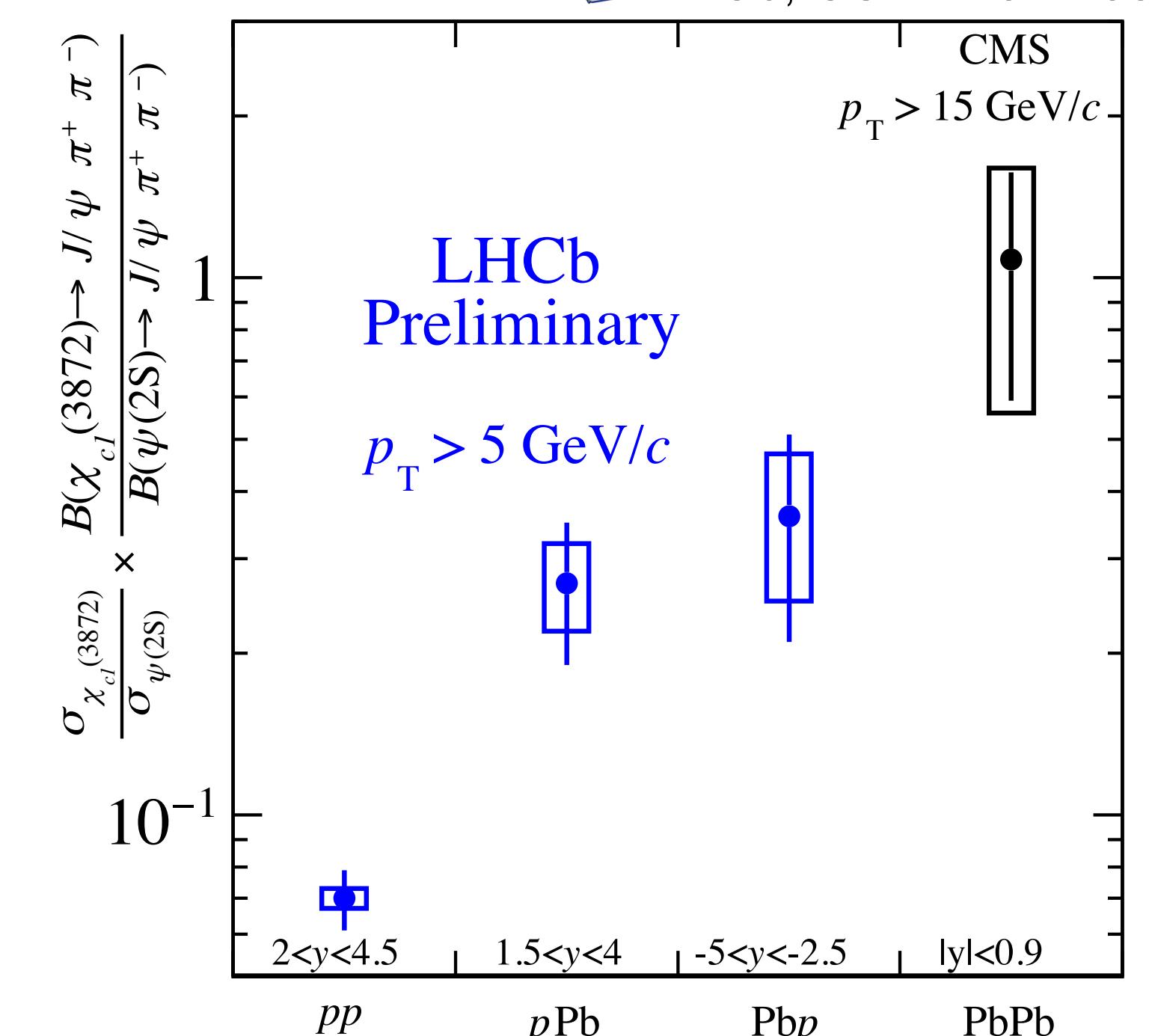
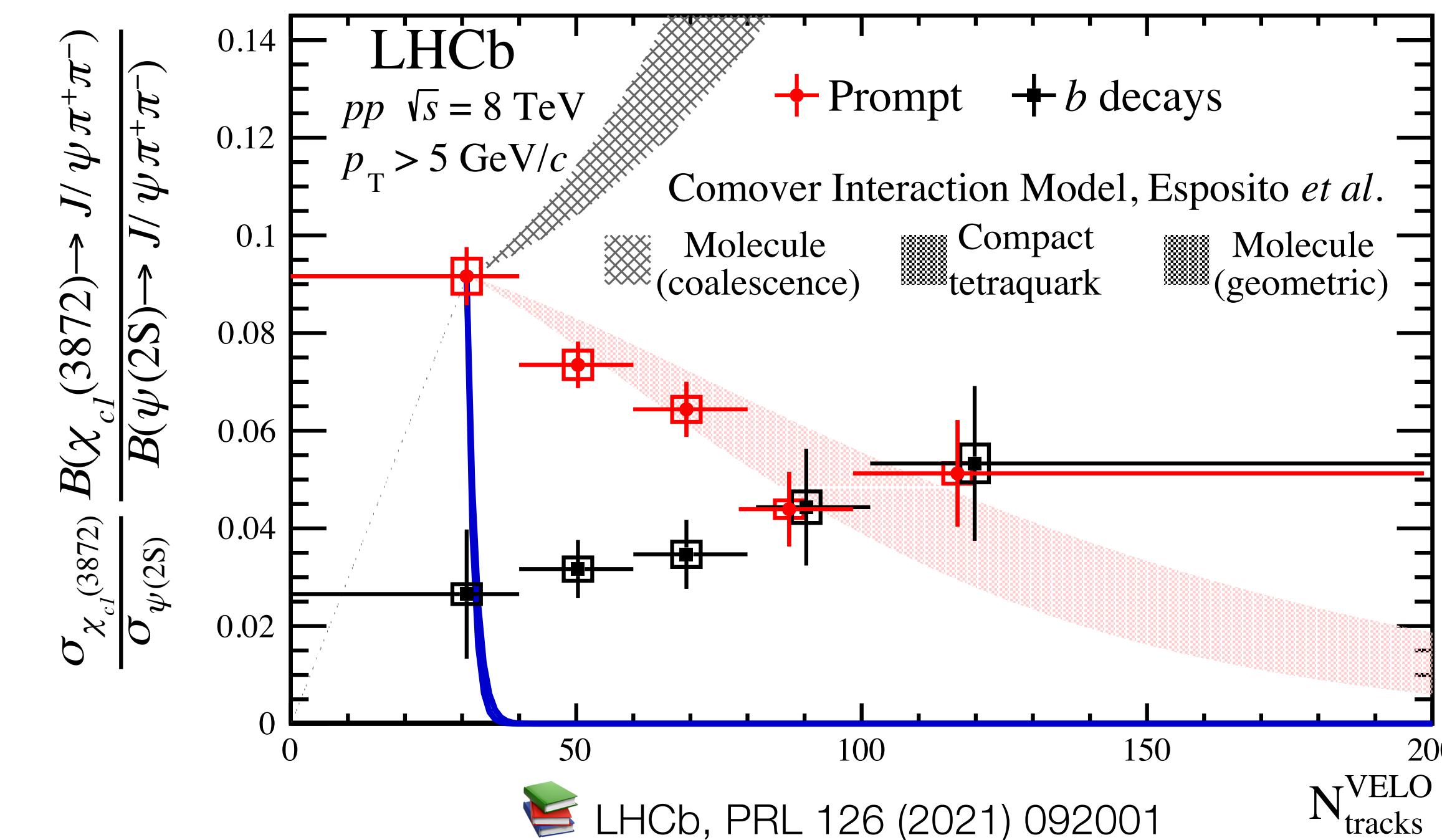
Exotic states: $\chi_c(3872)/\psi(2S)$

- ▶ Understanding exotic-state production → insight into hadronization process
- ▶ $\chi_c(3872)/\psi(2S)$ ratio as a function of charged particles tracks in pp collisions
 - described by Comover Model assuming a tetraquark structure
- ▶ Increase of the ratio can be due to
 - larger suppression of $\psi(2S)$ relative to exotic hadrons → better to change reference?
 - enhancement of $\chi_c(3872)$ in high density medium → coalescence mechanism?



LHCb, CONF-2022-001

Esposito A. et al.,
EPJC 81 (2021) 7



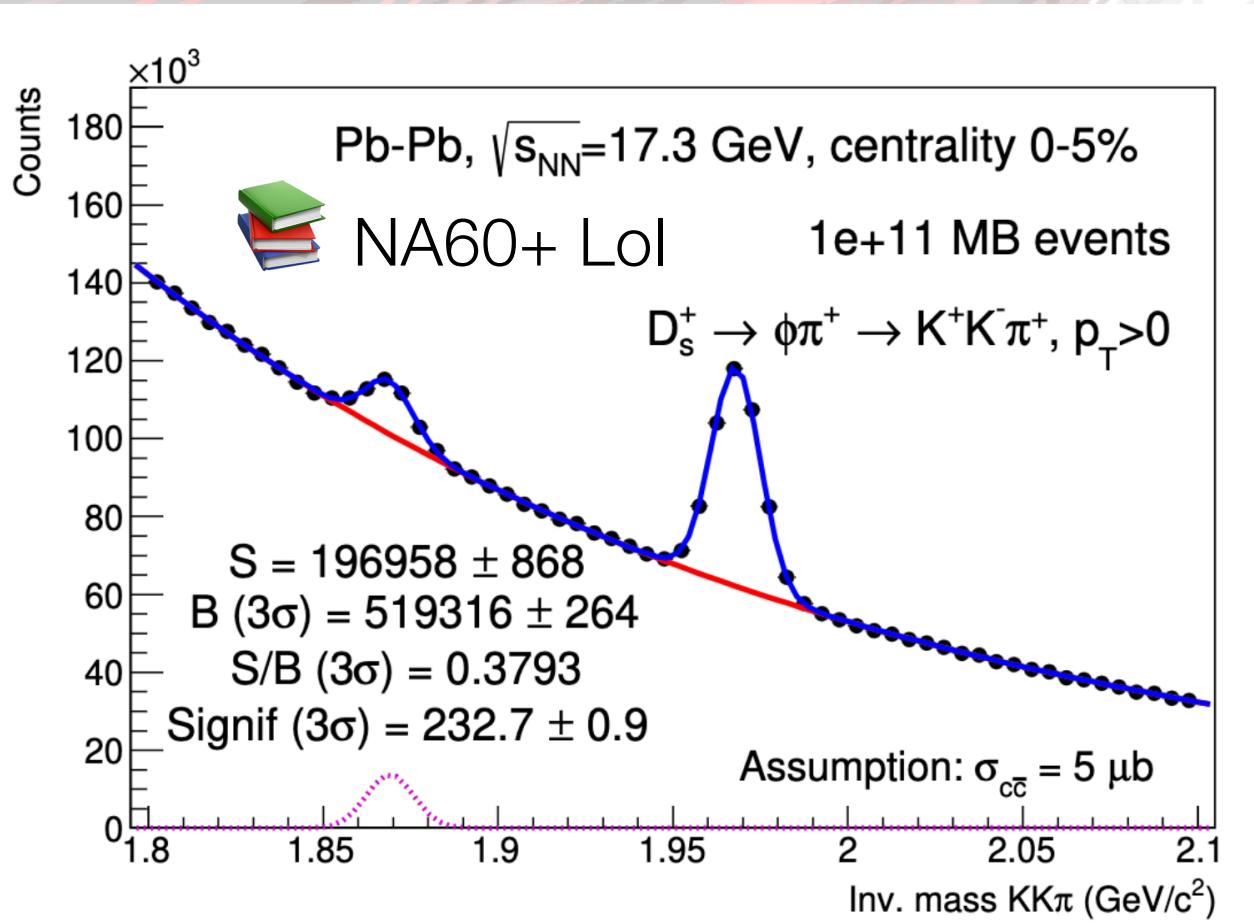
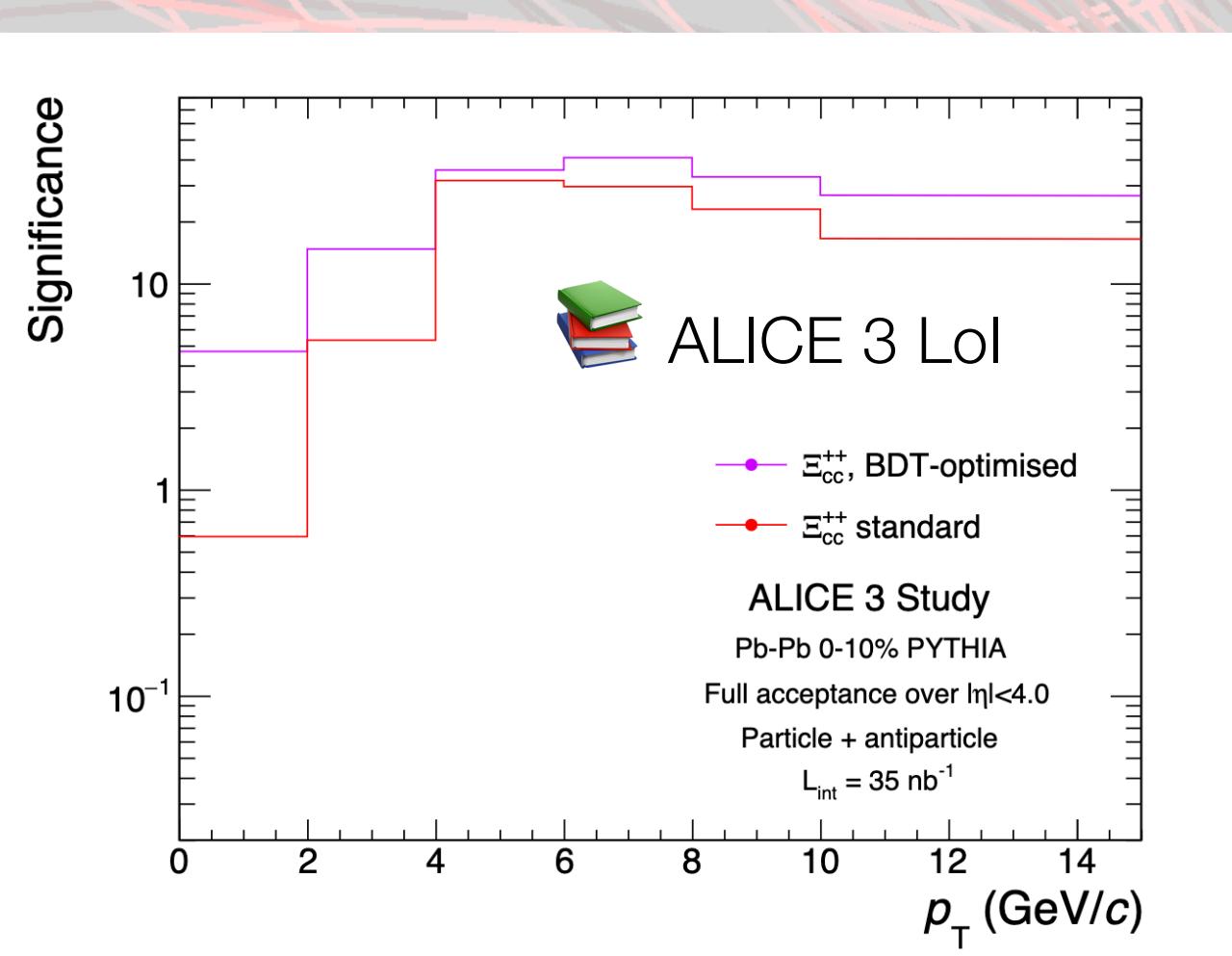
LHC program



- ▶ Important upgrades in Long Shutdown 2:
 - ALICE 2 and LHCb major upgrade; ATLAS and CMS Phase I
- ▶ What next?
 - High Luminosity LHC installation
 - ATLAS and CMS Phase II,
 - ALICE (FoCal, ITS3), LHCb Phase I-II, ALICE 3

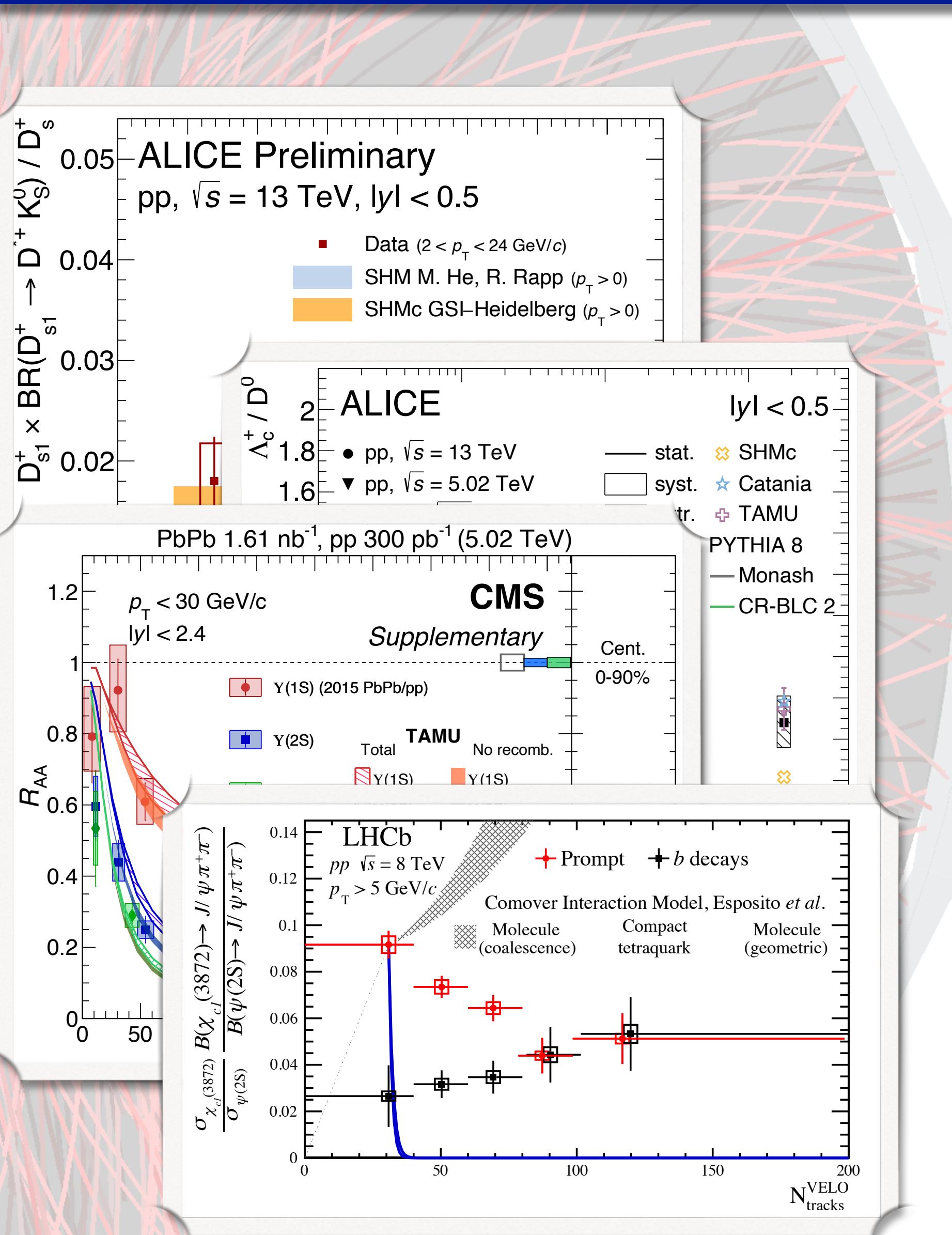
Not only LHC...

- ▶ Many other projects exploring QCD phase diagram:
 - NA61/SHINE, NA60+ at SPS
 - CBM at FAIR
 - Electron Ion Collider at BNL



Conclusions

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- ▶ Huge effort in the last years to investigate the hadronization mechanisms of HF across colliding systems
 - ➔ Fragmentation functions universality violated already in pp collisions
 - ➔ pp collisions is a system dense enough to alter the hadronization
- ▶ In heavy-ion collisions:
 - ➔ Crucial role of coalescence mechanism for open HF production
 - ➔ (Re-)combination is more relevant at LHC energies for charmonia and bottomonia states
- ▶ An exciting period ahead:
 - ➔ wider investigation of HF production, especially beauty hadrons
 - ➔ hadronization in high multiplicity pp and p-A collisions with higher precise
 - ➔ large improvement on exotic states production

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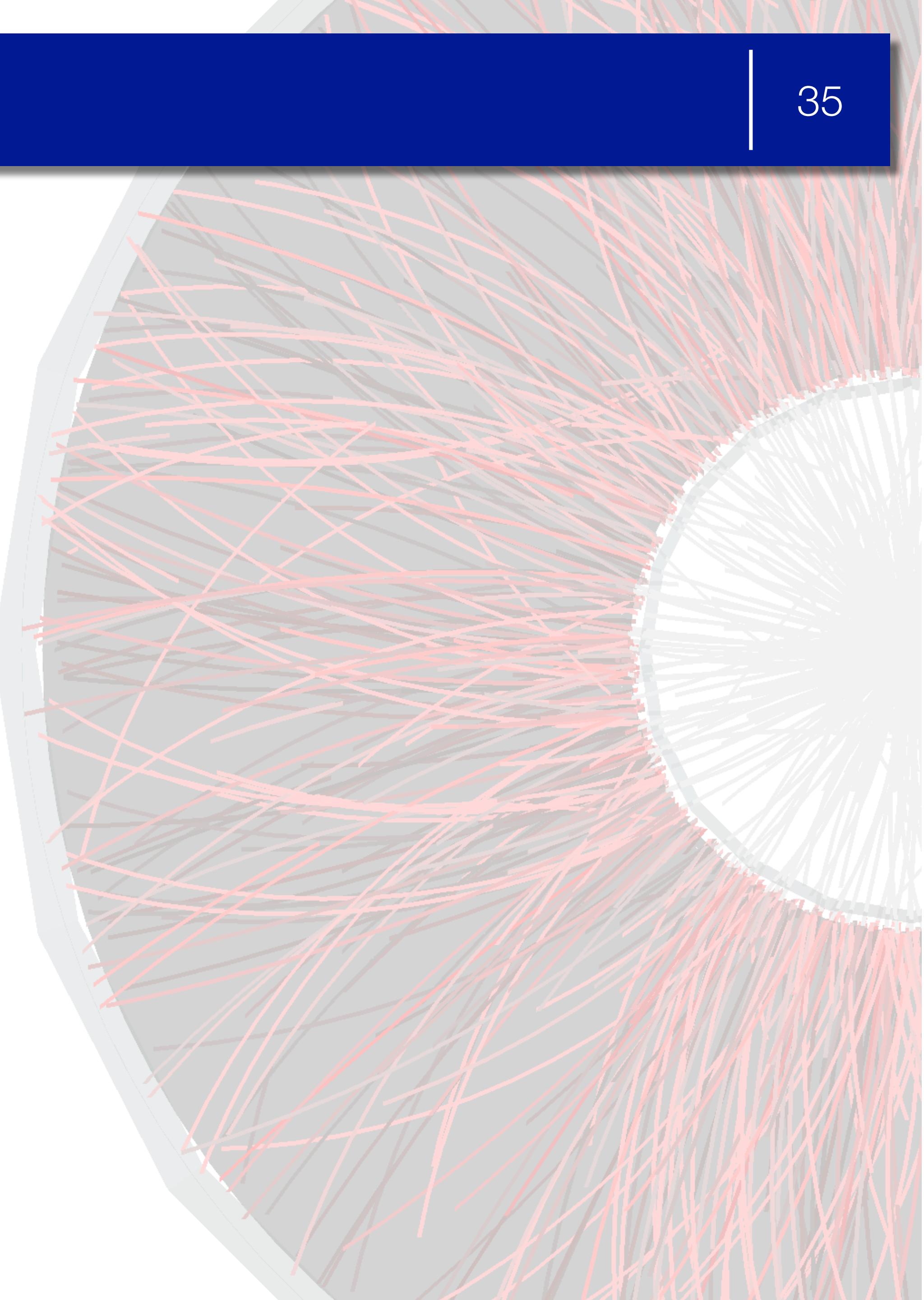


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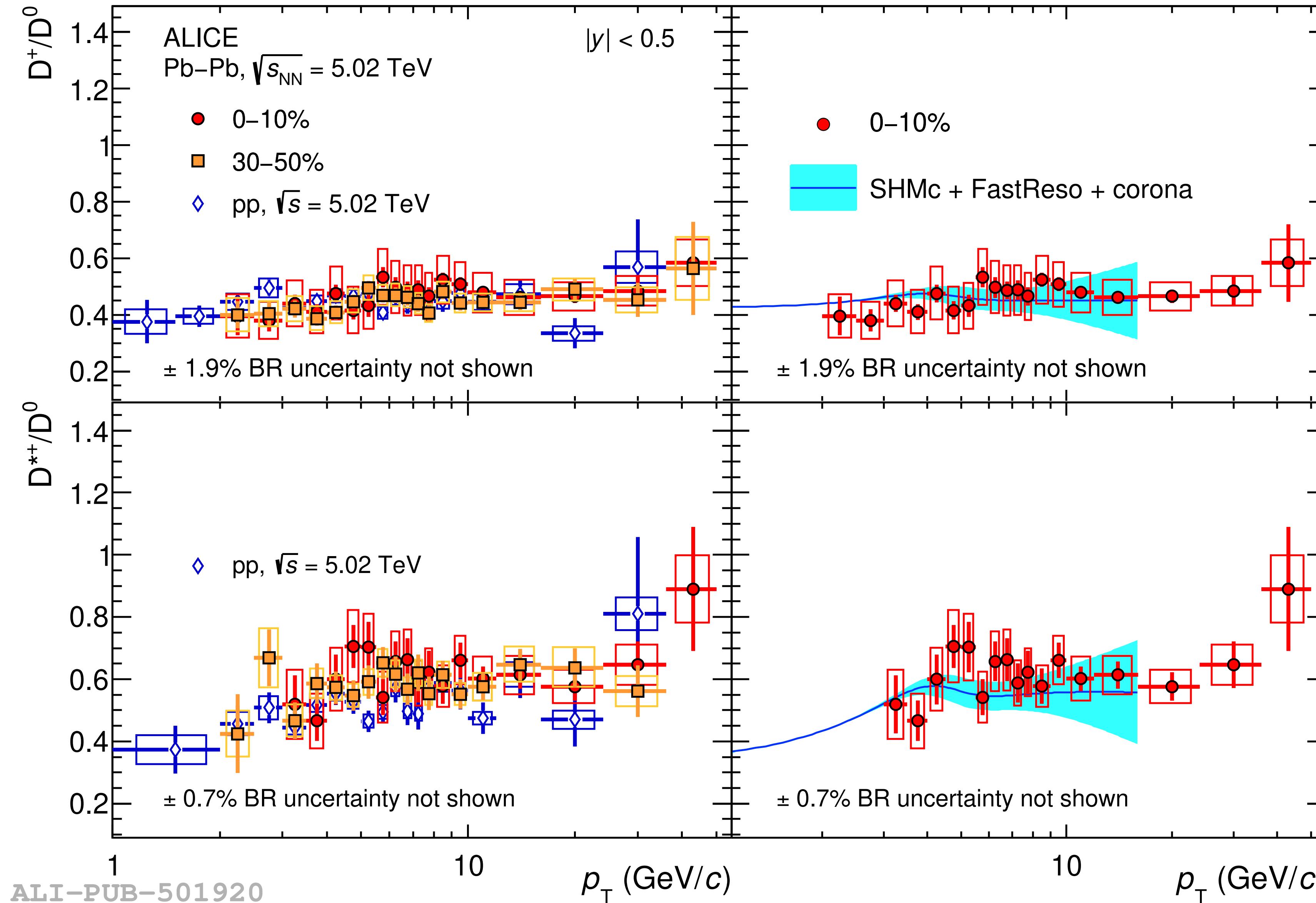
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Additional material



Meson-to-meson ratios

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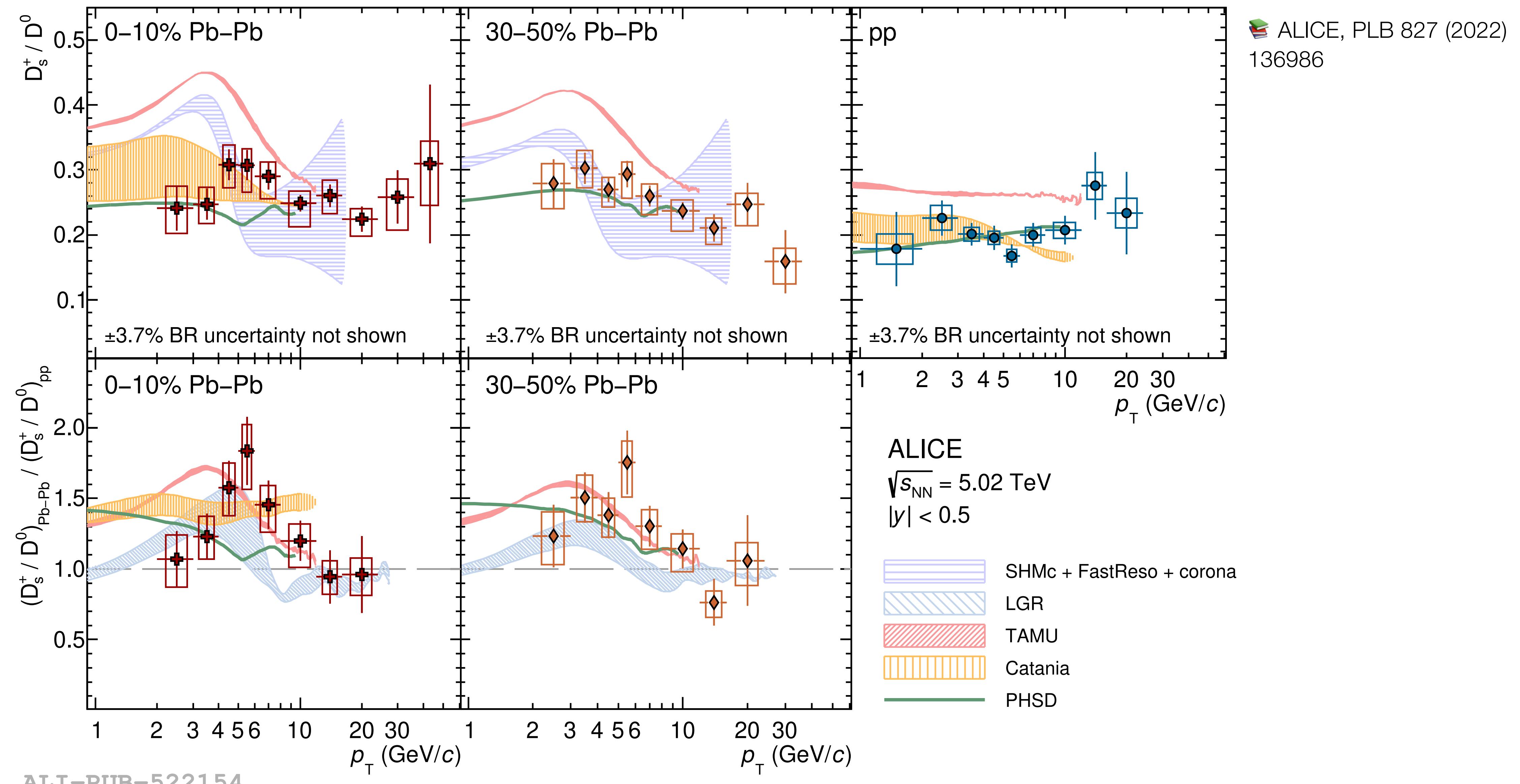


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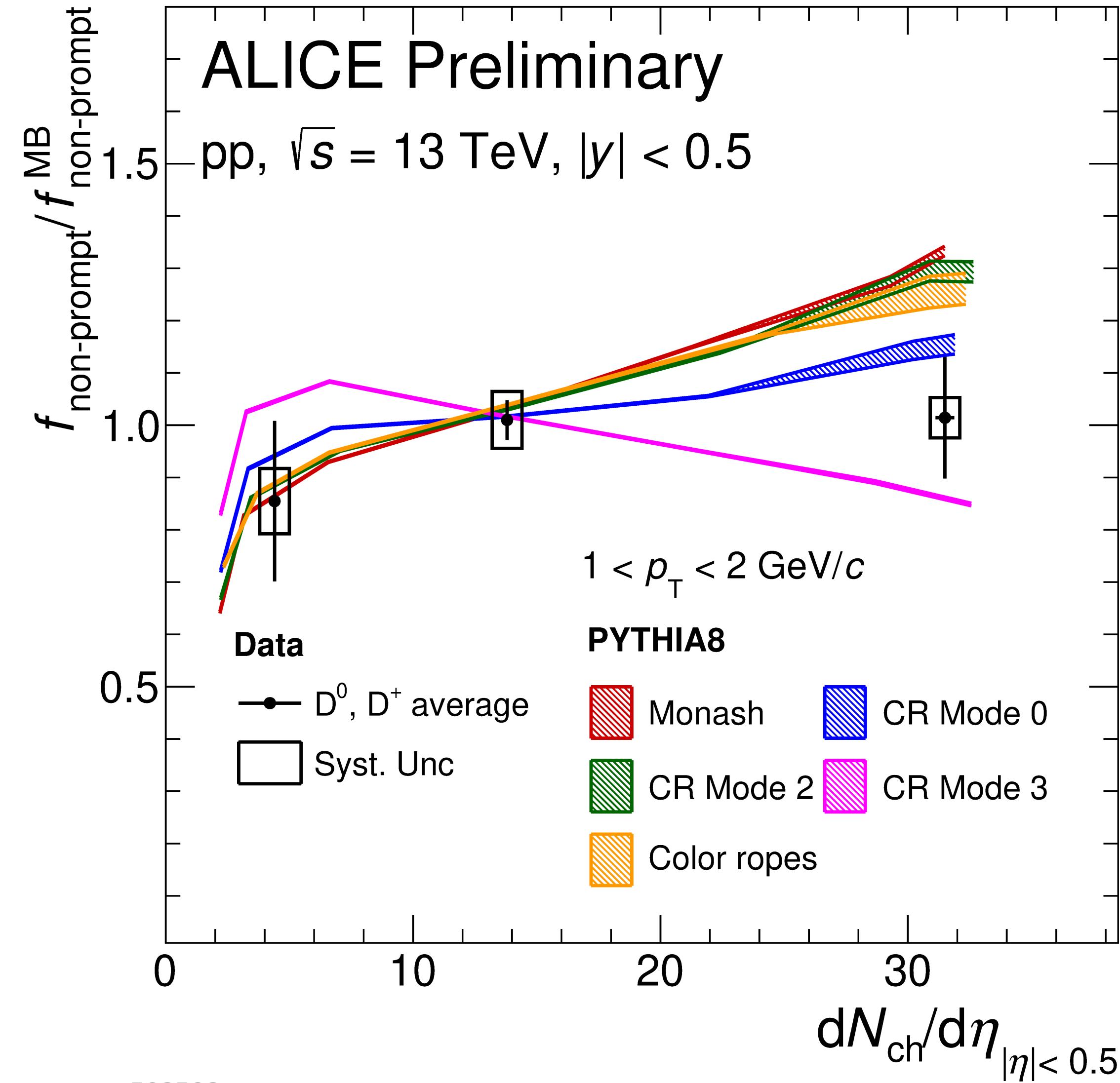
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non-prompt D vs. multiplicity

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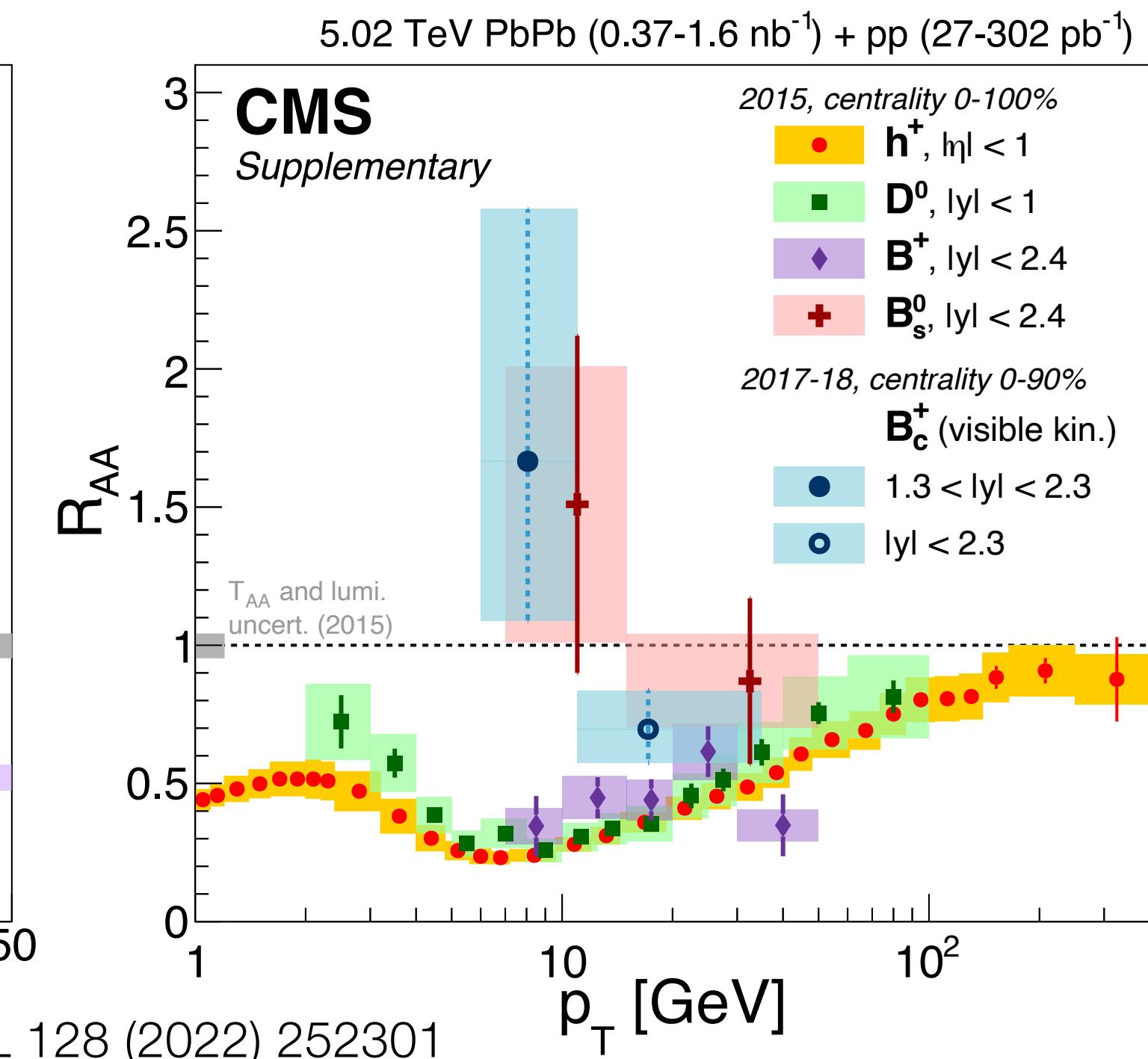
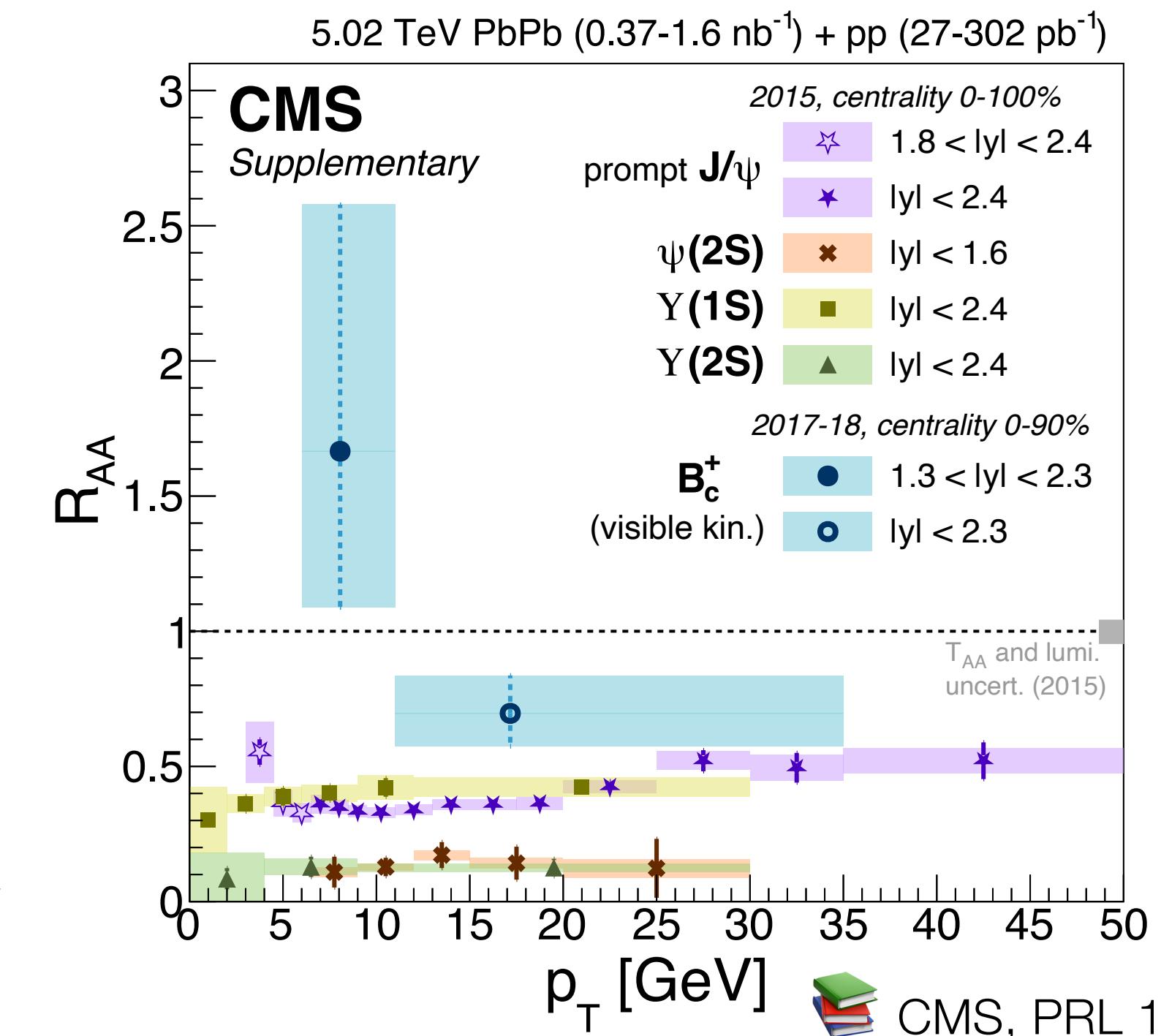
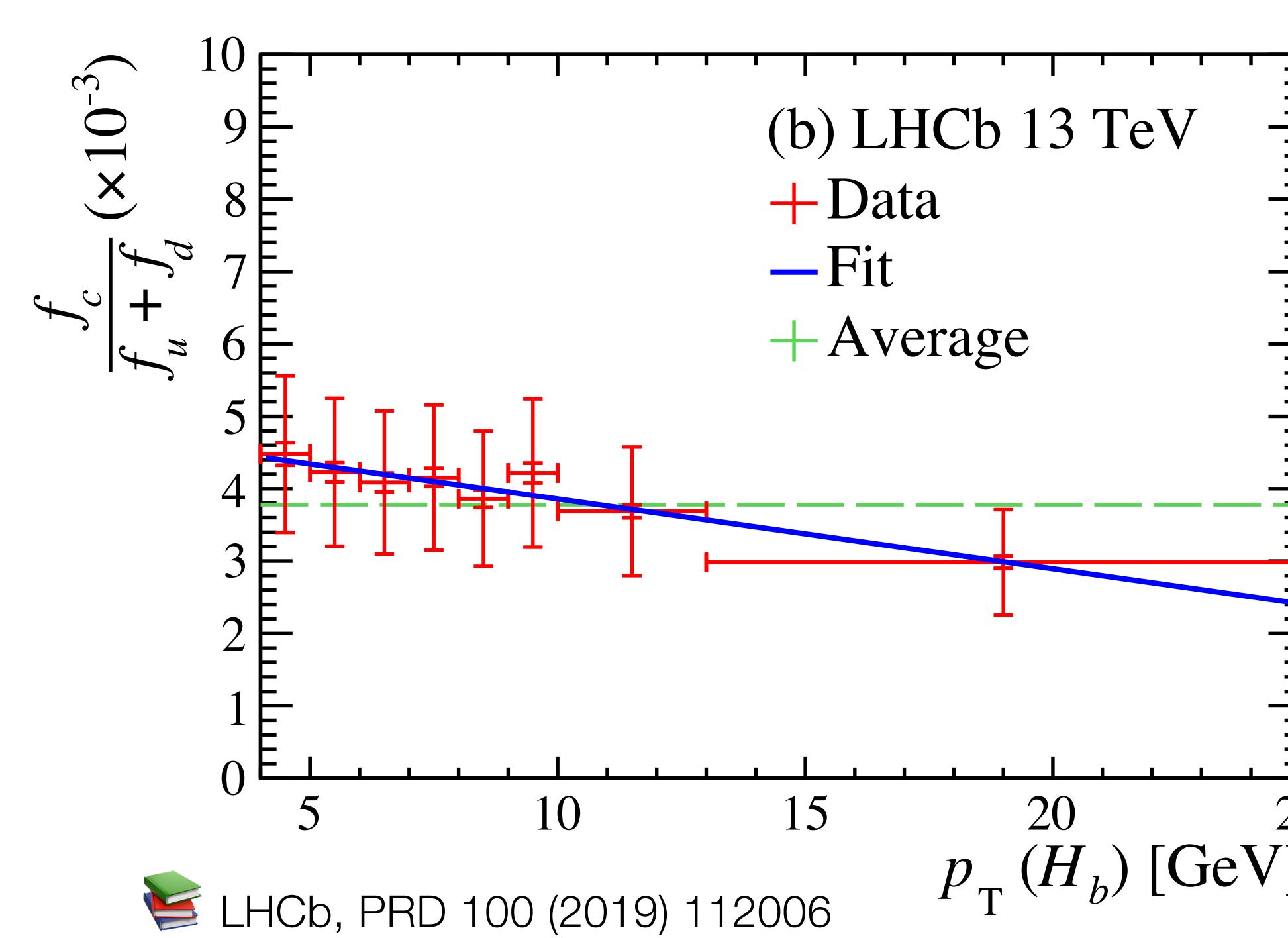


- ▶ non-prompt D^0, D^+ as a function of charged particle multiplicity
 - non-prompt fraction measured in different $dN_{\text{ch}}/d\eta$ intervals
 - ratio to the non-prompt fraction measured for minimum bias

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Beauty hadronization vs. multiplicity in pp collisions

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- ▶ B_c^+ production in pp not yet theoretically well understood
- ▶ Enhanced in Pb-Pb at low p_T ? Less suppressed than other quarkonia?
- ▶ Production dominated by recombination in both pp and Pb-Pb?

Beauty hadronization vs. multiplicity in pp collisions

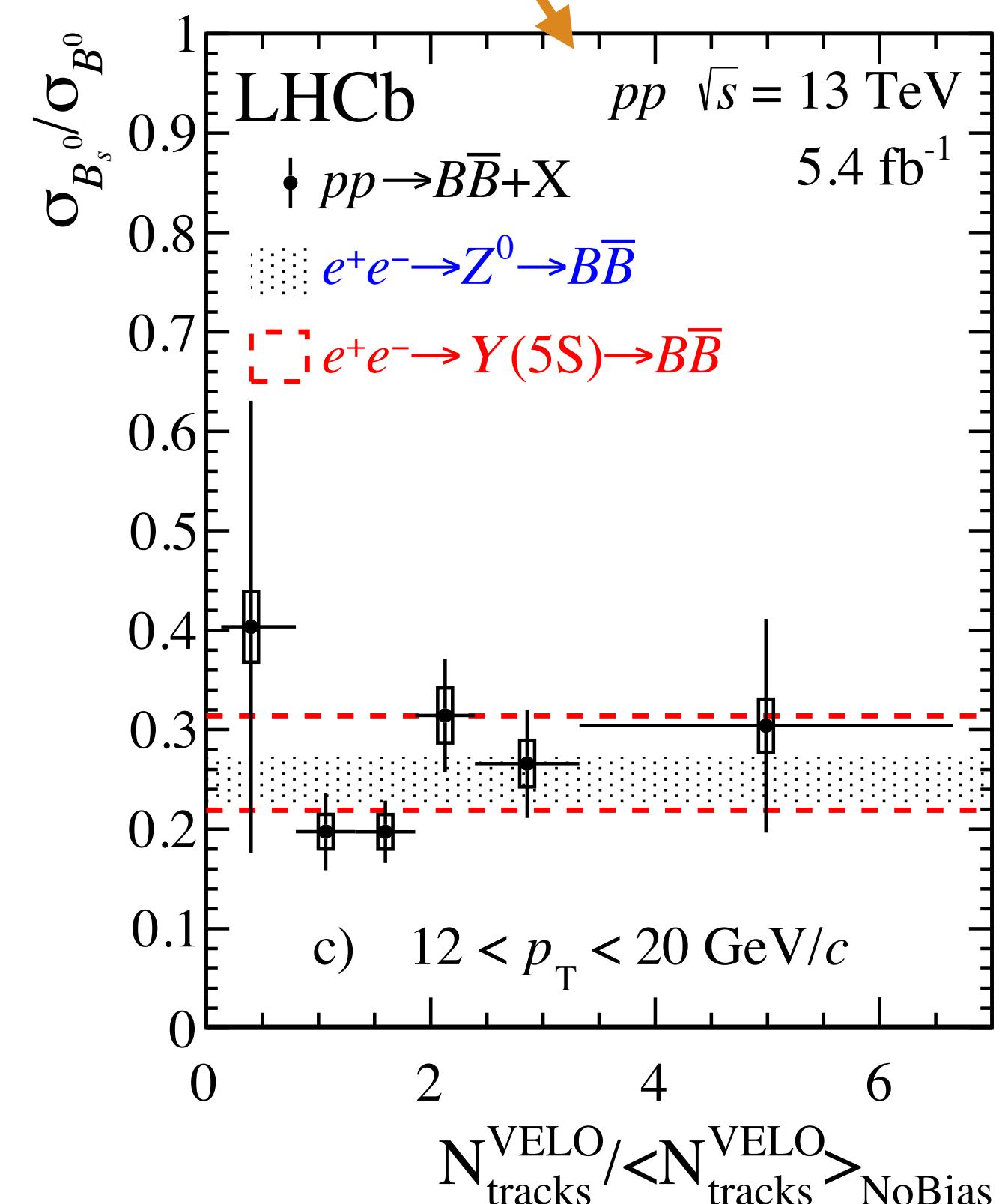
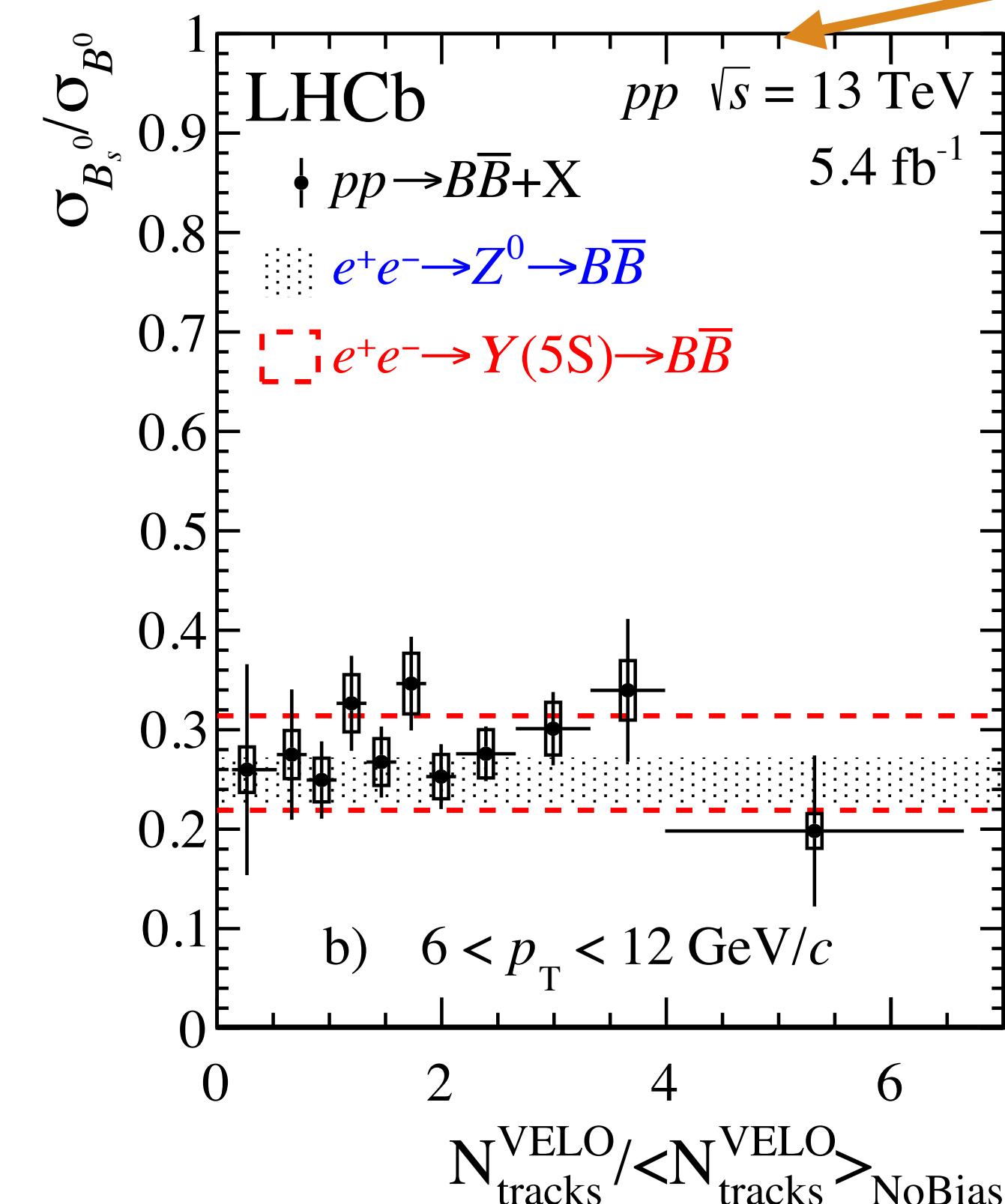
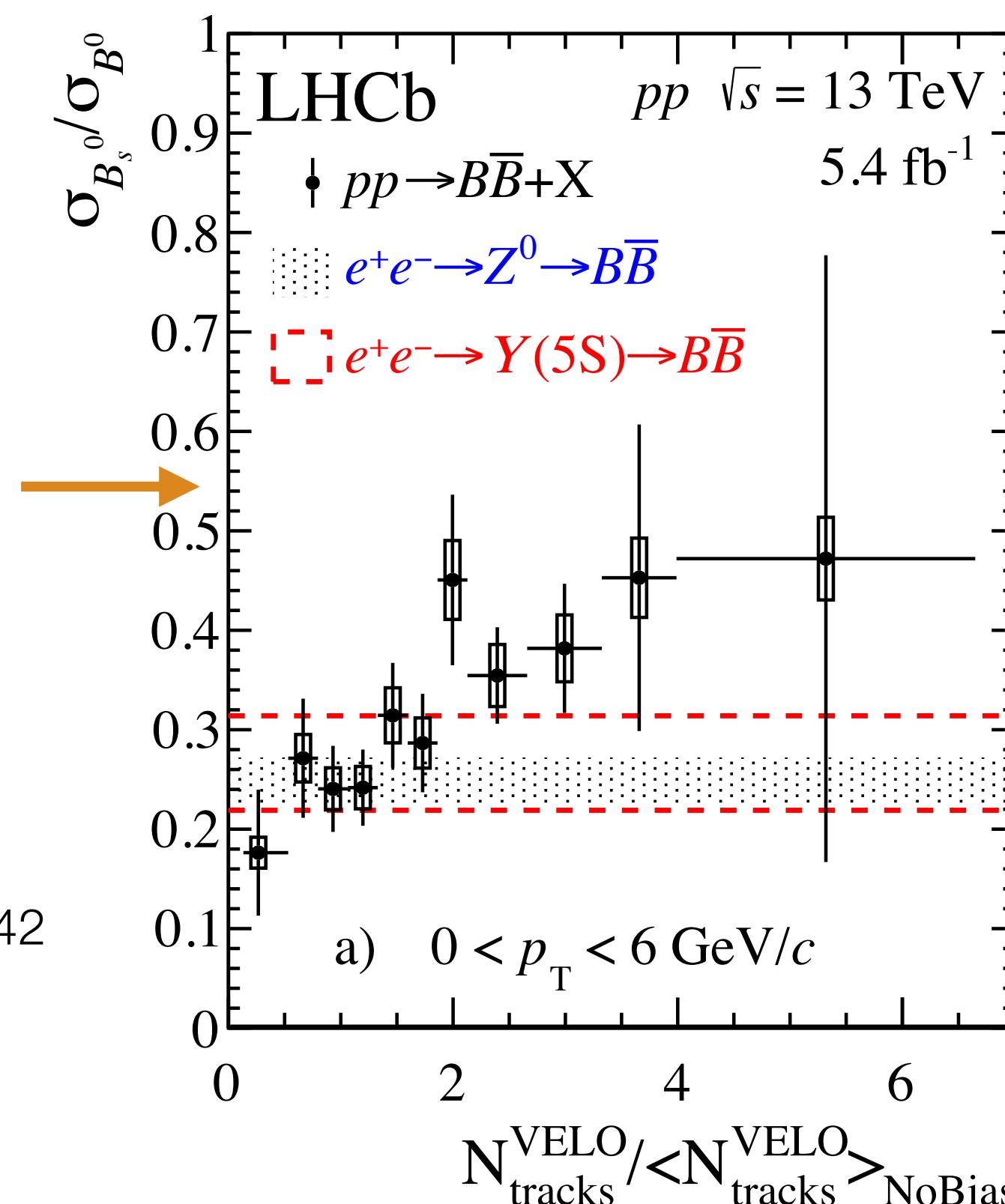
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- Hadronization via recombination may enhance B_s/B^0 with increasing multiplicity
 - B_s/B^0 at low p_T increases with local particle density
 - qualitatively as expected in the recombination approach

No significant dependence of B_s/B^0 vs. multiplicity at higher p_T

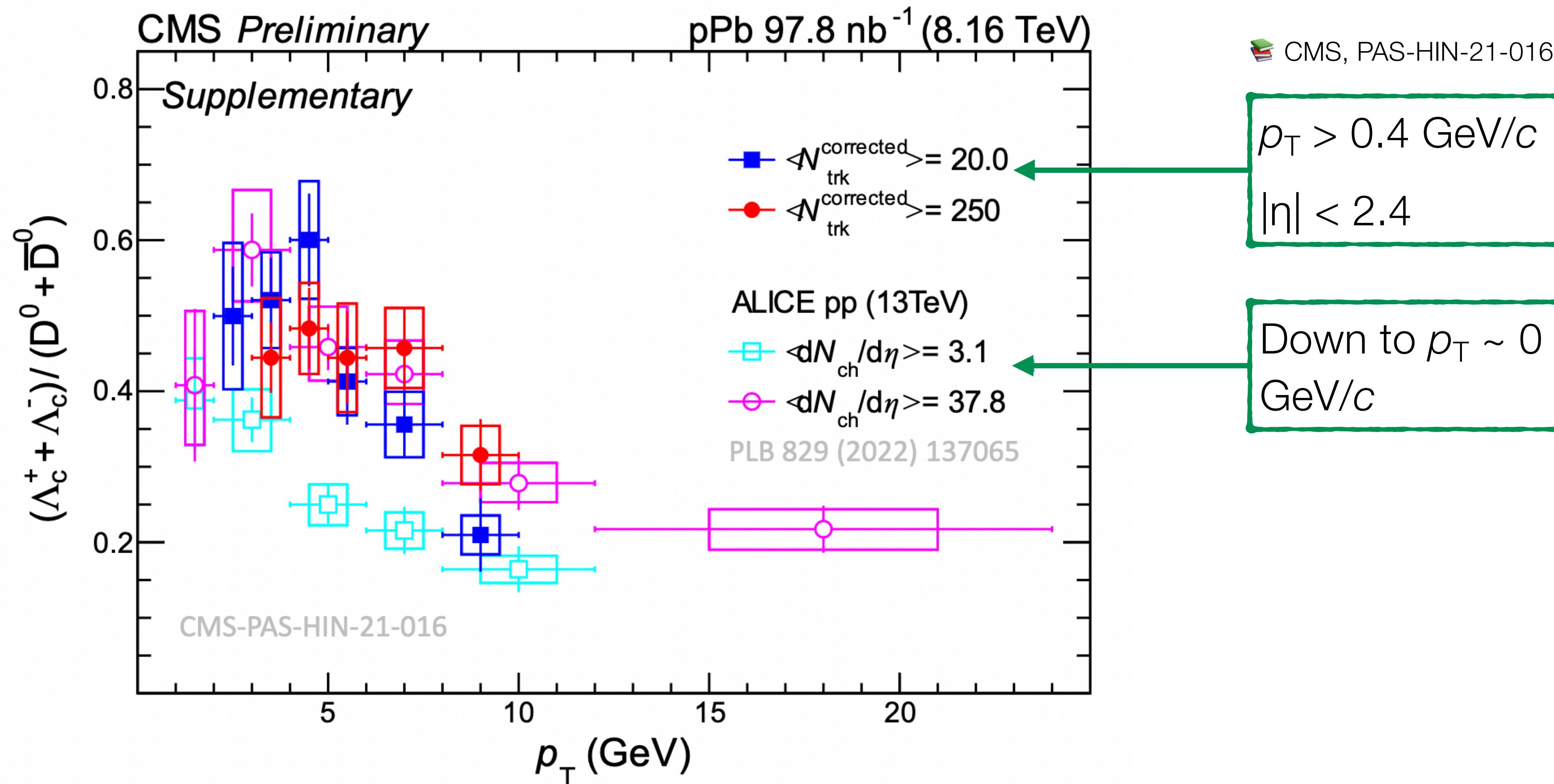
Increasing B_s/B^0 vs. multiplicity in the VELO at low p_T

LHCb, arXiv:2204.13042



Prompt Λ_c^+/\bar{D}^0 vs. event multiplicity in p-Pb collisions

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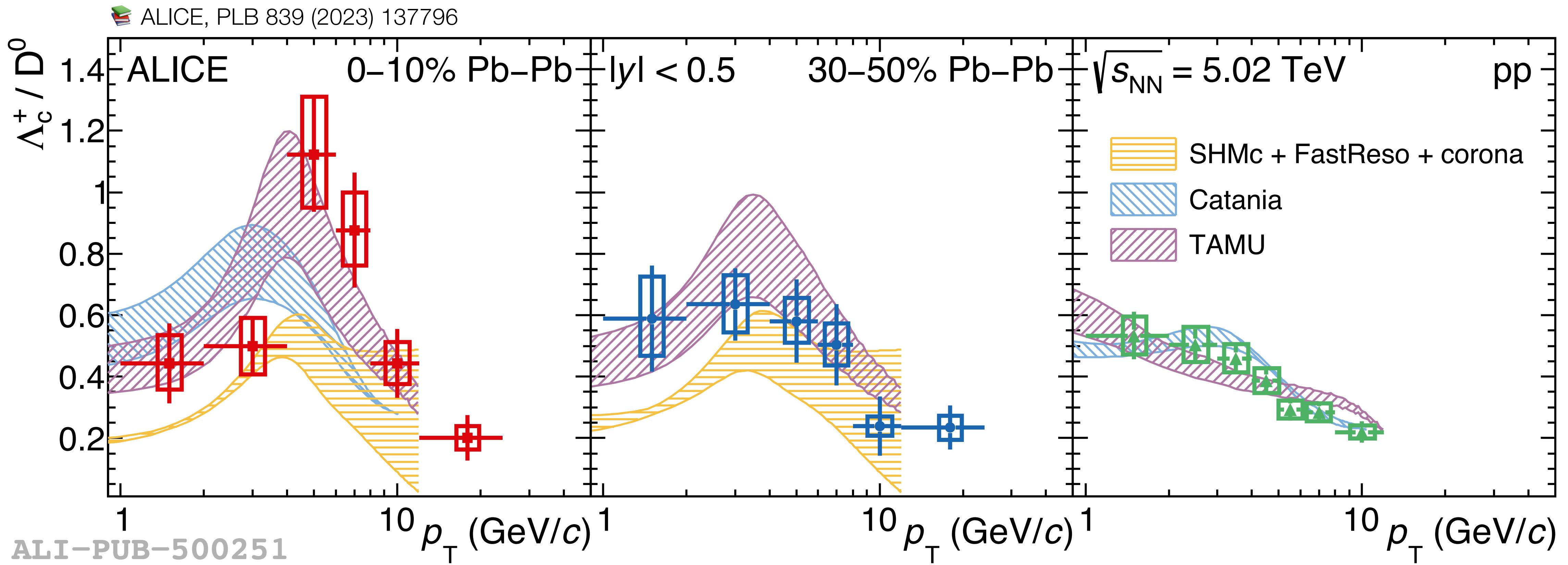


- ▶ Prompt Λ_c^+/\bar{D}^0 in p-Pb comparable to high multiplicity pp events → no significant evolution with multiplicity

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Prompt Λ_c^+/\bar{D}^0 in Pb-Pb collisions

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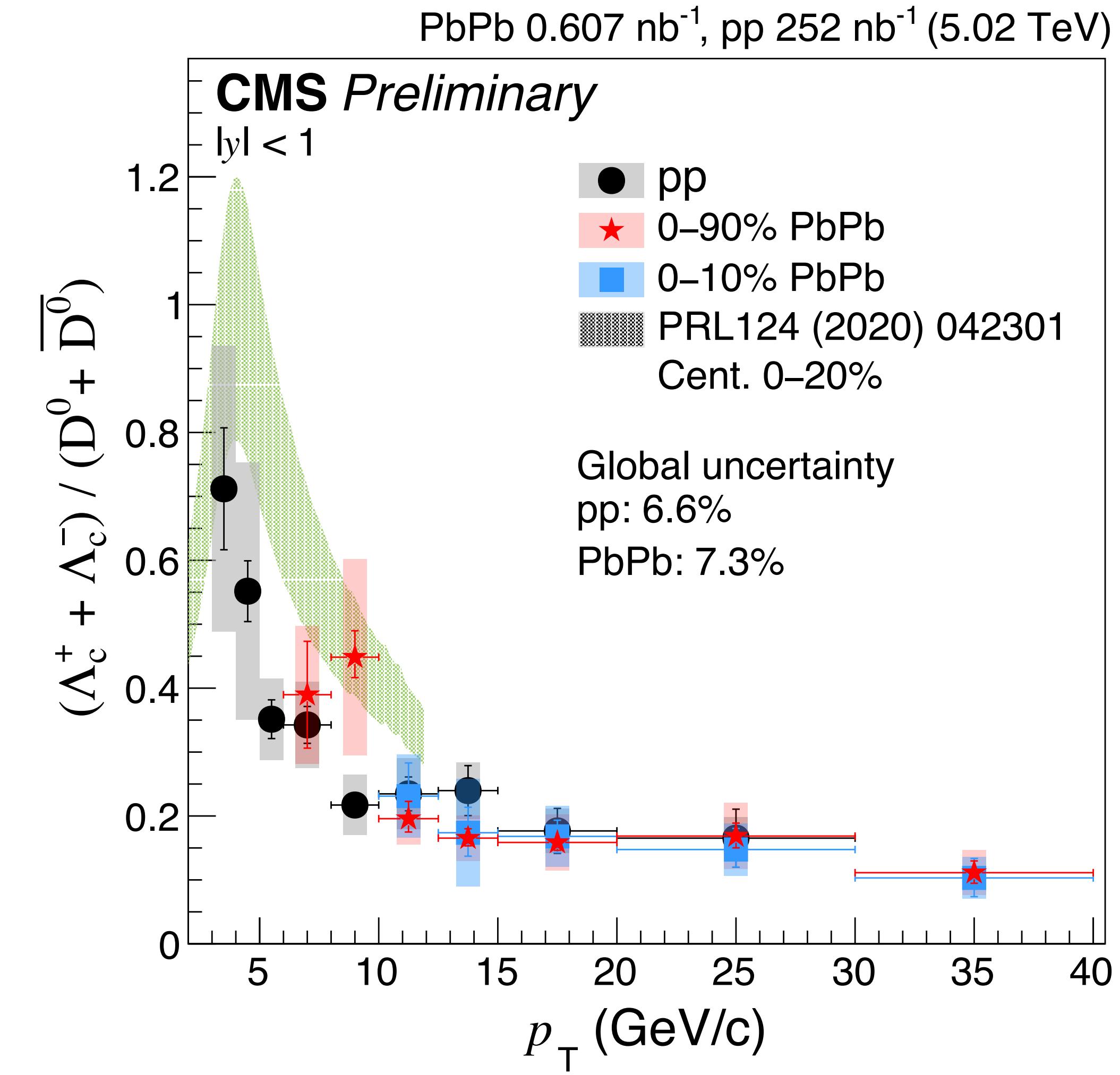
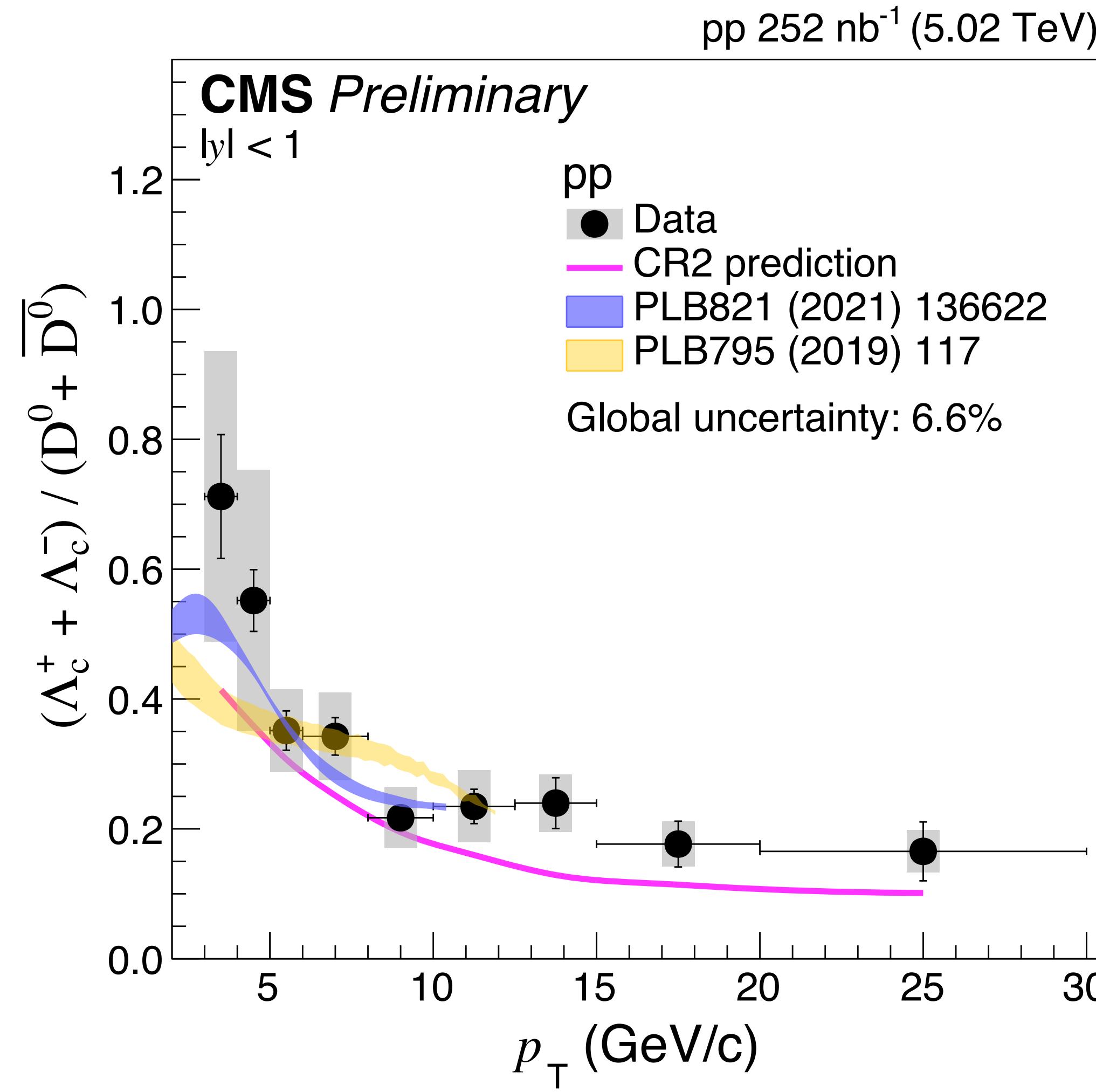
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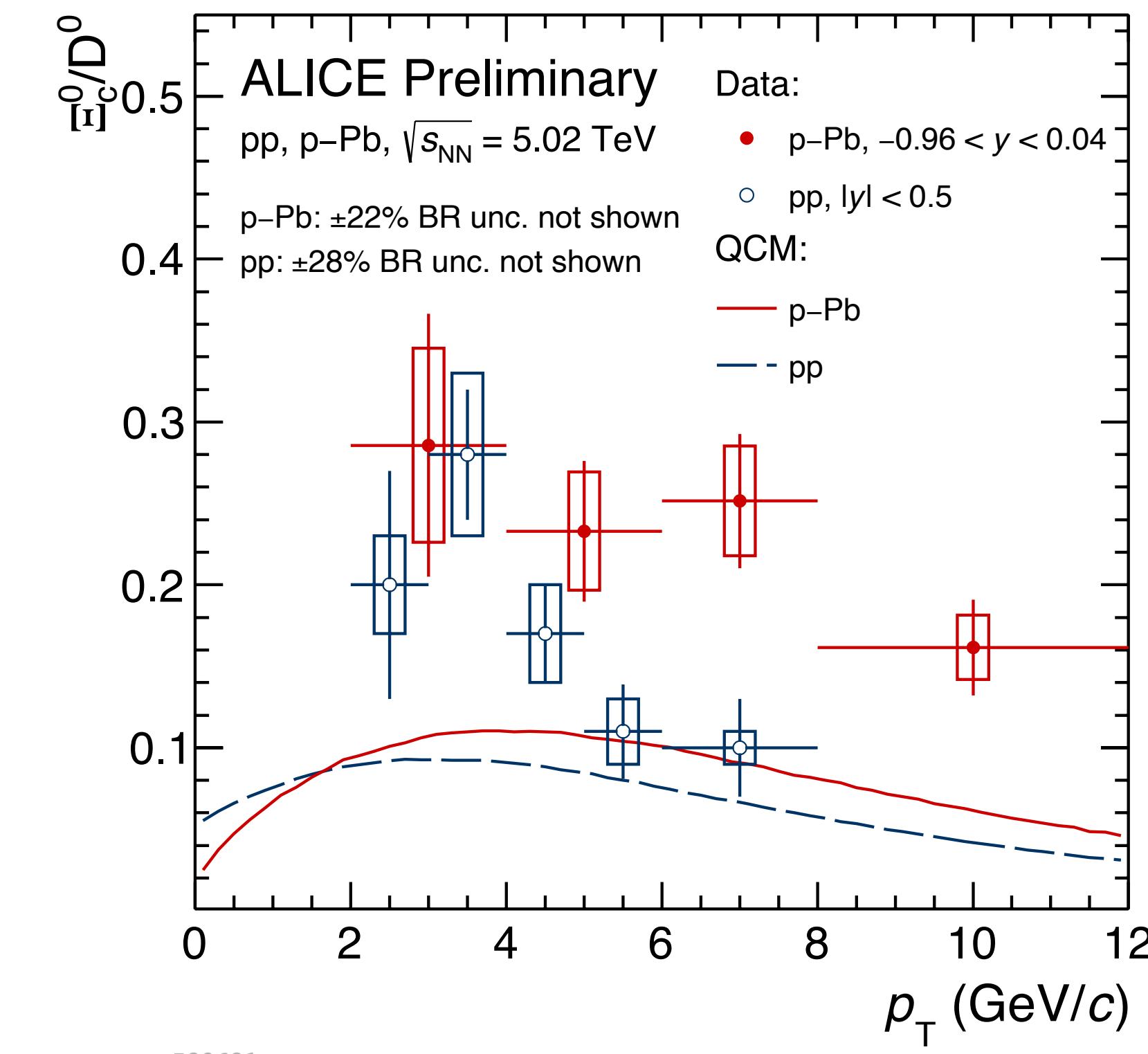
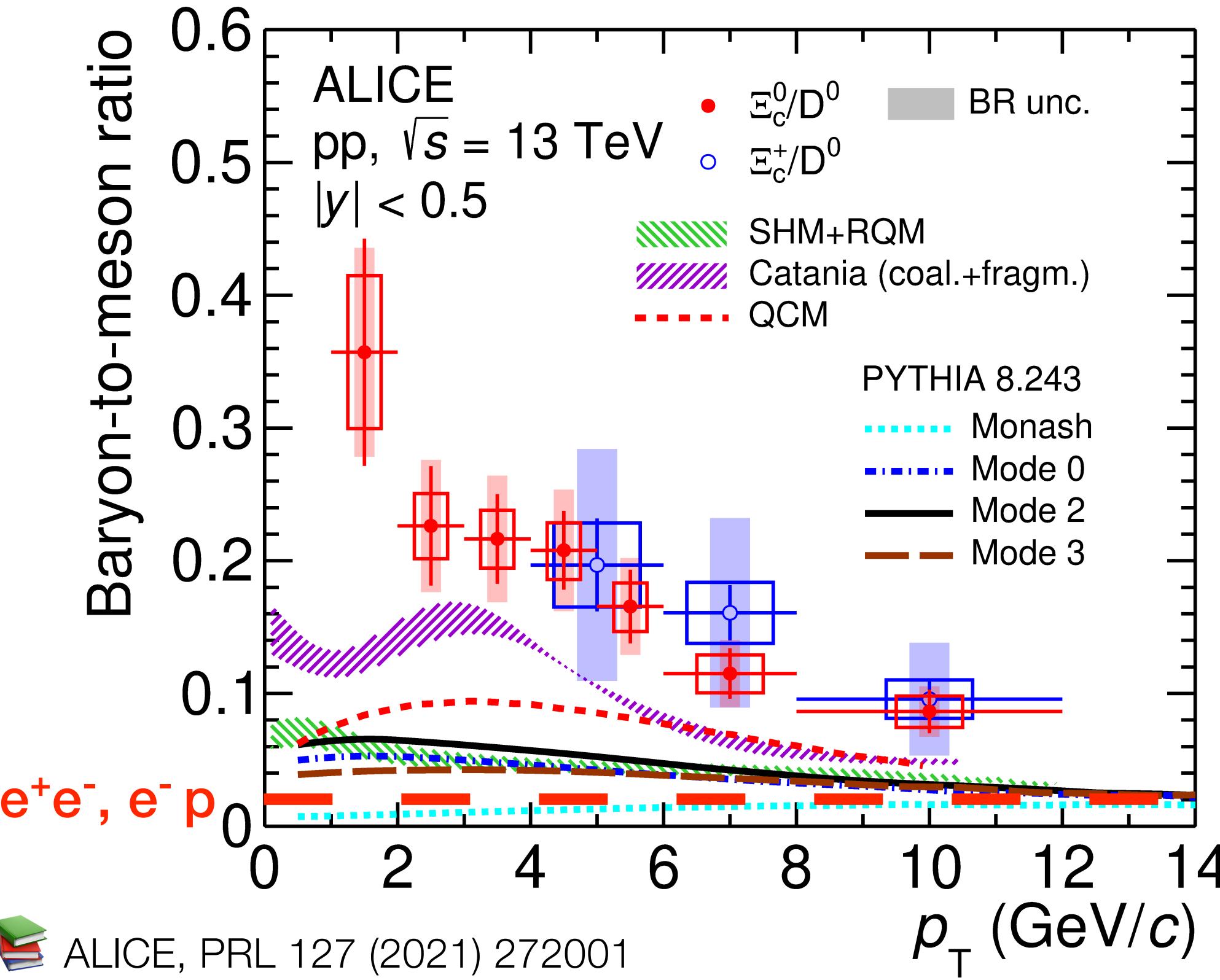
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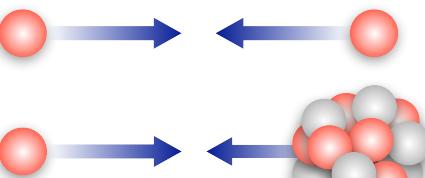


Heavier charm baryons: $\Xi_c^{0,+}$

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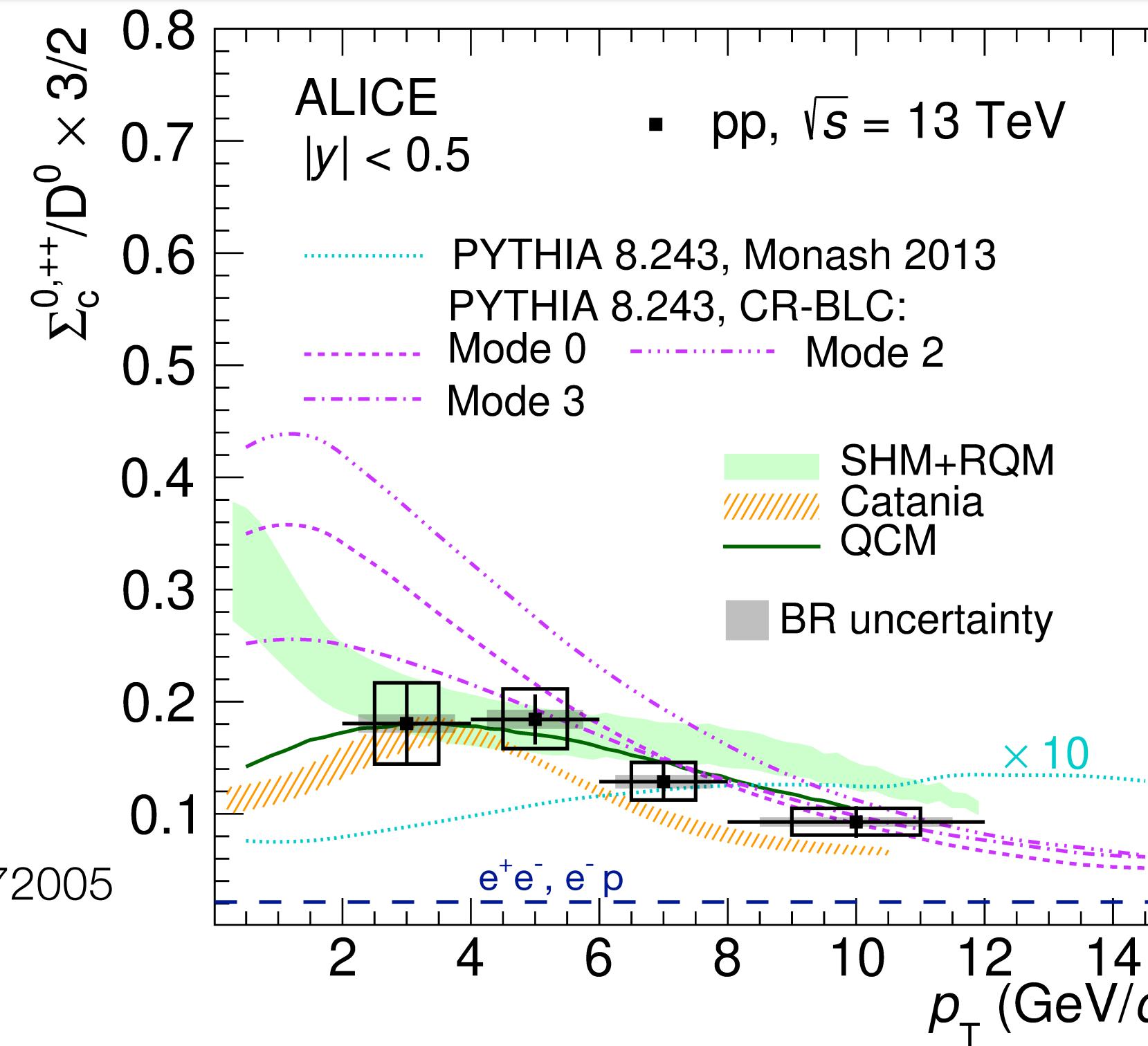
- PYTHIA 8: JHEP 1508 (2015) 003
- Catania: PLB 821 (2021) 136622
- SHM+RQM: PLB 795 (2019) 117-121
- QCM: EPJC 78 (2018) 344



- ▶ $\Xi_c^{0,+}/D^0$ in pp collisions at two different energies → higher than PYTHIA Monash (e^+e^- tuning)
- ▶ only **recombination models** are able to **get closer** to the measurement
- ▶ Hint of higher Ξ_c^0/D^0 in p-Pb collisions compared to pp collisions
- ▶ similar p_T re-distribution from pp to p-Pb as observed for Λ_c^0/D^0 ratio?

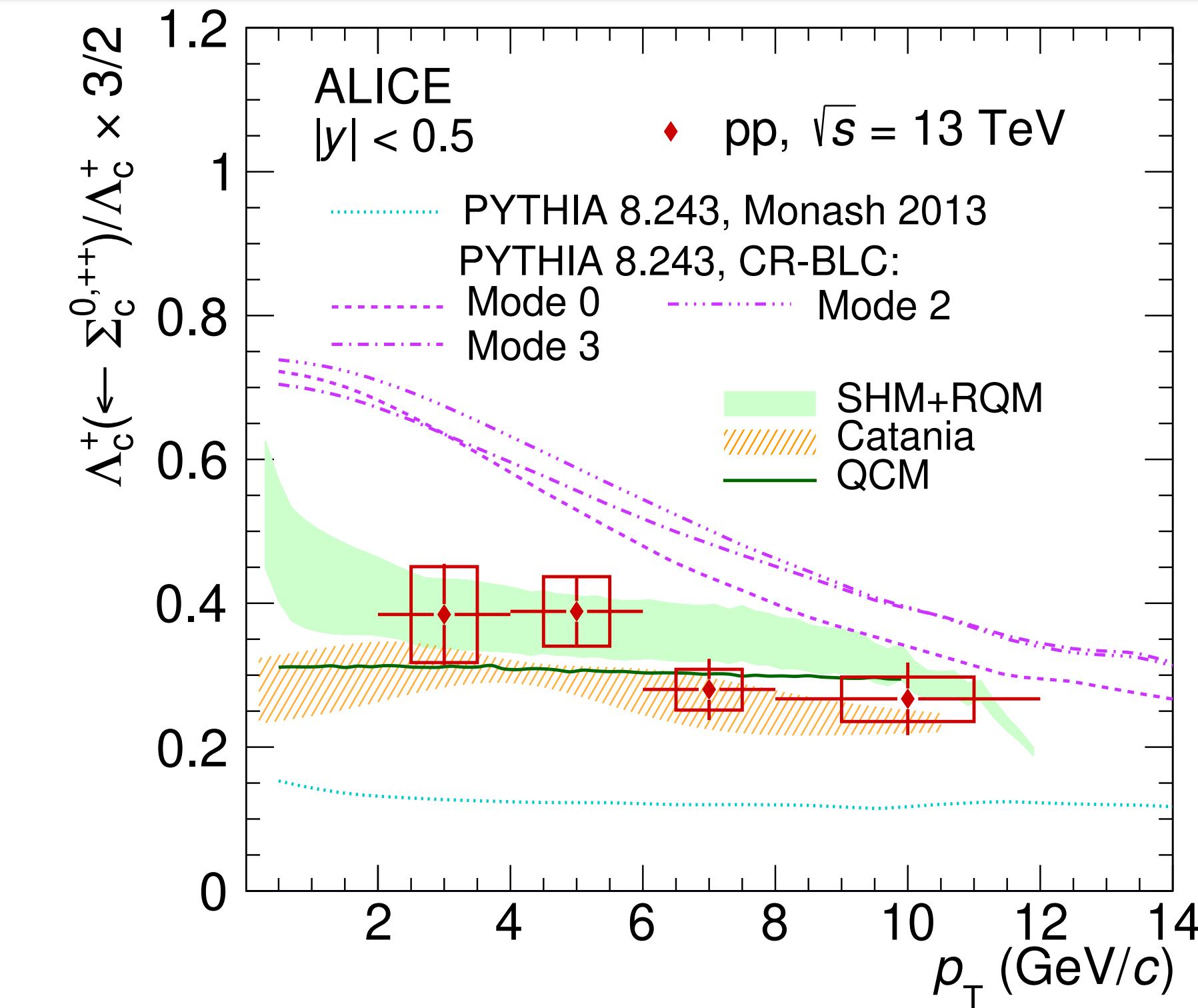
Heavier charm baryons: $\Sigma_c^{0,+,++}$

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► $\Sigma_c^{0,+/+}/D^0$

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► larger than e^+e^- results → larger relative enhancement than Λ_c^+/D^0

► well described by SHM+RQM, Catania and QCM

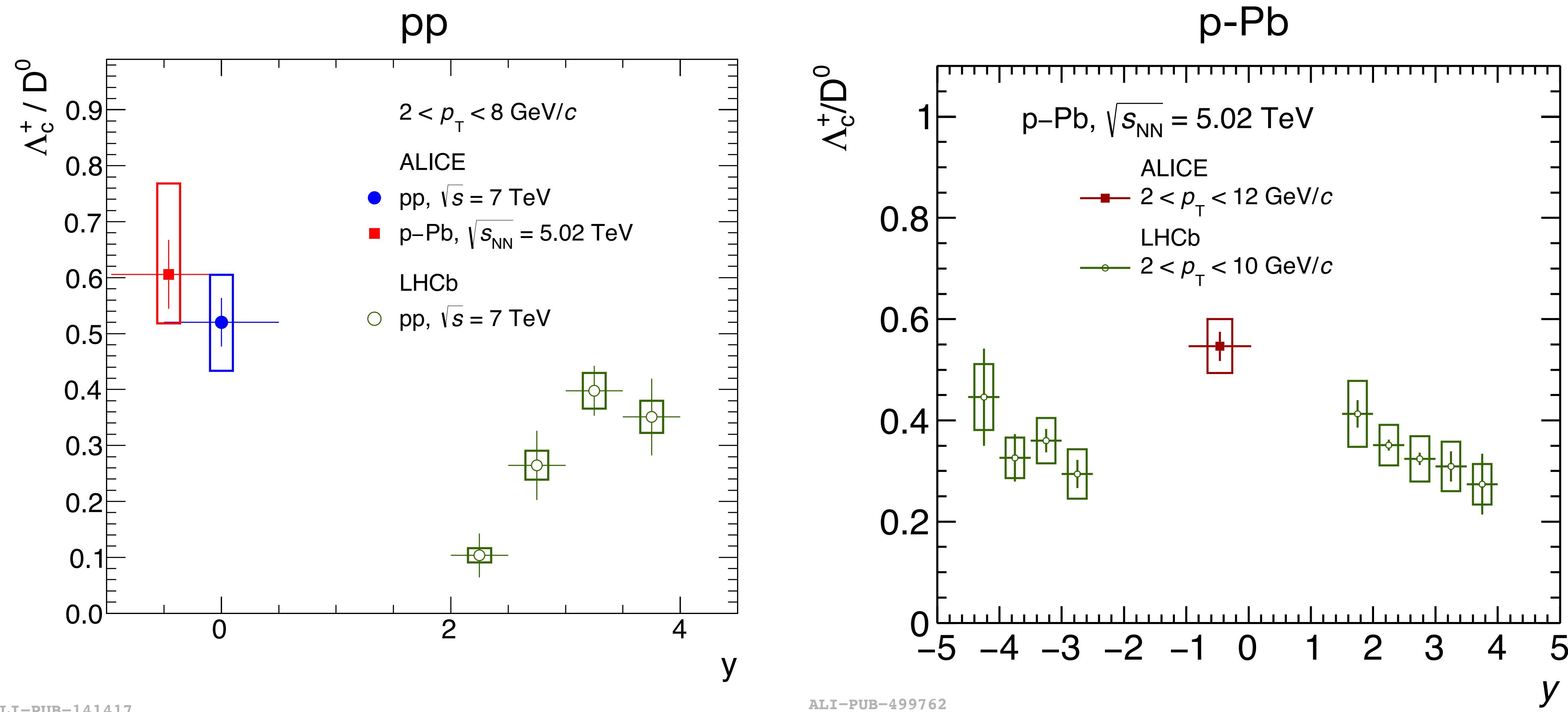
► $\Sigma_c^{0,+/+}/D^0$ partially accounts for Λ_c^+/D^0

► measurements of feed-down Λ_c^+ from $\Sigma_c^{0,+/+}$ → overestimated by CR modes

ALICE, PRL 128
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Rapidity dependence - charm

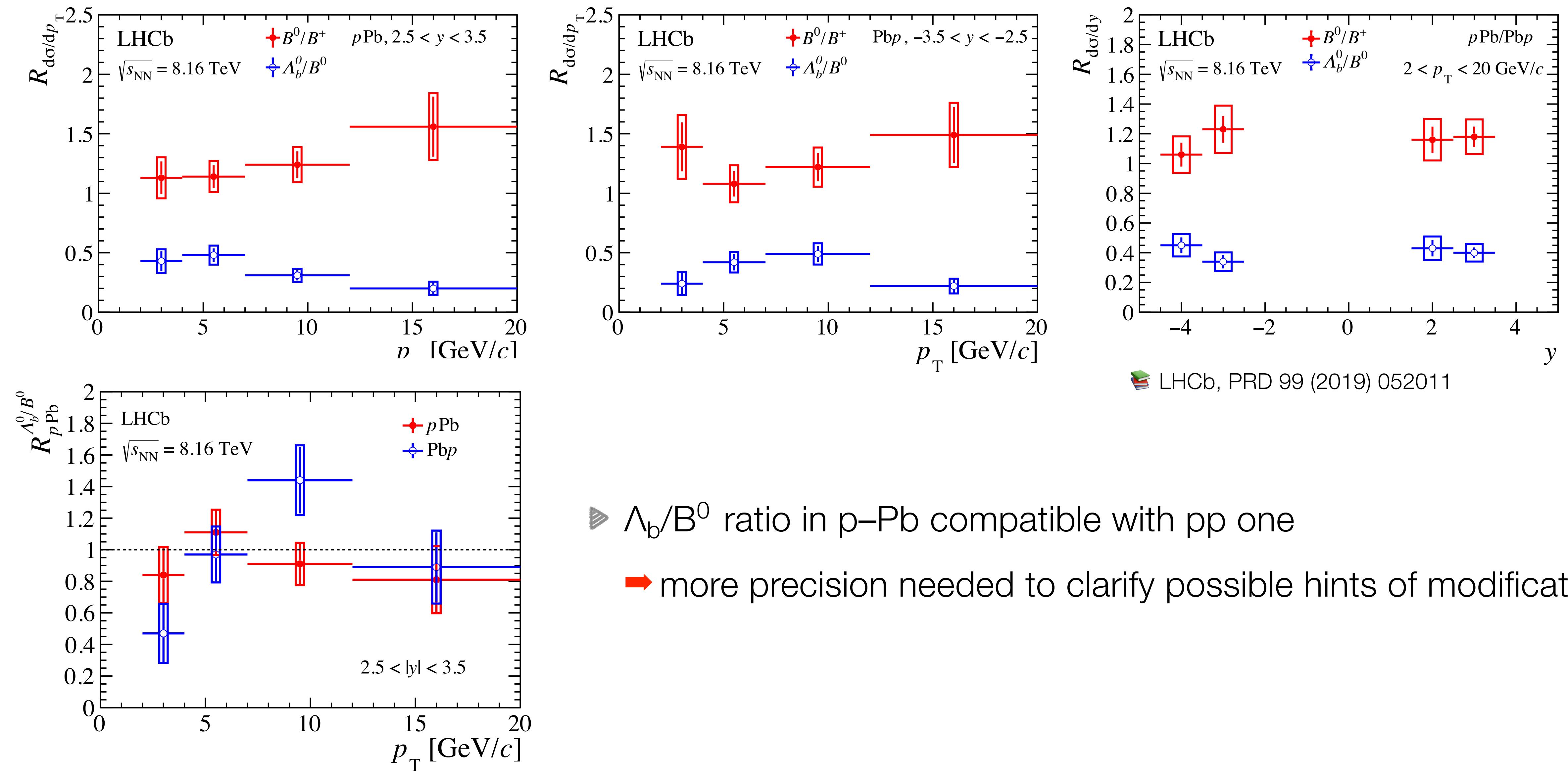
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► Possible trend, to be revisited with run 3 data (also in pp)?

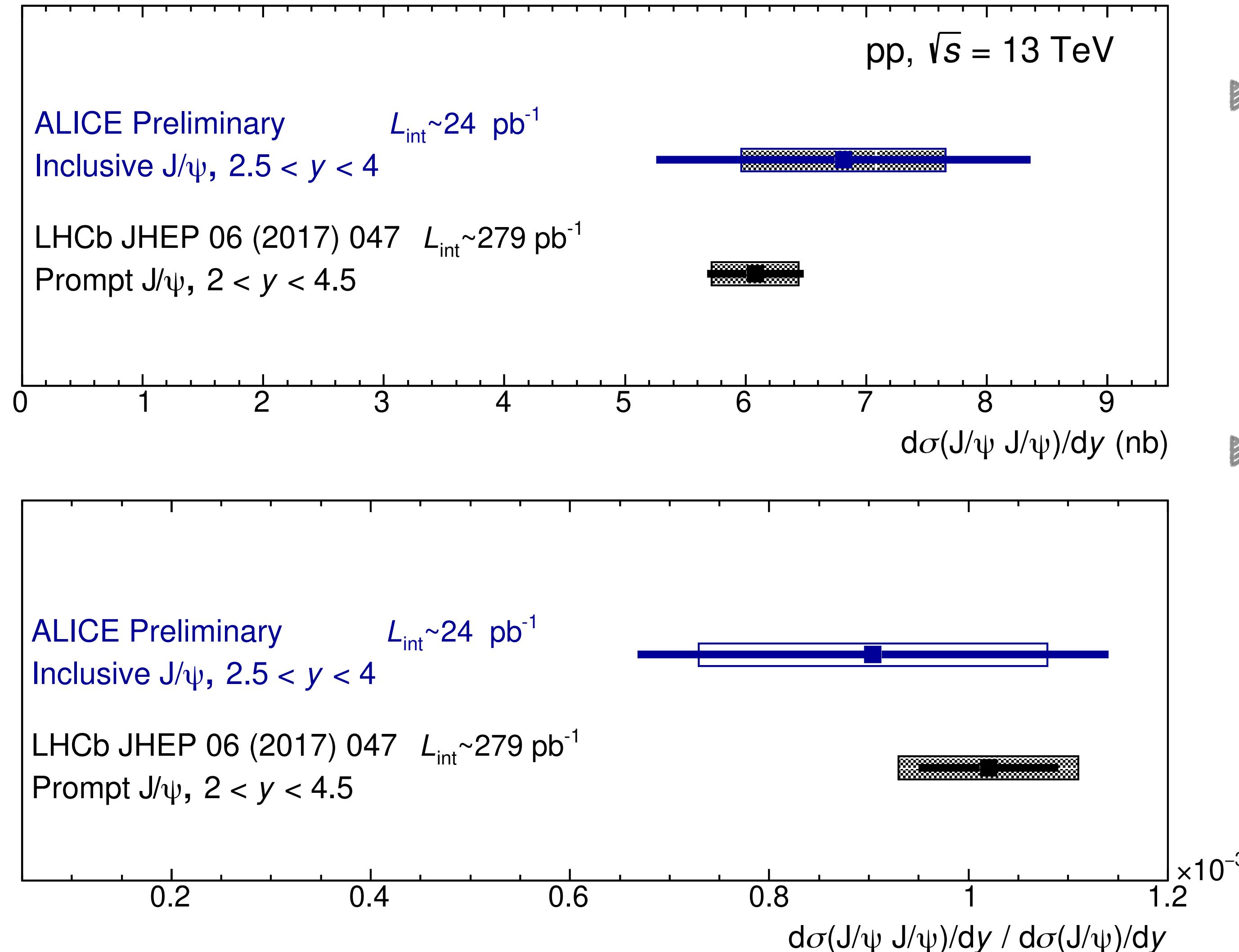
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J/ψ pair production

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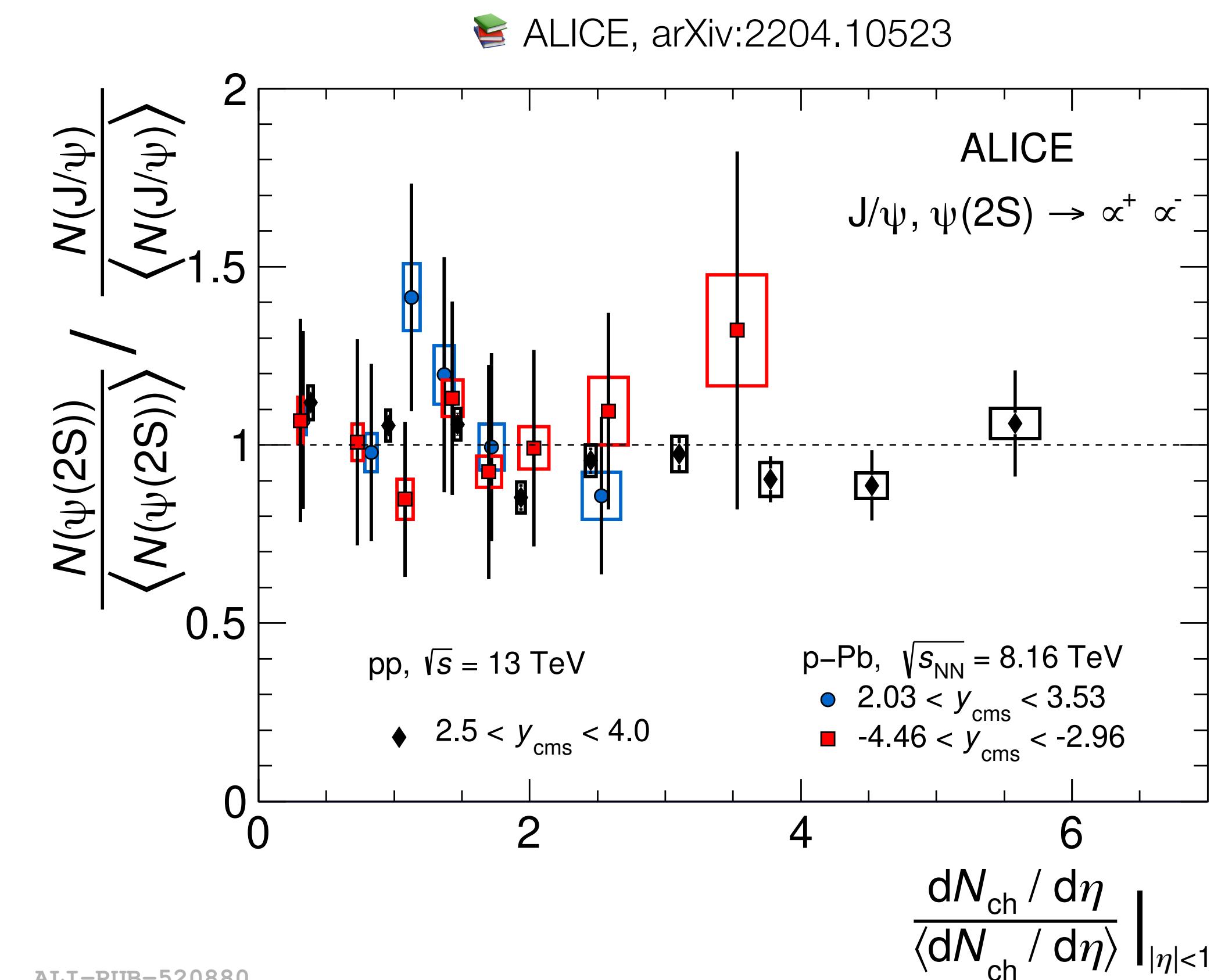
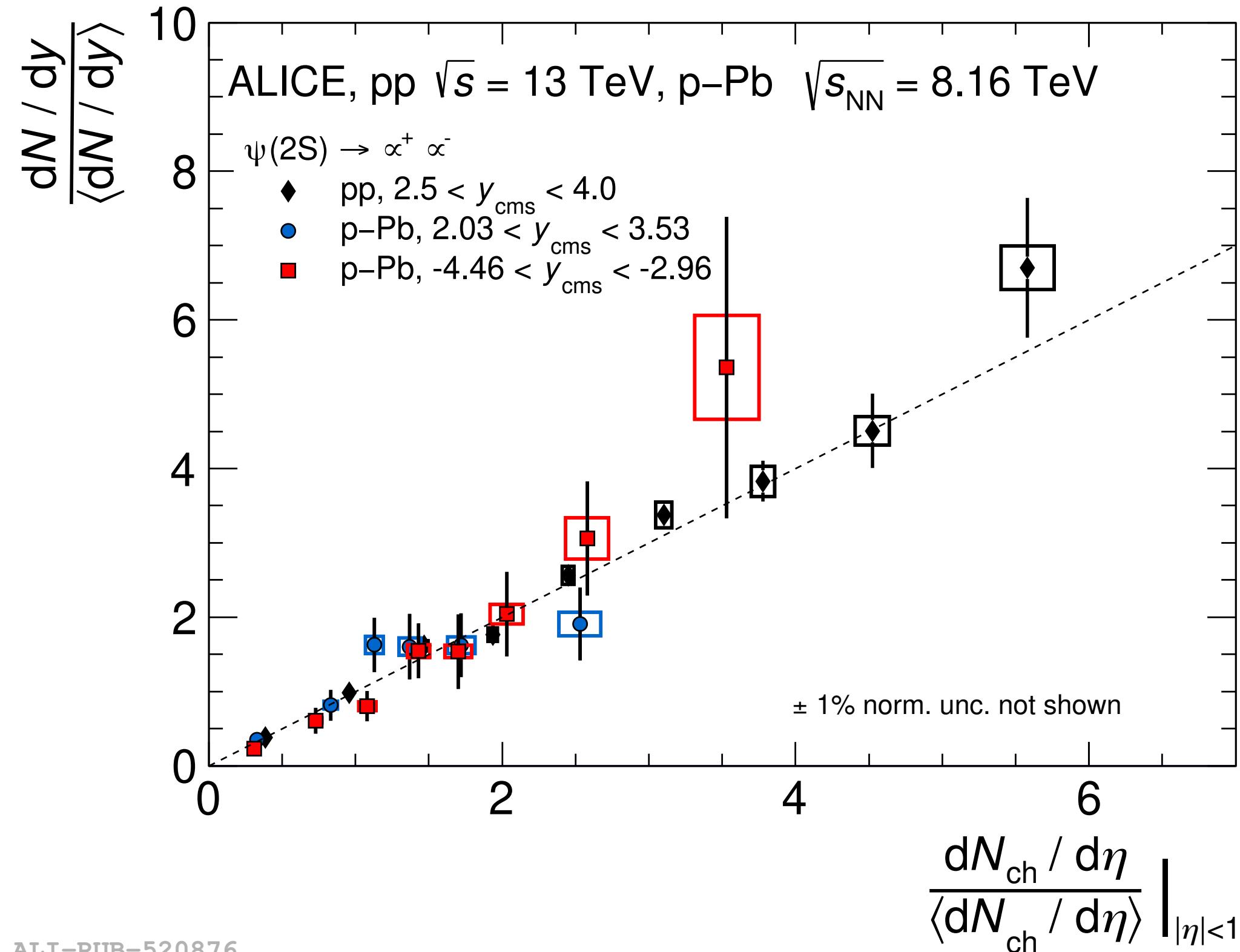


- ▶ J/ψ pair production measurement at 13 TeV
 - disentangle mechanisms for J/ψ production
 - insights on double parton scattering
- ▶ di- J/ψ production cross section
 - both results are in agreement with LHCb
 - CAVEAT:
 - ALICE measures inclusive J/ψ while LHCb prompt J/ψ
 - slightly different rapidity ranges

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$\psi(2s)$ production in pp and p-Pb

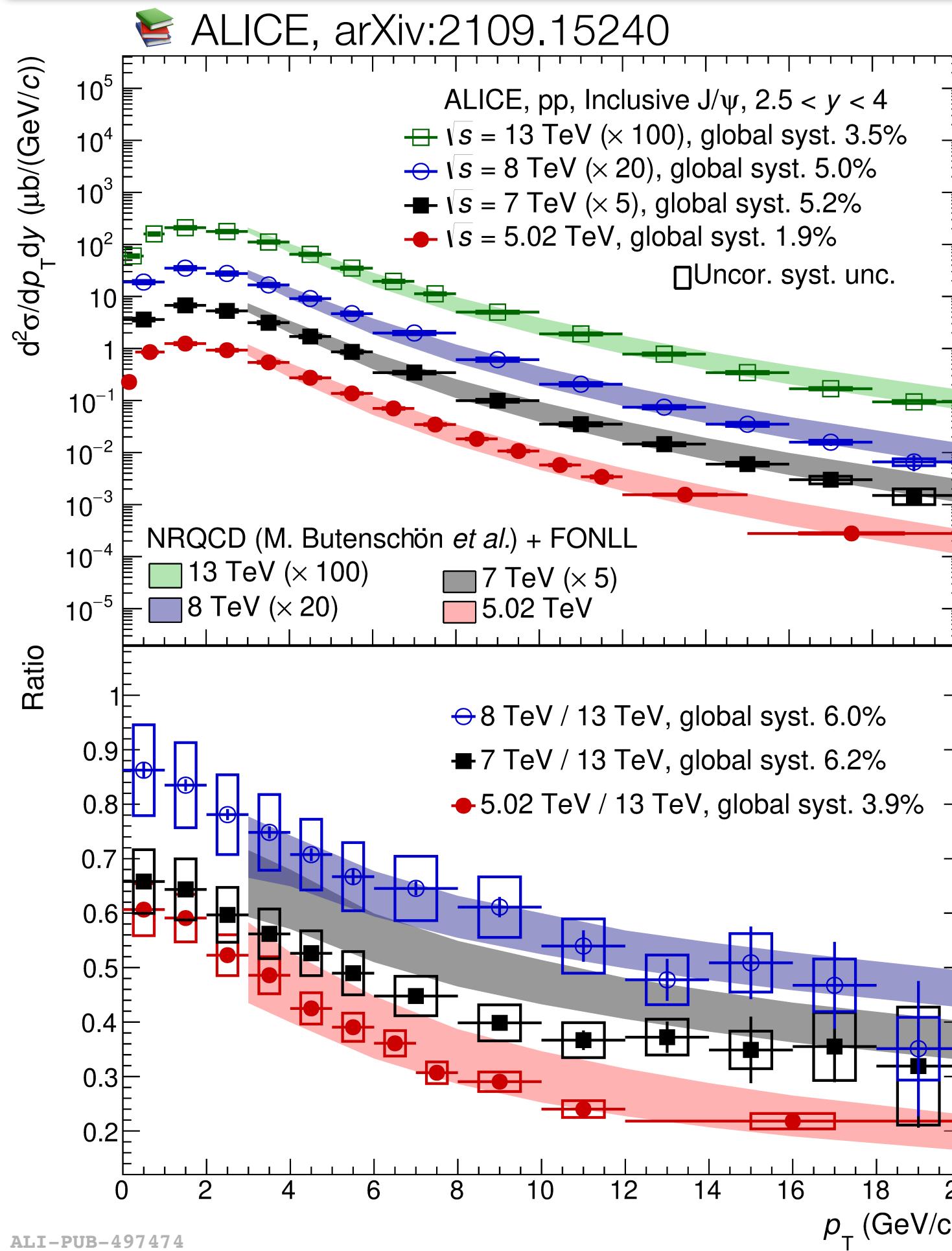
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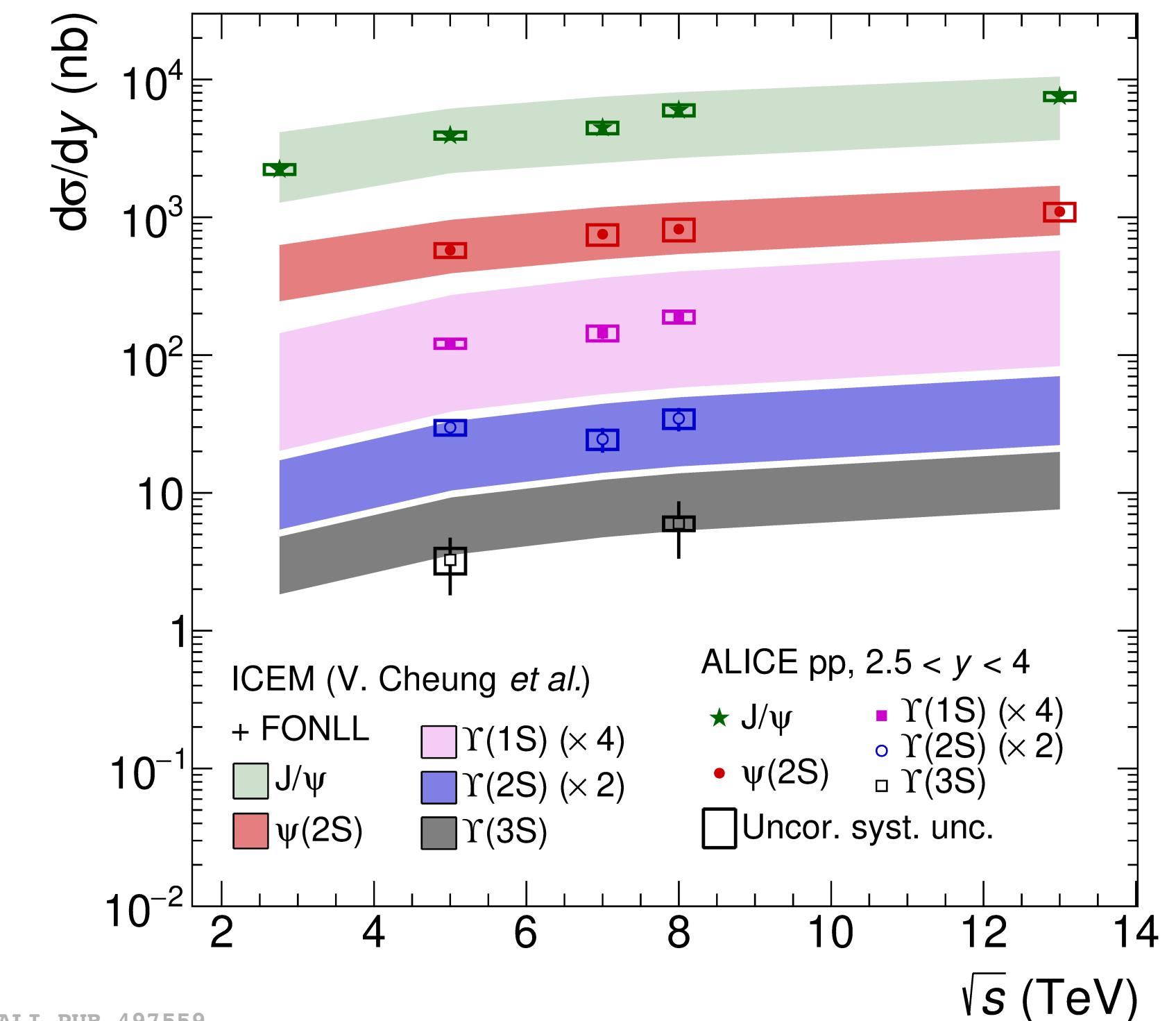
- ▶ Normalized $\psi(2s)$ yield goes linearly with charged particle multiplicity at midrapidity and $\psi(2s)$ -to- J/ψ ratio is compatible with unity
 - same behaviour regardless of charmonium state and system size

Quarkonium production at forward rapidity

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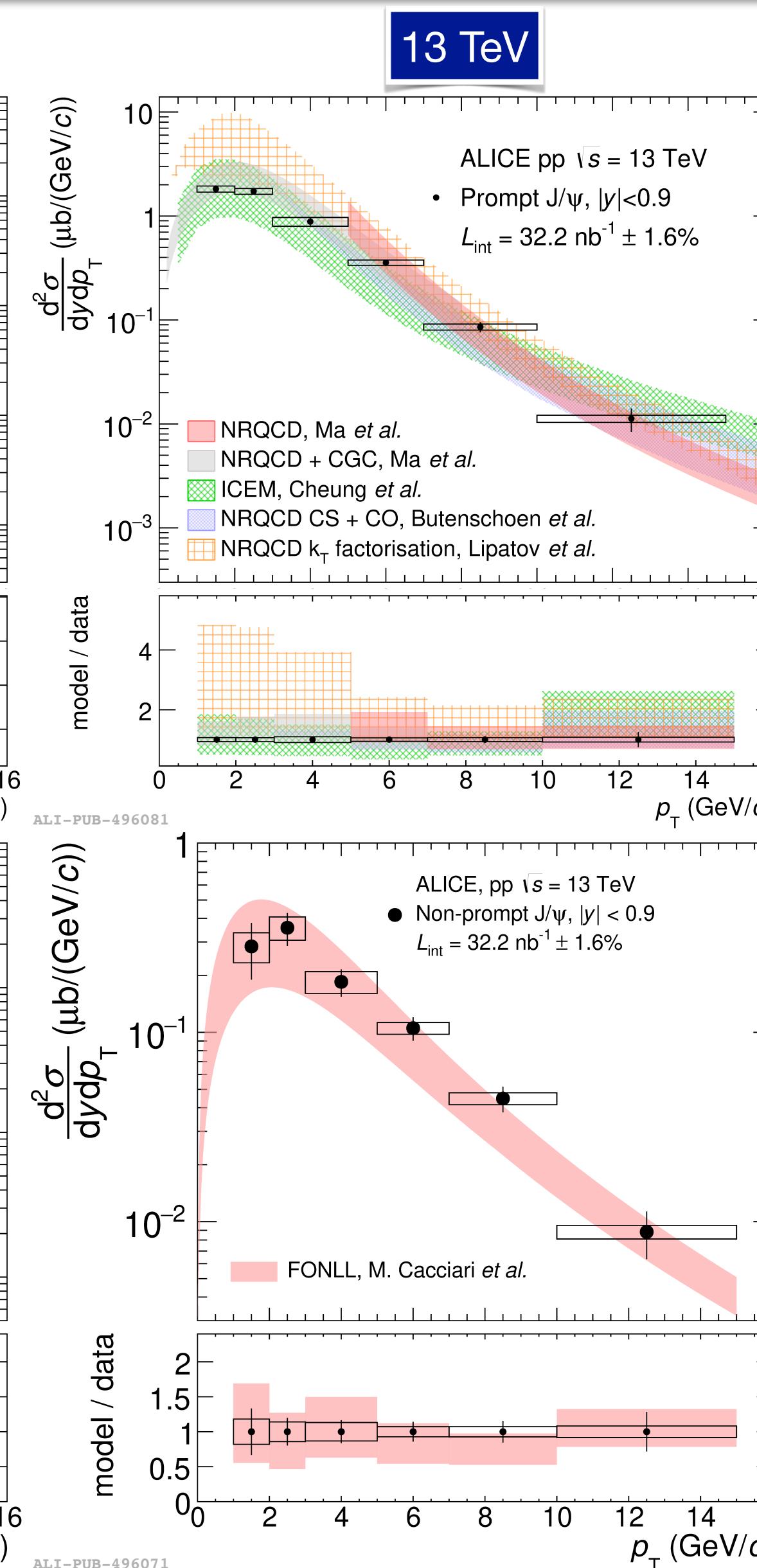
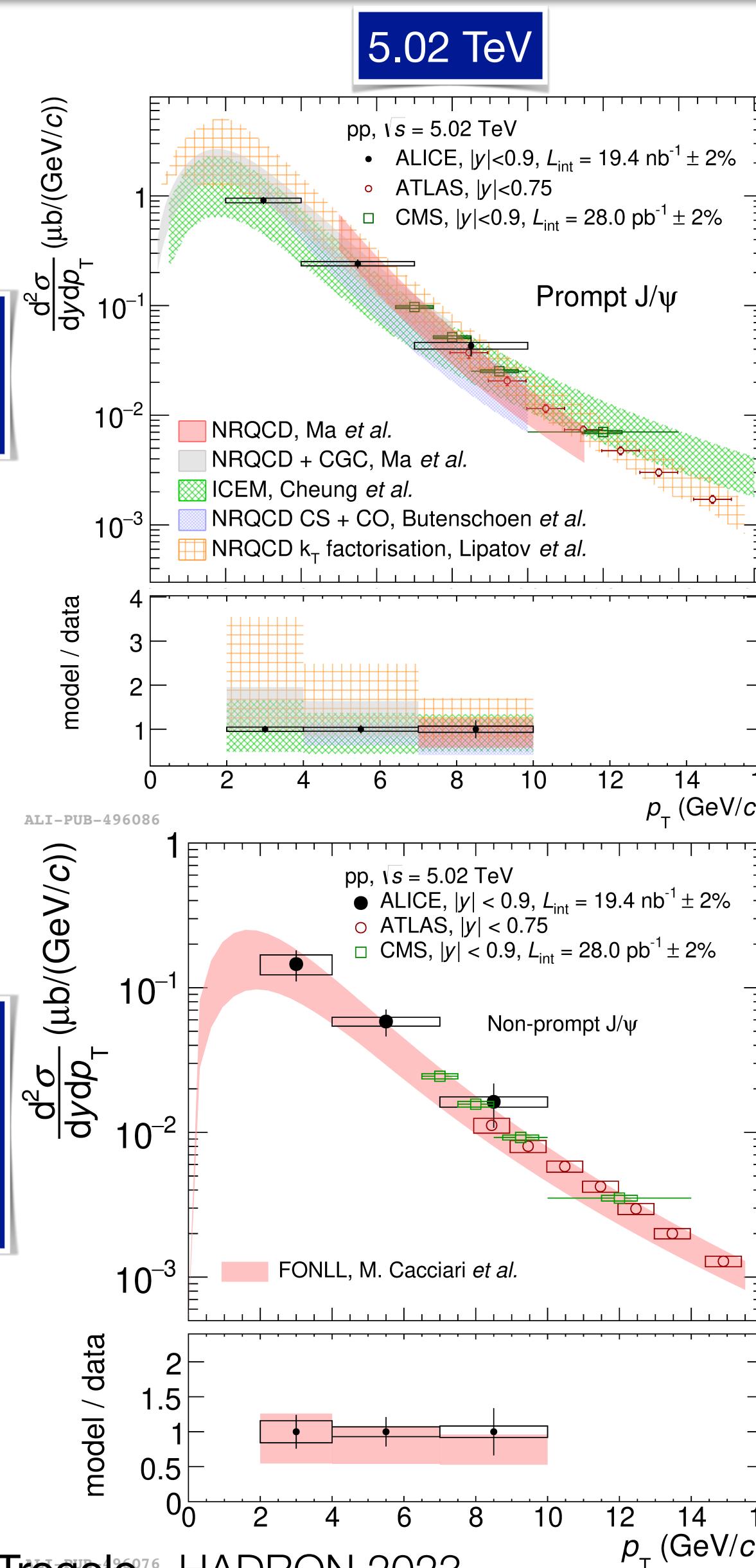


- Inclusive J/ψ production in pp collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 5.02, 7, 8$ and 13 TeV
 - measurements down to $p_T = 0 \text{ GeV}/c$
- Cross section increases with increasing collision energy
 - agreement between data and NRQCD+FONLL model
- Ratio as a function of p_T
 - agreement for 8-to-13 TeV and 5-to-13 TeV ratios
 - 7-to-13 TeV ratio slightly overestimated by model
- Quarkonium production cross section with energy well reproduced by ICEM+FONLL calculations for different species



Prompt/non-prompt J/ψ at midrapidity

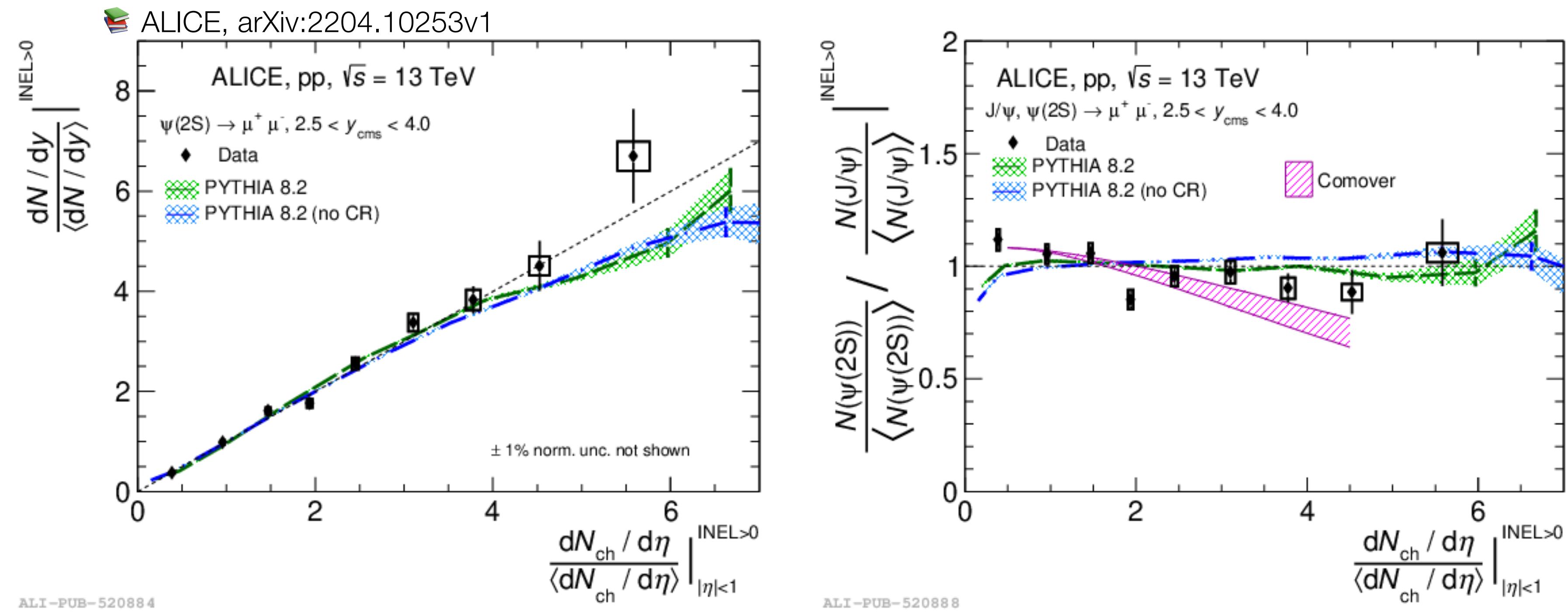
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- ▶ J/ψ production measurement in pp collisions at midrapidity ($|y| < 0.9$)
 - down to $p_T = 1 \text{ GeV}/c$ for $\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}$
 - down to $p_T = 2 \text{ GeV}/c$ for $\sqrt{s} = 5.02 \text{ TeV}$
- ▶ Prompt J/ψ cross section
 - ICEM and NRQCD in **agreement** with data
 - NRQCD Lipatov **slightly overestimates** the data at low p_T
- ▶ Non-prompt J/ψ cross section
 - FONLL in **agreement** with data
- ▶ Results compared with CMS and ATLAS
 - **consistency** in the common p_T range

Quarkonium production vs. multiplicity

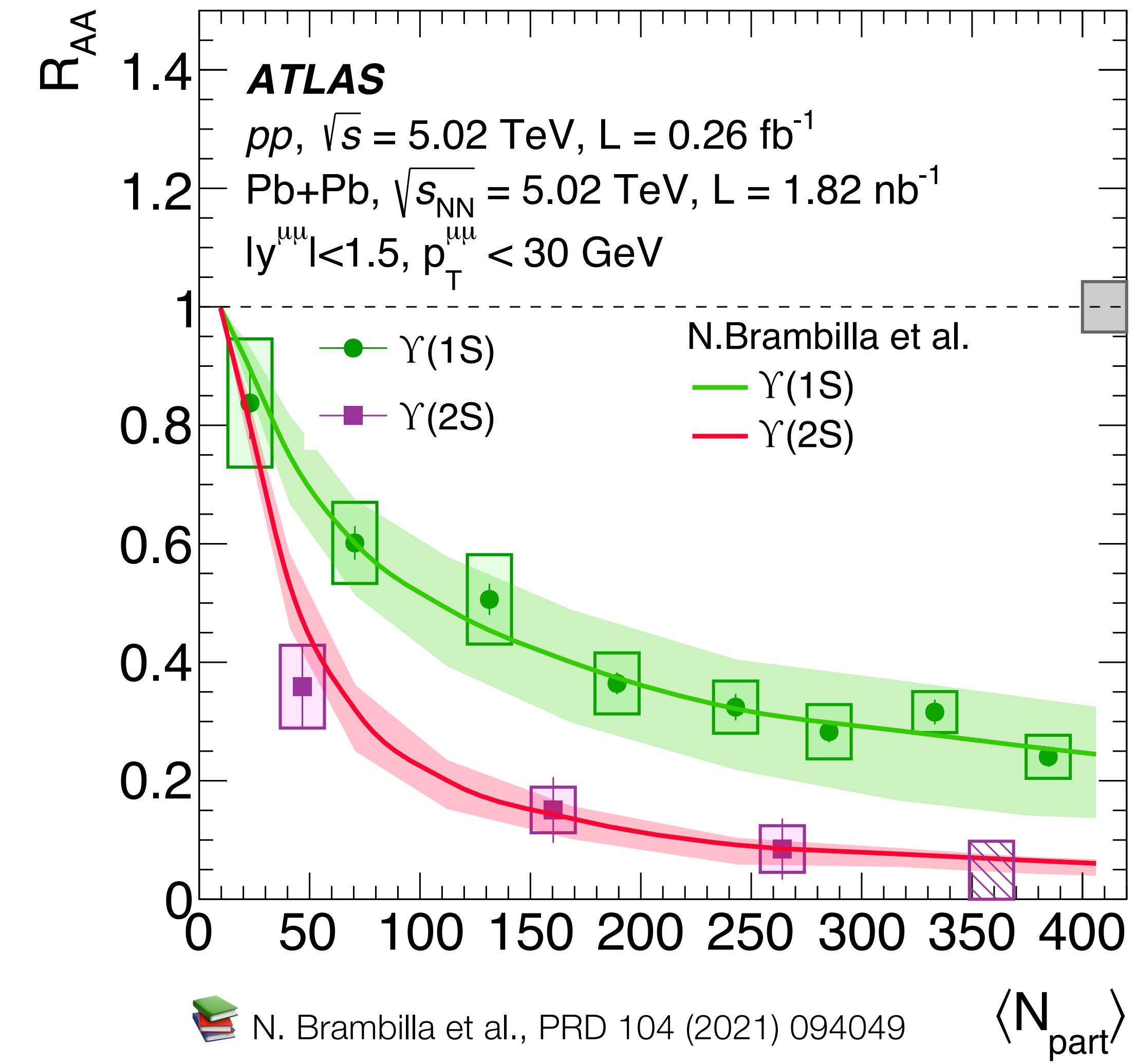
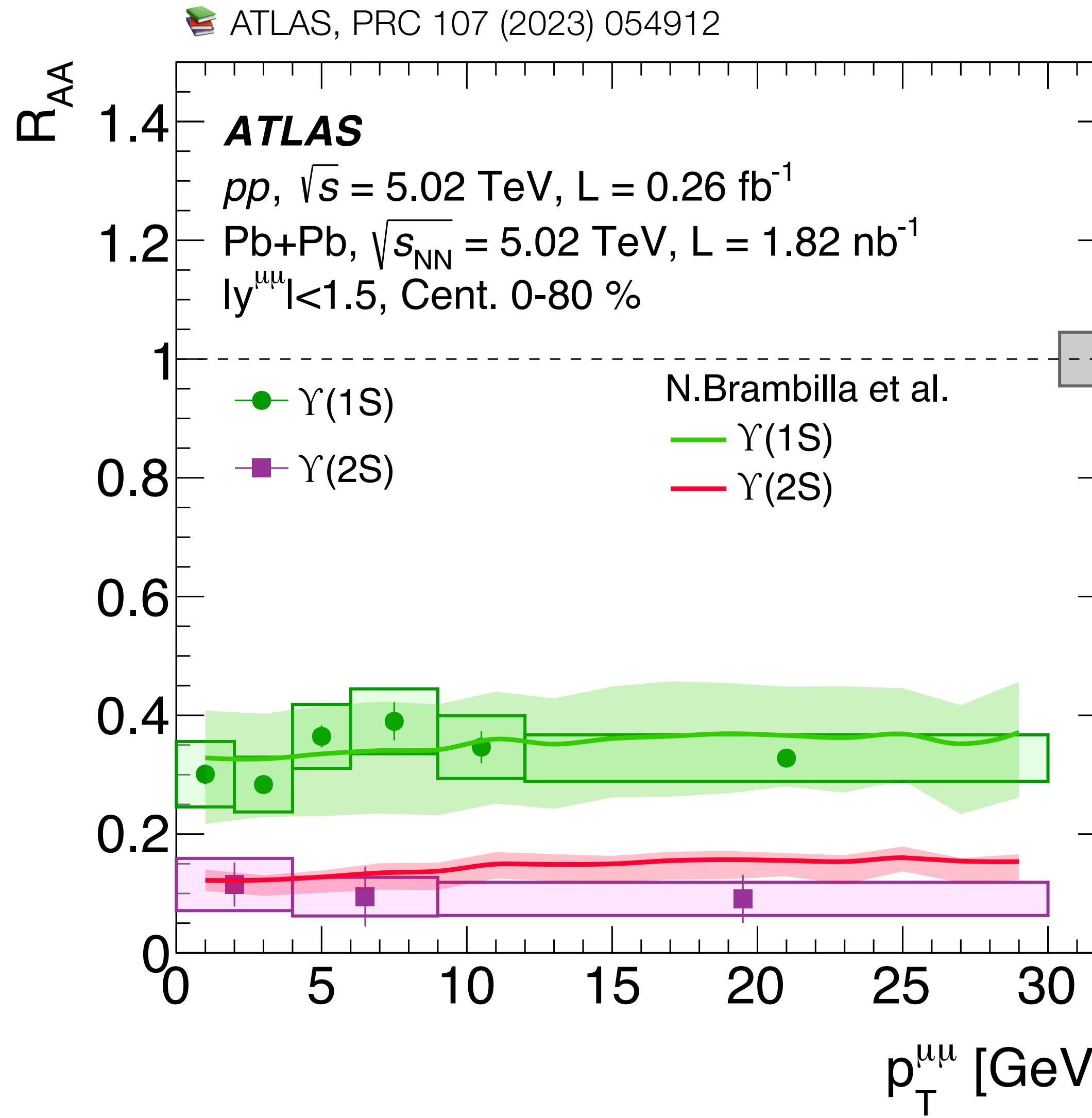
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- ▶ $\psi(2s)$ production at **forward rapidity** as a function of **multiplicity** at midrapidity in pp collisions
 - linear dependence of production **yields** and $\psi(2s)$ -to- J/ψ **ratio** compatible with **unity**
 - production at forward rapidity **independent** of **charmonium state** and **collision energy**
- ▶ Comparison with models:
 - production yields in agreement with PYTHIA8 at low multiplicity, tension at high multiplicity
 - tension between $\psi(2s)$ -to- J/ψ ratio and PYTHIA8 at low multiplicity

Role of regeneration in quarkonia: $\Upsilon(nS)$

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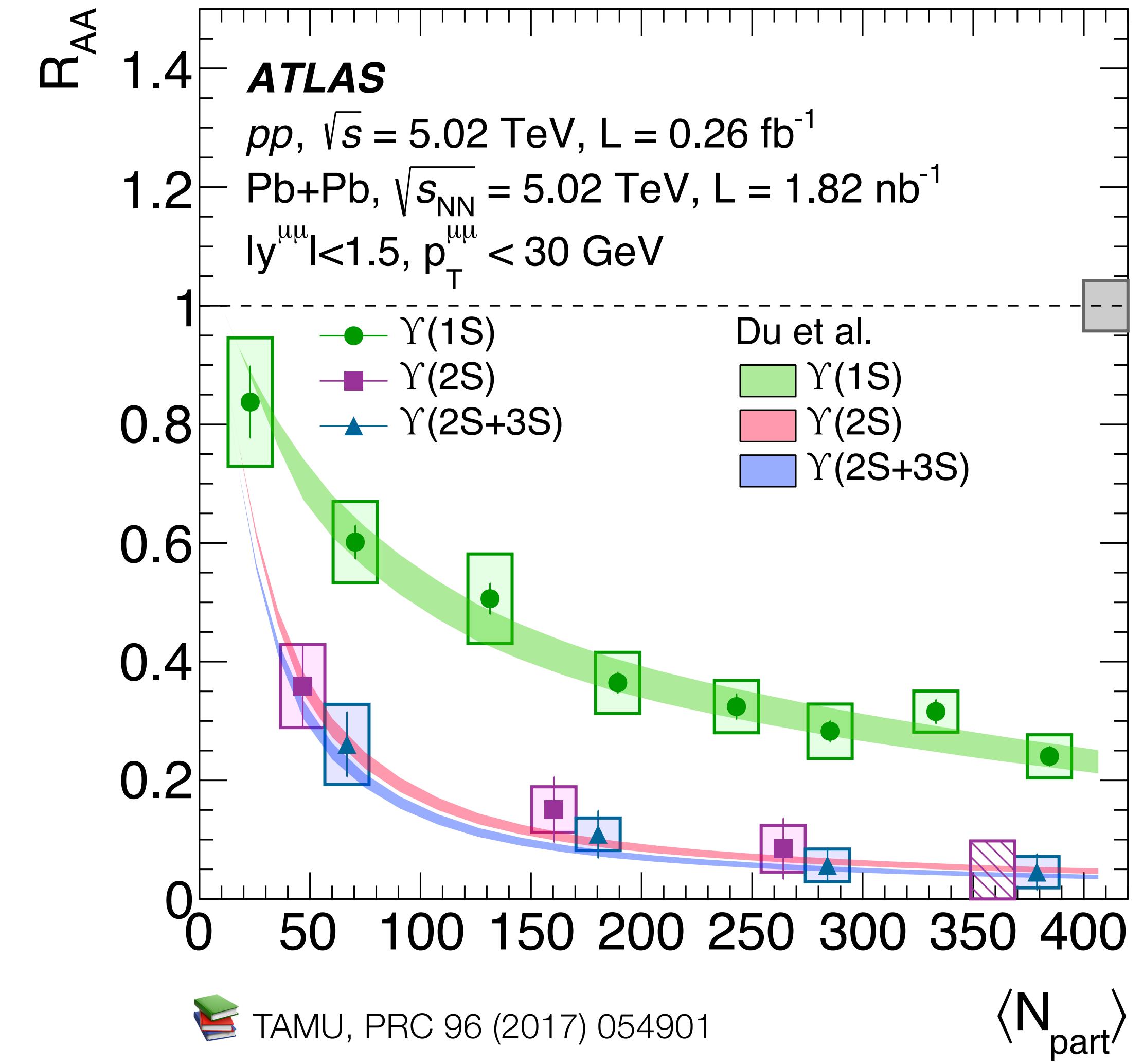
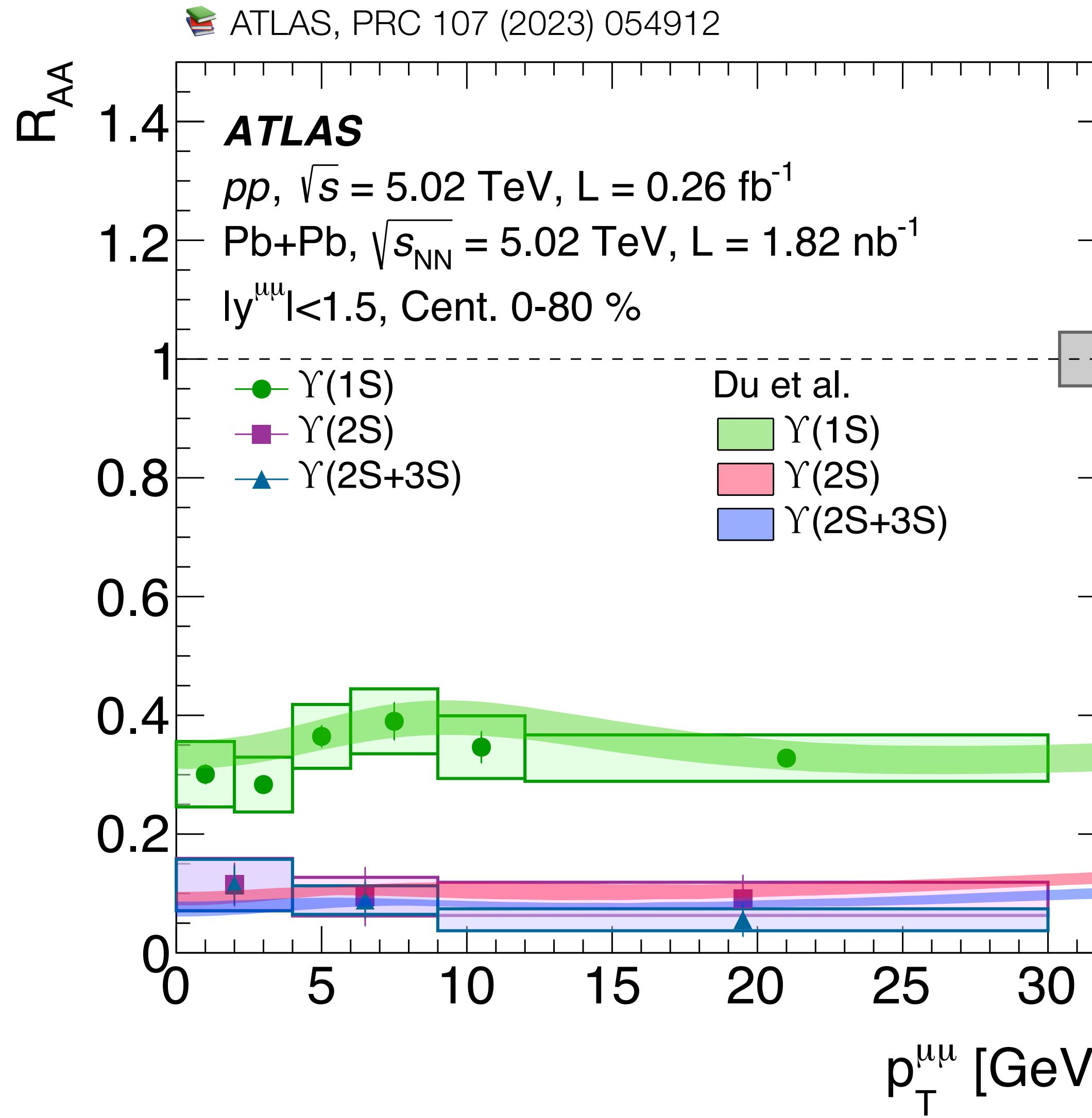
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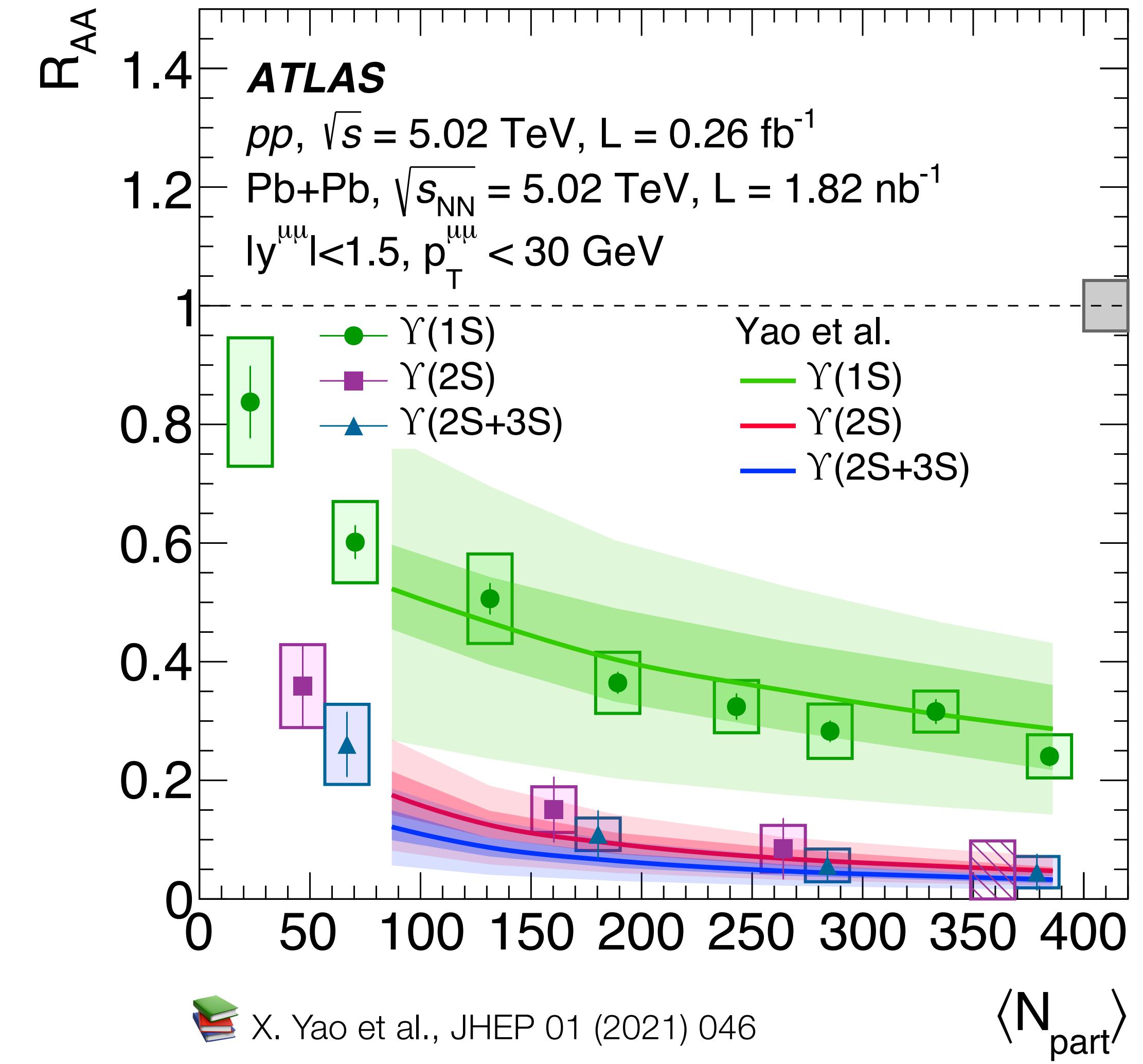
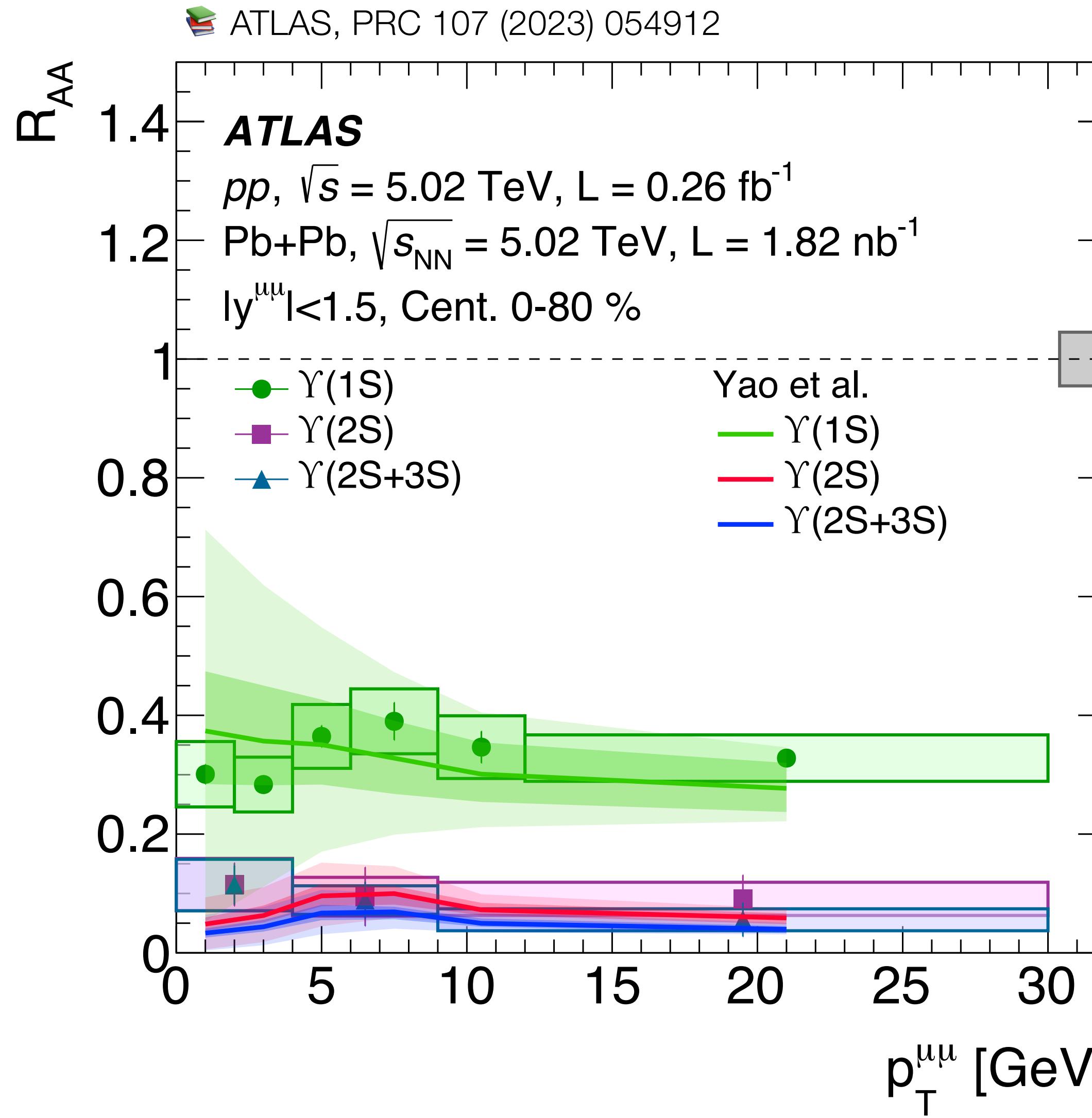


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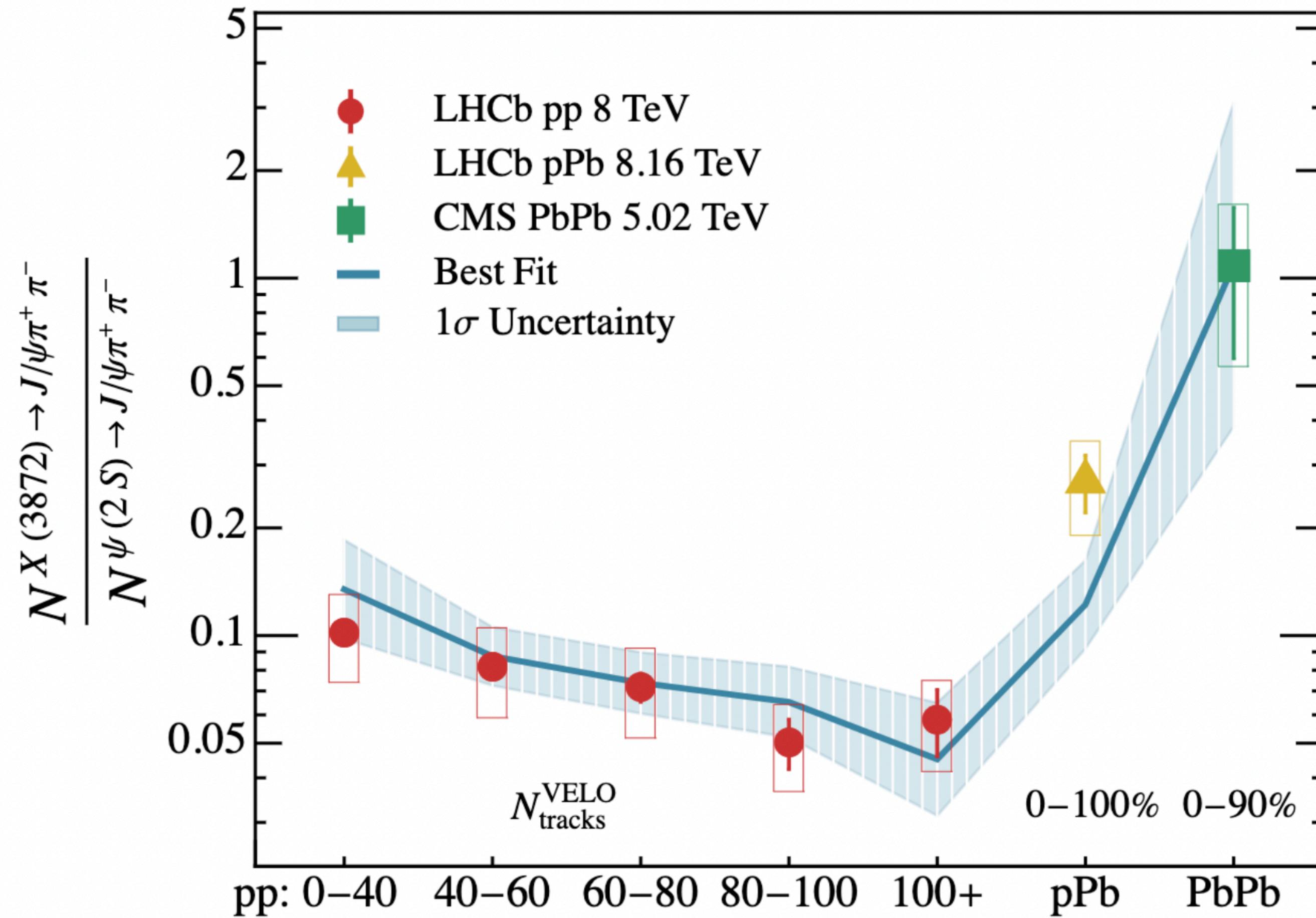
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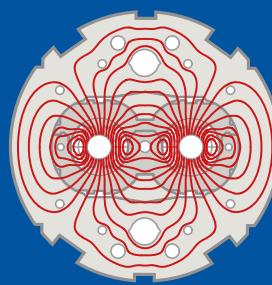
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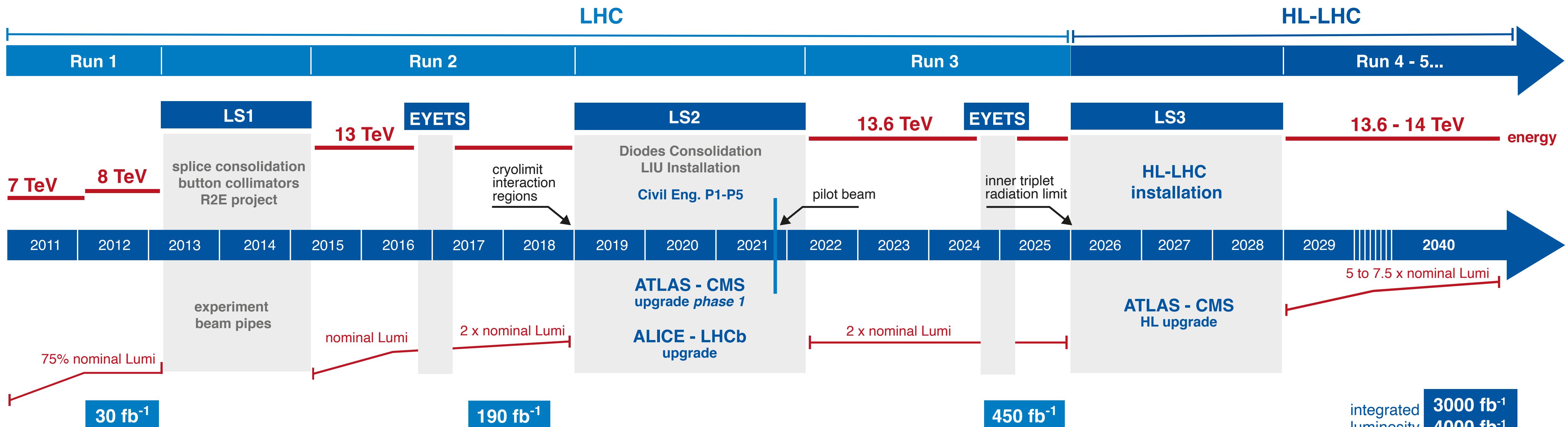
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LHC / HL-LHC Plan



HL-LHC TECHNICAL EQUIPMENT:



HL-LHC CIVIL ENGINEERING:



Multi-charm hadrons

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