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# Quarkonium Overview in A+A Collisions

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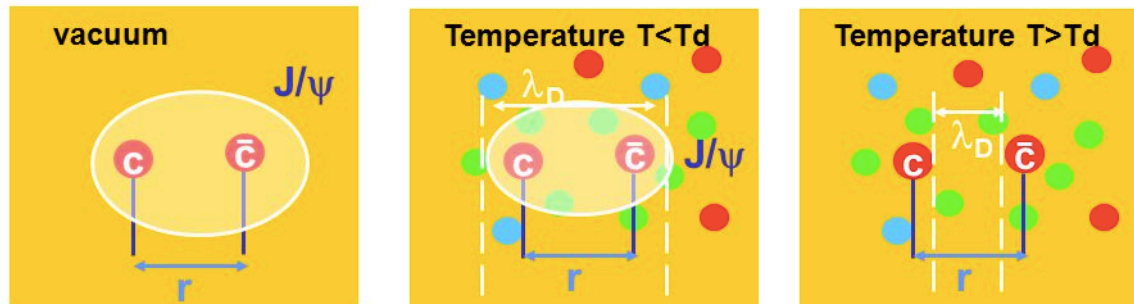
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**Precision Spectroscopy of QGP Properties with Jets and Heavy  
Quarks**

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# The Promise

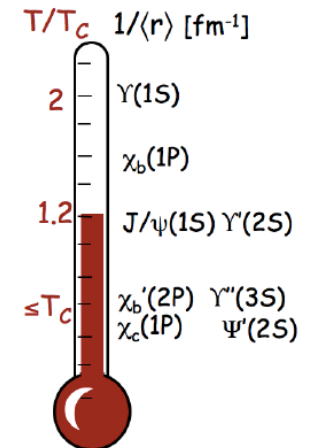
- **Evidence of deconfinement:** quark-antiquark potential is color-screened by surrounding partons  $\rightarrow$  *dissociation*
  - $J/\psi$  suppression was proposed as a direct proof of QGP formation

*T. Matsui and H. Satz  
PLB 178 (1986) 416*



$$r_{q\bar{q}} \sim 1/E_{binding} > r_D \sim 1/T$$

- **Thermometer:** different quarkonium states of different binding energies dissociate at different temperatures  $\rightarrow$  *sequential melting*



*A. Mocsy EPJ C61 (2009) 705*

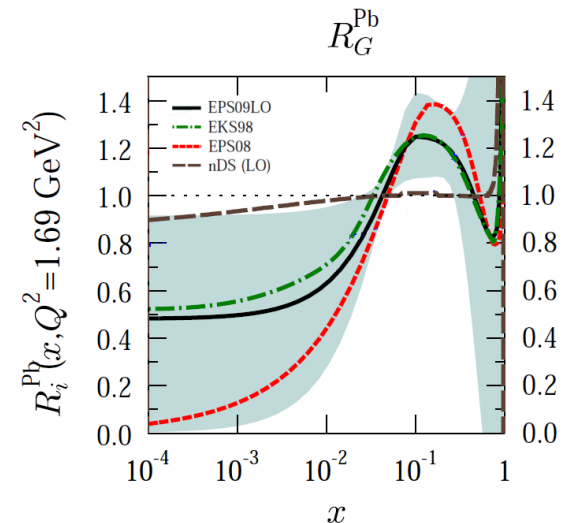
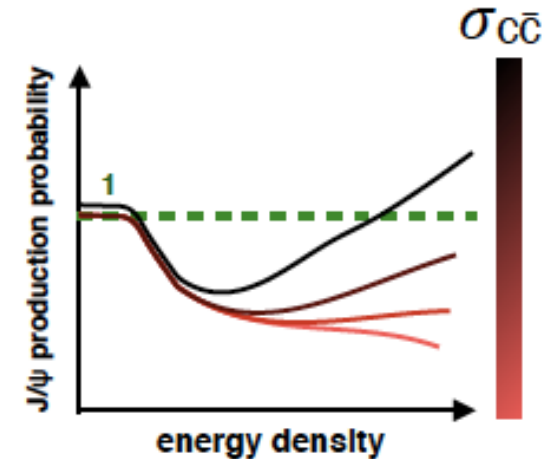
# Not So Fast

## Hot medium effects

- **Regeneration**
  - $\sim 115$  cc pairs/central event at 5 TeV
  - Much smaller effect for  $bb$
- Medium-induced energy loss
  - Color-octet states
- Formation time

## Cold nuclear matter effects (CNM)

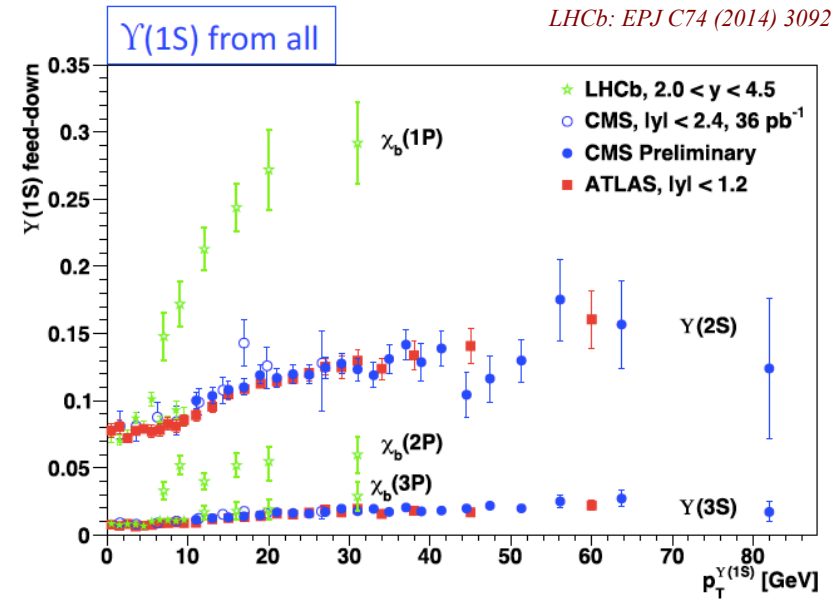
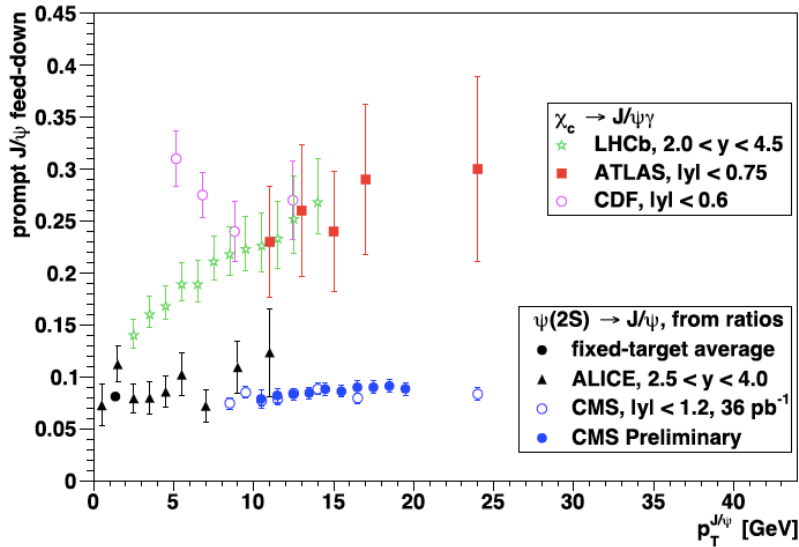
- Nuclear PDF: shadowing/anti-shadowing
- Coherent energy loss
- Nuclear absorption
- Interact with co-movers



*E.G. Ferreira PRC 81 (2010) 064911*

# And the Feed-down Contribution

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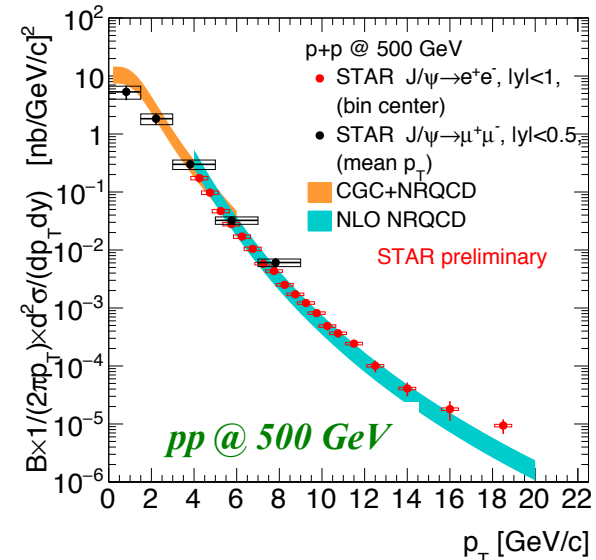
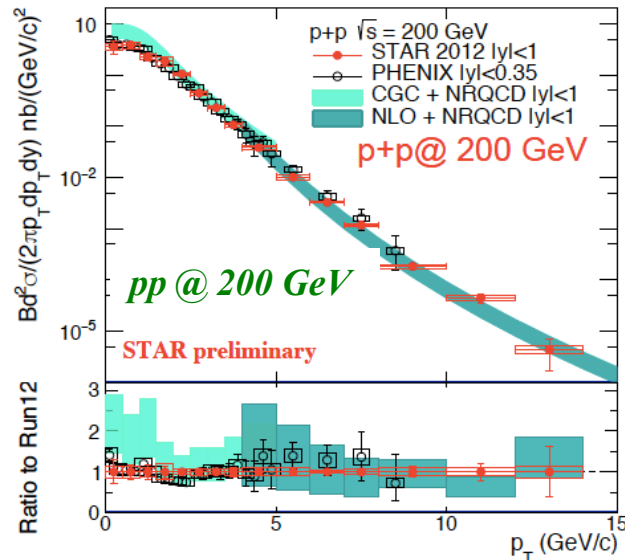
LHCb: EPJ C74 (2014) 3092

J/ $\psi$ feed-down	
$\chi_c$	10-30% (vs. $p_T$ )
$\psi(2S)$	$\sim 8\%$
B-hadron	0-50% (vs. $p_T, \sqrt{s}$ )

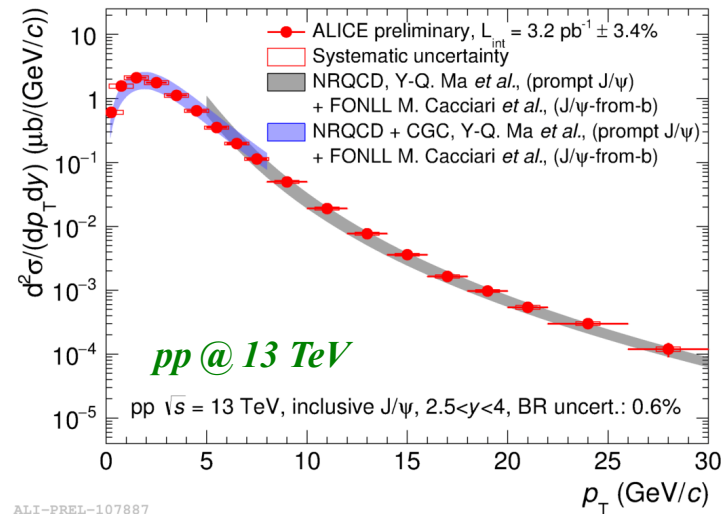
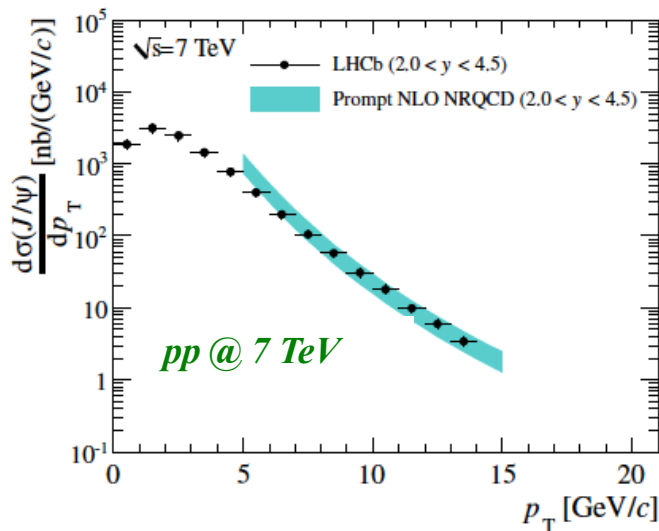
$\Upsilon(1S)$ feed-down	
$\chi_b(1P)$	10-30% (vs. $p_T$ )
$\chi_b(2P+3P)$	5%+1%
$Y(2S+3S)$	8-13%+1%

**pp Collisions**  
pA/dA Collisions  
AA Collisions

# $J/\psi$ Cross-section in $pp$ Collisions



*Y. Ma, et al,*  
*PRL 106 (2011) 042002*  
*Y. Ma, R. Venugopalan,*  
*PRL 113 (2014) 192301*  
*M. Cacciari, et al,*  
*JHEP 1210 (2012) 137*  
*LHCb:*  
*EPJ C71 (2011) 1645*



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- Good description of  $J/\psi$  cross-section in  $pp$  collisions at  $\sqrt{s} = 0.2 - 13 \text{ TeV}$

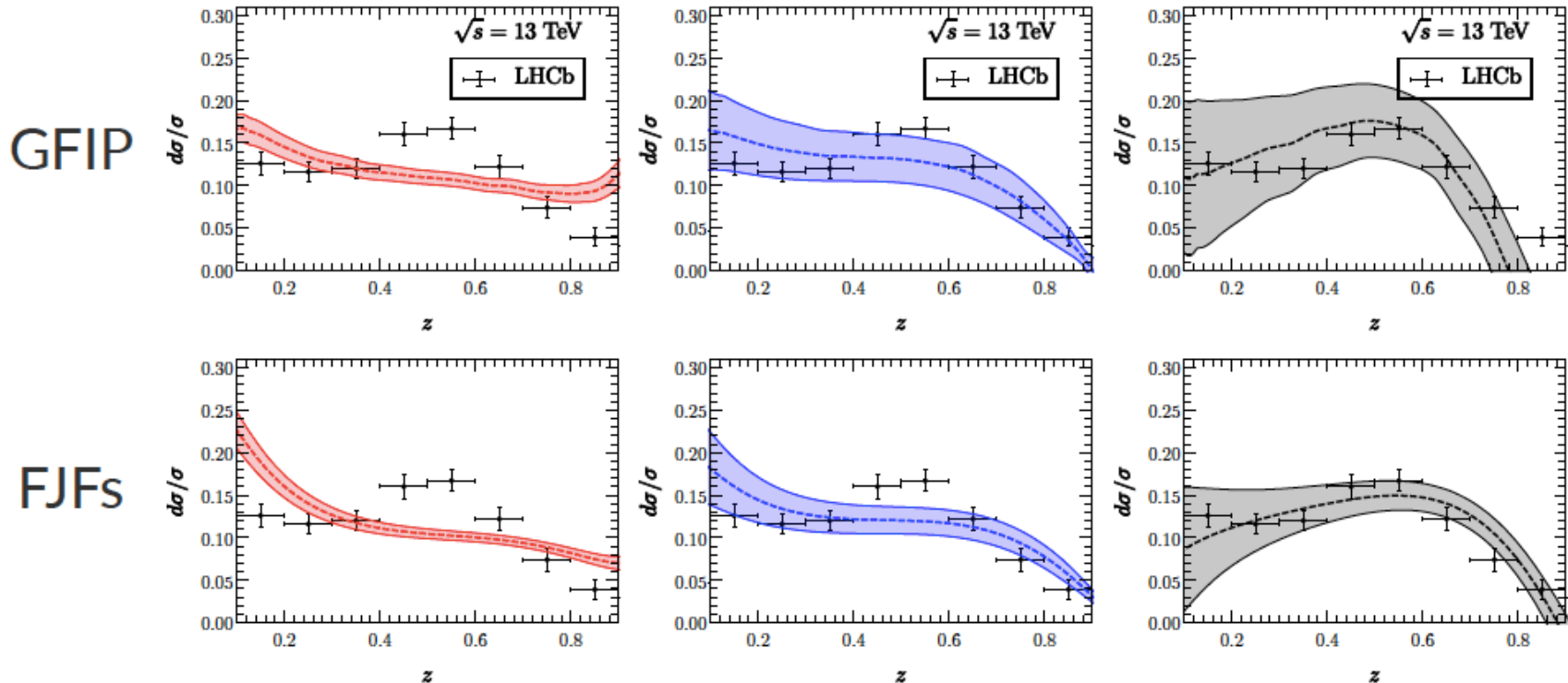
# $J/\psi$ in Jets

*M. Butenschoen, B. Kniehl  
PRD 84 (2011) 051501  
G. Bodwin, et al, PRL 113 (2014) 022001  
K. Chao, et al, PRL 108 (2012) 242004  
LHCb: arXiv: 1701.05116*

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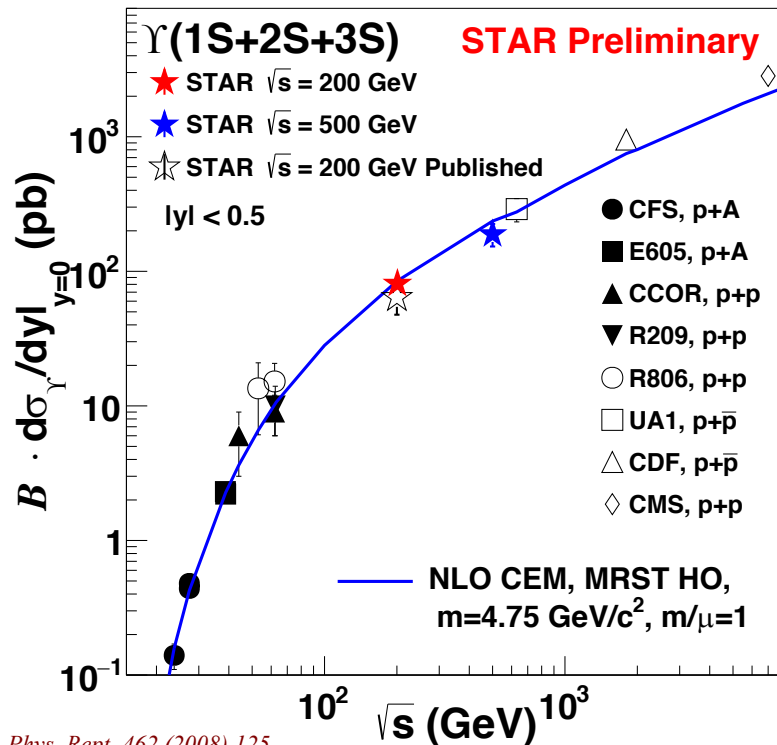
Global Fits + fixed order    High  $p_T$  + leading power

Simultaneous fit  
to high  $p_T$  &  $\lambda_\theta$

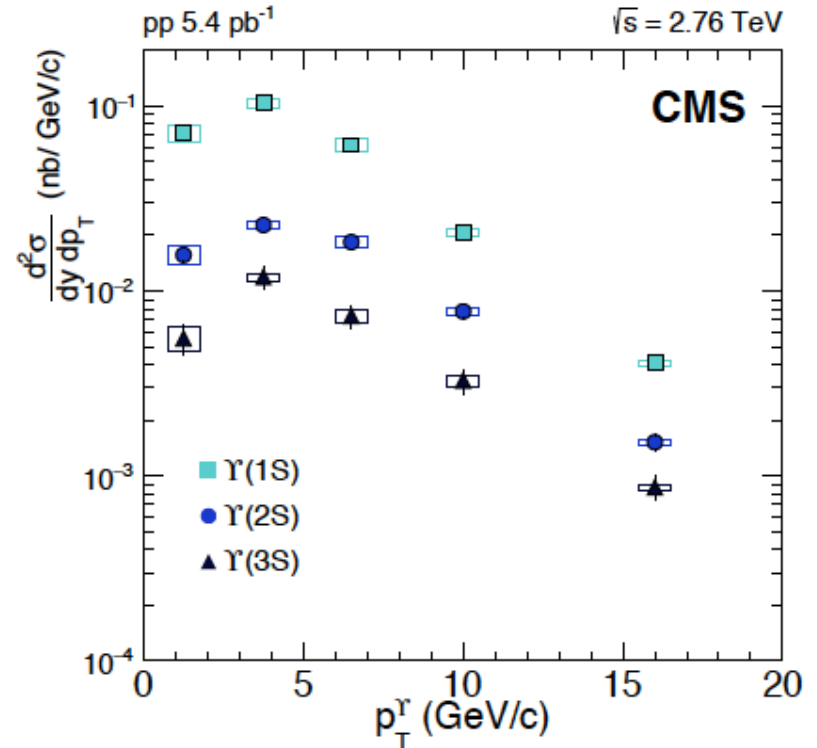


- Different LDME sets generate vastly different shapes.
- Looks like low  $p_T$  cross-section favor one set, while high  $p_T$  cross-section, polarization and jet fragmentation favor another. Hmmm ....

# $\Upsilon$ Measurements in $pp$ Collisions



R. Vogt, Phys. Rept. 462 (2008) 125



CMS: arXiv:1611.01510

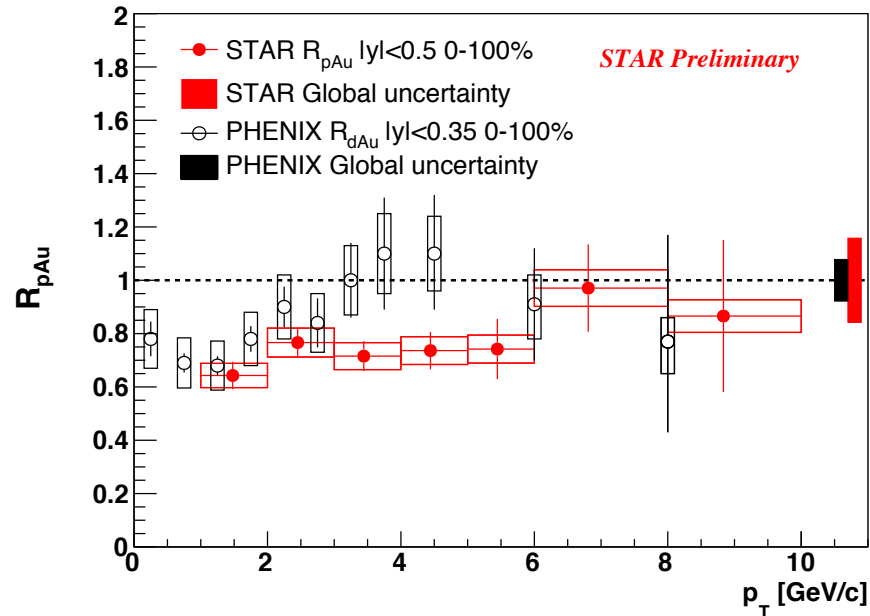
- STAR: new cross-sections at 200 and 500 GeV  $\rightarrow$  follow world-wide data trend predicted by CEM
- CMS: differential cross-section at 2.76 TeV for three states  $\rightarrow$  precision measurements



pp Collisions  
**pA/dA Collisions**  
AA Collisions

# $J/\psi$ Production in pA at 0.2 TeV

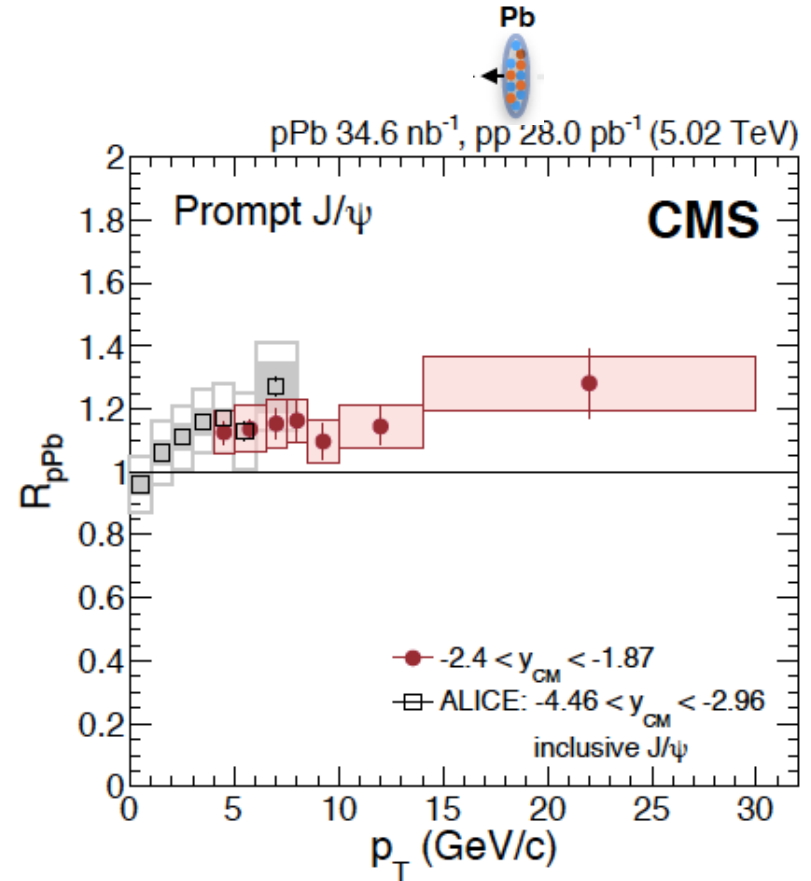
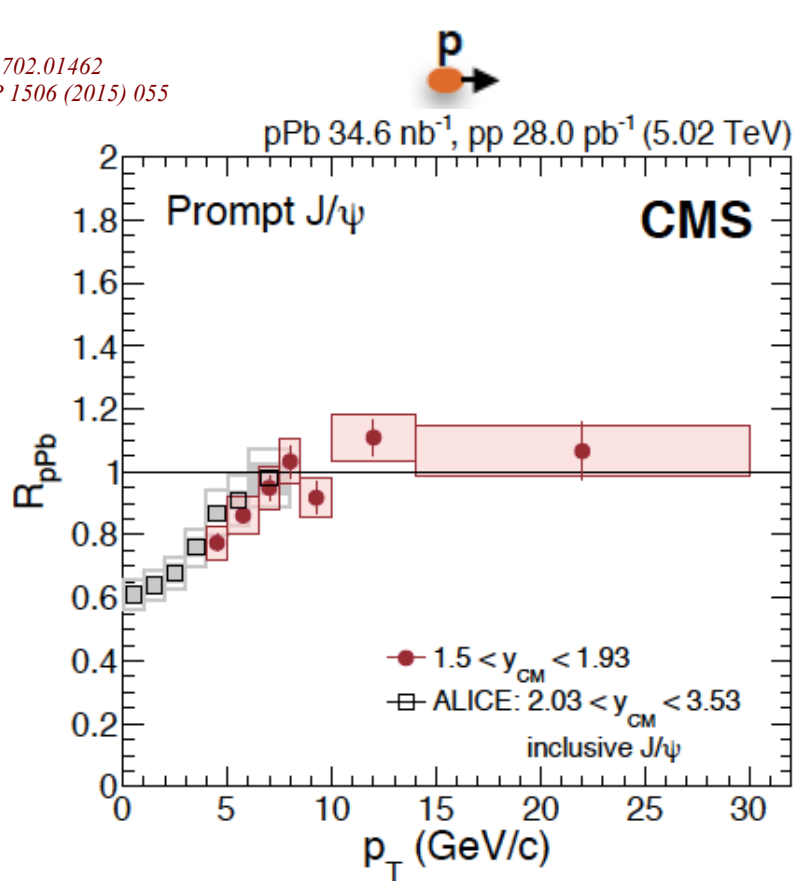
PHENIX, PRC 87 (2012) 034903



- $R_{pAu} \sim 0.65$  at 1 GeV/c and rises to 1 at high  $p_T$
- $R_{pAu} \sim R_{dAu}$  within uncertainties
  - There is tension at 3.5 – 5 GeV/c ( $1.4\sigma$ )

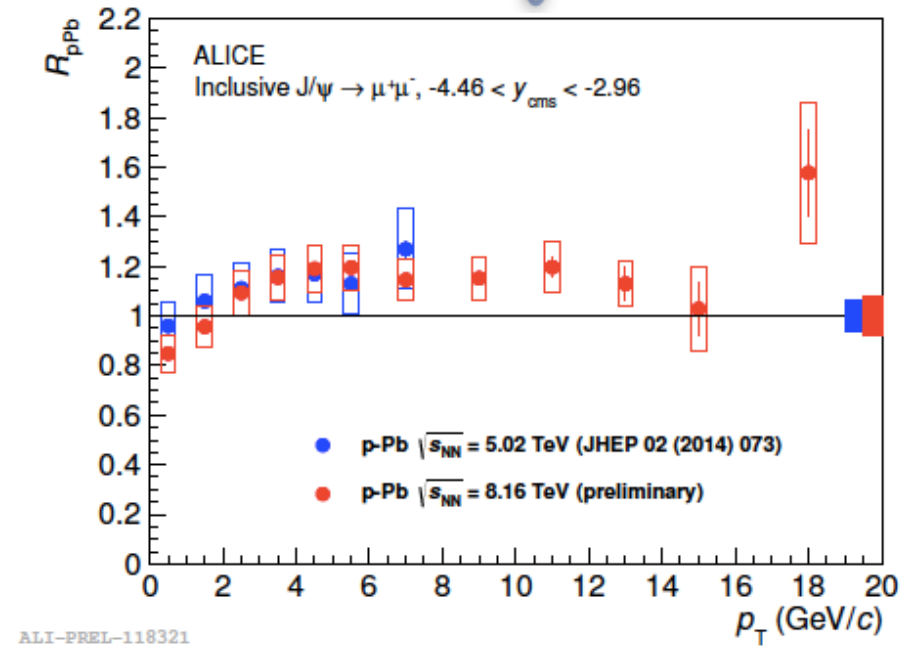
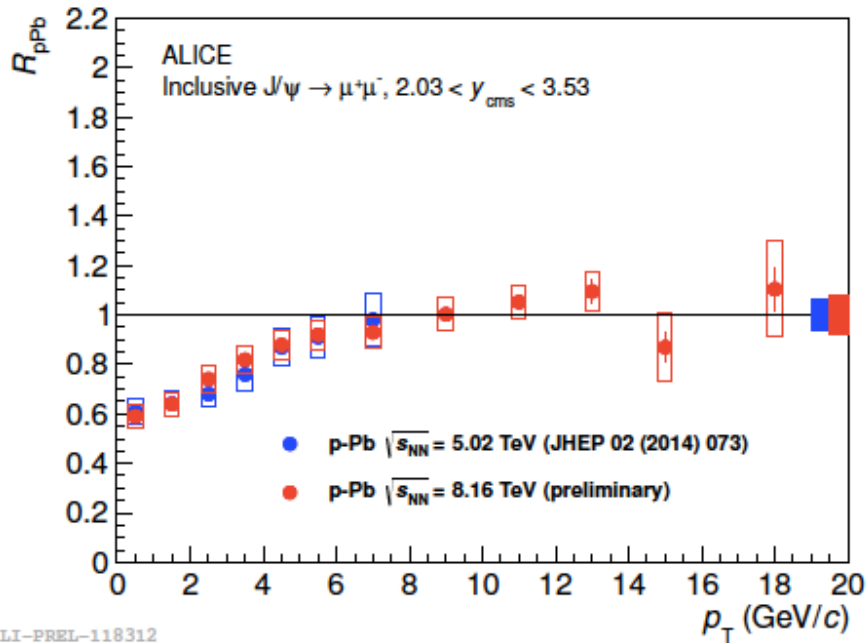
# $J/\psi$ Production in pA at 5.02 TeV

CMS: arXiv:1702.01462  
ALICE: JHEP 1506 (2015) 055



- Forward rapidity: up to 40% suppression at low  $p_T$
- Backward rapidity: about 10-20% enhancement

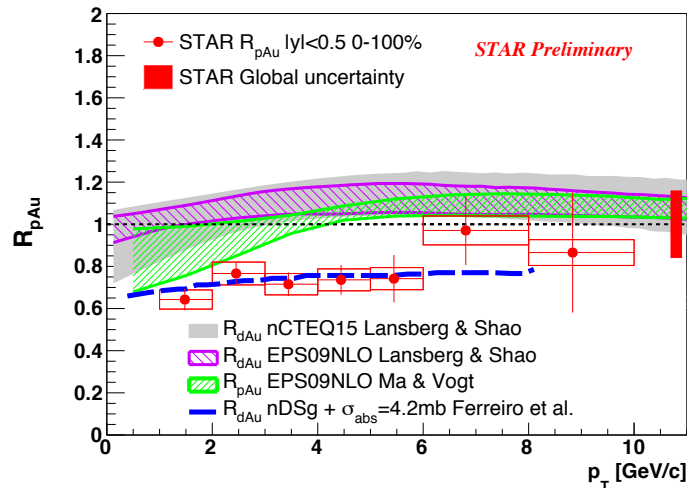
# $J/\psi$ Production in pA at 8.16 TeV



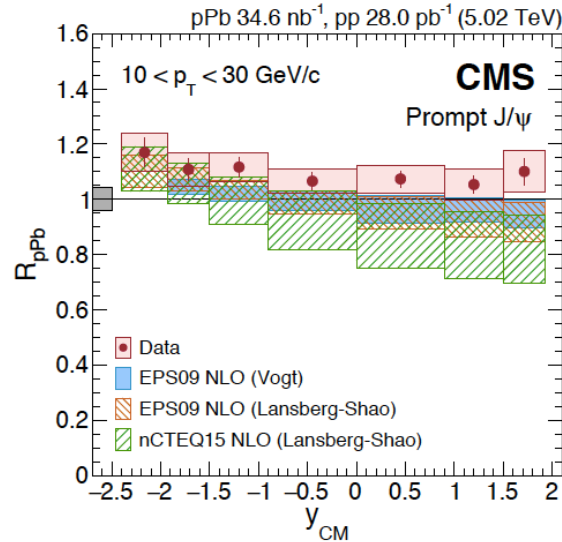
- Almost identical between 5.02 and 8.16 TeV.
- Saturation of CNM?

# Model Prediction of $J/\psi$ CNM

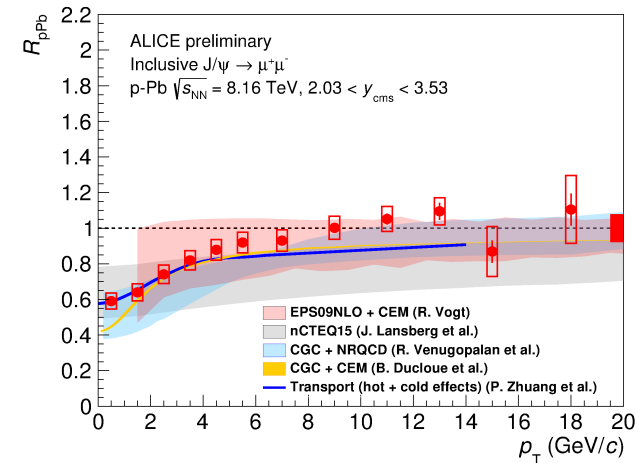
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$\sqrt{s} = 5.02$  TeV



$\sqrt{s} = 8.16$  TeV



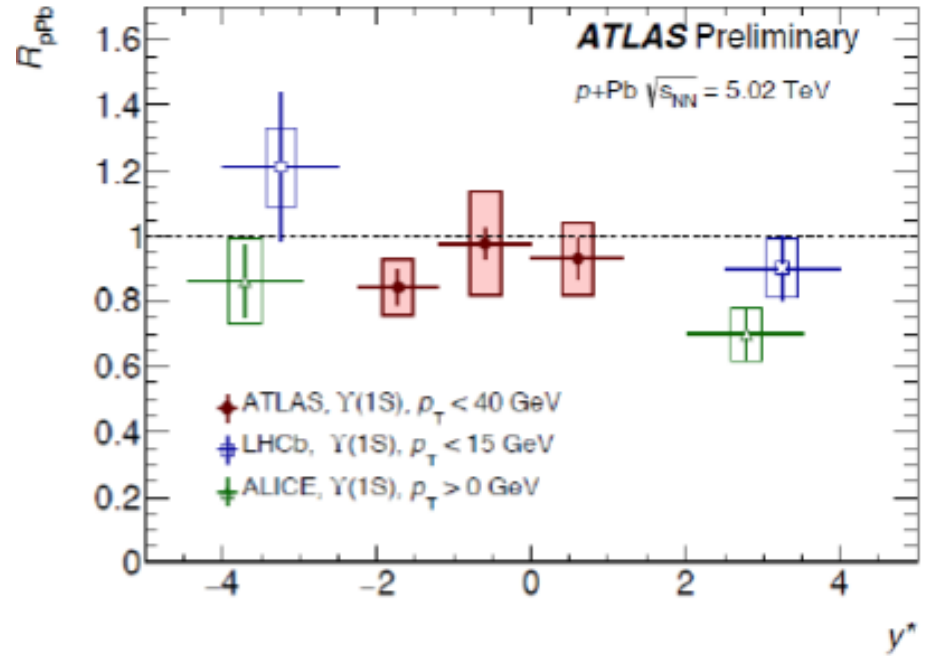
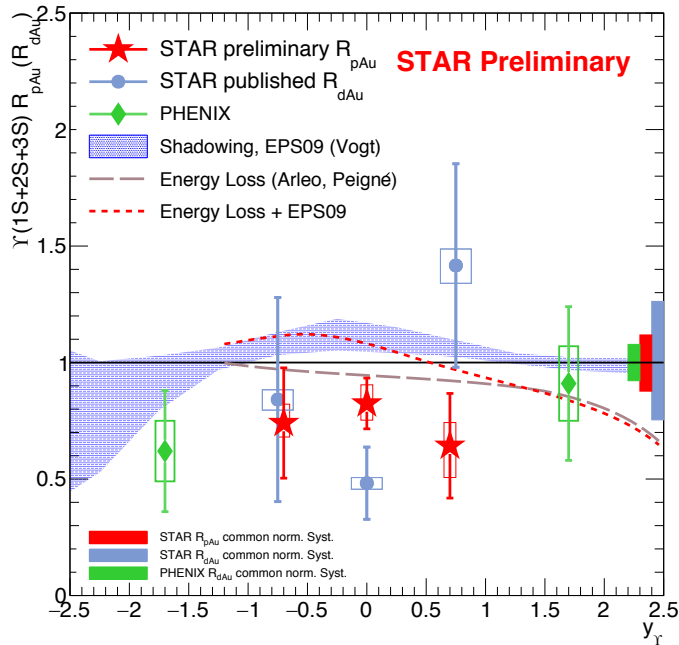
*nCTEQ, EPS09+NLO: Lansberg Shao,  
Eur.Phys.J. C77 (2017) no.1, 1  
Comp. Phys. Comm. 198 (2016) 238-259  
Comp. Phys. Comm. 184 (2013) 2562-2570  
CMS: arXiv:1702.01462*

- nPDF effect alone does a good job at LHC energies
  - At 5.02 TeV, data above model at high  $p_T$  and forward rapidity
  - At 0.2 TeV, additional suppression, such as nuclear absorption, is favored by data.
- At 8.16 TeV, other approaches (CGC, Transport model, etc) also agree well with data.

R. Vogt, et. al, PoS ConfinementX 203 (2012)  
 F. Arleo, S. Peigne, JHEP 1303 (2013) 122  
 K. J. Eskola, et. al, JHEP 0904 (2009) 065  
 STAR: PLB 735 (2014) 127  
 PHENIX: PRC 87 (2013) 044909

# $\Upsilon R_{pA}$ vs. rapidity

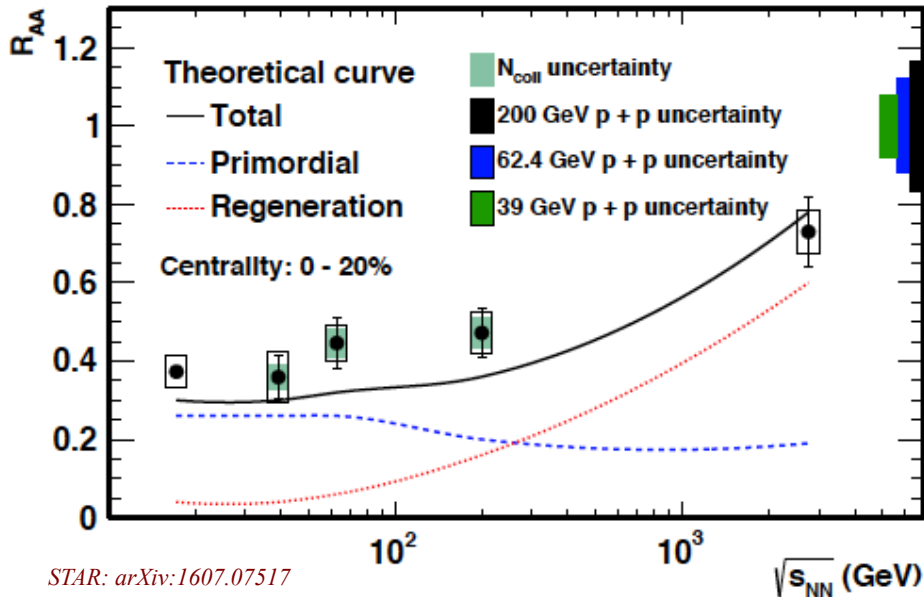
ALICE, PLB 740 (2015) 105  
 ATLAS-CONF-2015-050  
 LHCb, JHEP 07(2014)094



- RHIC:  $R_{pAu} = 0.82 \pm 0.10(\text{stat}) \pm 0.08(\text{syst}) \pm 0.10(\text{global})$ 
  - Additional suppression mechanism seems needed beyond nPDF effects
- LHC:  $R_{pPb} \sim 1$  with weak rapidity dependence  $\rightarrow$  Need to improve precision

pp Collisions  
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**AA Collisions**

# “Dissociation + Regeneration” Picture



- Pretty successfully in describing the  $J/\psi$  production over a vast range of collision energy.

- More differential measurements to test the picture

	Dissociation	Regeneration	Shadowing
$\sqrt{s}$ ↑	↑	↑	↑
$p_T$ ↑	↓	↓	↓
$y$ ↑	↓	↓	↑

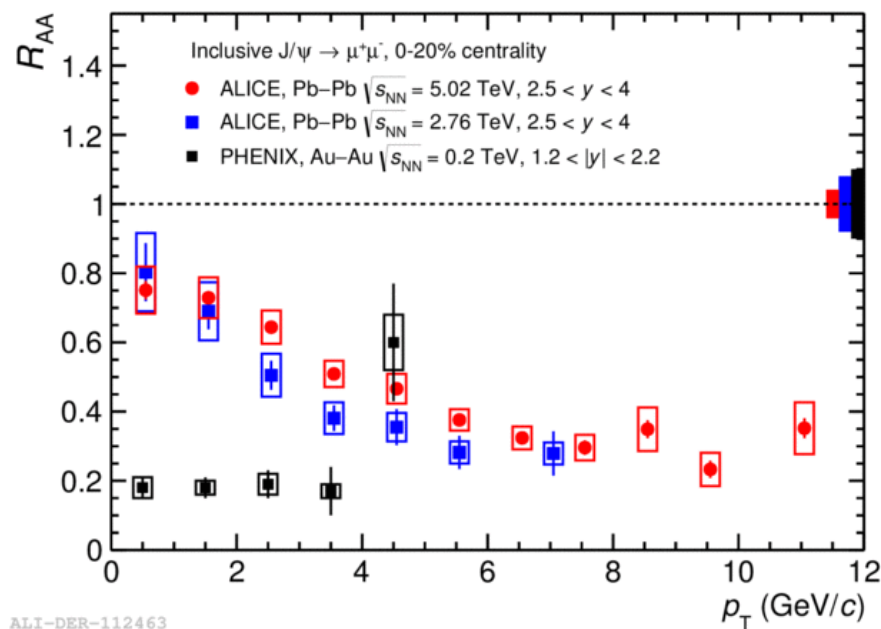
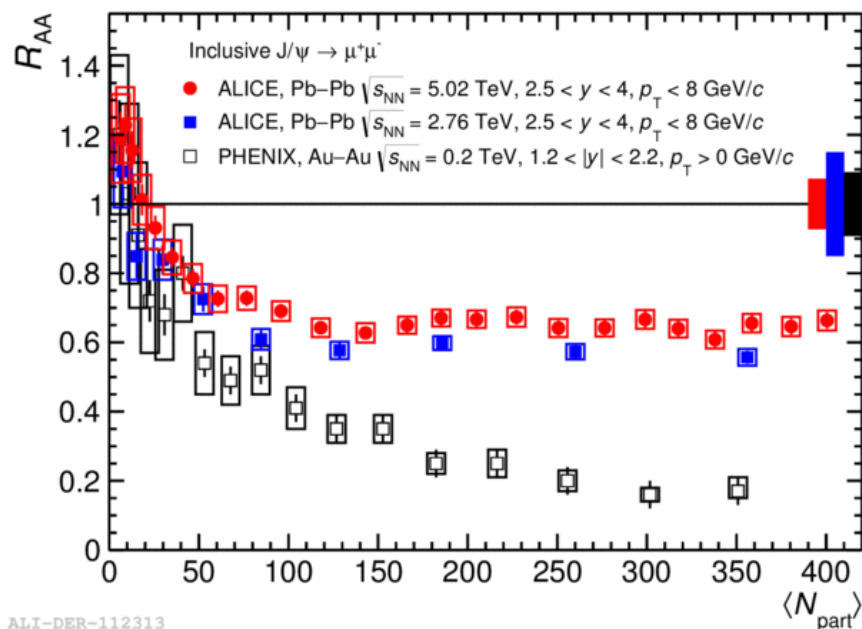


# $J/\psi$ : Low $p_T$ , Forward Rapidity

PHENIX: PRC 84 (2011) 054912

ALICE: PLB 734 (2014) 314

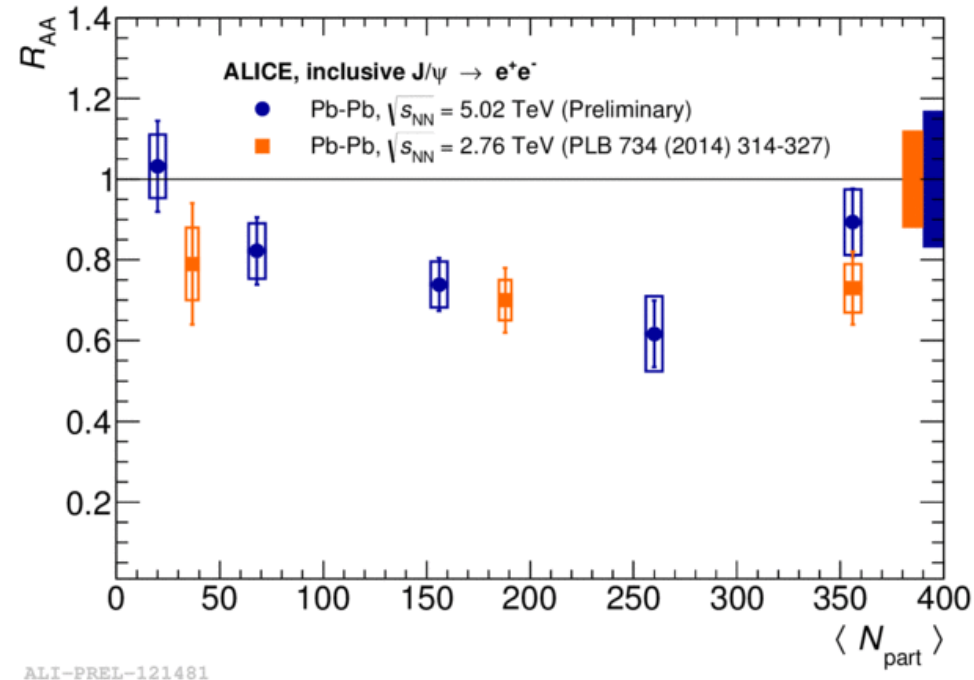
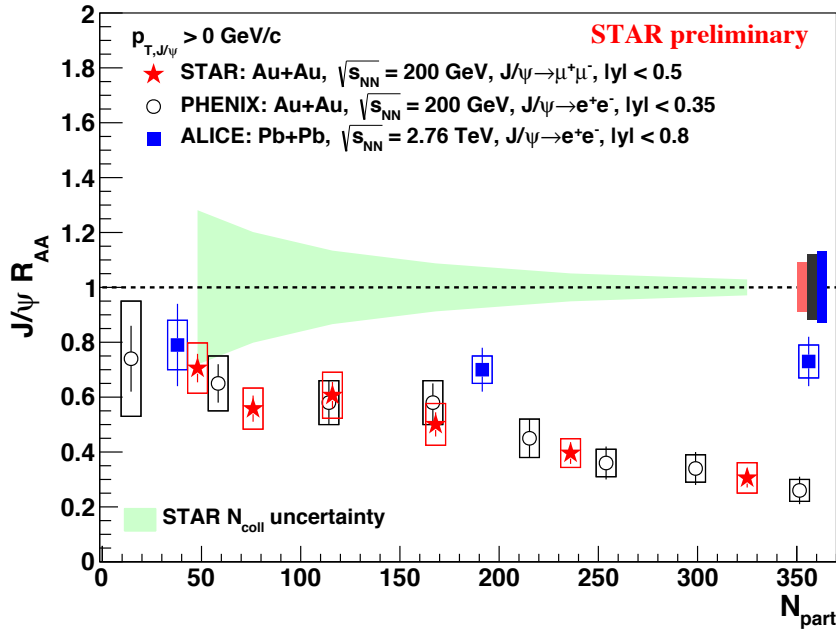
ALICE: PLB 766 (2017) 212



- At LHC,  $R_{AA}$  increases significantly as  $p_T$  decreases, but stays almost unchanged above  $\langle N_{part} \rangle \sim 50$
- At RHIC,  $R_{AA}$  decreases considerably toward central collisions
- For central collisions,  $R_{AA}(5.02 \text{ TeV}) \gtrsim R_{AA}(2.76 \text{ TeV}) \gg R_{AA}(0.2 \text{ TeV})$

# $J/\psi$ : Low $p_T$ , Mid-Rapidity

ALICE : PLB 734 (2014) 314  
 PHENIX : PRL 98 (2007) 232301



➤ Very similar picture as for forward rapidity

➔ RHIC: dissociation outweighs regeneration

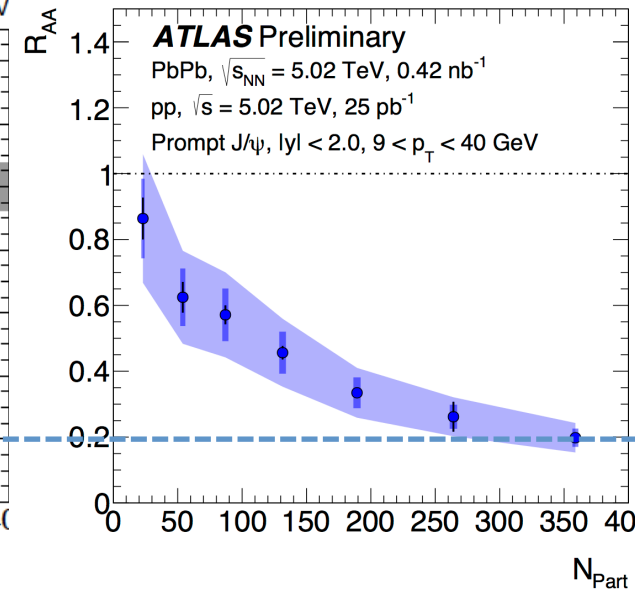
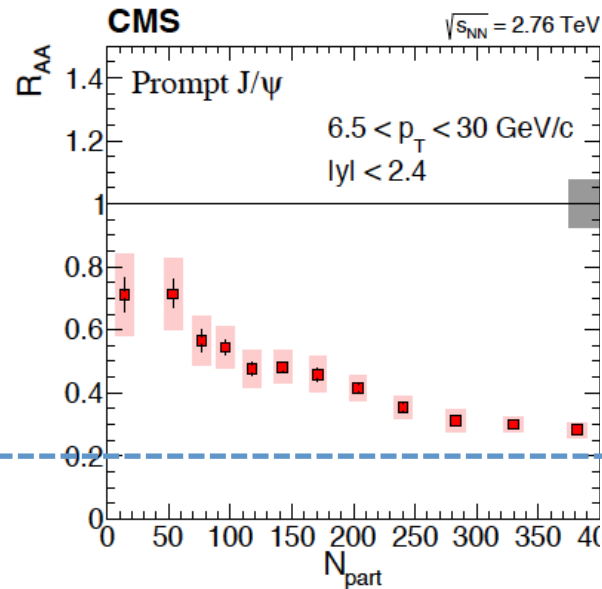
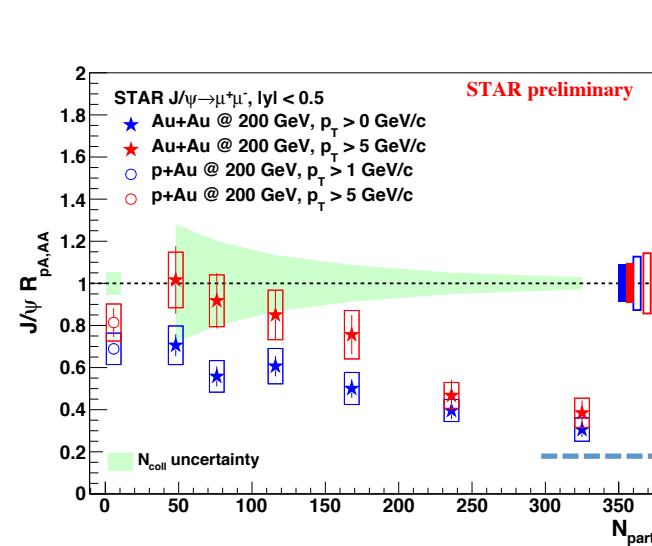
➔ LHC: regeneration dominates at low  $p_T$

# $J/\psi$ : High $p_T$ , Mid-Rapidity

$\sqrt{s} = 0.2$  TeV

$\sqrt{s} = 2.76$  TeV

$\sqrt{s} = 5.02$  TeV



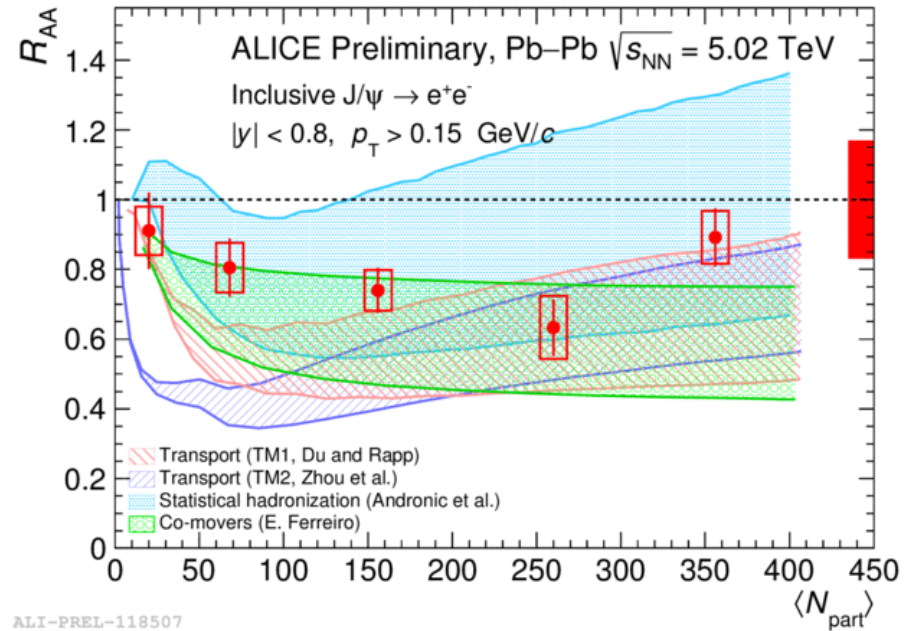
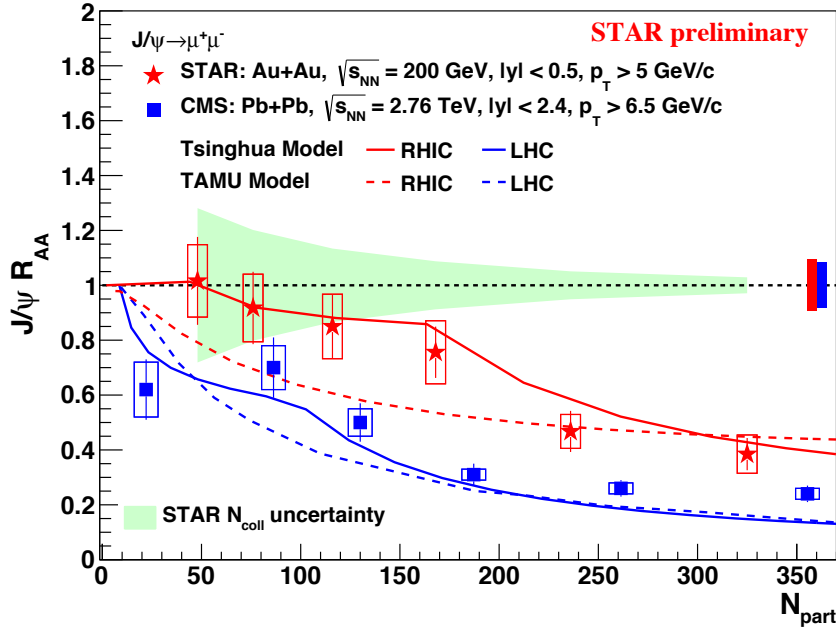
- Unlike low  $p_T$ 
  - Decreasing  $R_{AA}$  towards central collisions in all collision energies
  - $R_{AA}(5.02 \text{ TeV}) < \sim R_{AA}(2.76 \text{ TeV}) < \sim R_{AA}(0.2 \text{ TeV})$

➔ Dissociation in effect

CMS: arXiv:1610.00013  
ATLAS-CONF-2016-109

# Model Comparison

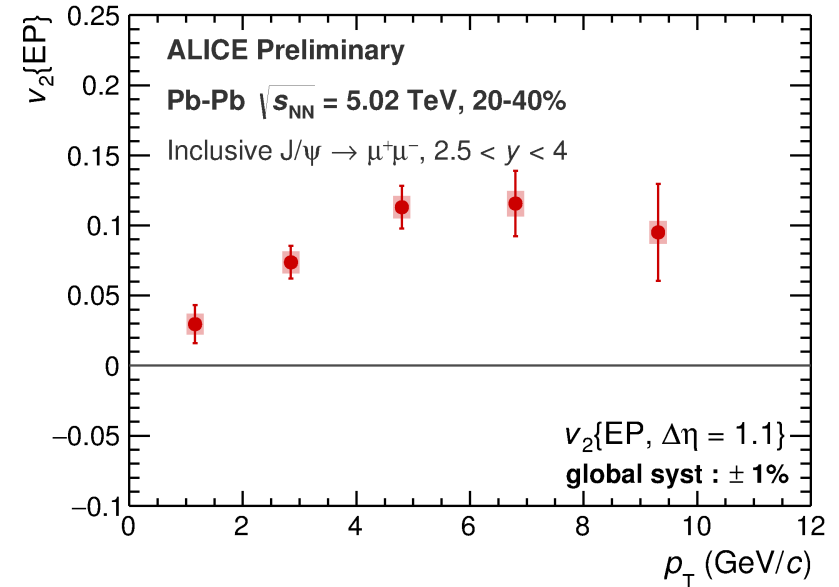
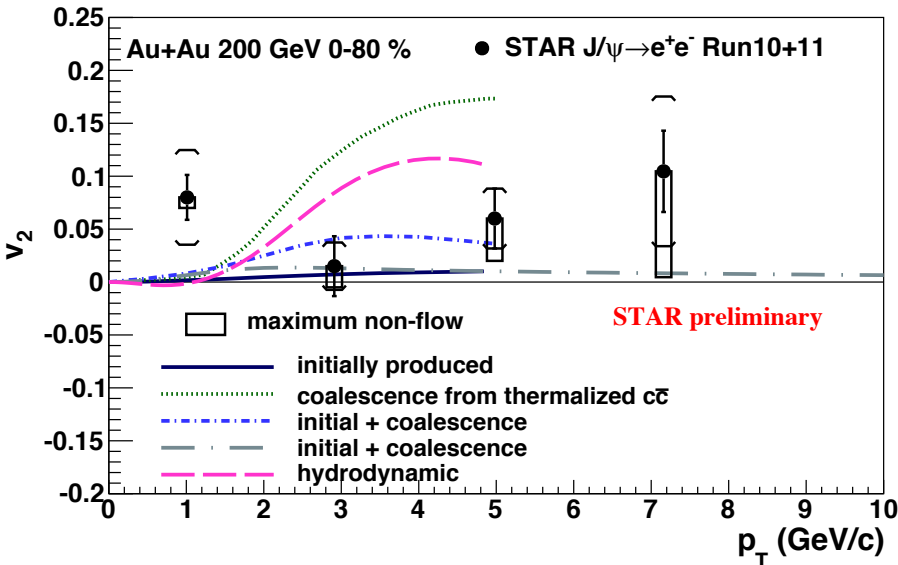
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 P. Braun-Munzinger, J. Stachel: PLB 490 (2000) 196, PLB 652 (2007) 659  
 E.G. Ferreiro, PLB 731 (2014) 57



- Different models, e.g. transport models, Statistical Hadronization, Co-movers, implement suppression and recombination differently. Can qualitatively describe data.
- However, the used charm quark cross-section differ by almost a factor of 2 between different models → **need experimental commitment**

# An Independent Handle: $v_2$

- Regenerated  $J/\psi$  should flow at both RHIC and LHC energies since charm quarks flow.

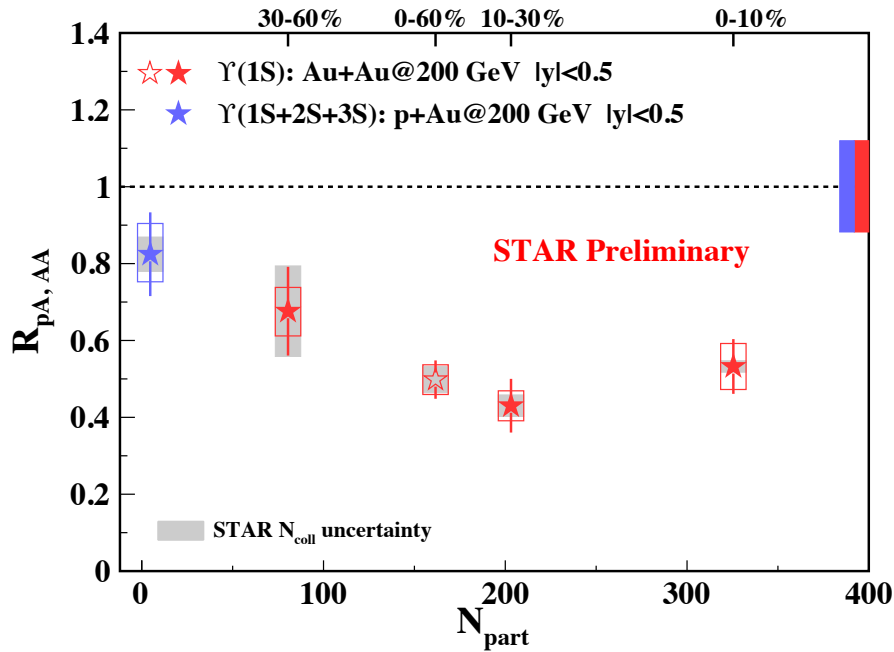


- RHIC:  $v_2$  is consistent with 0 above 2 GeV/c  $\rightarrow$  regeneration contribution is small
- LHC:  $v_2$  is definitely above 0  $\rightarrow$  regeneration is important
  - A sign of energy loss for high  $p_T$ ?

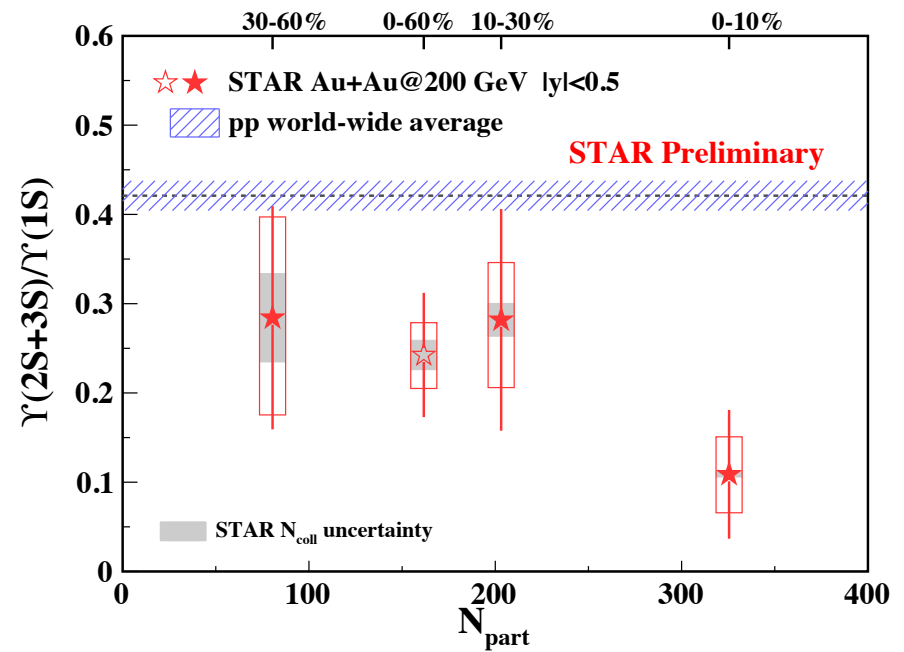
*STAR, PRL 111 (2013) 052301; L. Yan, et al, PRL 97 (2006) 232301  
 V. Greco, et al, PLB 595 (2004) 202; X. Zha, et al, arXiv: 0806.1239  
 Y. Liu, et al., NPA 834 (2010) 317  
 U.W. Heinz and C. Shen, (private communication)*

# $\Upsilon$ Suppression at RHIC

$\Upsilon(1S) R_{AA}$



$\Upsilon(2S+3S)/\Upsilon(1S)$



World-wide  $p+p$ : W. Zha, et. al, PRC 88 (2013) 067901

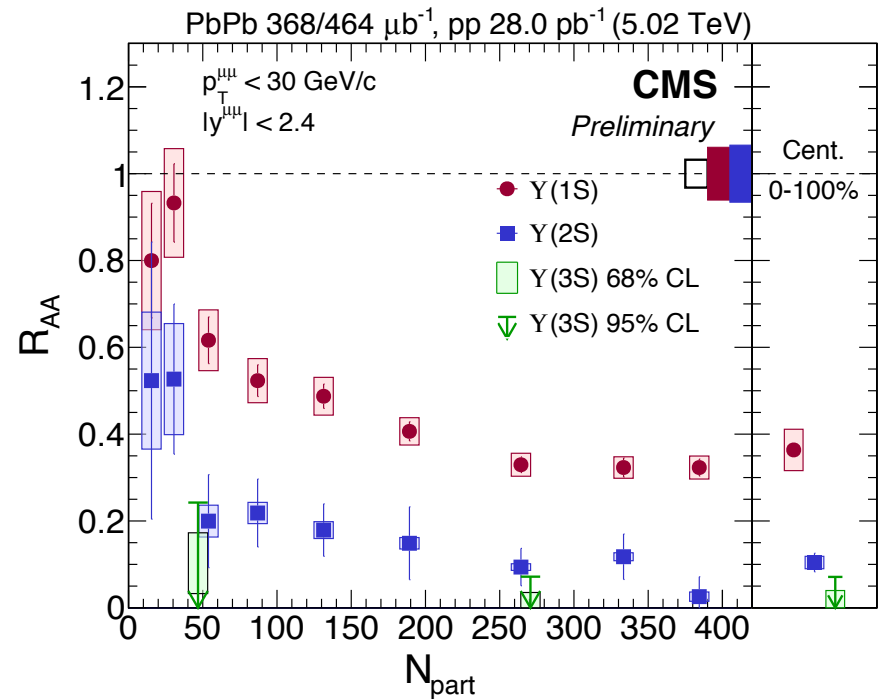
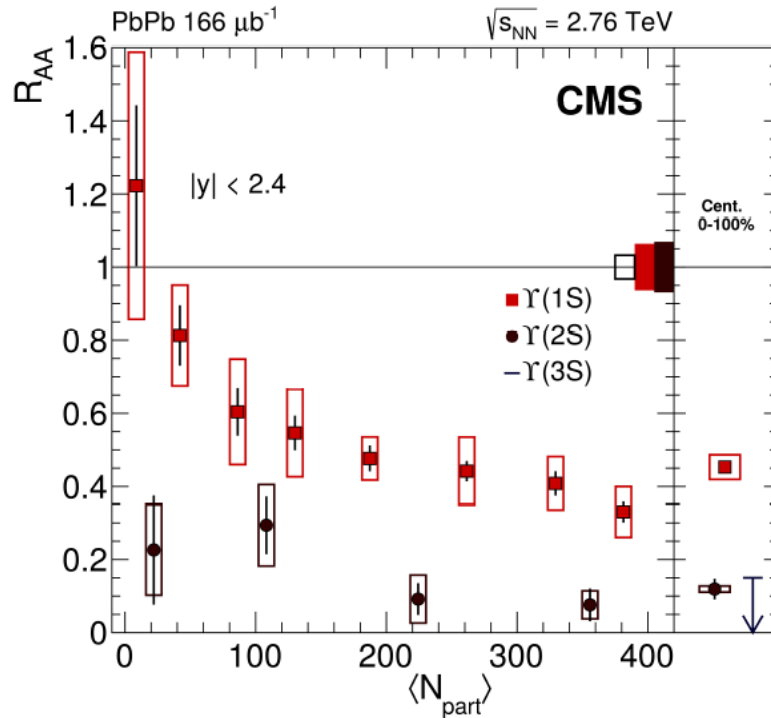
- $\Upsilon(1S) R_{AA}$  decreases towards more central collisions, and then levels up.
- Central:  $\Upsilon(2S+3S)$  is more suppressed  $\rightarrow$  sequential melting

# $\Upsilon$ Suppression at LHC

CMS PAS HIN-16-023  
CMS: arXiv:1611.01510

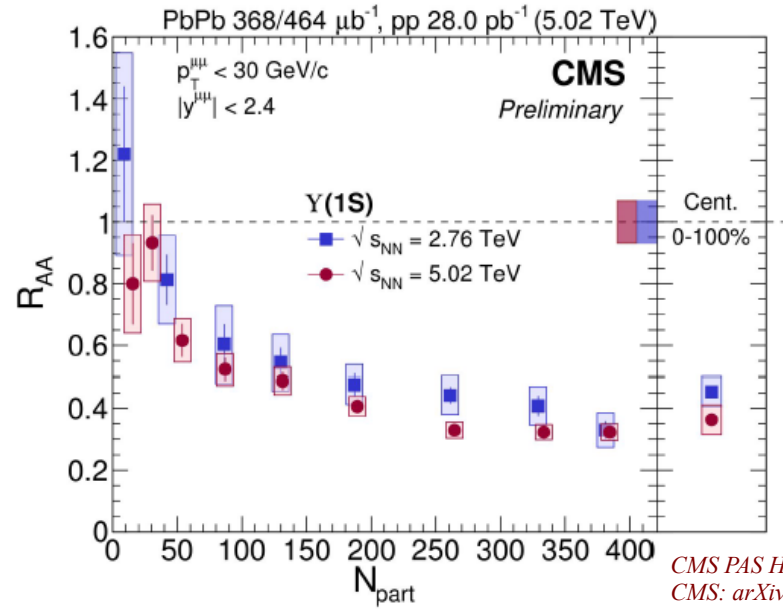
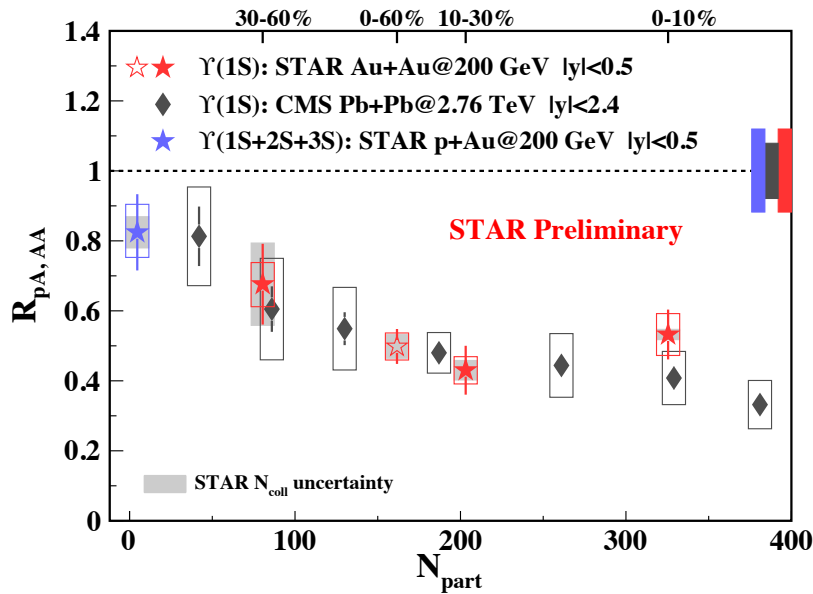
$\sqrt{s} = 2.76$  TeV

$\sqrt{s} = 5.02$  TeV



- Similar phenomena as seen at RHIC
- $\Upsilon(2S)$  and  $\Upsilon(3S)$  are measured separately  $\rightarrow$  sequential melting

# $Y(1S) R_{AA}$ vs. Collision Energy



CMS PAS HIN-16-023  
CMS: arXiv:1611.01510

- Very weak collision energy dependence. Could it be all due to the suppression of feed-down contributions? **May...be?**

**Rongrong's formula**

$$R_{AA}^{direct} = R_{AA} / 0.7 / (R_{pA})^2$$

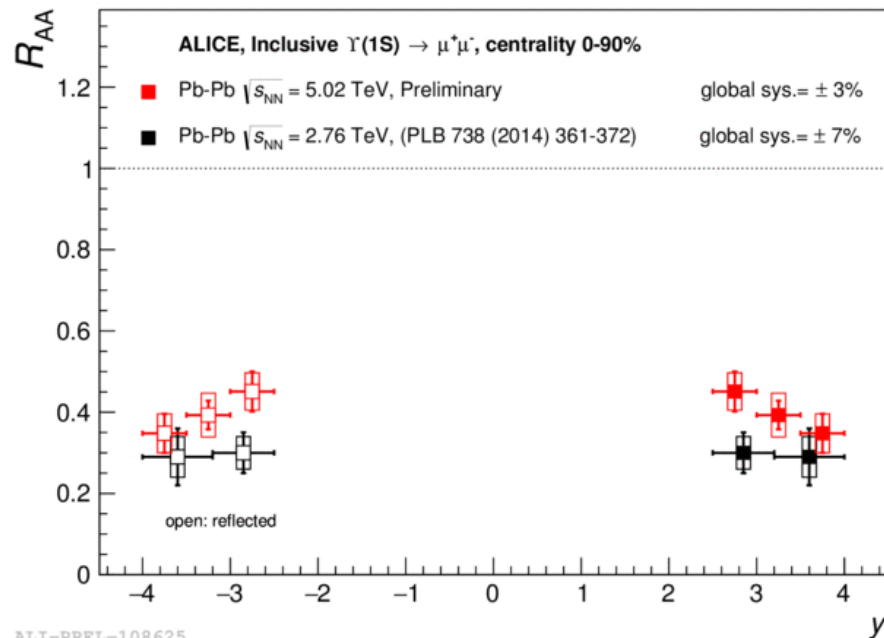
$Y(1S)$	$R_{pA}$	$R_{AA}$	$R_{AA}^{direct**}$
$\sqrt{s} = 0.2$ TeV (0-10%)	$0.82 \pm 0.16$	$0.53 \pm 0.11$	$1.13 \pm 0.39$
$\sqrt{s} = 2.76$ TeV (5-10%)	$0.9 \pm 0.1^*$	$0.41 \pm 0.09$	$0.72 \pm 0.20$

\* $R_{pPb}$  is eye-balled from 5.02 TeV measurements

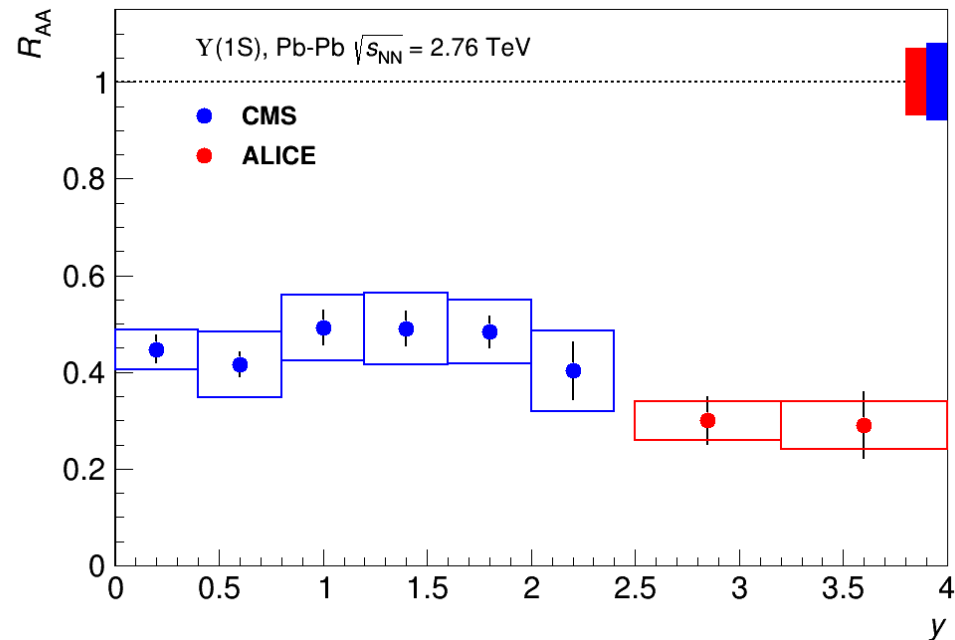


# Could it be Regeneration?

ALICE: PLB 738 (2014) 361  
CMS: arXiv:1611.01510



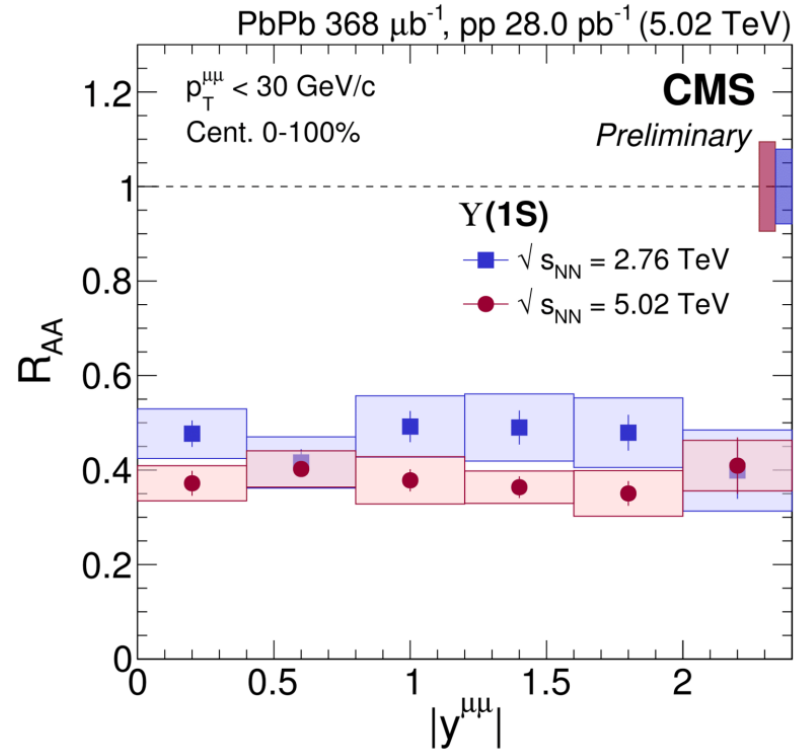
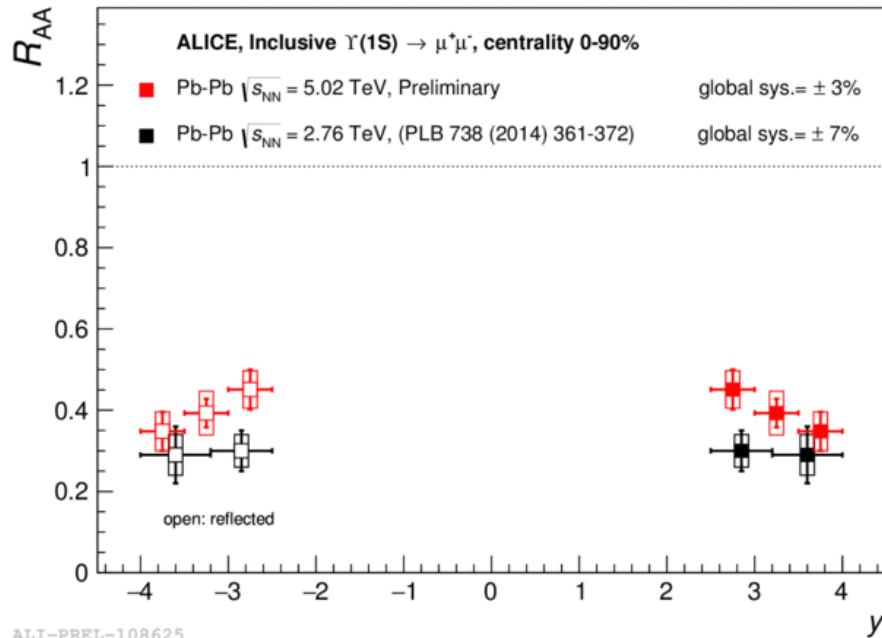
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- $\Upsilon(1S)$  looks almost like the new “J/ $\psi$ ”: larger suppression at lower collision energy and forward rapidity.
- Need to quantify the role of CNM

# However ...

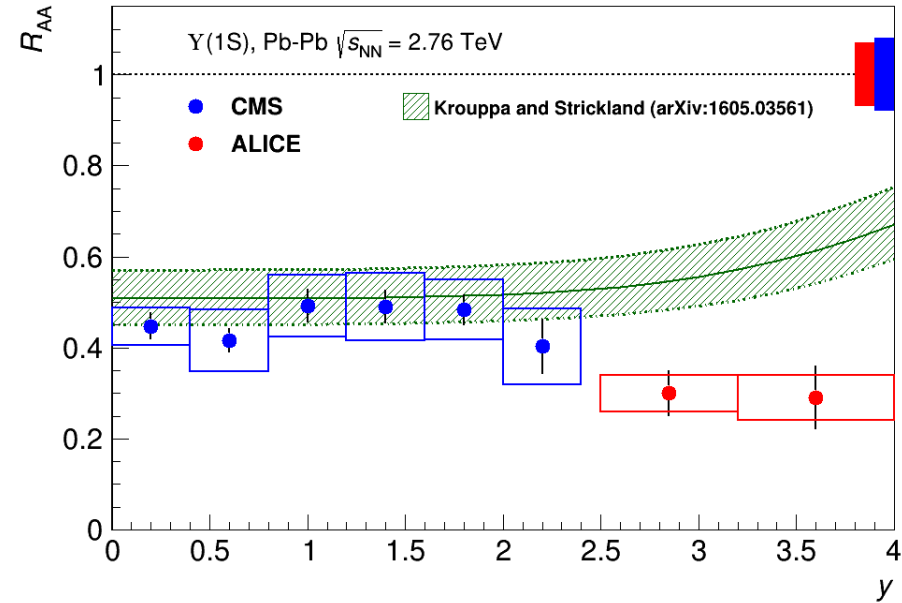
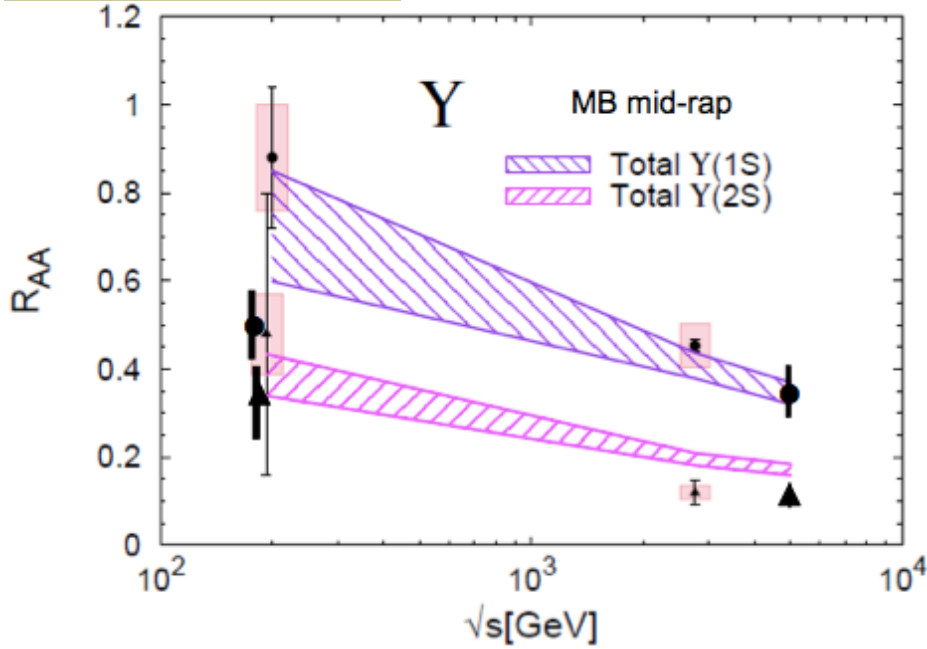
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 CMS: arXiv:1611.01510  
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- ALICE: **less** suppression at 5.02 TeV at forward-y
- CMS: **more** suppression at 5.02 TeV at mid-y
- Tension? Intriguing physics? Uncertainties? Other effects?

# What Do Models Say?

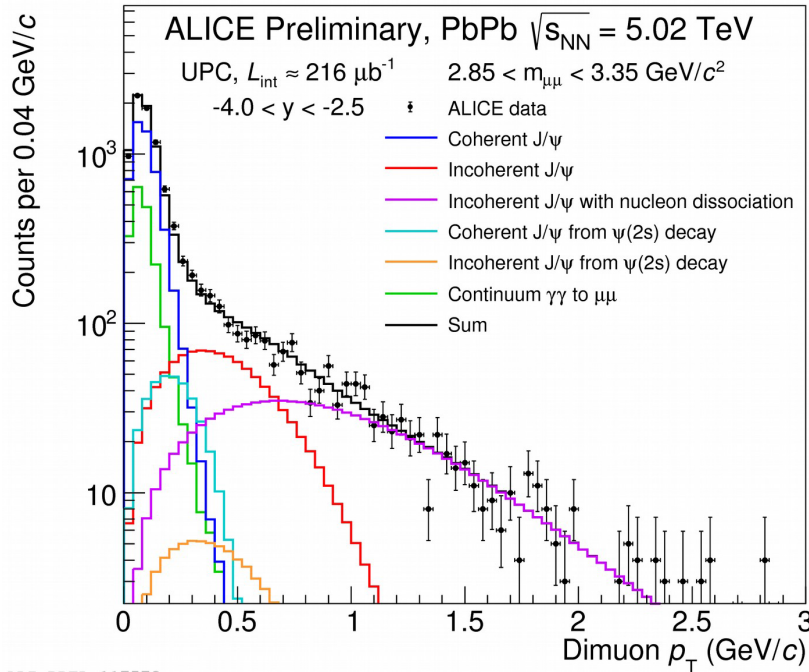
R. Rapp @ QM'17



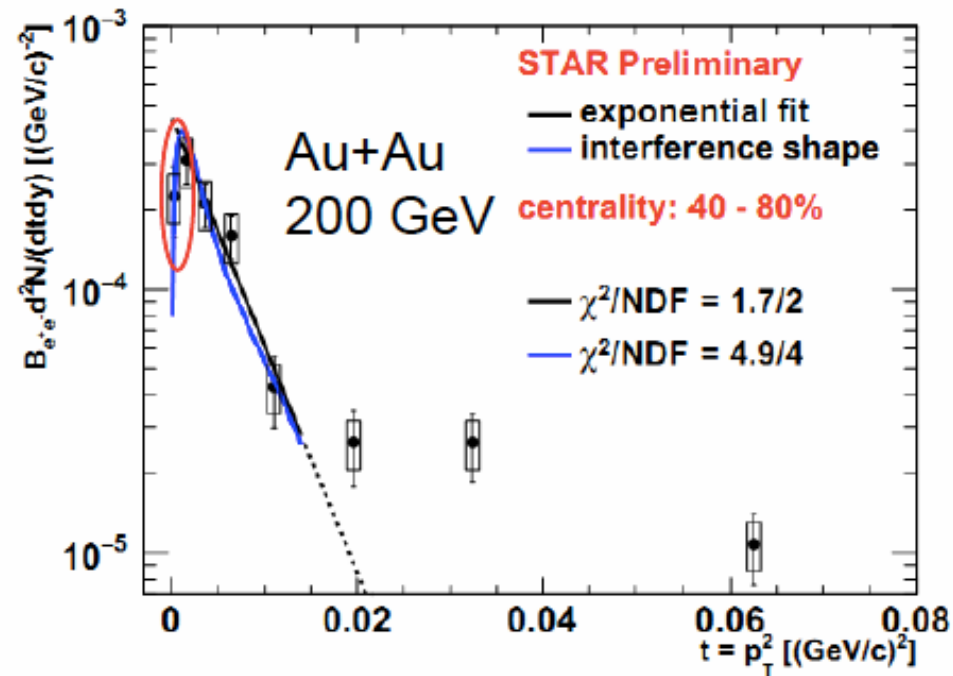
- Rapp model includes CNM and regeneration: describes  $\Upsilon(1S)$   $R_{AA}$  at RHIC and LHC fairly well, but under-estimates  $\Upsilon(2S)$  suppression
- Strickland model does not include CNM or regeneration: very successful in describing 5.02 TeV measurements, but disagrees with RHIC data and ALICE 2.76 TeV data at forward rapidity.

→ Need further theoretical development

# A Welcome Surprise: Excess of Low- $p_T$ $J/\psi$



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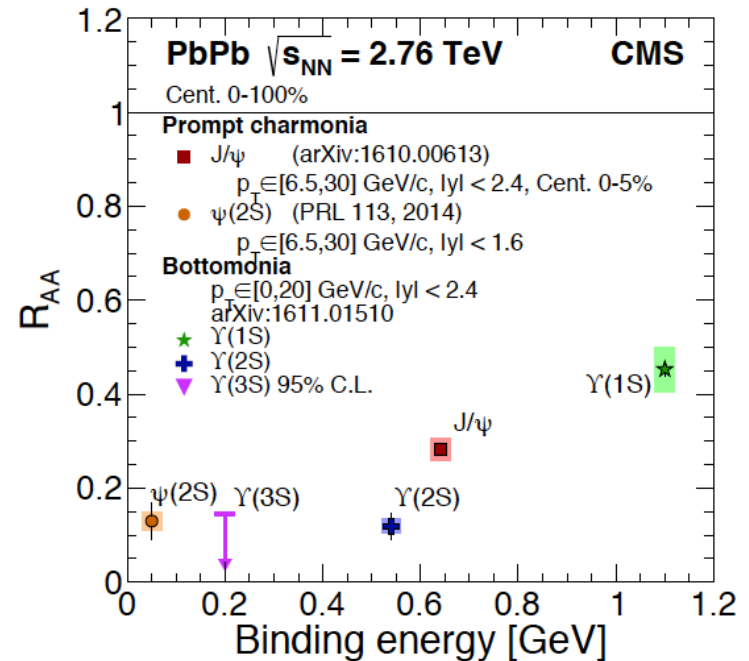
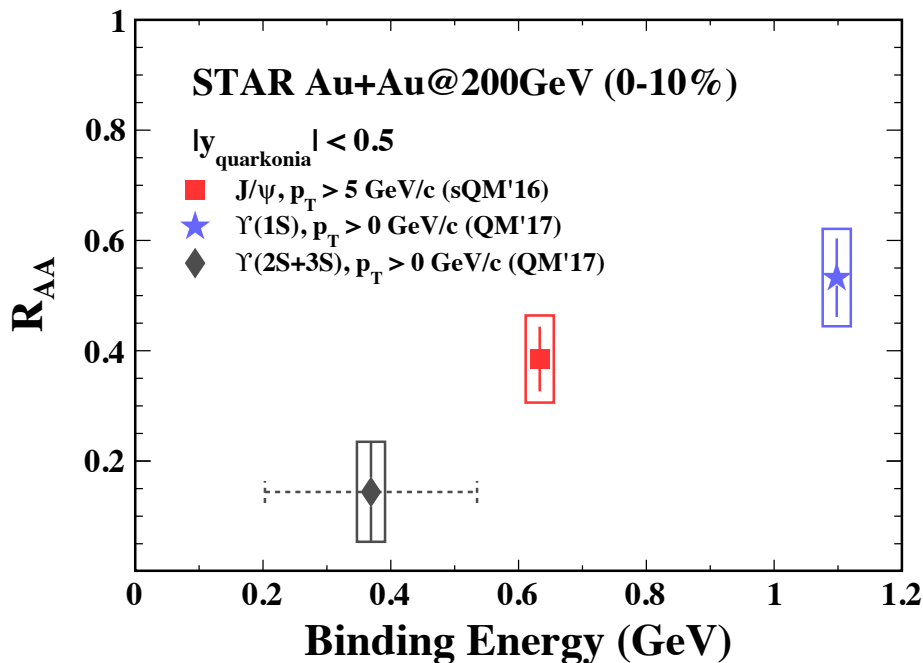


- Huge excess of  $J/\psi$  yield at low  $p_T$  in peripheral AA collisions. Exhibit characteristics of coherent photon-nuclear production.
- If under theoretical control, can be used to probe hot medium.
  - Great theoretical challenge, e.g. how the violent hadronic interaction affect the coherent process. *W. Zha, arXiv:1705.01460*

# Summary

- Have we fulfilled the initial promise?

(Cautiously optimistic) **YES**

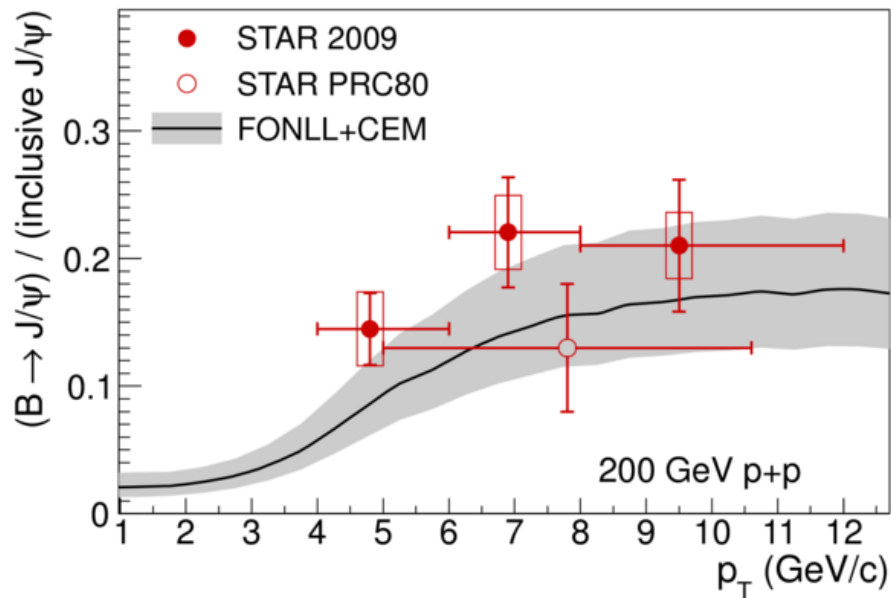


- Other effects (CNM, regeneration, etc) also play important roles.
- The “cloud”: do we understand quarkonium production in pp?

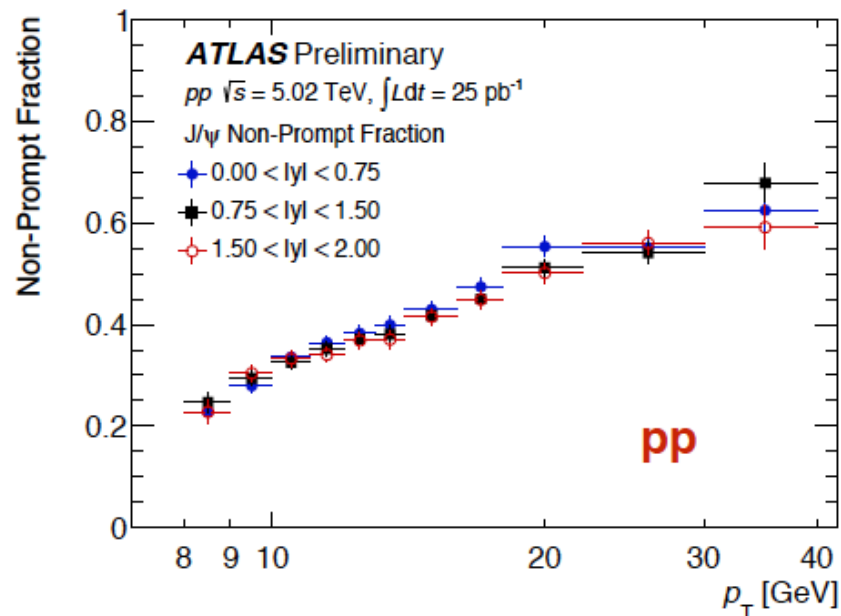
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# Non-prompt $J/\psi$ fraction

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$\sqrt{s} = 5.02$  TeV

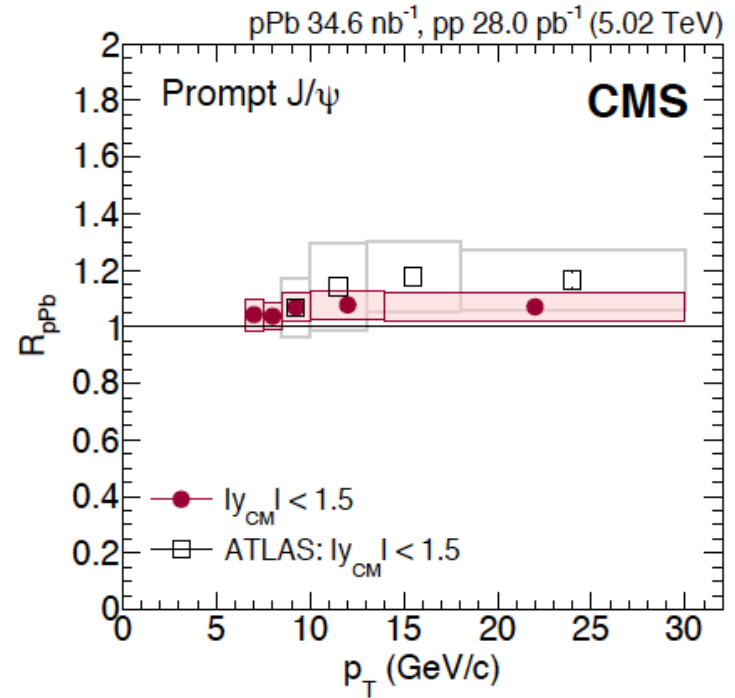
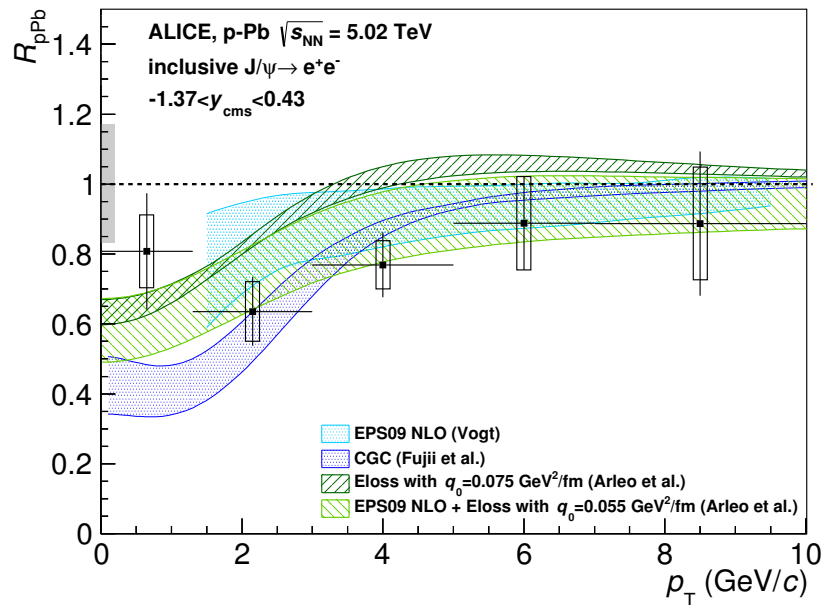


- Strong dependence on  $p_T$  and  $\sqrt{s}$

# $J/\psi$ Production in pA at 5.02 TeV

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ALICE: JHEP 1506 (2015) 055

## Mid-rapidity

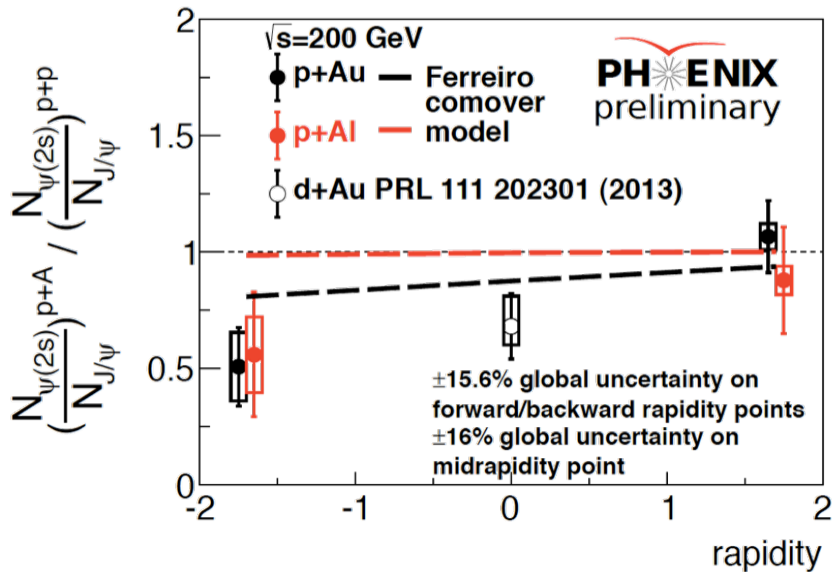


- At mid-rapidity, about 20% suppression below 5 GeV/c and consistent with 1 at high  $p_T$

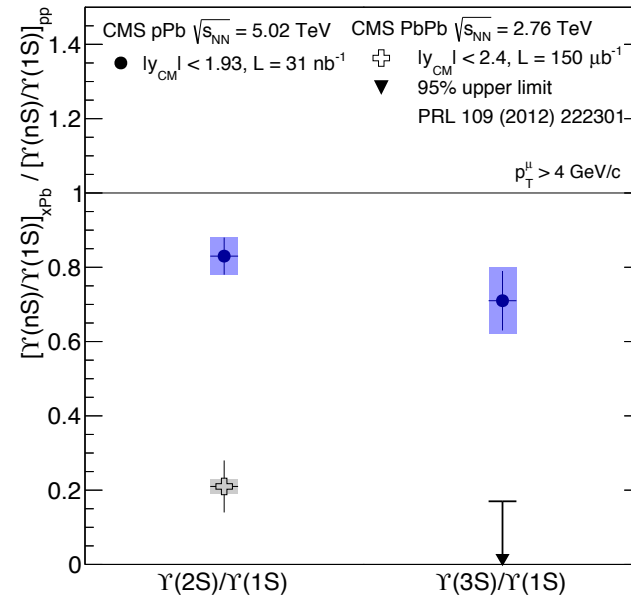


# Excited States More Suppressed

$\psi'$  @  $\sqrt{s} = 0.2$  TeV



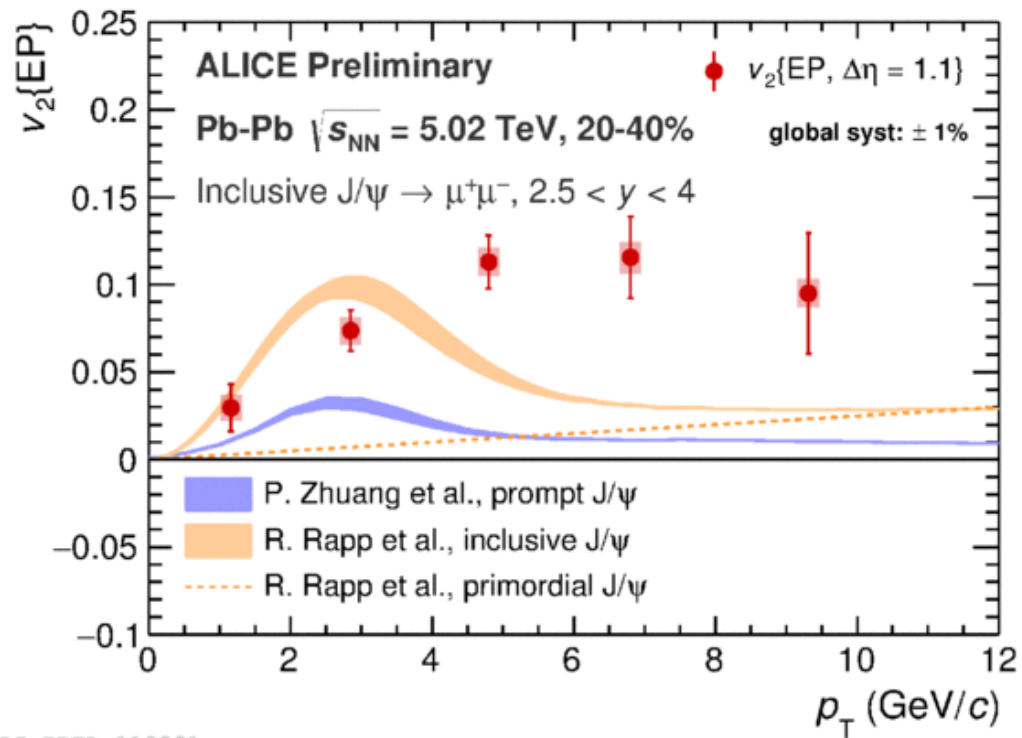
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- Additional suppression of excited states compared to the ground state; likely caused by final-state effects, such as co-mover interactions.
- Important for taking out feed-down contribution in AA collisions.

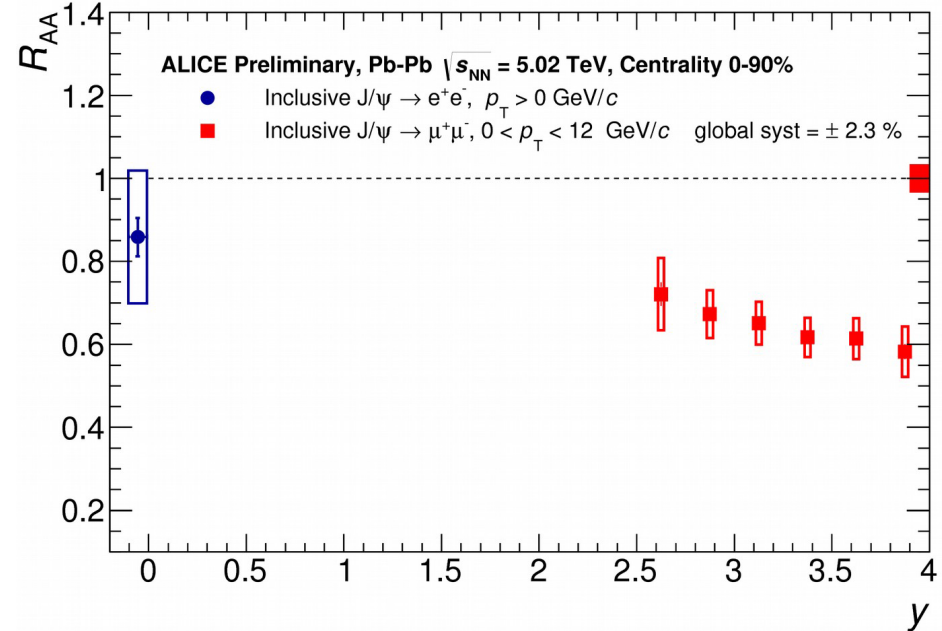
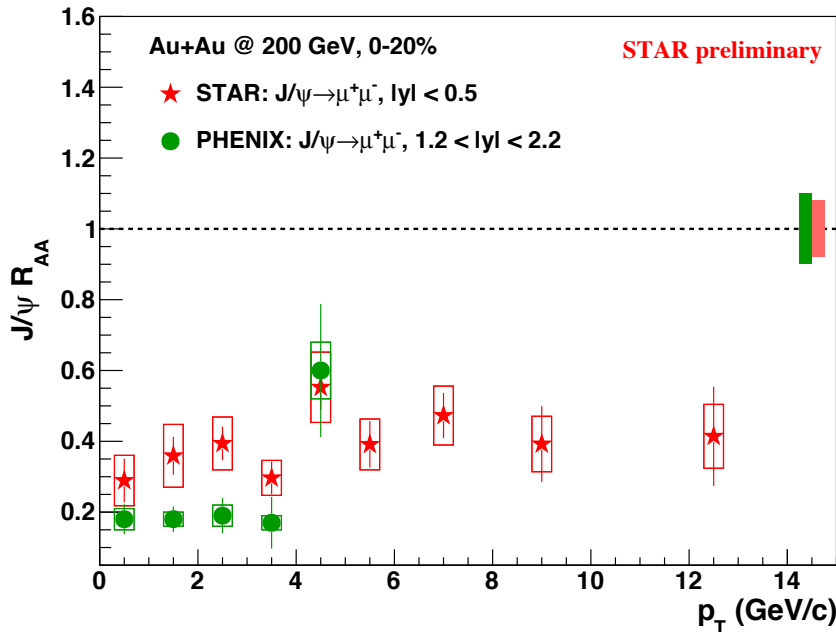
# $J/\psi$ $v_2$ Compared with Models



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# $J/\psi$ : Low $p_T$ , Mid vs. Forward

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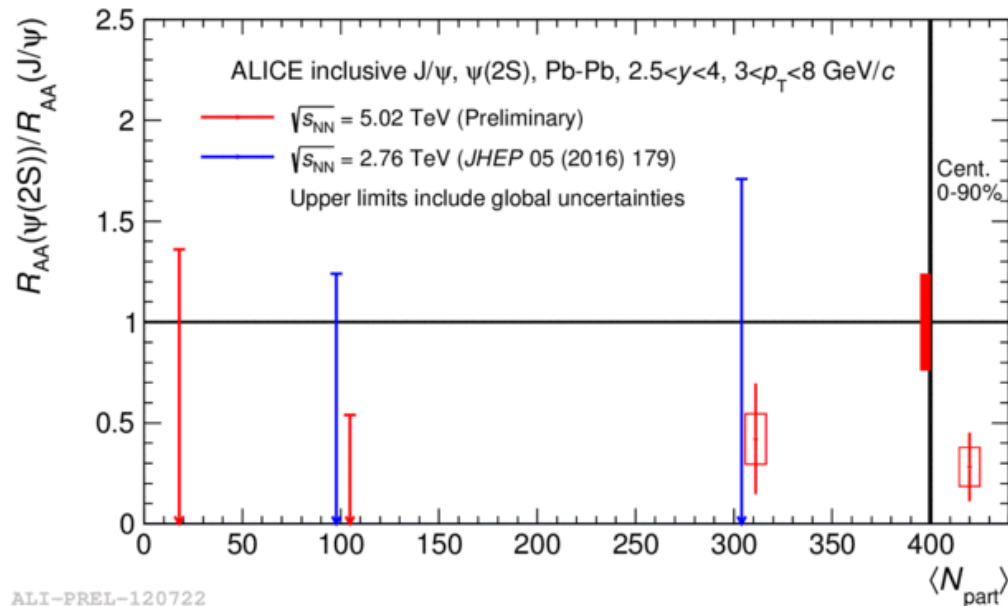
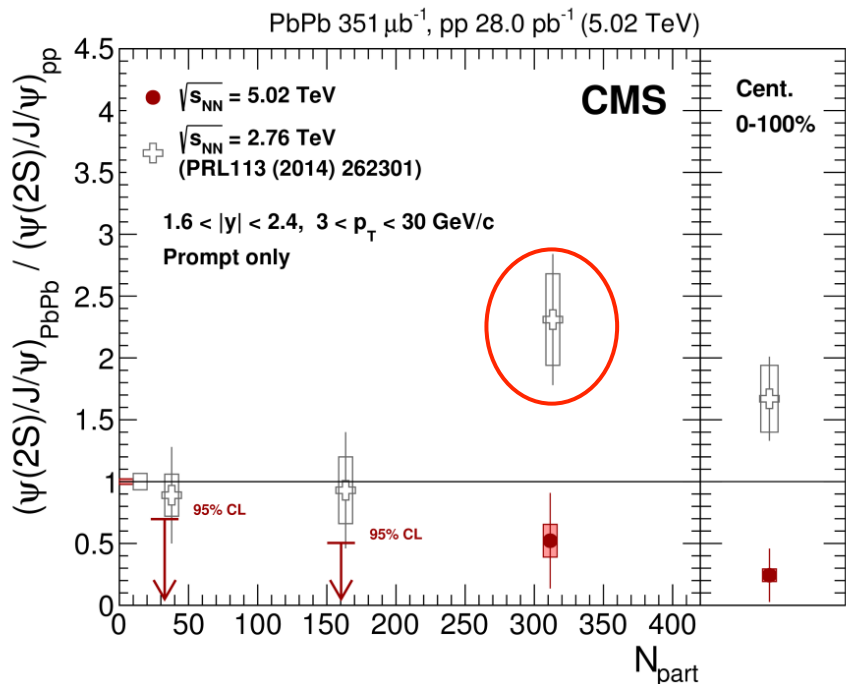


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- At both RHIC and LHC, indication of enhanced production at mid-rapidity compared to forward rapidity. Could be less CNM and/or more regeneration.

# The $\psi'$ Puzzle

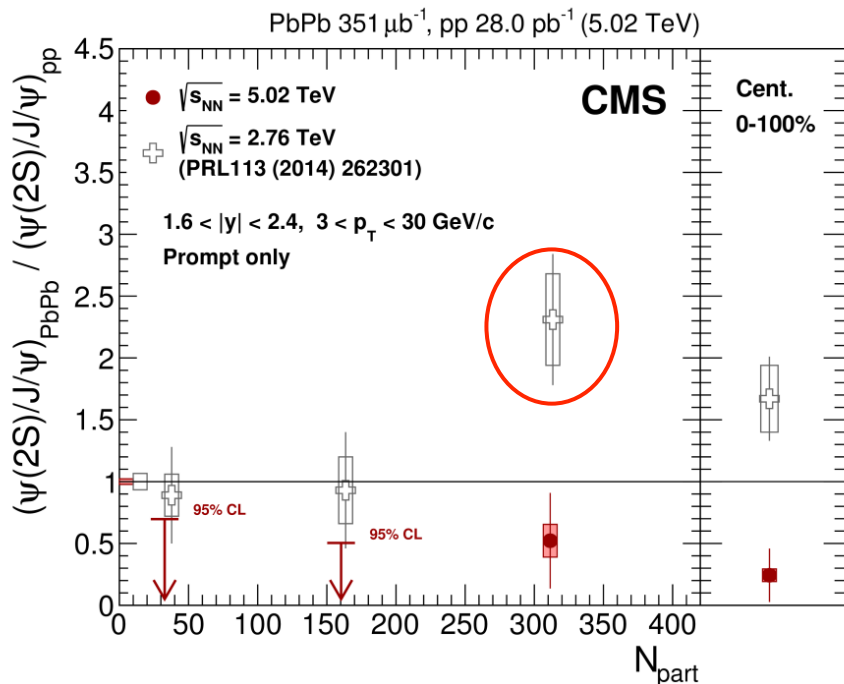
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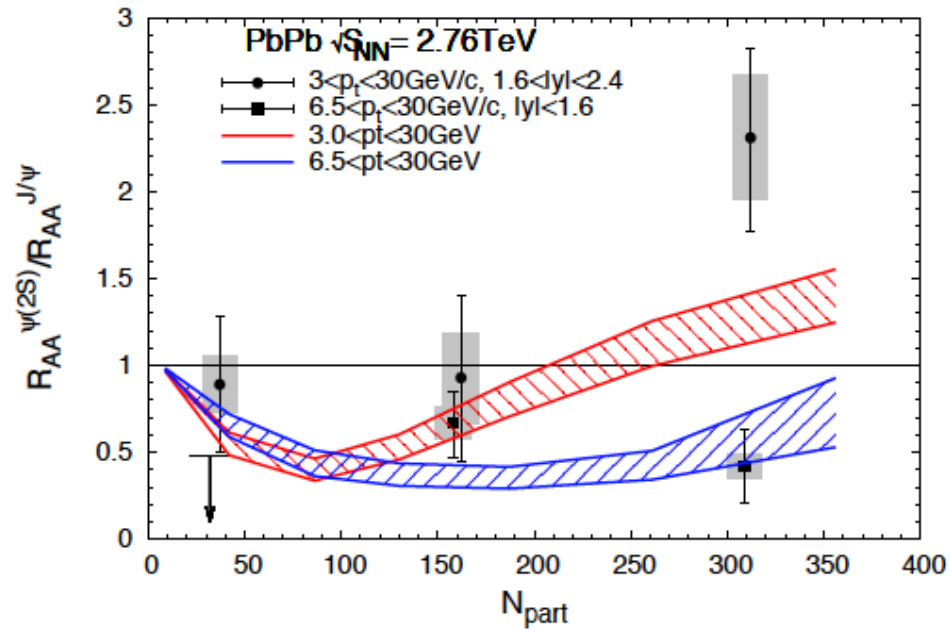
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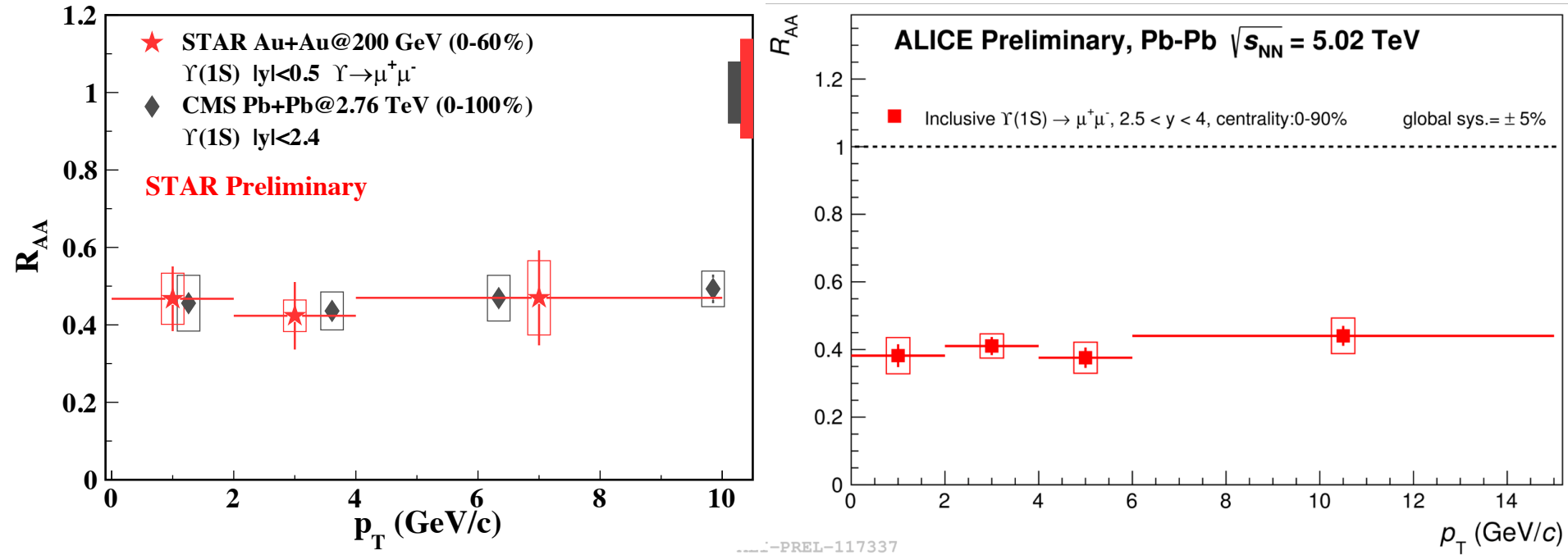
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# $\Upsilon(1S) R_{AA}$ vs. $p_T$

CMS: arXiv:1611.01510



- $\Upsilon(1S) R_{AA}$  is flat as a function of  $p_T$  from 0.2 to 5.02 TeV
- Additional constraints to model calculations