

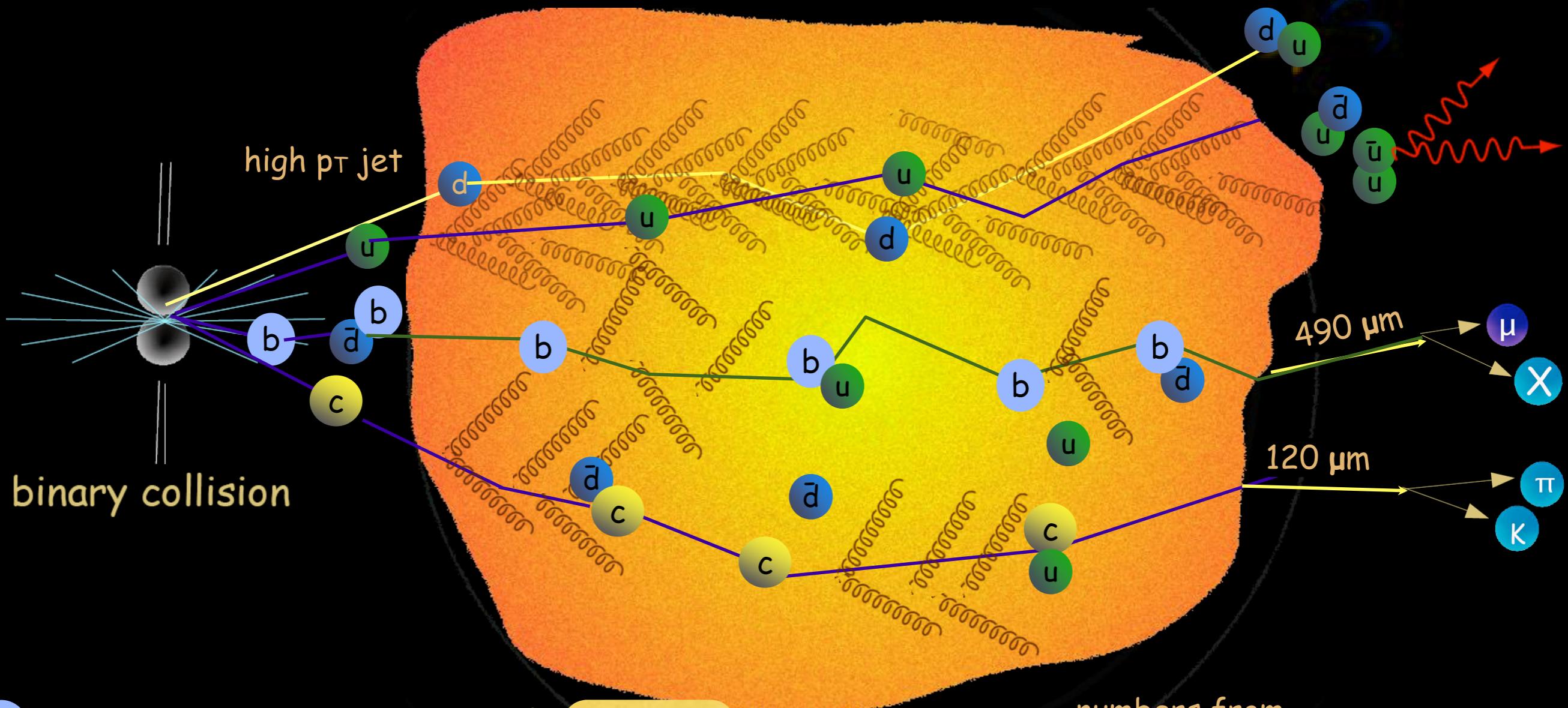
Recent Heavy Flavor Results from PHENIX.

A personal review ...

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**INT – Heavy Flavor and Electromagnetic
Probes in Heavy Ion Collisions.
Seattle, Sep-19-2014**

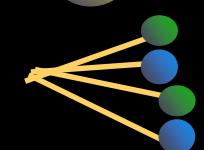


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bottom quark

C

charm quark



quark or gluon jet

<0.01fm

0.4 fm

<0.07fm

1.5 fm

numbers from
A.Adil, I.Vitev, PLB649 (2007)

~20 fm

~0.6fm

~5 fm

thermalized QGP

D meson

B meson

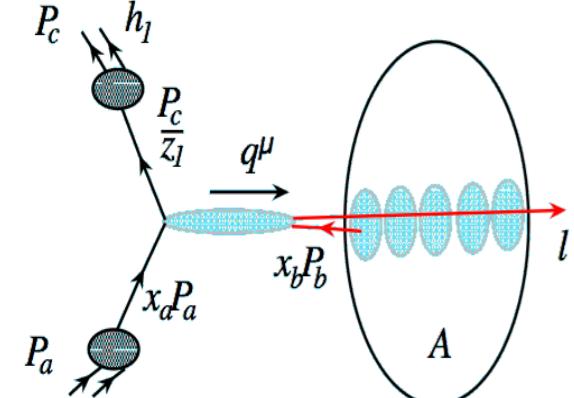
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coalescence drag

dissociation, coalescence, drag

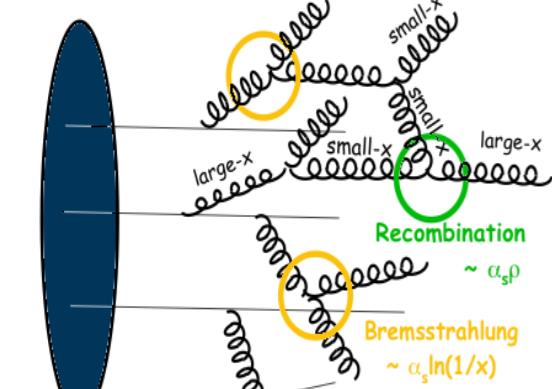
decay

2 decay

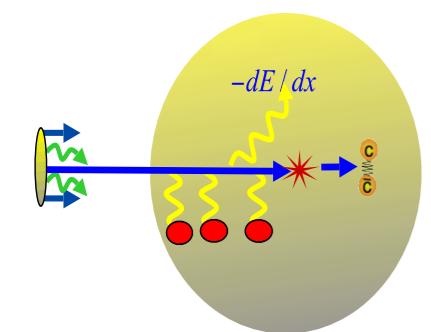
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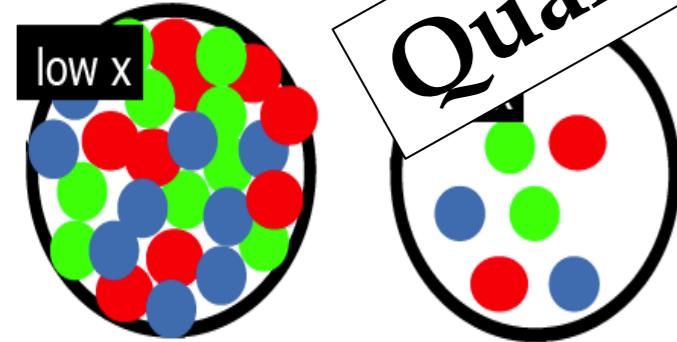
Radiation, recombinations



Parton energy loss



Gluon saturation

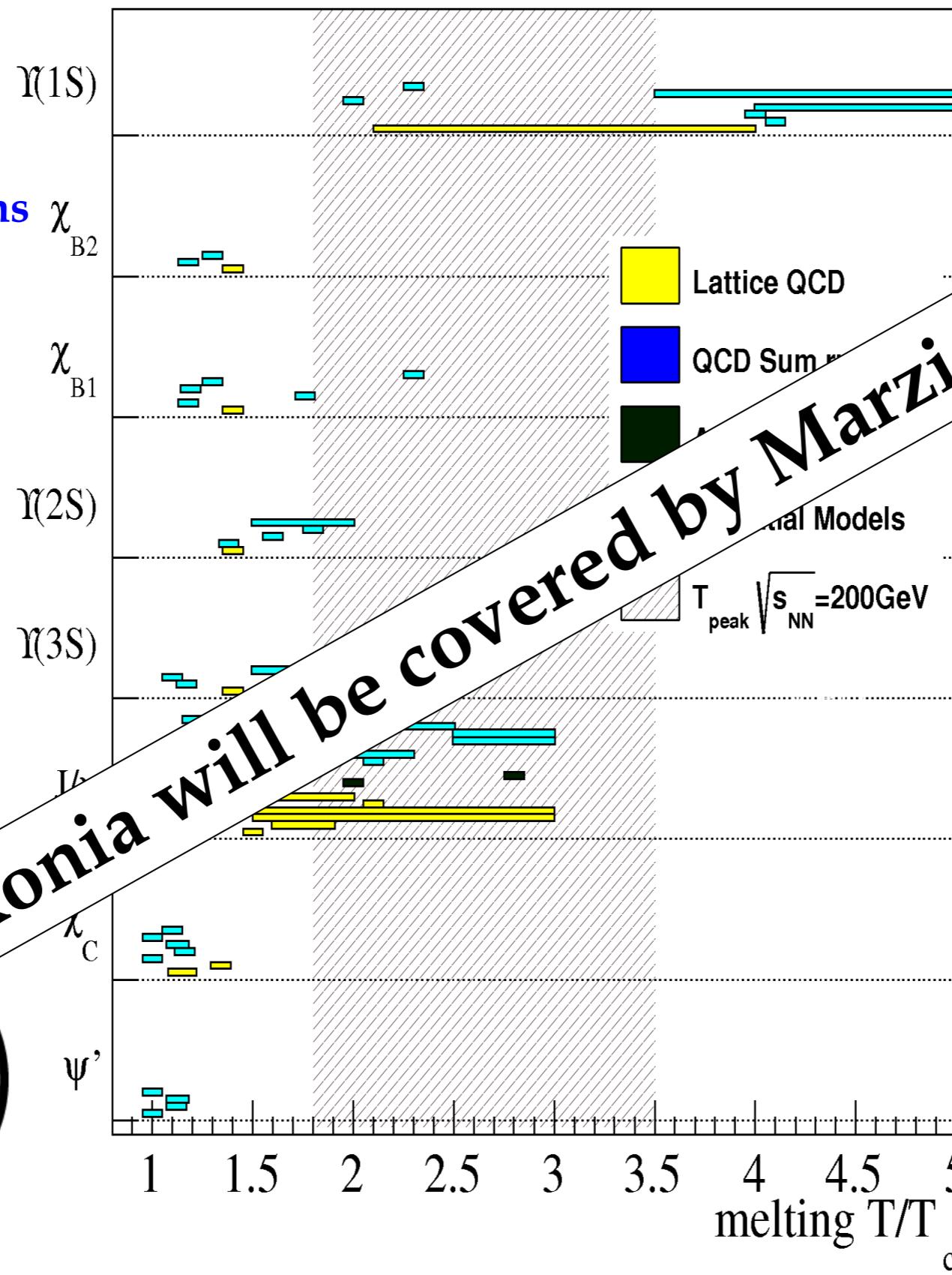


Competing effects on Quarkonia R_{AA}

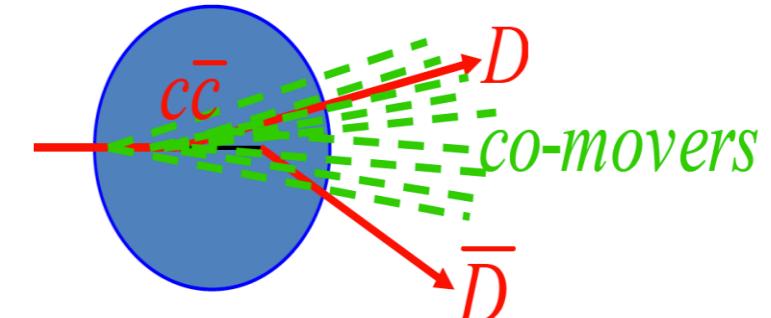
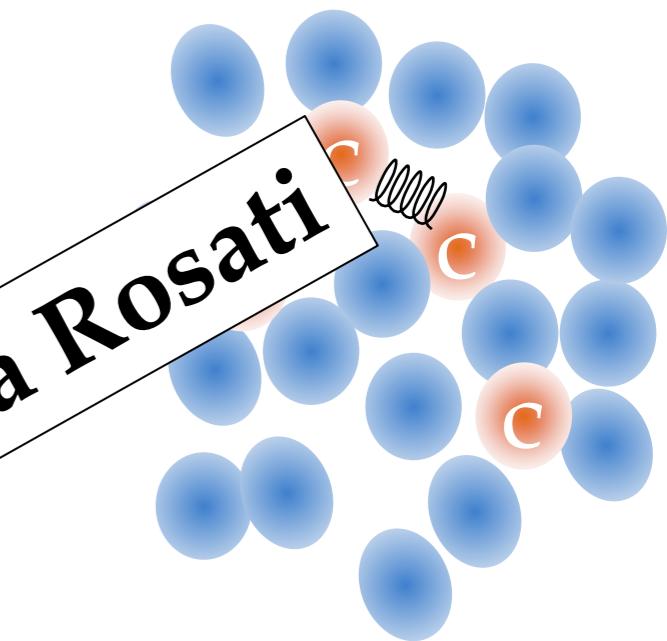
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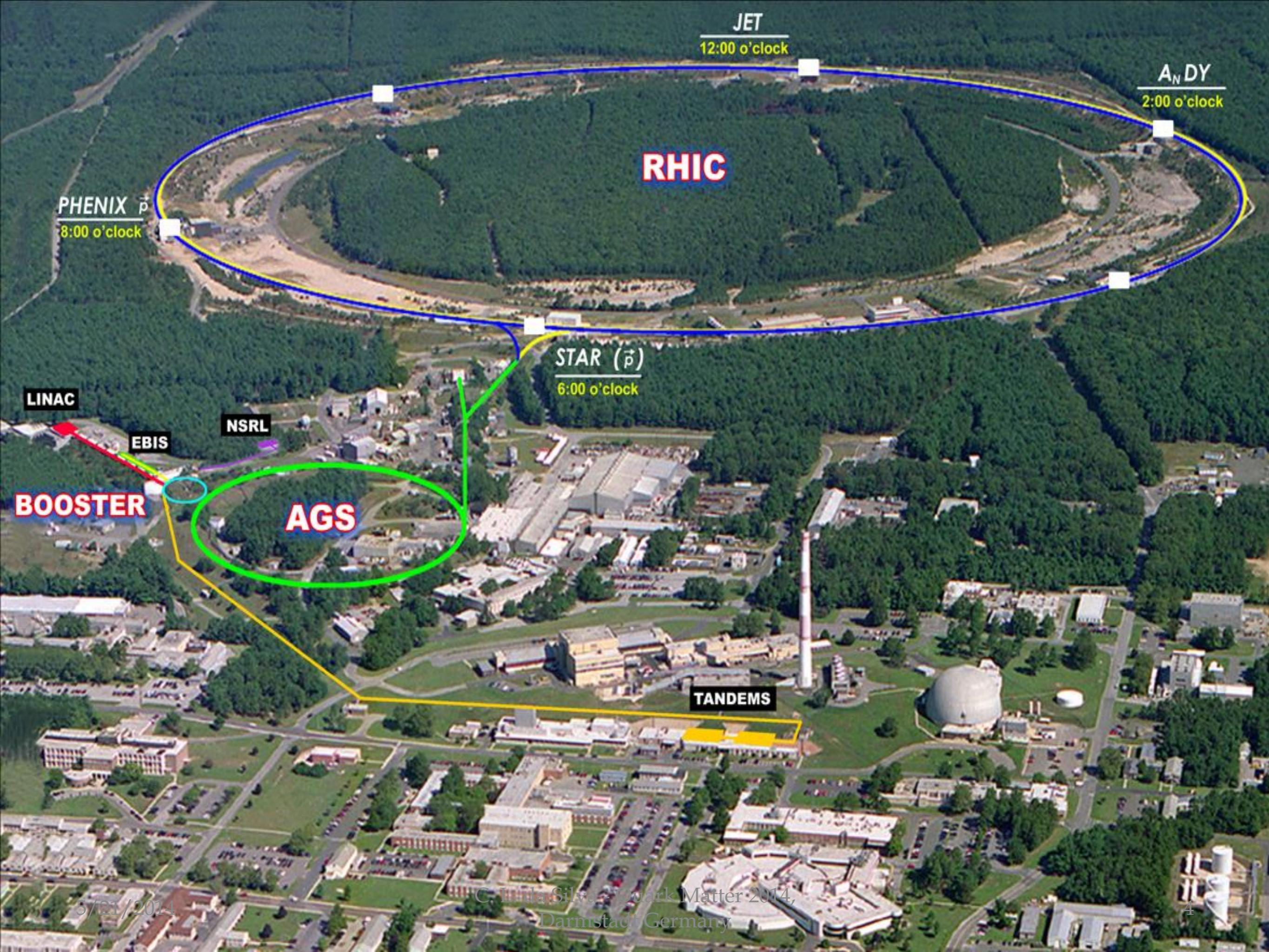


Coalescence, Regeneration



Need several measurements to isolate different effects.





RHIC Ions – 6 species and 15 energies to date

$^{197}\text{Au}^{79} + ^{197}\text{Au}^{79}$

7, 9, 11, 15, 20, 27, 39, 62, 130, 200.0 GeV/nucleon
 $d + ^{197}\text{Au}^{79}$

200 GeV/nucleon
 $^{63}\text{Cu}^{29} + ^{63}\text{Cu}^{29}$

22, 62, 200 GeV/nucleon
 $p^\uparrow + p^\uparrow$

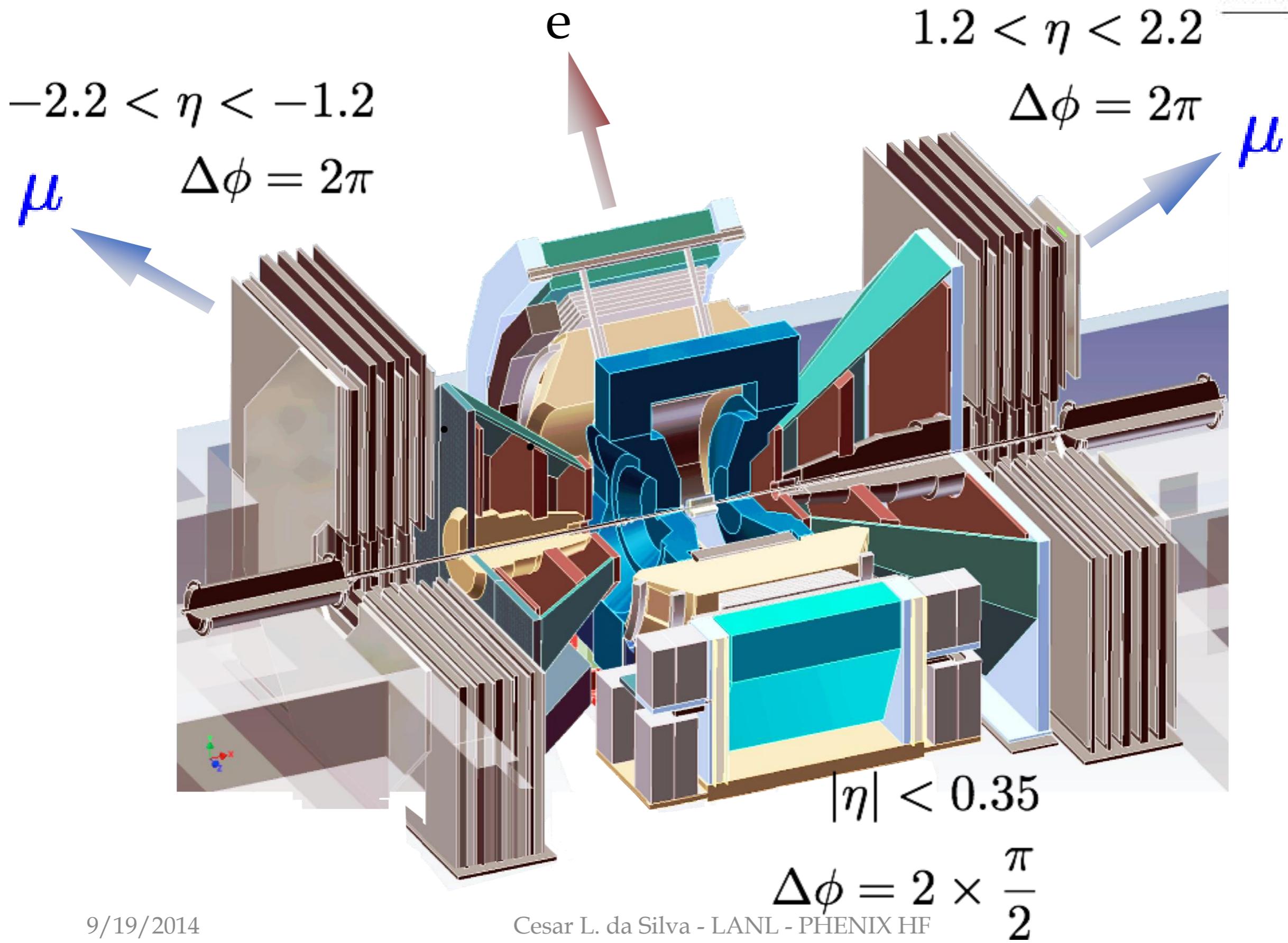
62, 200, 500, 510 GeV/nucleon
 $^{63}\text{Cu}^{29} + ^{197}\text{Au}^{79}$

200 GeV/nucleon
 $^{238}\text{U}^{92} + ^{238}\text{U}^{92}$

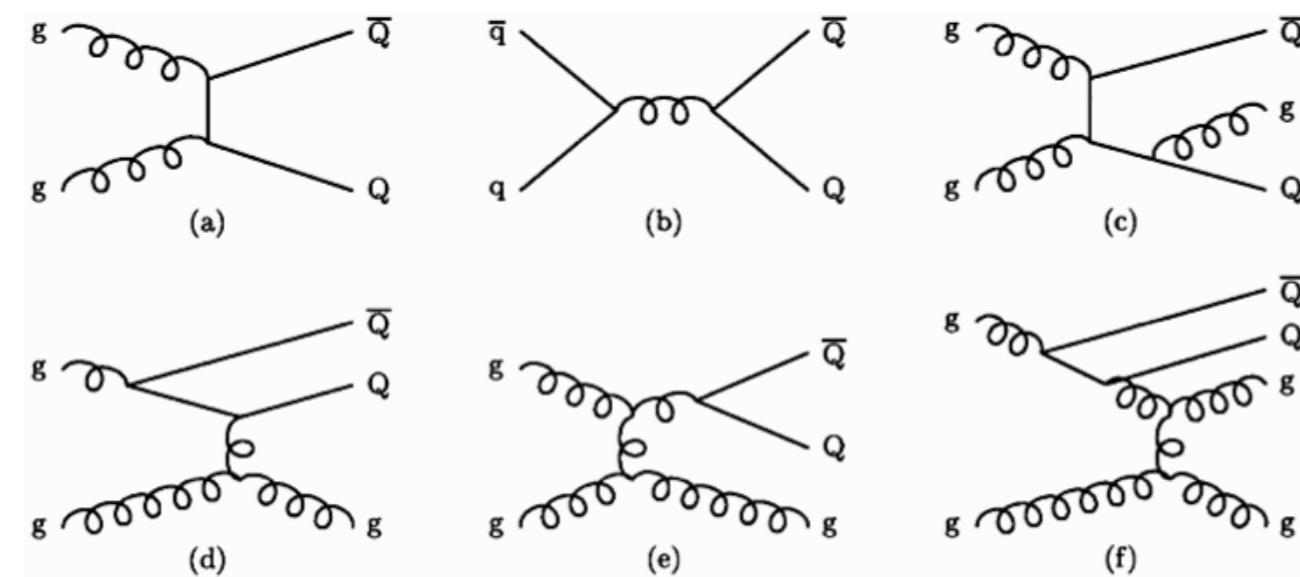
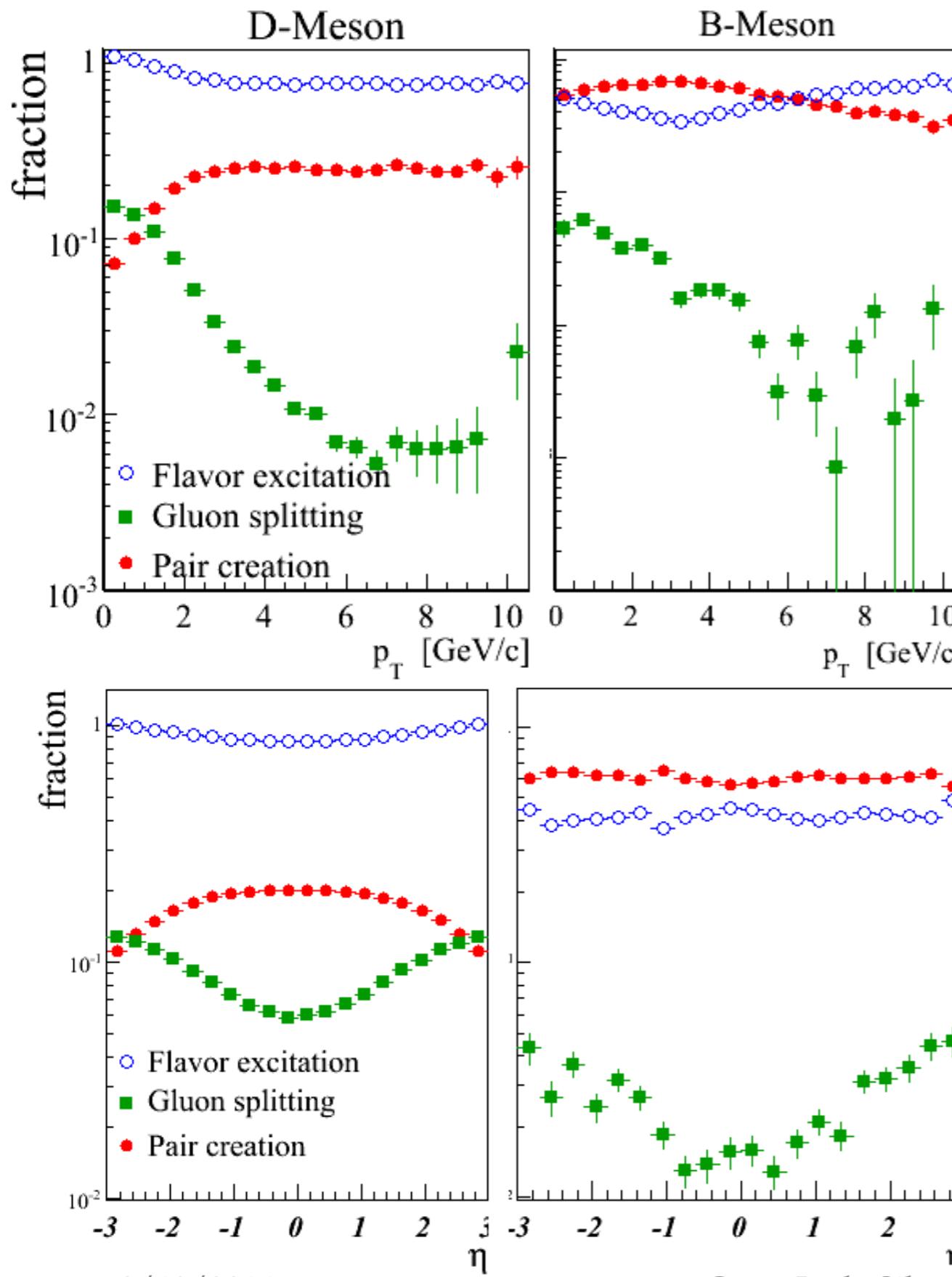
193 GeV/nucleon

Can collide any species combination
from proton(polarized) to uranium.

LEPTONS iN PHENIX DETECTOR

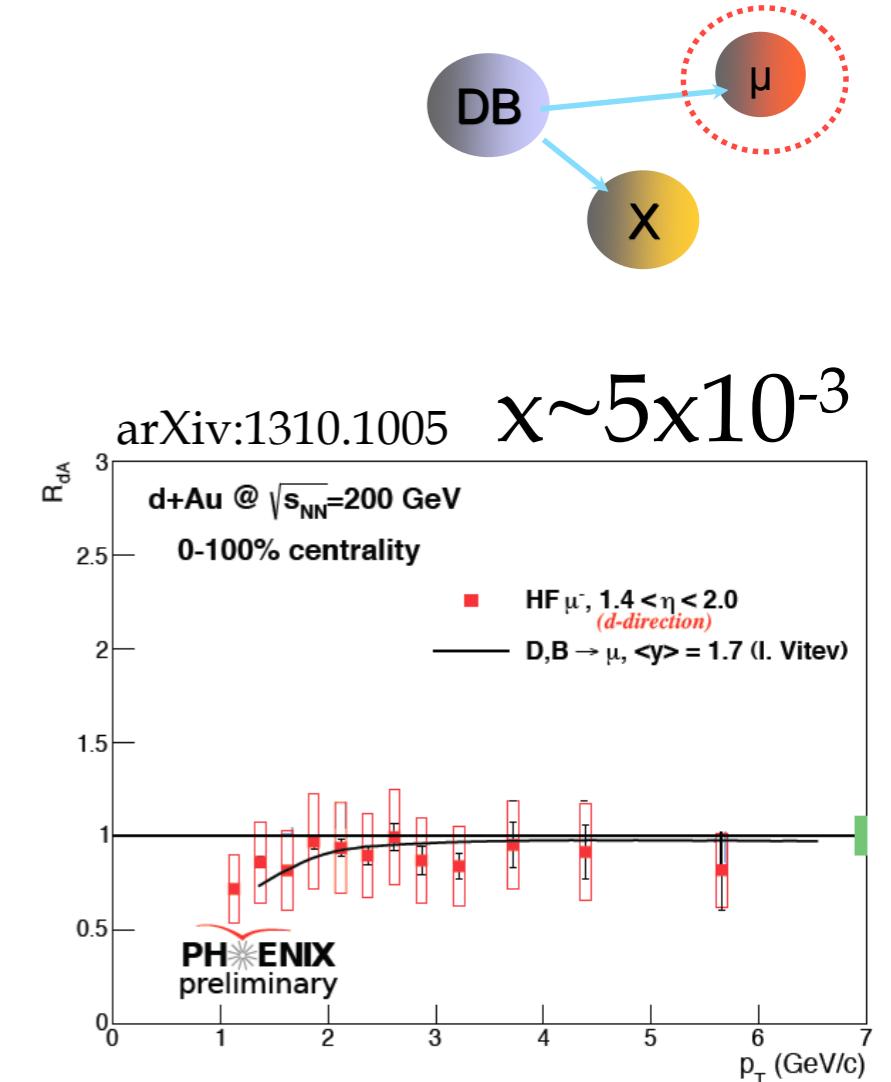
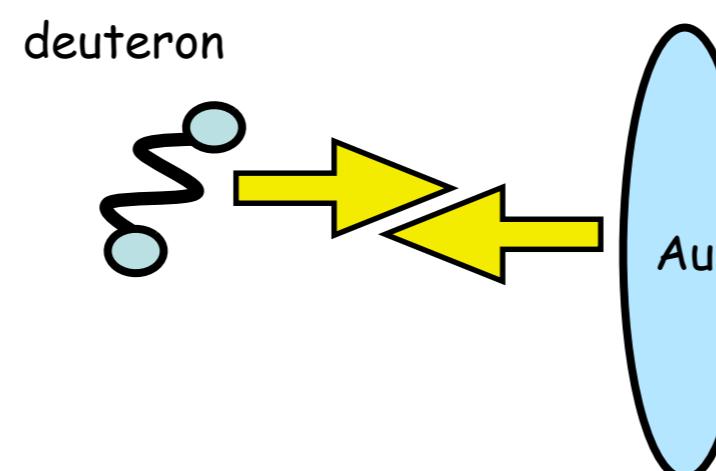
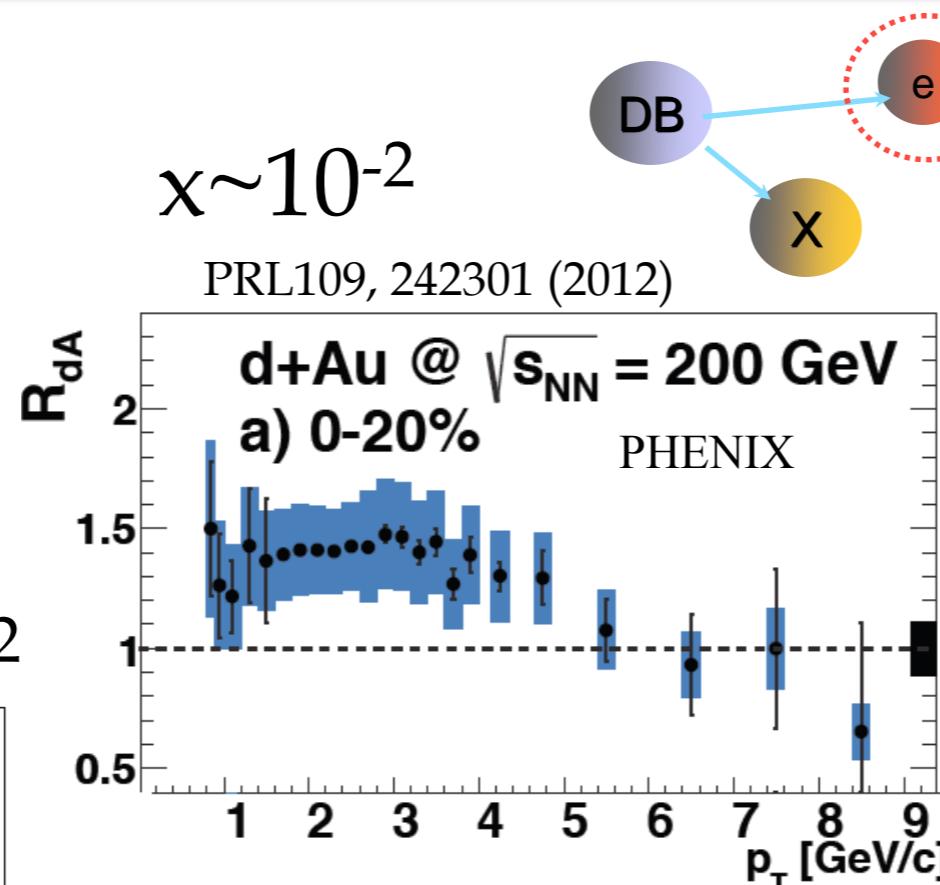
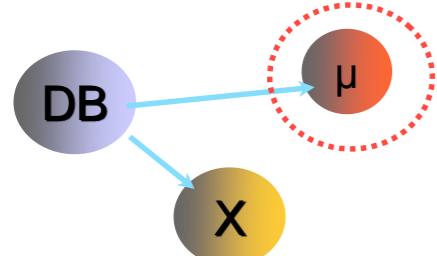
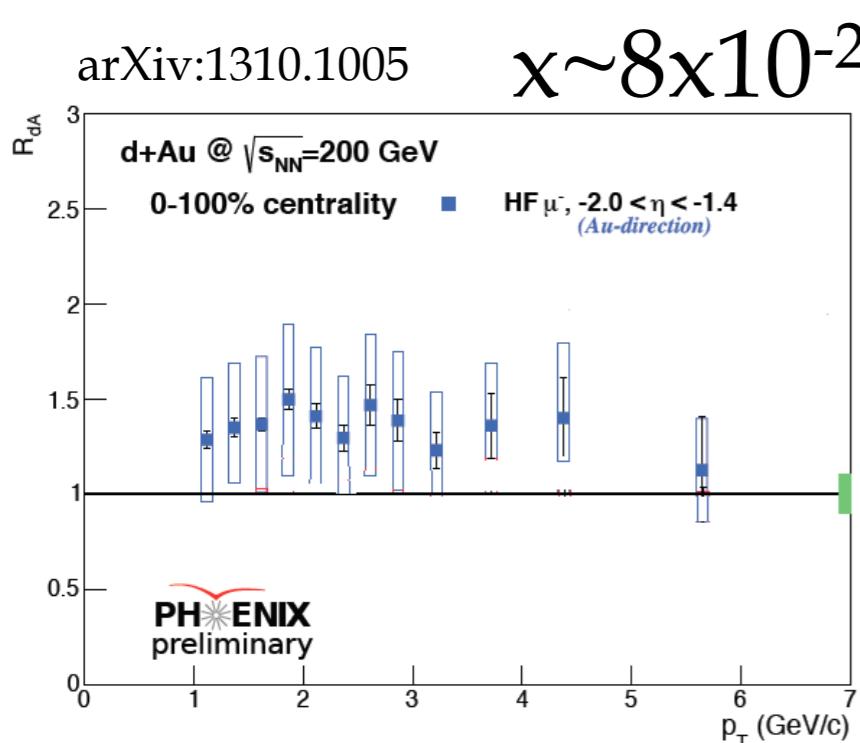


Sources of HF at RHIC



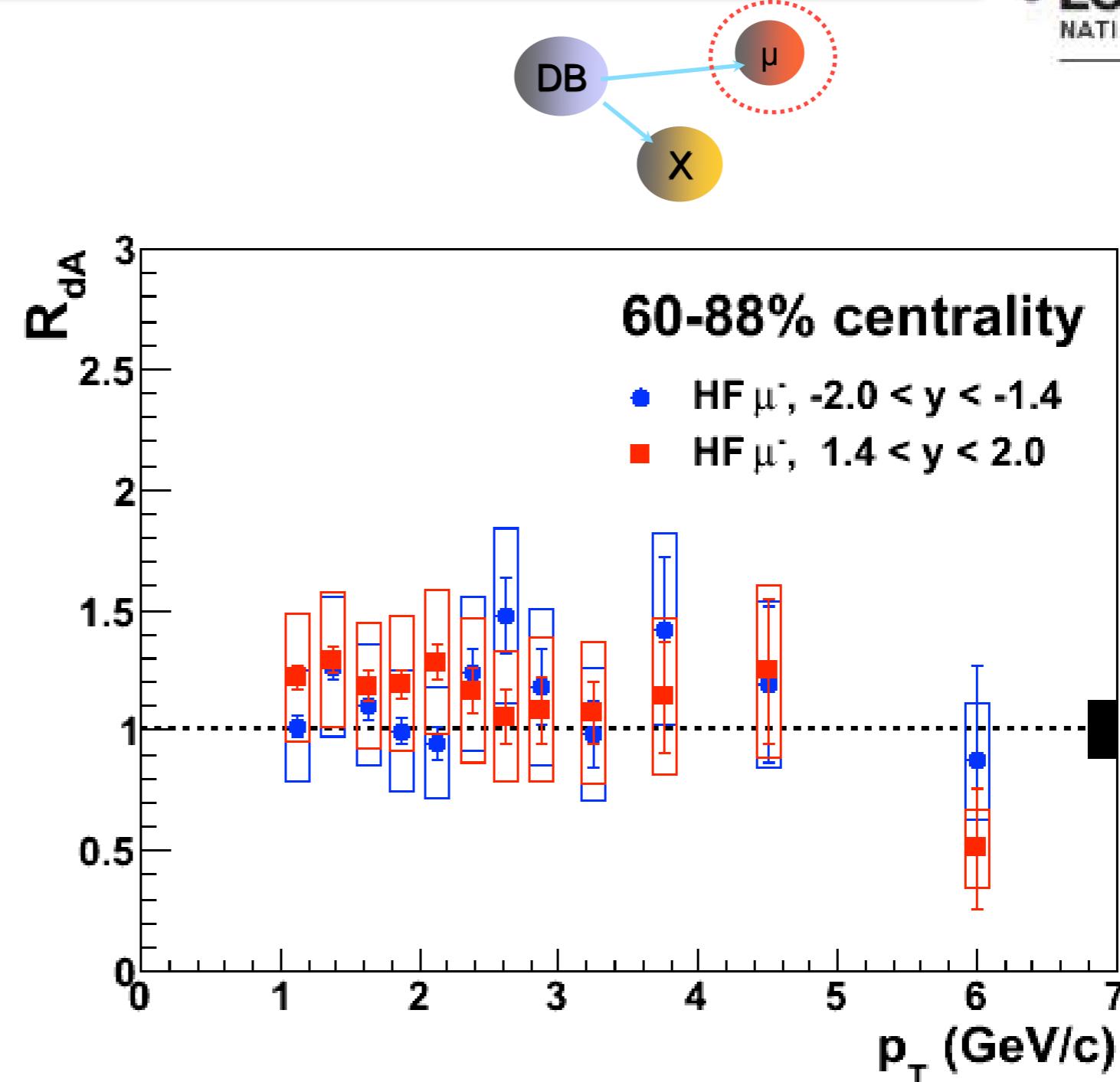
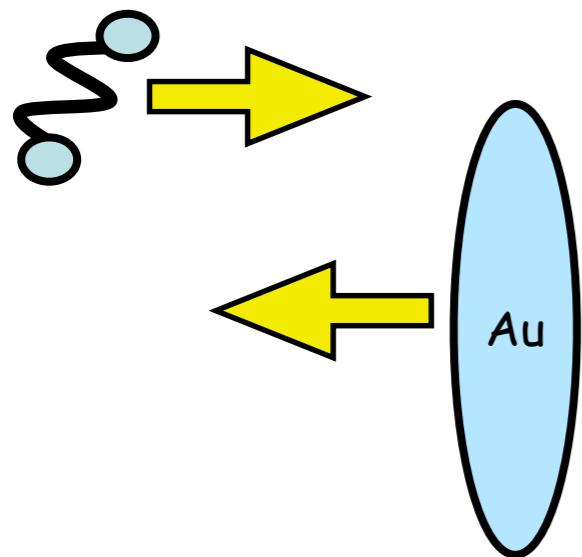
From PYTHIA

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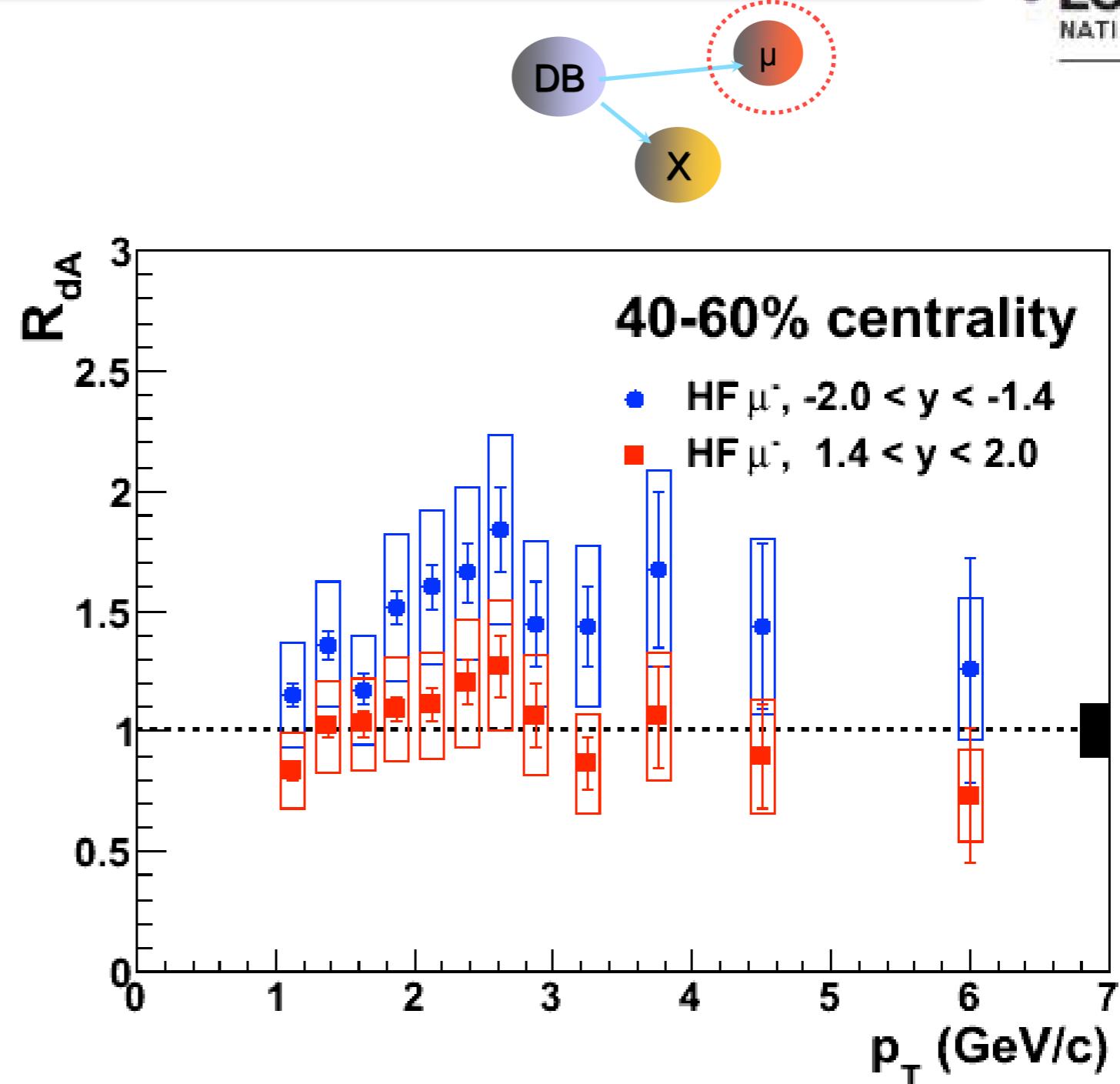
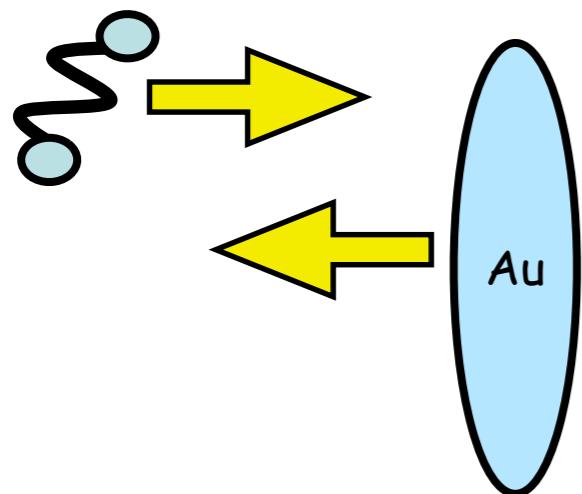


Vitev: coherent effect+Croning

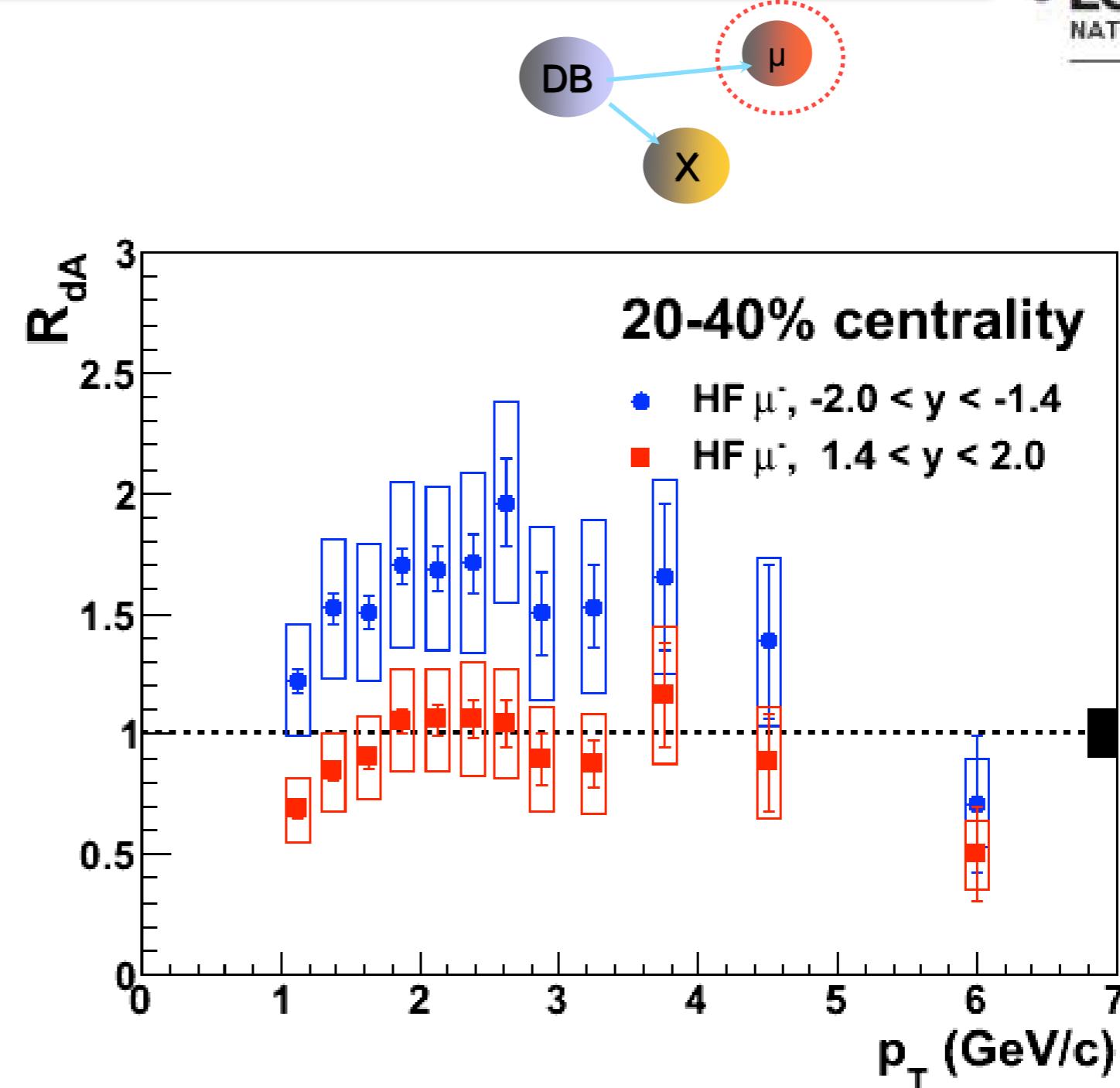
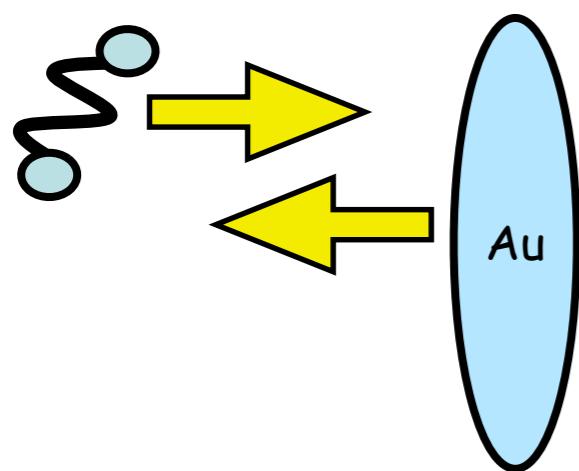
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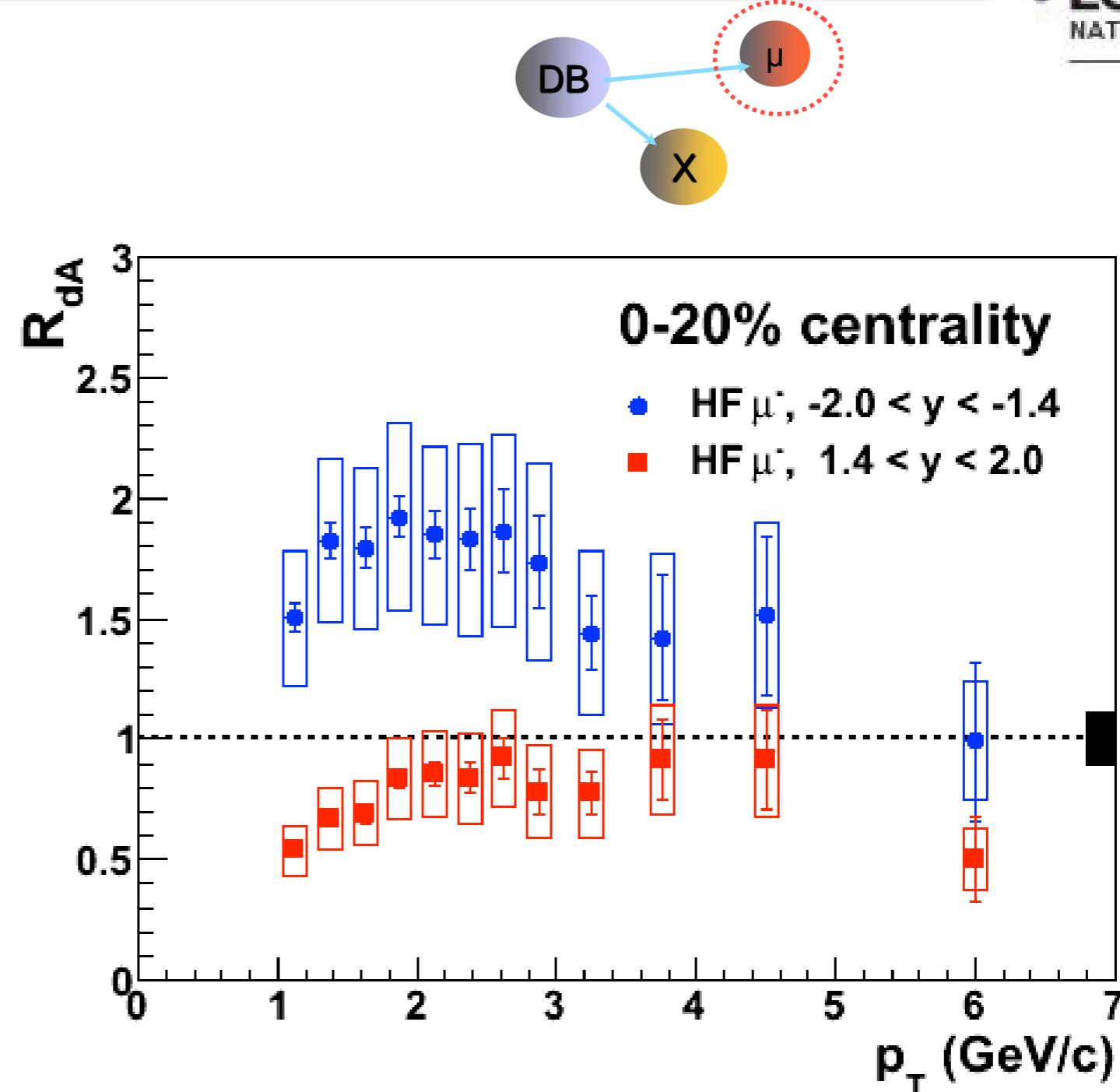
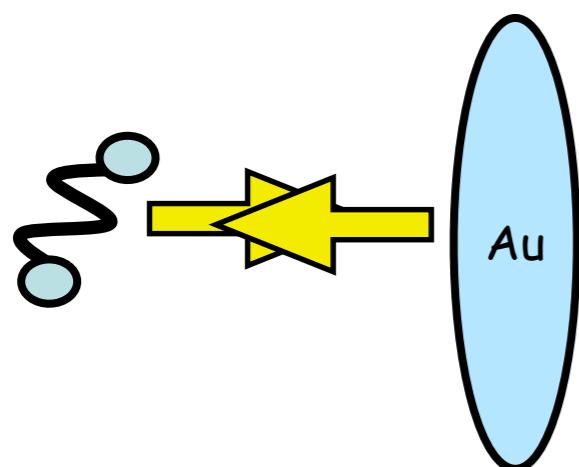
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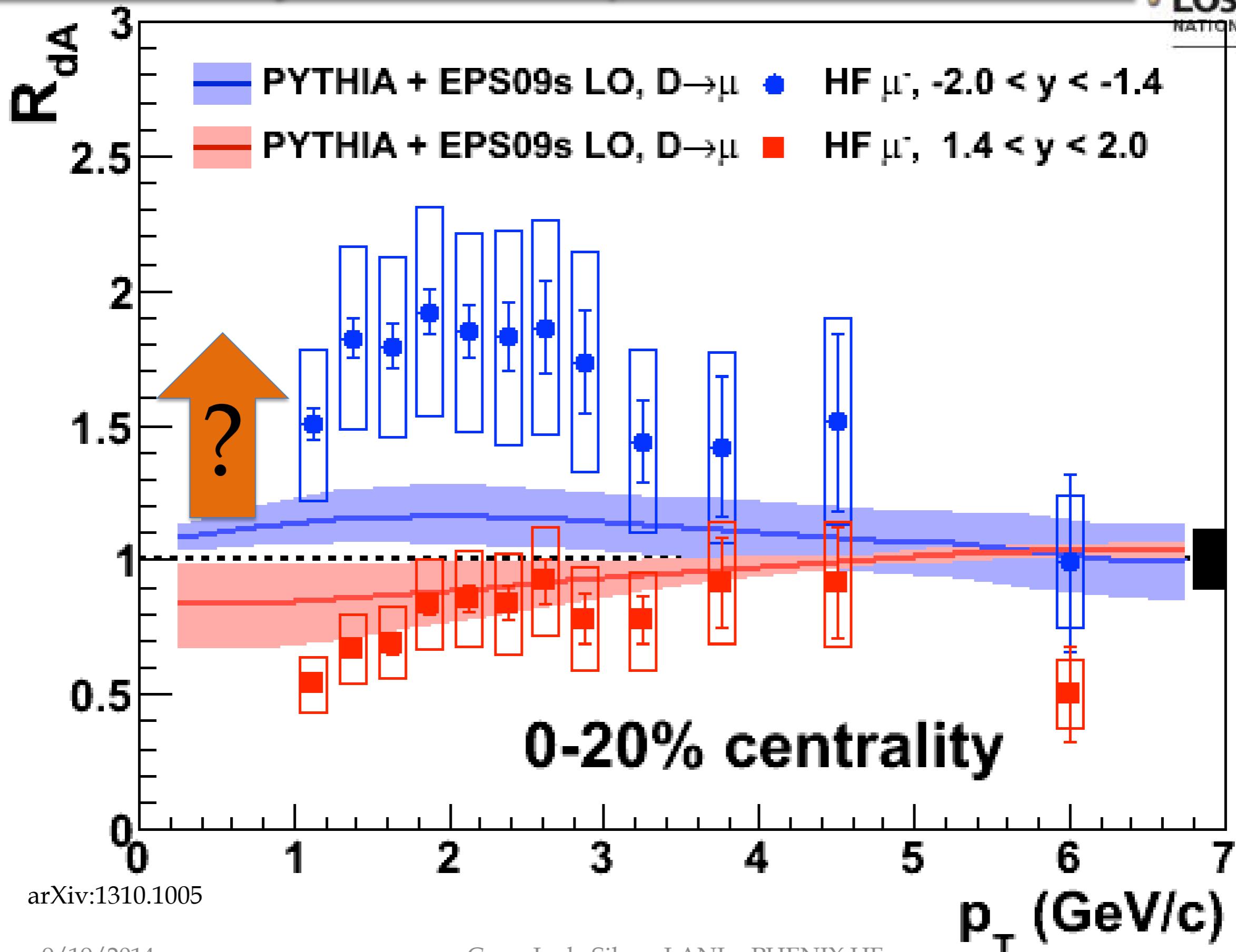
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d+Au Heavy Flavor Comparison with EPS09s



arXiv:1310.1005

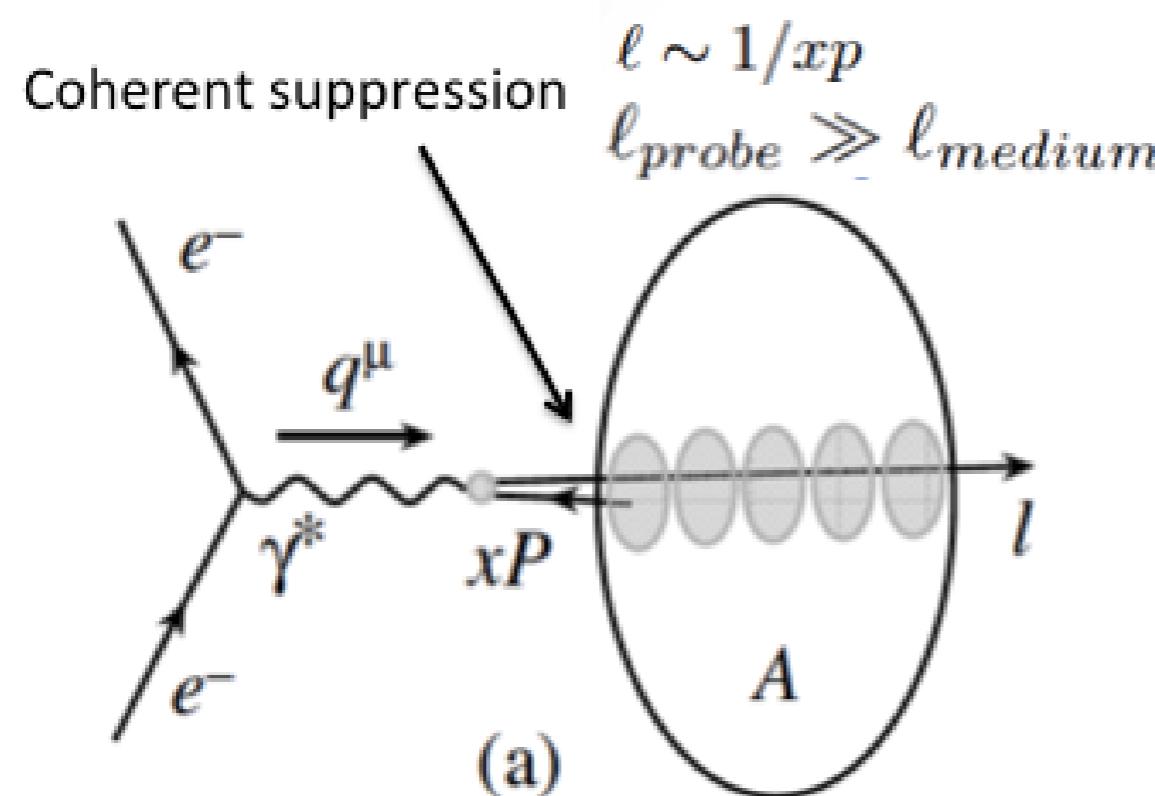
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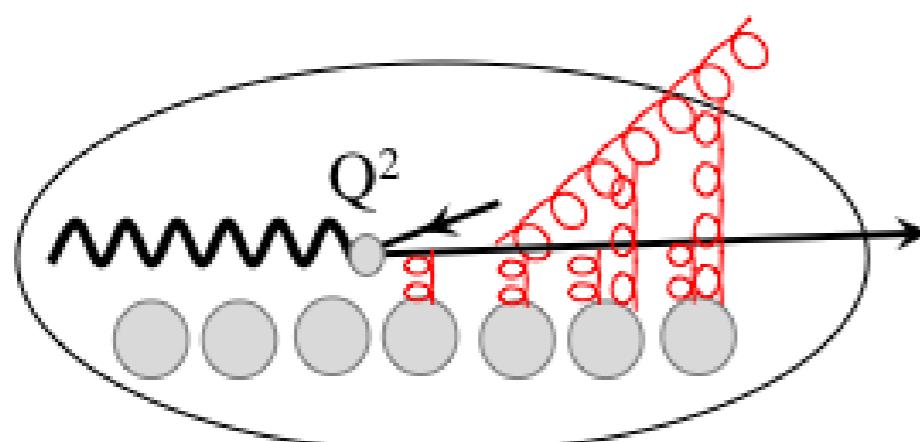
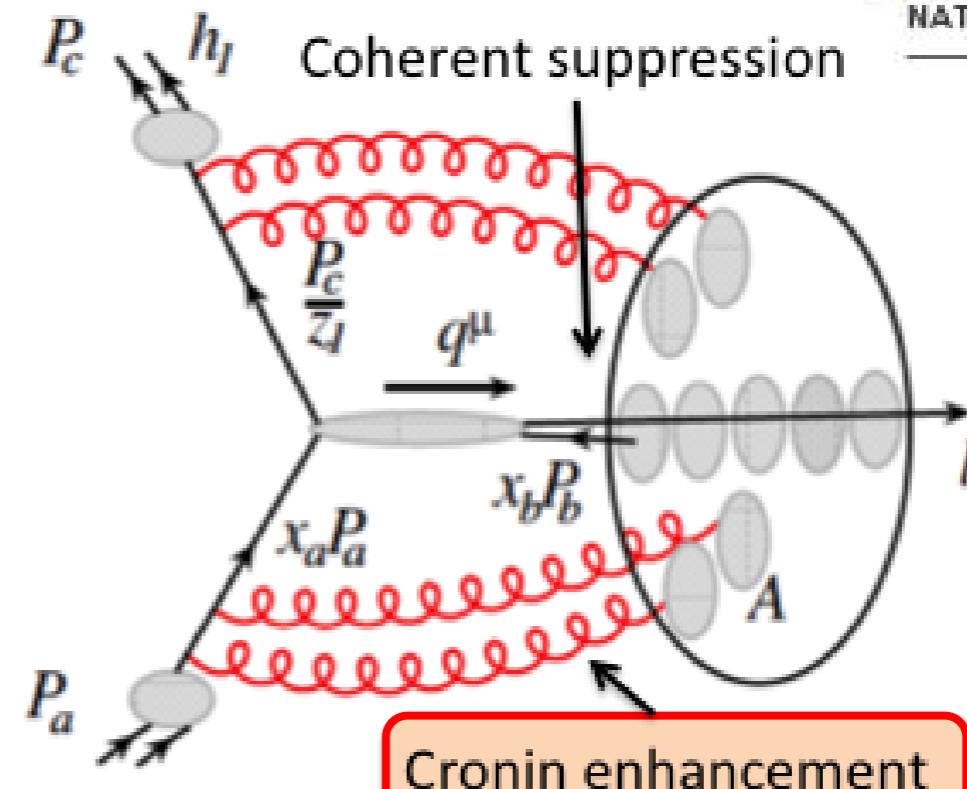
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DIS

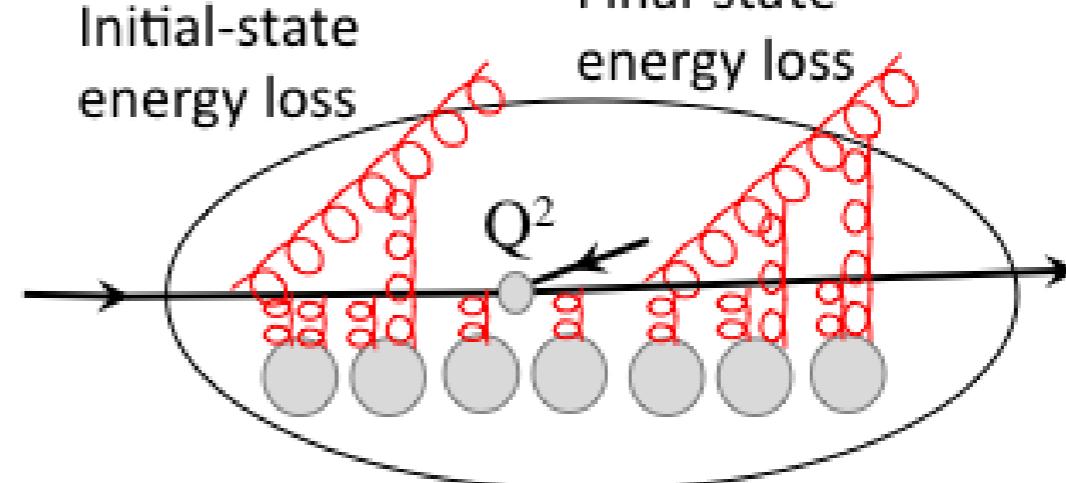
p+A



For $x < 0.01$, $l_{\text{probe}} >$ nuclear thickness



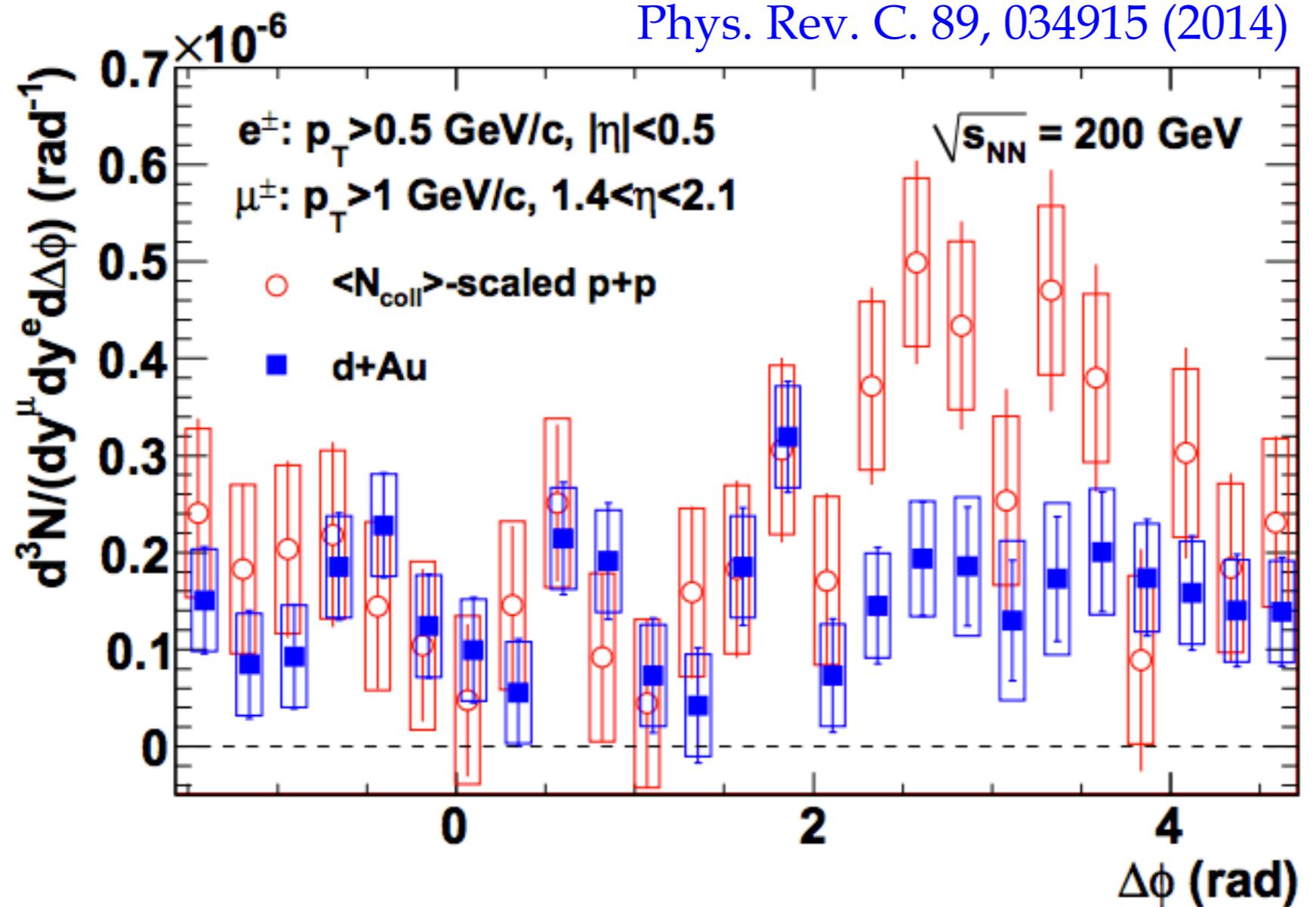
Final-state
energy loss



Not a surprise given the limited CNM coverage of DIS in EPS09.

Forward-mild rapidity HF correlation

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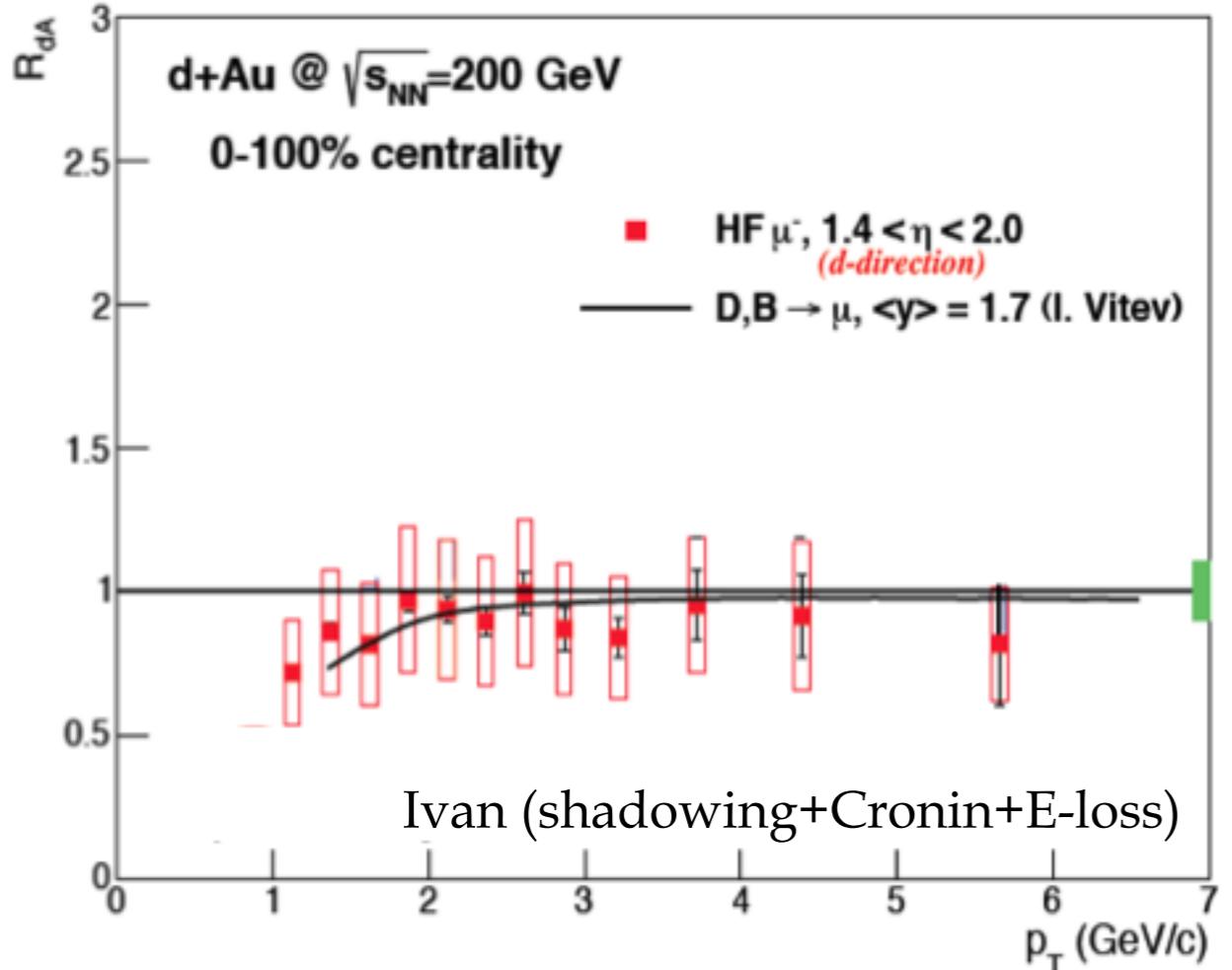
$$JdA(2.7 < \Delta\phi < 3.2) = 0.433 \pm 0.087 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.135 \text{ (syst)}$$

Back-to-back dominated by gluon fusion.
Continuum dominated by flavor excitation, gluon splitting.

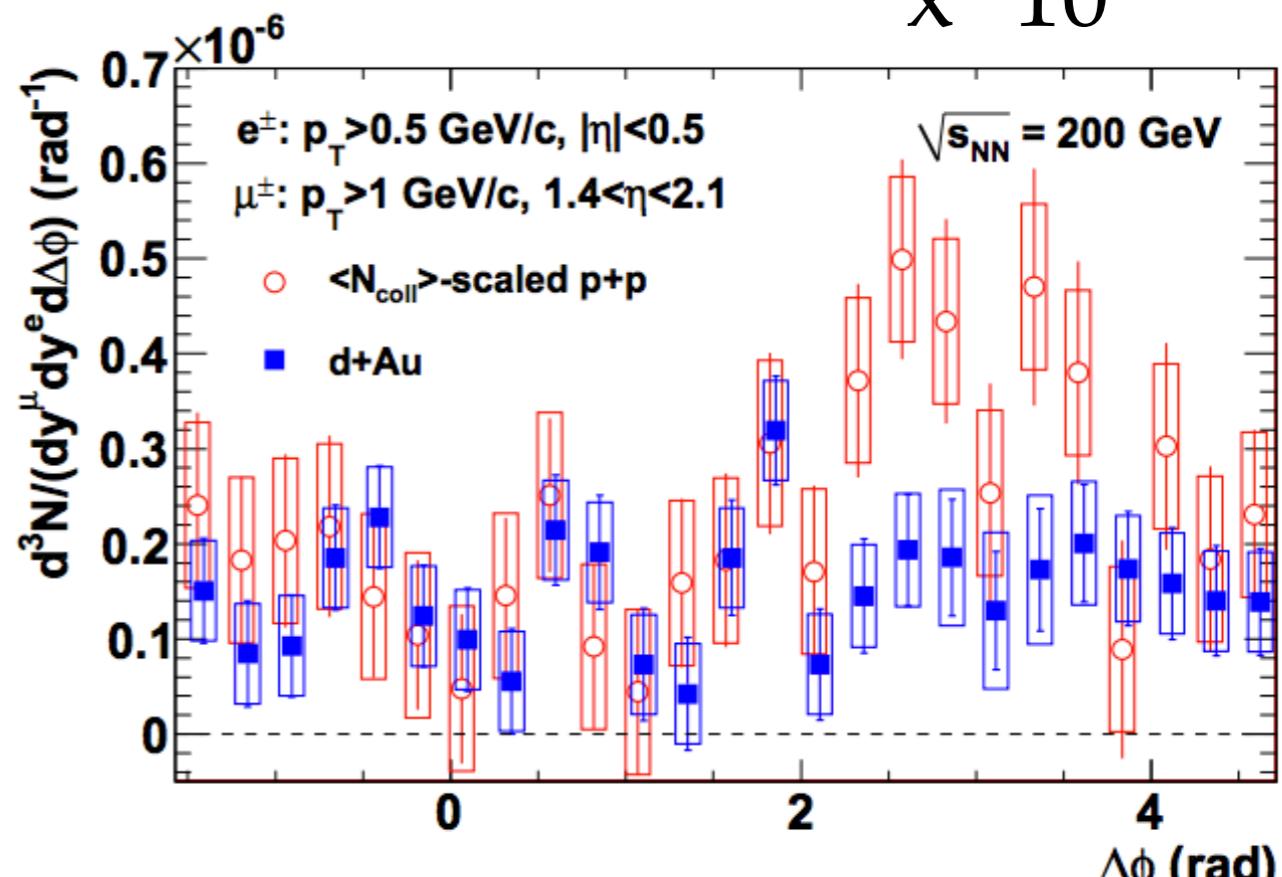
Forward-mid rapidity HF correlation



$x \sim 5 \times 10^{-3}$



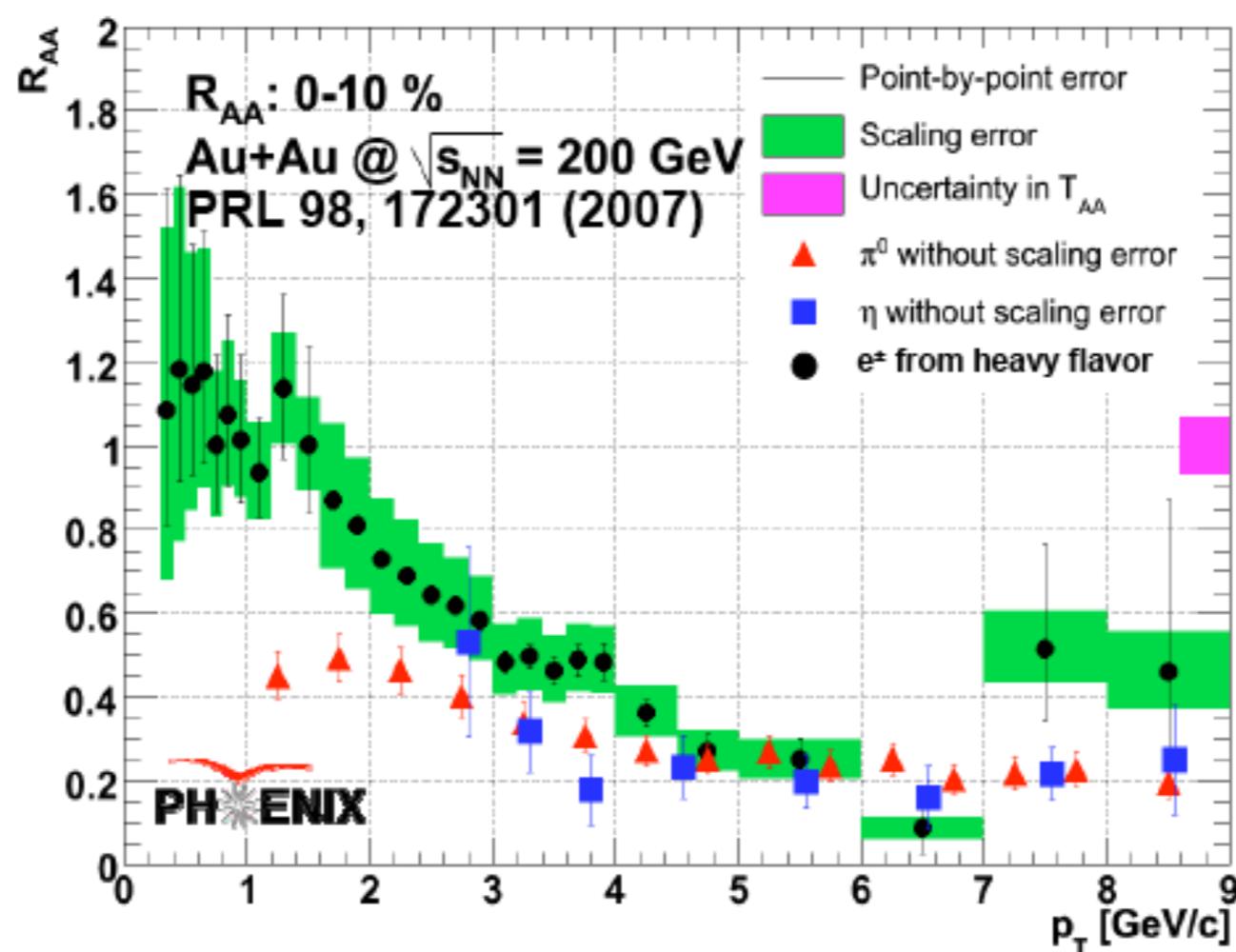
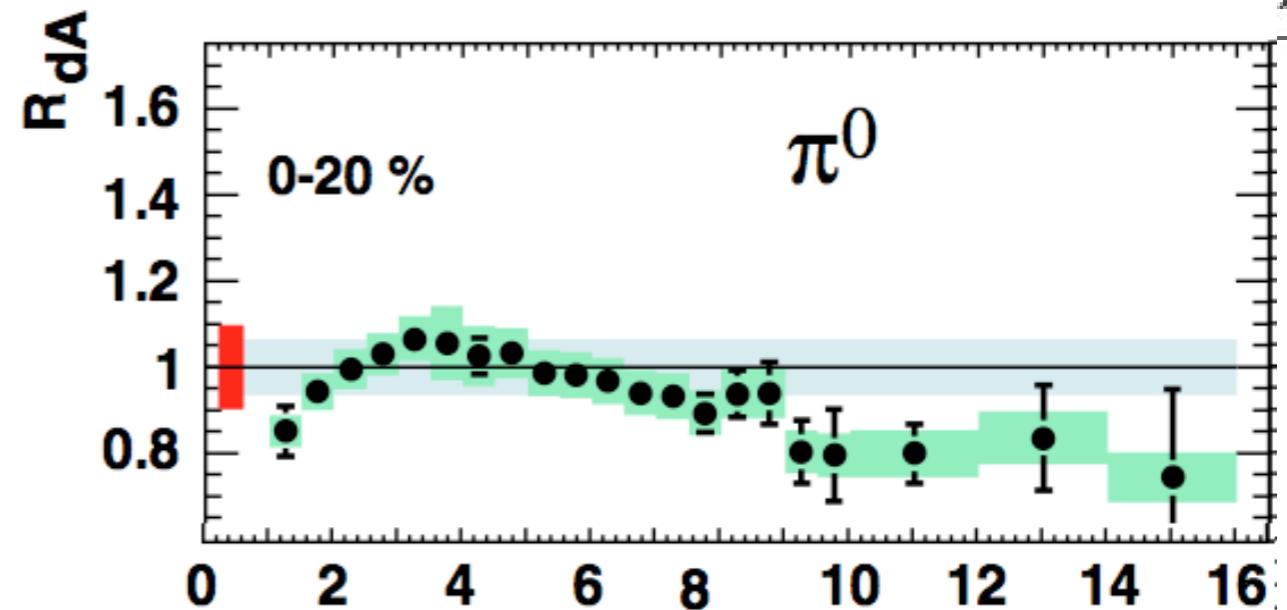
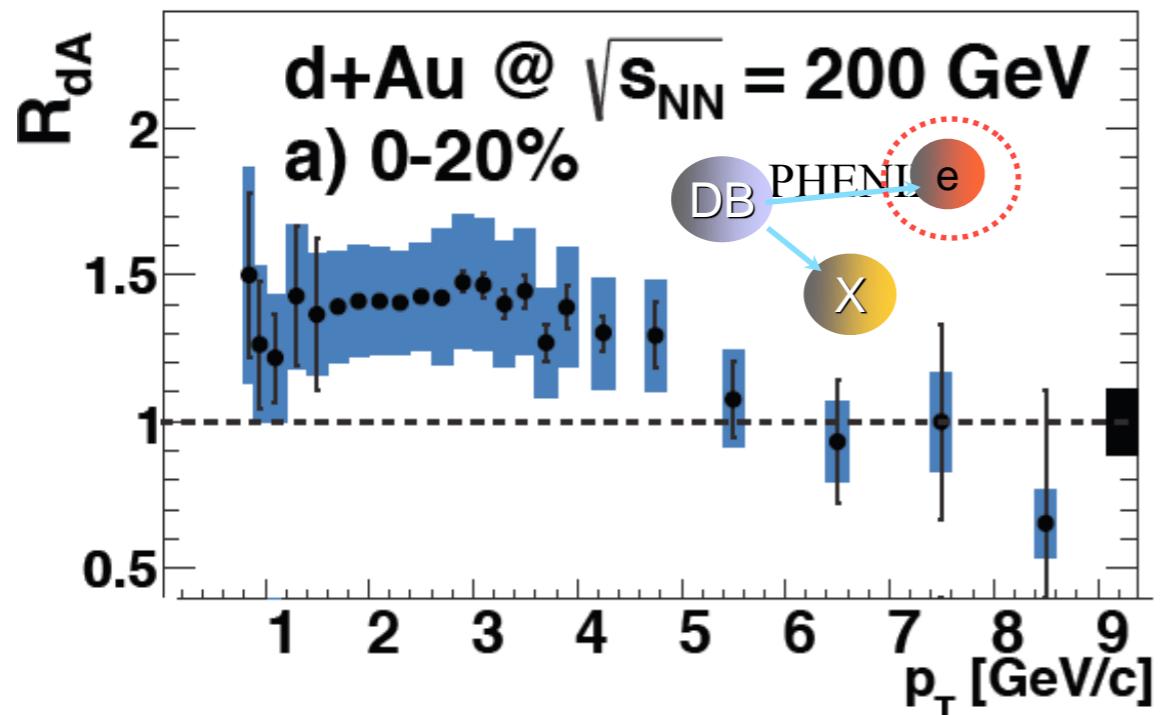
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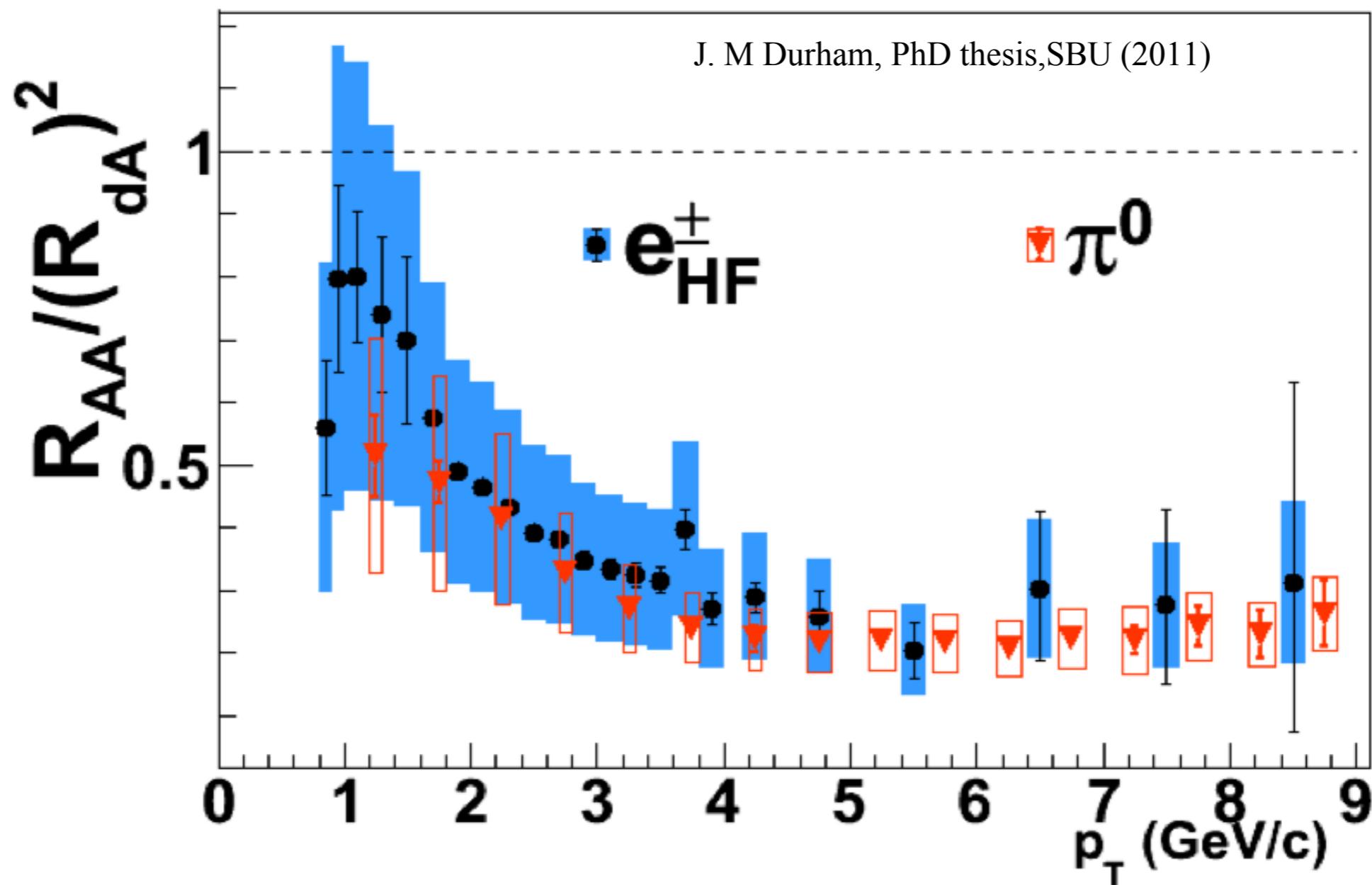
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Suppression in JdA stronger than in smaller x single muons.
HF from gluon fusion has a stronger suppression.

Light/Heavy quark comparison



Light/Heavy quark comparison

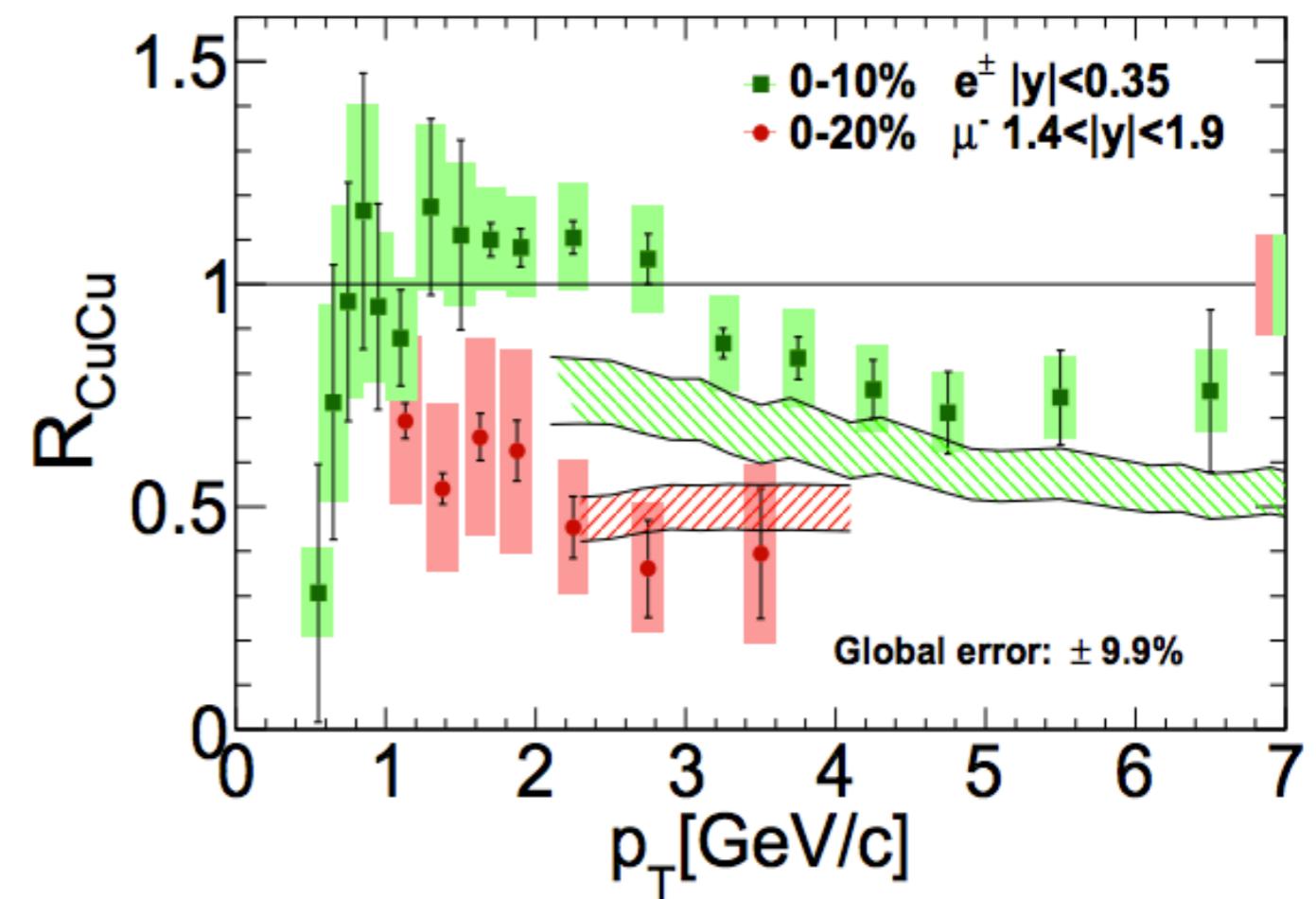
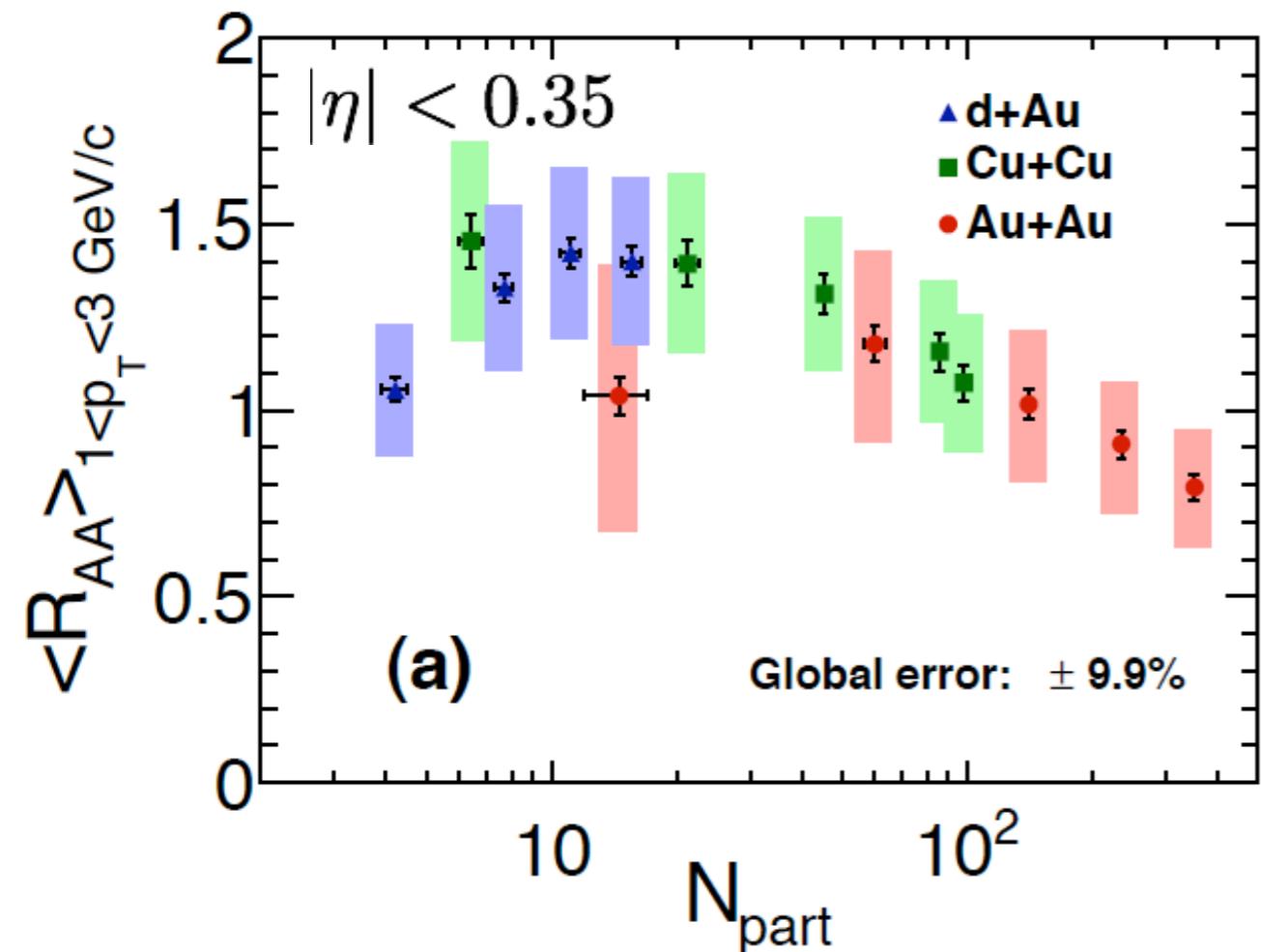


Final state modification of **light** and **heavy** quarks are consistent within uncertainties.

Is $(R_{dA})^2$ a valid representation of CNM effects in A+A ?

R_{AA} vs. p_T vs. N_{part} vs. system size

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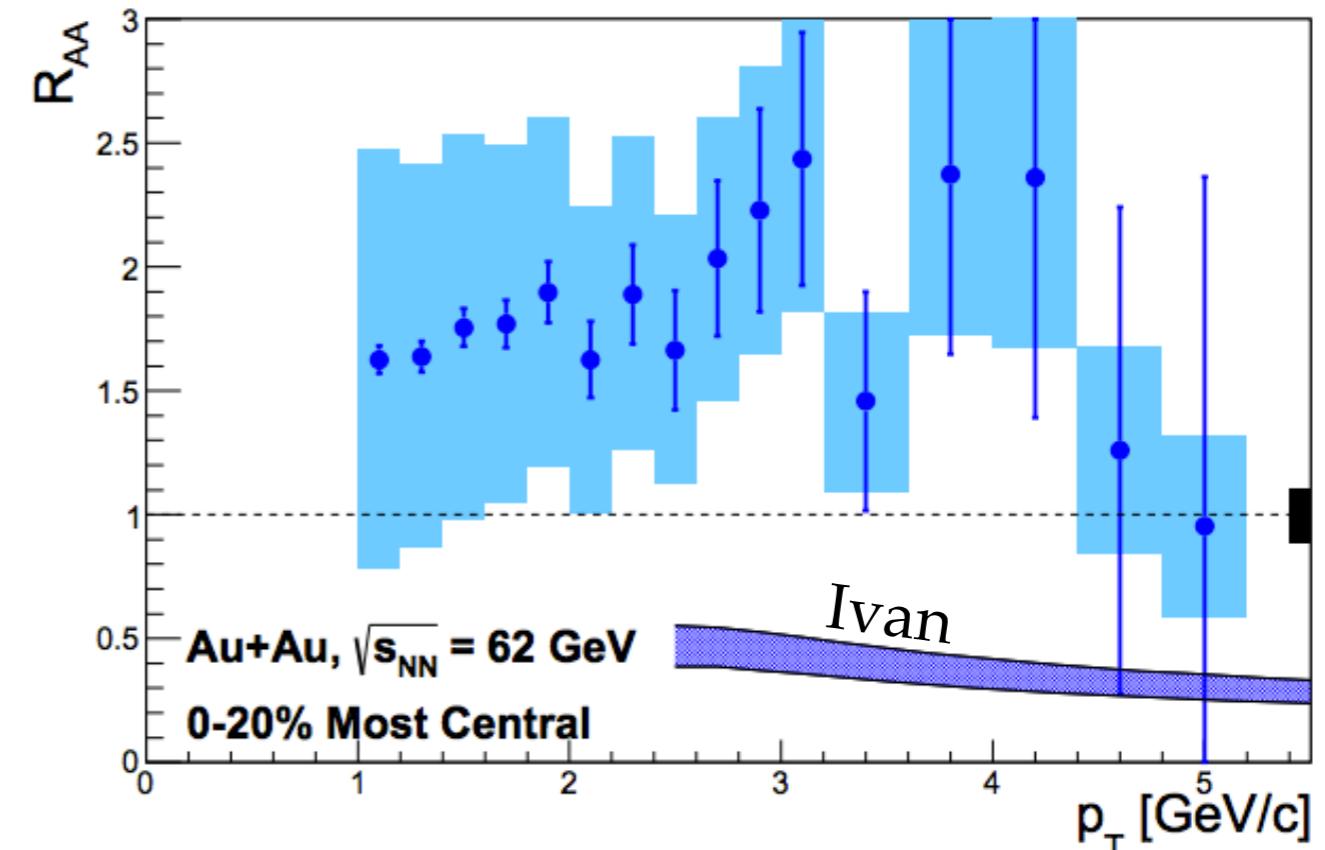
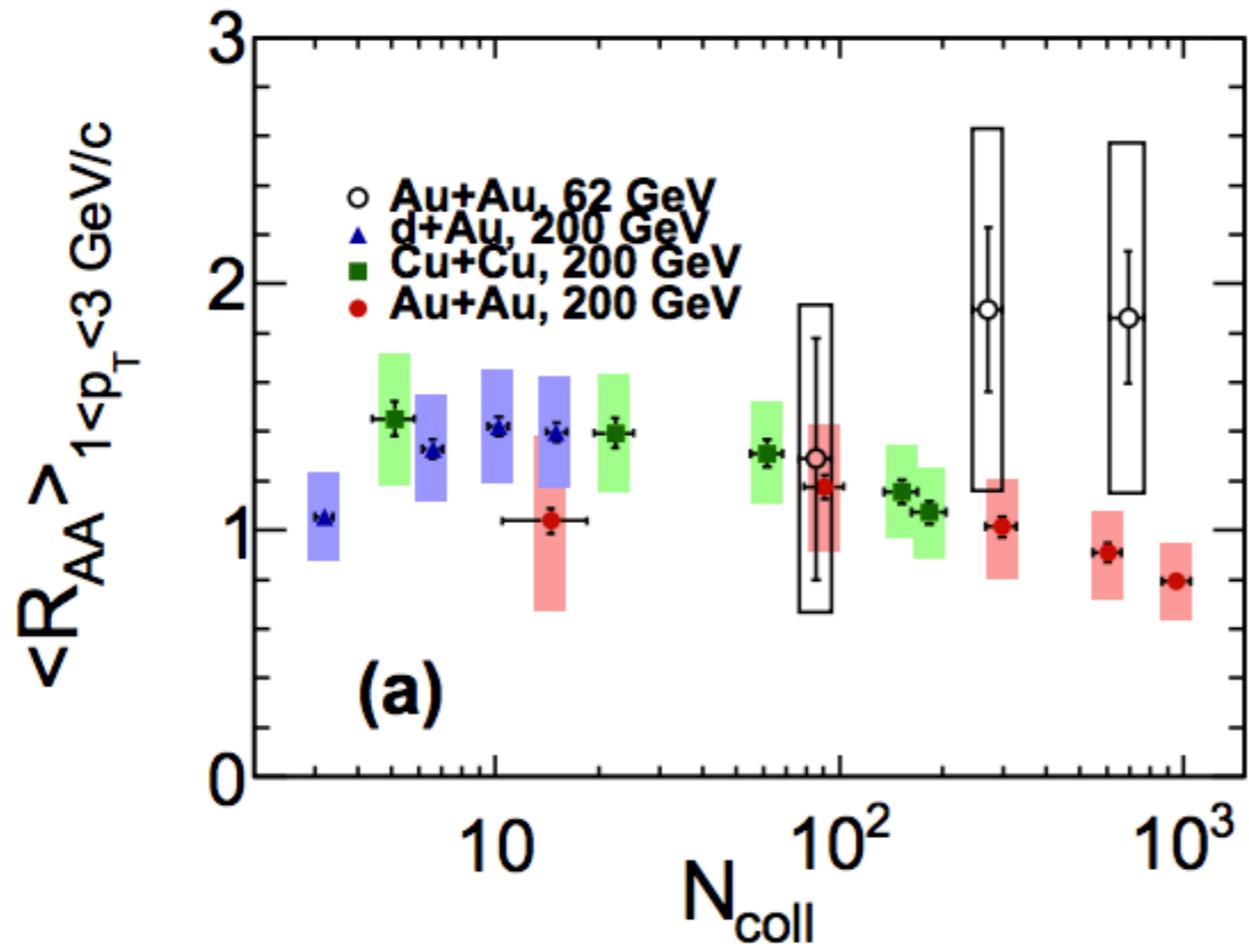


Modification in Cu+Cu is an interplay between d+Au and Au+Au mid-rapidity results.

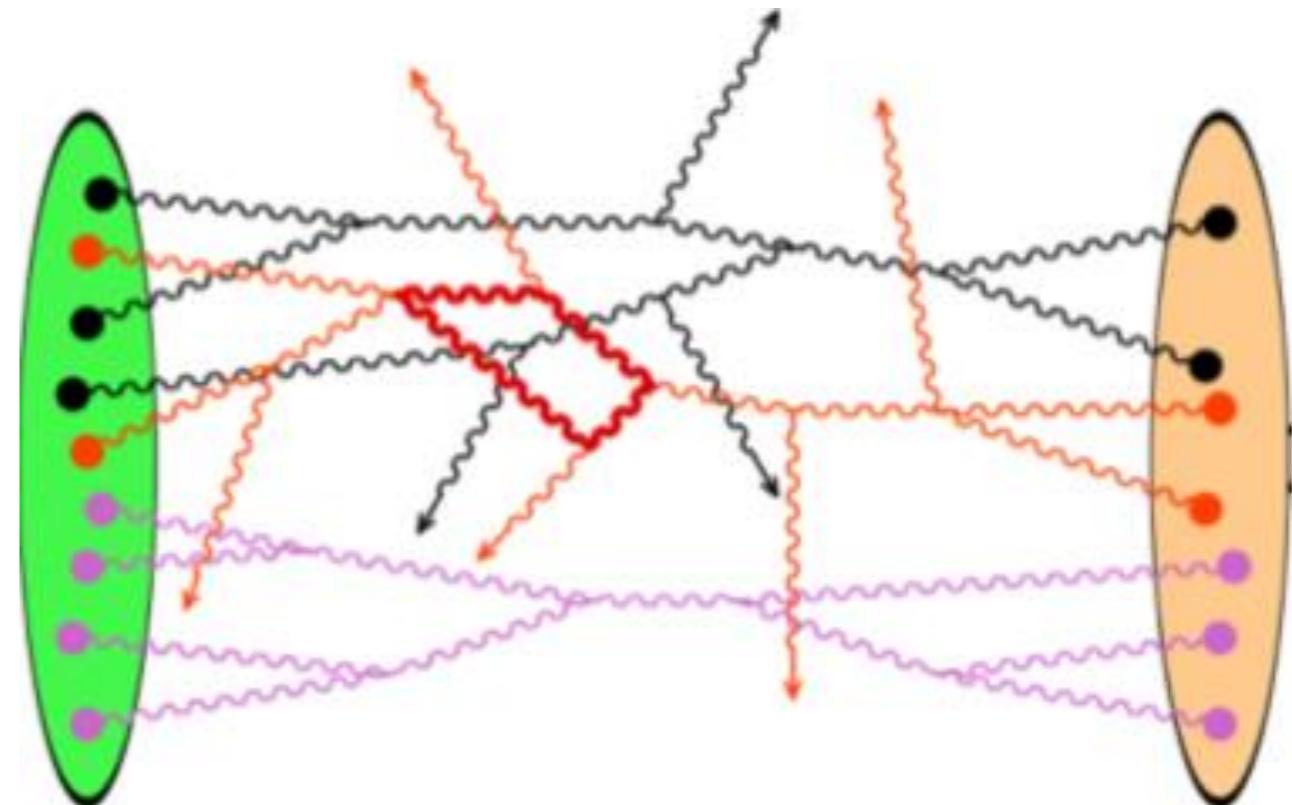
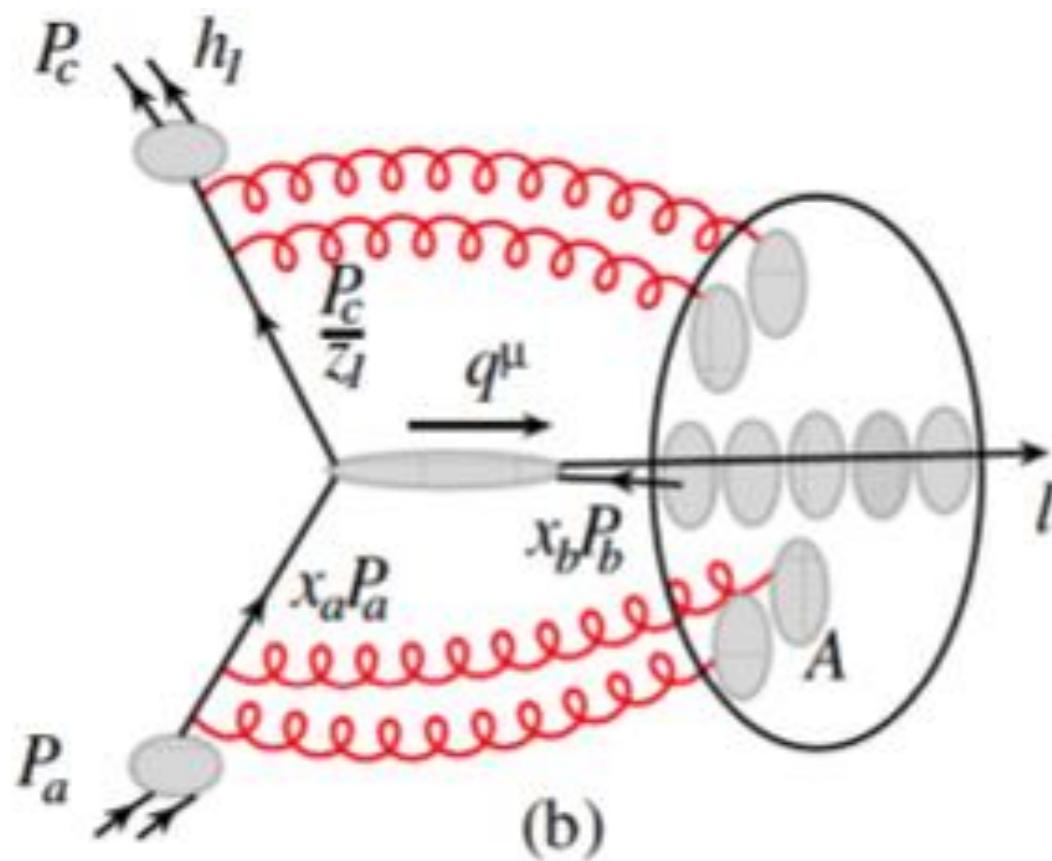
$R_{AA}(p_T)$ indicates a strong contribution from CNM effects.

Model including partonic fragmentation and dissociation E-loss, shadowing and Cronin underestimates low- p_T R_{AA} by at least 20%.

R_{AA} vs. p_T vs. N_{part} vs. Energy



Large HF enhancement when going to lower energies.
Largely underestimated by E-loss+shadowing+Cronin based models.

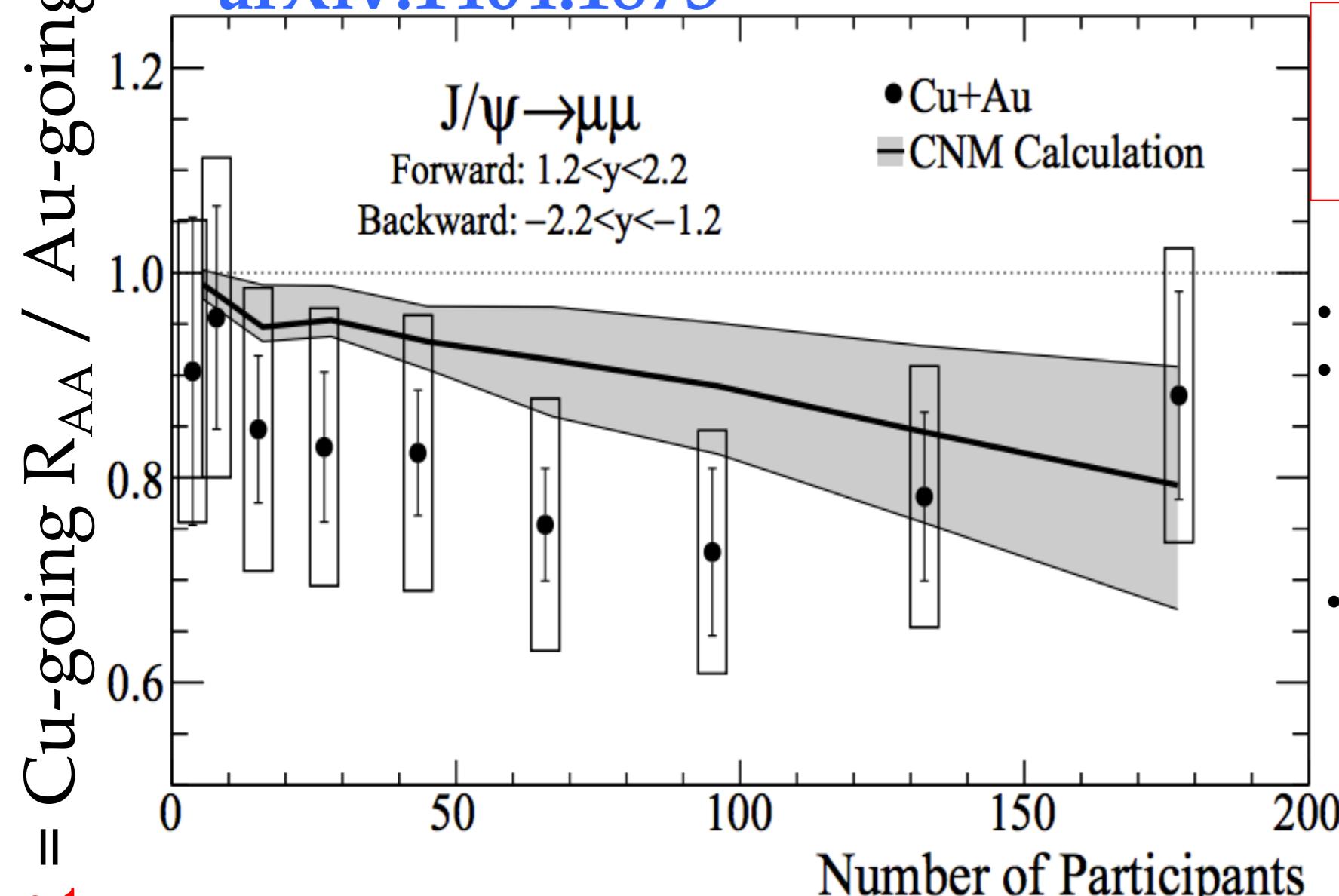


How CNM effects factorize in A+A collisions ?

A big challenge when estimating and interpreting RAA..

Disentangling CNM effects in HI collisions

arXiv:1404.1873



$$\text{CNM} = \text{EPS09} + 4\text{mb breakup}$$

- Cu-going probes small- x in Au
- Au-going probes small- x in Cu
→ initial state effects cause \mathbf{R} to decrease with centrality
- Final state effects causes more suppression in Au-going side
→ Final state effects should increase \mathbf{R} with centrality

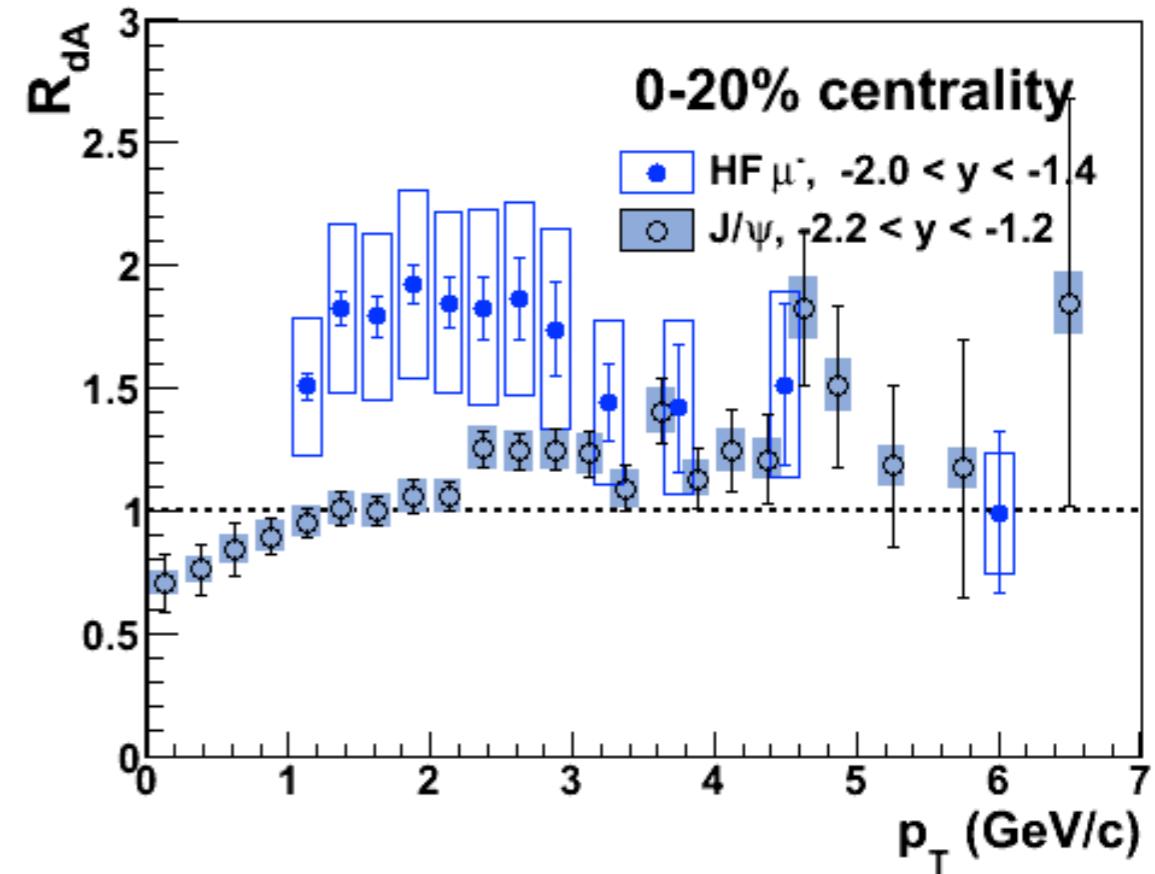
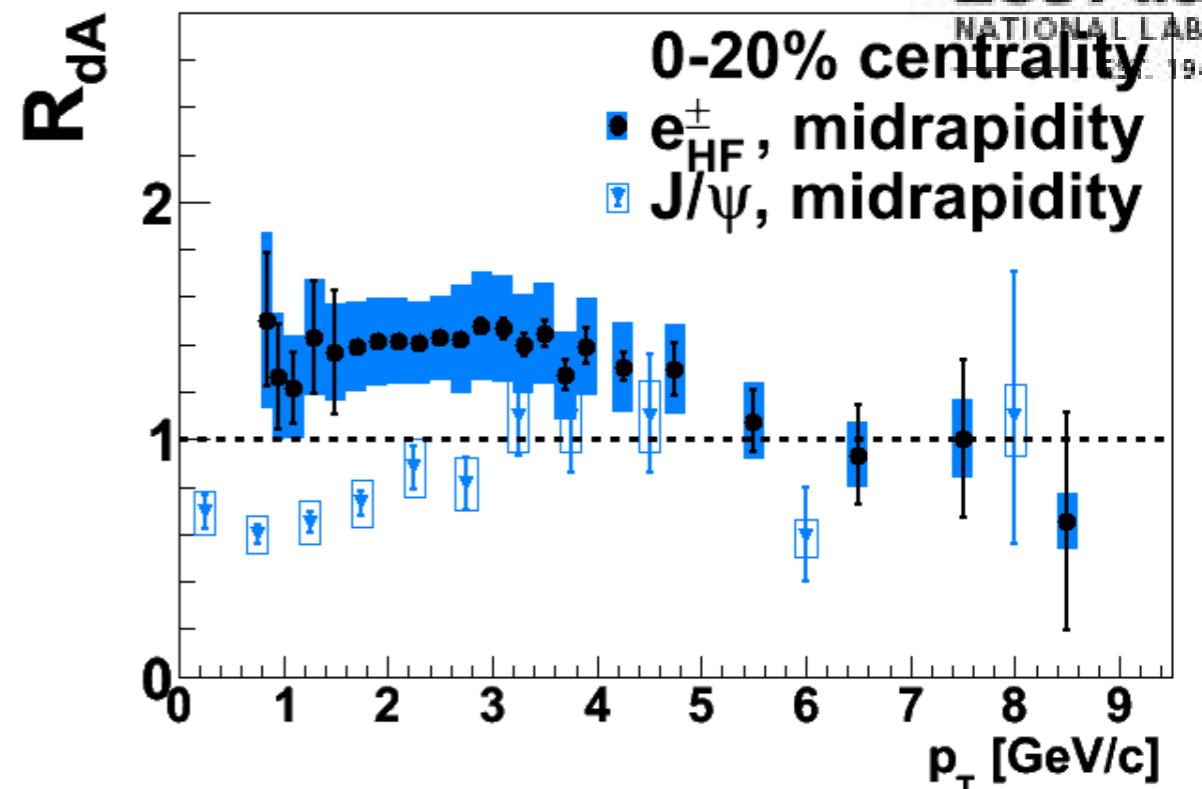
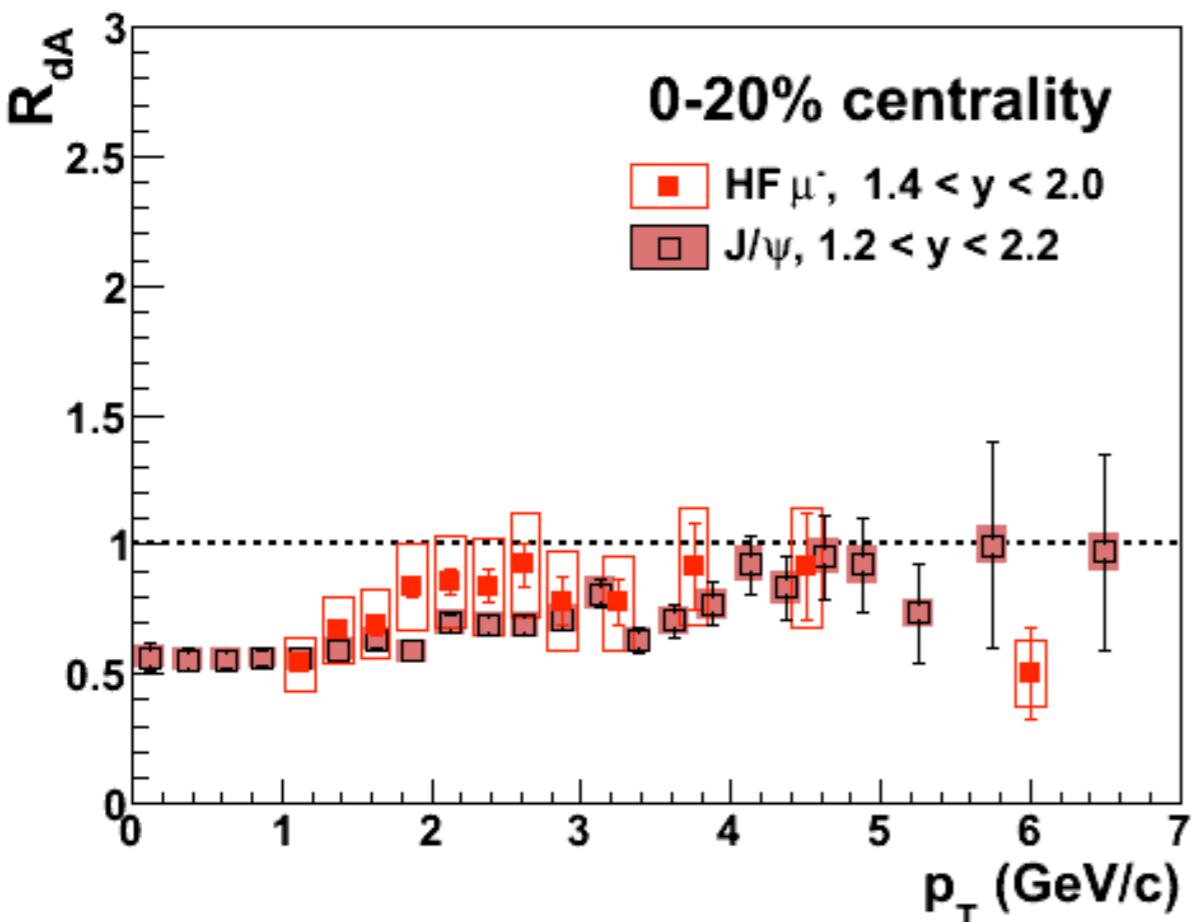
Rapidity dependence of CNM and QGP effects is not symmetric.

PHENIX is analyzing HF in Cu+Au (no breakup, formation time easier to understand). First FVTX data.

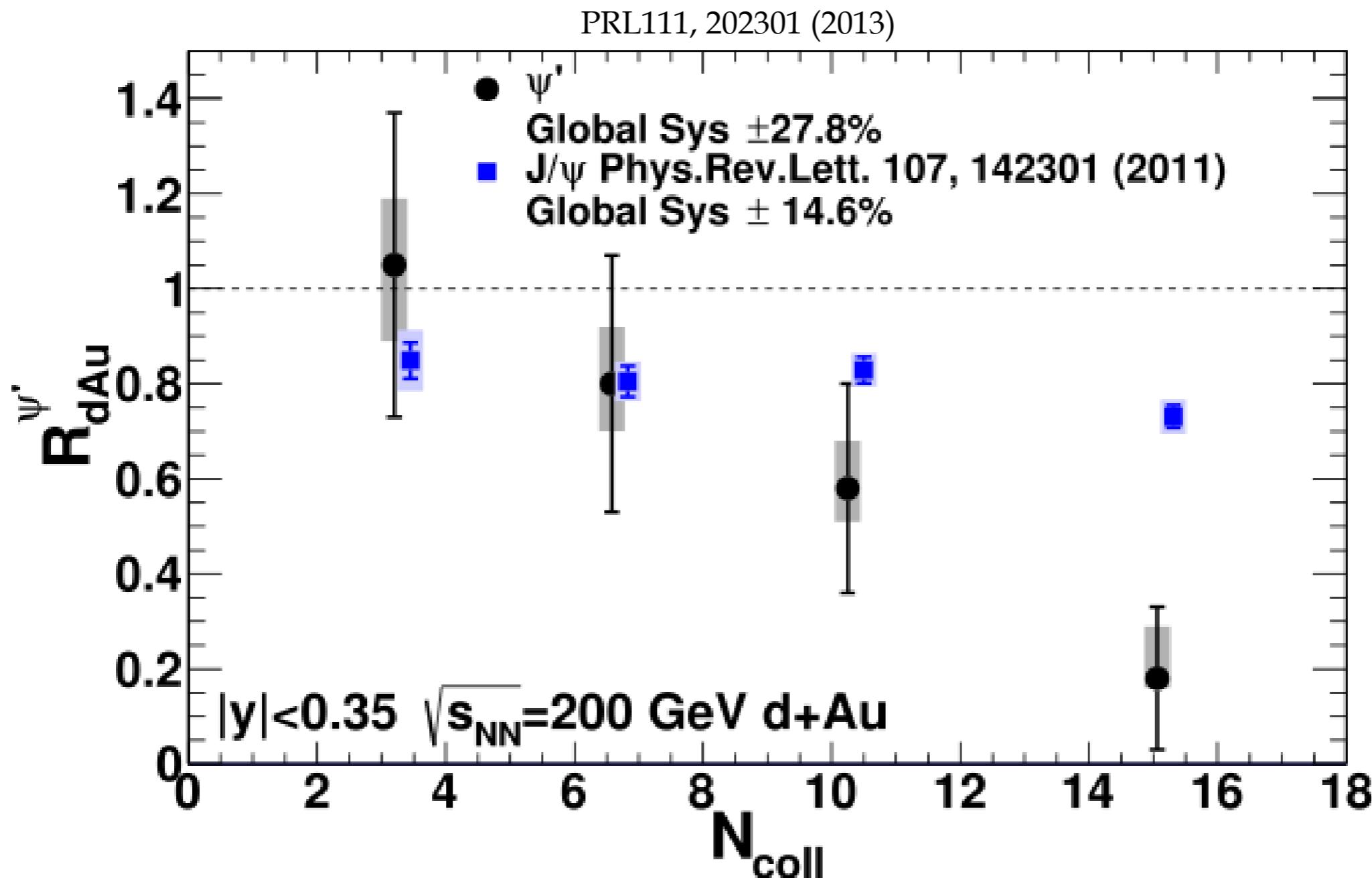
- HF analysis using run11 Au+Au and run12 Cu+Au going on. Will be the first R_{AA} and flow results from separated charm and bottom quarks by PHENIX.
- Run14 Au+Au results are very promising
- More data than all previous runs combined
- Vertex detectors (VTX and FVTX) fully operational.
- Run15 p+A (Al,Cu,Au) can be the basis CNM measurement for high energy hadron collisions
- A-dependence can help distinguish the role of saturation, coherent effects(shadowing) and energy loss
- It will be a better reference for Cronin effect
- Future detectors need to emphasize large coverage and precision in order to disentangle CNM and QGP effects

BACKUP SLIDES

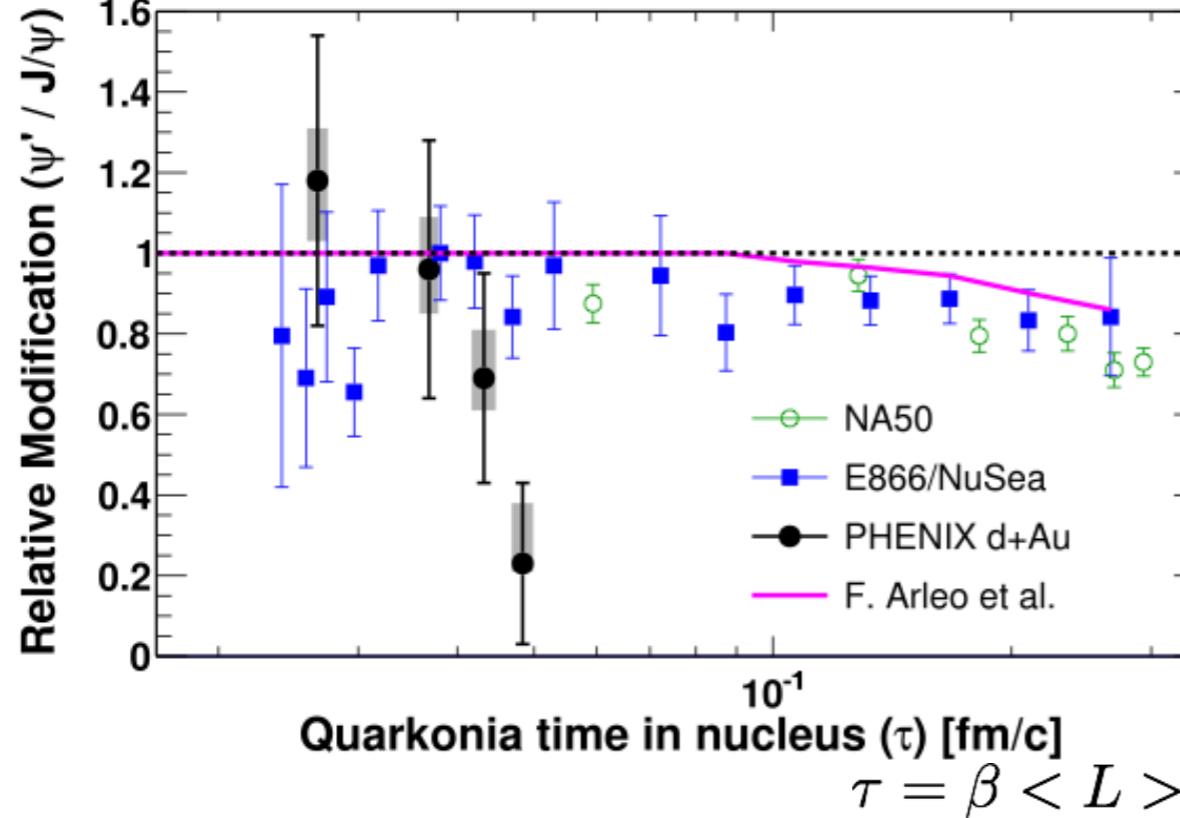
Open and bound $c\bar{c}$ modifications



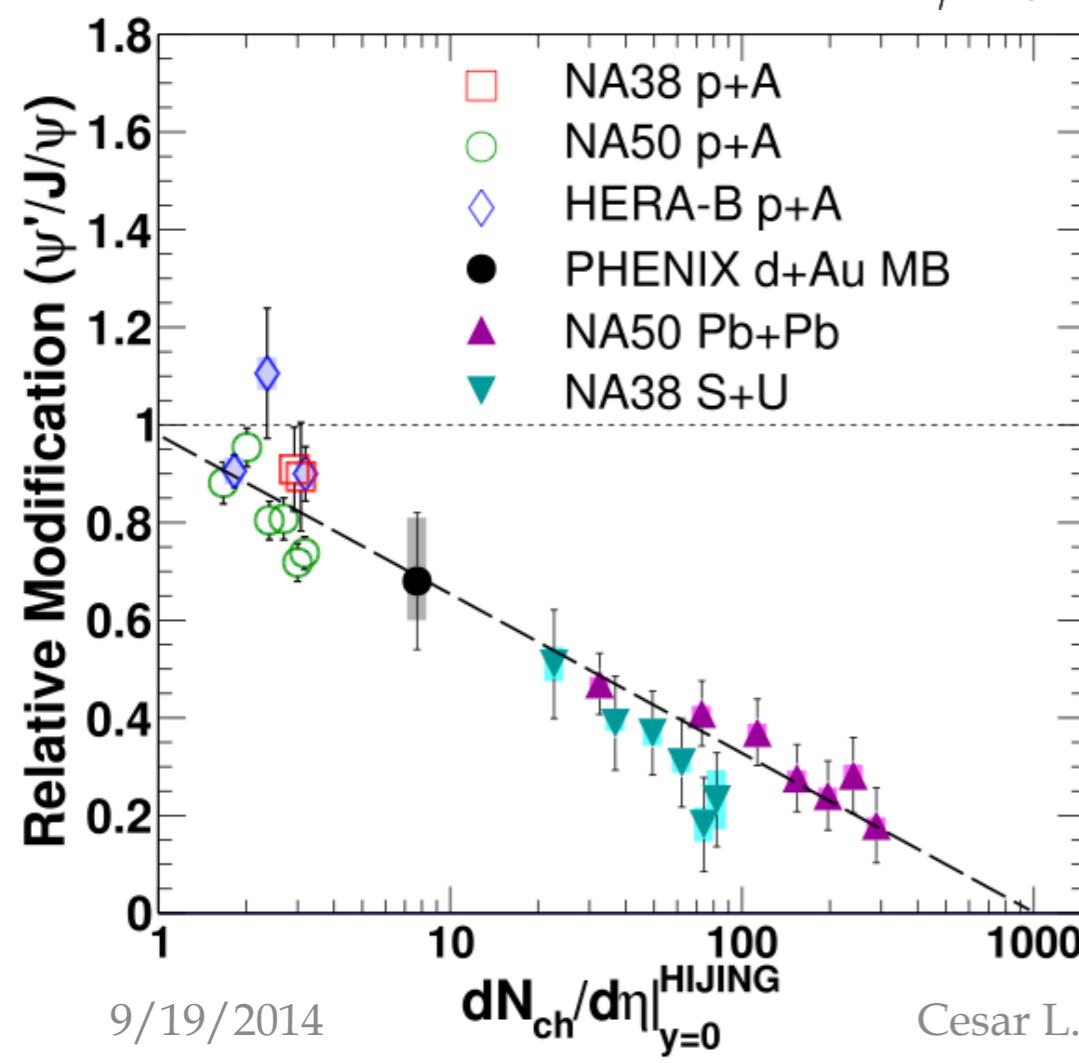
- J/ ψ and open charm have same p_T dependence at forward direction
- Small final state effects.
- significant breakup of J/ ψ at low p_T mid- and backward rapidities



- ψ' has a binding energy $12\times$ smaller than J/ψ
- data suggests ψ' is more sensitive to final state effects
- excellent tool to study charmonium nuclear absorption

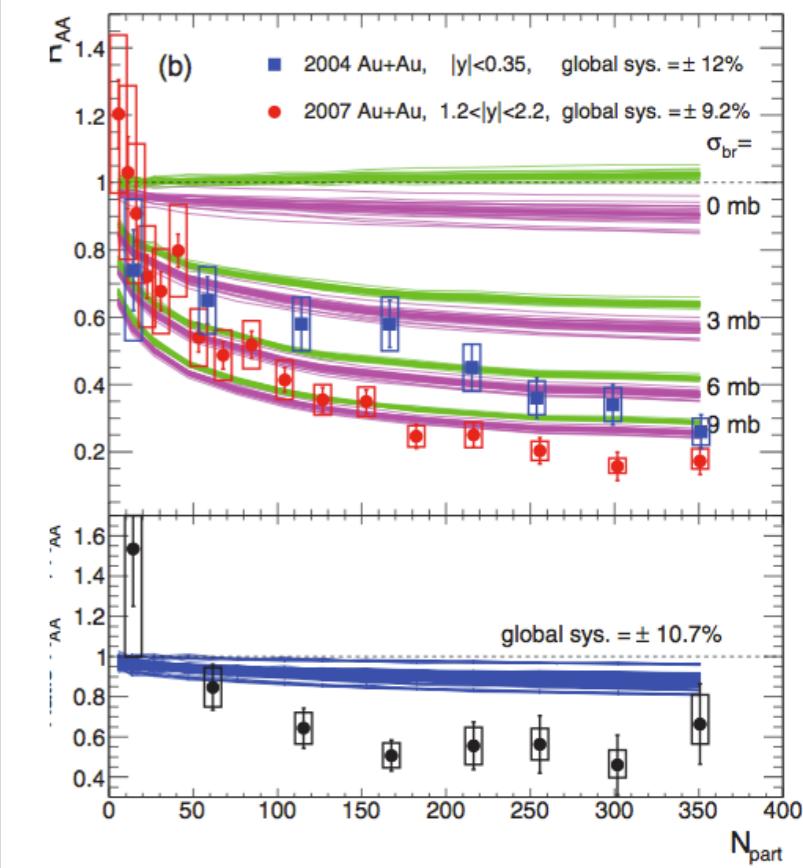
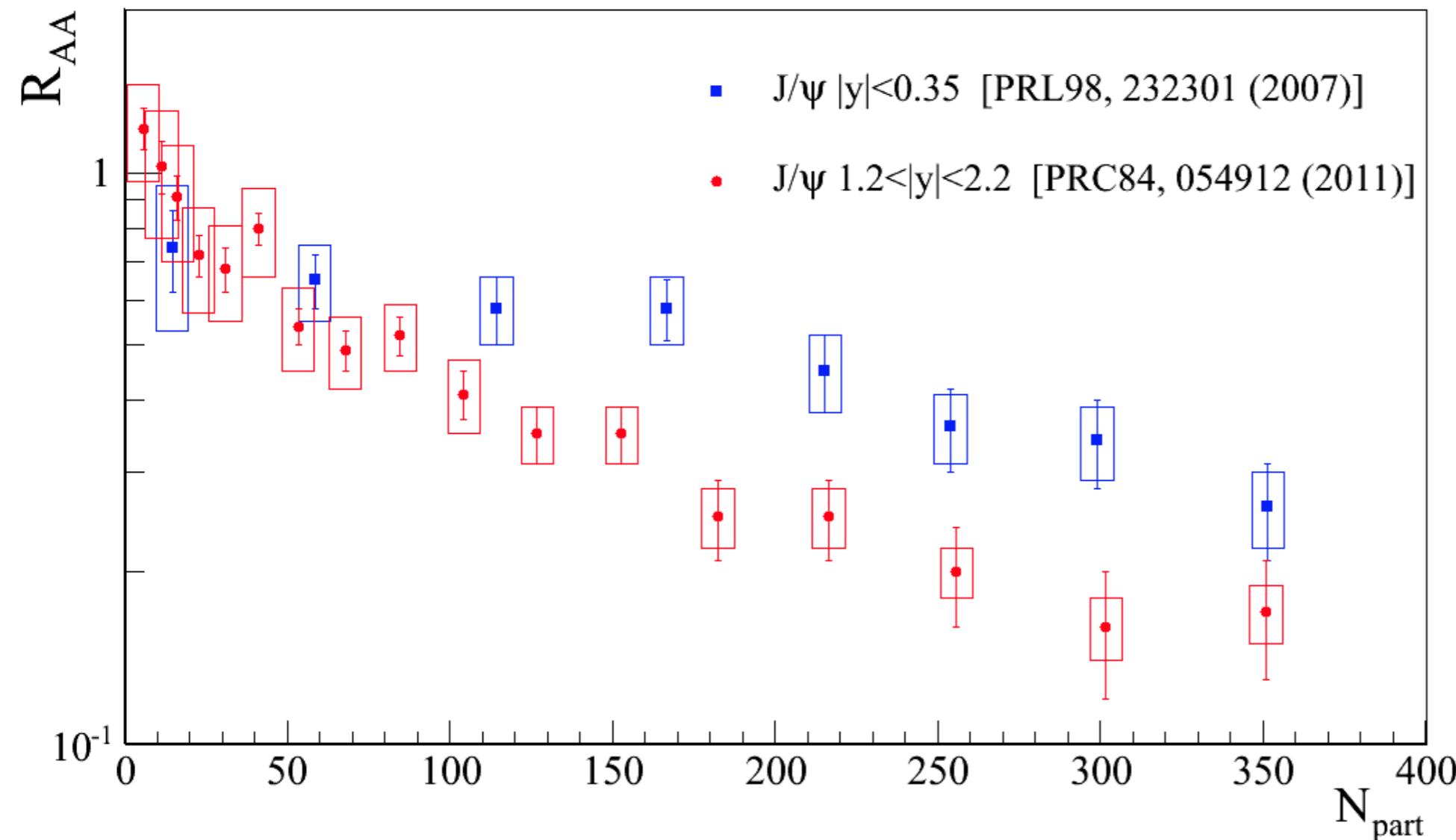


- bound $c\bar{c}$ may cross the nucleus as a pre-resonant state
- J/ψ and ψ' should have the same suppression
- data indicates something different

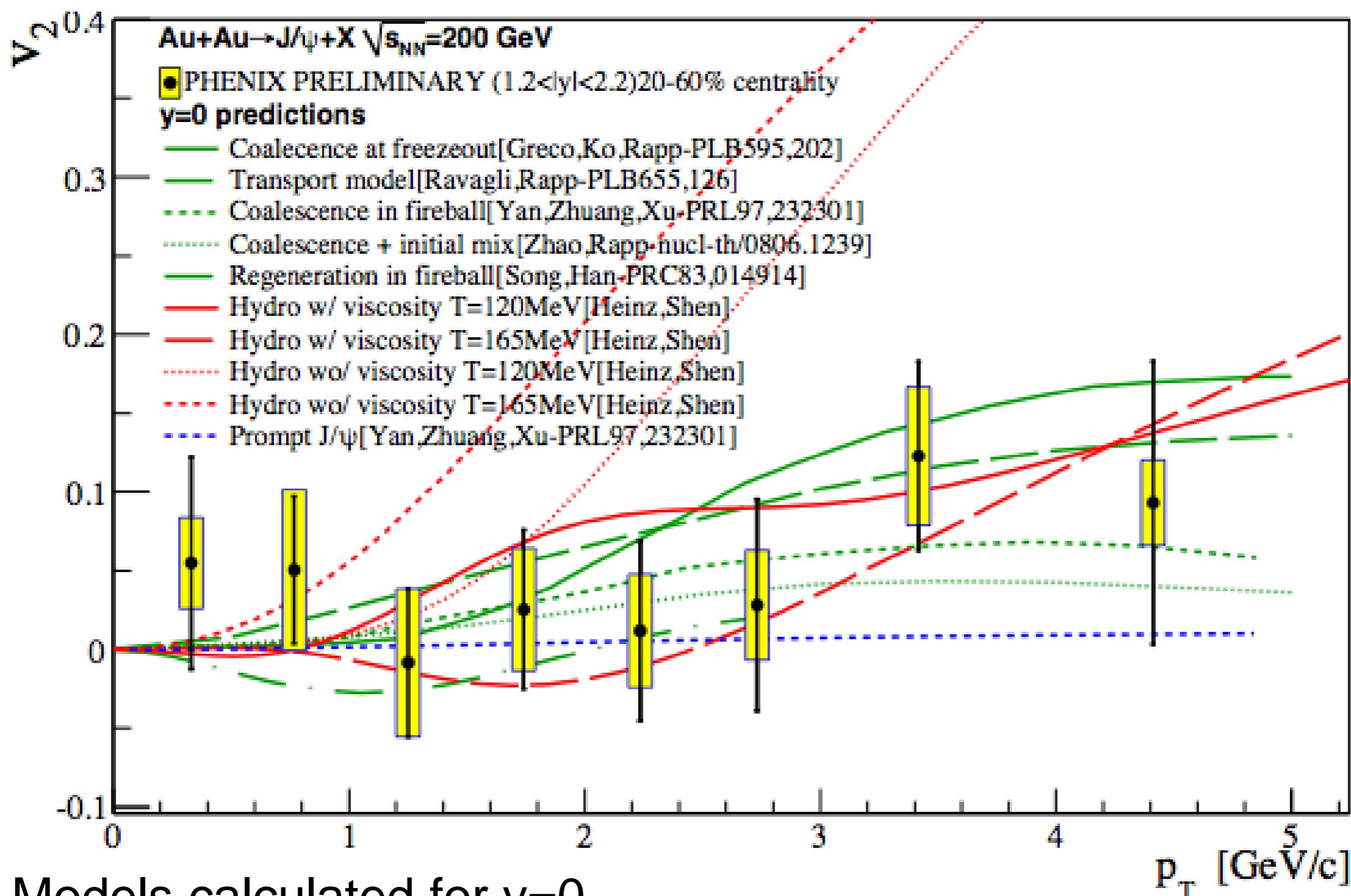


- particle activity can change the relative suppression of ψ'
- CMS sees the same behavior for Υ states
- comovers ?

Mid- and large rapidity J/Psi R_{AA}



- EPS09 cannot describe the difference
- larger R_{AA} may indicates another source of J/ ψ (regeneration ?)

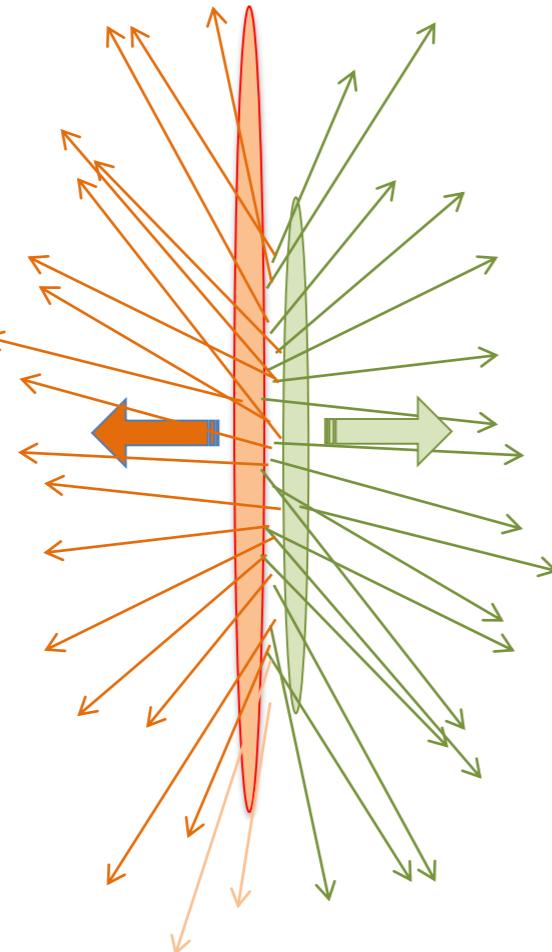


Models calculated for $y=0$

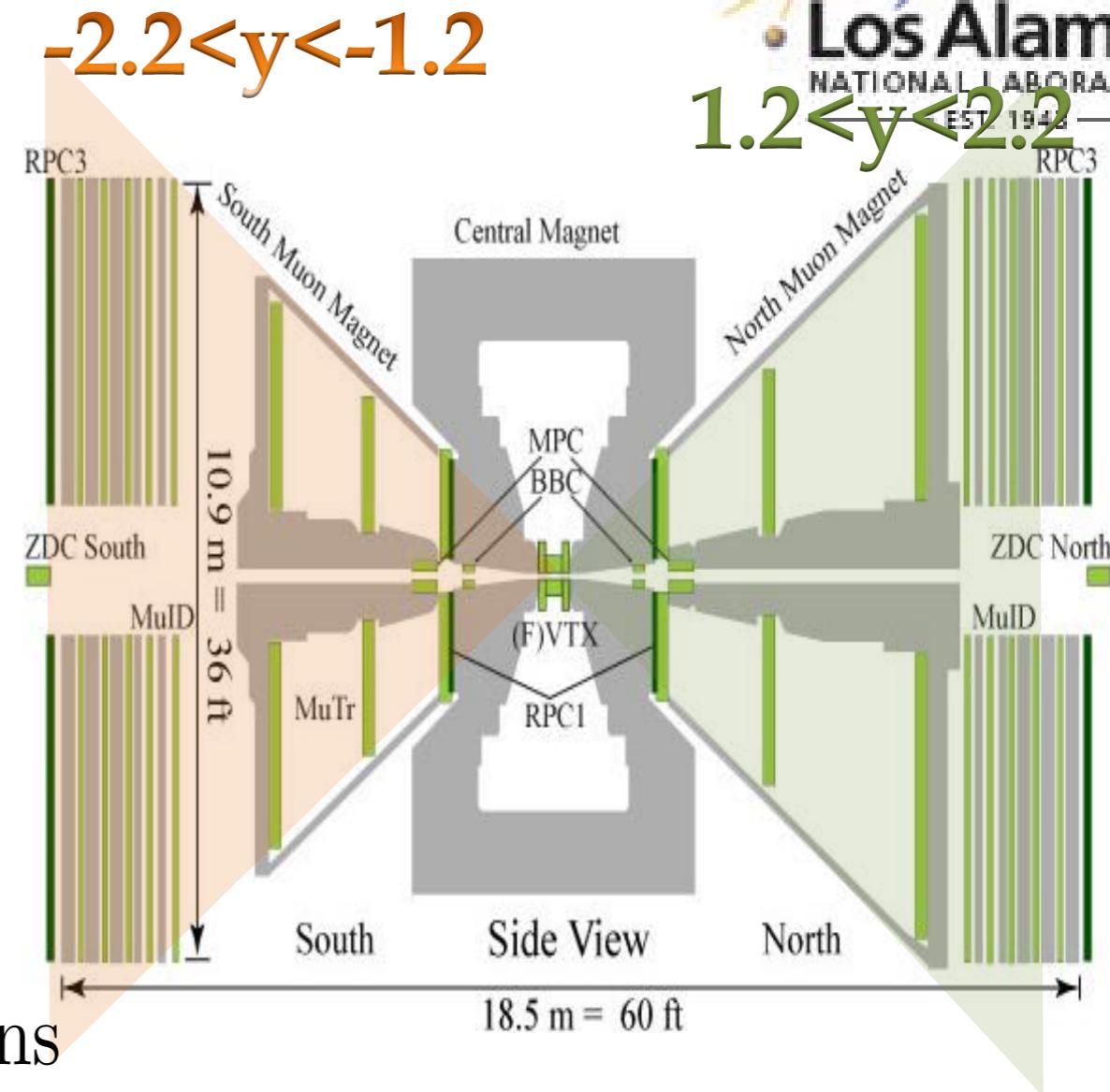
Data don't rule out most of coalescence/regeneration models.

Trend for increasing v_2 at high p_T ?

Cu Au

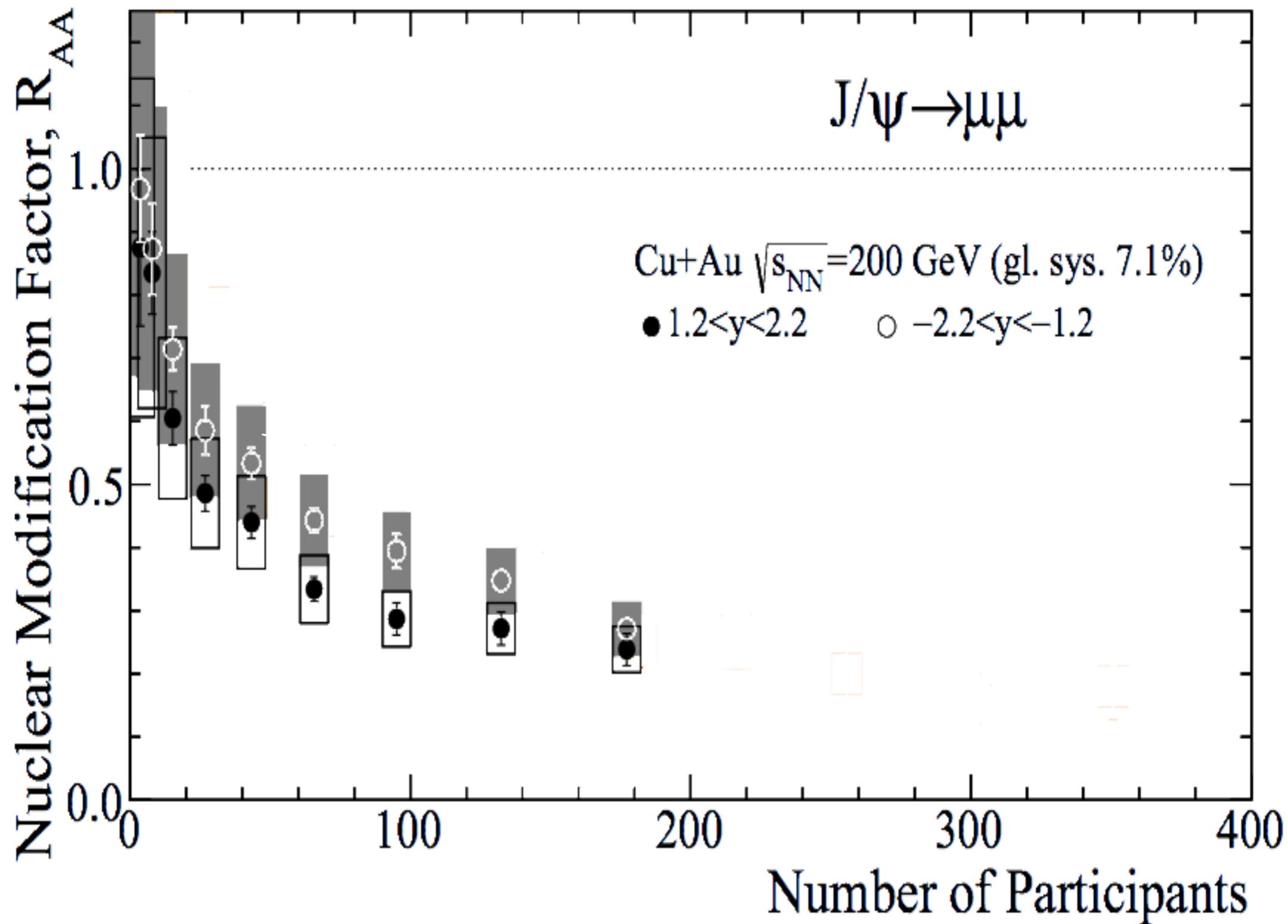


- break of the rapidity symmetry in
 - parton distribution modifications
 - nucleus crossing time of the $c - \bar{c}$ precursor
 - initial state energy loss
 - breakup in the hadronic phase
- comparisons with $p(d) + A$ results will test CNM+QGP factorization

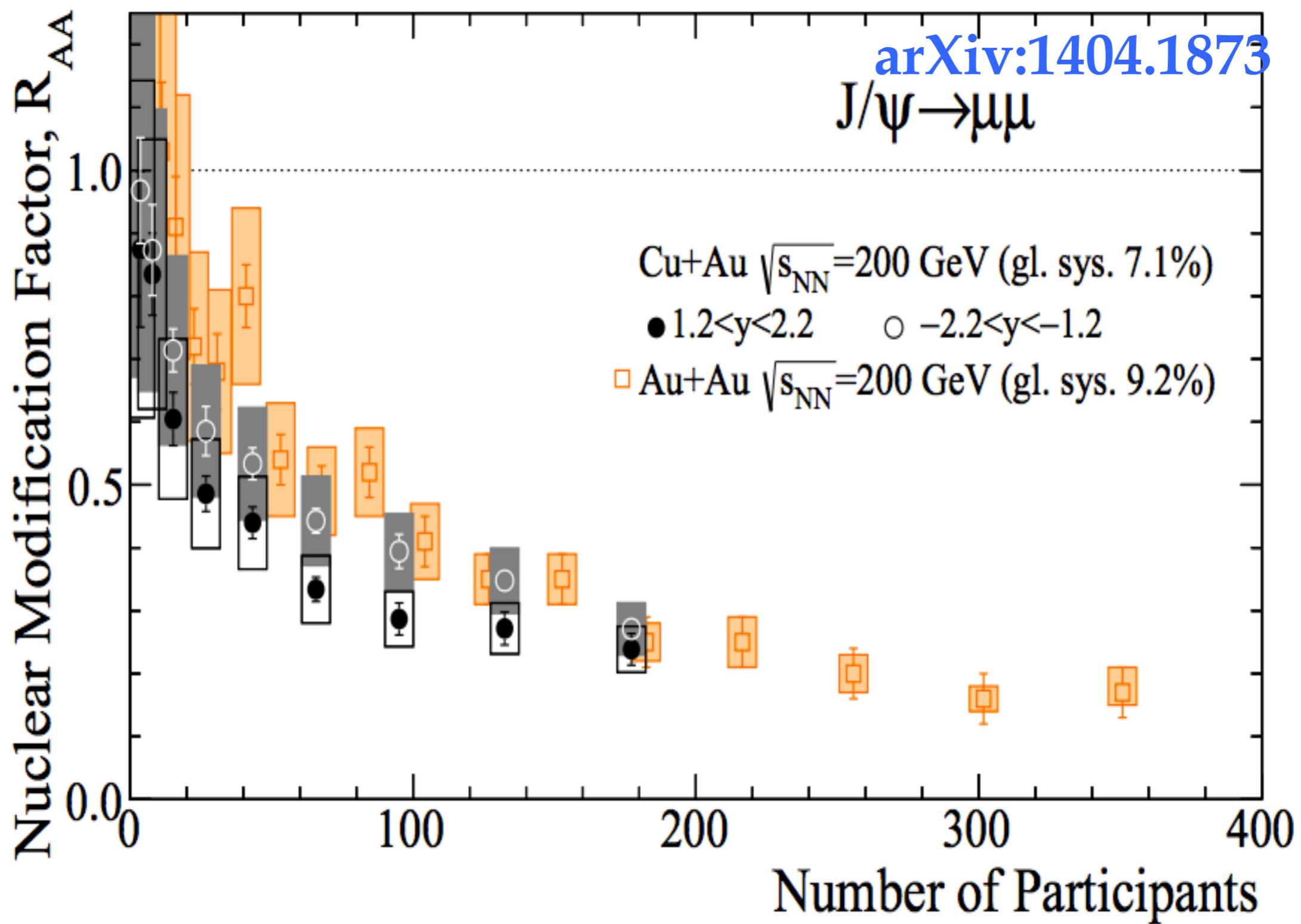


Is R_{AA} also Asymmetric ?

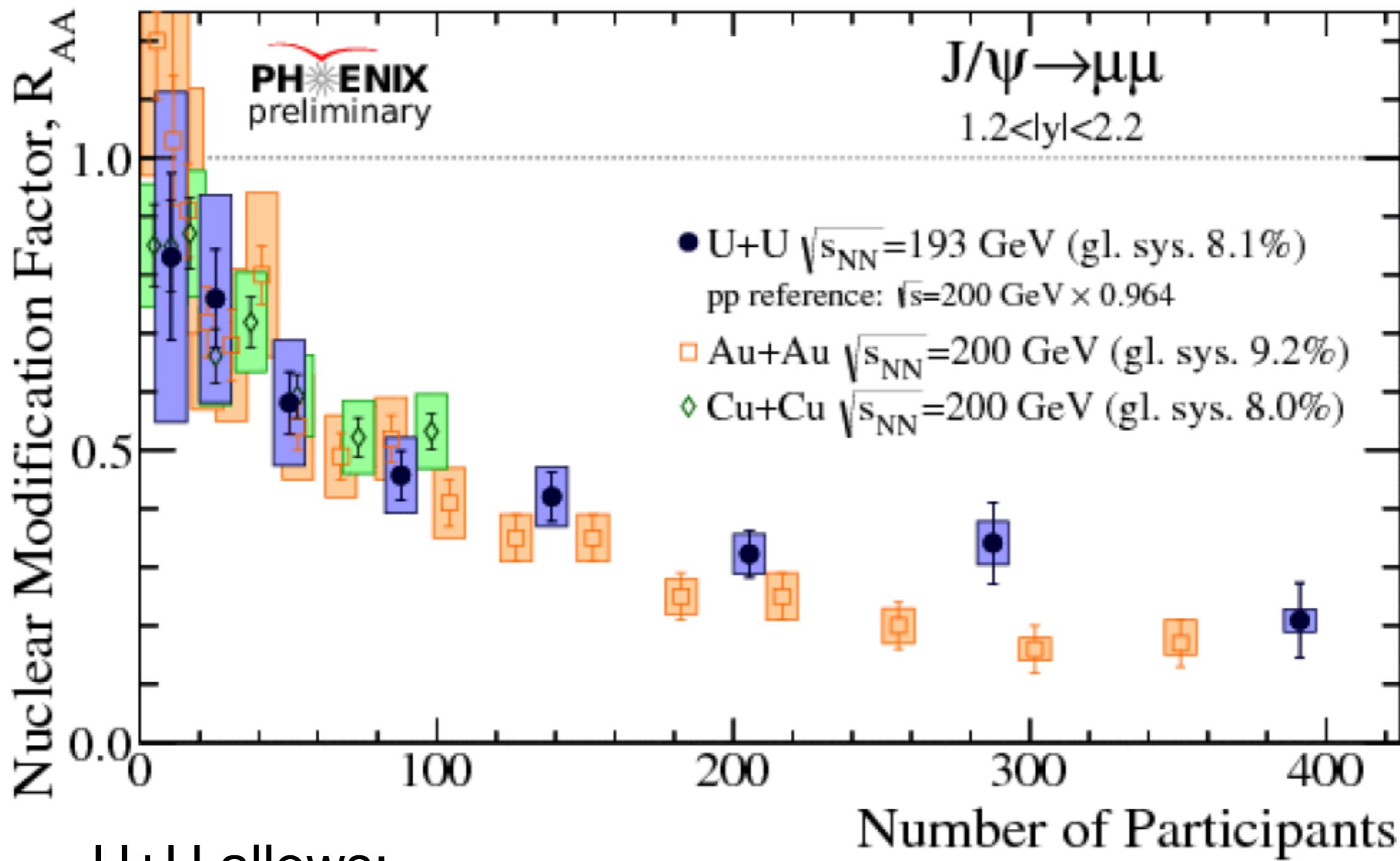
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Is R_{AA} also Asymmetric ?



J/Psi R_{AA} in U+U collisions

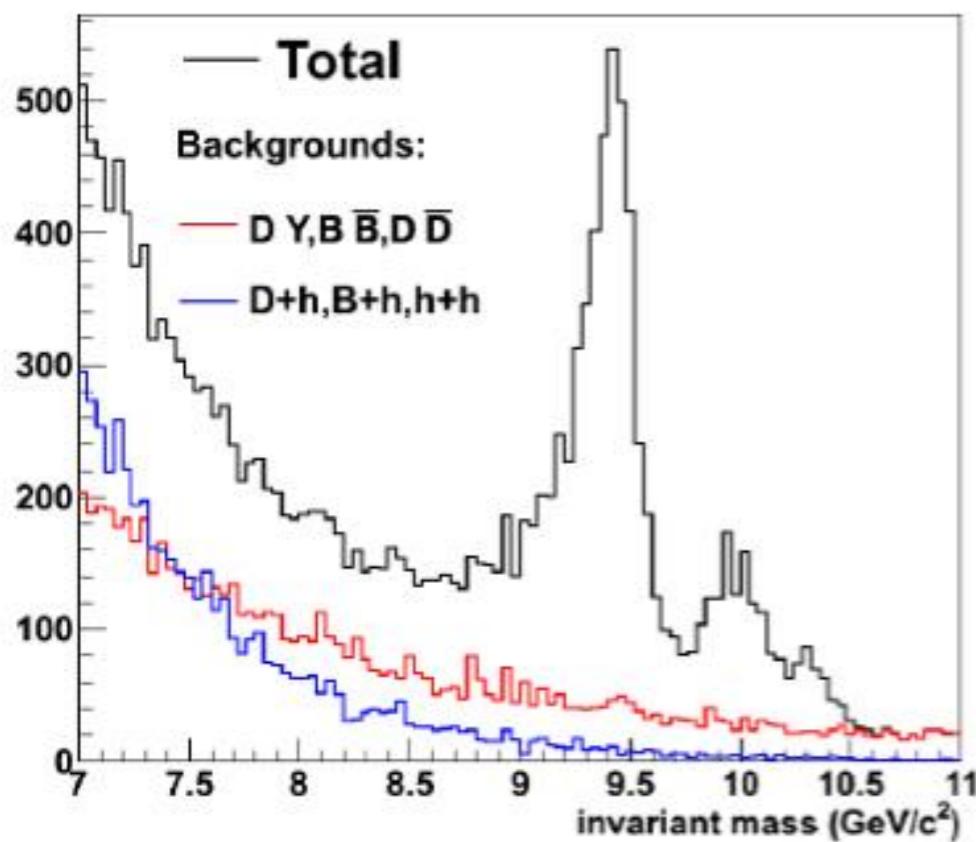


U+U allows:

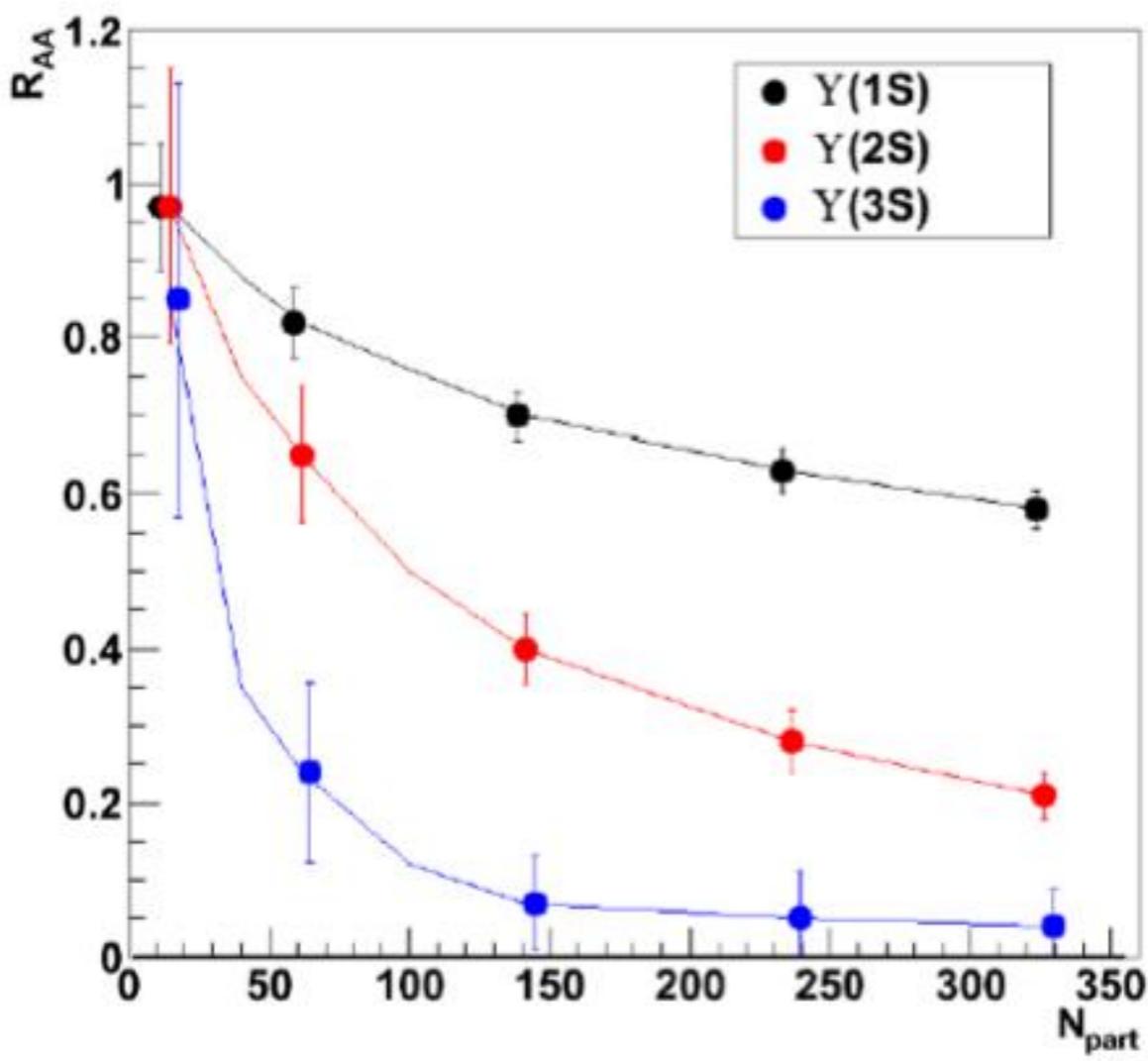
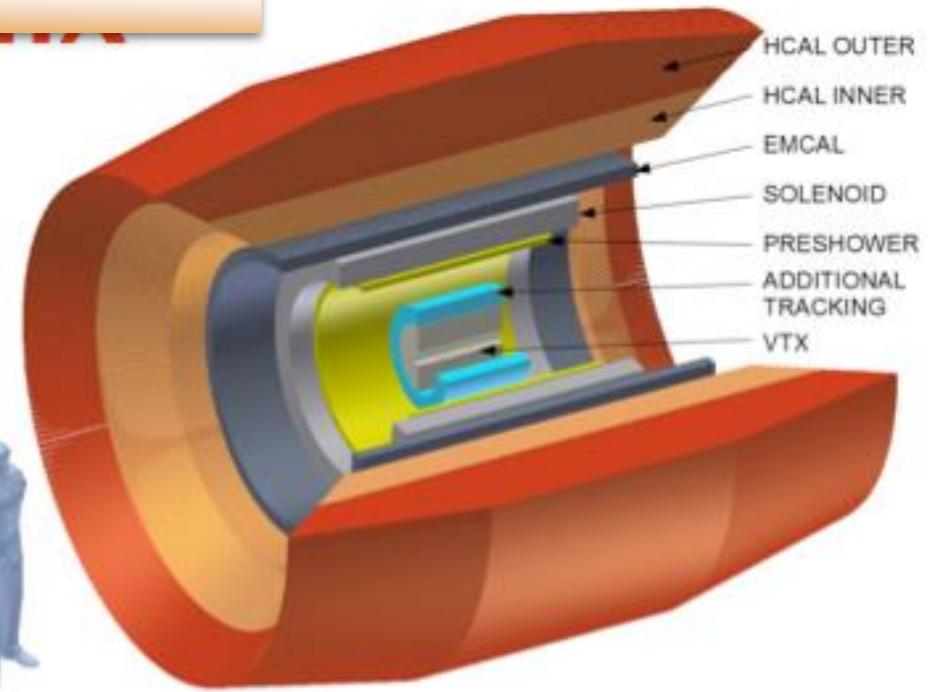
- higher energy density
- more room for recombination
- different geometry

FVTX**VTX****FVTX**

- charm and bottom nuclear modification factors at mid and forward rapidity
- ψ' measurement at forward rapidity
- heavy flavor v_2
- and much more ...

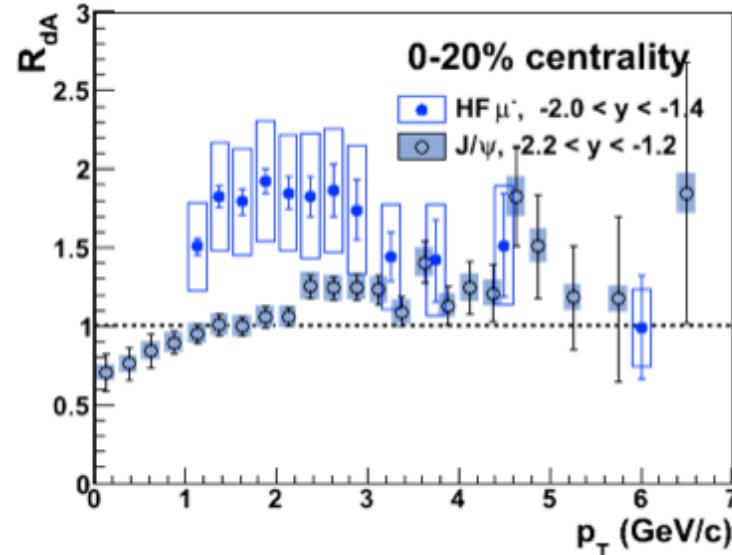
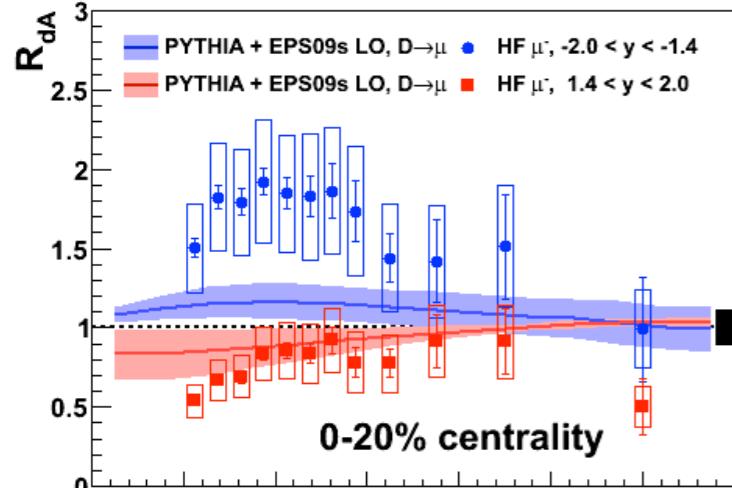
Y(1S,2S,3S)

Species	$\int L dt$	Events	$\langle N_{coll} \rangle$	Y(1S)	Y(2S)	Y(3S)
$p+p$	18 pb^{-1}	756 B	1	805	202	106
Au+Au (MB)		50 B	240.4	12794	3217	1687
Au+Au (0–10%)		5 B	962	5121	1288	675



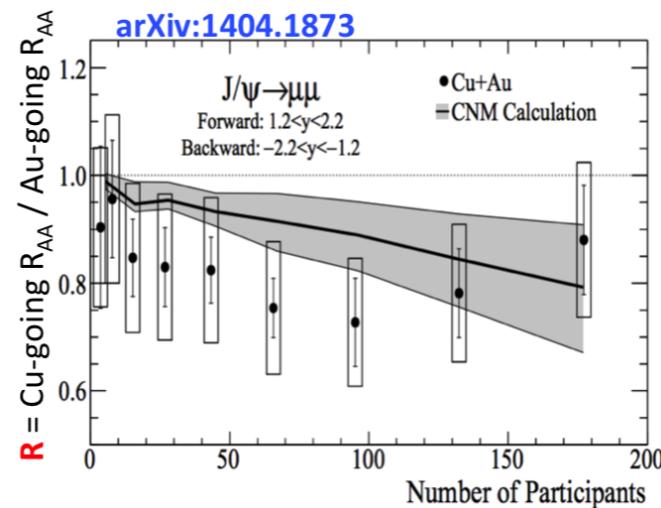
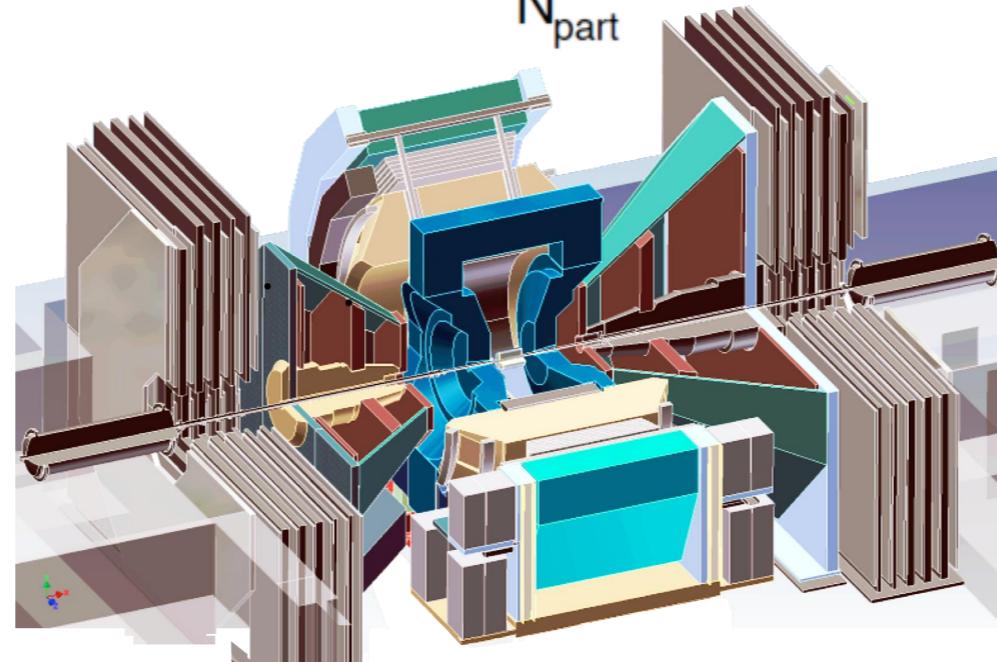
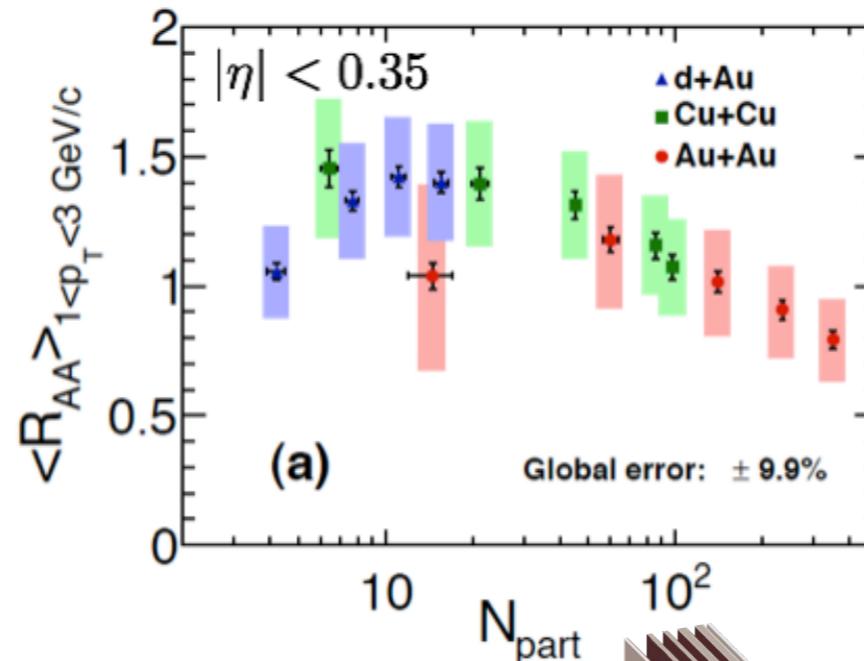
Clear separation of the three states
Large acceptance
Similar statistics to LHC

HF larger than EPS09 at backward direction

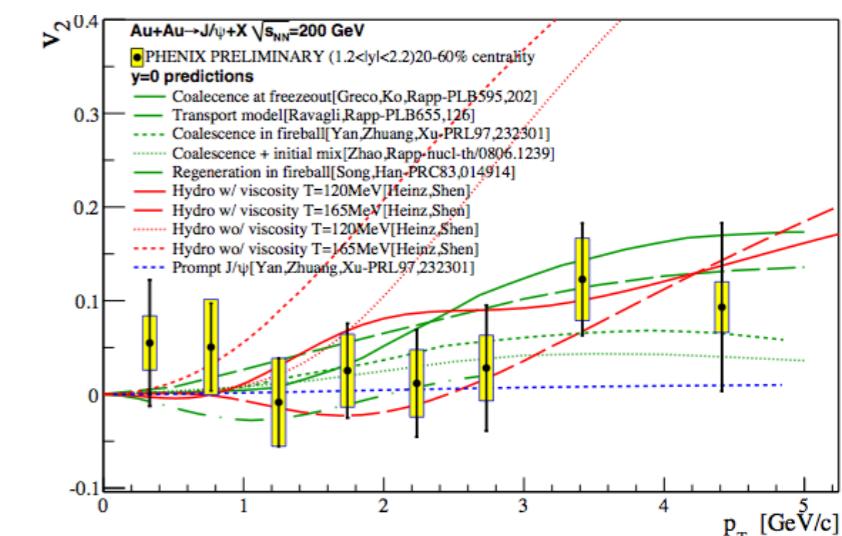
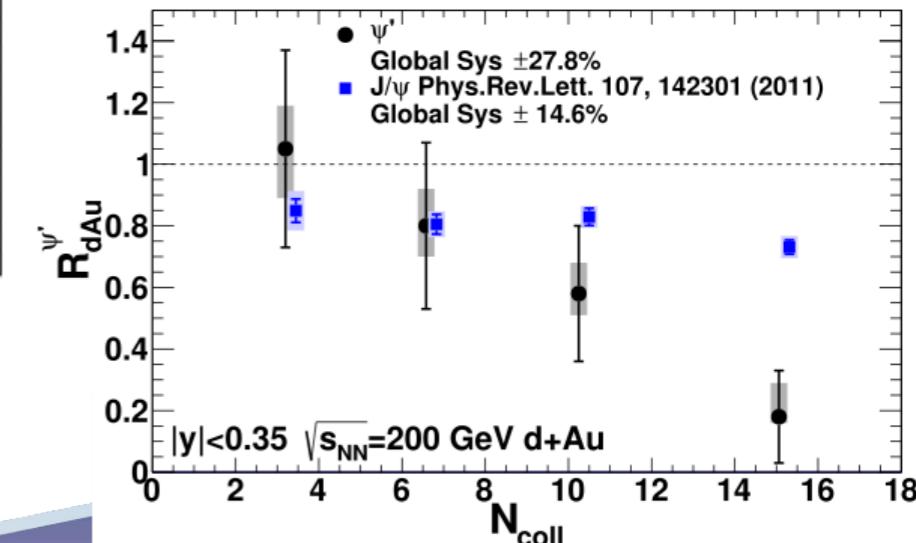


J/ ψ more suppressed than HF at mid- and backward.
Hint for final state effect.

Scale of the HF R_{AA} with N_{part}.



ψ' relative suppression suggests nuclear absorption from comover.



J/ ψ v₂ still consistent with many charm coalescence scenarios.

