

# Recent results from pPb collisions at the LHC

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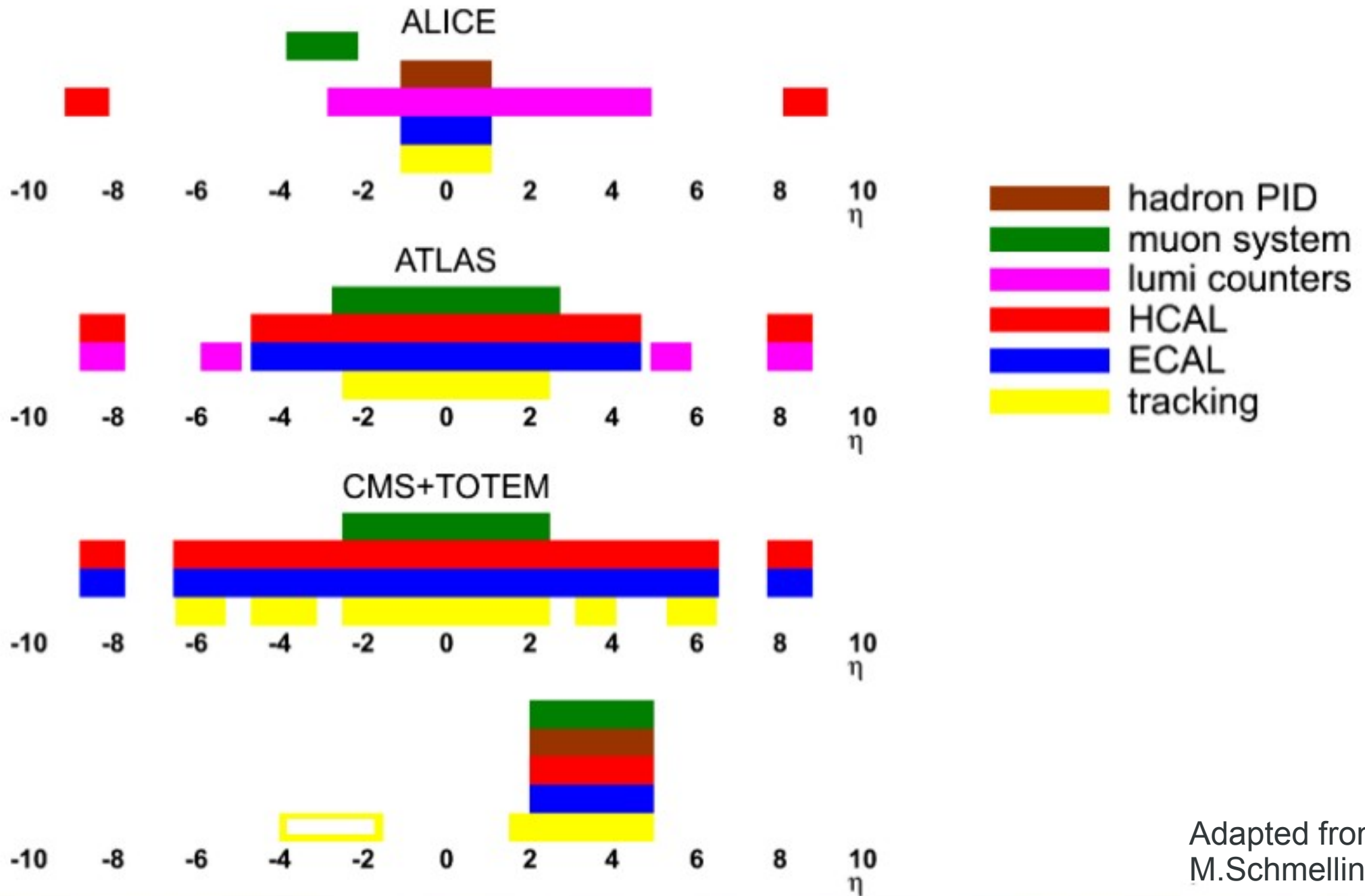
# LHC p+Pb runs at 5.02 TeV

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- LHC operated with
  - 4 TeV proton beam and 1.57 TeV / nucleon Pb beam
    - Center of mass energy 5.02 per nucleon pair
    - Center of mass rapidity shift  $dY = -0.465$  in direction of proton
- 2012 pilot run (4 hours of data taking)
  - About  $1/\mu\text{b}$  per experiment with very low pileup
- 2013 long run (3 weeks of data taking)
  - Delivered about  $30/\text{nb}$  to ATLAS, CMS and ALICE
    - ALICE required about  $50/\mu\text{b}$  with  $\mu < 0.003$  (for the rest  $\mu < 0.05$ )
    - Few  $1/\text{nb}$  for LHCb (new to heavy-ion operation)
  - Beam reversal (relevant for ALICE and LHCb) for about half of statistics
  - Van der Meer scans in both beam configurations
- No pp run at 5.02 TeV until 2015
  - Instead a run at 2.76 TeV with  $0.1/\text{pb}$  for ALICE and  $5/\text{pb}$  for the rest

# Acceptance of LHC experiments

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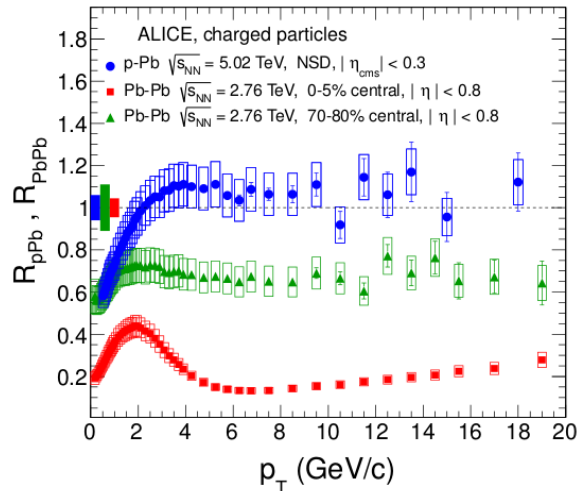
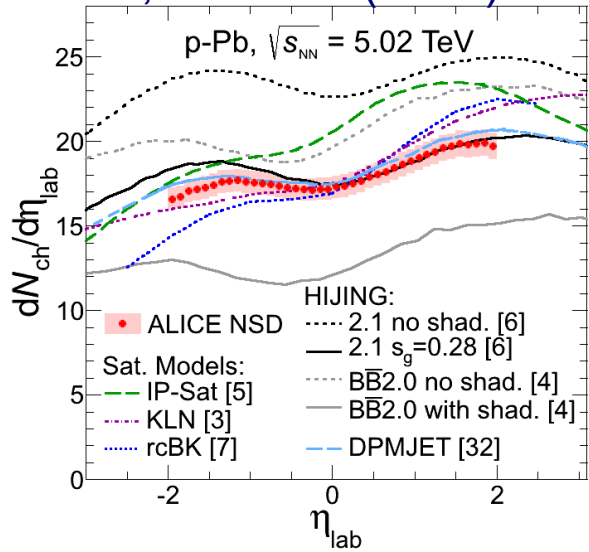


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# Physics results from pilot run

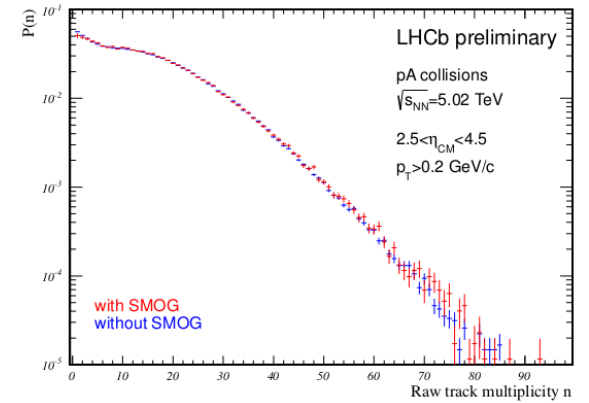
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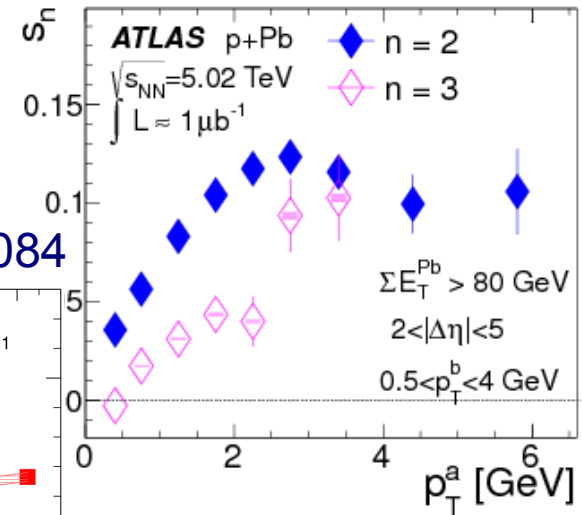


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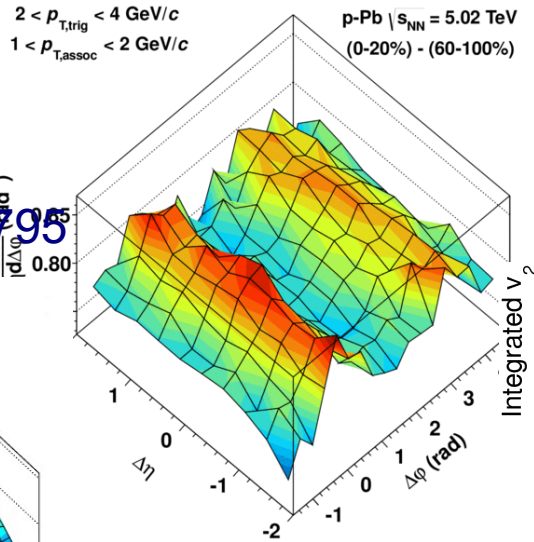
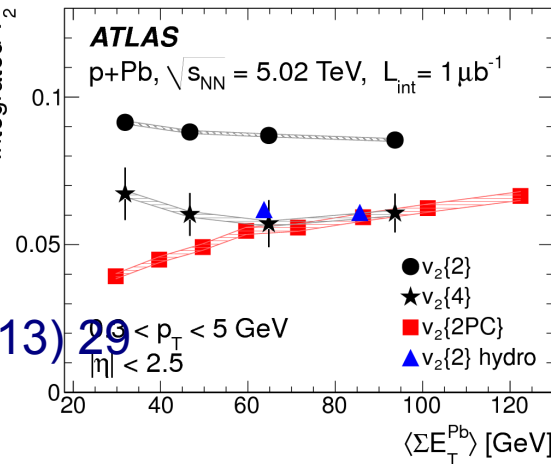
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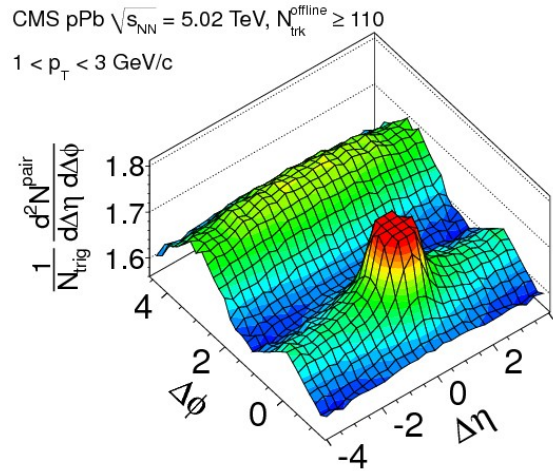


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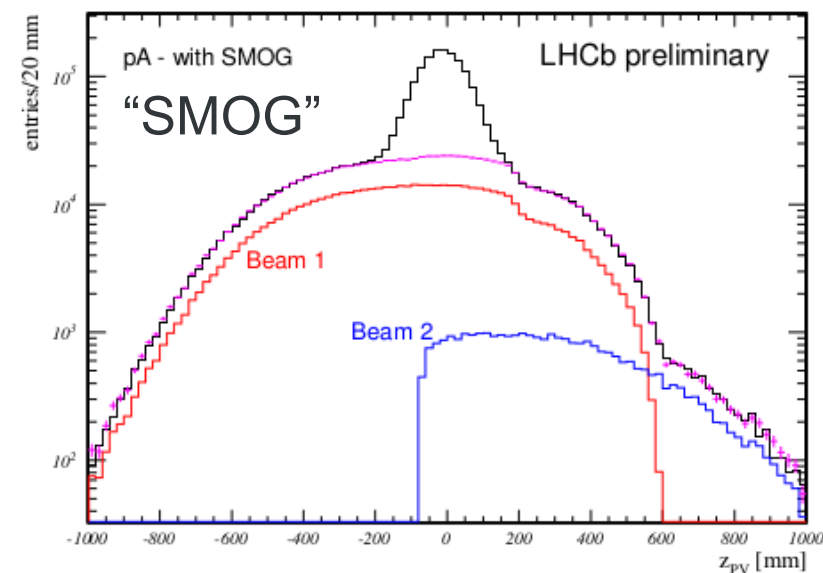
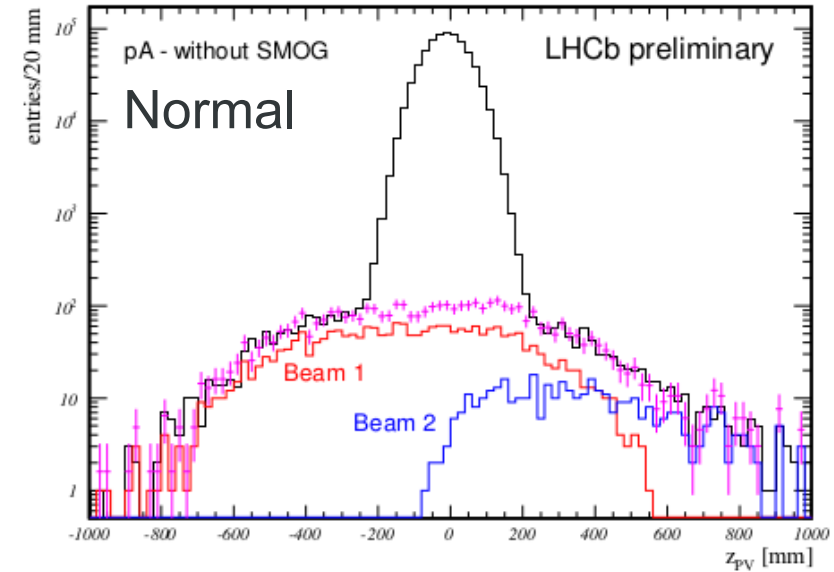


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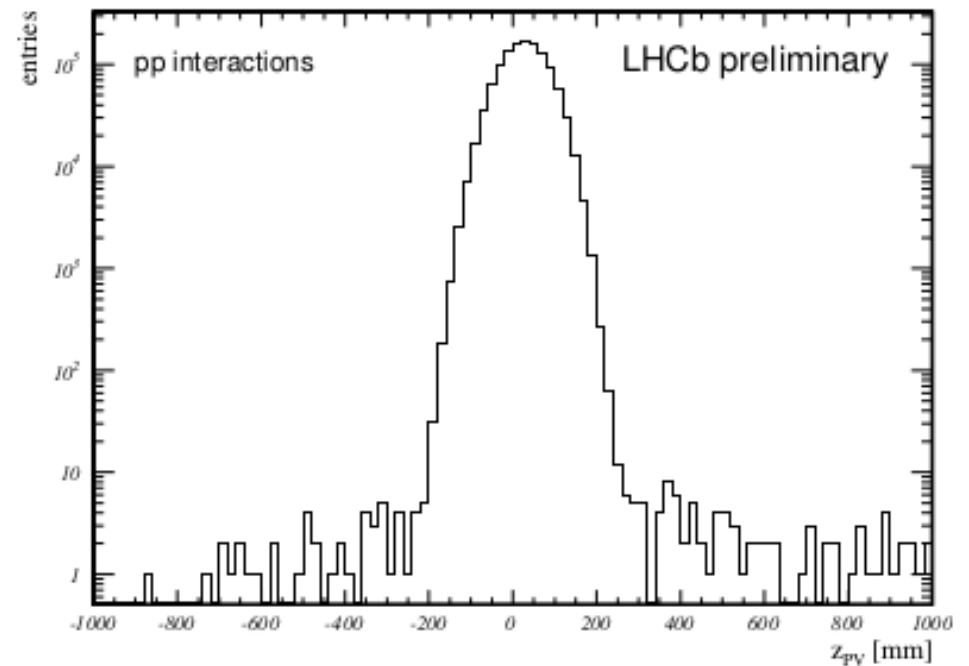
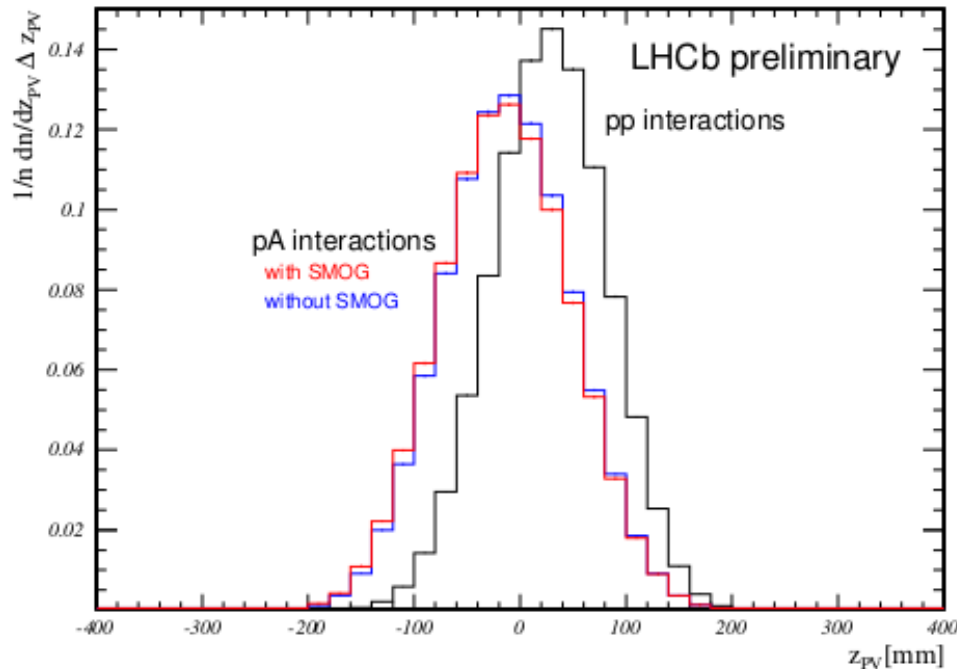
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- Two running scenarios:
  - Normal background conditions
  - Running with “SMOG” (System for Measuring Overlap with Gas)
    - Ne injection to measure beam-profile + luminosity (JINST 7 P01010)
    - Increase beam-gas factor by  $\sim 100$
    - Obtain  $0.569/\mu\text{b}$  (SMOG) and  $0.361/\mu\text{b}$  (normal) with 5.2% systematic uncertainty
- Need to perform beam-gas subtraction
  - Measure observables with BX1 (beam1), BX2 (beam2) and BX3 (coll.beams)
  - Calculate  $\text{BX3} - a_1 \text{BX1} - a_2 \text{BX2}$
  - Determine  $a_1$  and  $a_2$  from primary vertex distribution for  $|z| > 300$  mm
    - Common for w and w/o SMOG
    - Same weights apply for other observables



z-vertex positions of primary vertices in pPb and pp



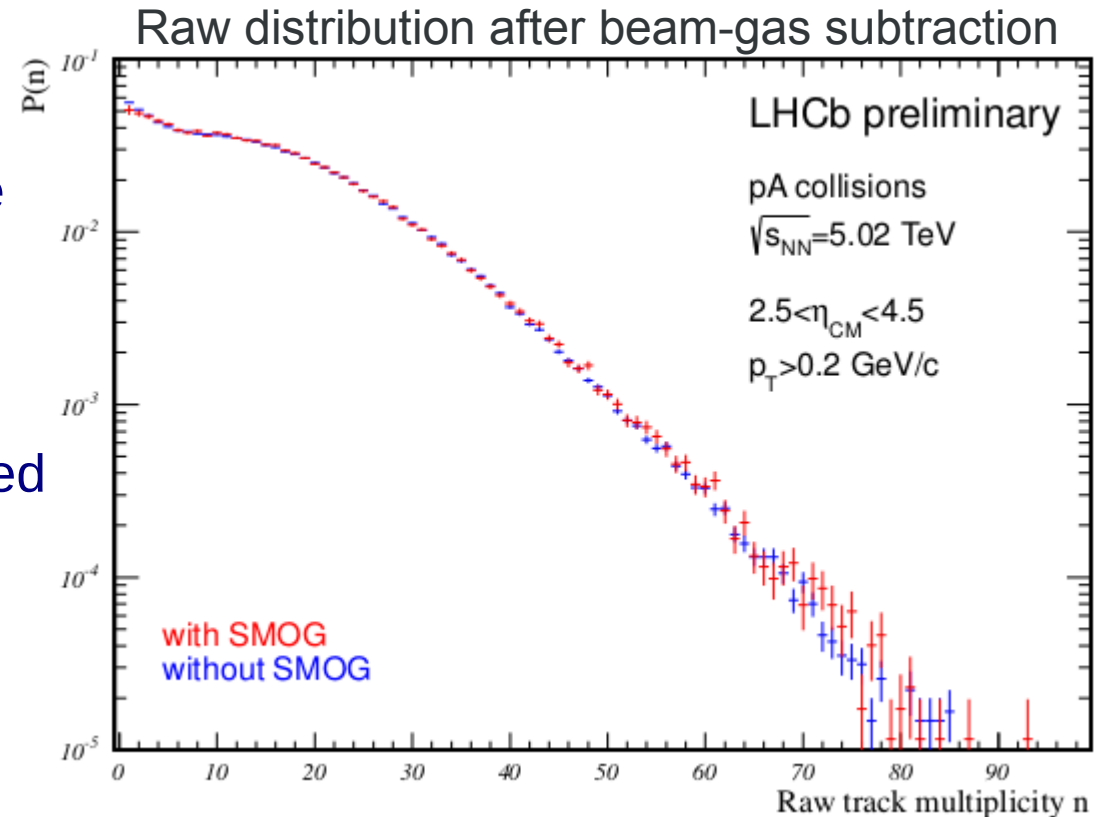
- After beam-gas subtraction vertex distributions in pPb are very similar for collisions taken with and without SMOG
- Differences in luminous region between pPb and pp
- Luminous region in  $|z_{PV}| < 200$  mm for pPb and pp

# Inelastic pPb cross section

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- Count collisions which produce at least one track in  $2.5 < \eta < 4.5$  (proton side) with  $p_T > 0.2$  GeV/c
  - In HIJING/DPMJET only 1-2% events without a charged particle
- Analysis steps
  - Beam gas subtraction
  - Pileup below permille level ignored
  - Trigger efficiency  $100\% \pm 1\%$
  - Correction for finite single track finding efficiency:  $98\% \pm 2\%$
  - Convert using integrated luminosity measured with SMOG
  - Systematic uncertainty dominated by 5.2% error on luminosity

LHCb, CERN-LHCb-CONF-2012-034



$$\sigma_{inel}(2.5 < \eta_{cm} < 4.5, p_T > 0.2 \text{ GeV}/c) = 2.09 \pm 0.12 \text{ b}$$

(consistent with HIJING, DPMJET and Glauber with  $\sigma_{NN}=70\text{mb}$ )

- Event selection

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- VZERO-A ( $2.8 < \eta < 5.1$ ) and VZERO-C ( $-3.7 < \eta < -1.7$ ) incl. time cuts
- Systematic variation using ZDC on nucleus side (ZNA)

- Resulting event sample

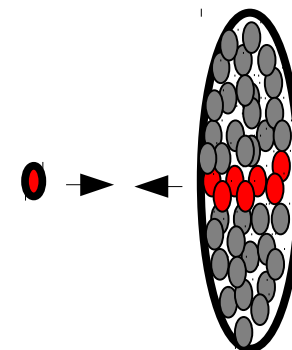
- Non single-diffractive (NSD)

- At least one binary N+N interaction is NSD (Glauber picture)
- Inspired from DPMJET, which includes incoherent SD of the projectile with target nucleons that are mainly concentrated on the surface of the nucleus
- SD about 4% from HIJING, DPMJET or standalone Glauber

- Negligible contamination from SD and EM processes

- Validated with a cocktail of generators

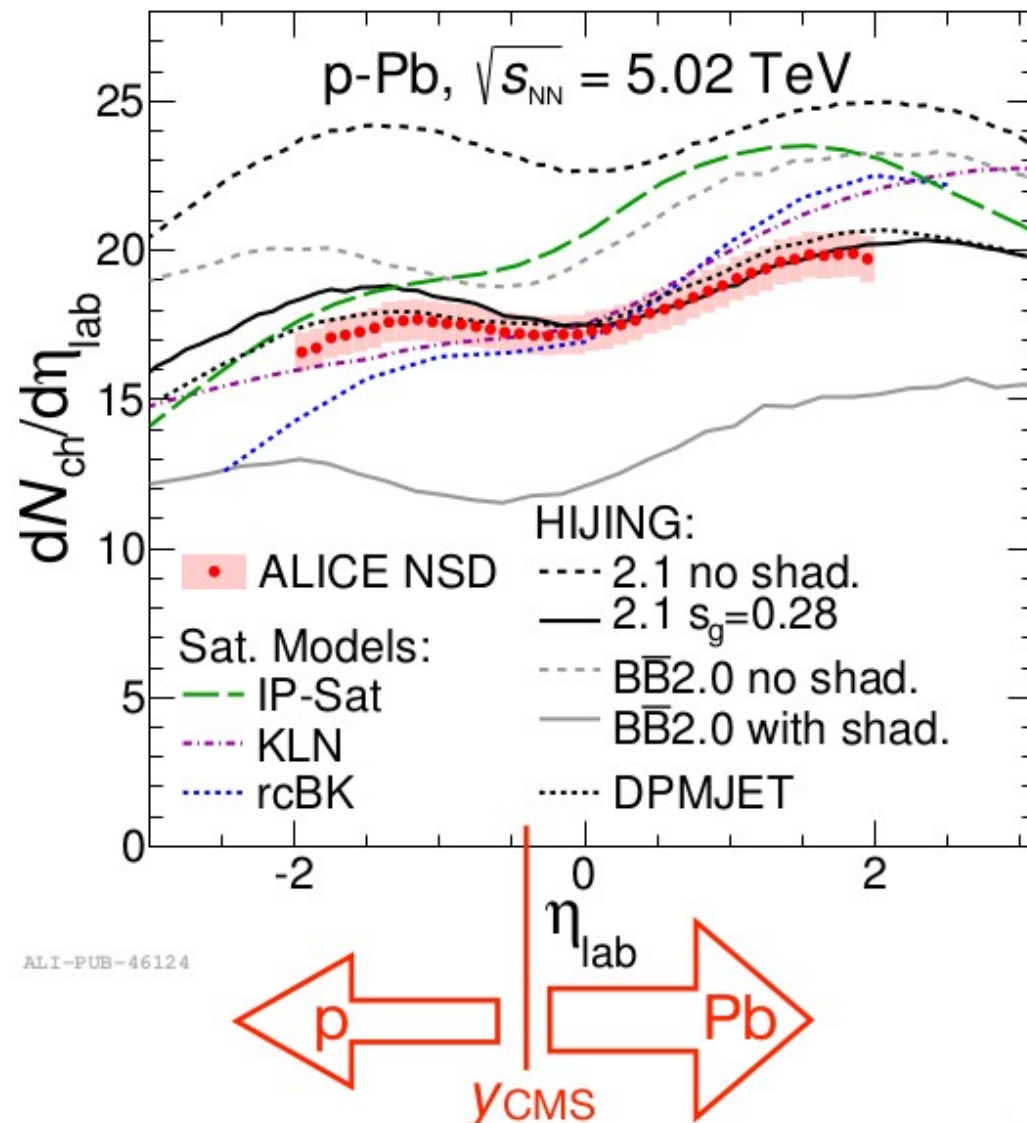
- DPMJET for NSD (2b)
- PHOJET + Glauber for incoherent SD part (0.1b)
  - SD/INEL = 0.2 in pp at 7 TeV ( [arXiv:1208.4968](https://arxiv.org/abs/1208.4968) )
- EM with STARLIGHT (0.1-0.2b)





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- Tracklet analysis using SPD hits
  - Dominant systematic uncertainty from NSD normalization of 3.1%
- Reach of SPD extended to  $|\eta| < 2$  by extending the z-vertex range
- Results in ALICE laboratory system
  - $y_{\text{cms}} = -0.465$
- Comparison
  - Most models within 20%
  - Saturation models have to steep rise between p and Pb region



NB: HIJING calculations for NSD expected to increase by  $\sim 4\%$

# Pseudorapidity density at midrapidity

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- Measurement (tracklet based)

- $dN/d\eta = 16.81 \pm 0.71$  (syst)
- Converted into centre-of-mass system using HIJING
- Dominant uncertainty from NSD normalization of 3.1%

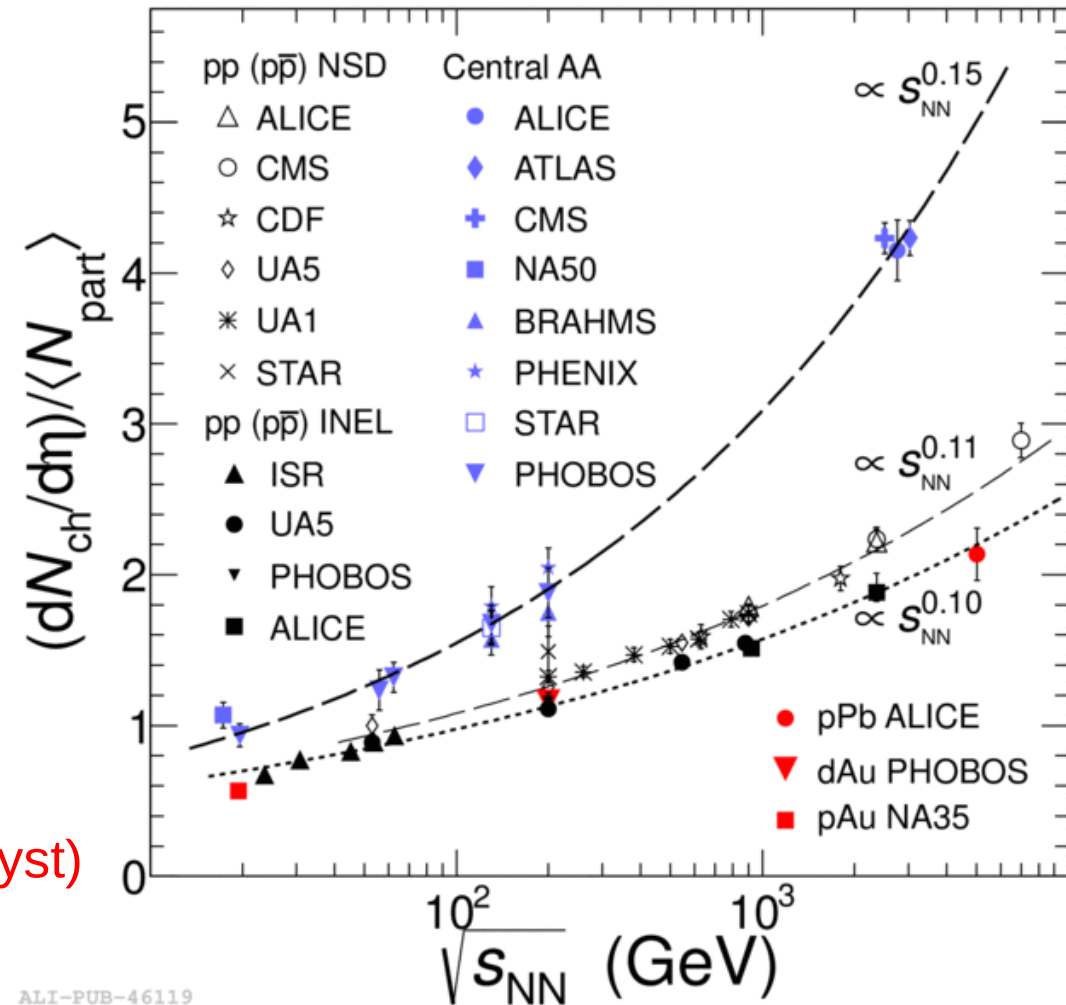
- Glauber model for pPb

- With  $\sigma_{\text{INEL}} = 70 \pm 5$  mb
- $\langle N_{\text{part}} \rangle = 7.9 \pm 0.6$  (syst)

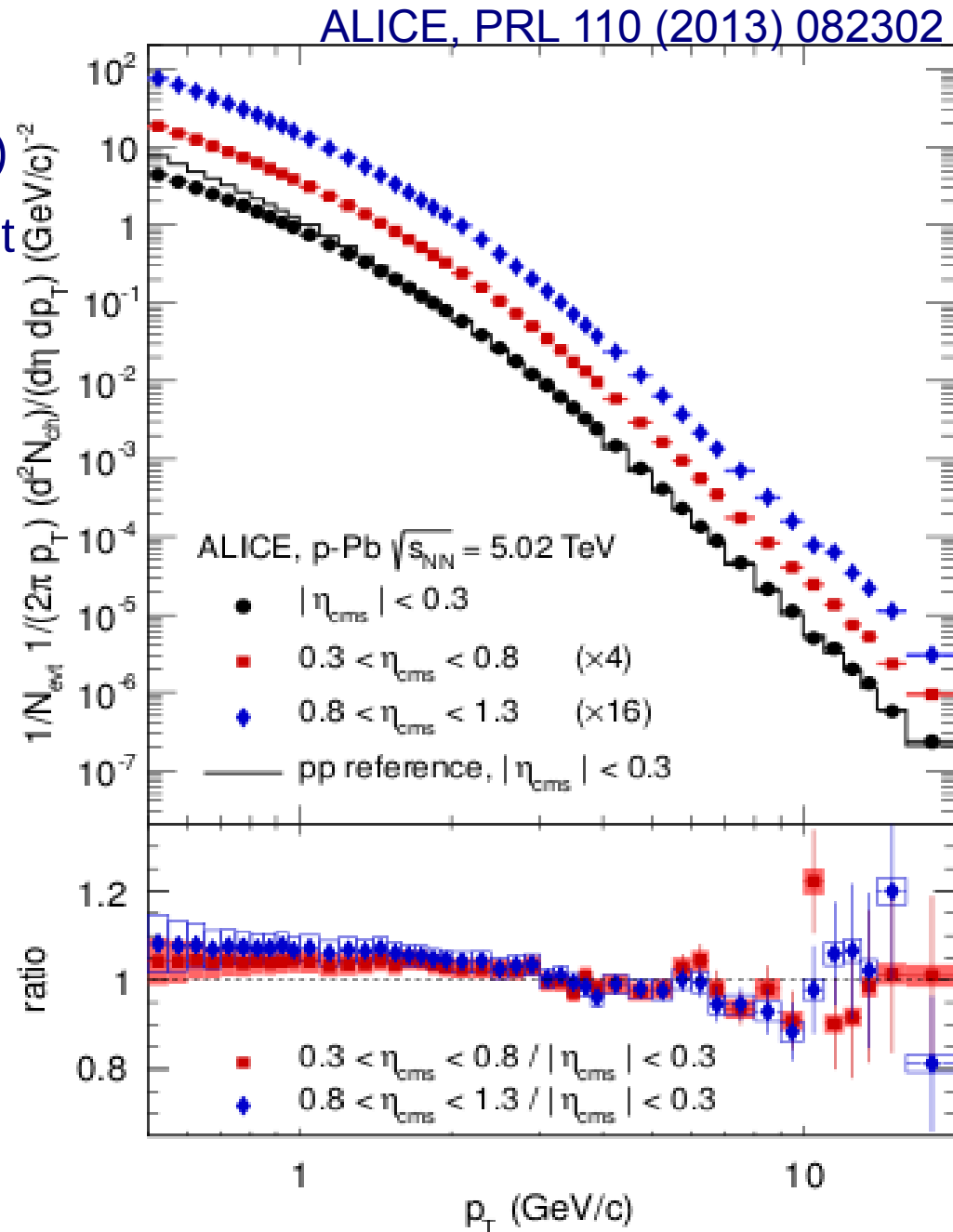
- Participant scaled value

- $(dN/d\eta)/\langle N_{\text{part}} \rangle = 2.14 \pm 0.17$  (syst)
- About 15% below NSD pp
- Similar to pp INEL

- Inelastic pPb would be 4% lower (estimate from models)

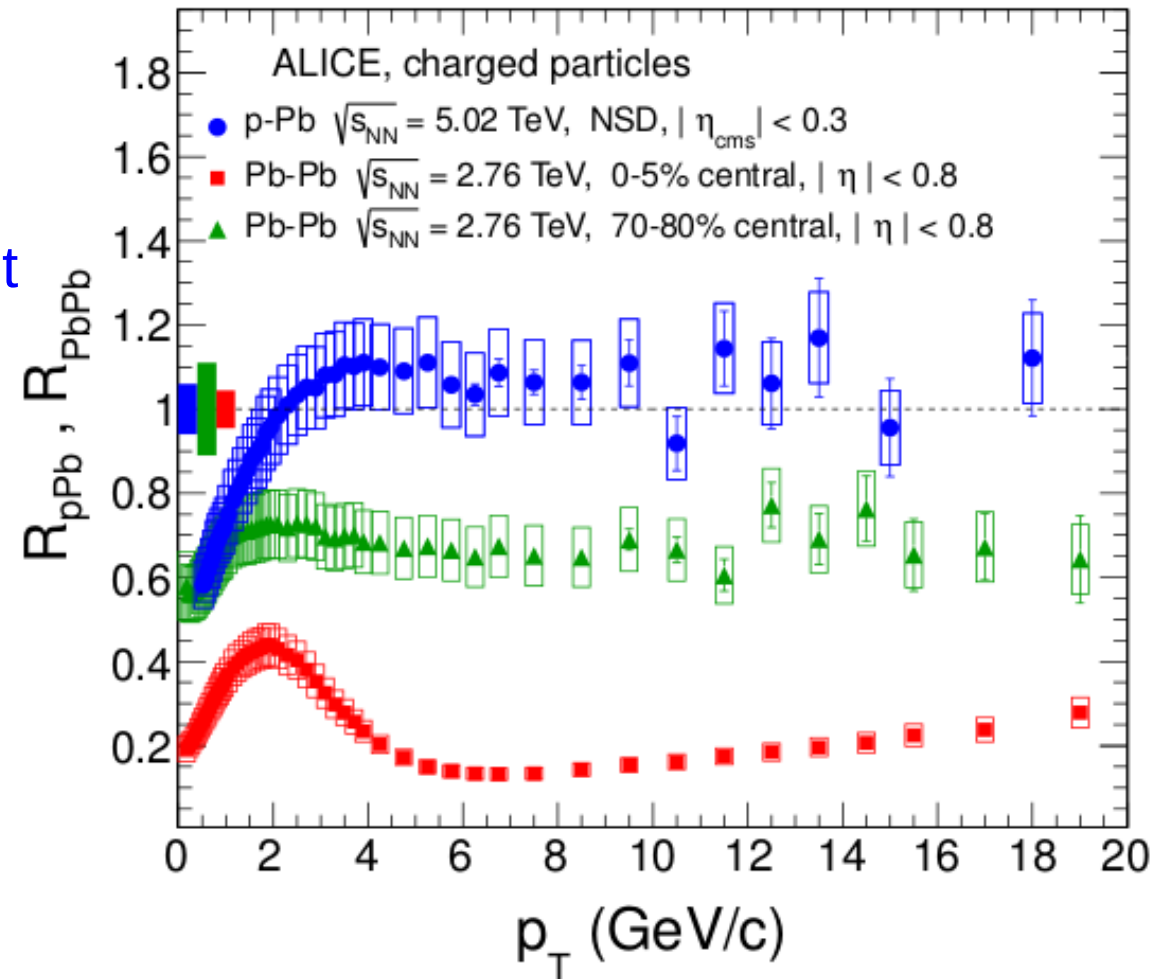


- Primary charged tracks (3  $\eta$  bins)
  - Reconstructed in ITS+TPC ( $|\eta| < 0.8$ )
  - Assume  $\eta_{\text{cms}} = \eta_{\text{lab}} - y_{\text{cms}}$ , then correct
  - Systematic uncertainty: 5.2-7.1%
  - NSD normalization: 3.1 %
- Hint for slightly softer spectrum at higher  $\eta$  (Pb side)?
- Reference constructed from pp (INEL) data at 2.76 and 7 TeV
  - Interpolation below 5 GeV/c, and above scaled by factor obtained from NLO calculation
    - Systematic uncertainty: 8%
    - Normalization uncertainty: 3.6%
  - $\langle T_{\text{pPb}} \rangle = 0.0983 \pm 0.0035 \text{ mb}^{-1}$  from Glauber model



$$R_{AB} = \frac{dN_{AB}/dp_T}{\langle N_{\text{coll}} \rangle dN_{pp}/dp_T}$$

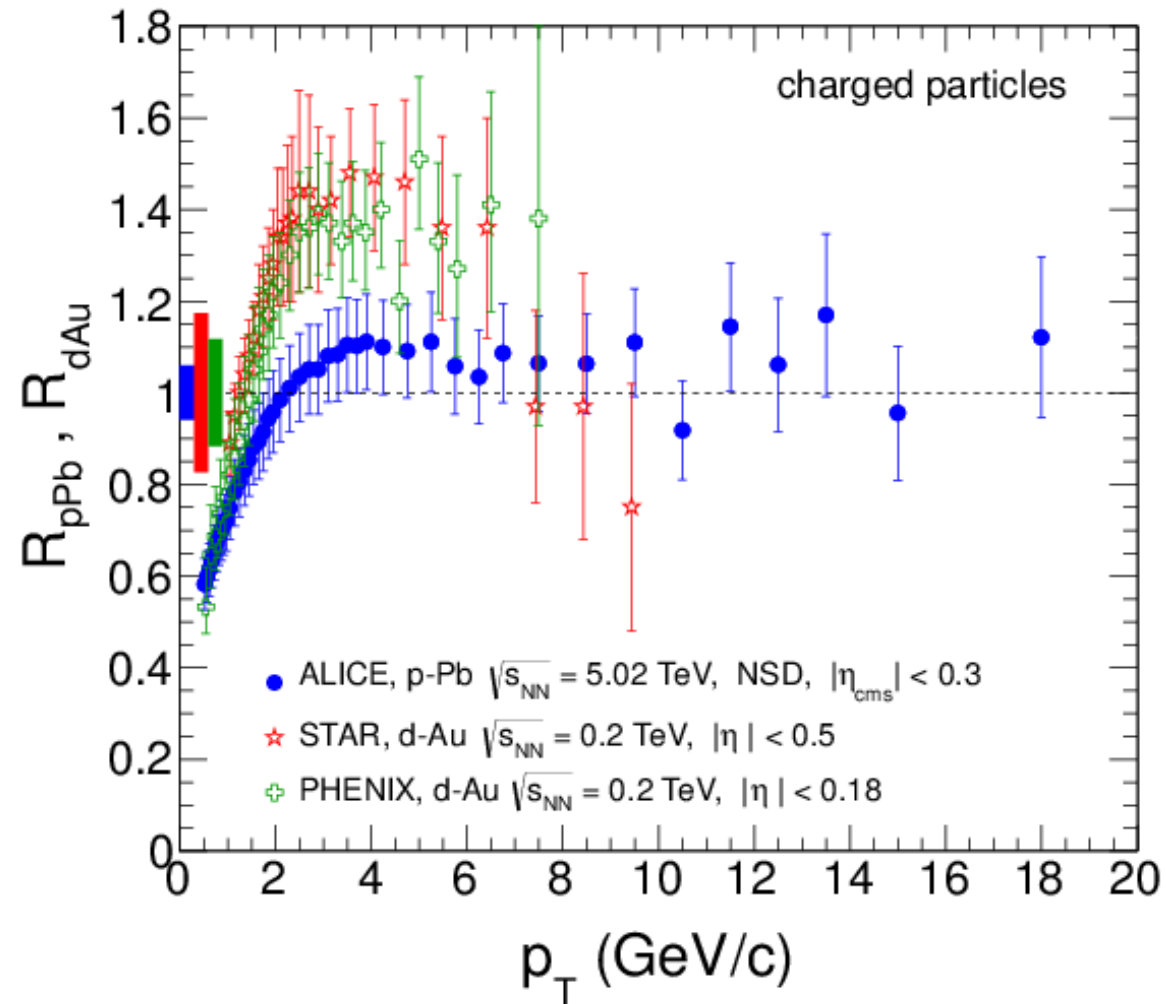
- $R_{pPb}$  (at mid-rapidity) consistent with unity for  $p_T > 2$  GeV/c
- High- $p_T$  charged particles exhibit binary scaling
- Unlike in PbPb, no suppression is observed
- Suppression in PbPb is not an initial state effect



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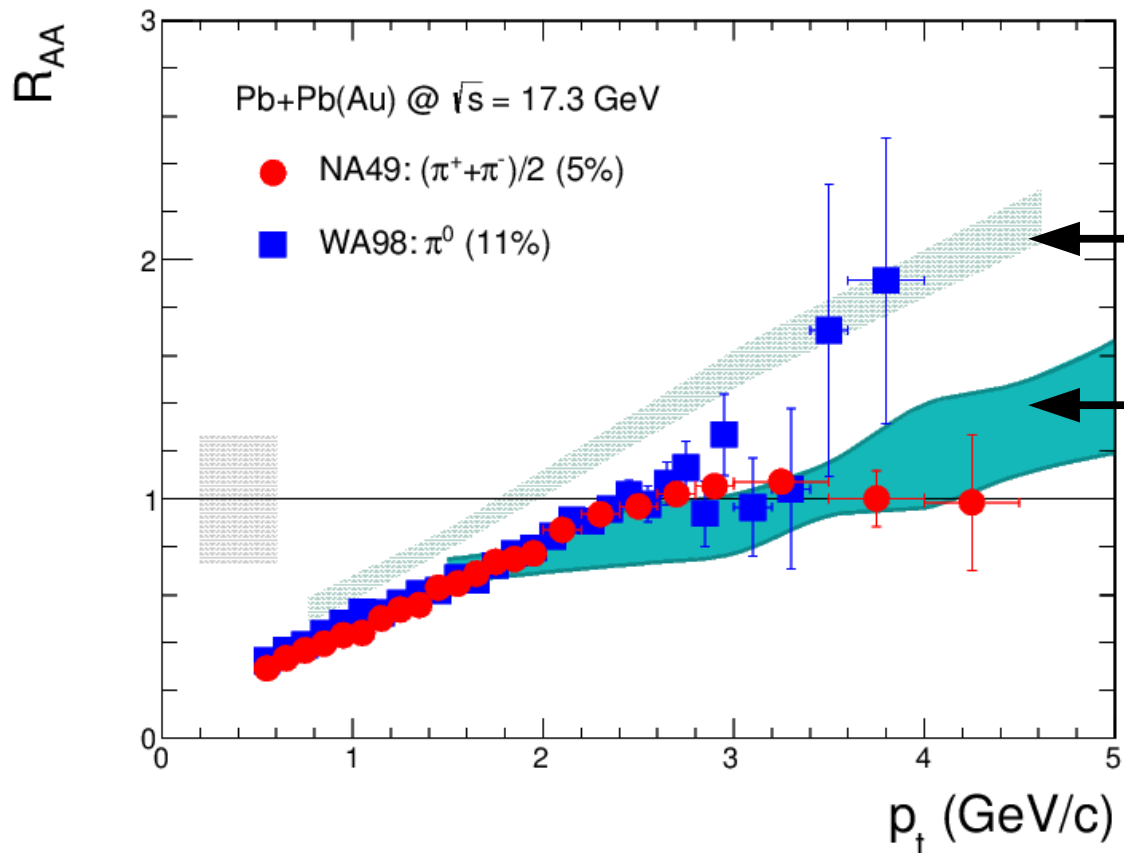
$$R_{AB} = \frac{dN_{AB}/dp_T}{\langle N_{\text{coll}} \rangle dN_{pp}/dp_T}$$

- $R_{AB} > 1$  at intermediate  $p_T$  observed in dAu collisions at RHIC typically attributed to Cronin effect
- No enhancement seen in pPb at the LHC
- No Cronin effect?



- Reminder from SPS energies:  
 $R_{AA} \approx 1$  does not necessarily  
imply absence of effects

NA49, NPA 783 (2007) 65  
WA98, PRL 89 (2002) 252301



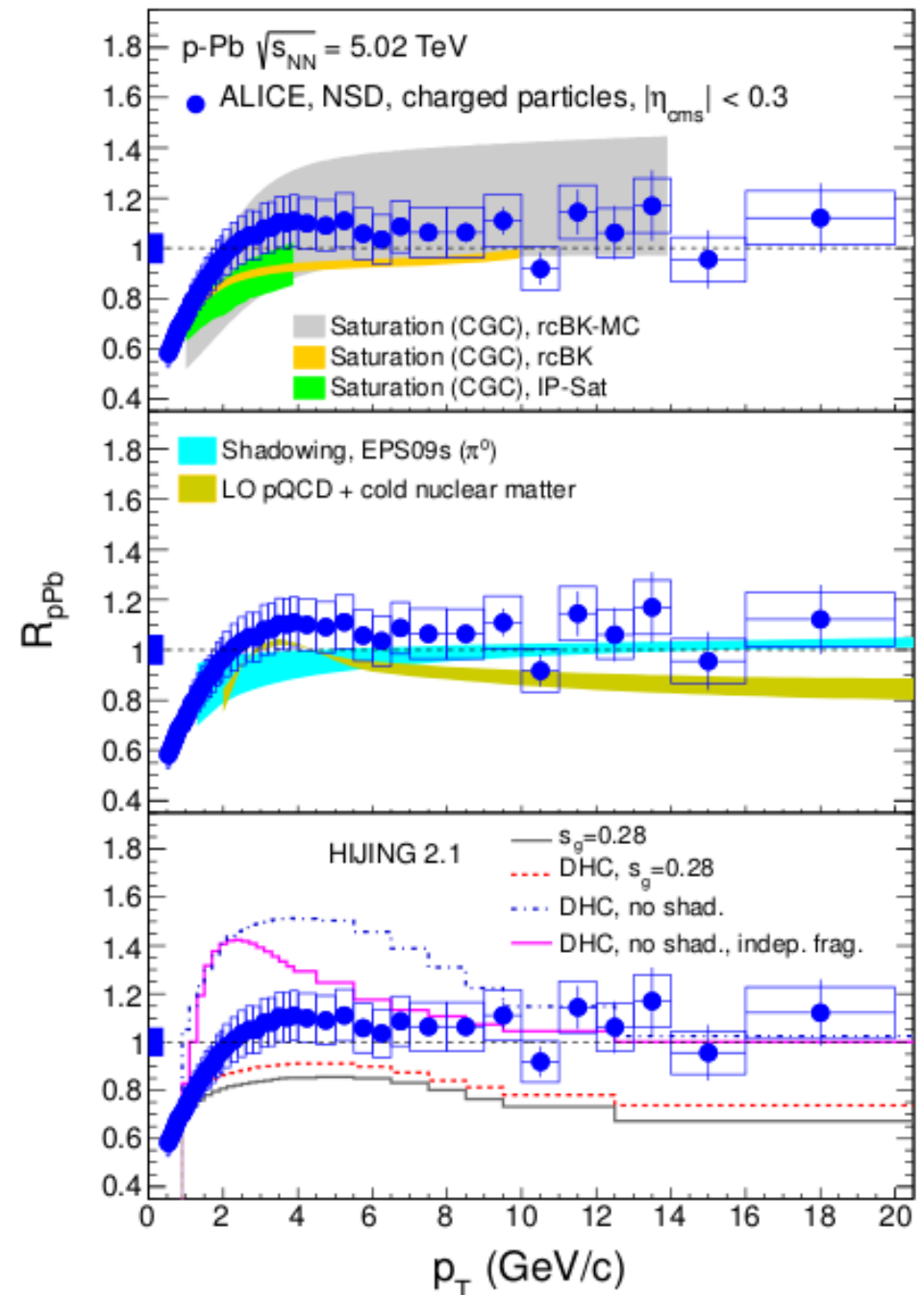
Calculation  
taking into account:

← Cronin effect + shadowing

← Cronin effect, shadowing  
plus partonic energy loss

- Model comparisons are required to understand  $R_{pPb}$  at the LHC

- Saturation (CGC) models:
  - Consistent with the data
  - Large uncertainties
- pQCD models with shadowing
  - Consistent at low  $p_T$
  - Discrepancies at high  $p_T$
- HIJING
  - With shadowing describes  $\eta$  and low  $p_T$  better
  - No shadowing better at high  $p_T$
- Spectrum on its own interesting
  - Neither HIJING nor DPMJET do describe the p-Pb  $p_T$  spectra



NB: HIJING calculations for NSD expected to increase by ~4%



# Di-Hadron Correlations (DHC)

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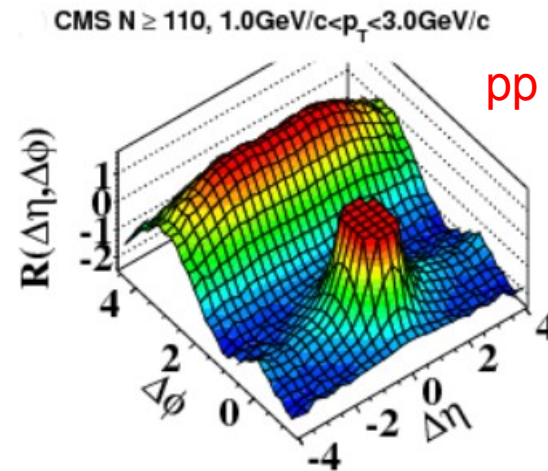
- CMS: pp, pPb at LHC

- Long-range near-side correlations (ridge) appear at high-multiplicity

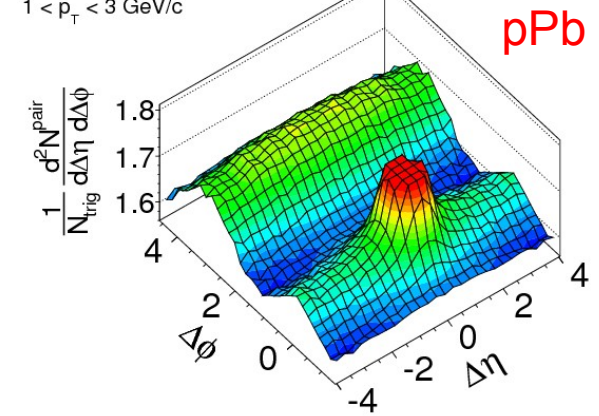
- Collective effects in pp and pPb?
- CGC initial state effects?

CMS, JHEP 1009 (2010) 91

CMS, PLB 718 (2012) 795



CMS pPb  $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 5.02 \text{ TeV}, N_{\text{trk}}^{\text{offline}} \geq 110$   
 $1 < p_T < 3 \text{ GeV}/c$



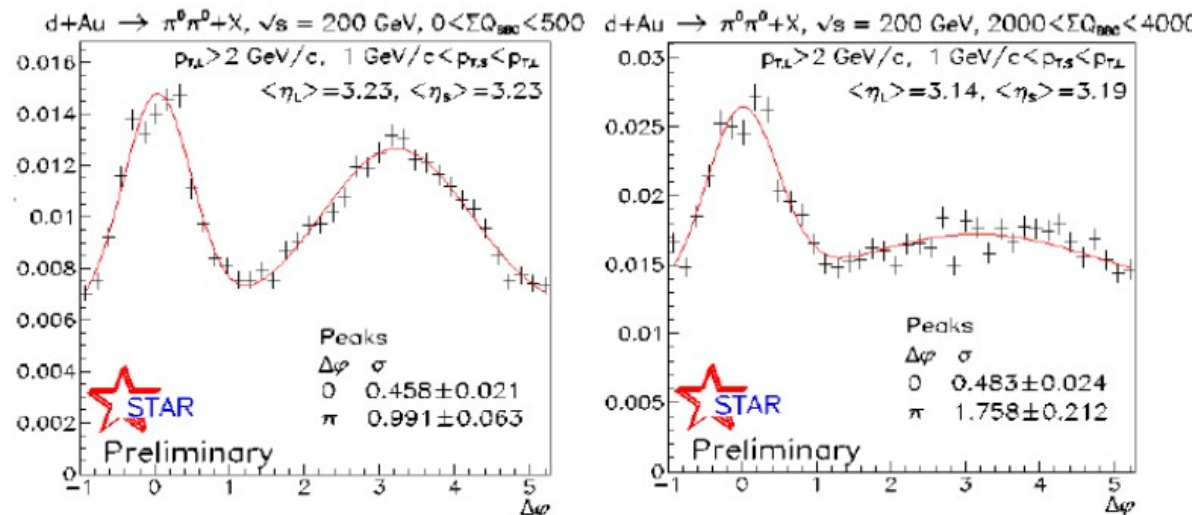
- STAR: dAu at RHIC

- Back-to-back (jet-like) correlations in forward  $\pi^0$  correlations disappear in high-multiplicity events

- Compatible with CGC predictions

- LHC mid- and RHIC forward- $\eta$  probe a similar x regime

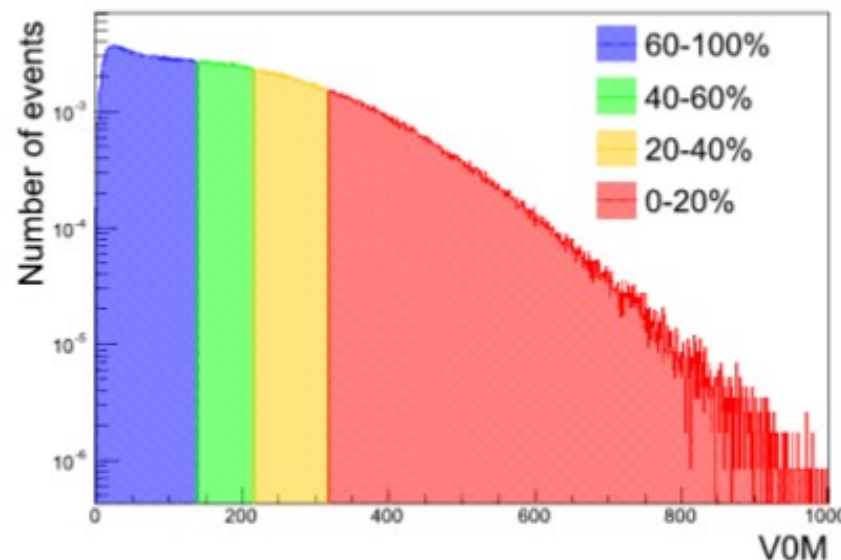
STAR, arXiv:1005.2378





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- Correlation between geometry and multiplicity in pA is not as strong as in AA
  - System also shows features of biased pp (NN) collisions in the low and high multiplicity tails
- Define multiplicity classes
  - Use charge in VZERO to avoid correlation with tracks in barrel
  - V0M: sum of amplitudes from
    - VZERO-A ( $2.8 < \eta < 5.1$ )
    - VZERO-C ( $-3.7 < \eta < -1.7$ )
- Systematic checks using
  - SPD ( $|\eta| < 1.4$ )
  - ZNA (beam neutron on Pb side)



Event class	V0M range (a.u.)	$\langle dN_{ch}/d\eta \rangle_{ \eta  < 0.5}$ $p_T > 0 \text{ GeV}/c$	$\langle N_{trk} \rangle_{ \eta  < 1.2}$ $p_T > 0.5 \text{ GeV}/c$
60–100%	< 138	$6.6 \pm 0.2$	$6.4 \pm 0.2$
40–60%	138–216	$16.2 \pm 0.4$	$16.9 \pm 0.6$
20–40%	216–318	$23.7 \pm 0.5$	$26.1 \pm 0.9$
0–20%	> 318	$34.9 \pm 0.5$	$42.5 \pm 1.5$

- Associated yield per trigger particle  
(with  $p_{T, \text{trig}} > p_{T, \text{assoc}}$ )

$$\frac{1}{N_{\text{trig}}} \frac{d^2 N_{\text{assoc}}}{d\Delta\eta d\Delta\varphi} = \frac{S(\Delta\eta, \Delta\varphi)}{B(\Delta\eta, \Delta\varphi)}$$

- Signal (same event) pair yield

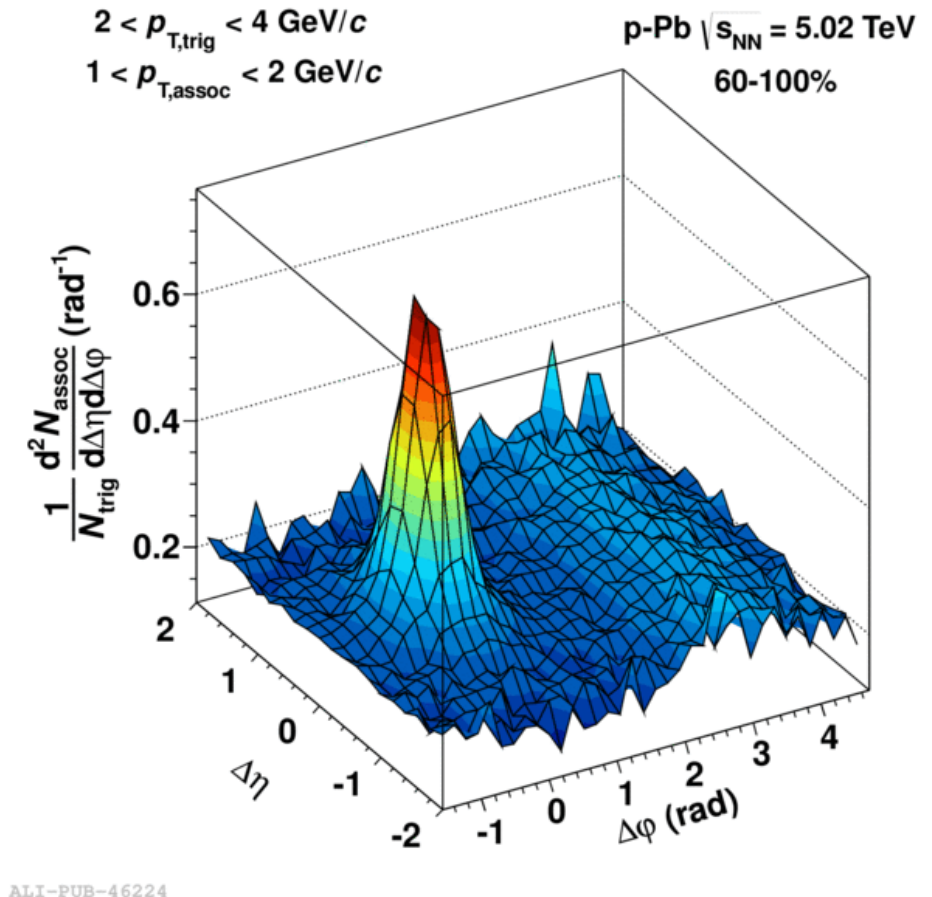
$$S(\Delta\eta, \Delta\varphi) = \frac{1}{N_{\text{trig}}} \frac{d^2 N_{\text{same}}}{d\Delta\eta d\Delta\varphi}$$

- Definition as ratio of sums is multiplicity independent

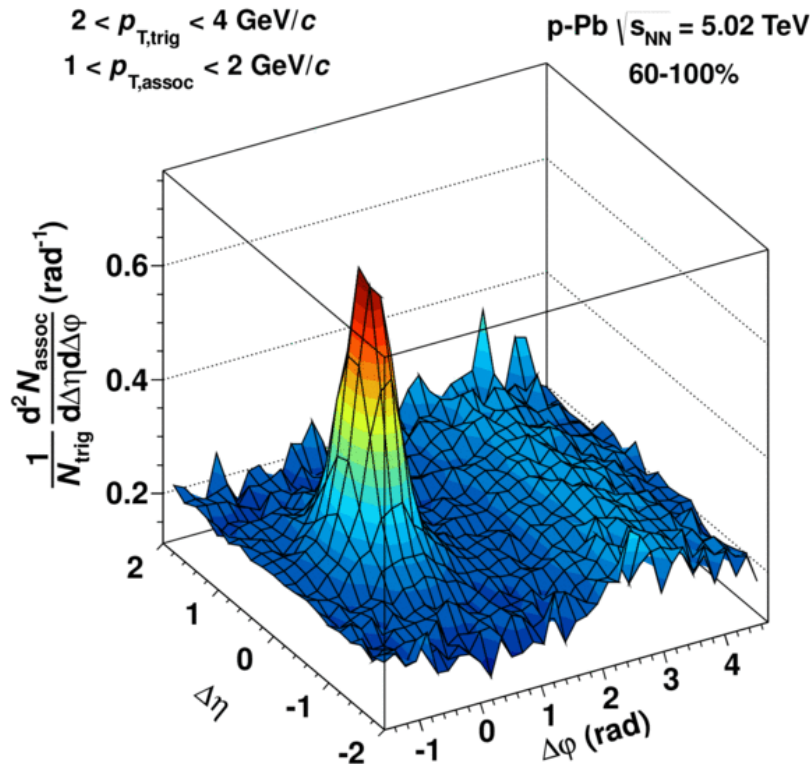
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{N_{\text{pair}}}{N_{\text{trig}}} &= \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{N_{\text{evt}}} \sum_{j=1}^{N_{\text{source}}^i} \frac{1}{2} n_{ij} (n_{ij} - 1)}{\sum_{i=1}^{N_{\text{evt}}} \sum_{j=1}^{N_{\text{source}}^i} n_{ij}} \\ &= \frac{N_{\text{evt}} \langle N_{\text{source}} \rangle \frac{1}{2} \langle n(n-1) \rangle}{N_{\text{evt}} \langle N_{\text{source}} \rangle \langle n \rangle} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \frac{\langle n(n-1) \rangle}{\langle n \rangle} \end{aligned}$$

- Background (mixed event) pair yield

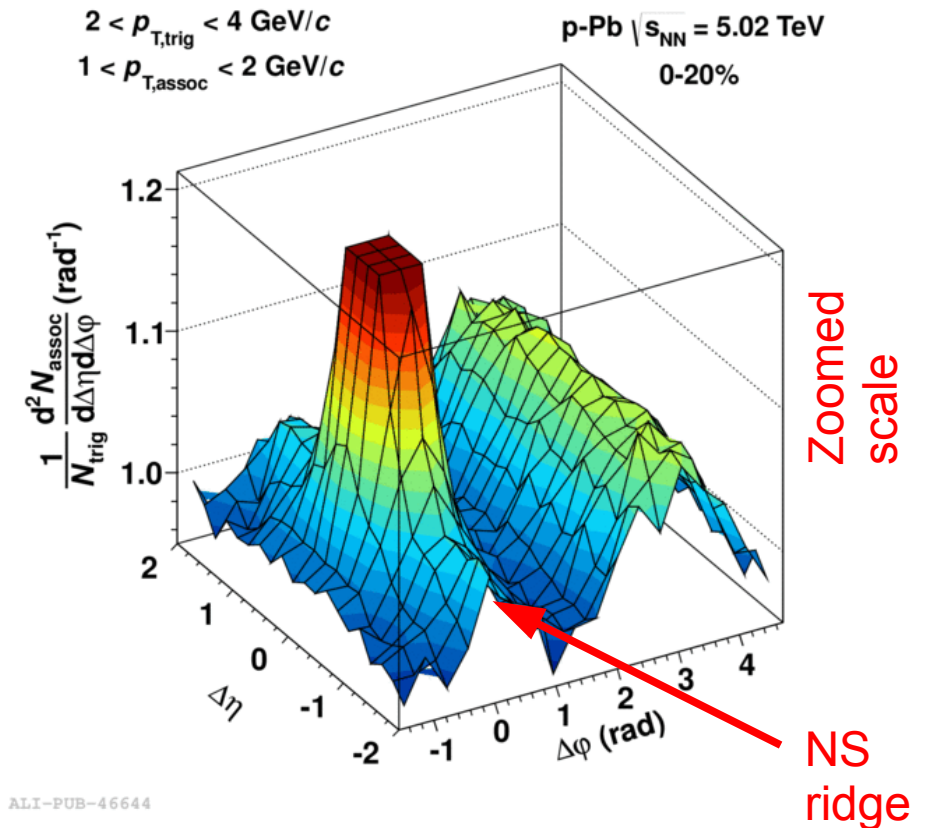
$$B(\Delta\eta, \Delta\varphi) = \frac{1}{B(0,0)} \frac{d^2 N_{\text{mixed}}}{d\Delta\eta d\Delta\varphi}$$



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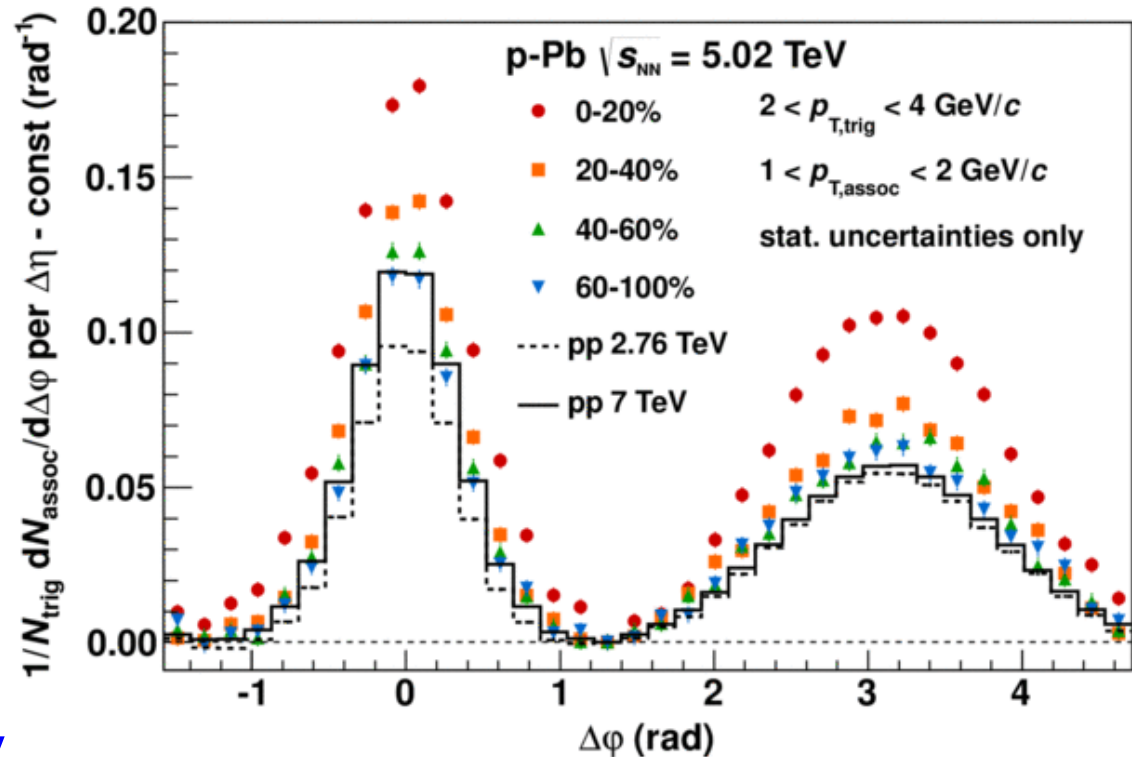


- Low-multiplicity p-Pb (60-100%)
  - pp-like (jet-like) correlation structures



- High-multiplicity p-Pb (0-20%)
  - Near-side ridge appears (first seen in CMS)
  - Higher yields on near- and away-side

- Compare associated yield in pPb multiplicity classes and pp
  - Project to  $\Delta\phi$  over  $|\Delta\eta| < 1.8$
  - Subtract baseline at  $\Delta\phi \sim 1.3$
- Low multiplicity pPb is similar to pp (at 7 TeV)
- Yield rises on near and away side with increasing multiplicity
- In contrast with away-side suppression observed in dAu at RHIC at forward  $\eta$  (similar  $x$ )



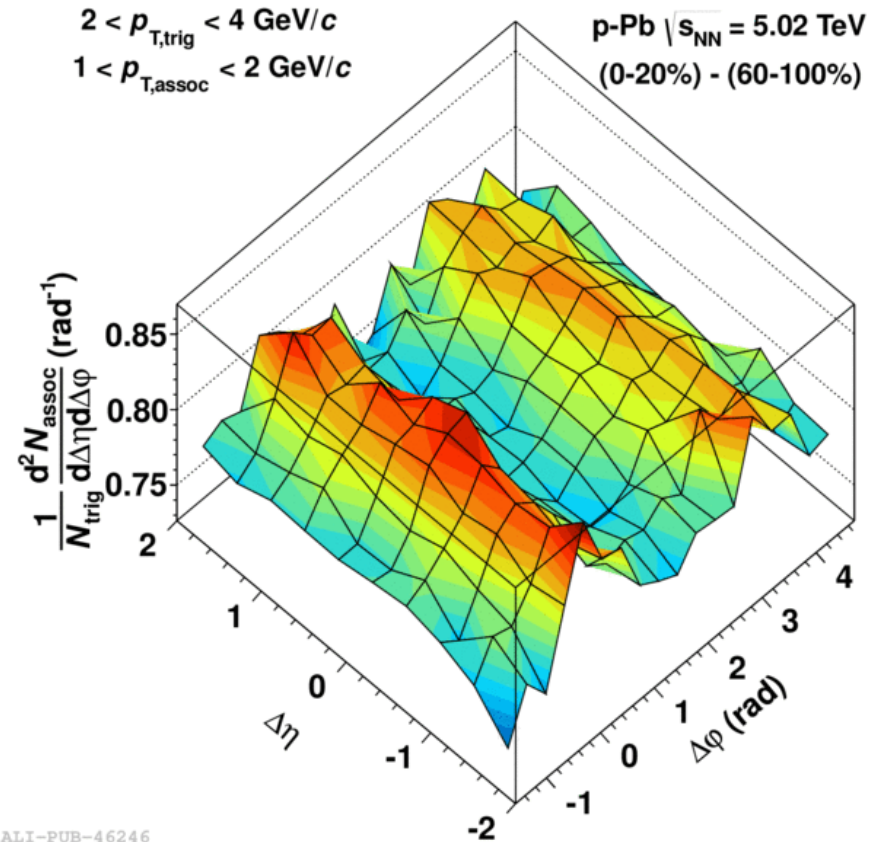
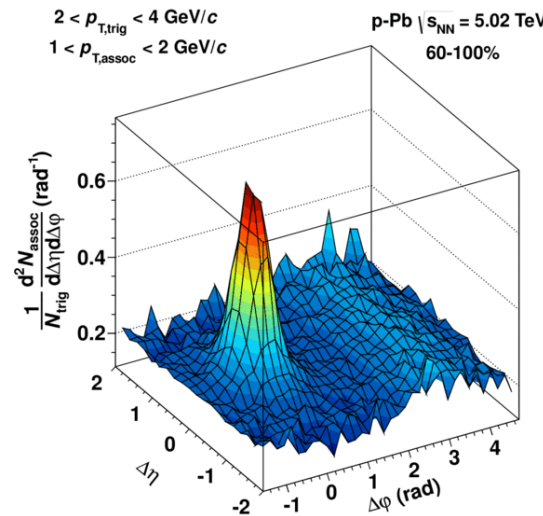
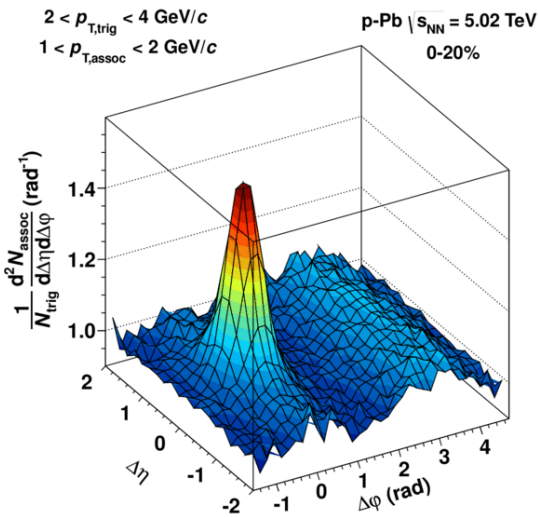
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- Quantify the excess in high-multiplicity pPb by subtracting the jet-like correlations:

0-20% minus 60-100% =

$2 < p_{T, \text{trig}} < 4 \text{ GeV}/c$   
 $1 < p_{T, \text{assoc}} < 2 \text{ GeV}/c$   
 p-Pb  $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 5.02 \text{ TeV}$   
 (0-20%) - (60-100%)



- The near-side is accompanied by an almost identical ridge structure on the away-side

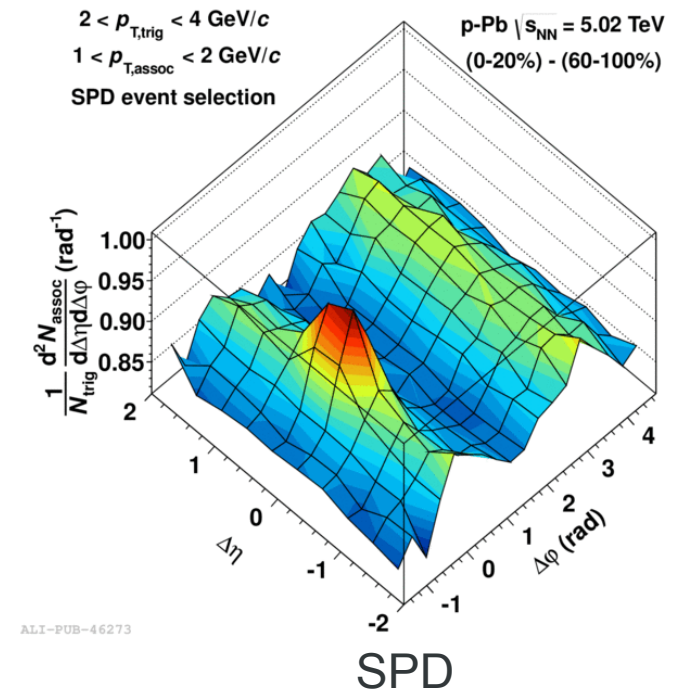
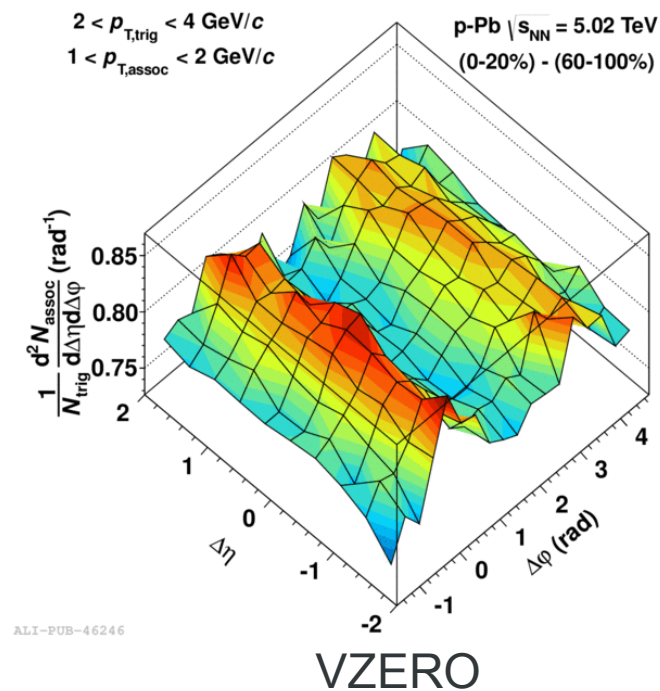
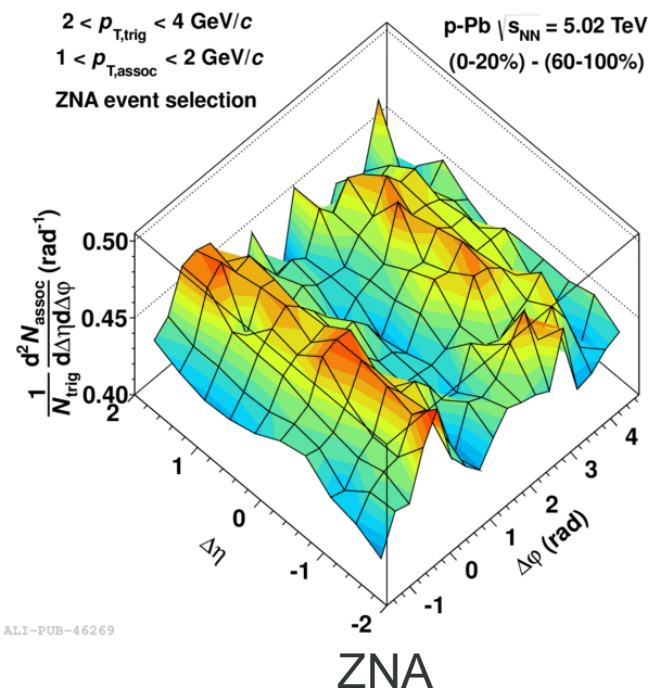


# DHC: Two ridges

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- A residual jet peak at (0,0) remains even after subtraction of 60-100% from the 0-20% multiplicity class
- Compare effects using different event class definition

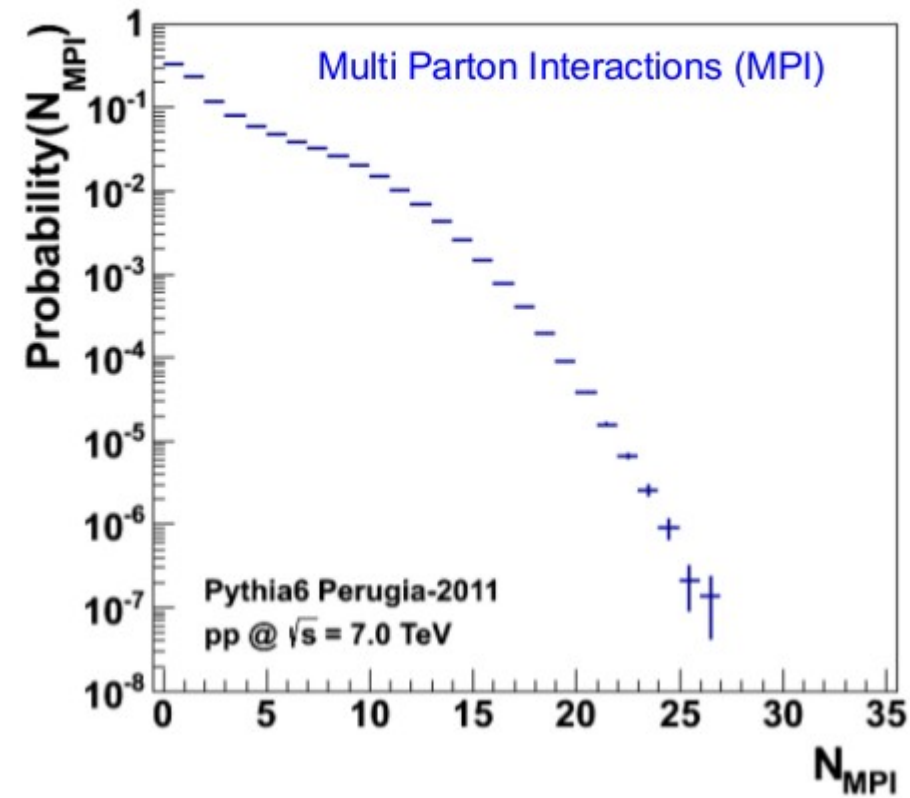
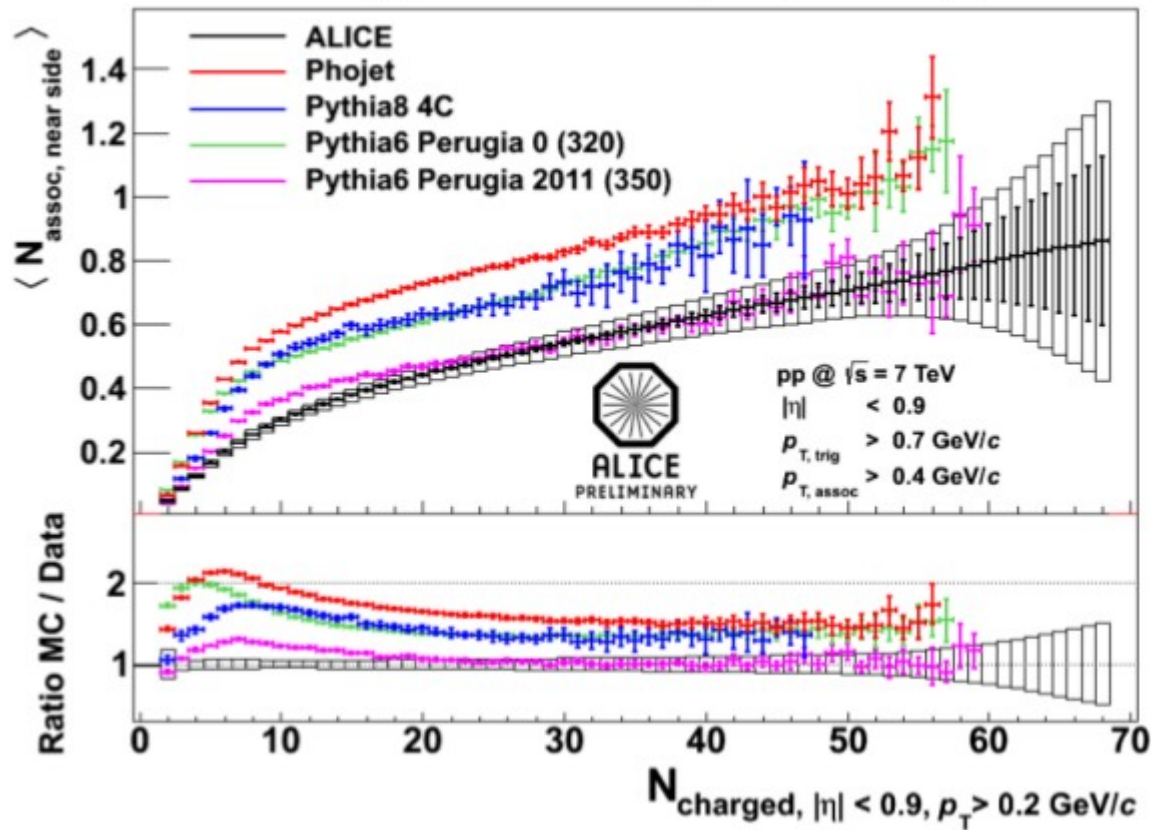


auto-correlation

$\eta$  separation

# DHC: Selection bias on fragmentation (pp) 30

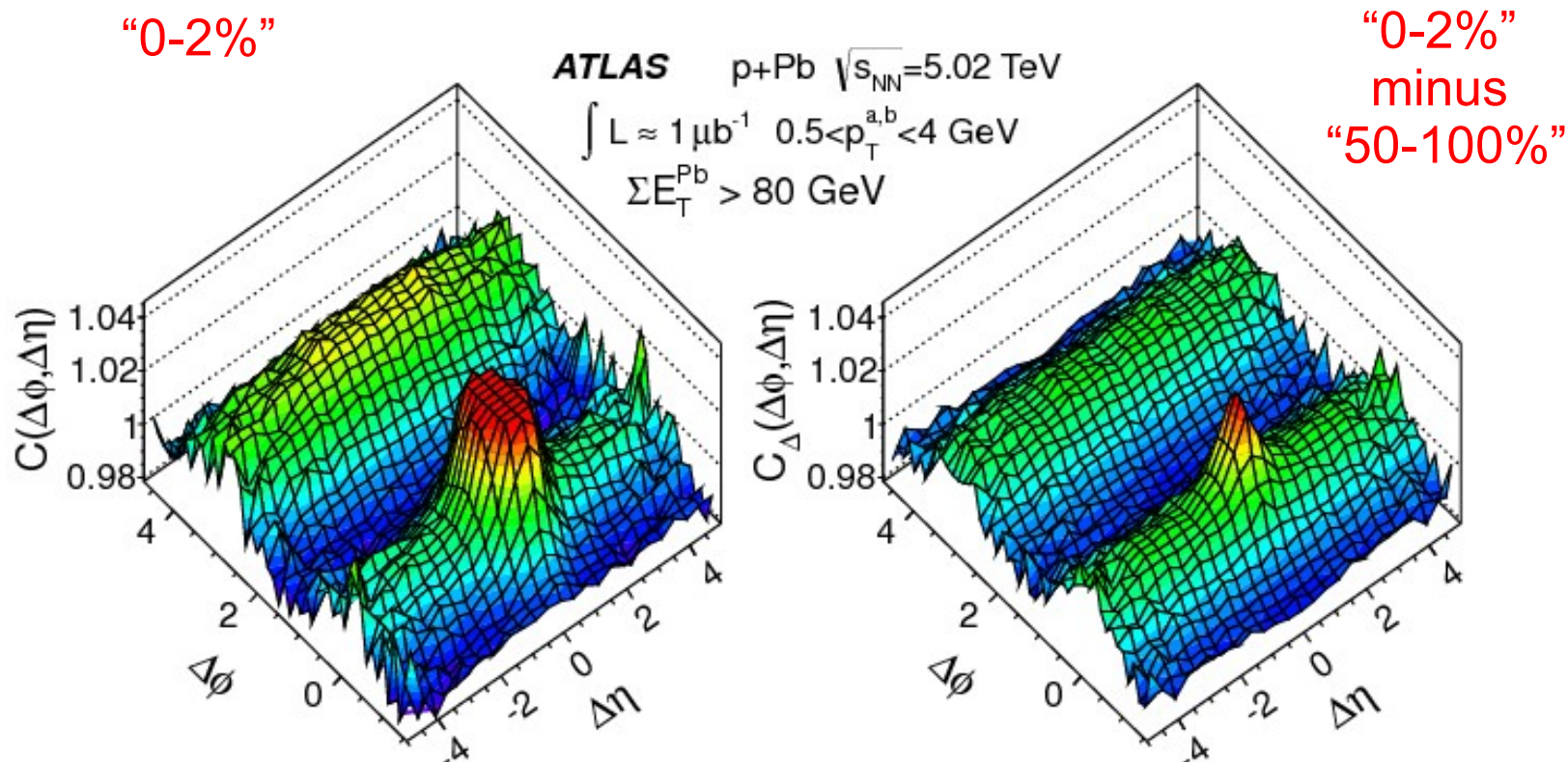
Per trigger near-side pair yield in pp



- By selecting on multiplicity, jet fragmentation is biased towards higher number of fragmenting products
- Competition between higher number of MPI and fragmentation

ATLAS, arXiv:1212.5198

- Similar two ridge structures also observed by ATLAS
  - Event multiplicity classes defined by sum of transverse energy ( $3.1 < \eta < 4.9$ ) on the Pb nucleus side
  - Also here, the jet peak at (0,0) remains even after subtraction of 50-100% from the 0-2% multiplicity class





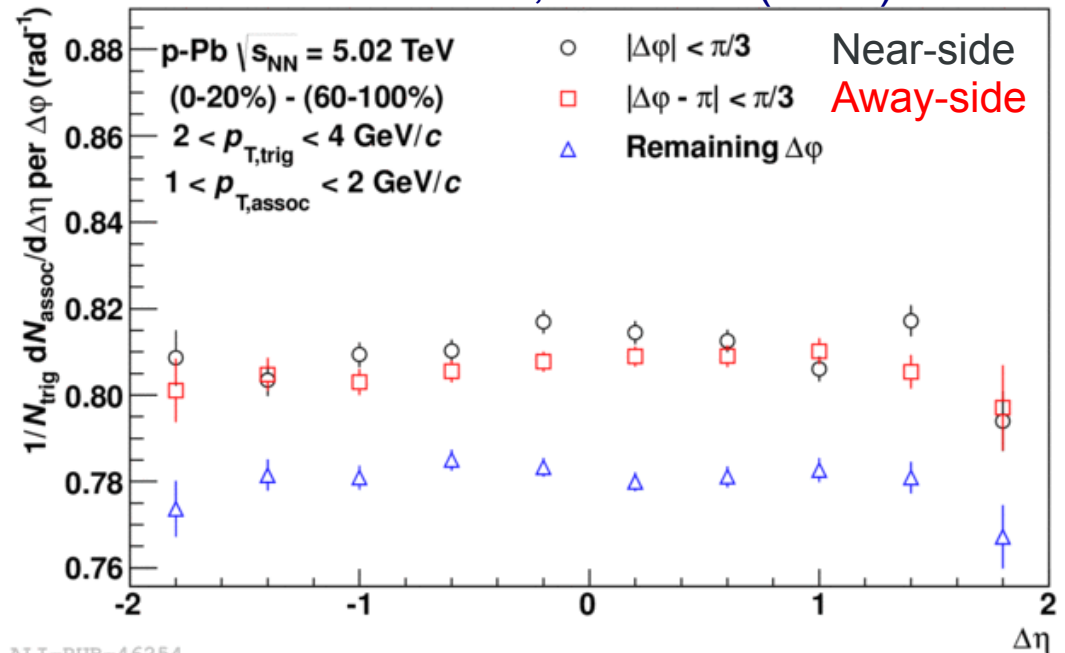
- A closer look at the two ridges: the near- and away-side ridges

- Are essentially flat in  $\Delta\eta$ 
  - Slight excess on near side due to small residual jet peak
- Have the same magnitude

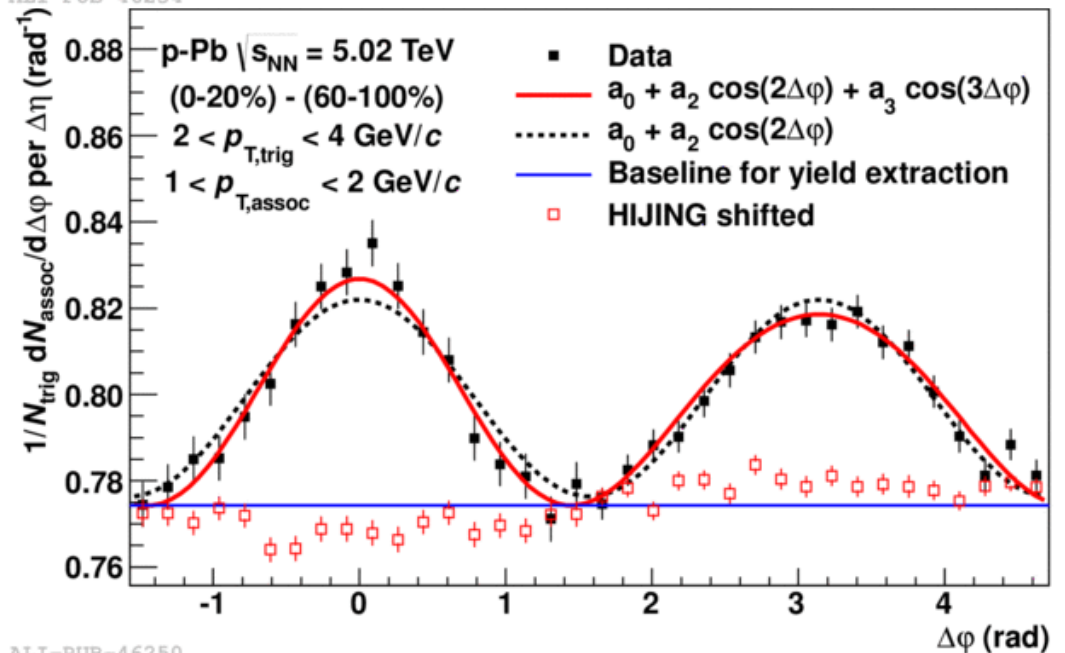
- Projection to  $\Delta\phi$

- Exclude residual peak ( $|\Delta\eta| < 0.8$  on near-side) exhibits a modulation
- In HIJING, the correlation shows no qualitative changes with multiplicity
- Quantify the ridges
  - Ridge yields
  - Fourier coefficients

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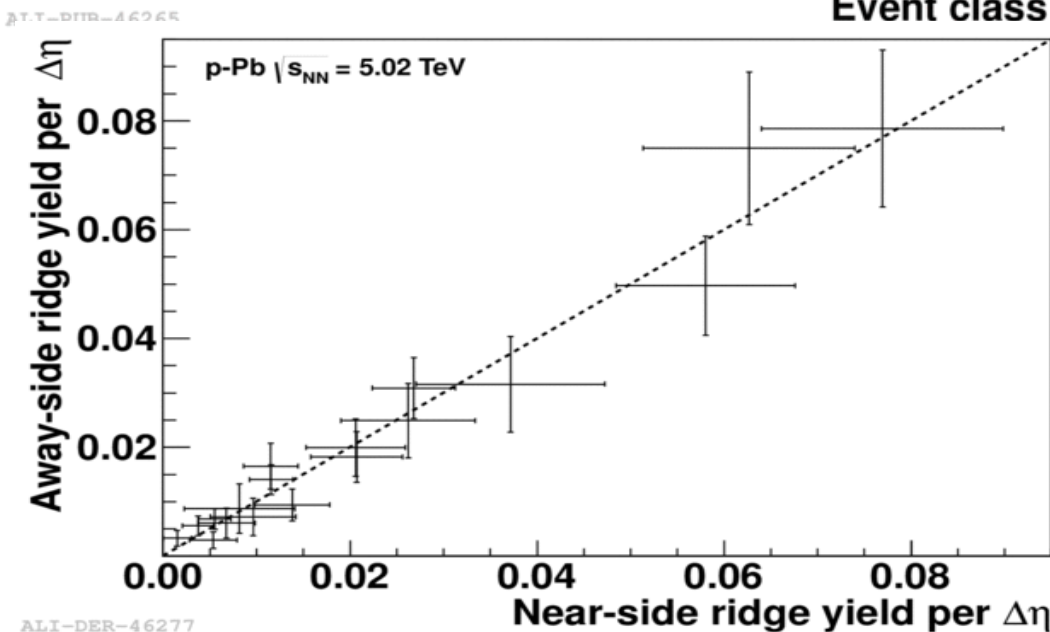
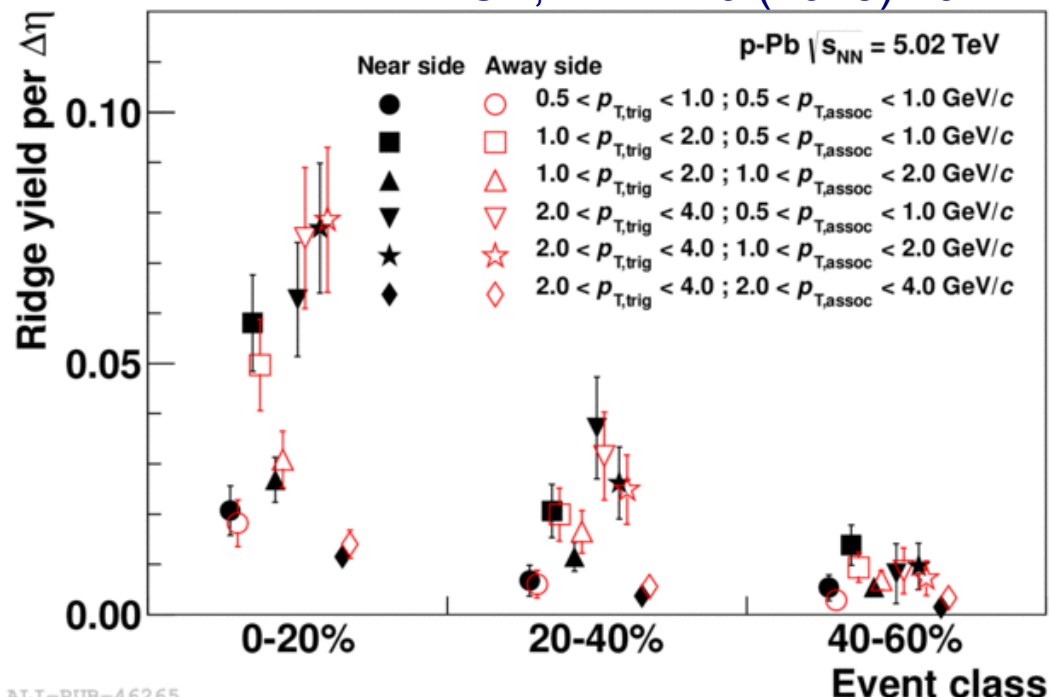
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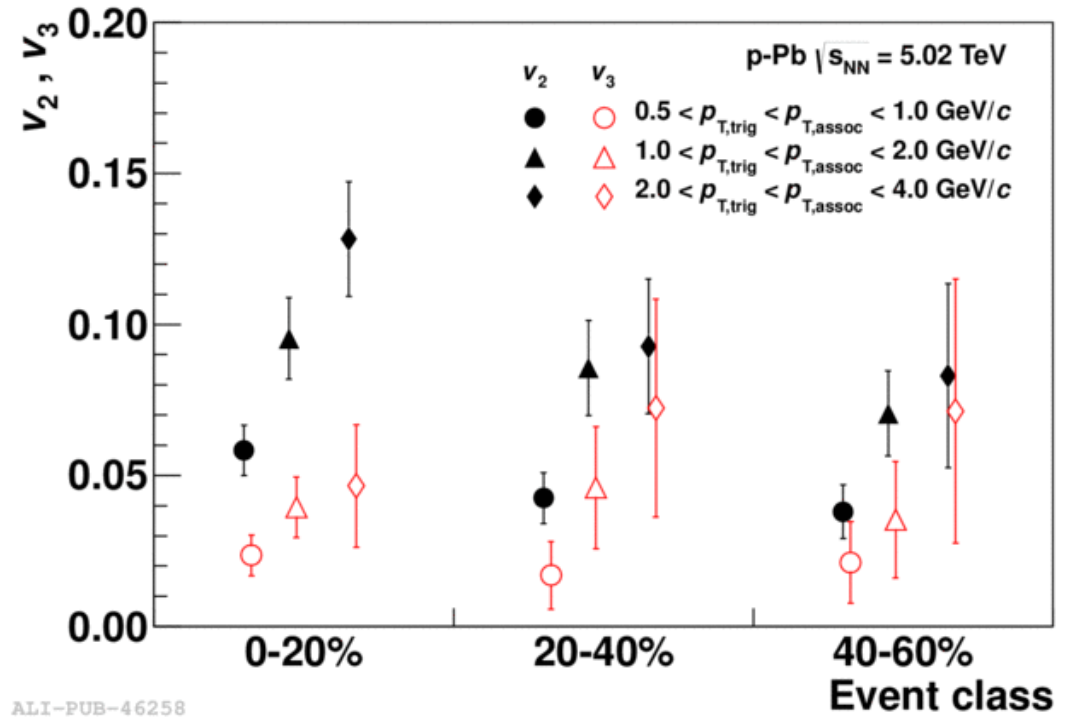
- Integrate two ridges above baseline on the
  - Near side ( $|\Delta| < \pi/2$ )
  - Away side ( $\pi/2 < |\Delta| < 3\pi/2$ )
- Near and away-side ridge yields
  - Change significantly
  - Agree for all  $p_T$  and multiplicity ranges
  - Increase with trigger  $p_T$  and multiplicity
  - Widths are approximately the same (not shown)
- The correlation between near- and away-side yields suggests a common underlying origin

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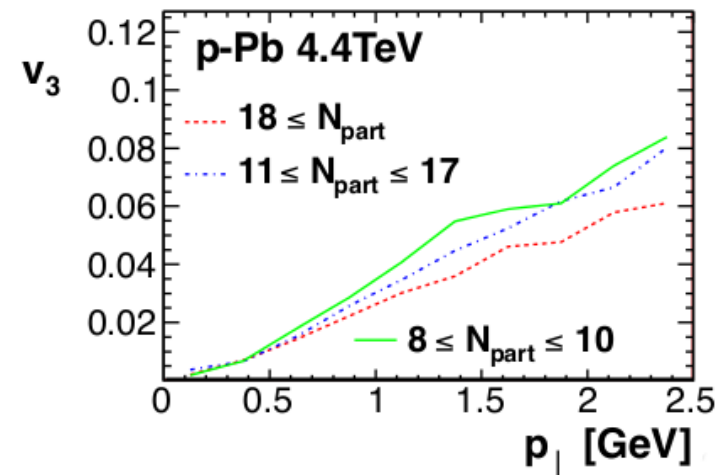
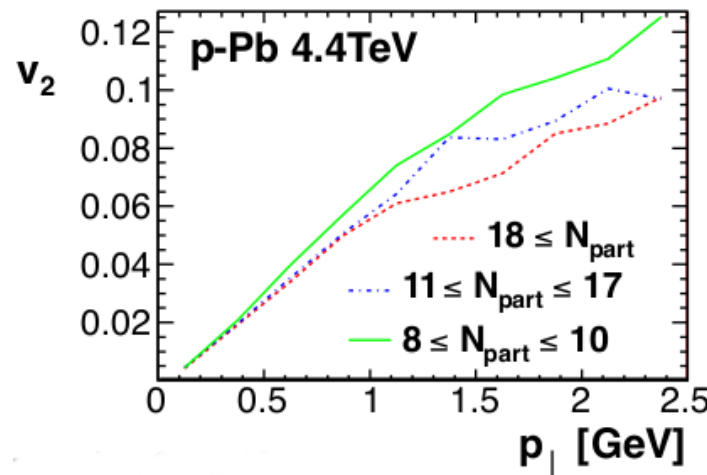


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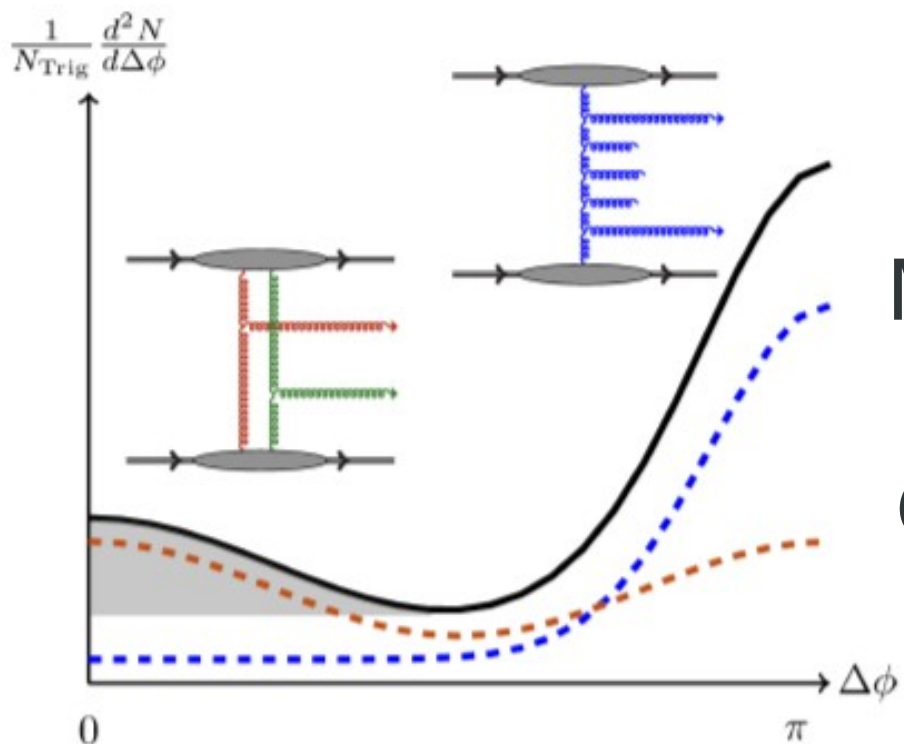
- Obtain  $v_n = \sqrt{a_n/b}$  from  $a_0 + 2a_2 \cos(2\Delta\phi) + 2a_3 \cos(3\Delta\phi)$  fit where  $b$  is baseline in higher multiplicity class
- $v_2$  increases strongly with  $p_T$  and mildly with multiplicity
- $v_3$  increases with  $p_T$  within large uncertainties
- These trends are in qualitative agreement with expectations from viscous hydrodynamical predictions



Bozek, PRC 85 (2012) 014911



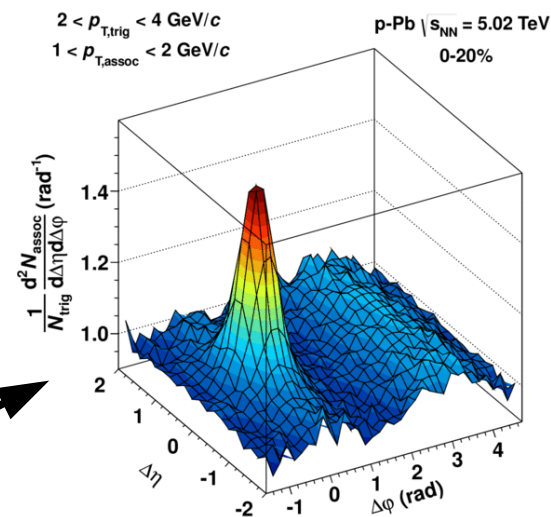
- Two ridges are also predicted by CGC



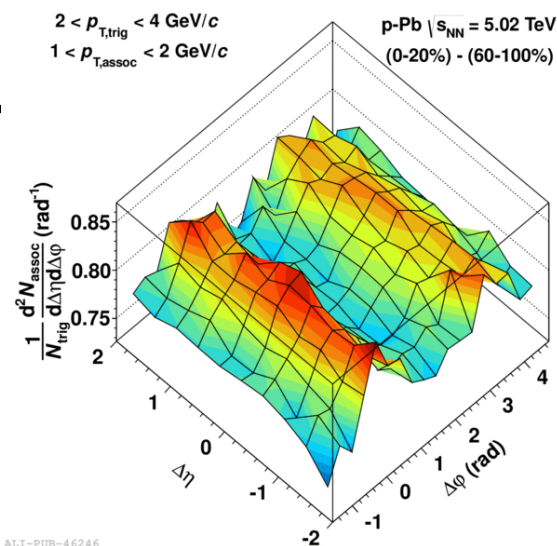
Dusling and Venugopalan, arXiv:1302.7018

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Glasma



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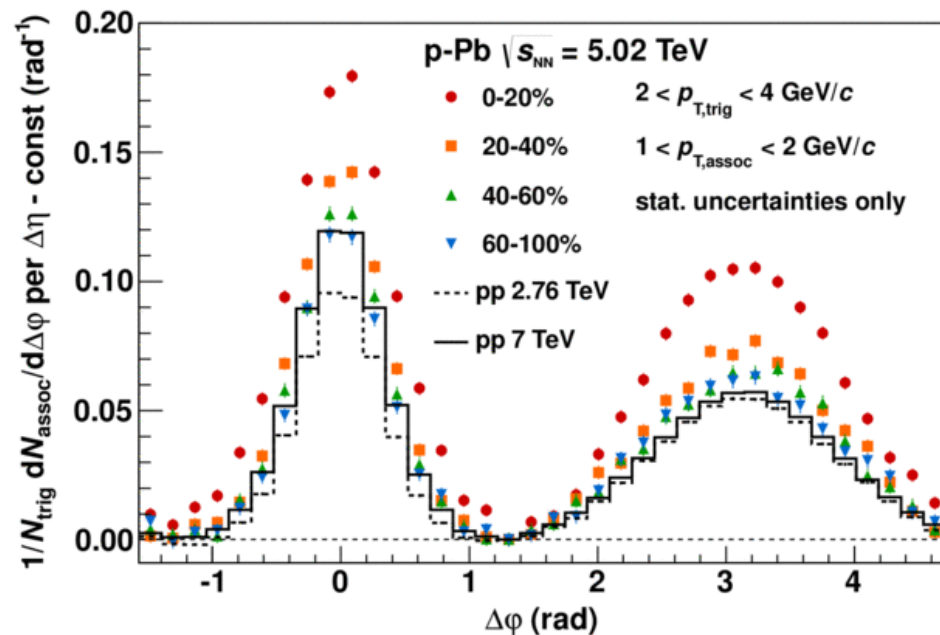
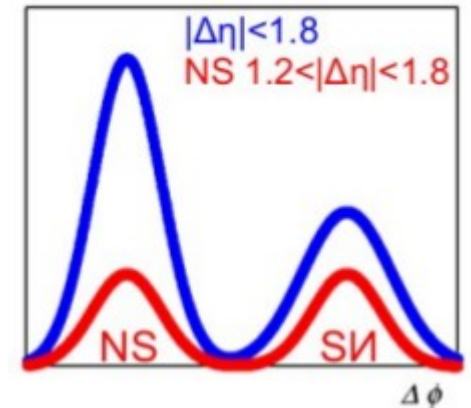
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# DHC: Symmetric ridge

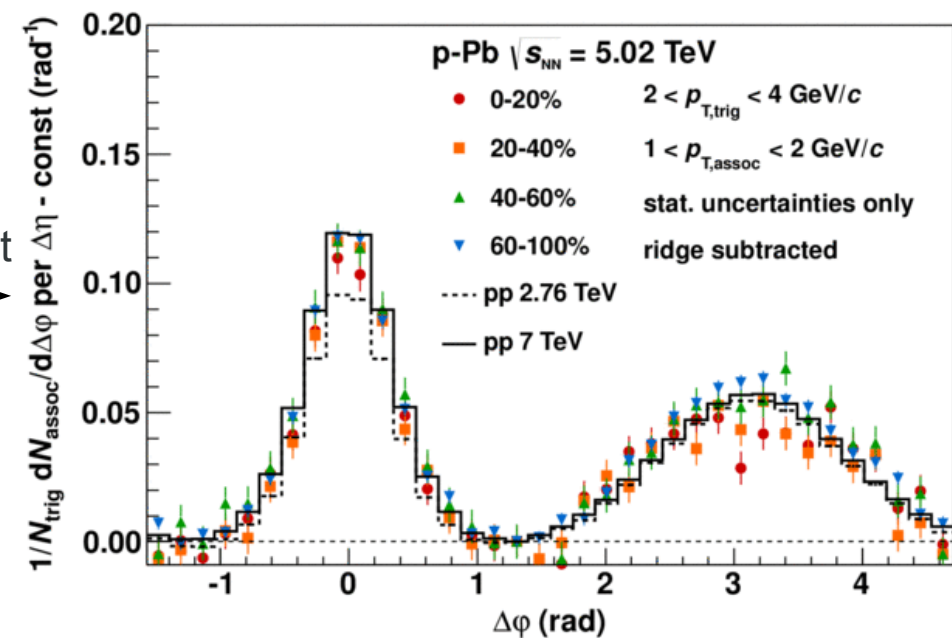
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- What would the assumption of a symmetric ridge give?
  - Determine the near-side ridge in  $1.2 < |\Delta\eta| < 1.8$
  - Mirror to away-side and subtract



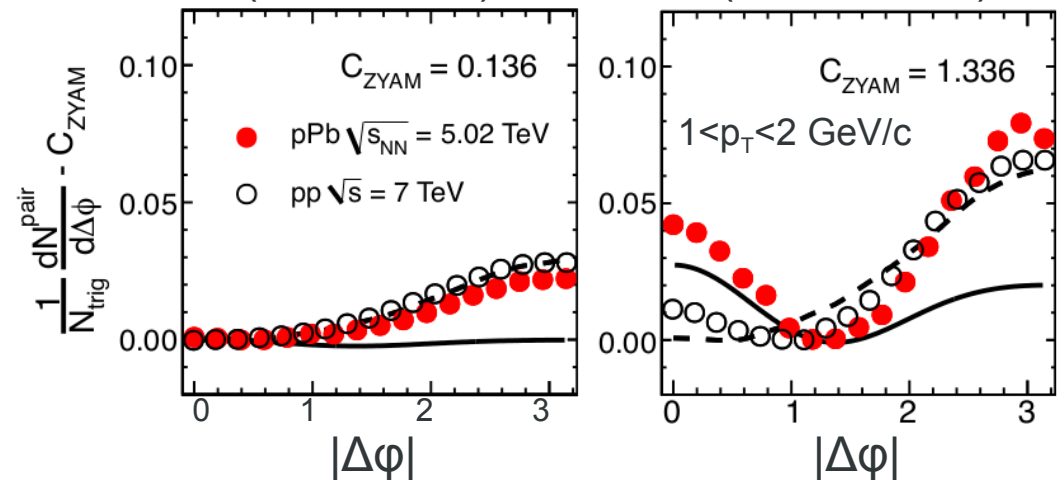
Subtract  
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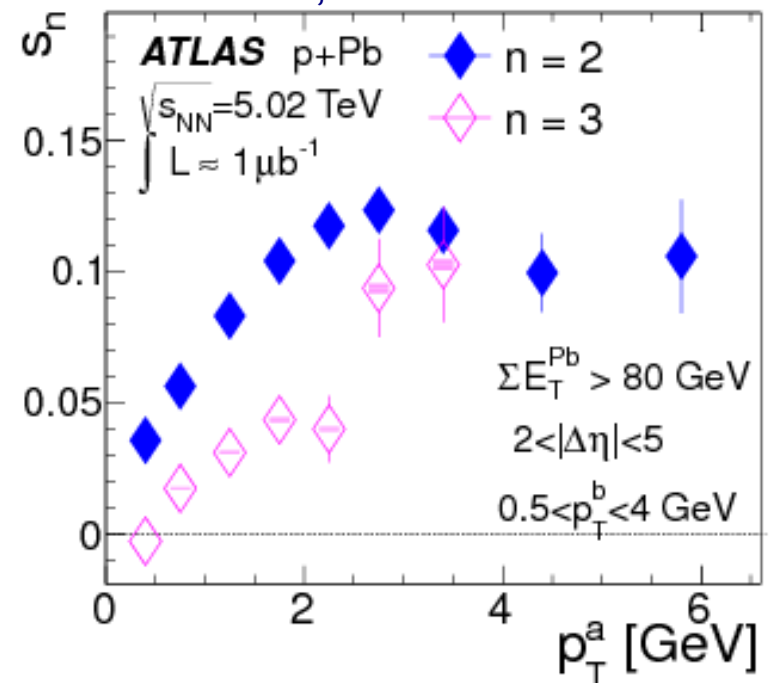
- No significant other multiplicity dependent structures left over

- CMS
  - Reported near-side ridge
- ATLAS
  - Confirms two-ridge structure
    - Larger acceptance
    - More  $p_T$  and multiplicity bins
- Results by the 3 collaborations are qualitatively similar
  - Differences in event selection, normalization, acceptance and  $p_T$  ranges, as well as in the per-trigger yield definition make direct comparisons difficult
  - A few cases were checked “together” and found to be consistent
  - See appendix: arXiv:1302.7018

CMS, PLB 718 (2012) 795  
 Low mult. (N<sub>track</sub><35)      High mult. (N<sub>track</sub>≥110)



ATLAS, arXiv:1212.5198





- Cumulants to extract genuine k-particle correlations excluding those from k-1 particles
- Higher order cumulant nicely work out in PbPb, where multiplicity is large

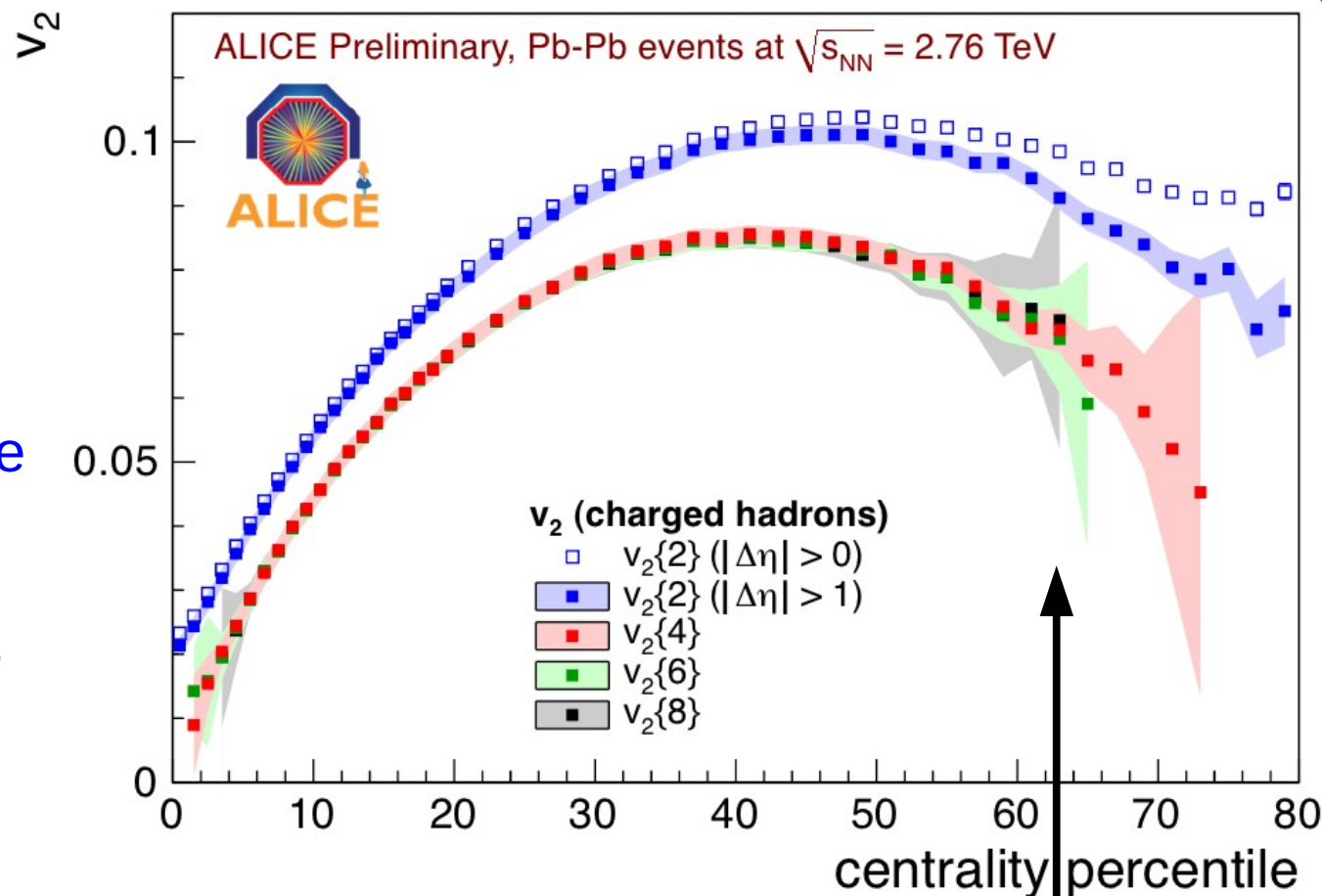
## Definitions

- $v_2\{2\}^2 = \langle v_2 \rangle^2 + \sigma_{v_2}^2 + \delta$   
 $v_2 \gg 1/\sqrt{M}$

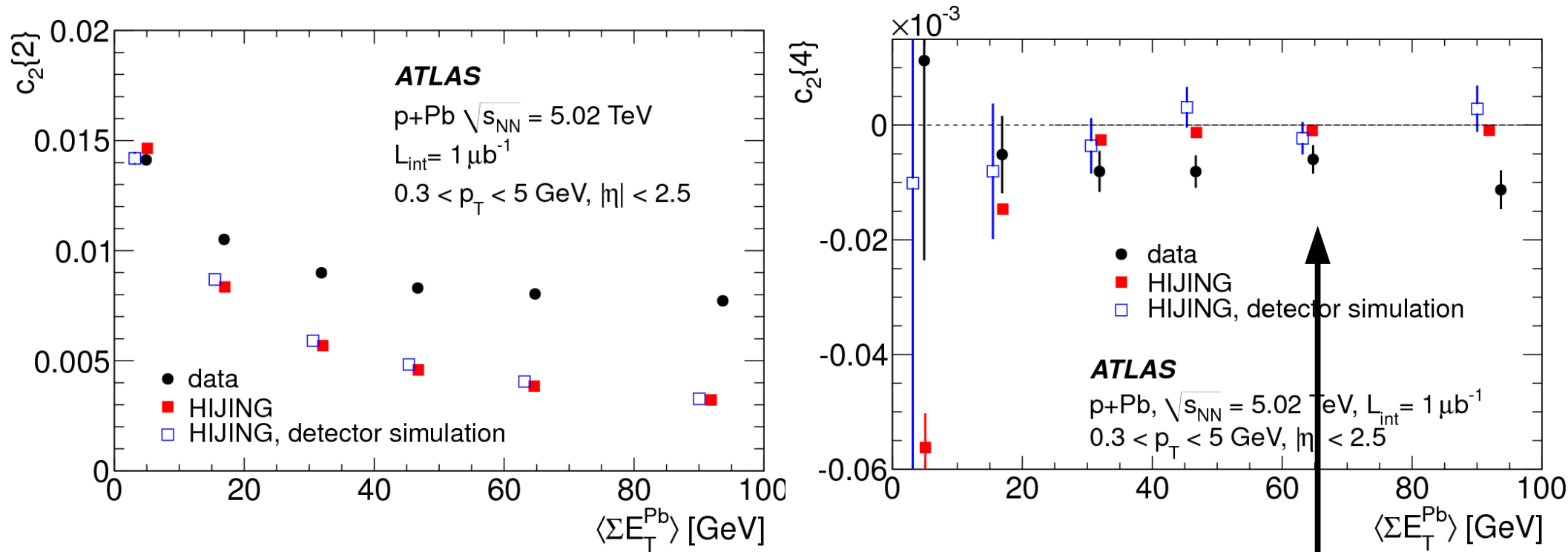
- $v_2\{4\}^2 = \langle v_2 \rangle^2 - \sigma_{v_2}^2$   
 $v_2 \gg 1/M^{3/4}$

– eg.  $M=100, v_2 \gg 0.03$

- Care is needed when averaging over  $M$ , as cumulants are also sensitive to multiplicity fluctuations



$\langle N_{ch} \rangle \approx 100$



- Second and fourth order cumulant extracted
  - Second order above HIJING as expected if additional correlations present
  - Fourth order has different trend than HIJING
    - In high-multiplicity region there are four or higher particle correlations not present in HIJING



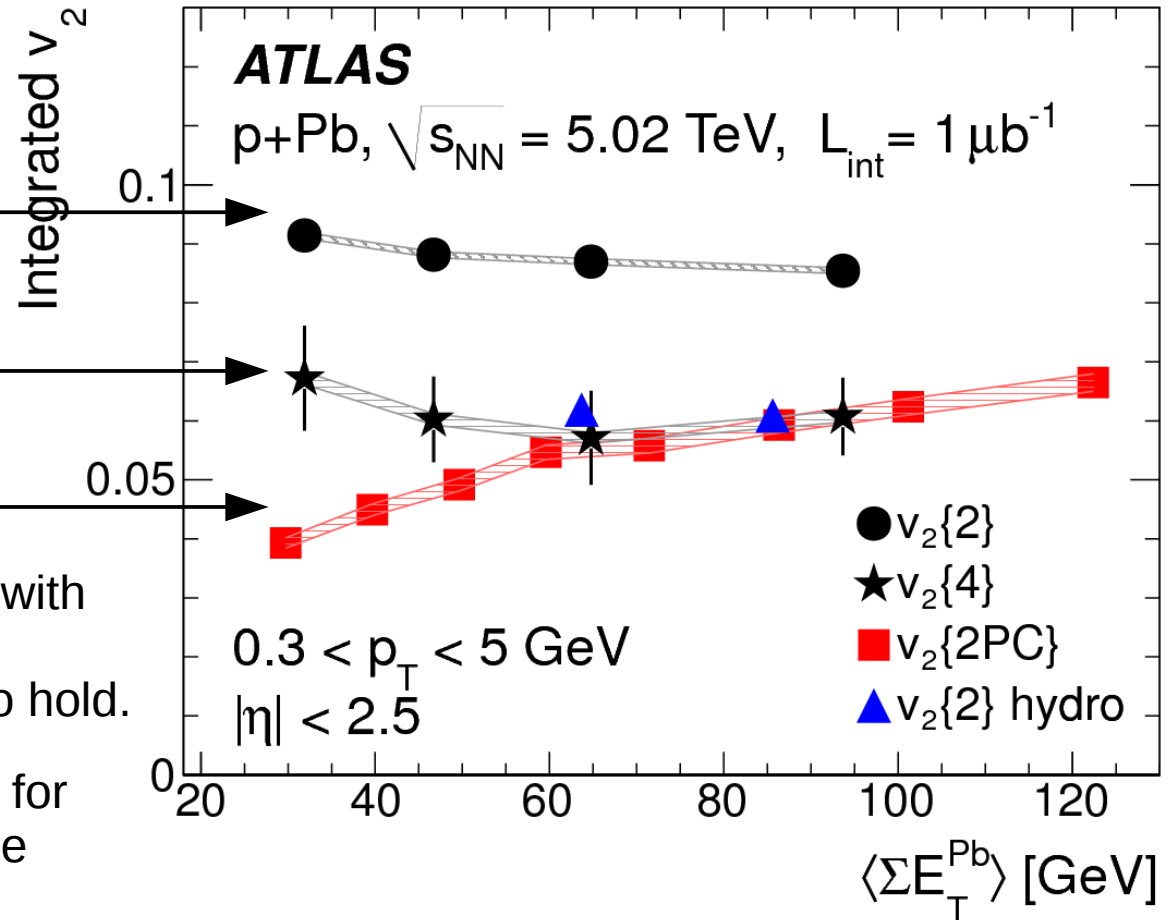
In PbPb one would expect

$$v_2\{2\}^2 = \langle v_2 \rangle^2 + \sigma_{v_2}^2 + \delta$$

$$v_2\{4\}^2 = \langle v_2 \rangle^2 - \sigma_{v_2}^2$$

$$v_2\{2PC\}^2 = \langle v_2 \rangle^2 + \sigma_{v_2}^2$$

- Equations derived for heavy-ions with guidance from Bessel-Gauss and eccentricity studies do not need to hold.
- Nevertheless taken at face value, for high multiplicity events, compatible solution can exist within errors.

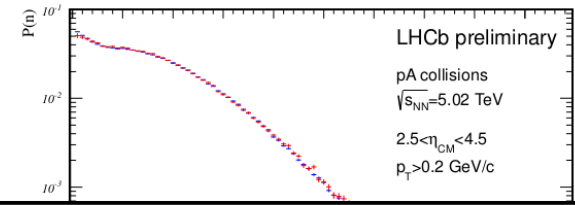
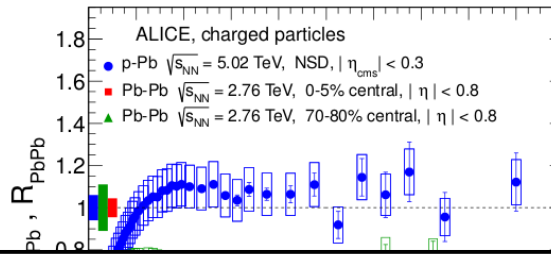
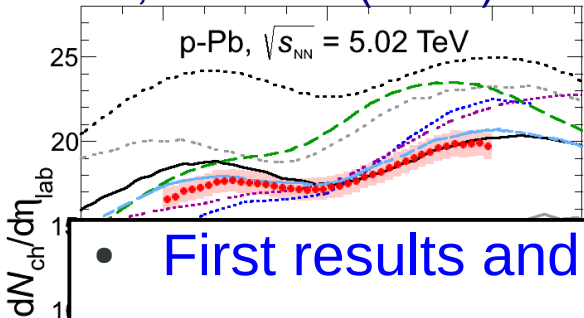


$v_2\{4\}$  compatible with  $v_2\{PC\}$  supports the importance of final state effects, even in pPb. Or else, are there other Glasma contributions (or different theory) which predict four azimuthally correlated particles?

# Summary

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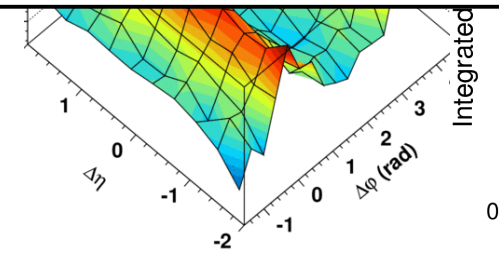
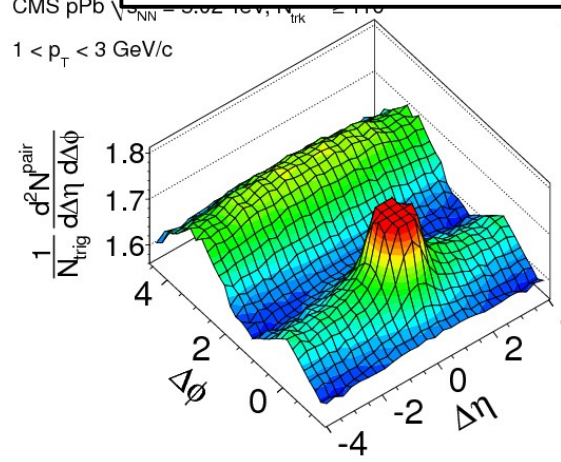


- First results and surprises already from the pilot run in 2012
  - First measurements (pPb cross section, dN/dη and dN/dp<sub>T</sub> spectra)
  - More fundamental work needed (diffraction, fluctuations and centrality)
  - Ridge and higher cumulant results lead to interesting debate of the role of initial and final state effects in pPb
- Thanks to successful LHC operations in 2013, there are soon many more results to come

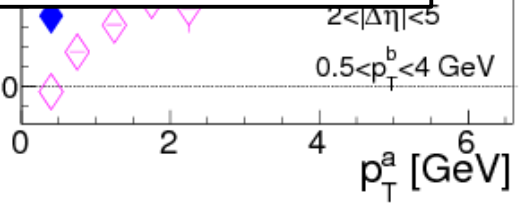
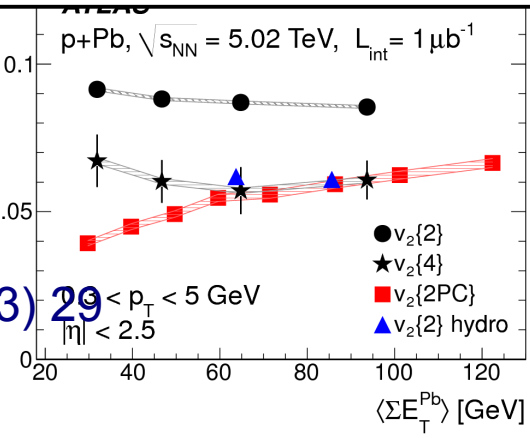
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CMS

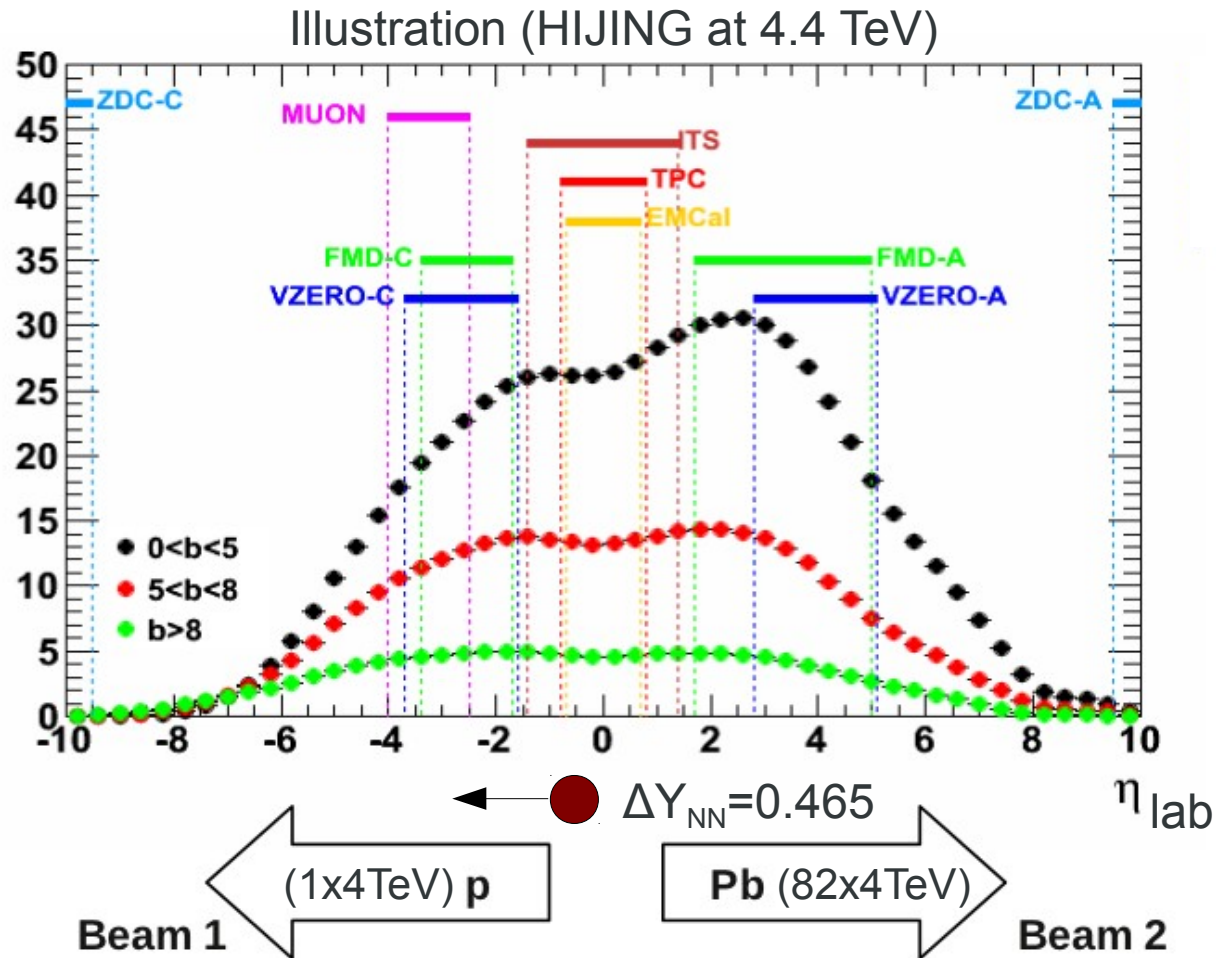
CMS pPb √s\_NN = 5.02 TeV, N\_trk = 100  
1 < p\_T < 3 GeV/c



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- Trigger

- VZERO-A or C
- ZDC-A or ZDC-C

- Dataset

- One fill (a few millions triggers)
- A part with displaced vertex to have ITS coverage over 6 units in  $\eta$

