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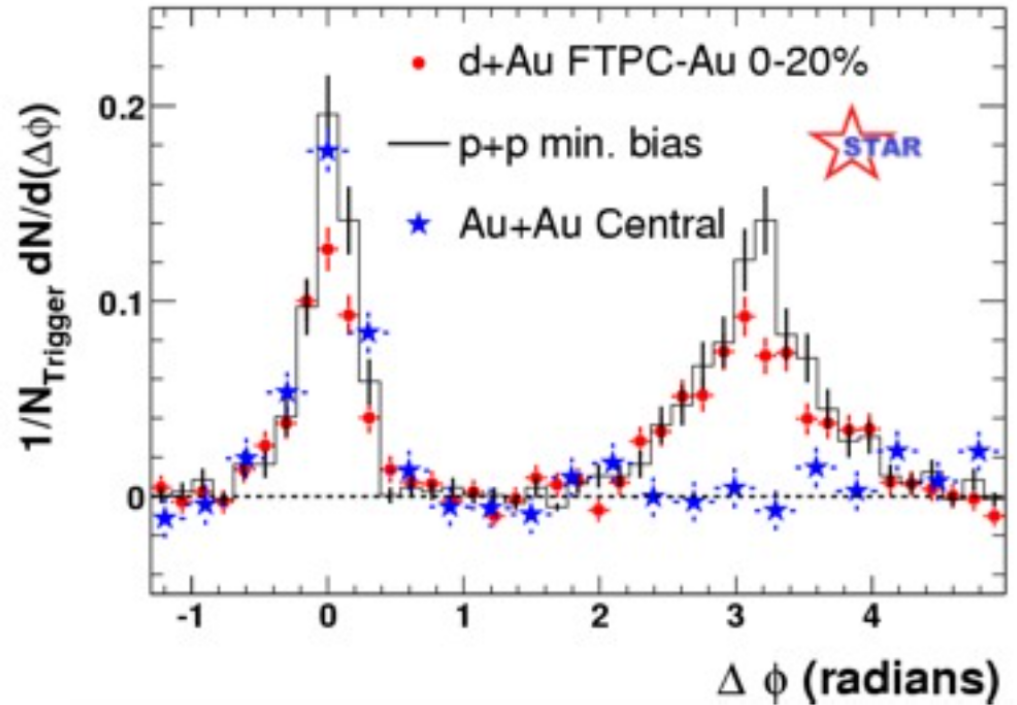
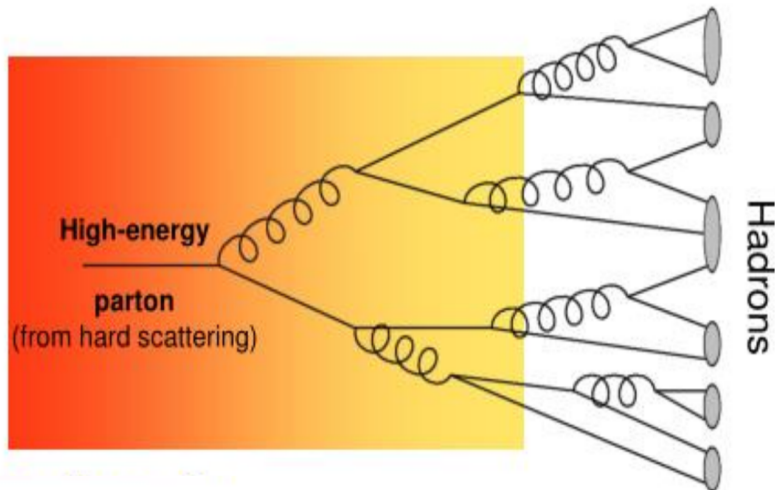
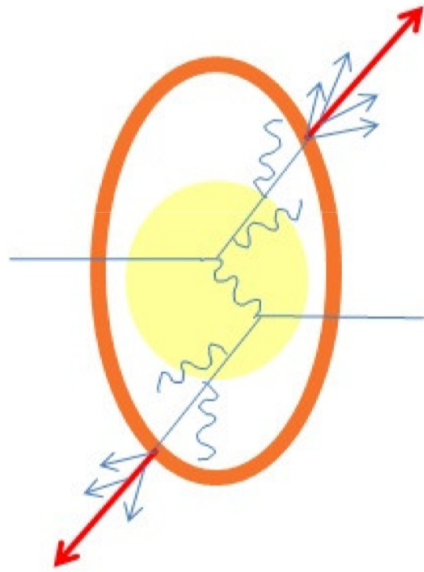
Partonic effect on the charm correlation in a multi-phase transport model

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Partonic interaction and energy loss in HIC

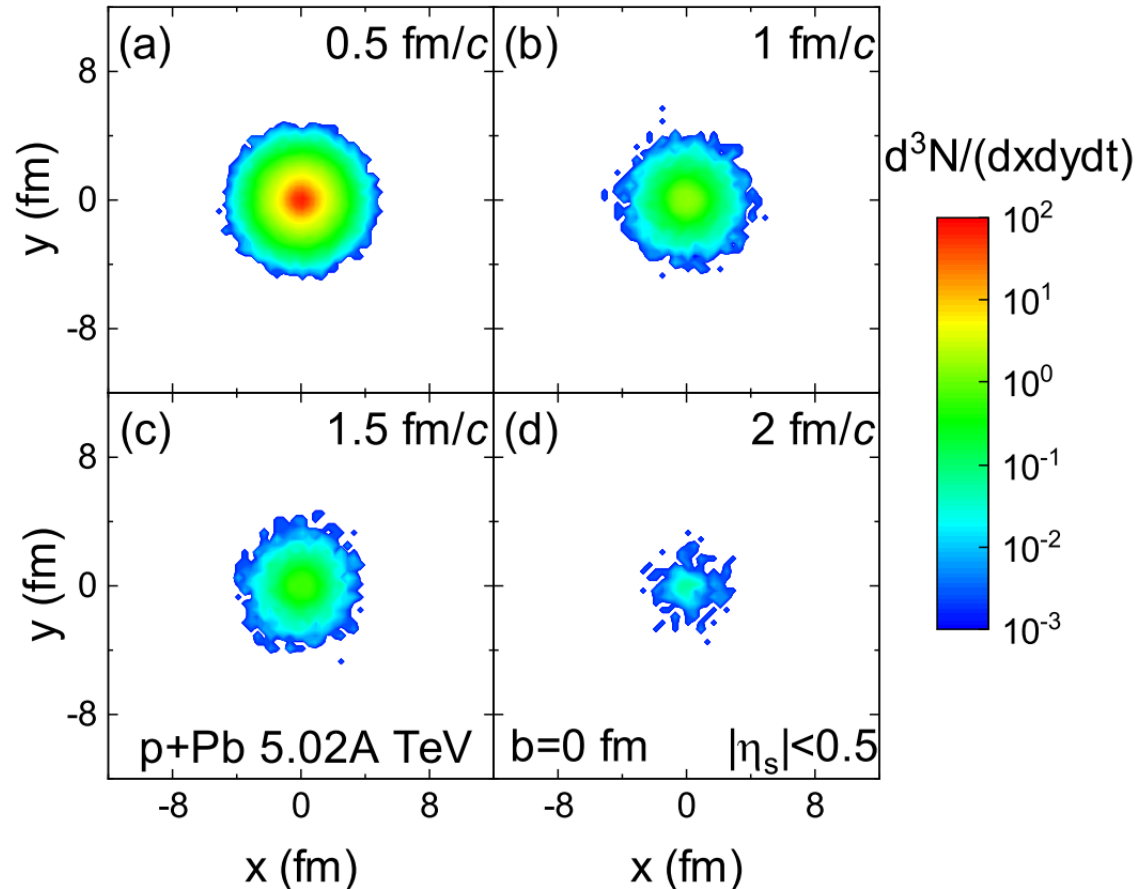


- Dihadron azimuthal correlation
=> probes medium effect
- Energy loss inside medium
=> partonic interaction

Outline

- Partonic effect on azimuthal anisotropy observables
- Partonic effect on charm correlation

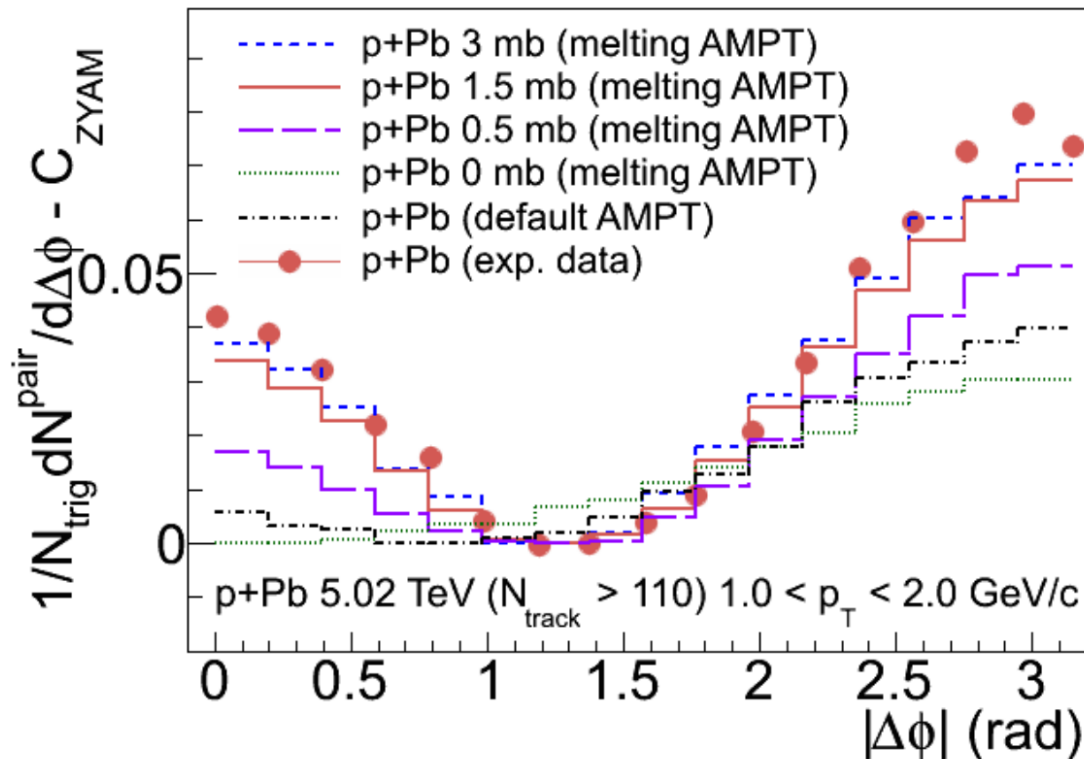
Partonic interactions in small system



- Early evolution of the active initial partons in the transverse plane in p+Pb 5.02 TeV collisions simulated by a multiphase transport model (AMPT)

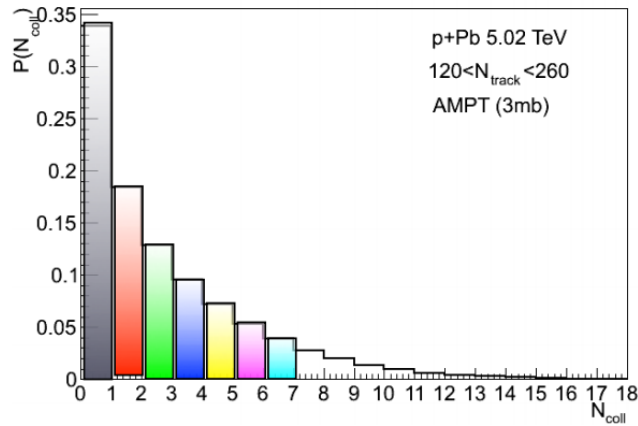
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G.-L. Ma and A. Bzdak, Phys.Lett. B 739 (2014) 209.

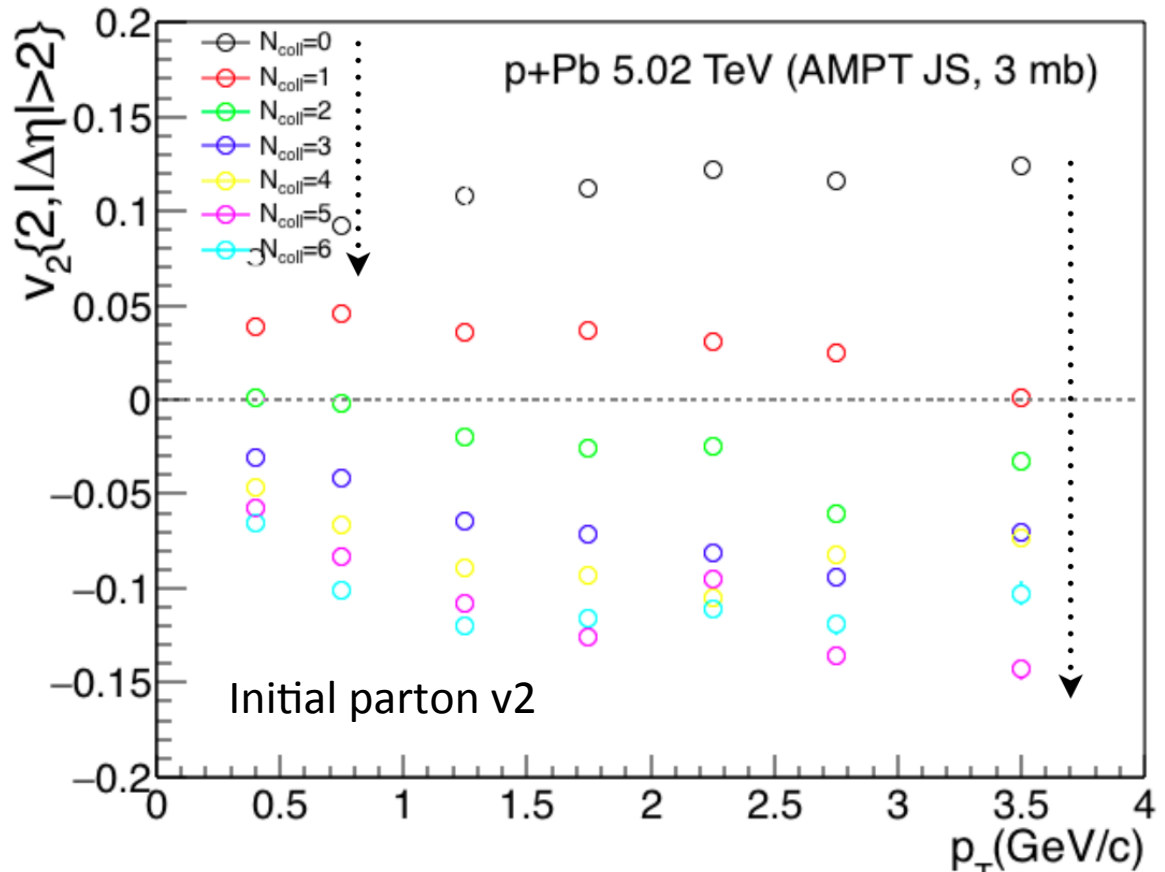


- Two particle correlations in p+Pb (AMPT)
- The strength of the signal increases with growing partonic x-section

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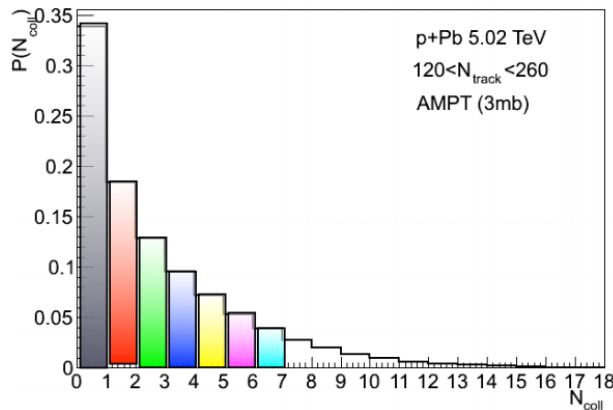
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 &+ \text{Ncoll}=5 + \text{Ncoll}=6 + \dots
 \end{aligned}$$



- In the initial state, v_2 (small $N_{\text{coll}}\}) > 0$ and v_2 (large $N_{\text{coll}}\}) < 0$ since the average v_2 must be zero.

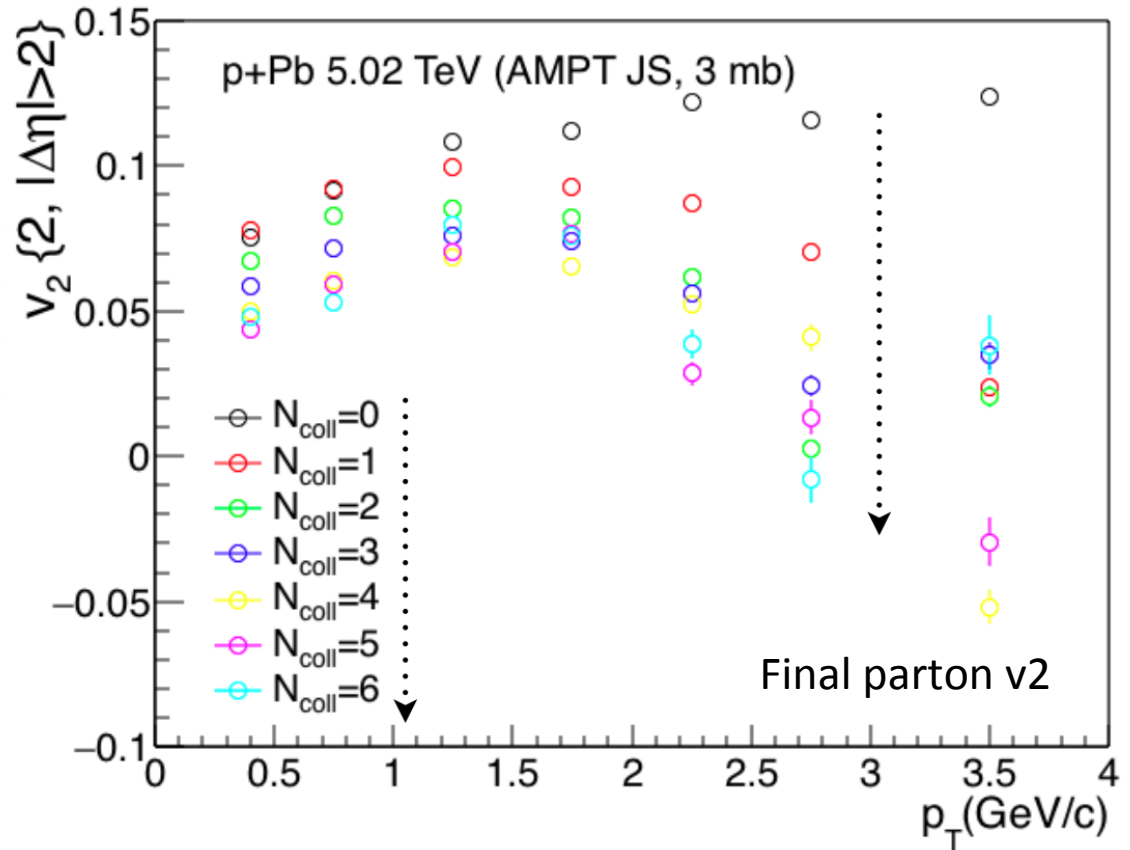
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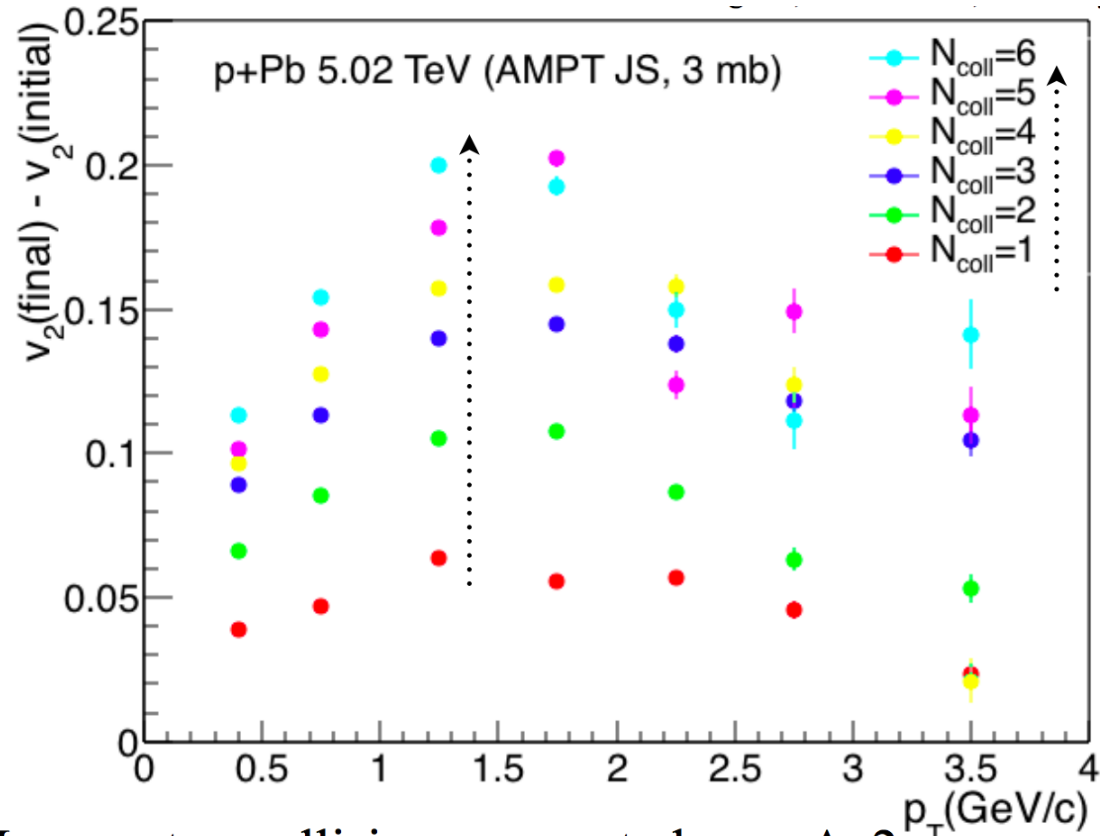
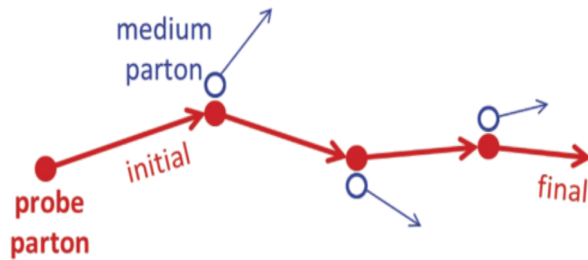
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Final partons (freezeout)



- Final partons' v_2 decreases with N_{coll} .

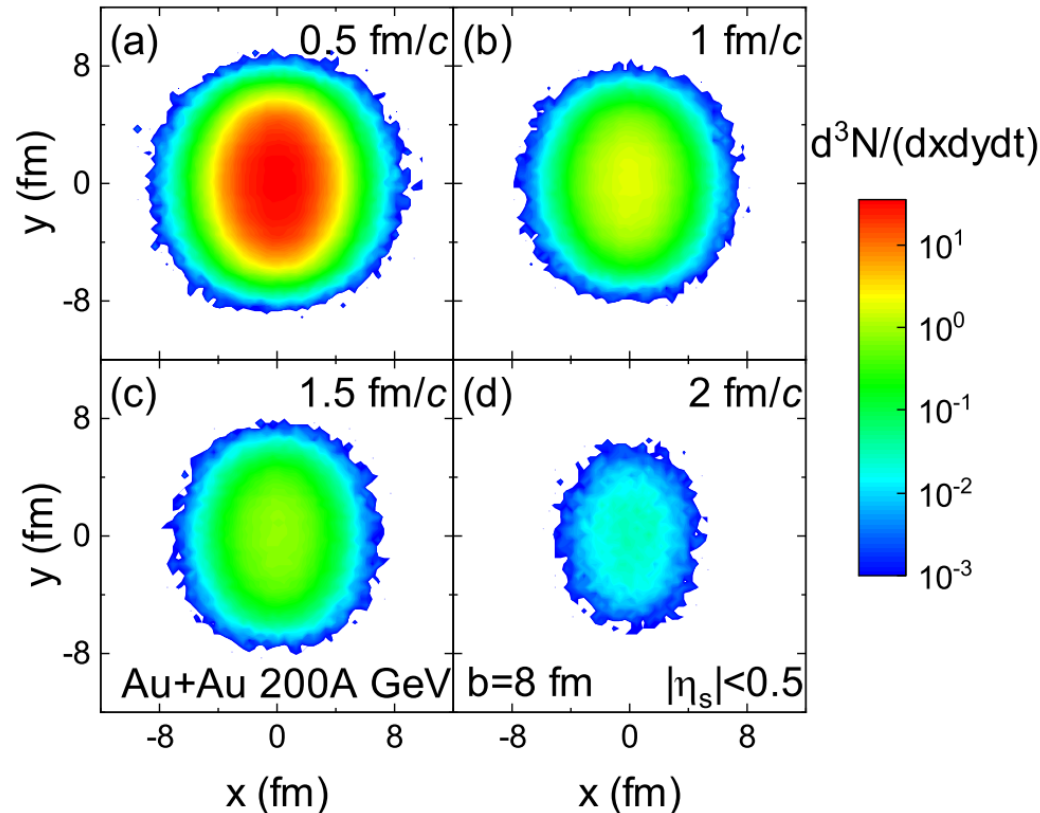
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- More parton collisions generate larger Δv_2 .

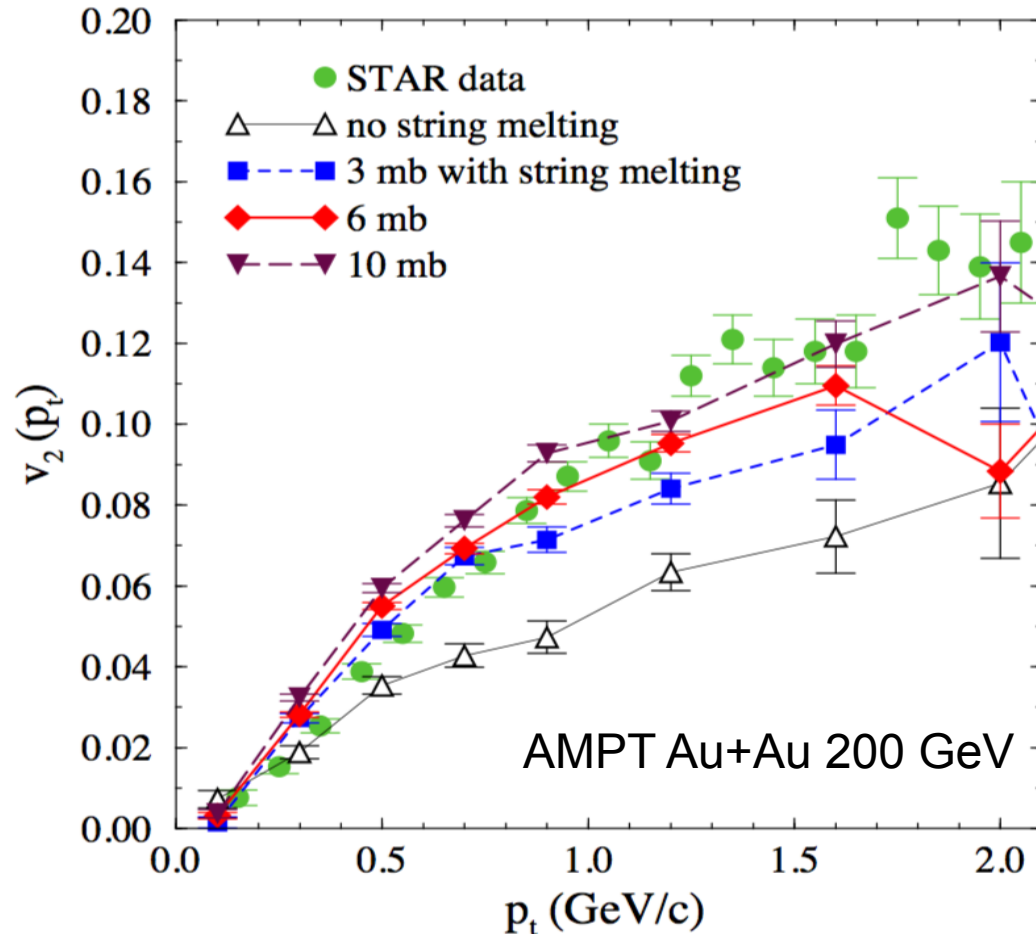
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Initial stage of the A+A system



- Early evolution of the active initial partons in the transverse plane in Au+Au 200 GeV mid-central collisions simulated by AMPT

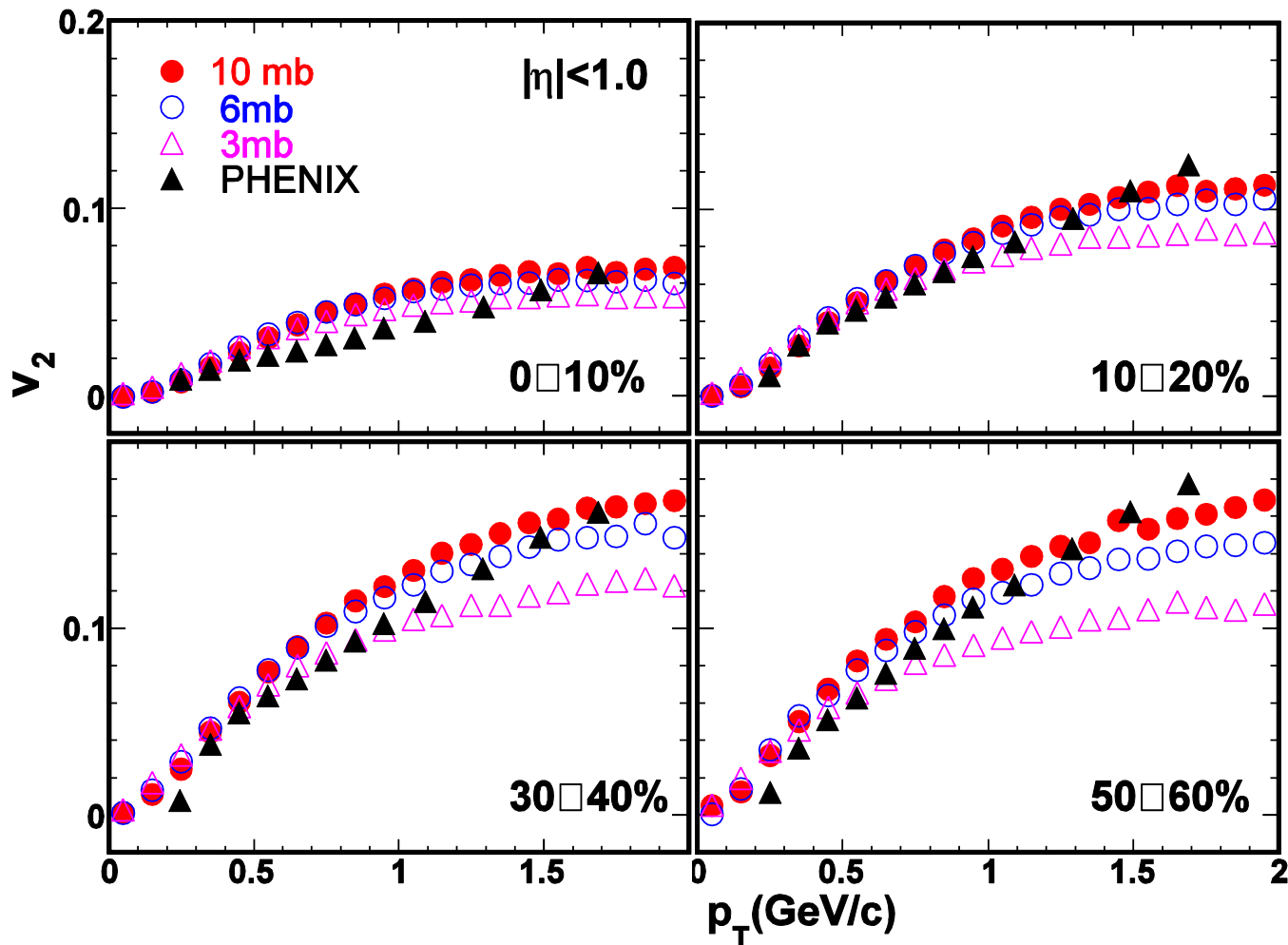
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➤ Flow observable: partonic x-sec dependent ordering

ZW Lin et al, Phys Rev C. 65. 034904

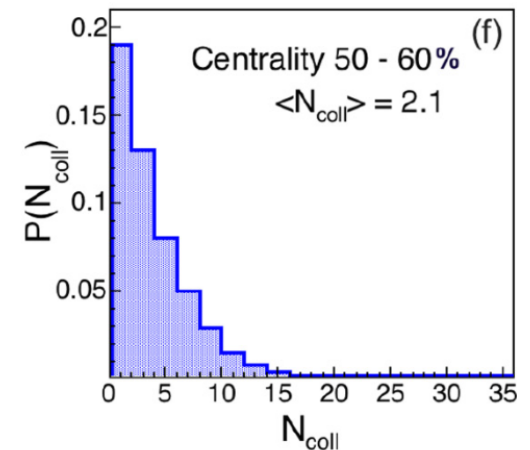
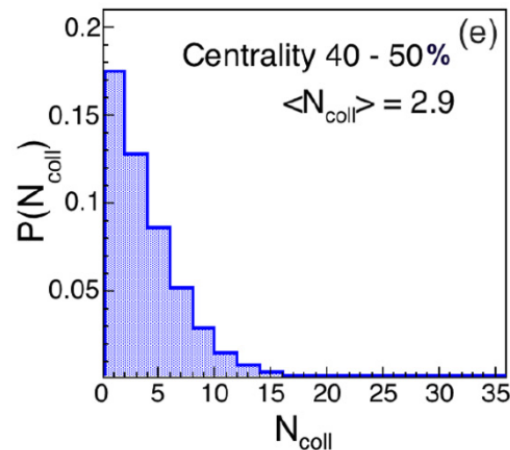
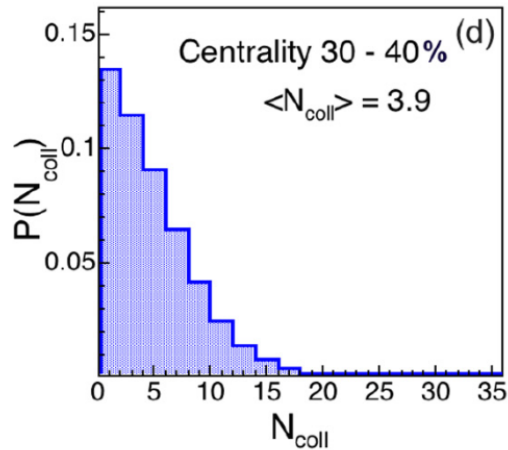
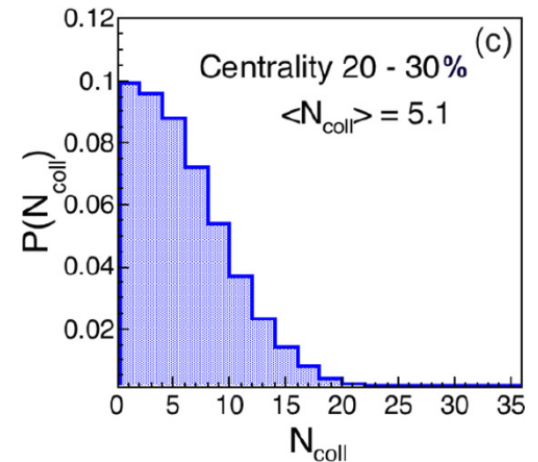
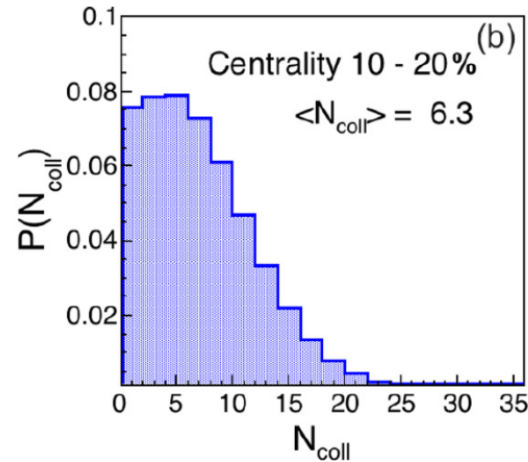
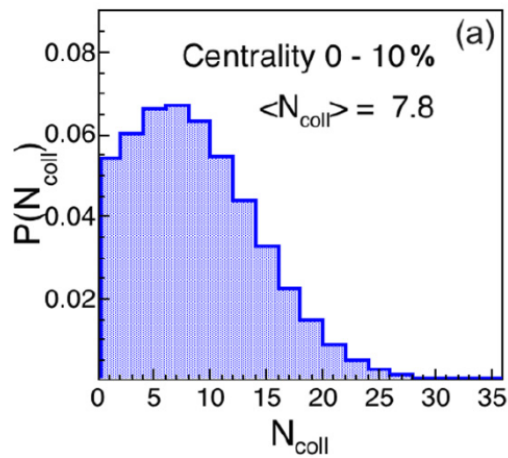
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➤ Flow observable: centrality dependence

LX Han et al, Phys. Rev. C 84, 064907

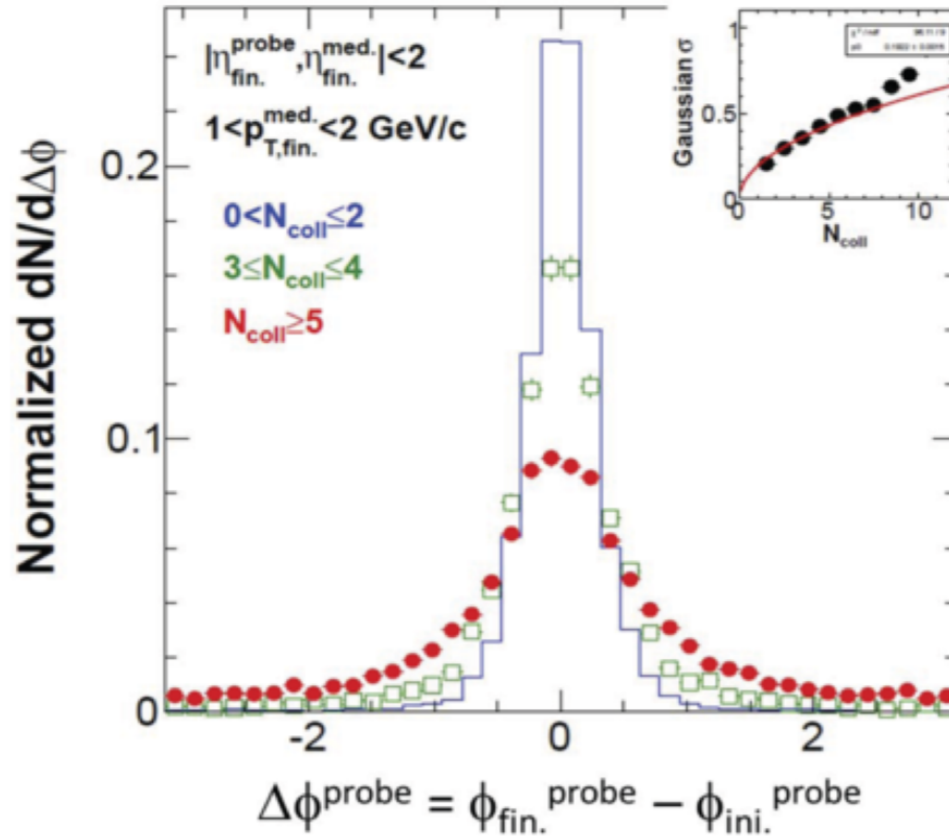
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➤ Probability distribution of the N_{coll} of freezeout partons

L Ma, GL Ma et al, PhysRevC.103.014908

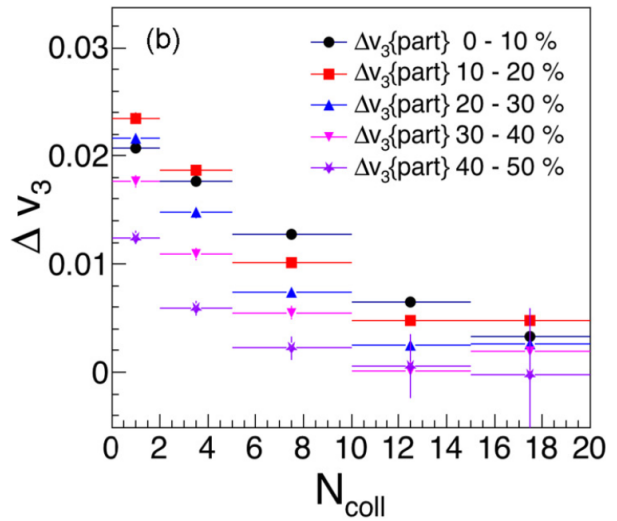
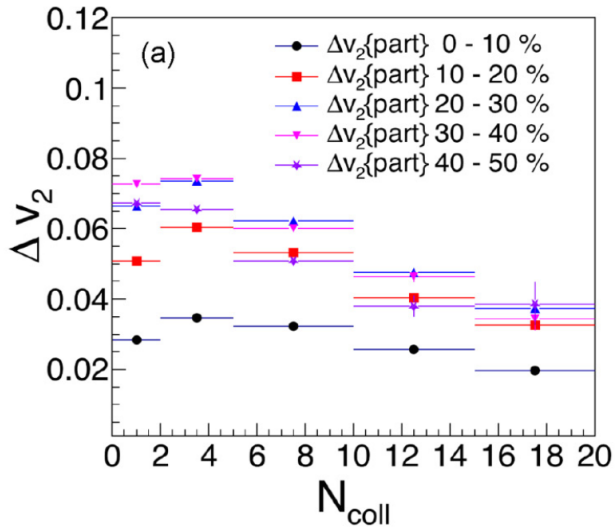
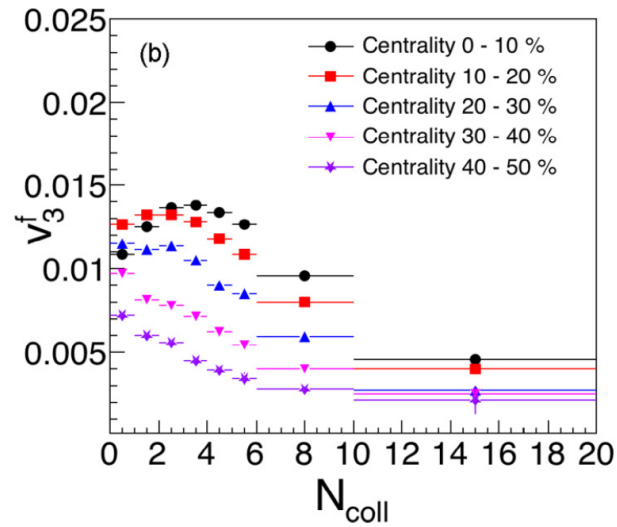
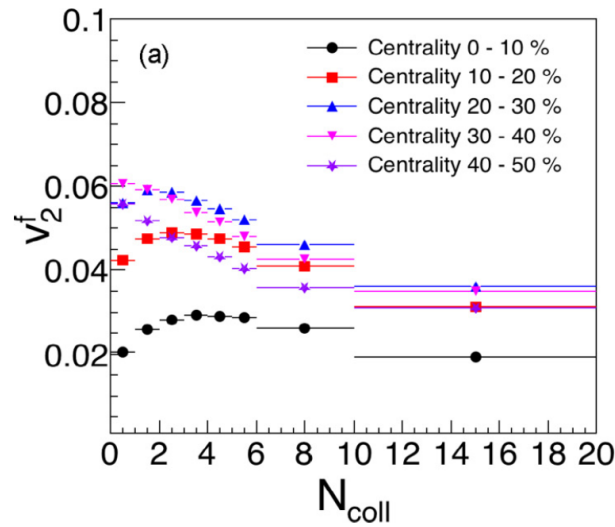
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➤ Partonic collision effect on particle correlations in A+A collisions

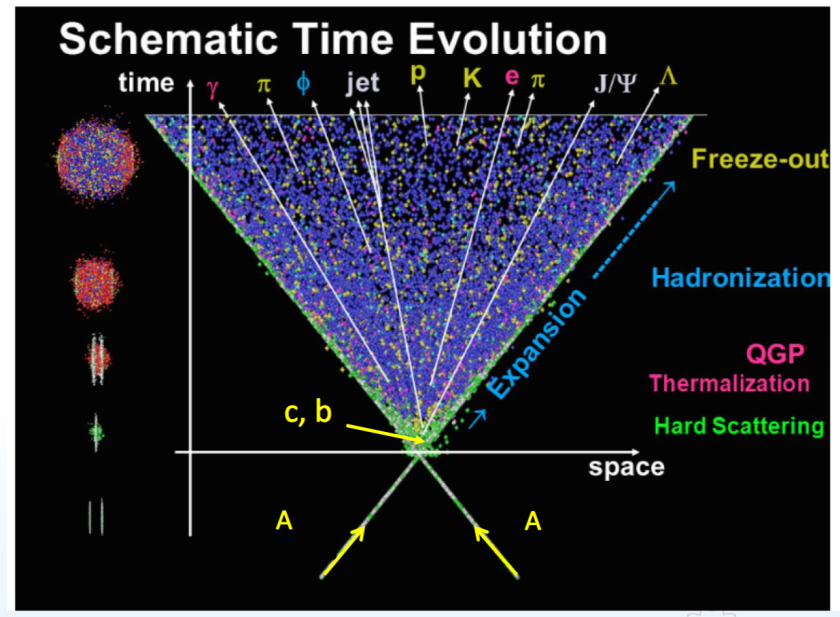
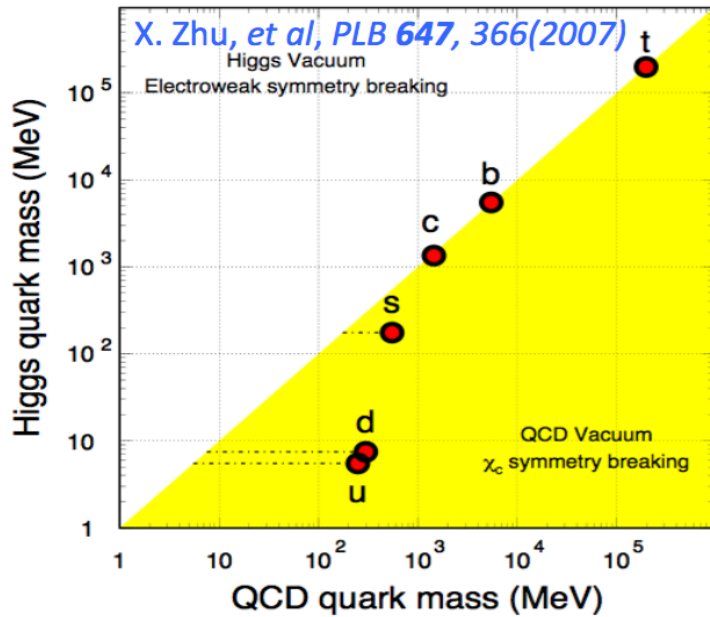
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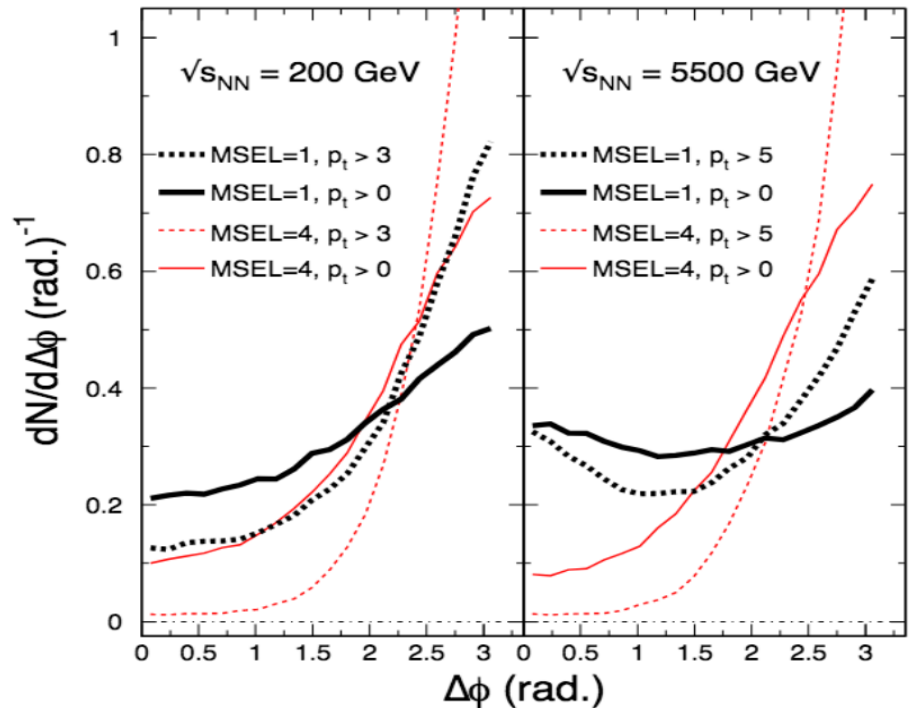
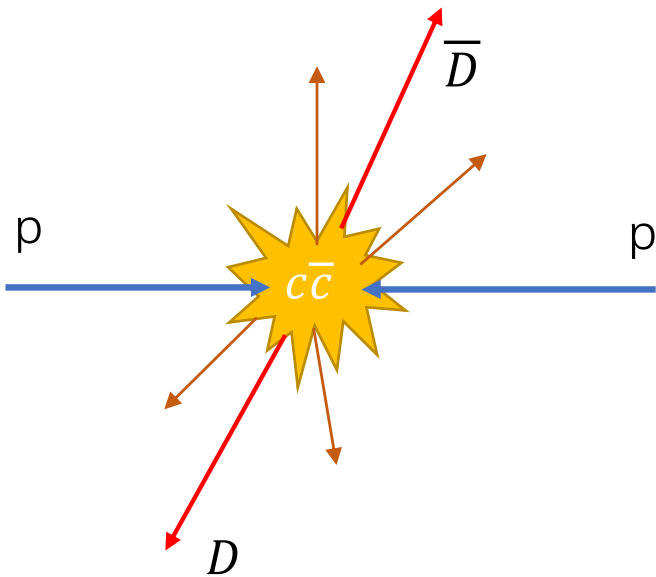
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Heavy flavor probes



- Heavy quark produced in initial hard process => sensitive to the initial gluon density and distribution (pp/pA/AA)
- Couple differently with the medium than light quarks => reveal critical features of the medium (G. Greco, QM2017)

Heavy flavor probes



4: LO (pair production) , 1: NLO (E-loss, FE,GS)

- The D-meson azimuthal correlation inherit initial charm pair correlation
- Correlation function broadened by higher order pQCD and non-perturbative processes => sensitive probes of the partonic effect

XL Zhu, N. Xu, PF Zhuang, Phys. Rev. Lett 100.152301

Simulation setup

- Parton generation : PYTHIA (v8.3) :
 - pQCD based MC
 - generate hadrons as AMPT input

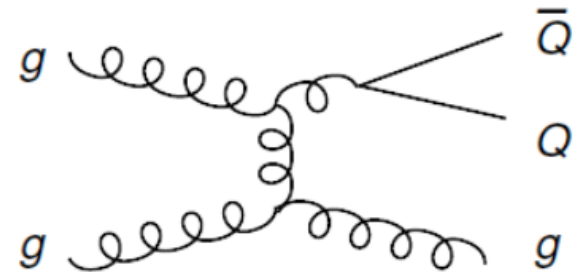
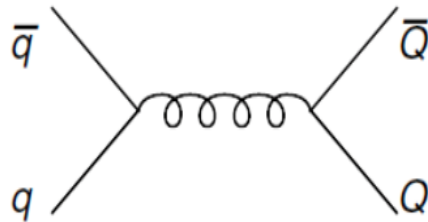
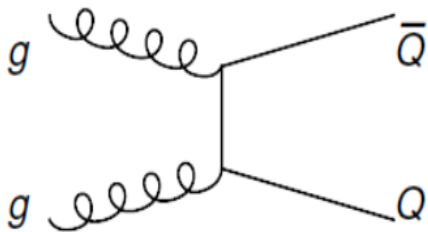
- Partonic evolution : AMPT(v2.26)
 - hadrons are converted to partons according to their valence configurations with the string melting mechanism
 - subsequential processes

Heavy flavor production

➤ HF production (PYTHIA):

$$\frac{d\sigma^{Q\bar{Q}}}{dp_T^2 dy_1 dy_2} = K \sum_{a,b} x_1 f_a(x_1, \mu_F^2) x_2 f_b(x_2, \mu_F^2) \frac{d\sigma^{ab \rightarrow Q\bar{Q}}}{d\hat{t}}$$

LO vs NLO



$$g + g \rightarrow Q + \bar{Q}$$

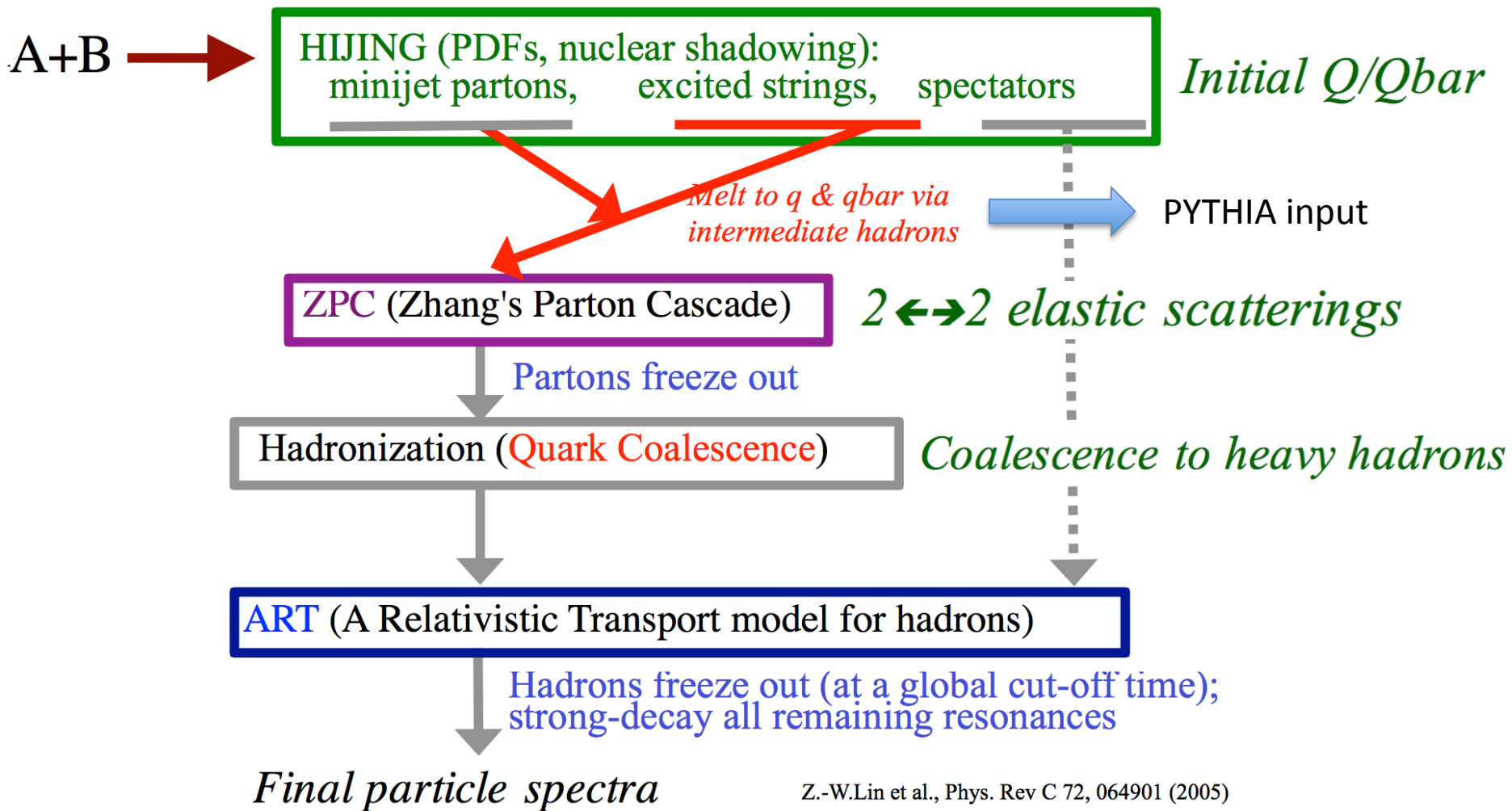
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Z.W. Lin, C.M. Ko, Phys. Rev. C 65, 034904

AMPT with String Melting



AMPT with String Melting

- Partonic interaction/evolution in AMPT => Zhang's Parton Cascade (ZPC) model
 - two-body elastic scattering process through the parton cascade mold
 - $2 \leftrightarrow 2$ parton cascade: $gg \leftrightarrow gg$, $gg \leftrightarrow qq\bar{q}$, $gq \leftrightarrow gq$

- Leading order pQCD interactions:

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\hat{t}} = \frac{9\pi\alpha_s^2}{2} \left(1 + \frac{\mu^2}{\hat{s}}\right) \frac{1}{(\hat{t} - \mu^2)^2},$$

$$s = (p_i + E_i)^2 = (p_f + E_f)^2$$

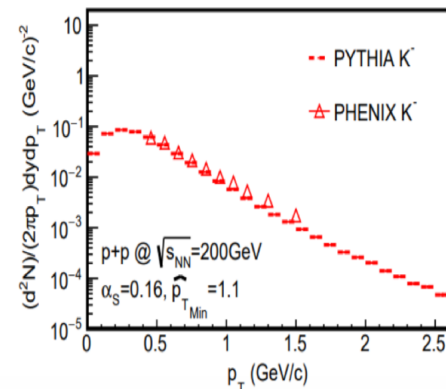
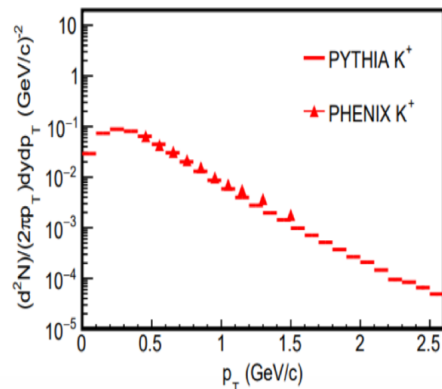
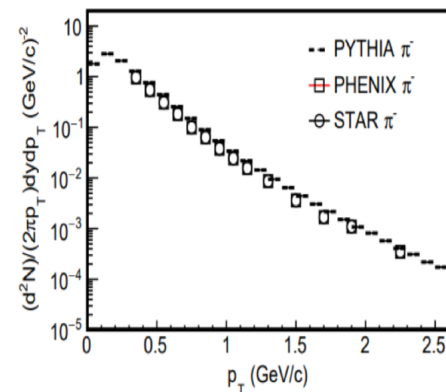
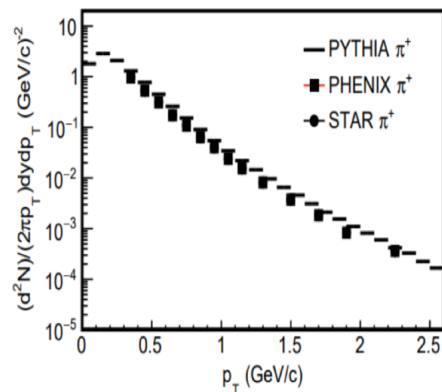
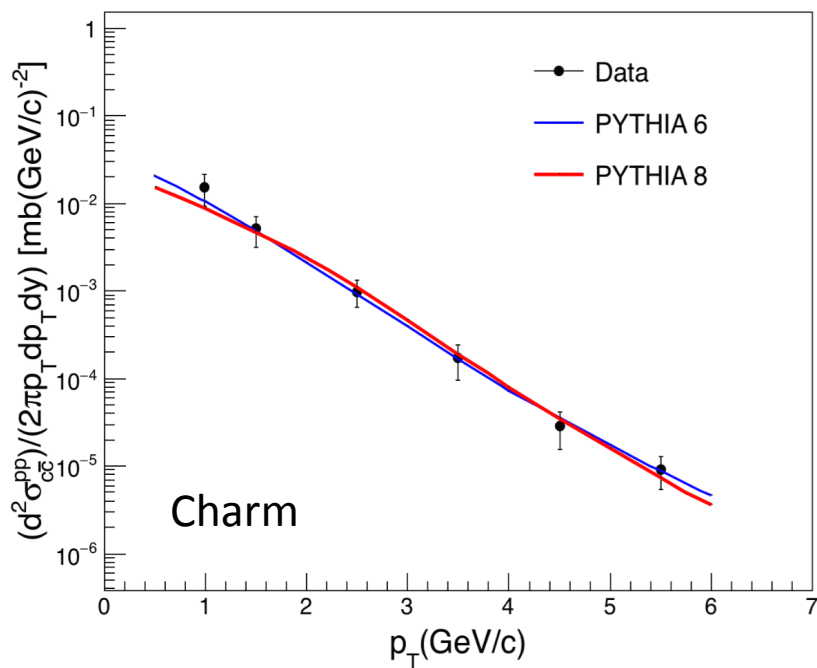
$$t = (p_f - p_i)^2 = (E_f - E_i)^2$$

μ : Debye screening mass

B. Zhang, Comput. Phys. Commun. 109, 193 (1998)

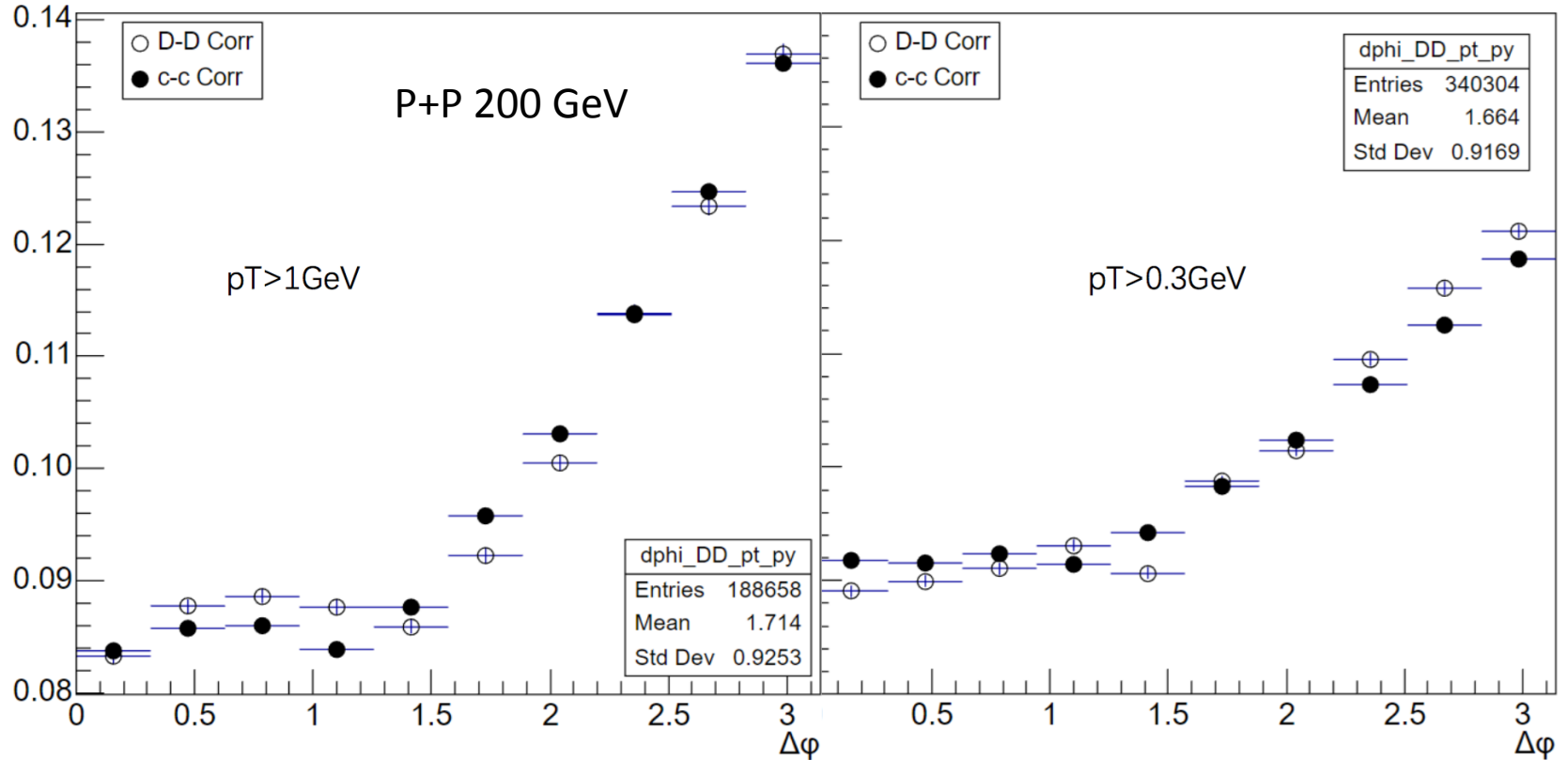
PYTHIA tune

Light Flavor



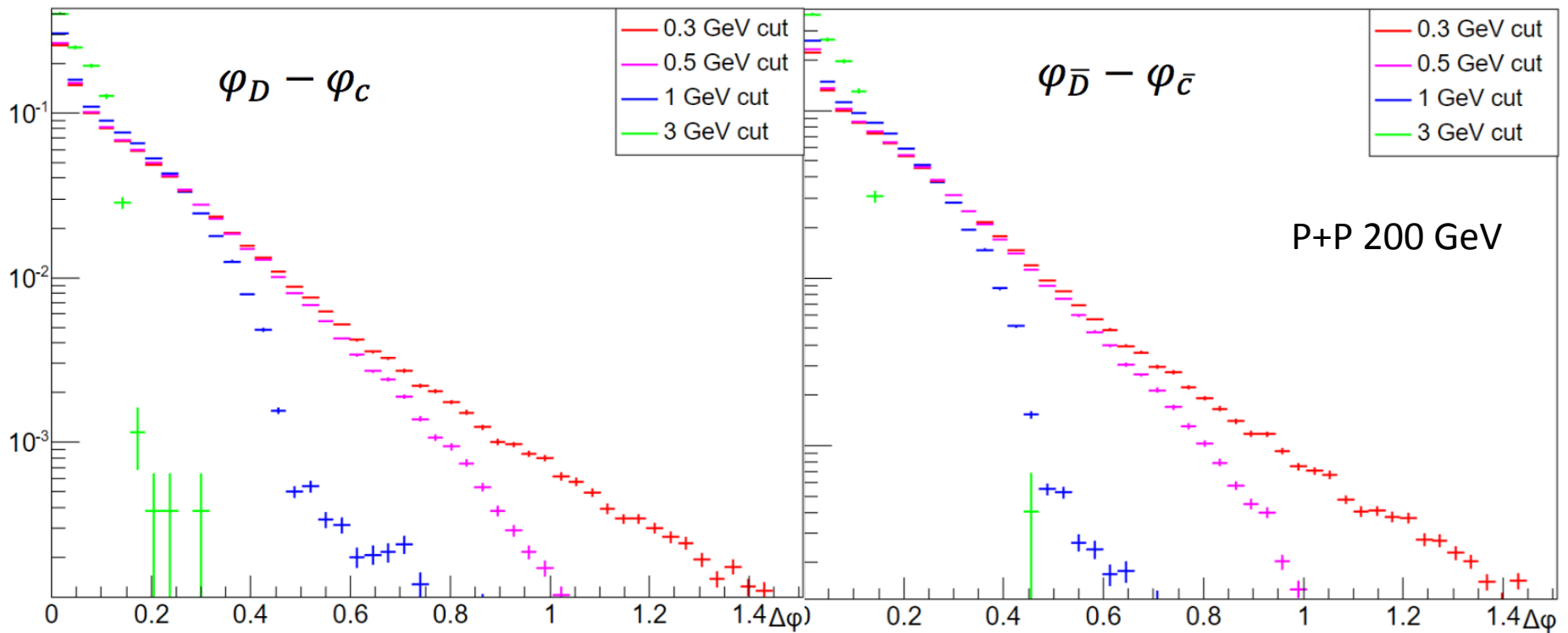
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Charm correlation

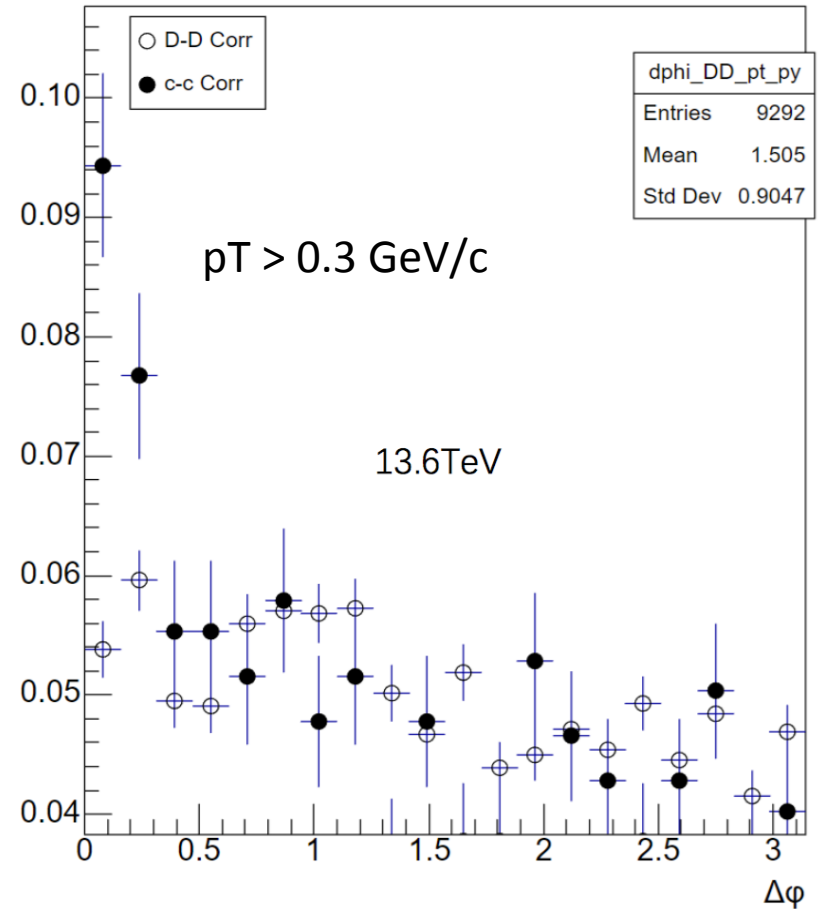
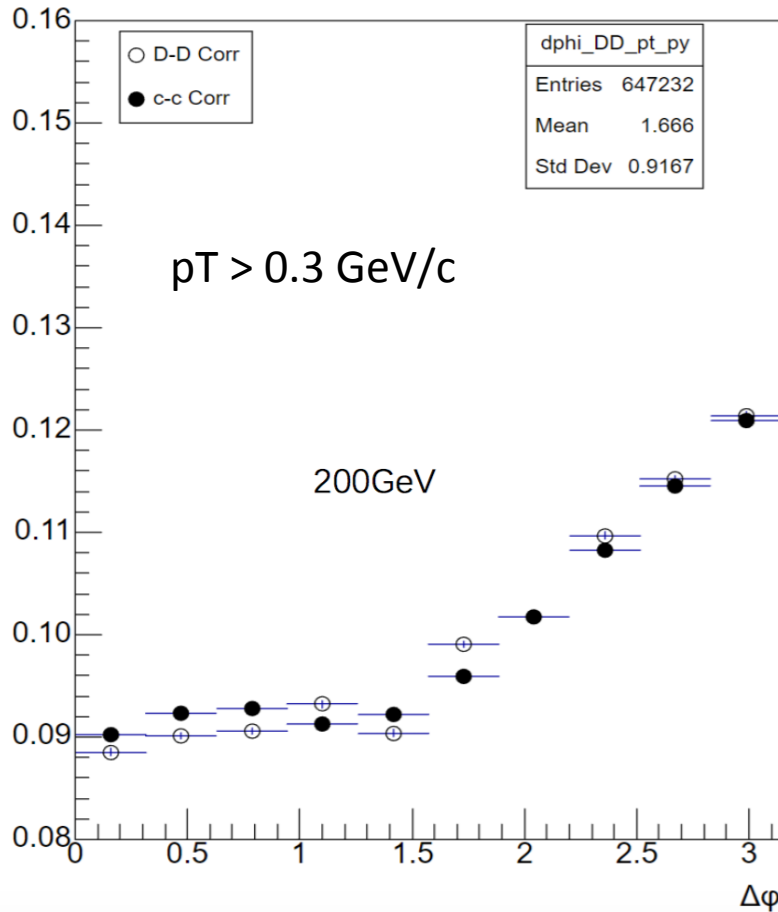


- Clear triggered/associated particle p_T dependence
- Considerable hadronization effect

Charm correlation

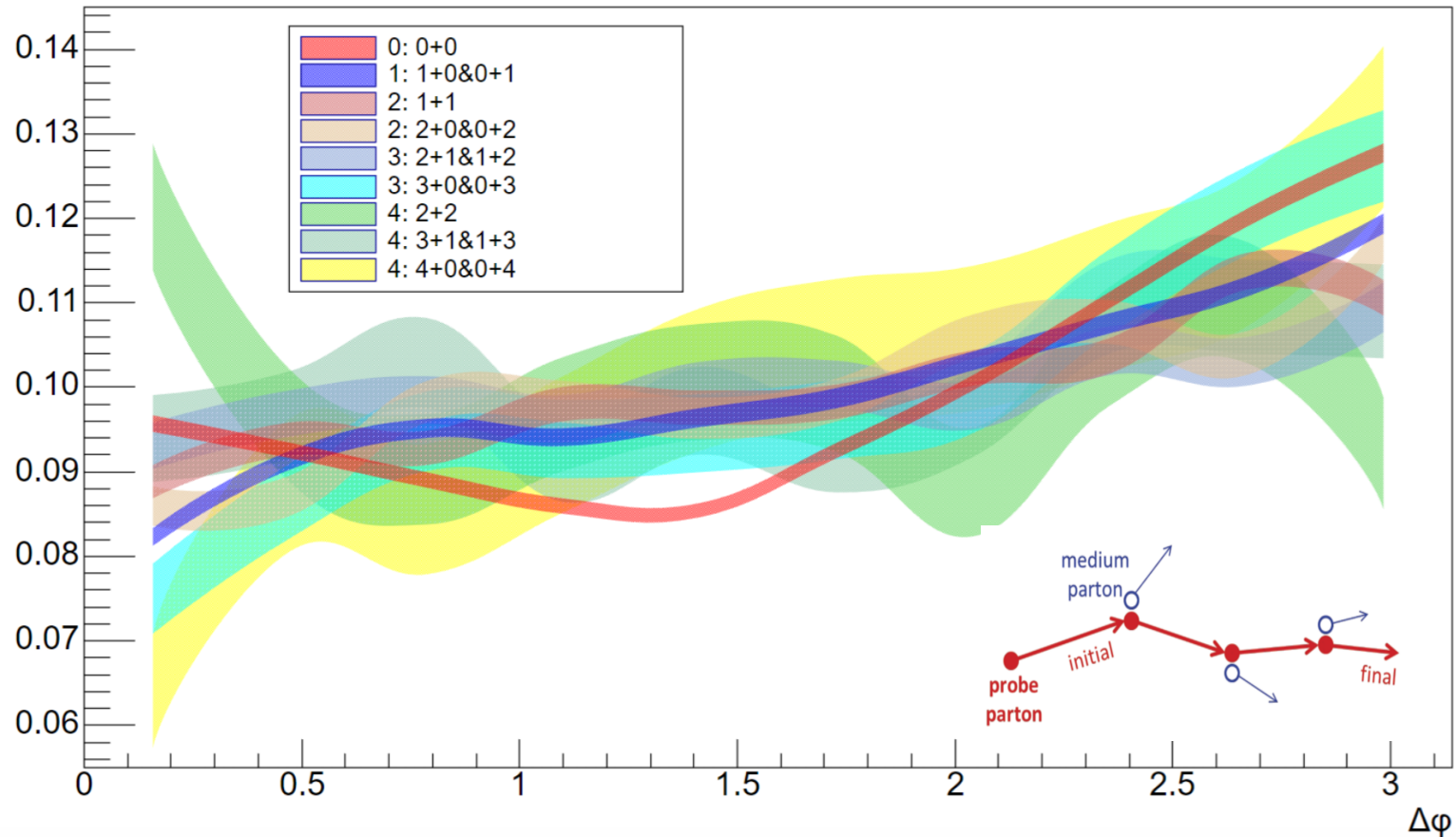


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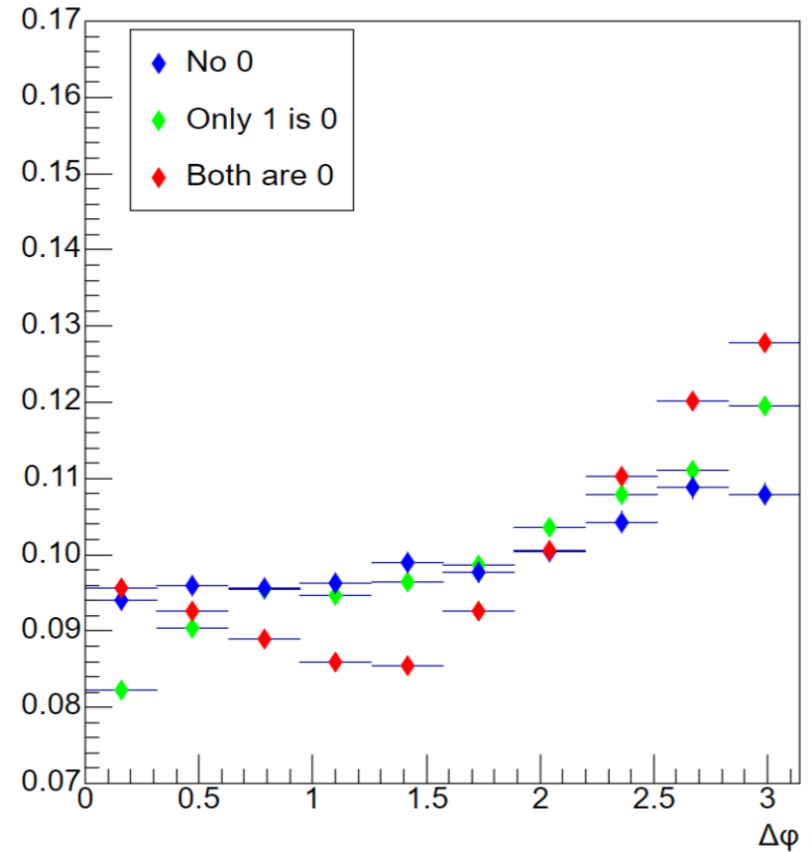
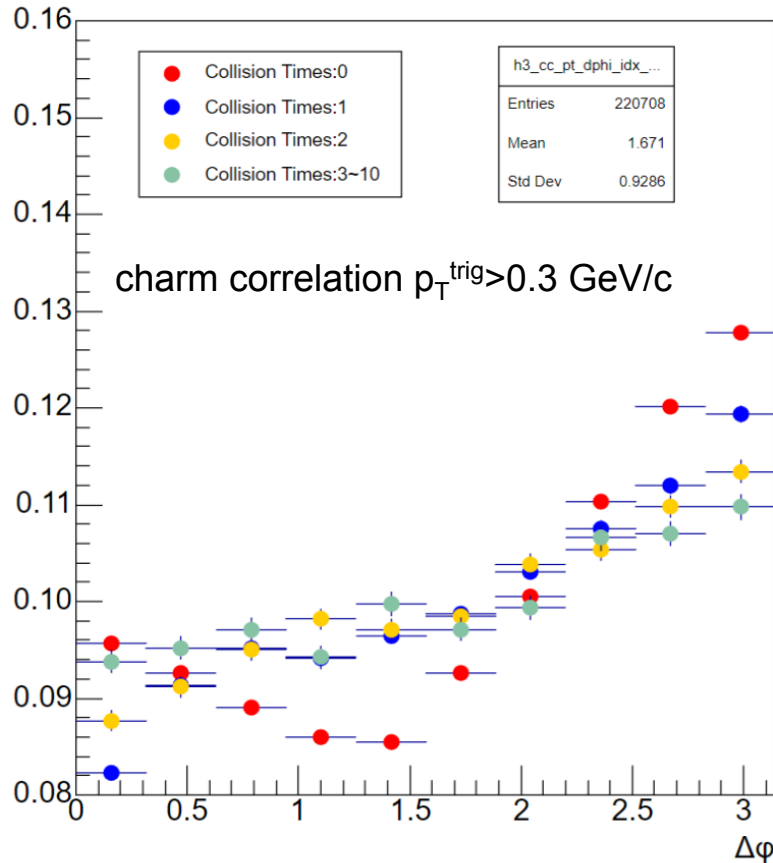
➤ Energy dependence : RHIC vs LHC

Charm correlation



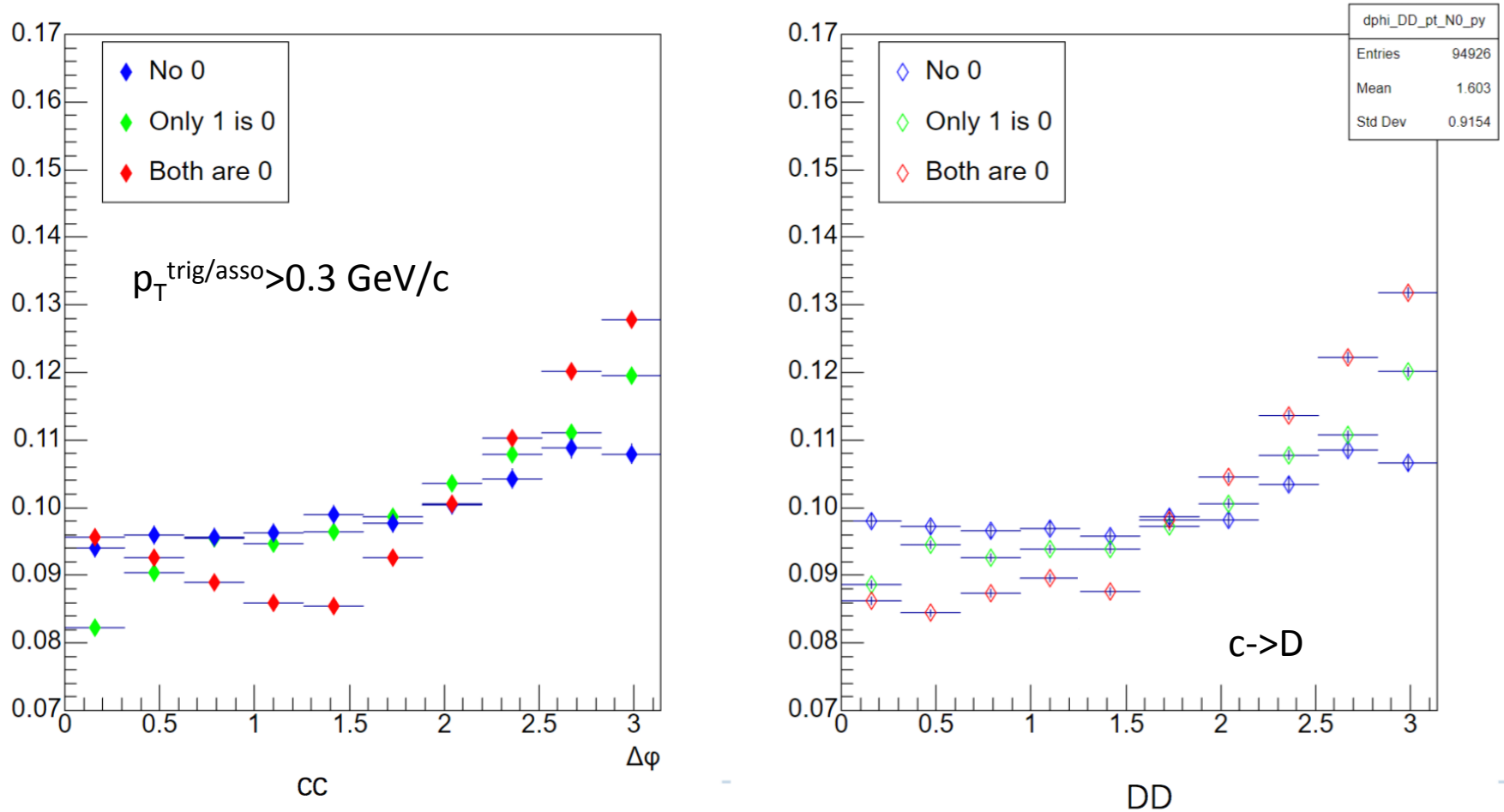
➤ Categorizing the $cc_{\bar{c}}$ pairs

Charm correlation



➤ Partonic effect on charm correlation

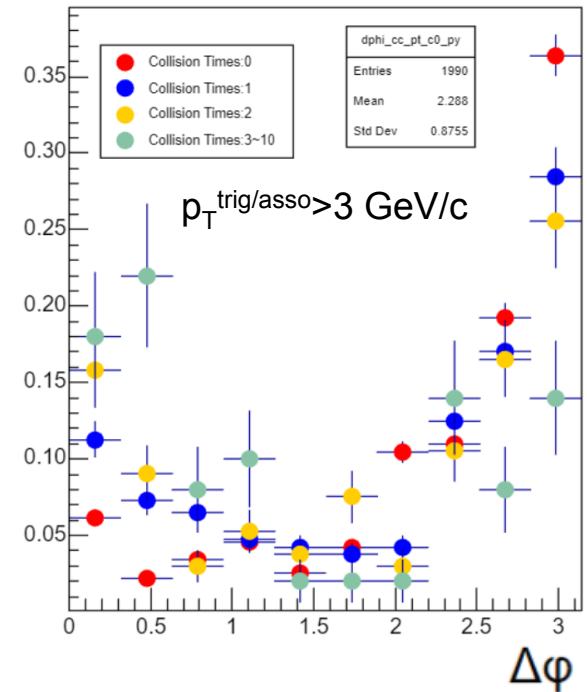
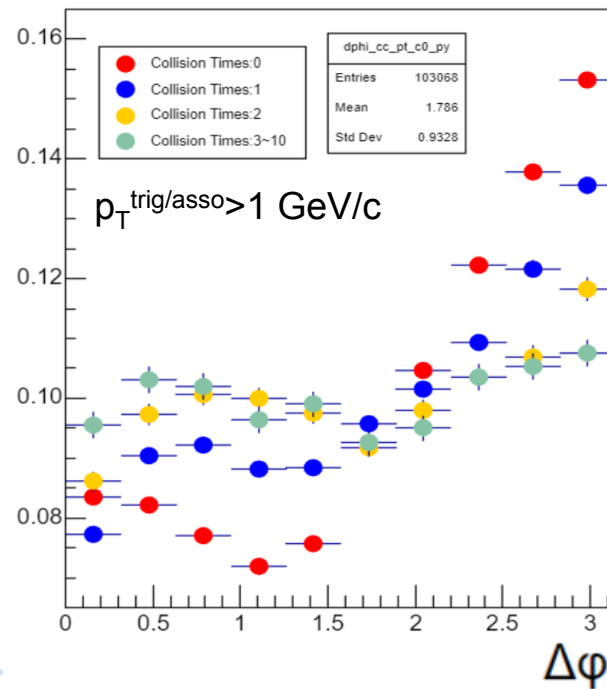
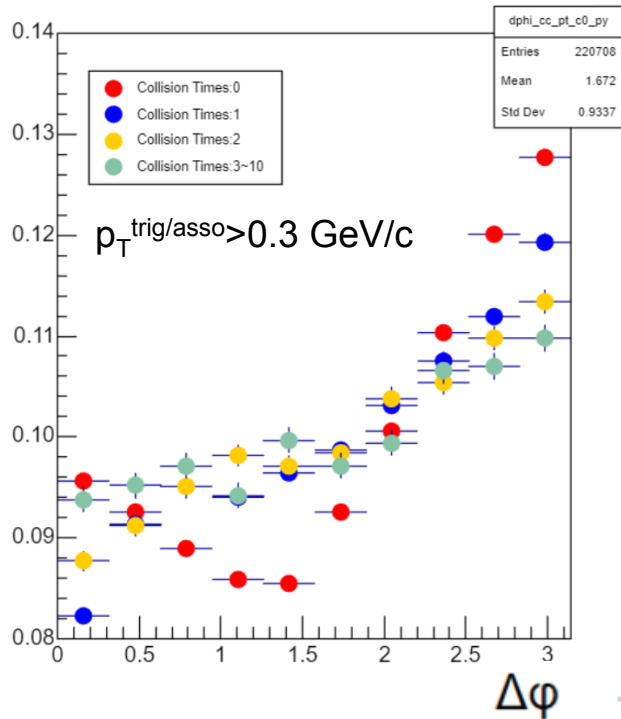
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➤ Hadronization => significant effect on “zero collision” partons

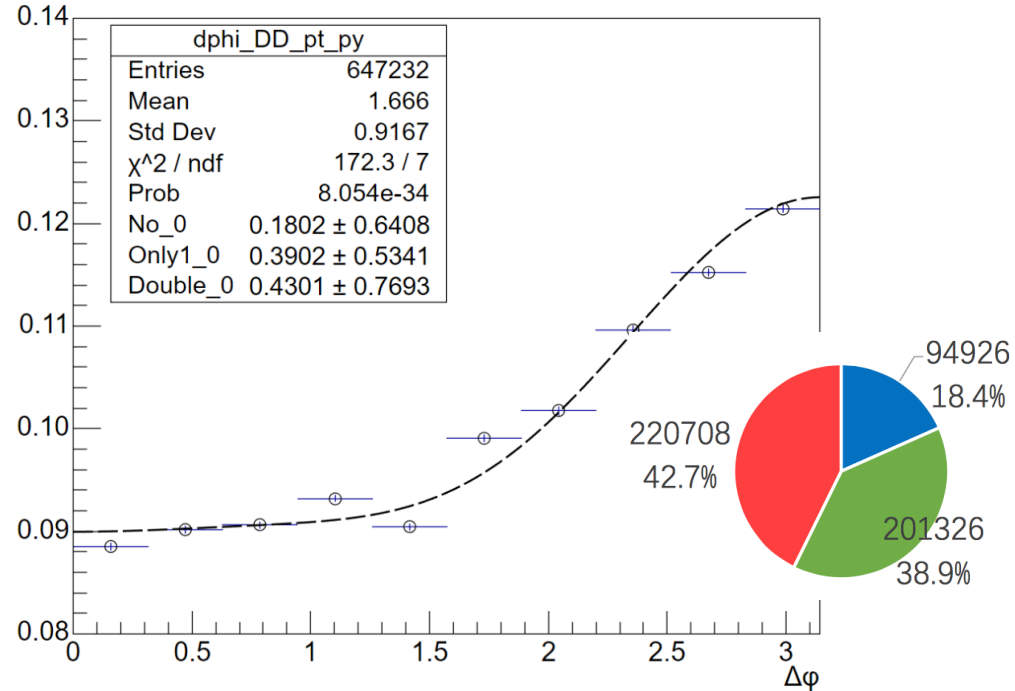
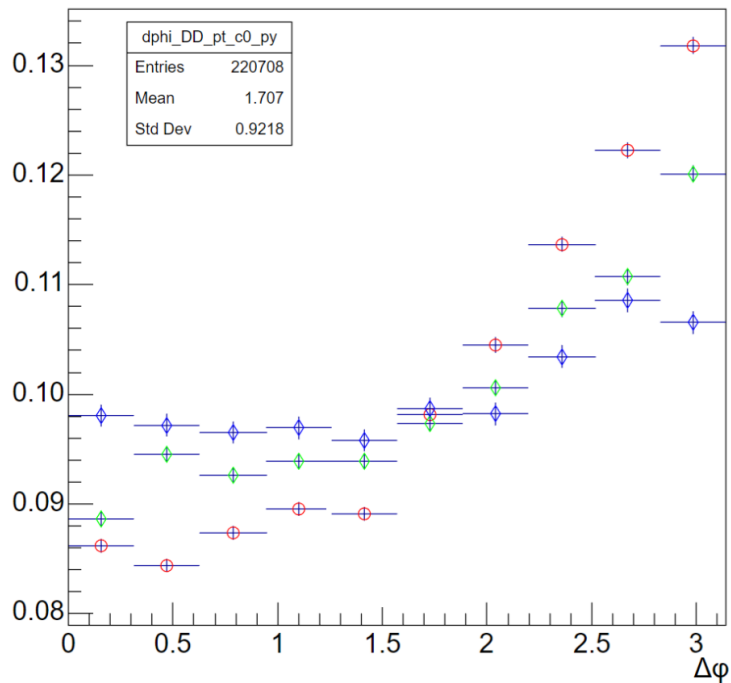
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p+p 200 GeV



➤ Triggering p_T dependence

Charm correlation

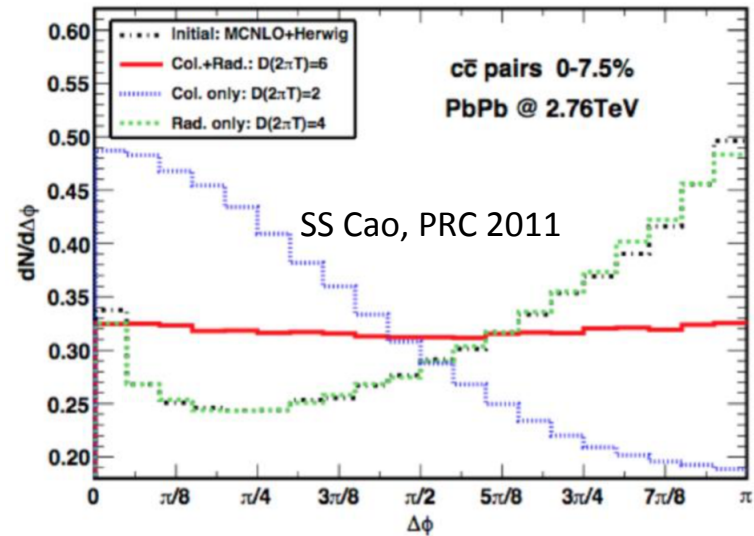
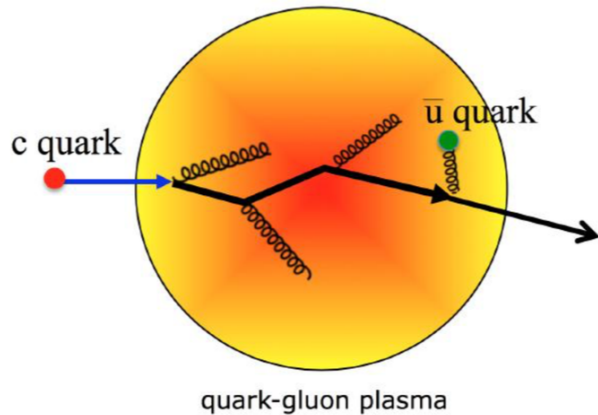


$$\frac{d^2 N}{d(\varphi - \Psi_n) d p_T} = \frac{dN}{2\pi d p_T} \left\{ 1 + 2 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} v_n(p_T) \cos[n(\varphi - \Psi_n)] \right\}$$

$$f = k_{xx} f_{xx} + k_{x0} f_{x0} + k_{00} f_{00}$$

➤ Template fitting to the correlation function => quantify the partonic effect

Summary and outlook



- HF correlation in p+p / p+A
 - test pQCD and fragmentation (non-perturbative process)
- HF correlation in A+A
 - energy loss mechanism (RHIC: Au+Au, LHC: Pb+Pb / O+O)
- Data vs model => quantify initial partonic effect

Thanks!