

# IS experimental summary

- Disclaimer: did not attend workshop (but nobody else volunteered)
  - Reflect what I know from ALICE and what I picked up from slides
- Outline:
  - Biased view: Analyses “close” to me from ALICE
  - Strangeness
  - Flow
  - Jets and jet quenching

# Biased view: Analyses “close” to me in ALICE

- But the good thing is that it also means that comments and suggestions are more likely to propagate to the analyser

# Traditional UE in p-Pb



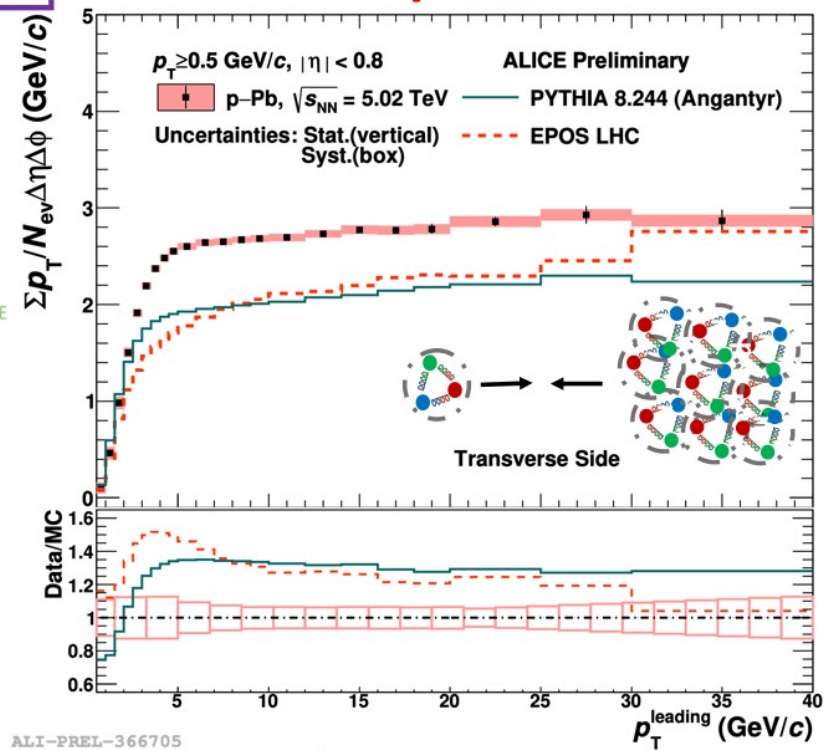
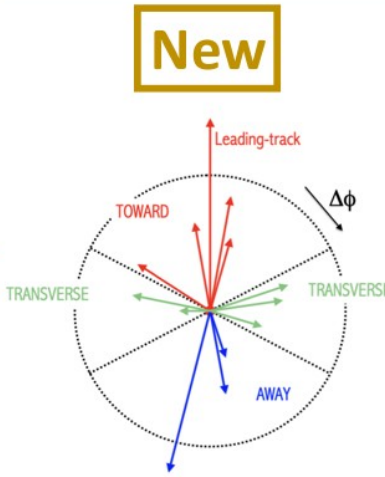
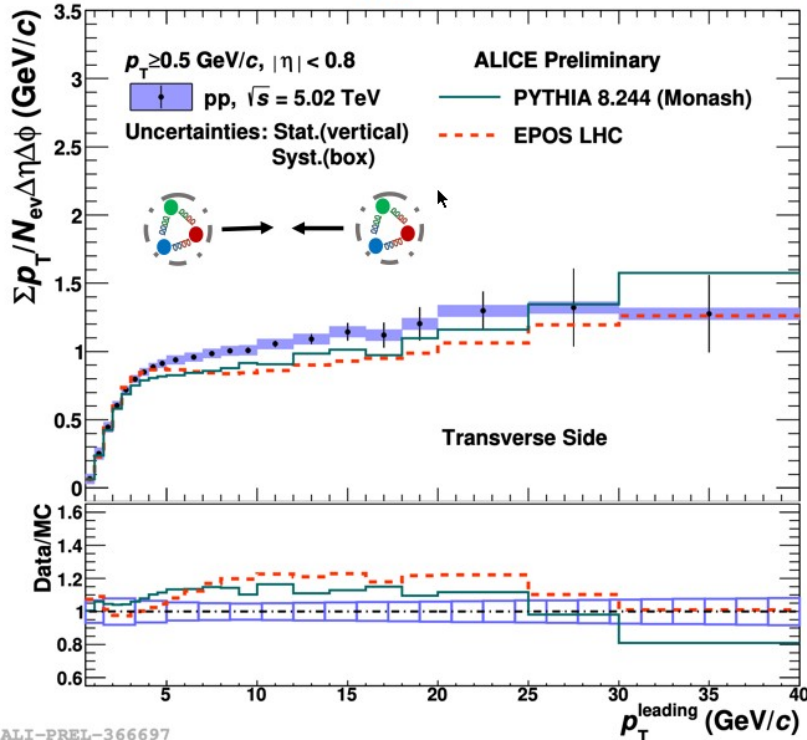
## Underlying-event characterisation (pp and p-Pb)



pp

A. Mehmood's bullet talk

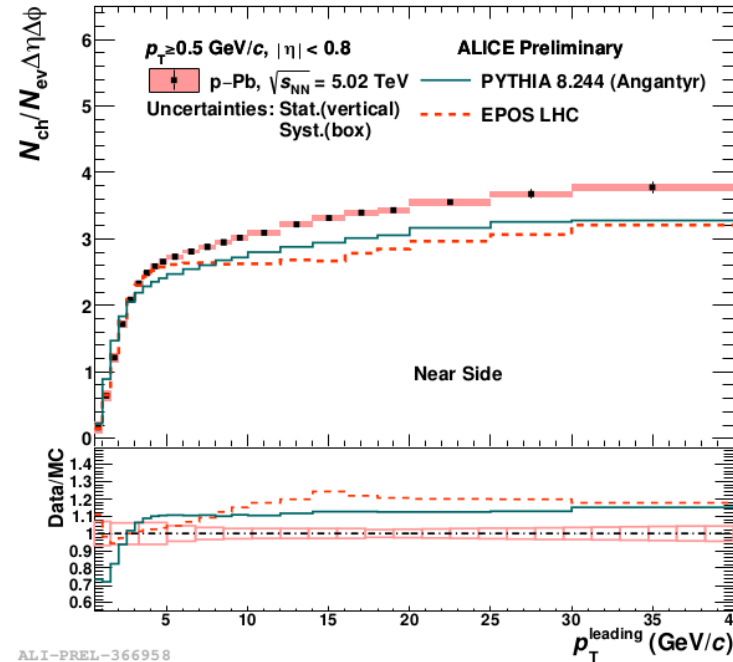
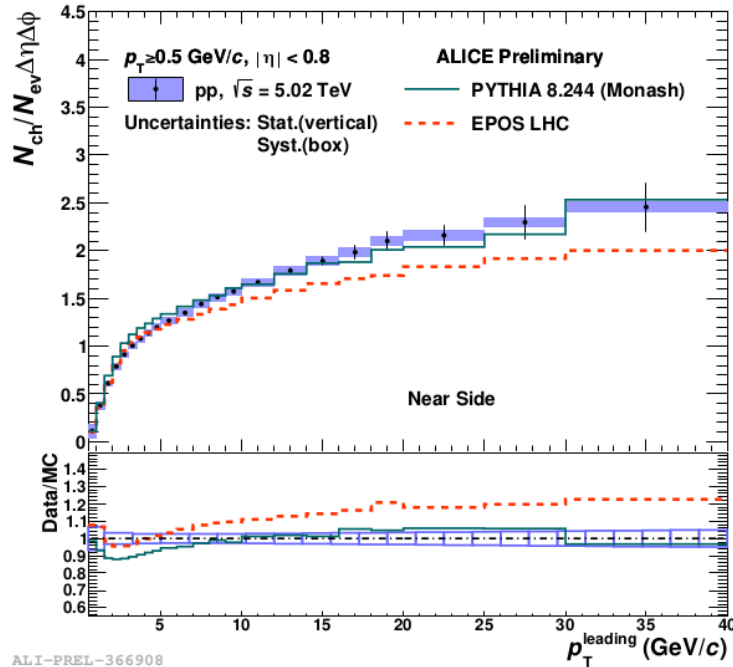
p-Pb



- ❖ Underlying event is measured in region transverse to leading track
- ❖ Flattening of  $\Sigma p_T$  for  $p_T^{leading} > 5 \text{ GeV}/c$  in p-Pb: due to multiple nucleonic interactions
- ❖ UE in pp is qualitatively similar to p-Pb – points to role of MPIs in pp

# Toward region:

Number density for  $p_T \geq 0.5 \text{ GeV}/c$



**Near Side/towards region:** The activity in pp increases faster with  $p_T^{\text{leading}}$  than in p-Pb, because of the “UE activity” in p-Pb is higher than in pp.

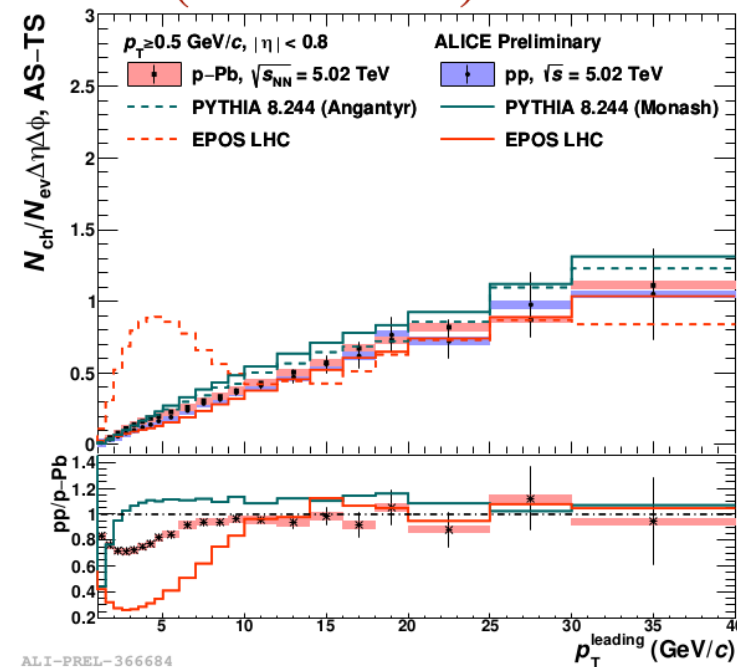
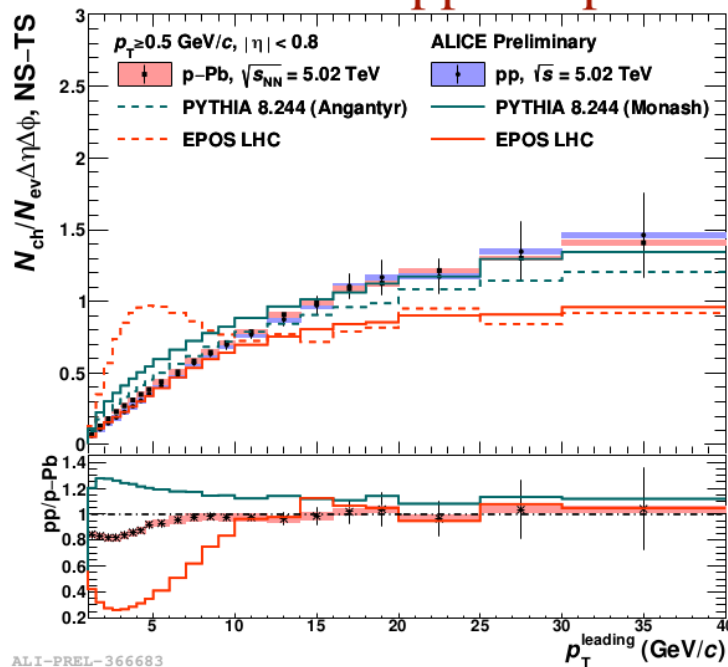
For both collision systems EPOS LHC underestimates the trend at high  $p_T^{\text{leading}}$ , while for p-Pb collisions Pythia 8 underestimates (overestimates) the low (high)  $p_T^{\text{leading}}$  part.

# “Jet”=NS-TS and AS-TS



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Number density NS-TS and AS-TS for  $p_T \geq 0.5$  GeV/c  
for pp and p-Pb @ 5.02 TeV (data vs MC)

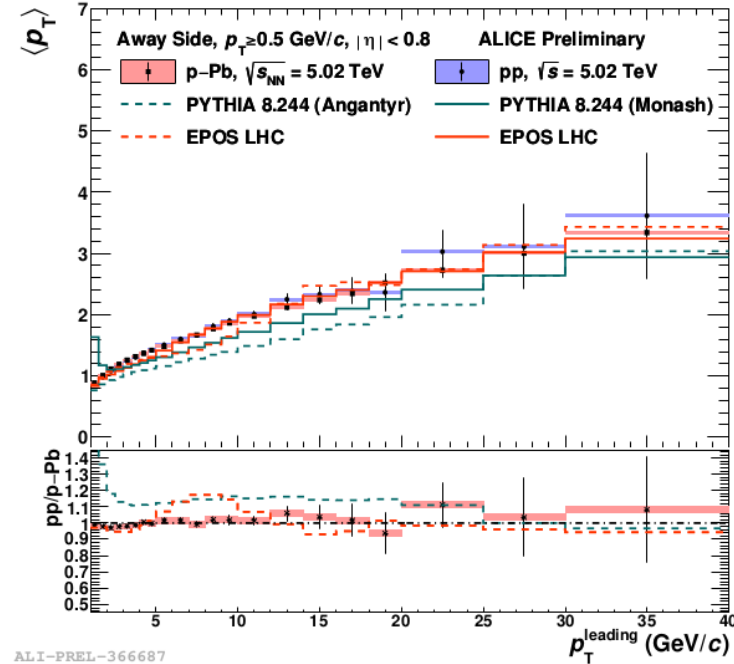
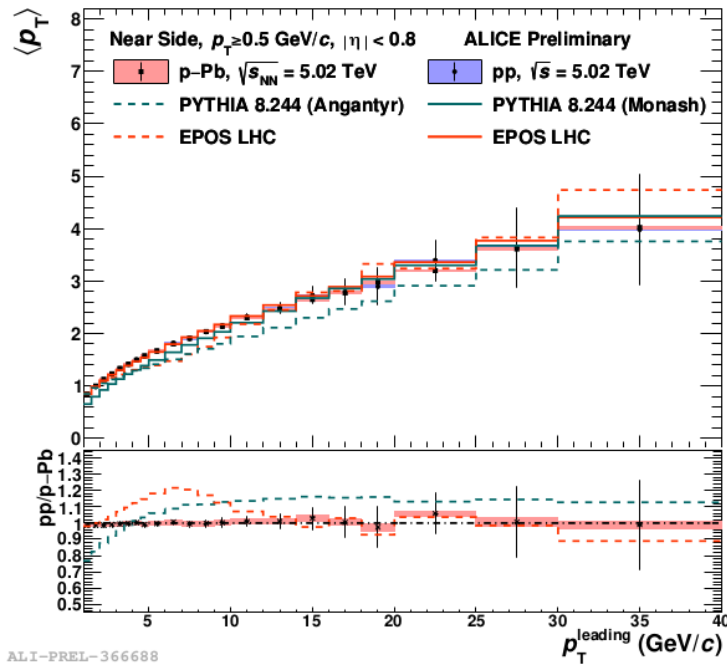


- The jet-like region is compared by subtracting the transverse side from the towards and away sides.
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# $\langle p_T \rangle$ of Jet



$\langle p_T \rangle$  near side and away side for  $p_T \geq 0.5$  GeV/c  
for pp and p-Pb @ 5.02 TeV (data vs MC)

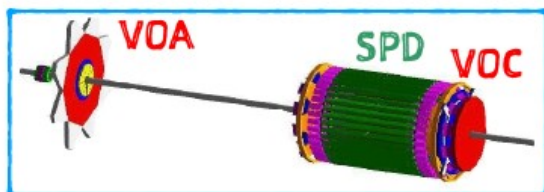


- We used the average sum  $p_T$  and the number density in order to derive the  $\langle p_T \rangle$ .
- Results show the jet-like component give the same  $\langle p_T \rangle$  for both pp and p-Pb collisions.
- Pythia underestimates (overestimates) the low  $p_T^{\text{leading}}$  region for the  $\langle p_T \rangle$  in the near (away) side.

# ZDC vs mid-rapidity



## ALICE detectors



SPD  $\blacktriangleright$  2 innermost layers of the ITS  $|\eta| < 1.4$  and  $|\eta| < 2$ , used to measure charged-particle multiplicity

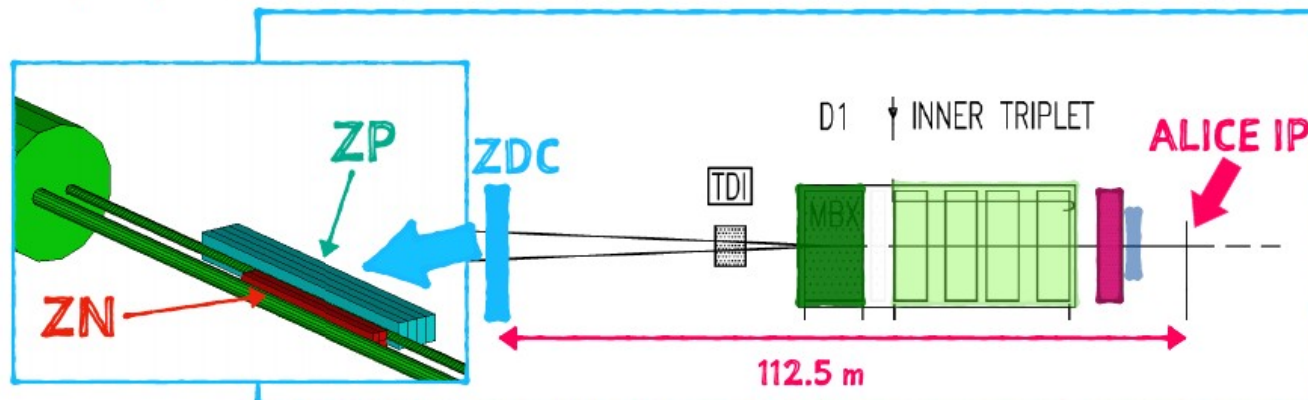
VZERO  $\blacktriangleright$  scintillator hodoscopes used for triggering, covering  $2.8 < \eta < 5.1$  (V0-A)  $-3.7 < \eta < -1.7$  (V0-C)

TPC  $\blacktriangleright$  main tracking detector, covering  $|\eta| < 0.9$

Charged particle tracks formed combining ITS hits and TPC reconstructed clusters



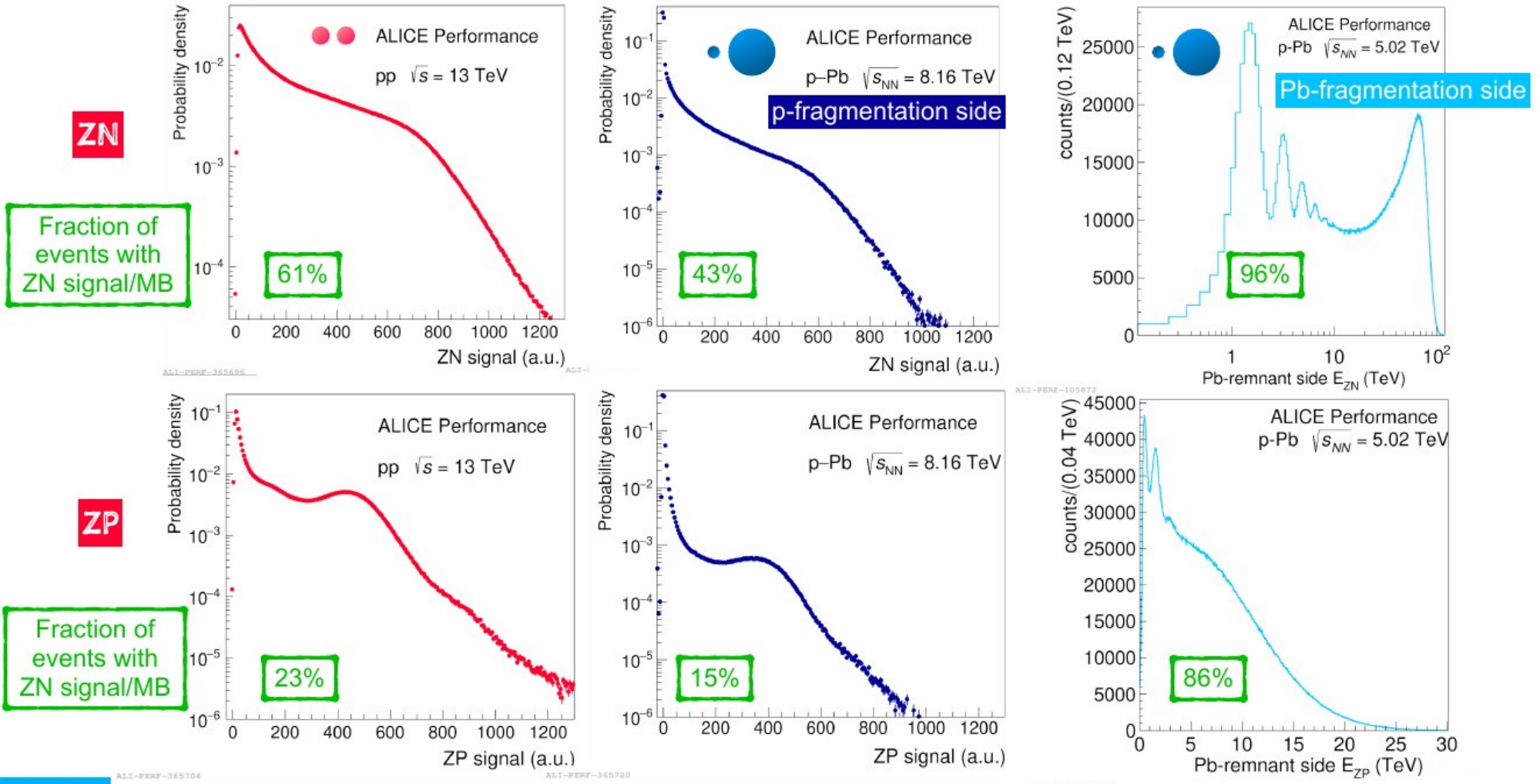
ZDC  $\blacktriangleright$  quartz fibre “spaghetti” calorimeters, 2 identical systems, 112.5 m from IP  
 ZN ( $|\eta| > 8.8$ ) for neutrons ZP ( $6.5 < \eta < 7.4$ ) for protons



# ZDC spectra



## ZDC spectra in pp and p-Pb collisions

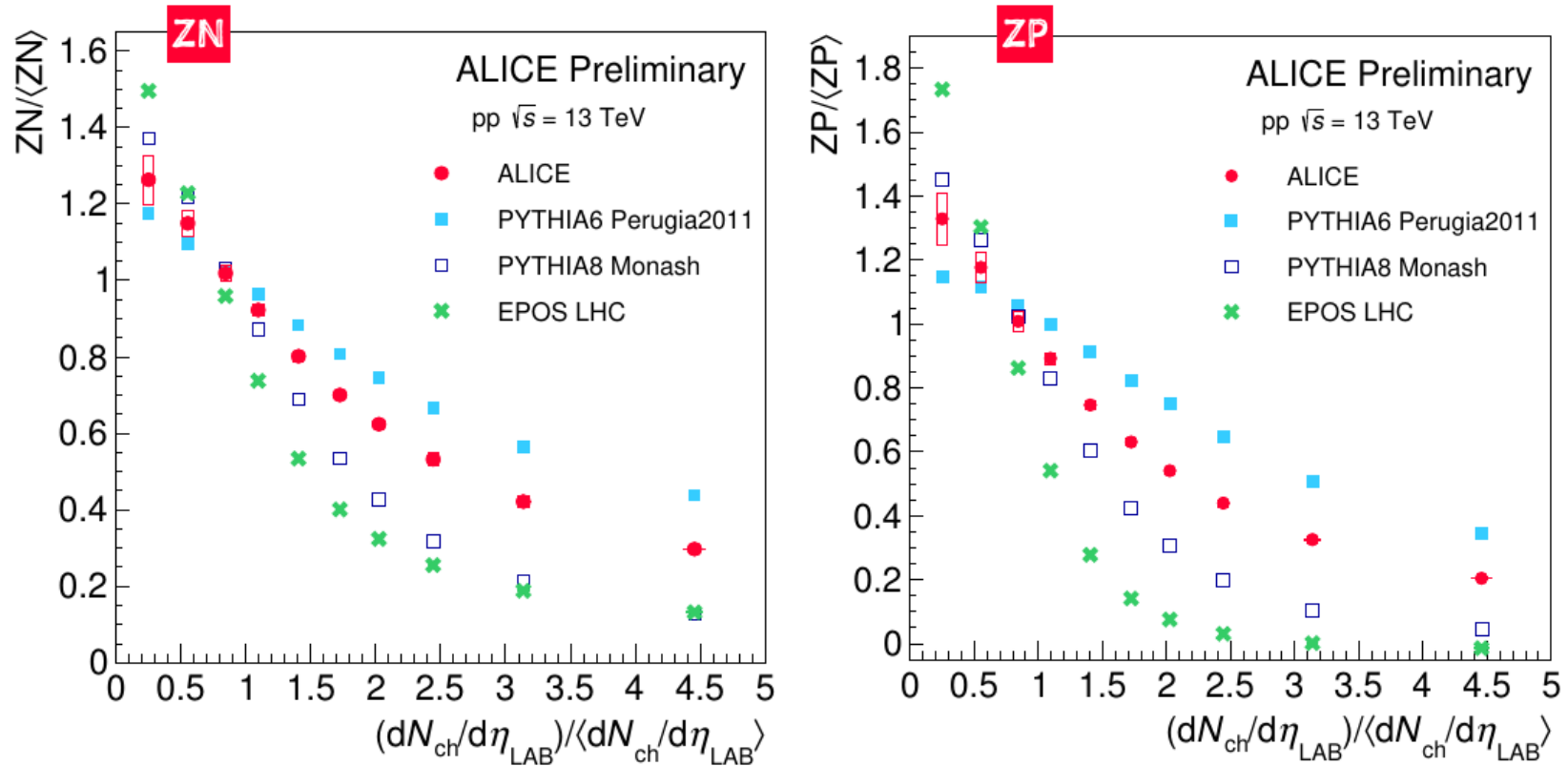




# ZDC vs mult in pp:



## Forward energy vs. multiplicity in pp



Forward energy decreases with increasing particle multiplicity at midrapidity

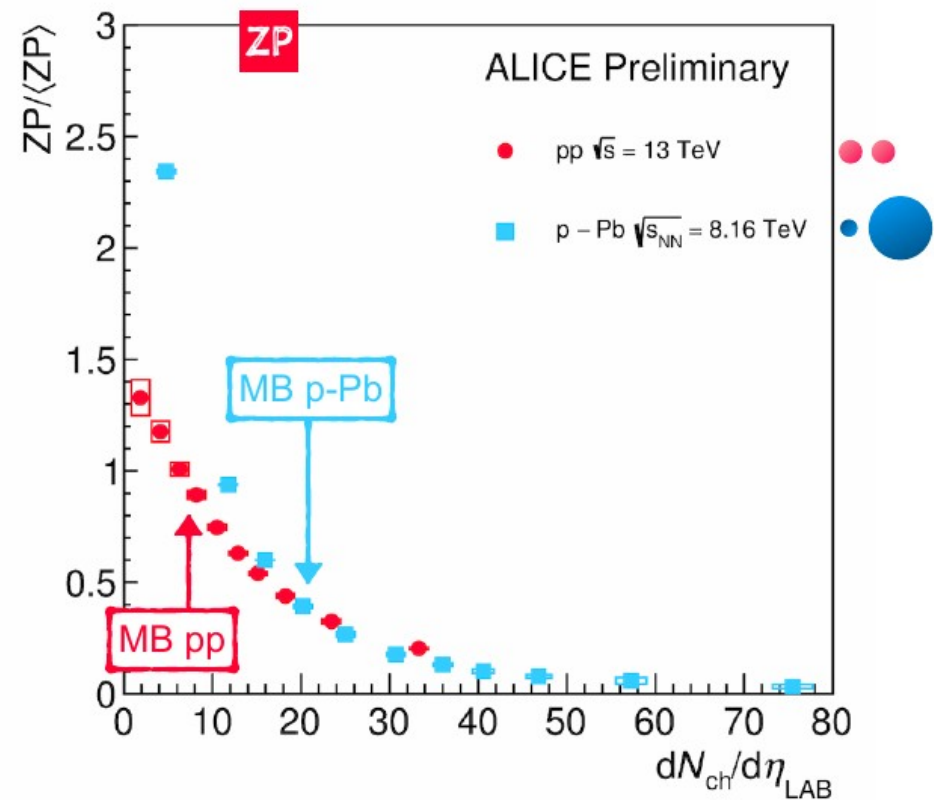
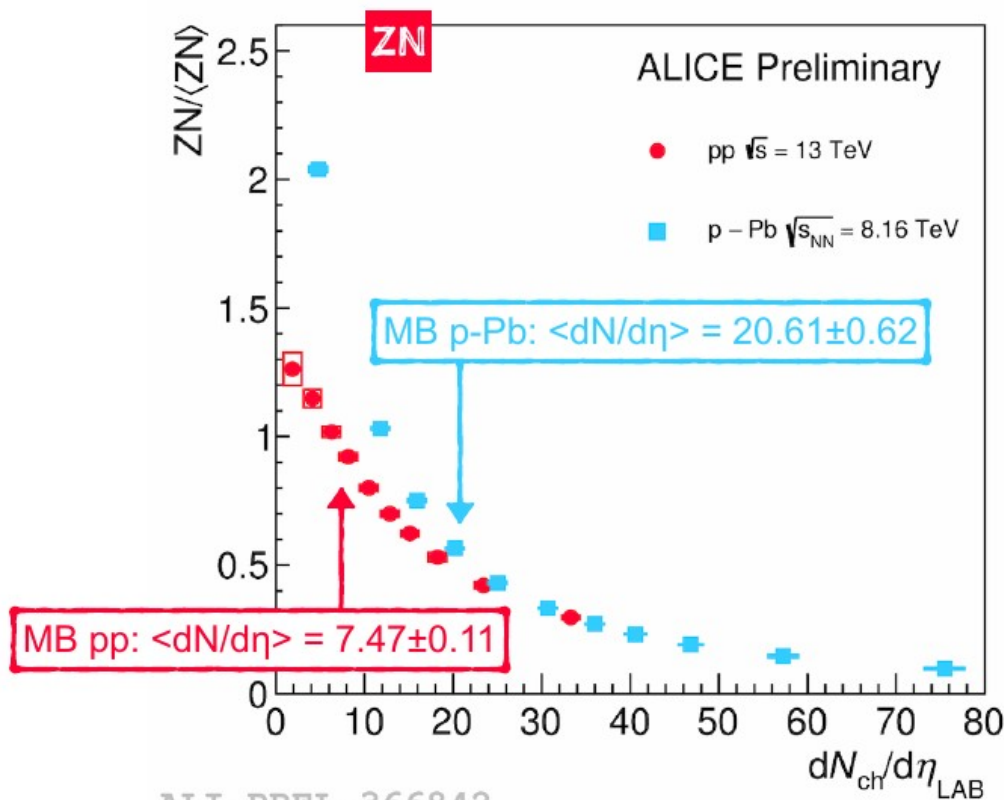
PYTHIA6 Perugia2011, PYTHIA8 Monash and EPOS-LHC predictions describe the overall pattern, but are not able to quantitatively reproduce experimental results in multiplicity bins.

# Pp vs p-Pb:



## Forward energy vs. multiplicity

ZN, ZP energies normalized to MB values decreases rapidly with increasing multiplicity at midrapidity, both in pp and in p-Pb interactions in the p-fragmentation region (same p beam energy)



# Relation to UE:

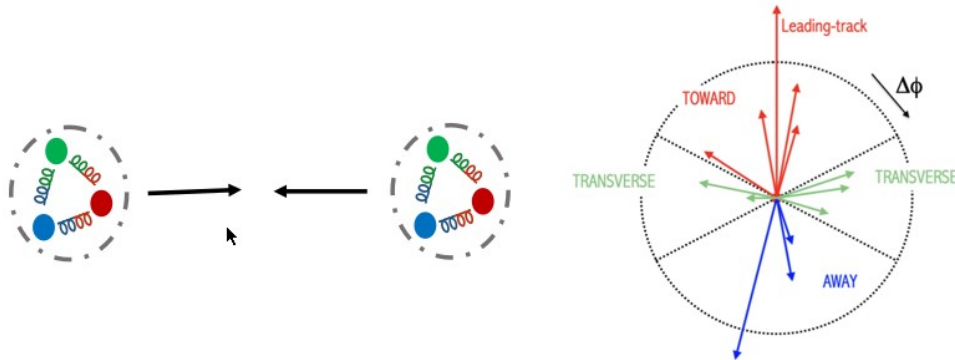


## Correlation of zero-degree energy with transverse multiplicity (pp)

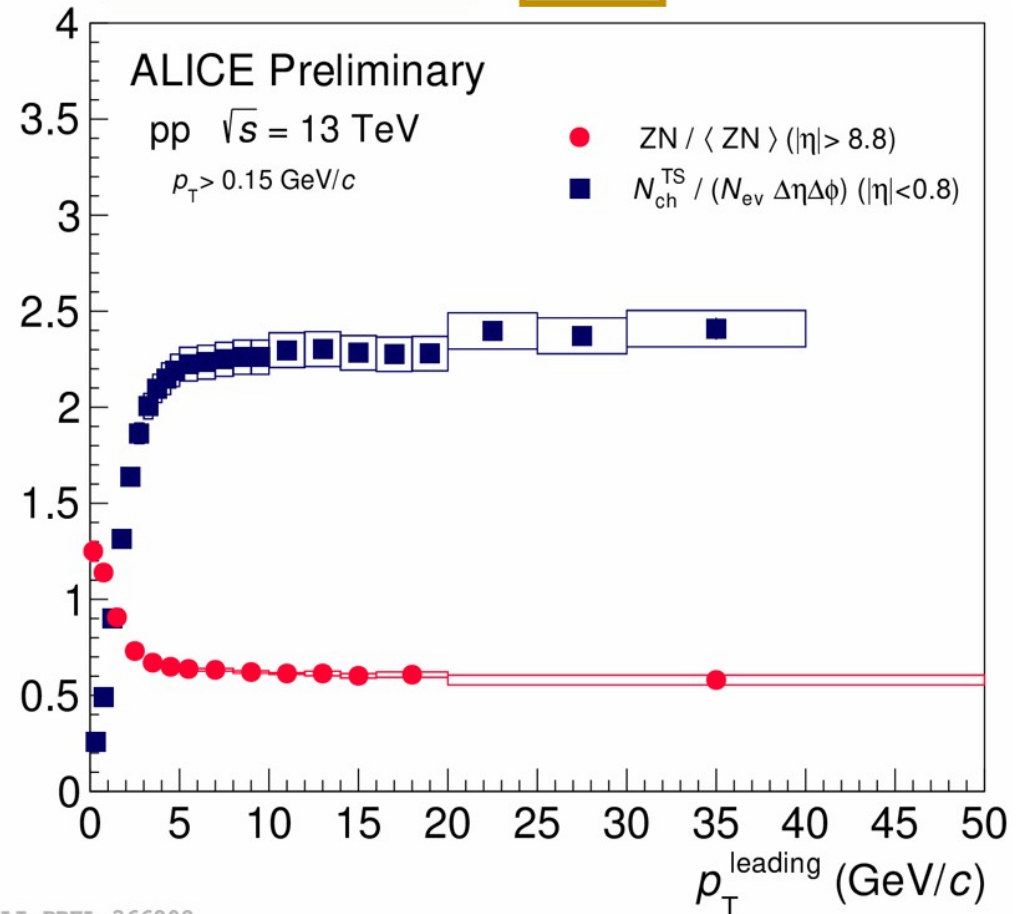


C. Oppedisano's talk

New



- ❖ Zero-degree energy decreases with increasing  $p_T^{leading}$  at midrapidity
- ❖ Constant zero-degree energy and jet pedestal effect at  $p_T^{leading} > 5 \text{ GeV}/c$
- ❖ First measurement at the LHC with a gap of  $9 \eta$  units
- ❖ Enhanced probability of partonic scatterings (MPI) when pp collisions are more overlapping



# Strangeness

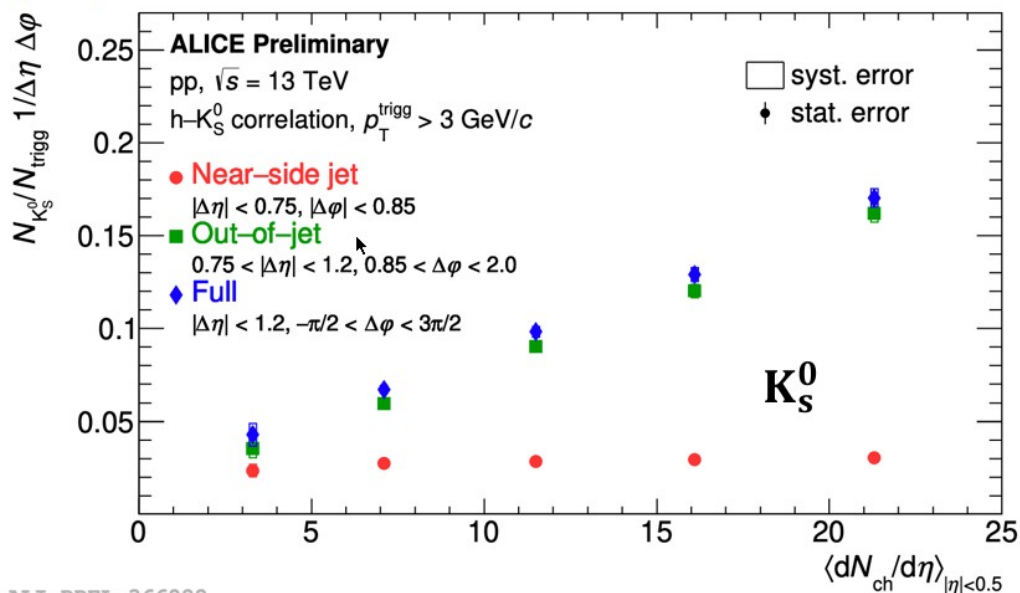
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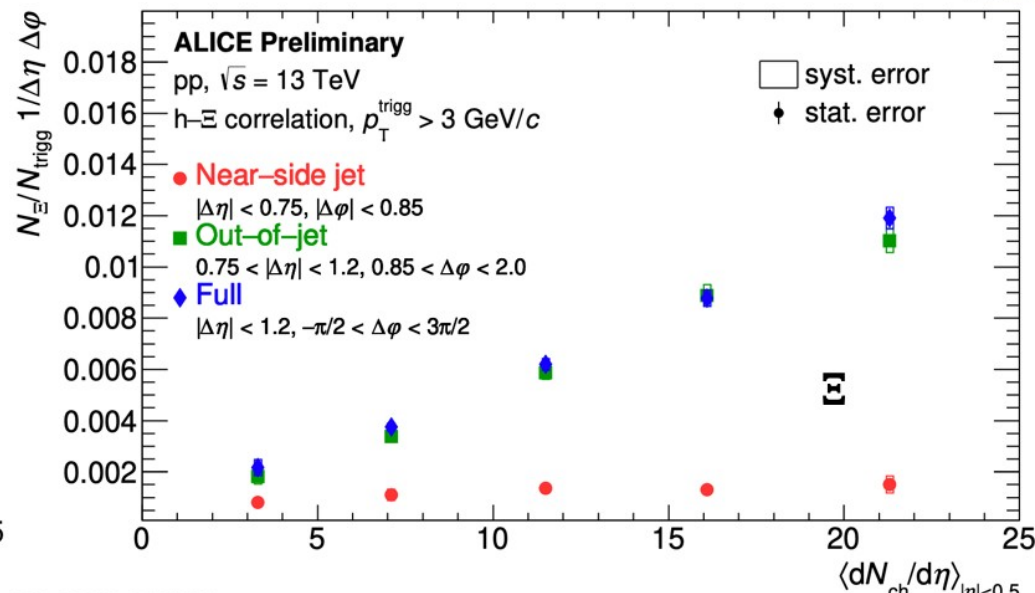
## In and out of jet strangeness production (pp)



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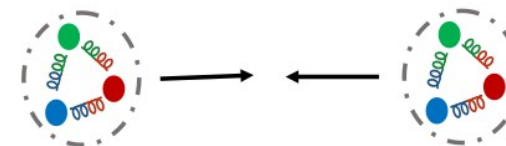
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C. De Martin's talk

New



- ❖ In and out of jet production of strange hadrons measured – particles with  $p_T > 3$  GeV/c used as jet proxy
- ❖ Out of jet production increases at a much faster rate with multiplicity than the in jet production
- ❖ Not directly comparable to inclusive yields in events without a jet bias

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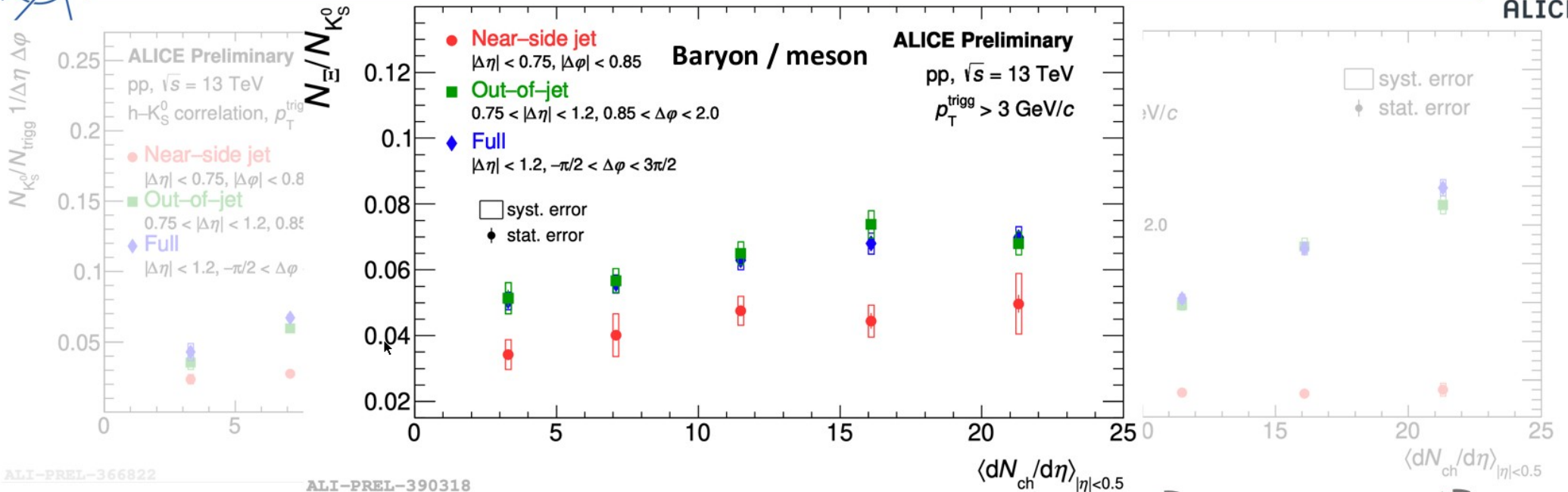
# Xi/K0s assoc. ratio



## In and out of jet strangeness enhancement (pp)



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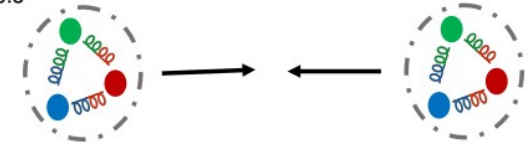


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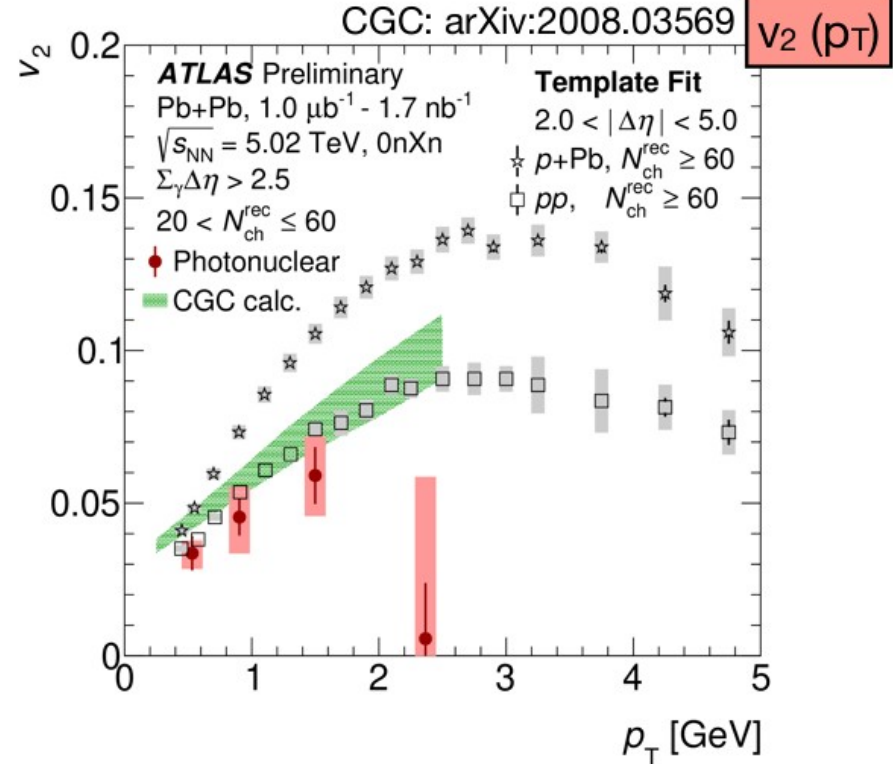
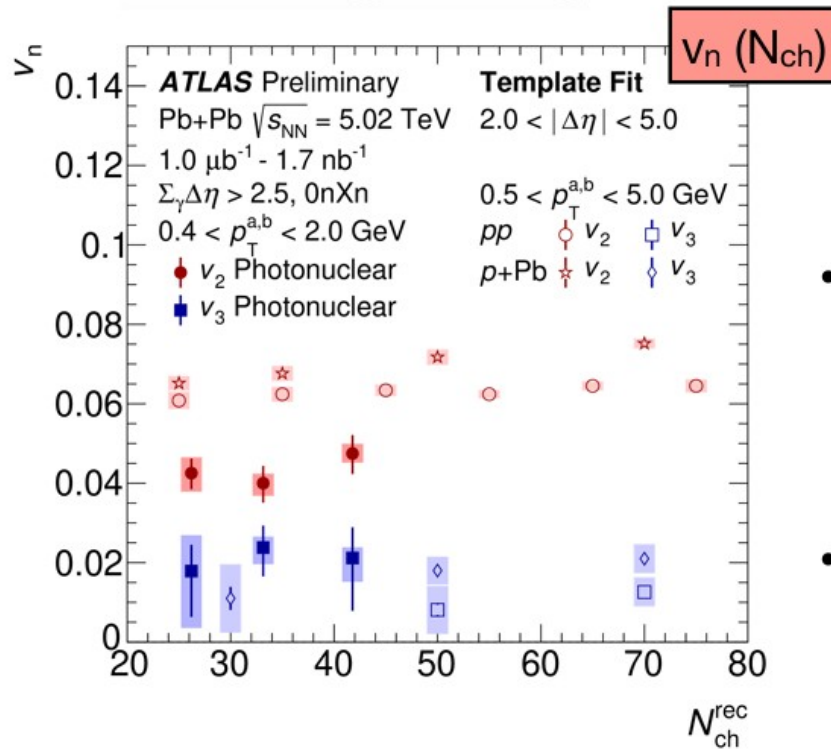
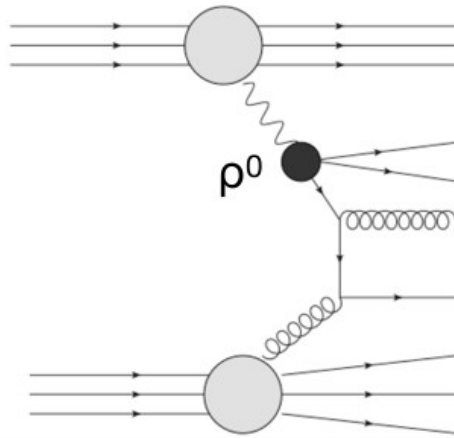
❖ Mild strangeness enhancement for both in and out of jet production

❖ Next step to repeat measurement with  $\Xi/\pi$

# Flow

# Flow in photo-nuclear UPC

UPC  $\gamma$ +Pb ( $\rho$ +Pb)



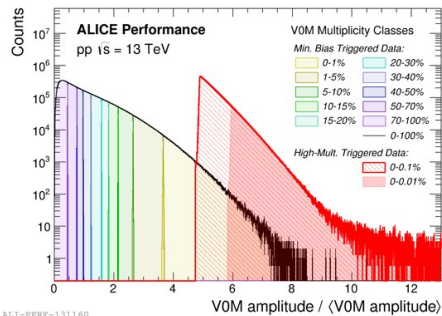
- Observed significant  $v_2$  and  $v_3$ , in photo-nuclear collisions
  - $v_2$  smaller than  $\rho$ +Pb and  $\rho\rho$
  - $v_3$  show similar size but large systematic uncertainties
- Trend in  $p_T$  model by CGC calculation (alone). It will be interesting to see hydro calculations!



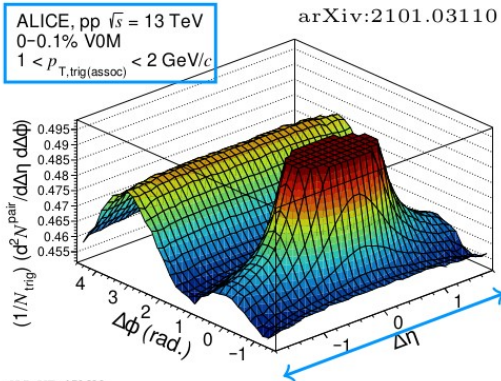
# Jets and jet quenching

# pp 13 TeV ridge in ALICE

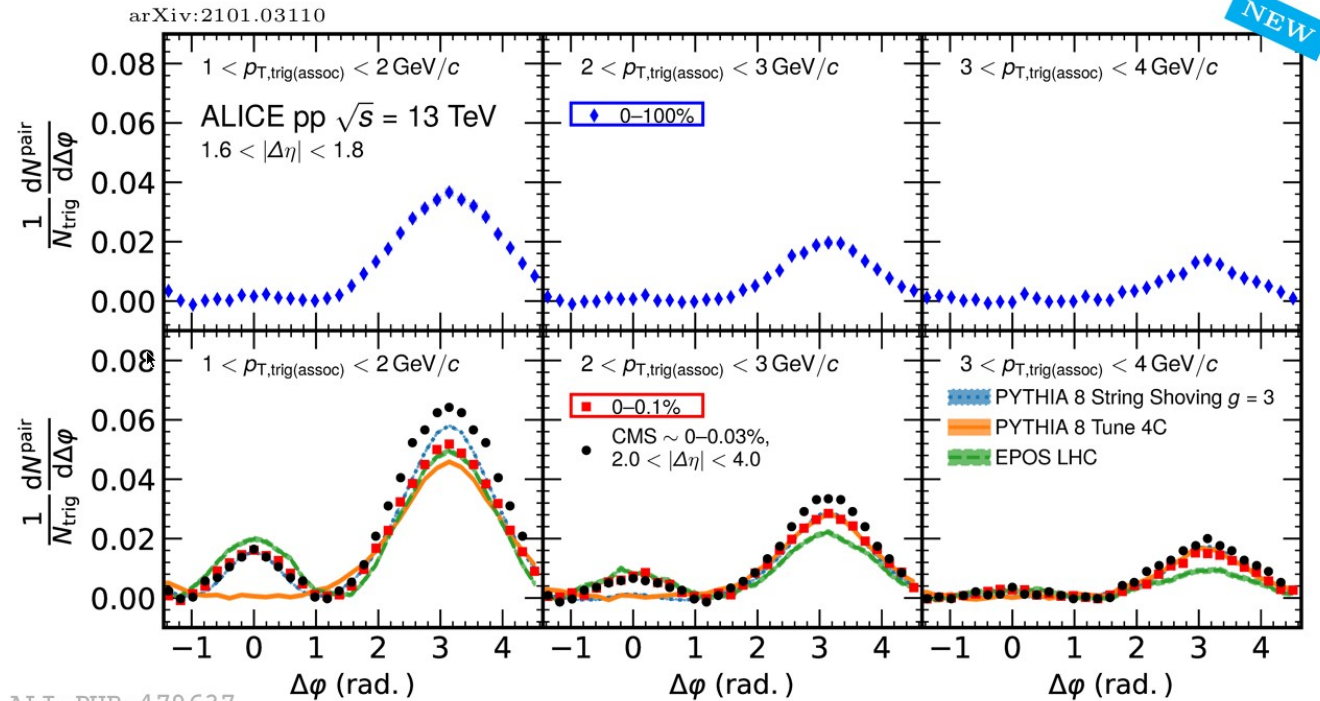
## Long-range $\Delta\phi$ correlations (TPC-TPC)



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- Long-range ( $1.6 < |\Delta\eta| < 1.8$ ) to avoid nonflow contribution
- Clear ridge in **high-multiplicity** events, while no ridge in **minimum bias** events

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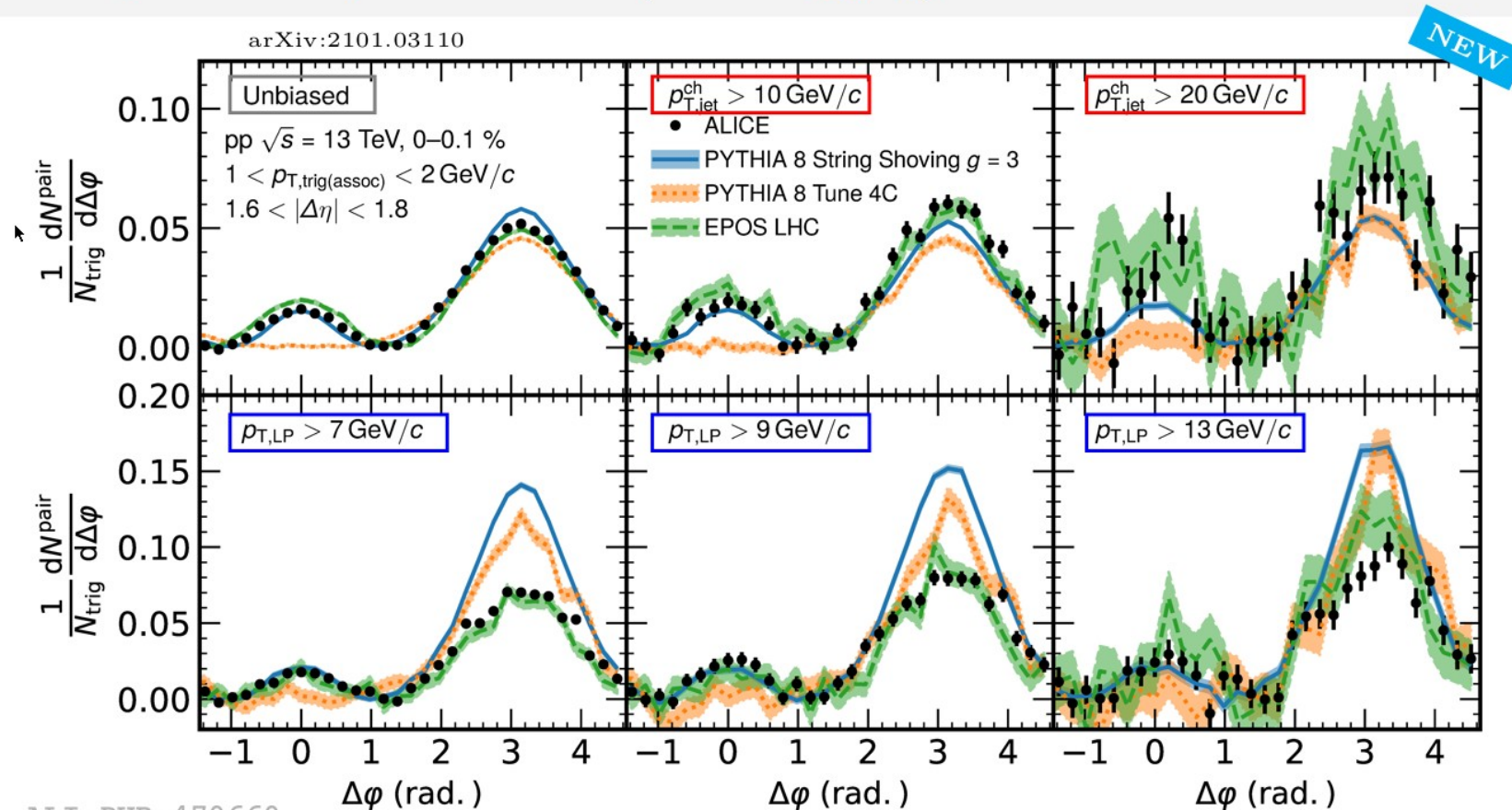
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# + event scale selection

## Event-scale dependent $\Delta\phi$ correlations (event tagging)

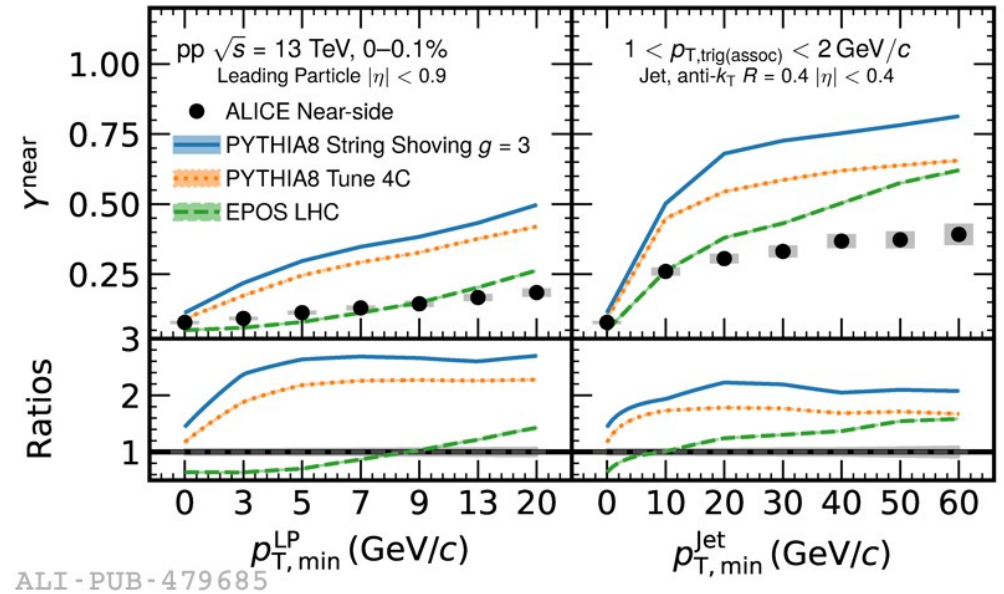
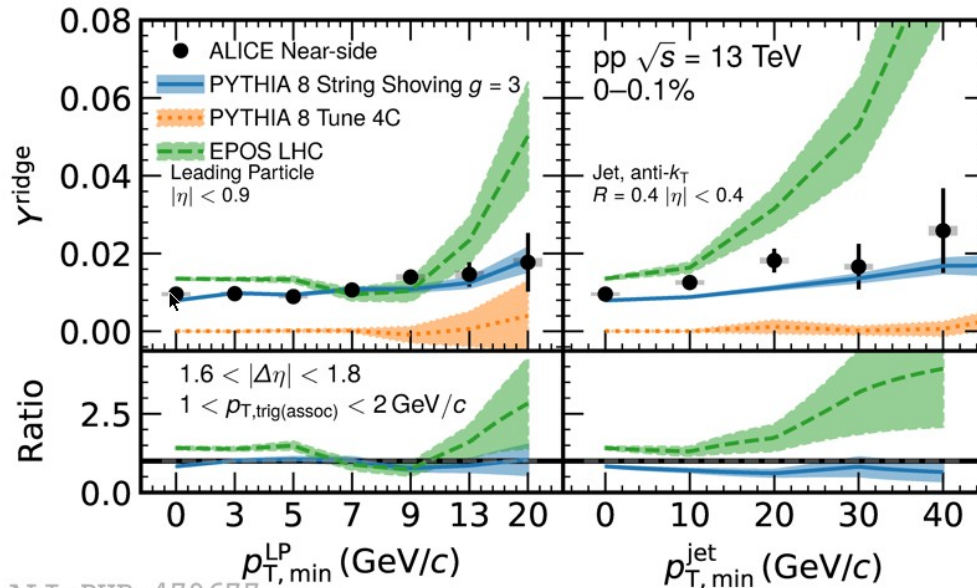


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- Event-scale selection: requirement of the presence of a hard scattering (tagging by minimum  $p_T$  of **reconstructed jet** or **leading particle**)
- The ridge is still visible with event-scale selection

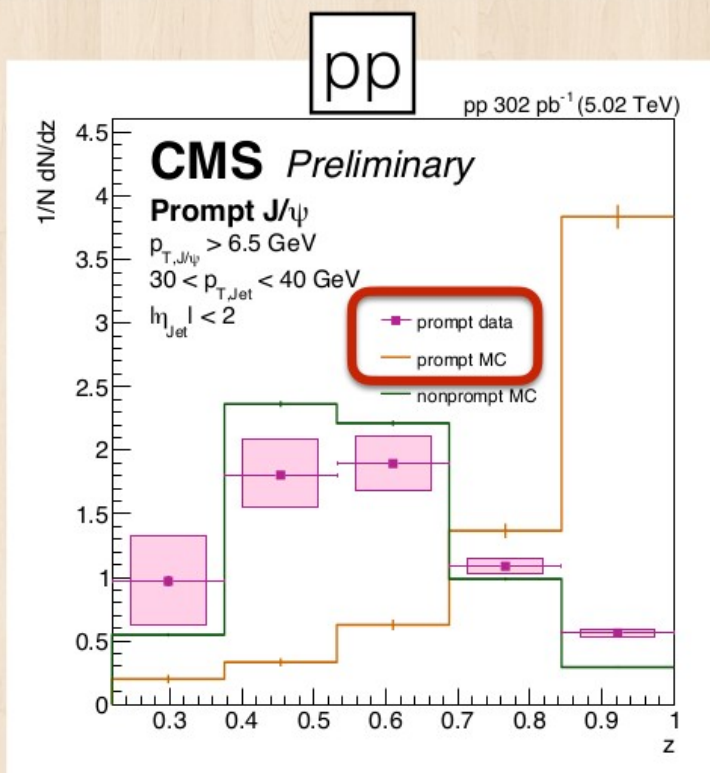
# + look at near-side correlation

## Event-scale dependent ridge yield



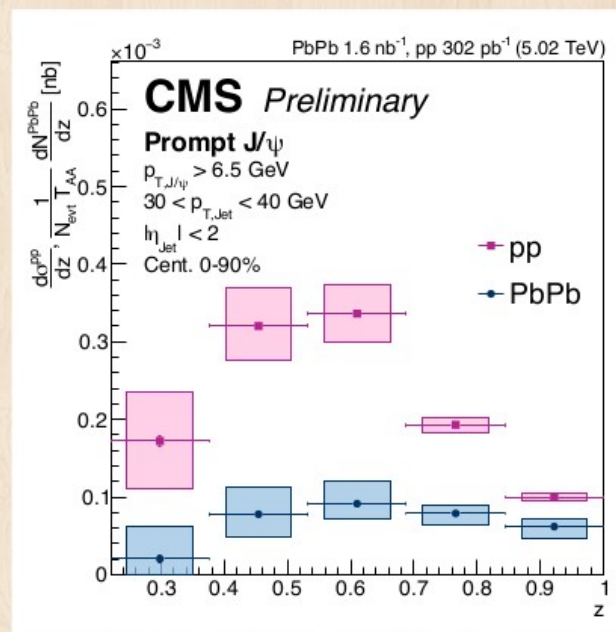
- The ridge yield tends to increase with increasing  $p_{T,\text{Lead}}$  or  $p_{T,\text{Jet}}$ .
- The increase of the ridge yield is also visible for two models.
  - EPOS LHC largely overestimates the ridge yields while PYTHIA with string shoving underestimates them
  - PYTHIA with string shoving, in contrast, overshoots the jet fragmentation.

# J/ψ in Jet



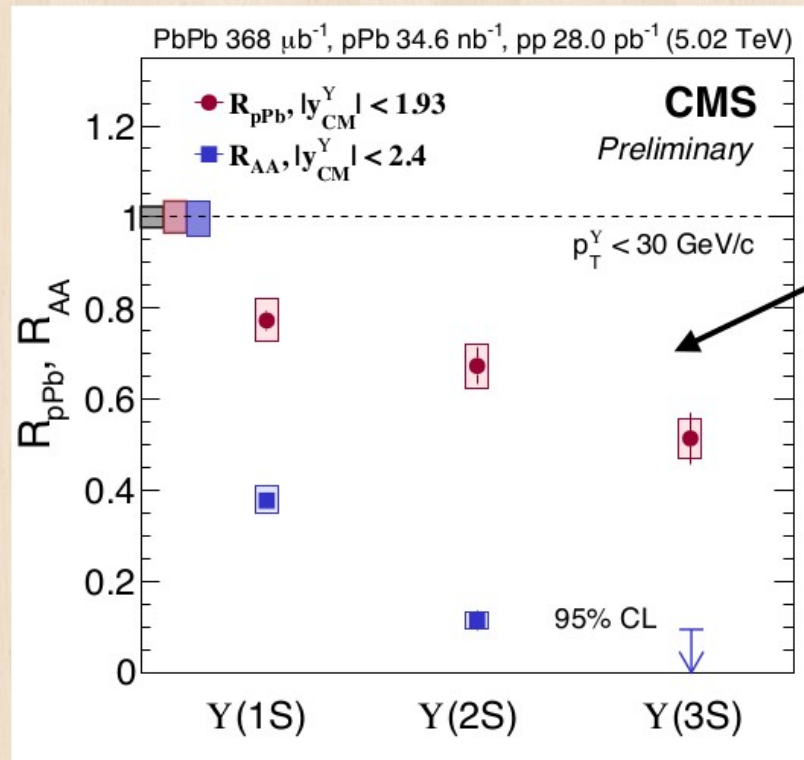
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Production mechanism



PbPb: connection to  
quenching & hot nuclear effect

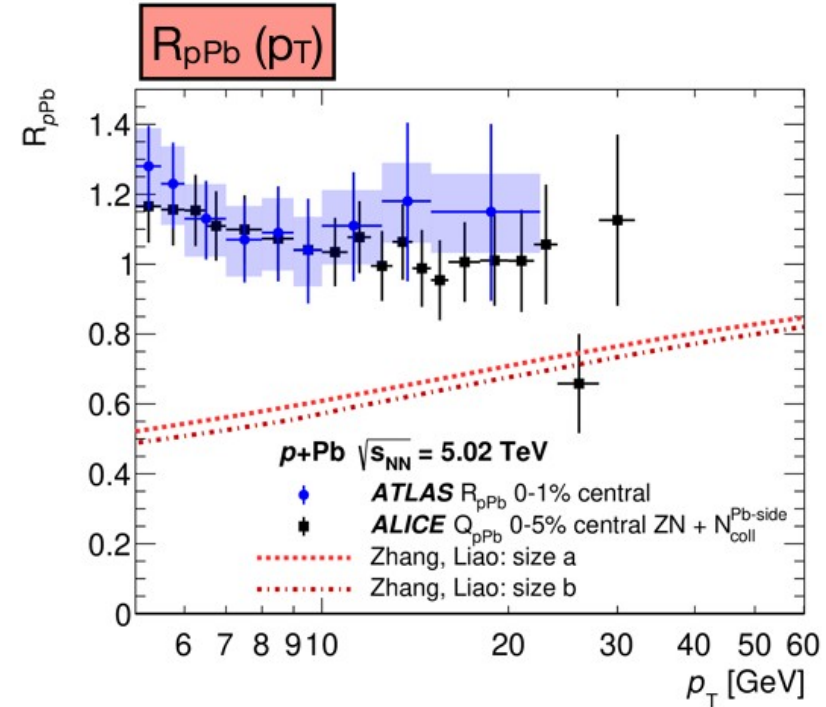
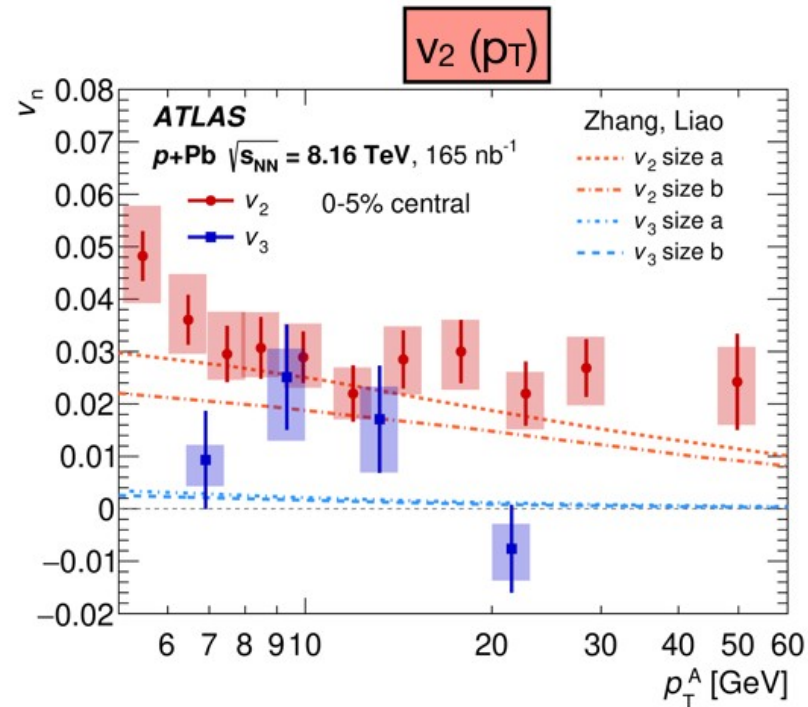
# Quarkonia suppression



Ordering in pPb:  
suggest some final  
state effect

Large effect from  
hot nuclear effect

Helps disentangle cold nuclear  
effects and hot nuclear effects



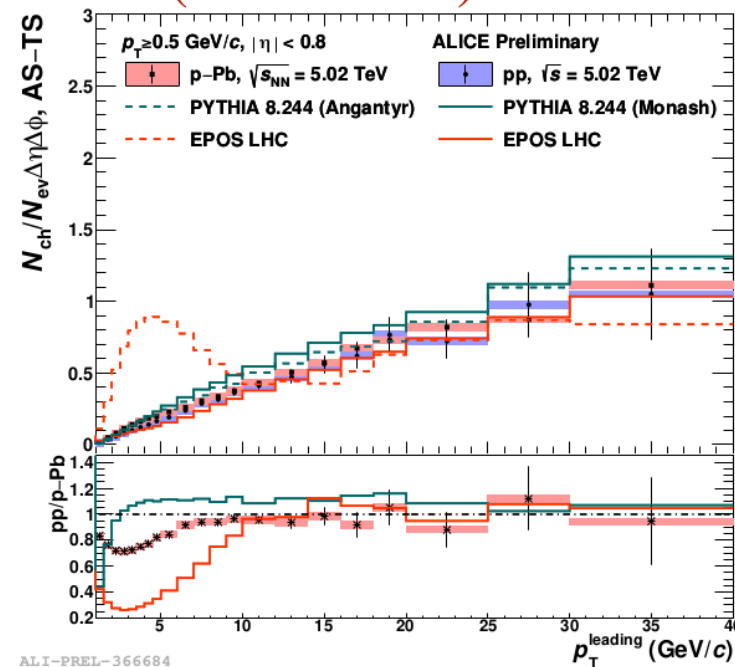
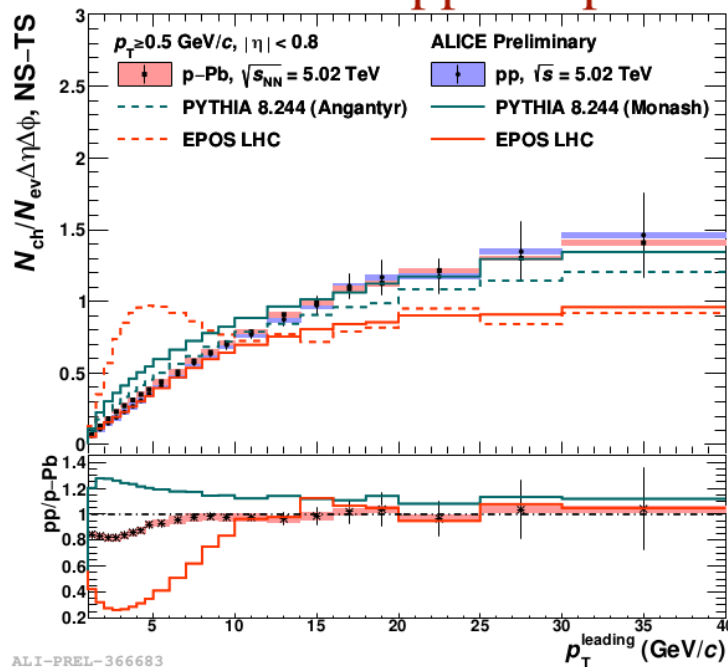
- Significant  $v_2$  up to 50 GeV, but  $R_{pPb}$  **consistent with unity**
- Common interpretation in Pb+Pb collisions is that  $v_2$  at high  $p_T$  is caused by energy loss, **Interesting tension**, significant  $v_2$  without any measurable jet quenching in p+Pb

# Different (?) from UE results:



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