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Properties of the systems created in pp and pA collisions in ALICE at the LHC
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Outline

New from last presentation

- -Some comments about work on publications

Studies about sphericity for pp @ 13 TeV

- The event shape: sphericity
- Sphericity as a tool to look for jets and isotropic events
- Some technical details for this variable
 - Optimal cuts for track selection
 - Efficiency study as a function of sphericity
 - Correction of the particle yield spectra by secondaries and efficiency
 - Explanation for efficiency behaviour

Conclusions

New from last presentation

From last thesis report the next work on publication has been done:

A proceeding was written:

J.Phys.Conf.Ser. 761 (2016) no.1, 012033

Title: Review of recent results on heavy-ion physics and astroparticle physics in ALICE at the LHC. Héctor Bello, Arturo Fernandez, Antonio Ortiz

<http://iopscience.iop.org/article/10.1088/1742-6596/761/1/012033>

<https://arxiv.org/pdf/1609.00692v1.pdf>

1 paper submitted to a journal

Title: Revealing the Source of the Radial Flow Patterns in Proton-Proton Collisions using Hard Probes. Antonio Ortiz, Gyula Bencédi, Héctor Bello

<https://arxiv.org/pdf/1608.04784v1.pdf>

Sphericity analysis pp @ 13 TeV

Physical Analysis in ALICE collaboration:

- Transverse Sphericity.

Is defined in terms of the eigenvalues of

$$S_{xy}^L = \frac{1}{\sum_i p_{Ti}} \sum_i \frac{1}{p_{Ti}} \begin{pmatrix} p_{xi}^2 & p_{xi} p_{yi} \\ p_{yi} p_{xi} & p_{yi}^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

as:
$$S_T \equiv \frac{2\lambda_2}{\lambda_2 + \lambda_1}$$

Where $\lambda_1 \geq \lambda_2$.

For both cases we have the limits:

$$S_o = S_T^{sphericity} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{isotropic structure} \\ 0 & \text{dijet structure} \end{cases}$$

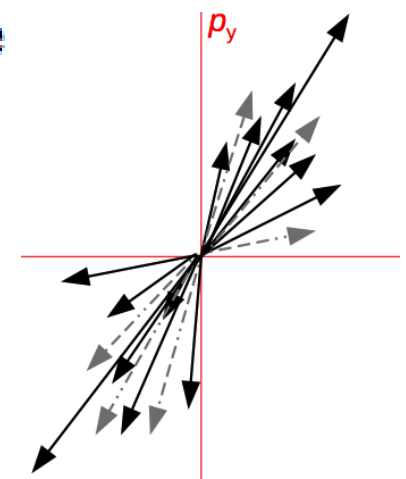
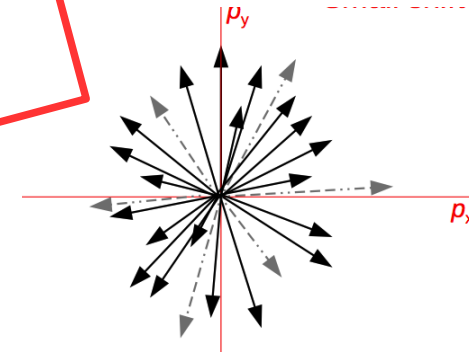
Andrea Banfi G. Salam and G. Zanderighi, "Phenomenology of the event shapes at hadron colliders", arXiv:1001.4082

- Transverse Sphericity

Transverse sphericity is

$$S_T^{sphericity} = \frac{\pi^2}{4} \min_{\vec{n}=(n_x, n_y, 0)} \left(\frac{\sum_i |\vec{p}_{Ti} \times \vec{n}|}{\sum_i p_{Ti}} \right)^2$$

Looking for an ALICE paper with this measurement.



Some technical details for the analysis.

- For the introduction of this variable, some technical details are studied and documented

Event clasification using transverse sphericity and event multiplicity for the analysis of pp data: <https://aliceinfo.cern.ch/Notes/node/529>

For this study we take some considerations:

DATASET: data: LHC15f pass2 (good runs acroding RCT)

MC: LHC15g3a3 (Pythia8-Monash2013)

EVENT SELECTION: AliVEvent::kINT7, AnalysisUtils::IsSPDClusterVsTrackletBG()
IsPileupFromSPDInMultBins(), IsIncompleteDAQ()

VERTEX: SPD and Track vertices reconstructed, separation along z <5mm

For Sphericity we take more than 2 tracks with $p_T > 0.15$ GeV/c and $|\eta| < 0.8$

Three set of cuts tested:

STANDAR cuts: GetStandardITSTPCTrackCuts2011(kTRUE,1)

HYBRID: CreateTrackCutsPWGJE(10001008)+CreateTrackCutsPWGJE(10011008)

TPC cuts: GetStandardTPCOnlyTrackCuts+TPCrefit

For Multiplicity: GetReferenceMultiplicity(fESD,AliESDTrackCutsITSTPC,0.8)

Analysis and run selection

Software: Aliroot:v5-07-20 Aliphysics:vAN-20160204

Event shape classes: (PWGLF/SPECTRA/Sphericity)

Analysis macros: AddTransverseEventShapeTask.C

AliAnaTransverseEventShapeTask.cxx

AliAnaTransverseEventShapeTask.h

LHC15f pass2: (55 mill of evts) - 54-50

LHC15g3a3 Monash Tune (52 mill of evts)

LHC15g3c3 Perugia 2011 (49 mill of evts)

good runs*:

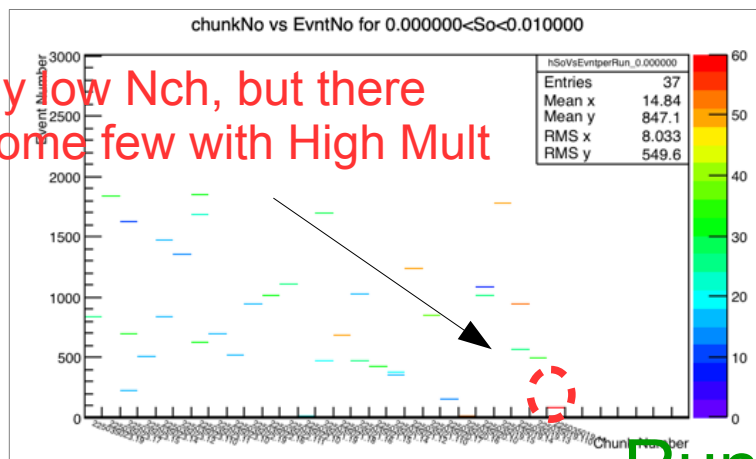
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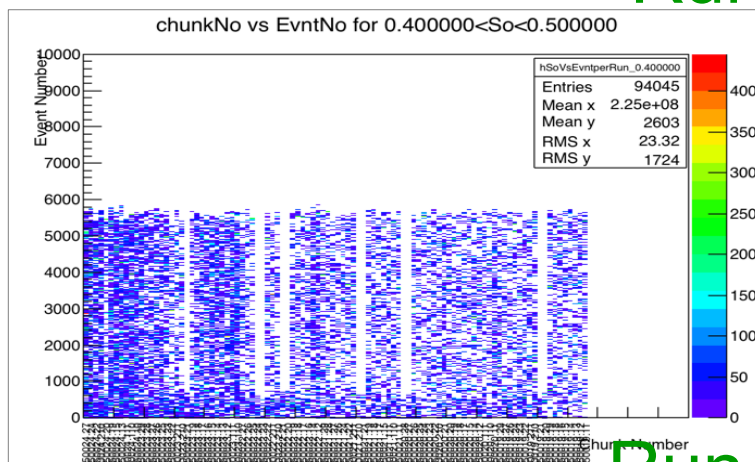
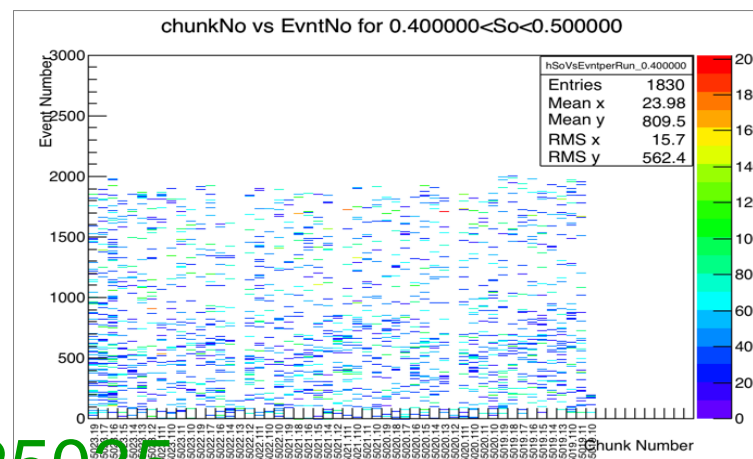
Sphericity as a tool for searching dijets and isotropic events with high multiplicity.

Using S_0 we can find interesting events with specific shape and high multiplicity.

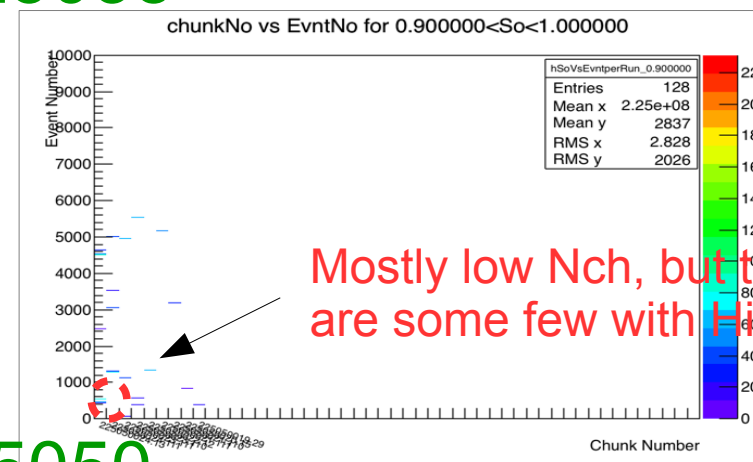
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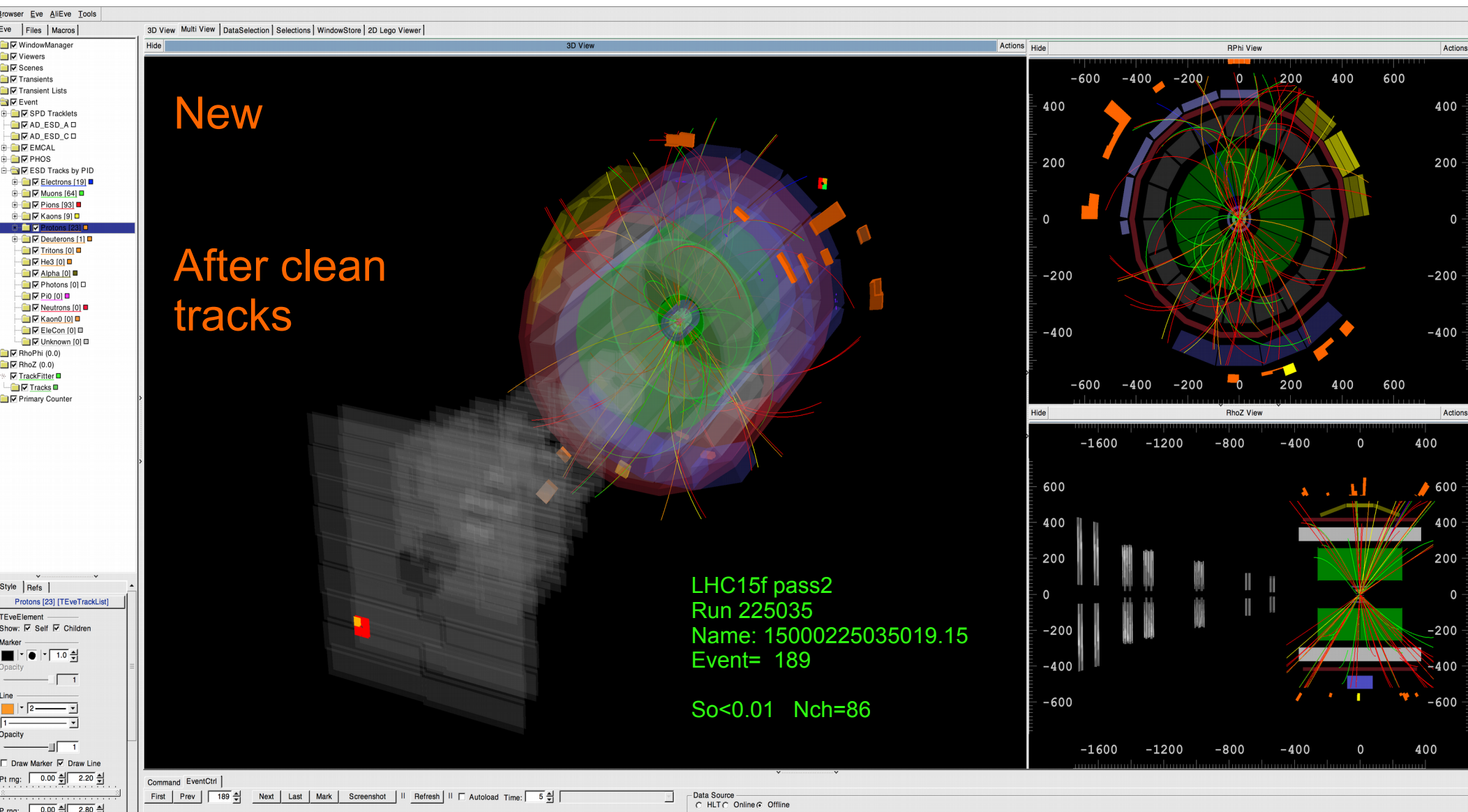
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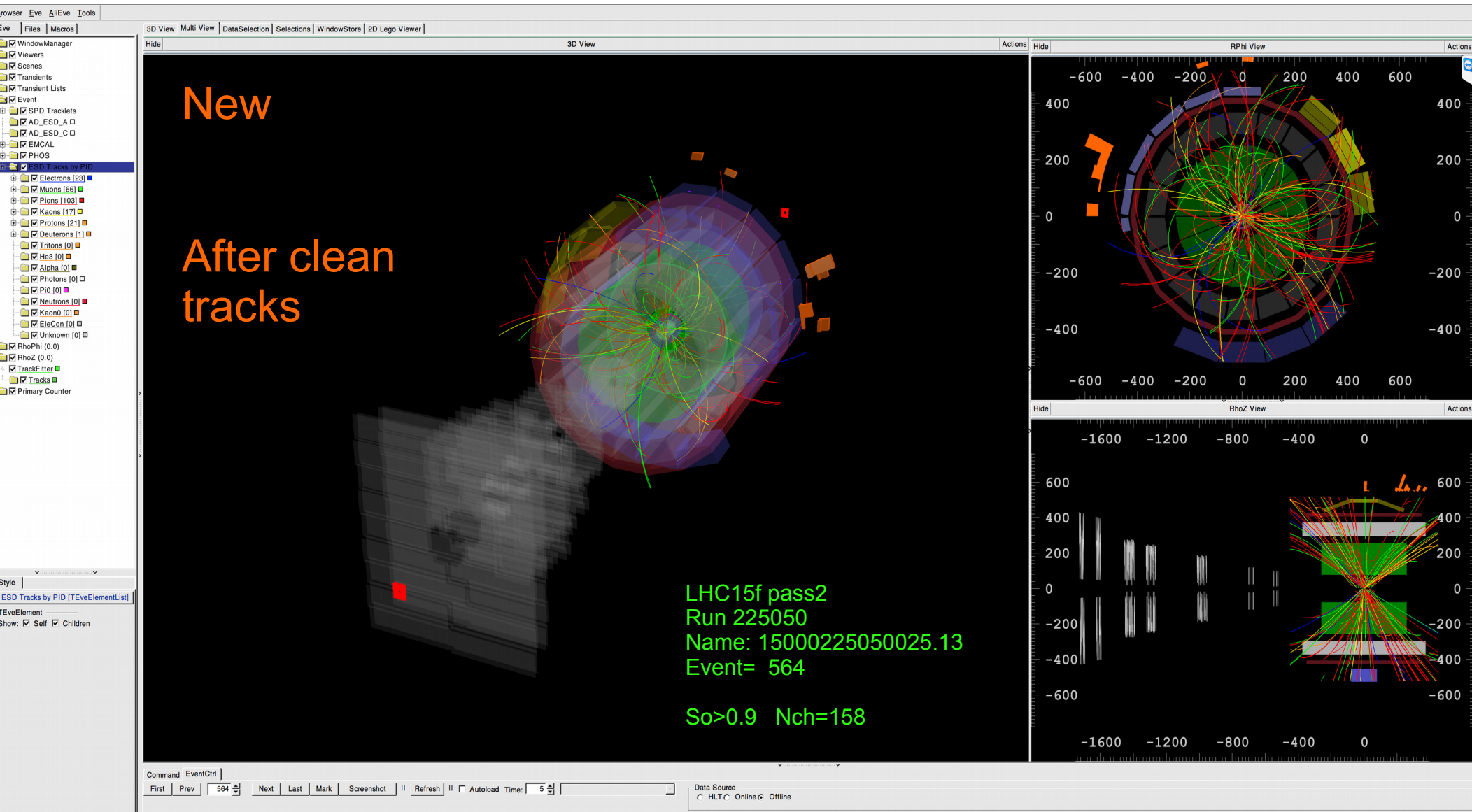
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JETTY EVENT $S_o < 0.01$ (HM event)



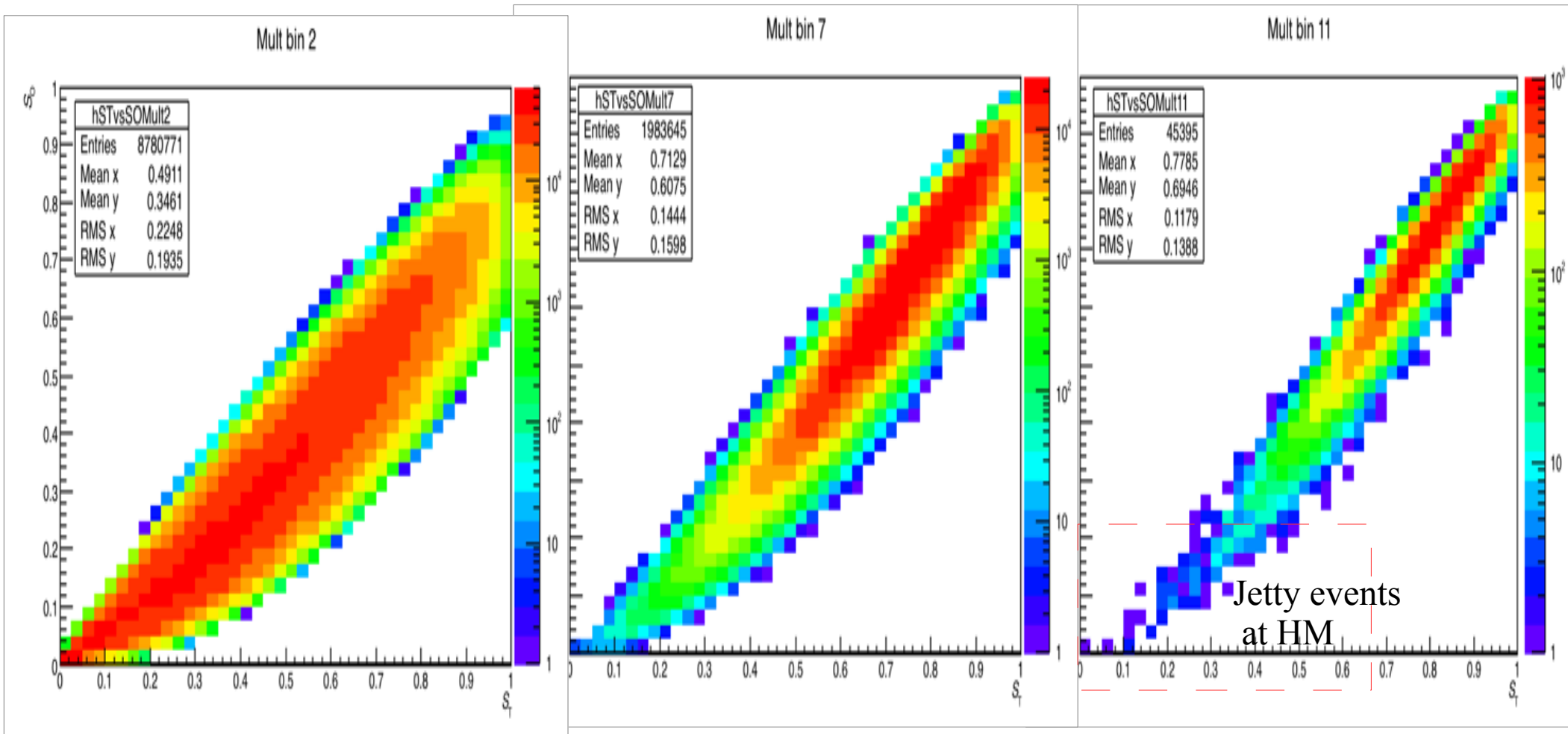
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ISOTROPIC $S_o > 0.9$ (HM event)



What is the correlation Spherocity vs Sphericity for diff. Nch bins

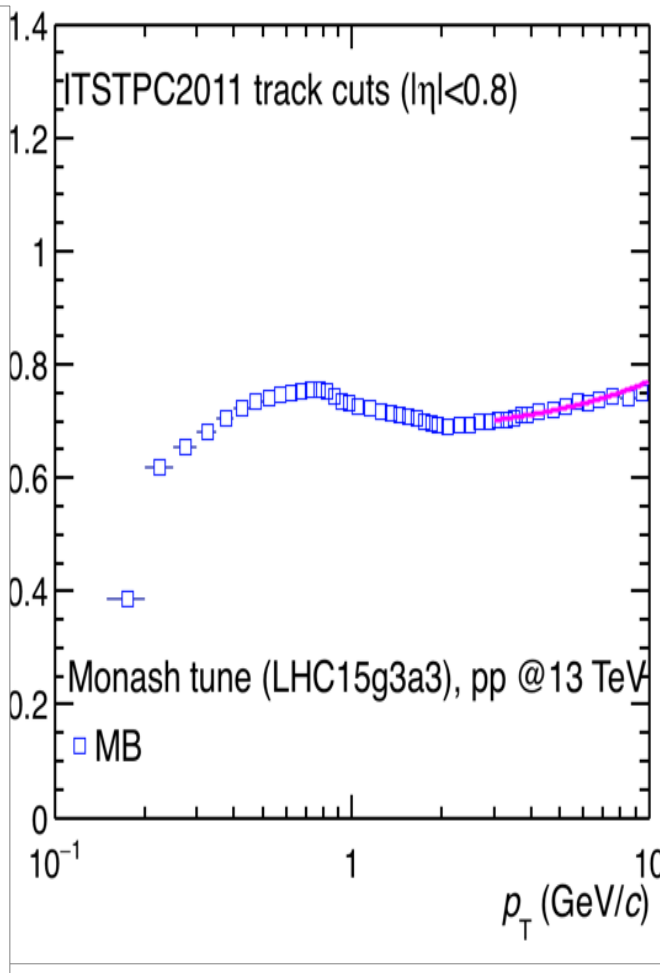
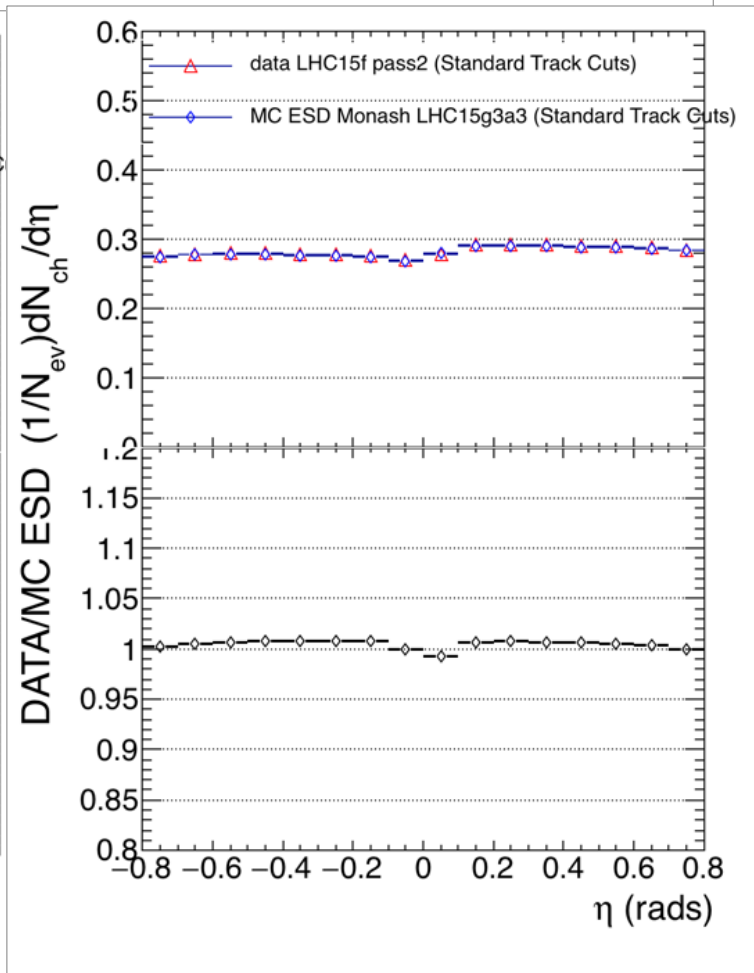
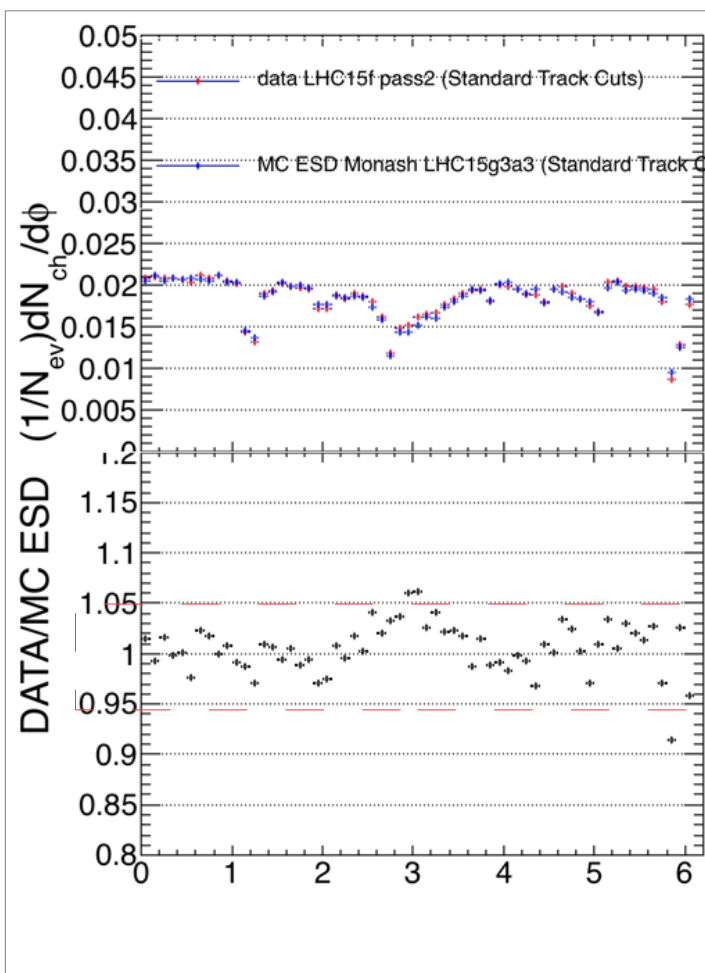
We see the correlation and difference at low and high multiplicity



Multbins[14]={0, 1, 4, 7, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 40, 50, 60, 70, 140 };

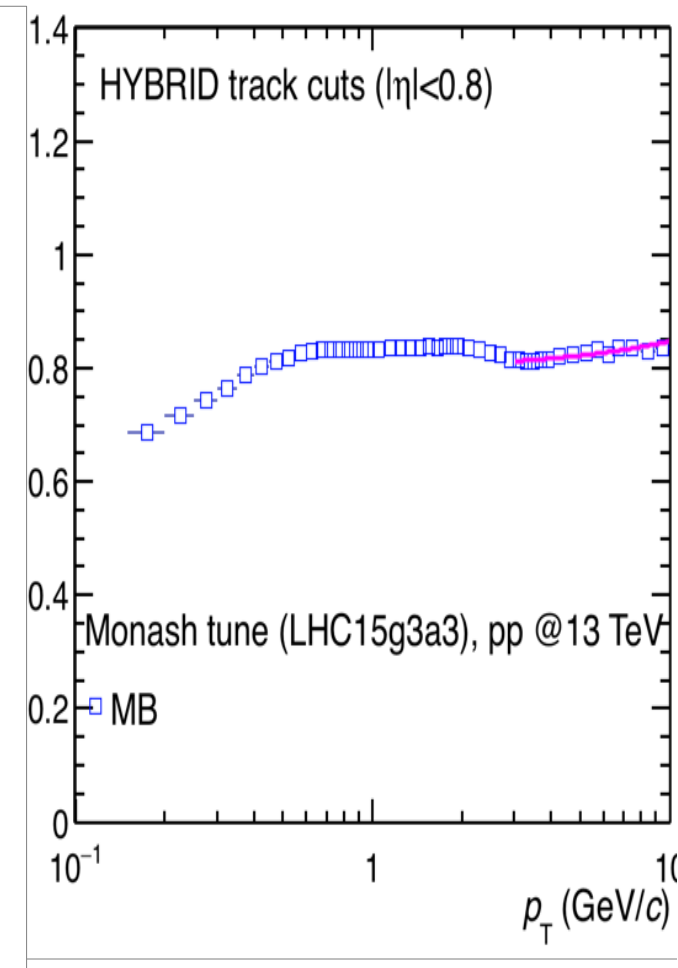
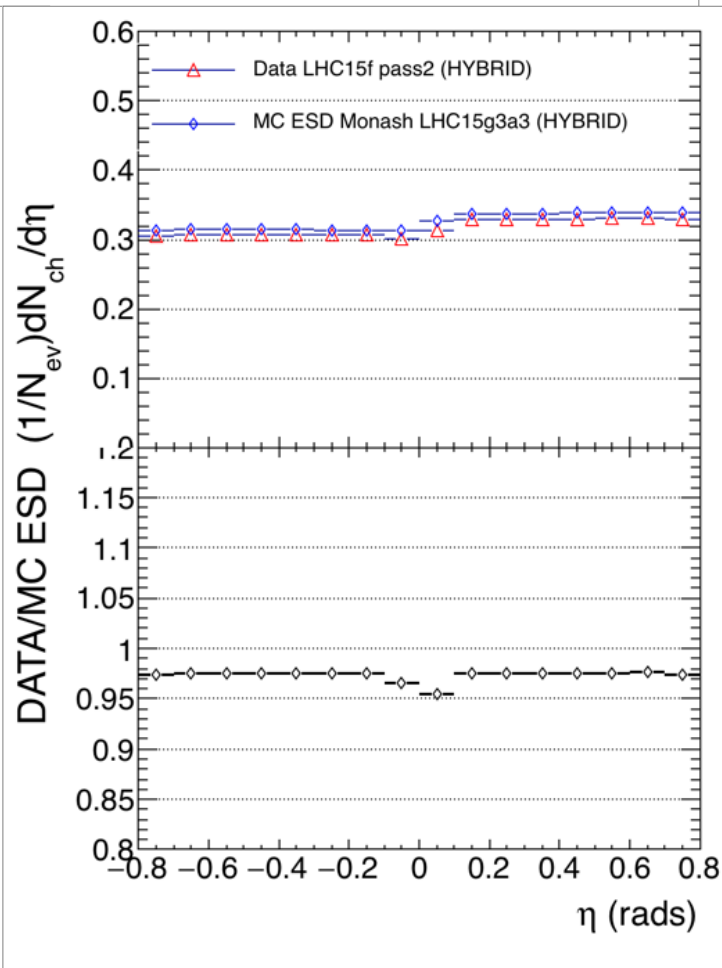
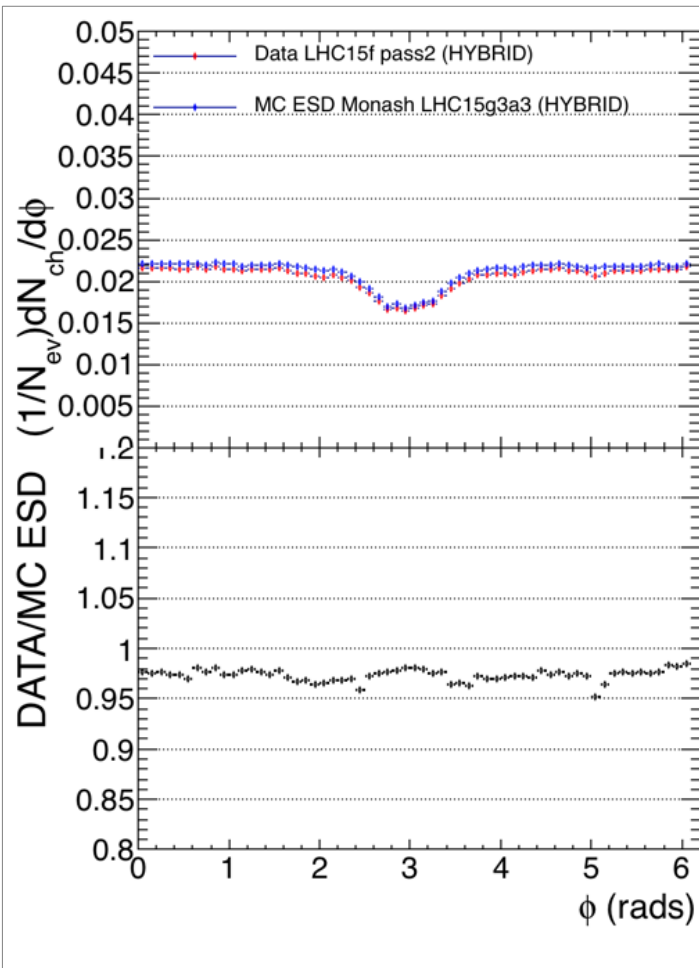
Which track cuts selection is the optimum?

To study MC/DATA dependence for different cuts:
-ITSTPC2011 golden DATA vs MC



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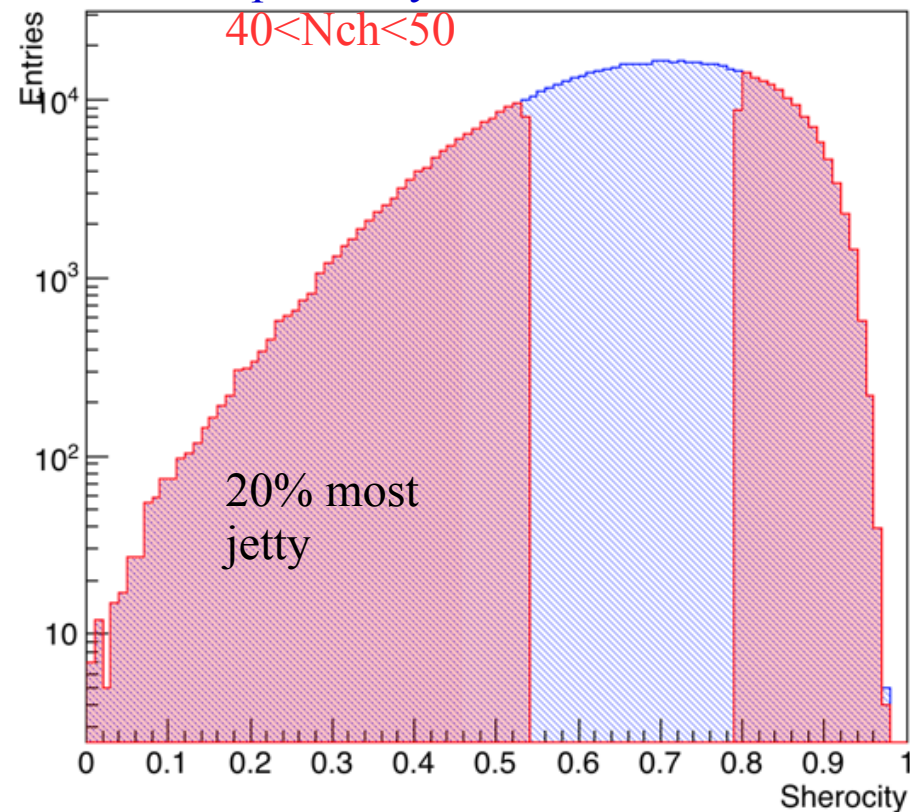
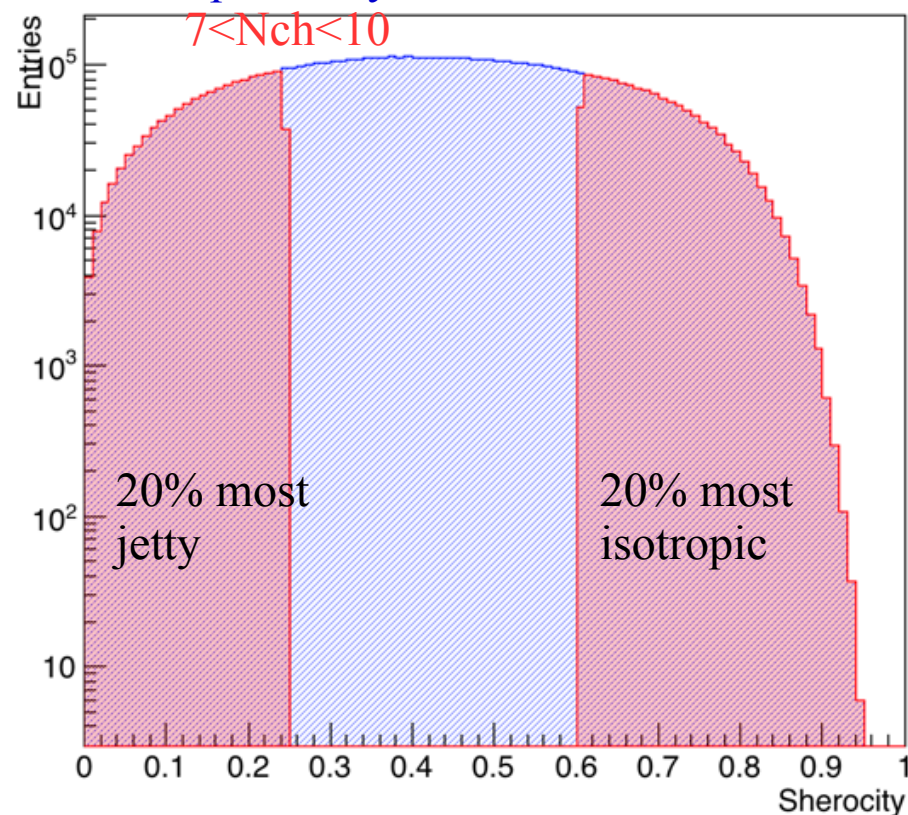
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HYBRID track cuts DATA vs MC



How is affected the efficiency due to the event selection with different topology?

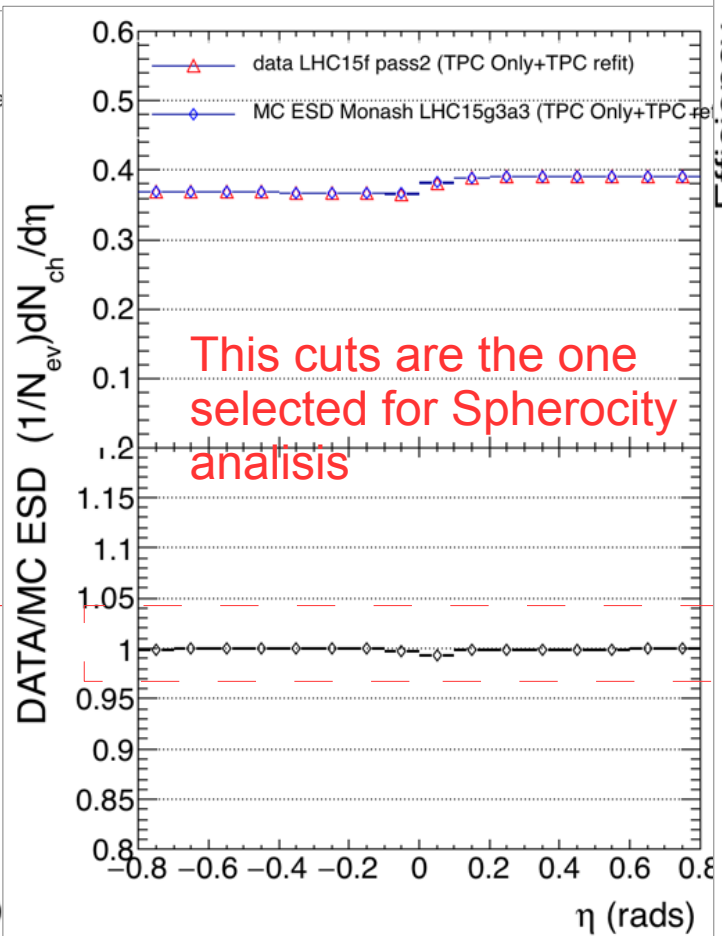
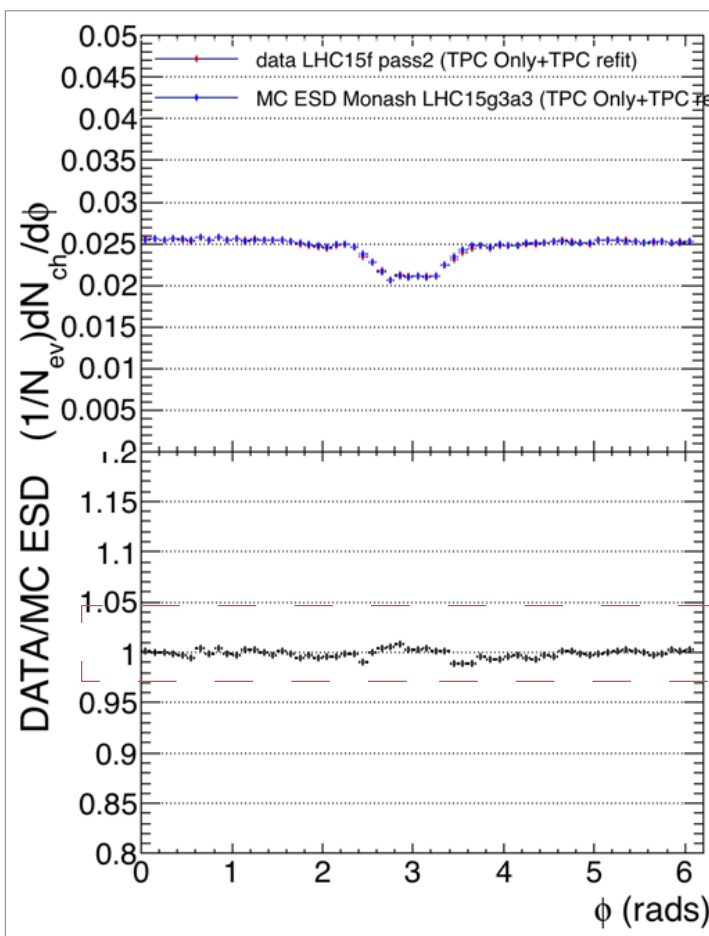
For three different **Event Shape** binnings and percentiles

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- Sphericity distribution

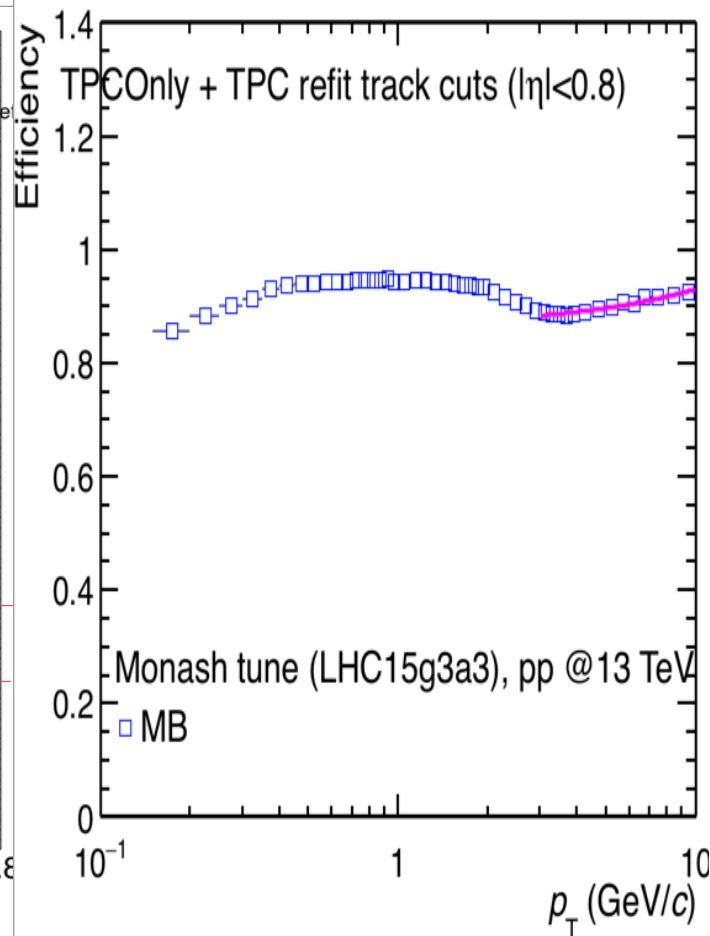


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TPC Only+TPC refit DATA vs MC

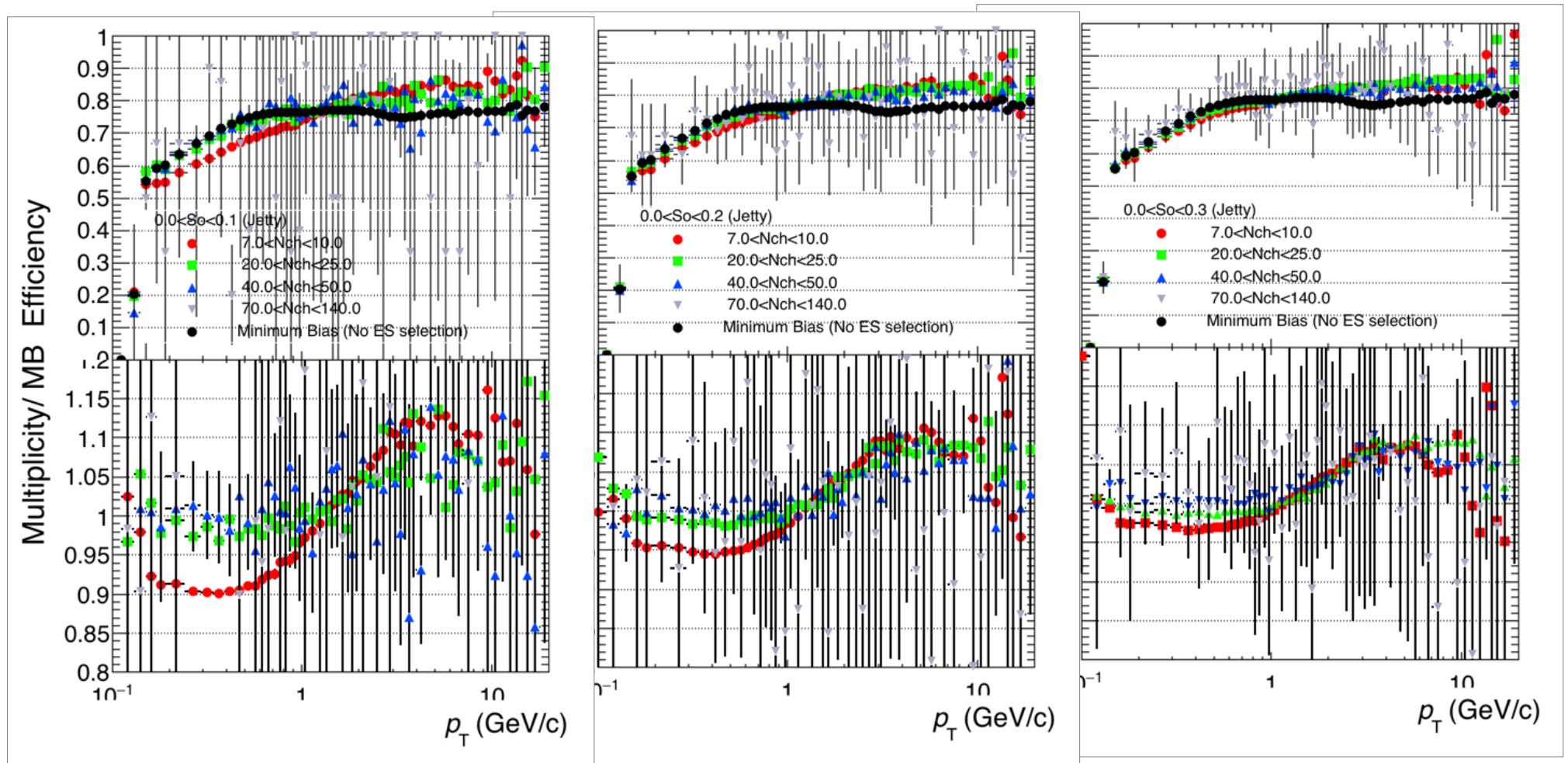


This cuts are the one selected for Sphericity analysis



For three different SPHEROCITY binnings for JETTY events

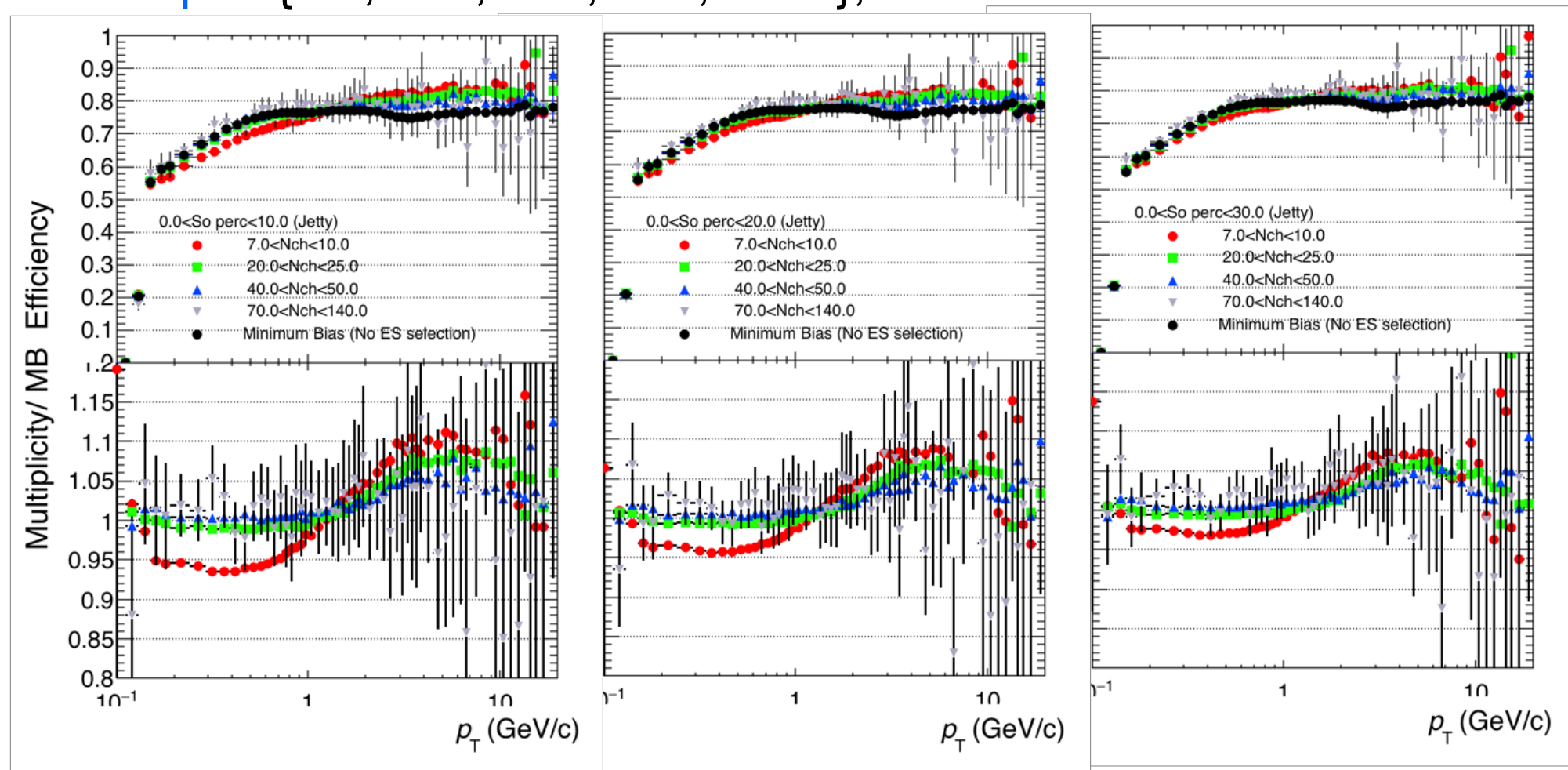
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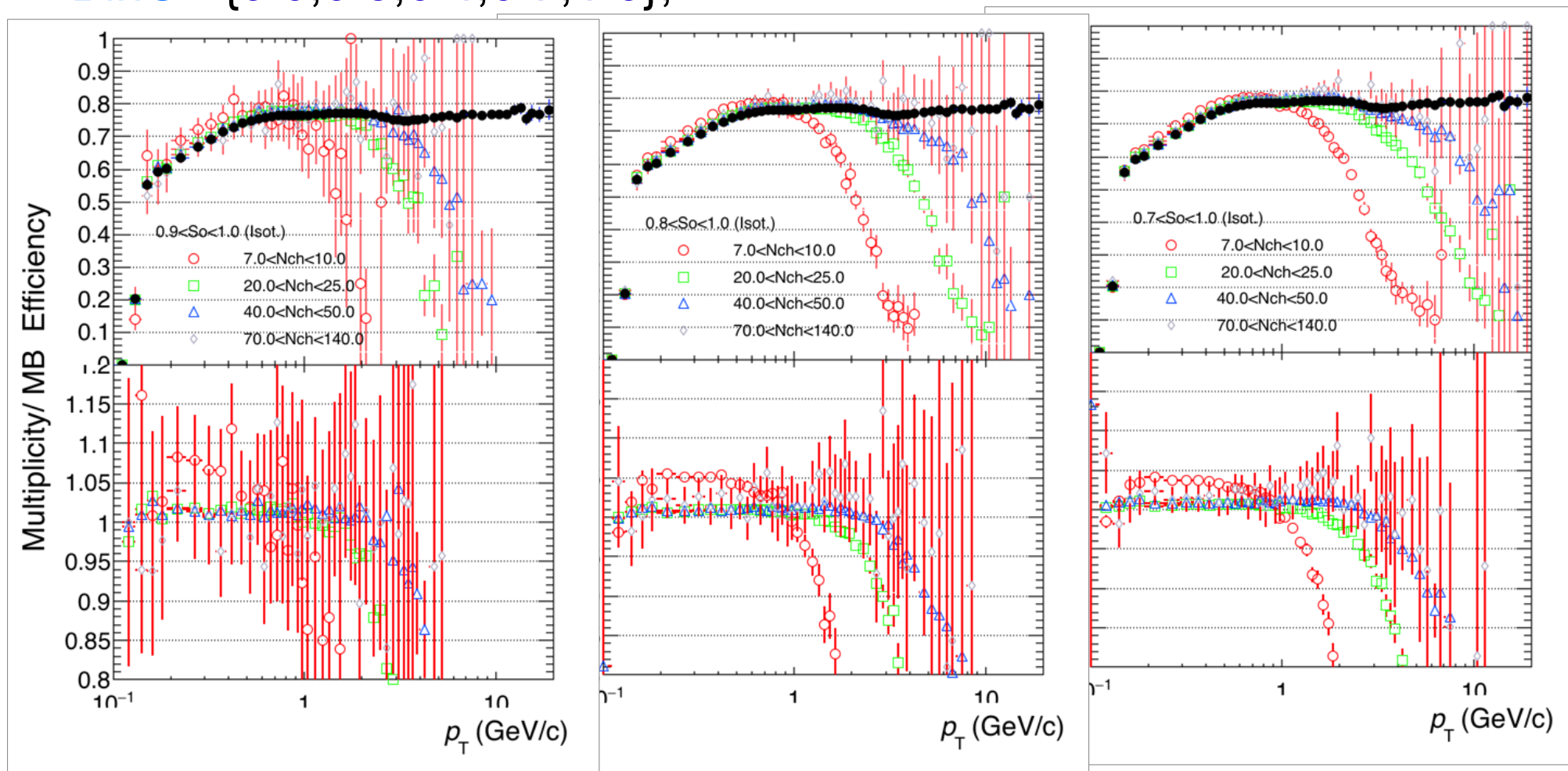
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Better statistics
for percentiles



For three different SPHEROCITY binnings for ISOTROPIC events

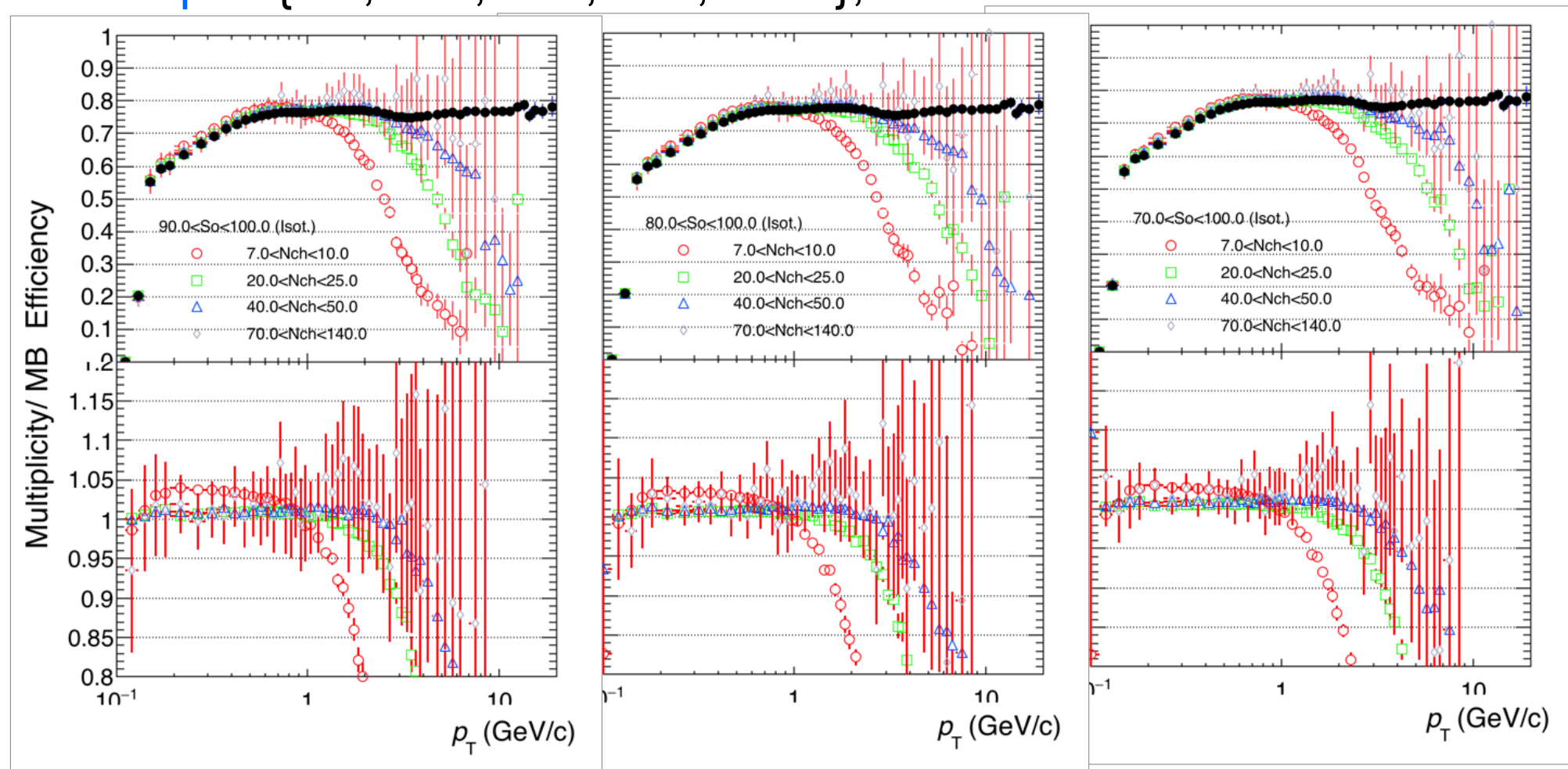
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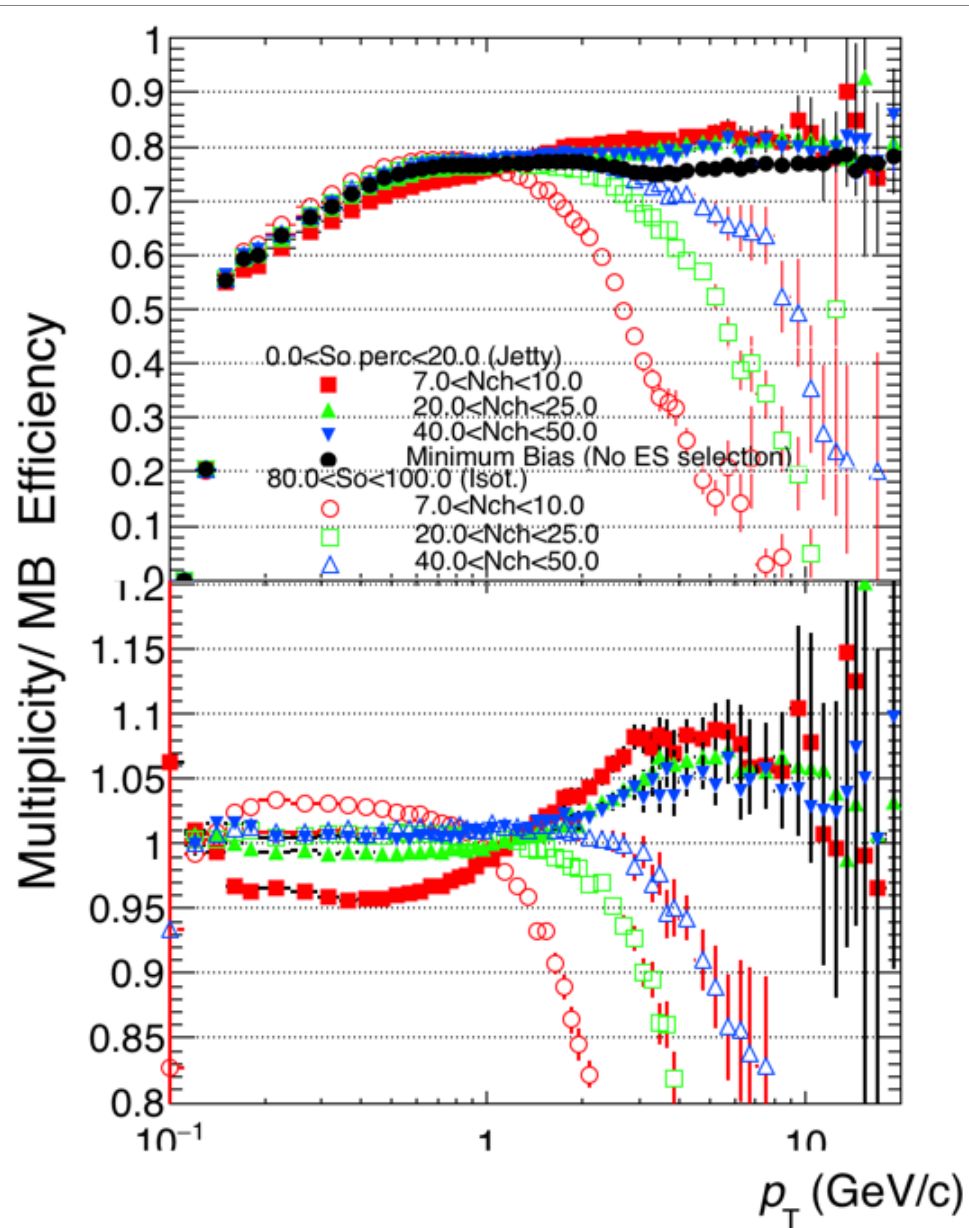
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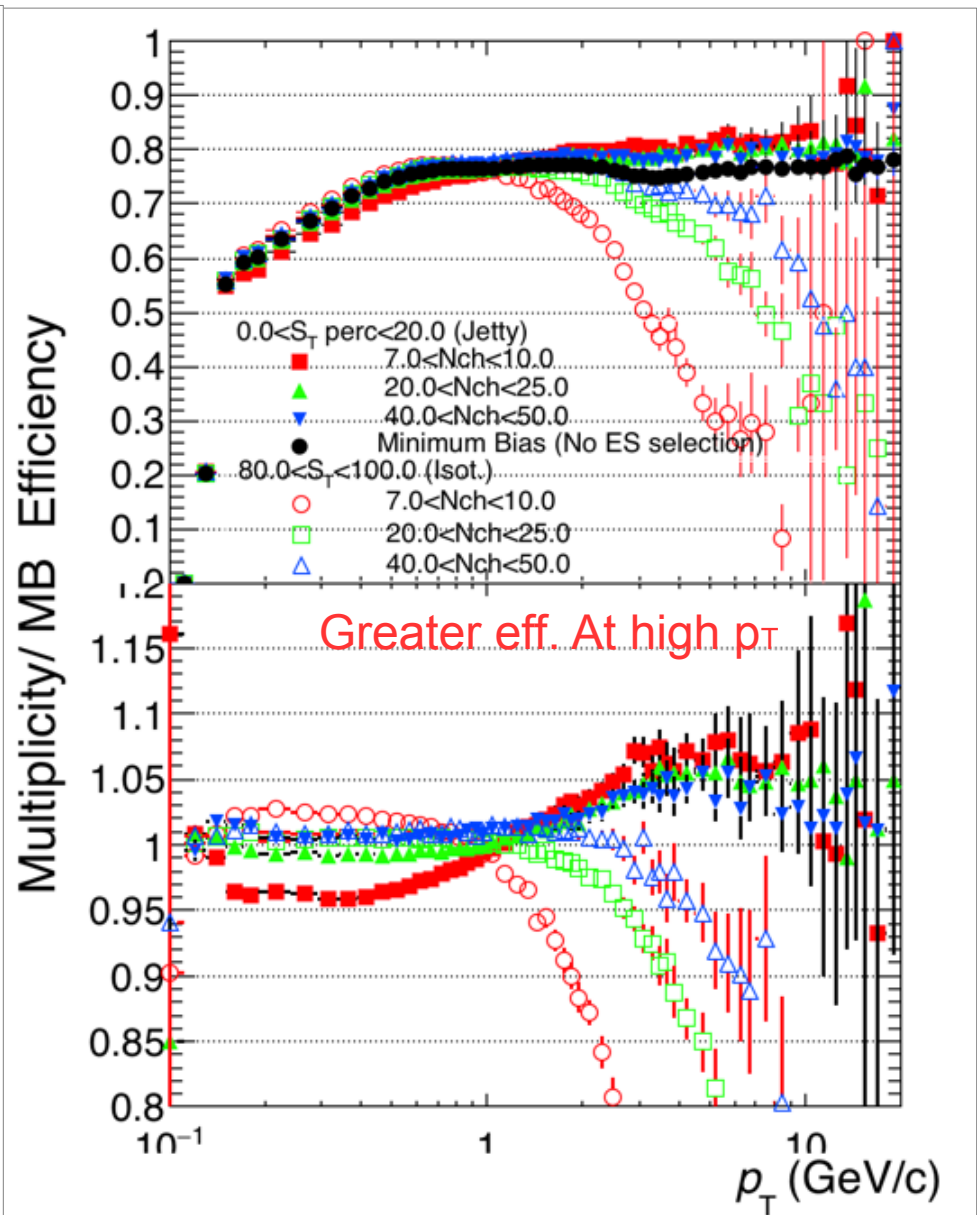


Comparison for percentile bins with best statistics.

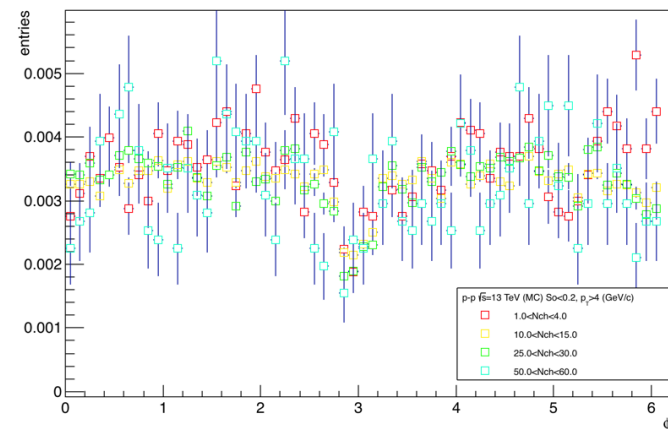
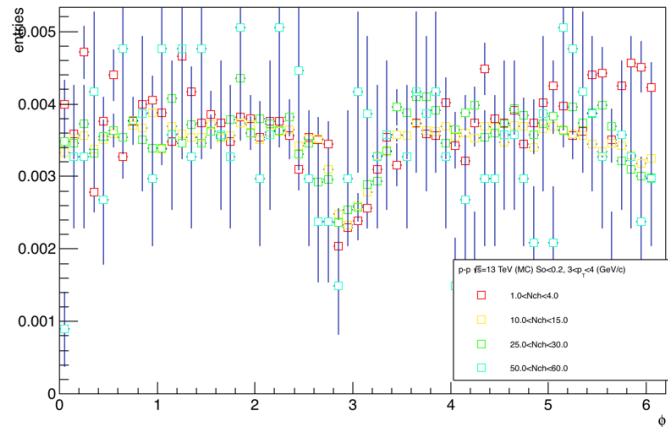
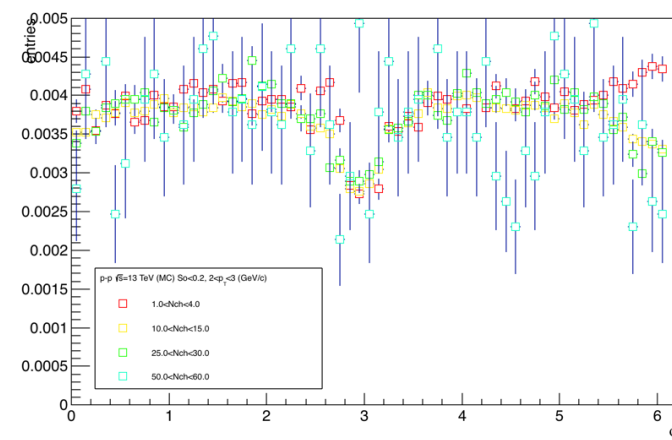
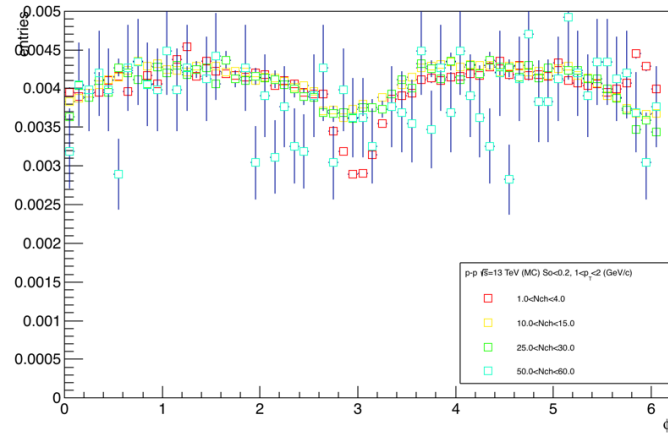
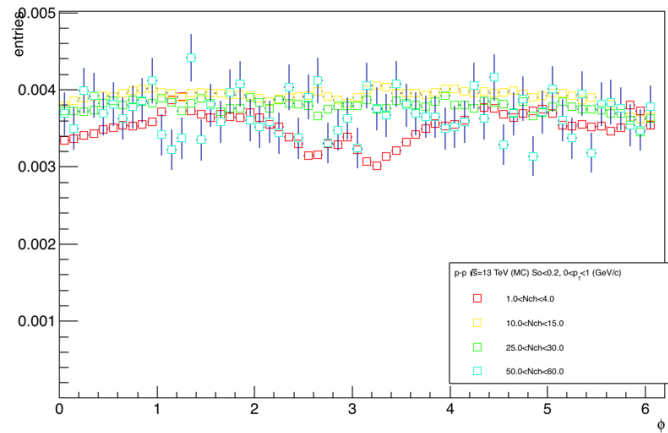
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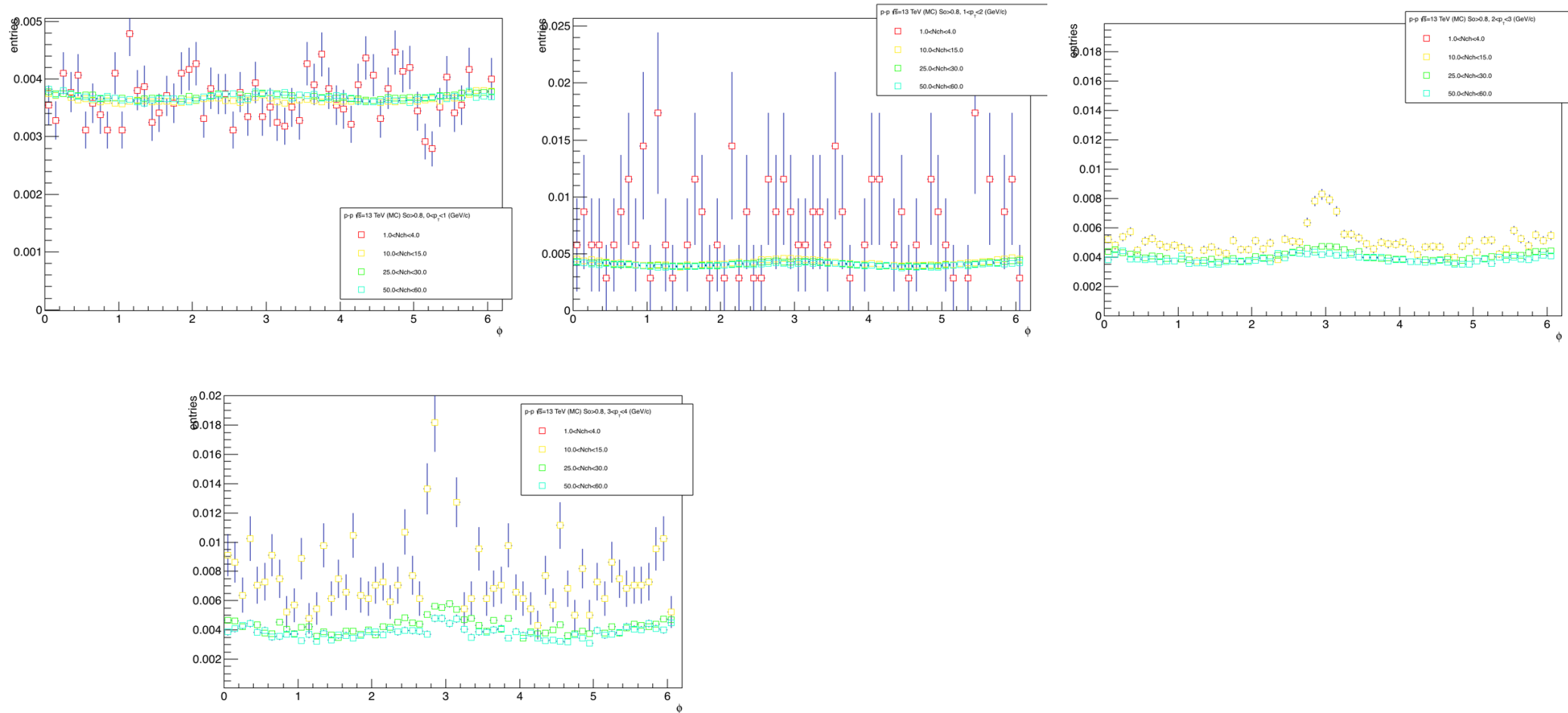


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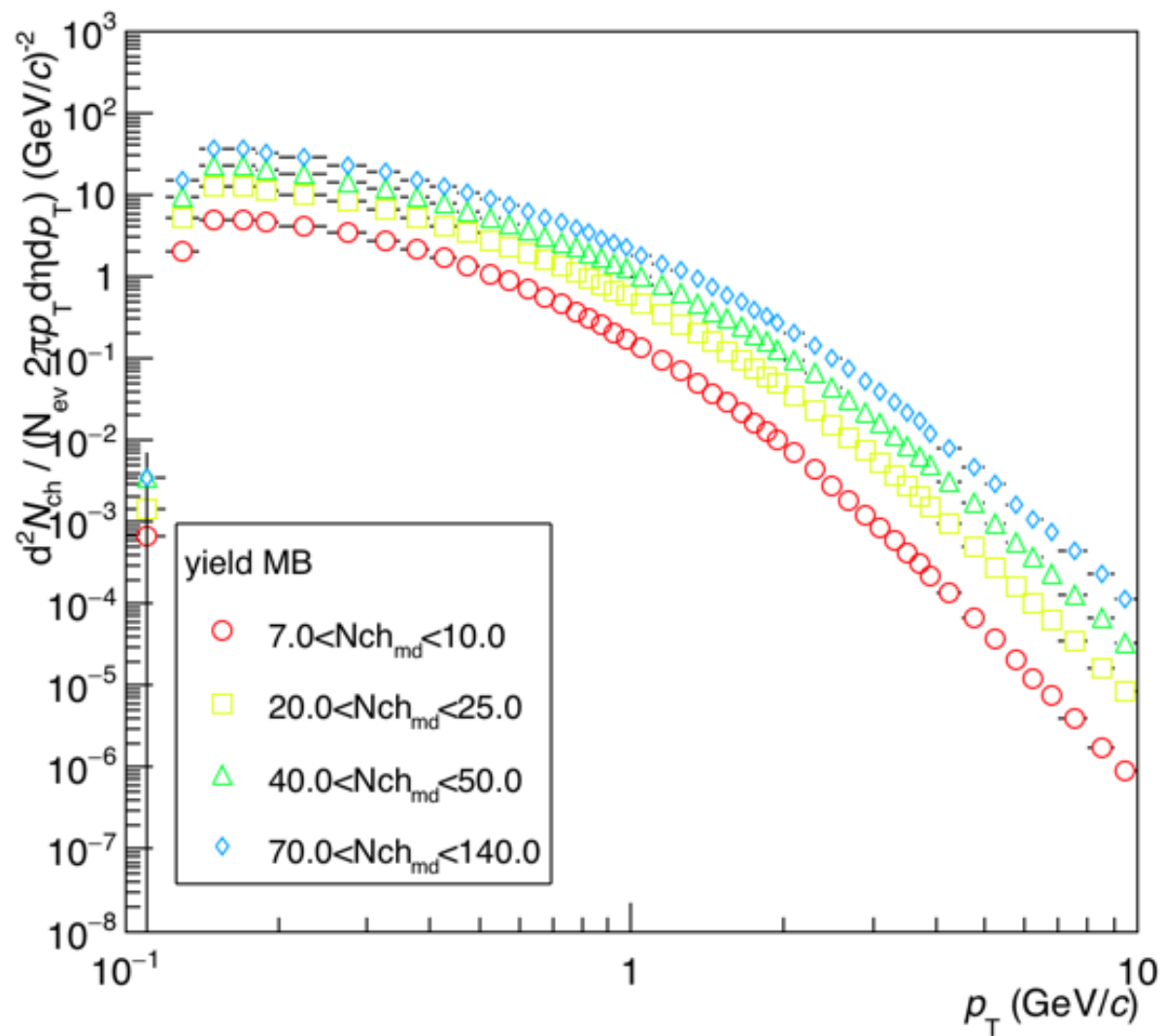
We see that for different samples within diff. p_T ranges, the behaviour of the phi distribution is independent of Nch.

To try to understand the behaviour with respect p_T range, and Nch for fixed holes. Phi distributions for isotropic events

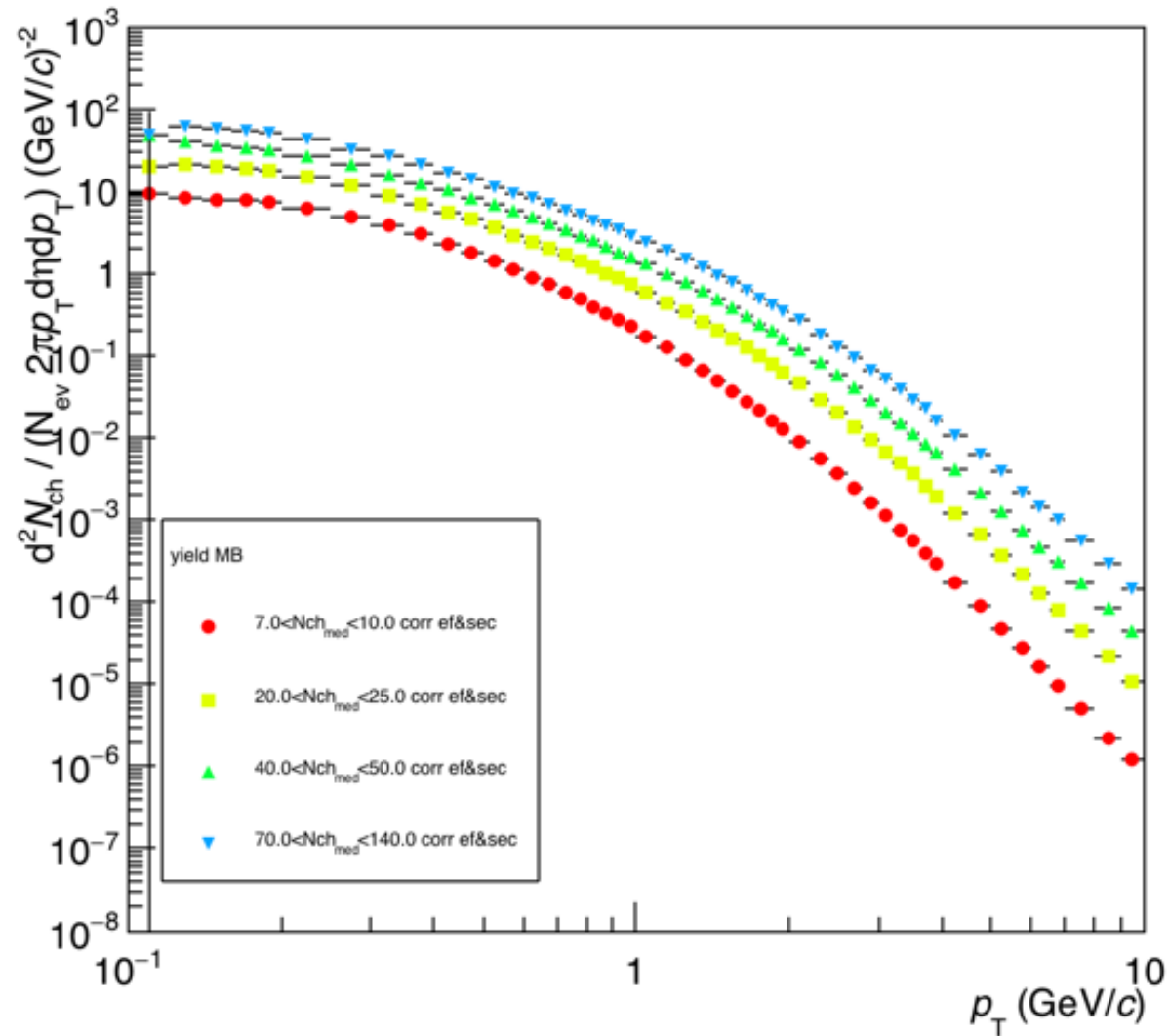


We see that for different samples within diff. p_T ranges, is clear the dependence of the multiplicity and also the decreasing of statistics for low Nch when p_T range increase

The spectra for the charge particles (MC ESD) for MB.



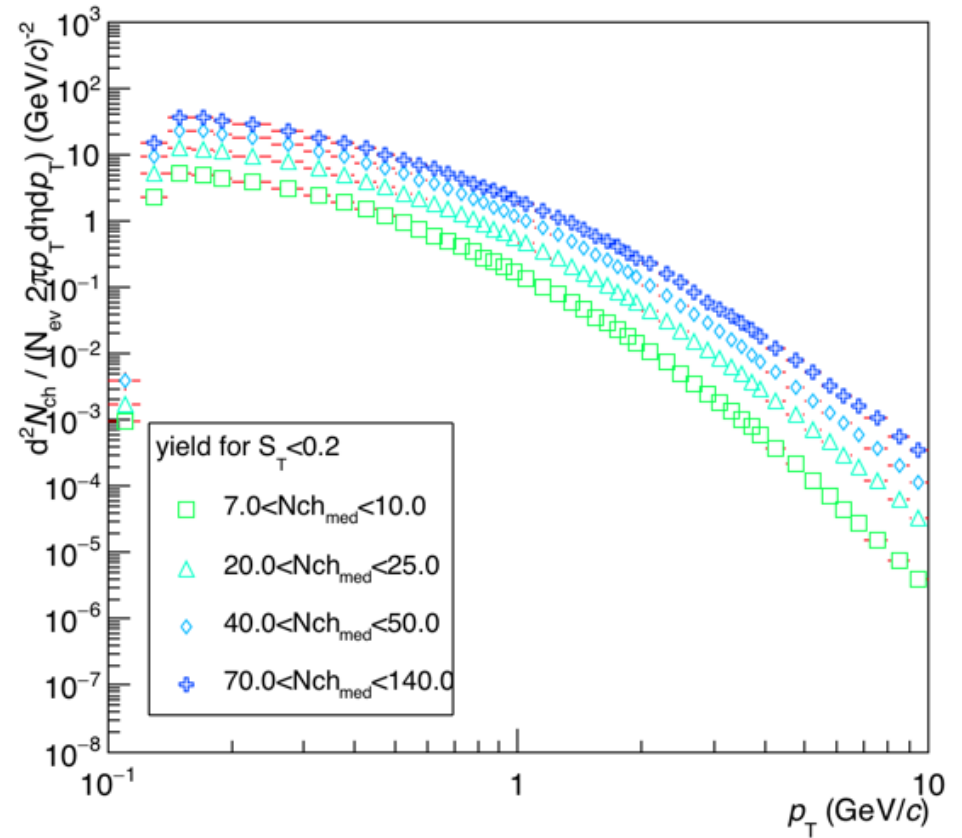
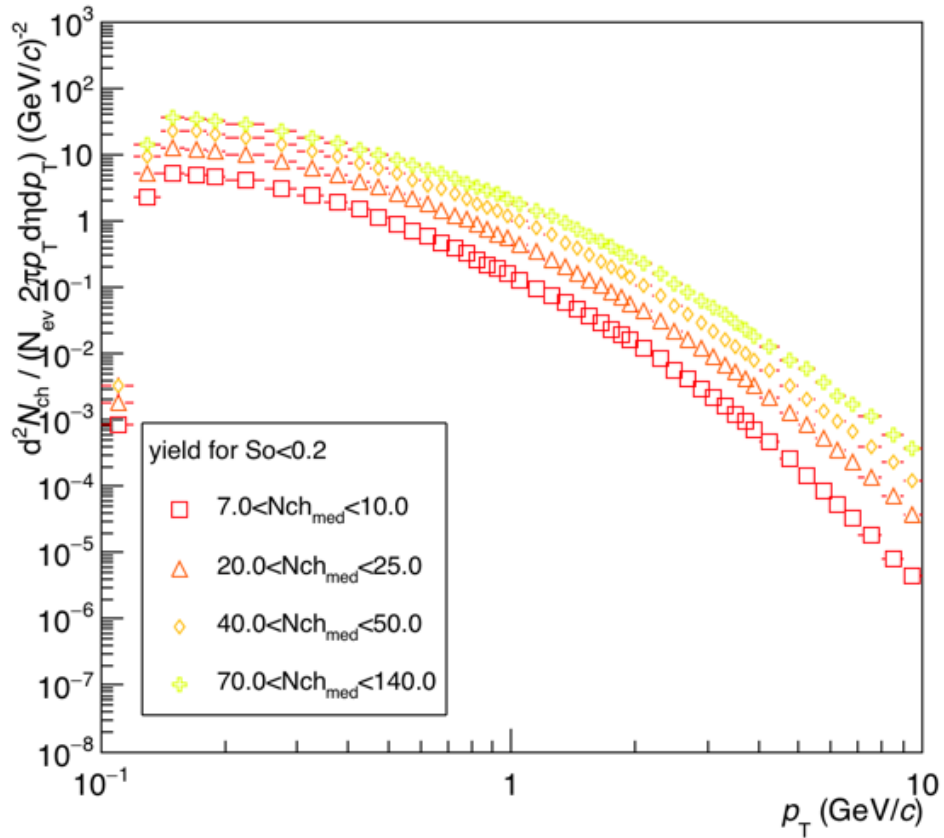
The spectra for the charge particles corrected by efficiency and secondaries for MB.



The spectra for jetty charge particles (MC ESD).

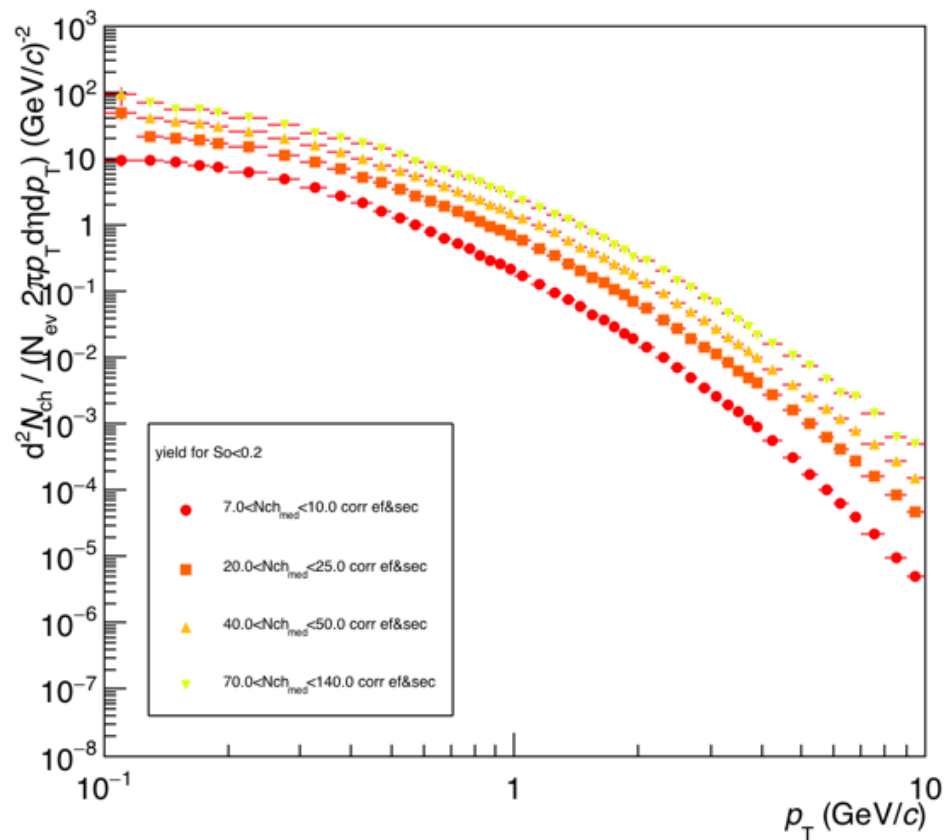
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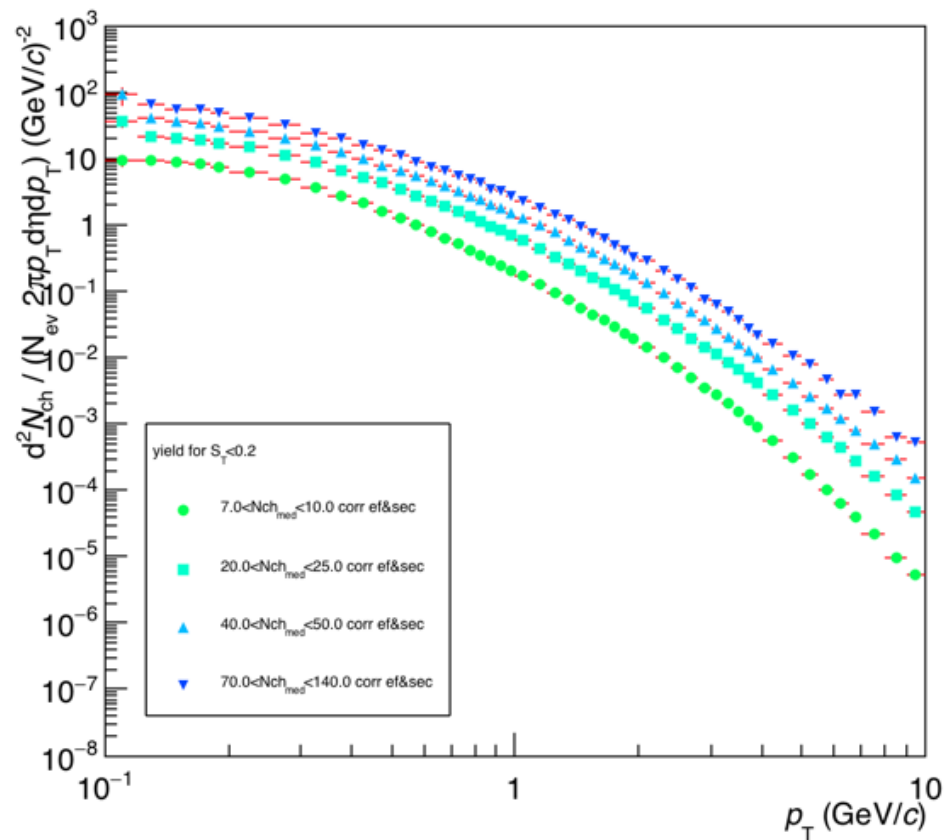


The spectra for jetty charge particles corrected by secondaries and efficiency (jetty efficiency).

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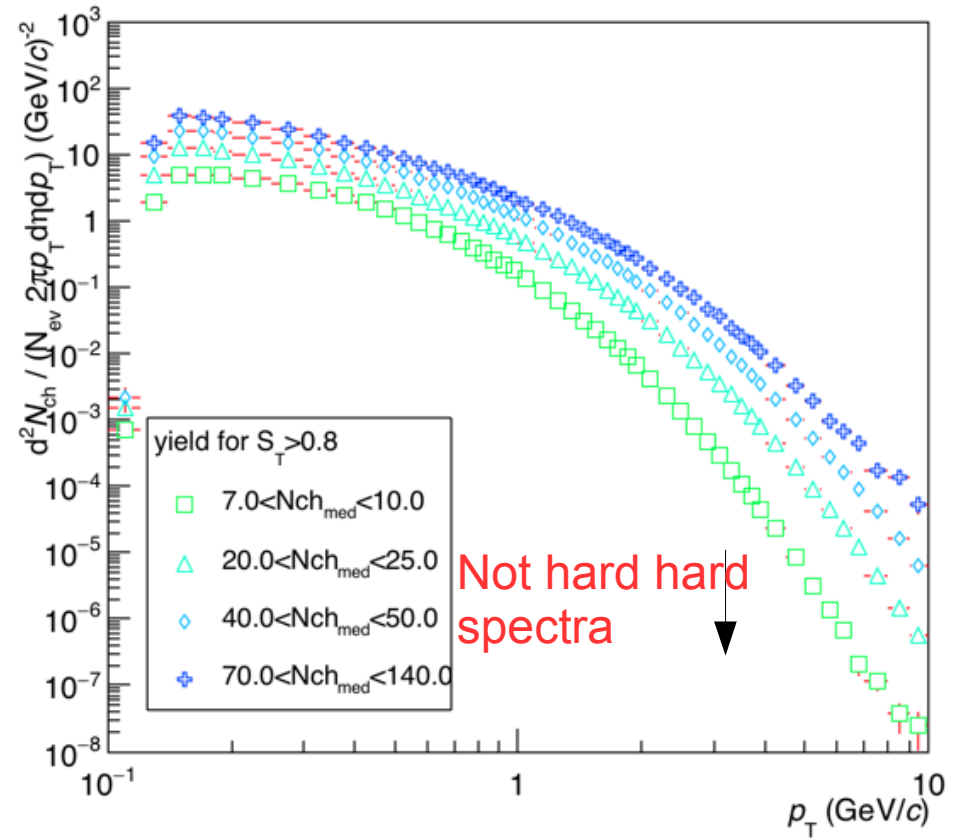
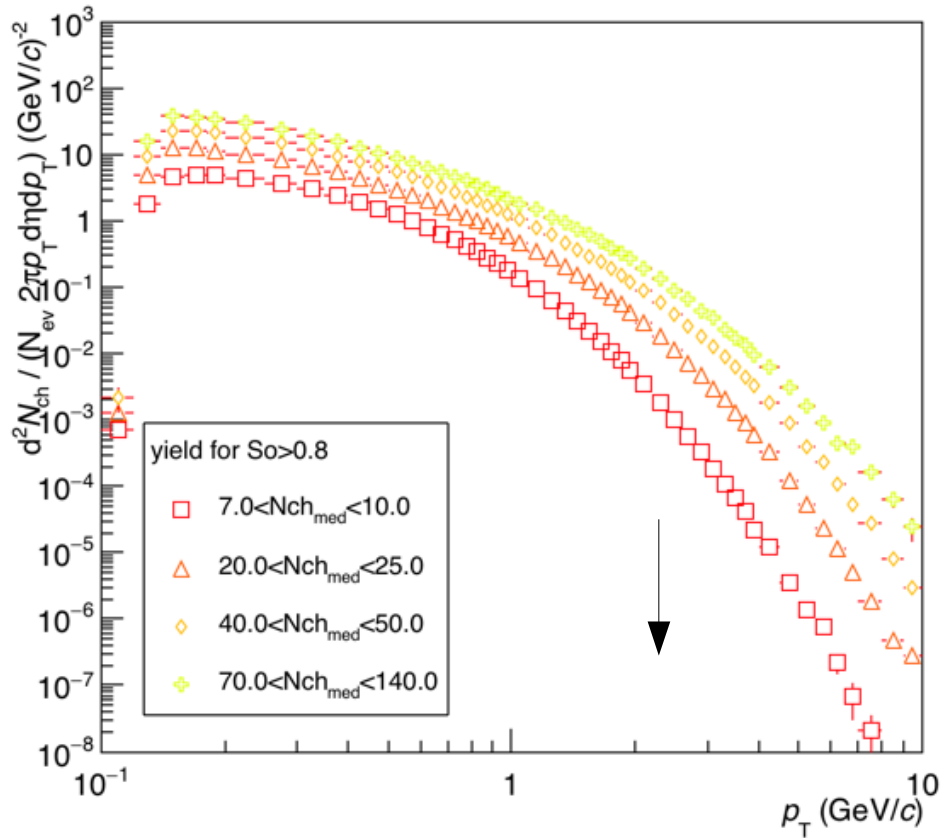
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The spectra for isotropic charge particles (MC ESD)

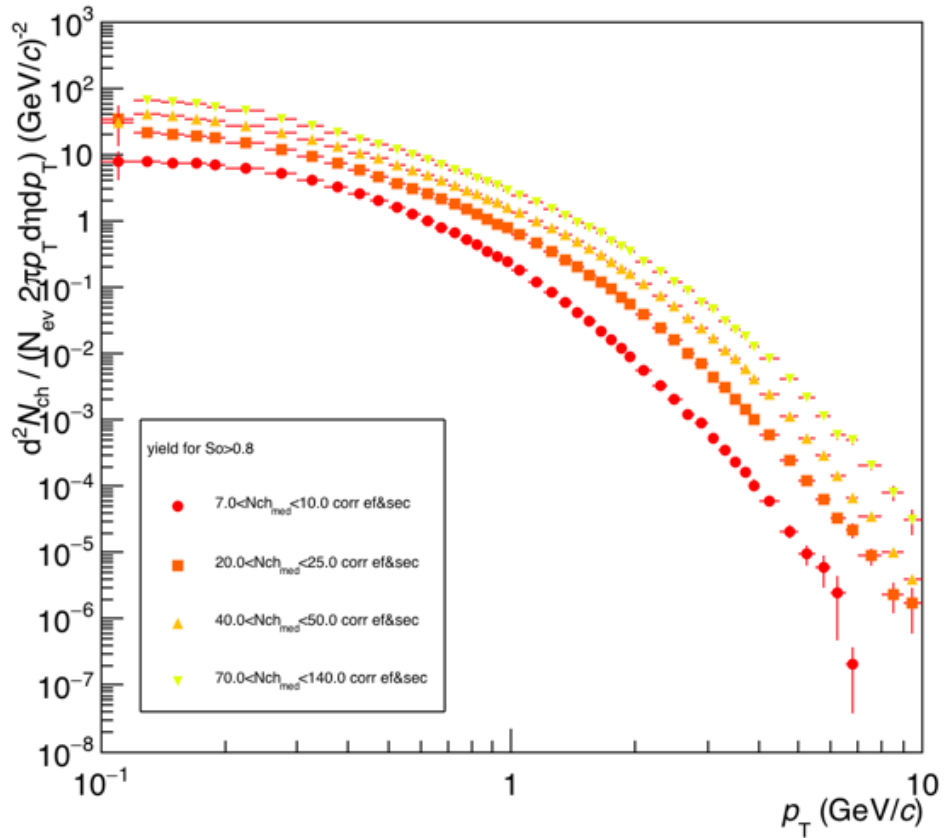
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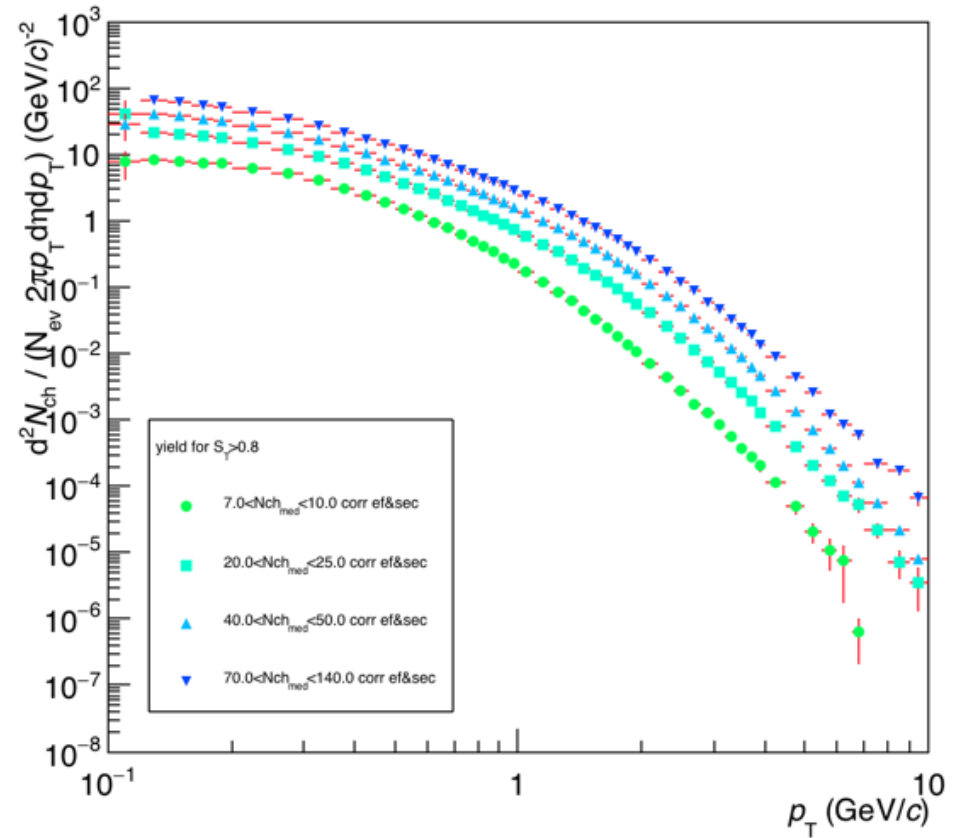


The spectra for isotropic charge particles corrected by secondaries and efficiency (for isotropic cut applied to low $dN/d\eta < 25$).

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Conclusions

- Sphericity is a tool for selecting different event shape, we are introducing this analysis at ALICE
 - Some technical considerations are needed:
- TPC+TPCrefit are the selected track cuts.
- Efficiency for jetty events is better than for isotropic ones.
- Jetty events efficiency different than MB sample, but no mult dependence.
- For Isotropic and $dN/d\eta > 31$ and $p_t < 3$ GeVs there' s no multiplicity dependence.
- selecting in percentage is less noisy by statistics.

To do:

- Obtain TH2D phi vs pt vs entries using the trees at xook cluster (tlapoa)

Back up

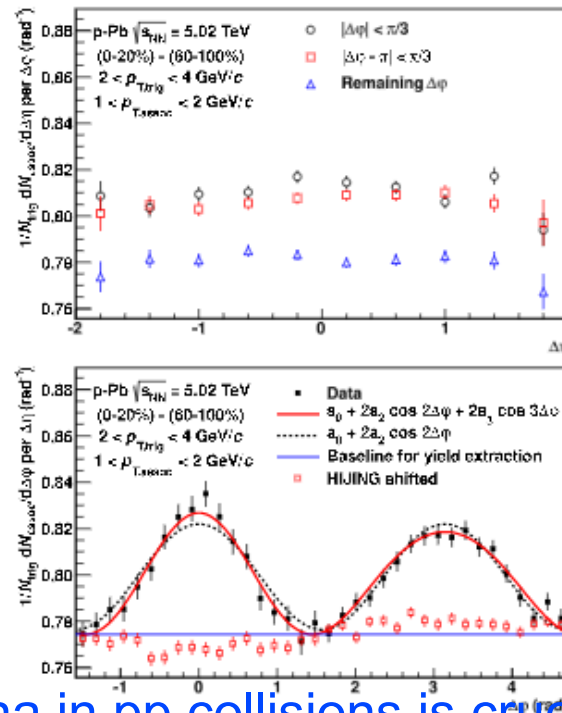
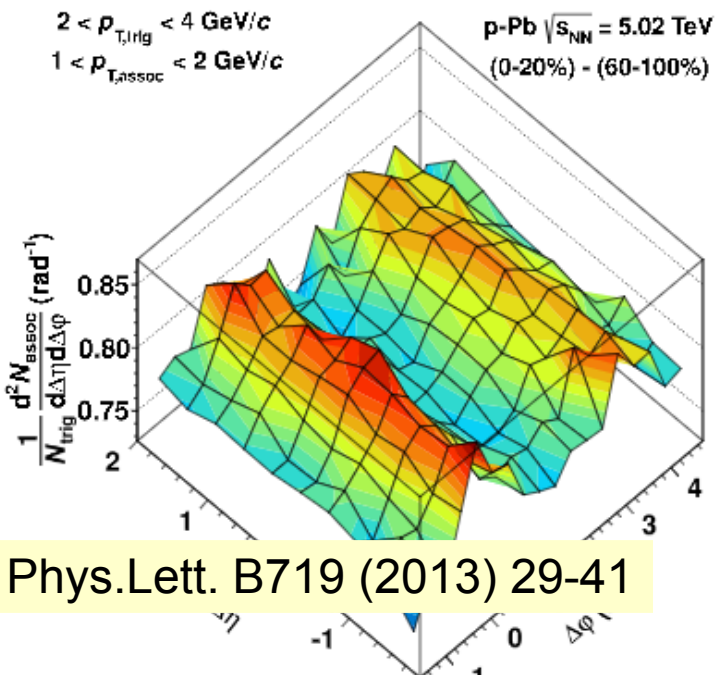
About the paper submitted

- presented at the seminar and a poster in the Mexican School of DPyC

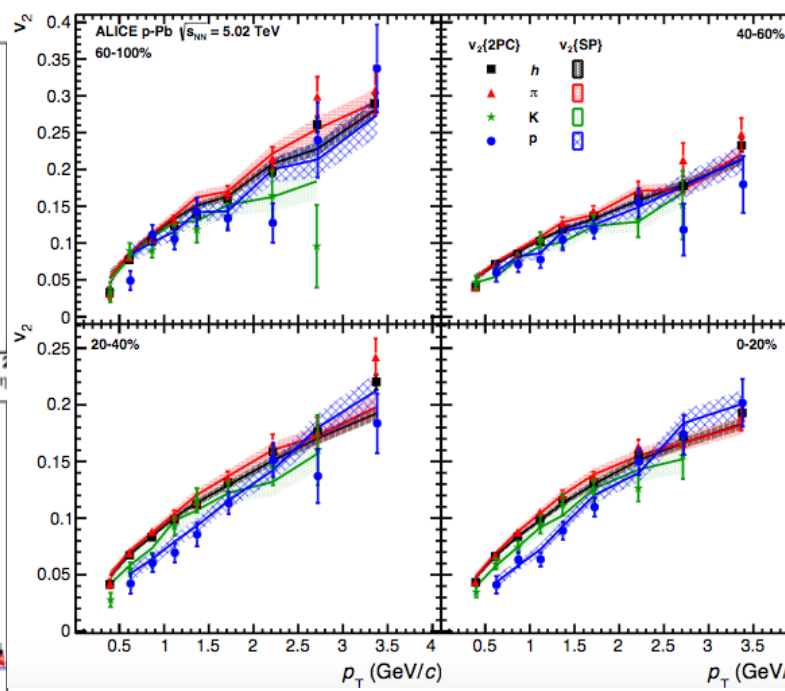
Introduction

The study of particle production in HM events in small collision systems at the LHC has revealed unexpected new collective-like phenomena. For HM pp and p-Pb collisions we have:

- Radial Flow signals
- Long-range angular correlations
- Strangeness enhancement



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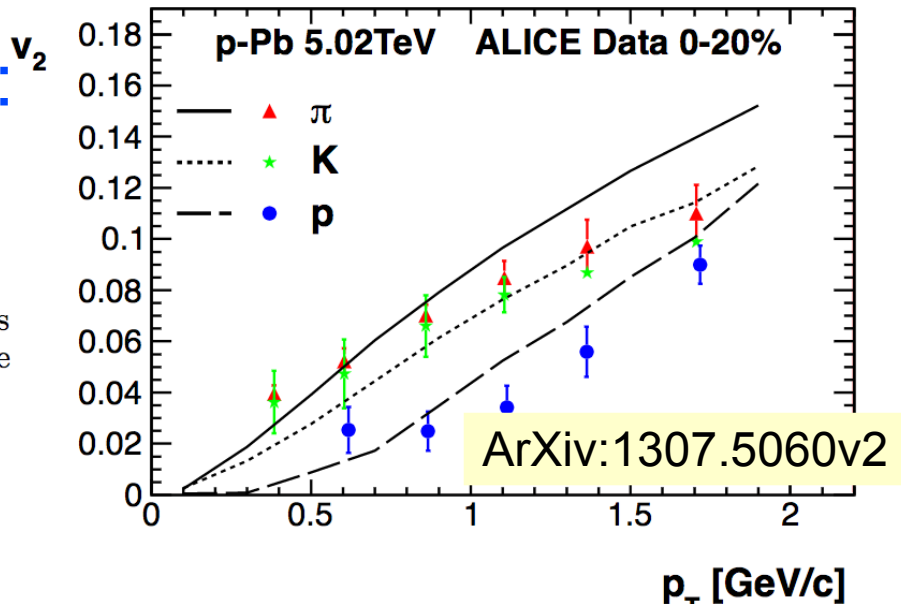


- Understanding the phenomena in pp collisions is crucial for HI physics, Because pp and p-Pb collisions (our "vacuum") is used to extract the QGP effects. However, no jet quenching effects have been found so far in p-Pb collisions, suggesting that other mechanisms could play a role in producing collective-like behaviour in small collision systems

Introduction Some mechanisms:

Hydrodynamic calculations reproduce:

FIG. 4. $v_2\{2\}$ for pions, kaons and protons in p-Pb collisions calculated with the hydrodynamic model, as a function of the transverse momentum. The data come from Ref. [7].



However, it has also been found that, multi-parton interactions (MPI) and color reconnection (CR)

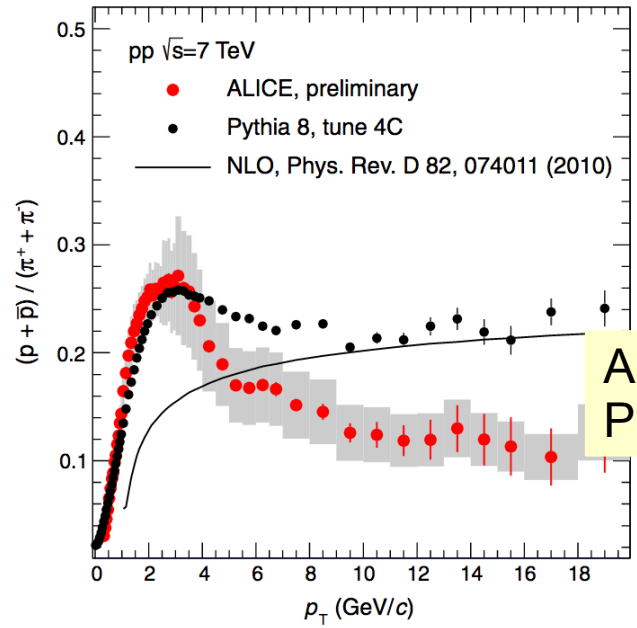


FIG. 1 (color online). Proton to pion ratio from pp collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV. ALICE data are compared to results from PYTHIA 8 tune 4C, as well as next-to-leading order (NLO) QCD calculation [7].

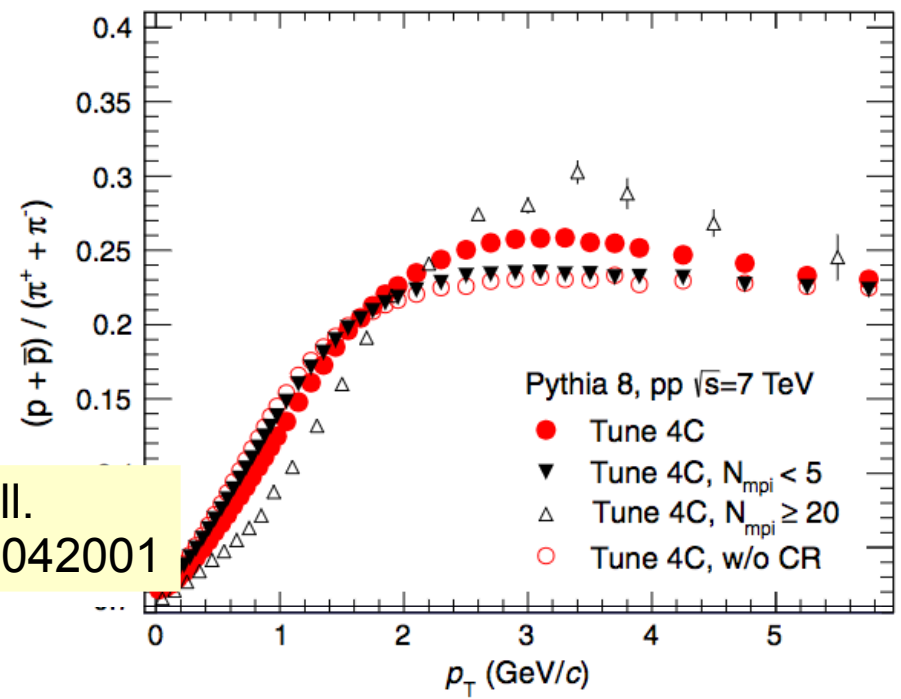


FIG. 3 (color online). Top panel: $(p + \bar{p})/(\pi^+ + \pi^-)$ as a function of p_T in pp collisions simulated with PYTHIA 8 (solid circles), the ratio for events with low (solid triangles) and high (empty triangles) numbers of multiparton interactions are overlaid. Results without color reconnection (RR = 0.0) are also

Introduction Some mechanisms:

Moreover, in color glass condensate, the physics of fluctuating color fields can generate azimuthal multi-particle correlations

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Also, long range angular correlations has been reproduced using the AMPT using the string melting mechanism. Other mechanisms like "color ropes", which are formed by the fusion of color strings close in space, can increase both the strangeness production and the radial flow-like effects

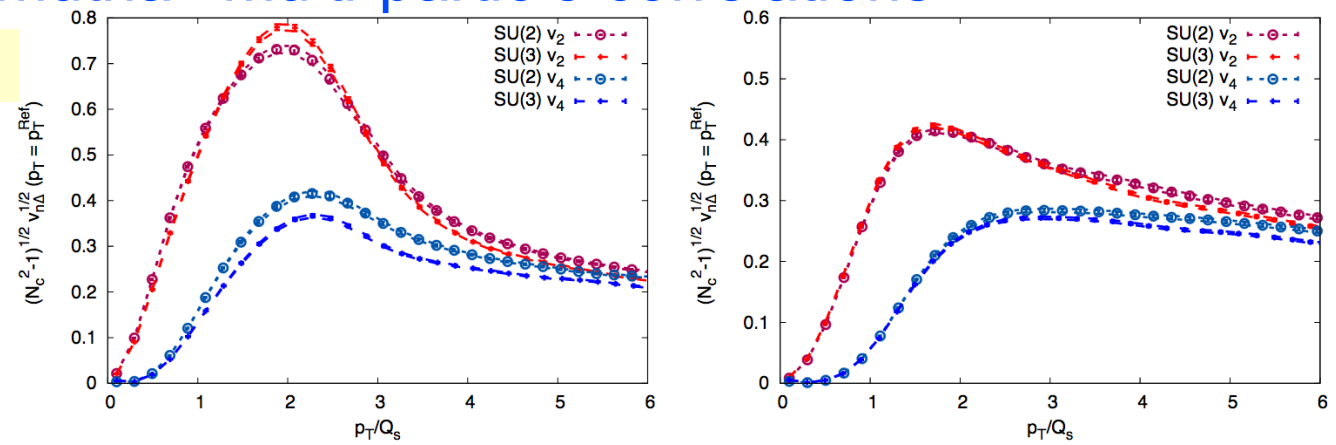
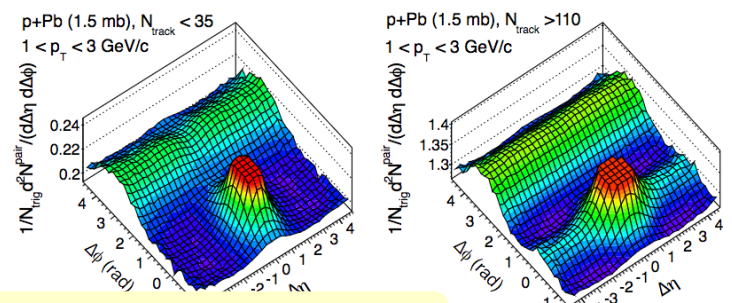
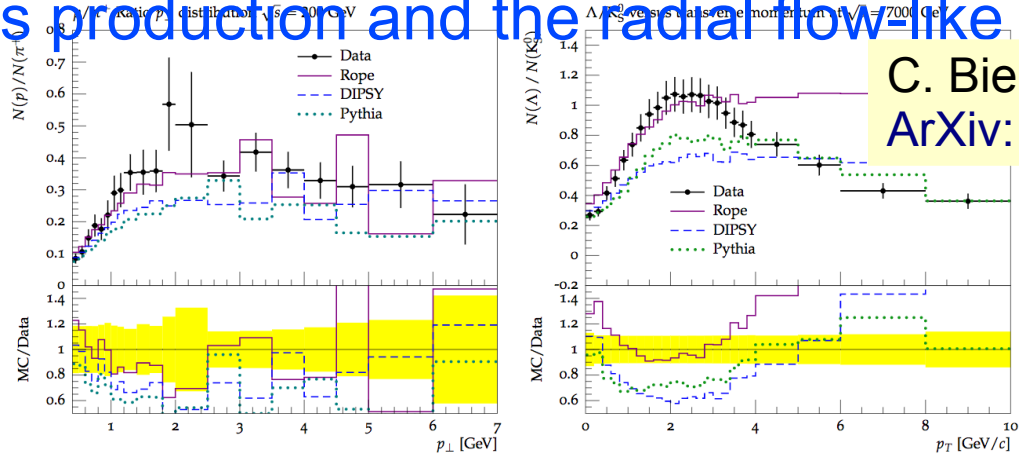


FIG. 5: (Color online) N_c dependence of the azimuthal correlations v_n , scaled by the color factor $\sqrt{N_c^2 - 1}$ for SU(2) and SU(3) gauge theory. The results are computed using the numerical lattice calculation for the MV model (left) and after LMWLK rapidity evolution (right).



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Figure 3: The AMPT two-particle density function in p+Pb collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 5.02$ TeV for low- (left) and high- (right) multiplicity events. The long-range near-side structure in pseudorapidity is clearly visible for high-multiplicity events.



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Figure 8: The proton to pion ratio in bins of p_{\perp} as measured by STAR at $\sqrt{s} = 200$ GeV (left) and Λ/K^0 at 7000 GeV as measured by CMS (right). Both results are compared to DIPSY with and without rope, as well as with PYTHIA8.

What will be shown?

In this work, we study how jets affect the low p_T region ($p_T < 2 \text{ GeV}/c$) of the transverse momentum spectra.

- The event-by-event partonic scatterings are mostly associated with low- p_T interactions, albeit the probability of having a hard scattering increases with the number of MPI. An interplay between soft and hard scatterings mediated by color strings is therefore expected to provide a strong correlation between the radial flow-like patterns and the hard component of the collision.
- On the contrary, in the scenario where the hydrodynamical evolution is the prime mechanism, jets are not expected to strongly modify the radial flow patterns. In the paper we argue that by exploiting such a fundamental difference between both models, one might say whether or not the observed effects are driven by hydrodynamics.
- A systematic study was proposed by analysing the mid-rapidity ($|y| < 1$) inclusive p_T spectra of identified charged hadrons as a function of the mid-pseudorapidity ($|\eta| < 1$) event multiplicity (N_{ch}) and transverse momentum of the leading jet (p_{Tjet}). This using Pythia 8.212 and Epos3.117.

Simulation Setup

Pythia 8.212 Generator

- Monash 2013,
- 900M events

P. Skands, EPJC74 (2014) 8, 3024

EPOS 3.117, Generator

- 1000M events

K. Werner et al., PRC89 (2014) 6, 064903
K. Werner et al., PRC 82 (2010) 044904
H.J. Drescher et al., PR 350 (2001) 93-289

FastJet 3.1.3, Jet Finder

- Anti- k_T Algorithm
- $R=0.4$
- $p_{Tmin} = 5$ GeV
- Maximum p_T of the partonic scatterings 25 GeV

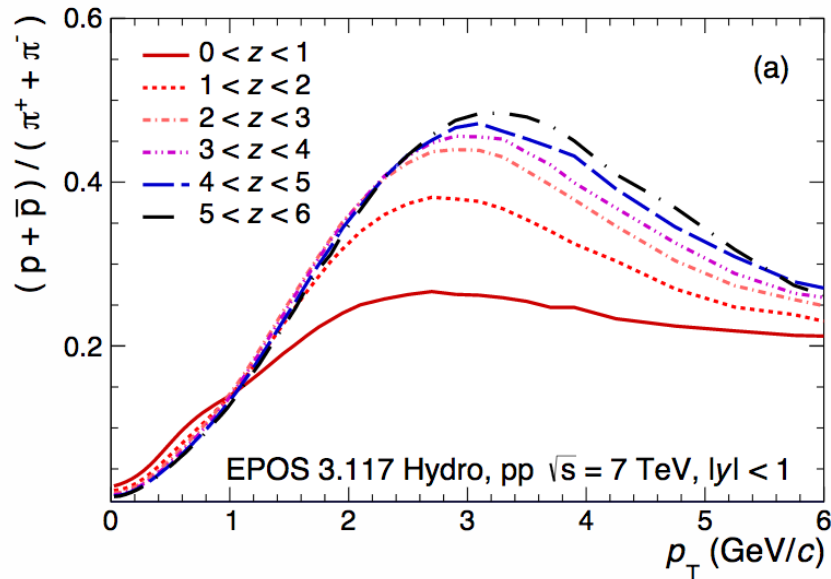
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Stable and primary particles were considered for the jet reconstruction.

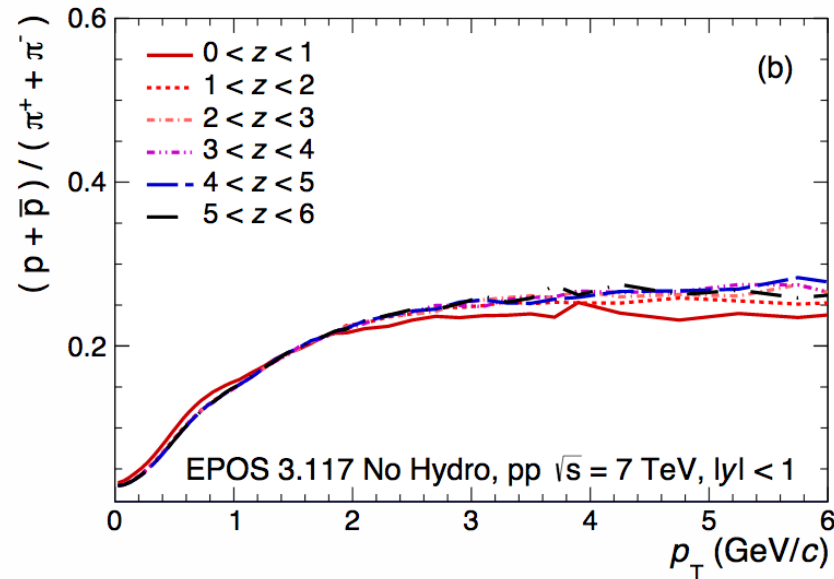
Simulation Setup and Monte Carlo Models

Epos3 and hydrodynamics:

EPOS is a generator of soft and hard events. Its behaviour is based on terms of **string densities**. If energy density from string segments is high enough they fuse into the so-called **“core”** region, which evolves hydrodynamically. On the other hand, the low energy density region forms the **“corona”** which hadronizes using the unmodified string fragmentation. To illustrate the effect of hydrodynamics we show the proton-to-pion ratio as a function of p_T for different multiplicity classes.



(a)



(b)

$$z = \frac{dN_{\text{ch}}/d\eta}{\langle dN_{\text{ch}}/d\eta \rangle}$$

Fig. 1: (Color online) Proton-to-pion ratio as a function of p_T for different multiplicity event classes. Results for pp collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV generated with EPOS 3 are presented. The ratios are displayed for simulations (a) with and (b) without the hydrodynamical evolution of the system.

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Pythia8 and color reconnection

Pythia8 is a full event generator for pp collisions. For inelastic collisions, which is the main interest here, each collision is modelled via one or more parton-parton interactions. The full calculation involves leading-order (LO) pQCD 2->2 matrix elements, complemented with initial and final-state parton radiation, multiple particle interactions, beam remnants and the Lund string fragmentation model.

Pythia8 also has strong final-state parton interactions (implemented through the CR)

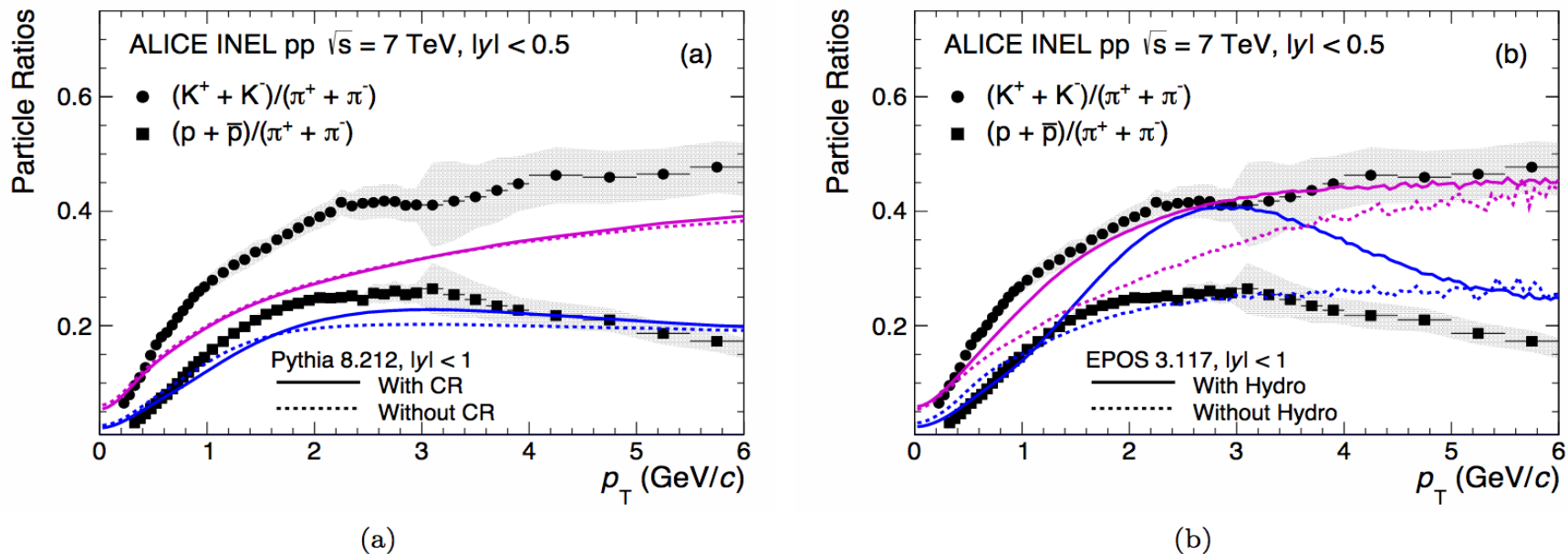


Fig. 2: (Color online) Proton-to-pion ratio as a function of p_T for inelastic pp collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV measured by the ALICE Collaboration [2]. Results are compared to models carried out (a) with PYTHIA 8 and (b) EPOS 3 event generators. Cases with and without the effect of color reconnection and hydrodynamics are plotted as solid and dashed lines, respectively.

Results and discussion

Proton to pion ratio

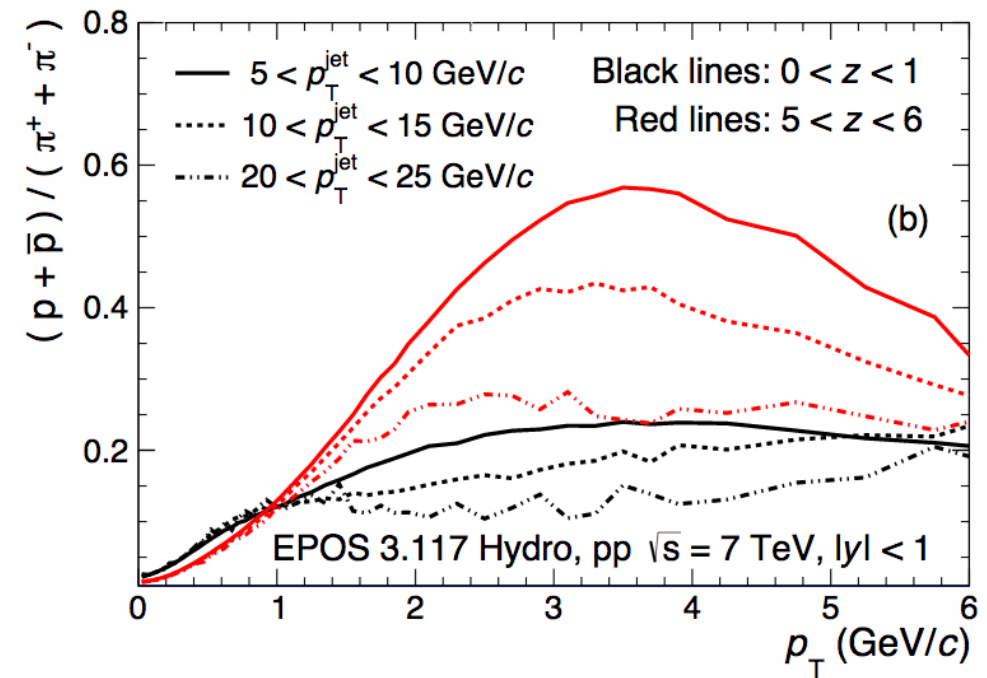
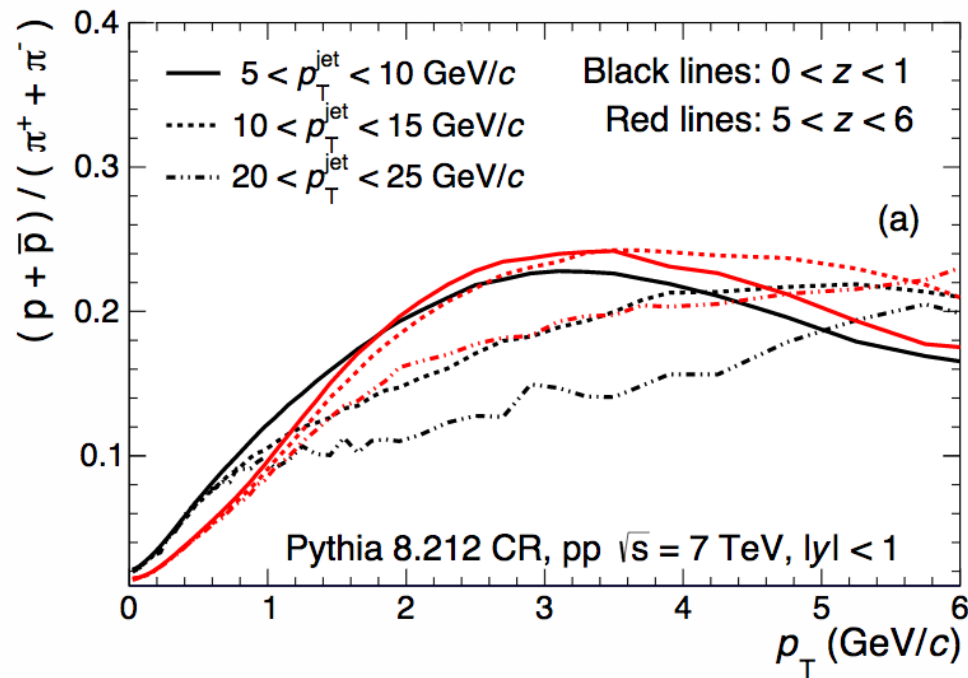


Fig. 4: (Color online) Inclusive proton-to-pion ratio as a function of p_T for two multiplicity classes, $0 < z < 1$ (black lines) and $5 < z < 6$ (red lines); and for different p_T^{jet} intervals. Results are shown for both (a) PYTHIA 8 and (b) EPOS 3.

The results indicate that for $5 < p_T^{\text{jet}} < 10$ GeV/c the ratios exhibit a bump at $p_T = 3$ GeV/c. Whereas, for higher p_T^{jet} the position of the peak is shifted to higher p_T . This observation suggests that the bump is not an exclusive effect of radial flow, but also a feature of the fragmentation. The maximum of the proton-to-pion ratio increases with increasing multiplicity,

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Blast Wave model fits

The blast-wave model describes a locally thermalised medium which experiences a collective expansion with a common velocity field and undergoing an instantaneous common freeze-out

$$\frac{1}{p_T} \frac{dN}{dp_T} \propto \int_0^R r dr m_T I_0 \left(\frac{p_T \sinh \rho}{T_{\text{kin}}} \right) K_1 \left(\frac{m_T \cosh \rho}{T_{\text{kin}}} \right) \quad \rho = \tanh^{-1} \beta_T = \tanh^{-1} \left(\left(\frac{r}{R} \right)^n \beta_s \right)$$

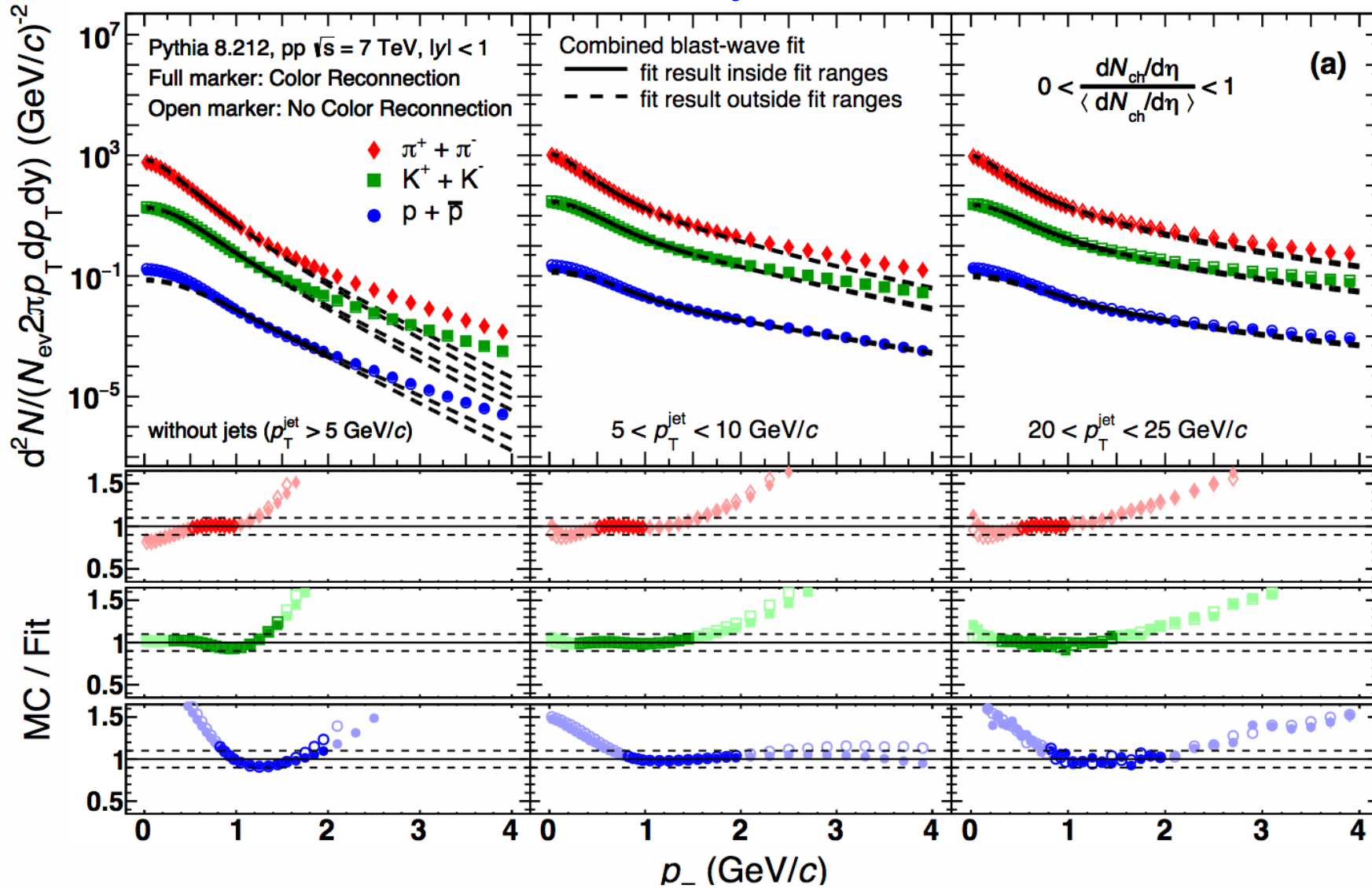
From the simultaneous fit of the blast-wave model to the pT spectra of different particle species we extract two parameters, the temperature at the kinetic freeze-out, (T_{kin}), and the average transverse expansion velocity (β_T). To fit the pT distributions we use:

π	K	p
0.5-1.0	0.3-1.5	0.8-2.0
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p_T ranges (GeV/c)		

For this ranges the spectra is described by the BW fit within 10%

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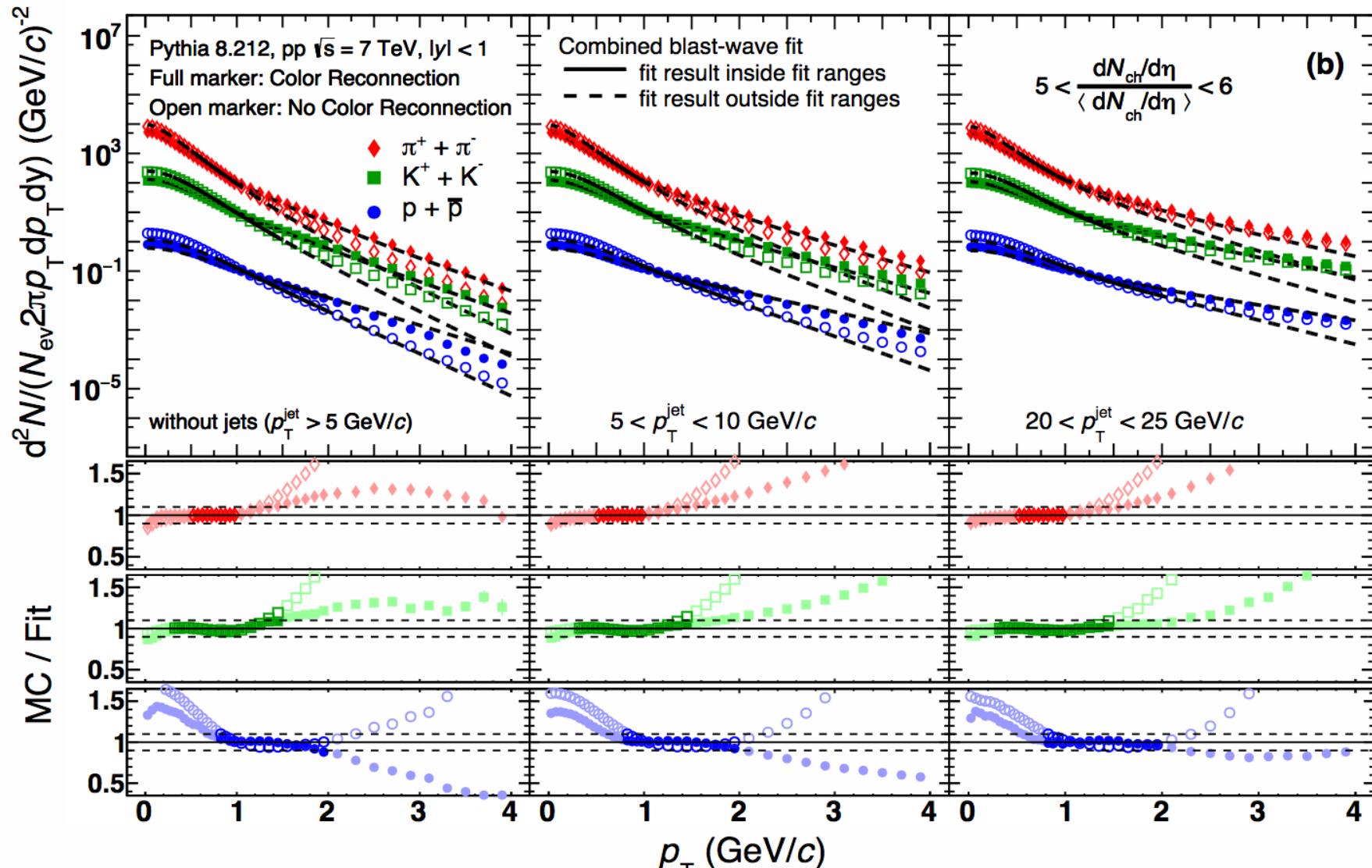
Blast-wave model fits to invariant yield PYTHIA



At low multiplicity where color reconnection effects are negligible, it is possible to find an event class where the radial flow-like patterns pop up. Especially, in events having $p_{Tjet} > 5$ GeV/c the p_T distributions of identified hadrons are better described by the blast-wave model than in those without jets.

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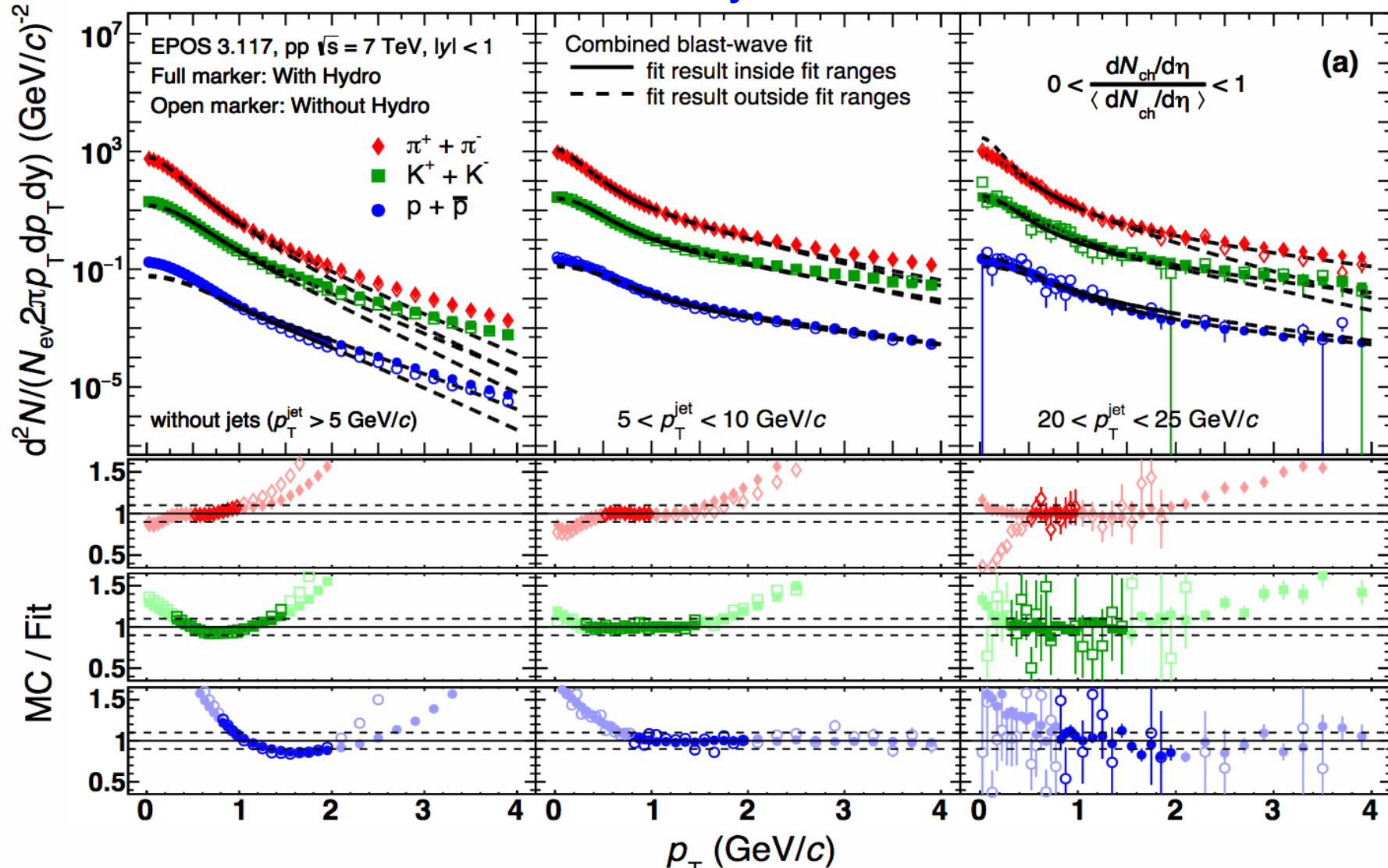
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At high multiplicity, the BW model fails to describe the p_T spectra when CR is not included, this behaviour is also observed even if a jet with $p_{T\text{jet}} > 5$ GeV/c is produced. On the other hand, with CR the agreement between the BW parametrization and the p_T spectra improves with increasing $p_{T\text{jet}}$. This reflects that in Pythia8 the interaction between jets and the underlying event is crucial for generating a collective-like behaviour.

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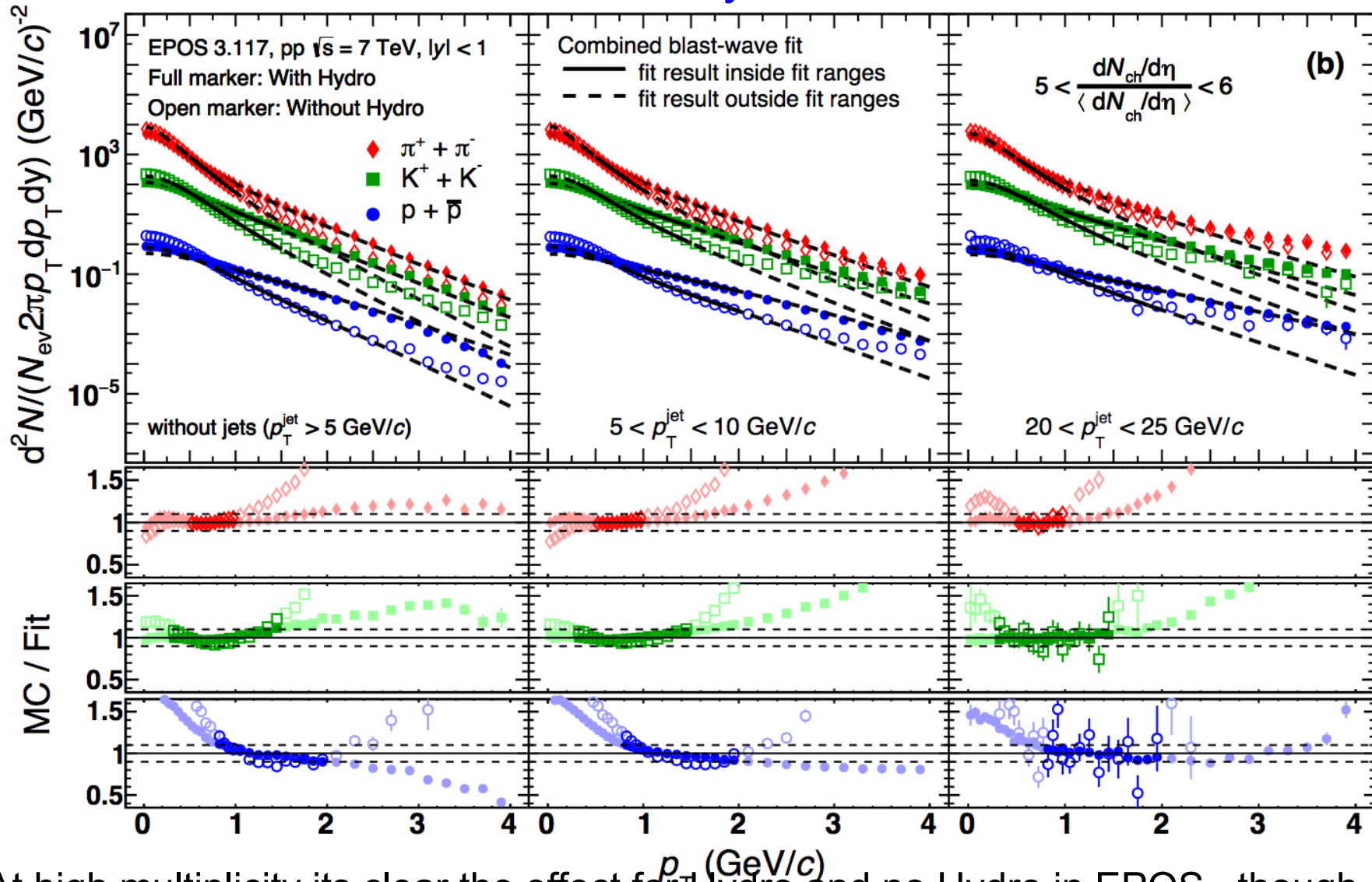
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At low multiplicity no difference when we impose Hydro and no Hydro in EPOS, though the jet contribution to the radial flow patterns is smaller than in Pythia8.

Results and discussion

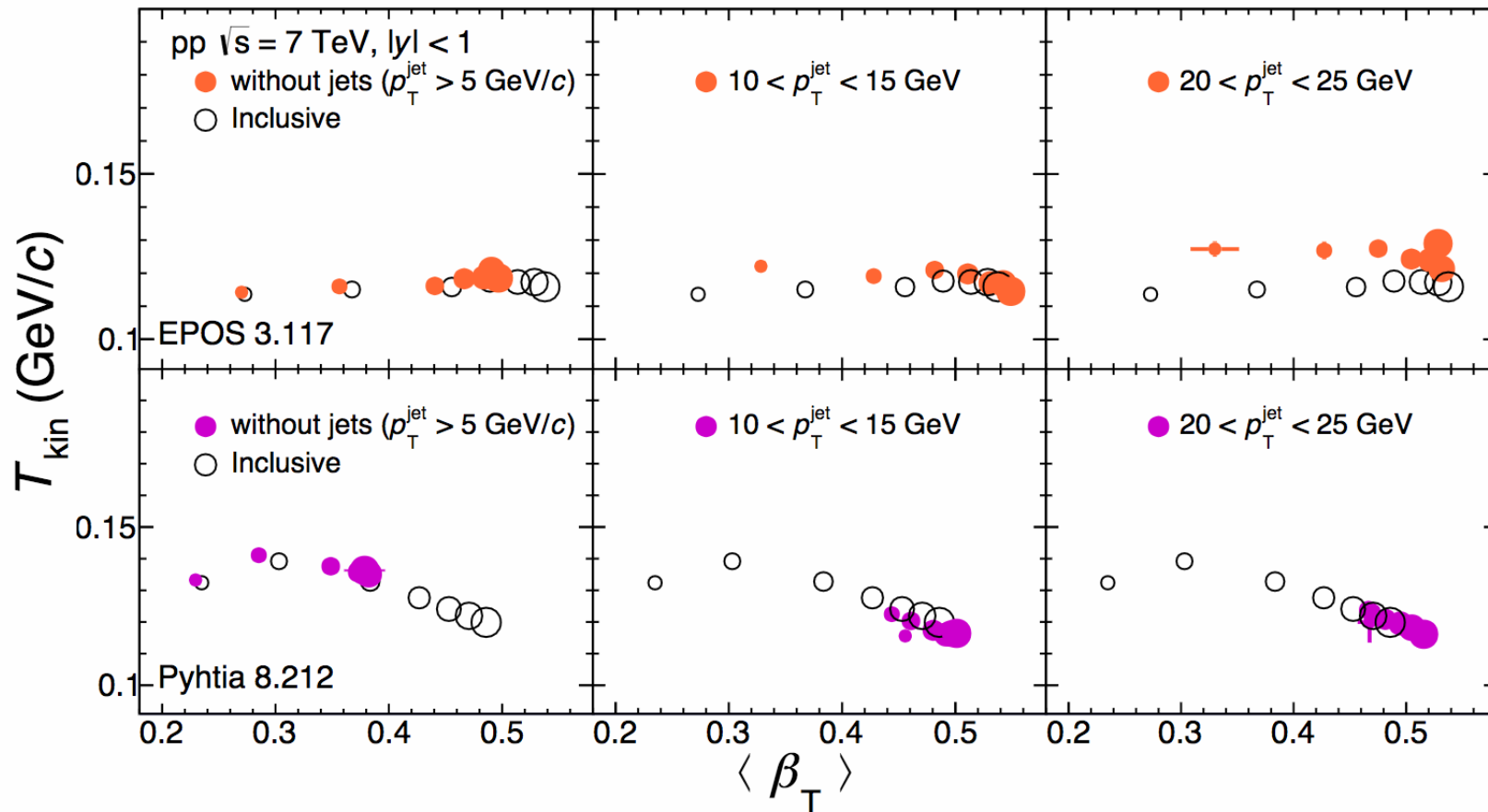
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Blast-wave model parameters EPOS vs PYTHIA



-For events having jets and being in the same multiplicity class (same marker size), $\langle \beta_T \rangle$ increases with respect to the case without any selection on the hardness (inclusive case). By looking at, for example, the case of jets with $20 < p_{Tjet} < 25$ GeV/c and the highest multiplicity class ($5 < z < 6$), the effect is weaker in Epos3 (0.6%) than in Pythia8 (6.8%). This is also illustrated in the larger multiplicity dependence of $\langle \beta_T \rangle$ obtained in Epos3 than in Pythia8.

-For events without jets, the multiplicity dependence of $\langle \beta_T \rangle$ is weaker in Epos3 than in Pythia8. In Pythia8 the $\langle \beta_T \rangle$ reach is much smaller than in Epos3.

Conclusions

- We have studied using Epos3 and Pythia8, exploring an observable which is aimed for ruling out or validating the underlying physics mechanism (hydro or CR) generating radial flow patterns in pp collisions
- In extremely low multiplicity events, where hydrodynamics definitely can not be applied and where color reconnection effects are small, we observe a flow-like peak in the proton-to-pion ratio. The analysis of the spectral shapes using the BW model gives a better description of the pT spectra when a jet ($p_{Tjet} > 5 \text{ GeV}/c$) is produced within the acceptance. This tells us that the so-called flow peak is not an exclusive feature of QGP, because it pops up even in hard events.
- For high-multiplicity events, the particle composition is very different in Pythia8 and Epos3. In Epos3 the size of the proton-to-pion peak increases with decreasing p_{Tjet} and its maximum always stays at around $p_T = 3 \text{ GeV}/c$. On the contrary, in Pythia8 the size of the peak does not change with p_{Tjet} , instead the position of the maximum is shifted to higher pT.
- The multiplicity dependence of the average transverse expansion velocity is found to be more affected by jets in Pythia8 than in Epos3