

Quantifying the Underlying Event in High-energy pp collisions from RHIC to LHC

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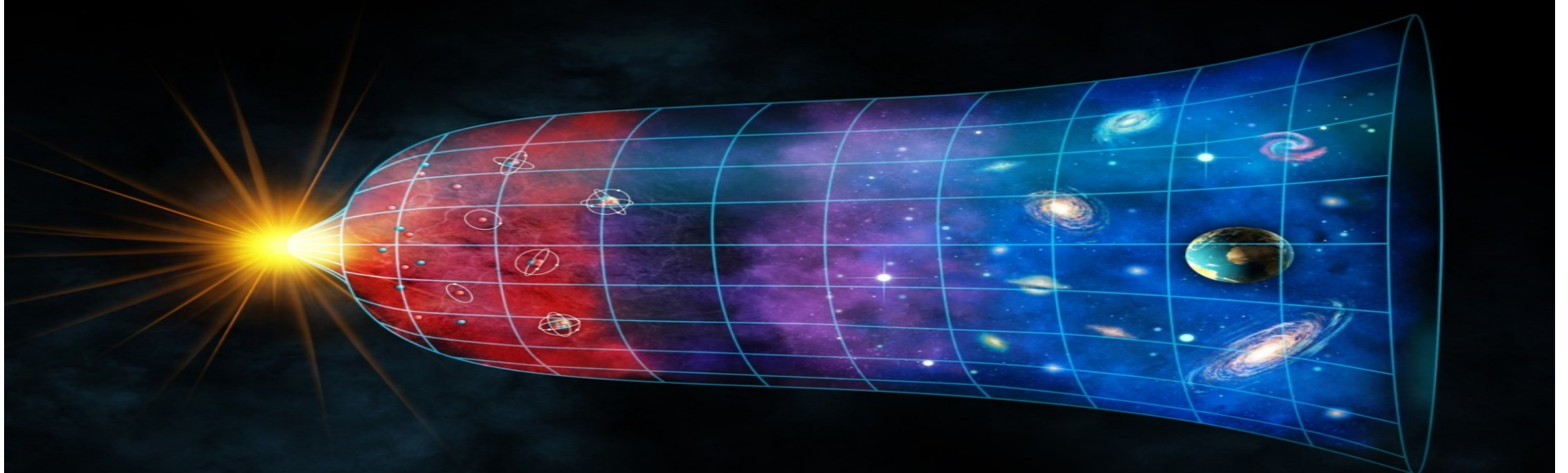
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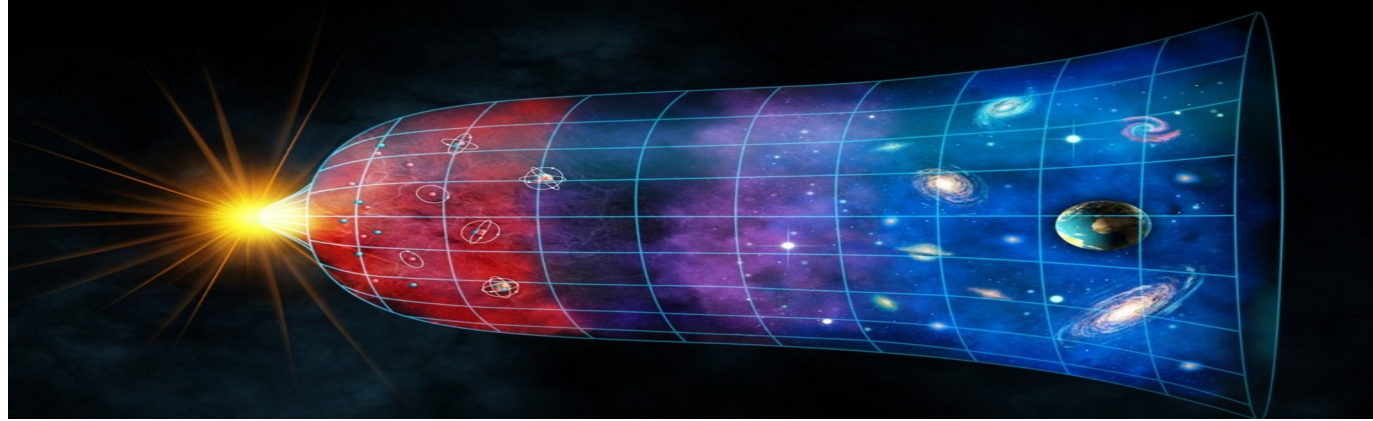
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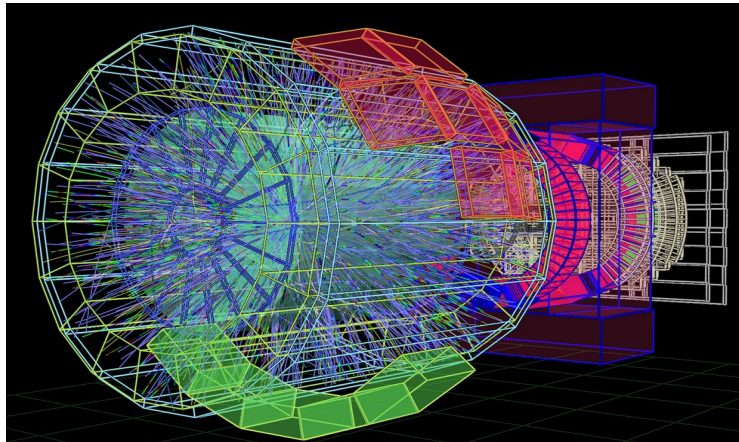


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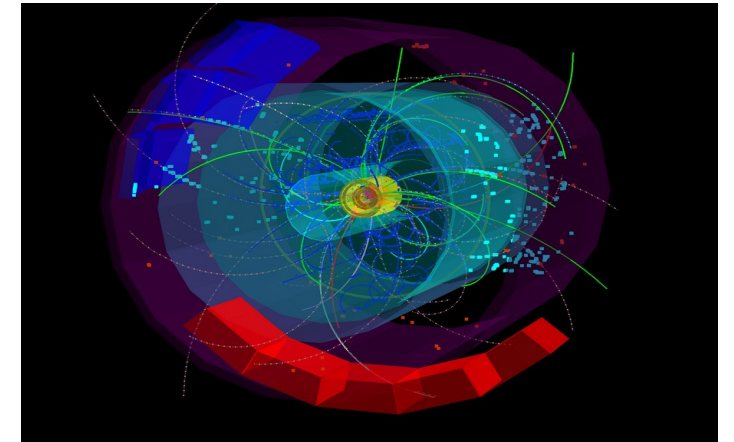
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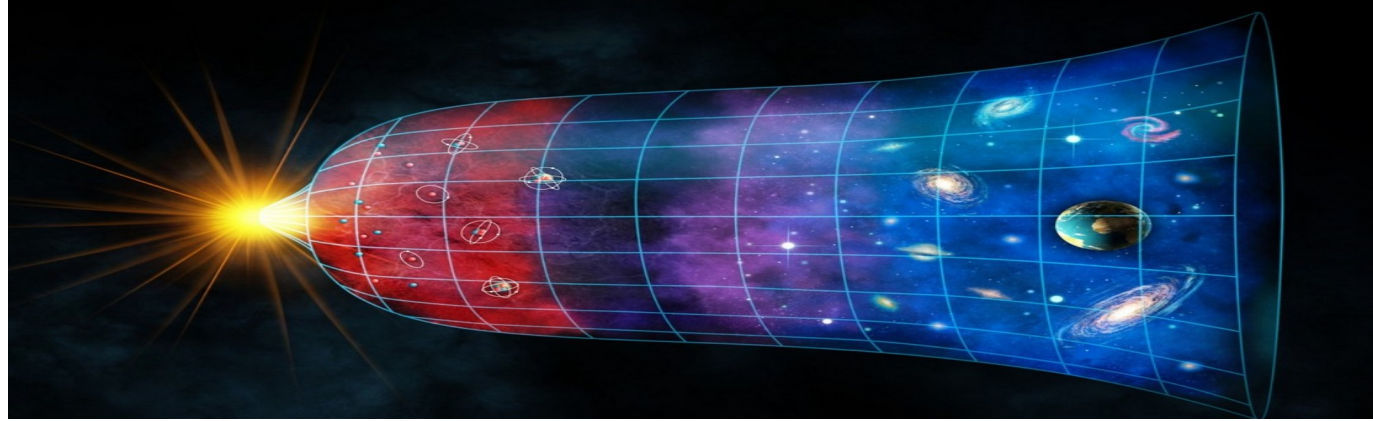


C) Abstain (now)

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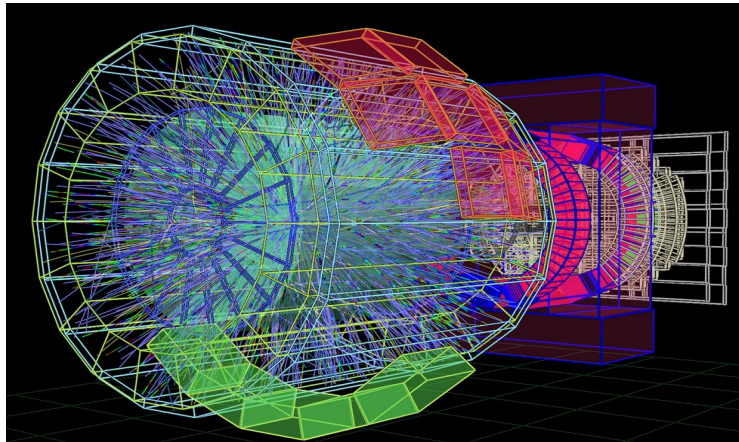


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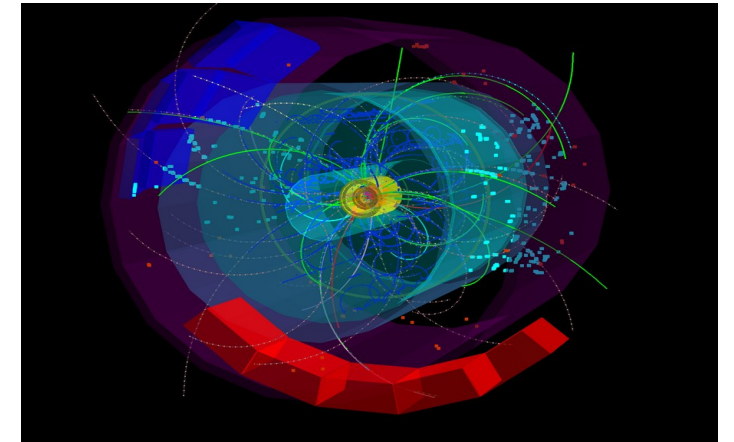
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Outline

1) Earlier studies

- What is UE? Why is this important for in HEP?
→ theory, experiment, measures

2) New developments on UE

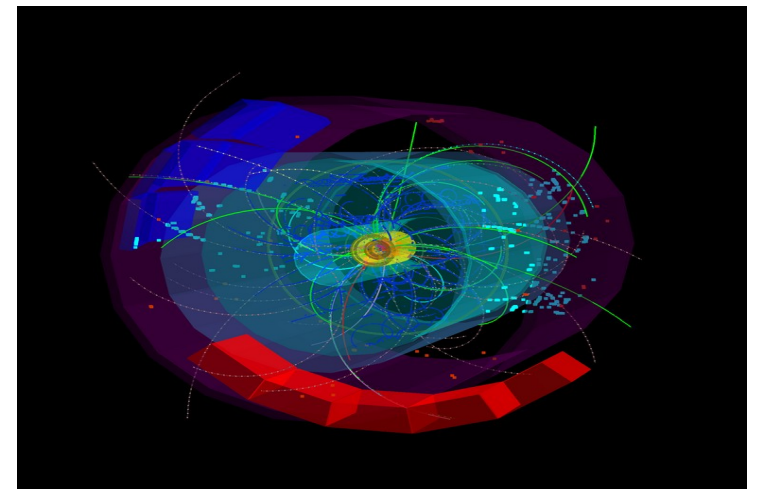
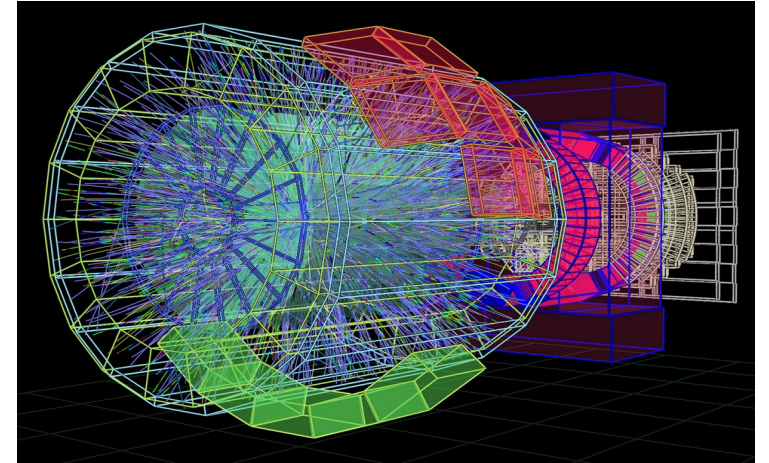
- Angular properties measures
→ multiplicity, p_T spectra, parameter derivatives
→ Tsallis thermometer

3) Comparison to event shape variable

- Sphericity measures and cross check

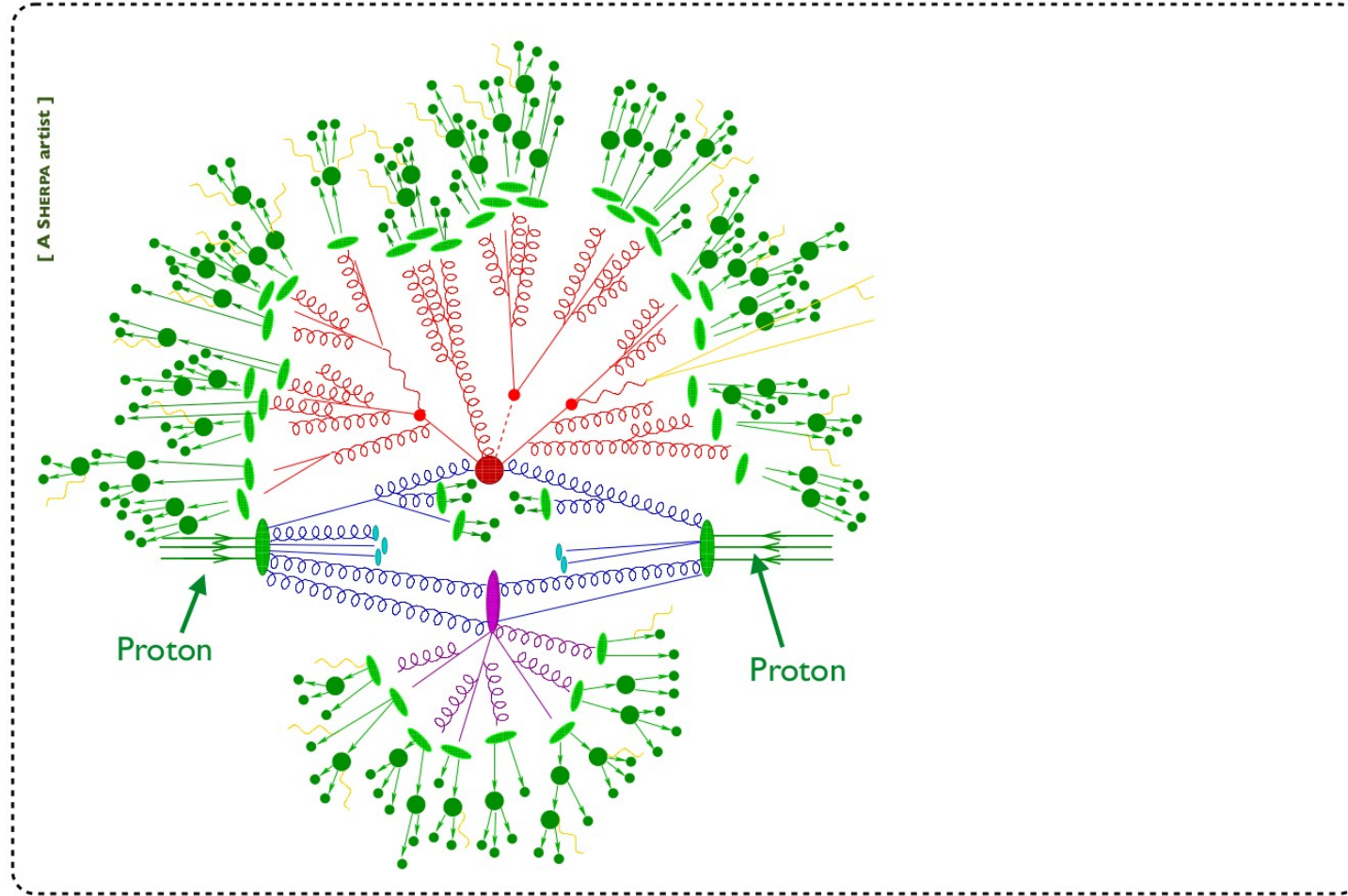
4) Collision energy dependence

→ Can we quantify the UE definition?

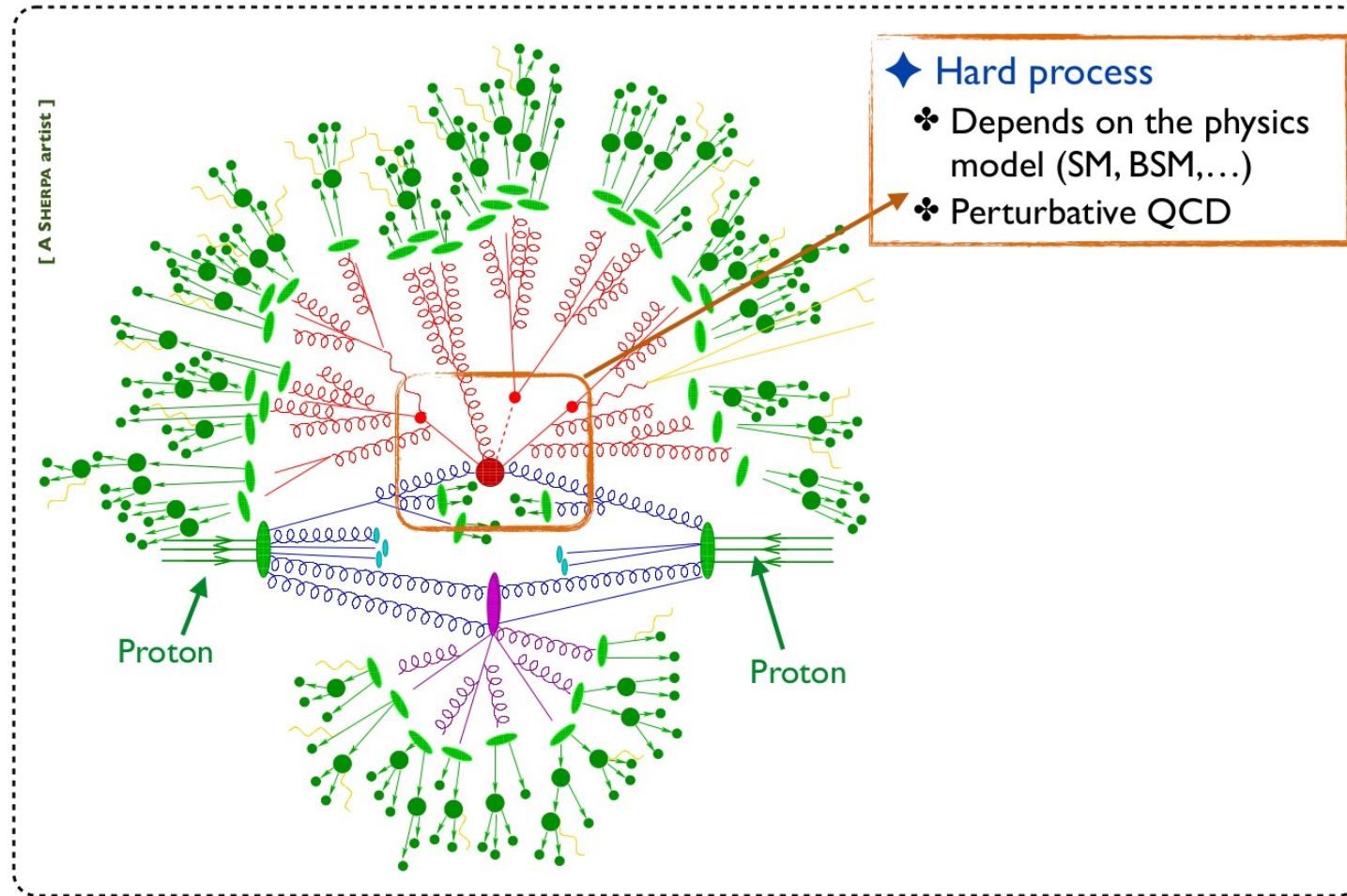


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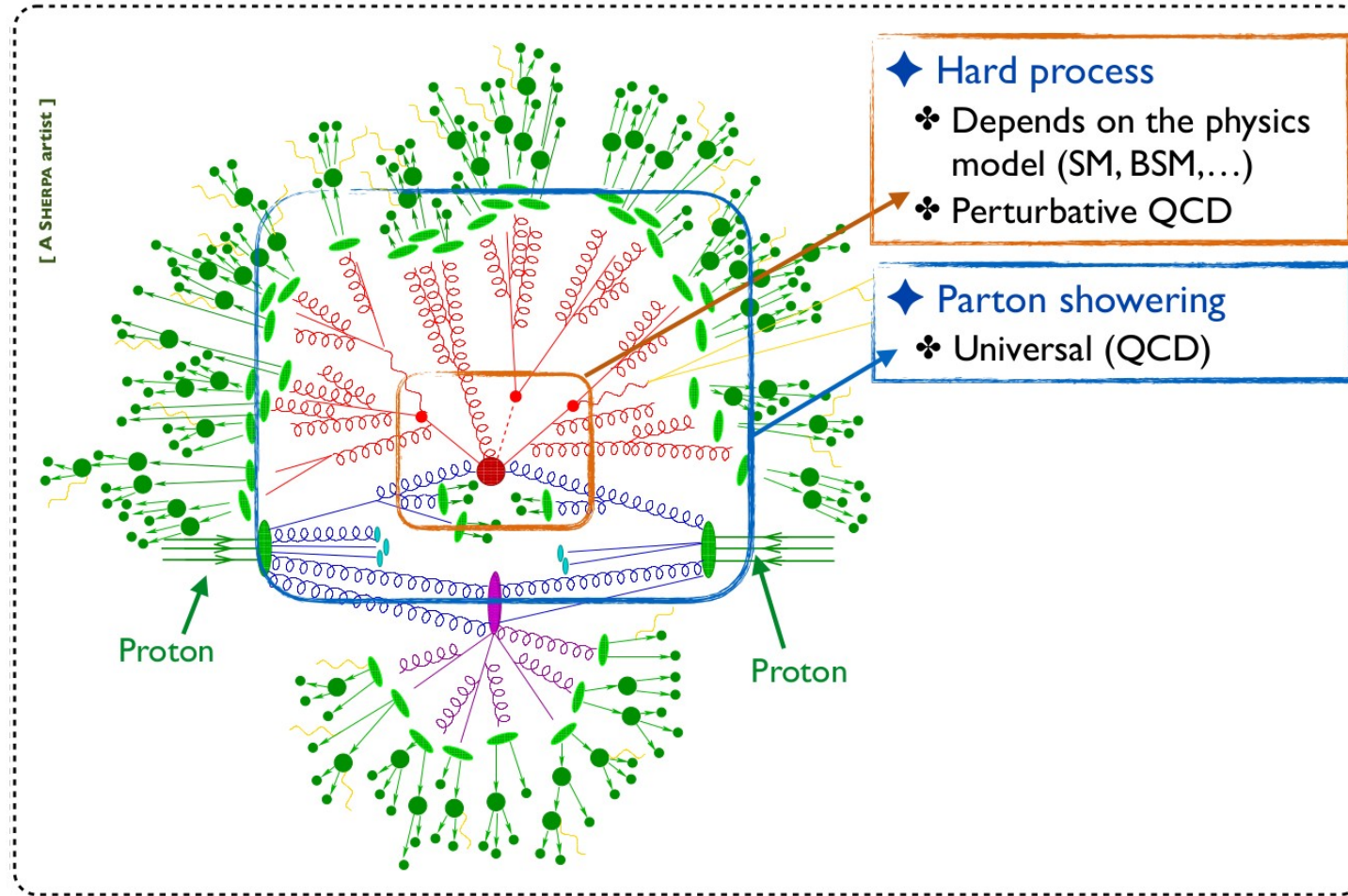
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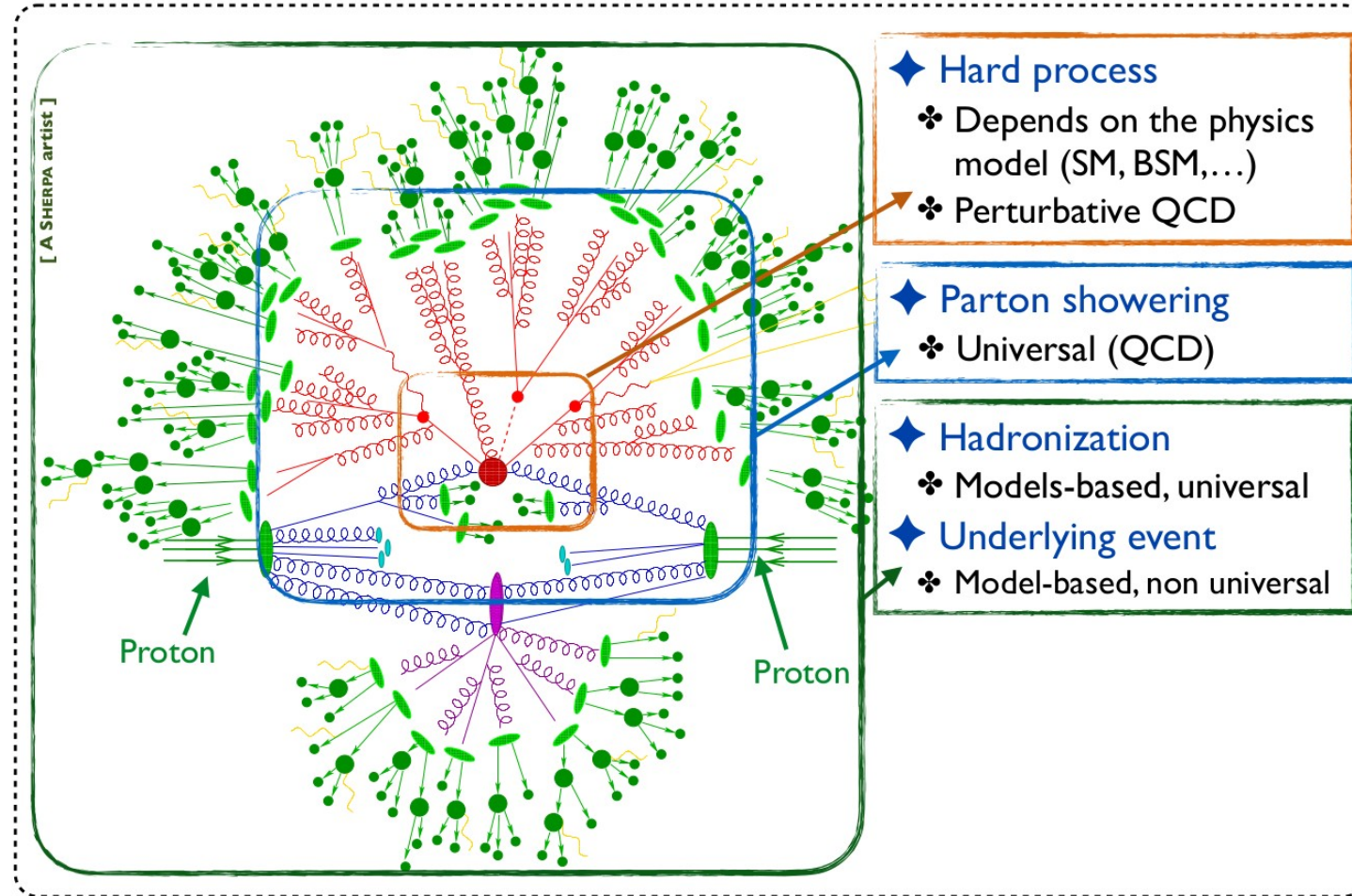
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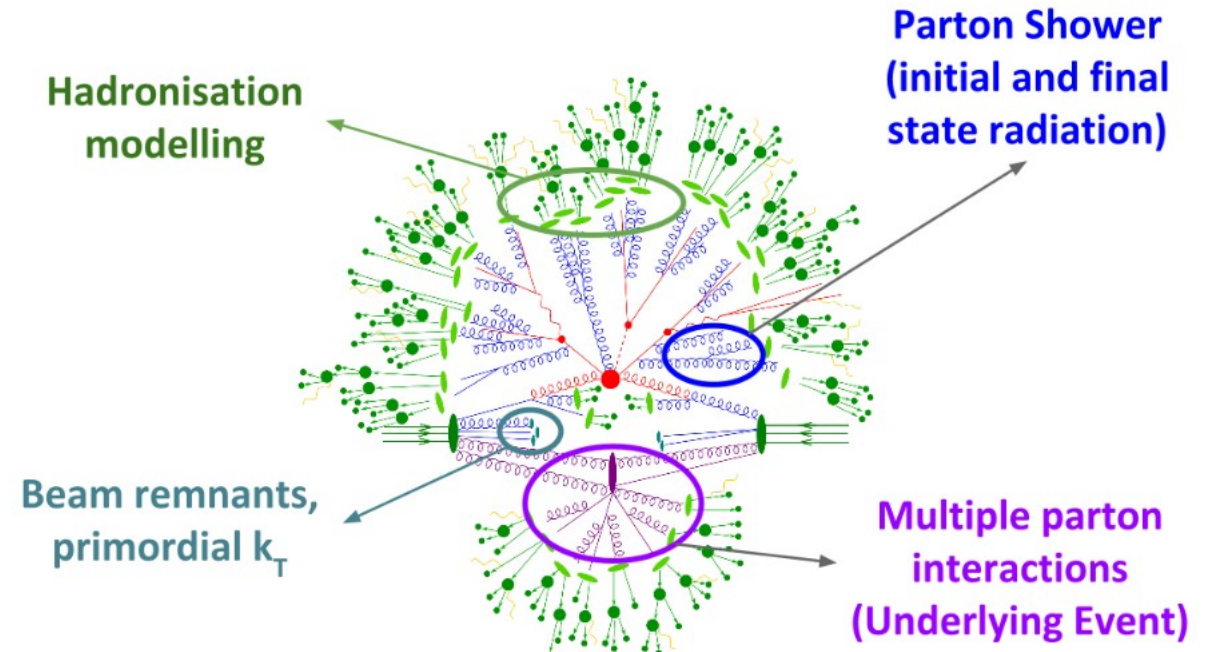


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 - Color Reconnection (CR)
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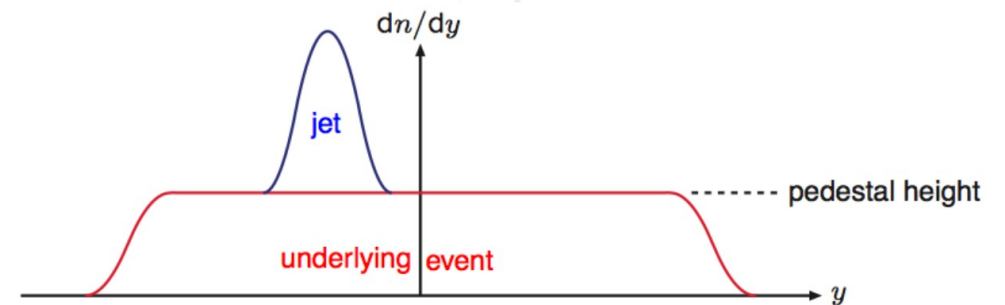
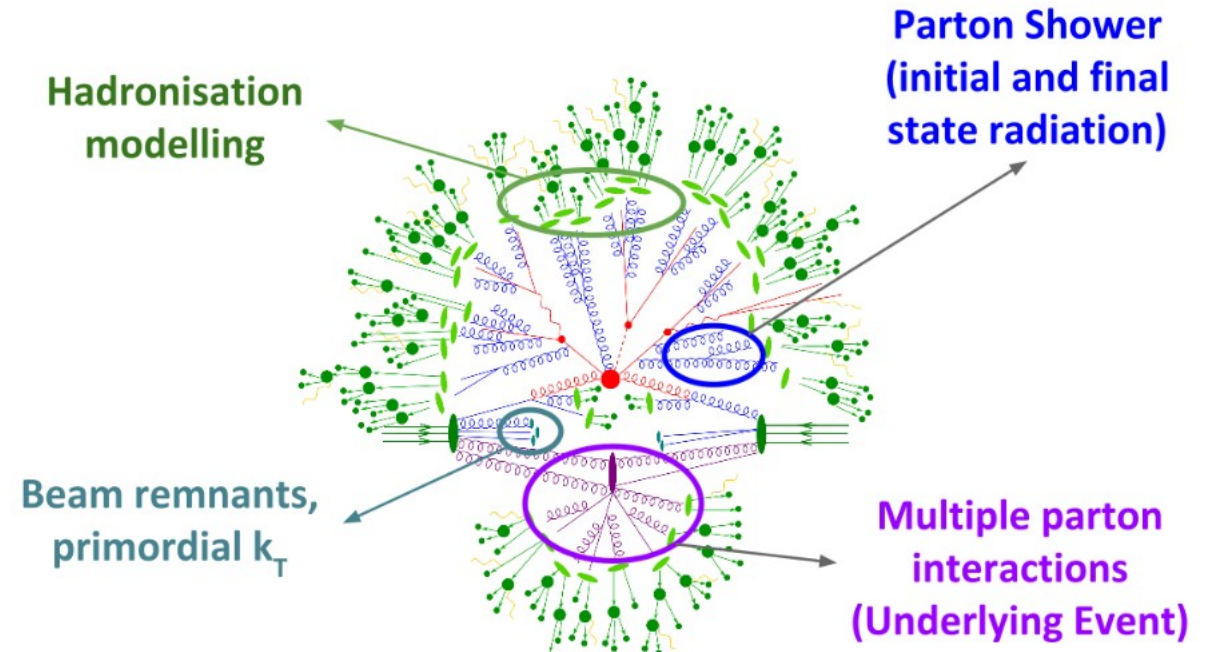
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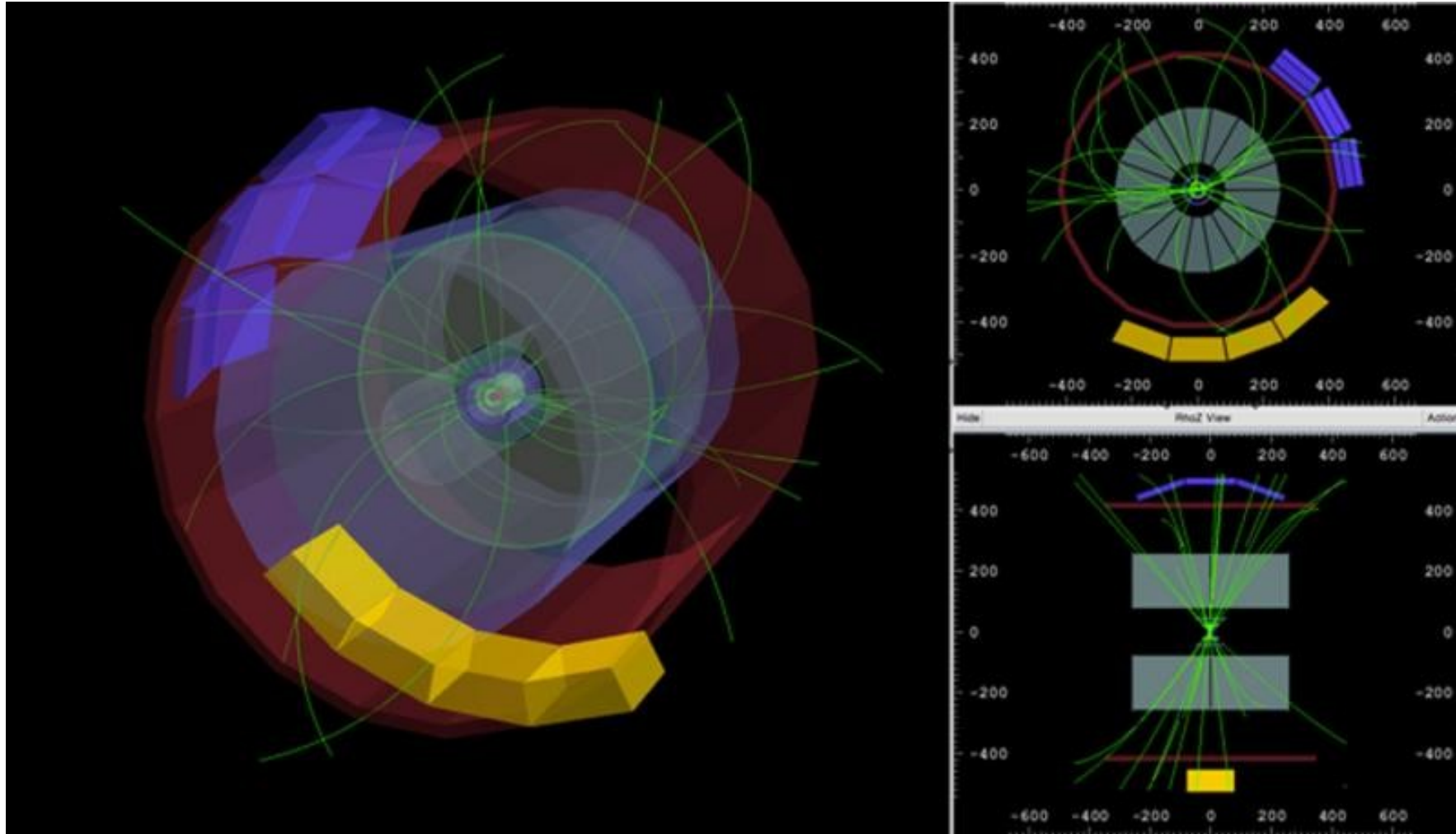
- **Experimental point**

- Pedestal-like effects
 - Activity in the event over MB
 - Beam remnants (pile up)
 - Trigger bias (jet criterion)

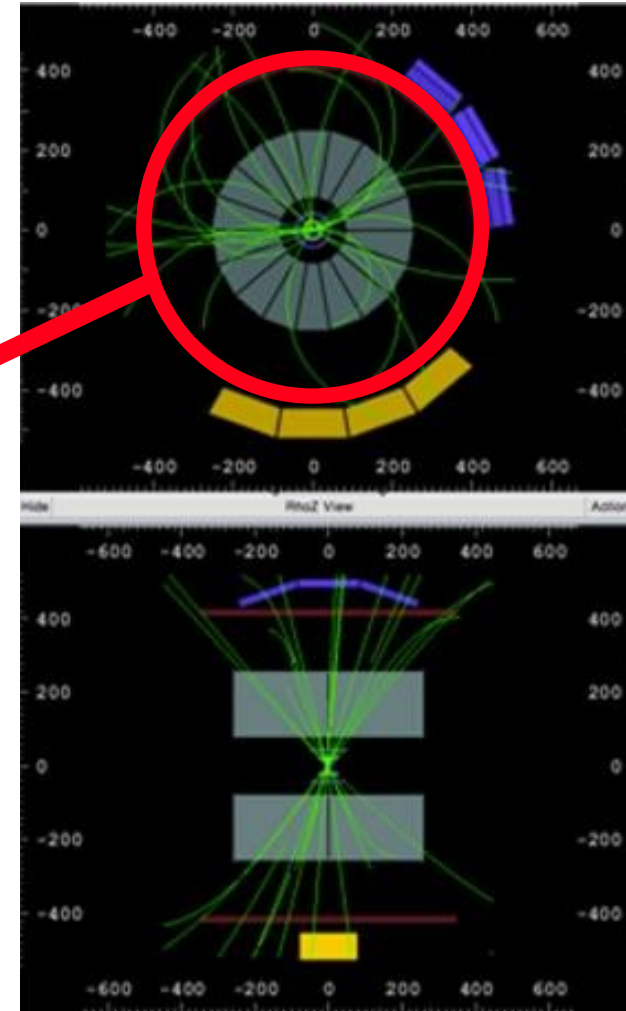
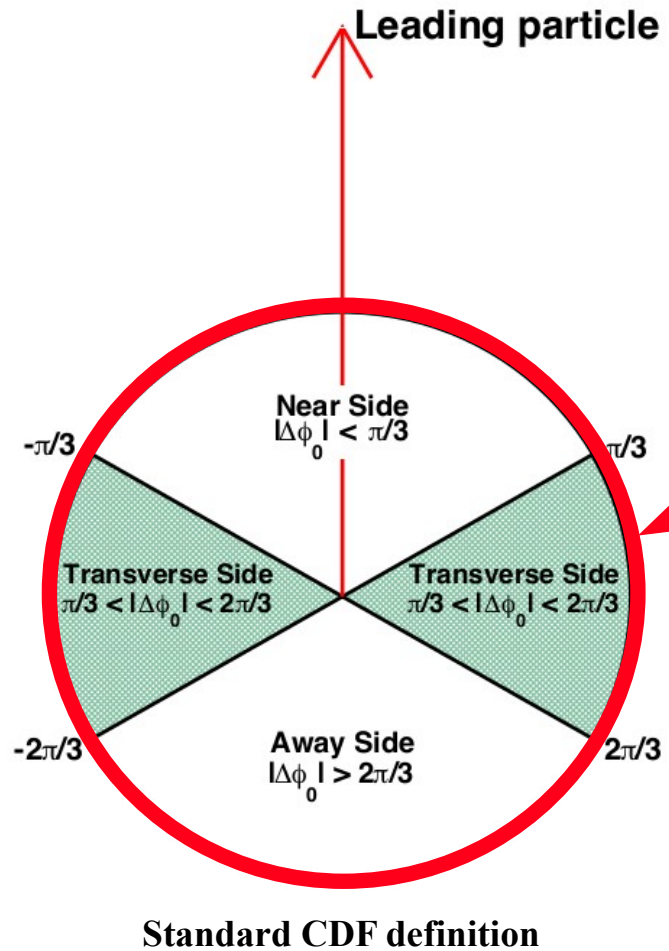


Earlier studies, motivation

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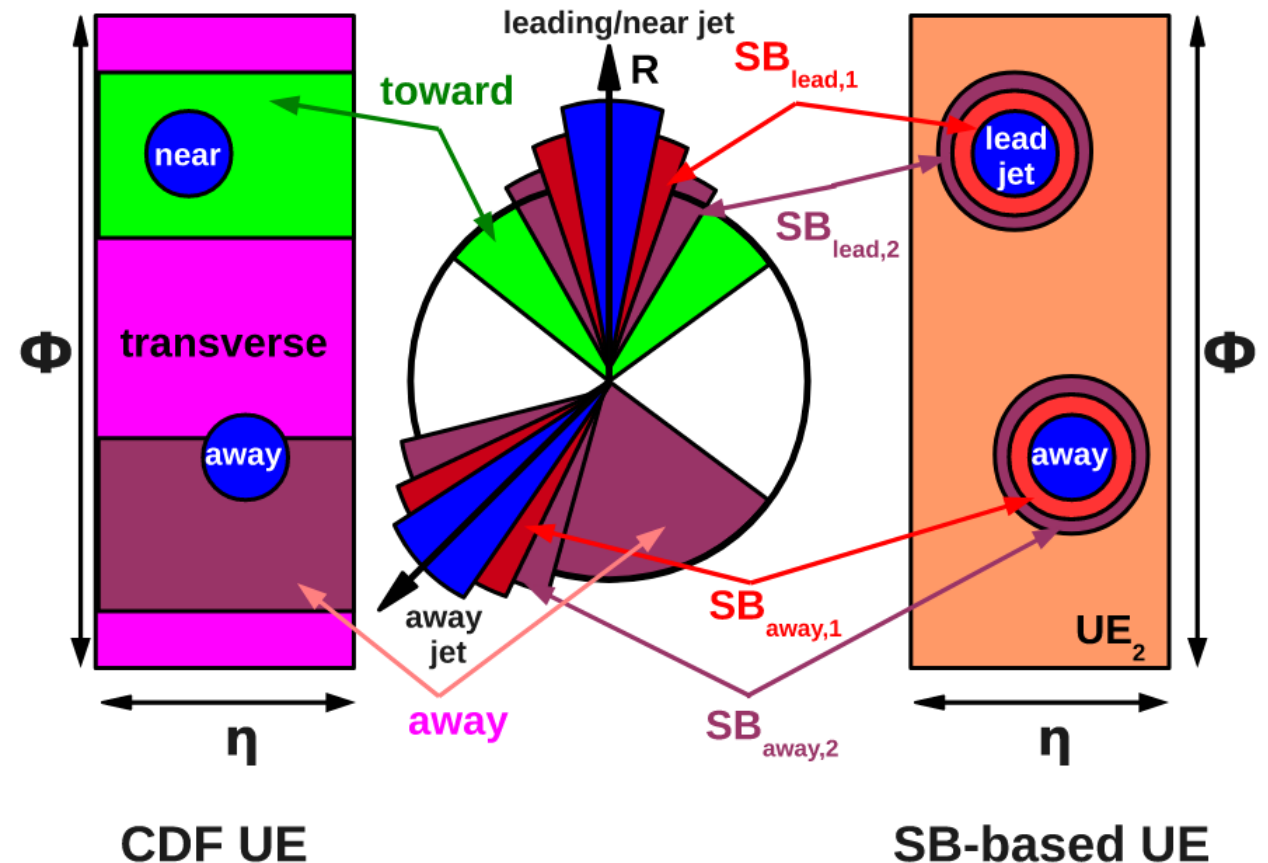
How to separate jet & UE?

- **Jet finding & elimination:**

- Surrounding Band (SB method), Find a jet, THEN define SBs
- IF SB_1 and SB_2 are equal, THEN eliminate the jet
 - expensive (high statistics)
 - sensitive to cuts

- **Correlation & background**

- Traditional method by CDF
 - brute force
 - geometry info only



See: BGG et al: J.Phys.Conf.Ser. 270 (2011)

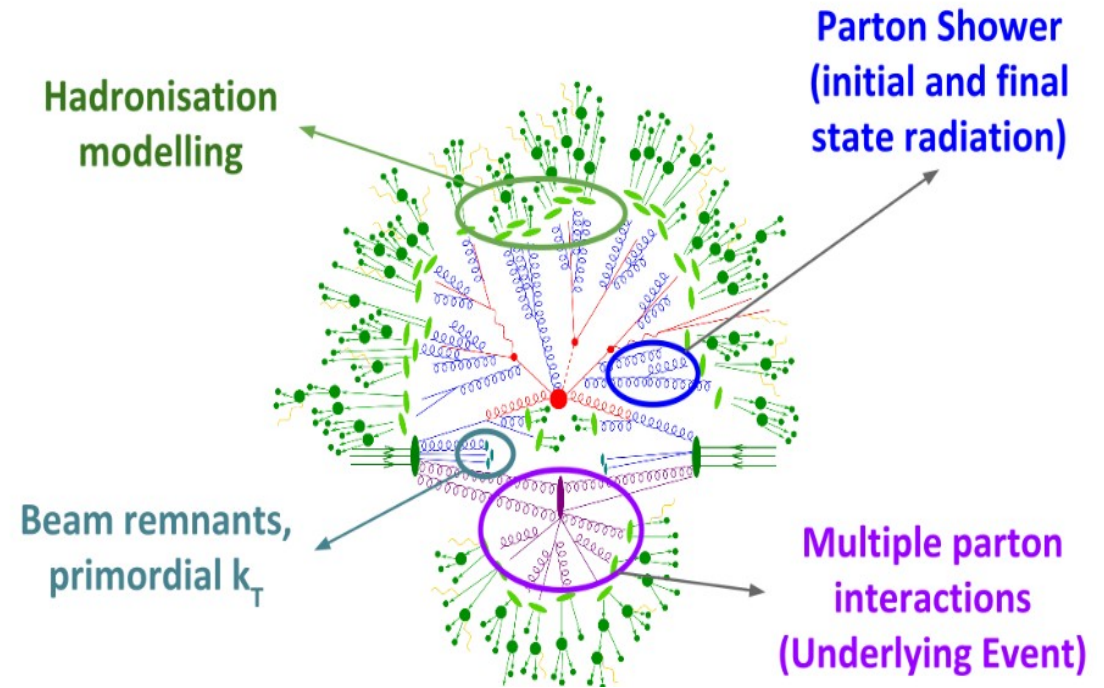
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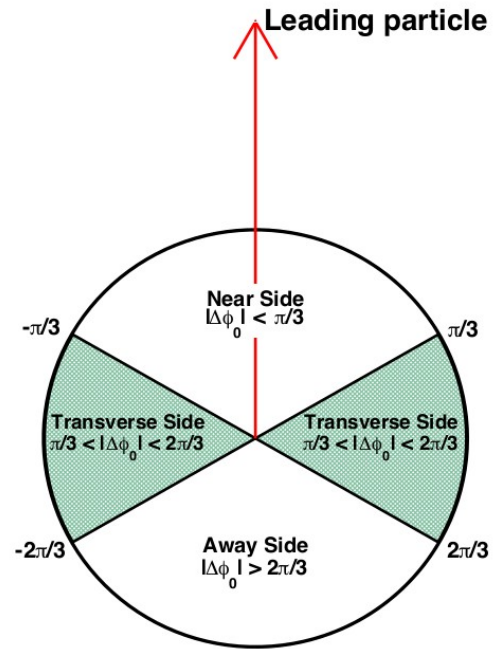
New development to understand UE

The simulated data

- **PYTHIA_v8240 Monash 2013 tune**
 - 1 billion non-diffractive collisions of pp
 - C.m. energy: $\sqrt{s} = 13$ TeV
 - Includes $2 \rightarrow 2$ hard scattering process, followed by initial and final state parton showering, multiparton interactions, and the final hadronization process.
 - The events having at least three primary charged particle with transverse
 - Min. momentum: $p_T > 0.15$ GeV/c
 - Pseudorapidity: $|\eta| < 0.8$
 - UE: Color Reconnection (CR, Multiple Parton Interaction (MPI)

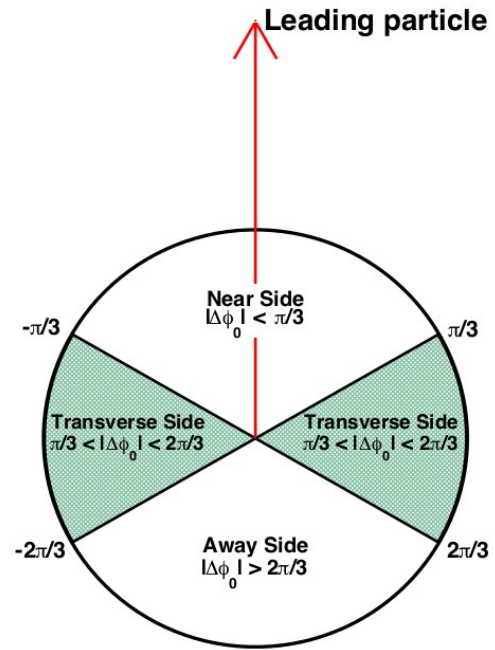


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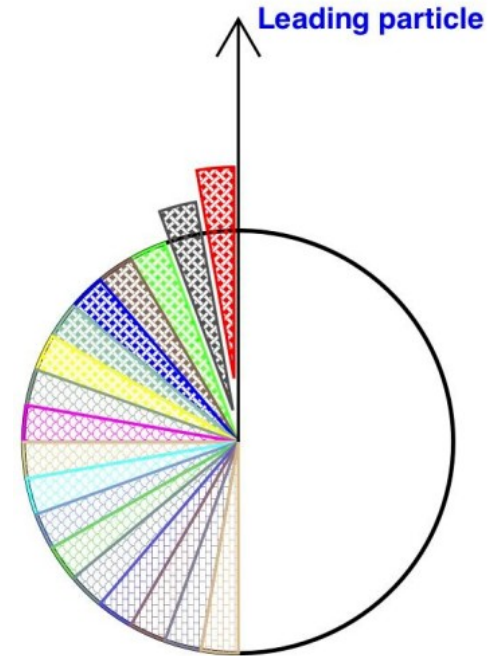


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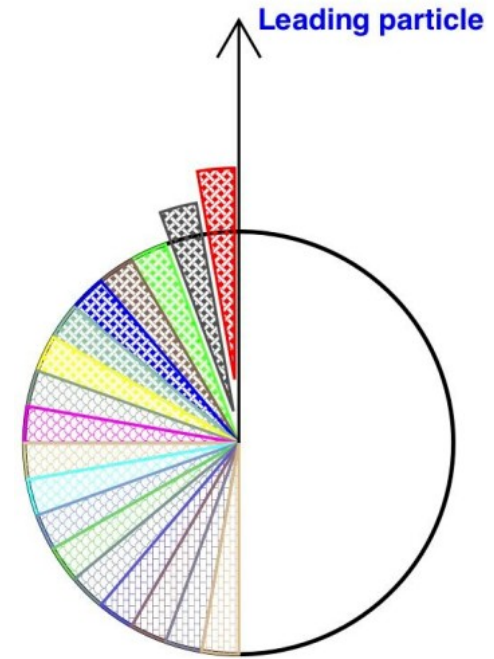


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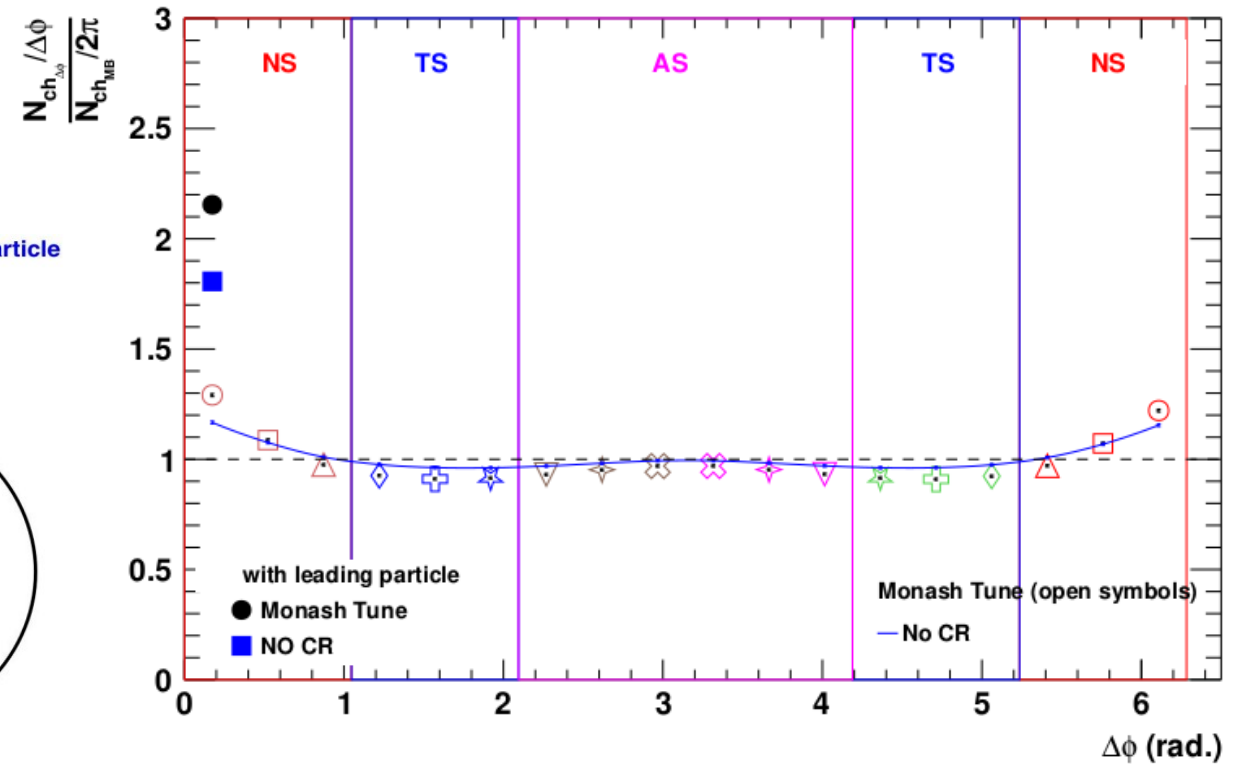
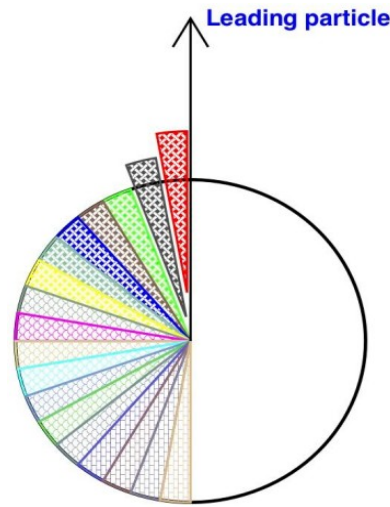
- We make slices of the $\Delta\phi$ of size 20° . In this case, the results for the first bin 0 to 20° . are reported in two ways: including and excluding the leading particle in the result. Case II is a tool for exploring the geometrical structure of the Underlying Event.



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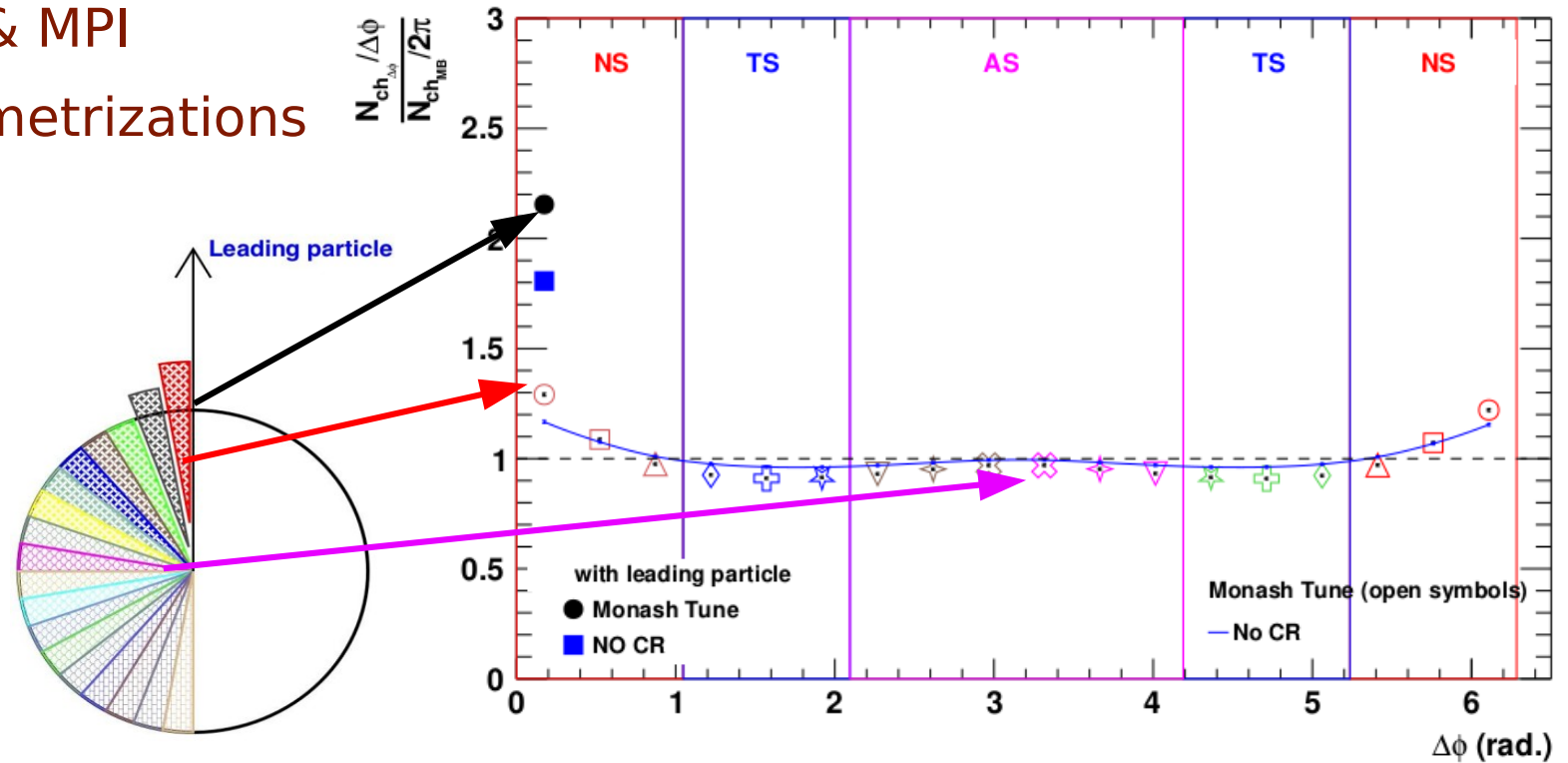
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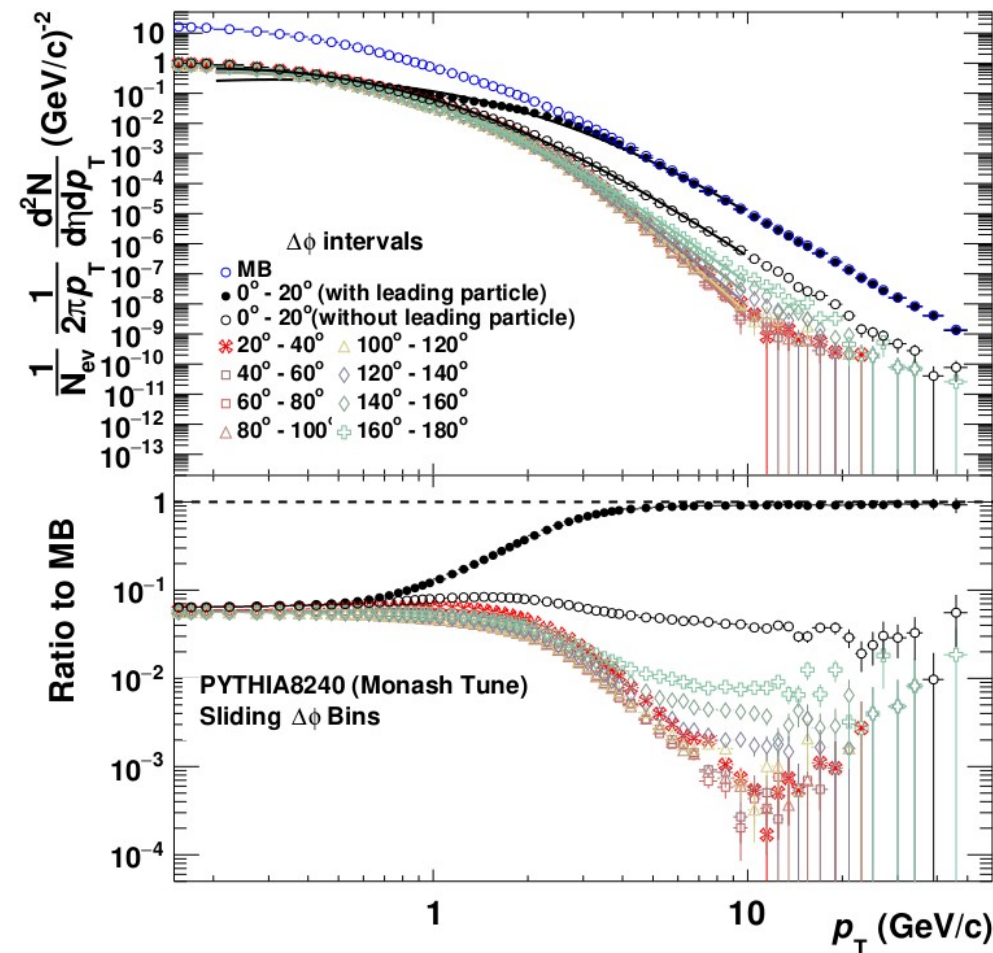
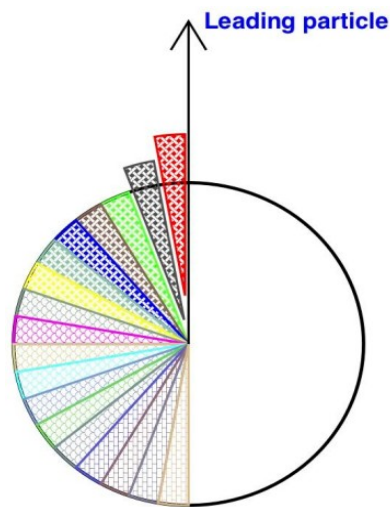
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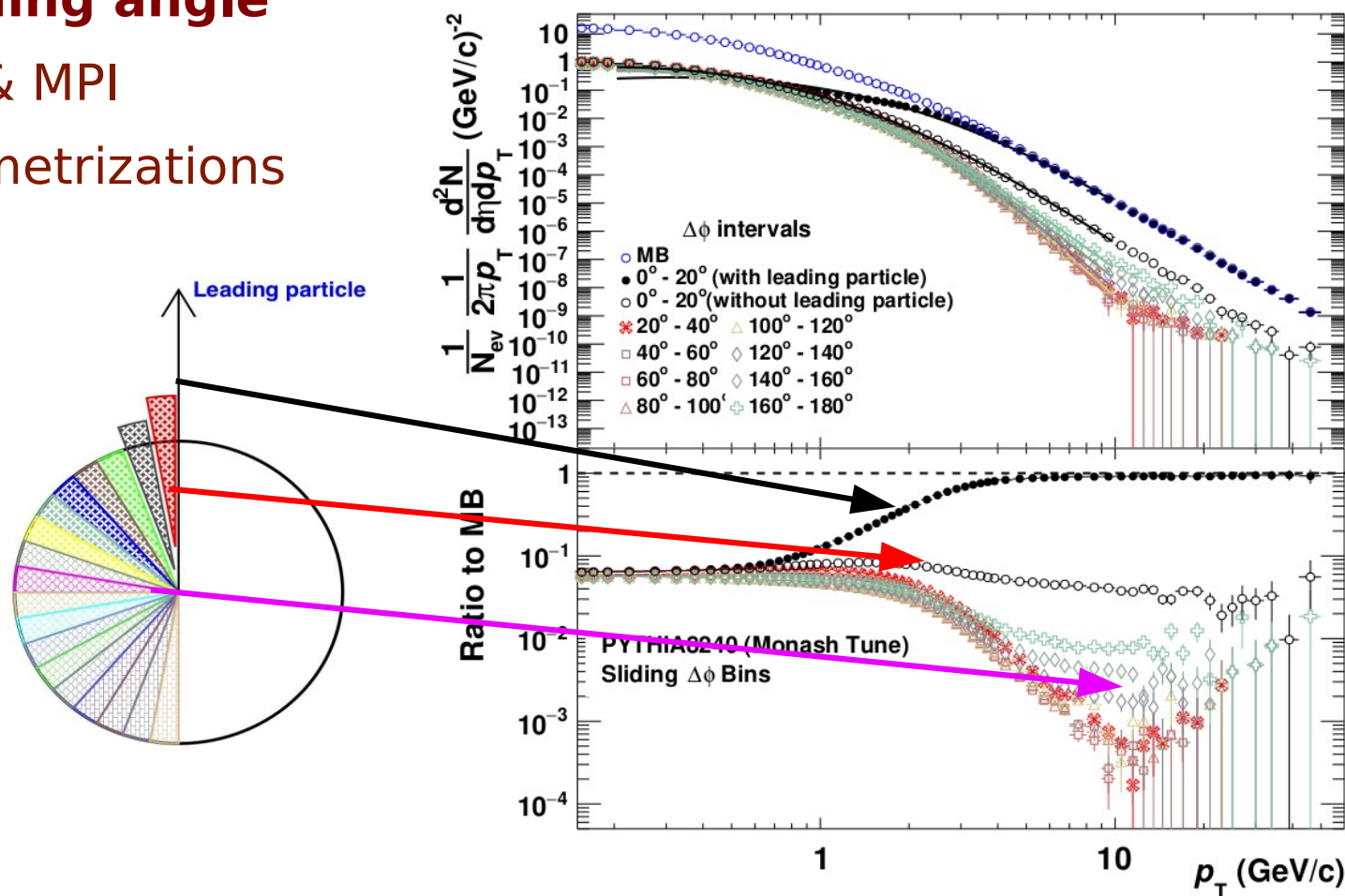
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- **Precise spectra description**

- from low- to high- p_T

$$f(m_T) = A \cdot \left[1 + \frac{q-1}{T_s} (m_T - m) \right]^{-\frac{1}{q-1}}$$

- in multiplicity classes (pp, pA, AA)

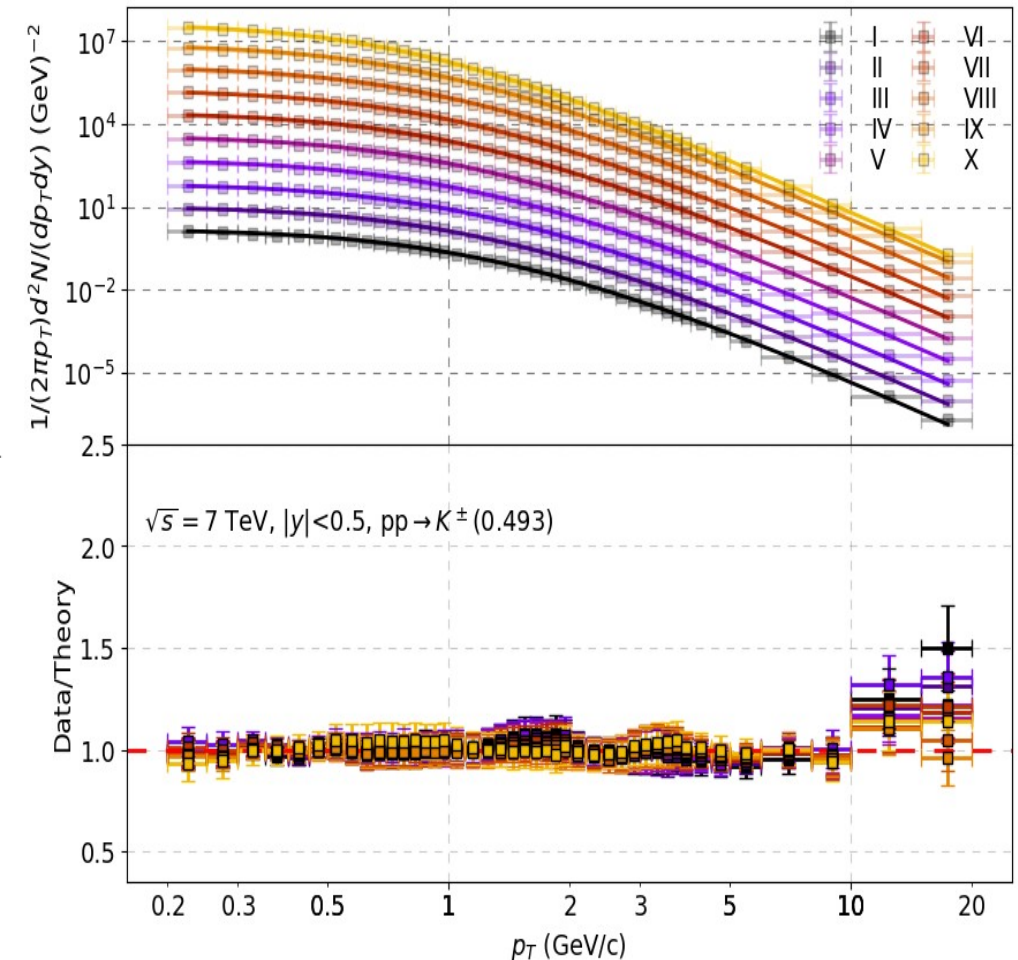
$$\left. \frac{dN_{ch}}{dy} \right|_{u=0} = 2\pi A T_s \left[\frac{(2-q)m^2 + 2mT_s + 2T_s^2}{(2-q)(3-2q)} \right] \times \left[1 + \frac{q-1}{T_s} m \right]^{-\frac{1}{q-1}}$$

- **With PID:**

$$\pi^\pm, K^\pm, K_s^0, K^{*0}, p(\bar{p}), \Phi, \Lambda, \Xi^\pm, \Sigma^\pm, \Xi^0, \Omega$$

- **Wide range:**

	pp	pA	AA
CM energy (GeV)	7000, 13000	5020	130-5020
Multiplicity range	2.2-25.7	4.3-45	13.4-2047



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- Parameter scaling with \sqrt{s} & multiplicity

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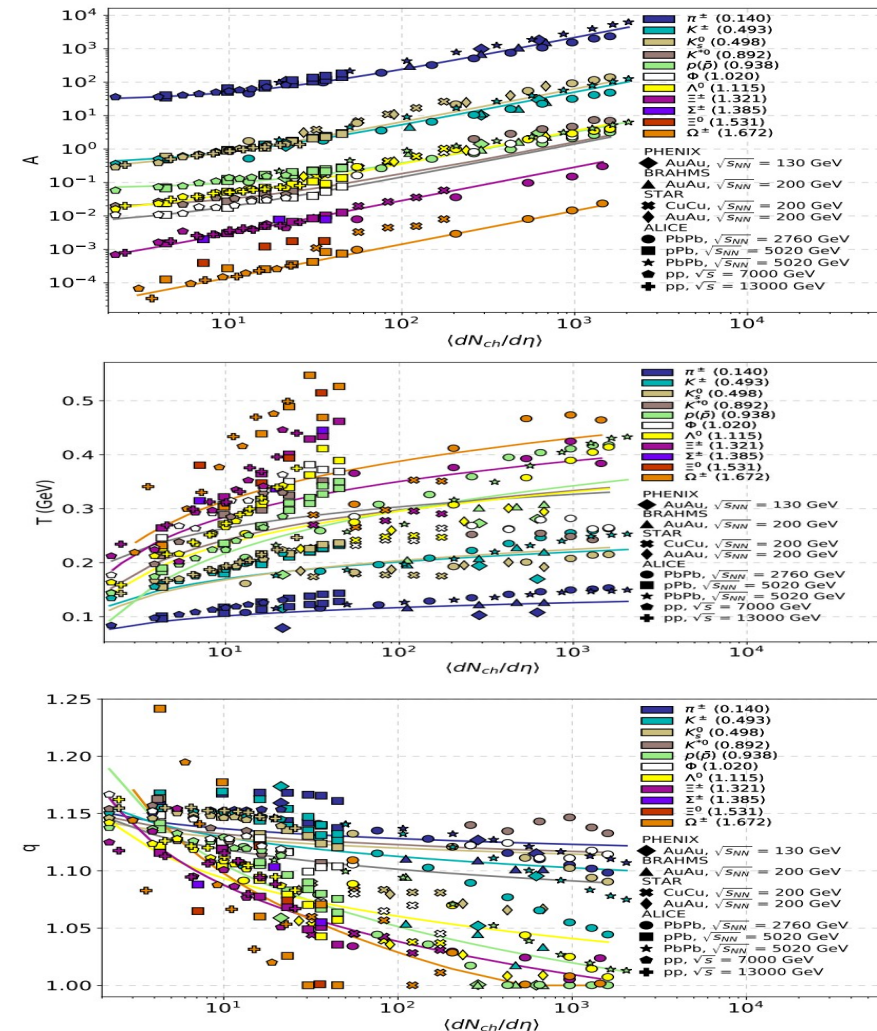
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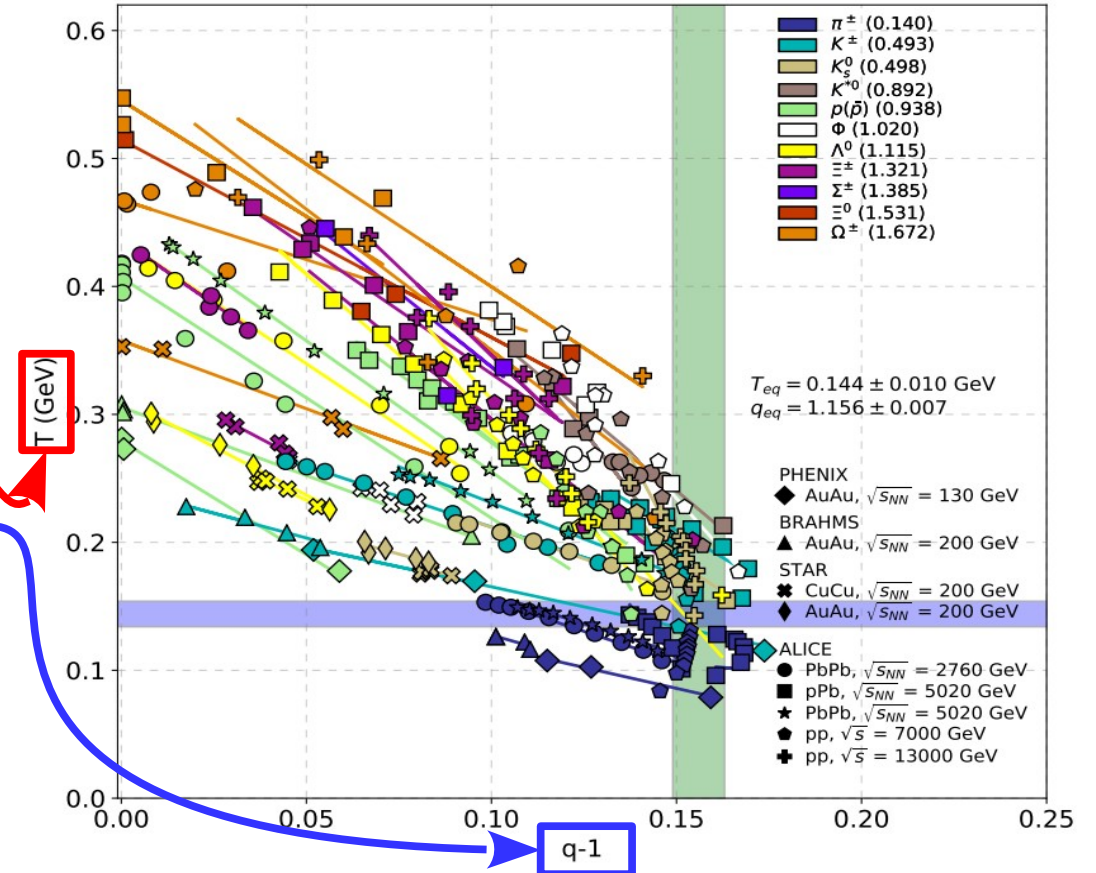
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- Thermodynamical consistency**

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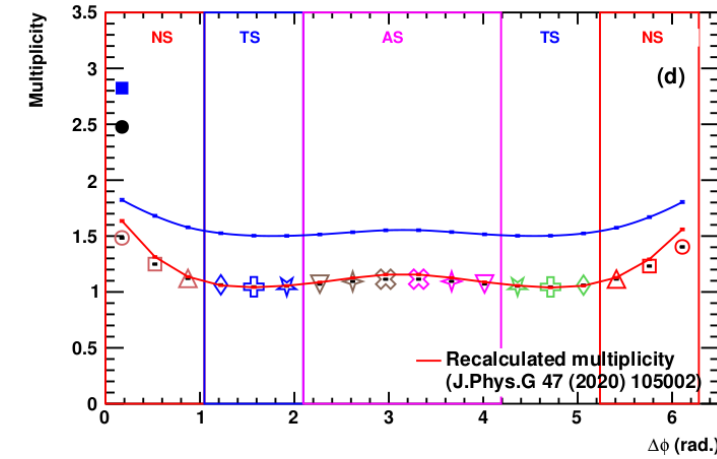
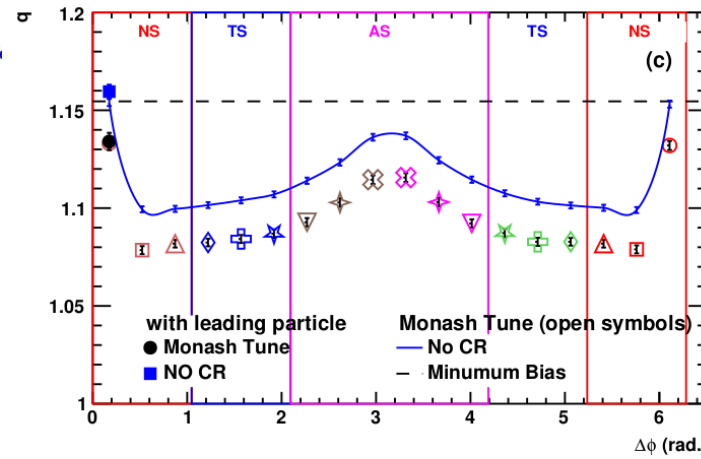
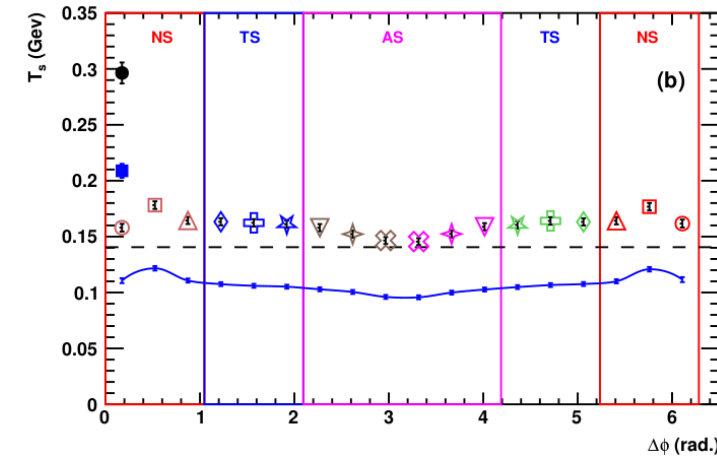
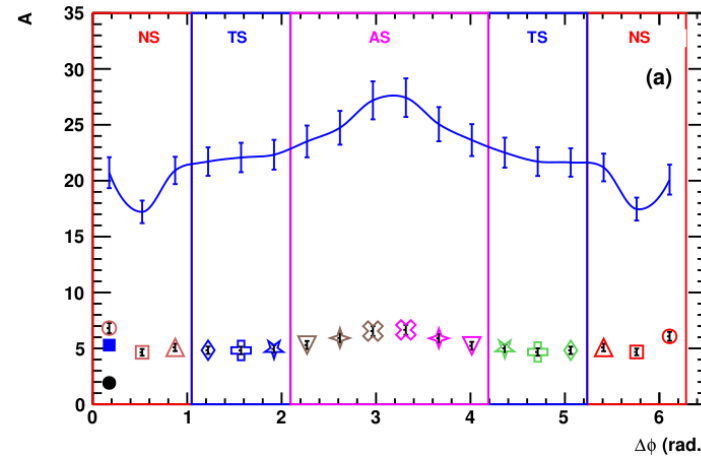
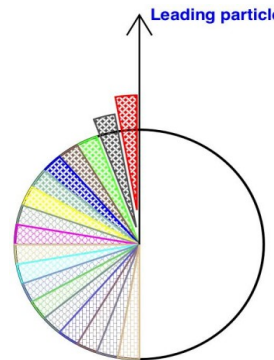
$$s = g \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \left[\frac{E - \mu}{T} f^q + f \right], \quad \varepsilon = g \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} E f$$



Tsallis fit parameters

- PYTHIA spectra with sliding angle**

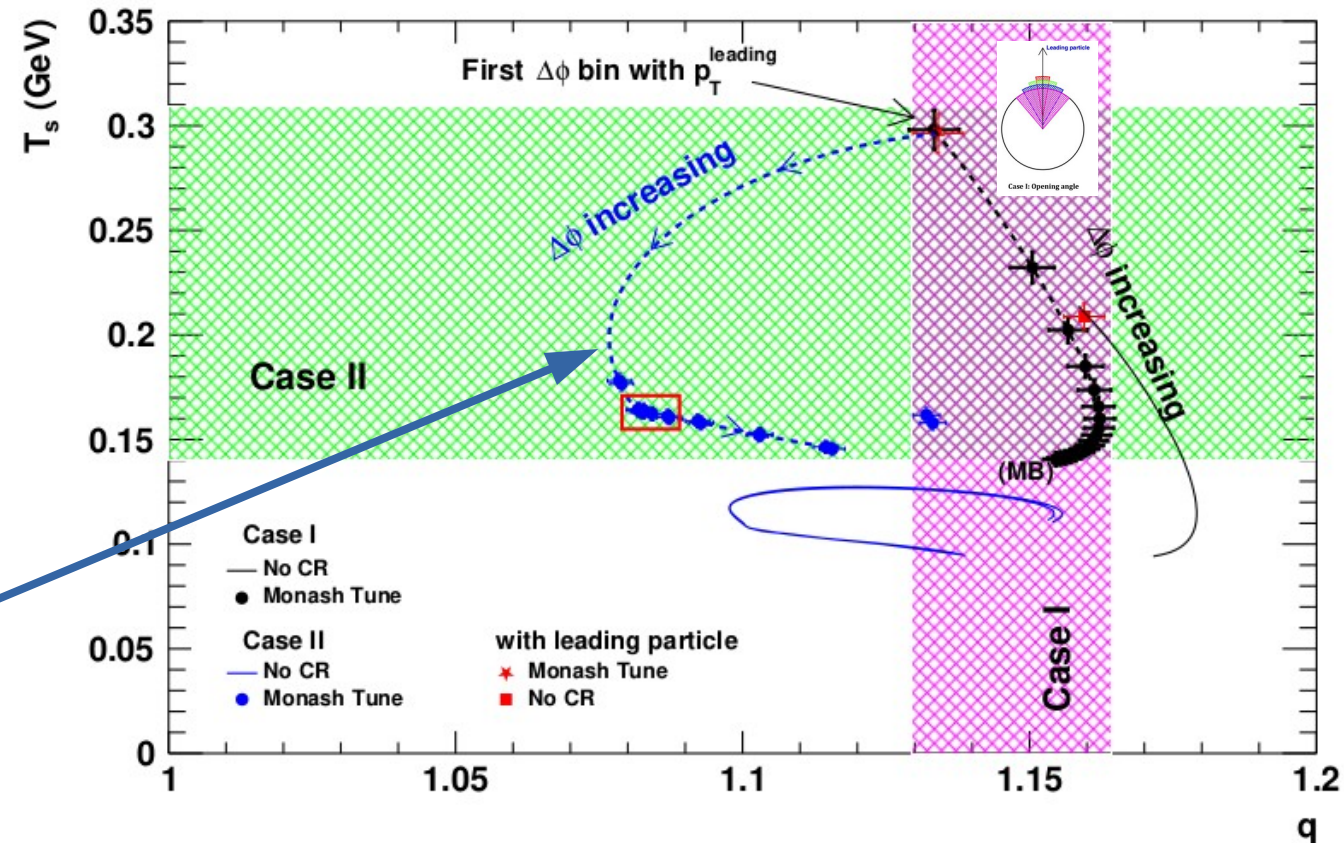
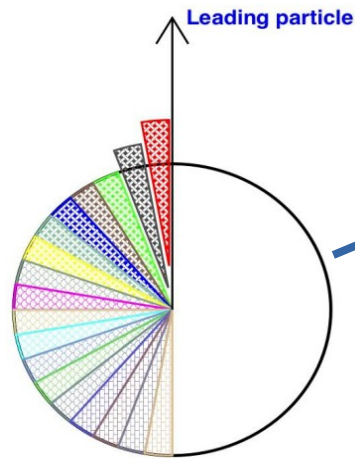
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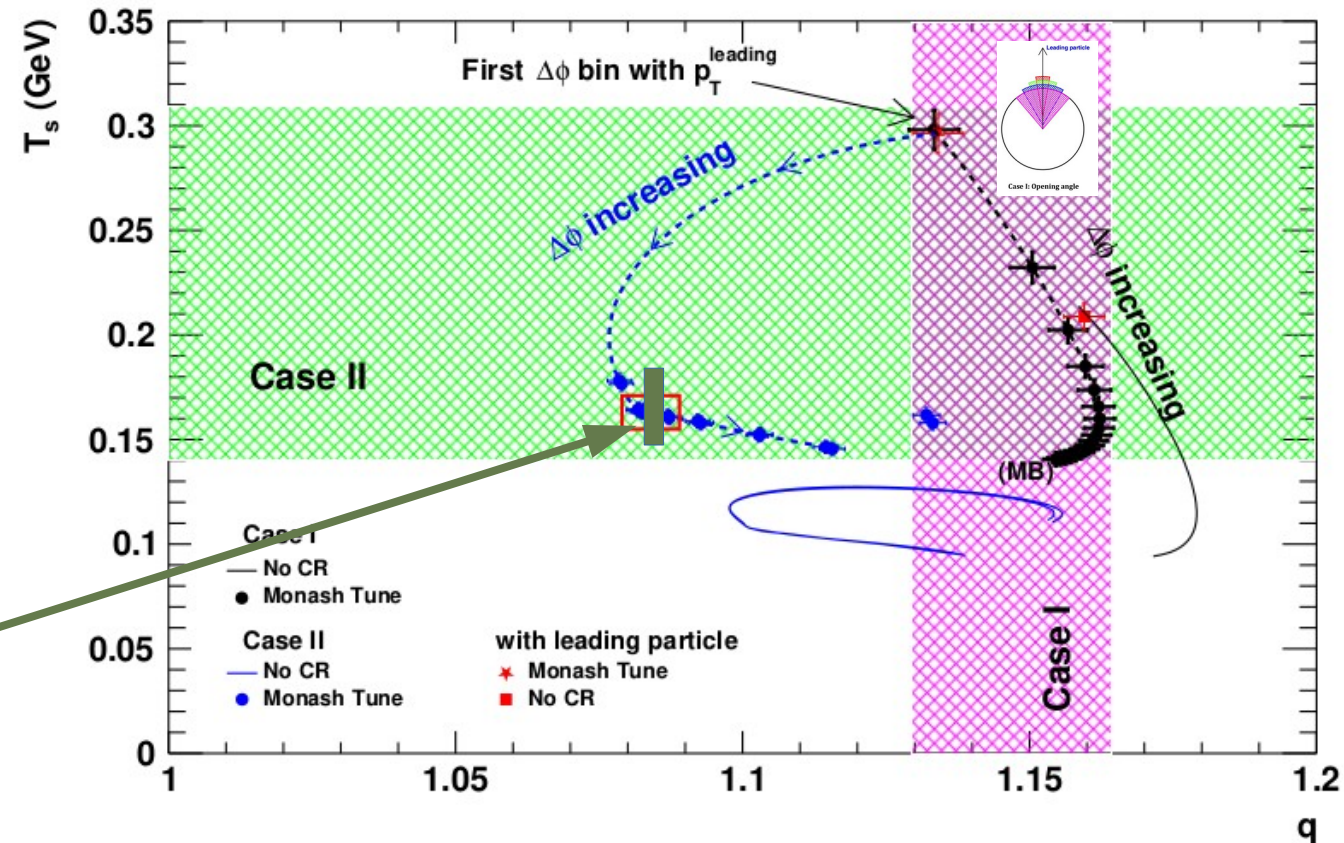
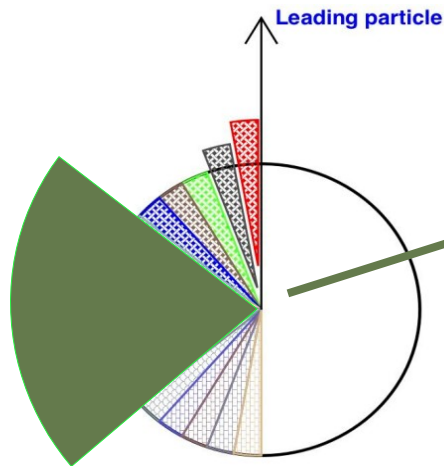
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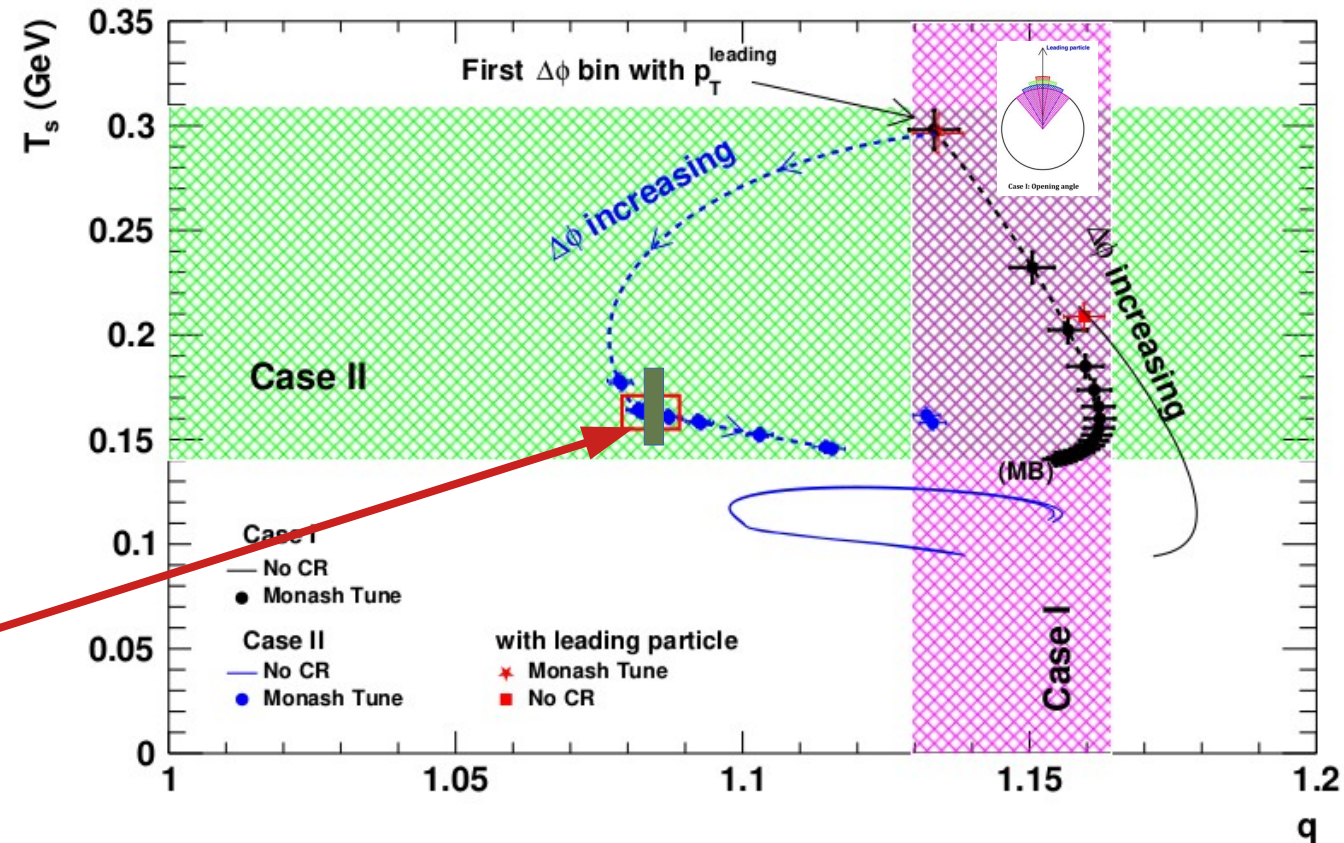
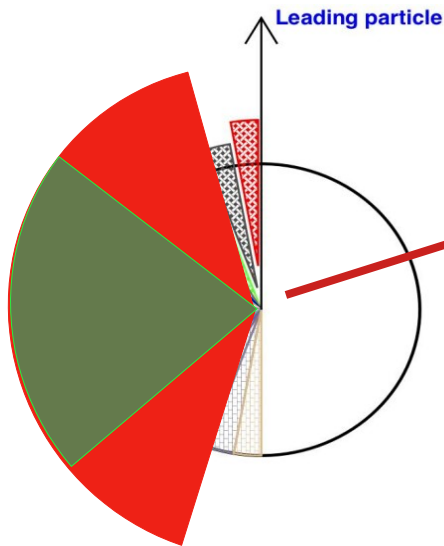
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Cross-check with event shape variable

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- **Transverse sphericity:**

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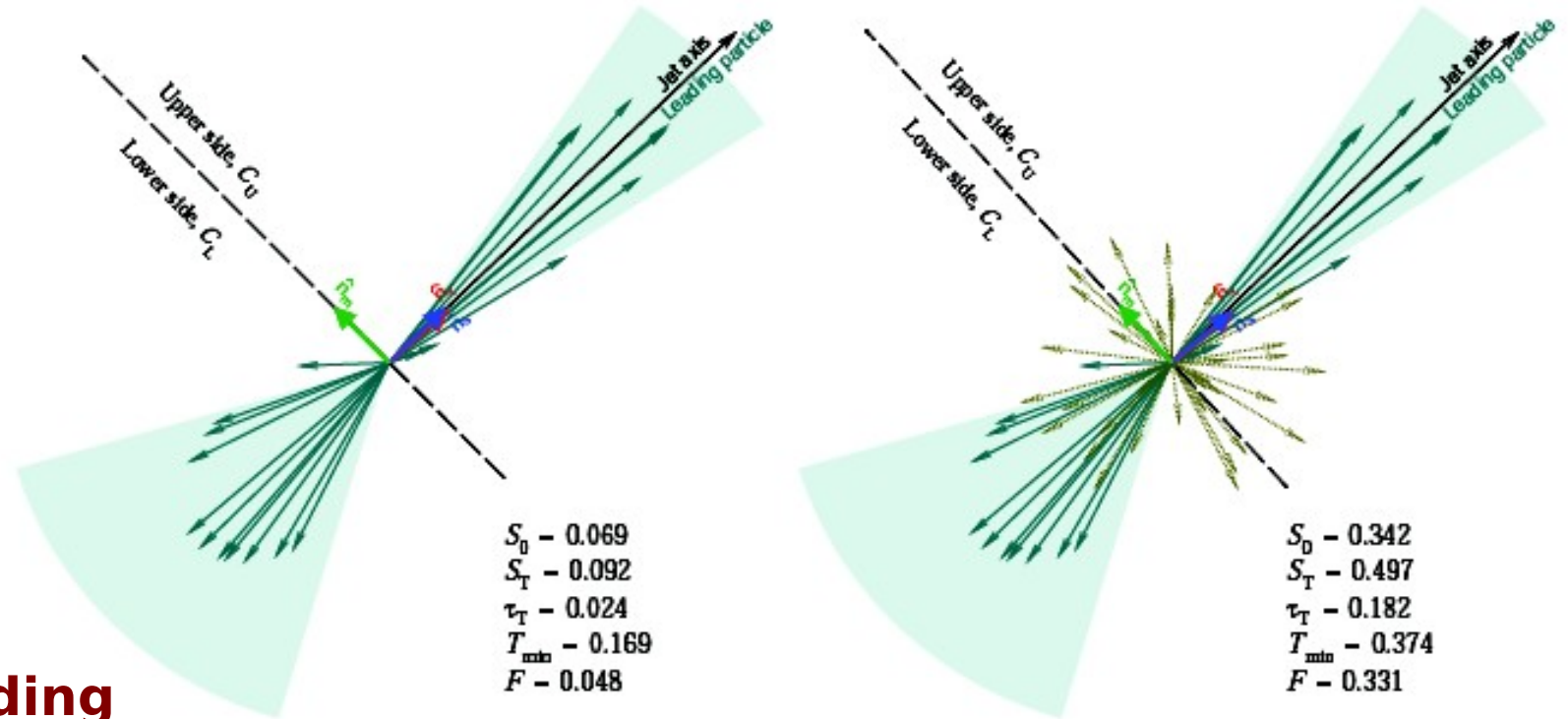
- **Thrust:**

$$T_{\min} \equiv \frac{\sum_i |\vec{p}_{T,i} \cdot \hat{n}_m|}{\sum_i p_{T,i}}$$

→ **NO need for jet finding**

→ **Momentum & geometry infos**

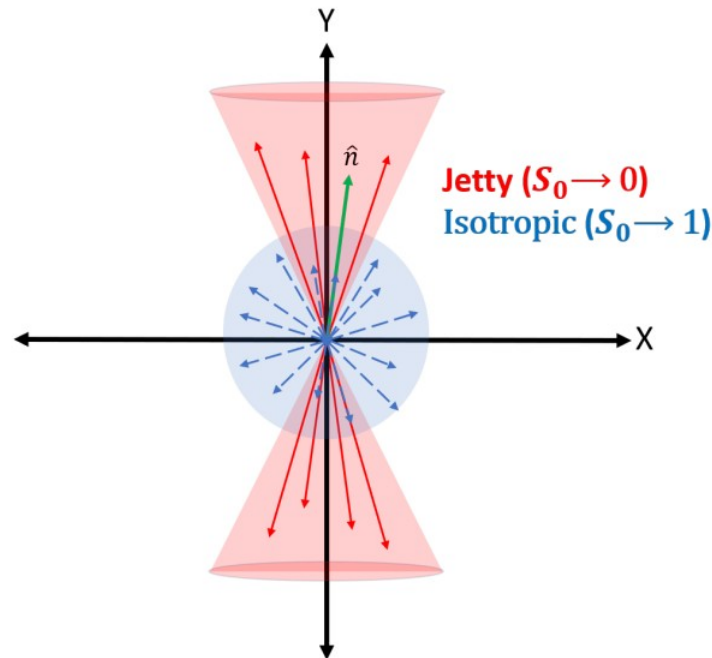
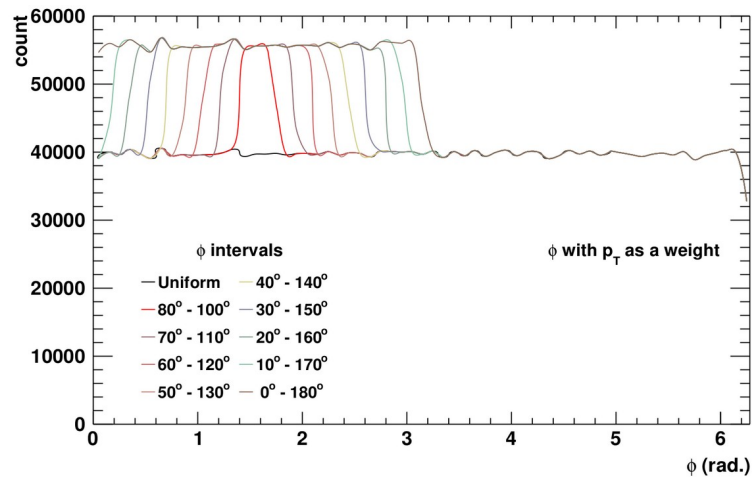
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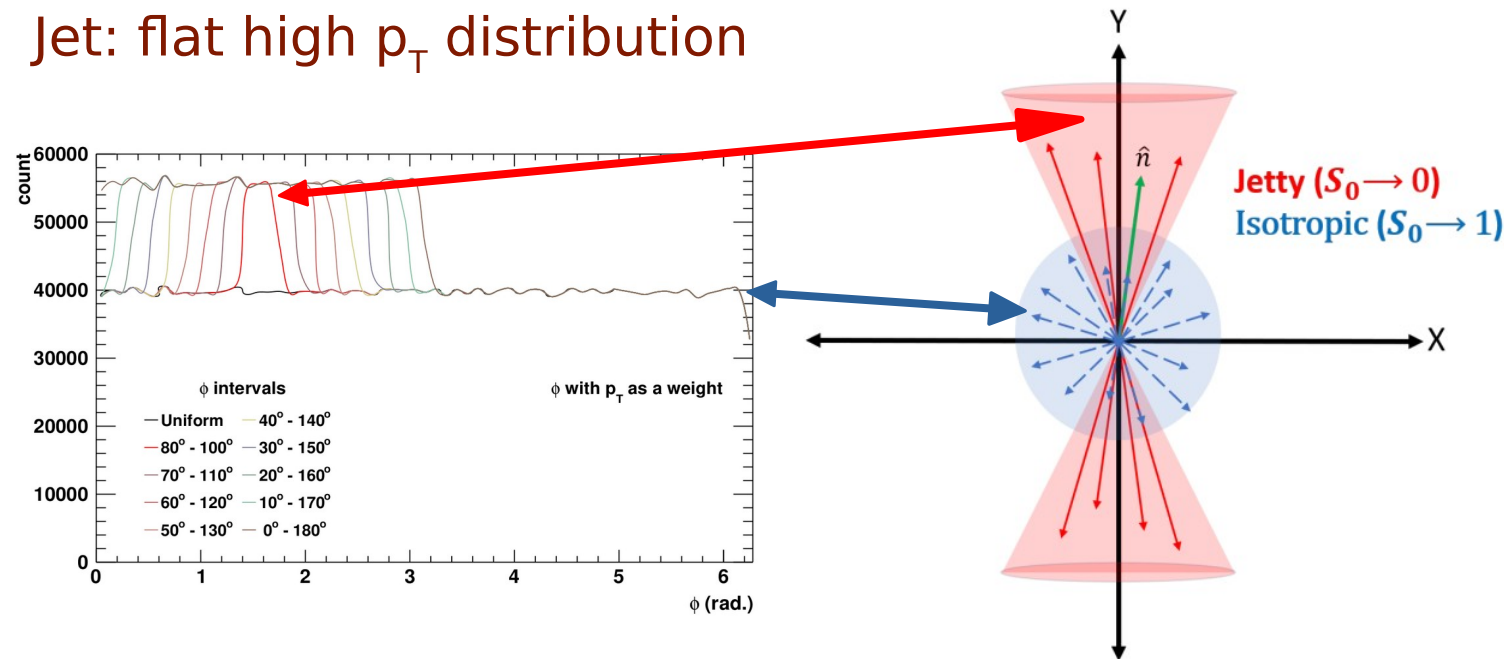
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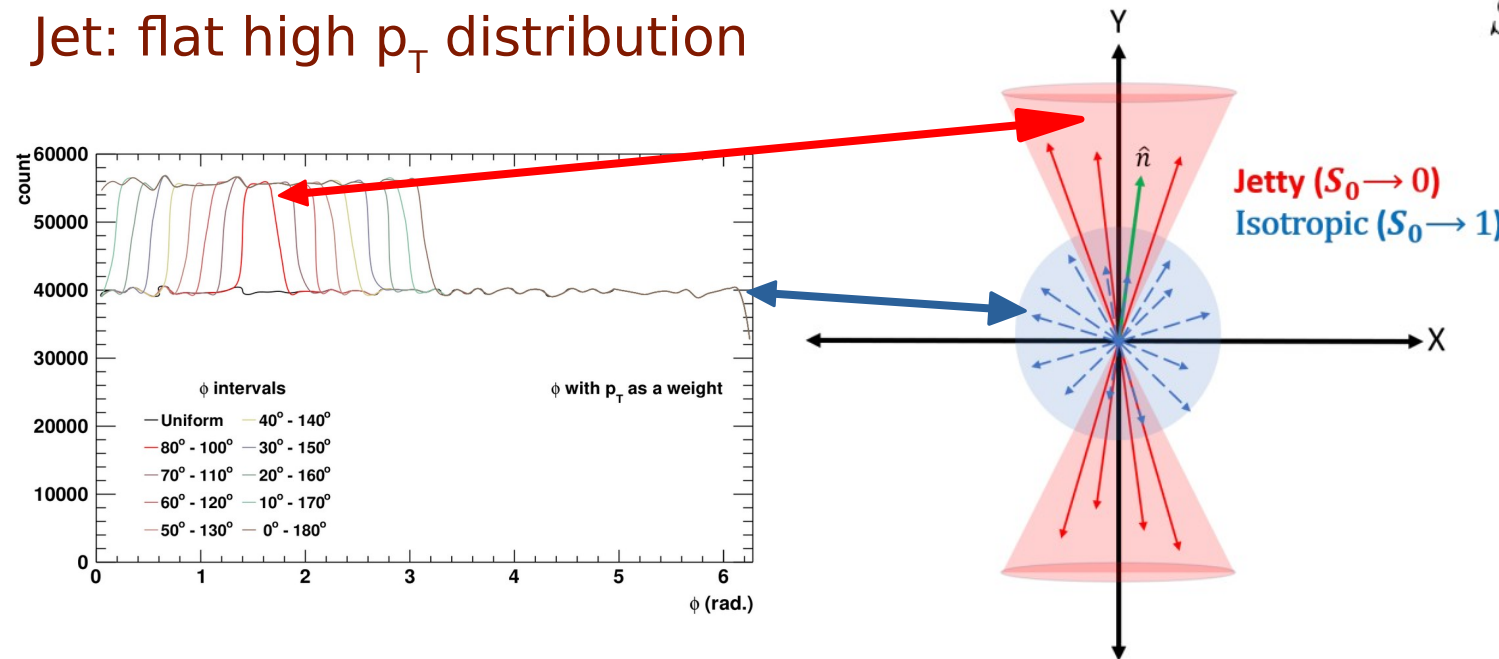
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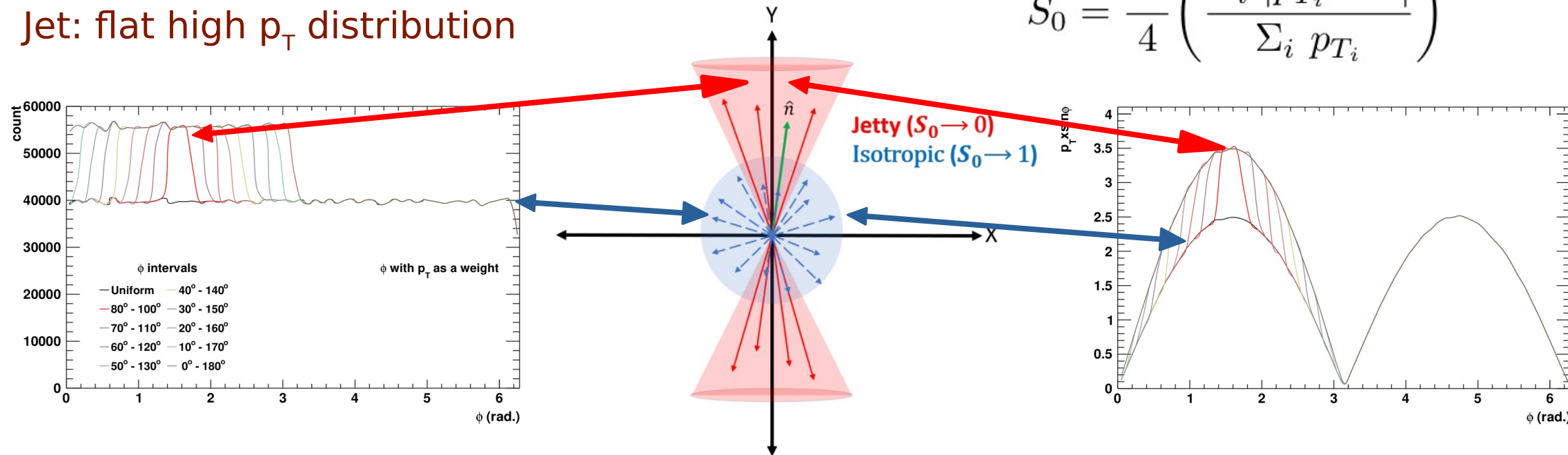
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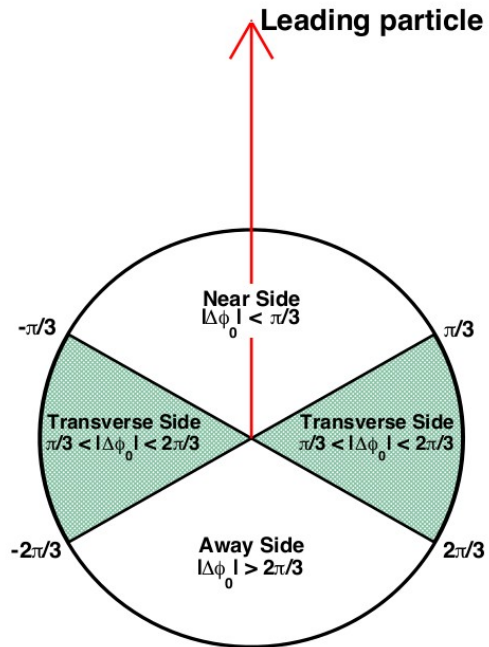
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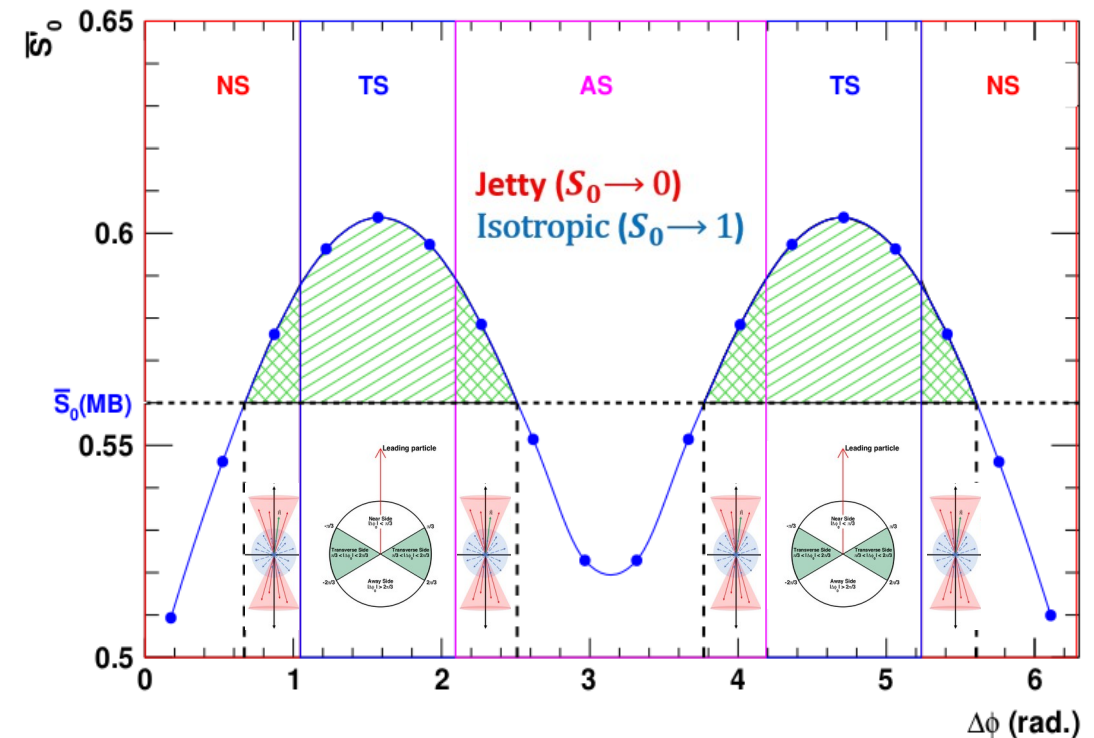
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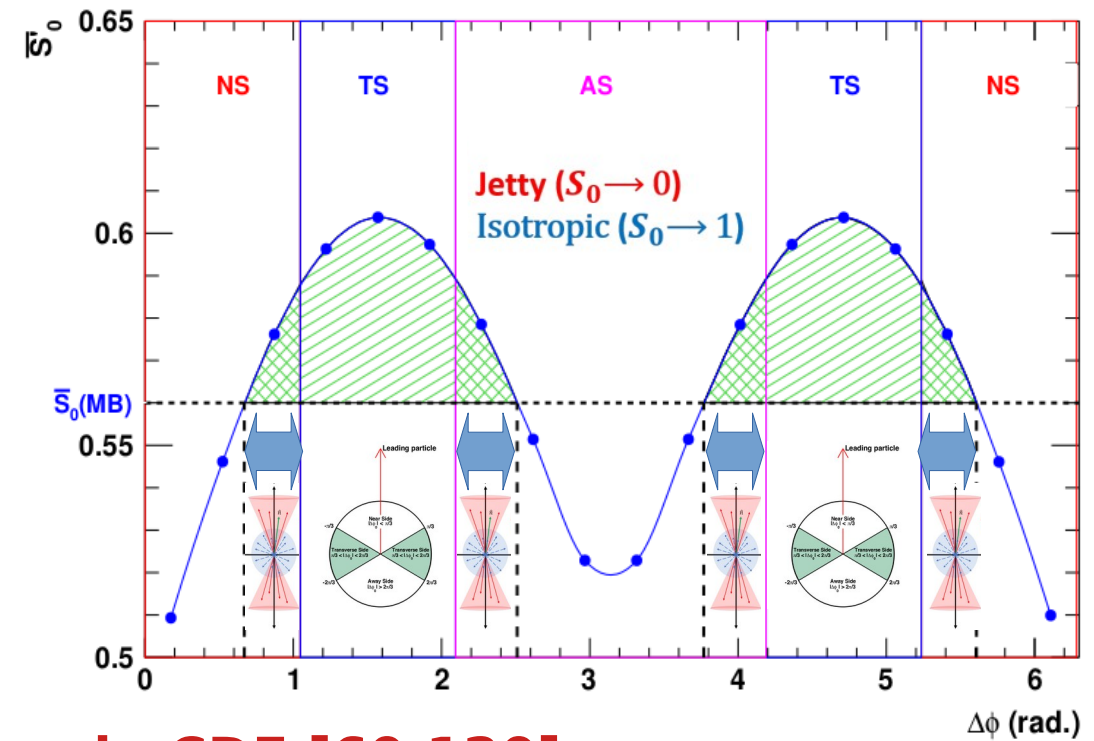
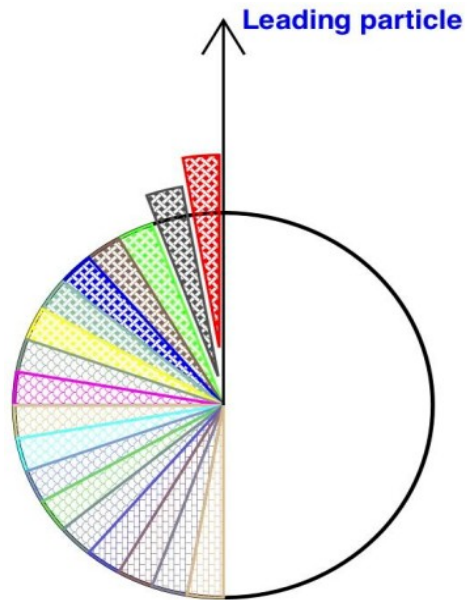


→ **CDF-based UE [40,140]**



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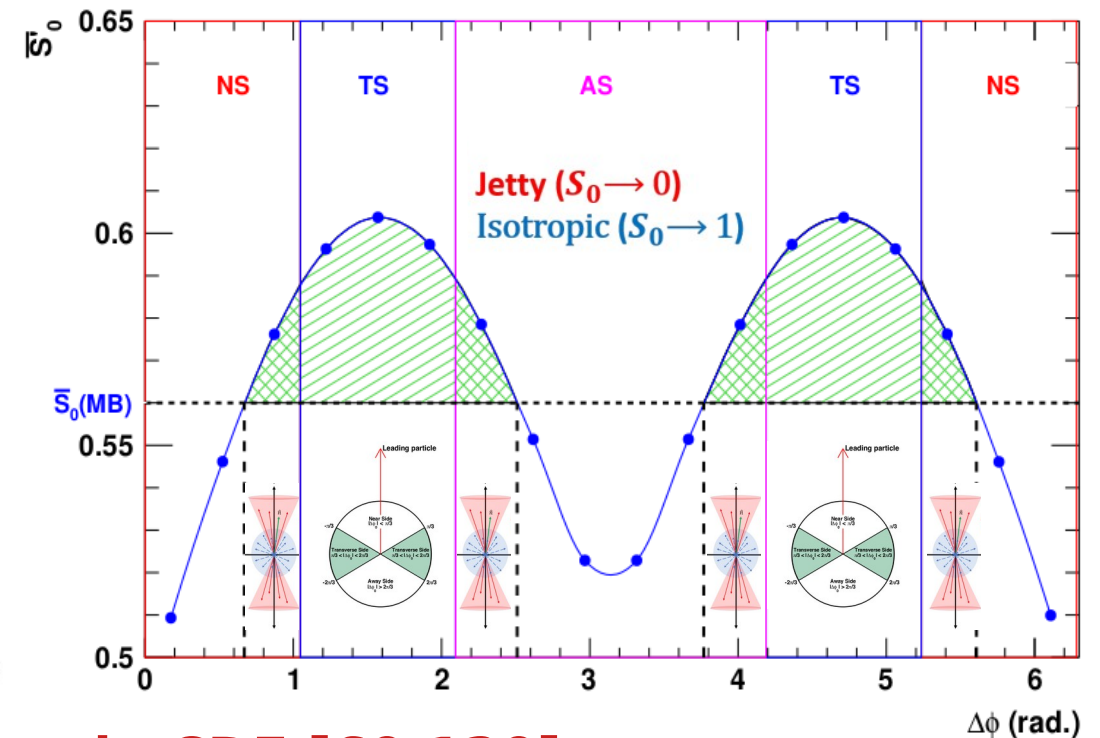
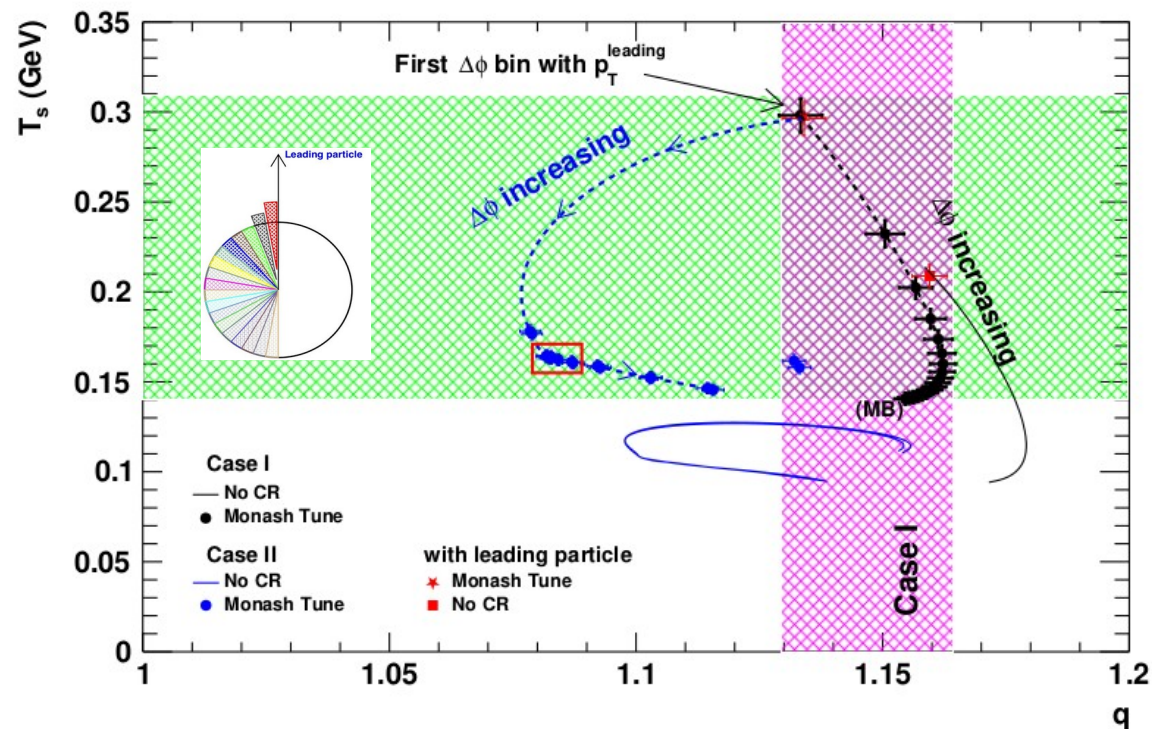
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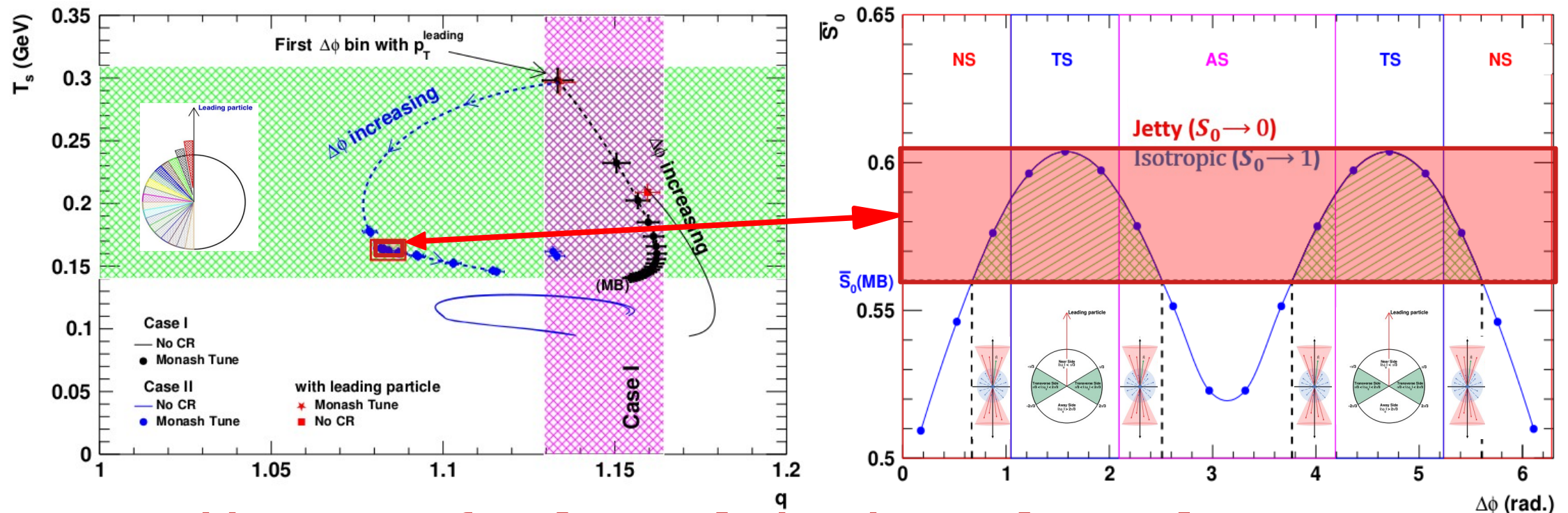
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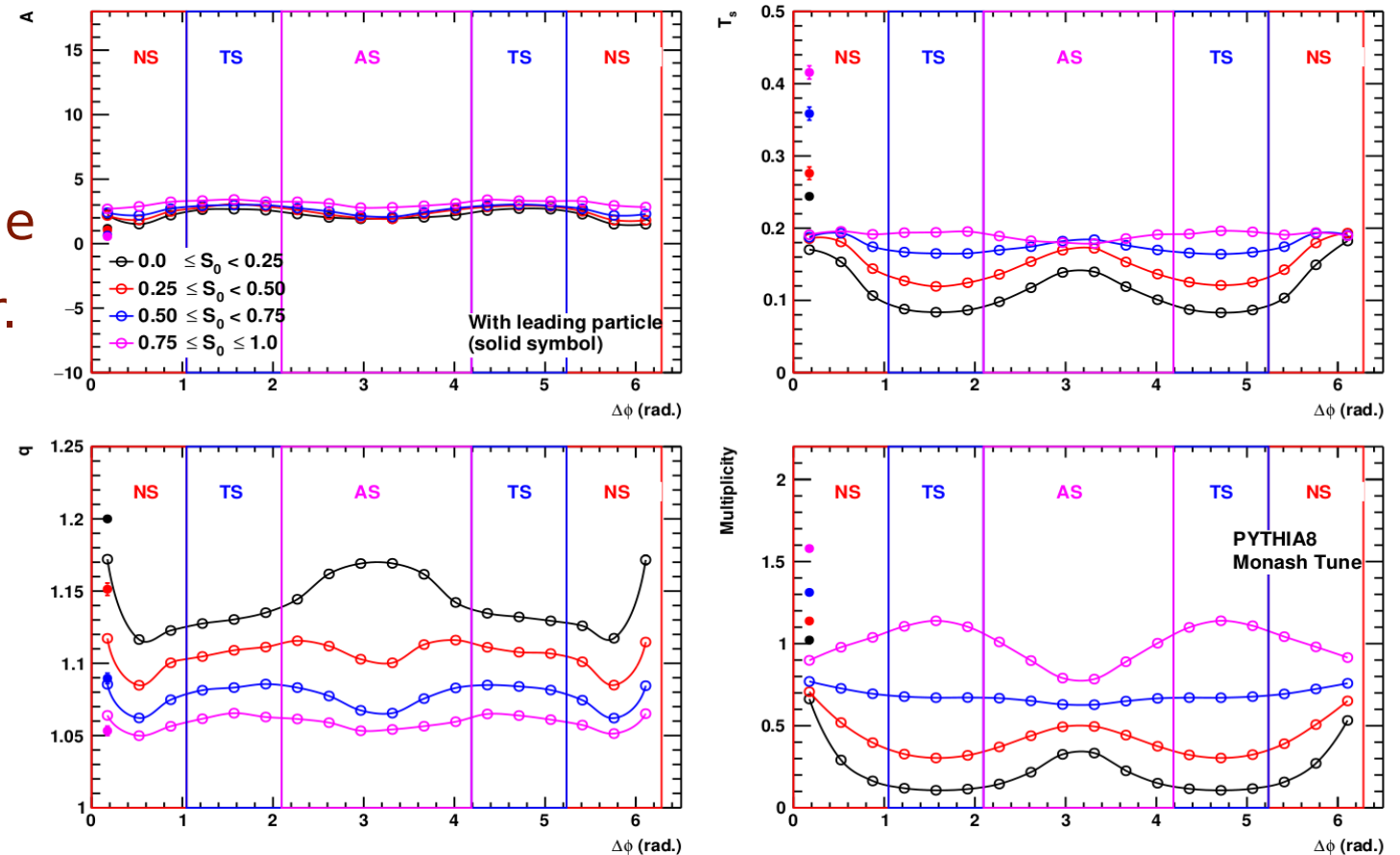
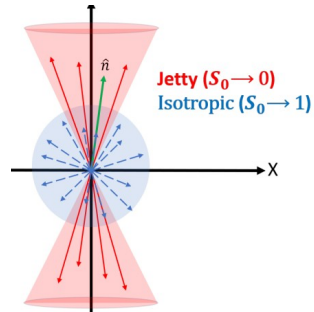
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- Tsallis-thermometer presents the same



→ Wider range of UE [40,140], than in CDF [60,120]

Parameters in spherocity classes

- **PYTHIA spectra with sliding angle in S_0 classes**
 - The more jetty the event, the angular variation is stronger.
 - Minimal activity (lowest q & T values are in the isotropic case.

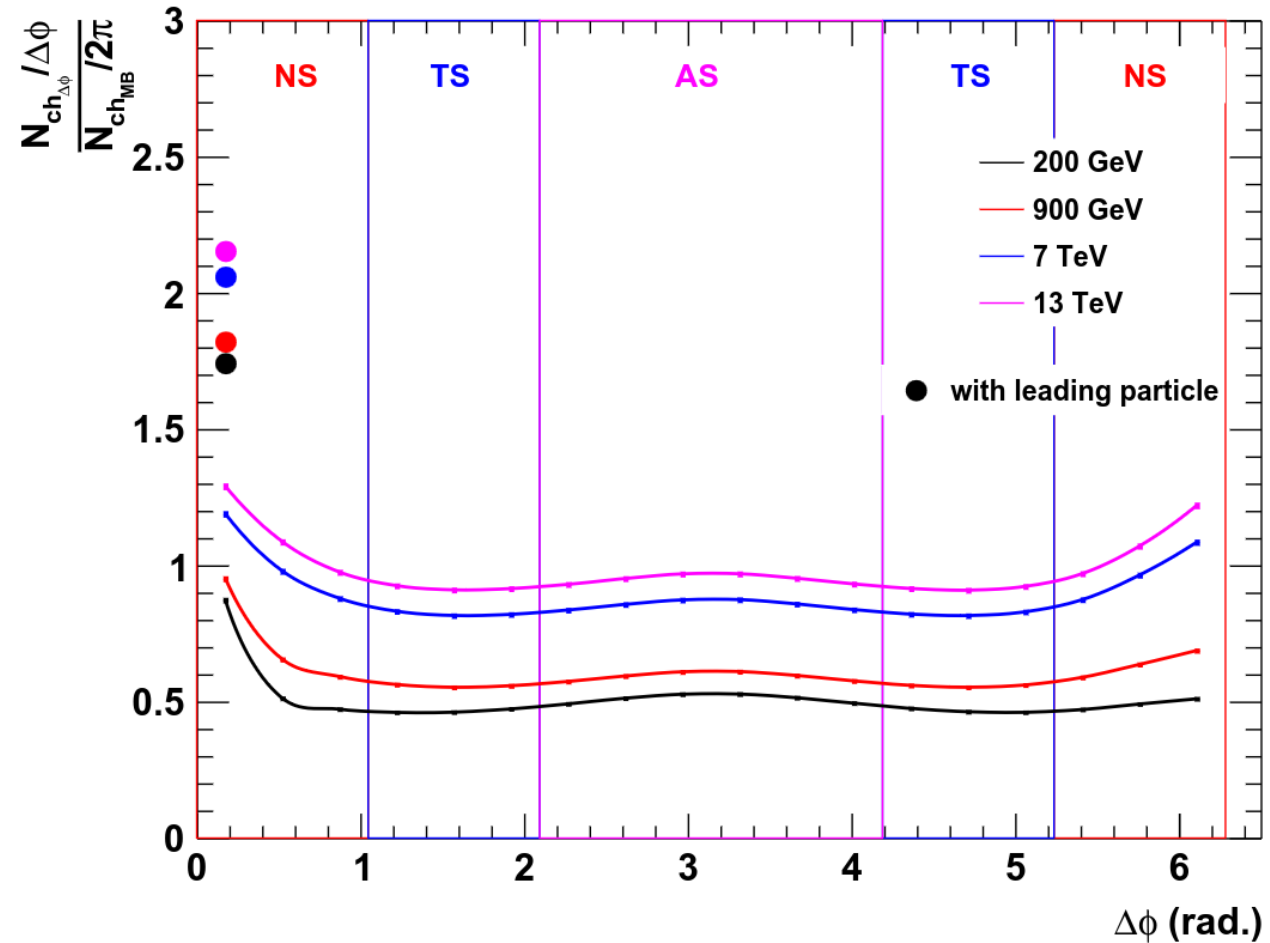
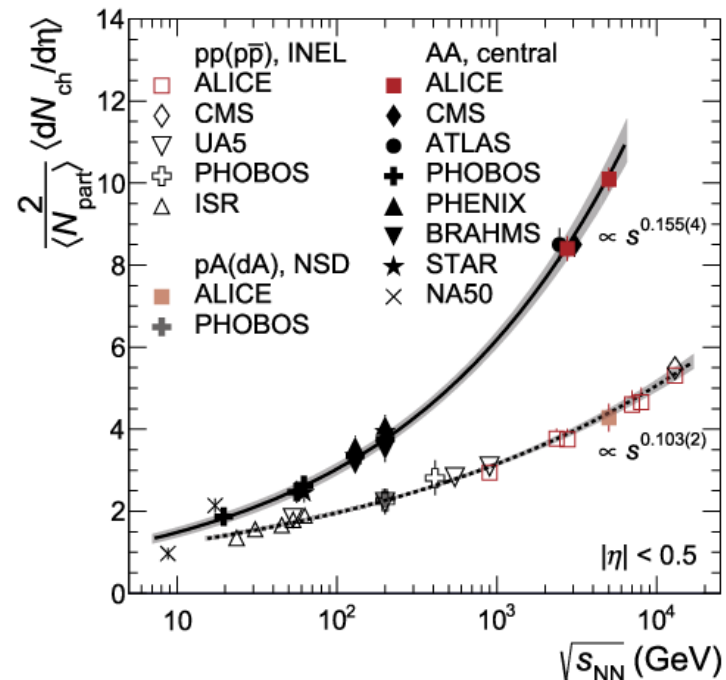


→ Isotropic events are closer to UE, activity is more than MB

Dependence on c.m. energy

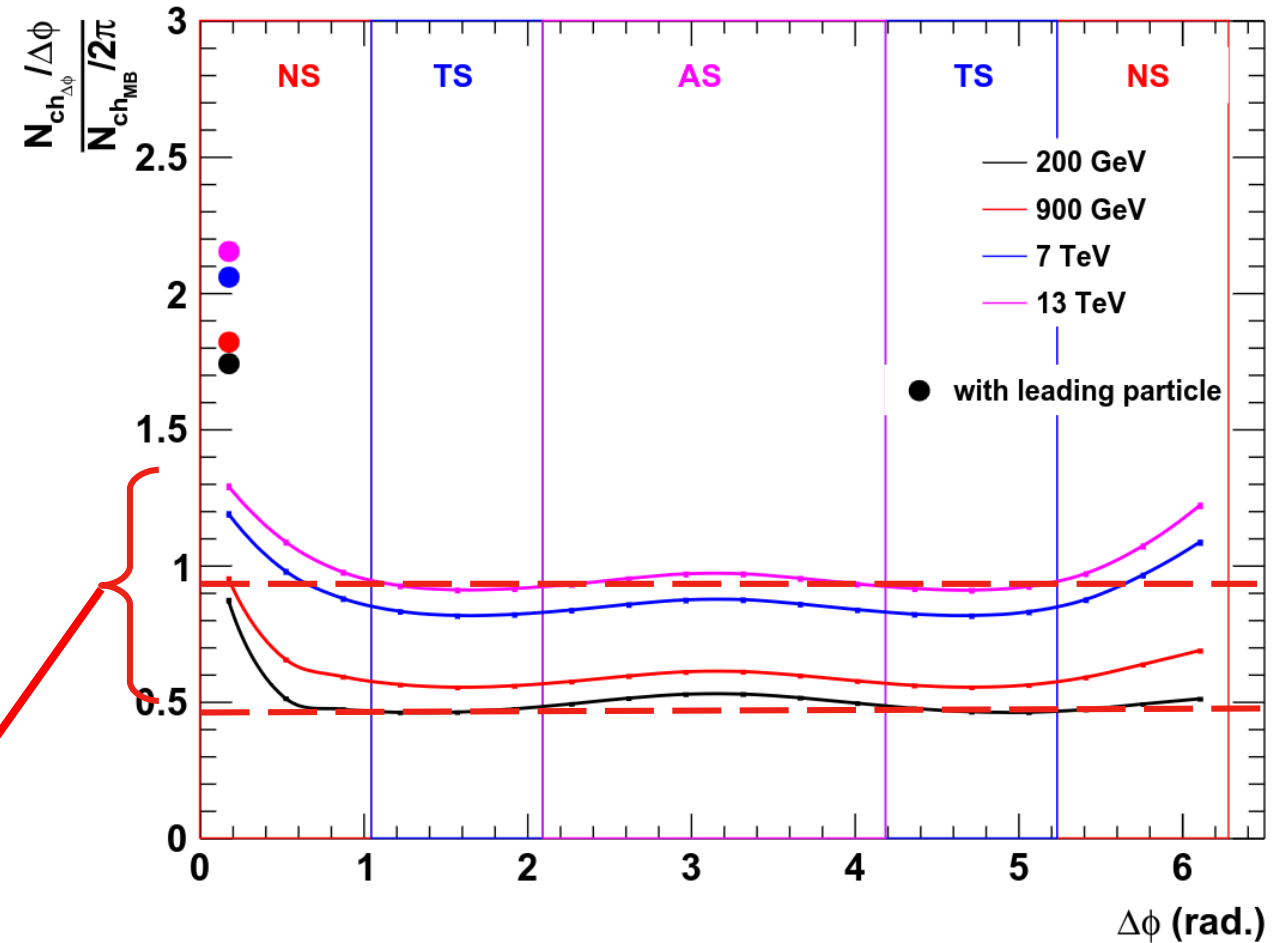
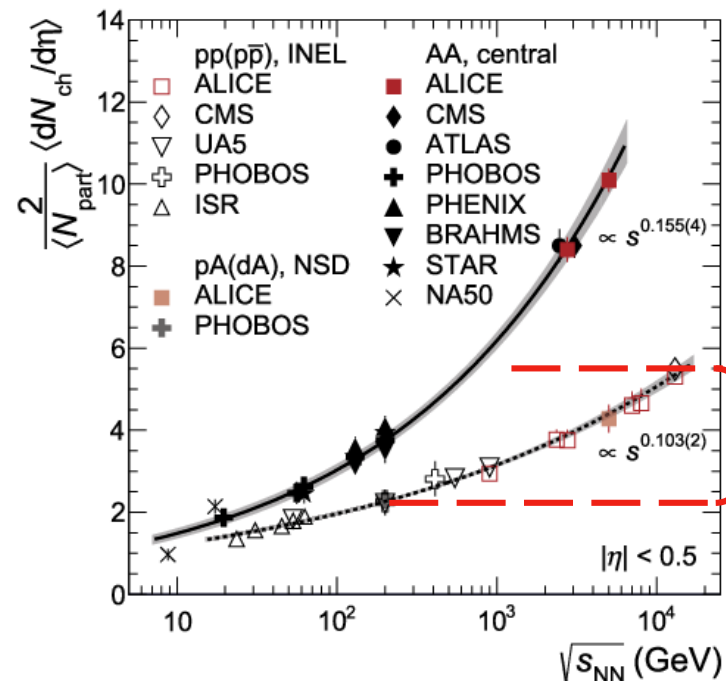
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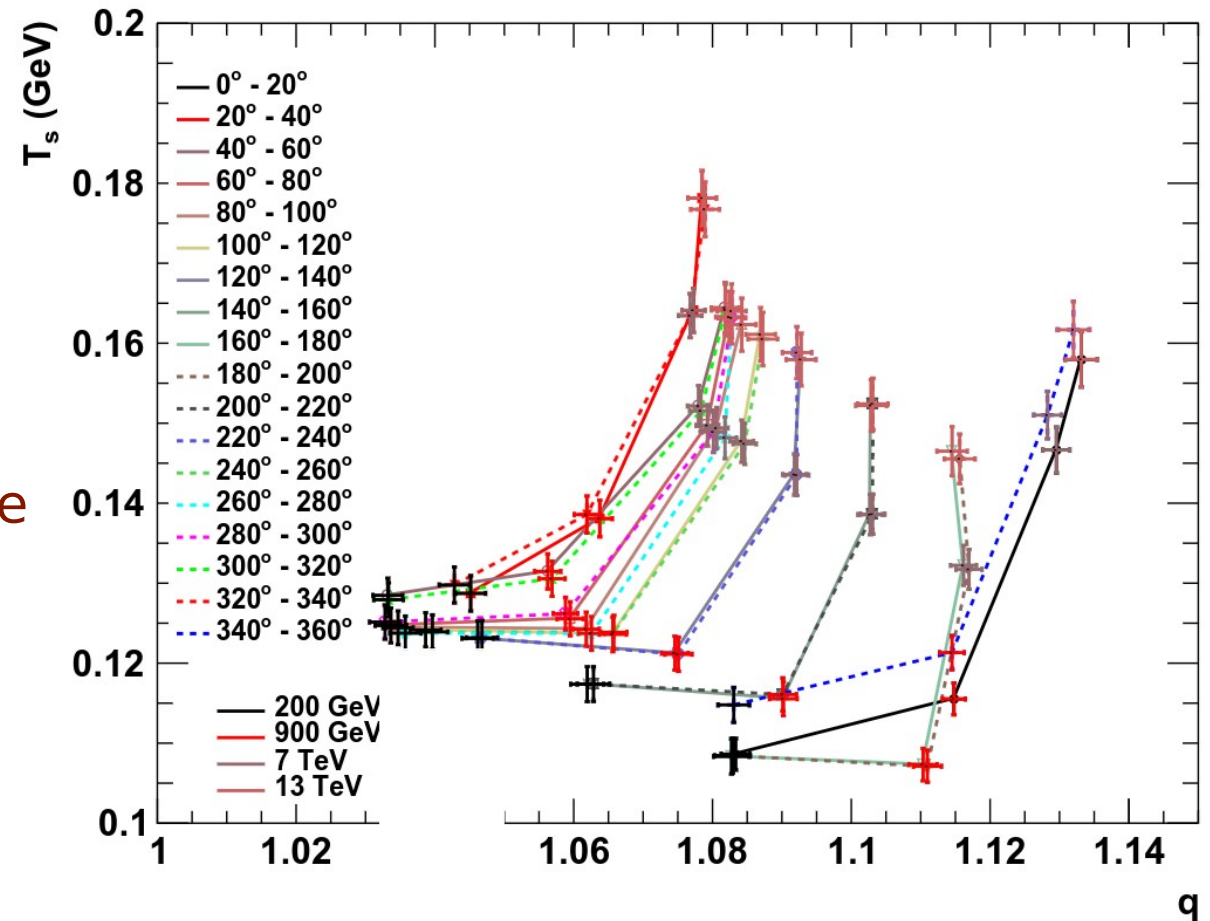
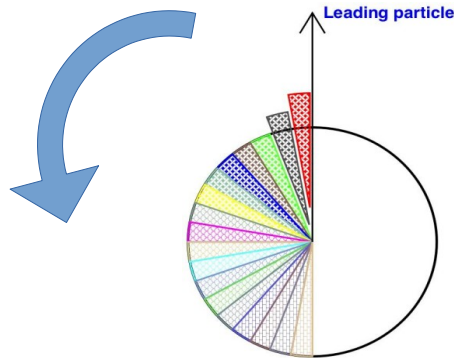
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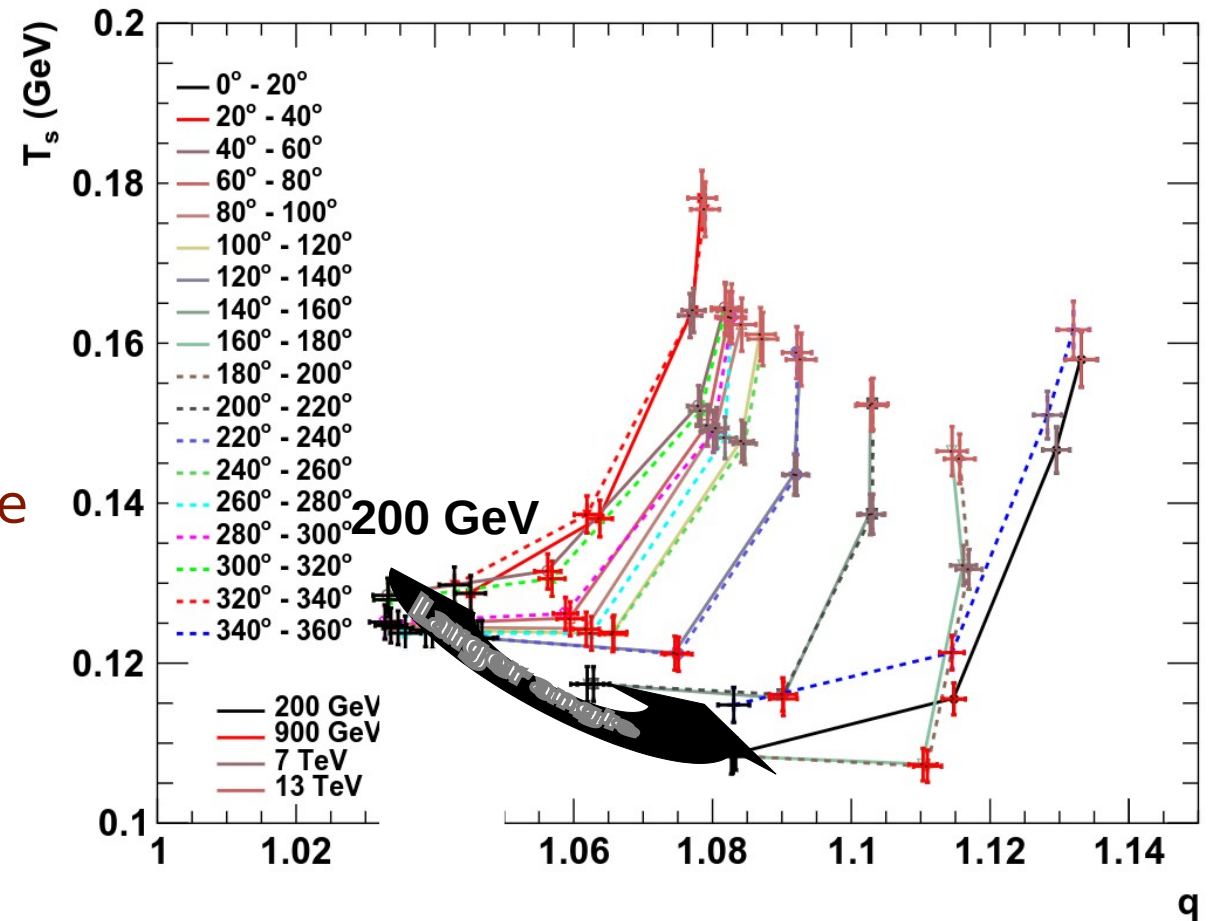
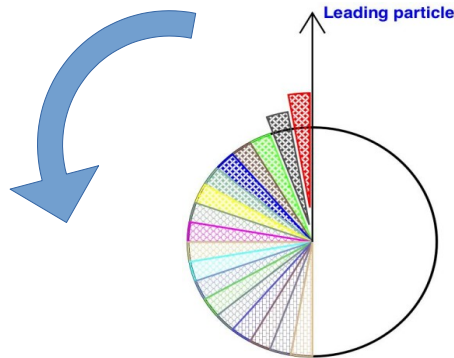
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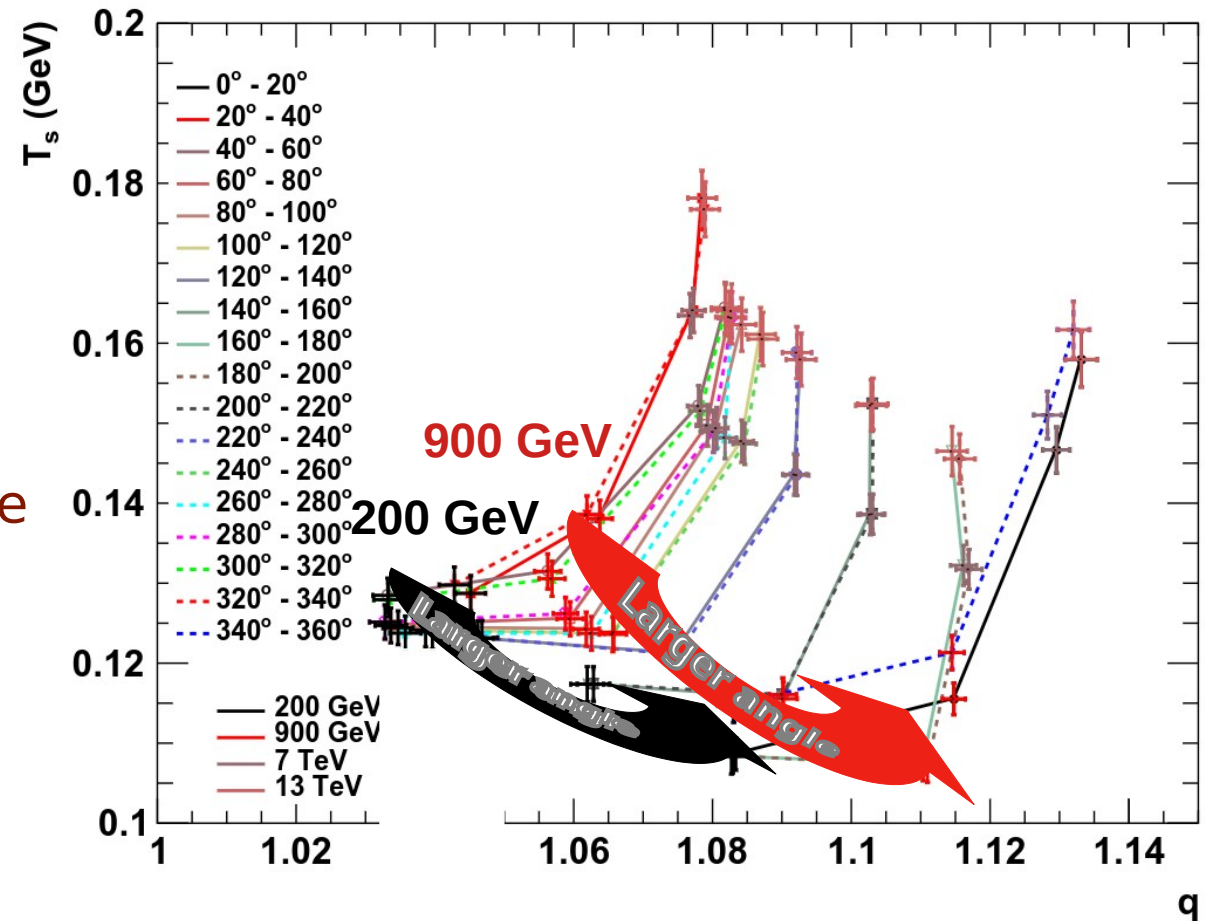
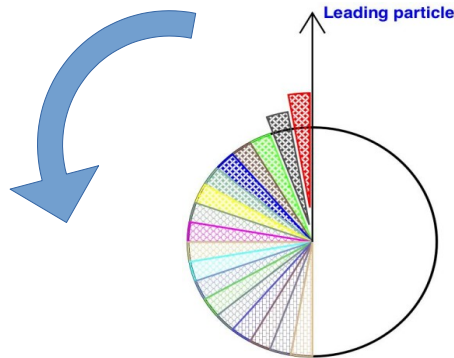
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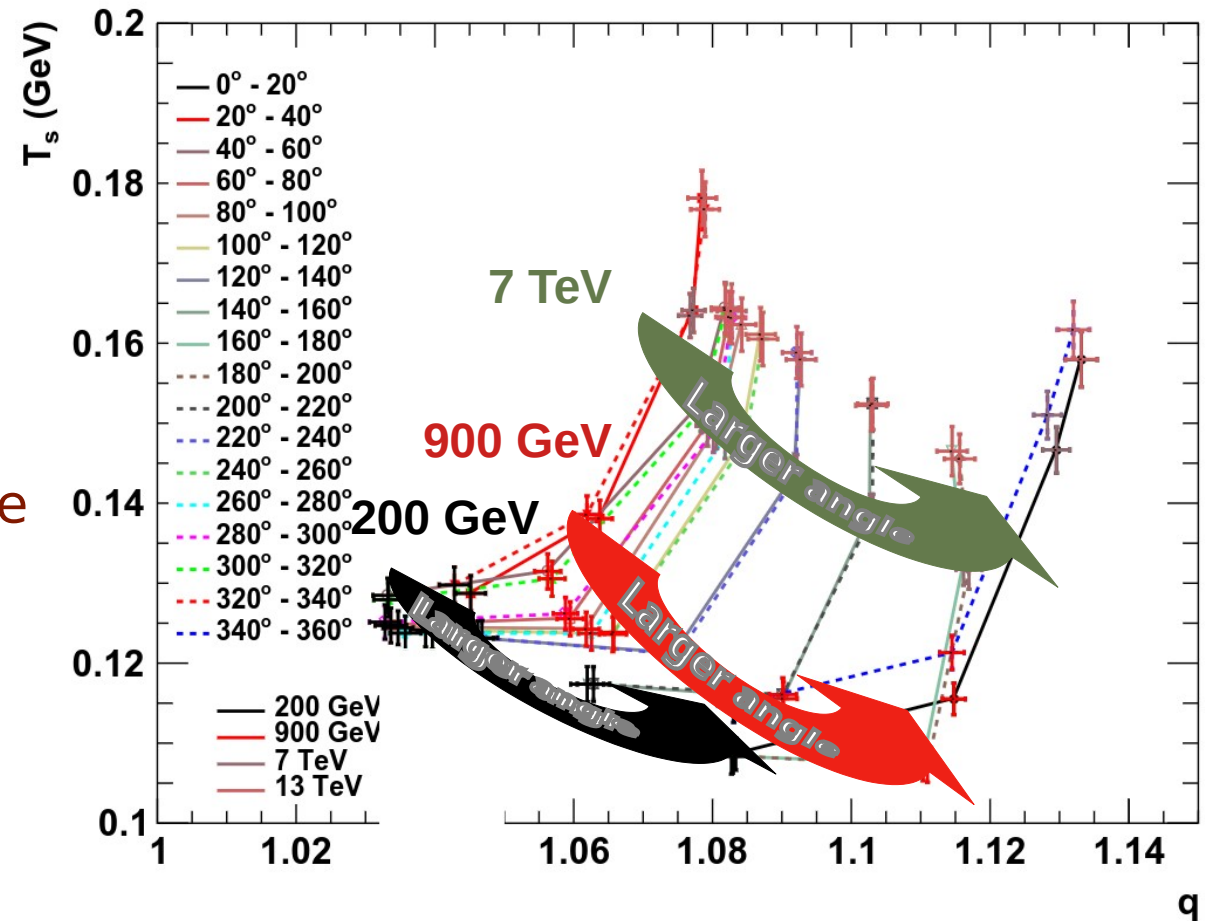
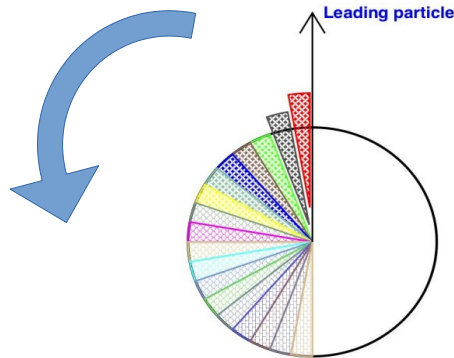
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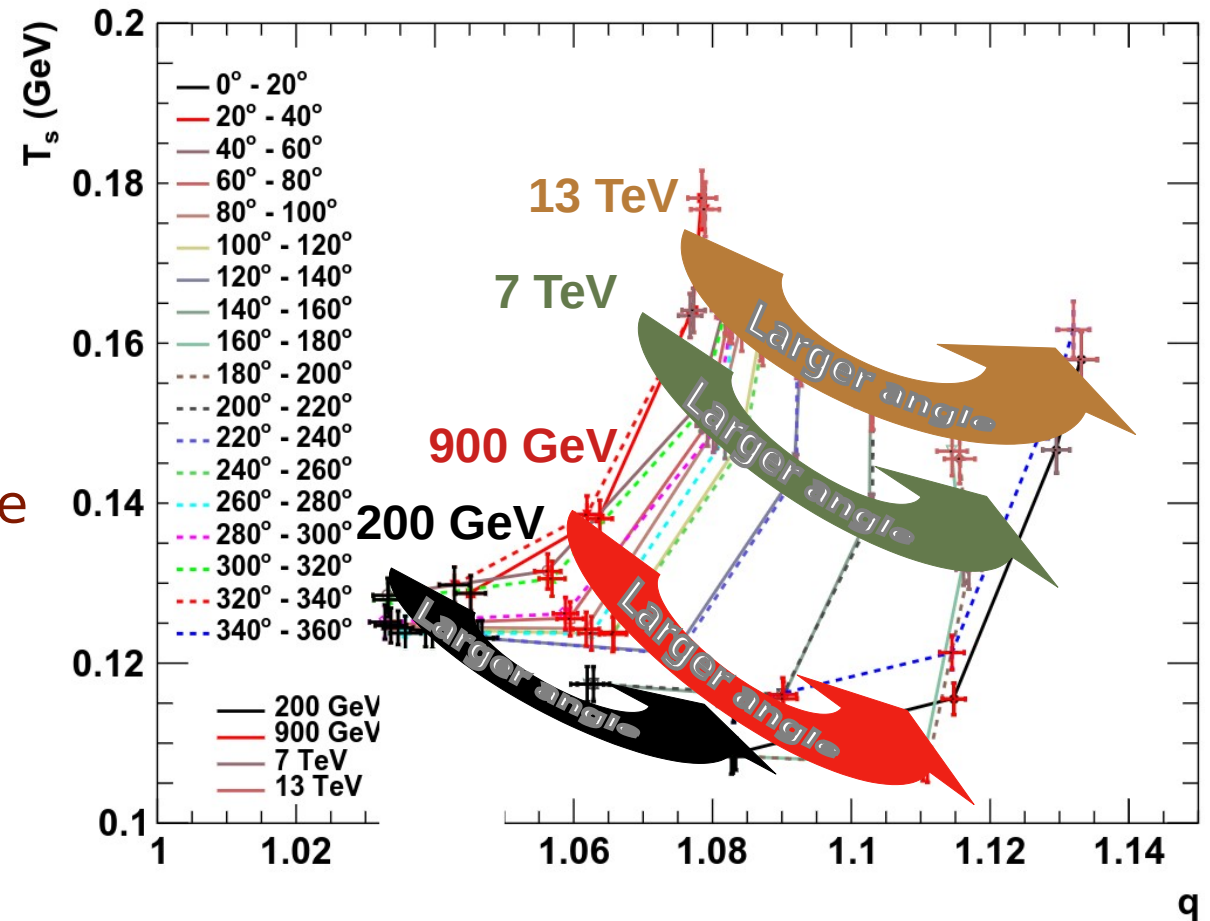
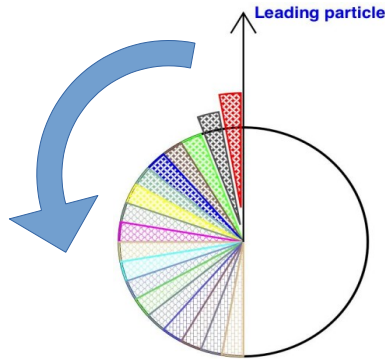
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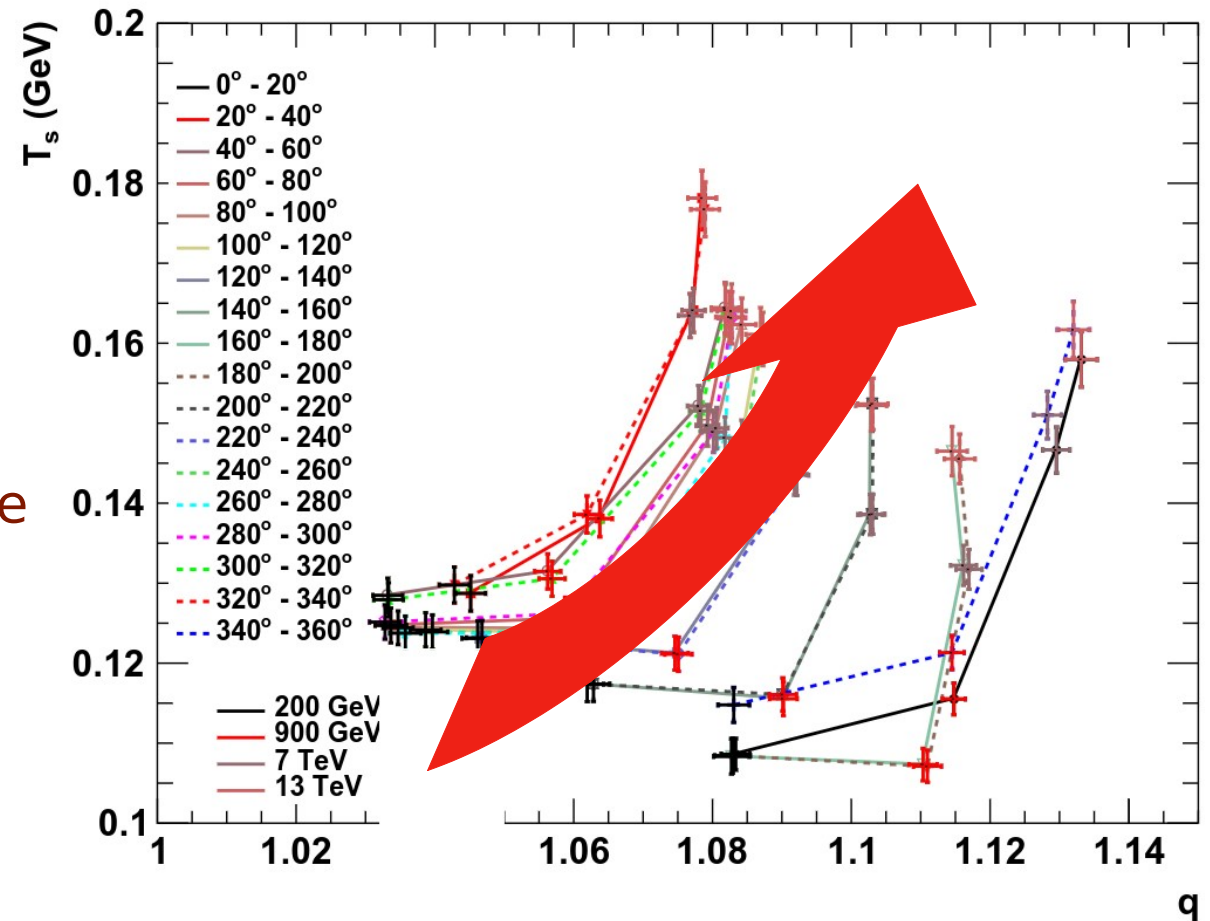
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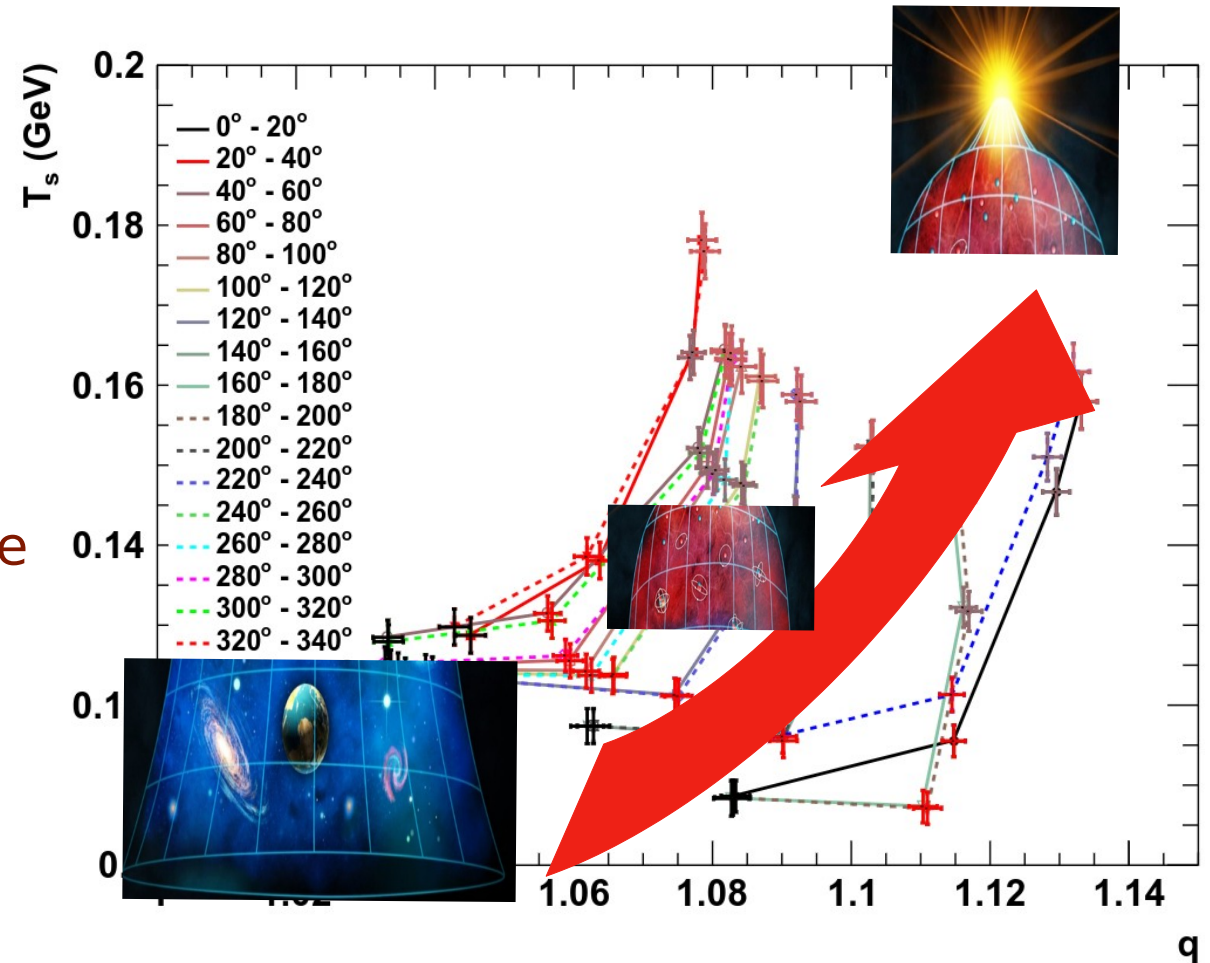
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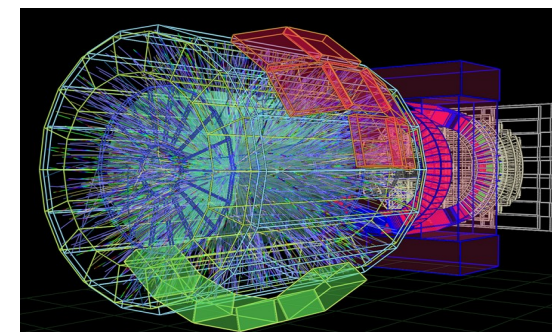
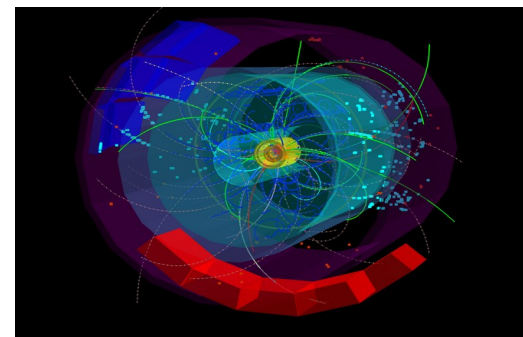
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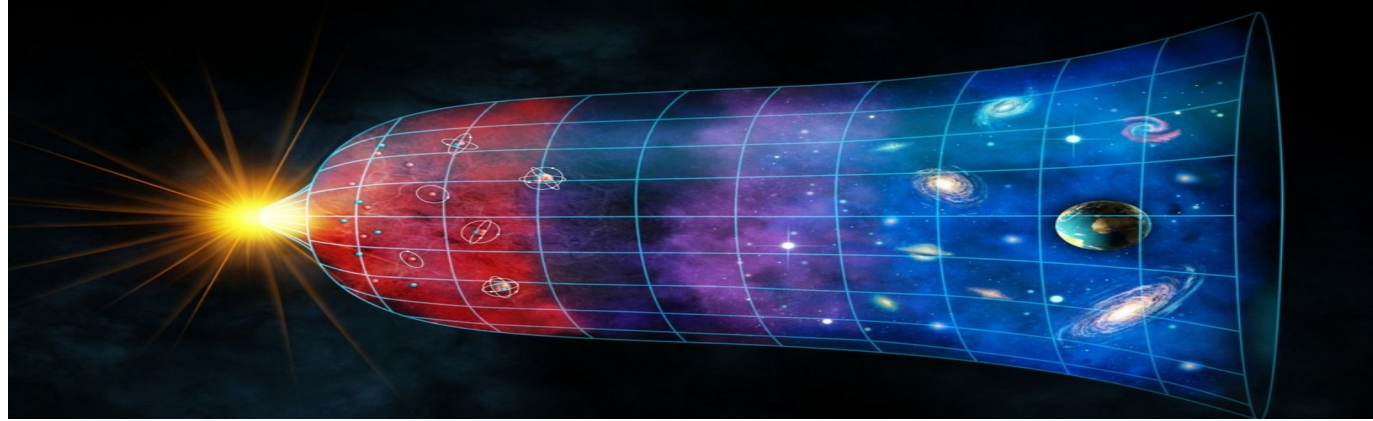
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Conclusions

- **Could we understand UE?**
 - Not yet, but getting closer by quantifying them
 - Model UE: PYTHIA (CR, MPI), HIJING (minijet)
 - UE properties has been charaterized
 - Tsallis-Pareto fits well in narrow slices
 - **To take away...**
 - Tsallis-thermometer present wider UE
 - In degrees CDF: $[60,120] \rightarrow [40,140]$
 - Event shape classification support the model
 - Scales with c.m. energy well
- UE has been quantified, next step...**
- Measure & investigate in pA or AA?**

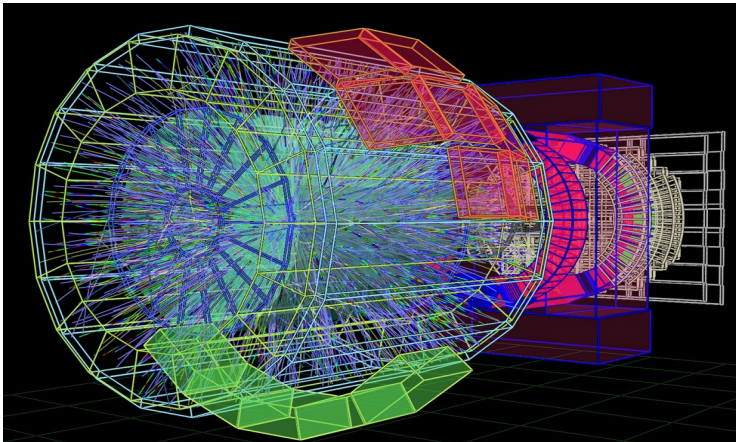


So, again....



Which one is the “closest” to the early Universe?

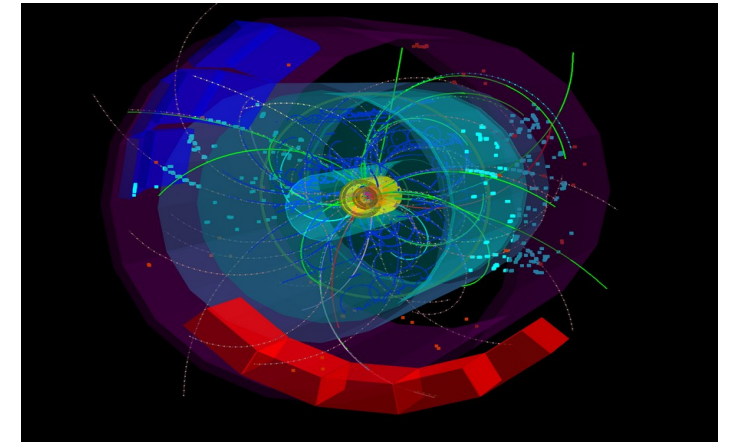
A) PbPb collision



C) Cup of coffee



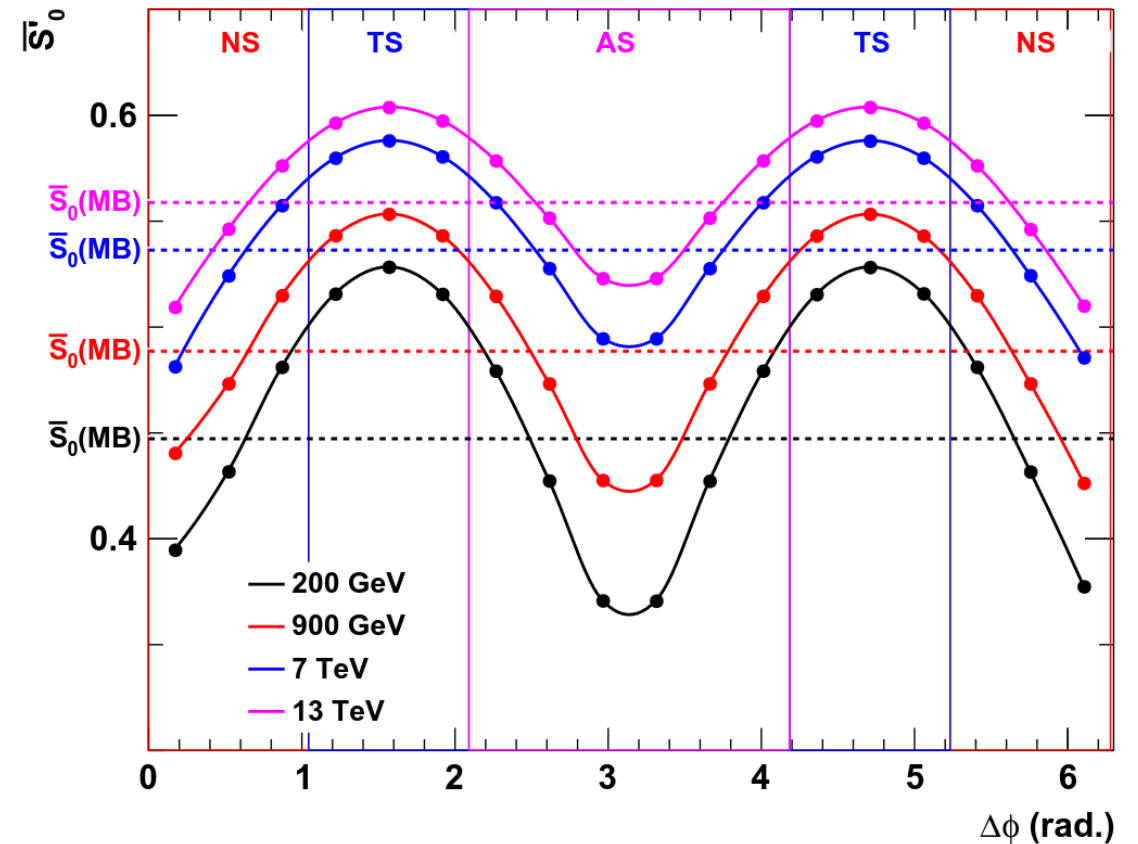
B) pp collision



Muchas Gracias!

Tsallis-thermometer from RHIC to LHC

- **PYTHIA spectra with sliding angle from RHIC to LHC**
 - Multiplicity goes with the logarithm of the c.m. energy
 - Leading particle line is the outlier
 - The structure of the curve is stable
 - Spherocity is increasing, but the size of the effect is the same
- → **Nice c.m. energy scaling trends, in spherocity as well**



Derivatives of the parameters

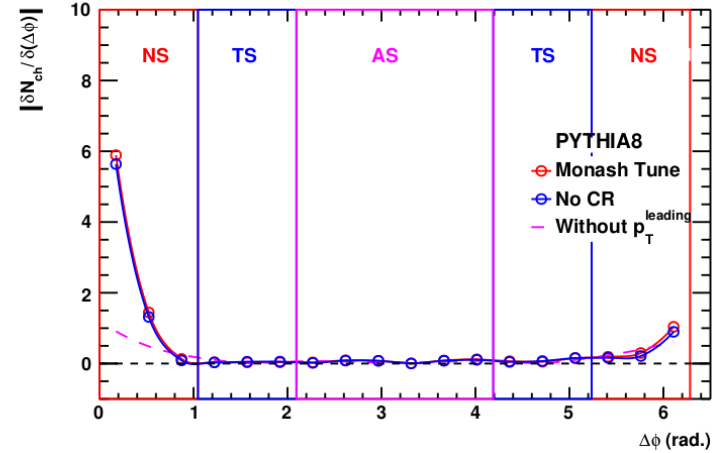
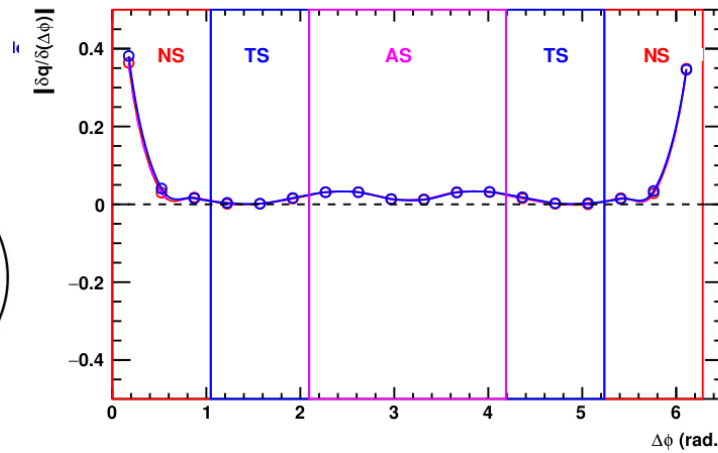
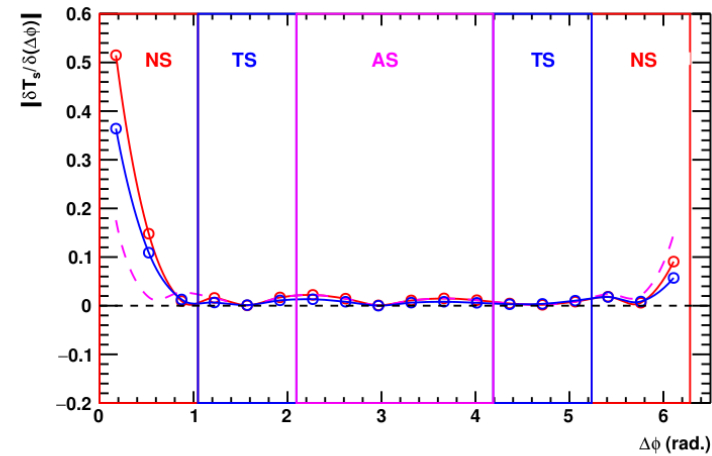
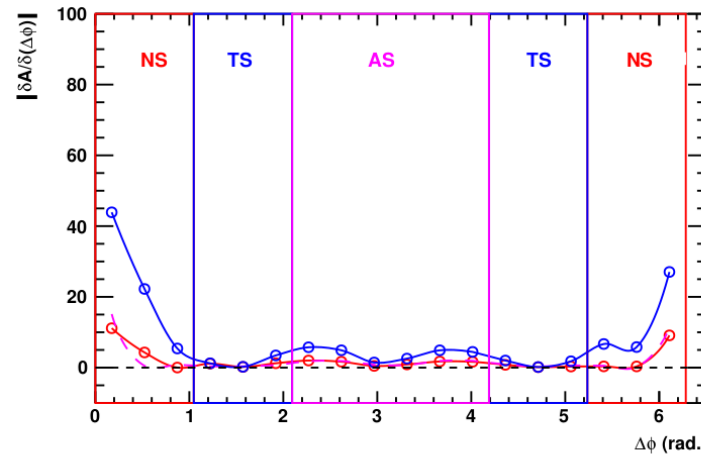
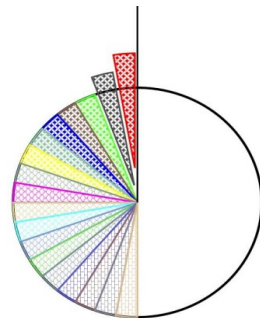
- PYTHIA spectra parameter derivatives with sliding angle**

- PYTHIA's model UE: CR & MPI
- TS (+AS) → constant T & q

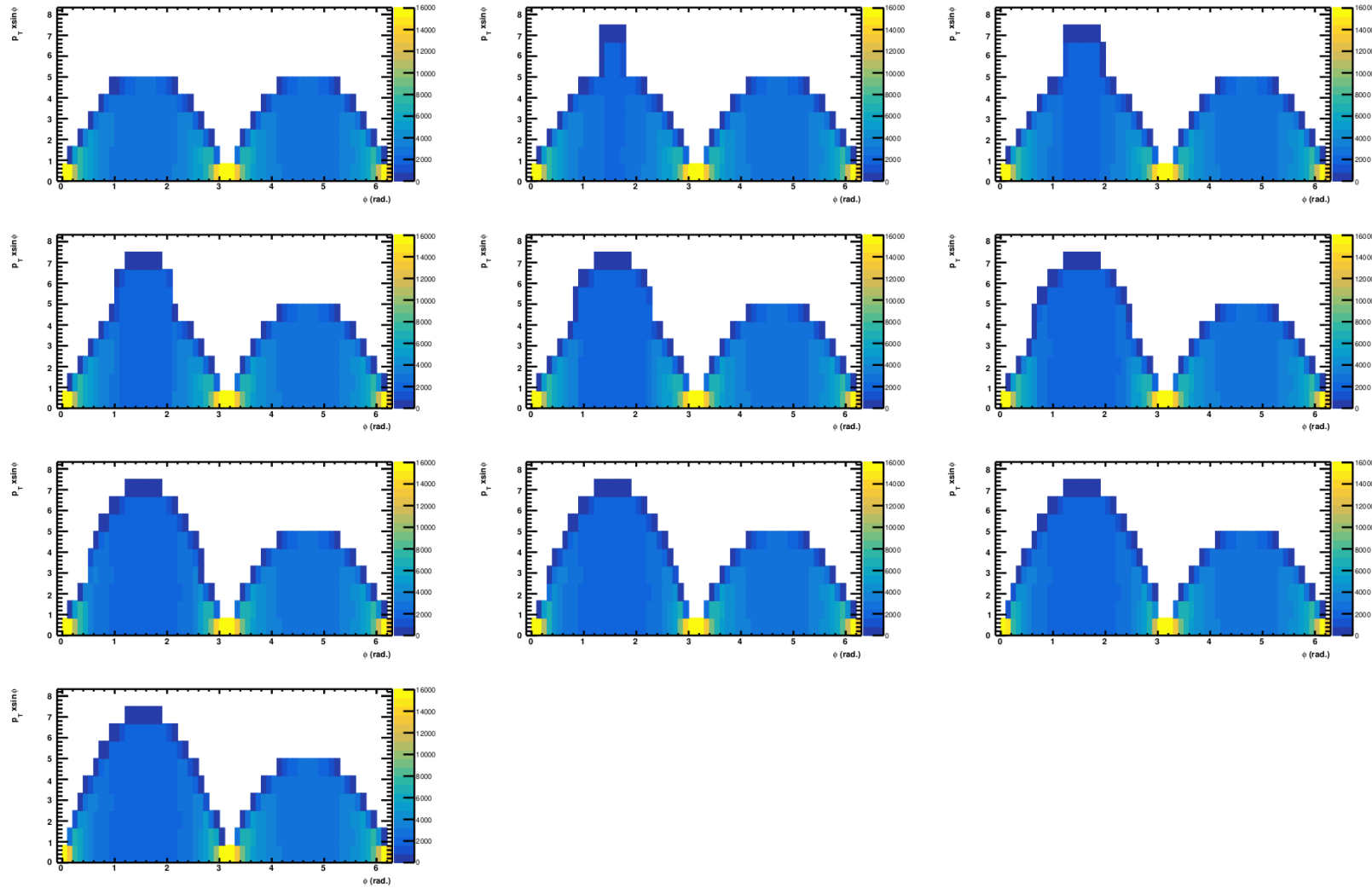
$$\frac{\delta T_s}{\delta(\Delta\phi)} \neq 0 \quad \& \quad \frac{\delta q}{\delta(\Delta\phi)} \neq 0 \quad (\text{for NS \& AS})$$

$$\frac{\delta T_s}{\delta(\Delta\phi)} \approx 0 \quad \& \quad \frac{\delta q}{\delta(\Delta\phi)} \approx 0 \quad (\text{for TS})$$

- NS → highest T
- NS/AS → highest q
- Multiplicity $\sim A$



Spherocity model with multiplicity



Thermodynamical consistency?

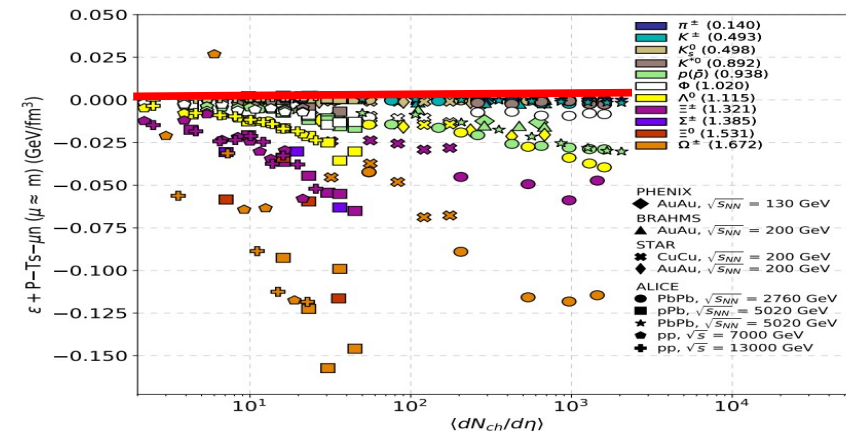
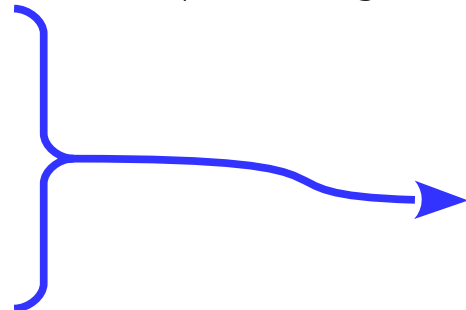
Thermodynamical consistency: fulfilled up to a high degree

$$P = g \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} T f,$$

$$N = nV = gV \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} f q,$$

$$s = g \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \left[\frac{E - \mu}{T} f q + f \right],$$

$$\varepsilon = g \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} E f$$



Compare EoS to data: Lattice QCD (parton) & Biró-Jakovác parton-hadron

