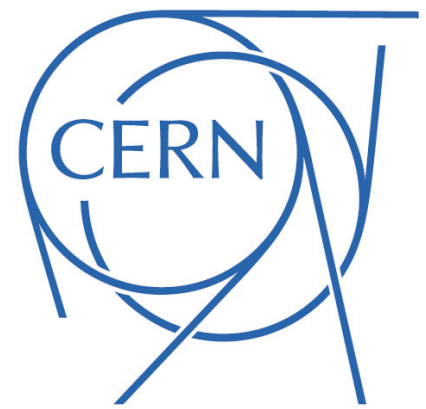


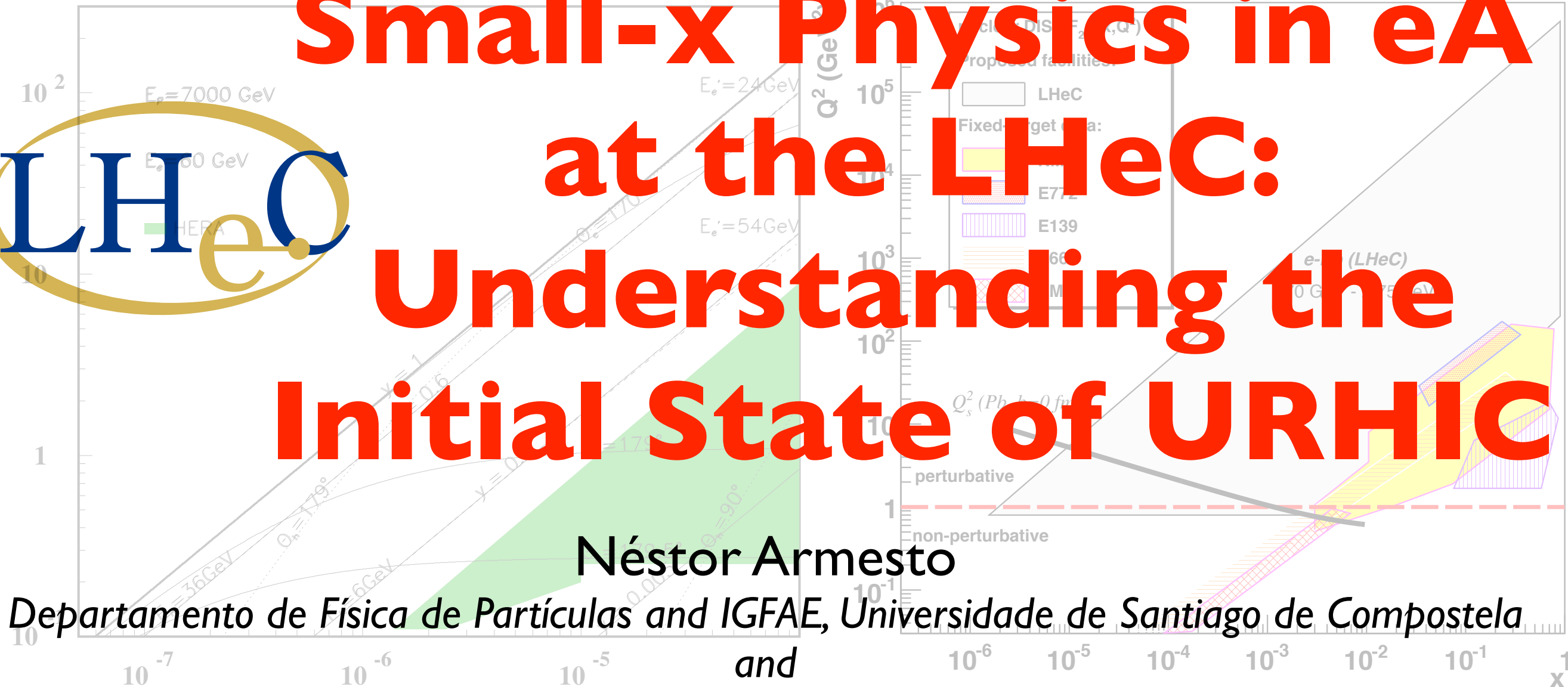


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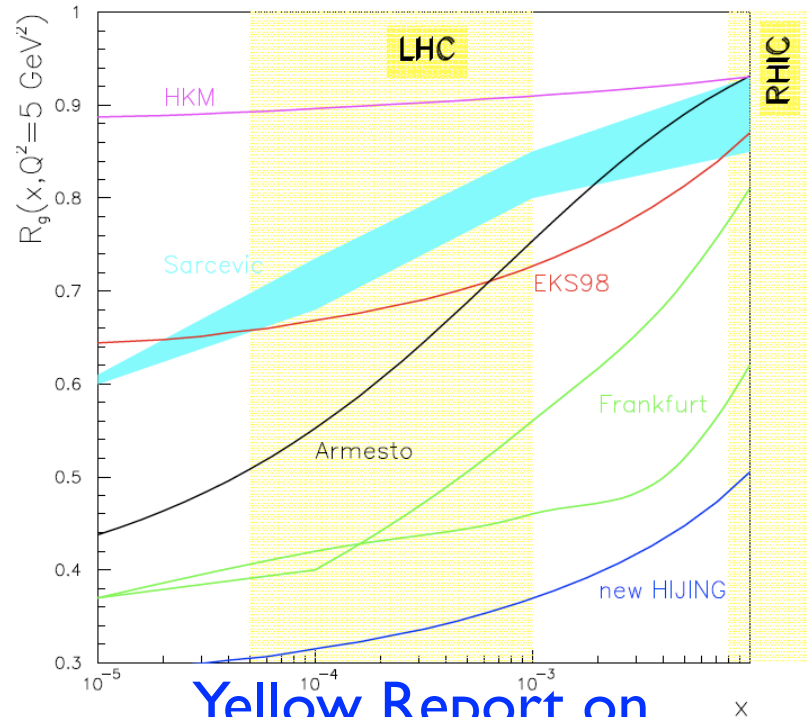
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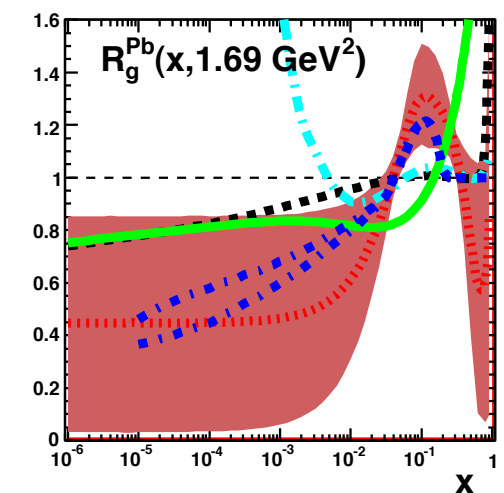
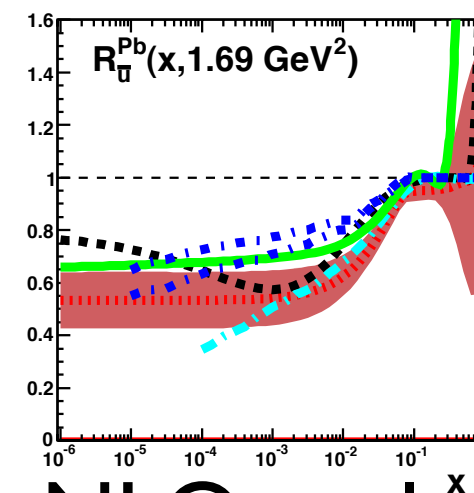
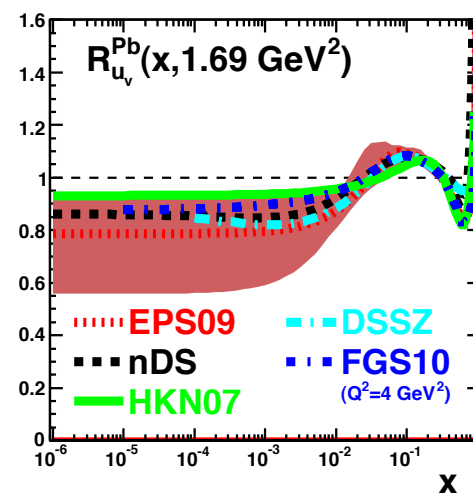
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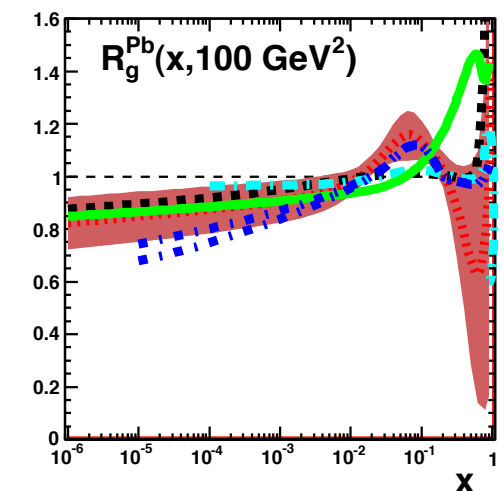
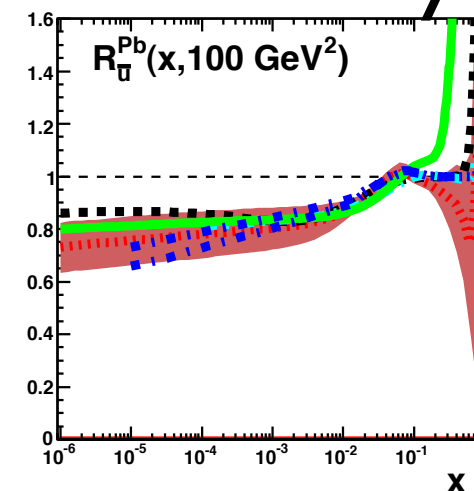
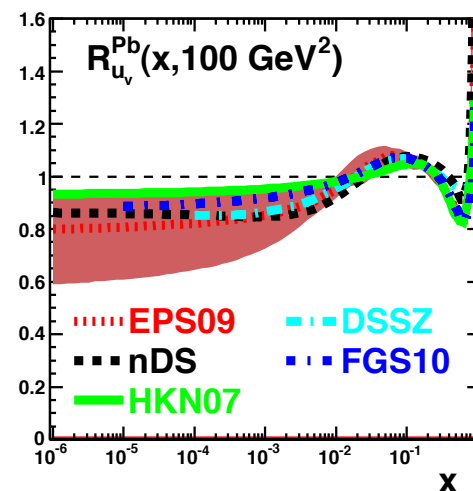


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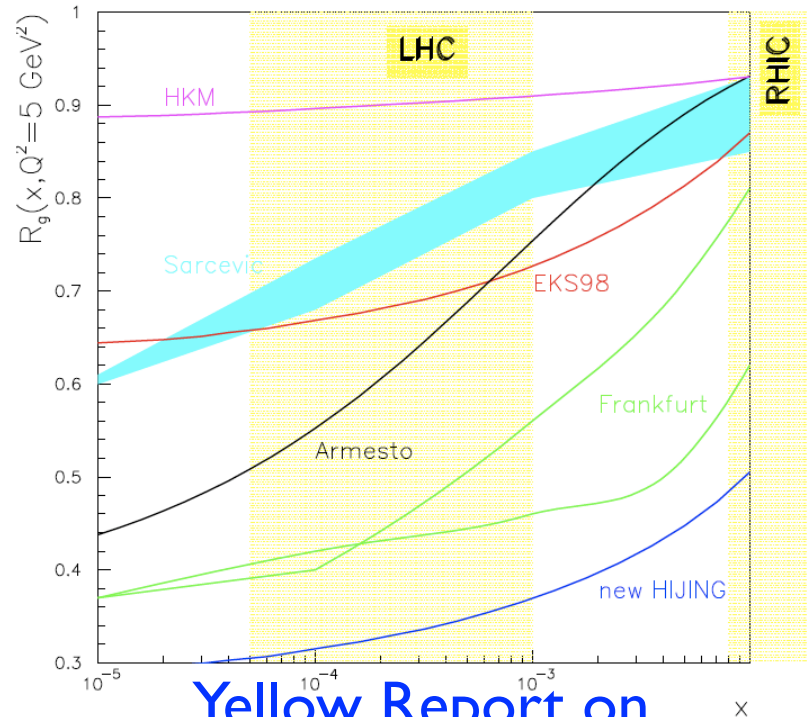


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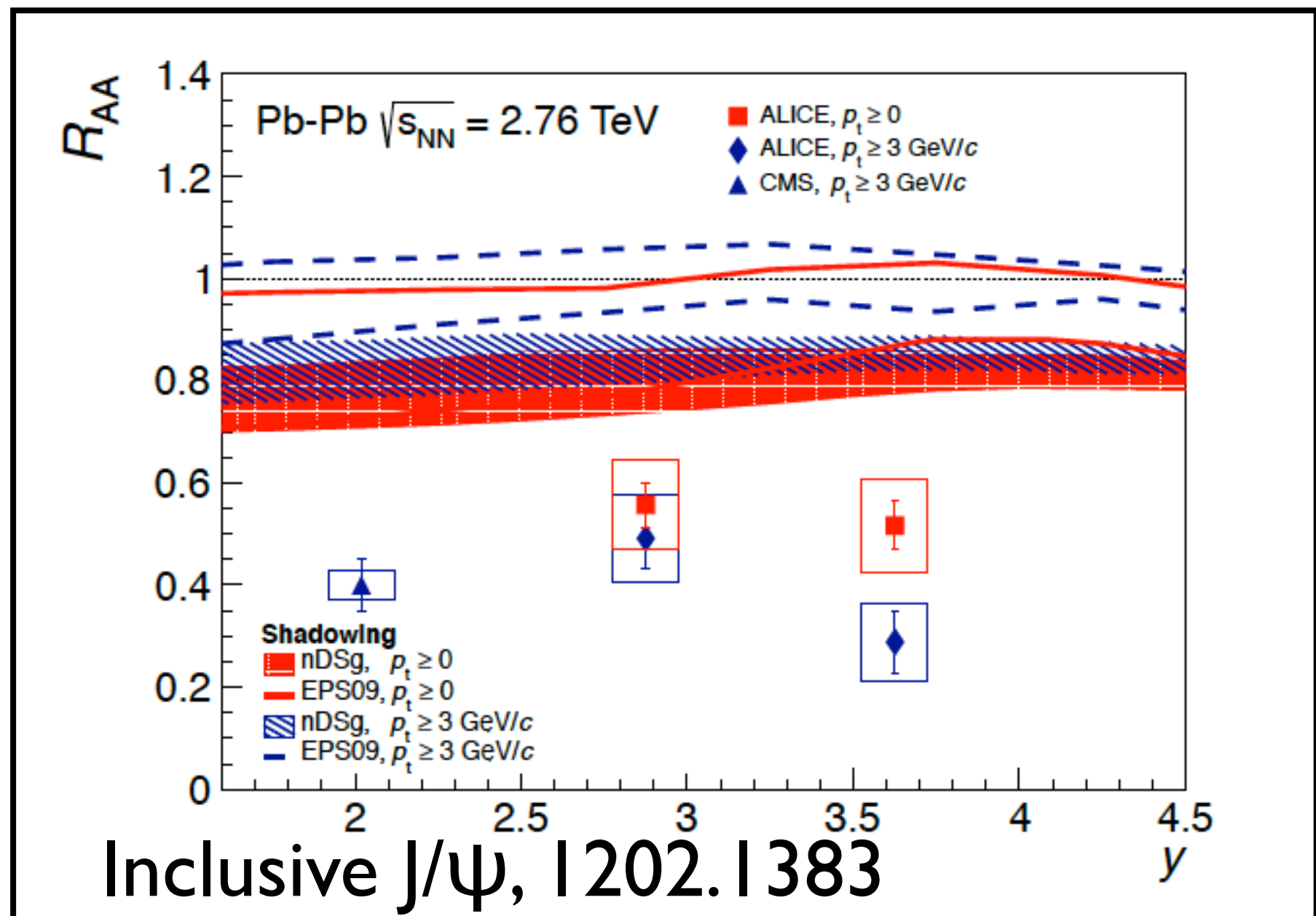
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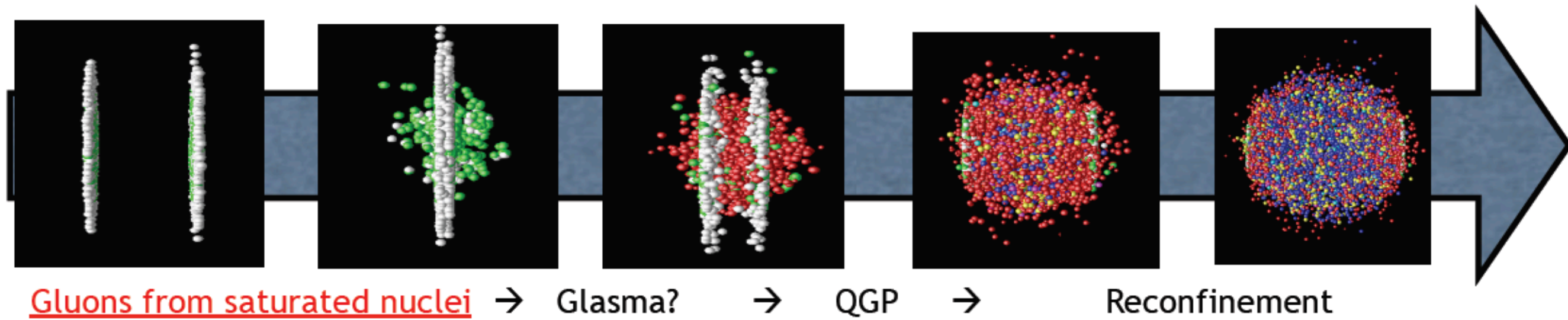
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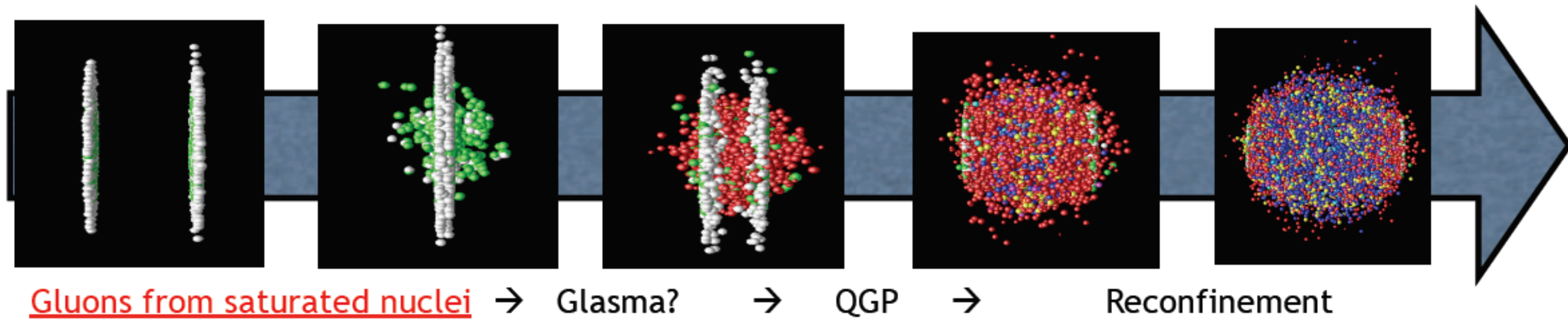


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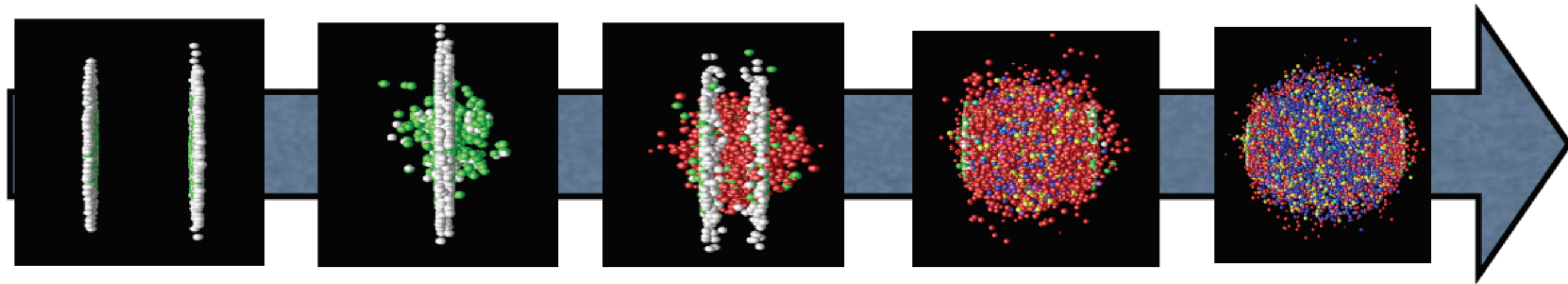


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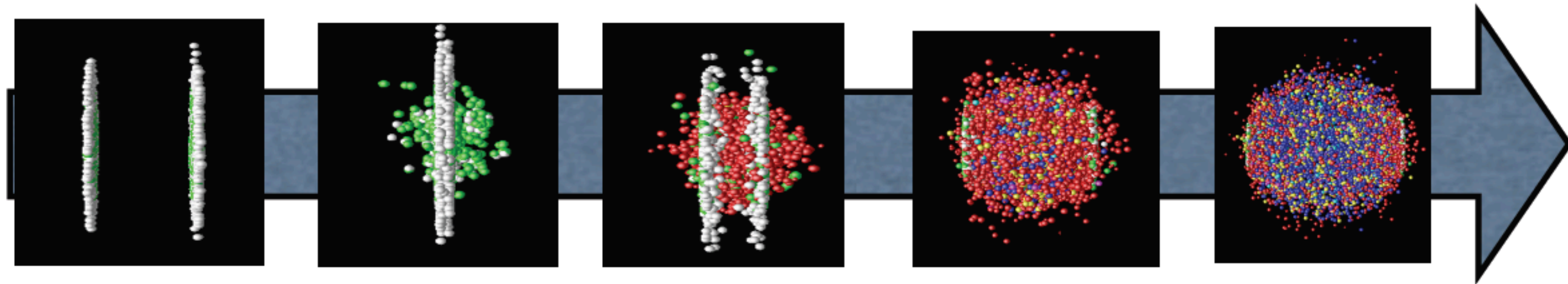


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- Probing the medium through energetic particles (jet quenching etc.): **modification of QCD radiation and hadronization in the nuclear medium.**

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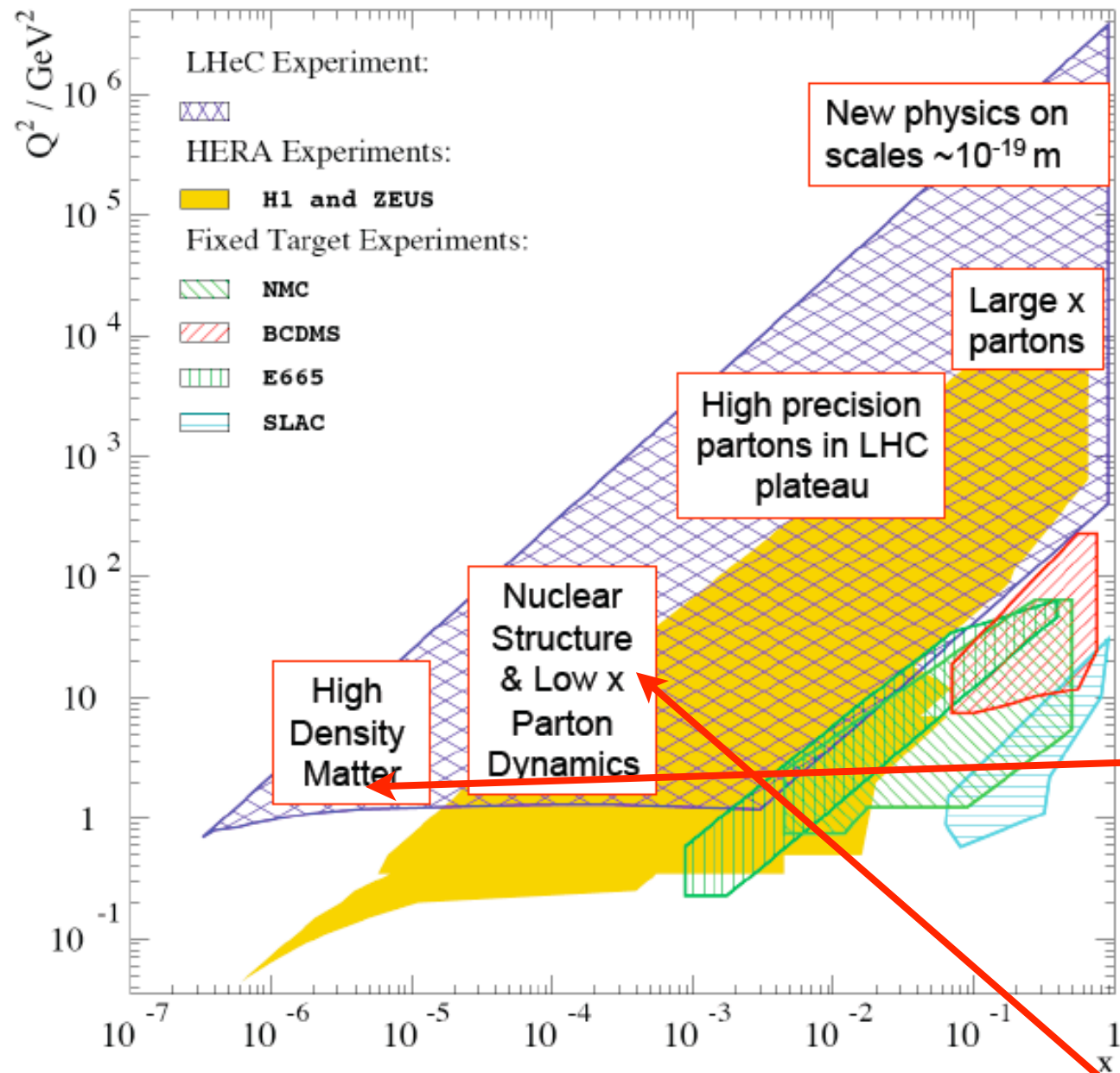
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Physics goals:

- Proton structure to a few 10^{-20} m: Q^2 lever arm.
- Precision QCD/EW physics.
- Higgs physics.
- High-mass frontier (lq, excited fermions, contact interactions).
- Unambiguous access, in ep and eA, to a qualitatively novel regime of matter predicted by QCD.
- Substructure/parton dynamics inside nuclei with strong implications on QGP search.



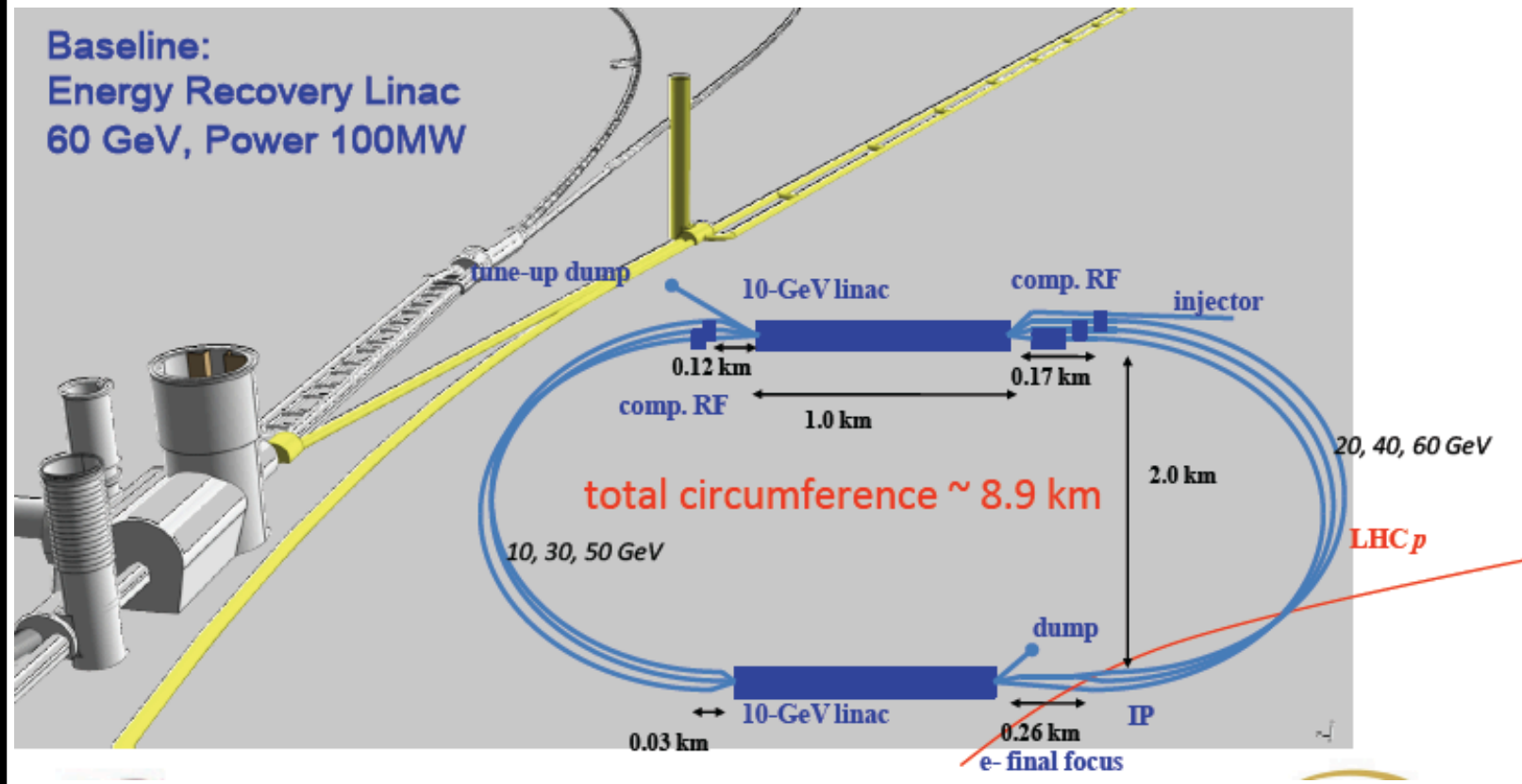
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- Design considerations:**
- $L \sim 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$.
 - Power < 70 MW.
 - Synchronous pp/ep.
- $E_e = 60 \text{ GeV}$ (benchmark).**

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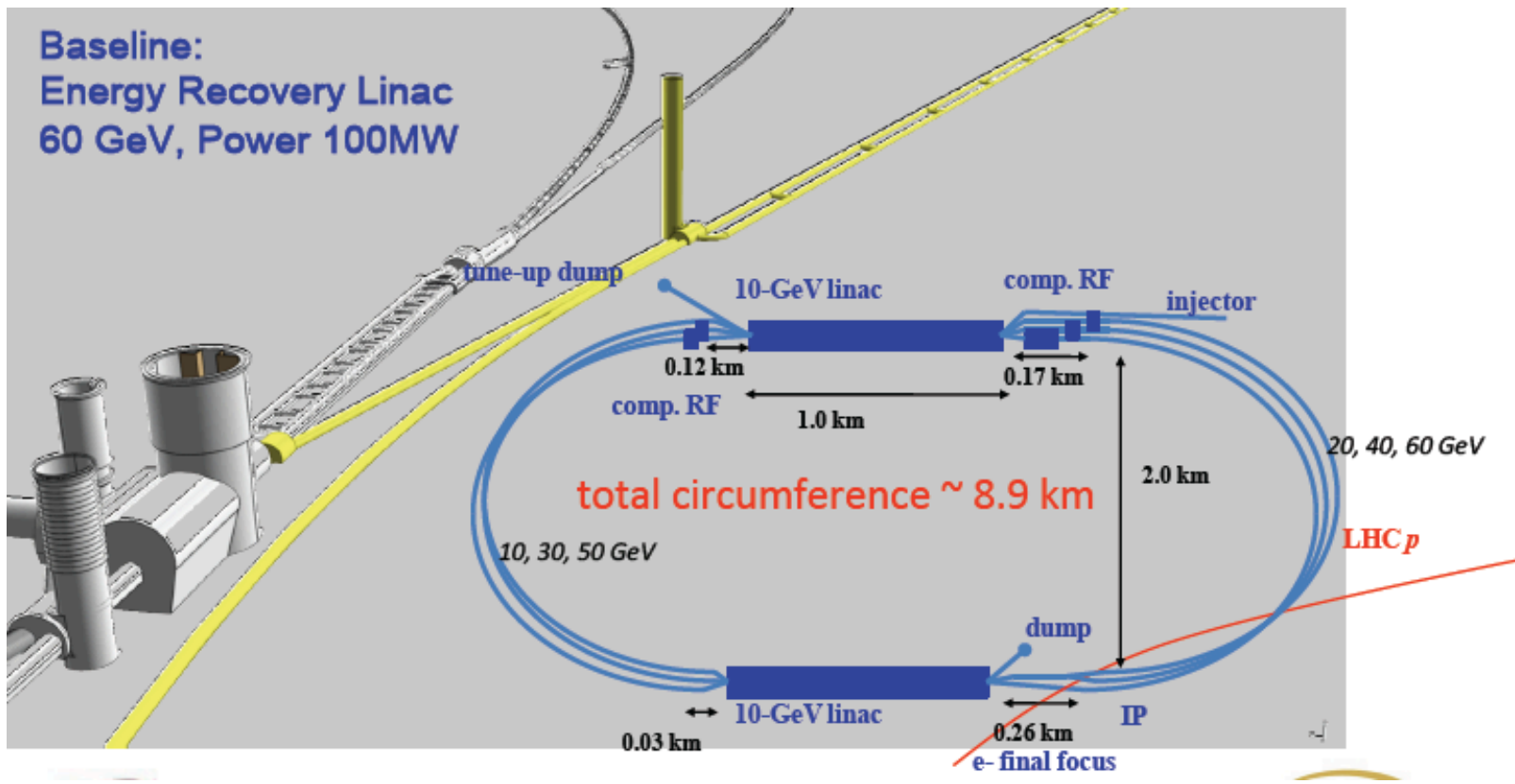
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electron beam	LR ERL	LR
e- energy at IP[GeV]	60	140
luminosity [$10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$]	10	0.44
polarization [%]	90	90
bunch population [10^9]	2.0	1.6
e- bunch length [mm]	0.3	0.3
bunch interval [ns]	50	50
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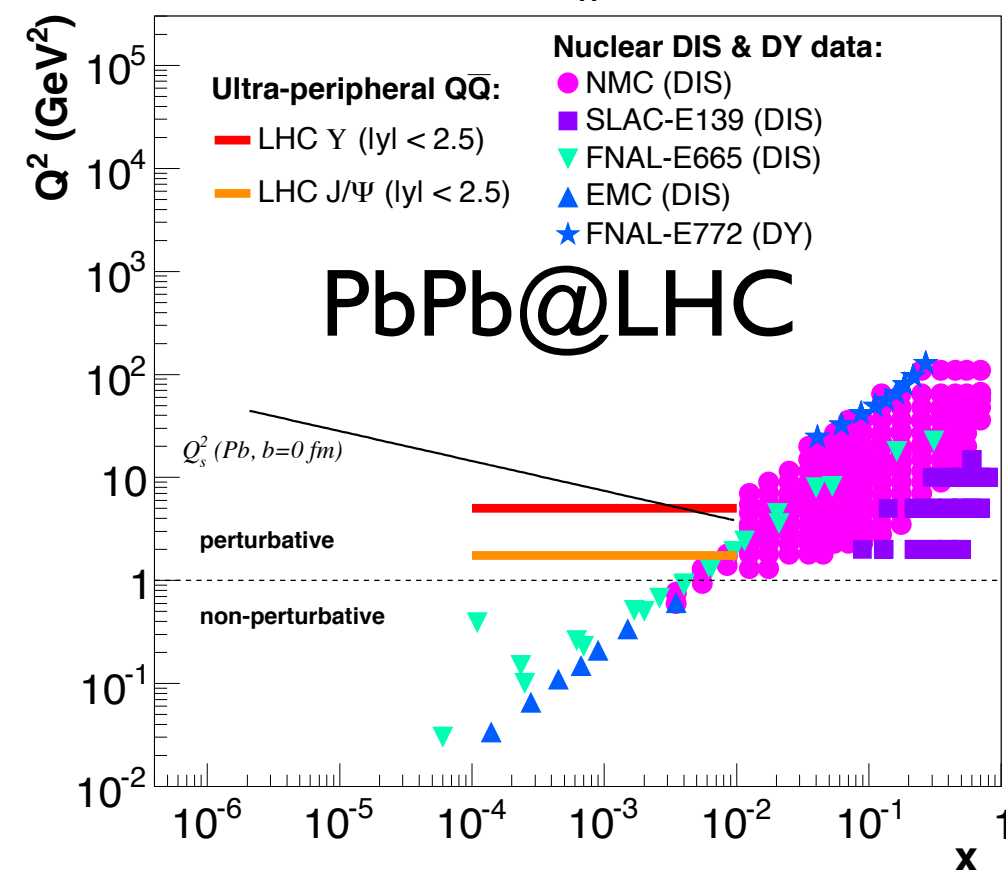
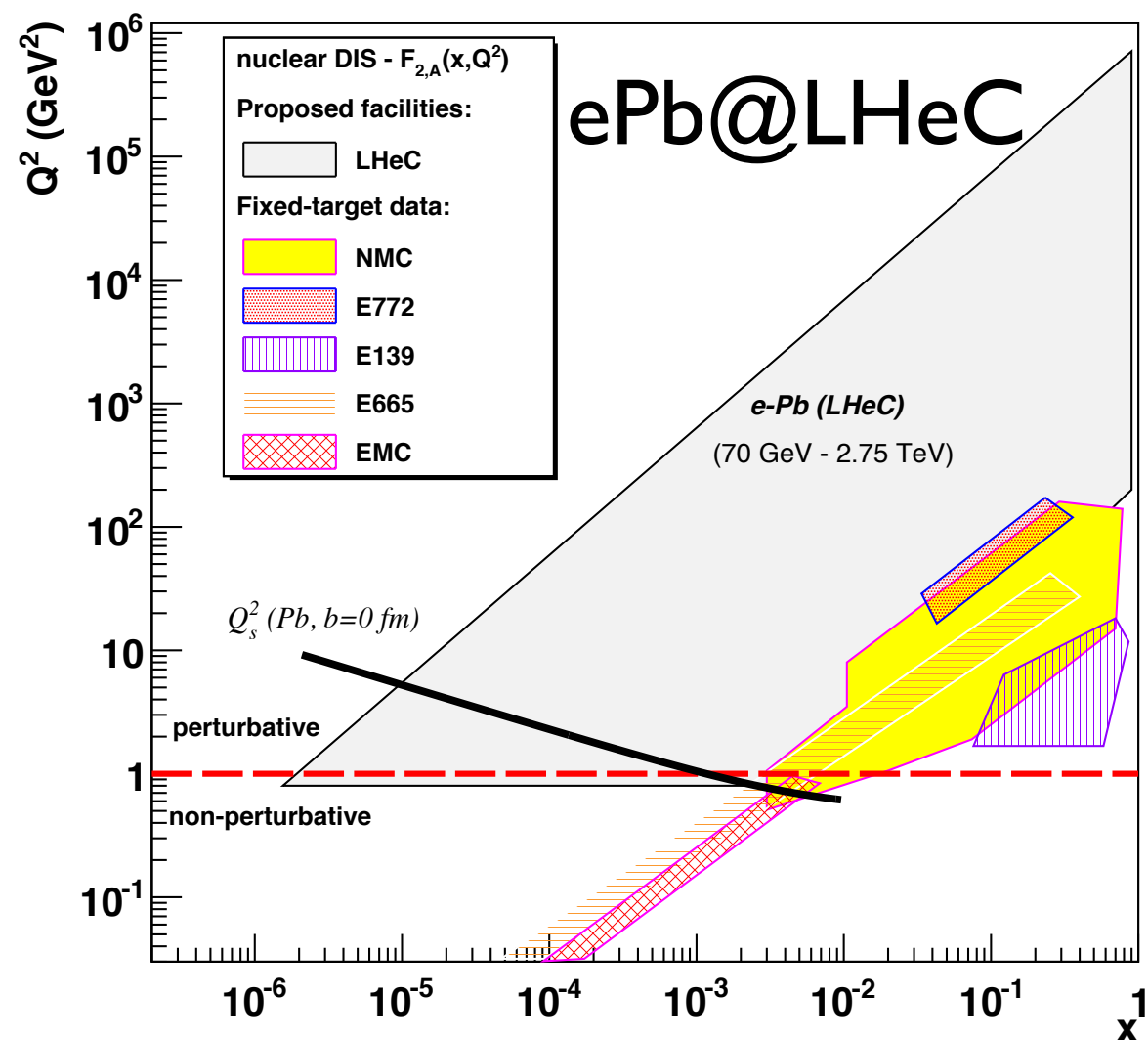
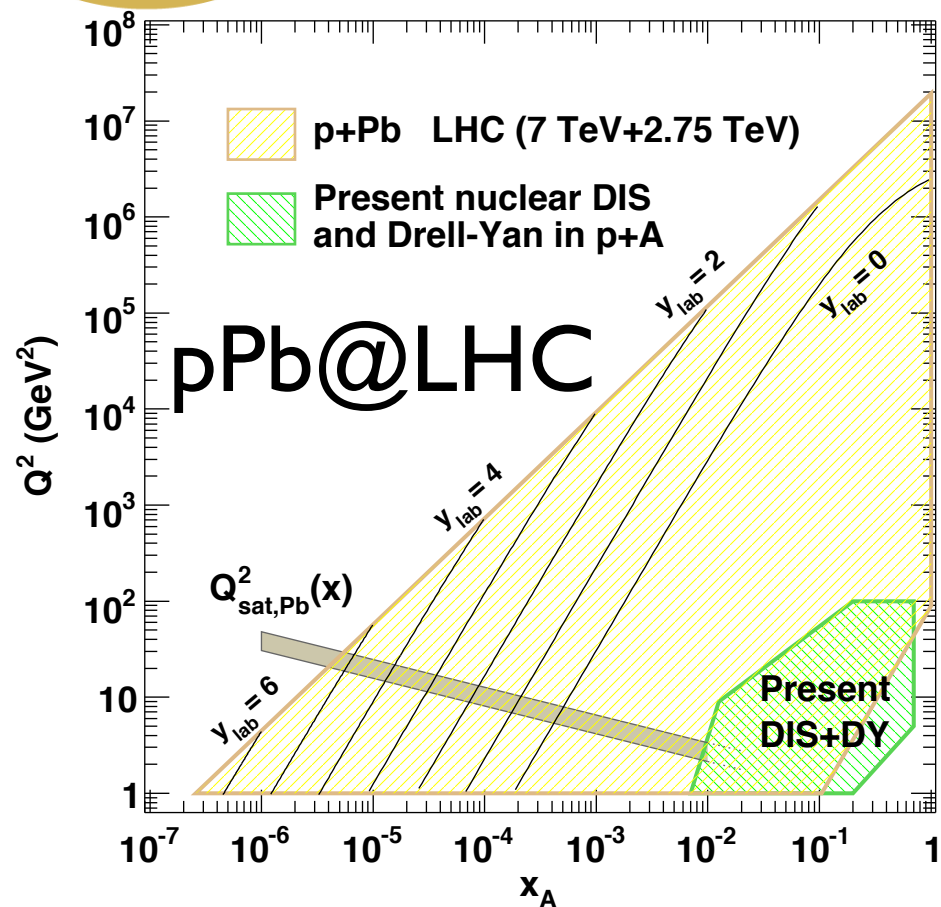
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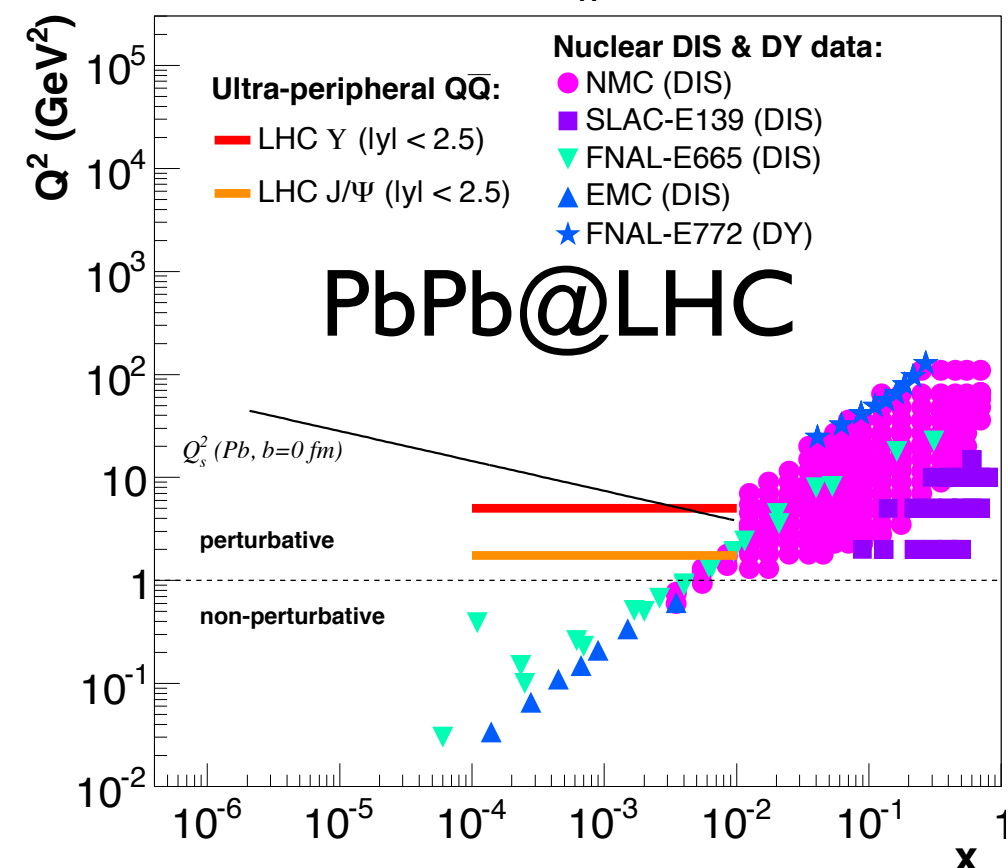
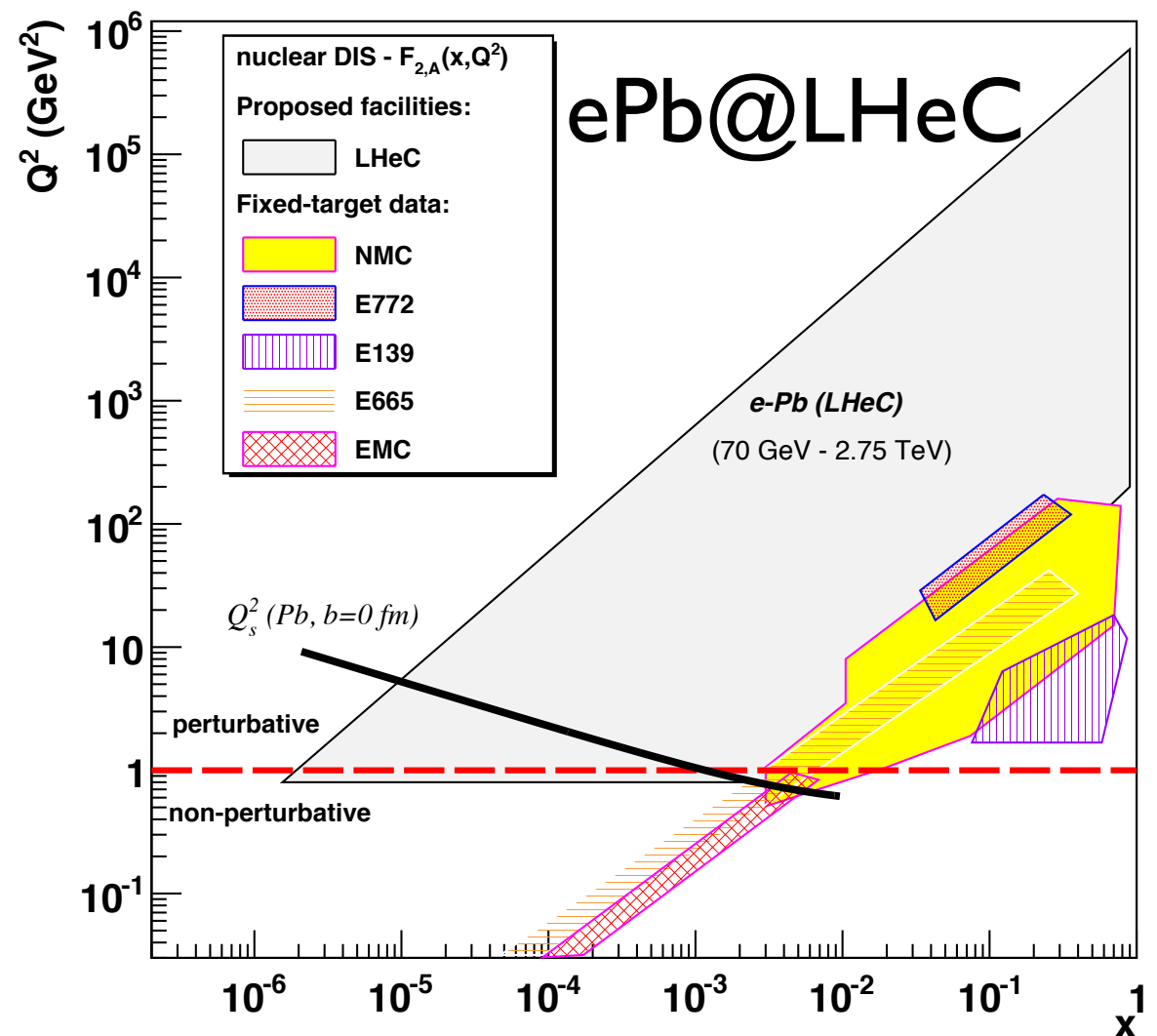
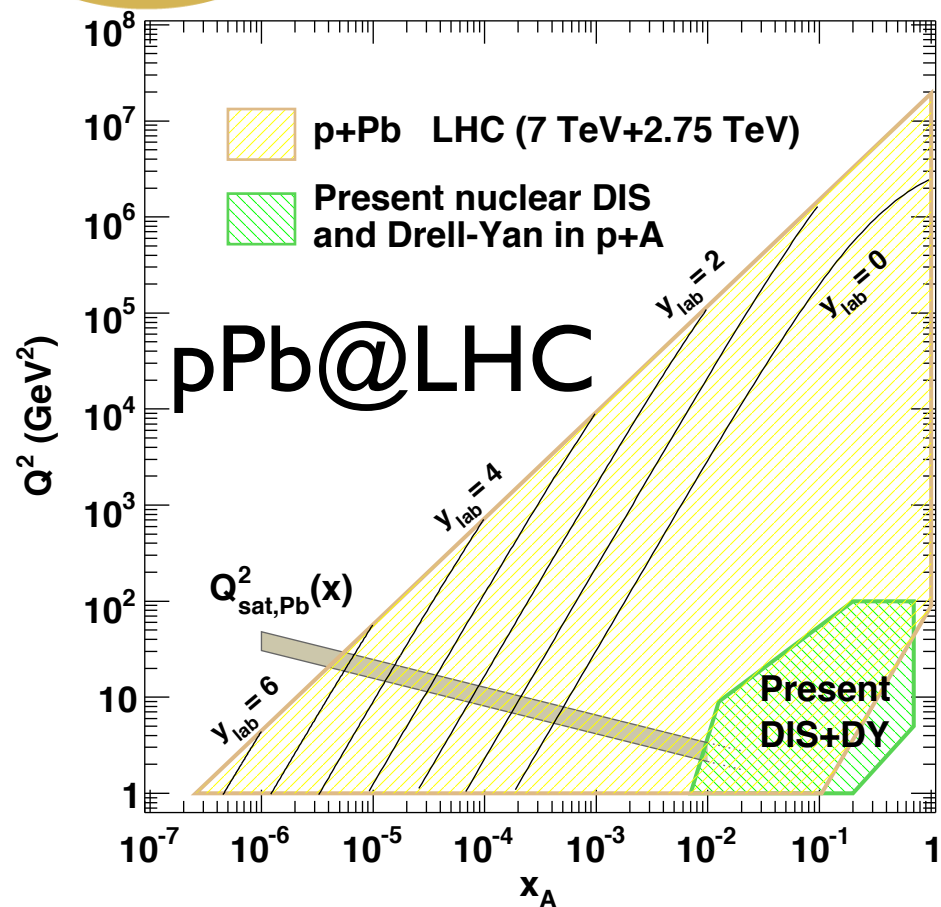
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- in a cleaner experimental setup;
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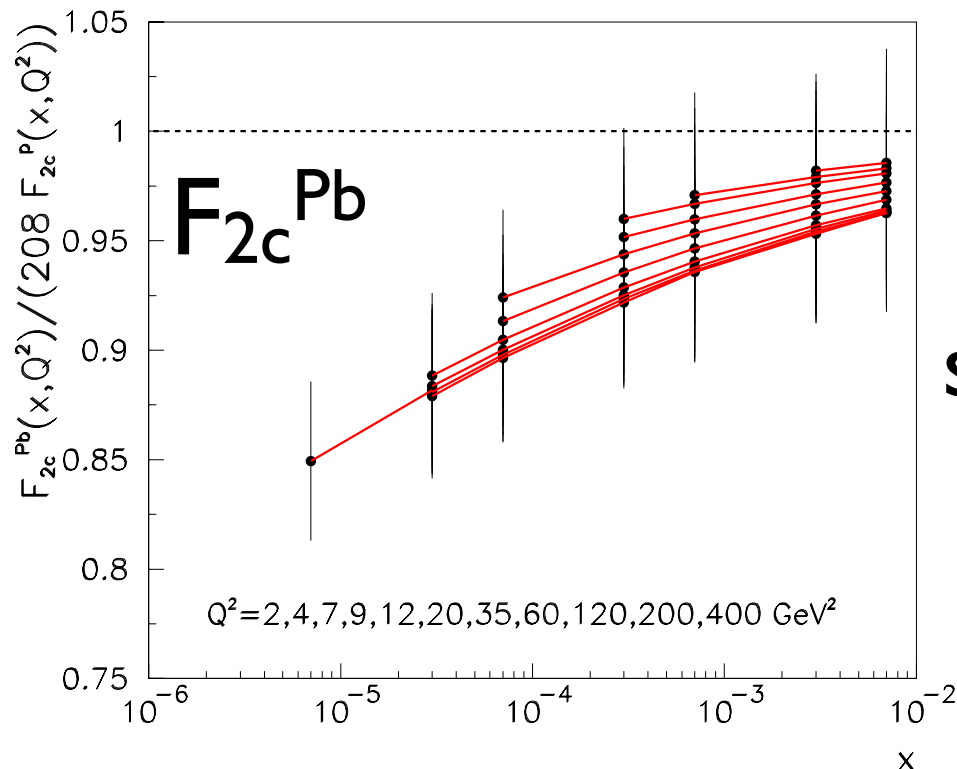
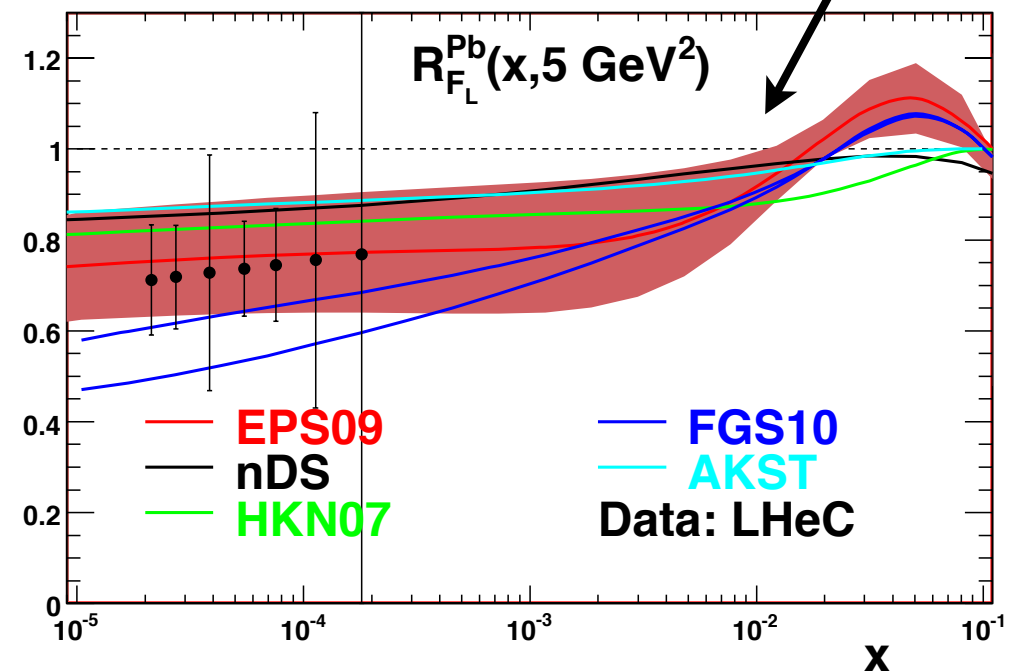
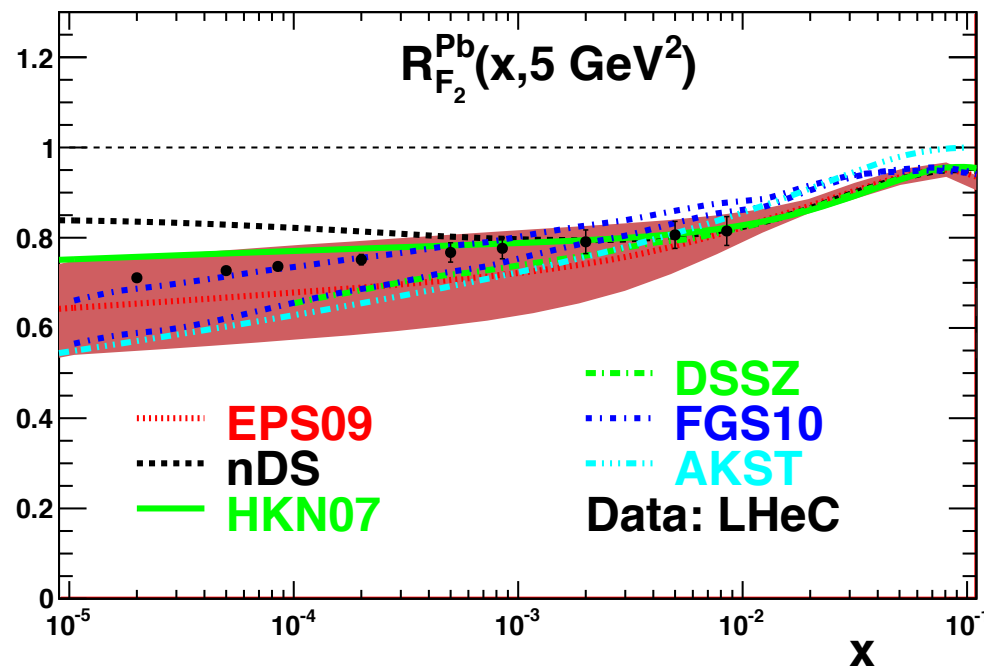
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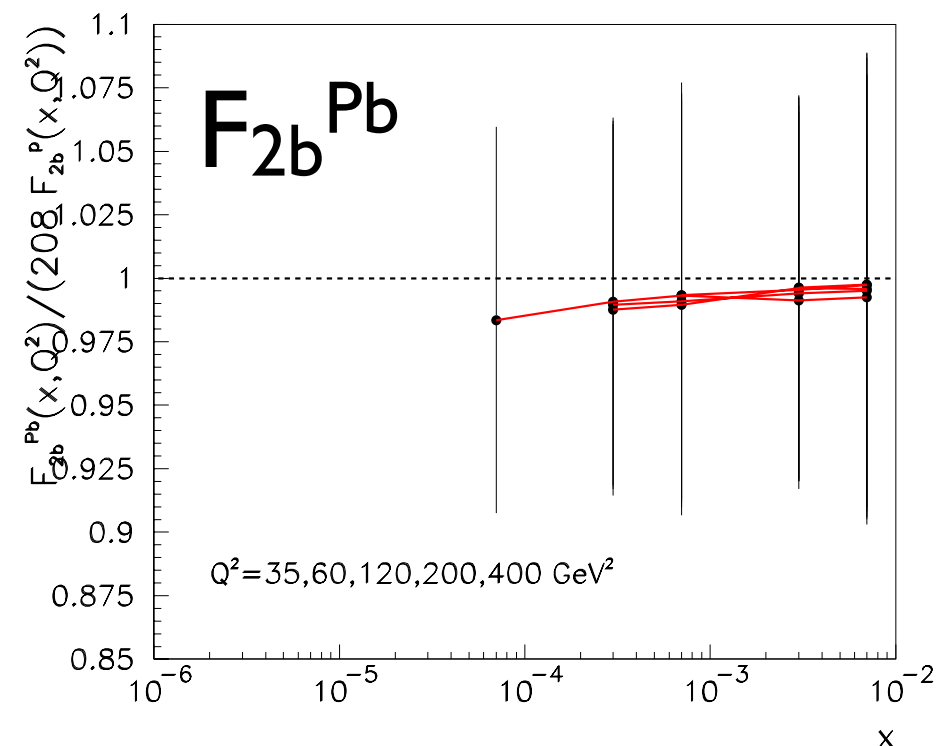
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Not optimized!



Note the scale!!!



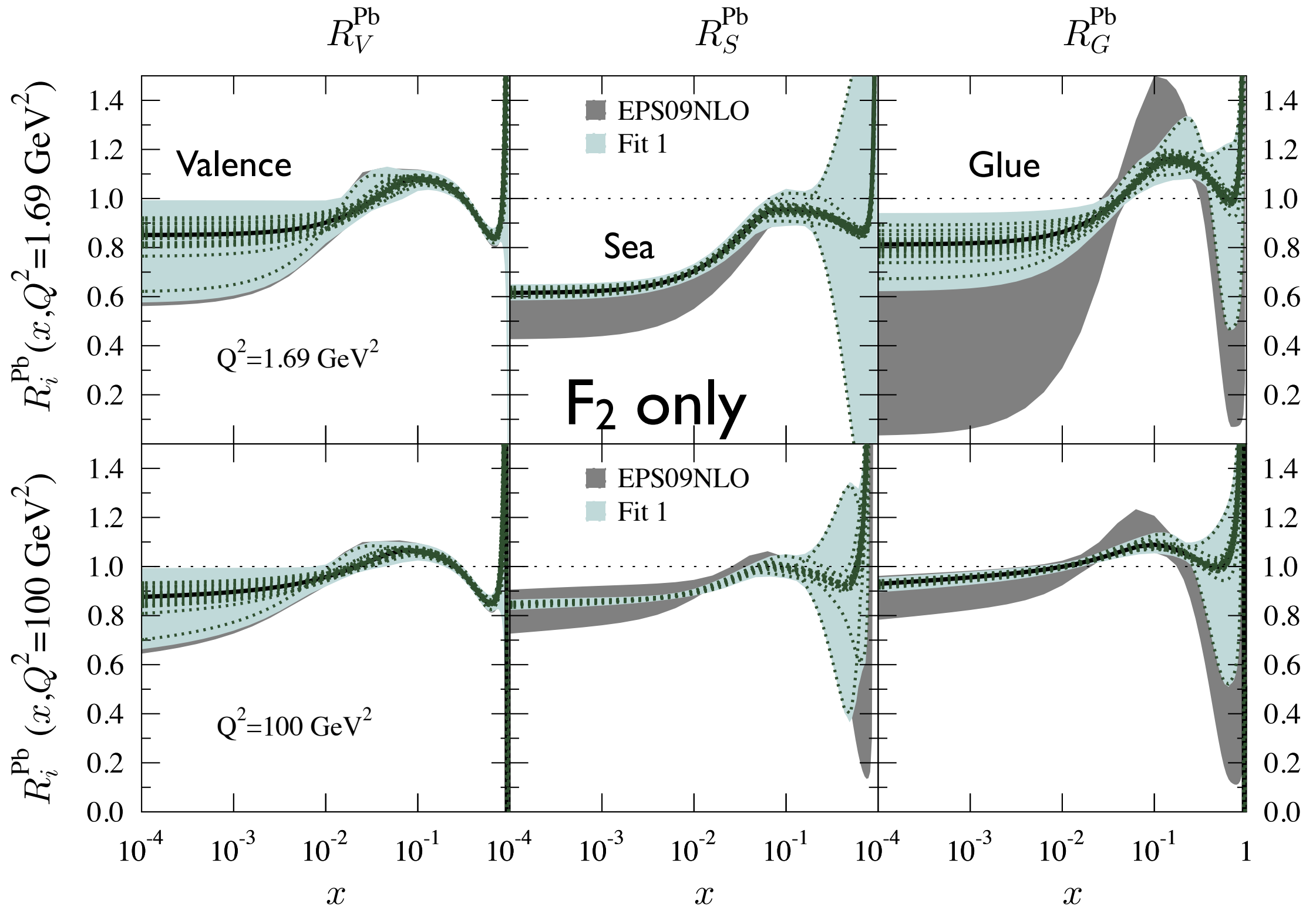


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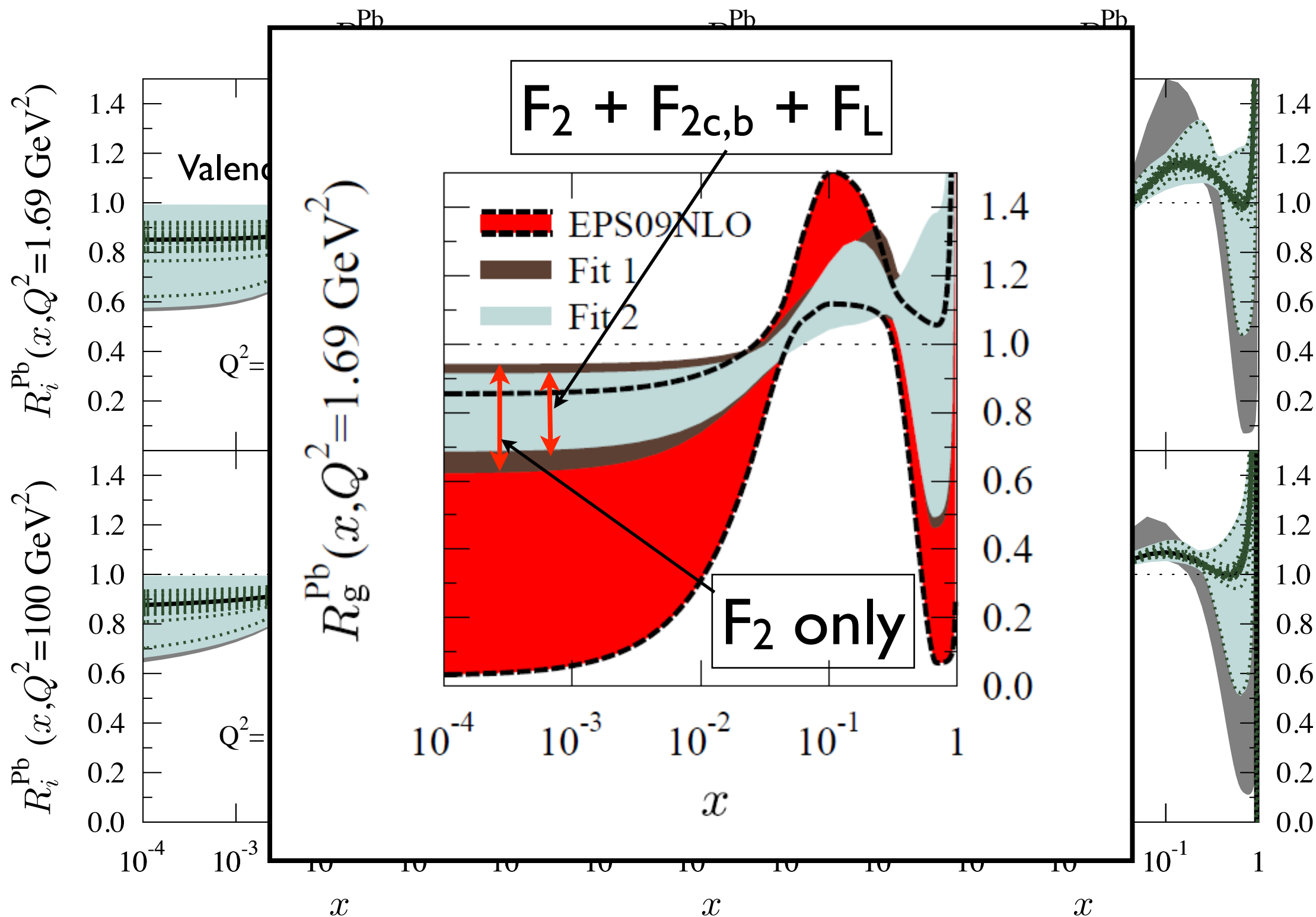
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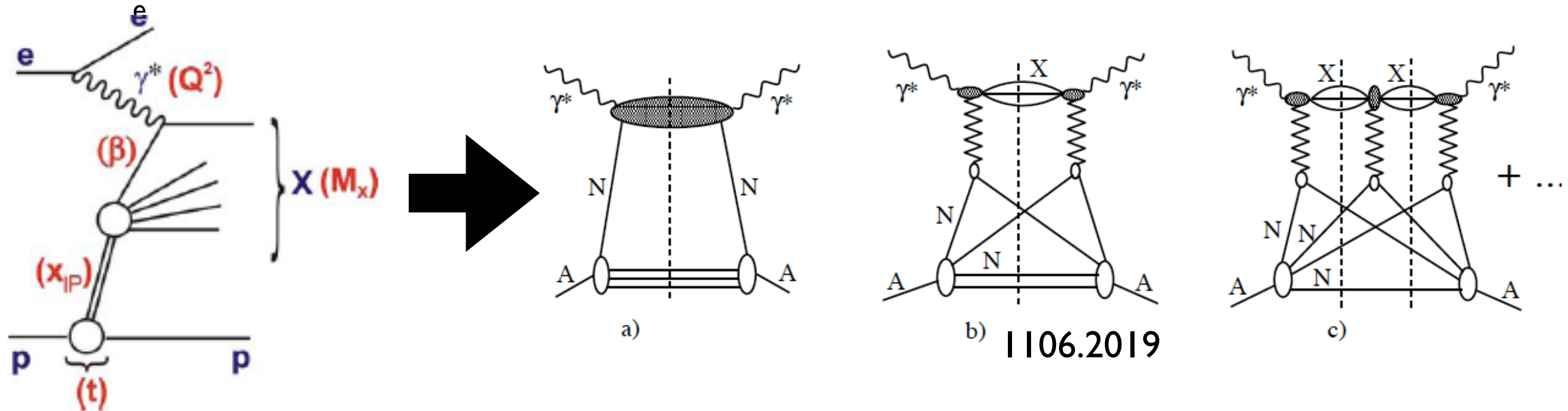


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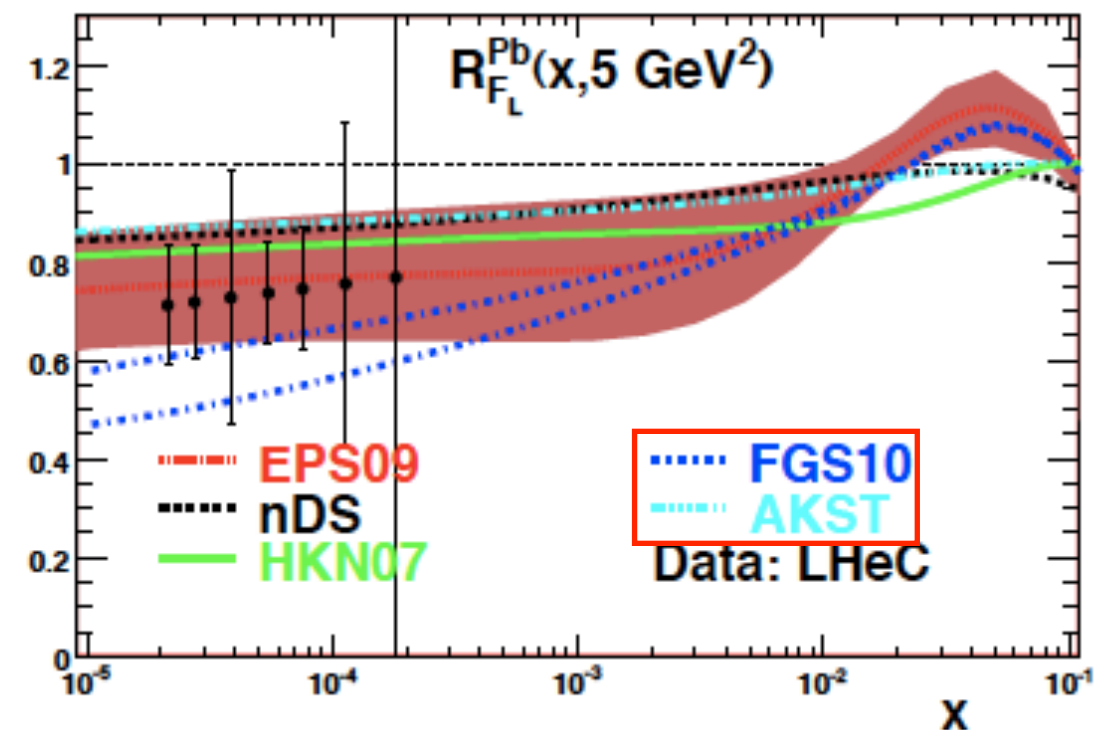
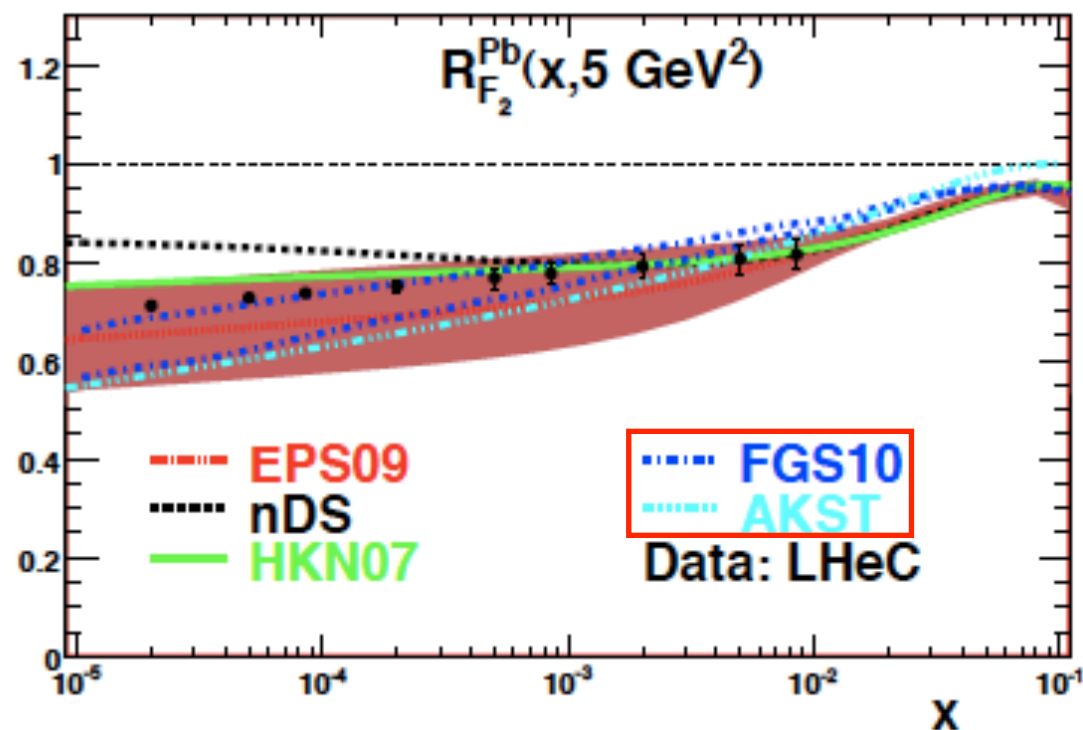
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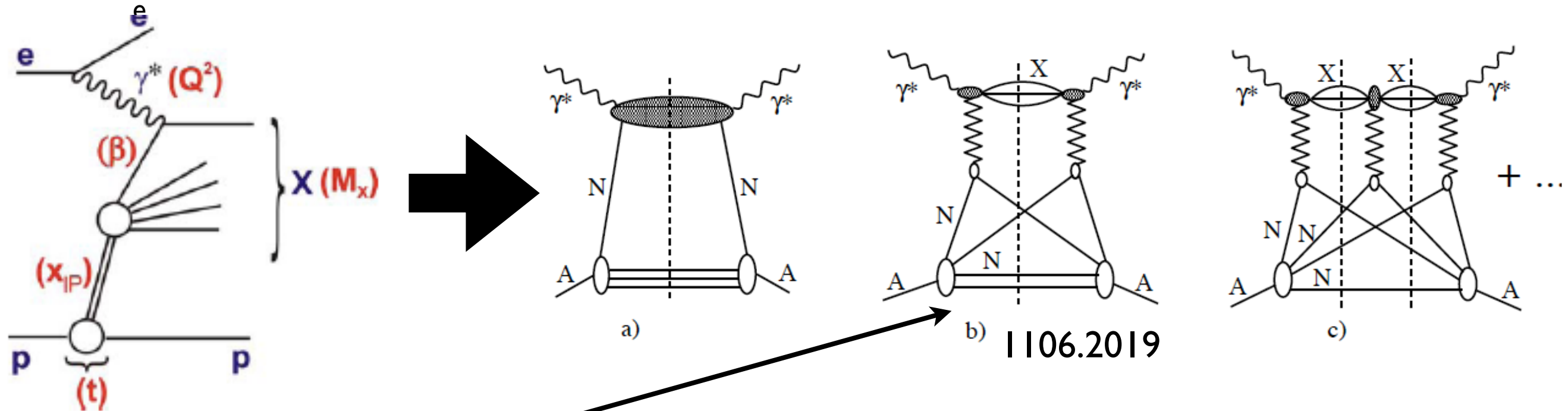
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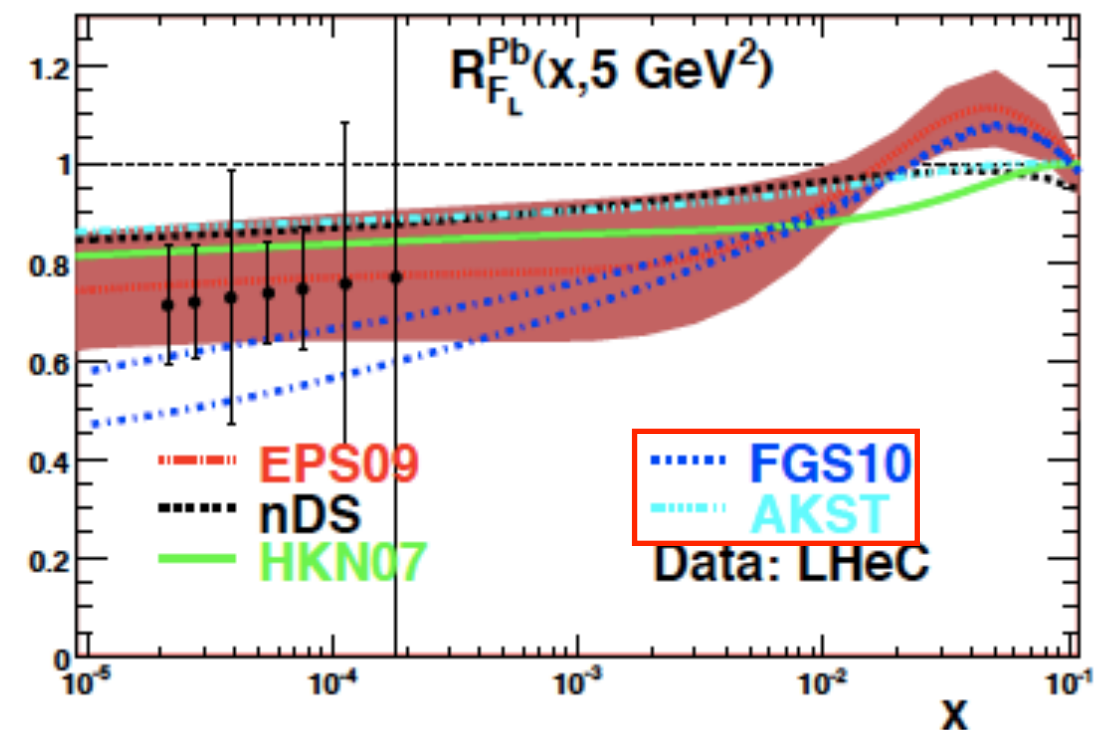
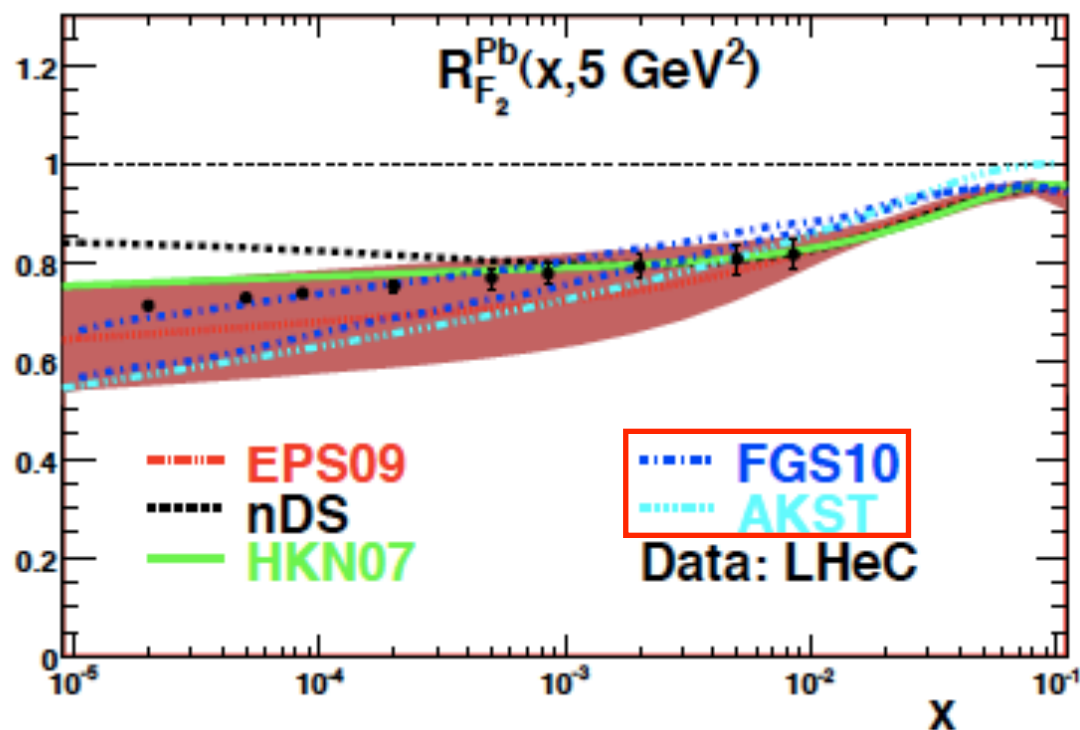
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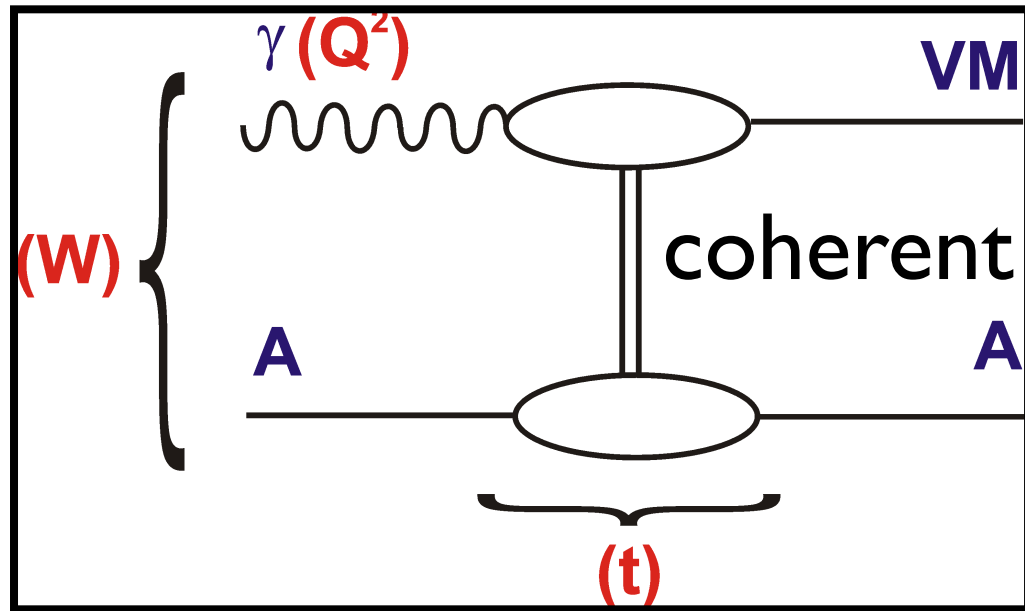
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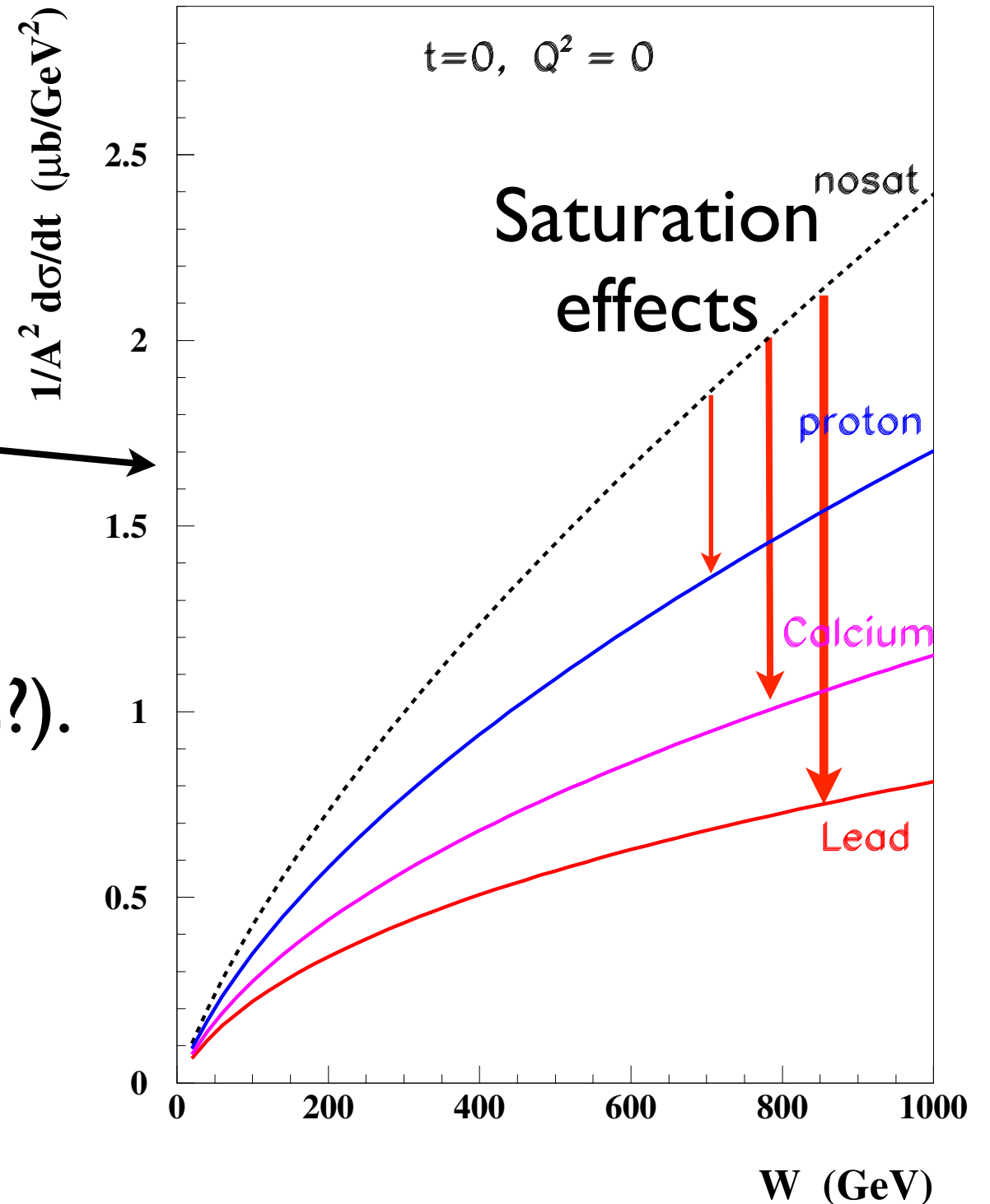
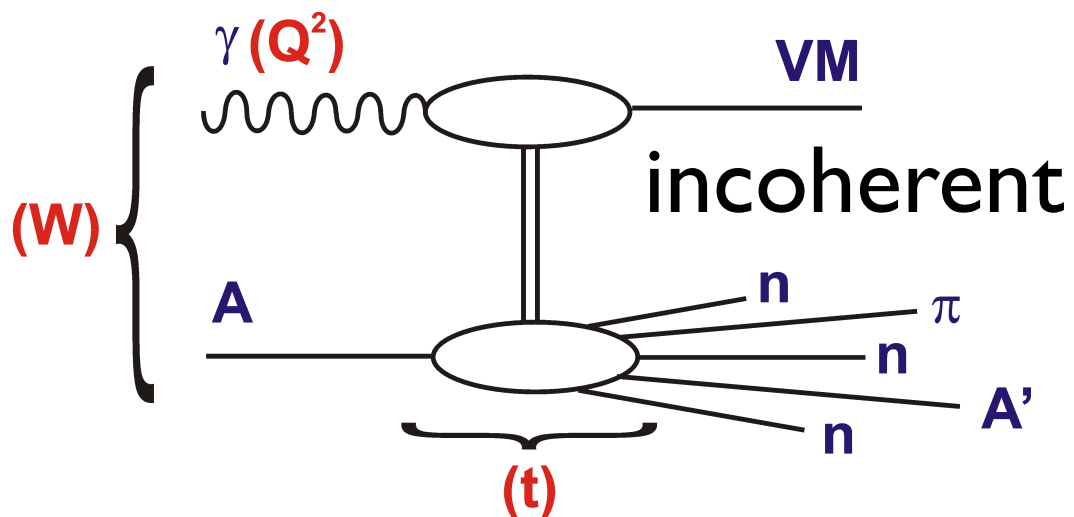
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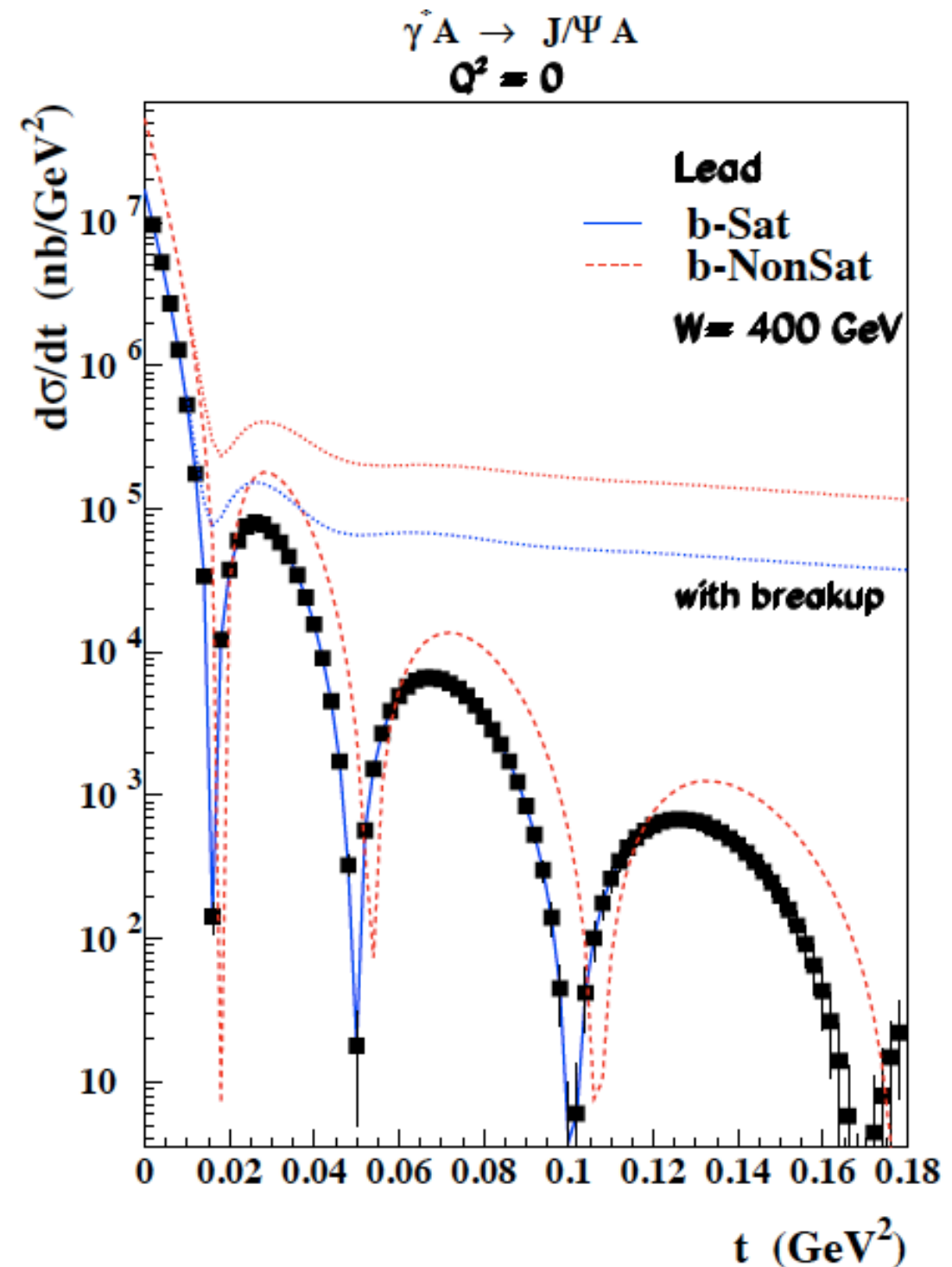
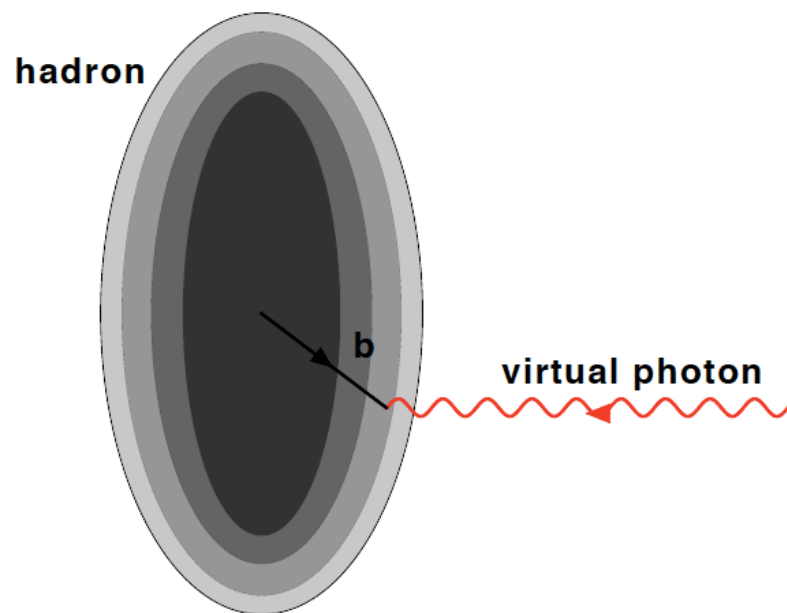


- For the **coherent case**, predictions available.
- **Challenging** experimental problem (neutron tagging in ZDC?).



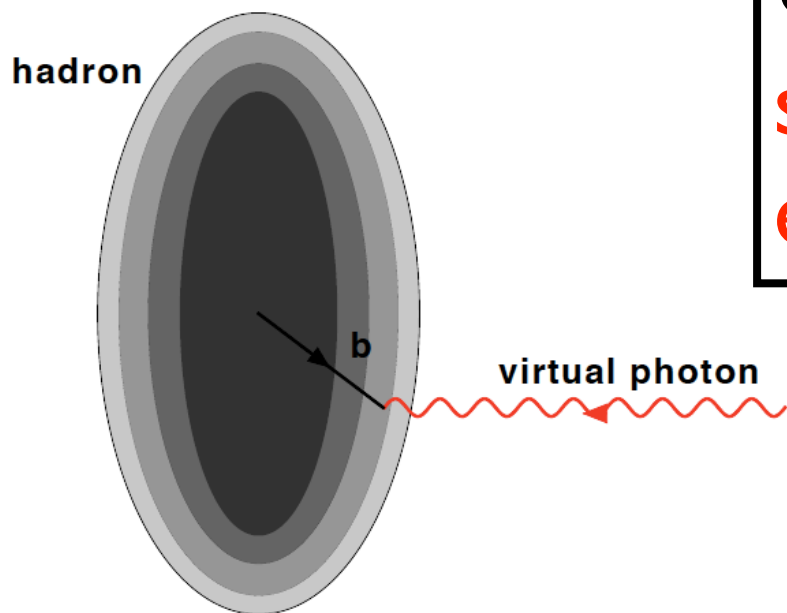
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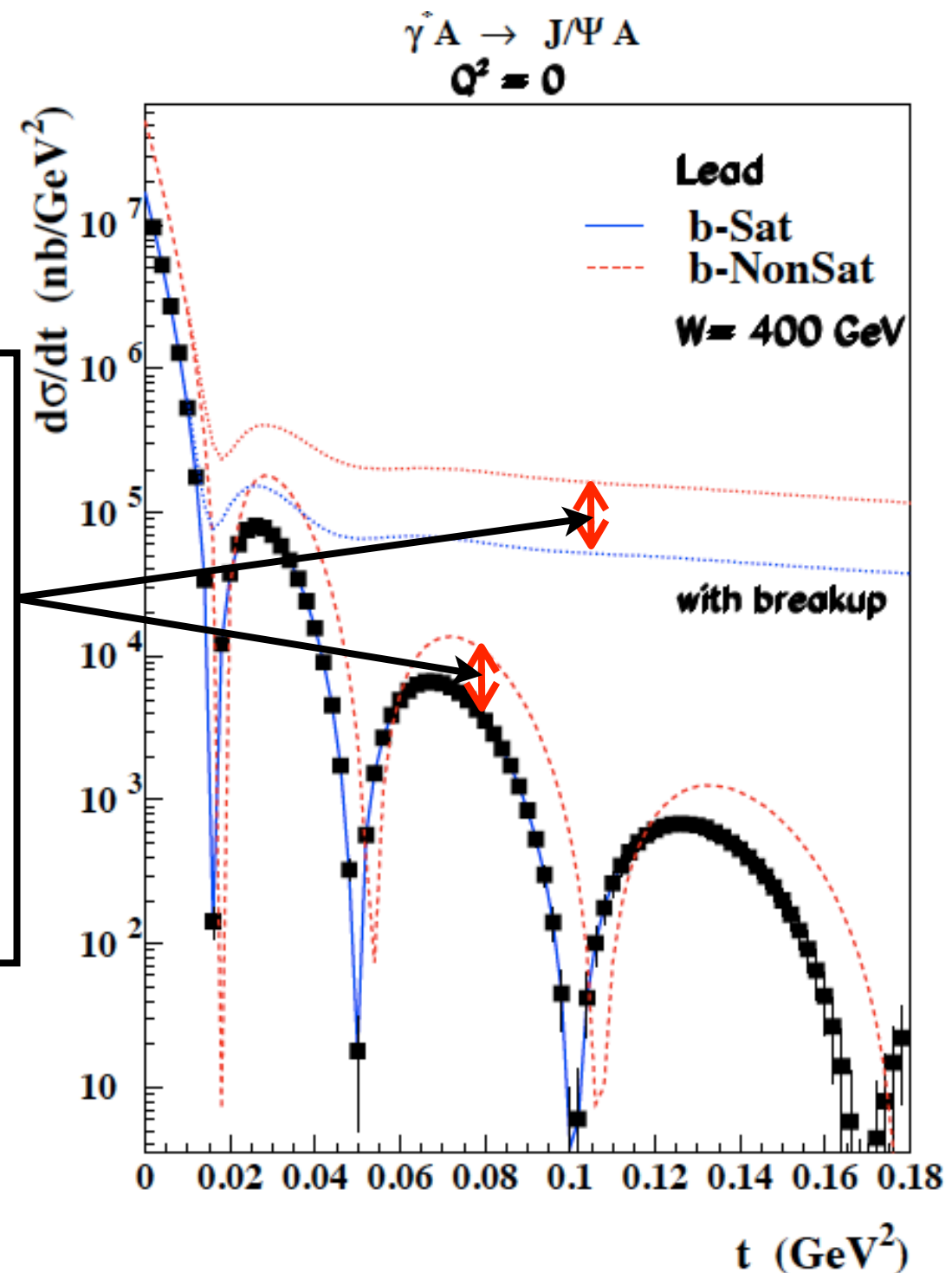


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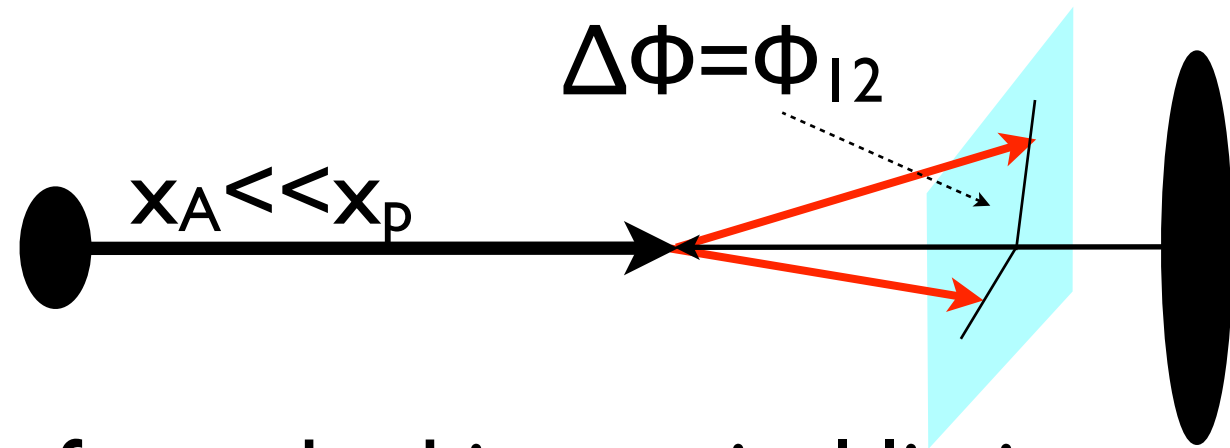


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- **Sizable saturation effects expected.**

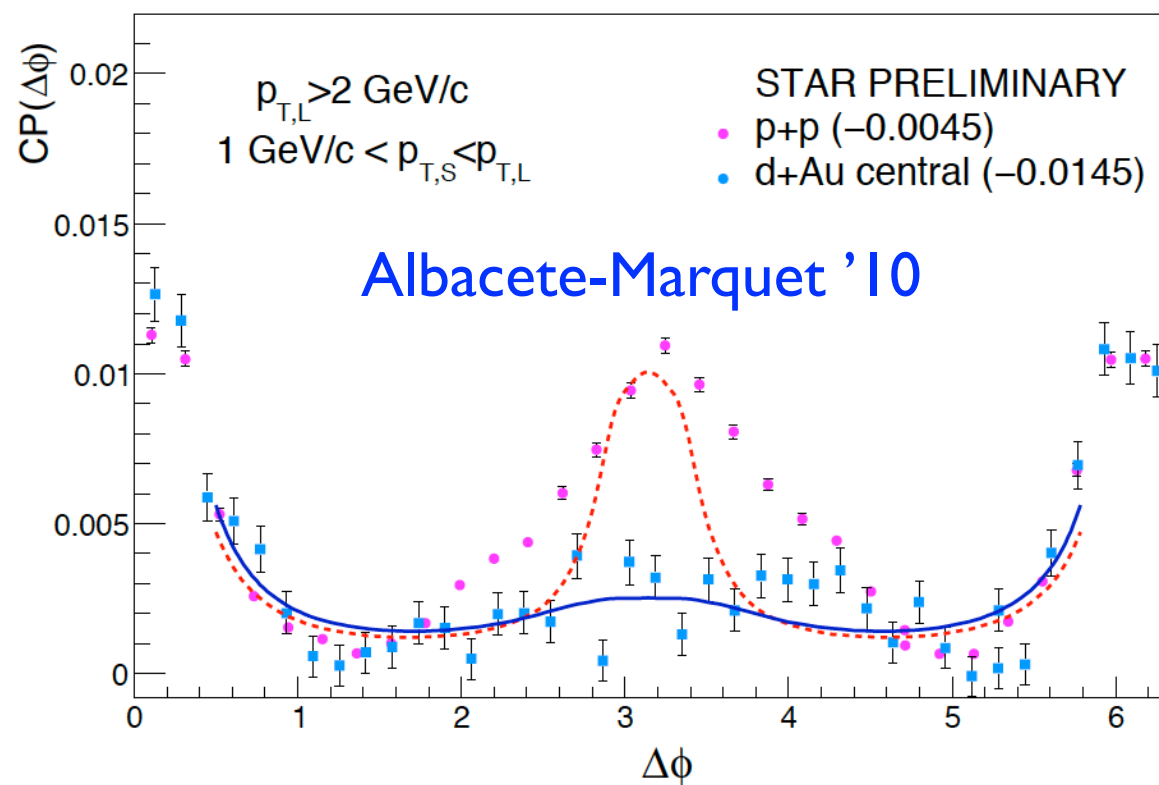


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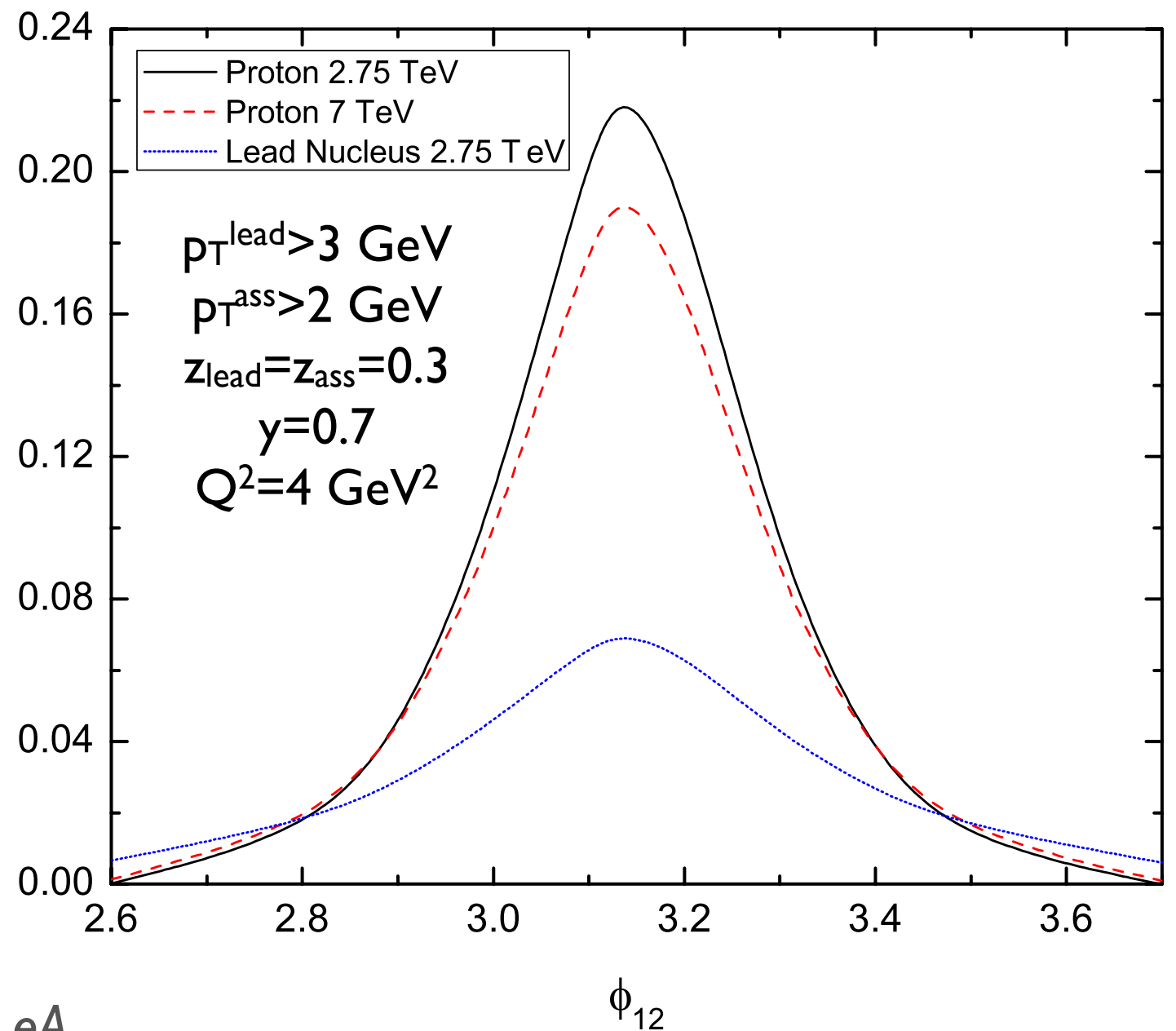
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- At the LHeC it could be studied far from the kinematical limits.



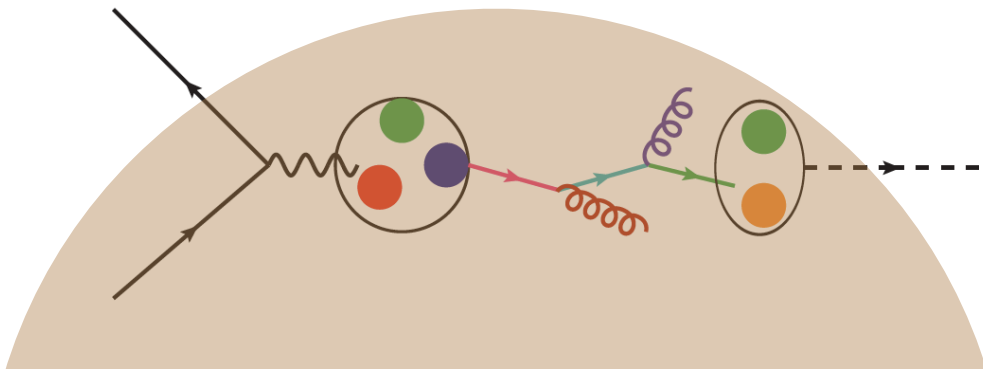
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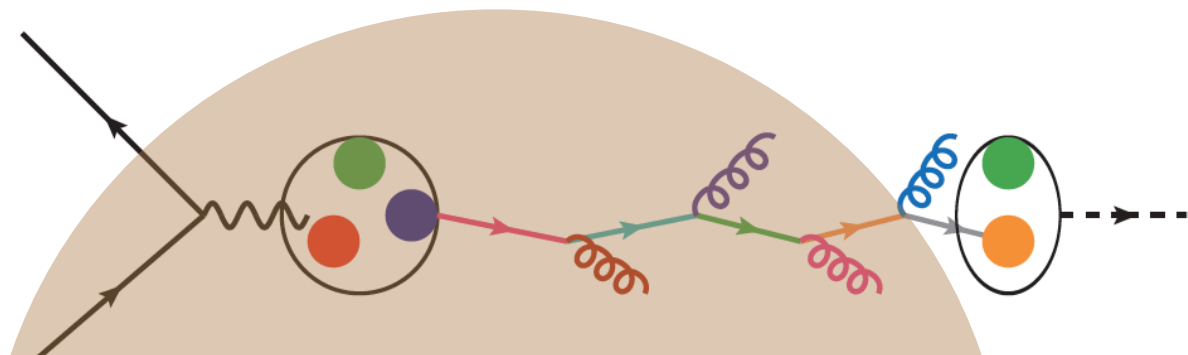
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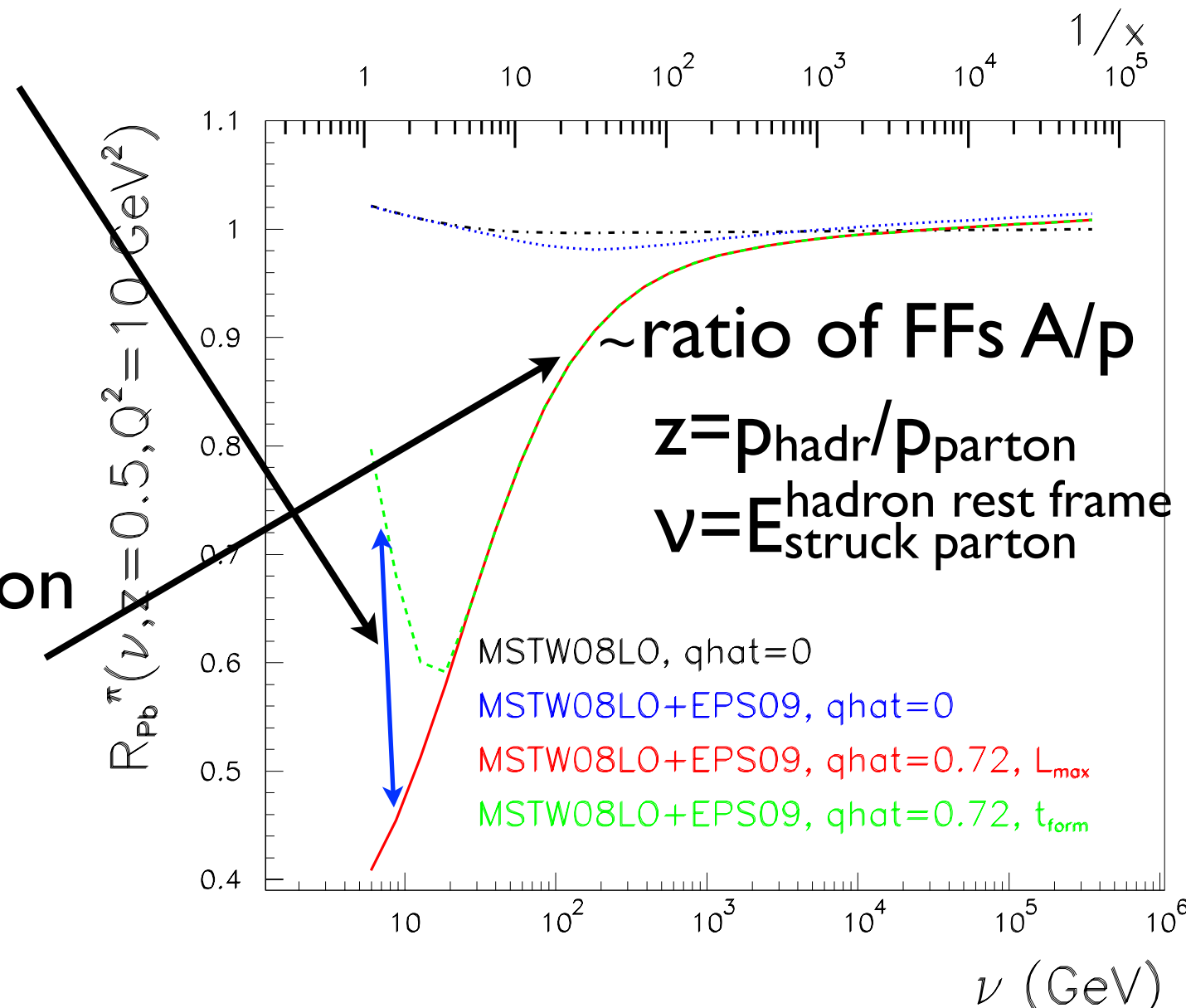
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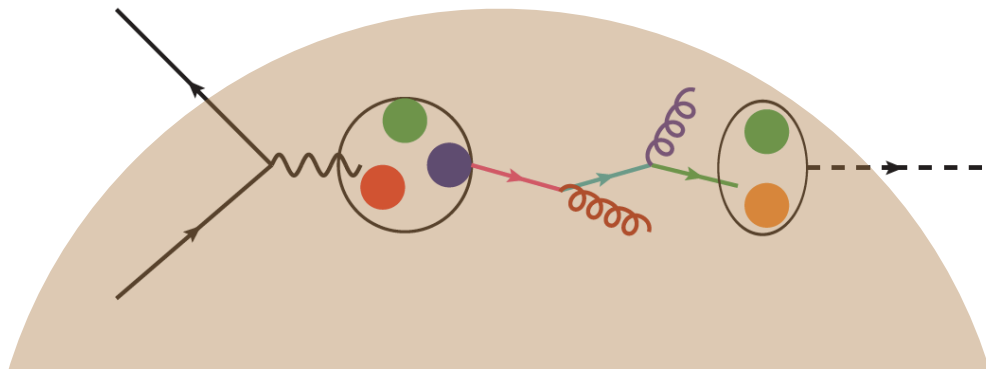
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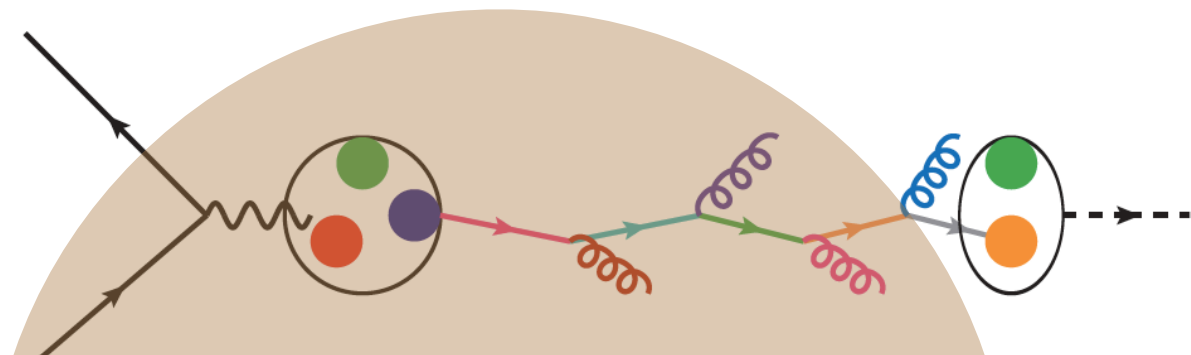
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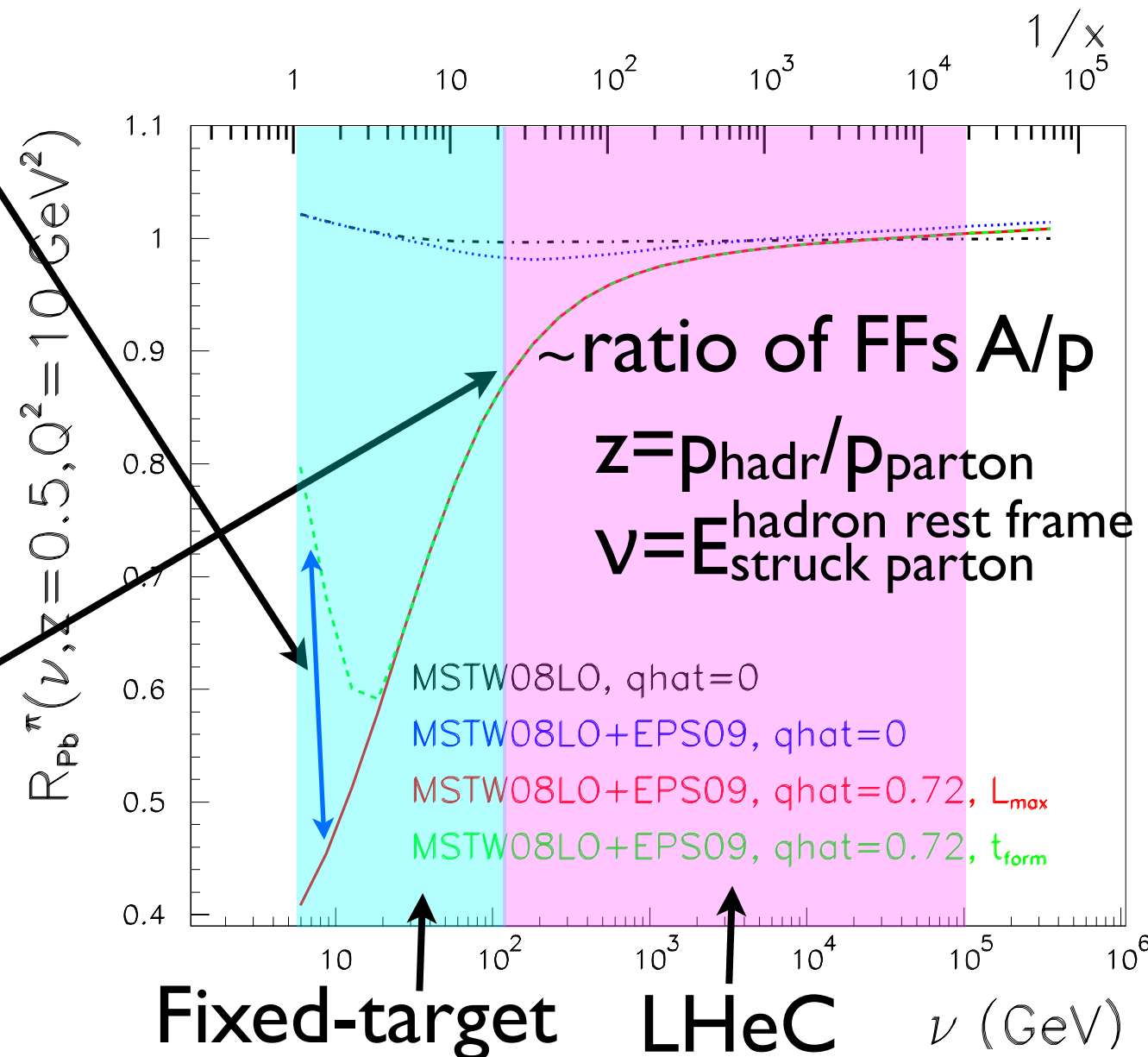
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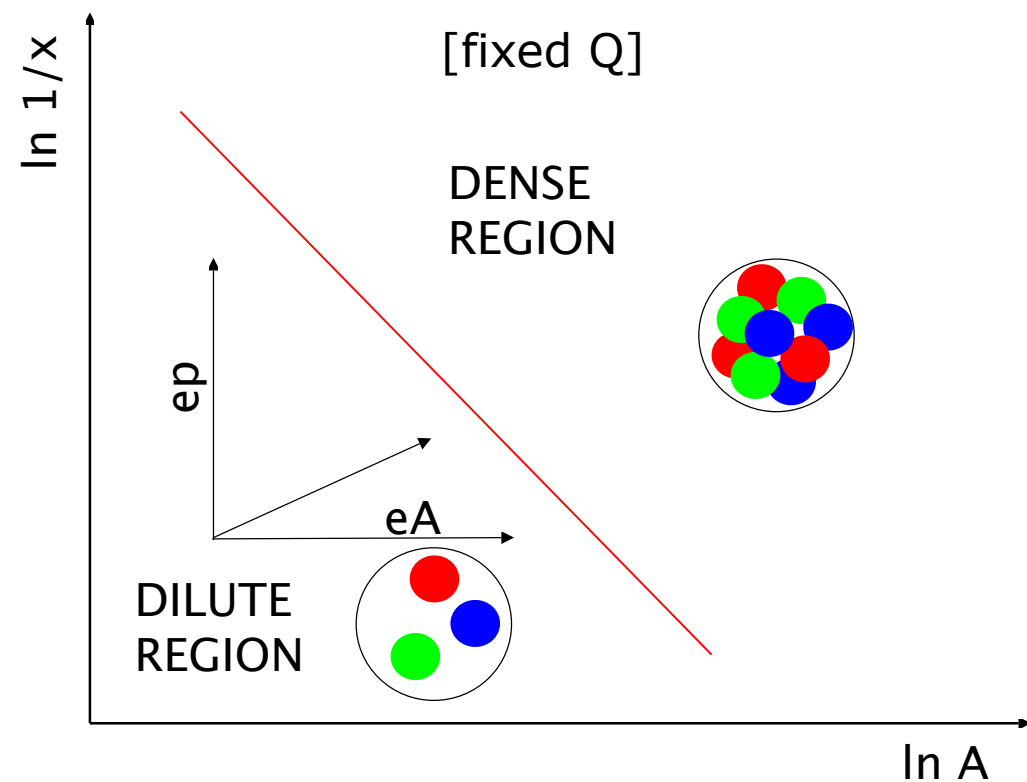
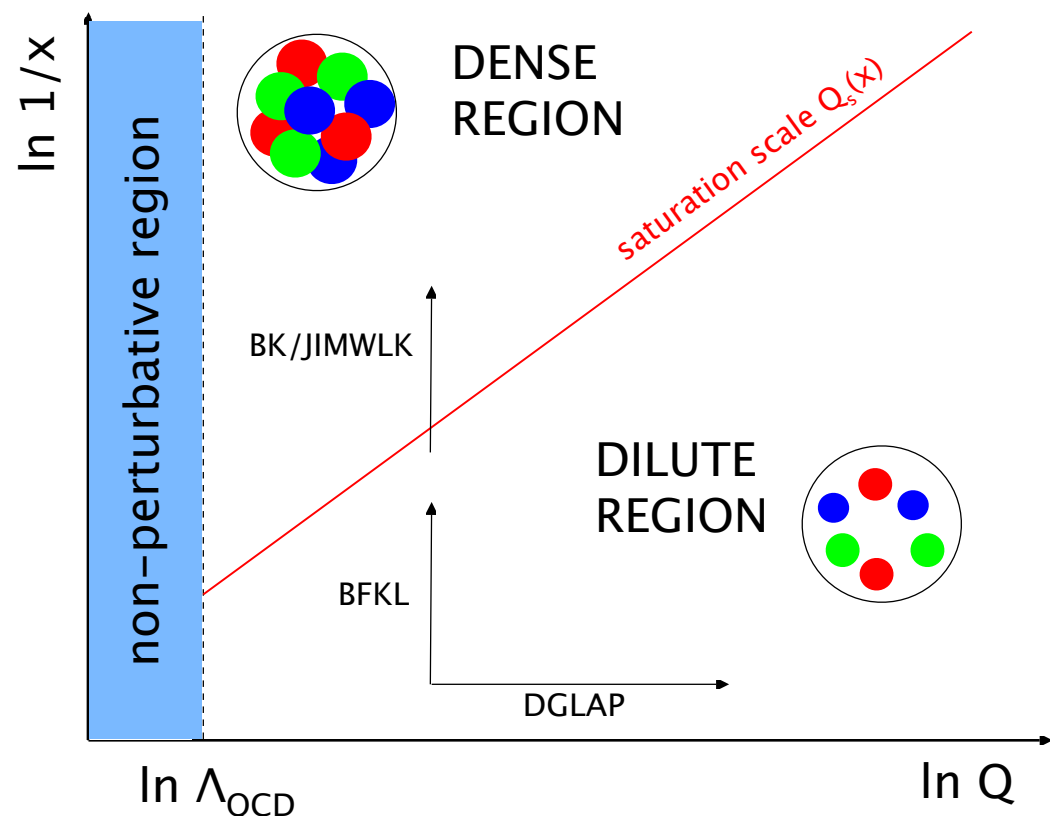


Summary:

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- High-precision tests of collinear factorization(s) and determination of PDFs.
- Unprecedented access to small x in p and A .
- Novel sensitivity to physics beyond standard pQCD.
- Stringent tests of QCD radiation and hadronization.
- Transverse scan of the hadron/nucleus at small x .
- ... with implications on our understanding of QGP.

- **The LHeC will answer the question of saturation/non-linear dynamics. For that, ep AND eA essential!!!**



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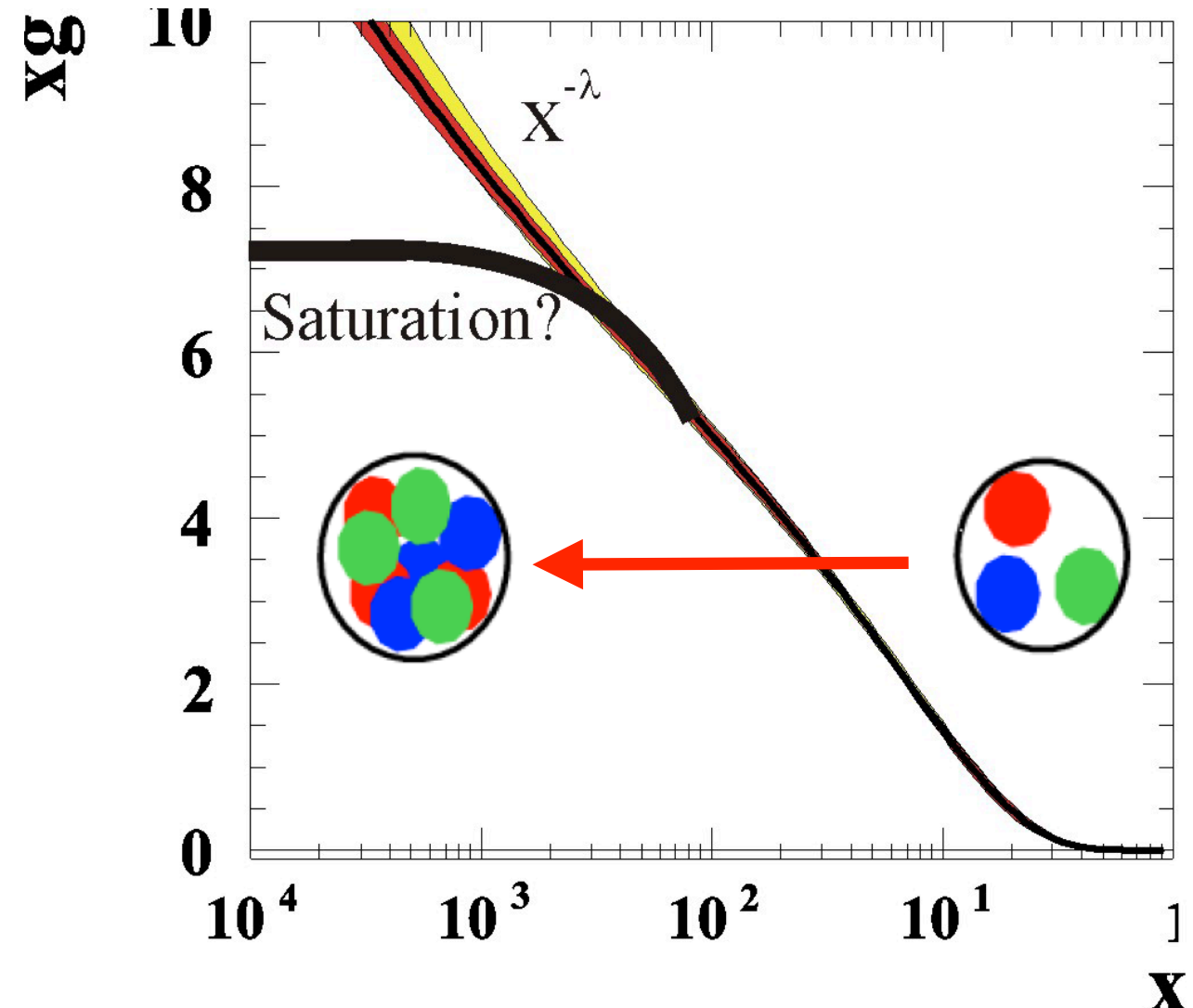
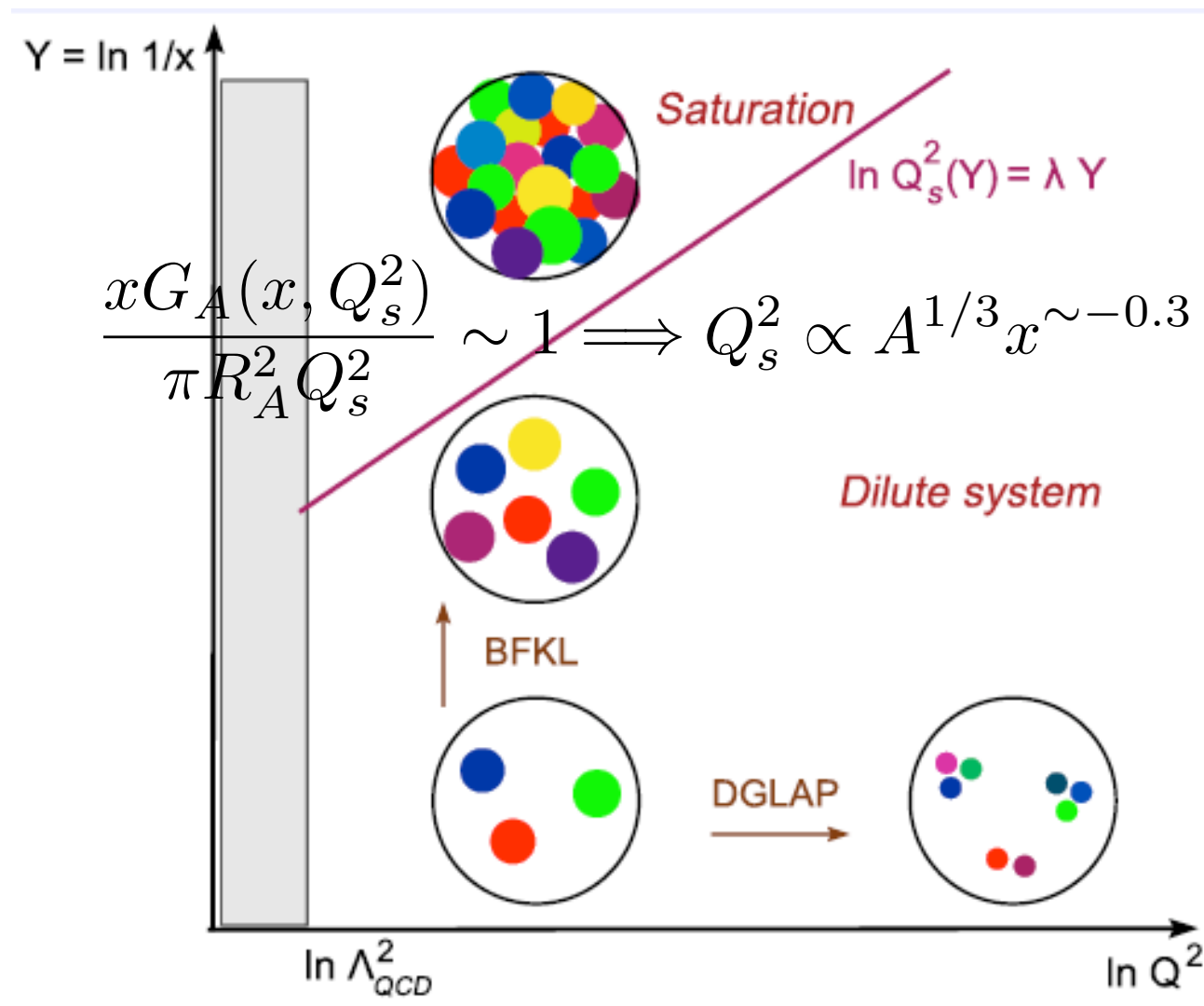
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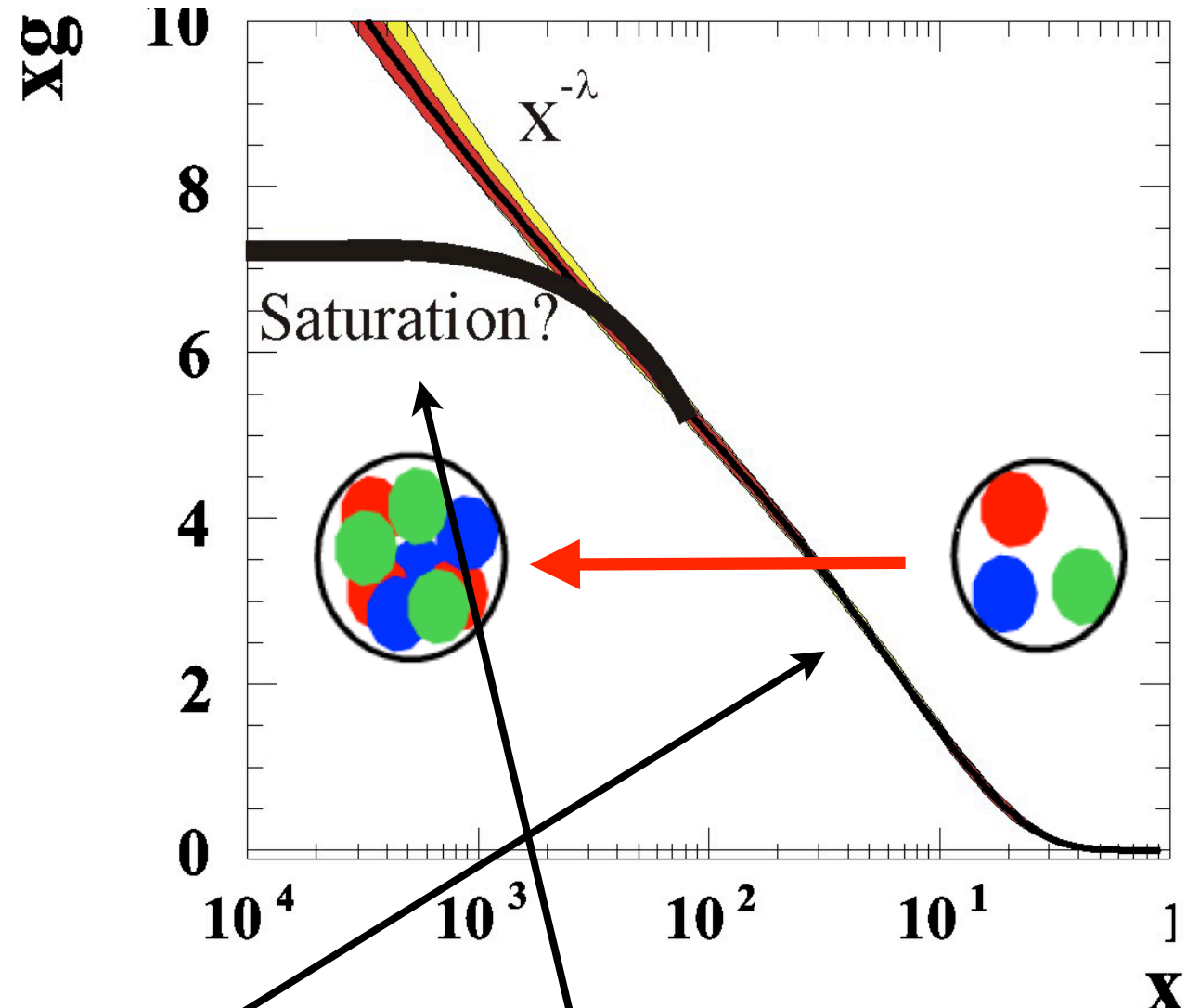
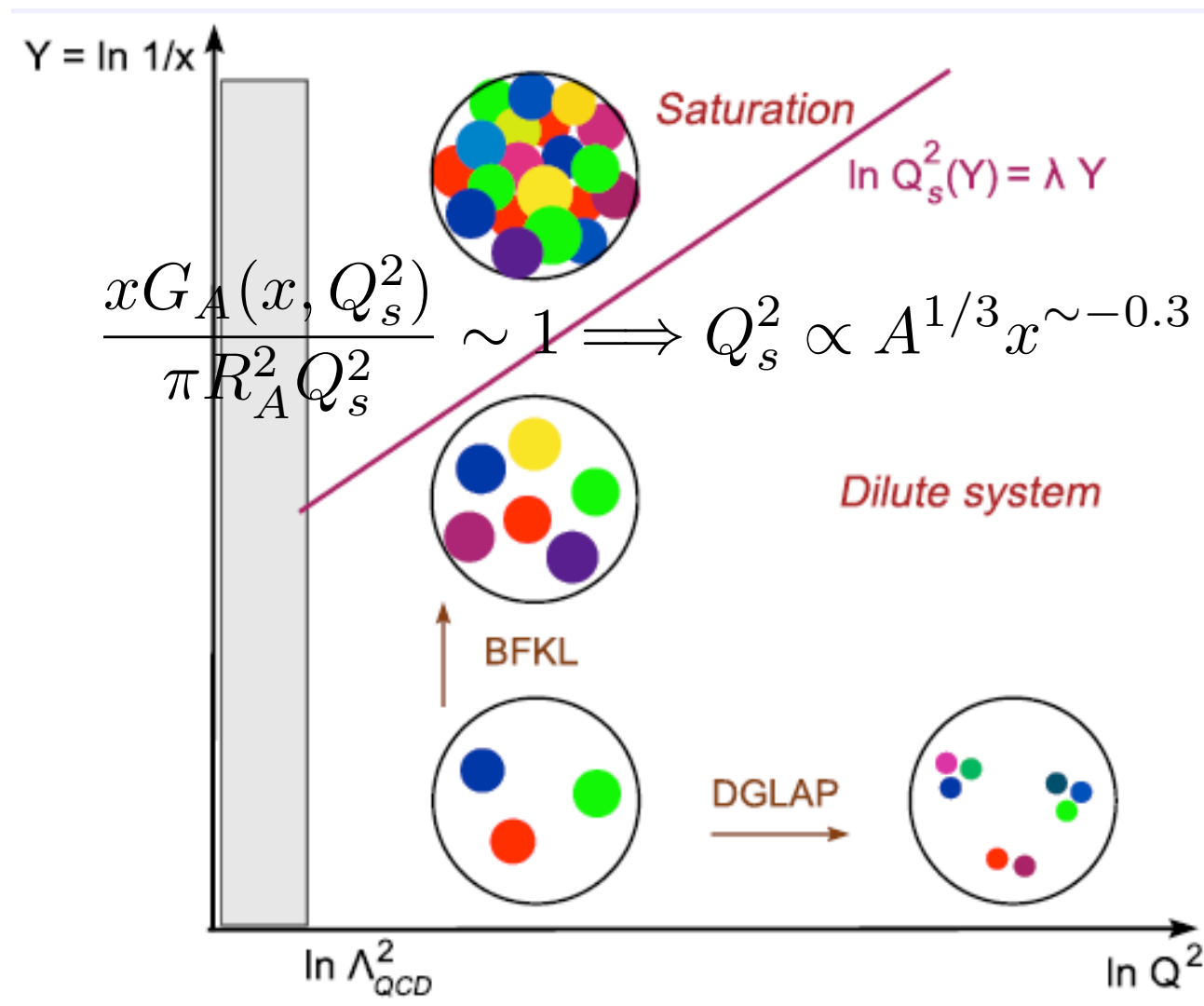
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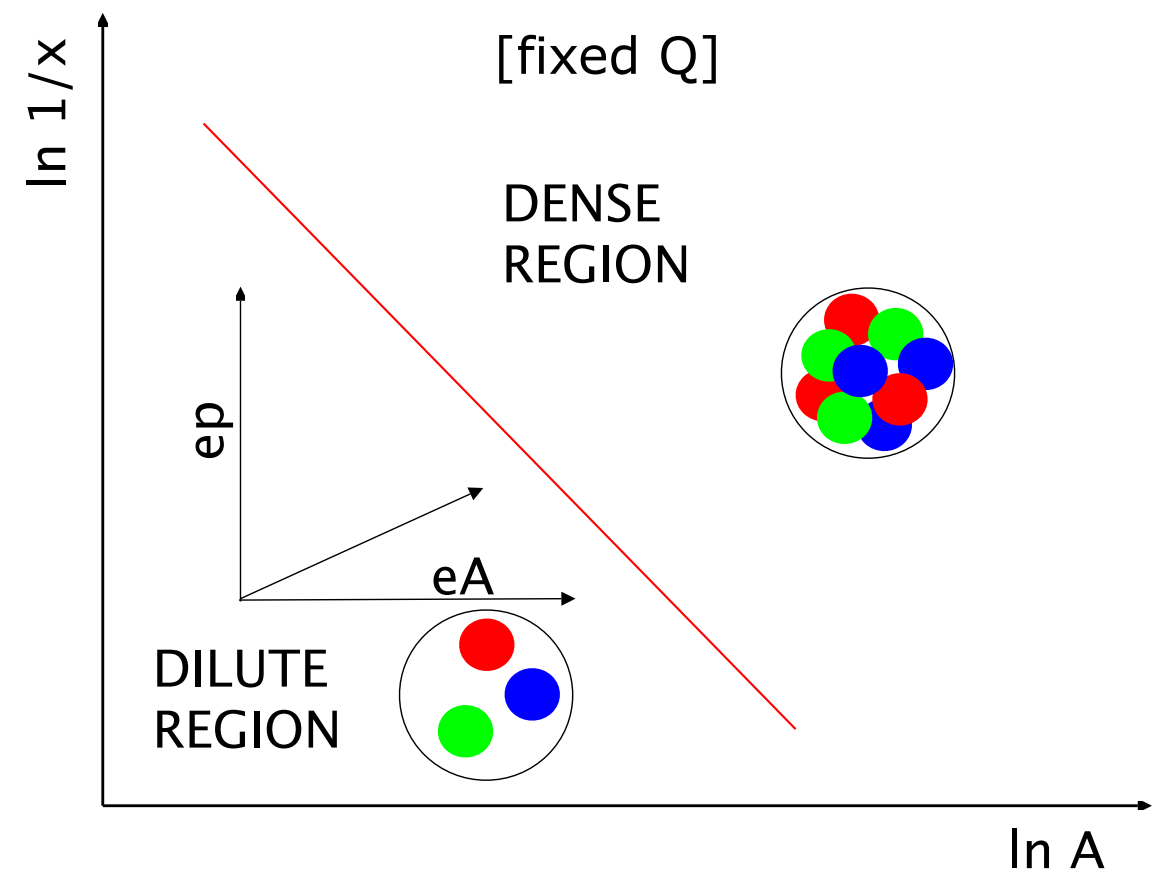
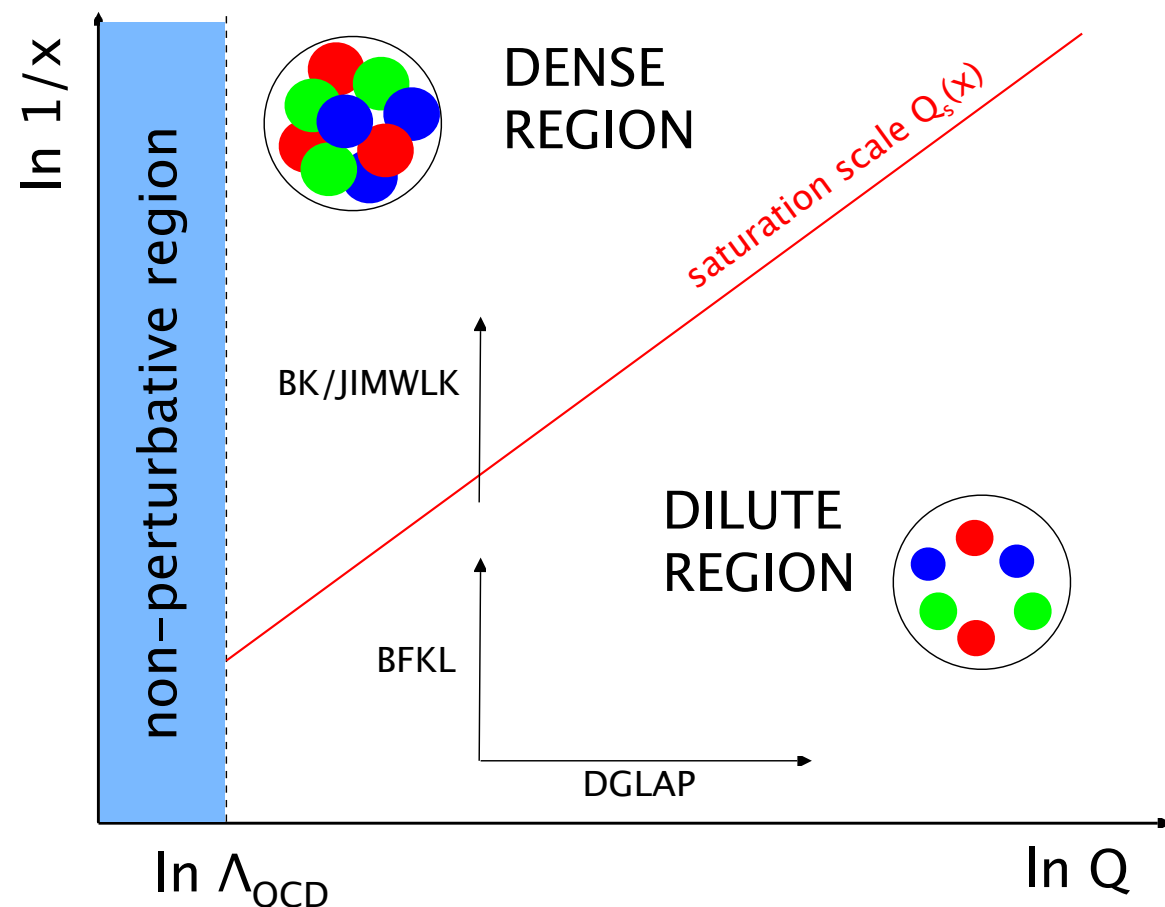
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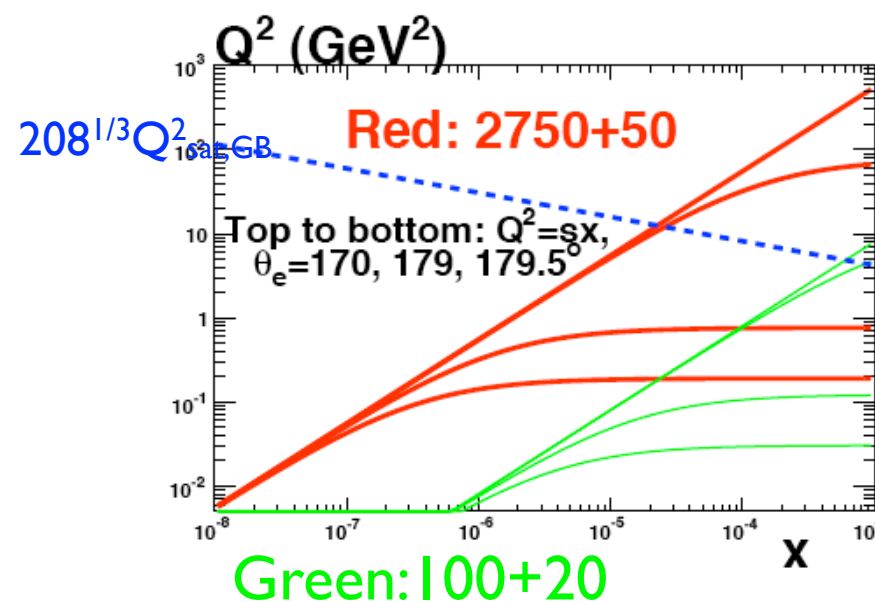
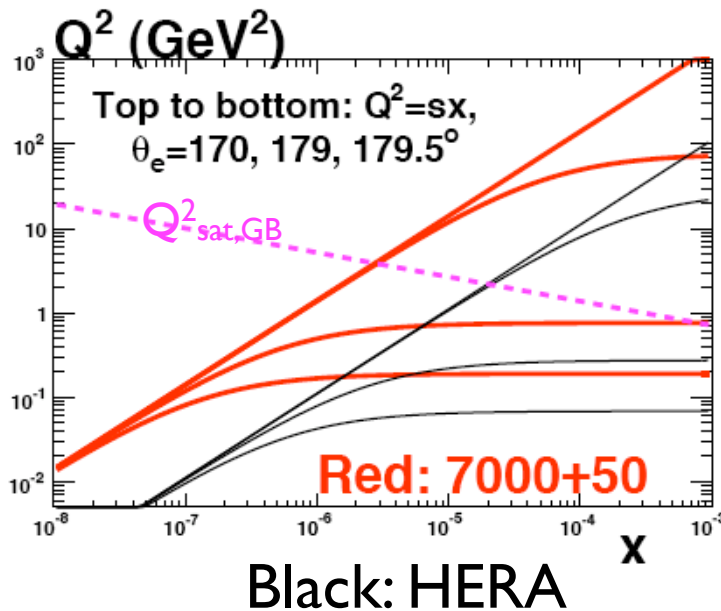
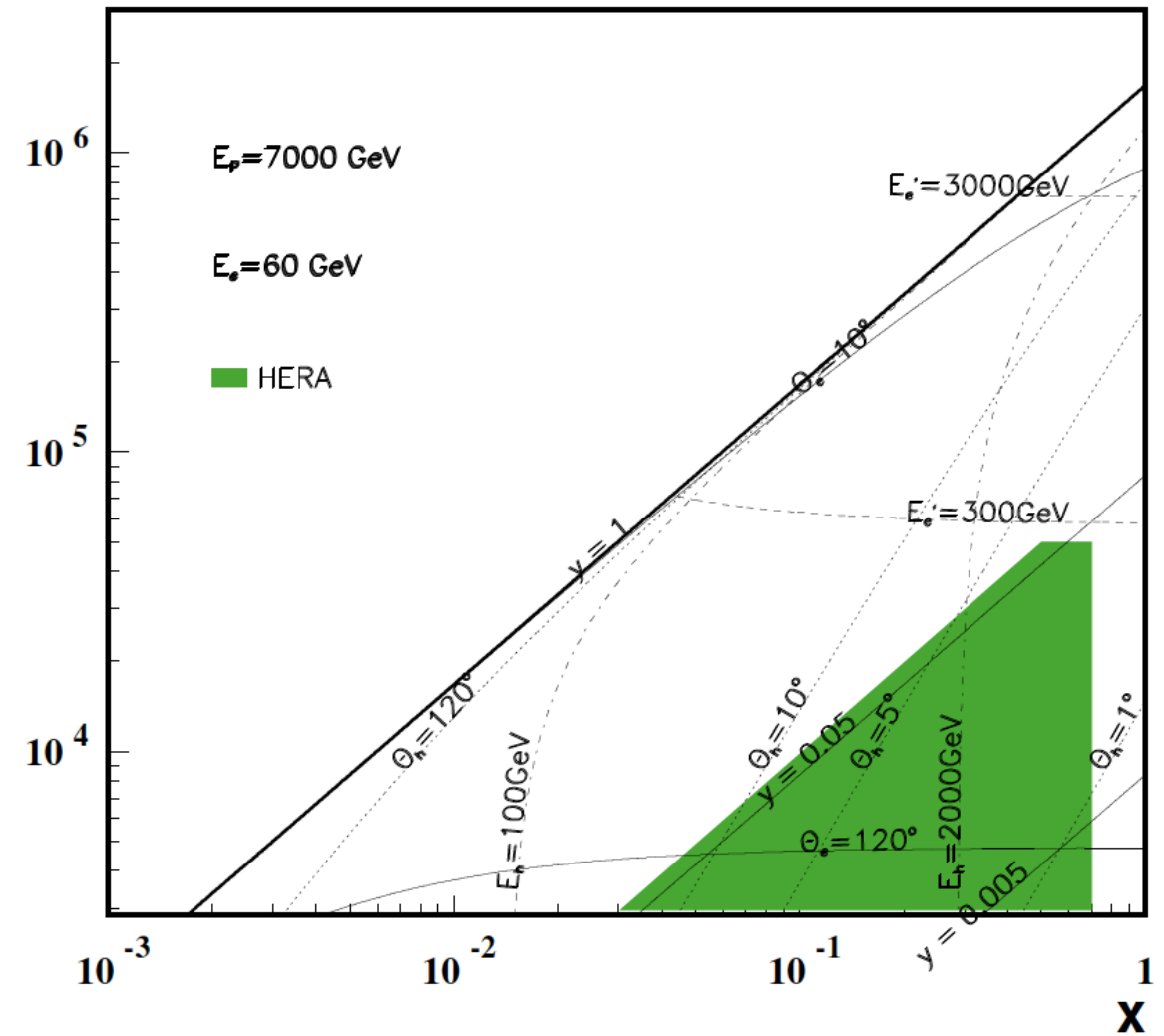
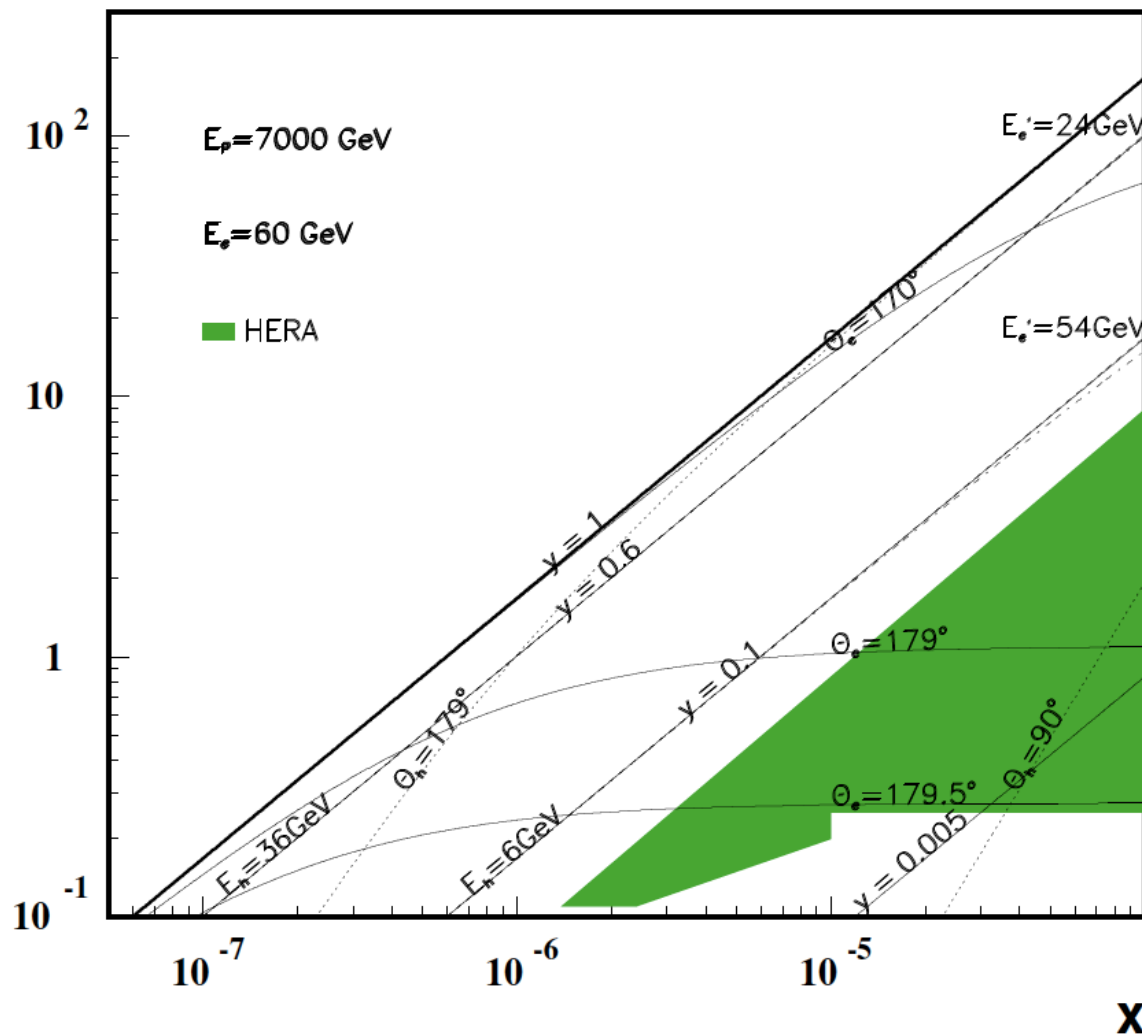
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 - Resummation schemes: BFKL, CCFM, ABF, CCSS.
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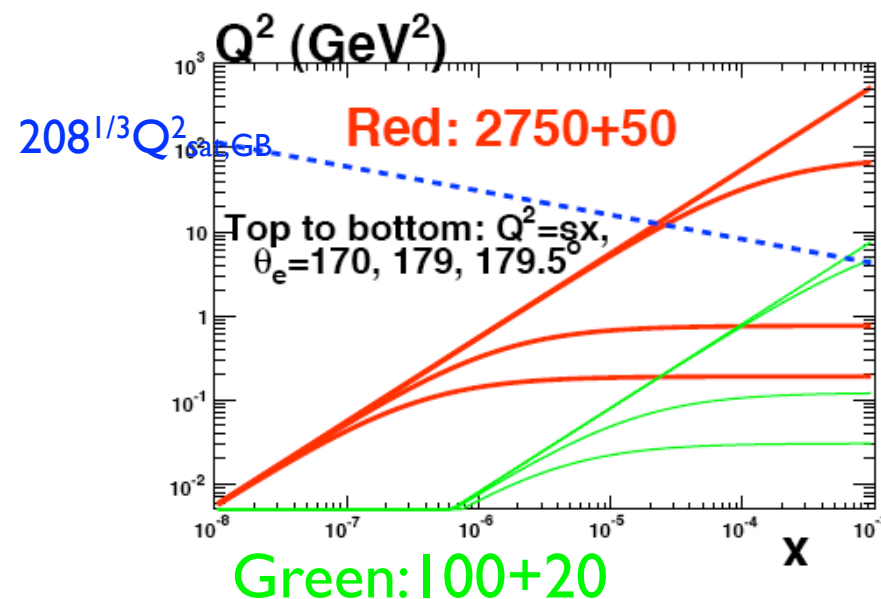
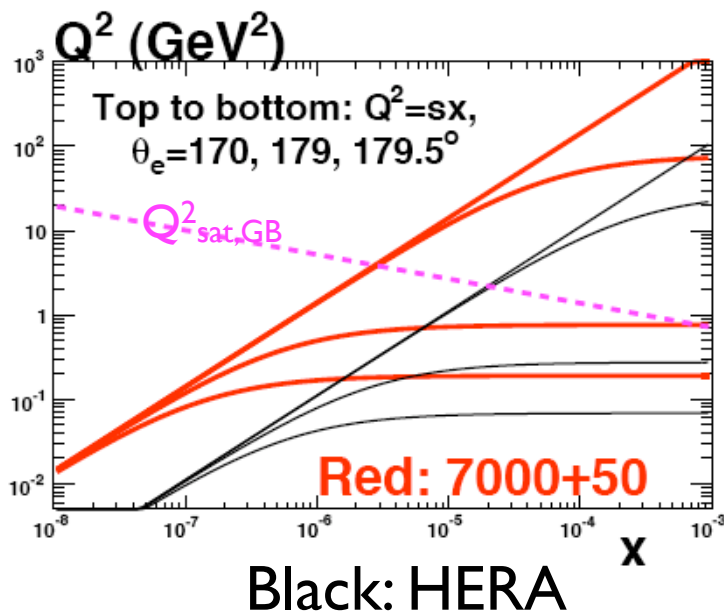
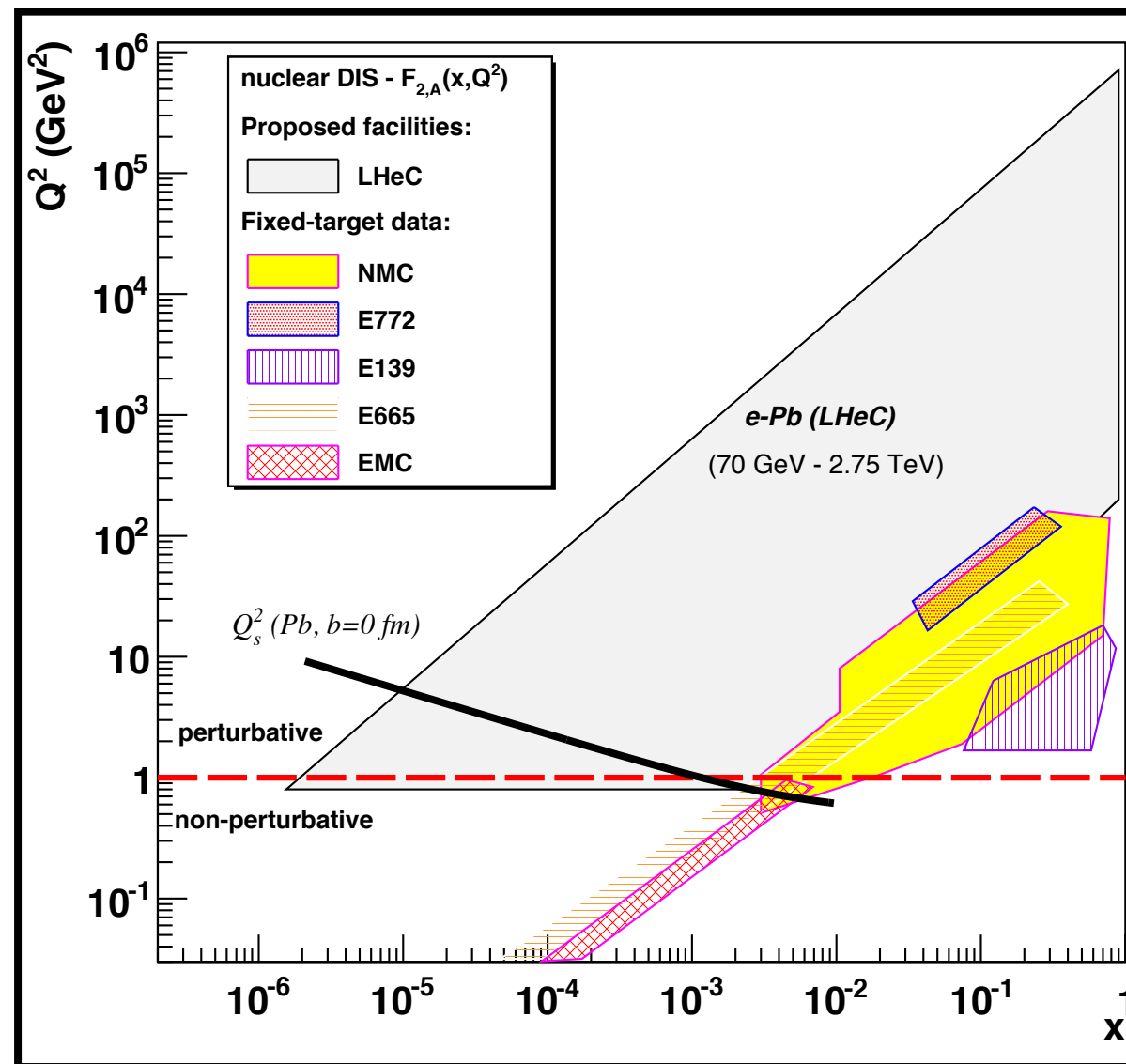
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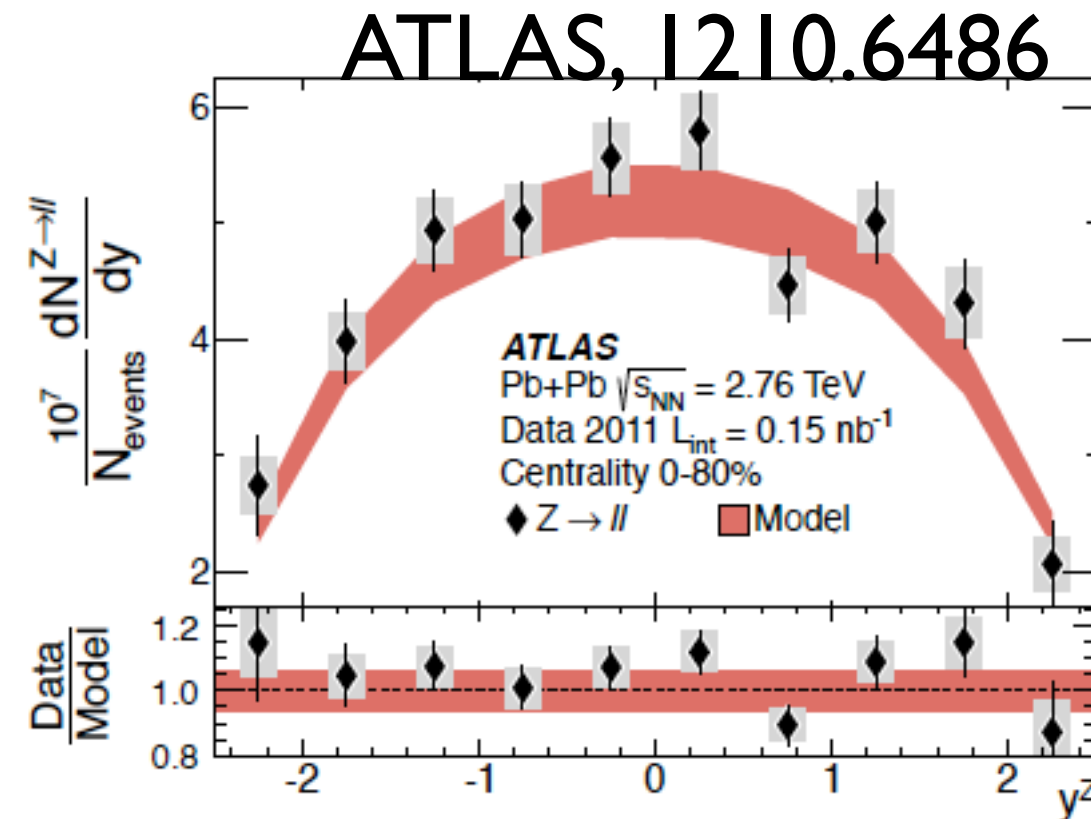
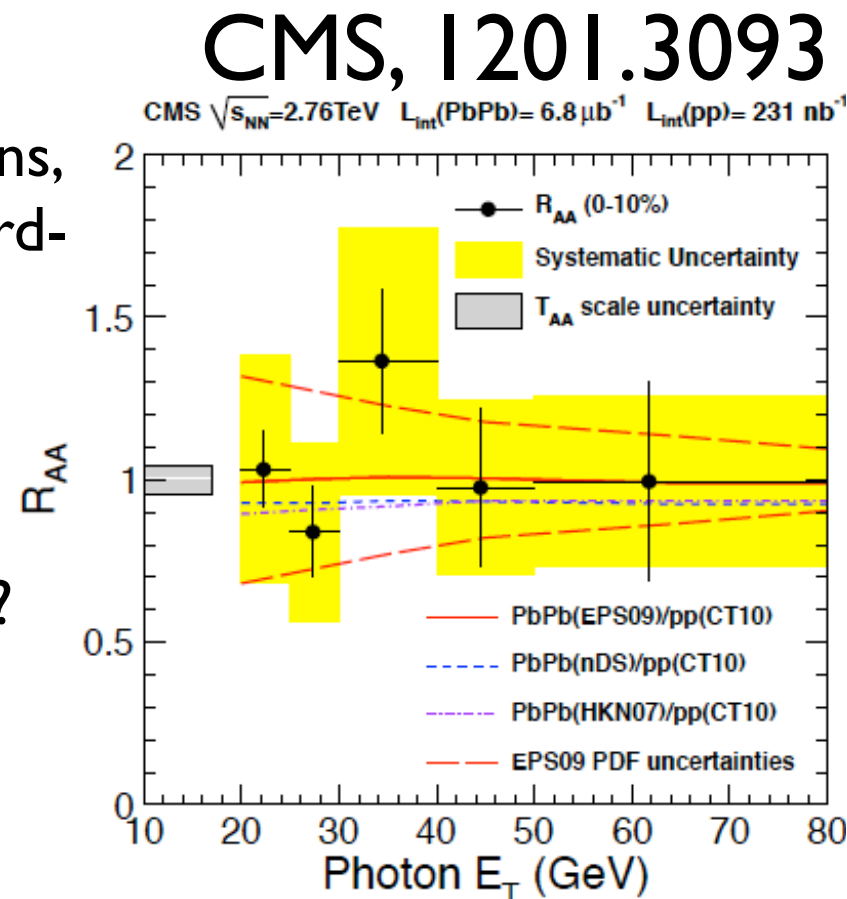
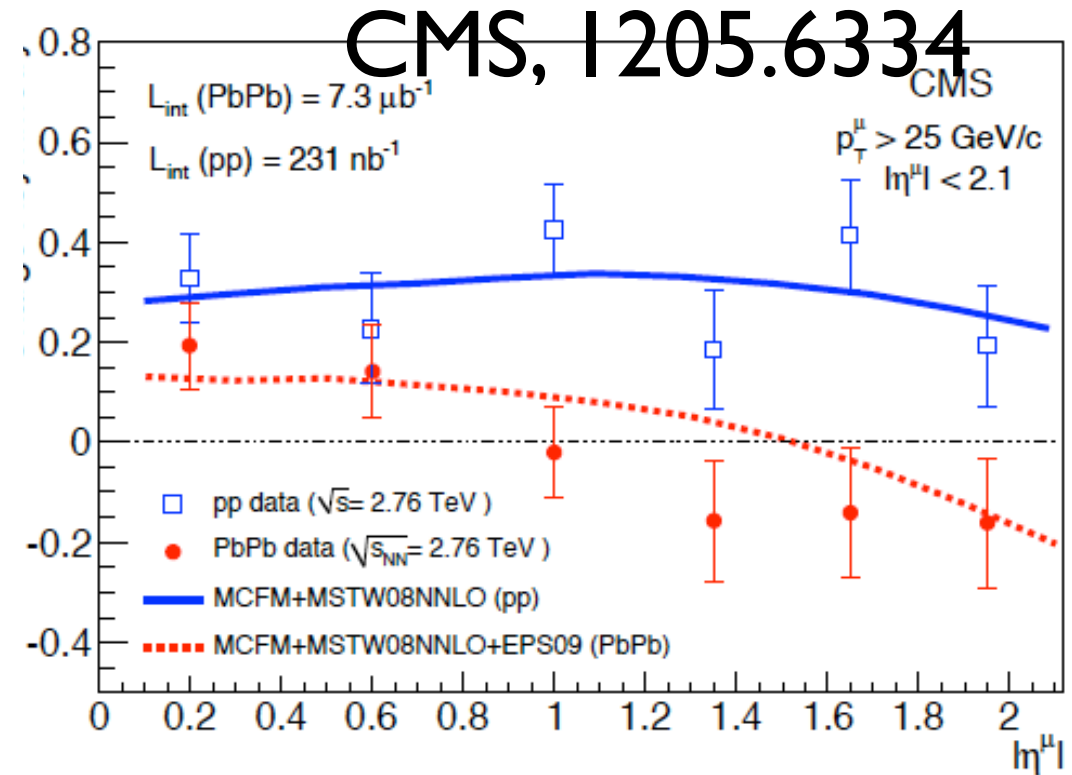
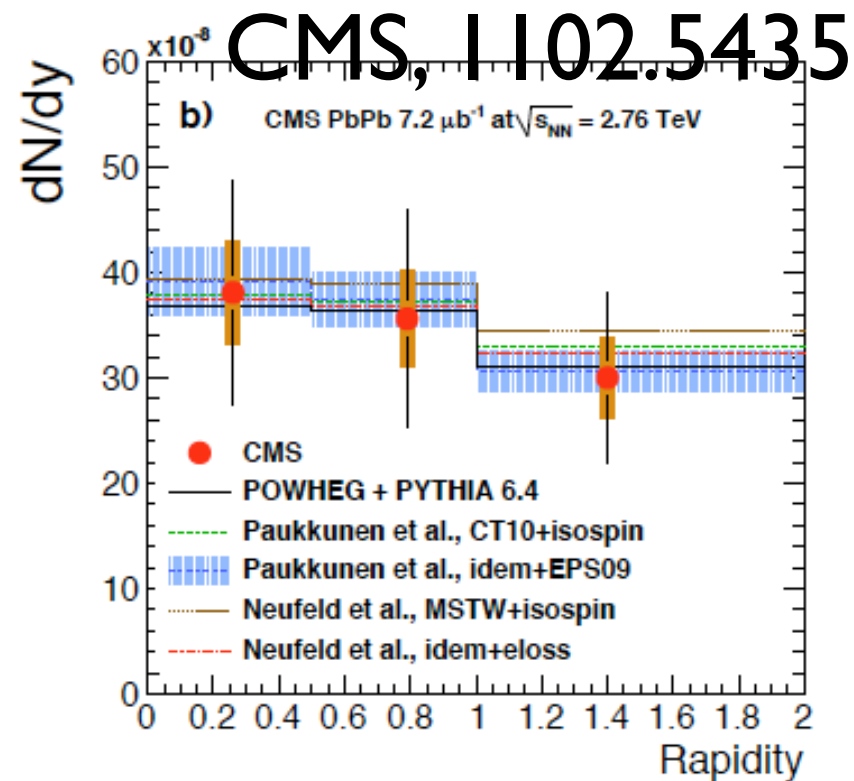
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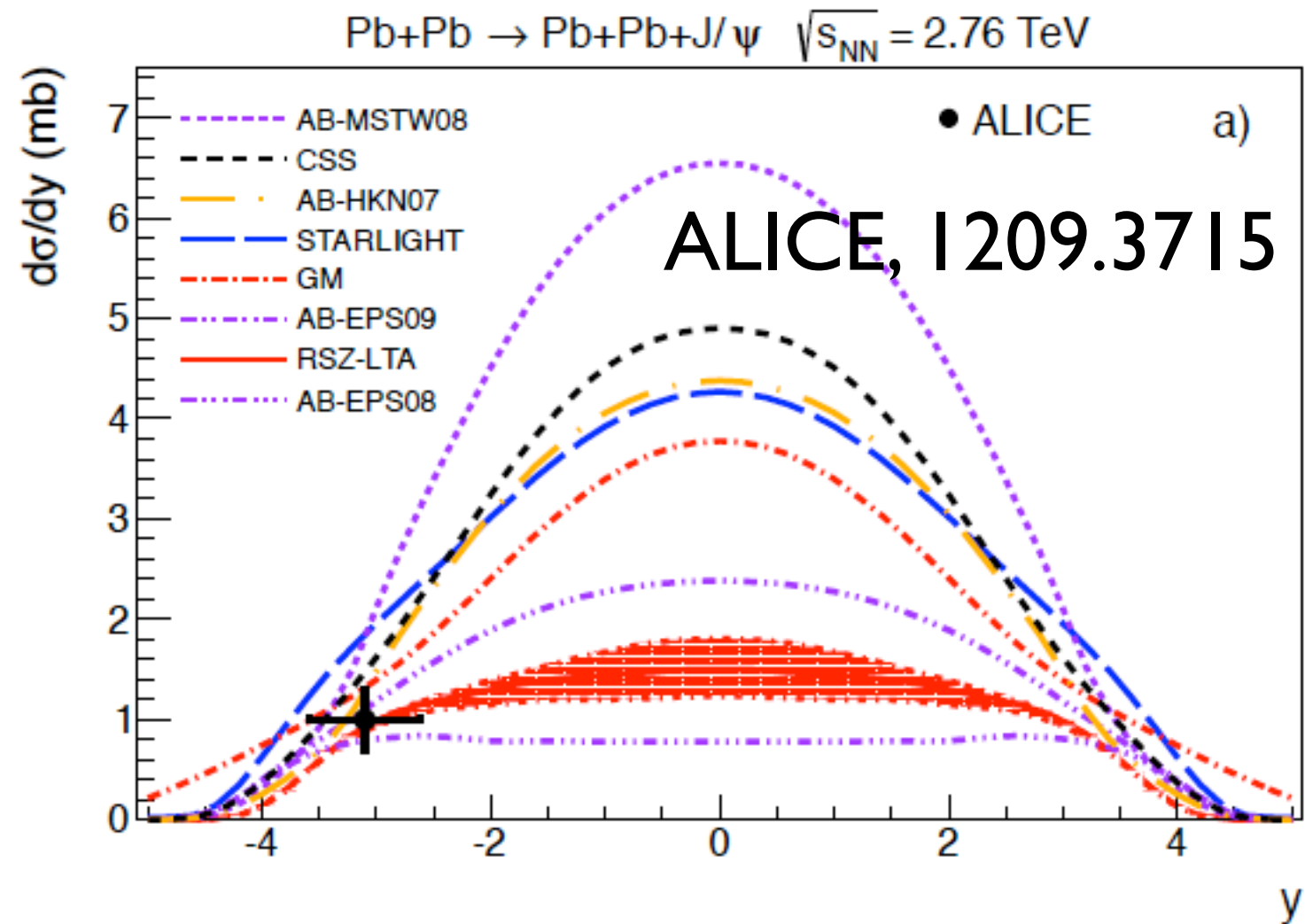
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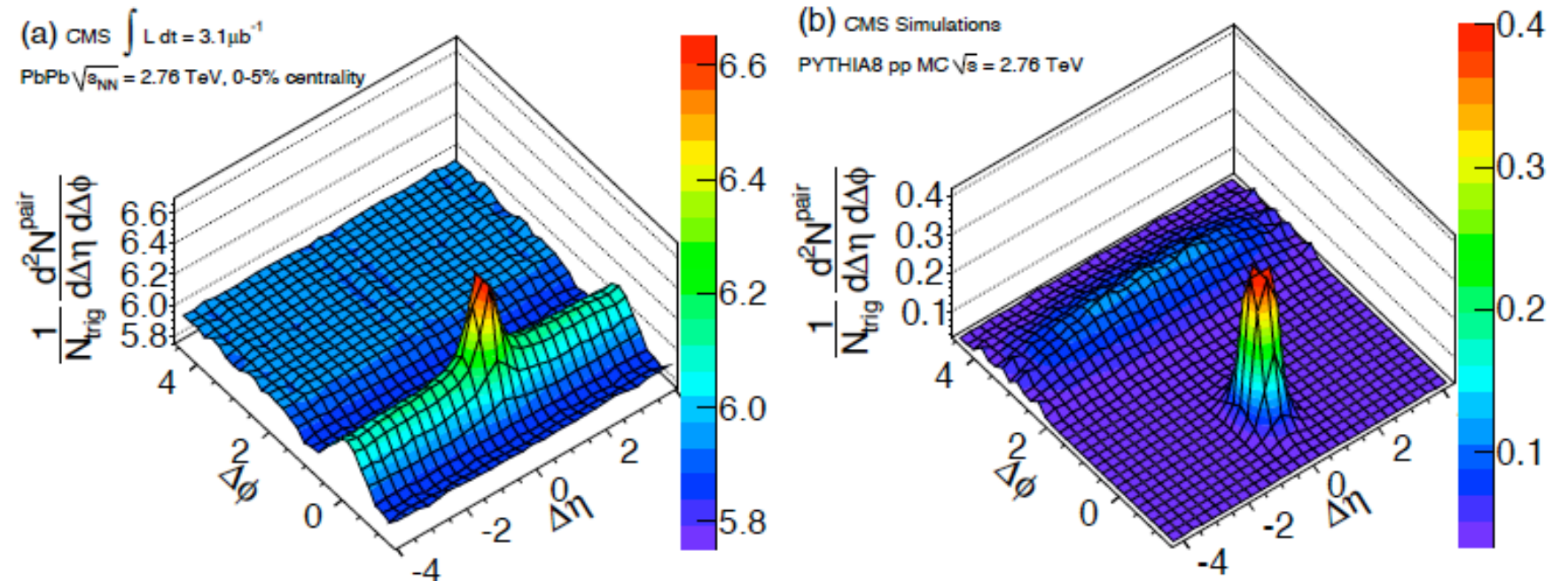
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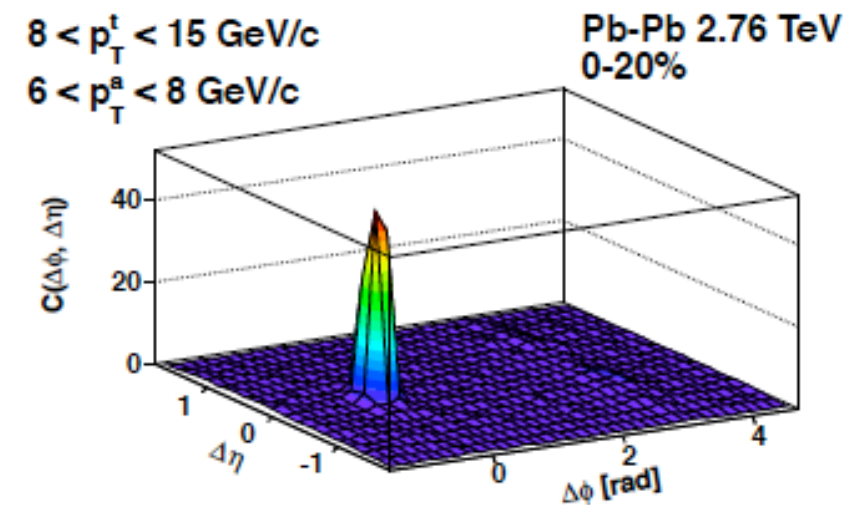
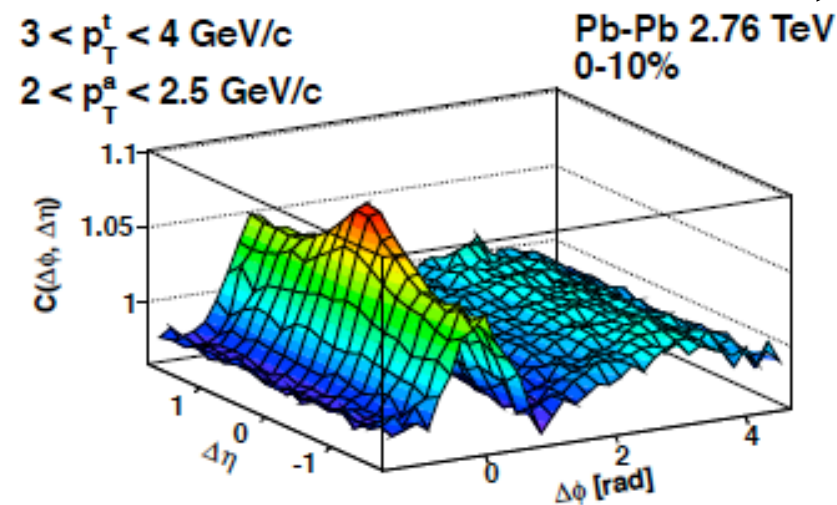
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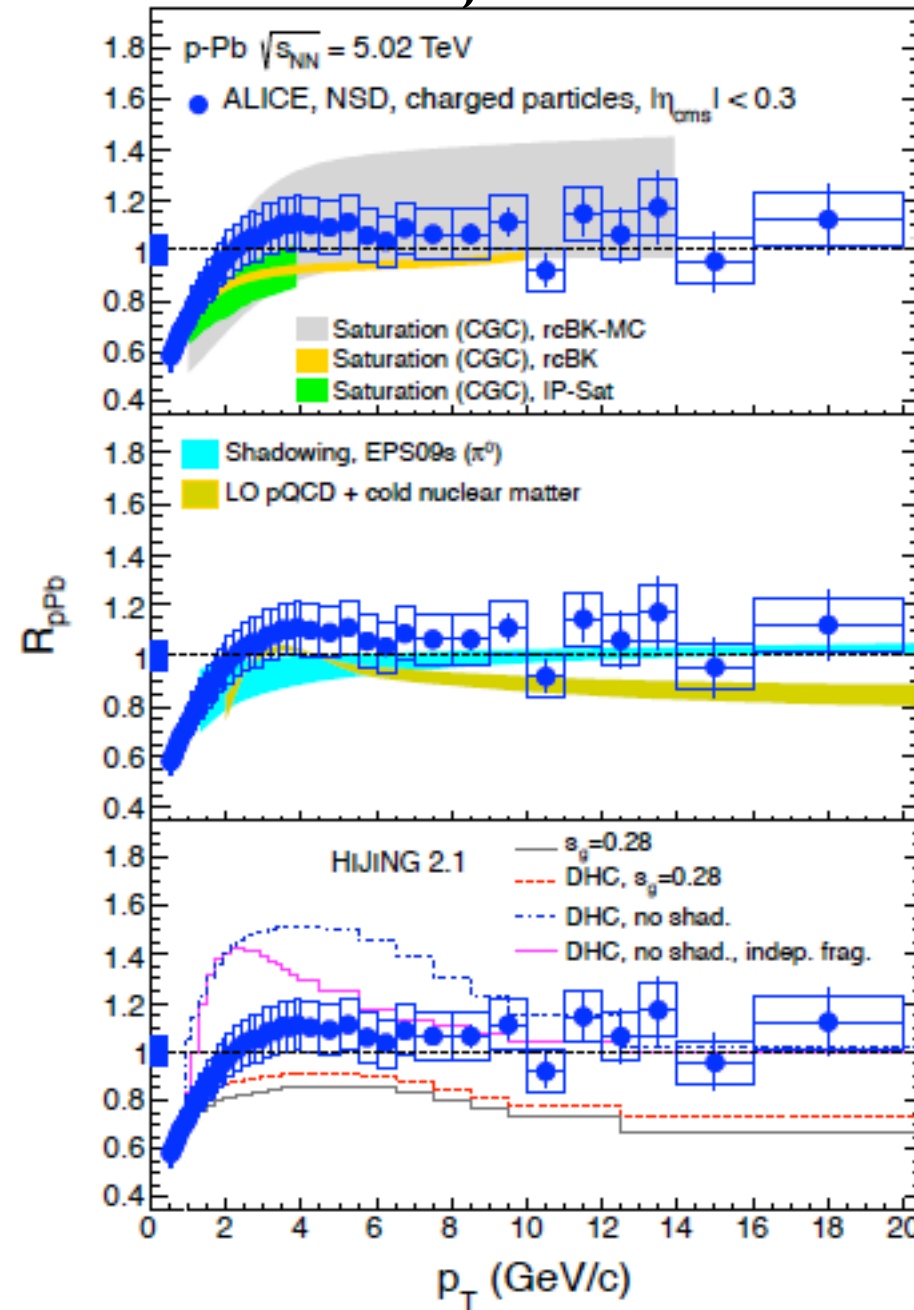
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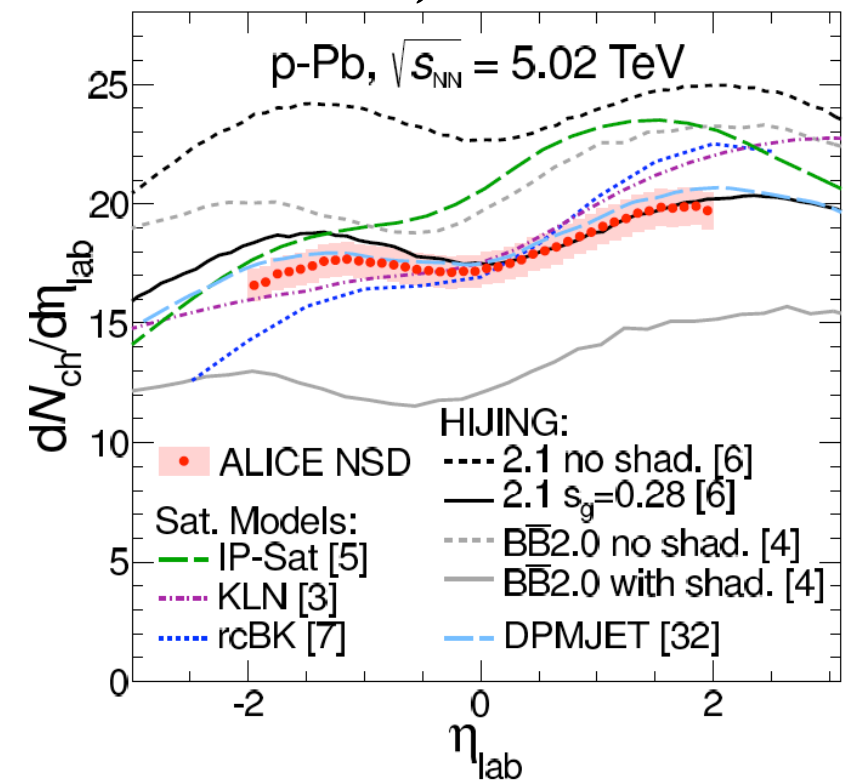
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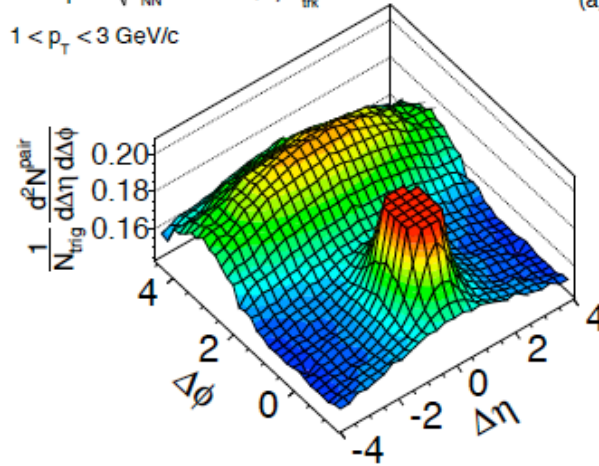
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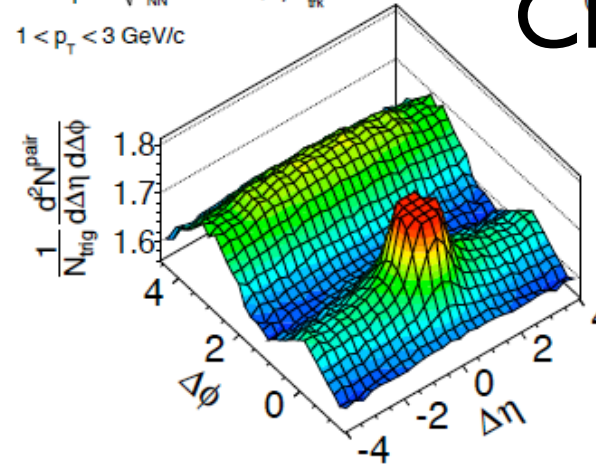
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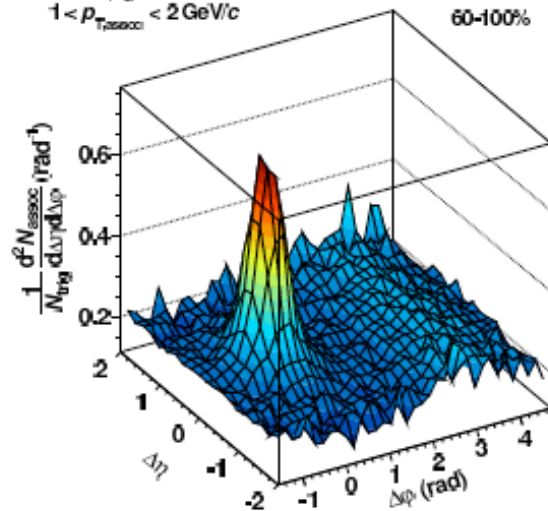


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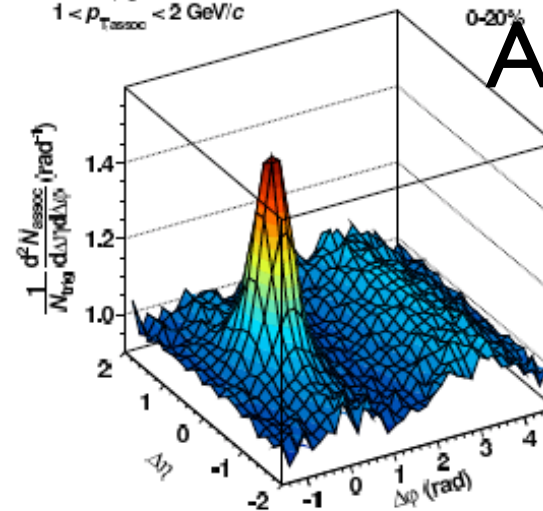


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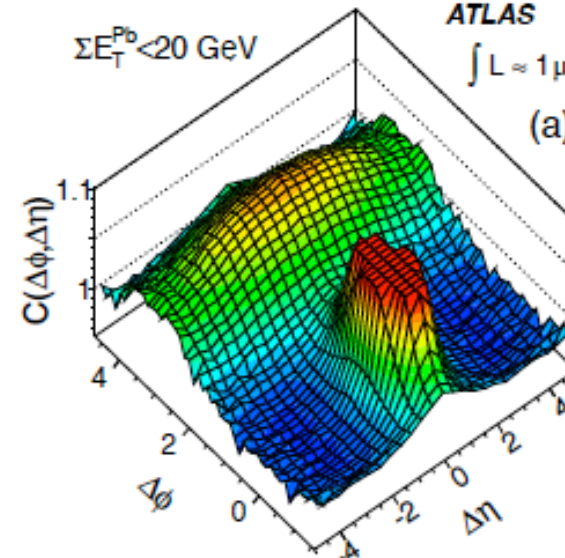


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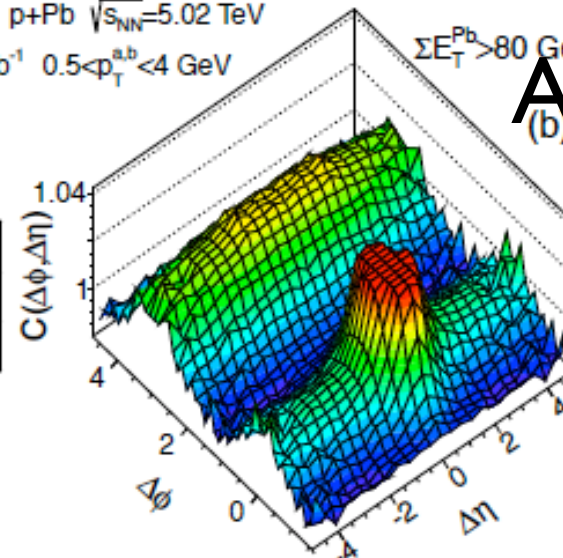
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ATLAS pPb $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 5.02$ TeV
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(a)

$\Sigma E_T^{Pb} > 80$ GeV



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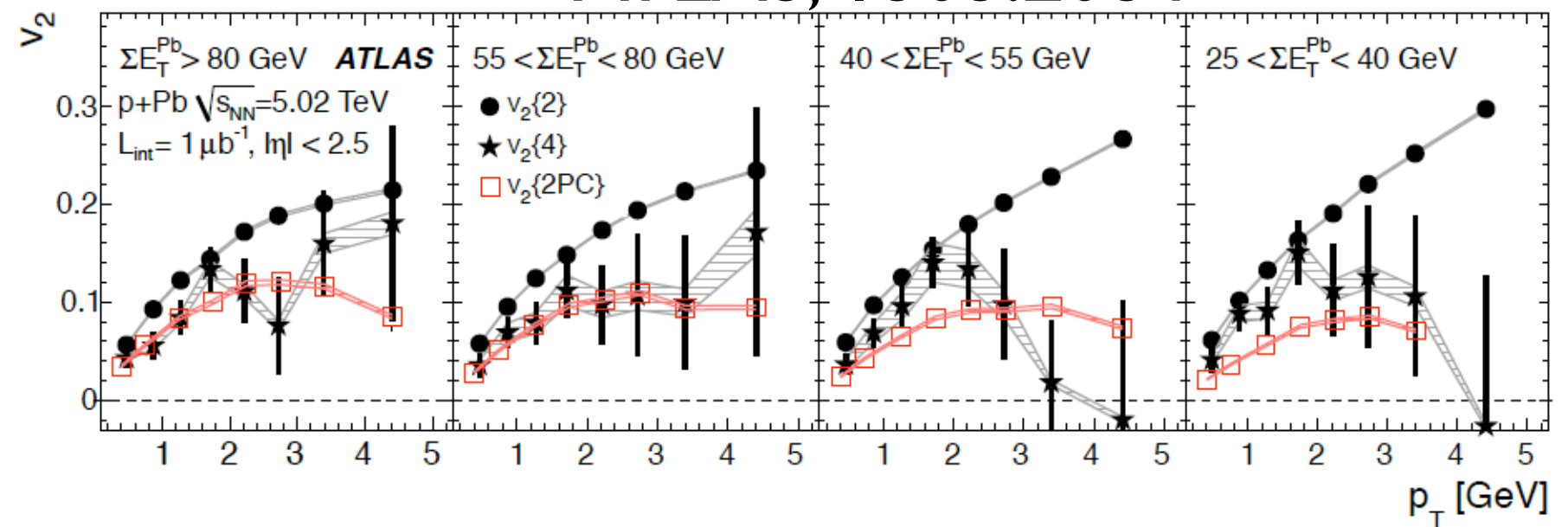
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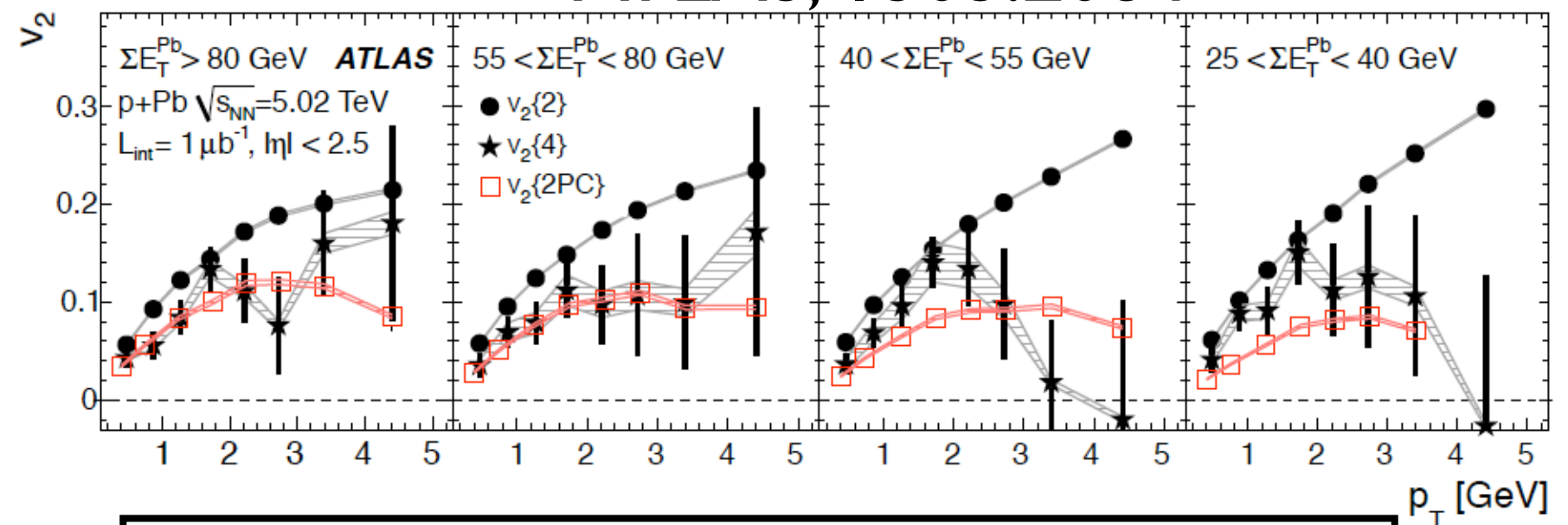
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- The existence of collective effects in pPb is somewhat unexpected.
- Are they really final state? Do they exist also in eA?

LHeC scenarios:

config.	E(e)	E(N)	N	$\int L(e^+)$	$\int L(e^-)$	Pol	L/10 ³²	P/MW	years	type
For F ₂										
A	20	7	p	1	1	-	1	10	1	SPL
B	50	7	p	50	50	0.4	25	30	2	RR hiQ ²
C	50	7	p	1	1	0.4	1	30	1	RR lo x
D	100	7	p	5	10	0.9	2.5	40	2	LR
E	150	7	p	3	6	0.9	1.8	40	2	LR
F	50	3.5	D	1	1	--	0.5	30	1	eD
G	50	2.7	Pb	10 ⁻³	10 ⁻³	0.4	10 ⁻³	30	1	ePb
H	50	1	p	--	1	--	25	30	1	lowEp
I	50	3.5	Ca	5 · 10 ⁻³		?	5 · 10 ⁻³	?	?	eCa

- For F_L: 10, 25, 50 + 2750 (7000); Q² ≤ sx; Lumi=5, 10, 100 pb⁻¹ respectively; charm and beauty: same efficiencies in ep and eA.

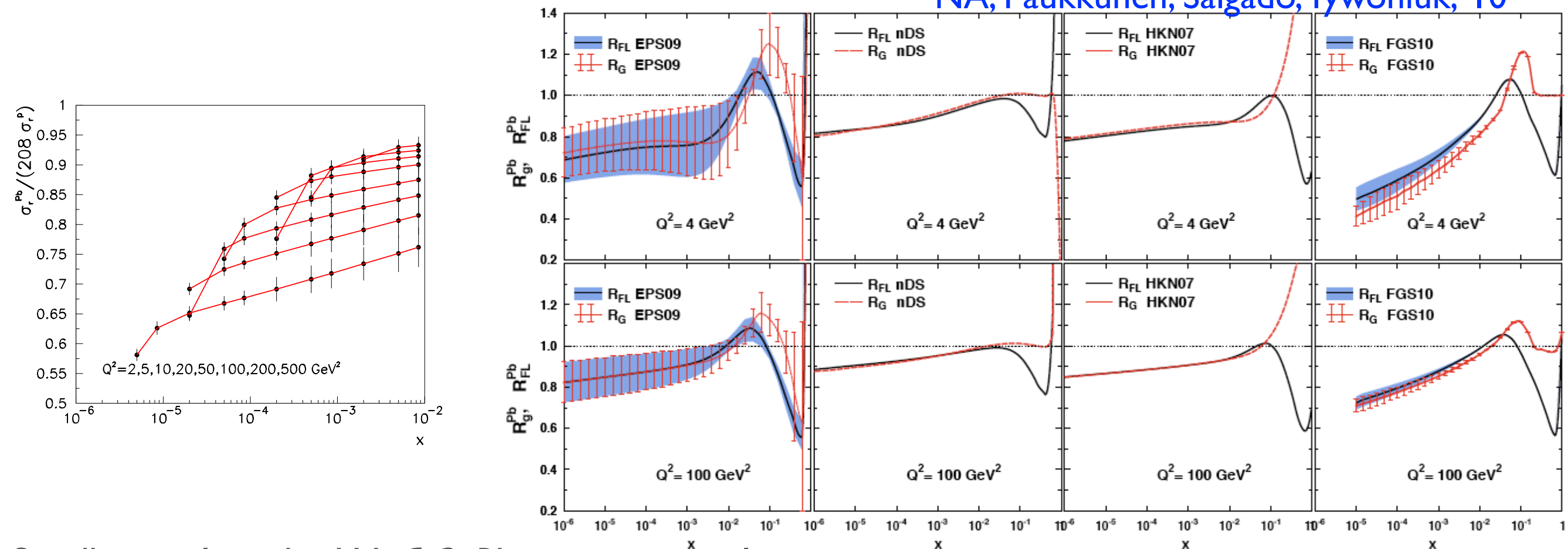
Small-x in eA at the LHeC: 3. Physics case in eA.

Note: F_L in eA

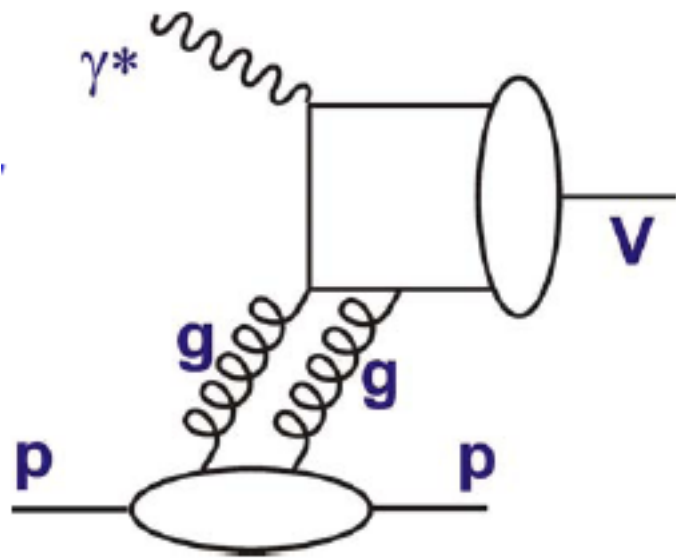
$$\sigma_r^{NC} = \frac{Q^4 x}{2\pi\alpha^2 Y_+} \frac{d^2\sigma^{NC}}{dx dQ^2} = F_2 \left[1 - \frac{y^2}{Y_+} \frac{F_L}{F_2} \right], \quad Y_+ = 1 + (1 - y)^2$$

- F_L traces the nuclear effects on the glue (Cazarotto et al '08).
- Uncertainties in the extraction of F_2 due to the unknown nuclear effects on F_L of order 5 % (larger than expected stat.+syst.) $\Rightarrow$ measure F_L or use the reduced cross section (but then ratios at two energies...).

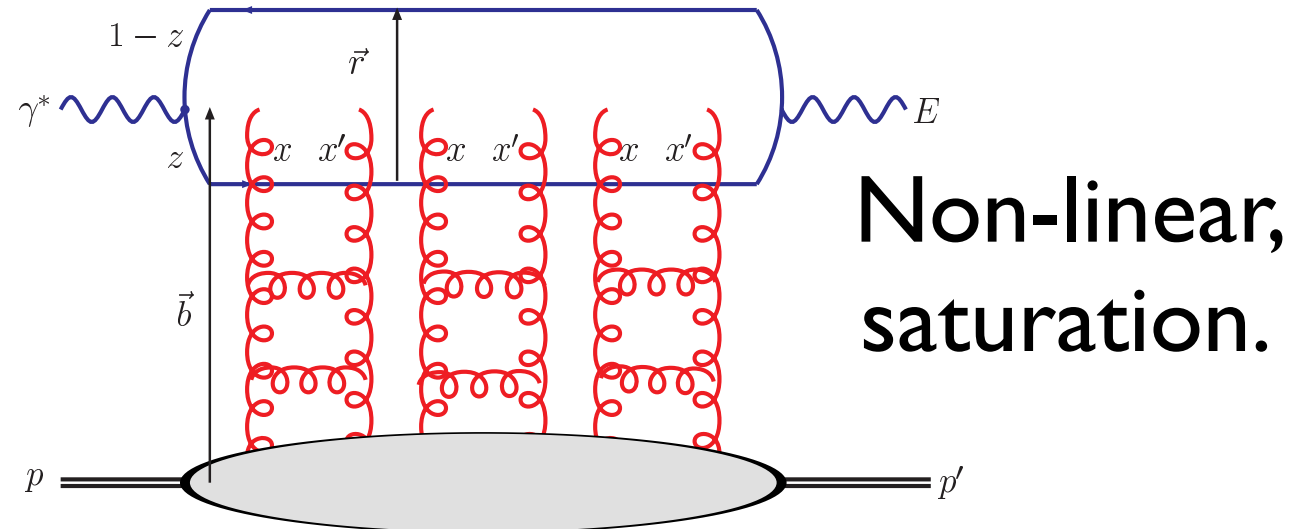
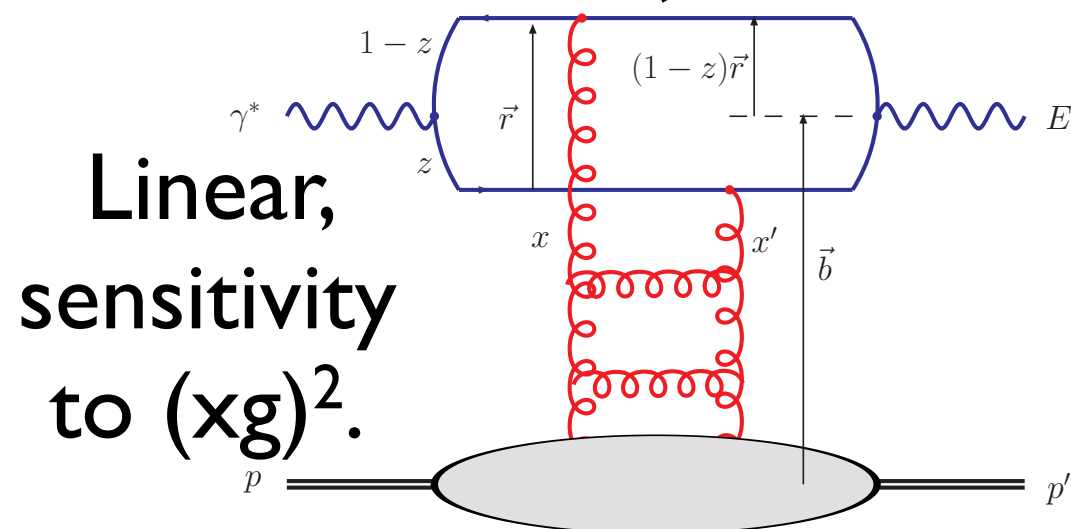
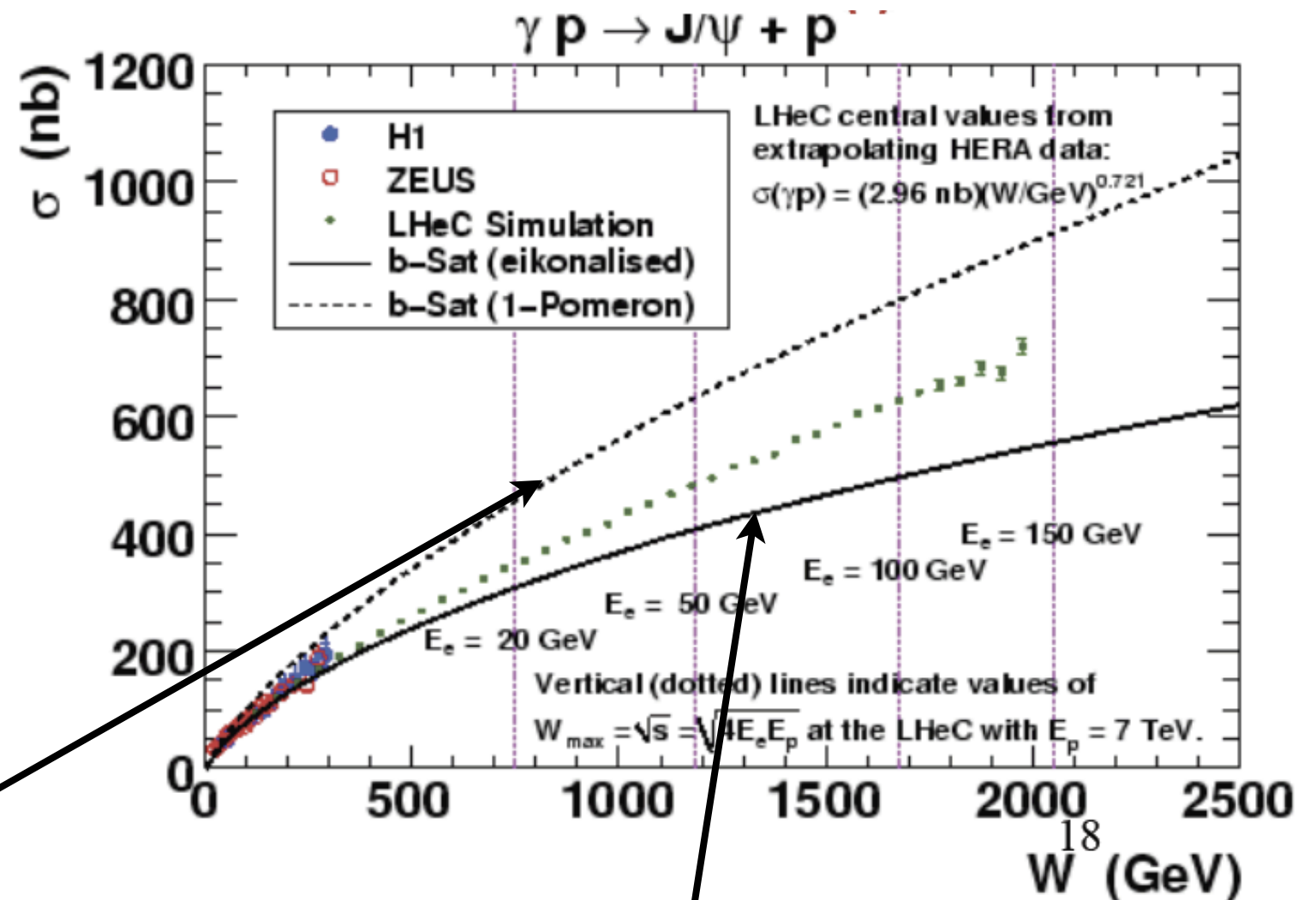
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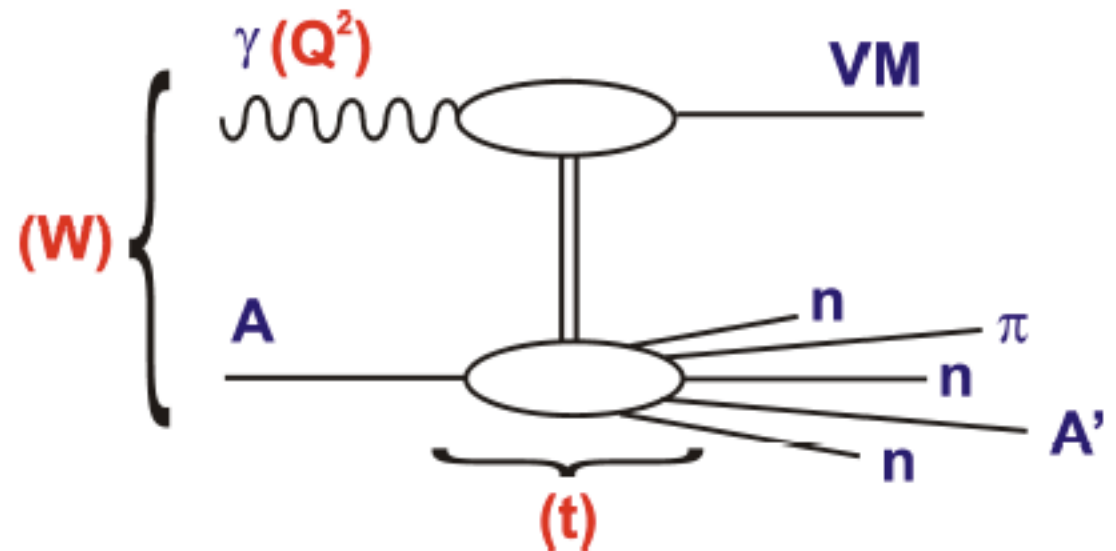
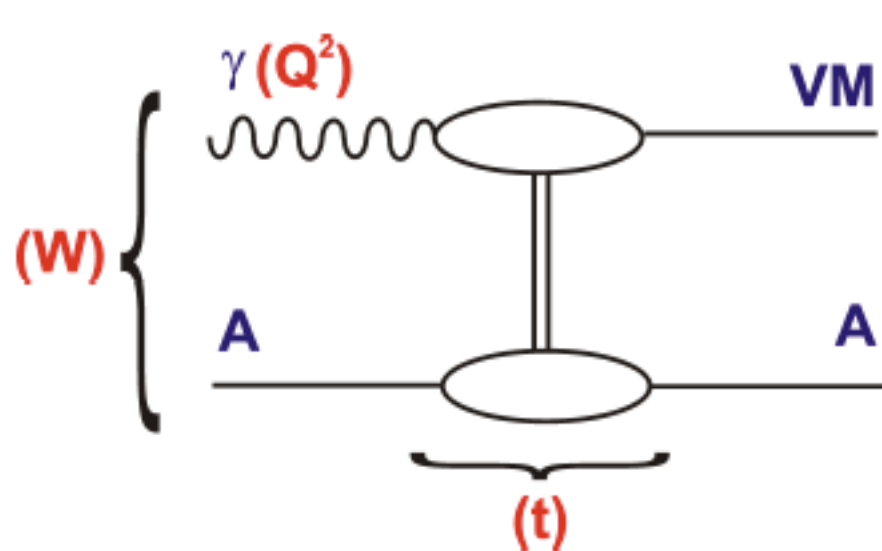


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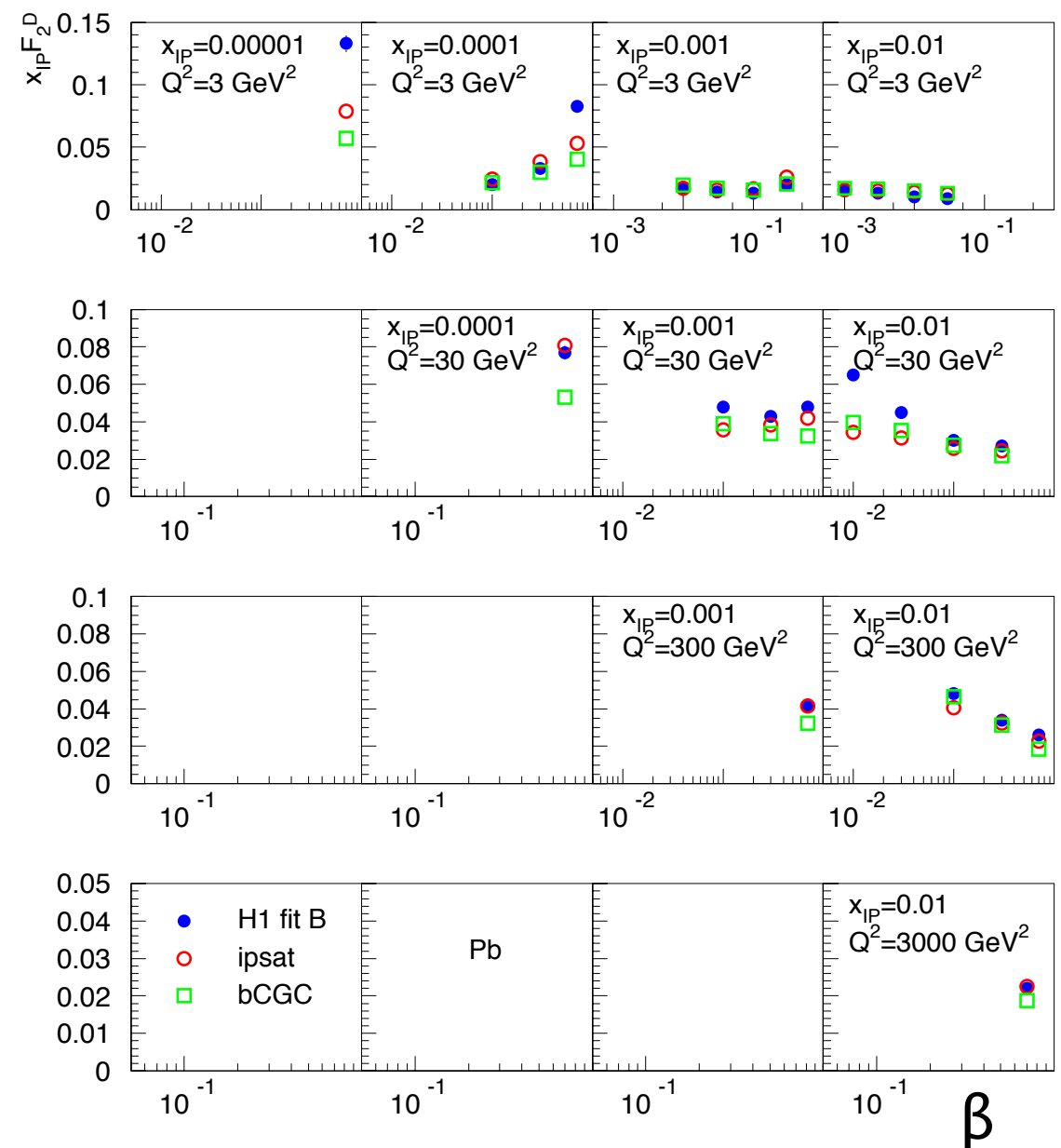


- Elastic J/ψ production appears as a candidate to signal saturation effects at work!!!



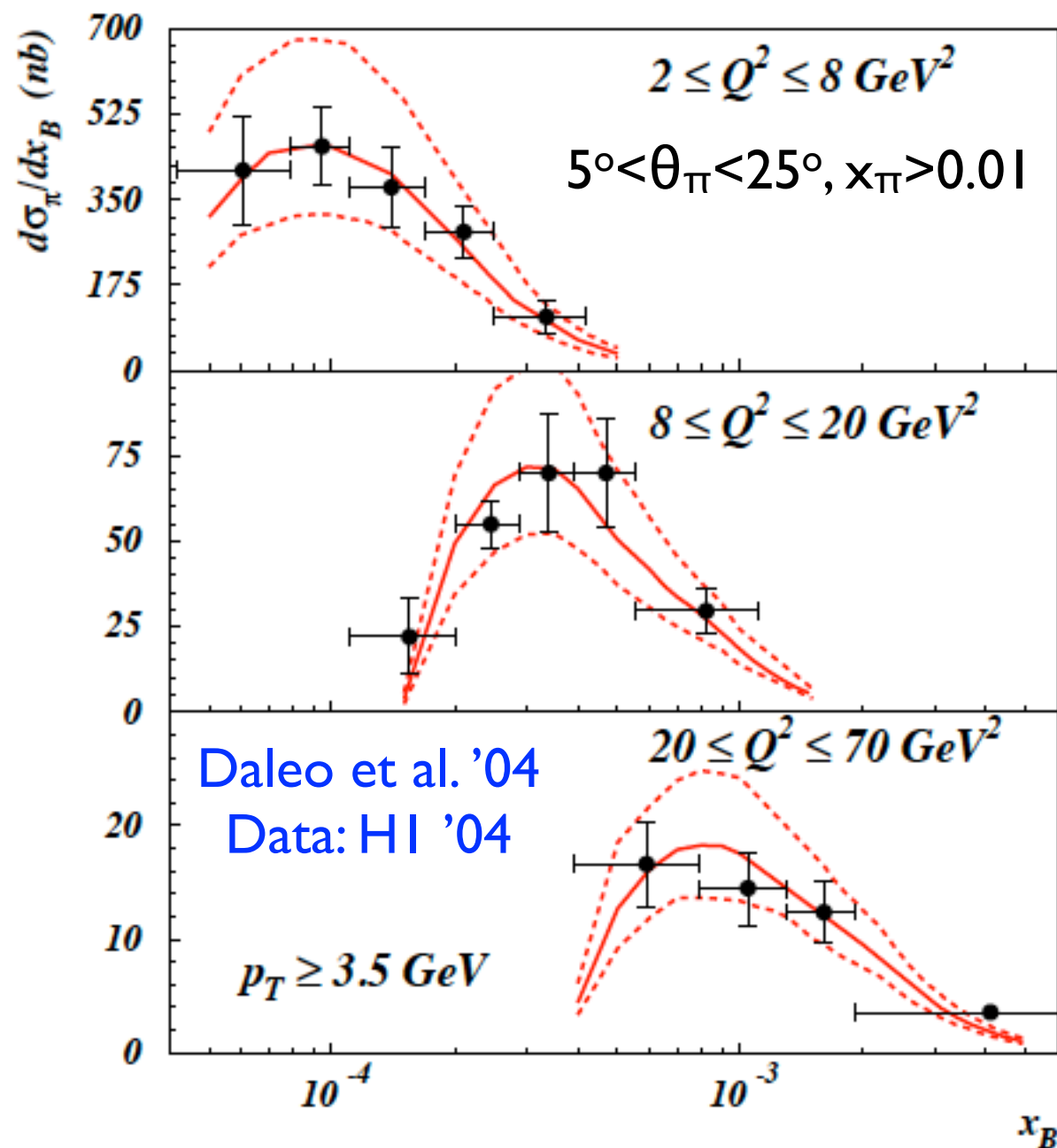


- **Challenging** experimental problem, requires Monte Carlo simulation with detailed understanding of the nuclear break-up.
- For the **coherent case**, predictions available.

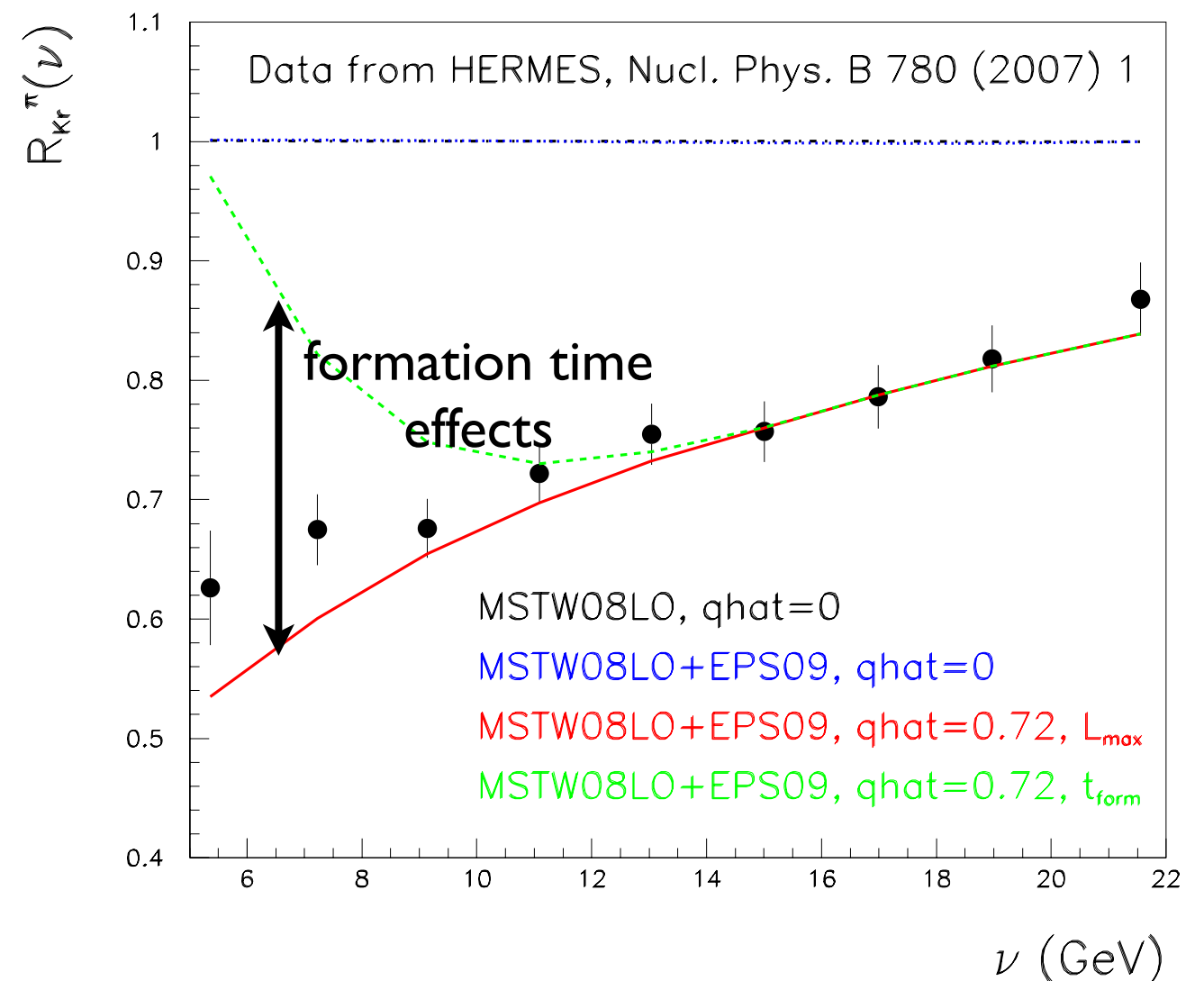


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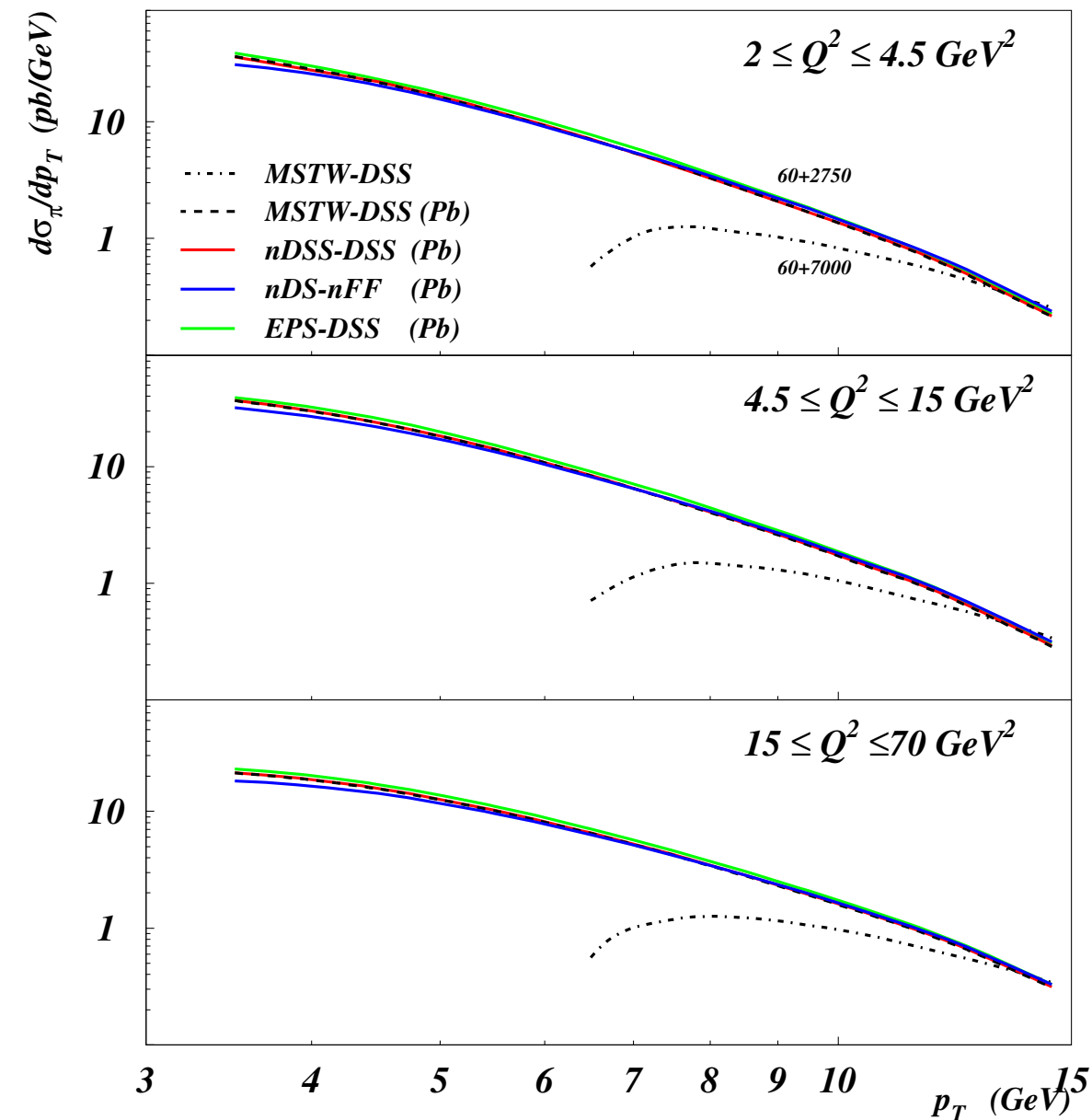
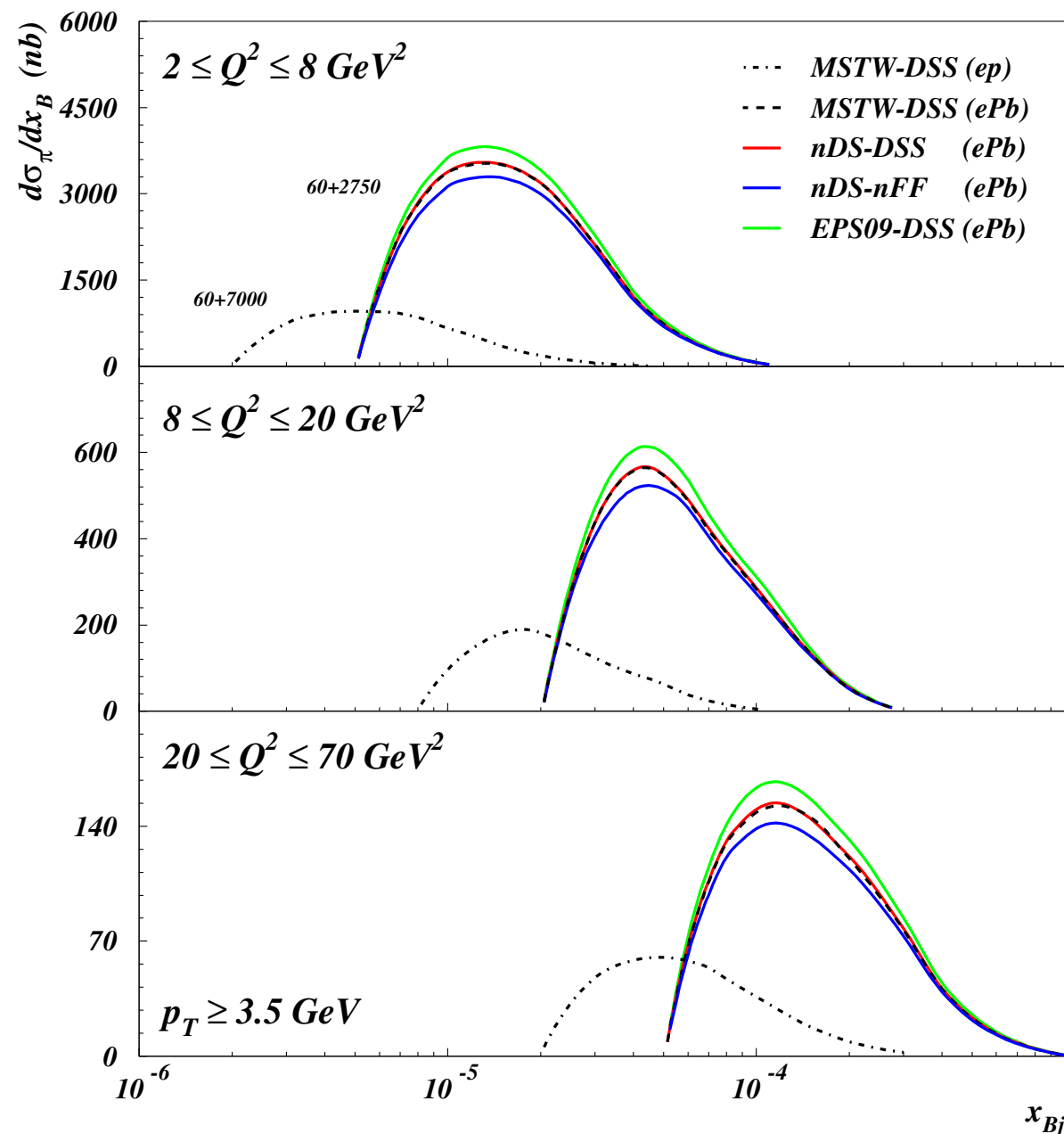


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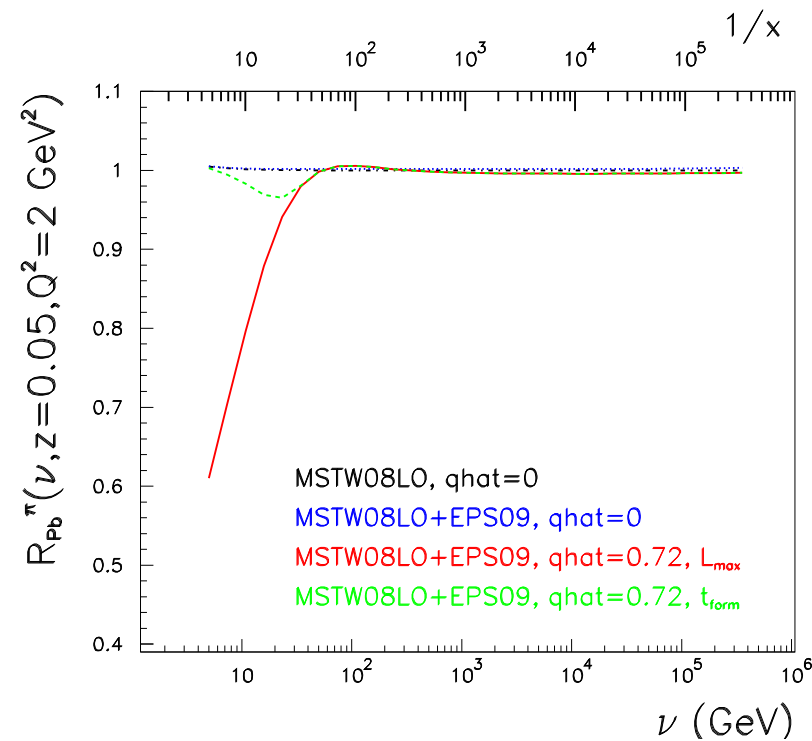
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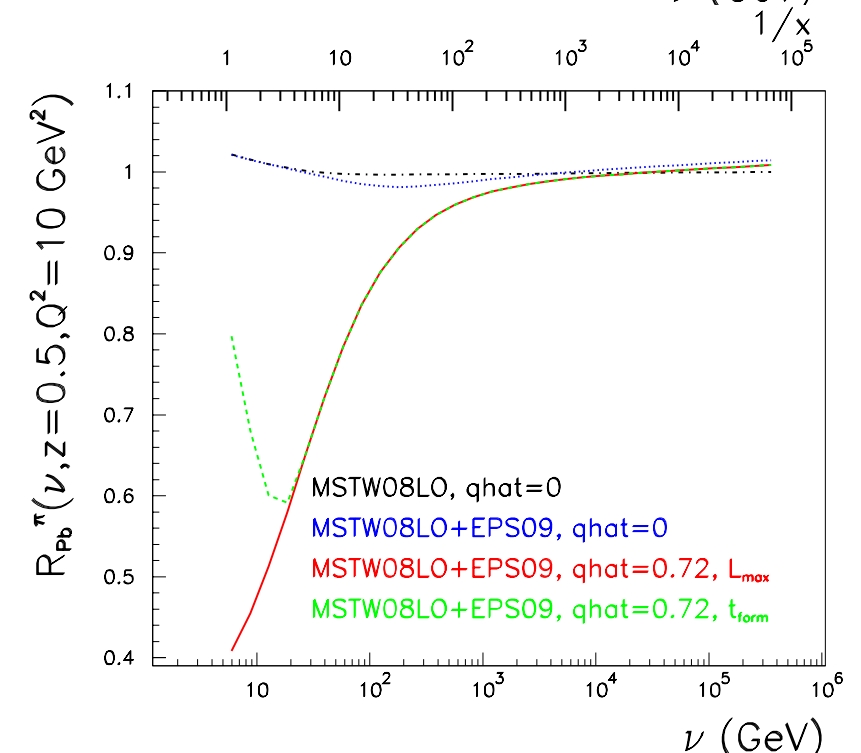
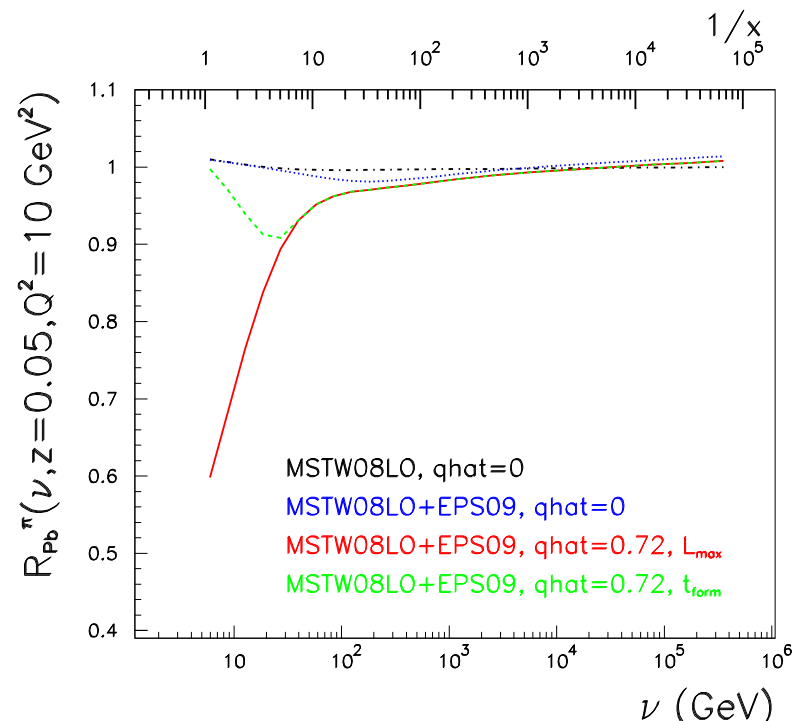
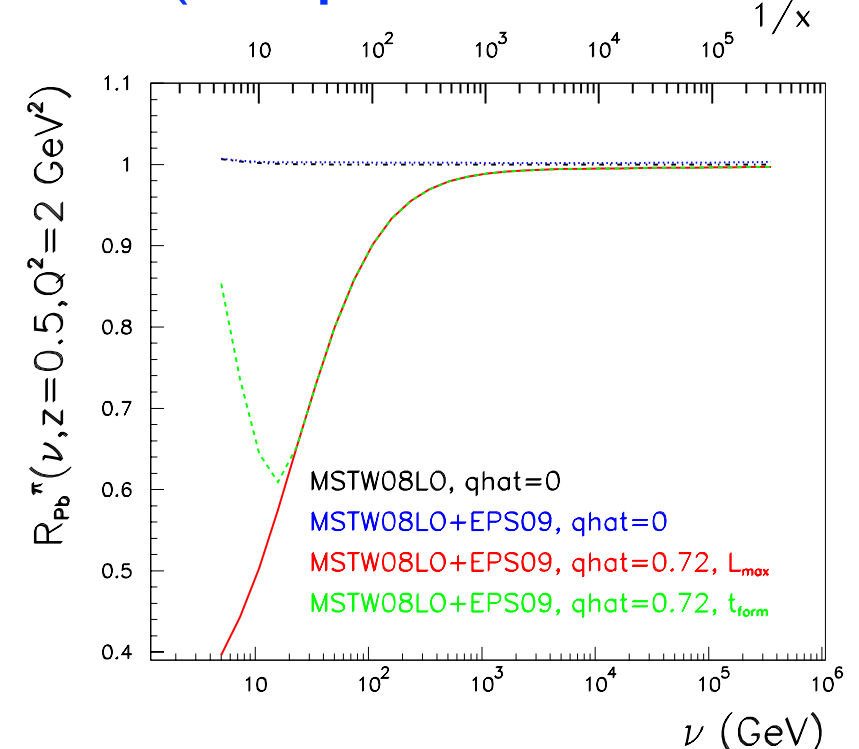
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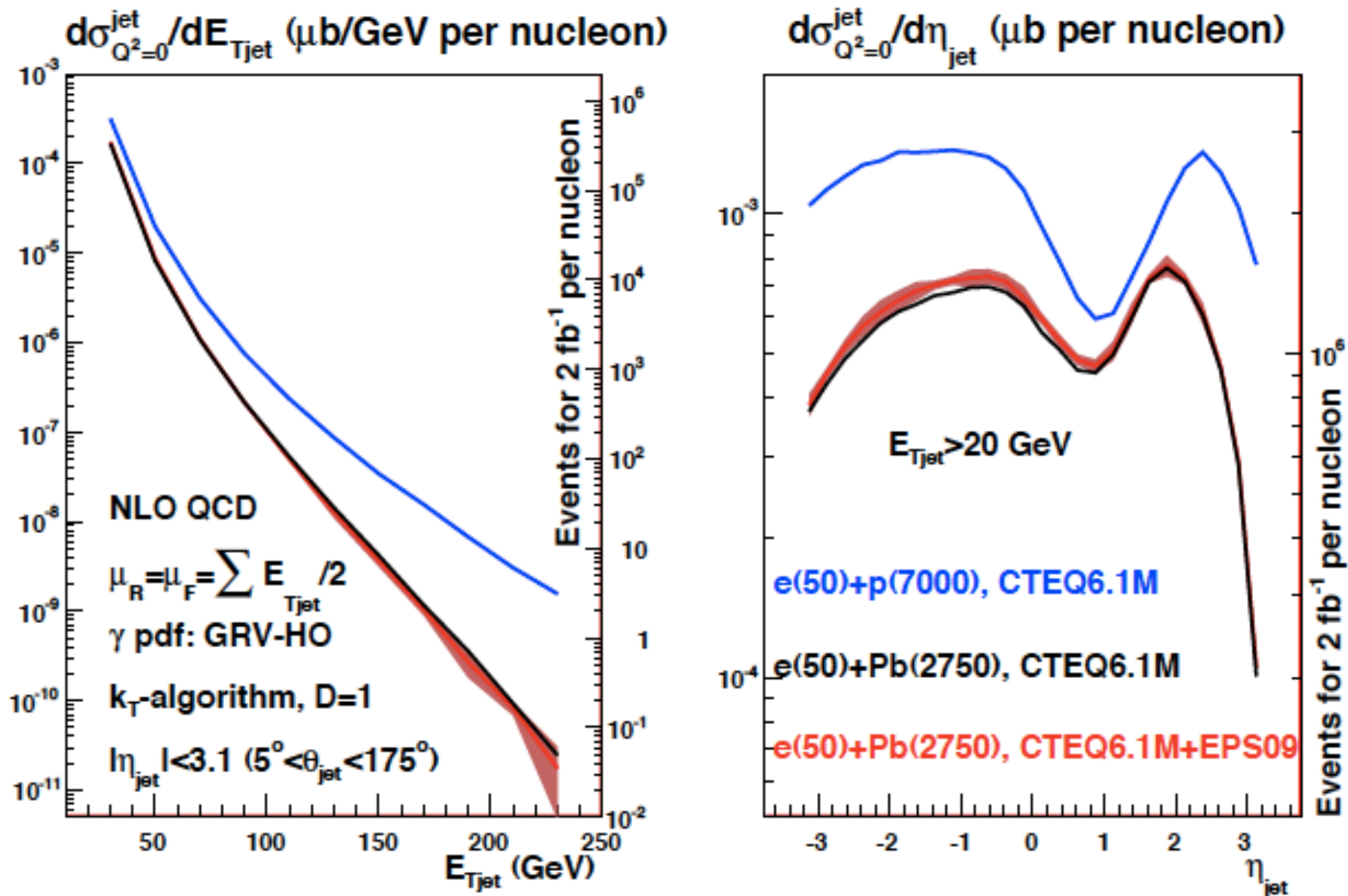


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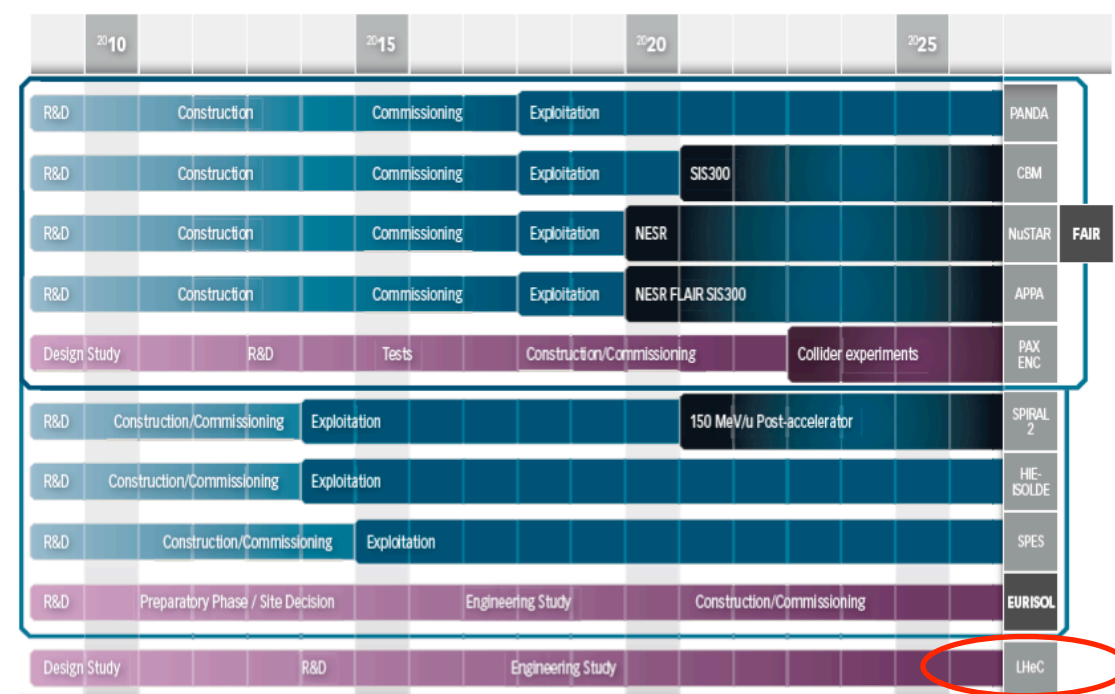
NuPECC LRP

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2.2 Facilities Roadmap

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