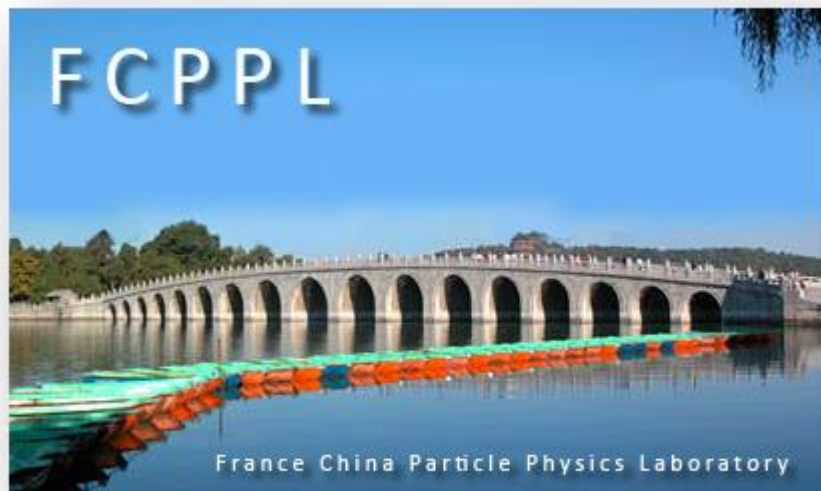


# Charmonium production in



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# Charmonium production in



- ❑ Introduction to LHCb
- ❑ Charmonium production in LHCb
- ❑ Charmonia via decays to hadrons
- ❑ A phenomenology touch
- ❑ Outlook

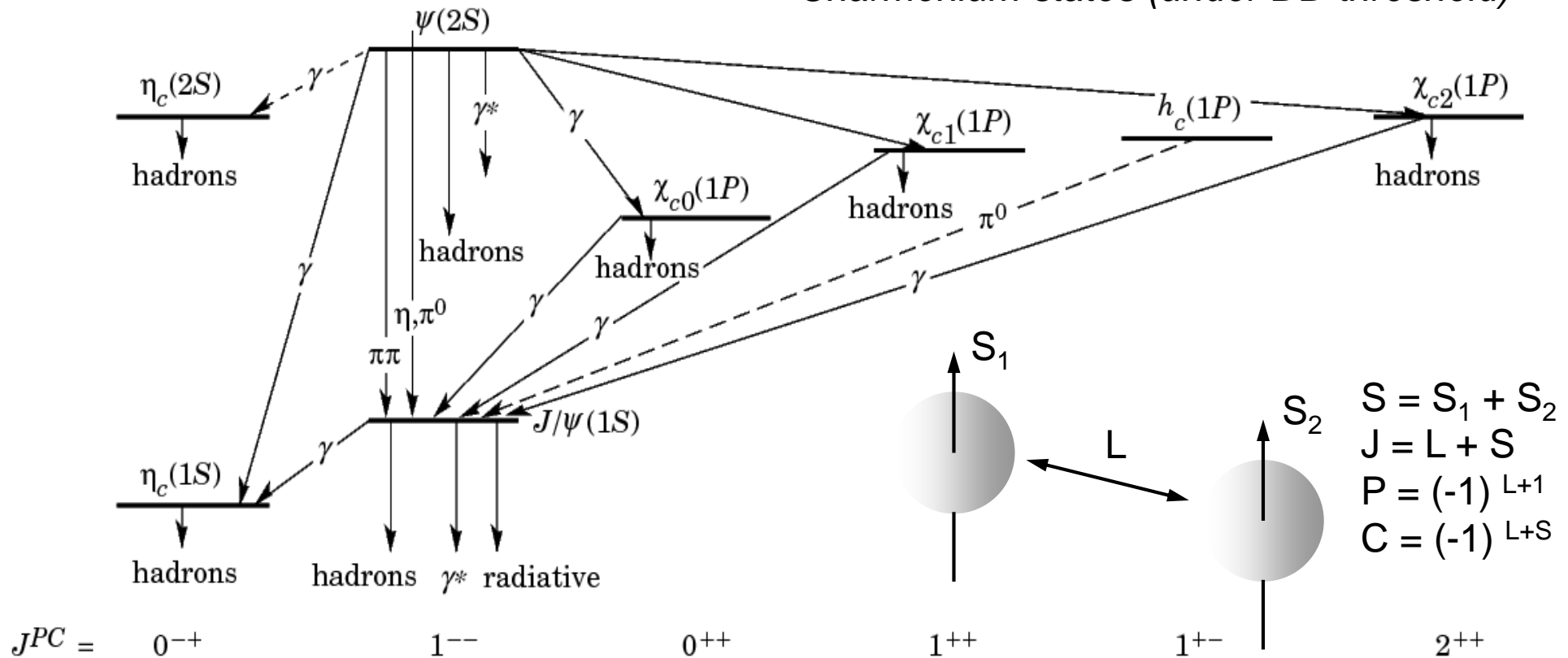


*Disclaimer: very biased selection of the results, no production in heavy-ion collisions, no diffractive processes, (almost) no charmonium-like states*

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# Charmonium decays: good, bad and very bad charmonia

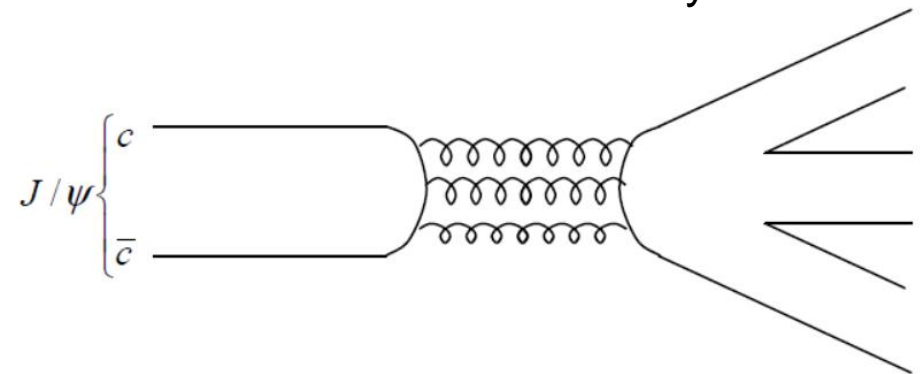
Charmonium states (under  $D\bar{D}$  threshold)



❑ **Hadronic final states** allow to study different charmonium states simultaneously

❑ **Below  $D\bar{D}$  threshold: strong annihilation to two or three gluons,  $\alpha_s^4$  or  $\alpha_s^6$  dependence**

❑ **Above  $D\bar{D}$  threshold: decays to  $D\bar{D}$  via single gluon radiation,  $\alpha_s^2$  dependence**



# Quarkonium production

- Two scales of production:

hard process of  $Q\bar{Q}$  formation and hadronization of  $Q\bar{Q}$  at softer scales

- Factorization:**  $d\sigma_{A+B \rightarrow H+X} = \sum_n d\sigma_{A+B \rightarrow Q\bar{Q}(n)+X} \times \langle \mathcal{O}^H(n) \rangle$

Short distance: perturbative cross-sections + pdf for the production of a  $Q\bar{Q}$  pair

Long distance matrix elements (LDME), non-perturbative part

- Hadronization description*

- Colour evaporation model (CEM): application of quark-hadron duality; only the invariant mass matters

- Colour-singlet model: intermediate  $Q\bar{Q}$  state is colourless and has the same  $J^{PC}$  quantum numbers as the final-state quarkonium

- NRQCD: all viable colours and  $J^{PC}$  allowed for the intermediate  $Q\bar{Q}$  state, they are adjusted in the long-distance part with a given probability. Long-Distance Matrix Elements (LDME) from experimental data. *Most used since is based on an EFT and can be improved systematically*

- Universality**: *same LDME for prompt production and production in b-decays; for  $e+e^-$ ,  $ep$ ,  $pp$ , ...; all beam energies; ...*

- Heavy-Quark **Spin-Symmetry** (HQSS): links between colour-singlet (CS) and colour-octet (CO) LDME of different quarkonium states

## Quarkonium production

- ❑ **Powerful QCD tests**, instead of using QCD to estimate observables, use production measurements to qualify QCD
- ❑ New theory developments confronted to new experimental results. Impressive progress in both domains, **evolution by puzzles**
- ❑ First clash to describe « **J/ψ production puzzle** »
- ❑ « **J/ψ production AND polarization puzzle** » boosted the progress
- ❑ Recently with the  $\eta_c(1S)$  production measurement by LHCb more challenging « **J/ψ production AND polarization AND  $\eta_c(1S)$  production puzzle** »
- ❑ **More precision** in conventional studies and **new sources of input**: associated production, isolation, production in pPb and PbPb collisions, non-conventional states, ...
- ❑ Comprehensive model of **quarkonium production** still missing

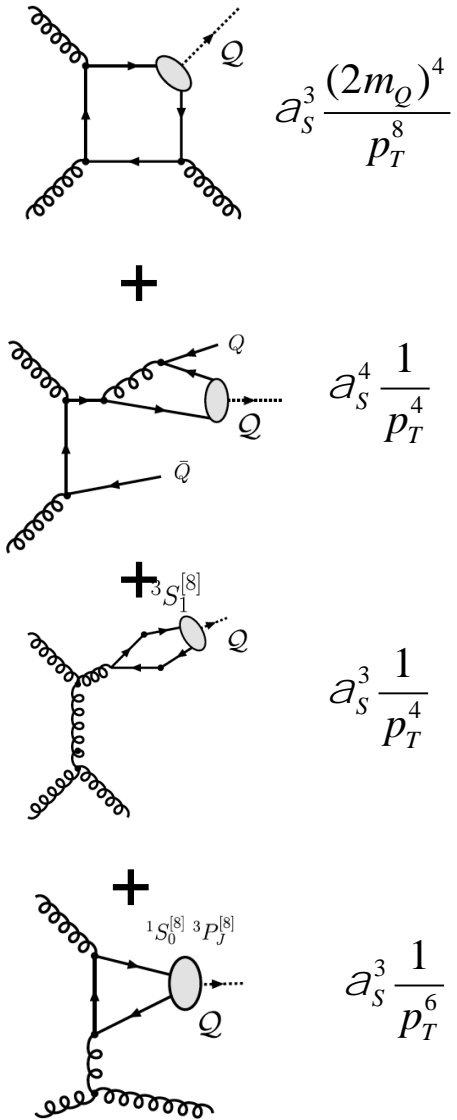
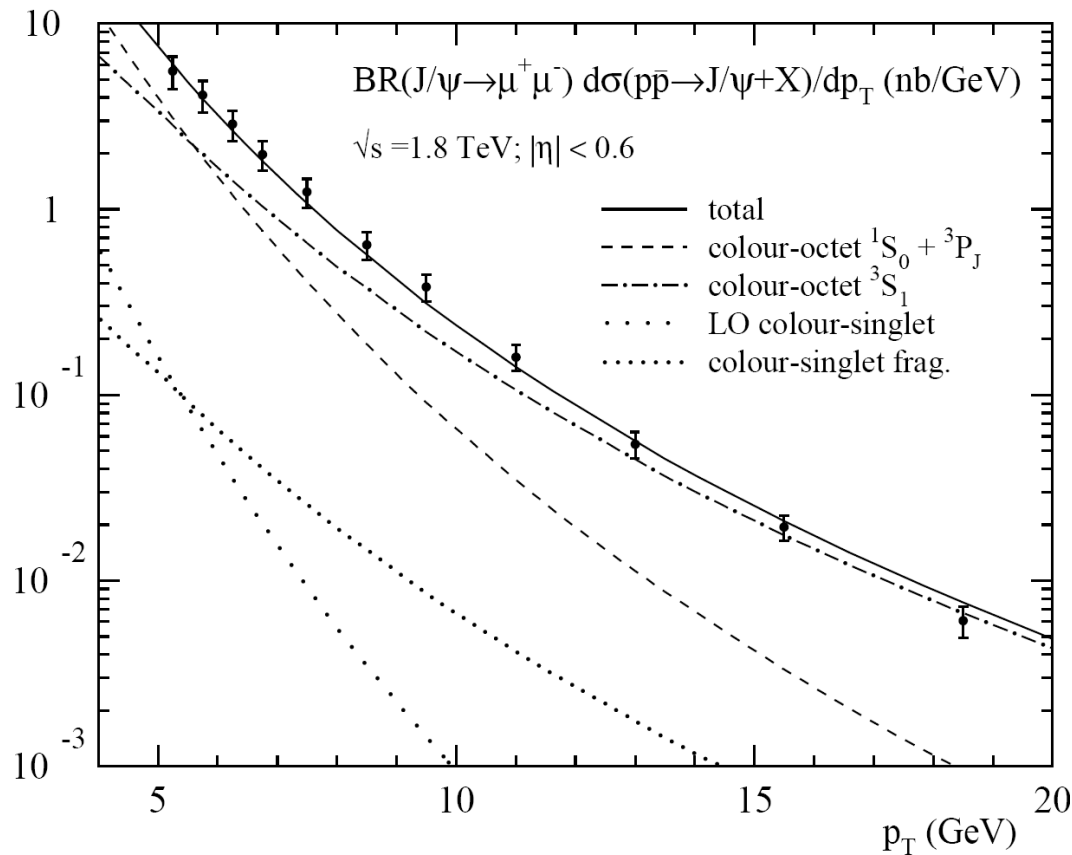
# Historical J/ψ hadroproduction puzzle

- ❑ Comparison of direct  $p_T$  differential **J/ψ production** cross-section measured by CDF
- ❑ Color-singlet and color-octet, LO and NLO contributions
- ❑ LDME fitted on the same data

R. BAIER and R. RUECKL, *Z. Phys C* 19 (1983), 251

E. BRAATEN, M. A. DONCHESKI, S. FLEMING and M. L. MANGANO, *PLB* 333 (1994), 548

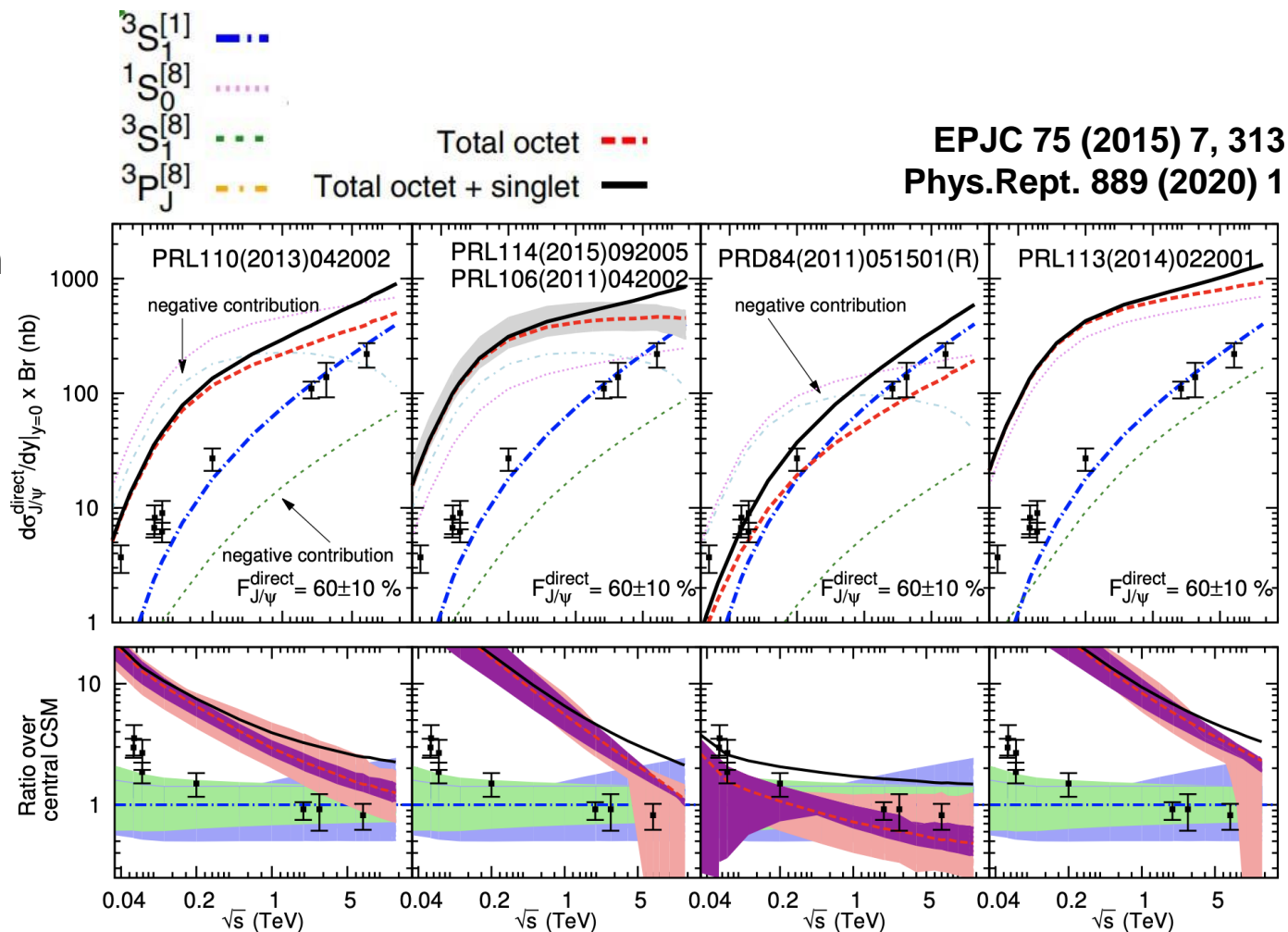
P. L. CHO and A. K. LEIBOVICH, *PRD* 53 (1996) 150



- ❑ Excellent agreement when summing all contributions, with Color-Octet terms being dominant

# Charmonium production: challenges

- ❑ Many puzzles are still there
- ❑ Simultaneous description of  $J/\psi$  production and polarization – “polarization puzzle”
- ❑ Simultaneous description of  $\eta_c$  and  $J/\psi$  together with  $J/\psi$  photoproduction - “HQSS puzzle”
- ❑ Negative contribution in the cross-section
- ❑ Tension with  $J/\psi+Z$  production
- ❑ CEM not describing P-waves production



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LDMEs	$J/\psi$ hadropr.	$J/\psi$ photopr.	$J/\psi$ polar.	$\eta_c$ hadropr.
Butenschön et al.	✓	✓	✗	✗
Chao et al. + $\eta_c$	✓	✗	✓	✓
Zhang et al.	✓	✗	✓	✓
Gong et al.	✓	✗	✓	✗
Chao et al.	✓	✗	✓	✗
Bodwin et al.	✓	✗	✓	✗

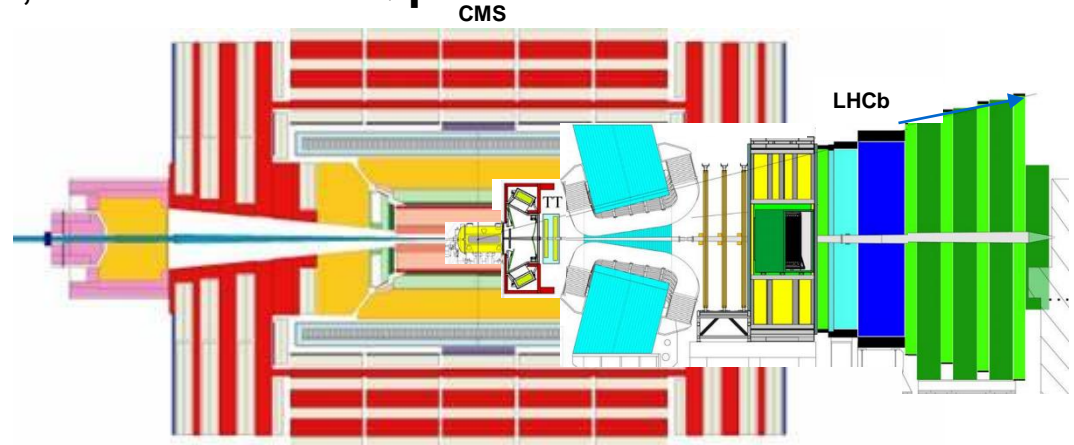
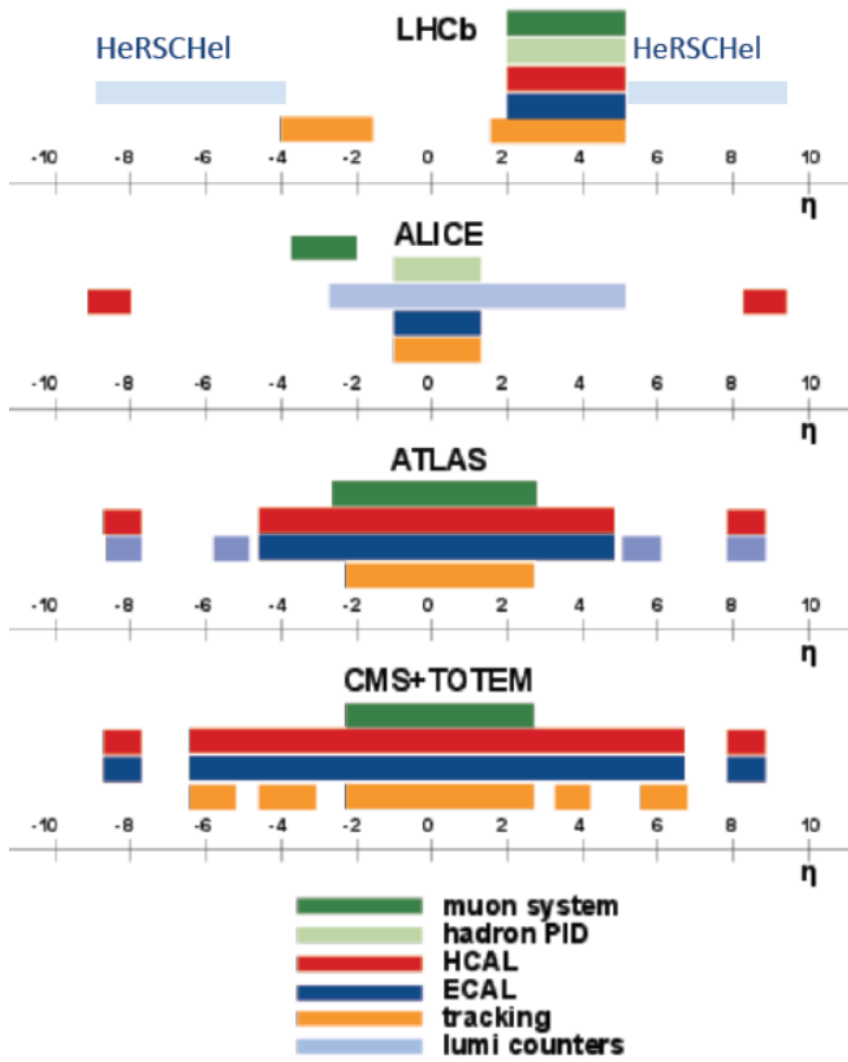
## LHCb detector



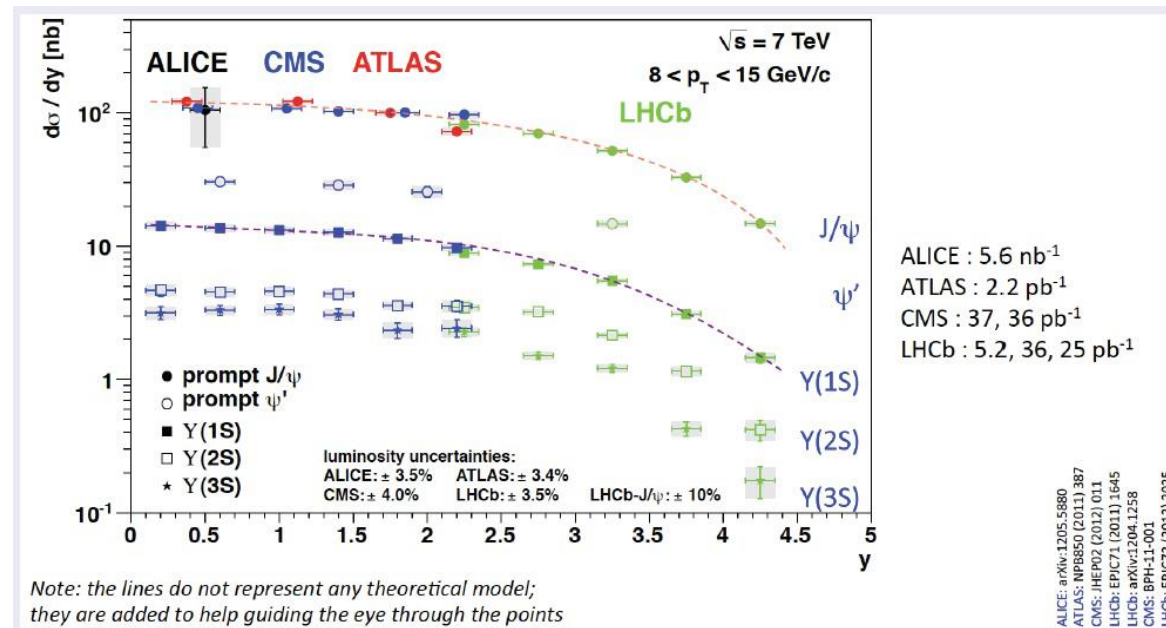


# LHC detectors studying quarkonium

- ❑ Quarkonium production: **forward peaked & correlated HQ production at the LHC**
- ❑ ATLAS & CMS: mid-rapidity
- ❑ LHCb: forward region, **~4% of solid angle, but ~40% of HQ production x-section**



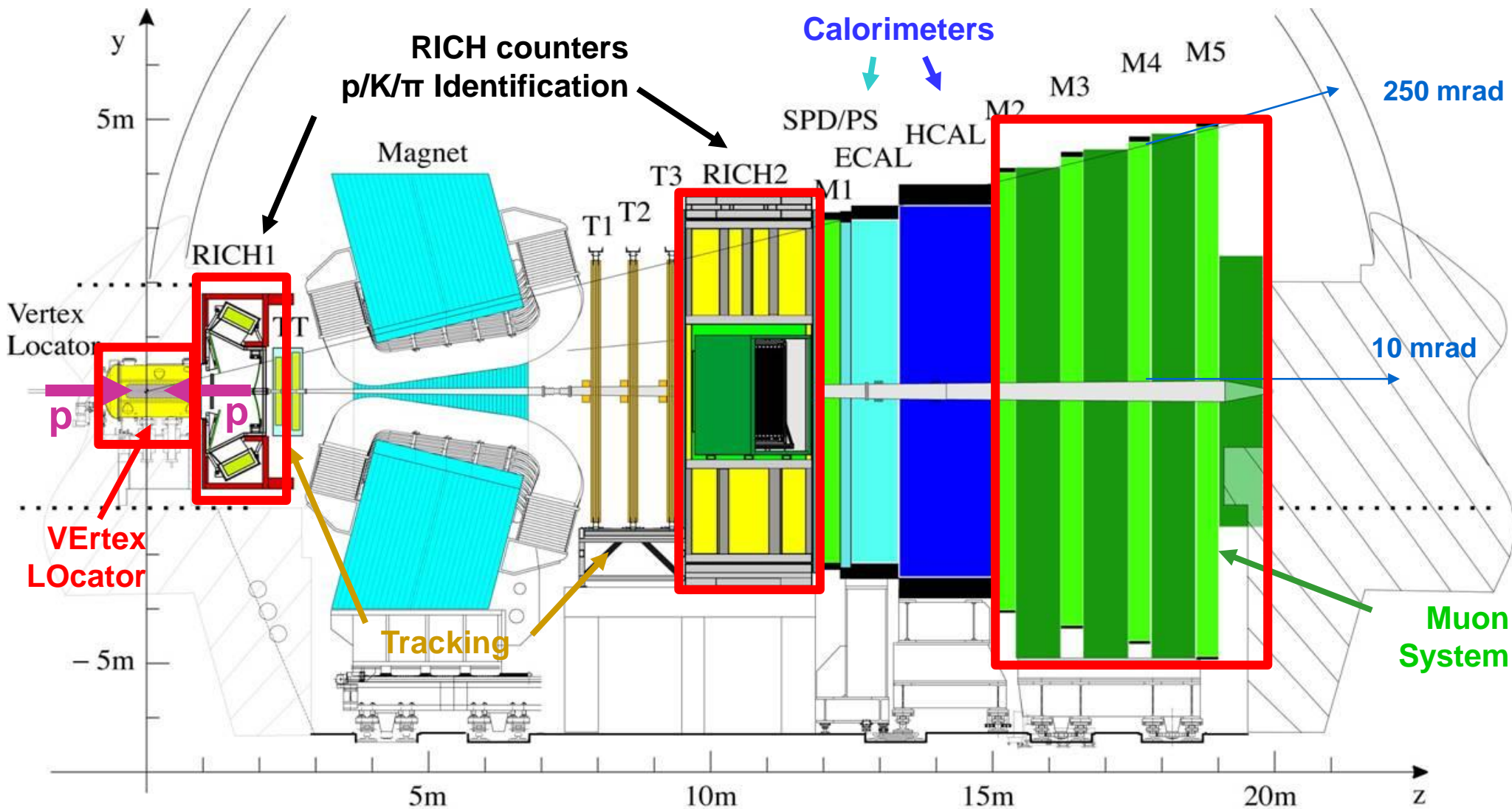
## ❑ Complementary cross-section measurements



- ❑ Acceptance coverage, trigger threshold, hadron ID, luminosity

# LHCb – single-arm forward spectrometer, 10-250 mrad (V), 10-300 mrad (H)

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**Vertex reconstruction:**  
VELO

**Kinematics:**  
Magnet  
Tracker  
Calorimeters

**PID:**  
RICHs  
Calorimeters  
Muon Chambers

**Trigger:**  
Muon Chambers  
Calorimeters  
Tracker

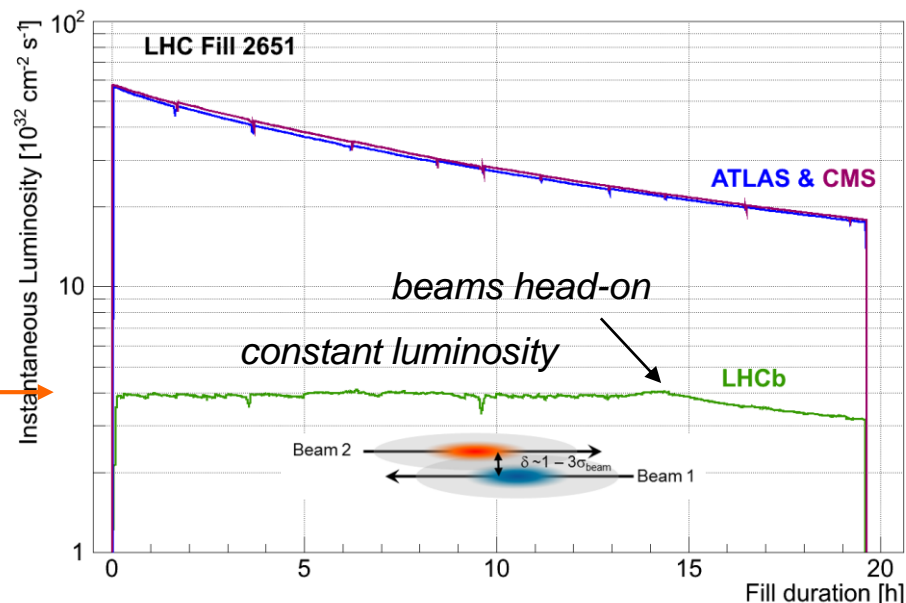
# LHCb data

❑ Excellent performance of the LHC and the experiments during Runs I and II

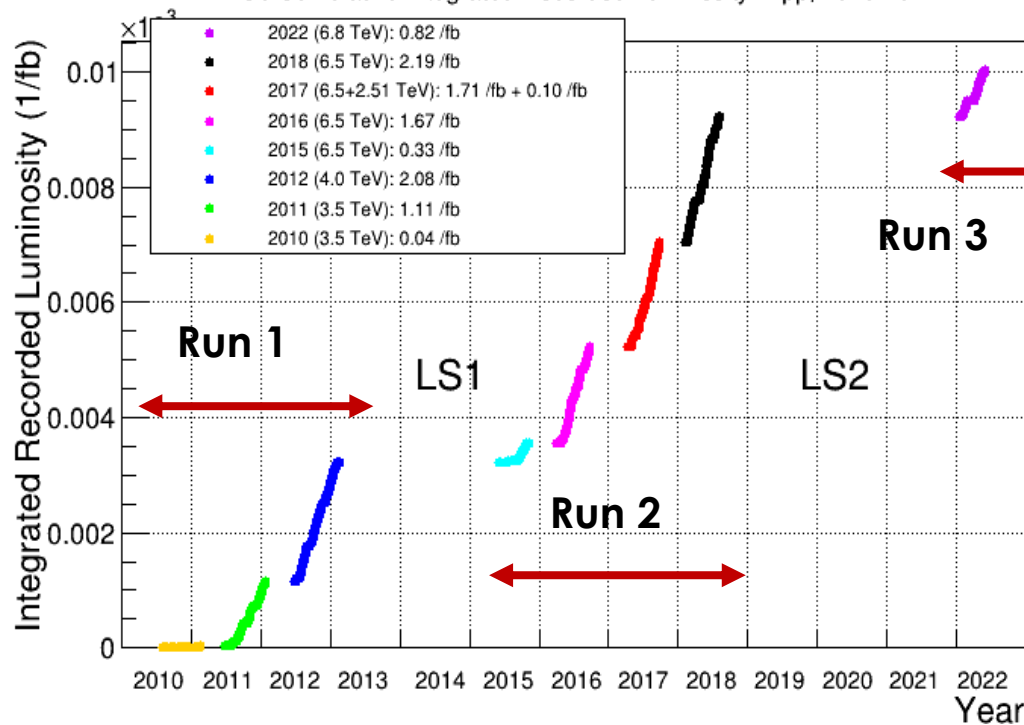
❑ LHCb:  $\int L dt \sim 9 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

❑ Luminosity leveling for LHCb

LHCb luminosity levelling



LHCb Cumulative Integrated Recorded Luminosity in pp, 2010-2022

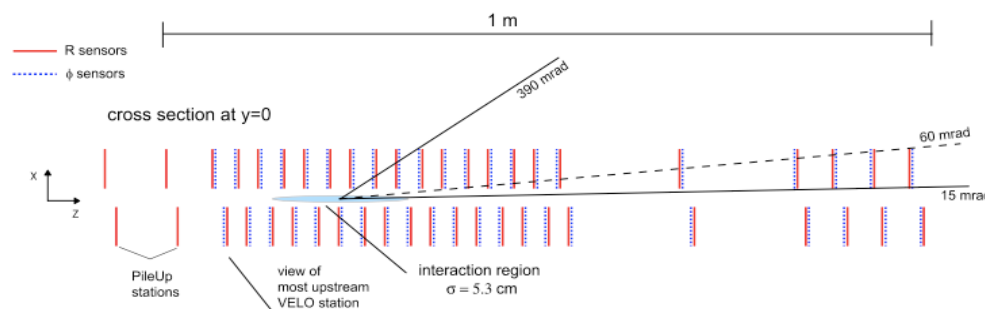


# Vertex reconstruction in LHCb: VERtEX LOcator



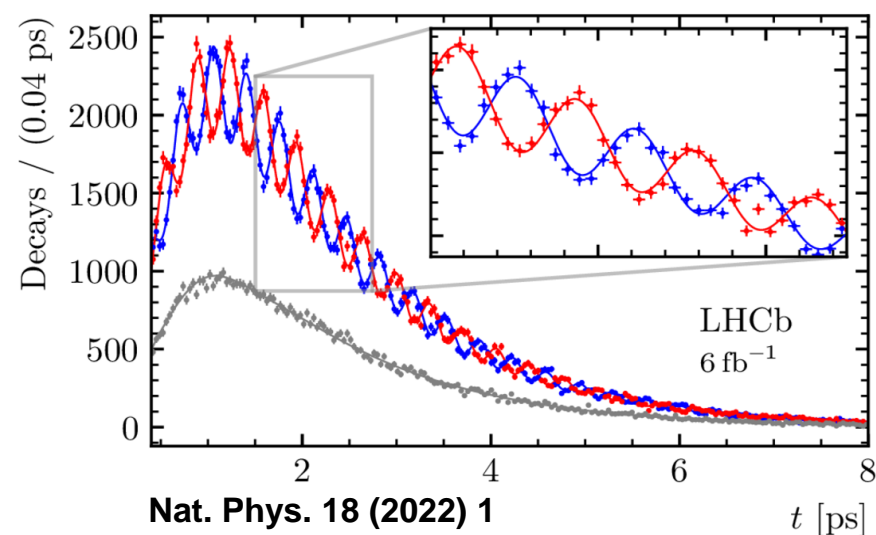
JINST 8 (2013) P08002, JINST 9 (2014) P09007

- ❑ 88 semi-circular microstrip Si sensors
- ❑ Double-sided, R and  $\phi$  layout
- ❑ 300  $\mu\text{m}$  thick n-on-n sensors, strip pitches from 40 to 120  $\mu\text{m}$
- ❑ **First active strip at 8 mm from beam axis**



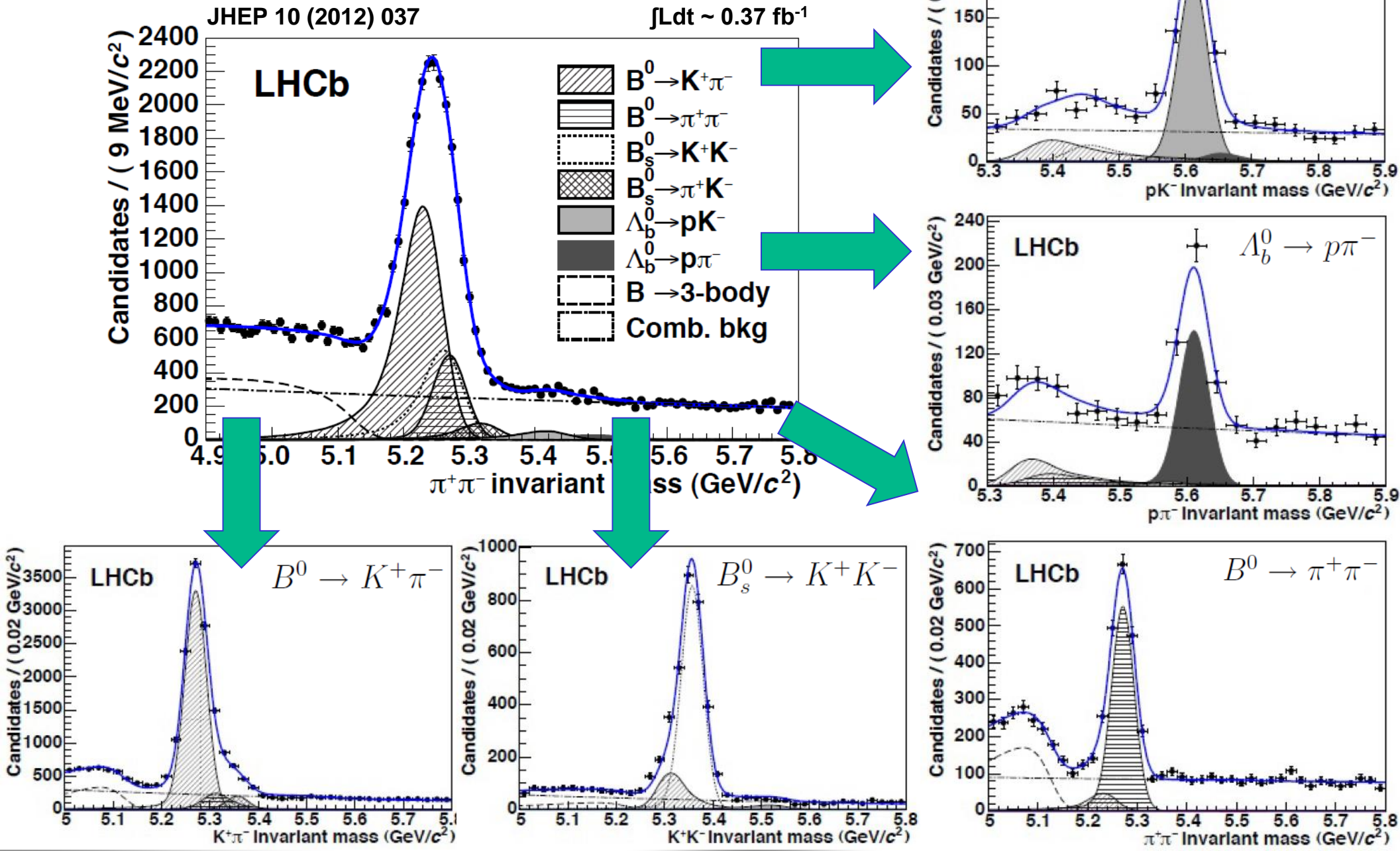
- ❑ Excellent **spatial resolution**, down to 4  $\mu\text{m}$  for single tracks
- ❑ Precise **impact parameter** measurement,  $\sigma_{\text{IP}} = 11.6 + 23.4/pT$  [ $\mu\text{m}$ ]
- ❑ Precise **primary vertex** reconstruction,  $\sigma_{x,y} = 13 \mu\text{m}$ ,  $\sigma_z = 69 \mu\text{m}$  for vertex of 25 tracks
- ❑ Excellent **proper time** resolution
- ❑ **Vertex resolution** allows to resolve fast ( $x \sim 27$ )  $B_s \bar{B}_s$  oscillations

—  $B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^- \pi^+$  —  $\bar{B}_s^0 \rightarrow B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^- \pi^+$  — Untagged



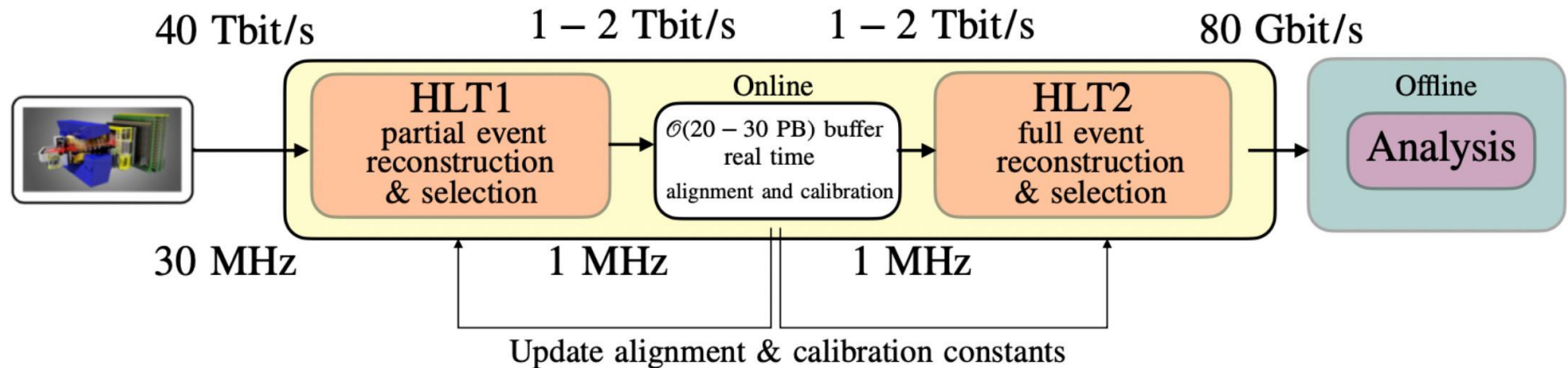
# Charged hadron ID in LHCb: Cherenkov light detectors

- ❑ 2 Ring Imaging Cherenkov Detectors
- ❑ Charged hadron ID, charmless 2-body b-hadron decays



# LHCb reincarnation: Upgrade I

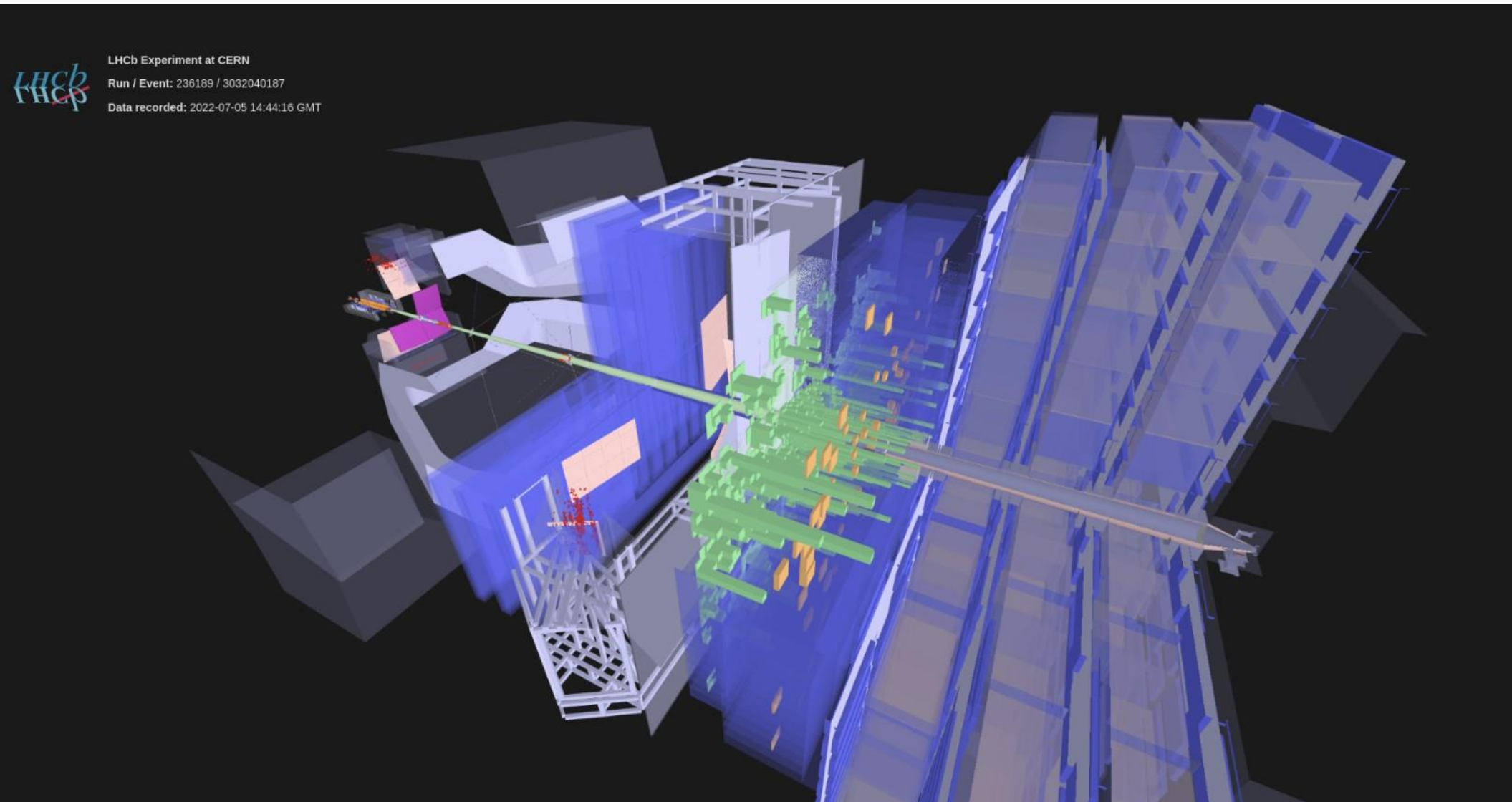
- ❑ LHCb upgrade I for runs 3 and 4
- ❑ Subdetectors readout at 40 MHz for a **fully software trigger using GPUs**
- ❑ Can run at 5 x higher luminosity



- ❑ 30 MHz of inelastic collisions will be reduced to ~1 MHz by the HLT1 (tracking/vertexing and muon ID) running on **GPUs, highest throughput of any HEP experiment**
- ❑ Many measurements will directly profit from higher stat precision (about x3 with run 3 only)
- ❑ **VELO**: Hybrid Pixel Detectors (55  $\mu\text{m}$  pitch), 5 mm from the LHC beam axis at data taking
- ❑ **Upstream tracker**: 4 planes, silicon strips and integrated cooling,  $K_S, \Lambda$  decaying after VELO
- ❑ **SciFi**: new large scale tracking stations after magnet, scintillating fibres readout by SiPMs
- ❑ **RICH**: new photodetector MaPMTs with increased granularity, new RICH1 design
- ❑ **SMOG2 gas target**: new gas storage cell upstream of nominal IP, simultaneous p-p and p-gas
- ❑ **PLUME**: new luminometer upstream VELO

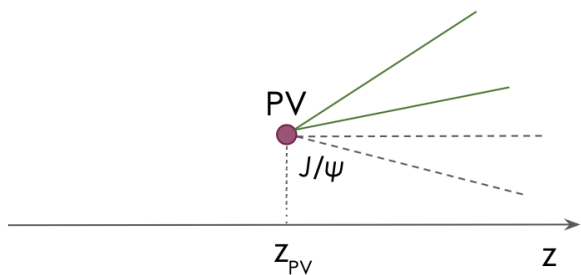
# LHCb reincarnation: Upgrade I

- First Run 3 collisions in LHCb at 13.6 TeV on 5/7/22

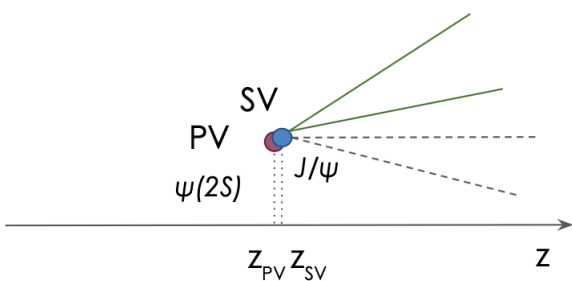


# Charmonium production vertex

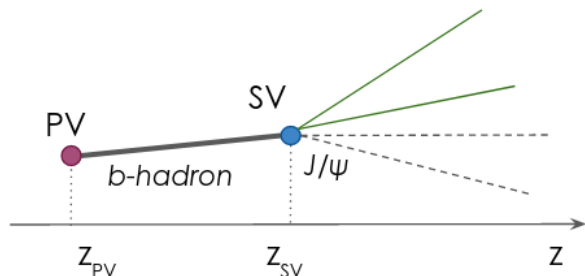
## Hadroproduction



## Decays of higher resonances



## Production in b-hadron decays / non-prompt



Prompt  $J/\psi$  production and production in b-hadron decays distinguished from the fit to pseudo-lifetime distribution

prompt production

distinguished via pseudo-proper decay time

$$t_z = \frac{z_{SV} - z_{PV}}{p_z} M_{q\bar{q}} \text{ or } \tau = \frac{L_{xy}}{p_T} M_{q\bar{q}}$$

PV – primary vertex  
SV – secondary vertex



## Charmonium production in pp collisions



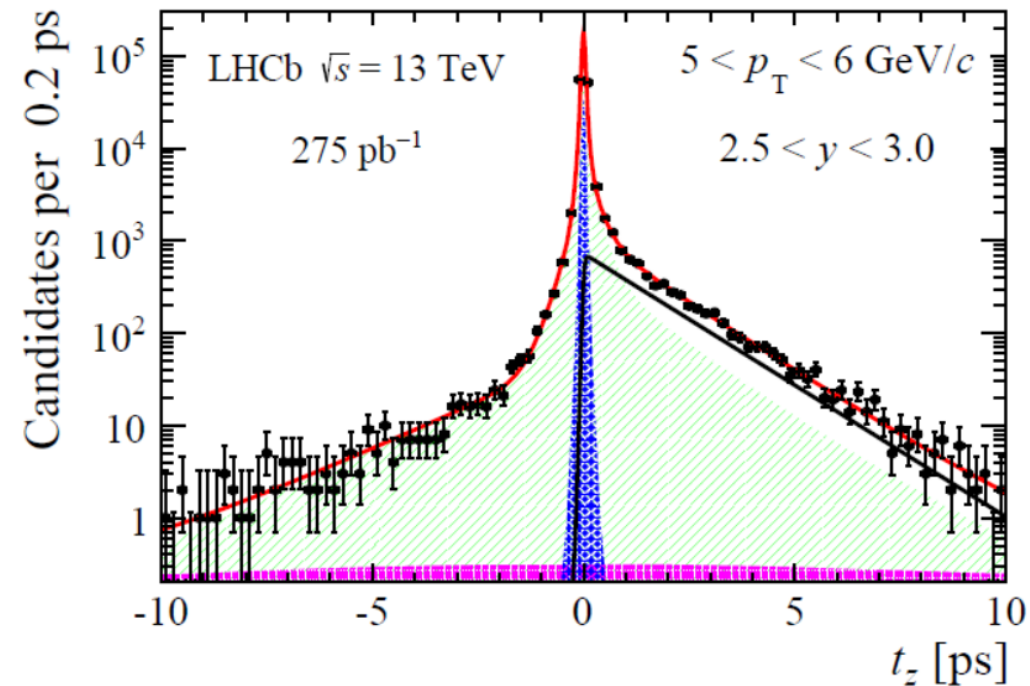
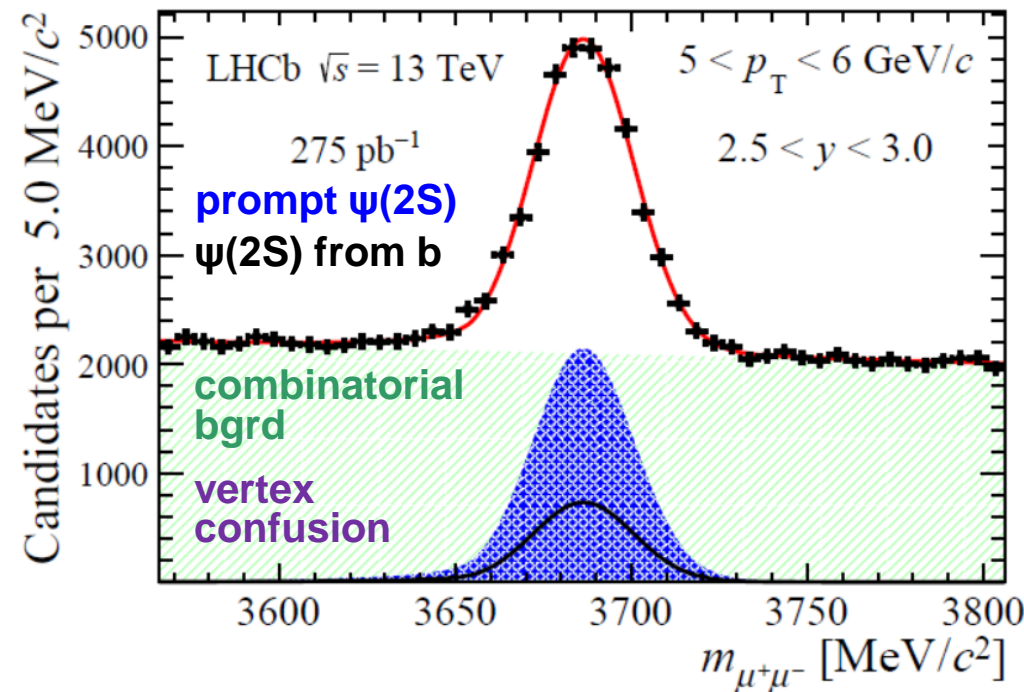
# $\psi(2S)$ production at 7 and 13 TeV

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$\sqrt{s} = 7, 13 \text{ TeV}, \int L dt \sim 614, 275 \text{ pb}^{-1}$

- ❑ Negligible feed-down compared to  $J/\psi$
- ❑ Prompt (pp collision vertex)  $\psi(2S)$  production and production in b-decays
- ❑ Double differential cross-sections from two-dimensional fit in bins of  $p_T$  and  $y$
- ❑ Prompt and b-decay components are extracted from the fit to pseudo-lifetime distribution

$$t_z = \frac{(z_{\psi(2S)} - z_{PV}) \times M_{\psi(2S)}}{p_z}$$



- ❑ Integral cross sections:

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma(\text{prompt } \psi(2S), 7 \text{ TeV}) &= 0.471 \pm 0.001 (\text{stat}) \pm 0.025 (\text{syst}) \mu\text{b}, \\ \sigma(\psi(2S)\text{-from-}b, 7 \text{ TeV}) &= 0.126 \pm 0.001 (\text{stat}) \pm 0.008 (\text{syst}) \mu\text{b}. \end{aligned}$$

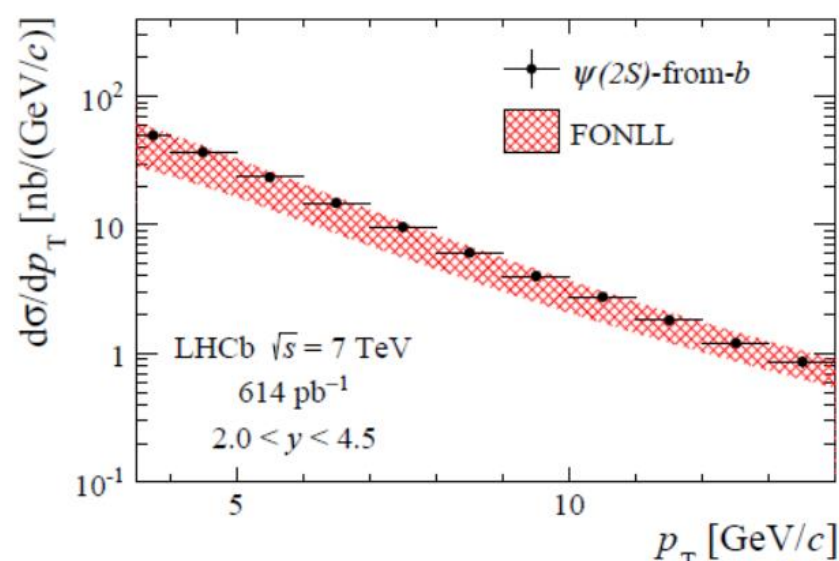
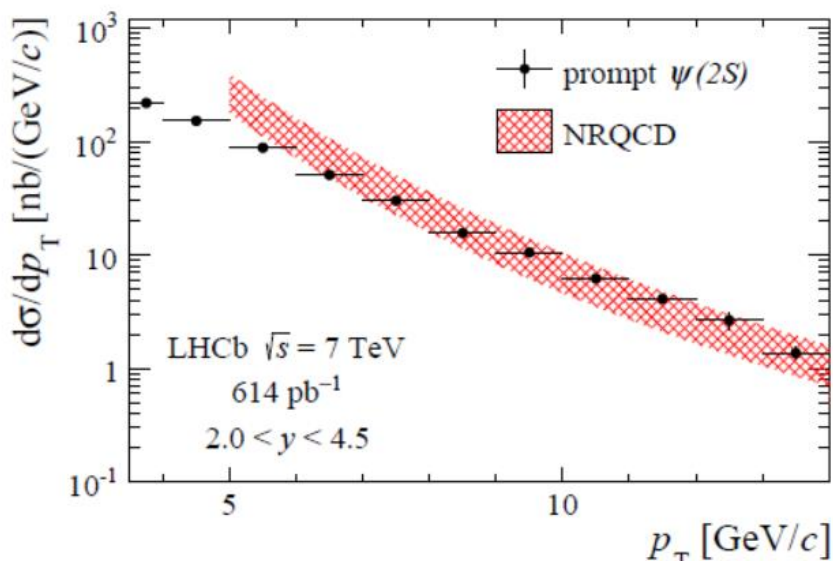
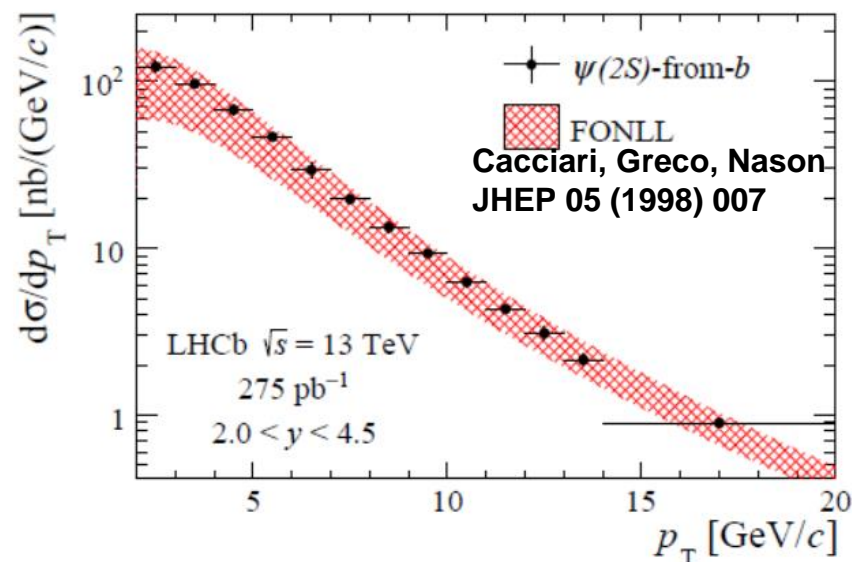
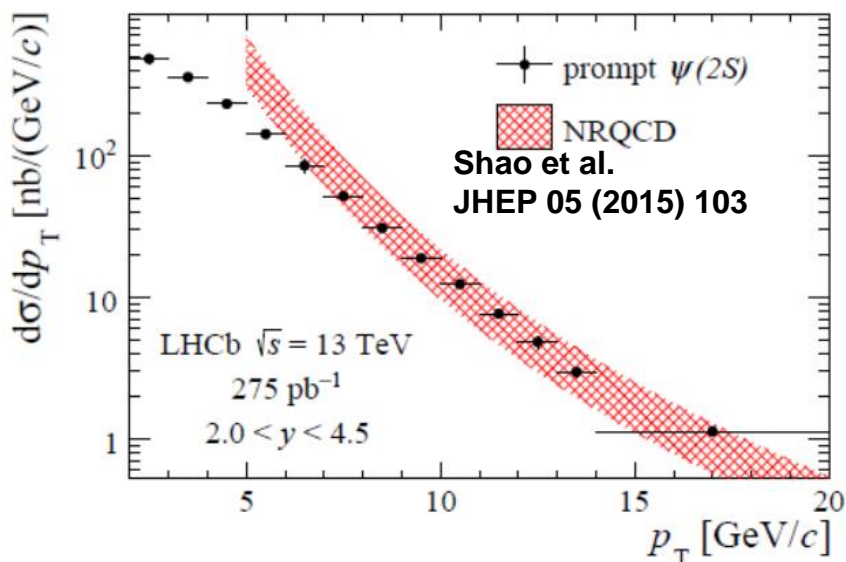
$$\begin{aligned} \sigma(\text{prompt } \psi(2S), 13 \text{ TeV}) &= 1.430 \pm 0.005 (\text{stat}) \pm 0.099 (\text{syst}) \mu\text{b}, \\ \sigma(\psi(2S)\text{-from-}b, 13 \text{ TeV}) &= 0.426 \pm 0.002 (\text{stat}) \pm 0.030 (\text{syst}) \mu\text{b}. \end{aligned}$$

# $\psi(2S)$ production at 7 and 13 TeV

□ Prompt  $\psi(2S)$  production and production in b-hadron decays

□ Differential cross sections

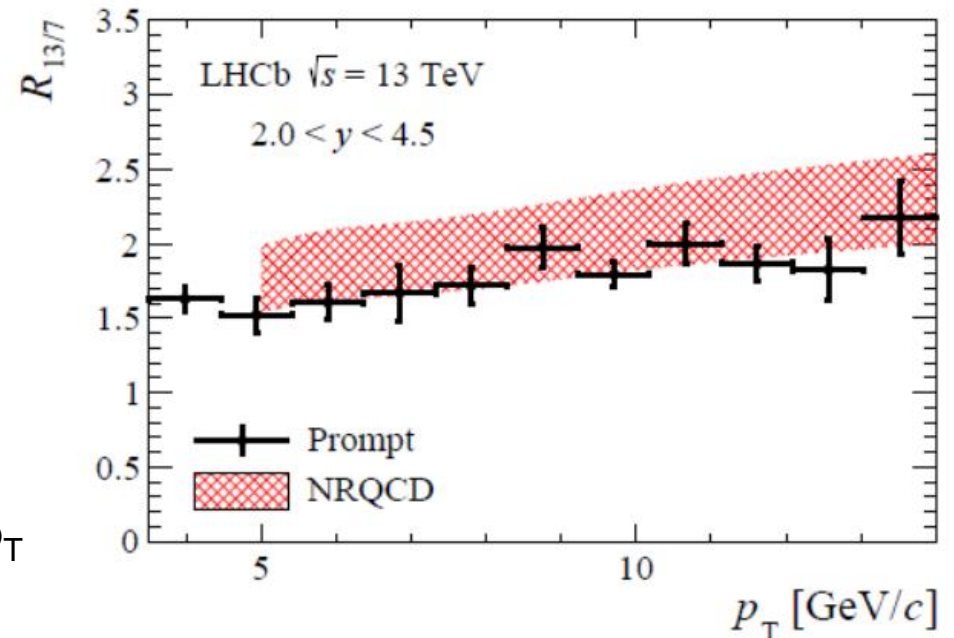
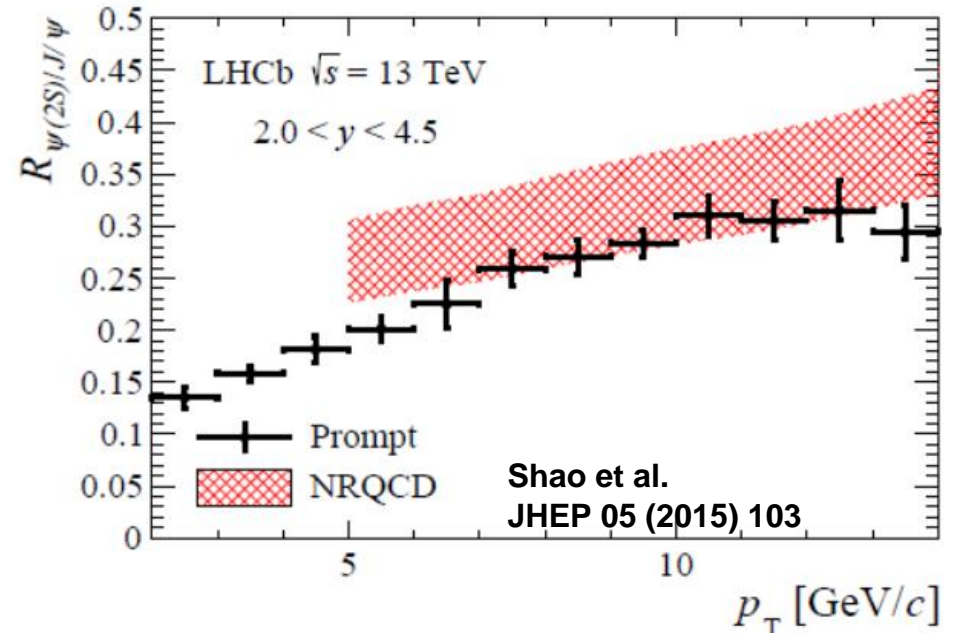
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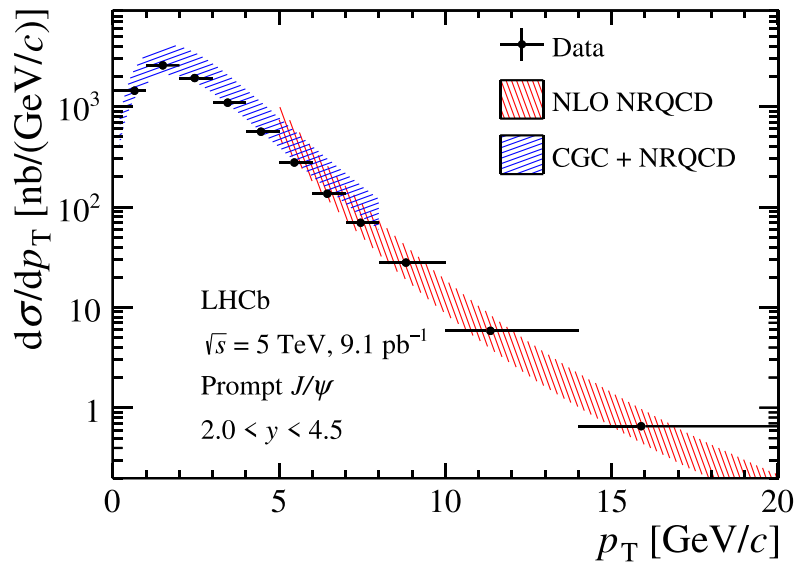
□ Overall good agreement with predictions, with deviation at low  $p_T$  for prompt  $\psi(2S)$

$\sqrt{s} = 7, 13 \text{ TeV}, \int L dt \sim 614, 275 \text{ pb}^{-1}$ 

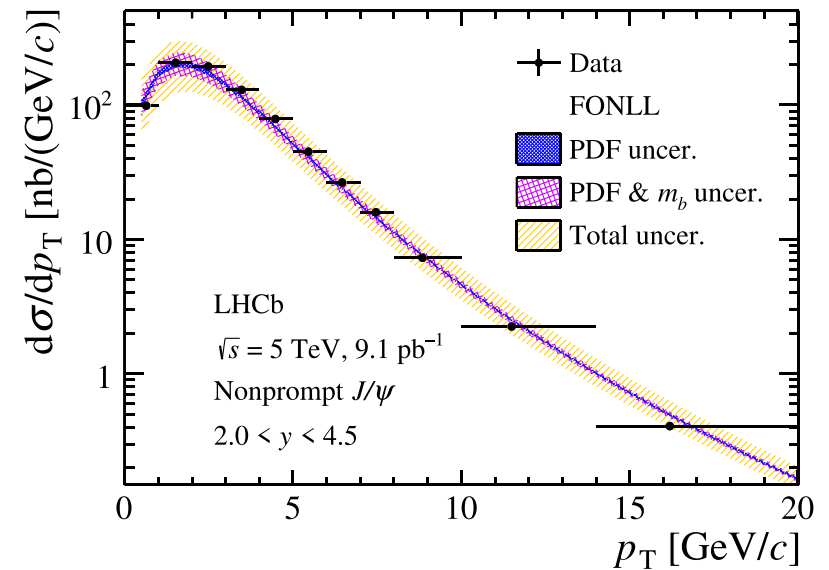
- Uncertainties partly cancel in ratios
- Ratio between the  $\psi(2S)$  and  $J/\psi$  production cross-sections
- Ratio between the  $\psi(2S)$  production cross-sections at  $\sqrt{s} = 13$  and 7 TeV
- **Overall good description** for both ratios
- Important to extend theory prediction to lower  $p_T$



□ Fiducial volume:  $0 < p_T < 20$  GeV/c,  $2.0 < y < 4.5$



NRQCD: [PRL 106 \(2011\) 042002](#)  
 CGC: [PRL 113 \(2014\) 192301](#)



FONLL: [JHEP 10 \(2012\) 137](#)  
[EPJC 75 \(2015\) 610](#)

□ J/ψ production cross-section:

$$\sigma_{\psi}^{prompt} = 8.154 \pm 0.010_{stat} \pm 0.283_{syst} \mu b$$

# Historical $\eta_c(1S)$ production puzzle

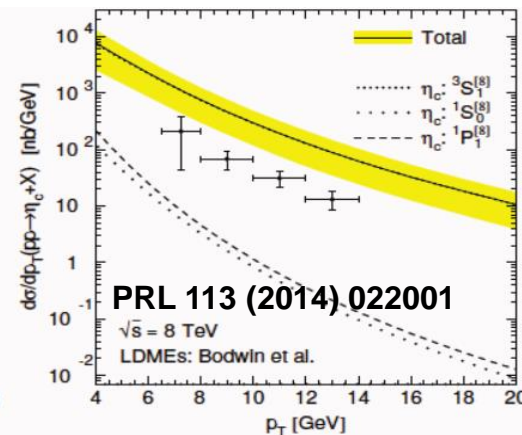
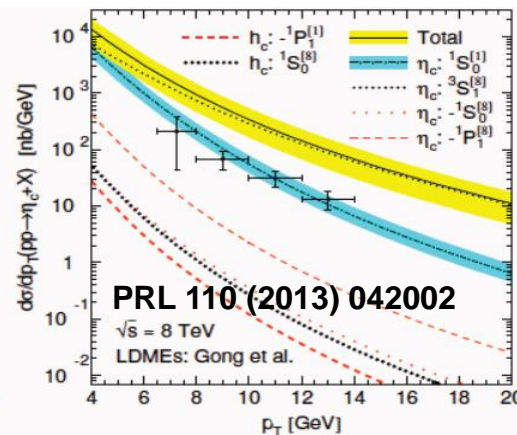
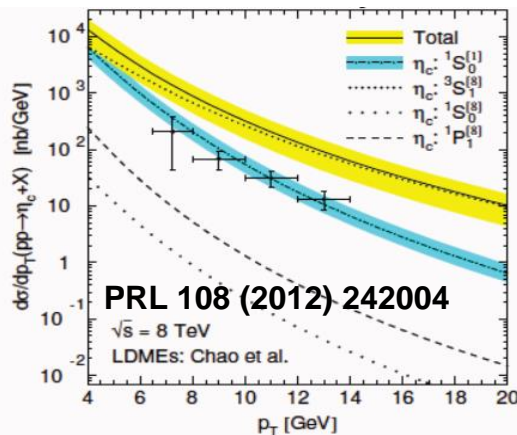
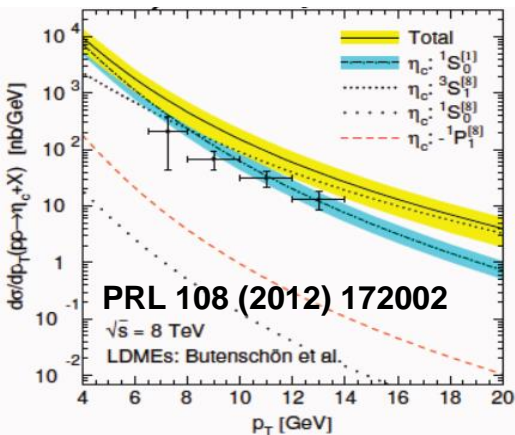
□  $\eta_c(1S)$  LDMEs determined via known HQSS relations between  $\eta_c(1S)$  and  $J/\psi$  and  $J/\psi$  production

■  $J/\psi$  prediction (NRQCD CS+CO)

■ CS prediction

LHCb: EPJC 75 (2015) 311

Butenschoen, He, Kniehl, arXiv:1411.5287

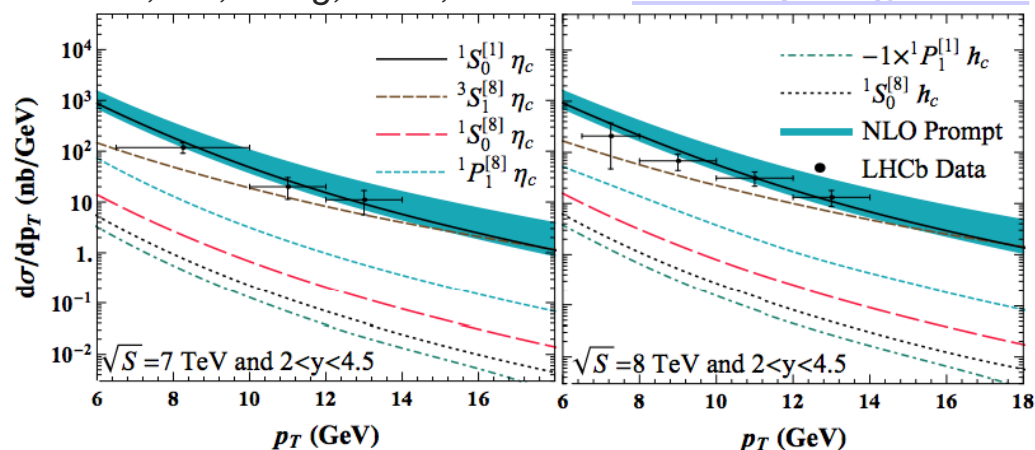


□ Results described by **CS NLO**, below expected CO contribution

□ Progress in theory description, integrating LHCb result on  $\eta_c$  production in LDME calculations

$$0 < O^{\eta_c}(^3S_1^8) < 1.46 \times 10^{-3} \text{ GeV}^3$$

Han, Ma, Meng, Shao, and Chao [PRL 114\(2015\), 092004](#)

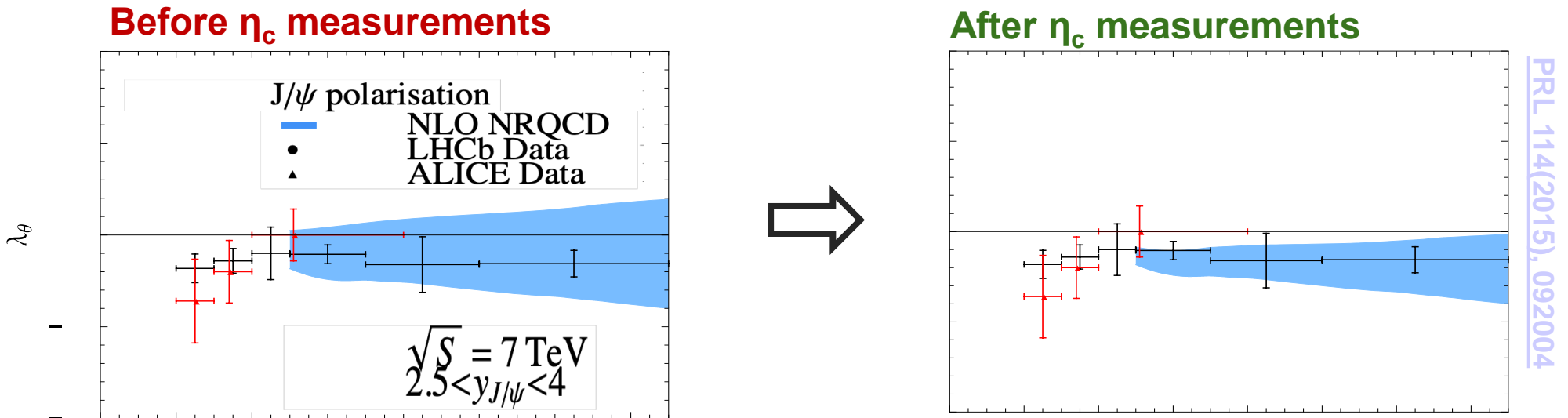


□ Theory description still covers limited  $p_T$  range

□ Further tests with measurements at different  $\sqrt{s}$  and of other linked observables

# Historical $\eta_c(1S)$ production puzzle

- $\eta_c$  production at  $\sqrt{s}=7$  and 8 TeV sets new constraint on  $J/\psi$  polarization

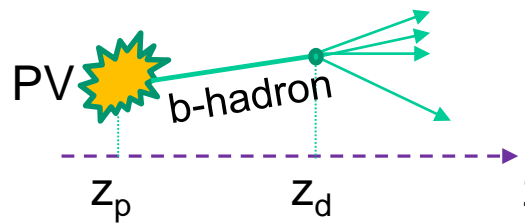


- Impressive progress !
- Still :
  - Tension with CDF data
  - Two large CO contributions cancel each other  $\Rightarrow$  hierarchy problem  $\Rightarrow$  Soft Gluon Fragmentation, etc.?

# $\eta_c(1S)$ production

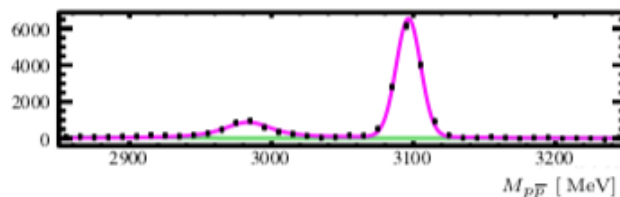
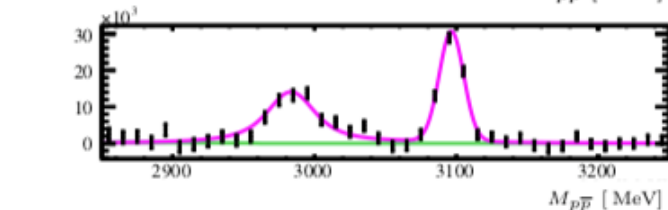
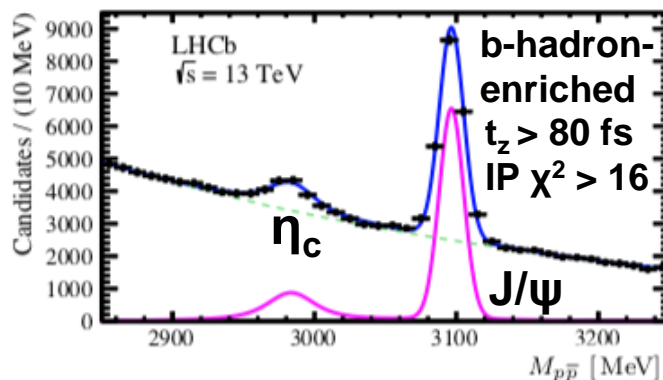
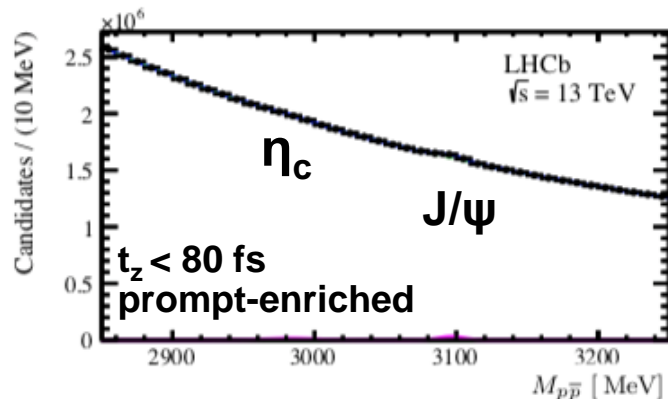
$\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}, \int \mathcal{L} dt \sim 2 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

- Analysis with 13 TeV data, measurement relative to  $J/\psi$
- Pseudo proper-time to separate prompt charmonium and charmonium from b-decays



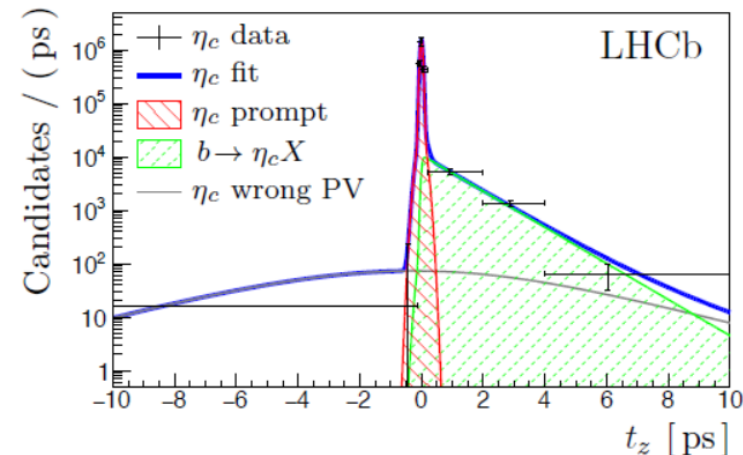
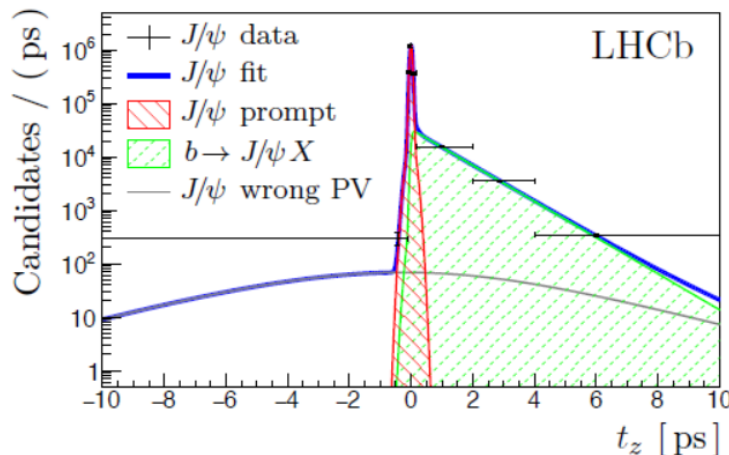
$$t_z = \frac{(z_d - z_p) M_{p\bar{p}}}{p_z}$$

- Selection (account for cross feed)



- ... or pseudo proper-time fit

- Good agreement between the results





# $\eta_c(1S)$ production

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$\sqrt{s} = 13$  TeV,  $\int L dt \sim 2$  fb $^{-1}$

- First measurement of  $\eta_c(1S)$  production cross section at 13 TeV

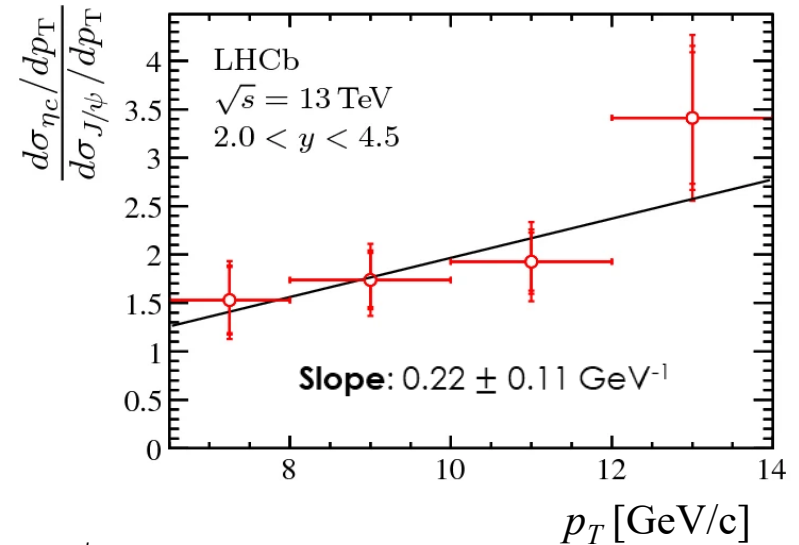
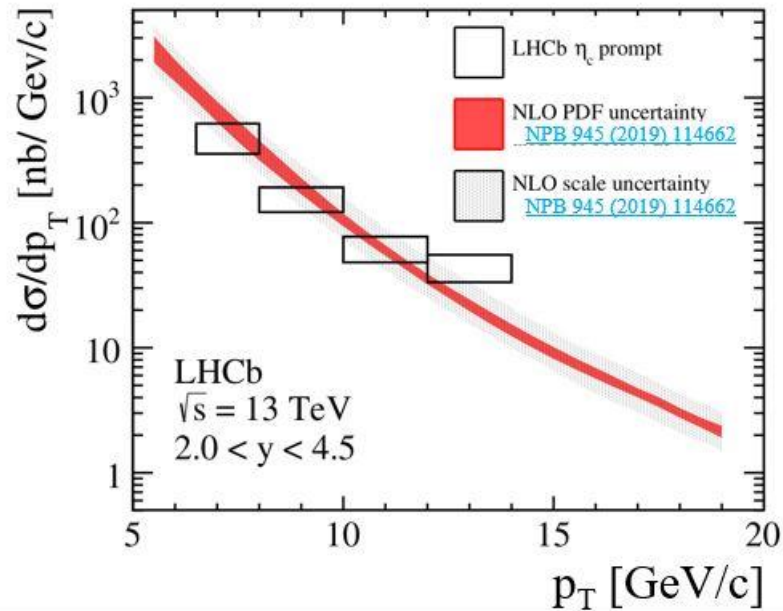
$$(\sigma_{\eta_c})_{13 \text{ TeV}}^{6.5 \text{ GeV} < p_T < 14.0 \text{ GeV}, 2.0 < y < 4.5} = 1.26 \pm 0.11 \pm 0.08 \pm 0.14 \mu\text{b}$$

- Color Single model prediction: Feng, Shao, Lansberg, Zhang, Usachov, He NPB 945 (2019) 114662

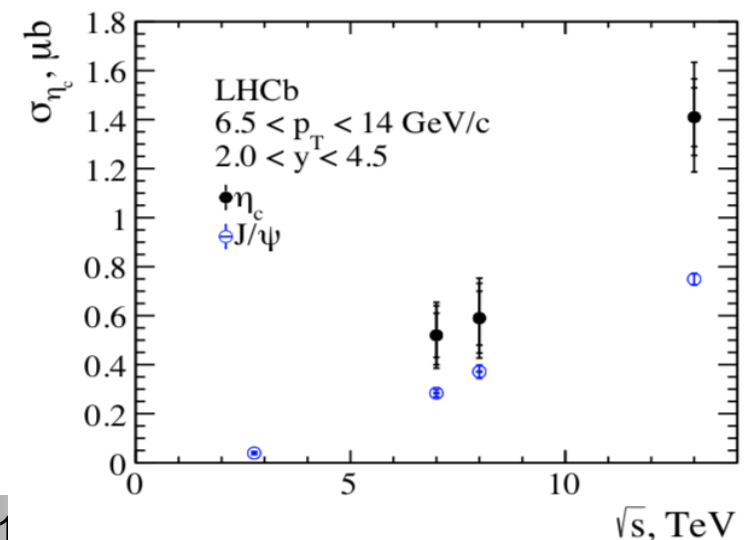
$$1.56_{-0.49}^{+0.83} \text{ scale }_{-0.17}^{+0.38} \text{ CT14NLO } \mu\text{b}$$

- Consistent with being described by CSM

- $p_T$ -differential prompt production



- $\sqrt{s}$  cross-section dependence

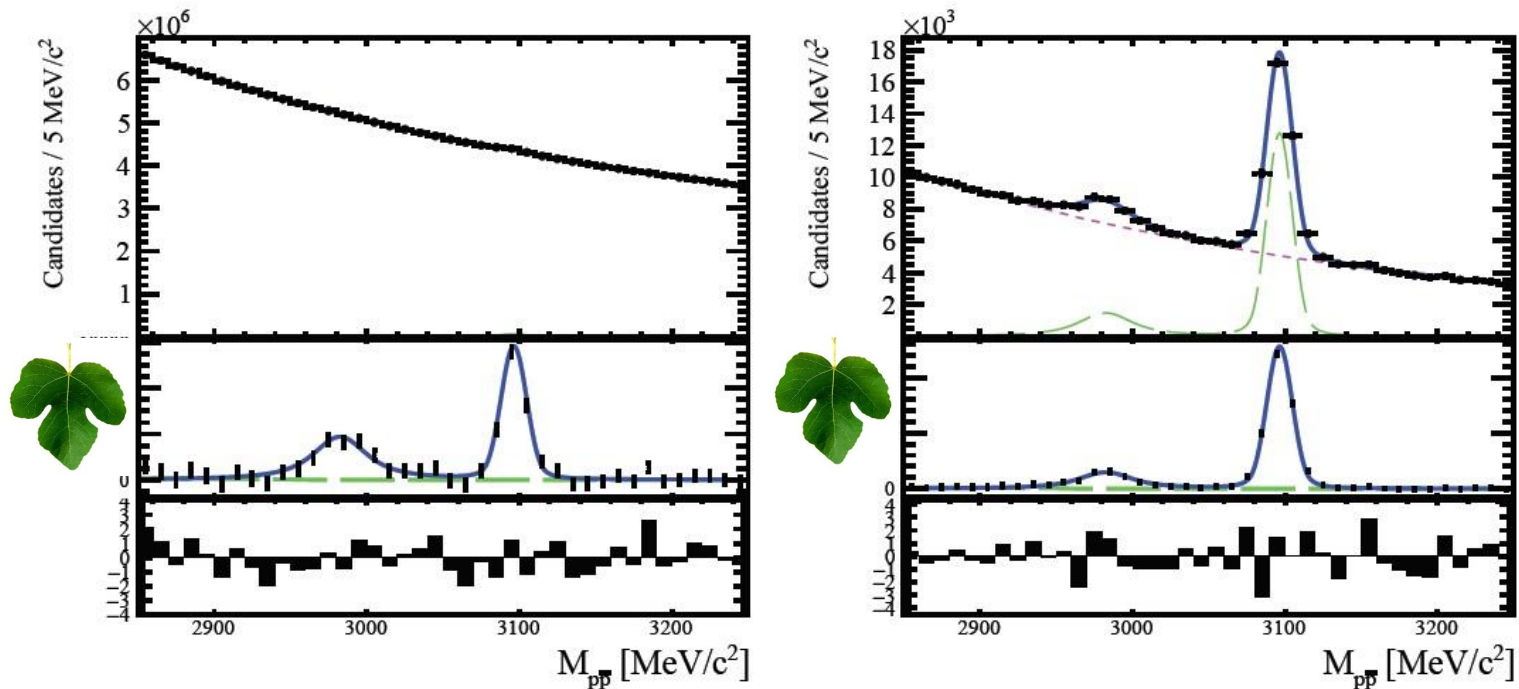


- Inclusive production in b-decays:

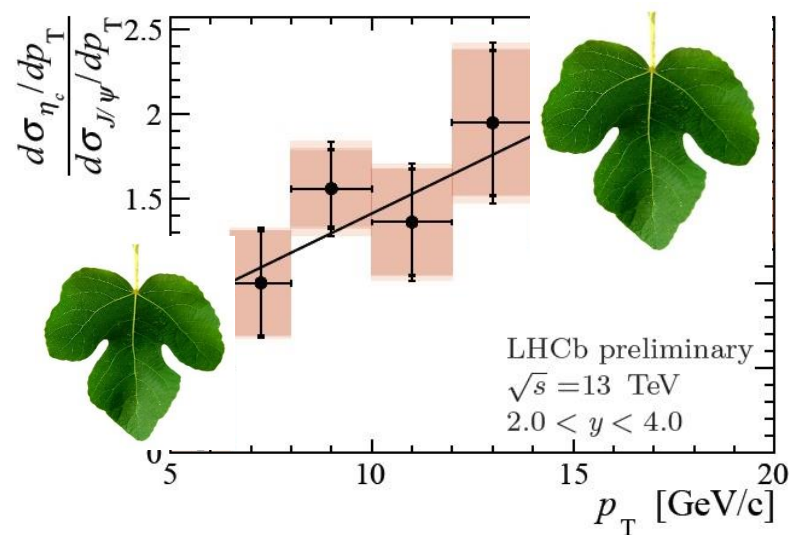
$$\mathcal{B}_{b \rightarrow \eta_c X} = (5.51 \pm 0.32_{stat} \pm 0.29_{syst} \pm 0.77_{norm}) \times 10^{-3}$$

# $\eta_c(1S)$ production, teaser

- New study of  $\eta_c(1S)$  production at 13 TeV, with a dedicated trigger, data 2018

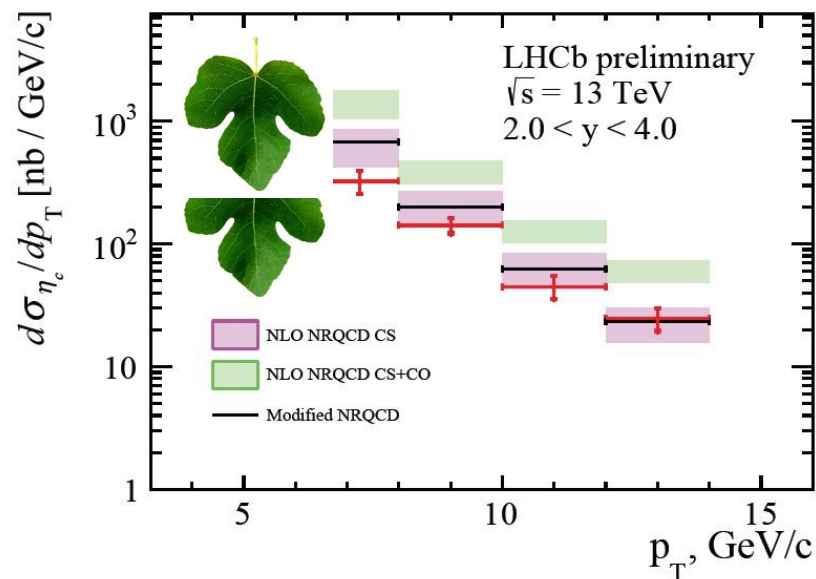


- Slope persists at the level of  $\geq 3\sigma$ , different spectra for the two states

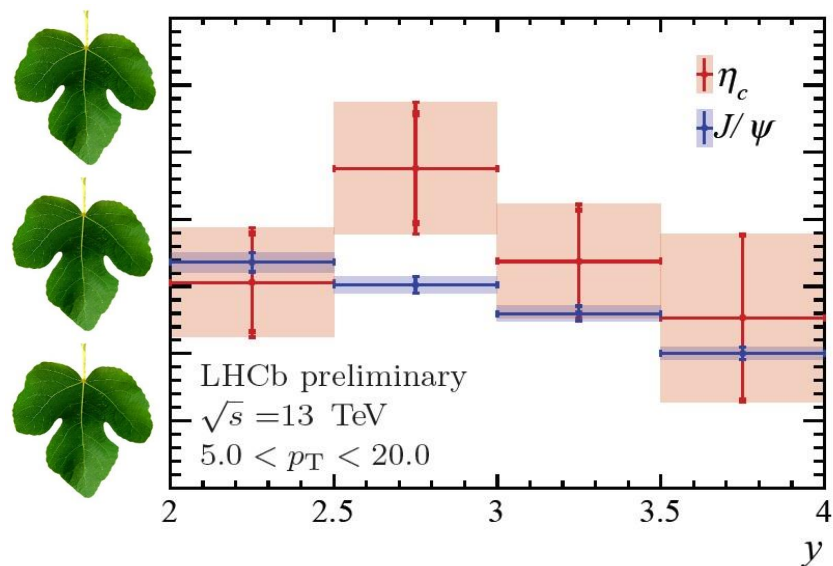


# $\eta_c(1S)$ production, teaser

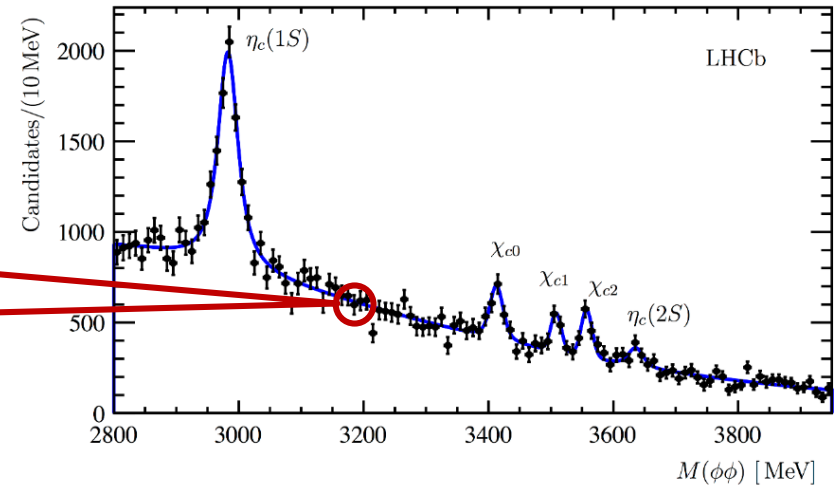
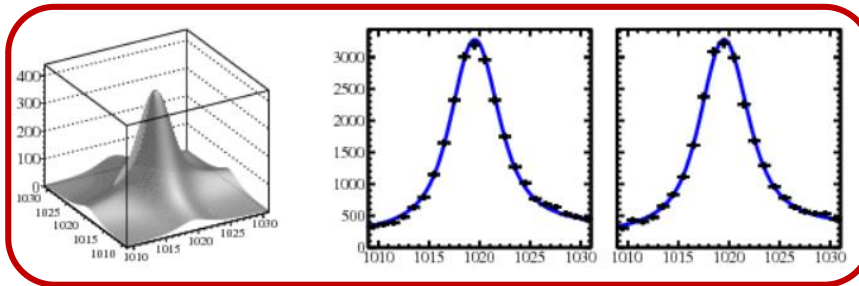
- $p_T$ -differential cross-section, how reliable description at  $p_T \sim 5$  GeV ?



- First rapidity-differential cross-section (inspired by Hua-Sheng Shao)



- Charmonium reconstructed via **decays to  $\phi\phi$**
- True  $\phi\phi$  combinations extracted using 2D fit technique



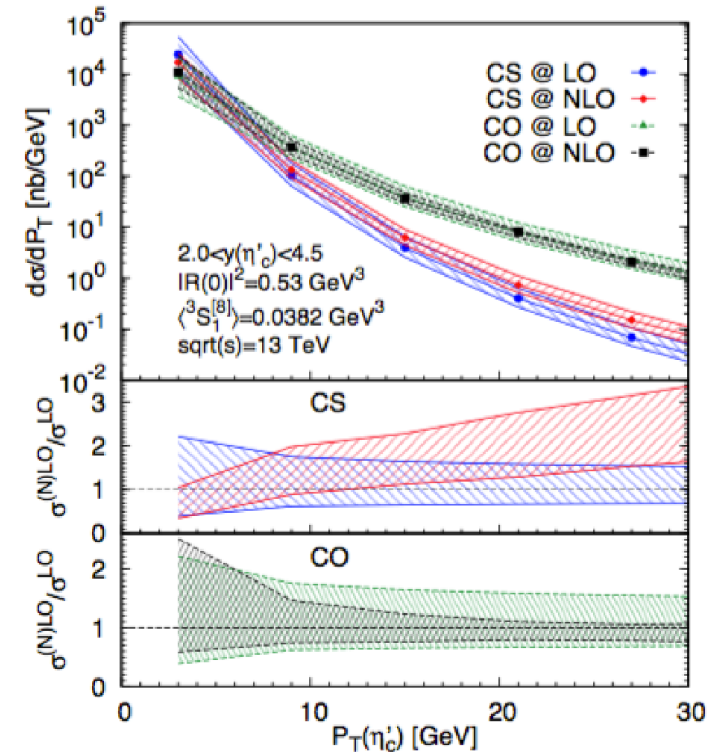
- First measurement of  $\eta_c(2S)$  production in b-decays**
- First evidence for  $\eta_c(2S) \rightarrow \phi\phi$**

$$\frac{\mathcal{B}(b \rightarrow \eta_c(2S)X) \times \mathcal{B}(\eta_c(2S) \rightarrow \phi\phi)}{\mathcal{B}(b \rightarrow \eta_c(1S)X) \times \mathcal{B}(\eta_c(1S) \rightarrow \phi\phi)} = 0.040 \pm 0.011 \pm 0.004.$$

- Measure  $\eta_c(2S)$  hadroproduction, free from feed-down contributions

Theory prediction  $\rightarrow$

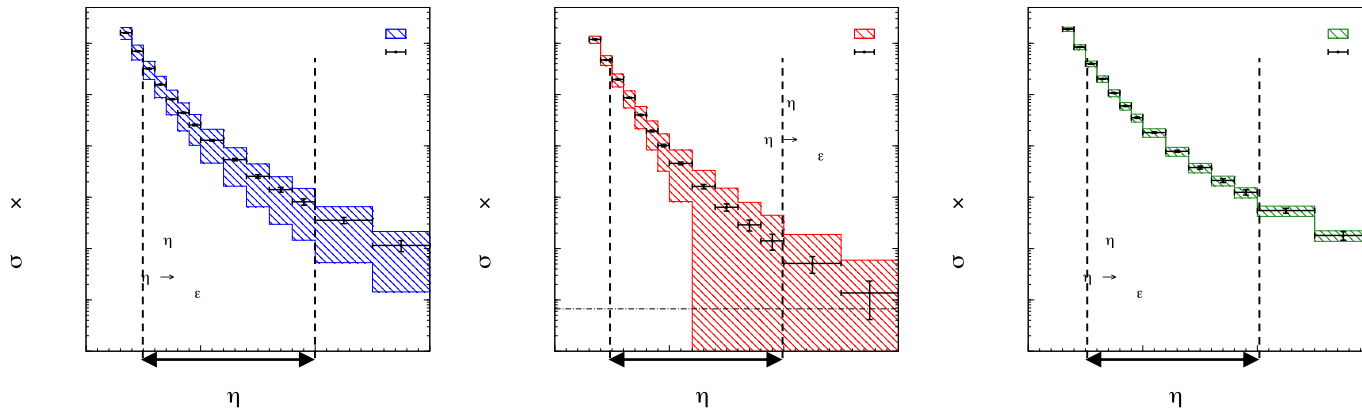
- Dedicated LHCb trigger in 2018**








Lansberg, Shao, Zhang, PLB 786 (2018) 342

# $\eta_c(2S)$ production at LHCb, teaser

- ☐ Predictions for three different CO LDME sets



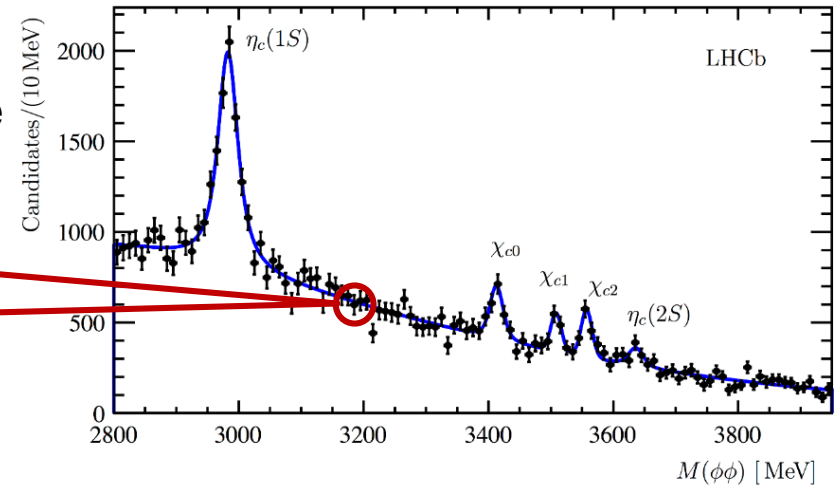
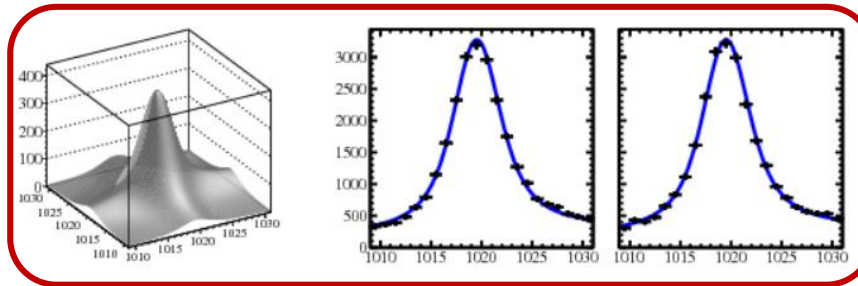
$p_T, [\text{GeV}/c]$	UL @95%CL	Shao et al. [40]	Gong et al. [39]	Bodwin et al. [41]
$\sigma_{\eta_c(2S)} \times \mathcal{B}_{\eta_c(2S) \rightarrow p\bar{p}}, [pb]$				
5.0–14.0		$664 \pm 297$	$365 \pm 135$	$855 \pm 123$
5.0–20.0		$674 \pm 304$	$368 \pm 138$	$870 \pm 126$
$(\sigma_{\eta_c(2S)} \times \mathcal{B}_{\eta_c(2S) \rightarrow p\bar{p}}) / (\sigma_{J/\psi} \times \mathcal{B}_{J/\psi \rightarrow p\bar{p}})$				
5.0–14.0, $y < 4$		$0.484 \pm 0.217$	$0.266 \pm 0.099$	$0.623 \pm 0.093$
5.0–14.0, $y < 4.5$		$0.428 \pm 0.192$	$0.235 \pm 0.088$	$0.551 \pm 0.083$
5.0–20.0, $y < 4$				

- ☐ Essential to understand and further constrain **uncertainties in theory**

- ☐ Essential input for accounting **feeddown contributions** to lower states

- ☐  **$h_c$  and  $\eta_c(2S)$  production cross-sections and decay branching ratios** are needed

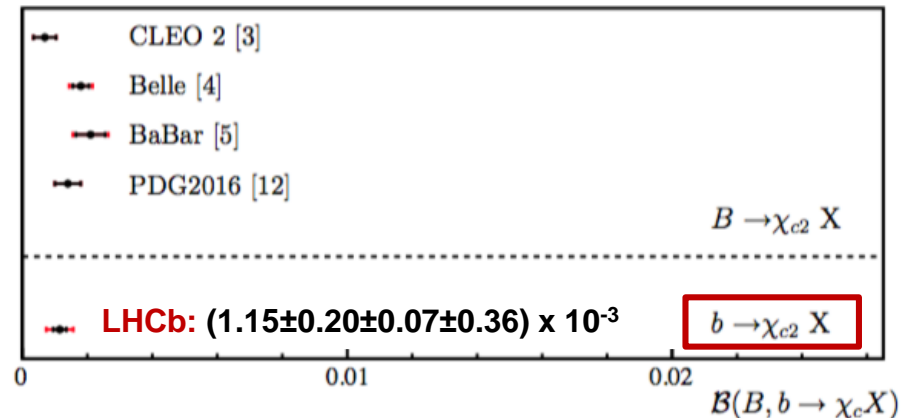
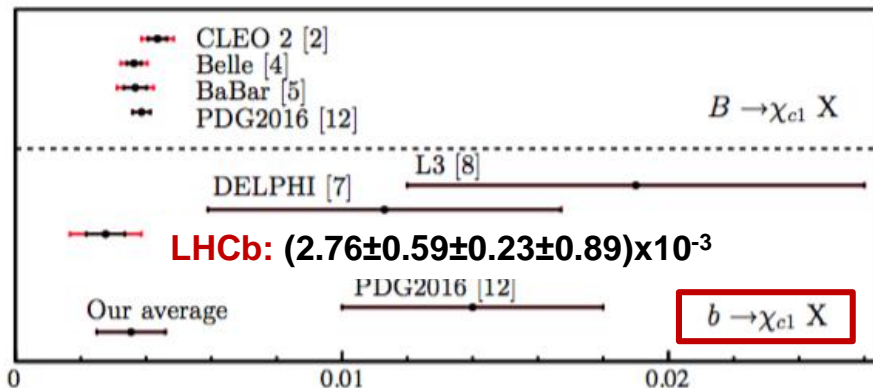
- Charmonium reconstructed via decays to  $\phi\phi$
- True  $\phi\phi$  combinations extracted using 2D fit technique



- First measurement of  $\chi_{c0}$  production in b-decays

$$B(b \rightarrow \chi_{c0} X) = (3.02 \pm 0.47_{stat} \pm 0.23_{syst} \pm 0.94_B) \times 10^{-3}$$

- Most precise measurements of  $\chi_{c1}$  and  $\chi_{c2}$  production in b-decays, consistent with B-factories



- Promising channel to study  $\chi_c$  polarization PRD 103 (2021) 9, 096006

- Charmonium reconstructed via **decays to ppbar**

	$c\bar{c} \rightarrow p\bar{p}$ , measured	$c\bar{c} \rightarrow \phi\phi$ [12]
$\mathcal{B}_{b \rightarrow \chi_{c0} X} \times \mathcal{B}_{\chi_{c0} \rightarrow p\bar{p}} \times 10^{-7}$	$\pm 1.20_{stat} \pm 0.28_{syst} \pm 0.59_B$	$6.67 \pm 2.40$
$\mathcal{B}_{b \rightarrow \chi_{c0} X} \times 10^{-3}$	$\pm 0.54_{stat} \pm 0.13_{syst} \pm 0.29_B$	$3.02 \pm 1.08$
$\mathcal{B}_{b \rightarrow \chi_{c1} X} \times \mathcal{B}_{\chi_{c1} \rightarrow p\bar{p}} \times 10^{-7}$	$\pm 0.94_{stat} \pm 0.11_{syst} \pm 0.35_B$	$2.10 \pm 0.83$
$\mathcal{B}_{b \rightarrow \chi_{c1} X} \times 10^{-3}$	$\pm 1.23_{stat} \pm 0.14_{syst} \pm 0.51_B$	$2.76 \pm 1.09$
$\mathcal{B}_{b \rightarrow \chi_{c2} X} \times \mathcal{B}_{\chi_{c2} \rightarrow p\bar{p}} \times 10^{-7}$	$\pm 0.85_{stat} \pm 0.03_{syst} \pm 0.10_B$	$0.85 \pm 0.31$
$\mathcal{B}_{b \rightarrow \chi_{c2} X} \times 10^{-3}$	$\pm 1.15_{stat} \pm 0.04_{syst} \pm 0.15_B$	$1.15 \pm 0.42$

- Improved precision (or contributed to a better average) for  $\chi_{c0}$  (and  $\chi_{c1}$ ) production in b-decays, consistent with previous LHCb results
- Improving precision for **branching fractions of  $\chi_{ci}$  decays** to ppbar and  $\phi\phi$  will further improve precision

## Combined fits of LDME, teaser





# Simultaneous study of $J/\psi$ and $\eta_c(1S)$ prompt production

- Simultaneous fit for available  $J/\psi$  and  $\eta_c(1S)$  prompt production results

- Relation between LDME from HQSS:

$$\langle O_1^{\eta_c(1S_0)} \rangle = \frac{1}{3} \langle O_1^{J/\psi(3S_1)} \rangle,$$

$$\langle O_8^{\eta_c(1S_0)} \rangle = \frac{1}{3} \langle O_8^{J/\psi(3S_1)} \rangle,$$

$$\langle O_8^{\eta_c(3S_1)} \rangle = \langle O_8^{J/\psi(1S_0)} \rangle,$$

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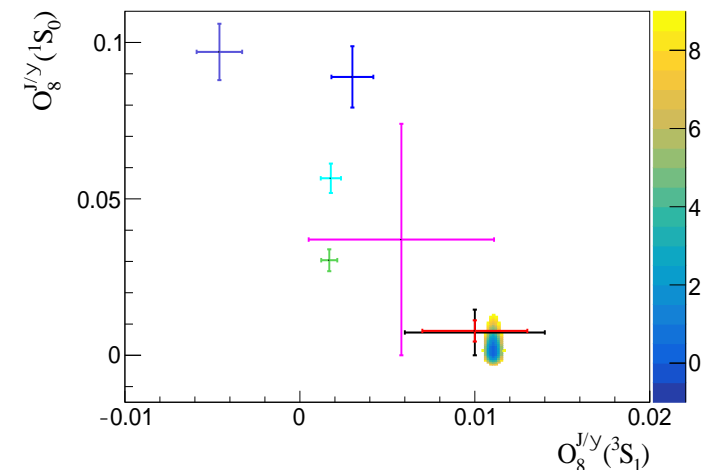
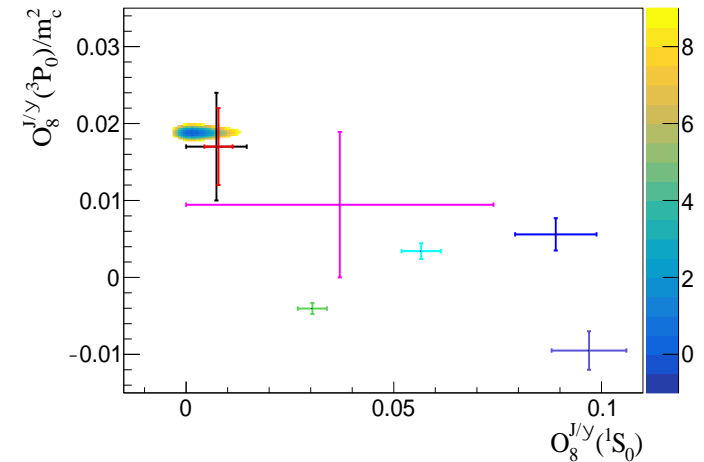
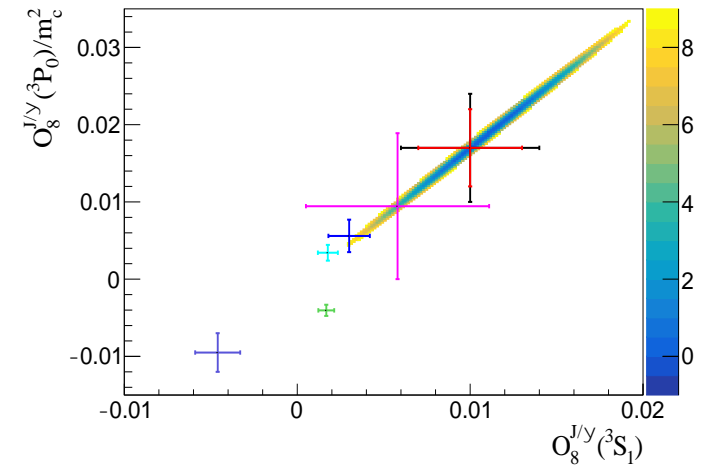
- Fix CS LDME from potential model

$$\langle O_8^{J/\psi(3S_1)} \rangle = 1.16 \text{ GeV}^3$$

- $\chi^2$  minimization

- Han et al.
- Zhang et al.
- Shao et al.
- Chao et al.
- Butenshoen et al.
- Gaon et al.
- Feng et al.

- Reasonable agreement with some predictions



# Simultaneous study of $\psi(2S)$ and $\eta_c(2S)$ prompt production

- Simultaneous fit for available  $\psi(2S)$  and  $\eta_c(2S)$  prompt production results

- Relation between LDME from HQSS:

$$\langle \mathcal{O}_{1,8}^{\eta_c(2S)}(1S_0) \rangle = \frac{1}{3} \langle \mathcal{O}_{1,8}^{\psi(2S)}(3S_1) \rangle$$

$$\langle \mathcal{O}_8^{\eta_c(2S)}(3S_1) \rangle = \langle \mathcal{O}_8^{\psi(2S)}(1S_0) \rangle$$

$$\langle \mathcal{O}_8^{\eta_c(2S)}(1P_1) \rangle = 3 \langle \mathcal{O}_8^{\psi(2S)}(3P_0) \rangle$$

- Fix CS LDME from potential model

$$\langle \mathcal{O}_1^{\psi(2S)}(3S_1) \rangle = 0.76 \text{ GeV}^3$$

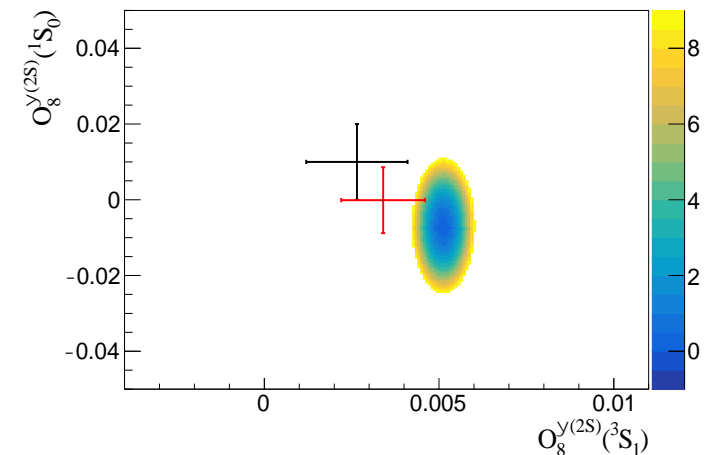
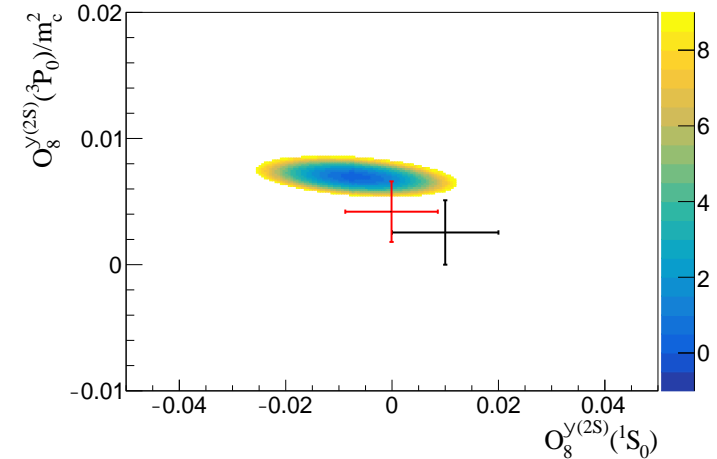
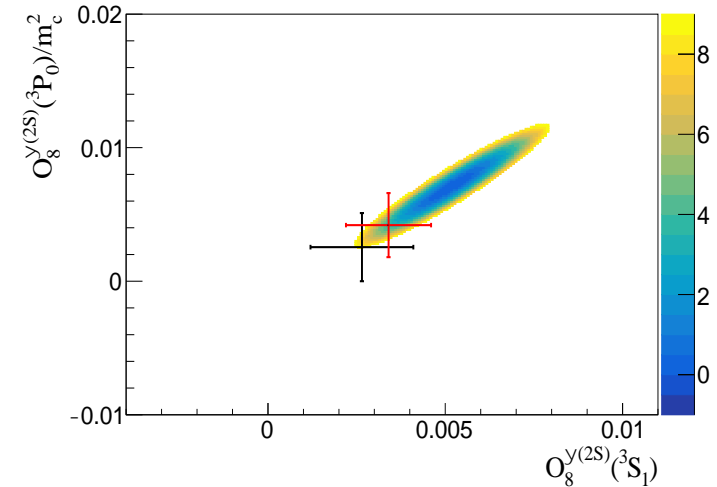
- $\chi^2$  minimization

— Han et al.  
— Zhang et al.

- Agreement with predictions given large uncertainties

- Negative LDME values ?

- Charmonia from b-decays will be added



## What do we learn from this phenomenology game

- ❑ This technique constrains theory using **simultaneously** results on **charmonia hadroproduction and on charmonia from b-inclusive decays** under **assumptions of factorization, universality and HQSS**, with **different charmonium states**
  
- ❑ Alternatively, once hadroproduction and production in b-decays measured for charmonium states with linked LDMEs, the above **assumptions can be tested quantitatively**

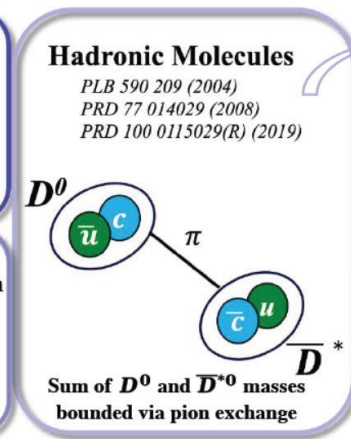
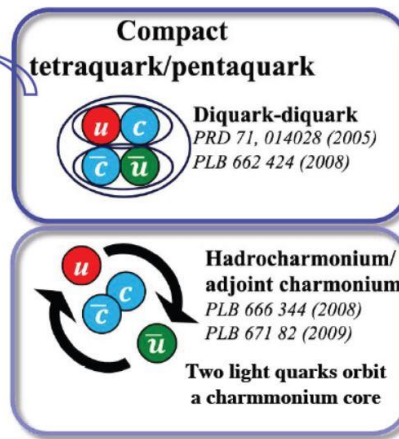
## Other examples



# Probing charmonium-like states

- ❑  $\chi_{c1}(3872)$  state discovered by Belle in the decay  $B \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-$
- ❑ Quantum numbers measured by LHCb:  $J^{PC} = 1^{++}$
- ❑ Mass difference consistent with zero:  $(M_{D^0} + M_{D^{*0}}) - M_{\chi_{c1}(3872)} = 0.07 \pm 0.12 \text{ MeV}/c^2$
- ❑ Multiple explanations of  $\chi_{c1}(3872)$

Tightly bound via color  
Exchange between diquarks  
Small radius:  $\sim 1 \text{ fm}$

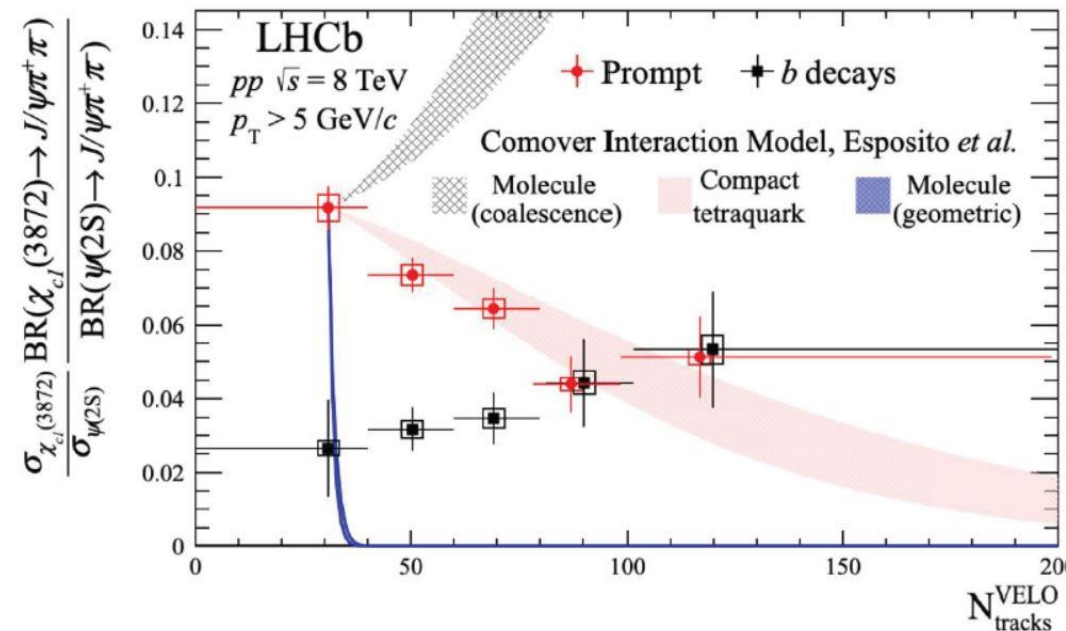


- Very small binding energy
- Very large radius:  $\sim O(10 \text{ fm})$

Matt Durham, Quark Matter 2019

- ❑ Multiplicity dependent production of  $\chi_{c1}(3872)$  and  $\psi(2S)$

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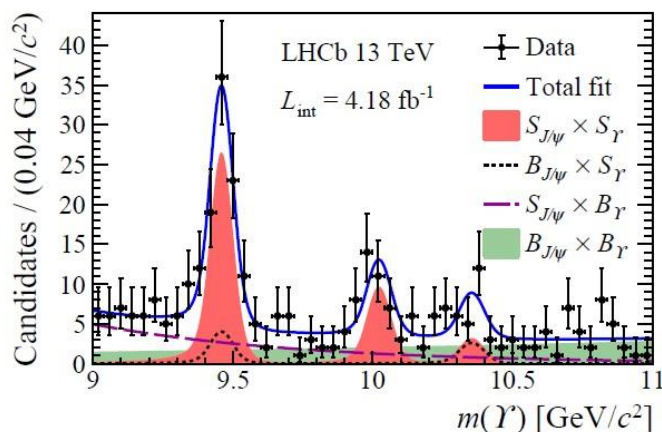
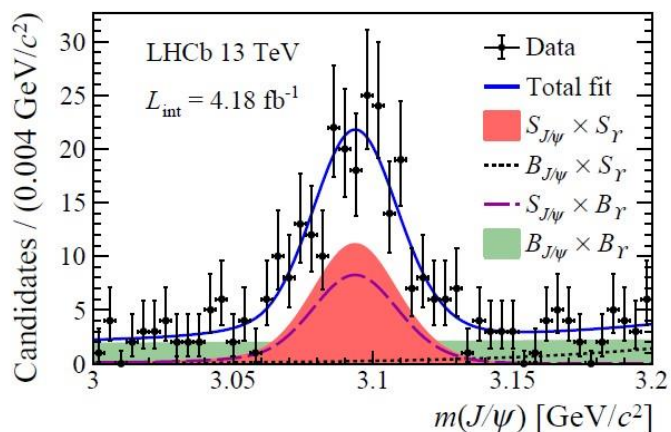
- ❑ Comover interaction model by Espacito *et al.*, arXiv: 2006.15044, favours the **compact tetraquark scenario**
- ❑ A tweaked model by Braaten *et al.*, arXiv: 2012.13499, suggests the  $\chi_{c1}(3872)$  is a **charm-meson molecule**

- ❑ Evidence for **relative  $\chi_{c1}(3872)$  suppression for high-multiplicity events**
- ❑ Expected in a **scenario of interactions with co-moving hadrons** dissociating large weakly bound  $\chi_{c1}(3872)$  against compact  $\psi(2S)$

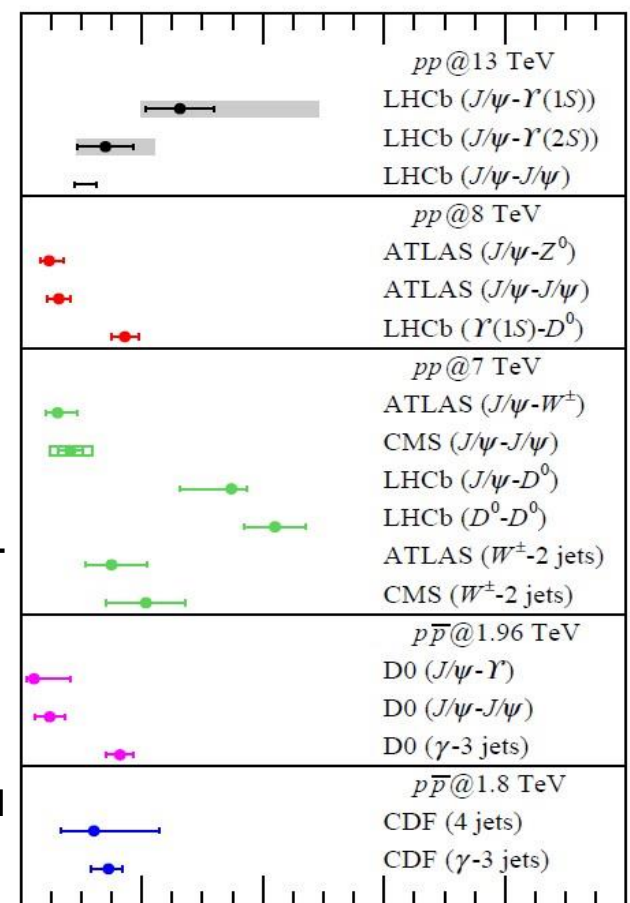
- $J/\psi$ - $\Upsilon$  associated production at  $\sqrt{s} = 13$  TeV
- Production via two independent hard scatters that are assumed to factorize (**DPS**) or gluon splitting expected to dominate cc production (**SPS**)
- DPS provides important information on gluon correlations and parton  $p_T$ -distribution

$$\sigma_{\text{DPS}}(J/\psi-\Upsilon) = \frac{\sigma(J/\psi) \times \sigma(\Upsilon)}{\sigma_{\text{eff}}}$$

2D fit projected to  $J/\psi$  and  $\Upsilon$  di-muon masses



Compilation of results on  $\sigma_{\text{eff}}$



- Differential production cross-section in bins of kinematical variables to probe **kinematical correlations** between the two mesons
- Pseudoexperiments with DPS from single productions and SPS from NRQCD calculations

H.-S. Shao and Y.-J. Zhang, **PRL 117 (2016) 062001**

- Data points are described by the model

- **Should  $\sigma_{\text{eff}}$  be universal ?**

$\sigma_{\text{eff}}$  [mb]

## Outlook

- ❑ Quarkonium serves a powerful probe for **QCD-driven production mechanisms** ... consistency with minimum number of free parameters wanted !
- ❑ Many more practical cases, e.g. a tool for an insight on nature of charmonium-like states
  
- ❑ The way to understanding **quarkonium production** is long and challenging ... but enjoyable
- ❑ An impressive progress – both in theory and in experiment – marked with discoveries and bright ideas ...  
... and perhaps still doing the very first steps
- ❑ **More precision and more consistency checks** open the path to understanding quarkonium production mechanism
  
- ❑ We do not know the exact underlying mechanism,  
but this is certainly a beautiful product of Nature ...

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## ☐ Illustrations from Maria Prymachenko (1909-1997)

Maria Prymachenko



### □ Rapidity

$$y = \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{E + p_z}{E - p_z}$$

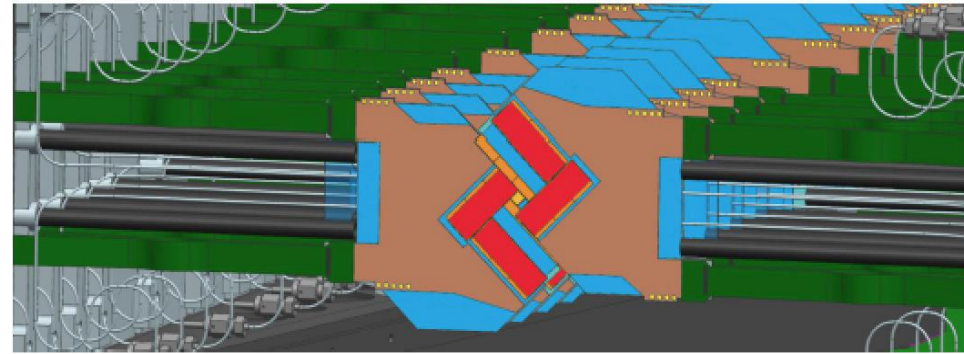
### □ Pseudorapidity

$$\eta \equiv -\ln \left[ \tan \left( \frac{\theta}{2} \right) \right]$$

# LHCb reincarnation: Upgrade I

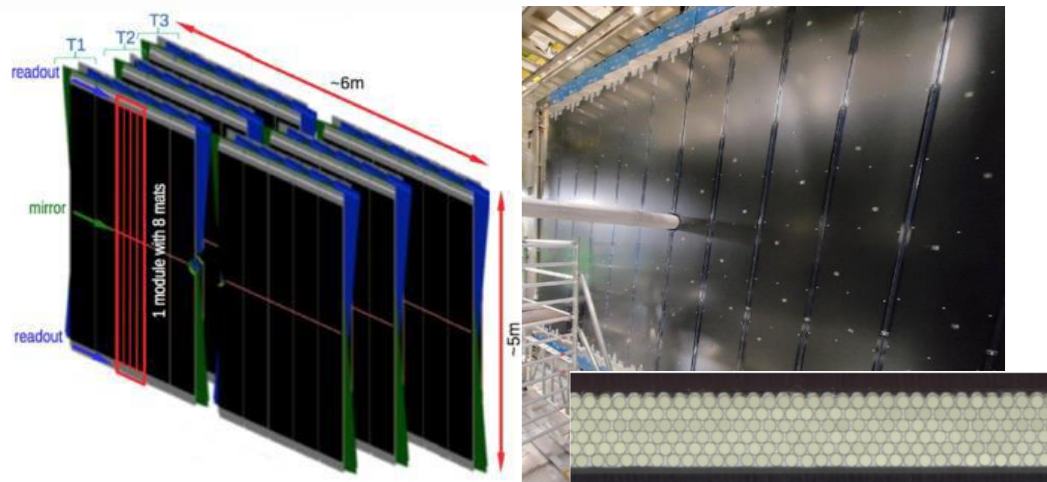
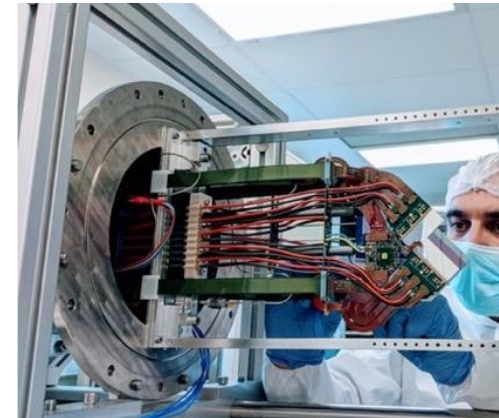
CERN-LHCC-2013-021

- ❑ **VELO:** Hybrid Pixel Detectors (55  $\mu\text{m}$  pitch)
- ❑ 5 mm from the LHC beam axis at data taking
- ❑ Innovative silicon microchannel substrate, Bi-phase CO<sub>2</sub> cooling
- ❑ DAQ capable of handling 40 TB/s
- ❑ Installation completed, commissioning ongoing



CERN-LHCC-2014-001

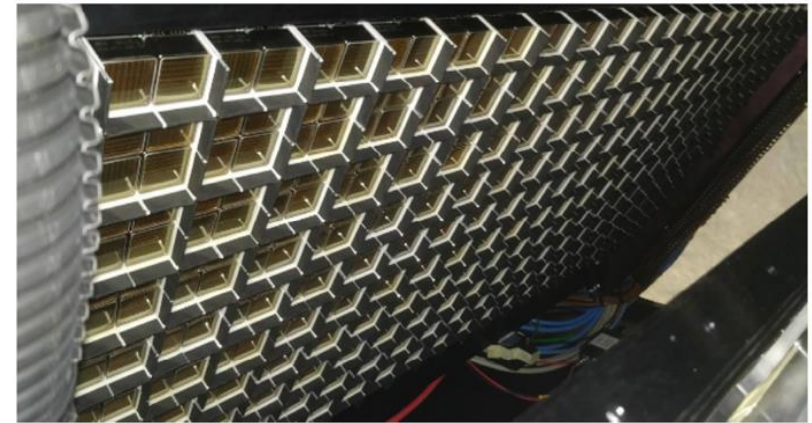
- ❑ **Upstream tracker:** 4 planes, silicon strips and integrated cooling
- ❑ Fast  $p_T$  determination for track extrapolation  $\rightarrow$  reduce ghost track rate, and improve trigger bandwidth
- ❑ Long lived particles ( $K_S, \Lambda$ ) decaying after VELO
- ❑ Assembly being completed, installation later this year, not critical for early physics operation



- ❑ **SciFi:** Large scale tracking stations after magnet
- ❑ Scintillating fibres, 250  $\mu\text{m}$  dia, 2.5 m long
- ❑ Signal readout by SiPMs operated at -40 C
- ❑ 12 layers of mats, 12 000 km of fibre
- ❑ Installation completed, now commissioning

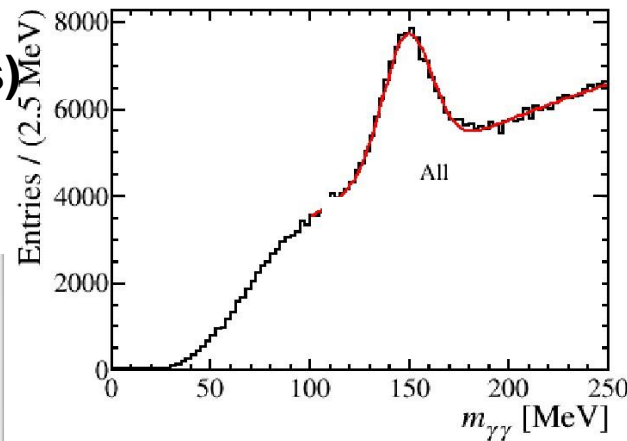
- RICH:** charged hadron identification, essential for success of physics programme
- RICH 1 & 2: new photodetector MaPMTs with increased granularity and 40 MHz readout
- RICH 1: new design with new optical system with increased focal length, to halve occupancy
- Installed, commissioned, taking data

*RICH 1: MaPMTs upper side*

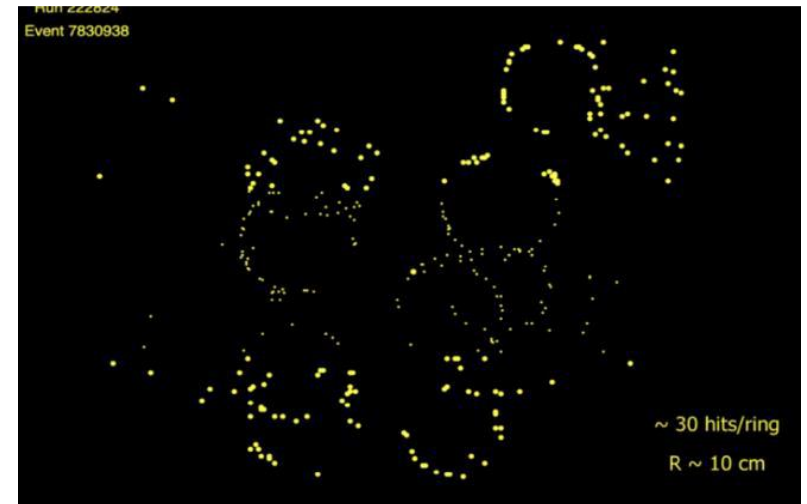


- Calorimeter (Shashlyk) and Muon detector (MWPCs)**

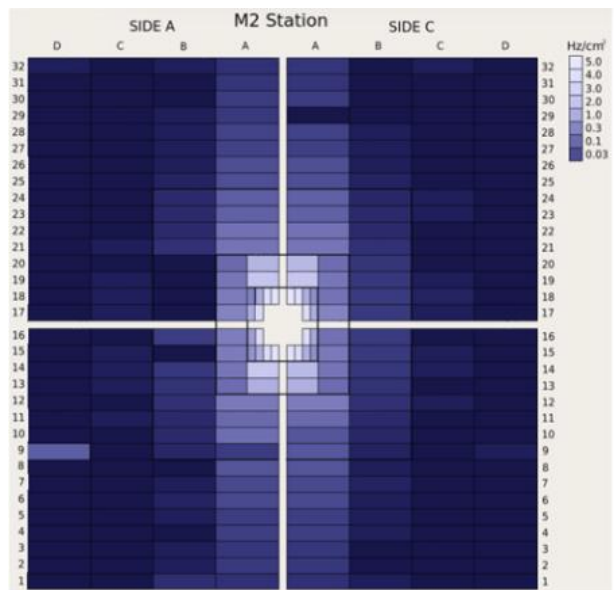
*$\pi^0$  with Run 3 data*



*RICH 2: first rings, LHC October 21 test*

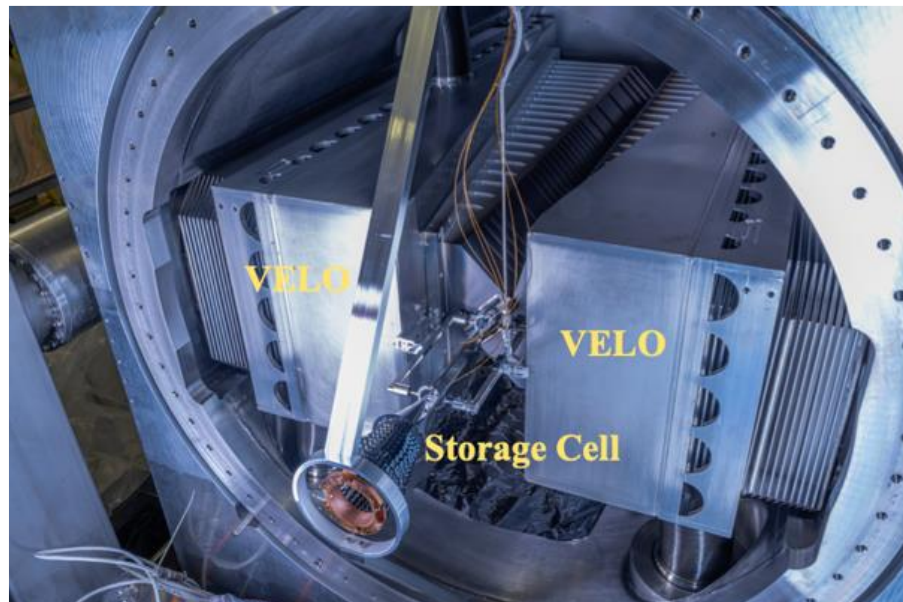
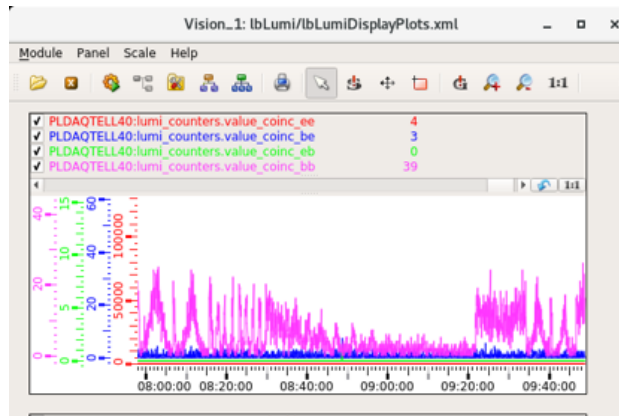


*Muon station 2, occupancy*



- Existing detectors able to stand increased luminosity of Run 3
- New 40 MHz readout electronics
- Reduced gains in calorimeter PMTs
- Taking data

- ❑ **PLUME**: luminometer for Run 3, upstream VELO
- ❑ Measures Cherenkov light emitted in quartz tablet by charged particles flying from collision vertex
- ❑ Online & offline per bunch luminosity measurement
- ❑ Periodic calibration via Van der Meer scans
- ❑ Taking data



- ❑ **SMOG2 gas target**: new storage cell for the gas upstream of the nominal IP
- ❑ Gas density increased by up to two orders of magnitude → much higher luminosity
- ❑ Gas targets:  $He, Ne, Ar$  + possibly  $H_2, D_2, N_2, Kr, Xe$
- ❑ Installed & tested
- ❑ Simultaneous p-p and p-gas data taking possible