

# Heavy Quark Measurement in High-Energy Heavy-Ion Collisions

高エネルギー原子核衝突における重いクォークの測定

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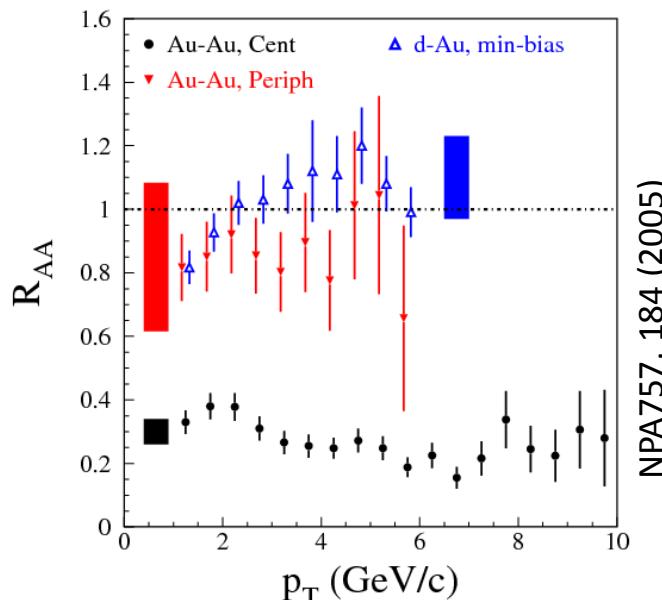


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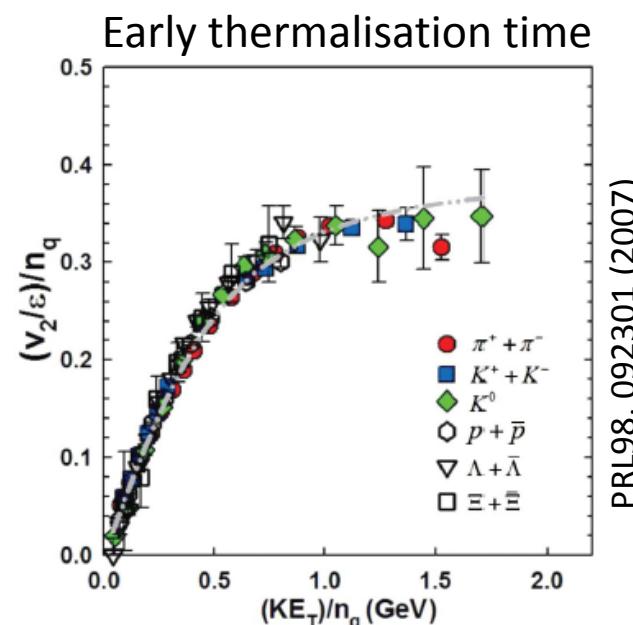
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# Introduction

- Quark Gluon Plasma (QGP)
  - deconfined quarks and gluons in the hot and dense environment
  - HI collision is only way to create QGP in the laboratory
- QGP was formed at RHIC
  - Parton energy loss in the medium
  - Strong  $v_2$  described by hydro picture  
Parton Energy Loss  
in the medium



NPA757, 184 (2005)



PRL98, 092301 (2007)

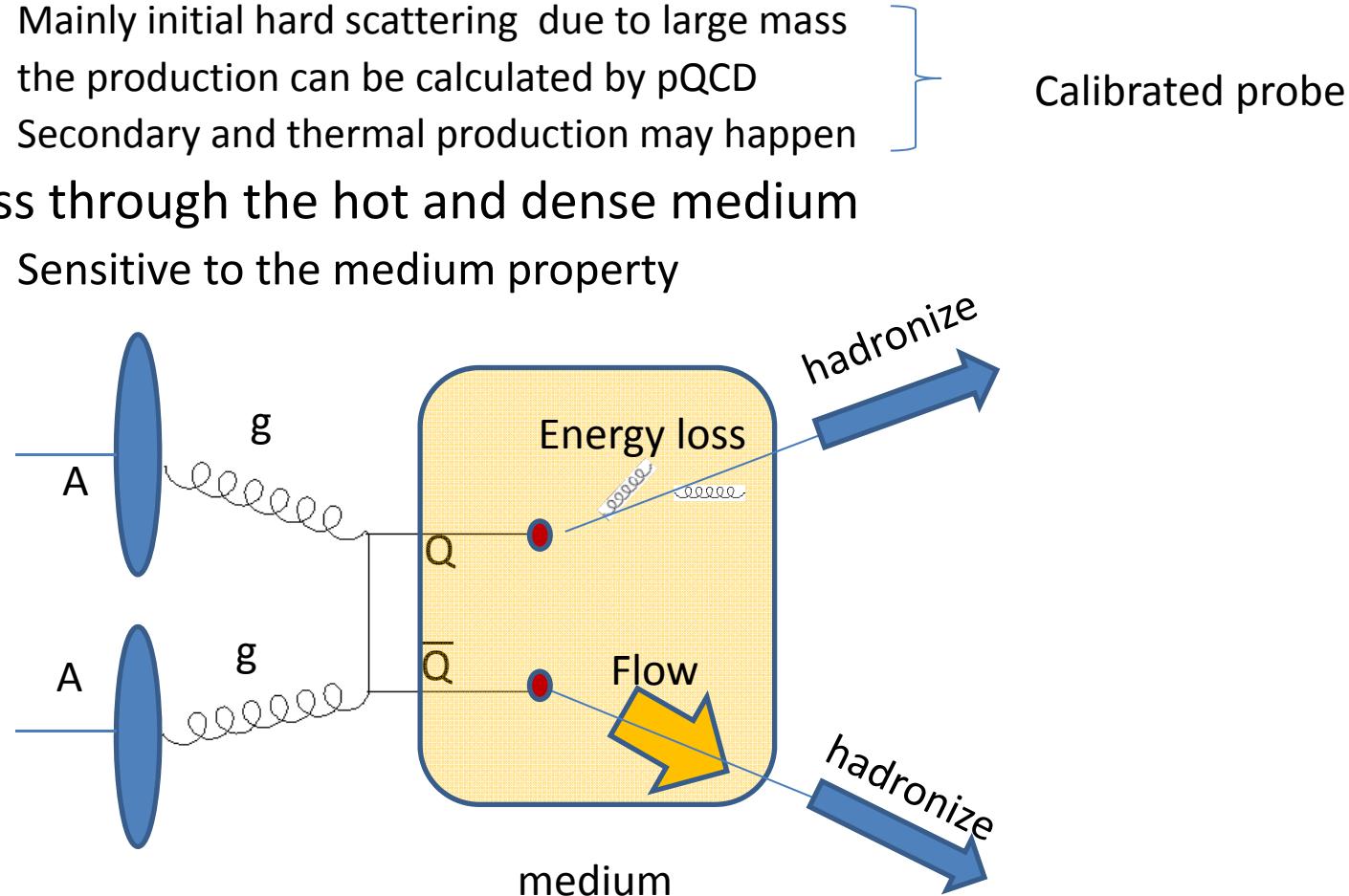
Our focus is moved from “observation of QGP”

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to the detailed investigation of QGP property

# Introduction- why heavy flavor?

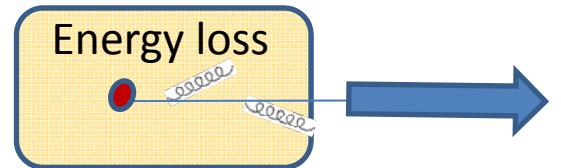
- Charm and bottom (Heavy Flavors, HF or HQ) in HI collisions
  - HF is created at the early stage of the collisions
    - Mainly initial hard scattering due to large mass
    - the production can be calculated by pQCD
    - Secondary and thermal production may happen
  - Pass through the hot and dense medium
    - Sensitive to the medium property



Heavy flavor is clean probe to study property of QGP

# Observables from QGP

- Modification of  $p_T$  spectrum at high  $p_T$ 
  - Sensitive to parton energy loss in the medium

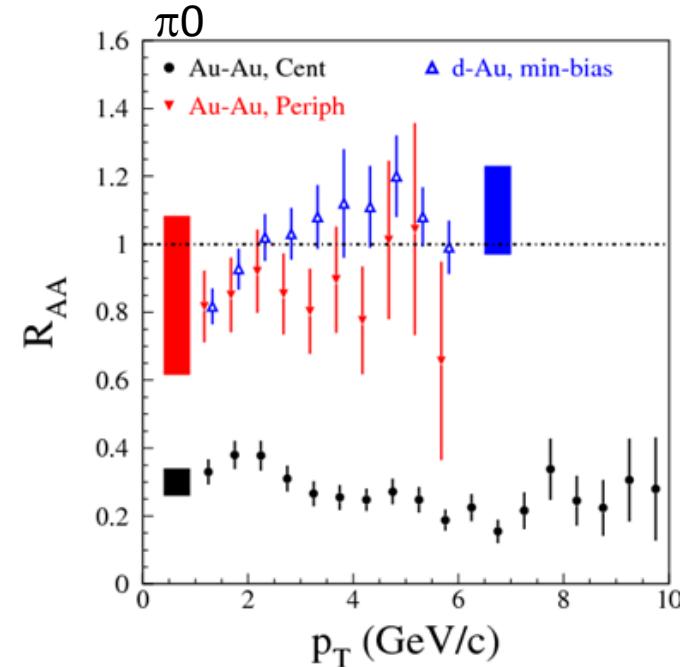


## Nuclear Modification Factor

$$R_{AA} \equiv \frac{1}{\langle N_{coll} \rangle} \frac{d^2N_{AA}(p_t)/dp_t dy}{d^2N_{pp}(p_t)/dp_t dy}$$

$R_{AA} = 1$  : Ncoll (binary) scaling

$R_{AA} < 1$  : Suppression



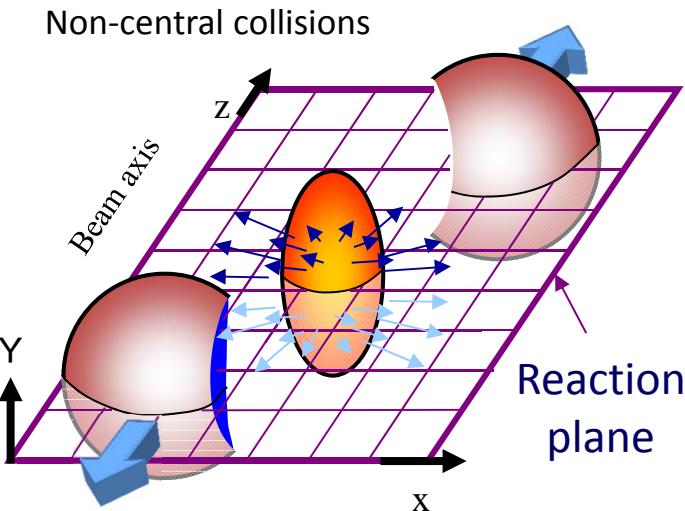
Expected that HF suffers less energy loss than light quarks.

“Dead cone effect” : Energy loss:  $\Delta E_g > \Delta E_{LQ} > \Delta E_{HQ}$

Similer with energy loss in the matter,  $\Delta E_e > \Delta E_\mu$

# Observables from QGP

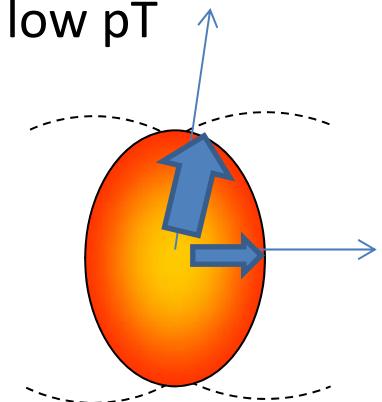
- Azimuthal anisotropy  $v_2$ 
  - Different pressure gradient in non-central collision causes anisotropy in particle emission



Fourier Transform

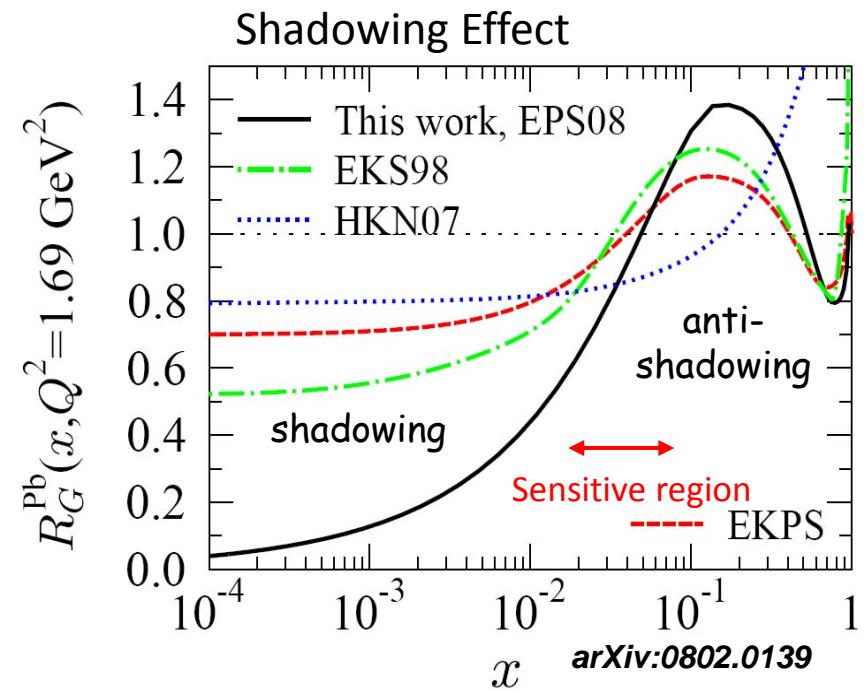
$$E \frac{d^3 N}{d^3 p} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{d^2 N}{p_t dp_t dy} \left( 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2v_n \cos[n(\phi - \Psi_r)] \right)$$

- Sensitive to the collective motion and thermalization at low pT
  - less (or no) flow for HQ was expected.
- Path length dependence of energy loss at high pT

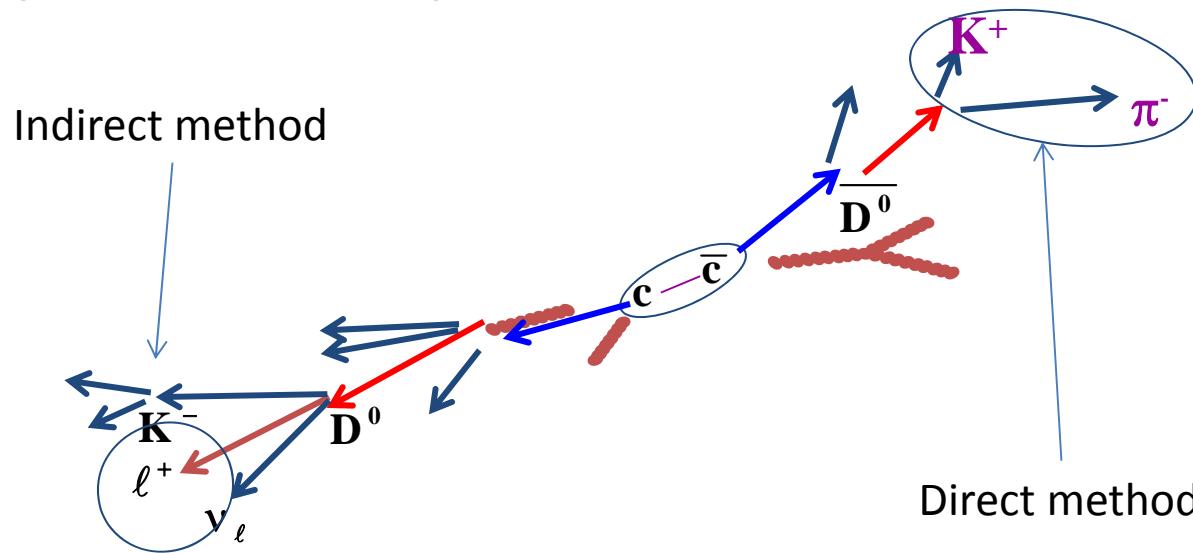


# Cold Nuclear Matter Effect

- Shadowing effect
  - nPDF is different with PDF in pp
  - Heavy Quark yield might be small
- Cronin effect
  - initial parton scattering causes the kT modification
- This effect must be in the HIC
- This effect can be studied using p(d)+A collision where the QGP doesn't form



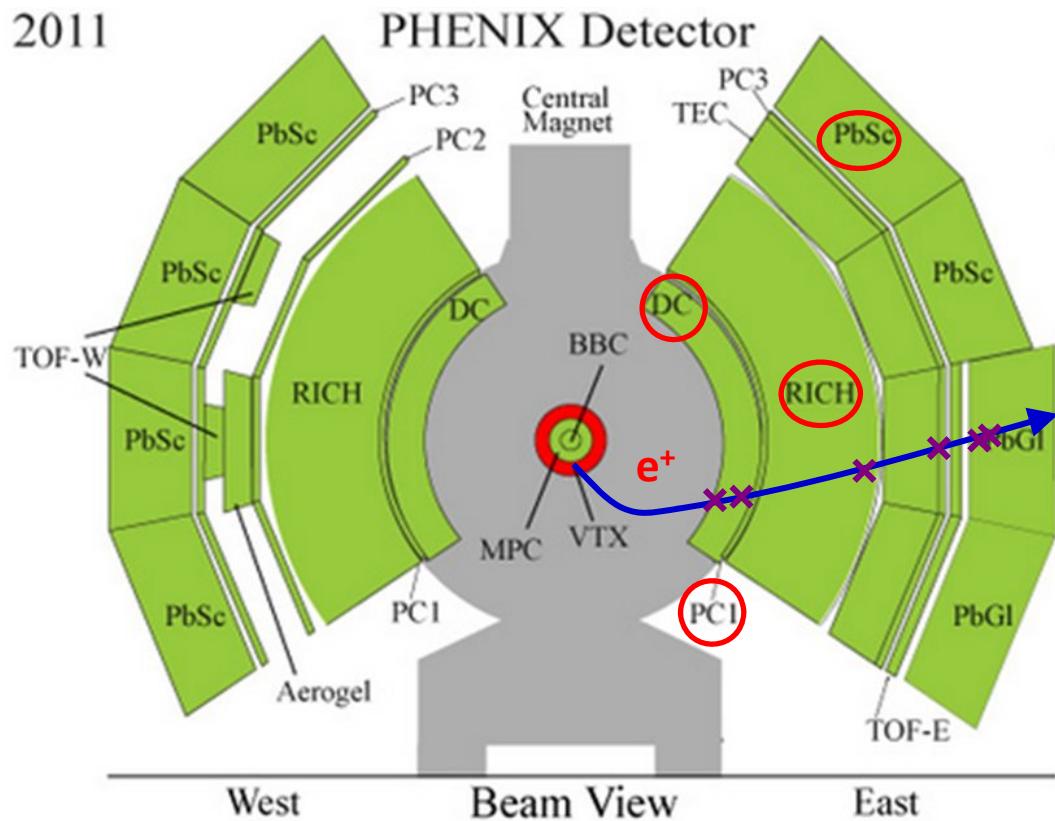
# Open Heavy Flavor Measurements



- Direct method
  - Reconstruct parent HF hadron using decay products.  $B \rightarrow J/\psi + X$  (BR: 1%)
  - Clear signal, but branching ratio is too small (large BG)  
 $D^0 \rightarrow K\pi$  (BR : 4%)  
 $D^+ \rightarrow K\pi\pi$  (BR : 9.4% )  
but small acc.
- Indirect method
  - Measure electrons from semi-leptonic decays of heavy-flavors
  - (relatively) Large branching ratio.  
Branching ratio  
 $c \rightarrow e + X$  (BR : 9.6%)  
 $b \rightarrow e + X$  (BR : 11%)
  - PHENIX relies on this method

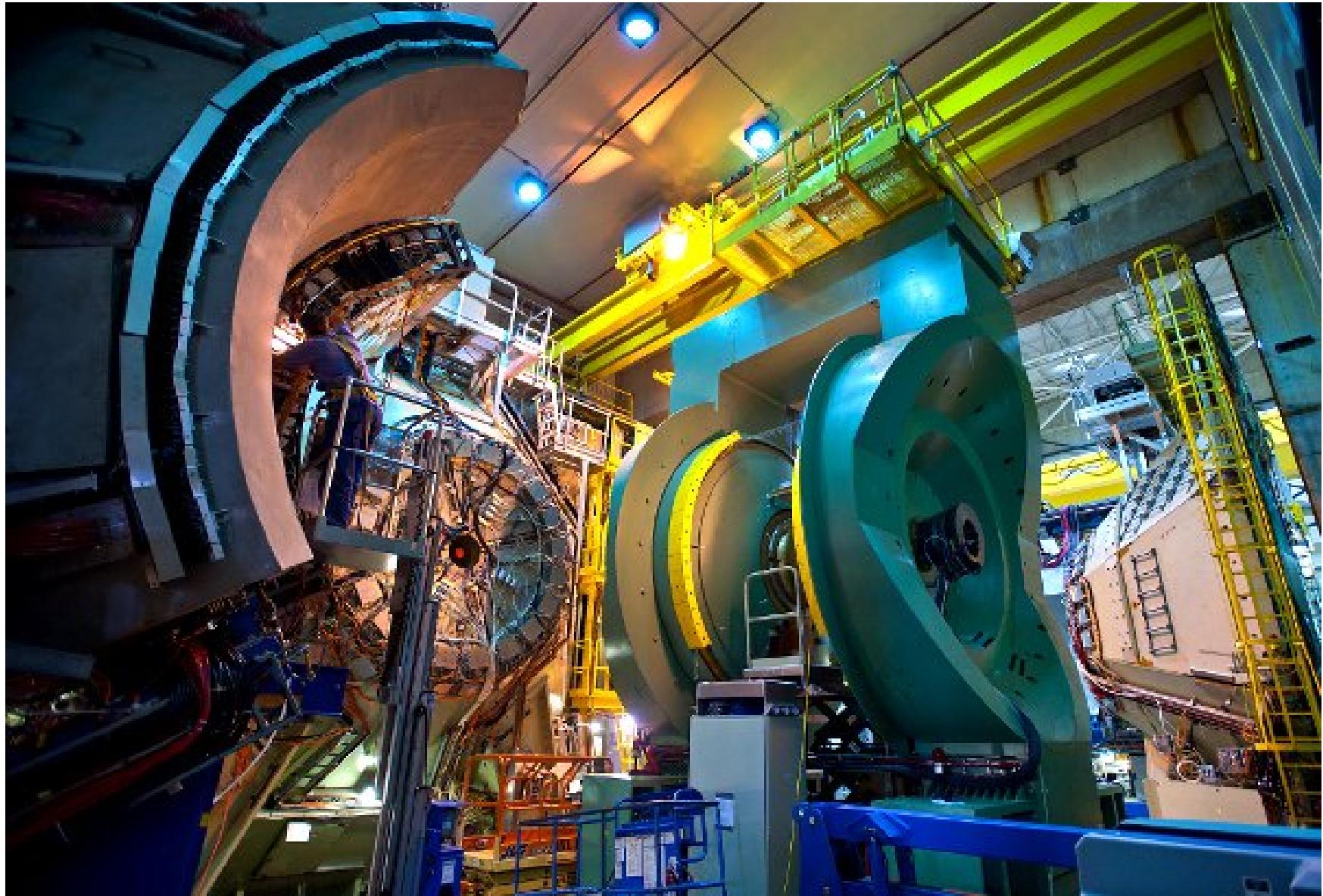
# PHENIX Detector and electron ID

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- **PHENIX Central Arm**
  - 2 arm structure
  - $|\eta| < 0.35$
  - $\Delta\phi = \pi/2 \times 2$ ,
- **Charged particle tracking and momentum**
  - Drift chamber
  - Pad chamber
- **Electron Identification**
  - RICH is primary eID device.
  - EMCAL measures energy :

# PHENIX detector

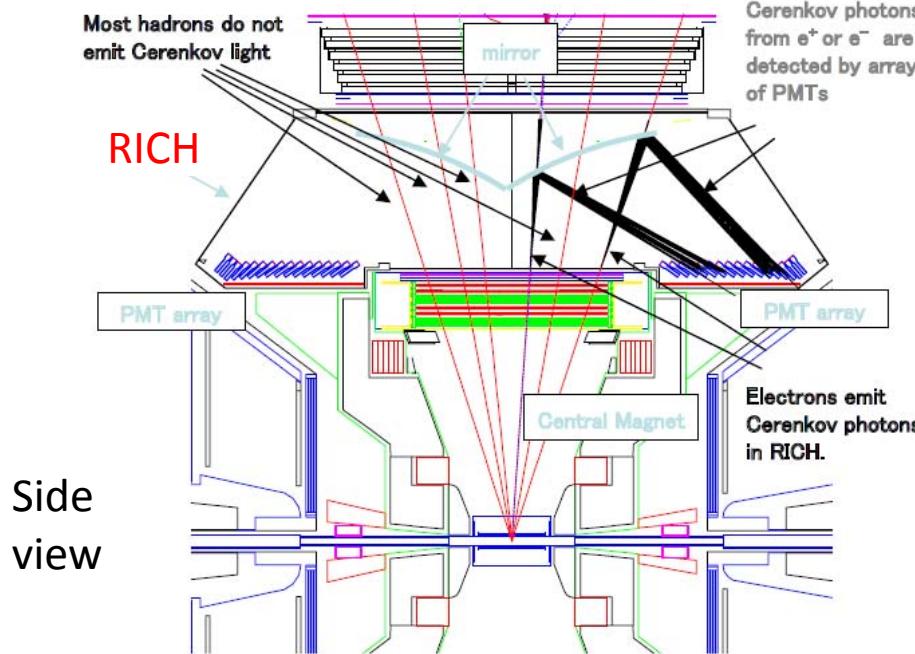


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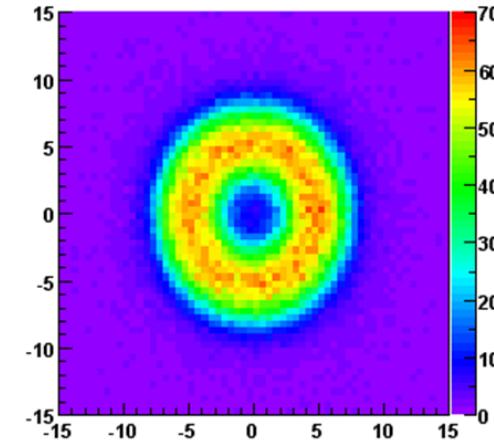
# Electron ID with RICH + EMCAL



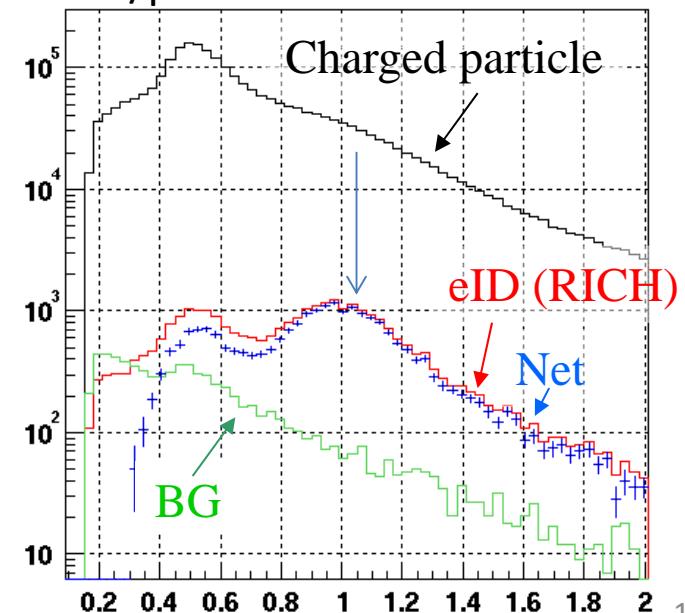
- RICH
  - Ring Imaging Cherenkov Detector
    - CO<sub>2</sub> : ~4.8GeV/c  $\pi^+$  threshold
    - $\cos\theta_c = (\beta n)^{-1}$ :  $\beta > 1/n$
  - Hadron rejection  $\sim 50\text{--}100\times$
  - nHit and RING shape cut
- E/p matching using EMCAL and momentum
  - E/p  $\sim 1$  for electrons,
  - E/p  $\ll 1$  for hadrons
  - $\sim 5\text{--}10\times$  rejection
- In total,  $\sim 300$  rejection achieved

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Measured Ring Image in RICH



E/p distribution



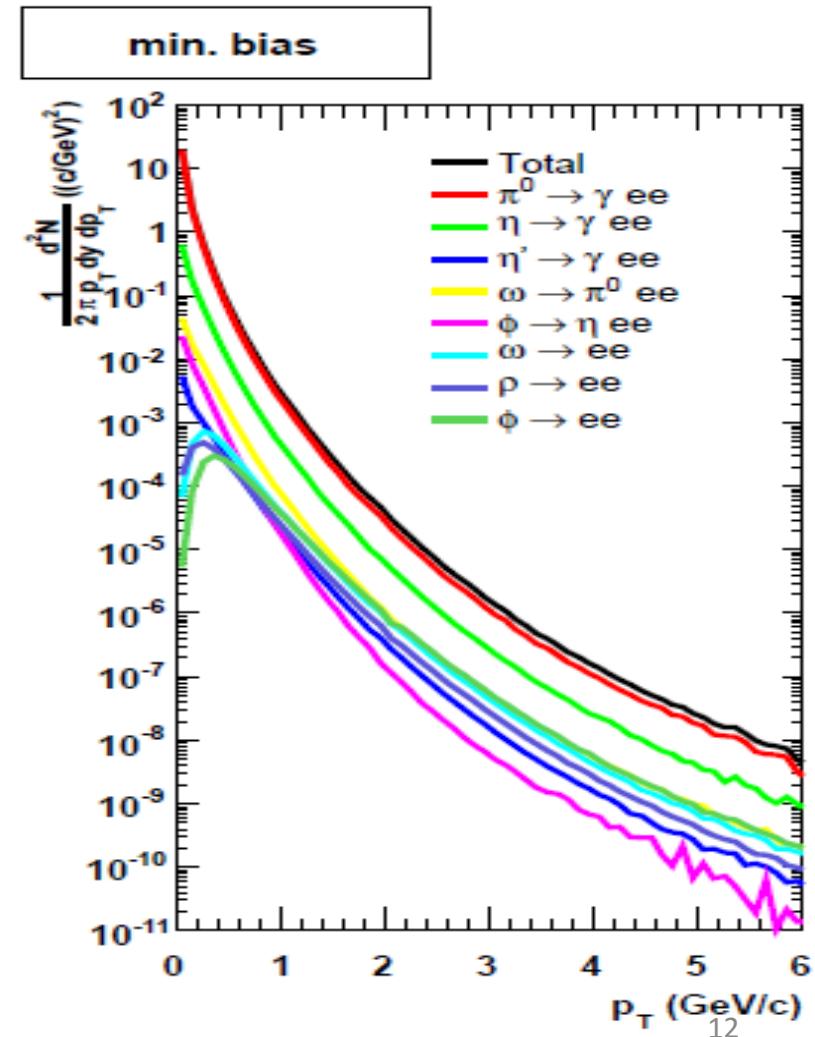
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# Electrons Source

## (HF decays and Backgrounds)

- Non-photonic Electrons
  - Heavy Flavor Electrons (HFe)
    - Semi-leptonic decays of heavy flavor  
 $c \rightarrow e, b \rightarrow e$
  - Background Electrons :
    - $K \rightarrow e \bar{e} \pi$  <6% @  $p_T > 1 \text{ GeV}/c$
    - $\phi, \rho, \omega \rightarrow ee$  <3% @  $p_T > 1 \text{ GeV}/c$
    - $J/\psi \rightarrow ee$ , Drell-Yan
      - Small contribution at low  $p_T$
- Photonic Electrons
  - Dalitz decays :  $\pi^0, \eta \rightarrow \gamma ee, \omega \rightarrow \pi^0 ee$
  - Photon conversions :  $\pi^0, \eta \rightarrow \gamma \gamma, \gamma \rightarrow ee$
  - Major background in experiment, needs to subtract

Relative yield of BG e (calculation)



# Heavy Flavor Electron Extraction

- Converter method

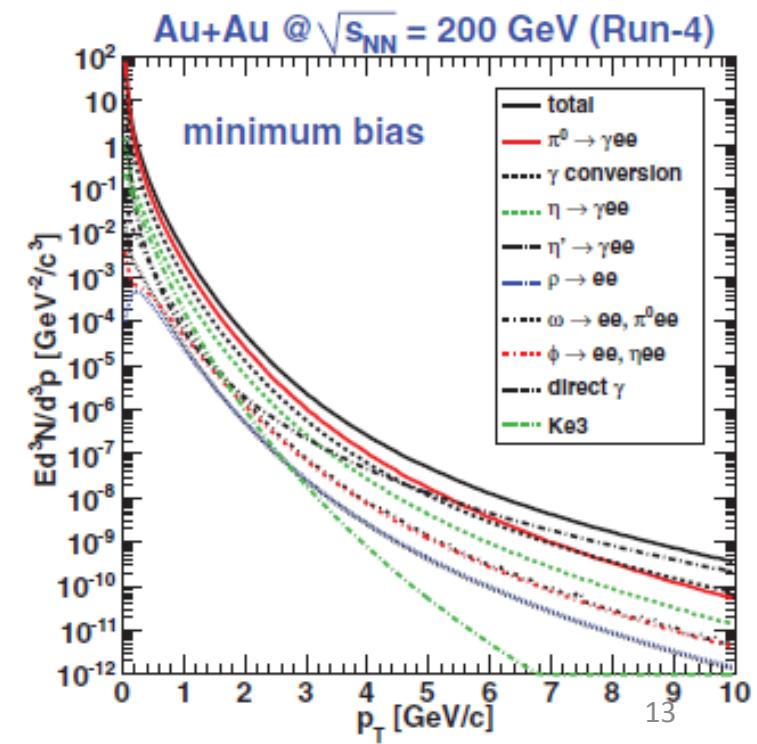
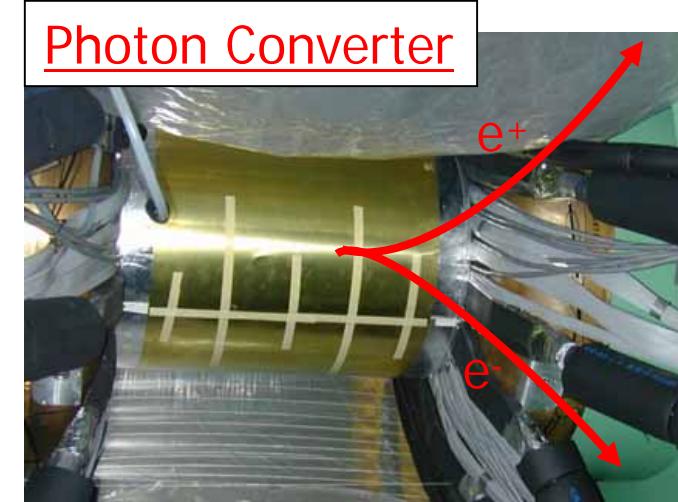
$$N^{convout} = N^\gamma + N^{non-\gamma}$$

$$N^{convin} = R_N^\gamma + (1 - \varepsilon)N^{non-\gamma}$$

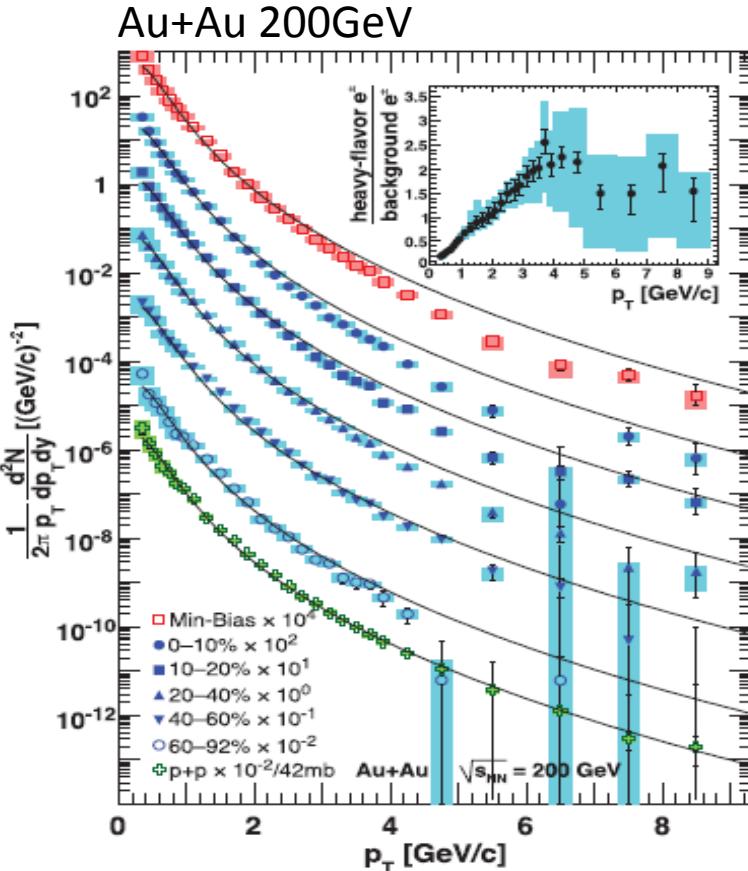
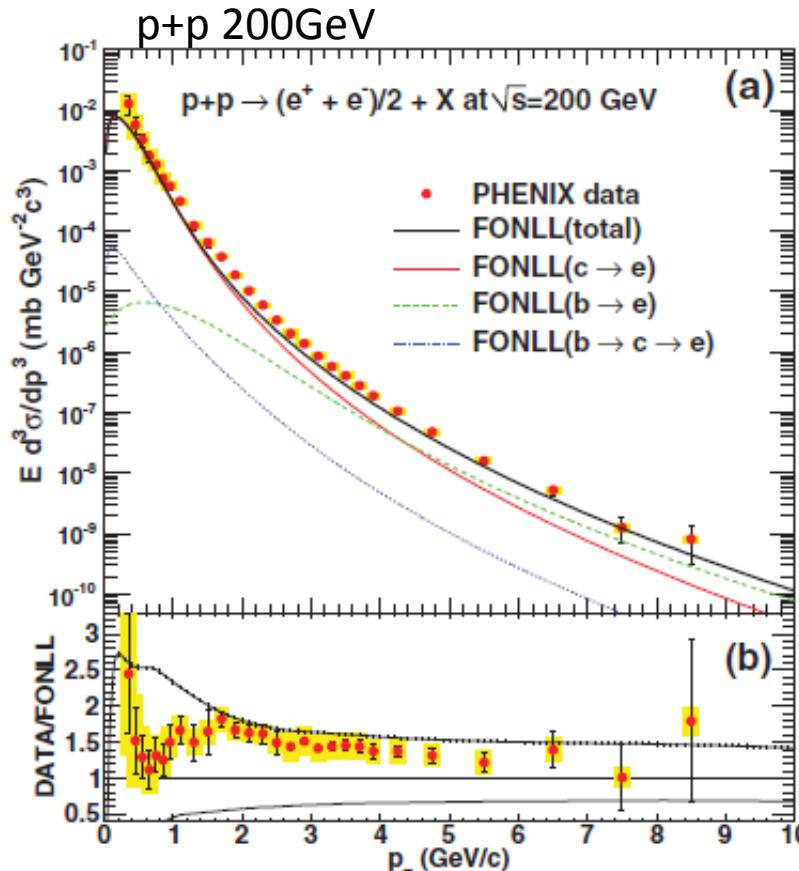
- The converter increases photonic e with fixed factor.
  - Photonic e calibration
- Advantage: small sys. error
- Dis: Small statistics, low pT

- Cocktail method

- Based on measured pion yield (and others)
  - mT scaling
- Calculated by the decay generator
- Advantage: reach to high pT
- Dis : sys error limited by pion measurement



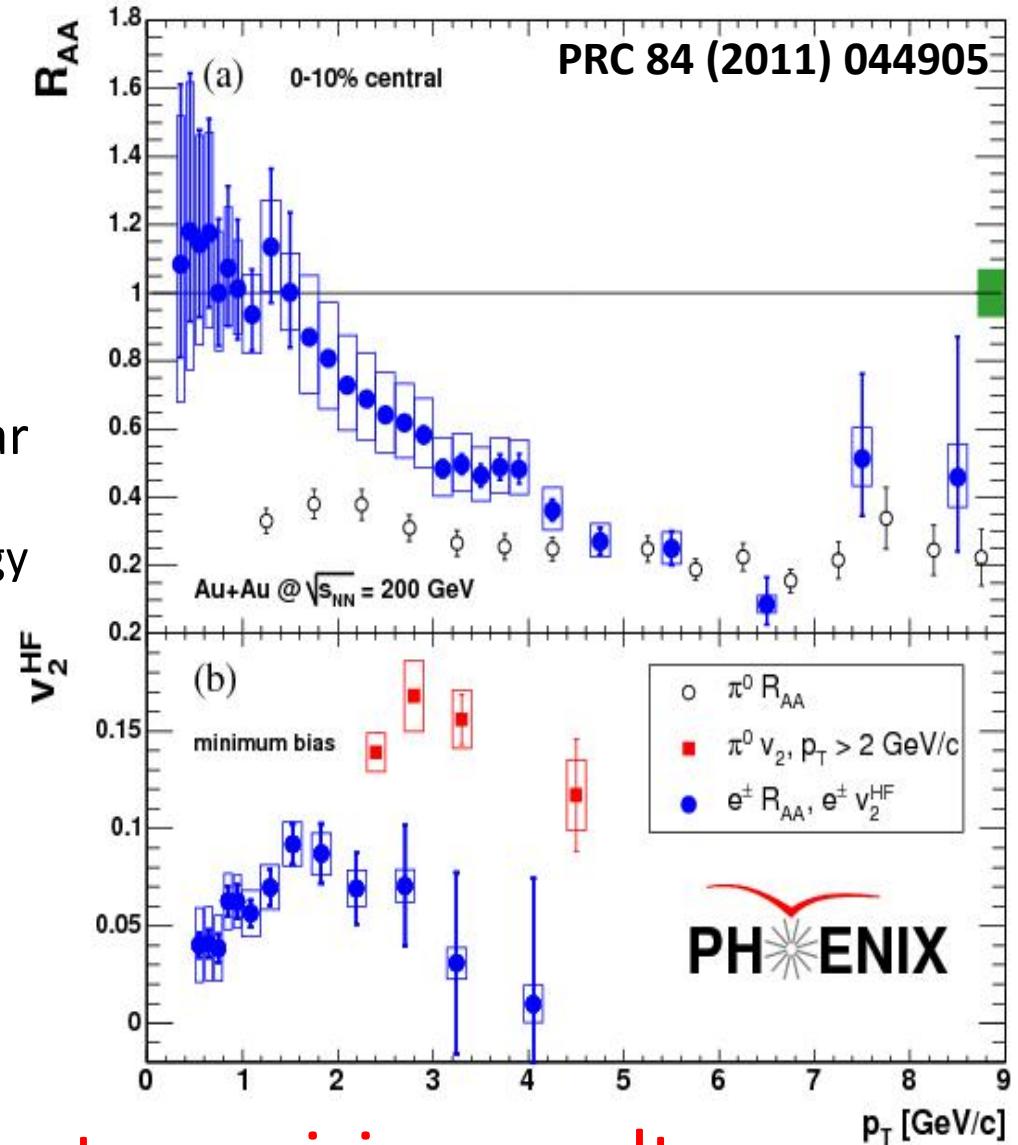
# HF electrons in p+p and Au+Au 200GeV



- Heavy Flavor electrons was measured with wide pT range in both pp and Au+Au
- Heavy Flavor electrons in p+p 200GeV
  - FONNL is consistent w/ data .
  - FONNL : Charm < bottom around 4GeV/c in pT
- Heavy Flavor electrons in Au+Au 200GeV
  - Binary scaling at low pT
  - Suppression compared with p+p.  $\rightarrow R_{AA}$  measurement

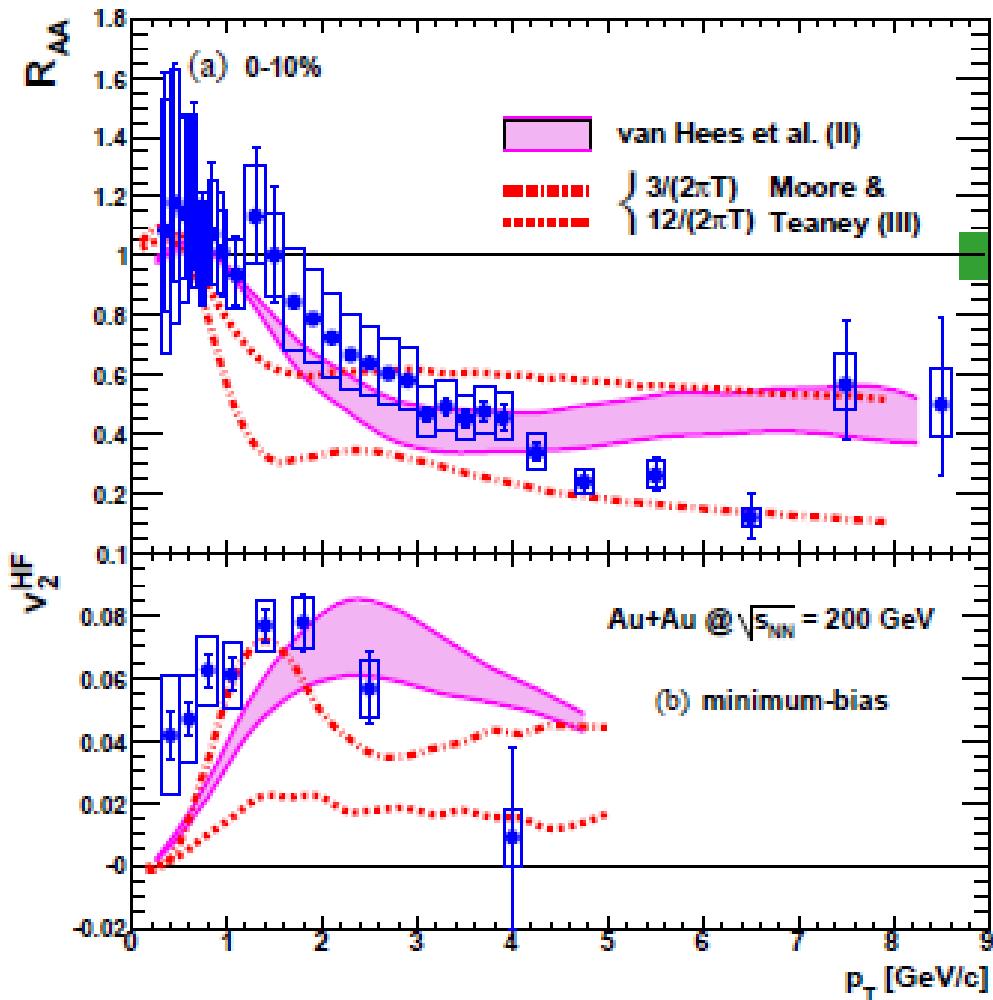
# Heavy Flavor Electrons in Au+Au 200GeV

- $R_{AA}$ : large suppression
  - $R_{AA} = \frac{1}{N_{coll}} \cdot \frac{Ne(Au+Au)}{Ne(p+p)}$
  - $R_{AA}$  (HFe) shows
    - Large suppression similar with pion at high pT
      - Indicating similar energy loss with pion
    - Consistent with Ncoll scaling at low pT
- $v_2$  : non-zero flow
  - HF is also affected by flow



One of the most surprising results

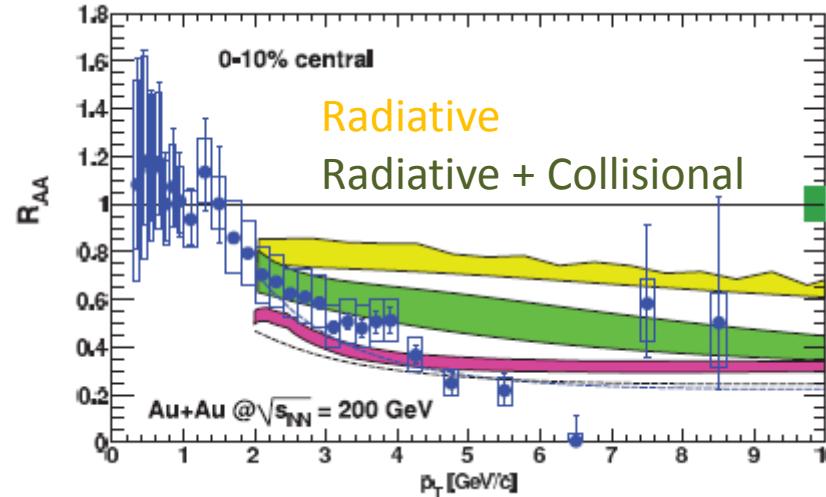
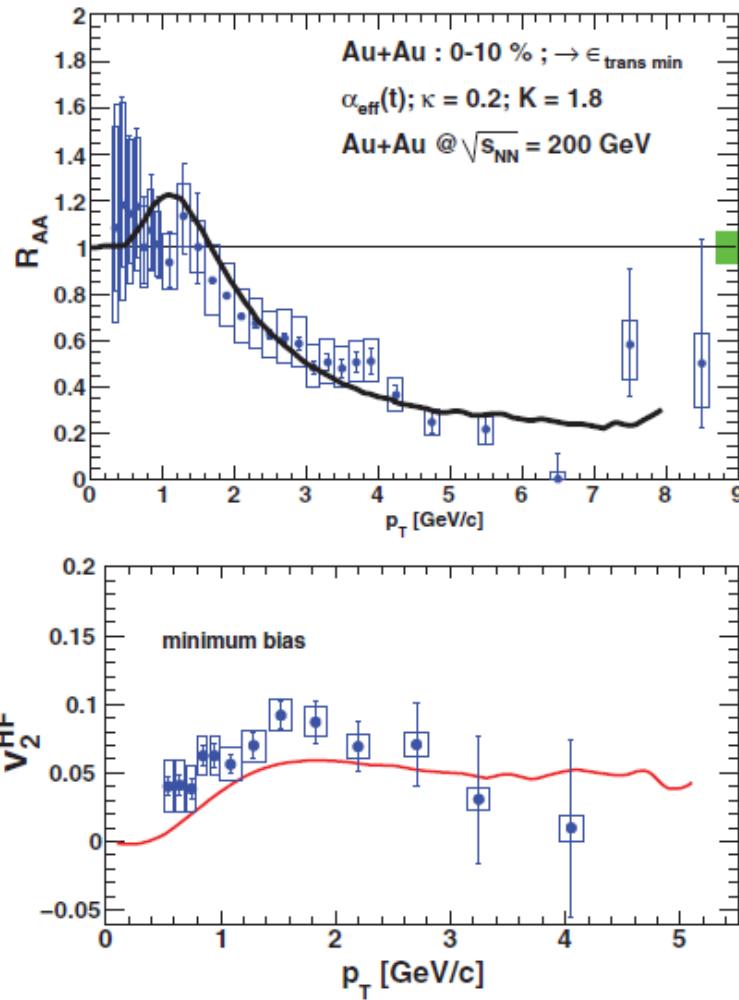
# Model comparison & $\eta/s$ evaluation



- Collisional energy loss models with common  $D$  failed to reproduce  $R_{AA}$  and  $v_2$ .
- $R_{AA}$  and  $v_2$  is compared with langevin based model
  - $D_{HQ} = 4 \sim 6 / (2\pi T)$  reproduces the data
    - $D \sim 6 \times \eta/T_s$  at  $\mu_B = 0$
  - $\eta/s \sim (4/3 - 2)/4\pi$

# More comparisons

pQCD based model



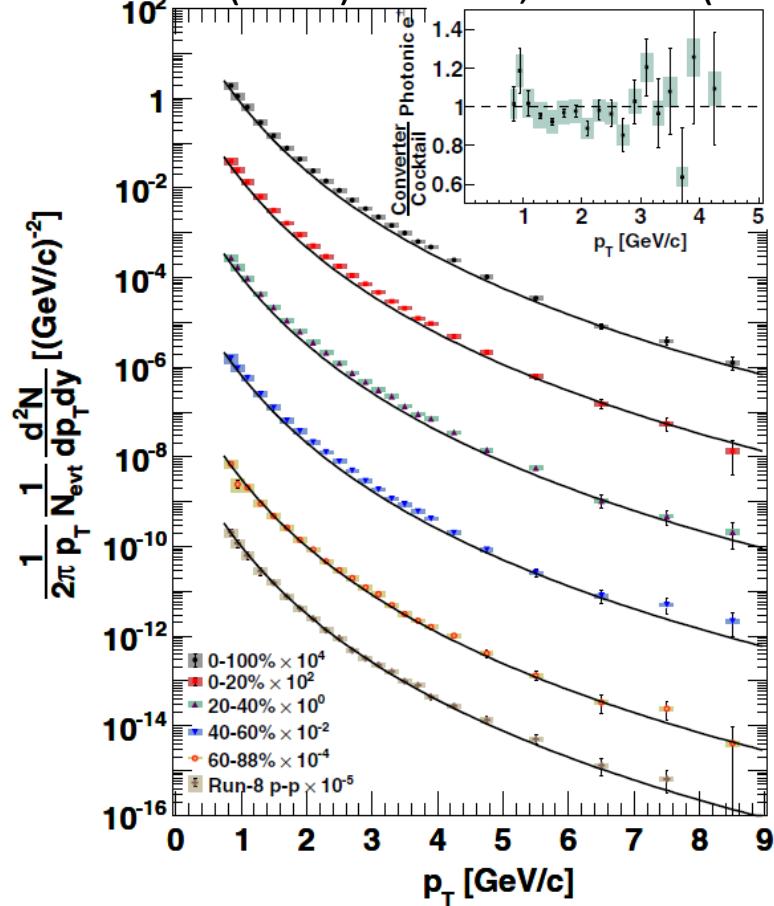
- Some models reproduces our data
  - Which one ?
- Separated B and D measurement gives more constraint to the models.
  - Is it possible to separate radiative and collisional energy loss?

# Heavy Flavor Electrons in d+Au and Cu+Cu

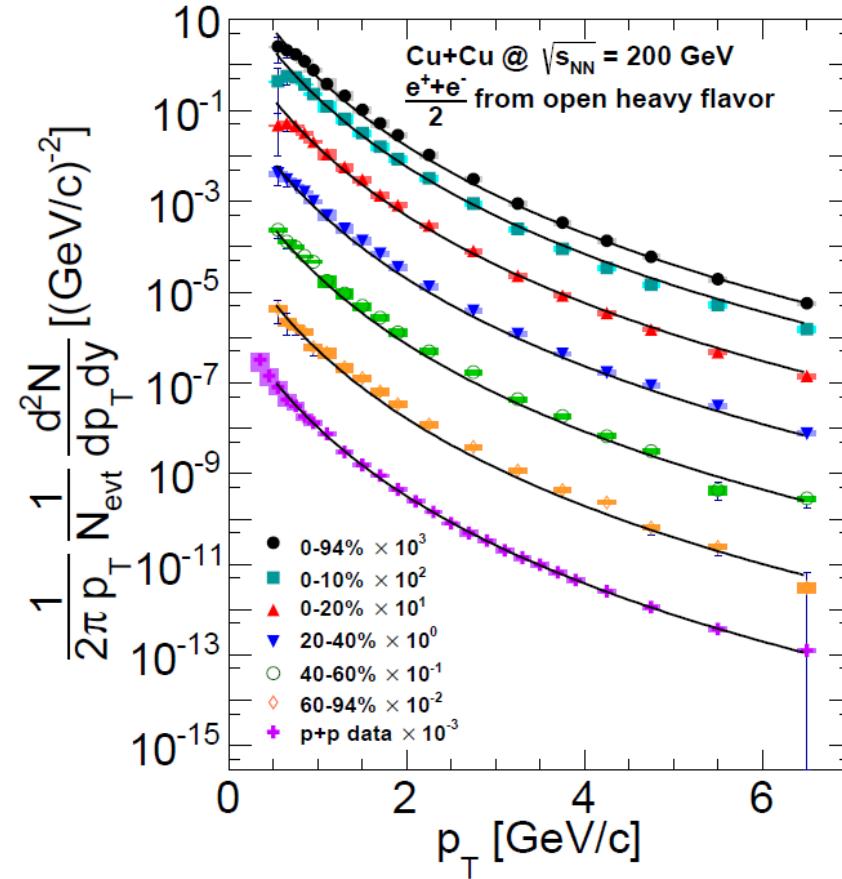
- d+Au
  - study the CNM effect since no QGP is created in p(d)+Au
- Cu+Cu
  - study the energy loss effect in smaller system

# Heavy Flavor Electrons in d+Au and Cu+Cu 200GeV

d+Au (2008) PRL 109, 242301 (2012)

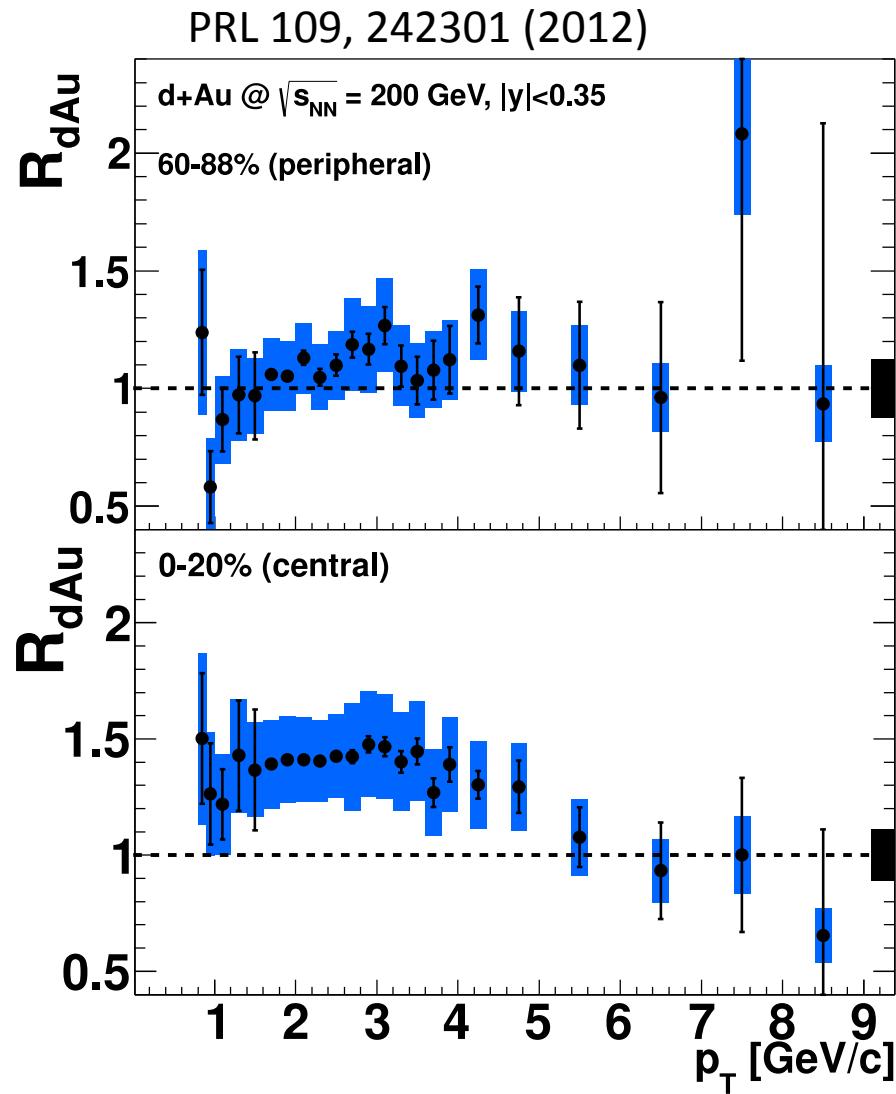


Cu+Cu arXiv:1310.8286v1



- Heavy flavor electrons were measured in both d+Au and Cu+Cu 200GeV with wide pT range

# Heavy Flavor Electron $R_{AA}$ in d+Au 200GeV



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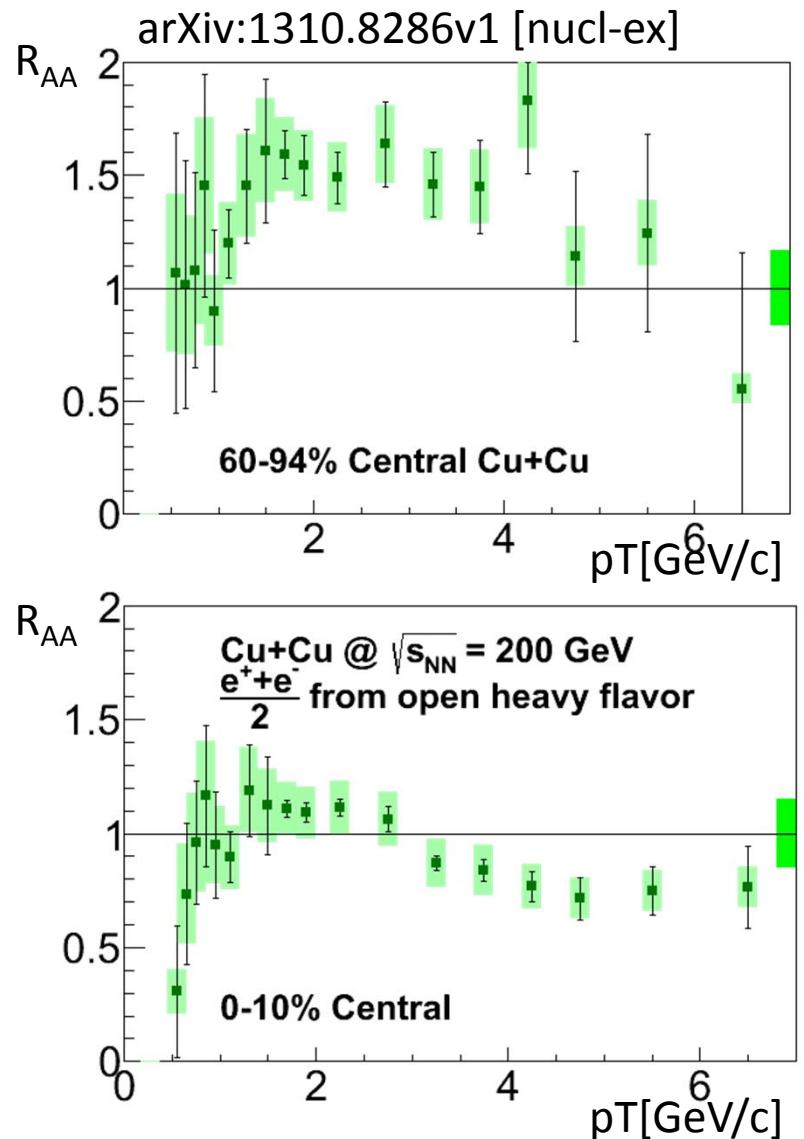
- $R_{AA} = 1$  for all pT range:
  - Consistent with p+p within uncertainty.

In central,

- $R_{AA} > 1$  at mid pT:
  - Cronin-like *initial* scattering?  
similar trend is seen in pion

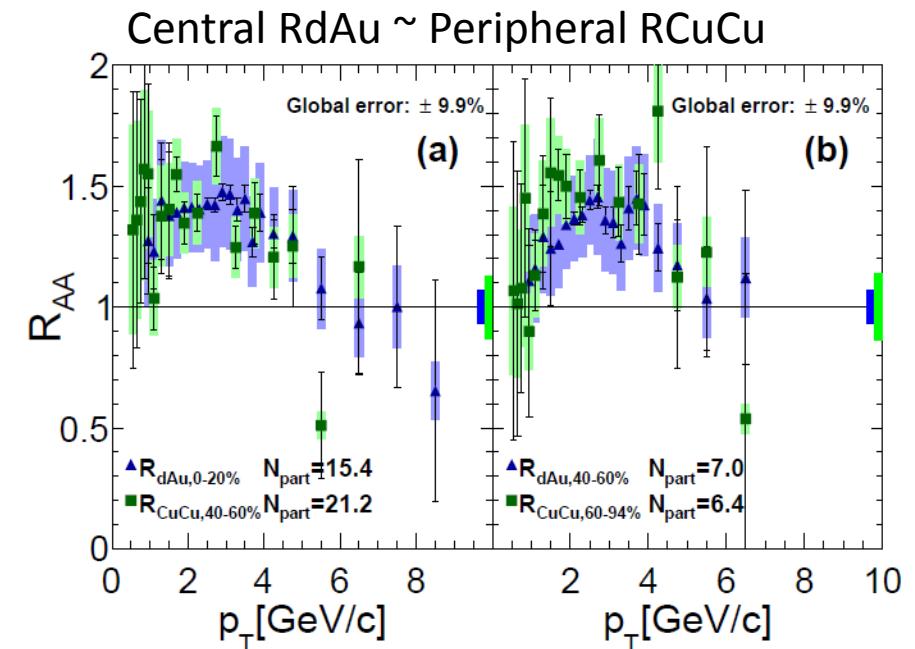
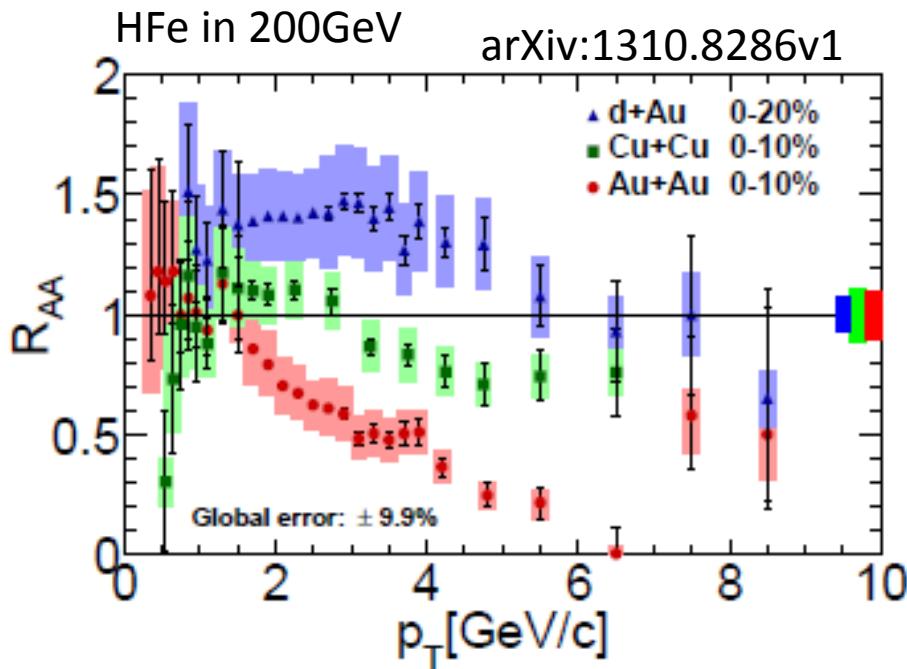
- No suppression from CNM
  - Large suppression in Au+Au can be attributed to the hot and dense matter effect
- Enhancement may also be apparent in Au+Au

# Heavy Flavor Electrons in Cu+Cu 200GeV



- In peripheral,
  - Significant enhancement
  - Similar with d+Au.
- In central,
  - Slight suppression at high  $p_T$

# System Size Dependence

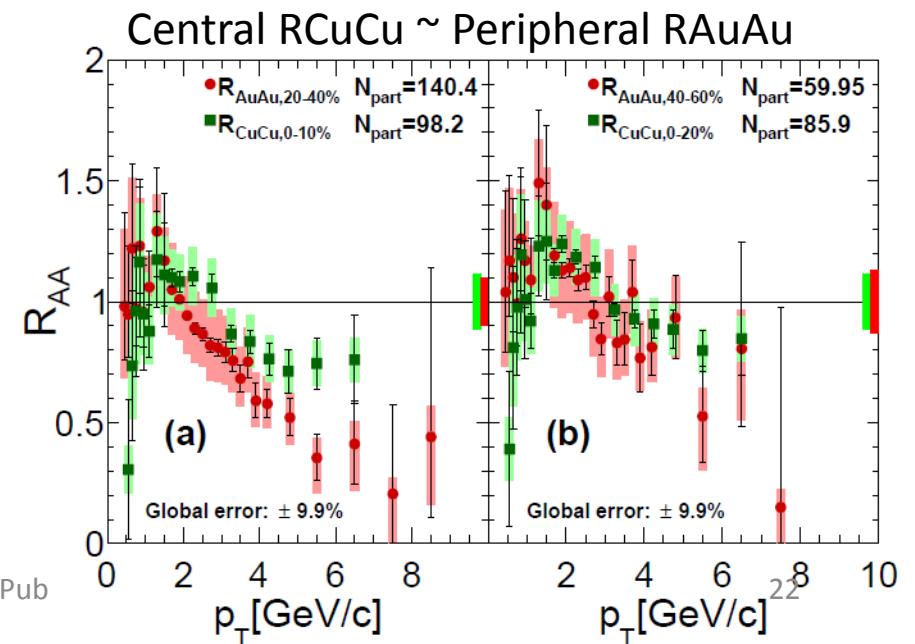


- $R_{dAu} > R_{CuCu} > R_{AuAu}$
- Npart( $5.4 \pm 1.0$ )    ( $98.2 \pm 2.4$ )    ( $352.2 \pm 3.3$ )
  - Npart  $\sim$  system size

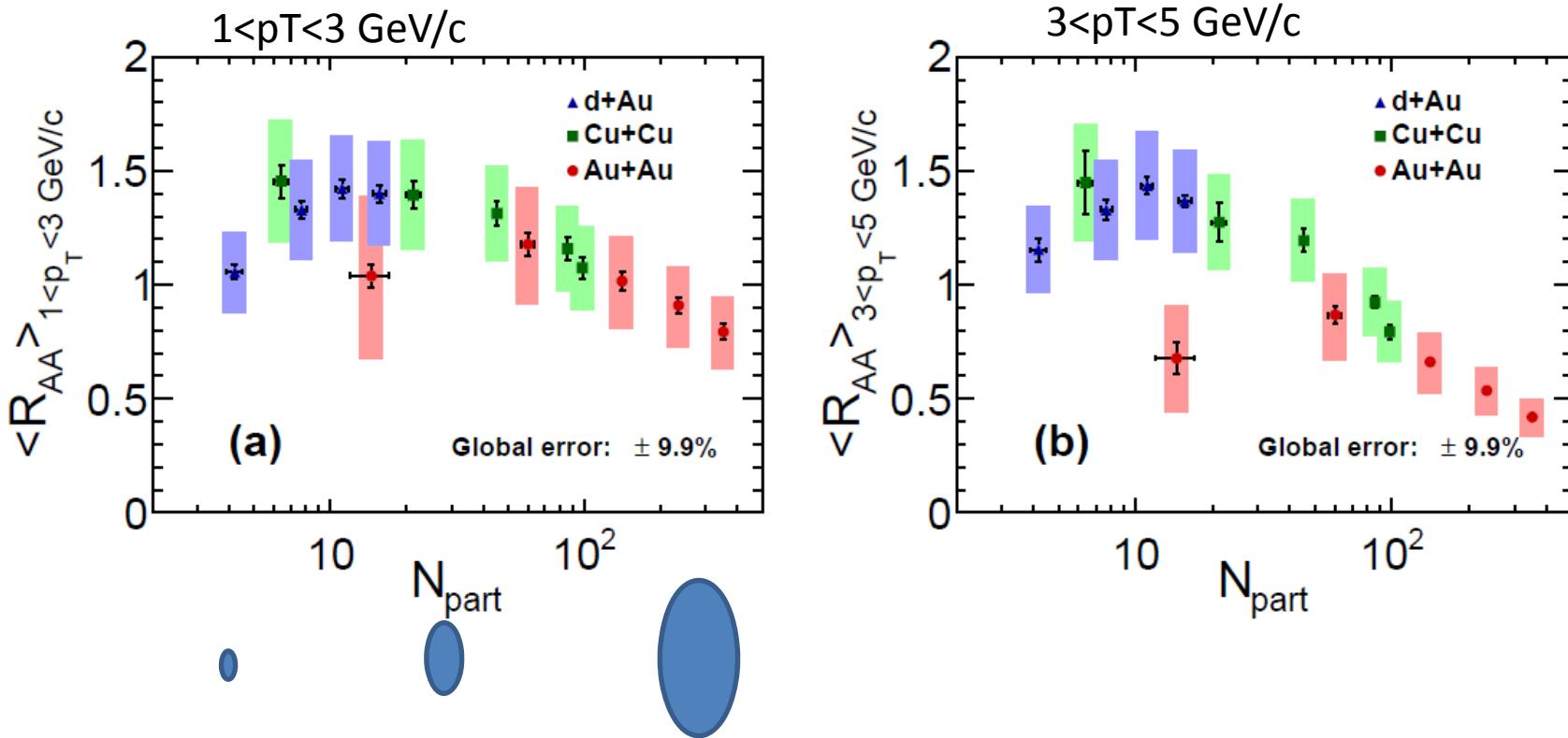
- Similar enhancement in  $R_{dAu}$ @cent  $\sim$   $R_{CuCu}$ @peri
- Similar suppression in  $R_{CuCu}$ @cent  $\sim$   $R_{AuAu}$ @peri

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# System size : $\langle R_{AA} \rangle$ vs $\langle N_{part} \rangle$



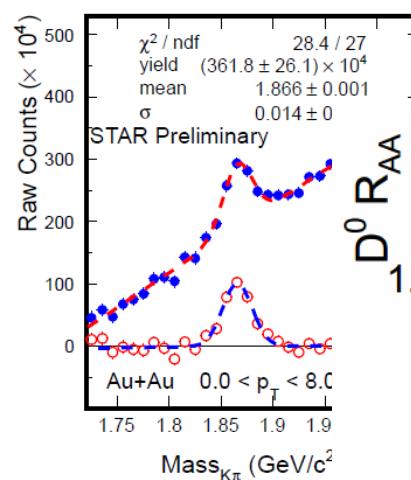
- Smoothly changing in dAu -> CuCu -> AuAu
  - Enhancement at small size (small  $N_{part}$ )
  - Suppression at large size (large  $N_{part}$ )
  - Consistent behavior in 2 different pT bins
- This trend is dependent on the system size ( $N_{part}$ )
- Overall description is necessary to understand HF energy loss seen in Au+Au

# Bottom / Charm Separation

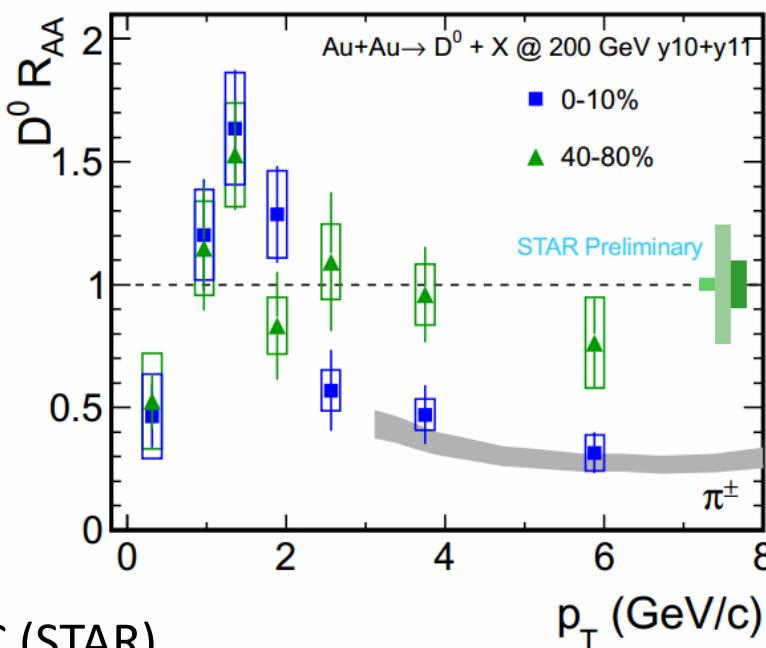
- Direct Measurement
  - D meson reconstruction at RHIC
  - D meson reconstruction at ALICE
  - Non-prompt J/psi at CMS (B from Jpsi)
- Bottom and Charm separation using HFe

# Direct Measurement of D/B

$D \rightarrow K + \pi$



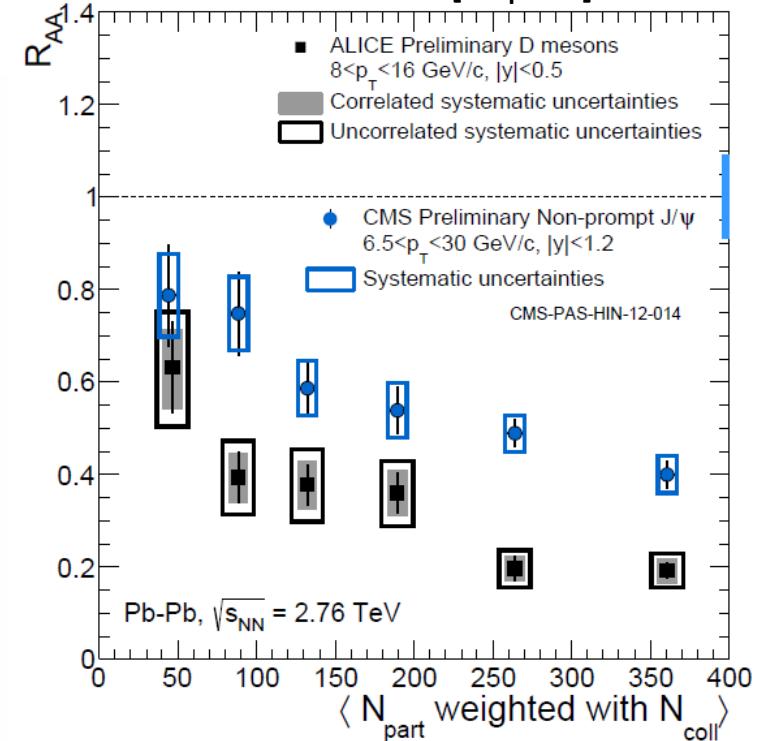
STAR measurement @ QM12  
NPA 904–905 (2013) 170c–177c



- At RHIC (STAR)
  - Suppression is comparable with  $\pi$  (consistent with HFe)
  - The maximum at 2GeV/c is consistent with transverse flow models
- At LHC (ALICE and CMS)
  - First measurement of non-prompt Jpsi
  - **Clear mass ordering of HF suppression (  $RAA(D) < RAA(np\ Jpsi)$  )**

LHC measurement

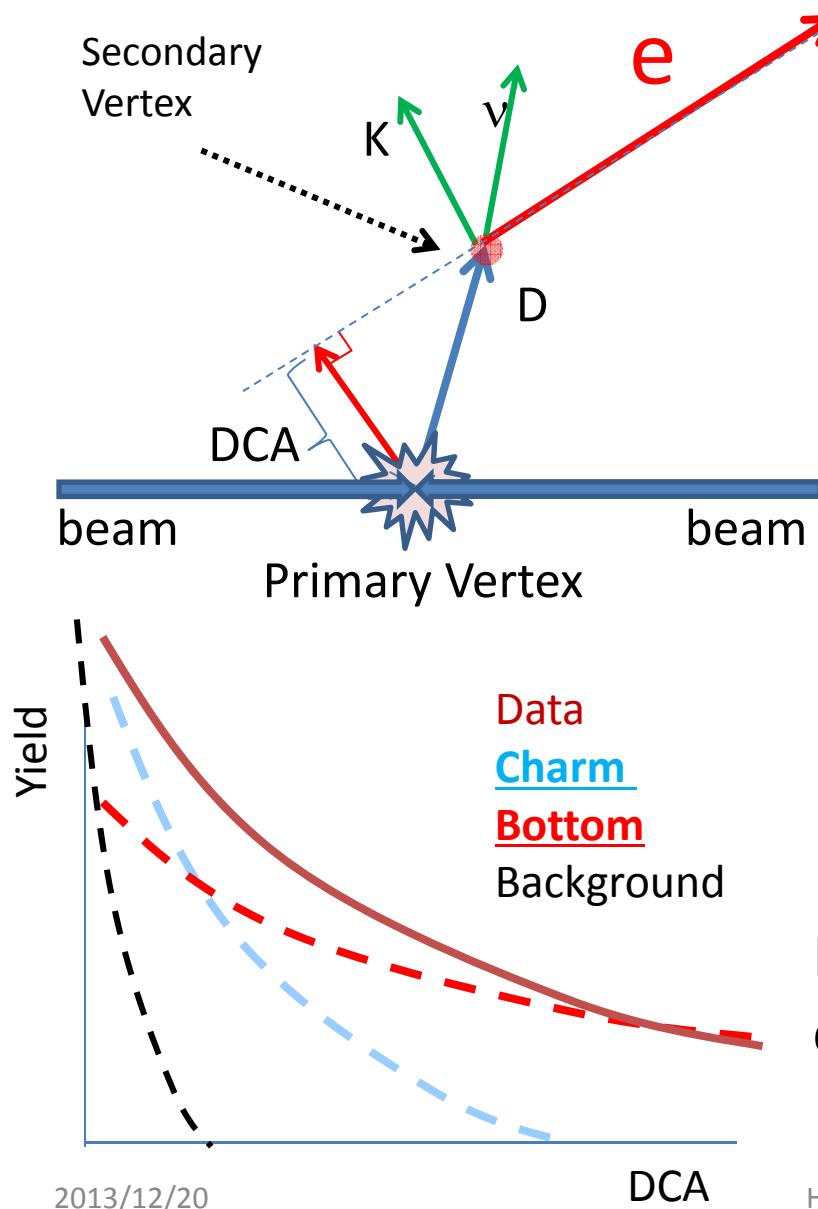
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# Bottom / Charm Separation

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# Charm/bottom separation using DCA



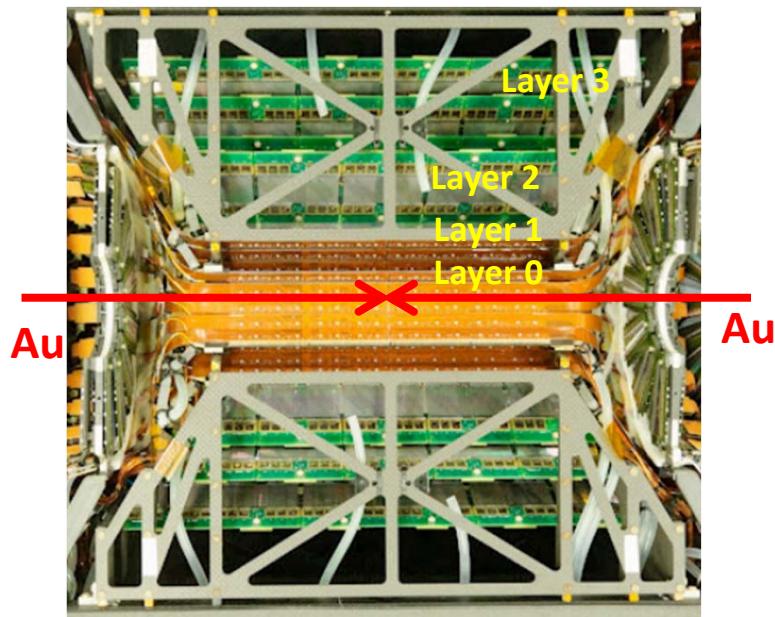
- Distance of Closest Approach
  - DCA of electron track from primary vertex
  - DCA corresponds to the life time( $c\tau$ )

Unique lifetime of c and b

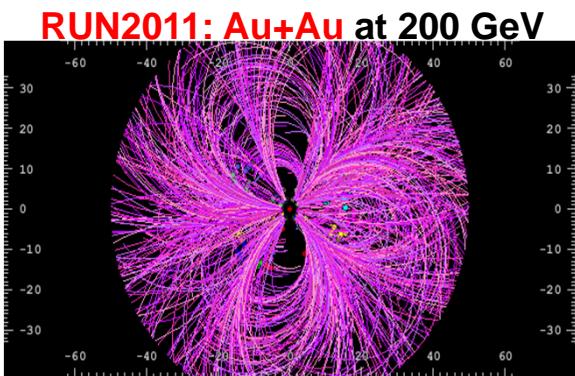
D0	122.9 $\mu\text{m}$	Charm
D+	311.8 $\mu\text{m}$	
B0	457.2 $\mu\text{m}$	Bottom
B+	491.1 $\mu\text{m}$	

Precise DCA measurement allows clear separation of charms and bottoms

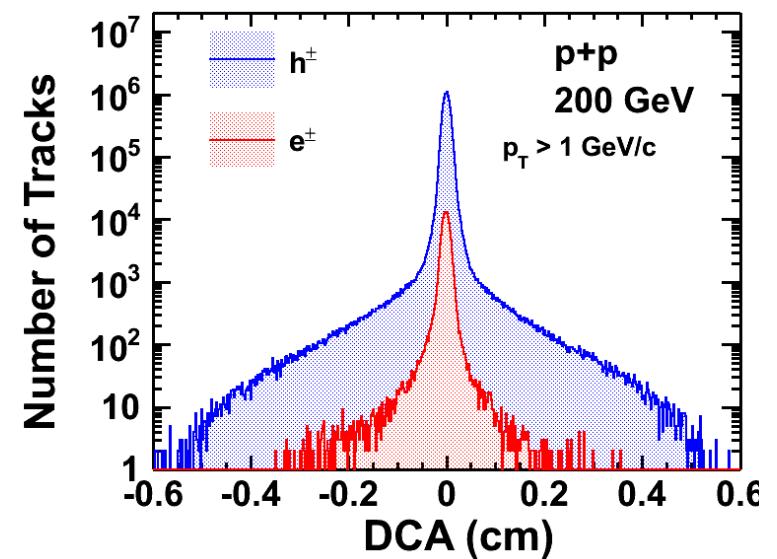
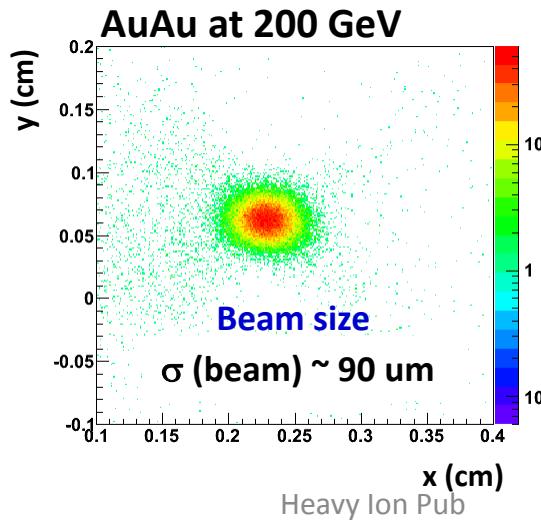
# PHENIX Silicon Vertex Detector(VTX)



- VTX was installed from Run2011
    - Large coverage
      - $|\eta| < 1.2$ ,  $\phi \sim 2\pi$
    - 4 layer silicon detectors
      - 2 inner pixel detector
      - 2 outer stripixel detector
    - Placed near collision ( $R \sim 2.5\text{cm}$ )
      - DCA & Primary vertex
  - DCA resolution of 77 $\mu\text{m}$  is archived

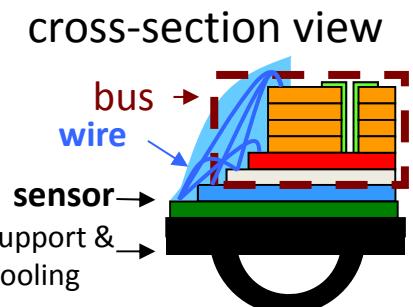
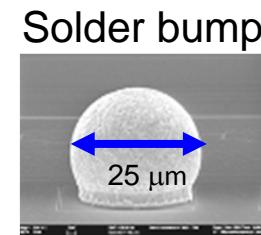


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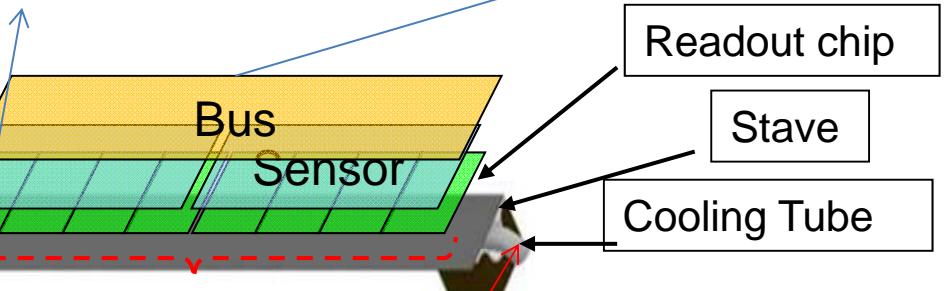
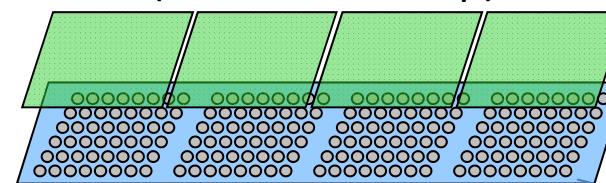


# Pixel Detector in detail

- Developed by RIKEN with ALICE
- Channels: : **3900k channels**
  - PHENIX EMCAL : 25k channels
- Spec:
  - Pixel Size: 50  $\mu\text{m}$  ( $\phi$ ) x 425  $\mu\text{m}$  ( $z$ )
  - sensor module + 4 RO chips.
  - Bump bonding



Sensor module  
(Sensor+4ROchip)

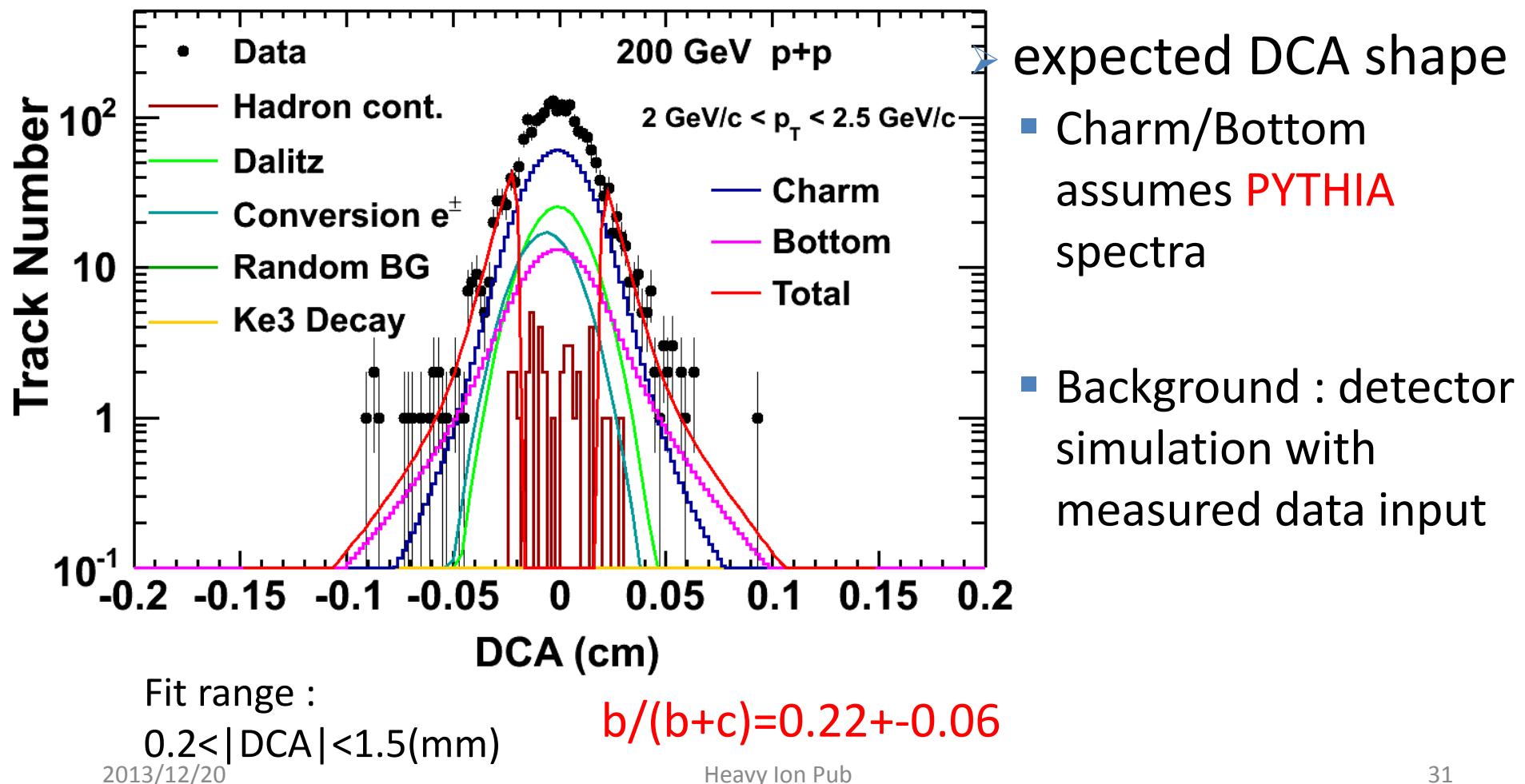


# DCA decomposition

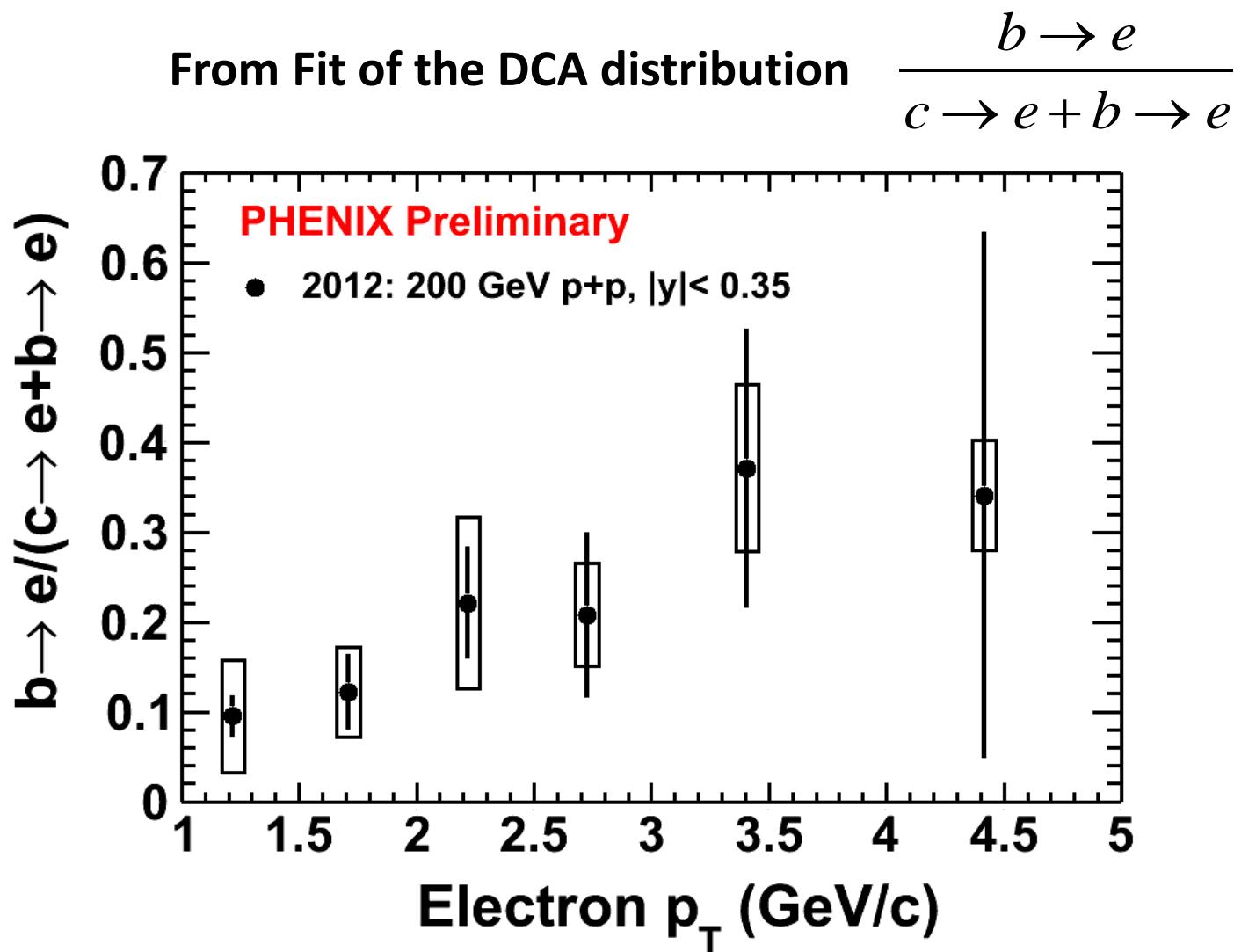
# DCA Decomposition

DCA data are fit by expected DCA shapes of

- Signal components :  $c \rightarrow e$  and  $b \rightarrow e$  (right column)
- Background components (left column)



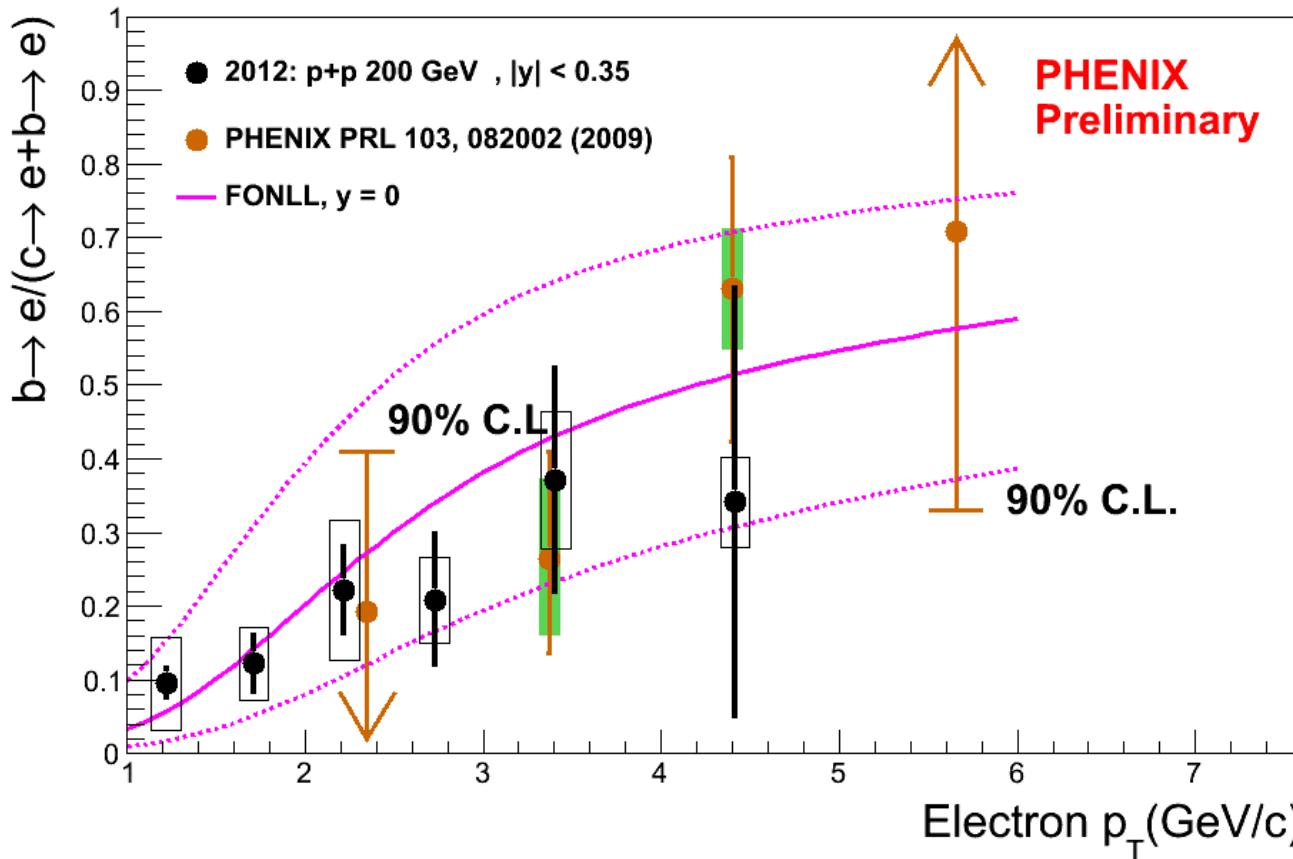
# Bottom to HF(b+c) ratio in p+p



First direct measurements of bottom production at RHIC in p+p

# Comparison

## From Fit of the DCA distribution



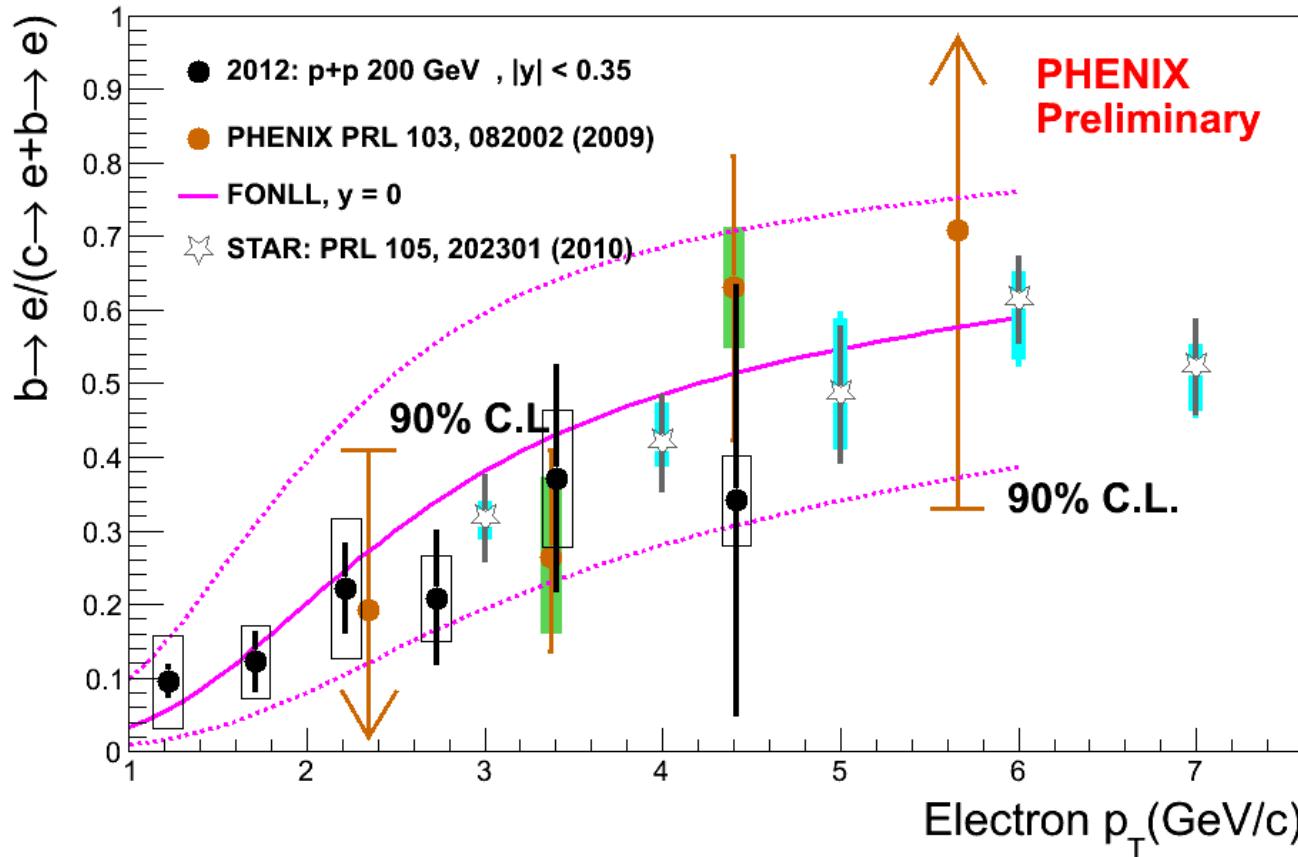
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Published data  
agree with new data

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with data

VTX direct measurement of  $b/b+c$  using DCA confirms published results using e-h correlation

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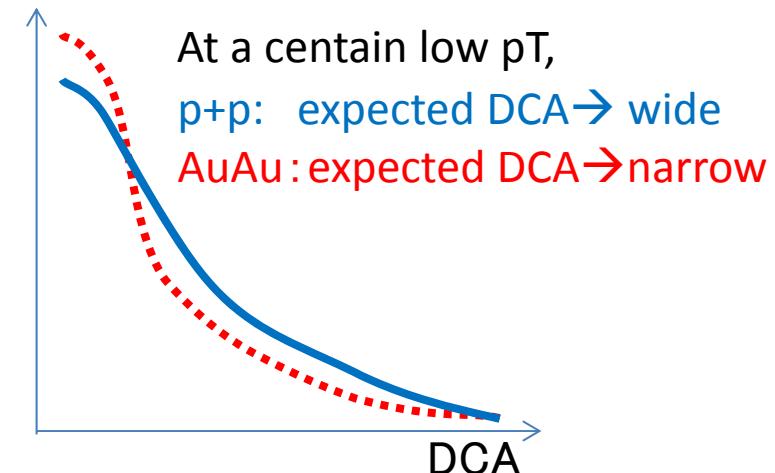
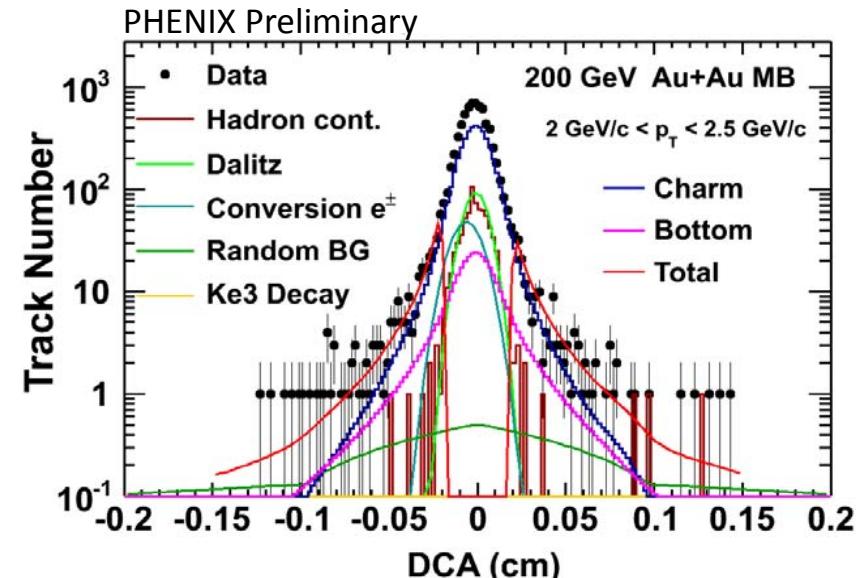
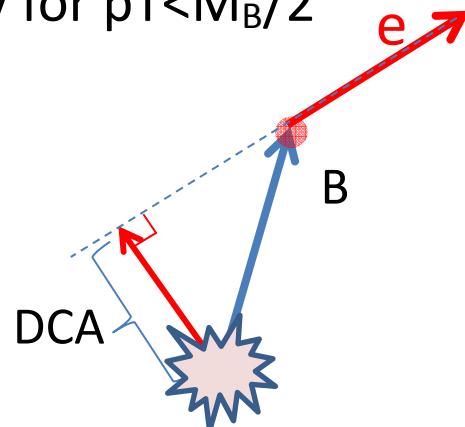
STAR indirect  
measurement is  
consistent with our  
data

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# DCA decomposition in Au+Au

DCA distribution shows:

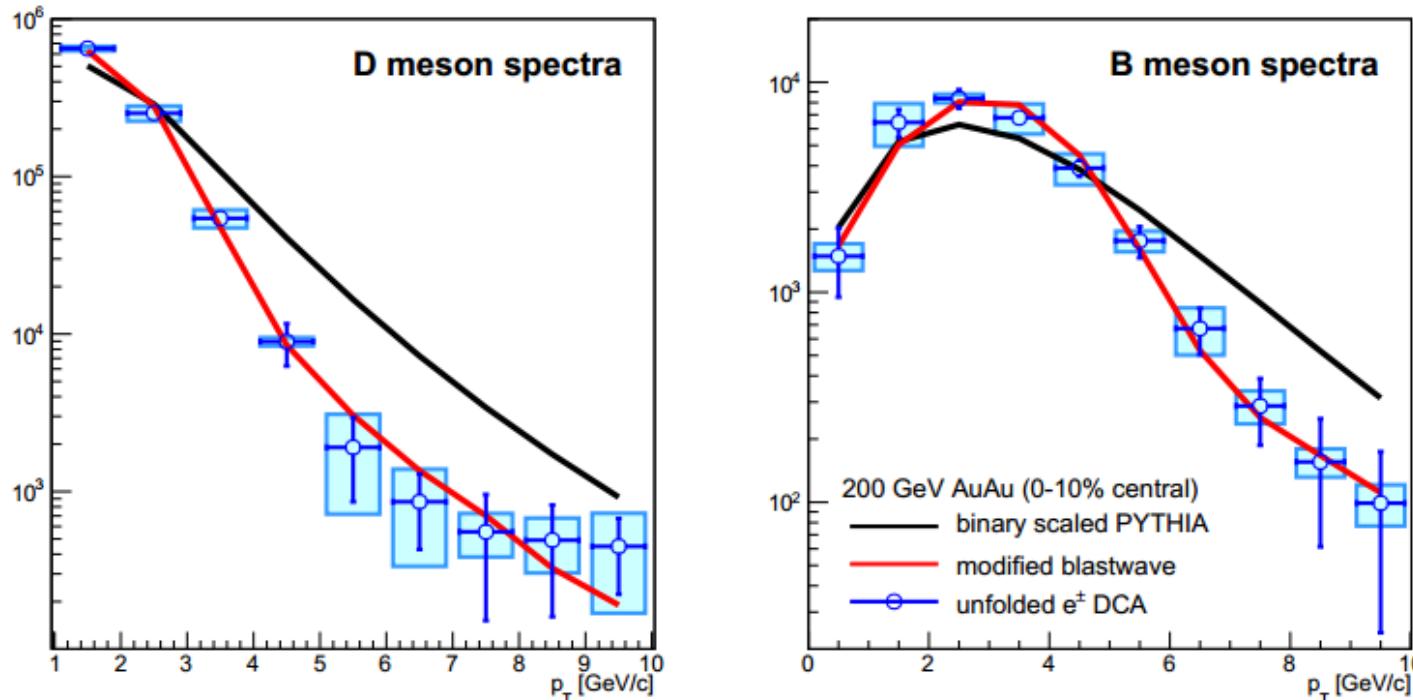
- N(e) at large DCA is smaller than in pp
  - This implies b suppression  
 $\rightarrow$  B has longer decay length
- Difficulty in Au+Au
  - The expected DCA shape depends on the its parent pT shape
    - It is a convolution of parent pT spectrum and decay kinematics
    - Especially for  $pT < M_B/2$



Currently, we are developing new method.

# Snapshot of c/b separation

This is simulation



- Some methods are being tested if charm and bottom contribution can be separated properly using HFe DCA distribution.
  - Unfolding technique.
- This method work well to reproduce the input pT distribution of D and B meson
- We keep testing the method what is the best way to remove the bias in the method.

# Summary

- Heavy Flavor electrons (from heavy flavor decay) were measured in p+p, d+Au, Au+Au, Cu+Cu 200GeV at RHIC
  - Strong suppression and v2 in Au+Au 200GeV
    - Small eta/s, consistent with other measurement
  - Enhancement in central d+Au
  - Smooth changing from enhancement to suppression in Cu+Cu
  - Some models succeeded reproduce the data.
    - It is necessary to describe overall behavior of Raa and v2 for small-large system
    - Separated measurement of bottom and charm provides further constraint
- Direct measurement
  - D is consistent with HFe suppression at RHIC and LHC
  - Non-prompt J/psi from Bdecay shows  $R_{AA}(\text{np-Jpsi}) > R_{AA}(D)$  at LHC
- Bottom / charm separation is in progress
  - New method shows better separation in simulation.

# Outlook

- Cu+Au and U+U data in run12 is in hand
  - Data analysis is on-going
  - Systematic study of  $R_{AA}$  and  $v_2$  extends to other systems.
- Au+Au 200 GeV in run14 will start soon
  - We plan to take more data with run11 Au+Au
    - VTX is fully functional
  - Large statistics allows us to measure non-prompt Jpsi in PHENIX