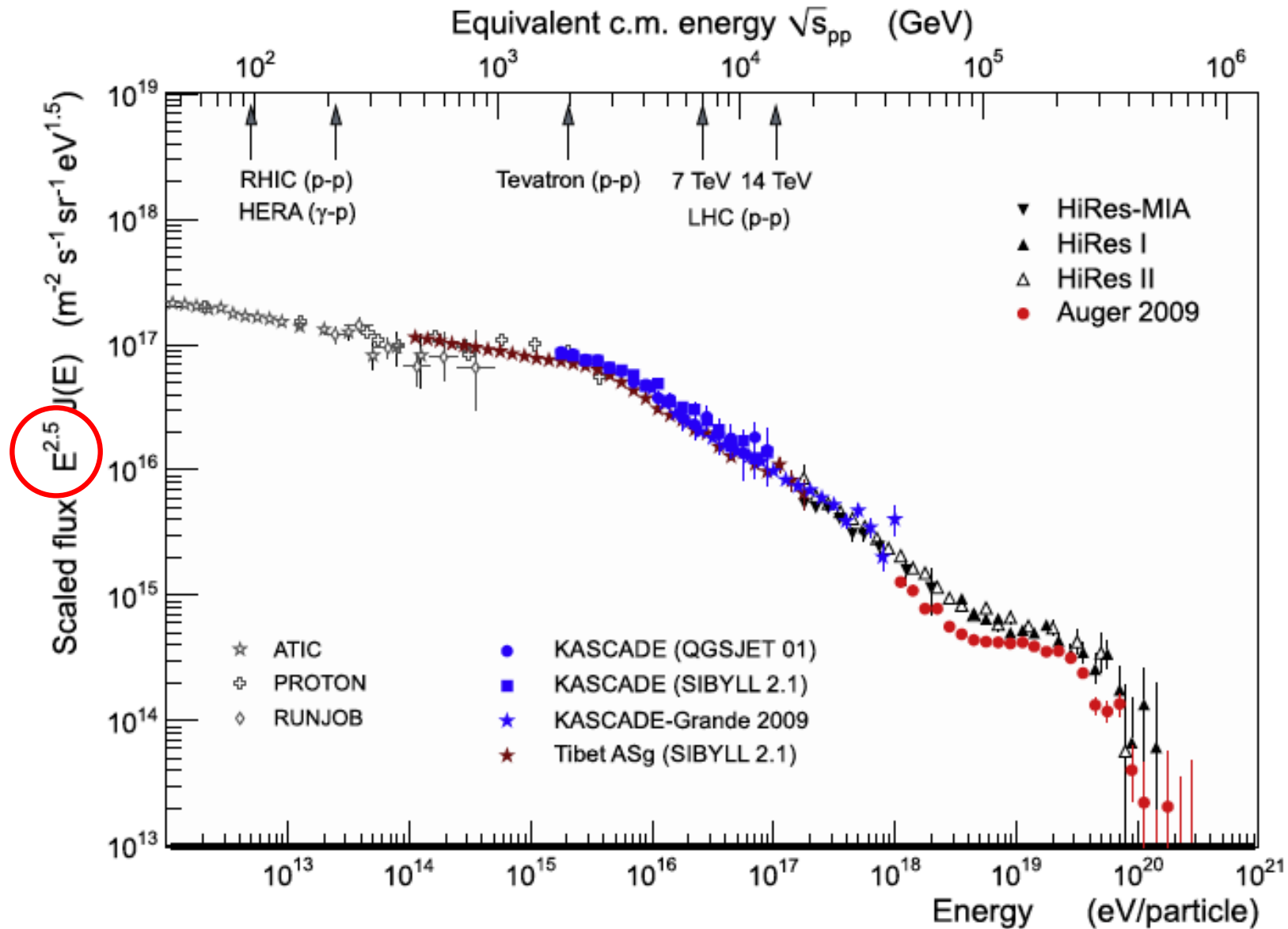


LHCf and RHICf, collider experiments to reveal the nature of high-energy cosmic rays

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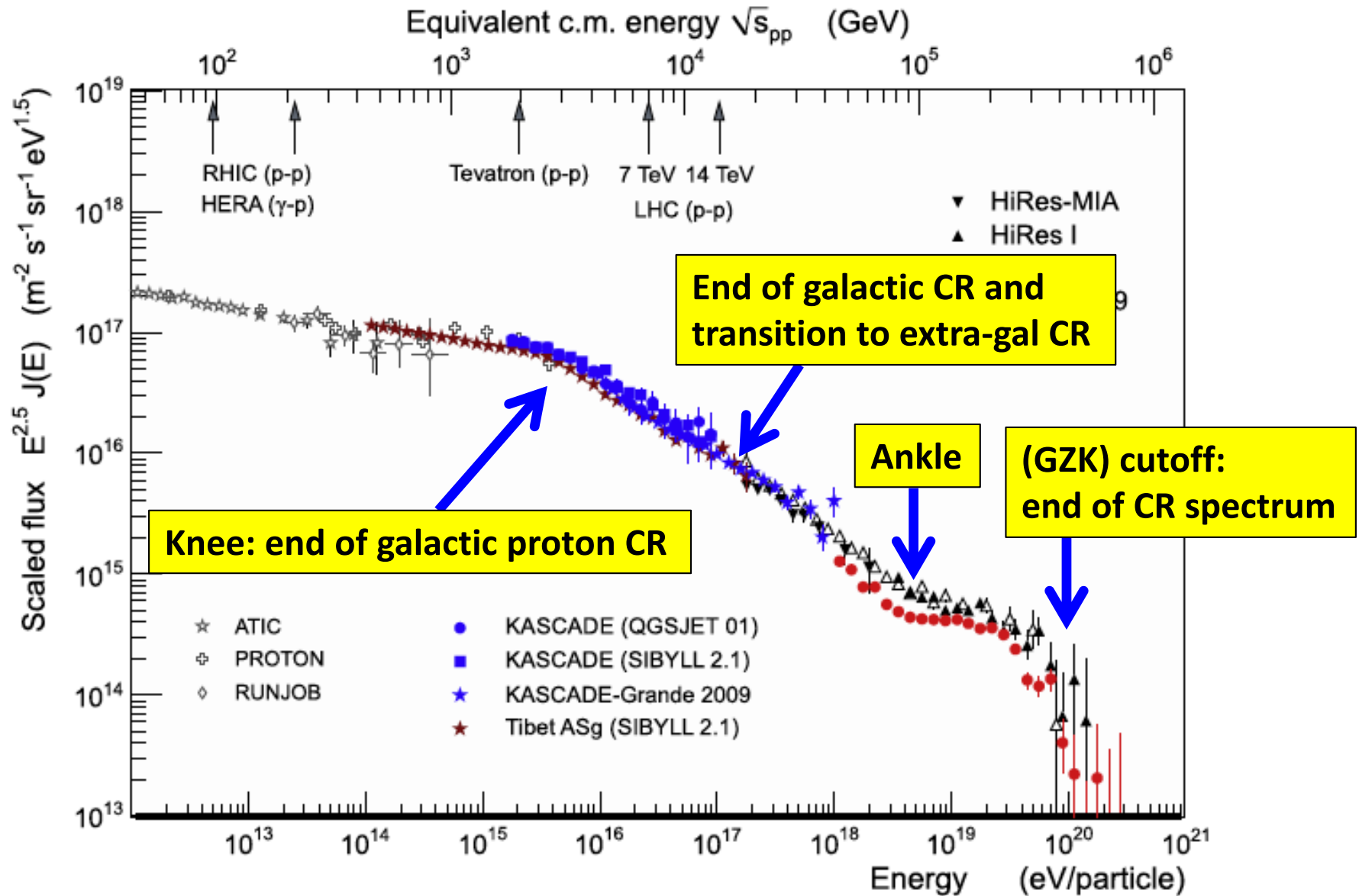
(KMI/ISEE, Nagoya University)

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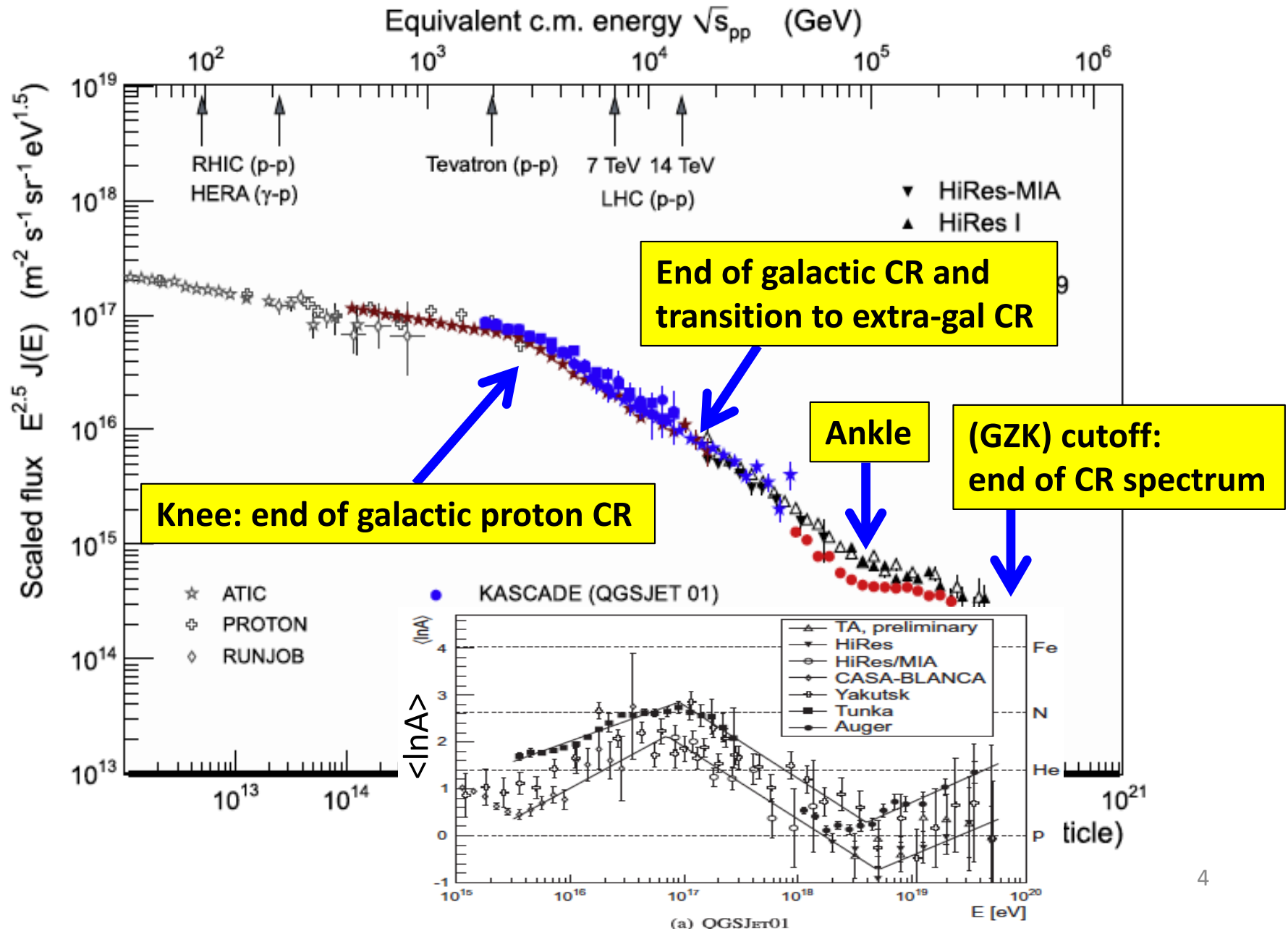


(D'Enterria et al., APP, 35,98-113, 2011)

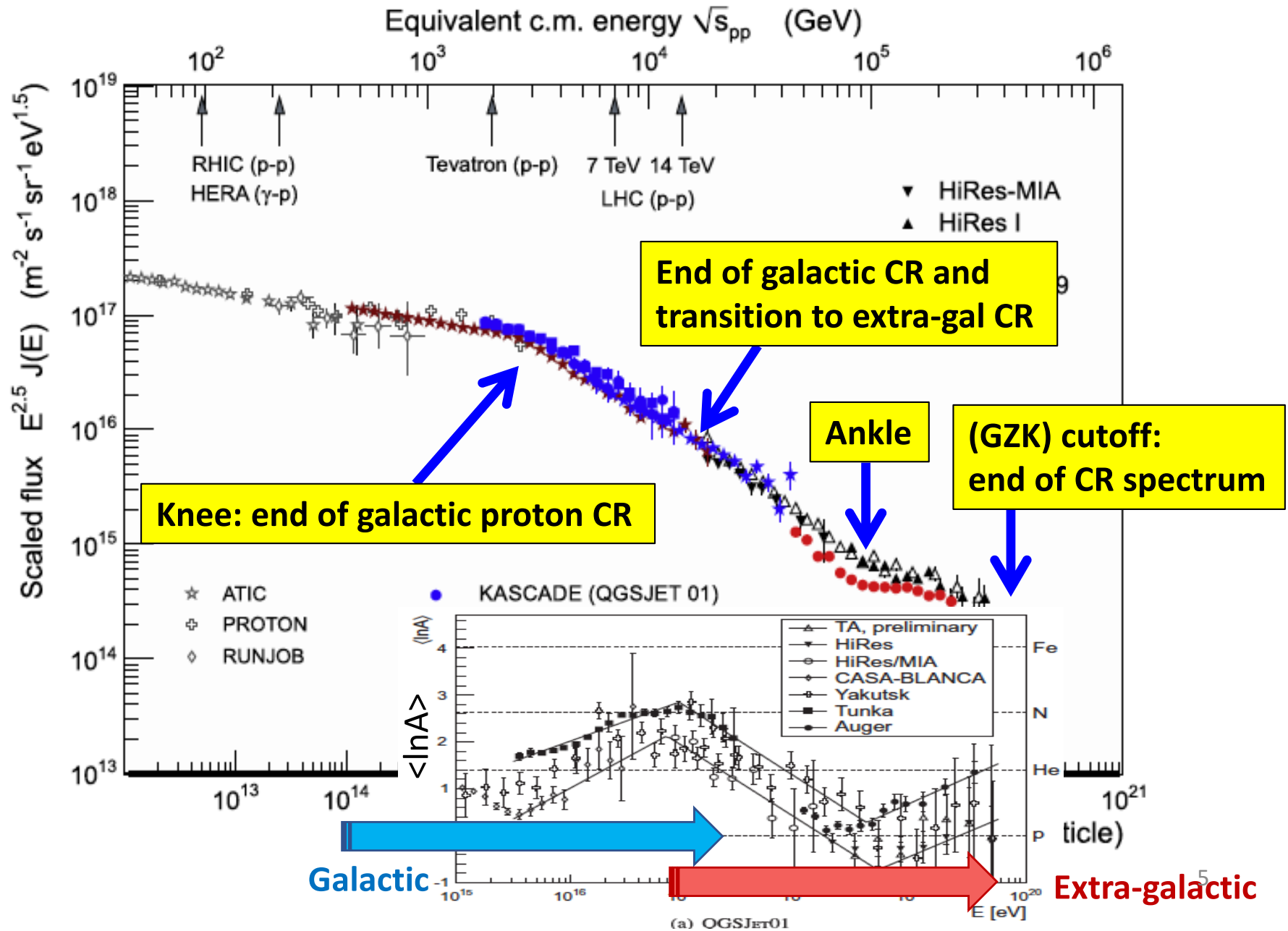
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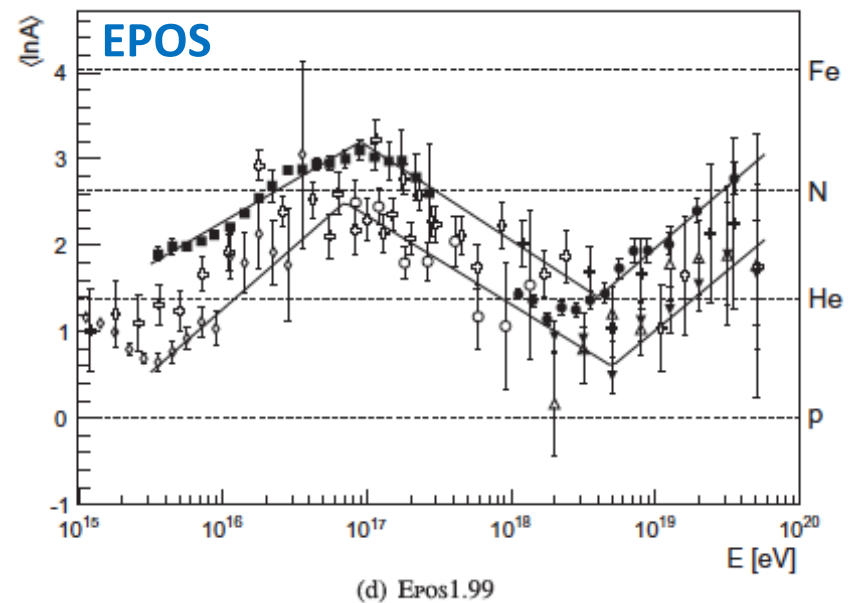
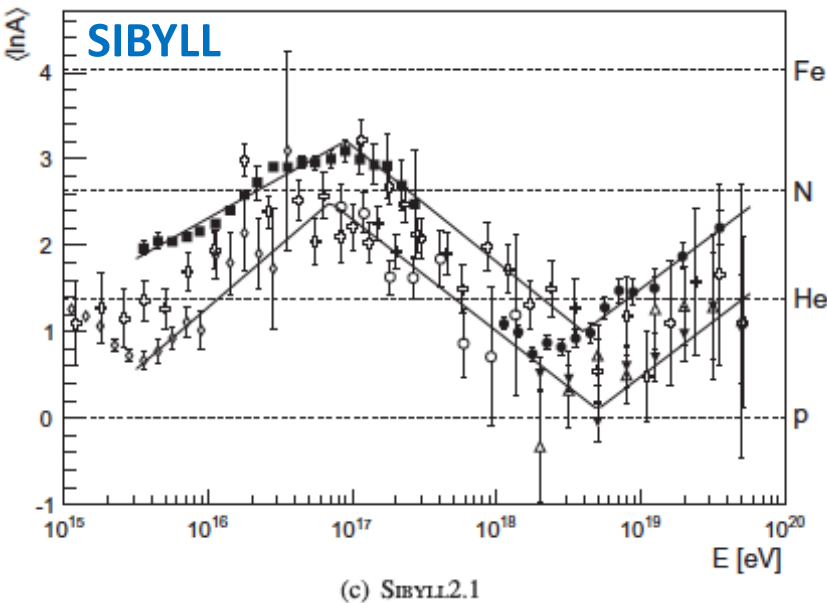
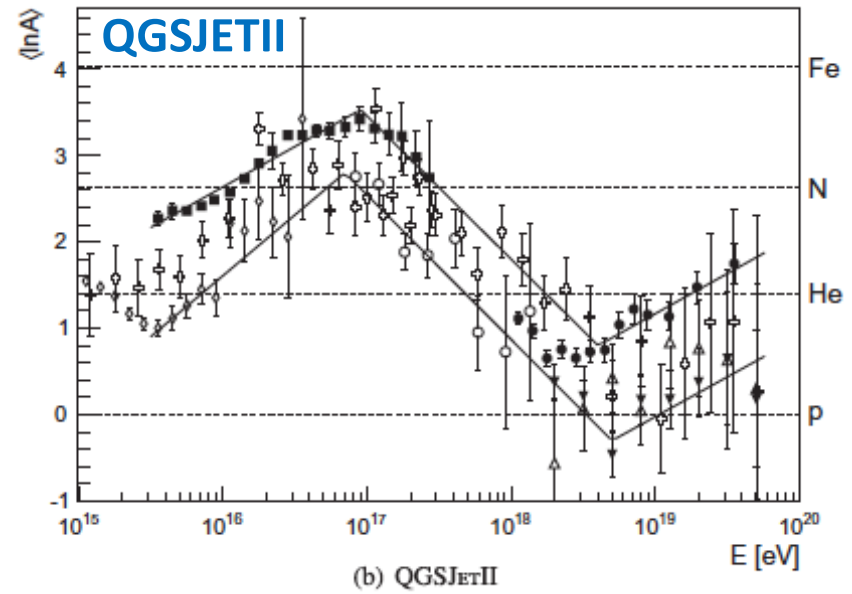
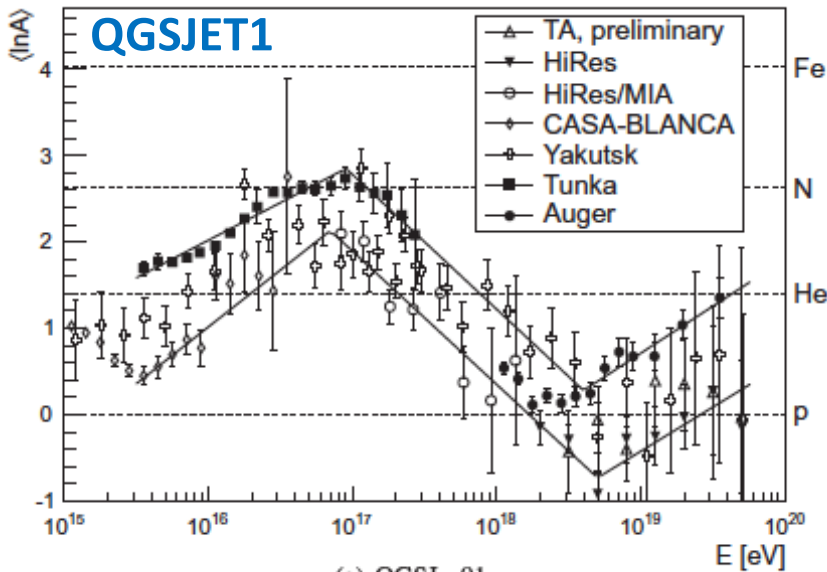


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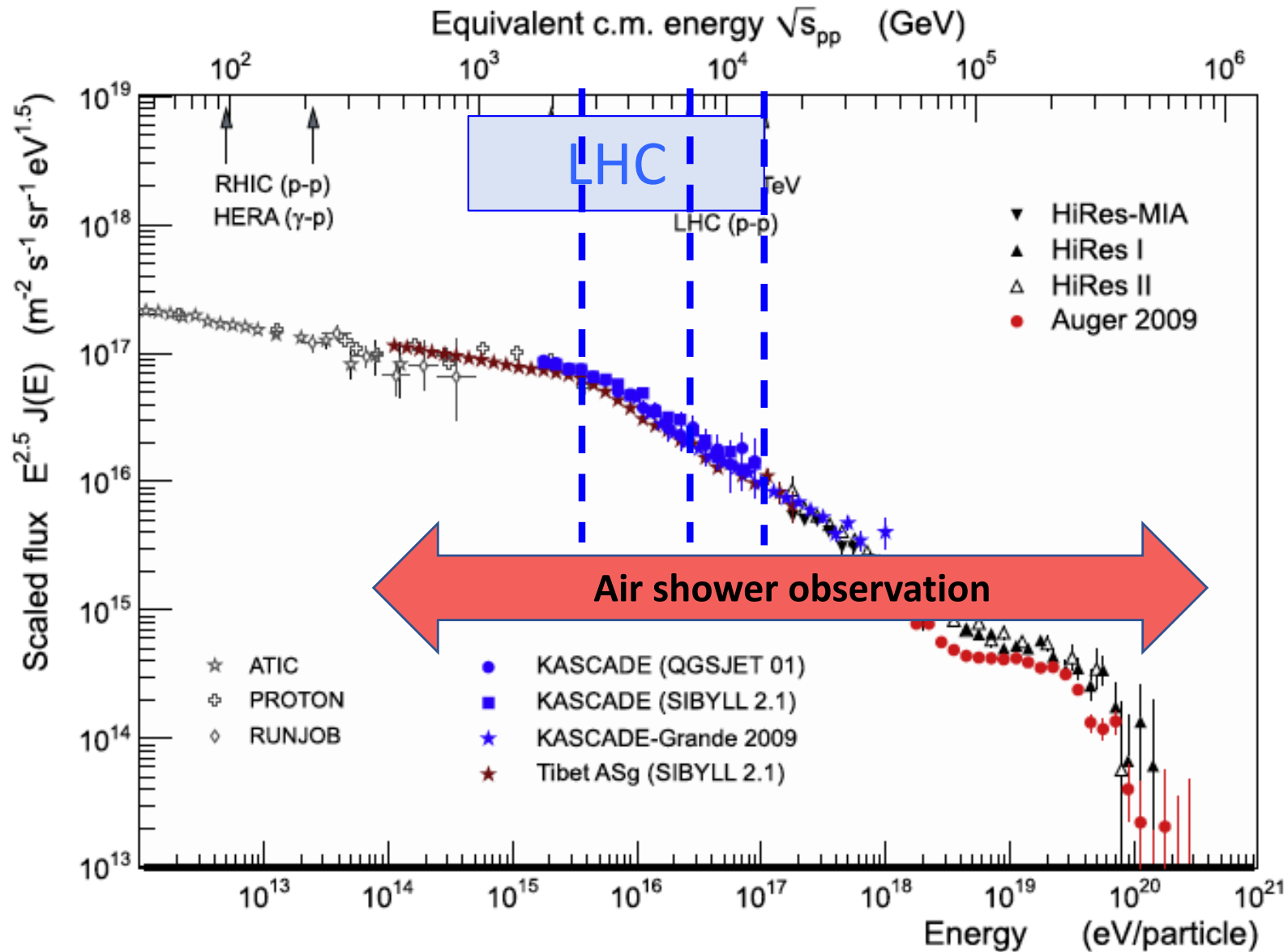




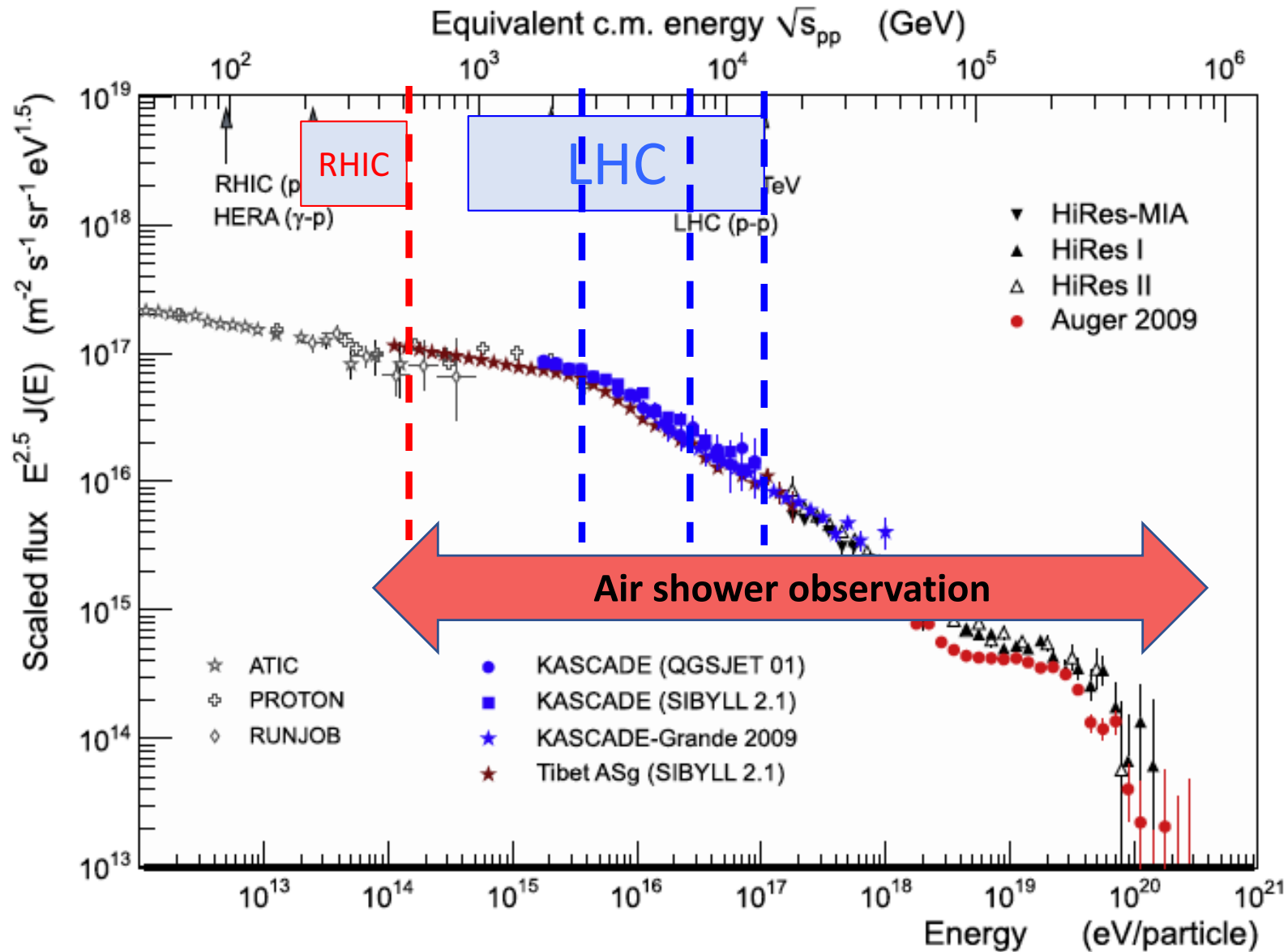
(Kampert and Unger, Astropart. Phys., 2012)

Interpretation depends on the hadronic interaction model because high-energy CRs are observed through atmospheric air showers

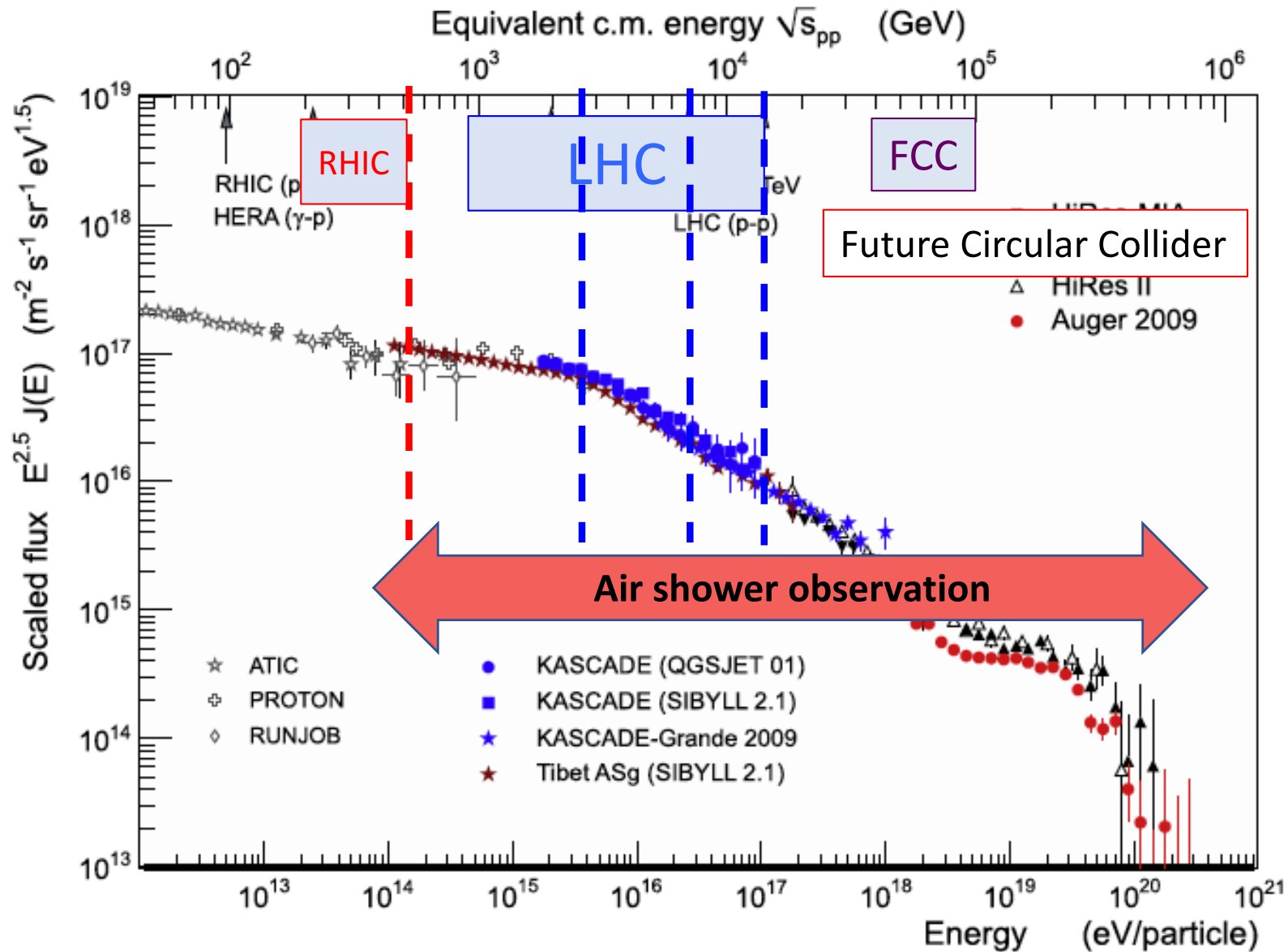
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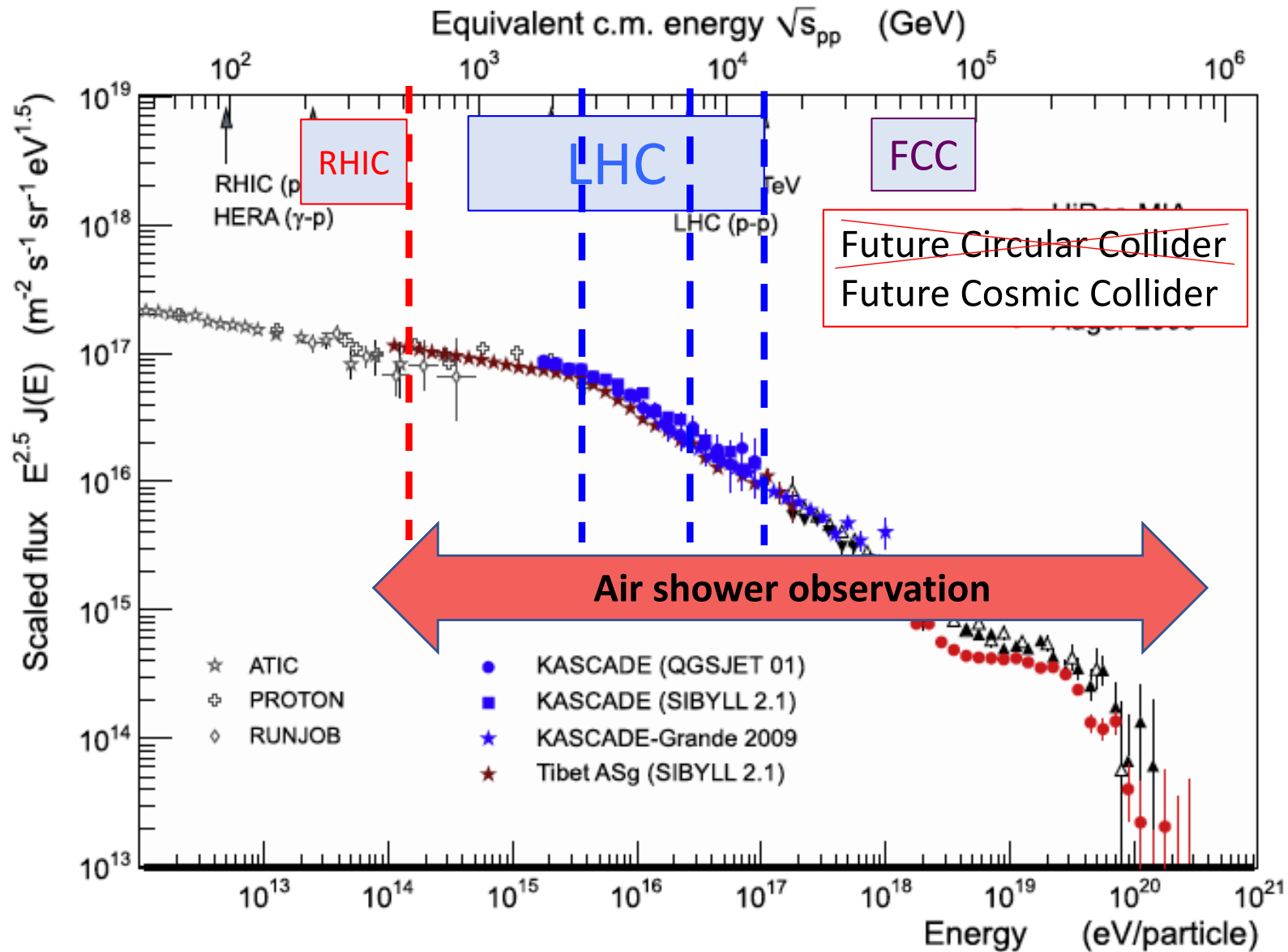
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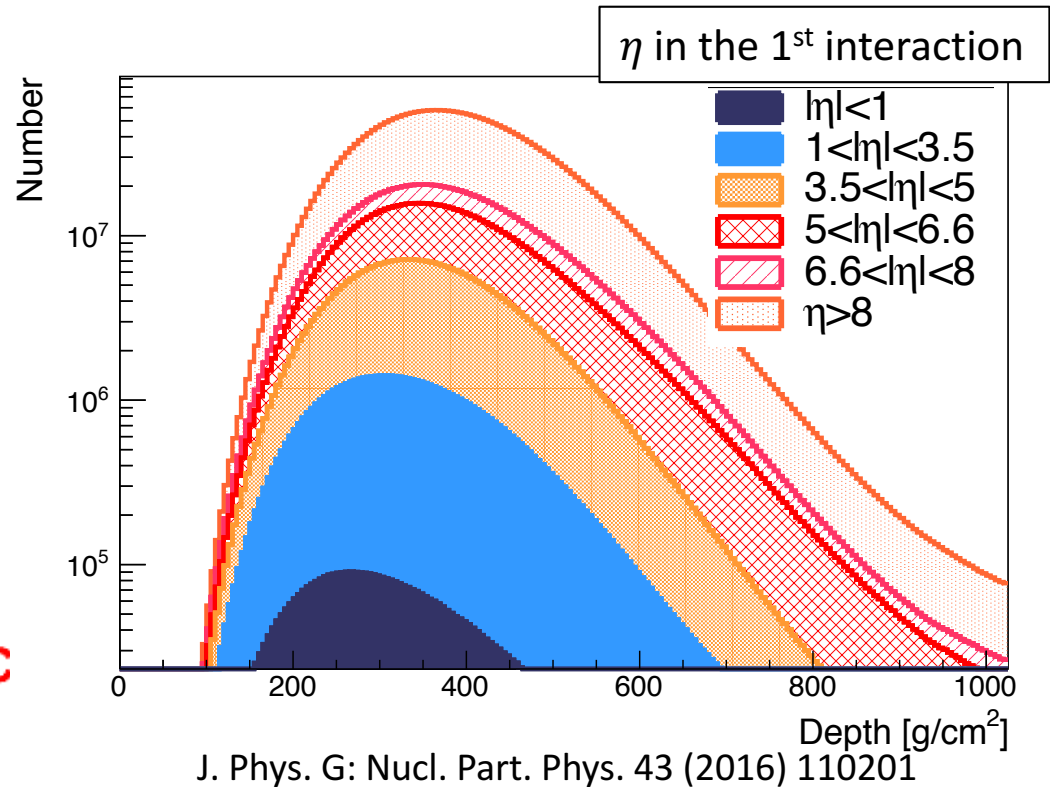
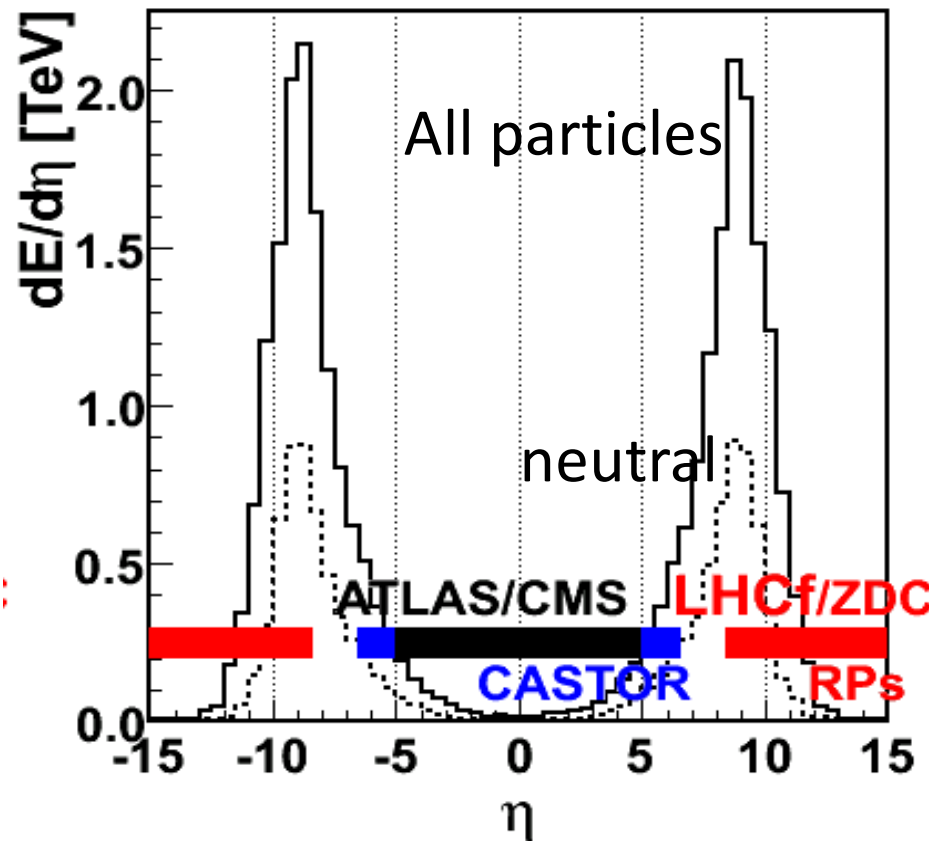


2^{ry} energy flow & air shower

$\sqrt{s}=14\text{TeV}$ p-p collision = 10^{17}eV proton hitting a proton at rest

10^{17}eV proton shower

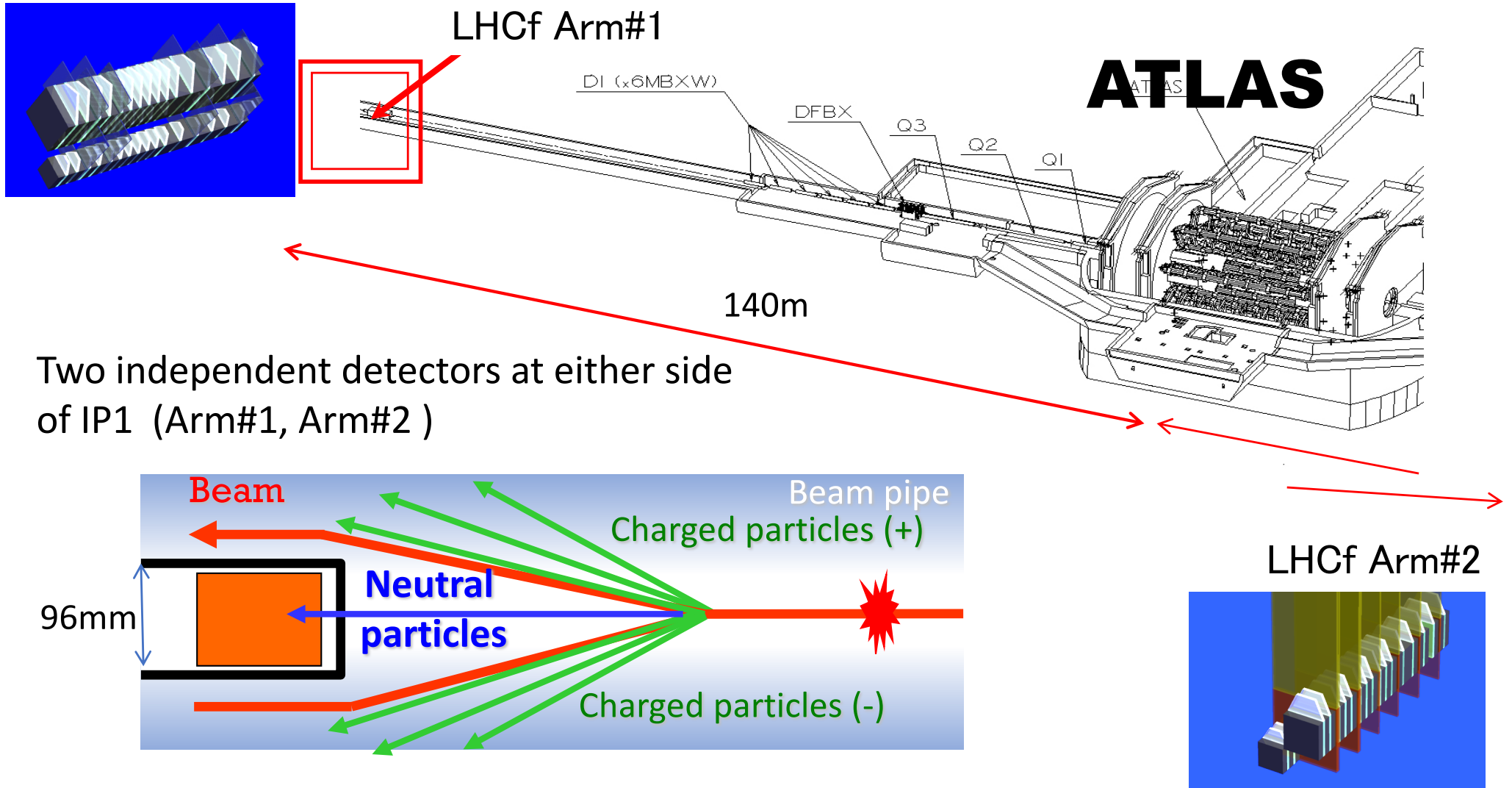
Energy Flux @ $\sqrt{s}=14\text{TeV}$ p-p



$\eta=8 \Rightarrow \theta \sim 1\text{mrad (CMS)}$

- ✓ Energy flow peaks out of the general purpose central detectors
- ✓ Air shower structure is determined by the forward particles in the first interaction
- ✓ LHCf covers near the peak of energy flow

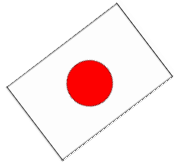
The LHC forward experiment



- ✓ All charged particles are swept by dipole magnet
- ✓ Neutral particles (photons and neutrons) arrive at LHCf
- ✓ $\eta > 8.4$ (to infinity) is covered

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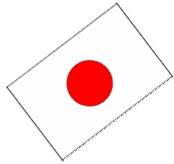
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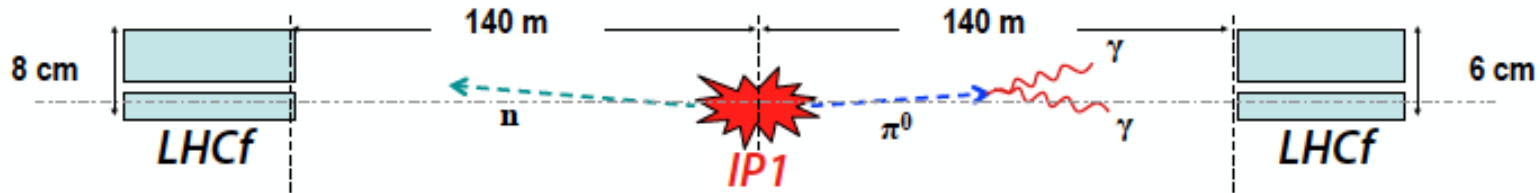
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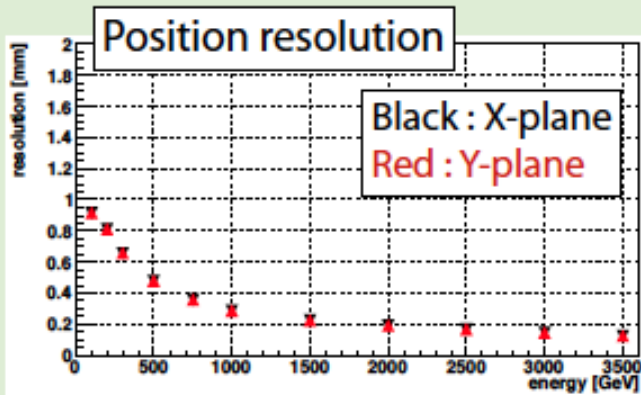
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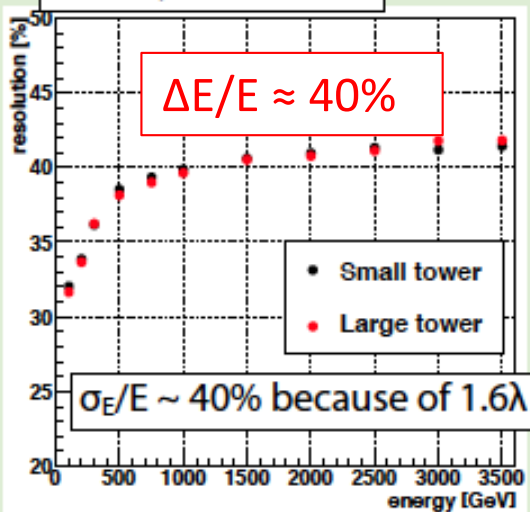
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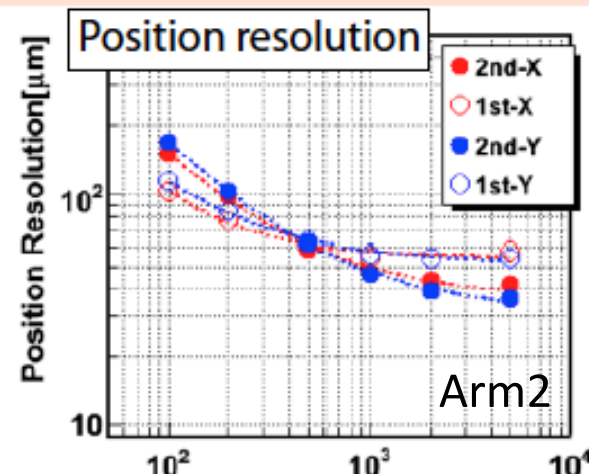
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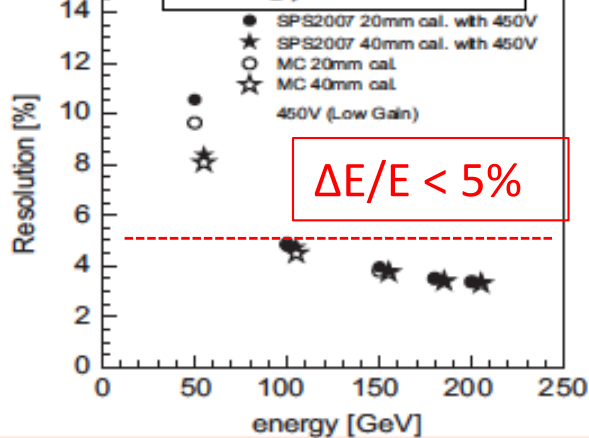
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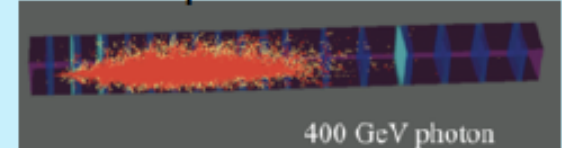
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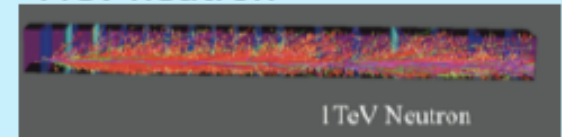
Energy resolution



PID technique 400GeV photon

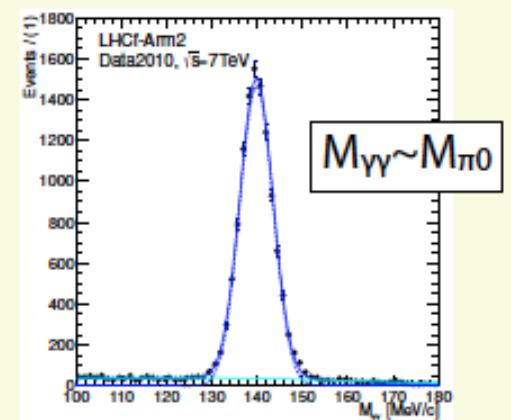


1TeV neutron



Identification of incoming particle by shower shape

π^0 reconstruction



LHCf History

- ✓ 2004 LOI submitted to CERN
- ✓ 2006 TDR approved by CERN
- ✓ 2009 First data taking at $\sqrt{s}=900\text{GeV p-p}$ collision
- ✓ 2010 $\sqrt{s}=7\text{TeV p-p}$ collision
- ✓ 2013 $\sqrt{s}=2.76\text{TeV p-p}$ & $\sqrt{s_{NN}}=5\text{TeV p-Pb}$ collisions
- ✓ 2015 $\sqrt{s}=13\text{TeV p-p}$ collision
- ✓ 2016 $\sqrt{s_{NN}}=8.1\text{TeV p-Pb}$ collision
- ✓ (2017 $\sqrt{s}=510\text{GeV p-p}$ collision as RHICf)

13TeV operation in June 2015

LHC Page1 Fill: 3855 E: 450 GeV 12-06-15 20:29:40

PROTON PHYSICS: INJECTION PHYSICS BEAM

BCT TI2: 0.00e+00 **I(B1):** 2.05e+12 **BCT TI8:** 0.00e+00 **I(B2):** 1.55e+12

TED TI2 position:	BEAM	TDI P2 gaps/mm	up: 9.95	down: 10.94
TED TI8 position:	BEAM	TDI P8 gaps/mm	up: 8.27	down: 7.90

FBCT Intensity and Beam Energy Updated: 20:29:40

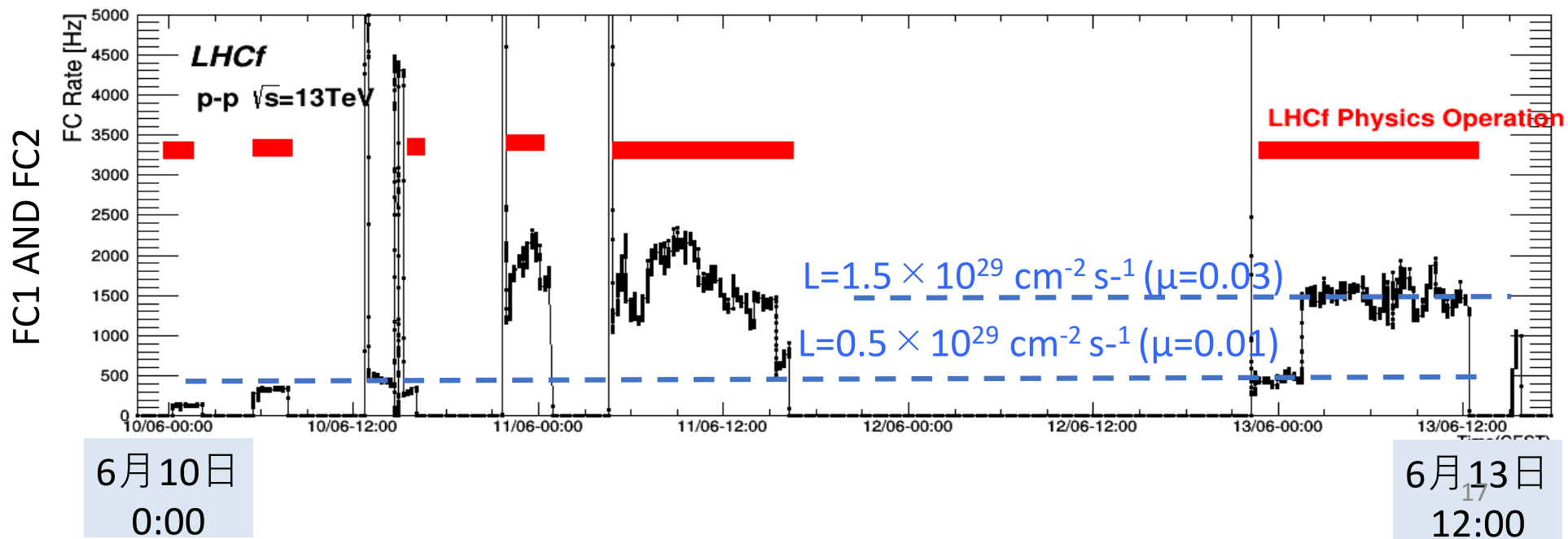
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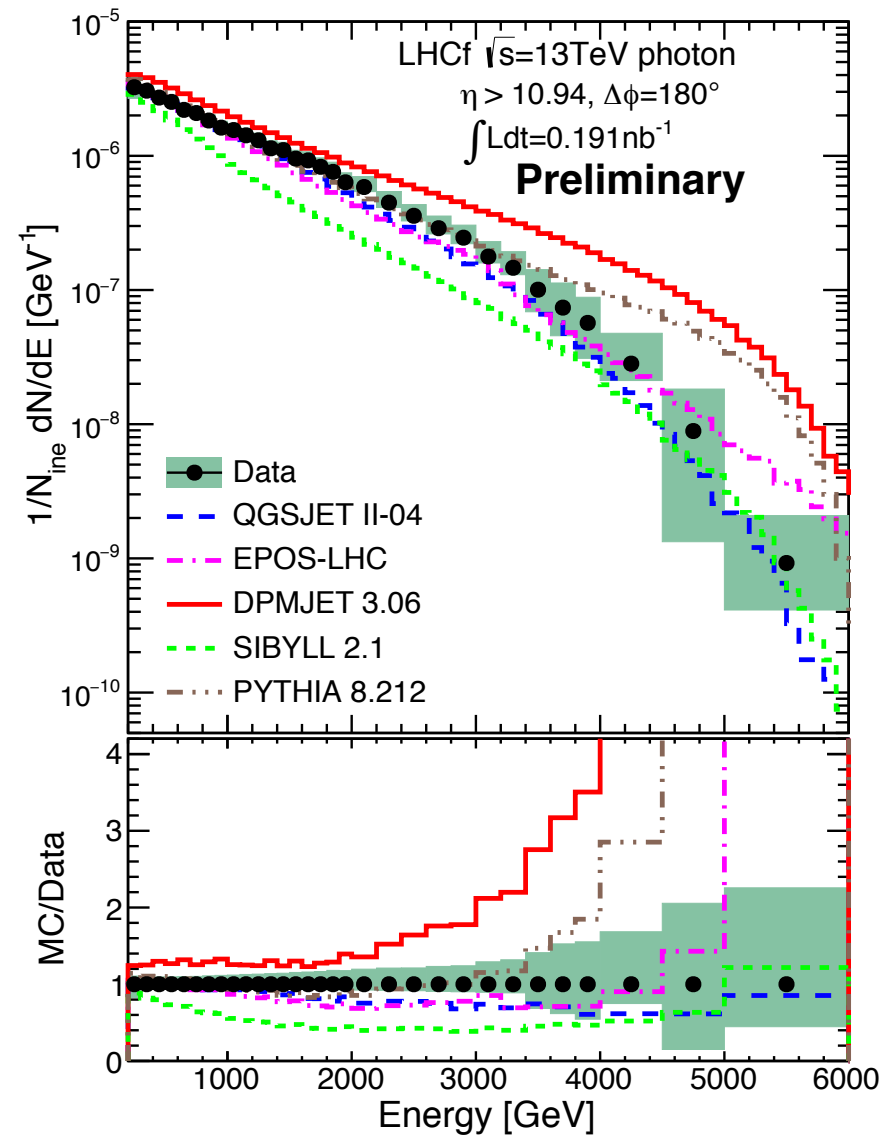
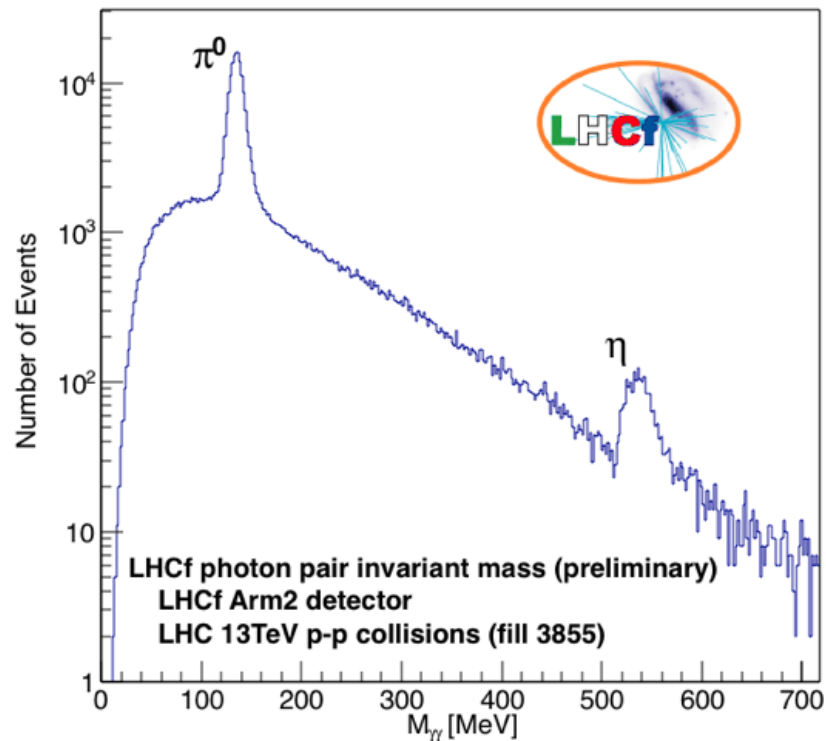
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Fill for LHCf physics

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13TeV operation in June 2015



Analyses

Covered today

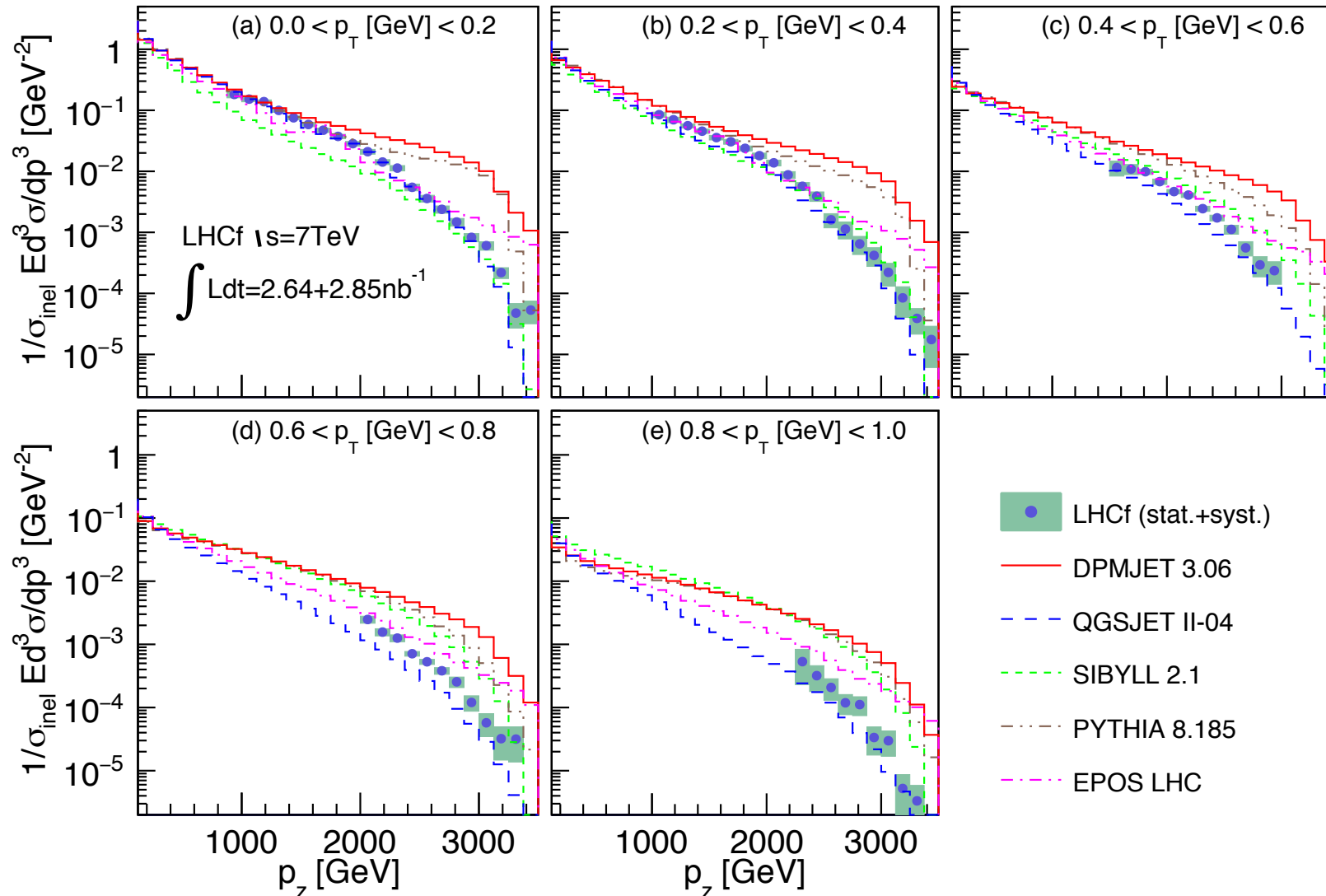
- π^0 cross section at 7TeV, comparison with models
- Neutron cross section at 7TeV, comparison with models
- ATLAS-LHCf joint analysis (MC study)
- \sqrt{s} scaling

Not covered today (see publication list in backup)

- Photon cross sections at 0.9, 7TeV and 13TeV
- π^0 cross section and nuclear effect in 5.02TeV p-Pb collisions

π^0 p_z spectra in 7TeV p-p collisions

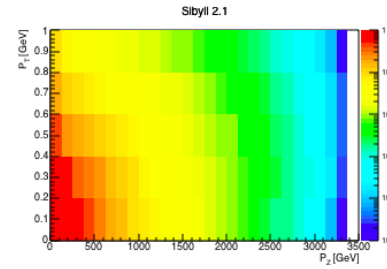
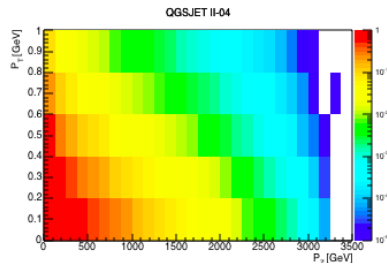
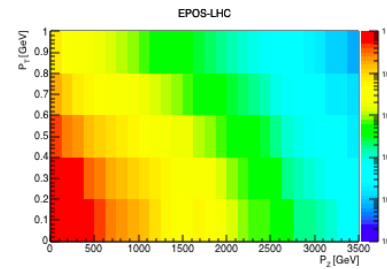
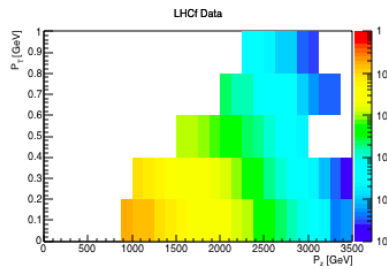
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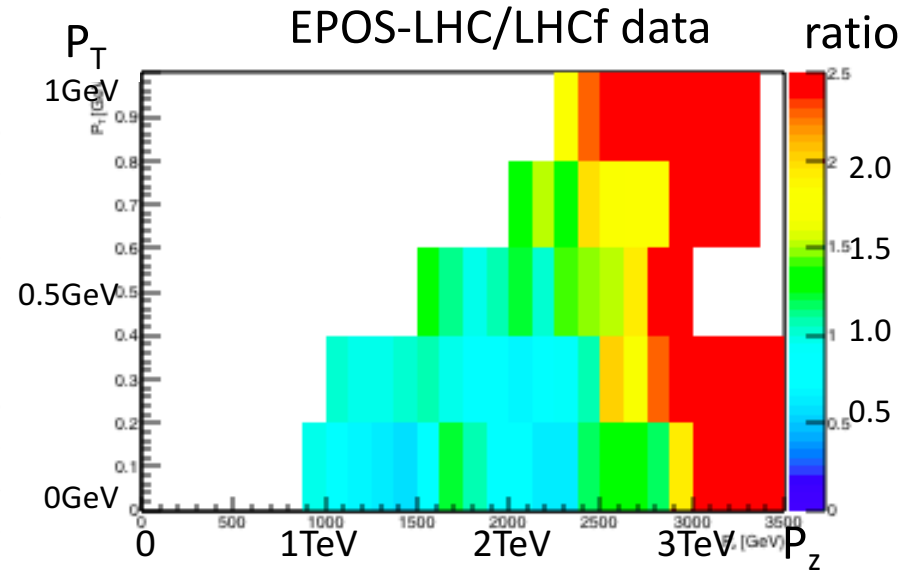
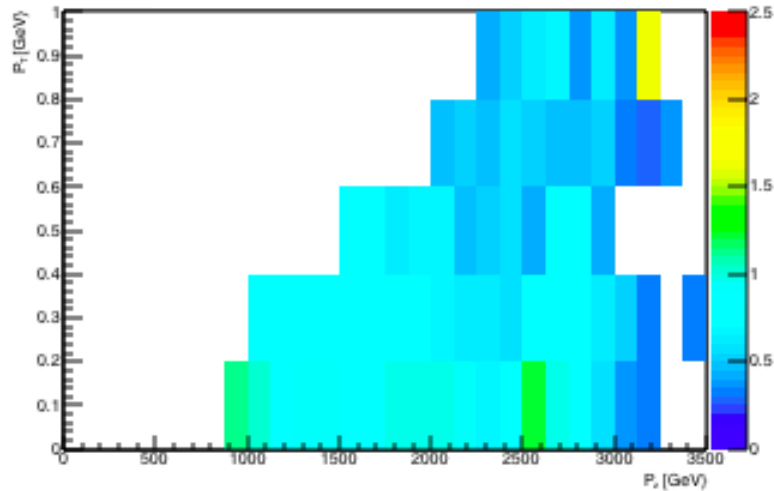
✓ **DPMJET3** and **PYTHIA8** overestimate over all E- p_T range

π^0 in 7TeV p-p collision

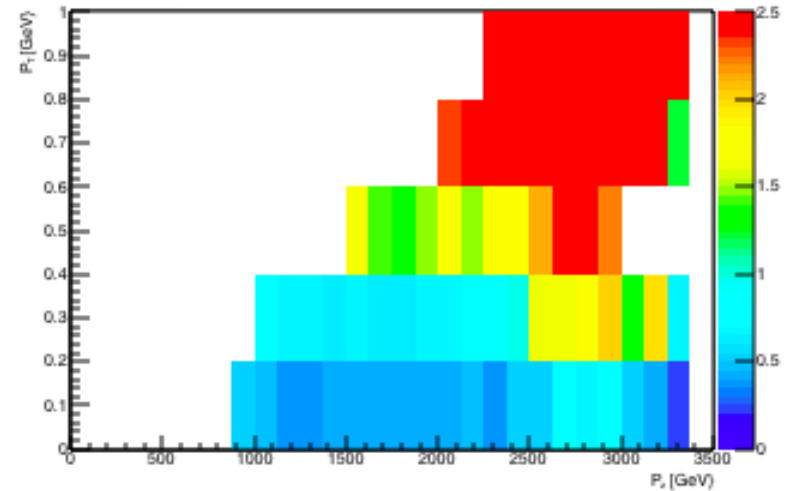
LHCf and models (ratio to data)



QGSJET II-04/LHCf data

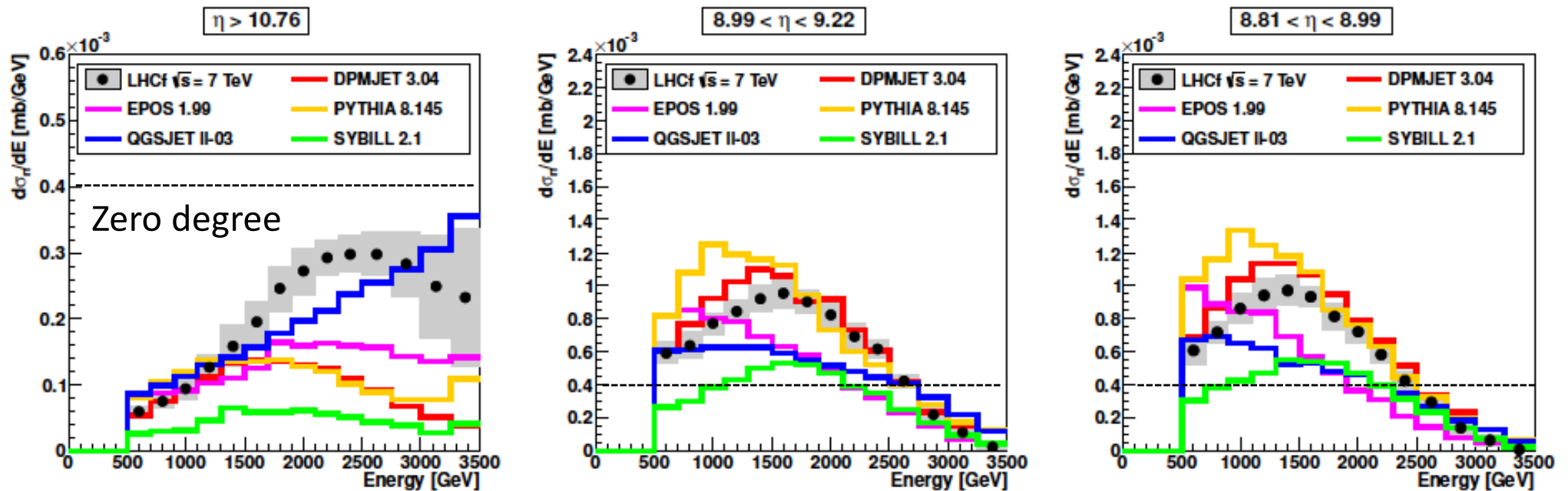


SIBYLL 2.1/LHCf data



Neutrons in 7TeV p-p collision

($\sqrt{s}=7\text{TeV}$ p-p ; PLB 750 (2015) 360-366)

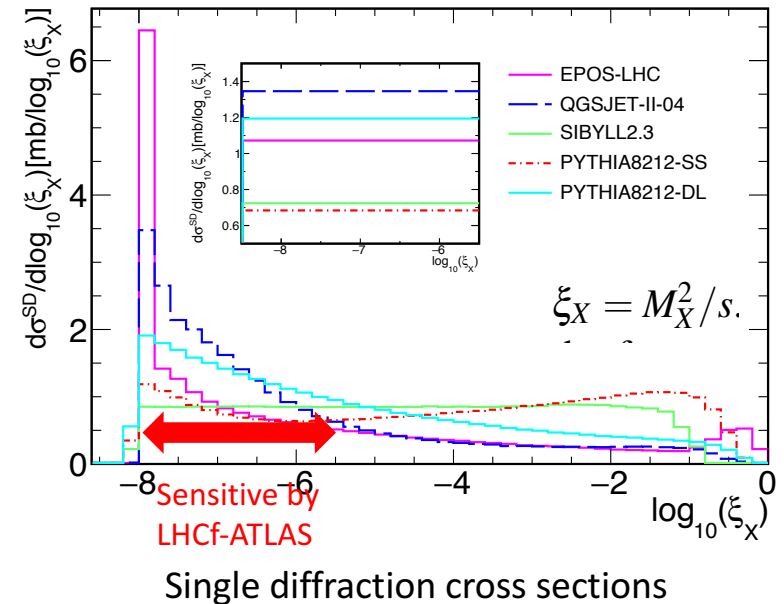
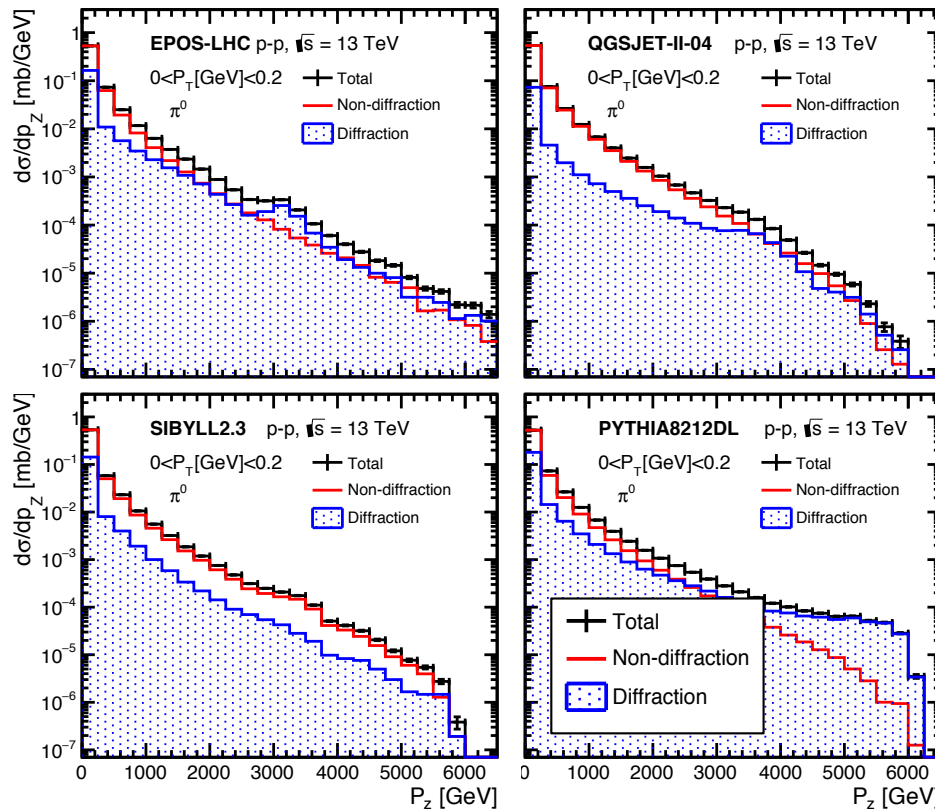
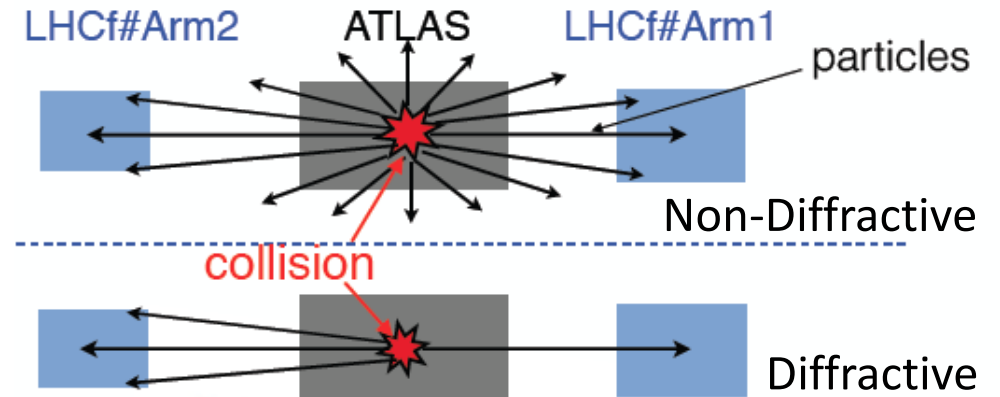


(~10% of other neutral hadrons at 140m are included both in data and MC)

- ✓ Only **QGSJET II** explains the characteristic peak near zero degree
- ✓ **DPM** and **PYTHIA** under production at zero degree
- ✓ **DPM** and **PYTHIA** not bad at off-zero degree. **DPM** is best.

Origin of difference

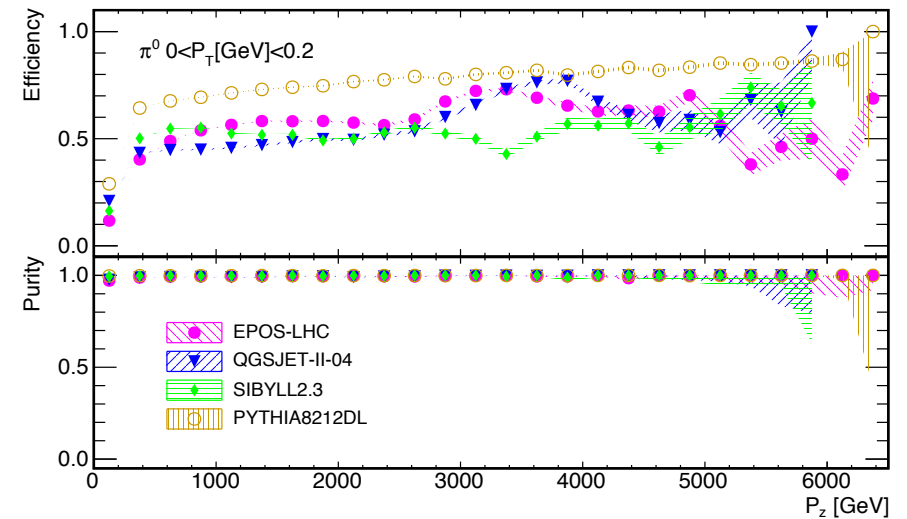
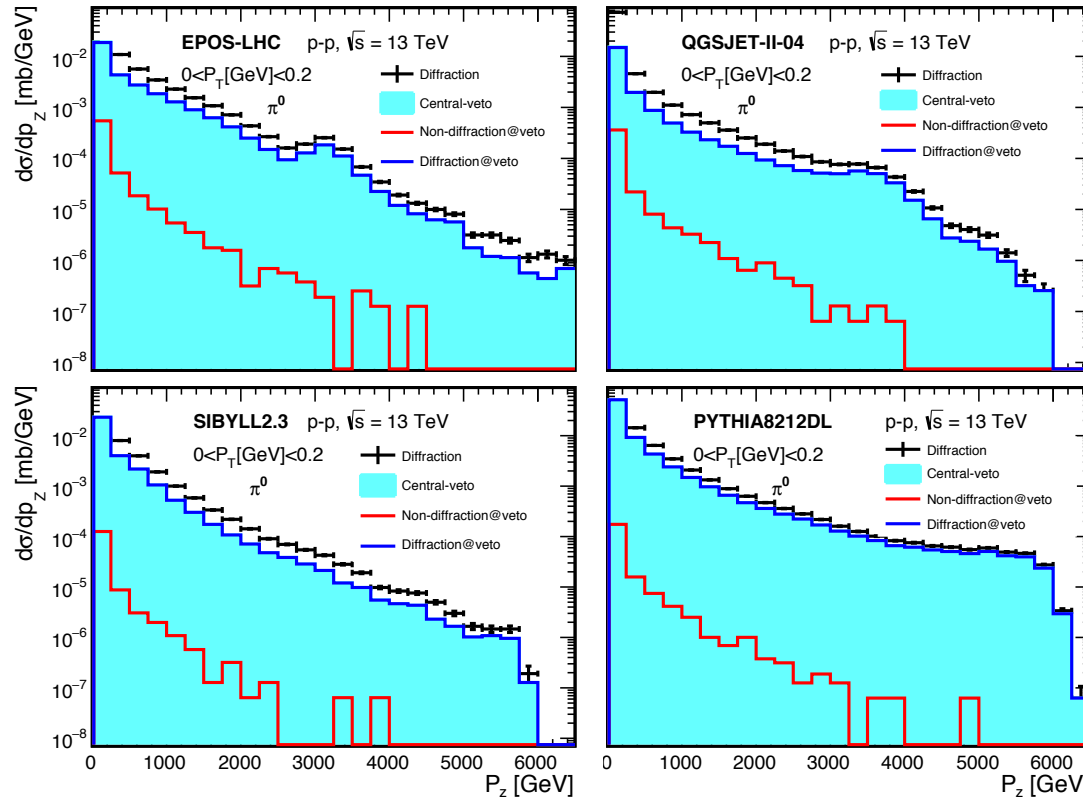
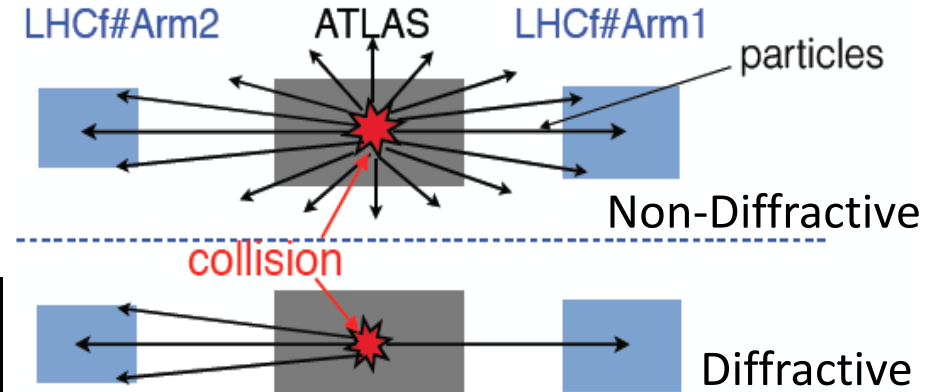
(Zhou et al., submitted to EPJC, arXiv:1611.07483)



- ✓ ~half of LHCf detected particles are produced in diffractive dissociation
- ✓ Fraction and shape of diffraction/non-diffractive are model dependent
- ✓ By classifying LHCf events with ATLAS track information, LHCf can select pure diffractive samples in never explored mass range (ξ_X)

Tagging by ATLAS

(no track in ATLAS=diffraction-like)

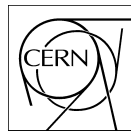
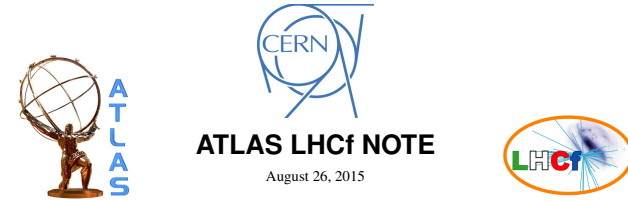


Diffraction selection efficiency and purity

- +— Diffraction
- Central-veto
- Non-diffraction@veto
- Diffraction@veto

- ✓ ATLAS track information will be useful to tag diffractive events
- ✓ Common data taking was done in 13TeV p-p operation

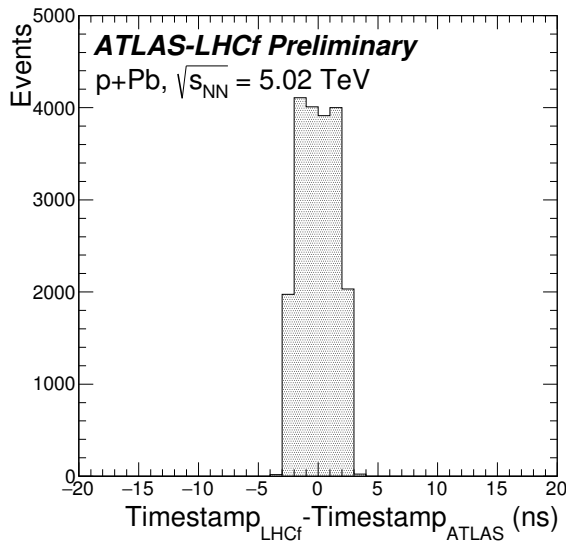
Technical feasibility of ATLAS-LHCf analysis



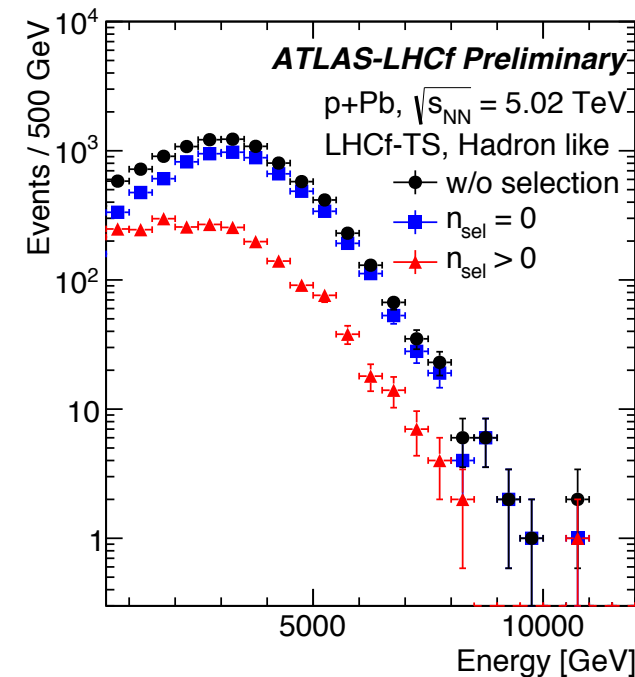
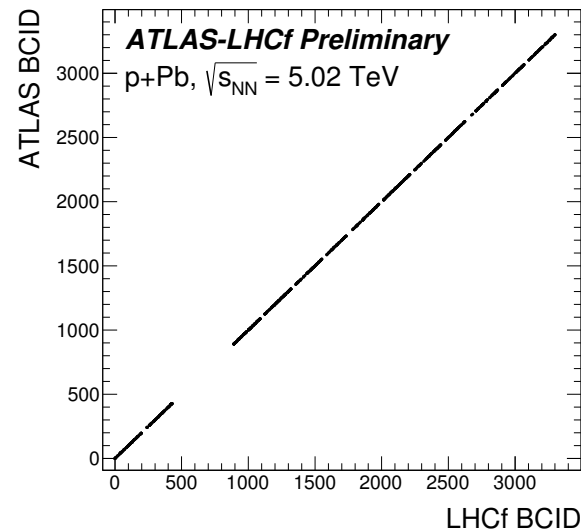
ATL-PHYS-PUB-2015-038
30 August 2015

Classification of Events in the Combined ATLAS-LHCf Data Recorded During the p +Pb Collisions at $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 5.02$ TeV

The ATLAS and the LHCf Collaborations



Timing and bunch ID matching

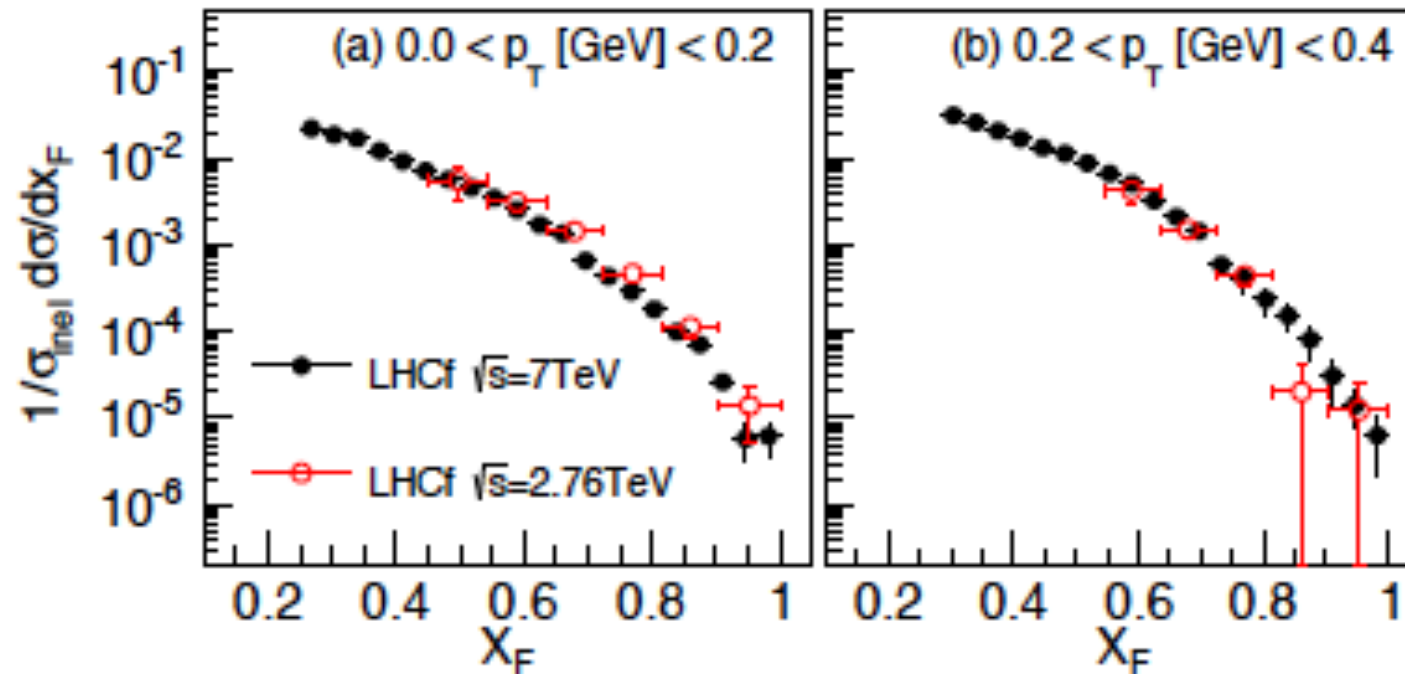
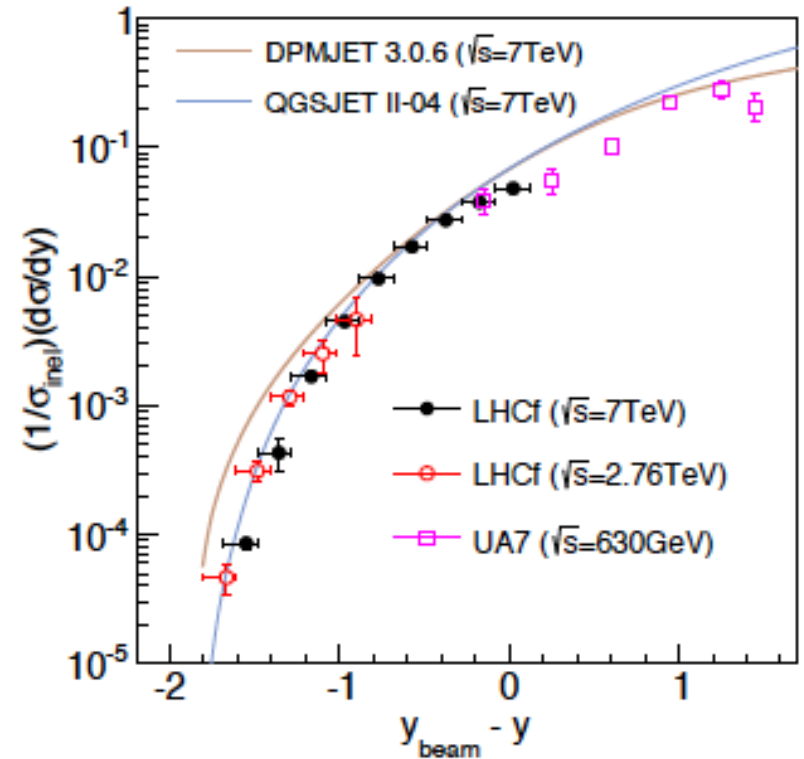


hadron spectrum@ 0 degree
(folded energy)

- ✓ Common Event ID was already tested using 5TeV p -Pb collision data in 2013
- ✓ HE neutrons with $n_{sel}=0$ are produced in the Ultra-Peripheral Collisions

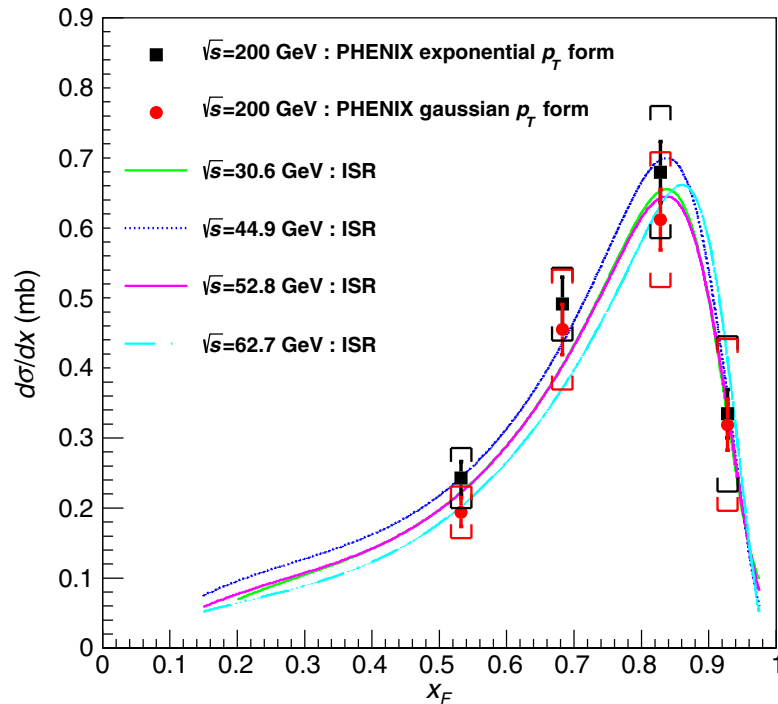
\sqrt{s} scaling ; π^0

- ✓ Scaling is essential to extrapolate beyond LHC
- ✓ (630GeV –) 2.76TeV – 7TeV
good scaling within uncertainties
- ✓ Wider coverage in y and p_T with 13TeV data
- ✓ Wider \sqrt{s} coverage with RHICf experiment in 2017 at $\sqrt{s}=510\text{GeV}$



Feynman x ;
 $x_F = 2p_z/\sqrt{s}$

\sqrt{s} scaling; Neutron @ zero degree

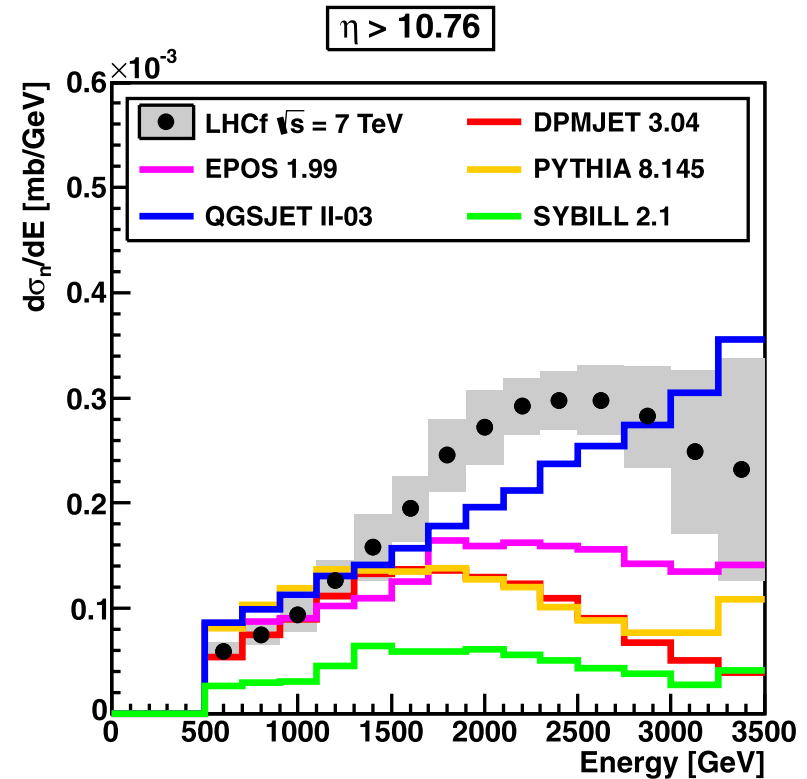


PHENIX, PRD, 88, 032006 (2013)

$p_T < 0.11 x_F$ GeV/c

$\sqrt{s} = 30-60$ GeV @ISR

$\sqrt{s} = 200$ GeV @RHIC



LHCf

$p_T < 0.15 x_F$ GeV/c

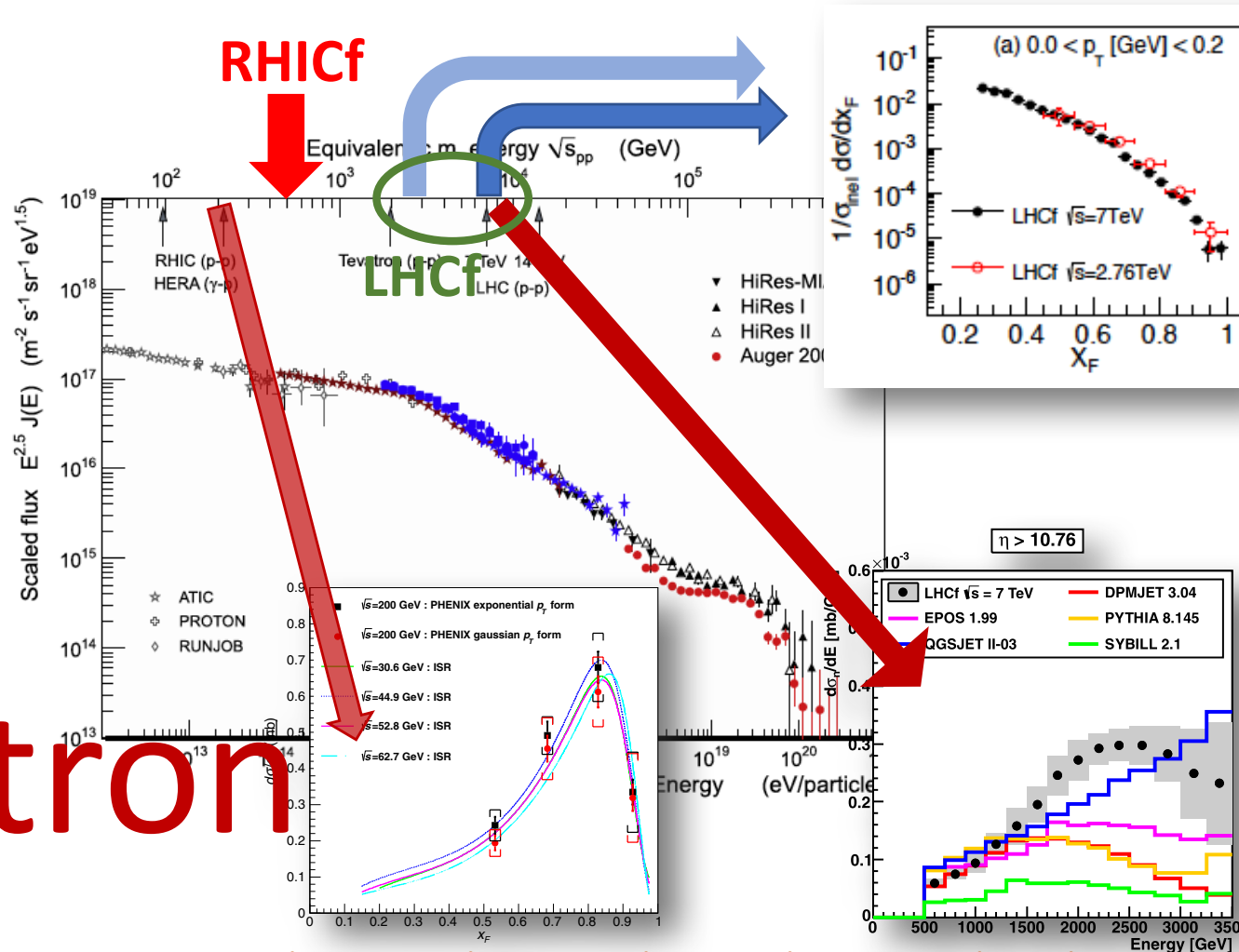
$\sqrt{s} = 7000$ GeV @LHC

- ✓ PHENIX explains the result by 1 pion exchange
- ✓ More complicated exchanges at >TeV?
- ✓ LHCf data at 900GeV, 2.76TeV to be analyzed
- ✓ RHICf data at 510GeV will be added in 2017

Feynman scaling, or breaking?

LHCf 2.76TeV and 7TeV data shows Feynman scaling of forward π^0

π^0

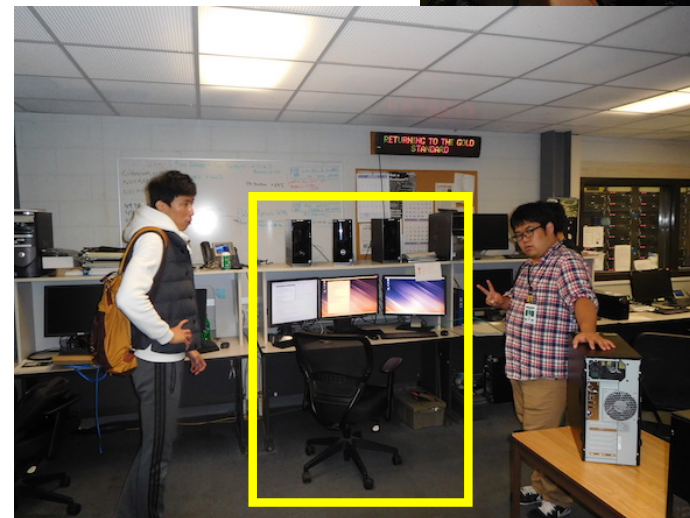
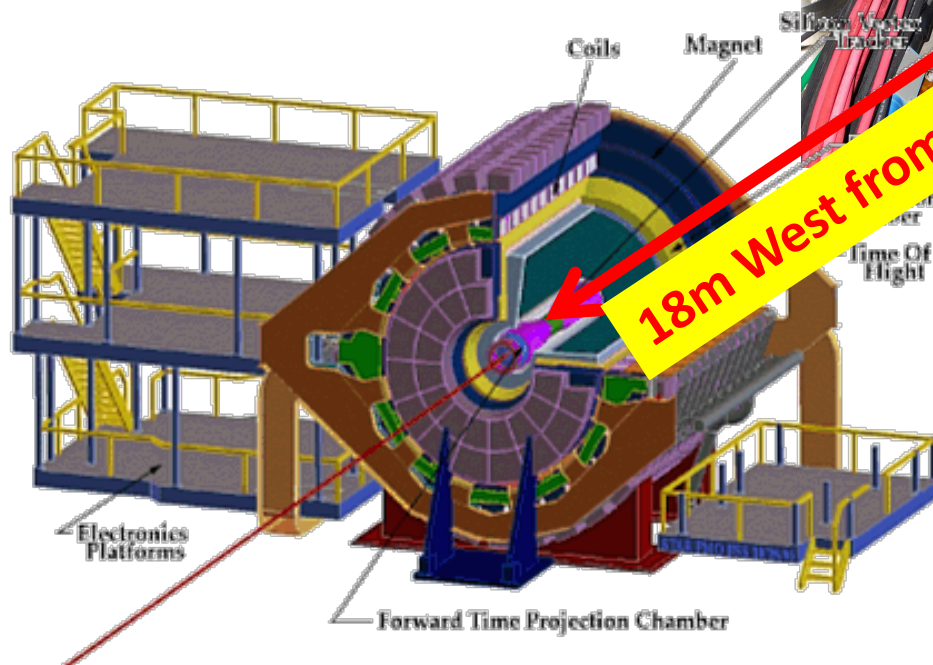
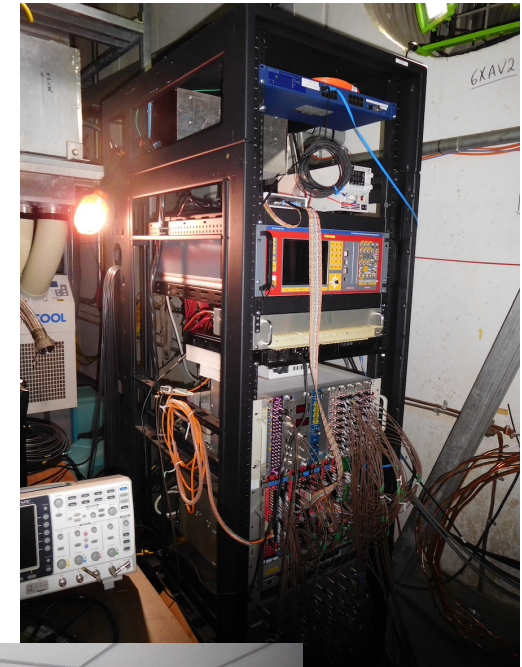
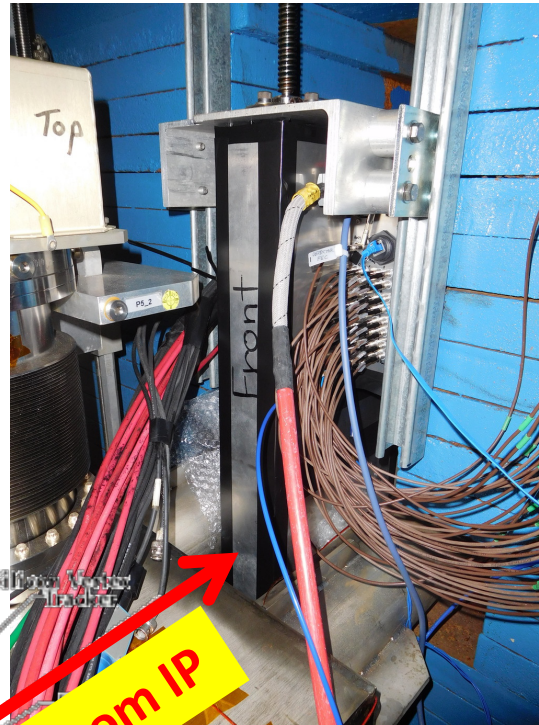


neutron

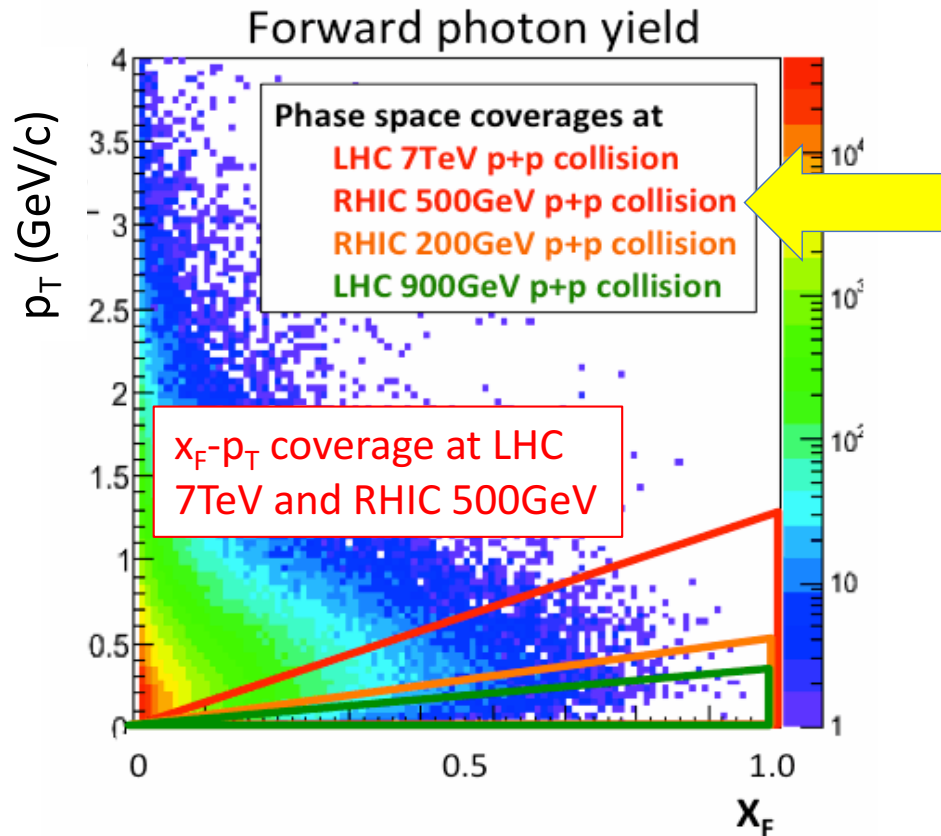
ISR (30-60GeV), PHENIX (200GeV) and LHCf (7TeV) data indicate Feynman scaling *braking* of forward neutrons

RHICf Installation @STAR interaction point

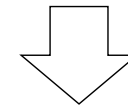
LHCf Arm1 detector, = RHICf, has been transported to BNL in May 2016 and installed in the STAR site in November.



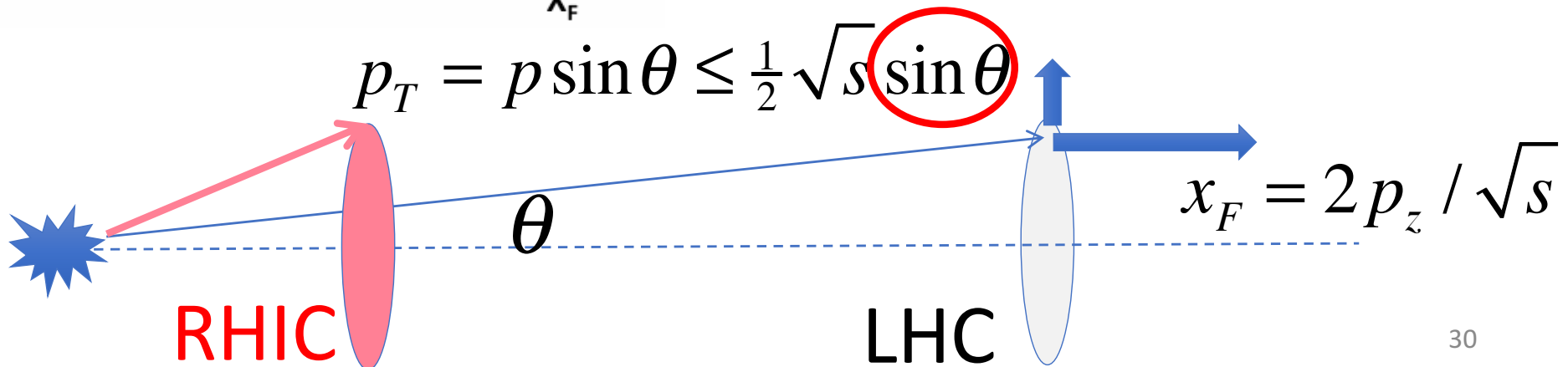
Why not LHC 900GeV?



- ✓ Wide x_F - p_T coverage is desired
- ✓ Maximum p_T coverage is proportional to θ s

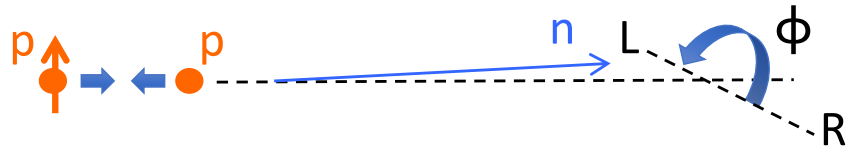


- ✓ RHIC allows larger θ with smaller \sqrt{s}
- ✓ x_F - p_T coverage at LHC 7TeV and RHIC 500GeV are almost identical!!

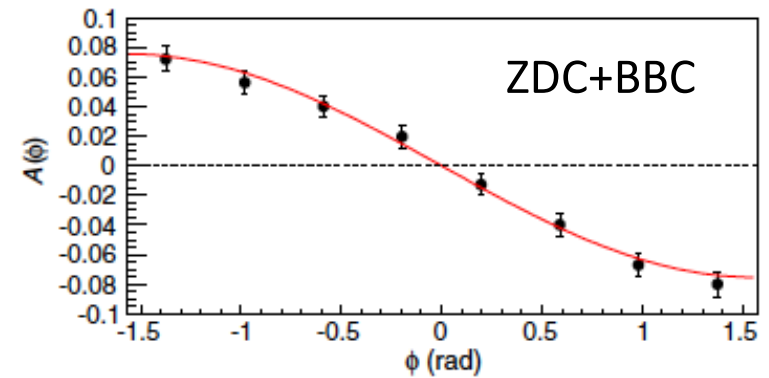
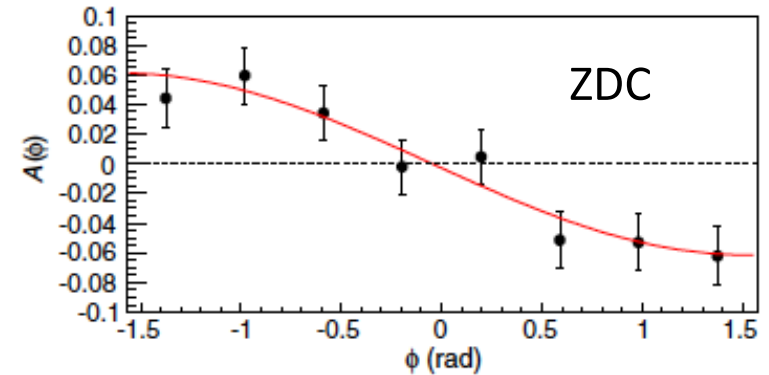
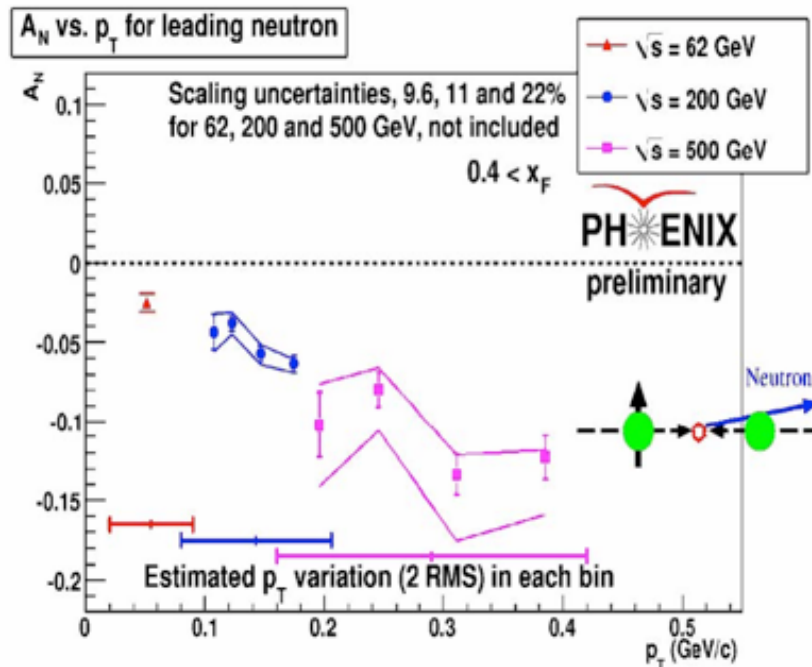


Single-spin asymmetry by PHENIX

(PRD, 88, 032006, 2013)



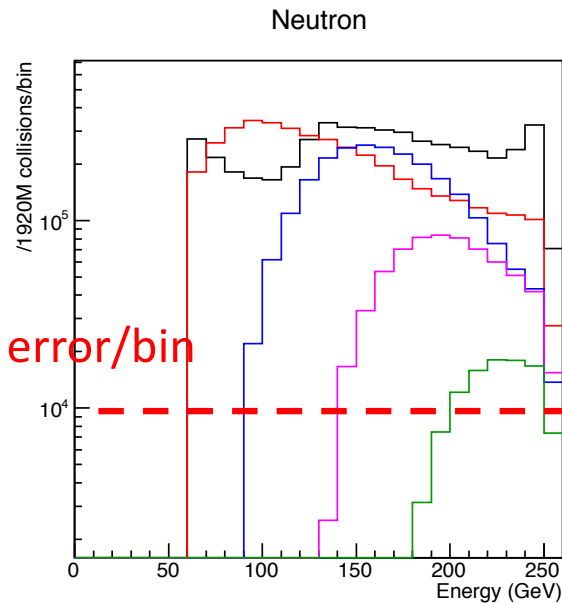
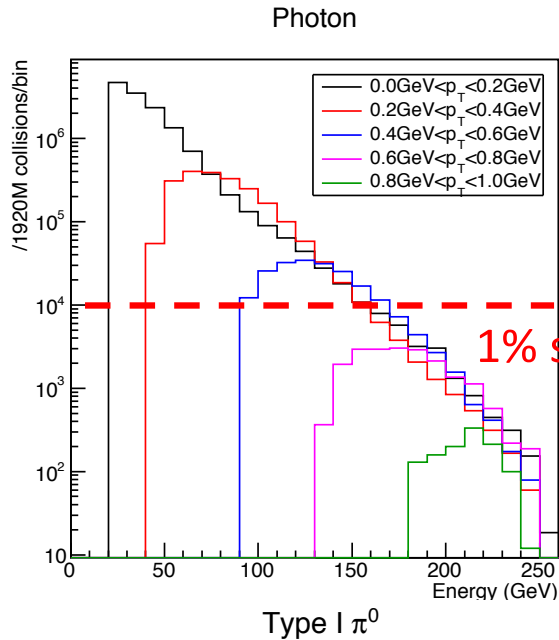
- ✓ strong asymmetry in forward neutrons was discovered at RHIC
- ✓ scaled with p_T at $\sqrt{s} = 62, 200, 500$ GeV?



PHENIX results at 200GeV

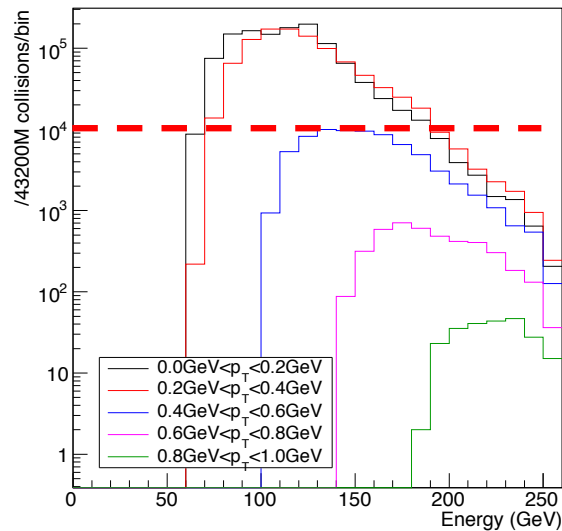
RHICf can cover $p_T < 1$ GeV only with $\sqrt{s} = 510$ GeV operation!

Expected statistics in 12 hours



Neutron SSA

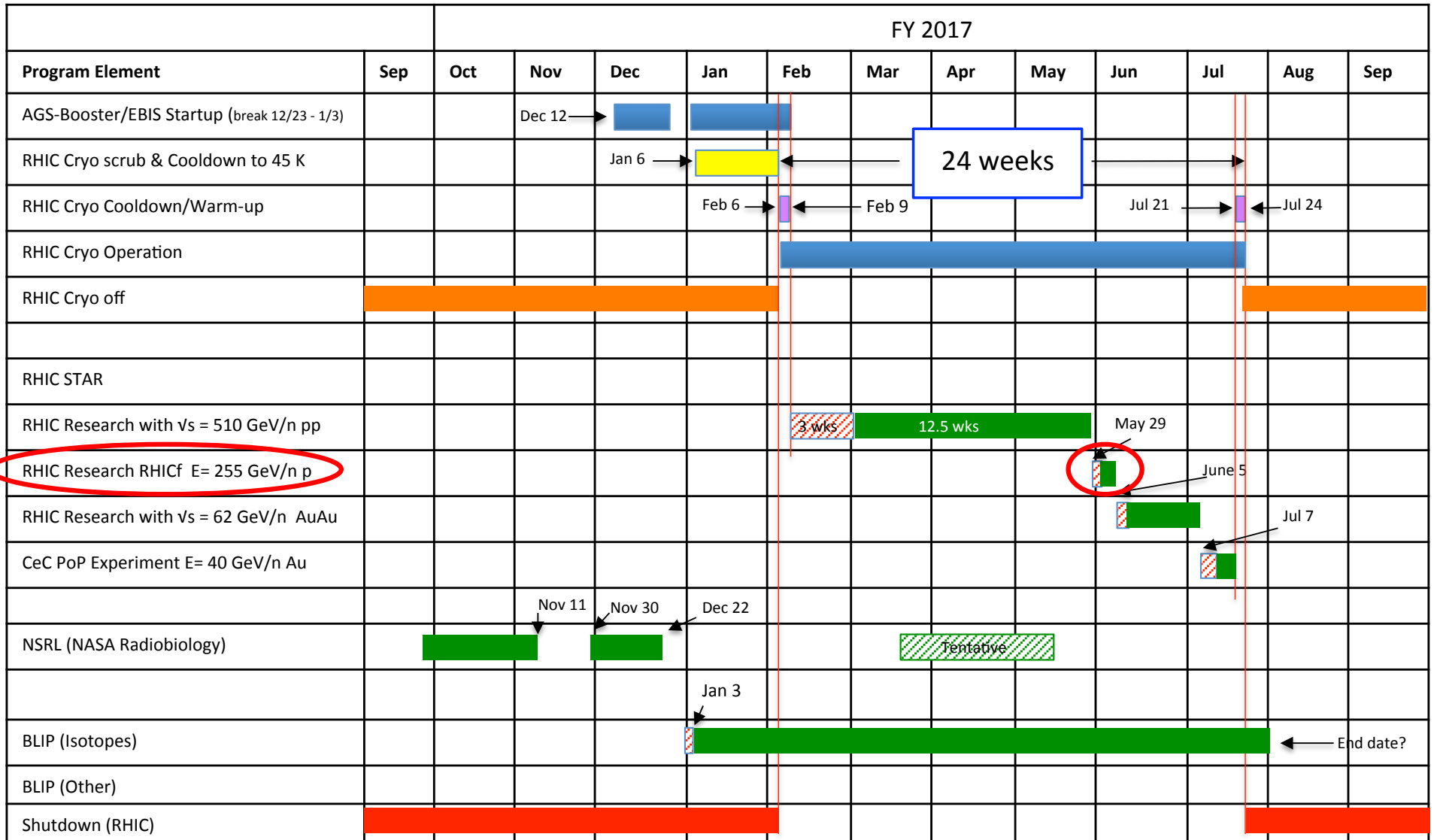
p_T (GeV)	N ($\times 10^3$)	δA
0.0–0.1	2,310	0.0013
0.1–0.2	2,570	0.0012
0.2–0.3	1,710	0.0015
0.3–0.4	2,190	0.0014
0.4–0.5	1,210	0.0018
0.5–0.6	1,130	0.0019
0.6–0.7	402	0.0032
0.7–0.8	260	0.0039
0.8–1.2	104	0.0062



- ✓ Luminosity error will be about 5%
- ✓ Special trigger for high energy EM shower is under preparation
- ✓ STAR will record events according to the RHICf trigger
=> Fruitful possibilities in joint analyses with central detectors, ZDC, roman pots,...

C-A Operations FY17

December 5, 2016



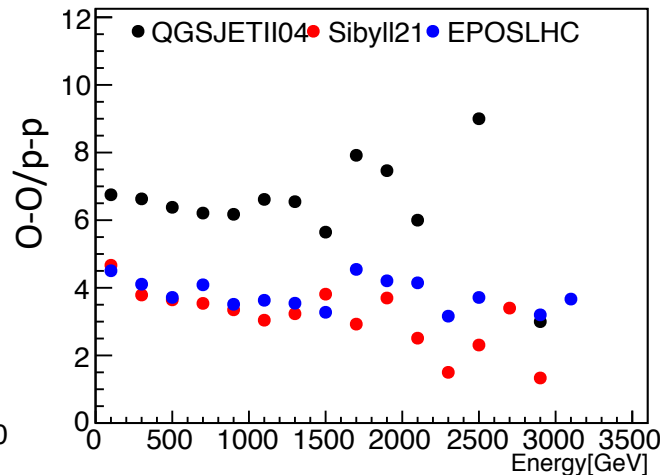
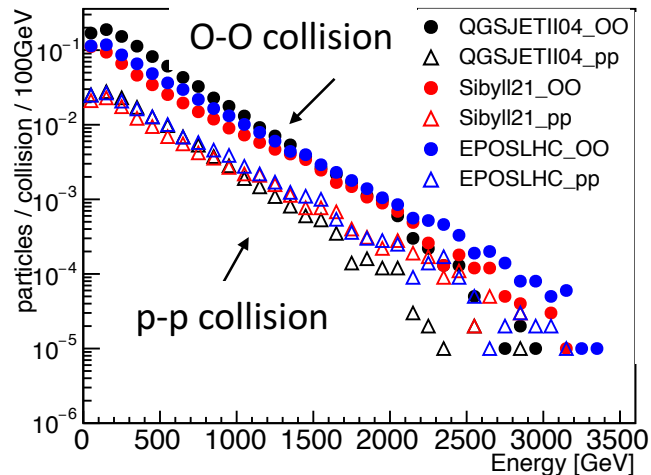
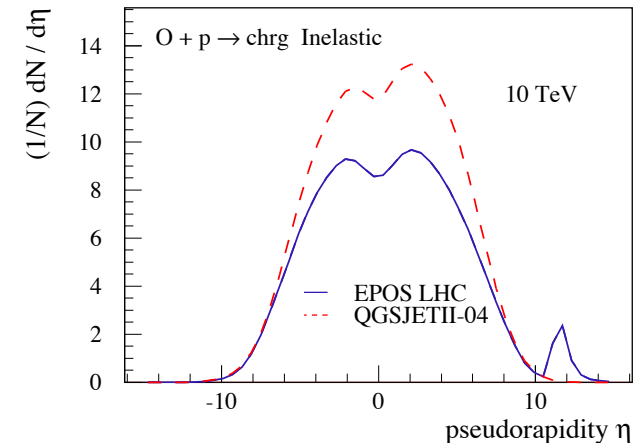
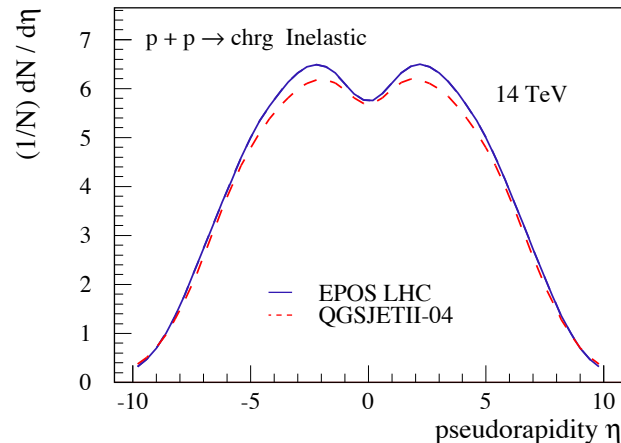
LHC p-O/O-O collisions

- ✓ LHC is TECHNICALLY able to accelerate and collide Oxygen beams
- ✓ Is nuclear effect in light ion collisions well understood?
- ✓ In A-A collisions, high multiplicity in the very forward region => new detector is required.

LHC Forward Physics

CERN-PH-LPCC-2015-001
 SLAC-PUB-16364
 DESY 15-167

Multiplicity p-p vs. p-O



Photon spectra p-p vs. O-O

Y. Okuno, Master thesis
 Nagoya university (2016)

International workshops lead by the KMI members

Series of zero degree workshop held at KMI

- High-Energy Scattering at Zero Degrees (HESZ), 2013
- Workshop on forward physics and high-energy scattering at zero degrees, 2015
 - Joint workshop with the “LHC forward physics working group meeting”
- Workshop on forward physics and high-energy scattering at zero degrees, 2017
 - Joint workshop with the “LHC forward physics working group meeting”

KMI support for a cosmic-ray conference

- 2016 International Conference on Ultra-High Energy Cosmic Rays, Kyoto (series started in 2010 from Nagoya)

Summary

- ✓ LHCf measured forward particles to improve the air shower simulation at 10^{17} eV
- ✓ Successful operation at various collisions;
 - ✓ 0.9-13 TeV p-p, 5-8 TeV p-Pb
- ✓ 6 papers for physics analysis are published
- ✓ Construction, operation, analyses are led by the Nagoya members

- ✓ New experiment, RHICf, started to take data in 2017
- ✓ \sqrt{s} scaling (and its break) will be tested in the cosmic-ray equivalent energy range of 10^{14} eV – 10^{17} eV

- ✓ Future plan of LHC p-O, O-O collisions is in investigation
- ✓ Future, future plan to use FCC at 5×10^{18} eV...

Backup

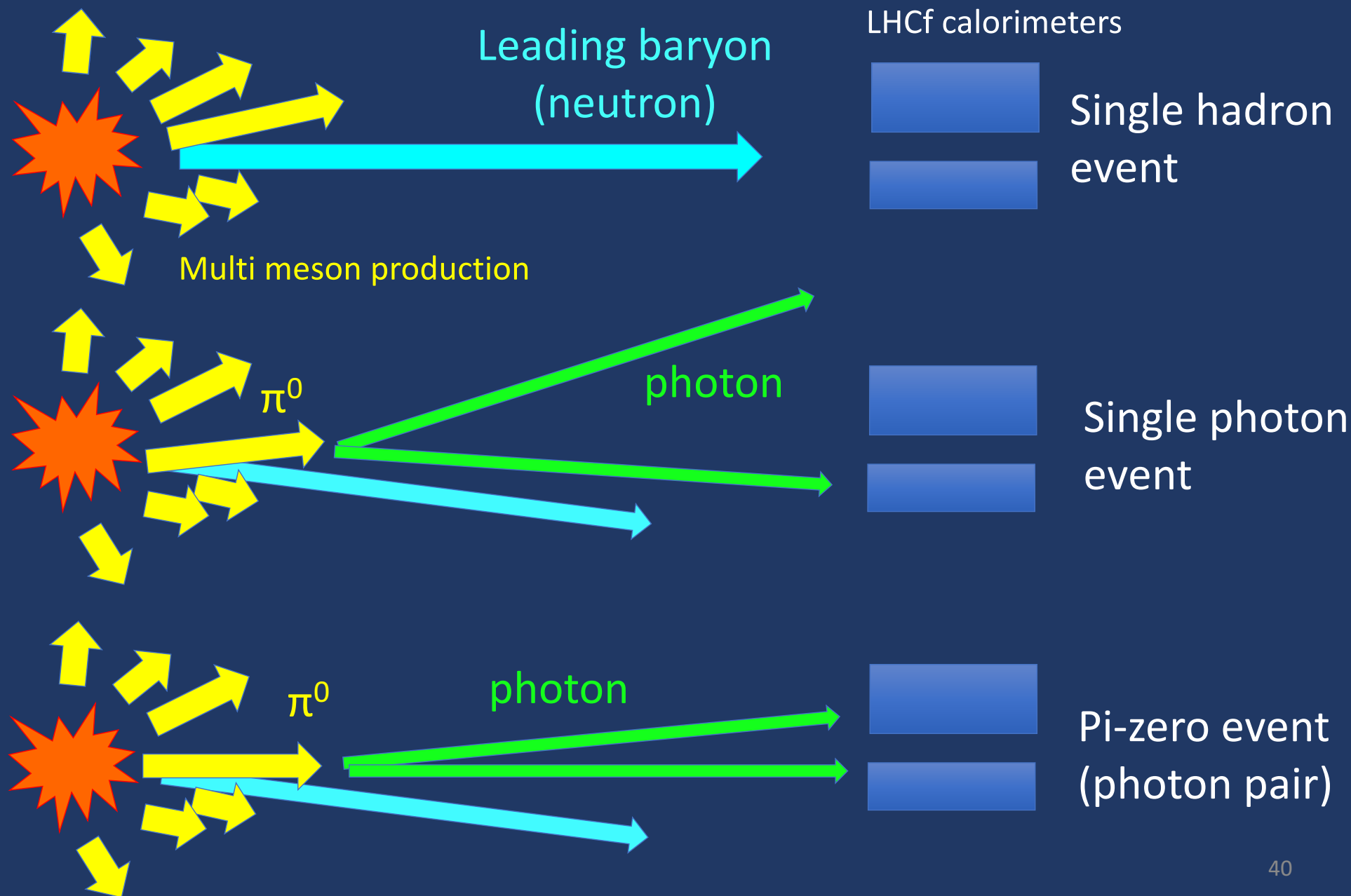
Publications

physics results

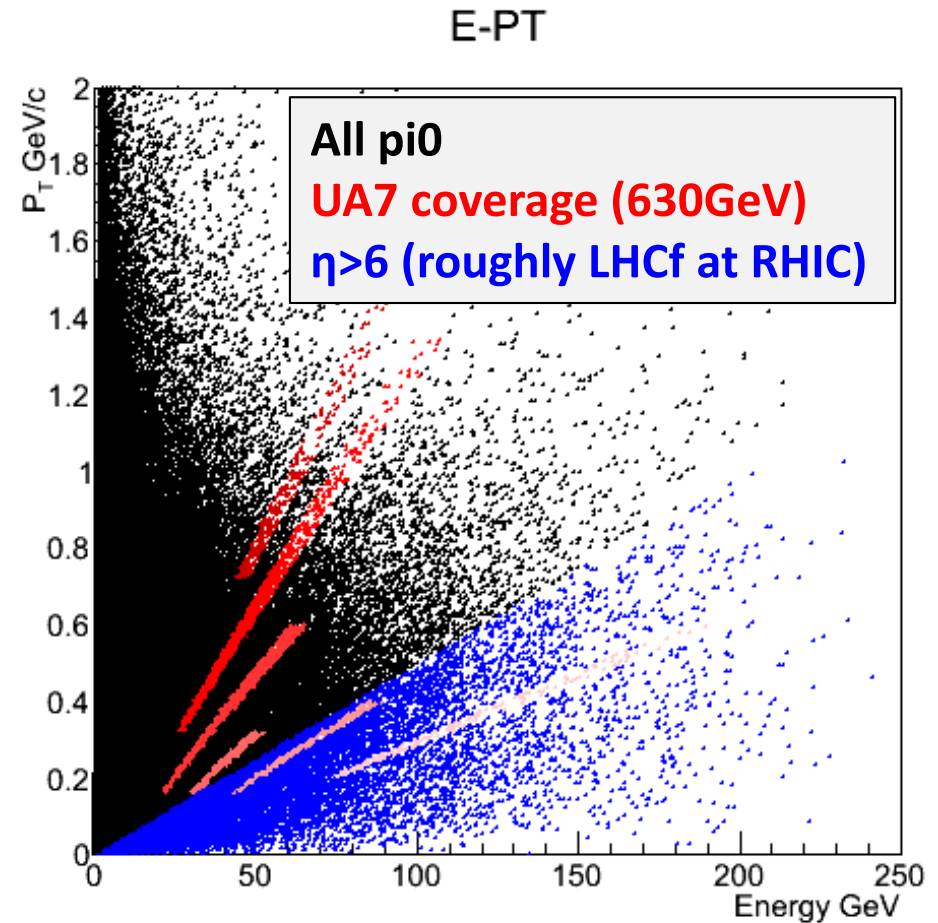
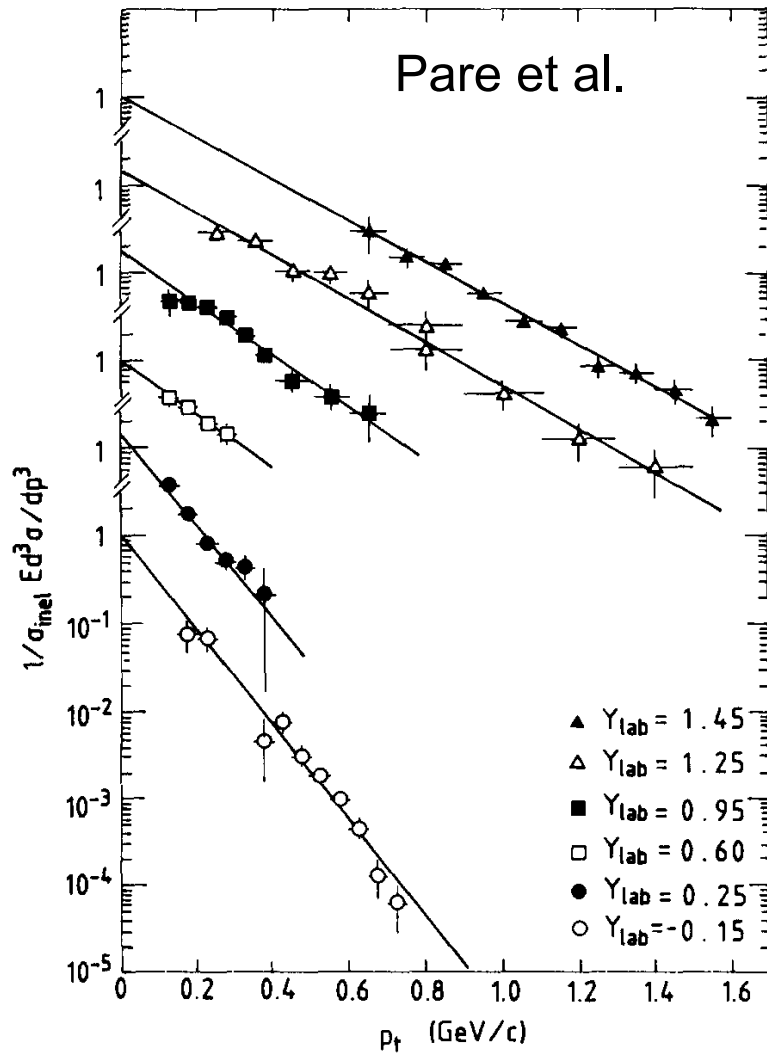
performance results

	Photon (EM shower)	Neutron (hadron shower)	π^0 (limited acceptance)	π^0 (full acceptance)	Performance
Beam test	NIM, A671 (2012) 129-136 JINST submitted (2017)	JINST, 9 (2014) P03016			
0.9TeV p-p	PLB, 715 (2012) 298-303				IJMPA, 28 (2013) 1330036
7TeV p-p	PLB, 703 (2011) 128-134	PLB, 750 (2015) 360-366	PRD, 86 (2012) 092001	PRD, 94 (2016) 032007	
2.76TeV p-p			PRC, 89 (2014) 065209		
5.02TeV p-Pb					
13TeV p-p	In preparation	Analysis in progress			

Event category of LHCf



π^0 at SppS UA7 (630GeV) (UA7; Roman Pot calorimeter!!)



Complimentary phase space coverage to UA7

Theoretical explanation

- Pion- a_1 interference: results
 - The data agree well with independence of energy
- The asymmetry has a sensitivity to presence of different mechanisms, e.g. Reggeon exchanges with spin-non-flip amplitude, even if they are small amplitudes

$$A_N \approx \frac{2 \operatorname{Im}(fg^*)}{|f|^2 + |g|^2}$$

f : spin non-flip amplitude

g : spin flip amplitude

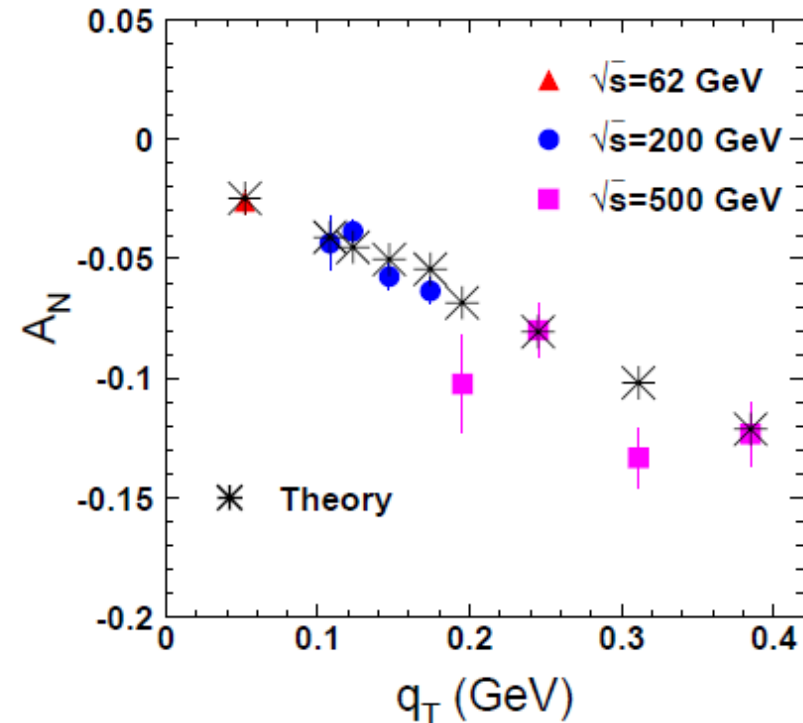


FIG. 1: (Color online) Single transverse spin asymmetry A_N in the reaction $pp \rightarrow nX$, measured at $\sqrt{s} = 62, 200, 500$ GeV [1] (preliminary data). The asterisks show the result of our calculation, Eq. (38), which was done point by point, since each experimental point has a specific value of z (see Table I).

Kopeliovich, Potashnikova, Schmidt, Soffer: Phys. Rev. D 84 (2011) 114012.

Beam Condition

Parameter	Value	
Beam energy (GeV)	255	
Beam intensity (protons per bunch)	2×10^{11}	
Number of colliding bunch	100	
Number of non-colliding bunch	20	
Beam emittance (mm mrad)	20	
β^* (m)	10	← to reduce beam divergence
Luminosity ($\text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$)	1.1×10^{31}	
Polarization direction	radial	← to measure up-down asymmetry
Polarization amplitude	0.4–0.5	
Operation time	1 day	

**1day for β^* setup, 1 day for polarization direction, 2 days for physics
=> 1 week near the end of RUN17 including contingency is approved**

ECR source

- The source can “deliver anything”, however...
 - It takes time to commission the whole chain with new species (16 weeks minimum for LEIR/PS/SPS)
 - Switching between two species within one year is difficult (~ 4 weeks to switch ECR for completely different species)
-> competition with Pb-Pb and p-Pb in LHC, and primary ions in North Area (Ar, Xe, Pb)
- Oxygen is support gas for Pb
 - One can imagine running O for a short period within Pb year
 - Opens possibility for O-O and p-O
- Other ion mixtures
 - N + O , S + O “Easy”
 - MIVOC (Metal Ions from Volatile Compounds) for Fe...

D.Manglunki

Prospects for light ion collisions in the LHC

Light ion collision@LHC

Disclaimer

- Very preliminary
- Not endorsed by CERN management
- Only technical feasibility
- Even if feasible, scheduling an actual run would be a hard battle

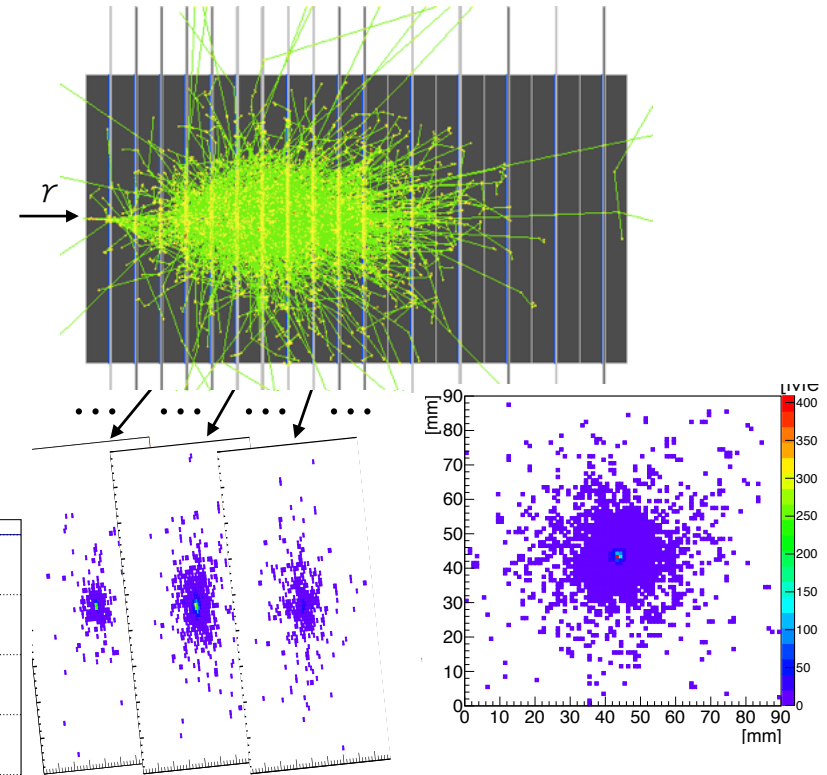
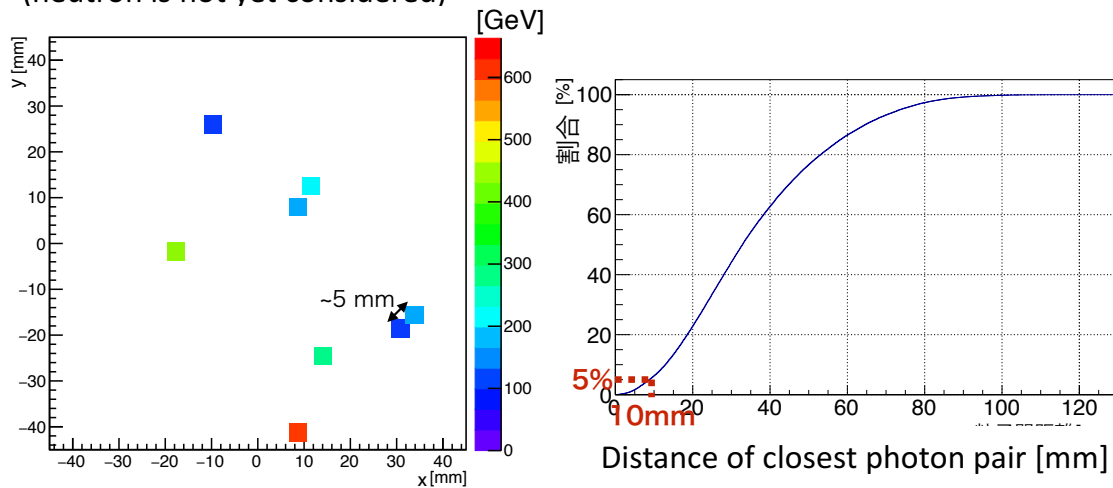
D. Manglunki presented at the workshop: “Results and prospects of forward physics at the LHC: Implications for the study of diffraction, cosmic ray interactions, and more”, 11-12 Feb 2013, CERN

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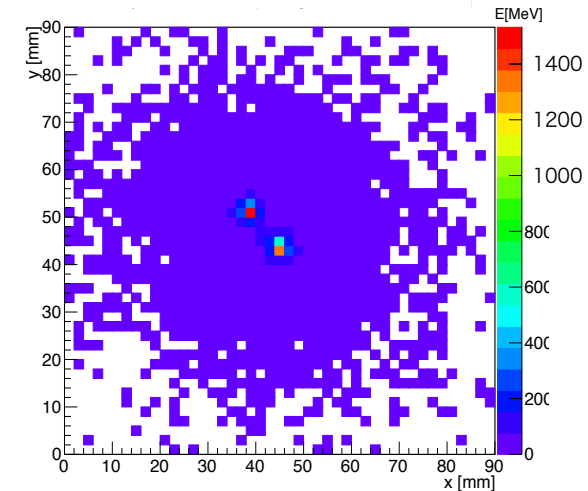
Prospects for light ion collisions in the LHC

All pixelized “Super ZDC”

Event sample
Photon hit in 9cmx9cm
(neutron is not yet considered)



2mm pixel size



- ✓ Preliminary study for O-O measurement
- ✓ Multi particle events can be resolved by pixelize the calorimeters
- ✓ 2mm x 2mm pixel calorimeter can separate multi particle events in O-O collisions

