



# Measurement of the $R$ -dependence of jet quenching in pp and Pb–Pb collisions with ALICE

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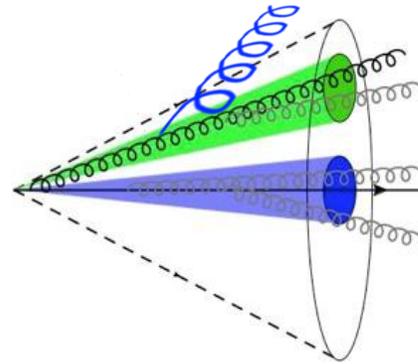
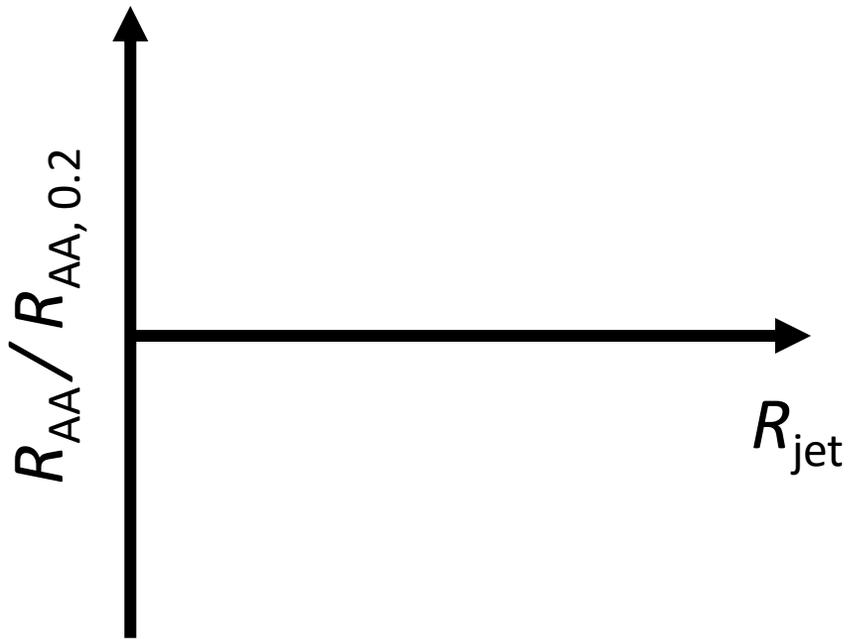
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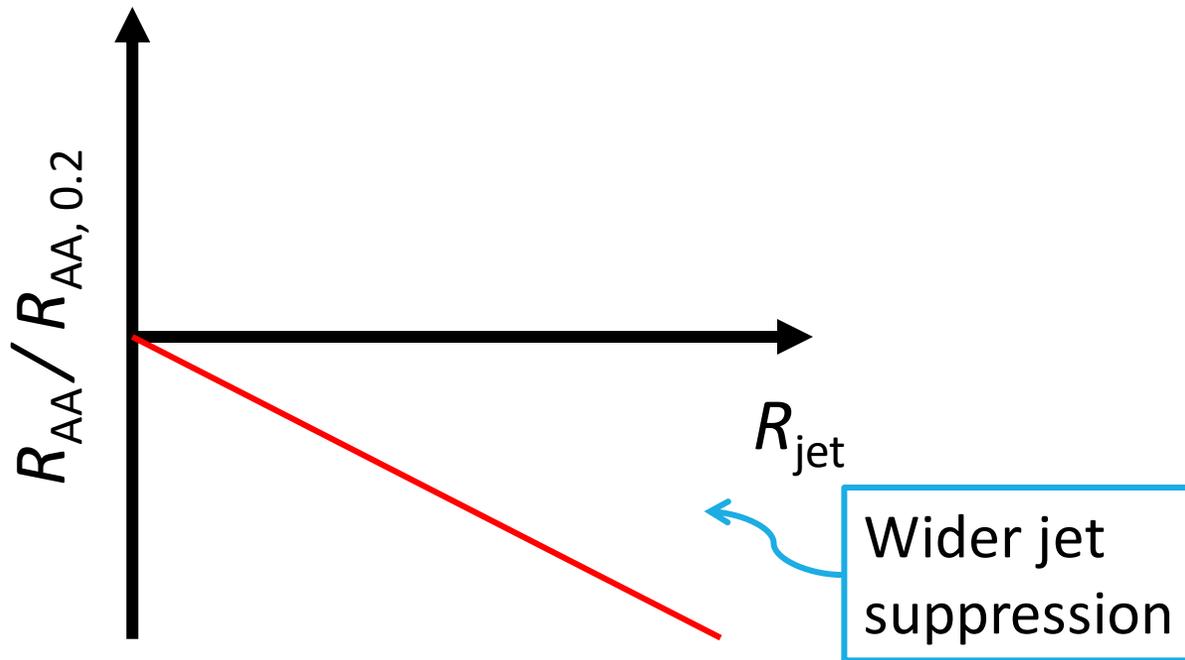
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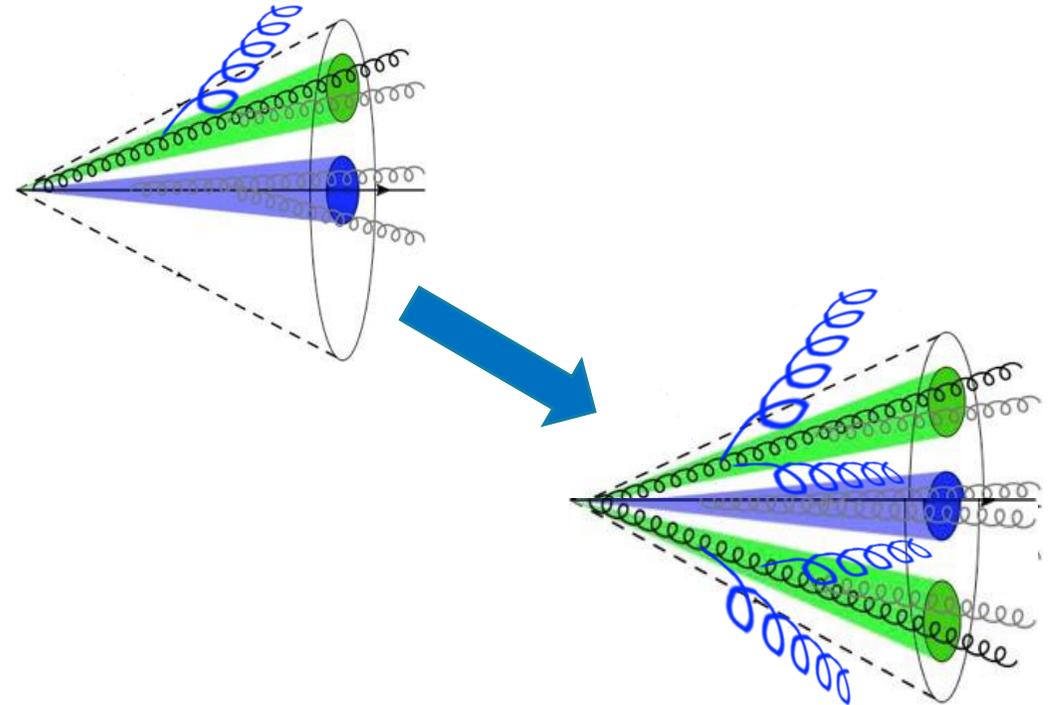


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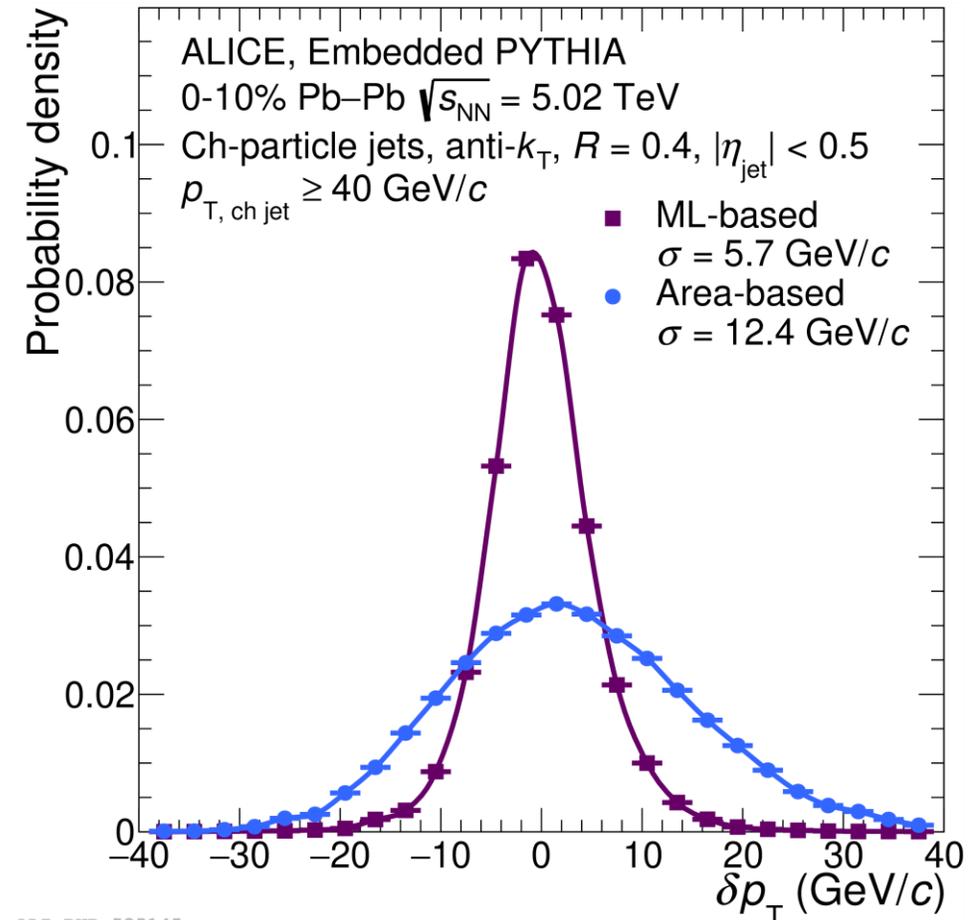
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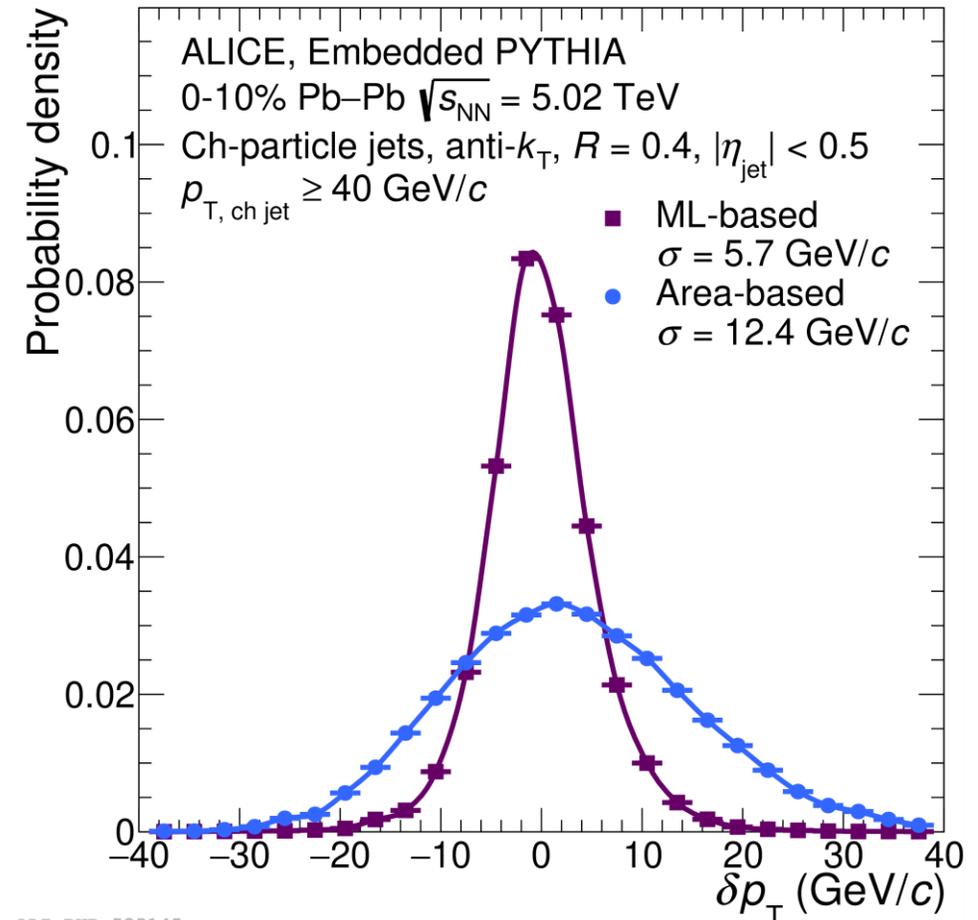


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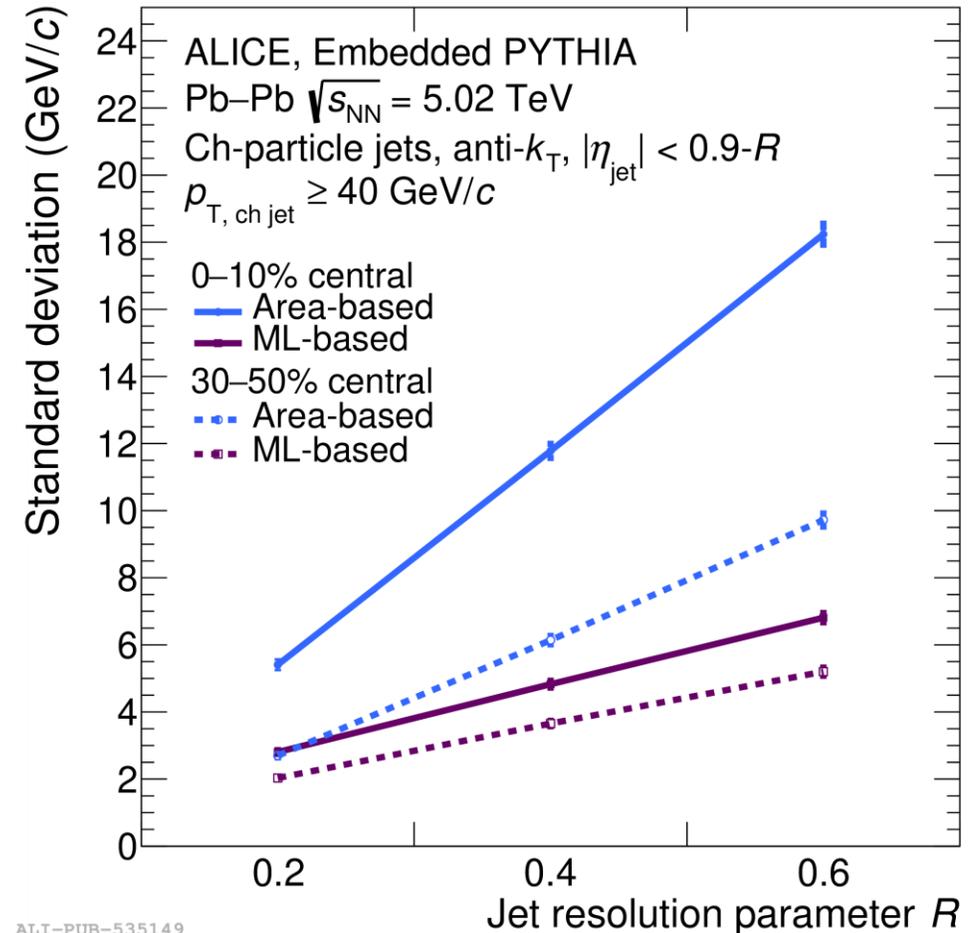


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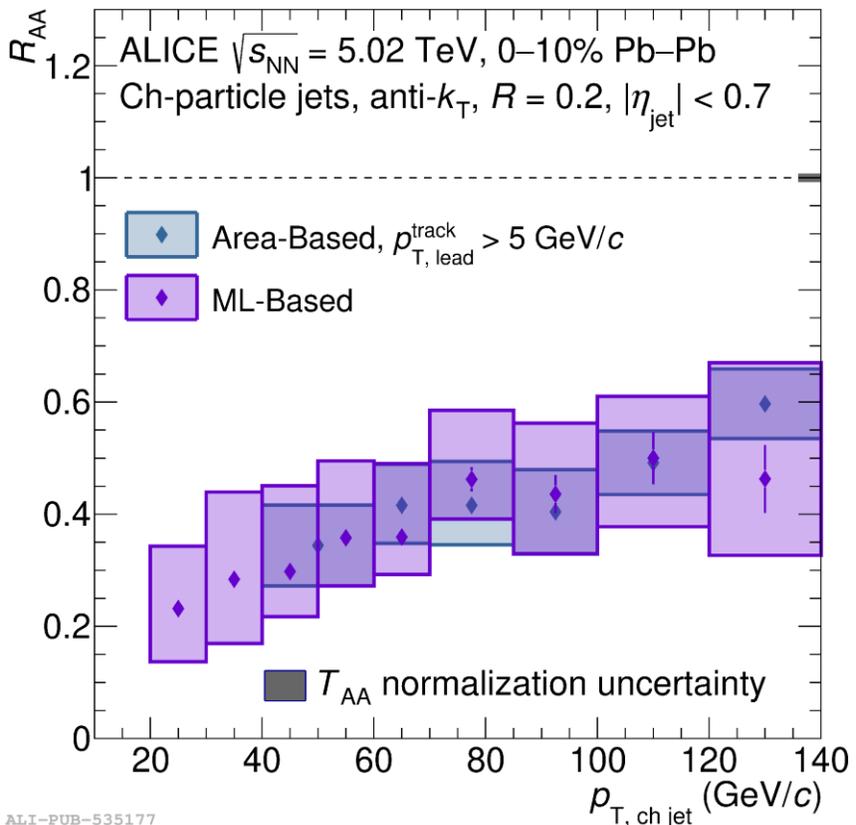
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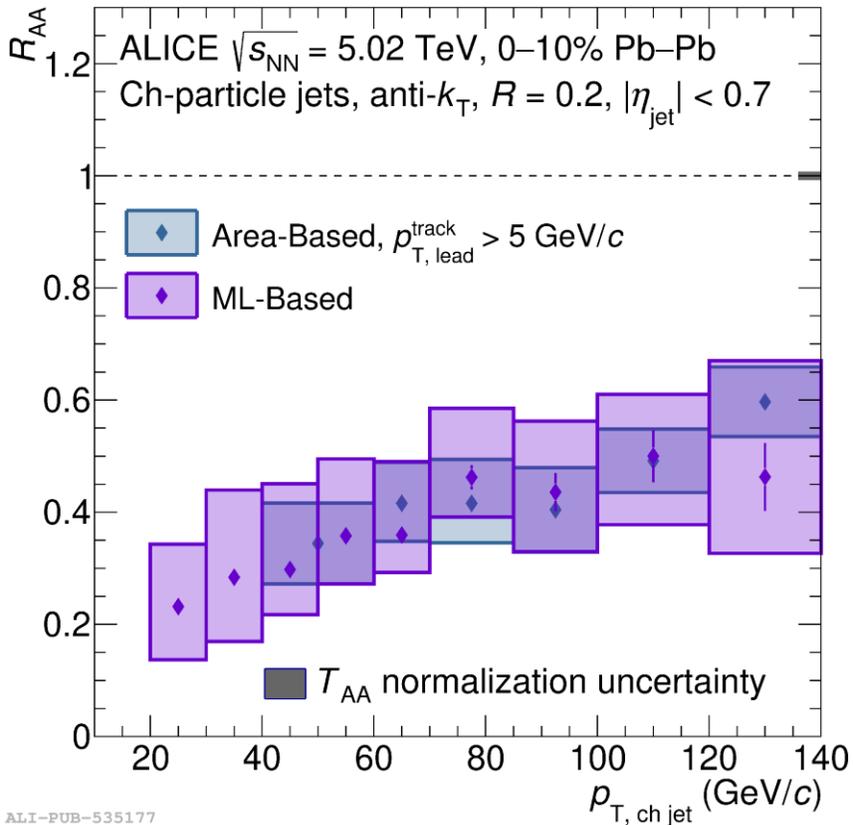
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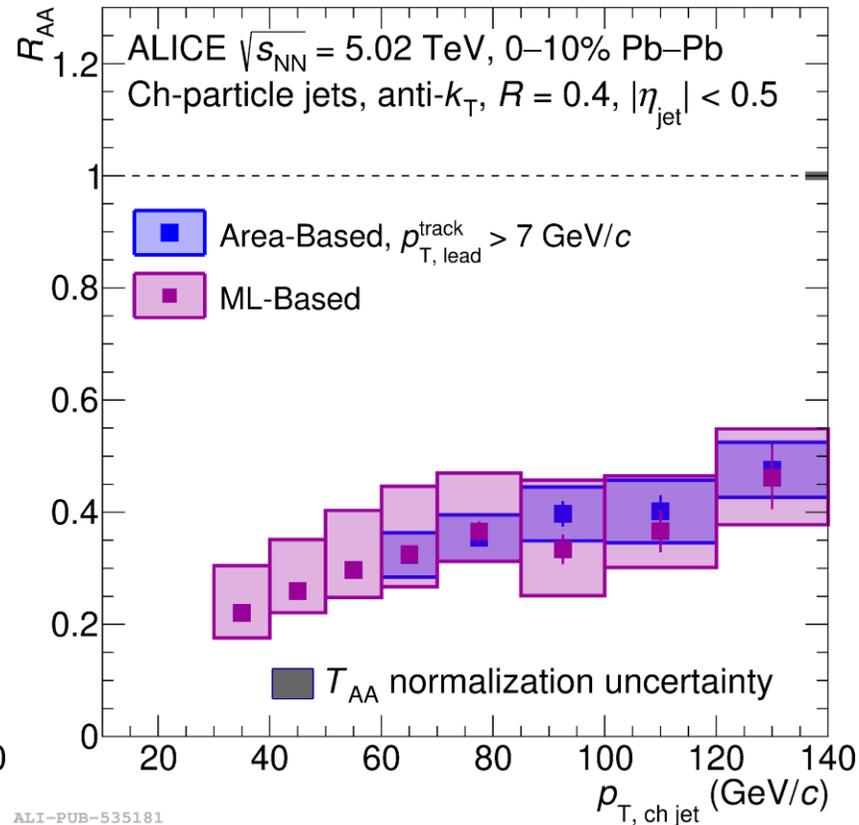
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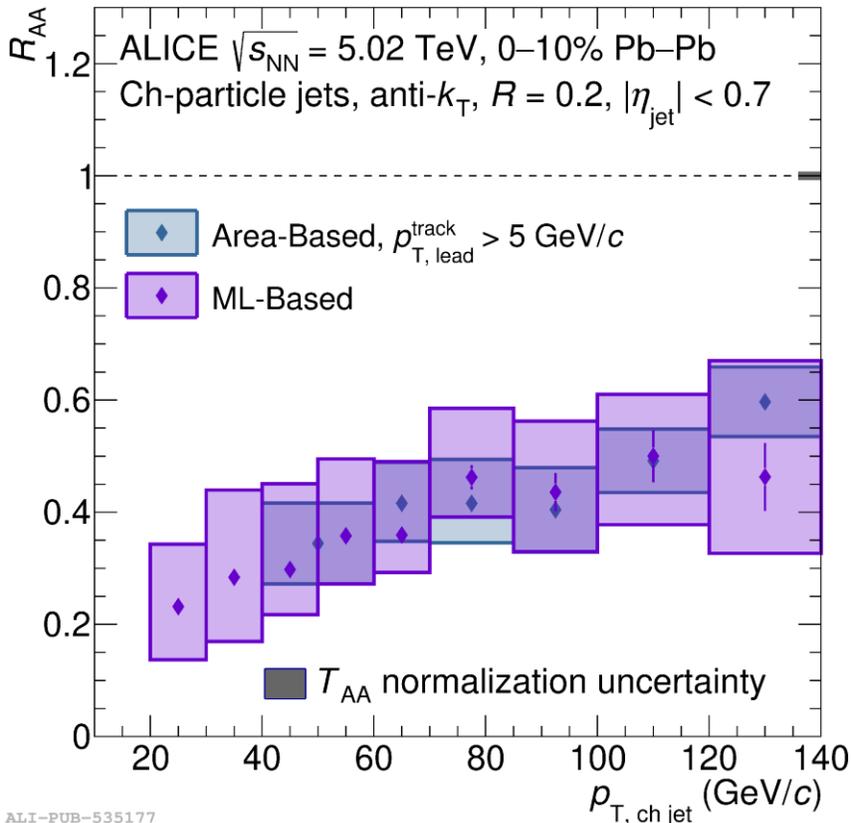
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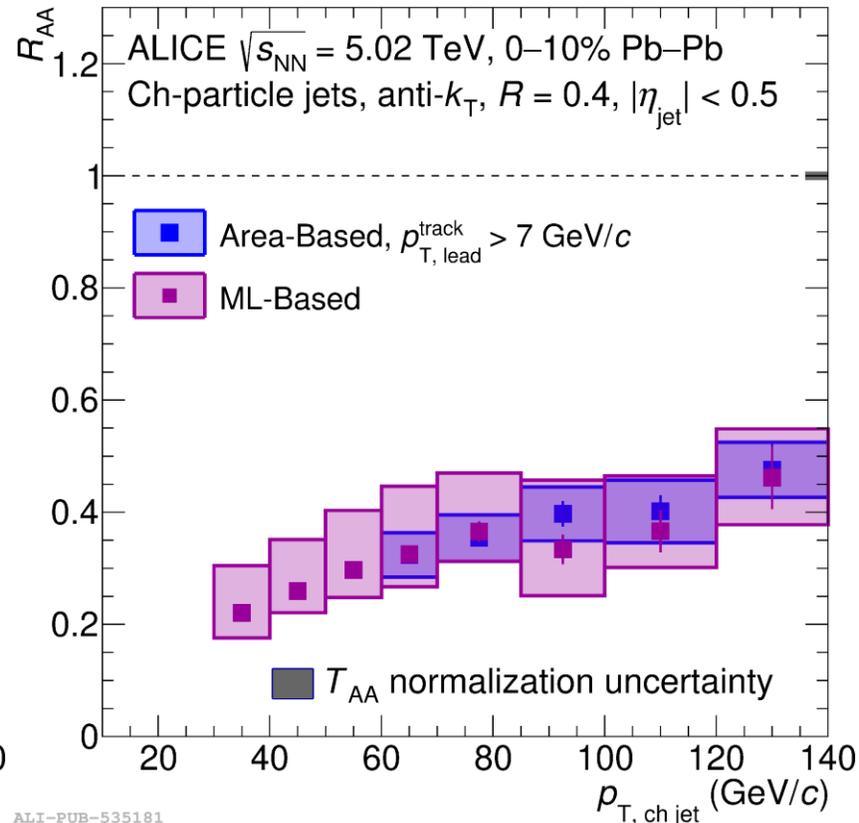
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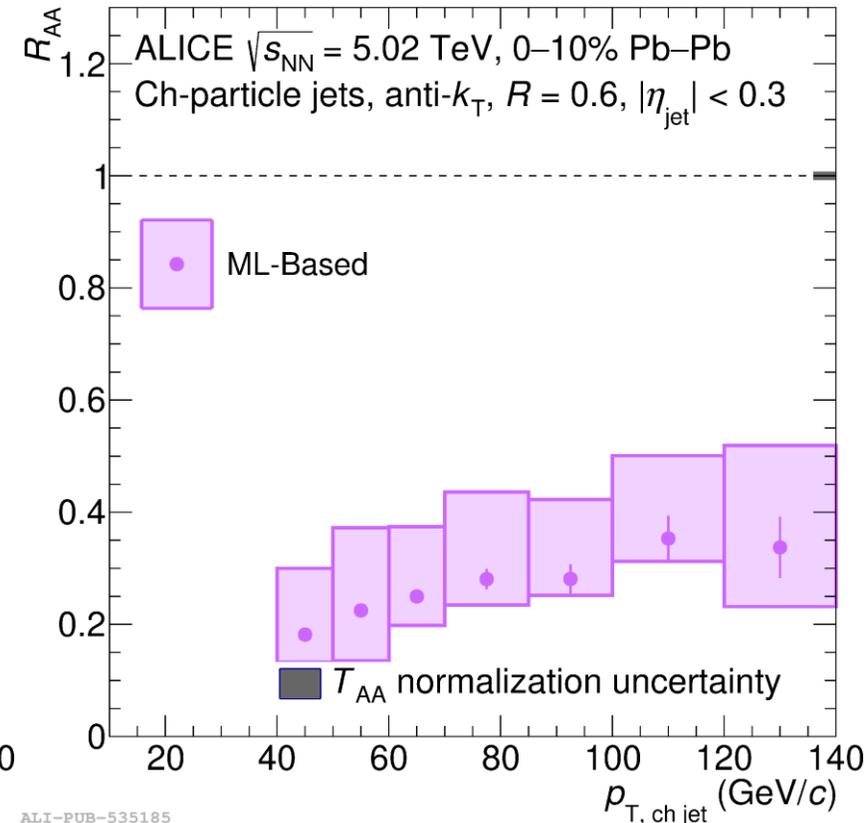
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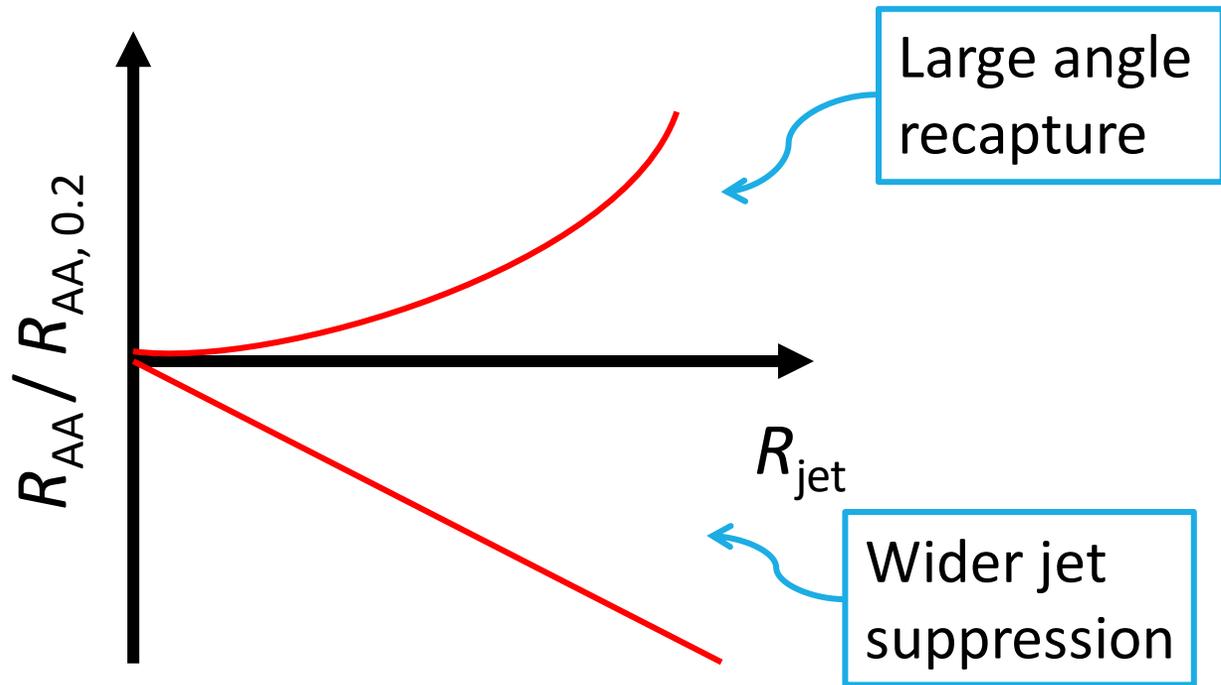


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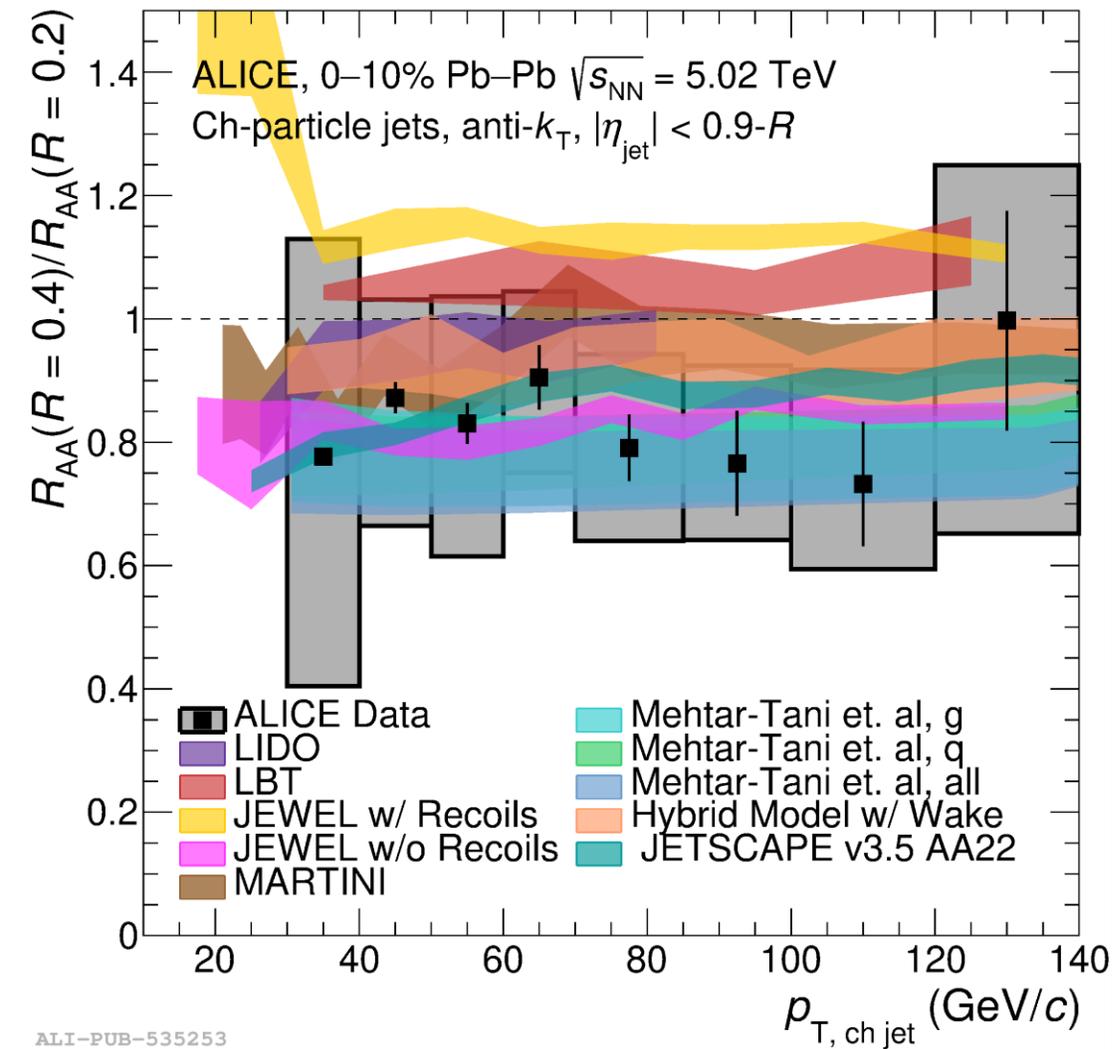


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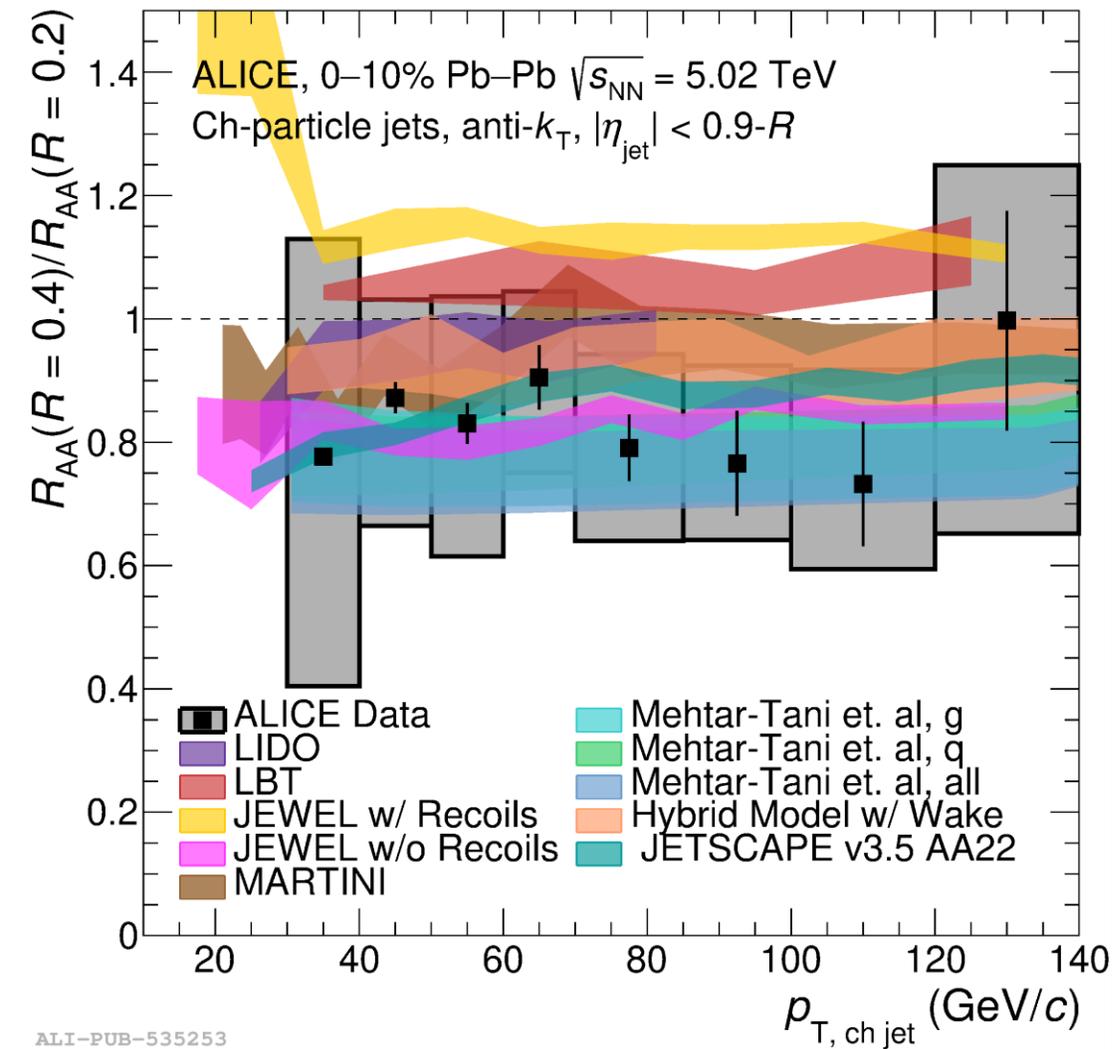


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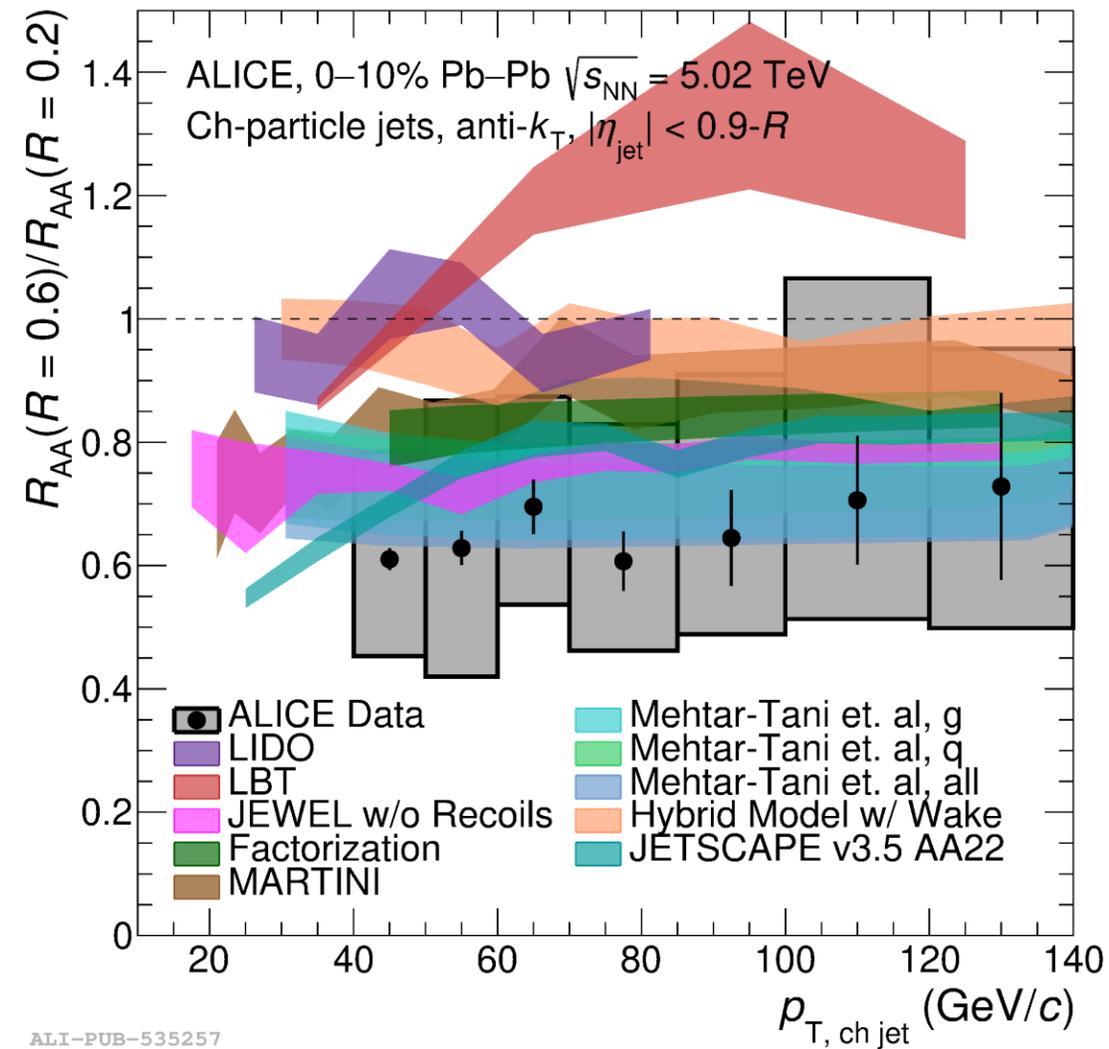
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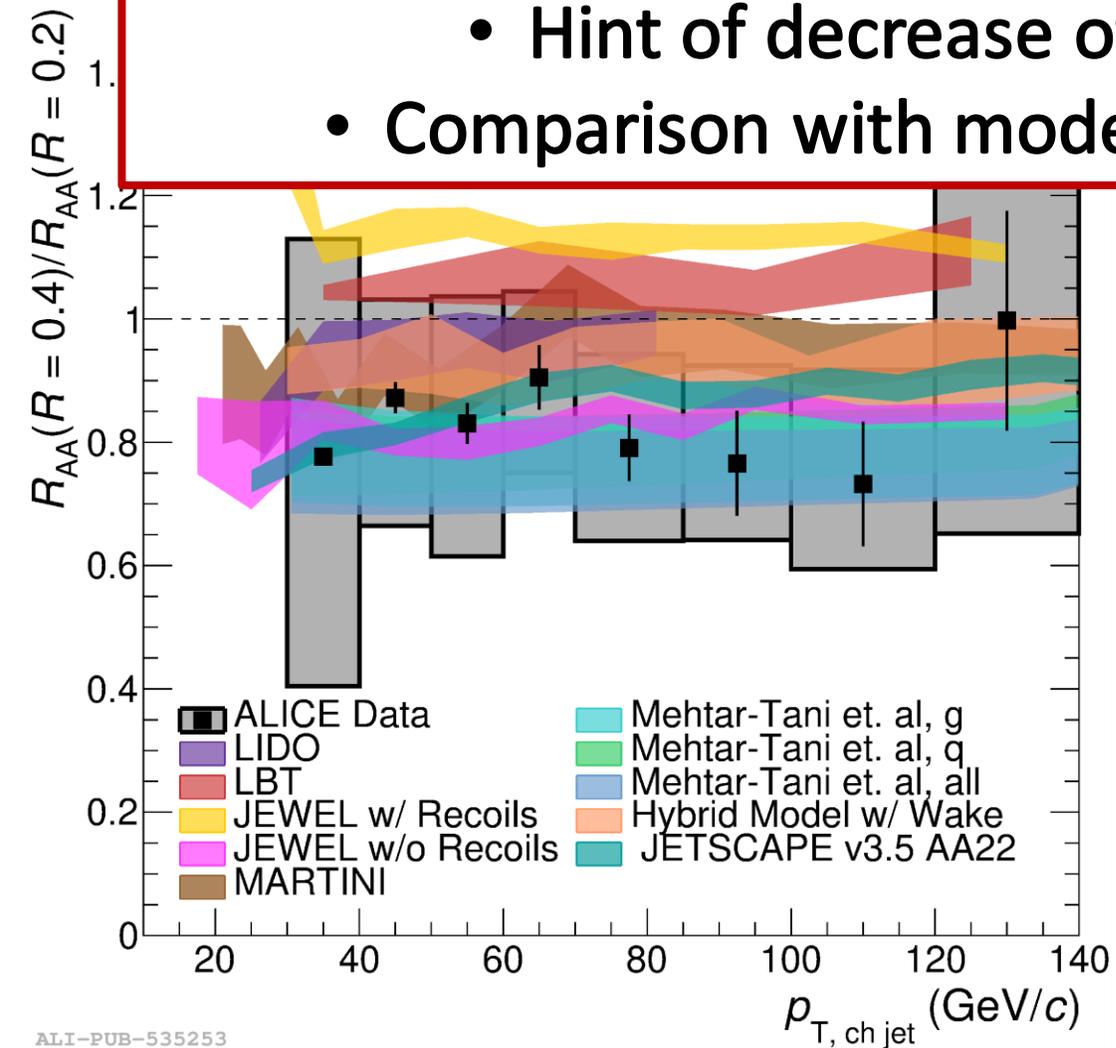


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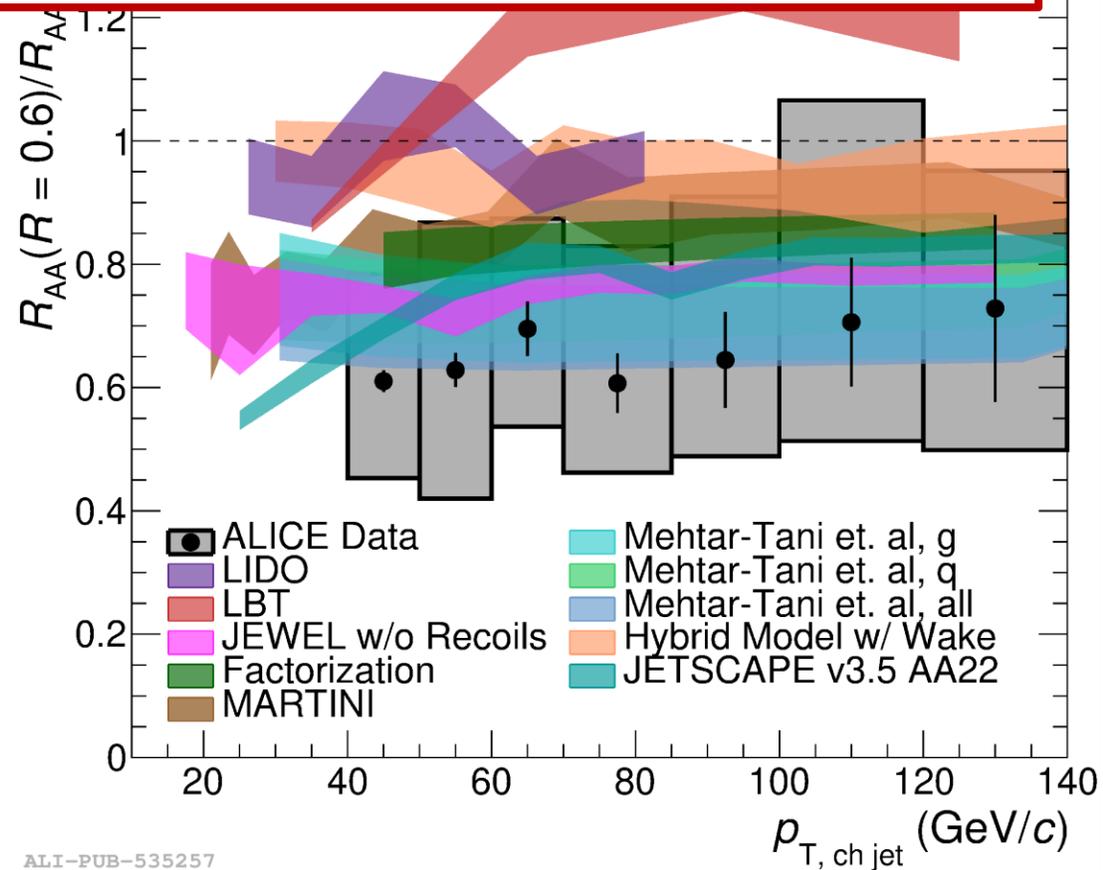
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- Hint of decrease of  $R_{AA}$  for large  $R$  at low  $p_T$  values
- Comparison with models shows sensitivity to recoil effects



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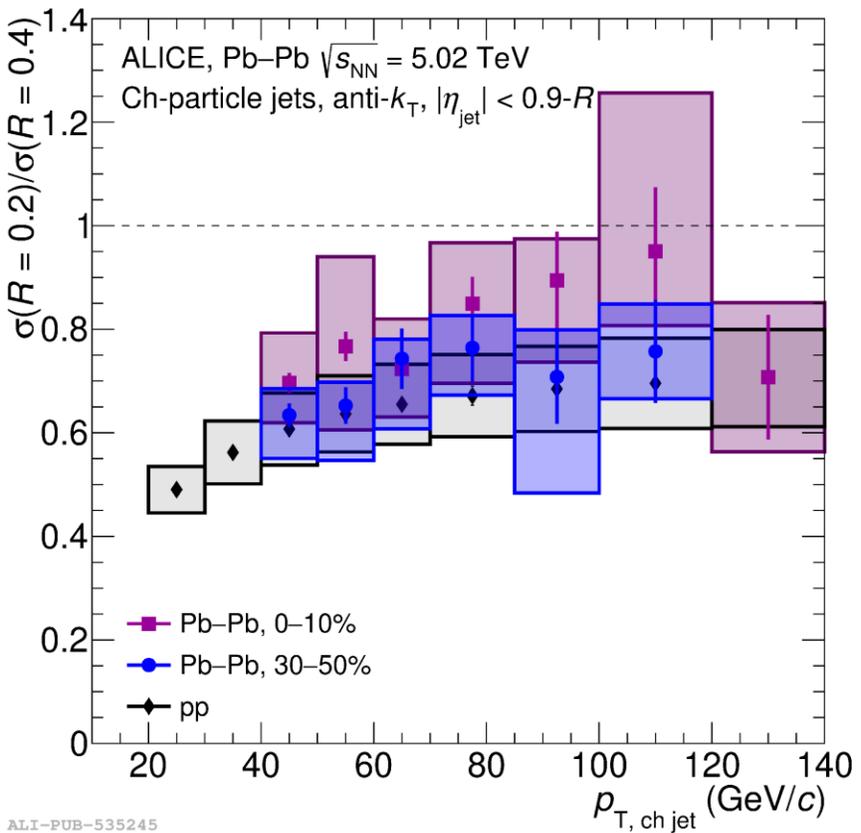


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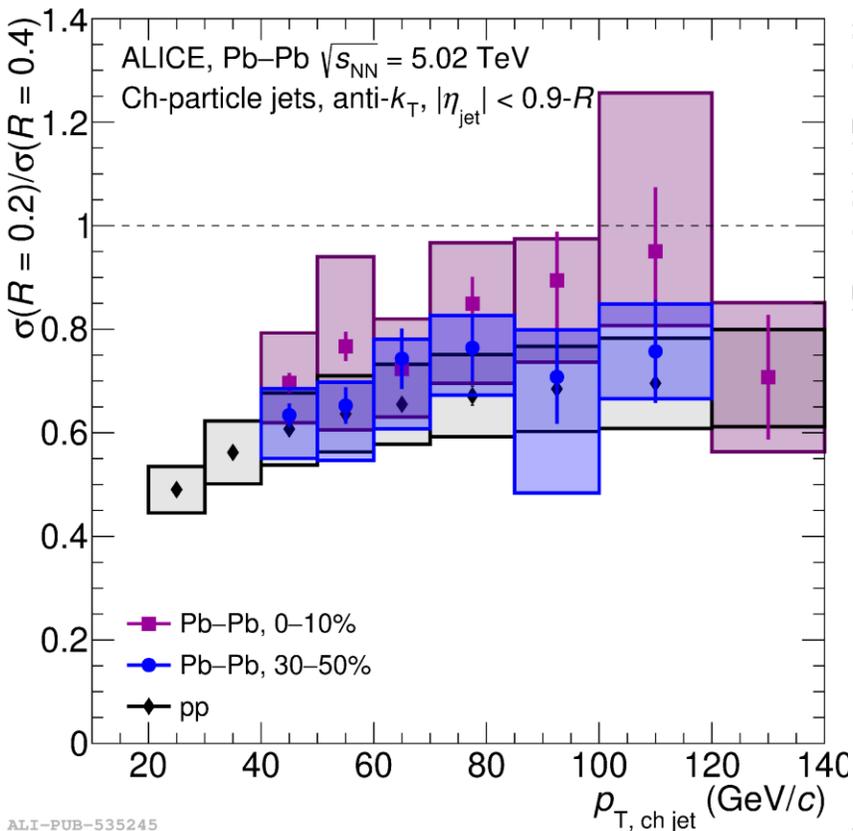
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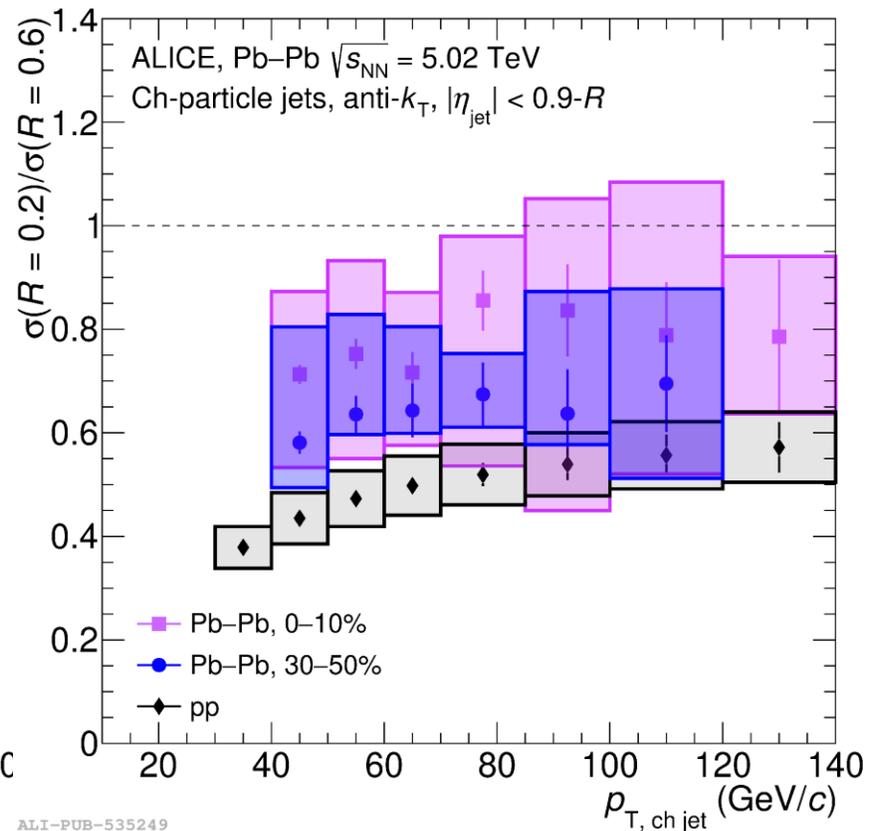
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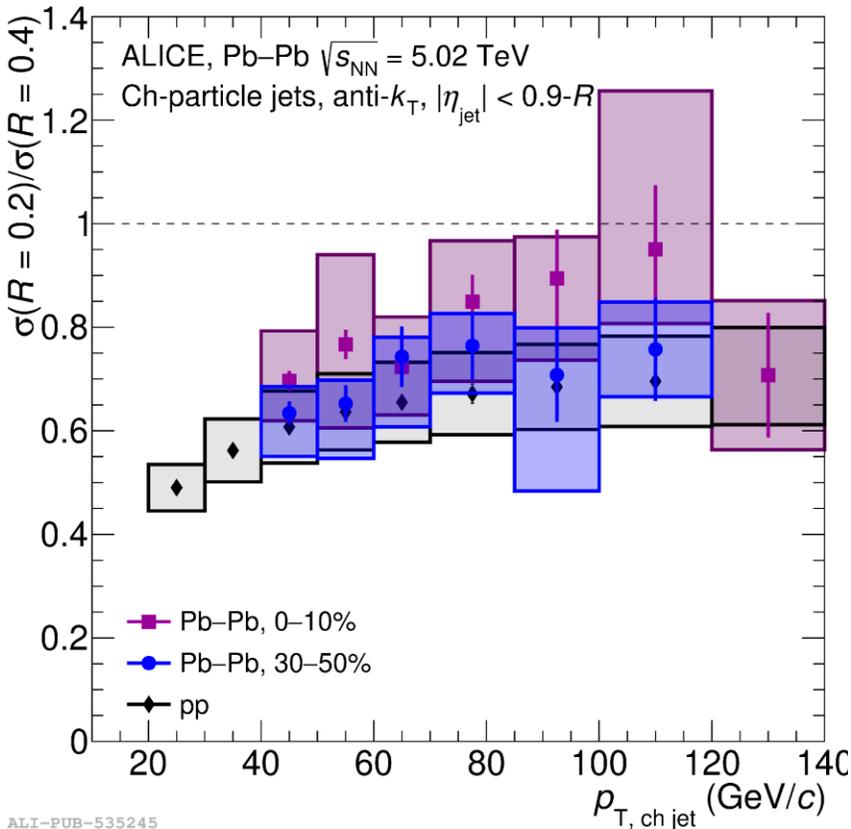
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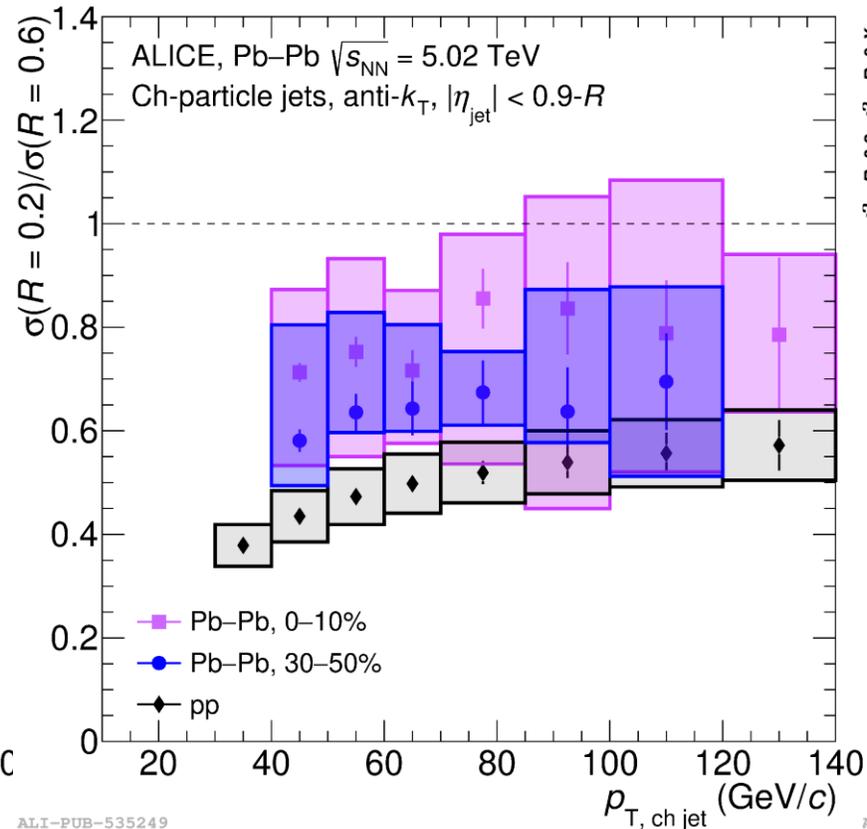
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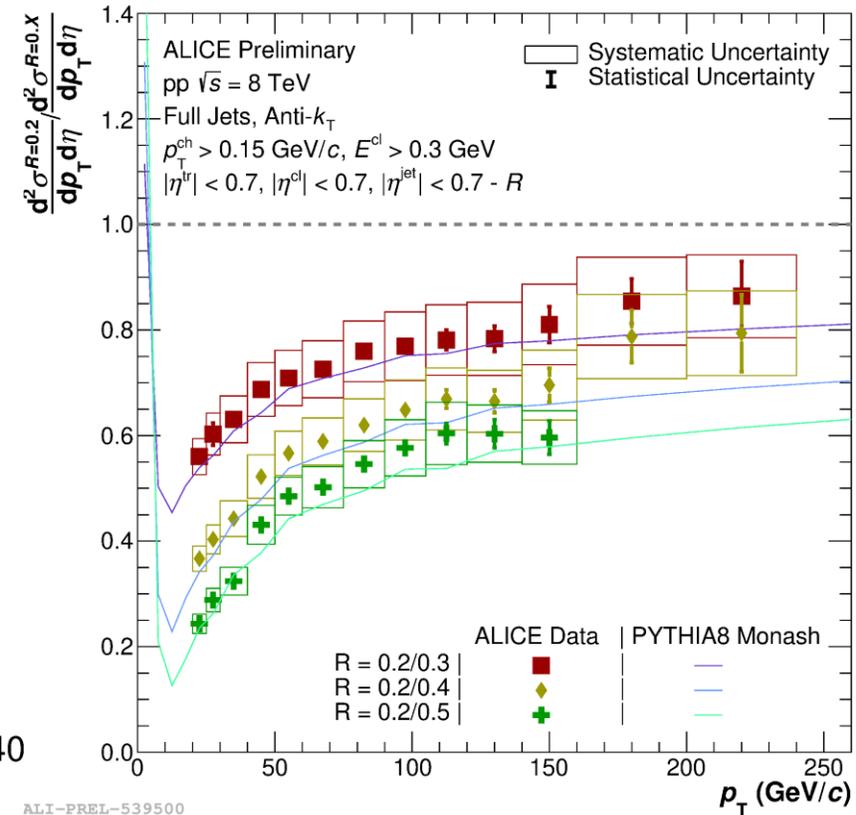
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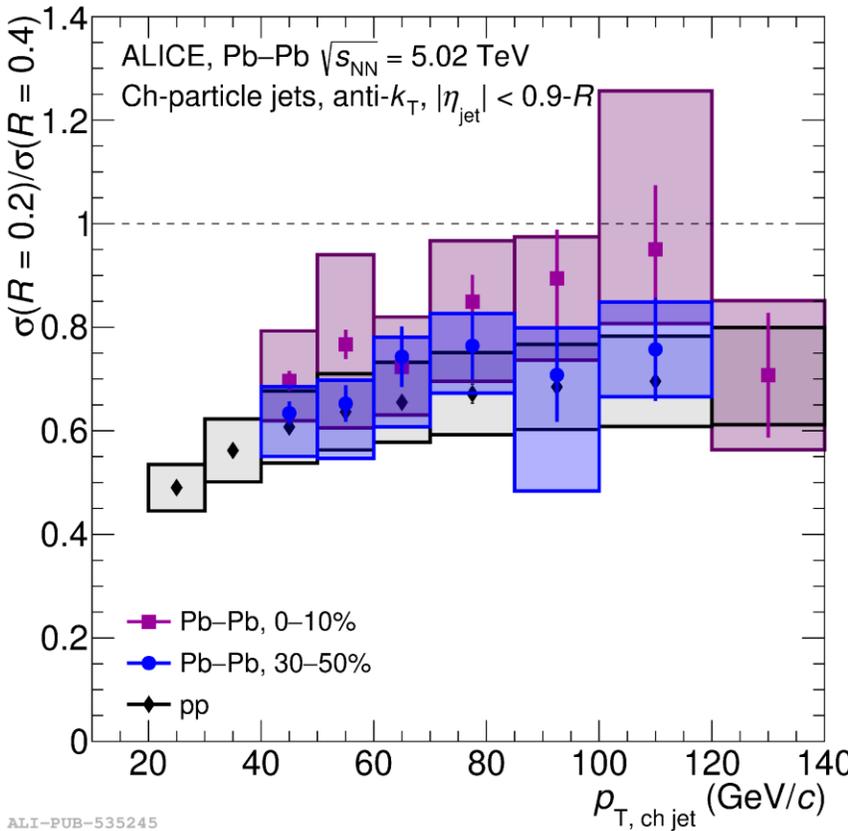
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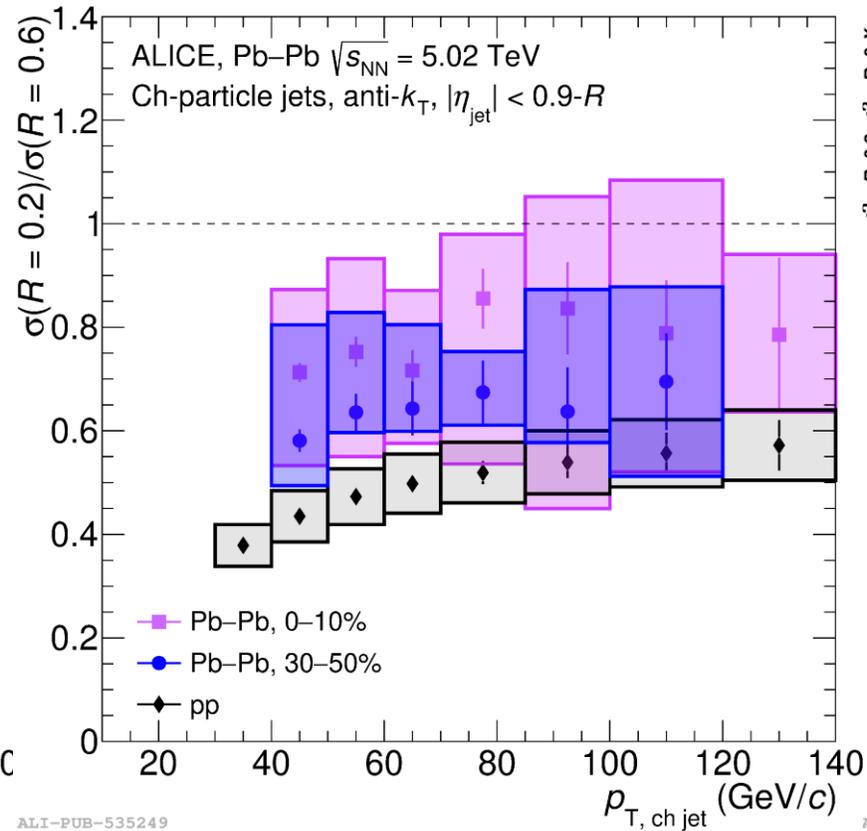
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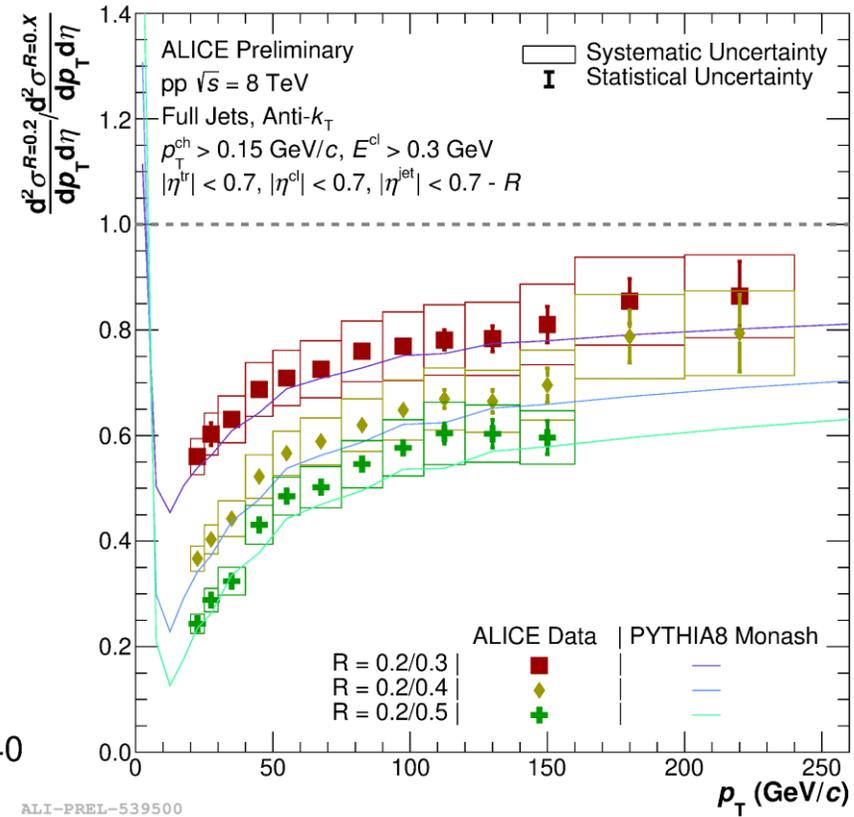
Smaller ratios in pp compared to Pb-Pb -> Intra-jet narrowing



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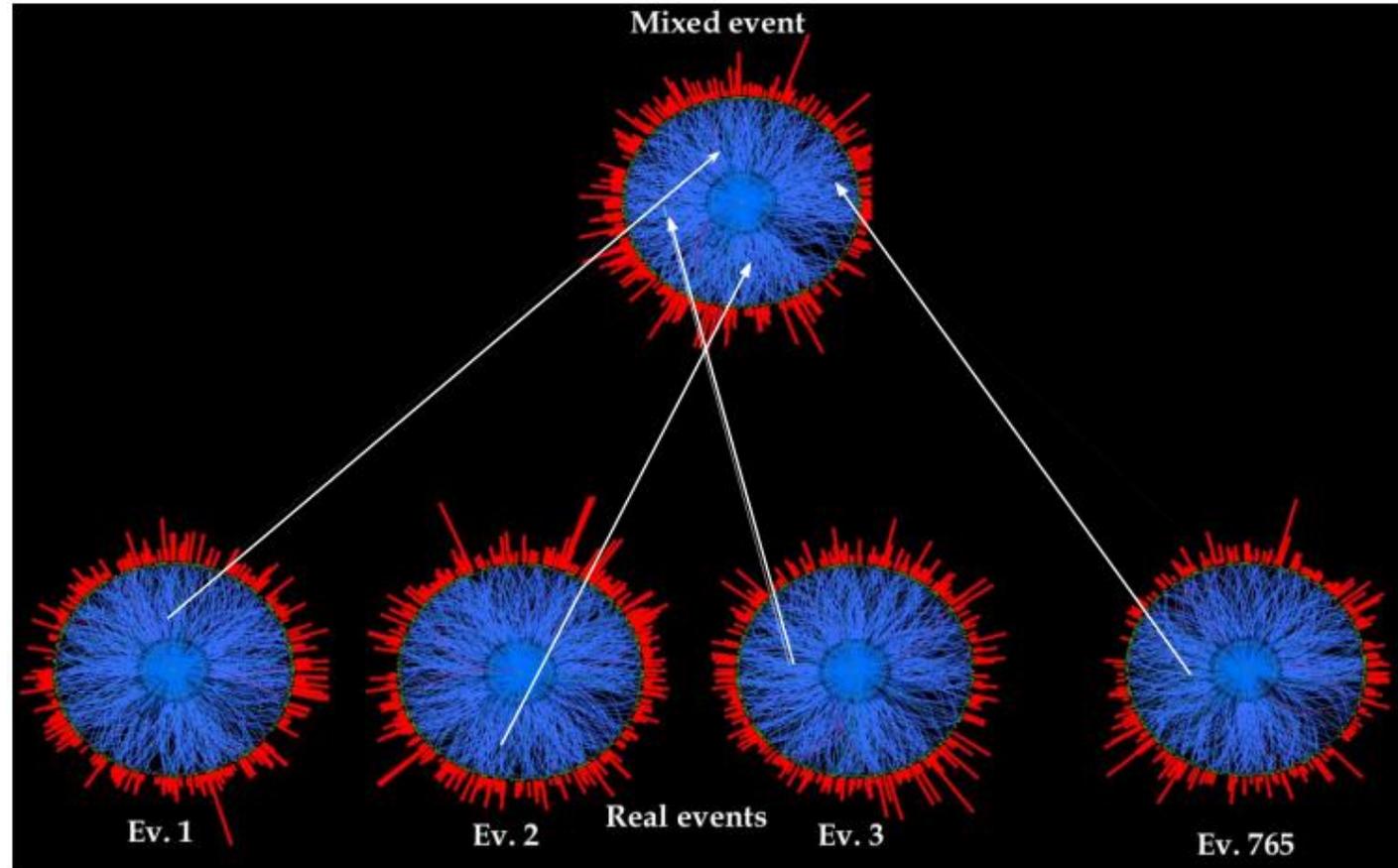
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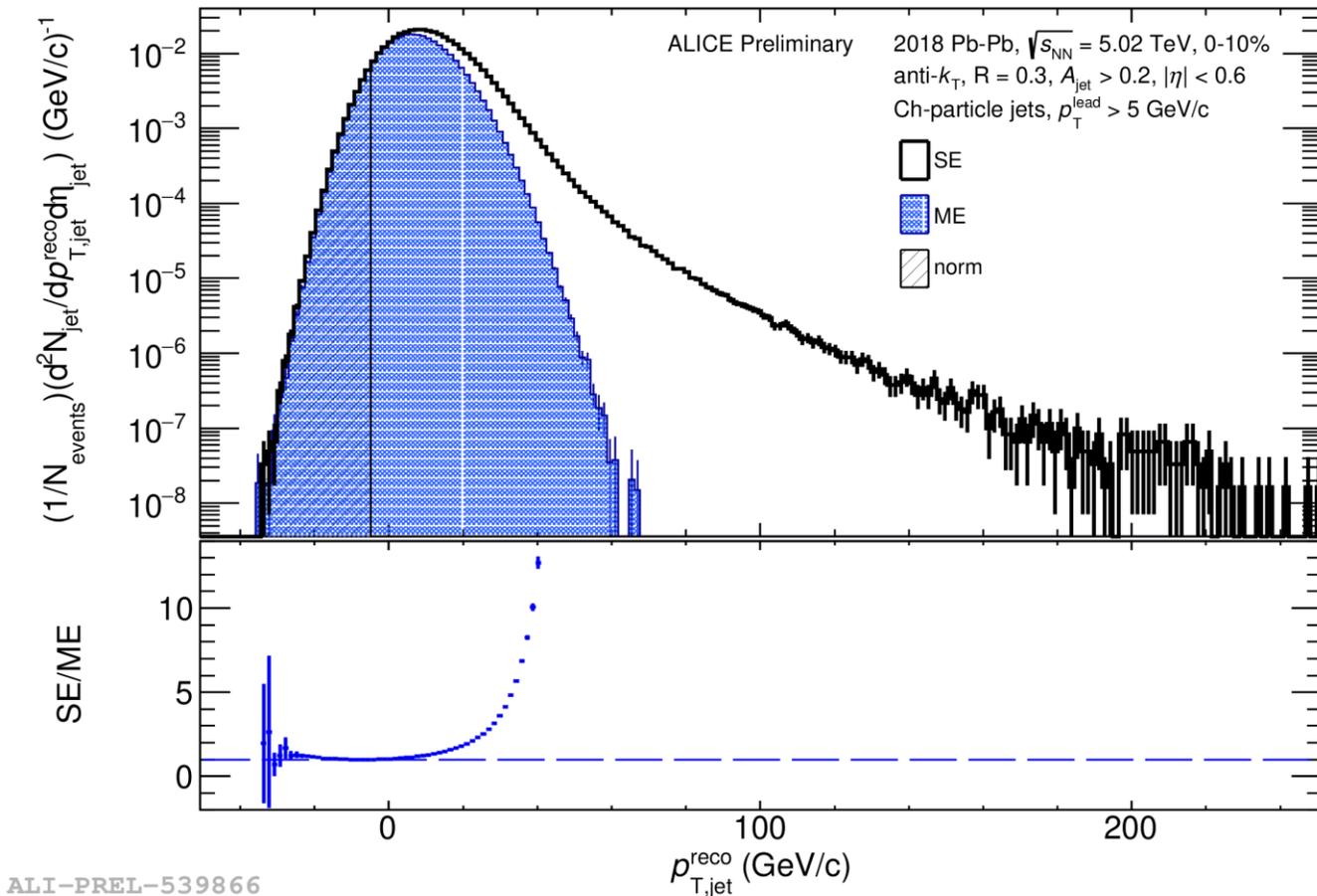
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# Towards low jet $p_T$ measurement with Mixed Event (ME) method

- Create 9600 event categories based on multiplicity,  $\Psi_2$ , z-vertex,  $p_T^{\text{sum}}$ ,  $\Psi_3$
- Create full mixed event with random track selection from each event
- No correlations between the particles!
- Leading track selection  $p_T^{\text{lead}} \geq 5$  GeV/c  $\rightarrow$  Specific jet population



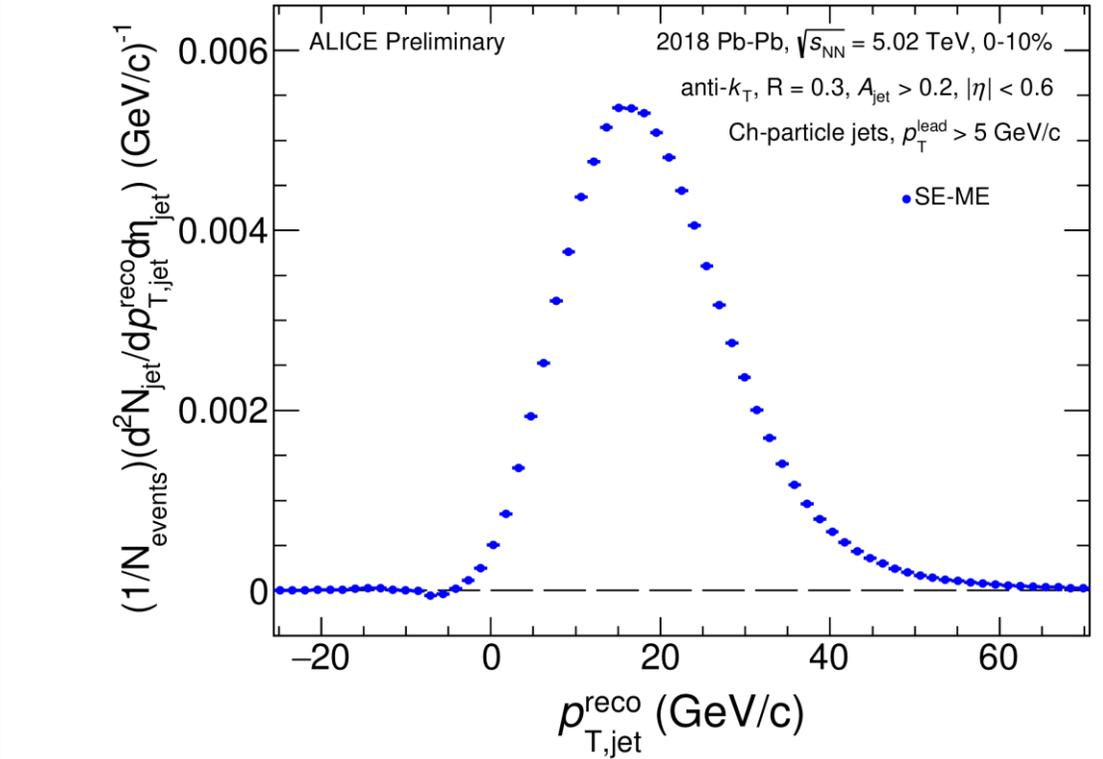
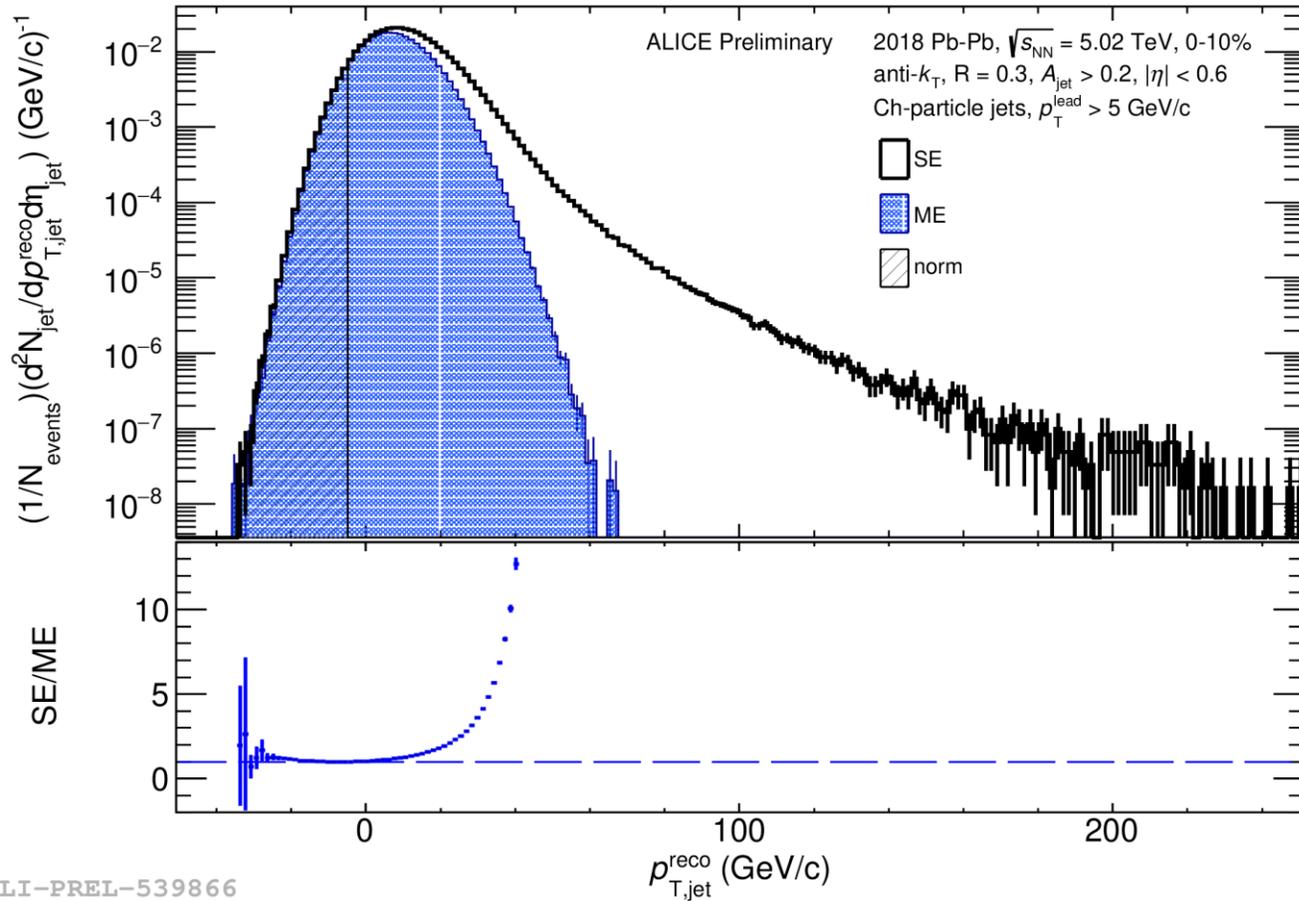
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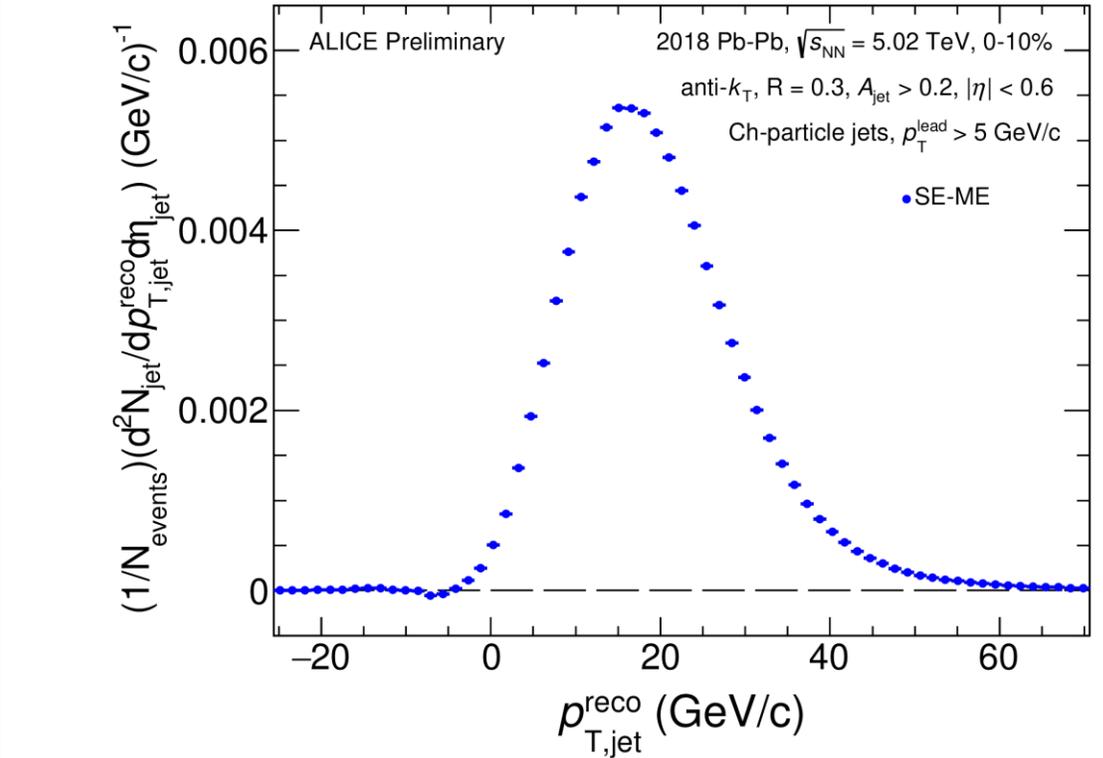
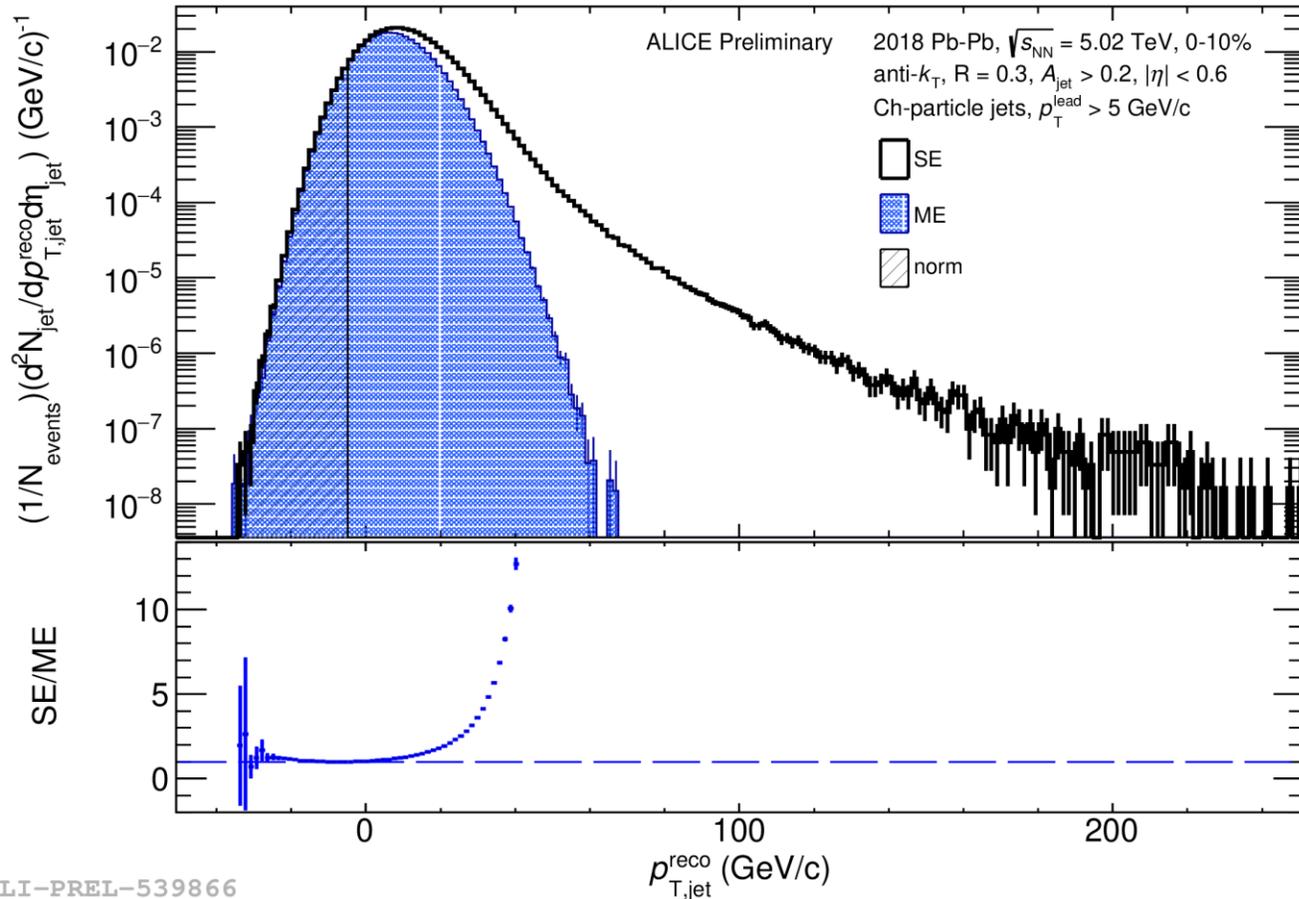
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- Area-based jet  $p_T$  correction for both SE and ME jets.
- Match ME to SE in region with only uncorrelated yield.
- Fake jet yield removal by subtraction of ME from SE.

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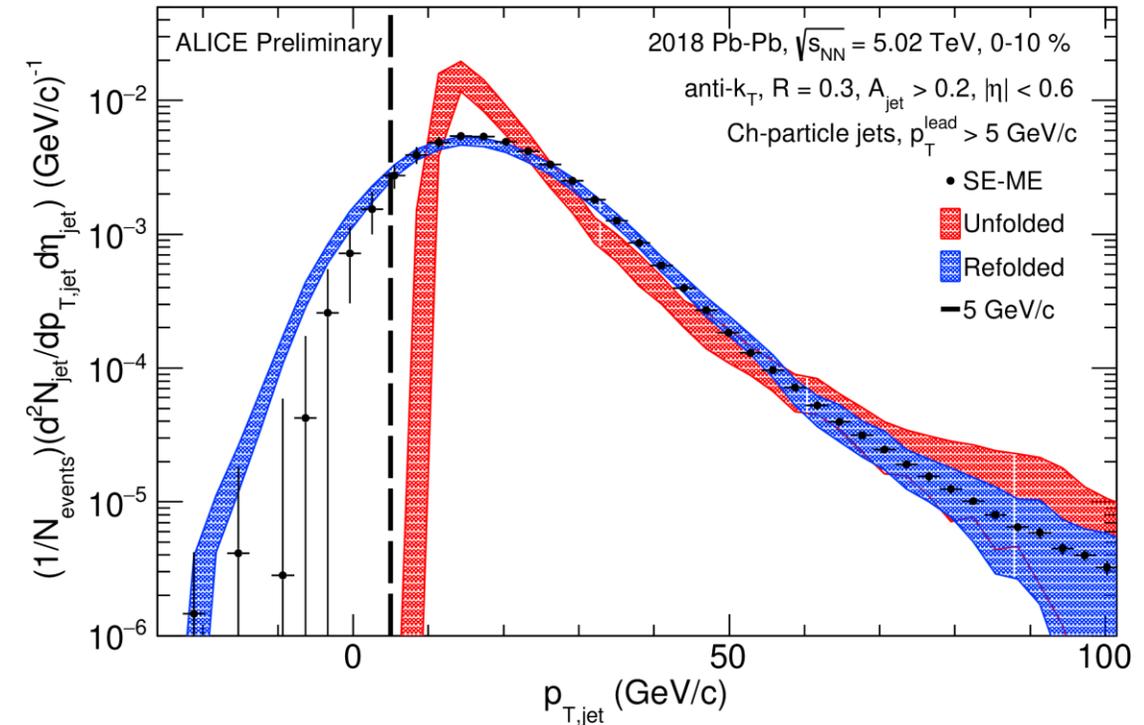
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Residual distribution is zero in the normalization range

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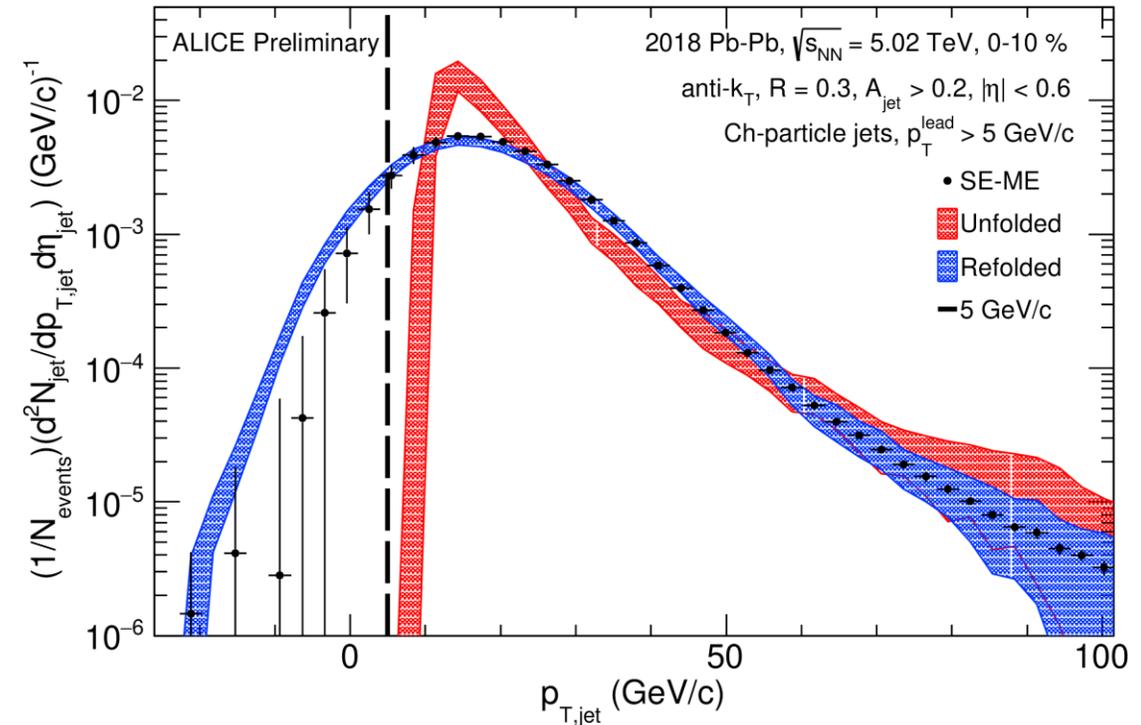
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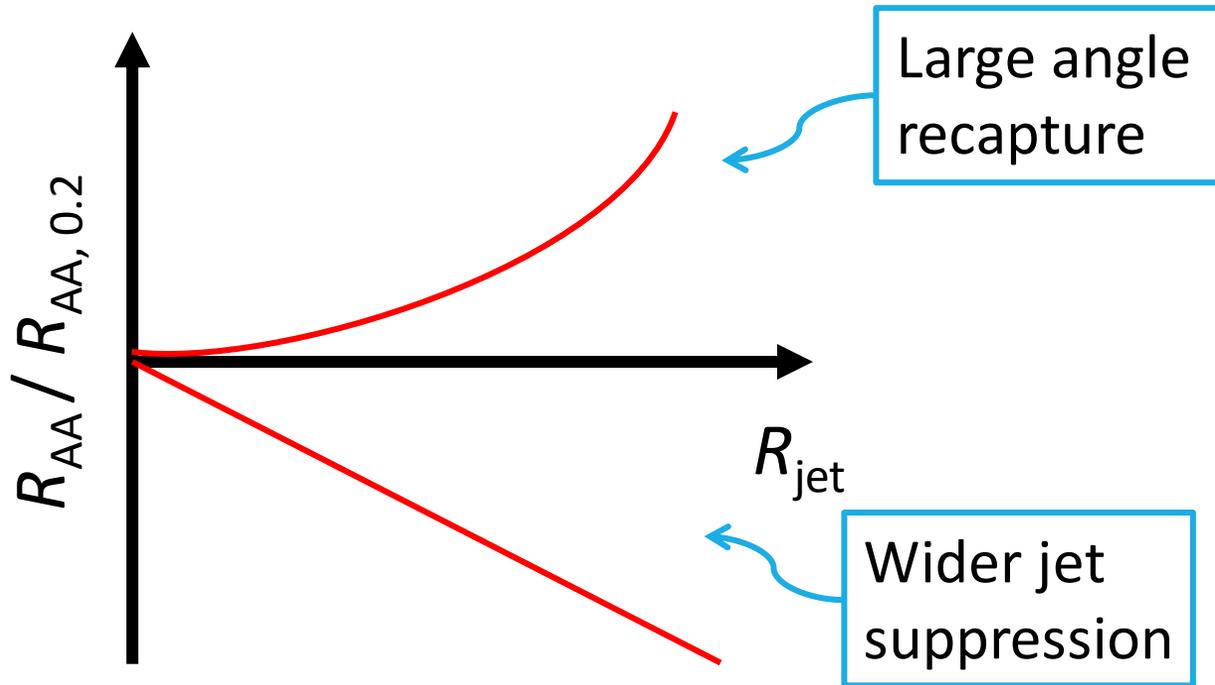
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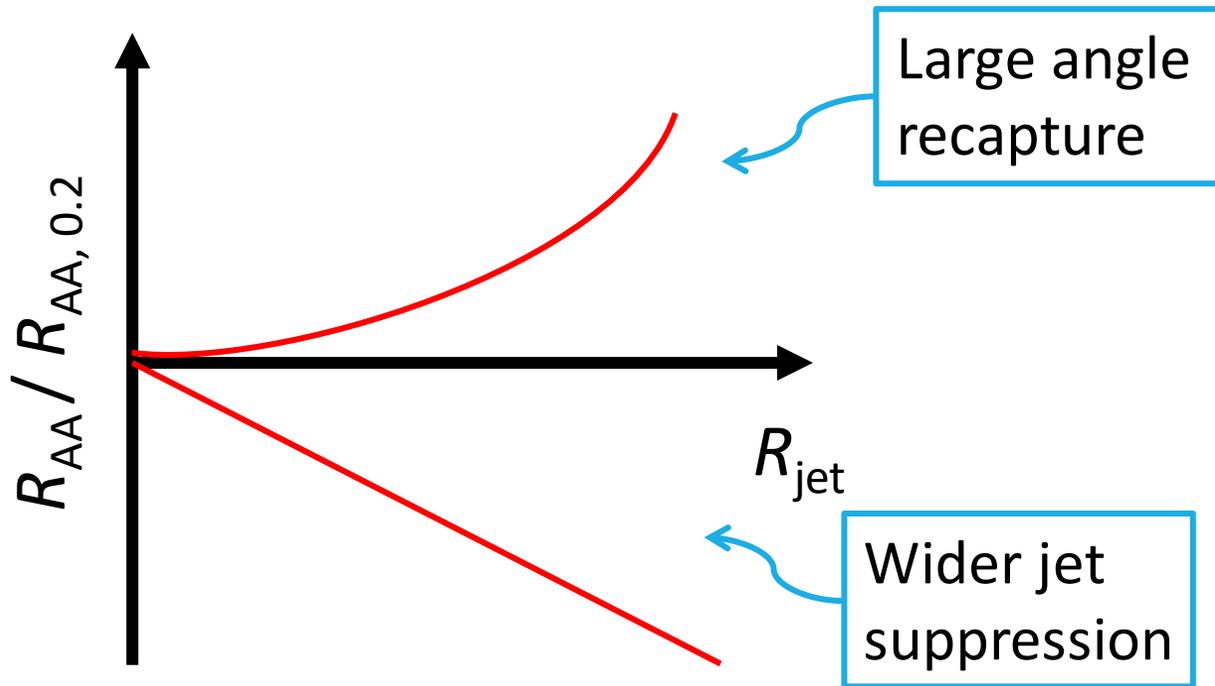
**Recover the lost energy by measuring down to very low jet  $p_T$**

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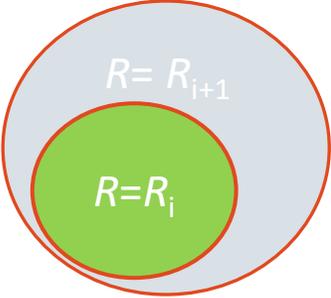


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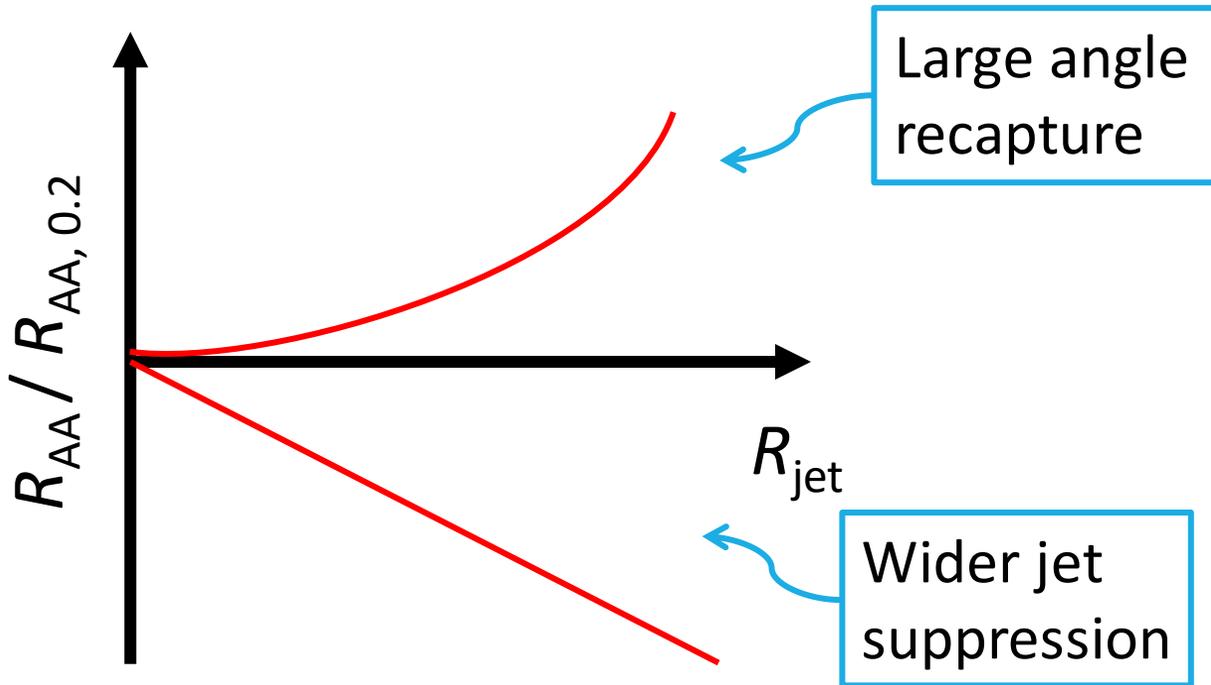


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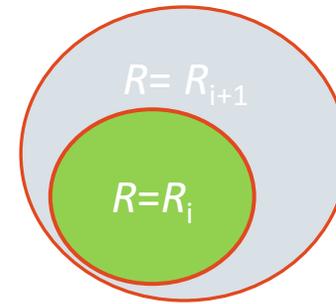
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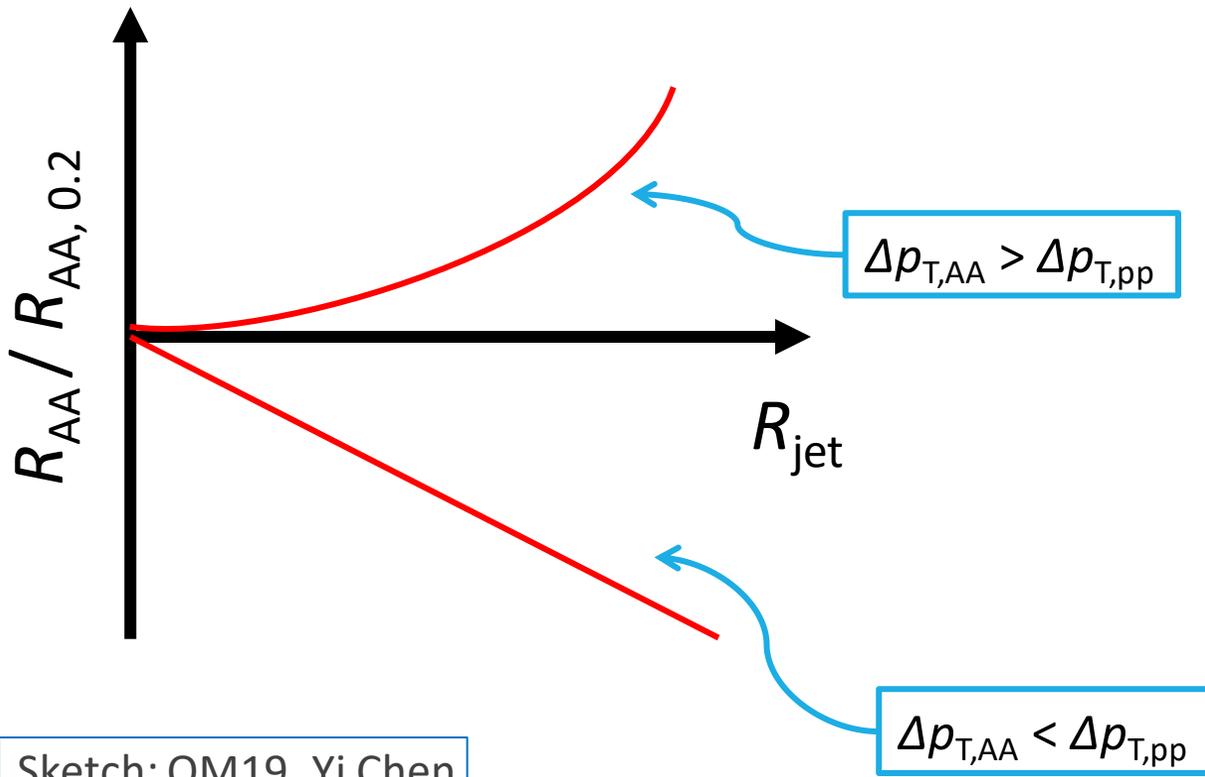
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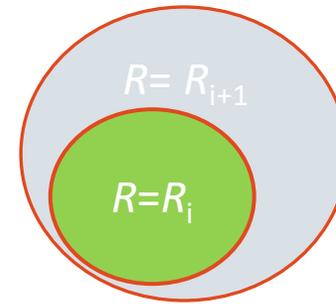
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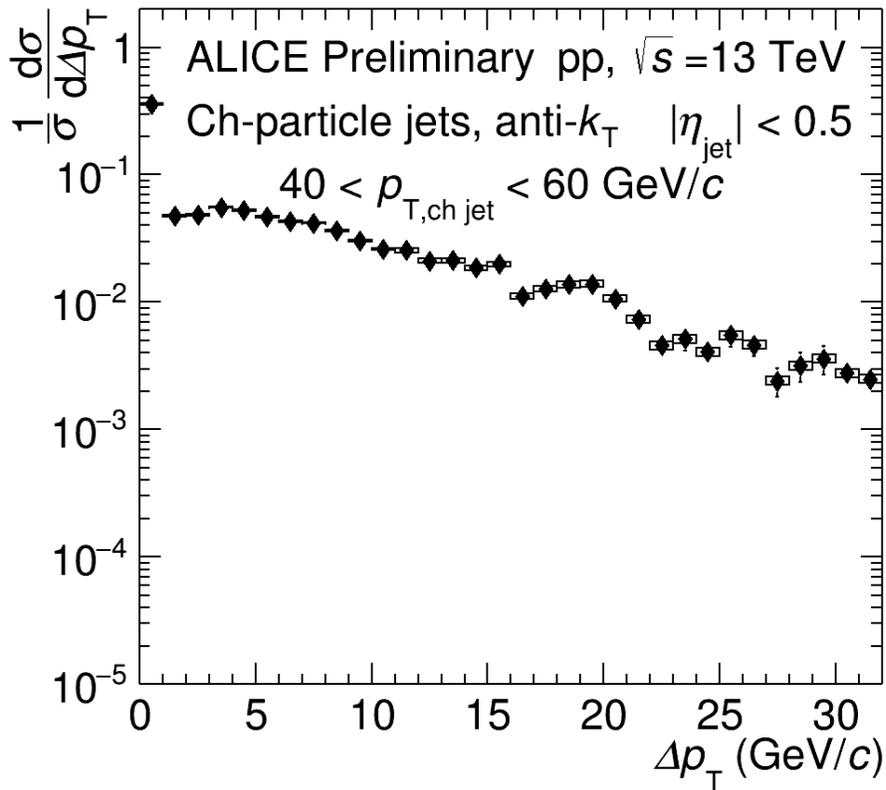
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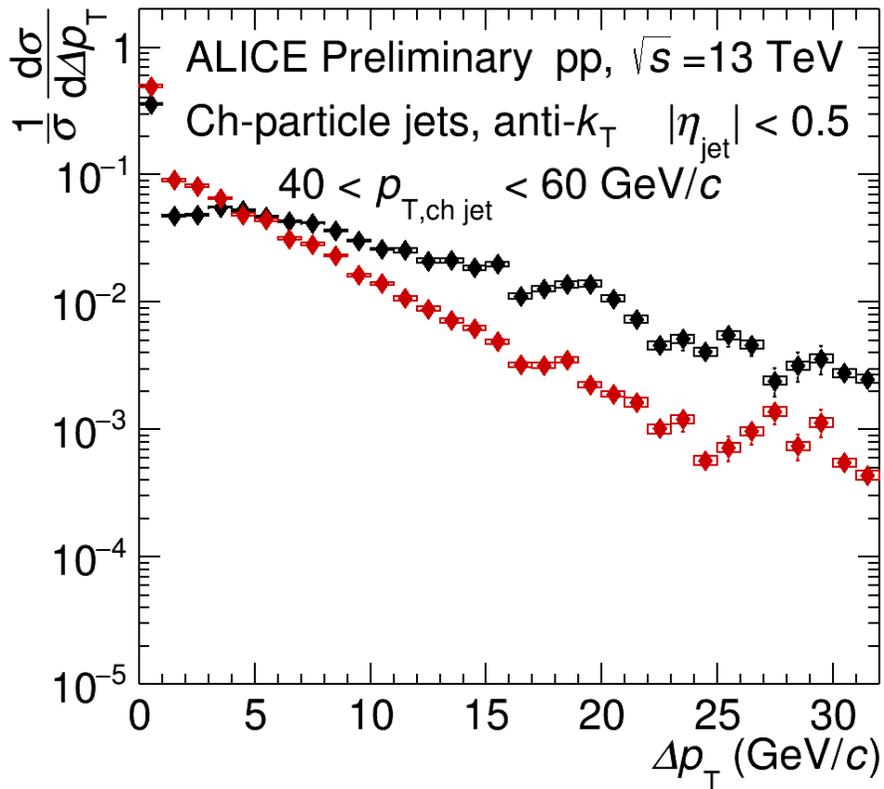
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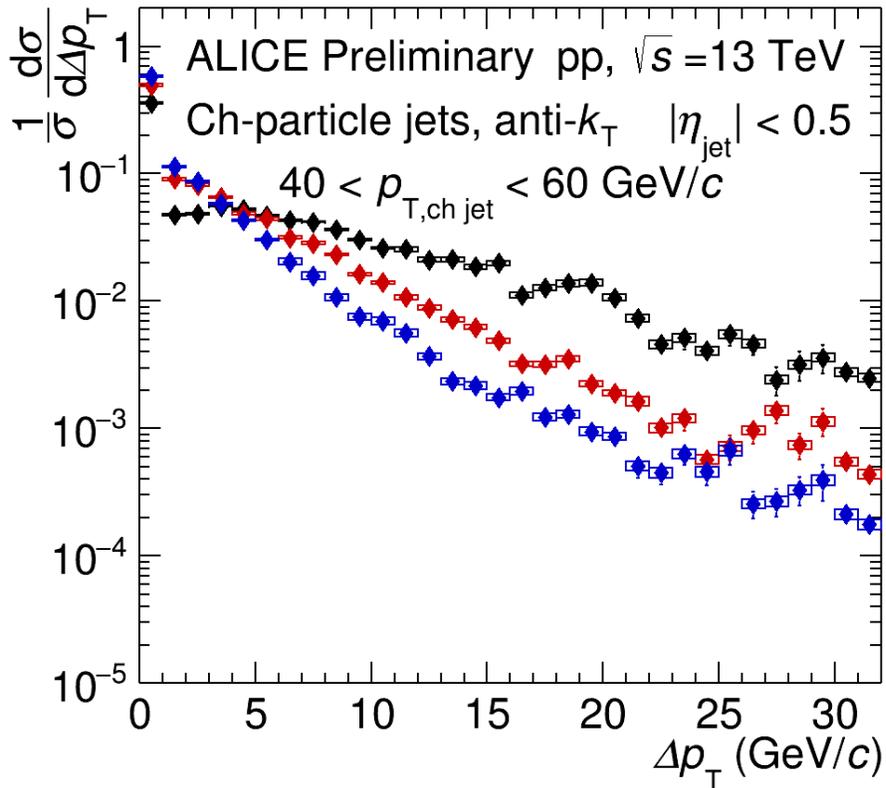
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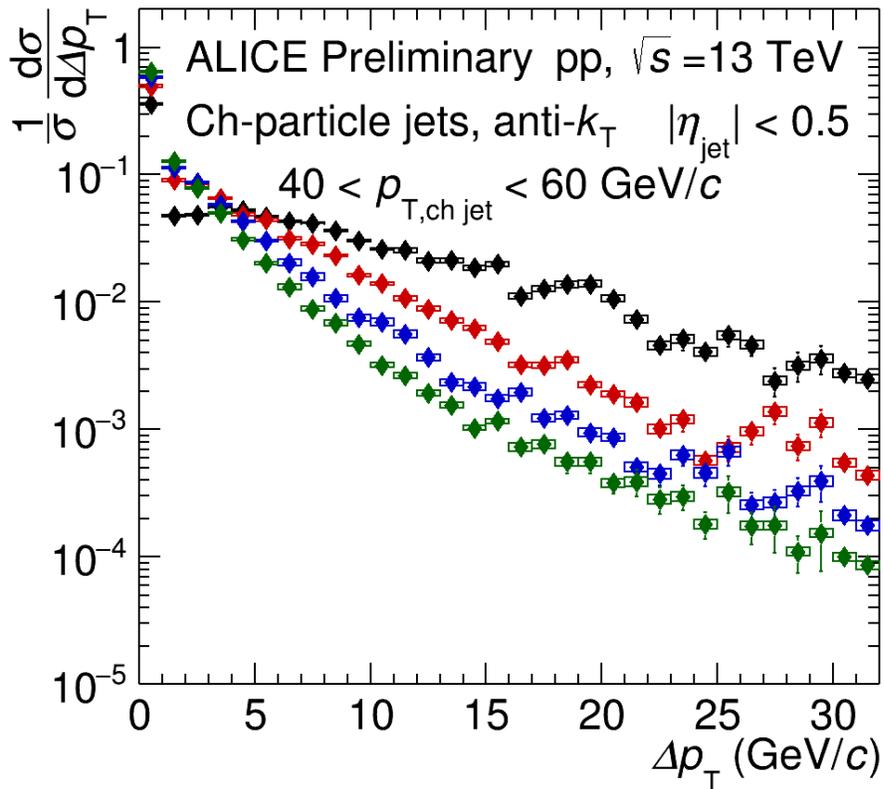
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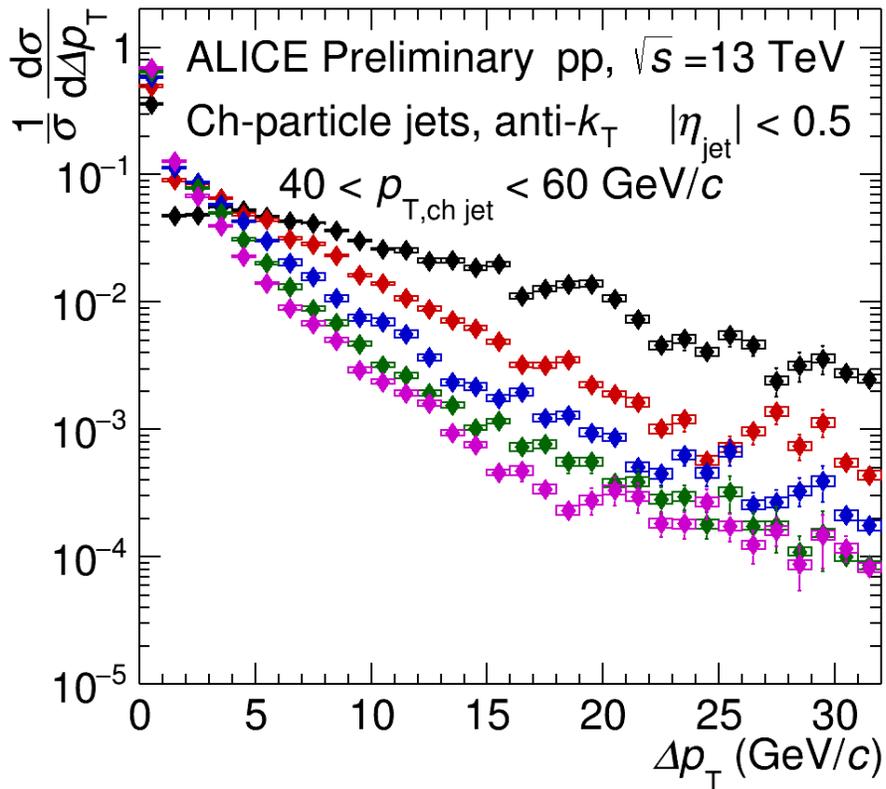
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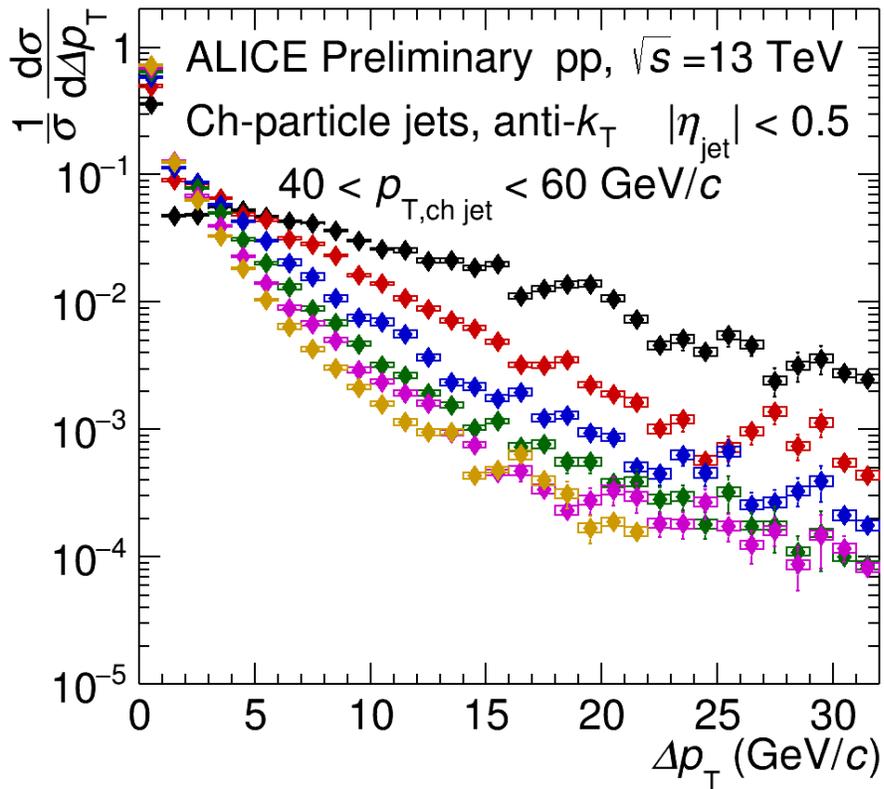
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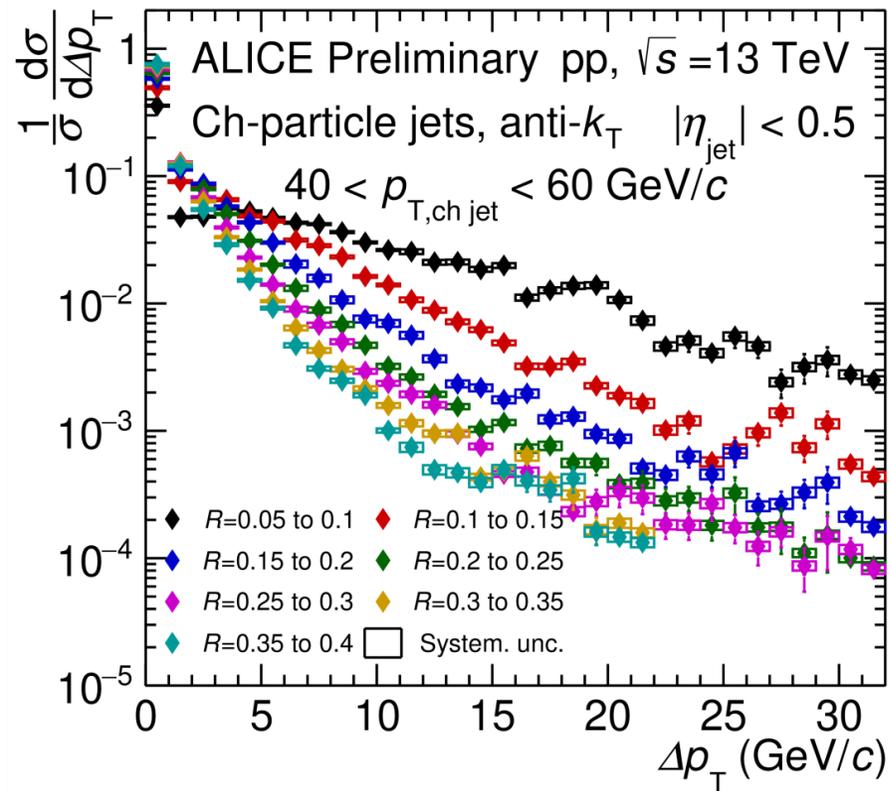
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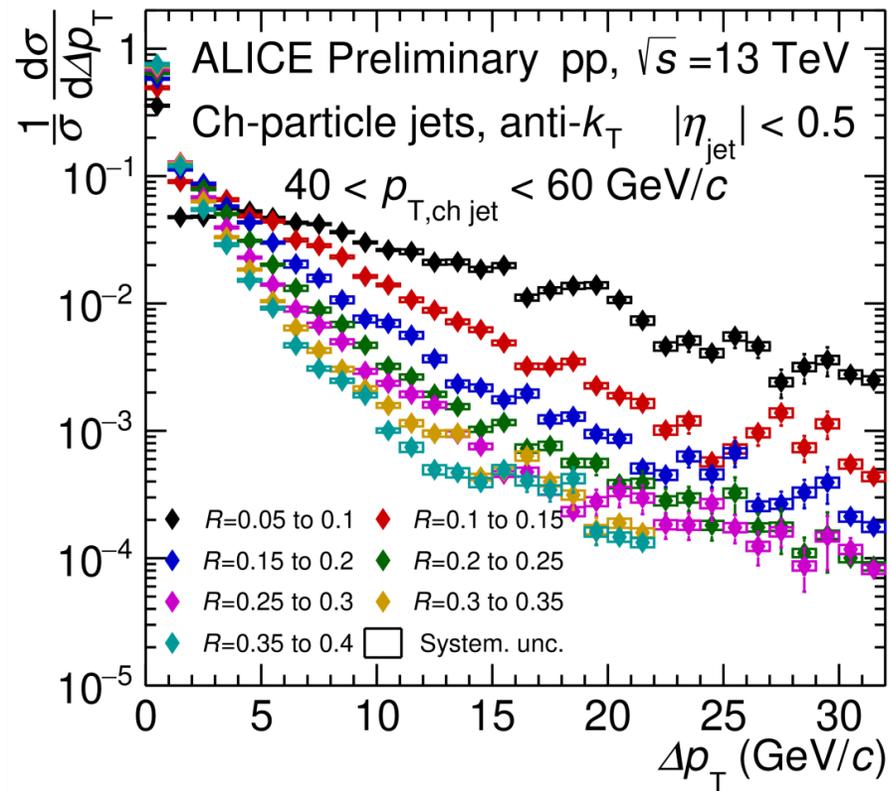


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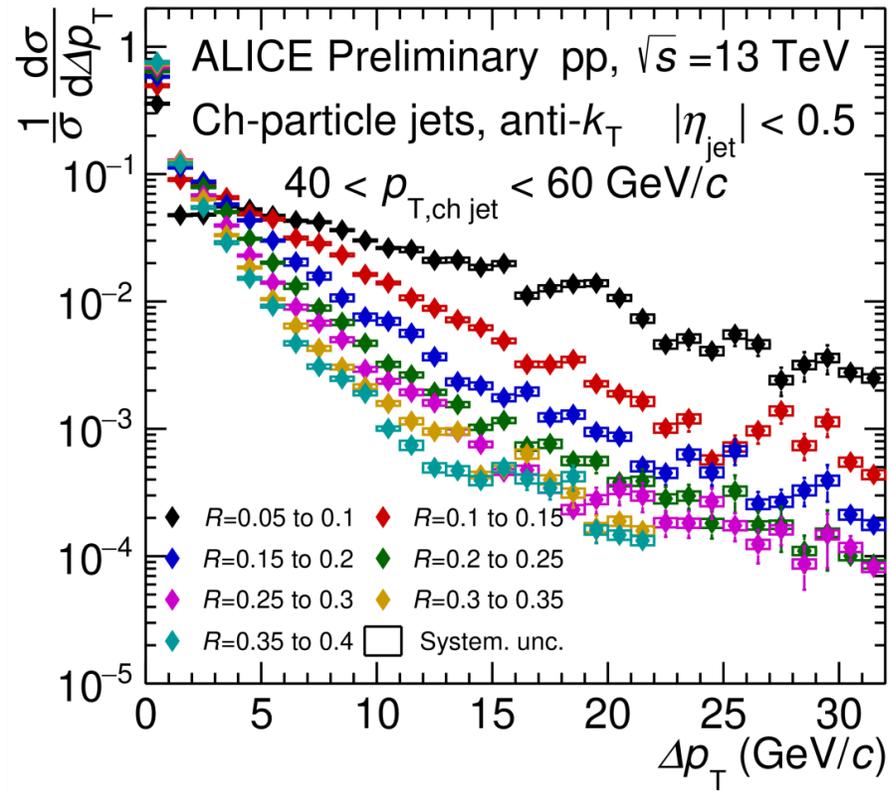


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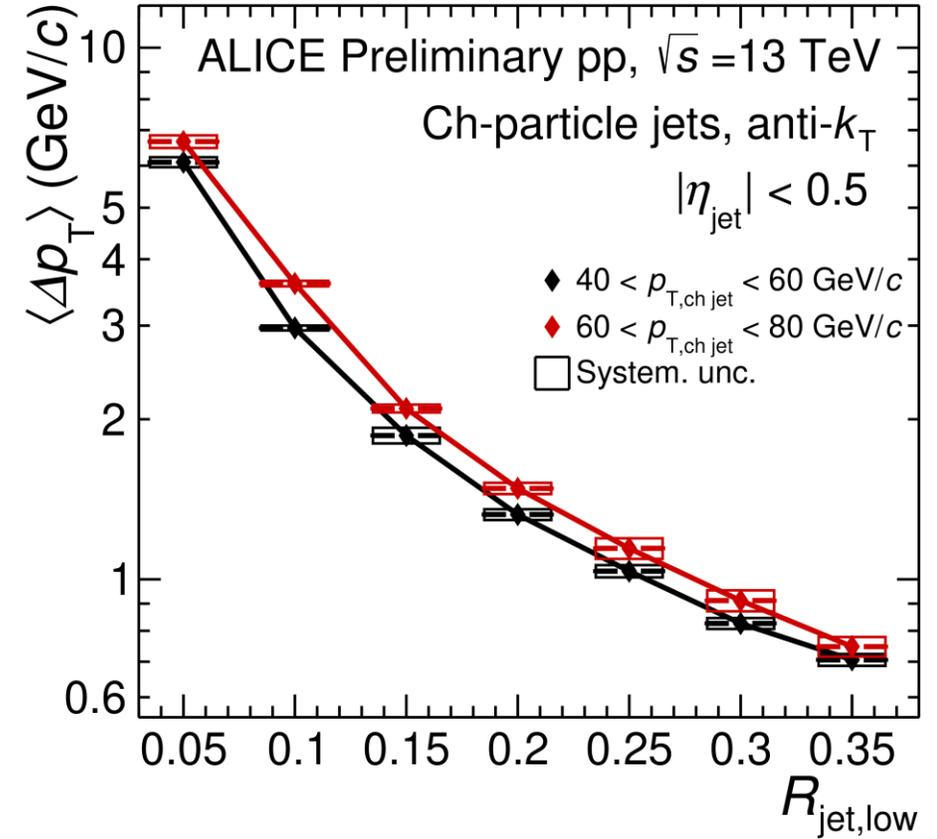
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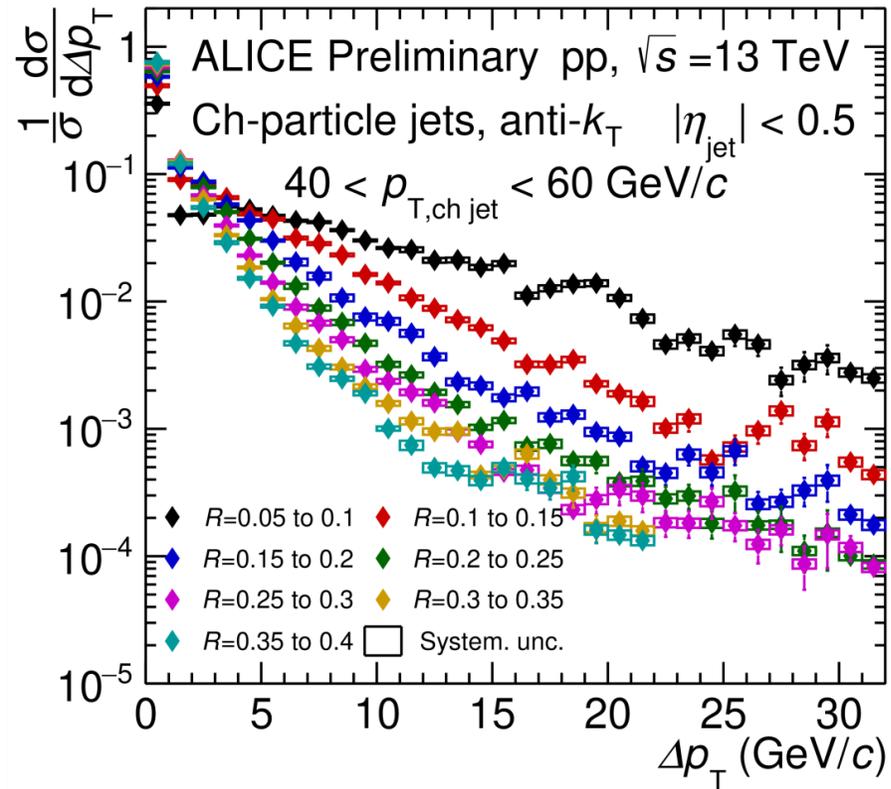
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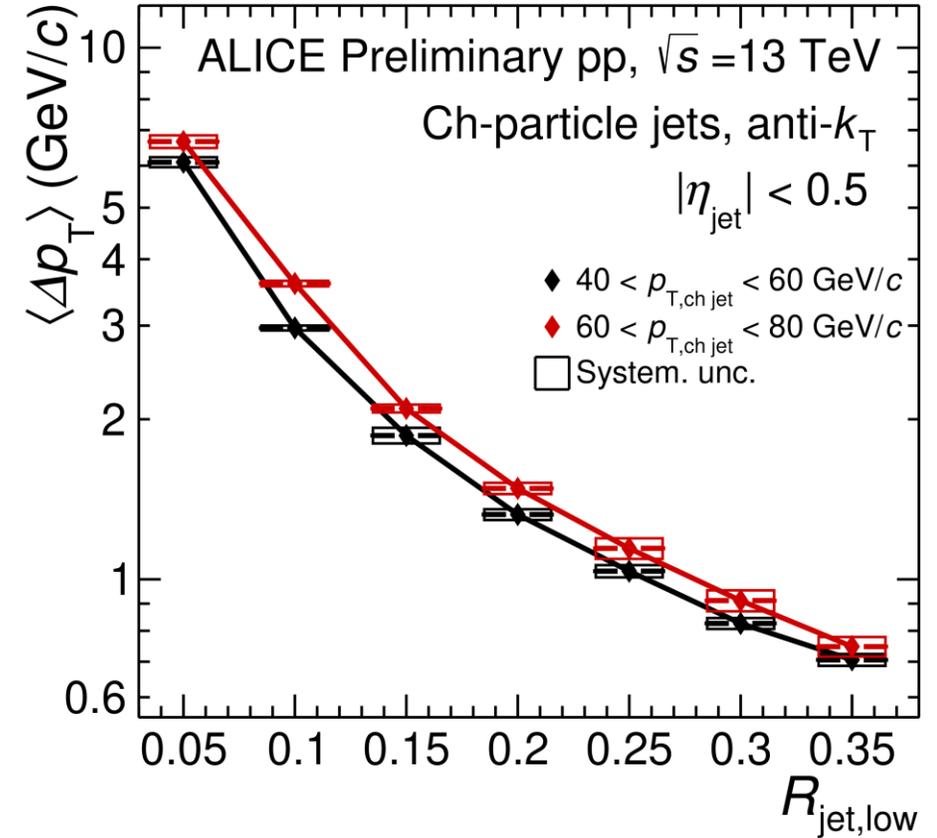
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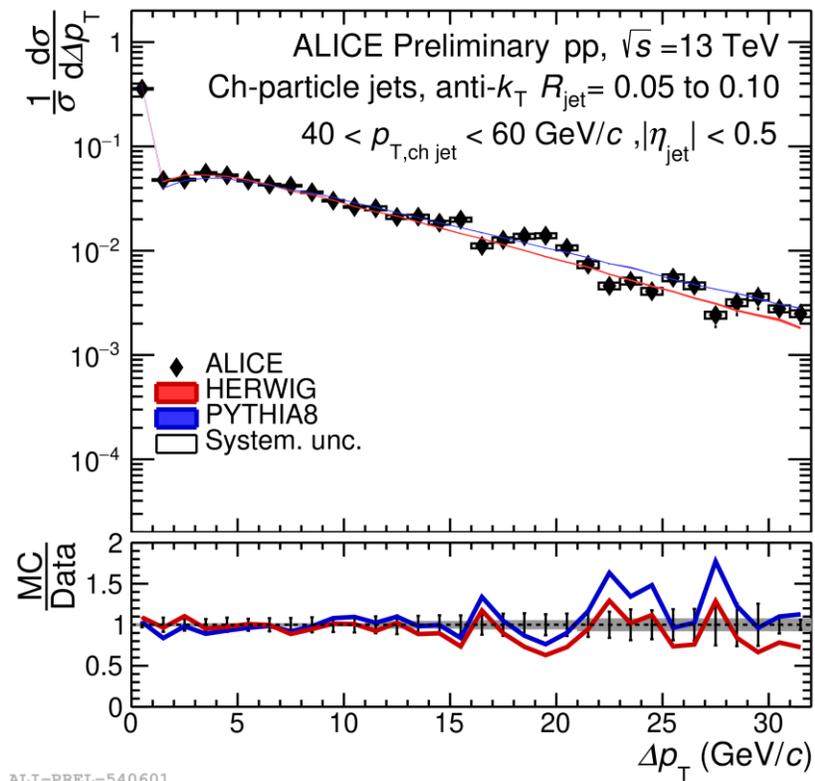
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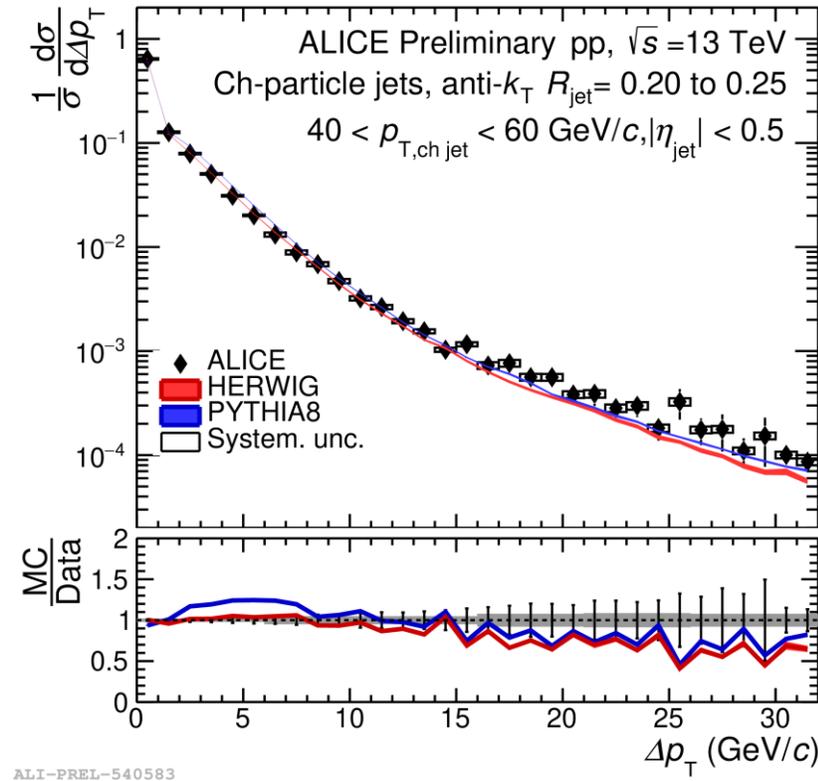


**Mean energy flow rapidly decreases as function of R**

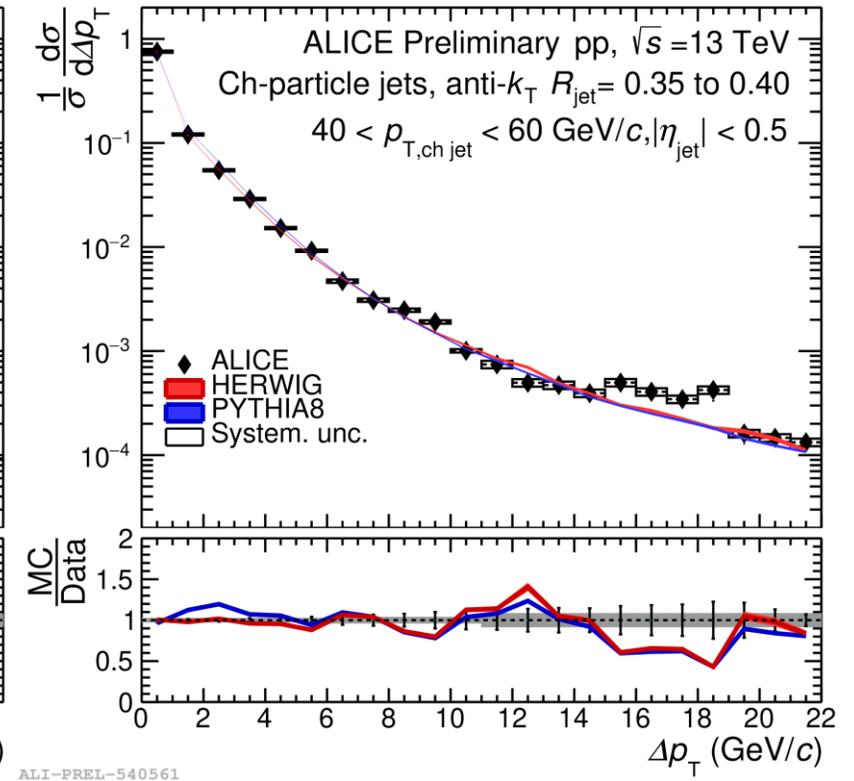
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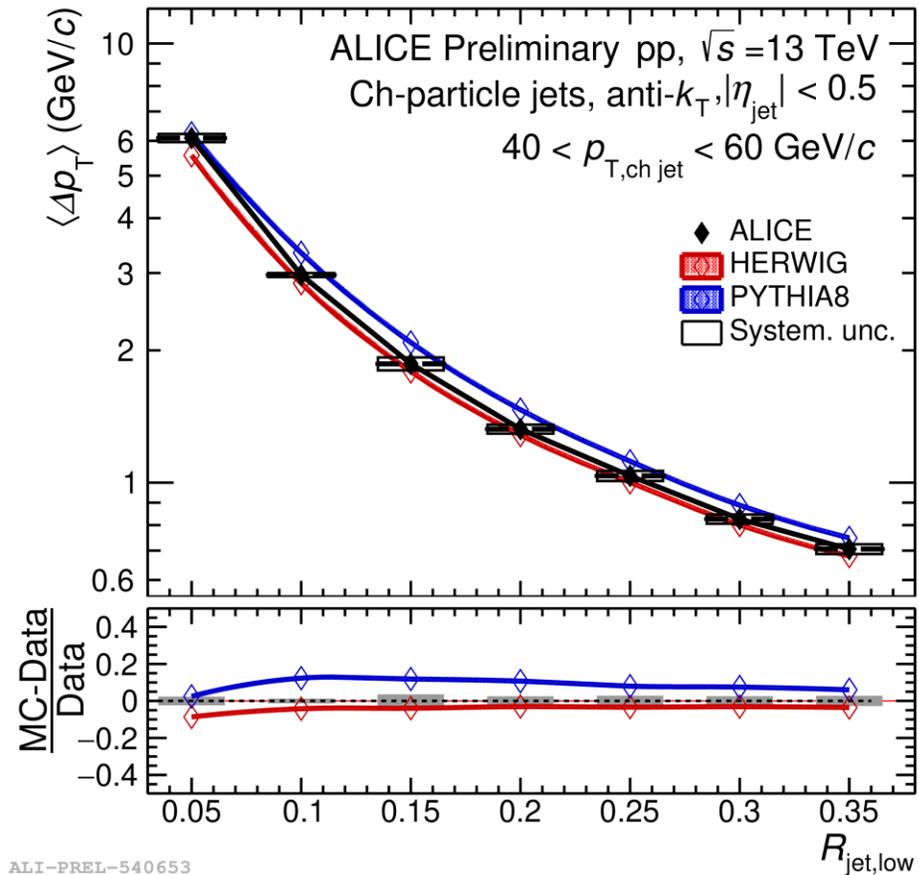


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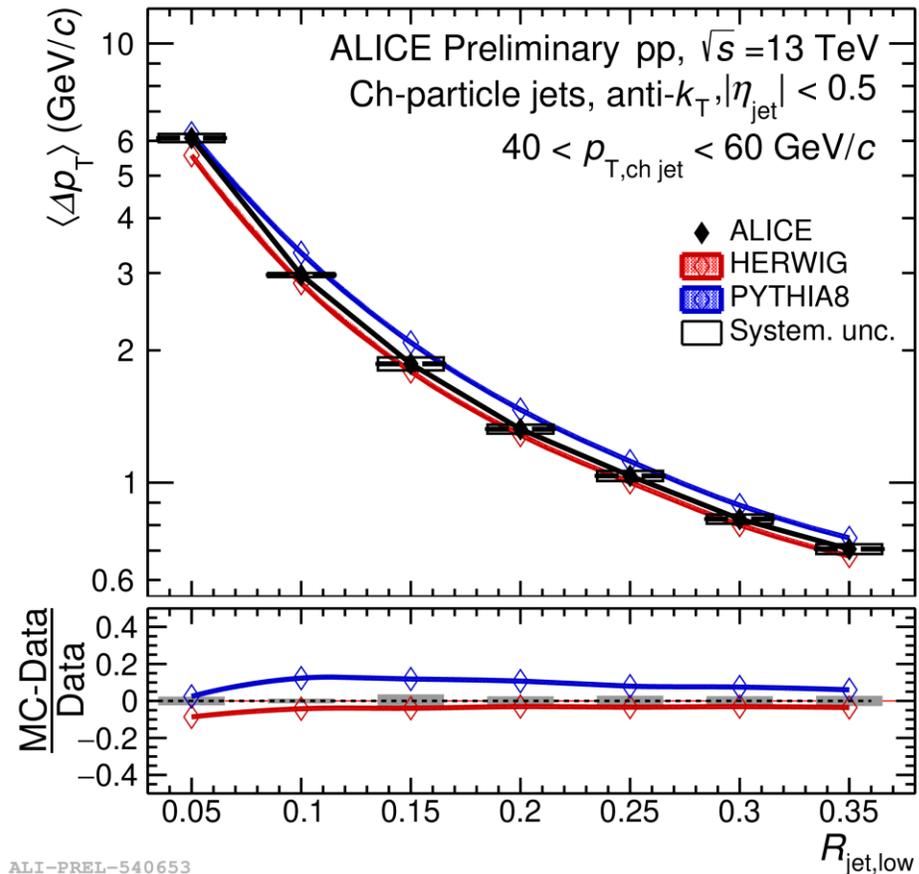
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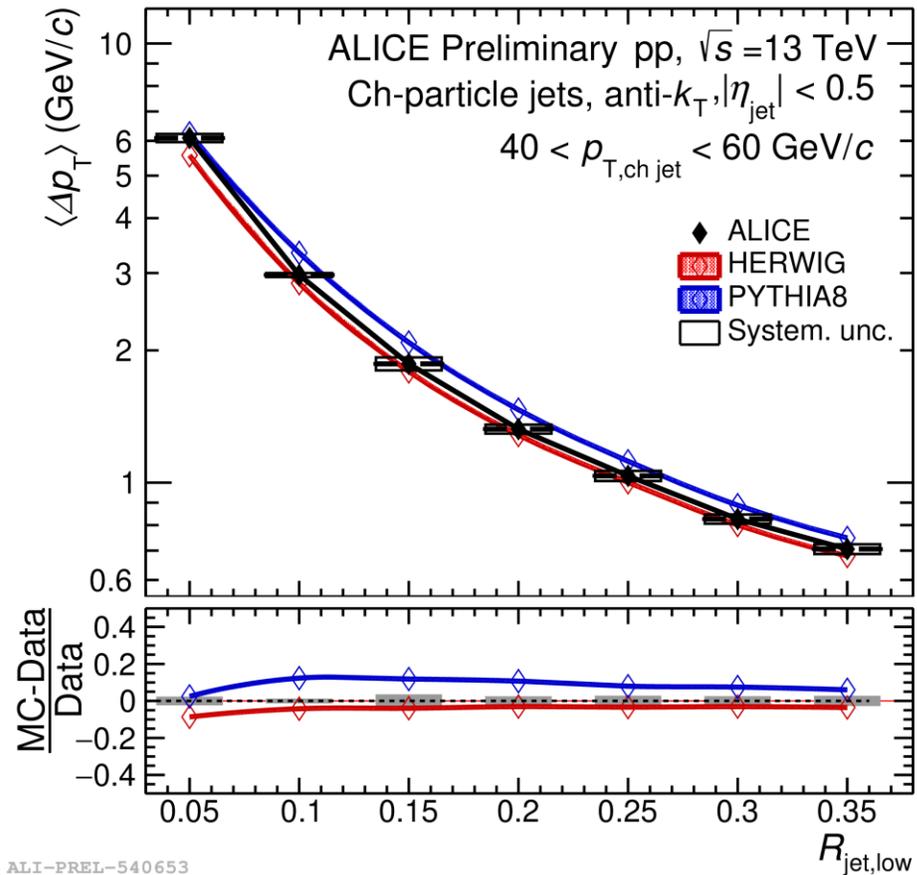
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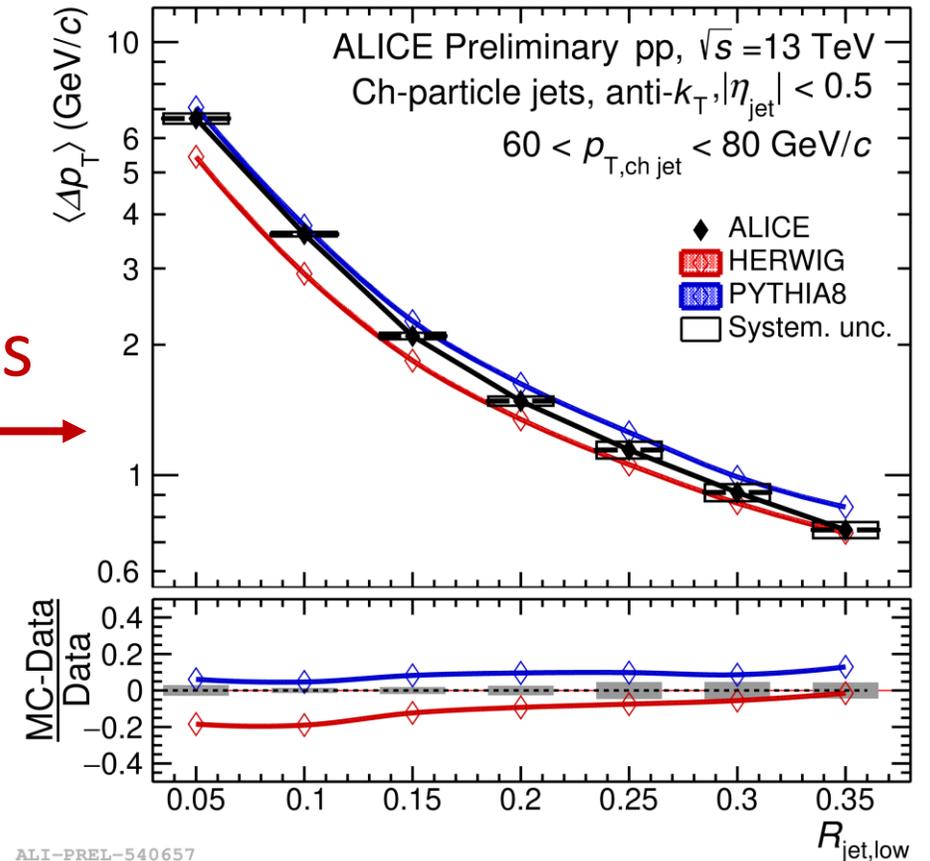


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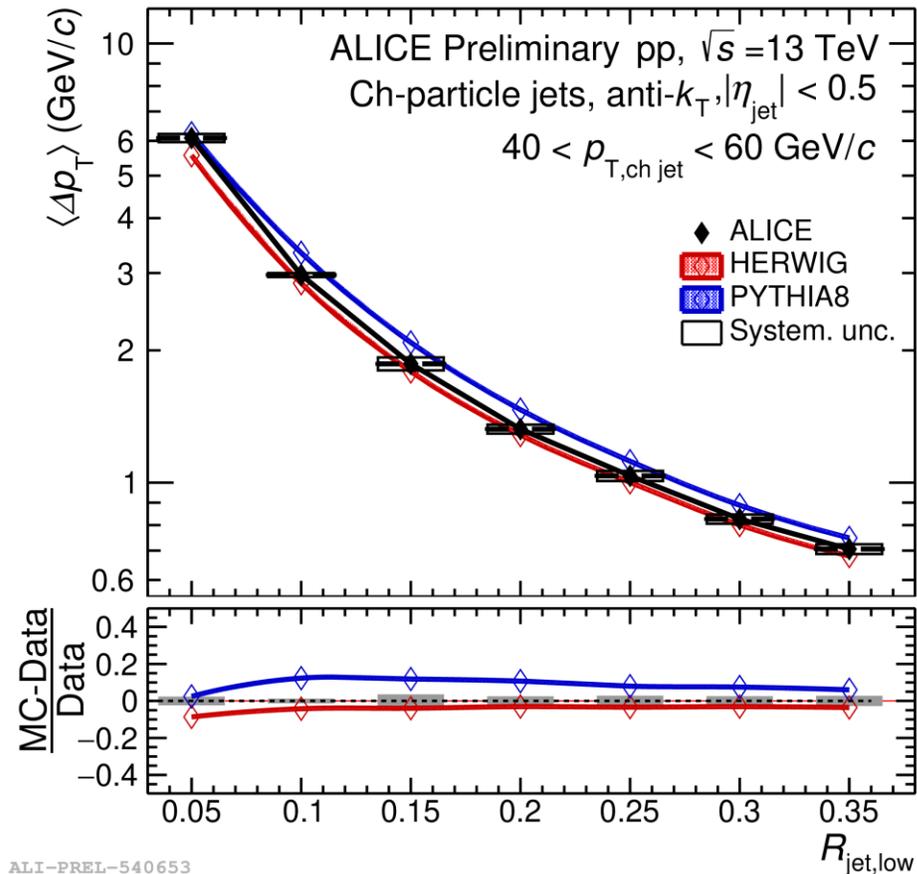
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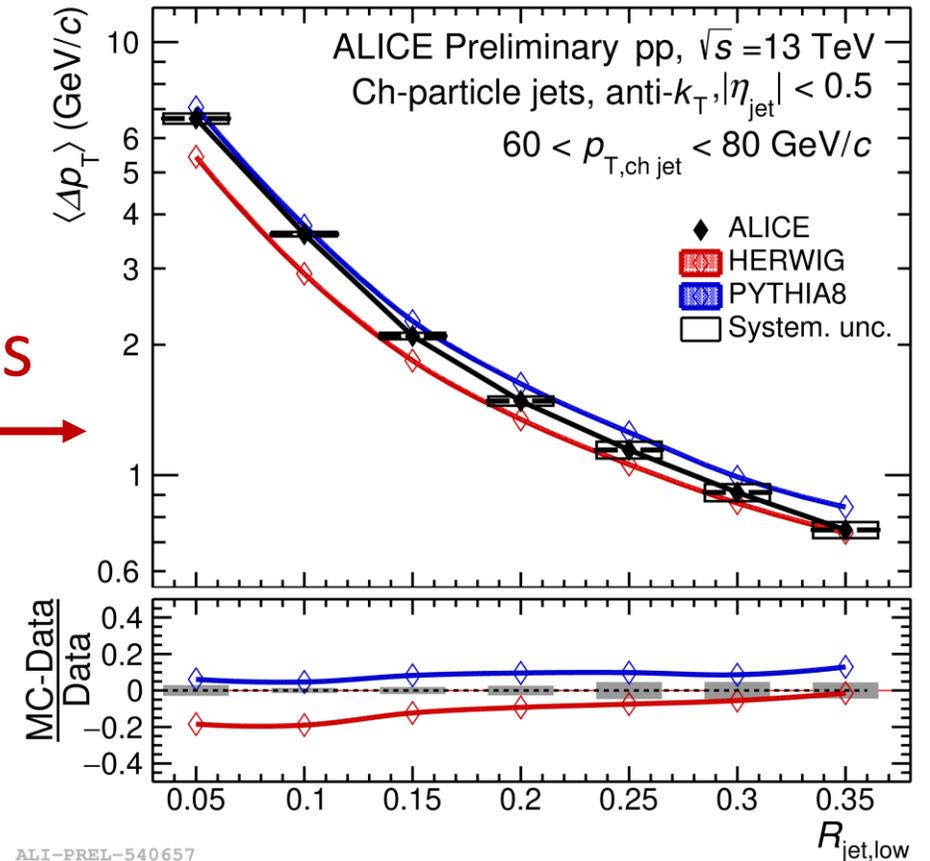
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Good description of the measurement by both models



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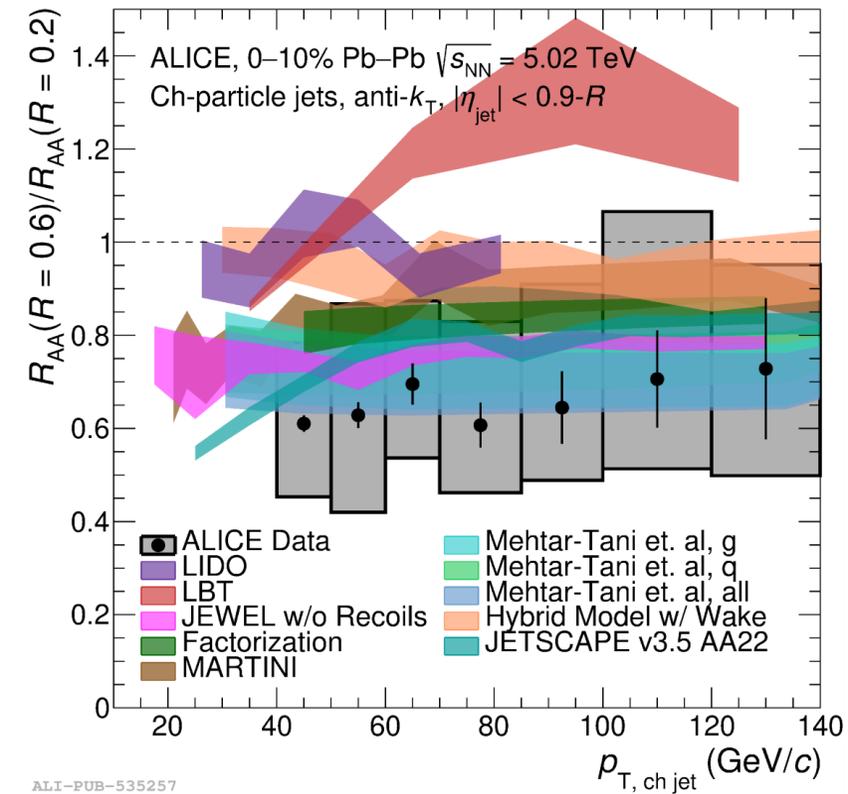
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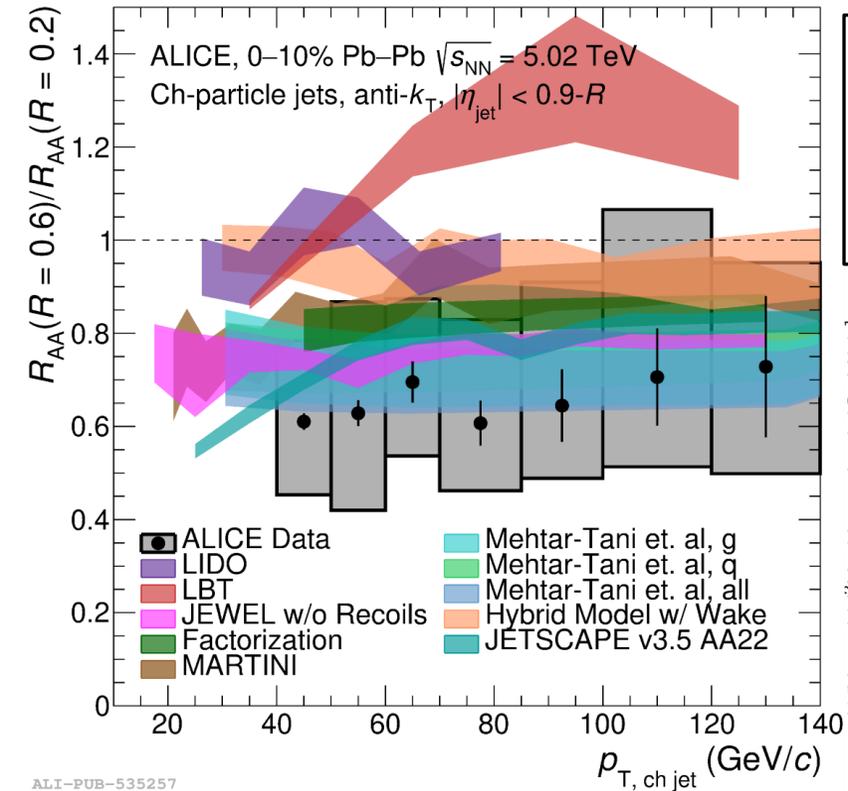
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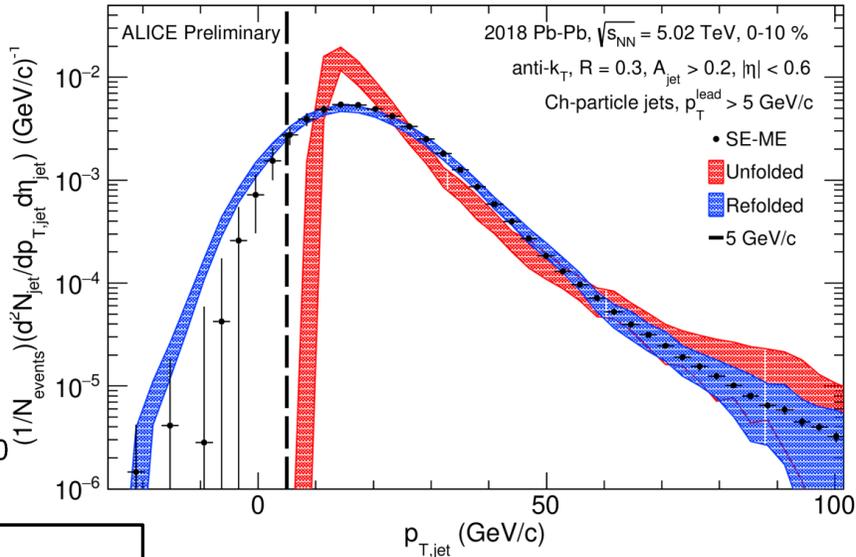
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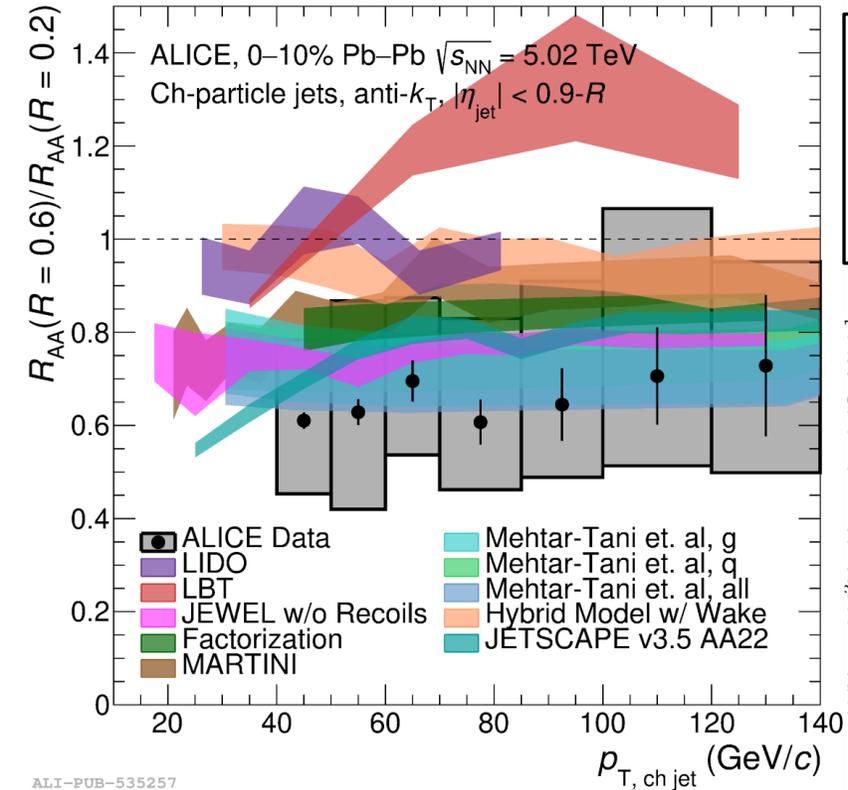
Mixed event method allows jet yield measurement in unprecedented  $p_T$  regime



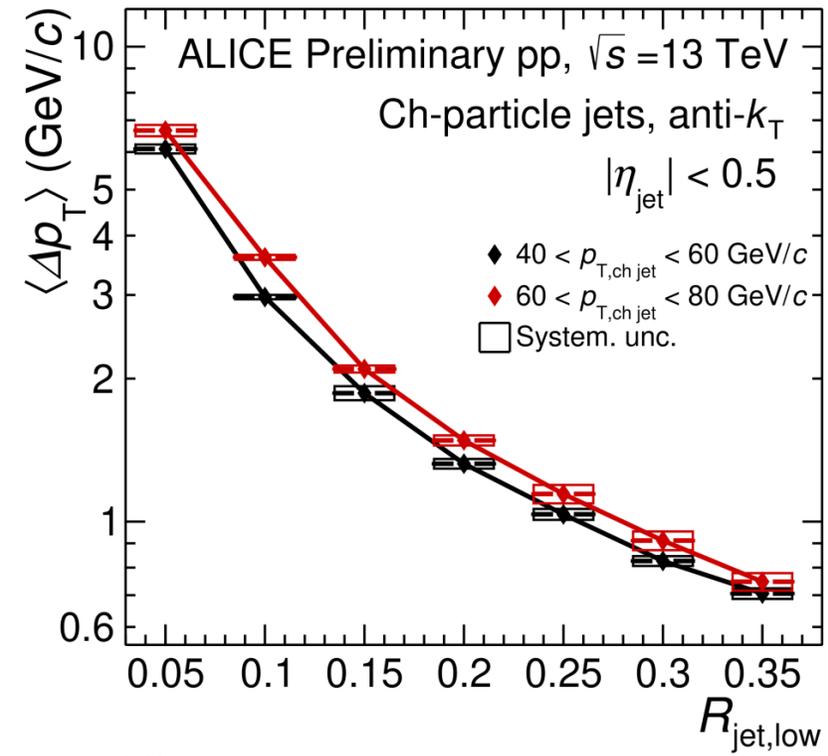
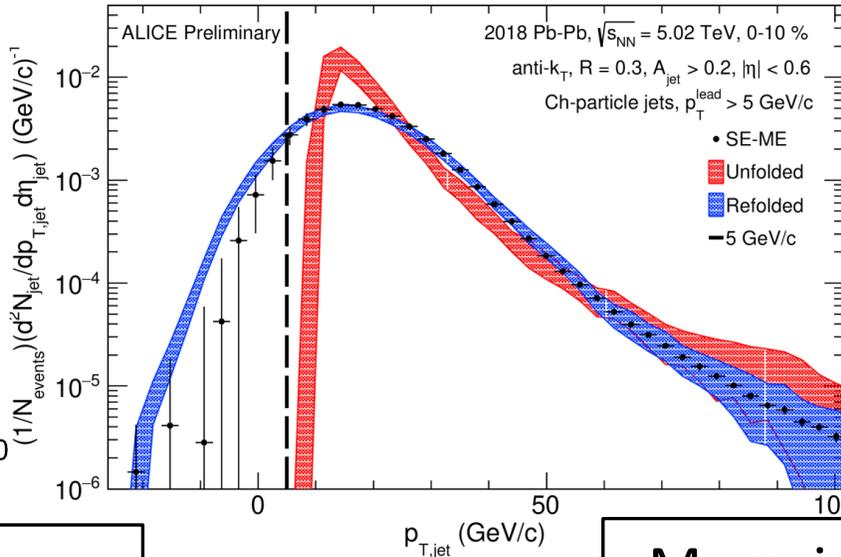
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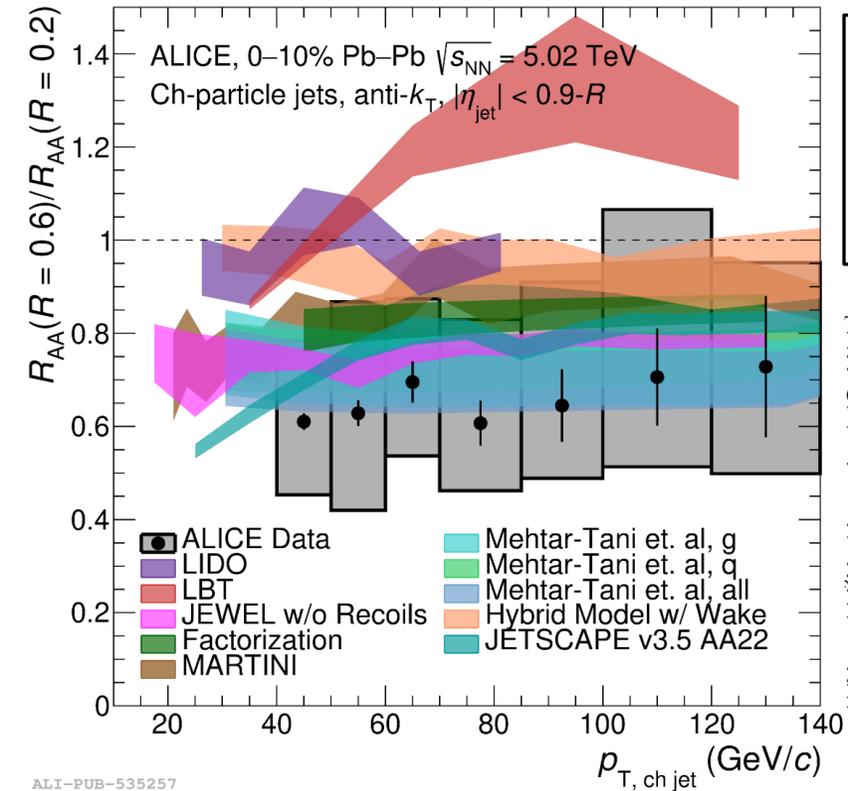
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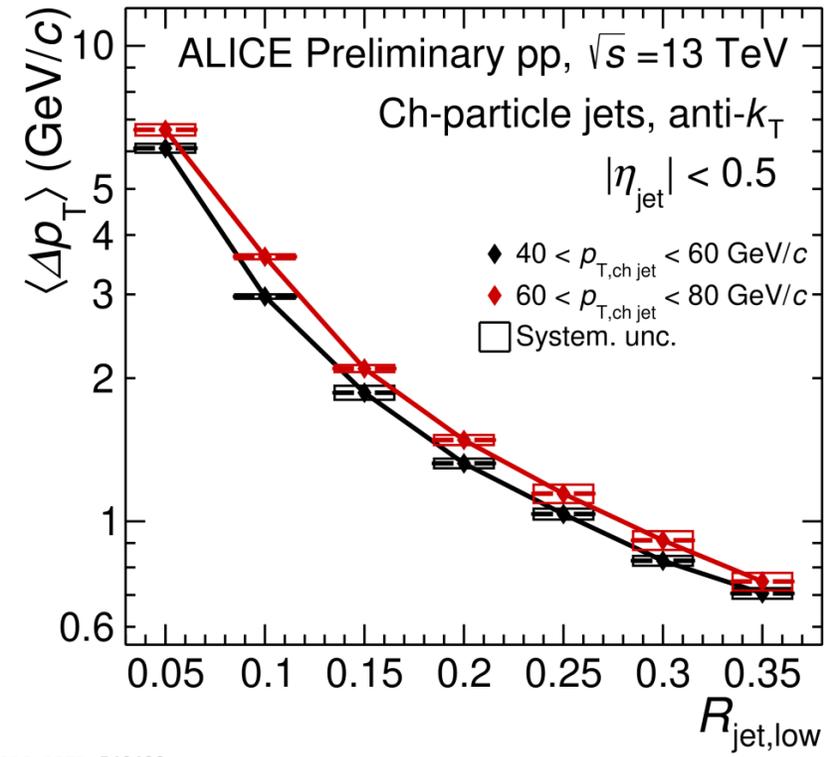
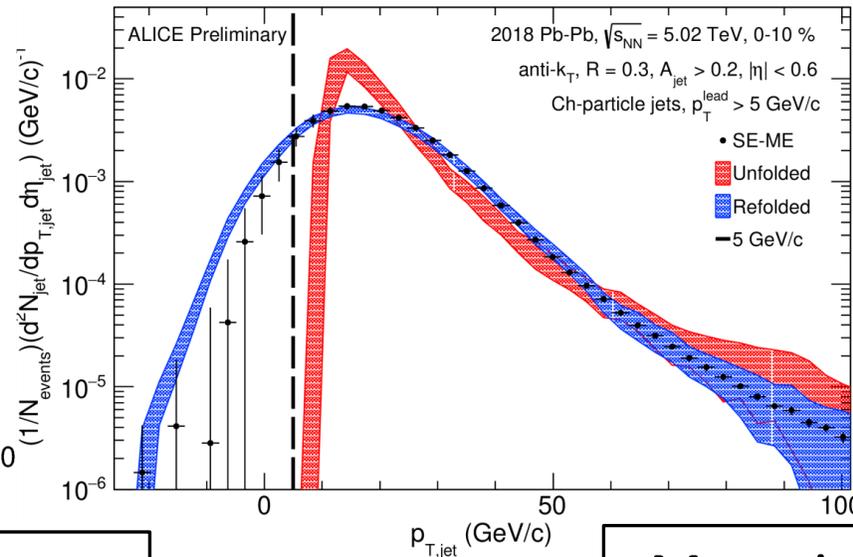
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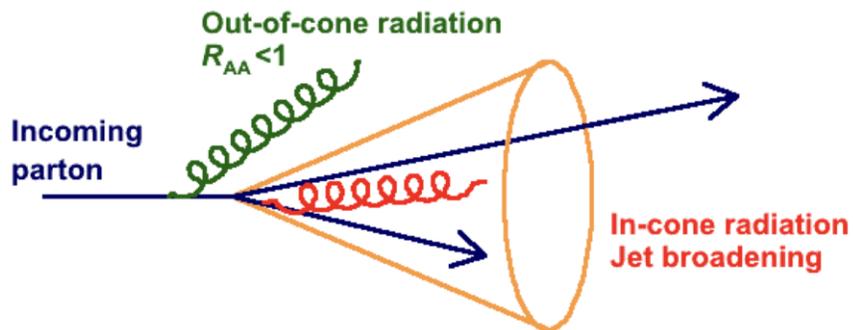
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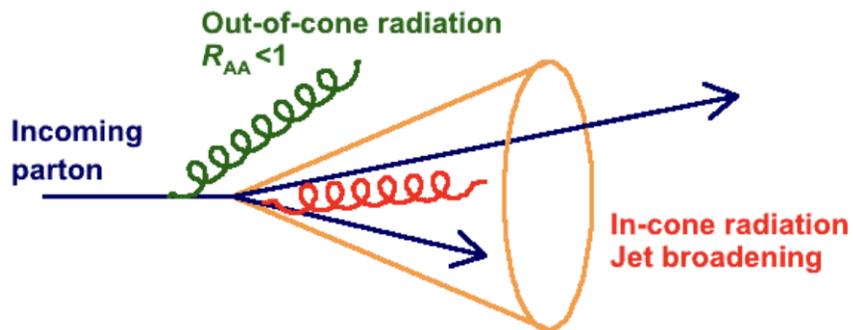
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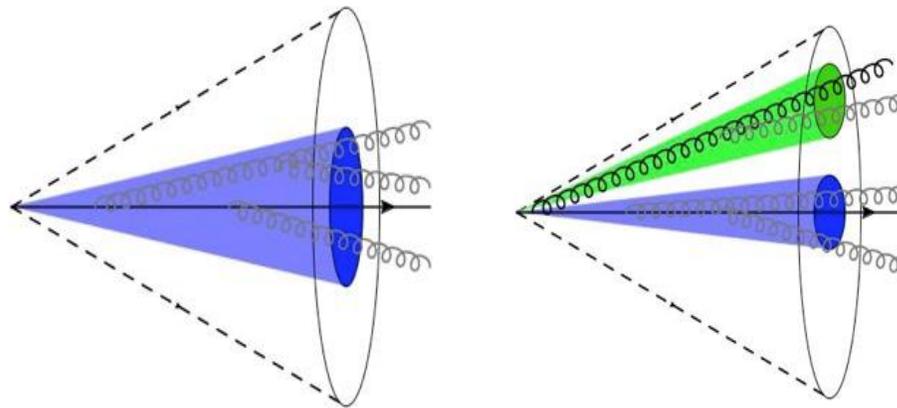


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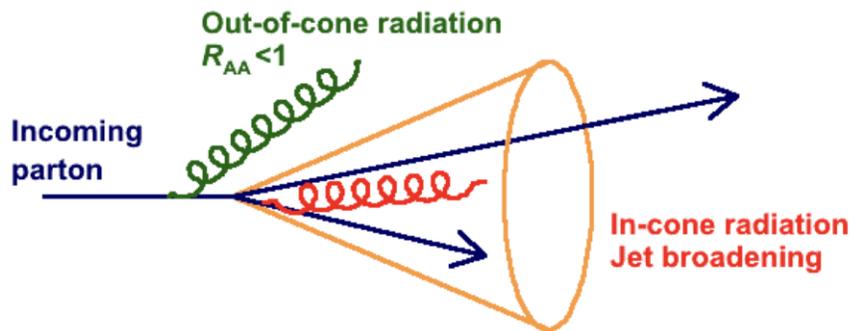


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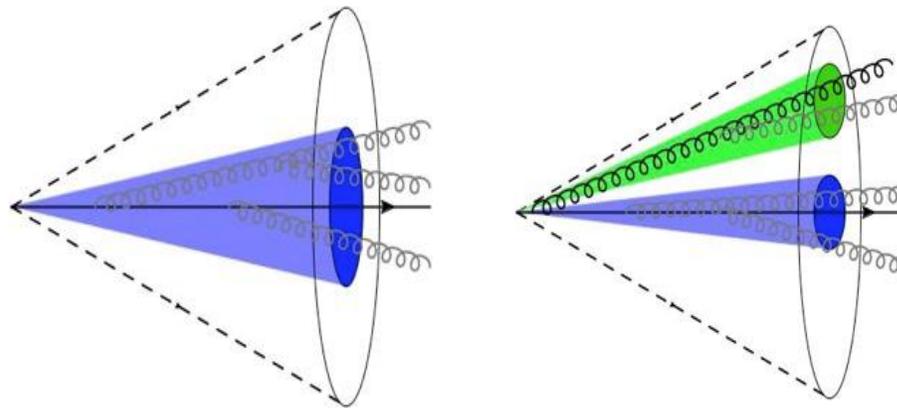


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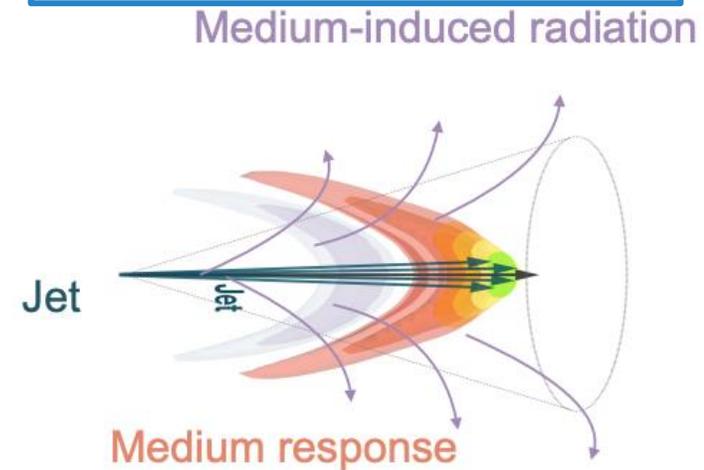
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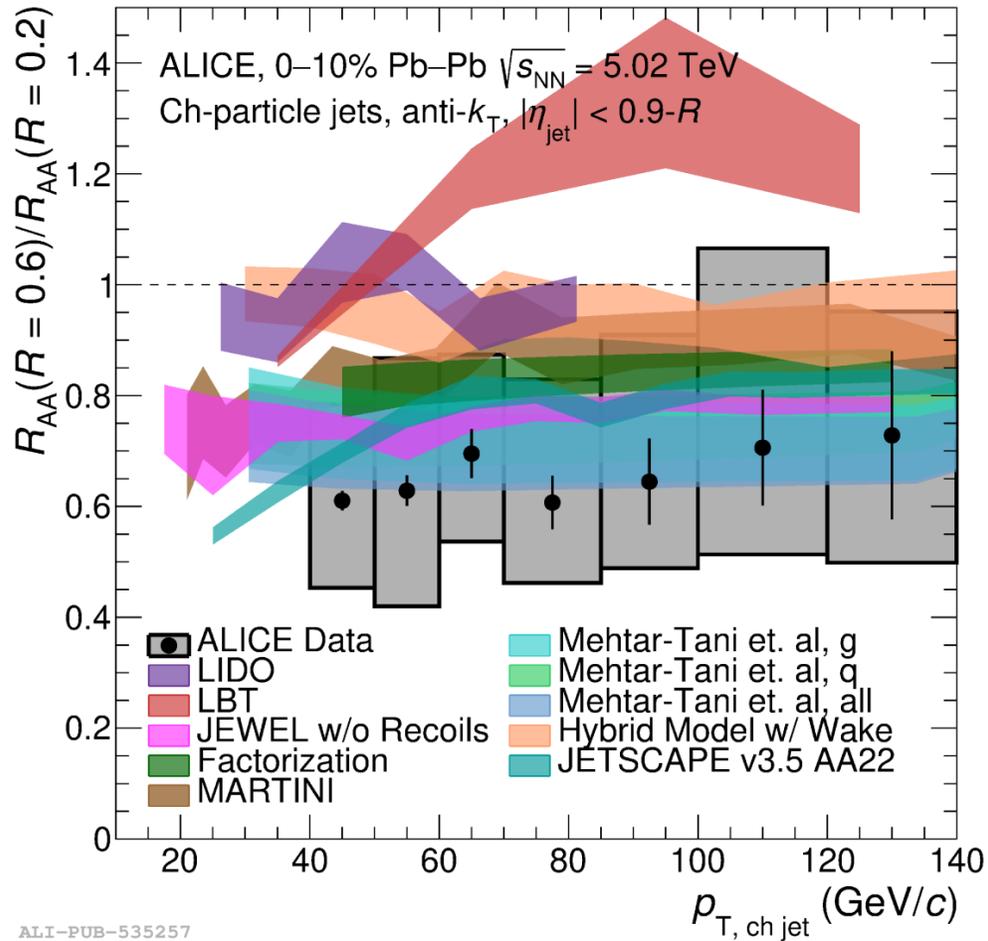
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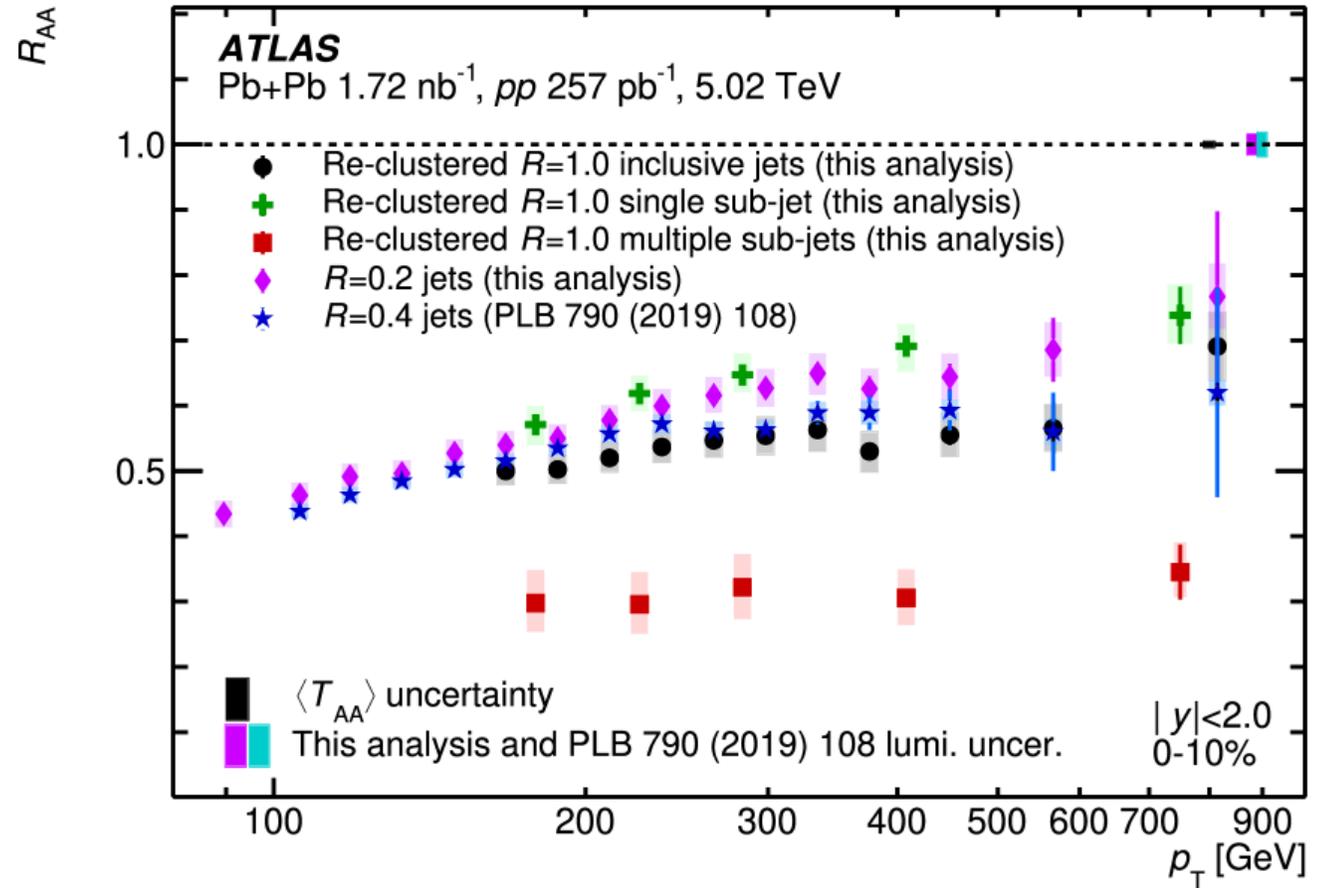


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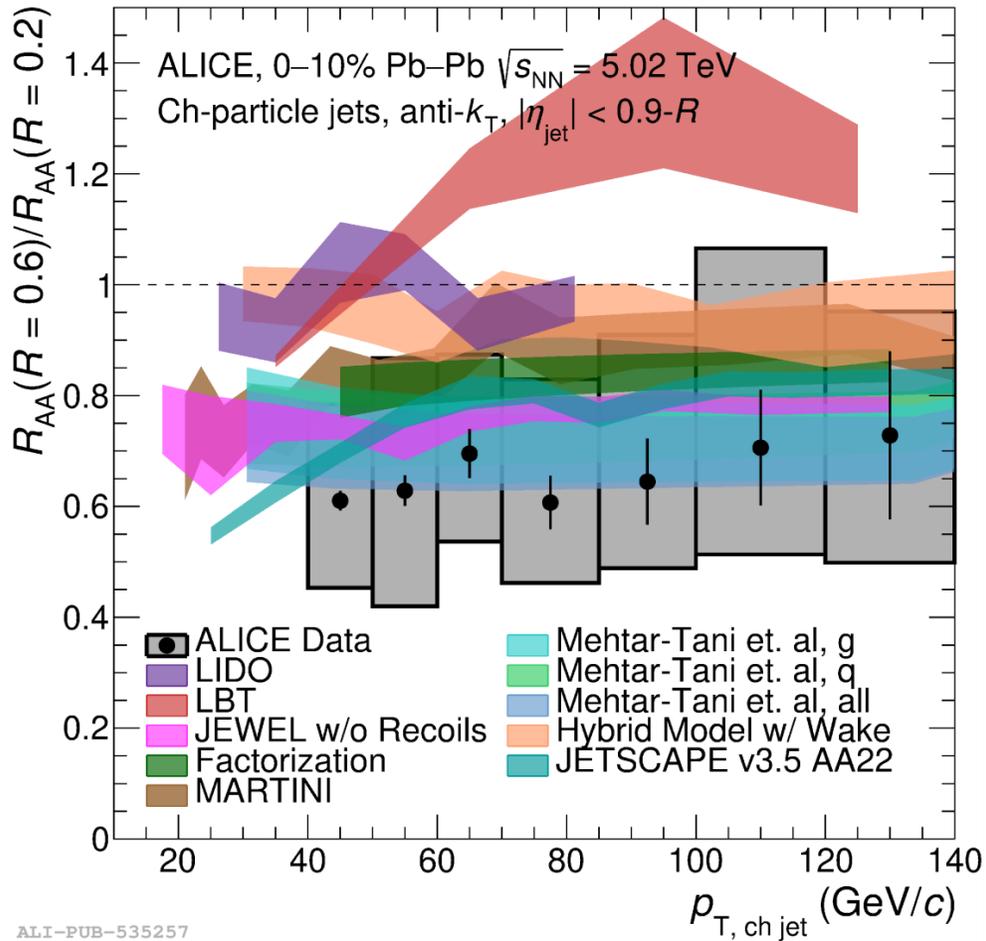
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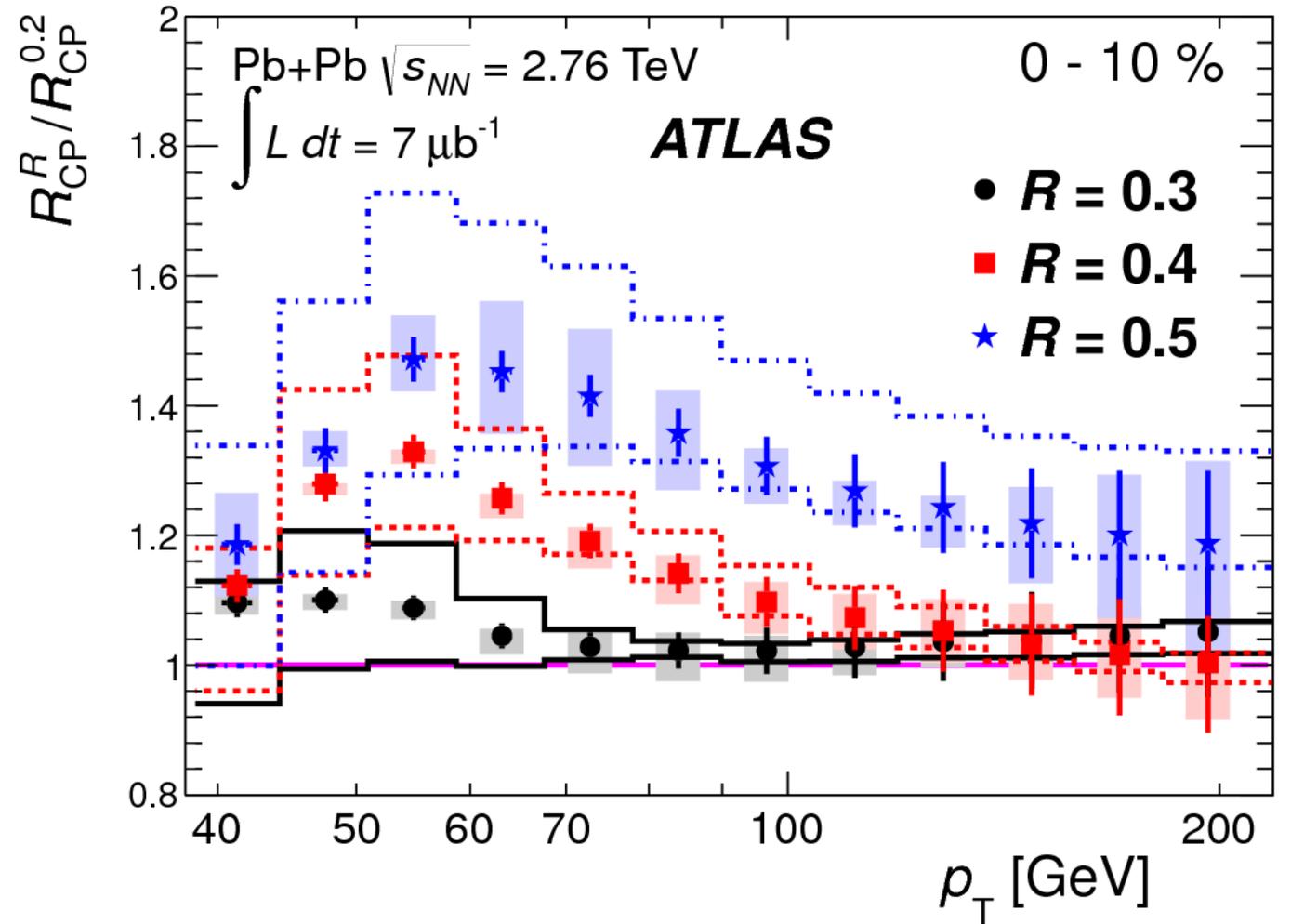
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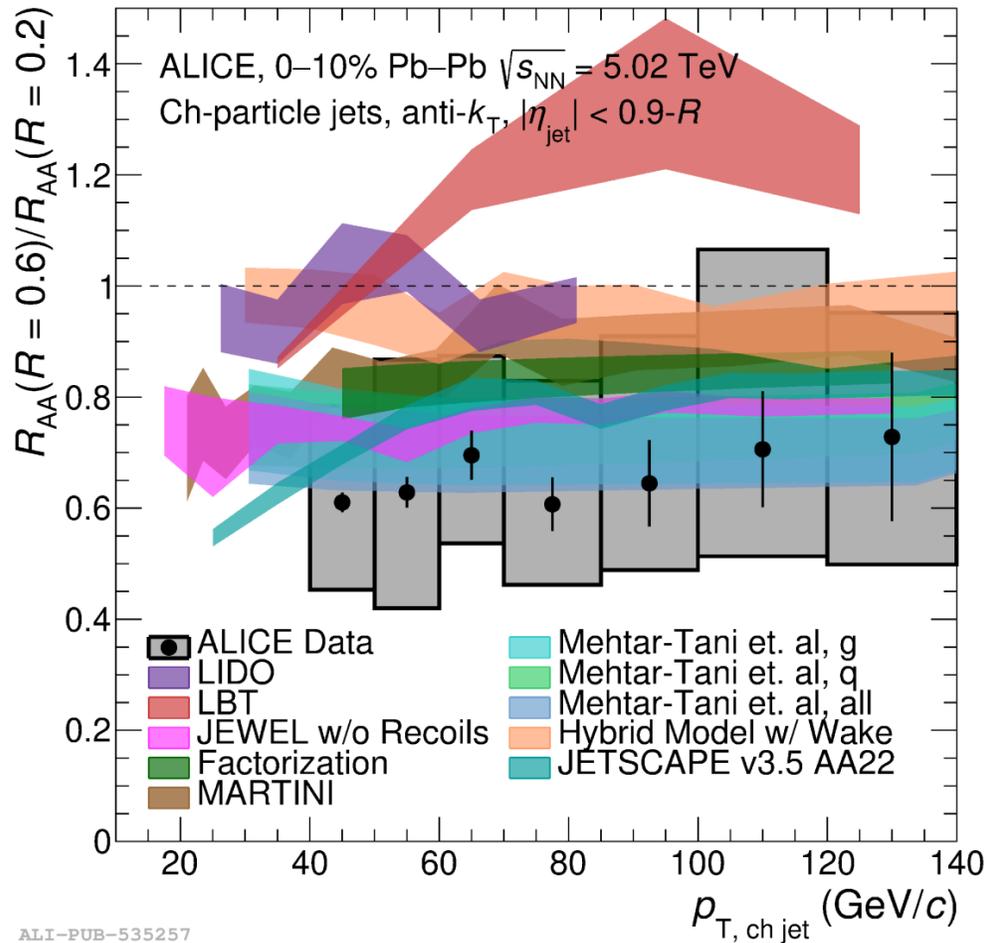
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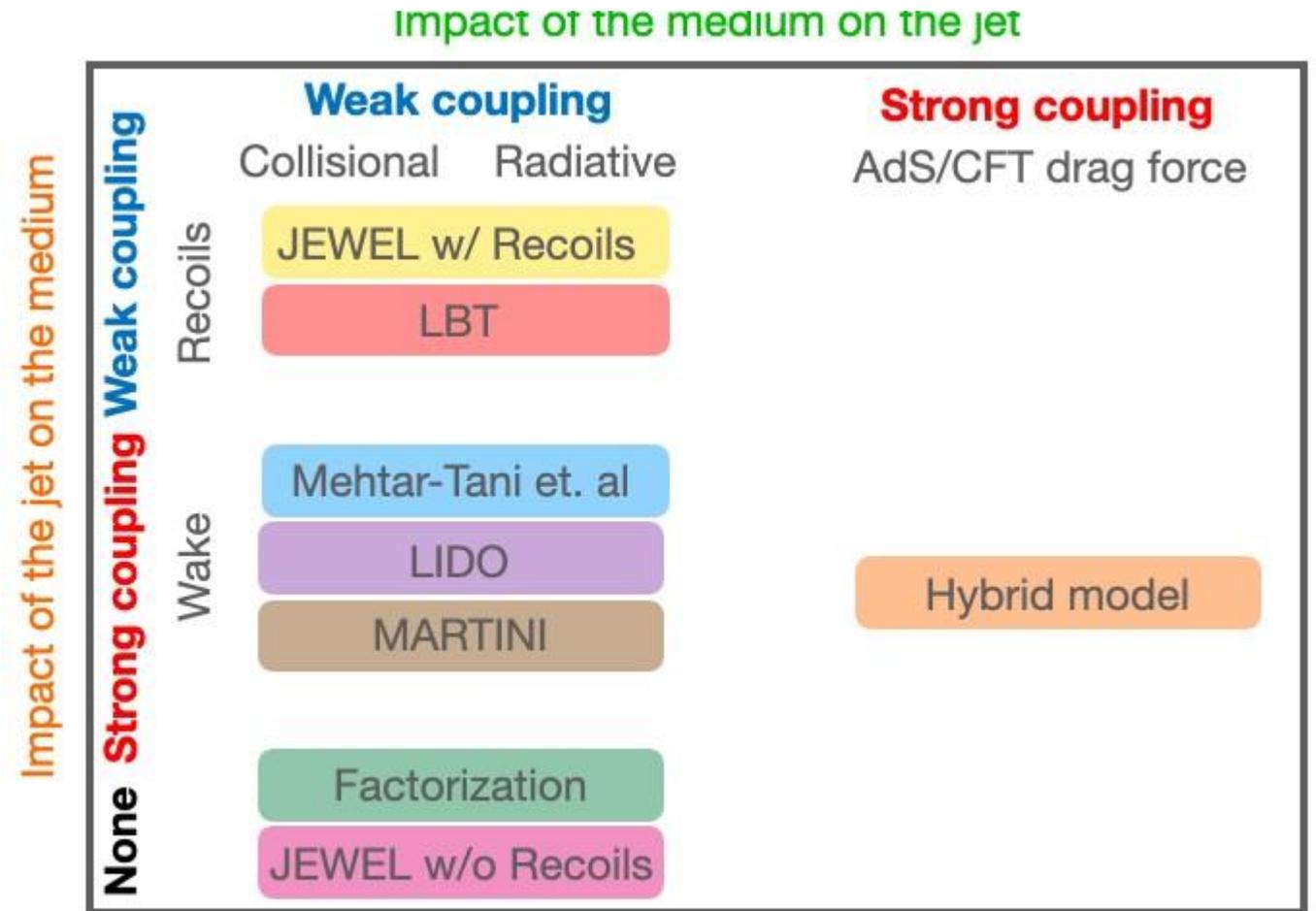


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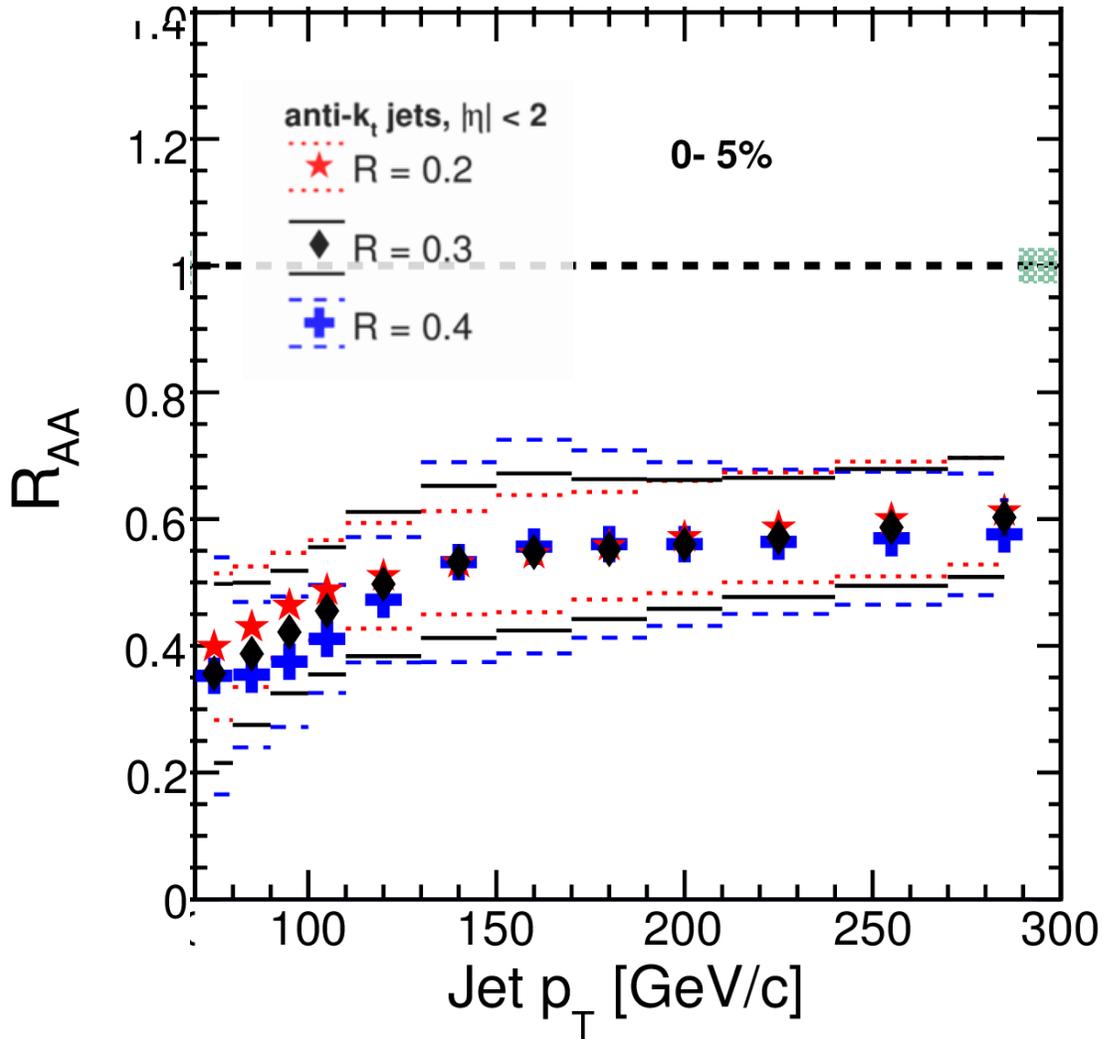
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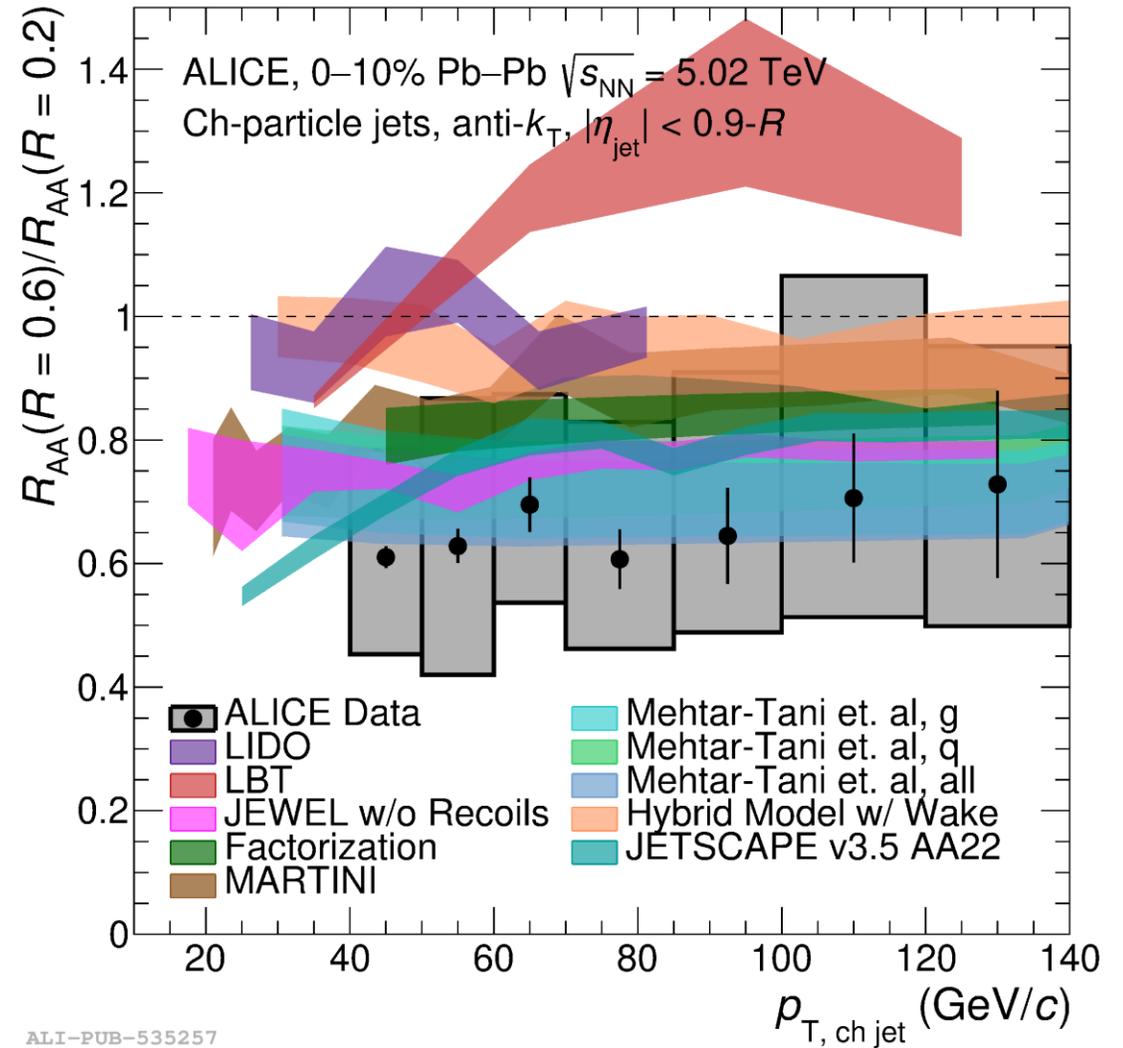
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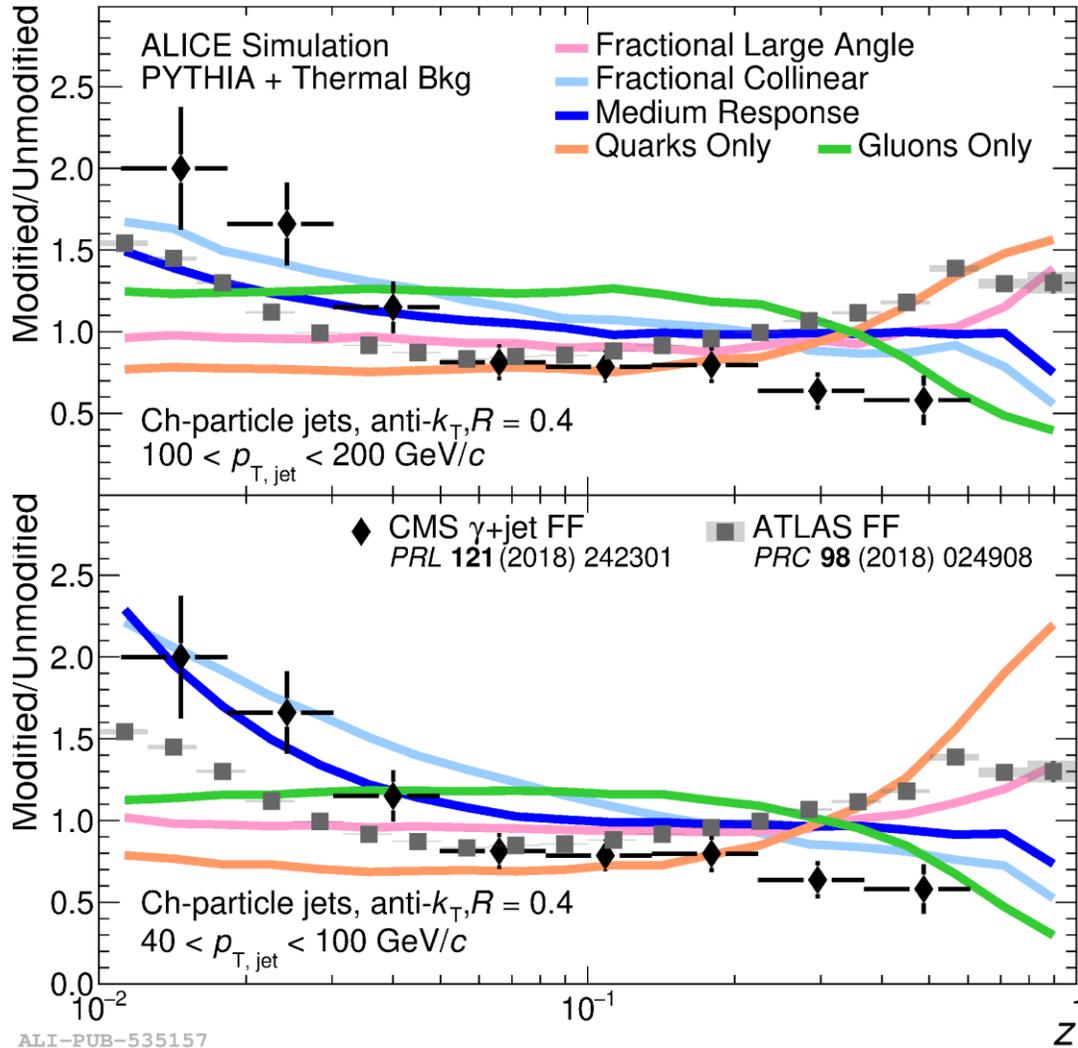
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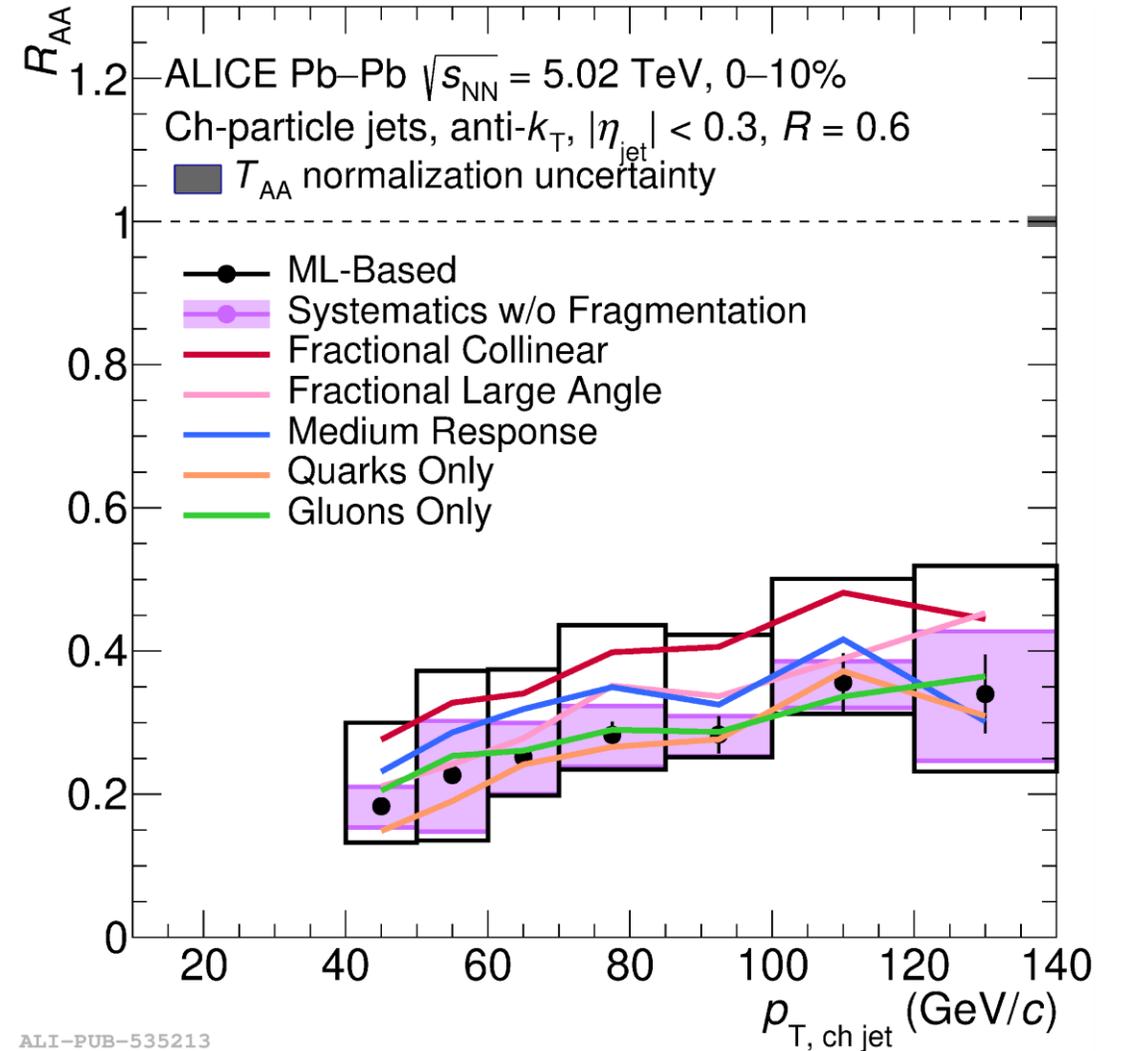
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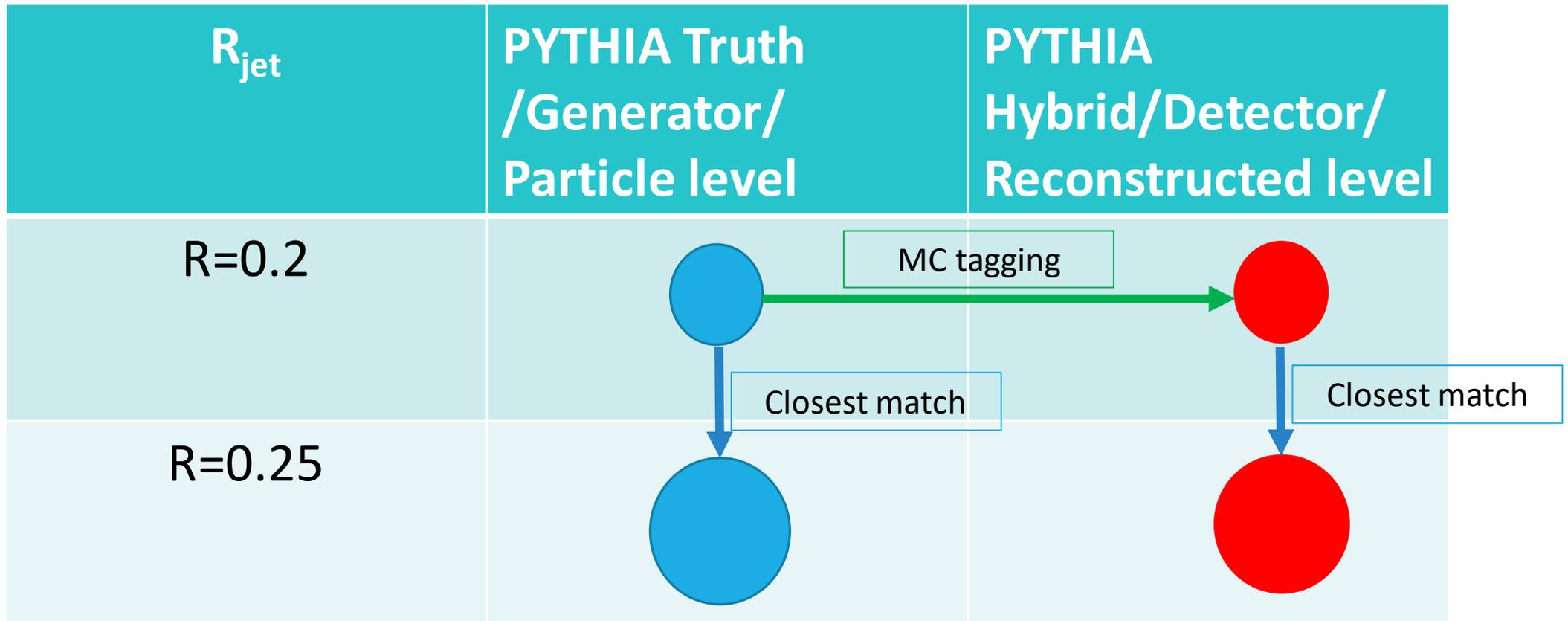


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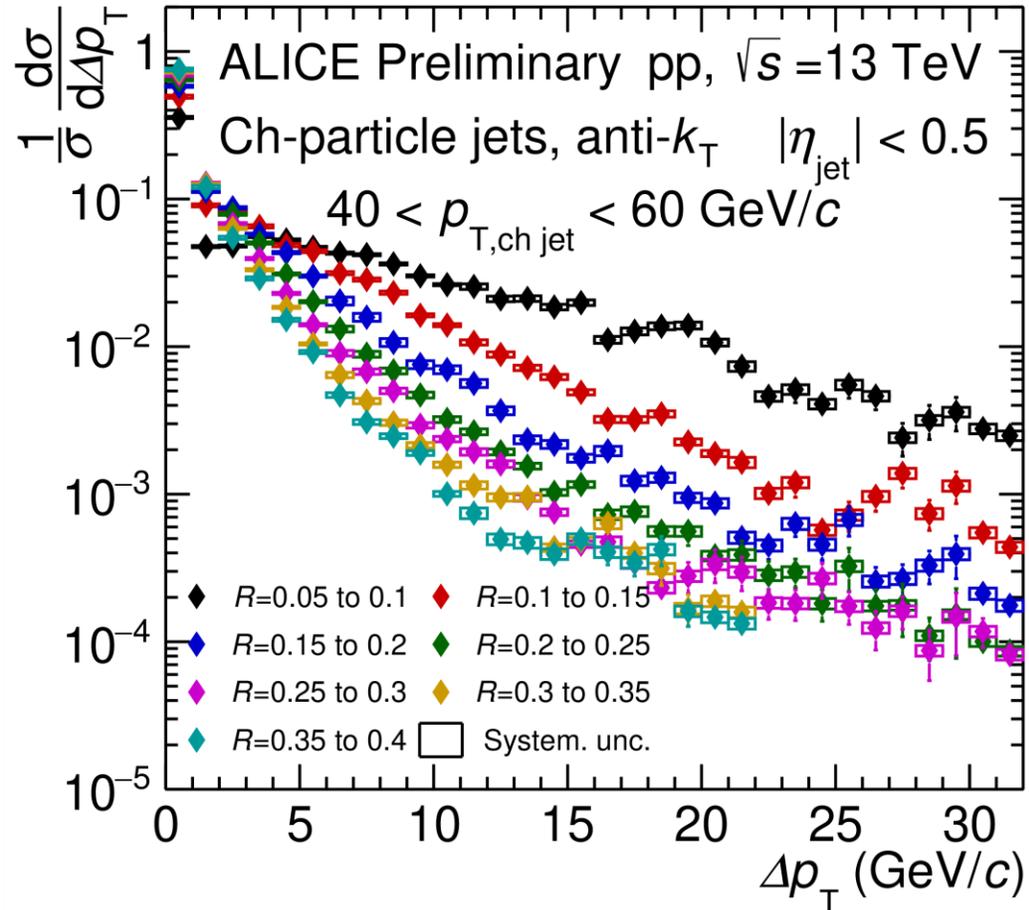


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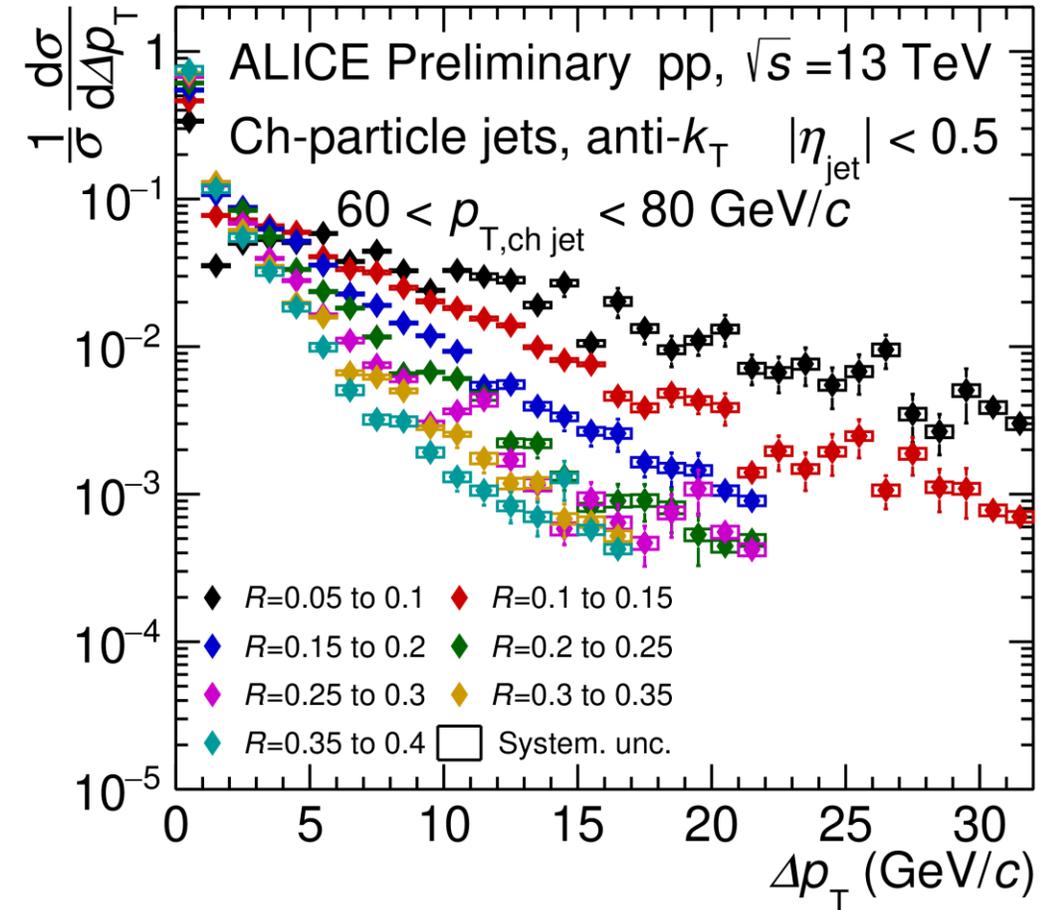
# Matching/Tagging procedure



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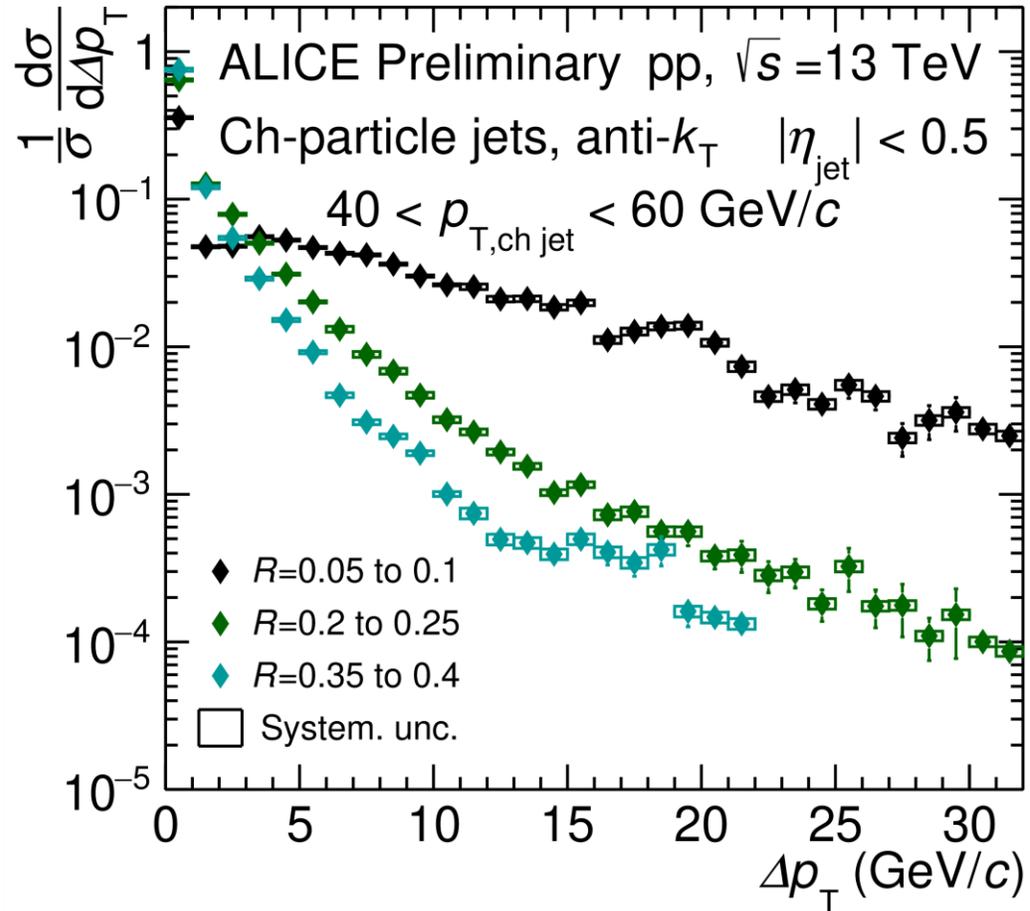


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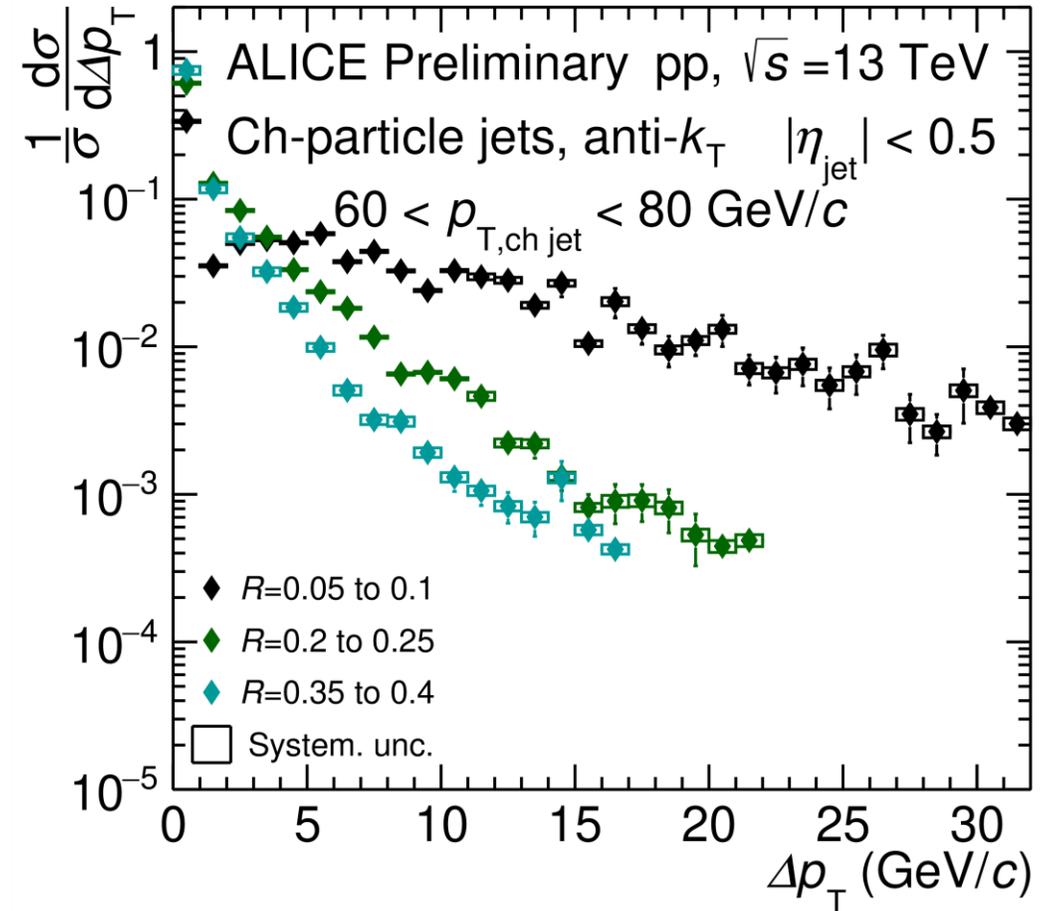
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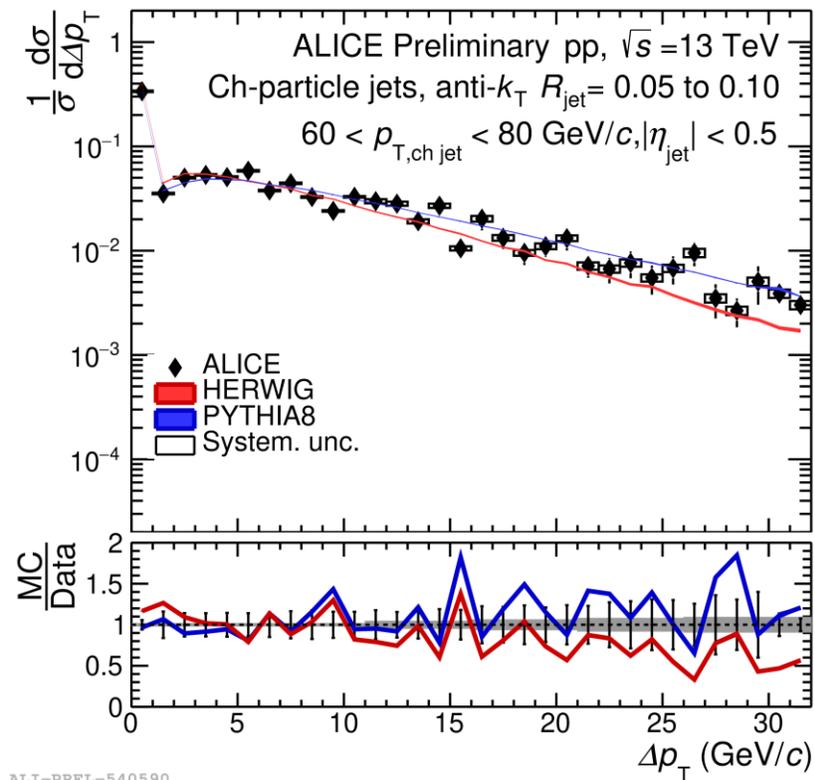


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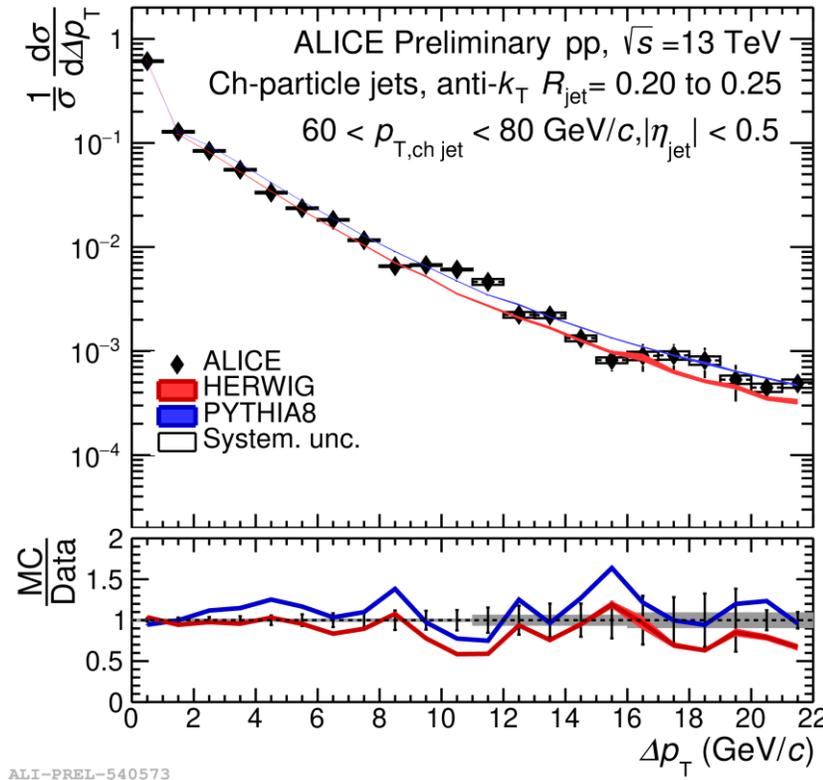
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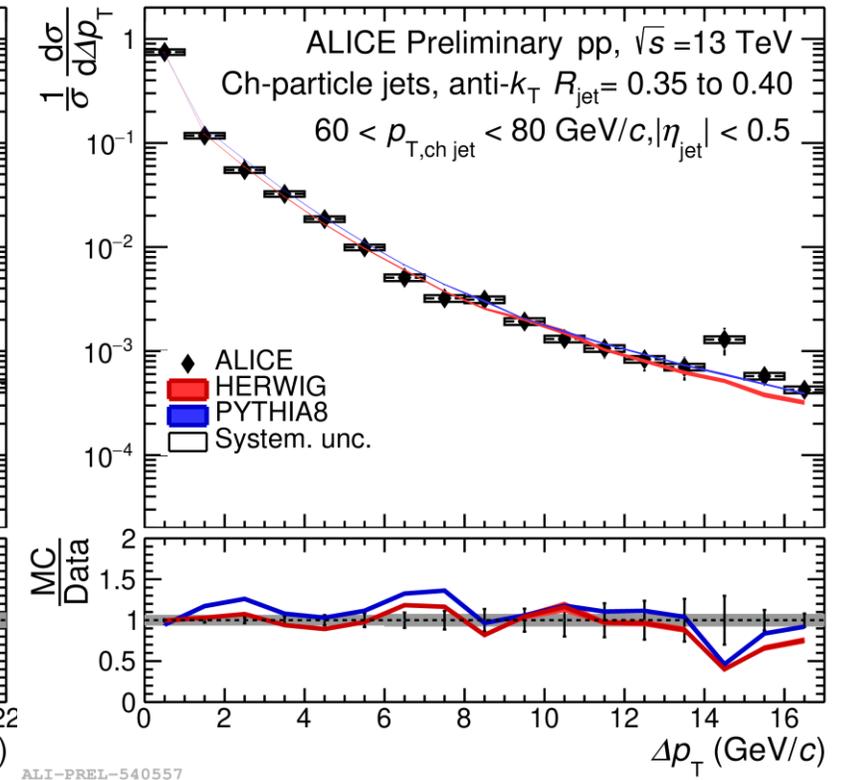
Good description of the measurement by both models



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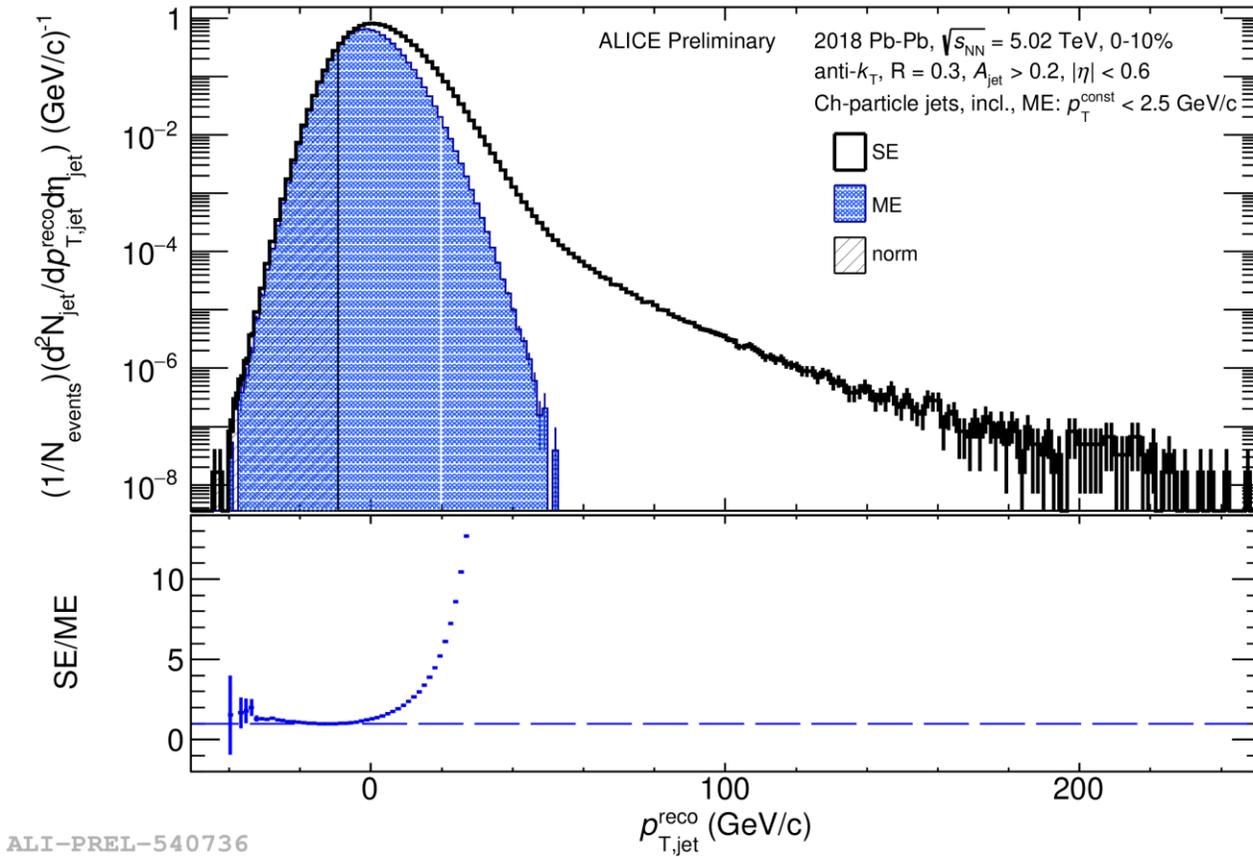


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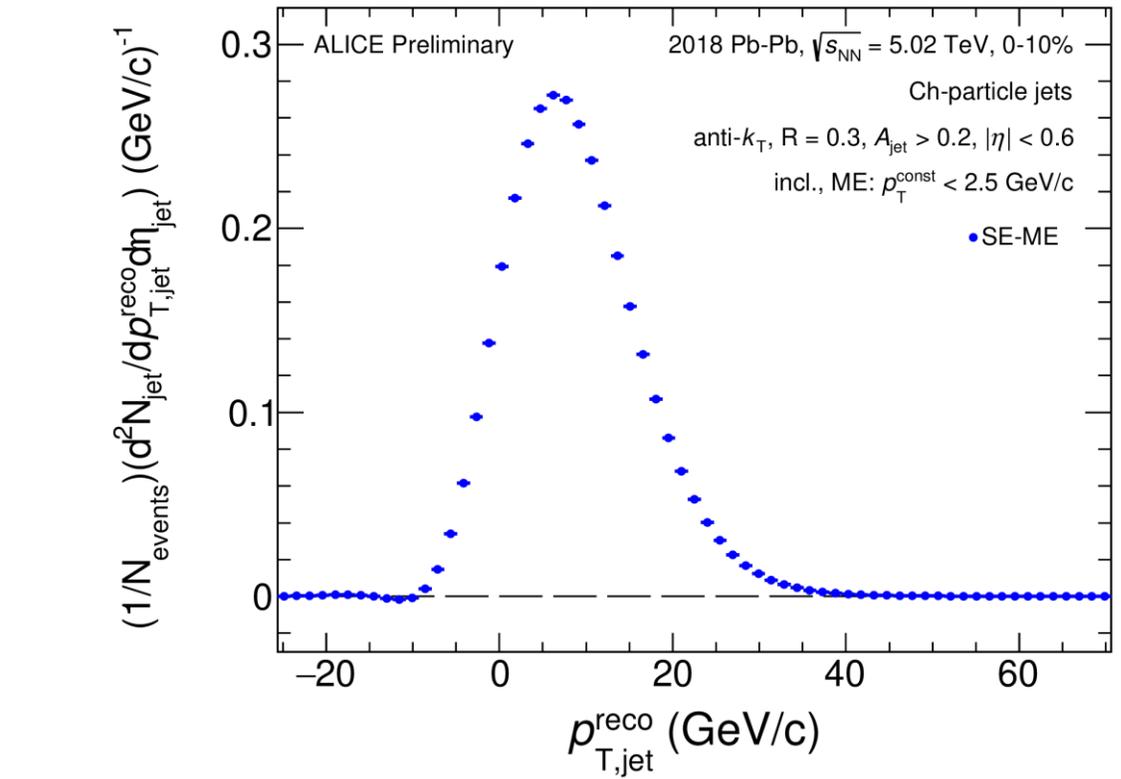


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# Mixed event background subtraction- Inclusive jet yield



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