

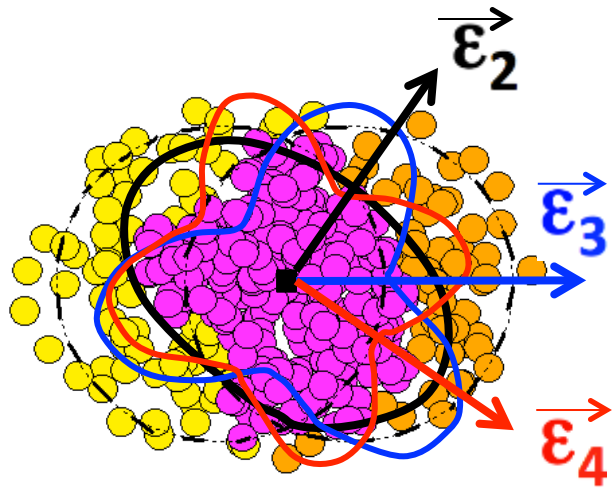


# Event-shape fluctuations and flow correlations in HI collisions

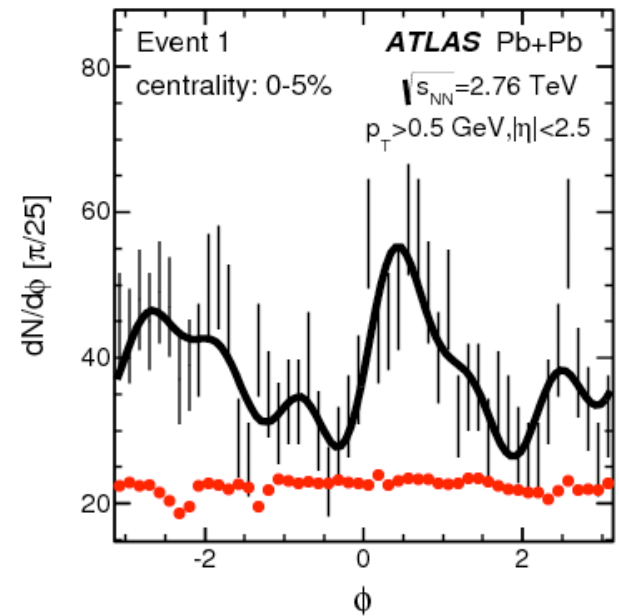
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5<sup>th</sup> School of Collective Dynamics in High Energy Collisions

# Geometry and harmonic flow



Collective expansion



$$\vec{\epsilon}_n \equiv \epsilon_n e^{in\Phi_n^*} \equiv -\frac{\langle r^n e^{in\phi} \rangle}{\langle r^n \rangle}$$

$$\frac{dN}{d\phi} \propto 1 + 2 \sum_n v_n \cos n(\phi - \Phi_n)$$

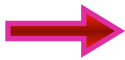
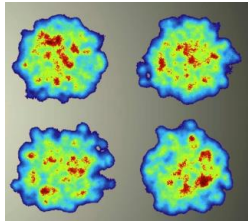
$$\vec{v}_n \equiv v_n e^{in\Phi_n}$$

- Probes: initial geometry and transport properties of QGP
  - How  $(\epsilon_n, \Phi_n^*)$  are transferred to  $(v_n, \Phi_n)$ ?
  - What is the nature of final state (non-linear) dynamics?
  - What is the nature of longitudinal flow dynamics?

# Event-by-event observables

Many little bangs

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$$p(v_n, v_m, \dots, \Phi_n, \Phi_m, \dots) = \frac{1}{N_{\text{evts}}} \frac{dN_{\text{evts}}}{dv_n dv_m \dots d\Phi_n d\Phi_m \dots}$$

	pdf's	cumulants	event-shape method
	$p(v_n)$	$v_n \{2k\}, k = 1, 2, \dots$	NA
	$p(v_n, v_m)$	$\langle v_n^2 v_m^2 \rangle - \langle v_n^2 \rangle \langle v_m^2 \rangle$	yes
Flow-amplitudes	$p(v_n, v_m, v_l)$	$\langle v_n^2 v_m^2 v_l^2 \rangle + 2\langle v_n^2 \rangle \langle v_m^2 \rangle \langle v_l^2 \rangle - \langle v_n^2 v_m^2 \rangle \langle v_l^2 \rangle - \langle v_m^2 v_l^2 \rangle \langle v_n^2 \rangle - \langle v_l^2 v_n^2 \rangle \langle v_m^2 \rangle$	yes
	...	Obtained recursively as above	yes
EP-correlation	$p(\Phi_n, \Phi_m, \dots)$	$\langle v_n^{c_n} v_m^{c_m} \dots \cos(c_n n \Phi_n + c_m m \Phi_m + \dots) \rangle$ $\sum_k k c_k = 0$	yes
Mixed-correlation	$p(v_l, \Phi_n, \Phi_m, \dots)$	$\langle v_l^2 v_n^{c_n} v_m^{c_m} \dots \cos(c_n n \Phi_n + c_m m \Phi_m + \dots) \rangle - \langle v_l^2 \rangle \langle v_n^{c_n} v_m^{c_m} \dots \cos(c_n n \Phi_n + c_m m \Phi_m + \dots) \rangle$ $\sum_k k c_k = 0$	yes

# Event-plane correlators

- Angular component can be expanded into a Fourier series

$$\frac{dN_{\text{evts}}}{d\Phi_1 d\Phi_2 \dots d\Phi_l} \propto \sum_{c_n=-\infty}^{\infty} a_{c_1, c_2, \dots, c_l} \cos(c_1 \Phi_1 + c_2 \Phi_2 \dots + c_l \Phi_l)$$

$$a_{c_1, c_2, \dots, c_l} = \langle \cos(c_1 \Phi_1 + c_2 \Phi_2 + \dots + c_l \Phi_l) \rangle$$

- $\Phi_n$  has n-fold symmetry, thus correlation should be invariant under

$$\Phi_n \rightarrow \Phi_n + 2\pi/n \quad \text{or appear in multiple of } n\Phi_n$$

- invariant under global rotation by any  $\theta$ :  $\sum_k \Phi_k = \sum_k (\Phi_k + \theta)$

- So the physical quantities are:

$$\langle \cos(c_1 \Phi_1 + 2c_2 \Phi_2 \dots + lc_l \Phi_l) \rangle, \quad c_1 + 2c_2 \dots + lc_l = 0$$



# Cumulants

- Two-particle cumulants

Moments  $\rightarrow$  Cumulants

$$\langle X_1 X_2 \rangle = \langle X_1 \rangle \langle X_2 \rangle + \langle X_1 X_2 \rangle_c \longrightarrow \langle X_1 X_2 \rangle_c = \langle X_1 X_2 \rangle - \langle X_1 \rangle \langle X_2 \rangle$$

- Three-particle cumulants

$$\begin{aligned} \langle X_1 X_2 X_3 \rangle &= \langle X_1 \rangle \langle X_2 \rangle \langle X_3 \rangle \\ &+ \langle X_1 X_2 \rangle_c \langle X_3 \rangle + \langle X_1 X_3 \rangle_c \langle X_2 \rangle + \langle X_2 X_3 \rangle_c \langle X_1 \rangle \\ &+ \langle X_1 X_2 X_3 \rangle_c \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned} \langle X_1 X_2 X_3 \rangle_c &= \langle X_1 X_2 X_3 \rangle \\ &- \langle X_1 X_2 \rangle \langle X_3 \rangle - \langle X_1 X_3 \rangle \langle X_2 \rangle - \langle X_2 X_3 \rangle \langle X_1 \rangle \\ &+ 2 \langle X_1 \rangle \langle X_2 \rangle \langle X_3 \rangle \end{aligned}$$

- Higher-order cumulants obtained recursively

# Cumulants for $p(v_n)$

- **Observables:**  $X = e^{in\phi}$   $\langle X \rangle_c = \langle e^{in\phi} \rangle = 0$

- **Moments**

$$\langle X_n X_{-n} \rangle = \langle \cos n(\phi_1 - \phi_2) \rangle = \langle v_n^2 \rangle \quad \text{+ finite number \& non-flow}$$

$$\langle X_n X_{-n} X_n X_{-n} \rangle = \langle \cos n(\phi_1 + \phi_2 - \phi_3 - \phi_4) \rangle = \langle v_n^4 \rangle$$

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- **Cumulants**

$$c_n\{2\} = \langle X_n X_{-n} \rangle_c = \langle \cos n(\phi_1 - \phi_2) \rangle_c = \langle v_n^2 \rangle$$

$$c_n\{4\} = \langle X_n X_{-n} X_n X_{-n} \rangle_c = \langle \cos n(\phi_1 + \phi_2 - \phi_3 - \phi_4) \rangle_c = \langle v_n^4 \rangle - 2\langle v_n^2 \rangle^2$$

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- **Define:**  $v_n\{2\} = c_n\{2\}^{1/2}$   $v_n\{4\} = (-c_n\{4\})^{1/4}$   
 $v_n\{6\} = \left(\frac{1}{4}c_n\{6\}\right)^{1/6}$   $v_n\{8\} = \left(-\frac{1}{33}c_n\{8\}\right)^{1/8}$

# Cumulants for $\rho(\Phi_n, \Phi_m, \dots)$

- Example

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \cos(2\phi_1 + 2\phi_2 - 4\phi_3) \rangle &= \langle v_2 v_2 v_4 \cos(2\Phi_2 + 2\Phi_2 - 4\Phi_4) \rangle \\ &= \langle v_2^2 v_4 \cos 4(\Phi_2 - \Phi_4) \rangle \end{aligned}$$

- In general for mixed-harmonics:

$$\begin{aligned} &\langle \cos(\sum_{i_1=1}^{c_1} \phi_{i_1} + \sum_{i_2=1}^{c_2} 2\phi_{i_2} + \dots + \sum_{i_l=1}^{c_l} l\phi_{i_l}) \rangle \\ &= \langle v_1^{c_1} v_2^{c_2} \dots v_l^{c_l} \cos(c_1 \Phi_1 + 2c_2 \Phi_2 + \dots + lc_l \Phi_l) \rangle \end{aligned}$$

it is a correlation involving  $c_1 + c_2 + \dots + c_l$  particles  $\sum_k k c_k = 0$

- Moment is the same as cumulants for mixed-harmonics, i.e

$$\langle \cos(2\phi_1 + 2\phi_2 - 4\phi_3) \rangle_c = \langle \cos(2\phi_1 + 2\phi_2 - 4\phi_3) \rangle$$

all other terms vanishes, since for any other partition the  $\Sigma$  of coefficient  $\neq 0$

Such as

$$\langle \cos(2\phi_1 + 2\phi_2) \rangle = \langle \cos(2\phi_1 - 4\phi_3) \rangle = \dots = 0$$

# Cumulants for $p(v_n, v_m, \dots, \Phi_n, \Phi_m, \dots)$

- Example, combining  $\cos(2\phi_1 + 2\phi_2 - 4\phi_3)$  and  $\cos(2\phi_1 - 2\phi_2)$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \cos(2\phi_1 + 2\phi_2 - 4\phi_3 + 2\phi_4 - 2\phi_5) \rangle &= \langle v_2^2 v_4 v_2^2 \cos(2\Phi_2 + 2\Phi_2 - 4\Phi_4 + 2\Phi_2 - 2\Phi_2) \rangle \\ &= \langle v_2^4 v_4 \cos 4(\Phi_2 - \Phi_4) \rangle \end{aligned}$$

- Corresponding cumulants:

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probes  $p(v_2, \Phi_2, \Phi_4)$  distribution

- Can be generalized into other mixed-correlators

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- Example, combining  $\cos(4\phi_1 - 4\phi_2)$  and  $\cos(2\phi_1 - 2\phi_2)$

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- Other examples

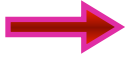
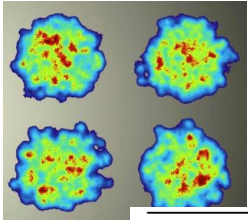
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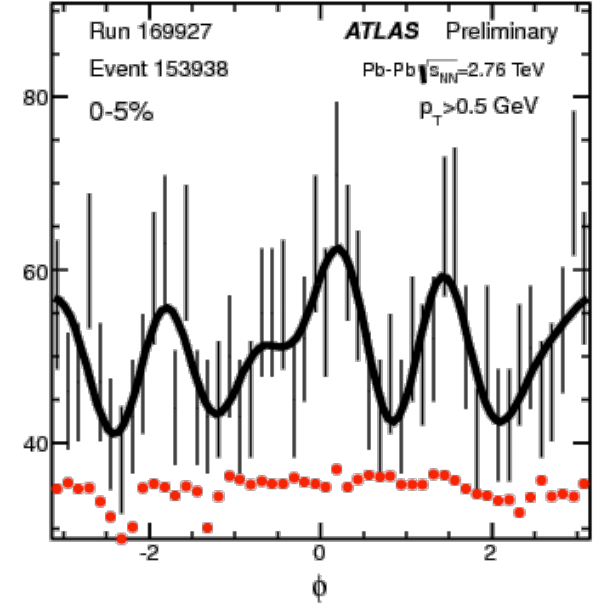
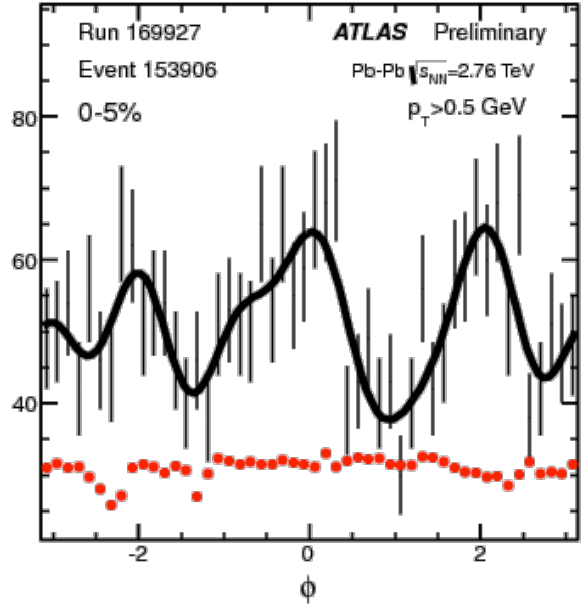
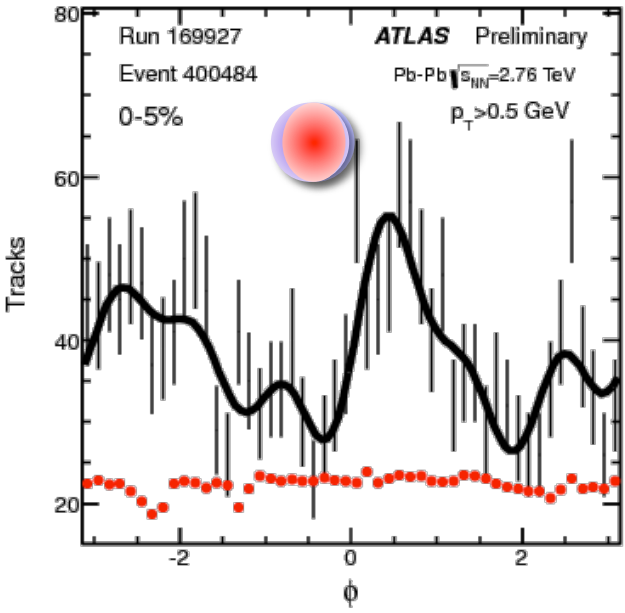
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# Experimental reality



$$\frac{dN}{d\phi} \propto 1 + 2 \sum_n v_n^{\text{obs}} \cos n(\phi - \Phi_n^{\text{obs}})$$

↓  
Obtain  $p(v_n)$  from  $p(v_n^{\text{obs}})$

↘ Obtain  $p(\Phi_n, \Phi_m)$  from  $p(\Phi_n^{\text{obs}}, \Phi_m^{\text{obs}})$

**Need to remove non-flow:**

final number effects, resonance, jets, momentum conservation..

What we know about flow fluctuation?  $p(v_n)$



# Expectation for $v_n$ fluctuations

$$\vec{\varepsilon}_n = (\varepsilon_x, \varepsilon_y)$$

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$$\vec{v}_n = (v_n \cos n\Phi_n, v_n \sin n\Phi_n)$$

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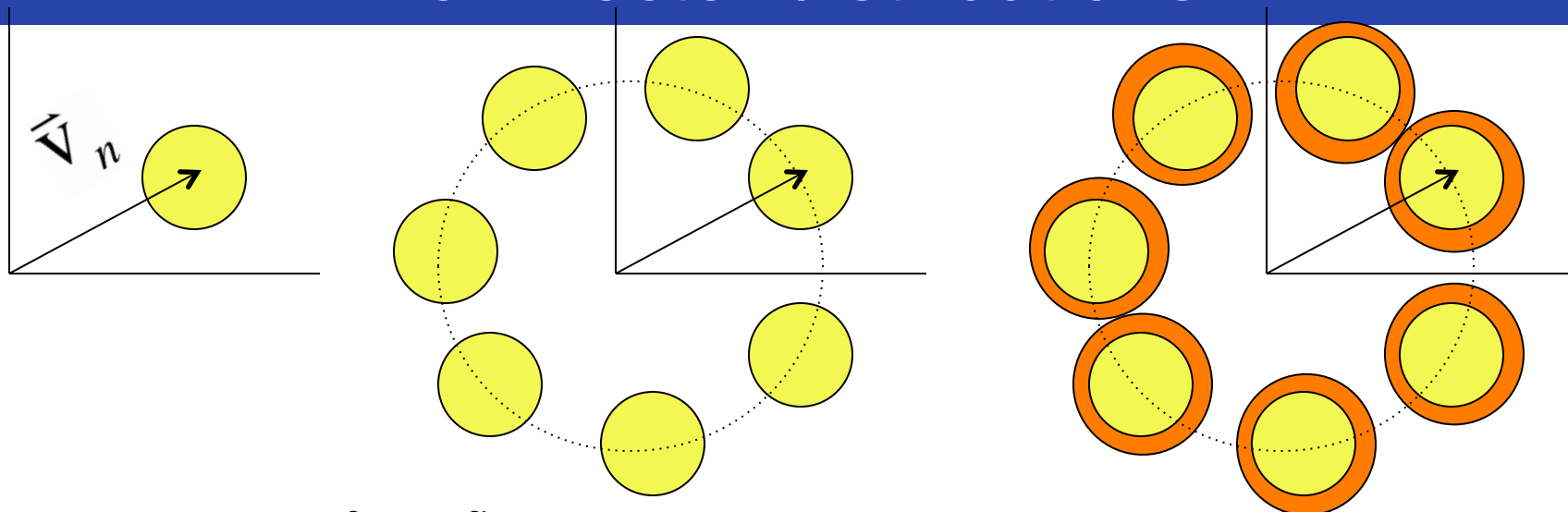
$$\begin{array}{ccc} \rightarrow \text{obs} & \rightarrow & \rightarrow \text{smear} \\ \mathbf{V}_n = \mathbf{V}_n + \mathbf{p}_n \end{array}$$

Finite number & nonflow

The key is response function:

$$p(v_n^{\text{obs}} | v_n)$$

# Flow vector distributions

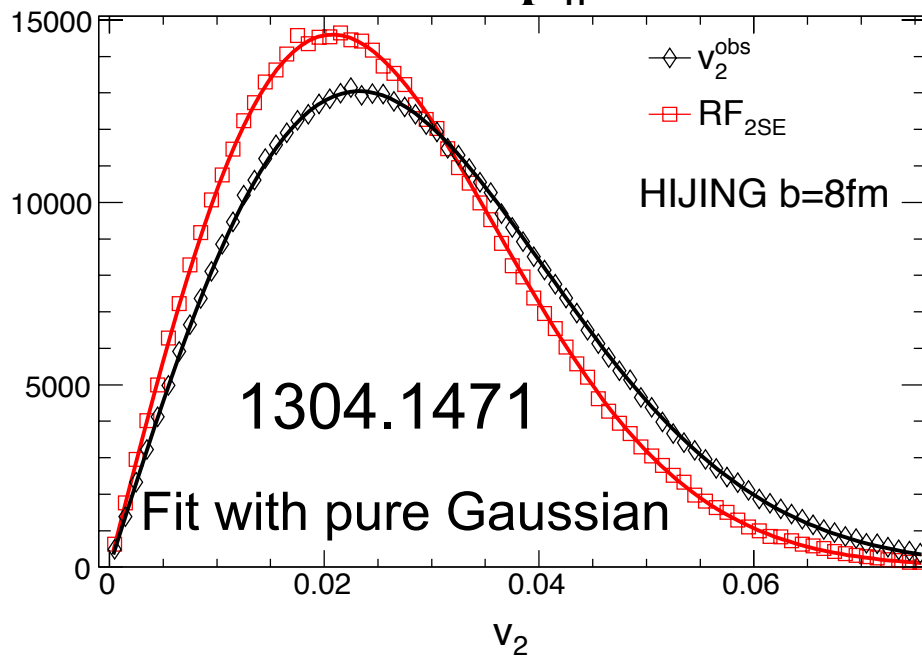


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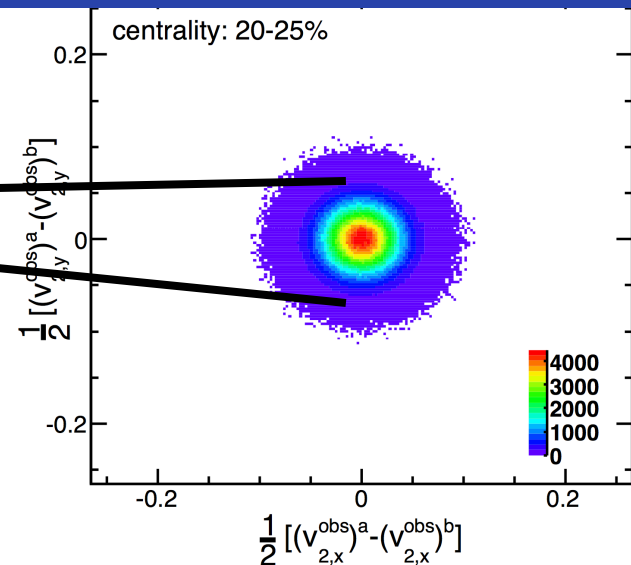
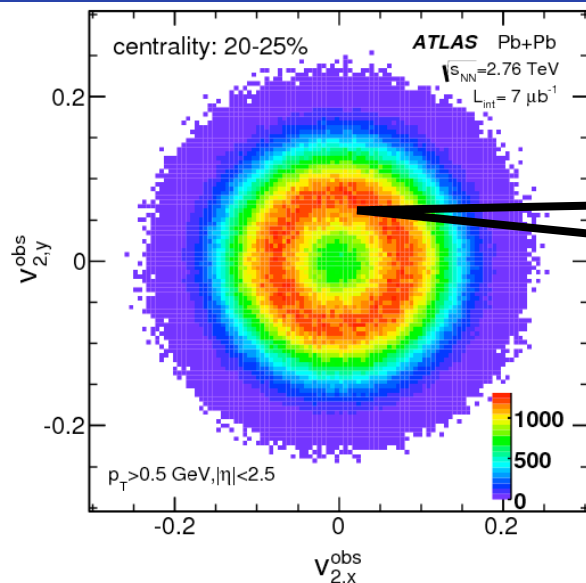
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nonflow/noise  $\vec{p}_n$  is gaussian!  
 Checked in hijing

# Obtaining the response function



$$\vec{v}_n^{\text{obs}} = (\vec{v}_n^{\text{obs},F} + \vec{v}_n^{\text{obs},B})/2$$

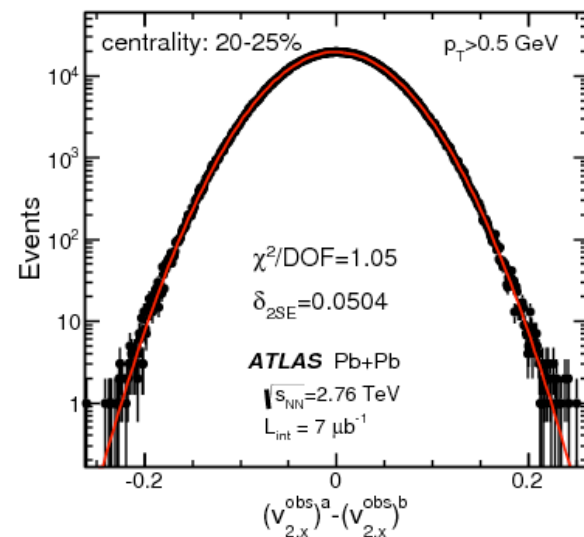
$$= \text{nonflow} + \text{noise} + \vec{v}_n$$

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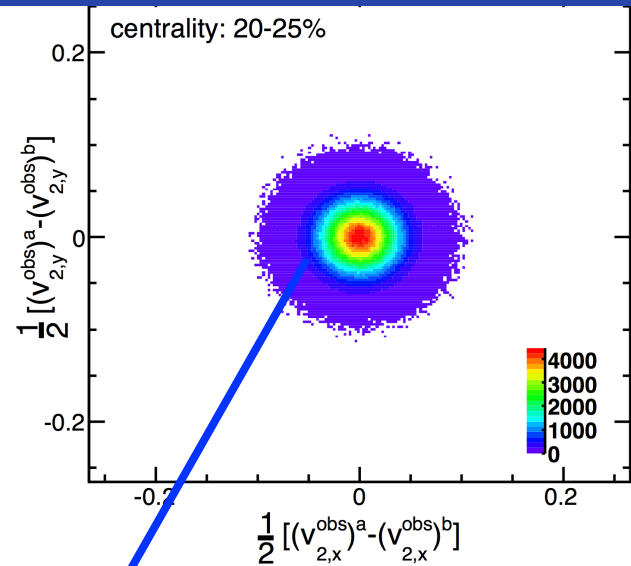
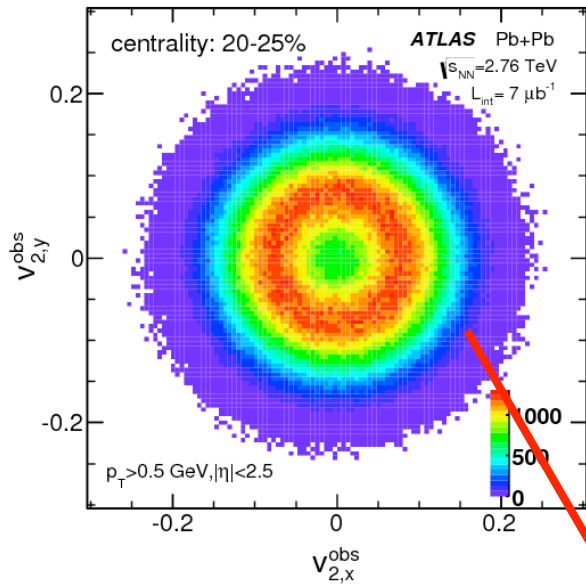
$$= \text{nonflow} + \text{noise}$$

$$p(\vec{v}_n^{\text{obs}}) = p(\vec{v}_n) \otimes p(\vec{\delta}_n^{\text{RF}})$$

Obtain  $p(v_n)$  via unfolding



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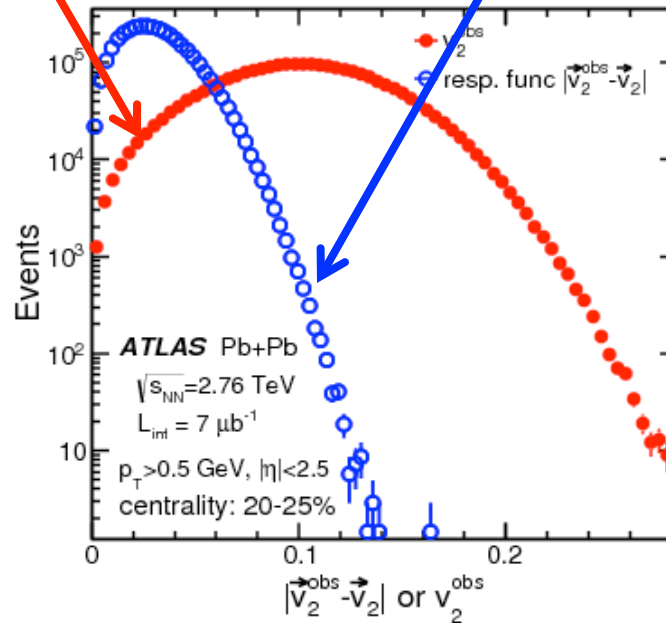
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# Cumulants for $p(v_n)$

- Observables:  $X = e^{in\phi}$   $\langle X \rangle_c = \langle e^{in\phi} \rangle = 0$

- Moments

$$\langle X_n X_{-n} \rangle = \langle \cos n(\phi_1 - \phi_2) \rangle = \langle v_n^2 \rangle$$

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- Cumulants

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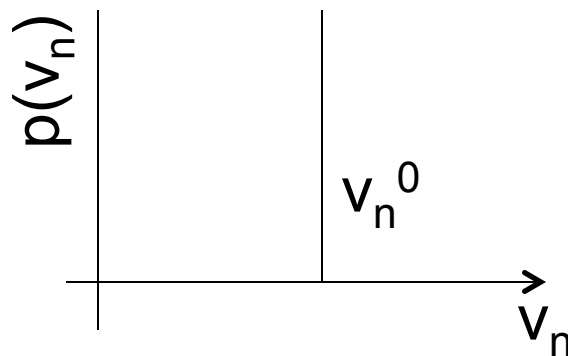
**Rely on Large cancellation to remove finite N and non-flow**

→ is or is not straightforward to cancel systematics?

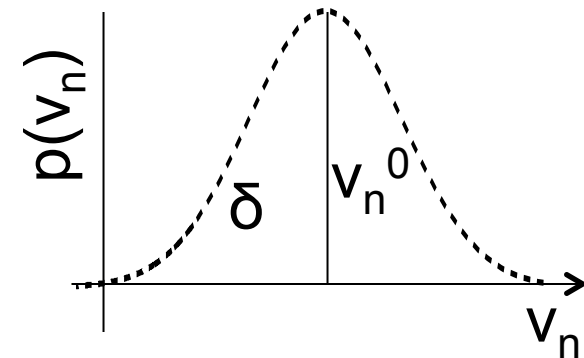
→ should different terms are treated separate measurement?

# Cumulants for azimuthal correlations

No fluctuation



Gaussian fluctuation



Same answer!:

$$c_n\{2\} = (v_n^0)^2 + 2\delta^2 \quad c_n\{4\} = -(v_n^0)^4$$

$$c_n\{6\} = 4(v_n^0)^6 \quad c_n\{8\} = -33(v_n^0)^8$$

■ Define

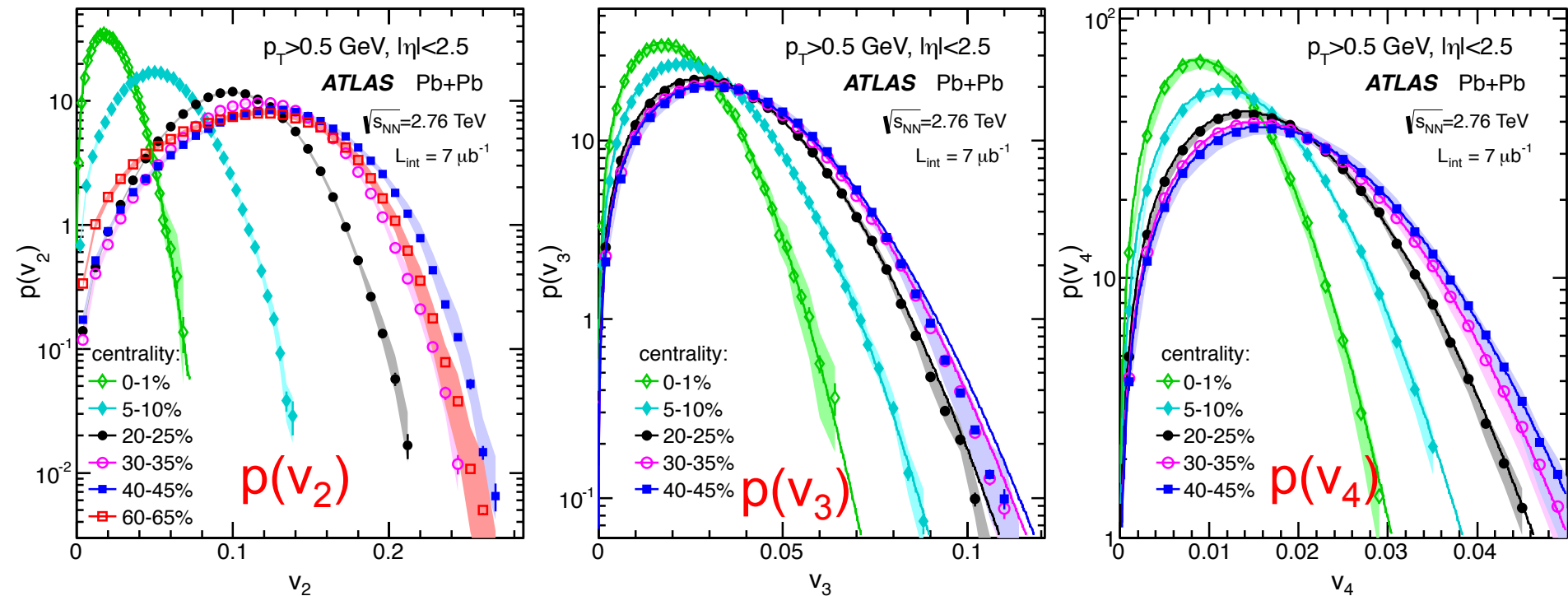
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■ Gaussian fluctuation:  $v_n\{4\} = v_n\{6\} = v_n\{8\} = \dots = v_n^0$

Higher-order cumulants suppress non-flow **because** non-flow is Gaussian!!  
 Is cumulants just mathematical construct? **What if non-flow is non-Gaussian?**

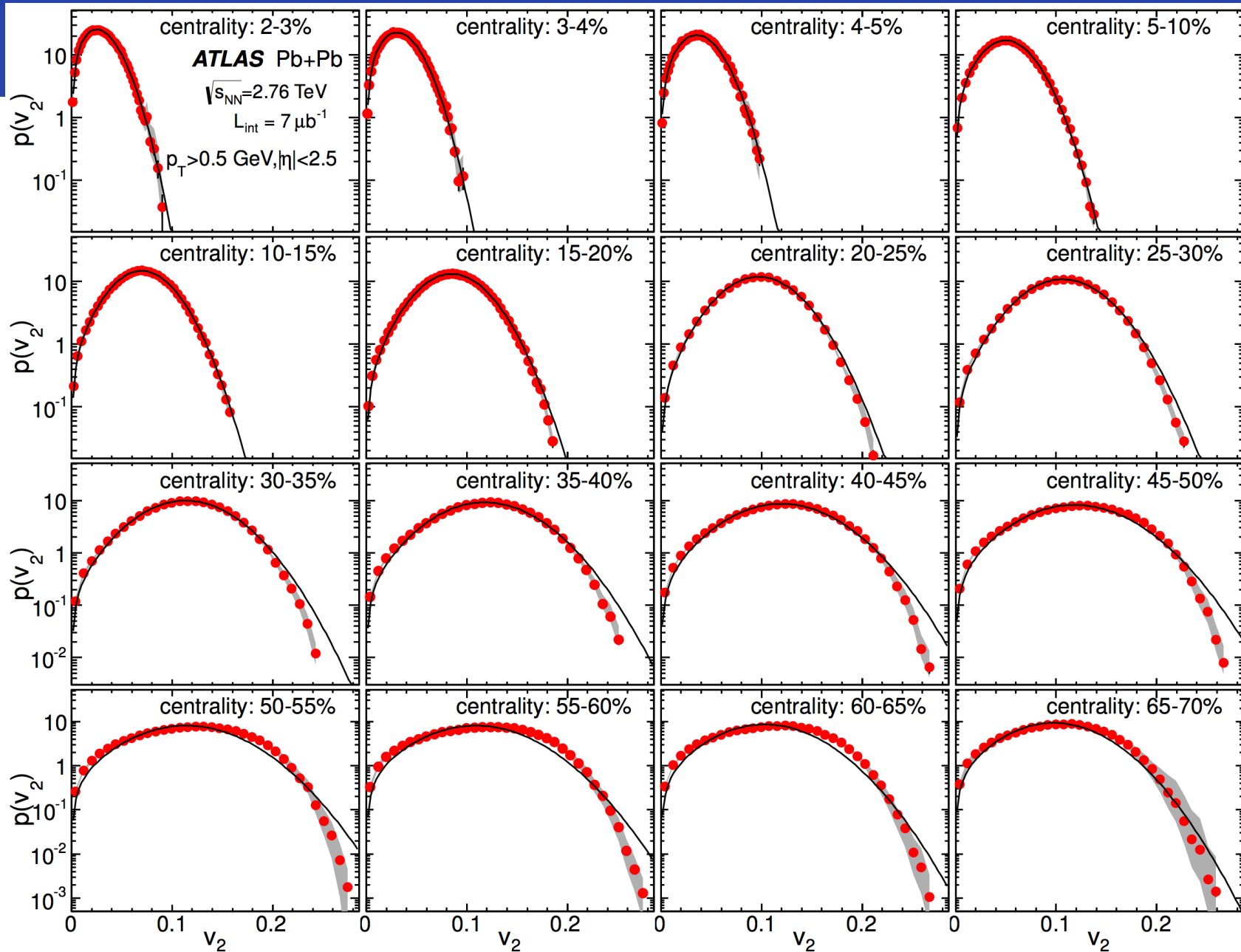
# $p(v_2)$ , $p(v_3)$ and $p(v_4)$ distributions



$$v_n \{4\}^4 = 2 \langle v_n^2 \rangle^2 - \langle v_n^4 \rangle \neq 0 \text{ for } n = 2, 3$$

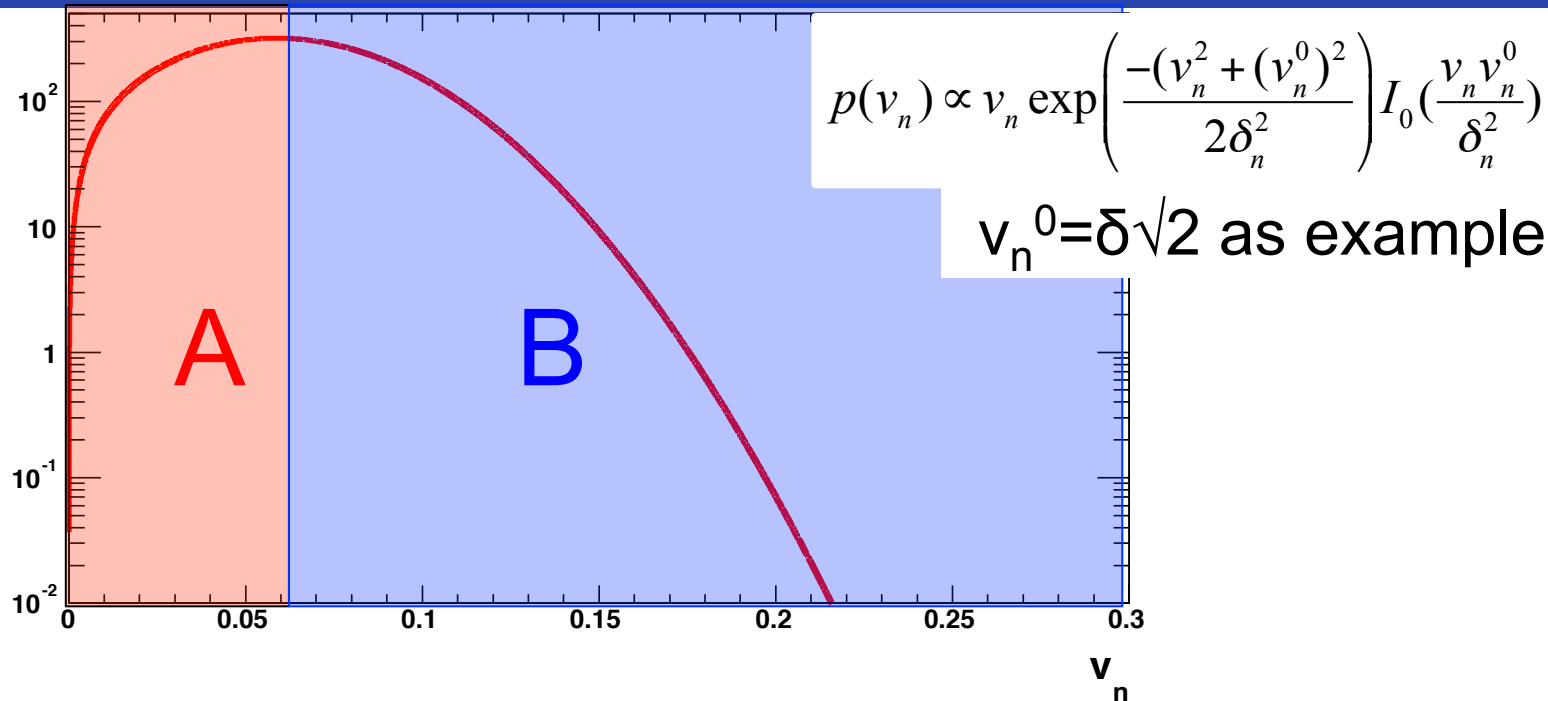
- The non-zero  $v_n \{4,6..\}$  either due to
  - average geometry such as  $v_2^{\text{RP}}$  or
  - non-Gaussianness in the flow fluctuation or
  - non-Gaussianness in non-flow such as p+Pb system.





Furthermore  $p(v_2)$  is also non-B-G in the distribution tail

# Are cumulants sensitive to non gaussian?



- Divide B-G distri. to 2 equal parts, and calculate cumulants separately.

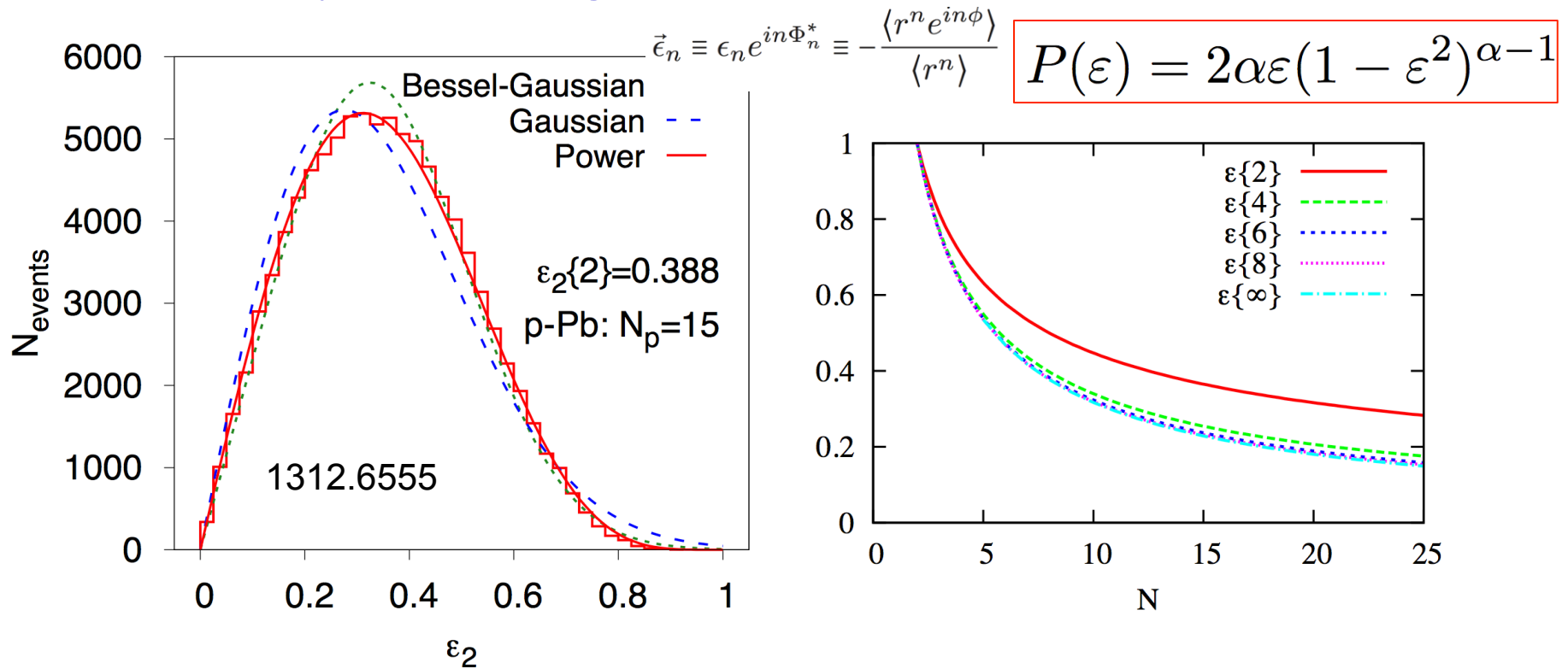
	$v_n\{2\}$	$v_n\{4\}$	$v_n\{6\}$	$v_n\{8\}$	In units of $\delta$
all	1.414	1	1	1	
A	0.851	<u>0.759</u>	<u>0.746</u>	<u>0.744</u>	
B	1.809	<u>1.690</u>	<u>1.701</u>	<u>1.701</u>	

- The non-BG is reflected by difference of 4,6 particle cumulants

Cumulants not very sensitive to details of  $p(v_n)$ ?

# Small system

- Eccentricity distri. not gaussian, due to smaller number sources



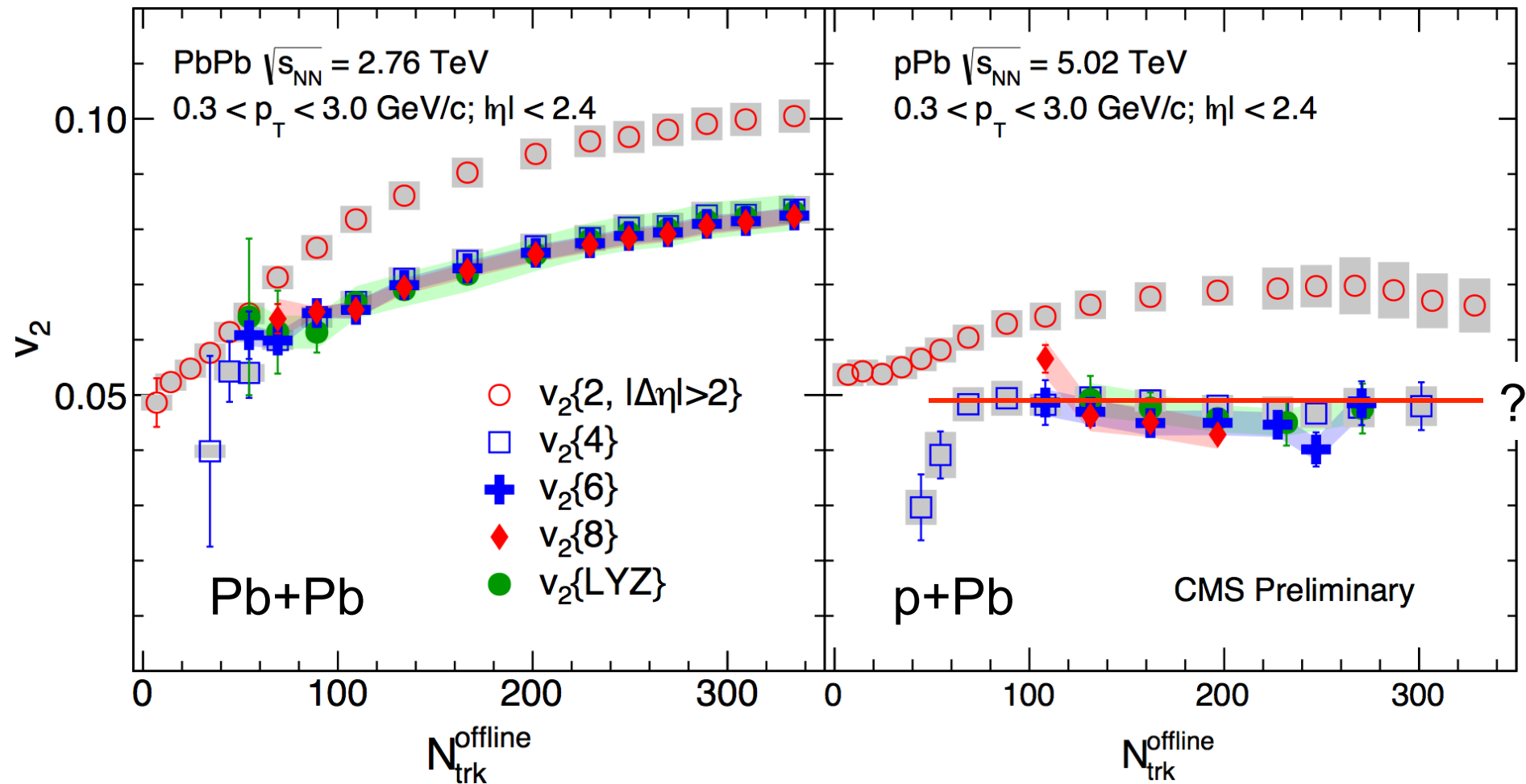
- The non-zero  $v_2\{4,6,8\dots\}$  suggest the  $p(v_2)$  distri. is non-Gaussian?

$$v_n\{4\} = \left(2\langle v_n^2 \rangle^2 - \langle v_n^4 \rangle\right)^{1/4}$$



a 4% difference gives a  $v_n\{4\}$  value of about 45% of  $v_n\{2\}$

# Multi-particle correlation in p+Pb

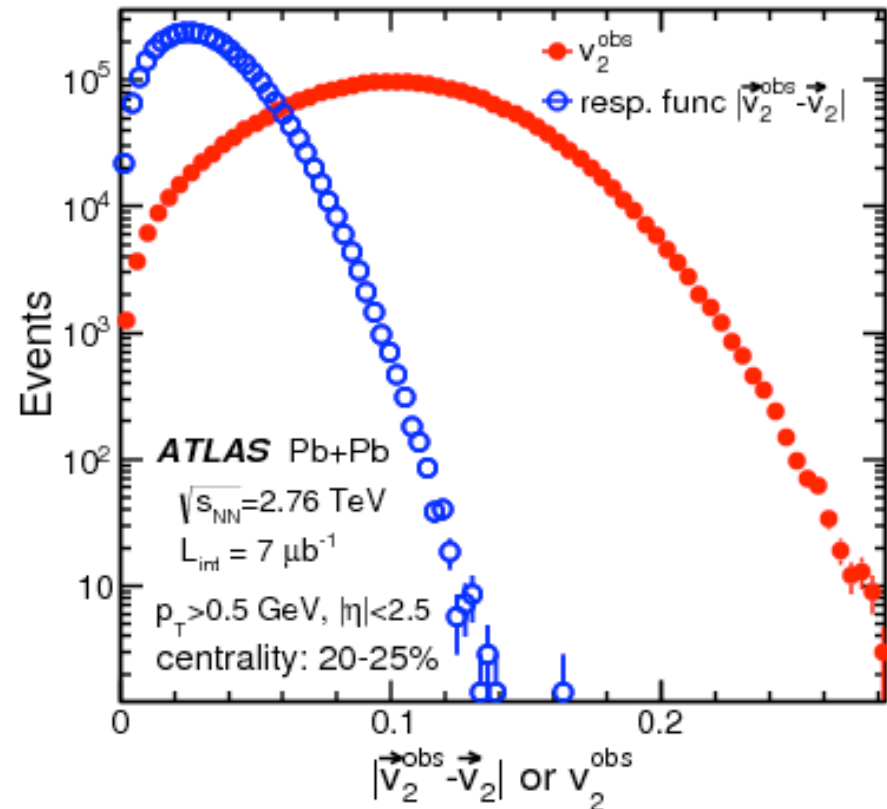
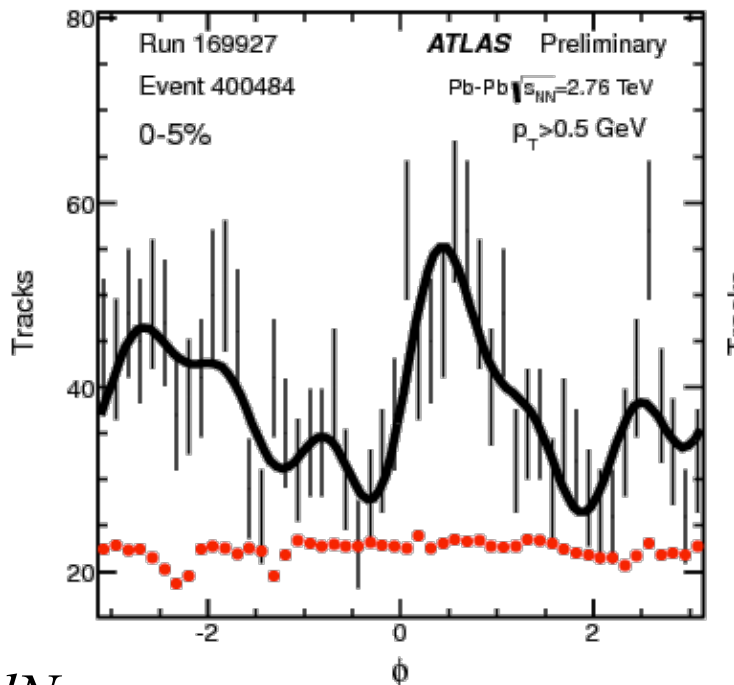


- What is the meaning of  $v_2\{4,6,8,\}$  in p+Pb collisions?
- Why non-Gaussian component are not increasing with multiplicity?

# Connection between $p(v_n)$ and $v_n\{2k\}$

- $v_n\{2k\}$  removes all Gaussian sources, it removes non-flow only because it is nearly Gaussian, but in this case, one can just calculate them directly from  $p(v_n^{\text{obs}})$  distribution

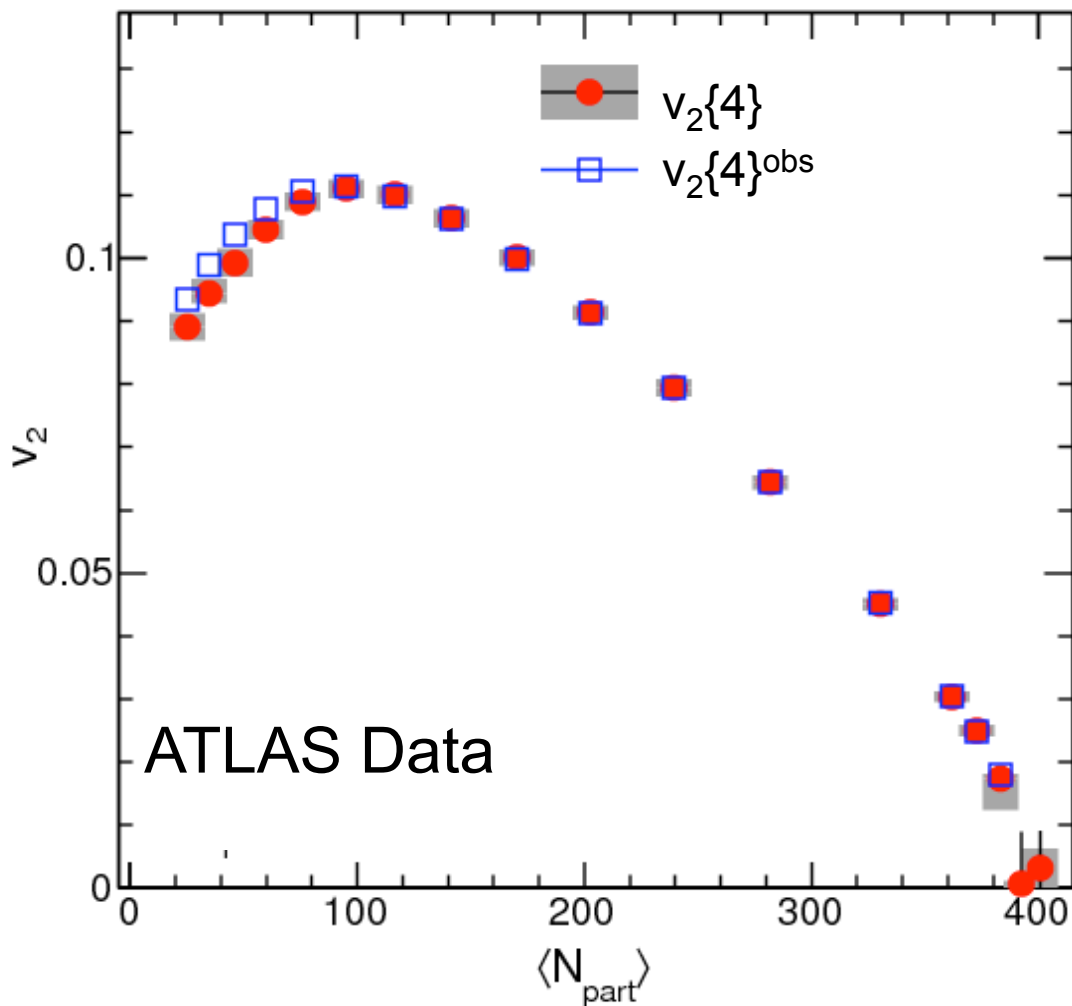
$$\langle 2k \rangle = \left\langle \cos\left(\sum_{j=1}^k n(\phi_{2j} - \phi_{2j+1})\right) \right\rangle \stackrel{?}{=} \langle v_n^{2k} \rangle = \int v_n^{2k} p(v_n) dv_n$$



$$\frac{dN}{d\phi} \propto 1 + 2 \sum_n v_n^{\text{obs}} \cos n(\phi - \Phi_n^{\text{obs}})$$

# Effect of non-flow

- Additional Gaussian smearing won't change higher-order cumulants

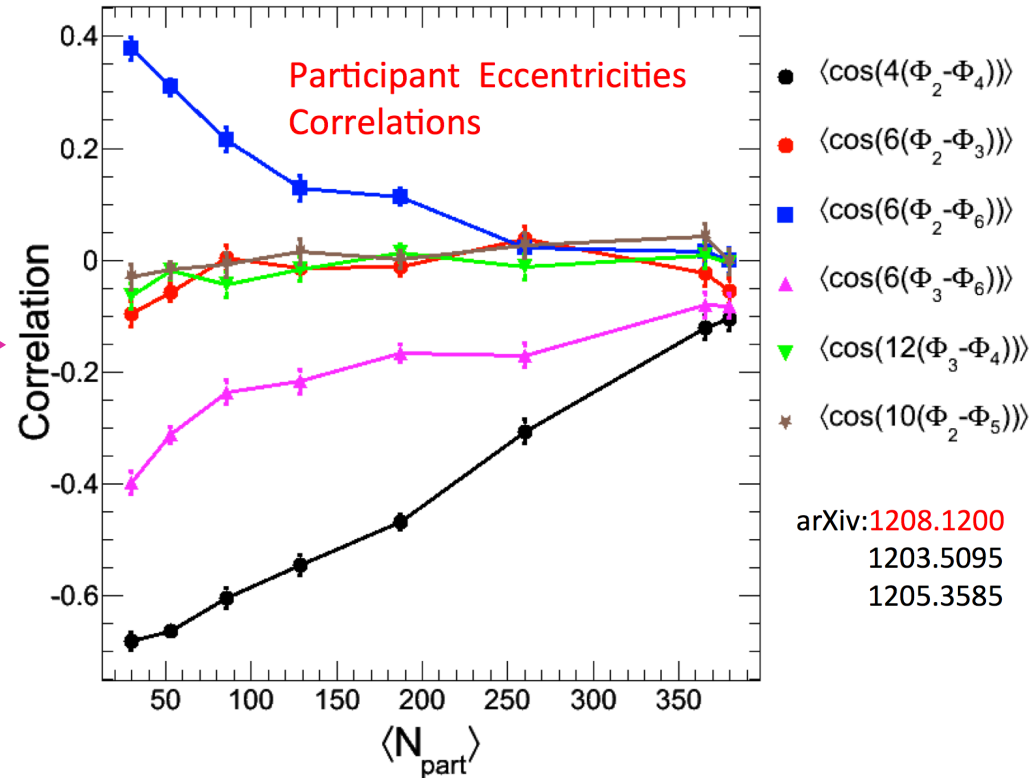
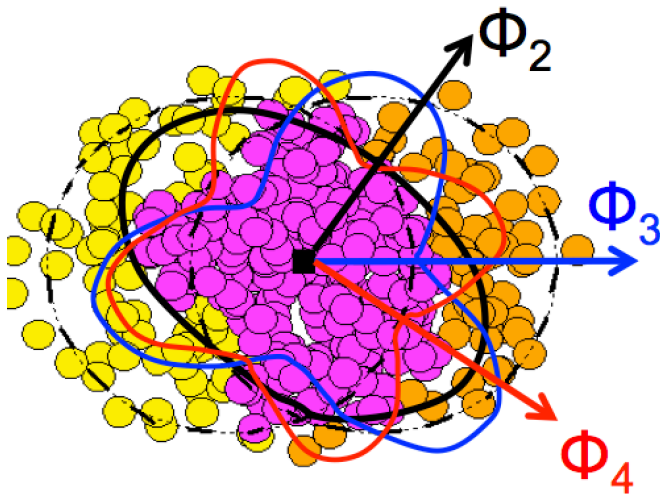


Same  $v_2\{4\}$  value from either  $p(v_2)$  or  $p(v_2^{\text{obs}})$  distribution

Event-plane correlations  $\rho(\Phi_n, \Phi_m \dots)$

# Event-plane correlation

- Correlations exist in the initial geometry



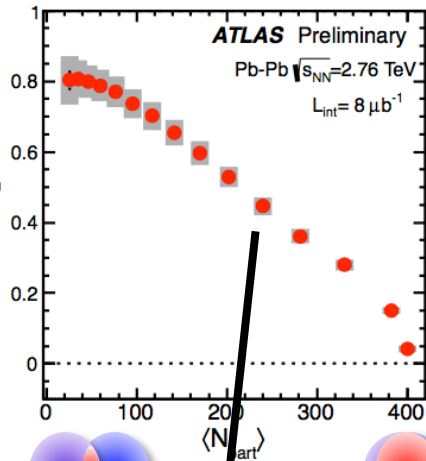
- Also generated during hydro evolution: non-linear mixing, e.g.

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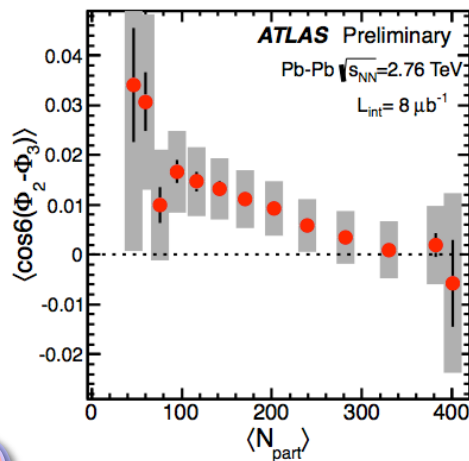


# Event-plane correlation results

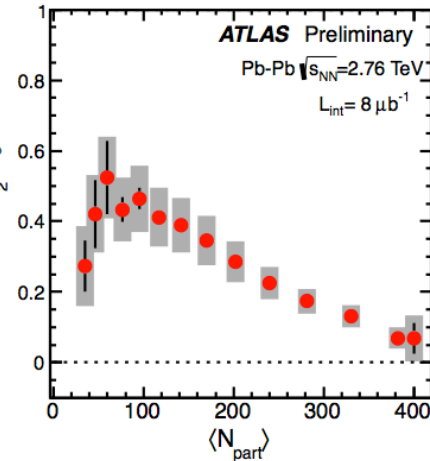
$$\langle \cos 4(\Phi_2 - \Phi_4) \rangle$$



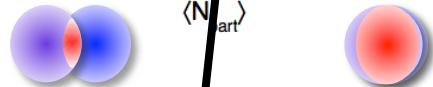
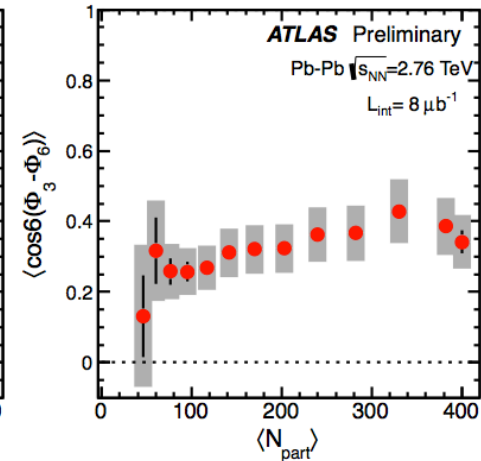
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$$\langle \cos 6(\Phi_2 - \Phi_6) \rangle$$

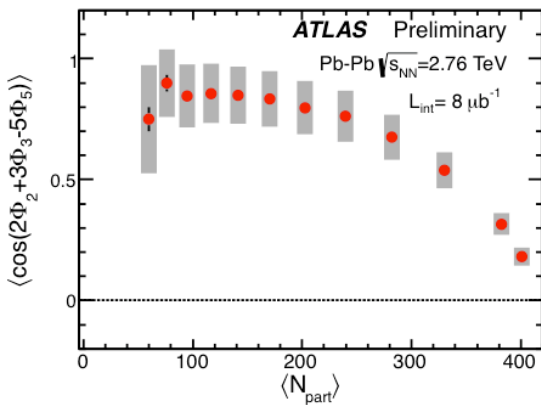


$$\langle \cos 6(\Phi_3 - \Phi_6) \rangle$$



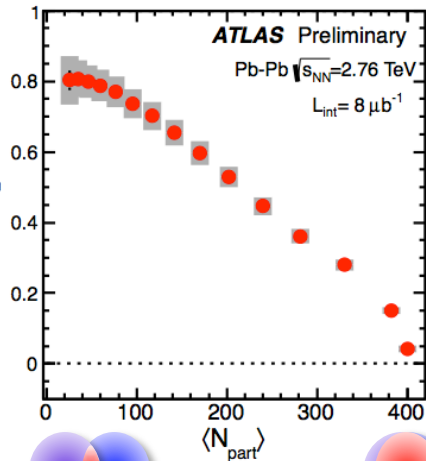
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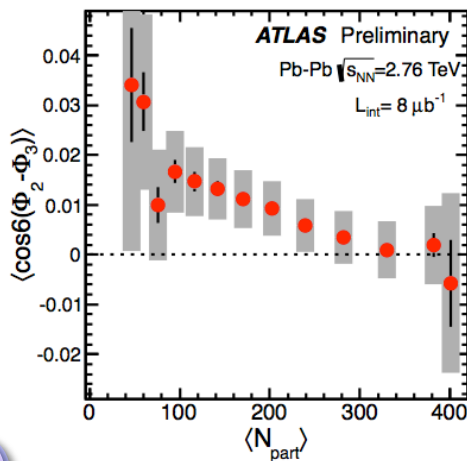


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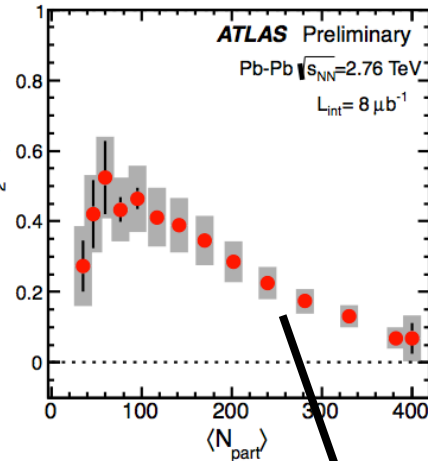
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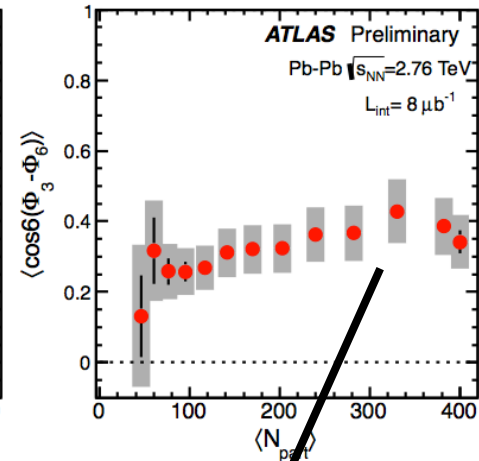
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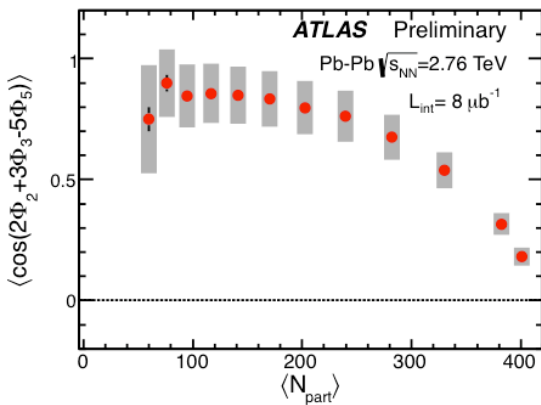


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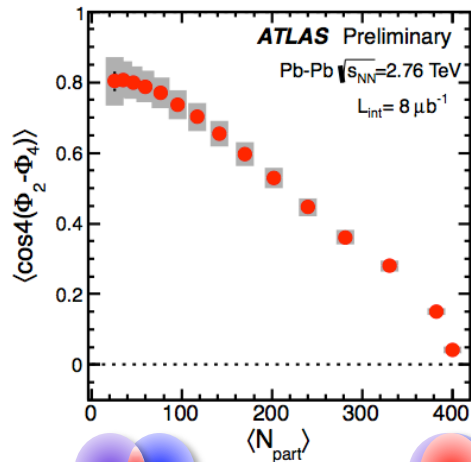
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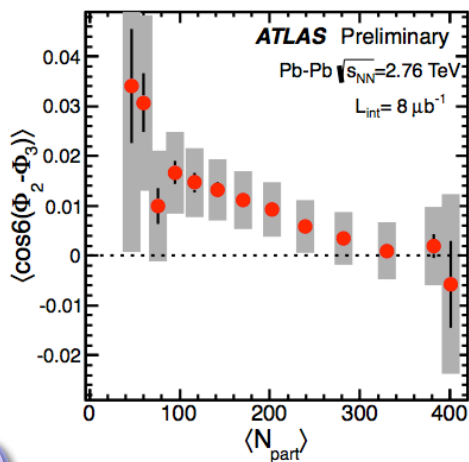


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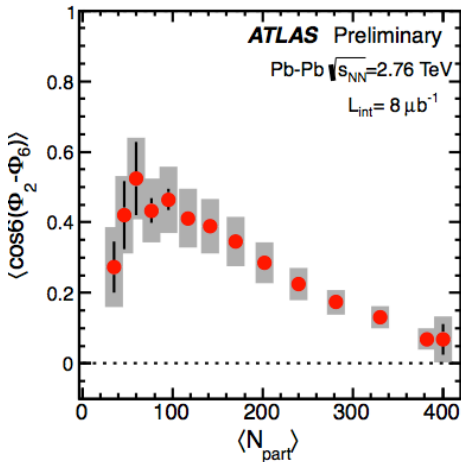
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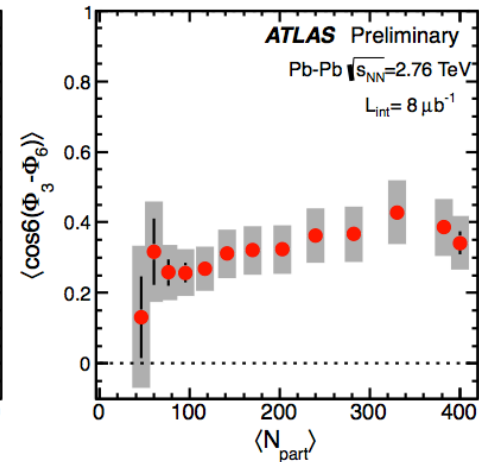
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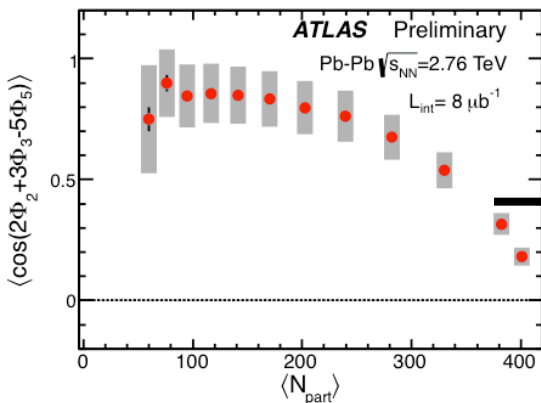
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# How $(\varepsilon_n, \Phi_n^*)$ are transferred to $(v_n, \Phi_n)$ ?

- Flow response is linear for  $v_2$  and  $v_3$ :  $v_n \propto \varepsilon_n$  and  $\Phi_n \approx \Phi_n^*$  i.e.

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- Higher-order flow arises from EP correlations., e.g. :

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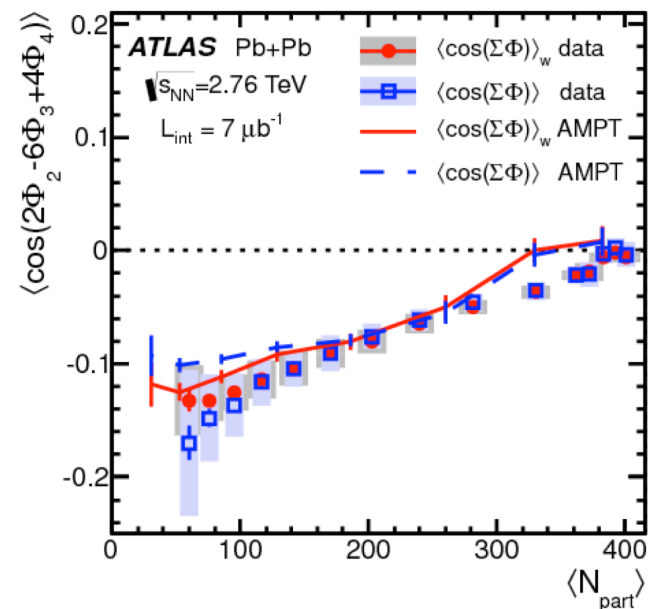
Ollitrault, Luzum, Teaney, Li, Heinz, Chun....

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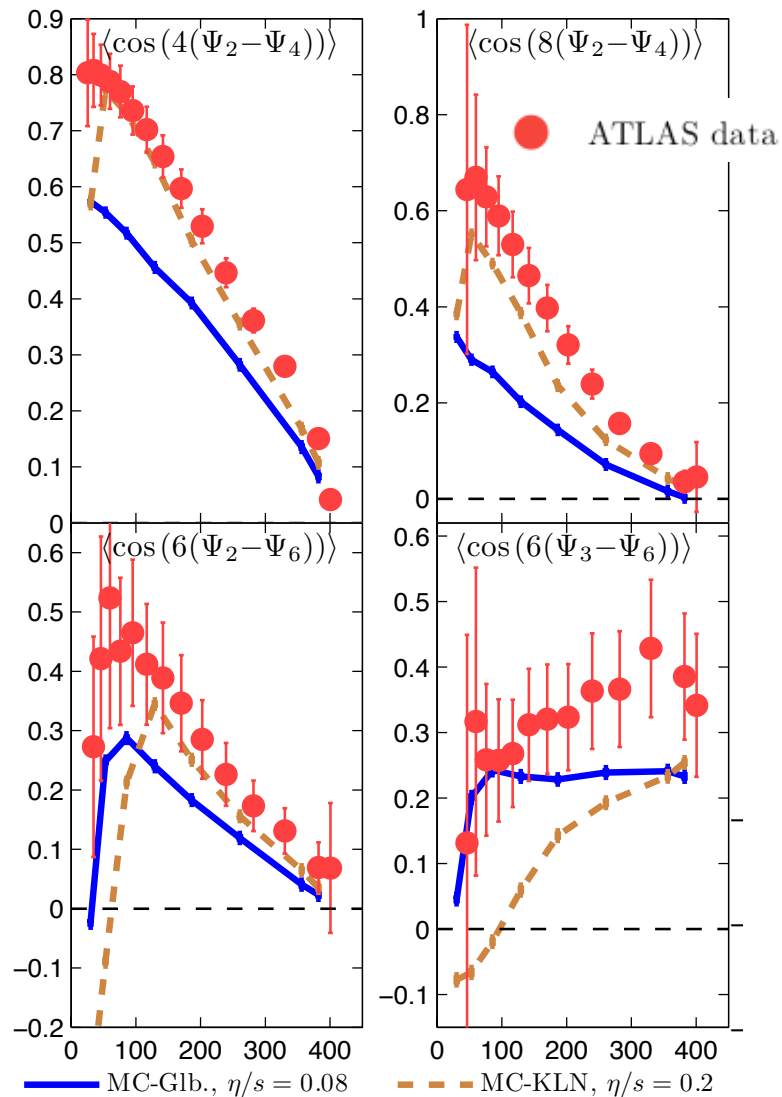
- Some correlators lack no intuitive explanation  
e.g. 2-3-4 correlation

- Although described by EbyE hydro and AMPT



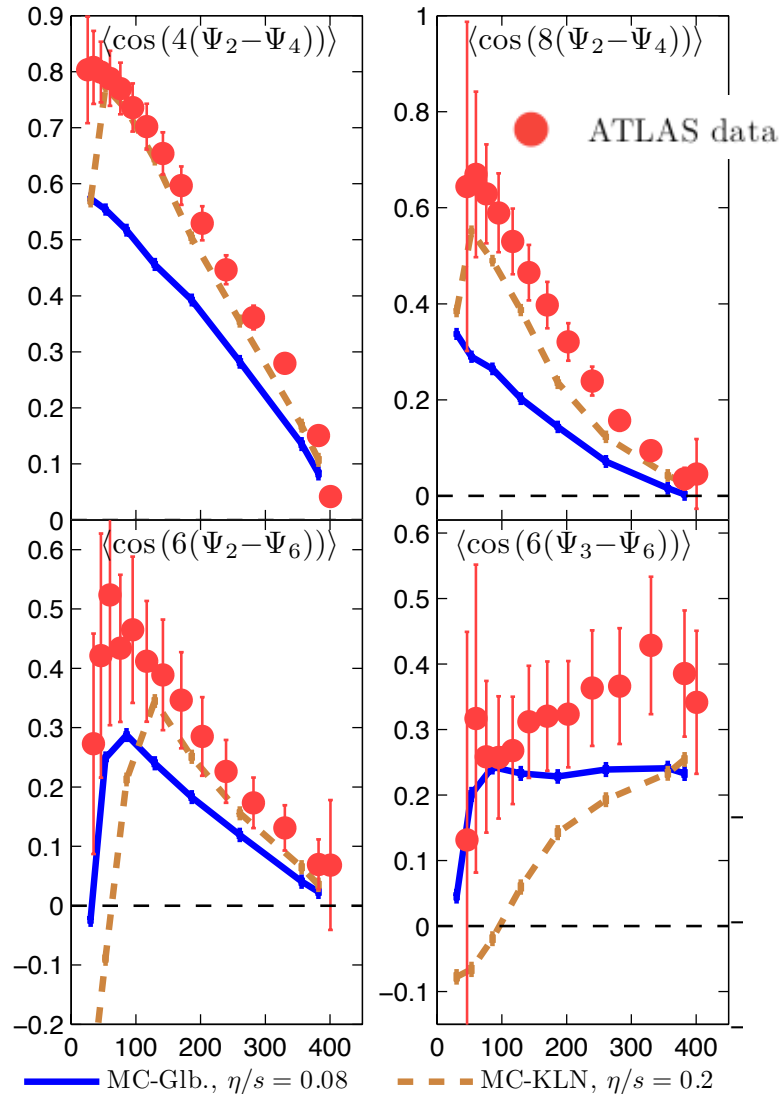
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Initial geometry + hydrodynamic Zhe & Heinz 1208.1200

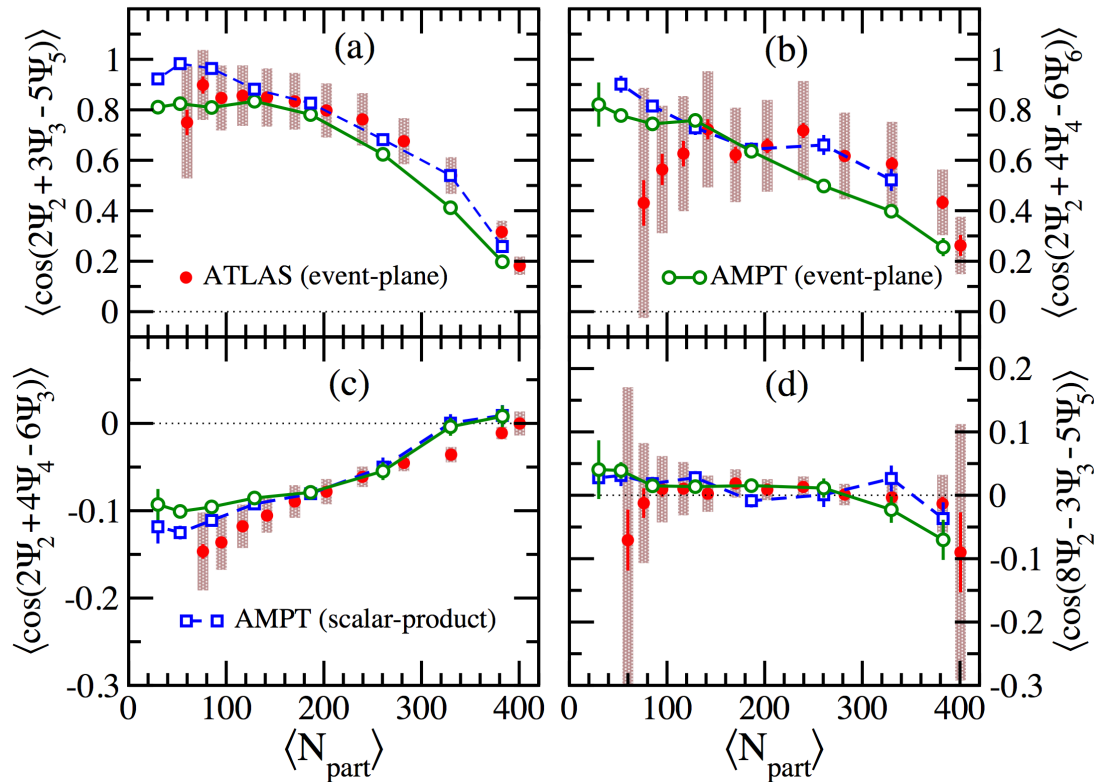


# Compare with EbE hydro calculation

Initial geometry + hydrodynamic Zhe & Heinz 1208.1200



Initial geometry + transport 1307.0980  
Bhalerao, et.al.



EbyE hydro and transport models reproduce features in the data

# What is the origin of mode-mixing? example

- Hadrons freezeout from exponential distribution of the flow field

$$E \frac{d^3 N}{d^3 \vec{p}} \approx \frac{g}{(2\pi)^3} \int_{\Sigma} \exp\left(-\frac{p \cdot u(x)}{T}\right) p \cdot d^3 \sigma(x)$$

- Flow field  $u(x)$  has a harmonic modulation driven by geometry

$$u(\phi) = u_0 \left(1 + 2 \sum \beta_n \cos(\phi - \Phi_n)\right)$$

- Quadratic term in saddle-point expansion leads to mode-mixing

$$e^{-p_T u(\phi)} \approx 1 - p_T u(\phi) + \boxed{1/2 p_T^2 u^2(\phi)} \dots$$

Borghini, Ollitrault 2005

Teaney, Yan 2012

Lang, Borghini 2013

$$v_2(p_T) \approx I(p_T) \beta_2, v_3(p_T) \approx I(p_T) \beta_3$$

$$v_4(p_T) \approx I(p_T) \beta_4 + \frac{I(p_T)^2}{2} \beta_2^2 \longrightarrow v_2^2$$

$$v_5(p_T) \approx I(p_T) \beta_5 + I(p_T)^2 \beta_2 \beta_3 \longrightarrow v_2 v_3$$

$$v_6(p_T) \approx I(p_T) \beta_6 + \frac{I(p_T)^3}{6} \beta_2^3 + \frac{I(p_T)^2}{2} \beta_2^2 \beta_3 + I(p_T)^2 \beta_2 \beta_4$$

$\uparrow$   $v_2^3$ ,  $\nearrow$   $v_2^2$ ,  $\nearrow$   $v_2 v_4$

$$I(p_t) \equiv \frac{\bar{u}_{\max}}{T} (p_t - m_t \bar{v}_{\max})$$



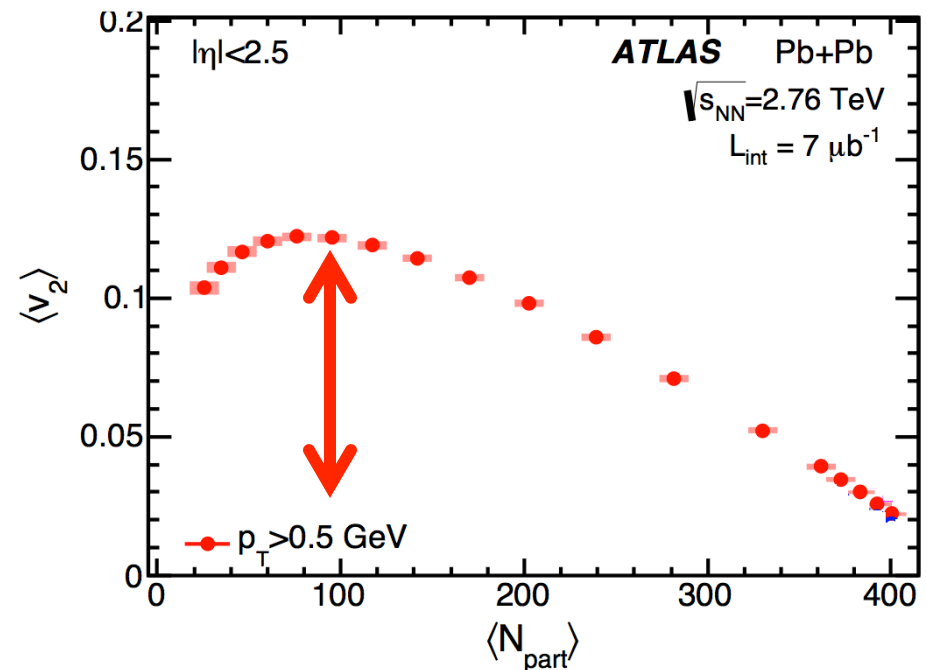
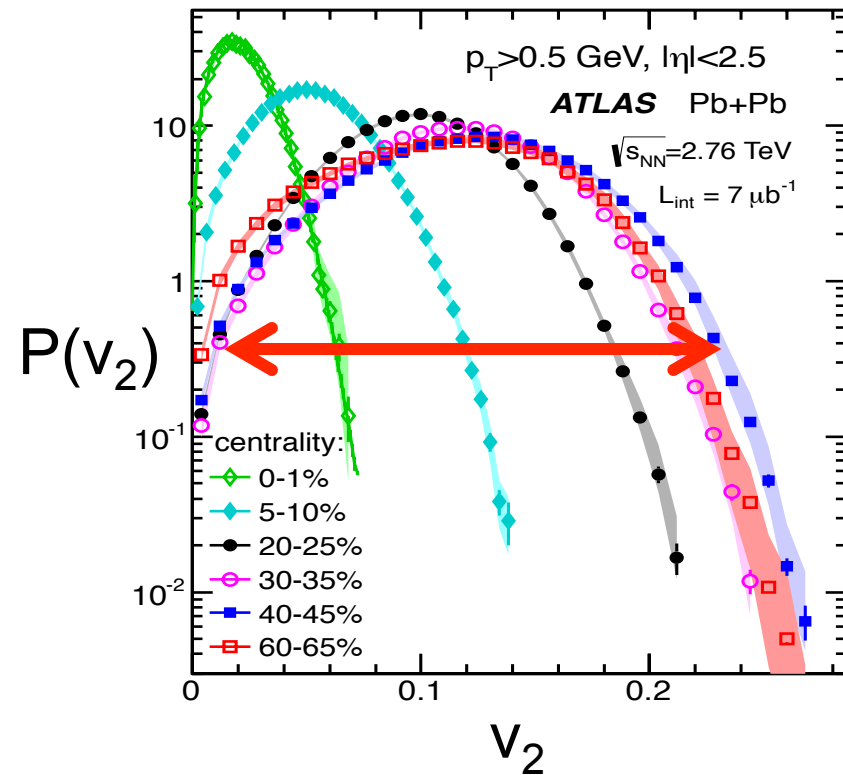
# Event-shape selection technique

# Can we do better?

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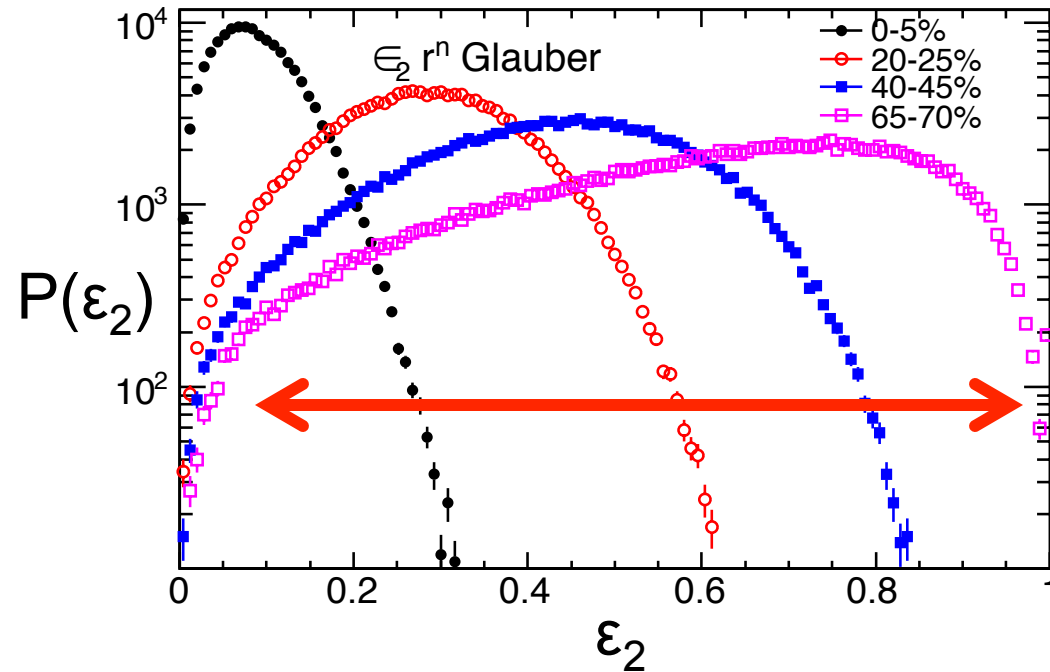
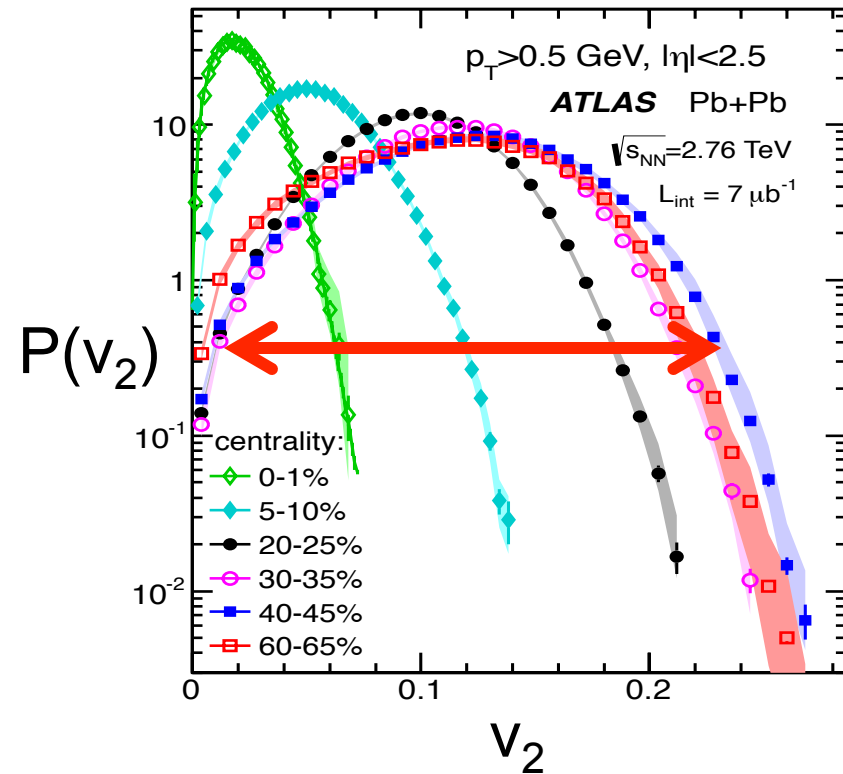
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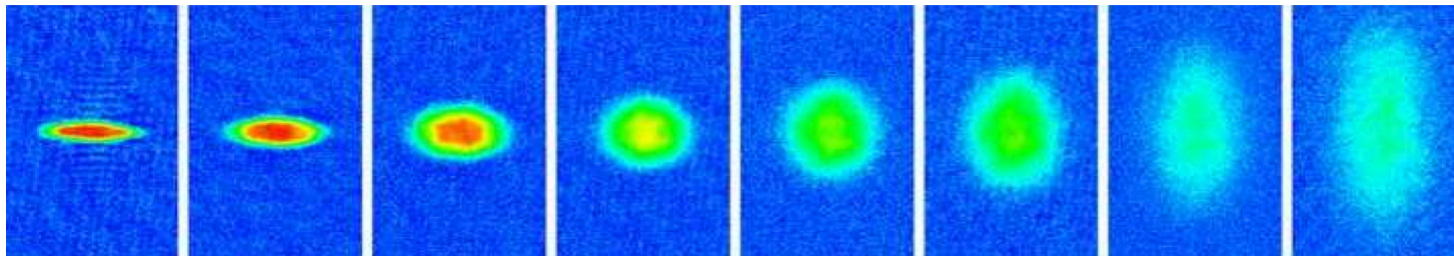
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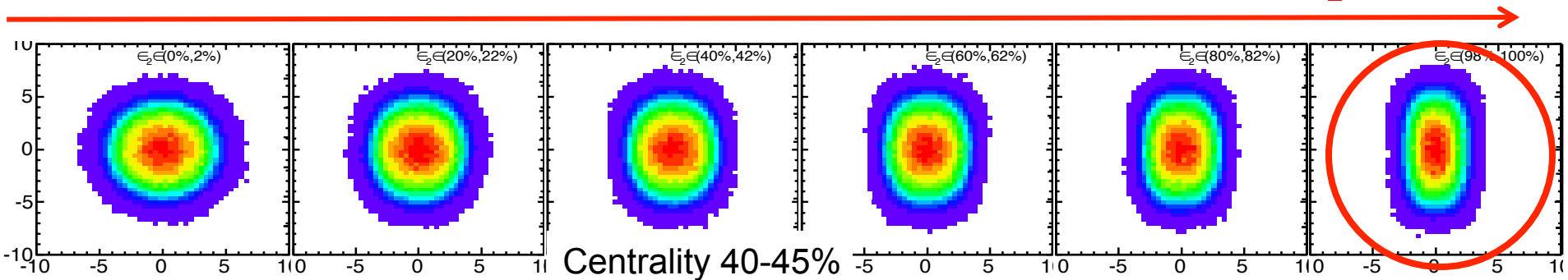
- More variation in  $v_2$  within one centrality than variation of mean  $v_2$  across all centralities
- Study the variation of  $v_n$  at fixed centrality but varying event-geometry: “event-shape-selected  $v_n$  measurements

# Ideal case: selecting on eccentricity

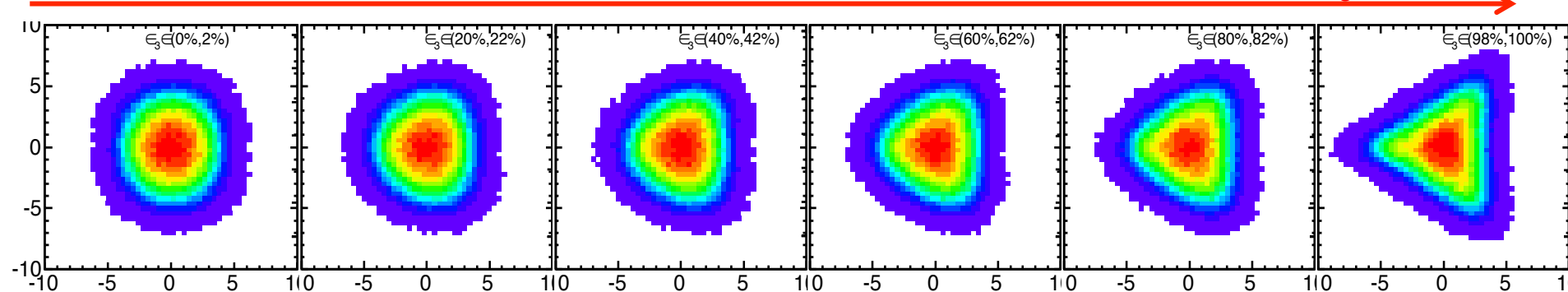


What is the radial flow profile?

Increasing  $\epsilon_2$



Increasing  $\epsilon_3$

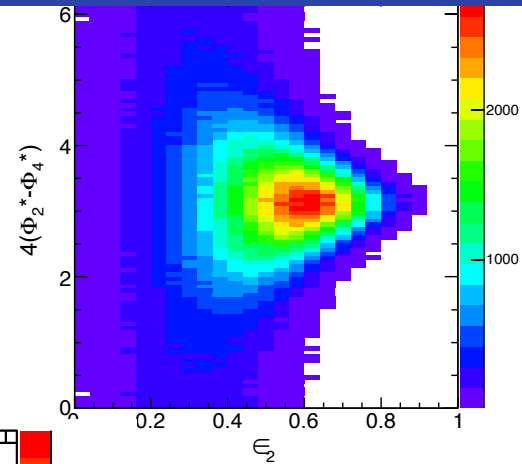
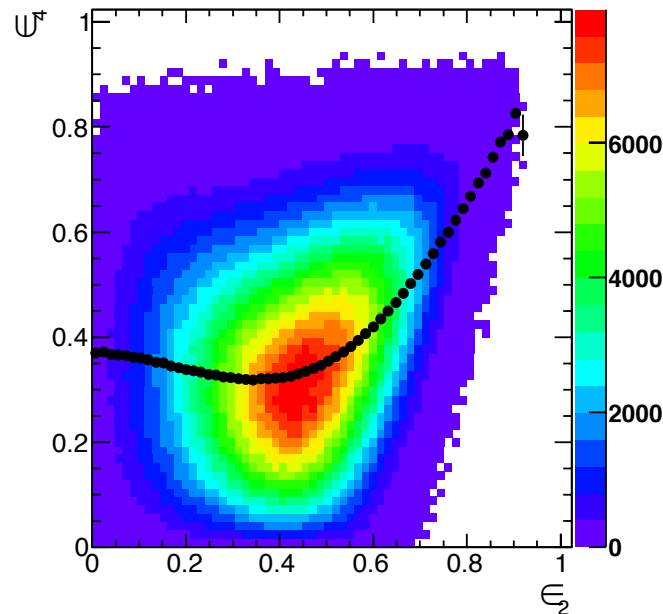
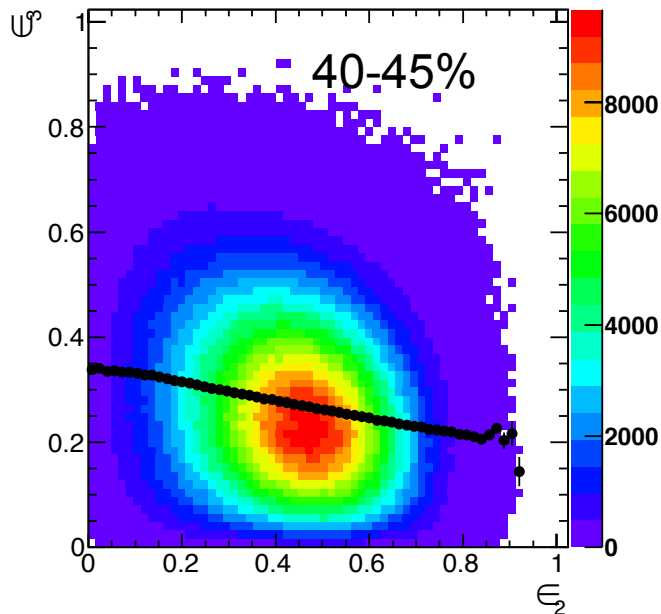


# Hidden correlations at fixed-centrality

- Evolution of  $v_n$  correlated with  $v_m$  via
  - Non-linearities from hydro evolution and freeze-out
  - But also initial correlation

anti-correlation  
between  $\varepsilon_2$  and  $\varepsilon_3$ .

positive-correlation  
between  $\varepsilon_2$  and  $\varepsilon_4$ .



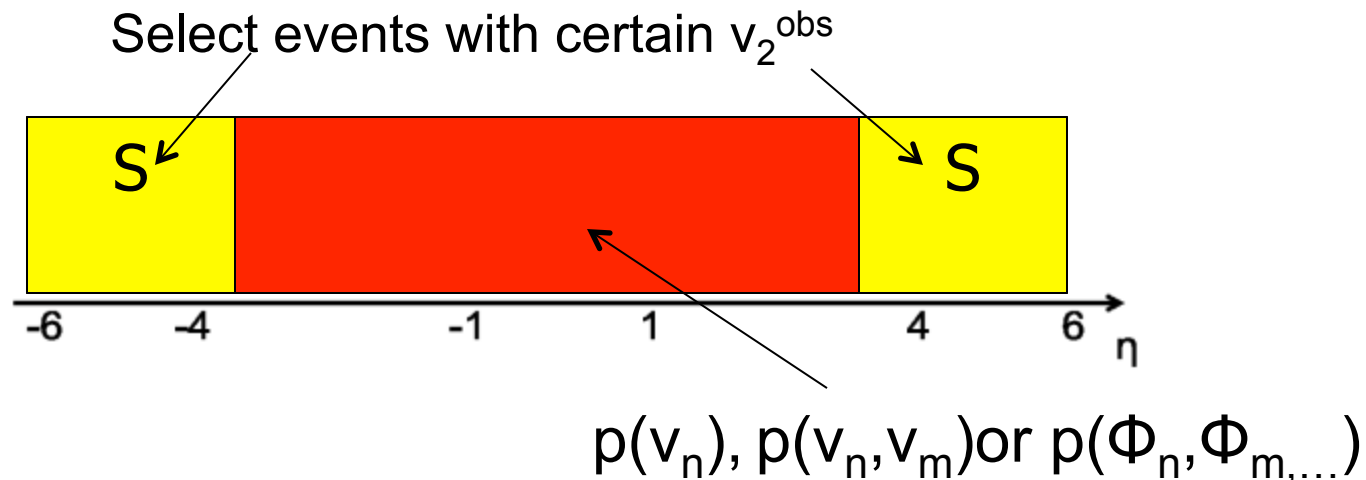
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- Naturally studied via event-shape selection technique
  - E.g. select events with different  $v_2$  and study  $v_n$ . in **FIXED centrality**

# Event-shape selection technique

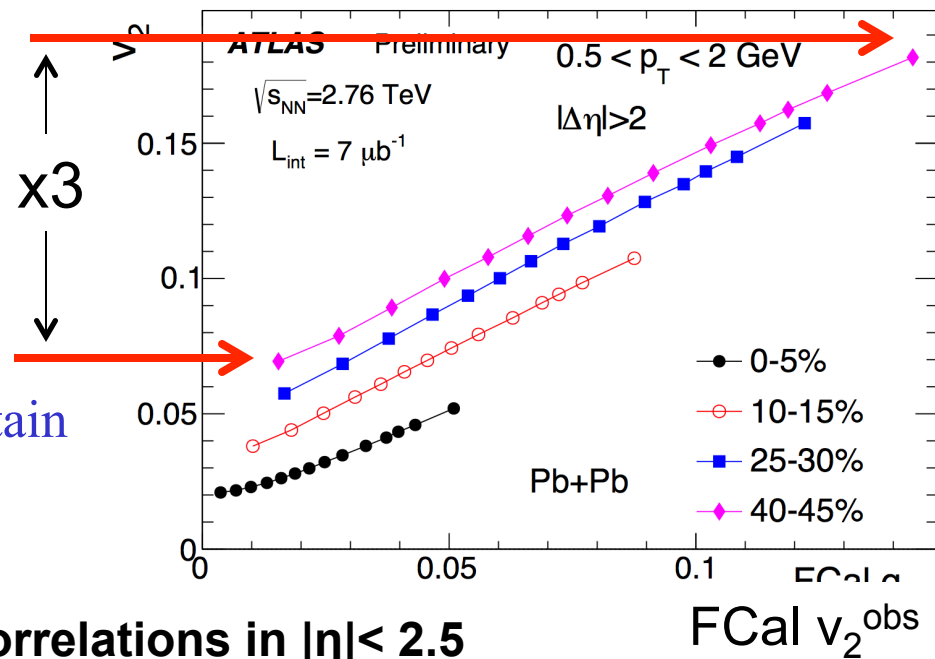
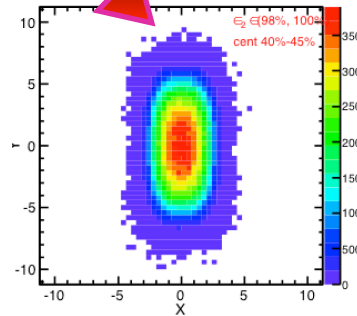
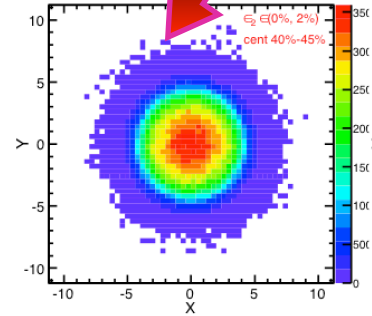
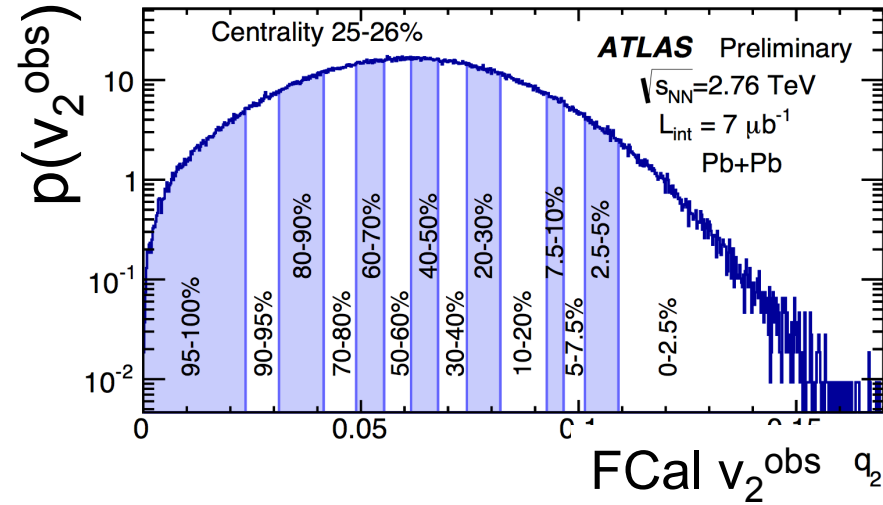
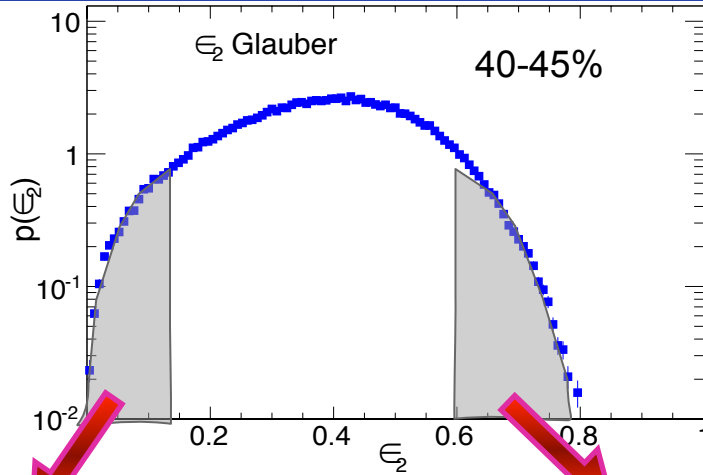
Schukraft, Timmins, and Voloshin, arXiv:1208.4563

Huo, Mohapatra, JJ arxiv:1311.7091



$$\vec{q}_n = \frac{1}{\sum w} (\sum w \cos n\phi_n, \sum w \sin n\phi_n), w = p_T, \quad q_n = |\vec{q}_n| \text{ or } v_n^{\text{obs}}$$

# More info by selecting on event-shape



- Fix centrality, then select events with certain  $v_2^{\text{obs}}$  in Forward rapidity:

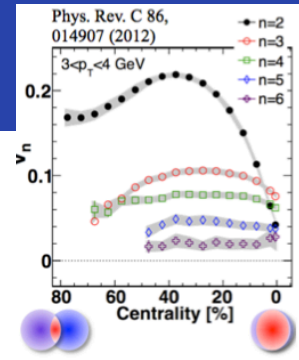
→ ATLAS: measure  $v_n$  via two-particle correlations in  $|\eta| < 2.5$

Vary ellipticity by a factor of 3!

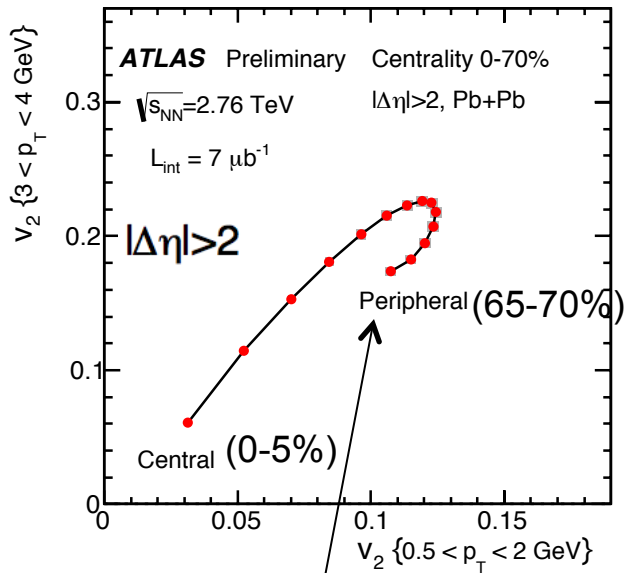


# $v_n - v_2$ correlations: centrality dependence

- First correlation without event  $v_2$ -selection, 5% steps

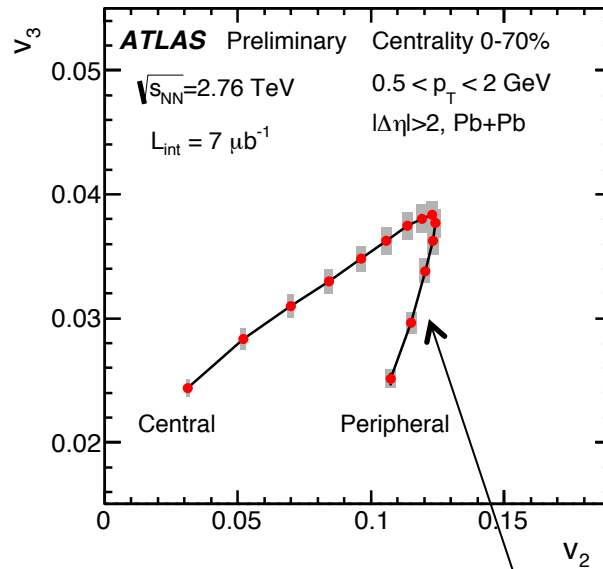


## $v_2$ (higher $p_T$ )



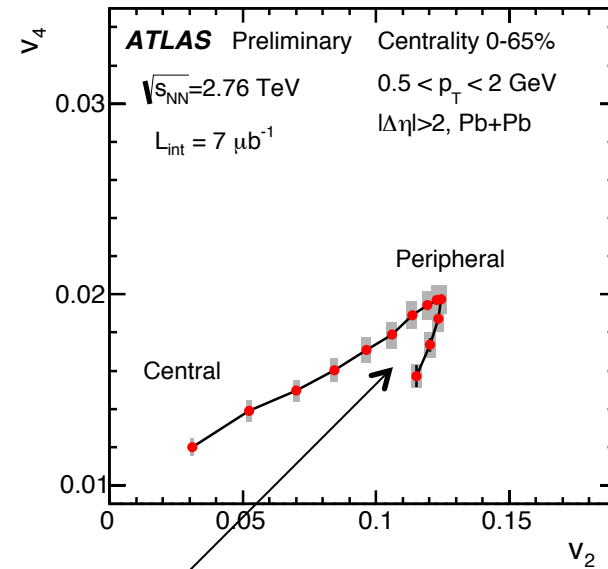
“Boomerang” reflects stronger viscous damping at higher  $p_T$  and peripheral

## $v_3$



“Boomerang” reflects reflects different centrality dependence, which is also sensitive to the viscosity effect.

## $v_4$

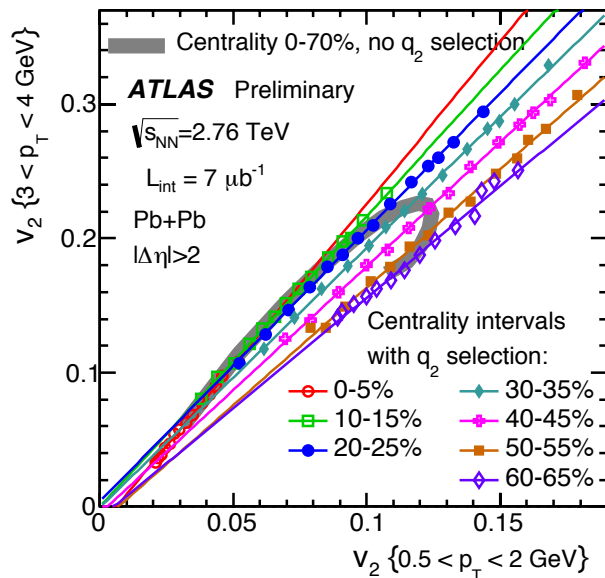


# $v_n$ - $v_2$ correlations: within fixed centrality

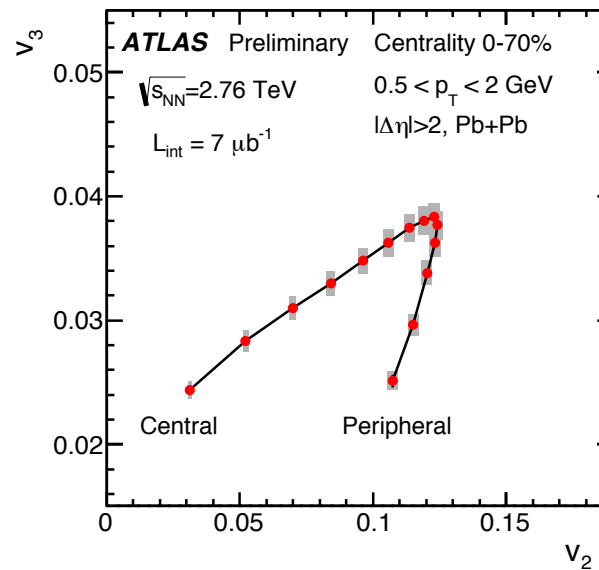
- Fix system size and vary the ellipticity!

Probe  $p(v_n, v_2)$

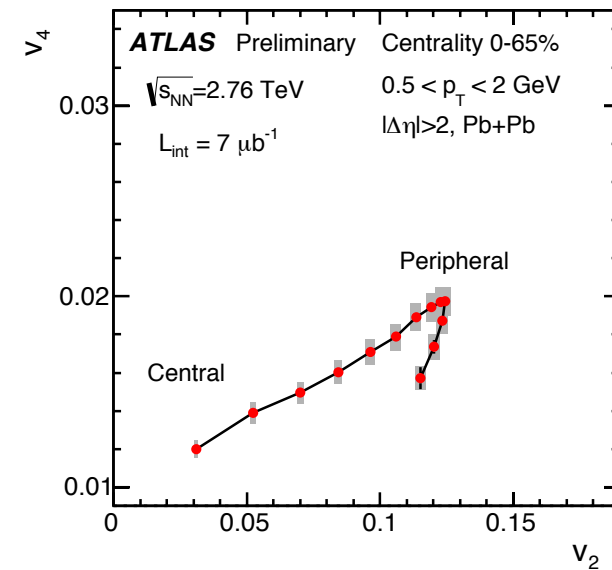
$v_2$  (higher  $p_T$ )



$v_3$



$v_4$



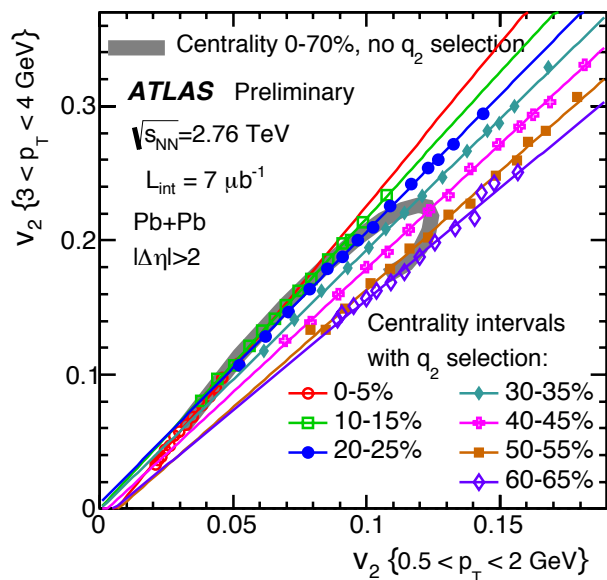
Linear correlation for forward  $v_2$ -selected bin  $\rightarrow$  viscous damping controlled by system size, not shape

# $v_n$ - $v_2$ correlations: within fixed centrality

- Fix system size and vary the ellipticity!
- Overlay  $\varepsilon_3$ - $\varepsilon_2$  and  $\varepsilon_4$ - $\varepsilon_2$  correlations, rescaled

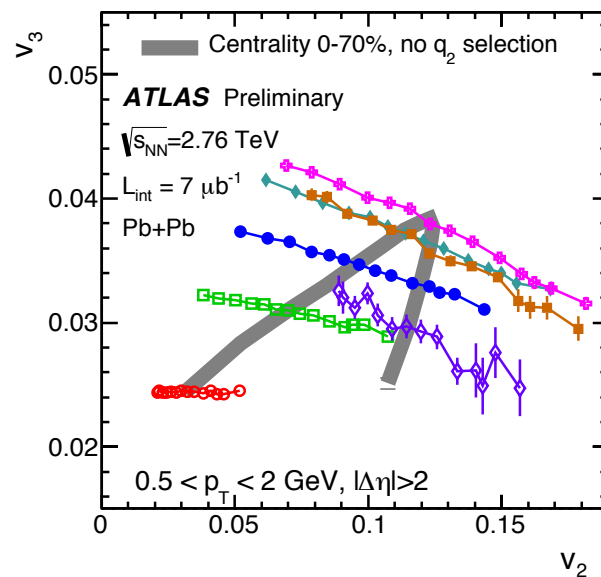
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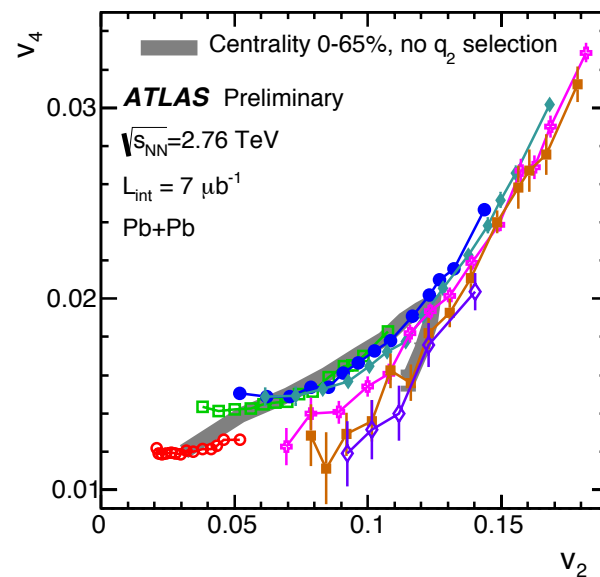
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## $v_4$



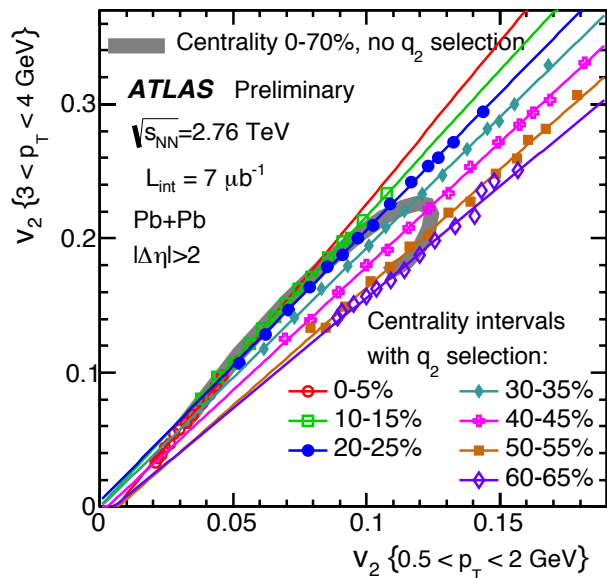
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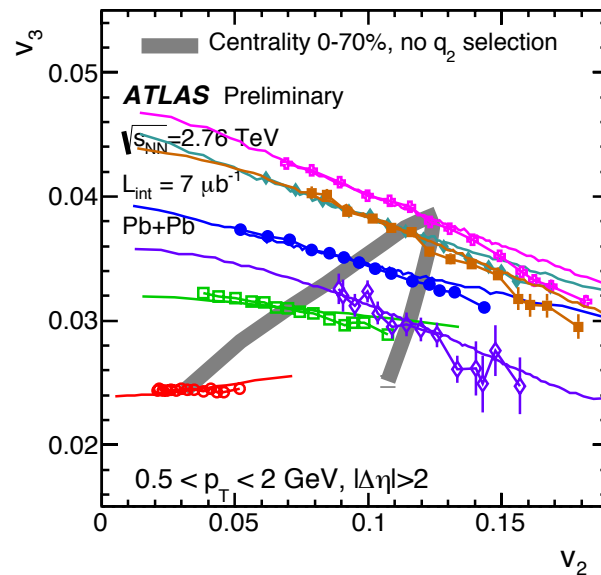
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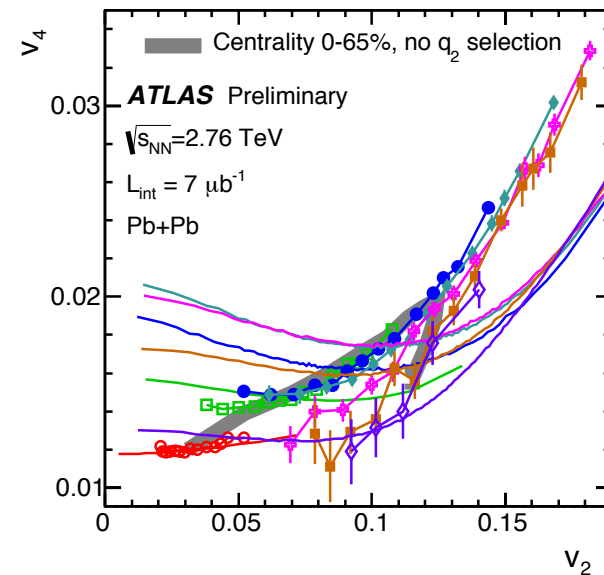
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## $v_3$



Clear anti-correlation, mostly initial geometry effect!!

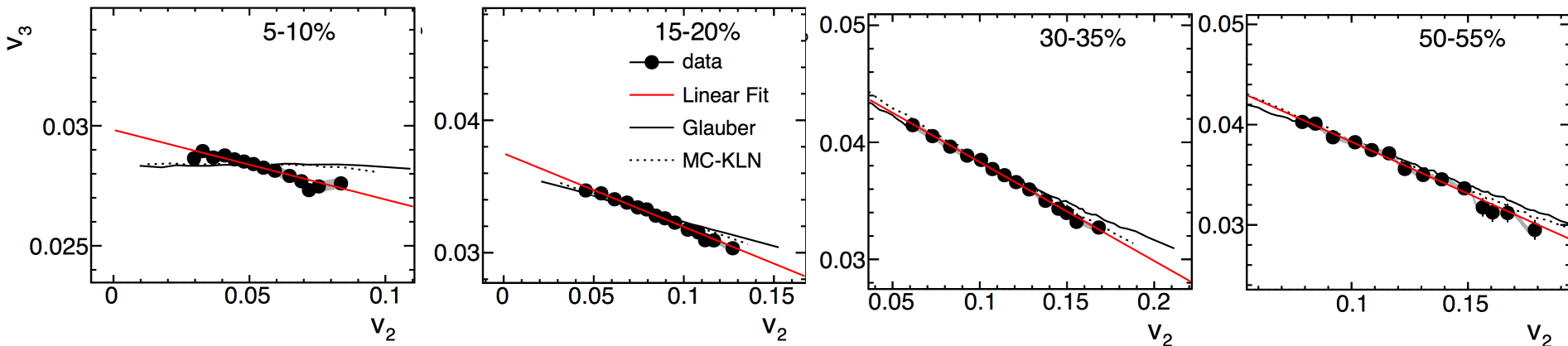
## $v_4$



quadratic rise from non-linear coupling to  $v_2^2$  initial geometry do not work!!

Initial geometry describe  $v_3$ - $v_2$  but fails  $v_4$ - $v_2$  correlation

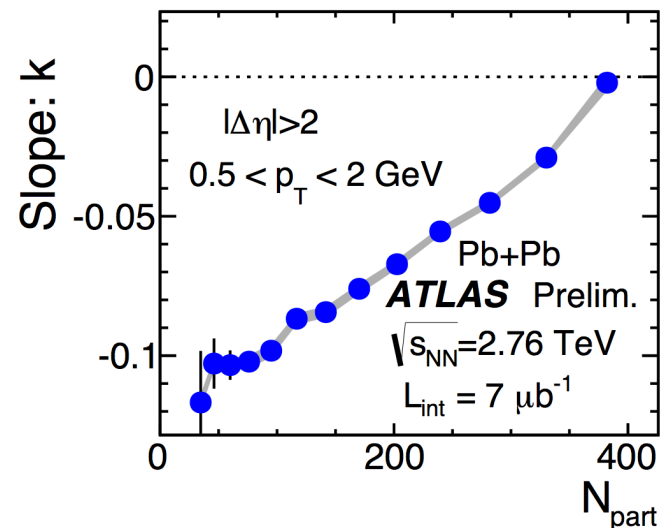
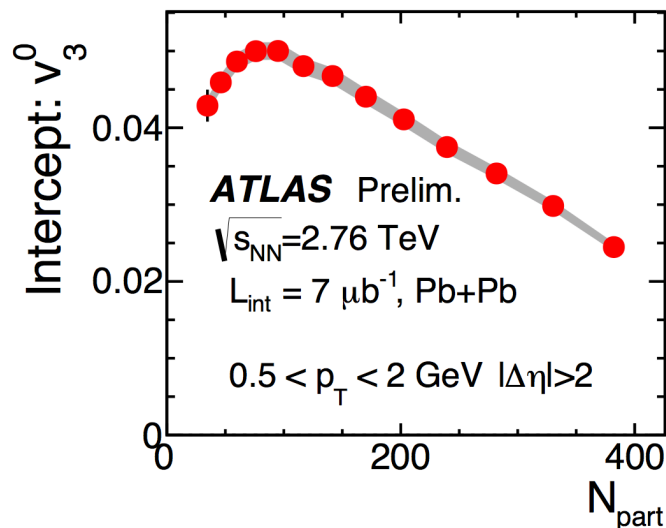
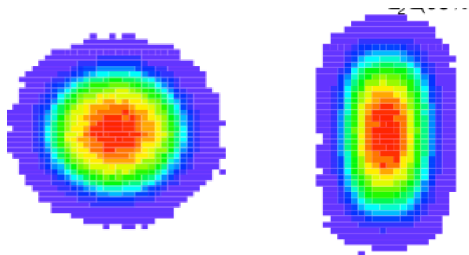
# Anti-correlation between $v_3$ and $v_2$



Can be used to fine tune initial geometry models!

- Quantified by a linear fit and extract the intercept and slope

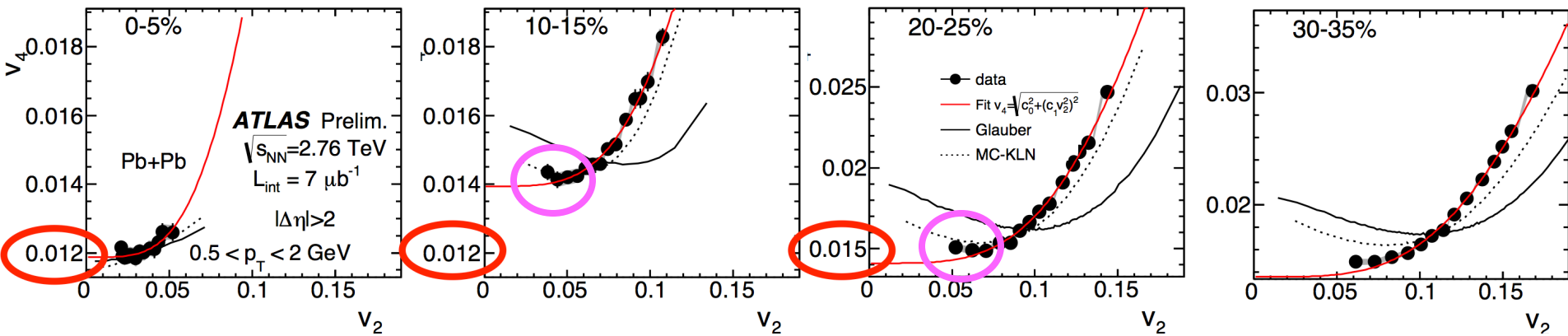
$$v_3 = kv_2 + v_3^0$$



Events with zero  $\varepsilon_2$  has larger average  $\varepsilon_3 \rightarrow$  larger  $v_3$ .

# linear ( $\epsilon_4$ ) and non-linear ( $v_2^2$ ) component of $v_4$

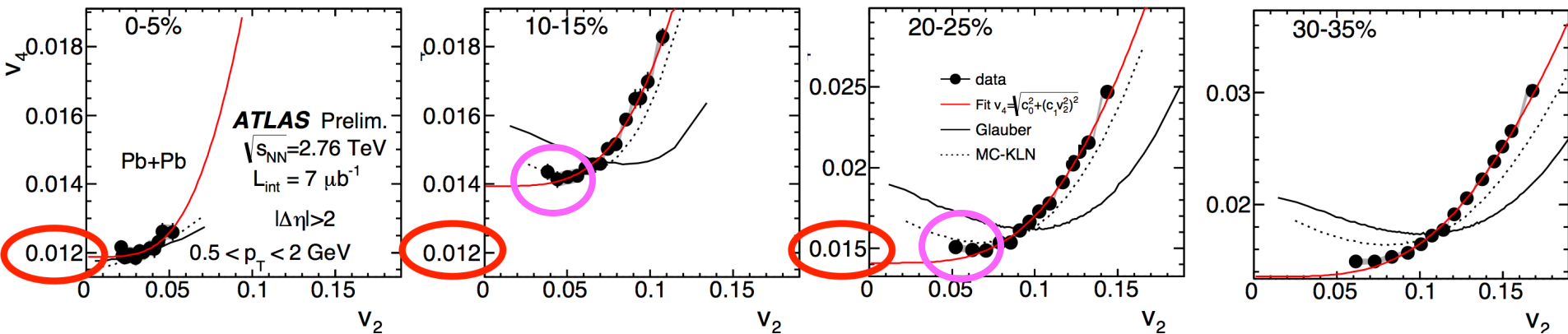
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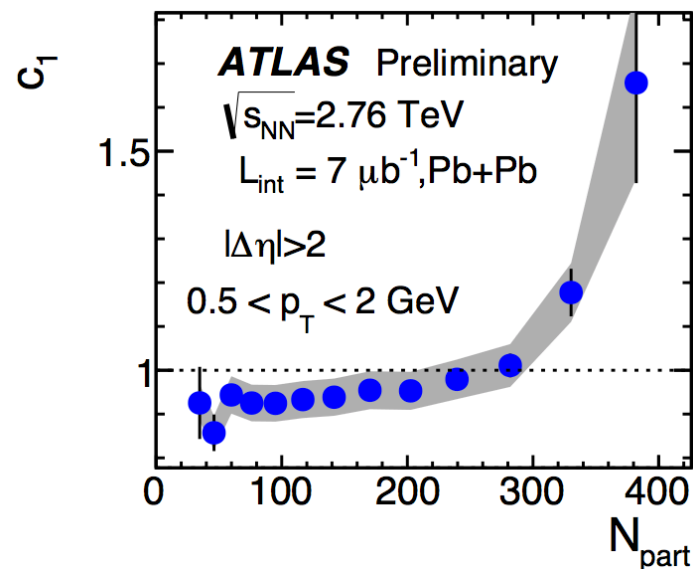
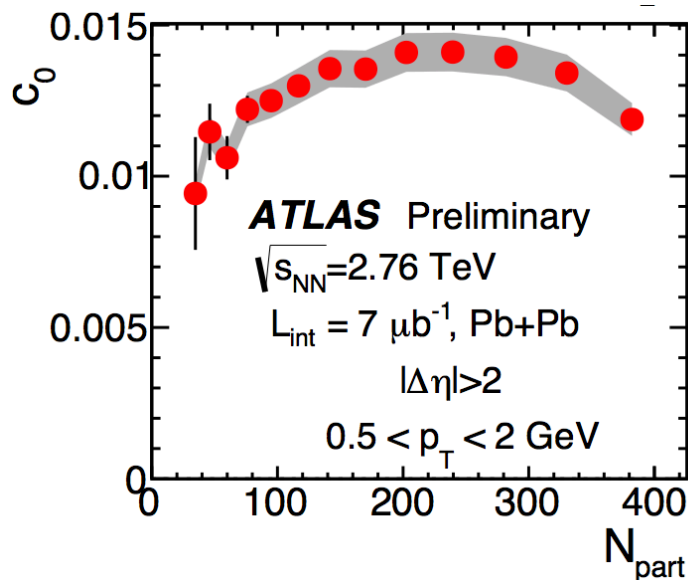
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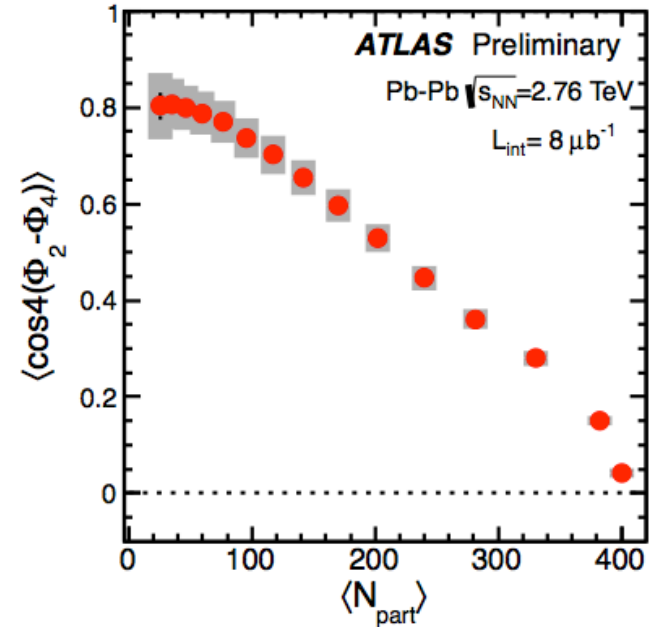
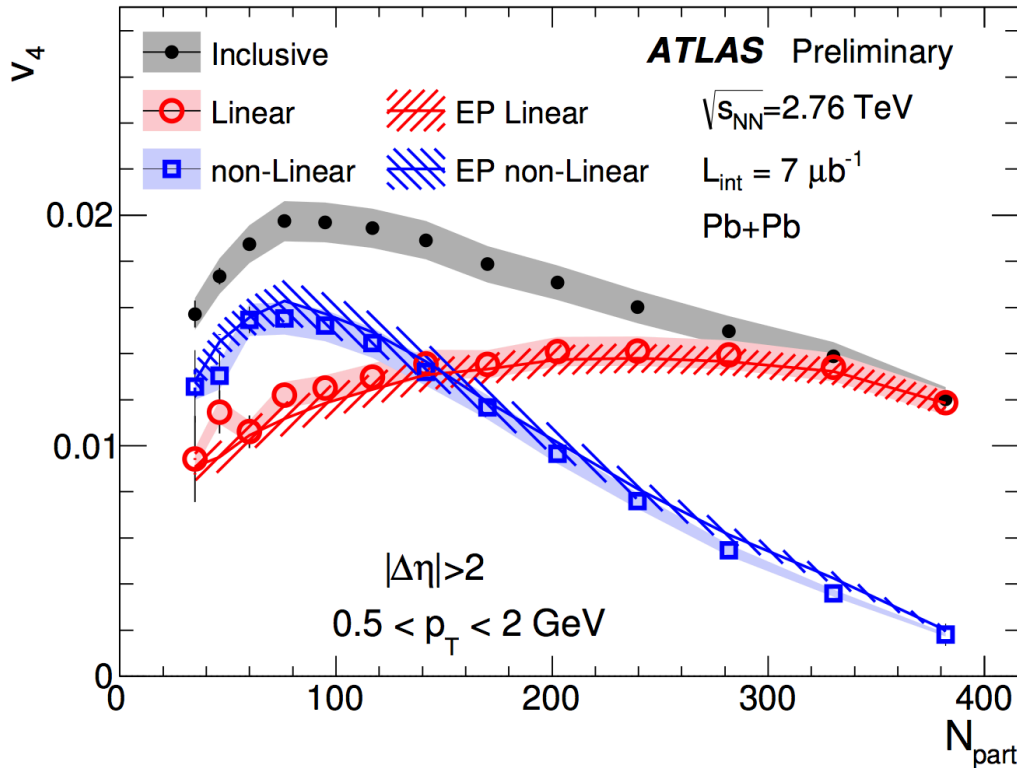


# v4 decomposition compare with EP correlation

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- Leading non-linear term is enough

$$v_4 e^{i4\Phi_4} = c_0 e^{i4\Phi_4^*} + c_1 v_2^2 e^{i4\Phi_2}$$



- If so, can also predict L and NL component from EP correlations
  - Good agreement is seen!

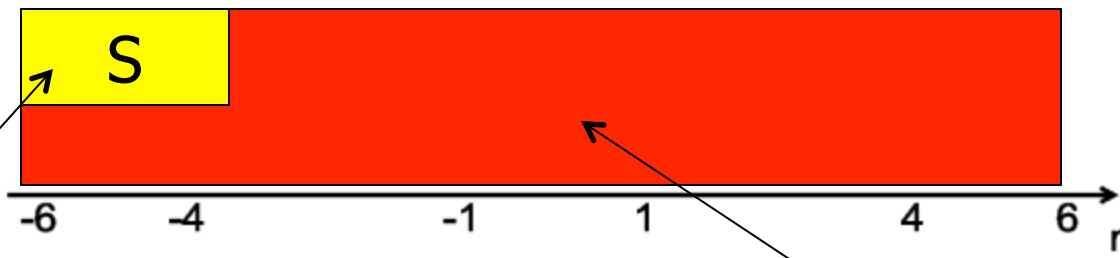
$$v_4^{NL} = v_4 \langle \cos 4(\Phi_2 - \Phi_4) \rangle, \quad v_4^L = \sqrt{v_4^2 - (v_4^{NL})^2}$$



# What about select on one side?

Schukraft, Timmins, and Voloshin, arXiv:1208.4563

Huo, Mohapatra, JJ arxiv:1311.7091

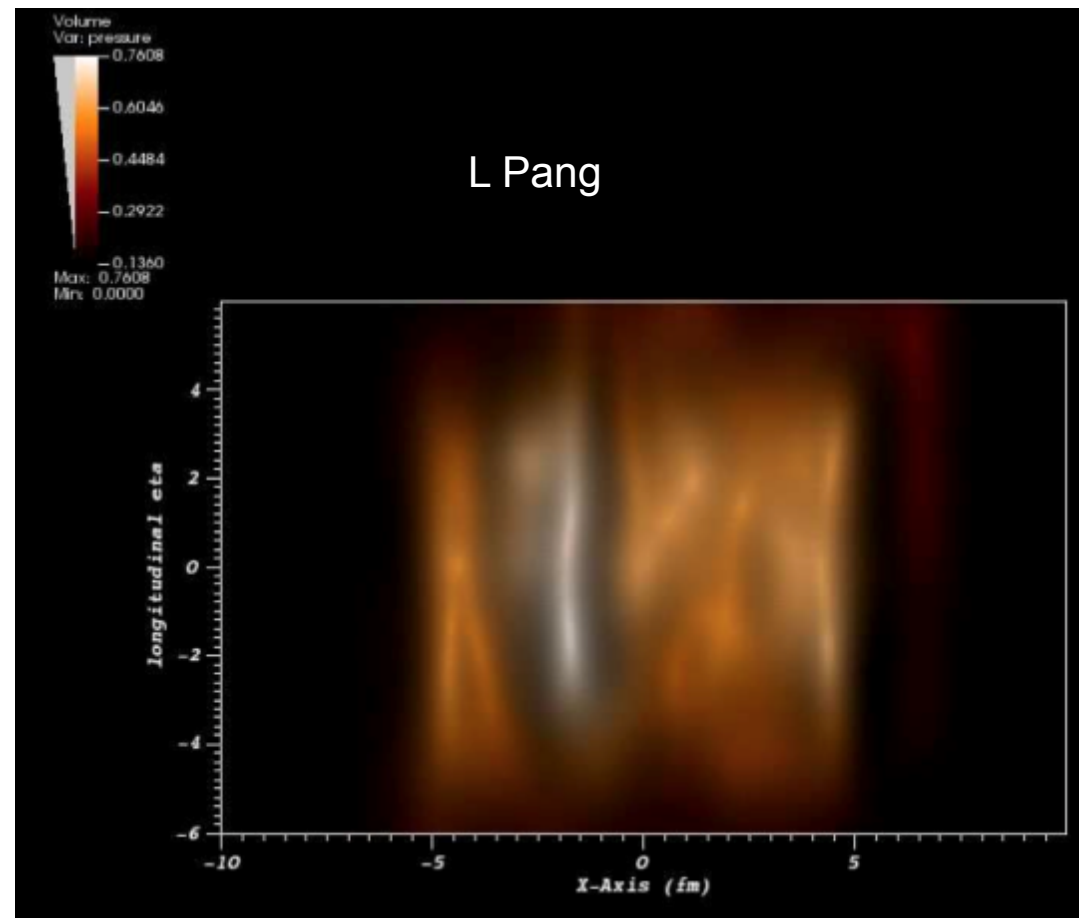


Select events with certain  $v_2^{\text{obs}}$

$p(v_n)$ ,  $p(v_n, v_m)$  or  $p(\Phi_n, \Phi_m, \dots)$

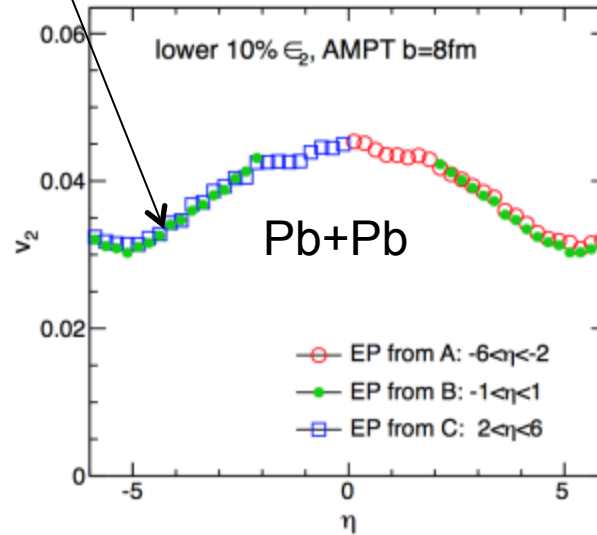
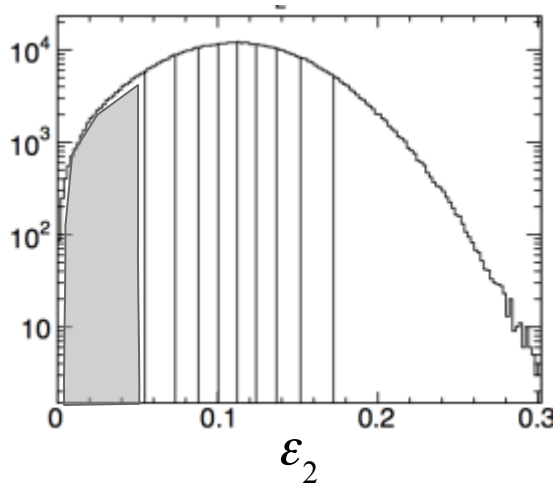
# AMPT model

- AMPT model: Glauber+HIJING+transport
  - Has **fluctuating geometry** and **collective flow**
  - **Longitudinal fluctuations** and **initial flow**



# $v_2(\eta)$ : select on $\epsilon_2$

Flow suppressed



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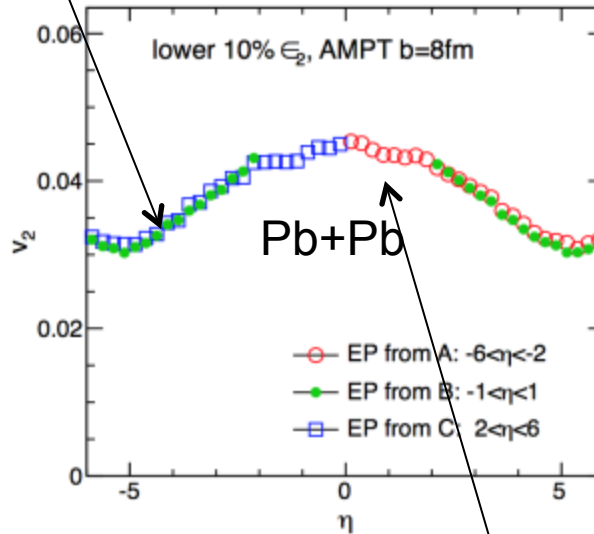
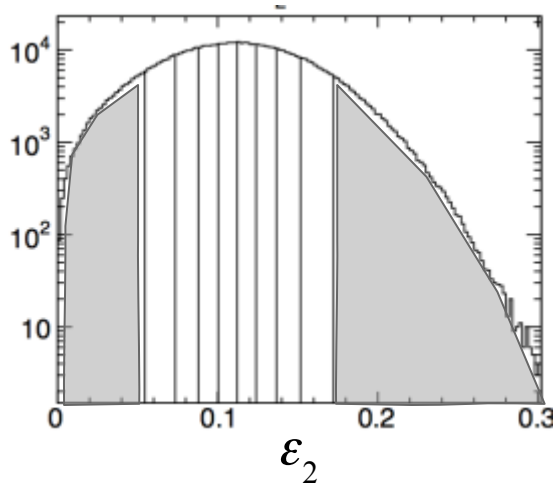
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$v_2(\eta)|_{\eta<0}$  when EP in  $2<\eta<6$

$v_2(\eta)|_{|\eta|>2}$  when EP in  $|\eta|<1$

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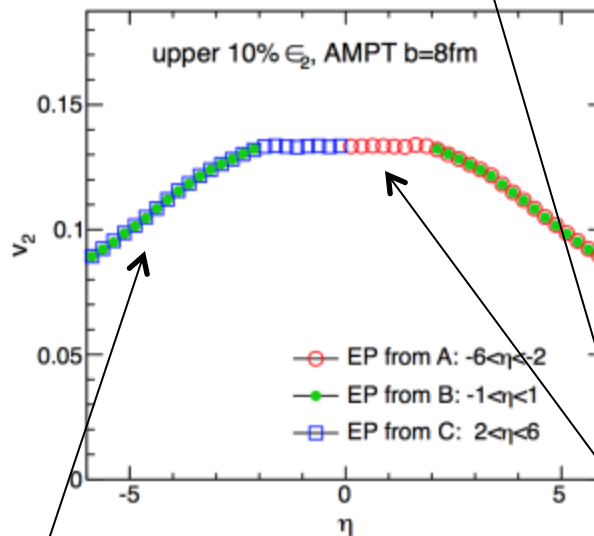


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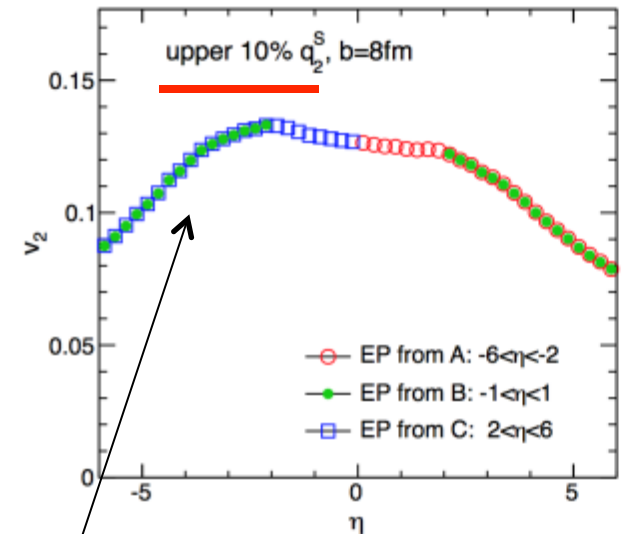
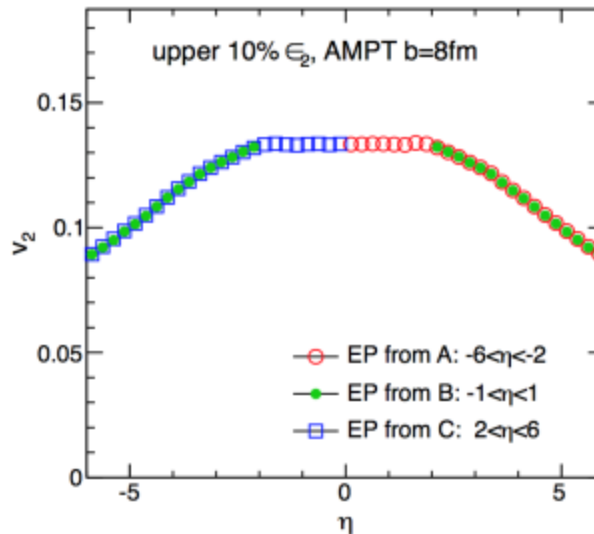
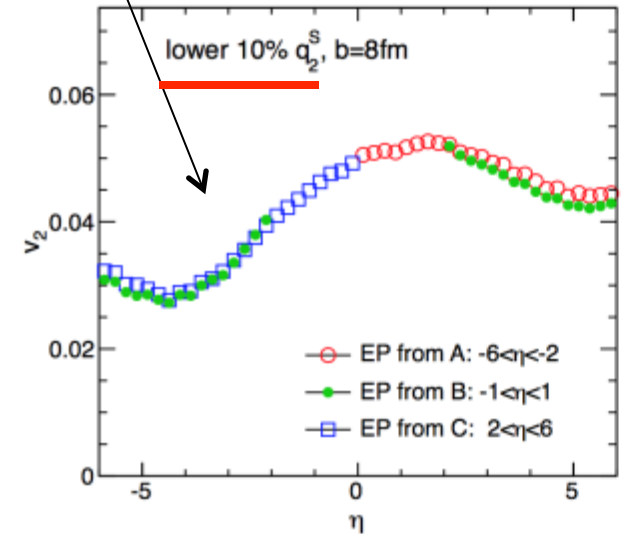
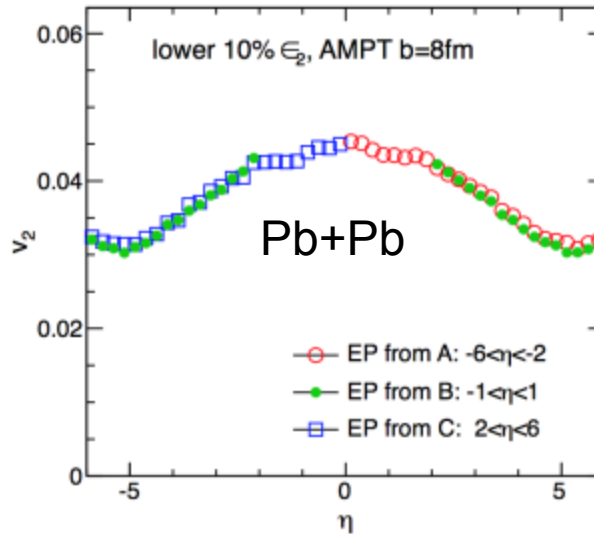
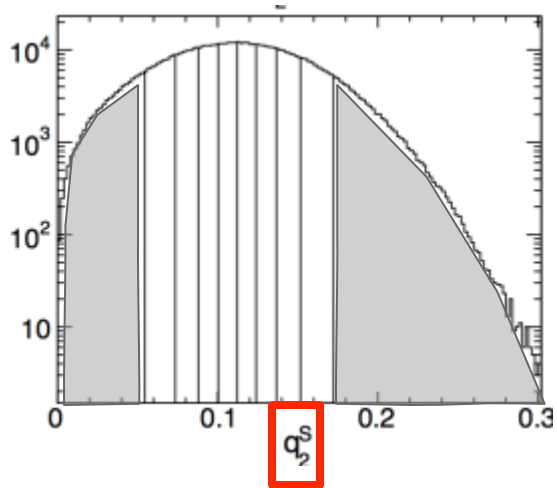
Flow enhanced

Symmetric distribution expected

# $v_2(\eta)$ : compare with selection on $q_2$

Suppression of flow in the selection window

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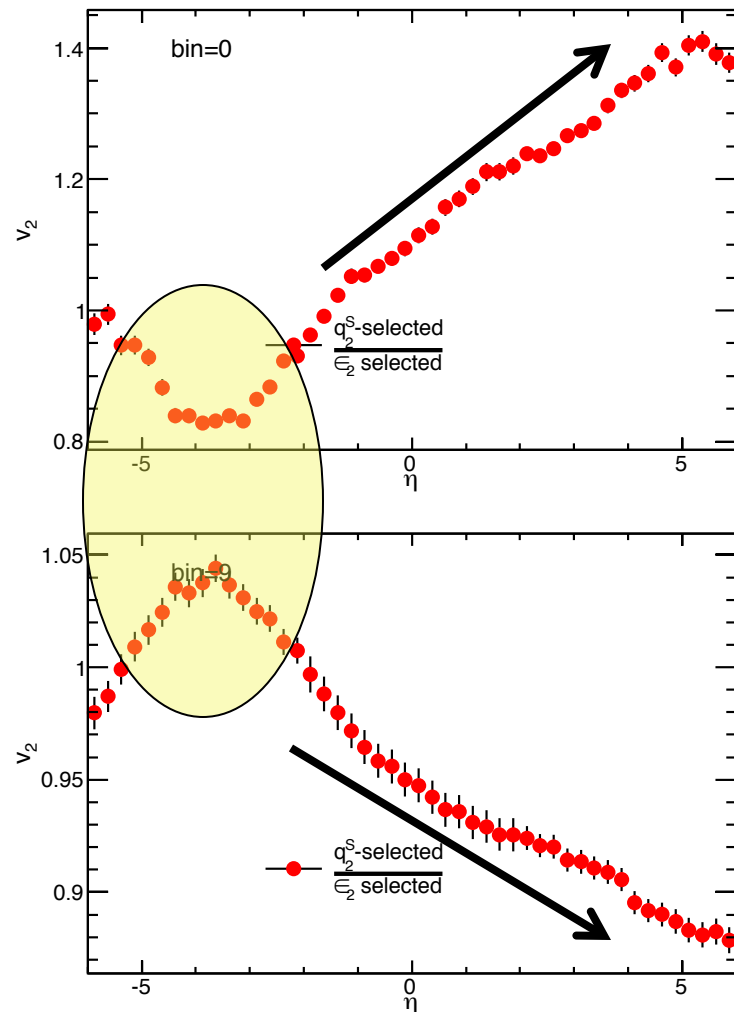
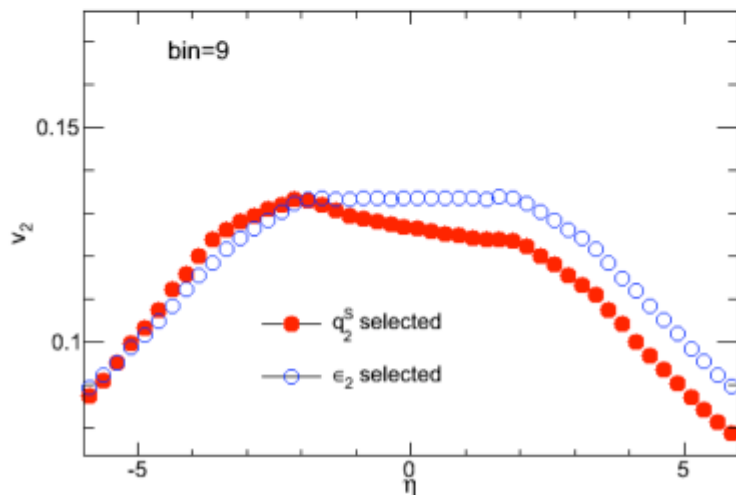
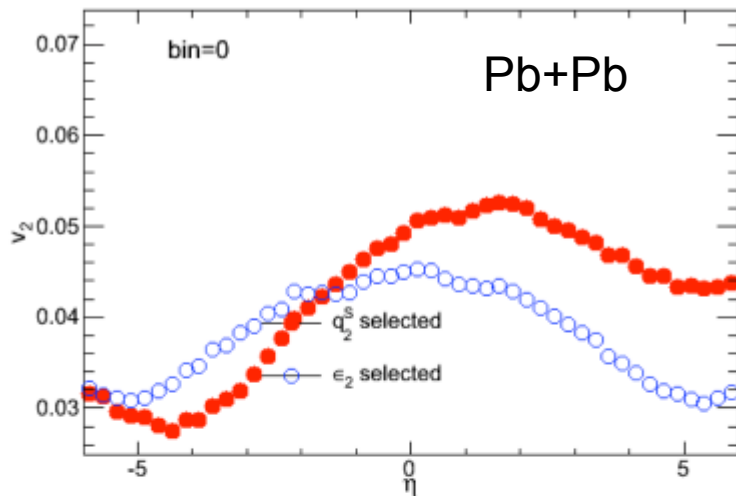
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enhancement of flow in the selection window

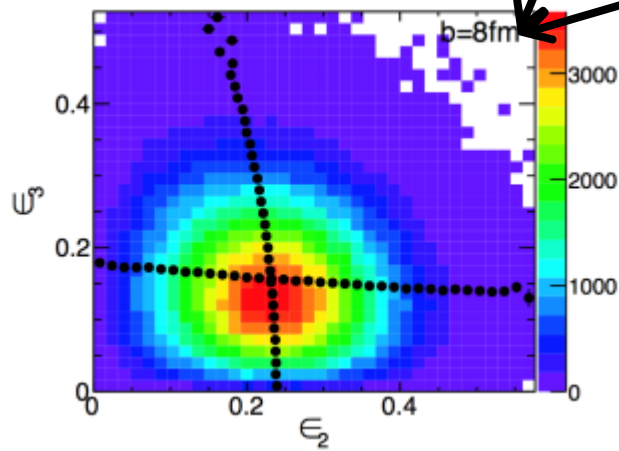
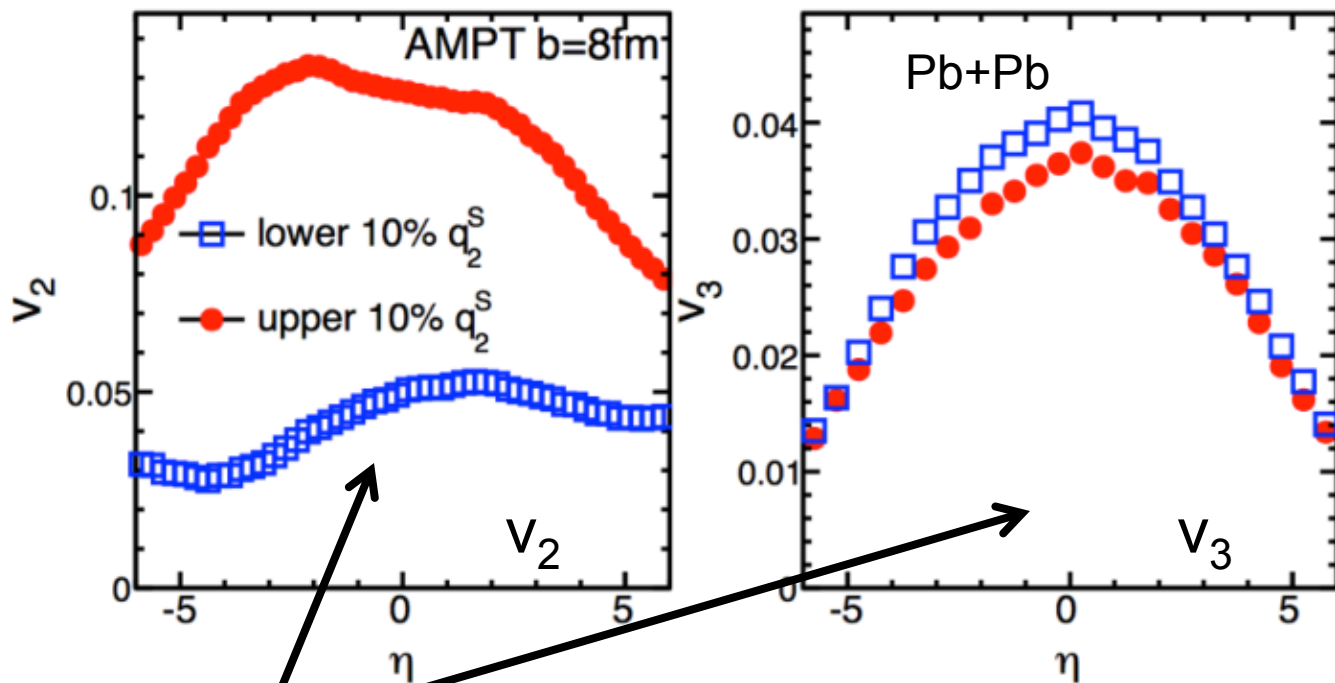
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- Suppression/enhancement of flow in the selected window 1311.7091
- Decreasing response to flow selection outside the selection window

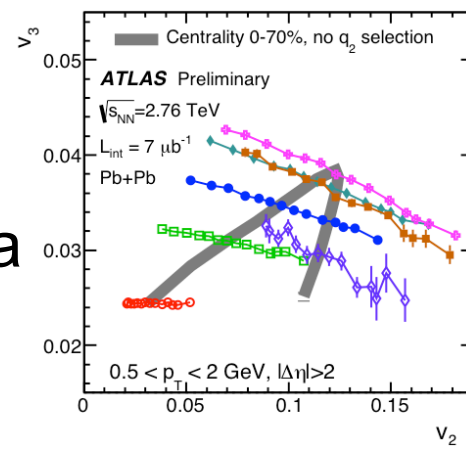


# Dependence of $v_3(\eta)$ on $q_2$ in fixed centrality

- $v_3$  anti-correlated with  $v_2 \rightarrow$  reflection of  $p(\epsilon_2, \epsilon_3)$

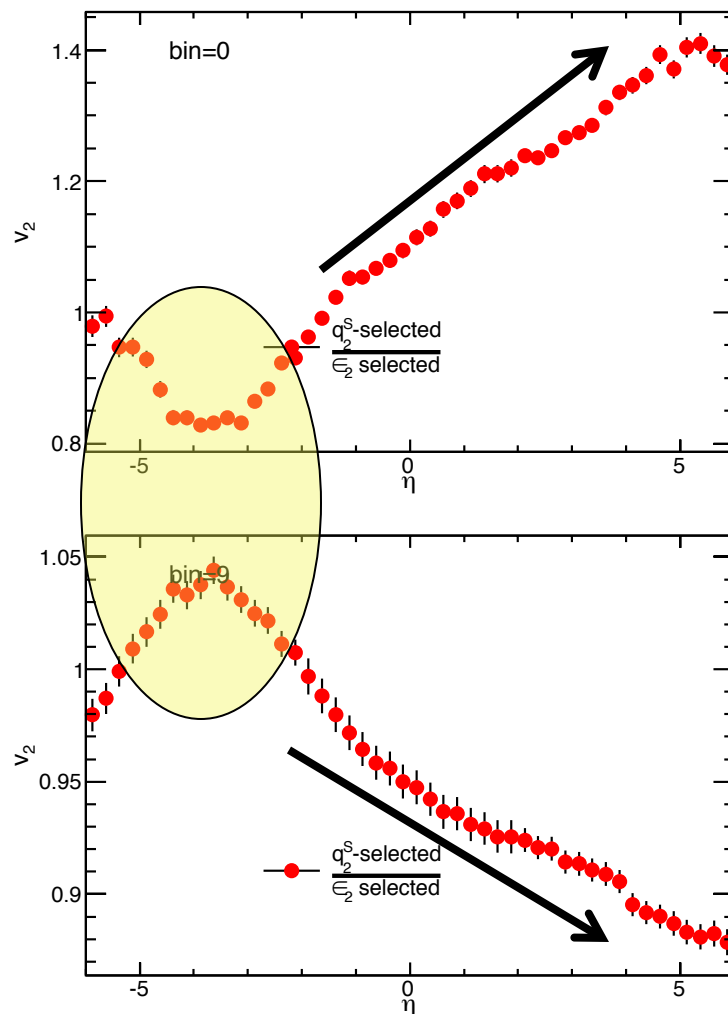
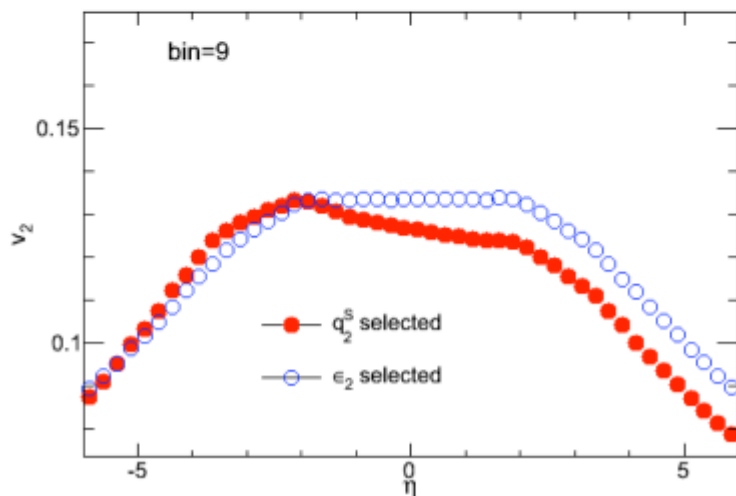
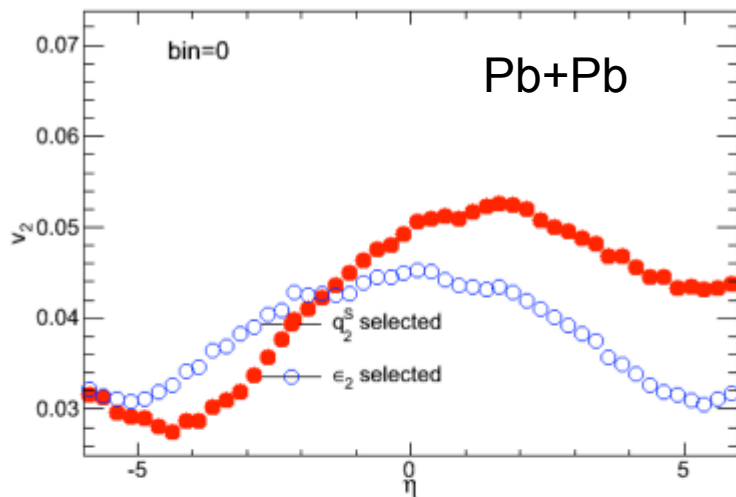


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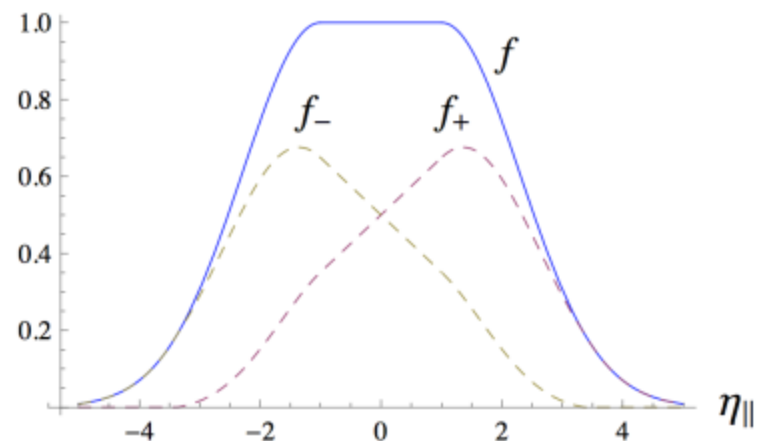
# Longitudinal particle production

wounded nucleon model

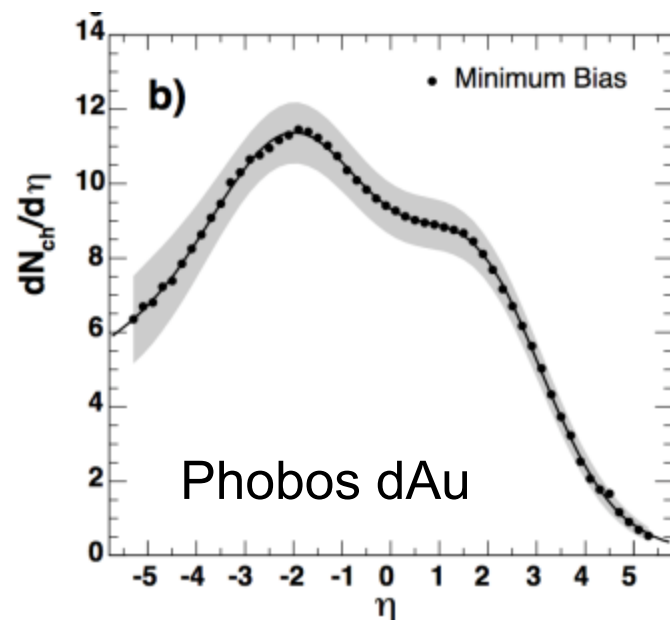
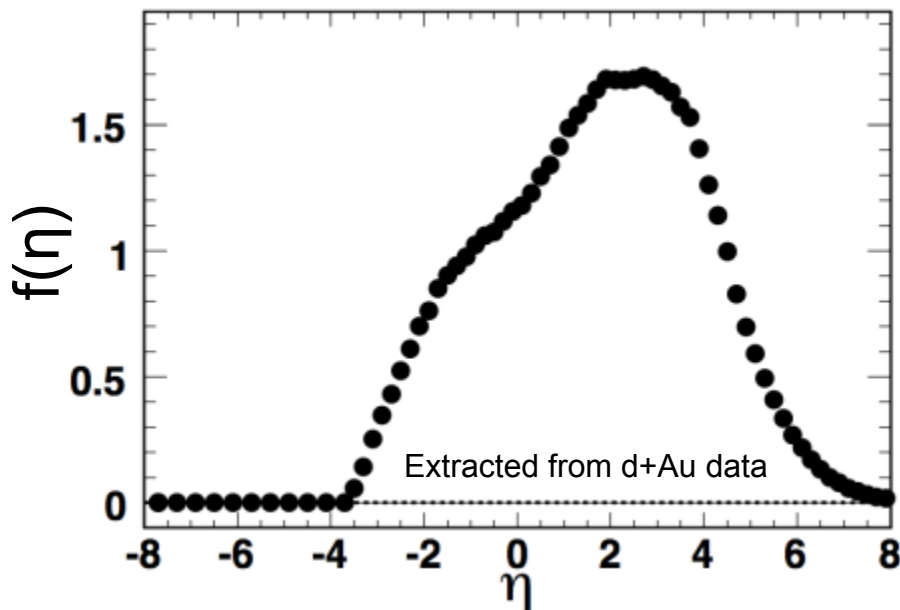
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- Assumes that after the collision of two nuclei, the secondary particles are produced by independent fragmentation of wounded nucleons

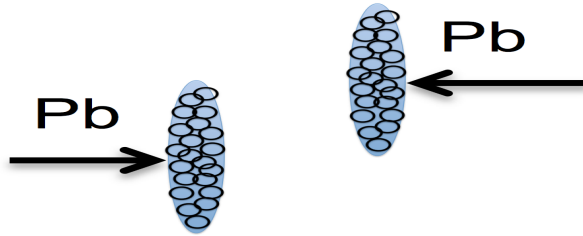
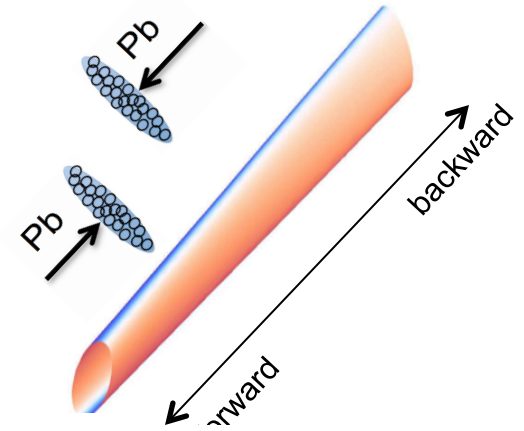
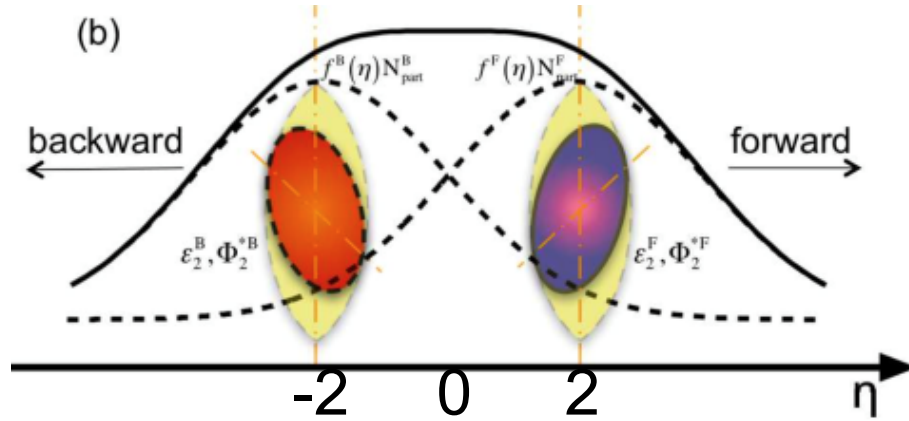
$$dN/d\eta \propto f^F(\eta)N_{\text{part}}^F + f^B(\eta)N_{\text{part}}^B$$



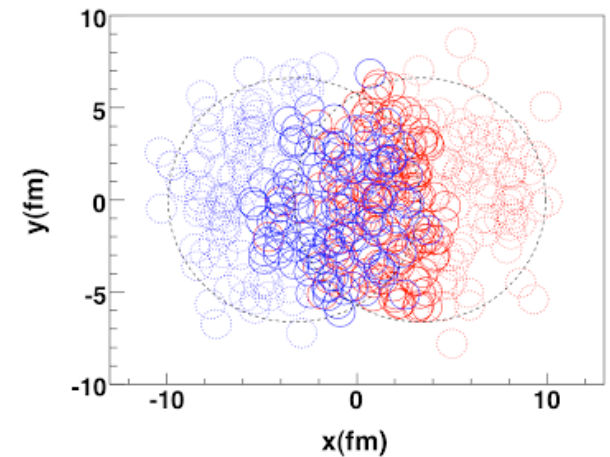
Emission function of one wounded nucleon



# Flow longitudinal dynamics



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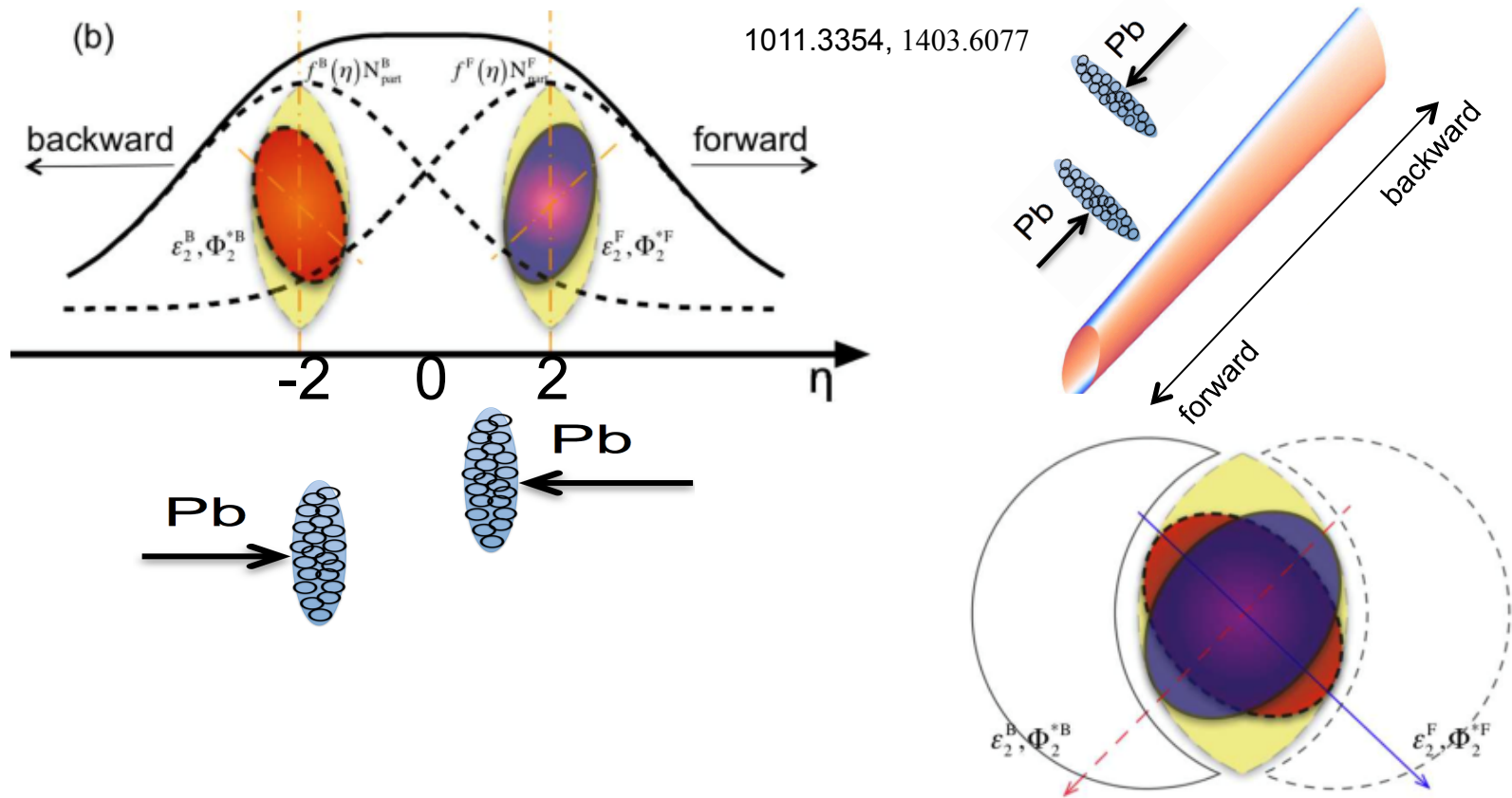


- Shape of participants in two nuclei not the same due to fluctuation

$$\varepsilon_m^F, \Phi_m^{*F} \quad \varepsilon_m^B, \Phi_m^{*B} \quad \varepsilon_m, \Phi_m^* \quad N_{\text{part}}^F, N_{\text{part}}^B, N_{\text{part}} \quad \varepsilon_n^F, \Phi_n^{*F} \neq \varepsilon_n^B, \Phi_n^{*B}$$

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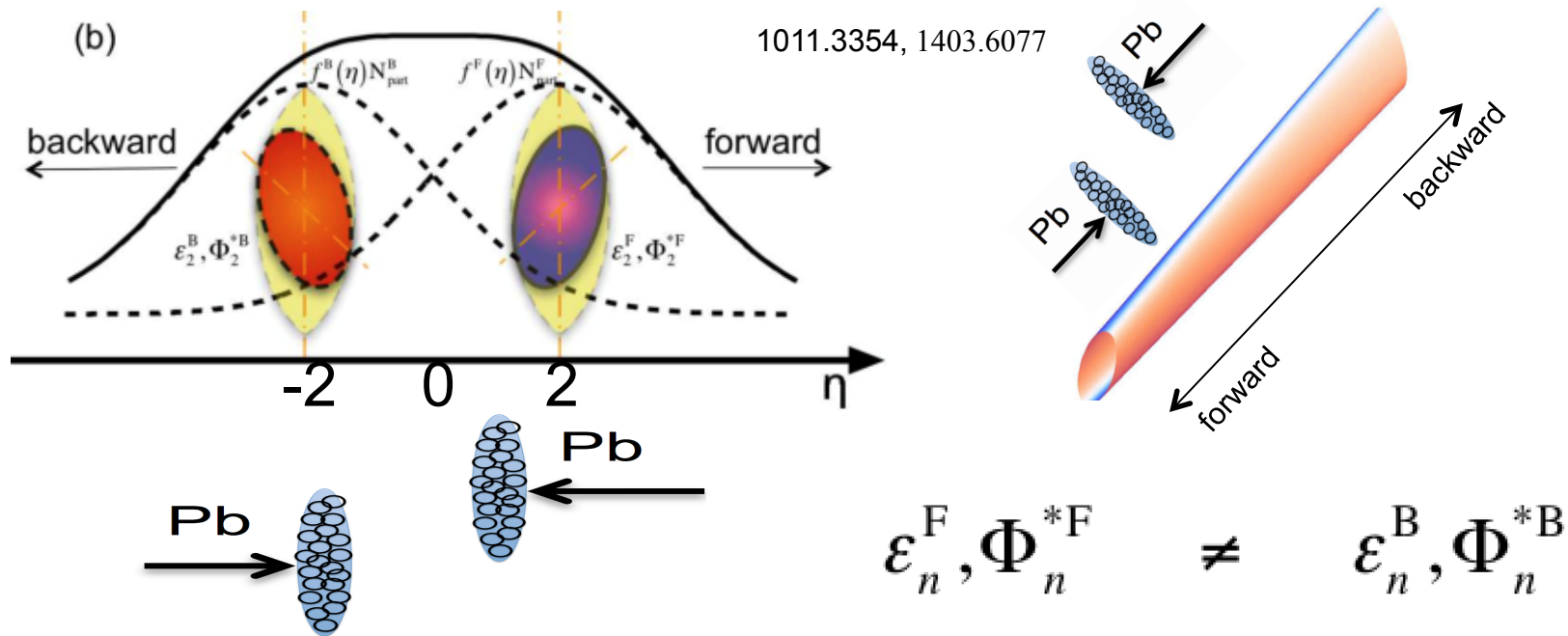


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# Flow longitudinal dynamics



- Eccentricity vector interpolates between  $\vec{\epsilon}_n^F$  and  $\vec{\epsilon}_n^B$

$$\vec{\epsilon}_n^{\text{tot}}(\eta) \approx \alpha(\eta)\vec{\epsilon}_n^F + (1 - \alpha(\eta))\vec{\epsilon}_n^B \equiv \epsilon_n^{\text{tot}}(\eta)e^{in\Phi_n^{*\text{tot}}(\eta)}$$

$\alpha(\eta)$  determined by  $f(\eta)$

Asymmetry:	$\epsilon_n^F \neq \epsilon_n^B$
Twist:	$\Phi_n^{*F} \neq \Phi_n^{*B}$

- Hence  $\vec{v}_n(\eta) \approx c_n(\eta) [\alpha(\eta)\vec{\epsilon}_n^F + (1 - \alpha(\eta))\vec{\epsilon}_n^B]$  for  $n=2,3$

- Picture verified in AMPT simulations, magnitude estimated 1403.6077

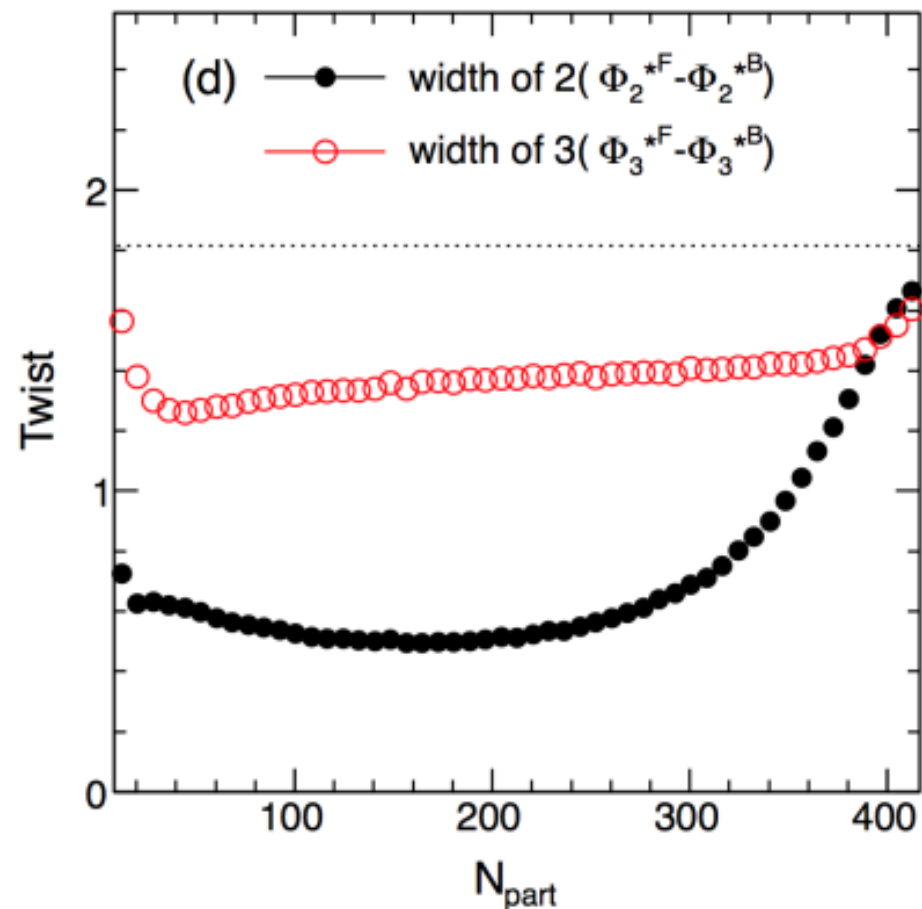
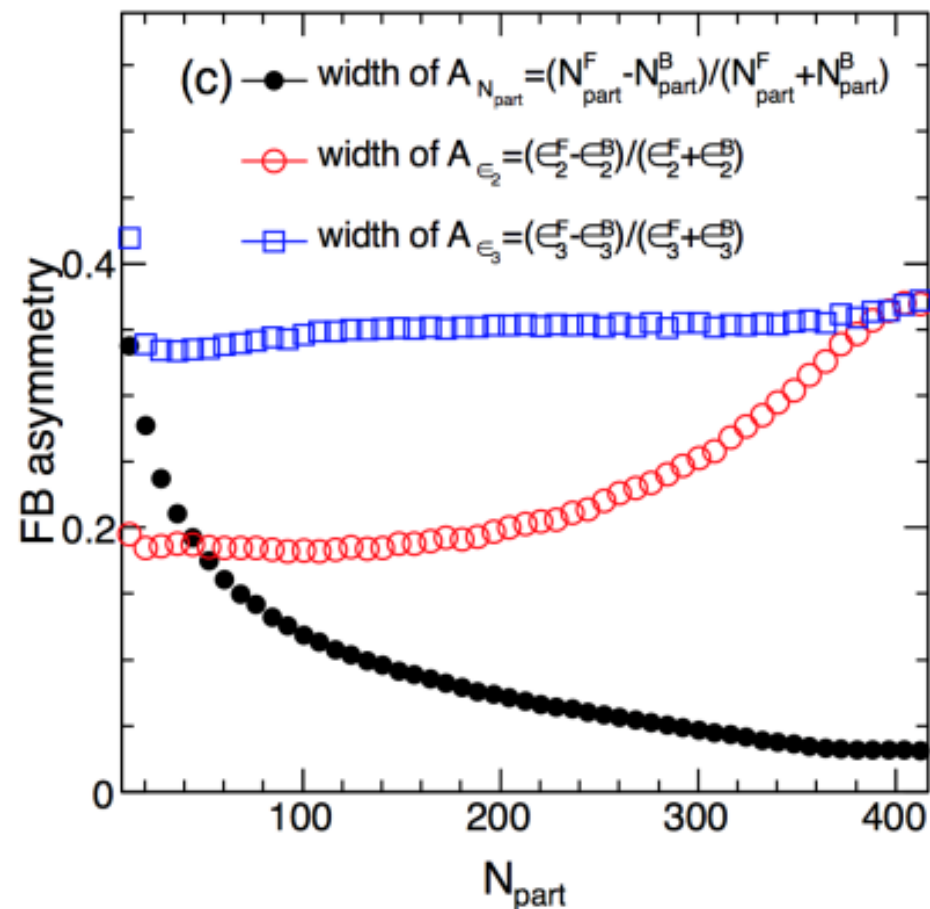
# FB eccentricity fluctuations from Glauber

- Significant EbyE FB asymmetry:

$$\mathcal{E}_n^F \neq \mathcal{E}_n^B$$

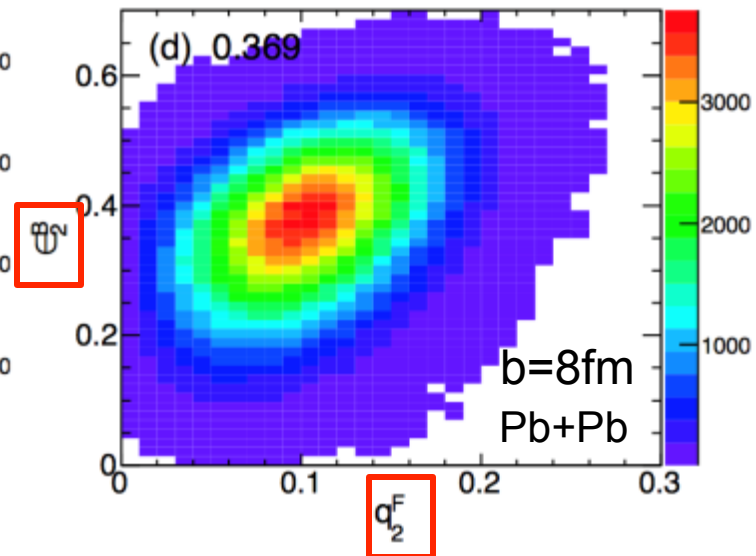
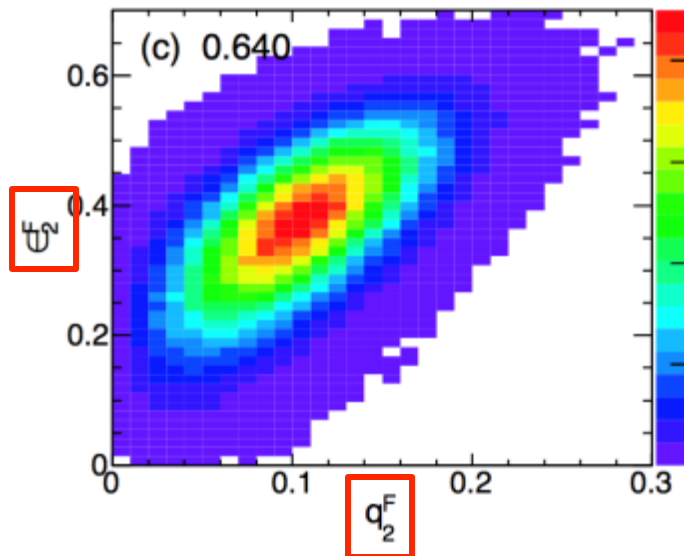
- Significant EbyE twist:

$$\Phi_n^{*F} \neq \Phi_n^{*B}$$

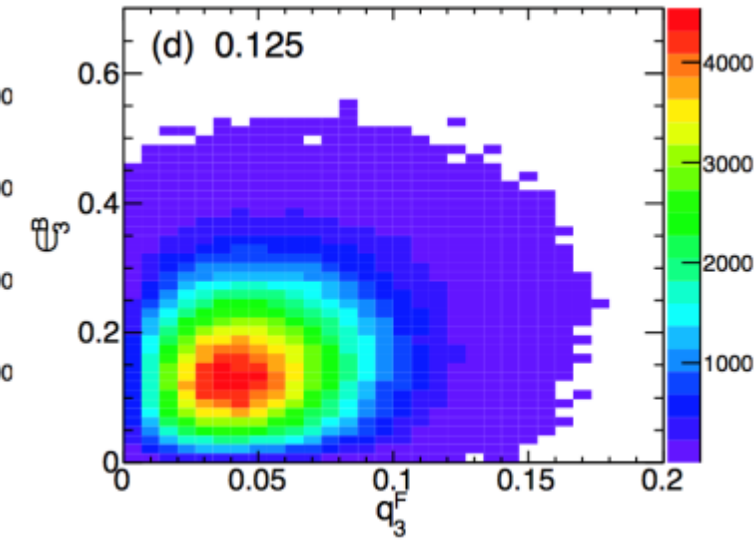
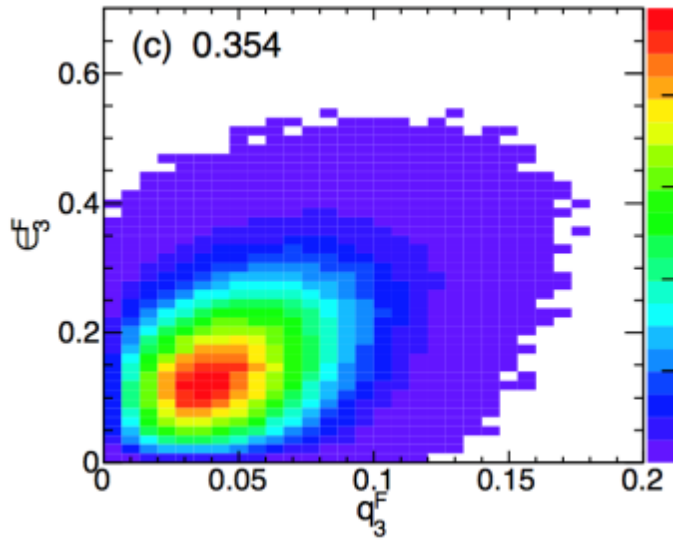


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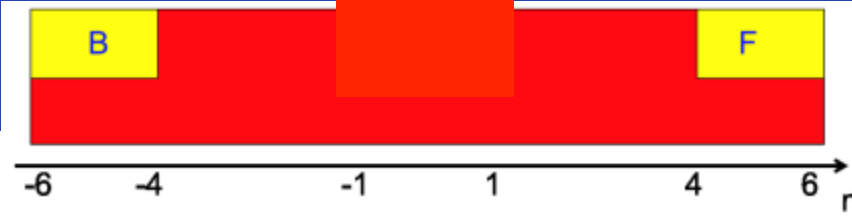
$\varepsilon_2^F$  more correlated with  $q_2^F$  than  $q_2^B$



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FB asymmetry survives



# What AMPT tell us?

- Twist in initial geometry appears as twist in the final state flow

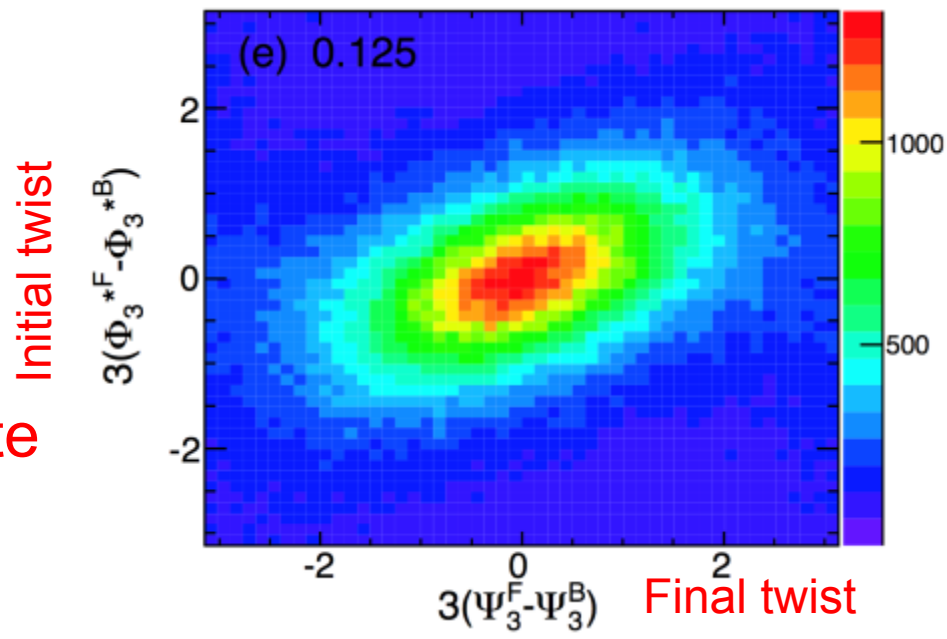
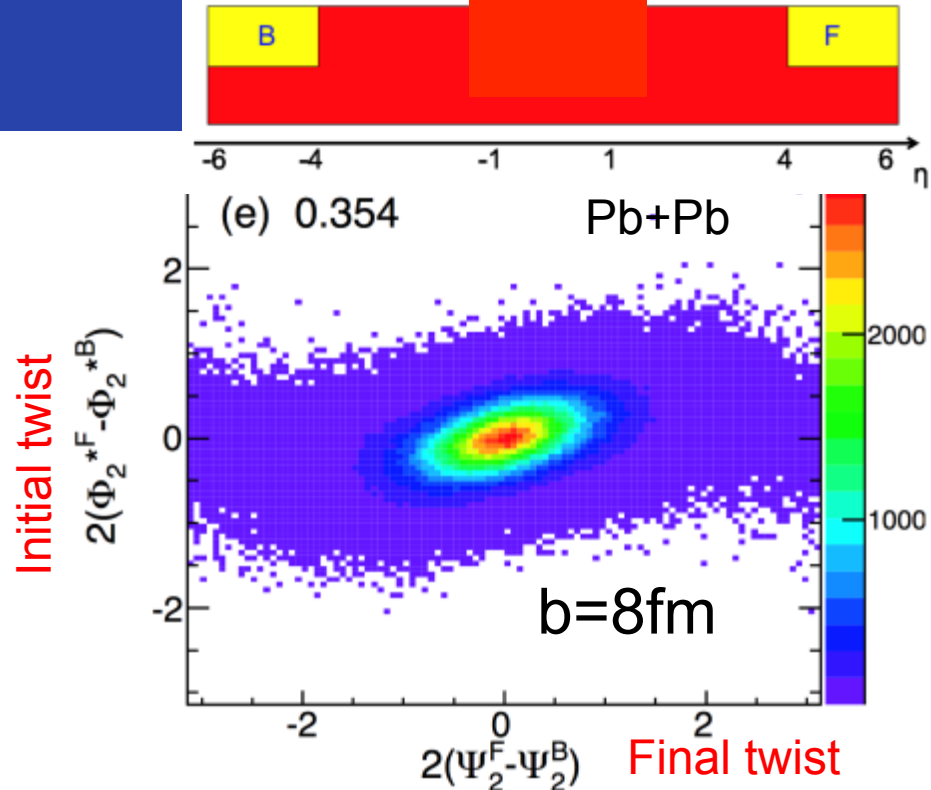
- Participant plane angles:

$$\Phi_n^{*F} \quad \Phi_n^{*B}$$

- Final state event-plane angles

$$\Psi_n^F \quad \Psi_n^B$$

Initial twist survives to final state

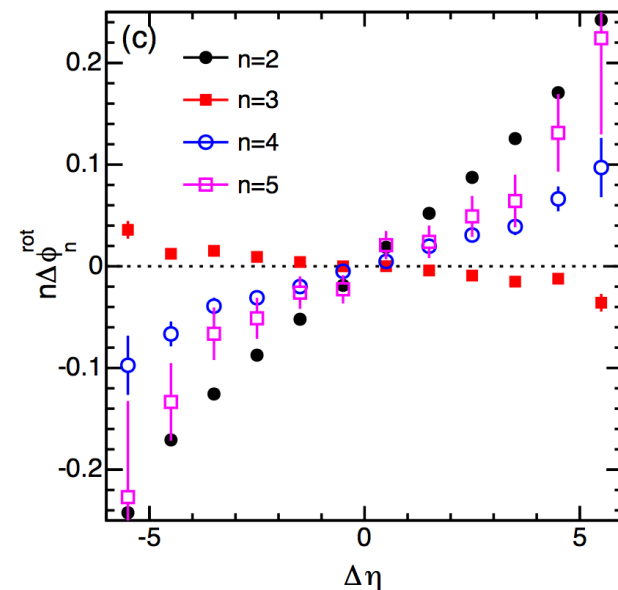
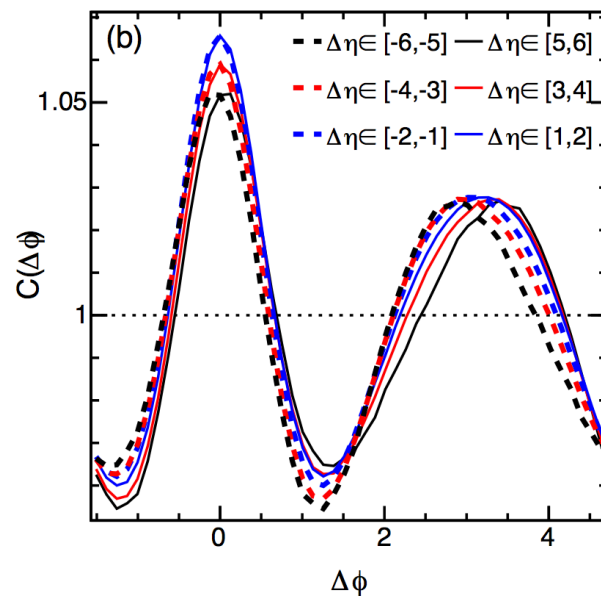
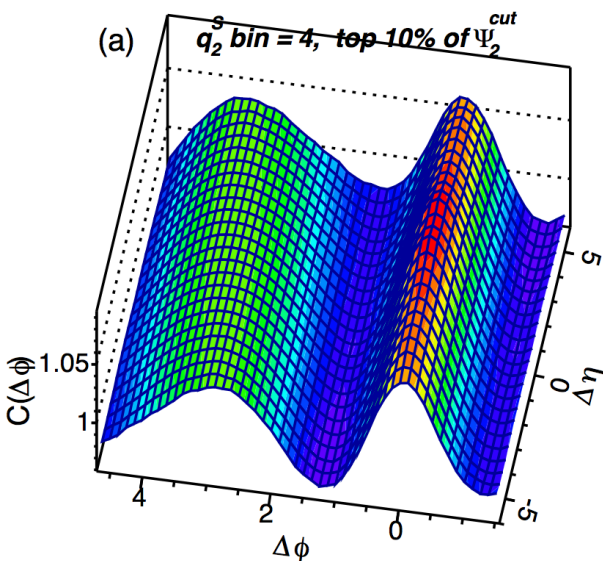
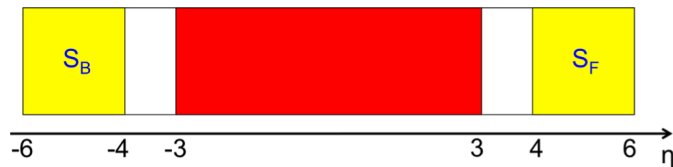




# Twist seen in simple 2PC analysis

- NO event-plane determination! Just select twist in large  $\eta$  and check correlation at center-rapidity.

$$C(\Delta\phi, \Delta\eta) \propto 1 + 2 \sum v_n^a v_n^b \cos(n\Delta\phi - n\Delta\Phi_n^{\text{rot}})$$



- Though twist is enforced on  $q_2$ , twist also seen for higher order  $v_n$
- Non-linear mixing to the higher order harmonics!! .

$$v_4 e^{-i4\Phi_4} \propto \varepsilon_4 e^{-i4\Phi_4^*} + c v_2 v_2 e^{-i4\Phi_2} + \dots$$

$$v_5 e^{-i5\Phi_5} \propto \varepsilon_5 e^{-i5\Phi_5^*} + c v_2 v_3 e^{-i(2\Phi_2 + 3\Phi_3)} + \dots$$



- System not boost-invariant EbyE not only for  $dN/d\eta$ , but also flow
- Longitudinal decorrelation effects breaks the factorization, despite being initial state effects. 
$$V_{n\Delta}(\eta_1, \eta_2) \neq v_n(\eta_1)v_n(\eta_2)$$
- Decorrelation effects much stronger in pA, dA, HeA and Cu+Au system

# Summary-I

- Event-shape fluctuations contains a lot of information

$$p(v_n, v_m, \dots, \Phi_n, \Phi_m, \dots) = \frac{1}{N_{\text{evts}}} \frac{dN_{\text{evts}}}{dv_n dv_m \dots d\Phi_n d\Phi_m \dots}$$

- Three complementary methods: **Strong fluctuation within fixed centrality!**

	pdf's	cumulants	event-shape method
Flow-amplitudes	$p(v_n)$	$v_n\{2k\}, k = 1, 2, \dots$	NA
	$p(v_n, v_m)$	$\langle v_n^2 v_m^2 \rangle - \langle v_n^2 \rangle \langle v_m^2 \rangle$	yes
	$p(v_n, v_m, v_l)$	$\langle v_n^2 v_m^2 v_l^2 \rangle + 2\langle v_n^2 \rangle \langle v_m^2 \rangle \langle v_l^2 \rangle - \langle v_n^2 v_m^2 \rangle \langle v_l^2 \rangle - \langle v_m^2 v_l^2 \rangle \langle v_n^2 \rangle - \langle v_l^2 v_n^2 \rangle \langle v_m^2 \rangle$	yes
	...	Obtained recursively as above	yes
EP-correlation	$p(\Phi_n, \Phi_m, \dots)$	$\langle v_n^{c_n} v_m^{c_m} \dots \cos(c_n n \Phi_n + c_m m \Phi_m + \dots) \rangle$ $\sum_k k c_k = 0$	yes
Mixed-correlation	$p(v_l, \Phi_n, \Phi_m, \dots)$	$\langle v_l^2 v_n^{c_n} v_m^{c_m} \dots \cos(c_n n \Phi_n + c_m m \Phi_m + \dots) \rangle - \langle v_l^2 \rangle \langle v_n^{c_n} v_m^{c_m} \dots \cos(c_n n \Phi_n + c_m m \Phi_m + \dots) \rangle$ $\sum_k k c_k = 0$	yes

- Rich patterns forward/backward EbyE flow fluctuations:

$$\vec{v}_n(\eta) \approx c_n(\eta) [\alpha(\eta)\vec{\epsilon}_n^F + (1 - \alpha(\eta))\vec{\epsilon}_n^B]$$

Event-shape  
selection and event  
twist techniques

- New avenue to study initial state fluctuations, particle production and collective expansion dynamics.