

# Nantes contribution to Follow up meeting

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## 2. Bulk

EPOS 2:

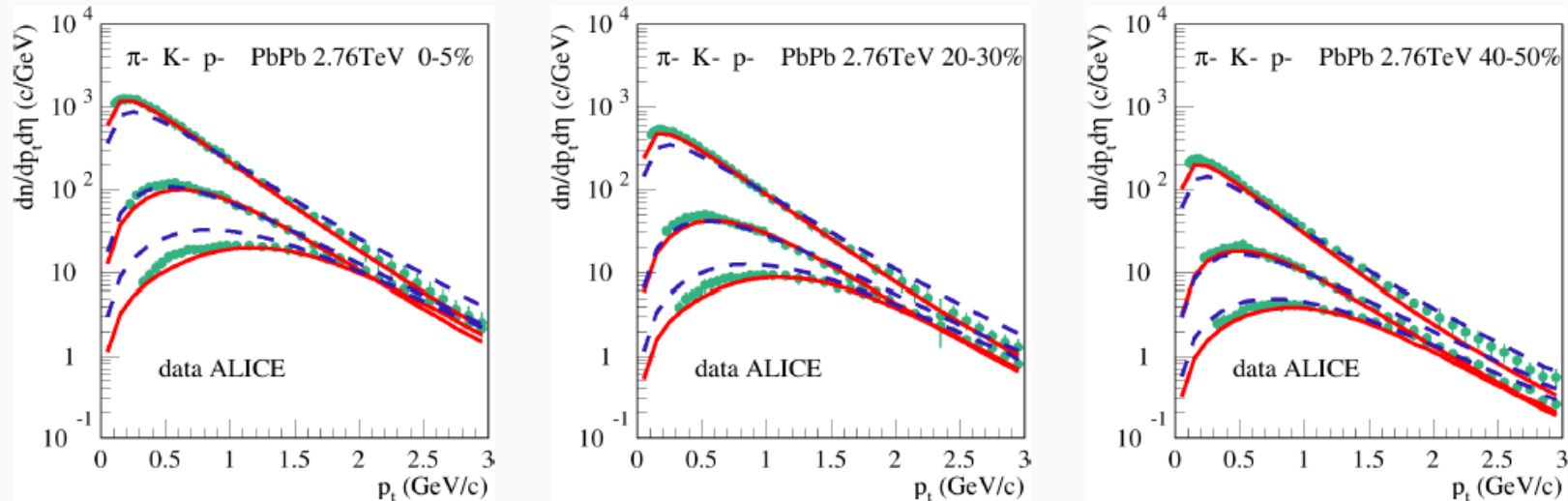
- EPOS initial conditions (fluctuating)
- smoothen flux tubes (mimick viscosity)
- 3D non viscous hydro with lattice EOS
- Hadron production according to string fragmentation



Important ingredient for bulk inter comparison

# EPOS model - freeze-out and hadronic afterburner

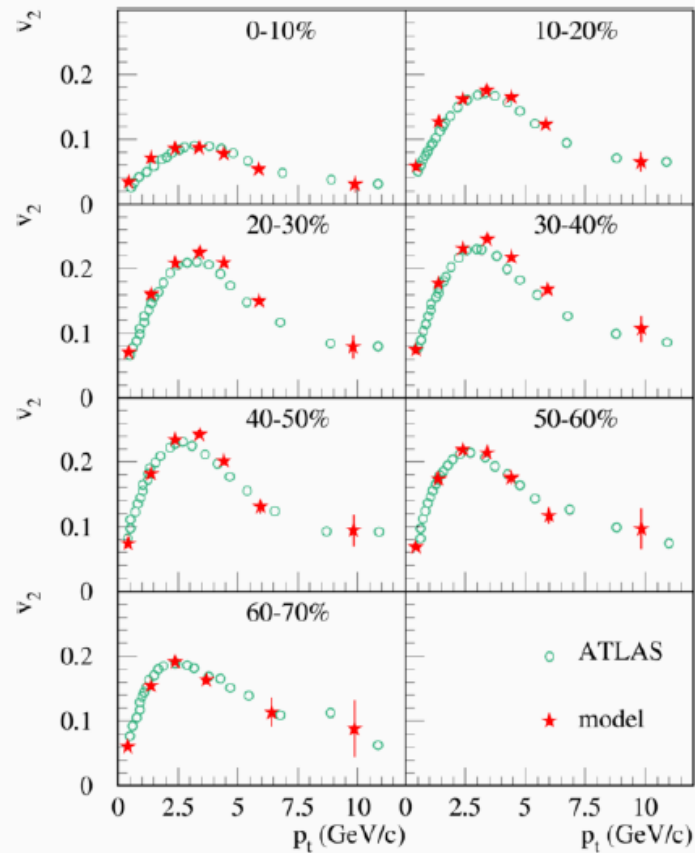
transverse momentum distributions ( $\pi$ ,  $K$ ,  $p$ ) for different centralities (EPOS2)



green: ALICE data    blue: without hadronic cascade    red: full calculations

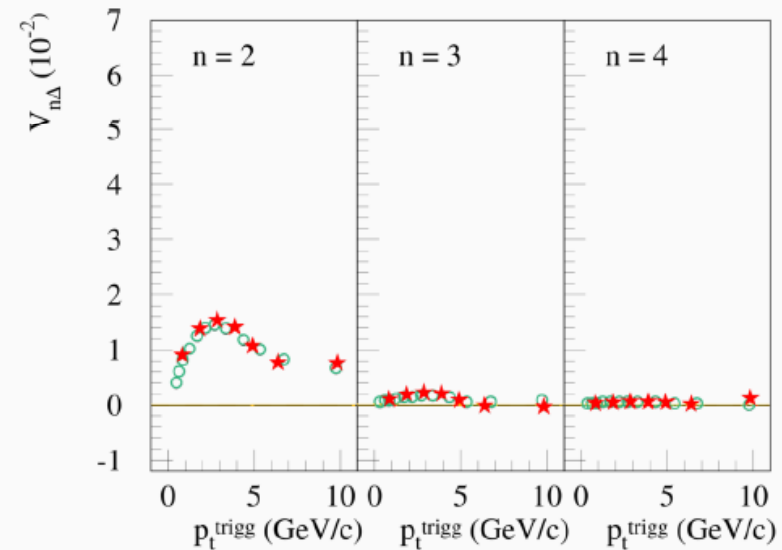
- particlization on hypersurface of constant energy density/temperature  $T_H = 166$  MeV, Cooper-Fry procedure.  
(but space-time evolution of fluid dynamical fields is available until  $T \sim 130$  MeV)
- subsequent hadronic final state interactions via UrQMD.

# Flow in PbPb collisions



(EPOS2)

left:  $v_2$  with respect to opposite hemisphere sub-event plane  
below:  $v_n$  from di-hadron correlations, semi-peripheral collisions, data from ALICE,  $p_{T,assoc} = 0.25 - 0.5$  GeV/c

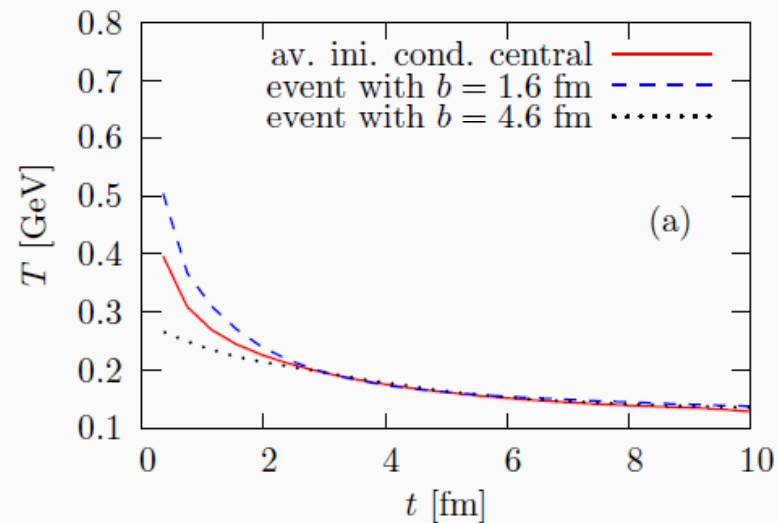


TO DO: Need to provide the values for the model at  $T_c$

# Temperature profiles

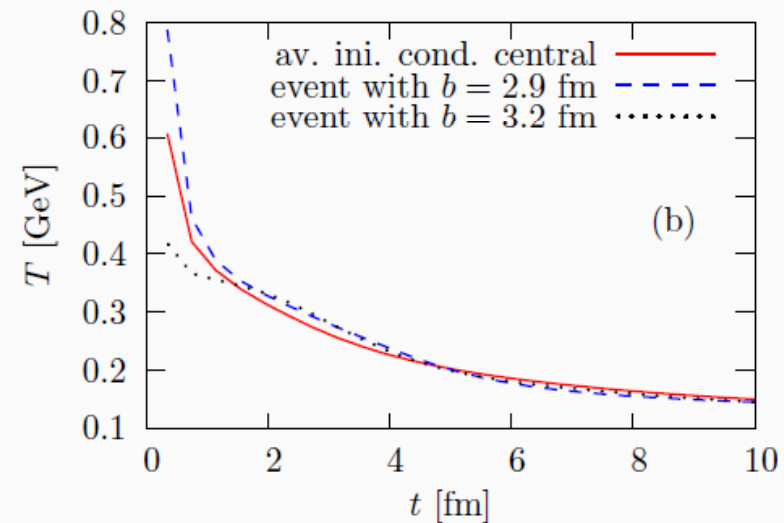
A comparison of the temperature evolution in the middle of the fireball  
( $x = y = \eta = 0$ ):

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



(EPOS2)

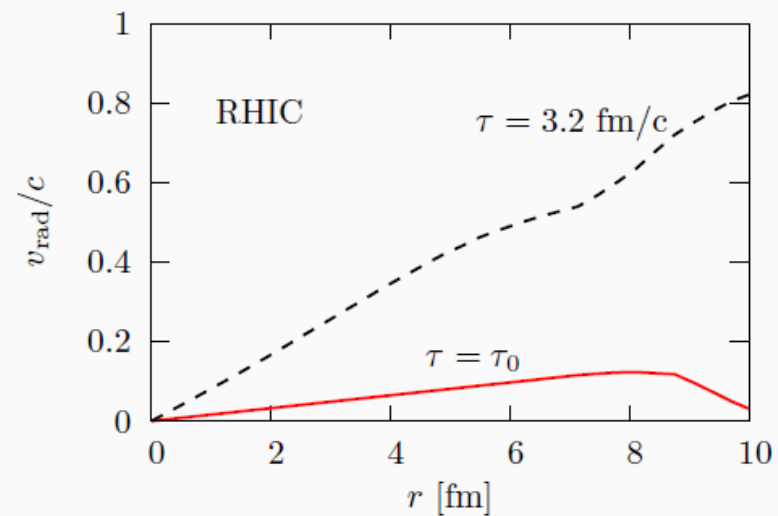
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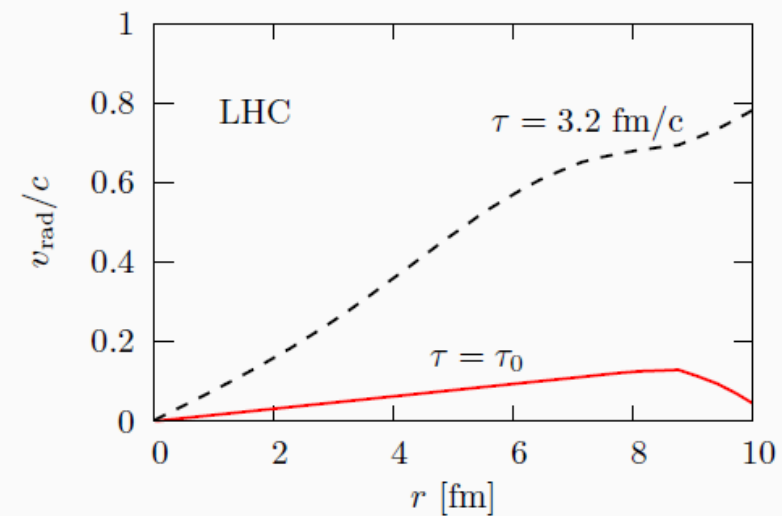
# Velocity profiles

A comparison of the radial velocities as a function of the radius in central collisions:

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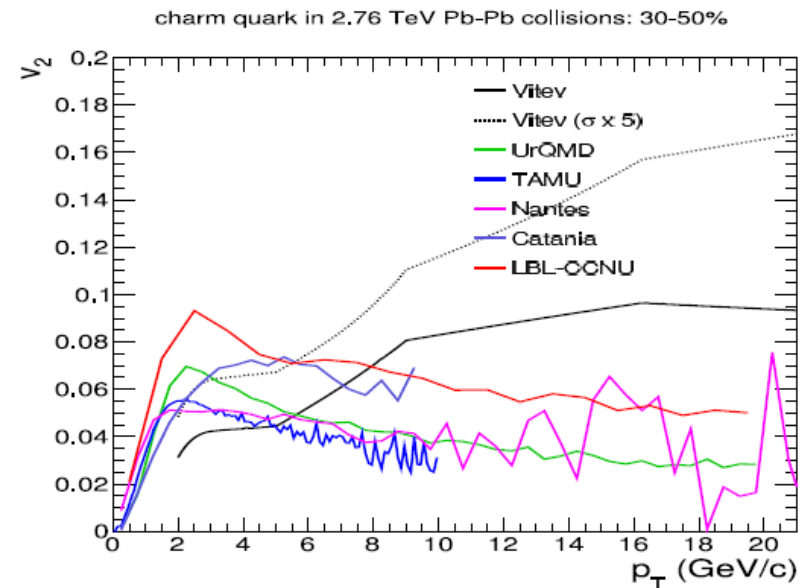
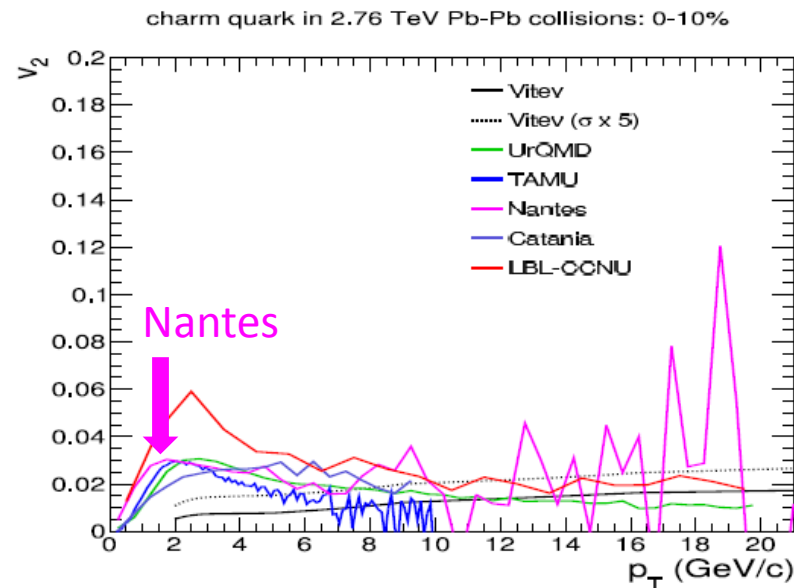
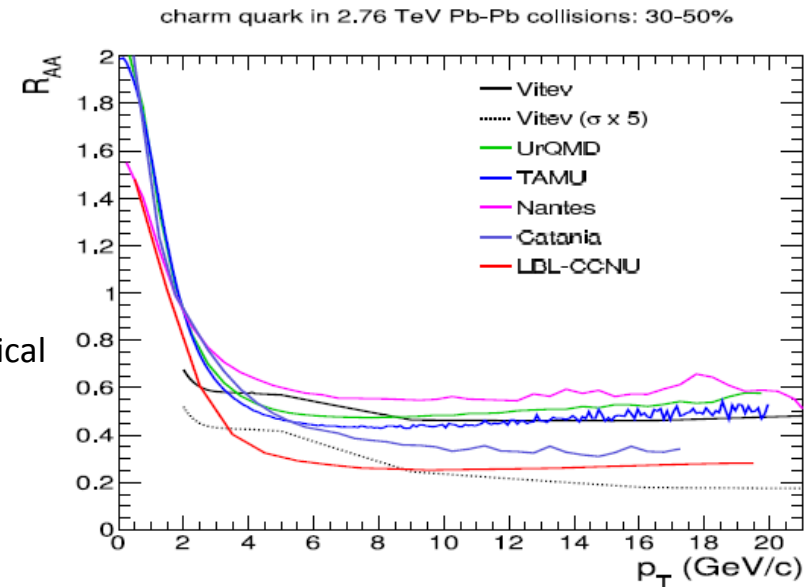
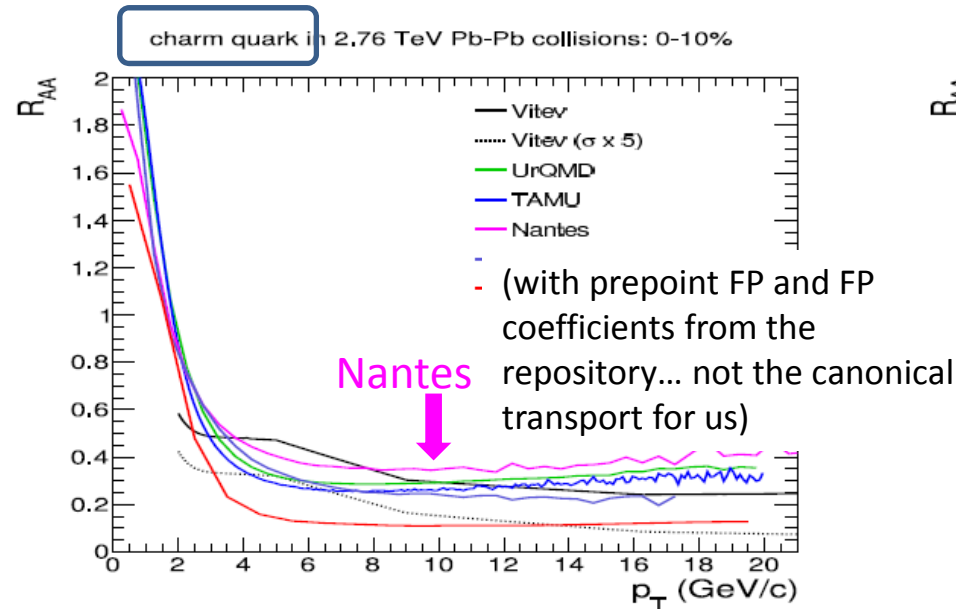


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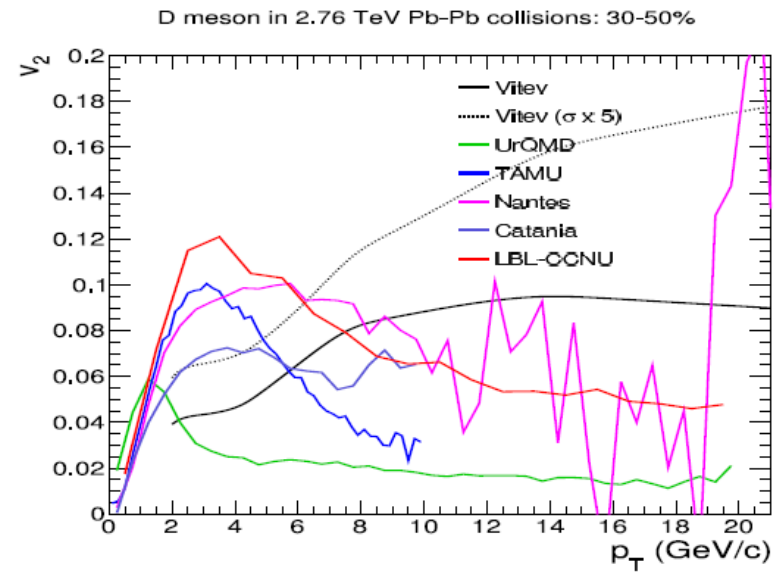
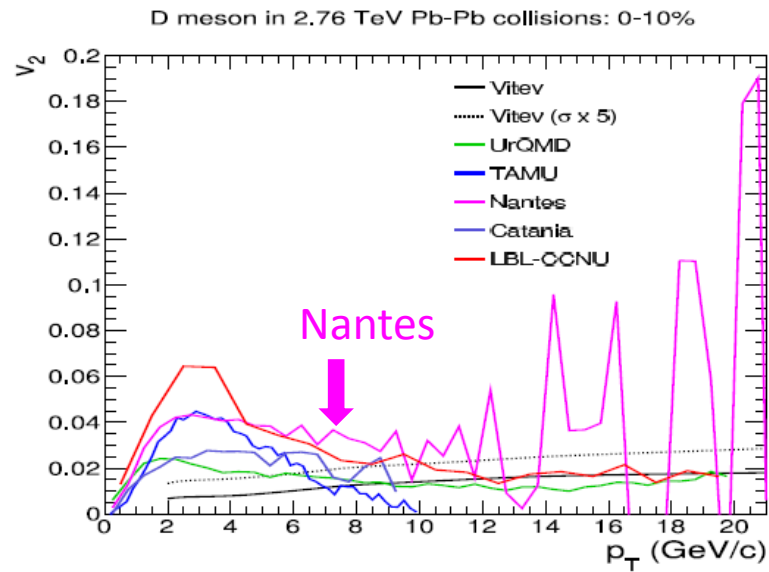
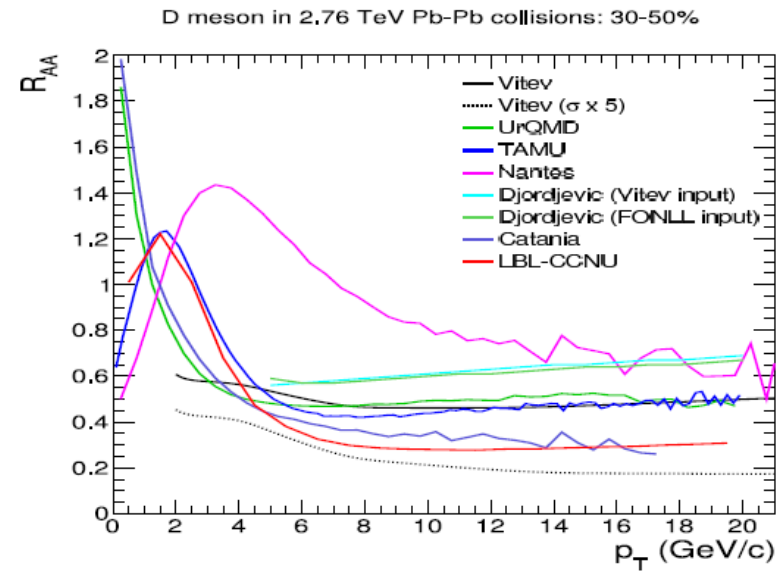
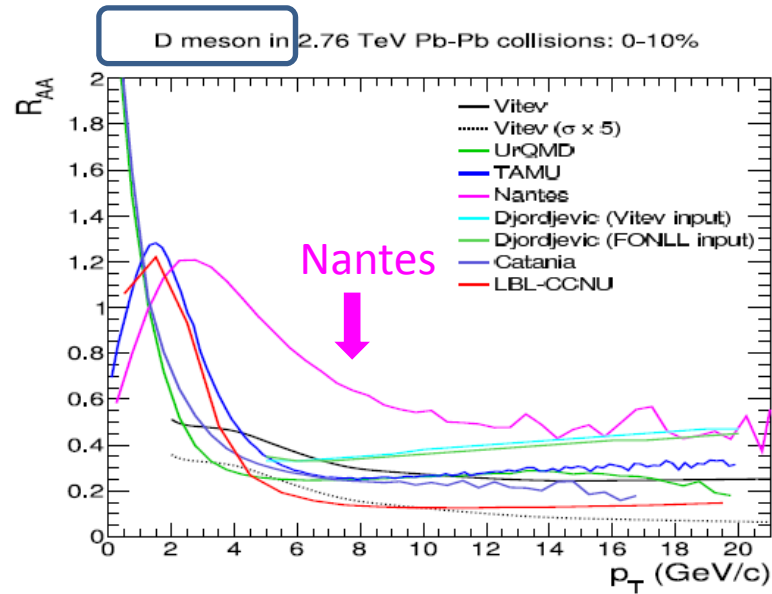
(EPOS2 - includes preequilibrium flow)

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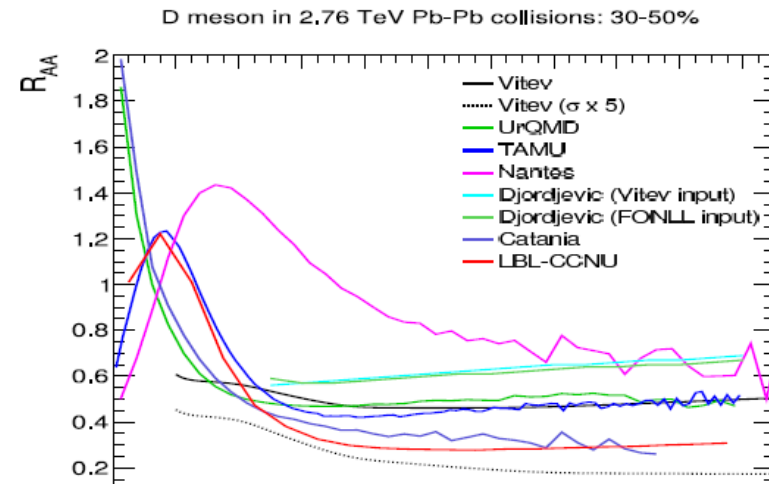
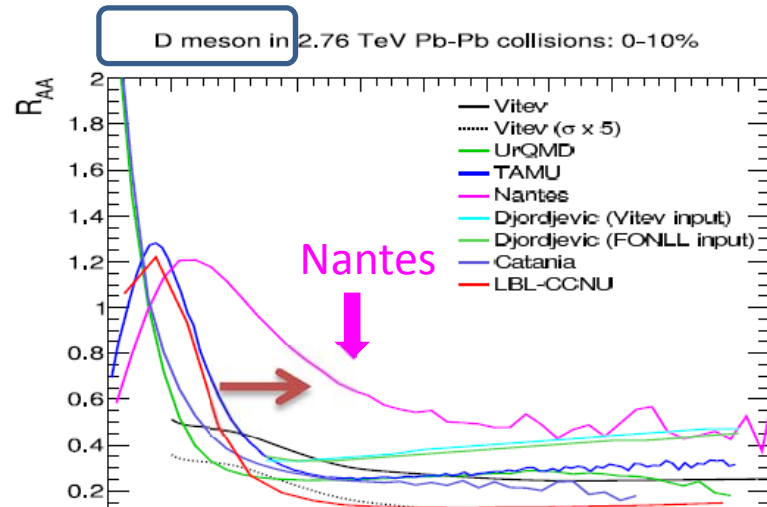
In the bulk part of the various bulk models for  $v_2$ ; medium leading to the minimal quenching, which could explain why we can cope with large drag coefficient

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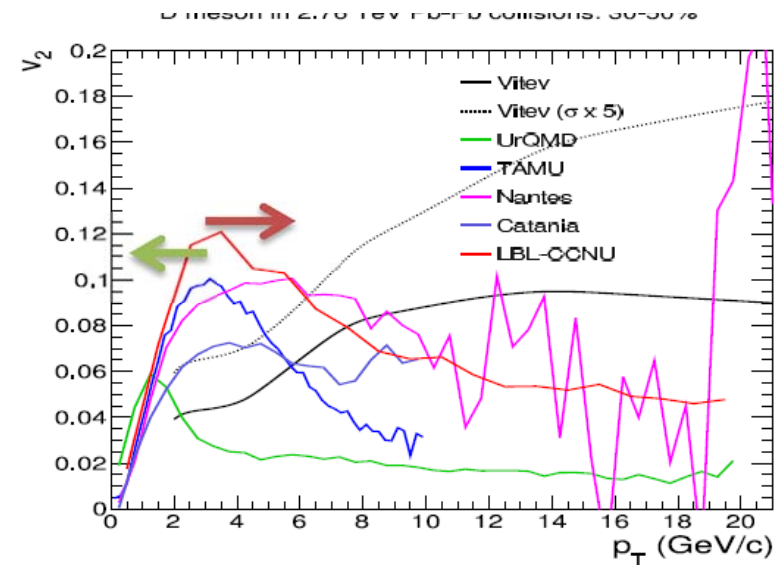
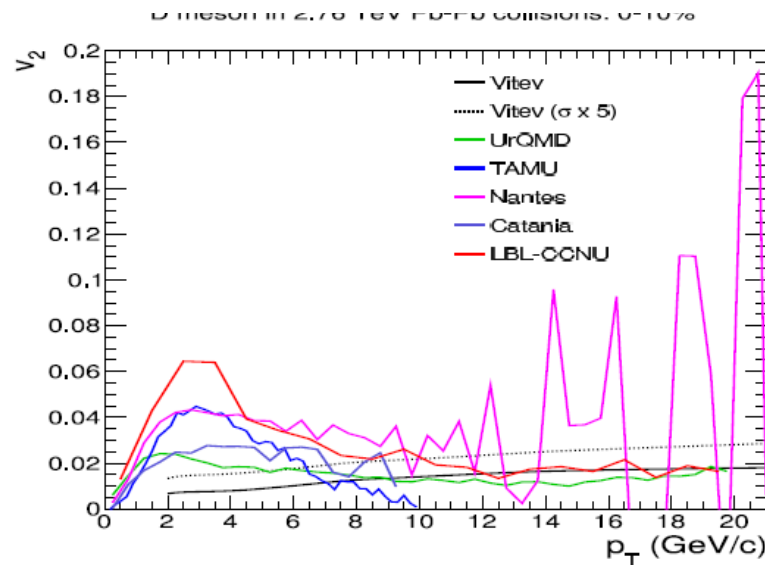




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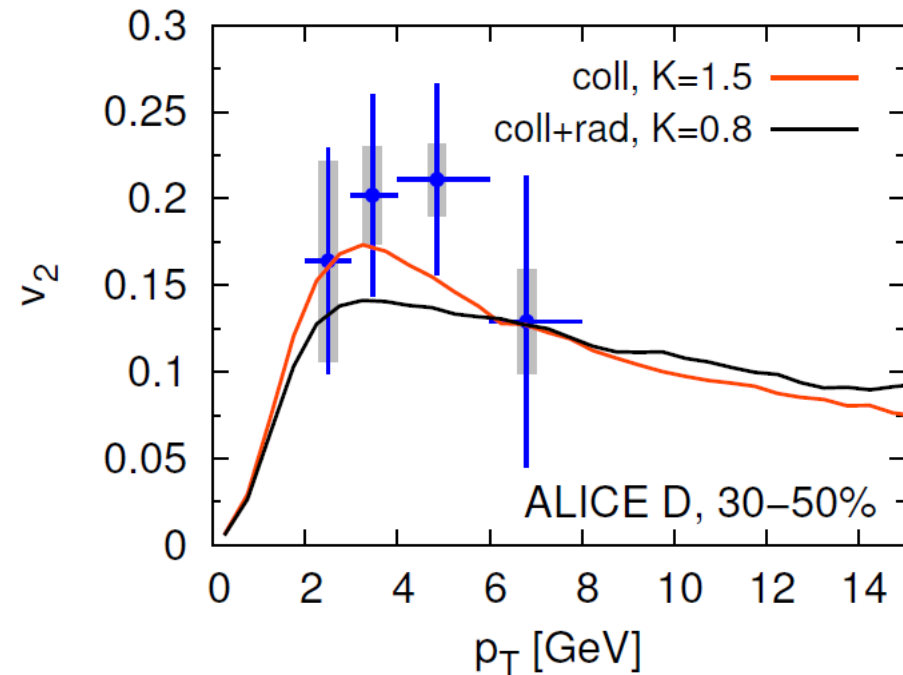
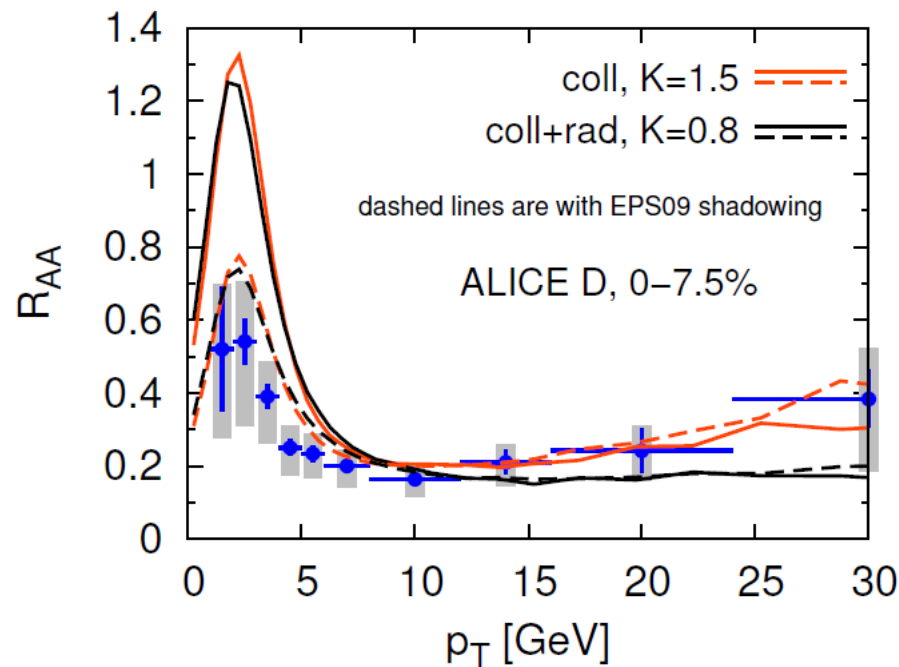
STRONG extra flow from recombination, for both centralities + some relative increase of the RAA even at intermediate  $p_T$



Also seen in the  $v_2$  peak in the 30-50 centrality class (spread in the peaks)

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In real life (with our own HQ energy loss model):



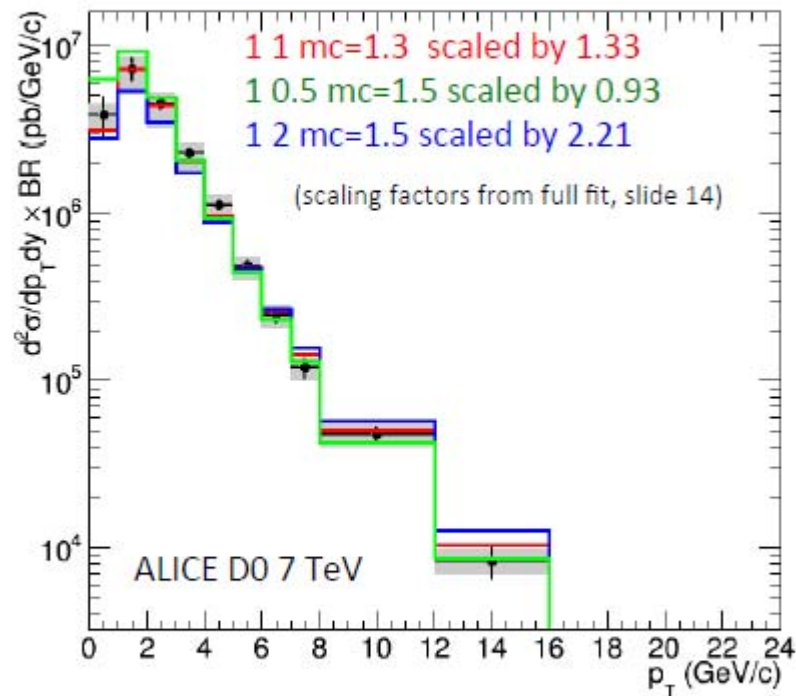
**Too large radial flow of D meson as compared to data, even with shadowing included...**

**2 possible explanations:**

- Bulk brings too much extra flow... not seen at the level of c-quark (EPOS3 under study)
- Coalescence is responsible for this => **need systematic investigation**

## 6. Initial heavy flavor spectra

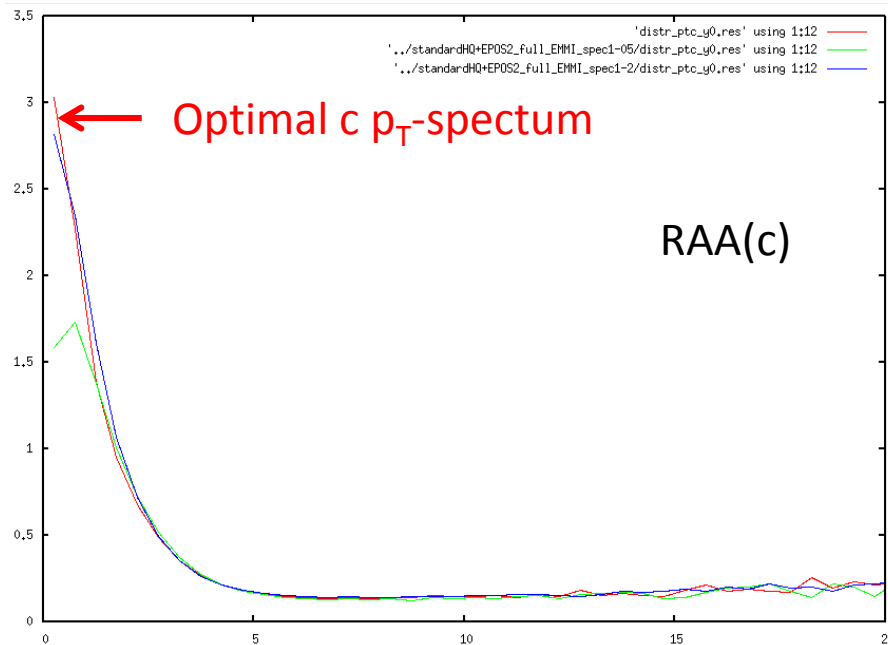
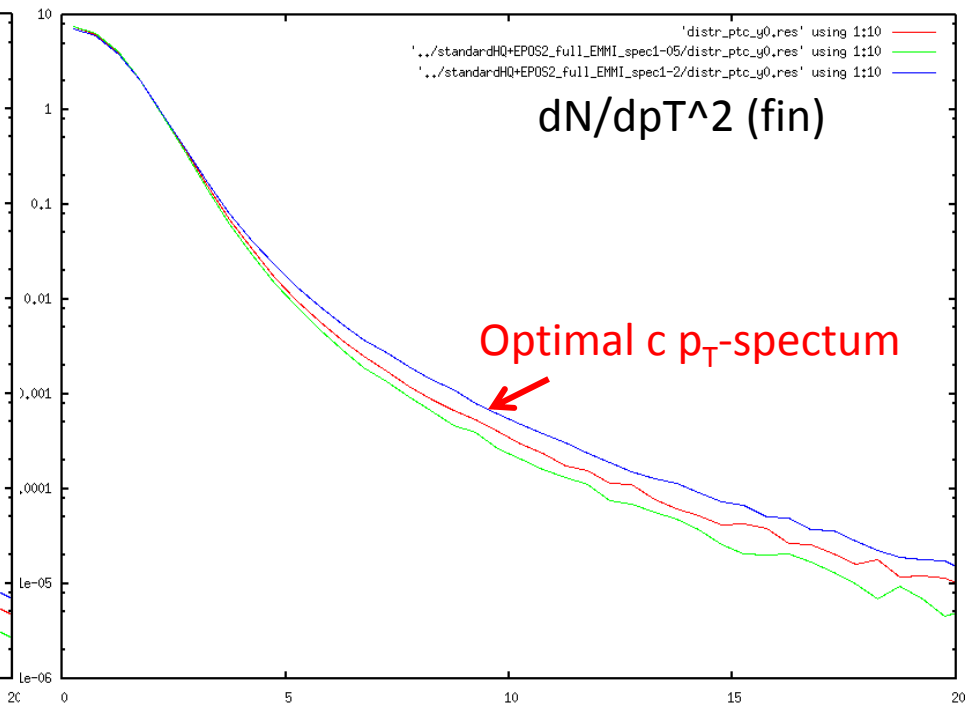
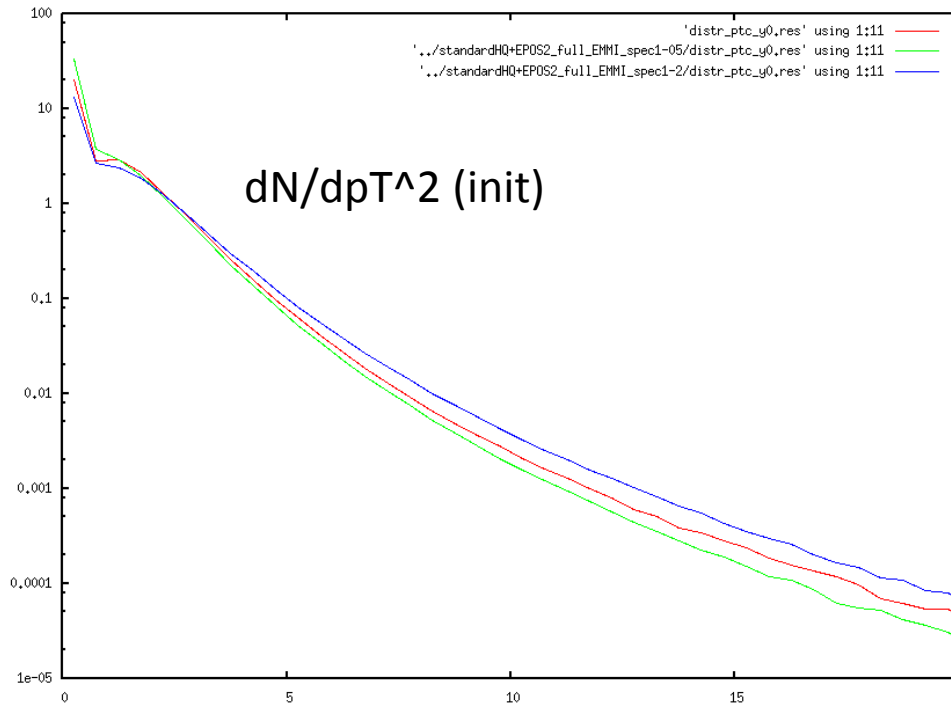
# Summary and proposal



- Propose to use these three with the same parameters and scaling factors at 2.76 and 5 TeV
- Scaling factors do not matter for RAA and  $v_2$ , only for absolute  $dN/dp_T$

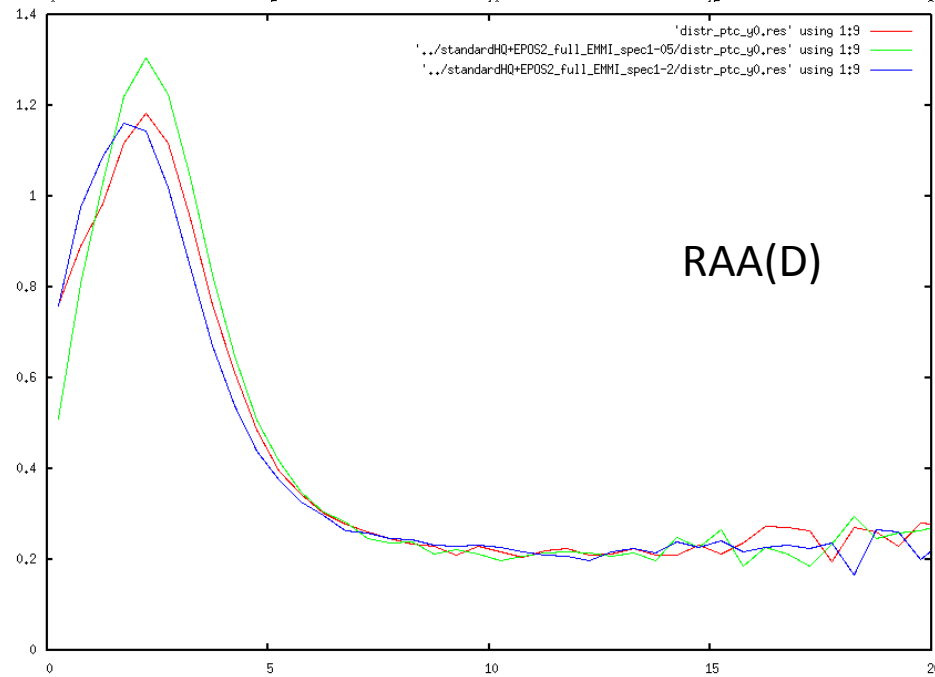
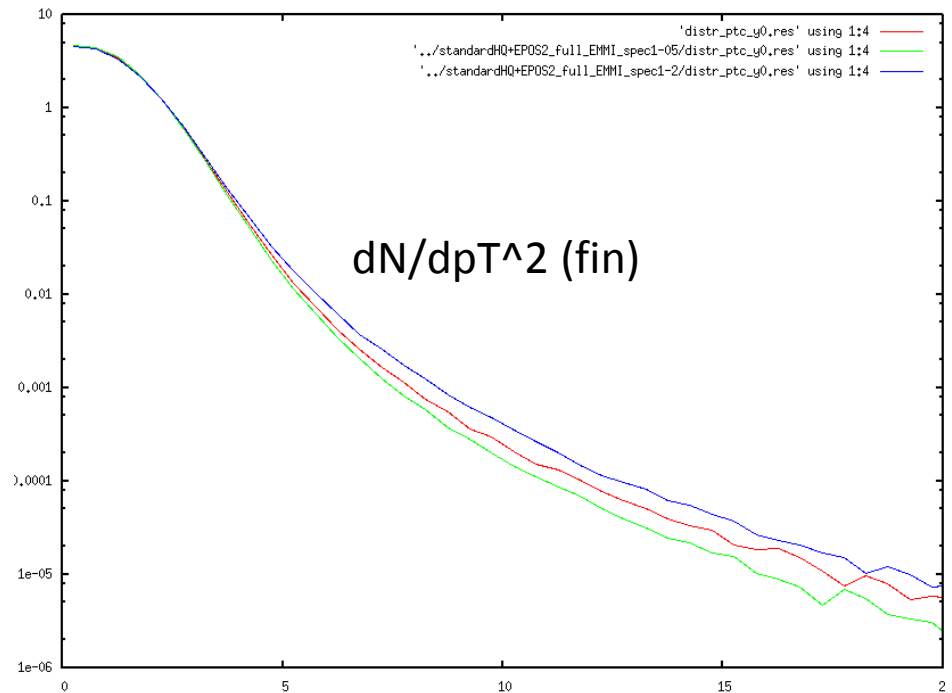
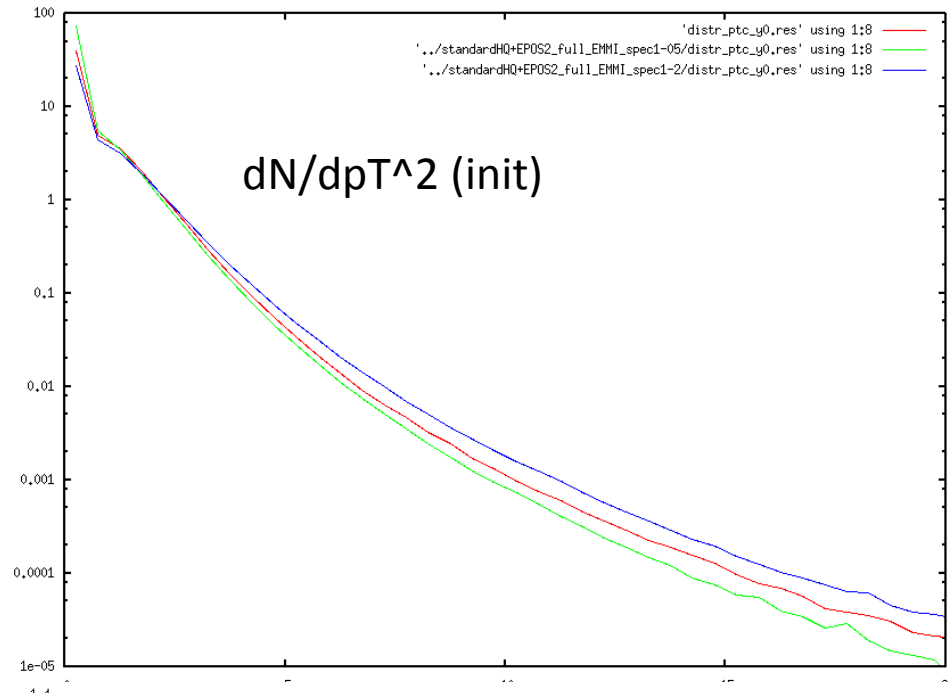
No shadowing

# c-quarks ( $\sqrt{s}=2.76$ TeV)



- No effect on the RAA for  $p_T > 3$  GeV/c
- Strong effects for  $p_T < 2$  GeV/c...
- ... But due to initial spectrum only (similar final)
- Larger effects for small renormalization scale

# D-mesons ( $\sqrt{s}=2.76$ TeV)

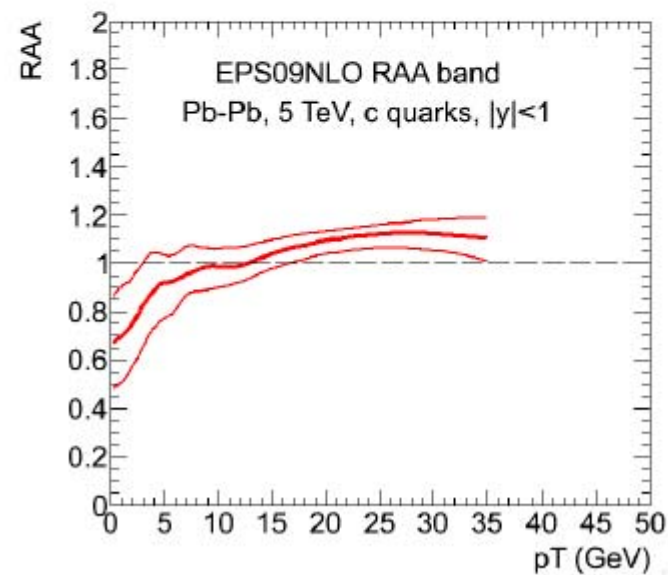
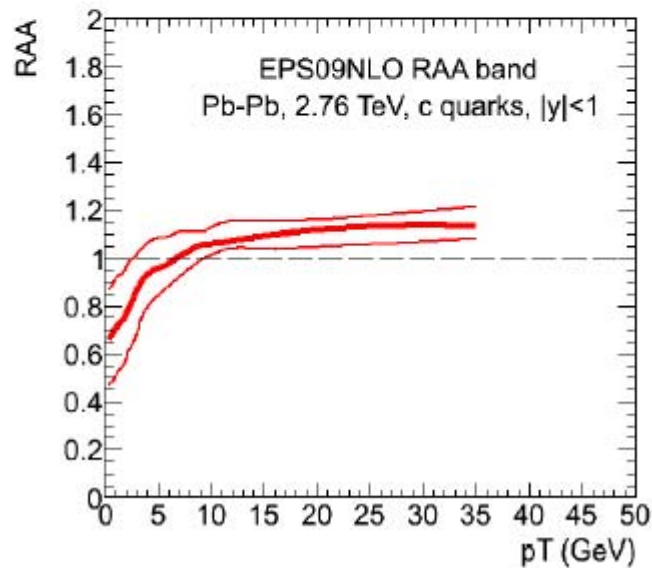


- Position of the bump not too much affected
- Stronger peak for  $\mu_R=0.5$

# Same with EPS09 shadowing

## Shadowing

- RAA for c quarks with MNR+EPS09NLO
- Proposal: multiply the input c-quark pT spectrum from FONLL by this RAA and use the band to define a band on final RAA and  $v_2$
- Result very similar for 2.76 and 5 TeV (EPS09 flat at low x)

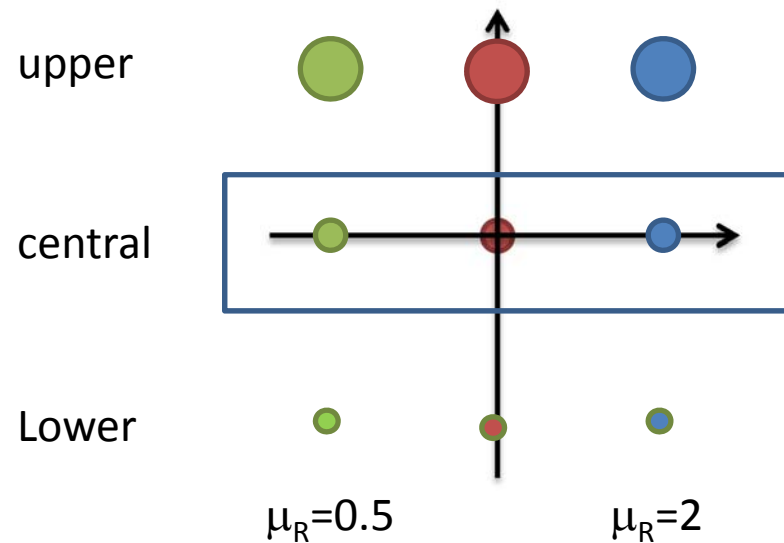


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Min bias ? Central ?

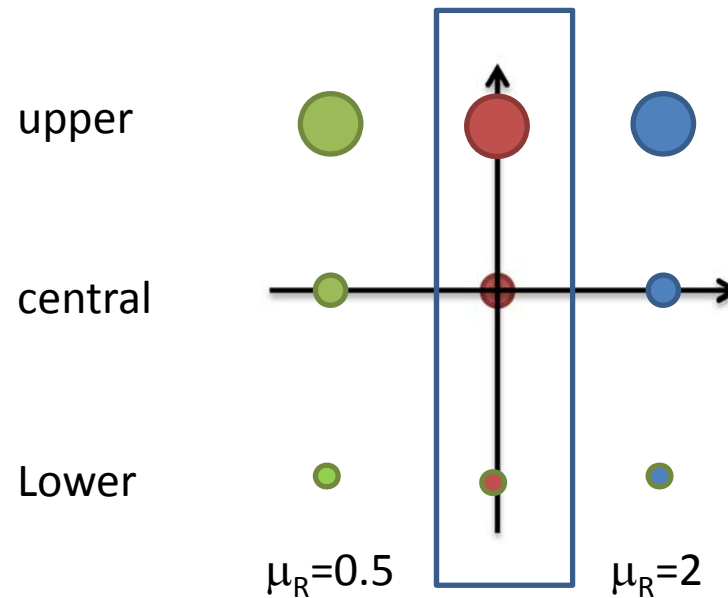


# Same with EPSO9 shadowing (central value)

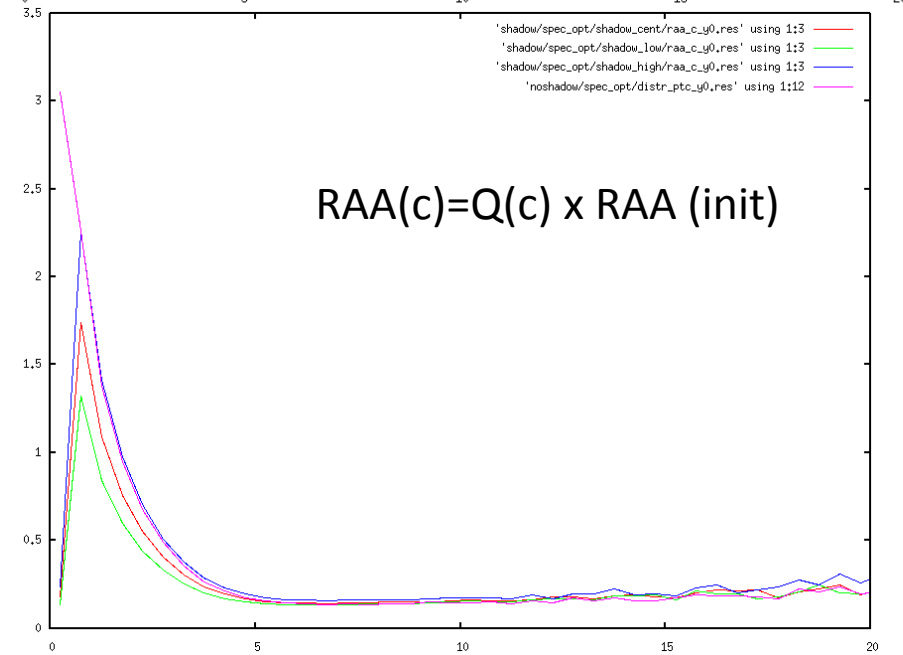
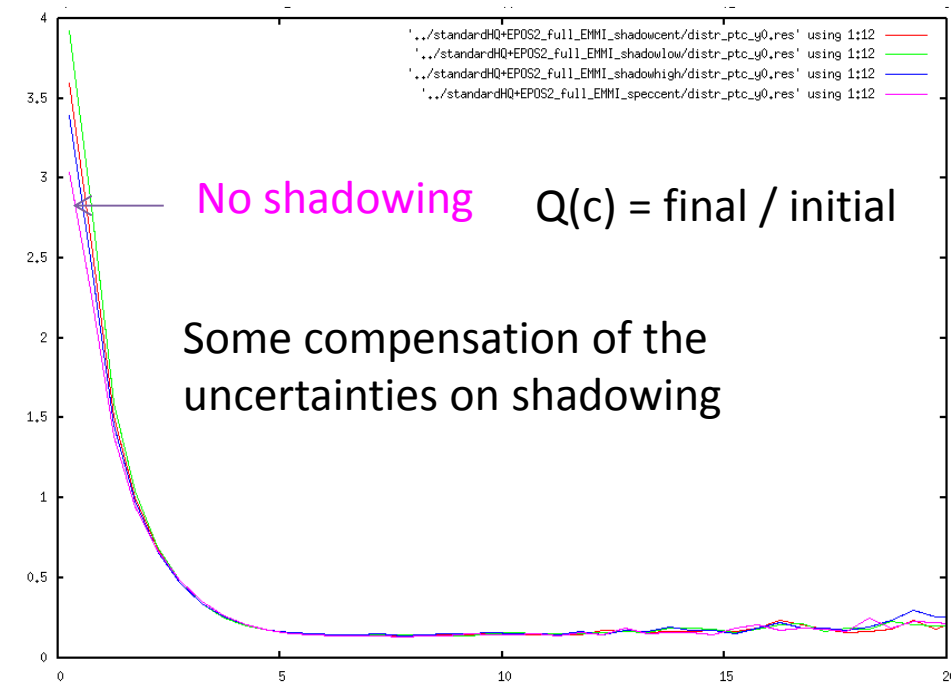
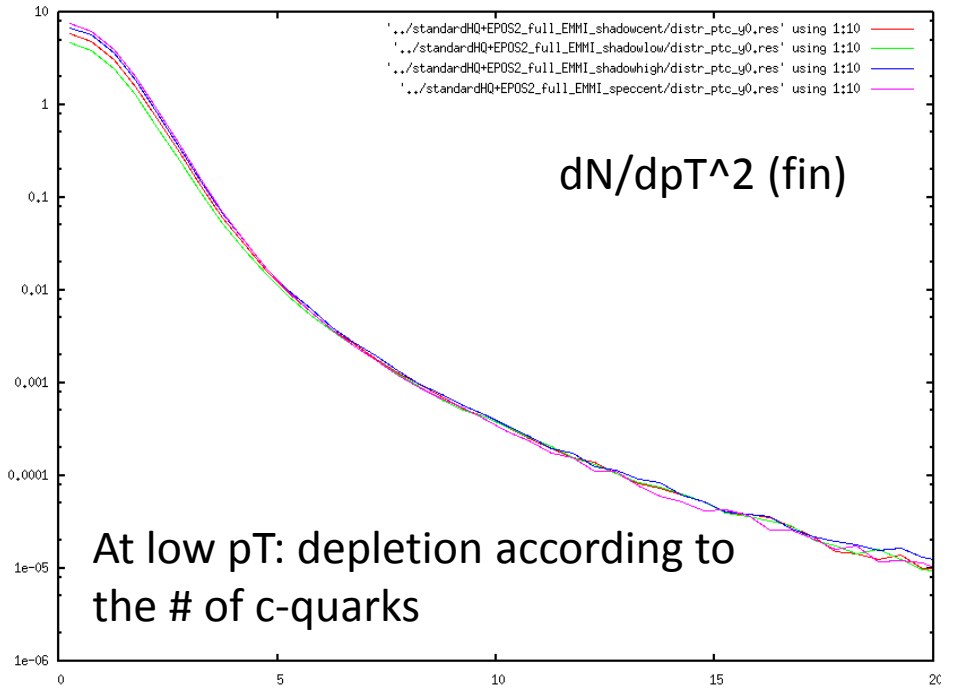
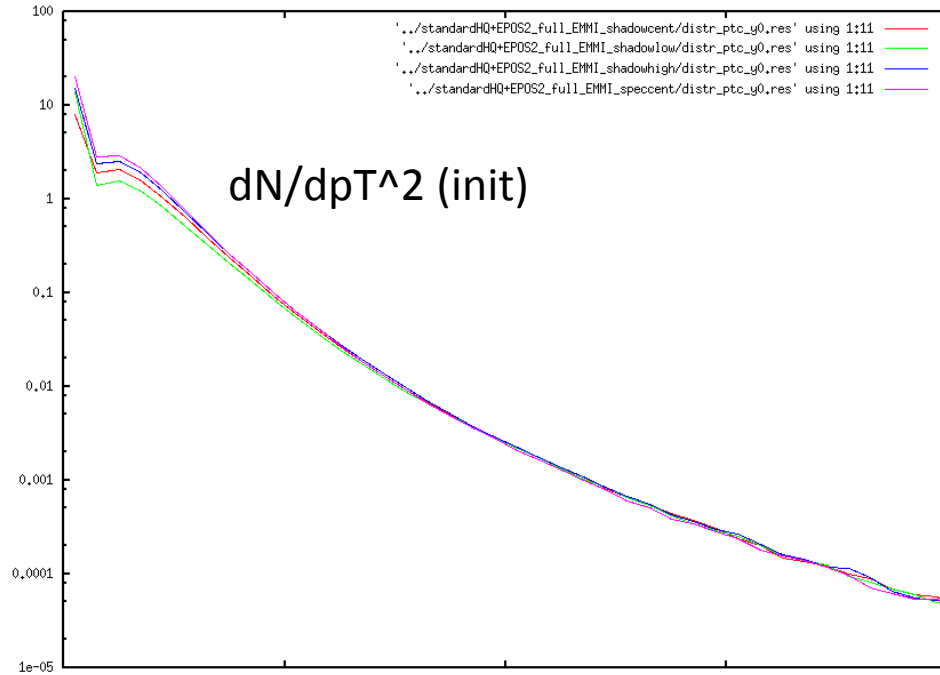


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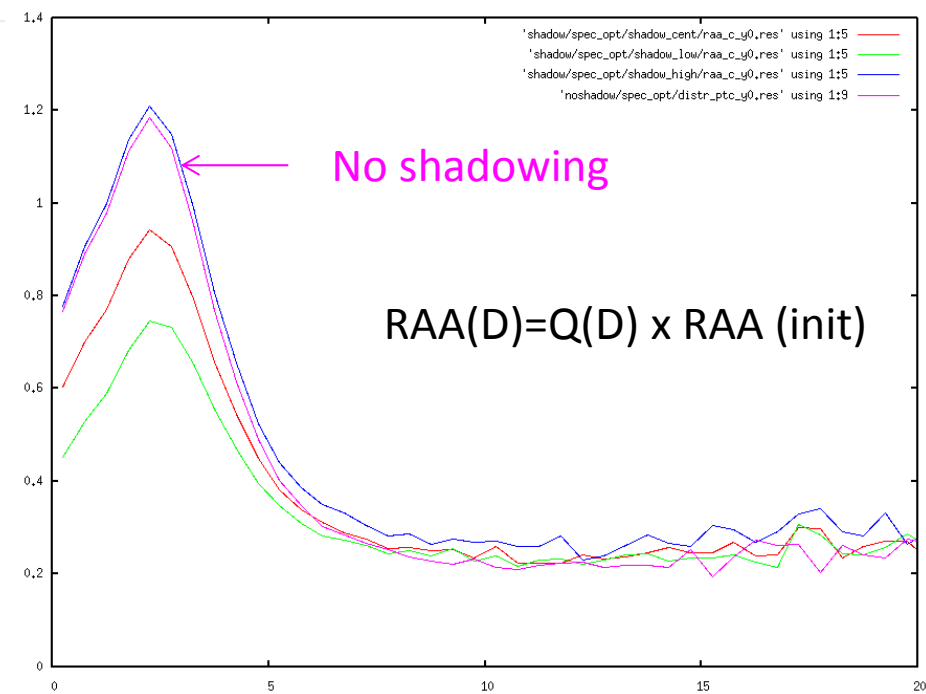
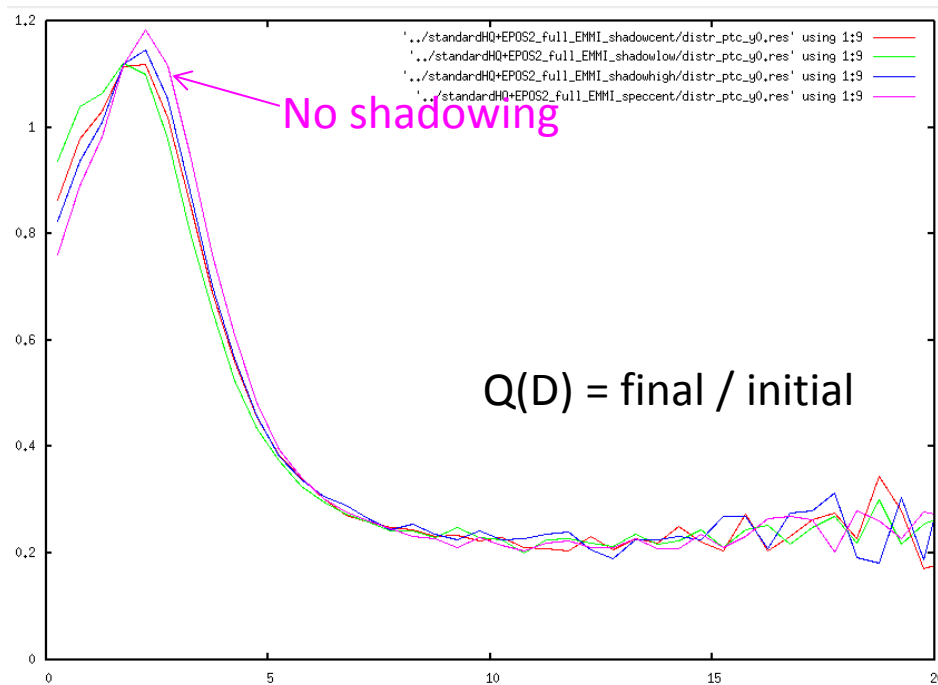
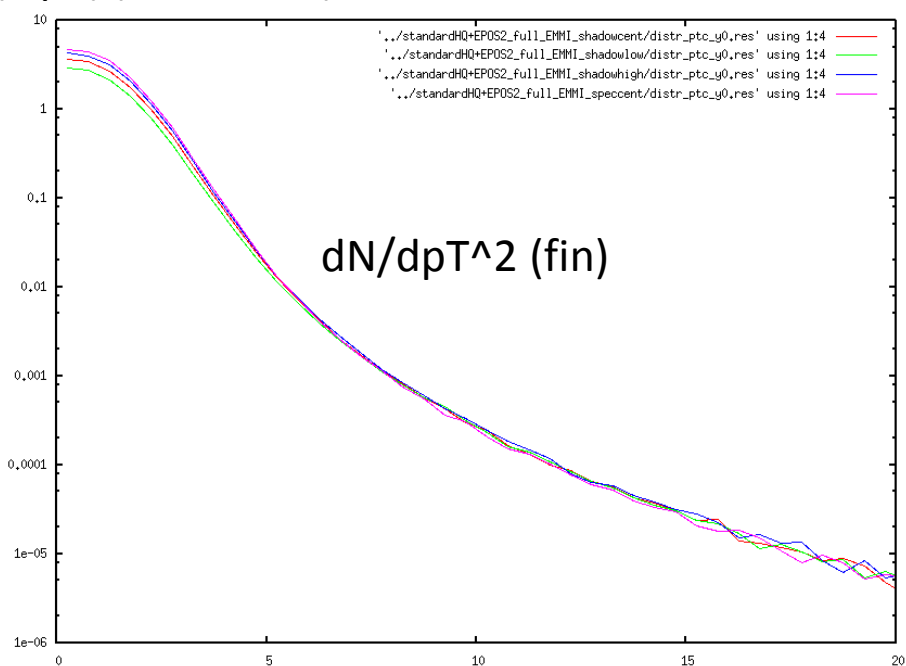
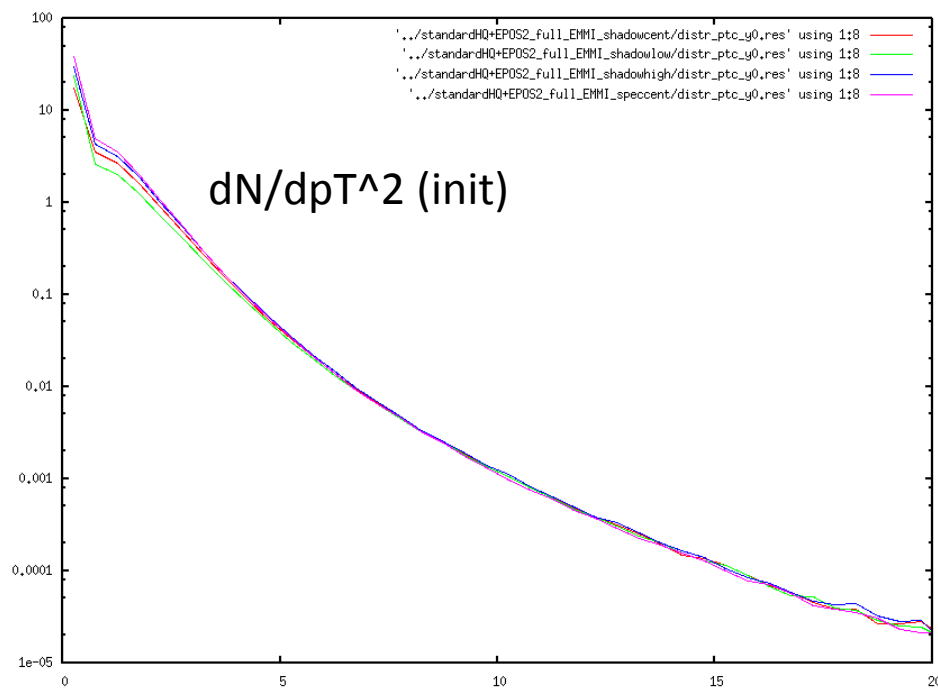
# Influence of Shadowing (Optimal FONLL spectrum)



c (sqrt(s)=2.76 TeV)



# D-mesons (sqrt(s)=2.76 TeV)

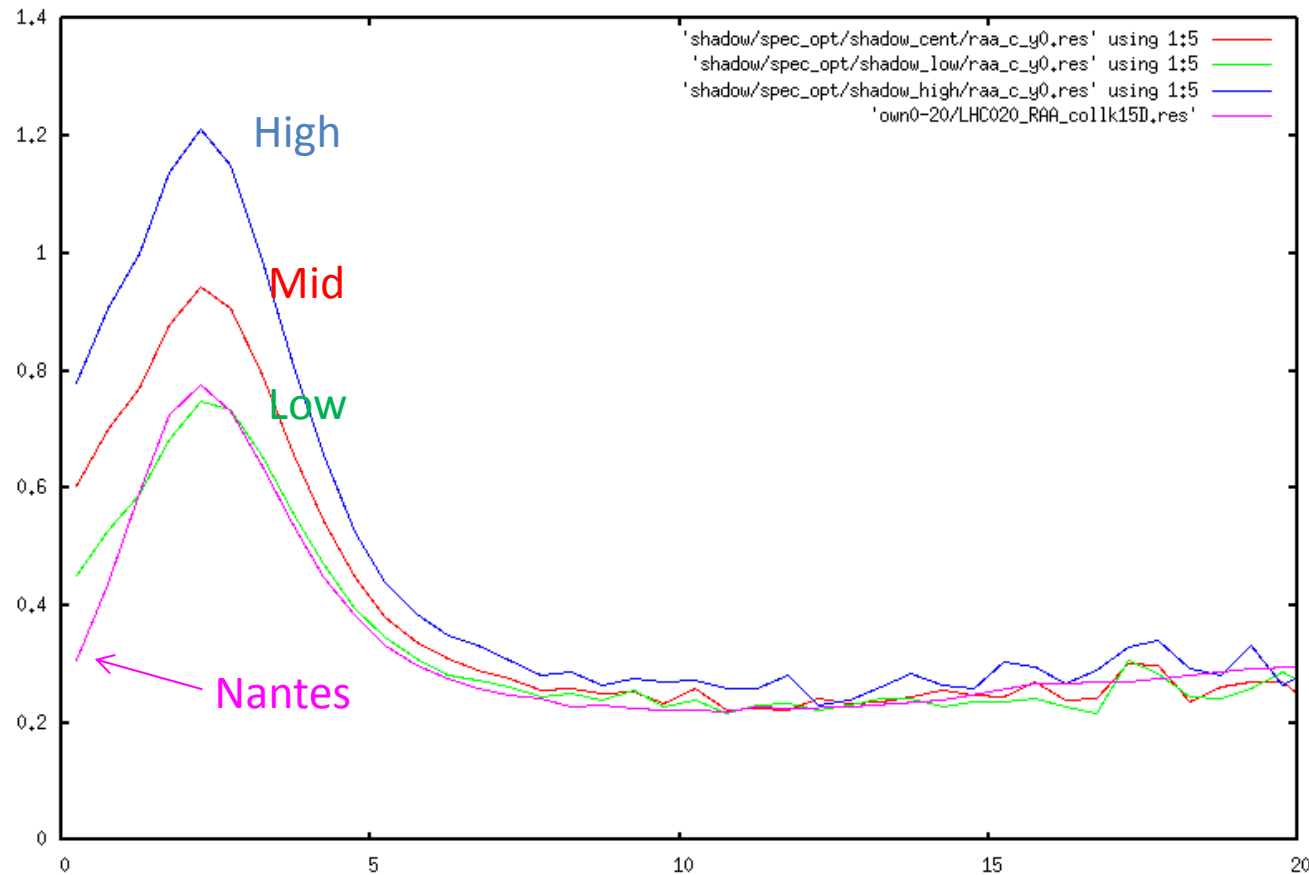


# Common tool

- Package to generate pT according to the FONLL + shadowing, available to all the practitioners

# Comparison with own spectra

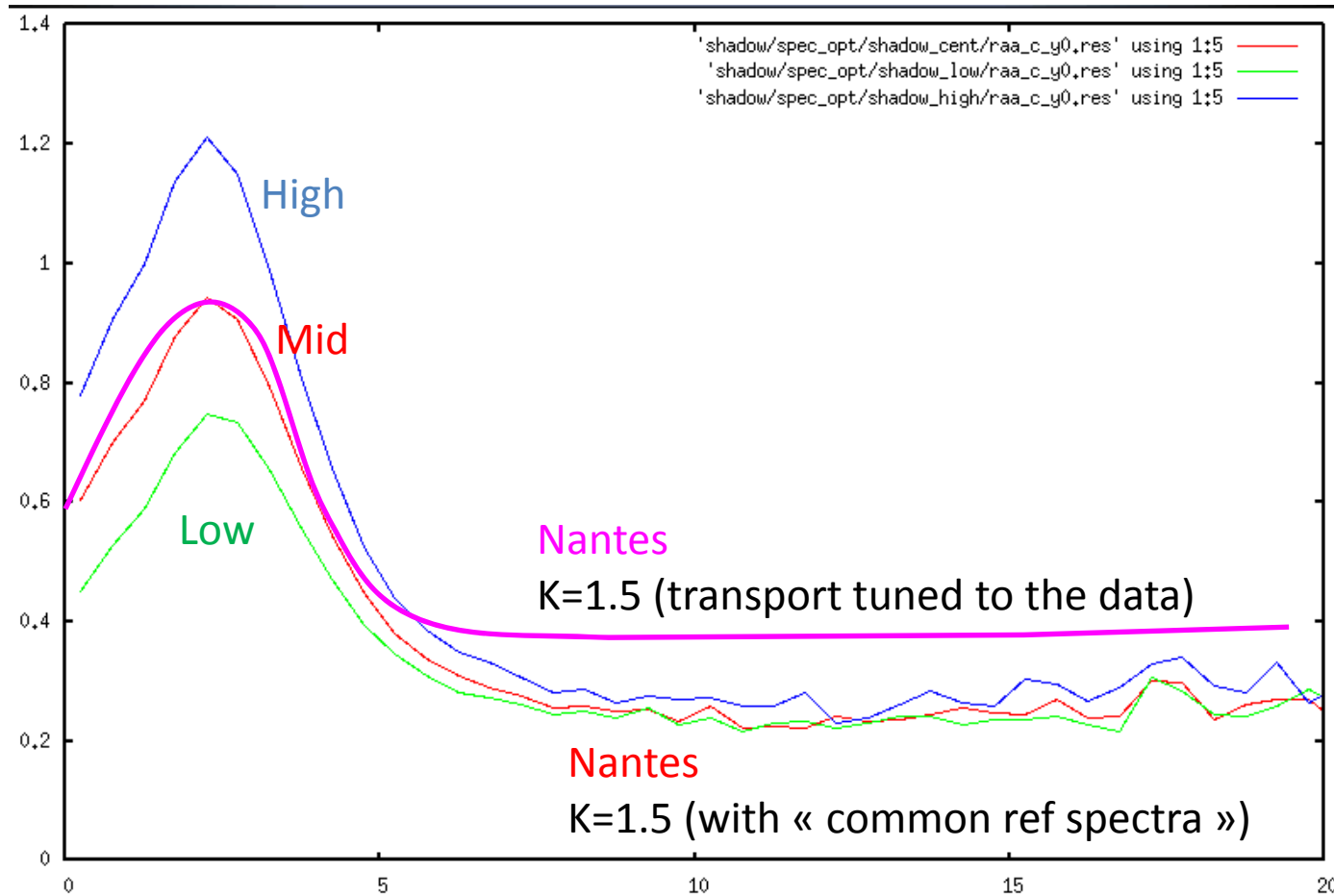
In the July meeting, the Nantes spectrum was found a bit « off » wrt the spectra used in the various models...



... however: good agreement for  $p_T > 5$  GeV/c and within error bars for  $p_T < 5$  GeV/c (need to check which precise shadowing was used for Nantes)

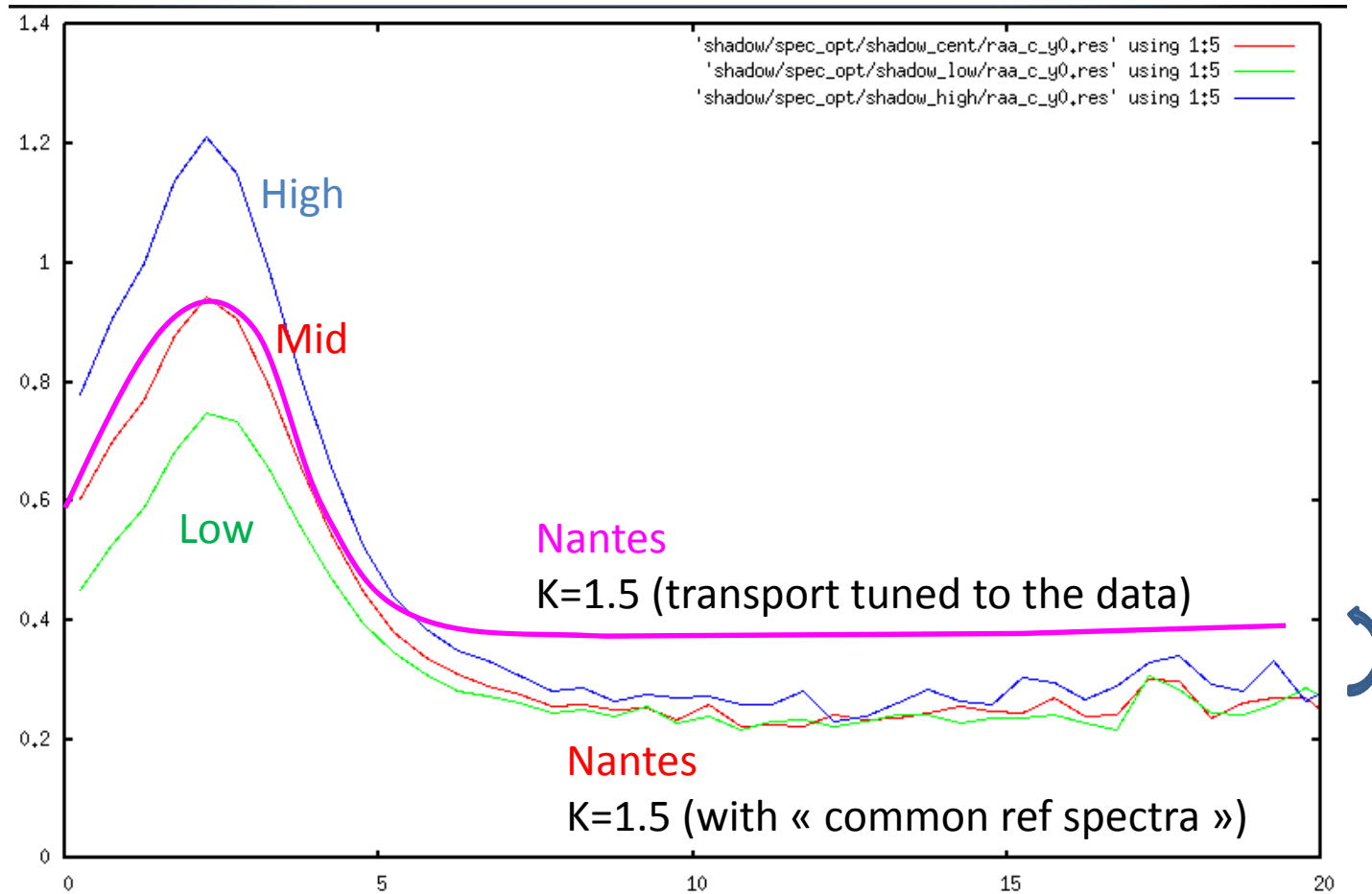
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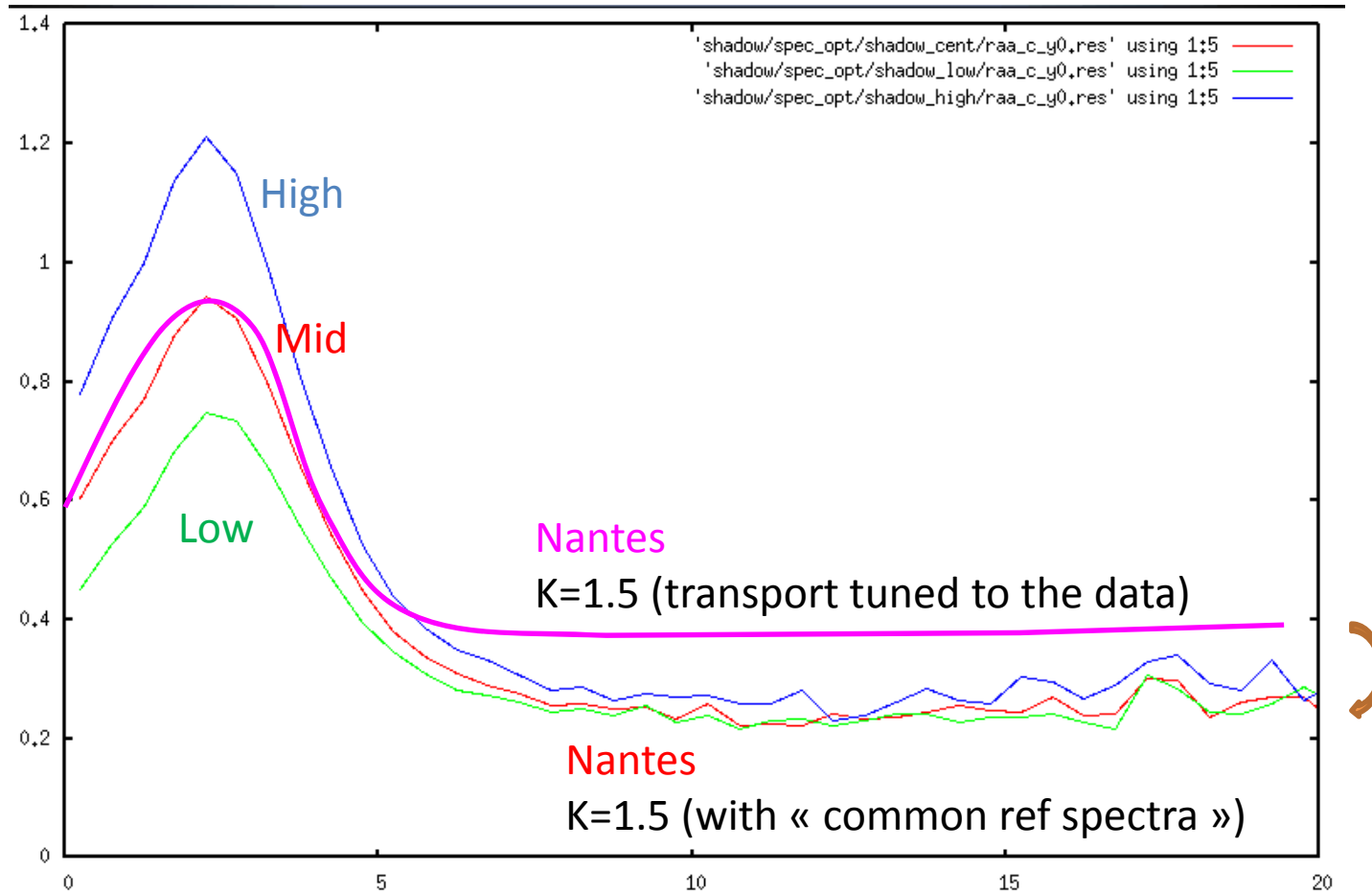


... we then either diminish the K factor (the quenching) in the « common spectra » version to match our previous results => f.i.  $K=1$



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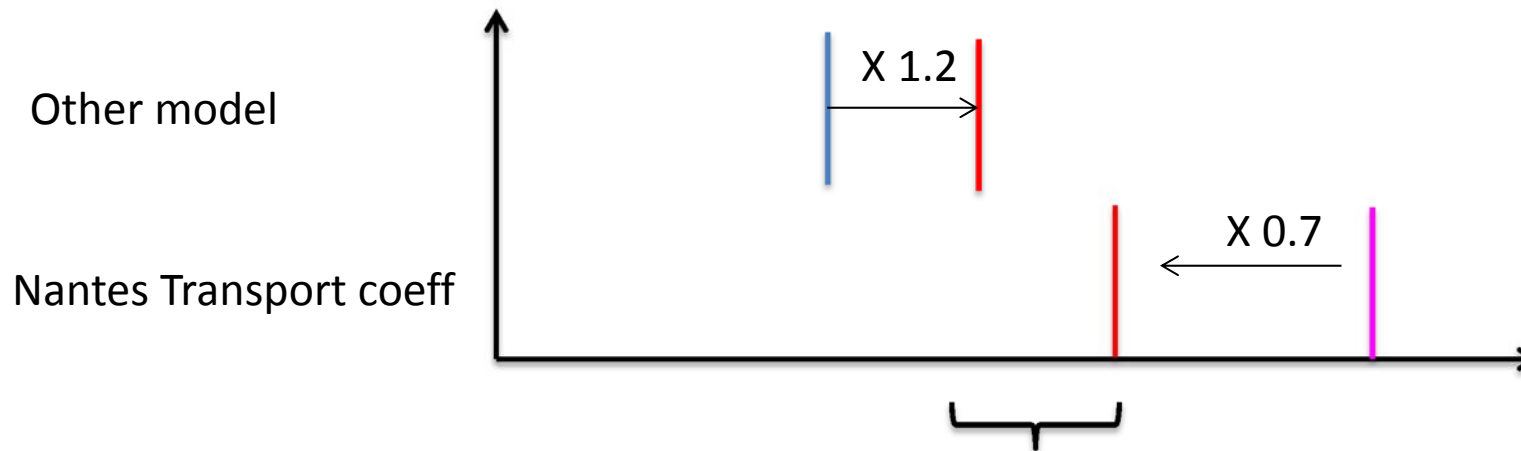


... or increase the K factor (the quenching) in the « nantes spectra » version to match the ones found in the « common spectra » version => f.i.  $K=2$

# Some words on methodology (appendix A)

In both case, we find  $K_{\text{common}} \approx 1/1.5 \approx 1.5/2$   $K_{\text{spec Nantes}}$

=>  $\text{Transport coeff}_{\text{common}} \approx 1/1.5 \approx 1.5/2$   $\text{Transport coeff}_{\text{spec Nantes}}$



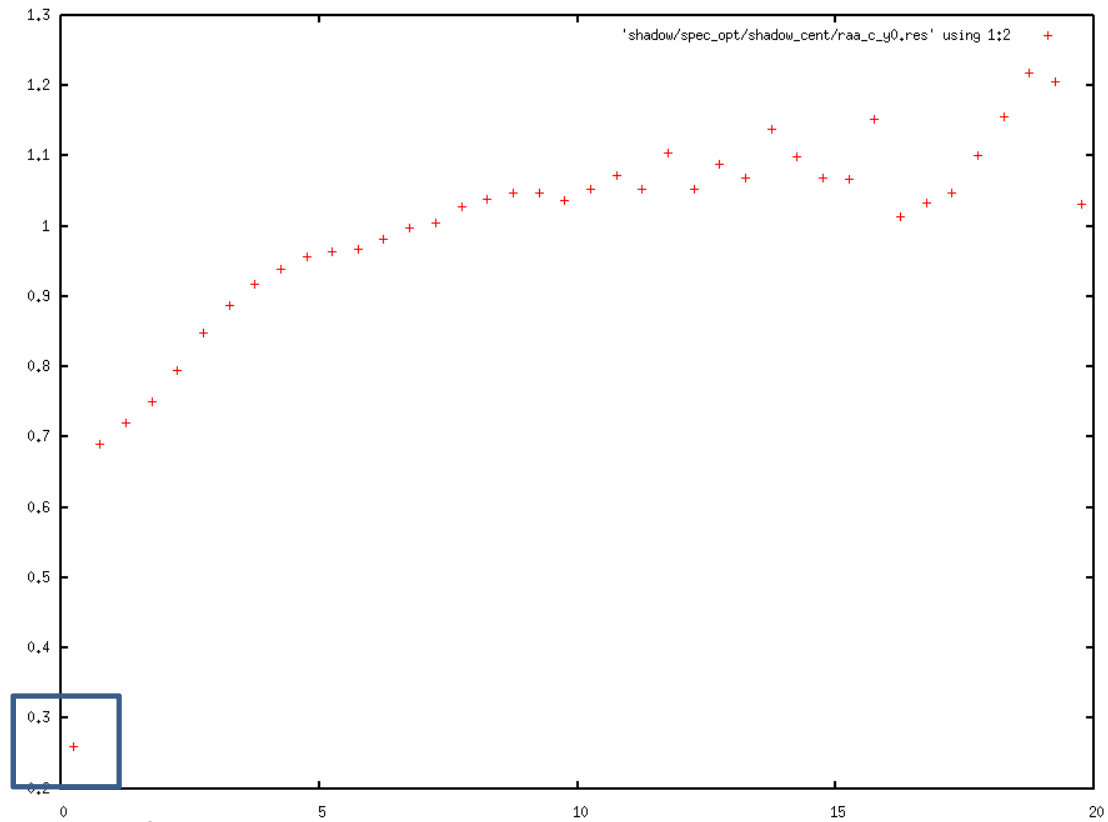
Reduction of systematic errors for this specific ingredient... but does not mean that the values with the common ingredient are the « correct » ones (it all depends how well you have this ingredient under control)

# TO DO for 6.

- Quantify the effects ?
- Check spectrum is  $dN/dp_T$
- Check centrality dependence of shadowing
- Check latest hadronisation (possible caveat: fragmentation functions are not the ones used by the experimentalist to tune the spectra)

# Back up

- RAA c init:



Spurious, due to  
Discretization in the sampling