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MRS Analysis

- Preliminary Data Analysis Done
- Physics

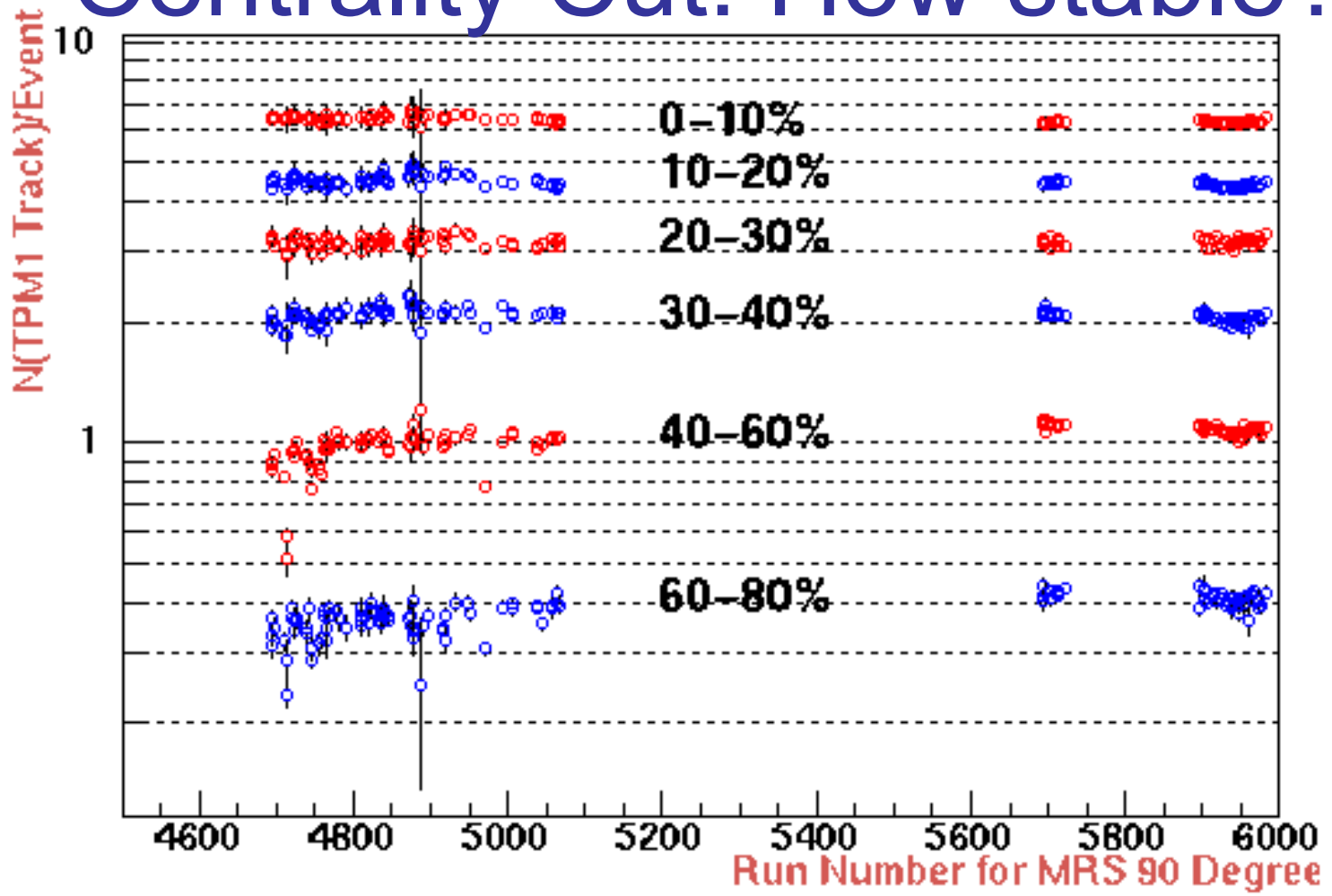
Centrality Dependent

- Spectra with $\langle pt \rangle$, slope, yields
- Ratios (especially p/π , K/π) as function of pt
- BW fit

at $y=0$

- Reasonable statistics but lacking very peripheral Data ($> 60\%$)
 - Should $y \approx 1$ data be included? (probably not)
 - Letter or review paper?
 - See Eun-Joo's Note on the web (not complete yet)
- for details

Centrality Cut: How stable?

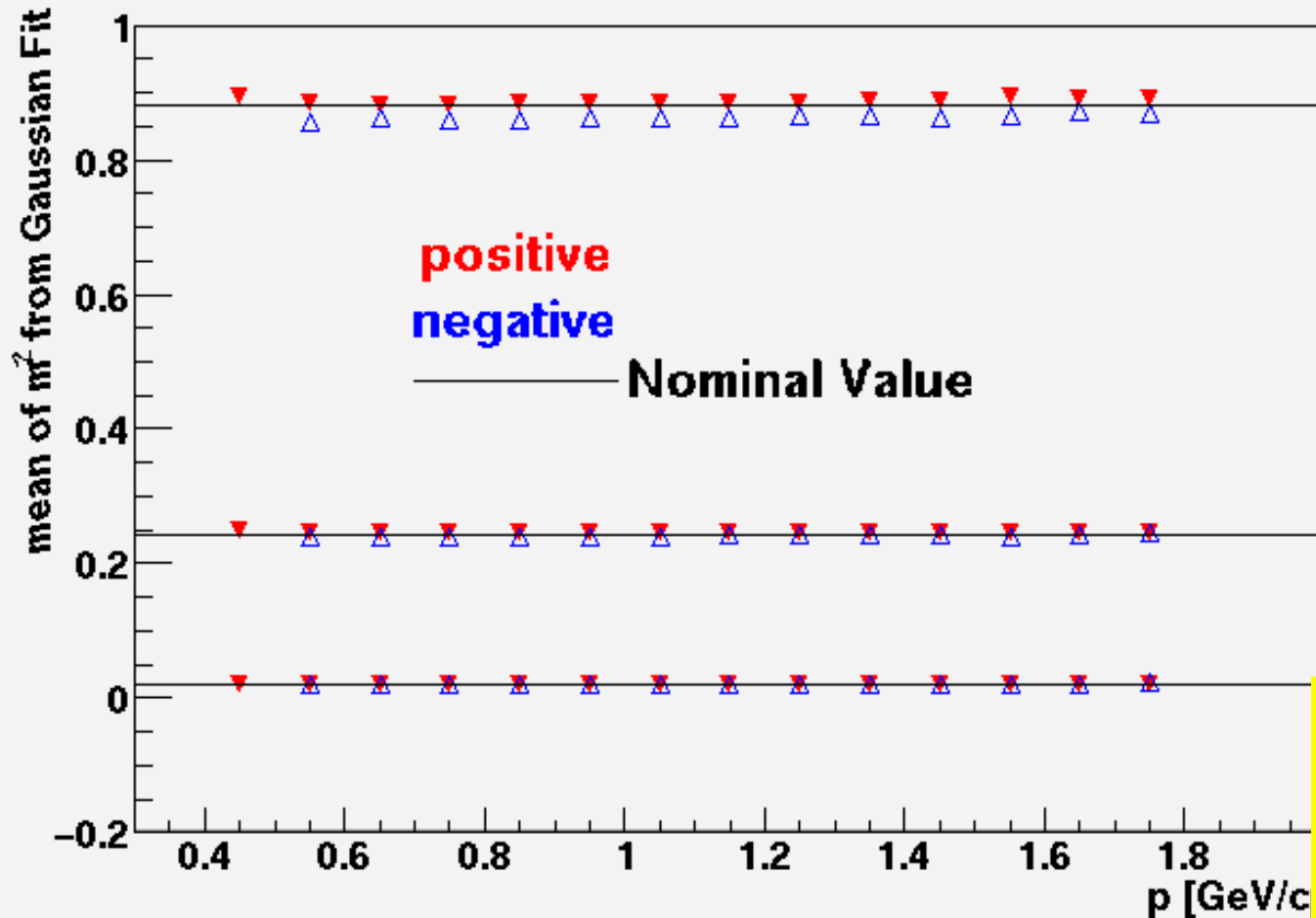


- Centrality Cuts (multiplicity) with the latest calibration
- No scale-down factors considered (centrality cut fine enough?: see 20-30%)
- Some small run dependencies: (Earlier ones, ~run5900)

Resolution of Centrality Cut

Centrality (%)	RMS/ $\langle N_{\text{Track(TPM1)}} \rangle$
0-10%	1.7%
10-20%	2.4%
20-30%	2.5%
30-40%	3.4%
40-60%	8.9%
60-80%	9.4%

Mean of m^2



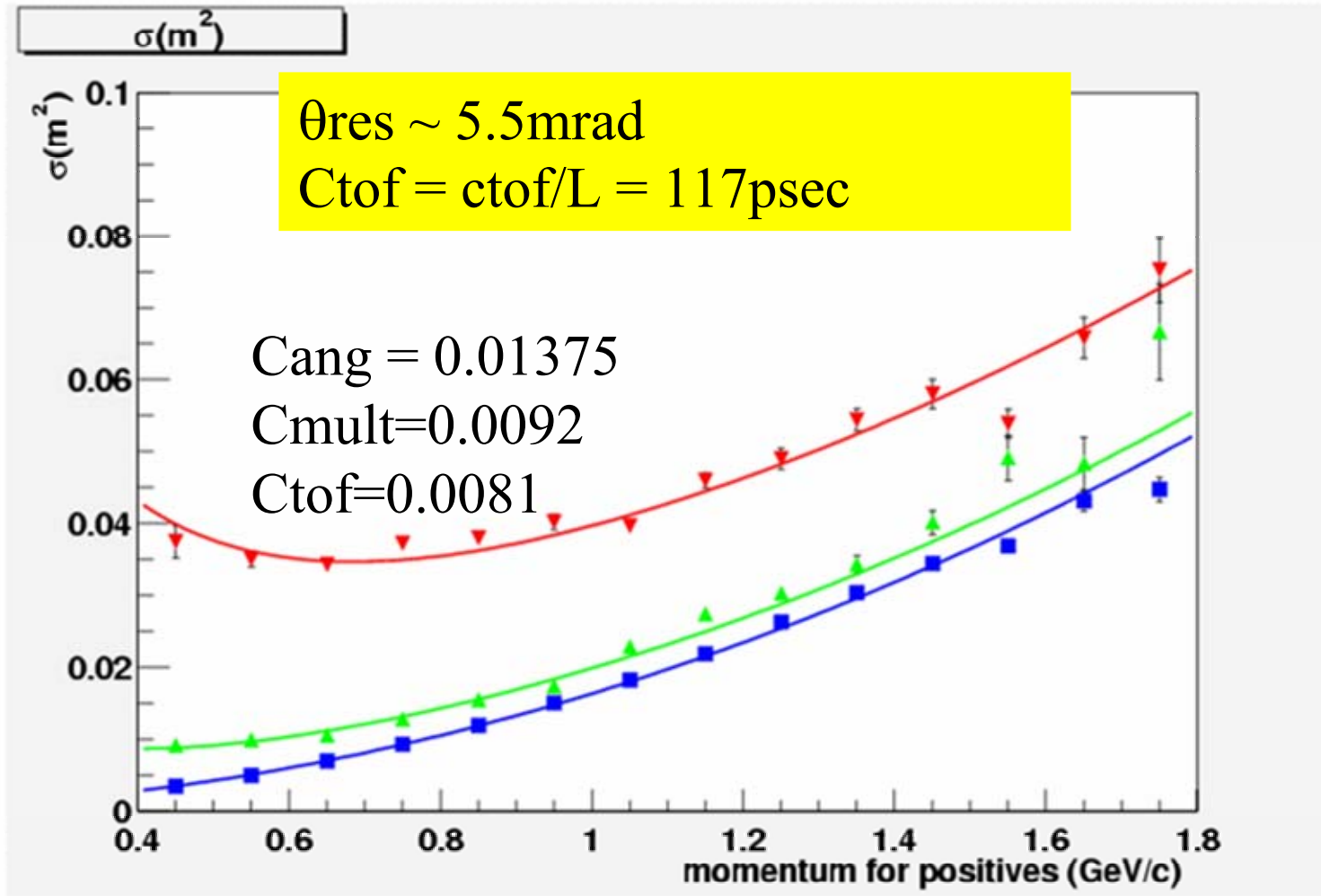
-Positive/negative systematics.
-Due to x/θ vs p systematics?

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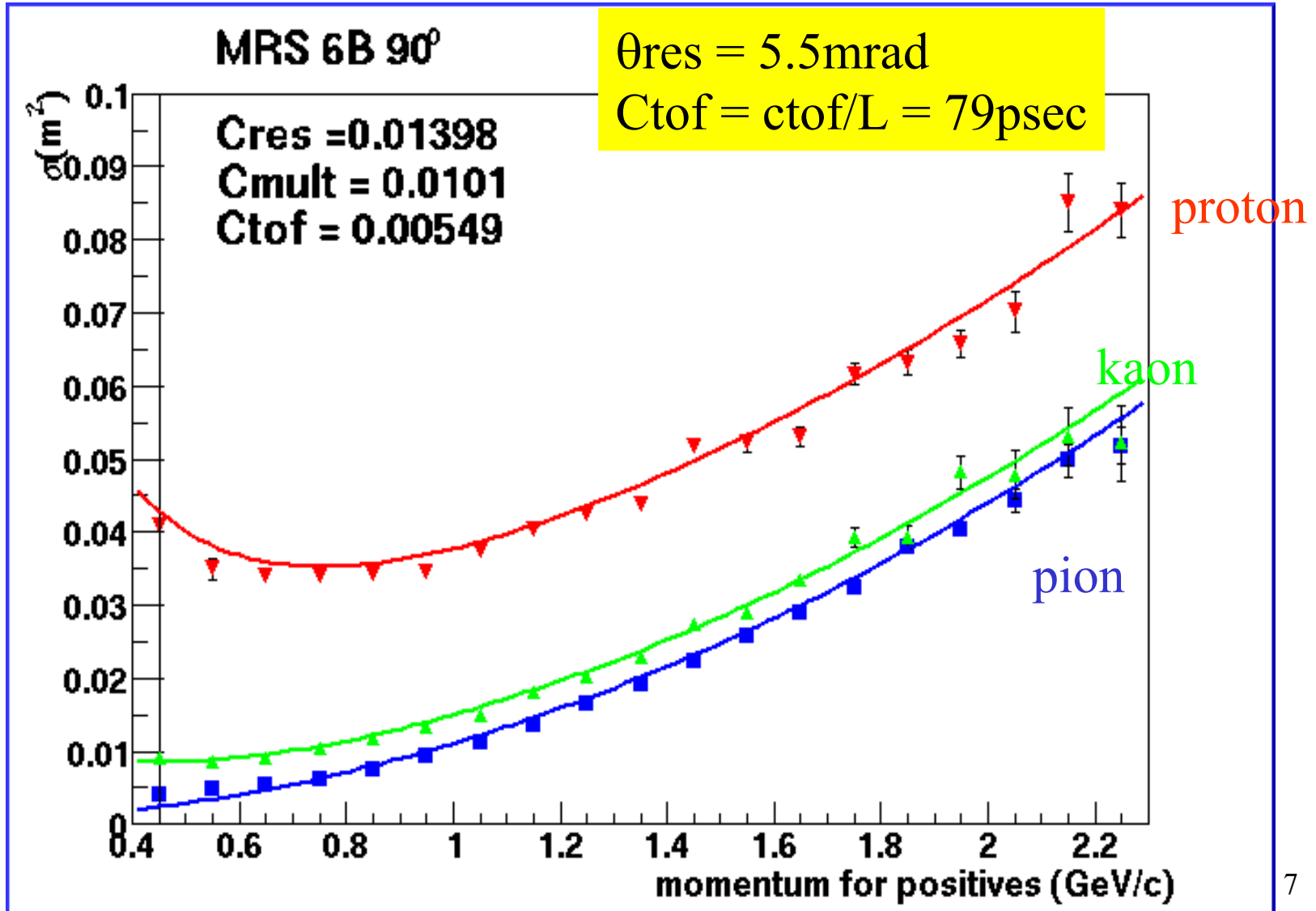


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m_2 resolution without slewing

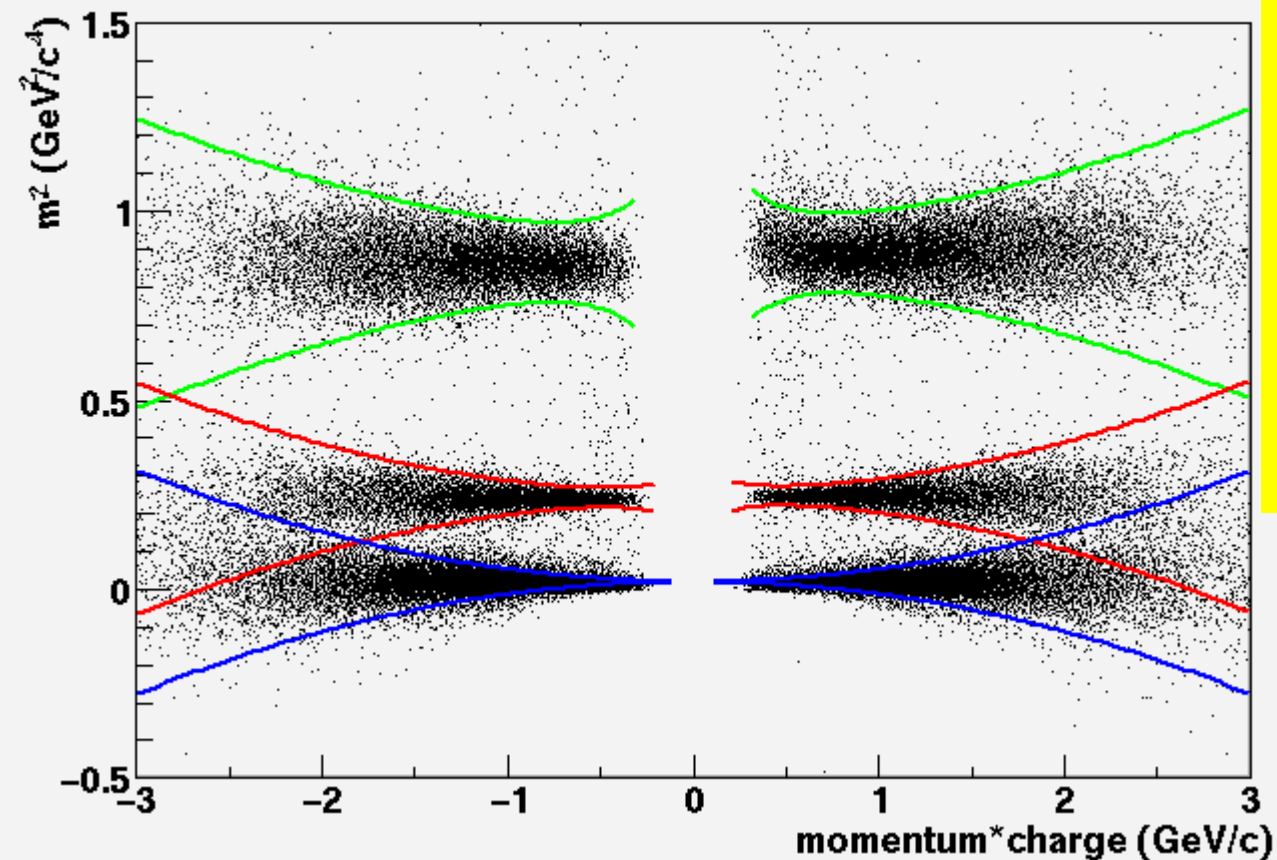


m_2 resolution with slewing



pid cut

- Best cut to use? (over box or beta vs p cut)
- Overestimate momentum resolution
- p,k include δm_0
- Can be used for higher pt coverage



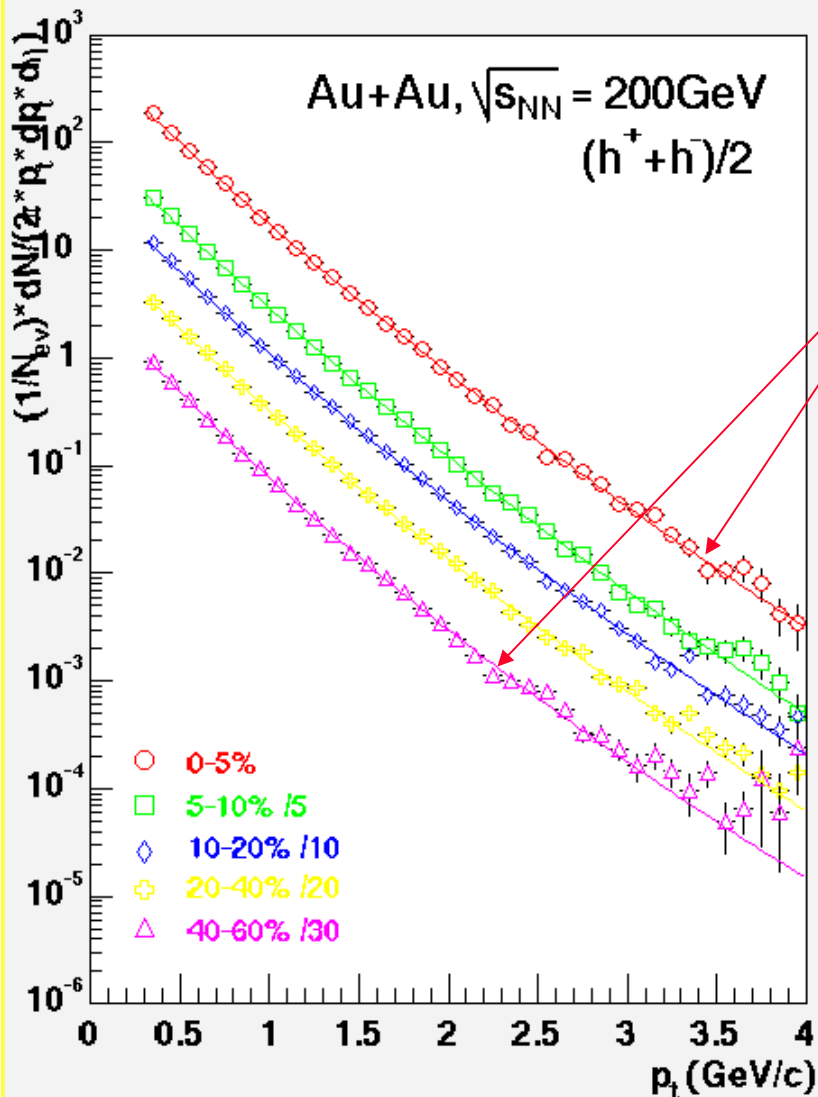
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Charged Hadron Spectra as a function of rapidity at $y=0$

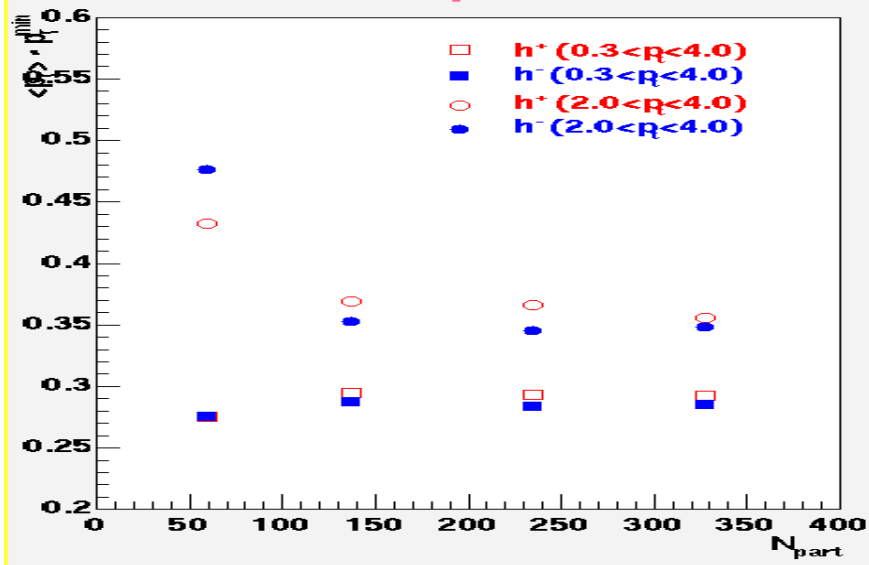
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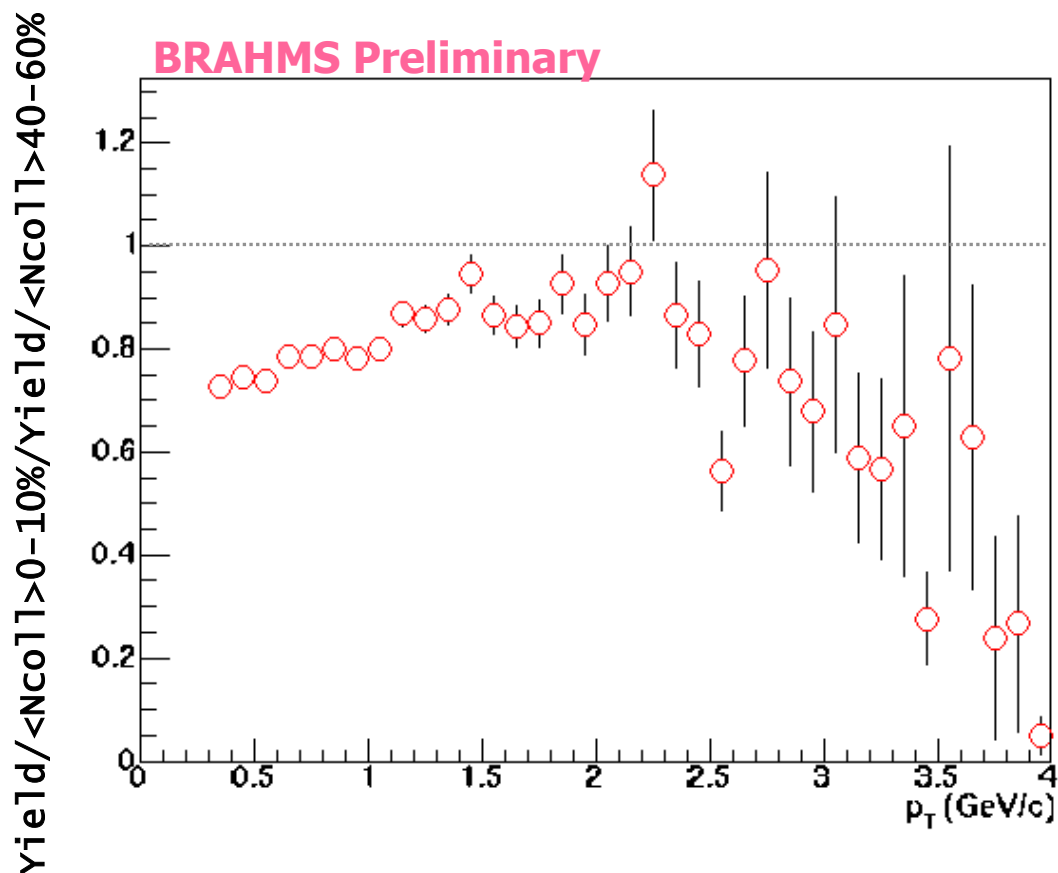
- Mean p_t :
 - increase at low p_t
 - decrease at high p_t
 - as $\langle N_{part} \rangle$ increase
- Collective flow at low p_t
+ Suppression at high p_t

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High- p_T Physics:

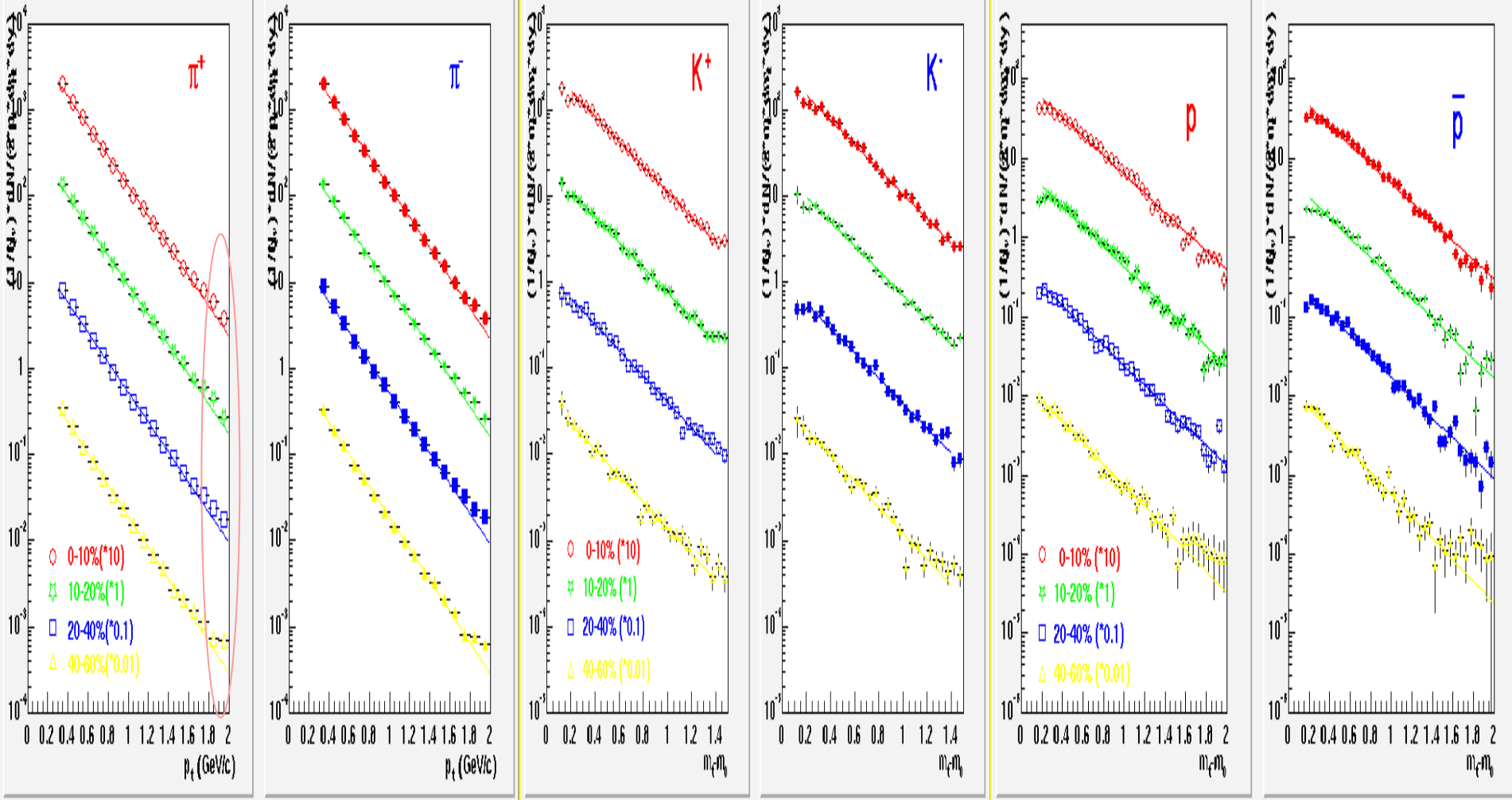
Central/Semi-peripheral collisions at $y = 0$



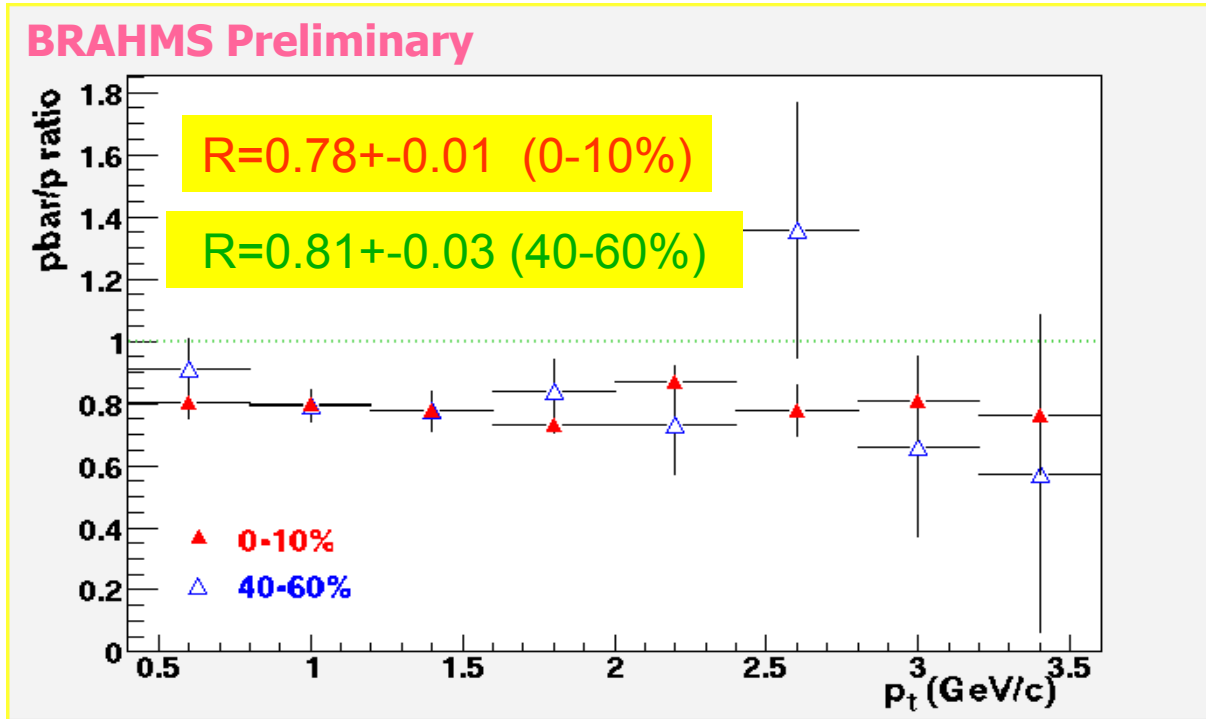
- Charged hadron spectra scaled by the number of binary collisions.
- high p_T suppression in central collisions (0-10%) compared to semi-peripheral (40-60%)
- Identified particles at $y=0,2$: analysis in progress

Spectra vs Centrality at $y=0$ $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 200$ GeV

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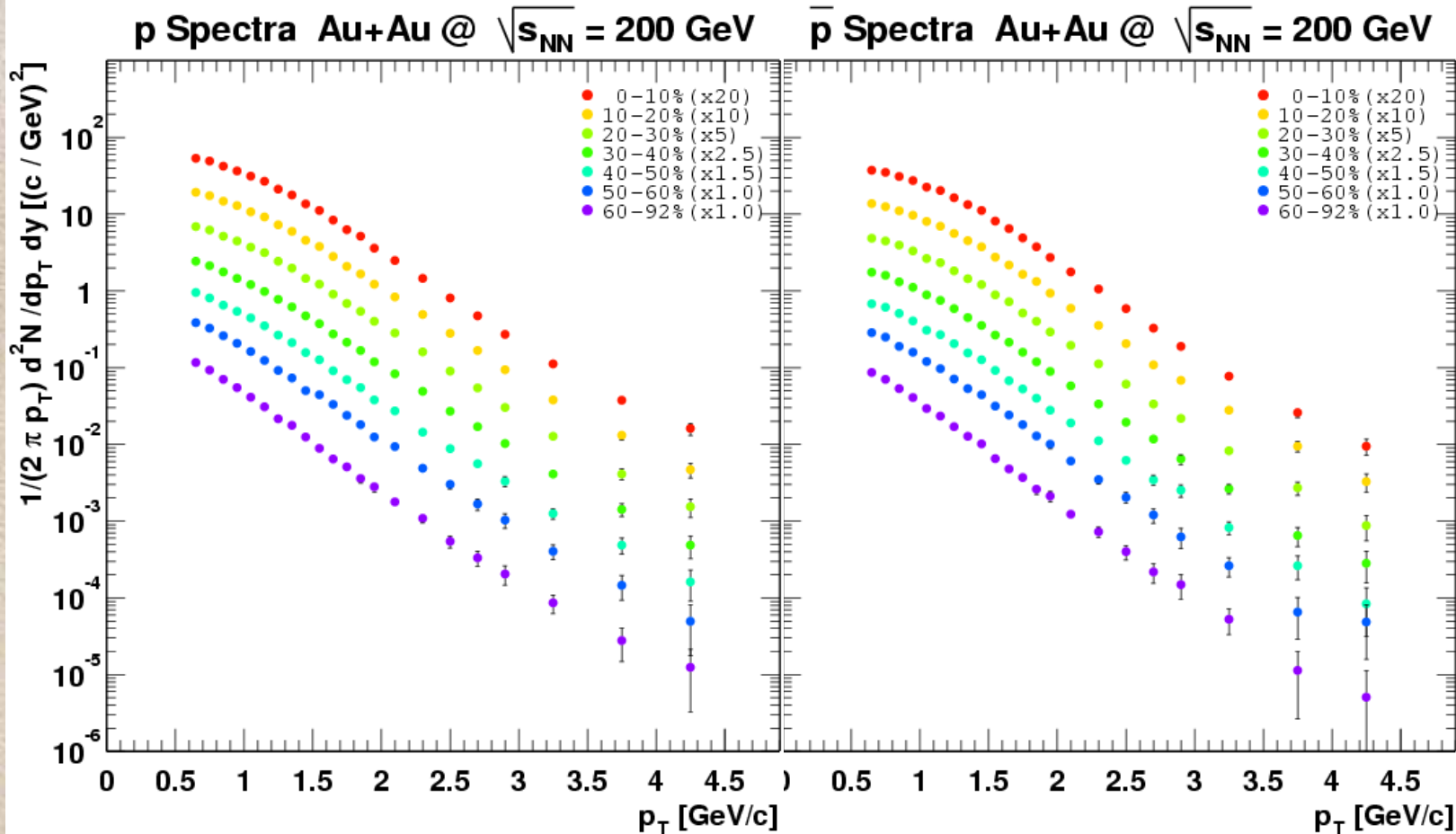


p_T and centrality dependent $p_{\bar{b}}/p$ ratios at $y=0$



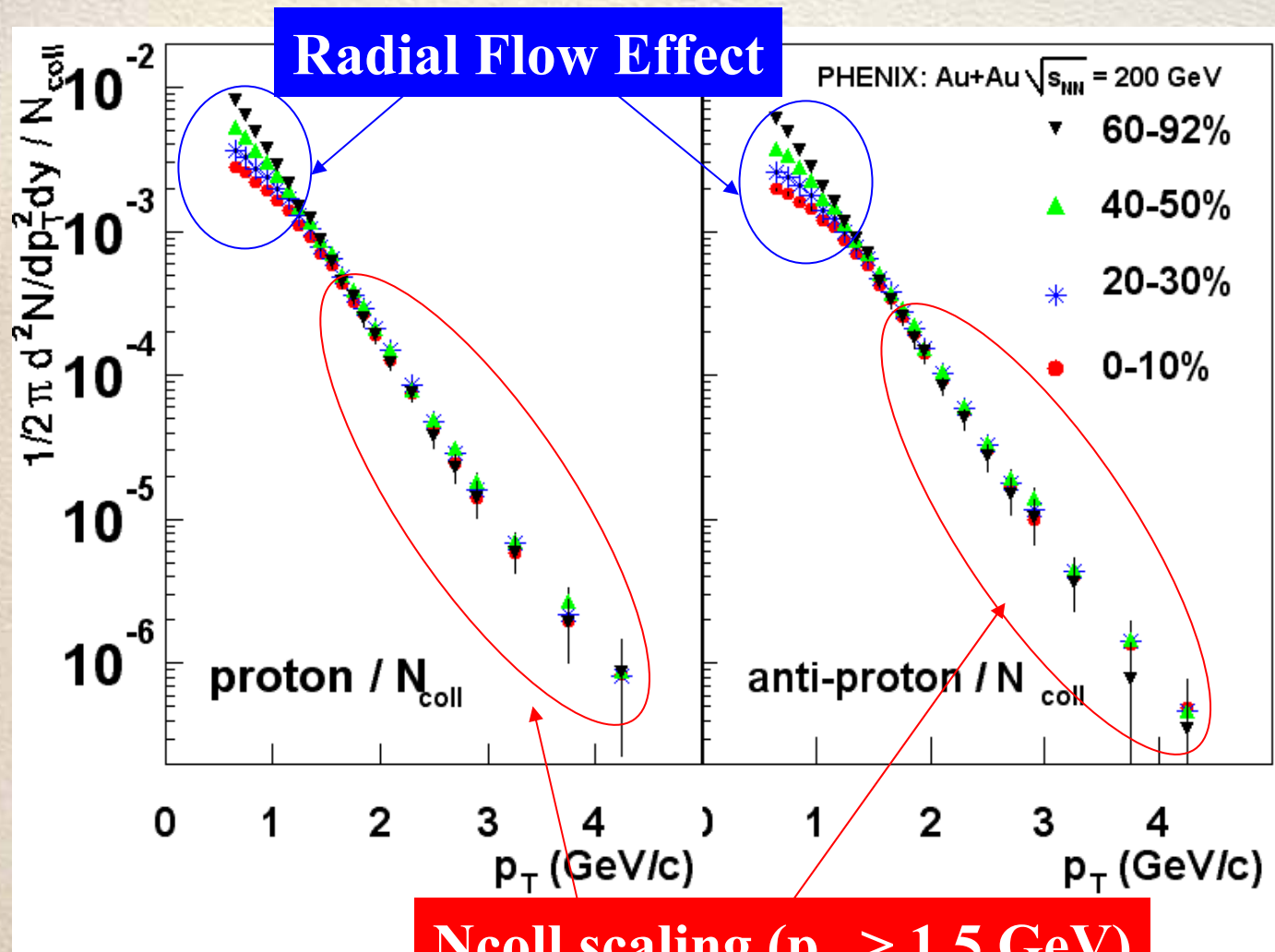
- The ratio for central events (0-10%) are almost flat over $0.5 < p_T < 3.5 \text{ GeV}/c$.
- $R(\text{central}) \sim R(\text{peripheral})$

Proton and anti-proton spectra in AuAu at 200 GeV

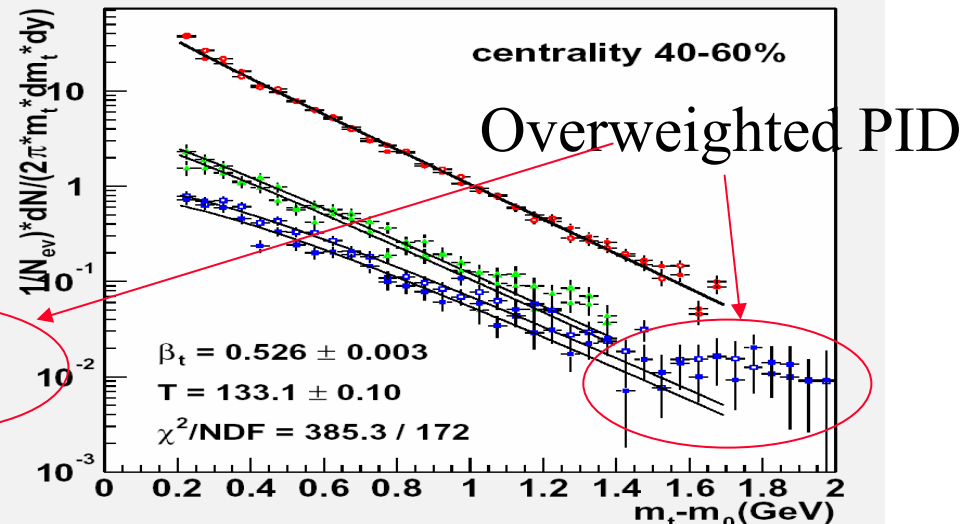
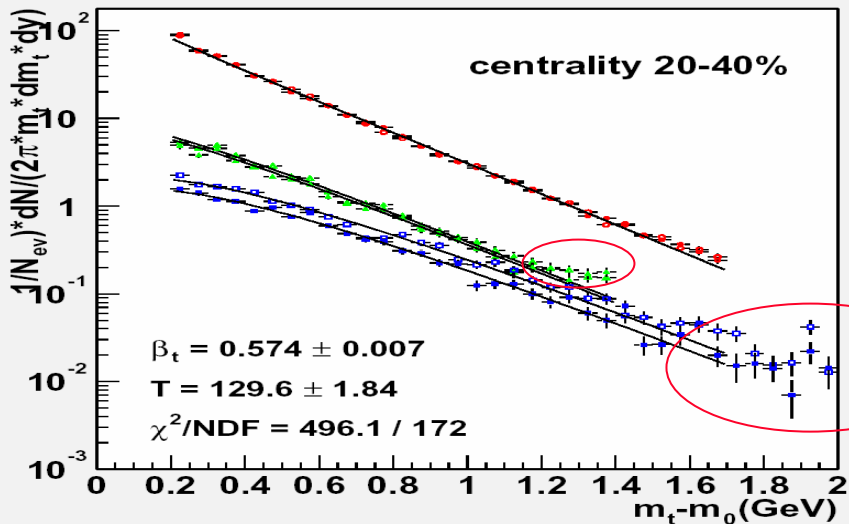
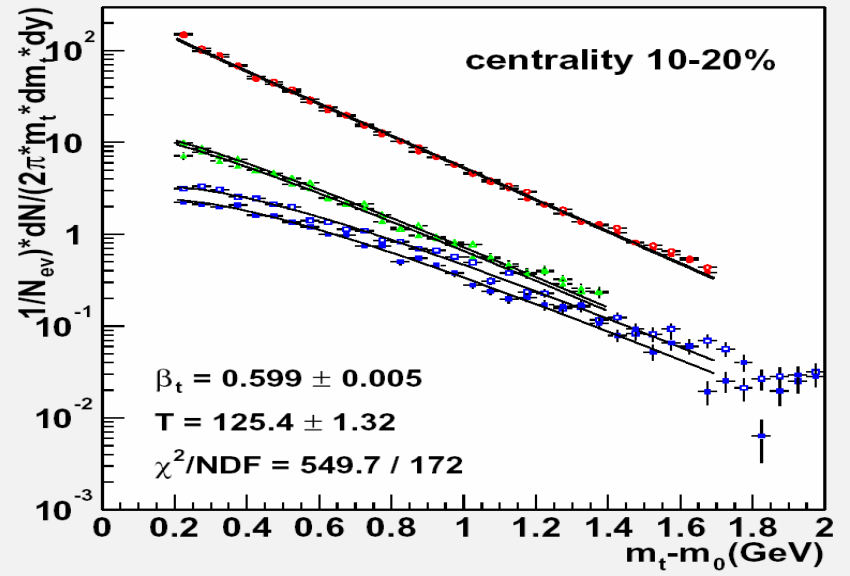
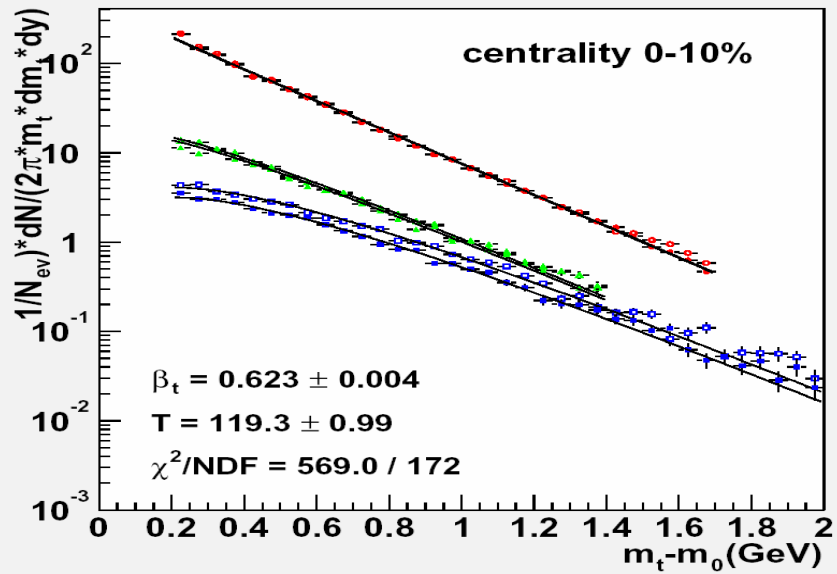


- Corrected for weak decay feed-down effect ($\sim 40\%$ at 0.6 GeV/c, $\sim 25\%$ at 4 GeV/c).
- **Strong centrality dependence in spectra shape at low p_T (< 1.5 GeV/c).**

N_{coll} scaled p_T spectra for p and pbar

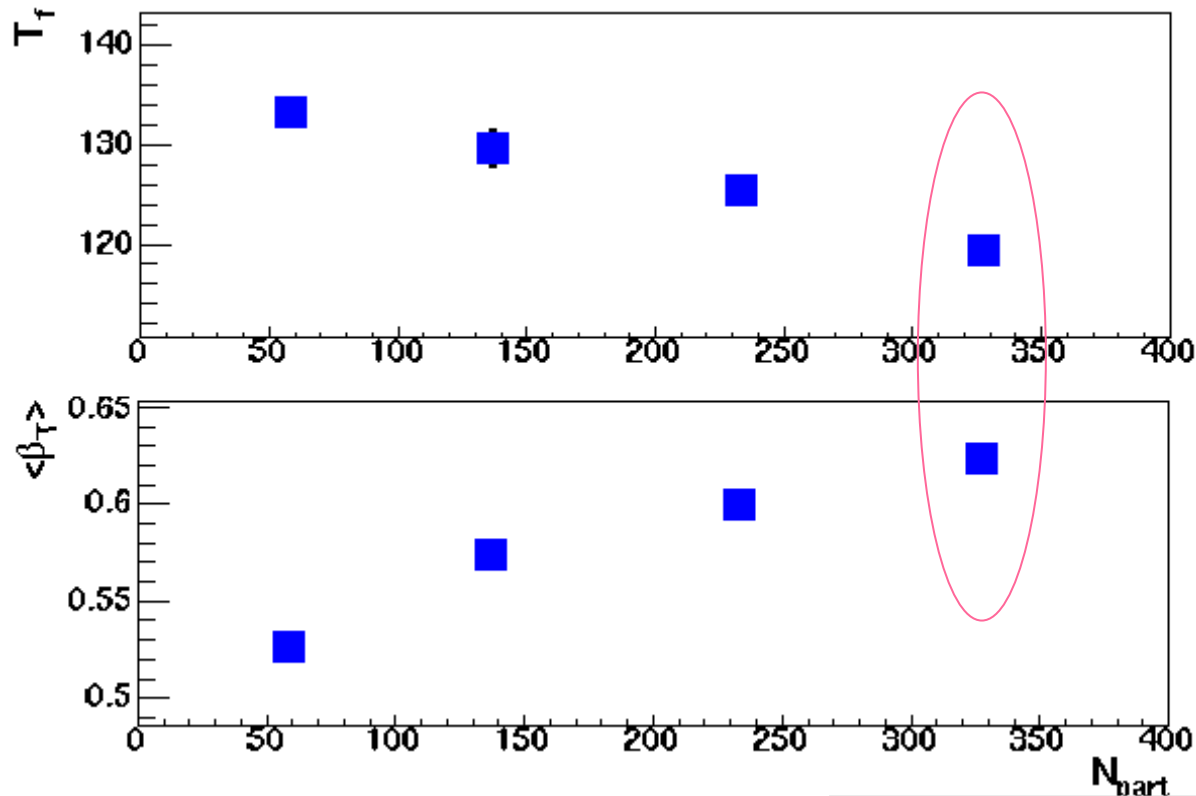


**N_{coll} scaling ($p_T > 1.5$ GeV)
for all centrality bins**



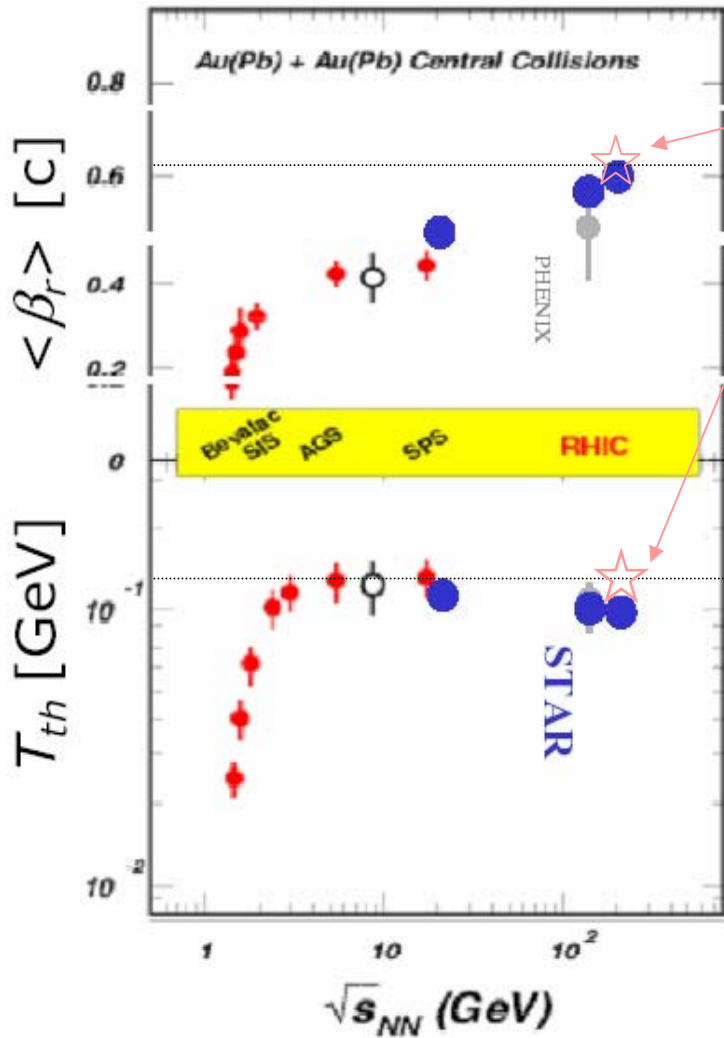
Thermal Freeze-out Parameters from Hydrodynamic Fit

Assuming local thermal equilibrated source or boosted system
 Fit all particles simultaneously with velocity and temperature



Ref. : E.Schnedermann et al, PRC48 (1993) 2462

- Spectra are described by T_{FO} and $\langle \beta_T \rangle$:
 - – $\langle \beta_T \rangle \sim 0.62 - 0.53$, $T_{FO} \sim 119 - 133$ from 0-10% to 40-60% central
 - – $\langle \beta_T \rangle$ Increase at RHIC, $T_{FO} \sim$ AGS \sim SPS?

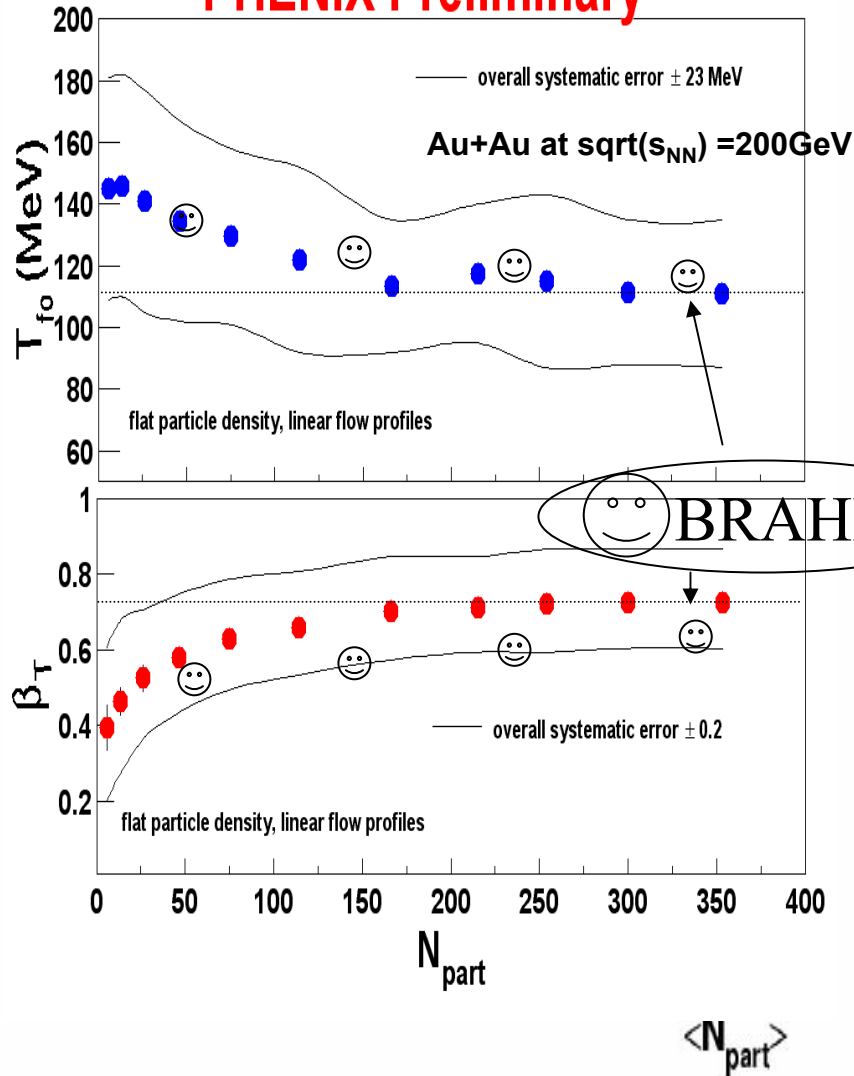


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- From SPS to RHIC Energy
 - Increasing flow
 - Saturating temperature

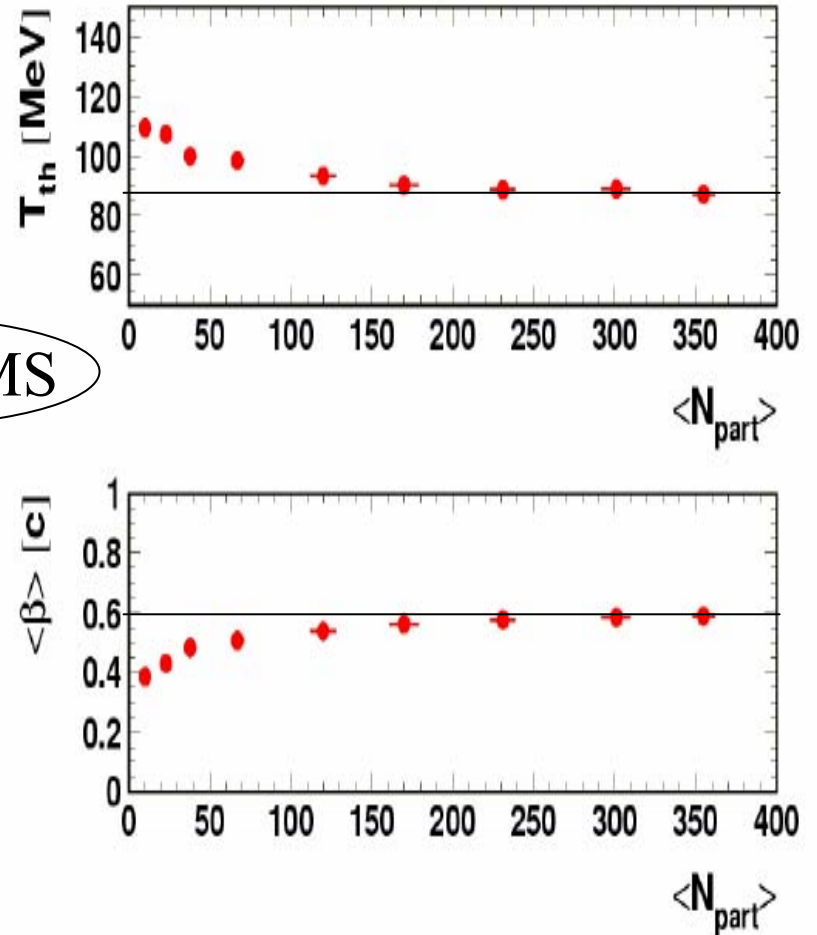
PHENIX and STAR

PHENIX Preliminary



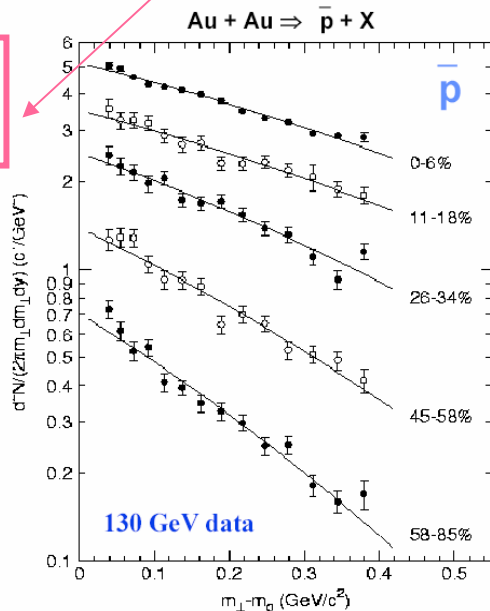
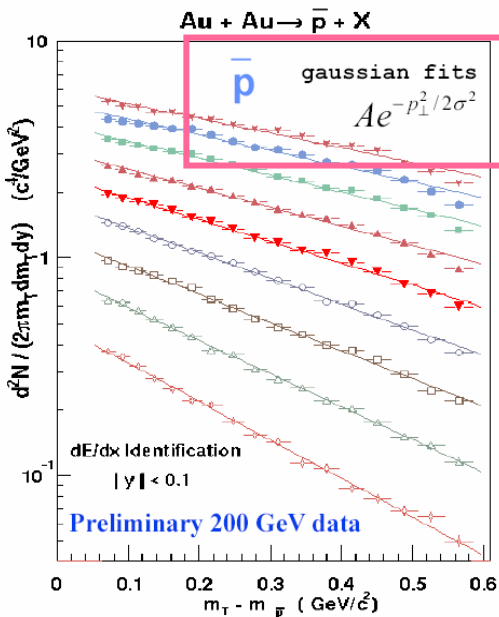
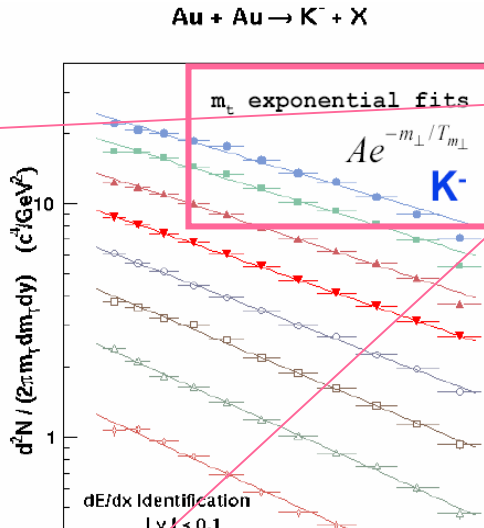
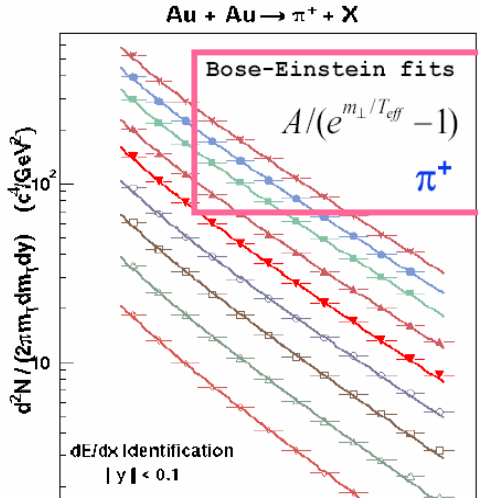
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200 GeV Au+Au



STAR and PHENIX Fits

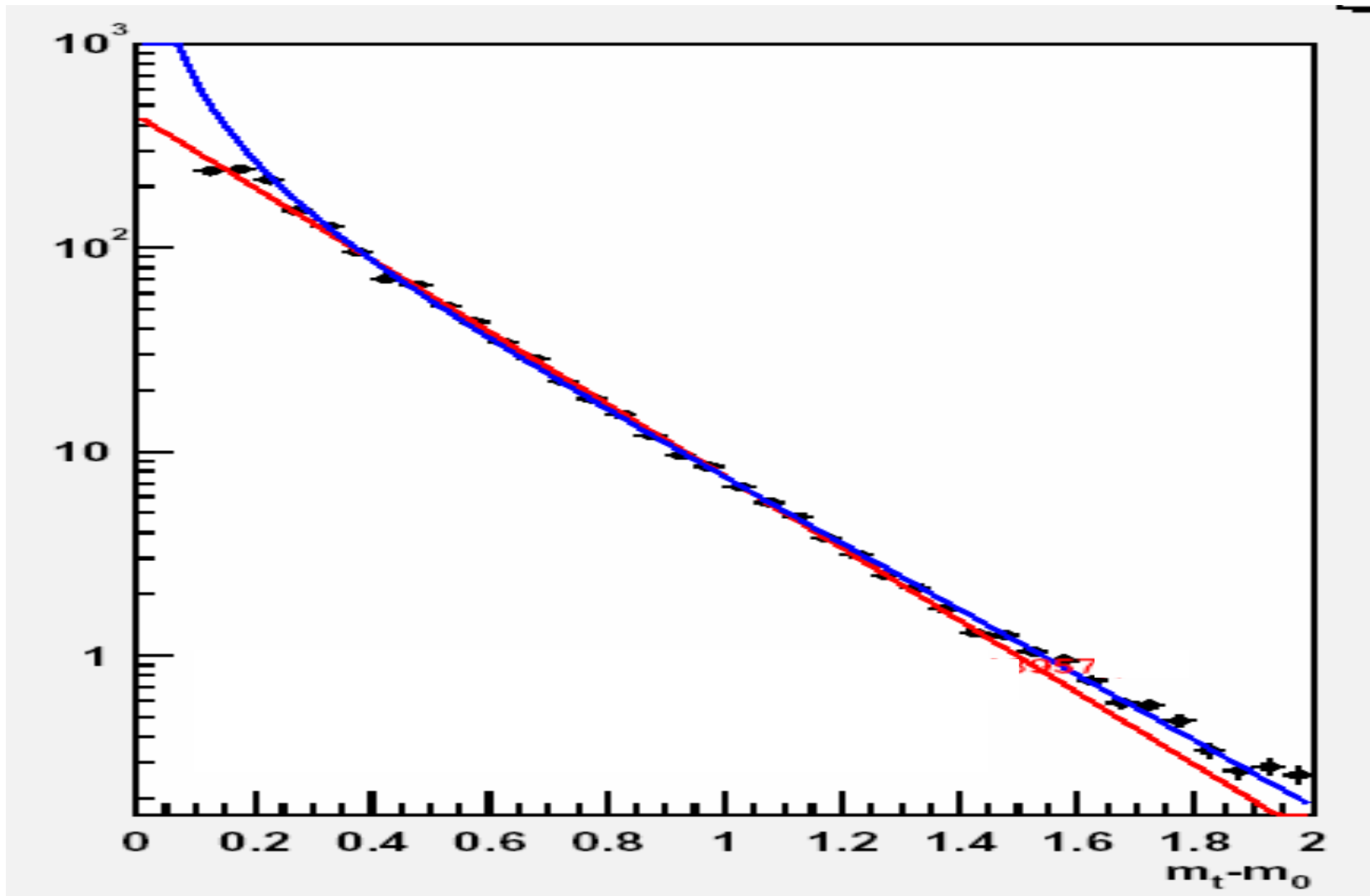
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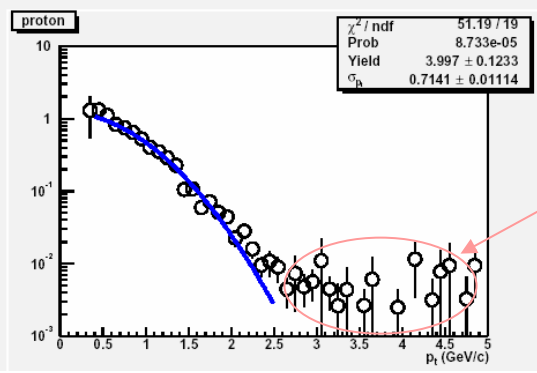
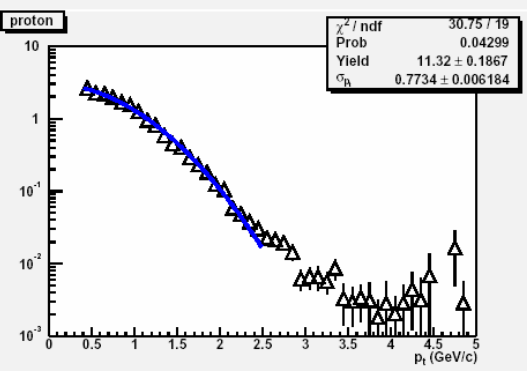
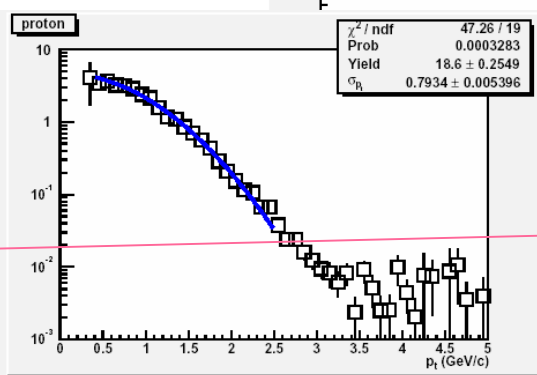
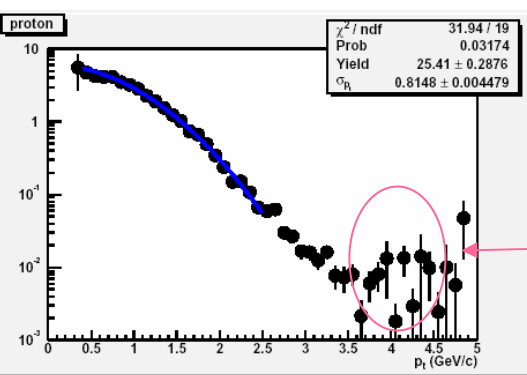
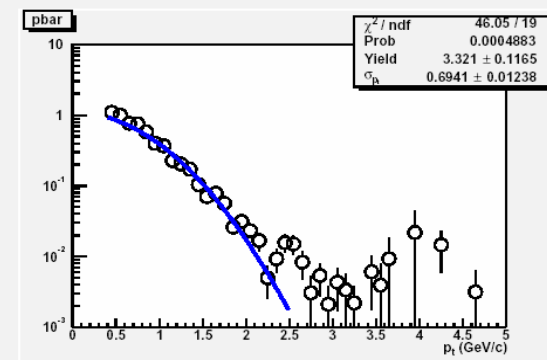
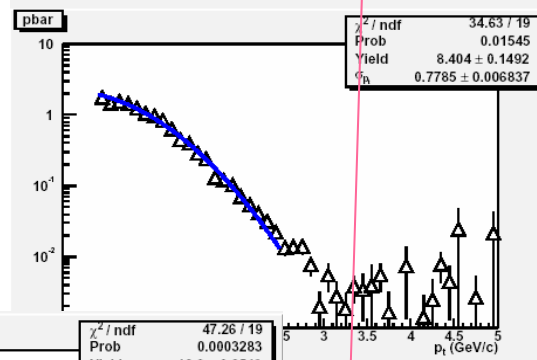
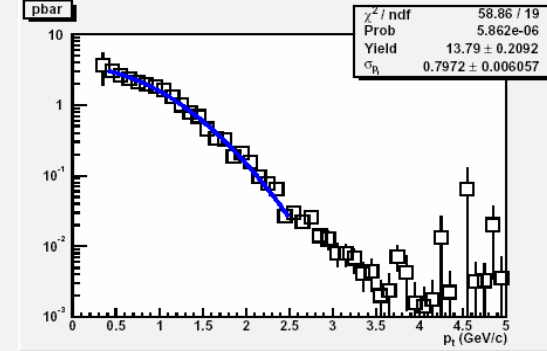
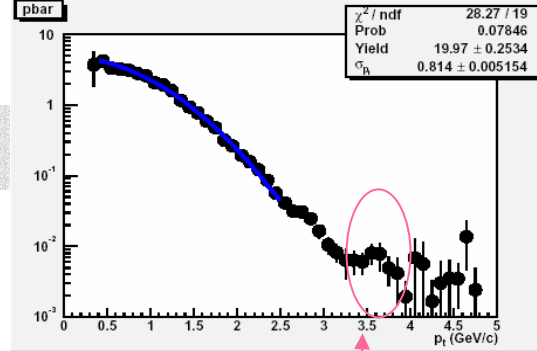
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- π: Power Law $A (p_0 + p_T)^{-n}$
- K: m_T exp
- p: Boltzman

Bose-Einstein Function vs. exponential



Gaussian Fit

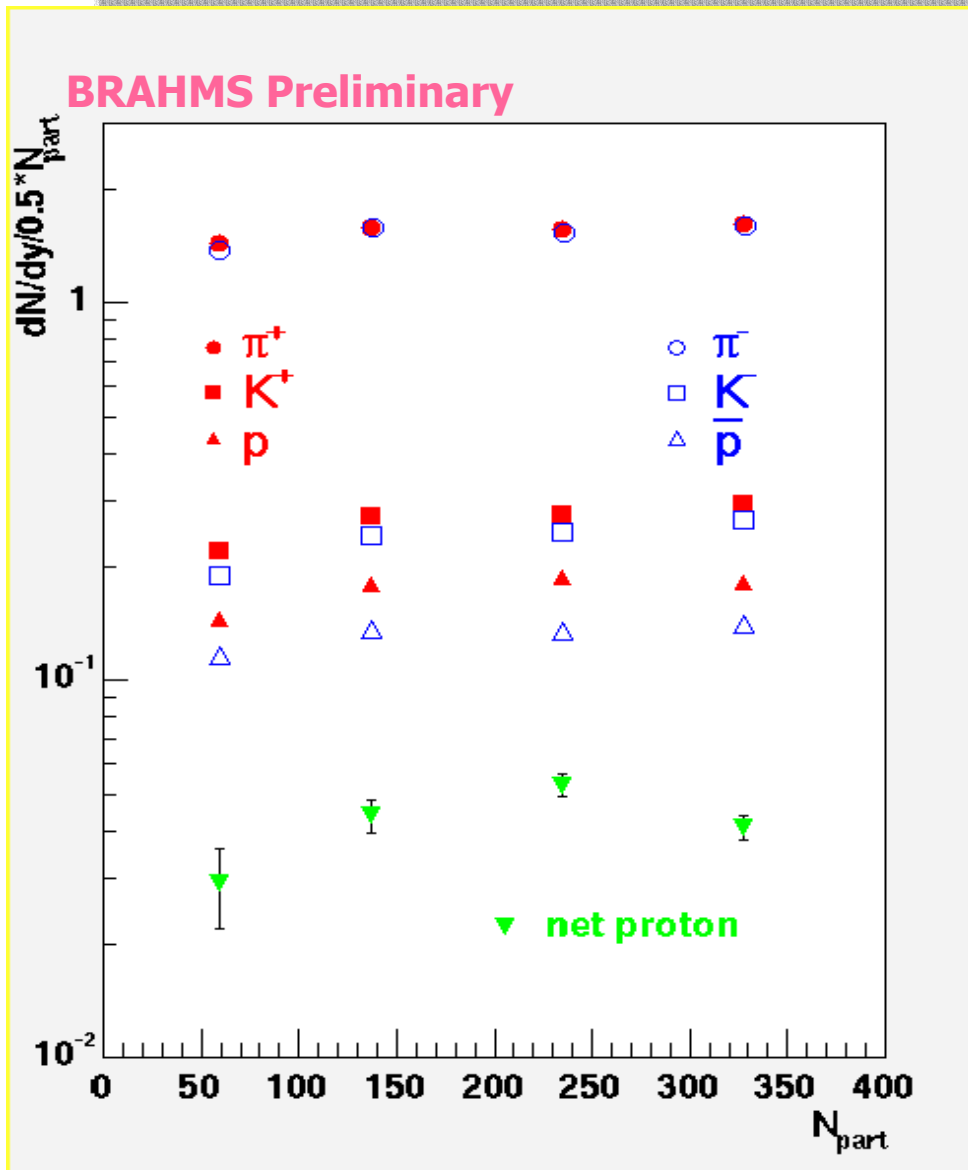


Kink in raw hadron spectra

PID overweighting

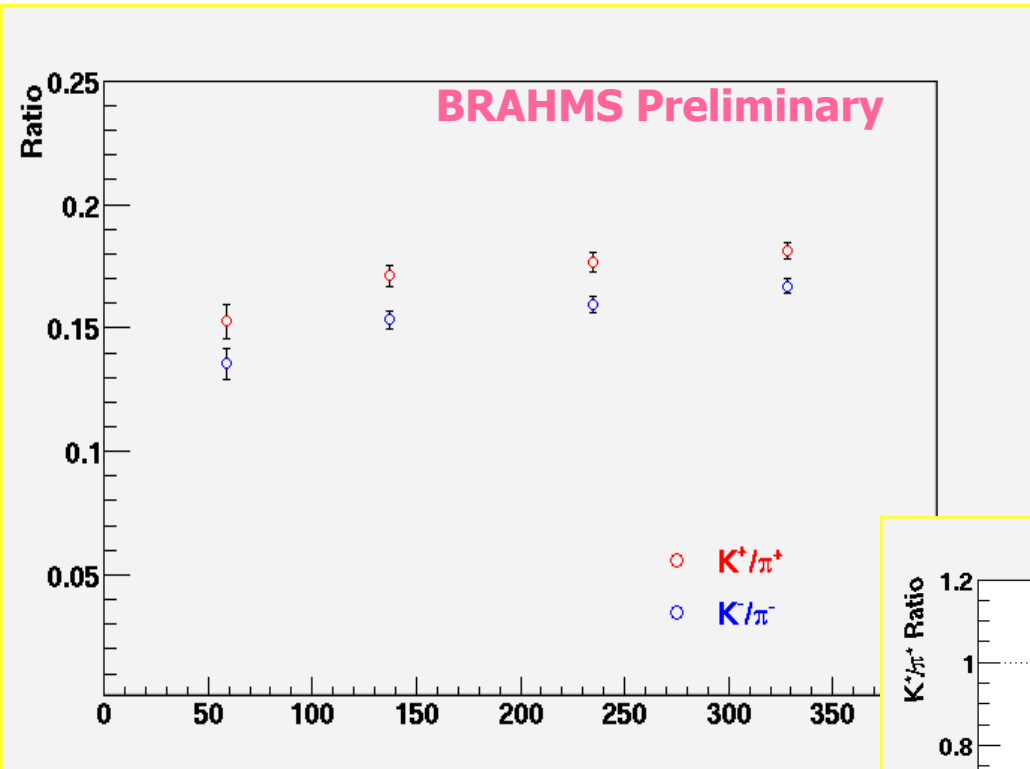
NL)

dN/dy per participant at $y=0$ $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 200$ GeV

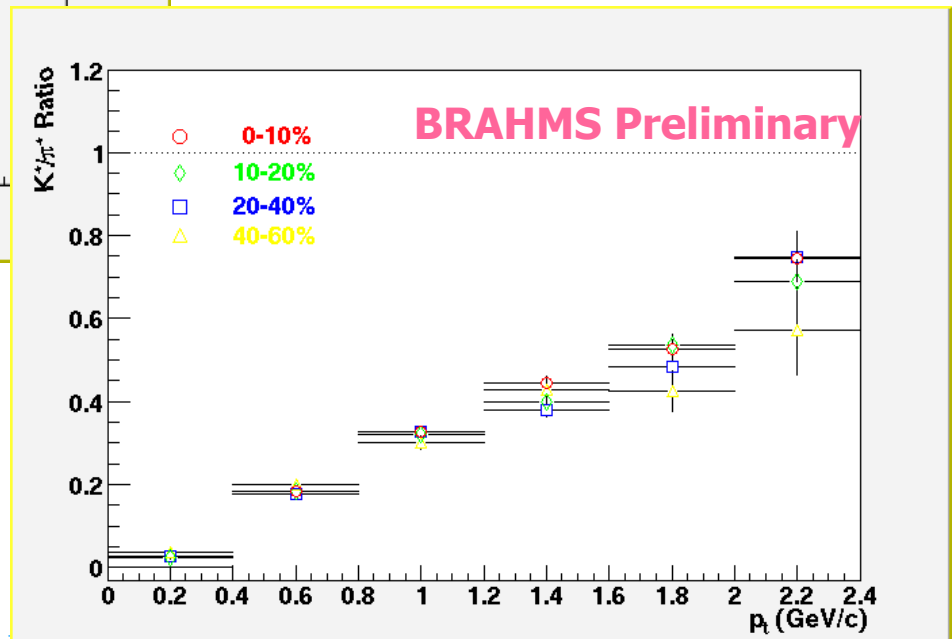


- For all the particle species, the yield per participant increase with N_{part} .
- K^\pm , p , \bar{p} yields per participant rise faster than π^\pm yield.
- Errors statistical only on plot.
- Systematic error $\sim 10-20\%$
- Dominant syst. error from N_{part} determination, and extrapolation of yields.

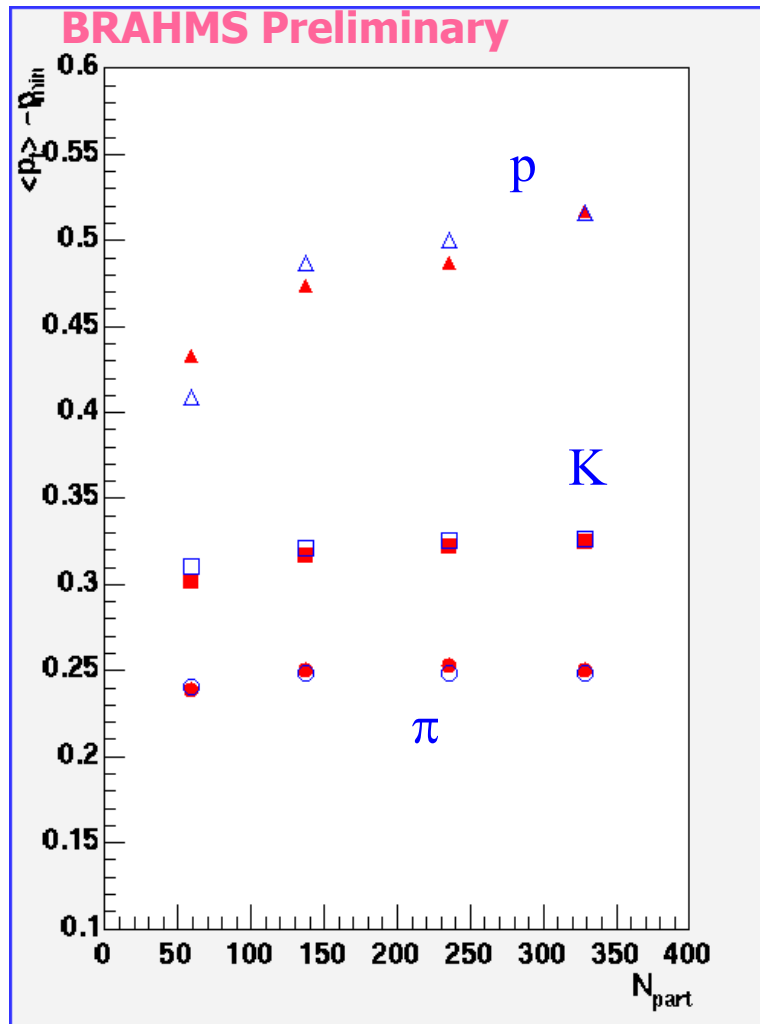
K/ π ratios at $y = 0$ $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 200$ GeV



K/ π ratios increase with p_T and centrality at $y=0$



$\langle p_T \rangle$ vs N_{part} at $y=0$



- $\langle p_T \rangle - p_{T}^{min}$
- 0.4-2.4 for pion
- 0.6-2.2 for kaon
- 0.5-3.4 for p/pbar
- $\langle p_T \rangle$ increase with $\langle N_{part} \rangle$ and mass: p and pbar increase fast with $\langle N_{part} \rangle$: consistent with radial expansion picture

MRS Analysis:

- Need some more checks.
Still some room for improvement to be finalized
 - PID cut to extend higher p (include “Hubble” effect...)
 - Finding Best Fit
 - Understanding systematics for BW fit (fitting range, equal statistical weighting, separate fit, source profile...)
 - Test one more time with acceptance from Track-by-track method (removing Vertex binning effect, fiducial cuts...)
 - Consistency with Djamel’s results
- Aiming for publication (PRC?) in a few months