

*IN-MEDIUM FORMATION OF J/ψ : PROBE
OF CHARM QUARK THERMALIZATION*

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QUARKONIUM FORMATION

MATSUI-SATZ: $R_{\text{plasma screening}} < R_{\text{quarkonium}}$: SUPPRESSION

KHARZEEV-SATZ: Ionization with deconfined gluons

NA50: Anomalous Suppression

ALTERNATIVES: Dense hadronic medium, comovers

Multiple $c\bar{c}$ pairs in high energy AA Collisions

$$N_{c\bar{c}}(b=0) \simeq 30\sigma_{c\bar{c}}^{pp} (mb)$$

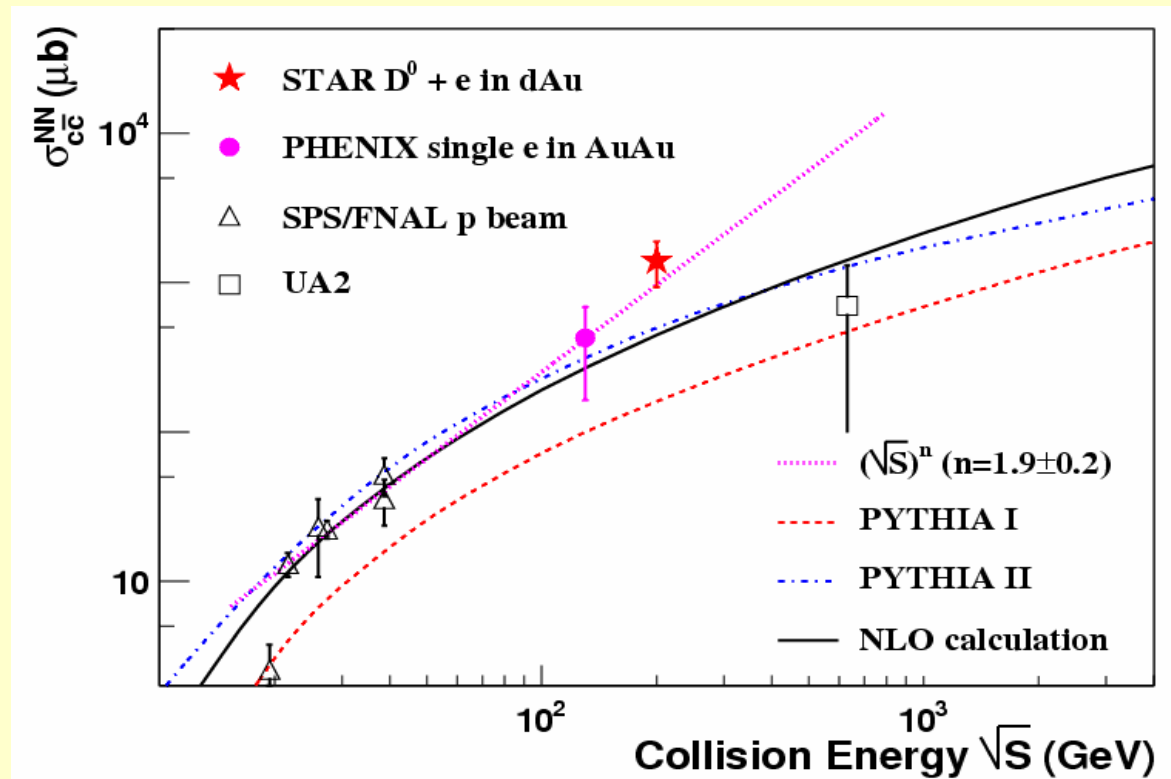
CENTRAL VALUES:

- 10-15 from extrapolation of low energy
- 20 from PHENIX electrons
- 40 from STAR electrons and $K\pi$

$709 \pm 85 \pm \frac{332}{281} \mu\text{b}$: PHENIX nucl-ex/0403057 (pp)

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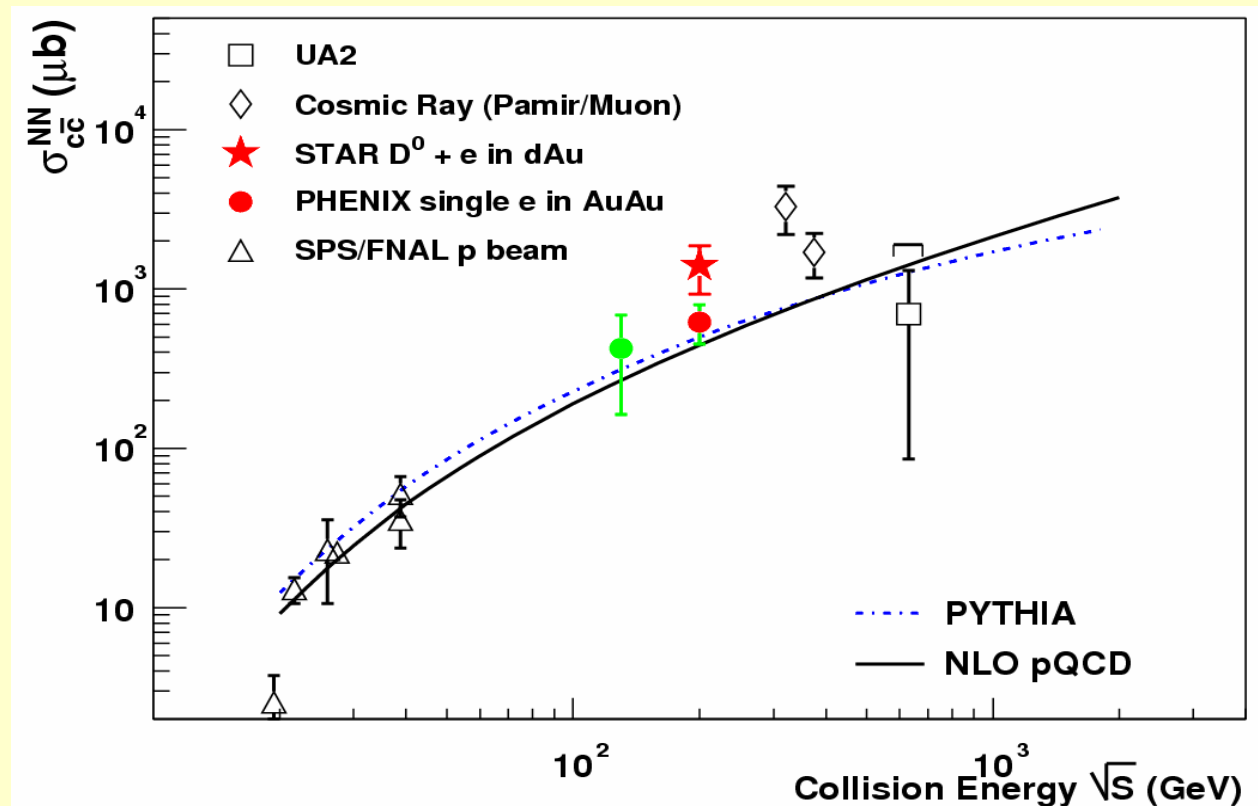
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PROBE REGION OF COLOR DECONFINEMENT WITH MULTIPLE PAIRS OF HEAVY QUARKS

Avoids Matsui-Satz Condition

Form Quarkonium directly in the Medium

Formation and Suppression Competition

Scenario supported by lattice calculations of quarkonium spectral functions

Probability for charm quark to combine with anticharm:

$$\varepsilon = N_c / N_{u,d} \propto N_{c\bar{c}} / N_{ch}$$

Since $\varepsilon \ll 1$, sum for each \bar{c} :

$$N_{quarkonium} \propto N_{c\bar{c}}^2 / N_{ch}$$

Average over fluctuations:

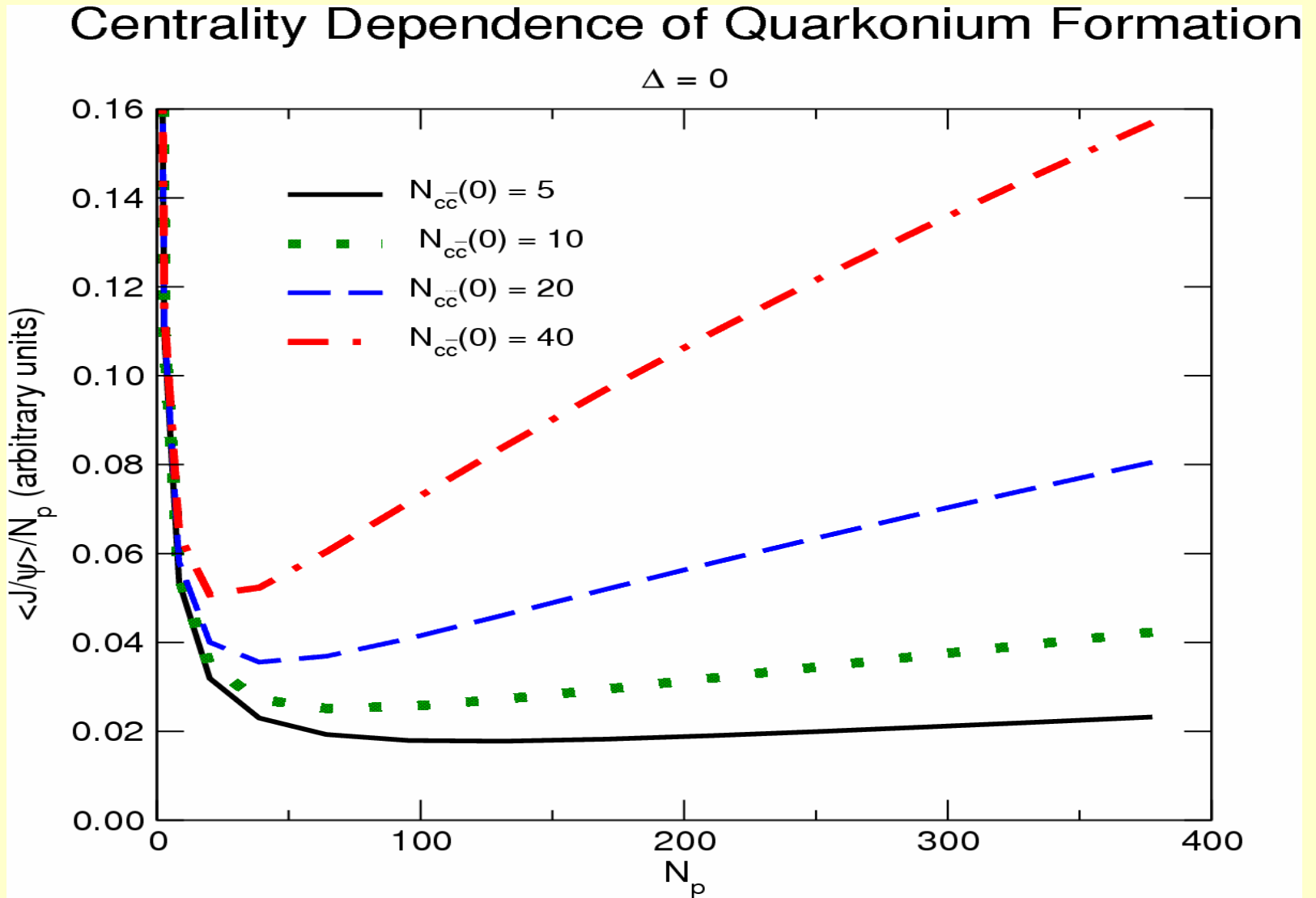
$$\langle J / \psi \rangle = \lambda \langle N_{c\bar{c}} \rangle (\langle N_{c\bar{c}} \rangle + 1) / N_{ch}$$

Centrality dependence in terms of participants N_p :

$$\text{Parameterize } N_{ch} \propto N_p^{1+\Delta},$$

$$\langle J / \psi \rangle / \langle N_{c\bar{c}}(binary) \rangle = aN_p^{\frac{1}{3}-\Delta} + bN_p^{-1-\Delta}$$

FORMATION CENTRALITY SIGNATURES



FORMATION OF QUARKONIUM IN REGION OF COLOR DECONFINEMENT

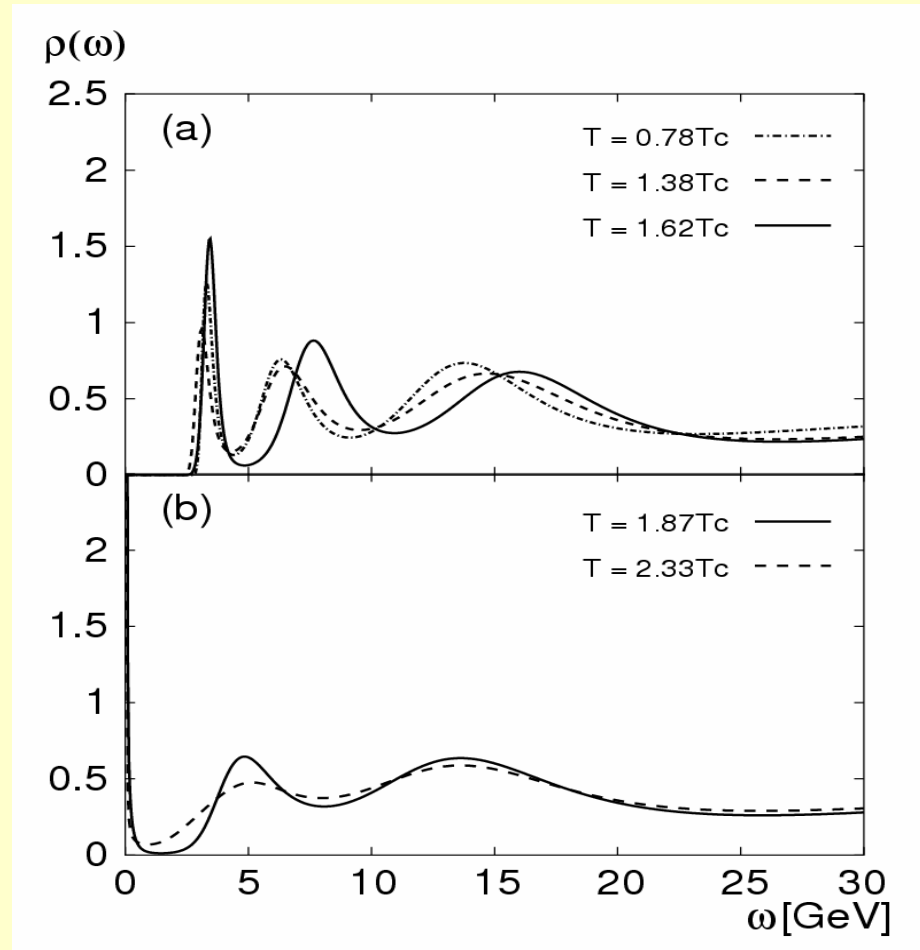
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Formation process is **Inverse** of dissociation

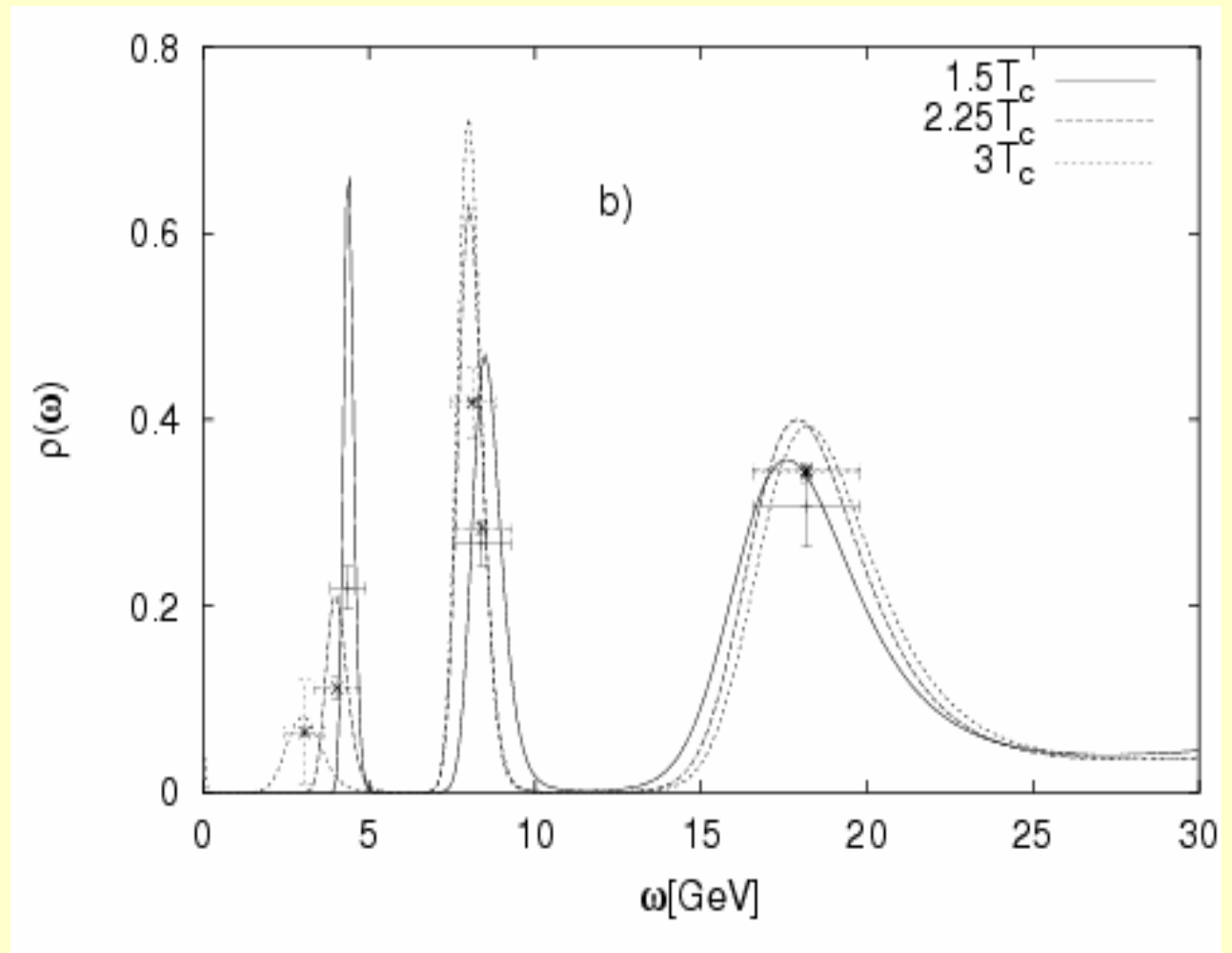
Model evolution of region with initial temperature and isentropic expansion, depends on contours of participant density

Final population determined by competition between formation and dissociation rates

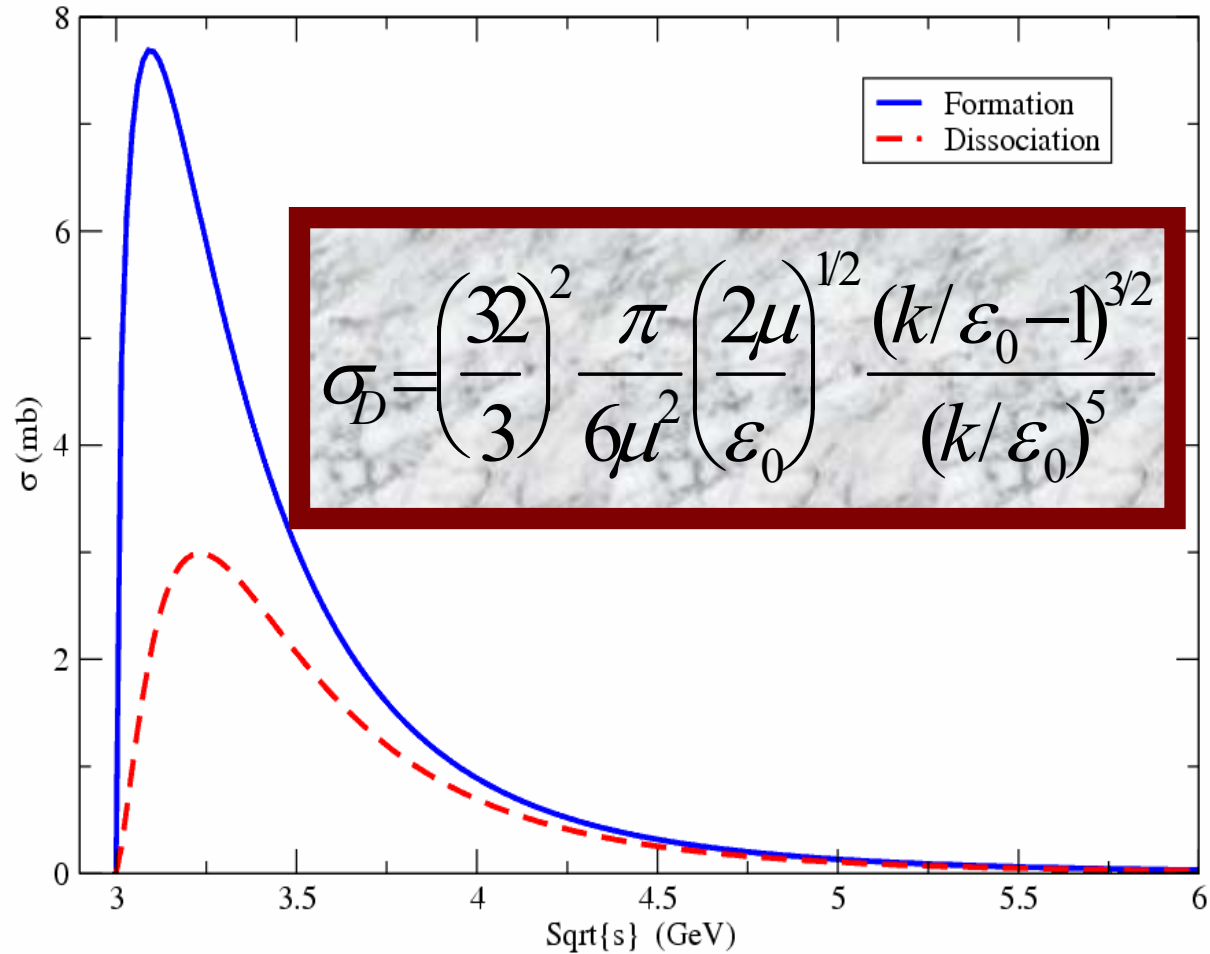
M. Asakawa and T. Hatsuda, Phys. Rev. Lett: 012001 (2004)



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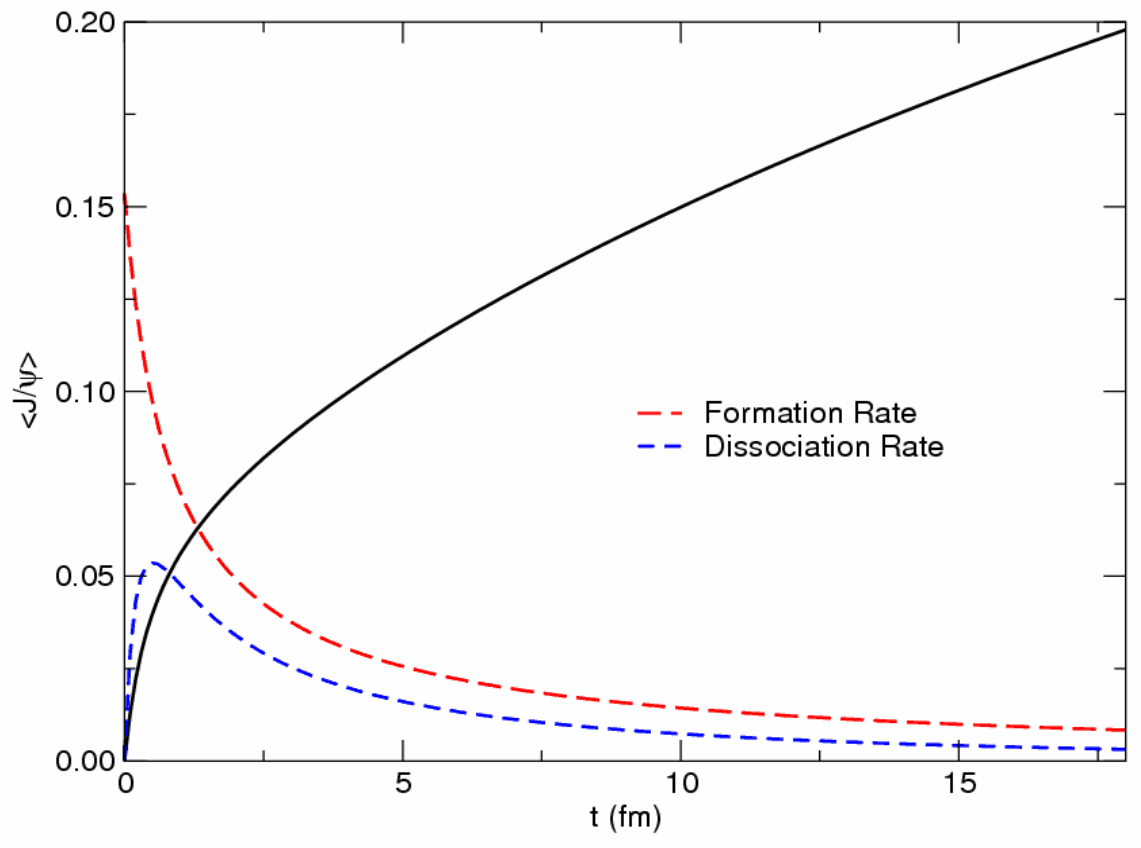


OPE Cross Sections $g + J/\psi \leftrightarrow c + \bar{c}$



$$\frac{dN_{J/\psi}}{d\tau} = \langle v\sigma_F \rangle \rho_c N_c - \langle v\sigma_D \rangle \rho_g N_{J/\psi}$$

Evolution of Charmonium Formation and Dissociation Rates



*J/Psi yield is Quadratic
in Total Charm*

$$N_{J/\psi}(\tau_f) = \varepsilon(\tau_f) \times N_{cc}^2 \int_{\tau_0}^{\tau_f} \lambda_F [V(\tau) \varepsilon(\tau)]^1 d\tau$$

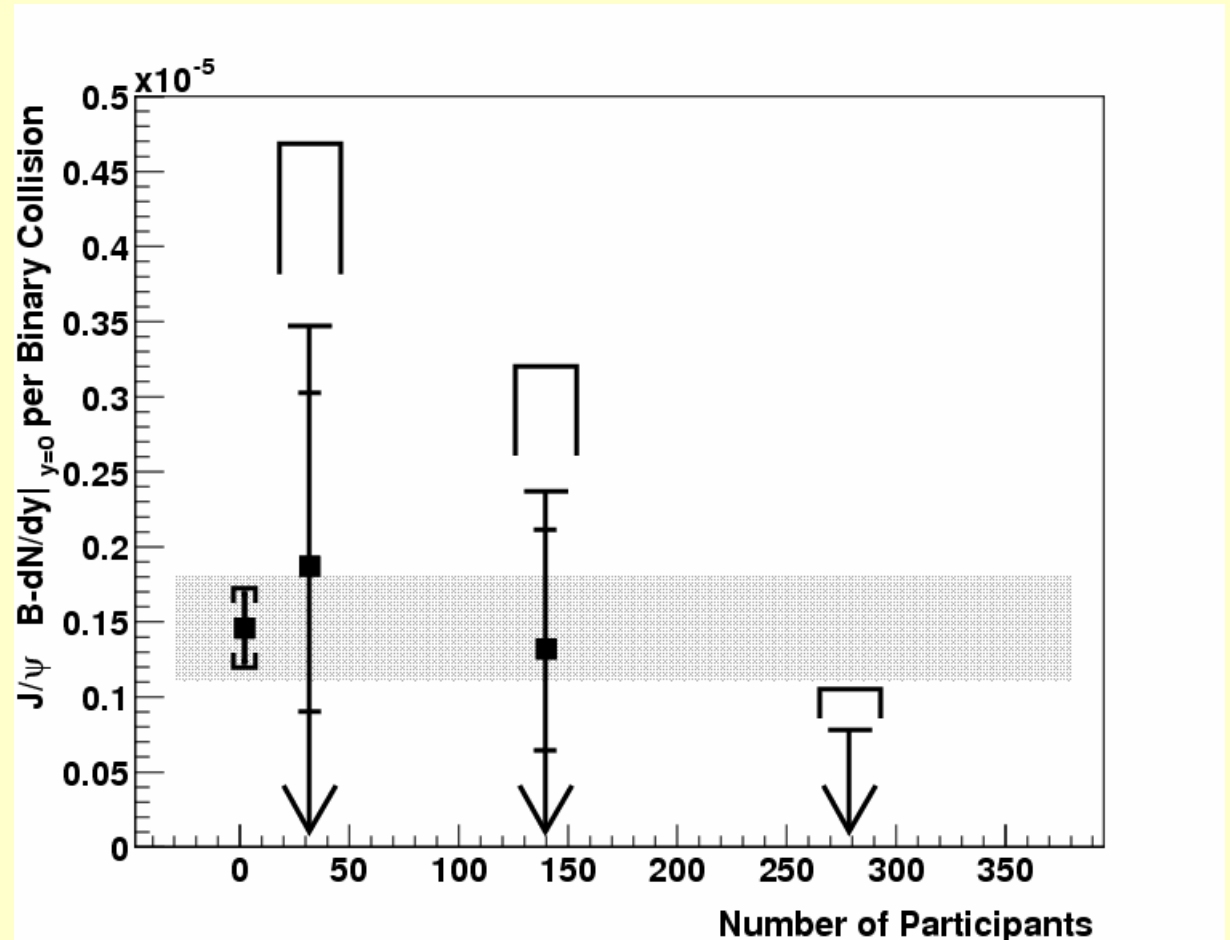
$$\varepsilon(\tau) = \exp\left[-\int_{\tau_0}^{\tau} \lambda_D \rho_g d\tau\right]$$

COMPARISON WITH INITIAL PHENIX DATA AT RHIC 200

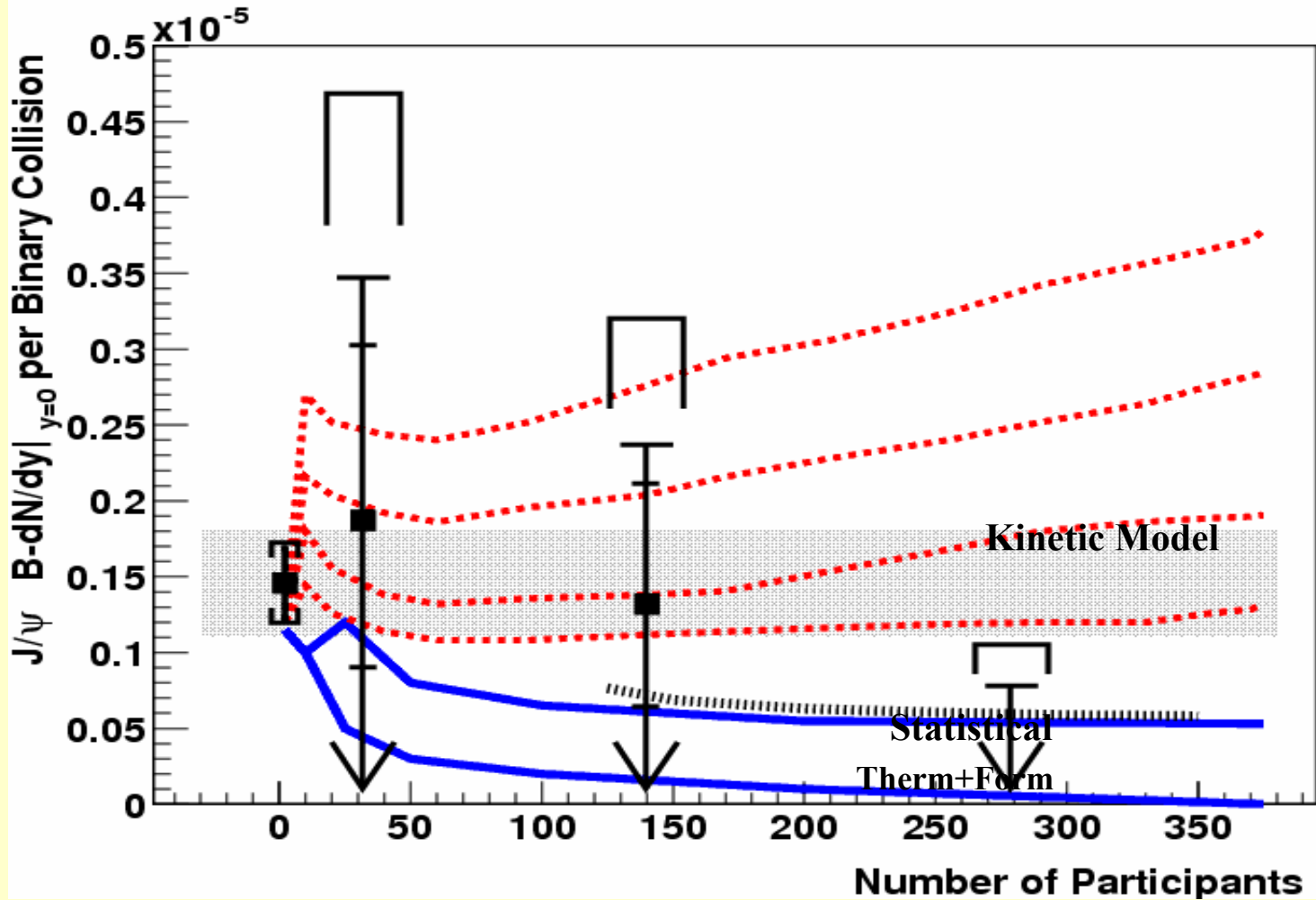
Rates very sensitive to quark momentum distribution

Centrality signature varies with magnitude of N_{cc}

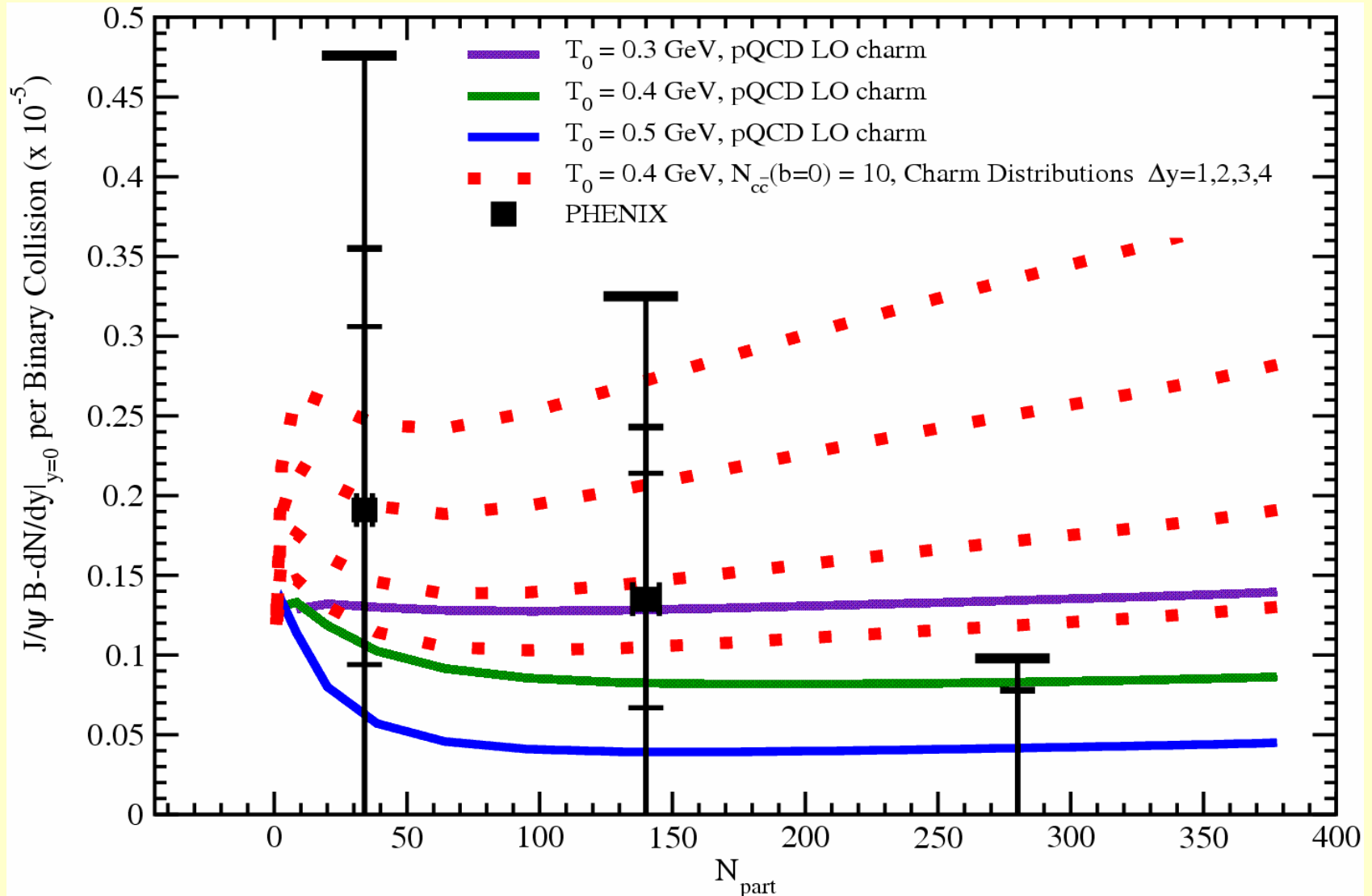
PHENIX – Phys. Rev. C69, 014901 (2004)

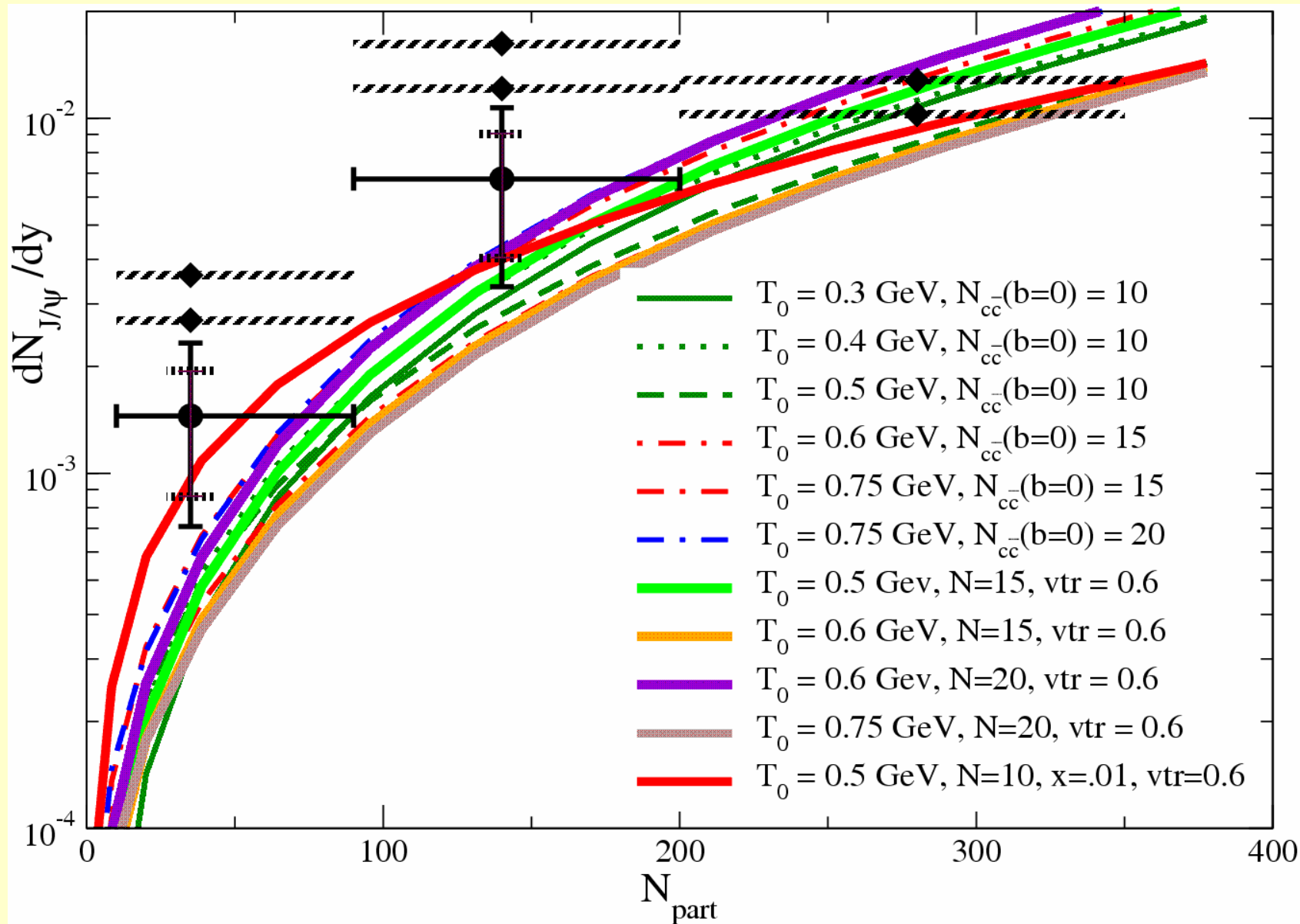


Model predictions very sensitive to N_{cc} and distribution



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DO THE Y AND P_T SPECTRA PROVIDE A QUARK THERMALIZATION SIGNATURE?

M. Mangano and R. L. Thews: nucl-th/0505055

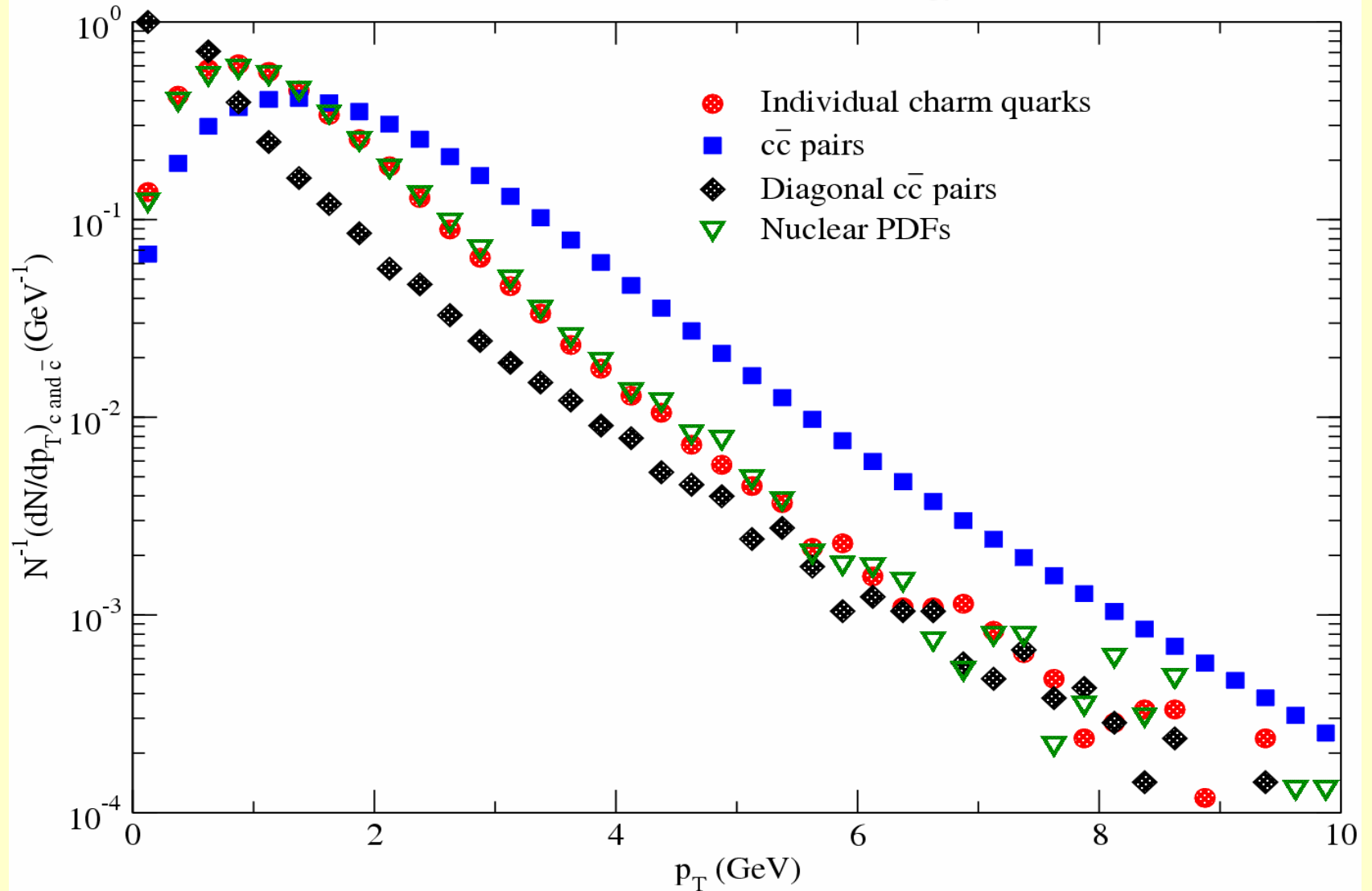
1. Generate sample of $c\bar{c}$ pairs from NLO pQCD (smear LO q_t)
2. Supplement with k_t to simulate initial state and confinement effects
3. Integrate formation rate using these events to define particle distributions (no c quark-medium interaction)
4. Repeat with c quark thermal+flow distribution (maximal c quark-medium interaction)

$$\frac{dN_{J/\psi}}{d^3p_{J/\psi}} = \int \frac{dt}{V(t)} \sum_{i=1}^{N_{\bar{c}}} \sum_{j=1}^{N_{\bar{c}}} v_{rel} \frac{d\sigma(p_i + p_j \rightarrow p_{J/\psi} + X)}{d^3p_{J/\psi}}$$

- All combinations of c and cbar contribute
- Total has expected $(N_{ccbar})^2 / V$ behavior
- Prefactor is integrated flux per ccbar pair

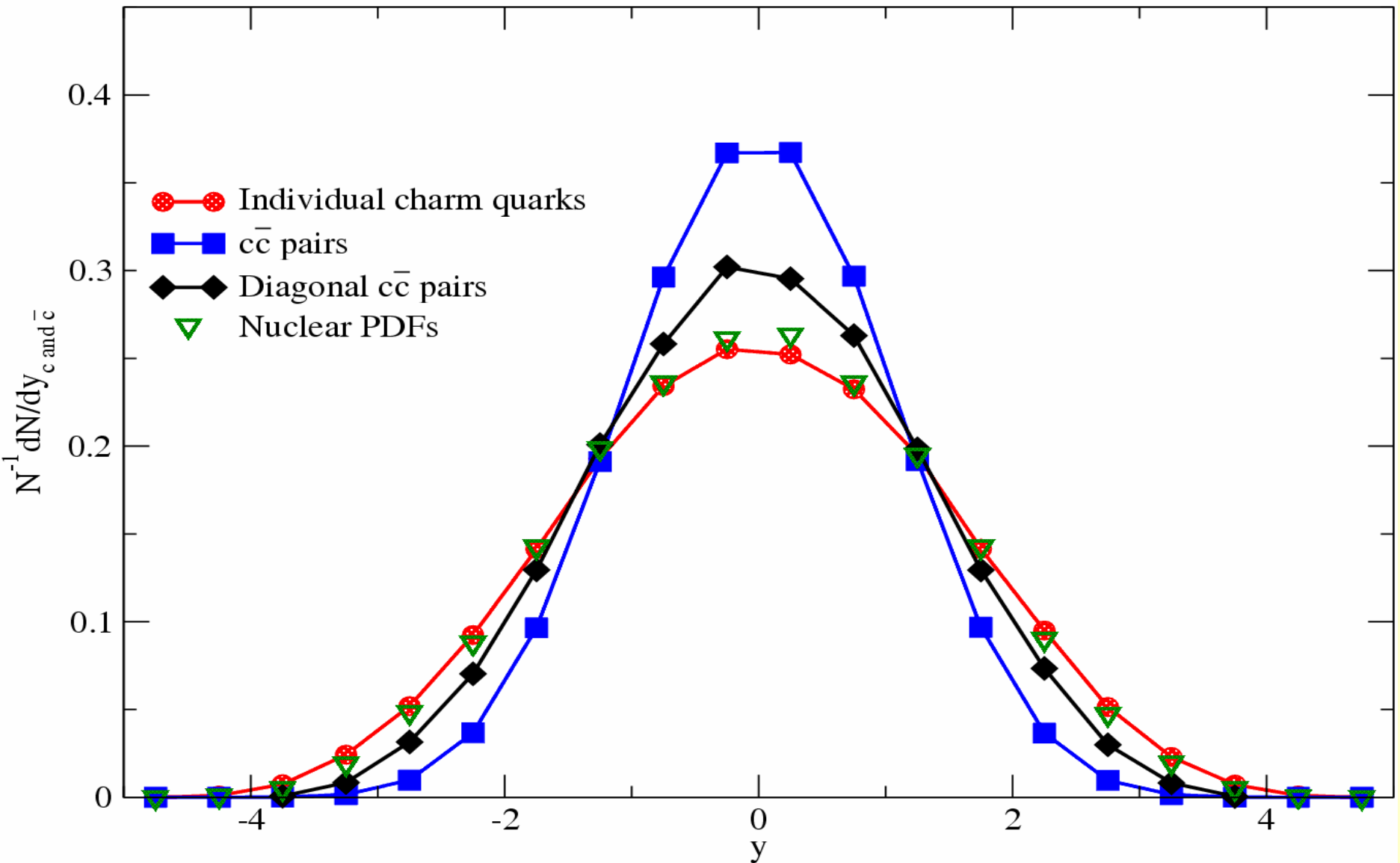
Charm Quark p_T Distributions

NLO pQCD at RHIC200 Energy



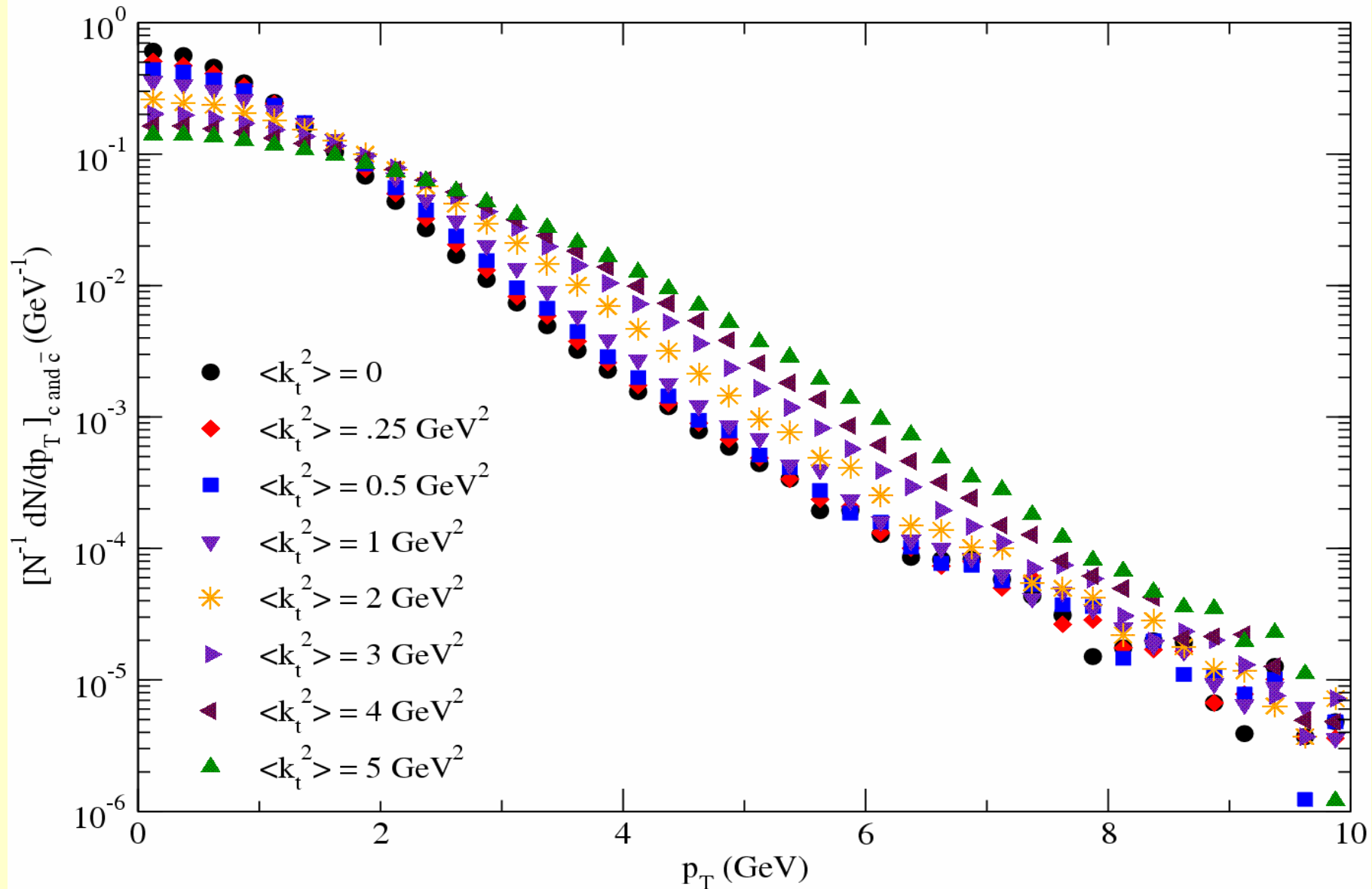
Charm Quark y Distributions

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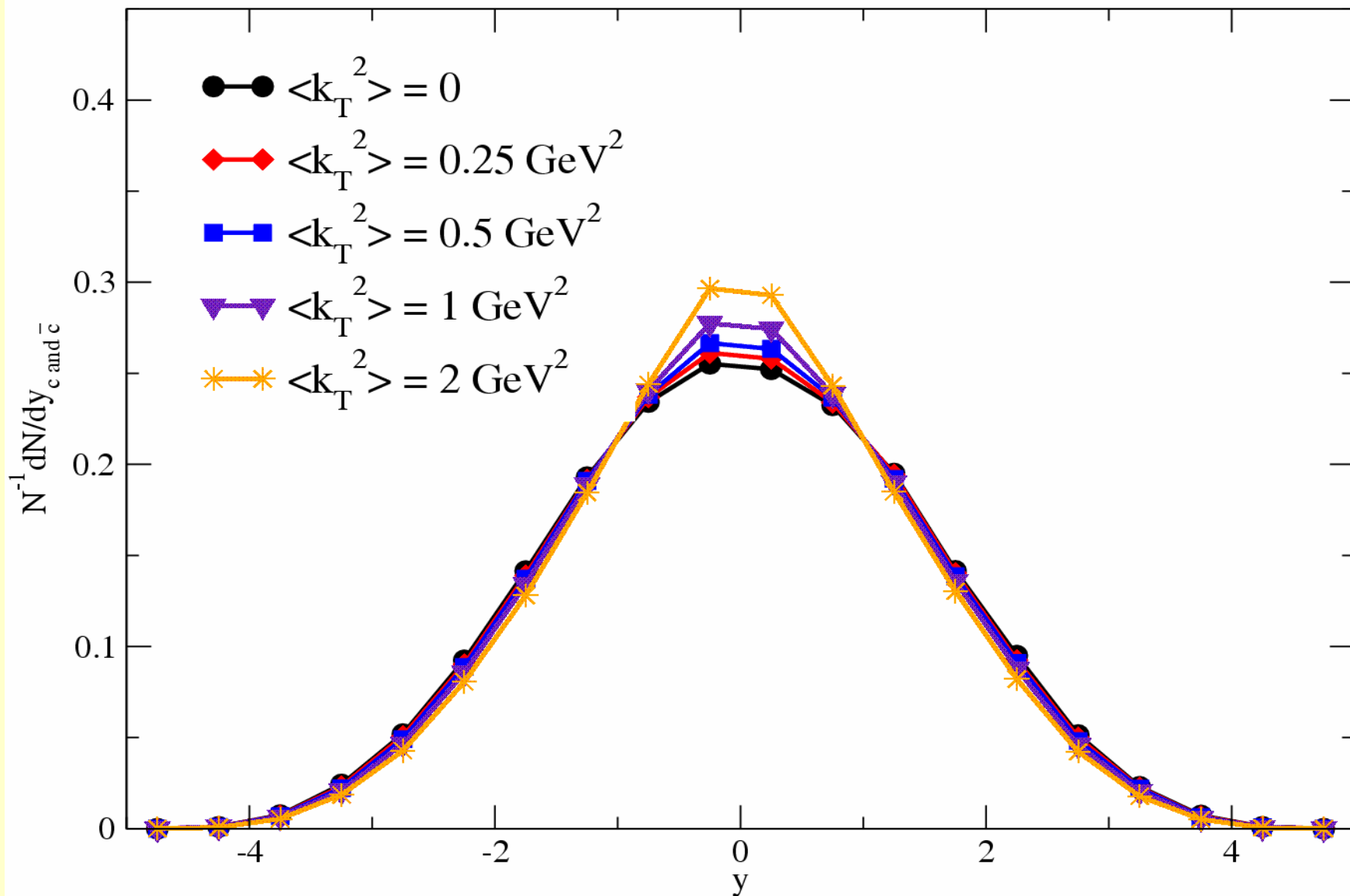
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Variation with intrinsic $\langle k_T^2 \rangle$, NLO pQCD, RHIC200 energy



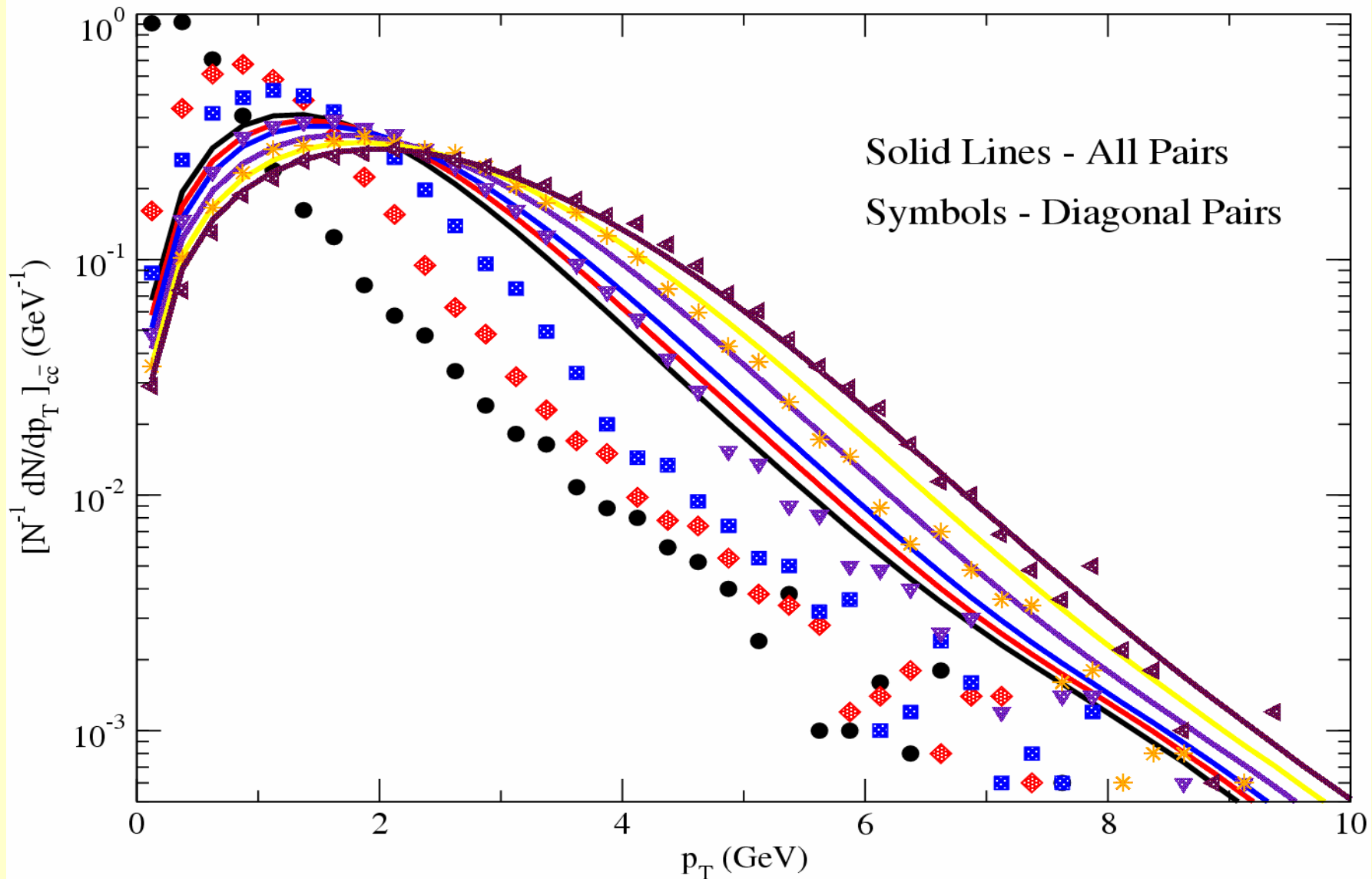
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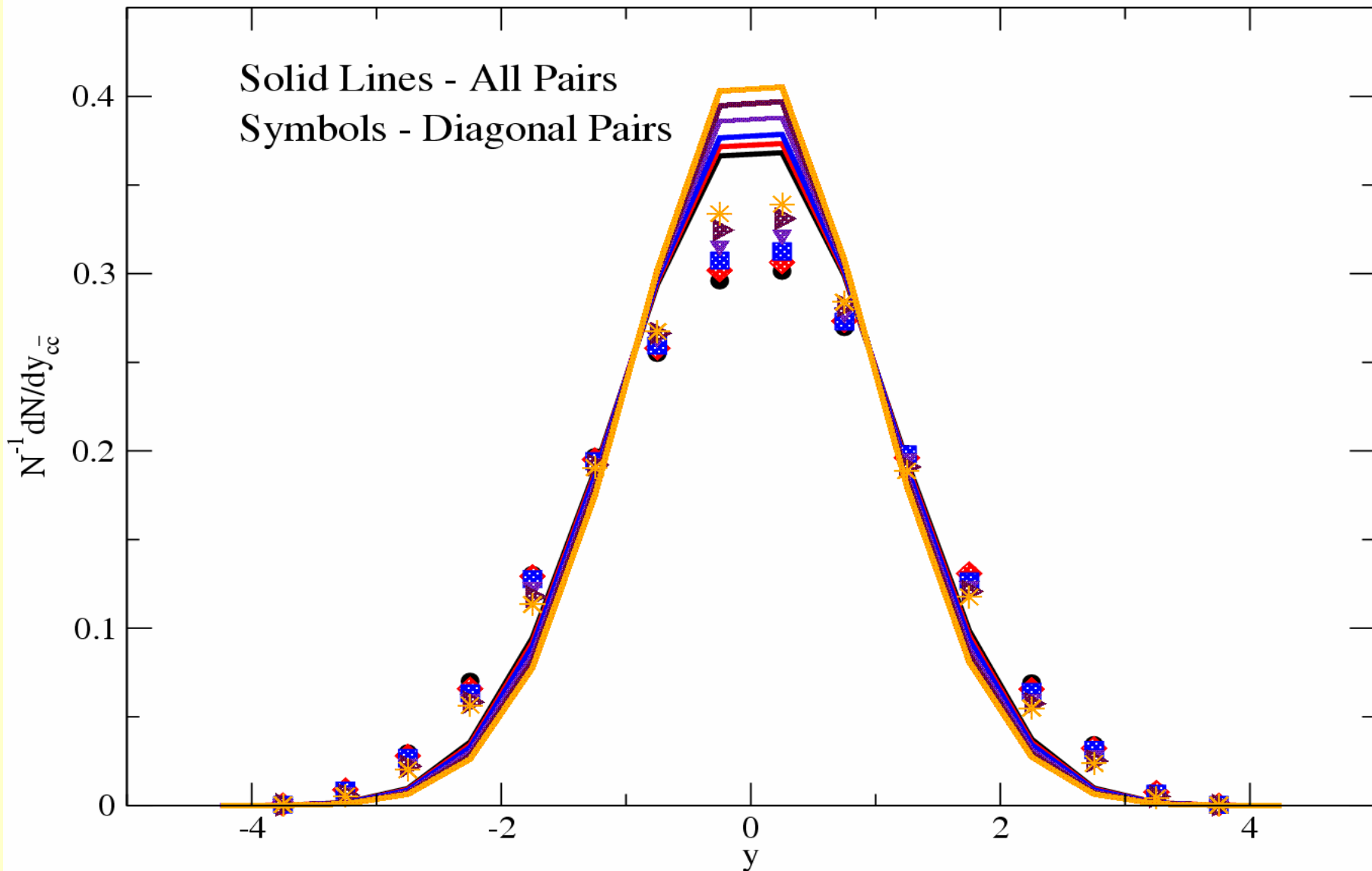
$c\bar{c}$ Pair p_T Distributions

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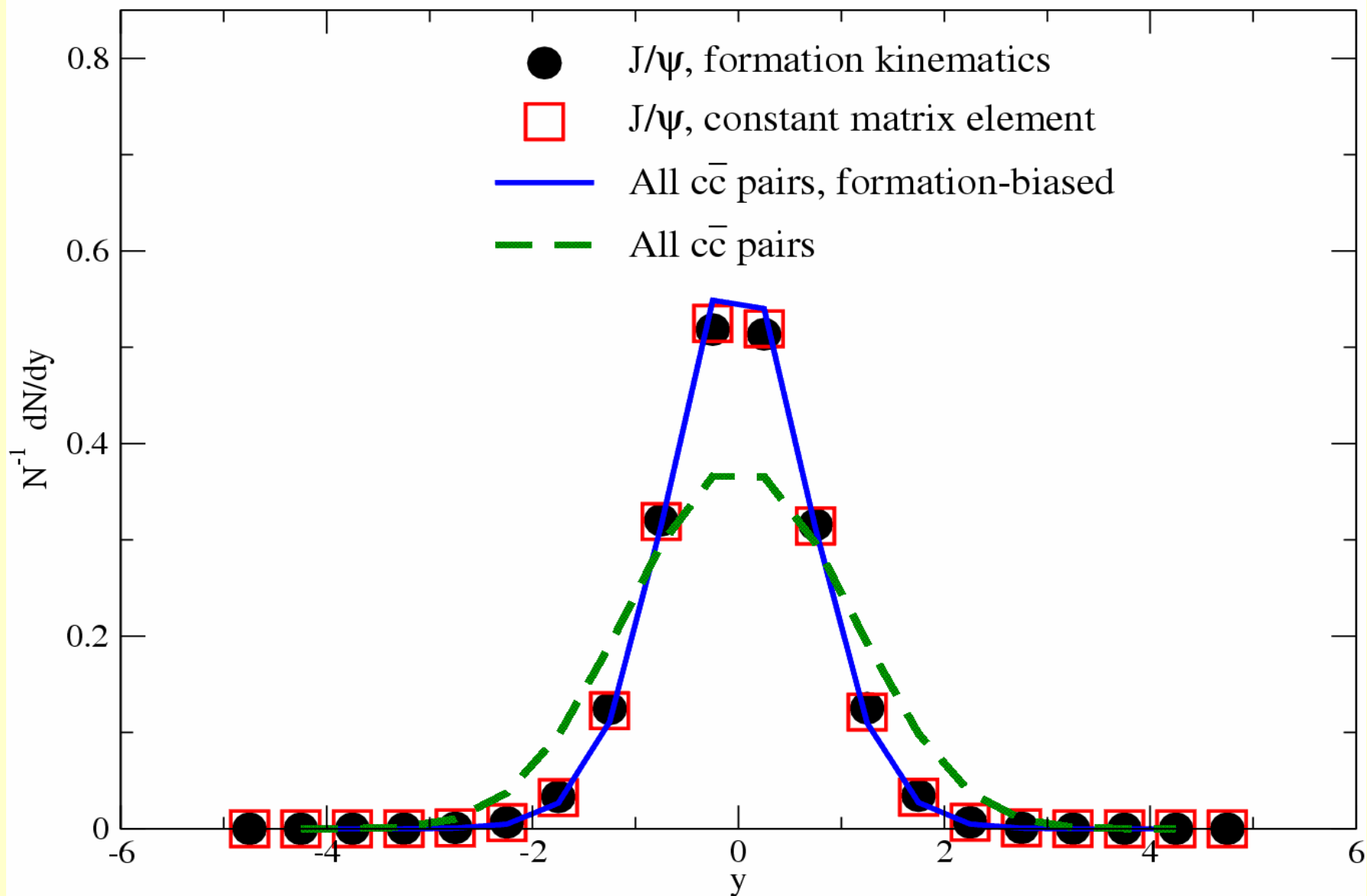


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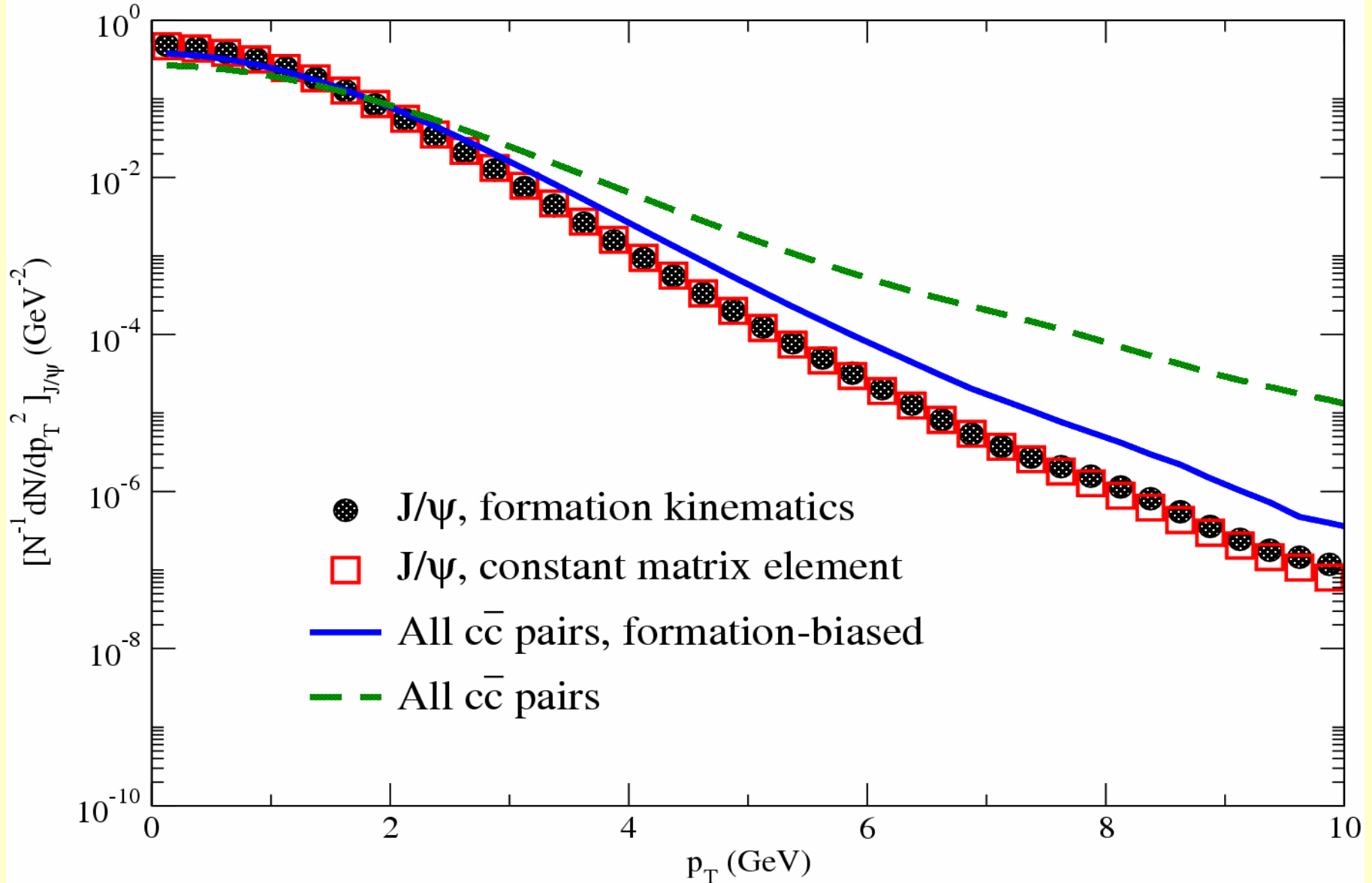


Rapidity Spectra Comparison, RHIC energy



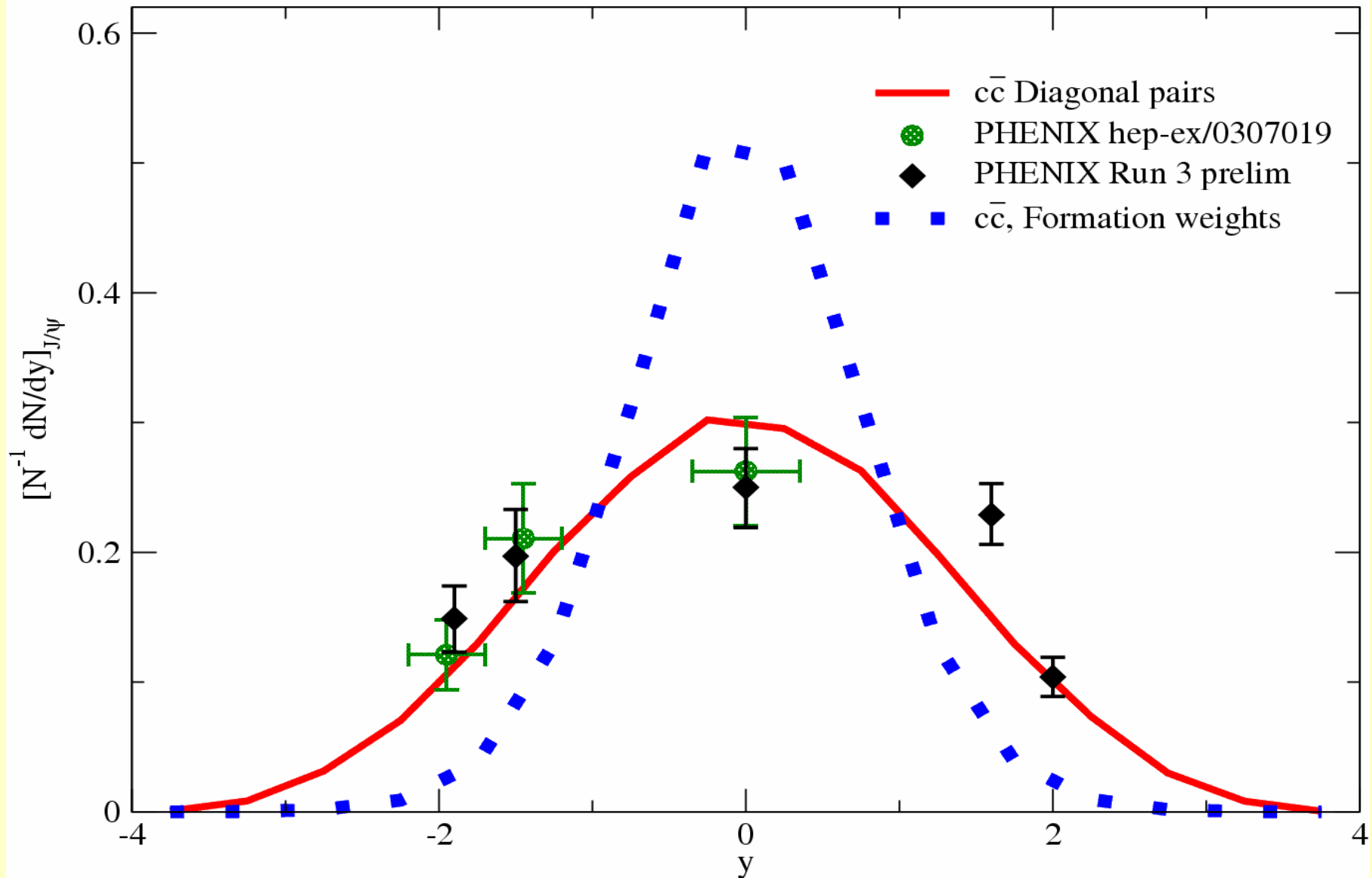
p_T Distribution Comparison, RHIC energy

$$\langle k_t^2 \rangle = 0, \text{ all } y$$



Rapidity Spectra for $pp \rightarrow J/\psi$

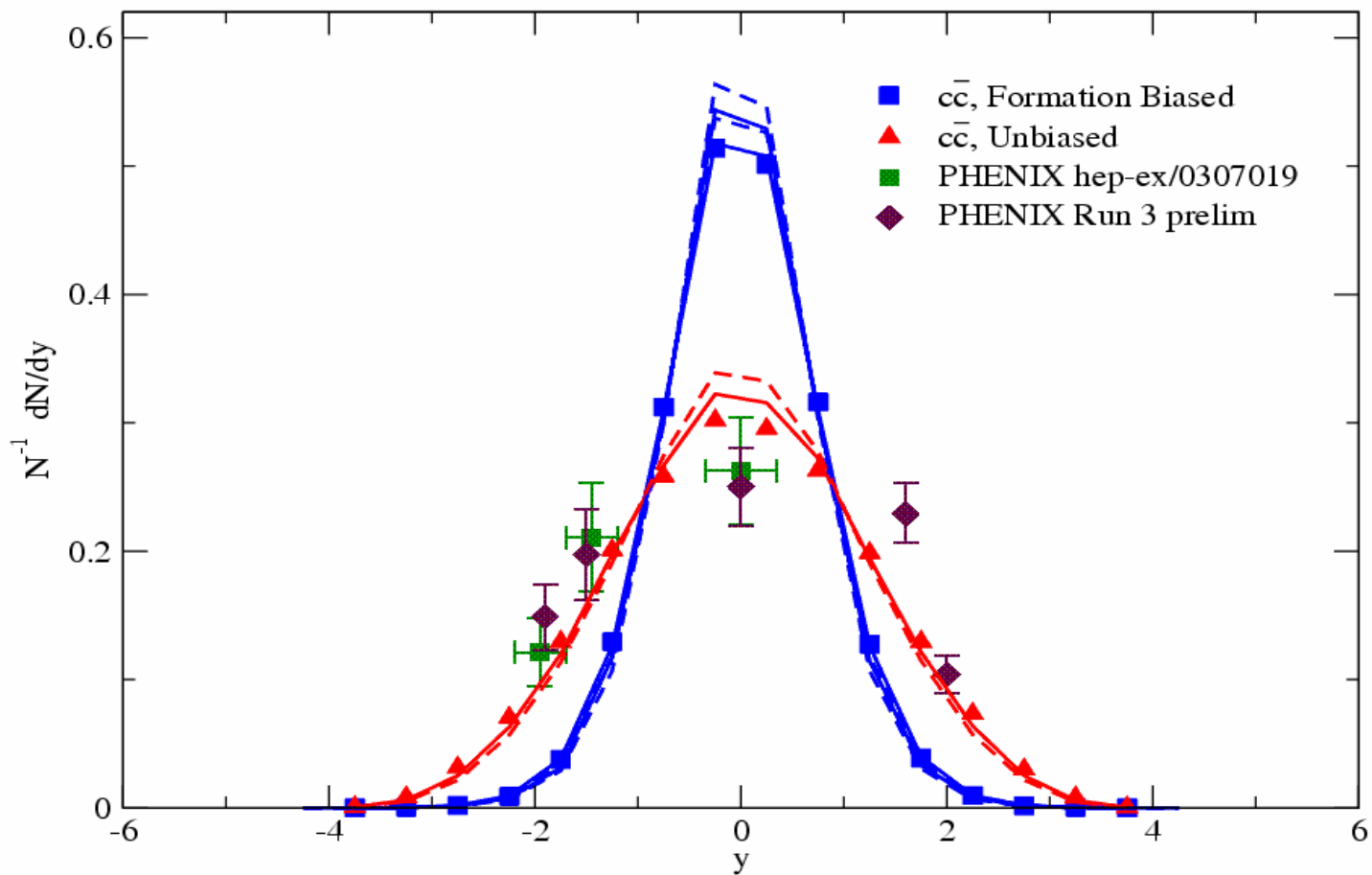
Comparison with $c\bar{c}$ diagonal pairs



p-p data “select” unbiased diagonal c-cbar pairs

J/ ψ Formation in pp Interactions at RHIC200

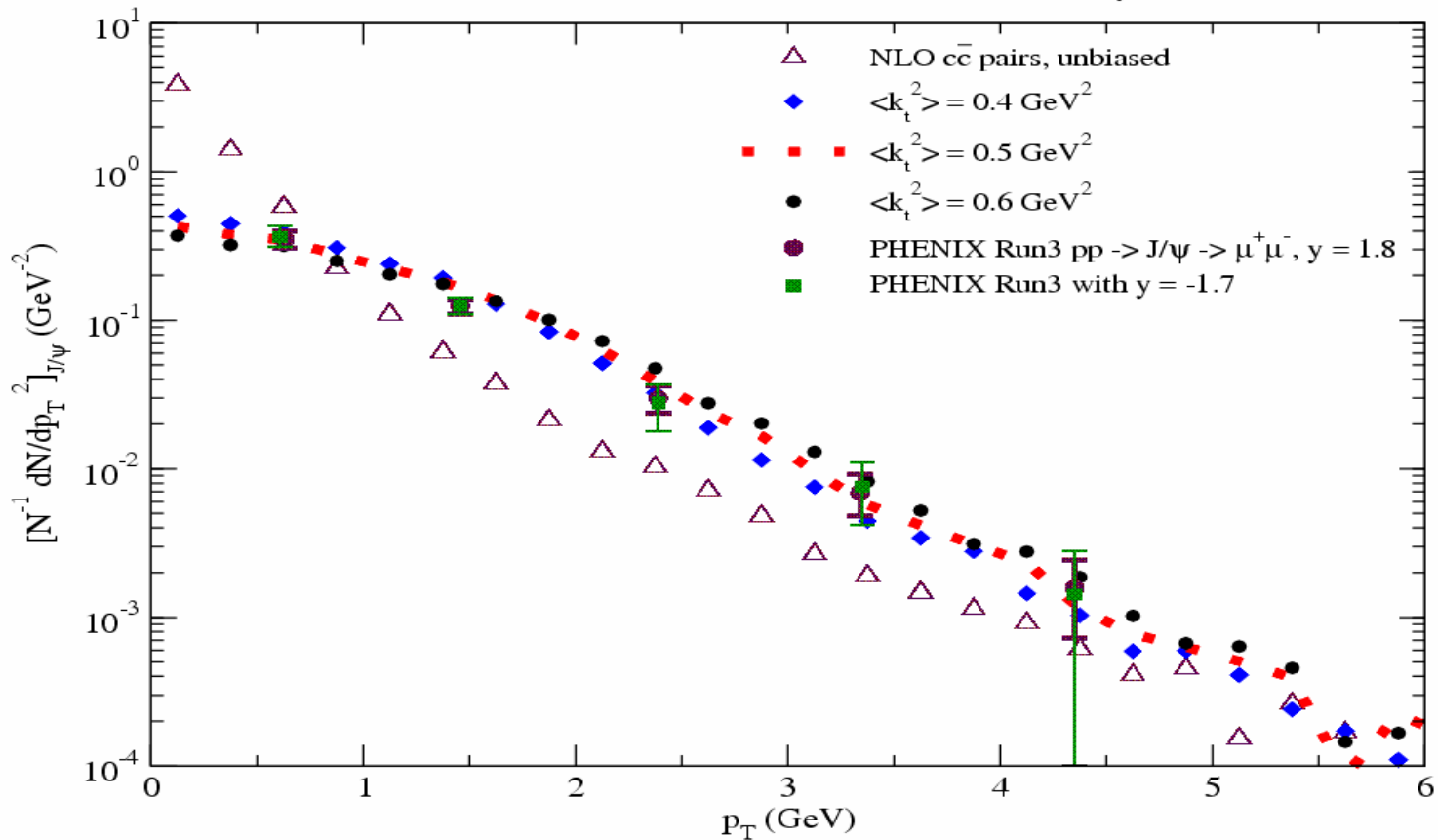
84K NLO diagonal $c\bar{c}$ pairs, variable k_t broadening



p-p data determine intrinsic k_t

$$\langle k_t^2 \rangle_{c\text{-quarks}} = 0.5 \pm 0.1 \text{ GeV}^2$$

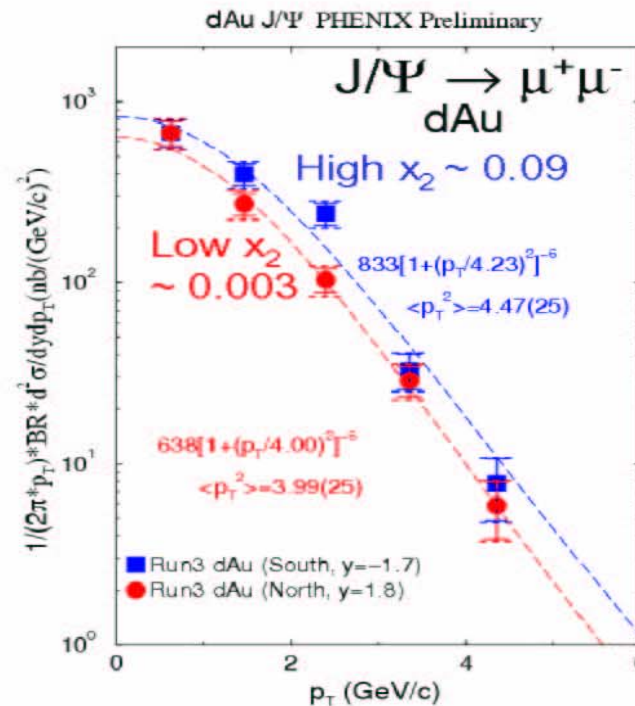
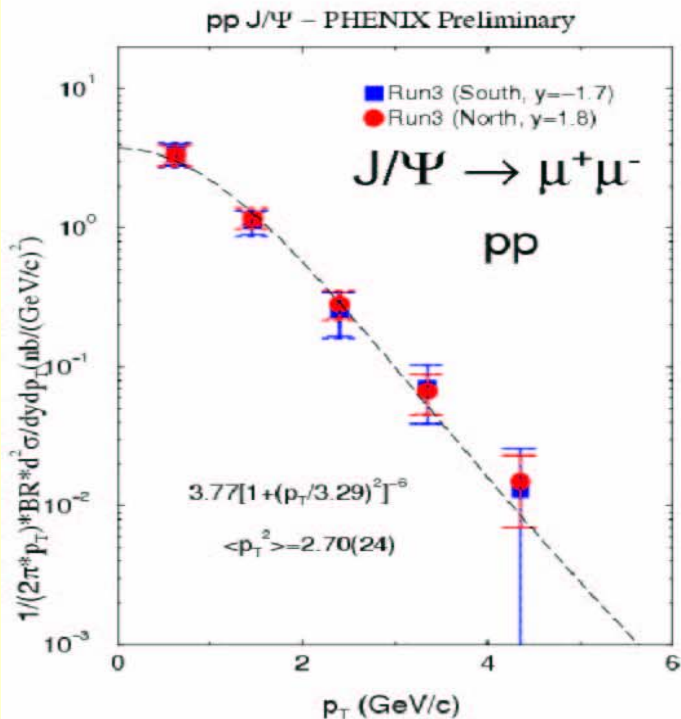
J/ψ Formation in pp Interactions at RHIC200
1.2 < y < 2.4, 84K NLO diagonal c \bar{c} pairs, Sensitivity to k_t broadening



Use dAu broadening to determine nuclear k_t

$$\Rightarrow \langle k_t^2 \rangle_{AA} = 1.3 \pm 0.3 \text{ GeV}^2$$

Cross section versus p_T



$$\Delta \langle p_T^2 \rangle =$$

$$\langle p_T^2 \rangle_{\text{dAu}} - \langle p_T^2 \rangle_{\text{pp}}$$

$$1.77 \pm 0.35 \text{ GeV}^2$$

$$1.29 \pm 0.35 \text{ GeV}^2$$

(preliminary)

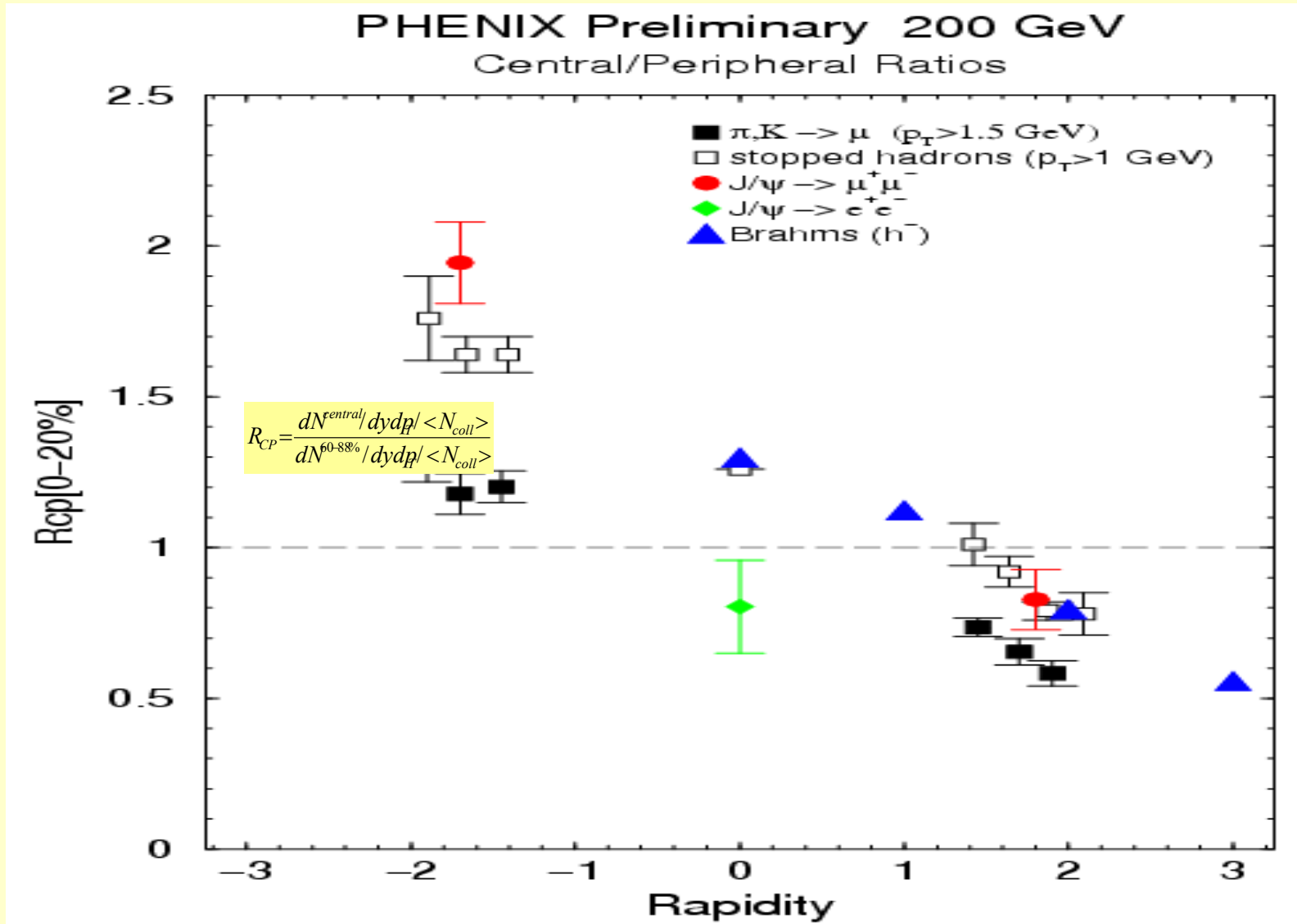
p_T is broadened for dAu

S. Gavin and M. Gyulassy, Phys. Lett. B214 (1988)

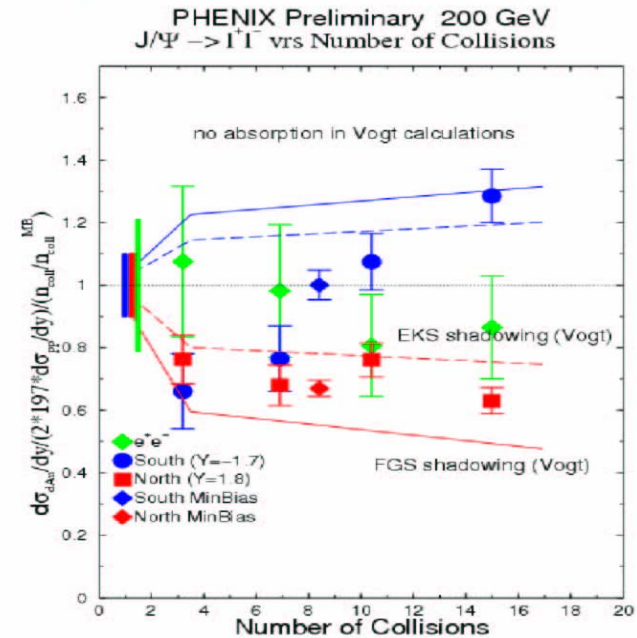
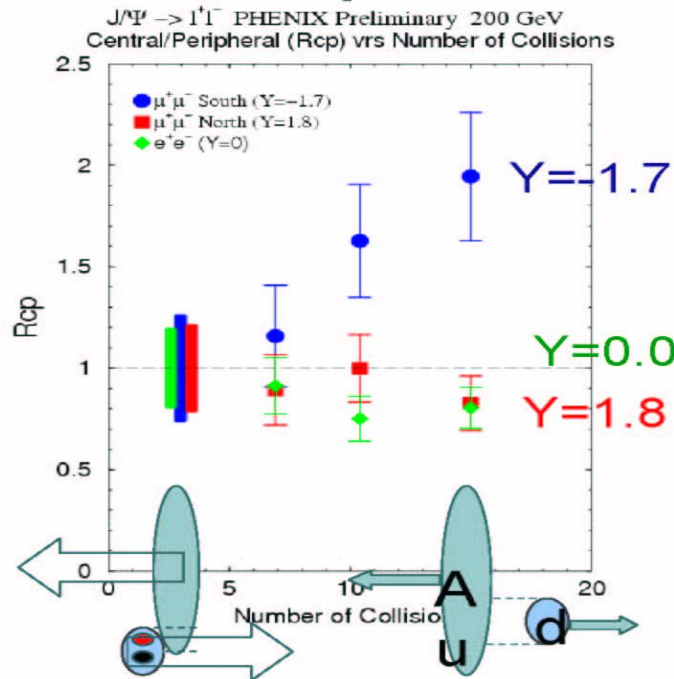
$$\langle p_T^2 \rangle_{AB} = \langle p_T^2 \rangle_{pp} + \lambda^2 \{ \bar{n}_A + \bar{n}_B - 2 \}$$

Nuclear broadening from Initial state parton scattering, extract $\lambda^2 = 0.35 \pm 0.14 \text{ GeV}^2$ for Au-Au at RHIC, compare with $0.12 \pm 0.02 \text{ GeV}^2$ at fixed-target energy

P. Steinberg, Hot Quark 2004 Workshop, July 2004



Rcp and RdAu

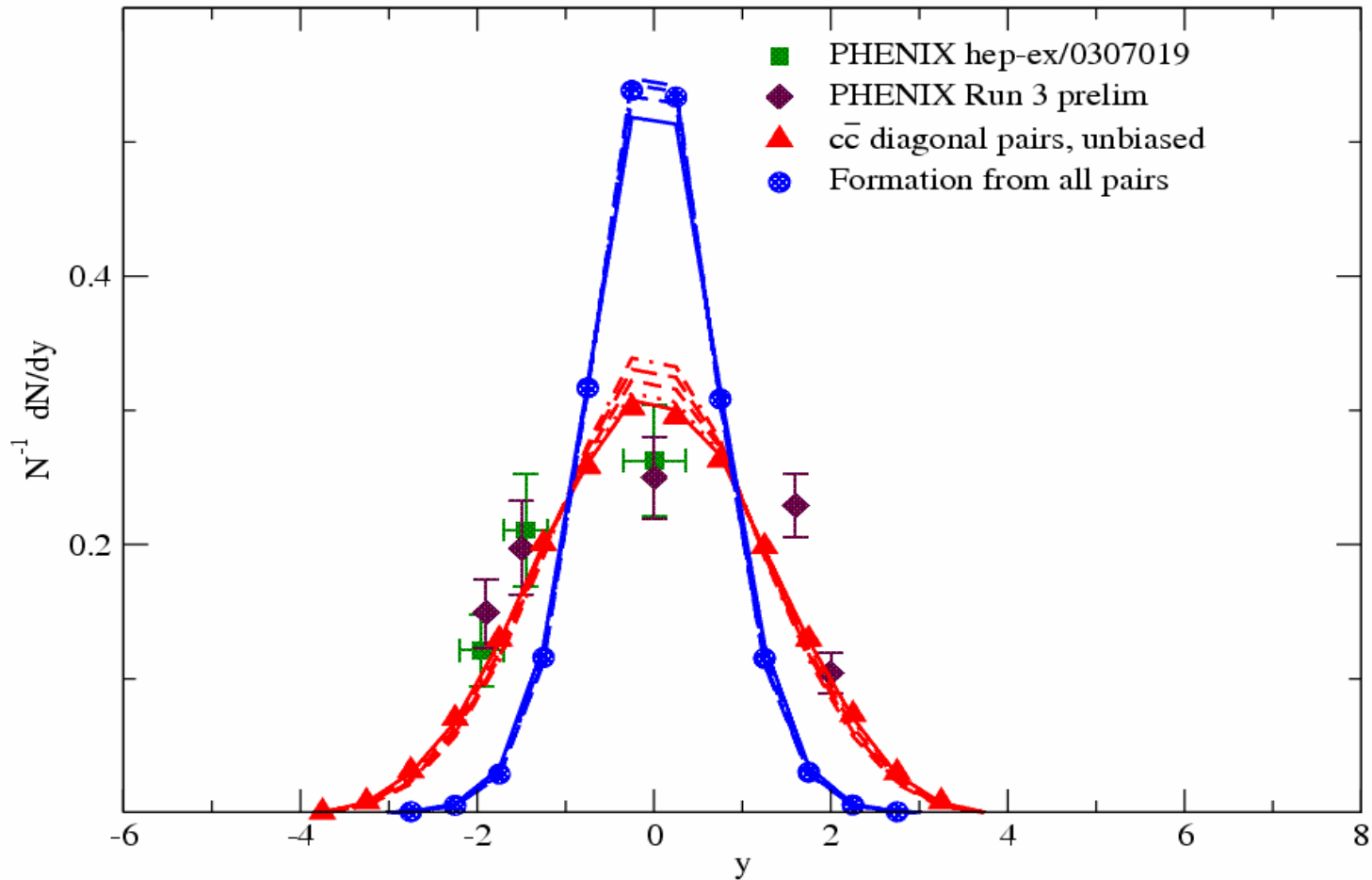


- RdA: average over centrality consistent with minimum bias result.
- Weak nuclear effects at forward rapidities (green points at midrapidity)
- Stronger centrality dependence at backward rapidities

Formation through “off-diagonal” pairs narrows rapidity distribution

J/ ψ Formation in AA Interactions at RHIC200

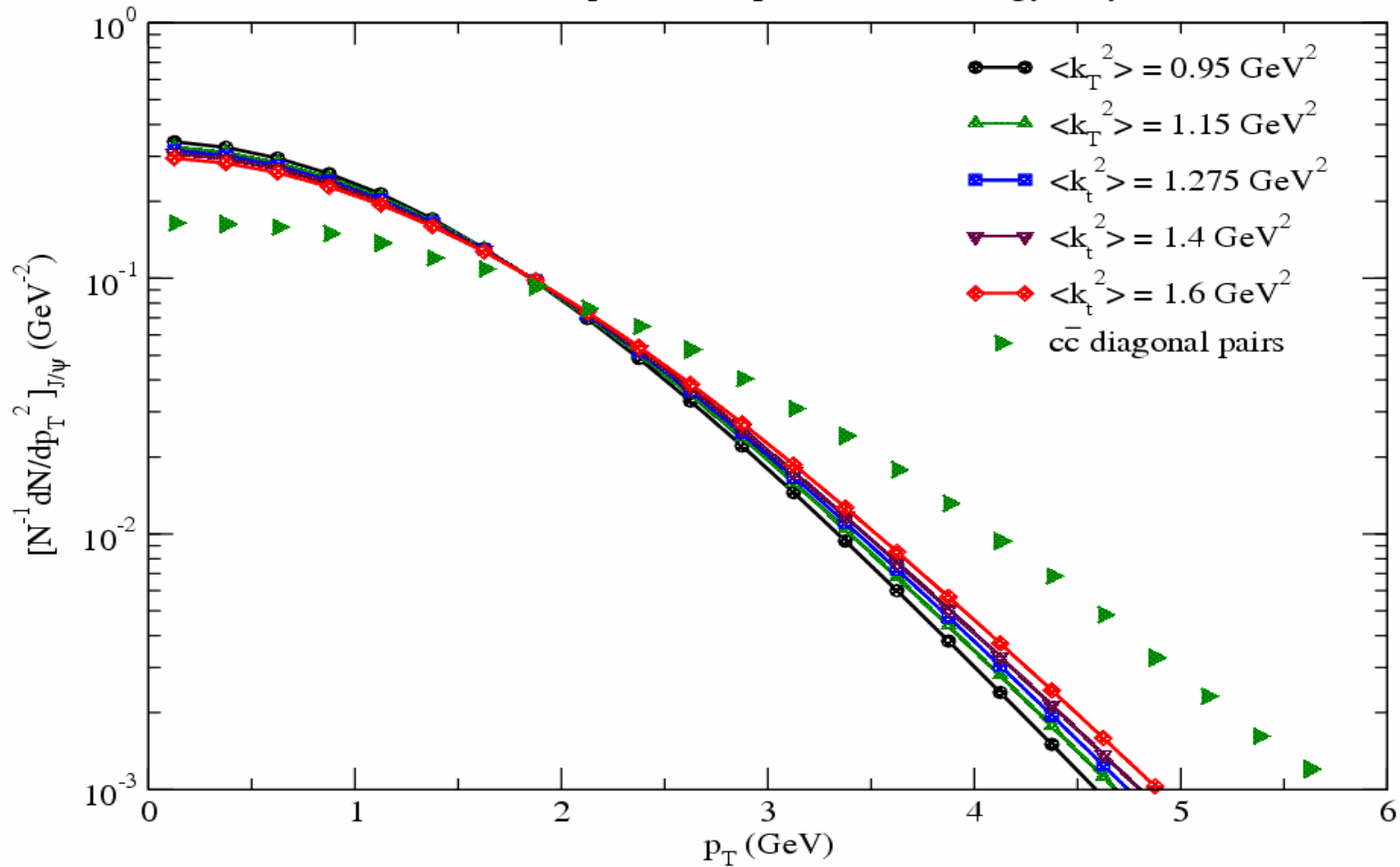
Normalized Rapidity Distributions, $10^4 \times 10^4$ NLO $c\bar{c}$ pairs



Formation through “off-diagonal” pairs narrows p_T distribution

J/ψ Formation p_T Distributions

$10^4 \times 10^4$ $c\bar{c}$ pairs, NLO pQCD, RHIC energy, all y



Comparison with Thermal + Transverse Flow c-Quark Distributions

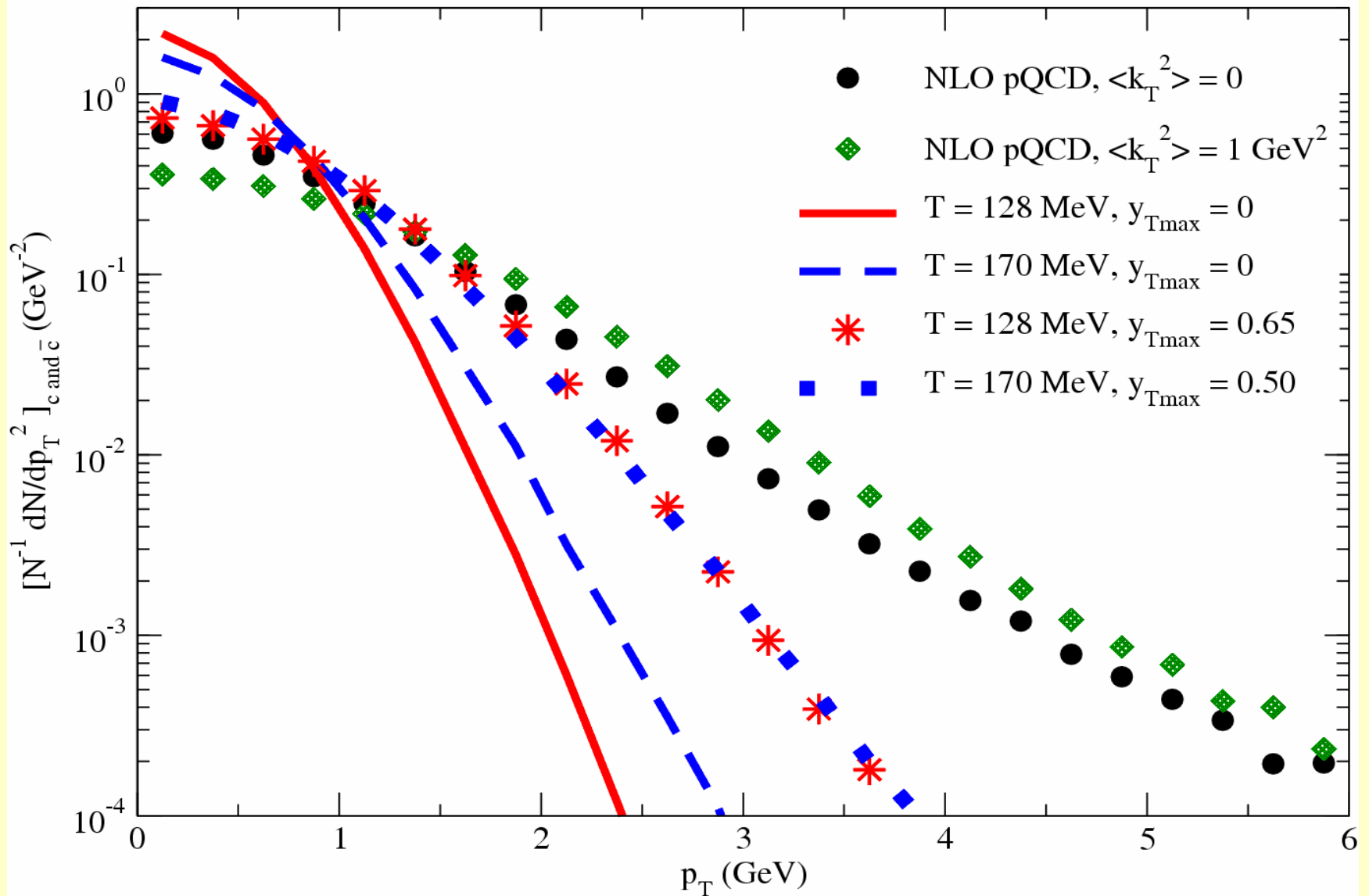
K.A.Bugaev, M. Gazdzicki, M.I.Gorenstein, Phys.Lett.B544,127(2002)

S.Batsouli, S.Kelly, M.Gyulassy, J.L.Nagle, Phys.Lett.B557,26 (2003)

$$\frac{dN}{dp_T^2} \propto m_T \int_0^R r dr I_0\left[\frac{p_T \sinh\left(\frac{r}{R} y_T^{\max}\right)}{T}\right] K_1\left[\frac{m_T \cosh\left(\frac{r}{R} y_T^{\max}\right)}{T}\right]$$

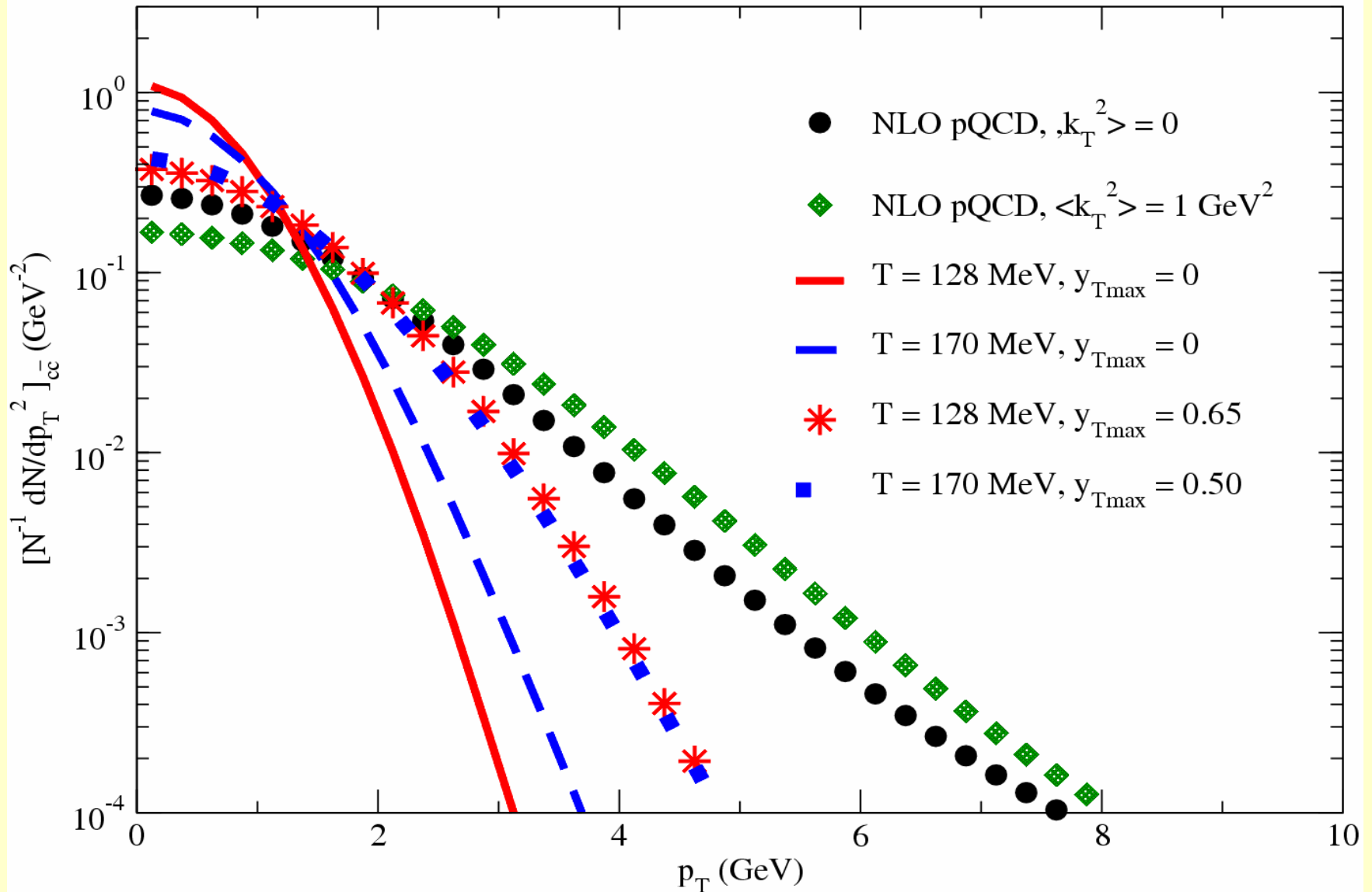
Charm Quark p_T Distributions

Thermal plus flow comparison with pQCD



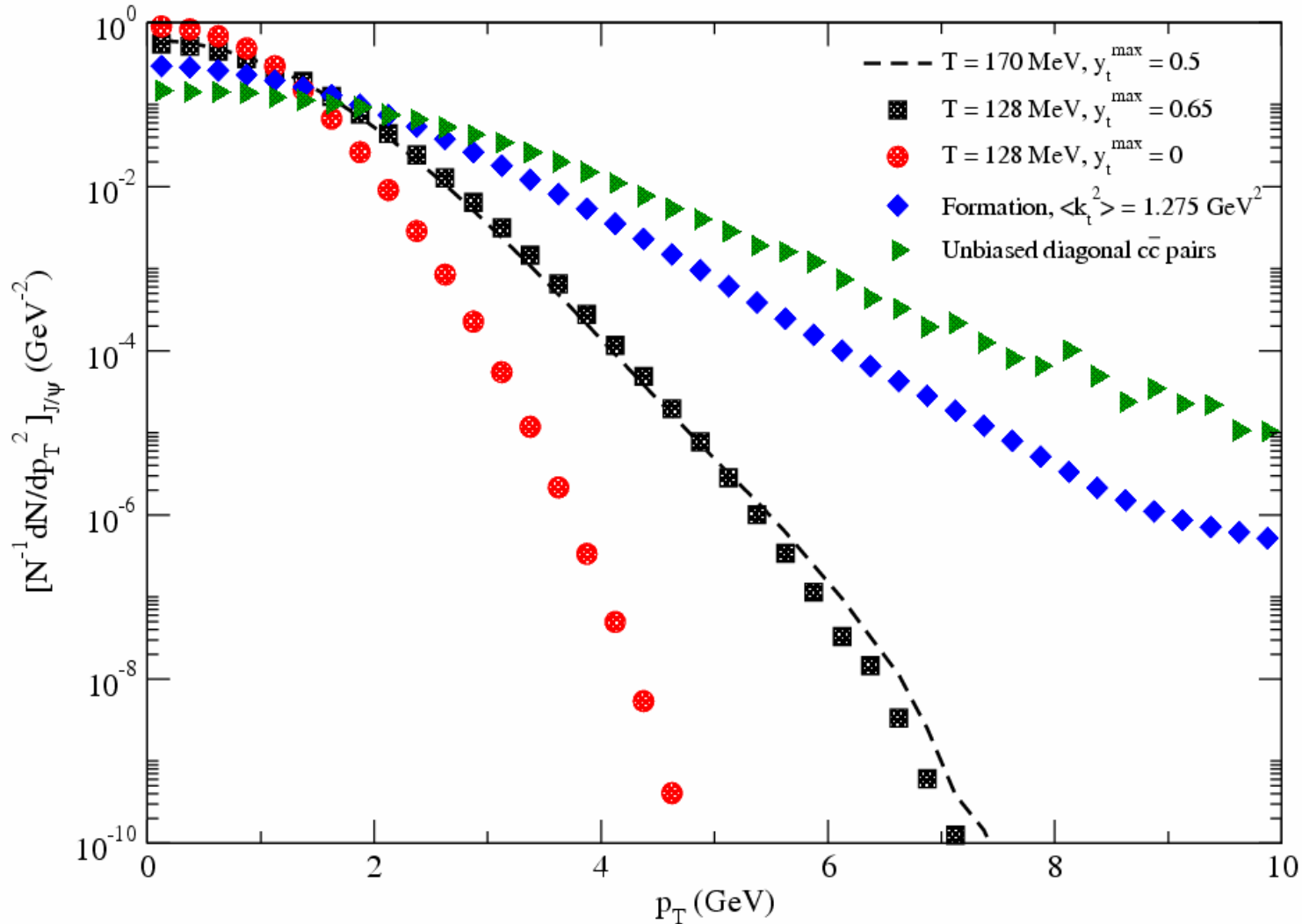
cc Pair p_T Distributions

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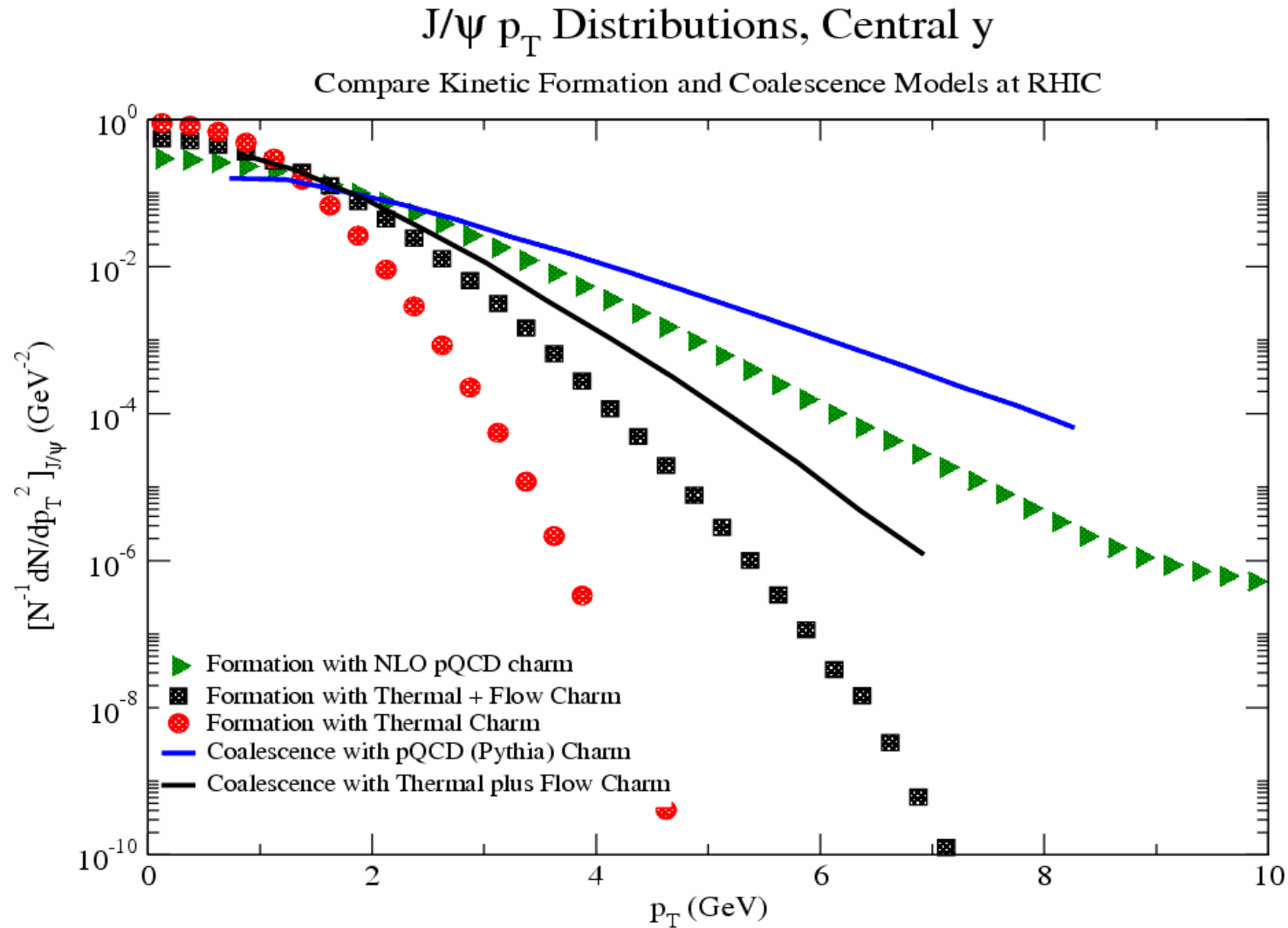


J/ψ Formation p_T Distributions

10^4 $c\bar{c}$ pairs, RHIC energy, $|y| < 0.35$

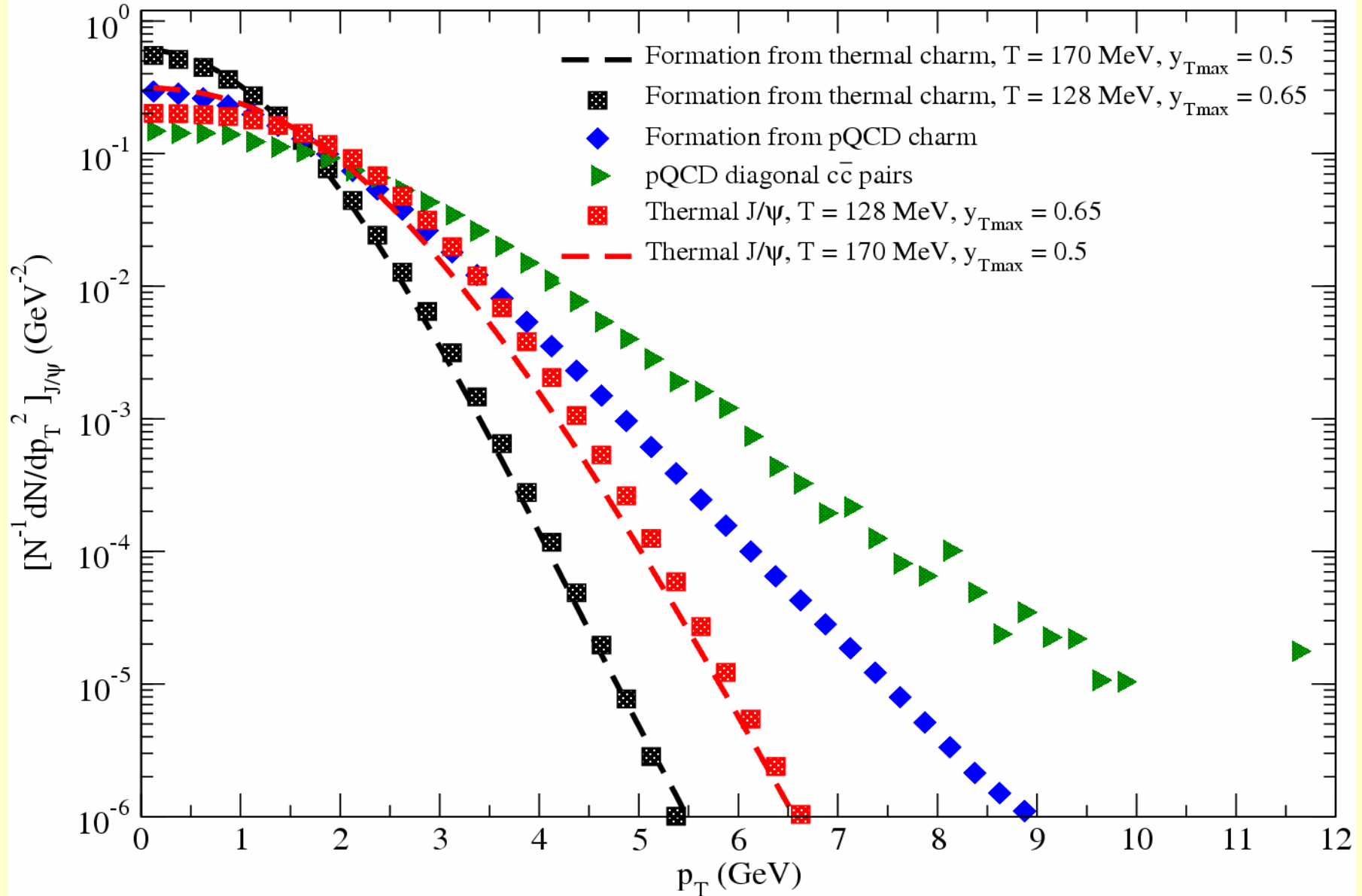


Comparison with coalescence model: V Greco, C. M. Ko, R. Rapp, Phys. Lett. B595:202 (2004)

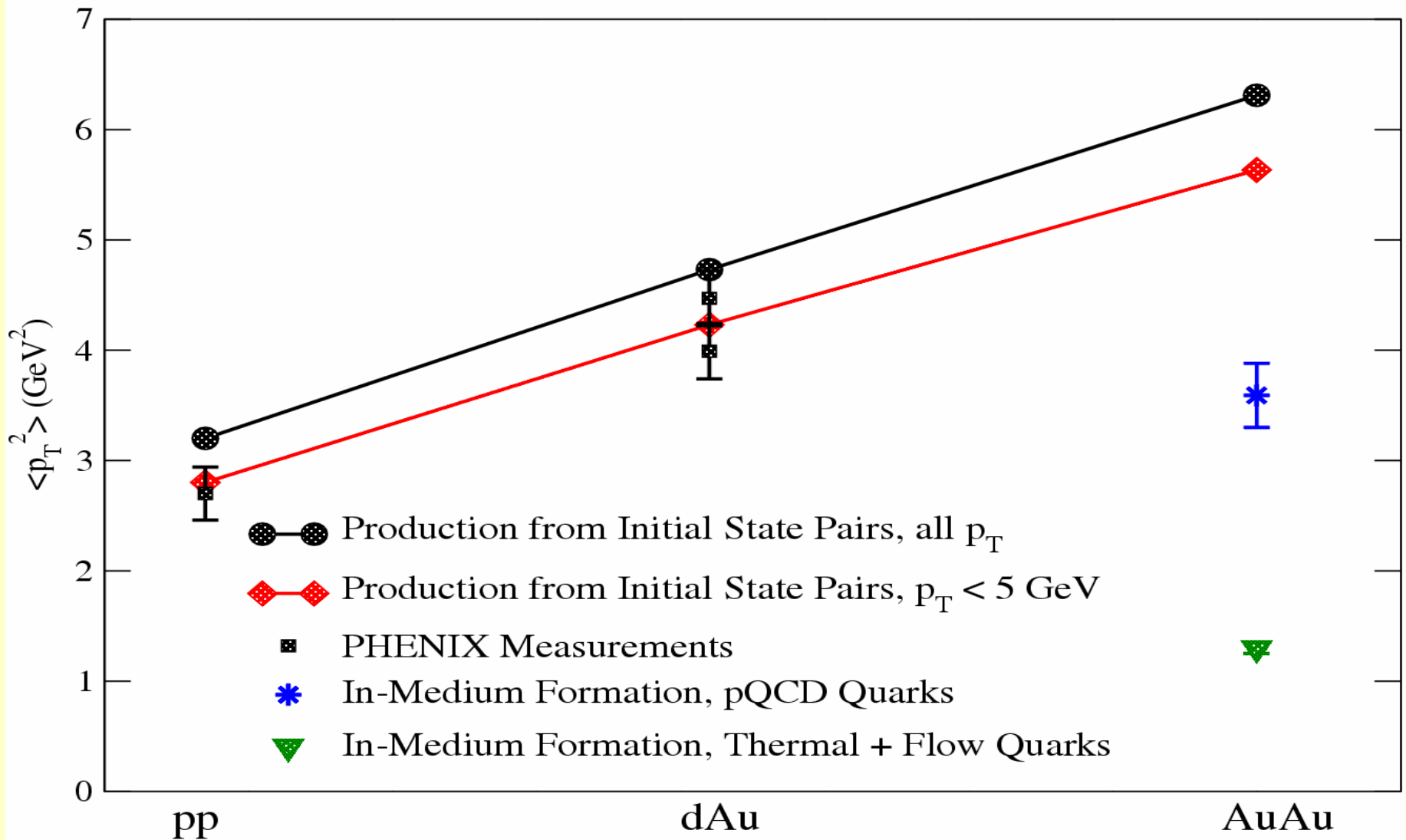


J/ ψ Formation p_T Distributions

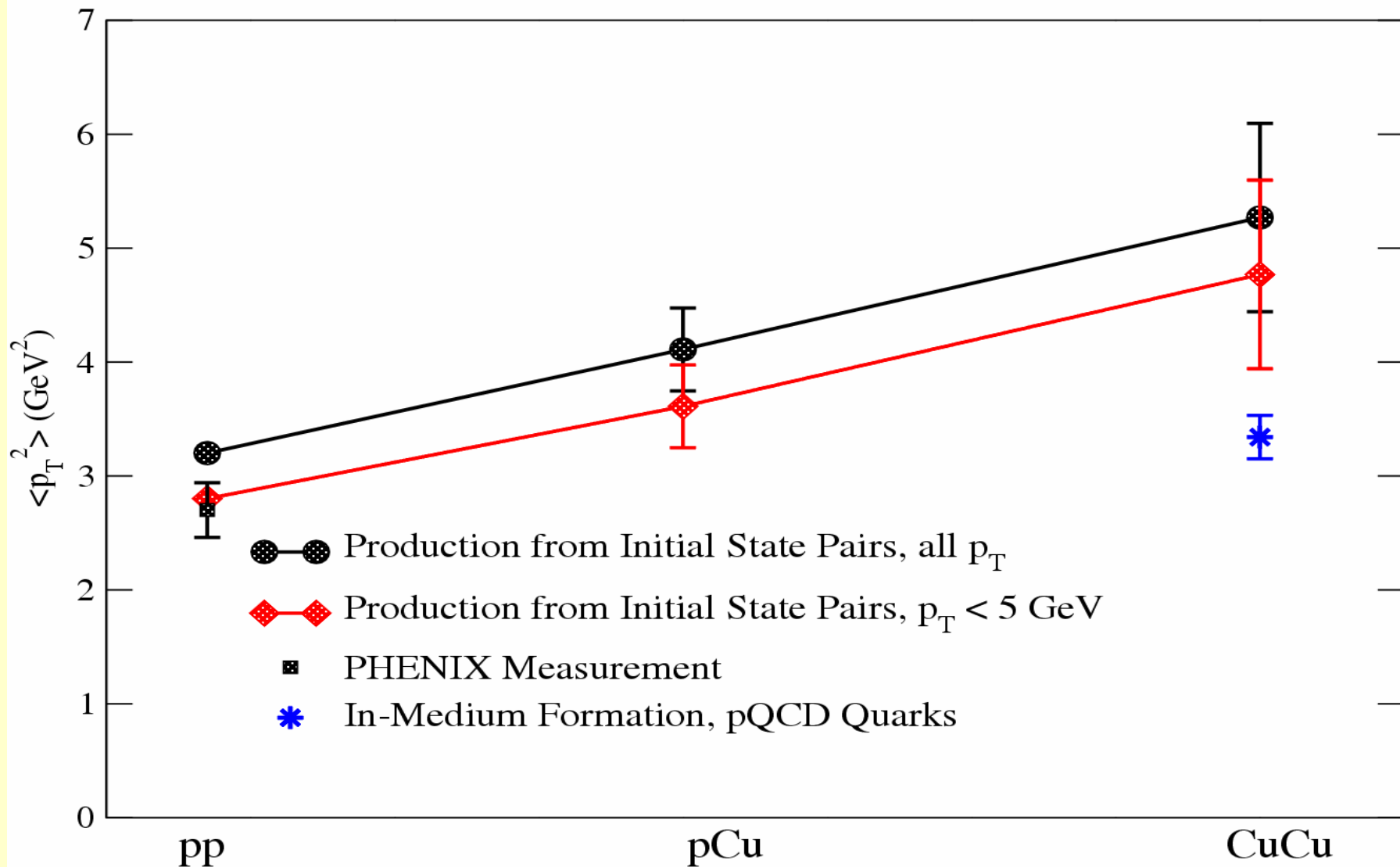
Comparison with direct Thermal Distribution



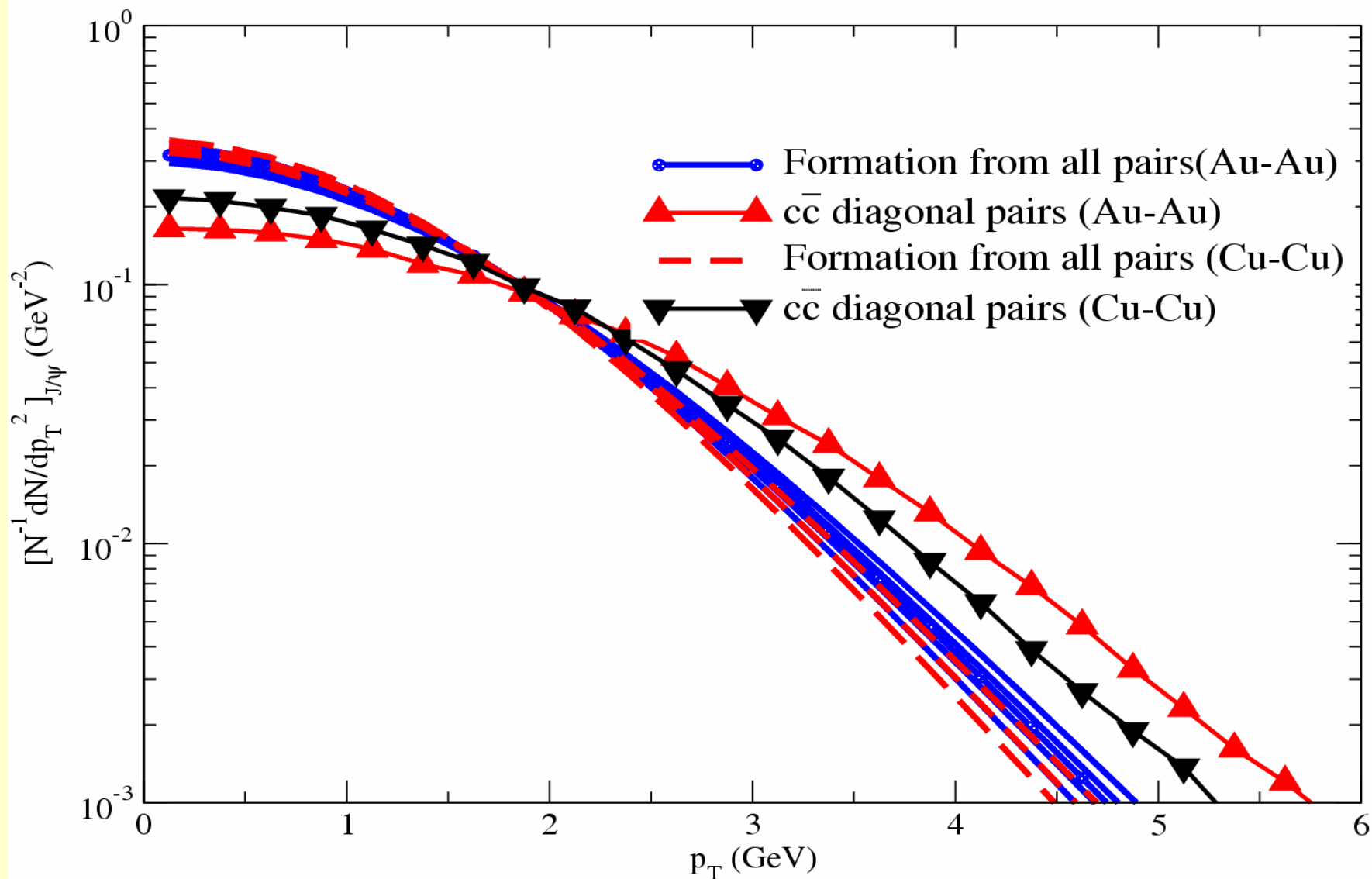
J/ψ Transverse Momentum Width Evolution



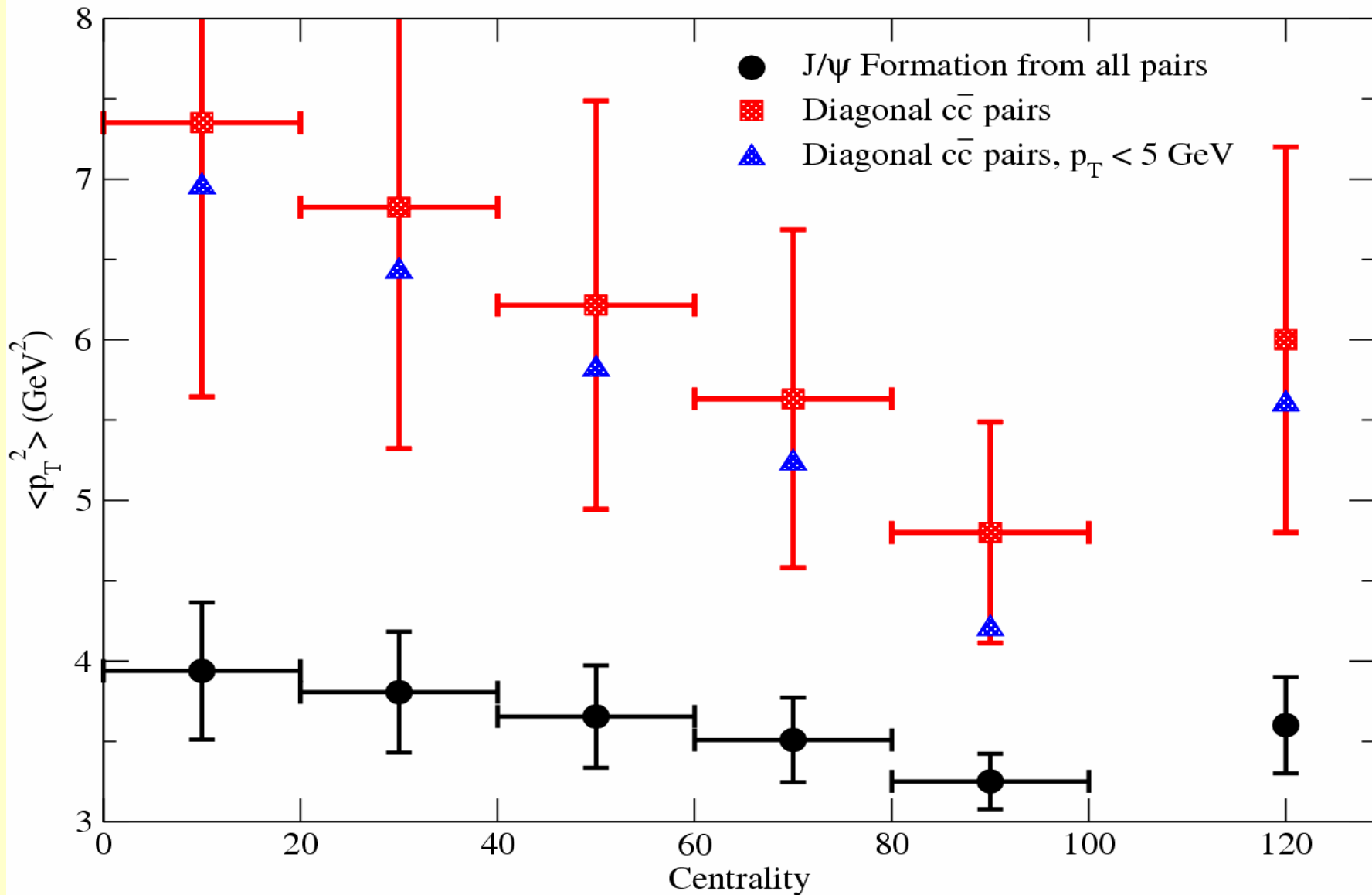
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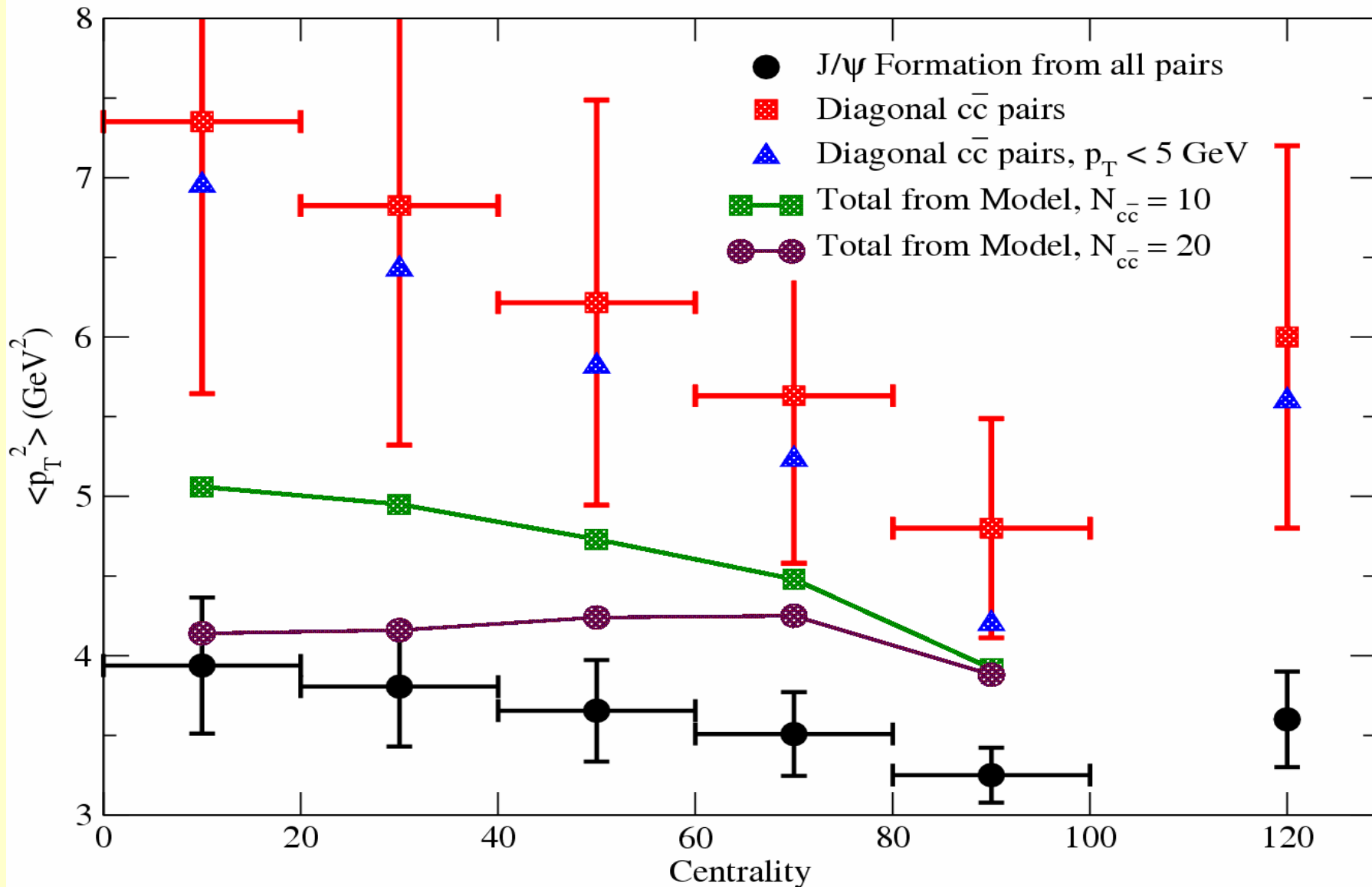
J/ψ Formation Comparison with Initial Production



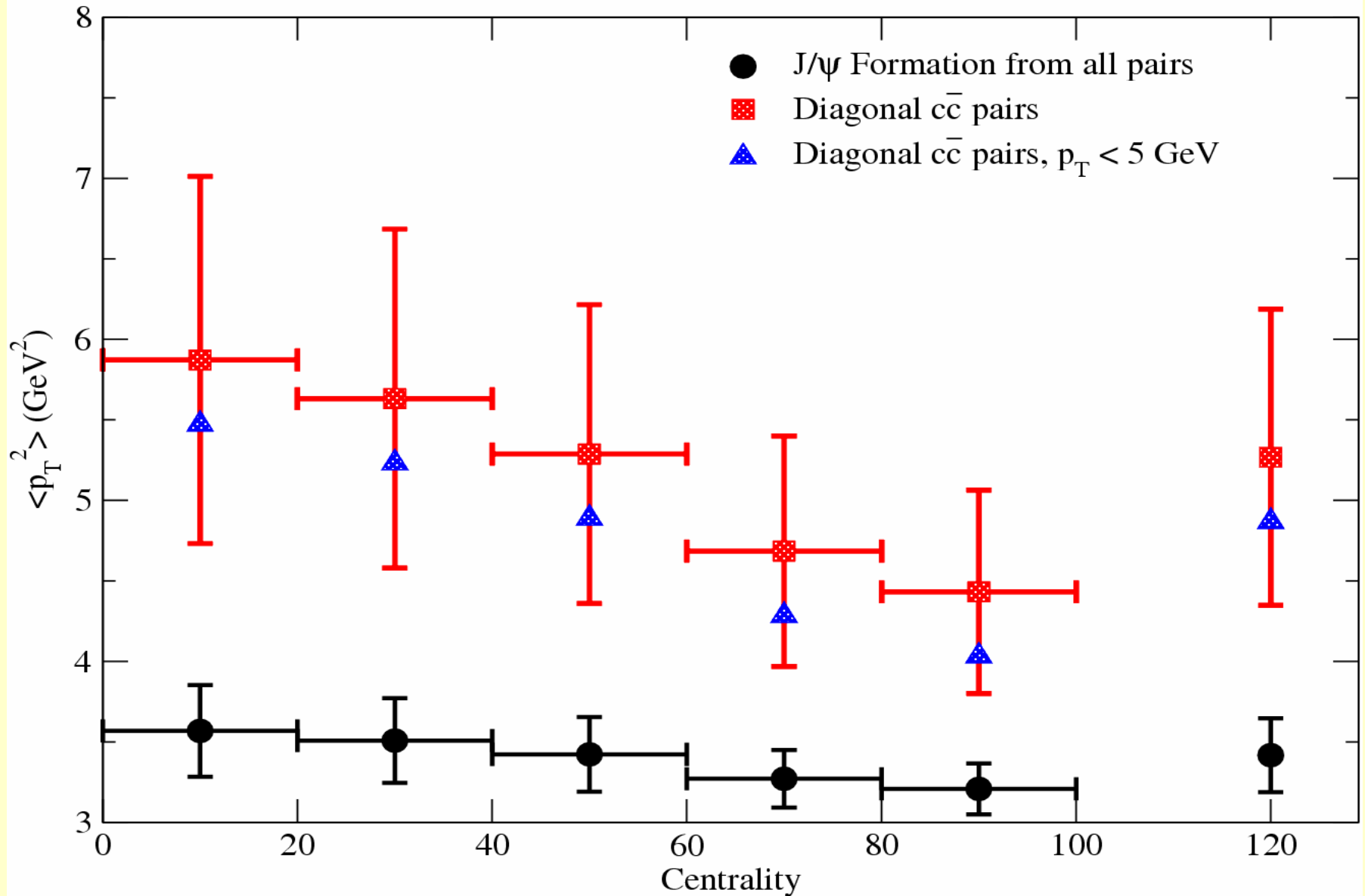
J/ψ p_T width vs centrality for Au-Au at RHIC200



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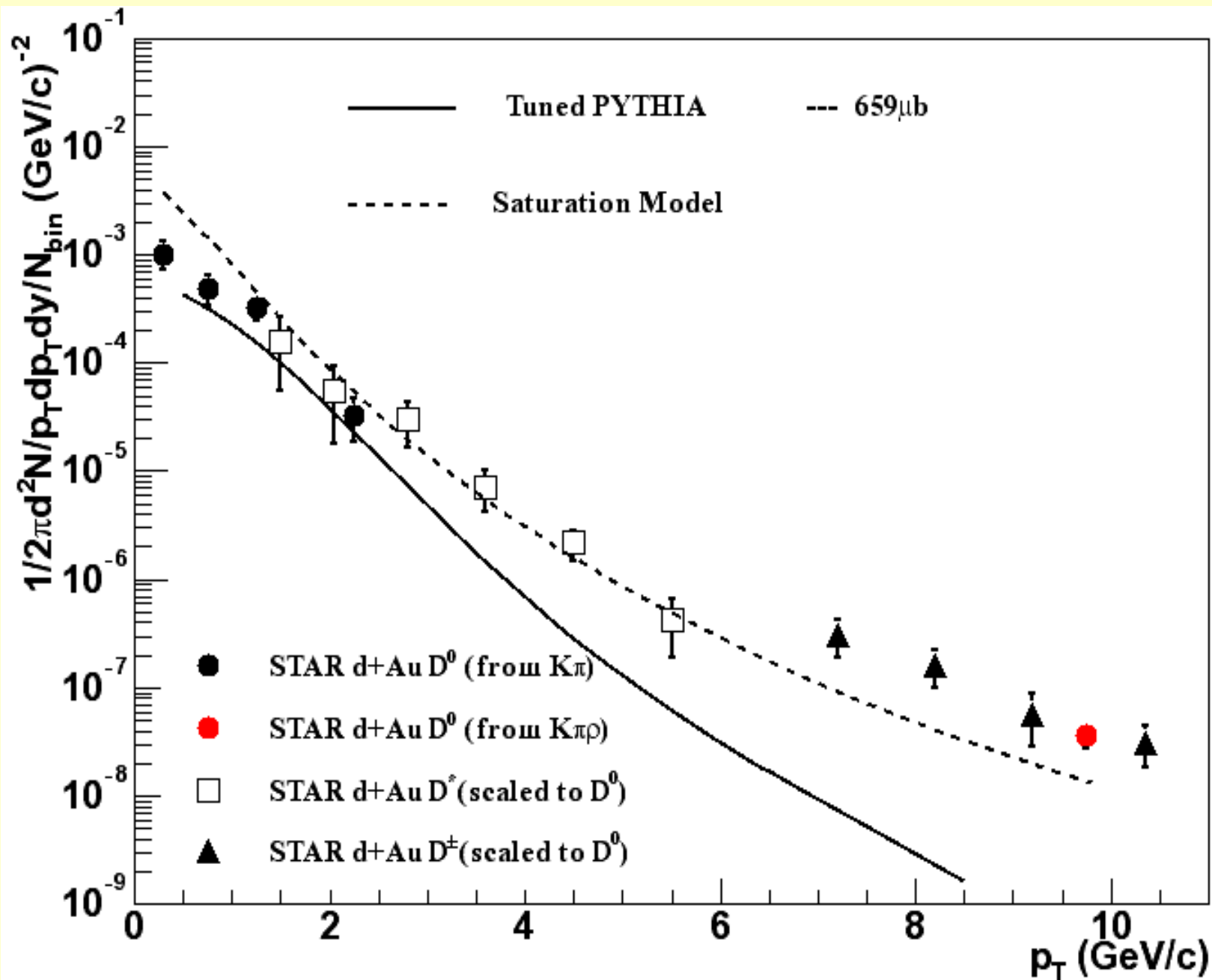


J/ψ p_T width vs centrality for Cu-Cu at RHIC200



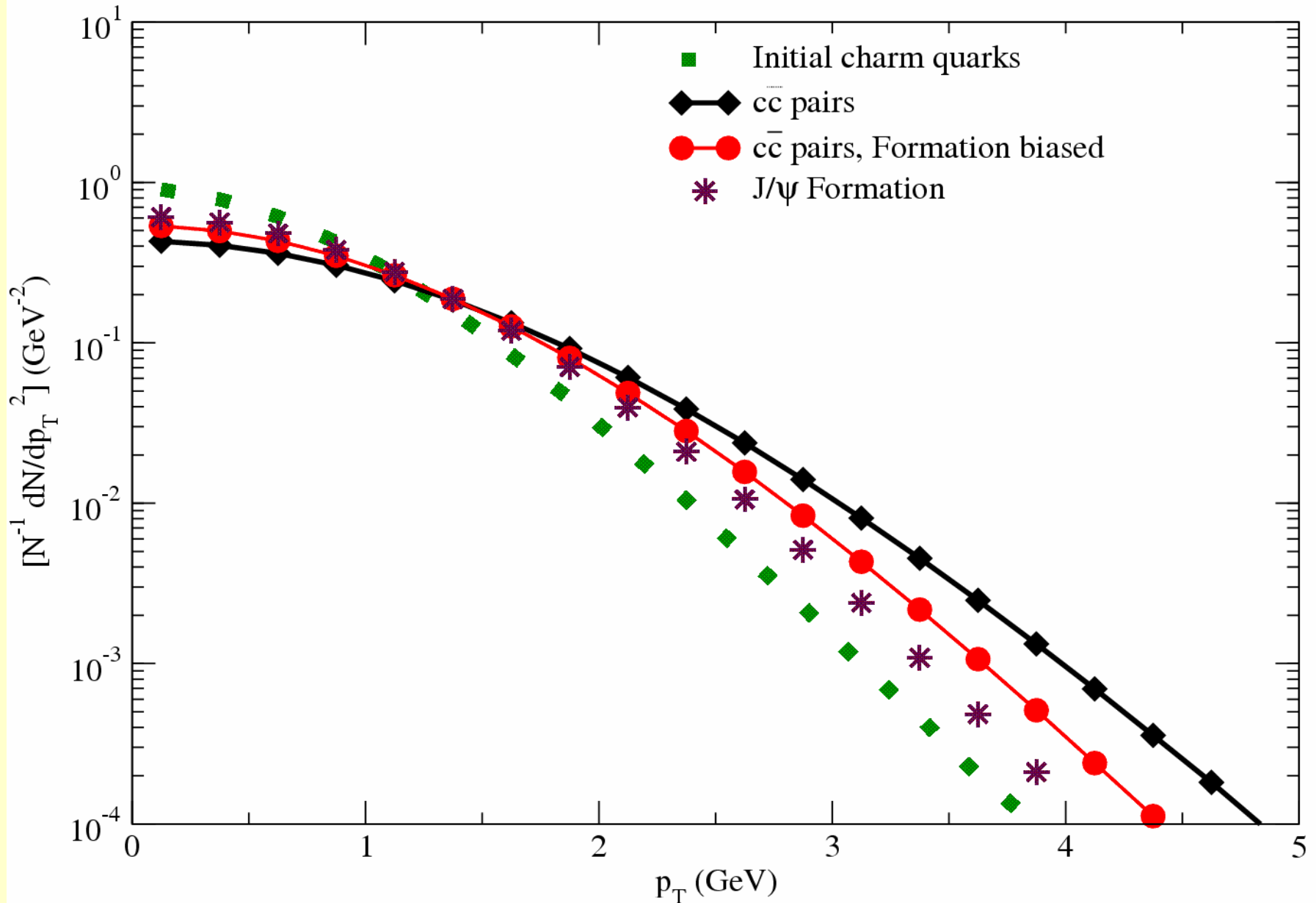
SUMMARY

- Absolute magnitude and centrality dependence tests require both open and hidden flavor measurements
- J/Psi p_T and y measurements *alone can* provide signatures of in-medium recombination processes
- The difference of pQCD quark pair spectra for diagonal vs off-diagonal combinations survives in the J/Psi results
- Non-monotonic behavior of widths of transverse momentum spectra signal recombination
- In-medium formation process very sensitive to heavy quark thermalization and flow



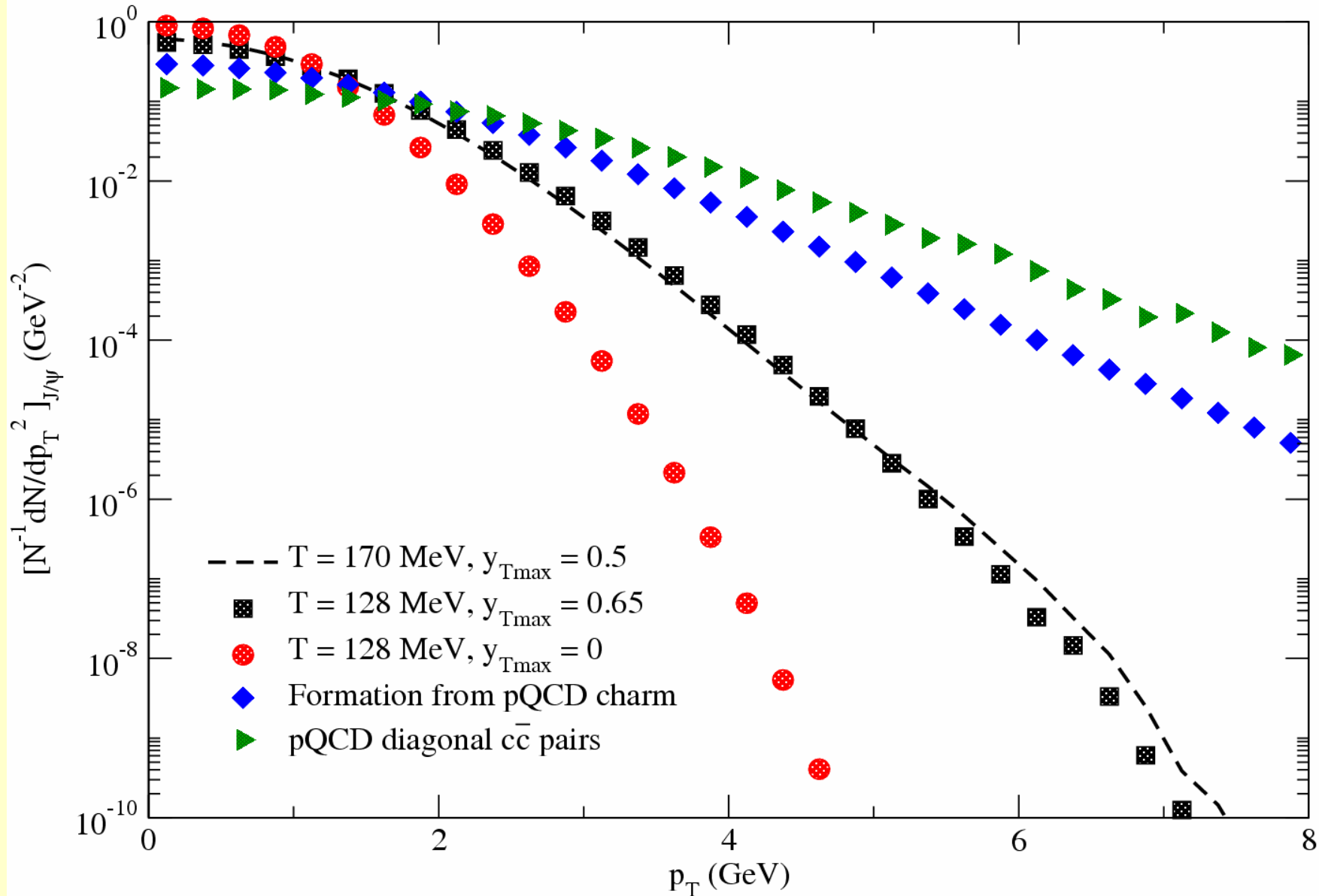
Transverse Momentum distribution of J/ψ and Charm Quarks

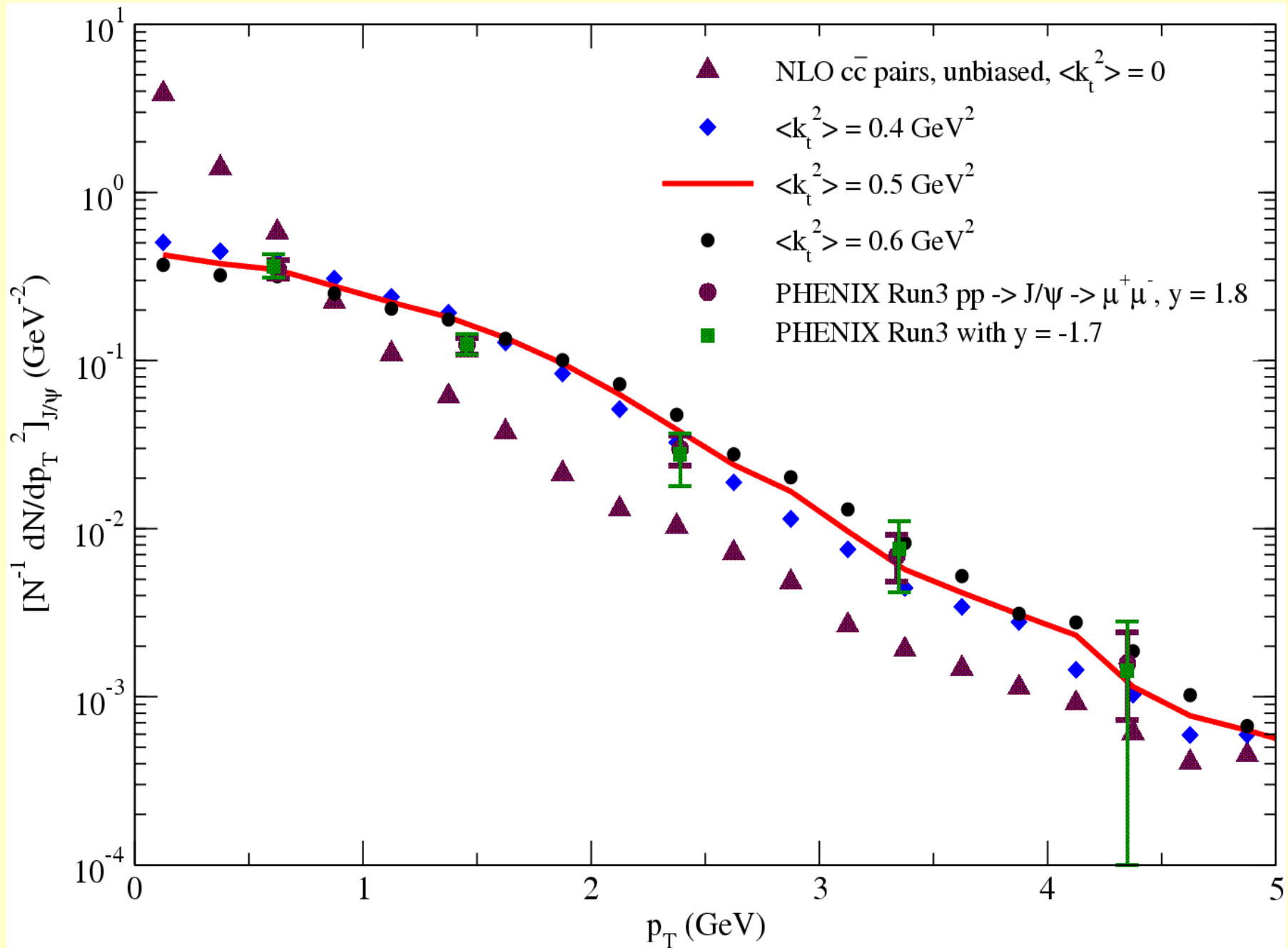
Blast wave initial charm quark distribution, $T = 170$ MeV, $y_{Tmax} = 0.5$



J/ψ Formation p_T Distributions

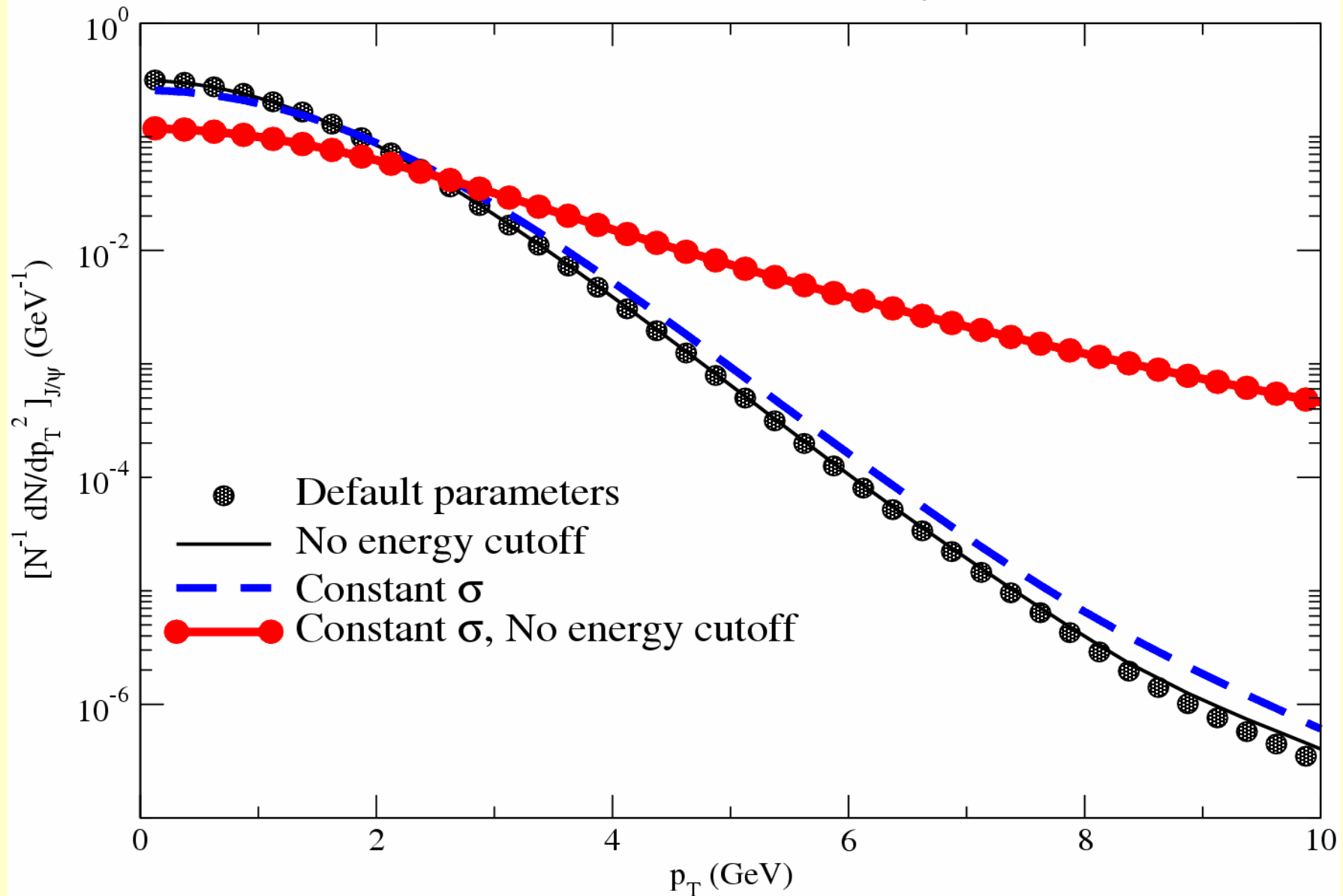
Comparisons using various quark distributions





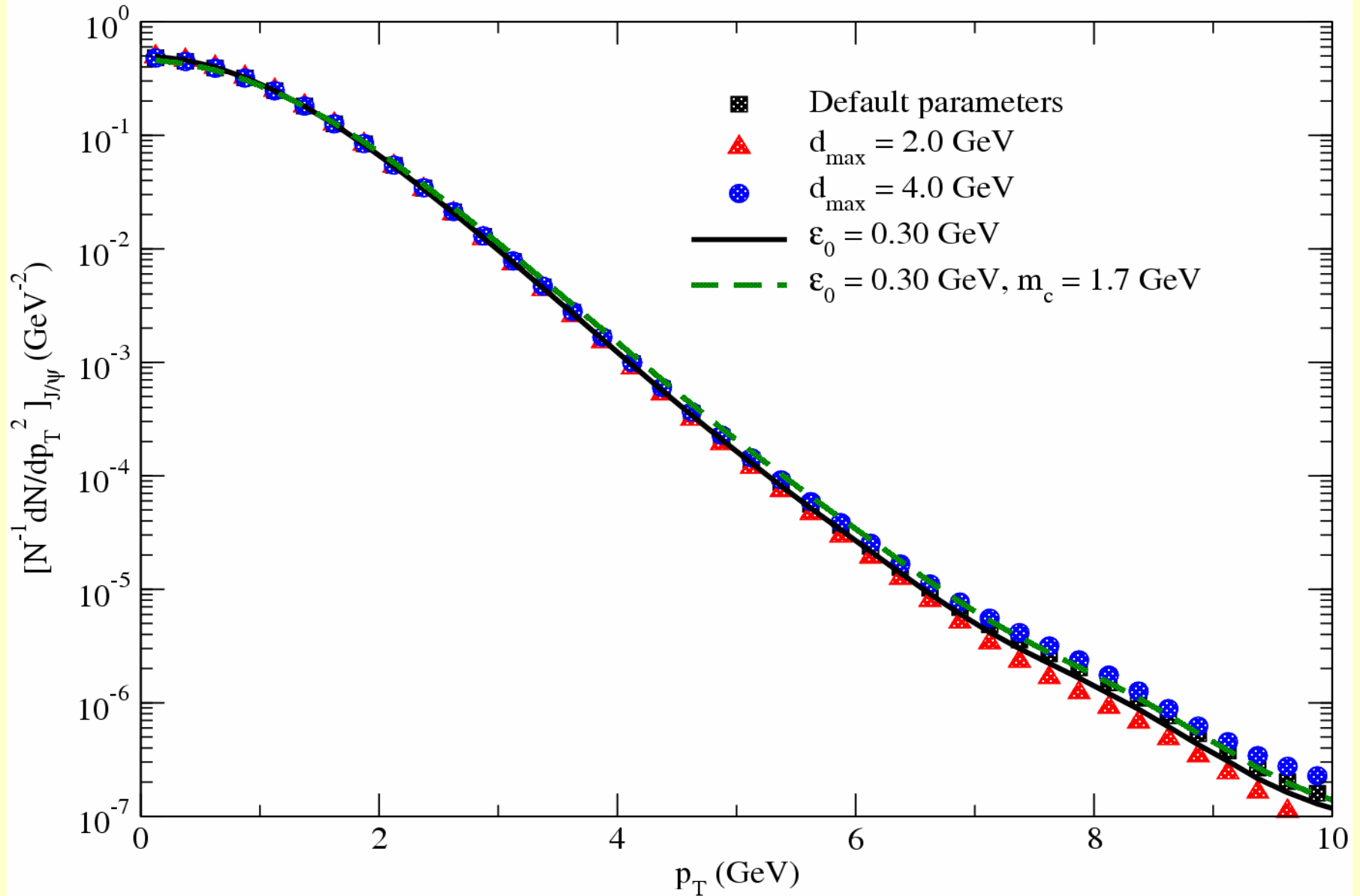
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RHIC200 energy, $10^4 \times 10^4$ NLO pairs, $\langle k_t^2 \rangle = 1.3 \text{ GeV}^2$



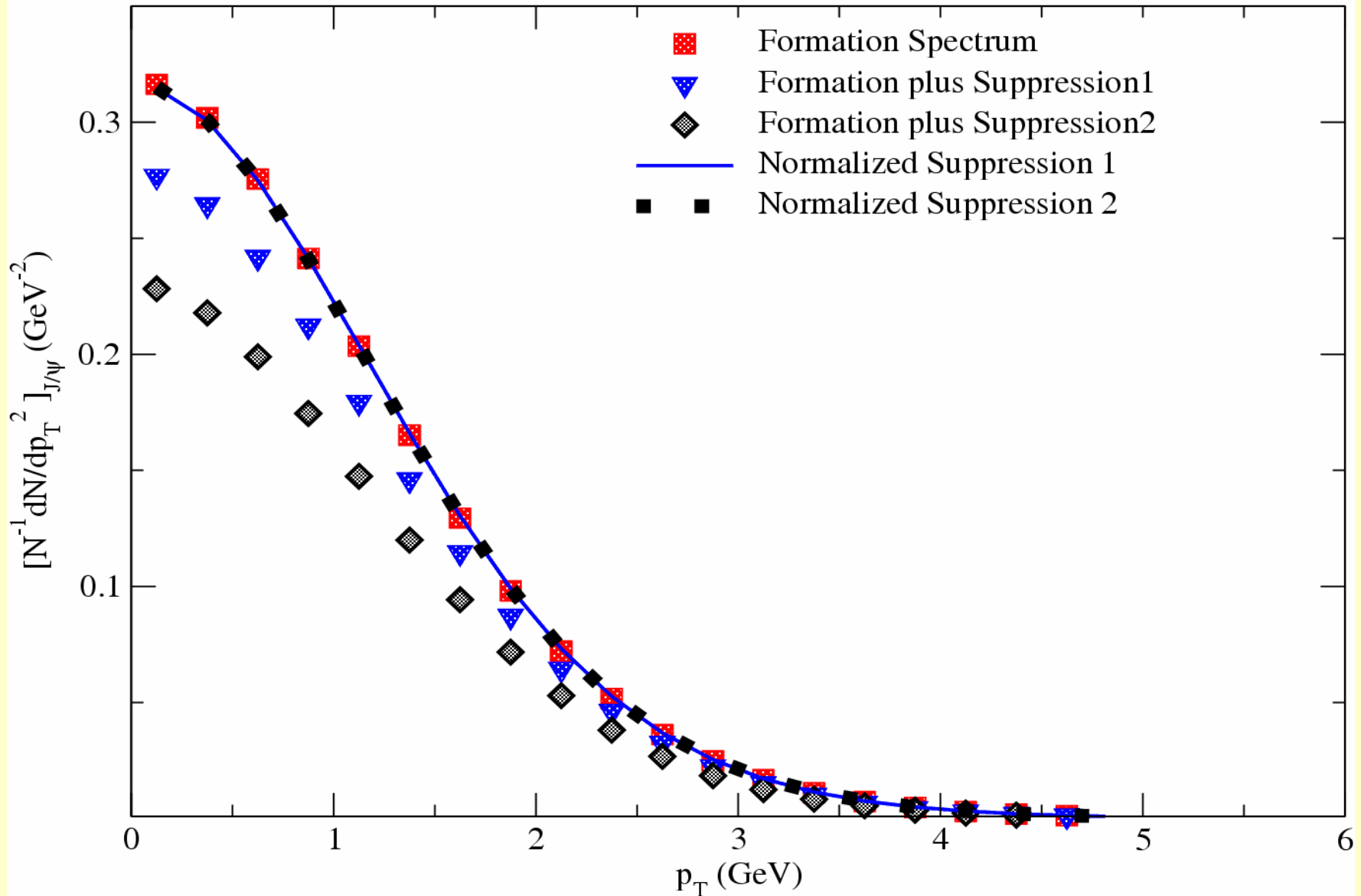
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Parameter variation, RHIC200

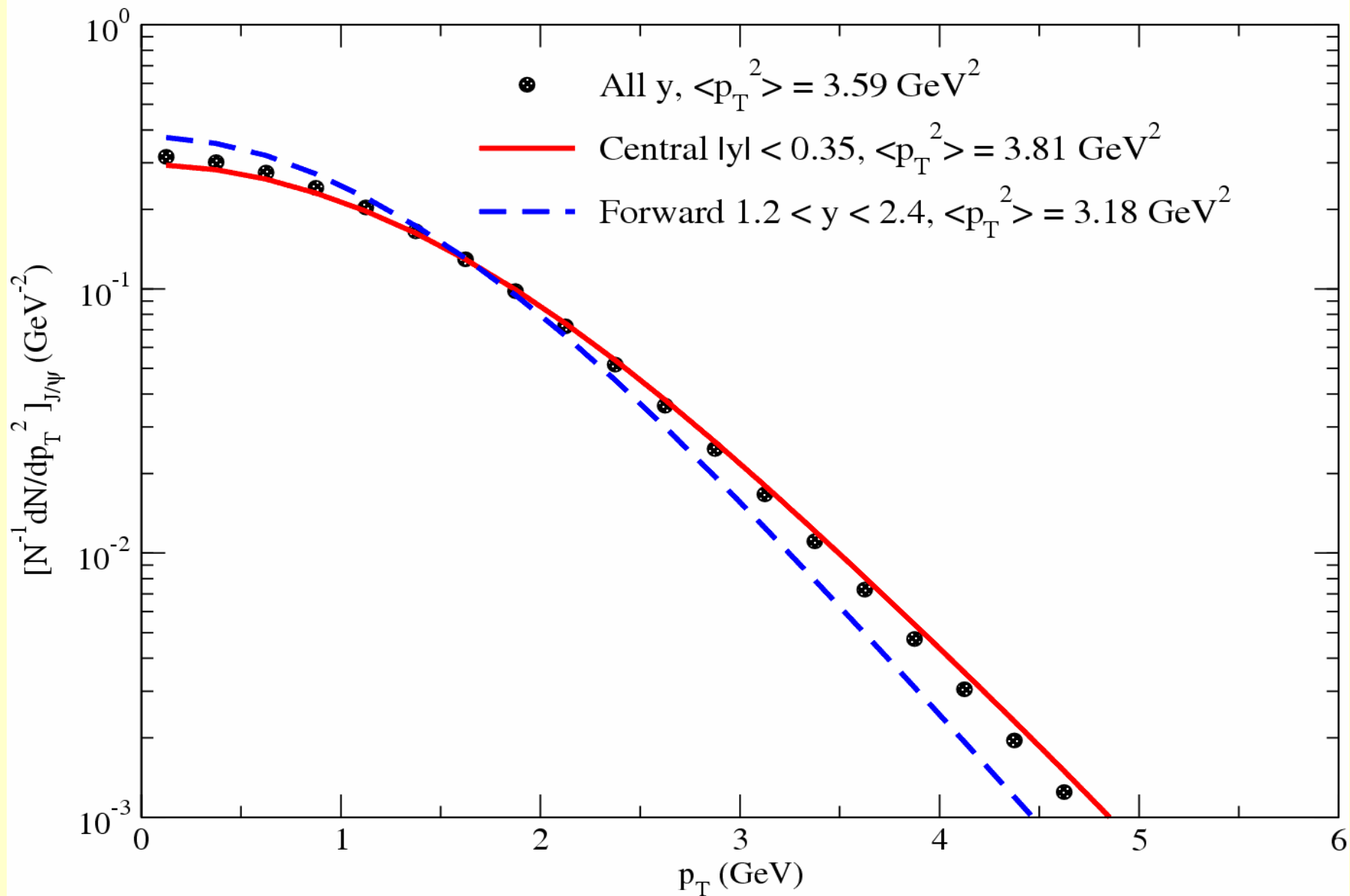


J/ψ Formation plus Suppression p_T Distributions

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Rapidity Variation of J/ψ Formation p_T Spectra



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