

# Hydrodynamic predictions for LHC heavy-ion beams at 2.76 TeV <sup>1</sup>



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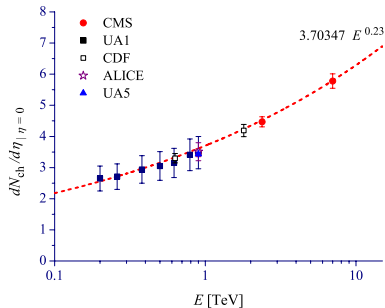
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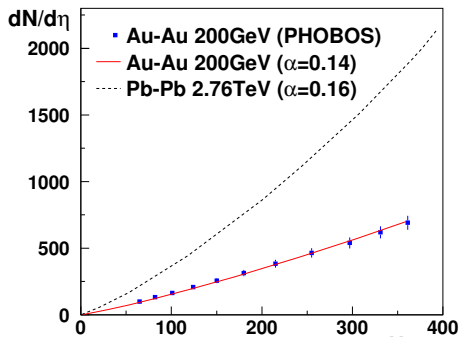
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- centrality dependence [ $N_{src}(\mathbf{b})$ ] calculated with GLISSANDO<sup>a</sup> with  $\sigma_{NN} = 63$  mb
- nuclear density profile  $\rho_{src}(\tilde{\mathbf{b}}, \mathbf{x}_{\perp})$  from optical Glauber approximation reproduces the number of sources — modified impact parameter



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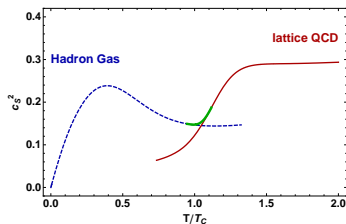


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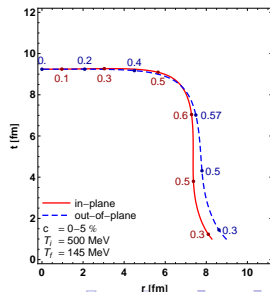
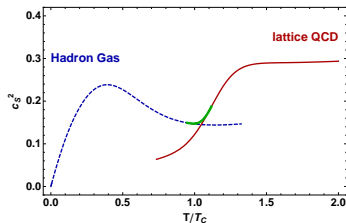
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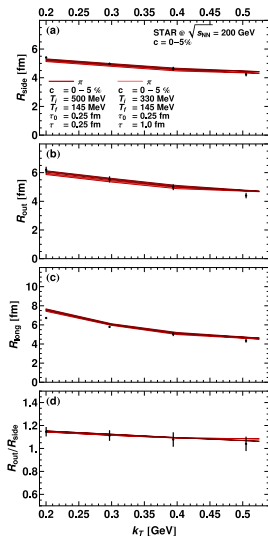
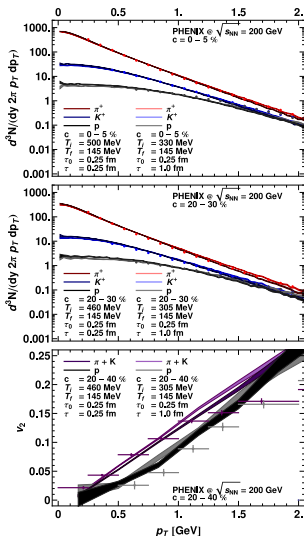
- freeze-out hypersurface with velocity profile,
- Monte-Carlo integration of Cooper-Frye formula
- decay of resonances SHARE database

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# Description of RHIC soft physics

$p_T$ -spectra,  $v_2$ , HBT



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- Scaling of the total initial entropy: RHIC  $\rightarrow$  LHC

$$\frac{S^{PbPb}(\mathbf{b}, 2.76)}{S^{AuAu}(\mathbf{b}, 0.200)} = \frac{s_i^{PbPb} N_{src}^{PbPb}(\mathbf{b}) \rho_{src}^{AuAu}(0, 0)}{s_i^{AuAu} N_{src}^{AuAu}(\mathbf{b}) \rho_{src}^{PbPb}(0, 0)} = \frac{\left. \frac{dN^{PbPb}(\mathbf{b}, 2.76)}{d\eta} \right|_{\eta=0}}{\left. \frac{dN^{AuAu}(\mathbf{b}, 0.200)}{d\eta} \right|_{\eta=0}}$$

Ansatz: ratios of total initial entropy (at midrapidity) are equal to the ratios of the multiplicities.

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- freeze-out temperature [chemical and kinetic]

$T_f = 150$  MeV

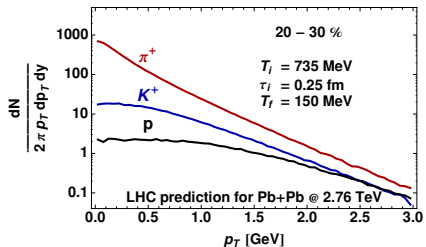
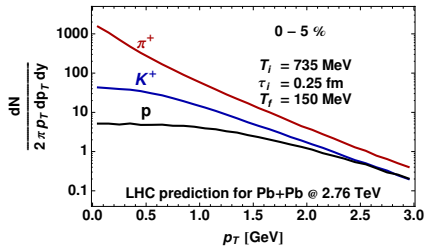
- all chemical potentials equal to zero ( $\mu_B, \mu_s, \mu_S$ )



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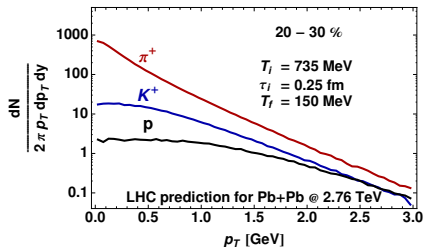
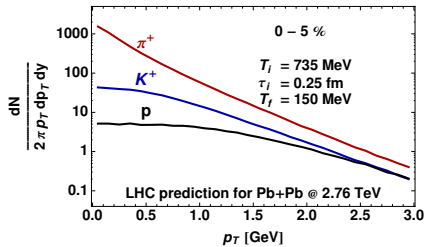
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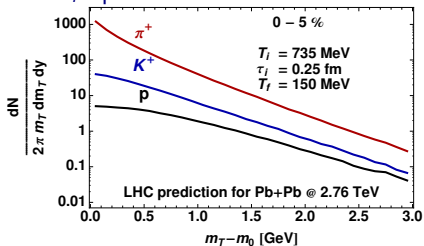
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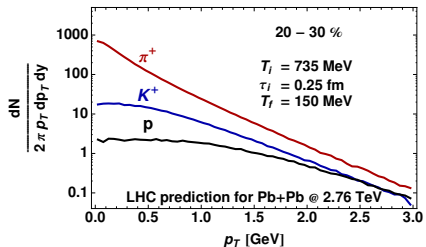
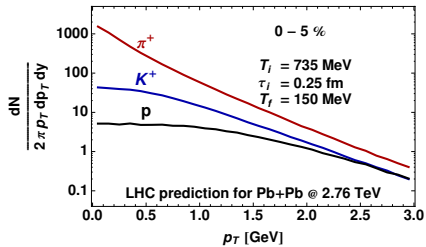
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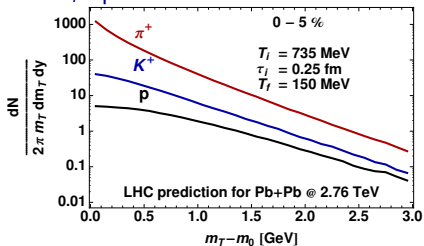
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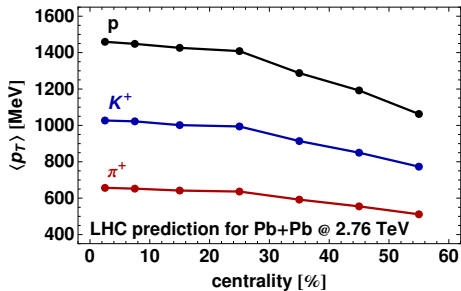


### ■ Multiplicity density of charged particles at midrapidity

centrality	$\frac{dN}{d\eta}$	$\frac{dN}{dy}$
0 - 5 %	2161	2457
20 - 30 %	905	1036

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## Average transverse momentum

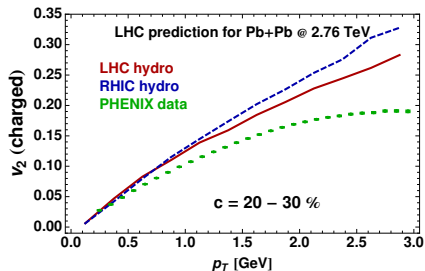


- Increase from the RHIC top energies by 35 to 40 %,
- e.g. average  $p_T$  for pions at RHIC is 473 MeV and at the LHC 636 MeV

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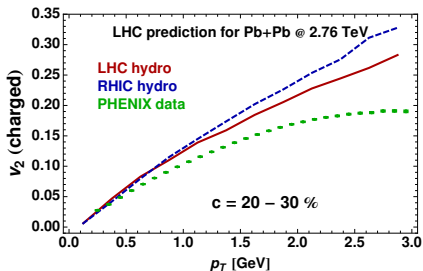
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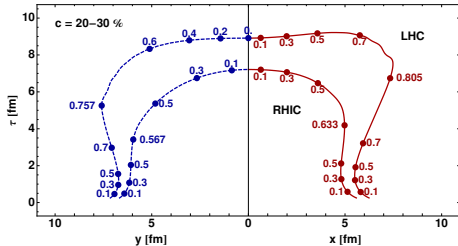
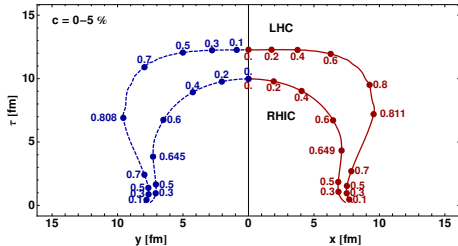
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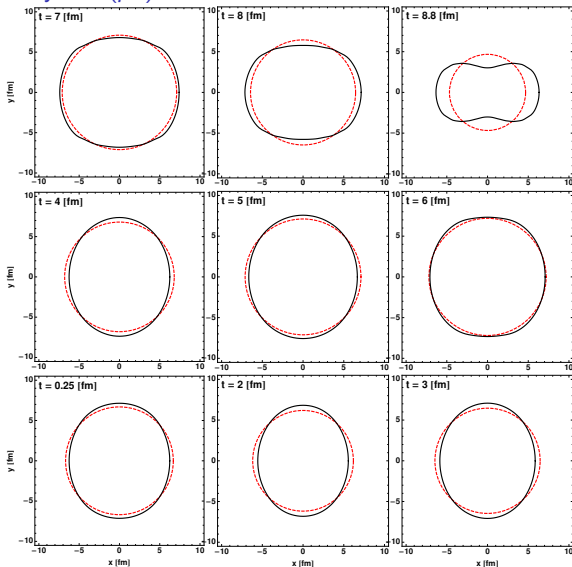


## Freeze-out hypersurfaces



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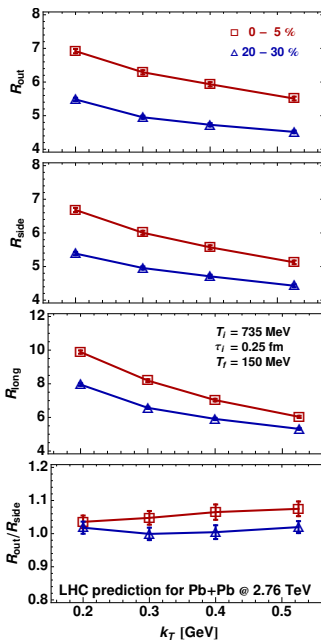


- The system changes shape over time, form **almond-shape** to **pumpkin-like**.
- Largest velocity on the hypersurface is when the shape changes — surface production of particles with largest  $p_T$ .
- Volume production form x-elongated source.

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## femtoscopy - HBT radii

- $R_{\text{out}}$  and  $R_{\text{side}}$  increase by approx. 1 fm when compared with RHIC top energy results,
- $R_{\text{long}}$  rises by about 2 - 2.5 fm,
- steeper  $k_T$  dependence - result of stronger hydrodynamic flow,
- $R_{\text{out}}/R_{\text{side}}$  close to unity, gently raising with  $k_T$ .





# Conclusions

- Prediction for the future heavy-ion beam at  $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 2.76$  TeV was made, based on the LHC proton-proton run at  $\sqrt{s} = 2.36$  TeV,
- Compared with RHIC top energy results we observe:
  - harder  $p_T$  spectra,
  - 35 - 40% increase of the  $\langle p_T \rangle$  and  $\langle v_2 \rangle$ ,
  - high multiplicity ( $> 2000$  charged particles for central collisions),
  - saturation of  $v_2(p_T)$  due to source shape change,
  - moderate rise of HBT radii and stronger  $k_T$  dependence.
- Opened questions:
  - Is the perfect fluid approximation valid? How important are the viscosity corrections at those energies.
  - Is there going to be a plateau at midrapidity distribution that will justify the usage of boost-invariant models for central region?