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Study of associated quarkonium production in pp collisions at LHCb

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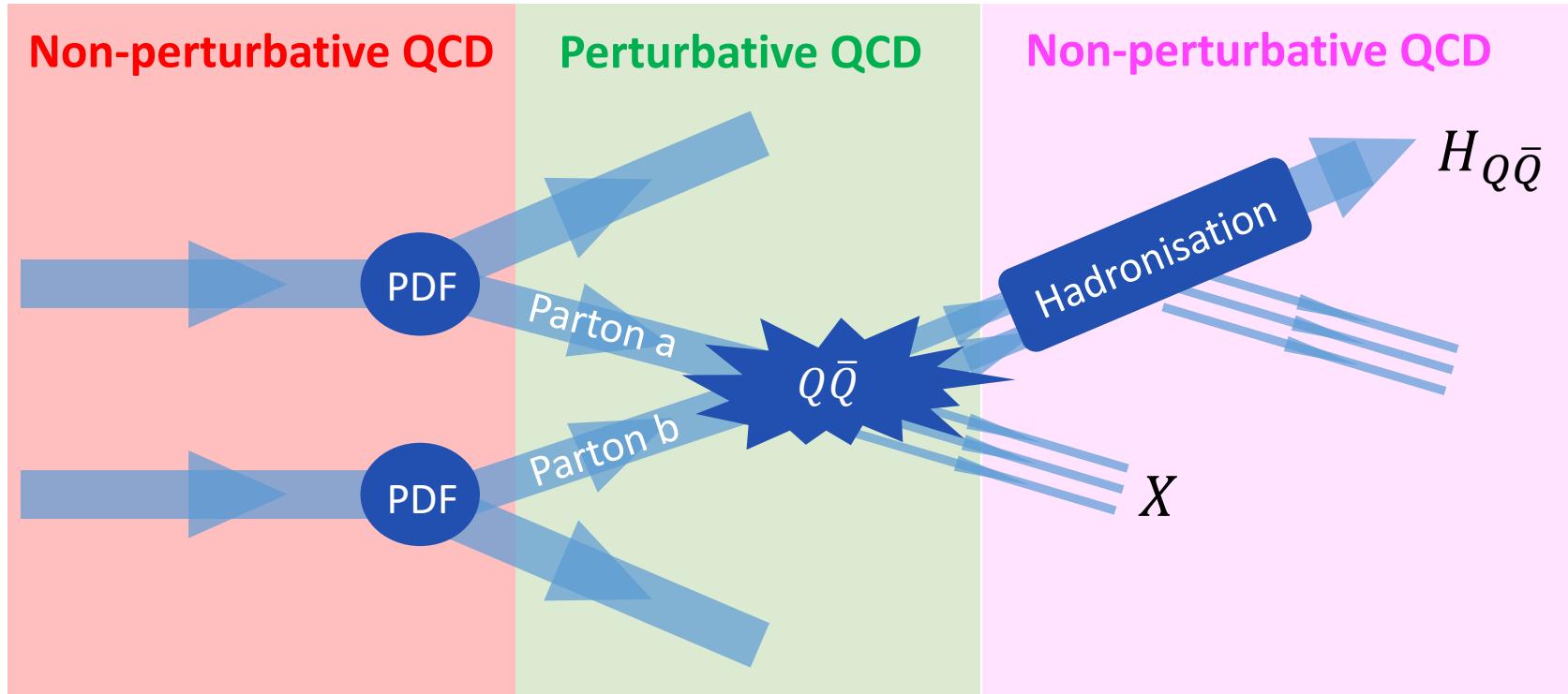


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Quarkonium production

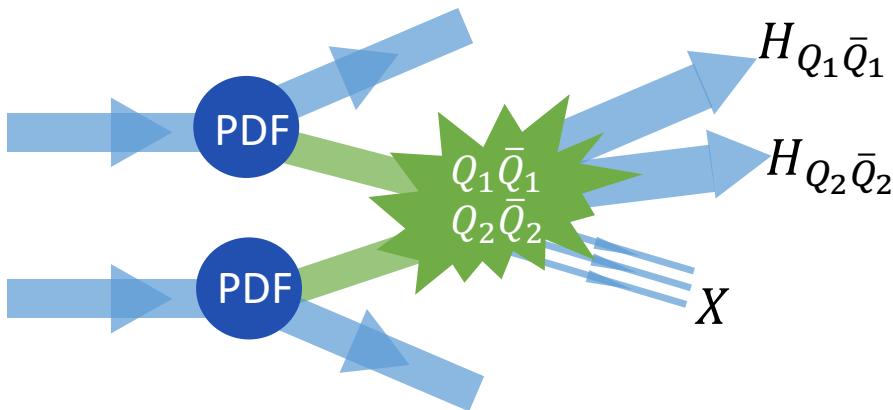


$$\sigma(H_{Q\bar{Q}}) = \sum_{a,b,n} \int dx_1 dx_2 f_{a/p}(x_1) f_{b/p}(x_2) |\mathcal{A}(ab \rightarrow Q\bar{Q}[n] + X)|^2 \times \langle \mathcal{O}^H(n) \rangle$$

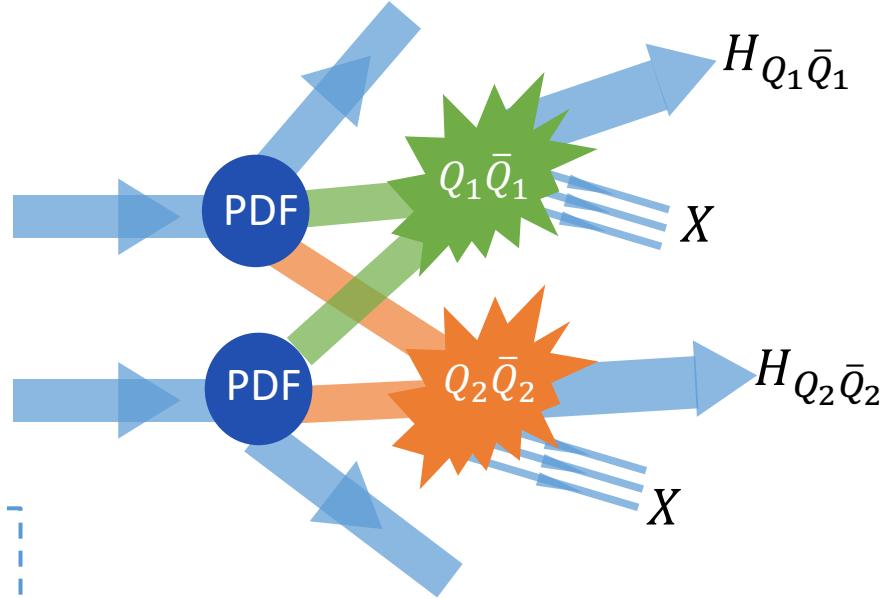
- Quarkonium production is a golden process to probe non-perturbative QCD
- Non-relativistic QCD (NRQCD) provides the most successful description but yet not able to coherently describe prod.&pol. measurements in all collision systems

Associated Quarkonium production

Single-parton scattering (SPS)



Double-parton scattering (DPS)



- ✓ To probe the quarkonium production mechanism puzzle
- ✓ Golden channel to probe gluon transverse momentum dependent (TMD) PDFs:
 - $h_1^{\perp g}(x, \mathbf{k}_T^2, \mu) \Rightarrow$ azimuthal asymmetry
 - $f_1^g(x, \mathbf{k}_T^2, \mu)$: affect p_T spectrum
- [More in A. Colpani Serri's talk]
- ✓ To search for fully heavy tetraquark states

- ✓ To provide information on parton transverse profile & correlations in colliding hadrons
- ✓ To understand multiparticle background ($Z + b\bar{b}$, W^+W^+ etc.) in both SM measurements and search for New Physics

Double Parton Scattering

$$\sigma_{Q_1 Q_2}^{\text{DPS}} = \frac{1}{1 + \delta_{Q_1 Q_2}} \sum_{i,j,k,l} \int dx_1 dx_2 dx'_1 dx'_2 d^2 \mathbf{b}_1 d^2 \mathbf{b}_2 d^2 \mathbf{b}$$

Generalized double parton PDF
SPS parton-level cross-section

$$\times \Gamma_{ij}(x_1, x_2, \mathbf{b}_1, \mathbf{b}_2) \times \hat{\sigma}_{ik}^{Q_1}(x_1, x'_1) \hat{\sigma}_{jl}^{Q_2}(x_2, x'_2) \times \Gamma_{kl}(x'_1, x'_2, \mathbf{b}_1 - \mathbf{b}, \mathbf{b}_2 - \mathbf{b})$$

Assuming:

- ✓ factorization of trans. & long. components

$$\Gamma_{ij}(x_1, x_2, \mathbf{b}_1, \mathbf{b}_2) = D_{ij}(x_1, x_2) T_{ij}(\mathbf{b}_1, \mathbf{b}_2)$$

- ✓ no correlation between two sets of partons

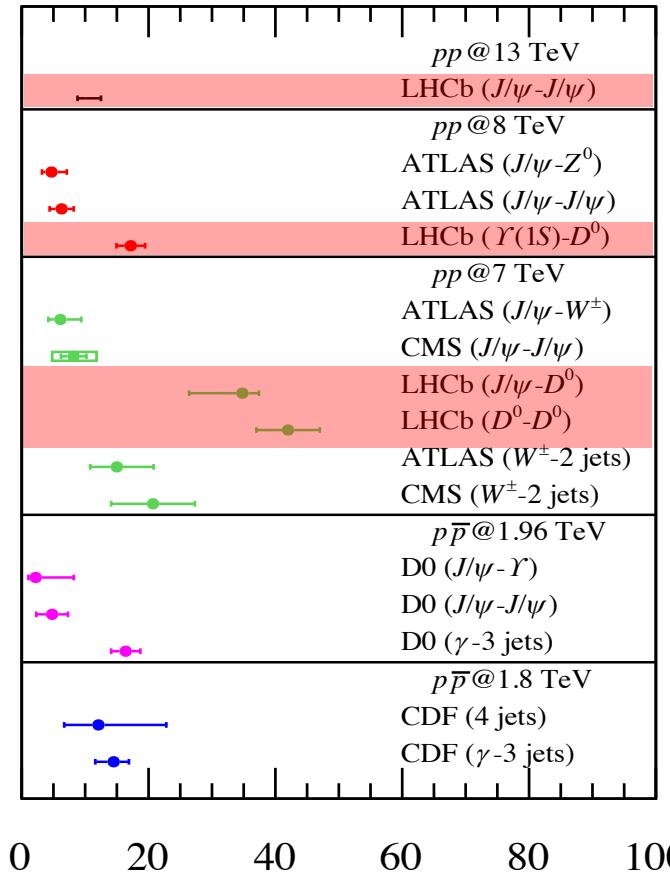
$$D_{ij}(x_1, x_2) = f_i(x_1) f_j(x_2), T_{ij}(\mathbf{b}_1, \mathbf{b}_2) = T_i(\mathbf{b}_1) T_j(\mathbf{b}_2)$$

⇒

$$\sigma_{Q_1 Q_2} = \frac{1}{1 + \delta_{Q_1 Q_2}} \frac{\sigma_{Q_1} \sigma_{Q_2}}{\sigma_{\text{eff}}}$$

$$\sigma_{\text{eff}} = \left[\int d^2 \mathbf{b} F(\mathbf{b})^2 \right], F(\mathbf{b}) = \int T(\mathbf{b}_i) T(\mathbf{b}_i - \mathbf{b}) d^2 \mathbf{b}_i$$

expected to be universal under the given assumptions

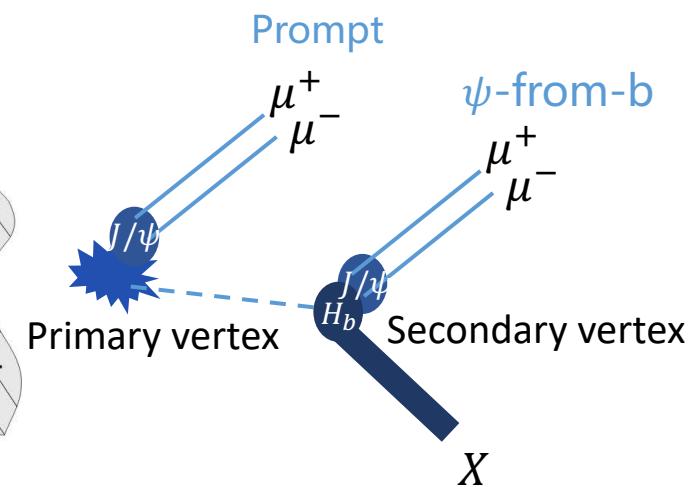
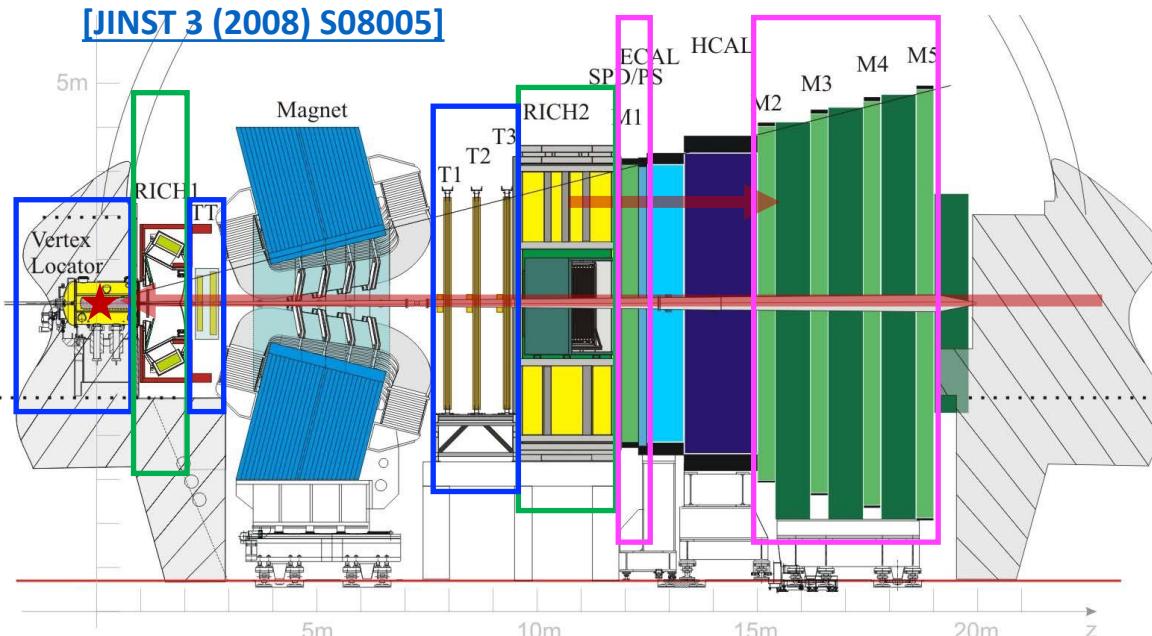


[PoS (LHC2020) 172;
arXiv: 2009.12555]

σ_{eff} [mb]
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New di-quarkonium results from LHCb

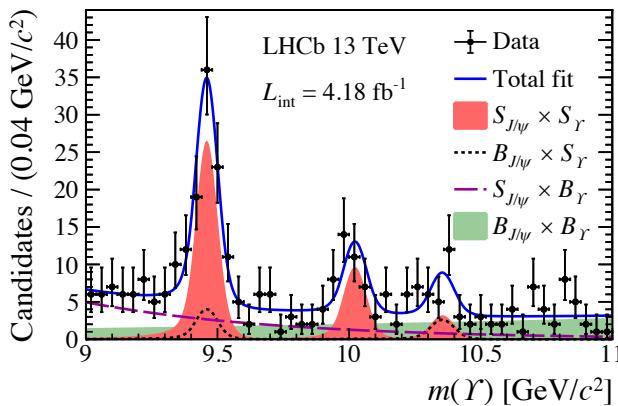
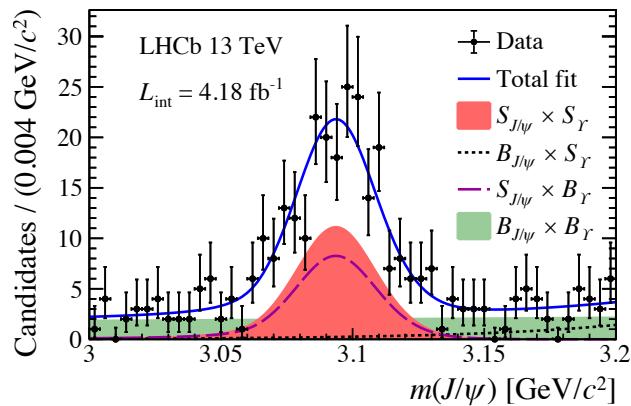
- Measurements performed using LHCb data at $\sqrt{s} = 13$ TeV corresponding to 4.2 fb^{-1}
 - ✓ $J/\psi - J/\psi$: Update & TMD PDFs study [LHCb-PAPER-2023-022, in preparation]
 - ✓ $J/\psi - \psi(2S)$
 - ✓ $J/\psi - \gamma$
- First cross-section measurement
- with J/ψ , $\psi(2S)$ and γ all reconstructed from $\mu^+ \mu^-$ final states
- LHCb is a single-arm forward region spectrometer covering $2 < \eta < 5$, with excellent **vertexing+tracking**, **particle identification** and **muon detection** performance



$J/\psi - \gamma$ production

[JHEP 08 (2023) 093]

➤ Fiducial region: $2 < y(J/\psi, \gamma) < 4.5, p_T(J/\psi) < 10 \text{ GeV}, p_T(\gamma) < 30 \text{ GeV}$



Signal	Raw yields	Significances
$J/\psi - \gamma(1S)$	76 ± 12	7.9σ
$J/\psi - \gamma(2S)$	30 ± 7	4.9σ
$J/\psi - \gamma(3S)$	10 ± 6	1.7σ

$$\sigma(J/\psi - \gamma(1S)) = 133 \pm 22(\text{stat}) \pm 7(\text{syst}) \pm 3(\mathcal{B}) \text{ pb}$$

$$\sigma(J/\psi - \gamma(2S)) = 76 \pm 21(\text{stat}) \pm 4(\text{syst}) \pm 7(\mathcal{B}) \text{ pb}$$

✓ $\sigma_{\text{eff}}(J/\psi - \gamma) \equiv \frac{\sigma(J/\psi) \times \sigma(\gamma)}{\sigma_{\text{DPS}}(J/\psi - \gamma)}$ determined

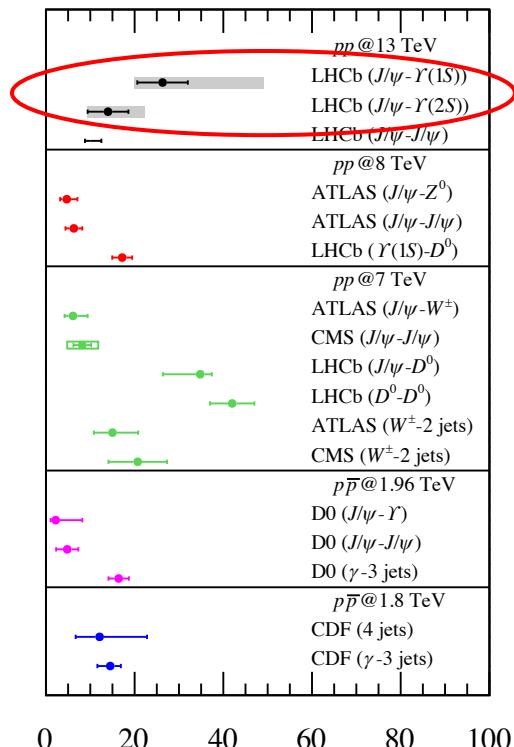
by subtracting SPS contribution

[PRL 117 (2016) 062001]

$$\sigma_{\text{SPS}}(J/\psi - \gamma(1S)) = 20^{+52}_{-15} \text{ pb}, \sigma_{\text{SPS}}(J/\psi - \gamma(2S)) = 8^{+22}_{-6} \text{ pb}$$

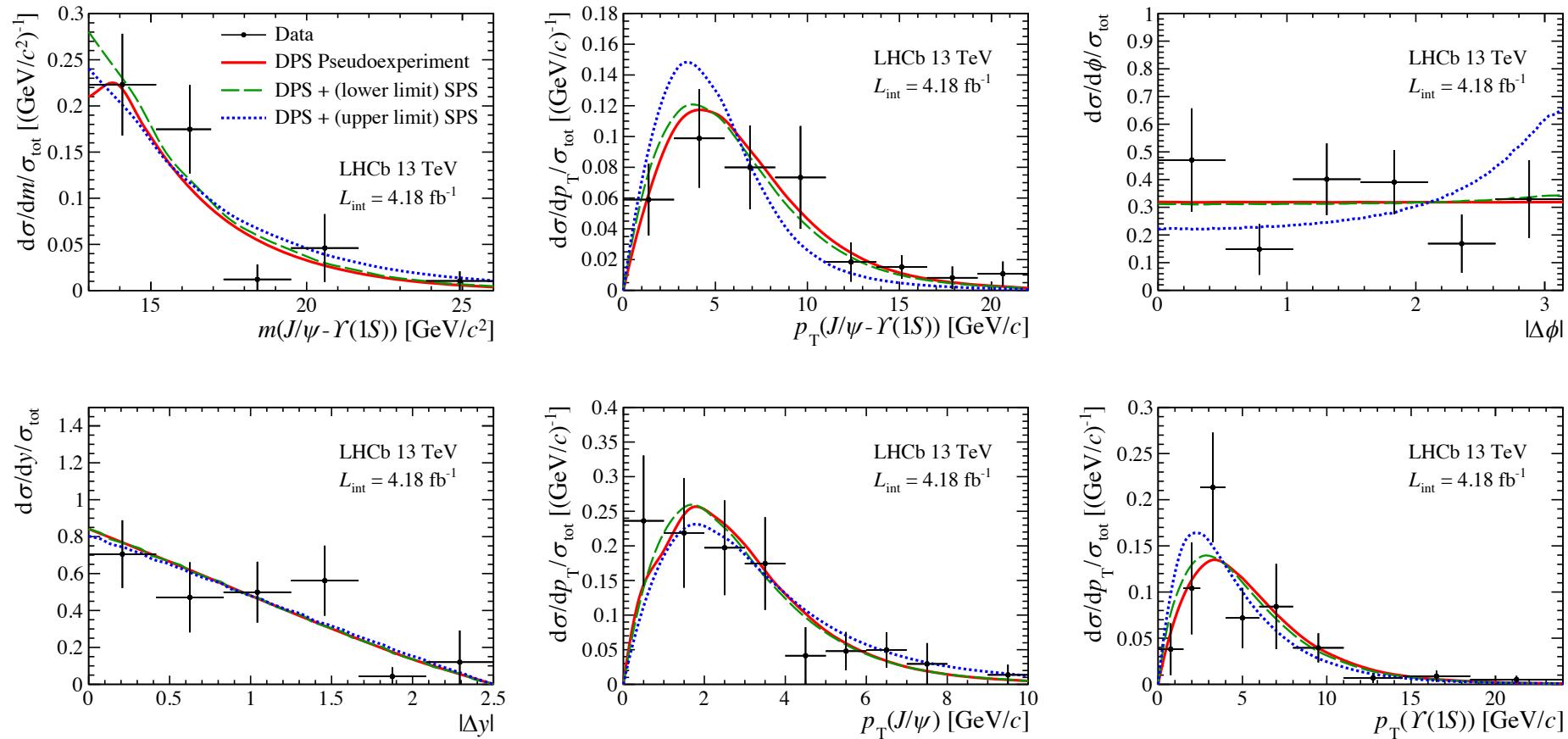
$$\sigma_{\text{eff}}(J/\psi - \gamma(1S)) = 26 \pm 5(\text{stat}) \pm 2(\text{syst}) {}^{+22}_{-3}(\text{th}) \text{ mb}$$

$$\sigma_{\text{eff}}(J/\psi - \gamma(2S)) = 14 \pm 5(\text{stat}) \pm 1(\text{syst}) {}^{+7}_{-1}(\text{th}) \text{ mb}$$



Differential $J/\psi - \gamma$ cross-sections

[JHEP 08 (2023) 093]

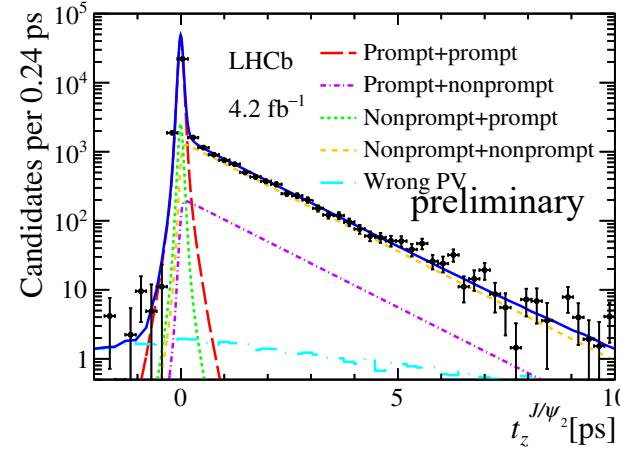
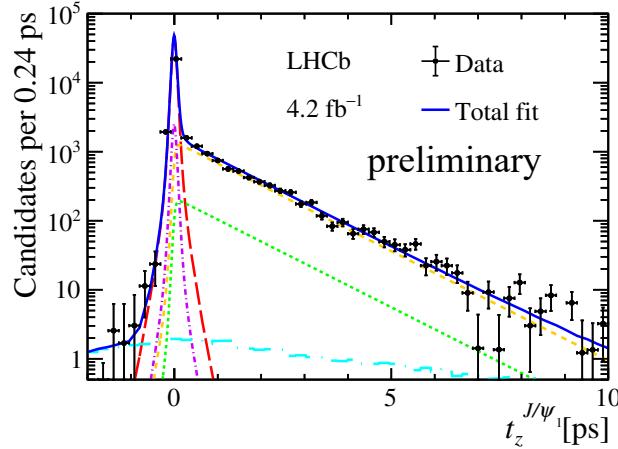
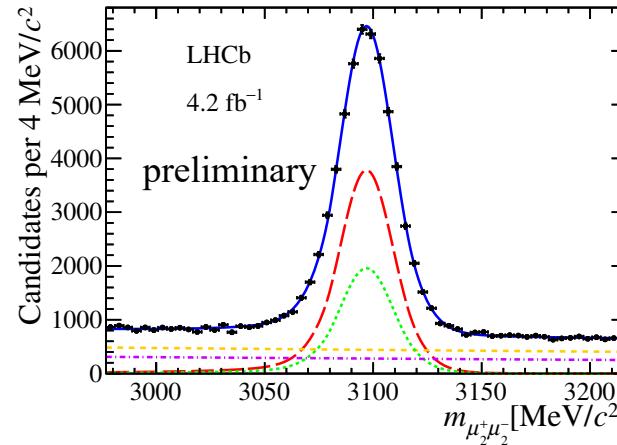
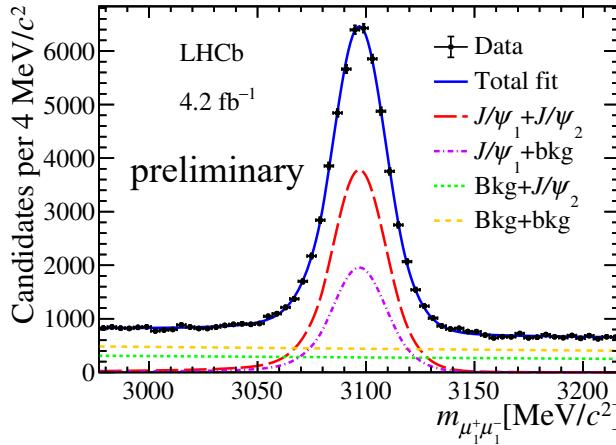


➤ Results consistent with both DPS-only and DPS+predicted SPS scenarios

$J/\psi - J/\psi$ production

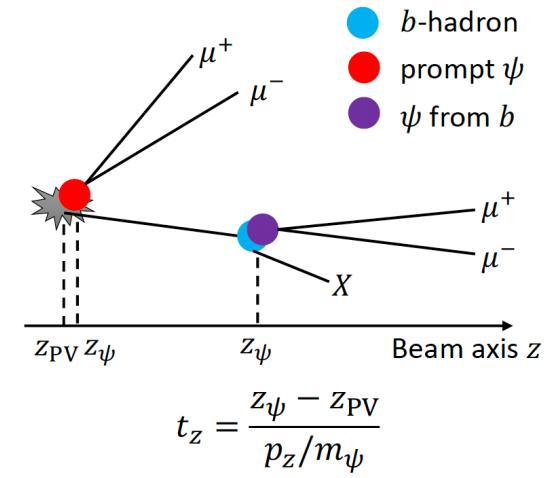
[LHCb-PAPER-2023-022]

➤ Fiducial region: $2 < y(J/\psi) < 4.5, p_T(J/\psi) < 14 \text{ GeV}$



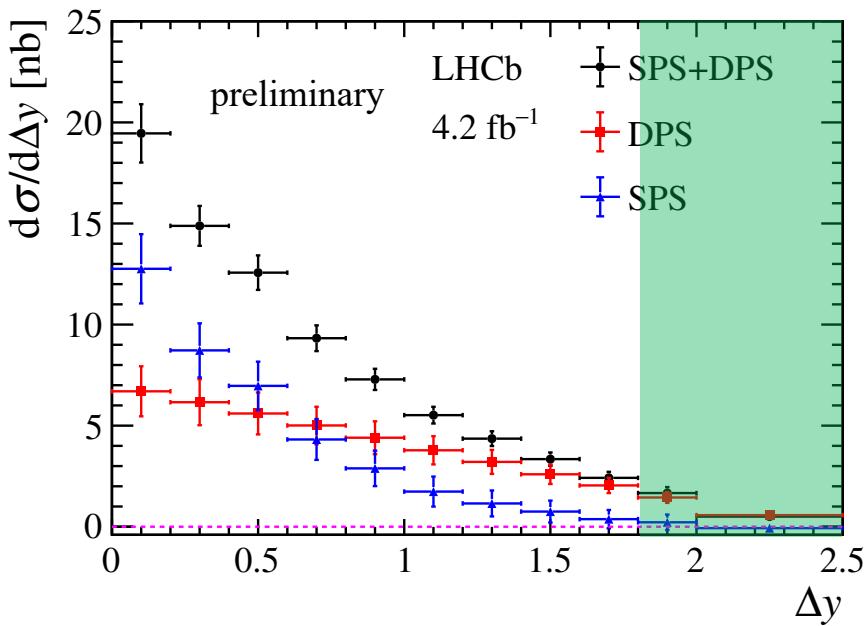
$$N(J/\psi - J/\psi)_{\text{prompt}} = (2.187 \pm 0.020) \times 10^4$$

$$\sigma(J/\psi - J/\psi) = 16.36 \pm 0.28(\text{stat}) \pm 0.88(\text{syst}) \text{ nb}$$



SPS and DPS separation

[LHCb-PAPER-2023-022]

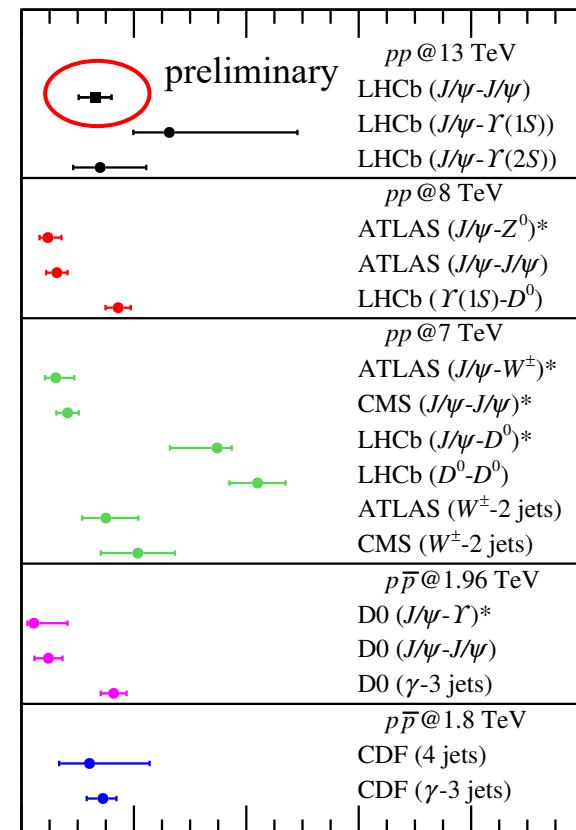


$$\sigma(J/\psi - J/\psi)_{\text{DPS}} = 8.6 \pm 1.2(\text{stat}) \pm 1.0(\text{syst}) \text{ nb}$$

$$\sigma(J/\psi - J/\psi)_{\text{SPS}} = 7.9 \pm 1.2(\text{stat}) \pm 1.1(\text{syst}) \text{ nb}$$

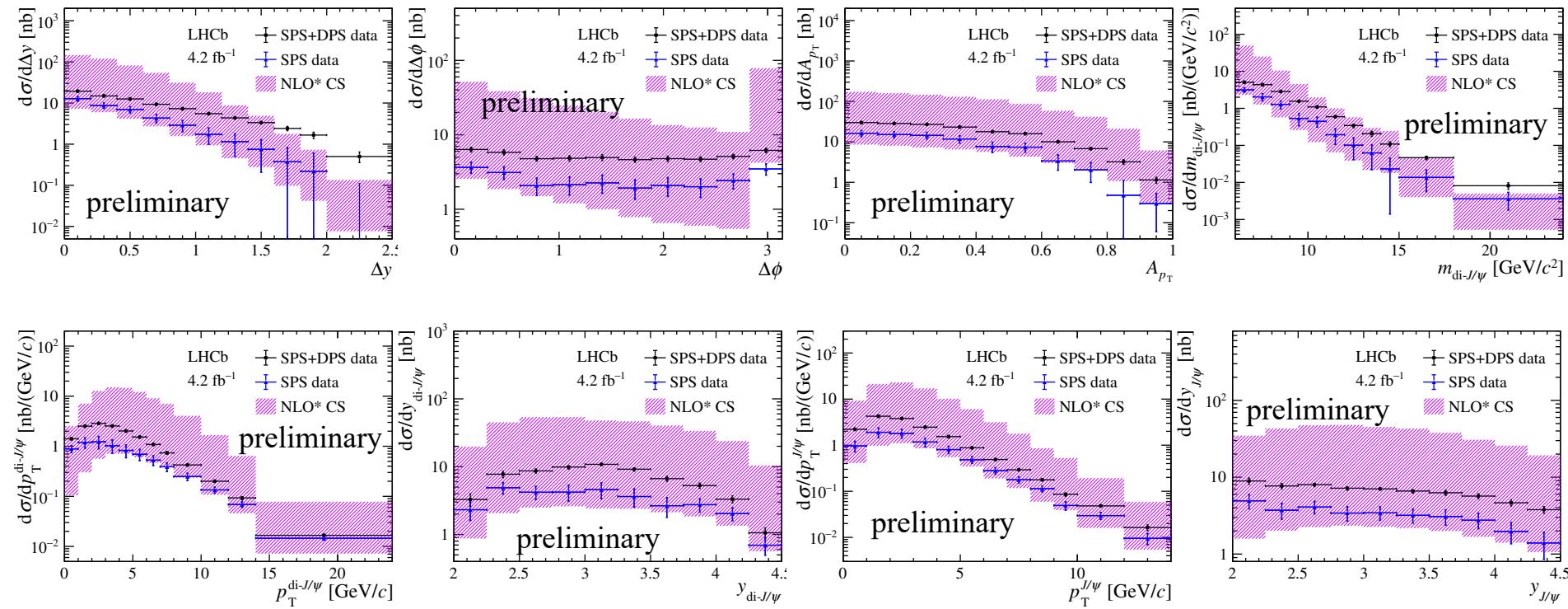
$$\sigma_{\text{eff}} = 13.1 \pm 1.8(\text{stat}) \pm 2.3(\text{syst}) \text{ mb}$$

➤ SPS & DPS separated assuming negligible SPS contribution in $1.8 < \Delta y < 2.5$ according to NRQCD predictions



Differential $J/\psi - J/\psi$ cross-section

[LHCb-PAPER-2023-022]



➤ SPS differential cross-sections are within uncertainties of the incomplete (no-loops) next-to-leading order (NLO*) color-singlet (CS) NRQCD calculations

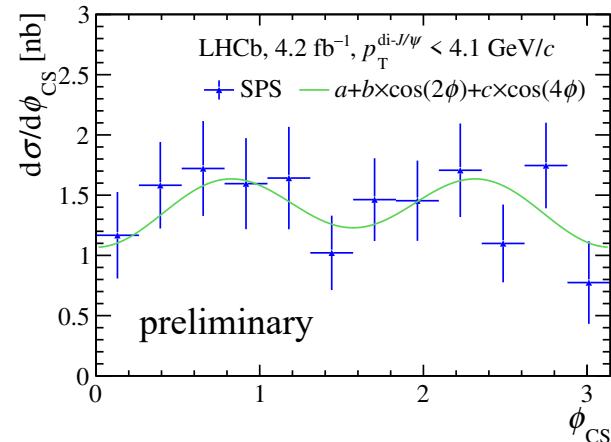
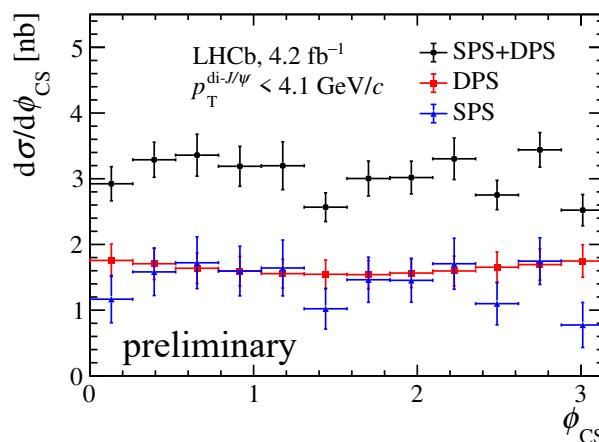
[PRL 111 (2013) 122001] [Comput. Phys. Commun. 184 (2013) 2562] [Comput. Phys. Commun. 198 (2016) 238]

Gluon TMD PDFs study

[LHCb-PAPER-2023-022]

➤ $h_1^{\perp g}(x, k_T^2, \mu) \Rightarrow$ azimuthal asymmetry

$$d\sigma/d\phi_{CS} = a + b \times \cos(2\phi_{CS}) + c \times \cos(4\phi_{CS})$$



$$\begin{aligned} a &= F_1 \mathcal{C}[f_1^g f_1^g] + F_2 \mathcal{C}[w_2 h_1^{\perp g} h_1^{\perp g}], \\ b &= F_3 \mathcal{C}[w_3 f_1^g h_1^{\perp g}] + F'_3 \mathcal{C}[w'_3 h_1^{\perp g} f_1^g], \\ c &= F_4 \mathcal{C}[w_4 h_1^{\perp g} h_1^{\perp g}], \end{aligned}$$

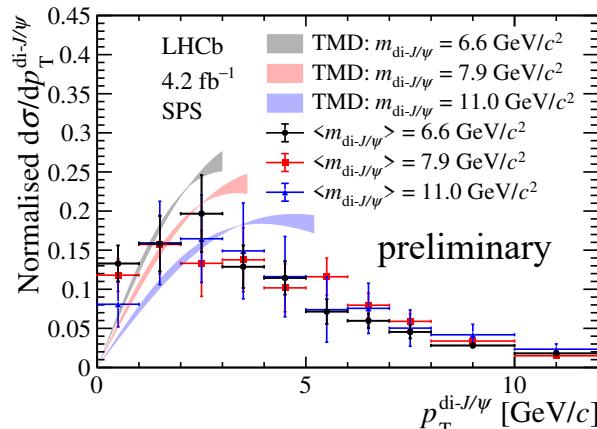
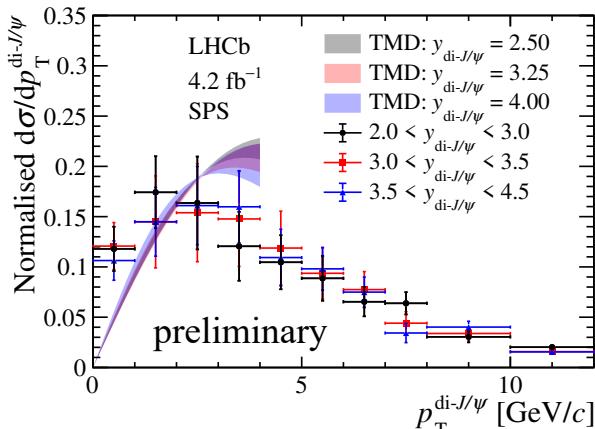
$$\begin{aligned} \langle \cos(2\phi_{CS}) \rangle &= b/2a \\ &= -0.029 \pm 0.050 \pm 0.009 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \cos(4\phi_{CS}) \rangle &= c/2a \\ &= -0.087 \pm 0.052 \pm 0.013 \end{aligned}$$

➤ $f_1^g(x, k_T^2, \mu)$: affect p_T spectrum

✓ p_T shape shows no dependence on y

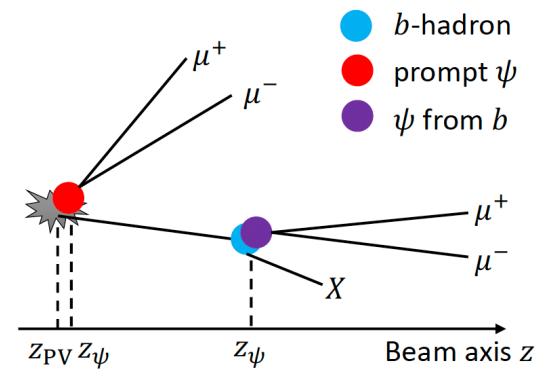
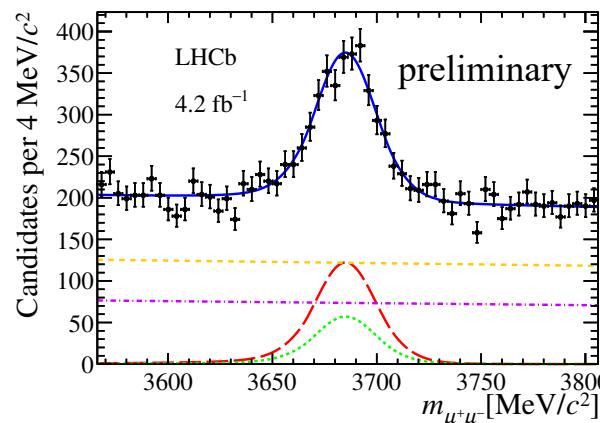
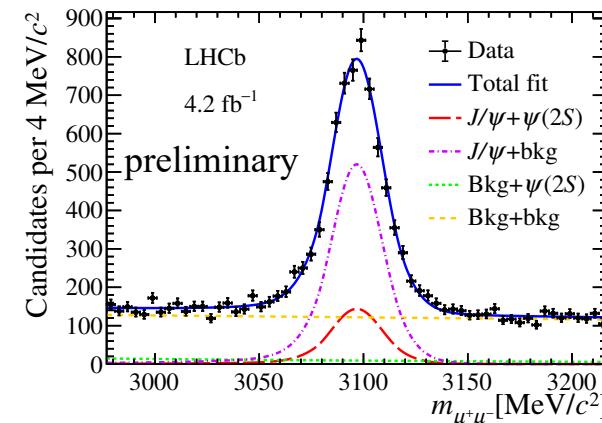
✓ No obvious broadening of p_T spectrum wrt increasing m given large uncertainties



$J/\psi - \psi(2S)$ production

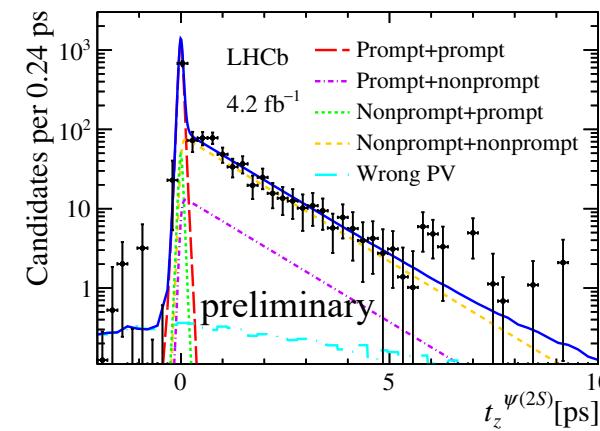
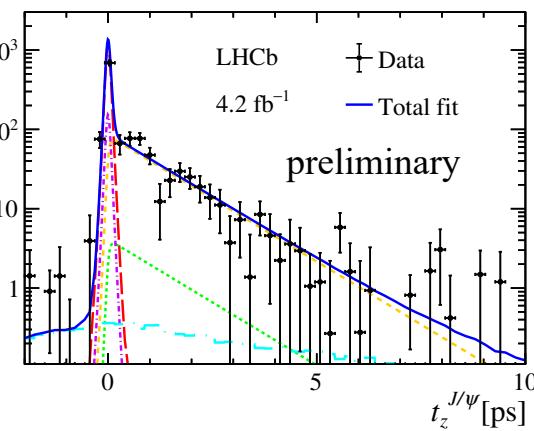
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➤ Fiducial region: $2 < y(\psi) < 4.5, p_T(\psi) < 14 \text{ GeV}$



$$t_z = \frac{Z_\psi - Z_{\text{PV}}}{p_z/m_\psi}$$

$$N(J/\psi - \psi(2S))_{\text{prompt}} = 629 \pm 50$$

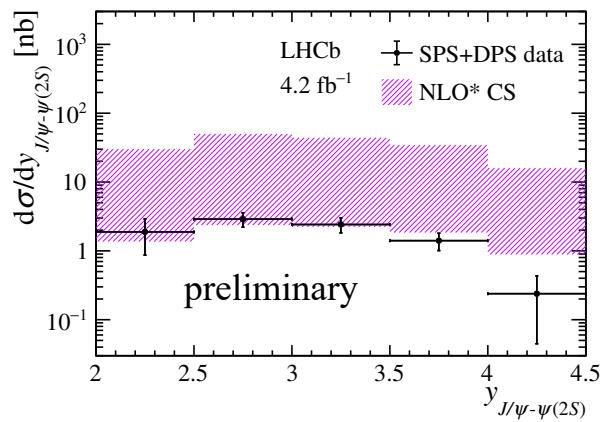
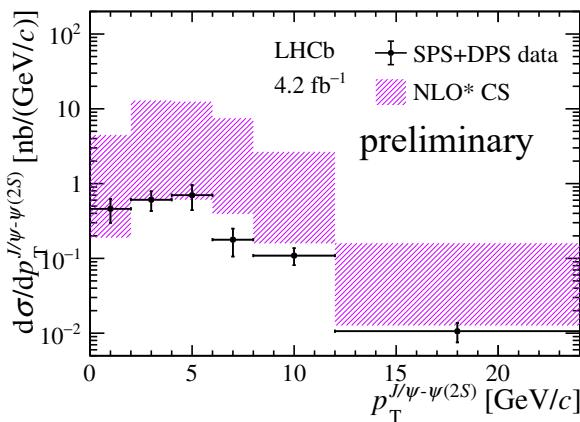
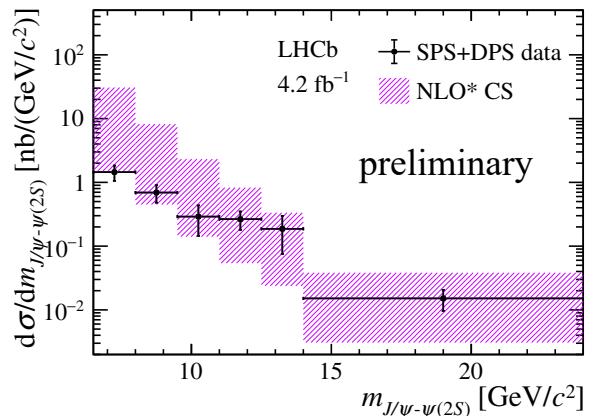
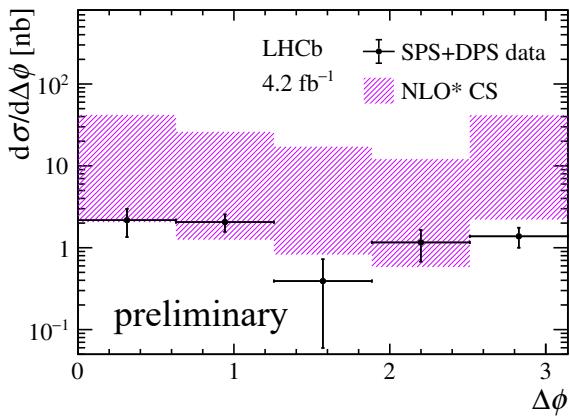
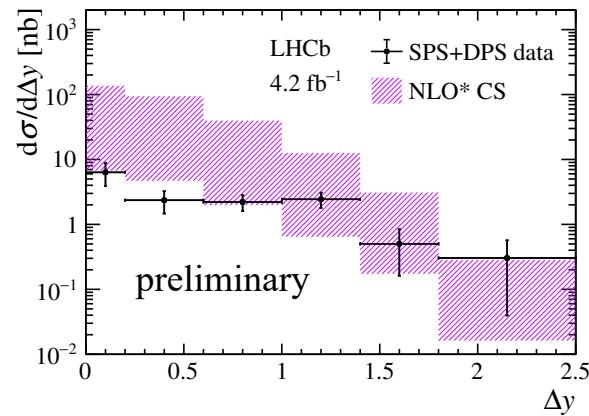


$$\sigma(J/\psi - \psi(2S)) = 4.49 \pm 0.71(\text{stat}) \pm 0.26(\text{syst}) \text{ nb}$$

$$\sigma_{\text{eff}}(\text{lower limit}) = \frac{\sigma(J/\psi)\sigma(\psi(2S))}{\sigma(J/\psi - \psi(2S))} = 7.1 \pm 1.1(\text{stat}) \pm 0.8(\text{syst}) \text{ mb}$$

Differential $J/\psi - \psi(2S)$ cross-section

[LHCb-PAPER-2023-023]



- Results consistent with NLO* CS NRQCD calculations albeit the DPS contribution is not subtracted

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$J/\psi - \psi(2S)$ vs. $J/\psi - J/\psi$

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➤ Predictions on the ratio between $\sigma(J/\psi - \psi(2S))$ and $\sigma(J/\psi - J/\psi)$ give

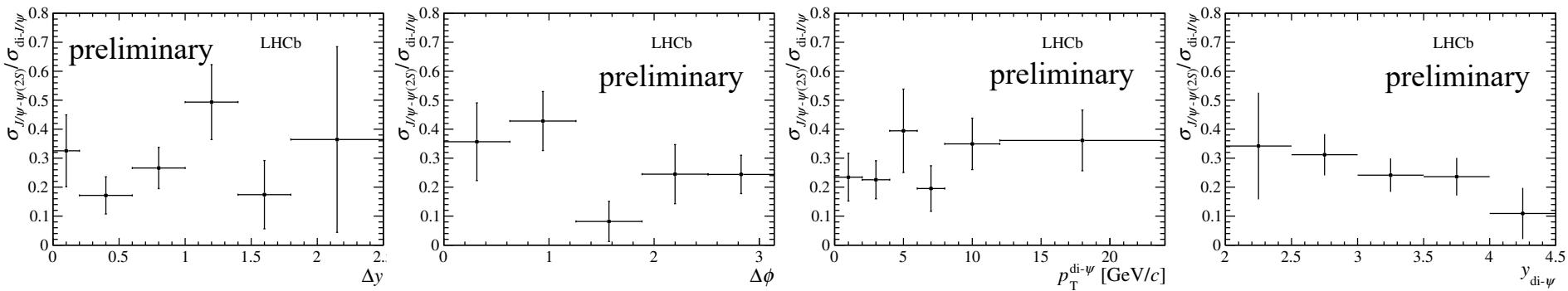
✓ SPS: 0.94 ± 0.030 [PLB 751 (2015) 479]

✓ DPS: 0.282 ± 0.027 [JHEP 10 (2015) 172] [EPJC 80 (2020) 185]

$$\frac{\sigma(J/\psi - \psi(2S))}{\sigma(J/\psi - J/\psi)} = 0.274 \pm 0.044(\text{stat}) \pm 0.008(\text{syst})$$

⇒ it confirms a prominent DPS contribution to $J/\psi - J/\psi$ production in a novel way, independent of the kinematic correlation of two J/ψ mesons

➤ Differential cross-section ratios are also measured, but more statistics needed



Summary

➤ Studies on associated quarkonium production actively ongoing at LHCb

◆ $J/\psi - \gamma$ @ 13 TeV

- ✓ First observation of $J/\psi - \gamma(1S)$ production in pp collisions
- ✓ σ_{eff} of DPS extracted

◆ $J/\psi - J/\psi$ @ 13 TeV

- ✓ SPS and DPS components separated and σ_{eff} of DPS extracted
- ✓ Azimuthal asymmetry and p_T spectrum in y and m bins measured for gluon TMD PDFs study
- ✓ Azimuthal asymmetry consistent with zero, but still allowing for asymmetry at a few percent level

◆ $J/\psi - \psi(2S)$ @ 13 TeV

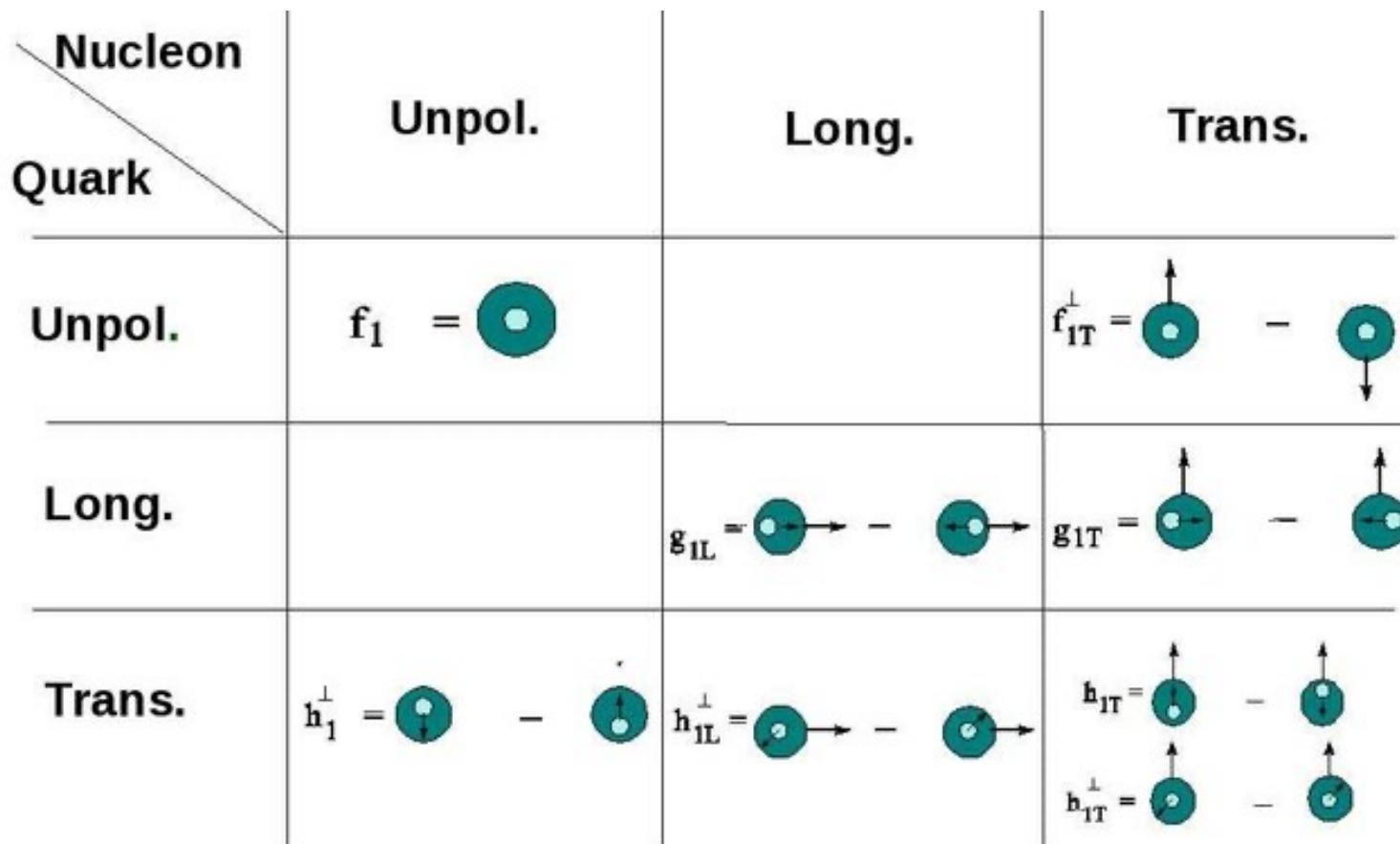
- ✓ first measurement of $\sigma(J/\psi - \psi(2S))$ in pp collisions
- ✓ confirms DPS component in $J/\psi - J/\psi$ production in a novel way

➤ More to come in the future...

Back up

Leading twist TMD PDFs

[PR12-09-014]



Sketch of CS frame

