

# Excited bottomonia in pp collisions

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# Part 1



# Feed-downs among bottomononia

Project within the [HonexComb](#) work package (JRA1 of STRONG-2020)  
Honexcomb goal: to foster cross-collaboration work at the LHC

Feed-down force: FD and RGdC (CMS), B. Audurier and G. Manca (LHCb)





Feed-downs are **production modes of a given quarkonium state from the decay of heavier resonances** of the same family

➤ components of the inclusive production measured experimentally

Fraction of  $Q(nL)$  originating from the decay of  $Q'(mL')$ :

$$\mathcal{F}_{Q(nL)}^{Q'(mL')} \equiv \frac{\sigma(pp \rightarrow Q'(mL') + X)}{\sigma(pp \rightarrow Q(nL) + X)} \times \mathcal{B}(Q'(mL') \rightarrow Q(nL) + \dots)$$



## Strong implications in quarkonium measurements

- ▶  $p_T$  spectrum of production cross sections
- ▶ key role in the “polarisation puzzle” (cf [PRD 94 \(2016\) 014028](#))
- ▶ **essential to understand the sequential suppression pattern in heavy-ion collisions** (and in proton–nucleus too!!!)

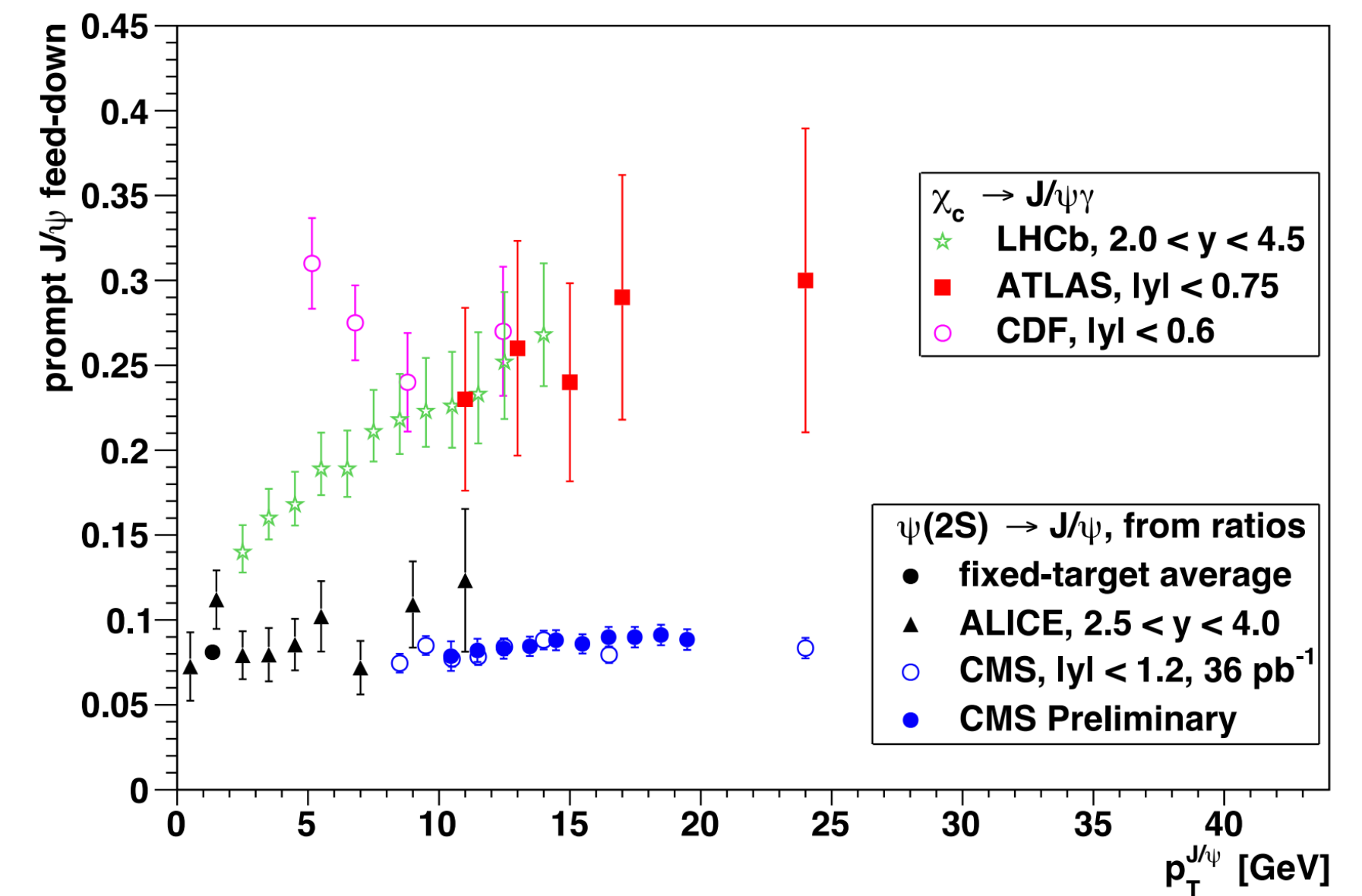
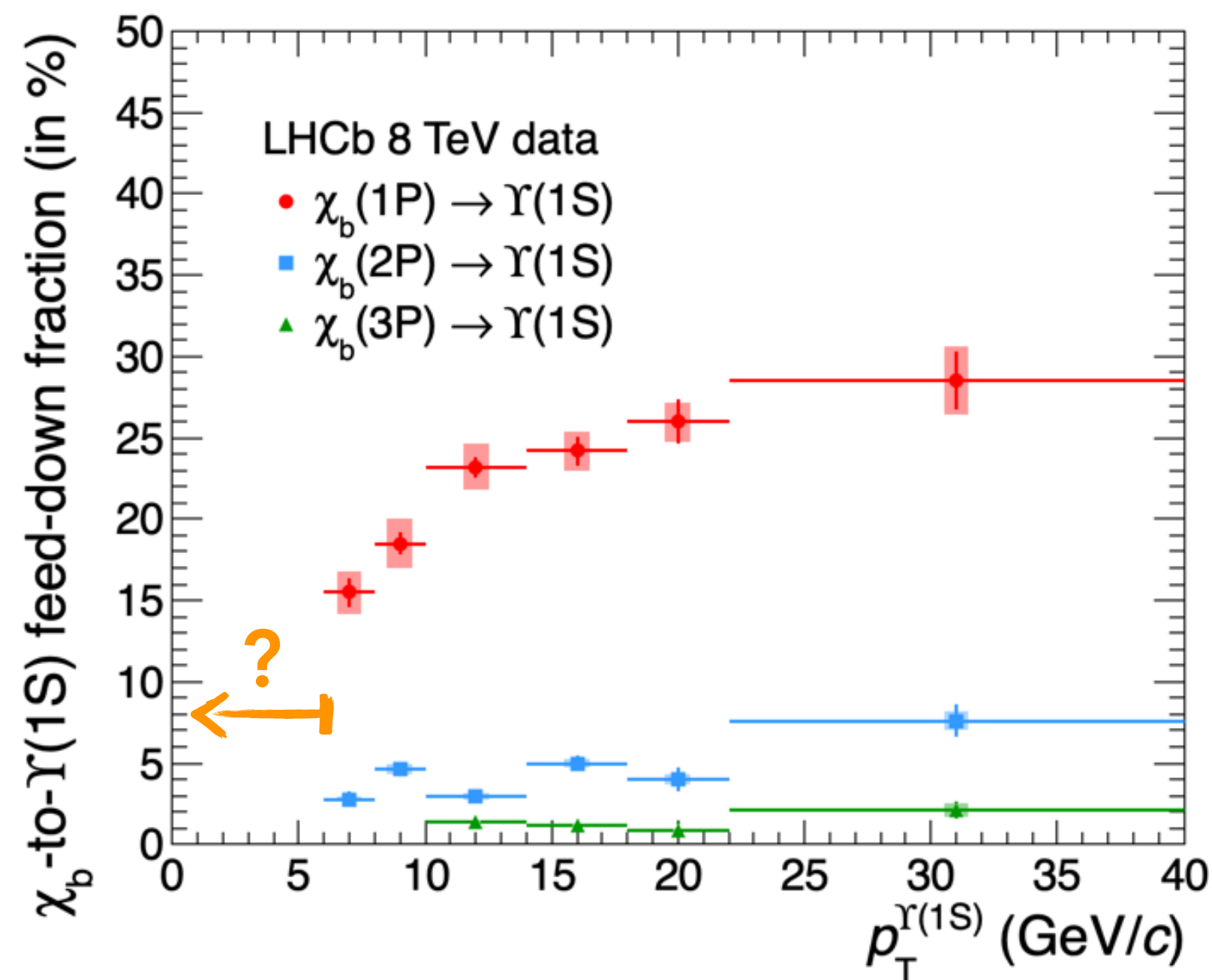
# Motivations



Derivation of feed-down fractions **based on early Run 1 measurements** (Hermine Wöhri at QWG 2014)

- ▶ reference for many models but results not published!
- ▶ charmonium family *under control* 🖱️
- ▶ **bottomonium case much more complex** (next slide)

$\chi_b \rightarrow \Upsilon(nS) \gamma$  cannot be reconstructed for  $p_T < 6$  GeV



- ▶ derivation and publication of feed-down fractions exploiting all the available Run 1 and 2 measurements
- ▶ starting with bottomonia
- ▶ bonus achievement: assess long-standing questions
- ▶ 🖱️ *is the direct  $\Upsilon(1S)$  production suppressed at the LHC?*

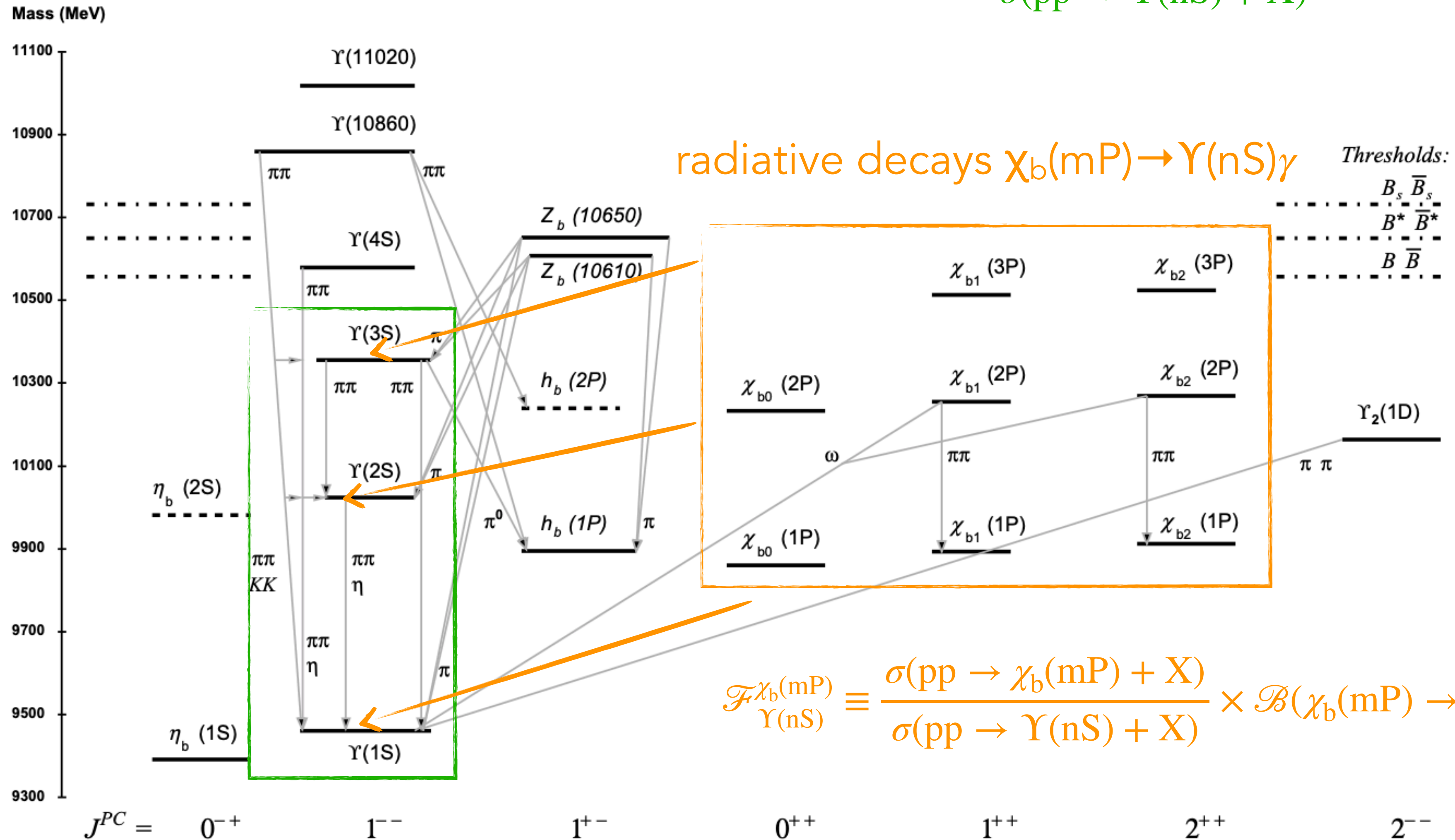
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# Bottomonia accessible at the LHC

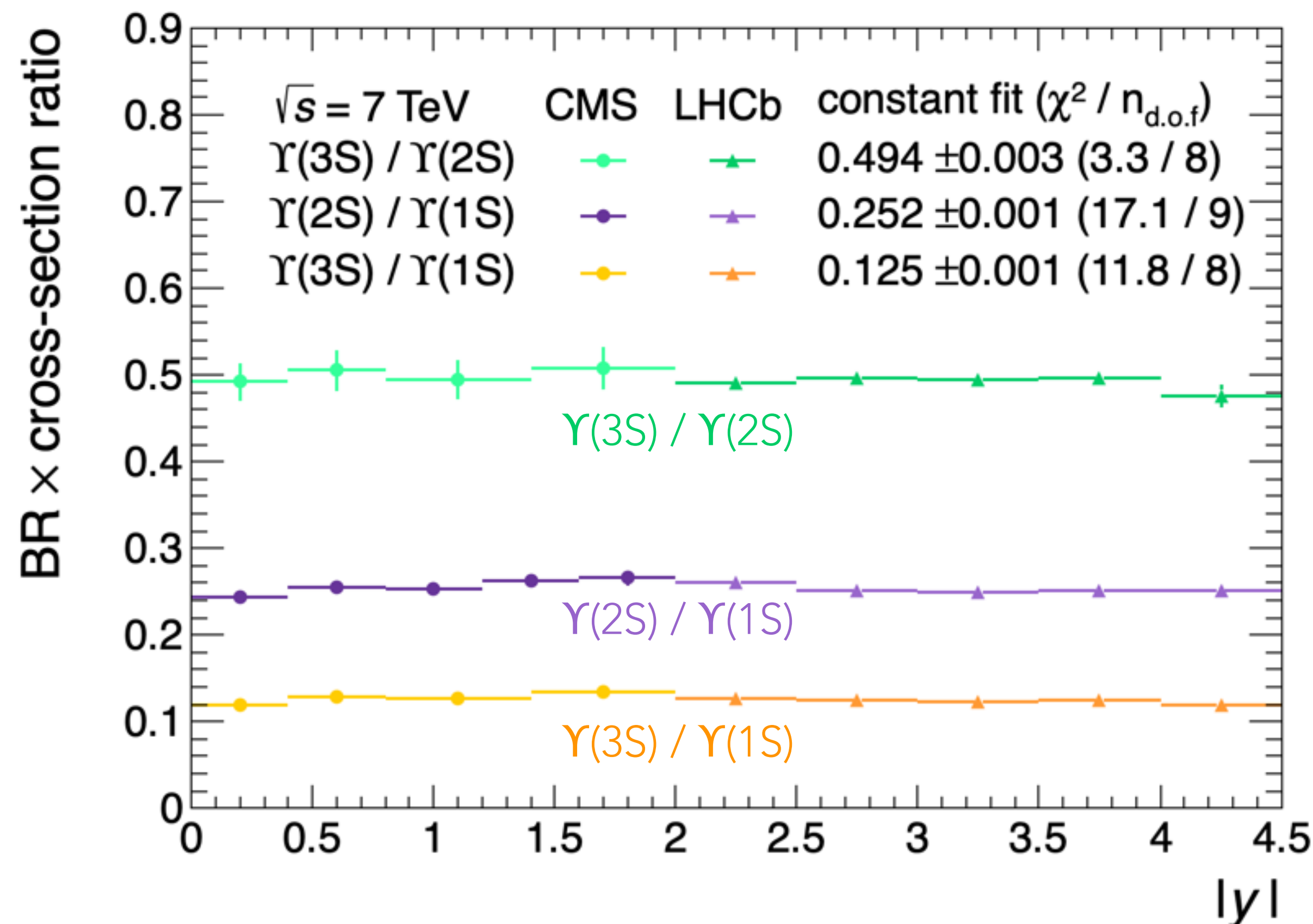


hadronic transitions  $Y(mS) \rightarrow Y(nS)\pi\pi$

$$\mathcal{F}_{Y(nS)}^{Y(mS)} \equiv \frac{\sigma(pp \rightarrow Y(mS) + X)}{\sigma(pp \rightarrow Y(nS) + X)} \times \mathcal{B}(Y(mS) \rightarrow Y(nS))$$



# Step 1) check the rapidity dependence



## Verification of the non-dependence with rapidity

(always assumed but never demonstrated)

- ▶ with  $\Upsilon(nS)$  cross-section ratios at 7 TeV measured by CMS (statistical uncertainties only,  $p_T < 50 \text{ GeV}$ ) and LHCb ( $p_T < 30 \text{ GeV}$ )
- ▶ **best chi-square obtained with a constant fit**

☞ can mix data measured for different rapidities **without any correction**

☞ what about  $\chi_b$ -to- $\Upsilon$  ratios? is the dependence expected to be similar?  
would need guidance from theory

# Step 2) study of the energy dependence

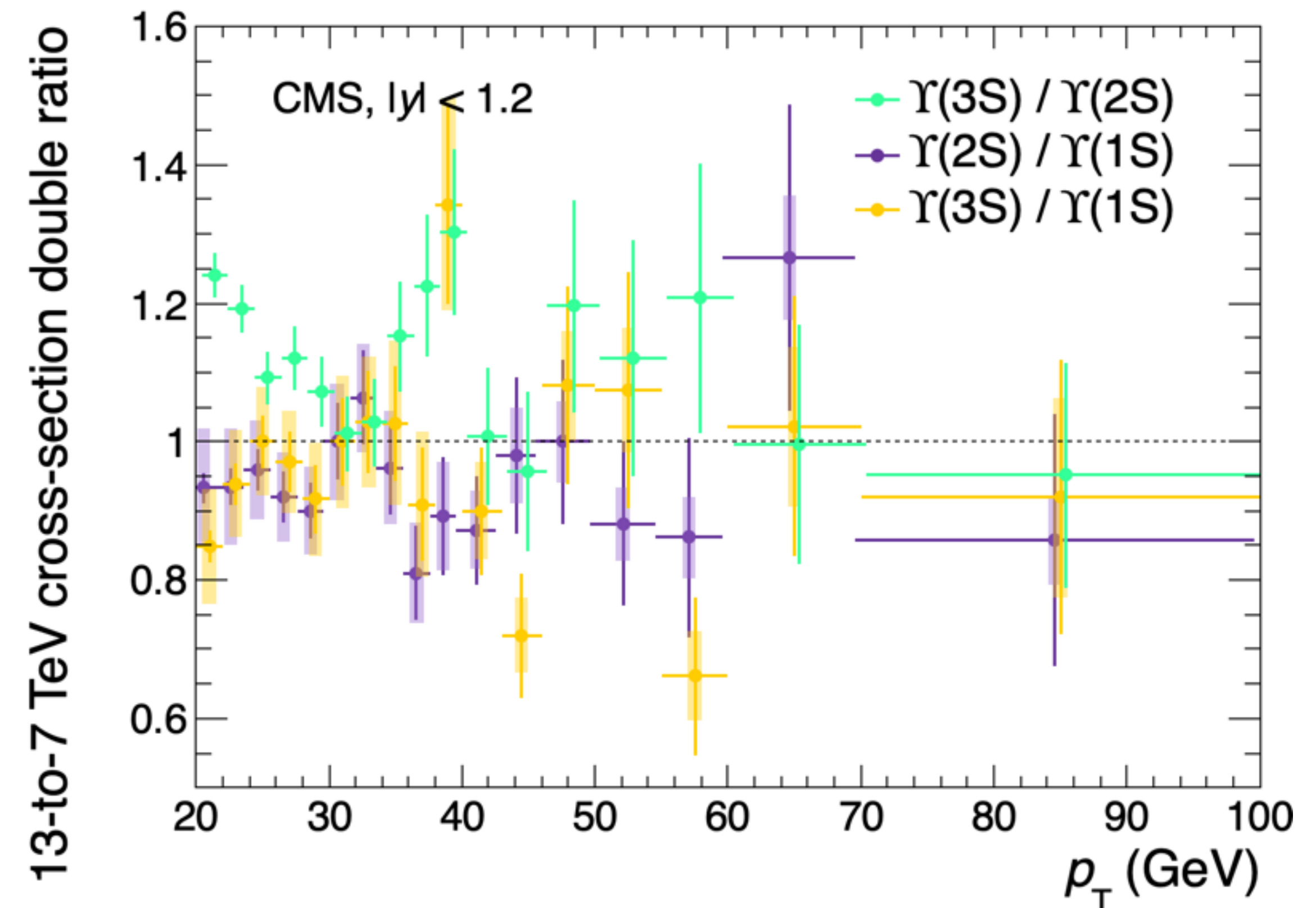
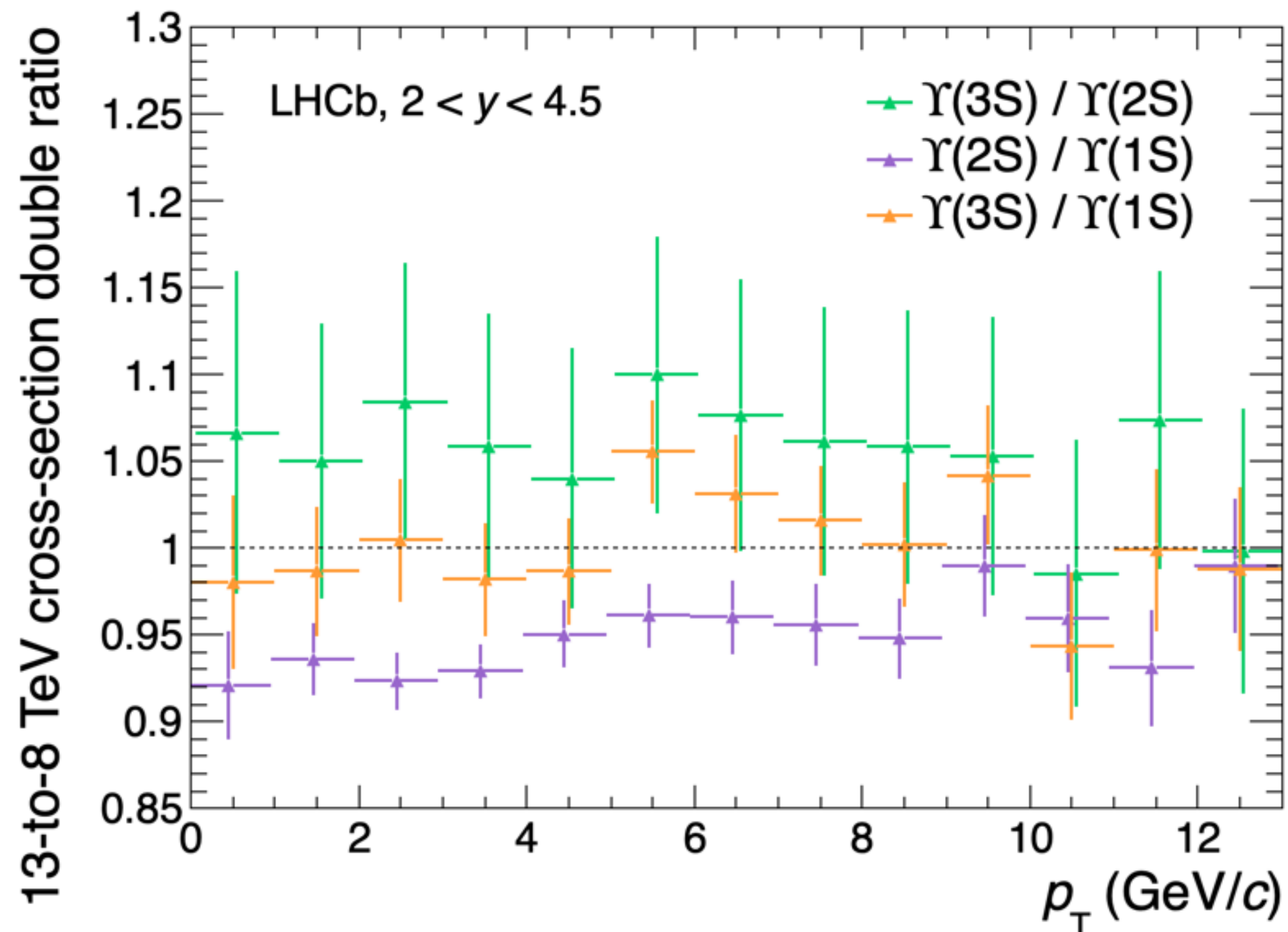


Investigation of the dependence of the cross-section ratios with the centre-of-mass energy

➡ can exploit measurements performed at different energies just by applying global scale factors

no  $p_T$  dependence + small energy dependence at low  $p_T$

not clear for high  $p_T$

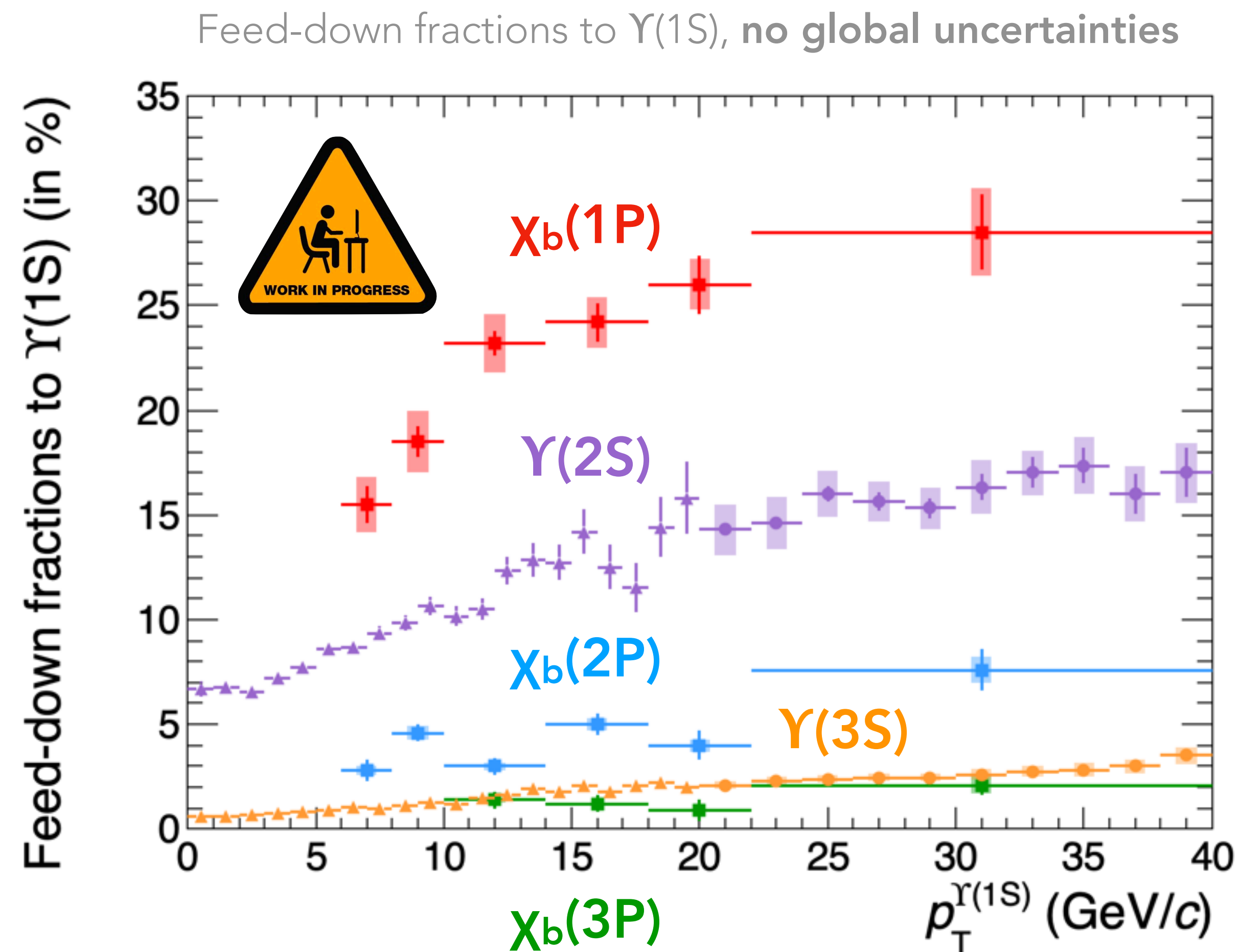


# Snapshot – feed-down fractions to $\Upsilon(1S)$



Preliminary results for  $\Upsilon(1S)$

- ▶  $\Upsilon(nS)$  cross-section ratios from [LHCb](#) (triangles) and [CMS](#) (circles) measurements at 13 TeV
- ▶ feed-down fractions from  $\chi_b$  directly taken from [LHCb measurements](#) at 8 TeV
- ▶ **branching-ratio uncertainties not represented** (probably the dominant source of final systematics)







We aim to derive **feed-down fractions in bottomonium production** at the LHC, exploiting all available Run 1 and 2 measurements.

First study shows **no dependence with rapidity and small dependence with energy** (if any).

## Next steps

- ▶ investigation of **low- $p_T$  extrapolation for  $\chi_b$  contributions**
- ▶ evaluation of global uncertainties from branching fractions (partially correlated)

## Open questions

- ▶ how to extrapolate? CEM / NRQCD predictions? empirical functions?
- ▶ could we estimate contributions to  $\chi_b$  aswell? in view of future measurements

**Any suggestion is more than welcome!!!**

## Part 2

**Y(nS) versus pp multiplicity**

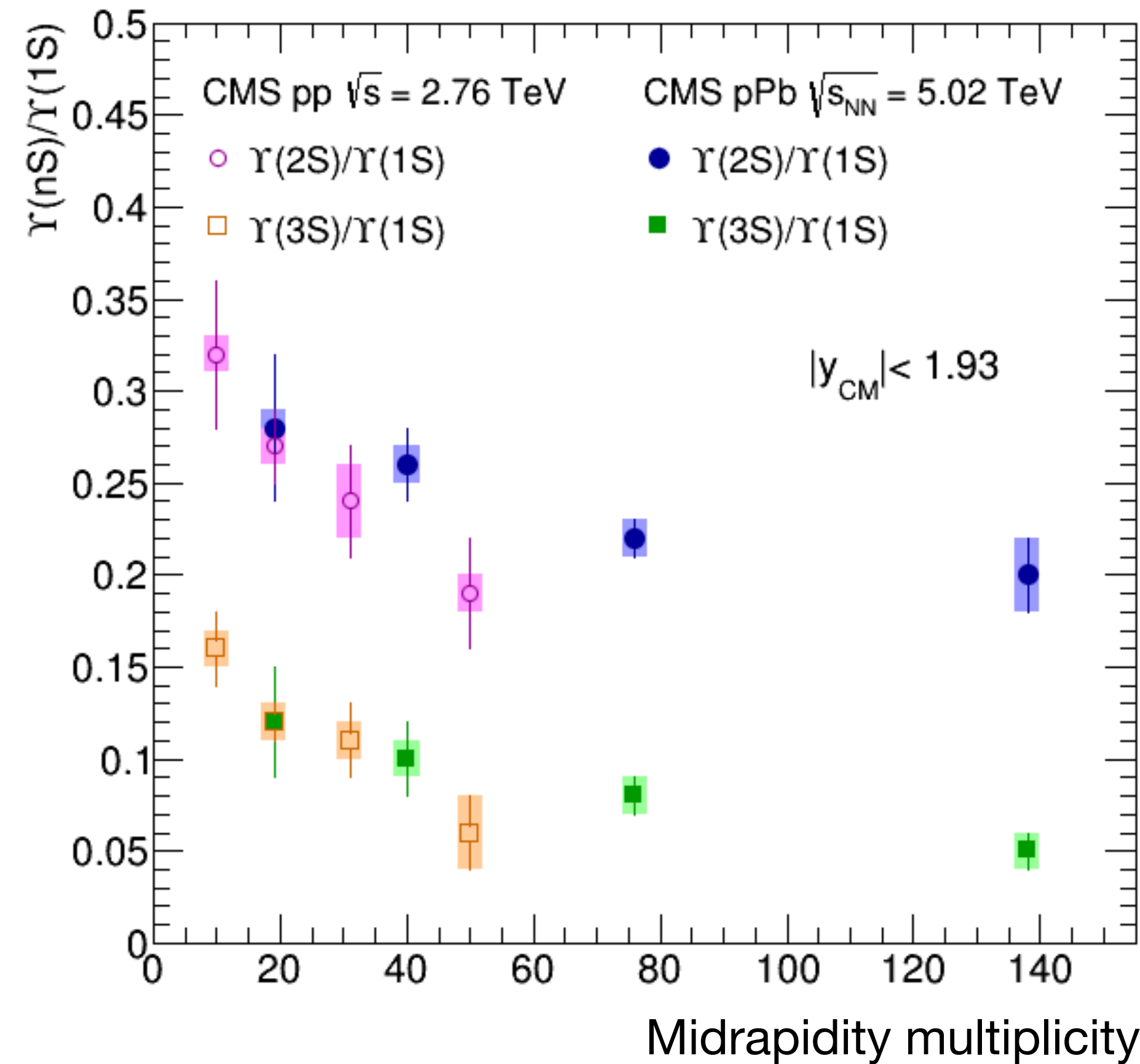
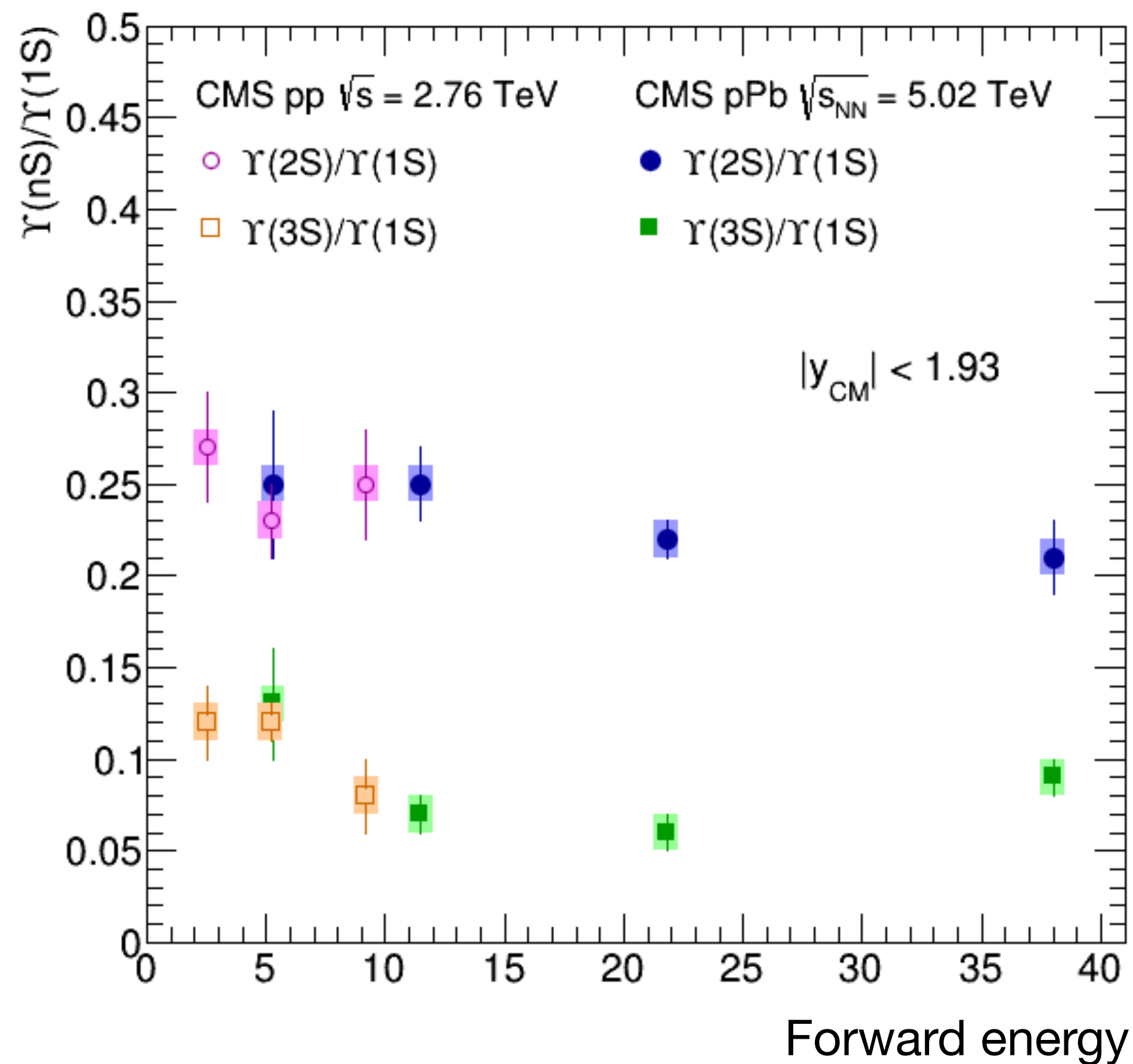
# Versus pp multiplicity



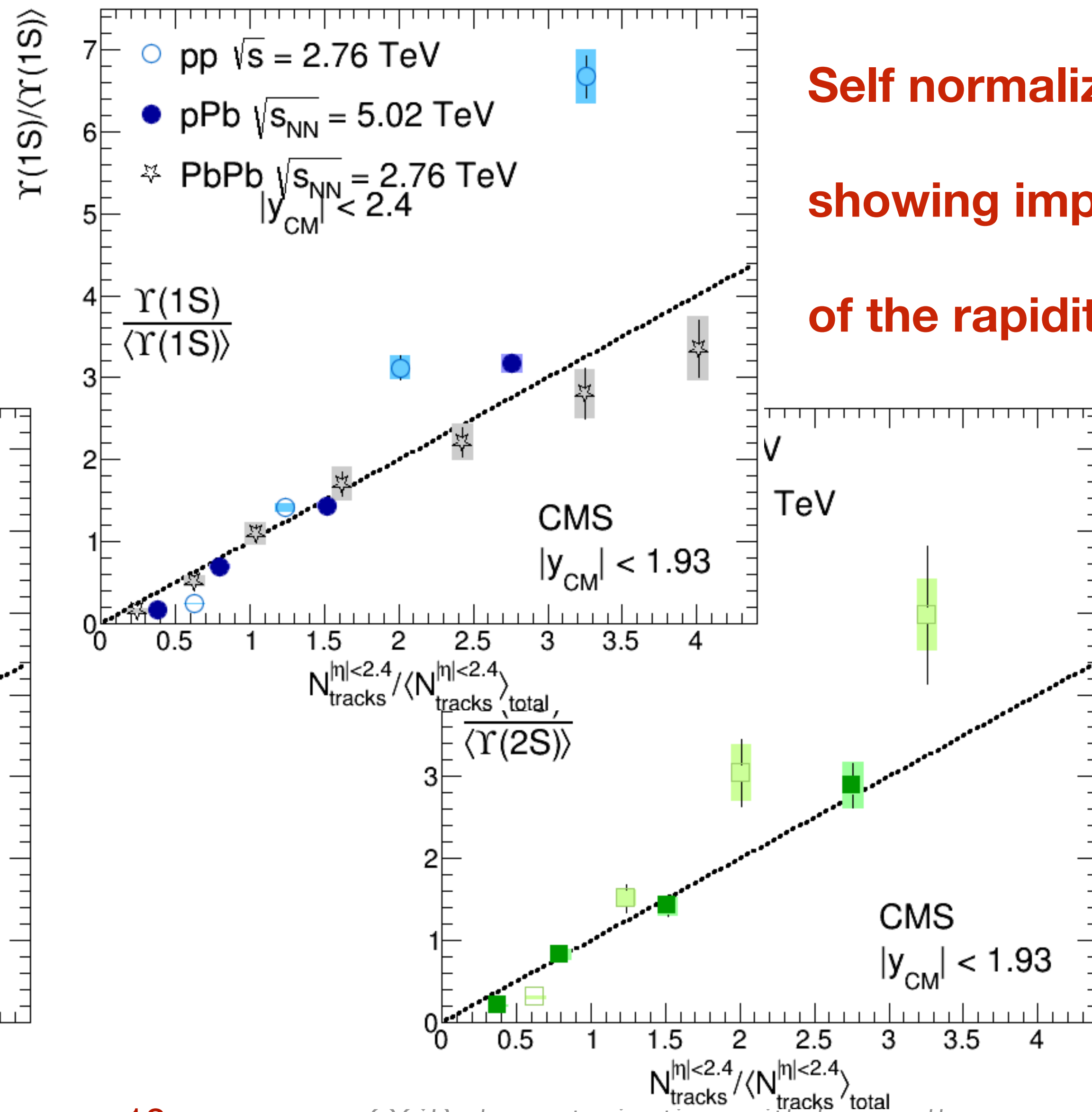
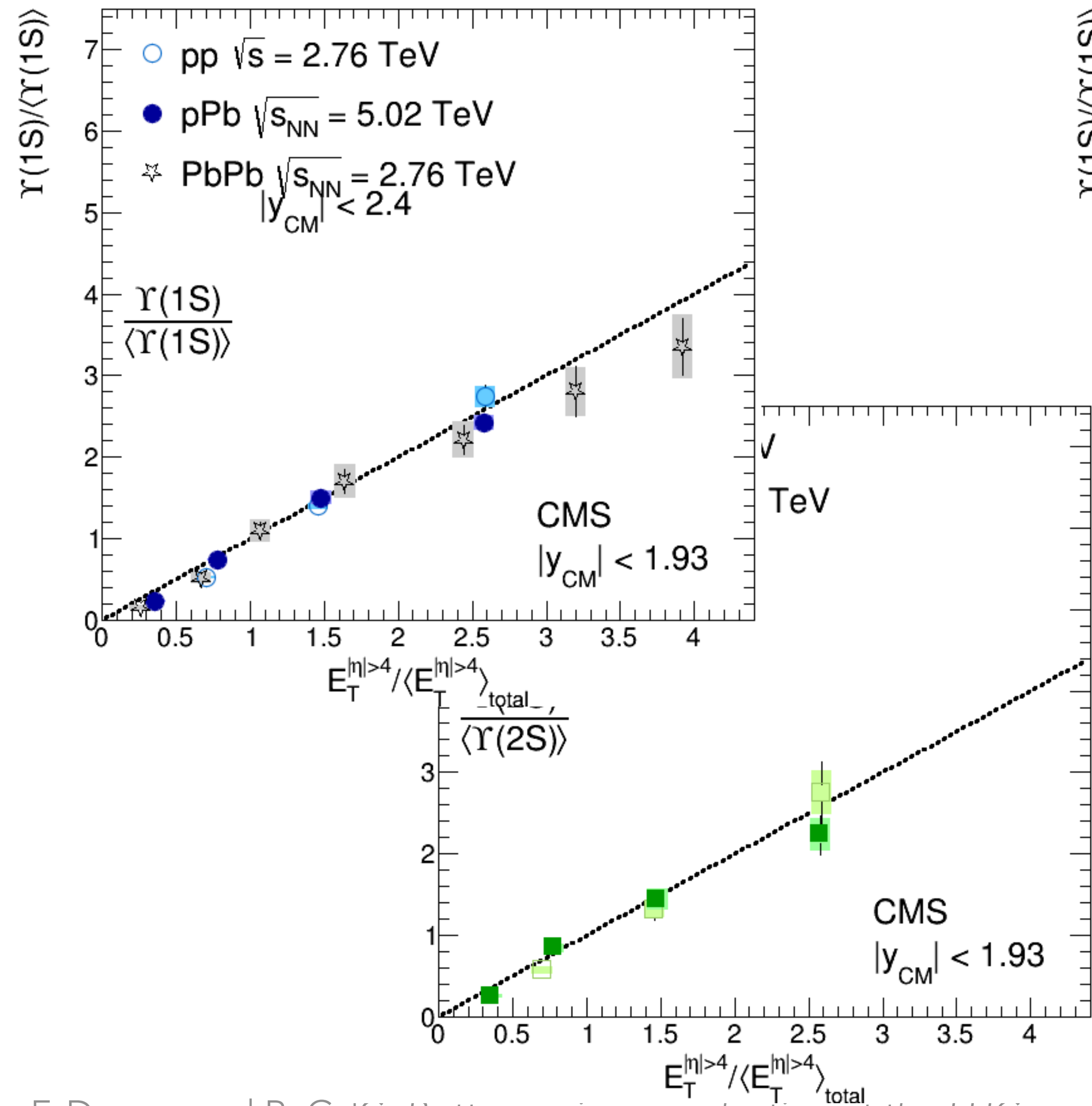
First look at pp collisions versus multiplicity, brought **a big surprise** 🤯

A variation of  $\Upsilon(nS)/\Upsilon(1S)$ , larger than for pPb, larger when multiplicity is measured at same  $y$

**Is the multiplicity killing the state? or are the states modifying the multiplicity?**



# Versus pp multiplicity



Self normalized yields showing importance of the rapidity gap

# Versus pp multiplicity

CMS, [JHEP04 \(2014\) 103](#)

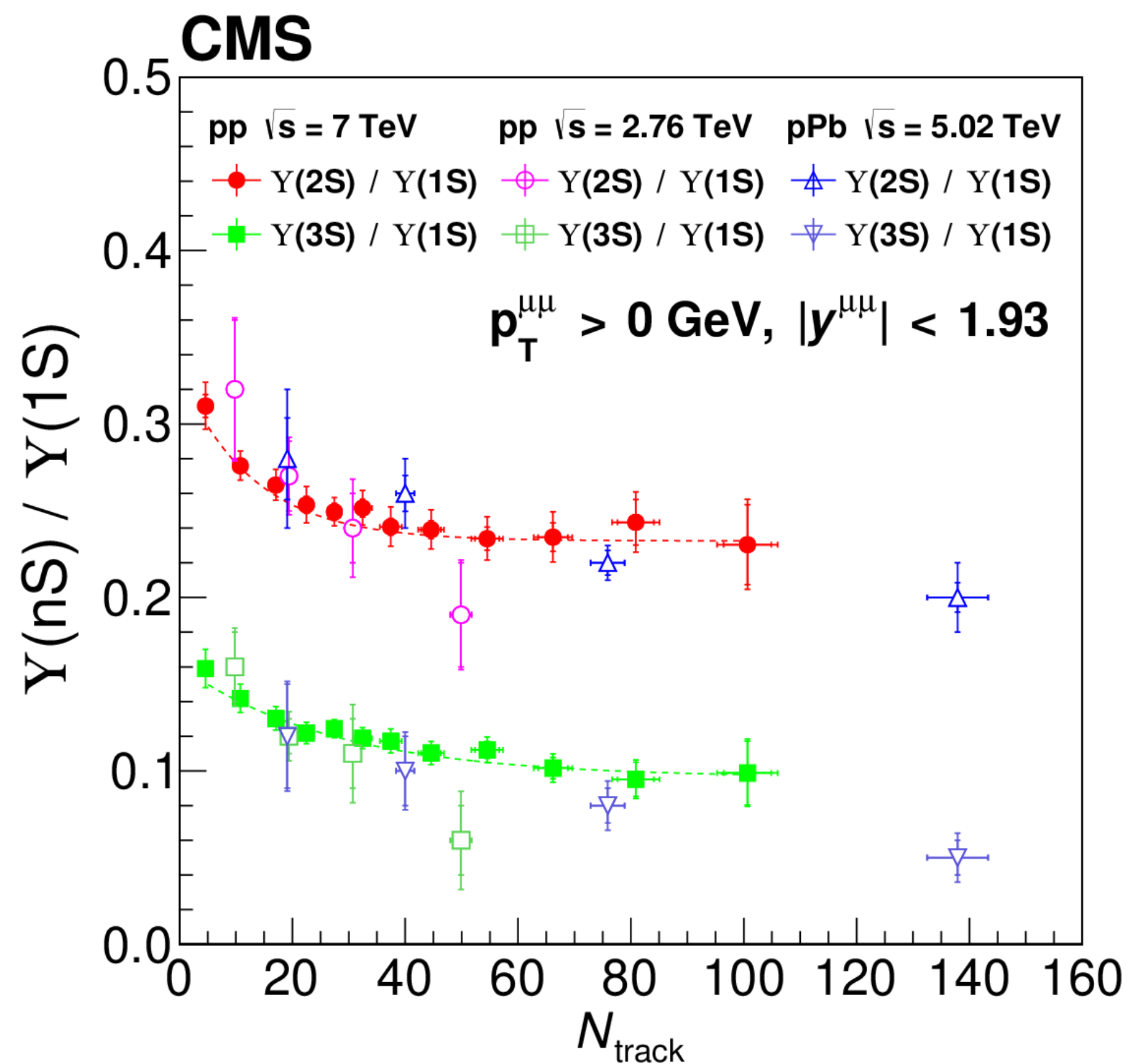
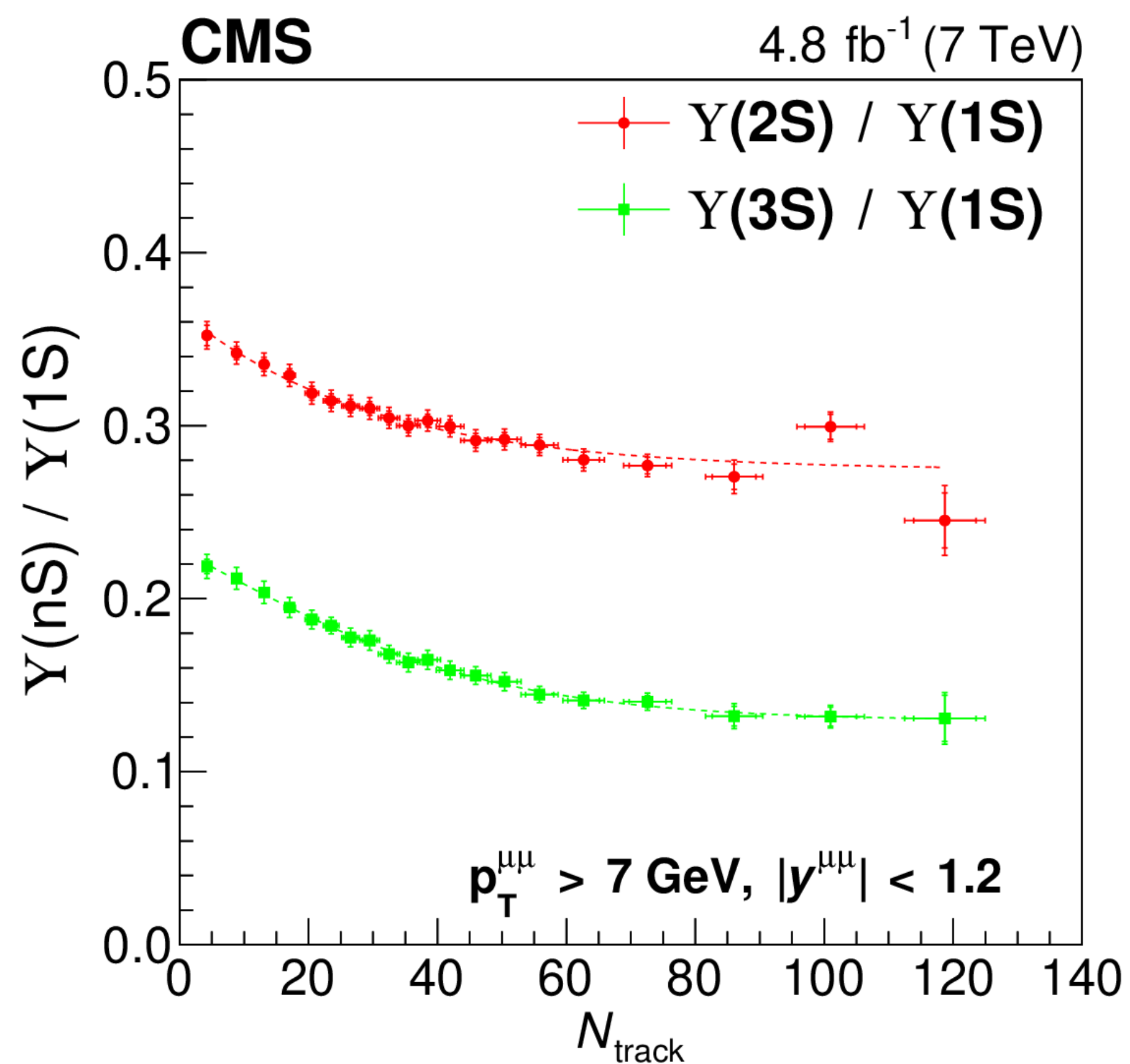
CMS, [JHEP11 \(2020\) 001](#)



This triggered a **high-statistics analysis** in pp collisions @ 7 TeV

No results vs forward energy, because of pile-up 😞, but a very large sample @ high  $p_T$

➡ A rapid plateau, **effect concentrated at very small multiplicity**



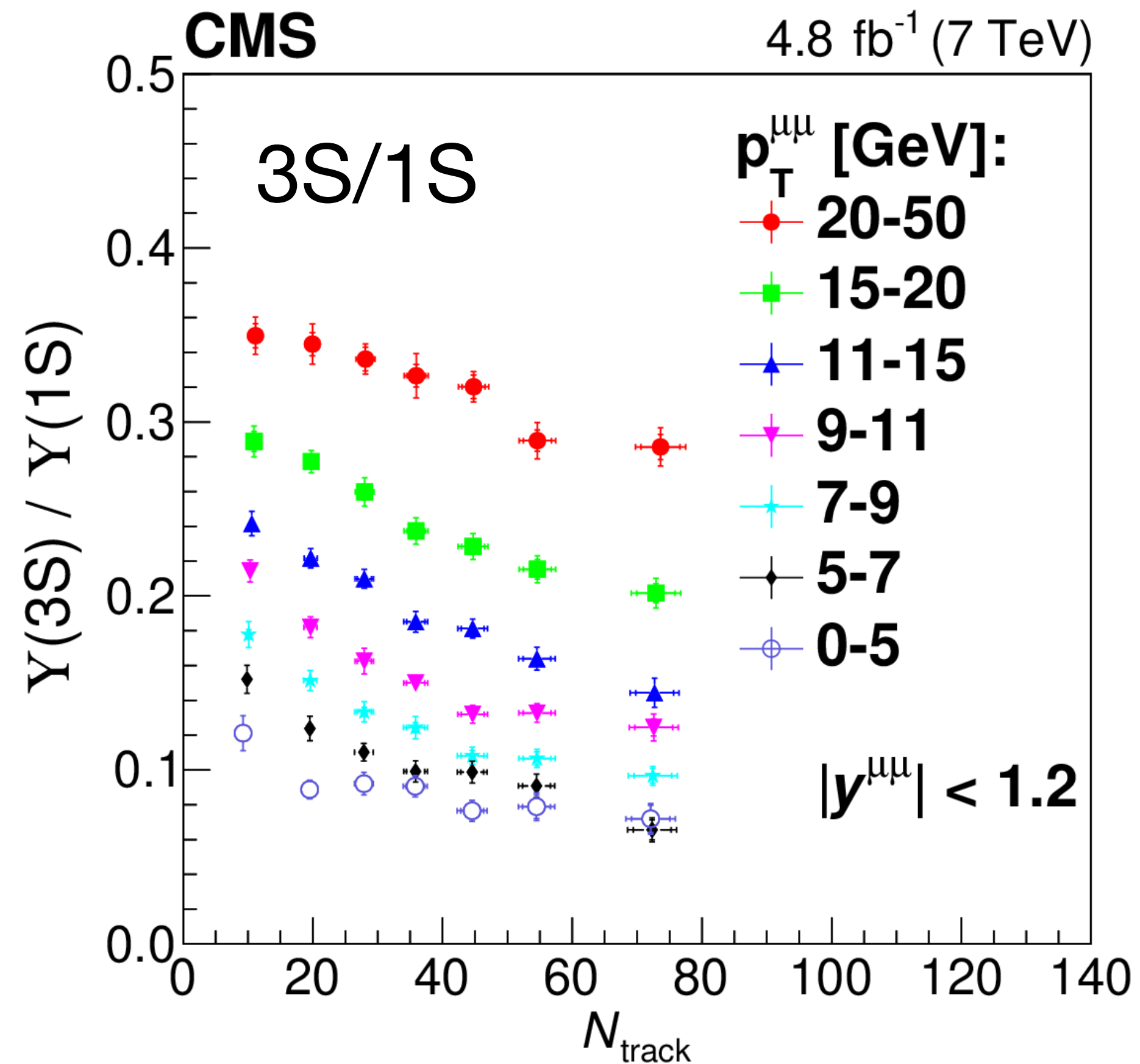
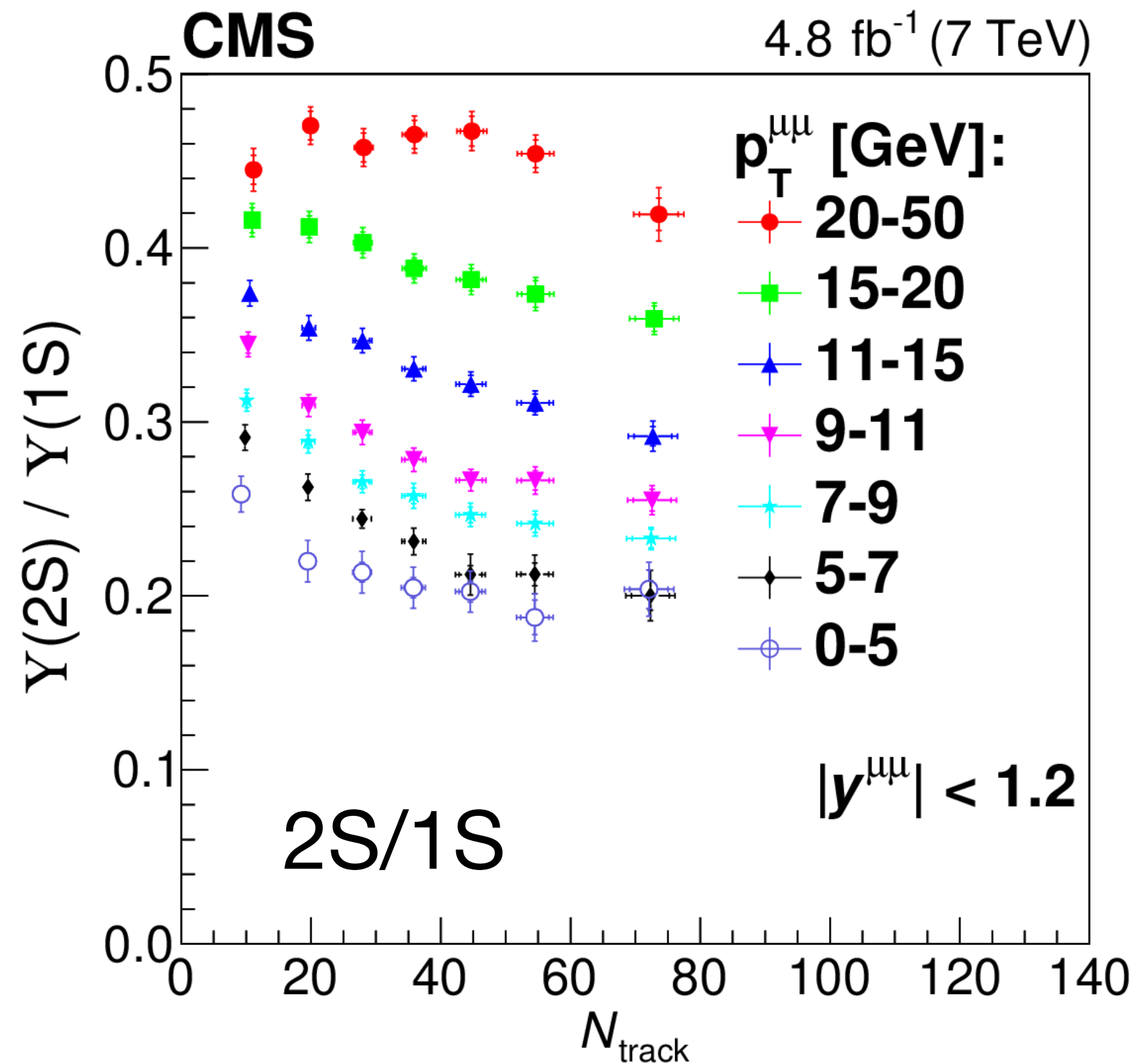
Advertised  
in [Zaida's](#)  
yesterday

# Vs multiplicity, and $p_T$

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The effect is visible for all  $p_T$  (maximal in the 5-7 GeV bin)



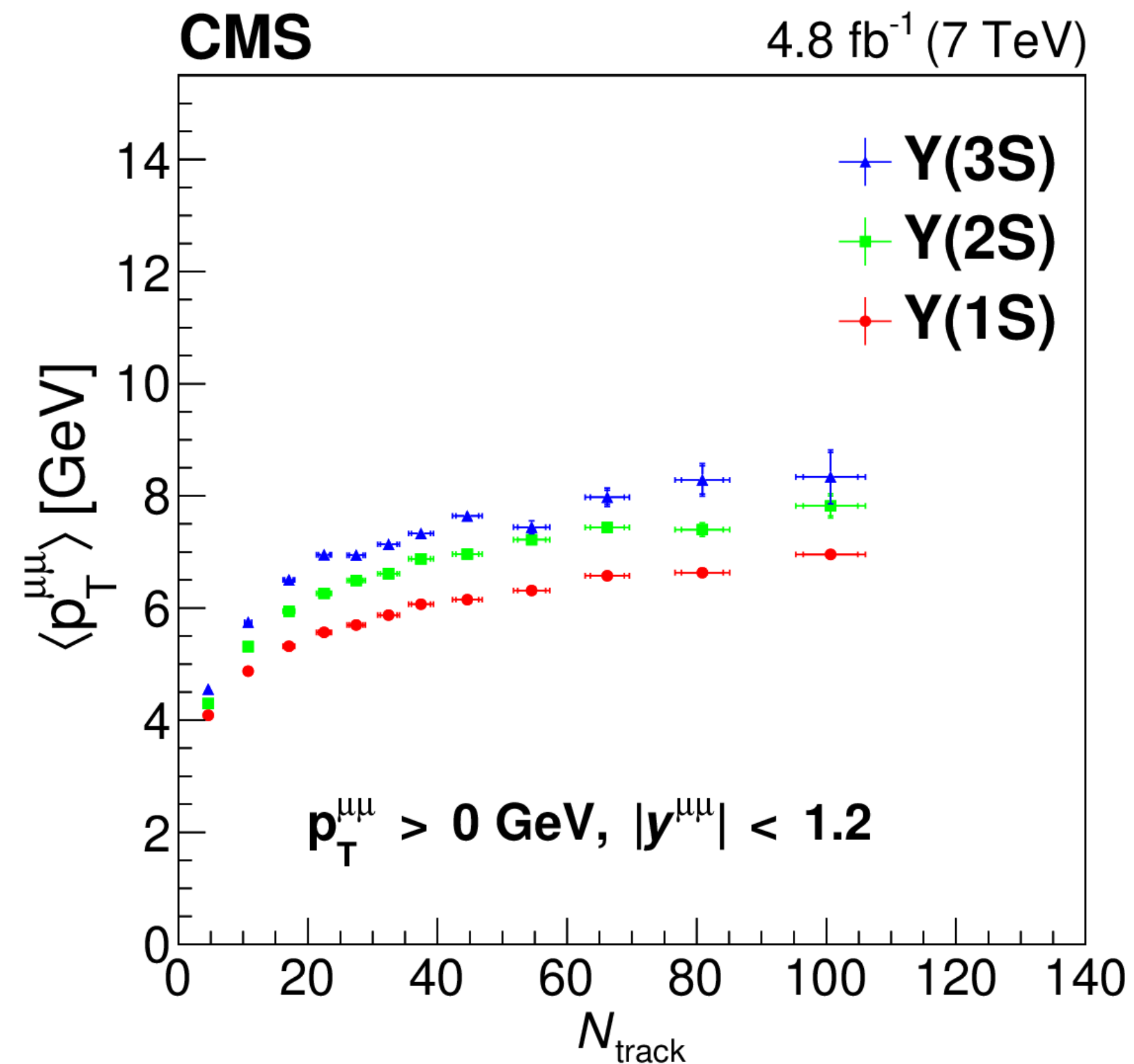
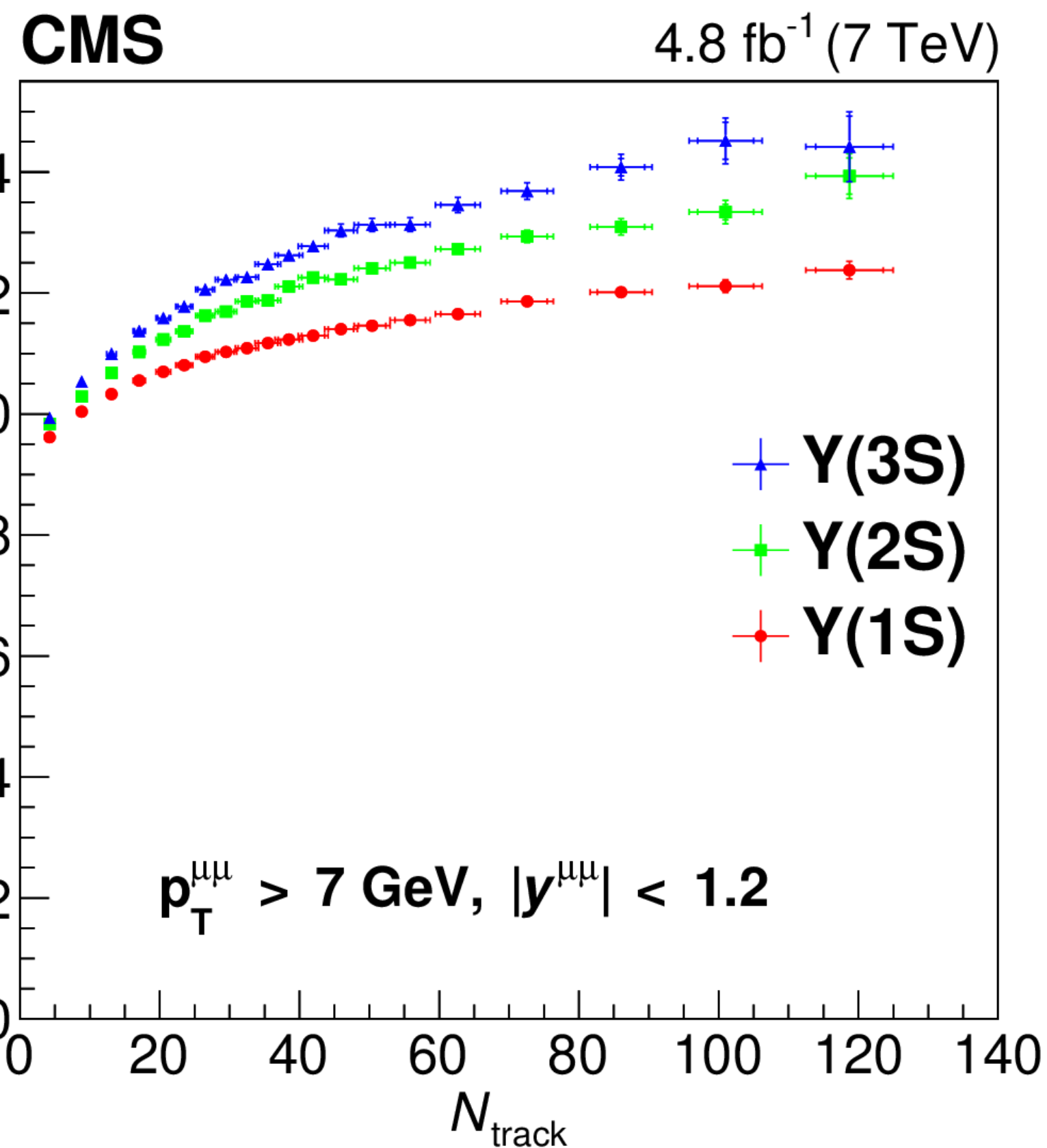
# Vs pp multiplicity, and $p_T$

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As multiplicity grows, the states have more and more momentum  
+ Heavier states have higher momentum

➡ **Positive correlation between mass, momentum and multiplicity**



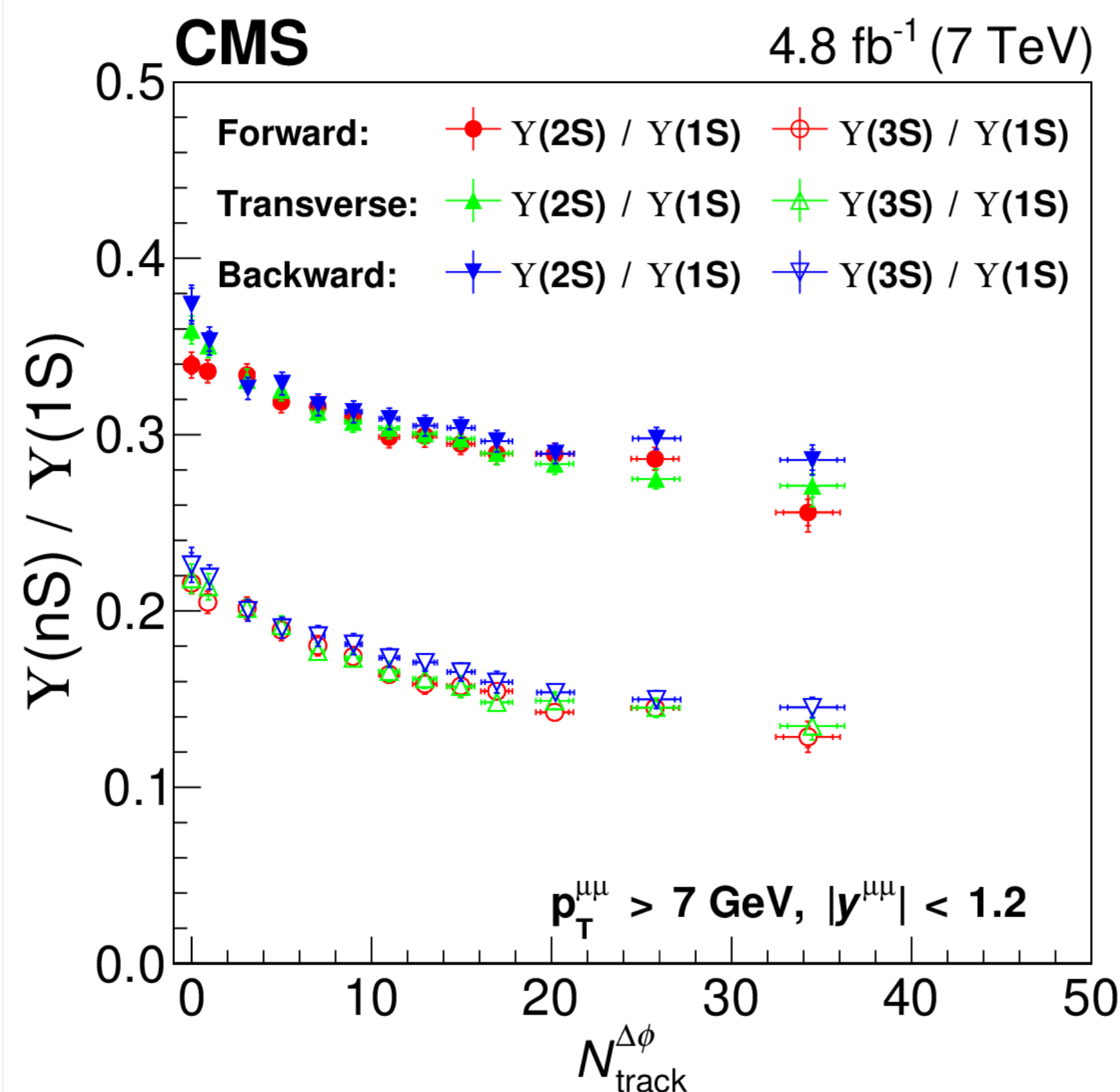
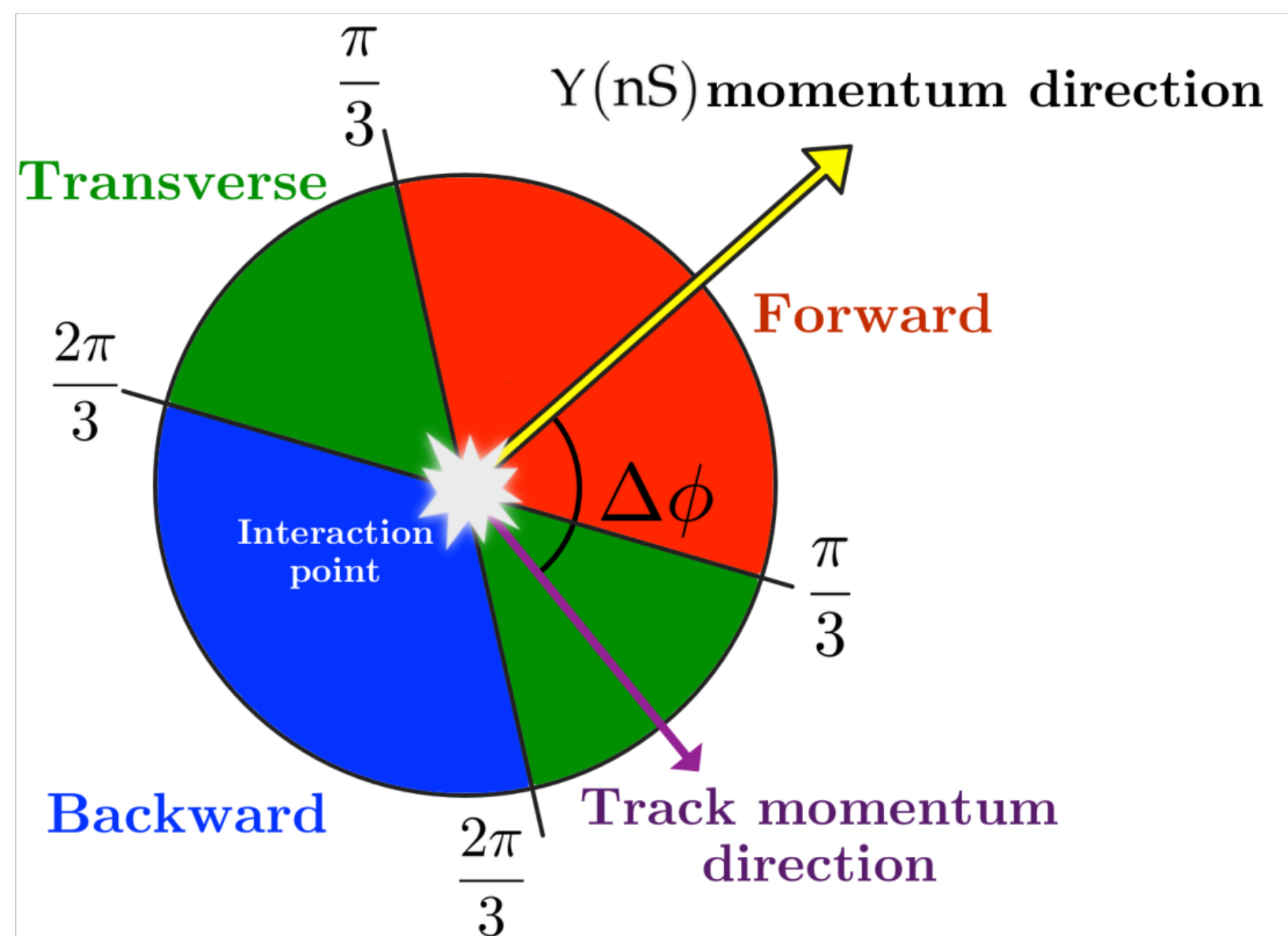
# Vs pp regional multiplicity



## No strong dependence with the regional multiplicity

Small dependence at super-low multiplicity: more effect in the backward region

In particular, still present **in the transverse region\*** -> **Underlying event**



\* Three less tracks in the transverse region than in the other two



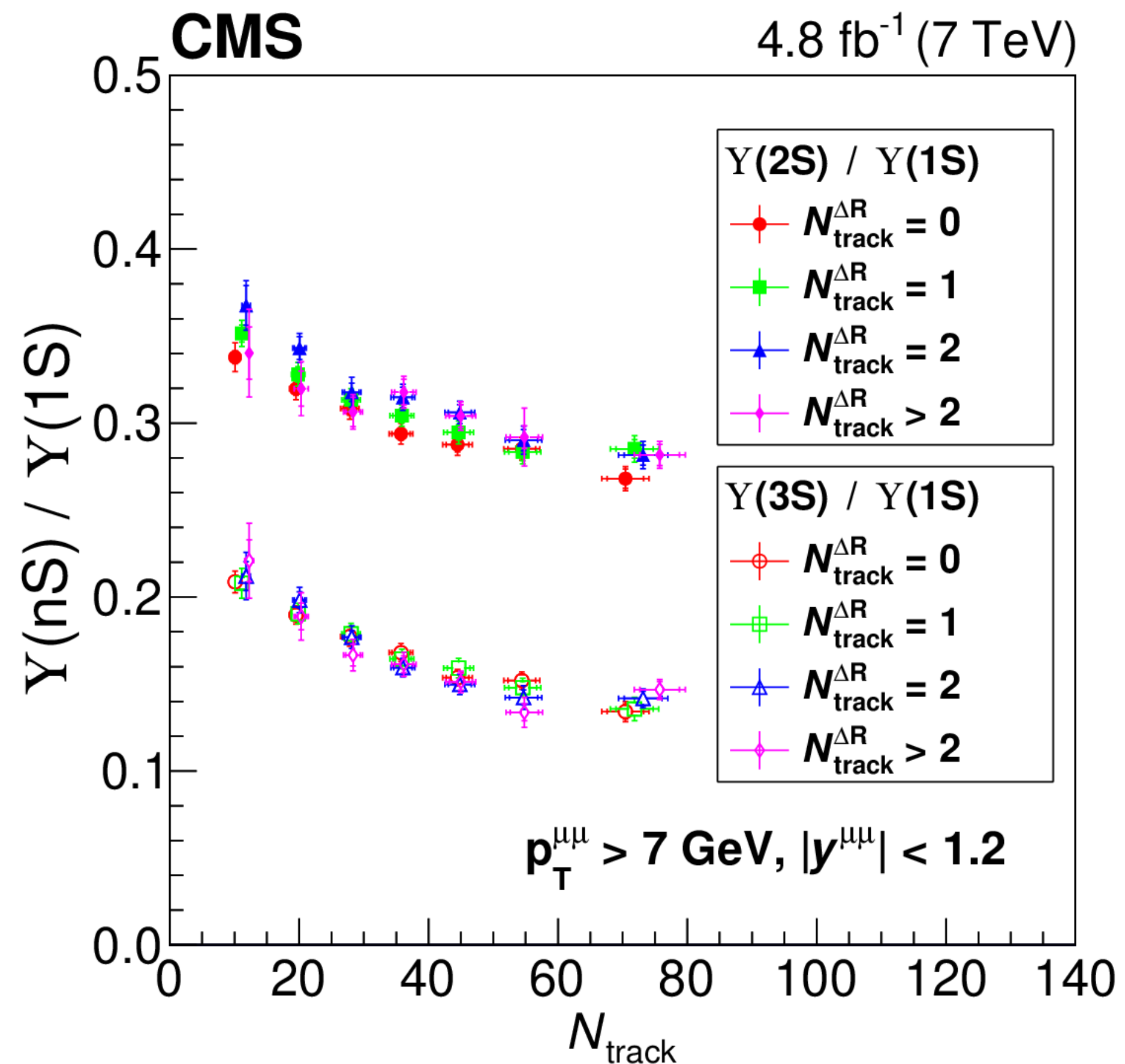
# Vs pp multiplicity



## No dependence with isolation

N co-moving particles in  $\Delta R = 0.5$

(excluding  $\Upsilon(nS) \rightarrow \Upsilon(1S) \pi^+ \pi^-$ )



# Vs pp multiplicity & sphericity

CMS, [JHEP11 \(2020\) 001](#)



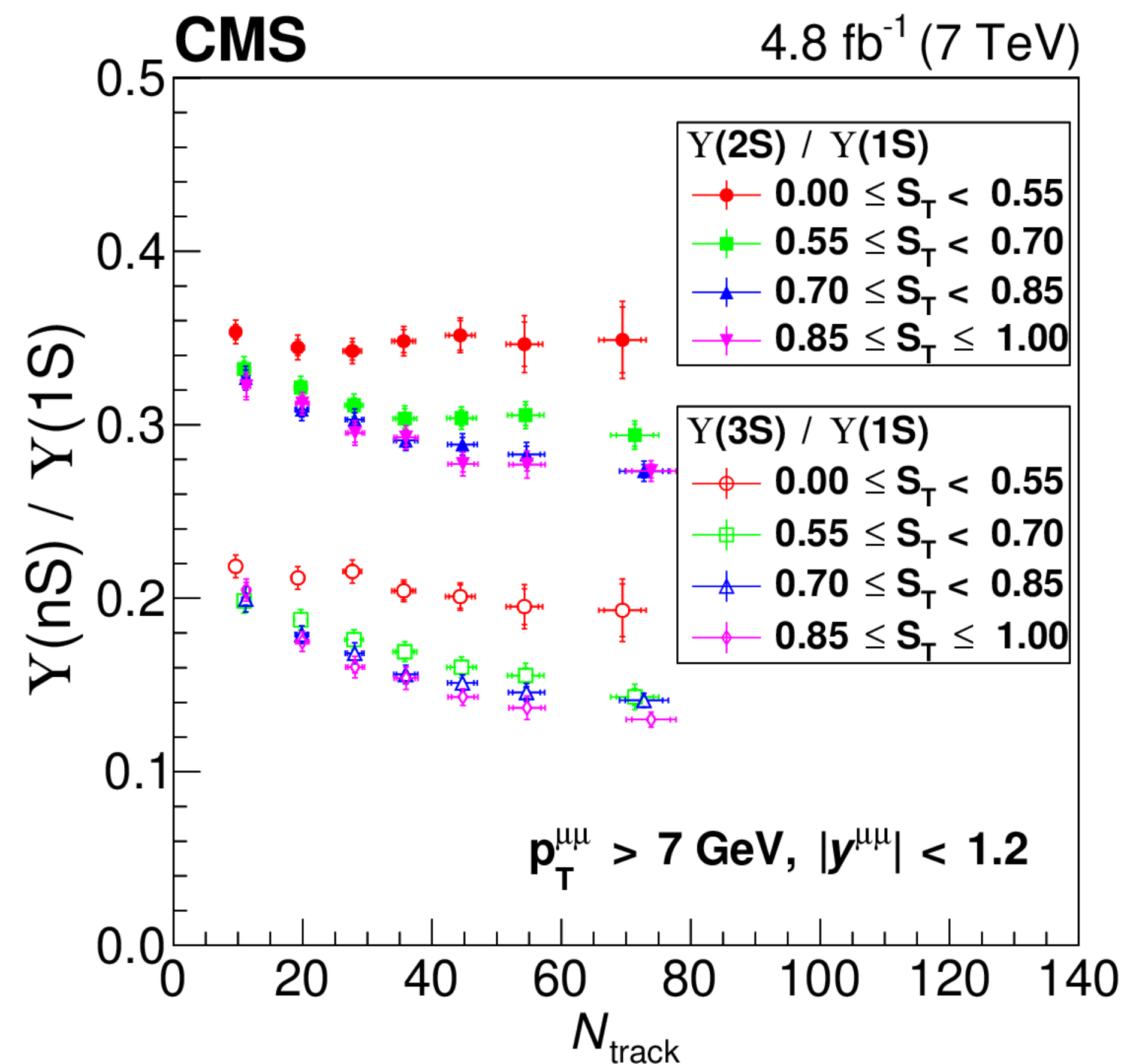
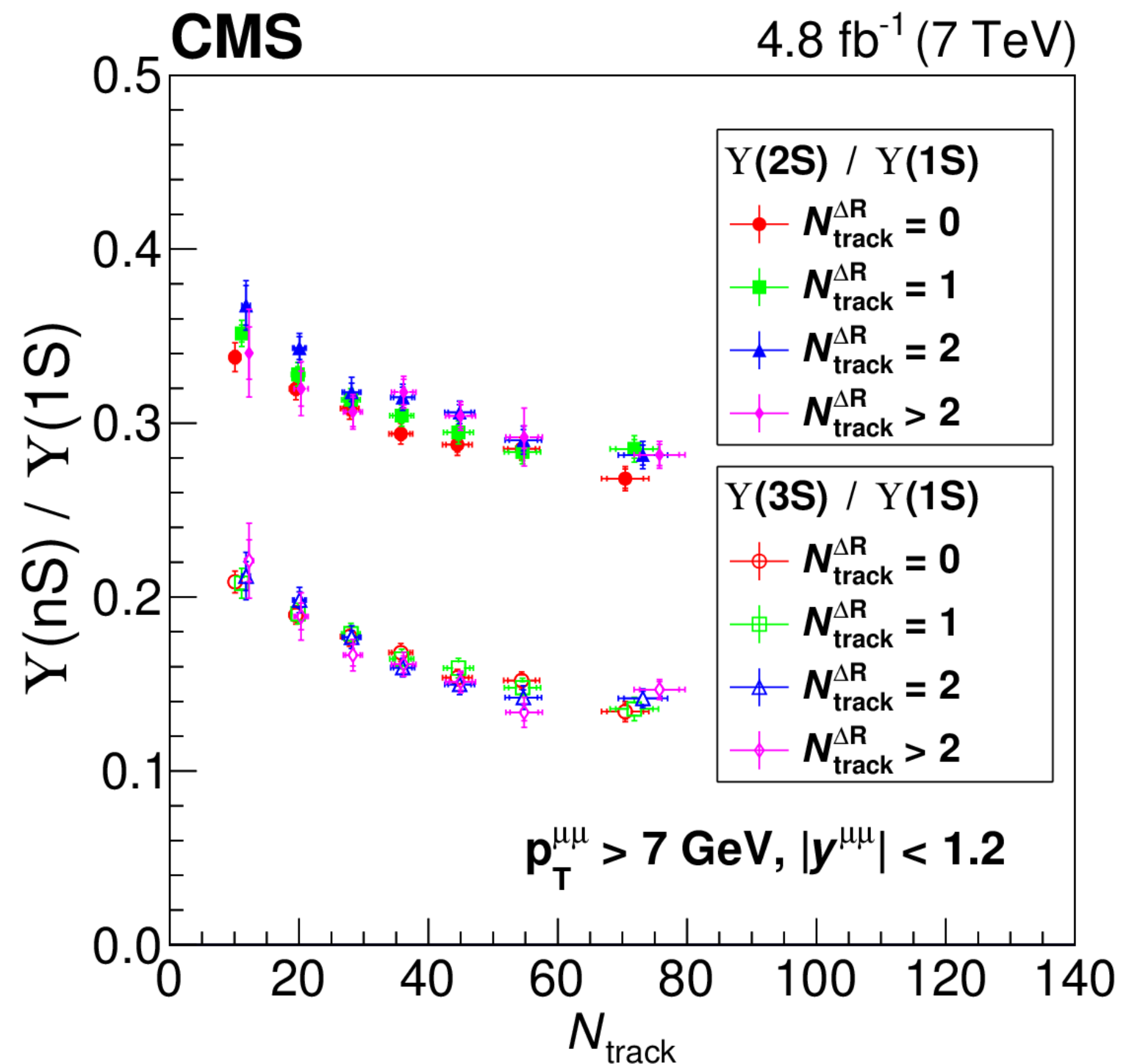
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Sphericity  $S=0$  jetty vs  $S=1$  isotropic events

Lesser dependence for **jetty events**



# Versus pp multiplicity



When you see an effect versus pp multiplicity, **don't panic**

Rather do a high-statistic super-differential correlation study, here :

- ▶ Lower dependence with **a rapidity gap** between probe and multiplicity
- ▶ The dependence is **located at (very) low multiplicity** and plateaus rapidly
- ▶ Positive correlation between **mass, momentum and multiplicity**
  - (overall, the  $\Upsilon(1S)$  comes with 2 more tracks)
- ▶ **Does not depend regional multiplicity** (UE driven in the transverse region)
- ▶ **Does not depend on isolation** (with or without co-moving particles)
- ▶ **No effect for jetty events** (multiplicity not driven by the UE)

## Conclusion

- ☞ Wouldn't  $\Upsilon(nS)$  just come with different multiplicity, biasing the ratio measurements?
- ☞ Shouldn't all probe-multiplicity analyses be done with a rapidity gap?



Supplementary material

# Overview of available data (for feed-down)

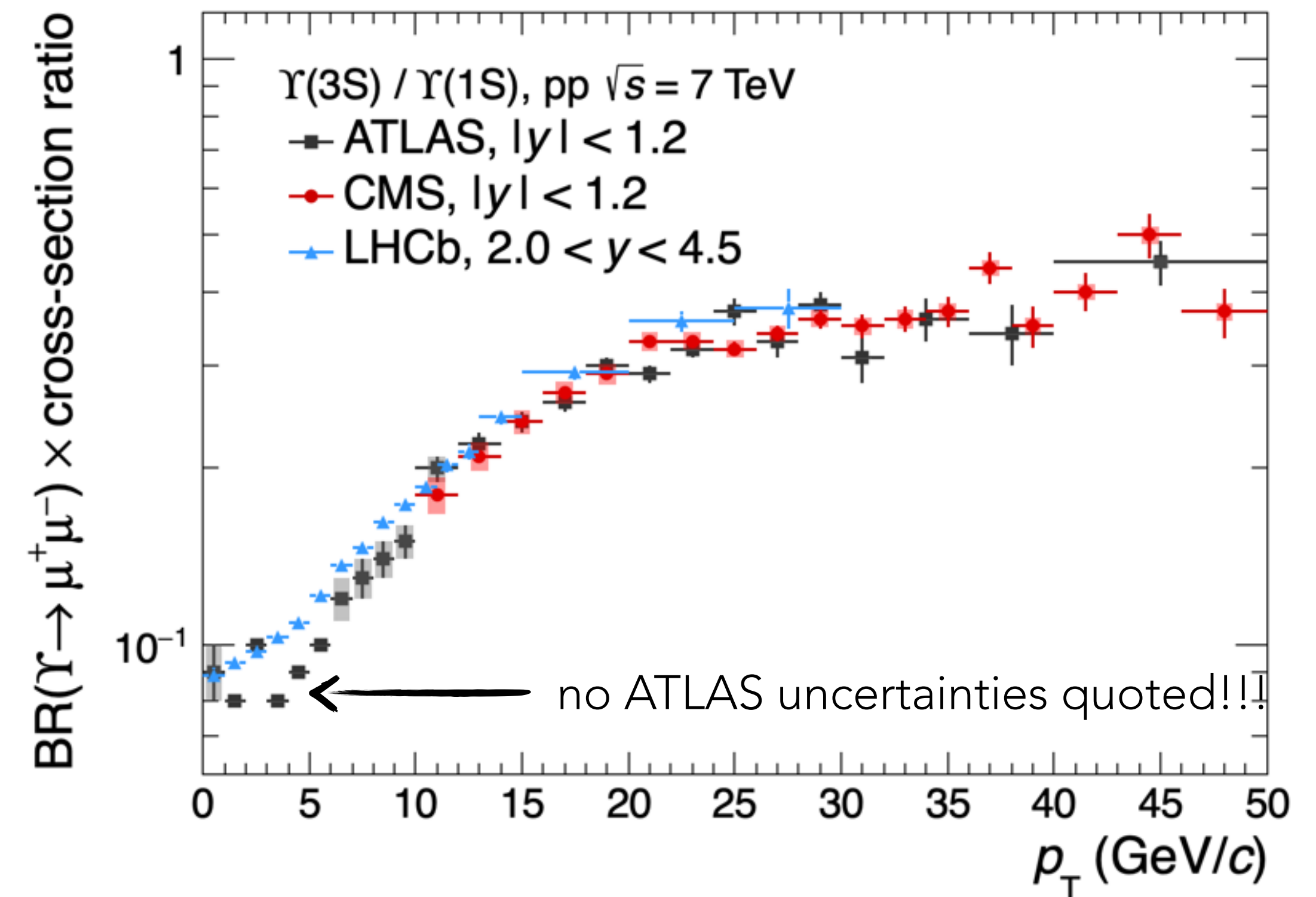
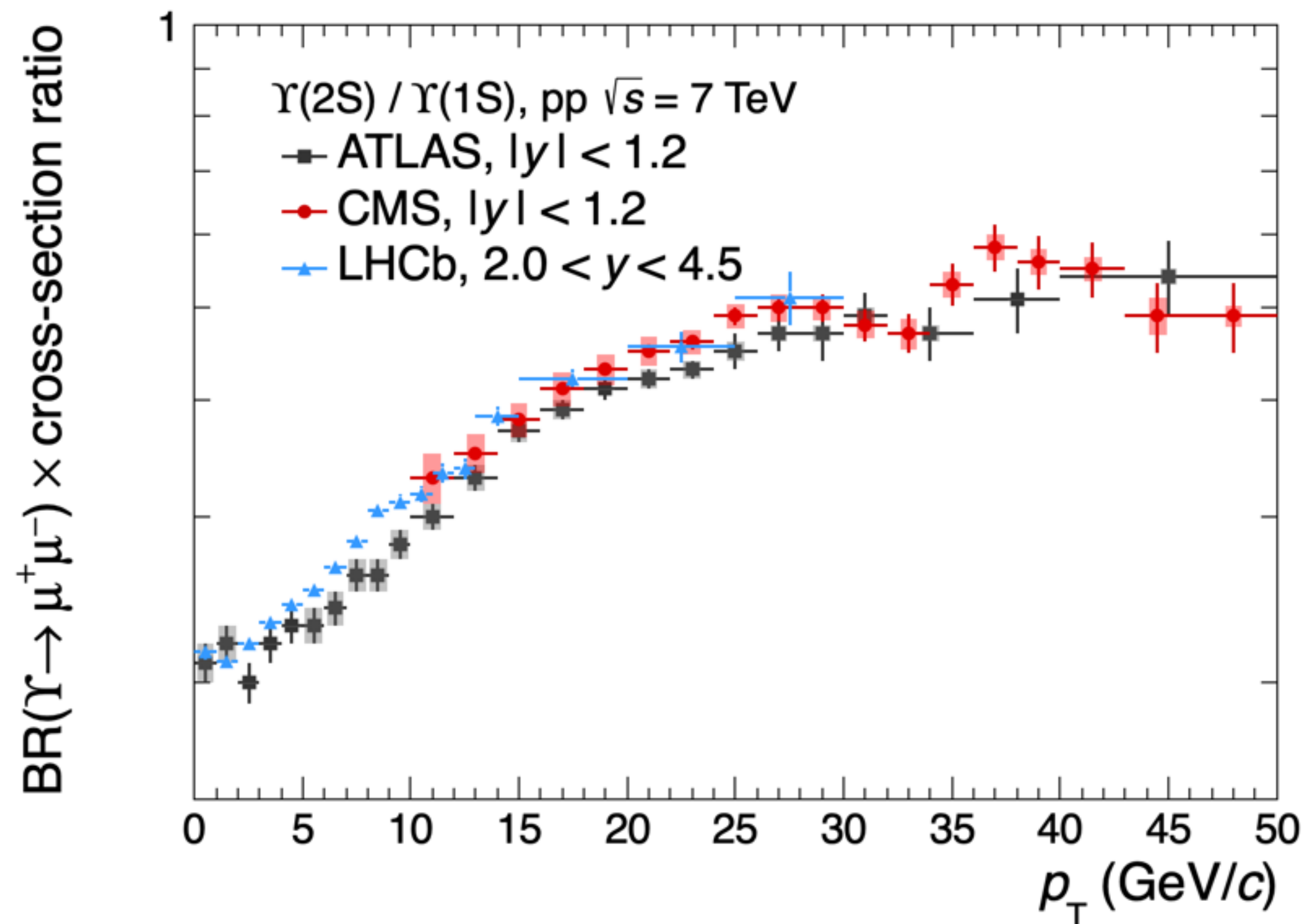
| Centre-of-mass energy | Mid-rapidity   |   | Forward rapidity   |   |
|-----------------------|--|---|--|---|
|                       | $\Upsilon(nS)$ cross-section ratio   | $\chi_b$ measurement  | $\Upsilon(nS)$ cross-section ratio   | $\chi_b$ measurement  |
| 5 TeV                 | Only single-state cross sections are reported<br>+ binning matching pPb / PbPb measurements<br>+ no $\chi_b$ measurement   |   | NONE!  |   |
| 7 TeV                 | <b>ATLAS</b> : y-diff. and $p_T$ -diff. up to 70 GeV<br><b>CMS</b> : $p_T$ -diff. up to 40 GeV + $\Upsilon(3S) / \Upsilon(2S)$<br><b>CMS</b> : $p_T$ -diff. from 10 to 100 GeV | <b>ATLAS</b> : first observation of $\chi_b(3P)$                | <b>LHCb</b> : y-diff, $p_T$ -diff, and double-diff up to 30 GeV<br>+ $\Upsilon(3S) / \Upsilon(2S)$ | <b>LHCb</b> : derivation of $\chi_b$ -to- $\Upsilon$ feed-down fractions<br><br><b>LHCb</b> : $\chi_{b2}(1P) / \chi_{b1}(1P)$ |
| 8 TeV                 | None?  | <b>CMS</b> : $\chi_{b2}(1P) / \chi_{b1}(1P)$                    |  |   |
| 13 TeV                | <b>CMS</b> : $p_T$ -diff. from 20 to 100 GeV<br>+ ratio to 7 TeV   | <b>CMS</b> : observation of $\chi_{b1}(3P)$ and $\chi_{b2}(3P)$ | <b>LHCb</b> : y-diff, $p_T$ -diff, and double-diff up to 30 GeV<br>+ ratio to 8 TeV                | None  |



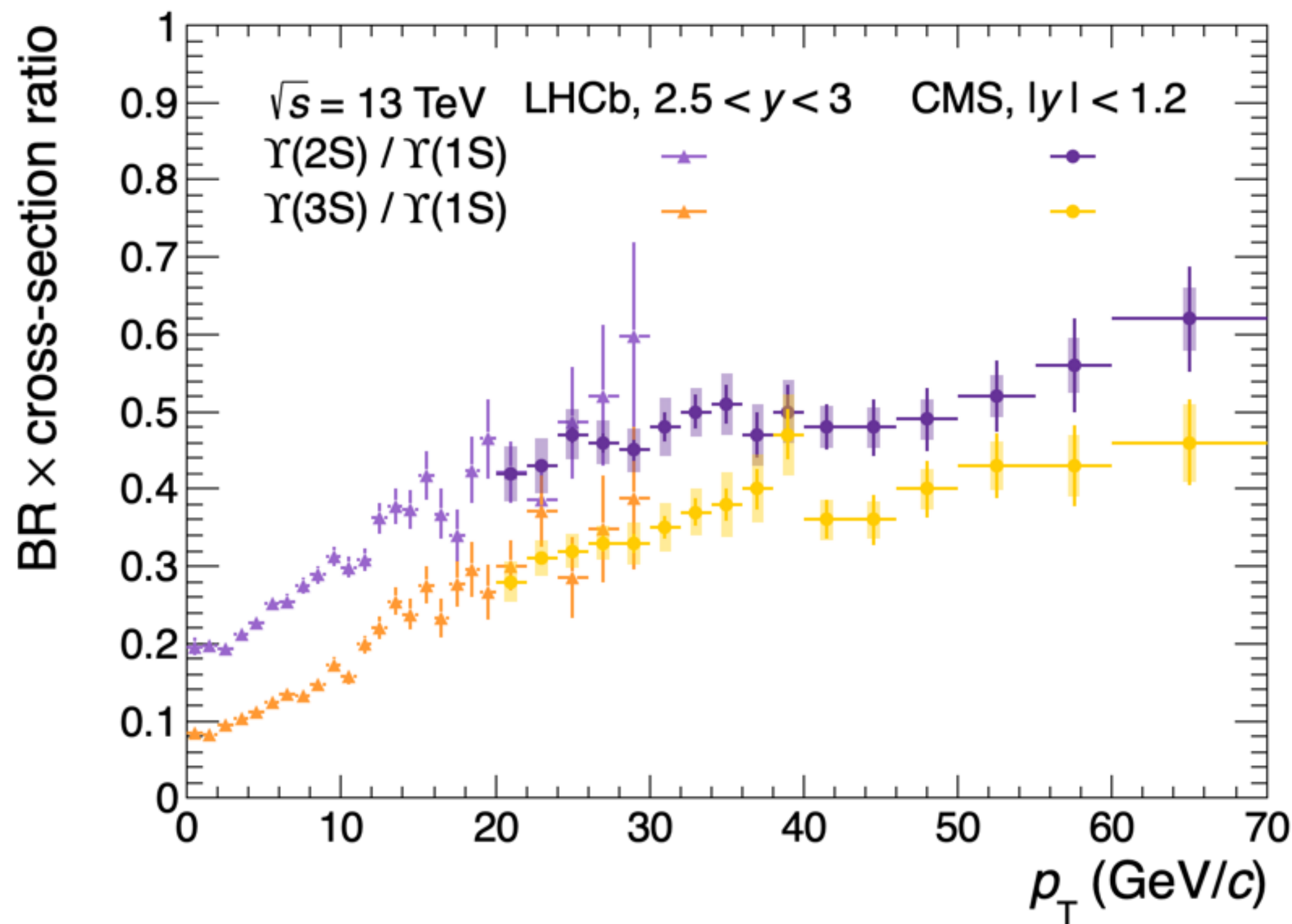
# Which datasets to use?

ATLAS, CMS and LHCb  $p_T$ -differential cross-section ratio measurements at 7 TeV (⚠ **log scale**)

- ▶ LHCb data more precise for  $p_T \lesssim 15$  GeV
- ▶ CMS data better suited for higher  $p_T$  (up to 100 GeV)
- ▶ in agreement in the overlapping region! ( $10 < p_T < 30$  GeV)



# Which dataset(s) to use? – 13 TeV



$p_T$ -differential measurements of  $\Upsilon(2S)$ -to- $\Upsilon(1S)$  and  $\Upsilon(3S)$ -to- $\Upsilon(1S)$  cross-section ratios

- ▶ **LHCb data** up to 30 GeV (⚠ double-differential, only up to 13 GeV for  $2.0 < y < 4.5$ )
- ▶ **CMS data** from 20 to 100 GeV

👉 **complementarity / overlap between measurement points**

However...

- ▶  $\Upsilon(3S)$ -to- $\Upsilon(2S)$  ratio to be made by hand
- ▶ **relative systematic uncertainties** (much) **larger than 8/7 TeV data** 🙄