

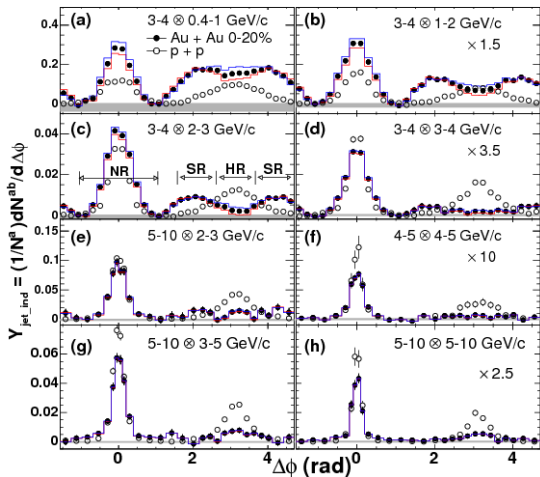
# Initial Condition Fluctuations for Heavy Ion Collisions

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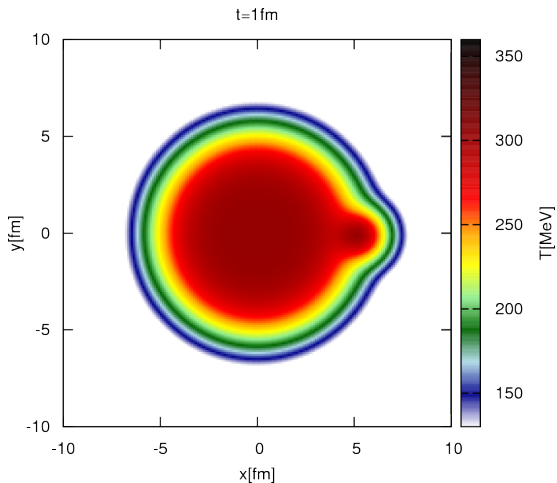
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Two particle correlation observed at RHIC.



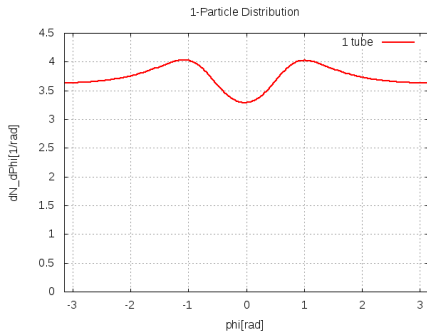
# shadow effect

smooth initial condition plus  
gaussian tube



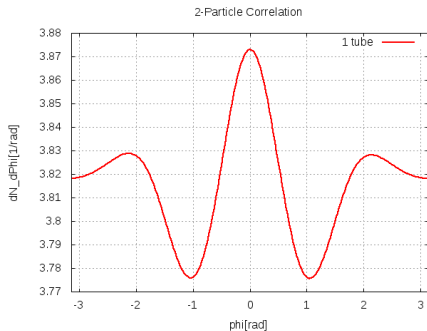
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## ■ single particle distribution



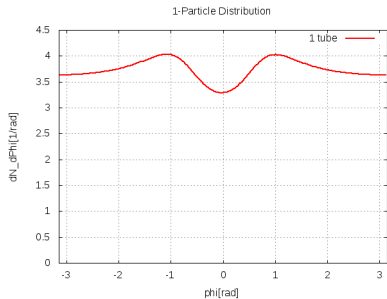
dip at the tube position and shoulders around it

## ■ two particle correlation

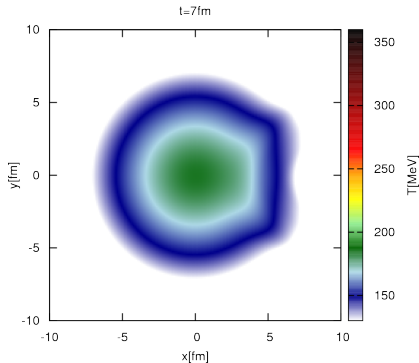


features dip at away side

- single particle distribution



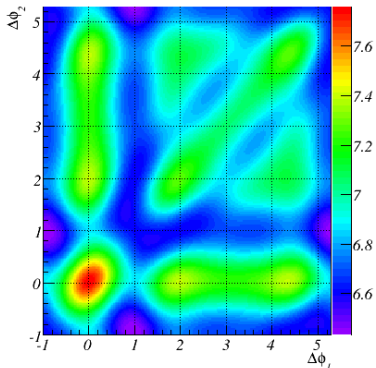
- perfil de temperatura em  $t = 7$  fm



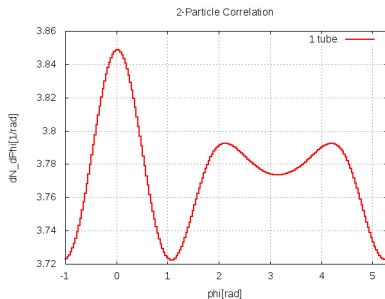
medium blocked by tube expansion which is much more explosive

## ■ 3 particle correlation

### 3-particle correlation



## ■ 2 particle correlation

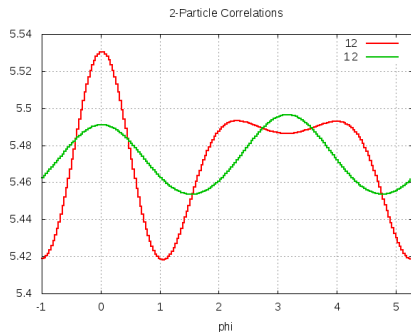


$$\frac{dN^{123}}{d\Delta\phi_{12}\Delta\phi_{13}} = \int d\phi \frac{dN^1}{d\phi}(\phi) \frac{dN^2}{d\phi}(\phi + \Delta\phi_{12}) \frac{dN^3}{d\phi}(\phi + \Delta\phi_{13})$$

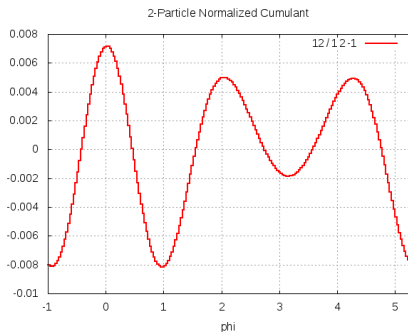
# smooth + fluctuation

3 tubes, average over different events

■ average of correlation



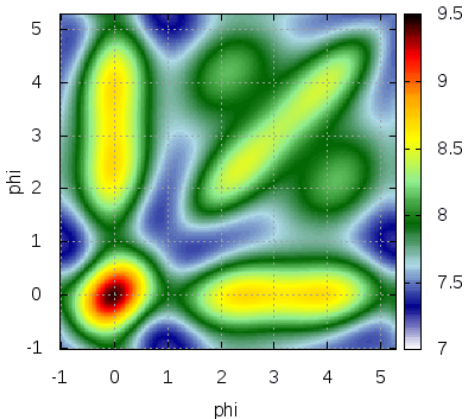
■ correlation of averages



$$C(\Delta\phi) = \int d\phi \langle f^1(\phi) f^2(\phi + \Delta\phi) \rangle - \langle f^1(\phi) \rangle \langle f^2(\phi + \Delta\phi) \rangle$$

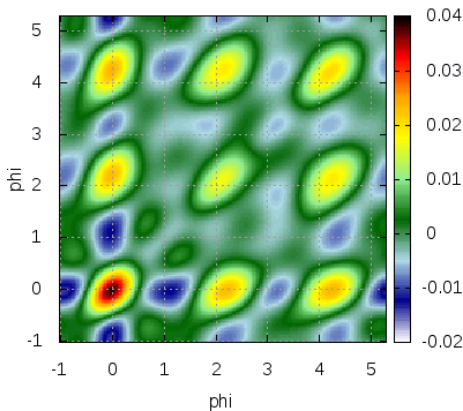
## ■ 3 particle correlation

3-Particle Correlations (123)



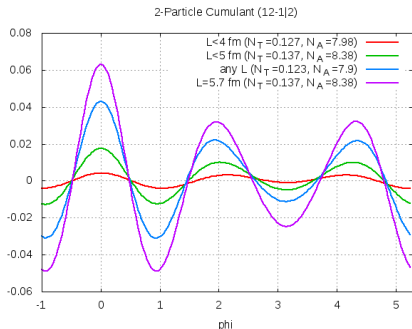
## ■ 3 particle cumulant

3-Particle Cumulant (123-12|3-13|2-1|23+2\*1|2|3)

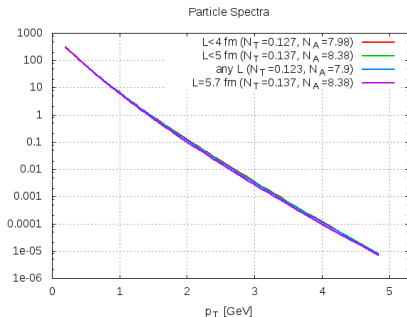




## ■ 2 particle cumulant

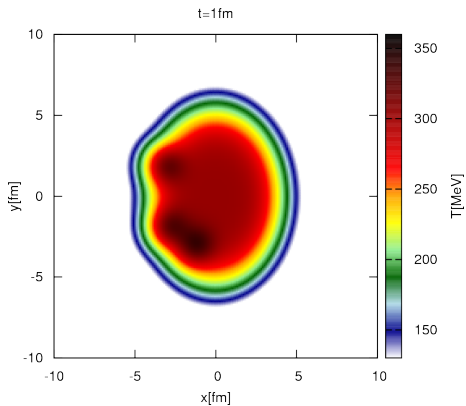


## ■ particle spectra

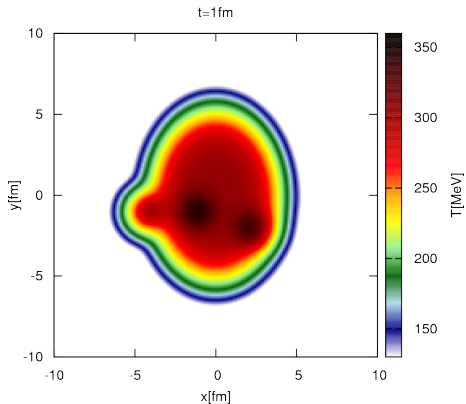


strongly affects the cumulant but does not changes the spectrum

## ■ temperature profile

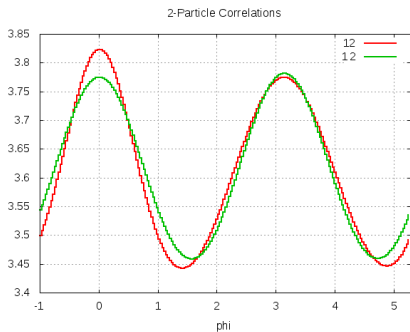


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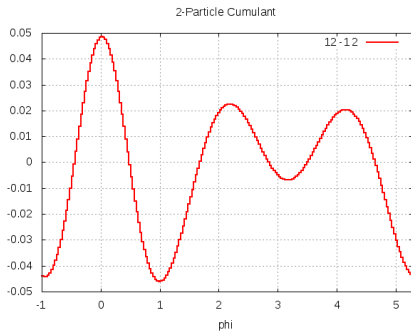


# peripheral collisions

## ■ medium + shadow



## ■ shadow



- event-by-event hydro (non-homogenous IC)
- systematic study of observables
- focus in the 2 particle correlations
- (2+1)D with HG+IQCD EoS

- energy density profile

$$\varepsilon(\mathbf{x}_{\perp}; b) = \sum_i^{N(b)} \varepsilon^{\text{tube}}(\mathbf{x}_{\perp} - \mathbf{R}_{\perp}^i)$$

- spatial probability

$$\mathcal{P}(\mathbf{R}_{\perp}; b) \propto \varepsilon^{\text{WN}}(\mathbf{R}_{\perp}; b)$$

- tube energy density

$$\begin{aligned} \varepsilon_i^{\text{tube}}(\mathbf{x}_{\perp}) \\ = \varepsilon_0^{\text{tube}} \exp\left(-\frac{(\mathbf{x}_{\perp} - \mathbf{R}_{\perp}^i)^2}{2(\sigma^{\text{tube}})^2}\right) \end{aligned}$$

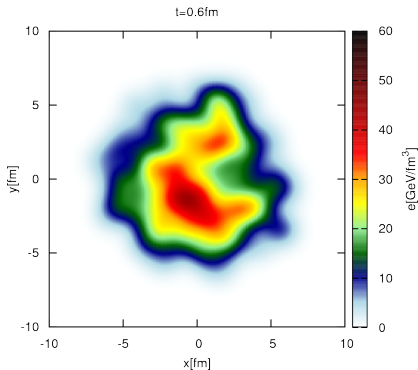
- number of tubes

$$N(b) = \frac{E^{\text{WN}}(b)}{E^{\text{WN}}(0)} N(0)$$

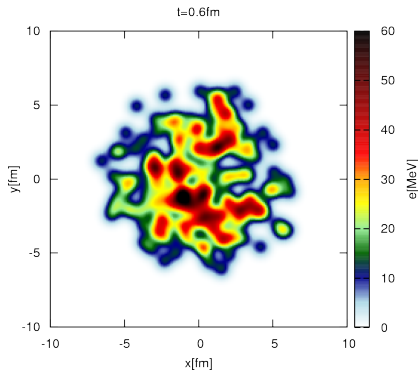
- model parameters  $\sigma$  e  $N$

# random tubes

■  $\sigma = 0.7$  fm,  $N = 200$



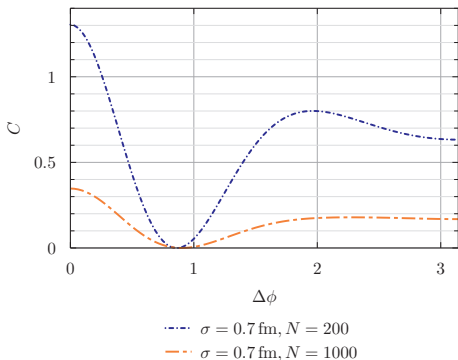
■  $\sigma = 0.35$  fm,  $N = 200$



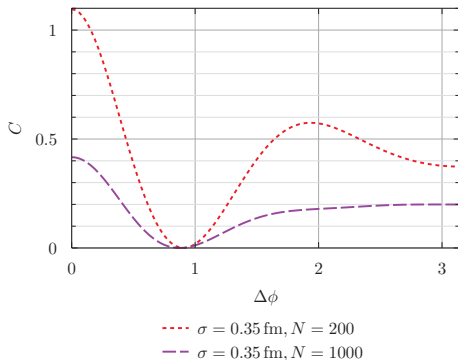
same tube positions ( $b = 0.4$ )  
MC Glauber: 0–20% ( $b < 6.6$  fm)

# azimuthal distribution ( $.4-1 \times 2-3$ )

2-Particle Correlation 0-20%  $0.4-1 \times 2-3$  GeV

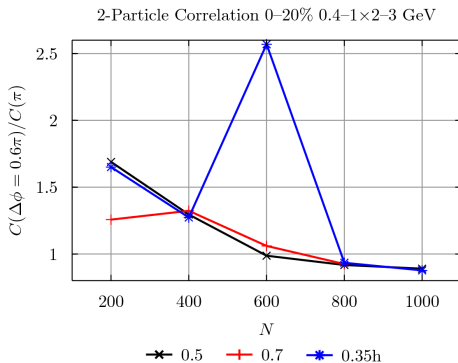


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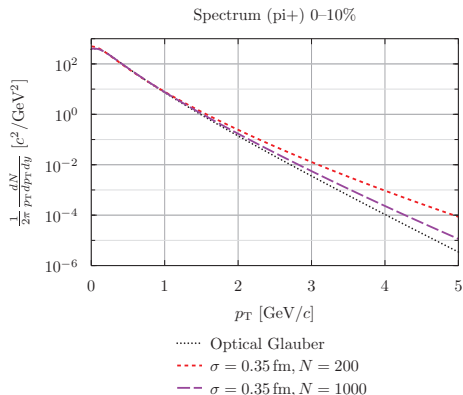
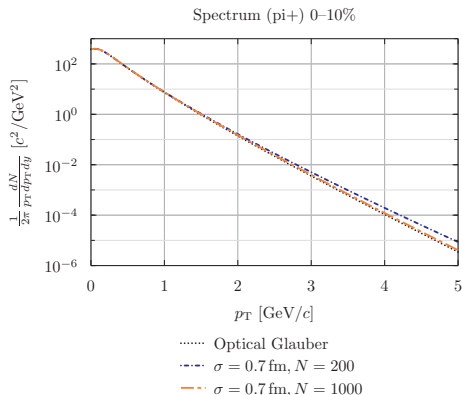
- dip appearance favors smaller  $N$
- no dip for higher  $N$
- $\sigma$  plays smaller role

## Ratio shoulder/head

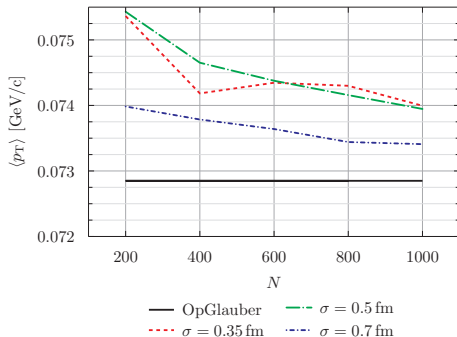
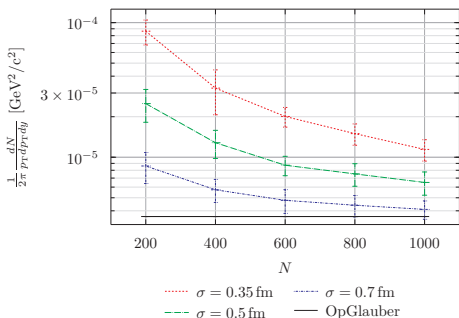


- trend shows ratio depends strongly on  $N$
- no dip for  $N \gtrsim 800$



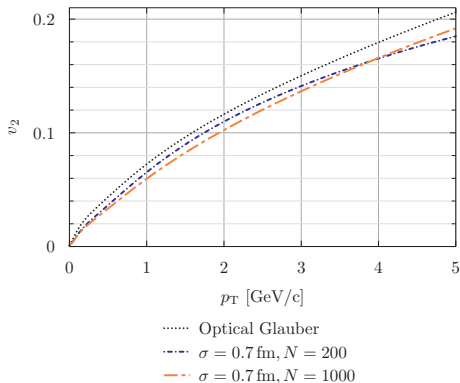


- small differences for low  $p_T$
- granularity enhances high  $p_T$

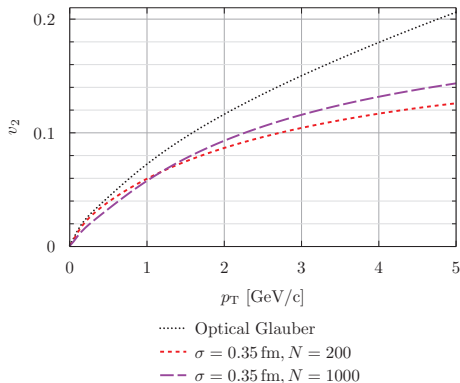


- sensitive to both  $N$  and  $\sigma$
- $\langle p_T \rangle$  trend increases with granularity

Elliptic ( $\pi^+$ ) 0-20%



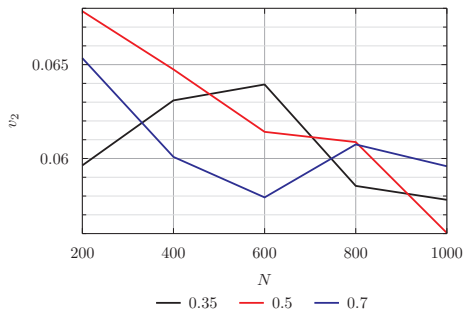
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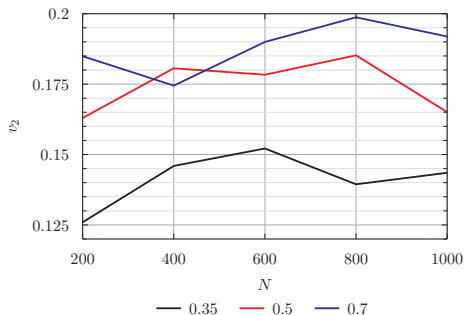
- $v_2$  for high  $p_T$  is strongly affected by  $\sigma$
- possible saturation of  $v_2$  for  $\sigma \lesssim 0.35$  fm

# elliptic flow

$p_T = 1 \text{ GeV}$

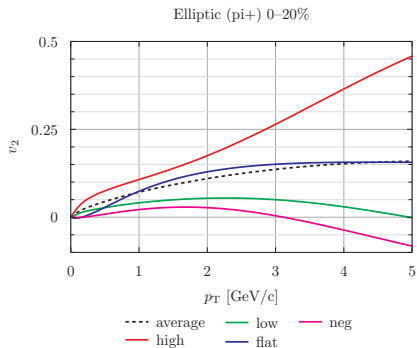


$p_T = 5 \text{ GeV}$



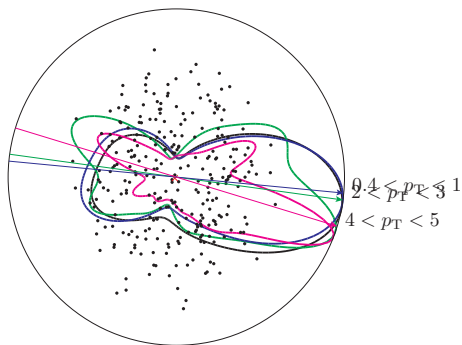
- $v_2$  slowly converging
- $N$  affects  $v_2$  stronger for low  $p_T$
- $\sigma$  affects  $v_2$  stronger for high  $p_T$

# tube fluctuation



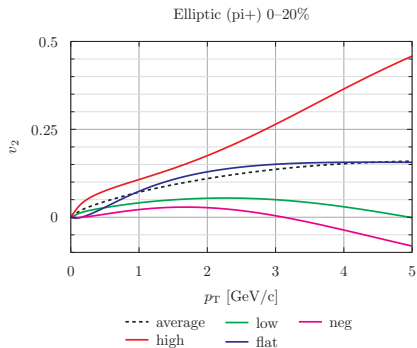
- same  $b$
- 1PD reflects IC
- $v_2^{\text{ebe}}$  is highly sensitive to IC

## tube positions and particle distribution



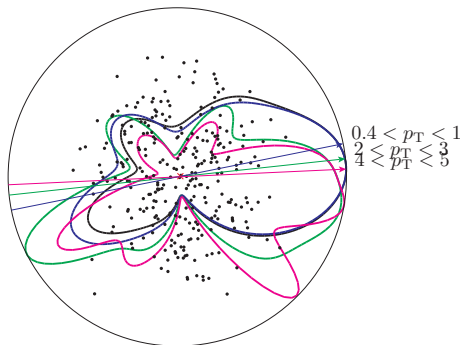
event: high

# tube fluctuation



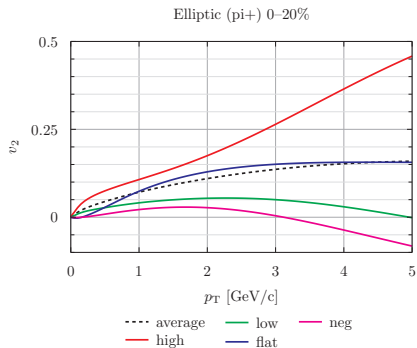
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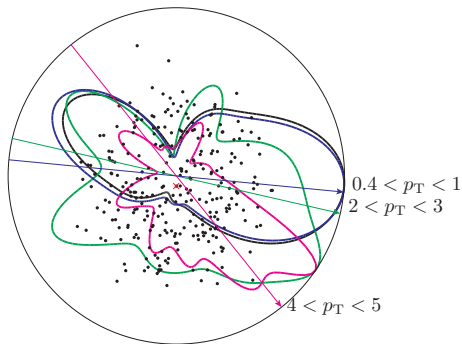
event: flat

# tube fluctuation

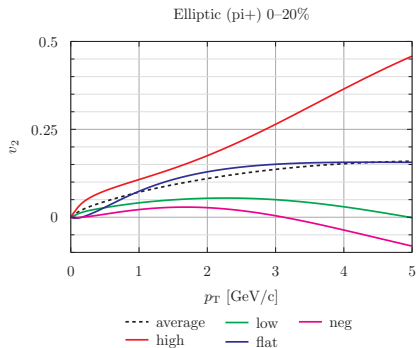


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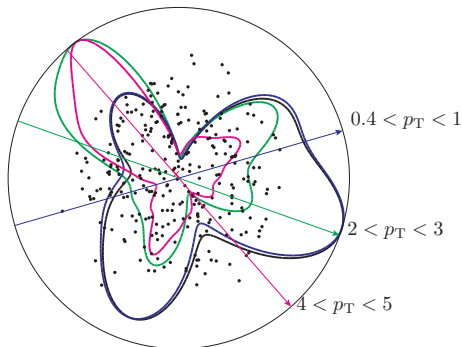


event: low



- same  $b$
- 1PD reflects IC
- $v_2^{\text{ebe}}$  is highly sensitive to IC

## tube positions and particle distribution



event: neg



## summary

- systematic study on the effects of granularity on the observables
- shadow effect survives through 2-particle correlations
- non-trivial results come from event-by-event study
- tubes lead to double peak structure and reduce  $v_2$  for high  $p_T$
- $v_2$  depends more on tube width
- correlation depends more on number of tubes

## perspectives

- particle decays
- use microscopic models of IC
- apply to high multiplicity pp collisions