

ON TRANSITIONS IN HIGH ENERGY NUCLEAR COLLISIONS

NEWS FROM NA61/SHINE AT CERN SPS

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- VOCABULARY
- ONSET OF FIREBALL
- ONSET OF DECONFINEMENT
- SEARCH FOR CRITICAL POINT



STUDY OF PHASE TRANSITIONS IN STRONG INTERACTIONS
STARTED 40 YEARS AGO:

Phase Transitions in the Statistical Bootstrap Model with an Internal Symmetry

K. Redlich, L. Turko (Wroclaw U.). Nov 1979. 17 pp.

Published in **Z.Phys. C5 (1980) 201**

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NOW ONE OF THE STRONGEST THEORY GROUPS IN
THE FIELD, VERY INTERNATIONAL.

SINCE SEVERAL YEARS STEADILY INCREASING
EXPERIMENTAL GROUP.
PARTICIPATION IN NAGI/SHINE AT CERN SPS

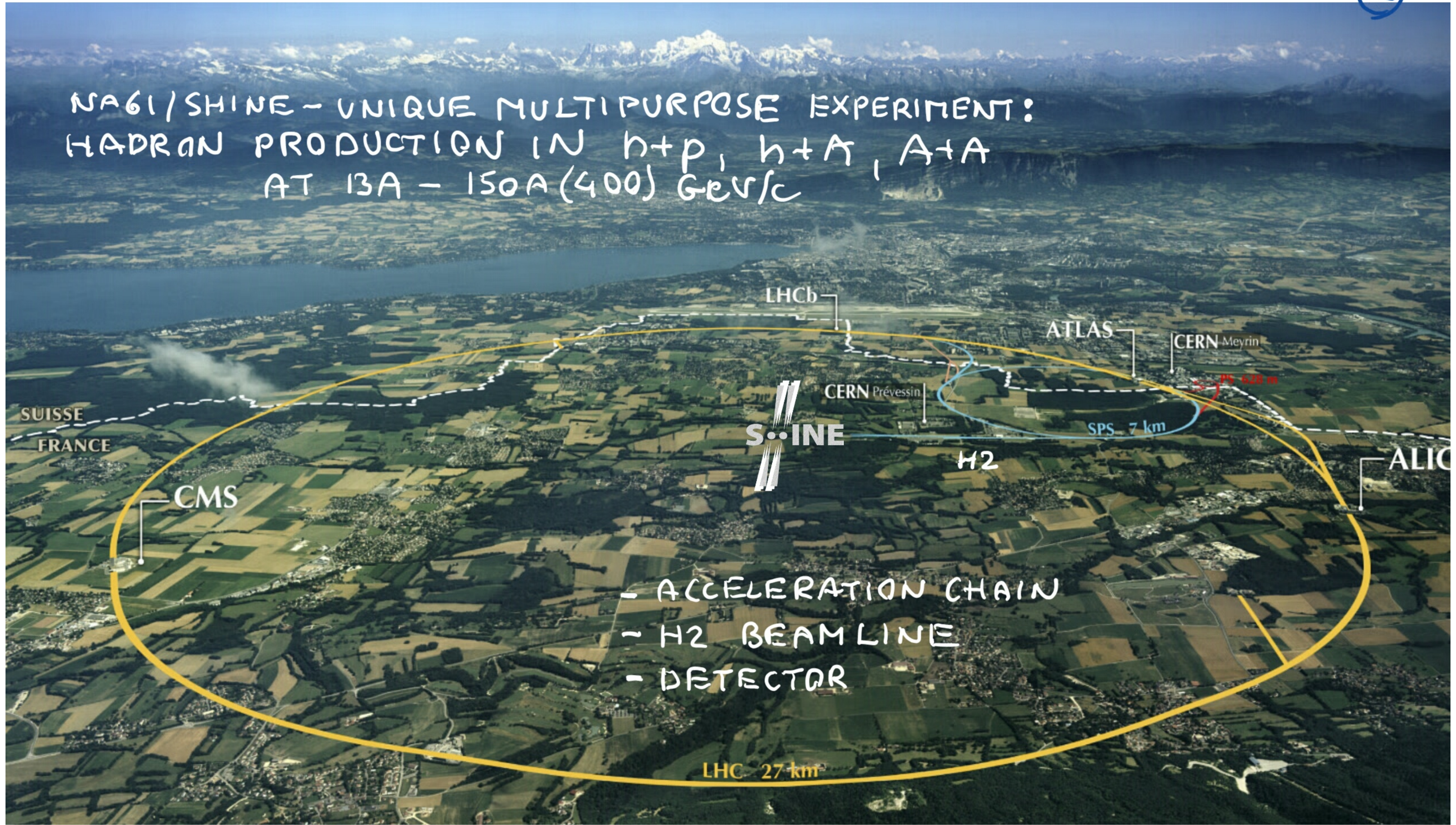


VOCABULARY

NAGI/SHINE

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NAGI/SHINE - UNIQUE MULTIPURPOSE EXPERIMENT:
HADRON PRODUCTION IN $h+p$, $h+A$, $A+A$
AT $13A - 150A (400)$ GeV/c



- ACCELERATION CHAIN
- H2 BEAMLINE
- DETECTOR

LHC 27 km

SPS 7 km

PS 628 m

SUISSE
FRANCE

CMS

SHINE

H2

ATLAS

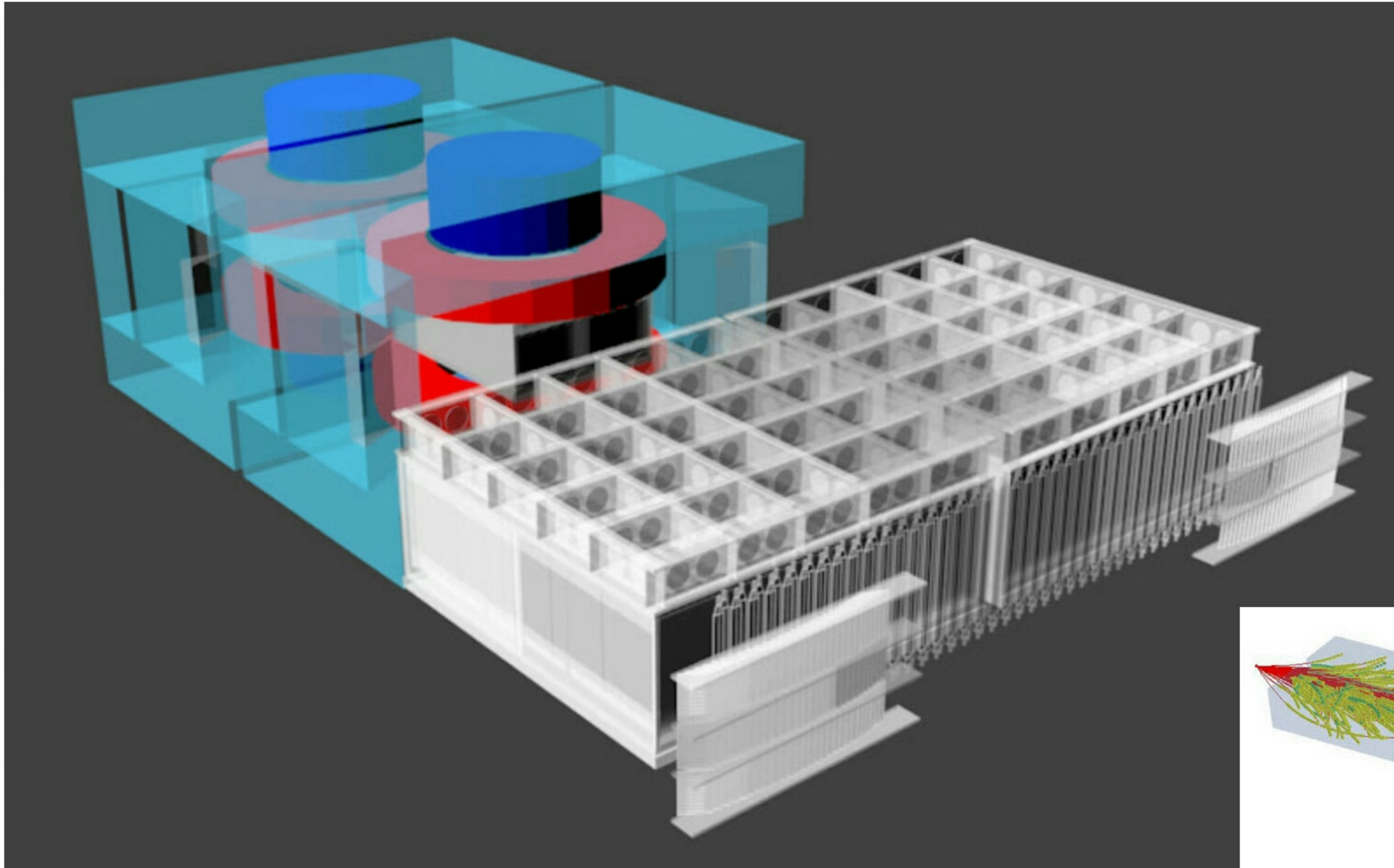
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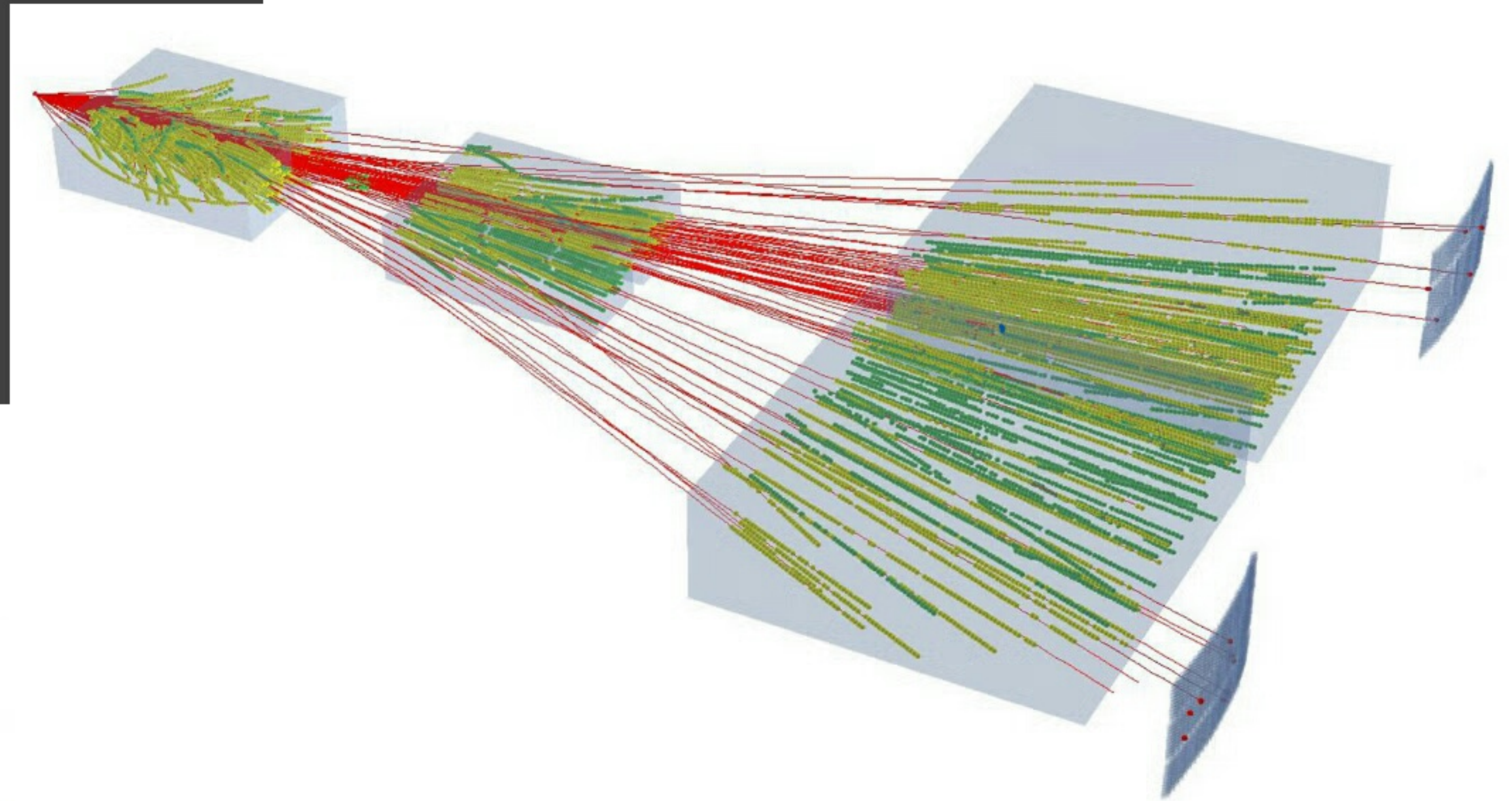
LHCb

ALICE

NAGI / SHINE DETECTOR



PRECISE MEASUREMENTS
OF PROPERTIES OF
PRODUCED PARTICLES:
ELECTRIC CHARGE, MASS
MOMENTUM VECTOR

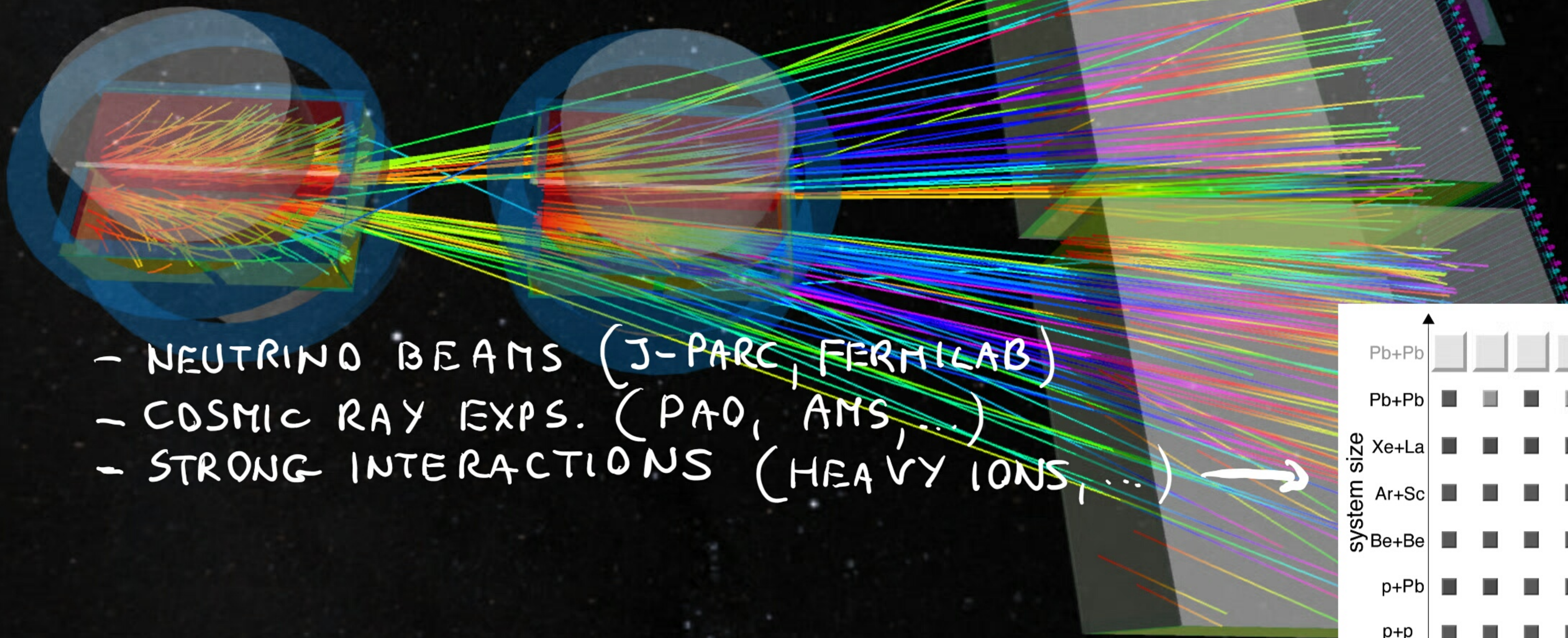


NAGI/SHINE PHYSICS

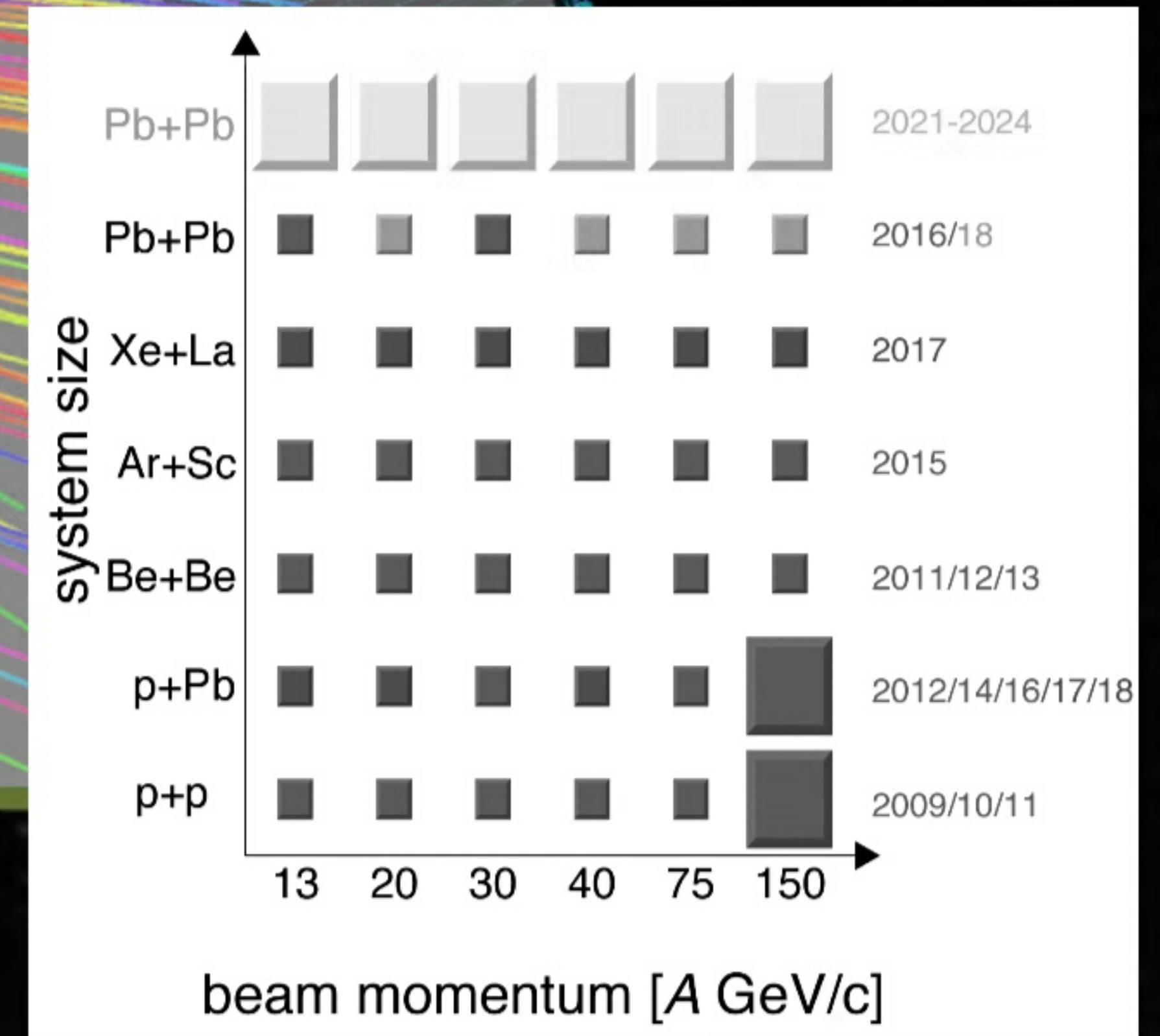
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MEASUREMENTS OF HADRON
PRODUCTION PROPERTIES
FOR

3D EVENT BROWSER
BY WRACŁAW
STUDENTS



- NEUTRINO BEAMS (J-PARC, FERMI LAB)
- COSMIC RAY EXPS. (PAO, AMS, ...)
- STRONG INTERACTIONS (HEAVY IONS, ...)



STRONG INTERACTIONS

PROPERTIES OF THE INTERACTIONS

Property \ Interaction	Gravitational	Weak (Electroweak)	Electromagnetic	Strong	
				Fundamental	Residual
Acts on:	Mass – Energy	Flavor	Electric Charge	Color Charge	See Residual Strong Interaction Note
Particles experiencing:	All	Quarks, Leptons	Electrically charged	Quarks, Gluons	Hadrons
Particles mediating:	Graviton (not yet observed)	W^+ W^- Z^0	γ	Gluons	Mesons
Strength relative to electromag for two u quarks at: 10^{-18} m 3×10^{-17} m for two protons in nucleus	10^{-41} 10^{-41} 10^{-36}	0.8 10^{-4} 10^{-7}	1 1 1	25 60 Not applicable to hadrons	Not applicable to quarks 20

TWO TYPES OF STRONGLY INTERACTING PARTICLES:

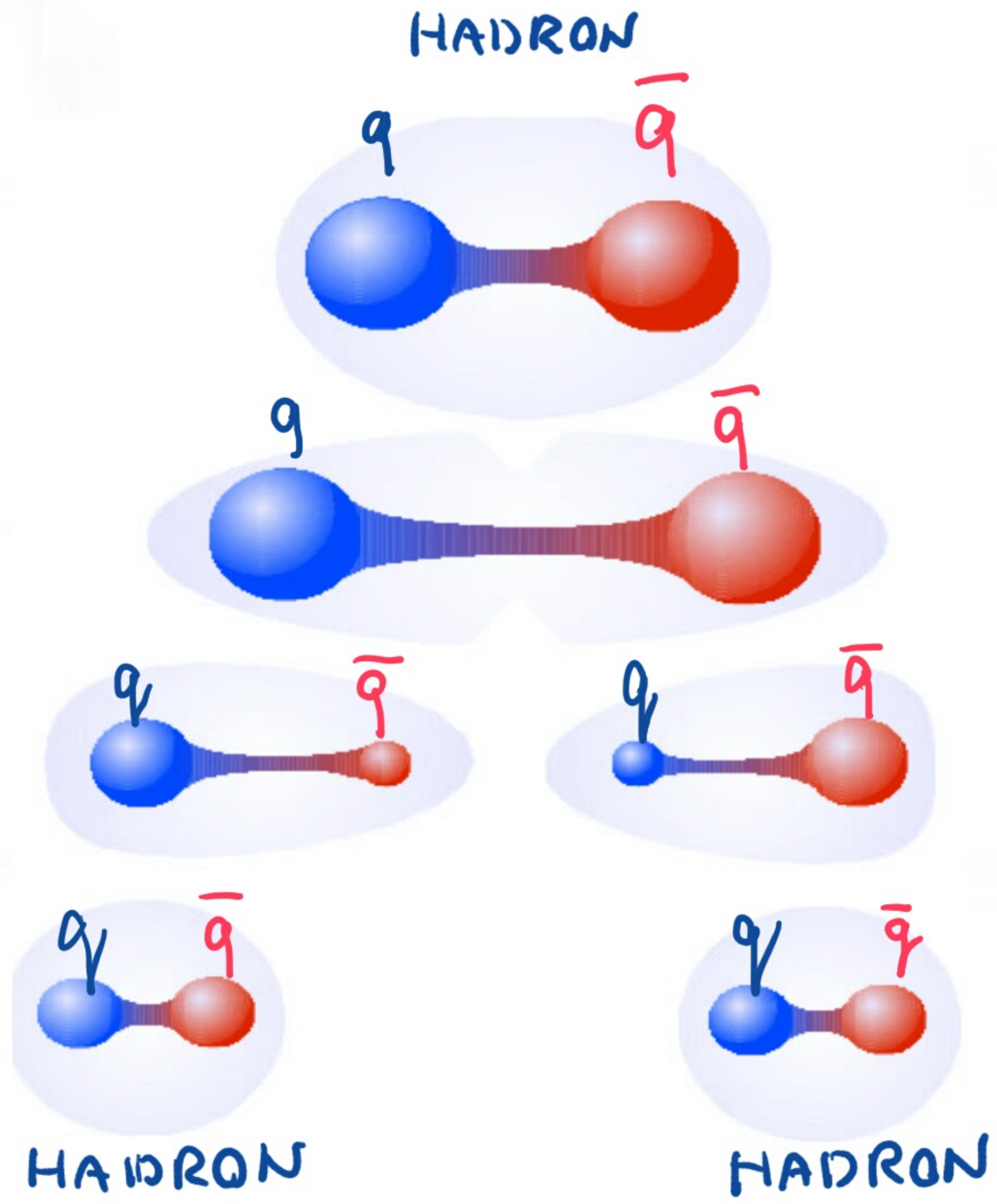
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QUARKS,
GLUONS

↑
HADRONS

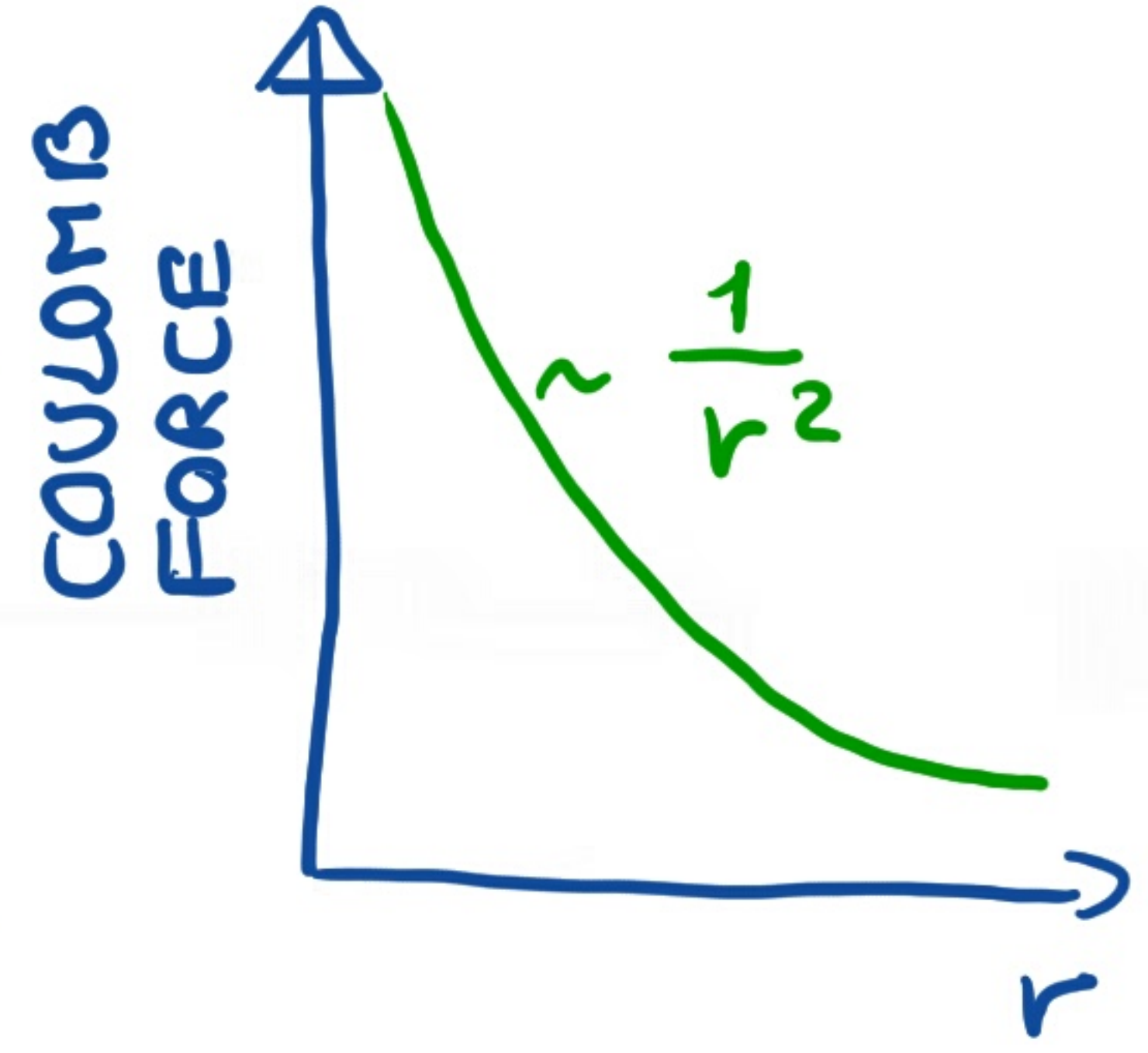
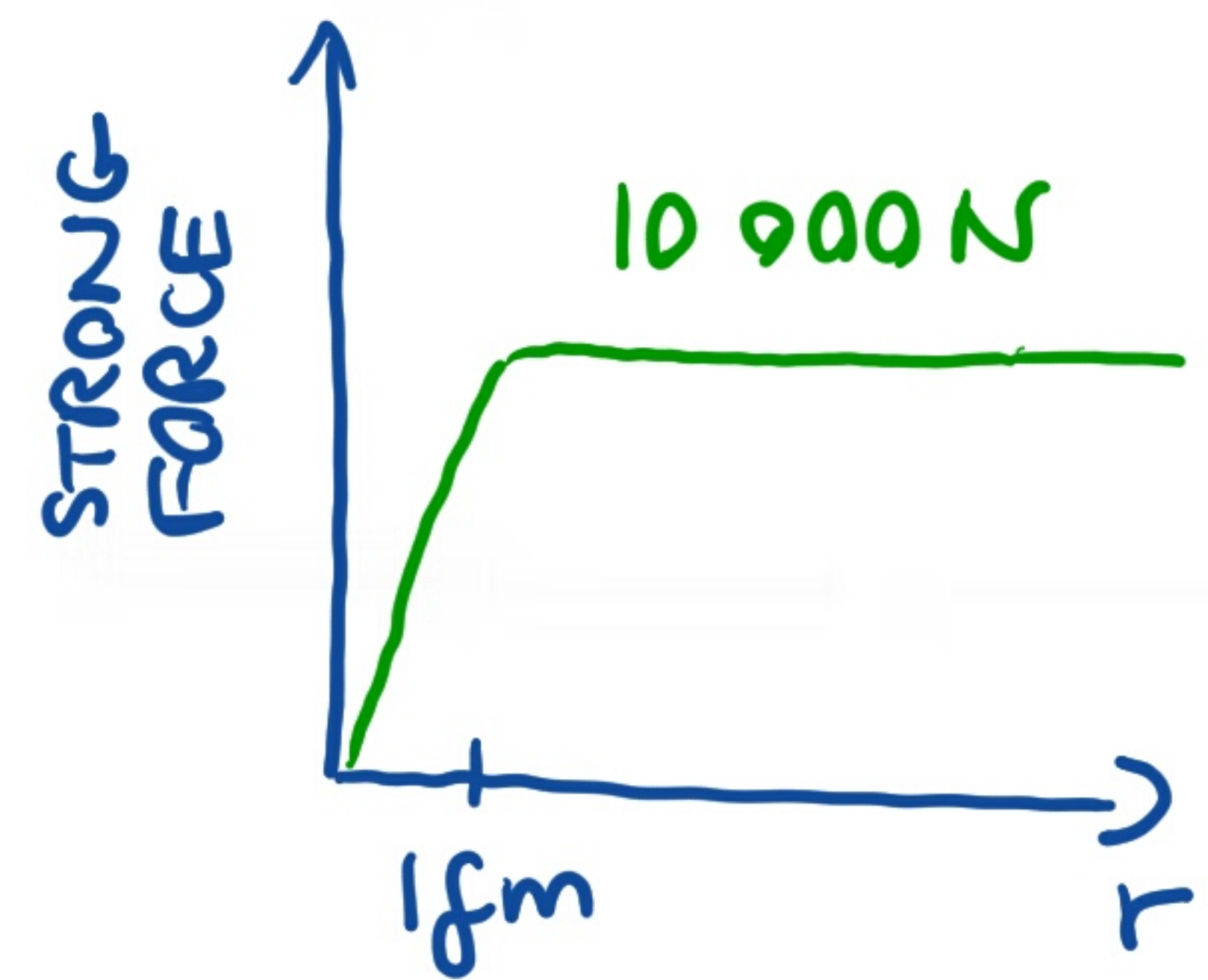
HADRONS ≡ BAGS FILLED WITH

↑
QUARKS,
GLUONS

QUARK (AND GLUON) CONFINEMENT INSIDE HADRONS



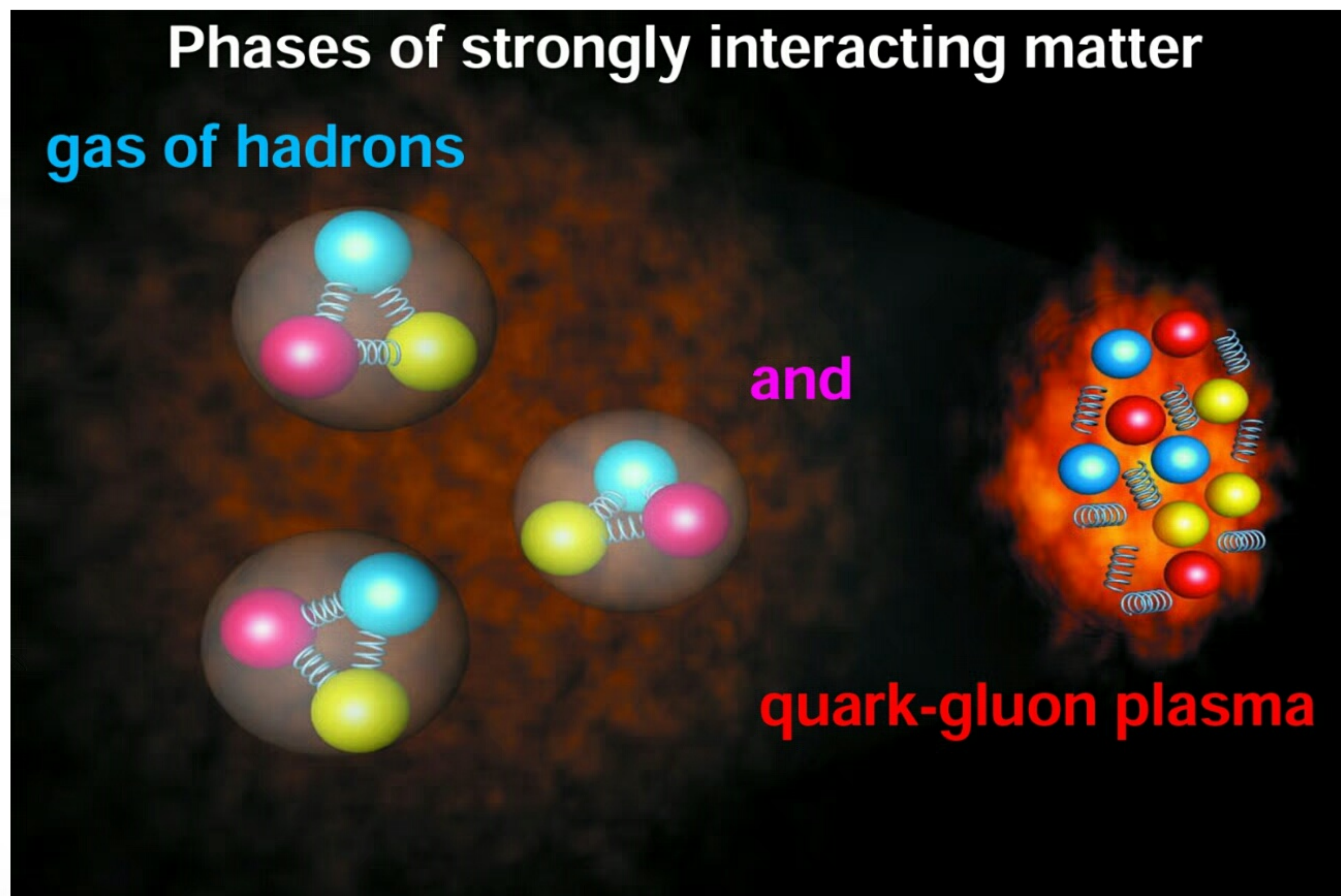
HADRONS "CONSISTS" OF QUARKS
BUT
QUARKS CANNOT BE FOUND
INDIVIDUALLY



STRONGLY INTERACTING MATTER

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≡ MAXIMUM ENTROPY STATE OF ISOLATED SYSTEM OF STRONGLY INTERACTING PARTICLES
(ALL MICROSTATES HAVE EQUAL PROBABILITY TO APPEAR)



QUARK GLUON PLASMA:
A LARGE ($V_{QGP} \gg V_h$) BAG
FILLED WITH q AND g

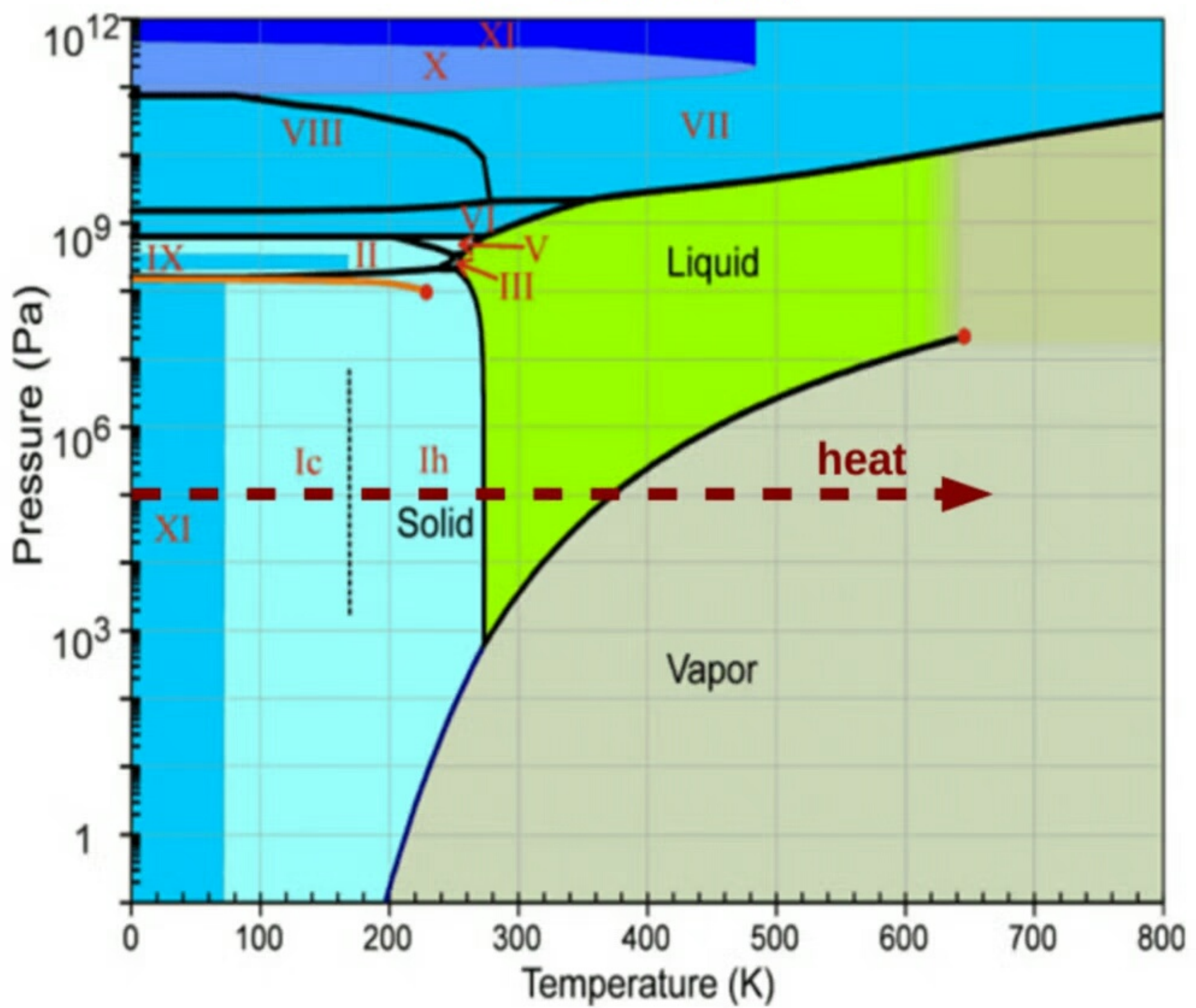
STRONGLY INTERACTING
MATTER IN QGP PHASE IF

ENTROPY(QGP) > ENTROPY(HG)

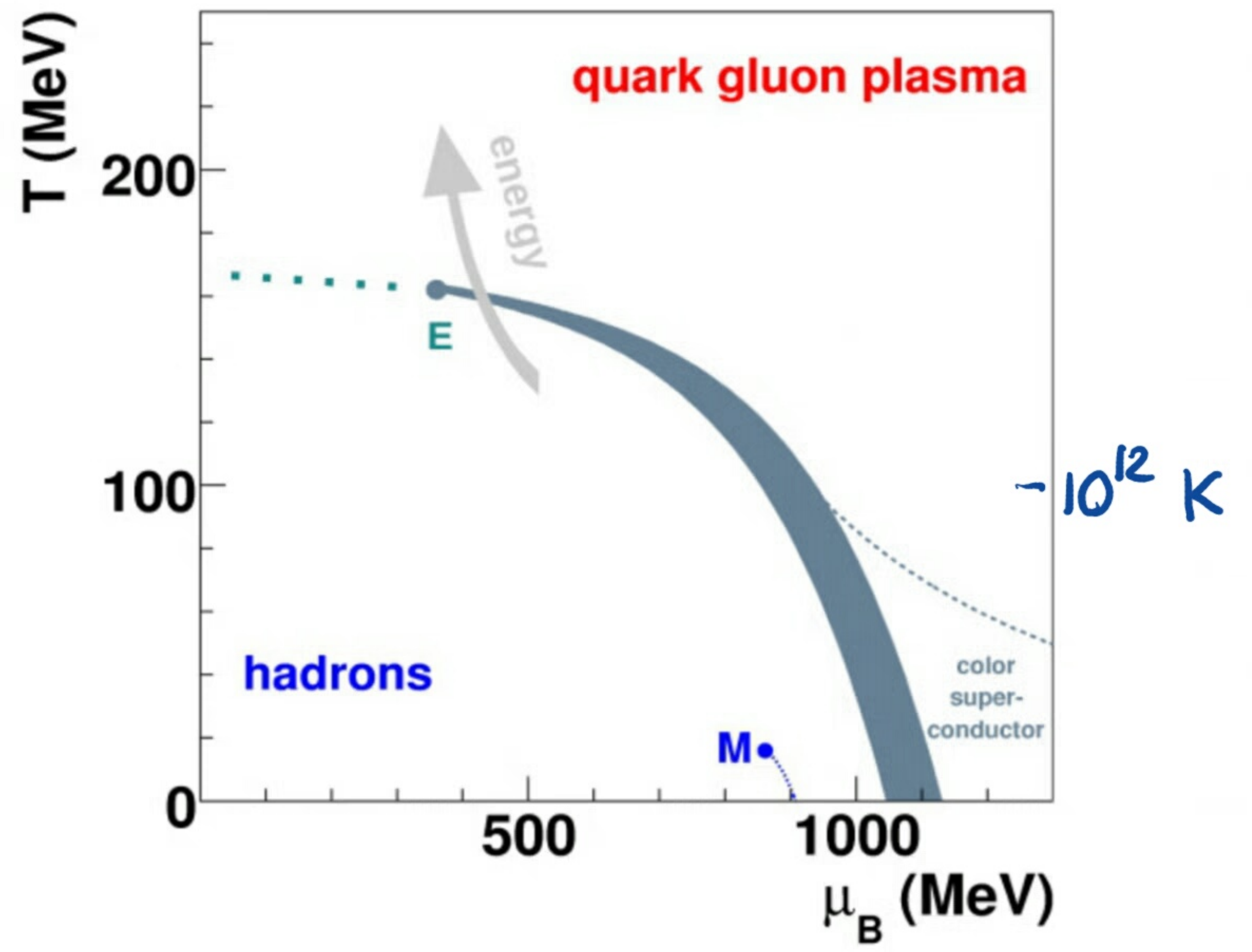
AT FIXED V, E, B, \dots

PHASE DIAGRAM

OF WATER



OF STRONGLY INTERACTING MATTER



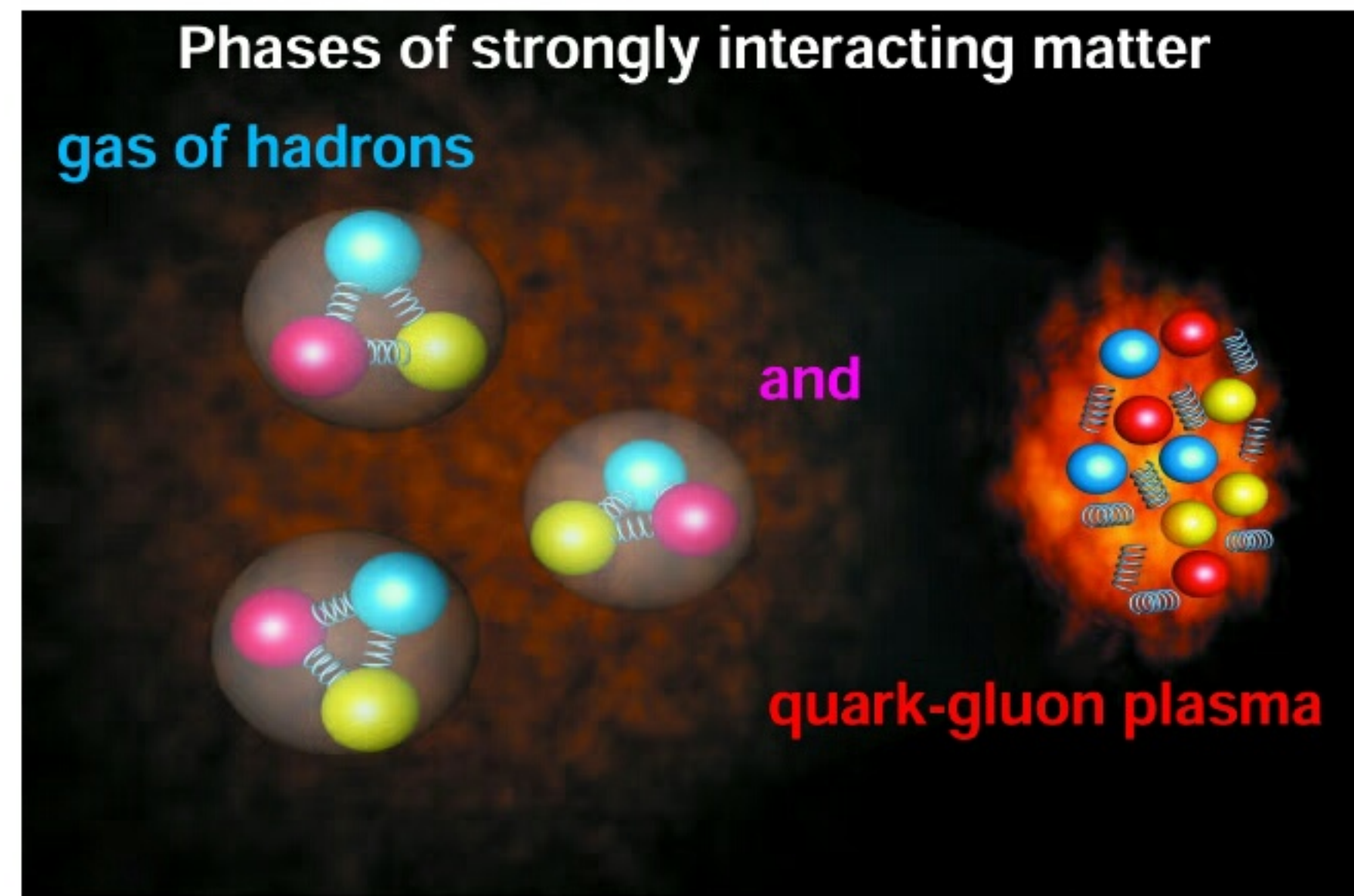
NAGI/SHINE:

- PHASE TRANSITION VS VOLUME
- SEARCH FOR CRITICAL POINT

TOY MODEL OF PHASE TRANSITION

IDEAL GAS OF MASSLESS PIONS:

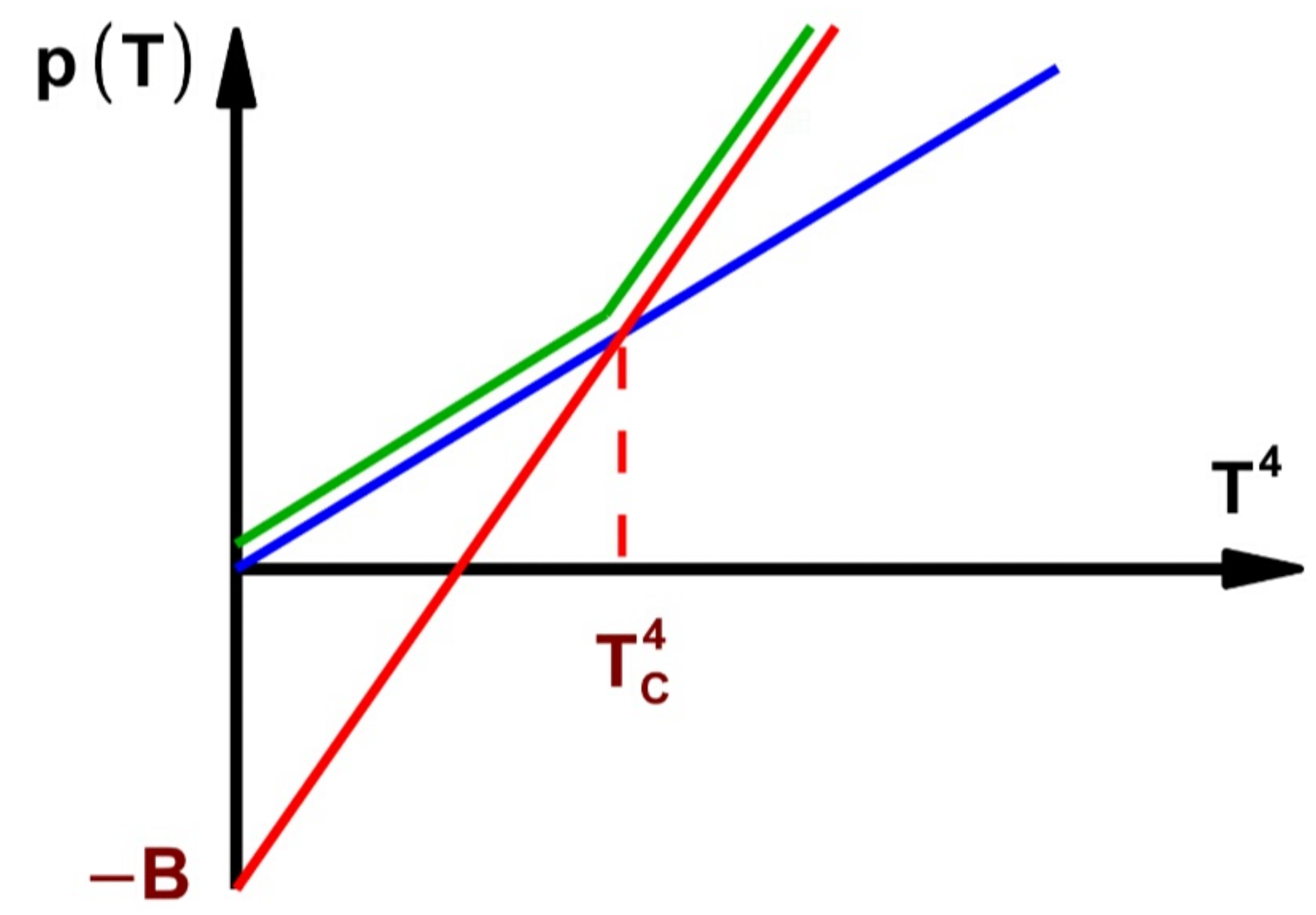
$$P_{HG} = \frac{\pi^2 g_{HG}}{90} \cdot T^4$$



BAG MODEL OF QUARK GLUON PLASMA:

$$P_{QGP} \approx \frac{\pi^2 g_{QGP}}{90} T^4 - B$$

FIRST ORDER PHASE TRANSITION GIVEN BY GIBBS CONDITION:
 $P_{HG} = P_{QGP}$ (EQUIVALENT TO MAXIMUM ENTROPY CONDITION)



$$T_c = \left[\frac{90 \cdot B}{\pi^2 (g_{QGP} - g_{HG})} \right]^{1/4}$$

FOR $B > 0$, $g_{QGP} > g_{HG}$

galaxy
 10^{21} m



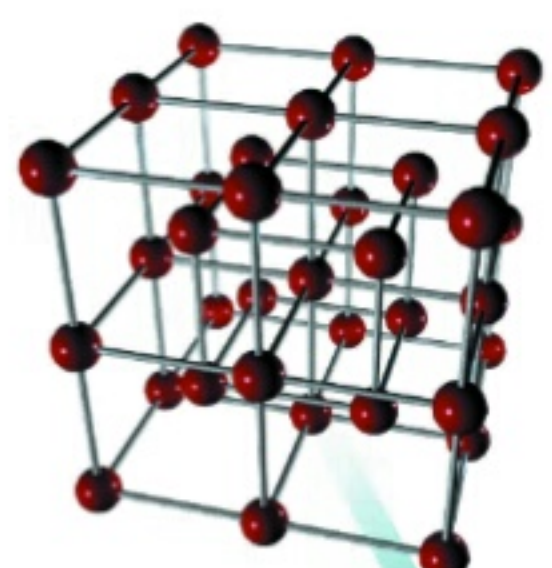
matter
 10^{-1} m



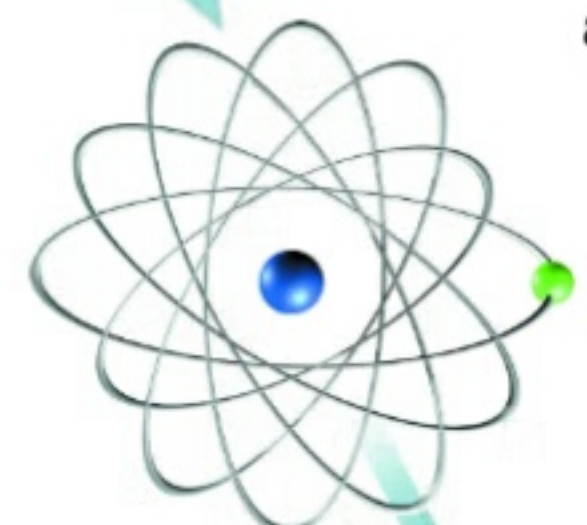
DNA
 10^{-8} m



crystal
 10^{-9} m



atom
 10^{-10} m

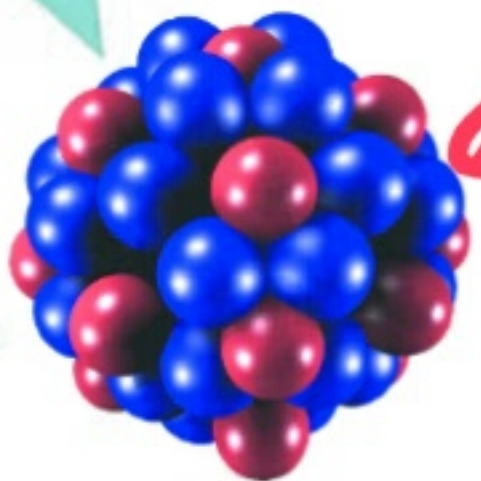


10^{-15} m (= 1 fm)

nucleon
 10^{-15} m



atomic nucleus
 10^{-14} m



electron



quark

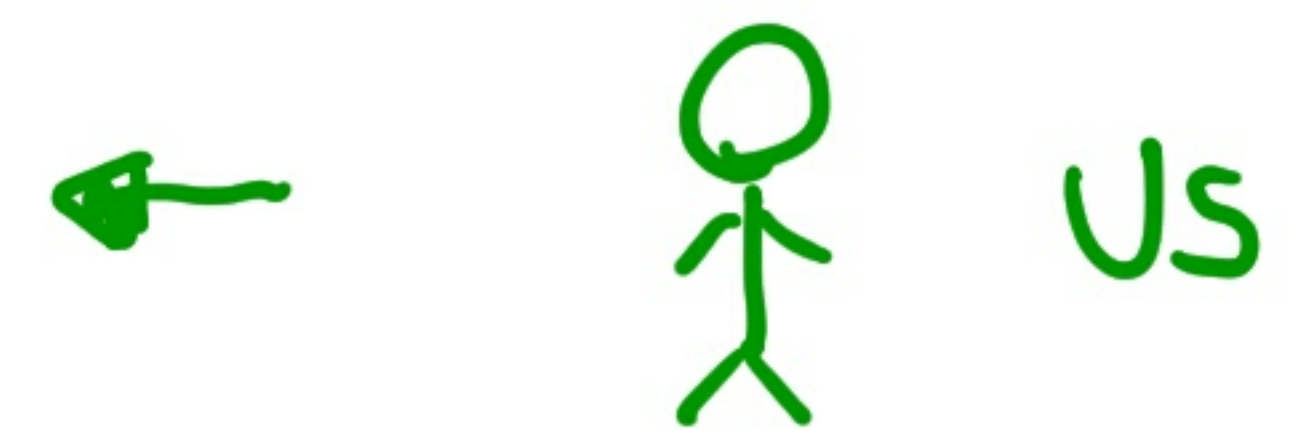


$< 10^{-18}$ m

NUCLEUS-NUCLEUS COLLISIONS

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10^{-1} m



10^{-8} m

NUCLEI - THE LARGEST SYSTEMS OF STRONGLY INTERACTING PARTICLES IN LAB

10^{-10} m

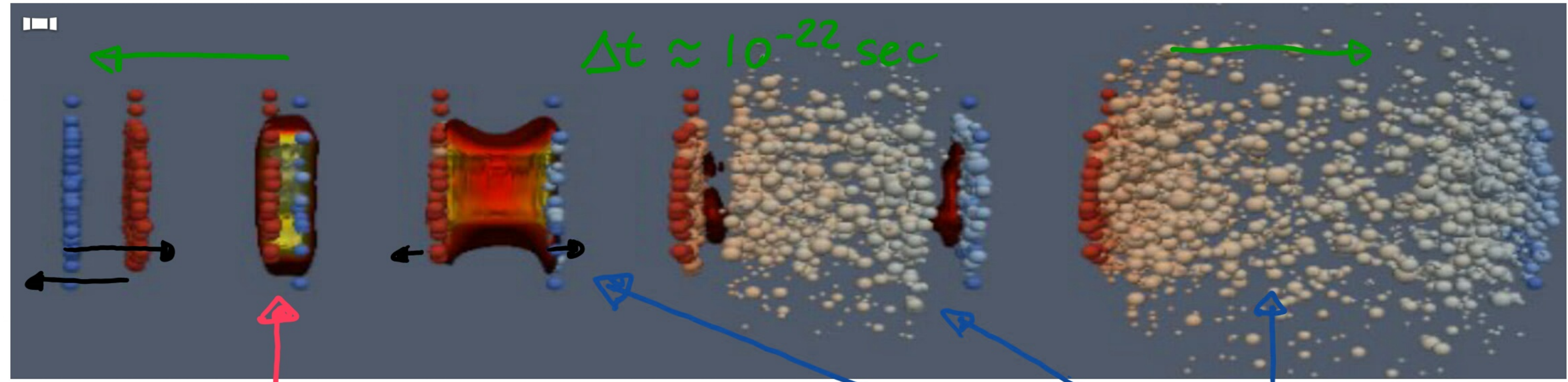
10^{-14} m



FUNDAMENTAL PARTICLES

NUCLEI ACCELERATED TO
≈ LIGHT VELOCITY COLLIDE
(AT SPS $v/c \approx 0.9997$)

NUCLEUS-NUCLEUS COLLISIONS



STRONGLY INTERACTING
MATTER (HG, QGP, MIXED)
IS CREATED ACCORDING
TO MAXIMUM ENTROPY PRINCIPLE

STATISTICAL MODEL OF THE
EARLY STAGE OF A+A COLLISIONS ≡ SMES

FERMI, LANDAU

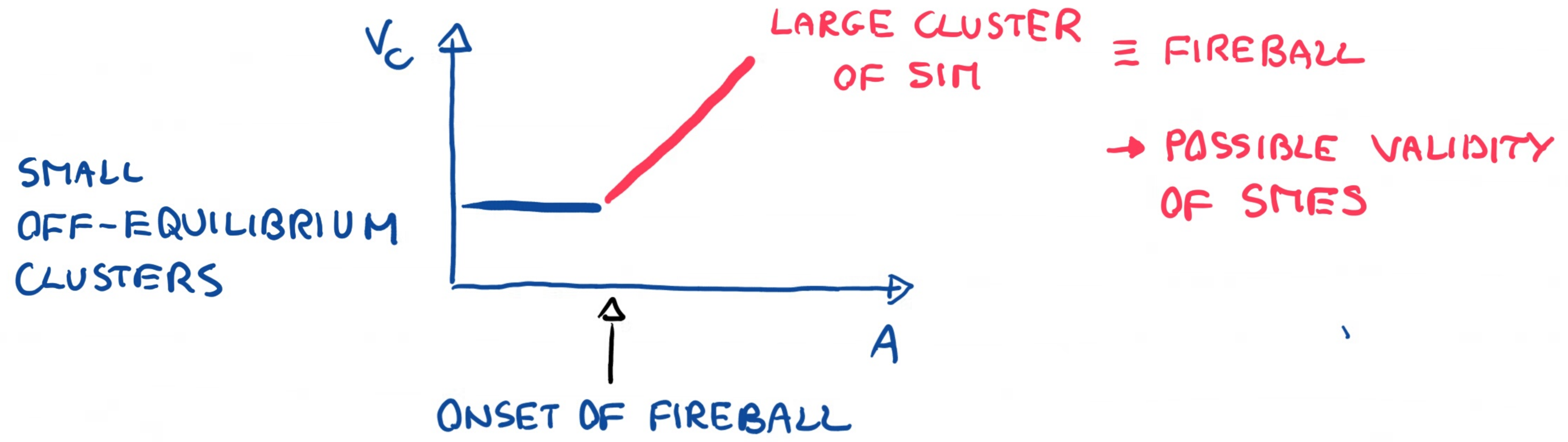
MG, GORENSTEIN

THE SYSTEM EXPANDS AND
DECAYS INTO HADRONS
MEASURED IN DETECTORS

STANDARD MODEL OF
A+A COLLISIONS

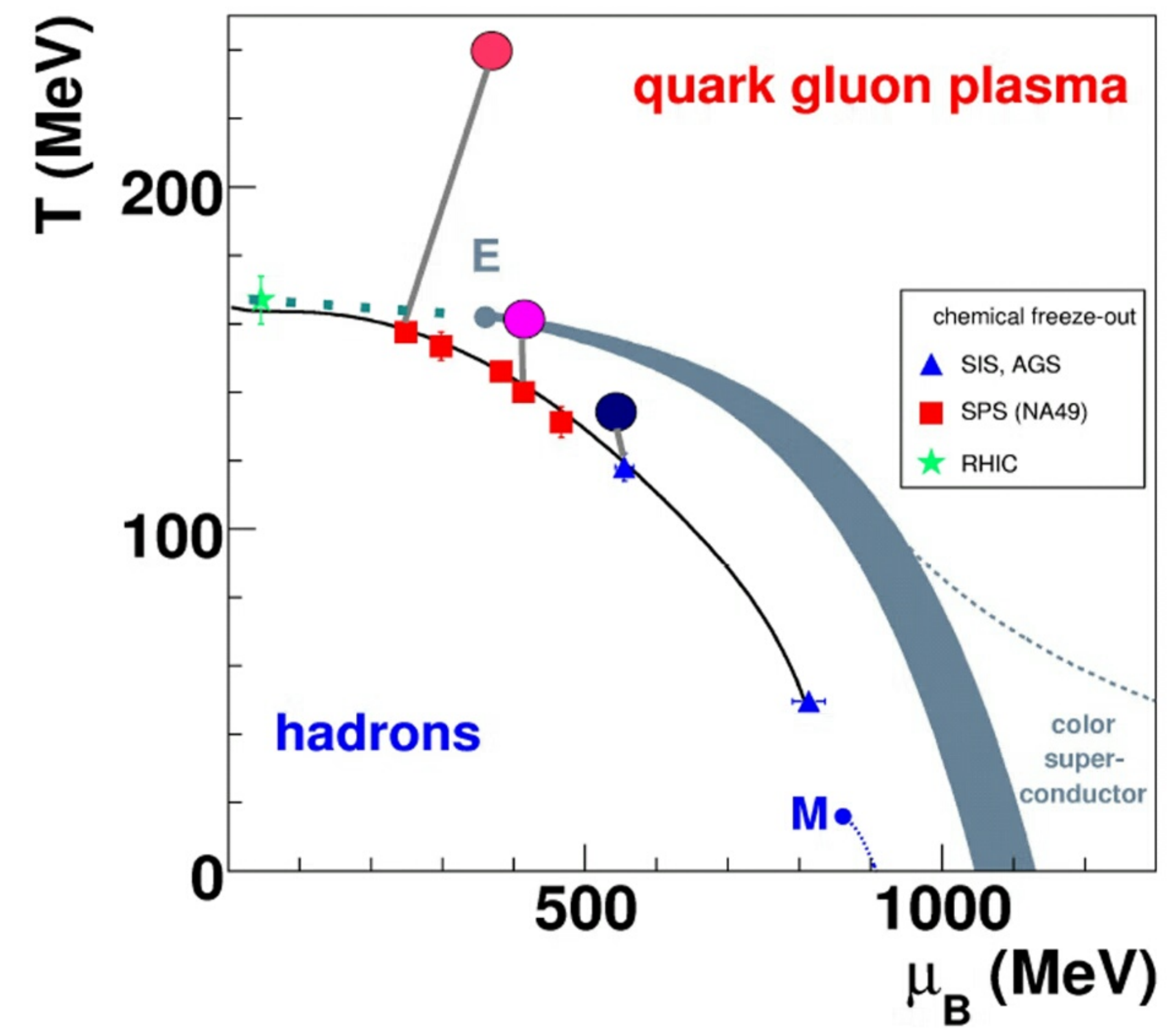
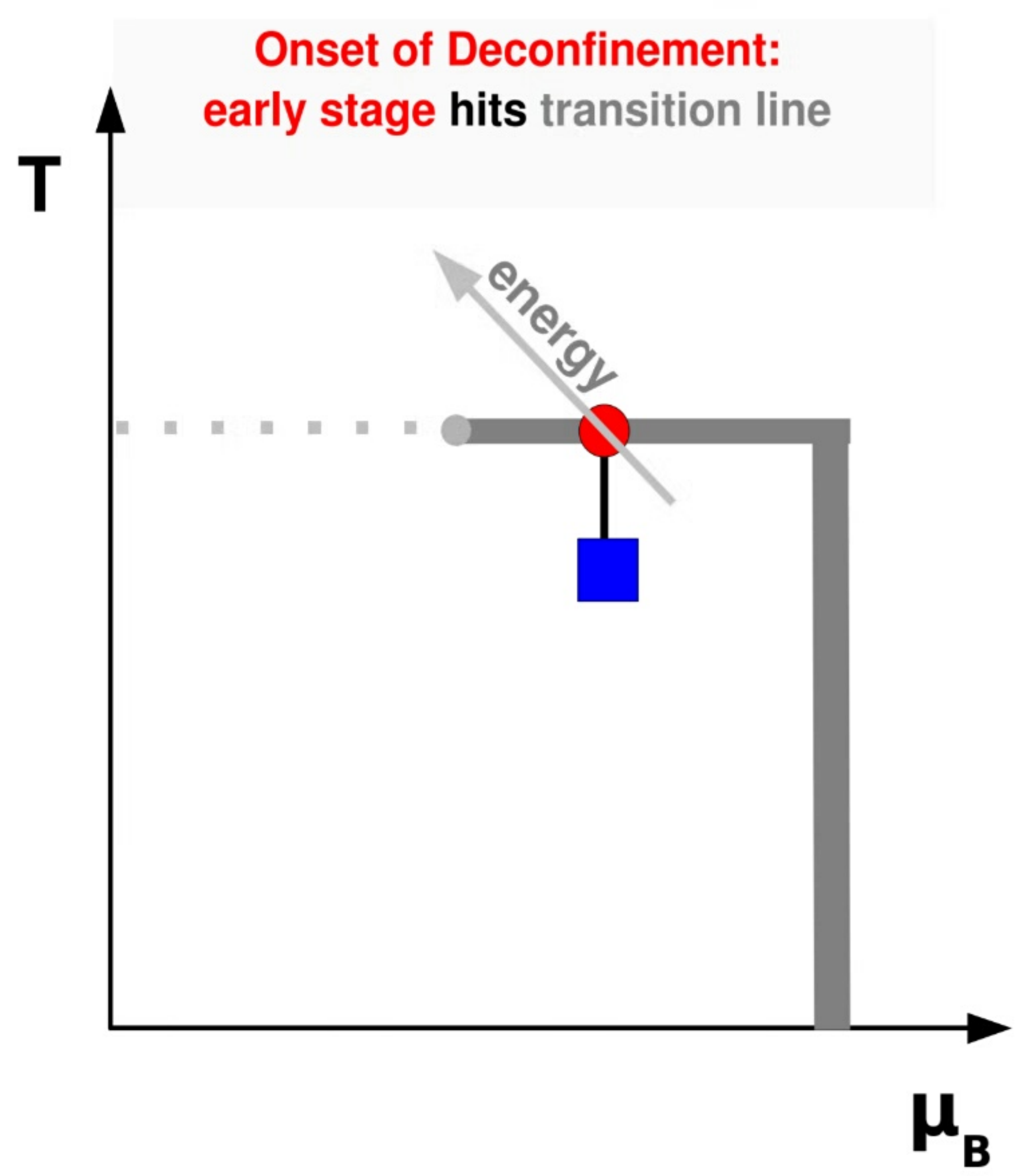
ONSET OF FIREBALL

≡ BEGINNING OF CREATION OF LARGE CLUSTERS OF STRONGLY INTERACTING MATTER (SIM) IN NUCLEUS-NUCLEUS (A+A) COLLISIONS WITH INCREASING NUCLEAR MASS NUMBER (A)



ONSET OF DECONFINEMENT

≡ BEGINNING OF CREATION OF QUARK-GLUON PLASMA IN NUCLEUS-NUCLEUS COLLISIONS WITH INCREASING COLLISION ENERGY ($\sqrt{s_{NN}}$)

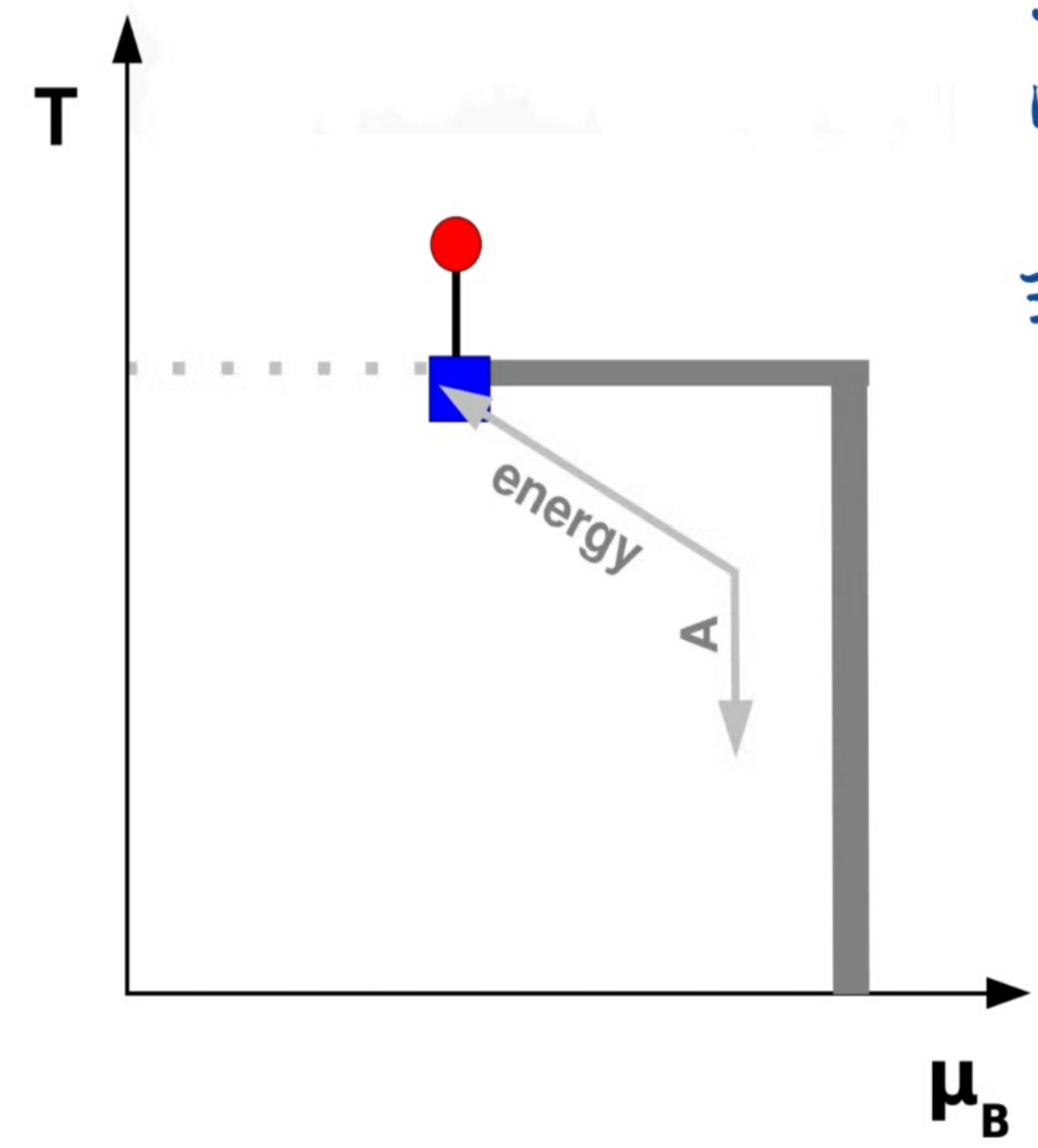


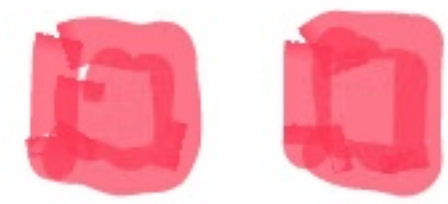
CRITICAL POINT OF SIM

≡ HYPOTHETICAL END POINT OF FIRST ORDER TRANSITION LINE THAT HAS PROPERTIES OF SECOND ORDER TRANSITION

SEARCH FOR CRITICAL POINT (CP) OF SIM IN A+A COLLISIONS

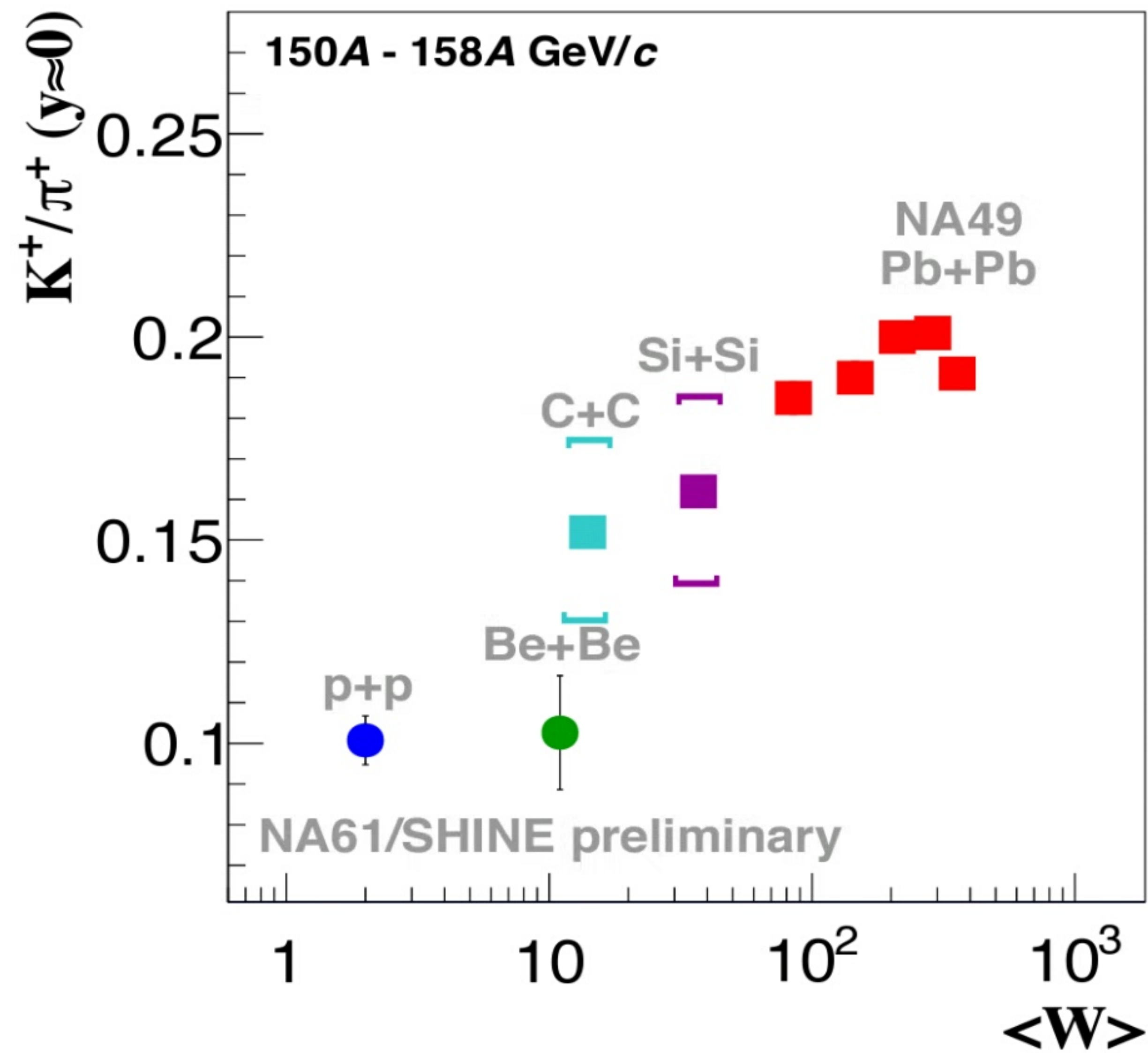
≡ SCAN IN $\sqrt{s_{NN}}$ AND A TO POSITION FREEZE-OUT POINT CLOSE TO CP



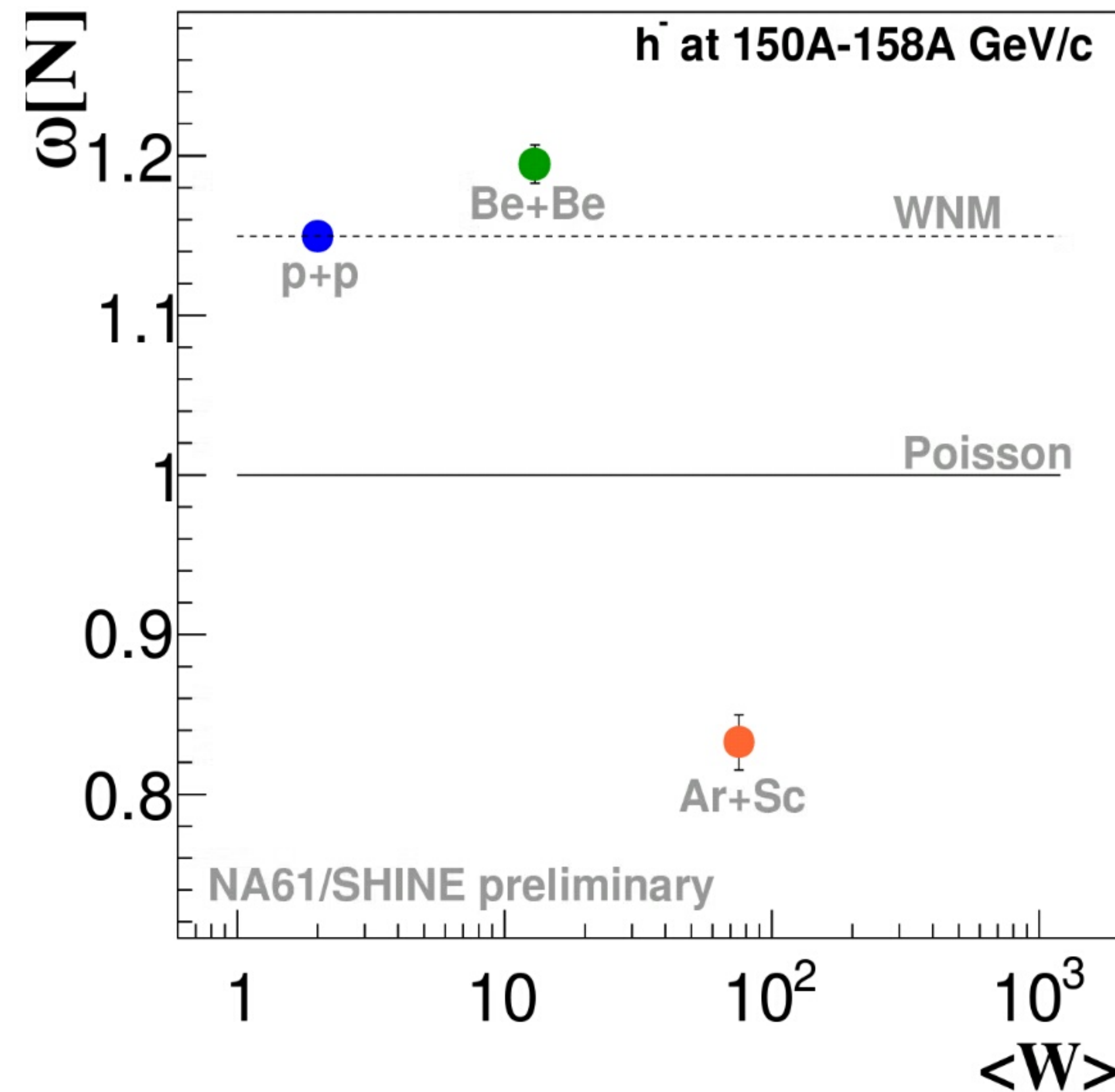


ONSET OF FIREBALL

MEAN MULTIPLICITY RATIO



MULTIPLICITY FLUCTUATIONS



$$w[N] \equiv \frac{\text{Var}[N]}{\langle N \rangle}$$

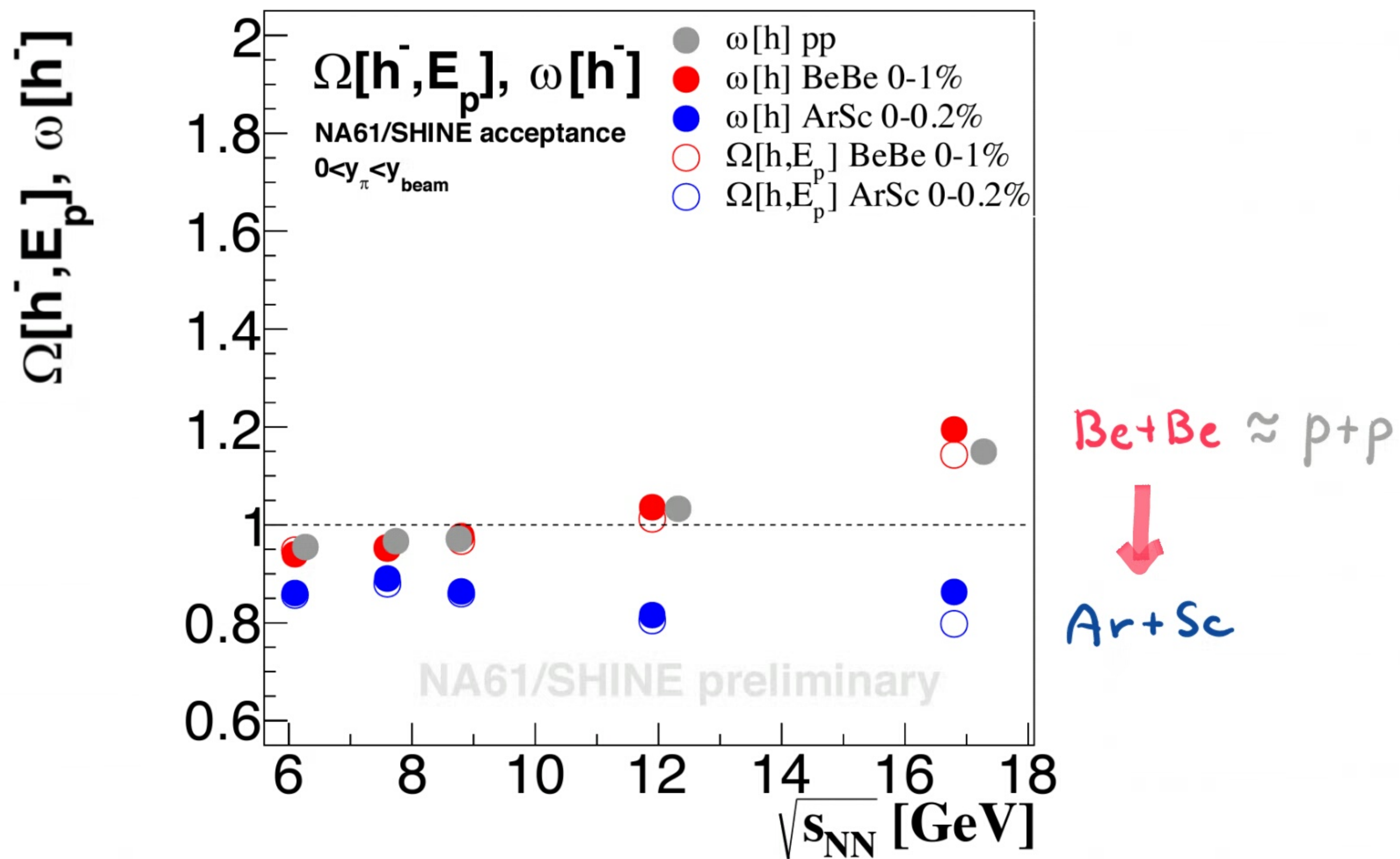


ONSET OF FIREBALL?



(NUMBER OF
WOUNDED
NUCLEONS)

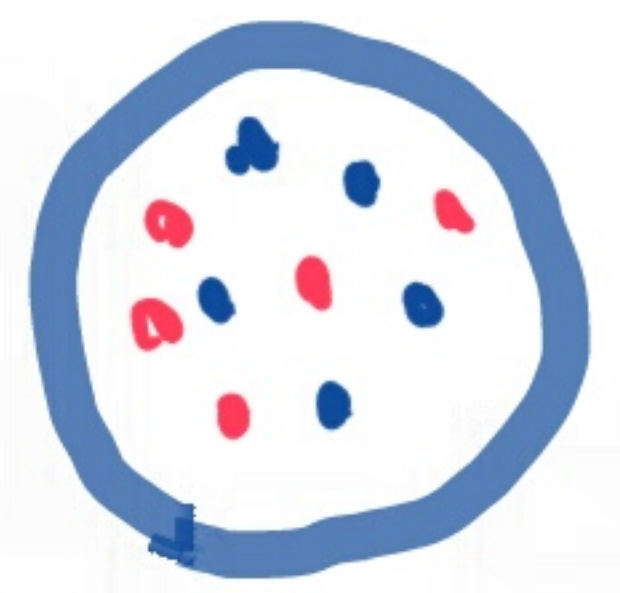
MULTIPLICITY FLUCTUATIONS



RAPID CHANGE OF A-DEPENDENCE AT $A \approx 10$
OBSERVED AT ALL SPS COLLISION ENERGIES

VOLUME DEPENDENCE OF $\langle N \rangle$ AND $w[N]$

V, T
 $Q=0$

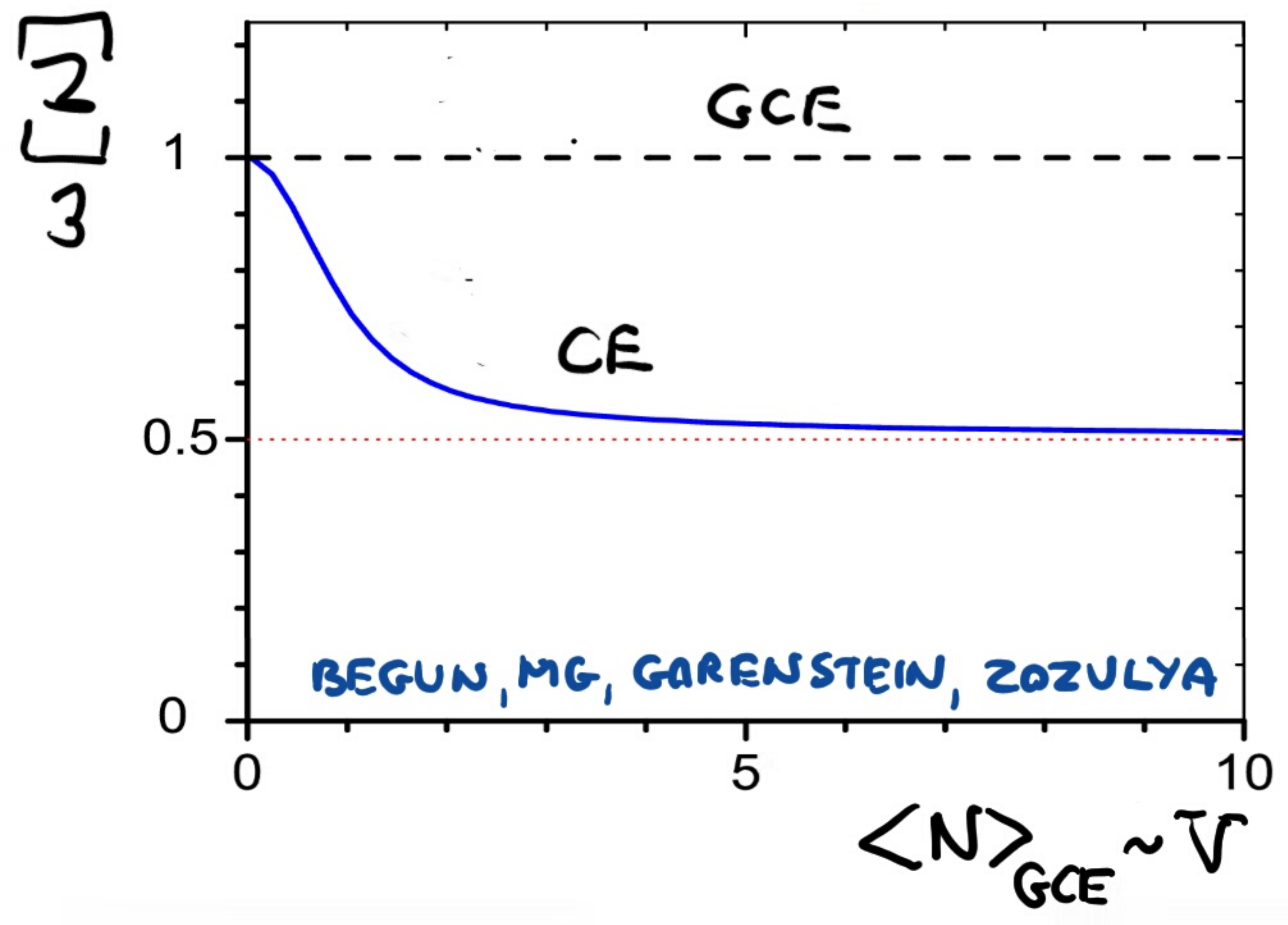
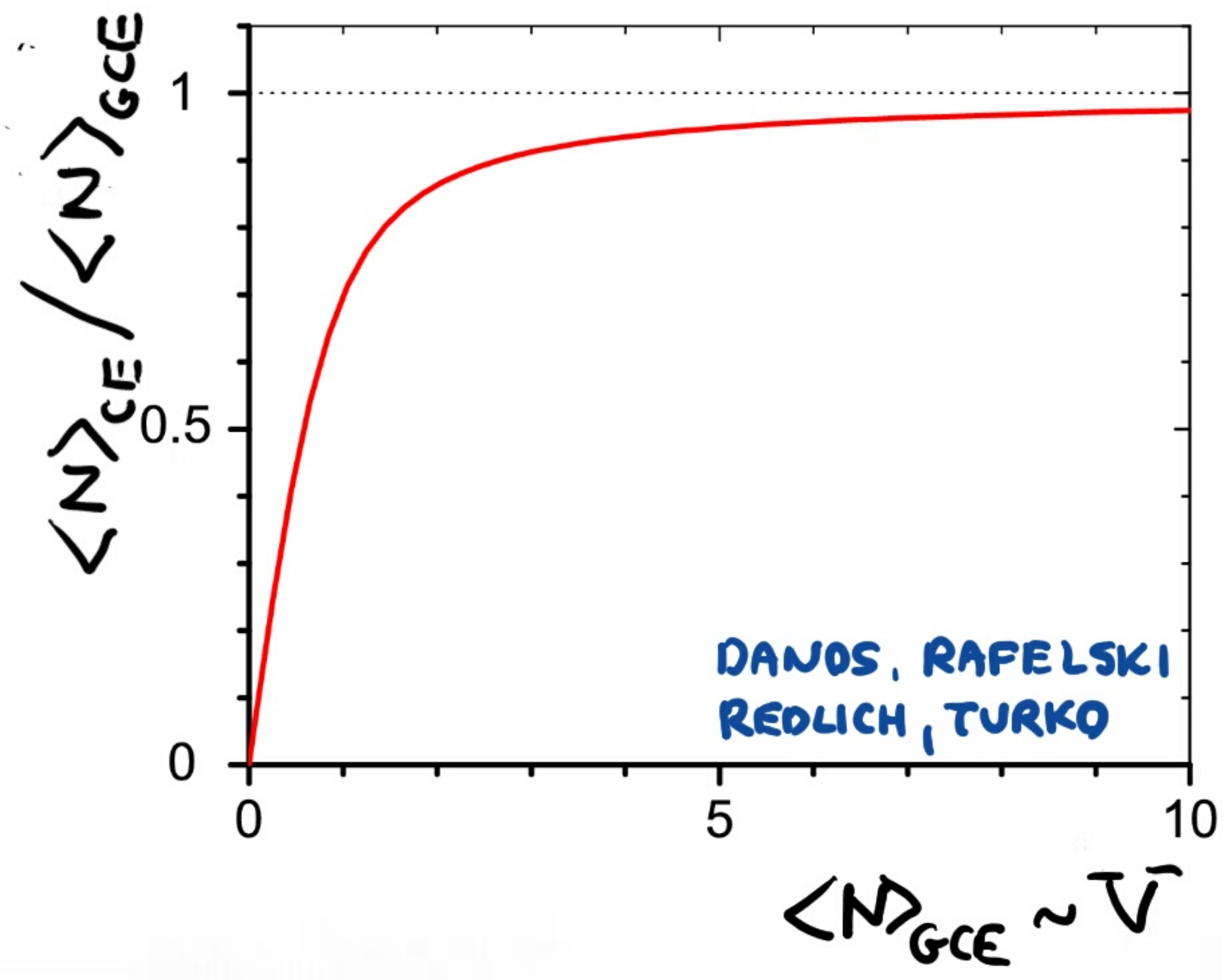


IDEAL BOLTZMANN (IB)
ENSEMBLE (CE) \rightarrow

GAS WITHIN CANONICAL
NON-TRIVIAL DEPENDENCE OF
 $\langle N \rangle$ AND $w[N]$ ON V

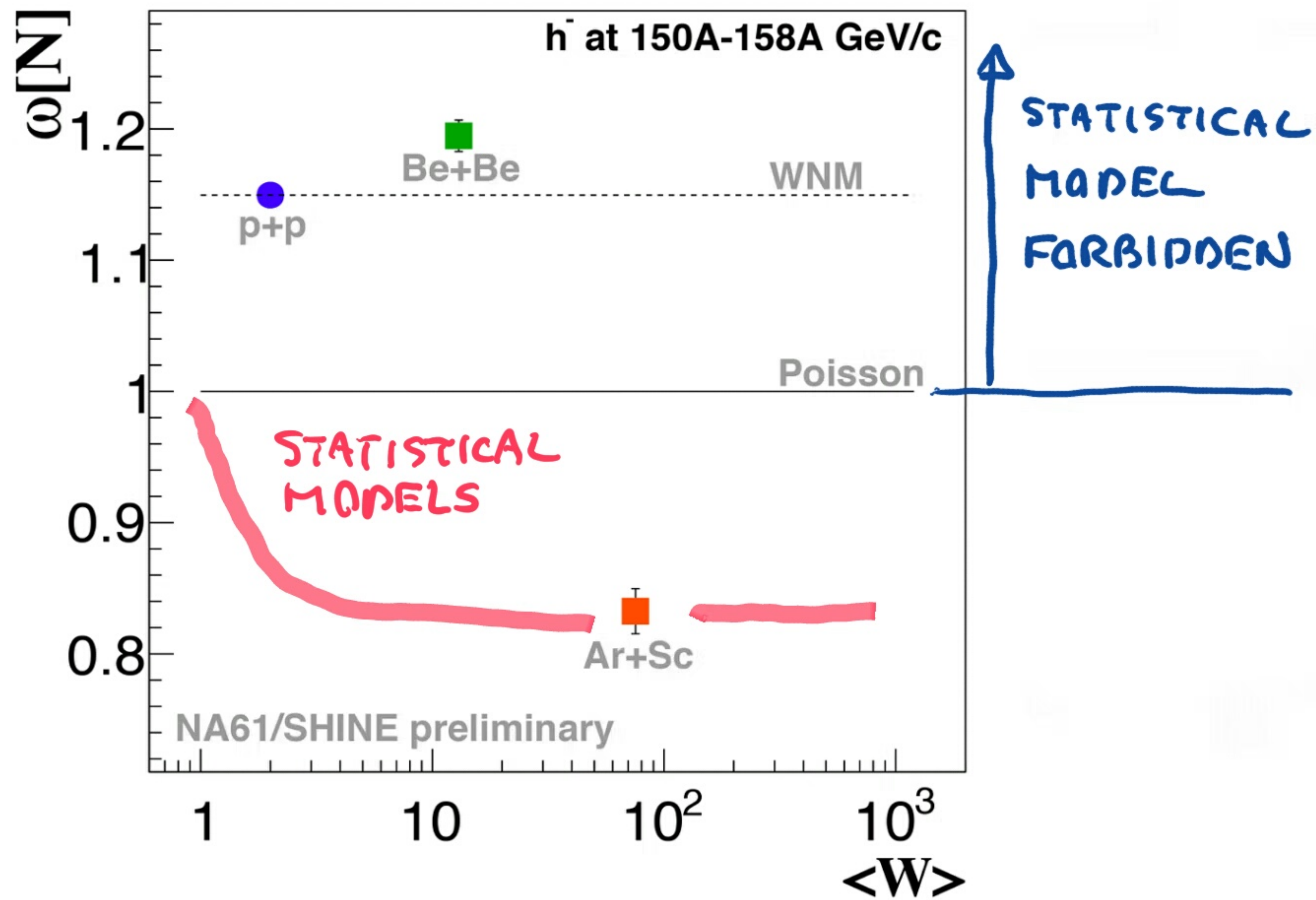
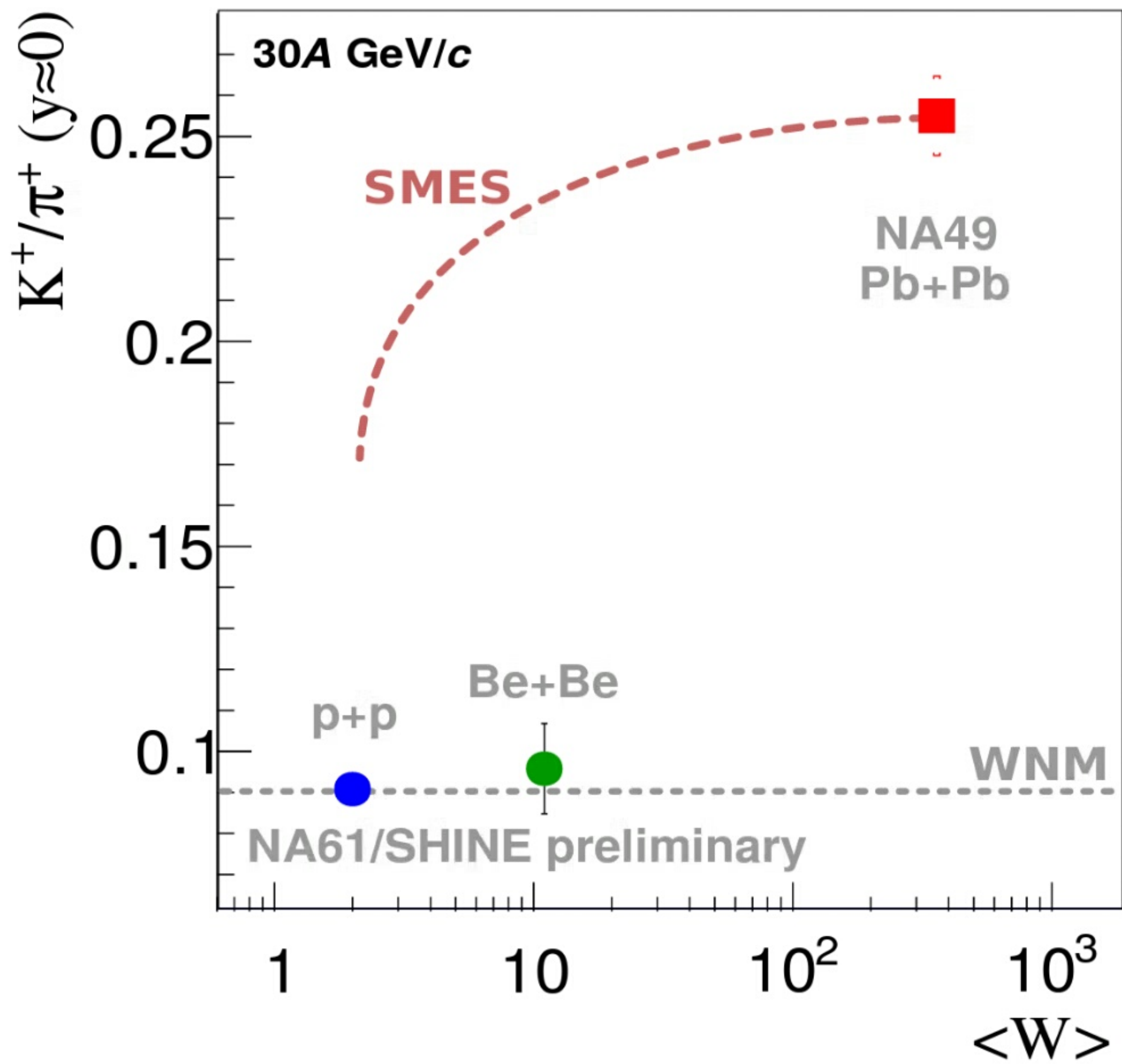
"CANONICAL SUPPRESSION"
OF $\langle N \rangle$

"CANONICAL ENHANCEMENT"
OF $w[N]$



FAR INSUFFICIENT TO REPRODUCE DATA

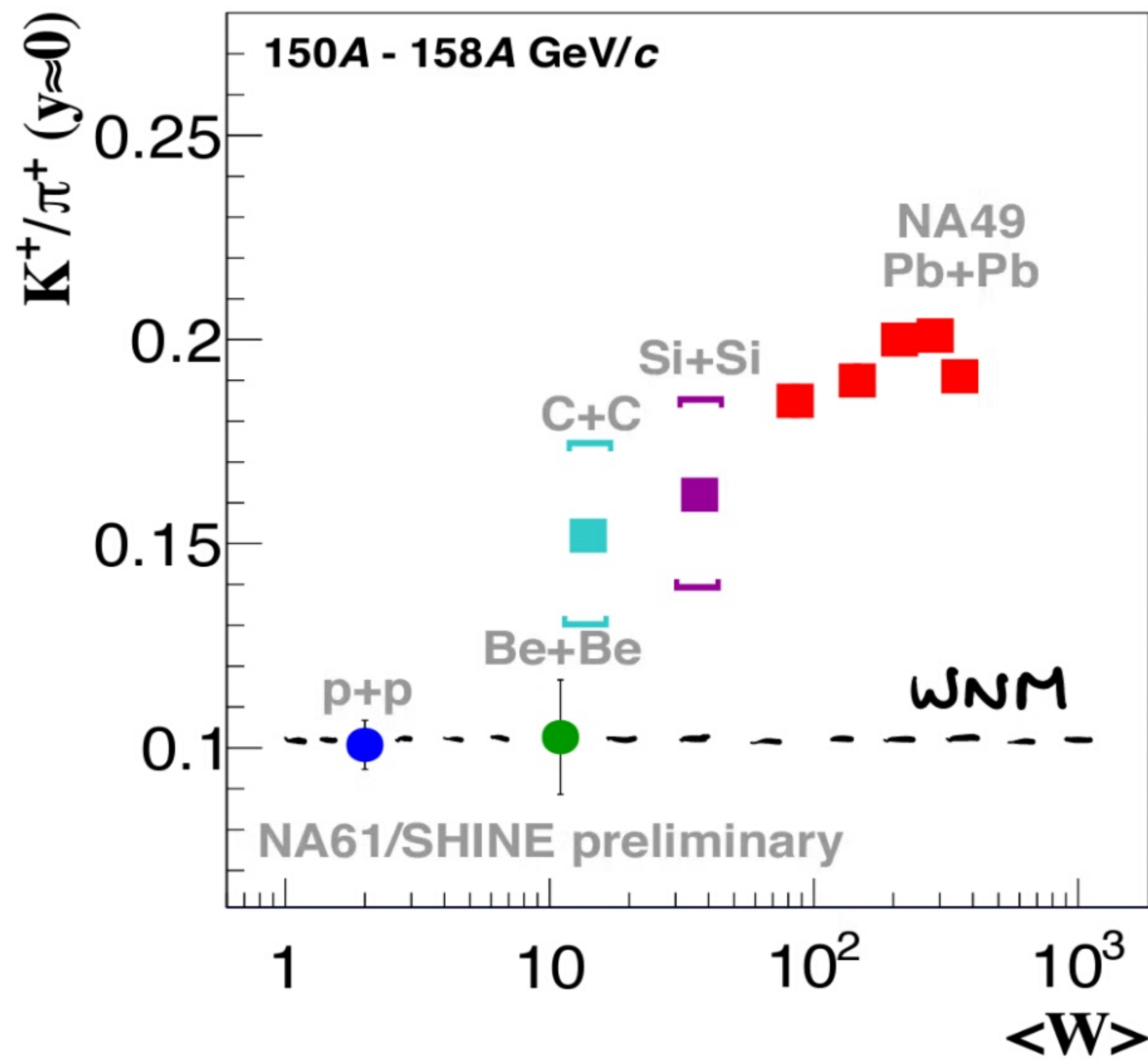
p+p AND Be+Be SUPERPOSITION OF "NON-STATISTICAL CLUSTERS" (18)



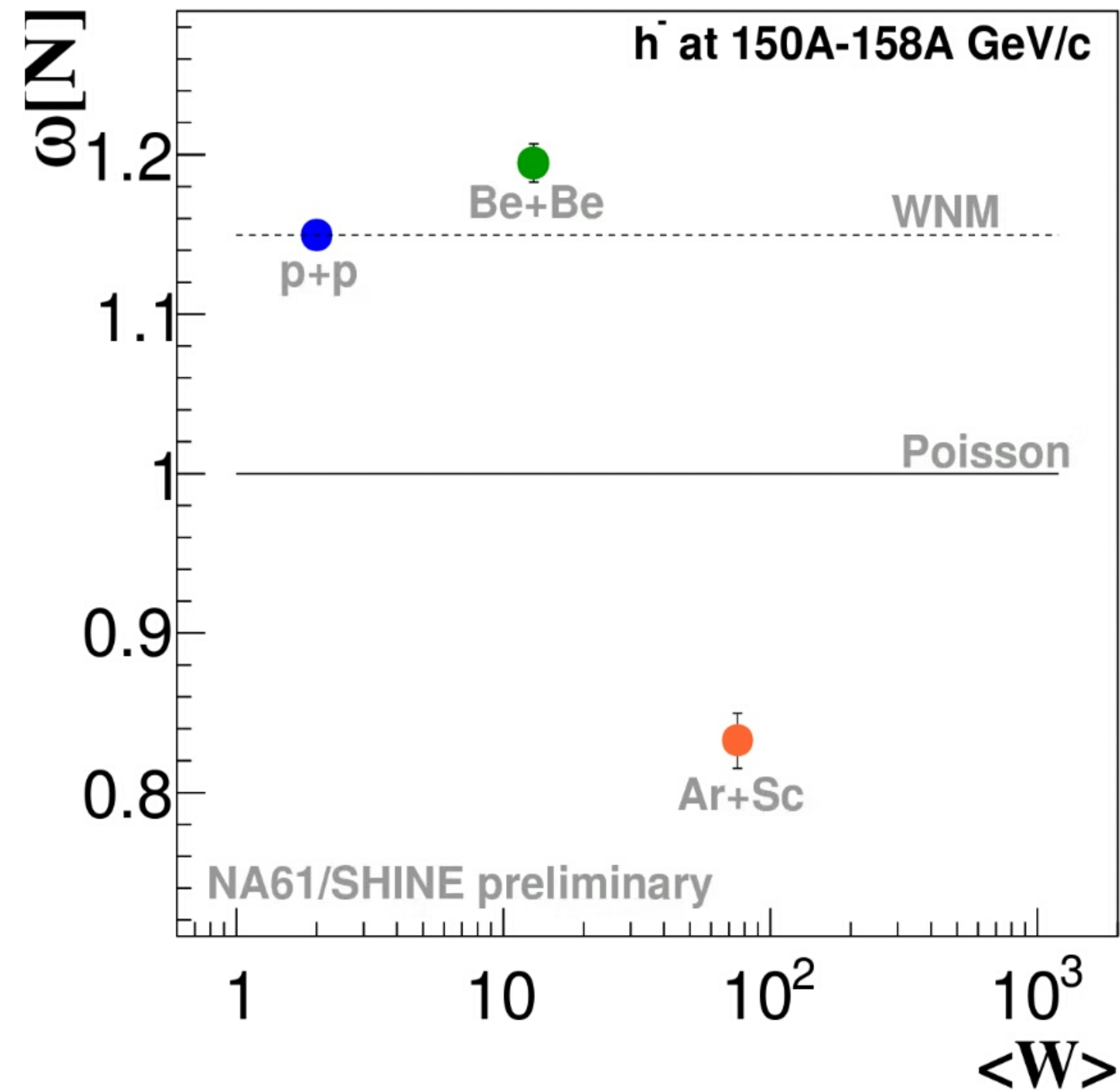
Ar+Sc AND Pb+Pb \approx LARGE VOLUME "STATISTICAL" CLUSTER

NA61/SHINE INDICATION FOR ONSET OF FIREBALL

MEAN MULTIPLICITY RATIO



MULTIPLICITY FLUCTUATIONS



ONSET OF FIREBALL



ON INTERPRETATION OF ONSET OF FIREBALL:
PERCOLATION APPROACH

WITH INCREASING A DENSITY OF CLUSTERS (STRINGS, PARTONS, ...) INCREASES. THUS PROBABILITY TO OVERLAP MANY ELEMENTARY CLUSTERS MAY RAPIDLY INCREASE WITH A \rightarrow PERCOLATION MODELS.

THIS APPROACH DOES NOT EXPLAIN EQUILIBRIUM PROPERTIES OF LARGE CLUSTERS

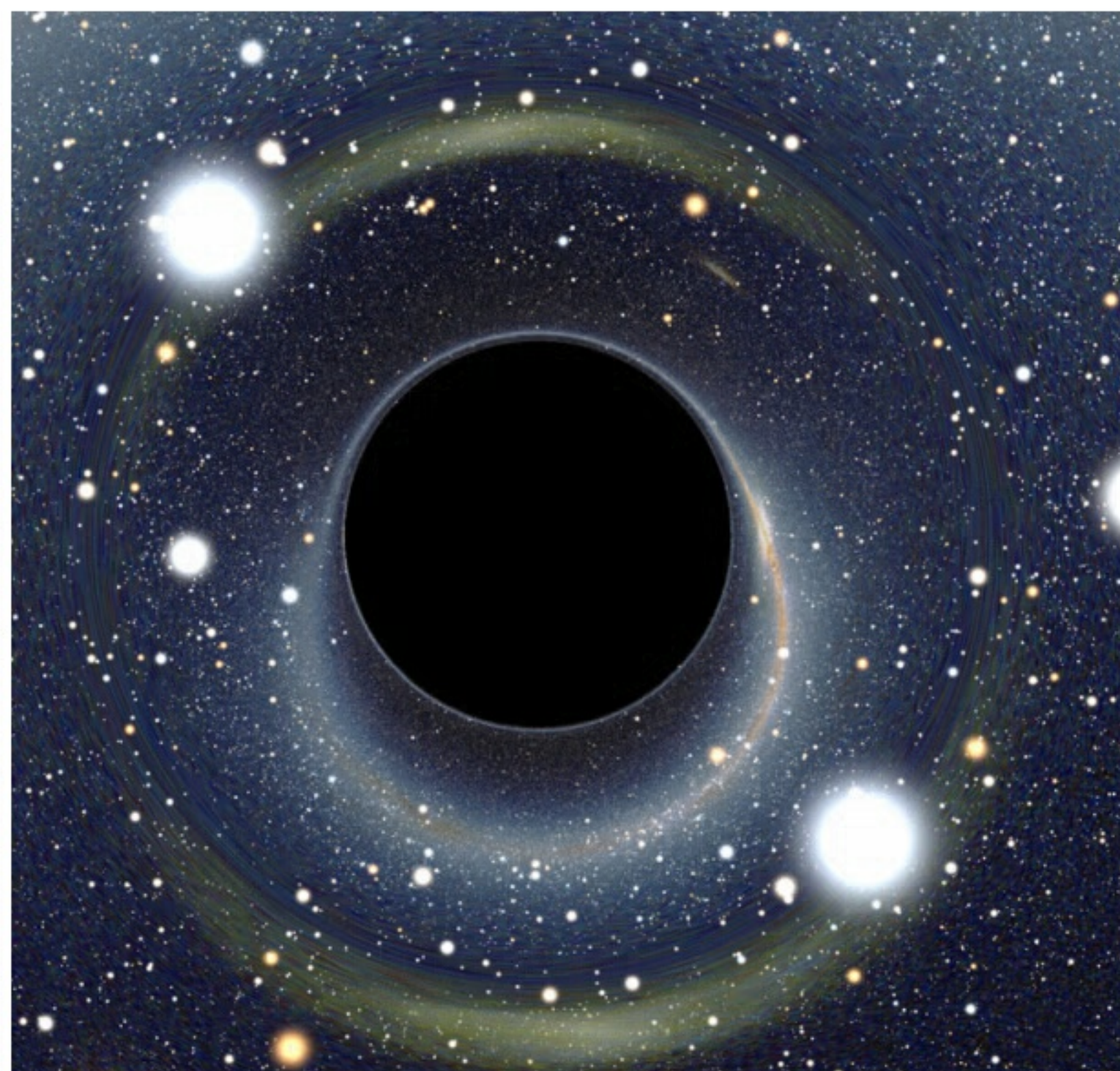
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CUNQUEIRO, FERREIRO, MORAL, PAJARES PRC75 (05) 024902

ON INTERPRETATION OF ONSET OF FIREBALL:
AdS/CFT CORRESPONDENCE

MALDACENA, INT. J. THEOR. PHYS. 38 (1999) 1113

AdS (GRAVITY): FORMATION OF A BLACK HOLE HORIZON (INFORMATION TRAPPING SURFACE) TAKES PLACE WHEN CRITICAL VALUES OF MODEL PARAMETERS ARE REACHED.

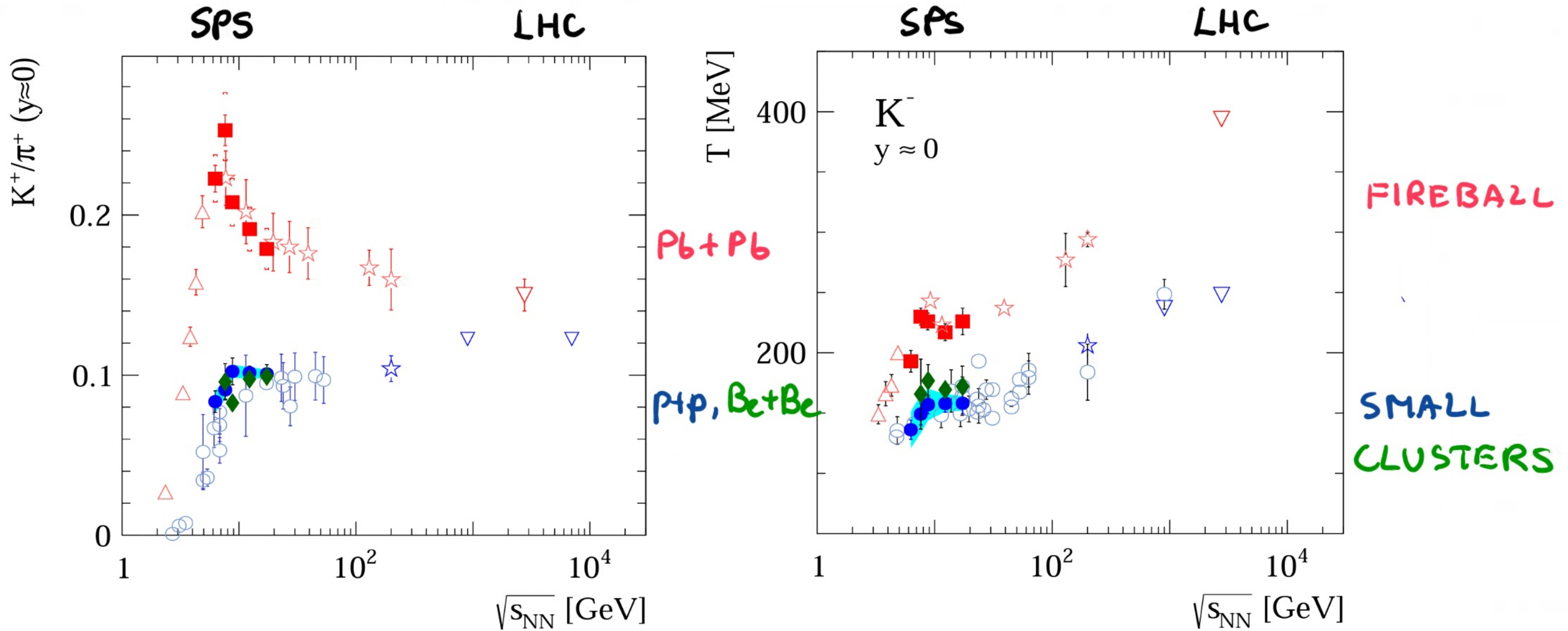
CFT (QCD): ONLY STARTING FROM A SUFFICIENTLY LARGE NUCLEAR MASS NUMBER THE FORMATION OF THE TRAPPING SURFACE IN A+A COLLISIONS IS POSSIBLE \rightarrow ONSET OF FIREBALL



SHURYAK, PROG. PART. NUCL. PHYS. 62 (2009) 48
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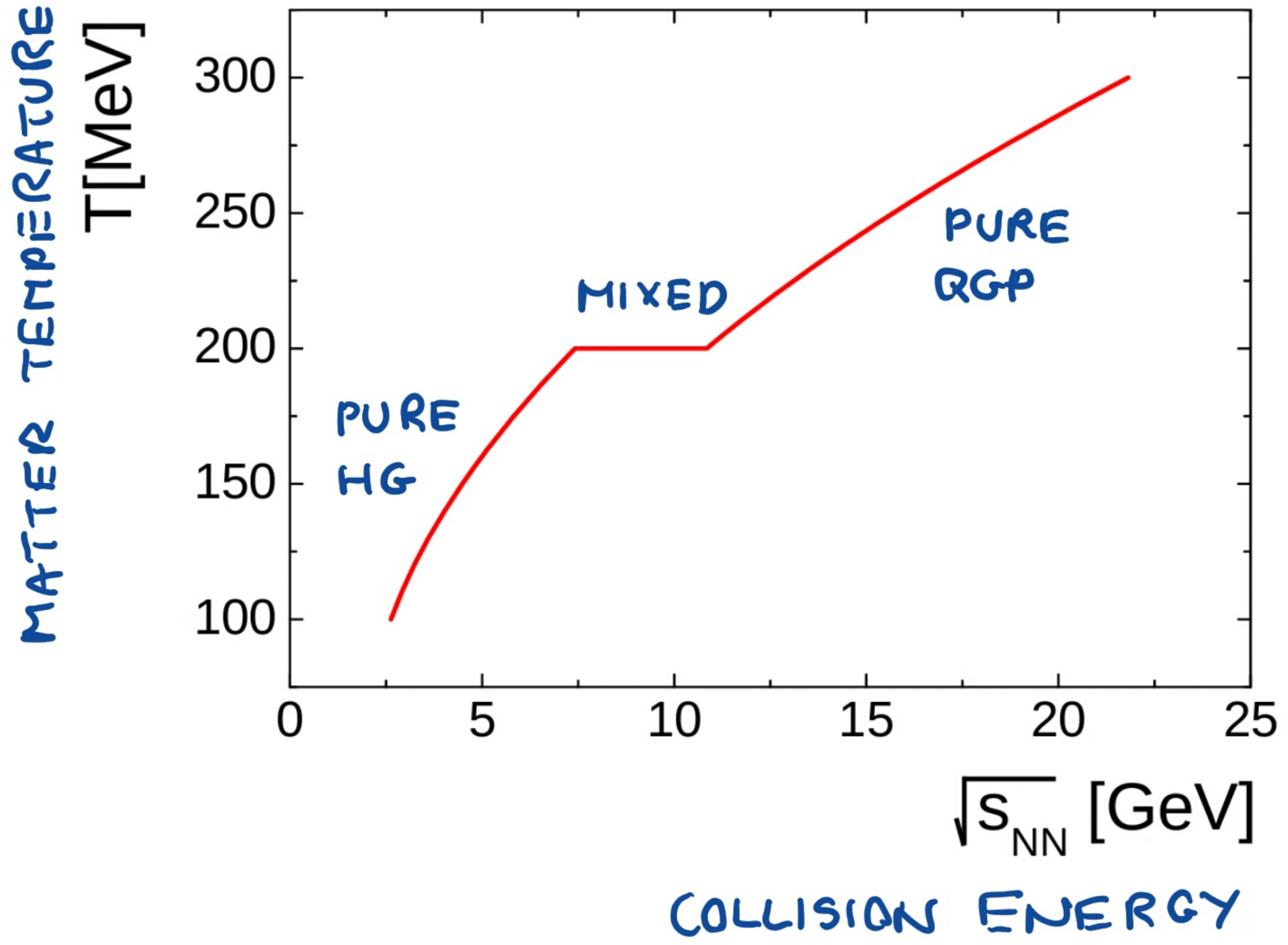


ONSET OF DECONFINEMENT



RAPID CHANGE OF $\sqrt{s_{NN}}$ -DEPENDENCE AT $\sqrt{s_{NN}} \approx 10$ GEV
 OBSERVED FOR BOTH, FIREBALL AND SMALL CLUSTERS

ONSET OF DECONFINEMENT IN SMES



ONSET OF DECONFINEMENT IN SMES

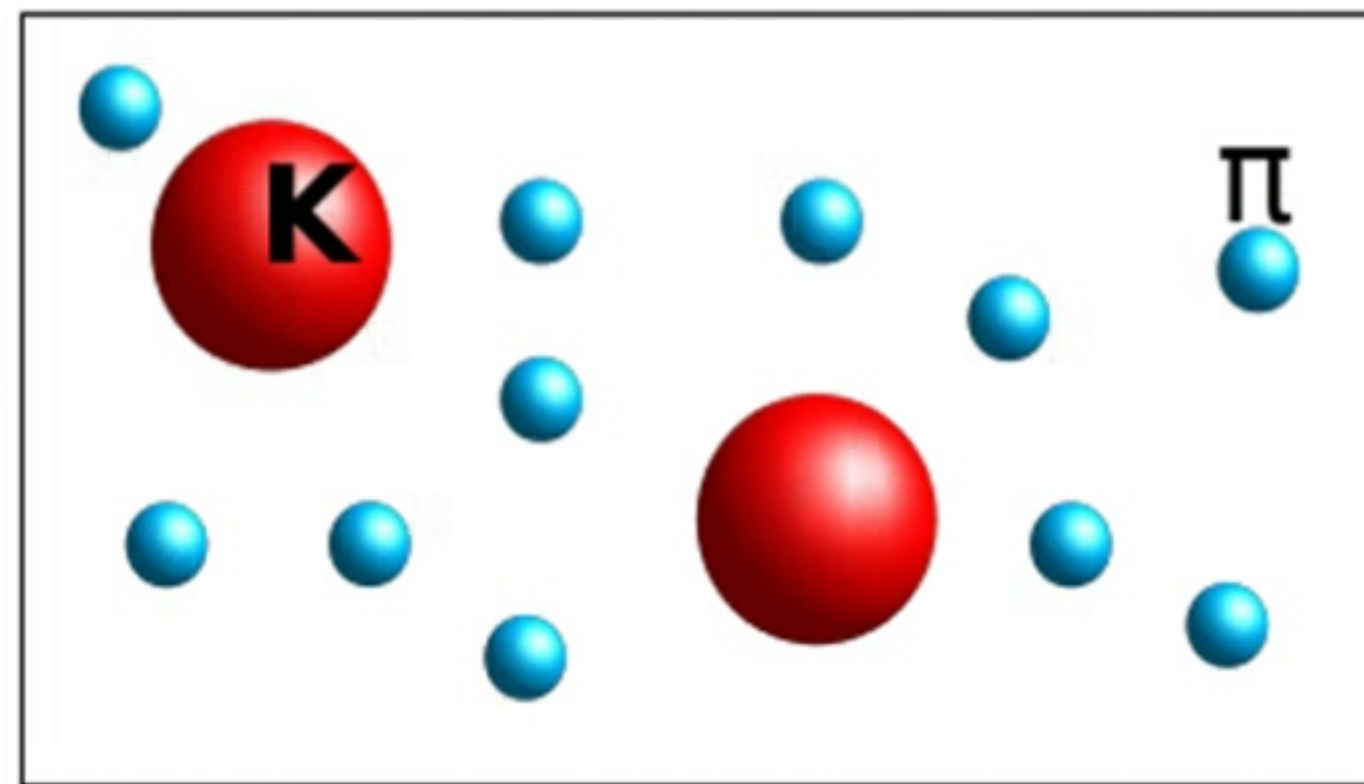
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$$M_K \approx 500 \text{ MeV}$$

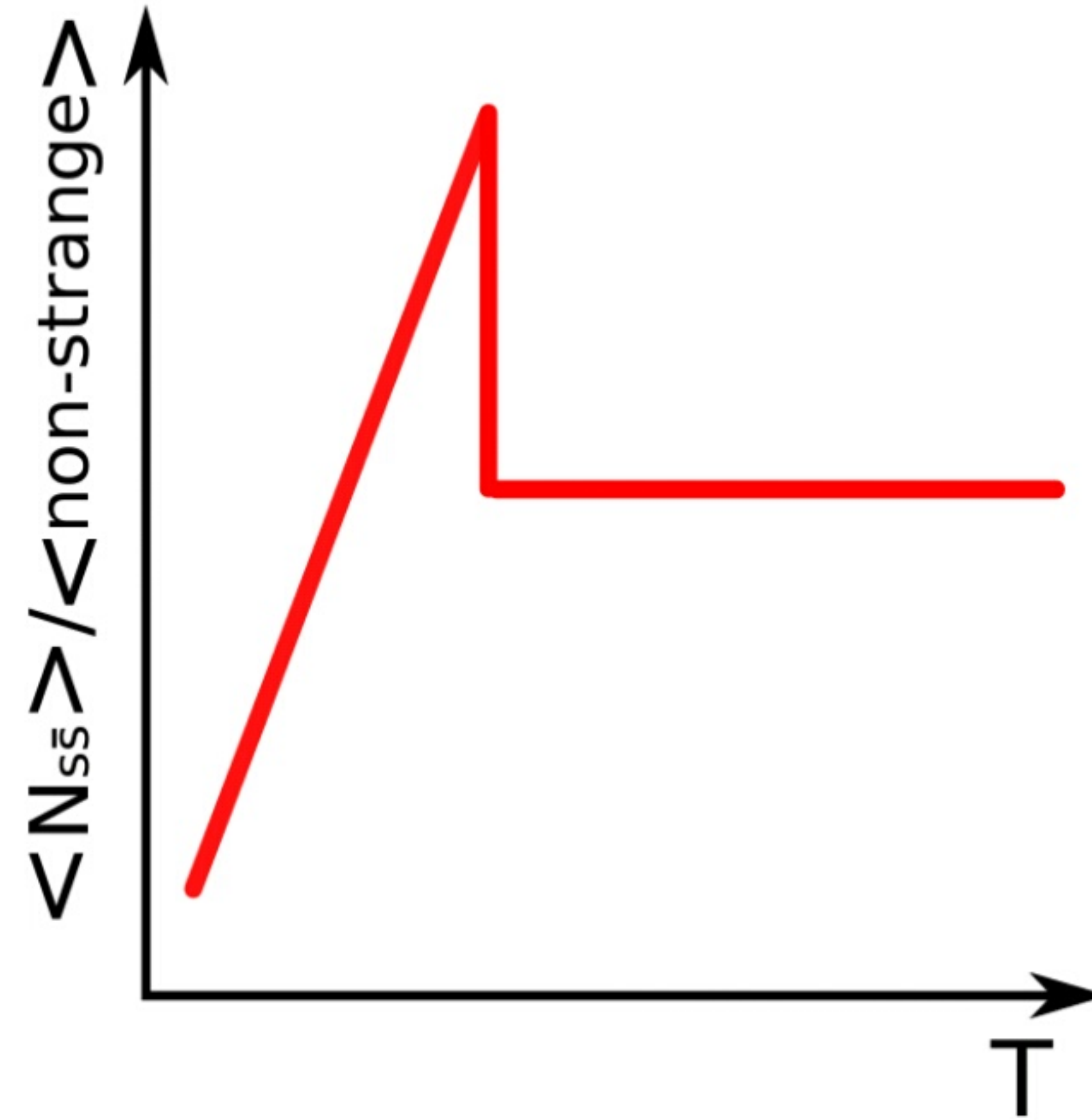
$$T_c \approx 150 \text{ MeV}$$

$$M_S \approx 100 \text{ MeV} (\approx 10^{-29} \text{ kg})$$

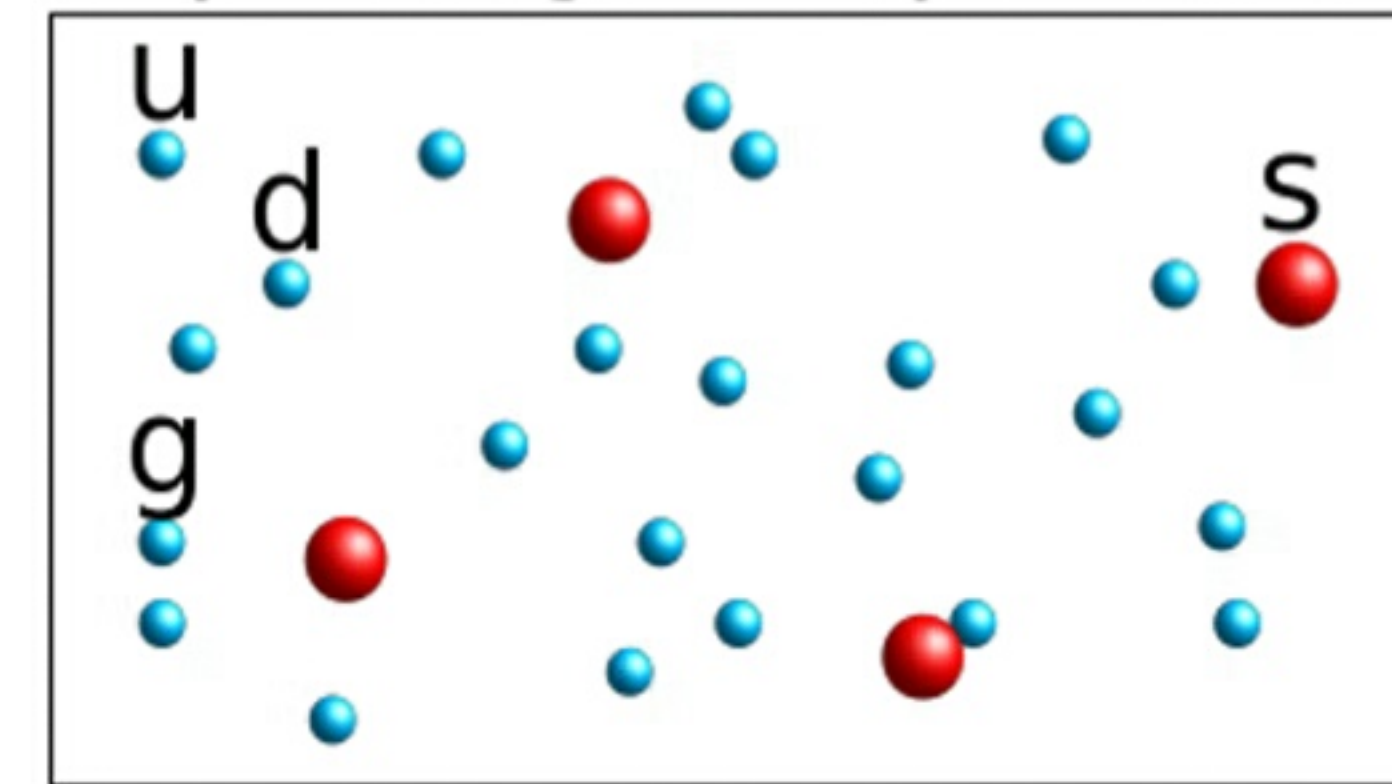
hadron gas



$$\frac{\langle K \rangle}{\langle \pi \rangle} \propto \frac{MT^{3/2}}{T^3} \cdot e^{-M/T}$$



quark-gluon plasma

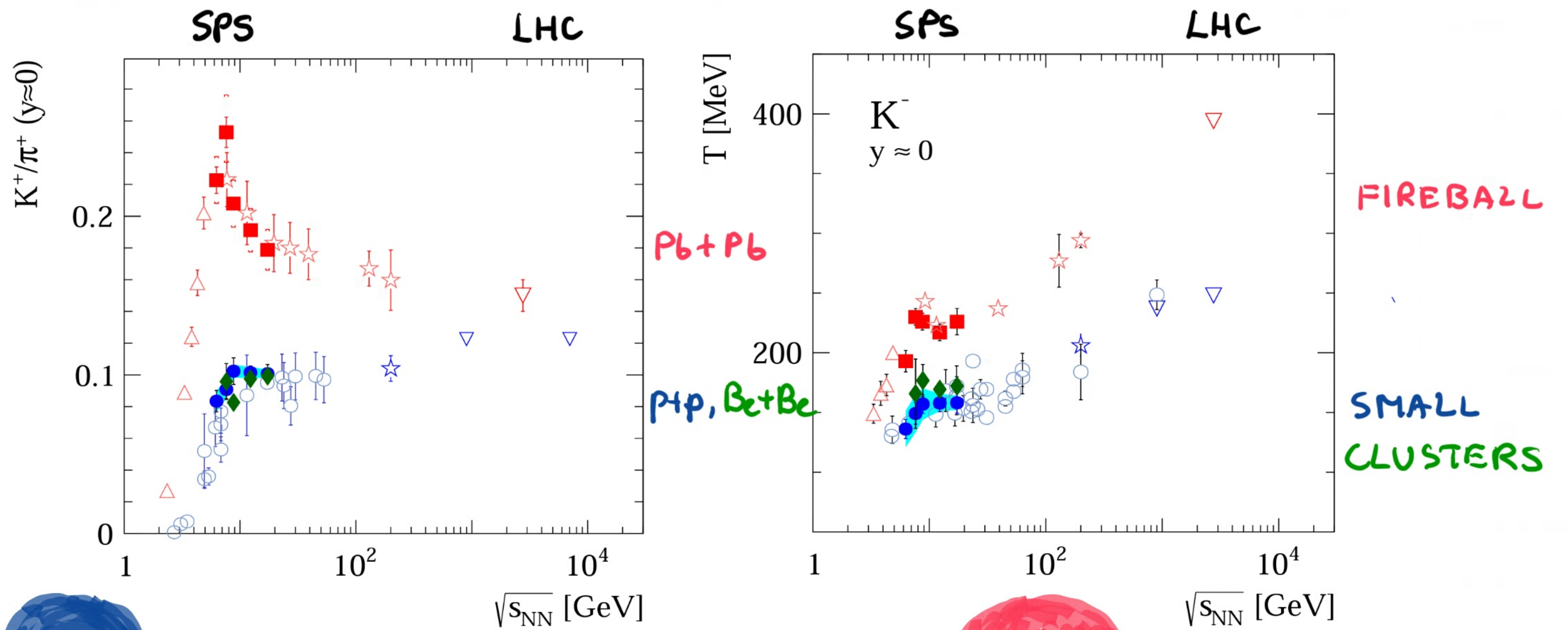


$$\frac{\langle s \rangle}{\langle u+d+g \rangle} \propto \frac{T^3}{T^3} = \text{const}(T)$$

$$\langle n \rangle = \frac{g \cdot V}{(2\pi)^3} \int d^3p \frac{1}{e^{E/T} \pm 1} \approx g \cdot V \frac{2\pi^2}{4.45} T^3 \quad \text{FOR } M \ll T$$

$$\approx g \cdot V \left(\frac{M \cdot T}{2\pi} \right)^{3/2} e^{-M/T} \quad \text{FOR } M \gg T$$

EVIDENCE FOR ONSET OF DECONFINEMENT IN Pb+Pb (FIREBALL)



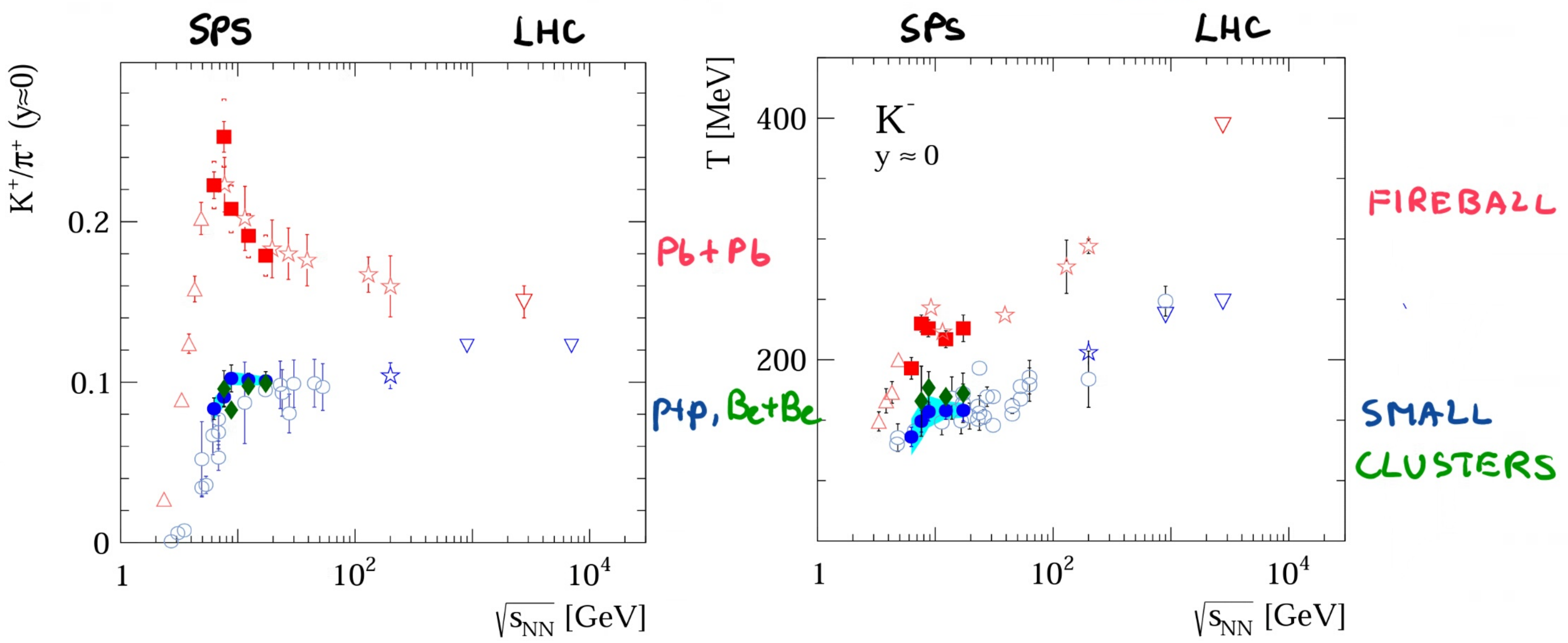
↑ ONSET OF DECONFINEMENT ↑



Pb+Pb CLOSE TO EQUILIBRIUM

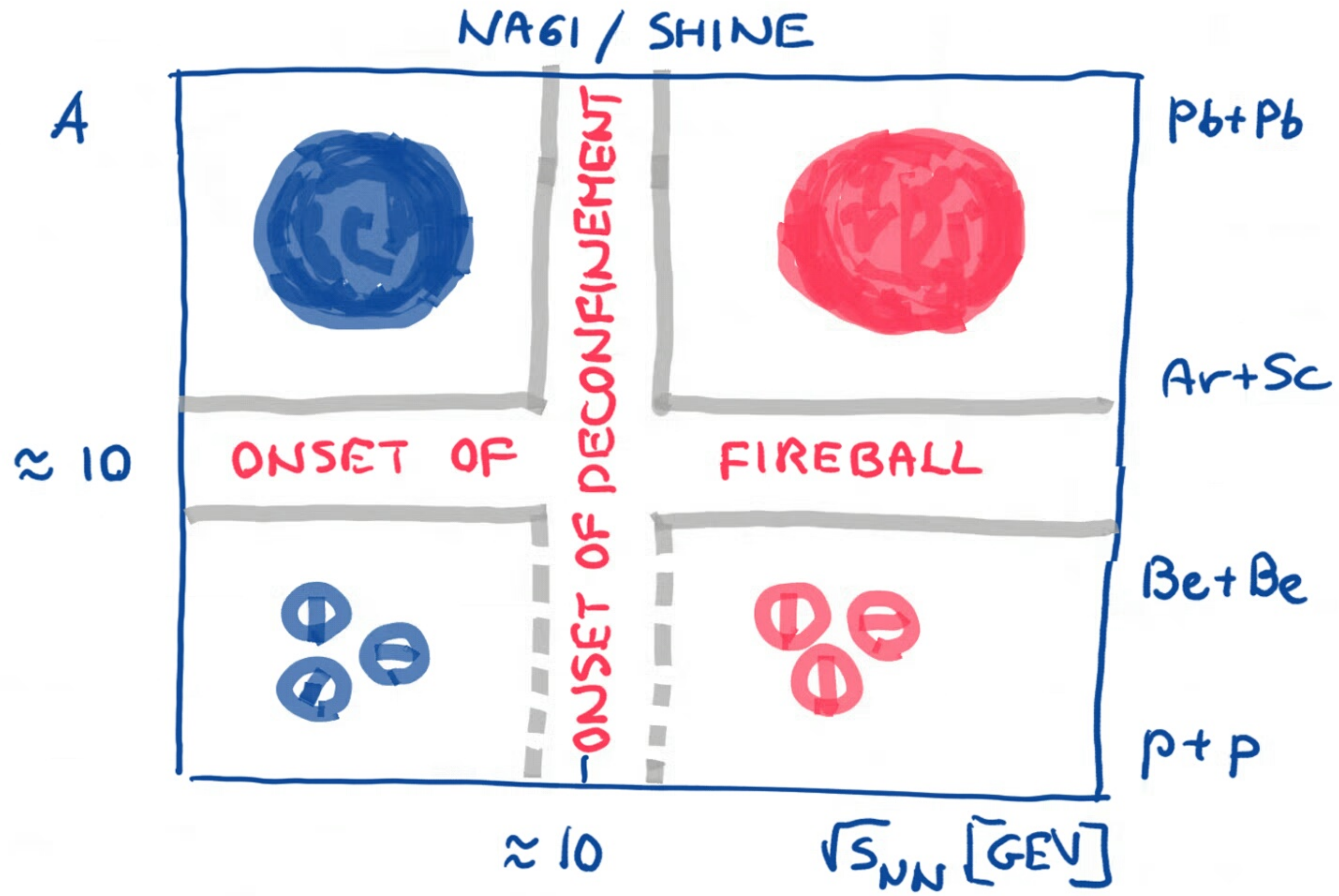
EVIDENCE FOR ONSET OF DECONFINEMENT

CHALLENGE TO UNDERSTAND pTP AND Be+Be DATA




 ↑ ONSET OF DECONFINEMENT? ↑
 
 p+p, Be+Be FAR FROM EQUILIBRIUM

RESULTS ON ONSET OF FIREBALL AND ONSET OF DECONFINEMENT SUGGEST FOUR DOMAINS IN $A - \sqrt{s_{NN}}$ PLANE





SEARCH FOR CRITICAL POINT

FLUCTUATIONS VS $\sqrt{S_{NN}}$ AND A

USE QUANTITIES INSENSITIVE TO VOLUME FLUCTUATIONS AND MATERIAL CONSERVATION LAWS:



STRONGLY INTENSIVE QUANTITIES WITH PROPER SELECTION OF EXTENSIVE QUANTITIES:

$$\Sigma[N, P_T] \equiv C^{-1} [\langle P_T \rangle w[N] + \langle N \rangle \cdot w[P_T] - 2(\langle N \cdot P_T \rangle - \langle N \rangle \langle P_T \rangle)]$$



$$\Delta[N, P_T] \equiv C^{-1} [\langle P_T \rangle w[N] - \langle N \rangle \cdot w[P_T]]$$

WITH $C \equiv \langle N \rangle \cdot w[P_T]$, $P_T = \sum_i^Z P_T^i$

IB-GCE AND
IB-CE WITH V FLUCTUATIONS

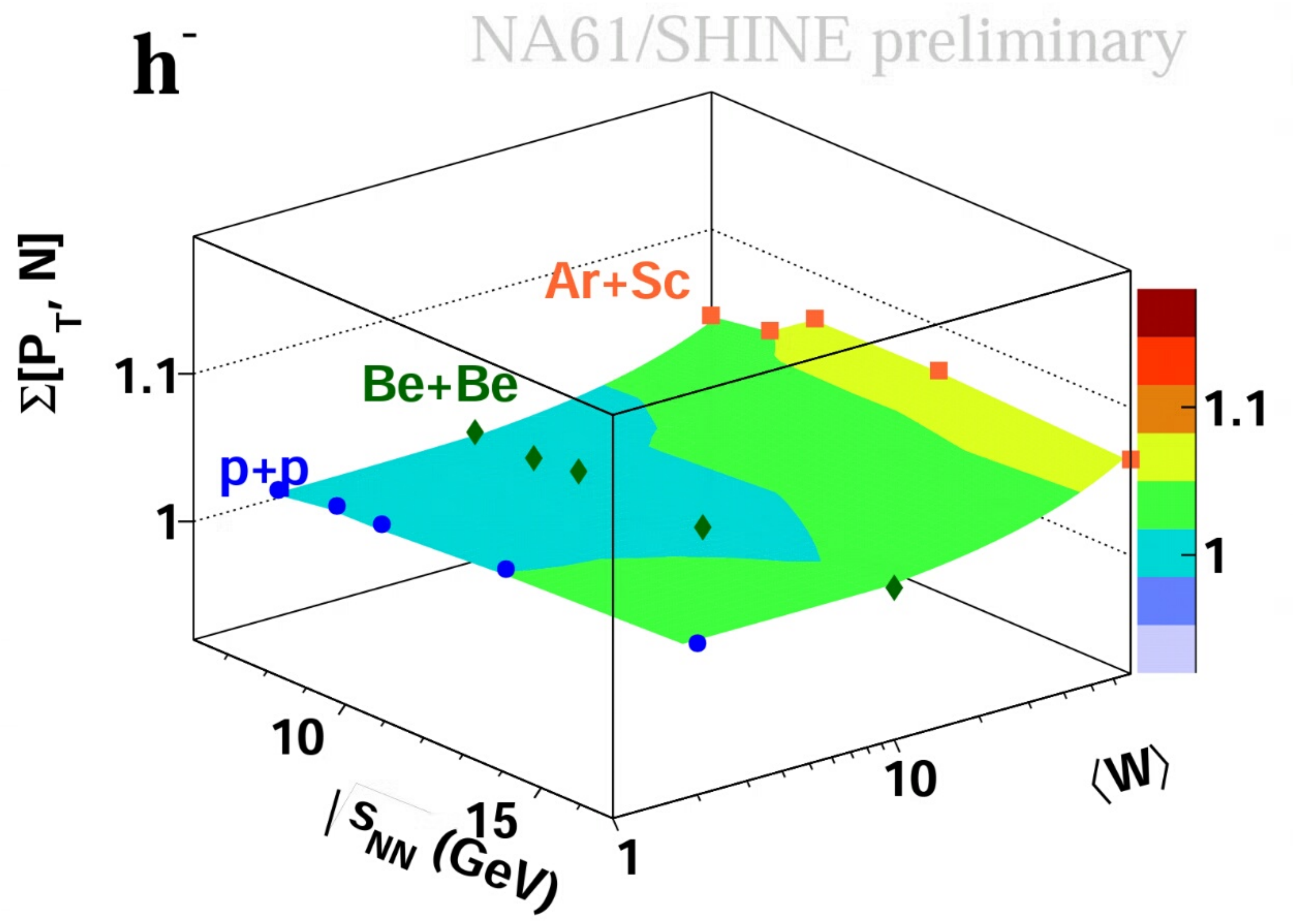
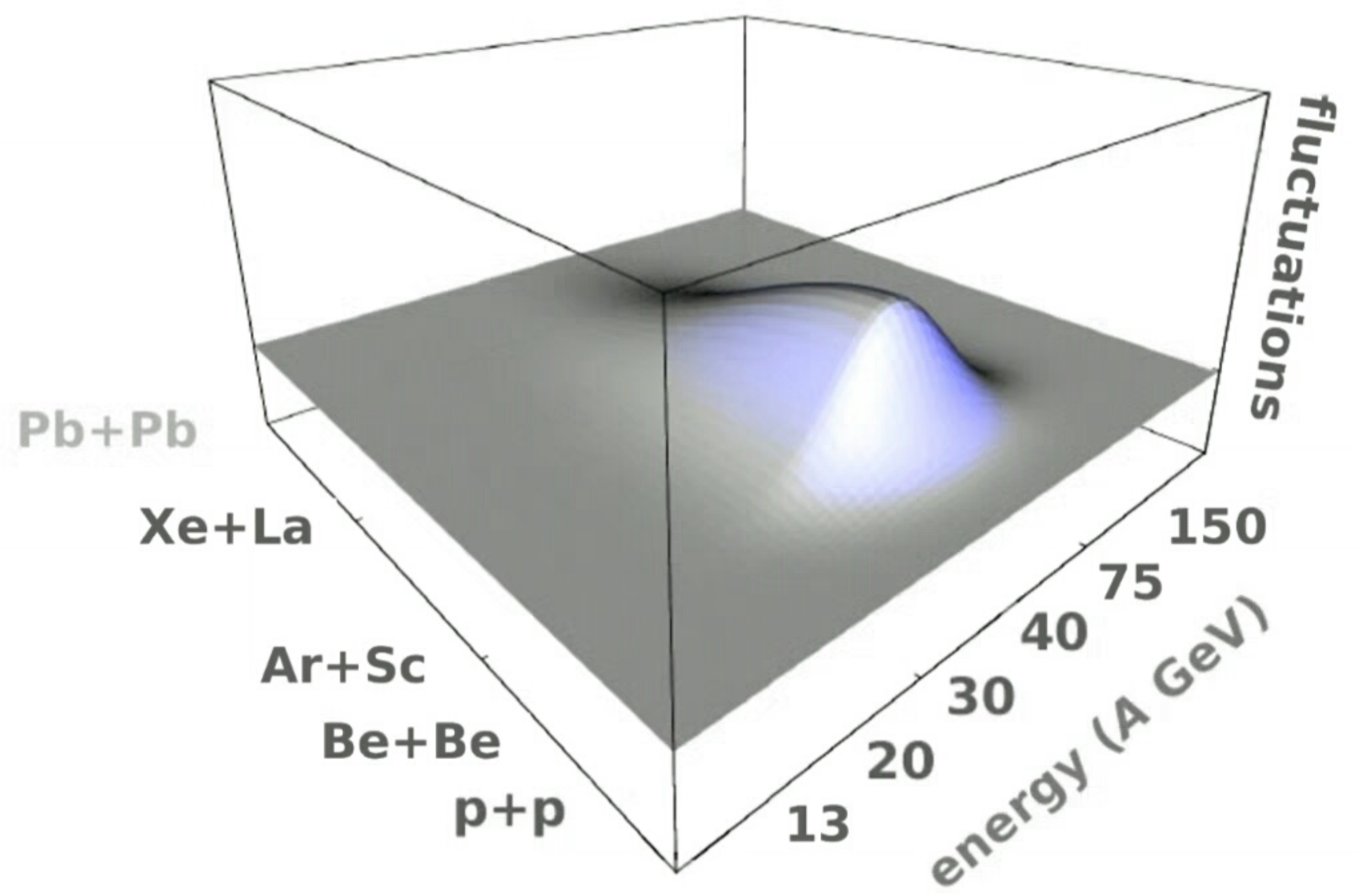


$$\Sigma[P_T, N] = \Delta[P_T, N] = 1$$

MG, MROWCZYNSKI
MG, GORENSTEIN
SANGELINE

SEARCH FOR CRITICAL POINT: FLUCTUATIONS VS $\sqrt{s_{NN}}$ AND A

CP \Rightarrow "FLUCTUATION HILL"



NO INDICATION FOR CRITICAL POINT
SO FAR

SEARCH FOR CRITICAL POINT : FLUCTUATIONS VS M
"INTERMITTENCY ANALYSIS"

SECOND ORDER PHASE TRANSITION → SCALE INVARIANCE →
CHARACTERISTIC DEPENDENCE OF FLUCTUATIONS ON SIZE δ OF
SUBDIVISION INTERVALS OF MOMENTUM SPACE Δ
M = Δ/δ - NUMBER OF INTERVALS

$$F_2(M) \equiv \frac{\sum_{i=1}^M \langle N_i (N_i - 1) \rangle}{\sum_{i=1}^M \langle N_i \rangle^2}$$

WHERE N_i - PARTICLE NUMBER IN BIN i ,
 $\langle .. \rangle$ - AVERAGING OVER EVENTS

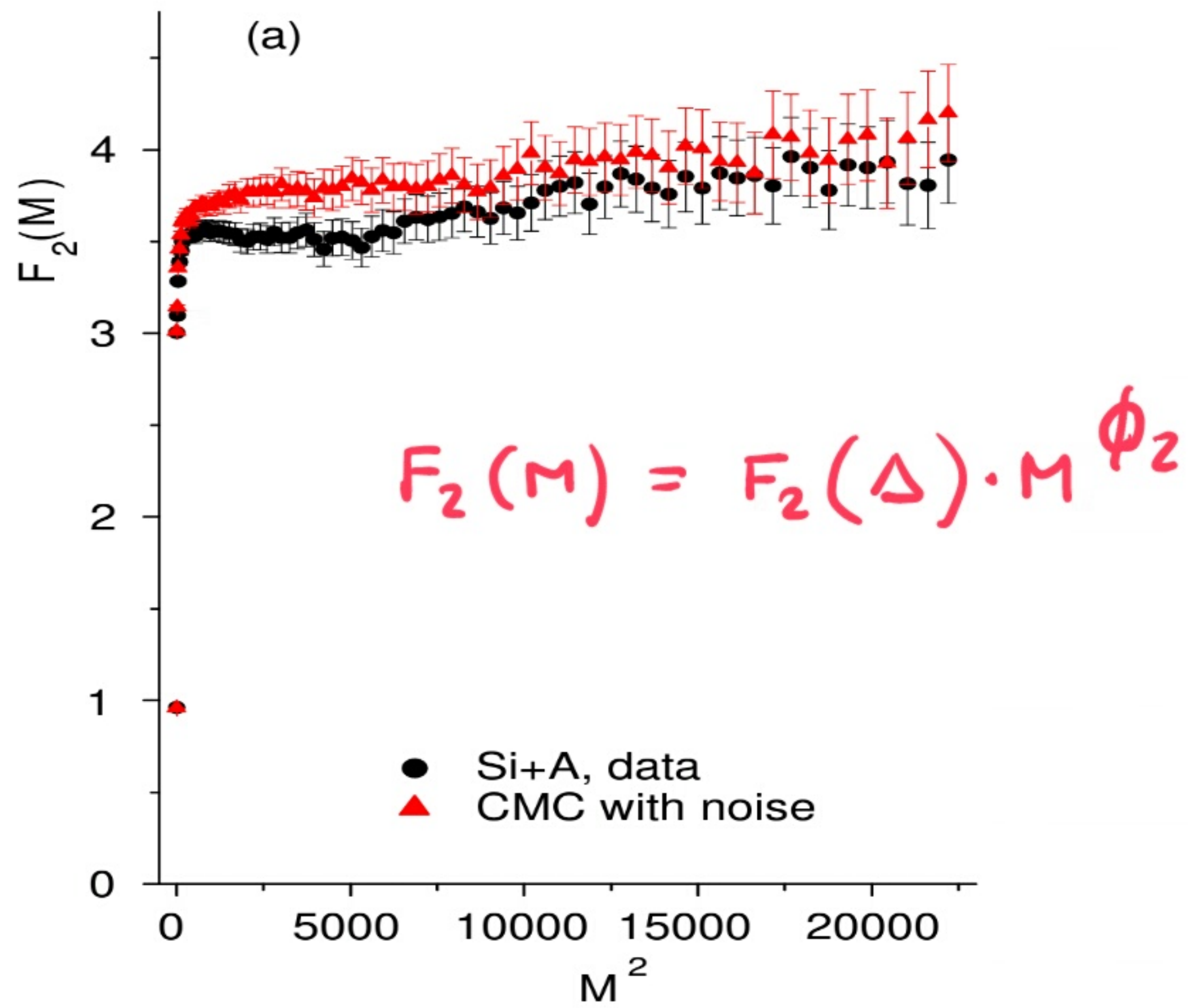
AT CRITICAL POINT POWER LAW DEPENDENCE IS EXPECTED

$$F_2(M) = F_2(\Delta) \cdot M^{\phi_2}$$

WOSIEK (1988)
BIALAS, PESZANSKI
SATZ
ANTONIDU, DIAKONDS, KAPOYANIS

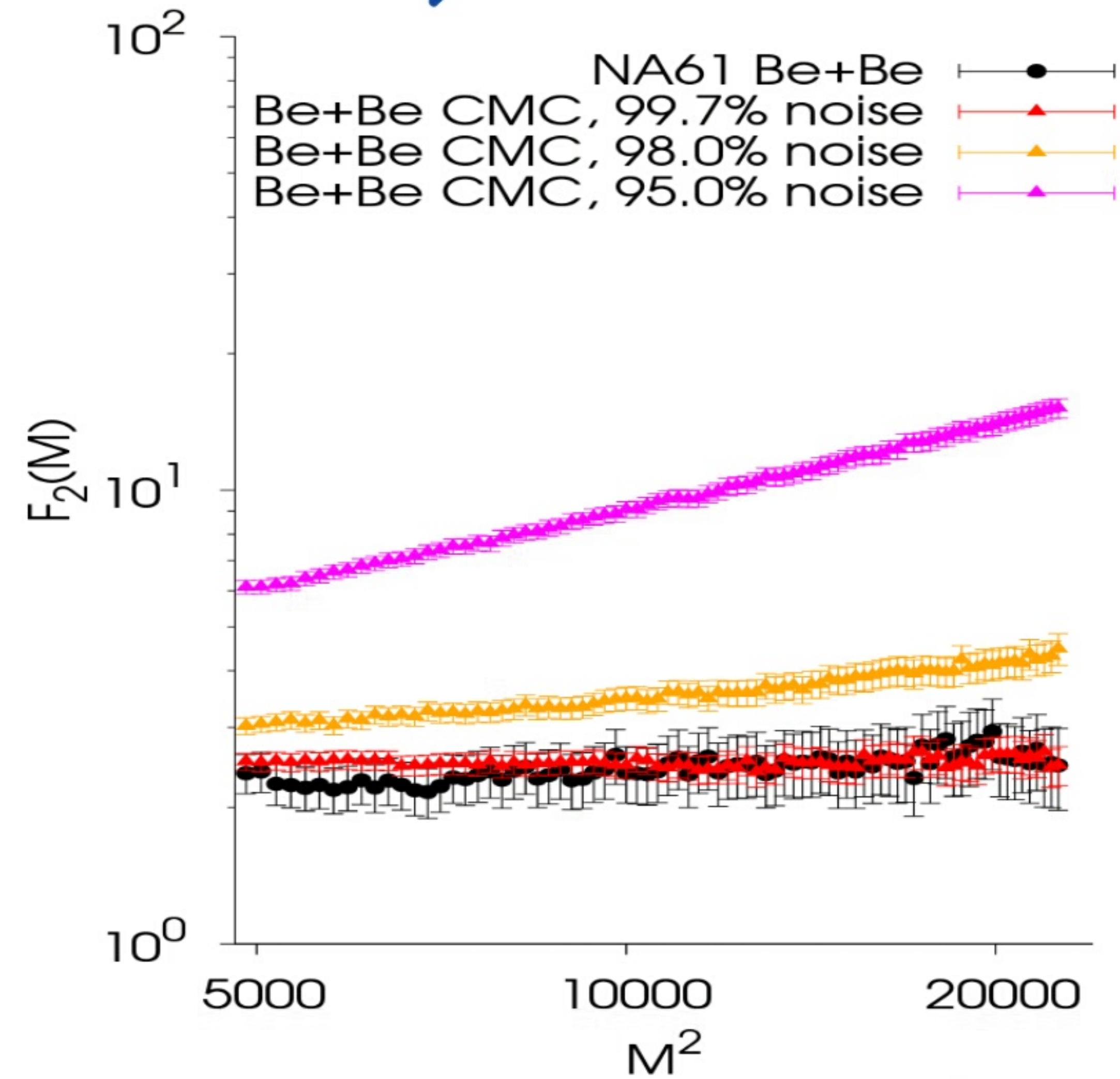
SEARCH FOR CRITICAL POINT : FLUCTUATIONS VS M PROTONS

Si+A AT 158A GEV/C
NA49



NA49: RESULTS CONSISTENT WITH $\approx 1\%$ OF "CRITICAL" PROTONS, $\phi_2 \approx 1$

Be+Be AT 150A GEV/C
NA61/SHINE

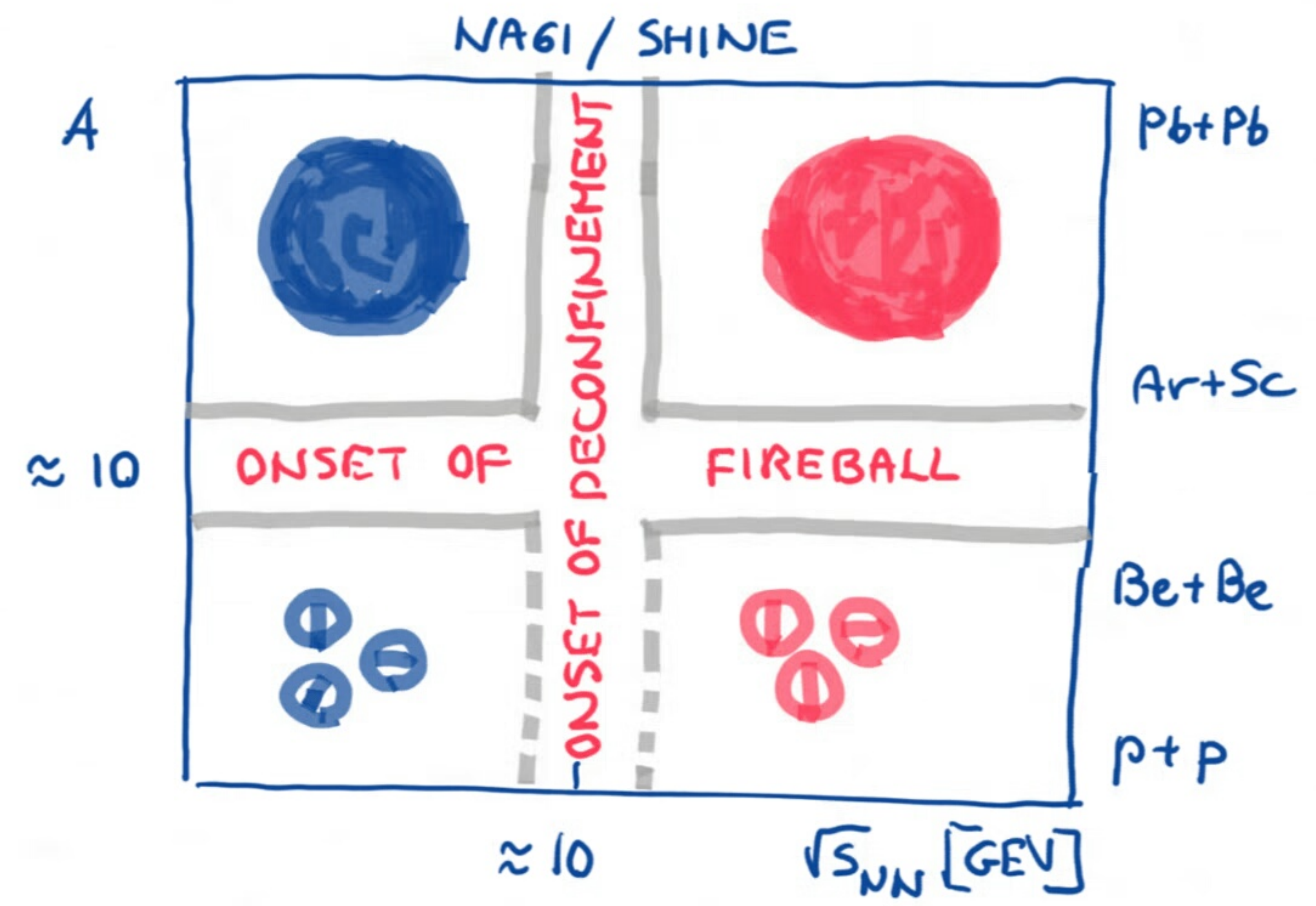


UPPER LIMIT OF "CRITICAL" PROTONS $\approx 0.3\%$

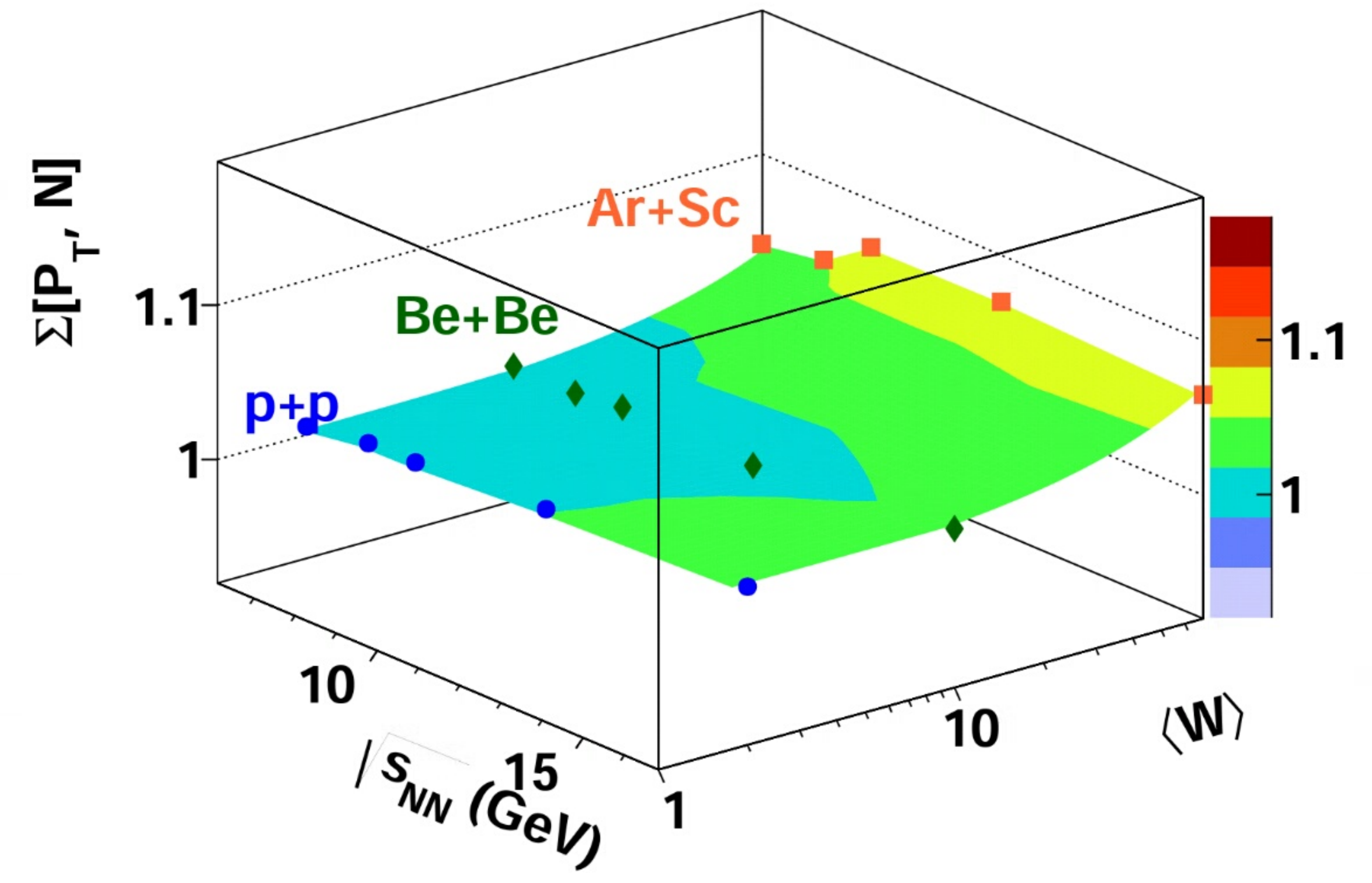
SUMMARY

- INDICATION FOR ONSET OF FIREBALL
→ MORE DATA ON COLLISIONS OF LIGHT NUCLEI
MAY BE NEEDED
- EVIDENCE FOR ONSET OF DECONFINEMENT IN $Pb+Pb$
→ CHALLENGE TO UNDERSTAND $p+p$, $Be+Be$
- NO EVIDENCE FOR CRITICAL POINT SO FAR
→ ANALYSIS IN PROGRESS

ONSETS

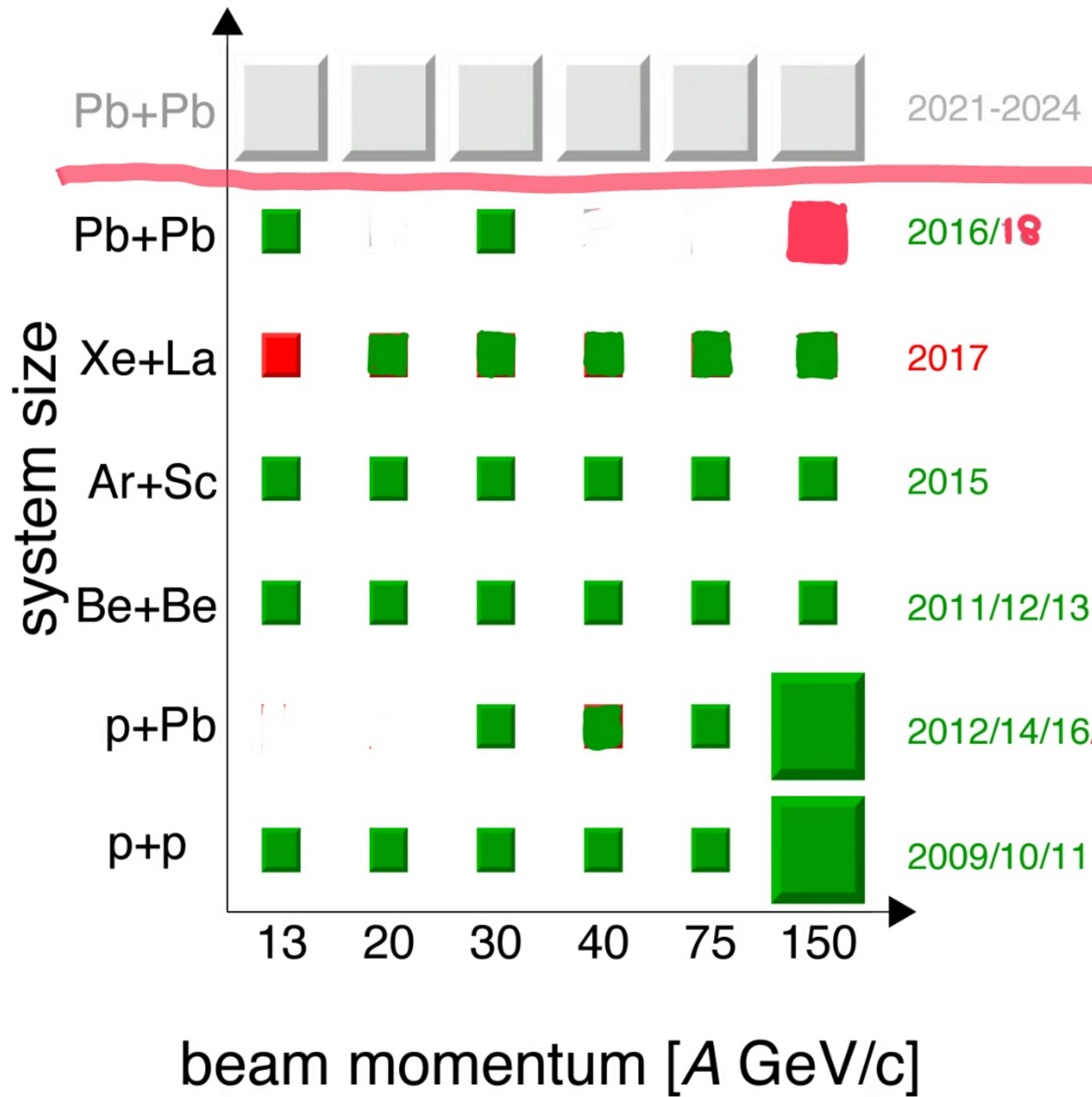


CRITICAL POINT



ADDITIONAL SLIDES

FUTURE PLANS



→ OPEN CHARM FOR ONSET OF DECONFINEMENT

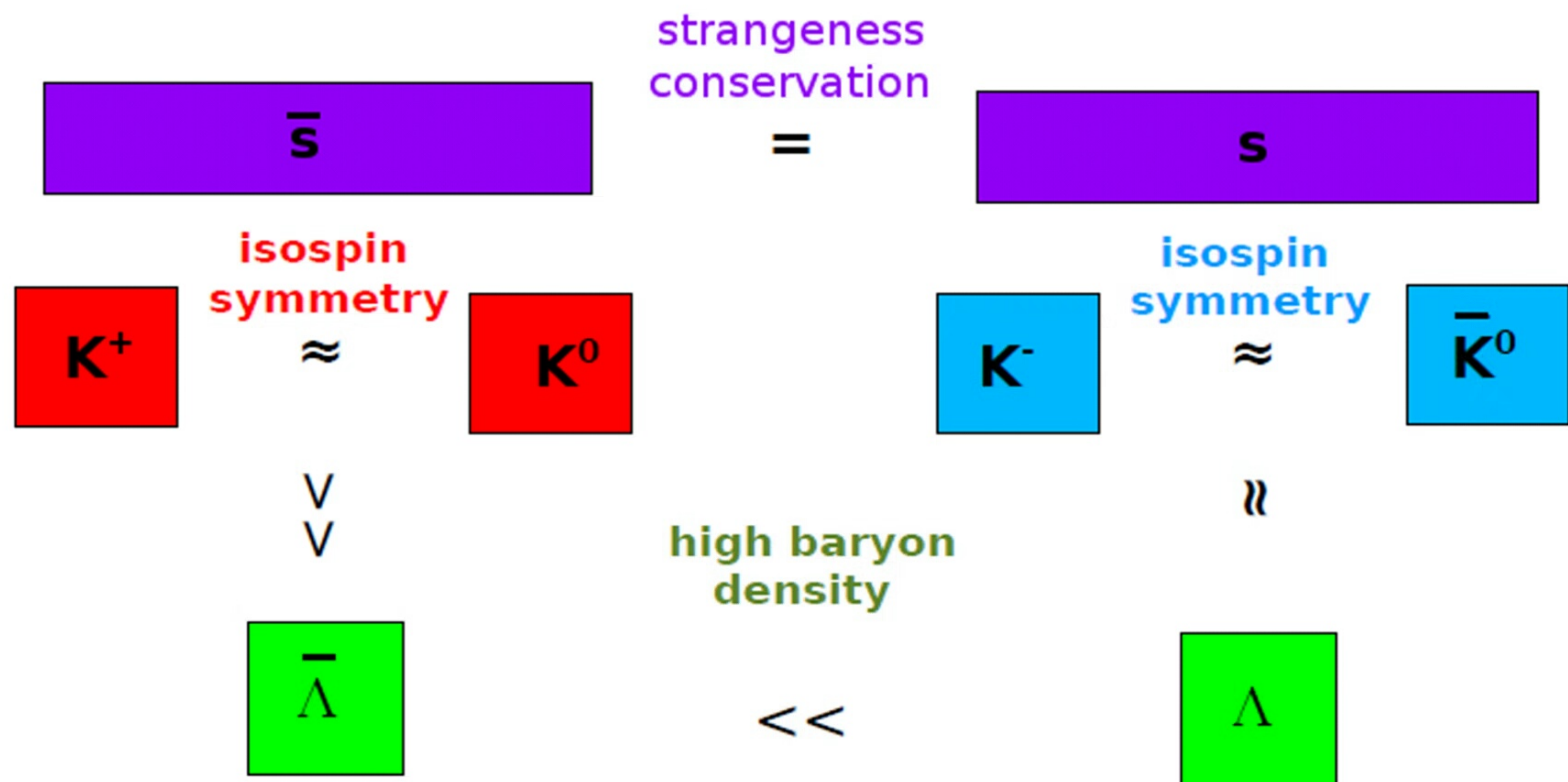
ALSO ENERGY SCAN WITH COLLISIONS OF LIGHT IONS (E.G. C+C, Mg+Mg) MAY BE NEEDED FOR ONSET OF FIREBALL

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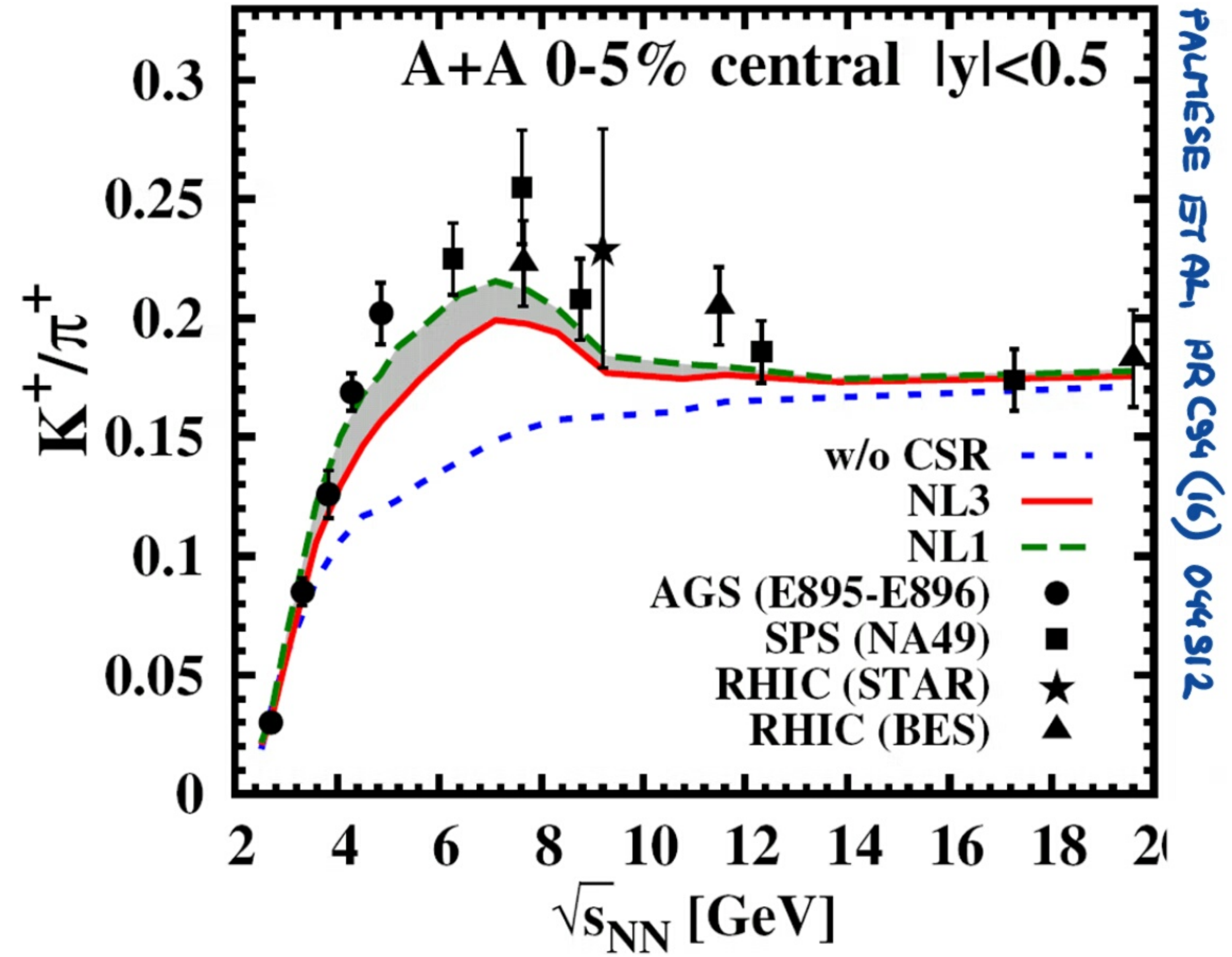
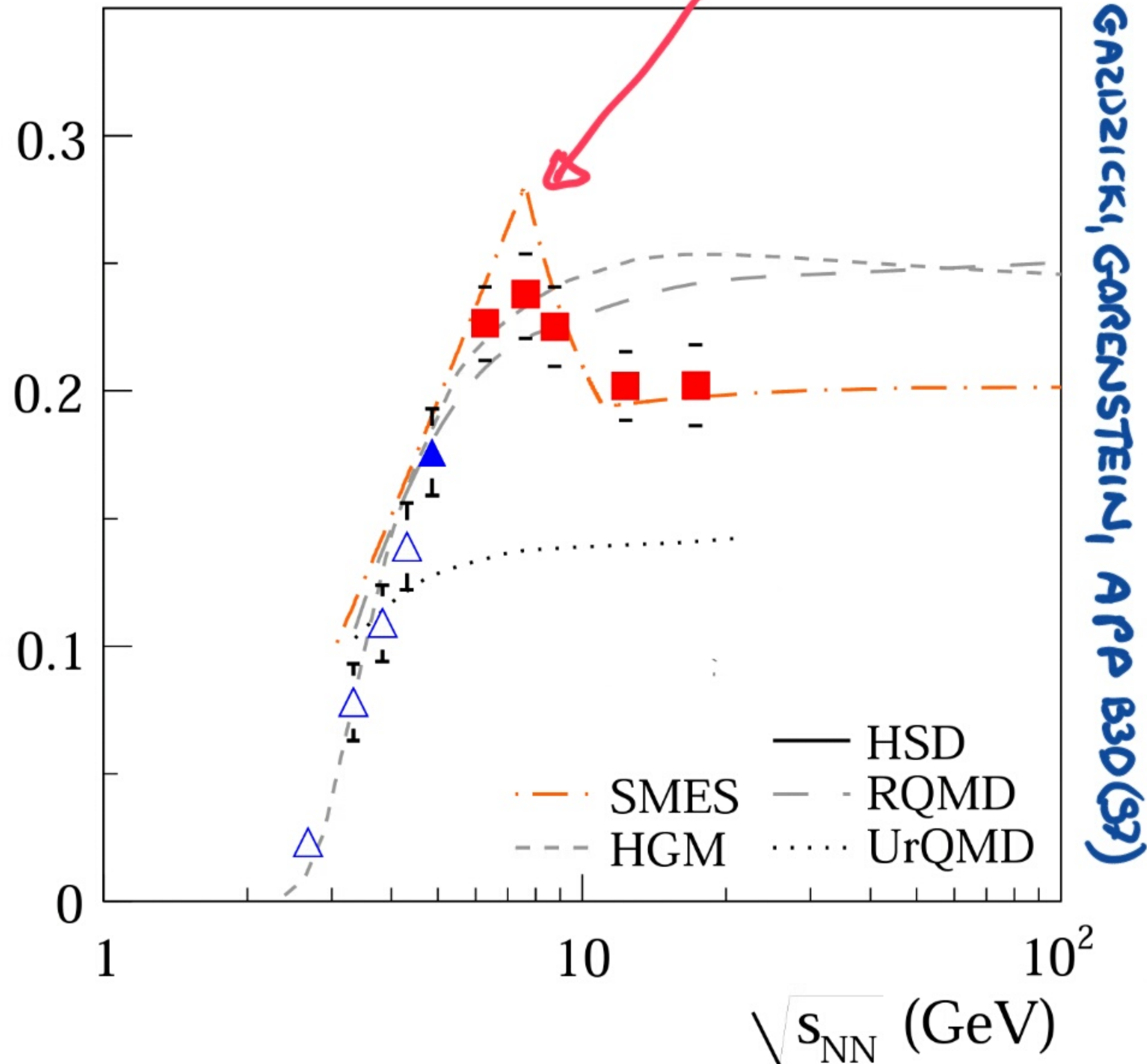
■ sensitive to strangeness content only
■ ■ sensitive to strangeness content and baryon density

ONSET OF DECONFINEMENT IN MODELS

$$E_s \approx \frac{\langle K+\bar{K} \rangle + \langle \pi \rangle}{\langle \pi \rangle}$$

STATISTICAL: SMES

DYNAMICAL: pHSD



STATISTICAL AND DYNAMICAL MODELS WITH CHIRAL SYMMETRY RESTORATION AND DECONFINEMENT FIT P_b+P_b DATA (BUT BOTH FAIL TO REPRODUCE SMALL SYSTEMS)

FERMIONS

matter constituents
spin = 1/2, 3/2, 5/2, ...

Leptons spin = 1/2			Quarks spin = 1/2		
Flavor	Mass GeV/c ²	Electric charge	Flavor	Approx. Mass GeV/c ²	Electric charge
ν_e electron neutrino	$<1 \times 10^{-8}$	0	U up	0.003	2/3
e electron	0.000511	-1	d down	0.006	-1/3
ν_μ muon neutrino	<0.0002	0	C charm	1.3	2/3
μ muon	0.106	-1	S strange	0.1	-1/3
ν_τ tau neutrino	<0.02	0	t top	175	2/3
τ tau	1.7771	-1	b bottom	4.3	-1/3

Spin is the intrinsic angular momentum of particles. Spin is given in units of \hbar , which is the quantum unit of angular momentum, where $\hbar = h/2\pi = 6.58 \times 10^{-25} \text{ GeV s} = 1.05 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J s}$.

Electric charges are given in units of the proton's charge. In SI units the electric charge of the proton is 1.60×10^{-19} coulombs.

The **energy** unit of particle physics is the electronvolt (eV), the energy gained by one electron in crossing a potential difference of one volt. **Masses** are given in GeV/c^2 (remember $E = mc^2$), where $1 \text{ GeV} = 10^9 \text{ eV} = 1.60 \times 10^{-10} \text{ joule}$. The mass of the proton is $0.938 \text{ GeV}/c^2 = 1.67 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$.

BOSONS

force carriers
spin = 0, 1, 2, ...

Unified Electroweak spin = 1		
Name	Mass GeV/c ²	Electric charge
γ photon	0	0
W^-	80.4	-1
W^+	80.4	+1
Z^0	91.187	0

Strong (color) spin = 1		
Name	Mass GeV/c ²	Electric charge
g gluon	0	0

Color Charge

Each quark carries one of three types of "strong charge," also called "color charge." These charges have nothing to do with the colors of visible light. There are eight possible types of color charge for gluons. Just as electrically-charged particles interact by exchanging photons, in strong interactions color-charged particles interact by exchanging gluons. Leptons, photons, and **W** and **Z** bosons have no strong interactions and hence no color charge.

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Quarks Confined in Mesons and Baryons

One cannot isolate quarks and gluons; they are confined in color-neutral particles called **hadrons**. This confinement (binding) results from multiple exchanges of gluons among the color-charged constituents. As color-charged particles (quarks and gluons) move apart, the energy in the color-force field between them increases. This energy eventually is converted into additional quark-antiquark pairs (see figure below). The quarks and antiquarks then combine into hadrons; these are the particles seen to emerge. Two types of hadrons have been observed in nature: **mesons** $q\bar{q}$ and **baryons** qqq .

Residual Strong Interaction

The strong binding of color-neutral protons and neutrons to form nuclei is due to residual strong interactions between their color-charged constituents. It is similar to the residual electrical interaction that binds electrically neutral atoms to form molecules. It can also be viewed as the exchange of mesons between the hadrons.

PROPERTIES OF THE INTERACTIONS

Property \ Interaction	Gravitational	Weak (Electroweak)	Electromagnetic	Strong	
				Fundamental	Residual
Acts on:	Mass – Energy	Flavor	Electric Charge	Color Charge	See Residual Strong Interaction Note
Particles experiencing:	All	Quarks, Leptons	Electrically charged	Quarks, Gluons	Hadrons
Particles mediating:	Graviton (not yet observed)	W^+ W^- Z^0	γ	Gluons	Mesons
Strength relative to electromag for two u quarks at: for two protons in nucleus	10^{-41} 10^{-41} 10^{-36}	0.8 10^{-4} 10^{-7}	1 1 1	25 60 Not applicable to hadrons	Not applicable to quarks 20

Baryons qqq and Antibaryons $\bar{q}\bar{q}\bar{q}$

Baryons are fermionic hadrons.
There are about 120 types of baryons.

Symbol	Name	Quark content	Electric charge	Mass GeV/c^2	Spin
\mathbf{p}	proton	\mathbf{uud}	1	0.938	1/2
$\bar{\mathbf{p}}$	anti-proton	$\bar{\mathbf{u}}\bar{\mathbf{u}}\bar{\mathbf{d}}$	-1	0.938	1/2
\mathbf{n}	neutron	\mathbf{udd}	0	0.940	1/2
Λ	lambda	\mathbf{uds}	0	1.116	1/2
Ω^-	omega	\mathbf{sss}	-1	1.672	3/2

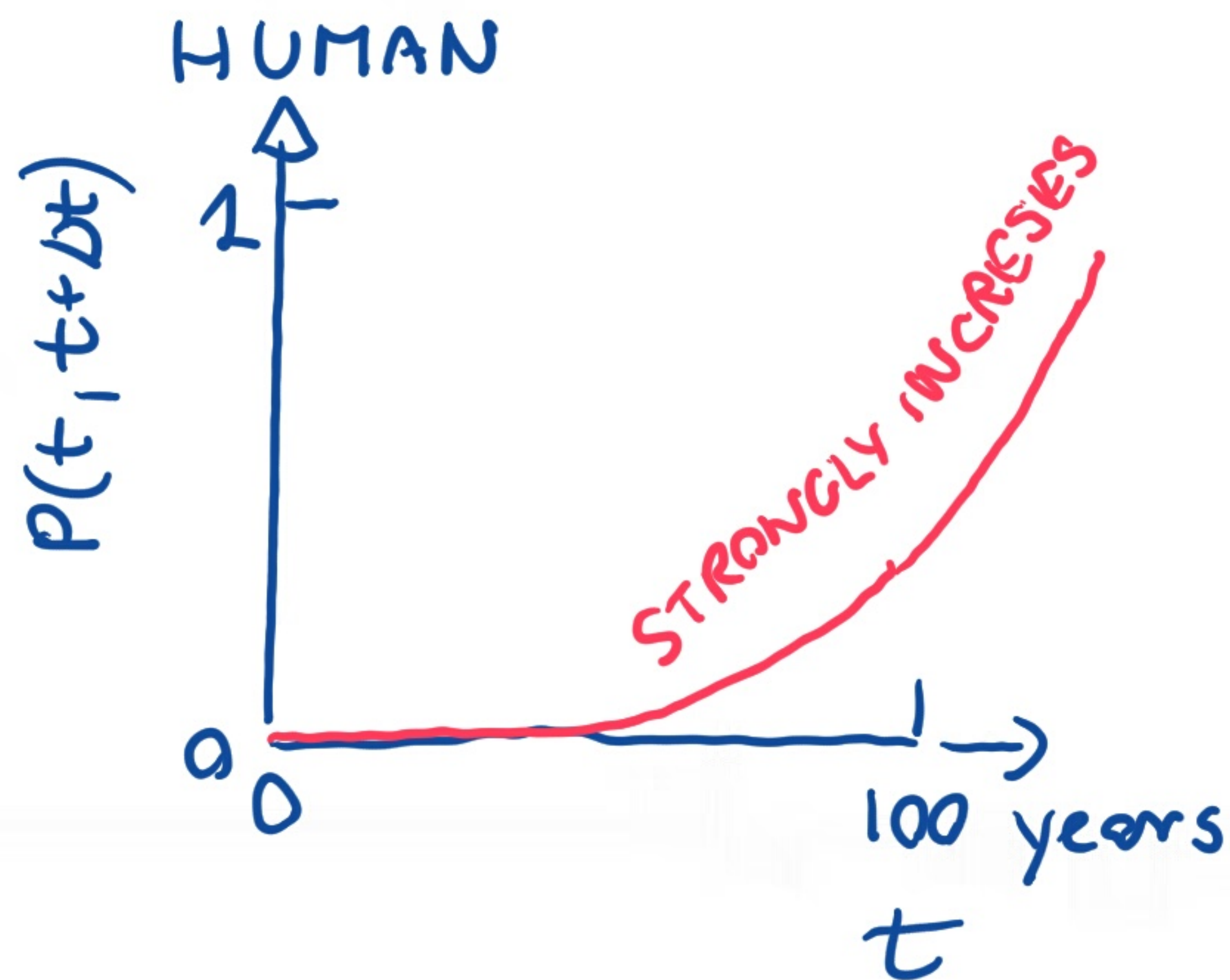
Mesons $q\bar{q}$

Mesons are bosonic hadrons.
There are about 140 types of mesons.

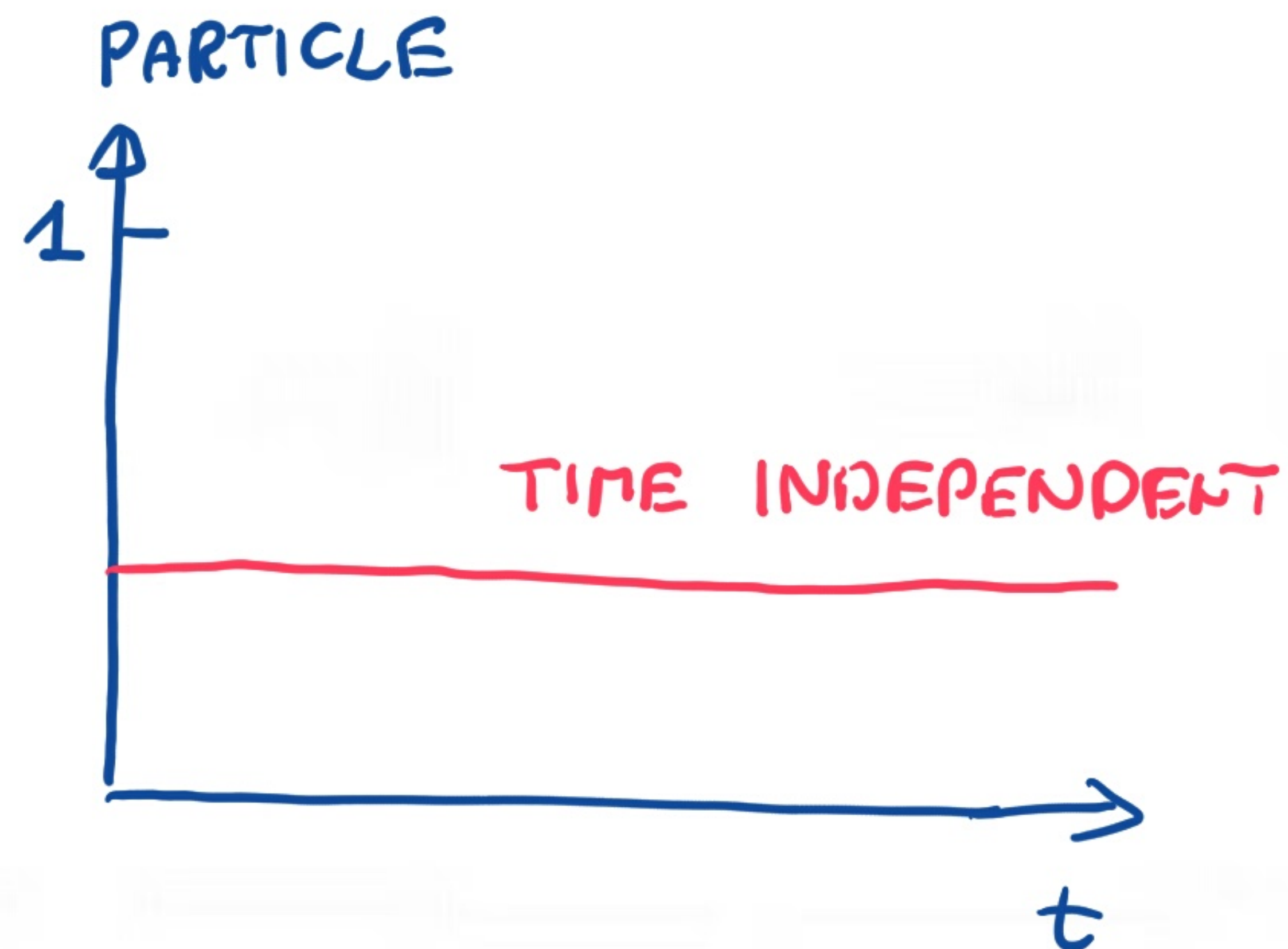
Symbol	Name	Quark content	Electric charge	Mass GeV/c^2	Spin
π^+	pion	$\mathbf{u}\bar{\mathbf{d}}$	+1	0.140	0
\mathbf{K}^-	kaon	$\mathbf{s}\bar{\mathbf{u}}$	-1	0.494	0
ρ^+	rho	$\mathbf{u}\bar{\mathbf{d}}$	+1	0.770	1
\mathbf{B}^0	B-zero	$\mathbf{d}\bar{\mathbf{b}}$	0	5.279	0
η_c	eta-c	$\mathbf{c}\bar{\mathbf{c}}$	0	2.980	0

PARTICLES ARE YOUNG FOREVER

PROBABILITY TO DECAY (DIE) IN A TIME INTERVAL $(t, t+\Delta t)$



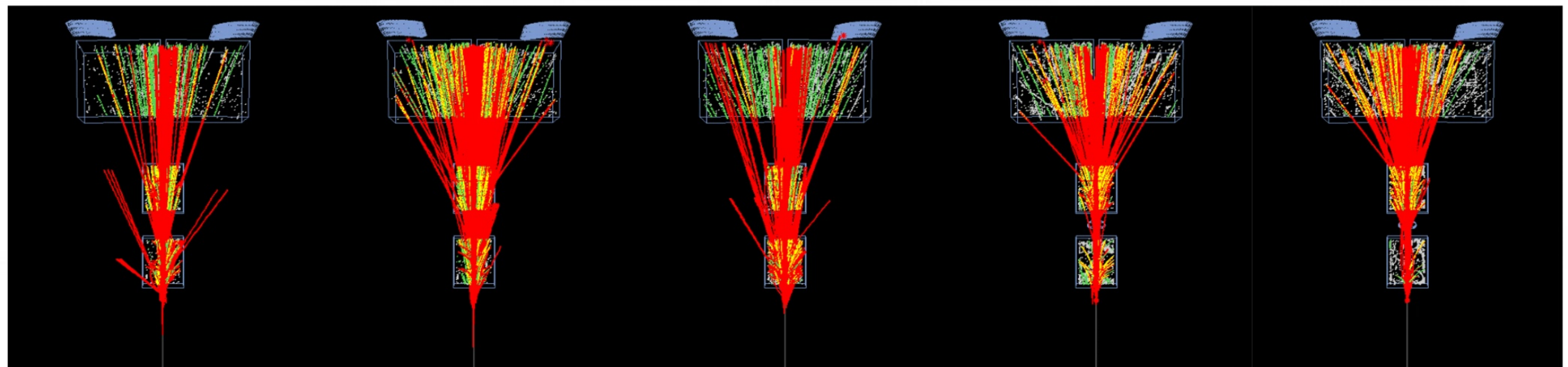
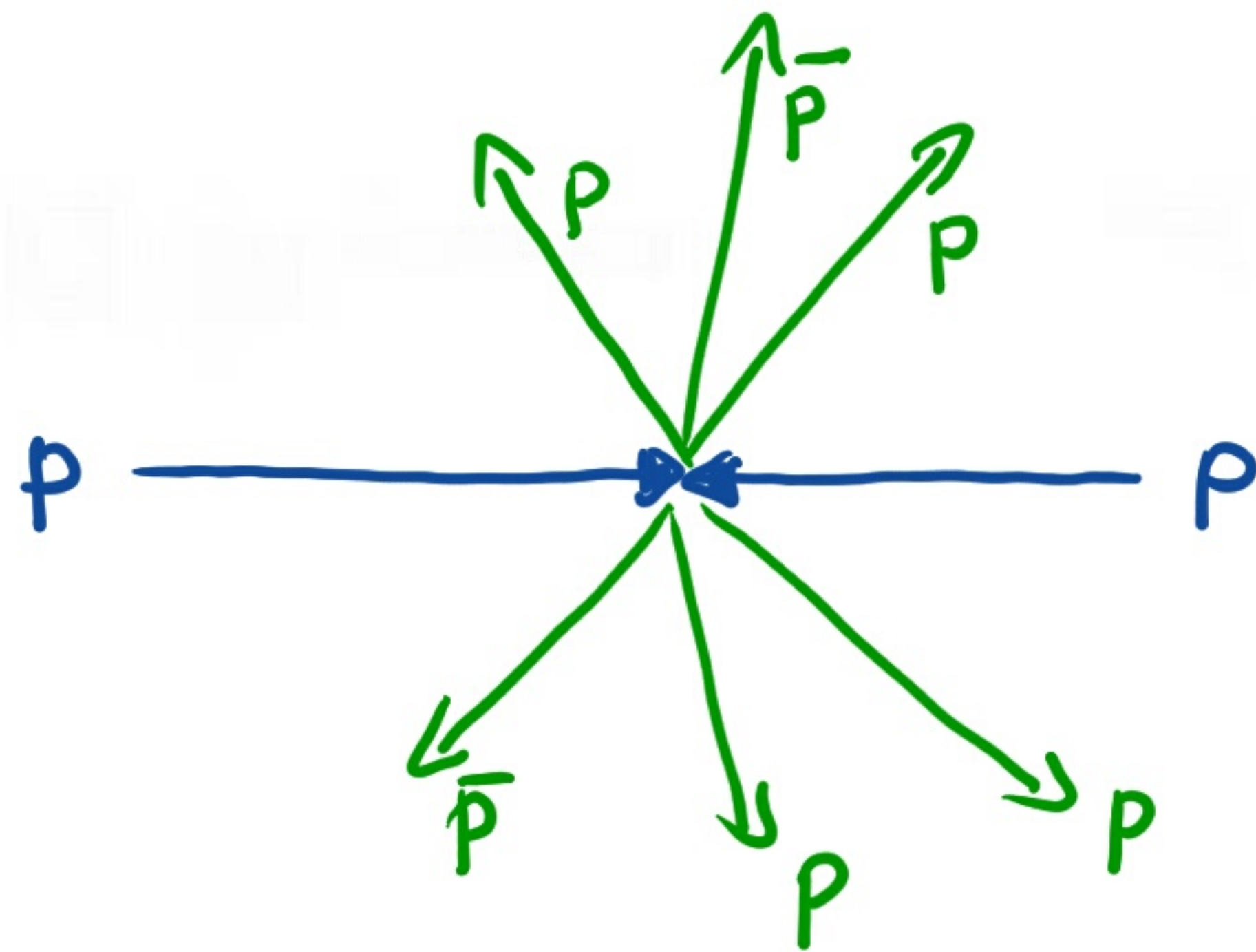
$\Delta t = 1 \text{ year}$



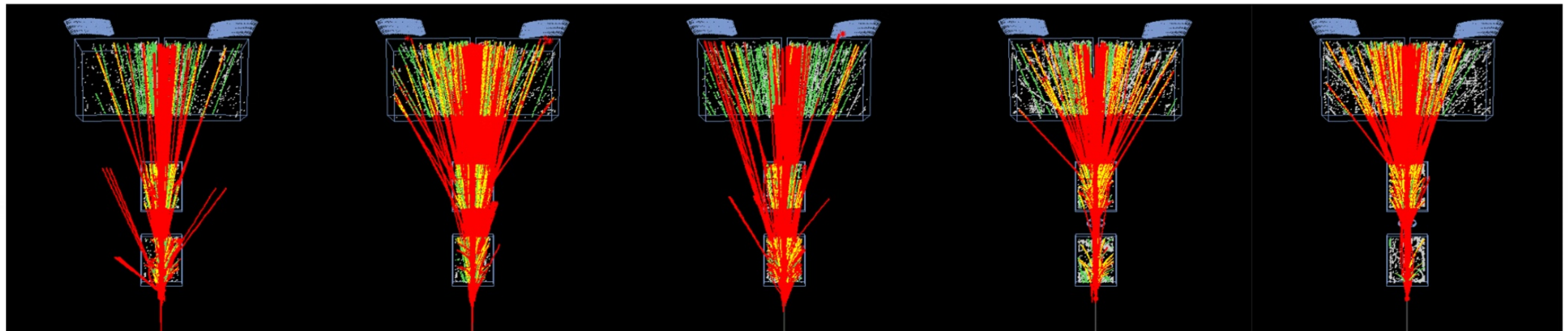
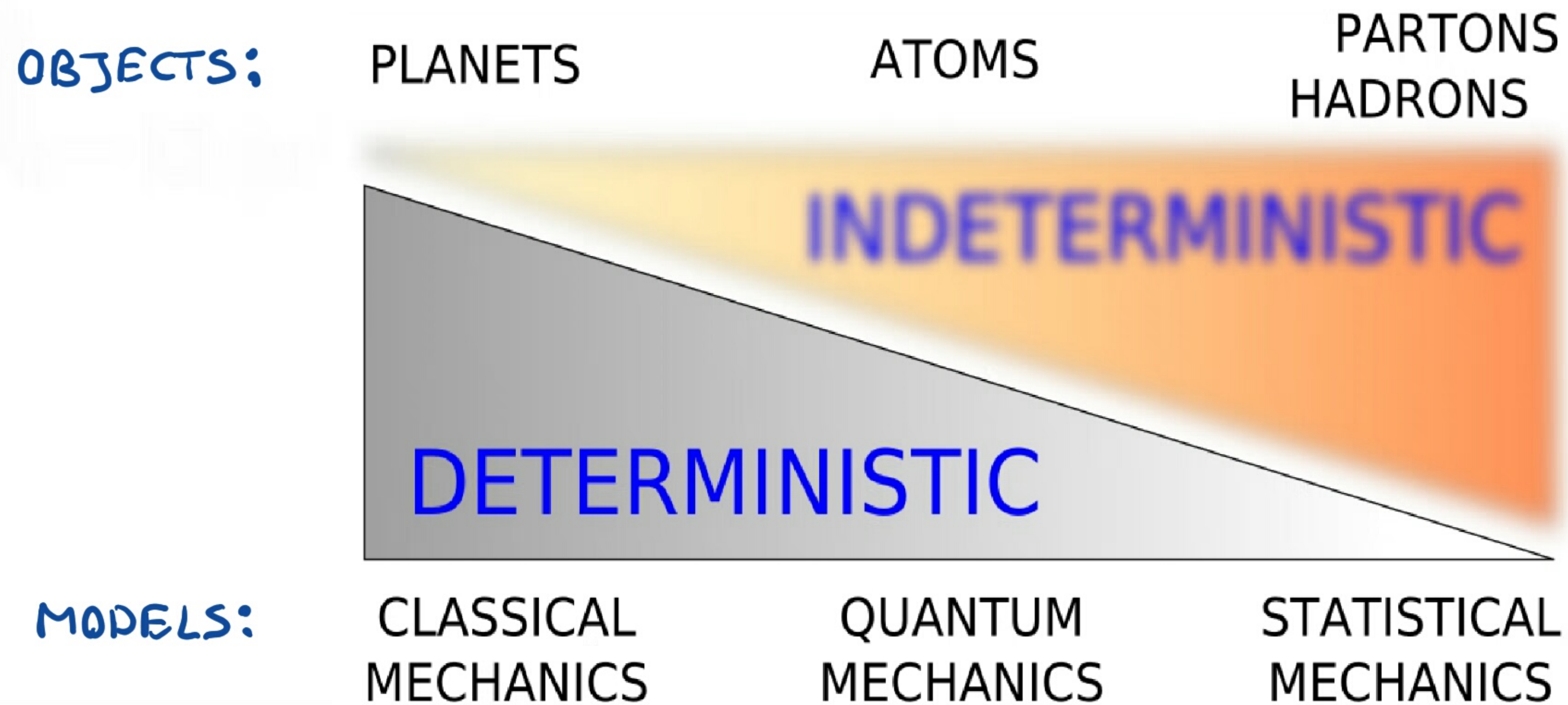
(VERY) DIFFERENT PROBABILITIES
FOR DIFFERENT PARTICLE TYPES

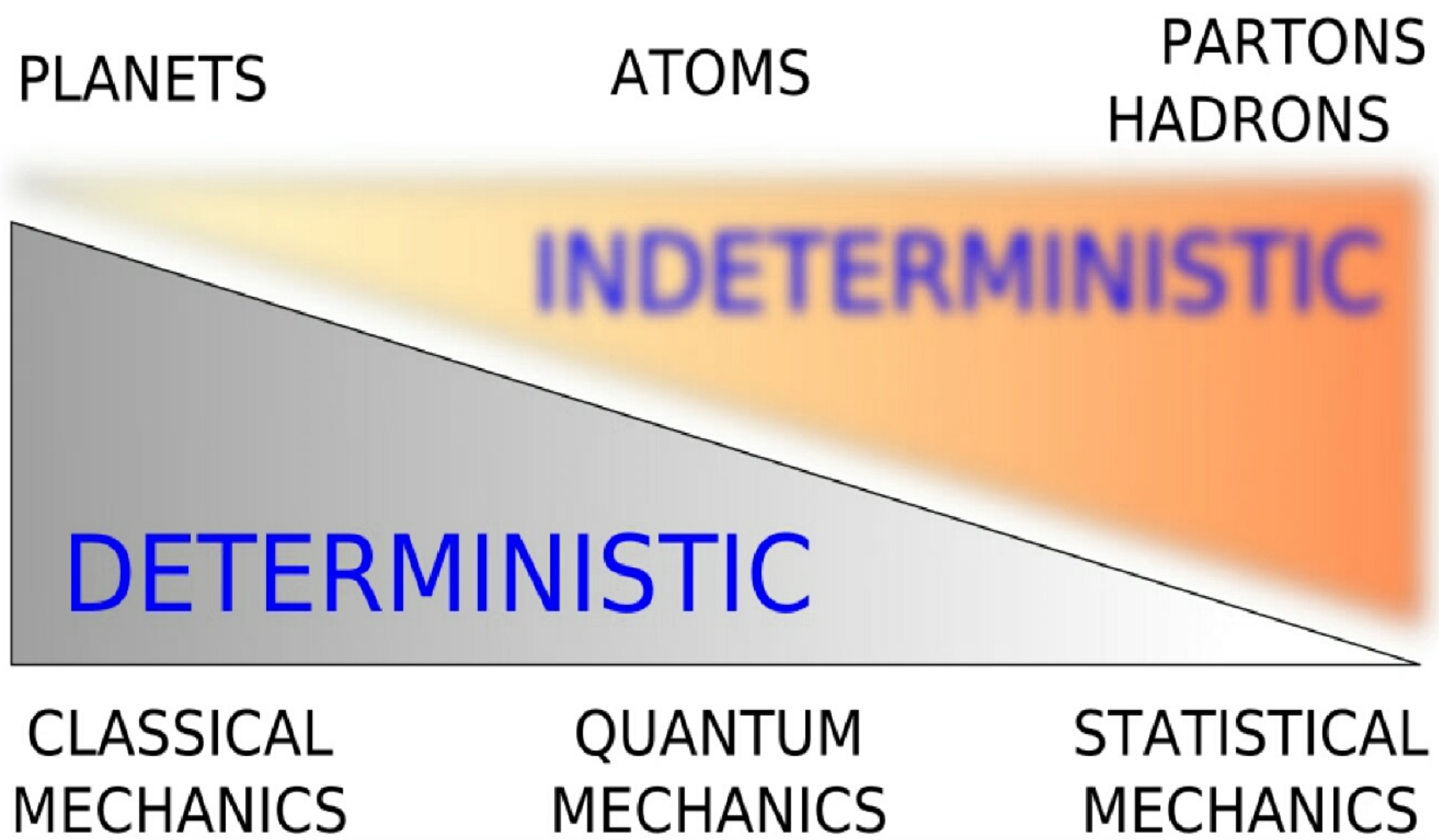
PARTICLE NUMBER CHANGES

E.G. INTERACTION OF TWO PROTONS CAN PRODUCE FOUR PROTONS AND TWO ANTI PROTONS

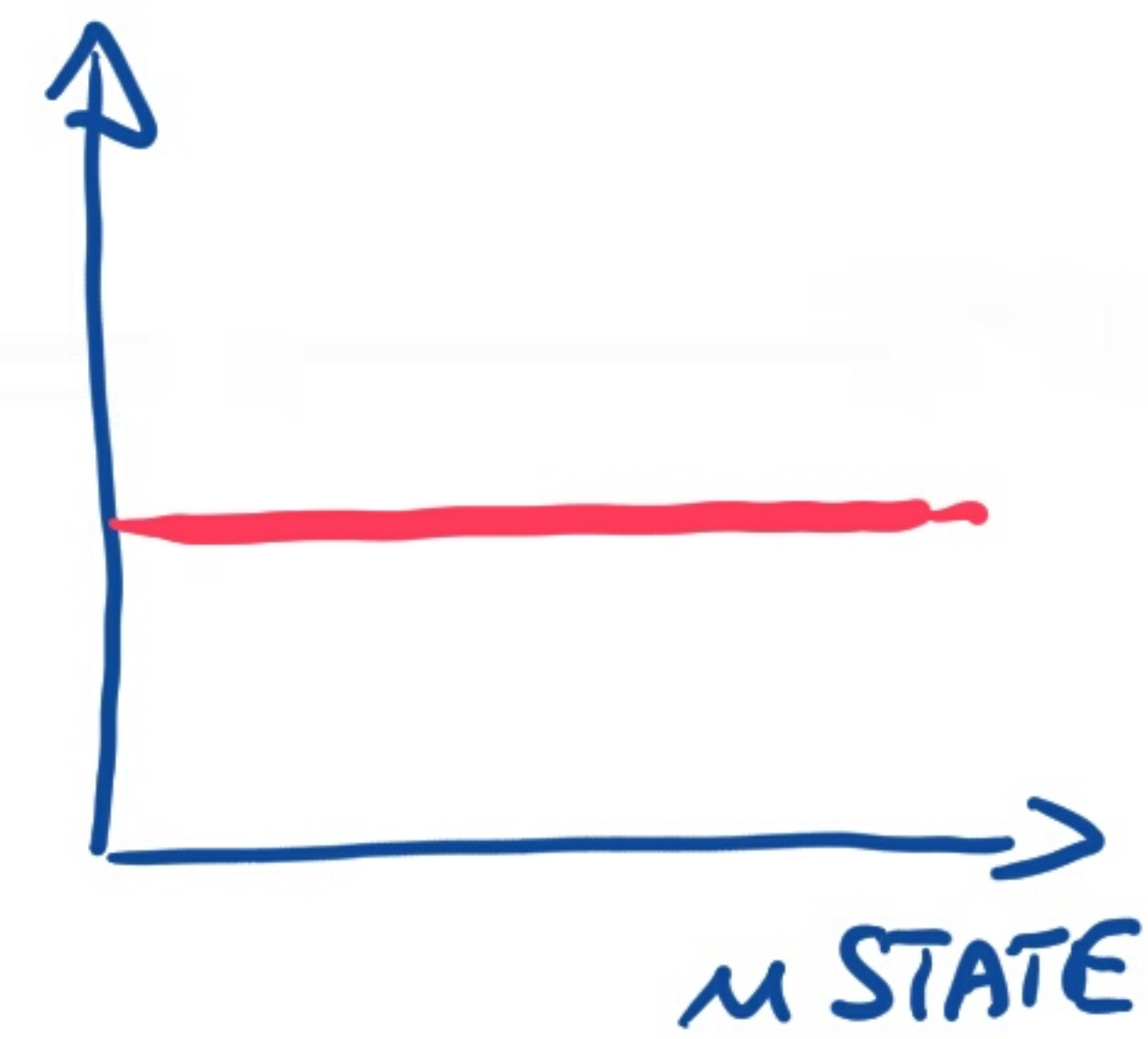
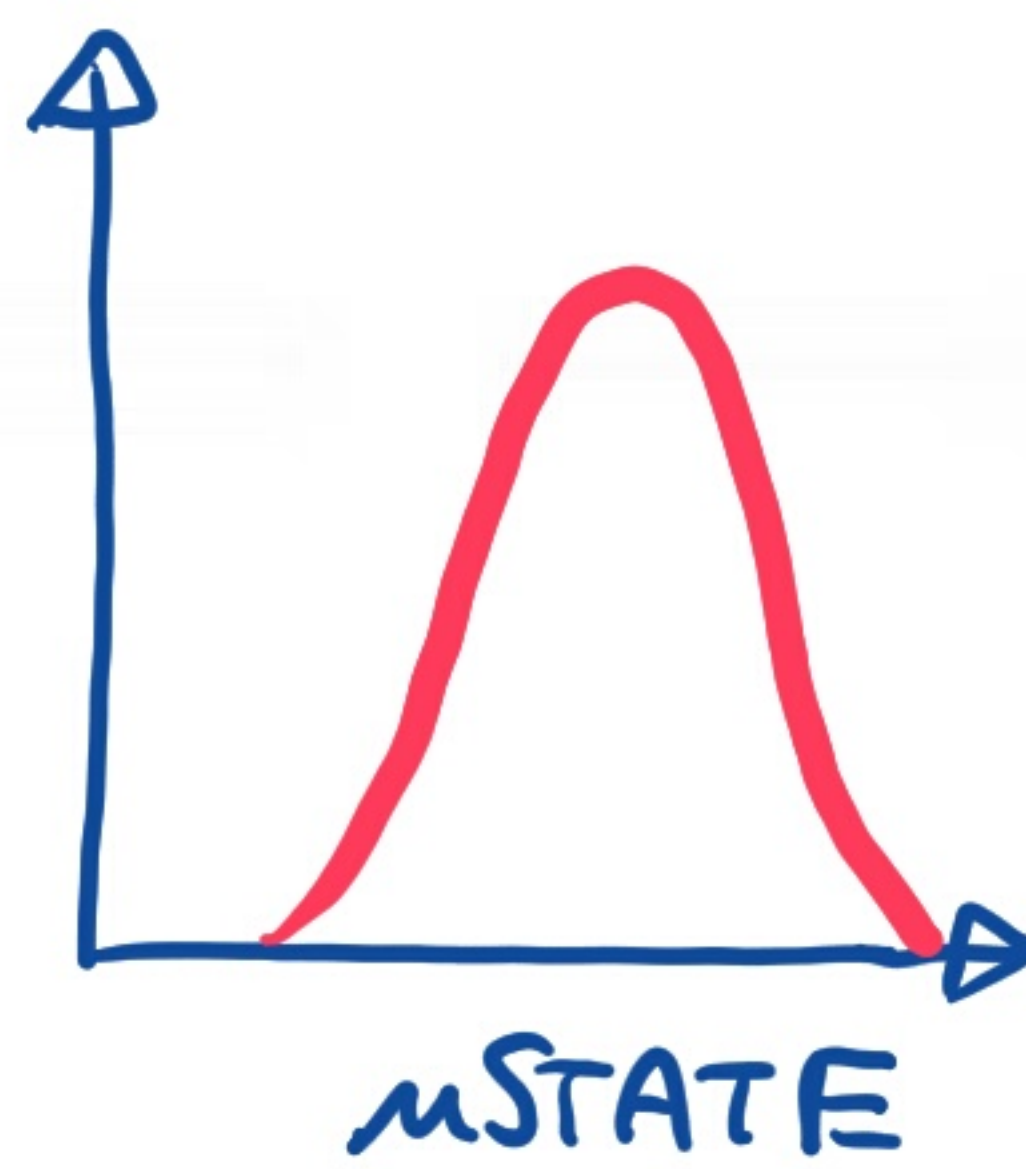
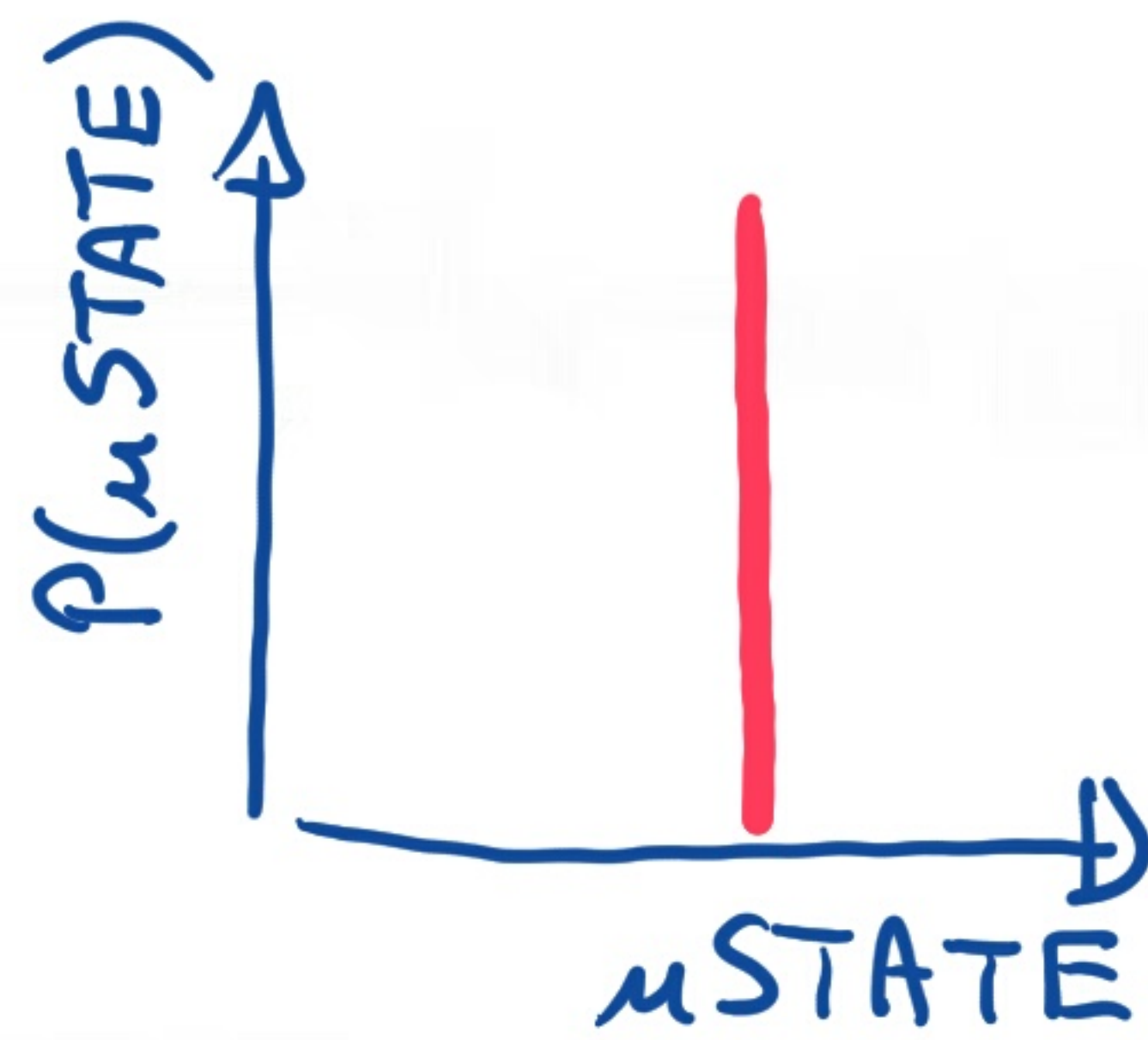


NATURE IS INDETERMINISTIC





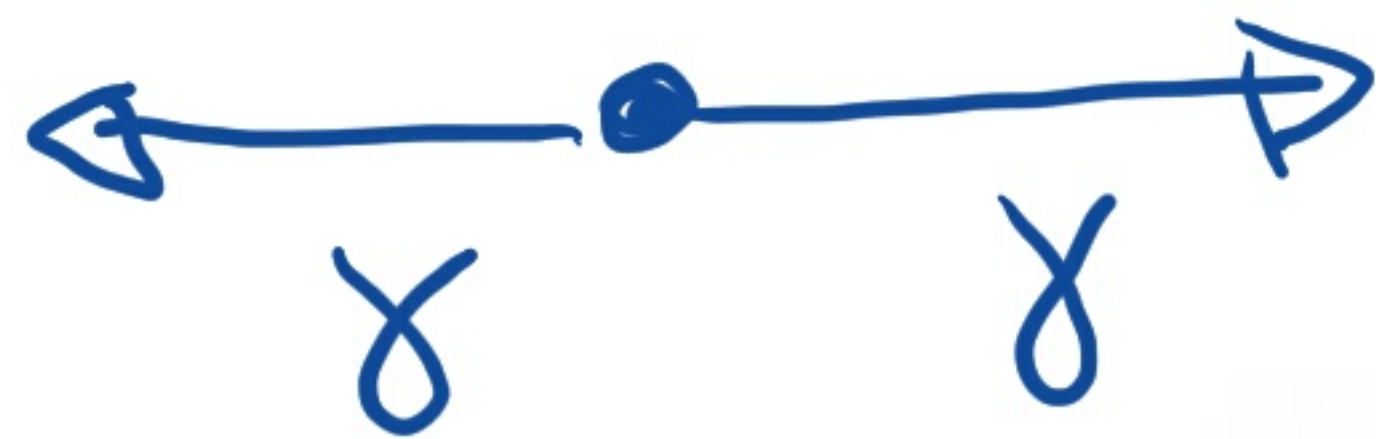
MODEL PREDICTIONS:



NATURE IS NON-LOCAL

REMOTE EVENTS ARE CORRELATED BY INSTANTENOUS "GHOST" INTERACTIONS

ALICE



BOB



ALICE'S RESULTS ARE CORRELATED WITH BOB'S RESULTS
(STILL NO-WAY TO TRANSFER INFORMATION WITH $v > c$)