



MICROJET SPECTRUM AND INTRA-JET DISTRIBUTIONS IN HEAVY-ION COLLISIONS

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JET SPECTRUM AT HIGH- p_T

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Dasgupta, Magnea, Salam 0712.3014

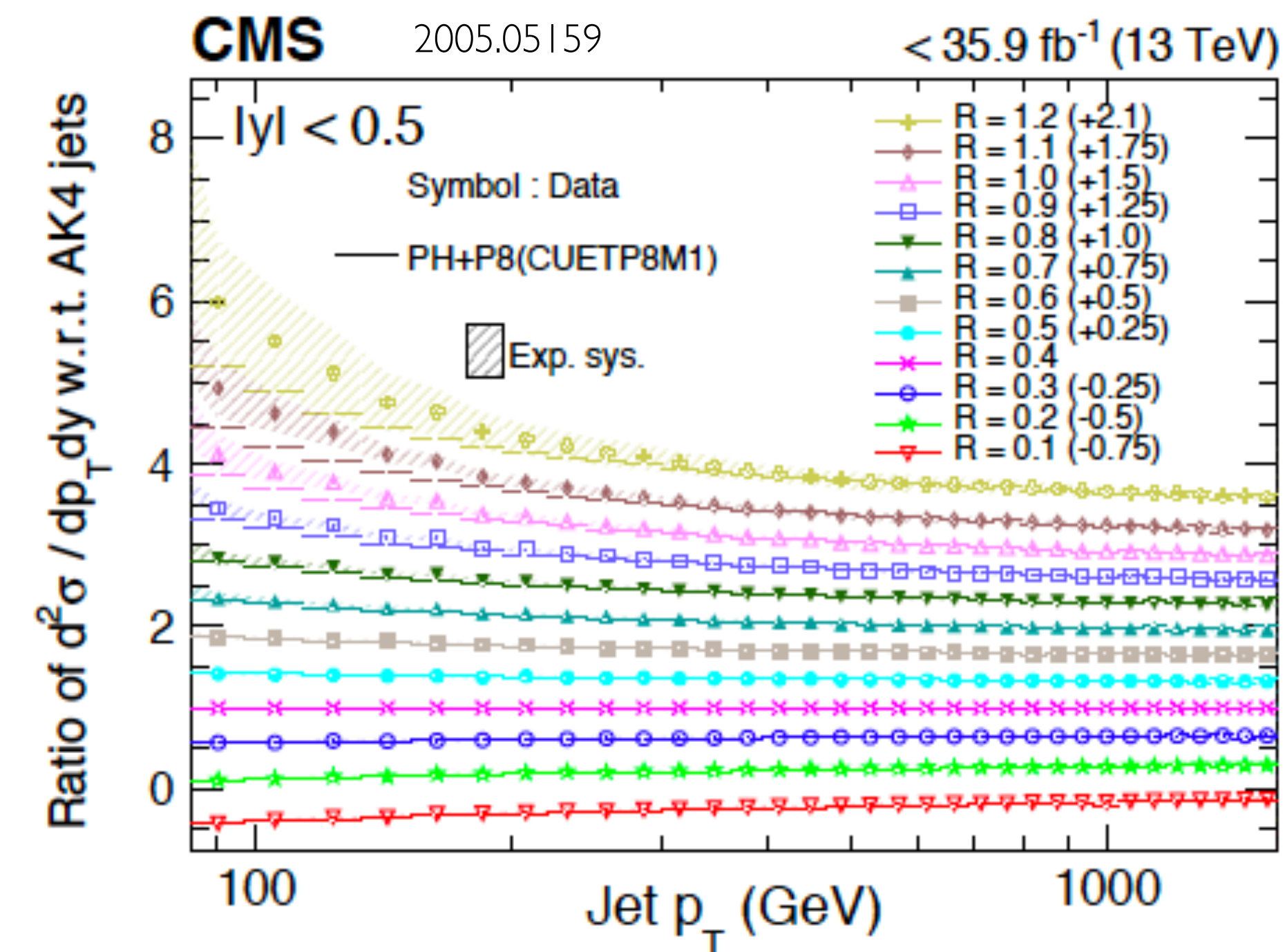
- Jets approximate partons created in hard scatterings
- Result in collimated sprays of particles

Out-of-cone radiation:

$$(\delta p_T)_q = -C_F \frac{\alpha_s p_T}{\pi} \log \frac{1}{R} \left(2 \log 2 - \frac{3}{8} \right)$$

$$(\delta p_T)_g = -\frac{\alpha_s p_T}{\pi} \log \frac{1}{R} \left[C_A \left(2 \log 2 - \frac{43}{96} \right) + T_R n_f \frac{7}{48} \right]$$

Non-perturbative effects (underlying event): $(\delta p_T)_{UE} \simeq \frac{1}{2} \Lambda_{UE} R^2$



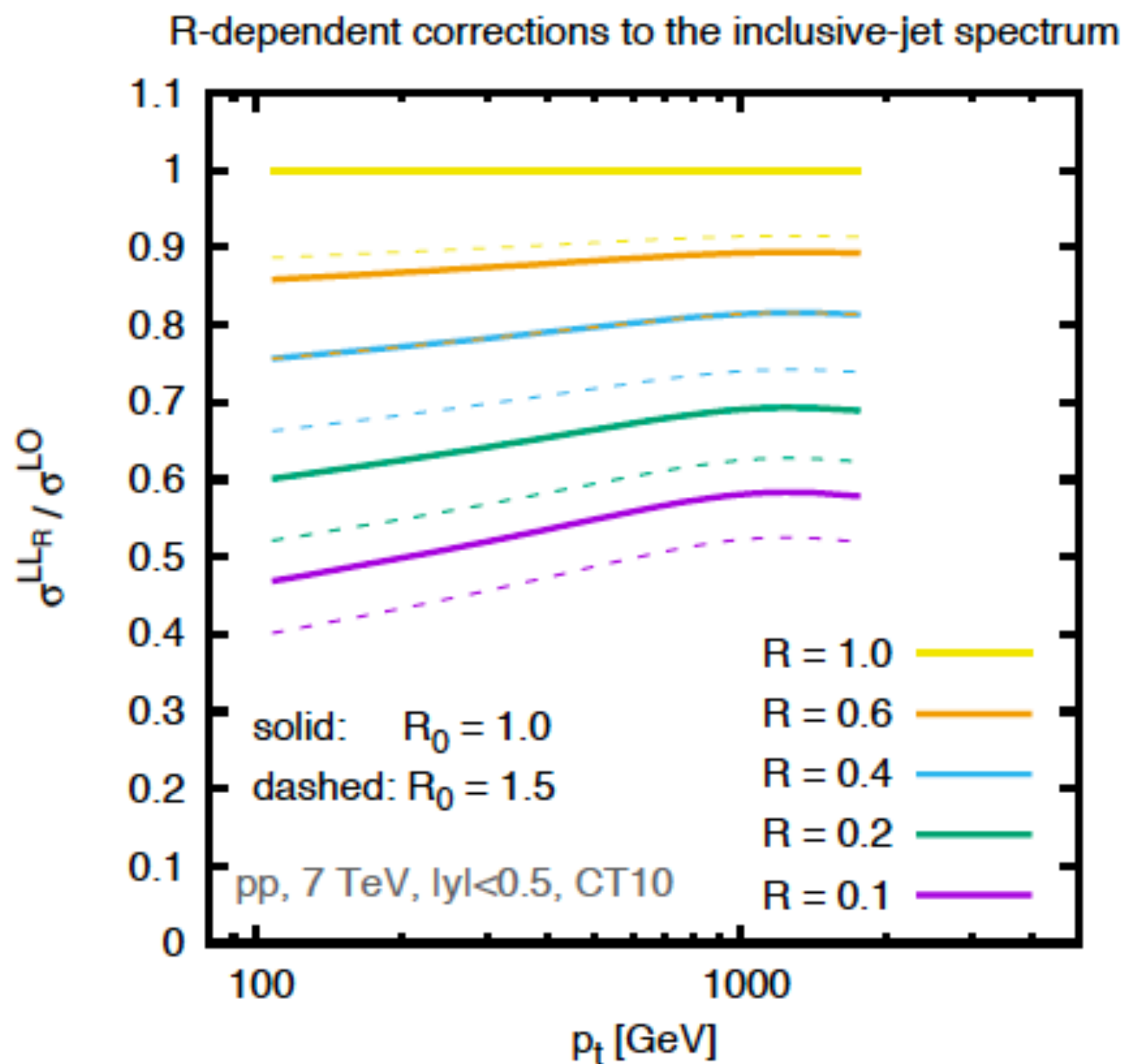
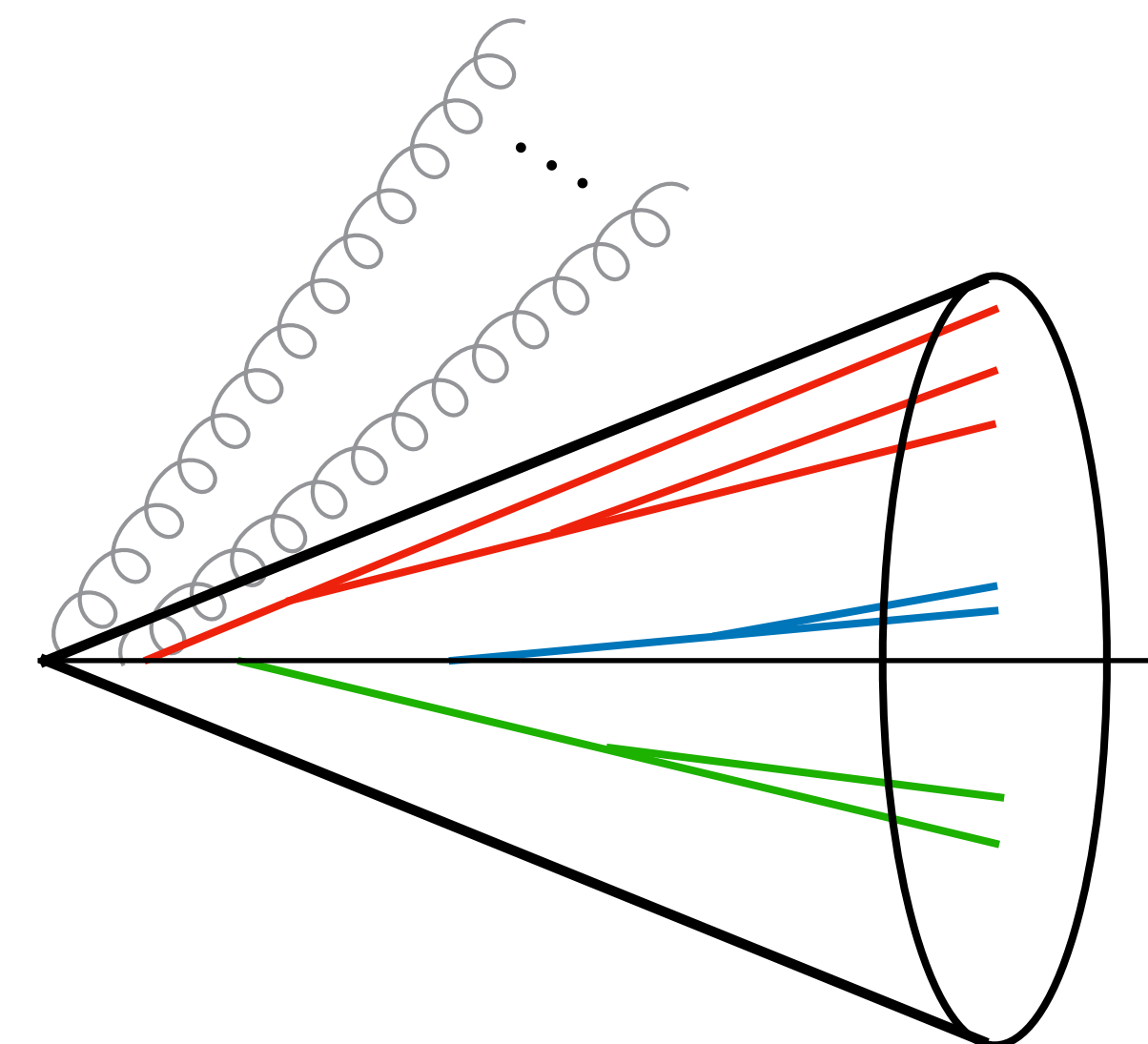


LOGARITHMIC RESUMMATION

Konishi, Ukawa, Veneziano Nucl. Phys. B1567 (1979);
 Bassetto, Ciafaloni, Marchesini Phys. Rept. 100 (1983);
 Dokshitzer, Khoze, Mueller, Troyan "Basics of Perturbative QCD" (1991)

Resummation of leading logarithmic contributions.

Jets inside jets: microjet spectrum.



Example: small-R resummation in $t = \log 1/R$:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} f_{\text{jet}/i}(z, t) = \int_0^1 \frac{dz'}{z'} \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} P_{ji}(z) f_{\text{jet}/j}\left(\frac{z}{z'}, t\right)$$

Evolution from hard scale to jet scale via DGLAP.

Dasgupta, Dreyer, Salam, Soyez 1411.5182, 1602.01110
 Kang, Ringer, Vitev 1606.06732
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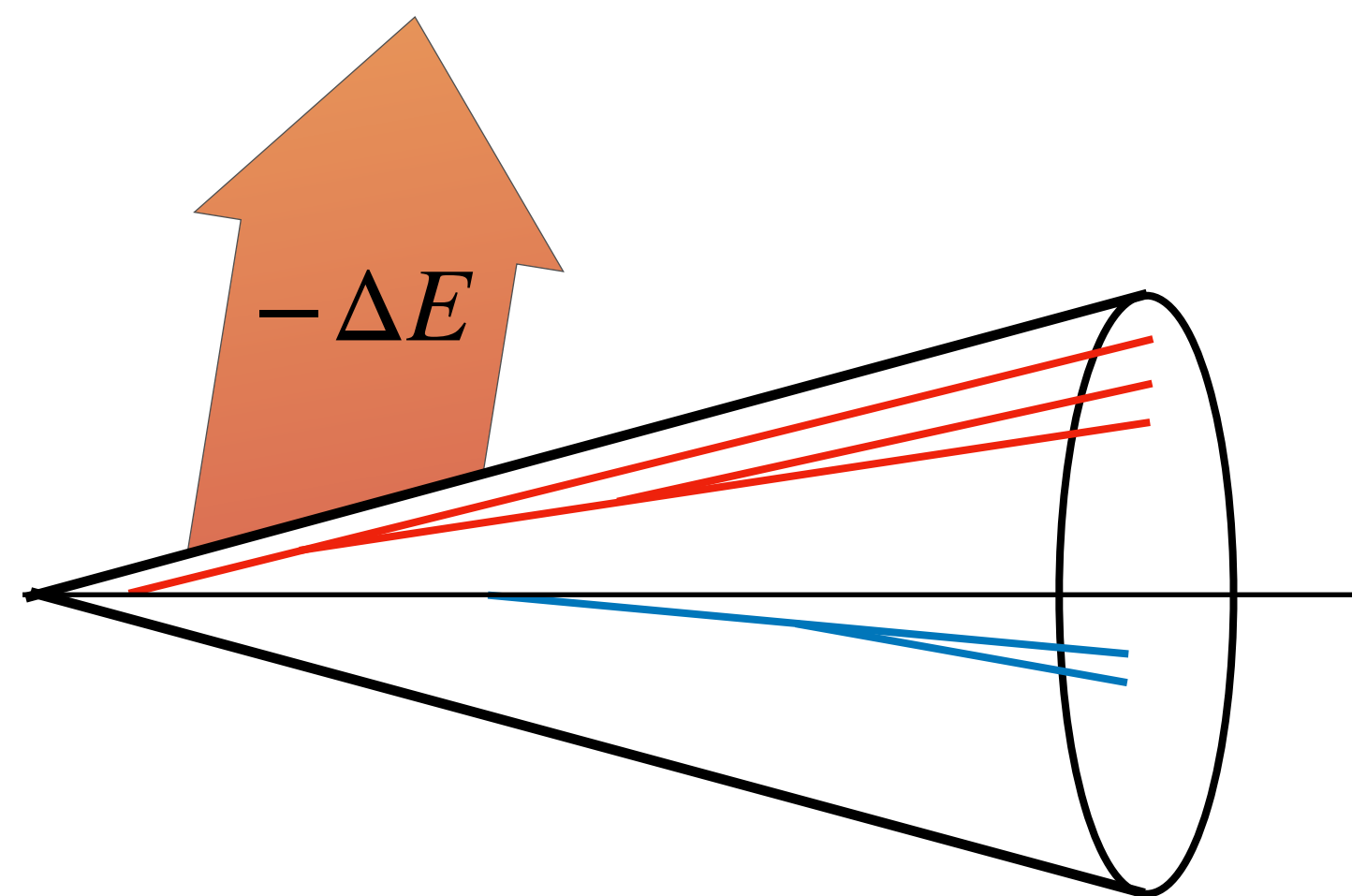


IN THE MEDIUM

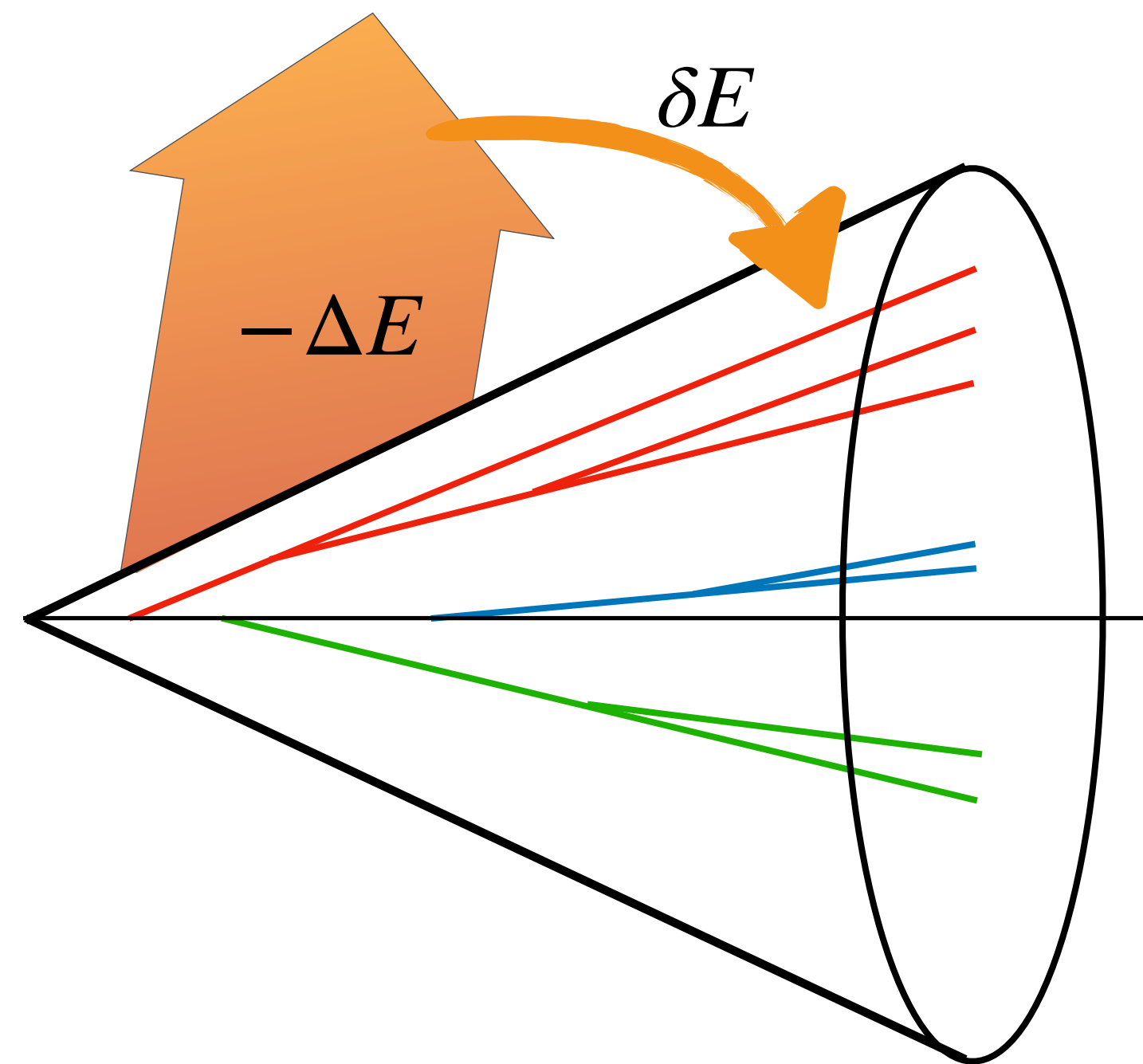
- enhancement of energy loss out of the cone due to elastic and radiative processes
 - how much & how does energy flow out of the cone?
- jets are multi-parton objects with spacetime structure
 - how many partons are contributing to energy loss?
 - important to gain understanding from analytical approaches
- distribution of subjects within a jet
 - what is the distribution of fragments inside the cone?



GENERAL PICTURE



fewer color sources - less energy lost
easier for energy to flow out-of-cone



more color sources - more energy lost
recovery of lost energy

beware of biases: jet population is different!

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QUENCHING OF PARTONIC HARD SPECTRUM

Baier, Dokshitzer, Mueller, Schiff (2001); Salgado, Wiedemann (2003)

Quenching factor

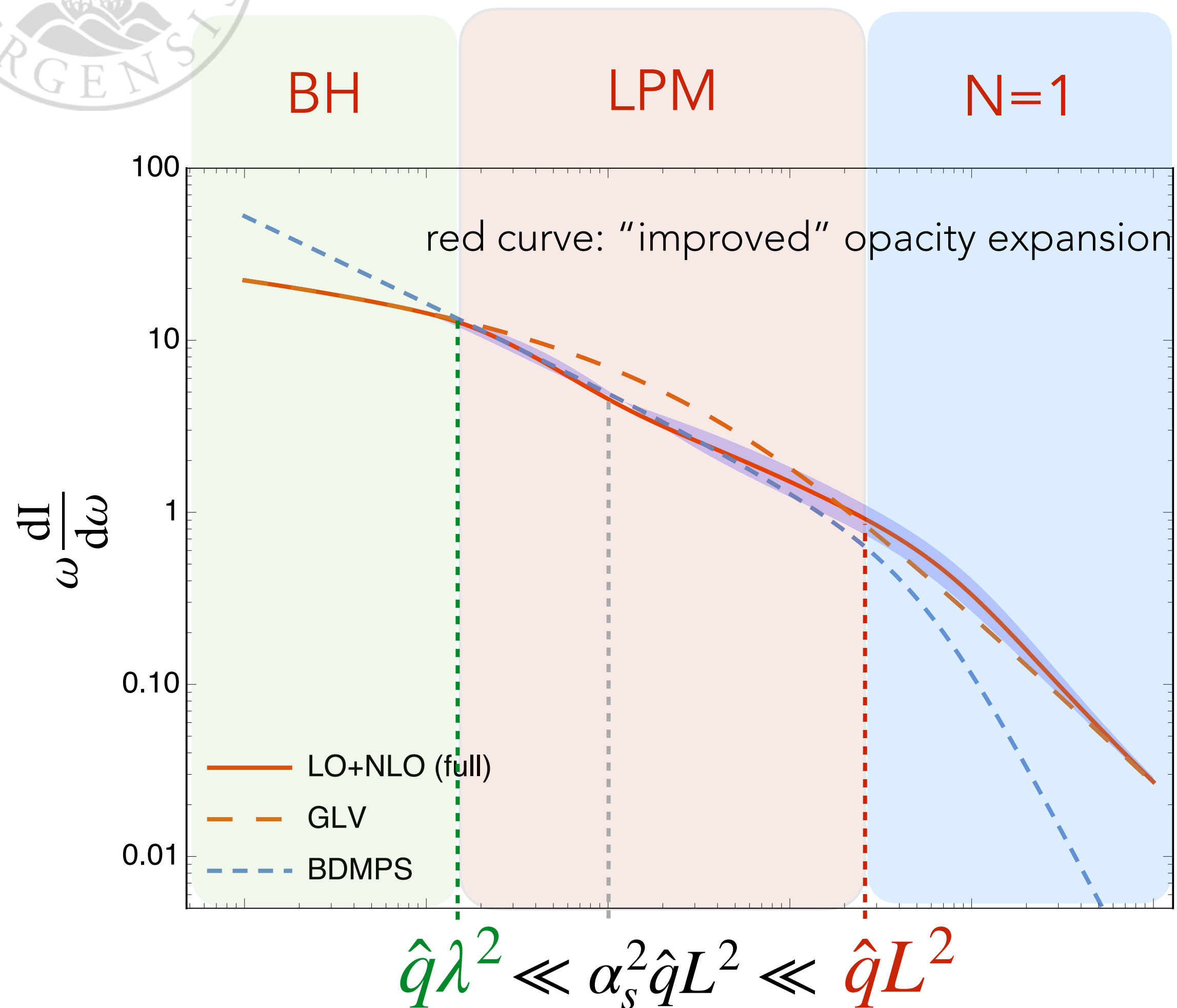
$$\frac{d\sigma_{\text{med}}}{dp_T} = \int_0^\infty d\epsilon \mathcal{P}(\epsilon) \left. \frac{d\sigma_{\text{vac}}}{dp'_T} \right|_{p'_T=p_T+\epsilon} \approx \frac{d\sigma_{\text{vac}}}{dp_T} \underbrace{\int_0^\infty d\epsilon \mathcal{P}(\epsilon) e^{-\epsilon \frac{n}{p_T}}}_{Q(p_T)}$$

- applies for small energy losses & steeply falling spectra - good approximation at RHIC/LHC
- energy loss distribution $\mathcal{P}(\epsilon)$ includes fluctuations
- applies to a wide range of processes



RADIATIVE ENERGY LOSS

Mehtar-Tani, Tywoniuk 1910.02032
Mehtar-Tani, Barata 2004.02323



Momentum broadening $\langle k^2 \rangle \sim \hat{q}t$ leads to modified bremsstrahlung spectrum \rightarrow no collinear divergence!

$$\omega \frac{dI}{d\omega} = \frac{\alpha_s C_R L}{\pi t_f} = \frac{\alpha_s C_R}{\pi} \sqrt{\frac{\hat{q}L^2}{\omega}}$$

Bethe-Heitler regime ($t_f \lesssim \lambda$)

LPM regime ($\lambda < t_f < L$)

N=1 regime ($L < t_f \sim E/\mu^2$)

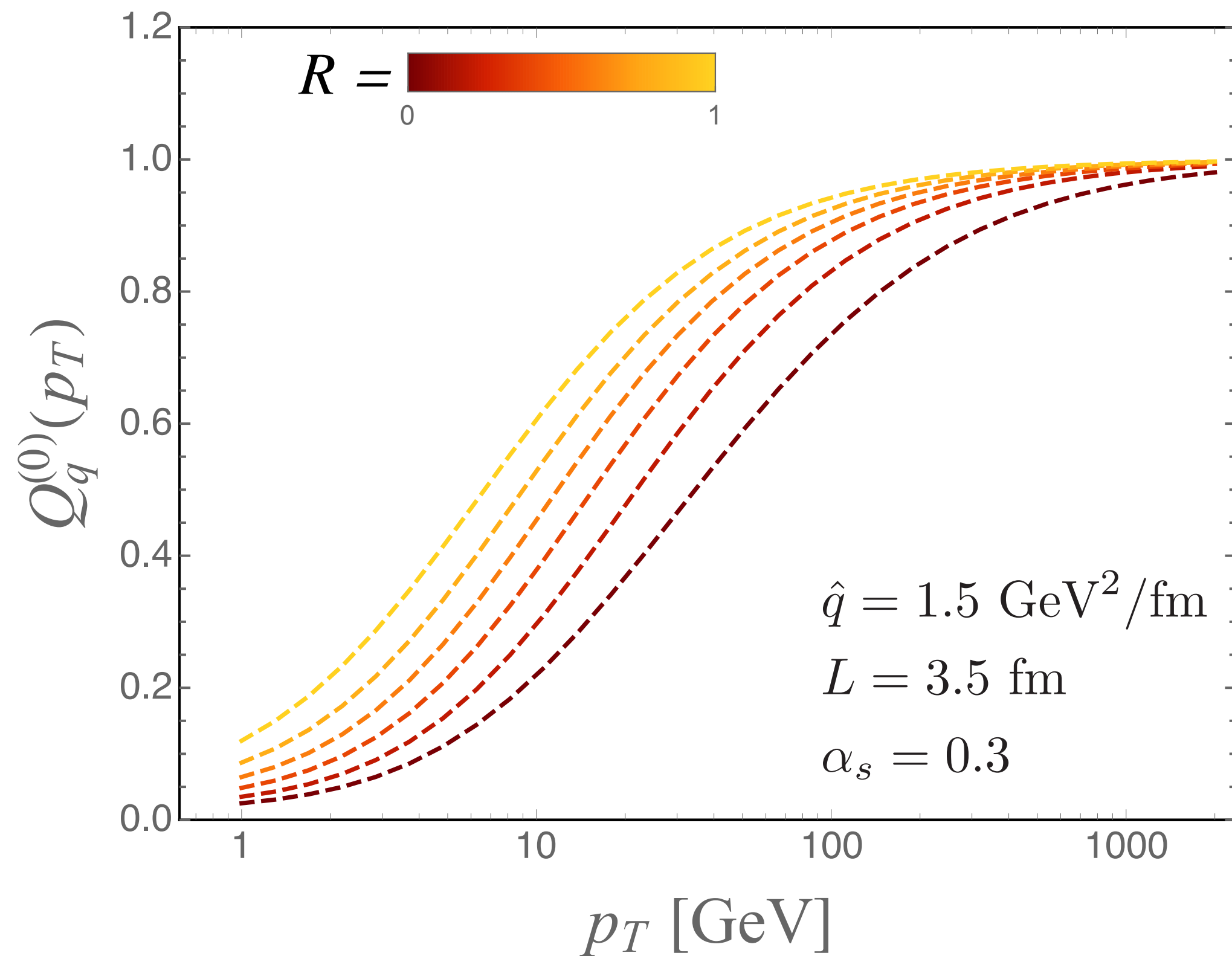
Soft scale: copious, **large angle** gluons leading to energy loss & thermalization.

Blaizot, Dominguez, Iancu, Mehtar-Tani 1301.6102



BARE QUENCHING FACTOR

$$Q^{(0)}(p_T) = \exp \left[- \int_0^\infty d\omega \frac{dI_{>}}{d\omega} \left(1 - e^{-\omega \frac{n}{p_T}} \right) \right]$$



radiative & elastic energy loss **out of the jet cone**

recovery of energy at large angles:

- hard gluons stay within cone
- soft gluons thermalize and drift back into the cone

Casimir scaling: $Q_q(p_T) \approx \left(Q_g(p_T) \right)^{C_F/C_A}$

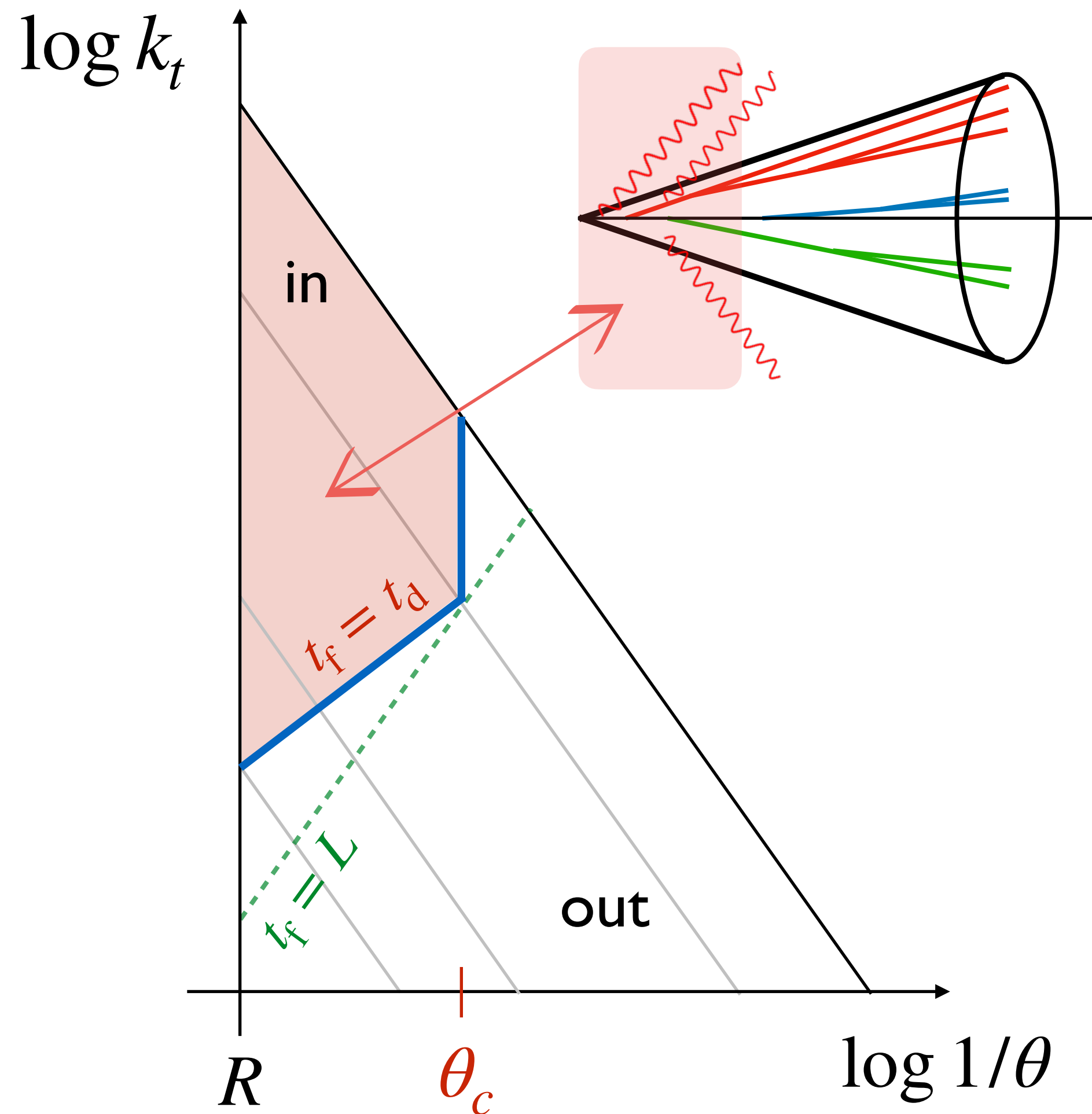
Factorization: $Q_{\text{tot}}(p_T) = Q_{\text{rad}}(p_T) \times Q_{\text{el}}(p_T) \times \dots$

[We only consider rad in this talk.]



PHASE SPACE ANALYSIS

Y. Mehtar-Tani, KT 1706.06047, 1707.07361
 Caucal, Iancu, Mueller, Soyez 1801.09703



Vacuum emissions w/ $k_t^2 > \sqrt{\hat{q}\omega}$ and $\theta > \theta_c$ are emitted inside plasma and will eventually be resolved by the medium (red area).

At border: all inside emissions get quenched

How many modes are emitted inside?

$$(\text{PS})_{\text{in}} \approx 2 \frac{\alpha_s C_R}{\pi} \log \frac{R}{\theta_c} \left(\log \frac{p_T}{\omega_c} + \frac{2}{3} \log \frac{R}{\theta_c} \right)$$

Potentially large and needs to be resummed.

Obs: phase space wo/coherence effects $t_f < L$
 is larger $\propto \log^2 p_T$



EFFECTIVE THEORY OF JET QUENCHING

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A probabilistic picture can be established due to the separation of jet and medium scales.

Outside of the medium, we have AO vacuum (vetoed shower):

$$Z_{\text{out}}(p, R) = u(p) + \int^R d\Pi (1 - \Theta_{\text{in}}) [Z_{\text{out}}(zp, \theta) Z_{\text{out}}((1-z)p, \theta) - Z_{\text{out}}(p, \theta)]$$

The functions $u(p)$ are "probing functions" of *measured particles*.

Vacuum-like (vetoed) AO shower inside the medium

$$Z(p, R) = Q(p_T) Z_{\text{out}}(p, 1) + \int^R d\Pi \Theta_{\text{in}} [Z(zp, \theta) Z((1-z)p, \theta) - Z(p, \theta)]$$

accounts for quenching through iterative use of GF



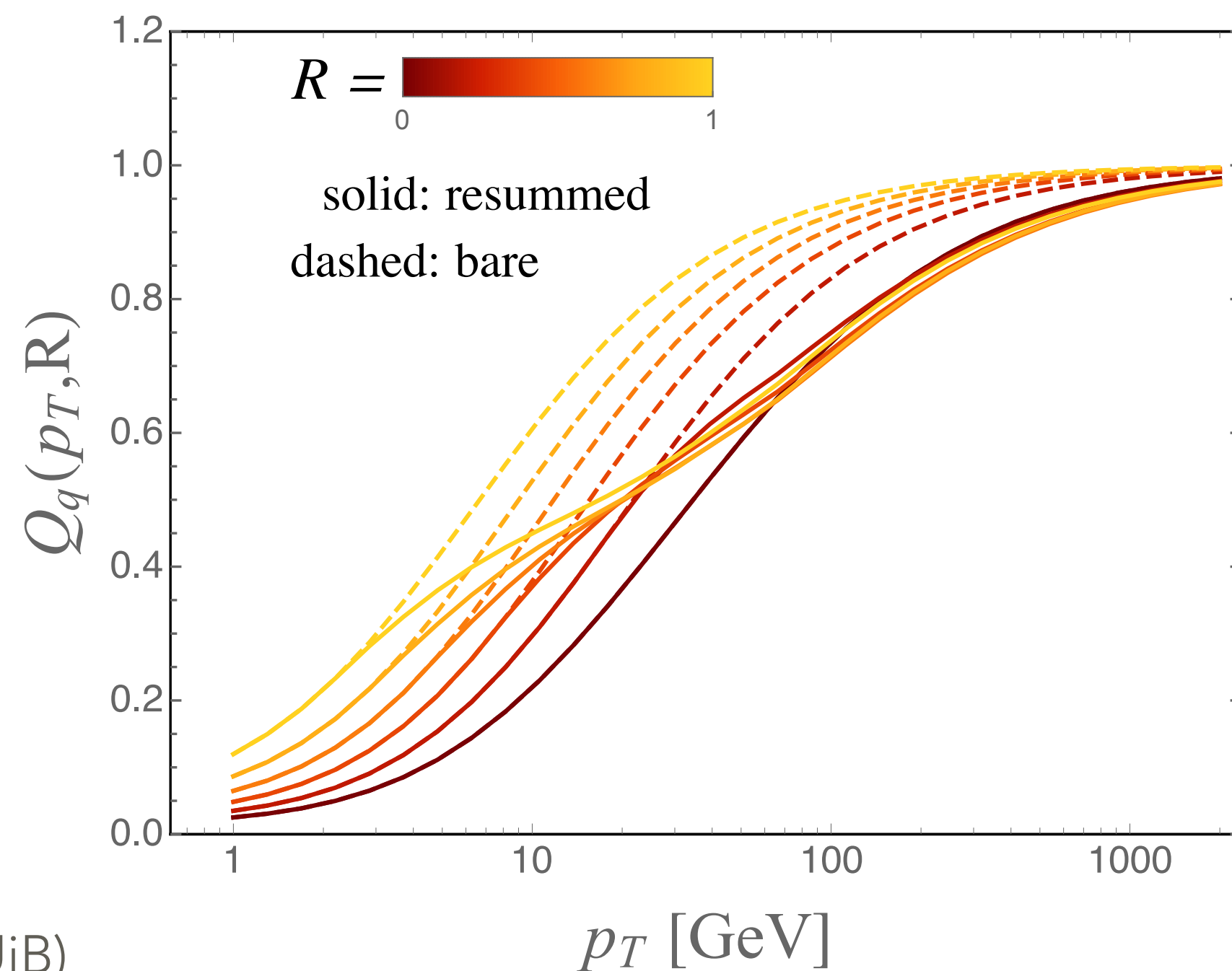
RESUMMED QUENCHING FACTOR

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Non-trivial normalization of the GF: $Z(p, R; \{u = 1\}) = Q(p, R)$!

$$Q(p, R) = Q(p_T) + \int^R d\Pi \Theta_{\text{in}} [Q(zp, \theta)Q((1-z)p, \theta) - Q(p, \theta)]$$

coupled eqs for non-linear evolution of quenching



Approximately:

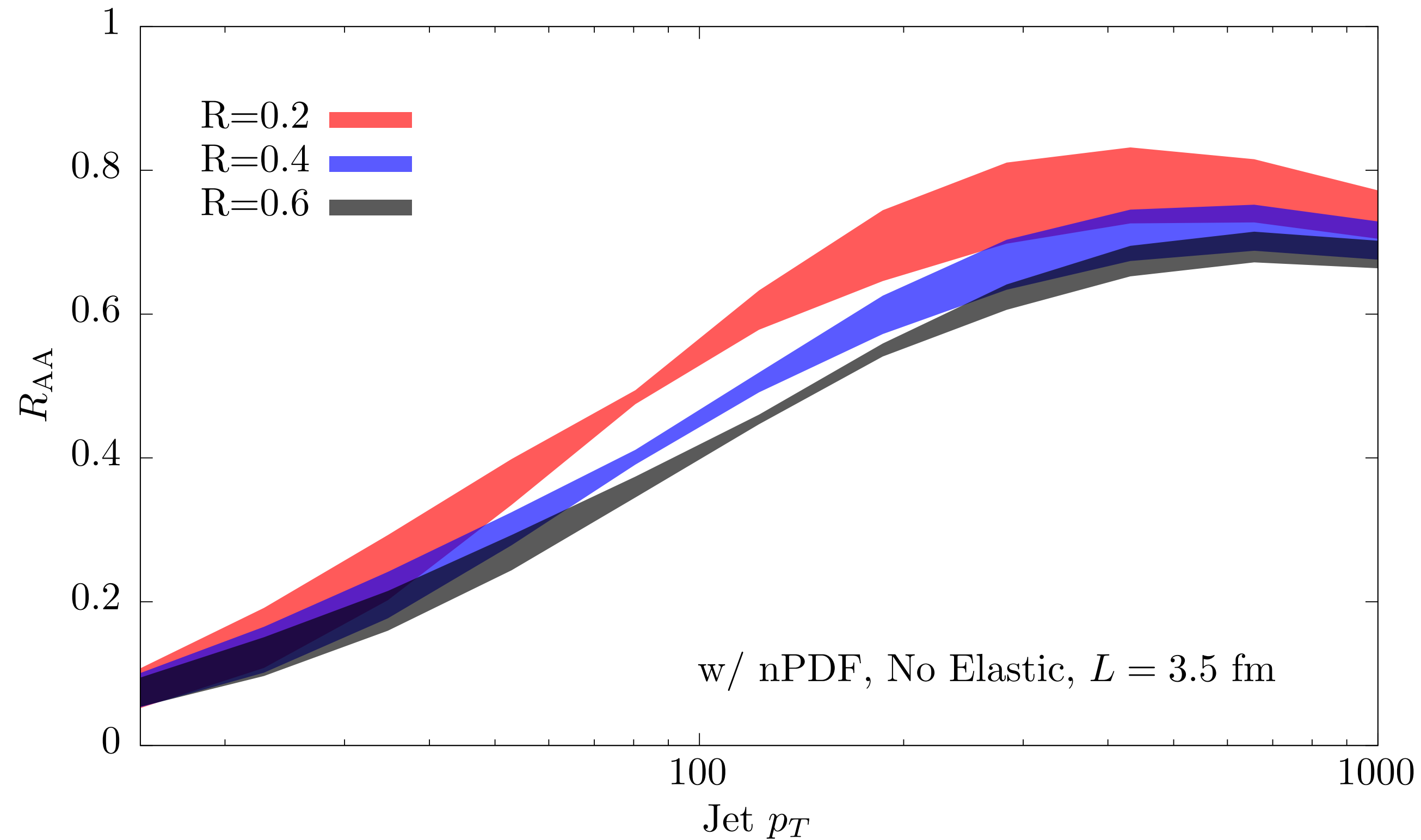
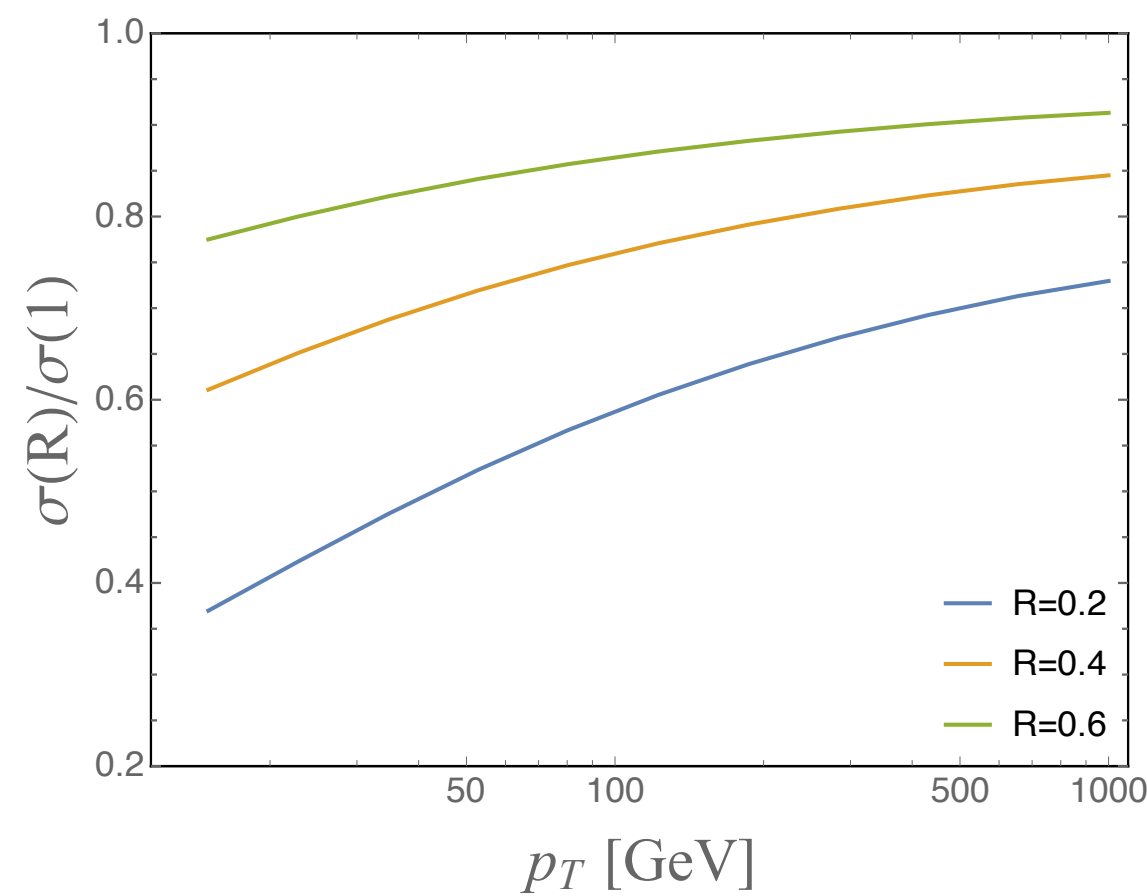
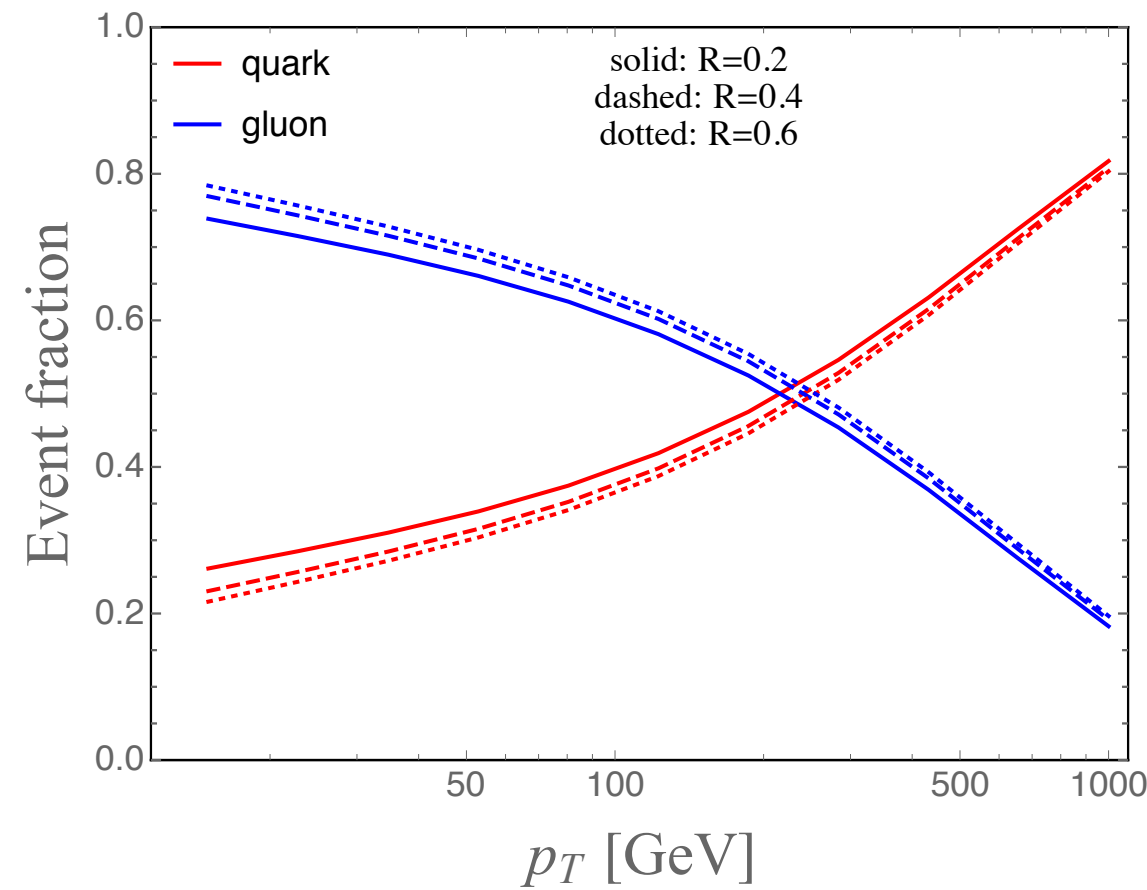
$$Q_i(p_T, R) = Q_i(p_T) \exp \left[\int^R d\Pi \Theta_{\text{in}} (Q_g(p_T) - 1) \right]$$

The R-dependence is much milder than for bare quenching!



NUCLEAR MODIFICATION FACTOR

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bands correspond to varying θ_c by a factor ~ 2 to gauge sub-leading log contributions.

Full calculation in collinear factorization, LO+LL (w/ EPS09 LO nPDFs)
- medium parameters tuned to reproduce R_{AA} at $p_T=100$ GeV and $R=0.4$.



OUTLOOK

- analytical calculation implementing the impact of jet fragmentation on quenching: indispensable for high- p_T jet observables
- recovery of energy at large angles is non-perturbative
 - strongly affected by choice of phase space for quenching
- \hat{q} is a measure of both the amount of energy lost & the resolution properties of the medium (color coherence)
 - R_{AA} vs. R a rich observable to probe regimes

BACKUP



JET FRAGMENTATION FROM GF

R-dependence of the jet spectrum in terms of a jet fragmentation function

$$\frac{d\sigma^{\text{jet}}(R)}{dp_T} = \sum_{i=q,g} \frac{d\sigma_i}{dp_T} \underbrace{\int_0^1 dz z^{n_i(p_T)-1} f_{\text{jet}/i}(z, t)}_{f^{(n)}(z)}$$

Quenched DGLAP equations:

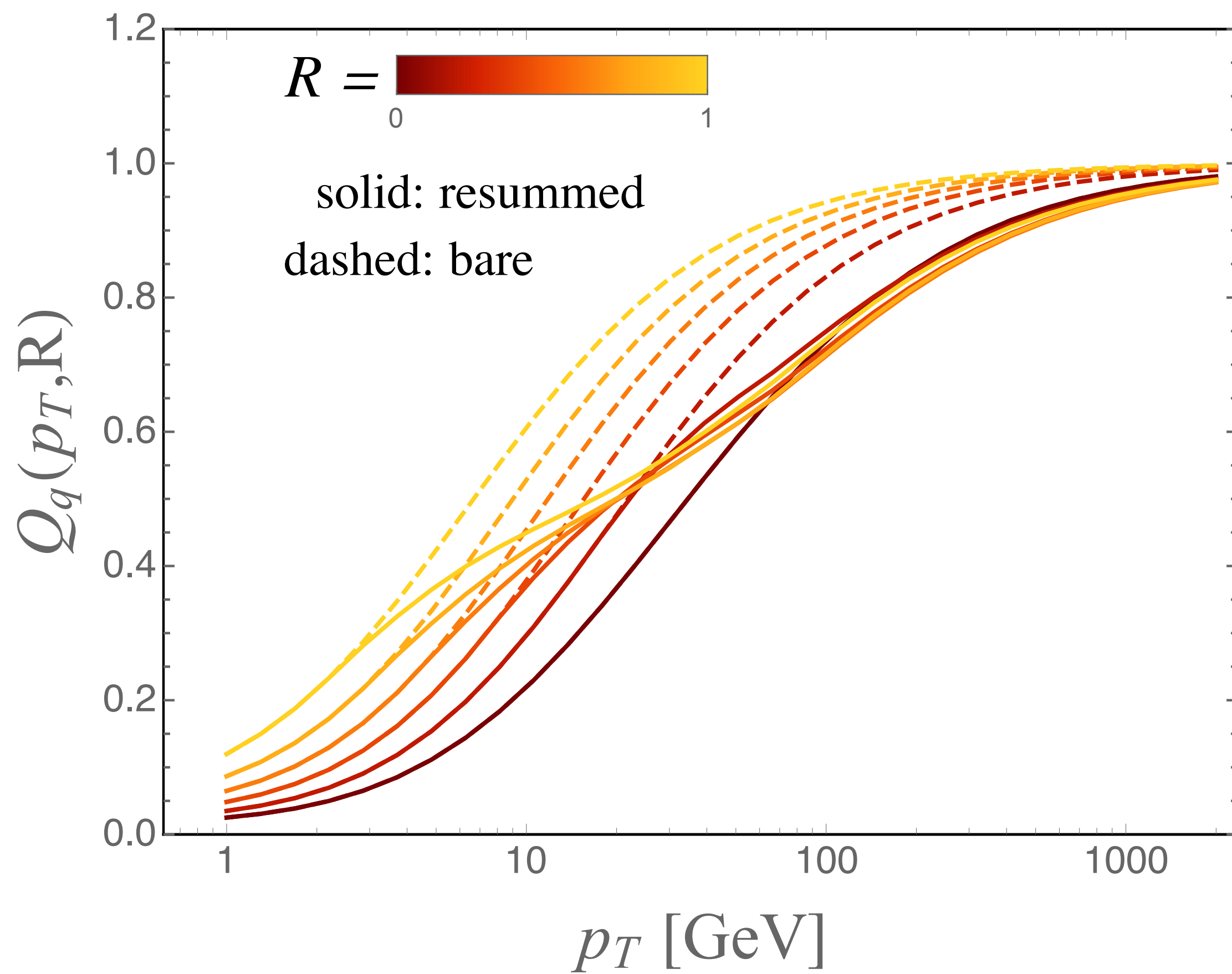
$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \log \theta} \begin{pmatrix} f_q^{(n)}(p, \theta) \\ f_g^{(n)}(p, \theta) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \gamma_{qq}^{\text{med}} & \gamma_{qg}^{\text{med}} \\ \gamma_{gq}^{\text{med}} & \gamma_{gg}^{\text{med}} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} f_q^{(n)}(p, \theta) \\ f_g^{(n)}(p, \theta) \end{pmatrix}$$

- with boundary condition $f_i^{(n)}(p, R) = Q_i(p, R)$

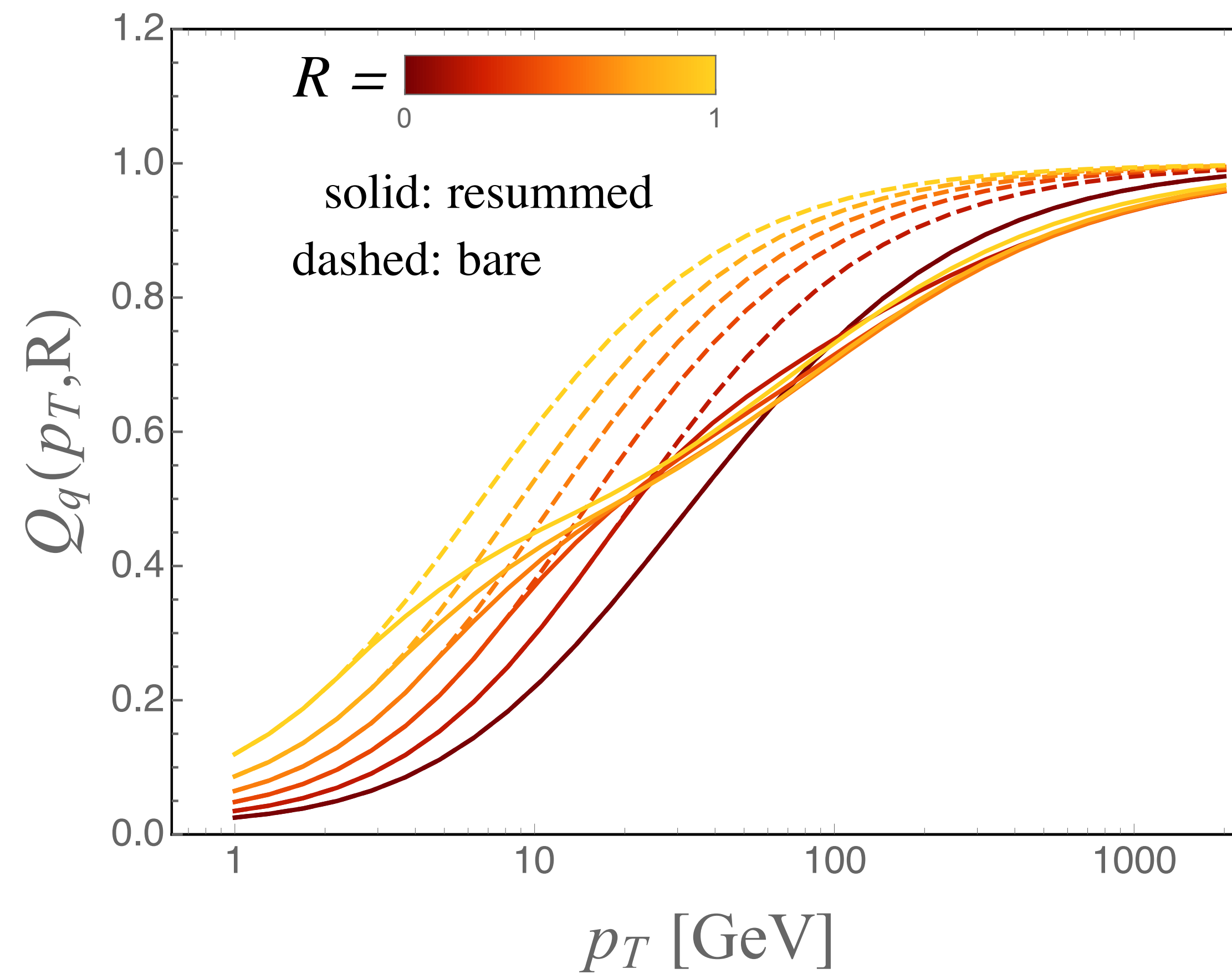


ROLE OF THE PHASE SPACE

coherent phase space



decoherent phase space



unfair comparison: should retune medium parameters!