

# Total, inelastic and elastic cross-sections of high energy pp, pA and eA collisions in DIPSY

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## Introduction

The Lund Dipole Cascade Model DIPSY

New: nuclei in DIPSY

Monte Carlo cross section results

Comparison with Glauber results

[arXiv:1103.4320](https://arxiv.org/abs/1103.4320)

[arXiv:1103.4321](https://arxiv.org/abs/1103.4321)

[arXiv:1206.1733](https://arxiv.org/abs/1206.1733)

+ manuscript in preparation



# Introduction: Glauber theory++

$$p \propto \exp\left(-\sigma_{in}^{hN} \rho L\right)$$

$$T_A(b) = \int \rho(z, b) dz$$

$$\int d^2b T_A(b) = A$$

$$T_{AB}(b) = \int d^2s T_A(s) T_B(|s - b|)$$

$$\sigma_{AB} = \int d^2b \int d^2s_1^A \dots d^2s_A^A d^2s_1^B \dots d^2s_B^B \times \\ T_A(s_1^A) \dots T_A(s_A^A) T_B(s_1^B) \dots T_B(s_B^B) \times \\ \left\{ 1 - \prod_{j=1}^B \prod_{i=1}^A \left[ 1 - \sigma(b - s_i^A + s_j^B) \right] \right\}$$

Glauber, 1955, 1967, 1970

Glauber and Matthiae, 1970

Bialas, Bleszynski, Czyz, 1976, ...

Optical model, high energy physics

Nuclear thickness function

Overlap function

Configuration space

Nuclear geometry  
(uncorrelated)

Elementary n-n  
interactions

Analytically  $\sim$  impossible. Nuclear short range correlations?  
-> Monte-Carlo simulations

# SR correlations, Gribov corrections

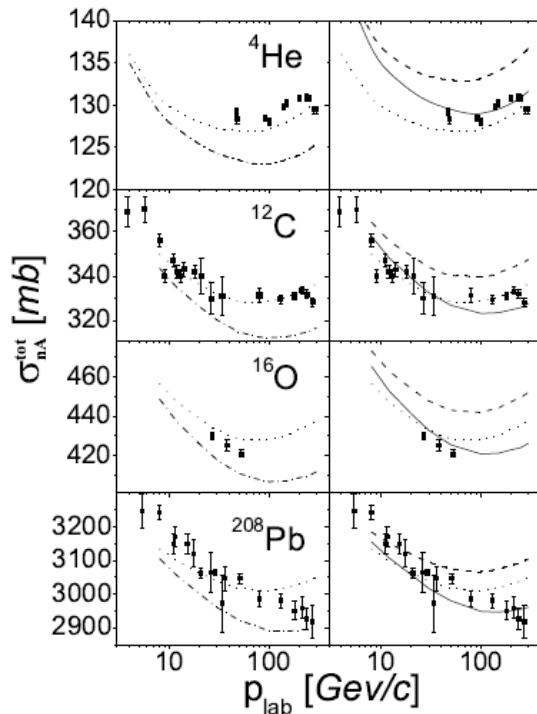
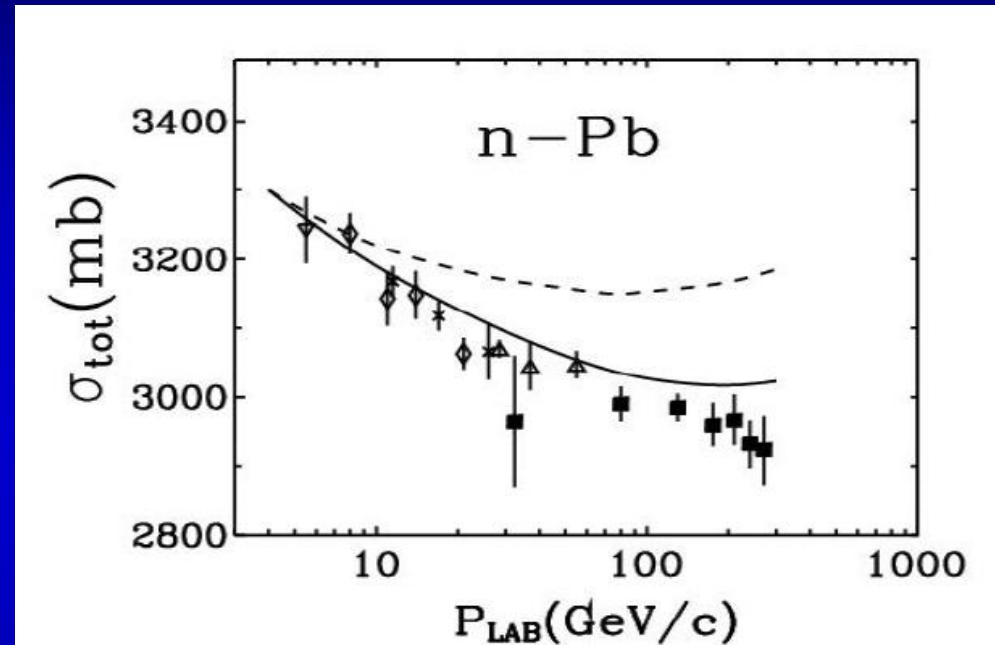


FIG. 2:  $\sigma_{tot}^{nA}$  vs  $p_{lab}$ . Left panel: Glauber single density approximation ( $\sigma_G$ ; dots) and Glauber plus Gribov inelastic shadowing ( $\sigma_G + \Delta\sigma_{IS}$ ; dot-dash). Right panel: Glauber ( $\sigma_G$ ; dots); Glauber plus SRC ( $\sigma_G + \sigma_{SRC}$ ; dashes); Glauber plus SRC plus Gribov inelastic shadowing ( $\sigma_G + \sigma_{SRC} + \Delta\sigma_{IS}$ ; full). Experimental data from [6, 17].

<- Avioli et al, arXiv:0708.0873

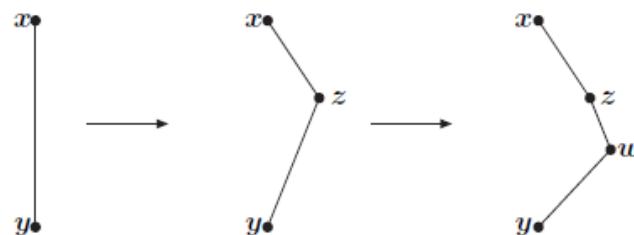


Gribov: fluctuations in the size of n decrease total nA cross-sections

Short range nucleon-nucleon correlations (SRC) + Gribov diffractive corrections are important for nA and pA collisions  
→ DIPSY detailed MC study for future accelerators

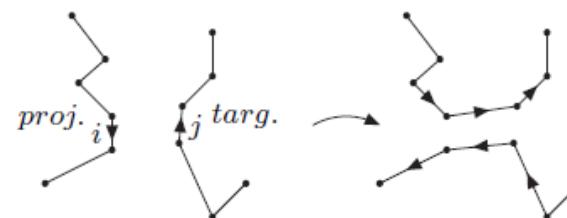
# DIPSY: Lund Dipole Cascade Model

$$\frac{dP}{dY} = \frac{\bar{\alpha}}{2\pi} d^2 z \frac{(x-y)^2}{(x-z)^2(z-y)^2}, \quad \text{with } \bar{\alpha} = \frac{3\alpha_s}{\pi}.$$



The evolution of the dipole cascade in transverse coordinate space.

Based on: Mueller's dipole cascade  
Formulation of BFKL evolution  
in rapidity and transverse coordinates



A dipole-dipole interaction implies exchange of colour and reconnection

$$2f_{ij} = 2f(x_i, y_i | x_j, y_j) = \frac{\alpha_s^2}{4} \left[ \log \left( \frac{(x_i - y_j)^2 (y_i - x_j)^2}{(x_i - x_j)^2 (y_i - y_j)^2} \right) \right]^2.$$

$$T = 1 - e^{-F},$$

$$\text{Int. prob.} = 1 - e^{-2F}, \quad \text{with } F = \sum f_{ij}.$$

$$\sigma_{\text{inel}} = \int d^2 b \langle 1 - e^{-2F(b)} \rangle = \int d^2 b \langle 1 - (1 - T(b))^2 \rangle.$$

$$\sigma_{\text{el}} = \int d^2 b \langle T(b) \rangle^2.$$

$$\sigma_{\text{diff}} = \int d^2 b \langle T(b)^2 \rangle.$$

$$\sigma_{\text{diff ex}} = \sigma_{\text{diff}} - \sigma_{\text{el}} = \int d^2 b (\langle T(b)^2 \rangle - \langle T(b) \rangle^2)$$

# DIPSY: a graphical summary

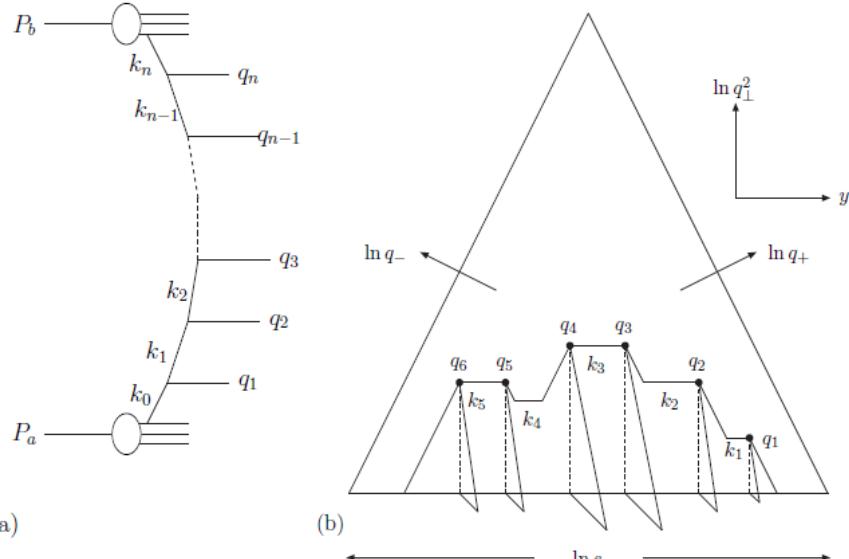


Figure 5: (a) A parton chain stretched between projectile and target. (b) A backbone of  $k_{\perp}$ -changing gluons in a  $(y, \ln q_{\perp}^2)$  plane. The transverse momentum of the virtual links  $k_i$  are represented by horizontal lines.

Dipole chain  
(top)

Chain split  
(bottom)

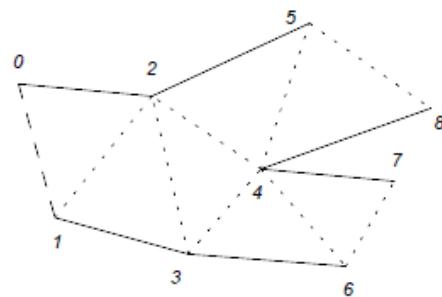


Figure 27: Two interactions make a chain split in two. Dotted lines show parent structure, full lines show colour flow.

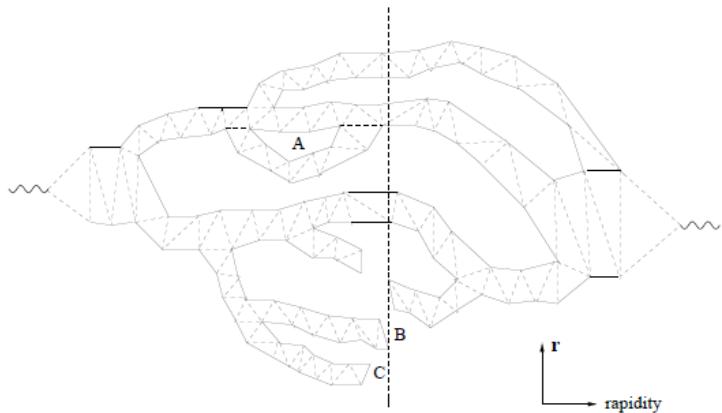


Figure 6: Collision of two dipole cascades in  $r$ -rapidity space. The dashed vertical line symbolizes the Lorentz frame in which the collision is viewed. The dipole splitting vertex can result in the formation of different dipole branches, and loops are formed due to multiple sub-collisions. The loop denoted by A is an effect of saturation within the cascade evolution, which can be formed via a dipole swing. Branches which do not interact, like those denoted B and C are to be treated as virtual, and to be absorbed.

Saturation  
(top)

Swing:  
rearranged  
color flow  
(bottom)

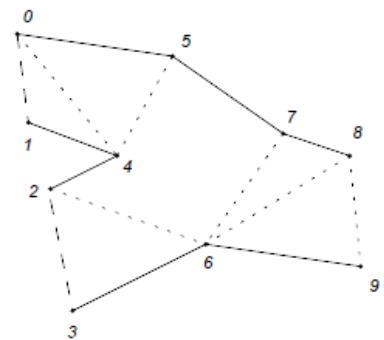
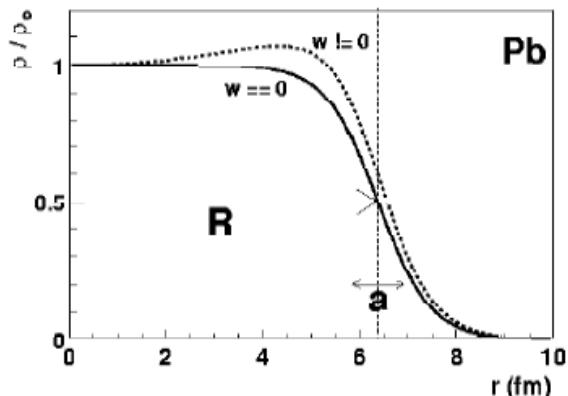


Figure 28: A swing between (45) and (26) causing two chains of backbone gluons to merge. Dotted lines show parent structure, full lines show colour flow. The picture is in impact-parameter space.

# Treatment of nuclei in DIPSY

$$\rho(r) = \frac{\rho_0(1 + wr^2 / R^2)}{1 + \exp((r - R) / a)}$$



Electron Scattering Measurements

Nucleus	A	R	a	w
C	12	2.47	0	0
O	16	2.608	0.513	-0.051
Al	27	3.07	0.519	0
S	32	3.458	0.61	0
Ca	40	3.76	0.586	-0.161
Ni	58	4.309	0.516	-0.1308
Cu	63	4.2	0.596	0
W	186	6.51	0.535	0
Au	197	6.38	0.535	0
Pb	208	6.68	0.546	0
U	238	6.68	0.6	0

H. DeVries, C.W. De Jager, C. DeVries, 1987

$$T_A(s) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \rho_A(\vec{s}, z)$$

Extended Woods-Saxon charge density

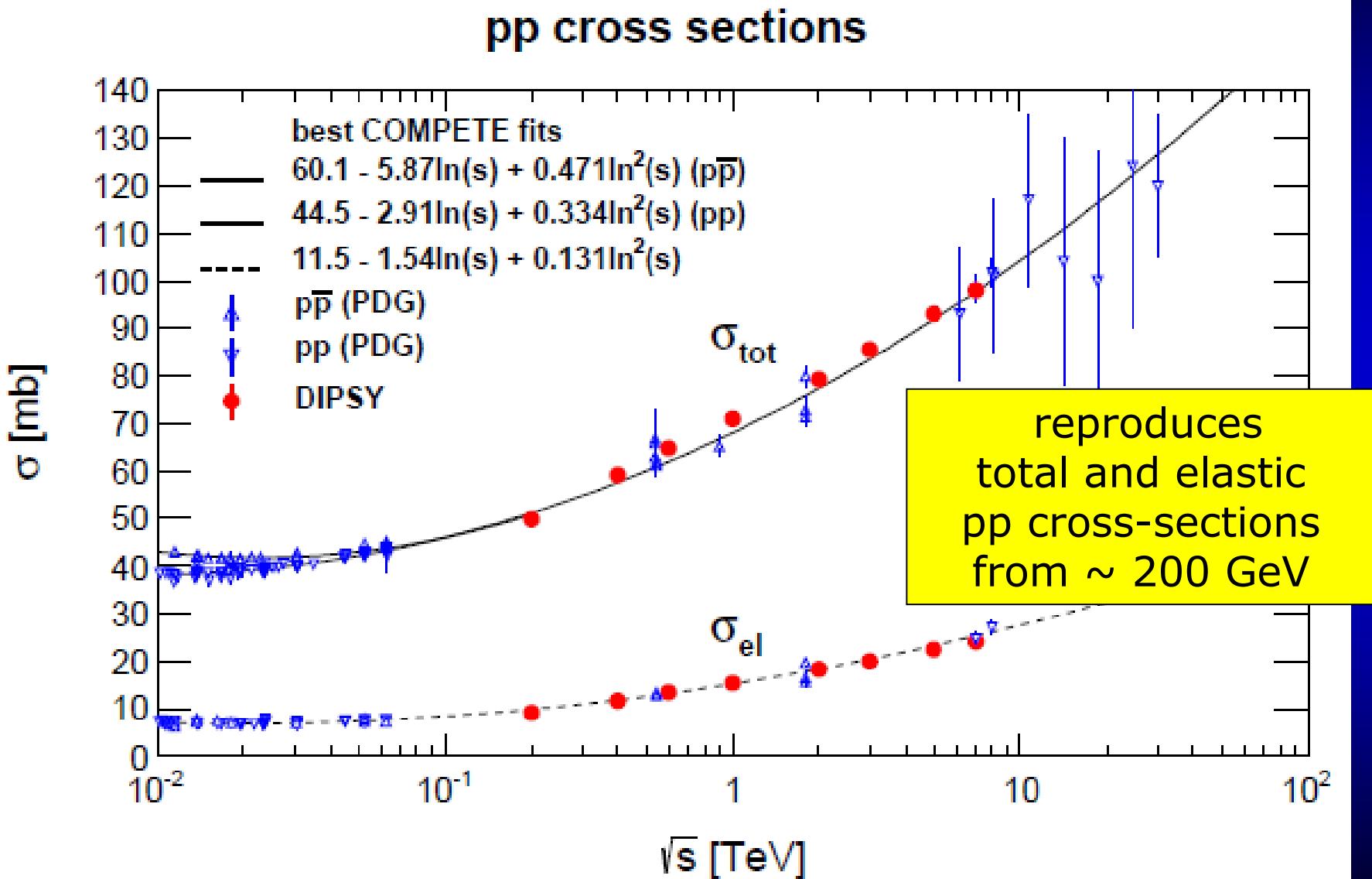
Currently in DIPSY for He, O, Cu, Au and Pb

GLISSANDRO:  
(Broniowski et al)  
corrections for  
nuclear center

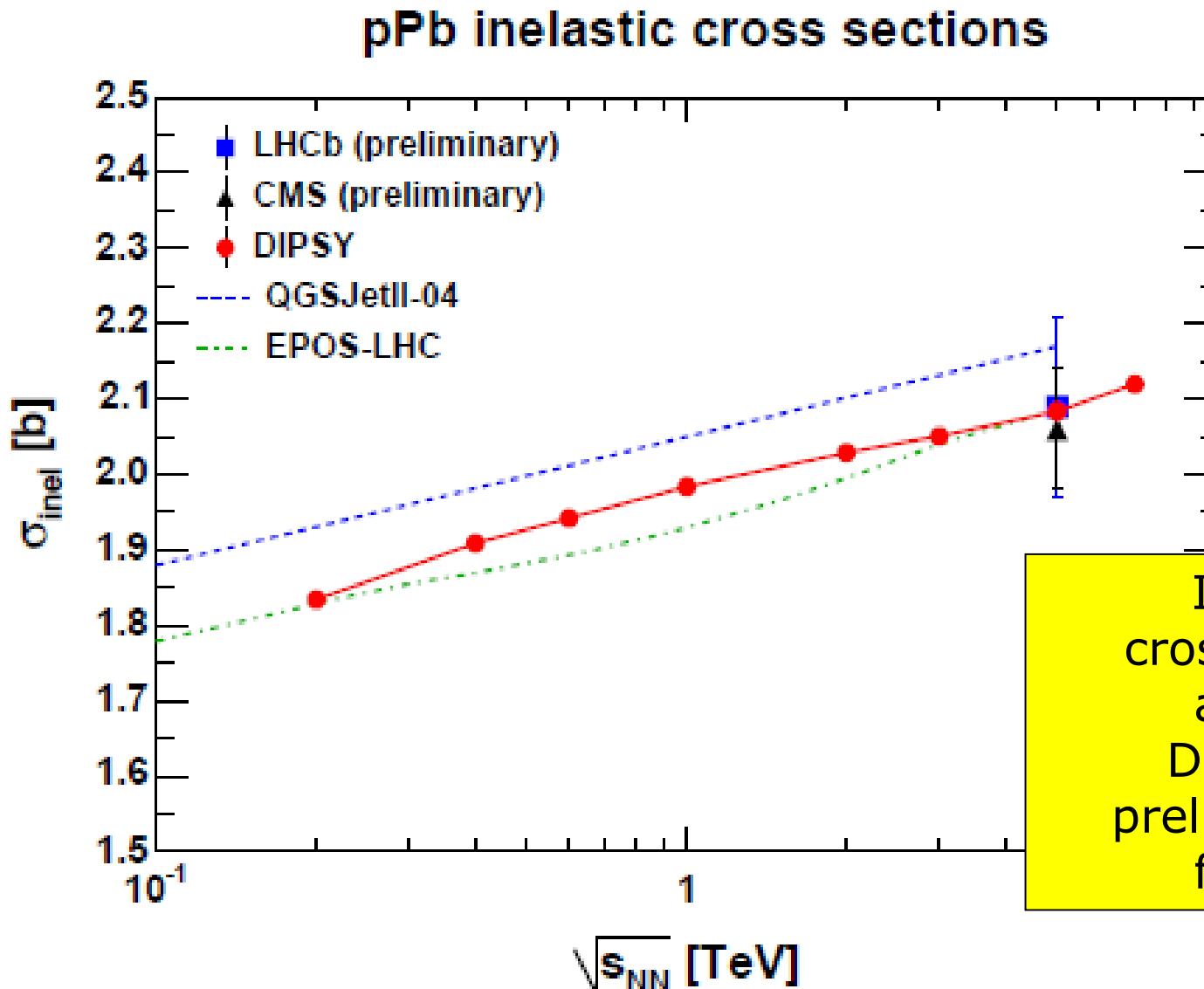
$$\begin{aligned} R(Pb, NC) &= 6.4 \text{ fm} \\ R(Au, NC) &= 6.2 \text{ fm} \\ R(Cu, NC) &= 4.2 \text{ fm} \\ R(O, NC) &= 2.5 \text{ fm} \end{aligned}$$

$$(1.1A^{1/3} - 0.656A^{-1/3}) \text{ fm}$$

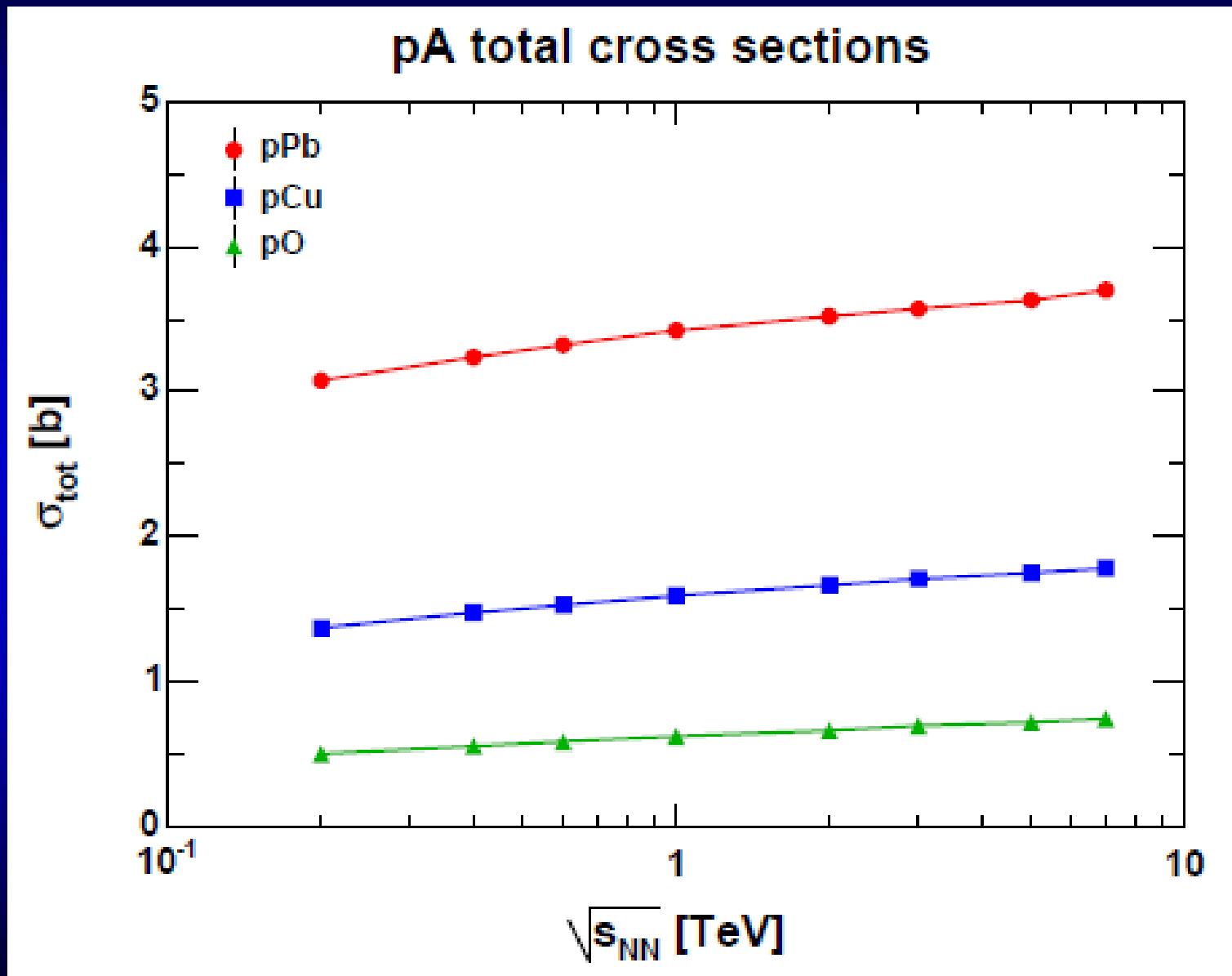
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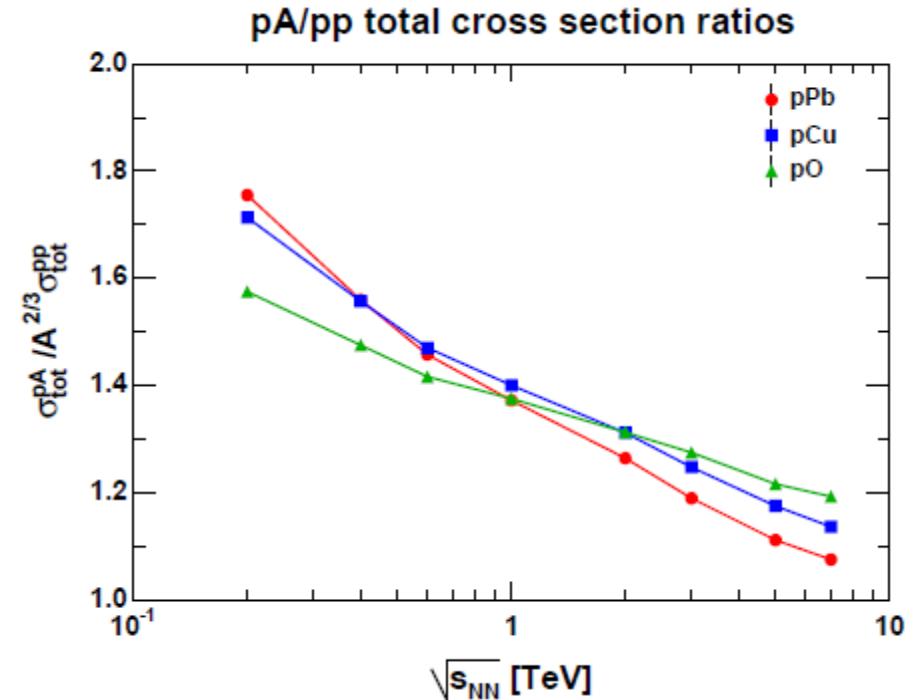
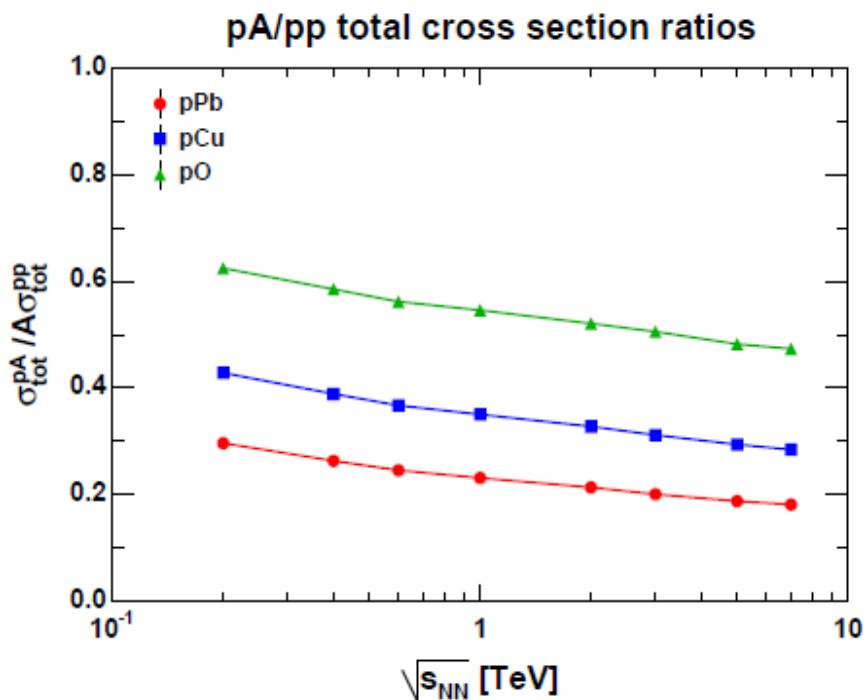
# DIPSY test 2: pPb cross sections



# DIPSY predictions: pA



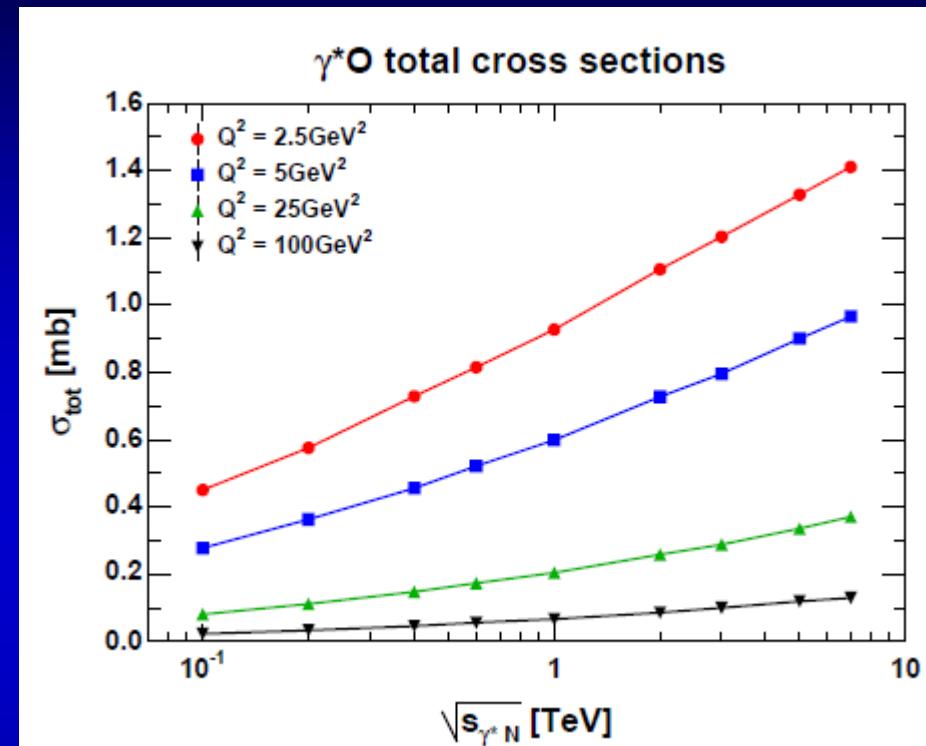
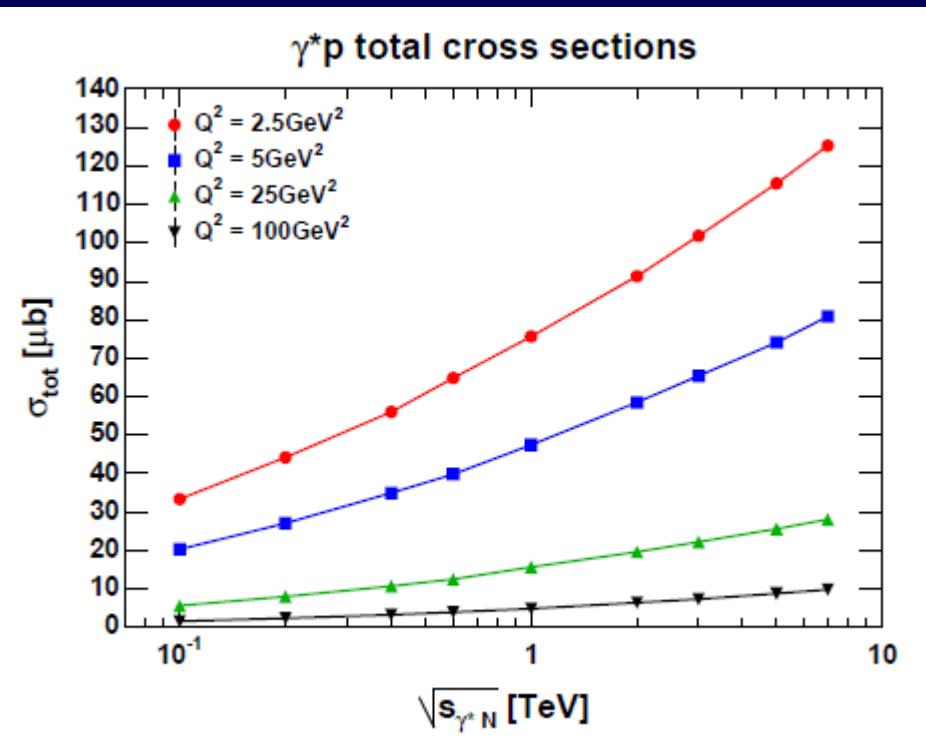
# DIPSY pA/pp ratios



pA total cross section does not scale with A (fluctuations, swing)

DIPSY pA total asymptotically scales with  $A^{2/3}$

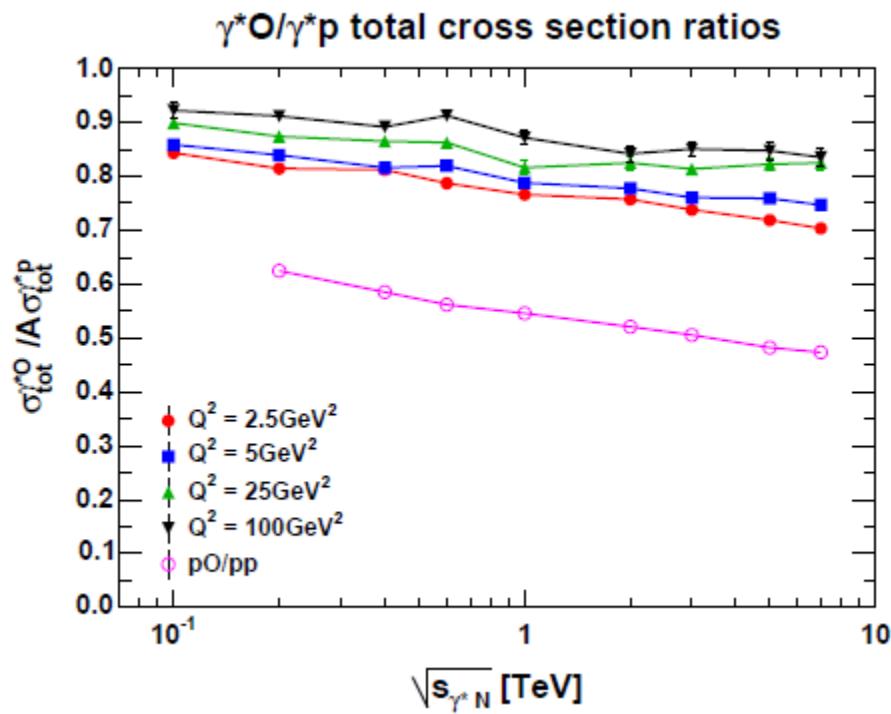
# DIPSY for a future ep and eA collider



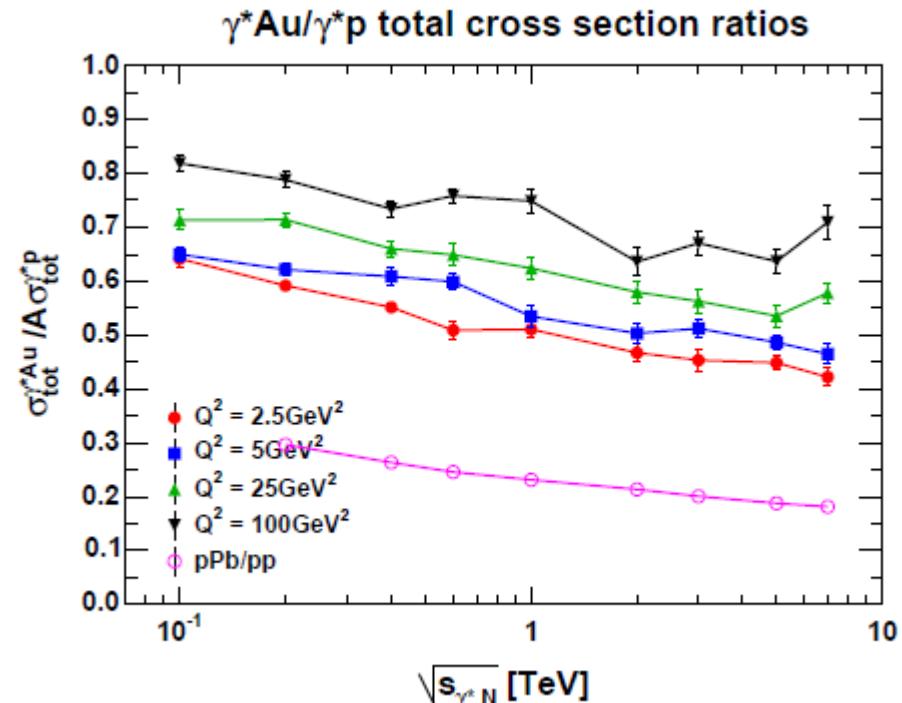
$\gamma^* p$   
DIPSY predictions

$\gamma^* A$   
DIPSY predictions

# DIPSY predictions for eA collisions

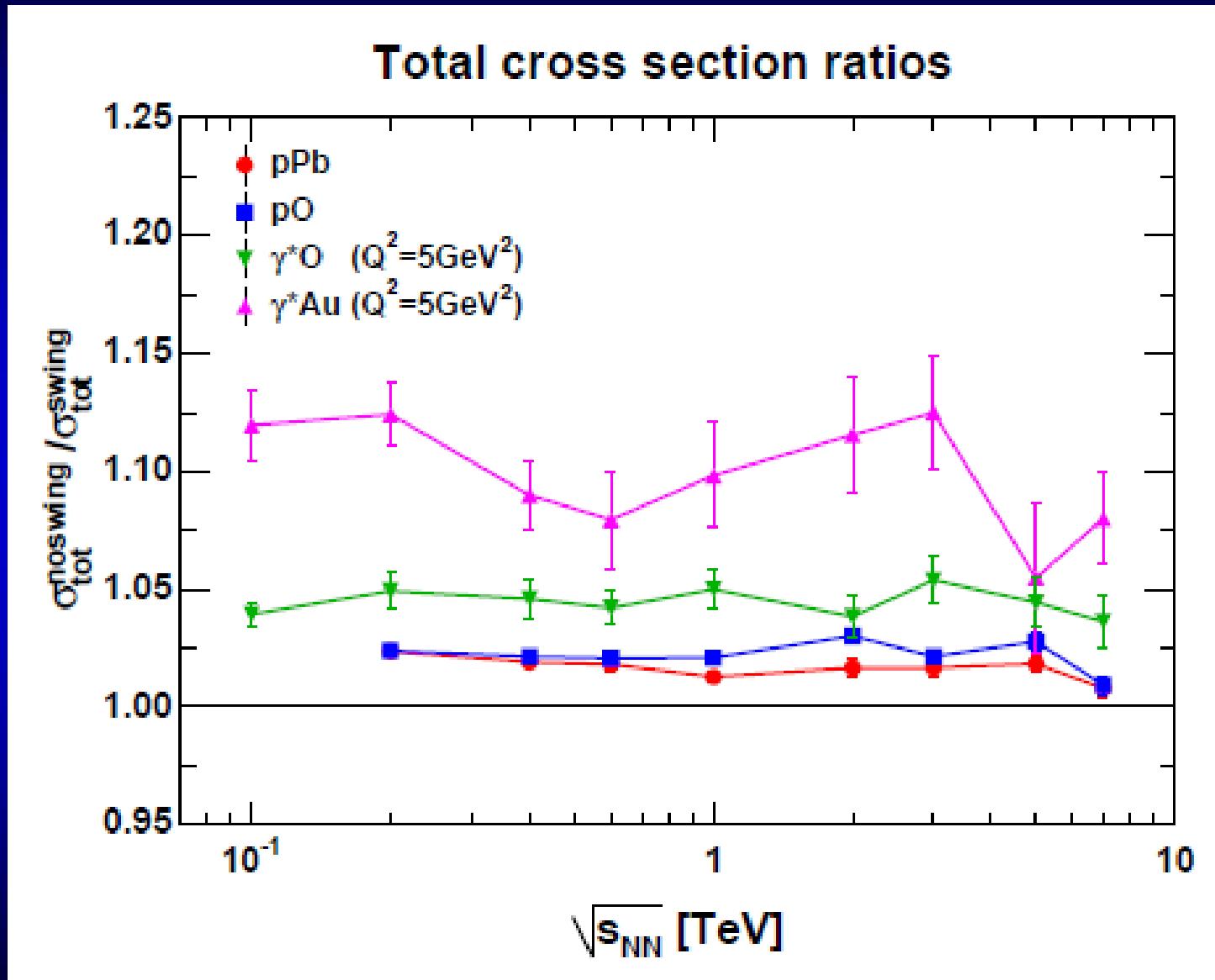


eO sigma(tot)  
approximately  
scales with A  
(fluctuations, swing)

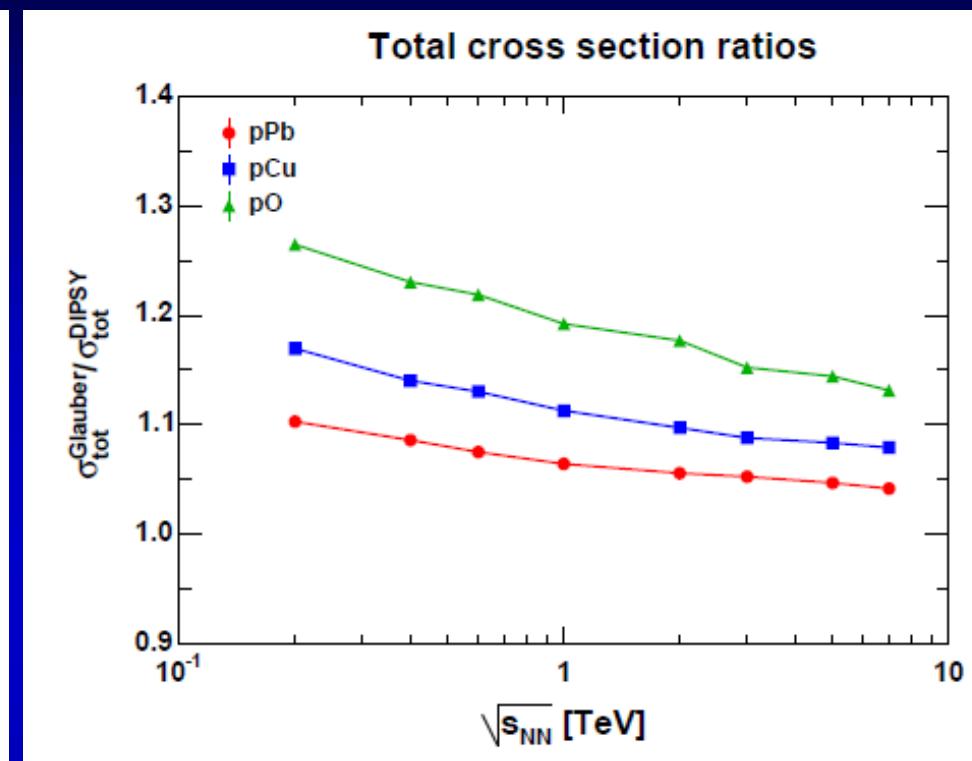
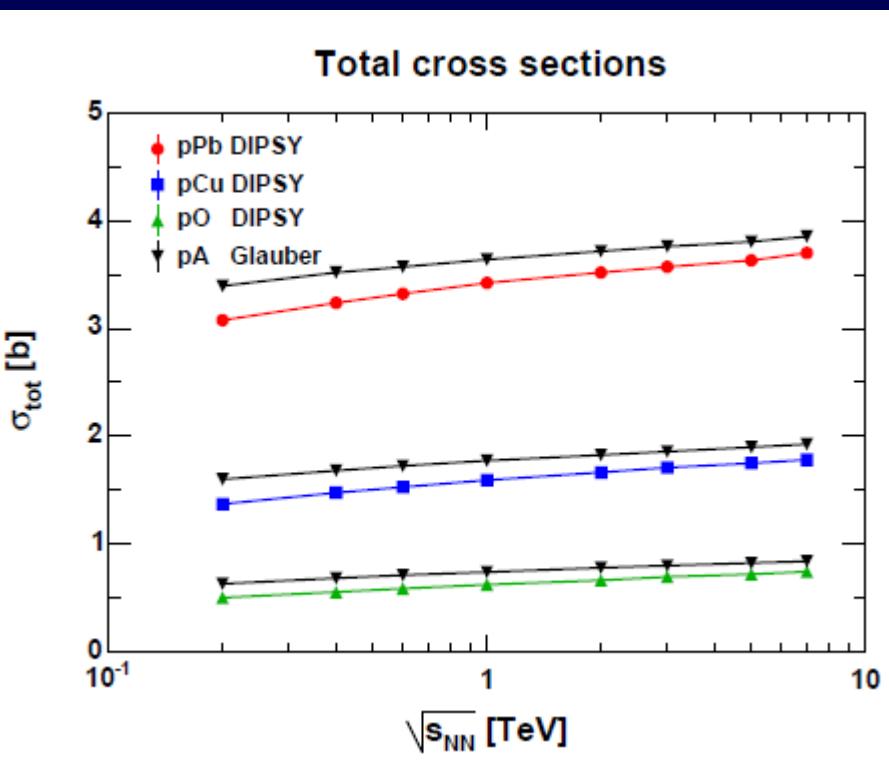


eAu sigma(tot)  
reduced  
as compared to eO:  
fluctuations, swing  
important

# Swing effects in DIPSY

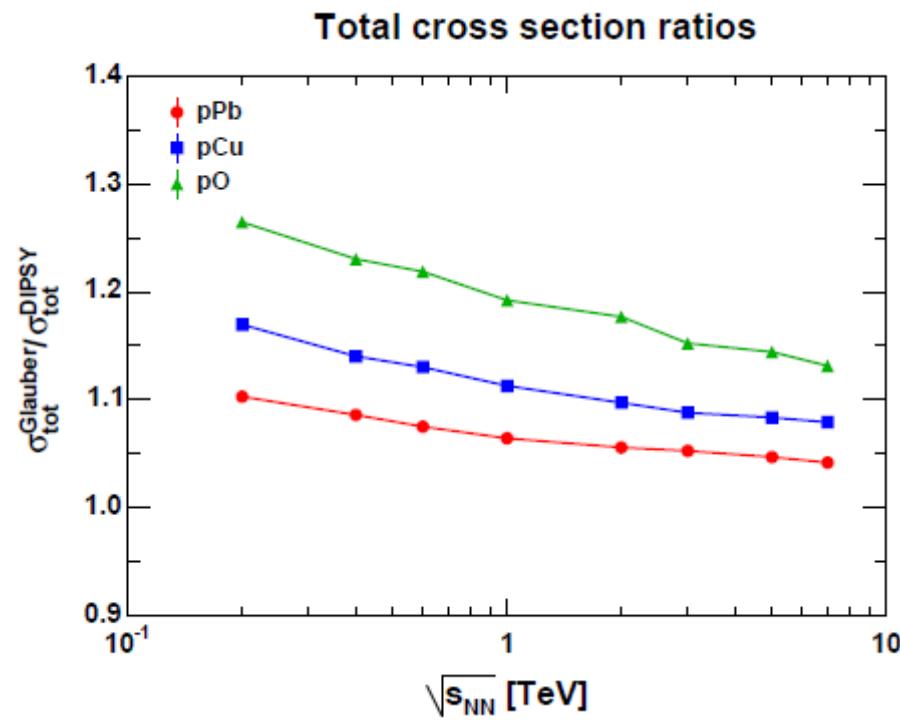


# DIPSY predictions vs Glauber MC

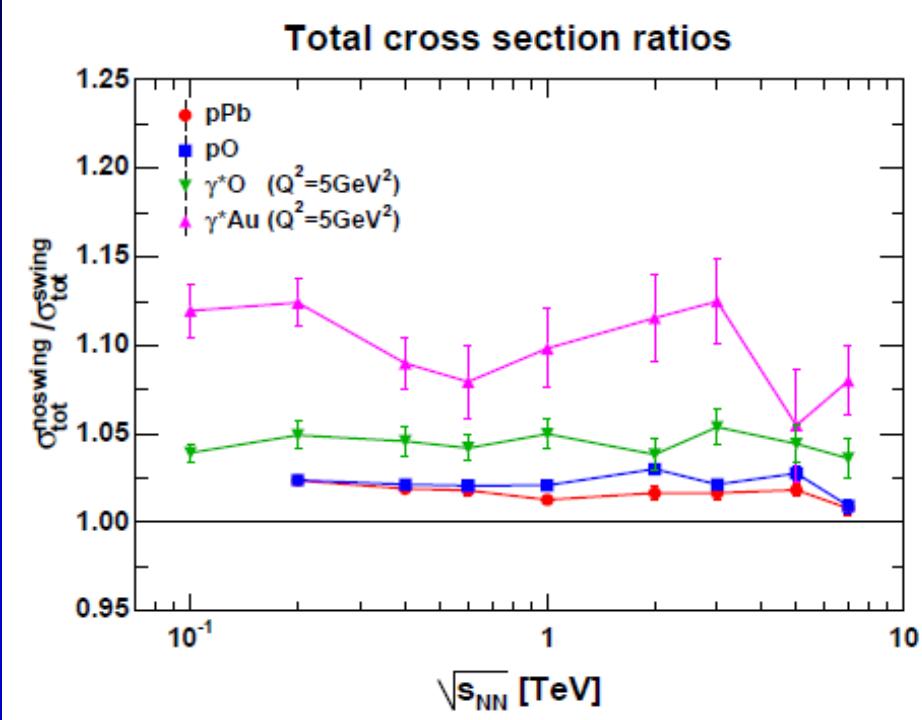


DIPSY with dipole fluctuations and swing effects reduce pA cross sections by cca 5 – 15 %. Effect bigger for smaller A.

# What have we learned?



pA cross sections reduce by 10% due to dipole fluctuations + swing

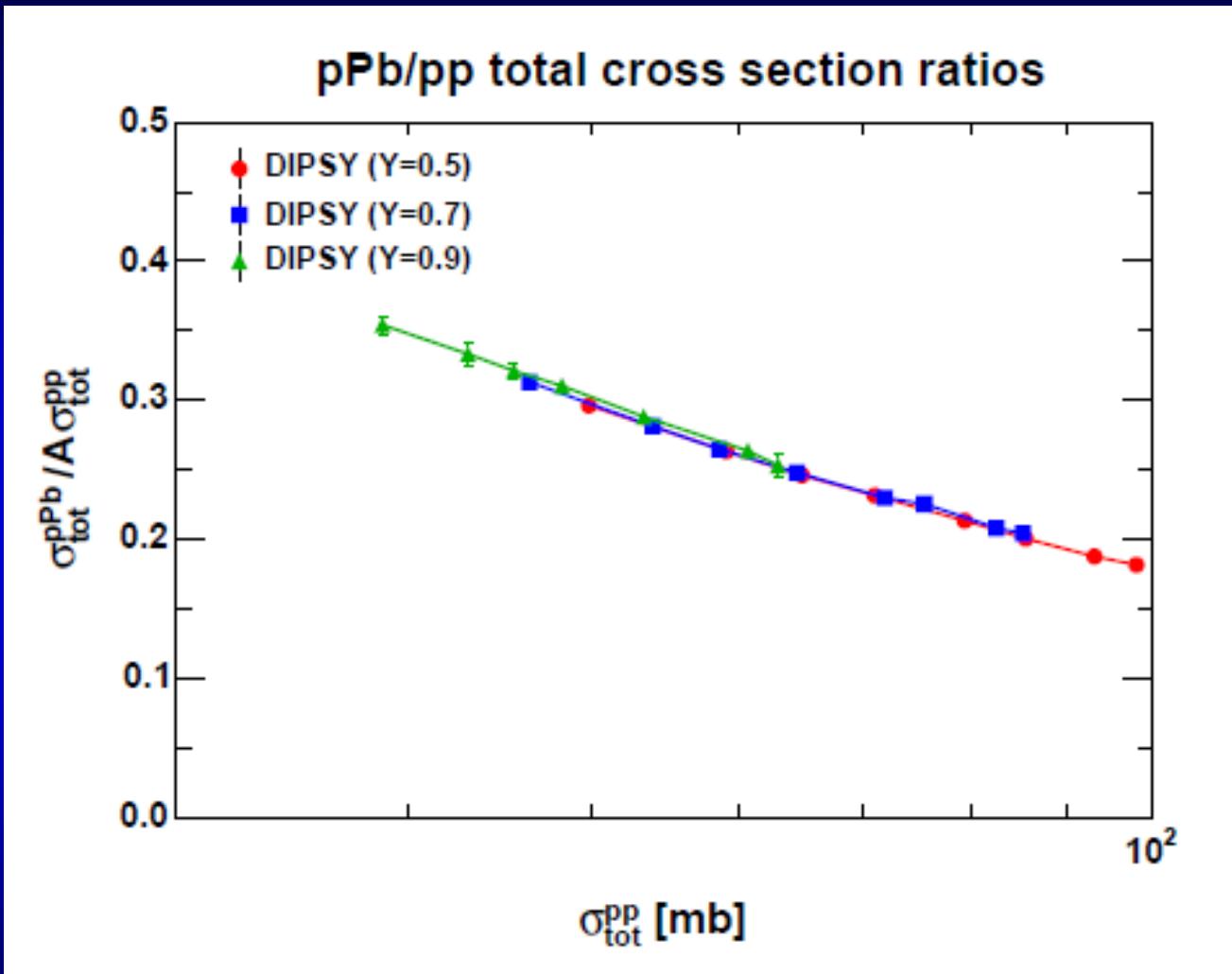


Effect is larger in eA than in pA, decreases with increasing dipole size

DIPSY Monte Carlo is available from Lund for future eA collider simulations

# Backup slides – Questions?

# Frame dependence?



DIPSY pp cross sections need to be tuned in each frame, after this step the cross section ratios are frame independent.