



# KAON MULTIPLICITIES IN SIDIS FROM COMPASS

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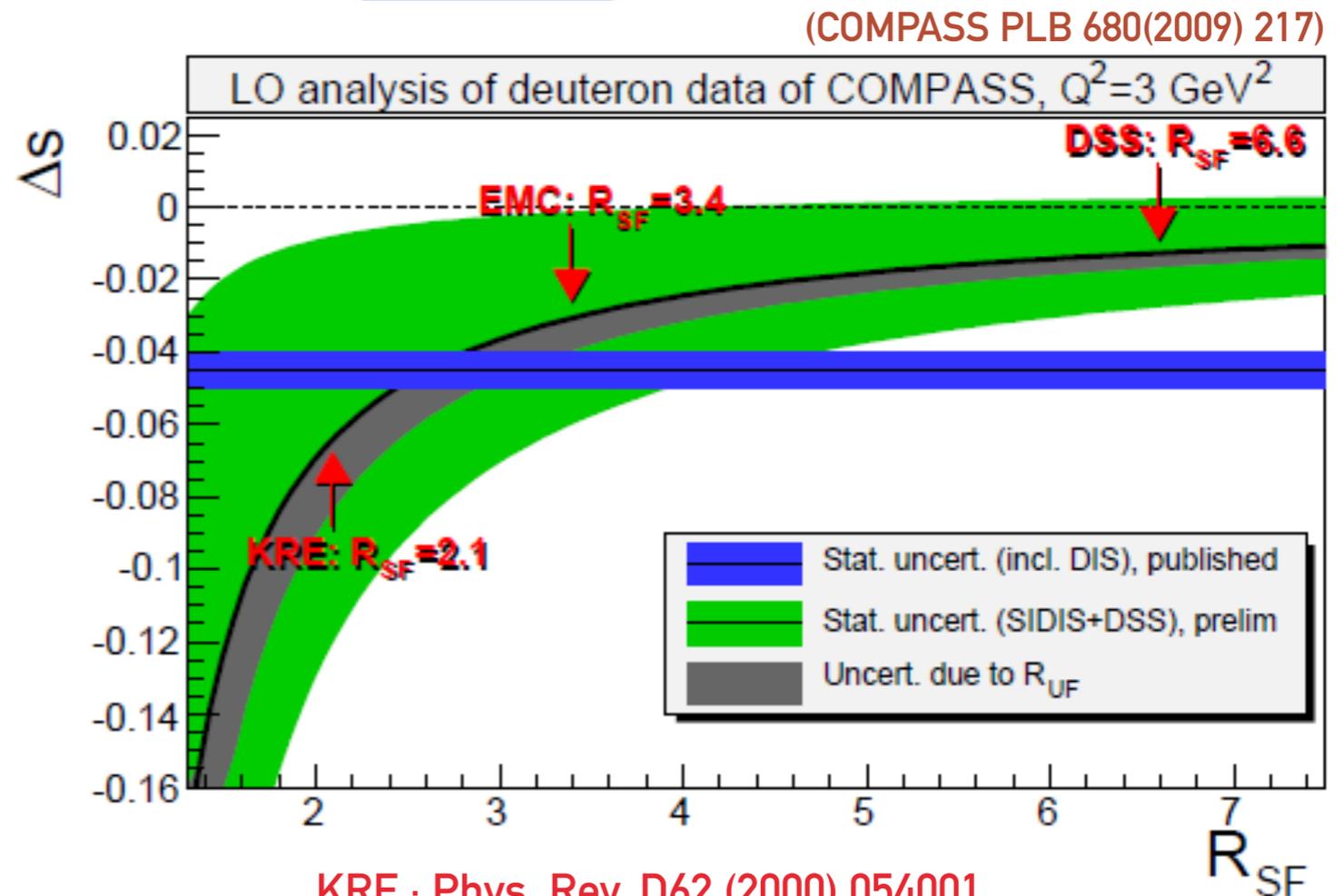
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scattering and related subjects

- ❖  $\Delta S$  from Semi-Inclusive Asymmetries strongly linked to quark fragmentation, especially the strange one, poorly known :

(COMPASS PLB 680 (2009) 217)  $2\Delta S = f(R_{SF}), R_{SF} = \frac{\int D_{\bar{s}}^{K^+}(z)dz}{\int D_u^{K^+}(z)dz}$  FFs

Discrepancy on  $\Delta S$  between inclusive and semi-inclusive.

Goal is to extract better kaon fragmentation function from COMPASS data and determine  $R_{SF}$ .



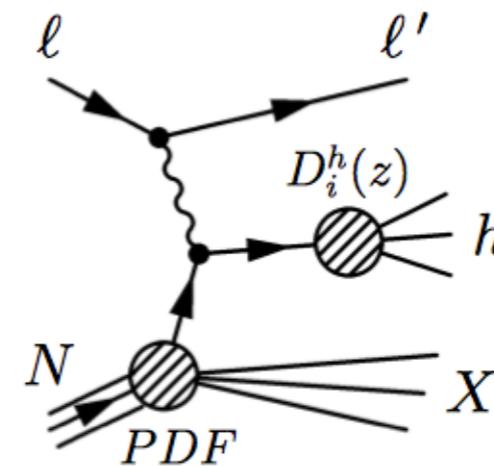
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What is a SIDIS hadron multiplicity measurement ?

One can express the differential cross section for hadron production normalized to the differential inclusive DIS cross section by :

$$\frac{dM^h(x, Q^2, z)}{dz} = \frac{d^3\sigma^h(x, Q^2, z)/dx dQ^2 dz}{d^2\sigma(x, Q^2)/dx dQ^2}$$



$$Q^2 = -q^2 = -(p_l - p_{l'})^2$$

$$x = \frac{Q^2}{2M_N(E_l - E_{l'})}$$

$$y = \frac{E_l - E_{l'}}{E_l}$$

$$z = \frac{E_h}{E_l - E_{l'}}$$

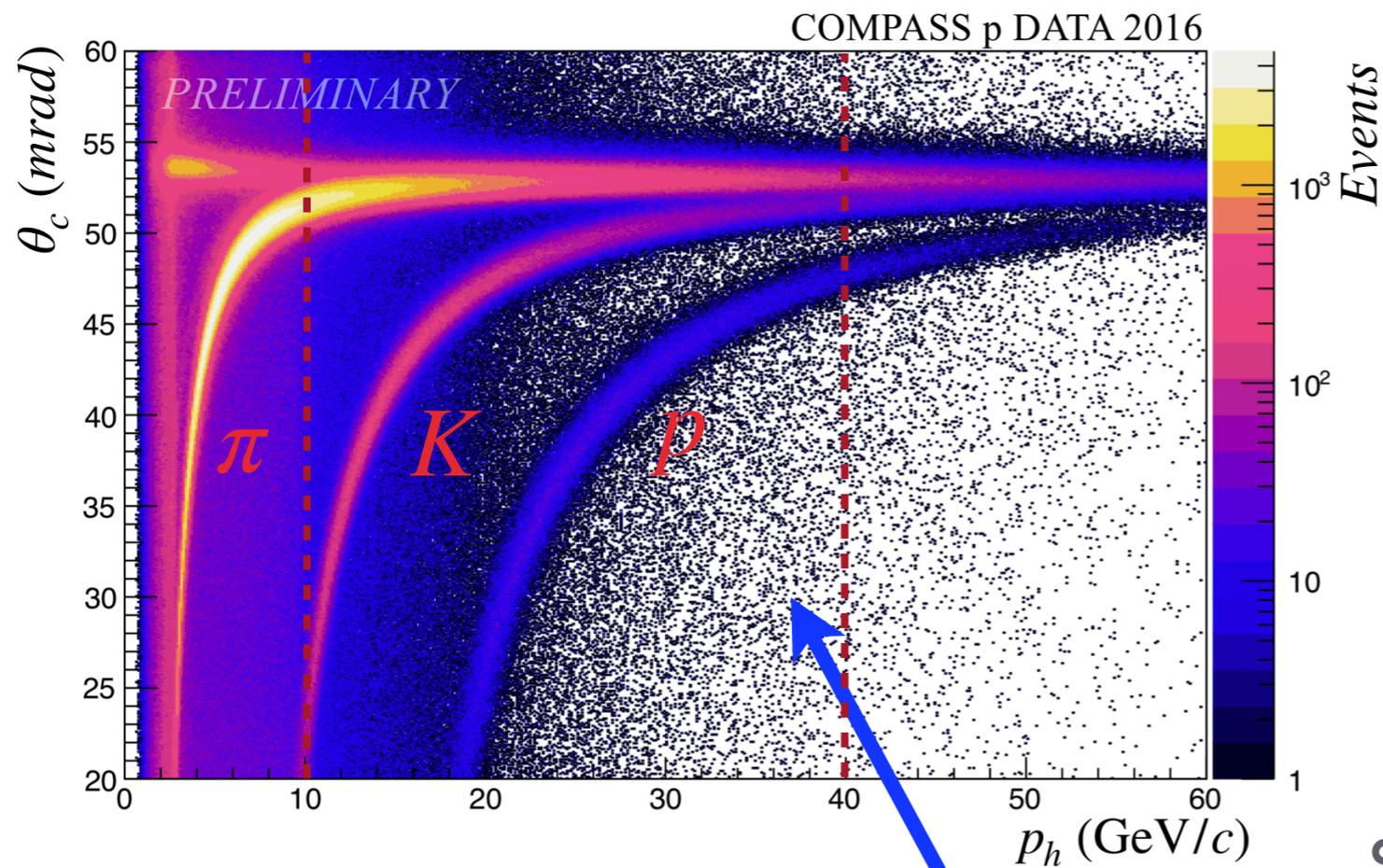
This can also be expressed, in LO pQCD, as a function of Parton Distribution Functions (PDFs) and Fragmentation Functions (FFs) :

$$\frac{dM^h(x, Q^2, z)}{dz} = \frac{\sum_q e_q^2 q(x, Q^2) D_q^h(z, Q^2)}{\sum_q e_q^2 q(x, Q^2)}$$

quark to hadron FFs

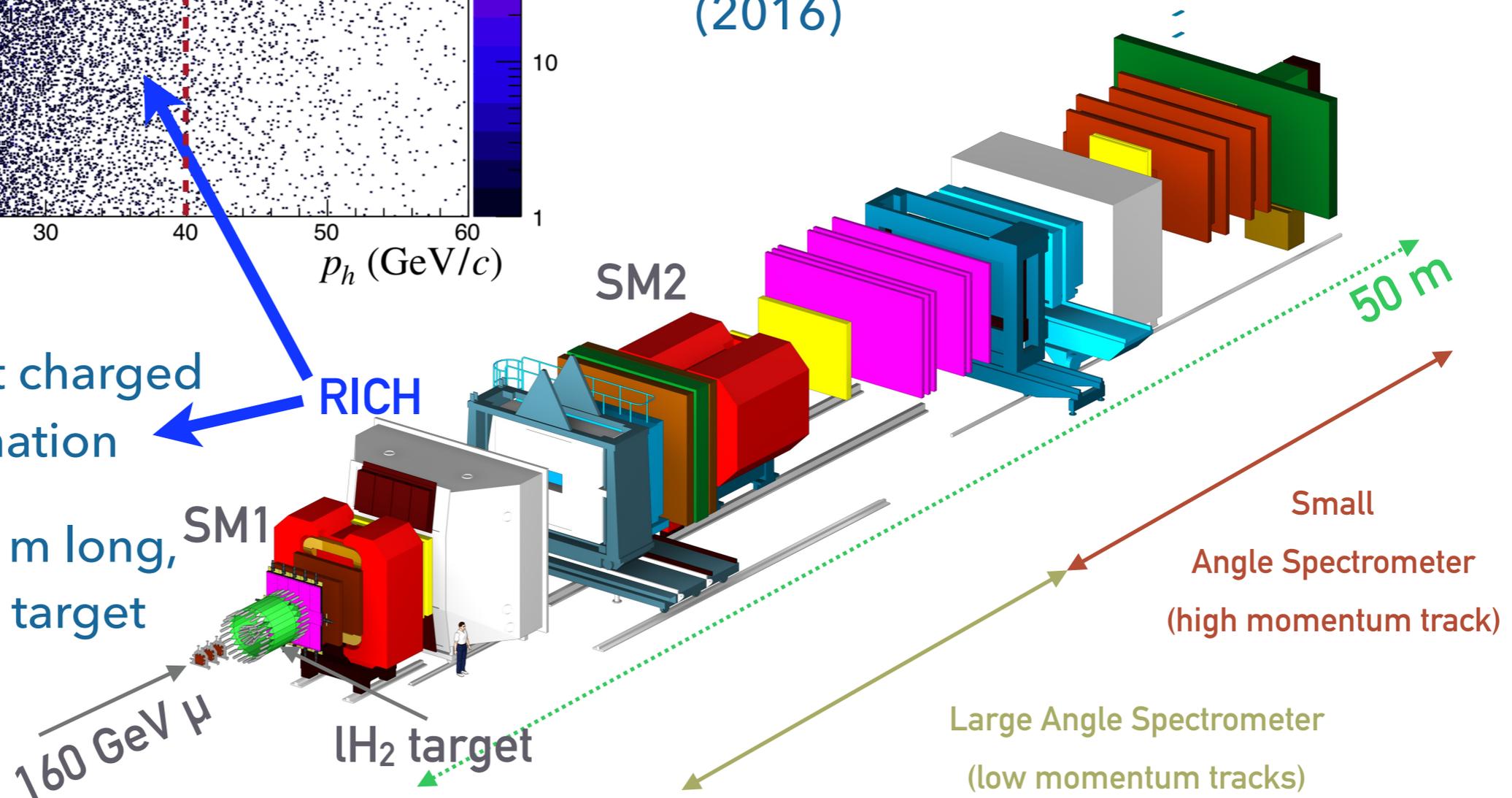
quark PDFs



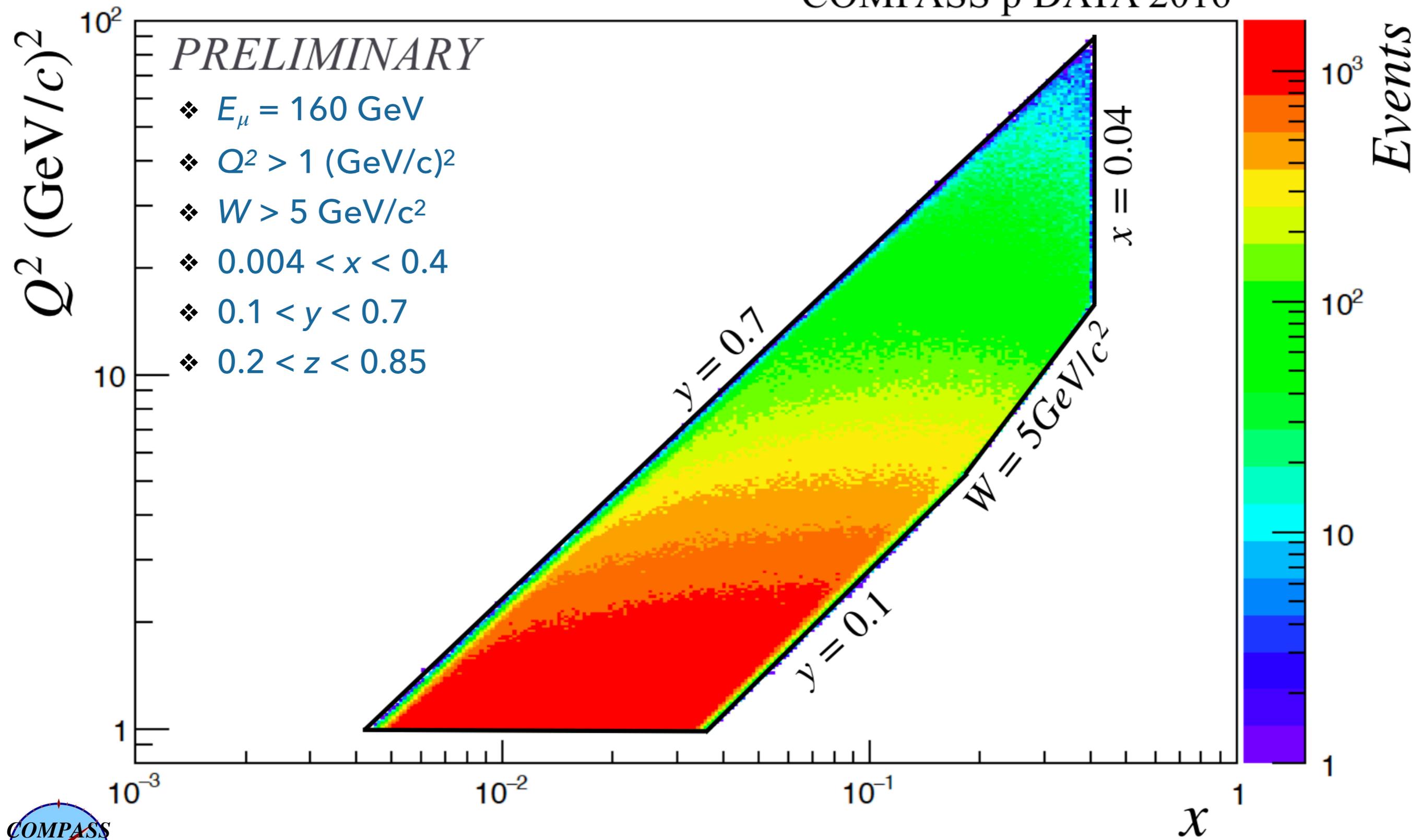


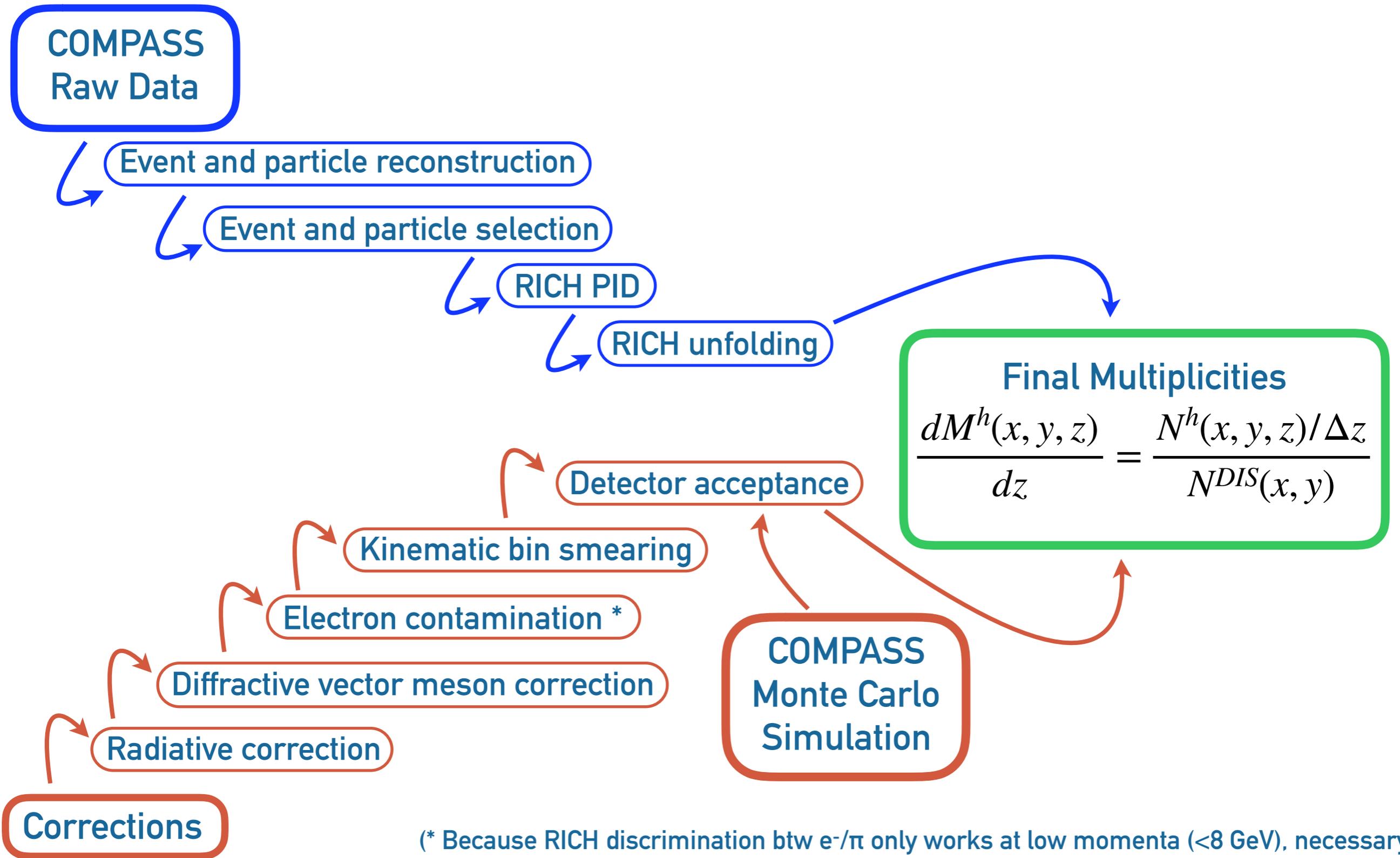
- ❖ Fixed target experiment at CERN SPS
- ❖ Operates with muon or hadron beams
- ❖ This analysis : 160 GeV  $\mu^+/\mu^-$  beam (2016)

- ❖ RICH : excellent charged  $\pi, K, p$  discrimination
- ❖ This analysis : 2 m long,  $\text{LH}_2$  pure proton target (2016)



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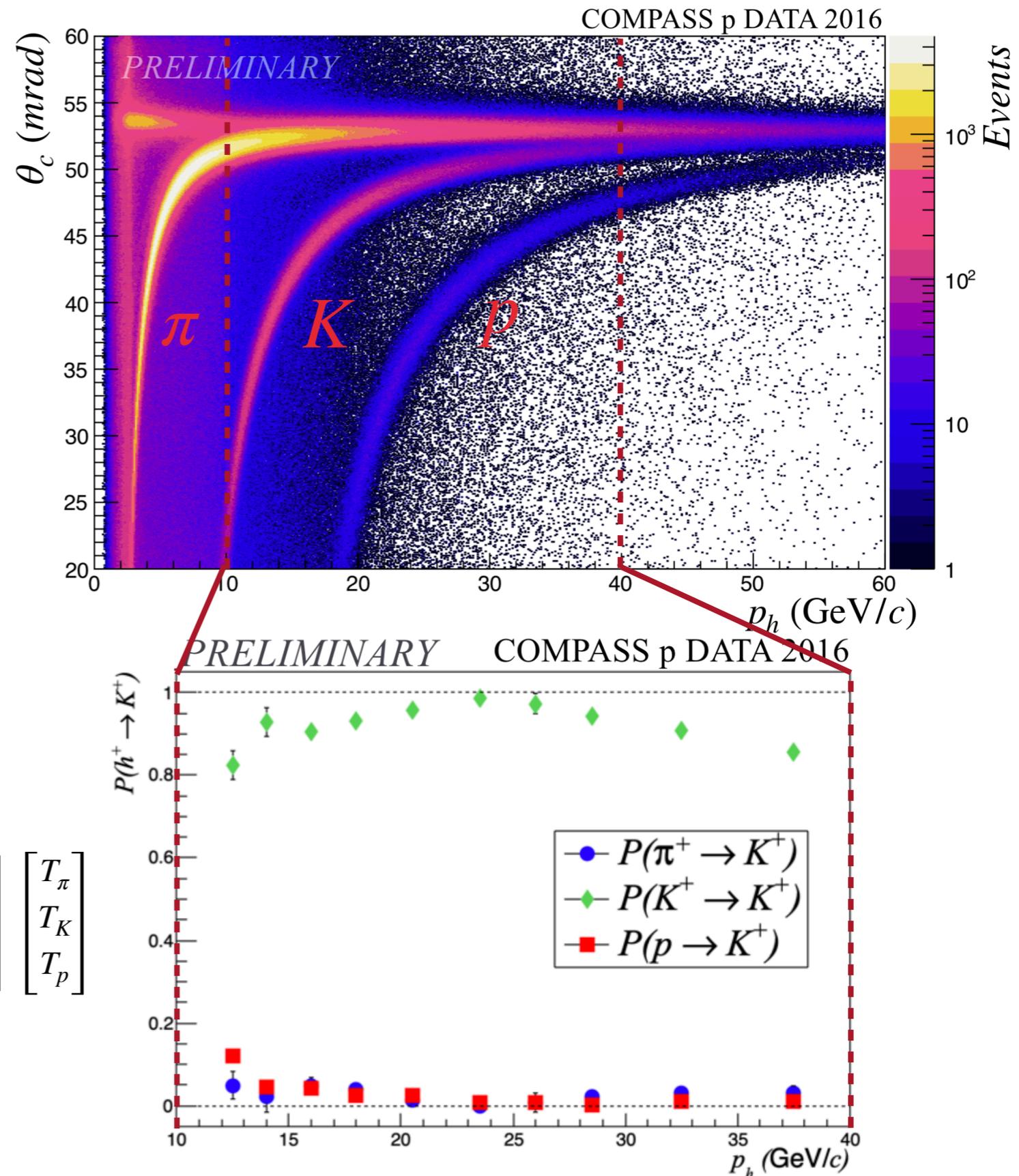


(\* Because RICH discrimination btw e-/π only works at low momenta (<8 GeV), necessary for pion/unidentified hadron multiplicities)



- ❖ Particle identification uses likelihoods based on the number and distribution of detected photons in RICH associated to a charged particle
- ❖ Purity of the charged hadron sample depends on the probabilities  $P$  of correct identification and misidentification
- ❖ The charged hadron yield is corrected using these probabilities by unfolding :

$$\begin{bmatrix} I_\pi \\ I_K \\ I_p \end{bmatrix} = M^\pm \begin{bmatrix} T_\pi \\ T_K \\ T_p \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} P(\pi \rightarrow \pi) & P(\pi \rightarrow K) & P(\pi \rightarrow p) \\ P(K \rightarrow \pi) & P(K \rightarrow K) & P(K \rightarrow p) \\ P(p \rightarrow \pi) & P(p \rightarrow K) & P(p \rightarrow p) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} T_\pi \\ T_K \\ T_p \end{bmatrix}$$



Correction for the limited geometrical acceptance, reconstruction and detector inefficiencies as well as resolutions.

Reconstructed multiplicities

Kinematic bin determined using reconstructed values

$$A(x, y, z) = \frac{M_{rec}^h}{M_{gen}^h} = \frac{N_{rec}^h(x_{rec}, y_{rec}, z_{rec}) / N_{rec}^{DIS}(x_{rec}, y_{rec})}{N_{gen}^h(x_{gen}, y_{gen}, z_{gen}) / N_{gen}^{DIS}(x_{gen}, y_{gen})}$$

Generated multiplicities

Kinematic bin determined using generated values

### MC technical features :

- ❖ Events are generated with the DJANGO generator (LEPTO + radiative events, SOPHIA for low energy hadronic final state, LUND MODEL, ARIADNE for parton cascade, <http://wwwthep.physik.uni-mainz.de/~hspiesb/djangoh/djangoh.html>).
- ❖ JETSET package for parton hadronization with COMPASS high- $p_T$  tuning.
- ❖ Spectrometer simulated using TGEANT based on GEANT4.

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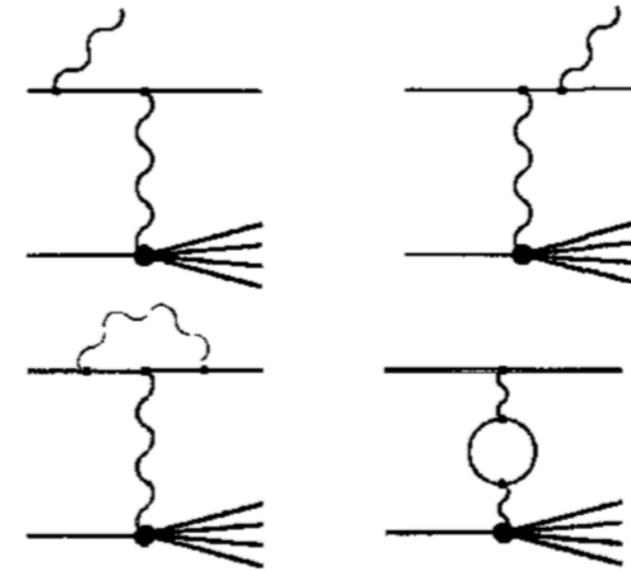


New way of computing radiative corrections including z dependence.

Use of the DJANGO generator to compute (x,y,z) radiative corrections (H. Spiesberger, N. Pierre)

Radiative processes considered :

- ❖ Initial and final state radiation
- ❖ Vertex correction
- ❖ Vacuum polarisation

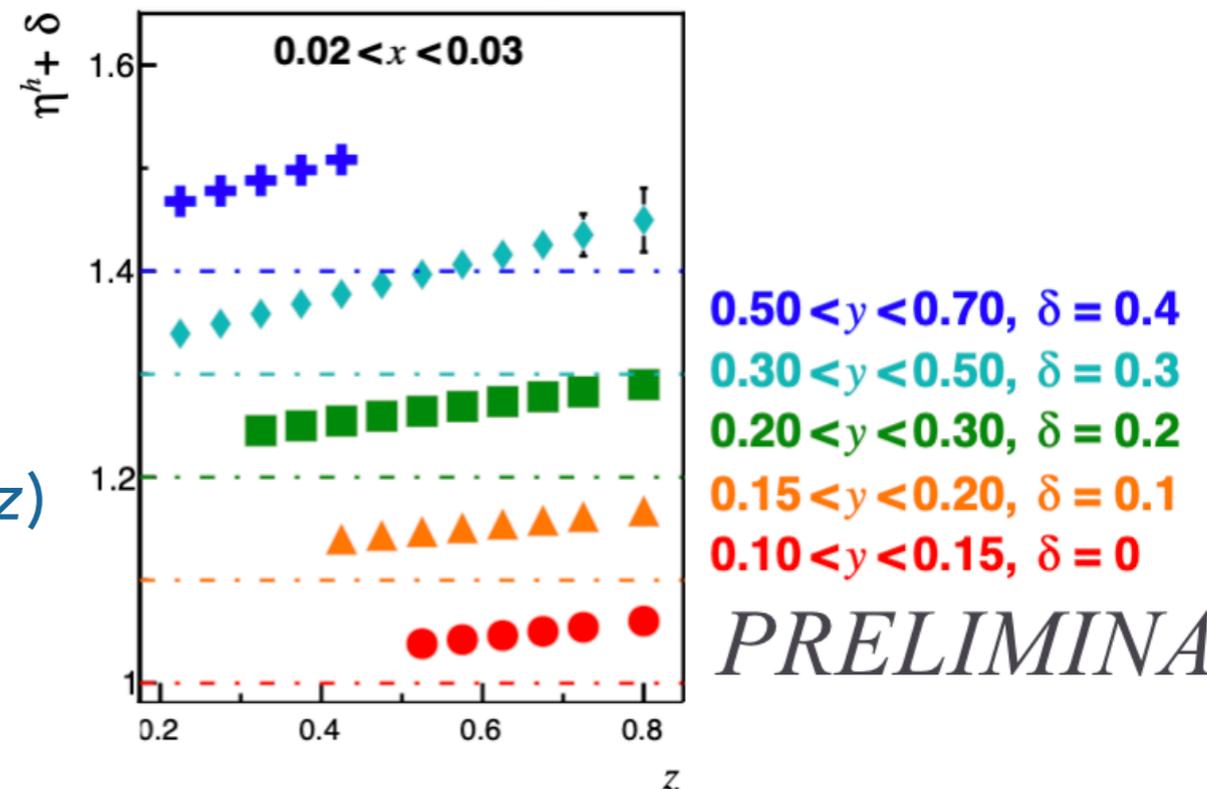


Correction factors are applied directly to multiplicities :

$$\eta^h(x, y, z) = \frac{N_{BORN}^h(x, y, z) / N_{BORN+Corrections}^h(x, y, z)}{N_{BORN}^{DIS}(x, y) / N_{BORN+Corrections}^{DIS}(x, y)}$$

Corrections going from 0% (low y and low z) to 20% (high y and high z).

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Presence of hadrons from diffractive vector mesons in the data  $\Rightarrow$  No parton hadronization.

Correction factor to the pion and kaon yield is determined using DJANGO (SIDIS) and HEPGEN++ (Diffractive processes) Monte-Carlo, with each sample normalized using their respective luminosities.

Correction for the number of kaons and the number of DIS events are :

$$f_{\Phi}^K(x, y, z) = \frac{N_{\Phi, \text{HEPGEN++}}^K(x, y, z)}{N_{\Phi, \text{HEPGEN++}}^K(x, y, z) + N_{\text{DJANGO}}^K(x, y, z)}$$

$$f_{\Phi}^{\text{DIS}}(x, y, z) = \frac{N_{\Phi, \text{HEPGEN++}}^{\text{DIS}}(x, y, z)}{N_{\text{DJANGO}}^{\text{DIS}}(x, y, z) + N_{\rho^0, \text{HEPGEN++}}^{\text{DIS}}(x, y, z) + N_{\Phi, \text{HEPGEN++}}^{\text{DIS}}(x, y, z)}$$

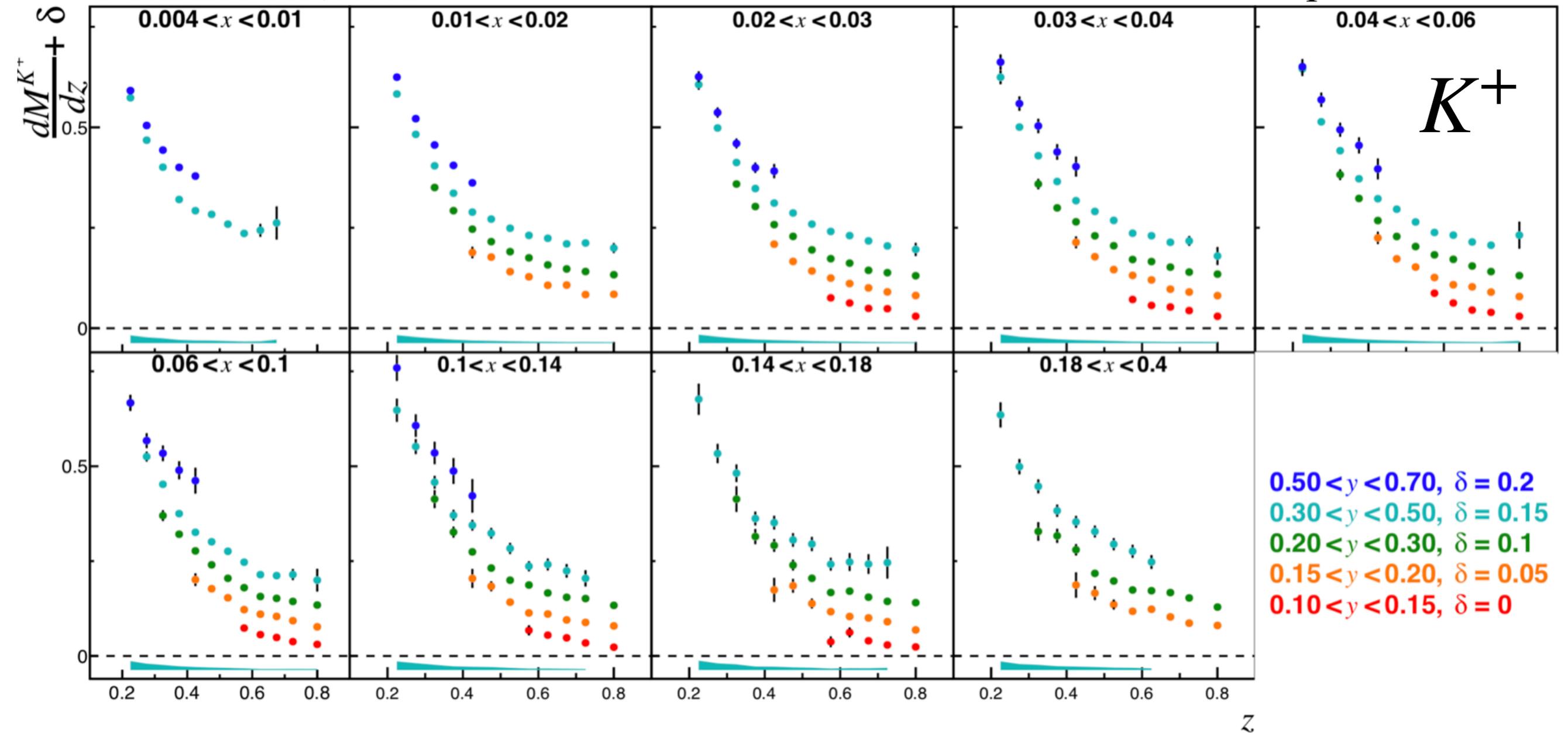
$$C_{\text{DVM}}^K(x, y, z) = \frac{1 - f_{\Phi}^K(x, y, z)}{1 - f_{\Phi}^{\text{DIS}}(x, y, z)}$$

The corrections are  $< 10\%$  in most bins except low  $x$ , mid  $z$  where it can reach  $\sim 20\%$ .



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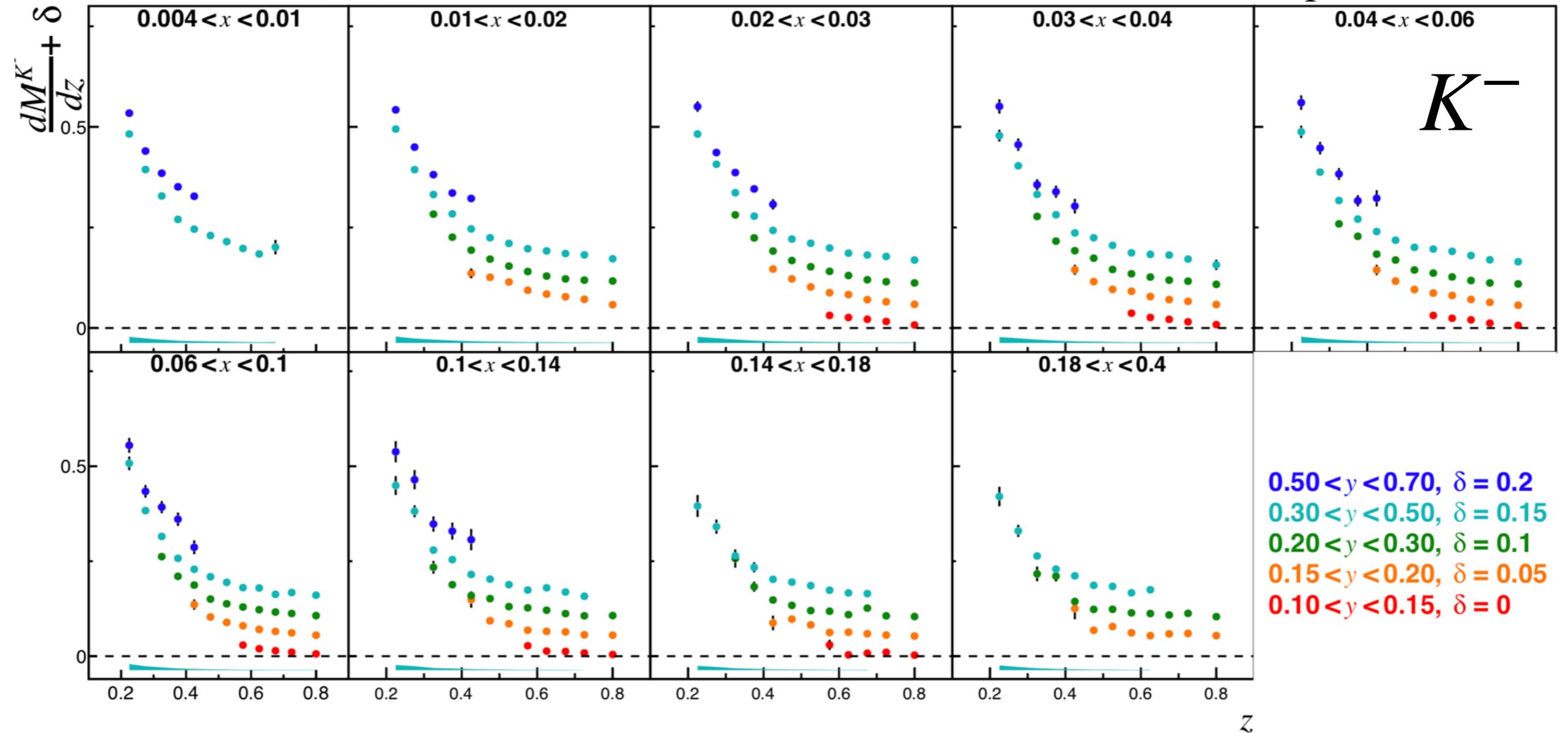
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$x, y, z$  3D-binning  
 300 kinematic bins  
 Strong  $z$ -dependence



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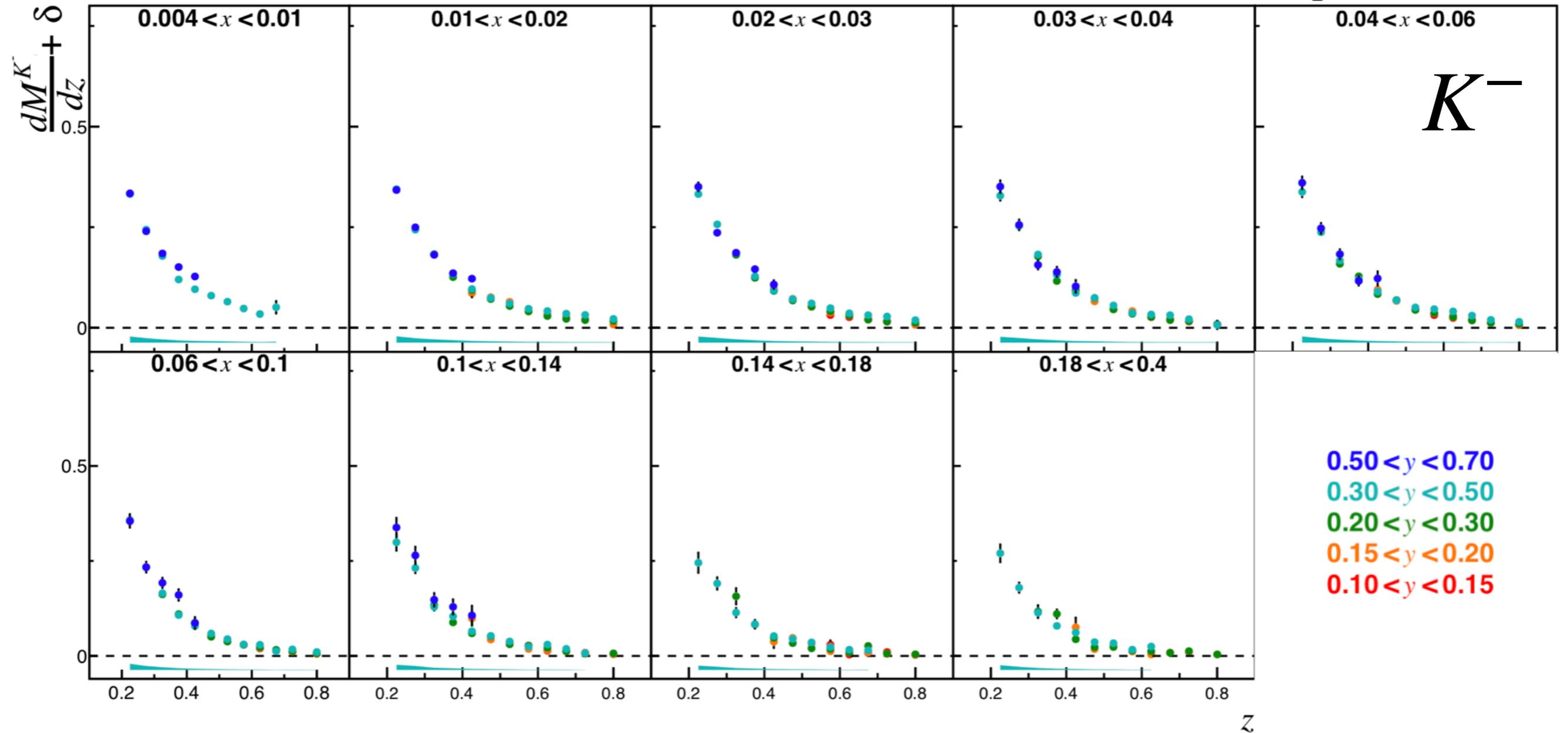
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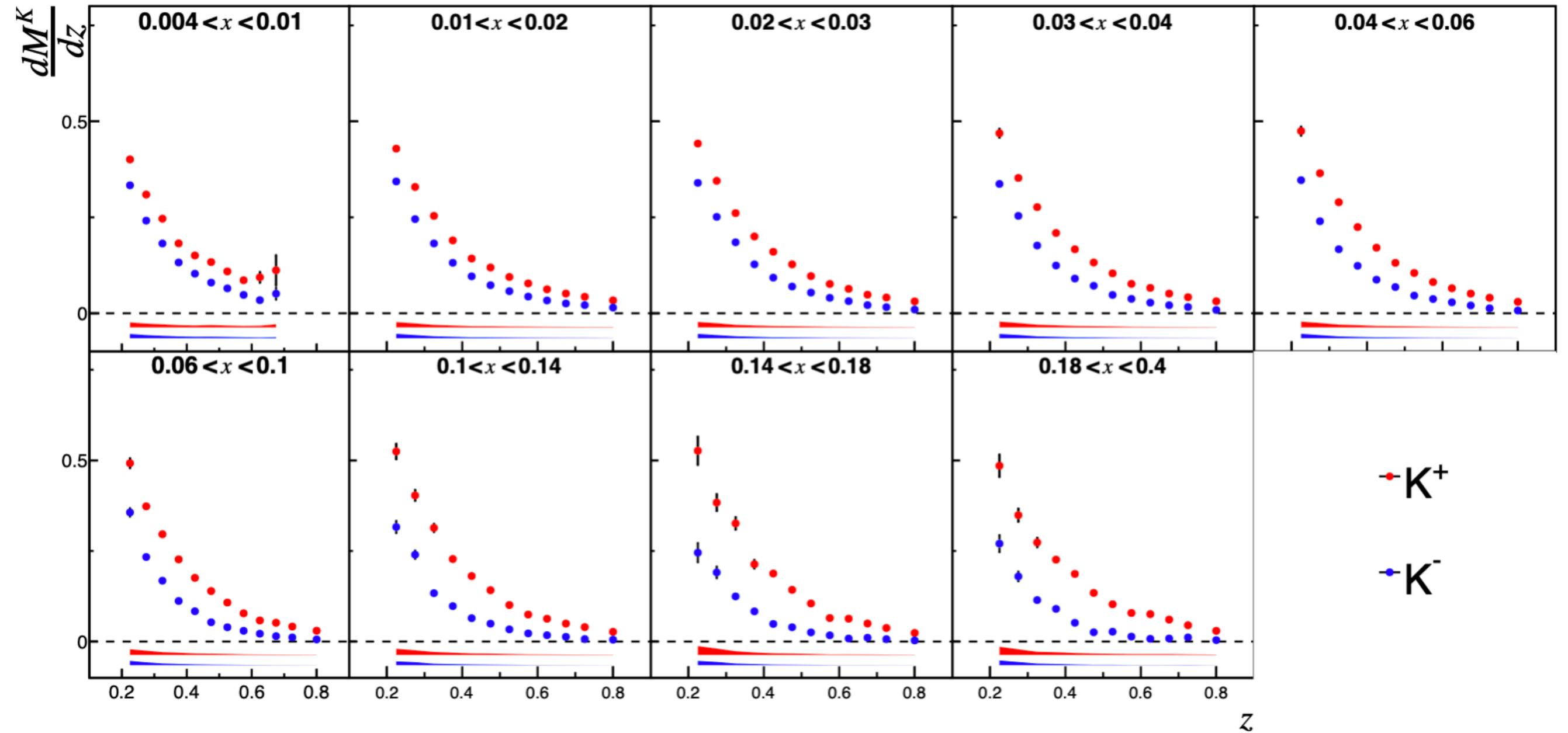
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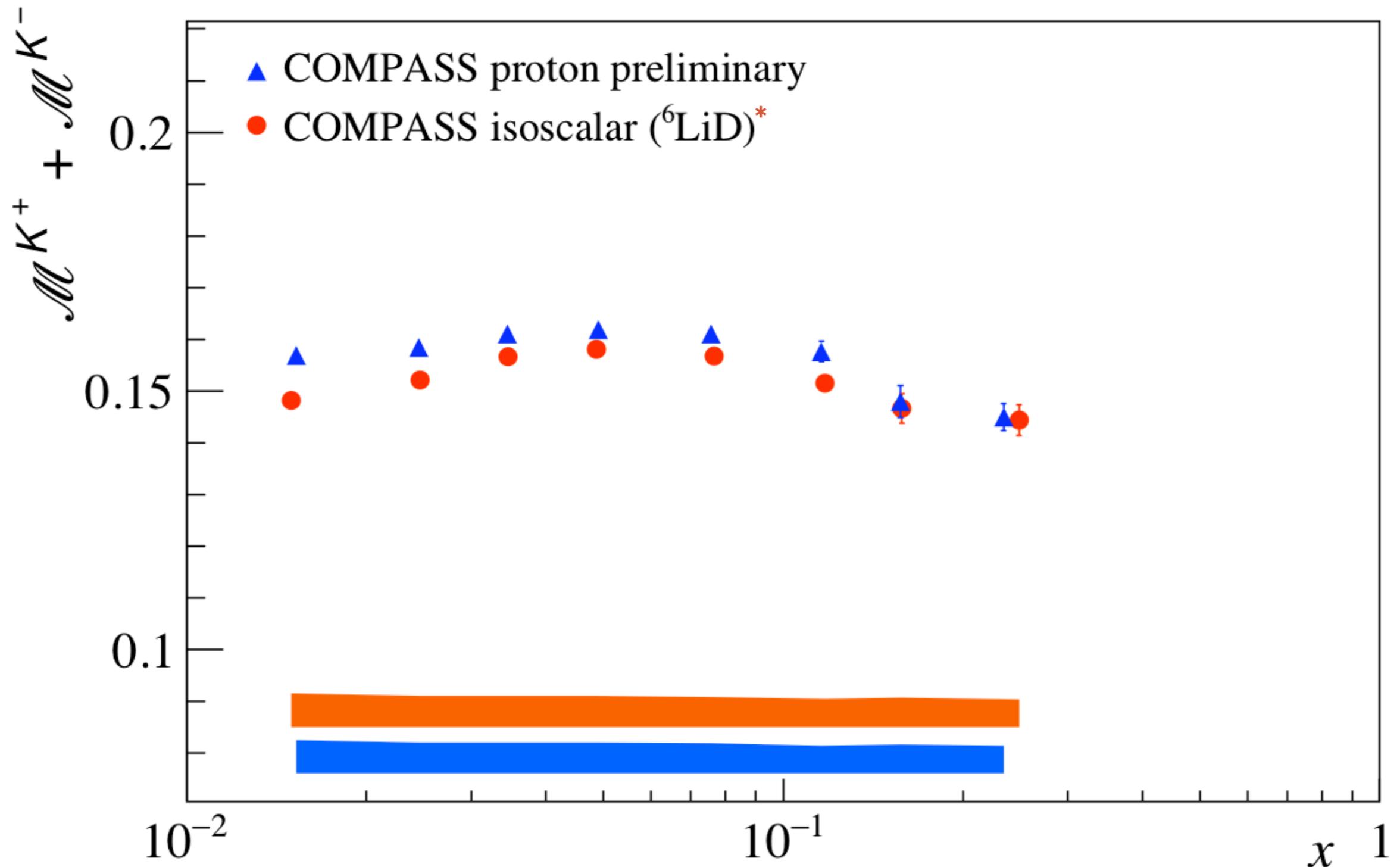
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$$\left\langle \frac{dM^K(x, y, z)}{dz} \right\rangle_y = \left\langle \frac{N^h(x, y, z) / \Delta z}{N^{DIS}(x, y)} \right\rangle_y$$

$x, z$  binning ( $y$ -averaged)  
 212 kinematic bins  
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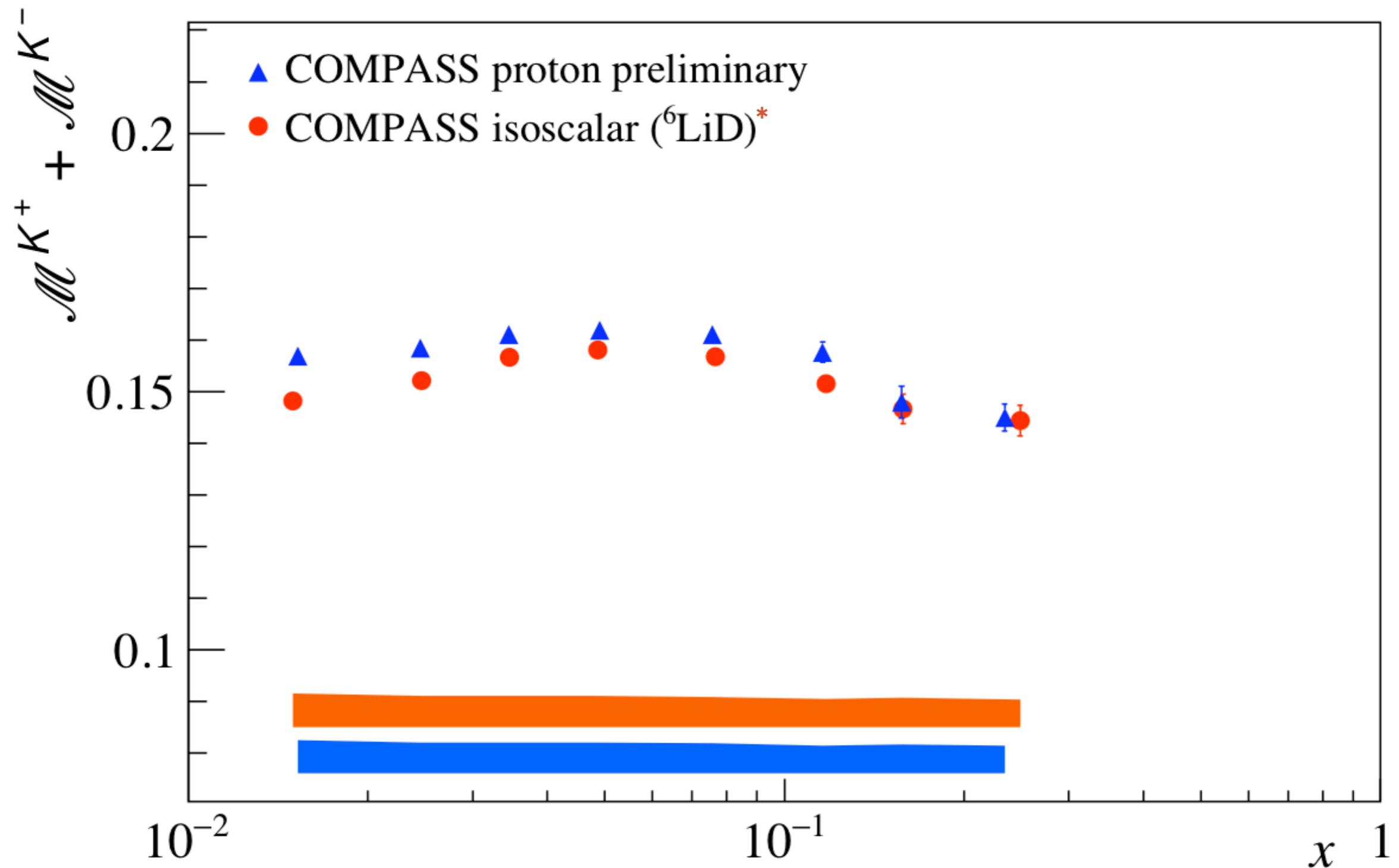




$$M^{K^+} + M^{K^-} = \int_{0.2}^{0.85} \left\langle \frac{dM^{K^+}(x, y, z)}{dz} \right\rangle_y dz + \int_{0.2}^{0.85} \left\langle \frac{dM^{K^-}(x, y, z)}{dz} \right\rangle_y dz$$

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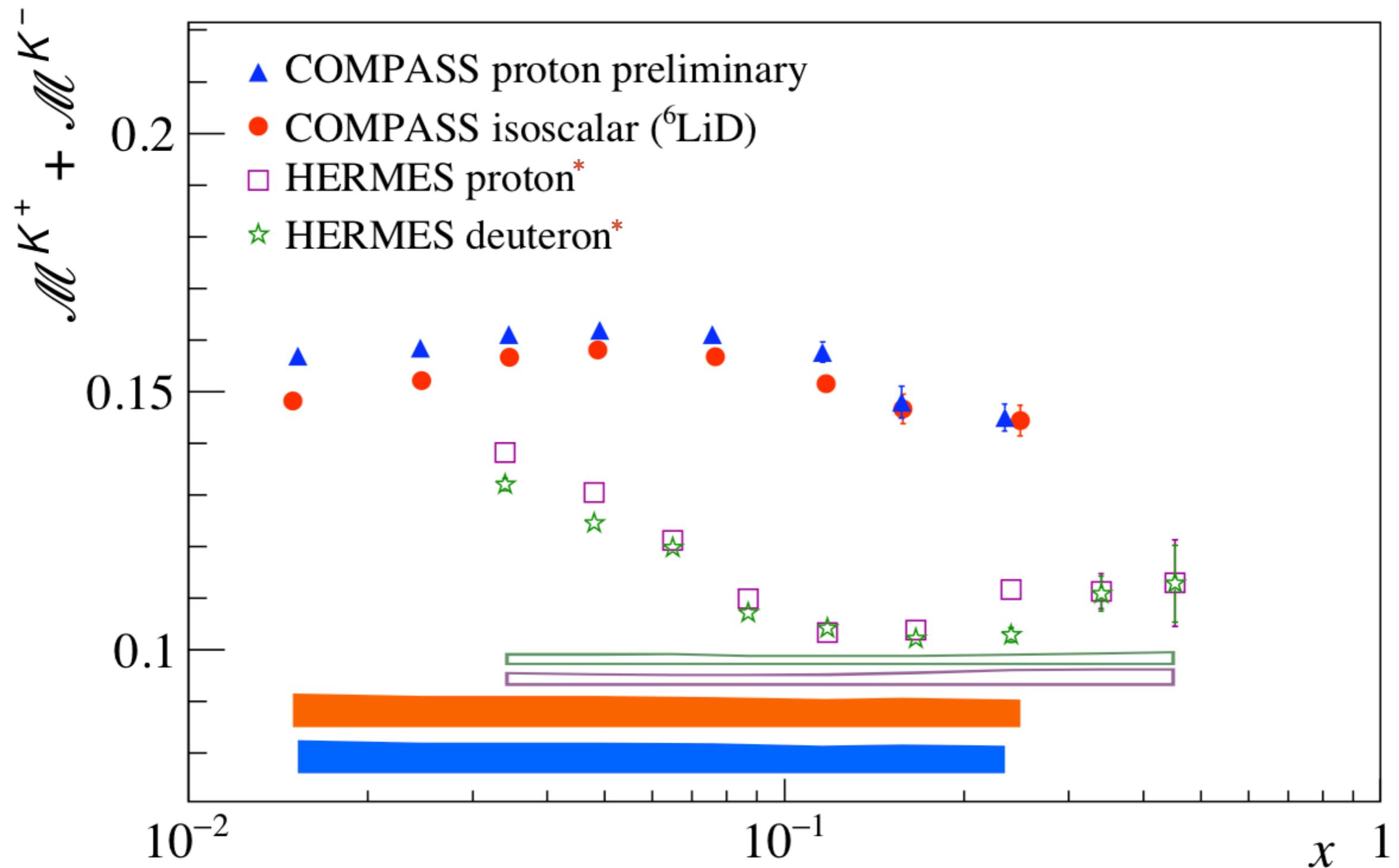




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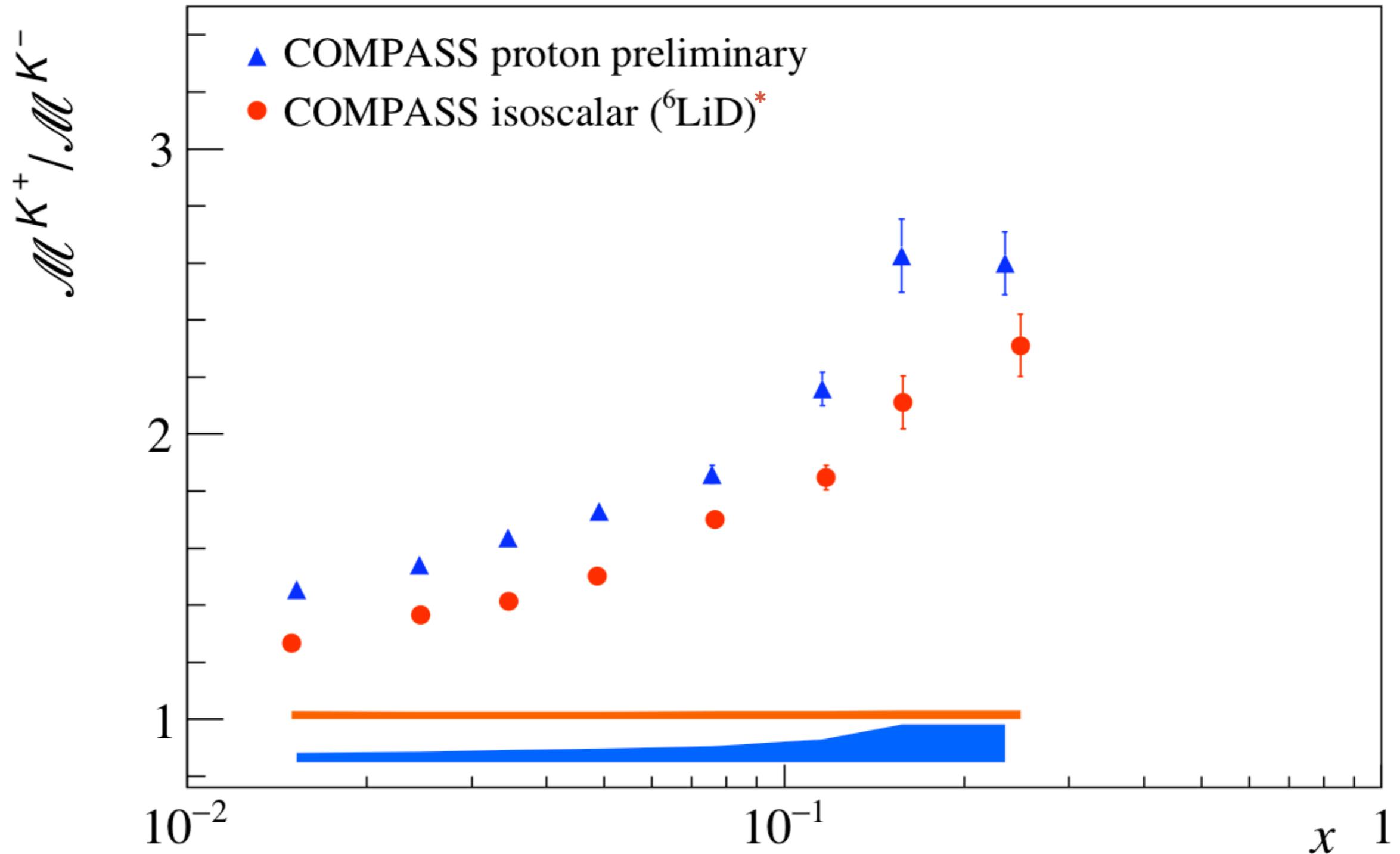




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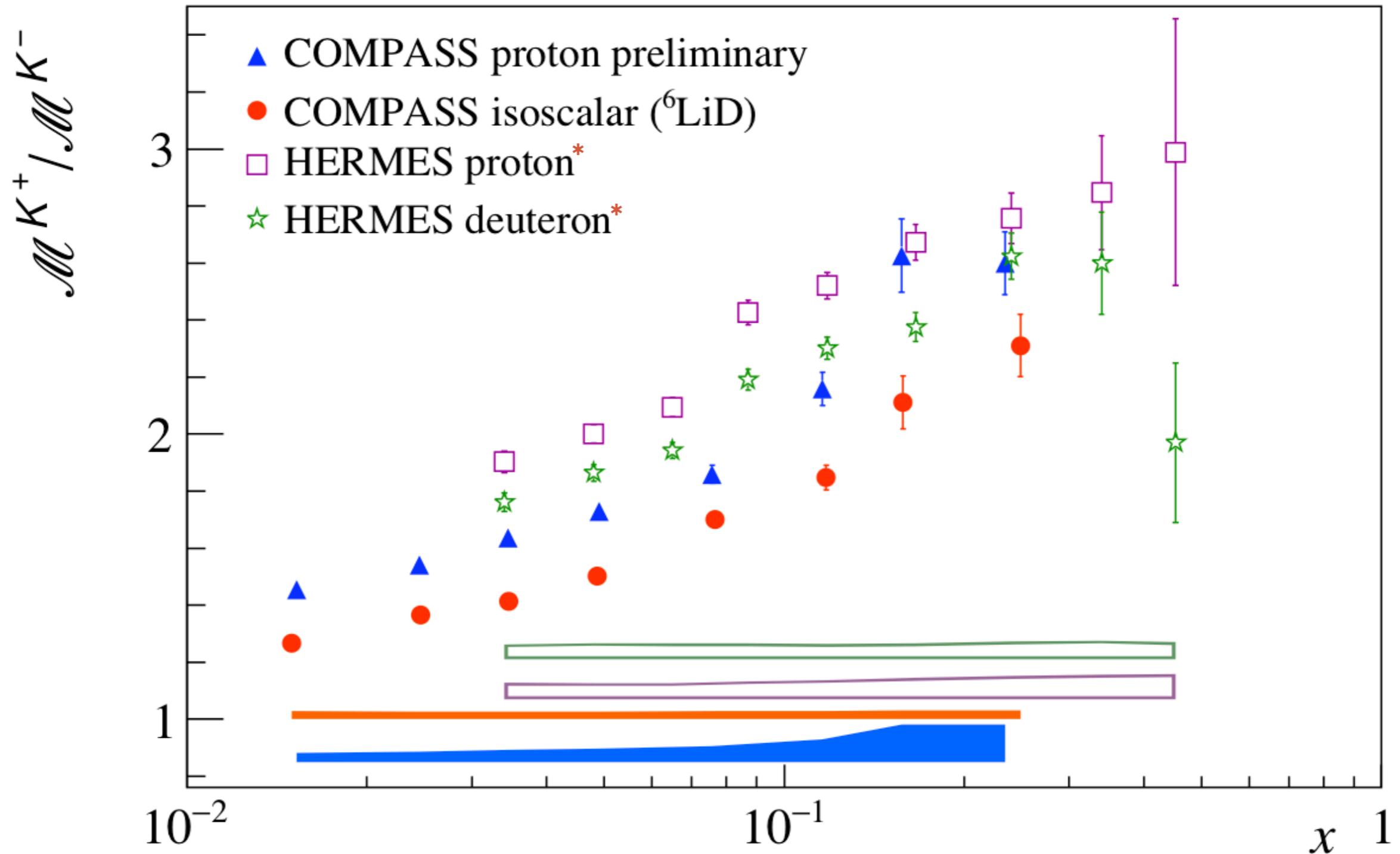




Results of kaon ratio for proton target expected to be 10% above our results for isoscalar target from LO estimations (different PDF combinations involved).

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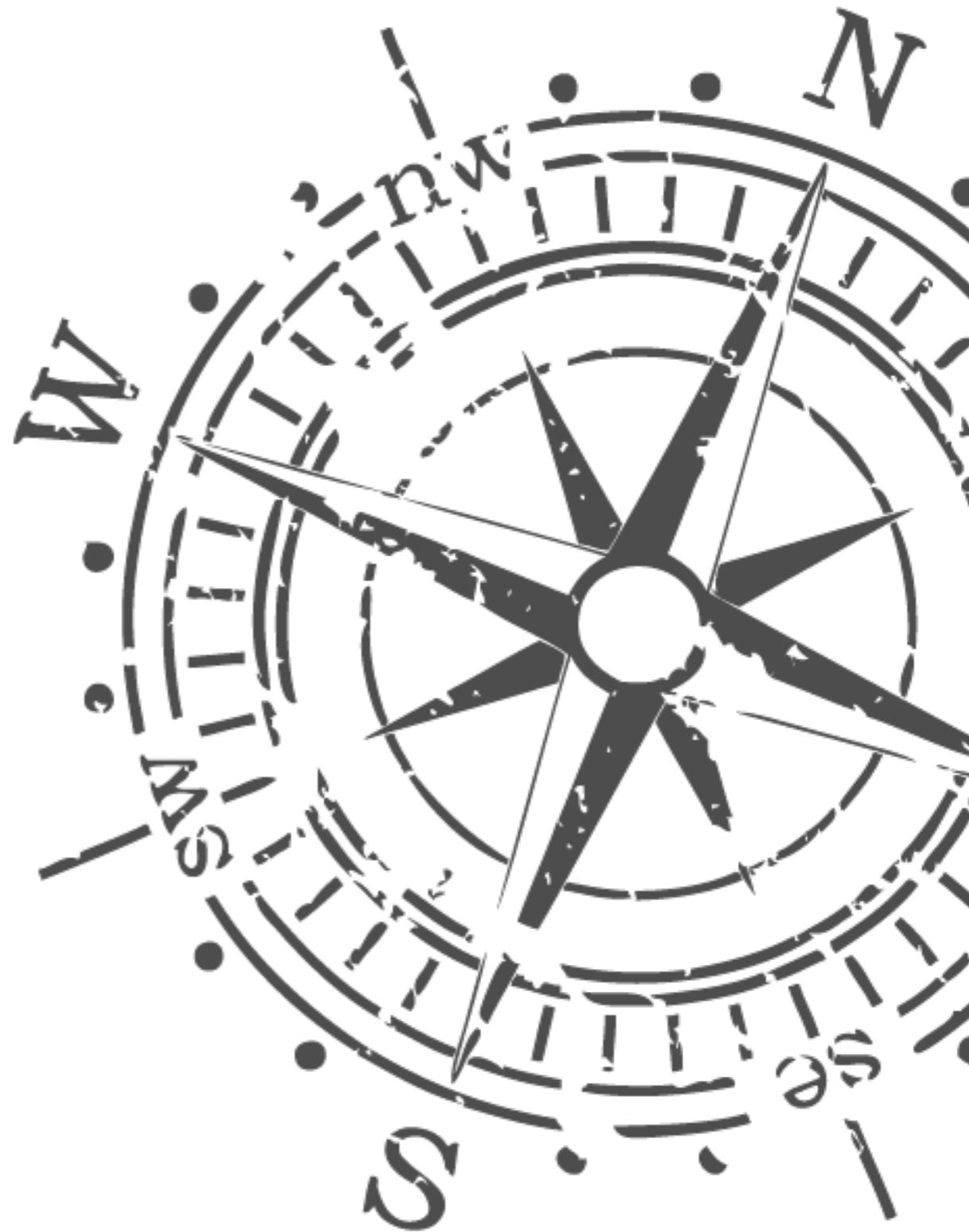


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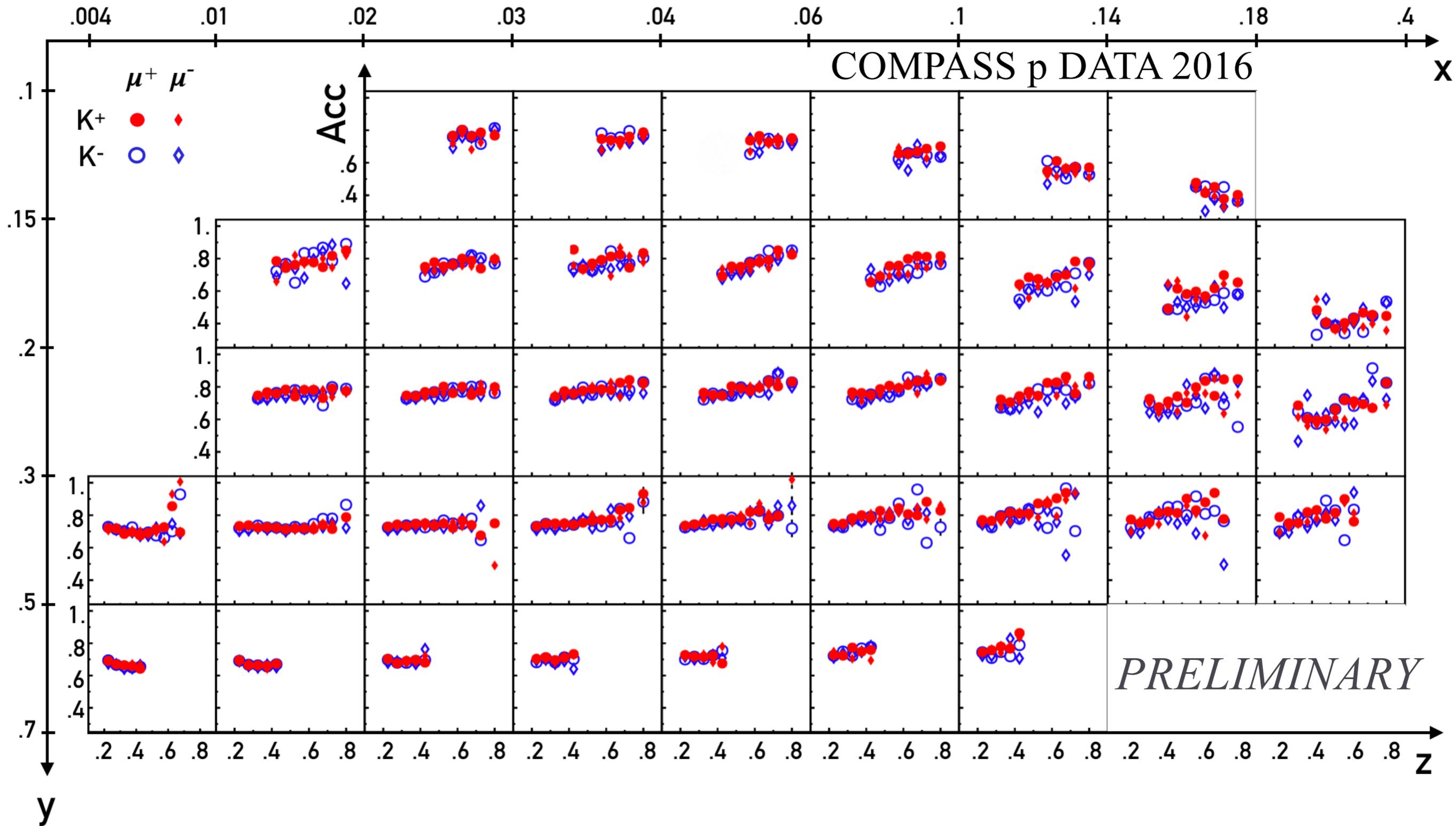


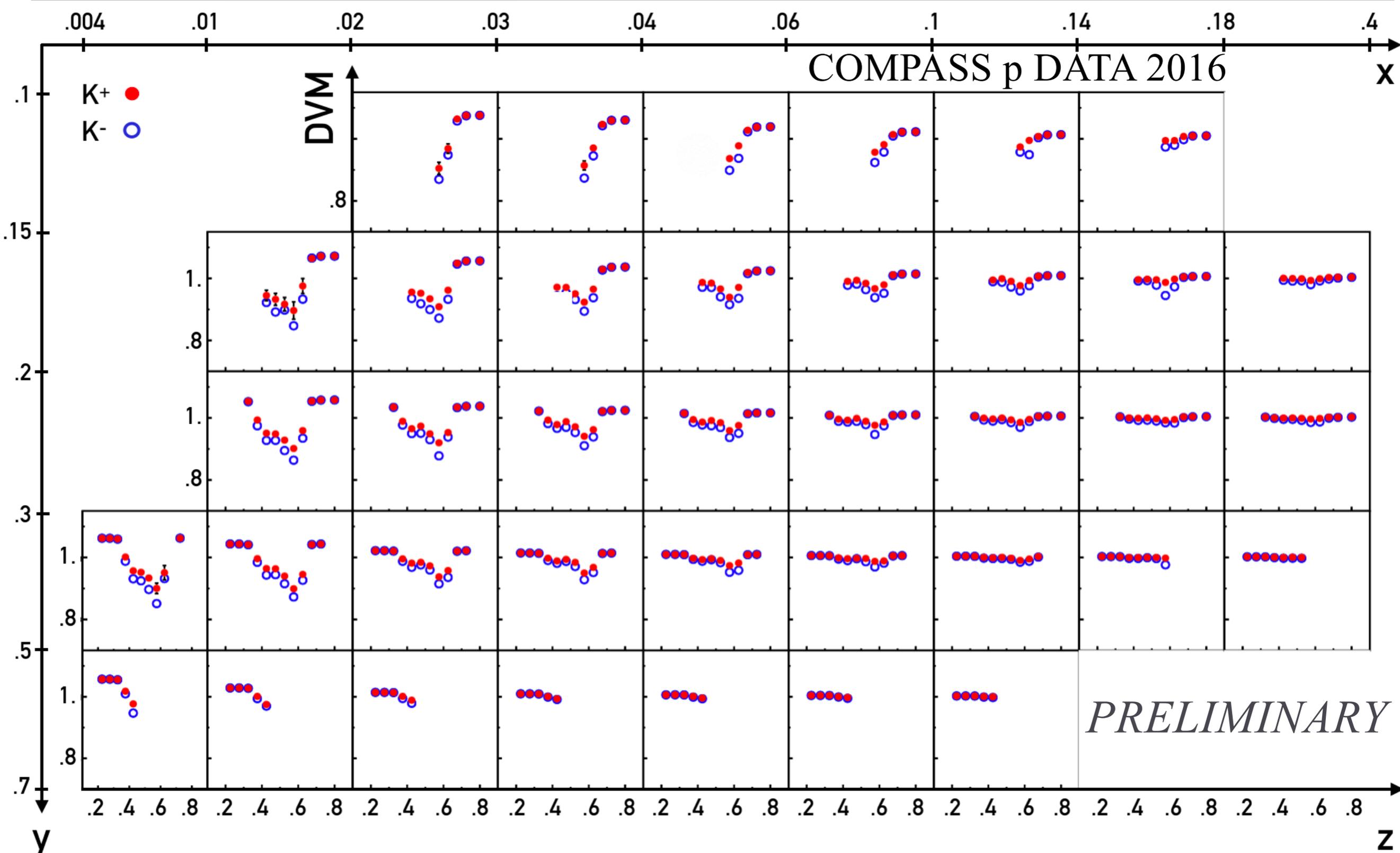
- ❖ *Charged kaon multiplicities were measured from COMPASS 2016 data with a pure proton  ${}^1\text{H}_2$  target and 160 GeV  $\mu^+$  and  $\mu^-$  beam.*
- ❖ *Multiplicities were measured in 300 3-D kinematic bins of  $x$ ,  $y$  and  $z$ .*
- ❖ *Preliminary proton results agree with COMPASS results with isoscalar  ${}^6\text{LiD}$  target.*
- ❖ *Large discrepancy with respect to HERMES  $K^\pm$  results obtained with a proton target.*
- ❖ *Outlook/In progress :*
  - ❖ *Finalizing pions, protons.*
  - ❖ *Use the full statistic of 2016 and 2017 data (using  $\sim 1/4^{\text{th}}$  at the moment).*

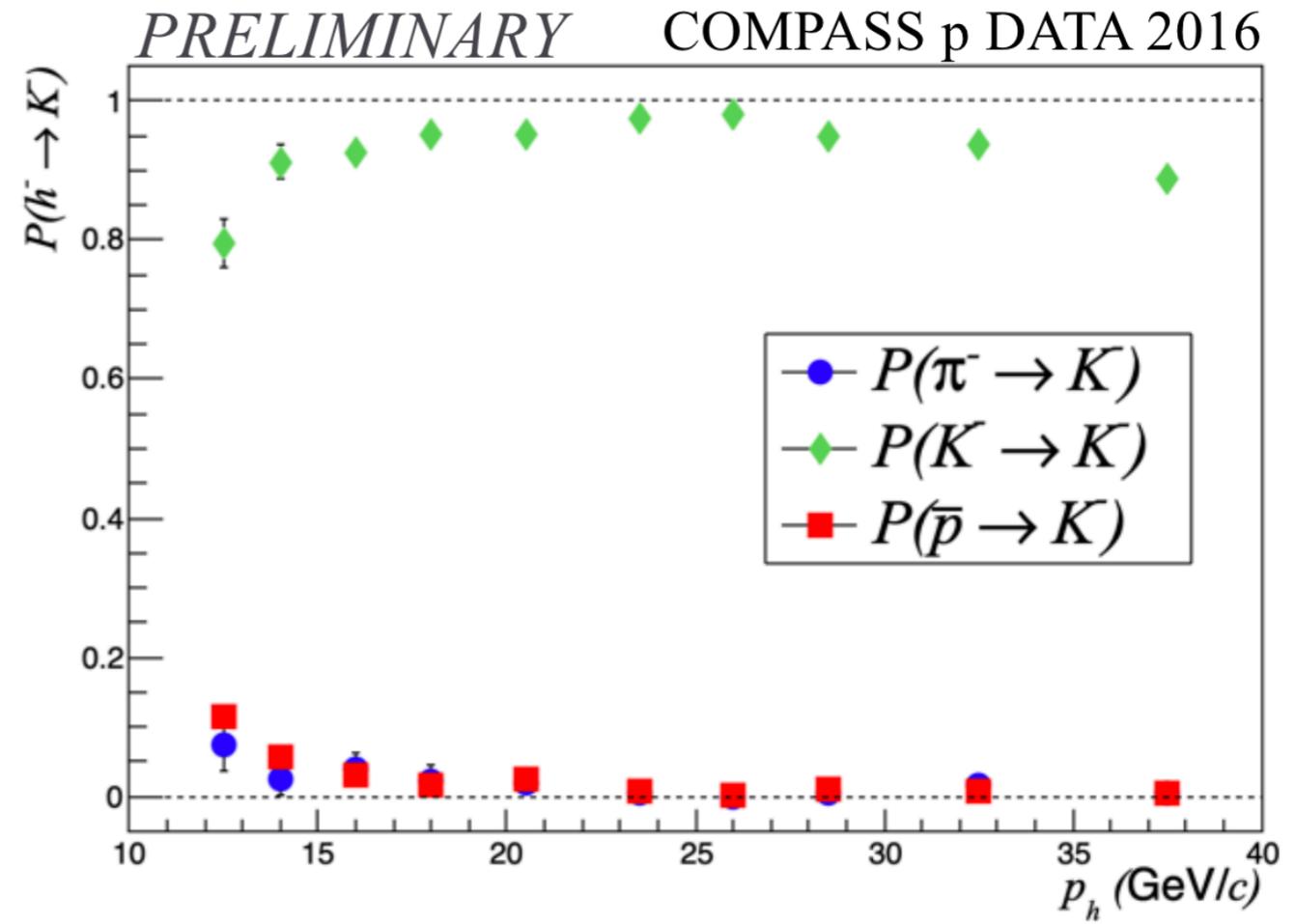
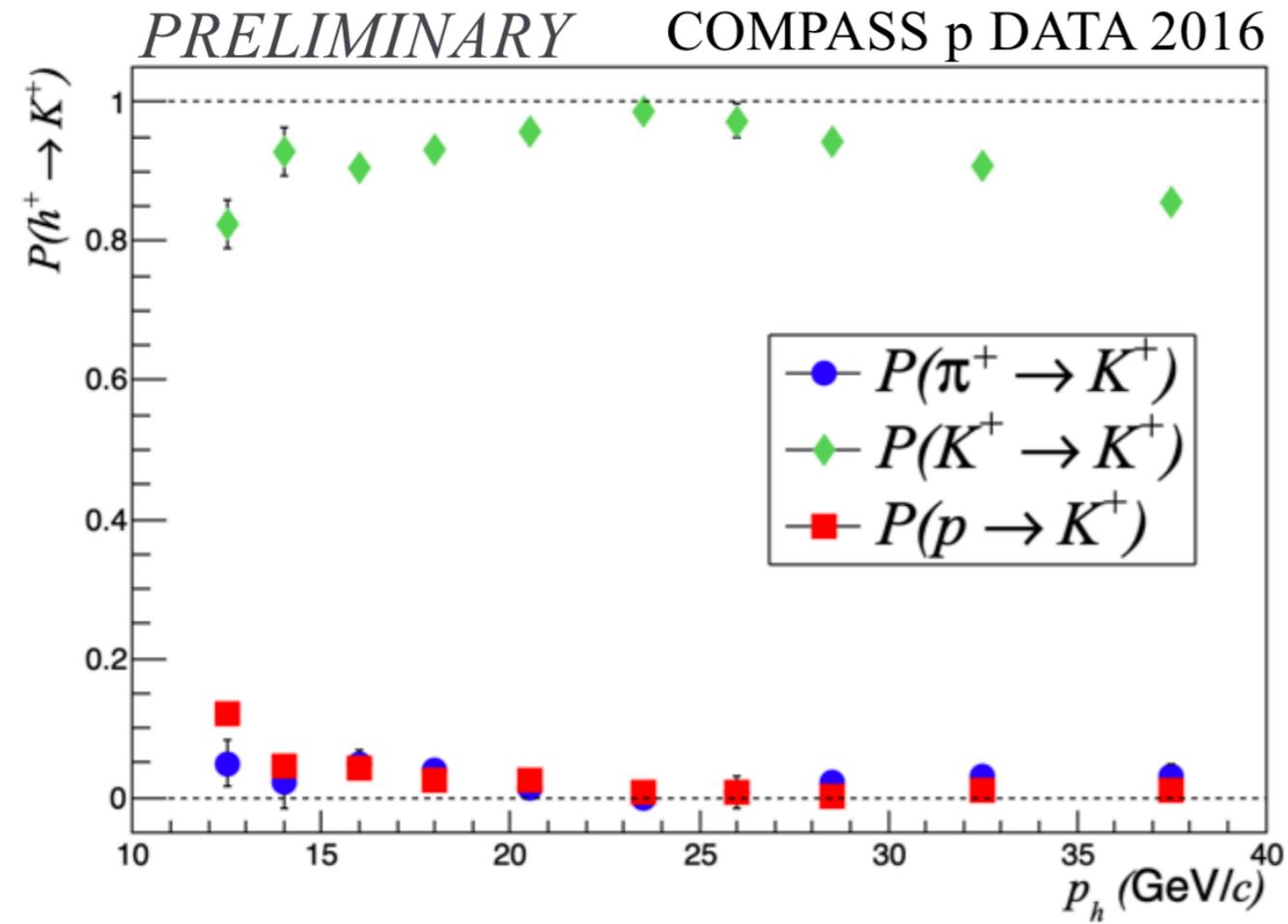


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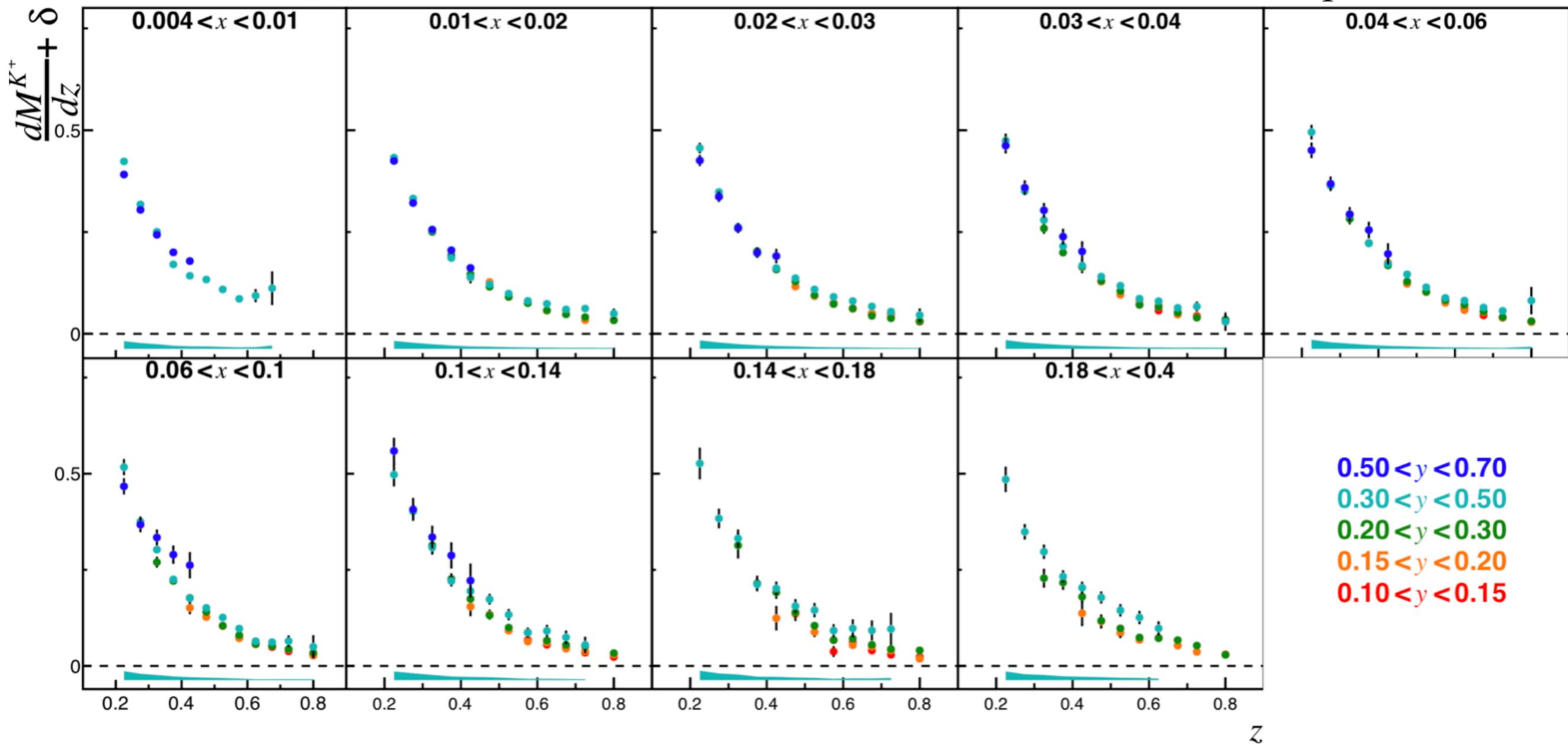






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