## **Centrality questions & answers - III**

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## **Small bug in the Glauber fit machinery**

- Fitter.cpp
- Two histograms are compared to find the best fit:
  - ✓ Data: TH1F \*hRefMult = new TH1F("hRefMultSTAR","hRefMultSTAR",2500,0,2500);
  - ✓ Glauber: fGlauberFitHisto = TH1F("glaub", "", fNbins\*1.3, 0, 1.3\*fMaxValue);

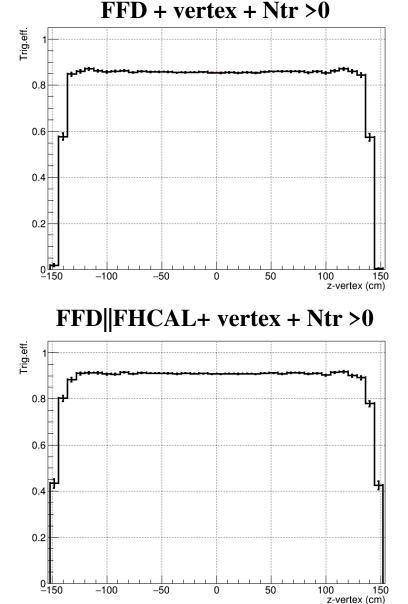
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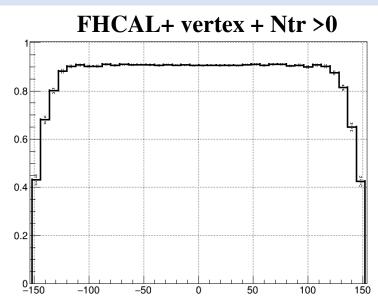
- Fit quality is evaluated using histograms with somewhat different binning (bin width)
- The easy fix:
  - ✓ Glauber: fGlauberFitHisto = TH1F("glaub", "", fNbins\*1.3, 0, int(1.3\*fMaxValue));
- Fit quality improves, modest change of the best fit parameters
- No dramatic changes

## **Centrality with the TPC**

- Event selection:
  - ✓ FFD || FHCAL trigger (minimal bias)
  - ✓ reconstructed vertex: z-vertex !=0
  - ✓ reconstructed vertex is outside of the FFD: |z-vertex| < 130 cm
  - ✓ number of tracks: N<sub>TPC</sub> > 0, track selections: nhits > 10;  $p_T$  > 0.1 GeV/c; DCA < 2.0 cm;  $|\eta|$  < 0.5
- Each of these conditions reduces the fraction of the total cross section
- By how much ???

#### Trigger efficiency: events with $z_{vrtx} != 0$ and $N_{TPC} > 0$

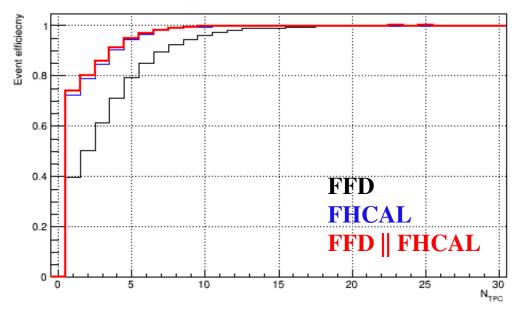




- Request 26 production, 1M DCM-QGSM-SMM
- Trigger efficiency is flat vs. z-vertex
- Trigger efficiency dropped by  $\sim 5\%$  due extra req-s
- Proposal is to use FFD||FHCAL trigger selection for the large productions and ignore the fact that T<sub>0</sub> measurements are not available for !FFD events
- The resulting trigger efficiency is ~ 91%

## **Emulation of trigger**

- Trigger simulation is possible only for Request 26 production (DCM-QGSM-SMM)
- Use TPC multiplicity as a proxy for trigger efficiency for all productions



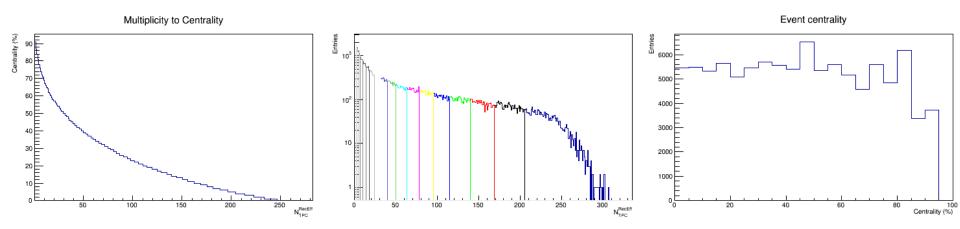
Trigger efficiency vs. multiplicity

- At  $N_{TPC} > 0-10$  the trigger efficiency saturates for FFD||FHCAL option
- Evaluated trigger efficiency is applicable only for default track/event selection cuts:

TrigEff[0] = 0;	TrigEff[5] = 0.949969;	TrigEff[10] = 0.99635;	TrigEff[15] = 0.998933;
TrigEff[1] = 0.739448;	TrigEff[6] = 0.967788;	TrigEff[11] = 0.997572;	TrigEff[16] = 0.998358;
TrigEff[2] = 0.802705;	TrigEff[7] = 0.982232;	TrigEff[12] = 0.998404;	TrigEff[17] = 0.999083;
TrigEff[3] = 0.85774;	TrigEff[8] = 0.990496;	TrigEff[13] = 0.99816;	TrigEff[18] = 0.998685;
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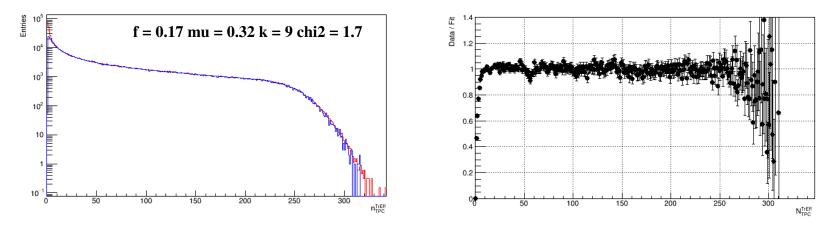
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  - $\checkmark \quad \text{Rndm}() > \text{TrigEff}[N_{\text{TPC}}]$
- Resulting multiplicity distribution samples ~91% of the total cross section
- Event multiplicity is calculated using weight for each track ~  $1/\text{RecEff}(z\text{-vertex}, \eta)$
- Centrality is defined as percentile of the total multiplicity with maximum of 91%



## Glauber fit to $N_{TPC}^{TrEff}$ distribution, DCM-QGSM-SMM

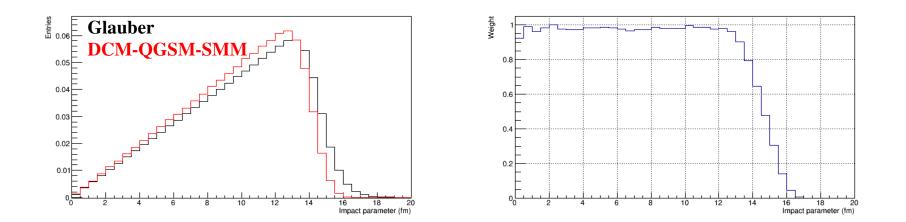
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- Event multiplicity is calculated using weight for each track ~  $1/\text{RecEff}(z-\text{vertex}, \eta)$
- Fit range: 9-308



- Predicted trigger efficiency: Integral(data) / Integral (fit) = 83%
- Close but not quite the simulated  $91\% \rightarrow$  why?

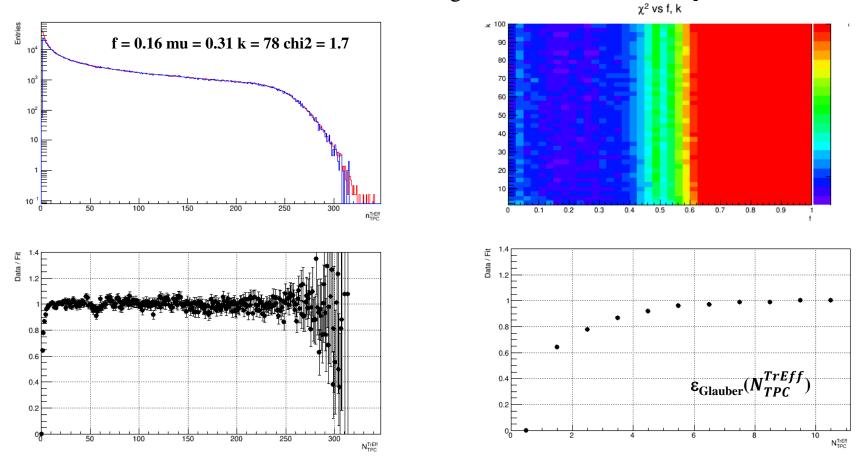
#### Impact parameter distributions, DCM-QGSM-SMM

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- Distributions are different at  $b > 12 \text{ fm} \rightarrow \text{different radii, definition of inelastic collisions ???}$
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## Weighted Glauber fit to $N_{TPC}^{TrEff}$ distribution, DCM-QGSM-SMM

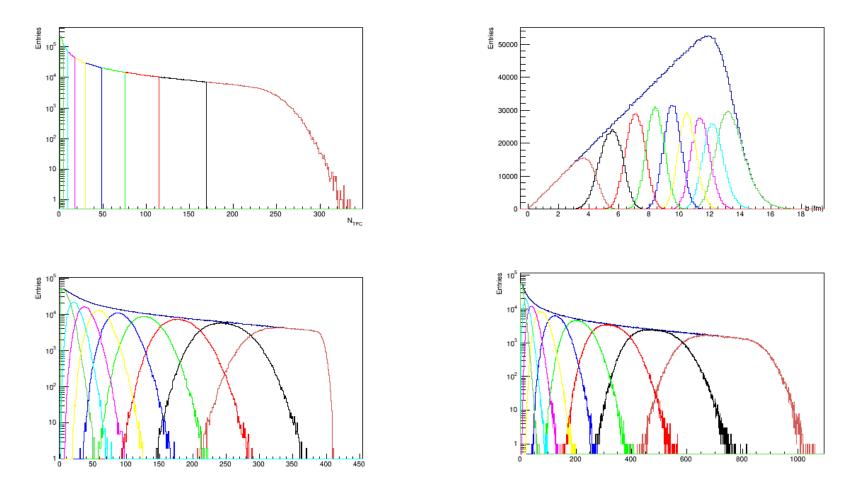
• Same conditions as in slide 7, but with weights for Glauber events by b-value



- Predicted trigger efficiency: Integral(data) / Integral (fit) =  $90\% \cong \text{simulated } 91\%$
- Turn on curve is very similar to the simulated one (it should not be identical)

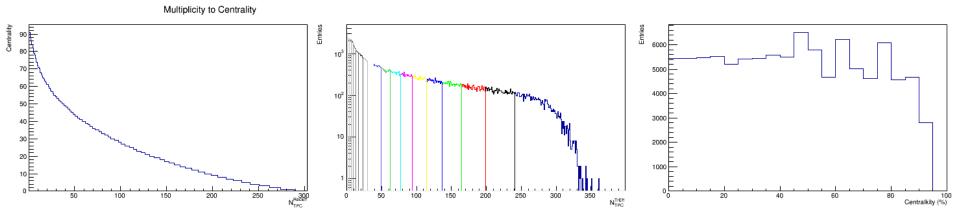
#### **Centrality bins in Glauber, DCM-QGSM-SMM**

- $P(N_{TPC}^{TrEff}) = \varepsilon_{Glauber}(N_{TPC}^{TrEff}) \cdot \sum_{N_a} NBD(\mu N_a, kN_a) \times MCG(N_a)$
- Fraction of the cross section seen = 90%
- Percentile multiplicity splitting: 0-10%, 10-20%, ... 80-90%



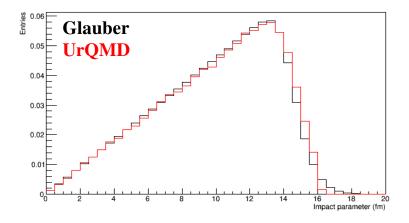
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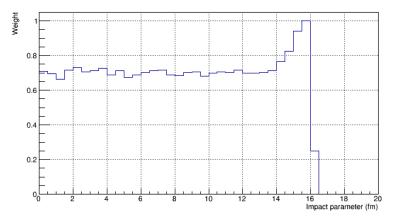
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  - $\checkmark \quad \text{Rndm}() > \text{TrigEff}[N_{\text{TPC}}]$
- Assume that multiplicity distribution samples 91% of the total cross section (~ 88%)
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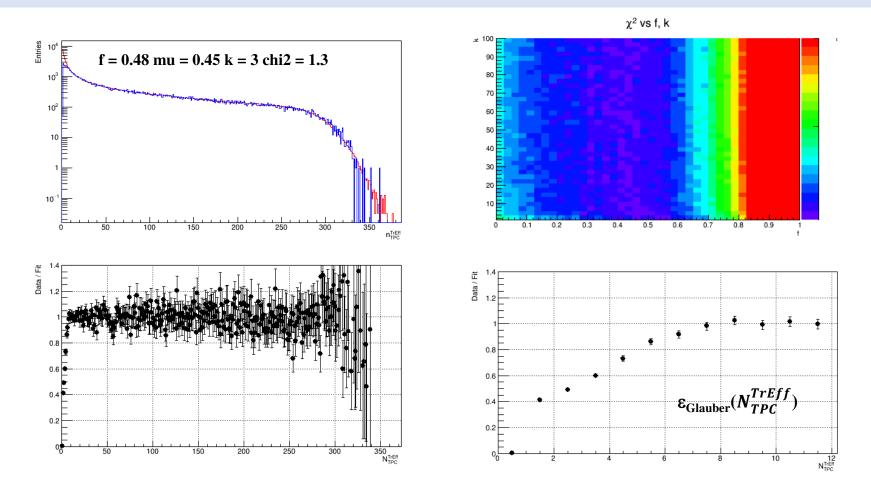
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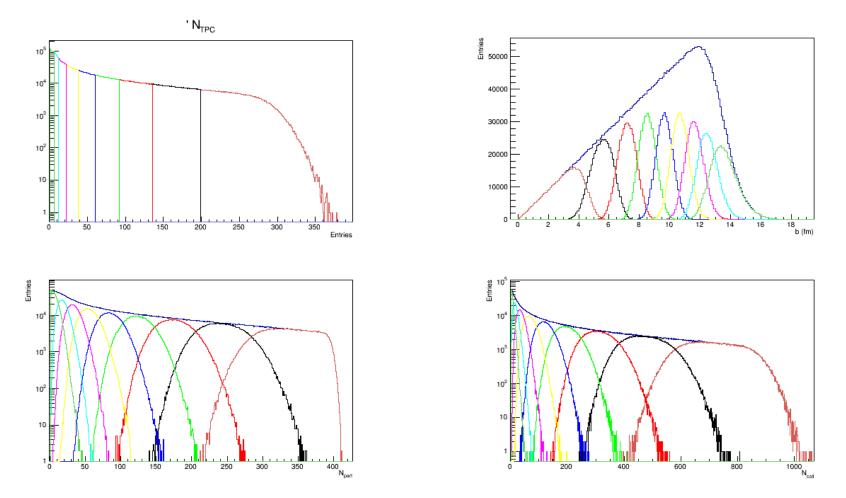
# Weighted Glauber fit to $N_{TPC}^{TrEff}$ distribution, UrQMD



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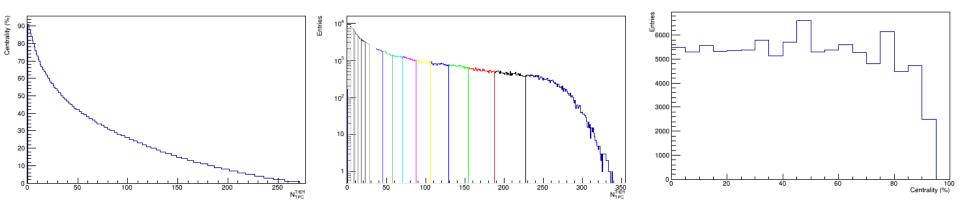
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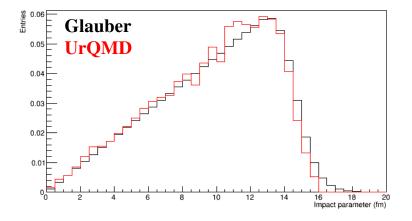
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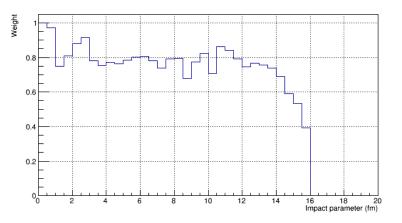
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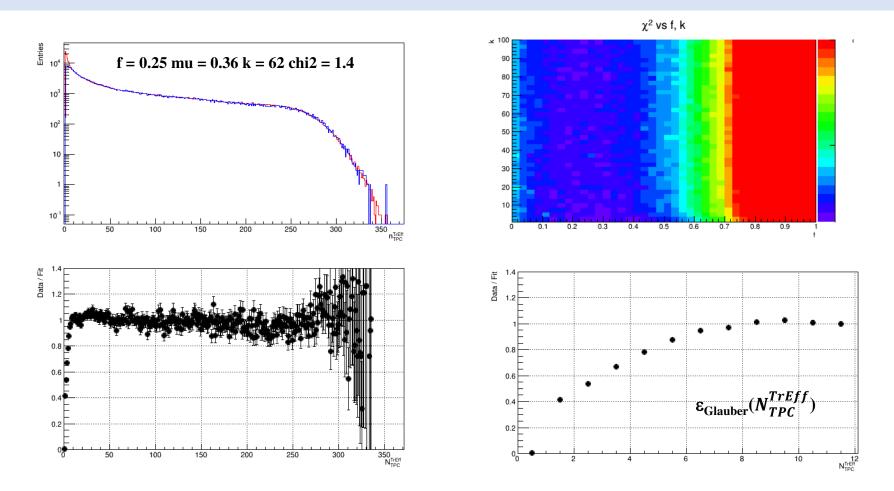
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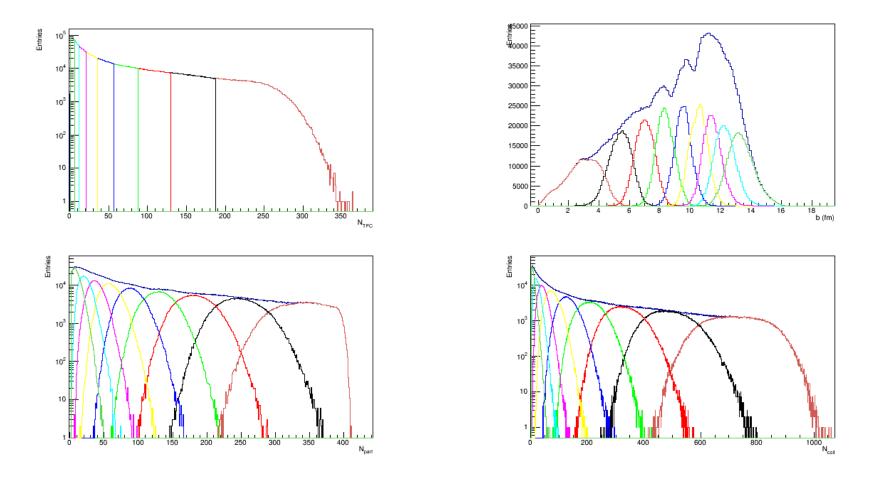
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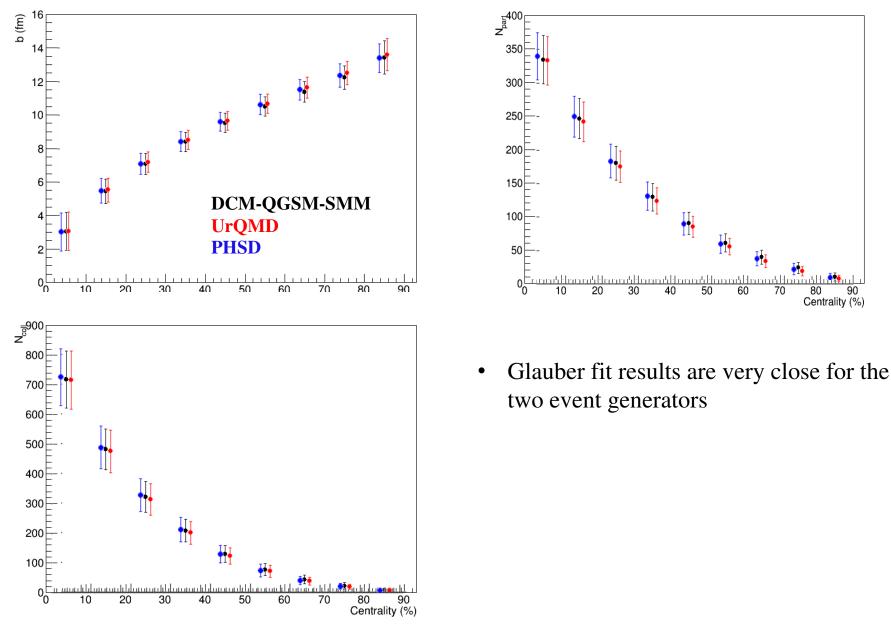
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#### **Glauber, model comparison**



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## Conclusions

- Centrality procedure with TPC multiplicity has been developed
- Centrality by TPC reduces effective trigger efficiency by  $\sim 5\%$ 
  - ✓ ~ 90% with FFD||FHCAL trigger
  - ✓ ~ 83% with FFD trigger