*p-p* minimum-bias dijets and nonjet quadrupole in relation to conjectured collectivity (flows) in high-energy nuclear collisions



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## Agenda

- "Ridge-like" structure in p-p and p/d-A angular correlations are said to imply "collective" motion in smaller collision systems:
- Correlations associated with flows in A-A collisions appear in smaller systems ⇒ "collectivity" extends to smaller systems
- That argument could be reversed  $\Rightarrow$  <u>no</u> "collectivity"
- Combined p-p, p-A and A-A data from RHIC and LHC suggest that soft, dijet and NJ quadrupole trends are inconsistent with hadron production from a bulk medium exhibiting <u>hydrodynamic flows</u>

# *p-p* Two-component Spectra – TCM













## LHC *p*-*p* Ensemble-mean $p_t$ TCM





## LHC p-p $p_t$ fluctuations TCM











### Summary

- TCM describes collision systems accurately
- Dijets dominate high-energy nuclear collisions
- "Ratios of ratios" conceal large dijet contributions
- p-p collisions are non-eikonal (quantum system)
- NJ quadrupole trends are inconsistent with hydro
- CMS p-p "ridge" is NJ quadrupole manifestation