Average e^+e^-, pp, and $\overline{p}p$ Multiplicity

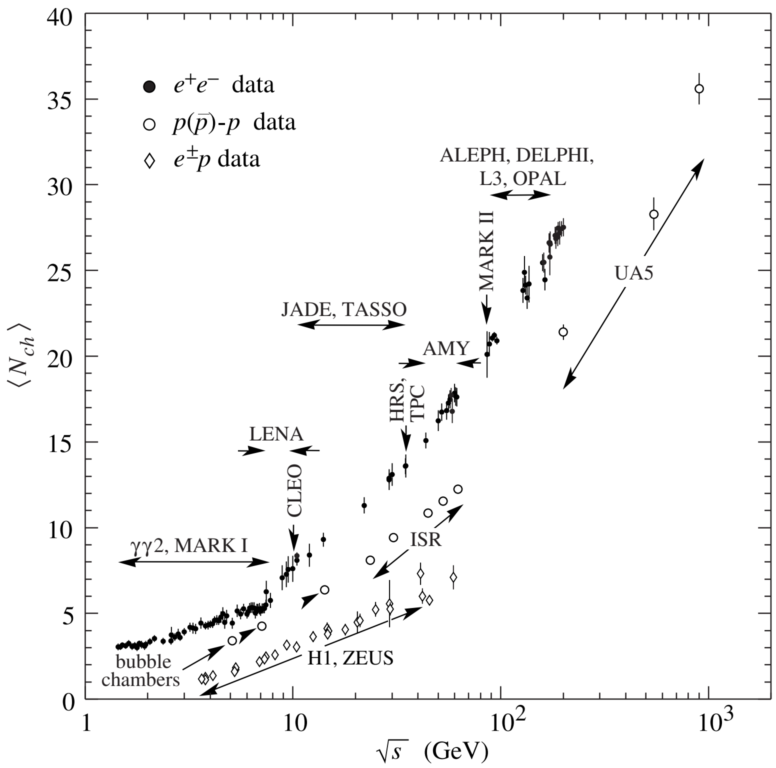

Figure 39.5: Average multiplicity as a function of $\sqrt{s}$ for e^+e^- and $p\overline{p}$ annihilations, and pp and ep collisions. The indicated errors are statistical and systematic errors added in quadrature, except when no systematic errors are given. Files of the data shown in this figure are given in `http://home.cern.ch/b/biebel/www/RPP02`

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$\boldsymbol{e^+e^-}$: Most e^+e^- measurements include contributions from K^0_S and Λ decays. The $\gamma\gamma$2 and MARK I measurements contain a systematic 5% error. Points at identical energies have been spread horizontally for clarity:

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K. Ackerstaff *et al.*, Z. Phys. **C75**, 193 (1997);
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TOPAZ: K. Nakabayashi *et al.*, Phys. Lett. **B413**, 447 (1997).

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