

Tagged DIS on Deuterium at JLab

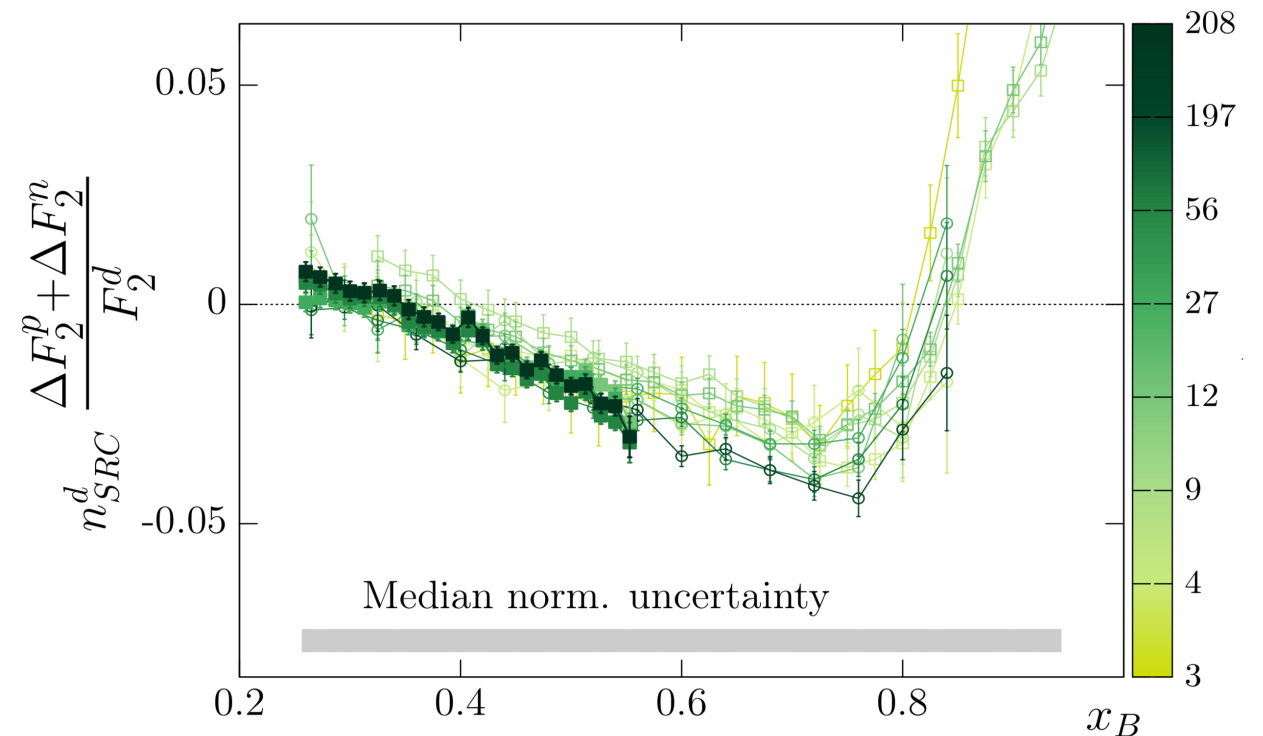
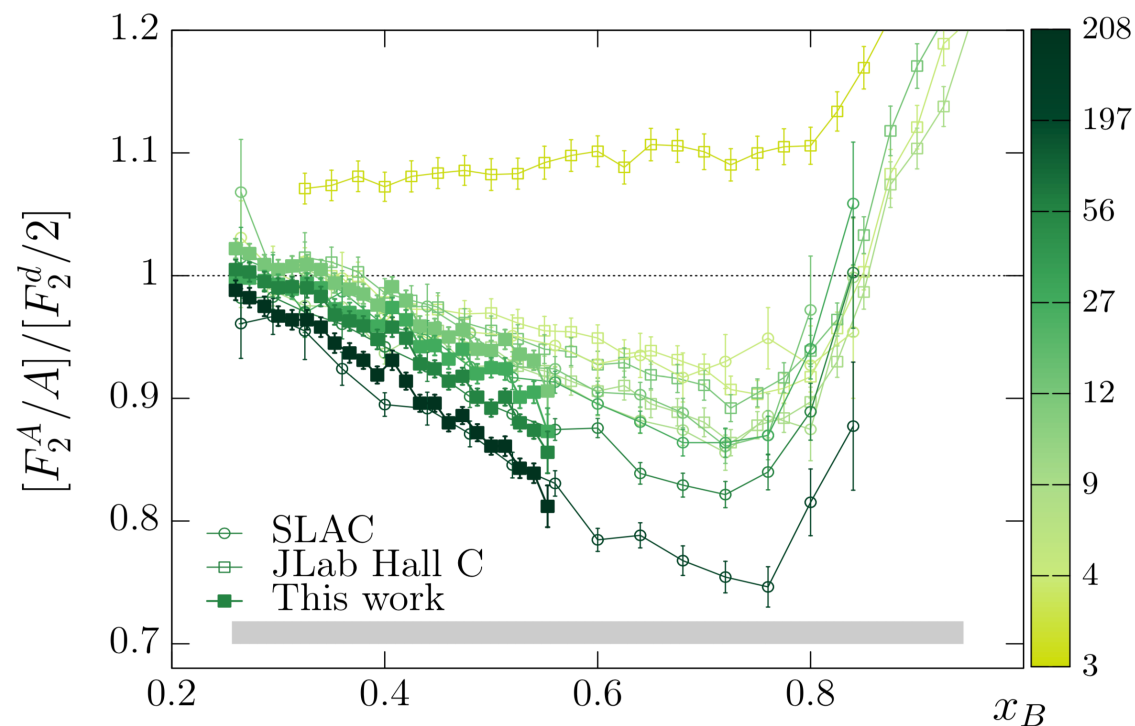
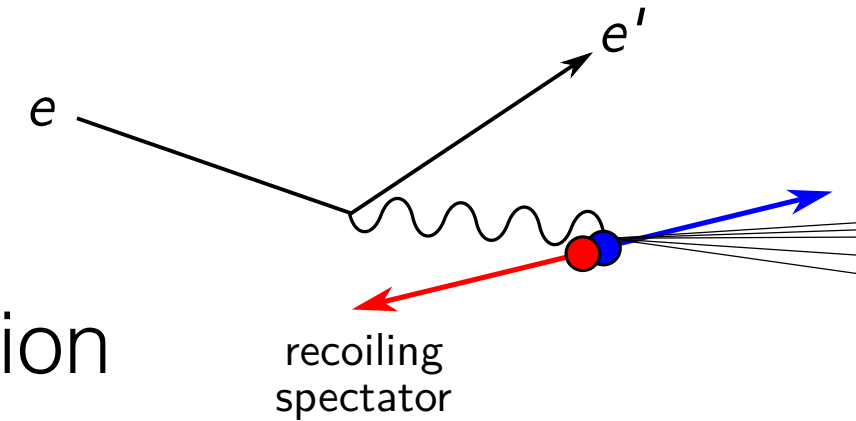
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Outline

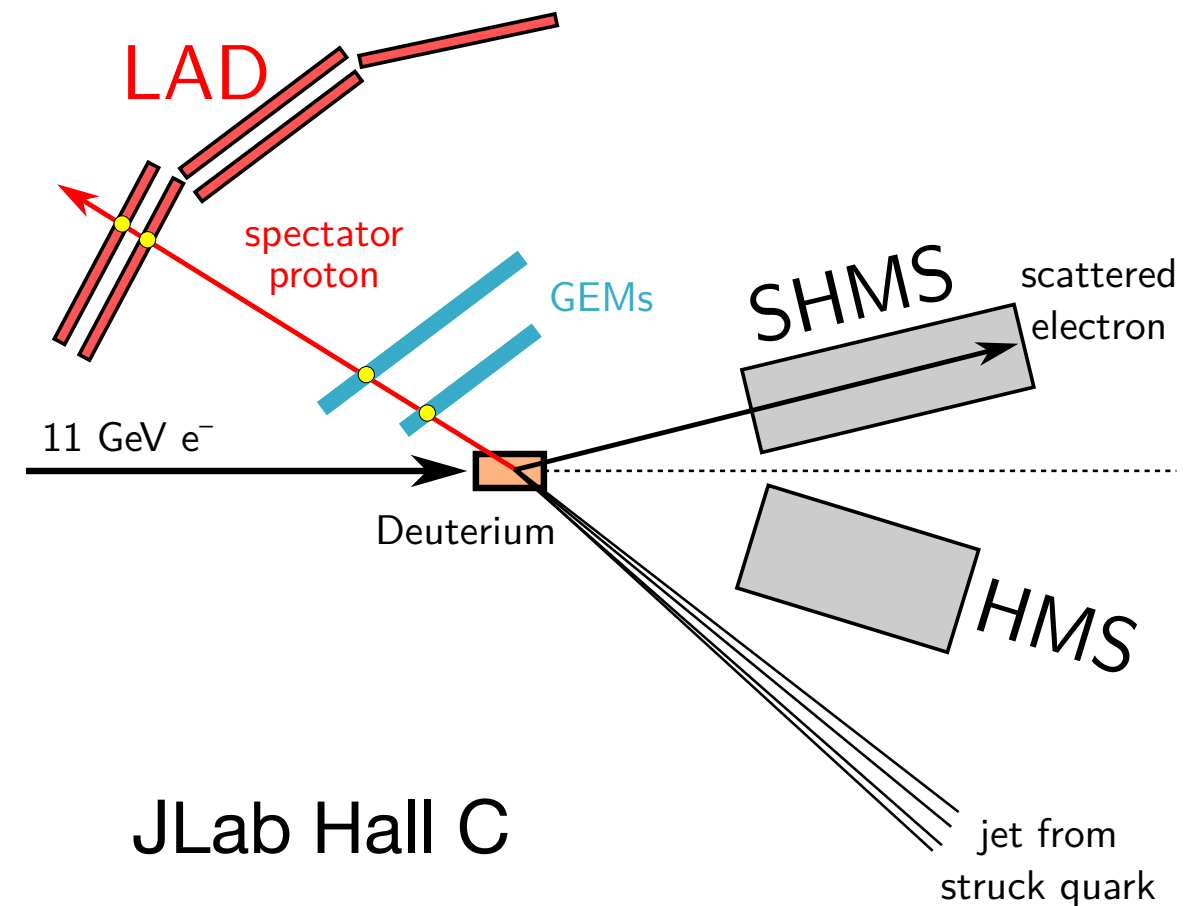
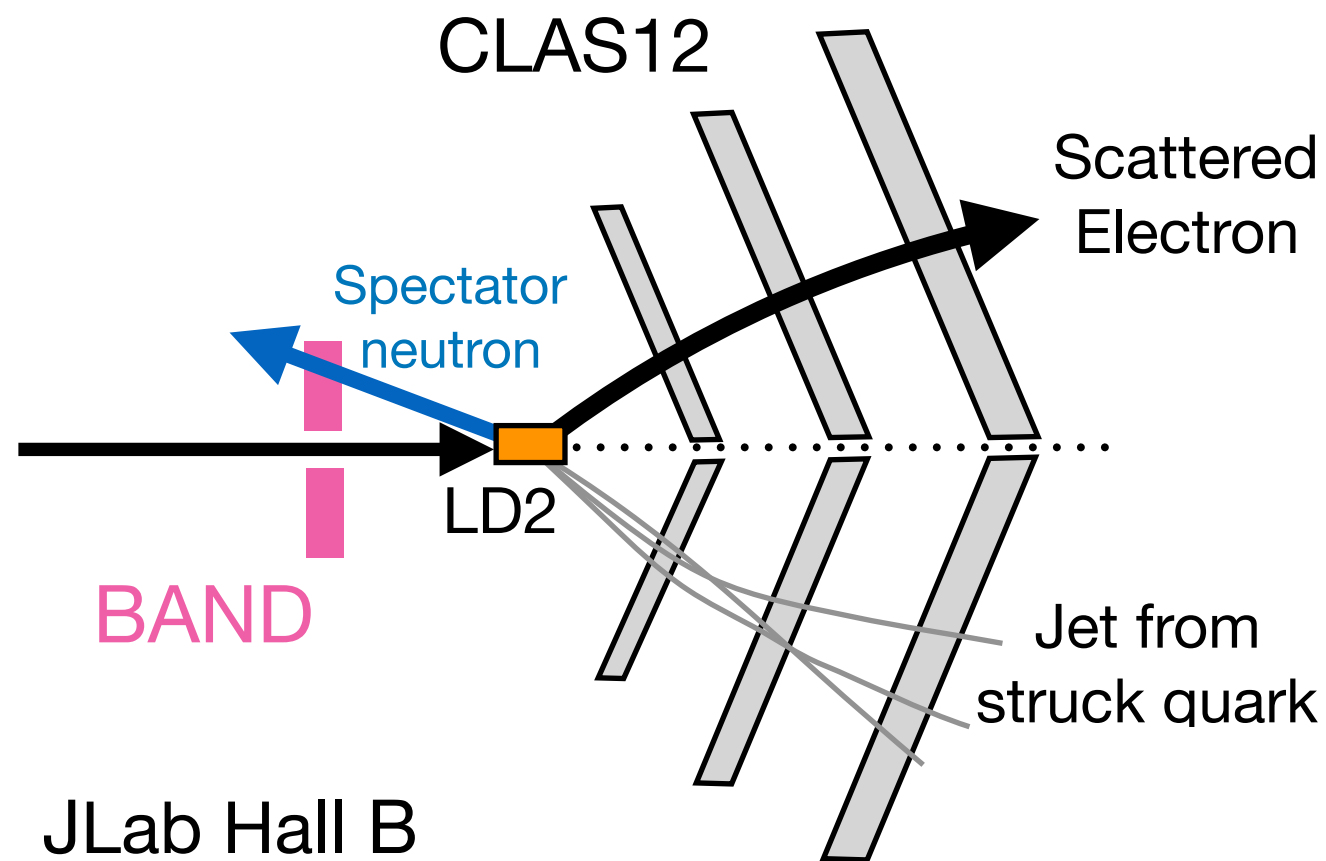
- Why tagged DIS
- HallB: Backward-Angle Neutron Detector (BAND)
- Calibration Status of BAND
- Very preliminary physics with BAND at CLAS
- Tagged DIS in HallC - LAD

Tagged DIS on Deuterium

- “Tag” interacting nucleon by measuring spectator
- How does the bound nucleon structure function depends on nucleon momentum or virtuality
- Explaining the EMC effect



Tagged DIS at JLab



What will be measured

- Measuring cross section ratios to minimize uncertainties
- Choose kinematics with minimal FSI $\theta_{rq} > 107^\circ$

$$\underbrace{\frac{\sigma_{DIS}(x'_{\text{high}}, Q_1^2, \alpha_s)}{\sigma_{DIS}(x'_{\text{low}}, Q_2^2, \alpha_s)}}_{\text{measurement}} \cdot \underbrace{\frac{\sigma_{DIS}^{\text{free}}(x_{\text{low}}, Q_2^2)}{\sigma_{DIS}^{\text{free}}(x_{\text{high}}, Q_1^2)}}_{\text{theory}} \cdot R_{FSI} = \frac{F_2^{\text{bound}}(x'_{\text{high}}, Q_1^2, \alpha_s)}{F_2^{\text{free}}(x_{\text{high}}, Q_1^2)}$$

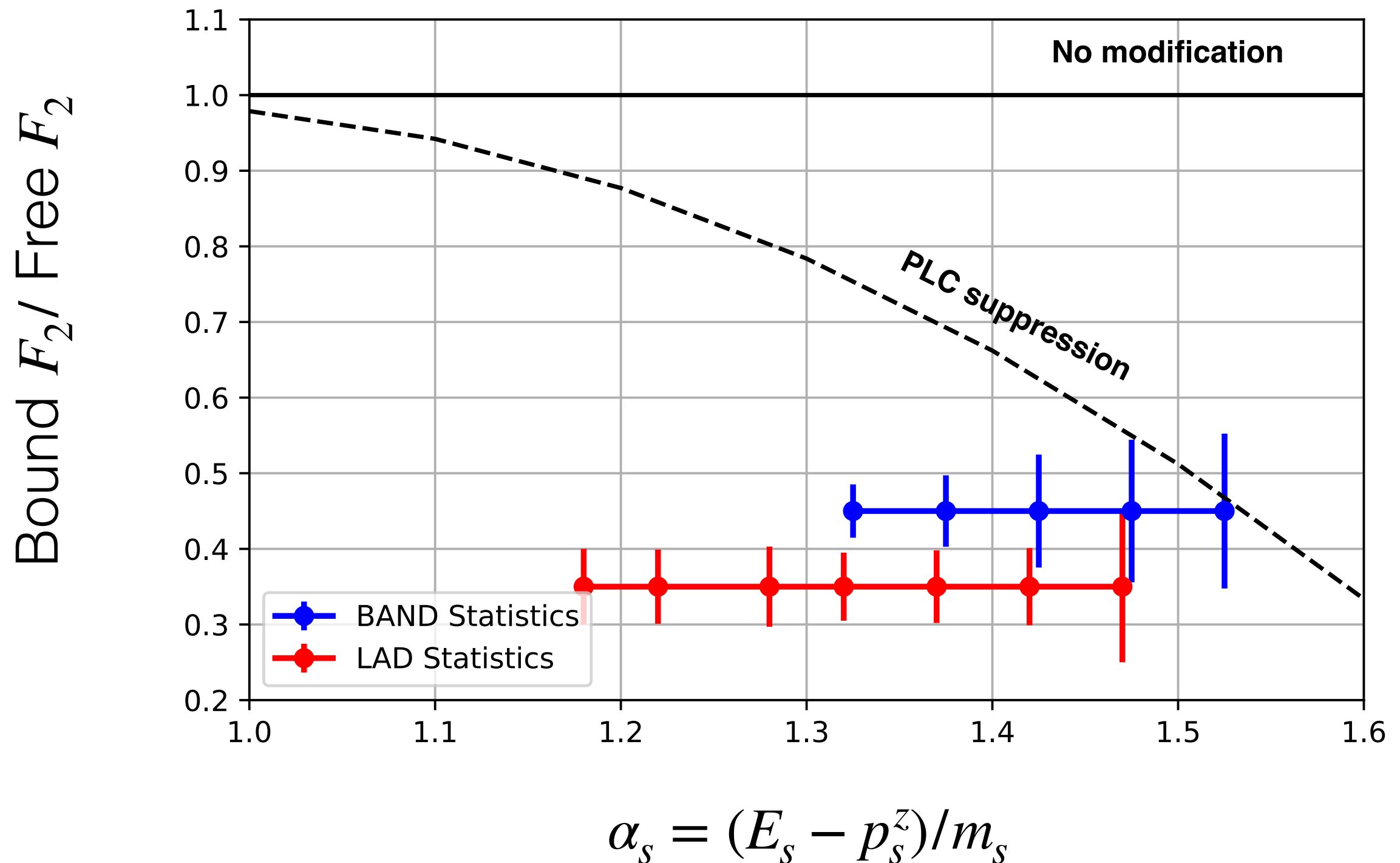
- $x'_{\text{high}} > 0.45$
- Expect no EMC effect at low x' : $0.25 \leq x'_{\text{low}} \leq 0.35$

$$x'_B = \frac{Q^2}{2[(M_d - E_s)\omega + \vec{p}_s \cdot \vec{q}]}$$

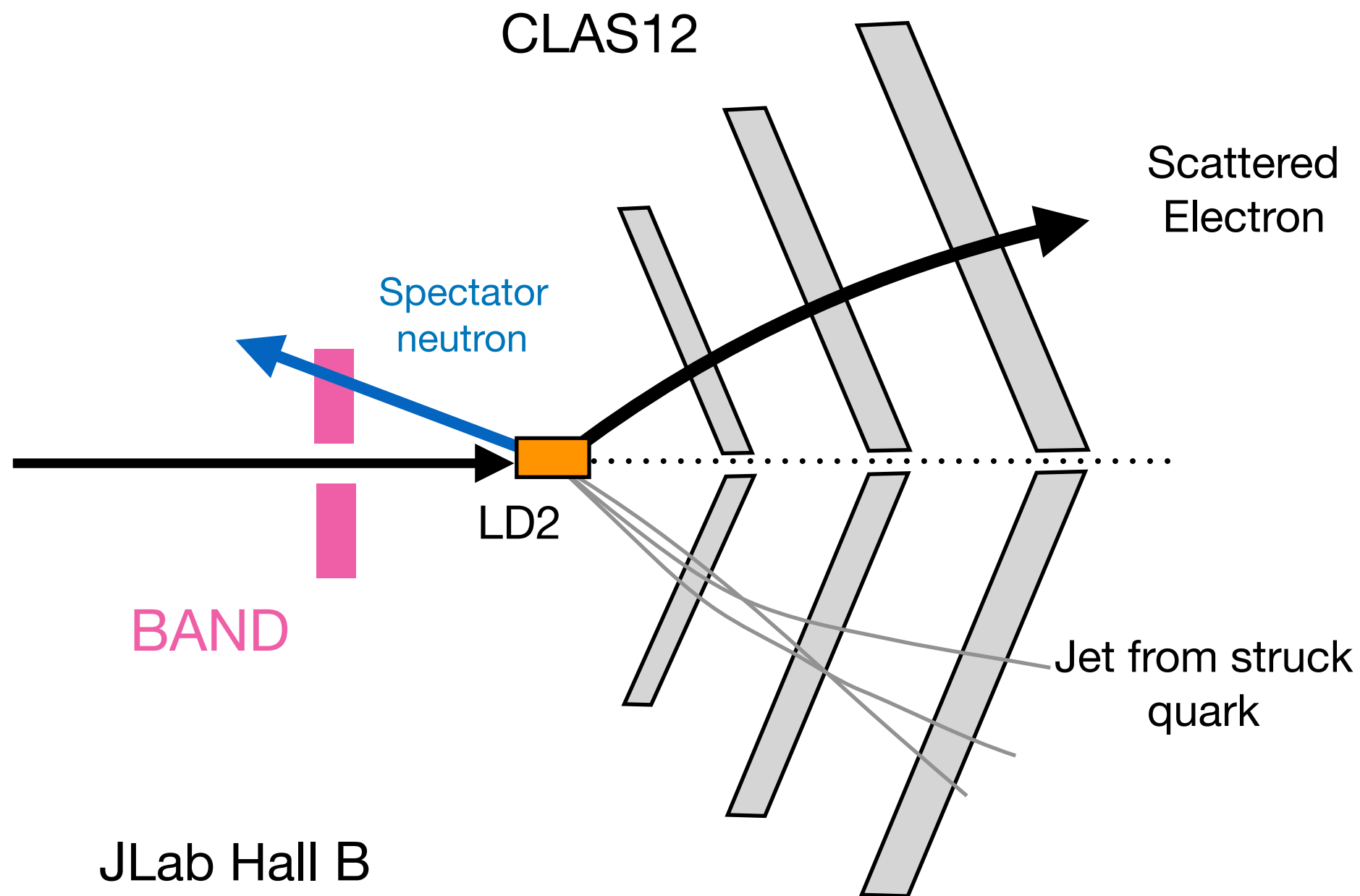
$$x_B = \frac{Q^2}{2m_N\omega}$$

$$\alpha_s = (E_s - p_s^z)/m_s$$

DIS Recoil Tagging $d(e,e'n)X$ - Expected Results

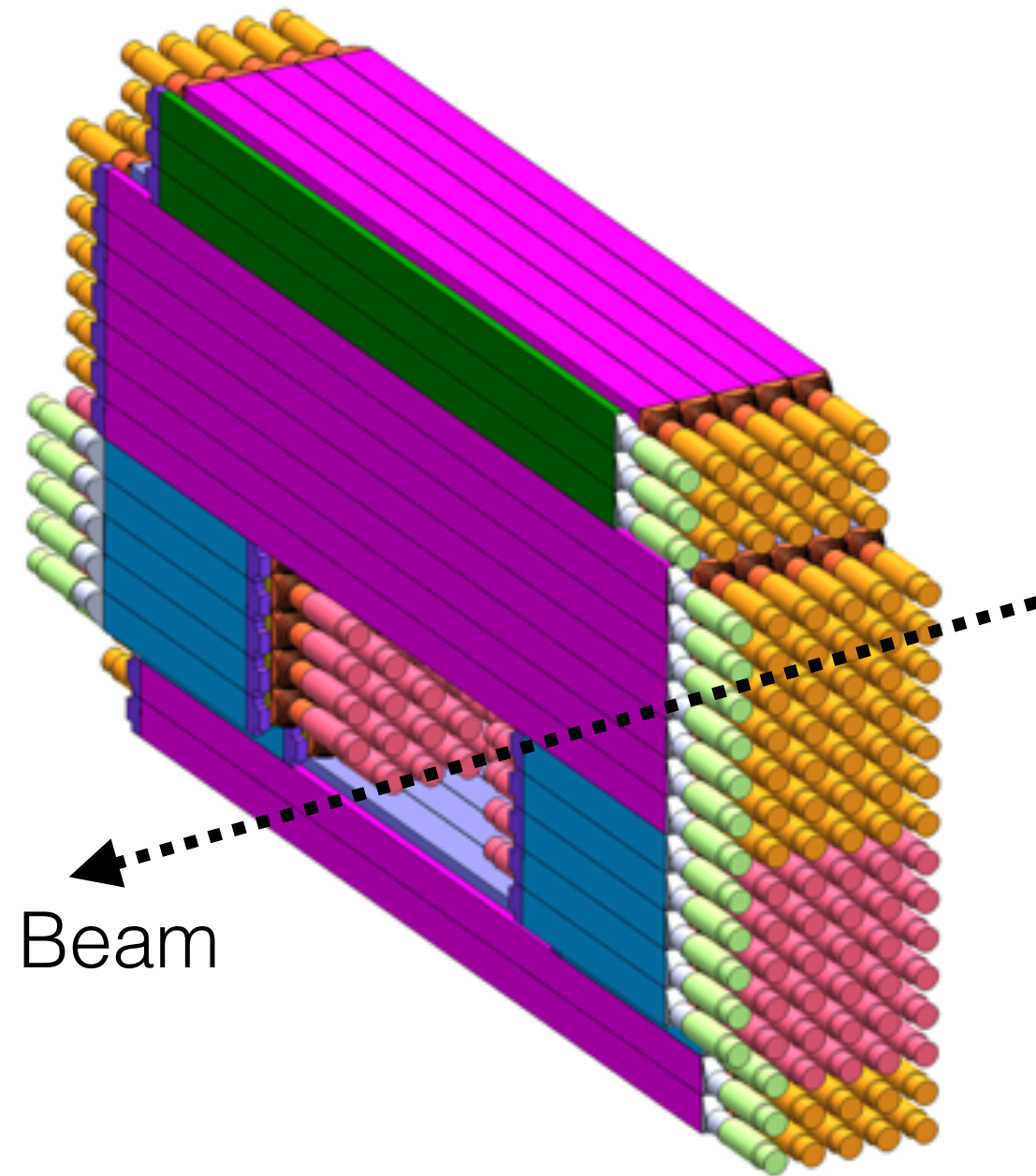


BAND in Hall B

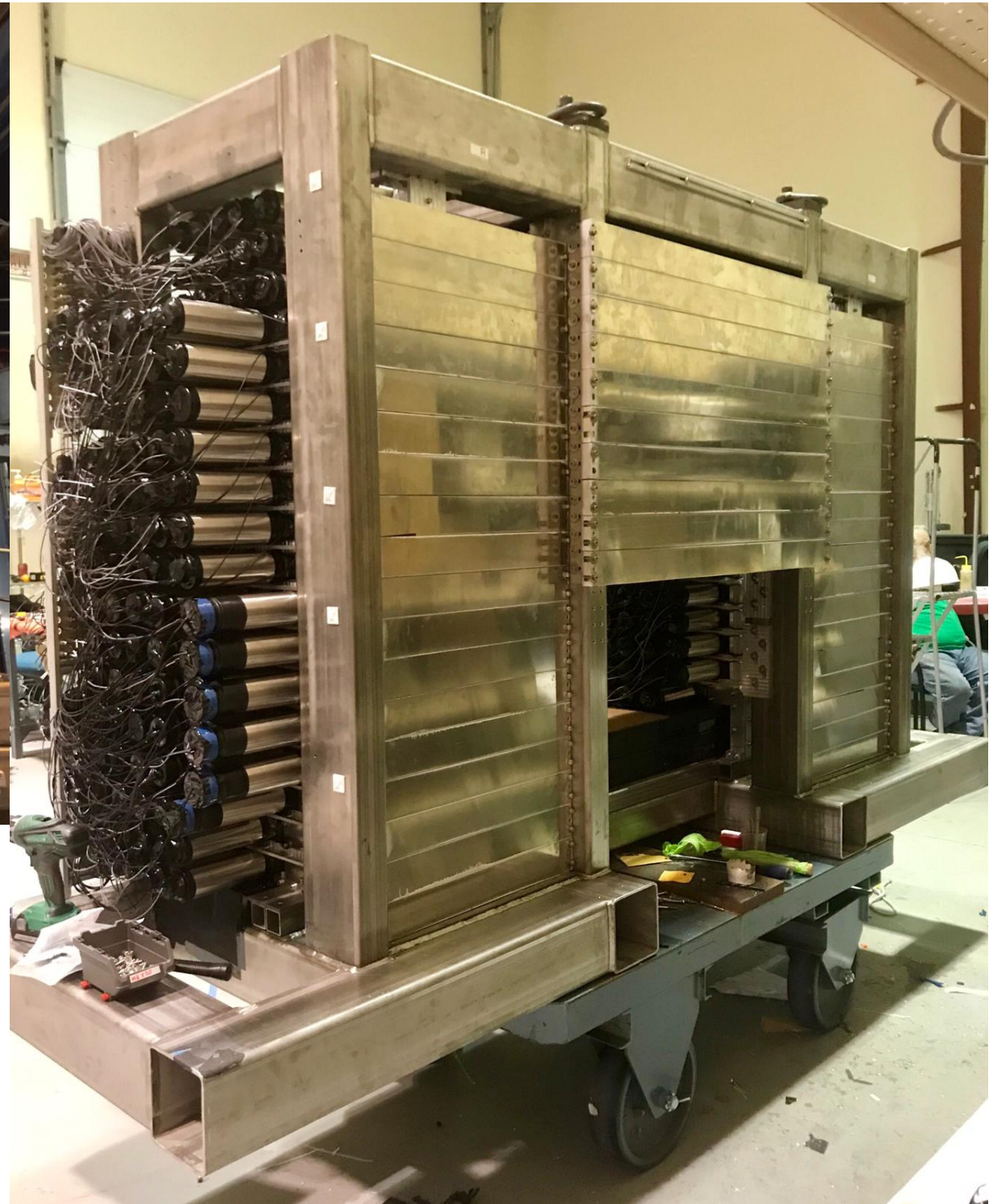
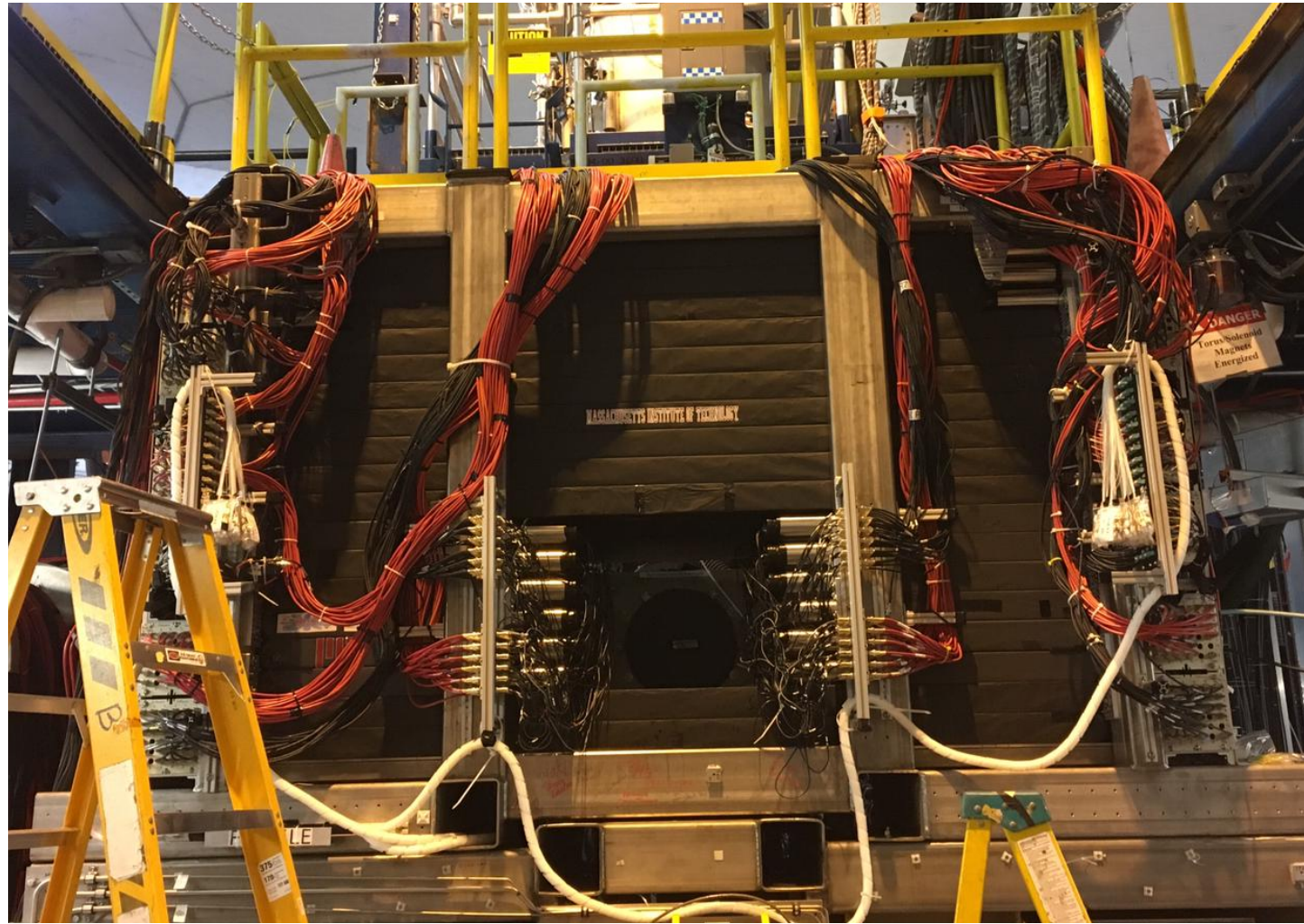


Overview of BAND

- 5 layers thick (36cm total) with veto layer (1cm thick)
- 140 bars
- Bar resolutions < 200 ps
- 3 meters upstream target cell, coverage in $\theta \sim 155\text{-}176^\circ$
- Design neutron efficiency $\sim 35\%$ and momentum resolution $\sim 1.5\%$ (*to be studied*)



Re-commissioning of BAND



- Laser system and fiber cables
- Mechanics and electronics
- Calibration on laser, cosmics, and sources

Base Level Calibrations

Cosmic Data

Source Data

Laser Data

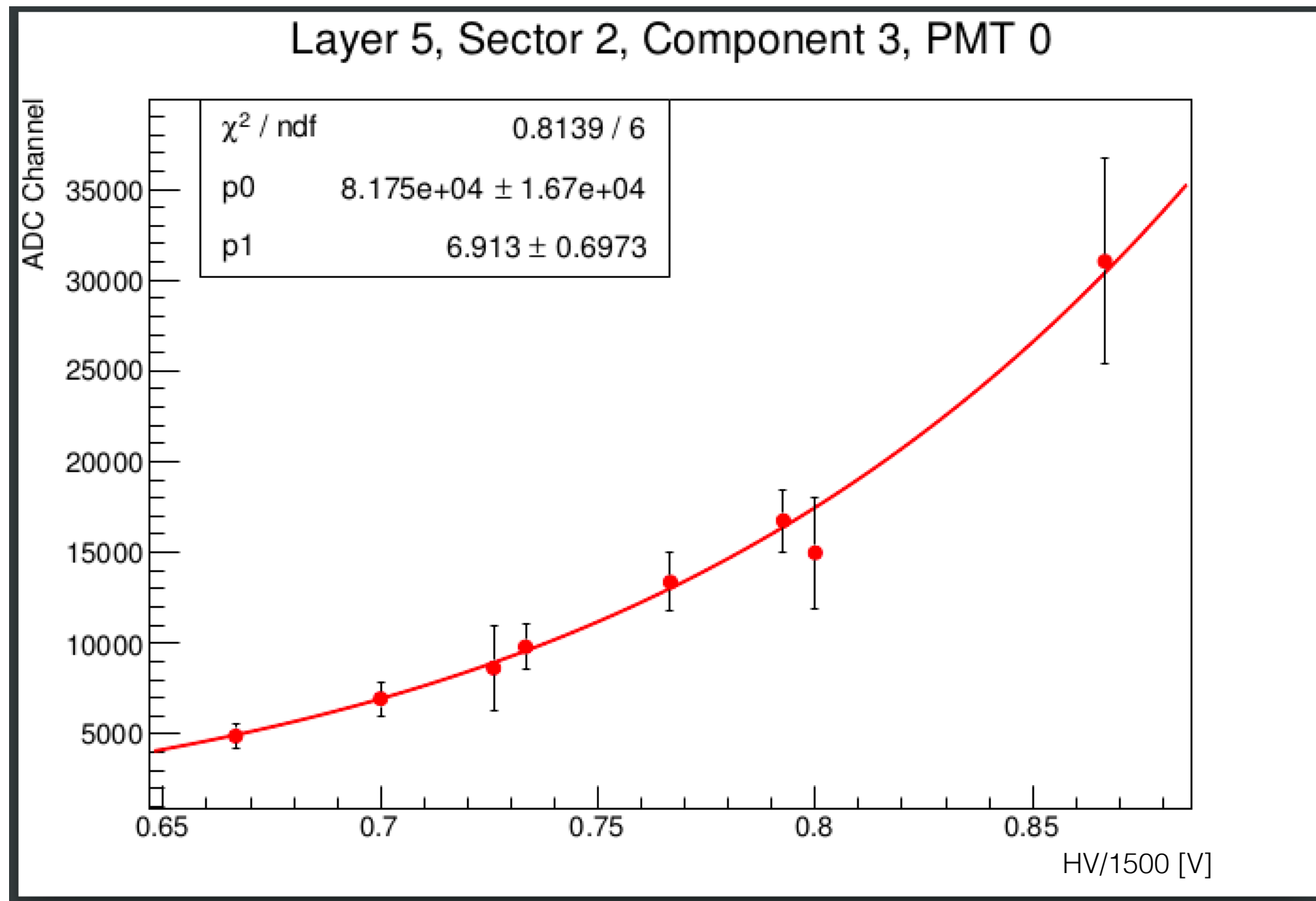
- TDC/FADC phase offset
- TDC time walk
- Bar attenuation
- Timing offsets
- Effective velocity

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Prod Data

- Neutron efficiency
- Neutron momentum resolution

Gain Curves: Optimizing HV



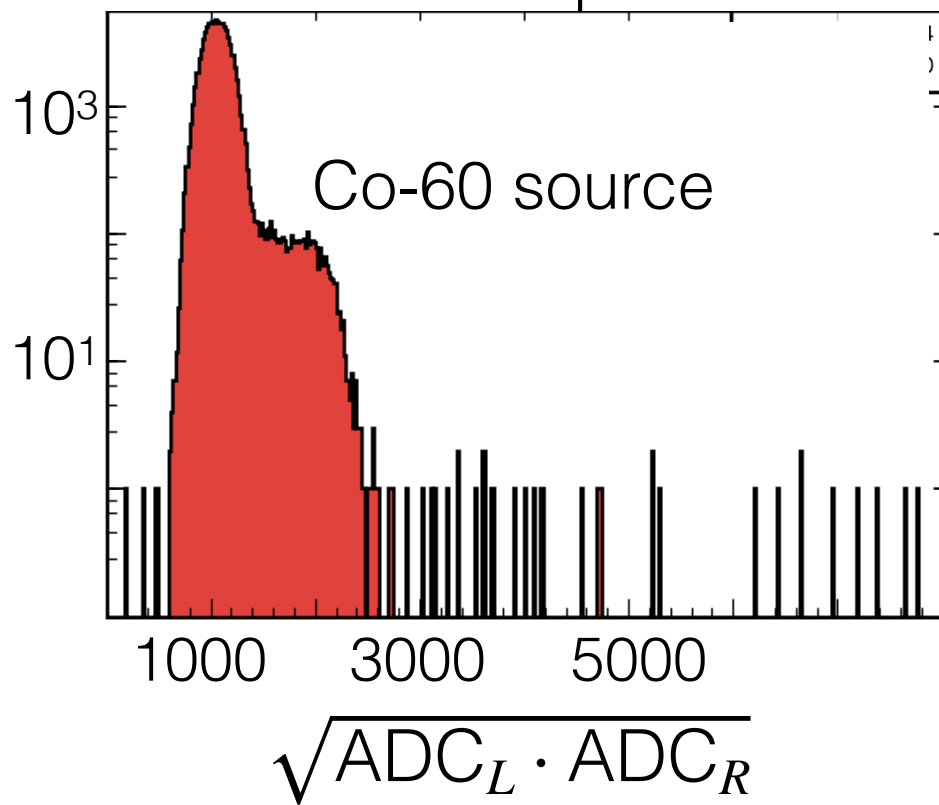
$$\text{ADC} = p_0 \left(\frac{\text{HV}}{1500} \right)^{p_1}$$

Have most ADC channels possible for neutrons while not driving PMTs into non-linearity

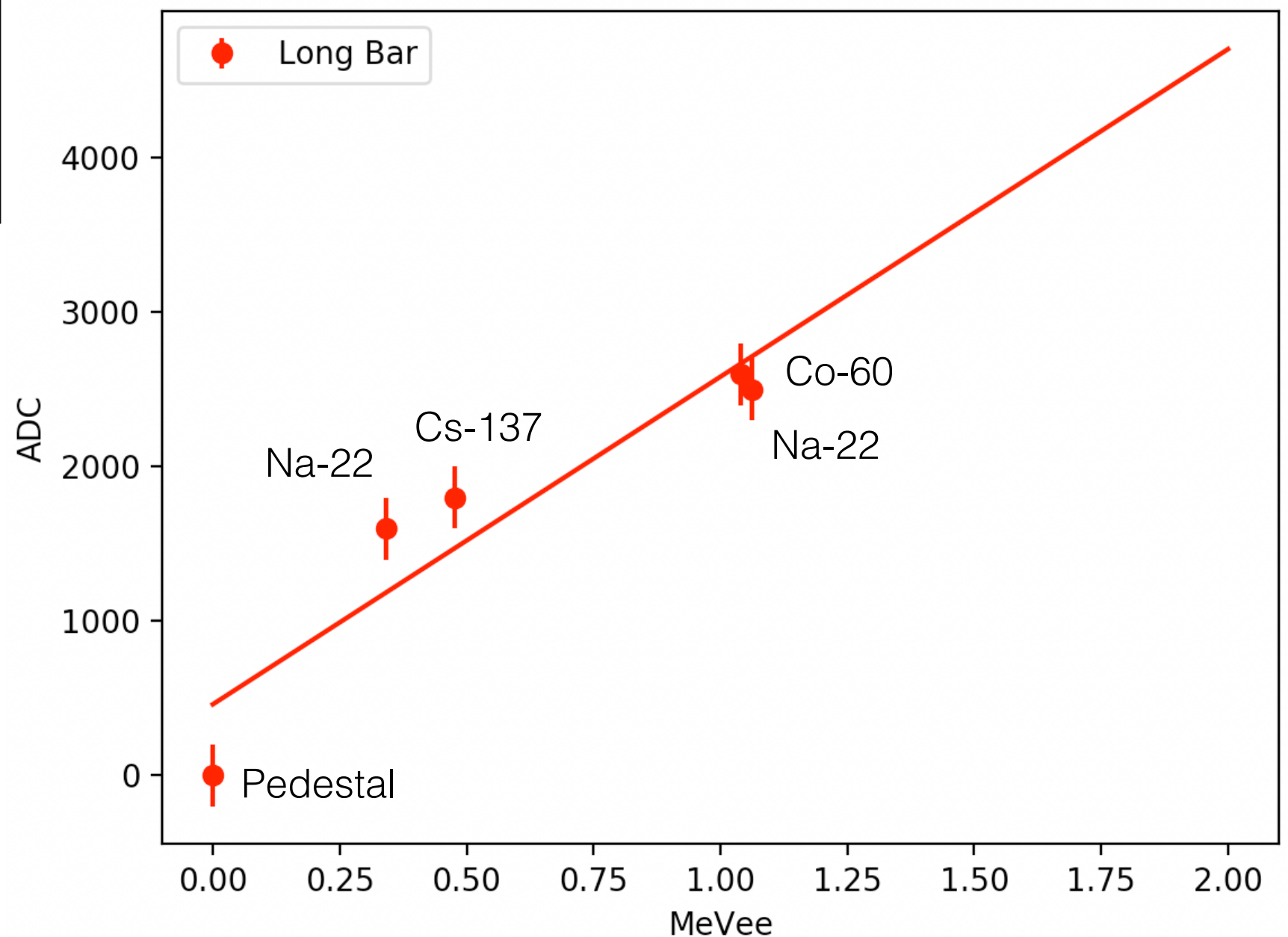
Calibrating ADC to MeVee

(MeVee = MeV Electron-Equivalent)

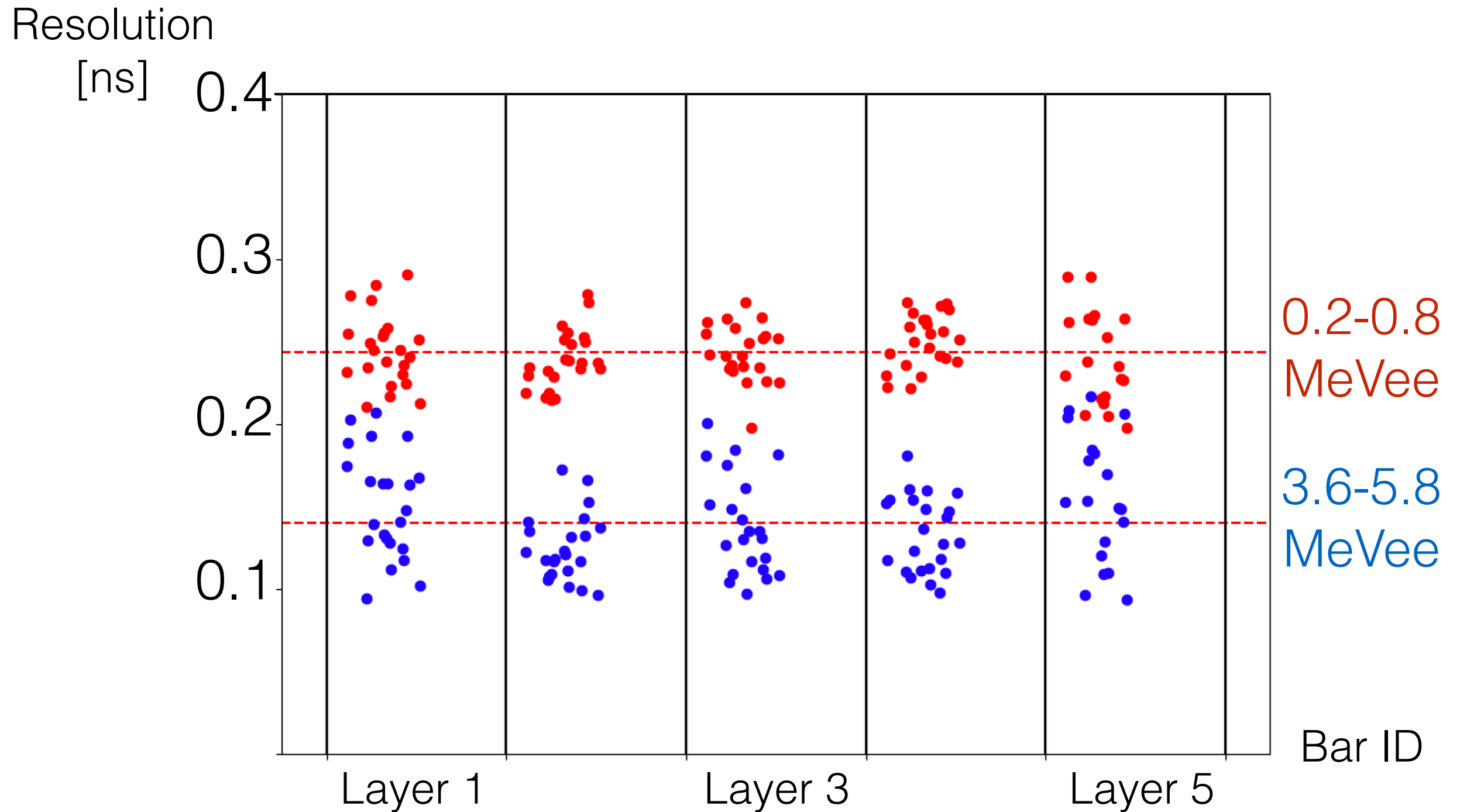
Bar ADC Spectrum



Planned software threshold of 2-3 MeVee

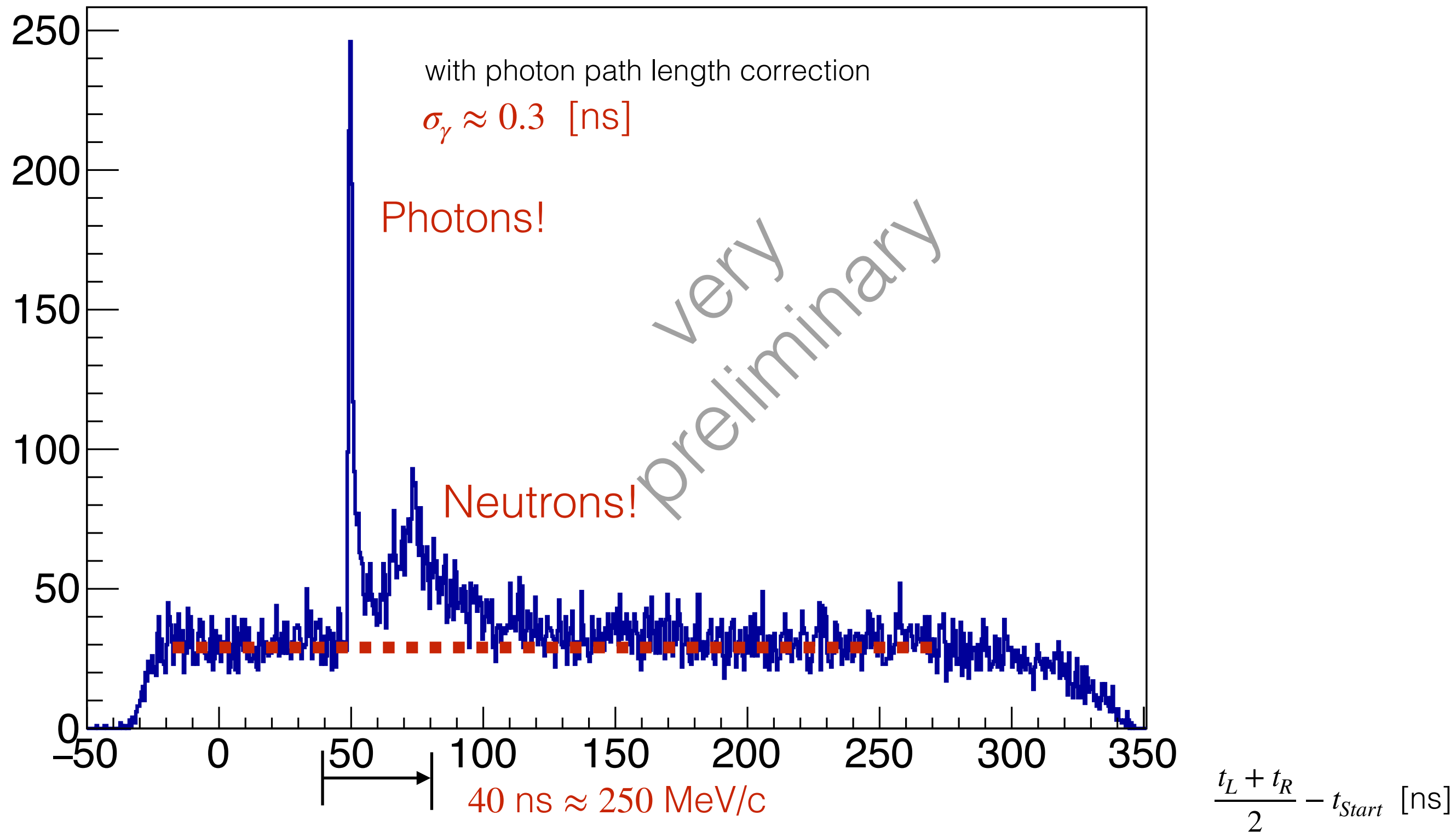


Resolutions of BAND Bars with Laser

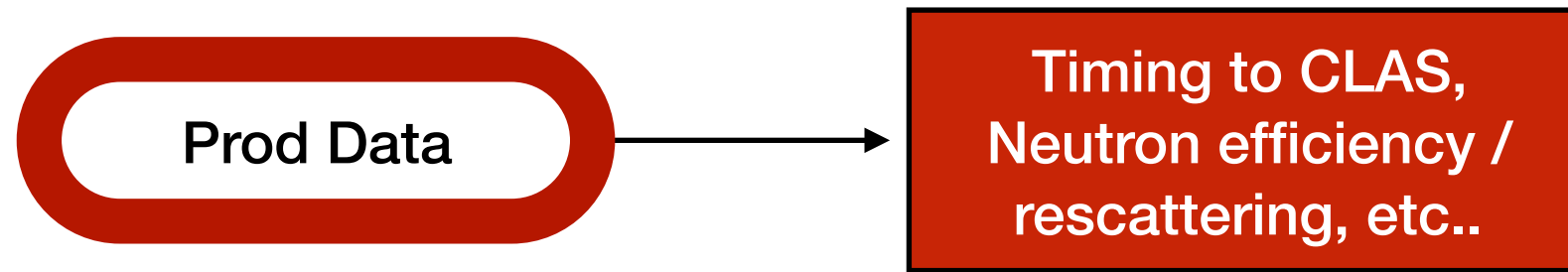


Time of Flight Distribution

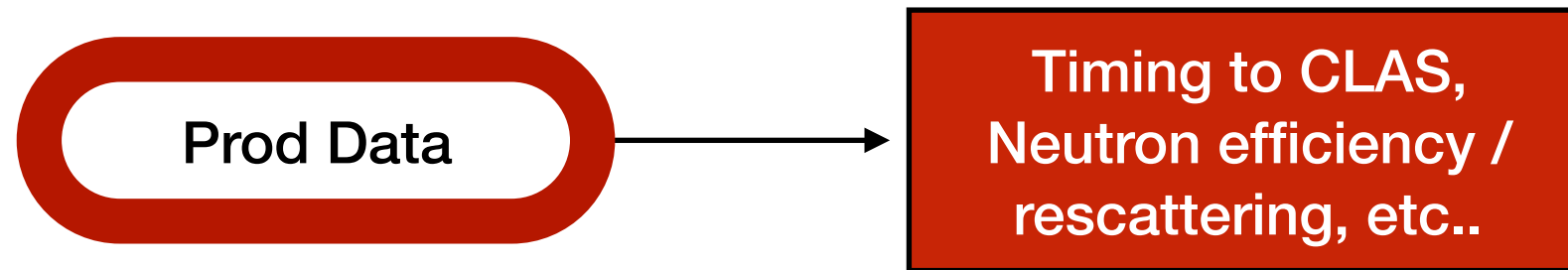
All long bars in BAND, e' from CLAS, ~3h run



BAND + CLAS



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Calibrating with exclusive processes

$d(e, e'p)n$ (measure n efficiency)

$d(e, e'p\pi^+\pi^-)n$ (measure n efficiency)

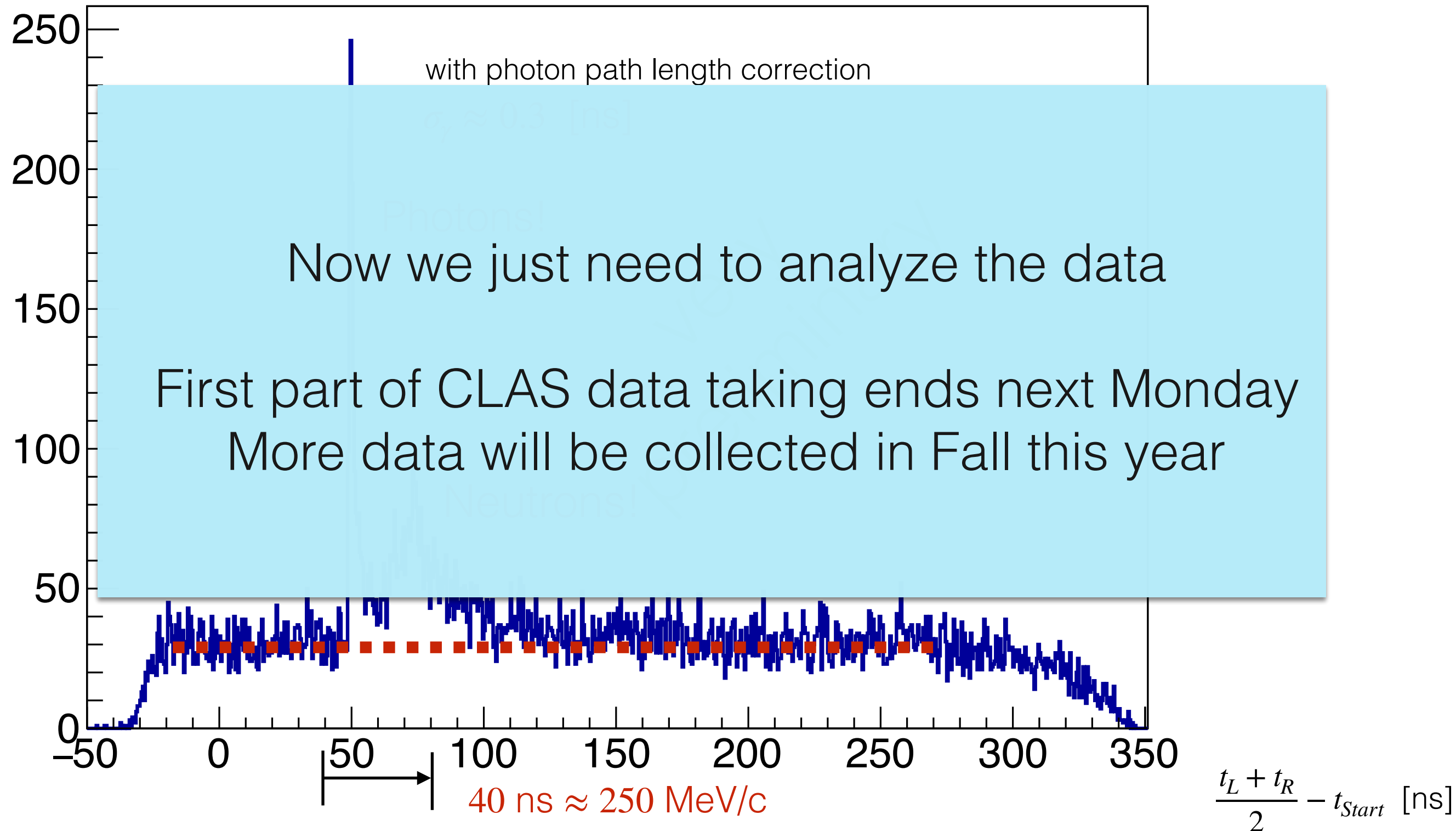
$d(e, e'pp\pi^-)$ (study resolution in CLAS)

Note 1: low energy run in fall to study neutron efficiency due to currently limited statistics

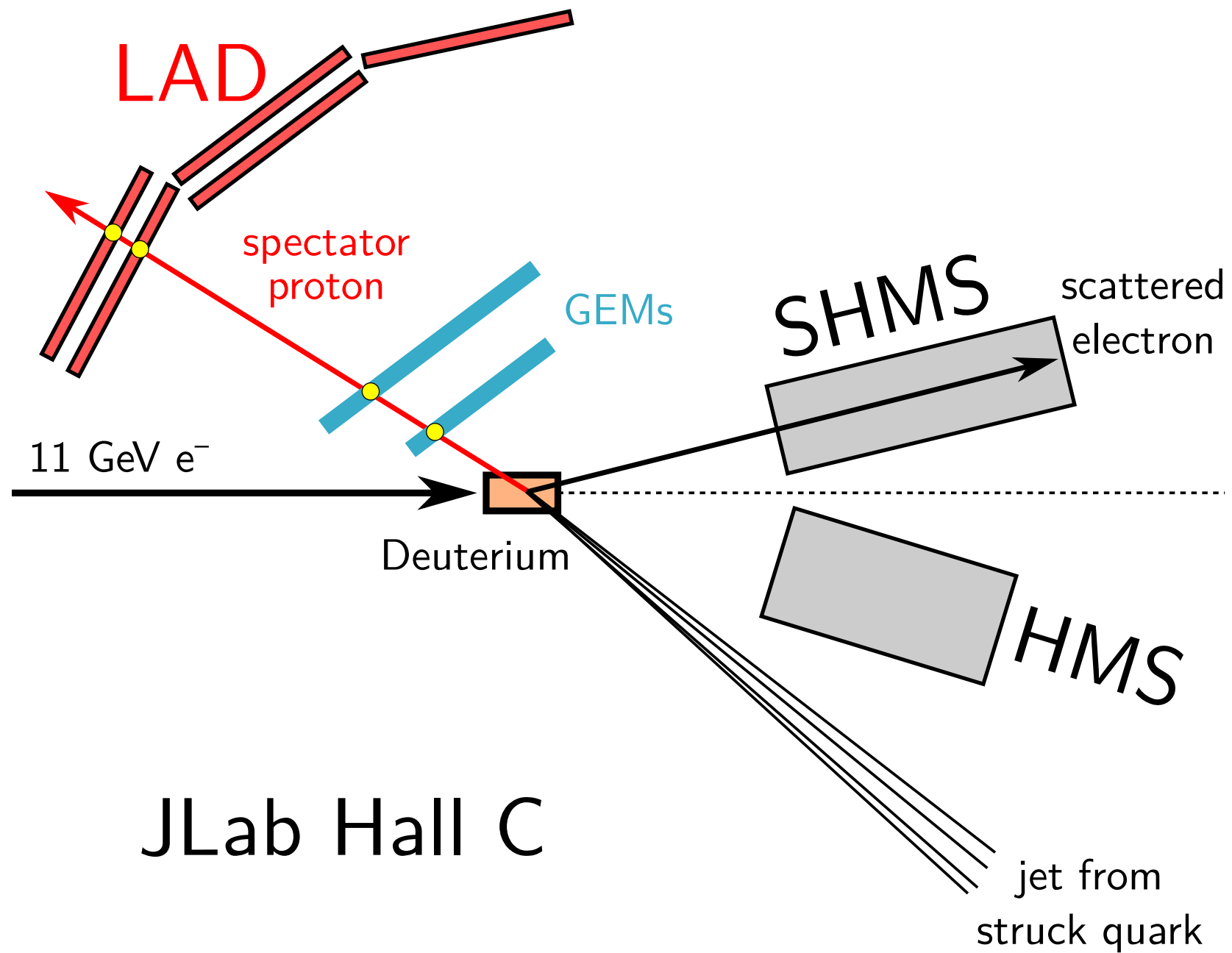
Note 2: Calibrations are too preliminary to study achievable resolution

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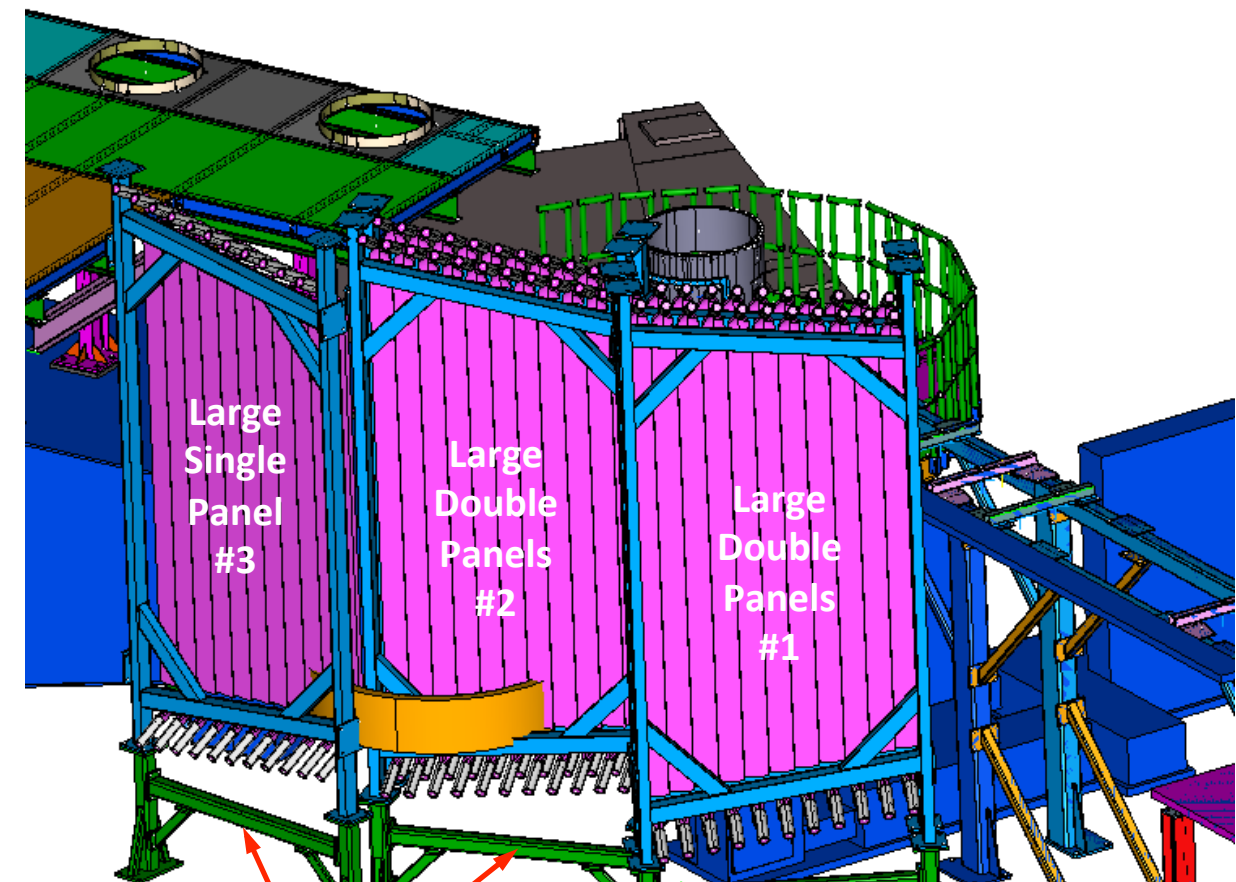
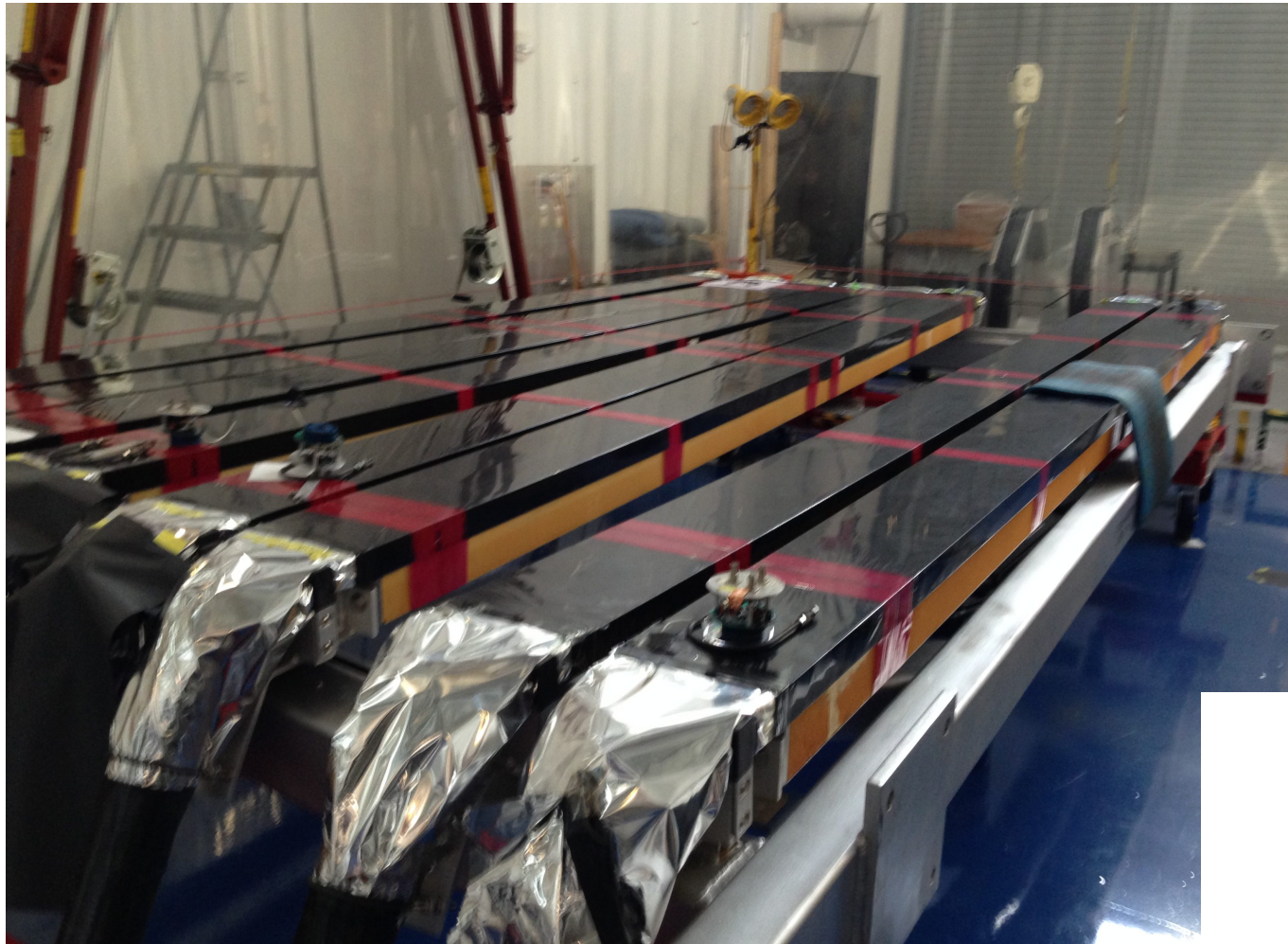
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LAD in Hall C



LAD - Refurbished CLAS6 TOF paddles



LAD Experimental Conditions

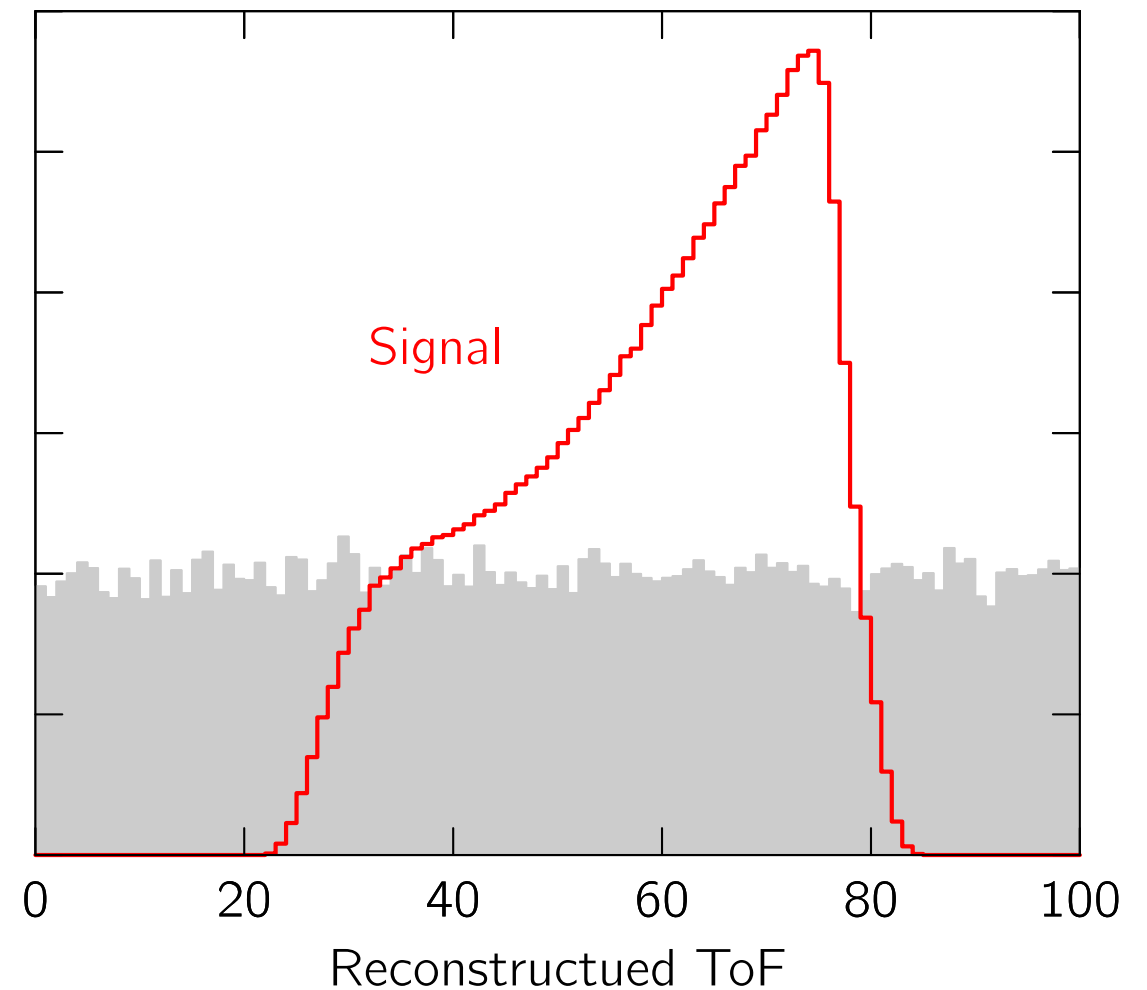
- Experiment E12-11-107
- Approved for ~34 days
- Extended LD₂ target
- 11 GeV electron beam
- $10^{36} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ luminosity (x10 higher than HallB)
- Low x and high x settings for e⁻ in HallC spectrometers

Protons in LAD

- 5 panels with 11 bars each
- 90-170 degree coverage
- +/- 20 degree out-of-plane coverage

Statistical Limit - Random background

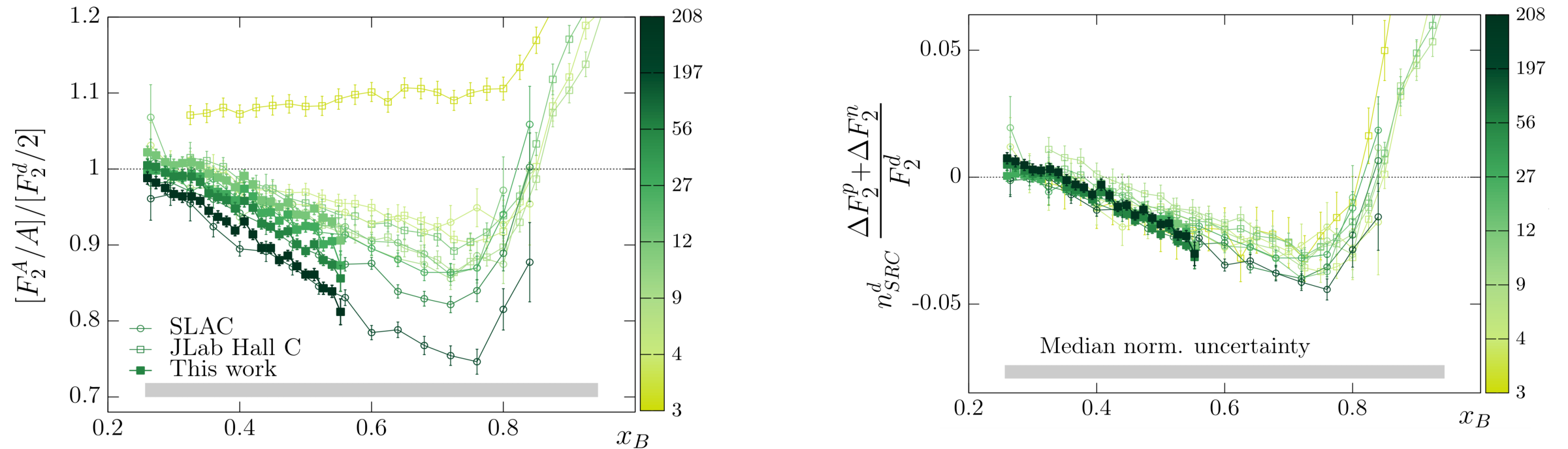
- Background subtraction by “off-time” events
- Reduction in background gives increased statistics
- Background conditions better than in HallB
 - Less material between target and LAD
 - Tracking of protons with GEMS



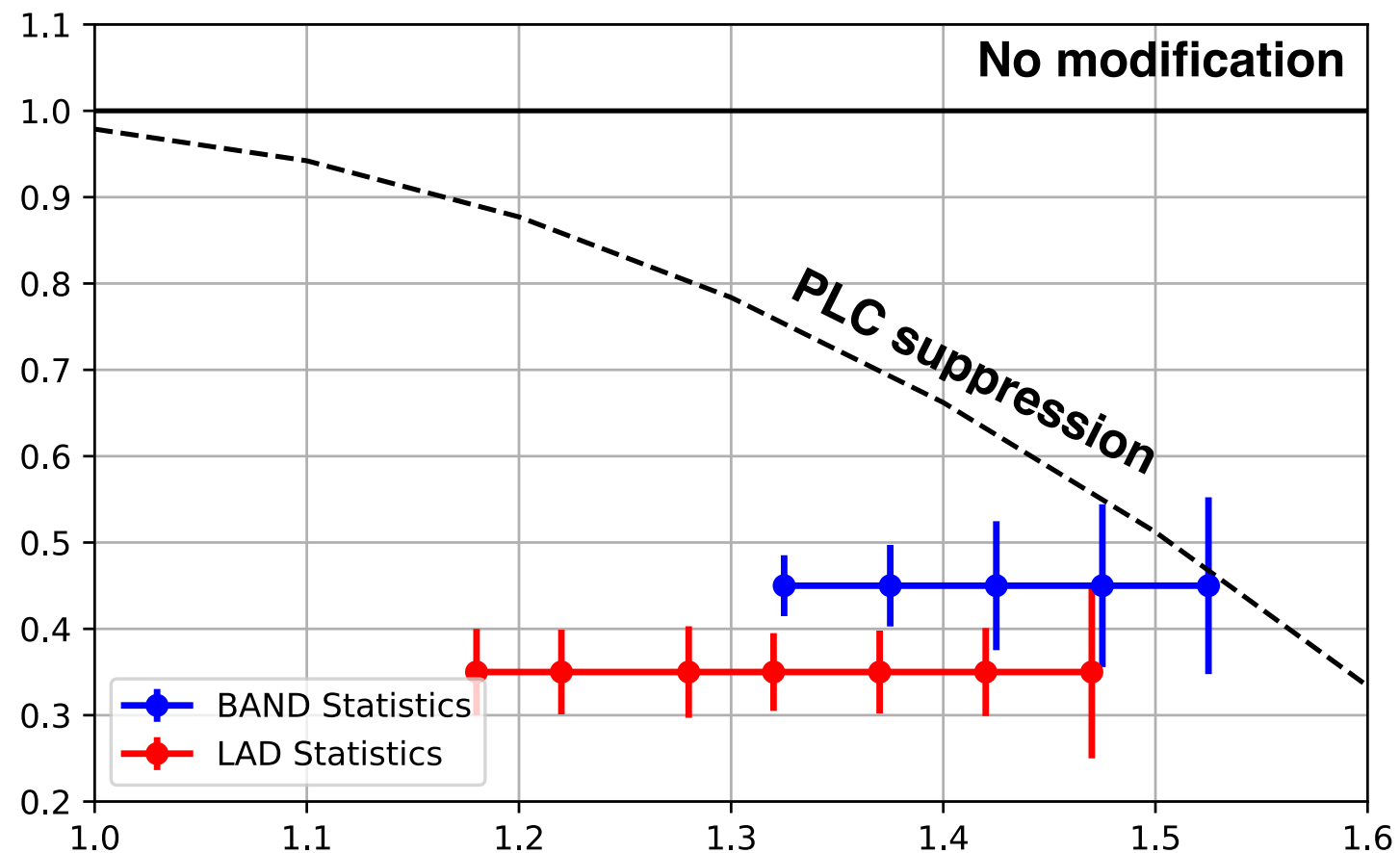
Simulation by A. Schmidt

—> Higher luminosity, higher statistics, higher x' coverage

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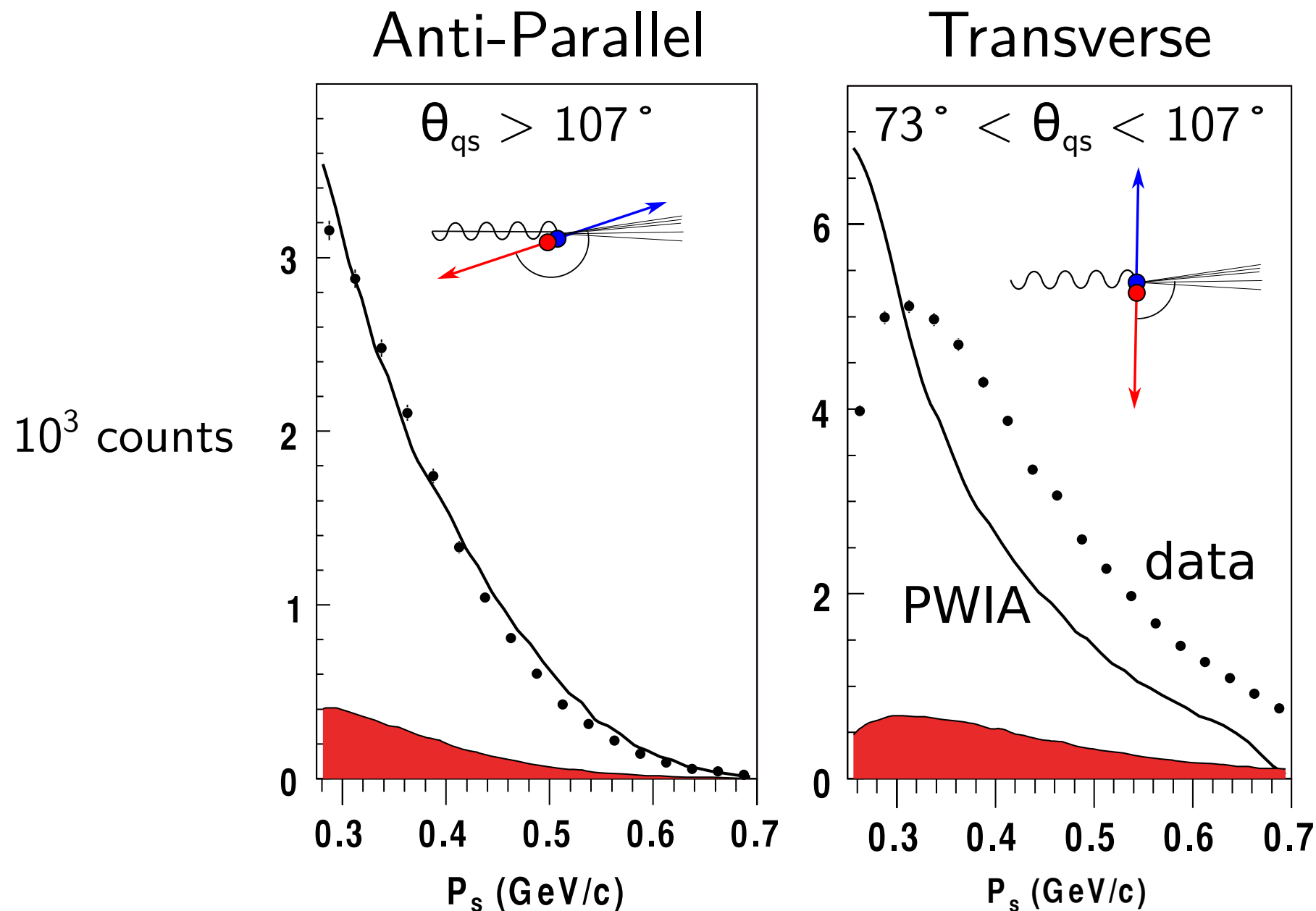
Bound $F_2/\text{Free } F_2$



Back up slides

FSI in Tagged DIS

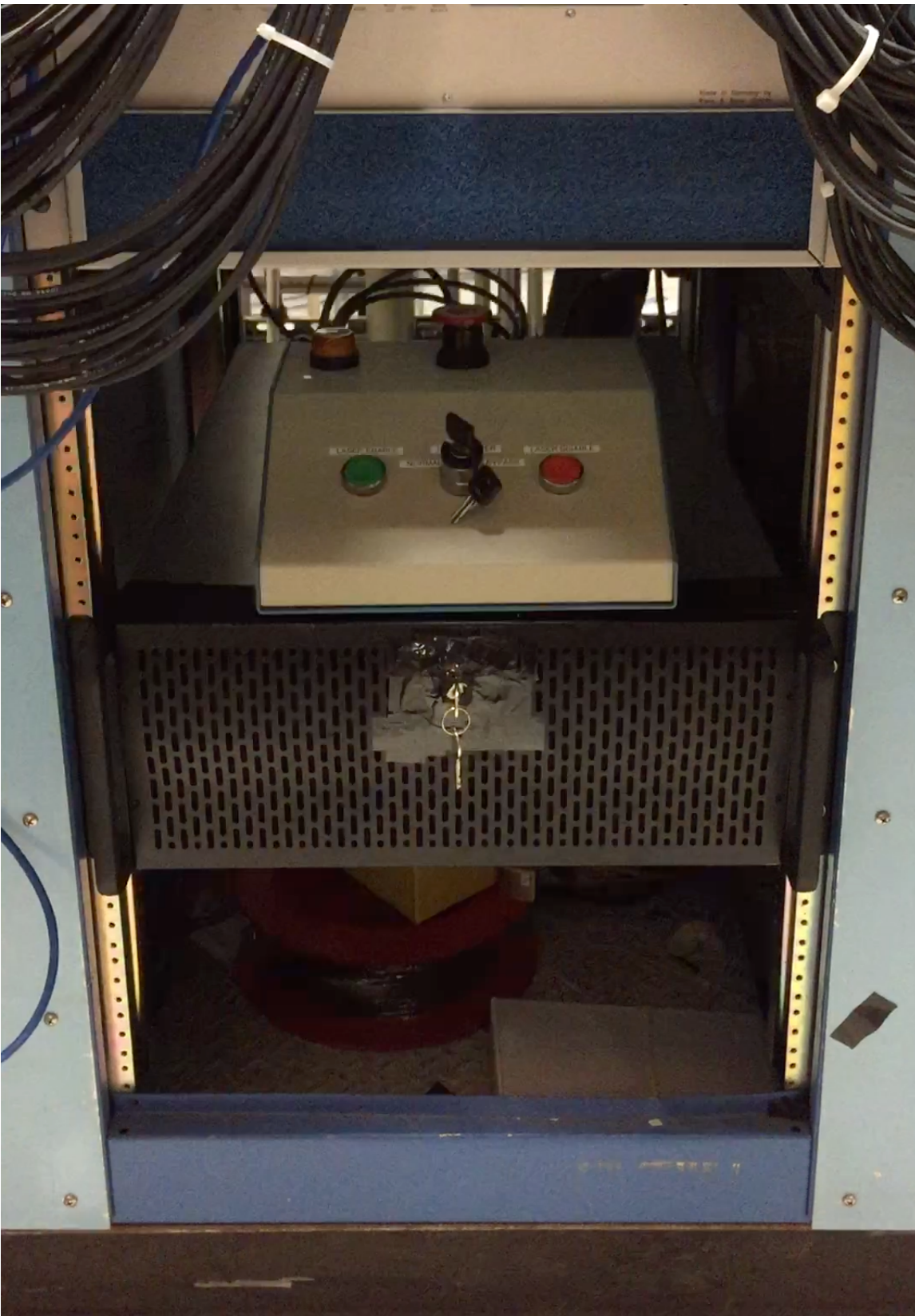
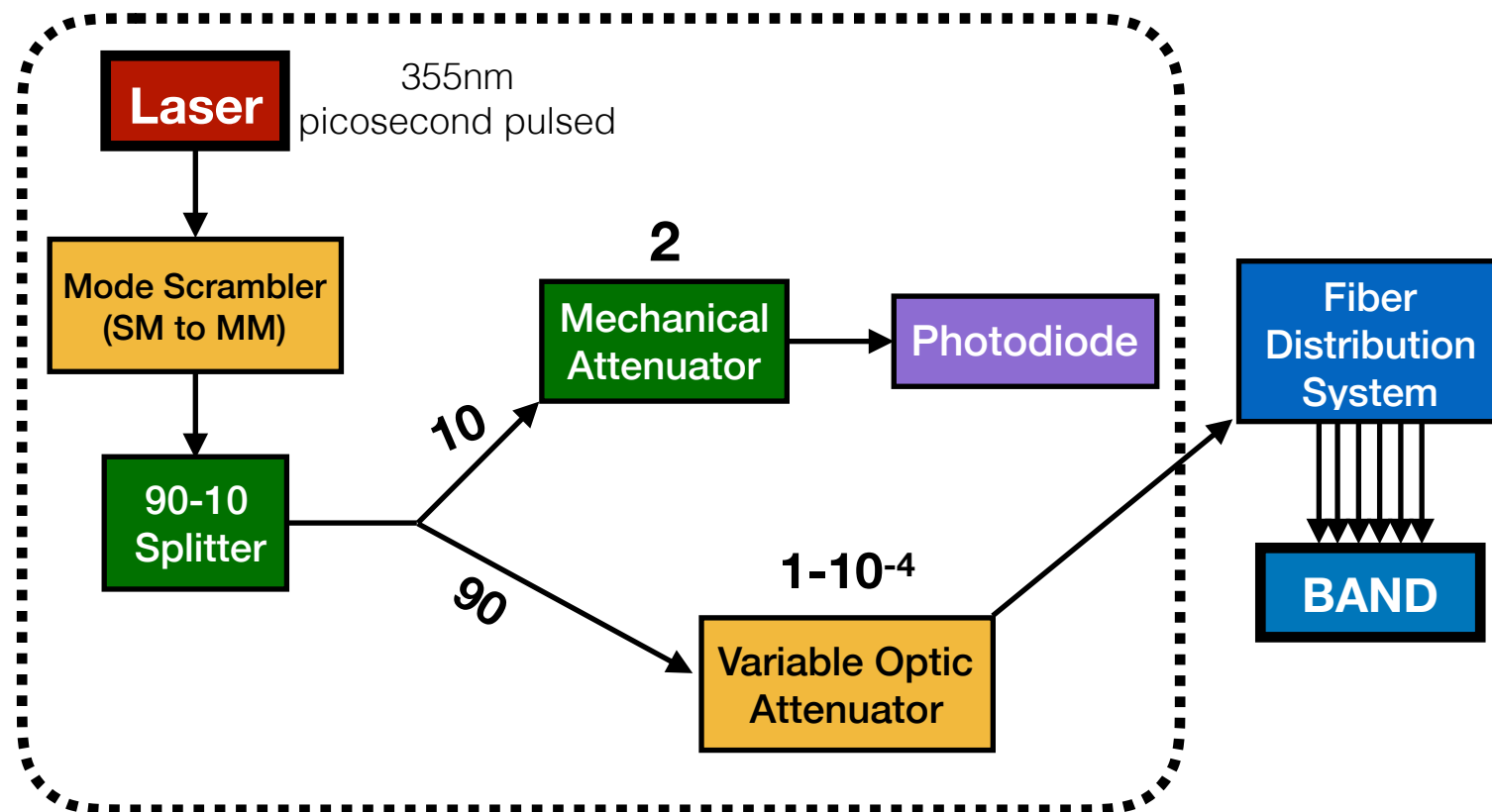
DEEPS showed little FSI at back angles.



Klimenko et al., PRC 73 035212 (2006)

Laser System

Used to monitor PMT stability



N_{Signal} and uncertainty

Run 6164, 900 splits, 3 hours of beam

Cuts MeVee	S+B	B	S	σS	S:B	$\sigma S/S$ [%]
—	21499	16596	4903	195.18	0.3	3.98
1	12232	8592	3640	144.31	0.42	3.96
2	5151	2904	2247	89.75	0.77	3.99
3	3366	1640	1726	70.75	1.05	4.1
4	2253	880	1373	55.97	1.56	4.08
5	1613	440	1173	45.31	2.67	3.86

N_{Signal} and uncertainty

Run 6327, 600 splits, 1 hours of beam

Cuts MeVee	S+B	B	S	σS	S:B	$\sigma S/S$ [%]
-	8808	7224	1584	127	0.22	8.02
1	4914	3767	1147	93	0.3	8.11
2	1972	1244	728	57	0.59	7.83
3	1250	698	552	44	0.79	7.97
4	833	357	476	34	1.33	7.14
5	590	162	428	27	2.64	6.31
6	487	121	366	25	3.02	6.83