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2nd Workshop on Quantitative Challenges in SRC and EMC Research

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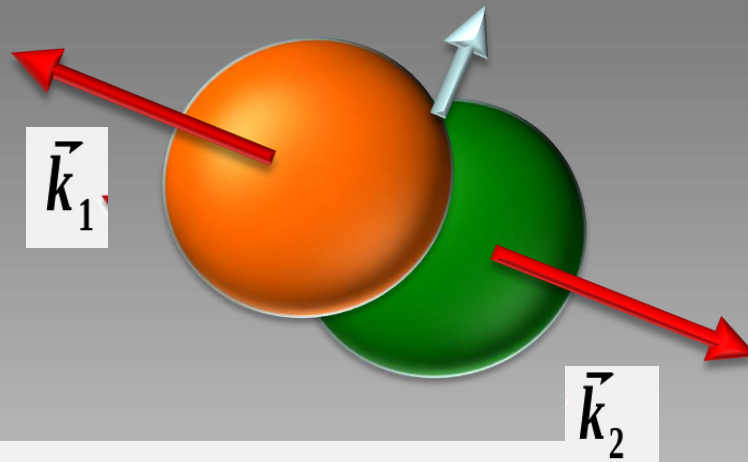


Eli Piasezky, Tel Aviv University, Israel

Thursday, March 21: 2N and 3N SRCs

Time		Presenter	Title
9:00 - 9:30	25+5'	Eli Piassetzky	SRC in, FSI out?
9:30 - 9:50	17+3'	Mark Strikman	Interpreting SRCs: FSI in $x > 1$, from (e,e') to $(e,e'NN)$
9:50 - 10:10	17+3'	Omar Benhar	Interpreting SRCs: FSI in $x > 1$, from (e,e') to $(e,e'NN)$
10:10 - 10:30	30'	Discussion	
10:30 - 11:00		Morning Coffee Break	
11:00 - 11:20	17+3'	Wim Cosyn	Transparency: neutrons & two-nucleon
11:20 - 11:40	17+3'	Meytal Duer	p vs. n Transparency & SRC A-dependence from $(e,e'Np)$
11:40 - 12:00	17+3'	Douglas Higinbotham	Issues with theoretical description of polarized ^3He $(e,e'p)$ and $^3\text{He}(e,e'd)$ data
12:00 - 12:30	30'	Discussion	

What Do We Mean by SRCs?



$$k_1 > k_F \quad k_2 > k_F \quad k_1 \simeq k_2$$

$$k_F \approx 250 \text{ MeV}/c$$

high *relative* and low *c.m.* momentum,

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(Part II: study NN interaction via SRC)

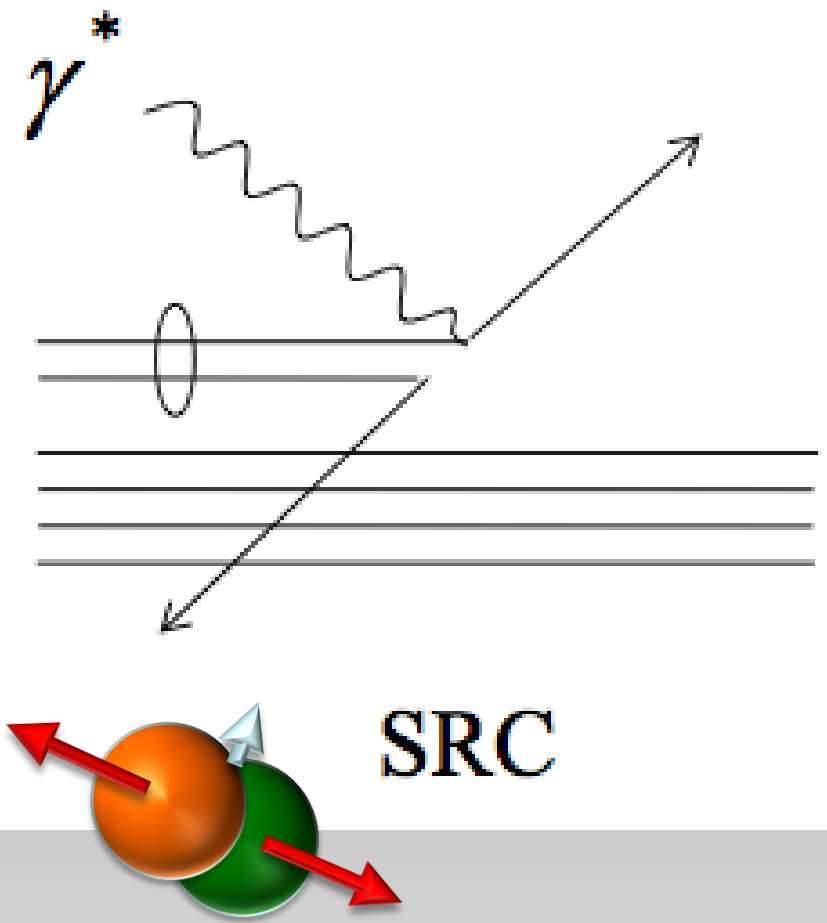
Friday, March 22: NN Interaction and Knock-out reactions

Saturday, March 23: EMC Effect

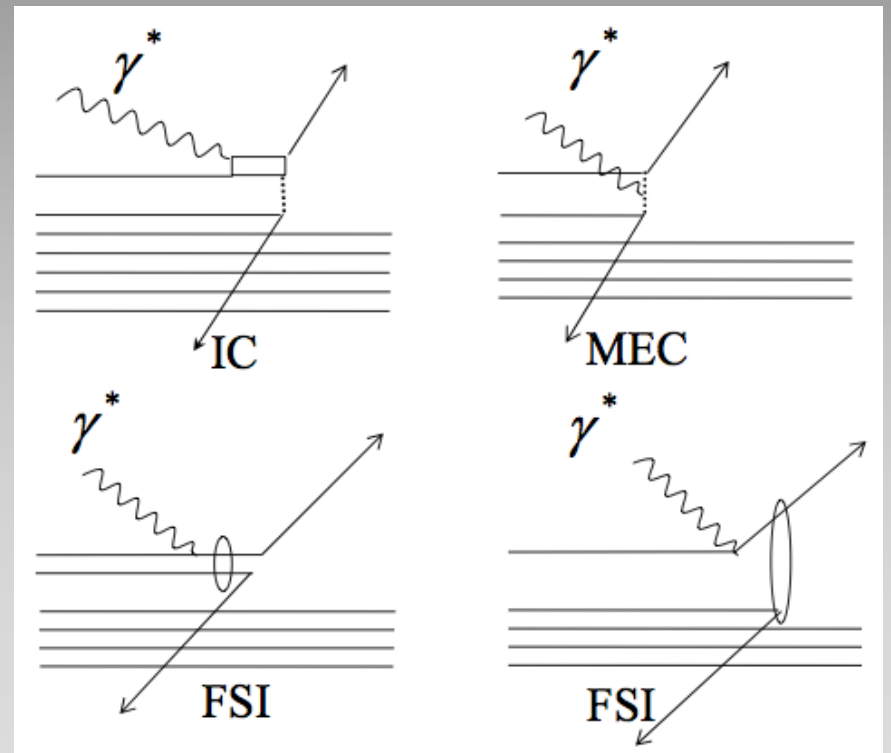
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9:00 - 9:30	25+5'	Gerald Miller	Short intro & new model
9:30 - 9:50	15+5'	Barak Schmookler	New 6 GeV results (CLAS)
9:50 - 10:15	20+5'	Mark Strikman	Quest for nonnucleonic degrees of freedom in nuclei
10:10 - 10:40	30'	Discussion: Understanding the dynamics behind the EMC Effect	

3N SRC

That is what we want

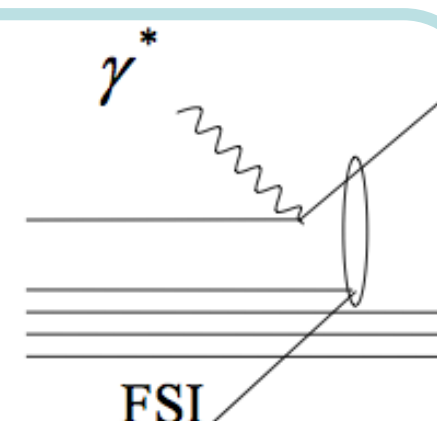
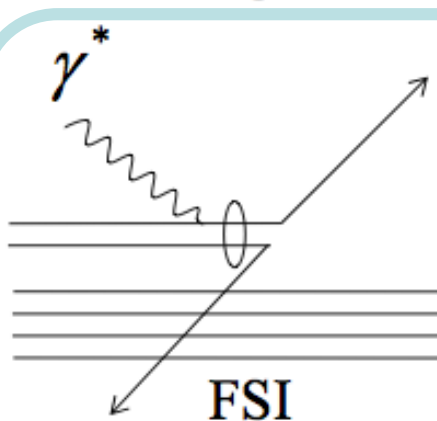
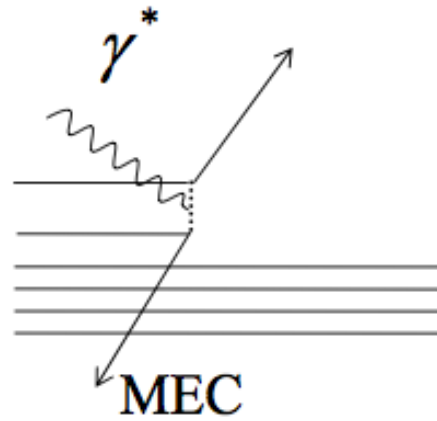
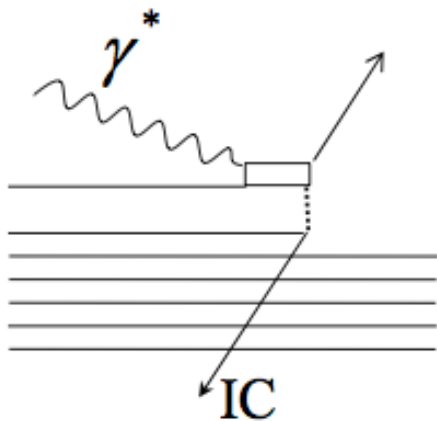


That is what we also get



“SRC kinematics”

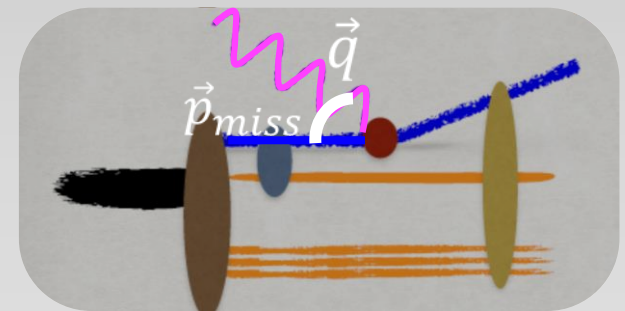
“observables”



MEC suppressed @ **high- Q^2** ,
IC suppressed at **$x_B > 1$** .

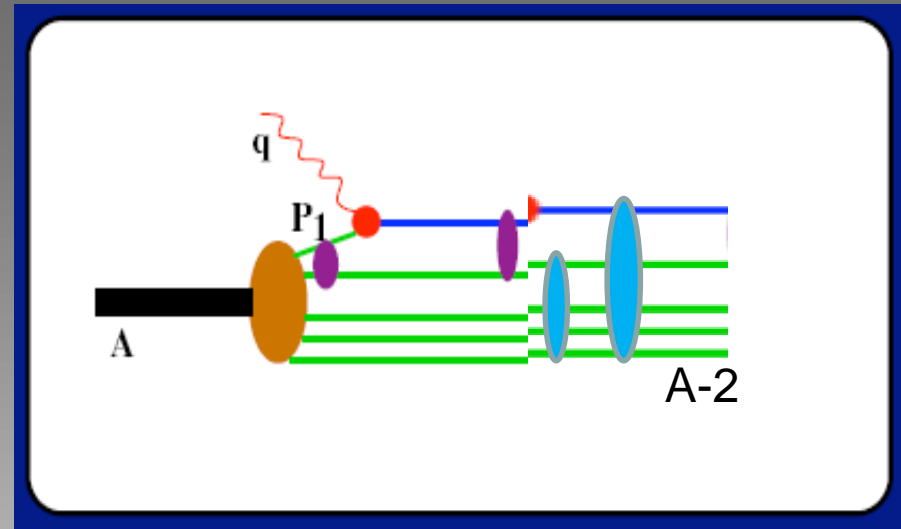
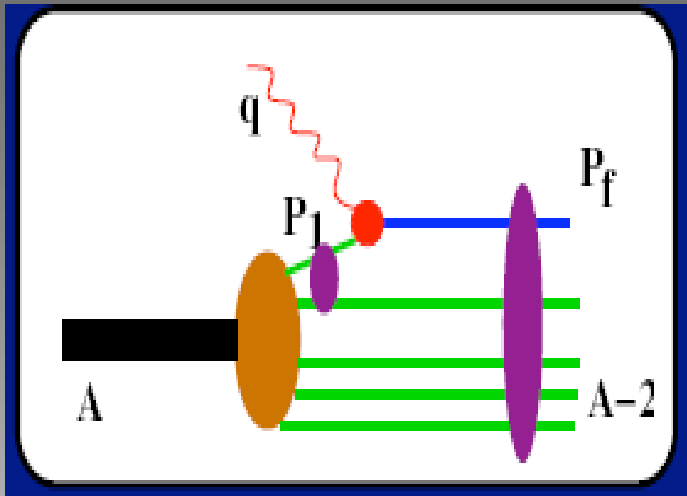
Large P_{miss}

FSI suppressed in **anti-parallel** kinematics.
Treated using **Glauber** approximation.



Why FSI do not destroy the 2N-SRC signature ?

For large Q^2 and $x > 1$ FSI is confined within the SRC or can be factorize and approximate by Glauber calculations



distances that highly virtual struck nucleon propagates

$$\Delta E = -q_0 - M_A + \sqrt{m^2 + (p_i + q)^2} + \sqrt{M_{A-1}^2 + p_i^2}$$

$$r \approx \frac{1}{\Delta E v} \leq 1 \text{ fm}$$

for $x > 1.3$

FSI in the SRC pair:

- Conserve the isospin structure of the pair .
- Conserve the CM momentum of the pair.

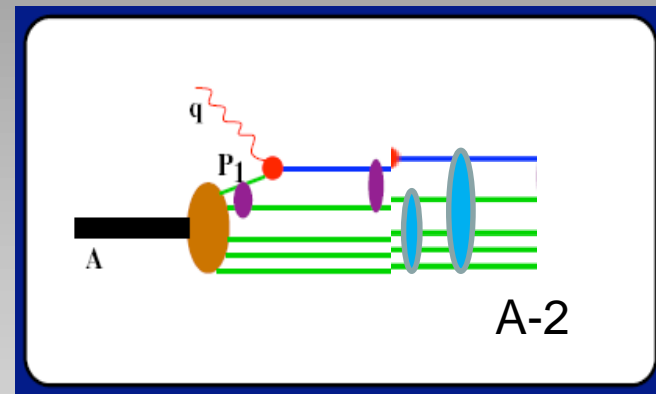
FSI with the A-2 system:

- ★ Geometry, $(e, e'p)$ selects the surface.
- ★ Can be treated in Glauber approximation.
- ★ Can be tested experimentally.
- ★ Canceled in some of the measured ratios.

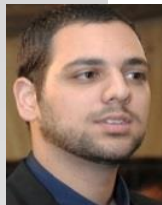
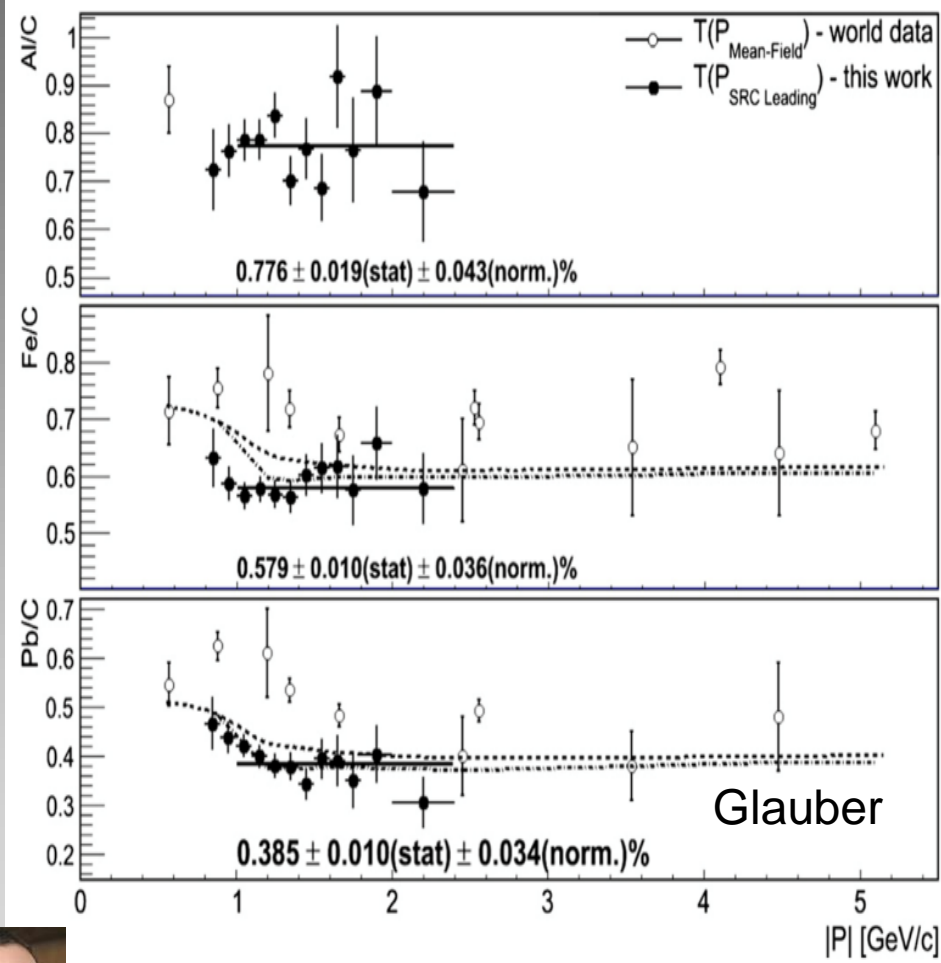
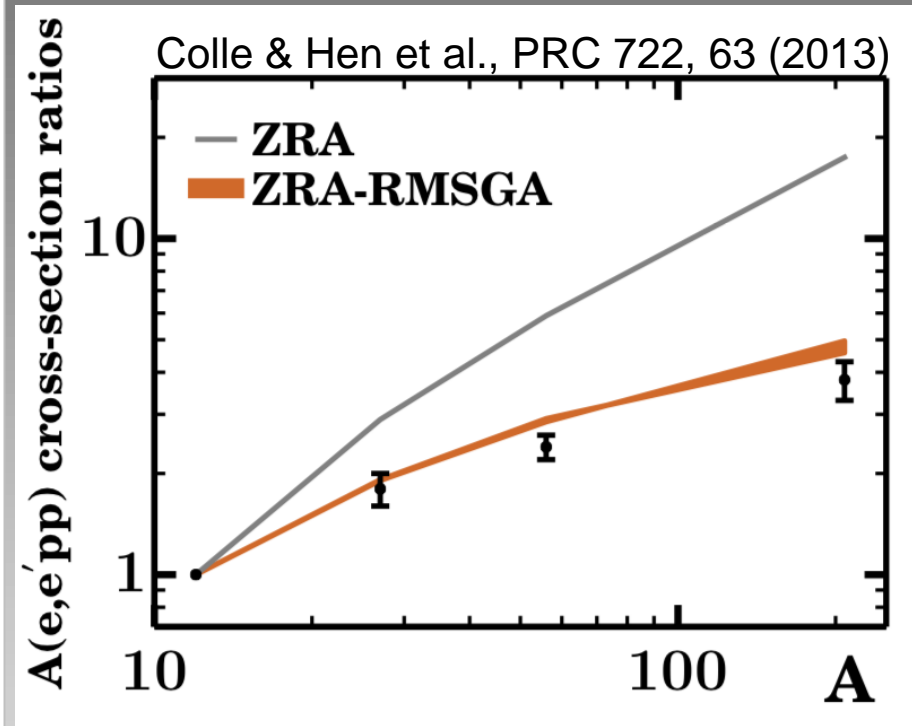
FSI in the SRC pair:

These are not necessarily small, BUT:

- ★ Conserve the isospin structure of the pair .
- ★ Conserve the CM momentum of the pair.



Glauber agrees with data!

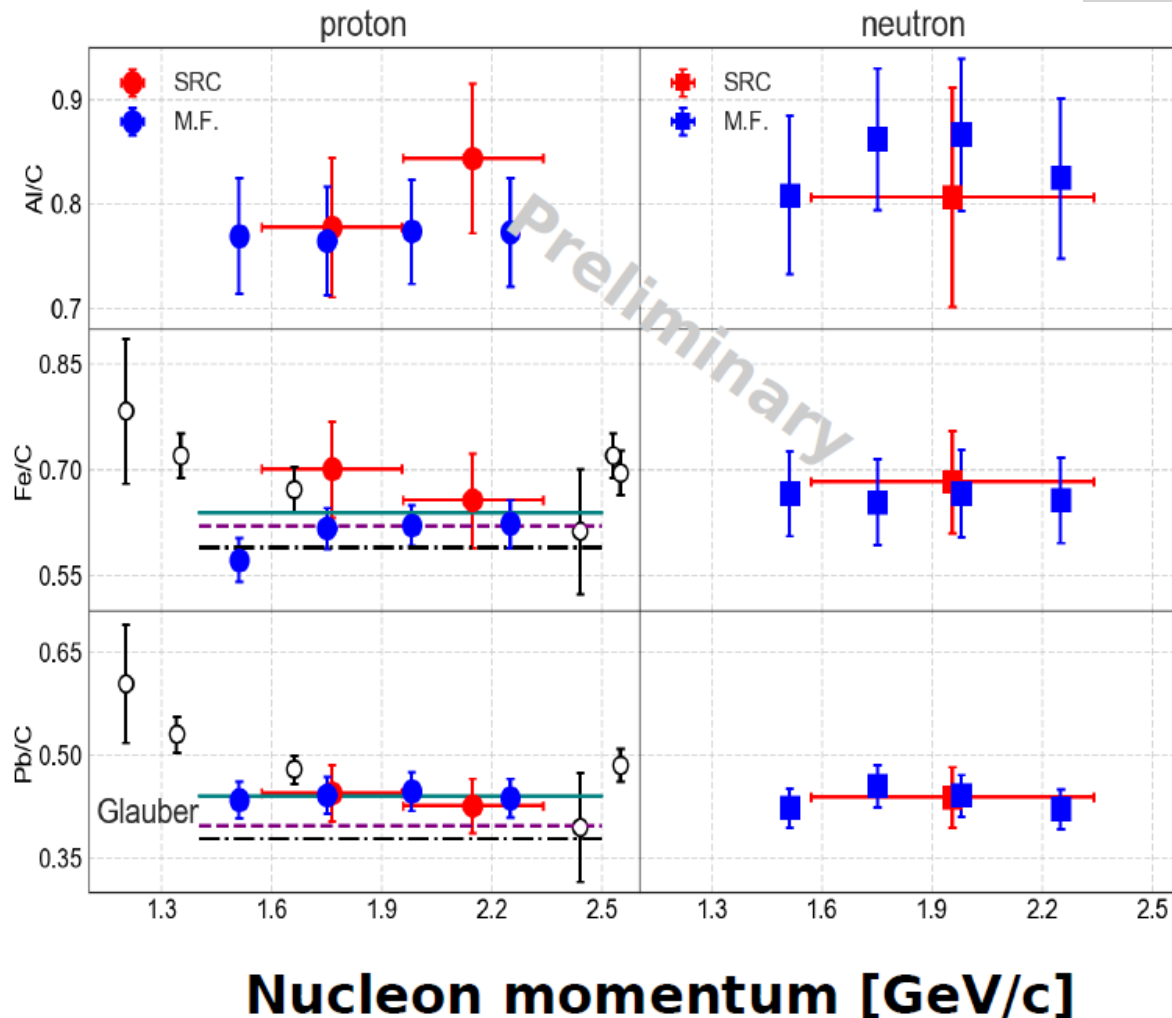


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$T(A)/T(C)$



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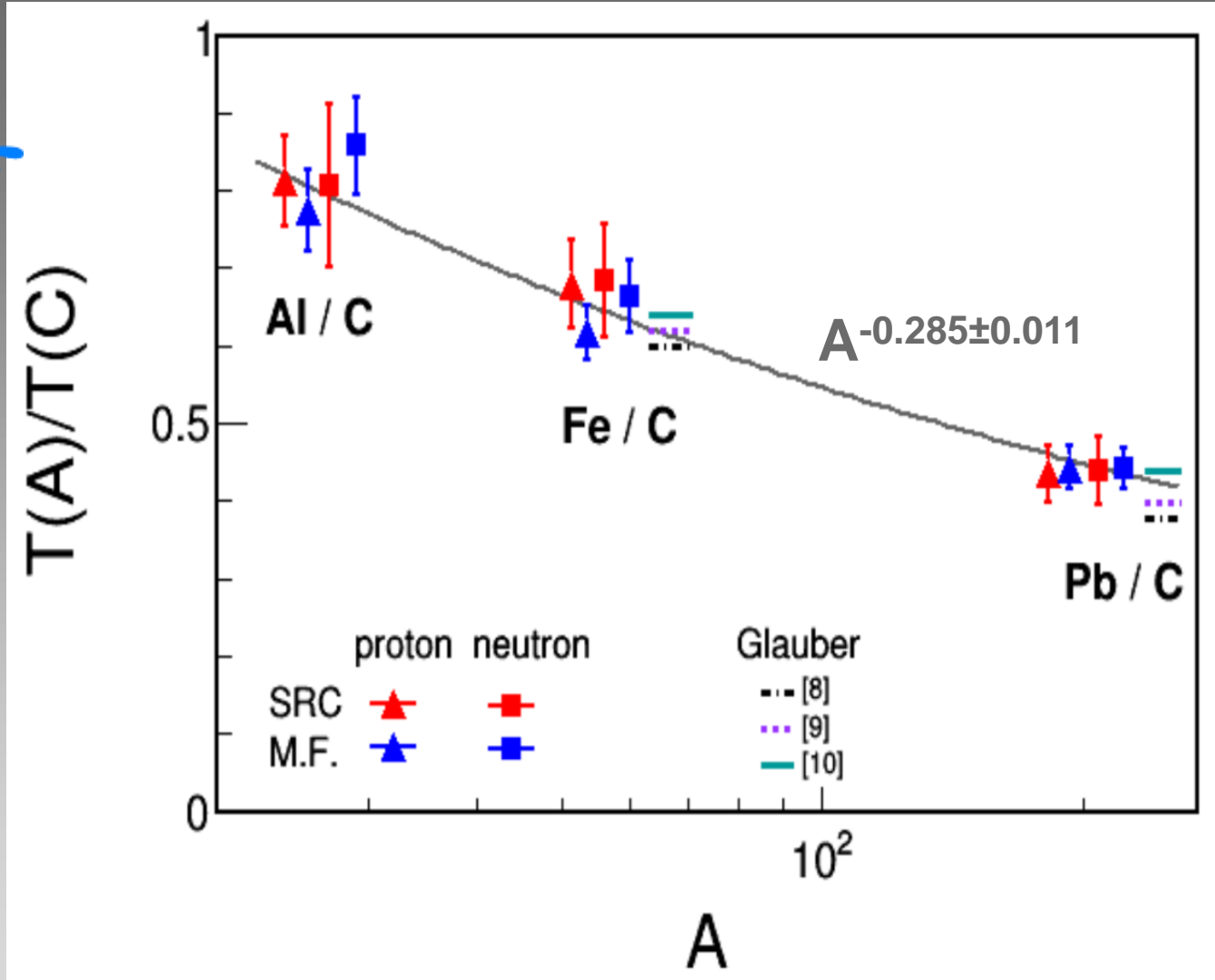
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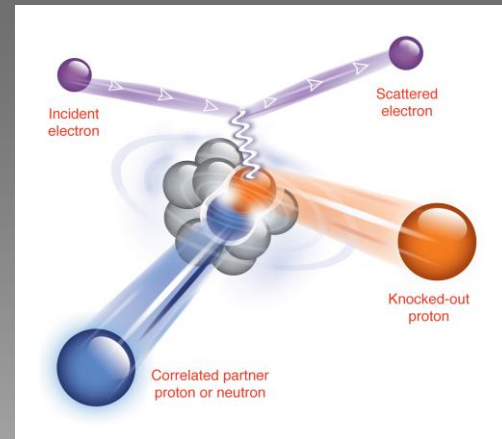
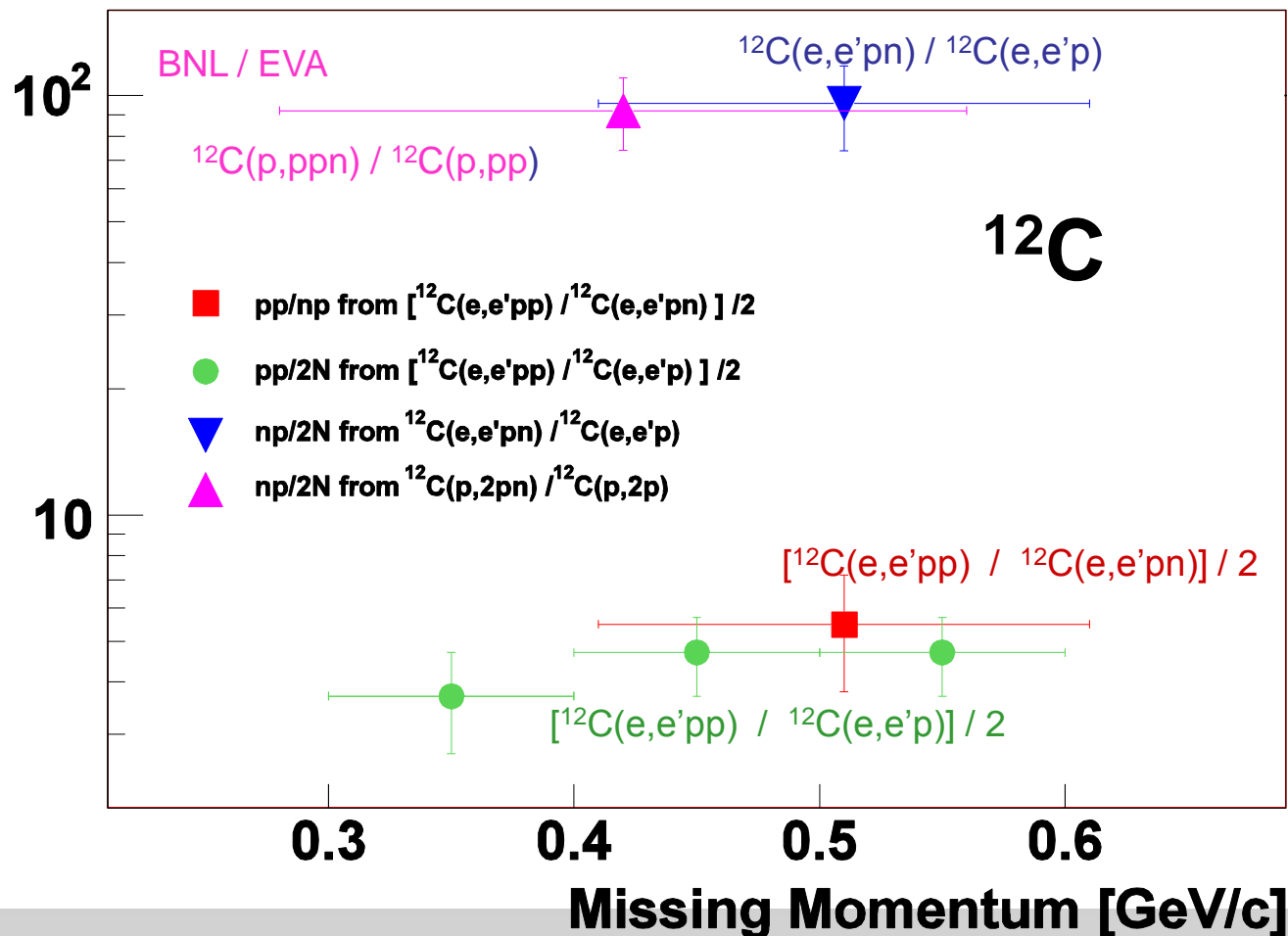
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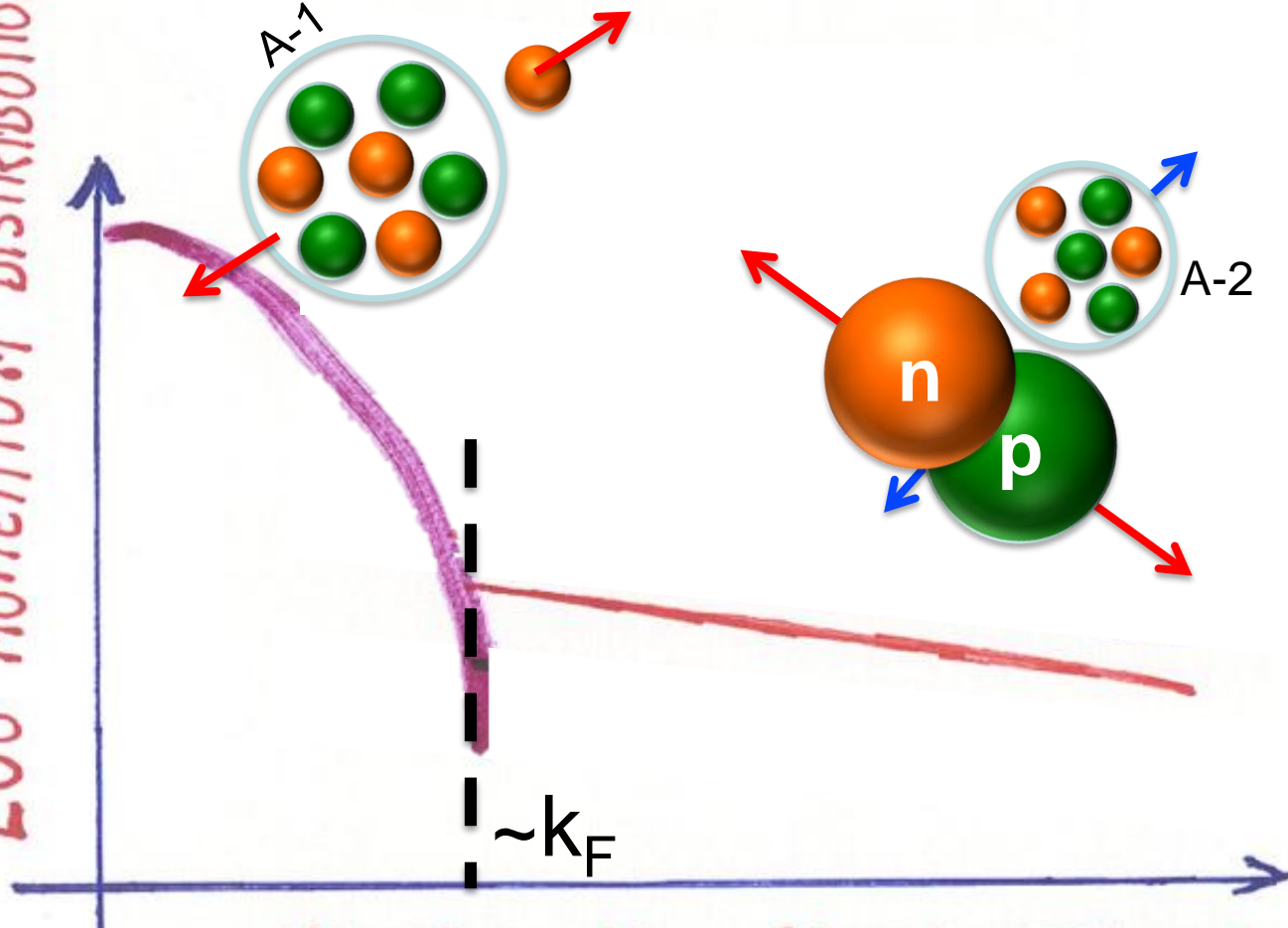
SRC Pair Fraction (%)



The high momentum tail in nuclei is dominated by SRC pairs

Most of the SRC pairs (90%) are np only 5% pp and 5% nn

LOG MOMENTUM DISTRIBUTION



$$S_{ab}^{\alpha} = \frac{1}{4\pi} \int \frac{d\mathbf{p}_2}{(2\pi)^3} \delta(f(\mathbf{p}_2)) |\tilde{\varphi}_{ab}^{\alpha}(|(\mathbf{p}_1 - \mathbf{p}_2)/2|)|^2 n_{ab}^{\alpha}(\mathbf{p}_1 + \mathbf{p}_2)$$

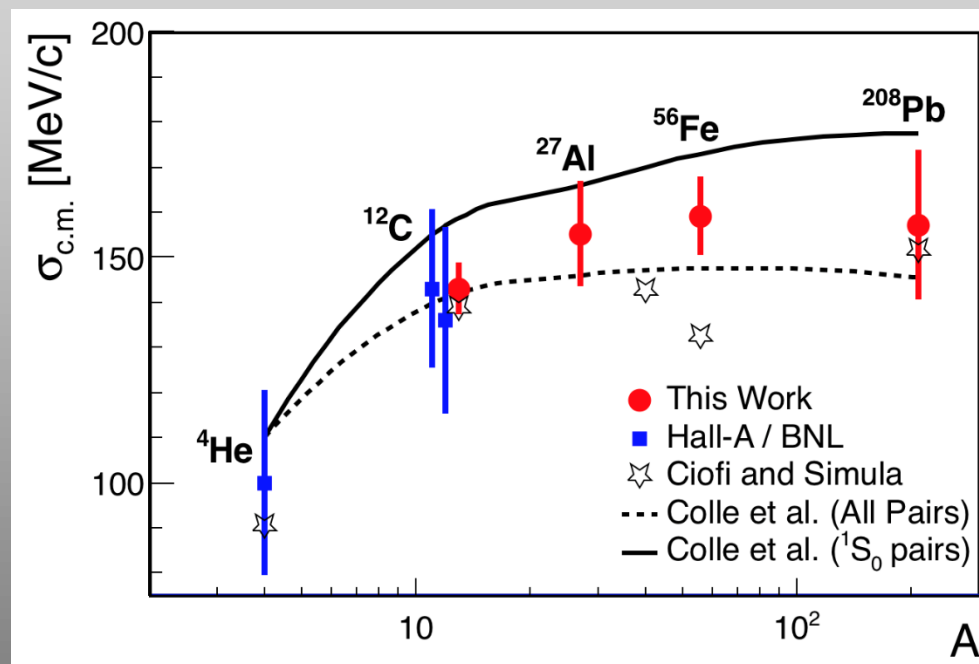
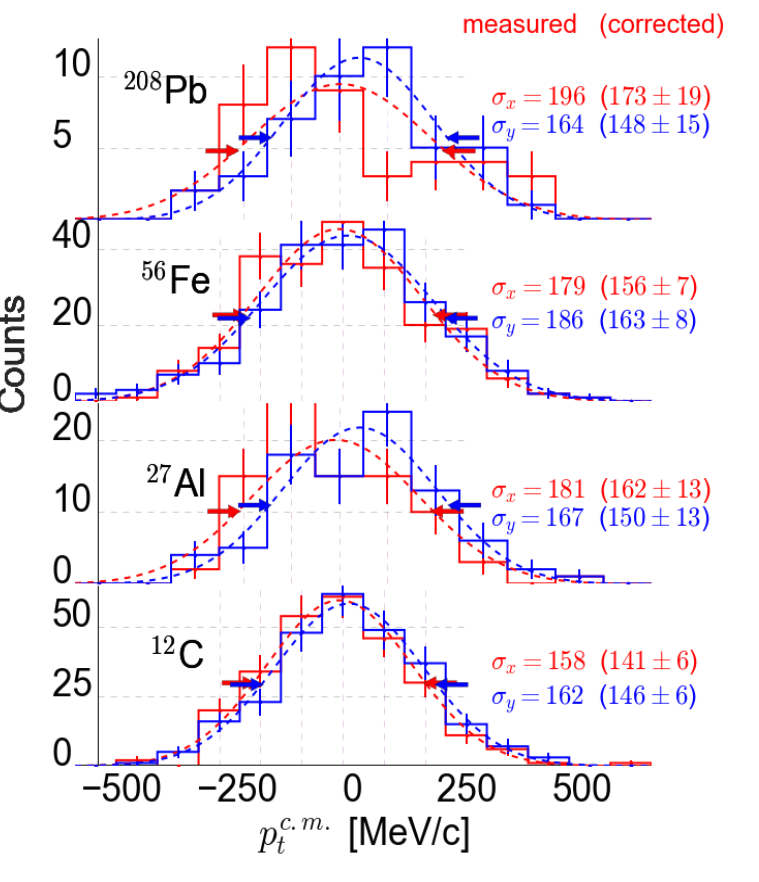
C.M. Motion of the SRC pairs



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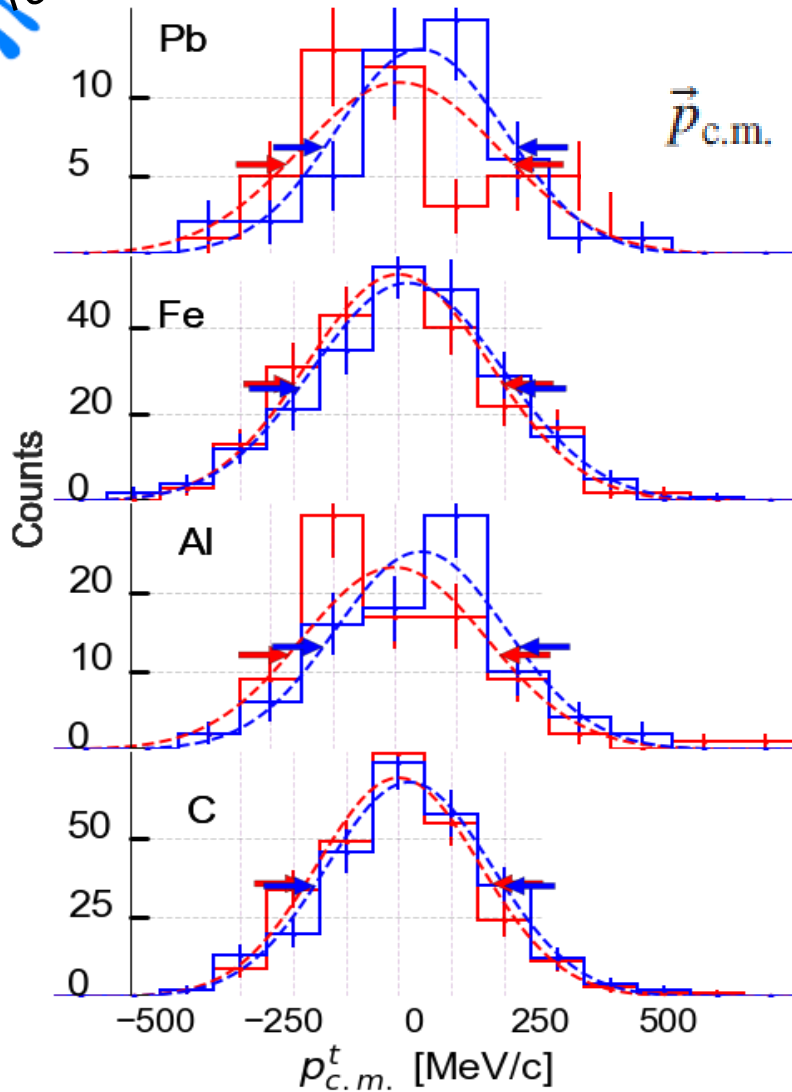


$A(e, e' pp)$

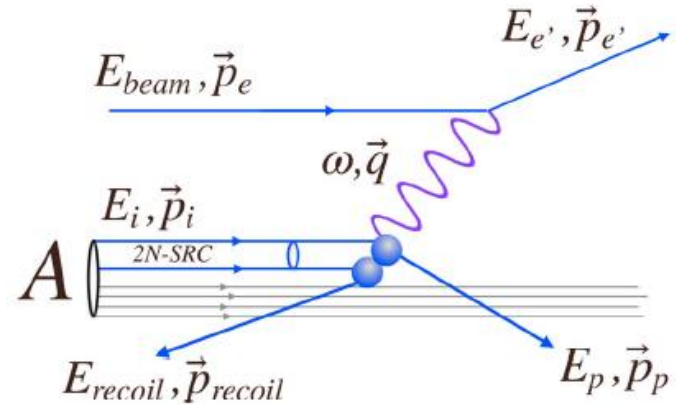


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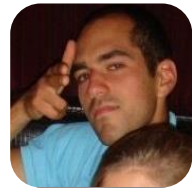
Low Pair C.M. Motion



$$\vec{p}_{c.m.} = \vec{p}_{miss} + \vec{p}_{recoil} = \vec{p}_p - \vec{q} + \vec{p}_{recoil}$$

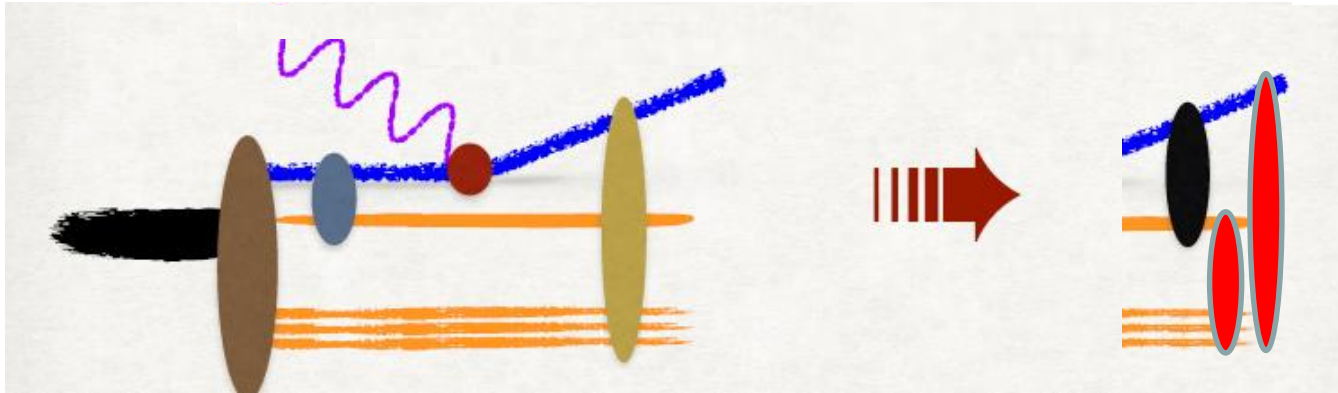


FSI permitted



FSI

For SRC kinematics (large Q^2 , $x > 1$):

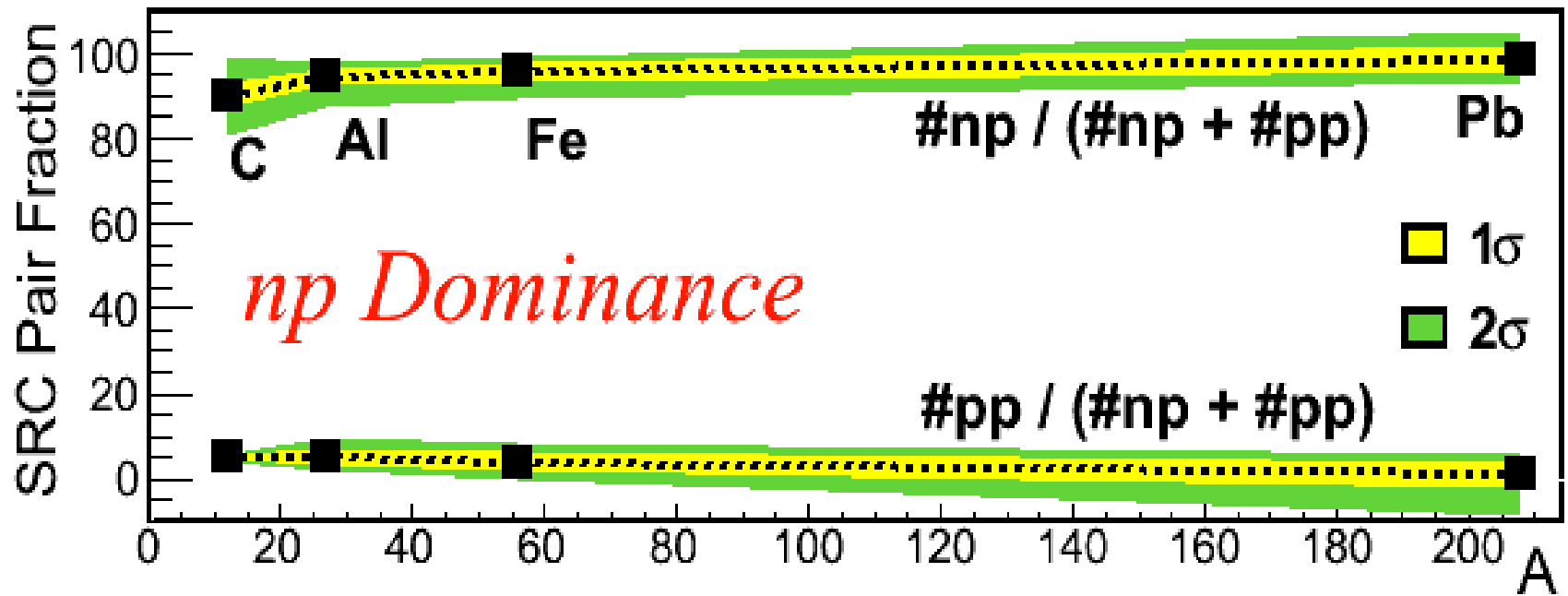


Rescattering within the pair

Does not change the reconstructed
CM momentum



Attenuation SCX:
Calculate using Glauber.



Hen et al., Science 346 (2014)

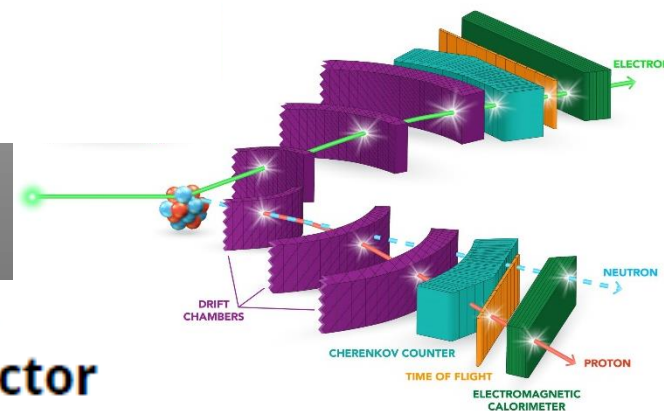
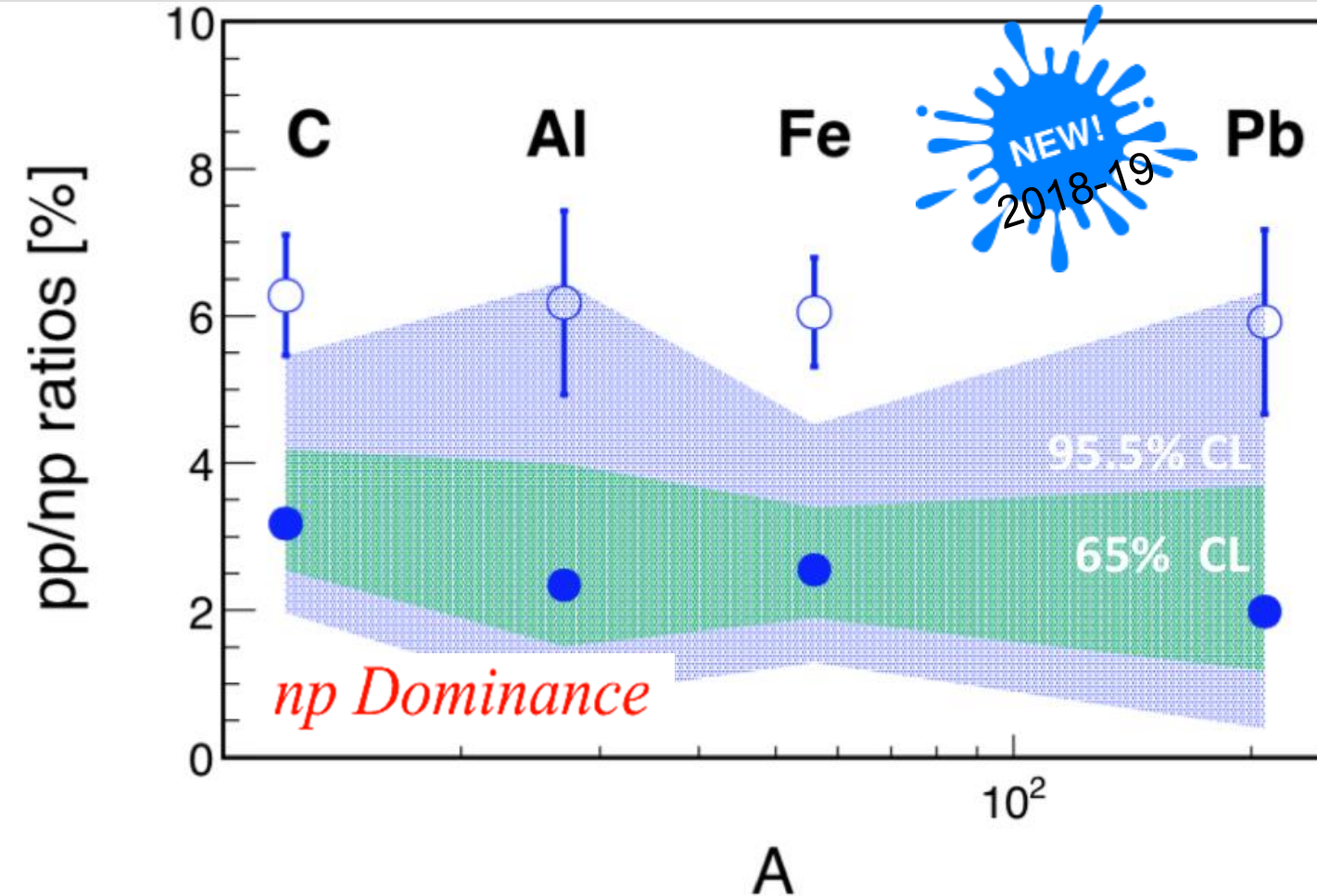




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$A(e, e' np)$

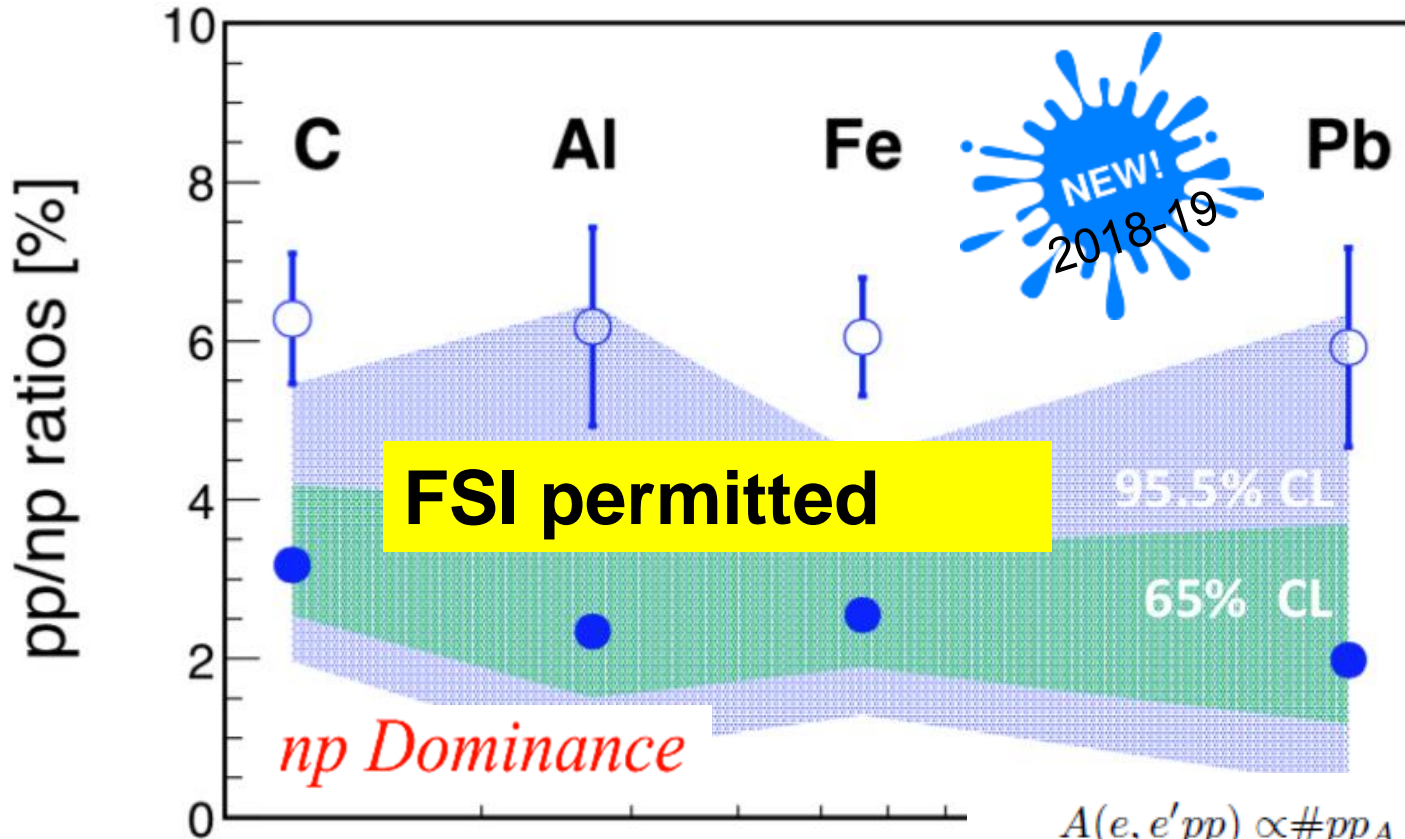
$A(e, e' pp)$



**CLAS
Detector
@ JLab**



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$$A(e, e' np)$$

$$A(e, e' pp)$$

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$$A(e, e' pp) \propto \#pp_A \cdot 2\sigma_{ep} \cdot P_A^{pp} \cdot T_{A,pp} +$$

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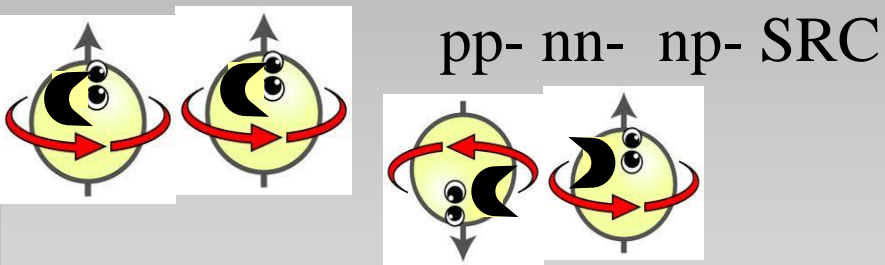
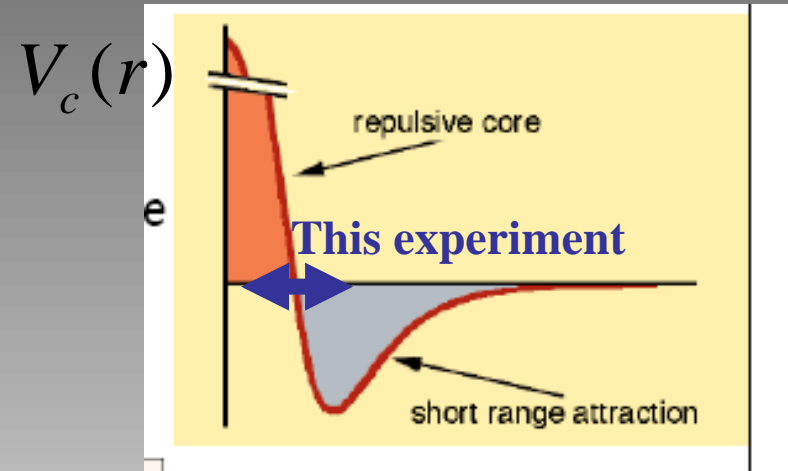
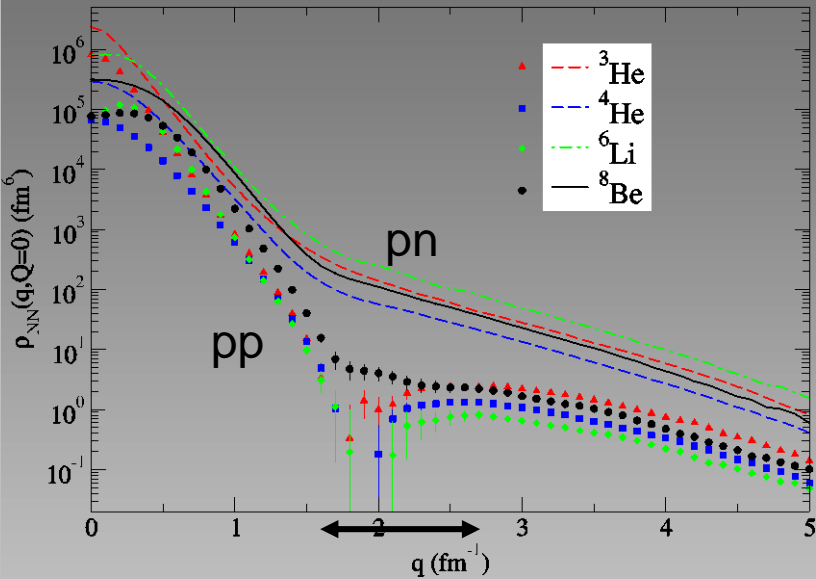
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At 300-600 MeV/c there is an excess strength in the np momentum distribution due to the strong correlations induced by the tensor NN potential.



Only np-SRC

$$V_{NN}(r) = V_c(r) + V_T(r)S_{12}$$

$$S_{12} = 3(\sigma_1 \cdot \hat{r})(\sigma_2 \cdot \hat{r}) - \sigma_1 \sigma_2$$

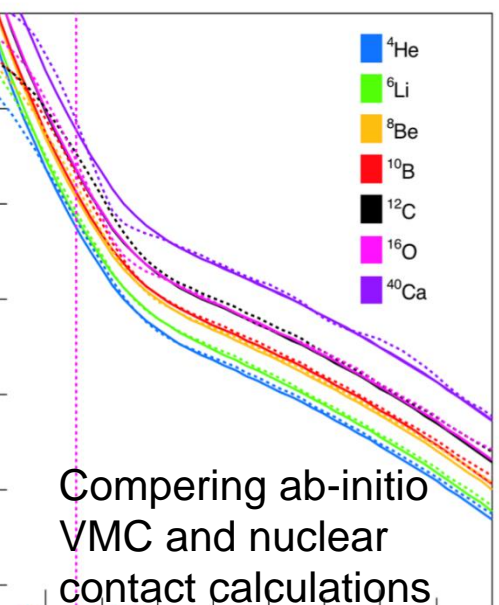


Generalized Nuclear Contact Formalism

a factorized ansatz

$$\Psi \xrightarrow{r_{ij} \rightarrow 0} \sum_{\alpha} \varphi_{\alpha}(\mathbf{r}_{ij}) A_{ij}^{\alpha}(\mathbf{R}_{ij}, \{\mathbf{r}\}_{k \neq ij})$$

Momentum Distribution



- Universal function: the zero energy solution to the 2 body problem
- Nucleus (A-2) specific function

The nuclear contacts and short range correlations in nuclei

R. Weiss,¹ R. Cruz-Torres,² N. Barnea,¹ E. Piasetzky,³ and O. Hen²

Phys. Lett. B780 (2018) 211.

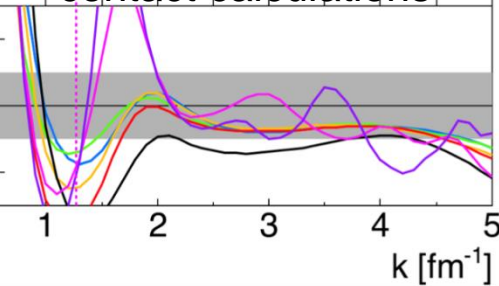
A universal description of SRC:

$$n_p(k) \xrightarrow{k \rightarrow \infty} C_{pn}^d |\varphi_{pn}^d(k)|^2 + C_{pn}^0 |\varphi_{pn}^0(k)|^2 + 2C_{pp}^0 |\varphi_{pp}^0(k)|^2$$

$l = 0, 2 \quad s = 1 \quad j = 1$
np pairs

$l = s = j = 0$
pp, nn, np pairs

Residual



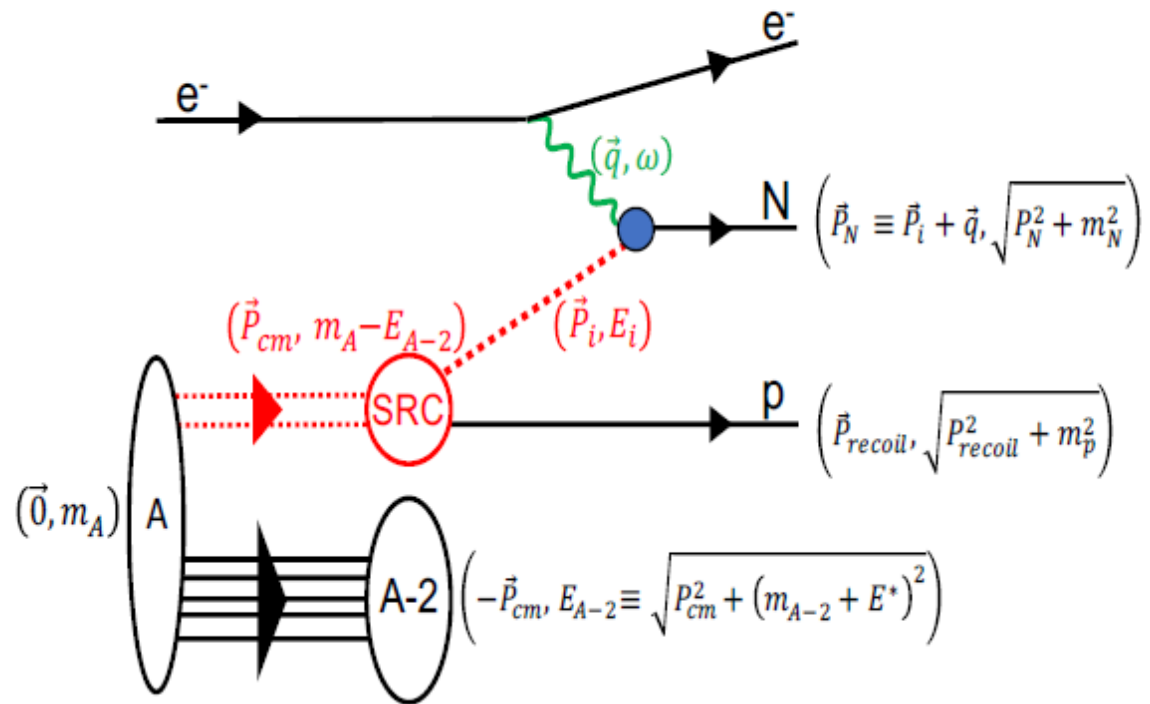
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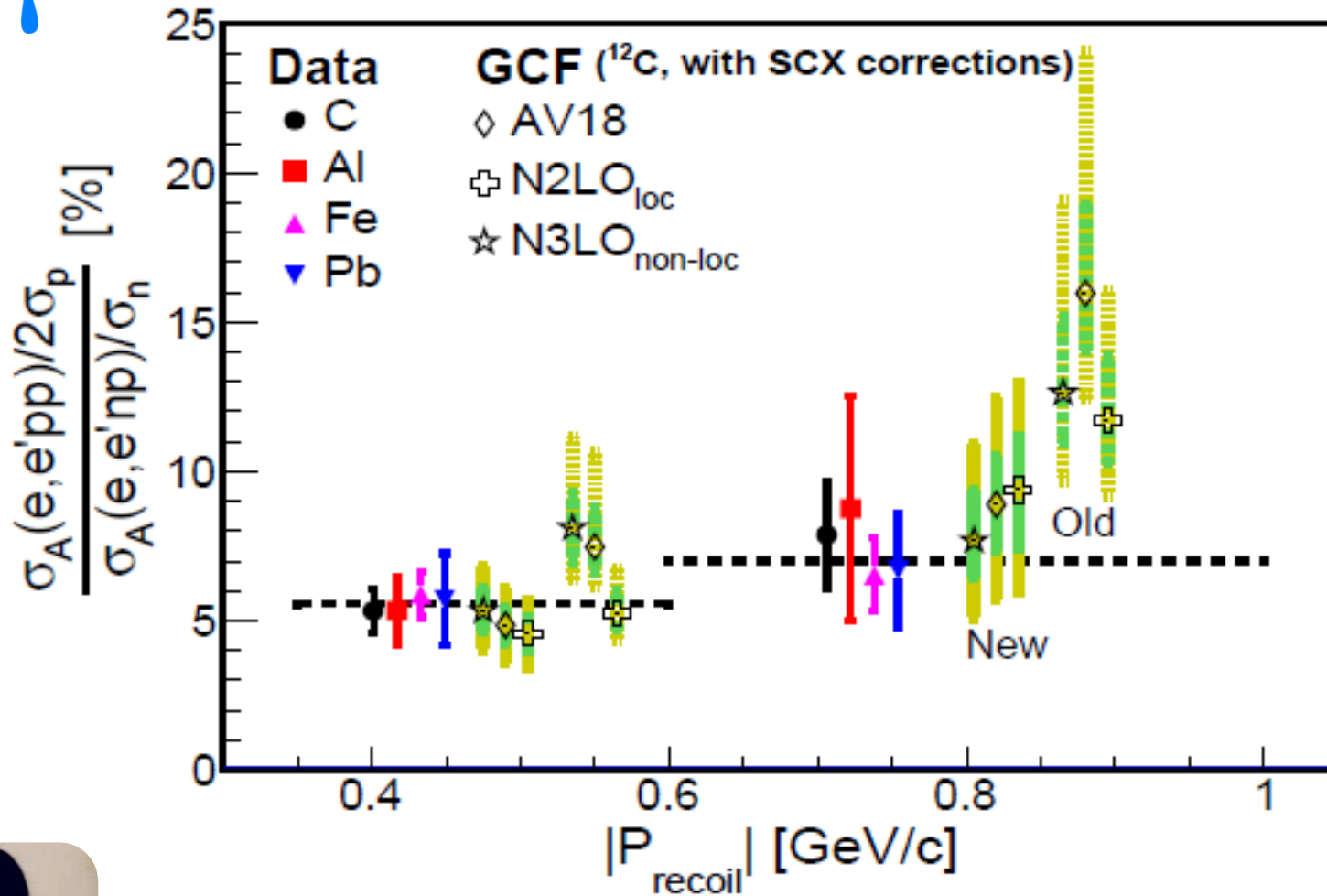
Ronen Weiss	Contact Formalism + Spectral Function
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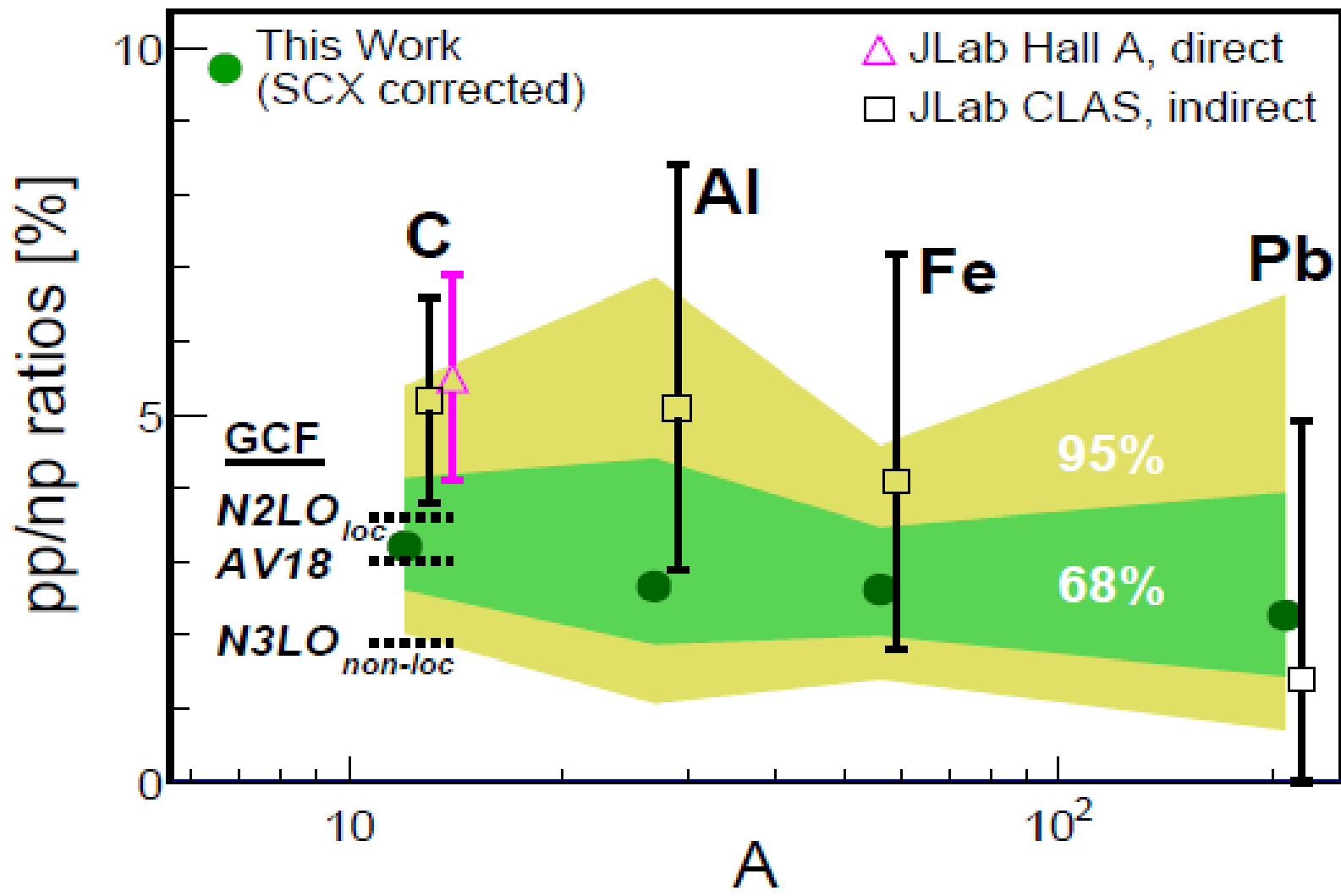
Axel Schmidt

GCF Generator





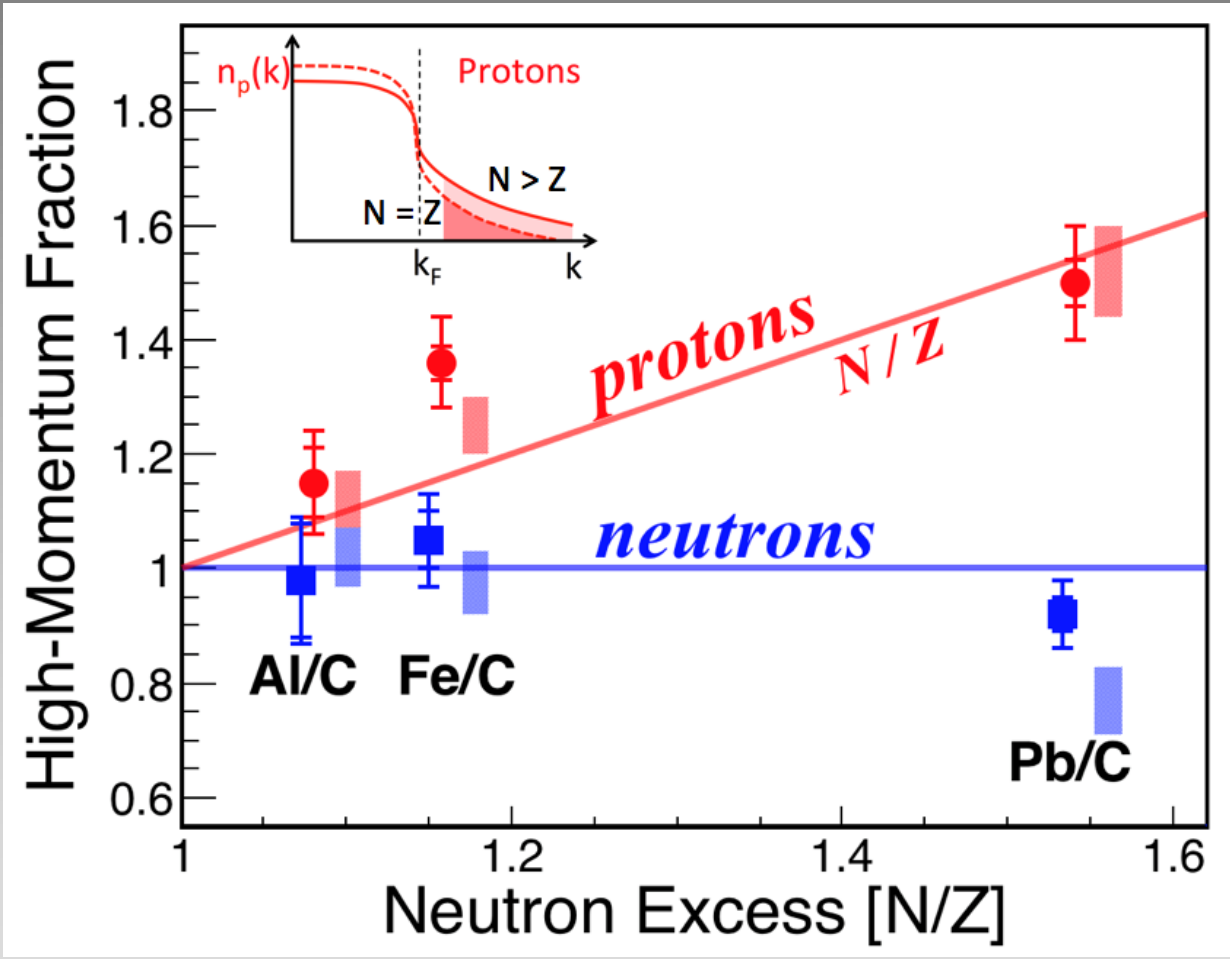
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Who are the parents of the 2N-SRC pairs ?

Asymmetric nuclei $N > Z$:

Correlation Probability:
 Neutrons saturate Protons grow

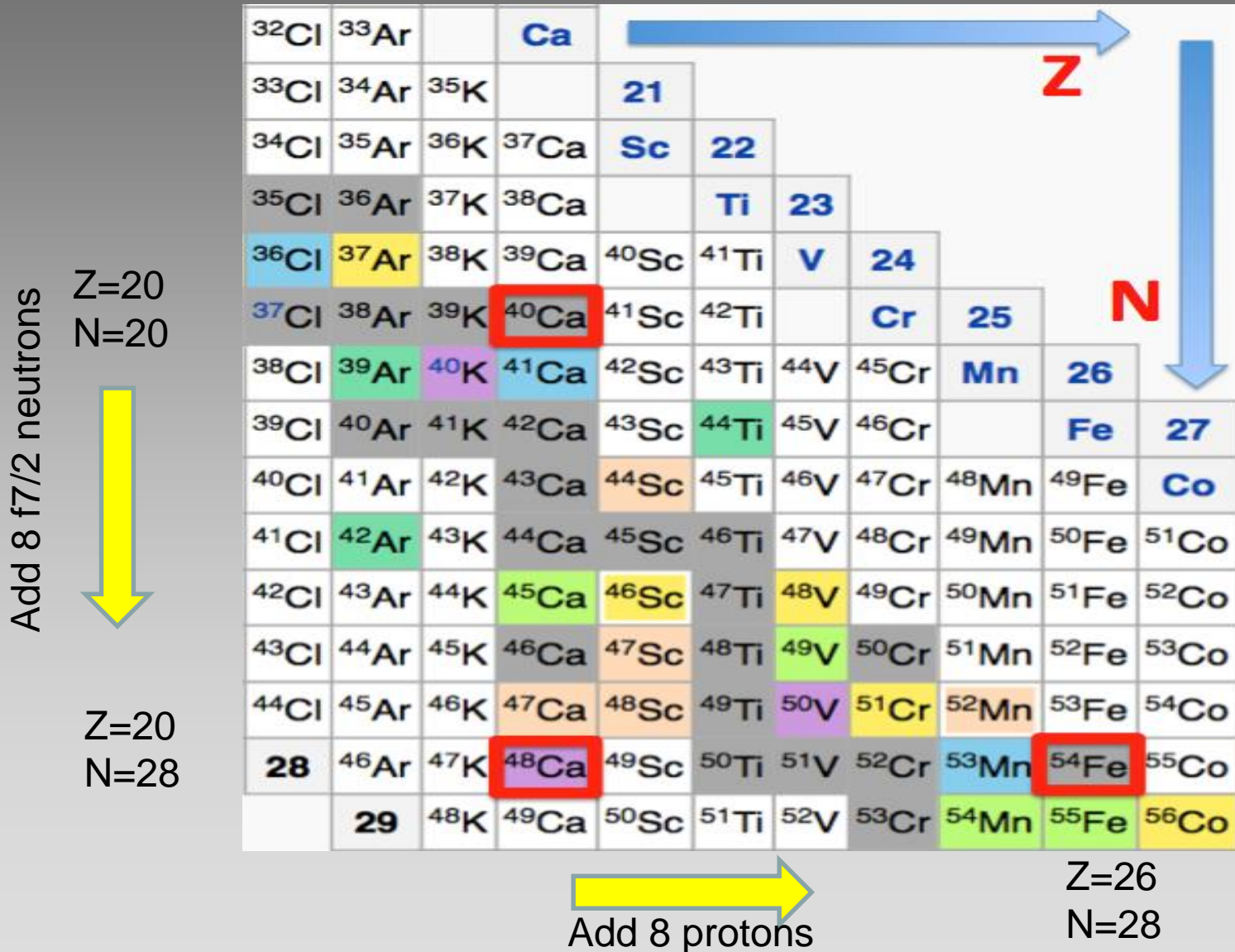


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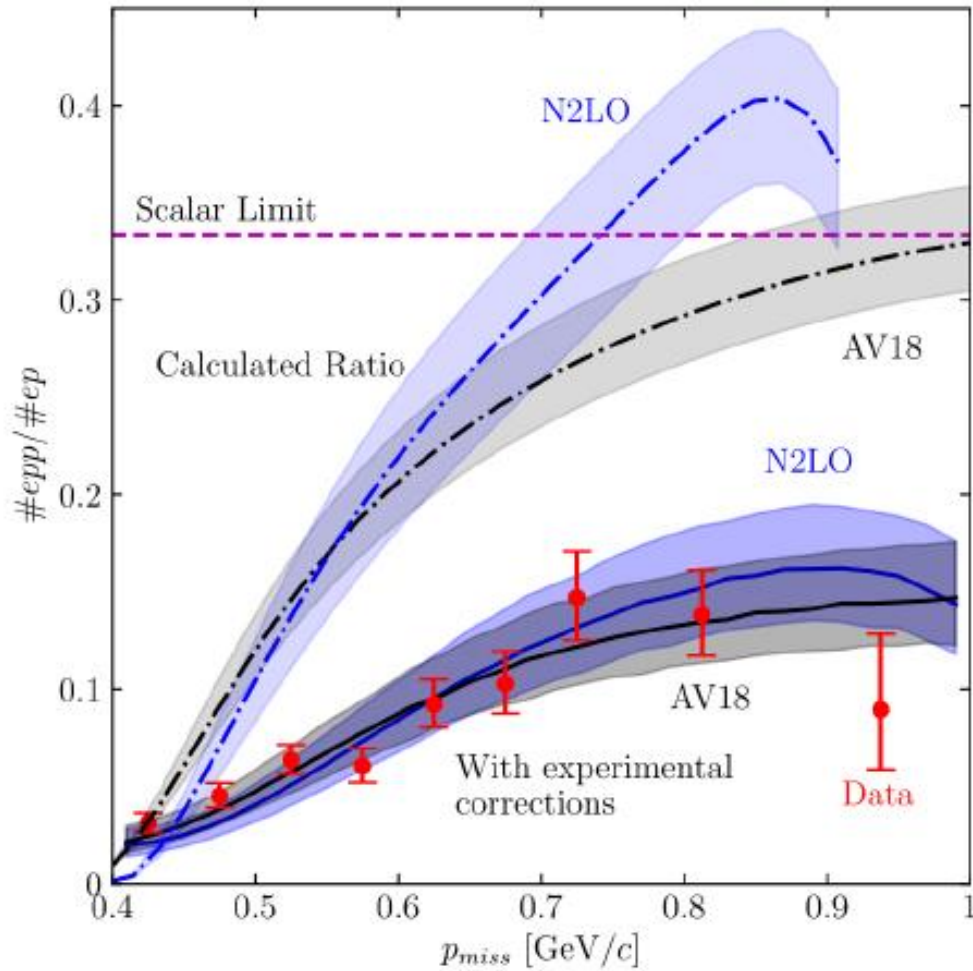


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From tensor to scalar dominance

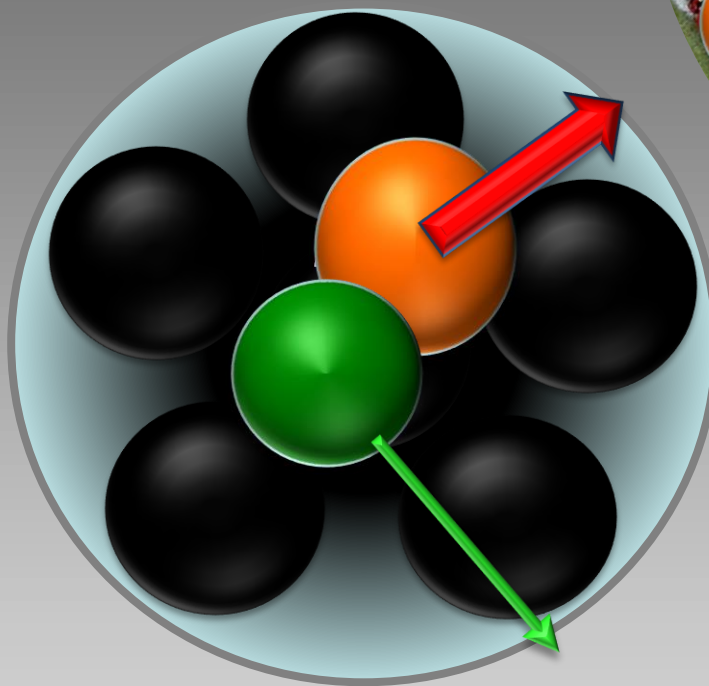


Probing the strong nuclear interaction at neutron-star densities

A. Schmidt et al. (CLAS Collaboration)

See a talk by Axel on Friday

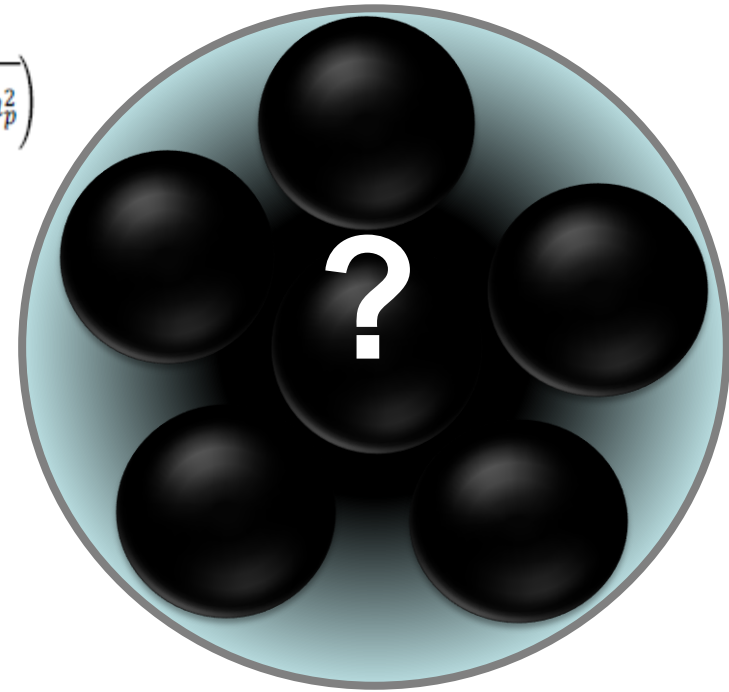
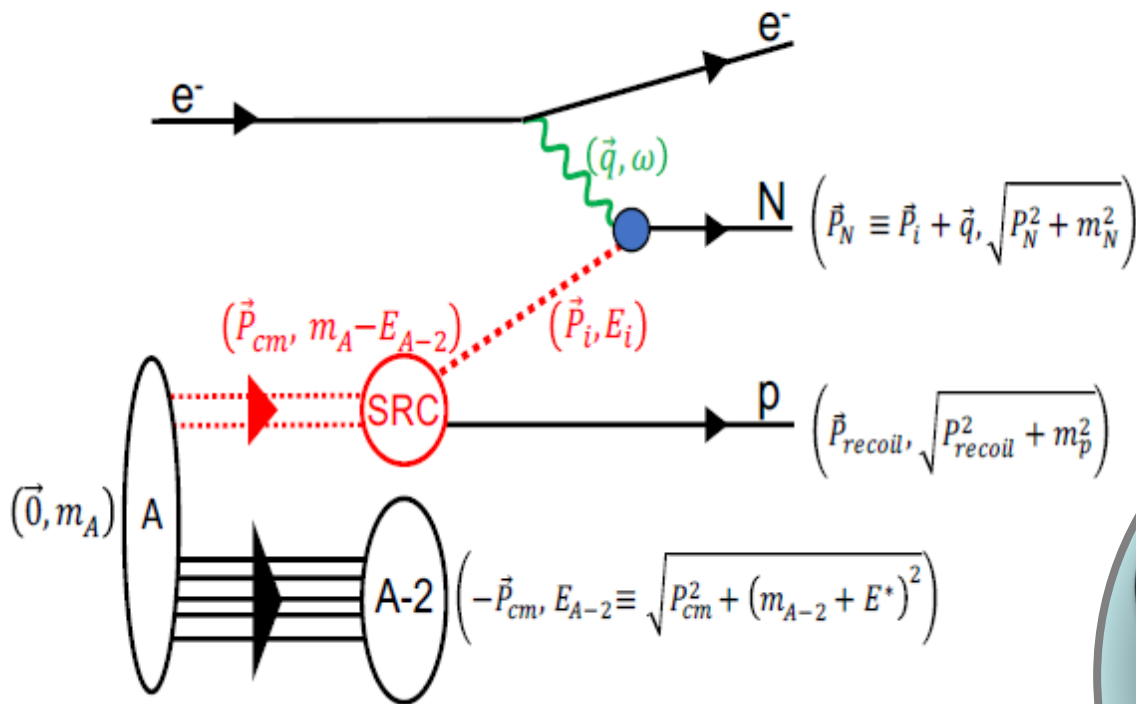
triple – coincidence measurements



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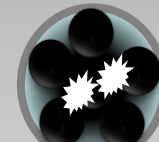
GCF Generator



Inverse kinematics



leading protons



A-2

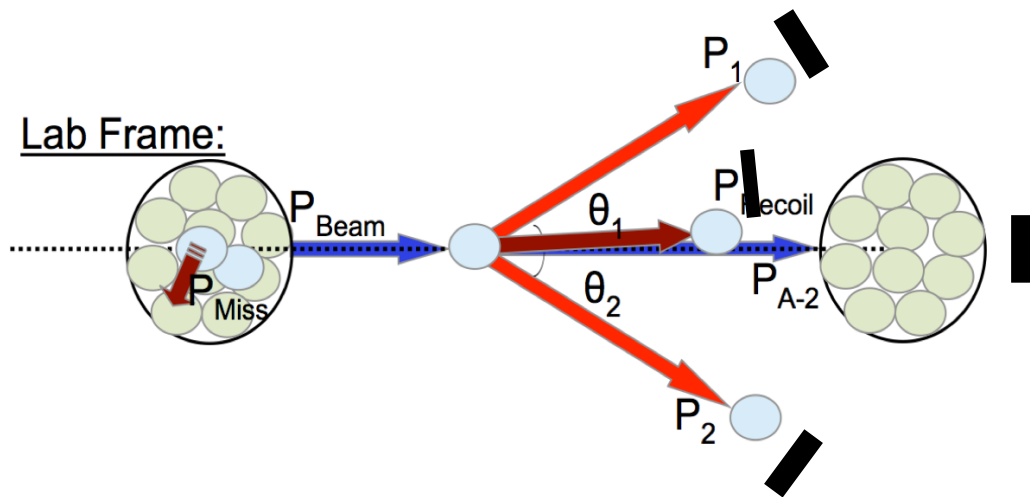
nuclear beam



recoil proton



SRC@JINR

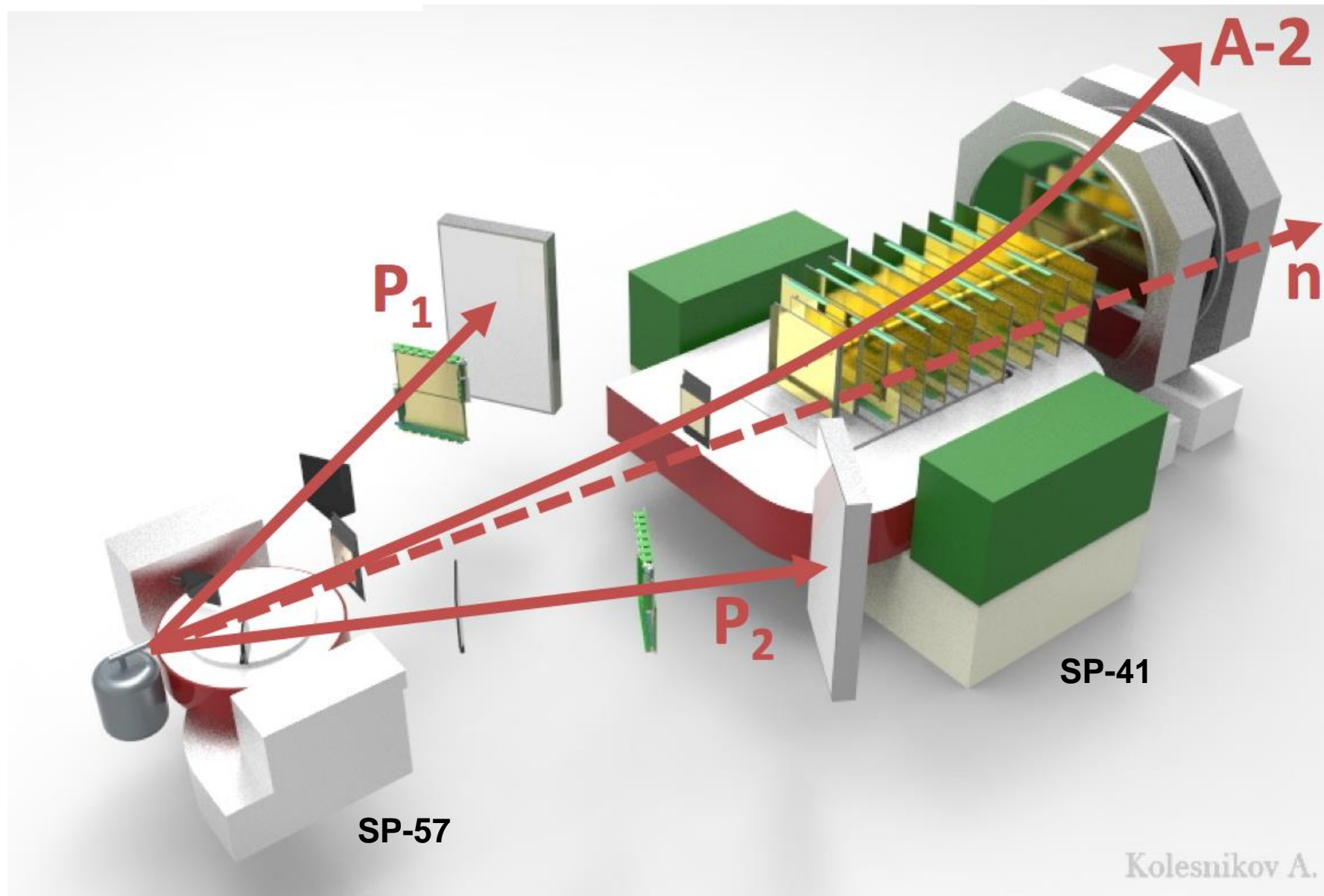


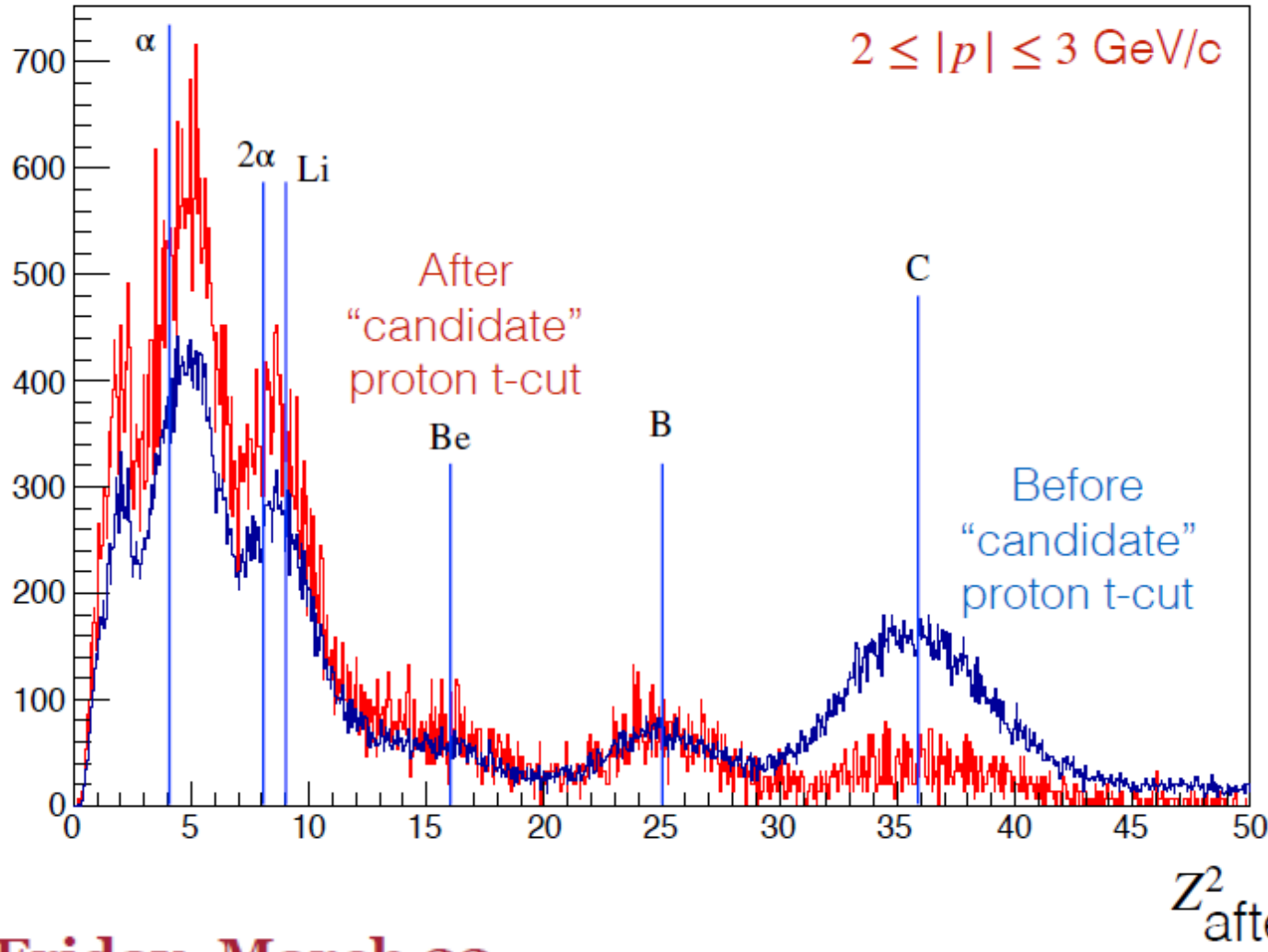
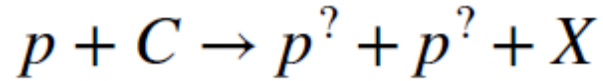
Inverse kinematics

Super exclusive measurement!

Detect (4 particles):
the scattered probe,
the knocked-out nucleon,
the recoil,
and the $A-2$ system!

$A(p, 2p \ n \ A-2)$ – Dubna





Can use tracking information to distinguish Li, 2α

Friday, March 22

14:40 - 15:00

17+3'

Efrain Segarra

A-2 in SRC



Part II: SRC as a way to study NN interaction



Friday, March 22: NN Interaction and Knock-out reactions

Time		Presenter	Title
9:00 - 9:20	15+5'	Robert Wiringa	High-momentum in NN interactions
9:20 - 9:40	17+3'	Dick Furnstahl	EFT potentials above cutoff ($2N$ truncation and effective $3N$ construction)
9:40-10:00	17+3'	Omar Benhar	Potentials
10:10 - 10:30	30'	Guided Discussion: high-resolutions high-momentum: the role and properties of $2N$ and $3N$ interactions	
10:30 - 11:00		Morning Coffee Break	
11:00 - 11:30	25+5'	Diego Lonardoni	QMC overview + two-body densities
11:30 - 11:50	17+3'	Alessandro Lovato	spectral function from two-body densities
11:50 - 12:10	17+3'	Ronen Weiss	Contact Formalism + Spectral Function
12:10 - 12:30	20'	Guided Discussion: High-momentum vs. short distances; Ab-initio vs. factorized theory	
12:30 - 14:00		Lunch Break	
14:00 - 14:25	20+5'	Speaker TBD	GCF Generator
14:25 - 14:40	12+3'	Igor Korover	$(e, e'pn)$ in heavy nuclei
14:40 - 15:00	17+3'	Efrain Segarra	A-2 in SRC
15:00 - 15:30	30'	Discussion: probing the NN interaction with SRC data	

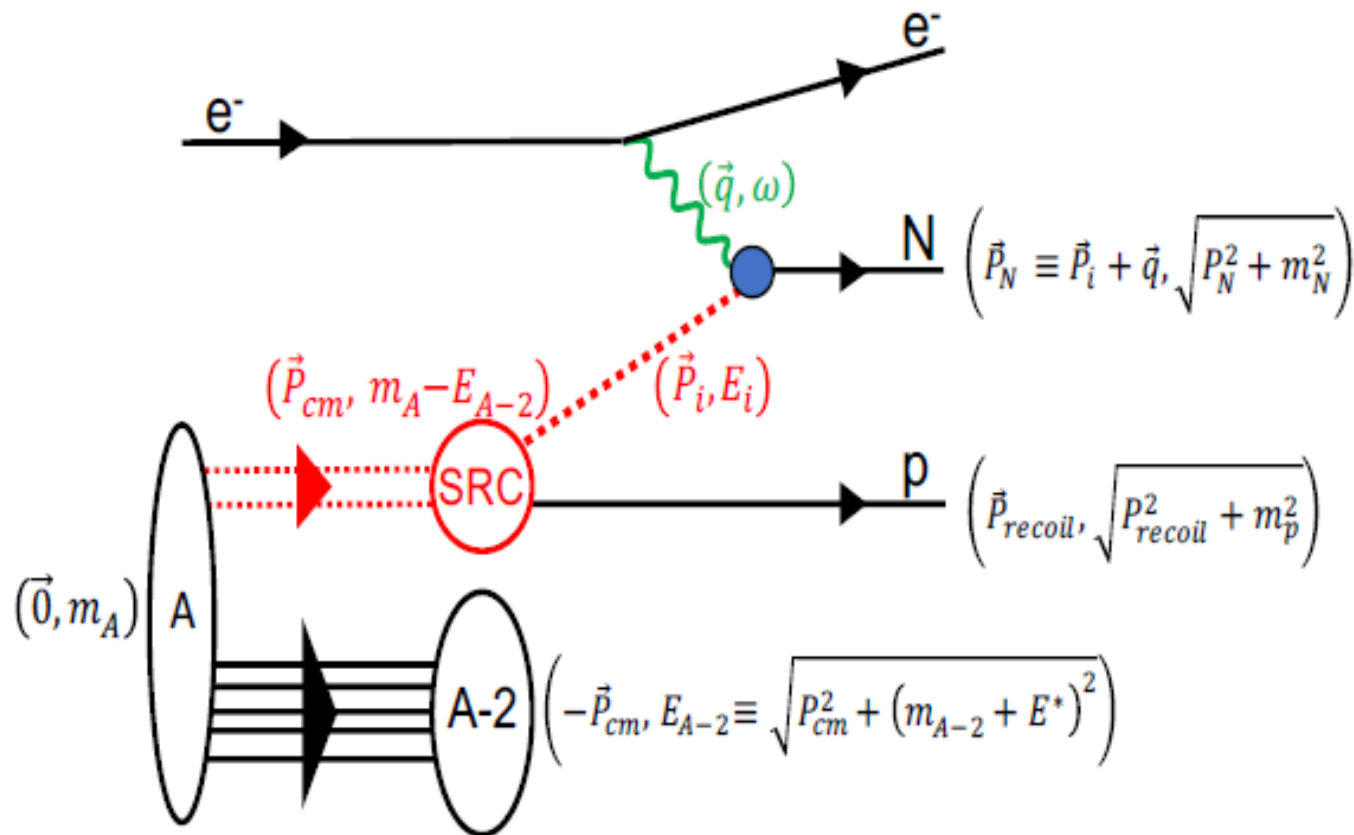
Study NN Interaction using SRC

What's needed?

- spectral function from NN interaction
- FSI under control
- Acceptance /efficiency under control

$$\frac{d^4\sigma}{d\Omega_{k'} d\epsilon'_k d\Omega_{p'_1} d\epsilon'_1} = p'_1 \epsilon'_1 \sigma_{eN} S^N(\mathbf{p}_1, \epsilon_1)$$

Similar expression for triple coincidence



Friday, March 22:

Axel Schmidt

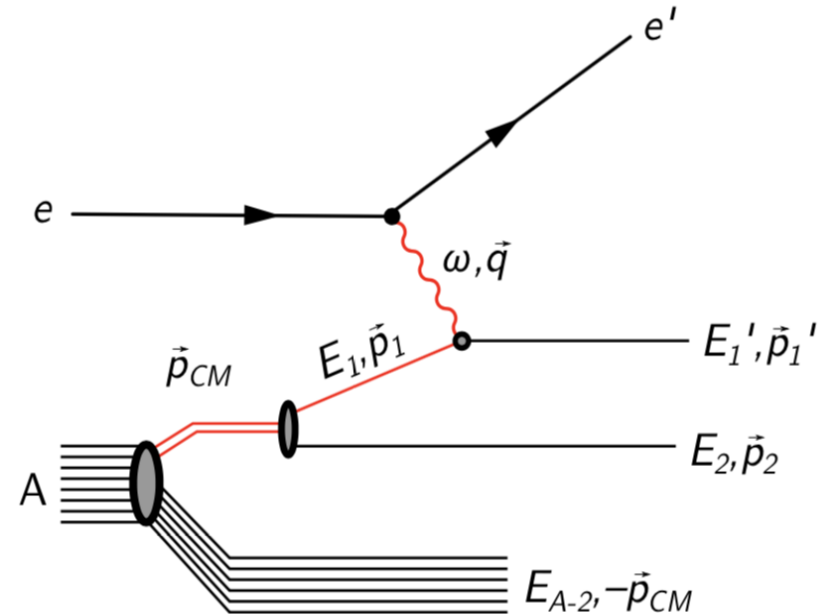
GCF Generator

What's needed?

- Acceptance /efficiency under control

We bring the theory to the data:

- Generate $A(e,e'NN)$ events following assumed reaction mechanism.
- Run through detector simulation.
⇒ Reject events outside the acceptance; weigh by detection efficiency.
- Weigh by calculated cross-sections and including reaction effects (transparency, single charge exchange)
- Apply event selection cuts and overlay on data distributions.



What's needed?

- spectral function from NN interaction

Sum of pairs:

$$S^p(p, \varepsilon) = C_{pn}^{s=1} \cdot S_{pn}^{s=1}(p, \varepsilon) + C_{pn}^{s=0} \cdot S_{pn}^{s=0}(p, \varepsilon) + 2C_{pp}^{s=0} \cdot S_{pp}^{s=0}(p, \varepsilon)$$

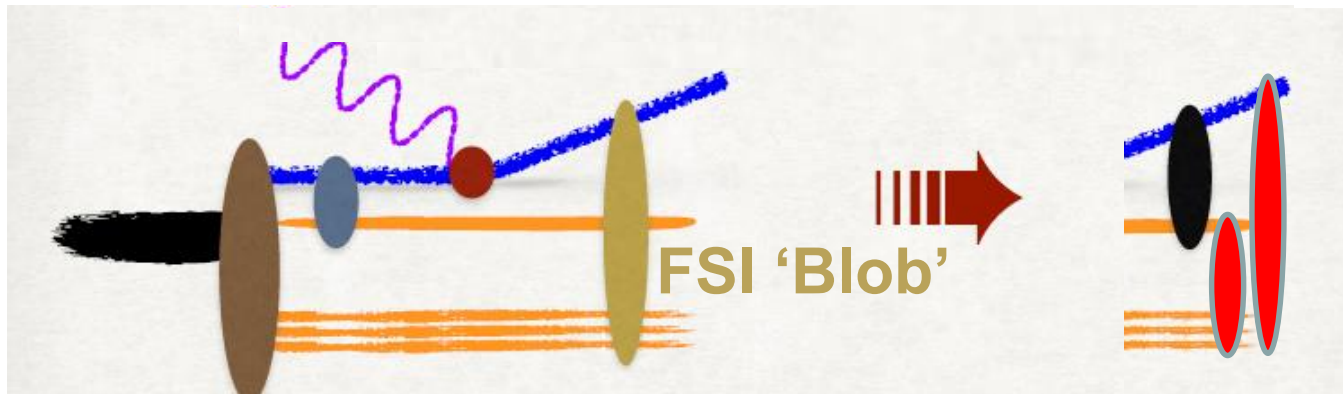
Each pair is convoluted with c.m. motion:

$$S_{ab}^\alpha = \frac{1}{4\pi} \int \frac{d\mathbf{p}_2}{(2\pi)^3} \delta(f(\mathbf{p}_2)) \underbrace{|\tilde{\varphi}_{ab}^\alpha(|(\mathbf{p}_1 - \mathbf{p}_2)/2|)|^2}_{\substack{\text{Relative} \\ \text{AV18} \\ \text{EFT}}} \underbrace{n_{ab}^\alpha(\mathbf{p}_1 + \mathbf{p}_2)}_{\text{c.m.}}$$

What's needed?

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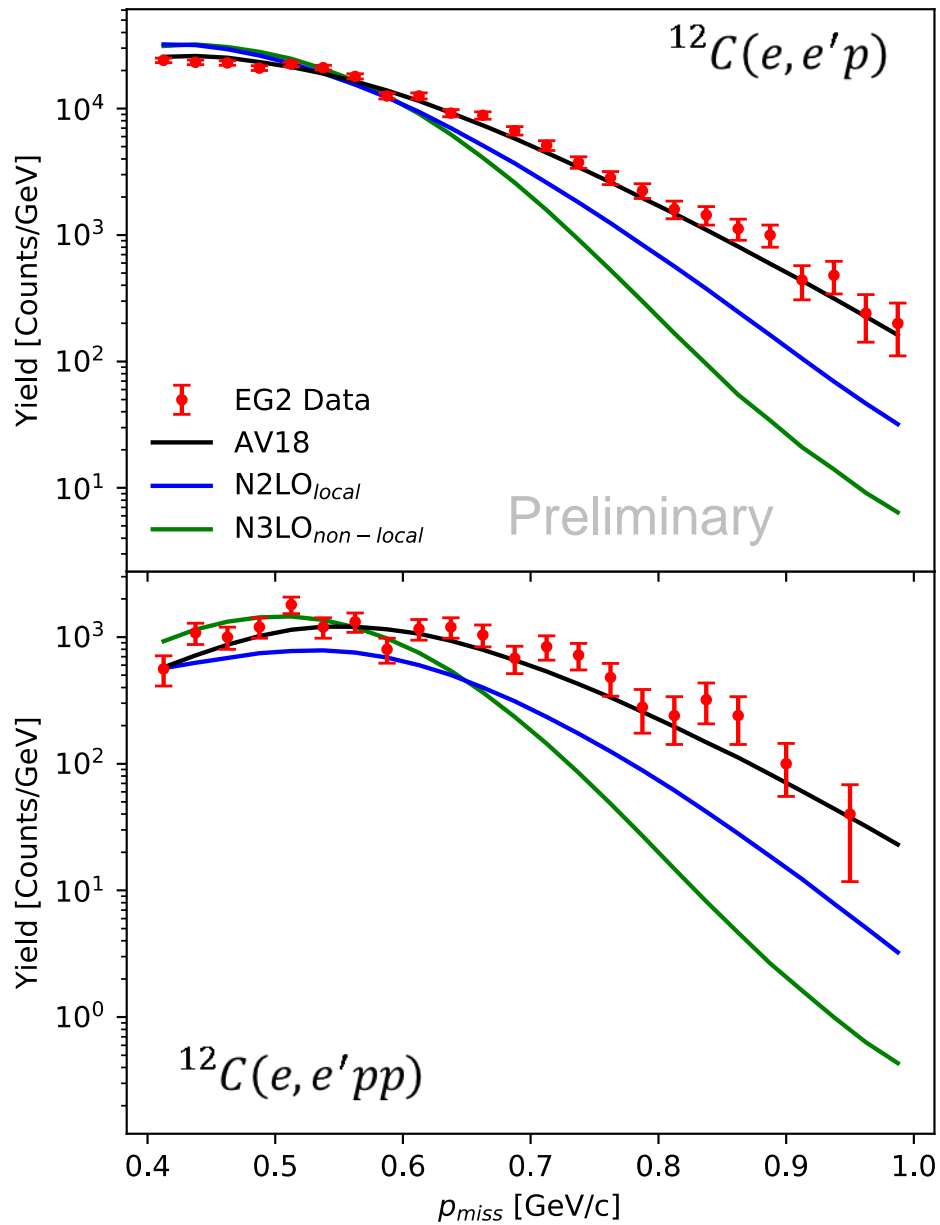
For SRC kinematics (large Q^2 , $x > 1$)



Pair rescattering:
Minimize by choosing
correct kinematics

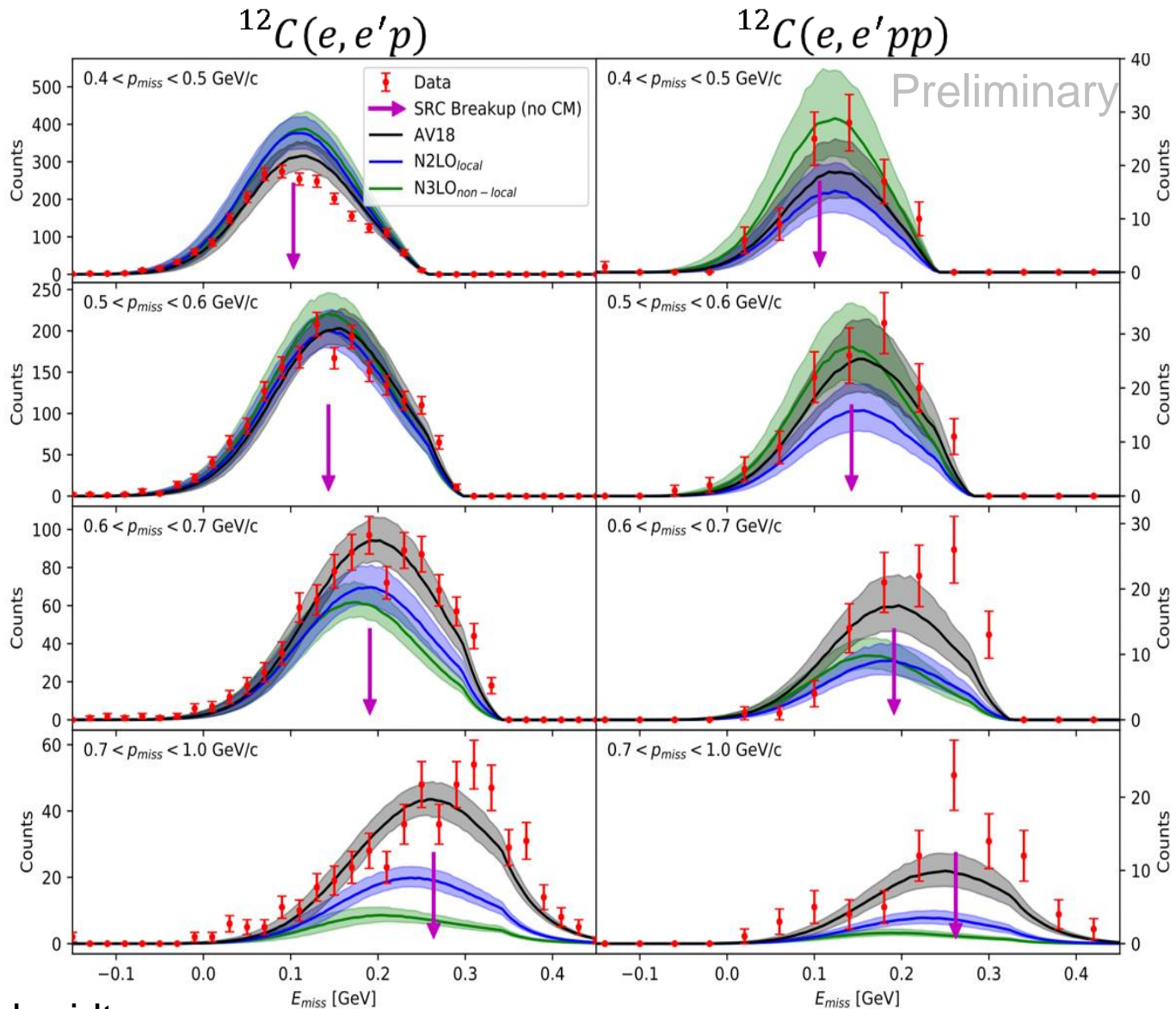


Attenuation:
Calculate using Glauber.



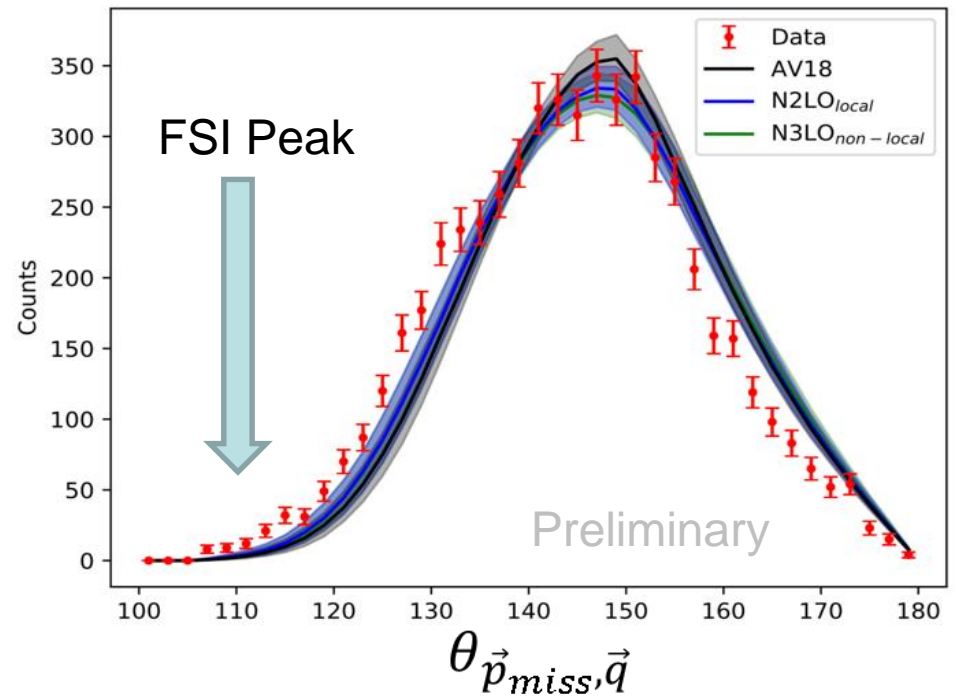
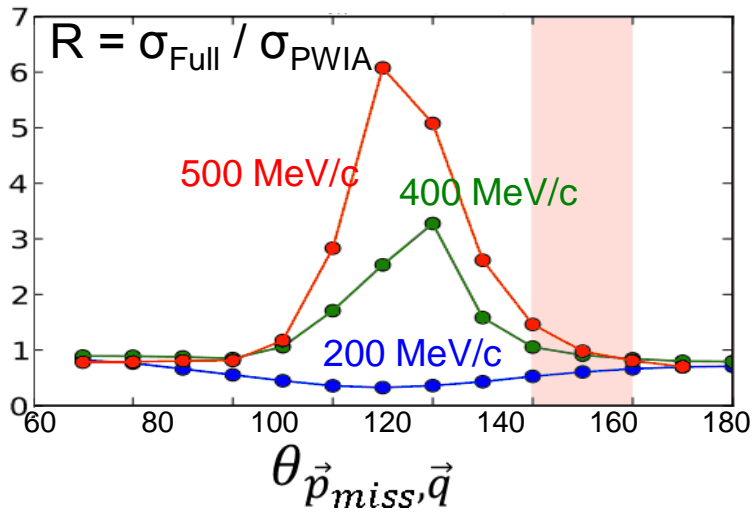
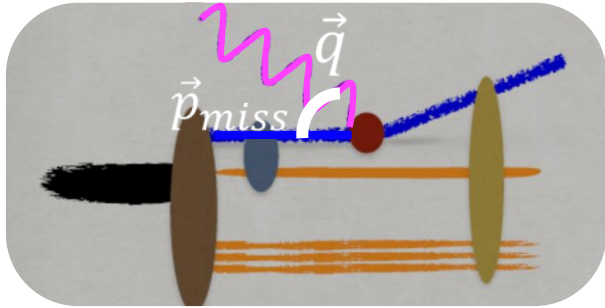
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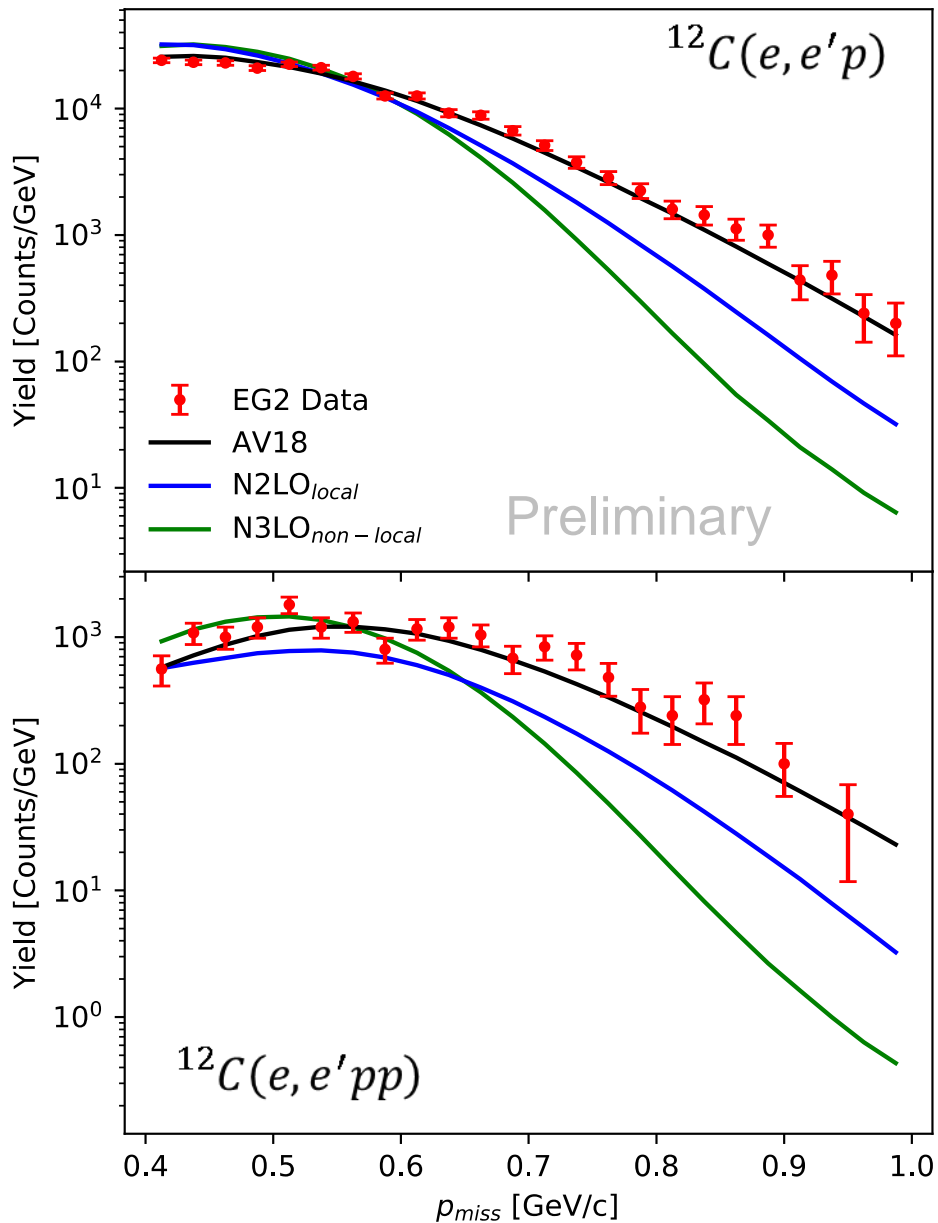




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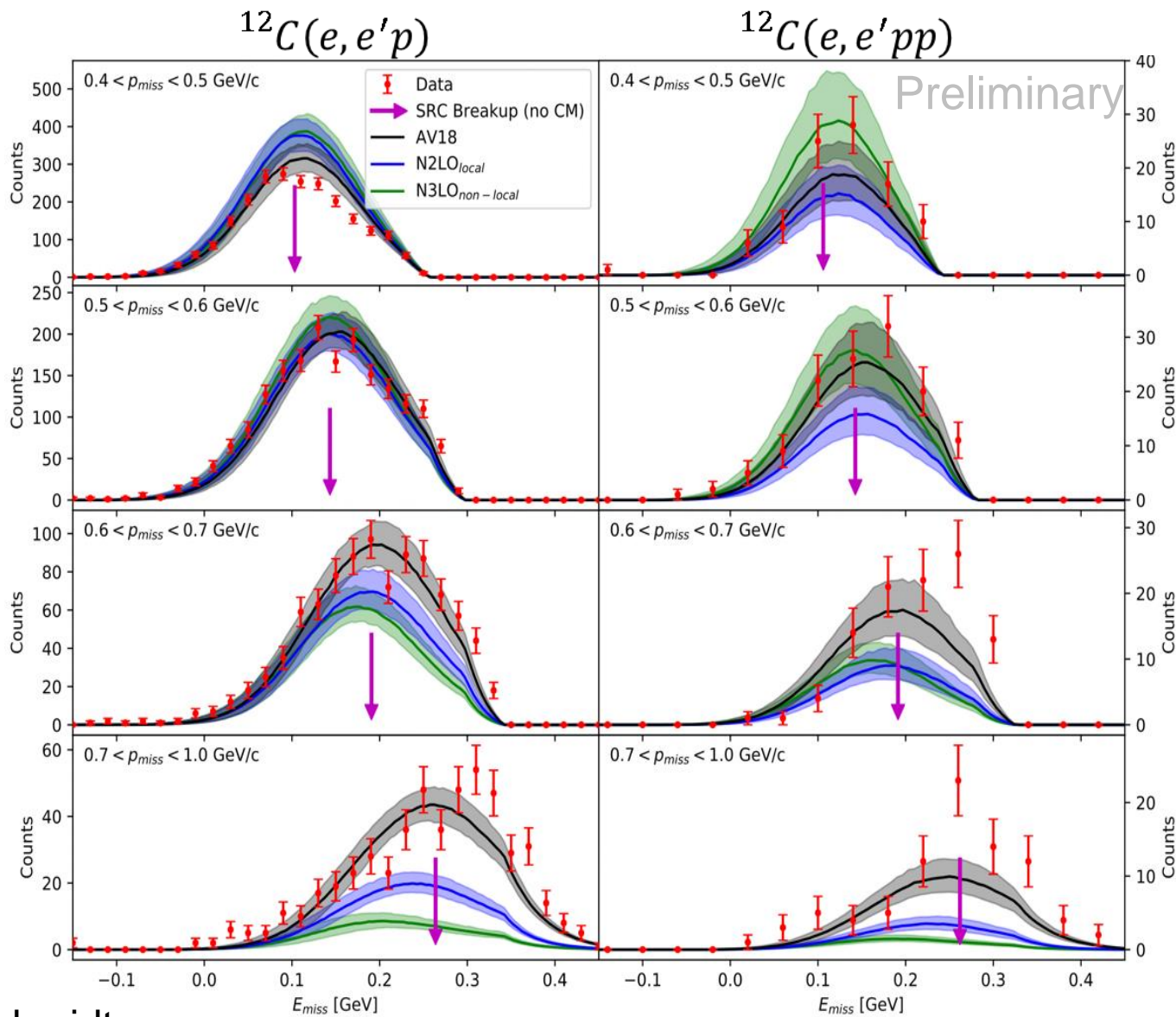
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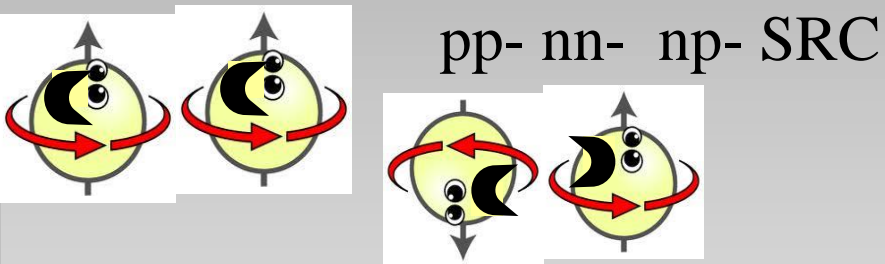
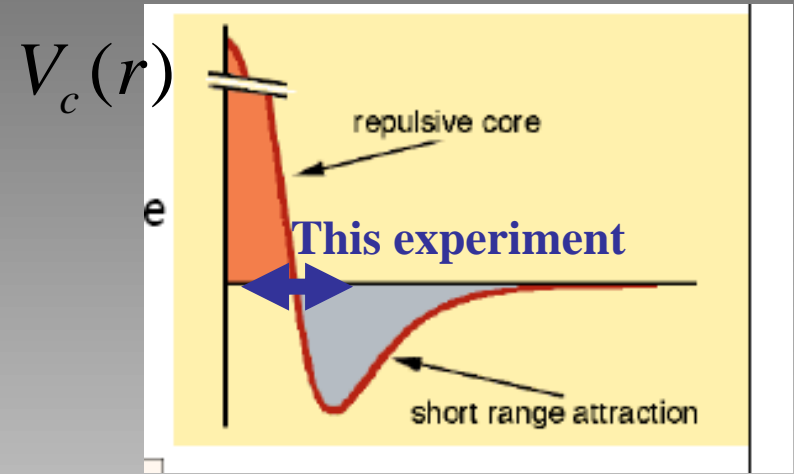
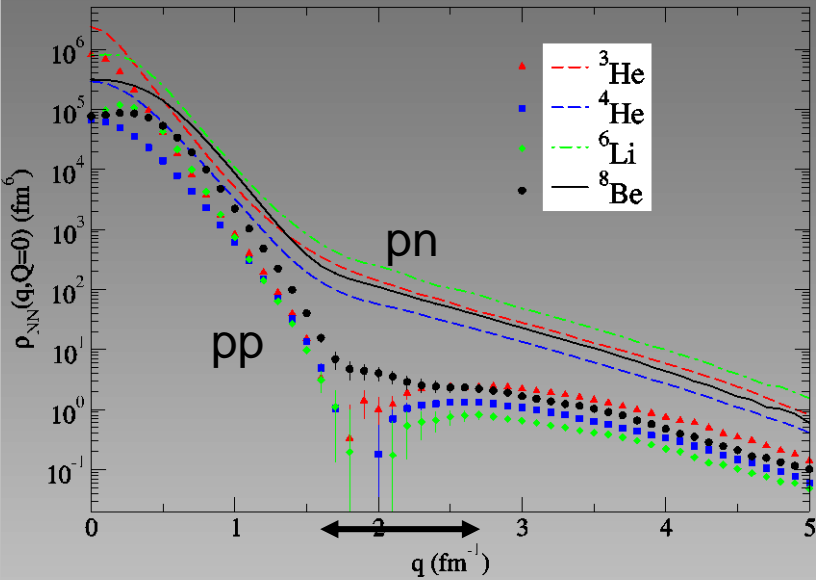


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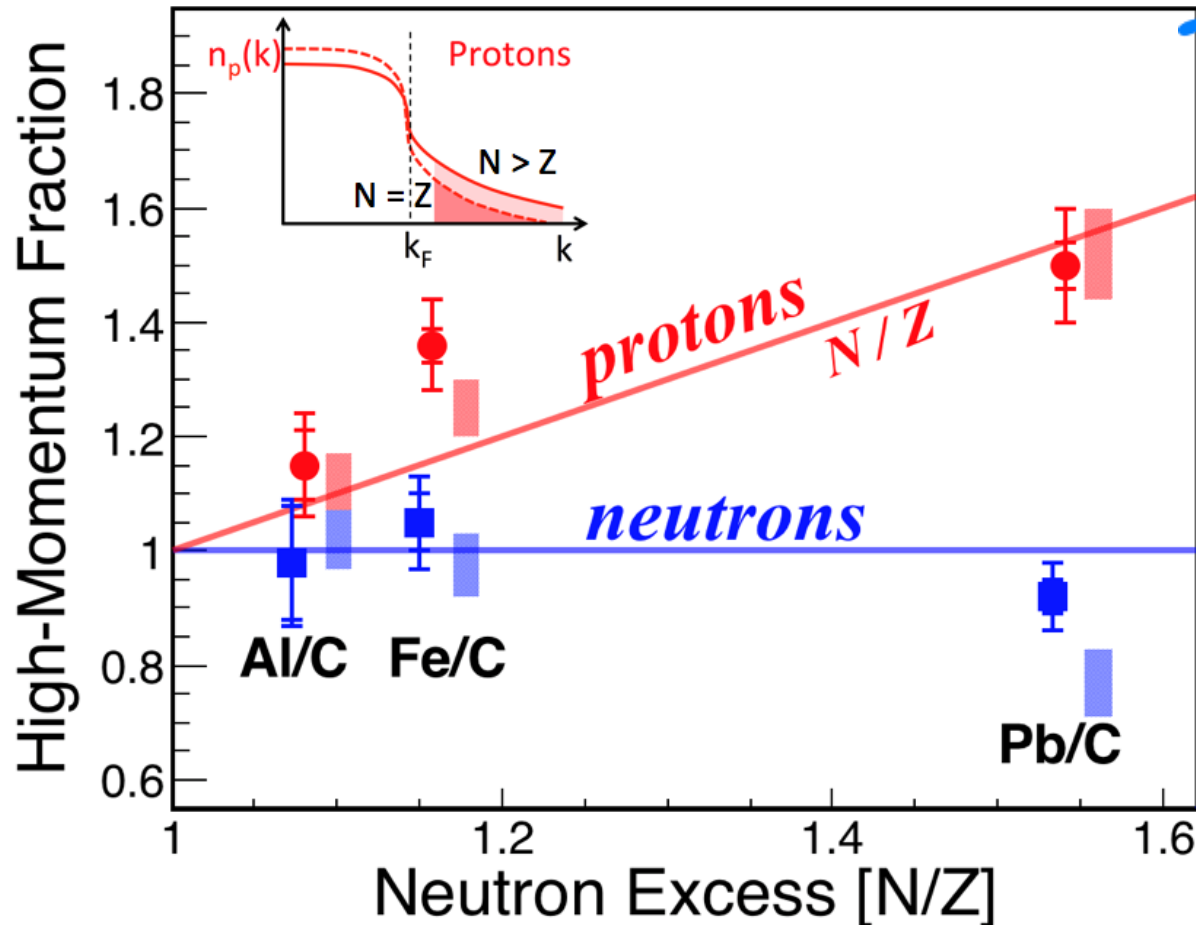


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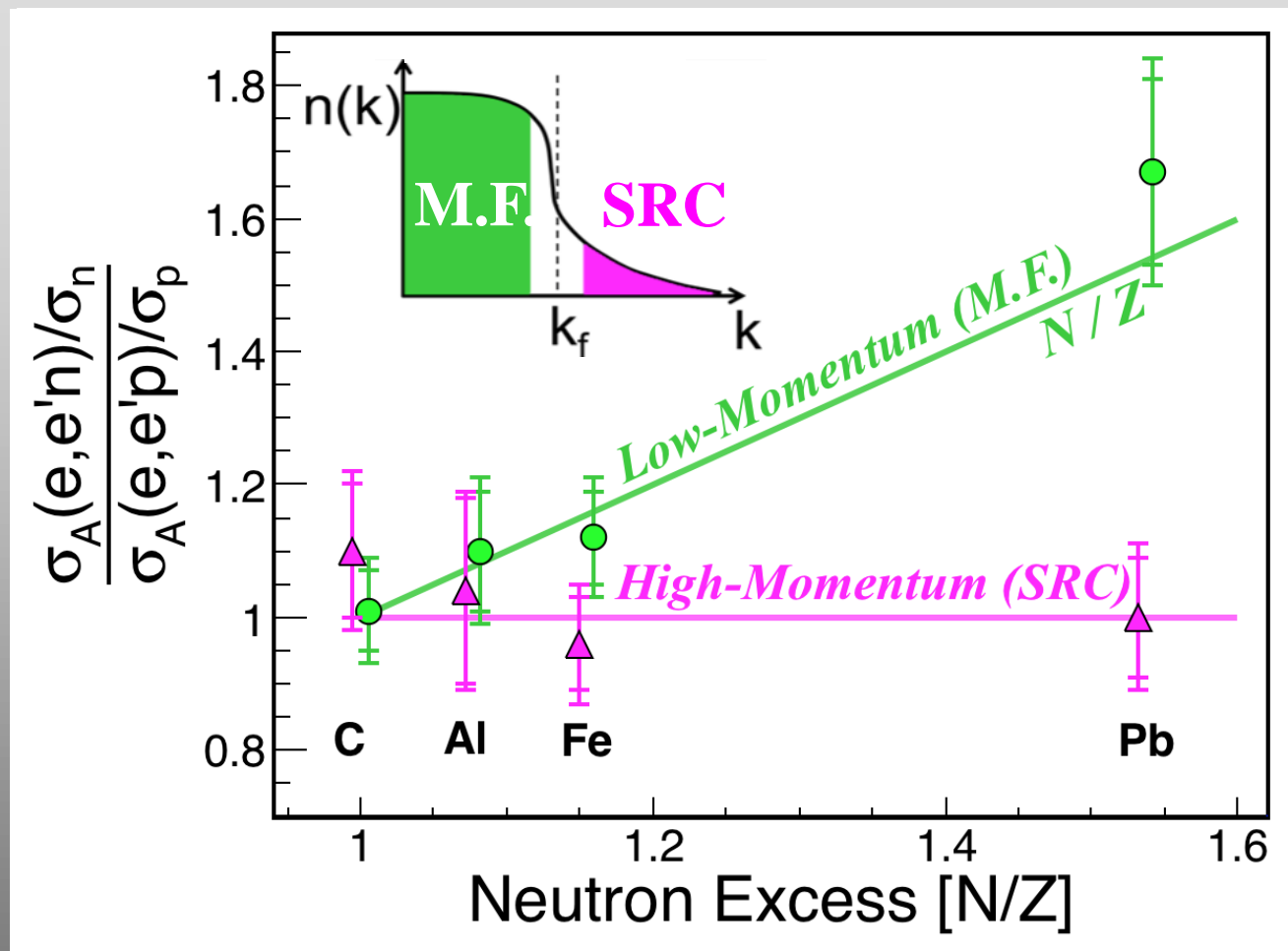
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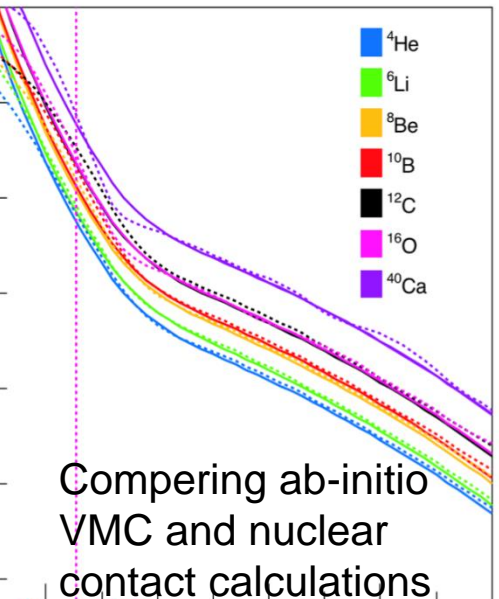


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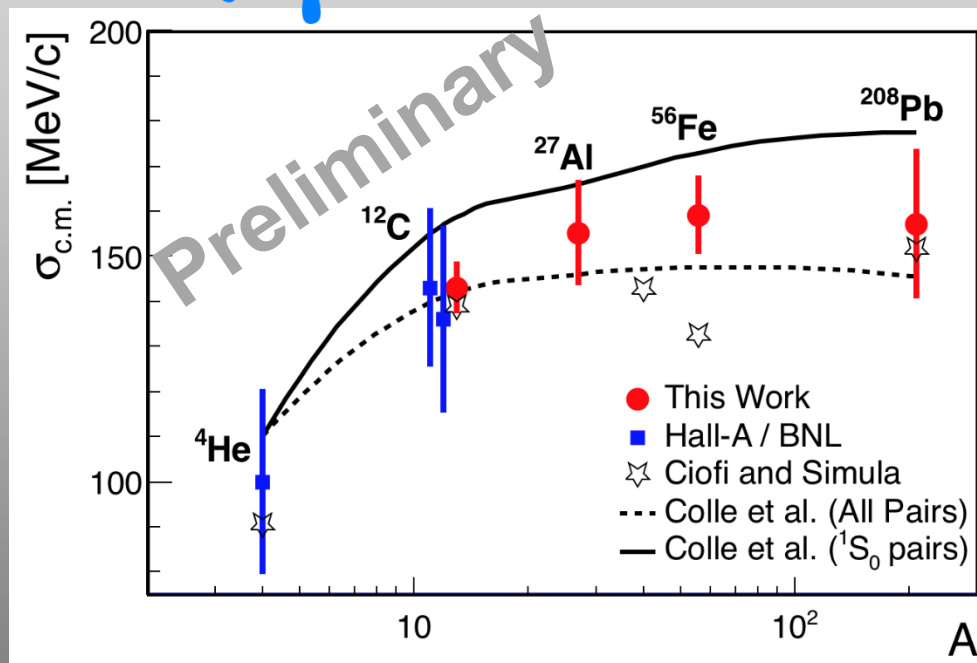
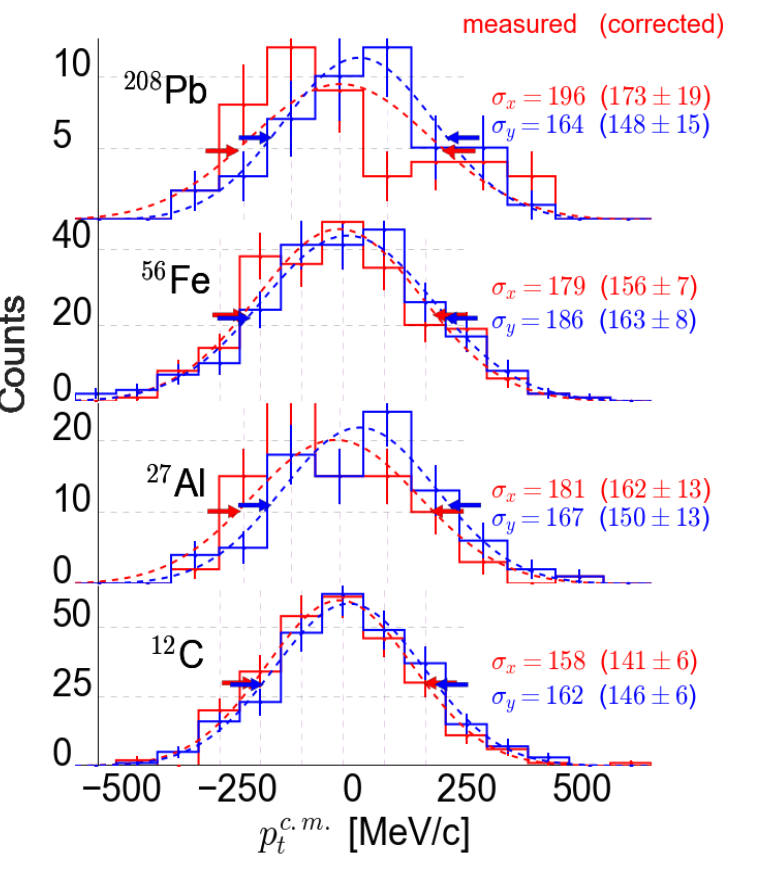
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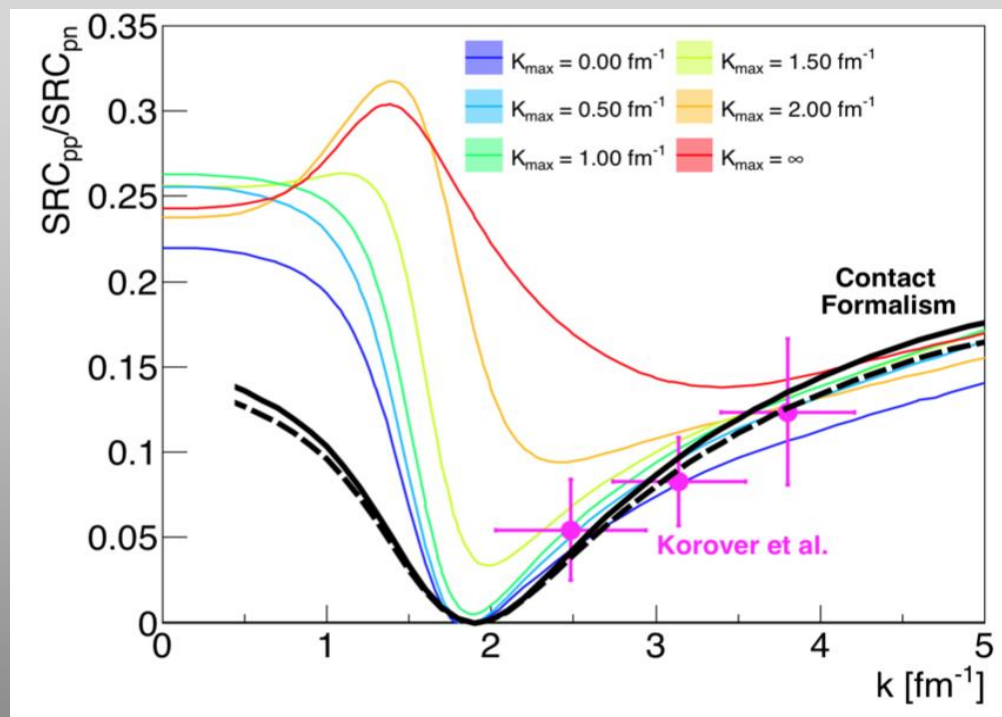


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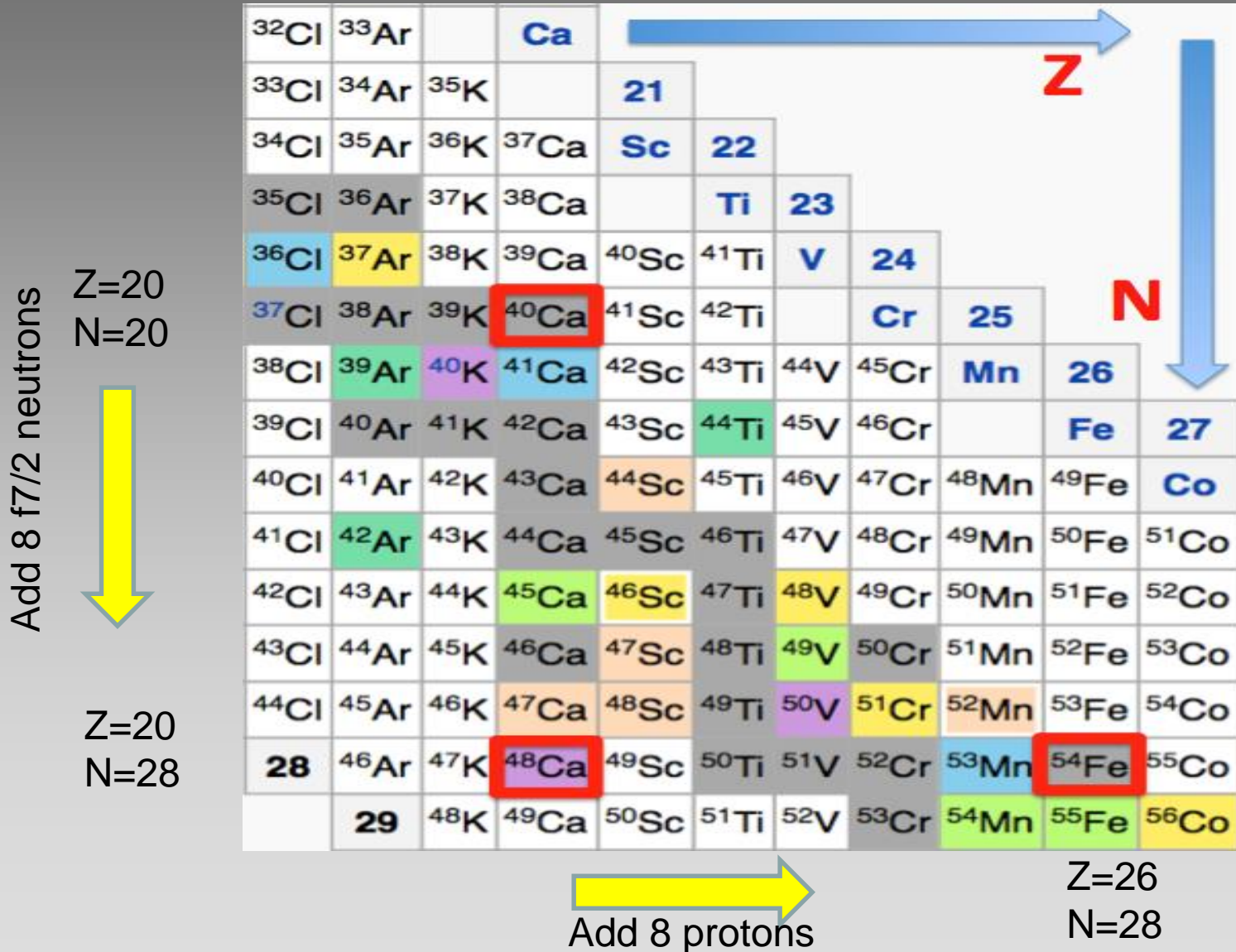
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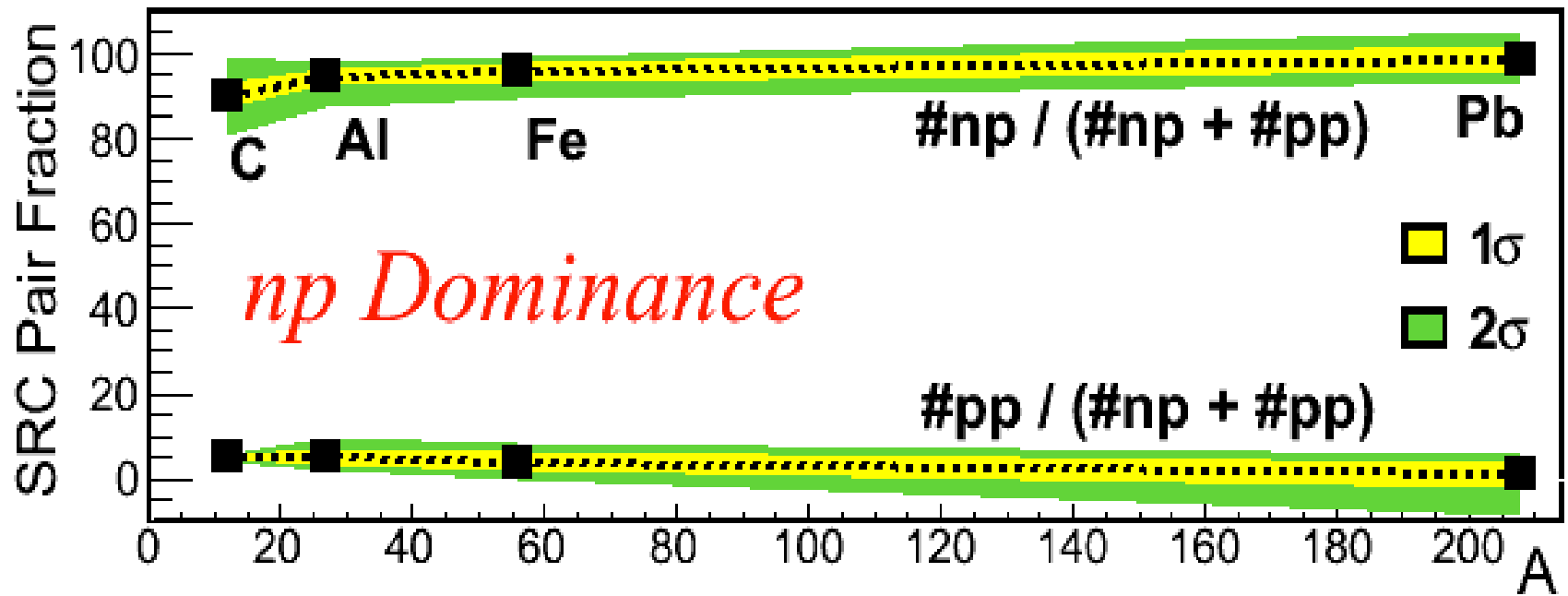
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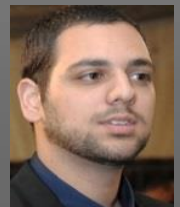
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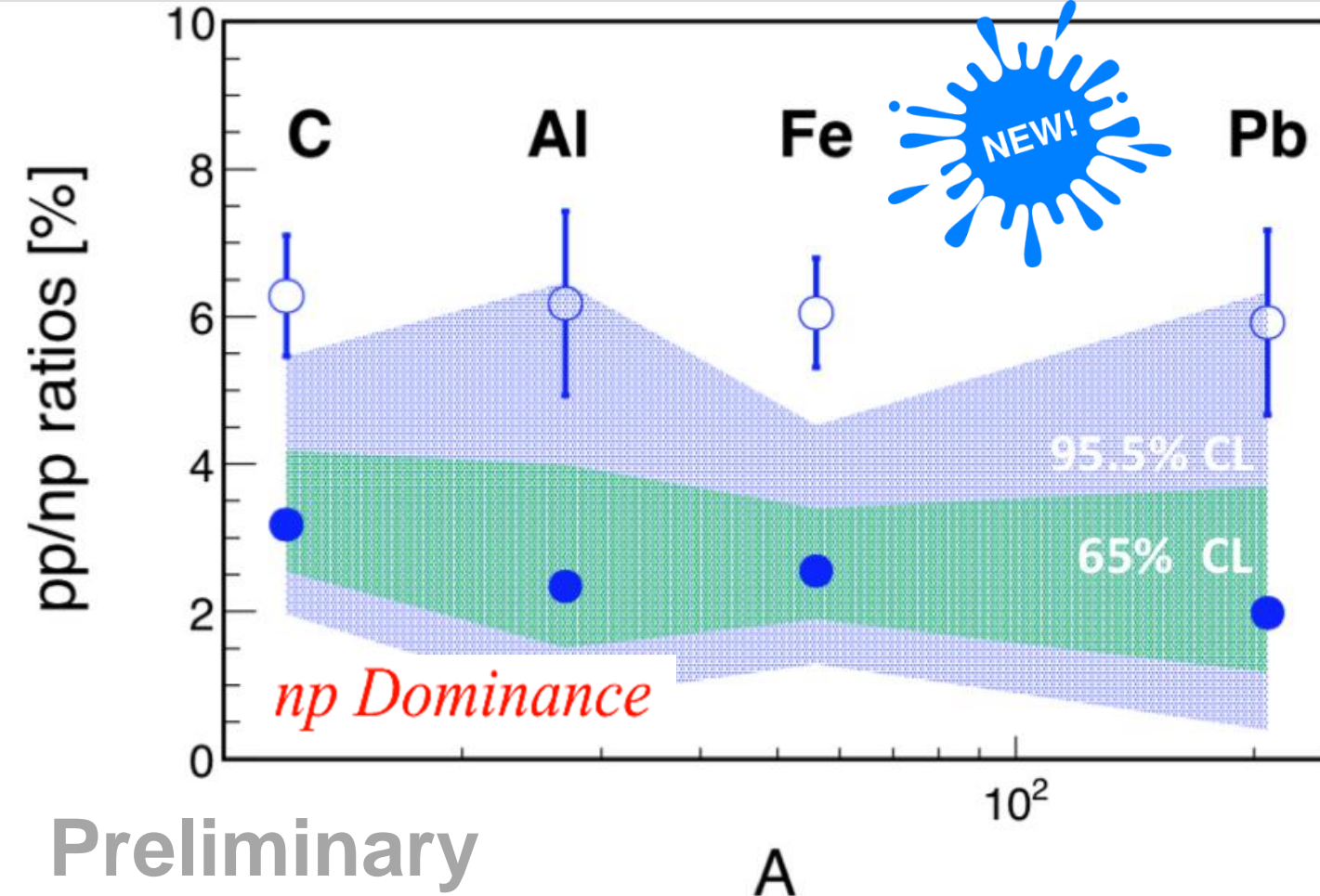




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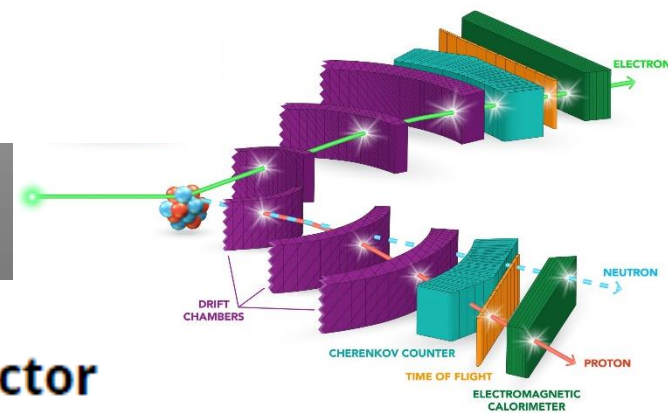
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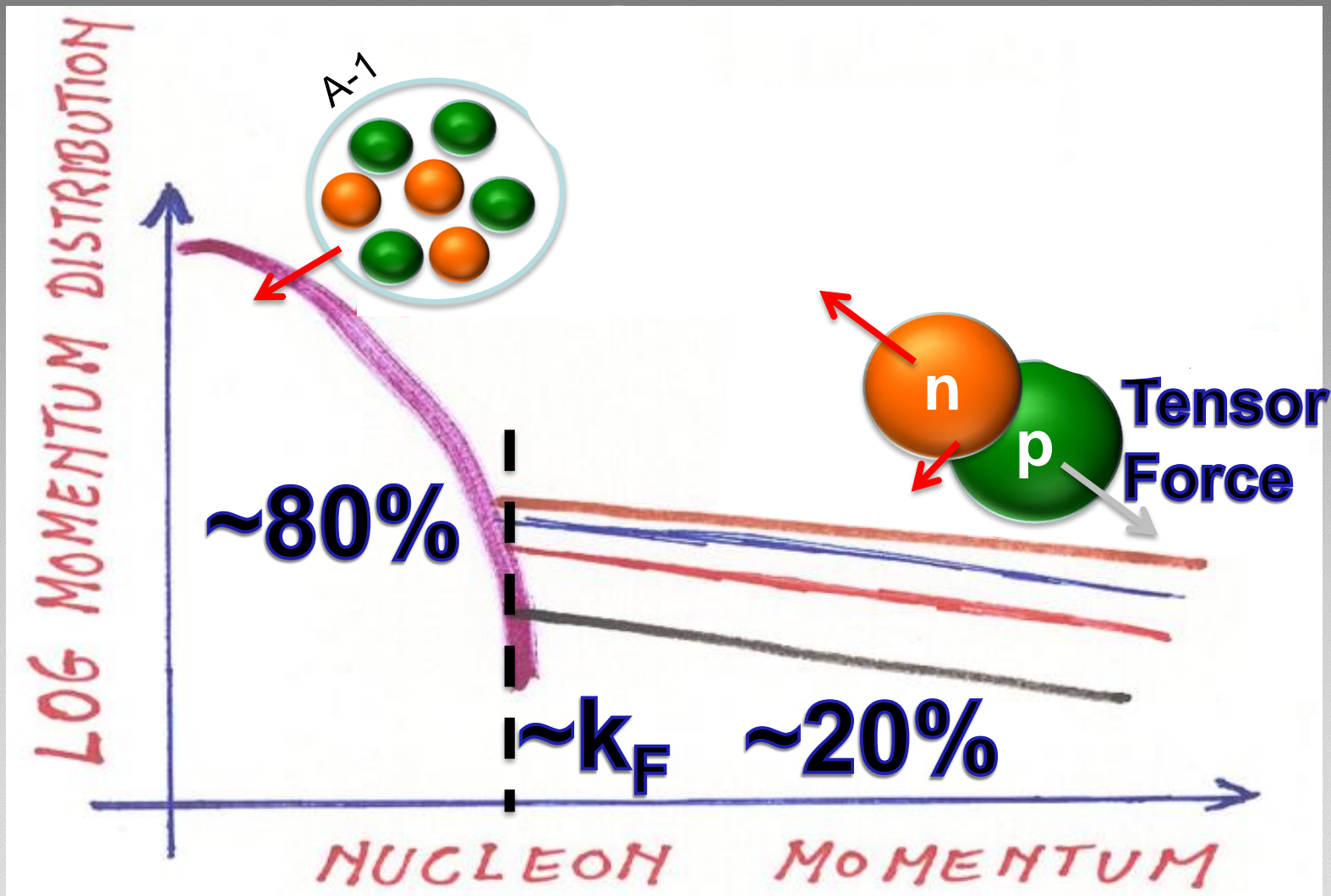


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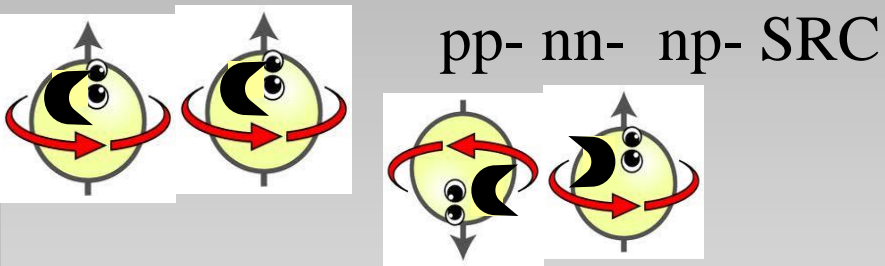
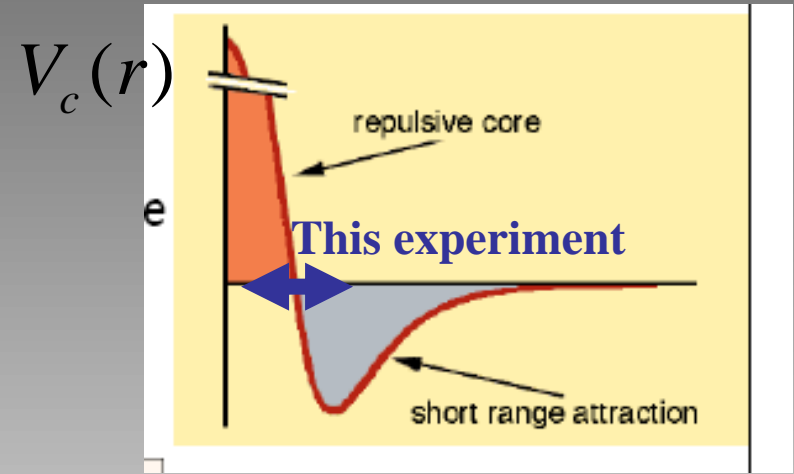
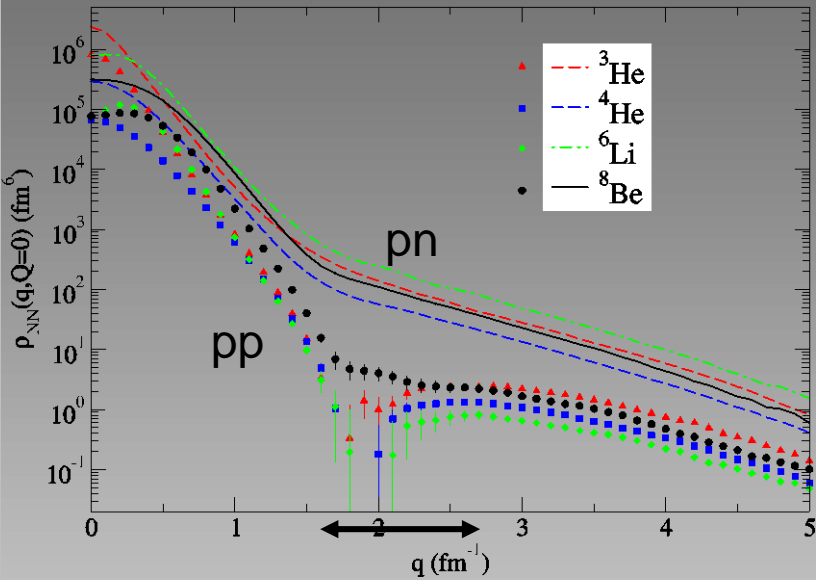


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Two-component interacting Fermi systems

For ultra-cold atomic gas systems of two different type of fermions with short-range interaction

$$a \gg d \gg r_{eff}$$

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The contact measure the number of close different –fermions pairs



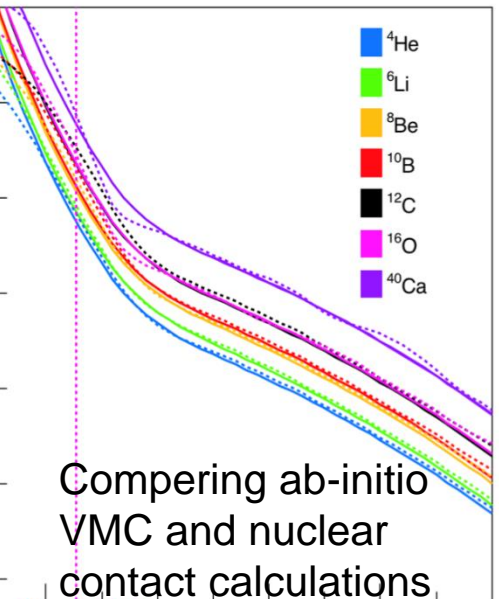
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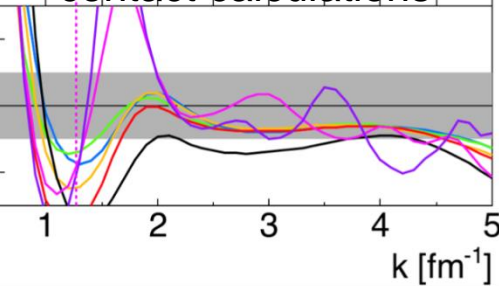
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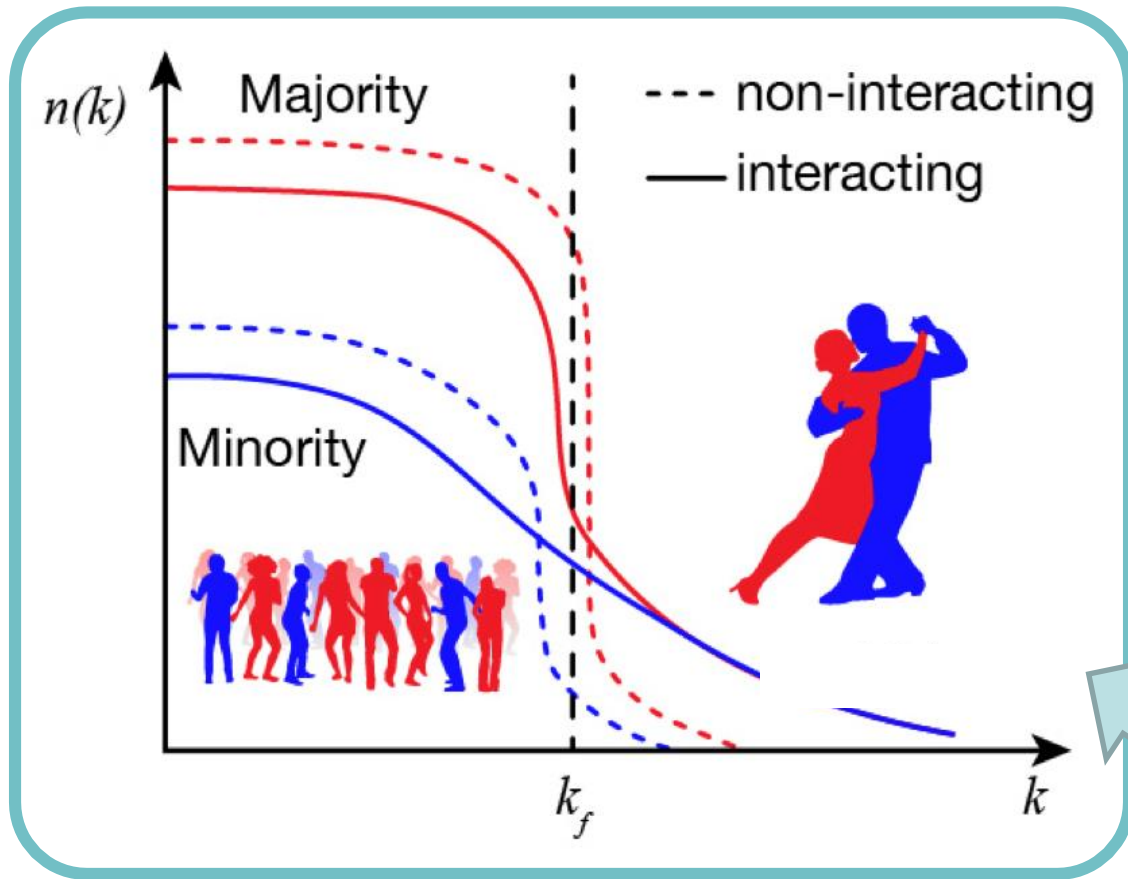
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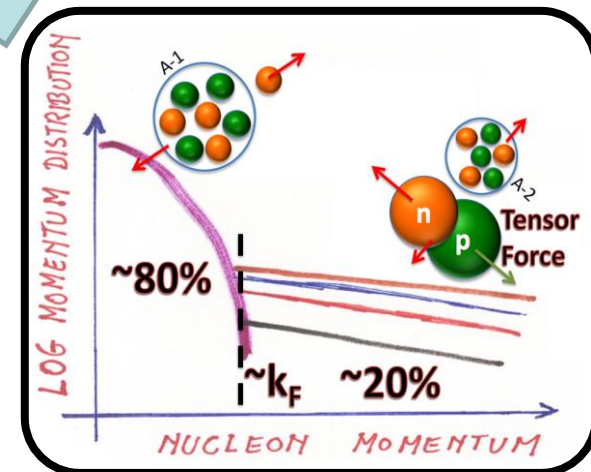


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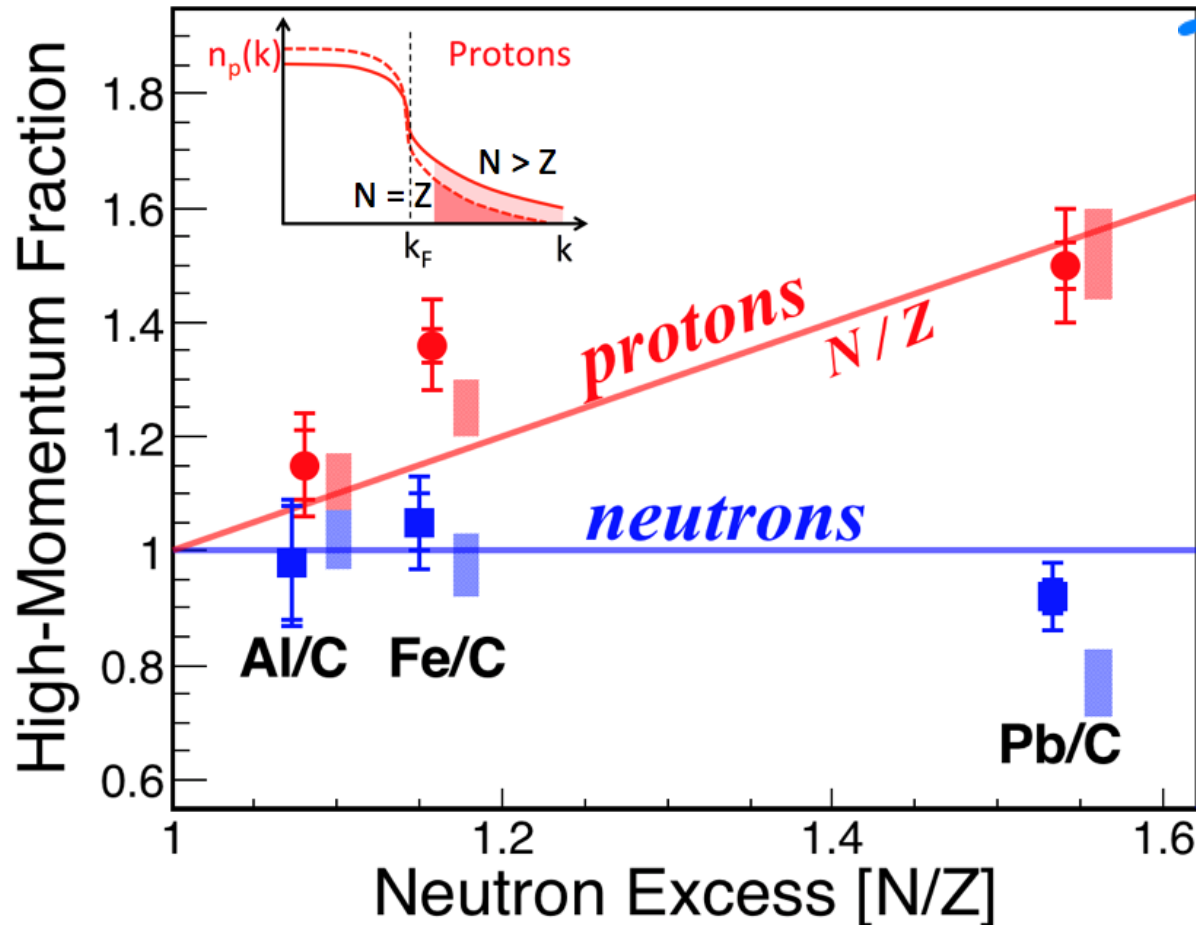
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What do the outer shell neutrons do ?

Do they produce SRC pairs
with the inner shells protons
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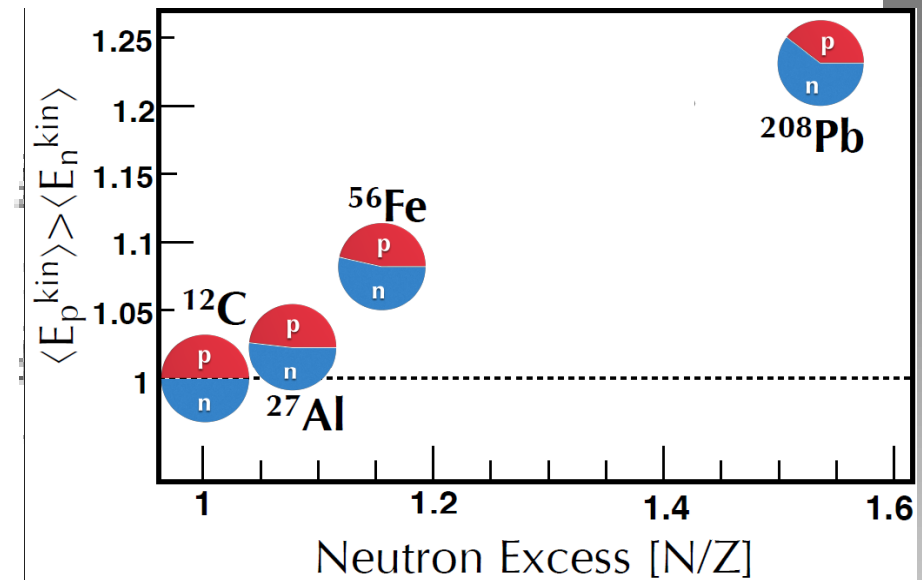
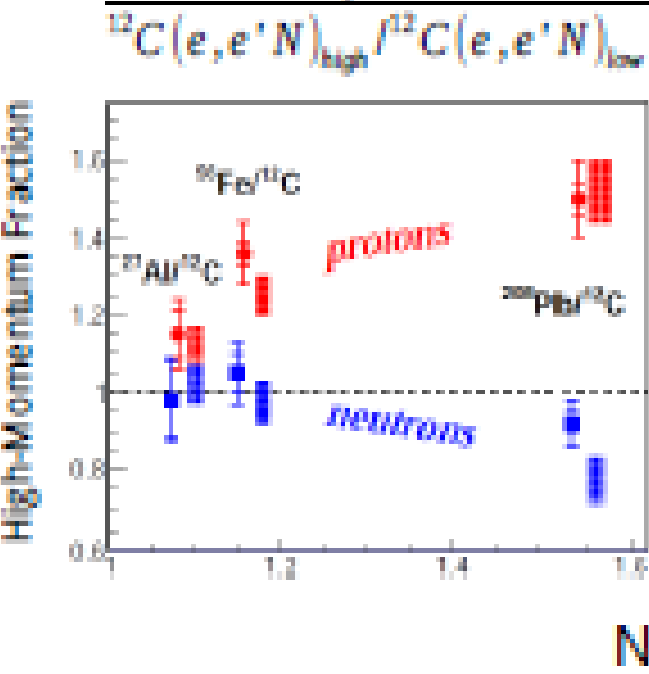
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Kinetic energy sharing

Simple np-dominance model

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Protons move faster than **neutrons** in $N > Z$ nuclei

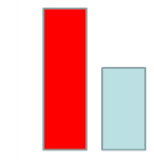


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Pauli principle



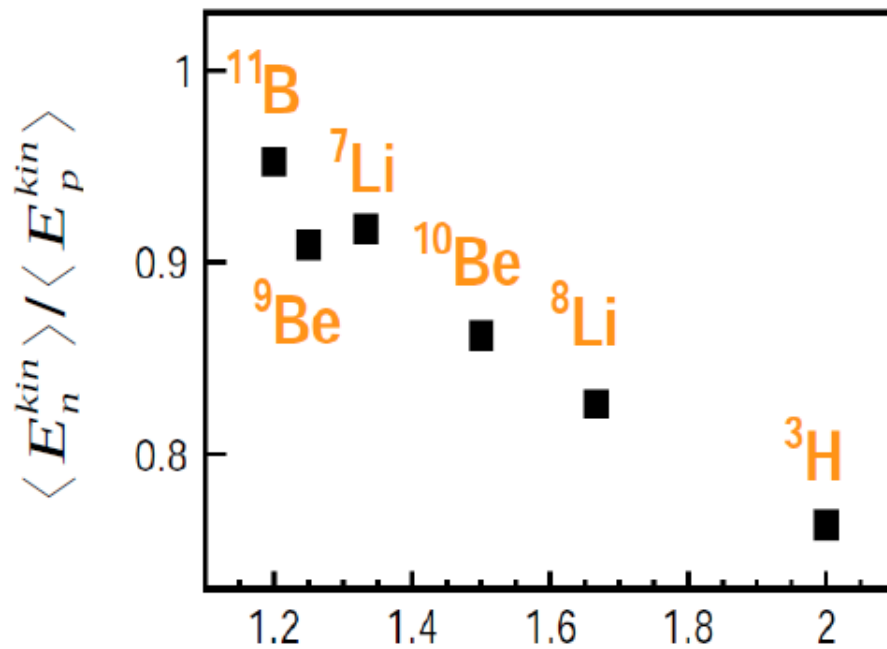
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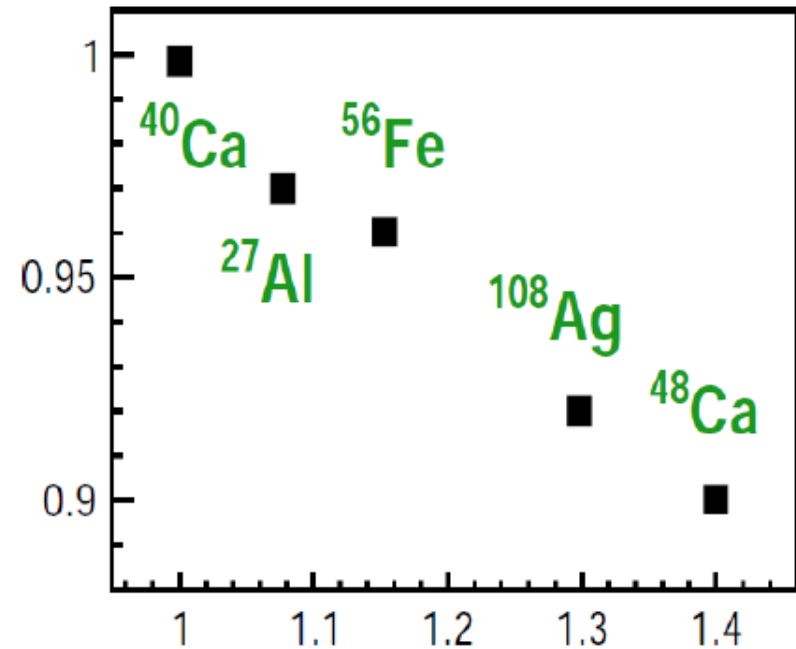


Theoretical predictions (N>Z)

Light nuclei (A<12)



Heavy nuclei (A>12)



Neutron Excess [N/Z]

Z>N:

$$^3\text{He} \quad N/Z = 1/2 \quad \langle E_n^{kin} \rangle / \langle E_p^{kin} \rangle = 1.31$$

Wiringa, Phys. Rev. C89, 024305 (2014)

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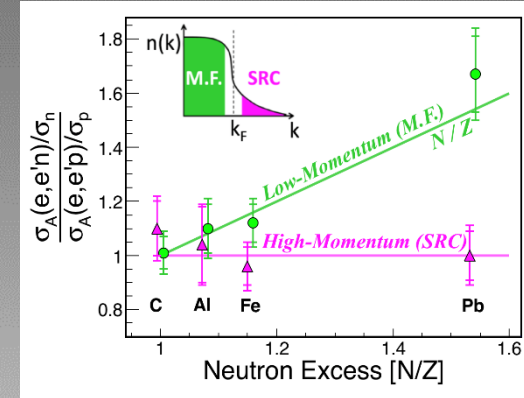
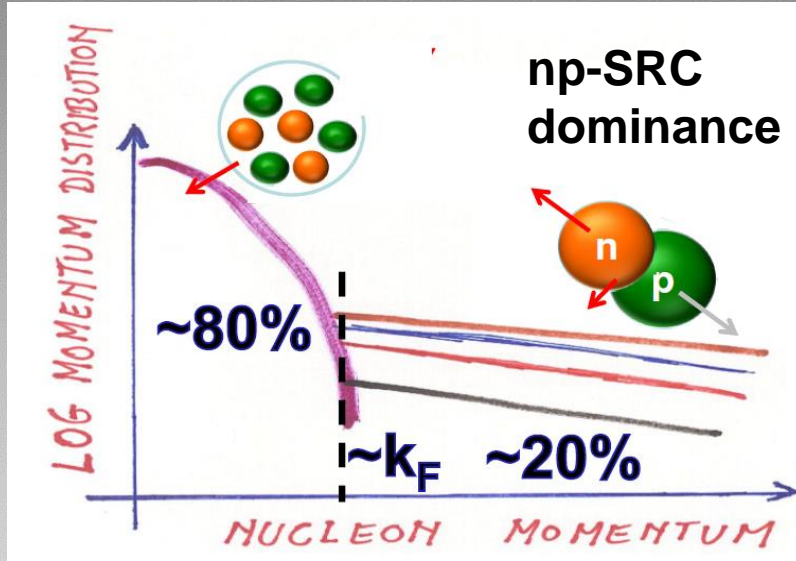
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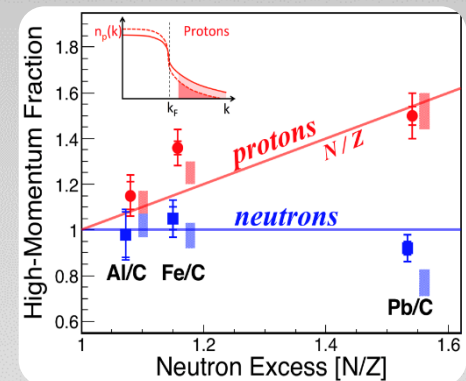
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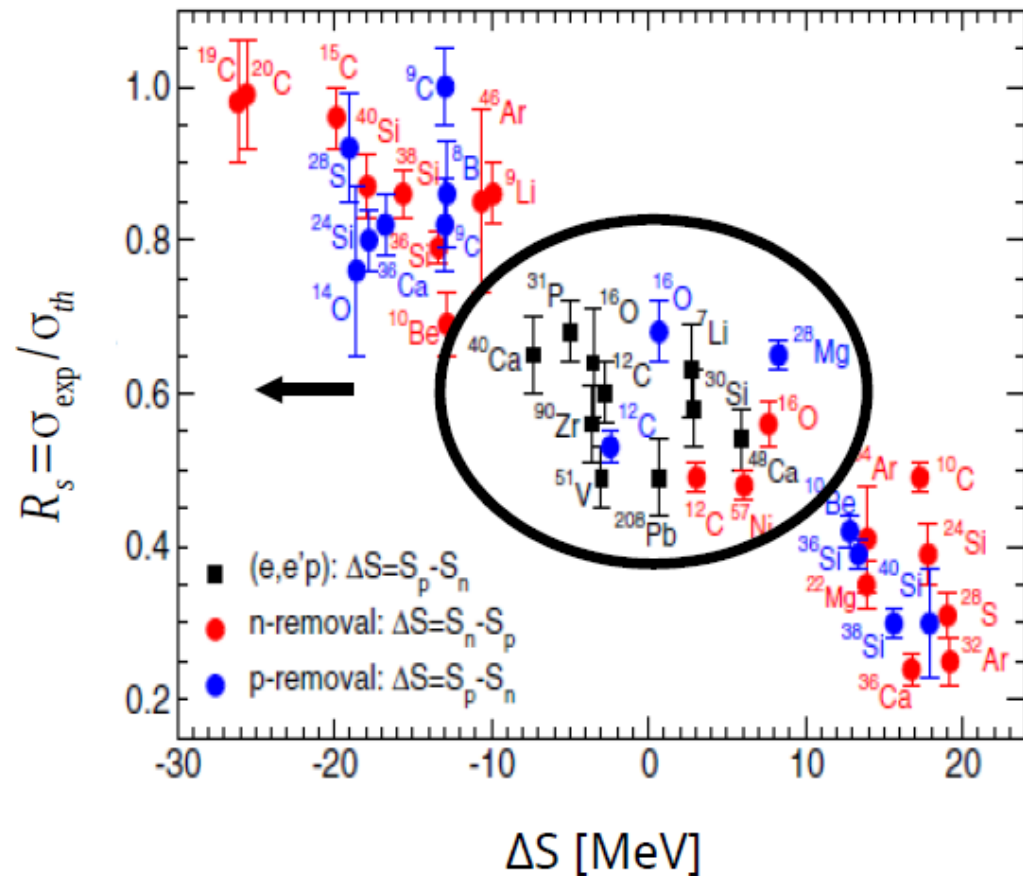


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Reduction of single-particle strength

Spectroscopic factors
for (e,e'p) reactions

Only 60-70% of expected
single-particle strength



MISSING:

SRC LRC



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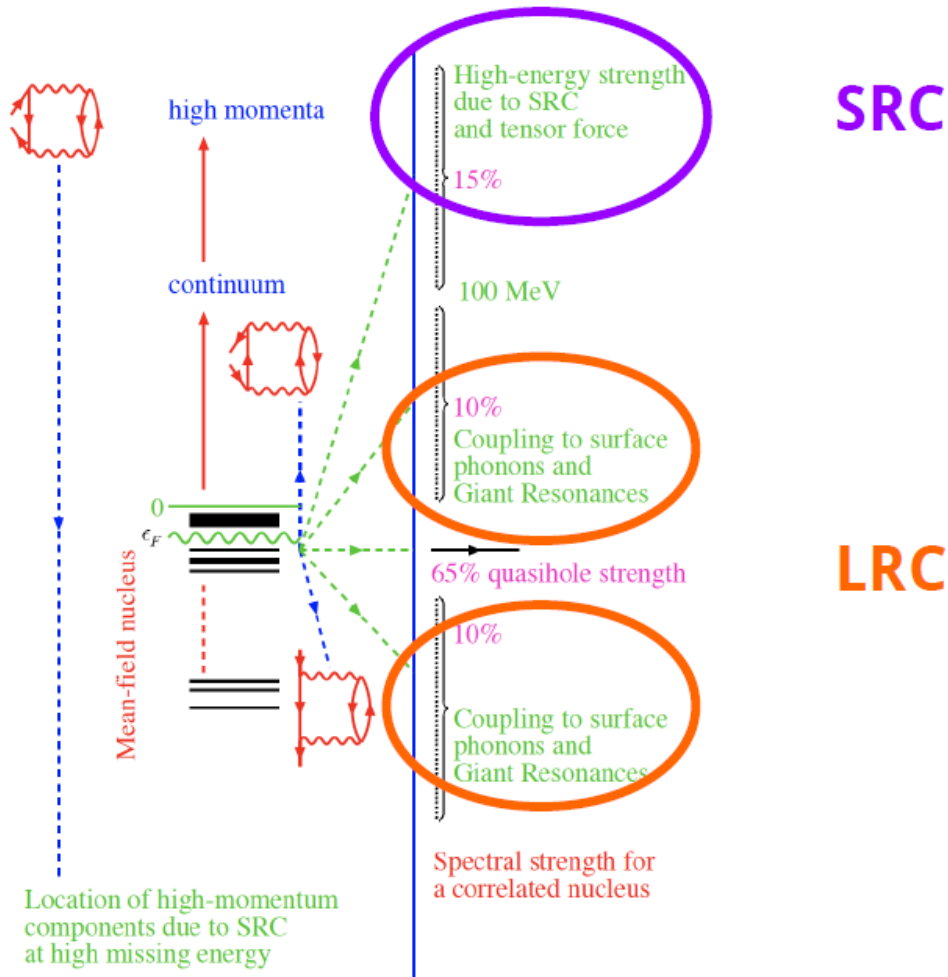
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V. CONCLUSIONS

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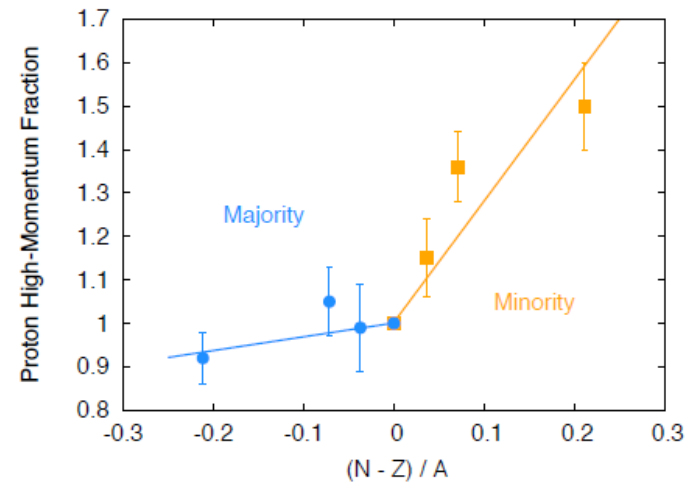
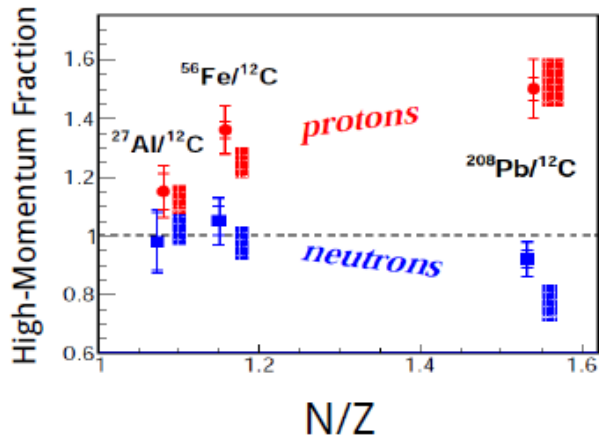
Isospin dependence of single-particle strength

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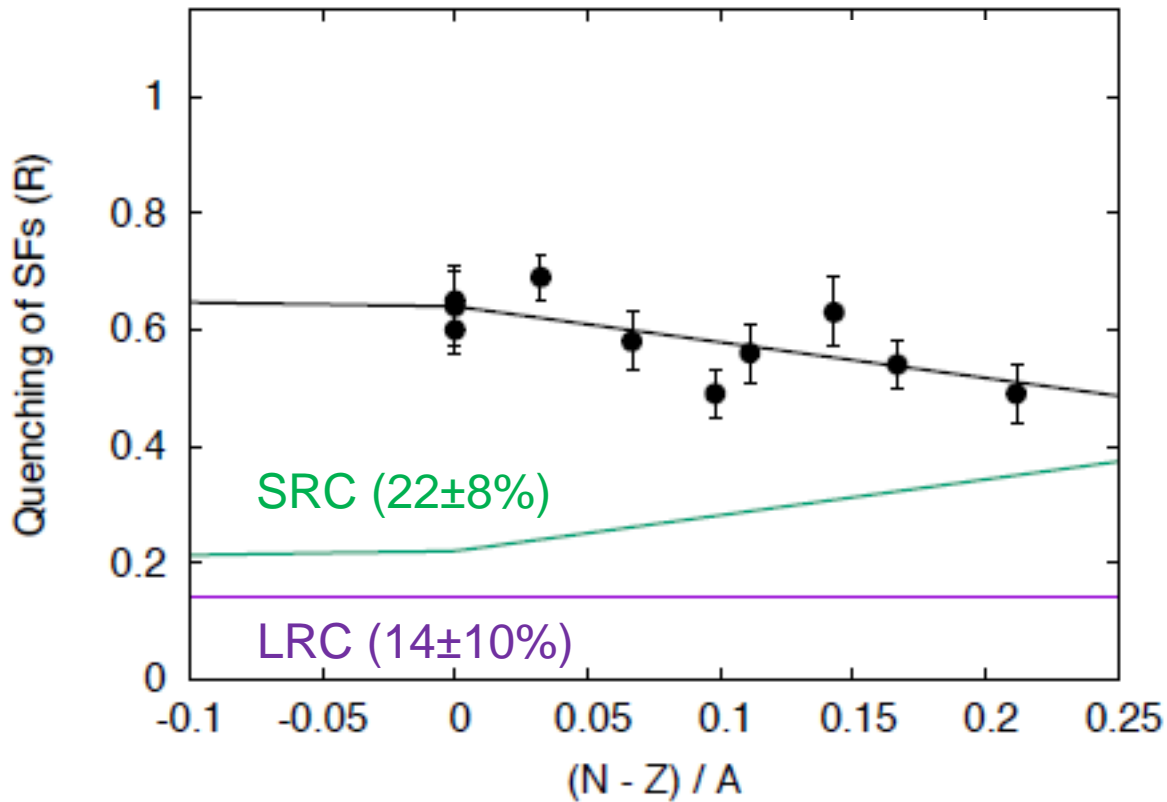
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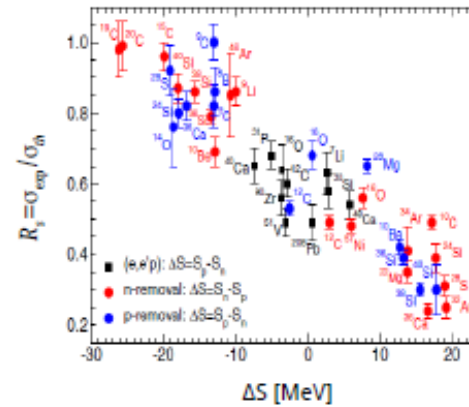
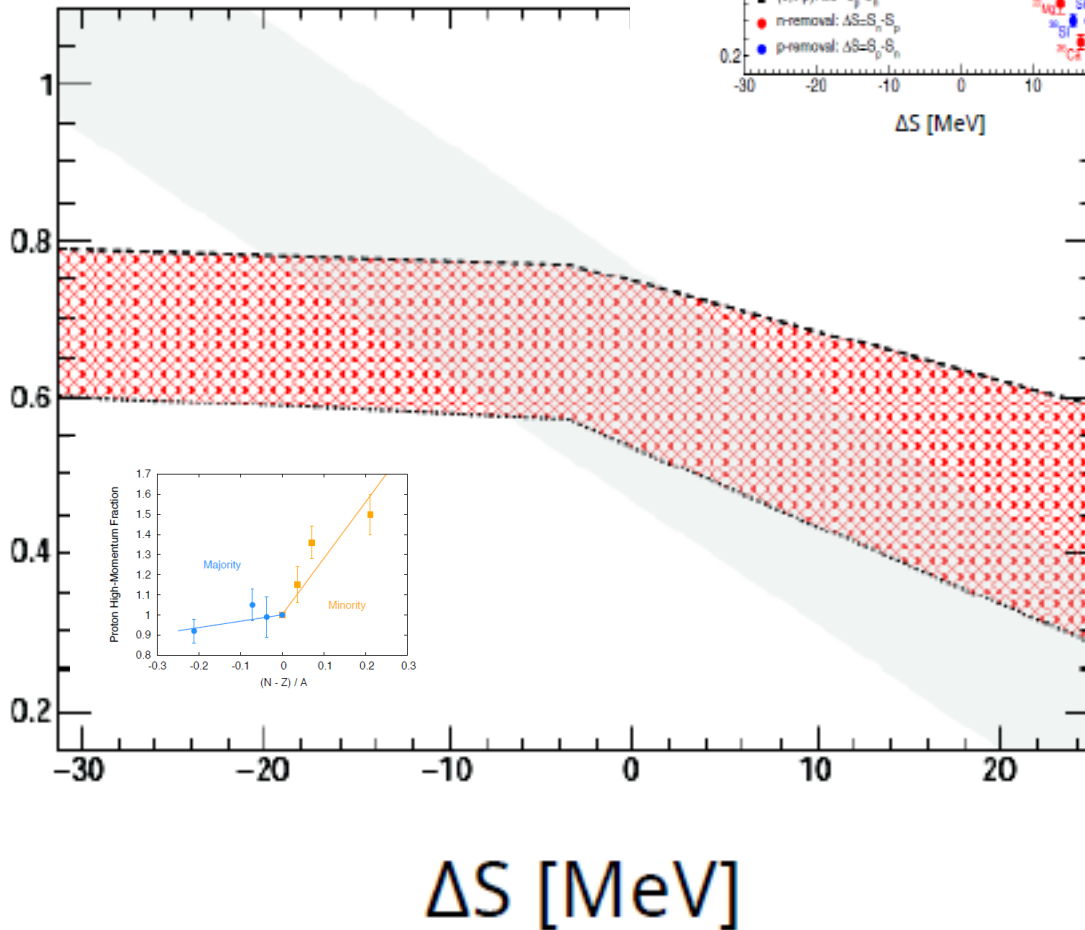
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G. Kramer, H. Blok, and L. Lapikas, Nucl. Phys. A **679**, 267 (2001).

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Quenching Factors

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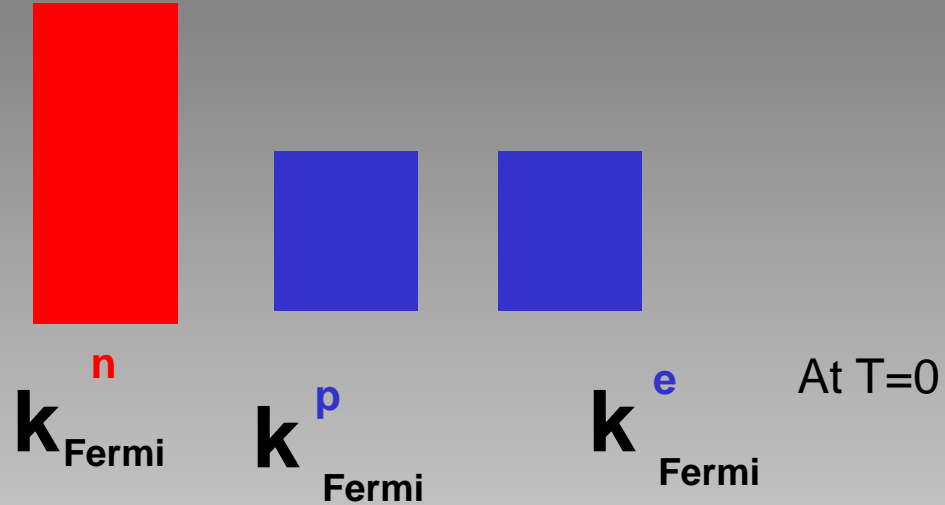


The difference) in proton and neutron separation energies,

Implications for neutron stars

- ~95% neutrons, ~5% protons ~5% electrons (β -stability).
- three separate Fermi gases (n, p, e).

$$N/Z = 20$$



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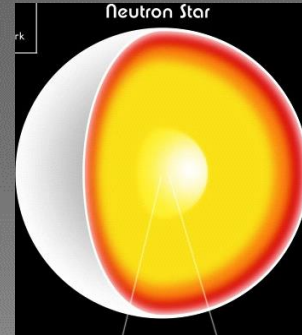
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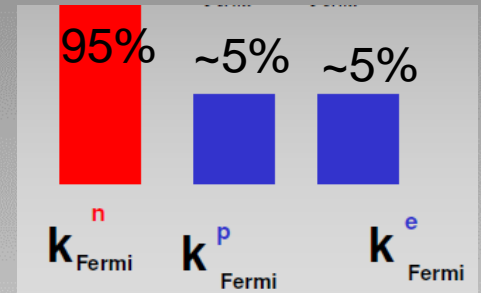
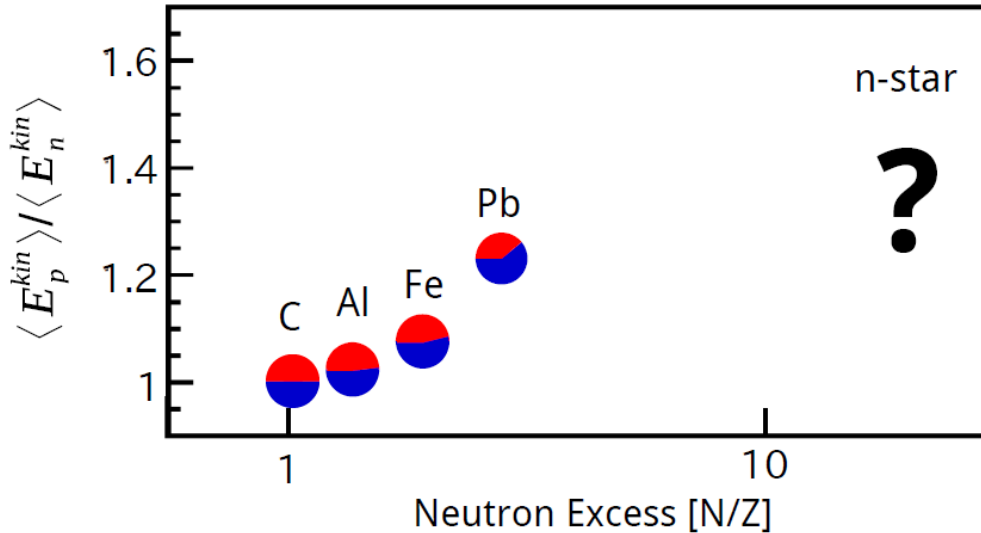
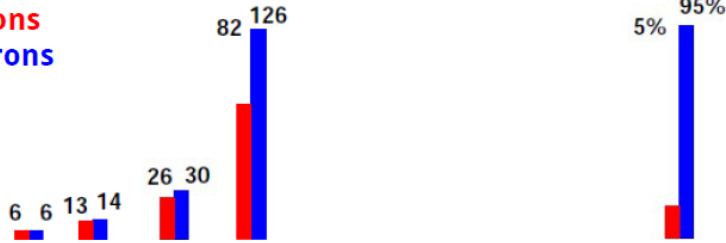
in neutron stars



What happens in $N \gg Z$?



protons
neutrons



Neglecting LRC assuming 0.2 np- SRC
With $n(k)=1/k^4$

$$\frac{\langle E_k^p \rangle_{SRC}}{\langle E_k^p \rangle_{SFG}} \approx 2.5$$



ν cooling
 $n \rightarrow p + e + \bar{\nu}_e$
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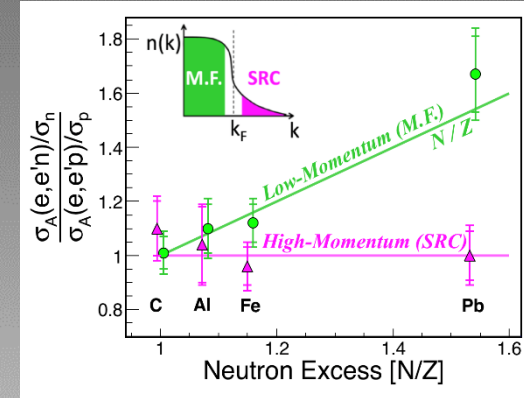
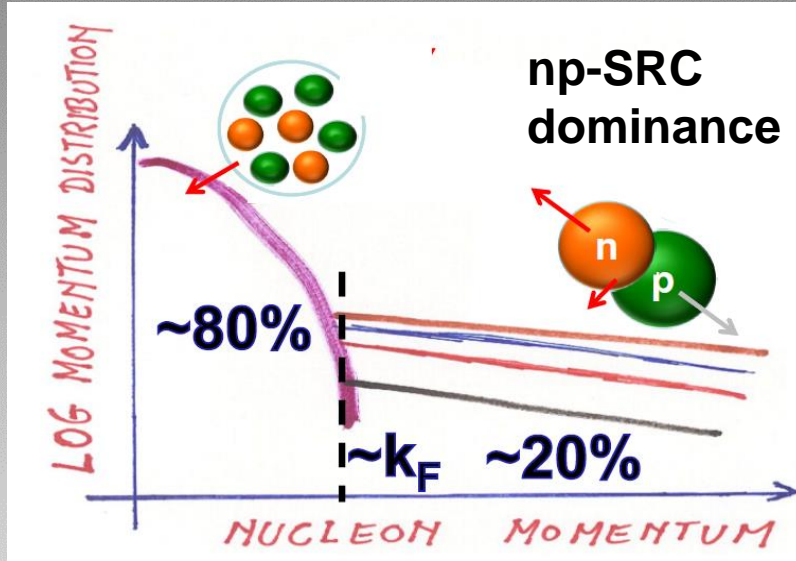
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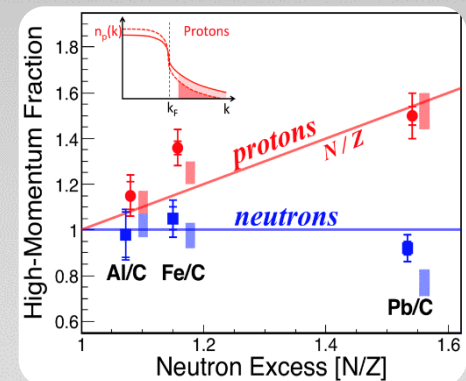
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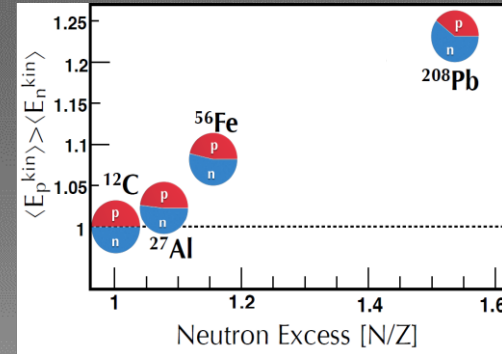
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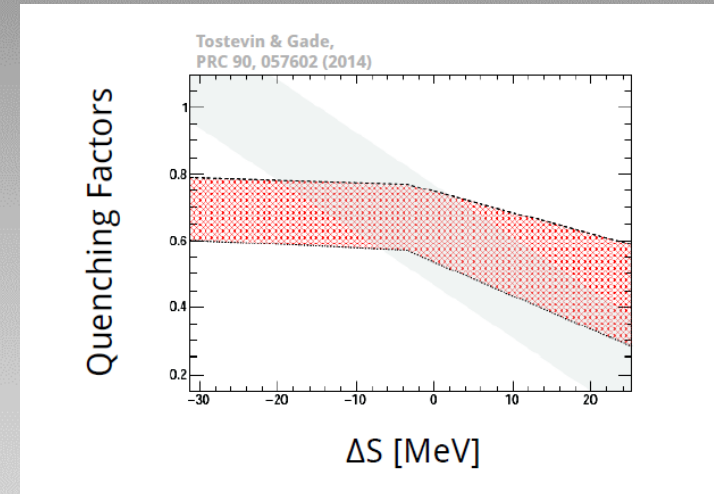
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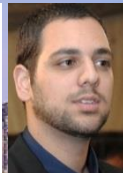


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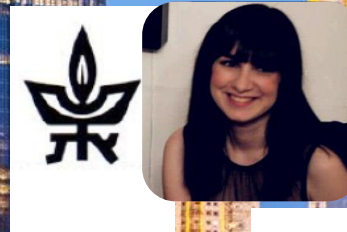


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arXiv: 1812.08051 [nucl-exp]

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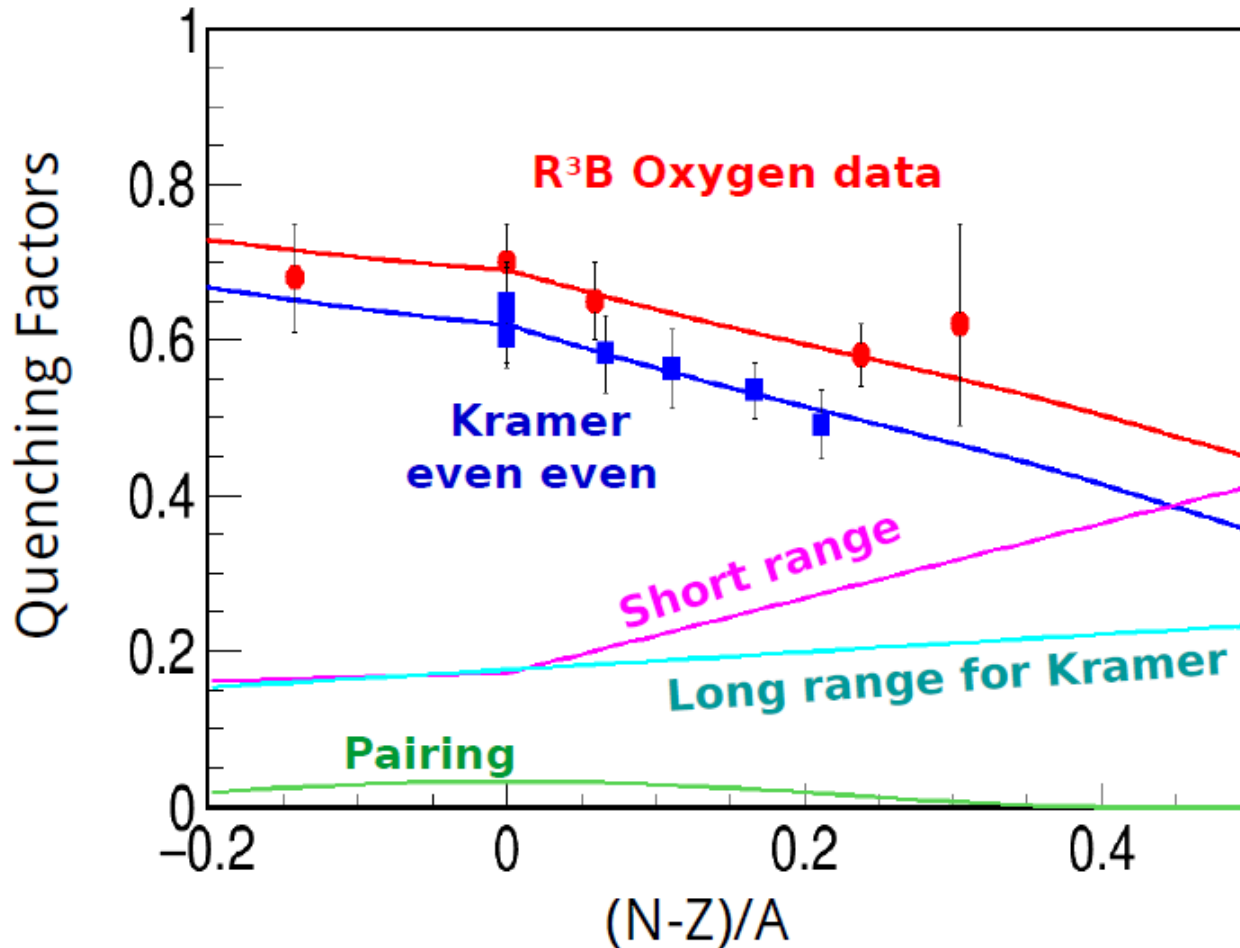
$$QF_{PVC} = \alpha \left(1 + \frac{33}{51} \frac{(N-Z)}{A} \right)^2 \qquad \text{Particle Vibration Coupling}$$

$$QF_{Pairing} = 0.0324 \left(1 - 6.07 \left(\frac{(N-Z)}{A} \right)^2 \right)^2 \qquad \text{Nuclear Physics A431 (1984) 393-418}$$

Isospin dependence of nucleon-nucleon correlations and the reduction of the single-particle strength in atomic nuclei

S. Paschalis,¹ A. O. Macchiavelli,² M. Petri,¹ O. Hen,³ and E. Piasetzky⁴

arXiv. 1812.08051 [nucl-exp]

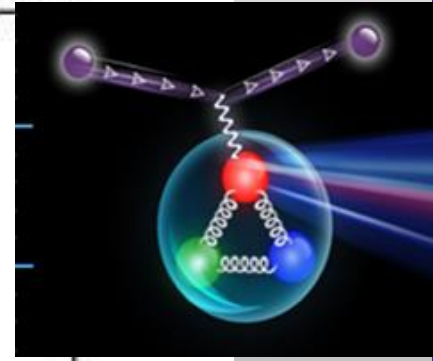
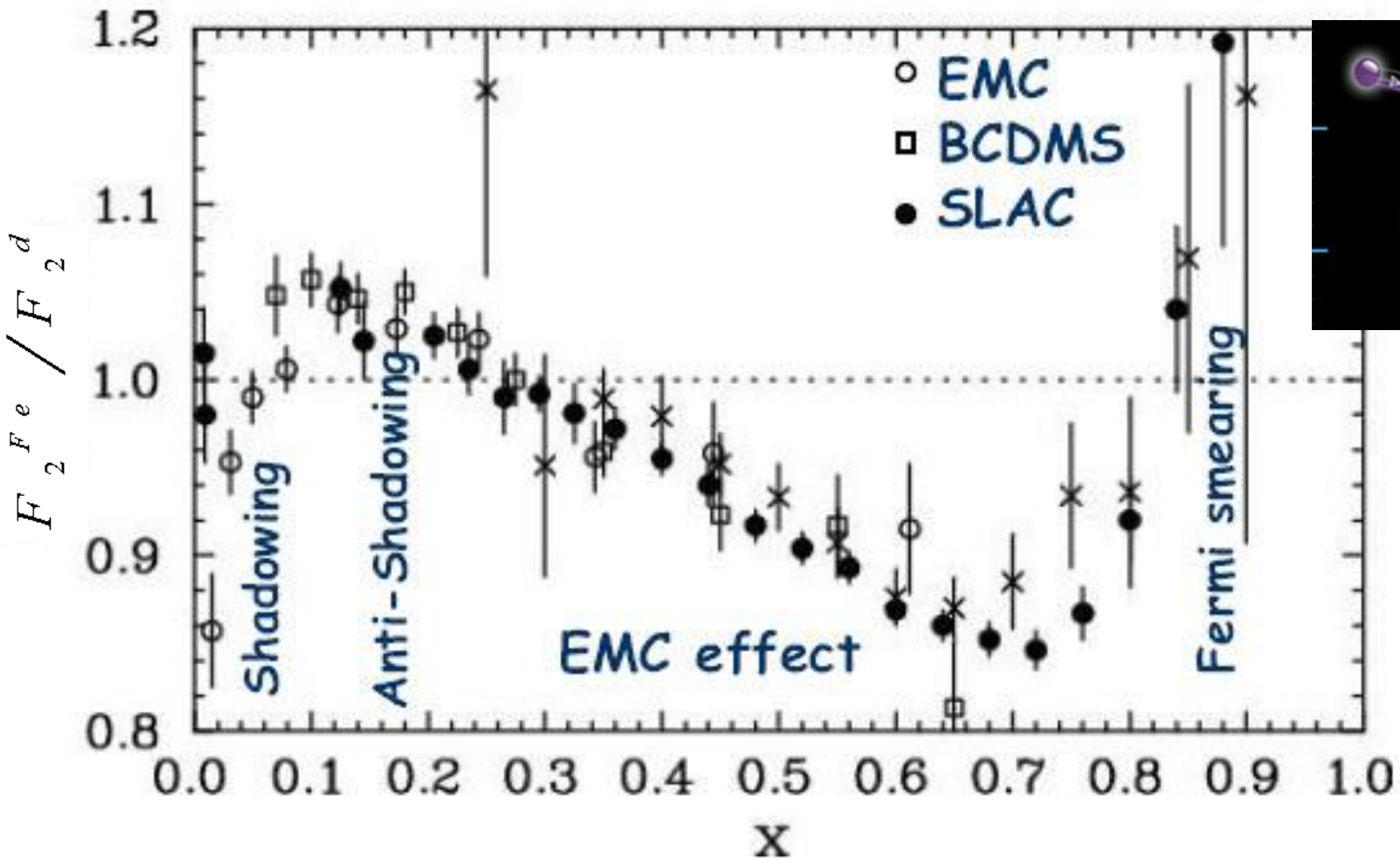


SRC fraction -
20%

gs → gs: G. Kramer, H. Blok, and L. Lapikas, NPA, 679, 267 (2001)

gs → all: Lee et al., PRC 73, 044608 (2006); L. Atar, Phys. Rev. Lett. 120 (5) (2018) 052501

The European Muon Collaboration (EMC) effect



$$F_2^A \neq Z \cdot F_2^p + N \cdot F_2^n$$

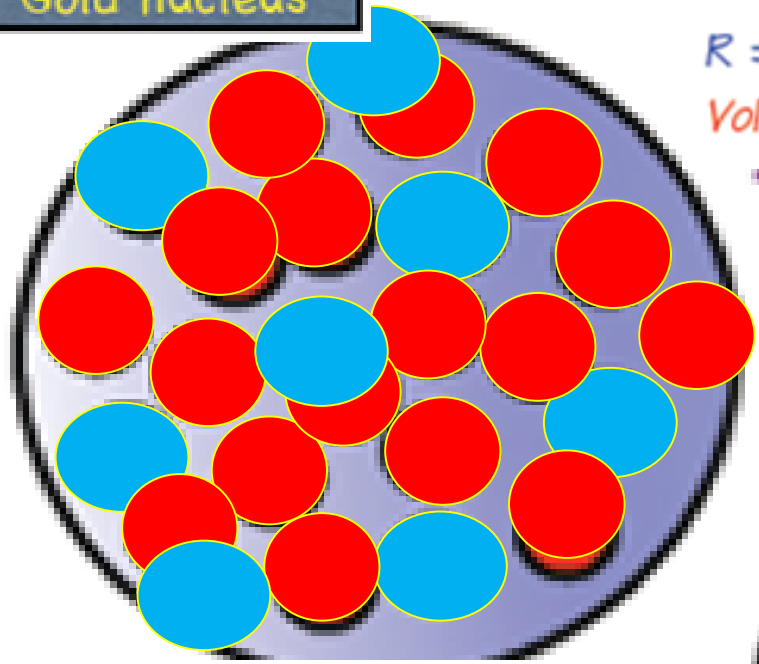
After 30 years no consensus on cause of EMC effect



Gold nucleus

$$R = 1.2A^{1/3}$$

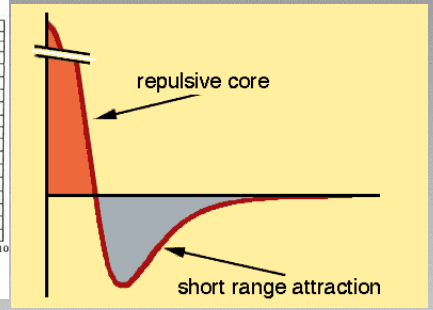
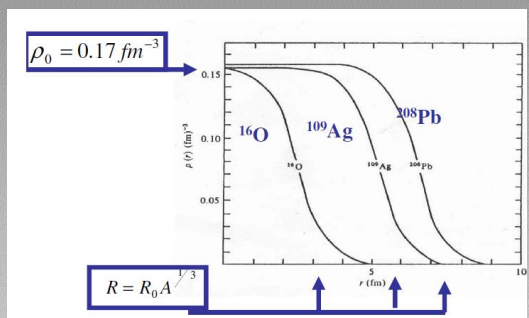
$$\text{Volume} = \frac{4}{3}\pi R^3 \approx 1400\text{fm}^3$$



A single nucleon, $r = 1 \text{ fm}$, has a volume of $4.2 \text{ fm}^3 \implies 197 \text{ times } 4.2 \text{ fm}^3 \approx 830 \text{ fm}^3$

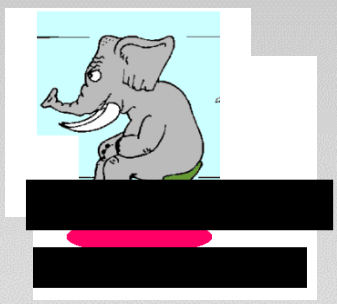
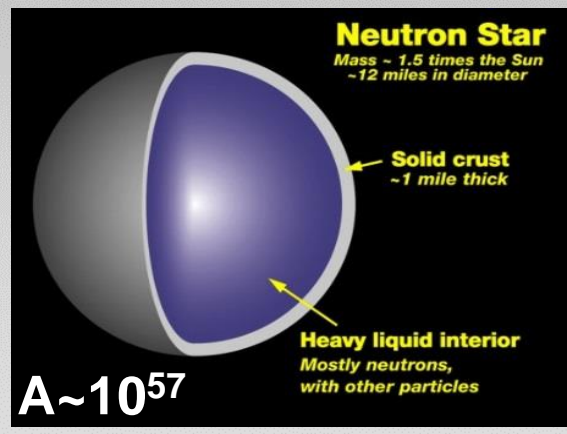
60% of the volume is occupied

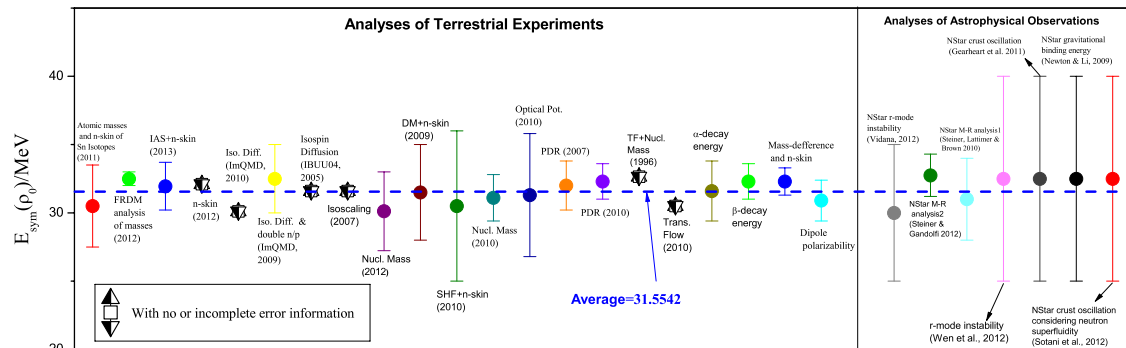
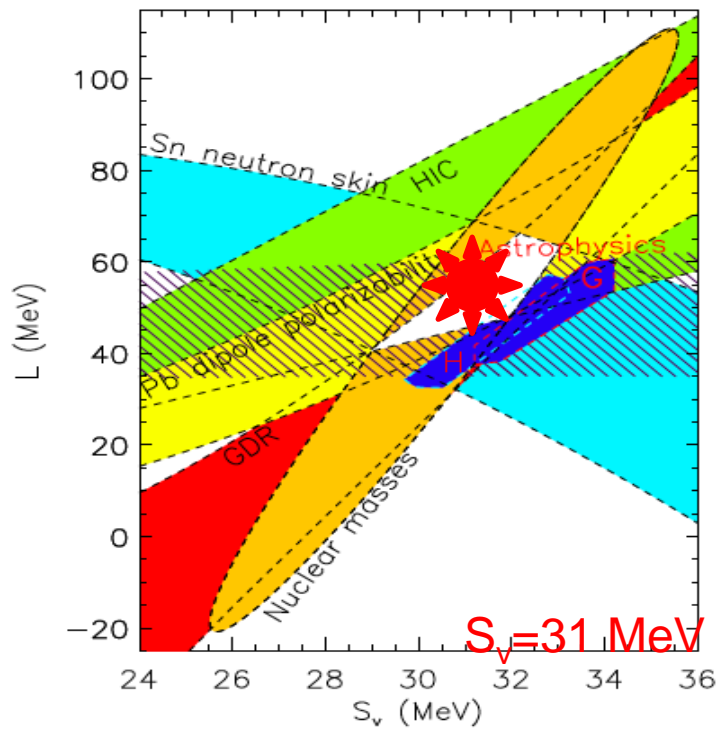
closely packed!



Nuclei are dense

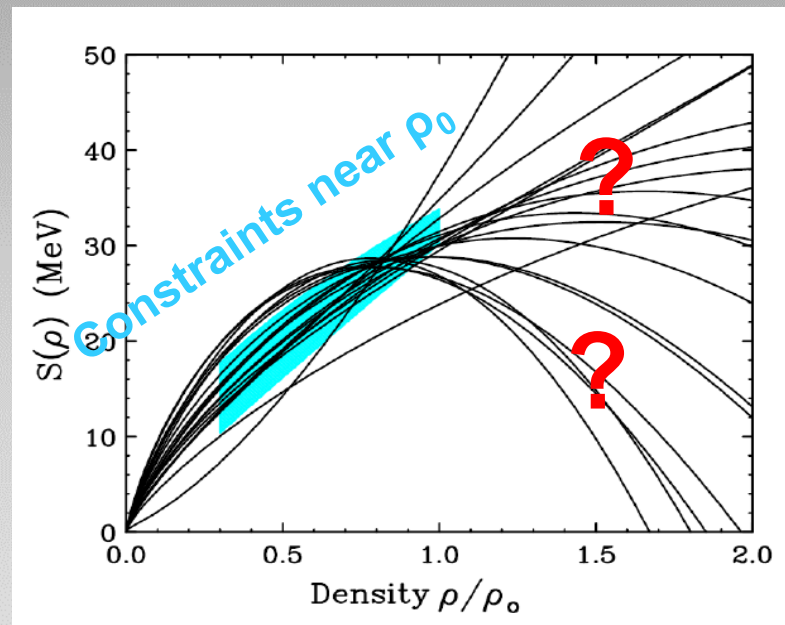
Even denser nuclear systems in nature:





Bao-An Li and Xiao Han,
Phys. Lett. B727, 276 (2013).

Lattimer and Steiner (6 out of 30 constraints)

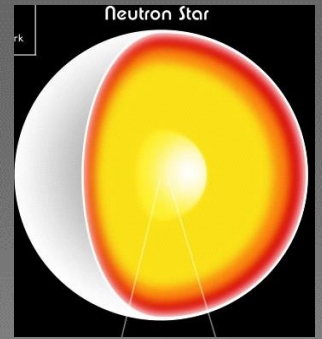


M. B. Tsang et al., Phys. Rev. C86, 015803 (2012)

Adapted from Bao-An Li talk

Nuclear density

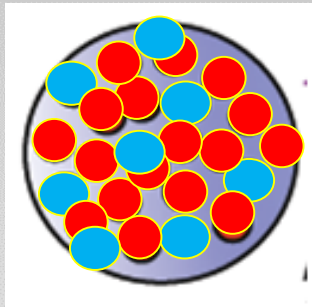
Asymmetry



$$A \approx \frac{M_{\square}}{M_p} \approx 10^{57}$$

$$N / Z \approx 95\% / 5\% = 20$$

$$\rho_0 = 2 - 5 \rho_0$$



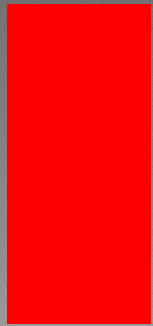
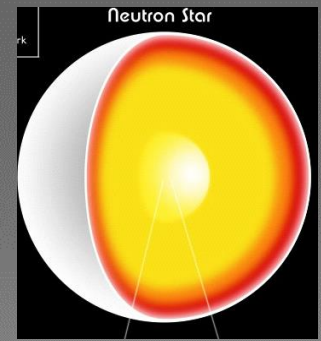
$$A < 200 \text{ (300)}$$

$$N/Z < 1.5 \text{ (2.5)}$$

$$\rho_0 = 0.17 \text{ N} / \text{fm}^3 = 0.16 \text{ GeV} / \text{fm}^3$$

• most accepted models assume :

~95% neutrons, ~5% protons and ~5% electrons (β -stability).



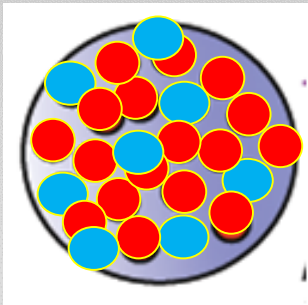
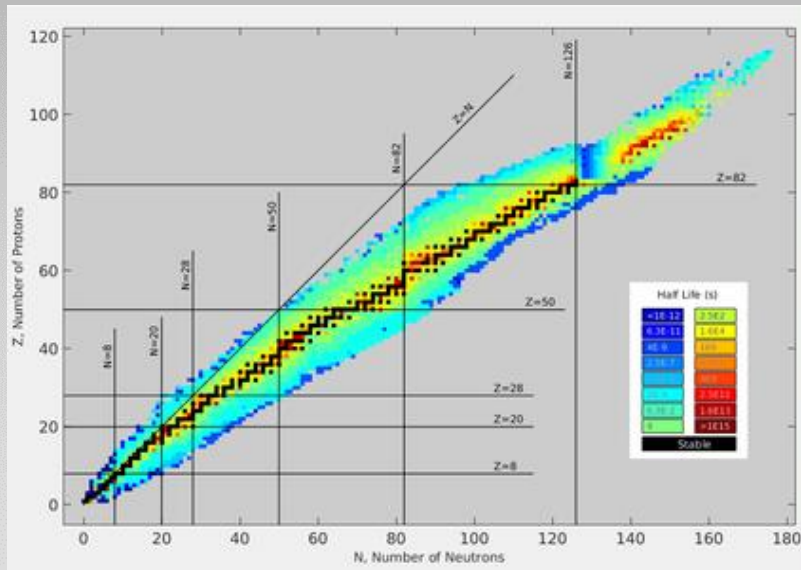
$$N / Z \approx 95\% / 5\% = 20$$

k_{Fermi}^n

k_{Fermi}^p

k_{Fermi}^e

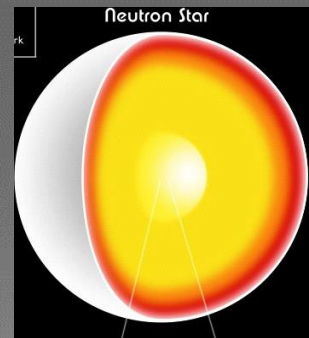
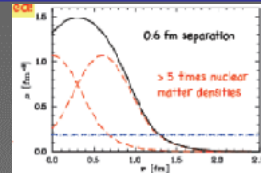
$$N/Z < 1.5 \text{ (2.5)}$$



Had

2N-SRC

A few times average nuclear density



~1 fm

1.7 fm

Nucleons

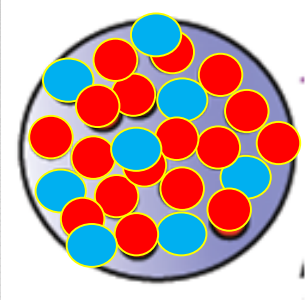
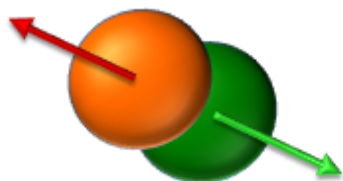
$$\rho_0 = 0.16 \text{ GeV}/\text{fm}^3$$

$$A \approx \frac{M_{\square}}{M_p} \approx 10^{57}$$

$$N / Z \approx 95\% / 5\% = 20$$



$$\rho_0 = 2 - 5 \rho_0$$



Had

$$A < 200 \text{ (300)}$$

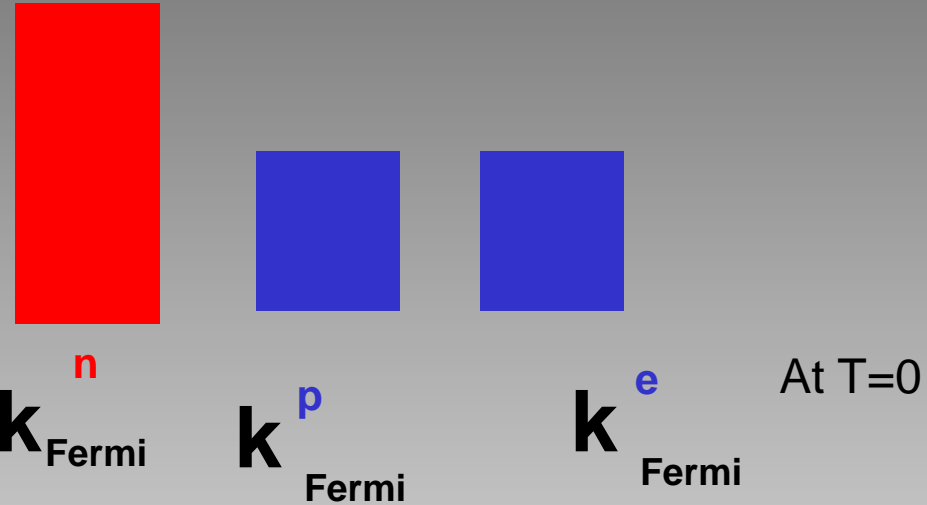
$$N/Z < 1.5 \text{ (2.5)}$$

$$\rho_0 = 0.17 N / \text{fm}^3$$

2N-SRCs: pairs of nucleons close together in the nucleus (wave functions overlap)

• ~95% neutrons, ~5% protons ~5% electrons (β -stability).

• three separate Fermi gases (n, p, e).



$$\frac{\langle E_k^p \rangle}{\langle E_k^n \rangle} = \frac{k_F^p}{k_F^n} = \left(\frac{n_p}{n_n} \right)^{1/3} = \left(\frac{5-10\%}{90-95\%} \right)^{1/3} \approx \frac{1}{2-3}$$

SRC in neutron rich nuclei

$$\frac{\langle E_k^p \rangle}{\langle E_k^n \rangle} > 1$$

in neutron stars



Nuclear Physics 101

- Many-Body Hamiltonian:

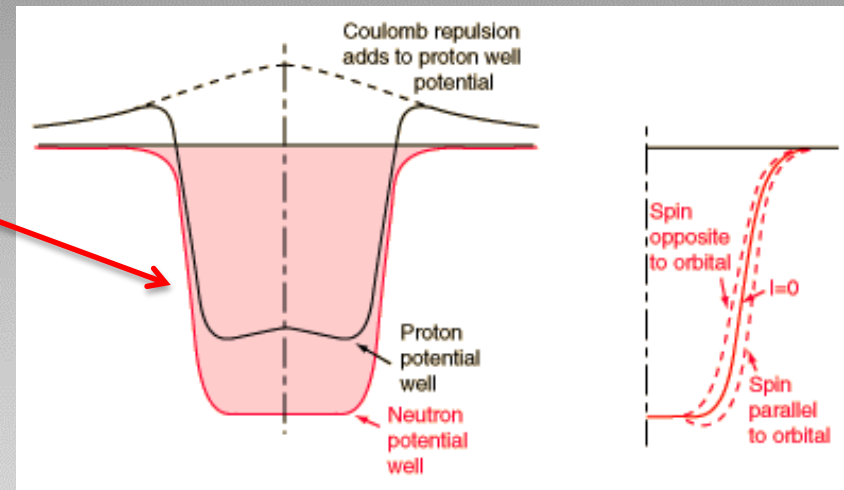
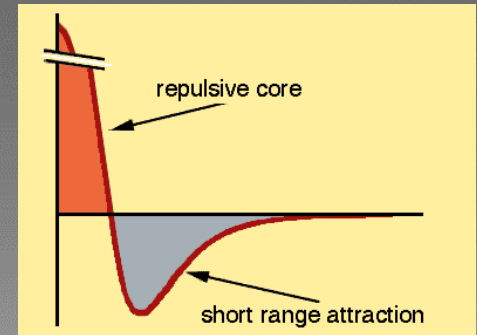
$$H = \sum_{i=1}^A \frac{p_i^2}{2m_N} + \sum_{i<j=1}^A V_{2N}(i, j) + \sum_{i<j<k=1}^A V_{3N}(i, j, k) +$$

- Mean-Field Approximation:

$$H = \sum_{i=1}^A \frac{p_i^2}{2m_N} + \sum_{i=1}^A V(i)$$

Results in an “atom-like” shell model:

- Ground state energies
- Excitation Spectrum
- ...

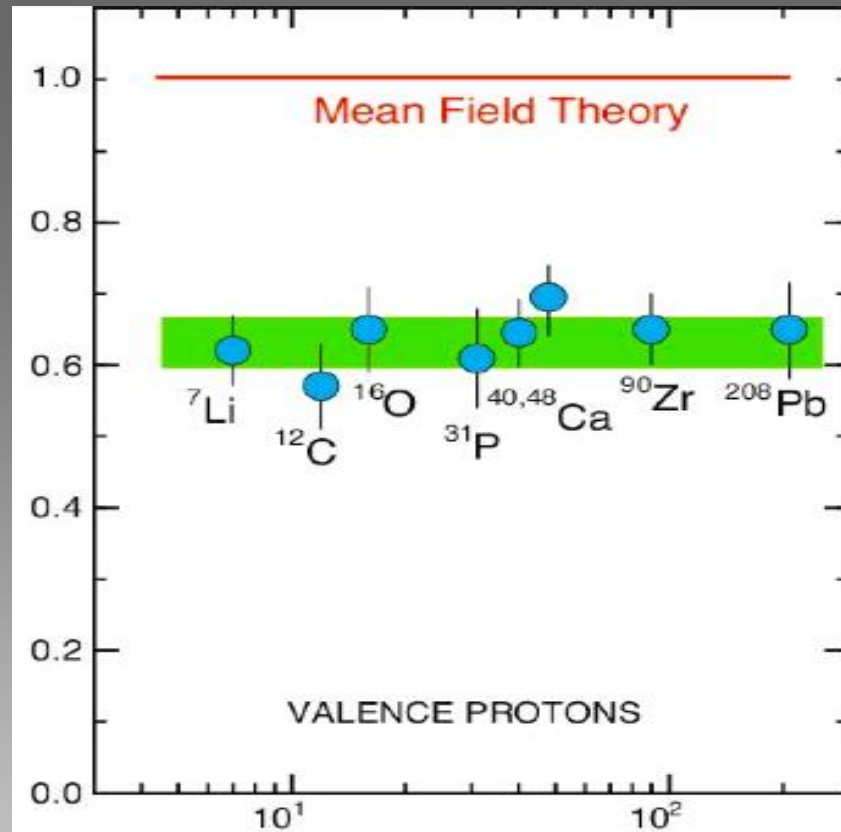


E. Wigner, M. Mayer, and J. Jenson,
1963 Nobel Prize

Beyond the Mean Field: NN Correlations

Spectroscopic factors for (e, e'p) reactions

show only 60-70% of the expected single-particle strength.

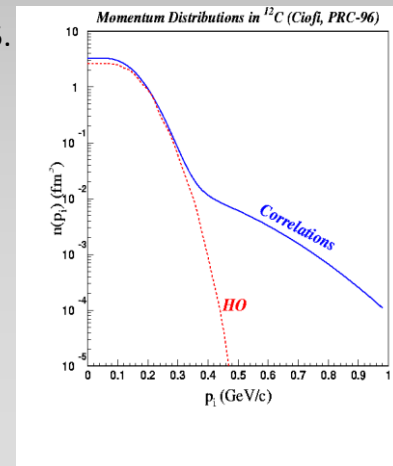
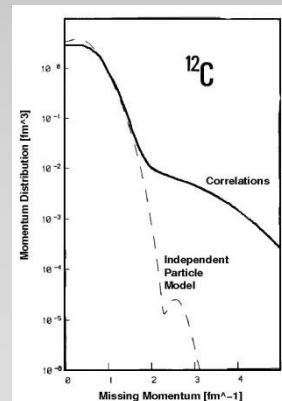


L. Lapikas, Nucl. Phys. A553, 297c (1993)

Benhar et al., Phys. Lett. B 177 (1986) 135.

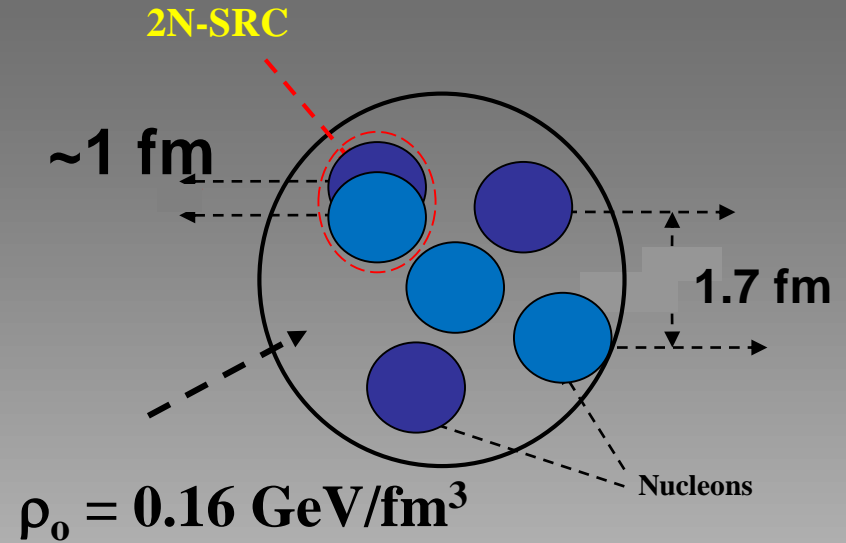
MISSING : Correlations Between Nucleons

$SRC \sim R_N$ $LRC \sim R_A$

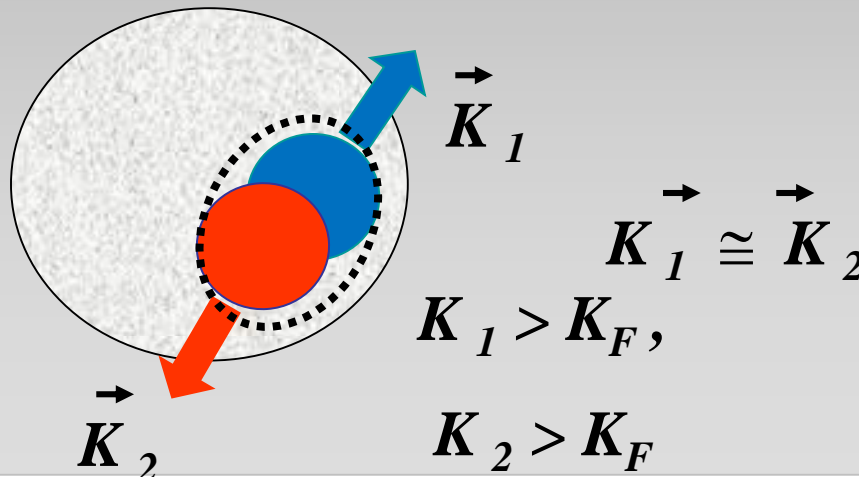


What are Short Range Correlations in nuclei ?

SRC $\sim R_N$ LRC $\sim R_A$

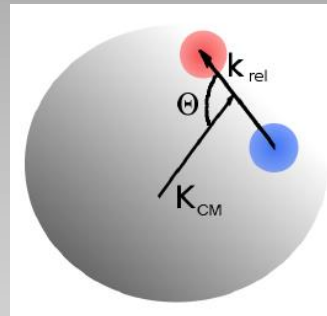


In momentum space:



$$K_{rel} > K_F$$

$$K_{CM} < K_F$$



A pair with large relative momentum between the nucleons and small CM momentum.

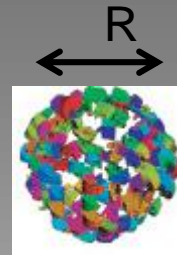


Hard scattering :

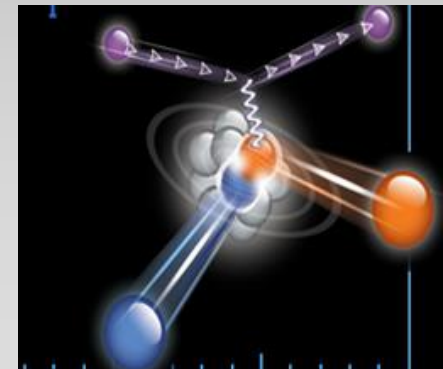
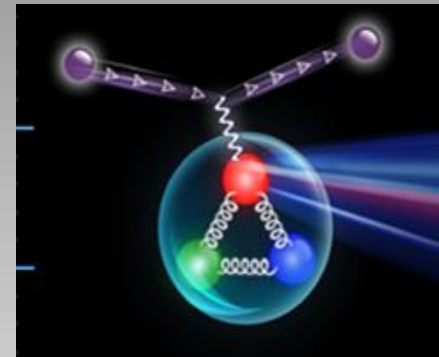
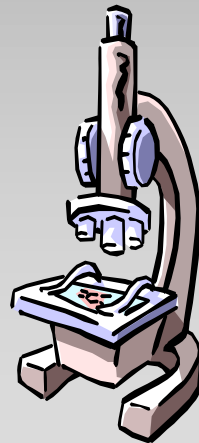
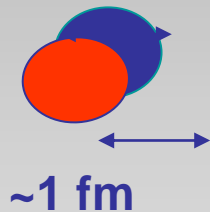
High-energy (small de Broglie wavelength λ)
and large-momentum transfer q)

$$\lambda < R$$

$$q \cdot R < 1$$

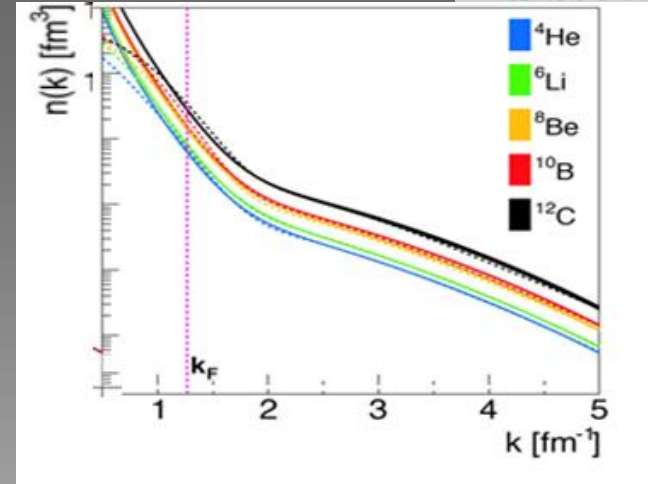


Hard scattering has the resolving power
required to probe the internal (partonic)
structure of a complex target



■ **At high nucleon momentum distributions are similar in shape for light and heavy nuclei: SCALING.**

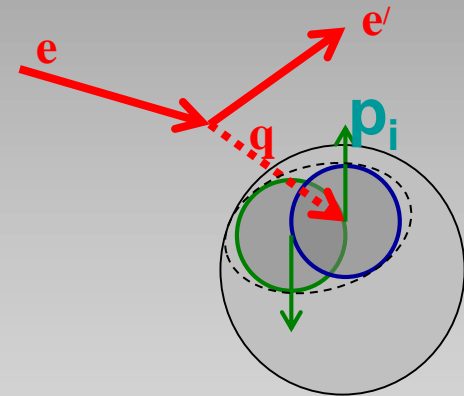
ab-initio VMC calculations



- Can be explained by 2N-SRC dominance.
- Within the 2N-SRC dominance picture one can get the probability of 2N-SRC in any nucleus, from the scaling factor.

In $A(e,e')$ the momentum of the struck proton (p_i) is unknown.

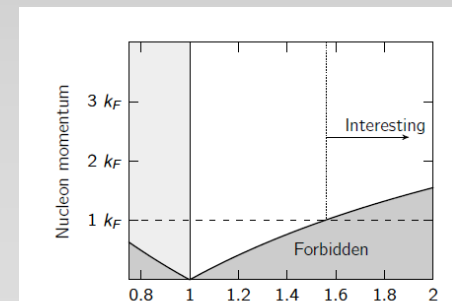
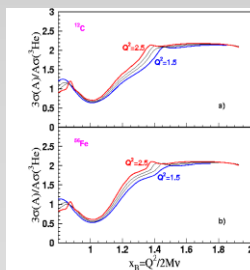
But: For fixed high Q^2 and $x_B > 1$, x_B determines a minimum p_i



$$Q^2 = -q_\mu q^\mu = q^2 - \omega^2$$

$$\omega = E' - E$$

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

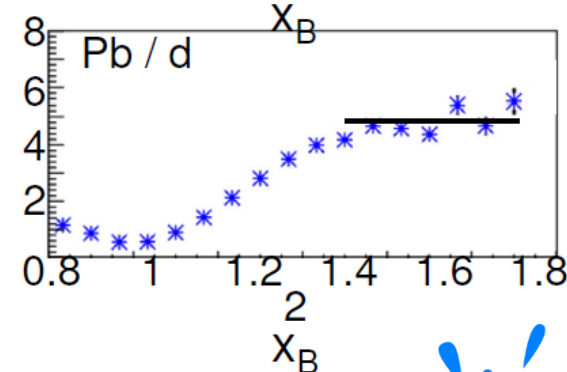
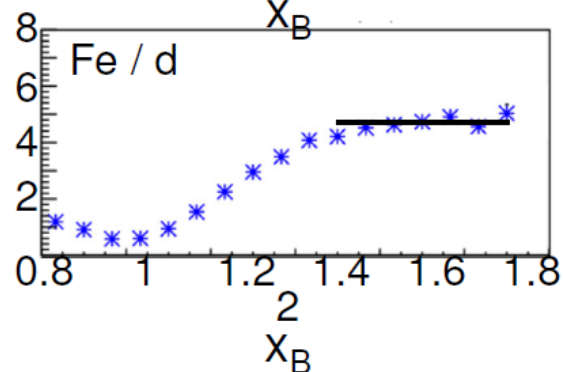
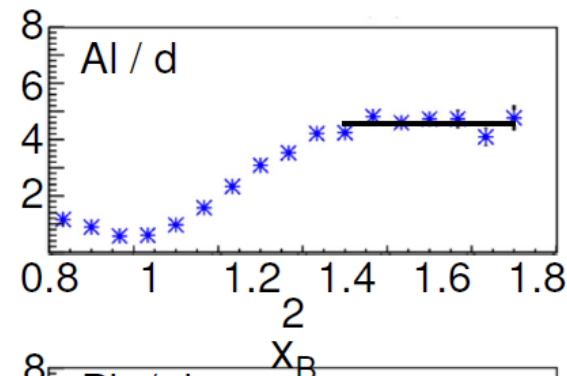
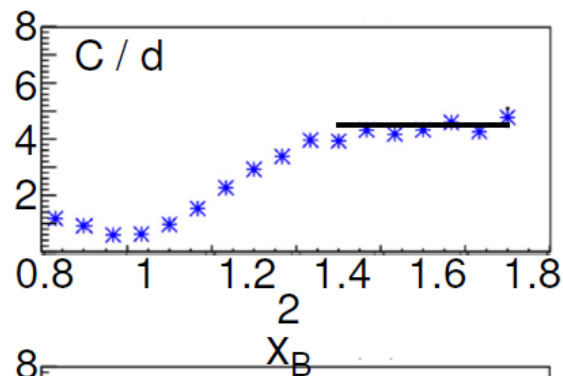


Prediction by Frankfurt, Sargsian, and Strikman:

Inclusive scattering results from data mining (EG2c)

$$Q^2 = 1.55 \text{ GeV}^2$$

$$a_{2N}(A/d)$$



Barak Schmookler (MIT)



	Fomin <i>et al.</i> [5]	Fomin <i>et al.</i> [excluding the CM motion correction] [6]
^3He	1.93 ± 0.10	2.13 ± 0.04
^4He	3.02 ± 0.17	3.60 ± 0.09
^9Be	3.37 ± 0.17	3.91 ± 0.12
^{12}C	4.00 ± 0.24	4.75 ± 0.16
$^{56}\text{Fe}^{(6)}$	4.33 ± 0.28	5.21 ± 0.19
^{197}Au	4.26 ± 0.29	5.16 ± 0.21

Jlab /Hall B: K. Sh. Egiyan et al. PRC 68, 014313 (2003)

K. Sh. Egiyan et al. PRL. 96, 082501 (2006)

More $r(A,d)$ data:

SLAC D. Day et al. PRL 59,427(1987)

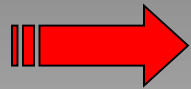
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Summary

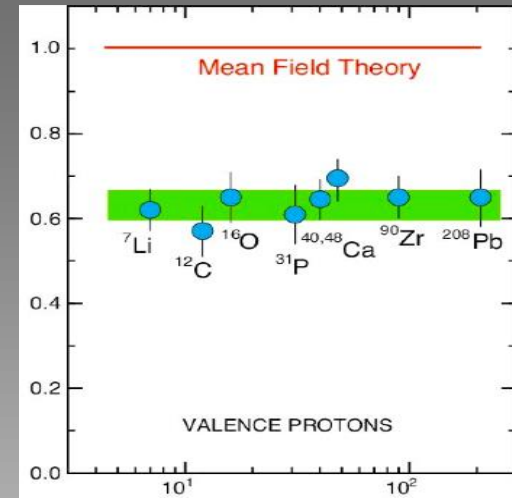
Hard Semi inclusive scattering

$$A(e, e'p)$$

Only 60-70% of the expected single-particle strength.

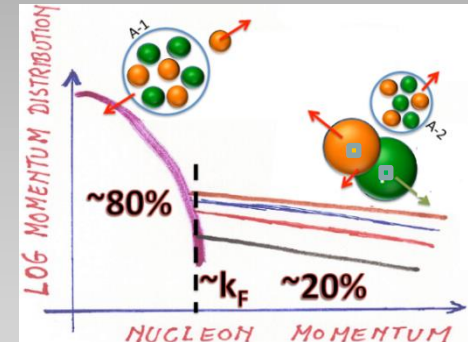
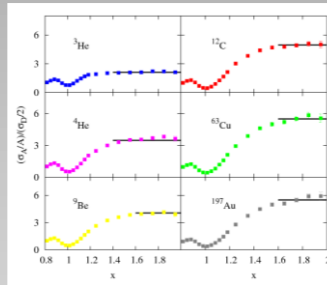


SRC and LRC



Hard inclusive scattering

$$A(e, e')$$



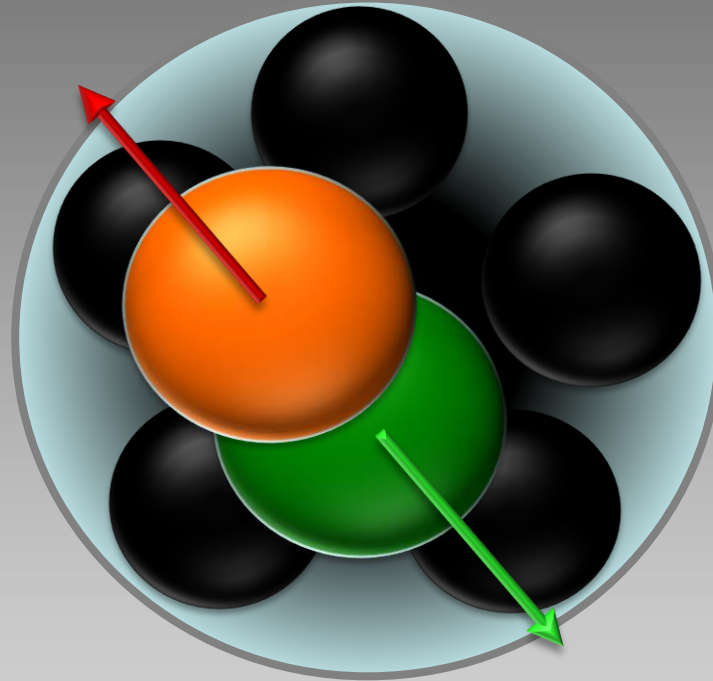
This $\sim 20\%$ includes all three isotopic compositions (pn, pp, or nn) for the 2N-SRC phase in ${}^{12}\text{C}$.



Hard exclusive scattering

$$A(e, e'pp) \text{ and } A(e, e'pn)$$

Hard exclusive triple – coincidence measurements

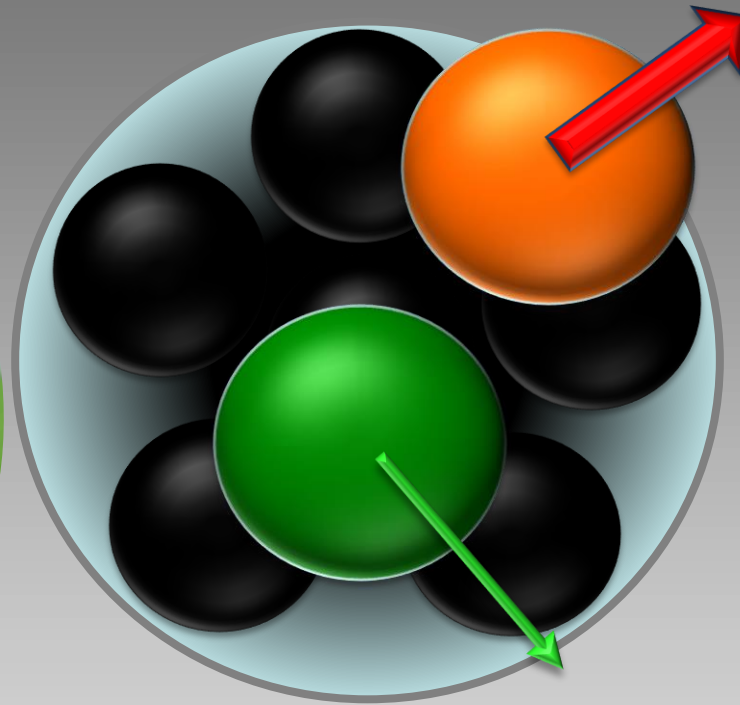


**Quasi-Free scattering off a nucleon
in a short range correlated pair**

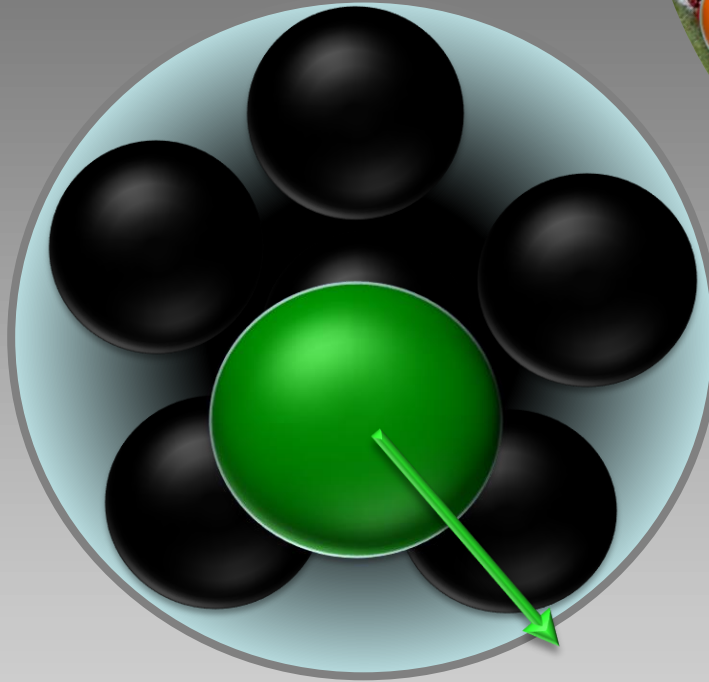
triple – coincidence measurements



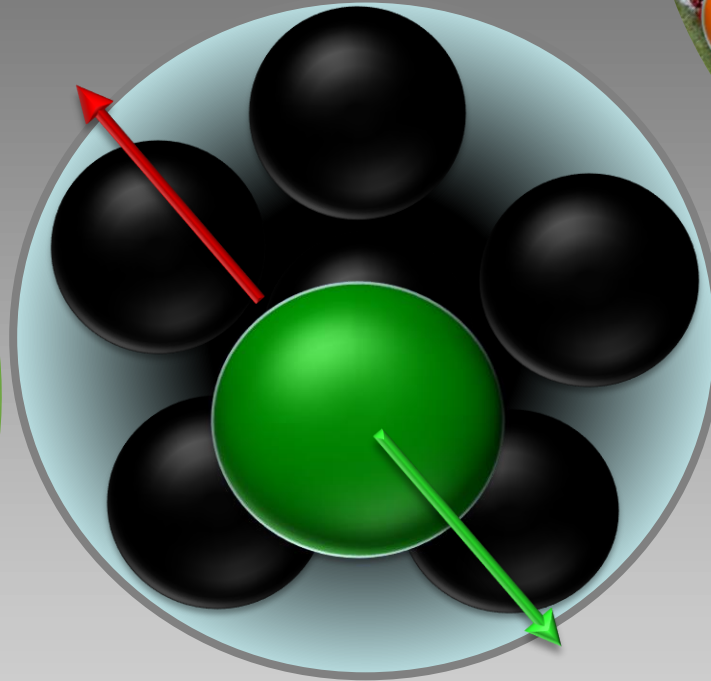
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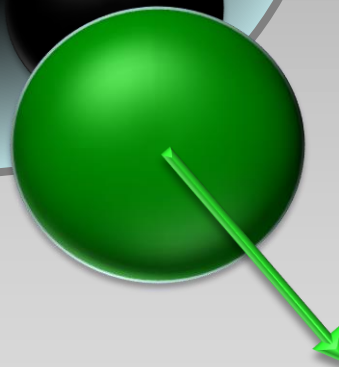
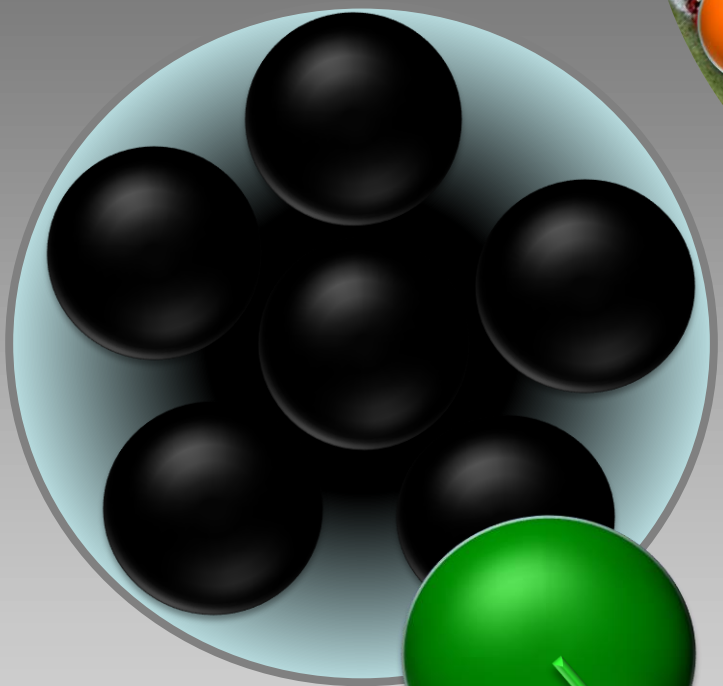
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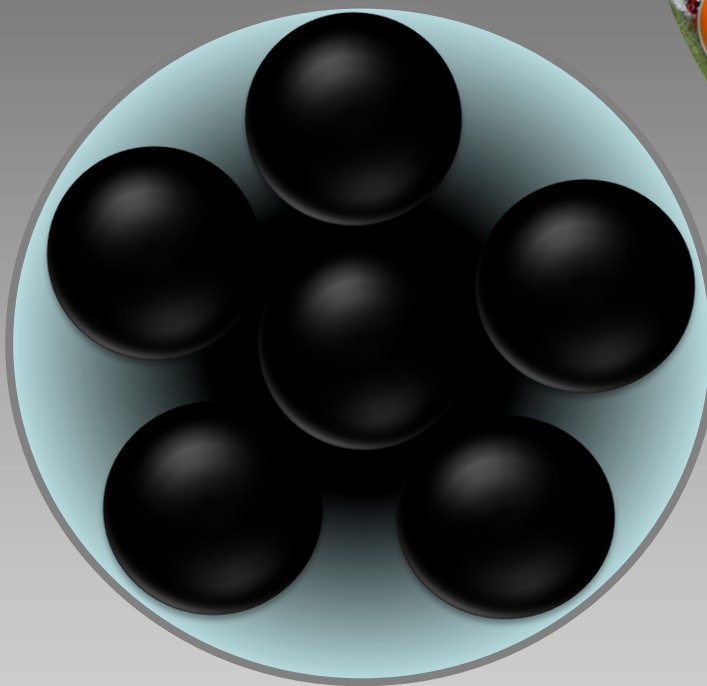
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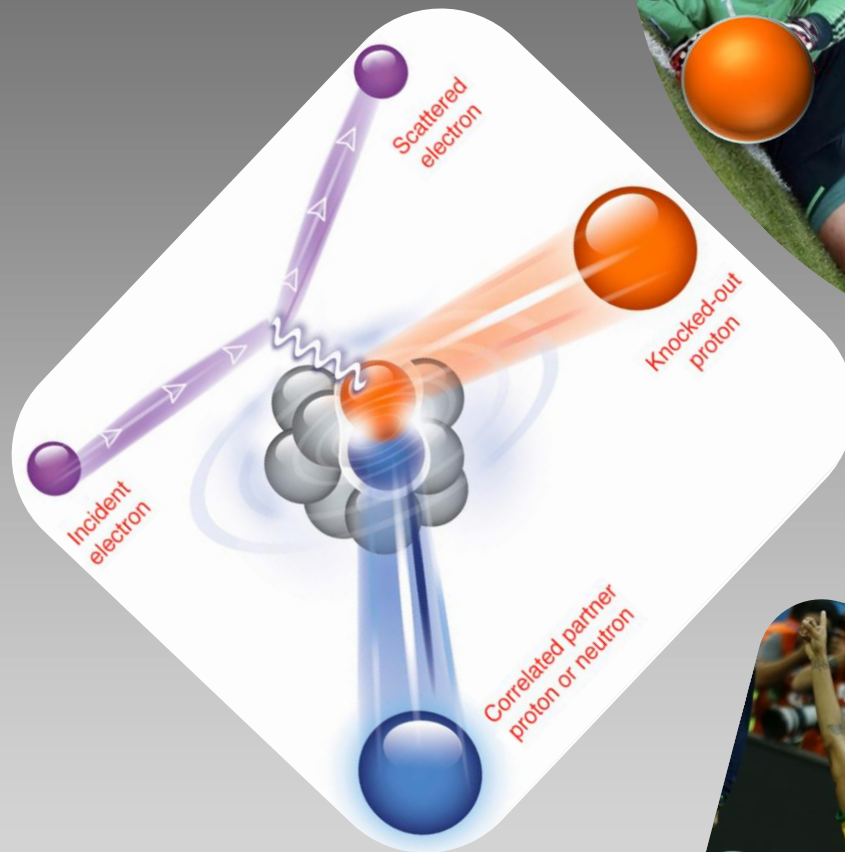
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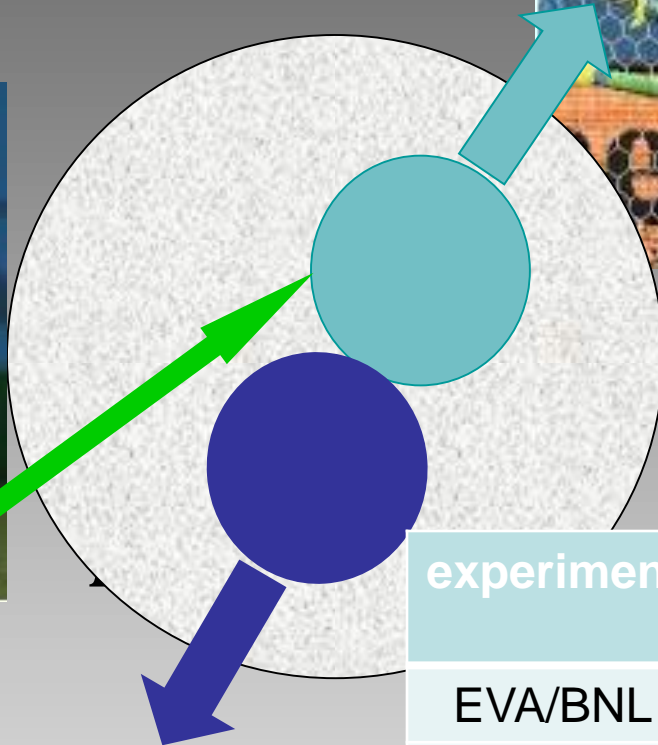


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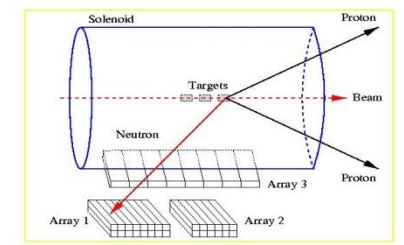
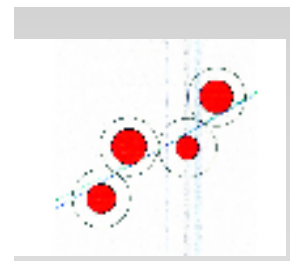
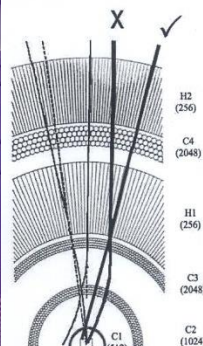
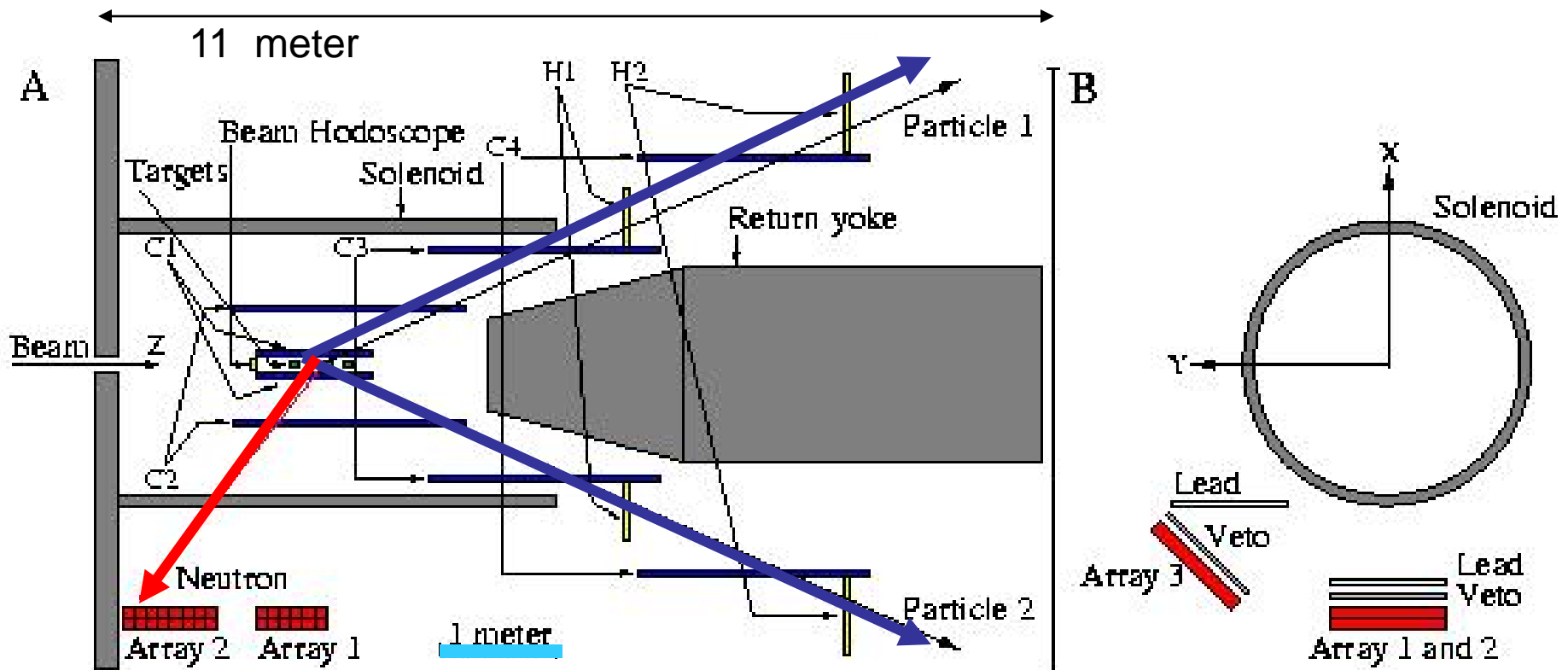
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Hard exclusive triple – coincidence measurements



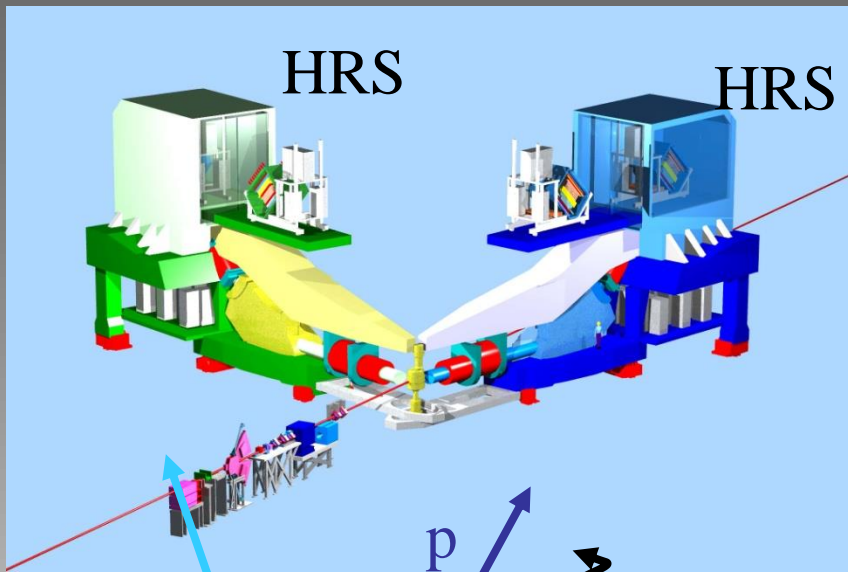
experiment	nuclei	pairs	P_{miss} [MeV/c]
EVA/BNL	^{12}C	pn only	300-600
E01-015/ Jlab	^{12}C	pp and np	300-600
E07-006/ JLab	^4He	pp and np	400-850
CLAS/JLab	C, Al, Fe, Pb	pp and np	300-700

The EVA spectrometer and the n-counters at BNL

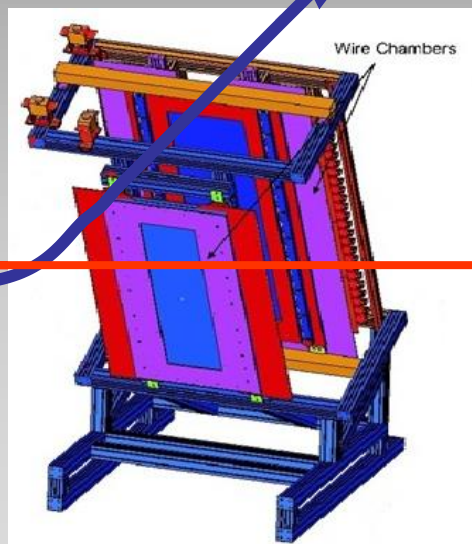
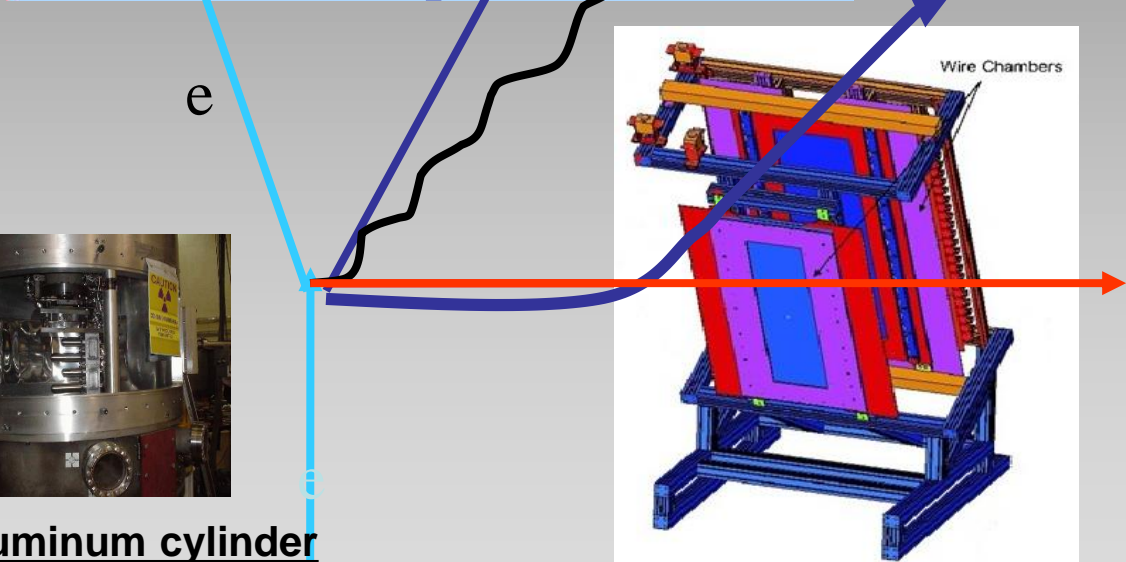
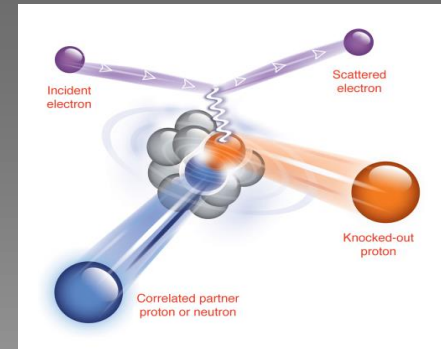


Array 1: total area $0.6 \times 1.0 \text{ m}^2$, 12 counters, 2 layers 0.125 m

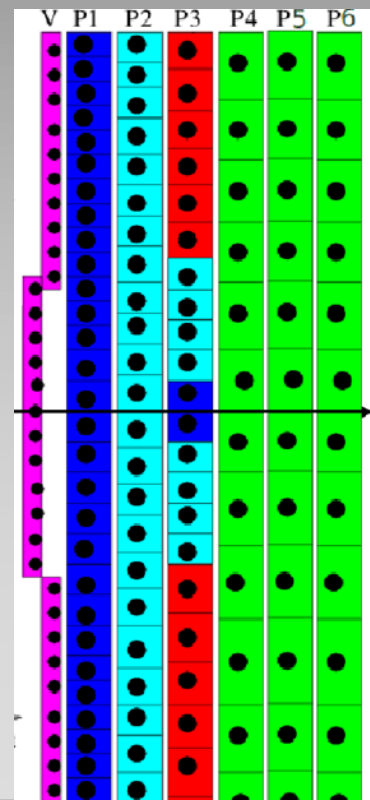
Simultaneous measurements of the $(e, e' p)$, $(e, e' p p)$, and $(e, e' p n)$ reactions.



EXP 01-015
and
EXP 07-006
Hall A JLab



n array



Aluminum cylinder

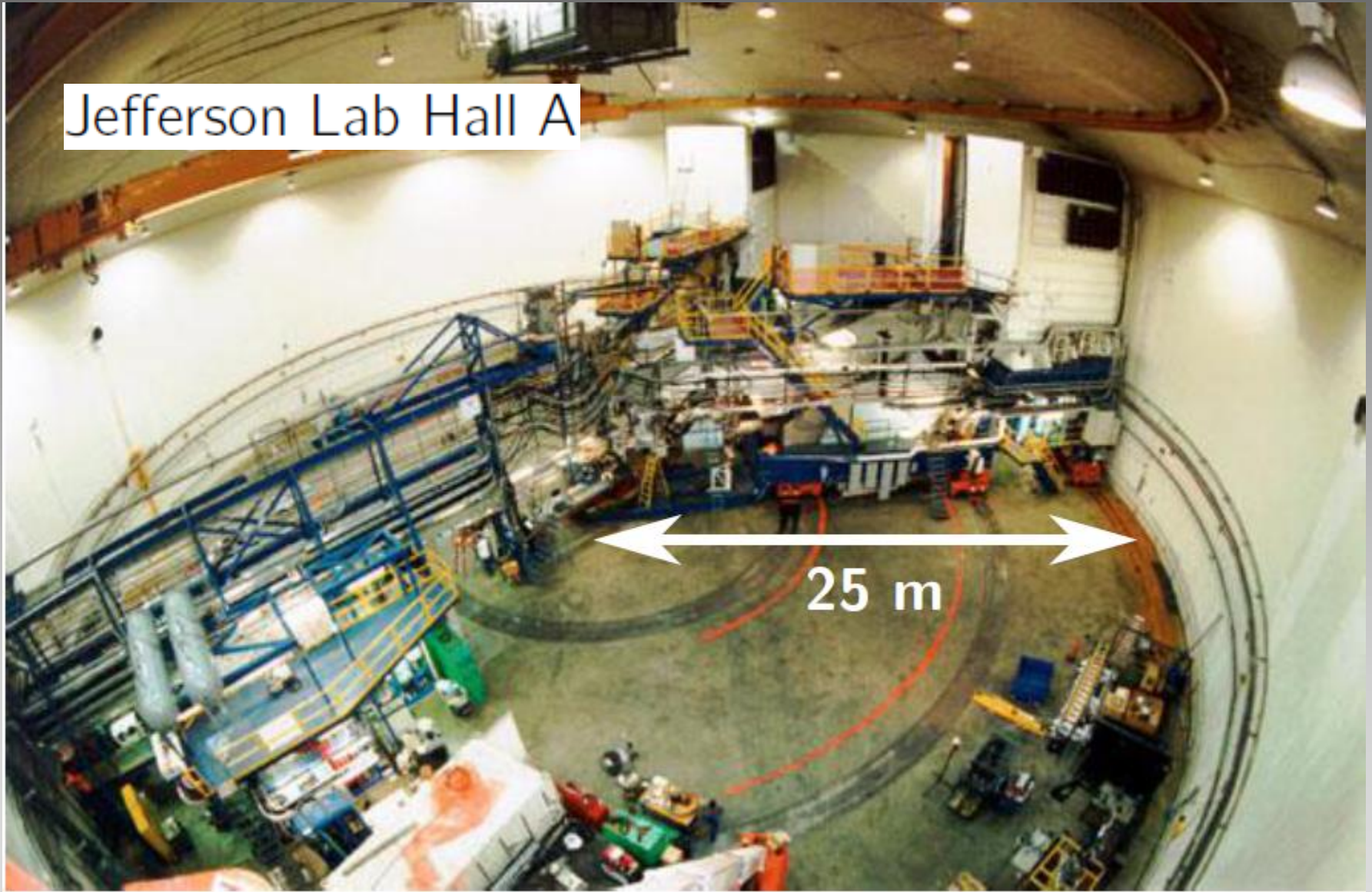
20 cm long
2.5 " diameter

Big Bite

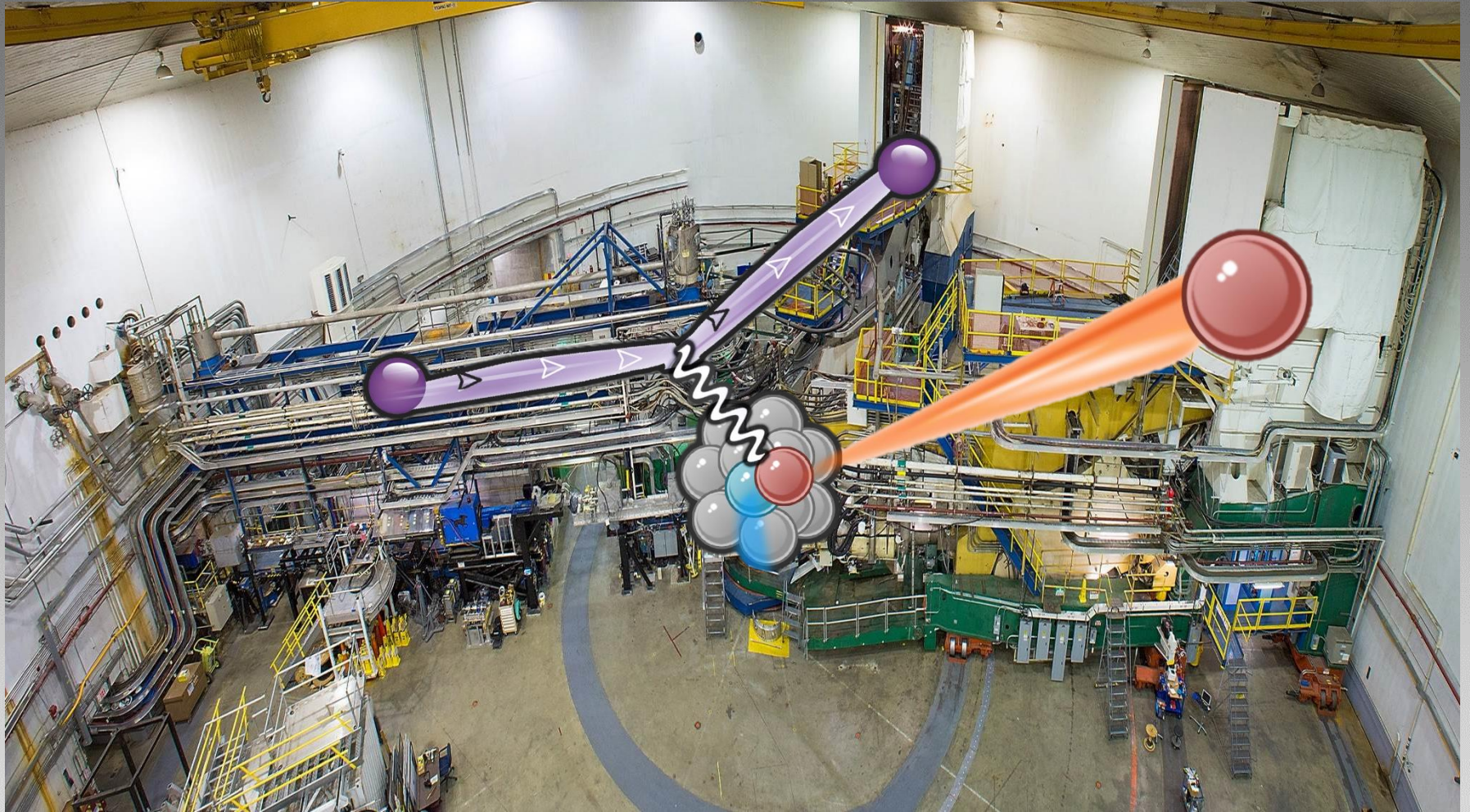
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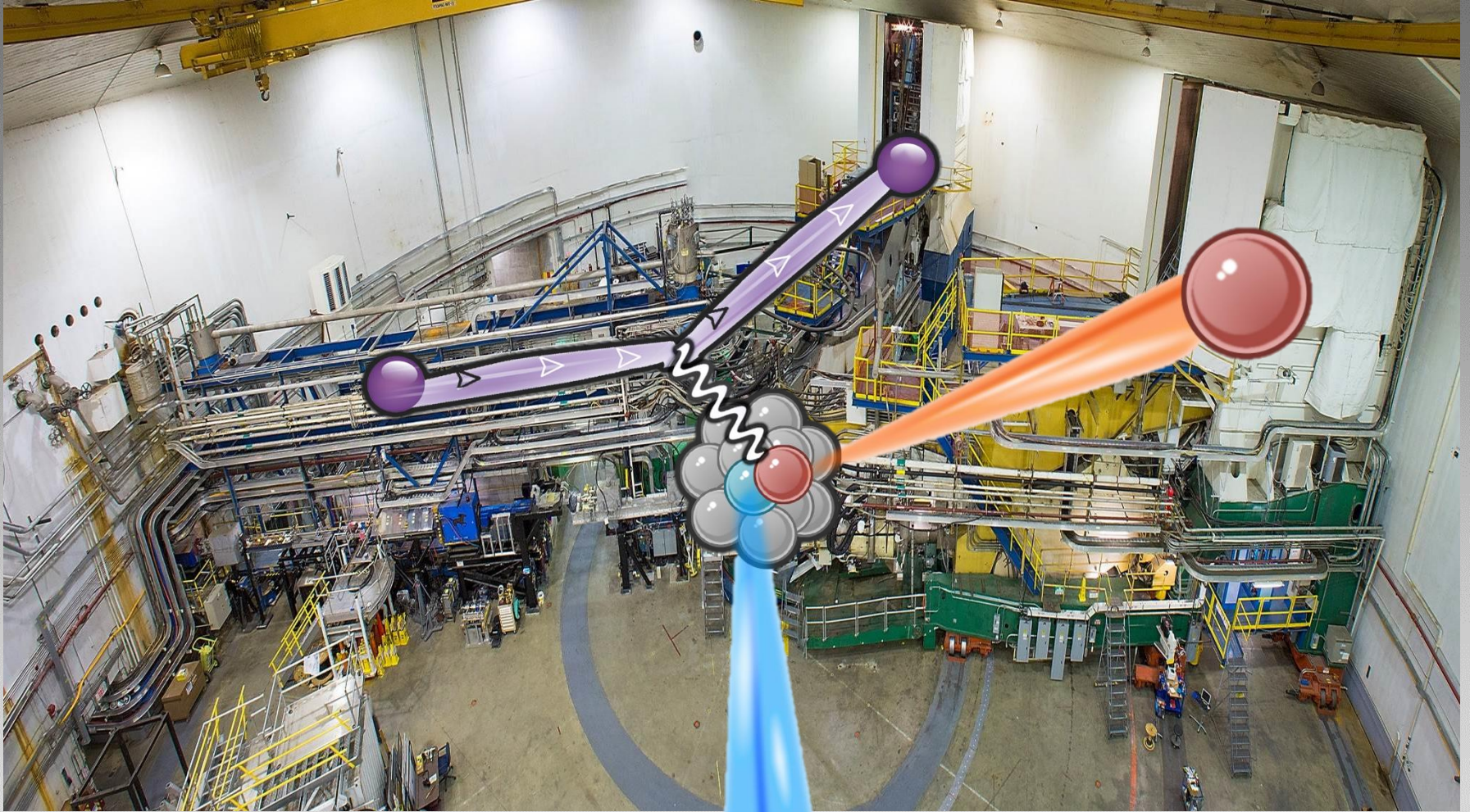
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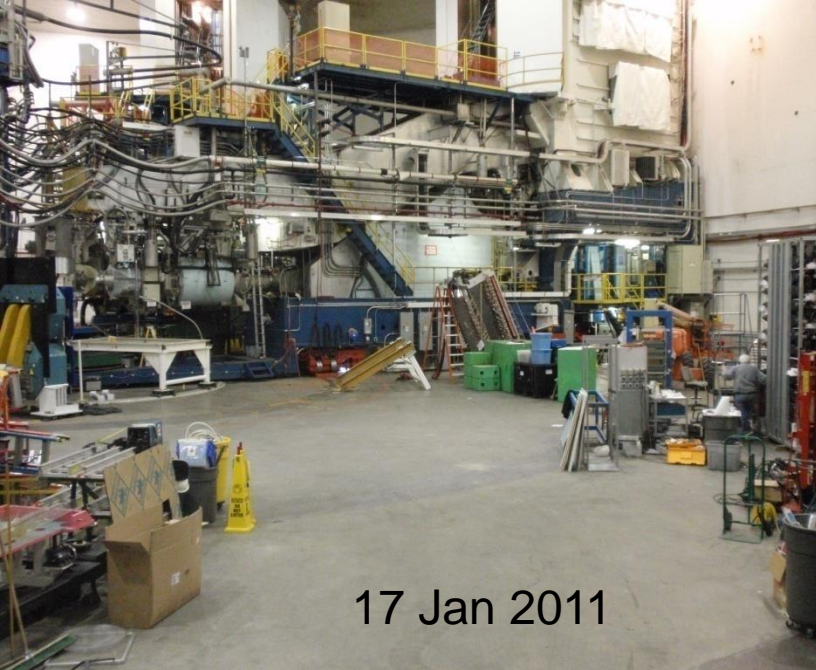


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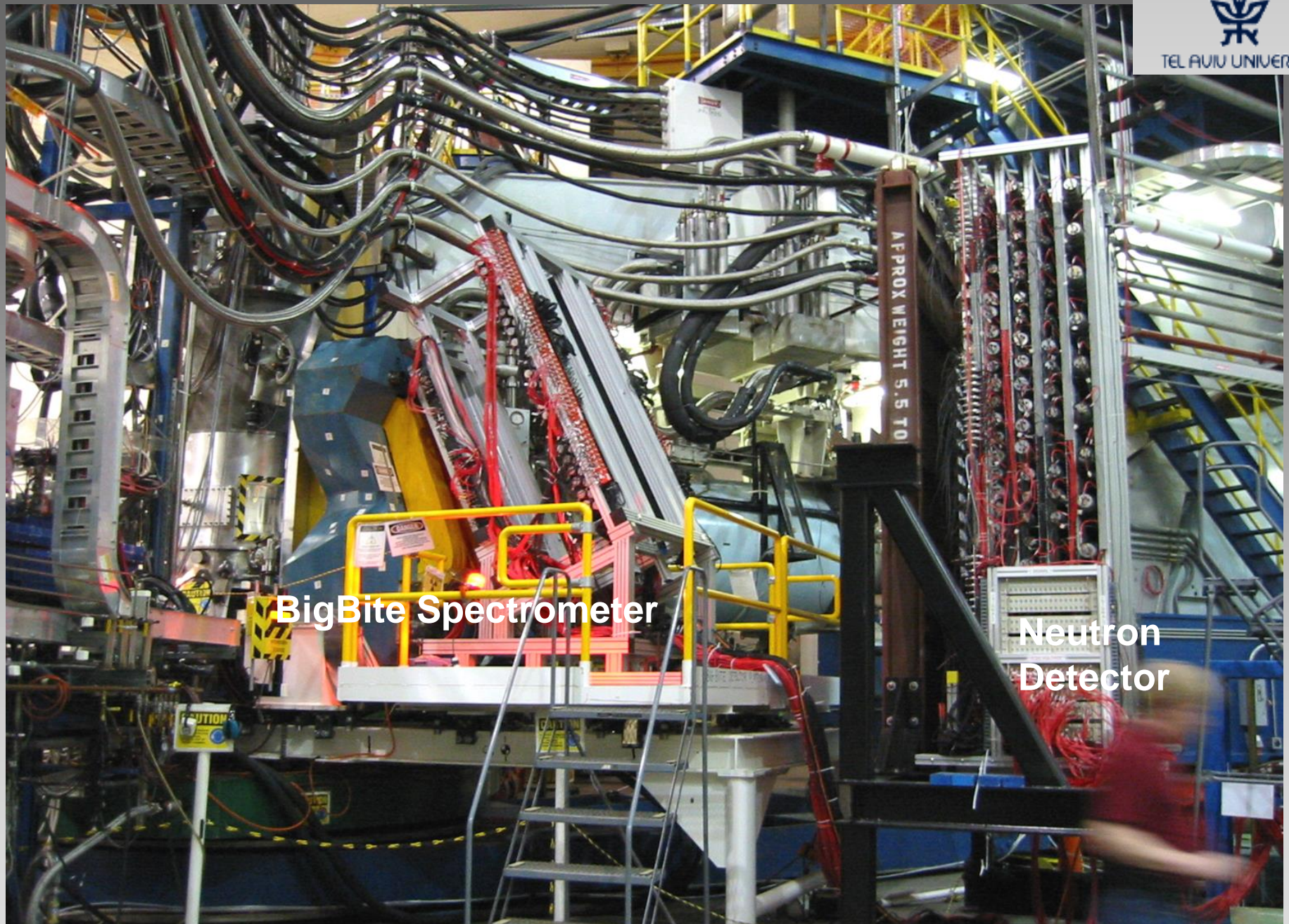


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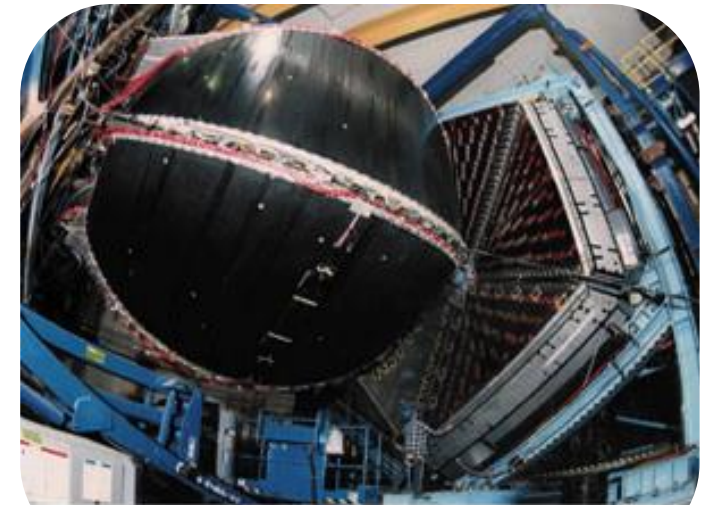
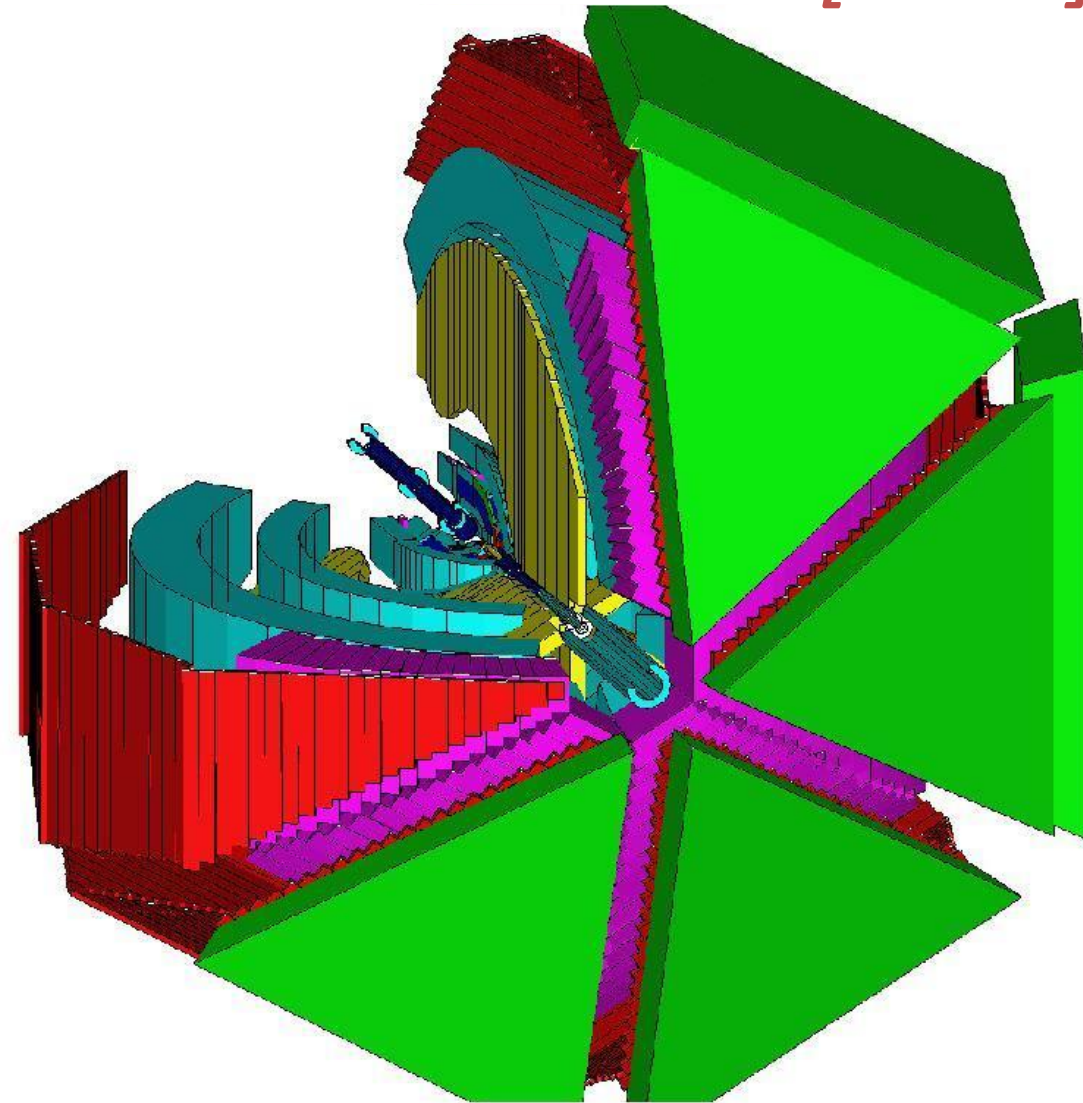




BigBite Spectrometer

Neutron
Detector

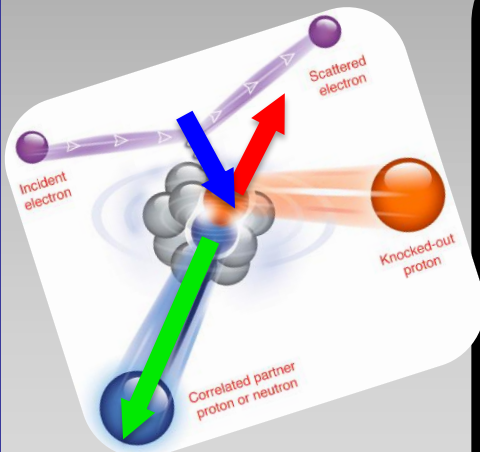
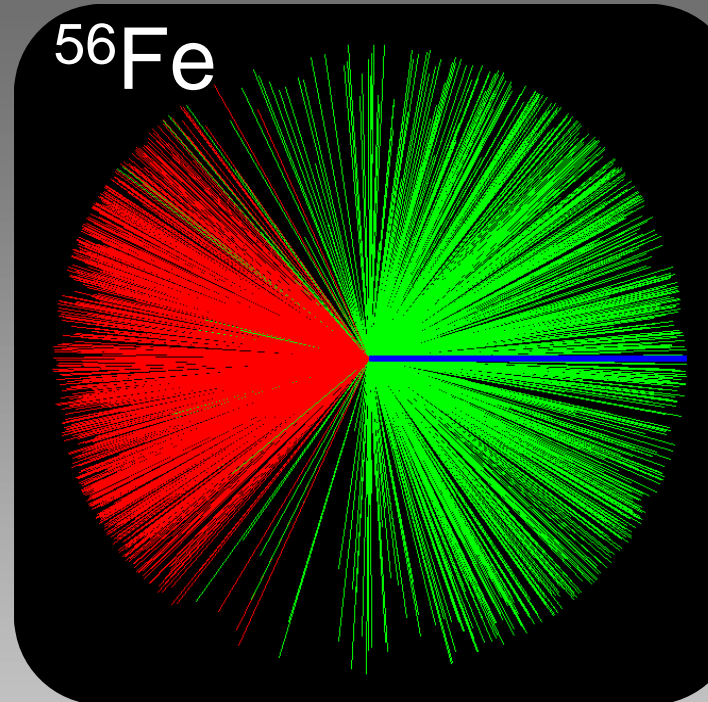
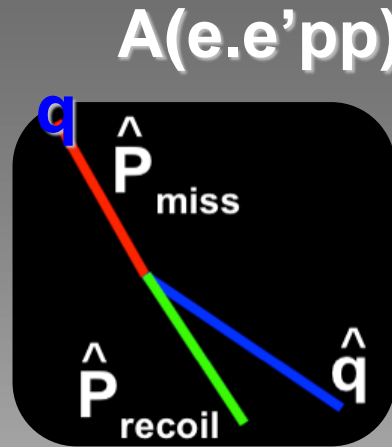
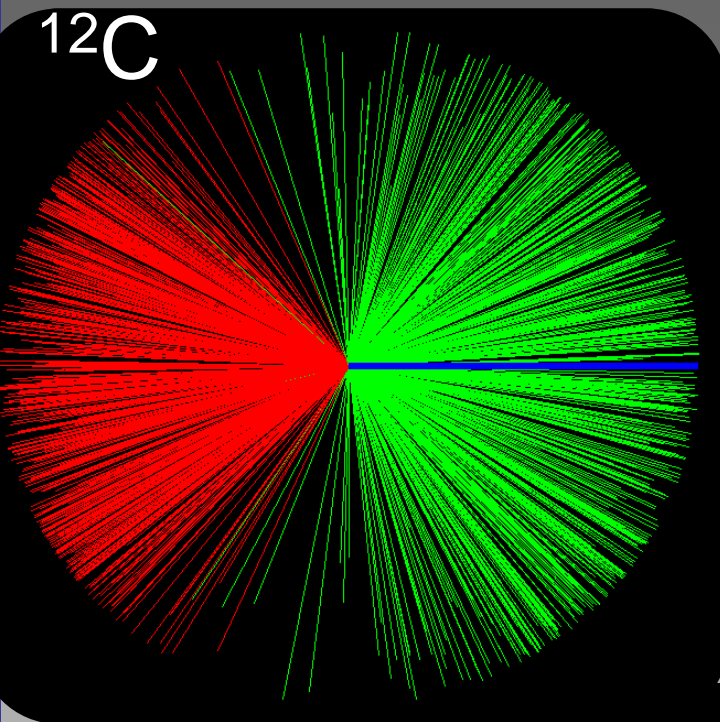
CEBAF Large Acceptance Spectrometer [CLAS]



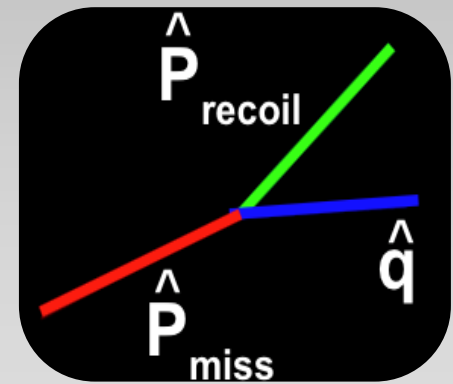
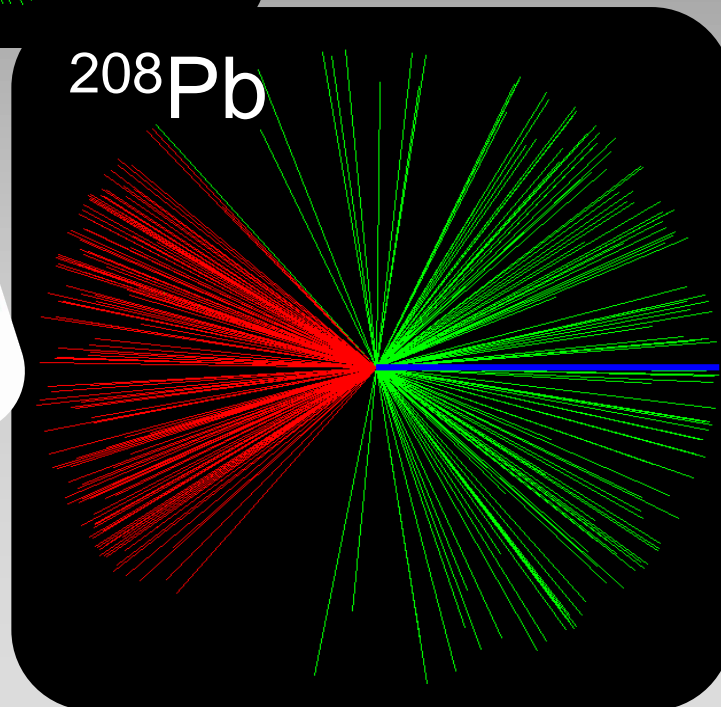
Hall B Large Acceptance Spectrometer

Open (e,e') trigger, Large-Acceptance, Low luminosity ($\sim 10^{34}$ cm $^{-2}$)

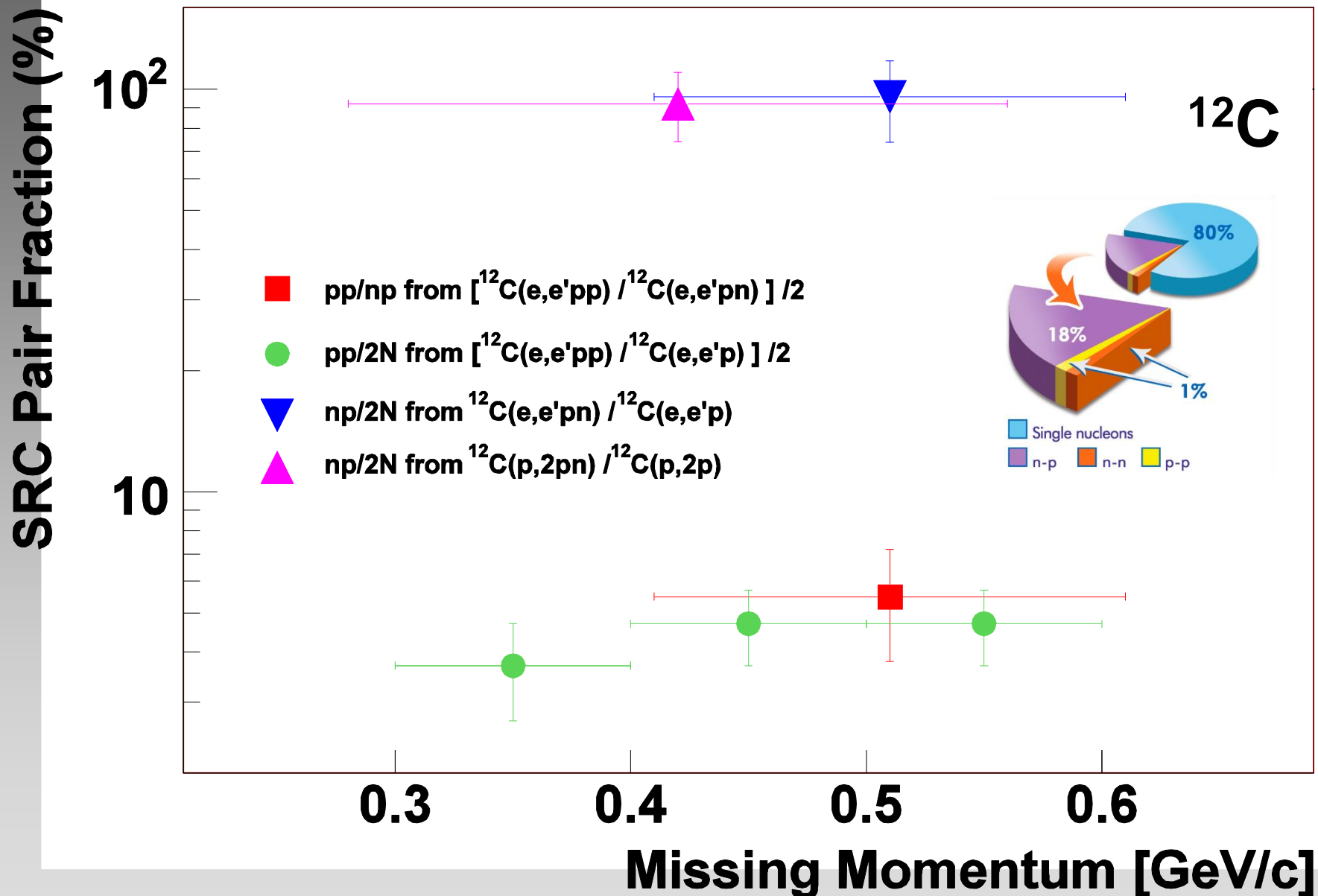
JLab / CLAS, Data Mining, EG2 data set



Back-to-back
= SRC
pairs!

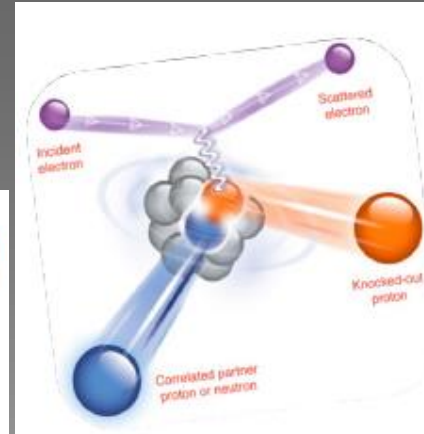
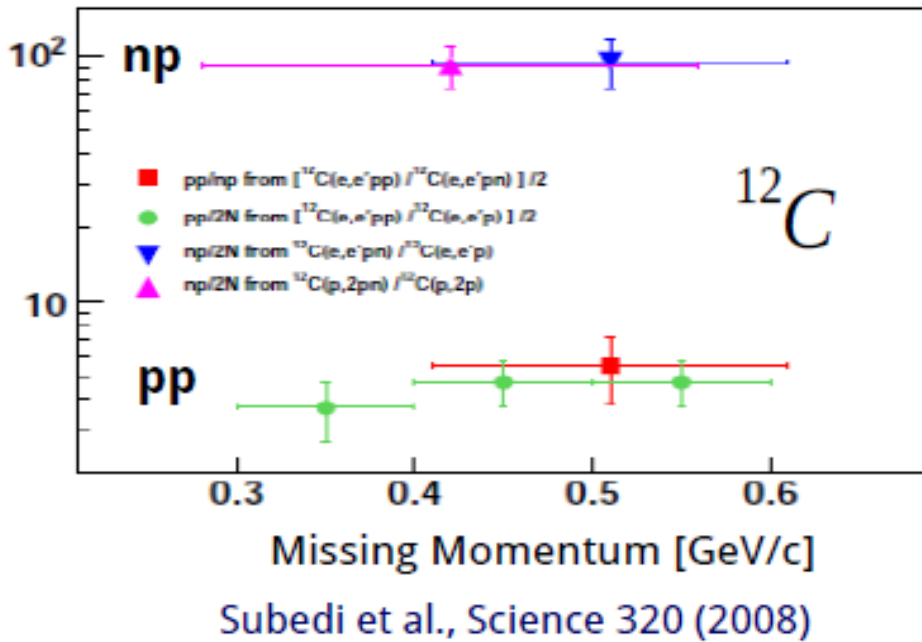


3D Reconstruction



np-dominance in 2N_SRC

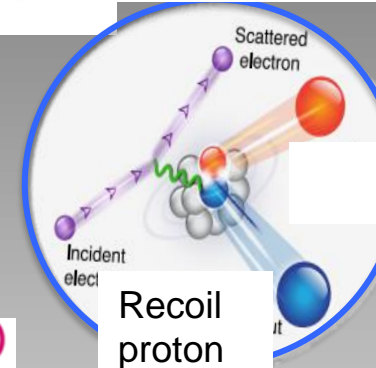
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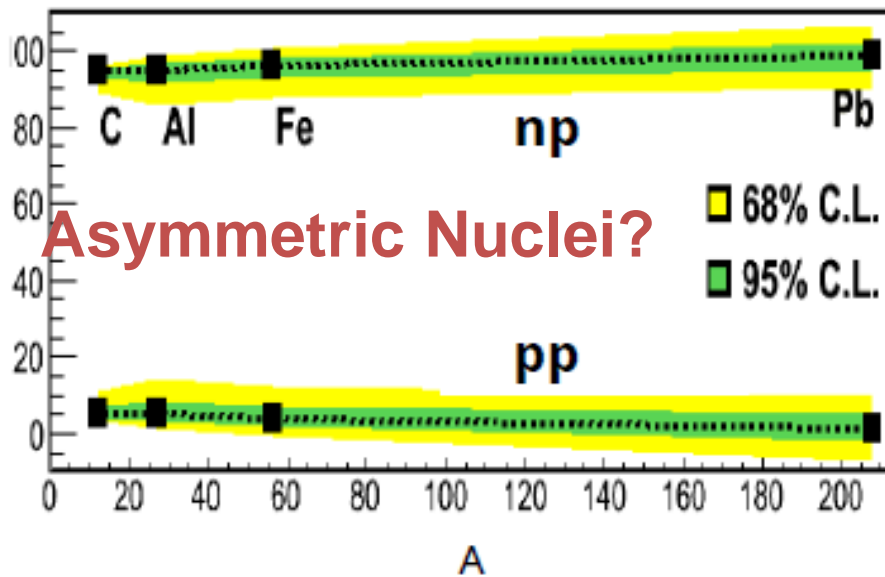
Knocked out proton/neutron

NEW!

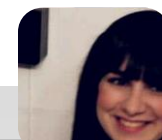
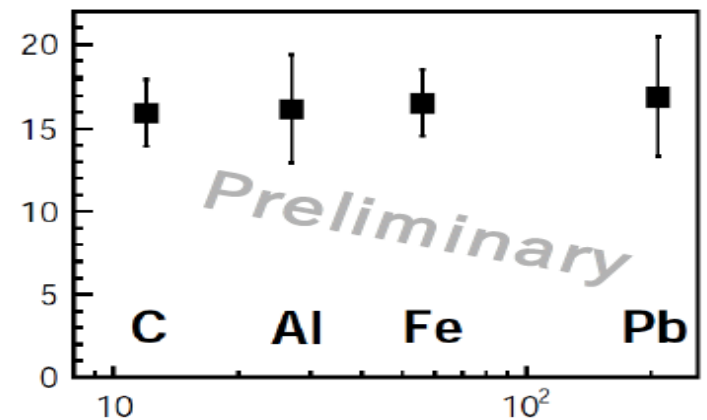
$A(e,e'np)/A(e,e'pp)$



Recoil proton

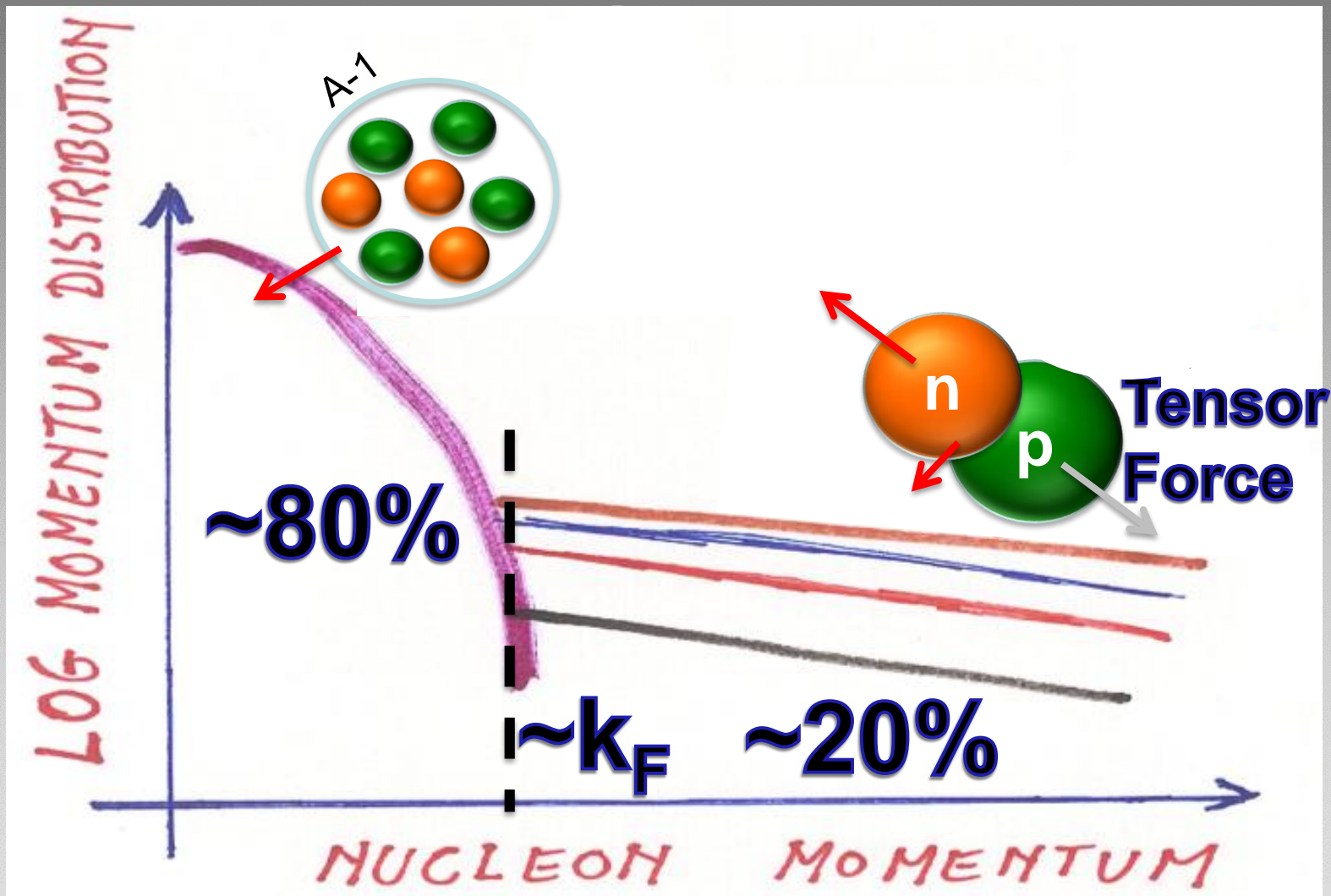


np/pp ratios

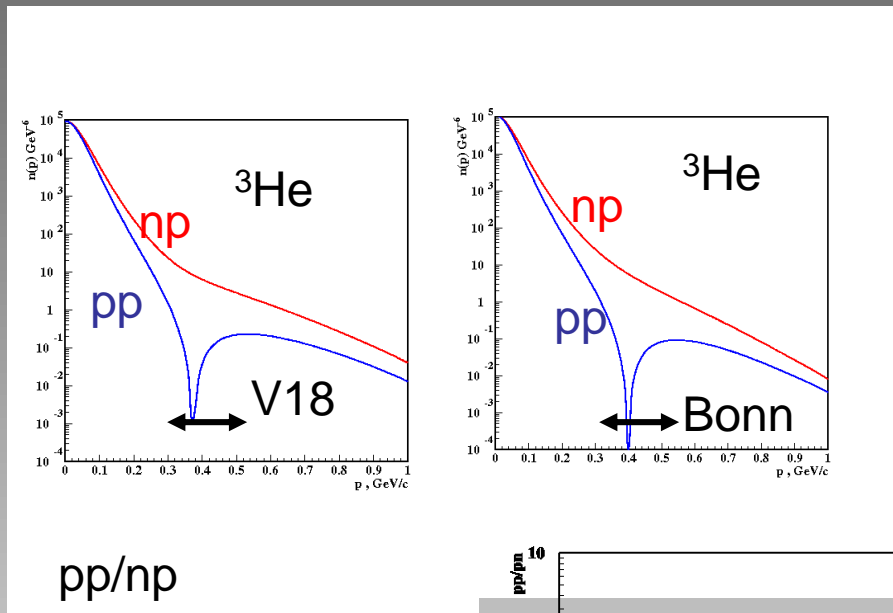
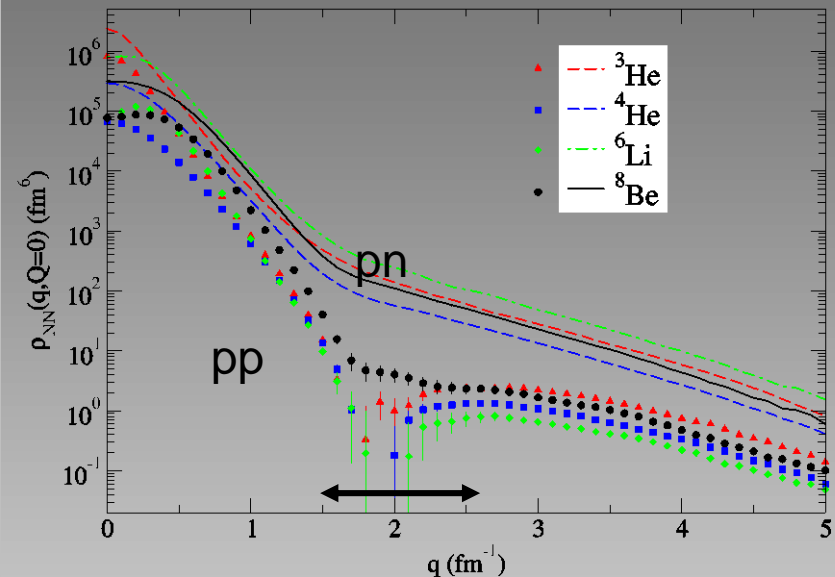


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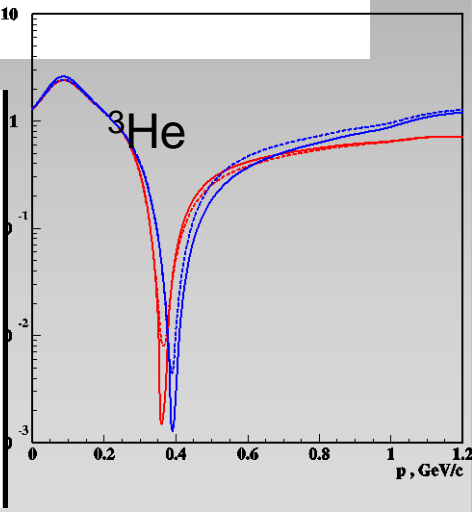
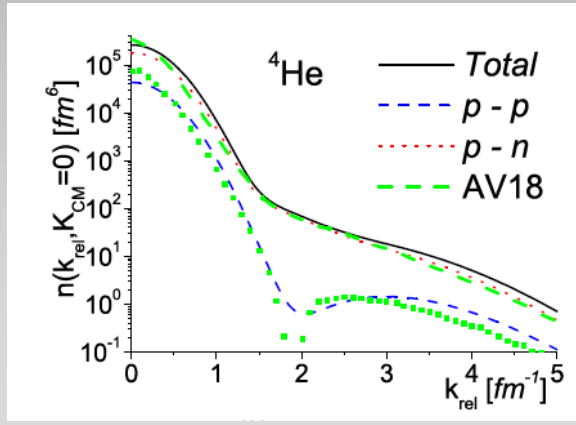
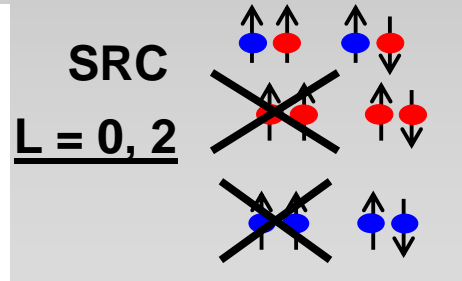
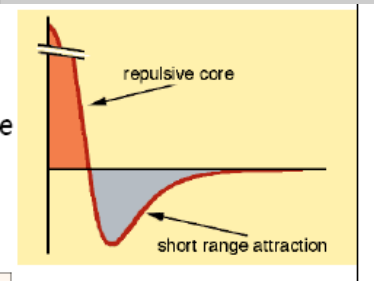
Nucleons has Isophobia (np – dominance)



At 300-600 MeV/c there is an excess strength in the np momentum distribution due to the strong correlations induced by the tensor NN potential.



Schiavilla, Wiringa, Pieper, Carson, PRL 98,132501 (2007).



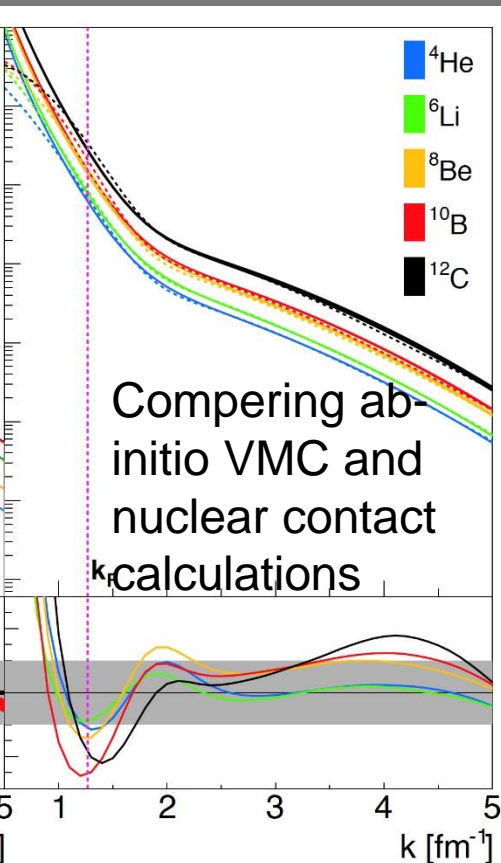
Ciofi and Alvioli
PRL 100, 162503 (2008).

Sargsian, Abrahamyan, Strikman
Frankfurt PR C71 044615 (2005)



Generalized Nuclear Contact Formalism

A universal description of SRC without many-body calculations



$$n_p(k) \xrightarrow{k \rightarrow \infty} C_{pn}^d |\varphi_{pn}^d(k)|^2 + C_{pn}^0 |\varphi_{pn}^0(k)|^2 + 2C_{pp}^0 |\varphi_{pp}^0(k)|^2$$

$l = 0, 2 \quad s = 1 \quad j = 1$
np pairs

$l = s = j = 0$
pp, nn, np pairs

The nuclear contacts and short range correlations in nuclei

R. Weiss,¹ R. Cruz-Torres,² N. Barnea,¹ E. Piasetzky,³ and O. Hen²

Phys. Lett., B 780, 211 (2018)

$$\Psi \xrightarrow{r_{ij} \rightarrow 0} \sum_{\alpha} \varphi_{\alpha}(\mathbf{r}_{ij}) A_{ij}^{\alpha}(\mathbf{R}_{ij}, \{\mathbf{r}\}_{k \neq ij})$$

a factorized ansatz

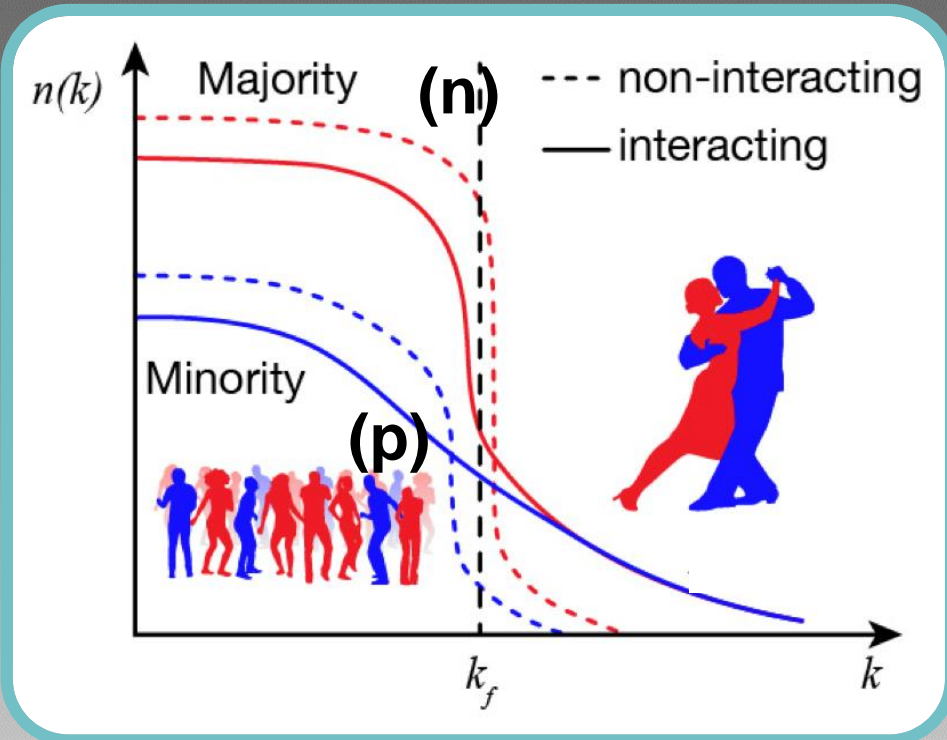
- Nucleus (A-2) specific function

- Universal function: the zero energy solution to the 2 body problem

np-dominance in asymmetric nuclei



$N > Z$



Protons have a greater probability than neutrons to be above the Fermi sea

Protons probability increase (neutrons not) with increase N/Z .

Protons move faster than neutrons $\langle E_k^p \rangle > \langle E_k^n \rangle$

Impact on symmetry energy decomposition

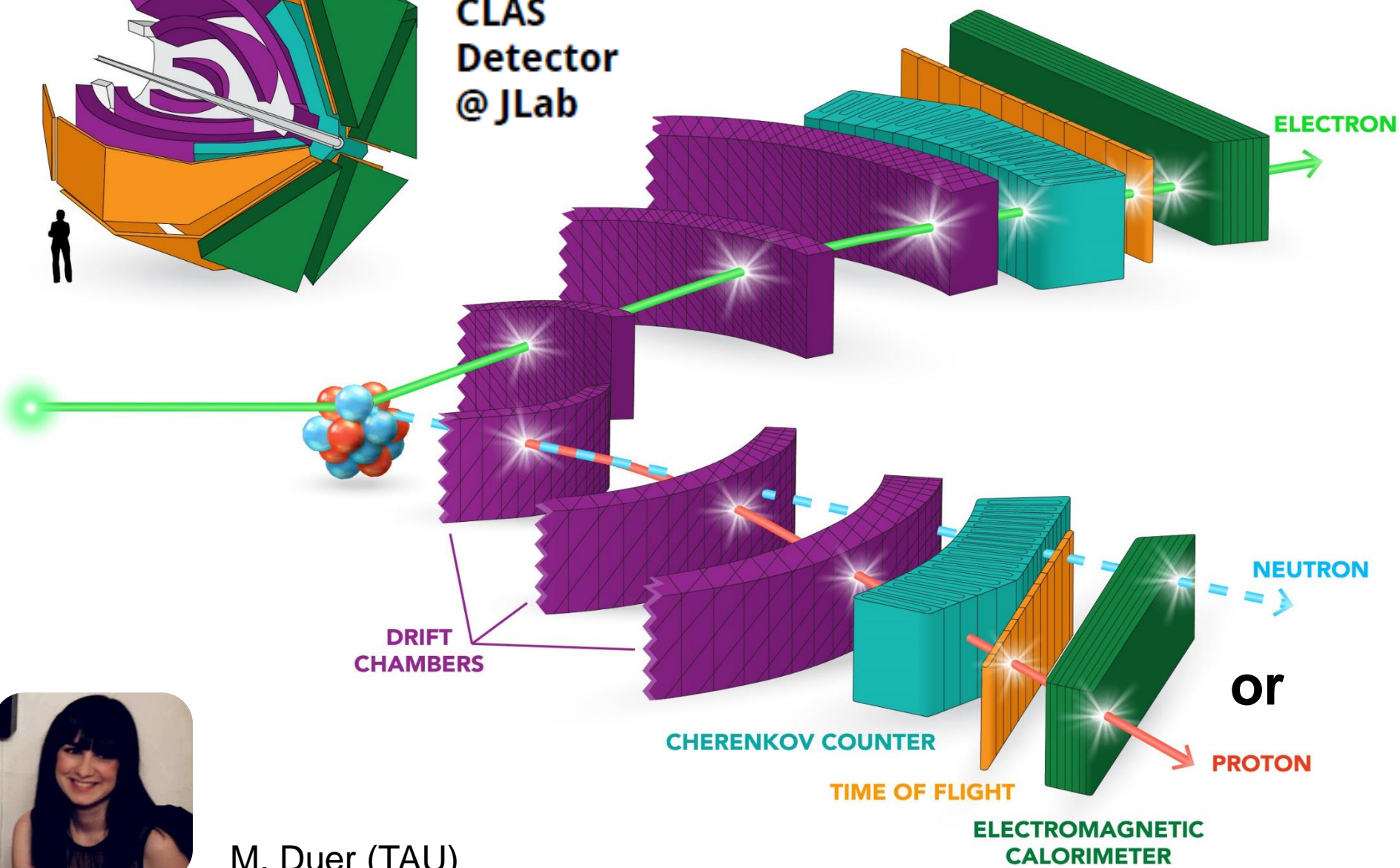
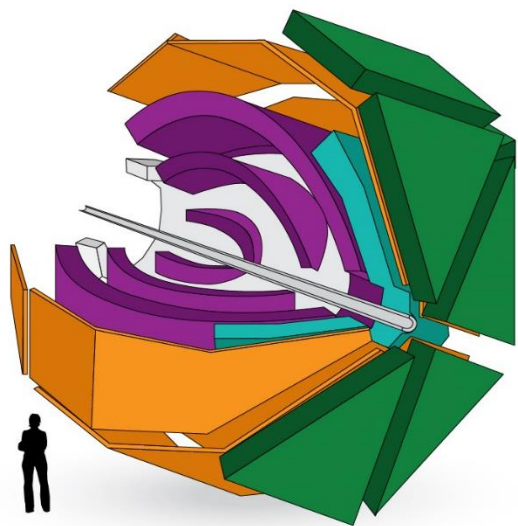
Hard Neutron/proton Knockout



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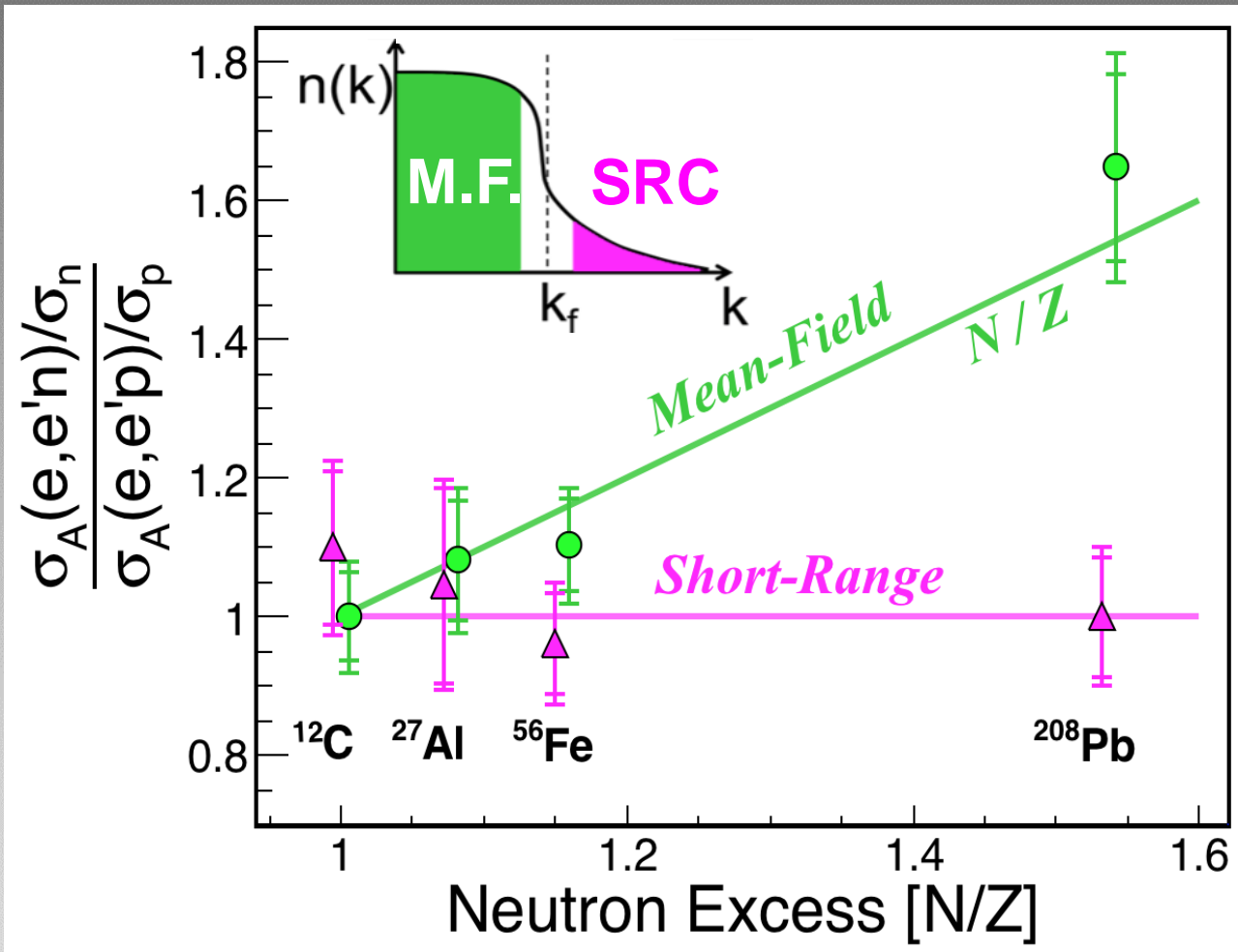
$$A(e, e'n) \quad A(e, e'p)$$

CLAS
Detector
@ JLab

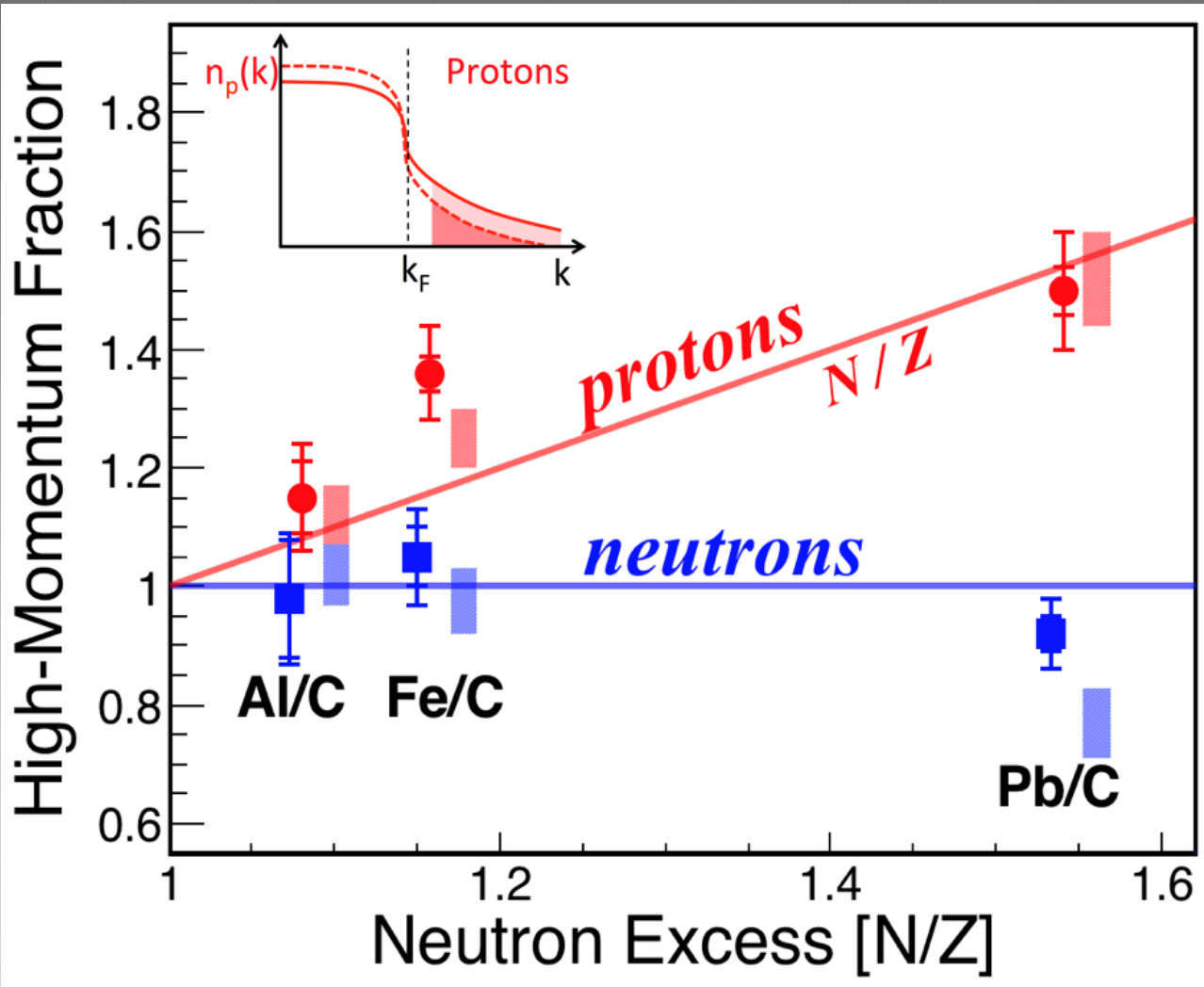


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Equal Number of Correlated Protons and Neutrons!



More Neutrons => More Correlated Protons

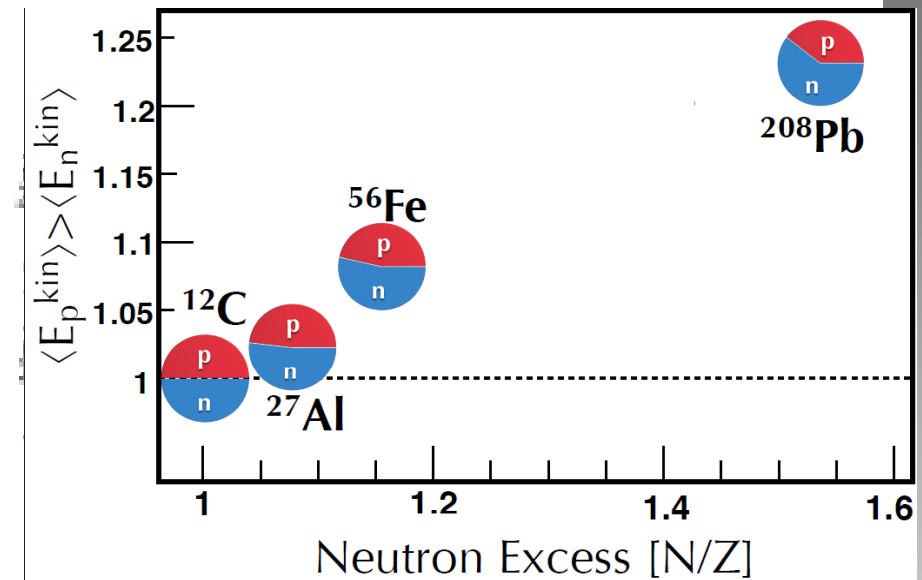
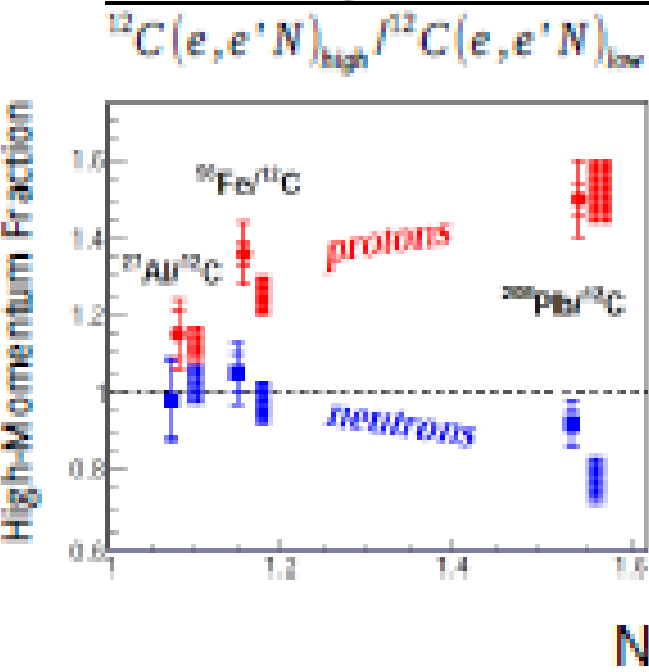


$$\frac{A(e, e' N)_{high} / A(e, e' N)_{low}}{^{12}C(e, e' N)_{high} / ^{12}C(e, e' N)_{low}}$$

Kinetic energy sharing

Simple np-dominance model

$$n_p(k) = \begin{cases} \eta \cdot n_p^{M.F.}(k) & k < k_0 \\ \frac{A}{2Z} a_2(A/d) \cdot n_d(k) & k > k_0 \end{cases} \quad (\text{for neutrons: } Z \rightarrow N)$$



Protons move faster than **neutrons** in $N > Z$ nuclei

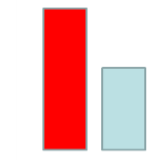


$$\langle E_p^{kin} \rangle > \langle E_n^{kin} \rangle$$

Pauli principle



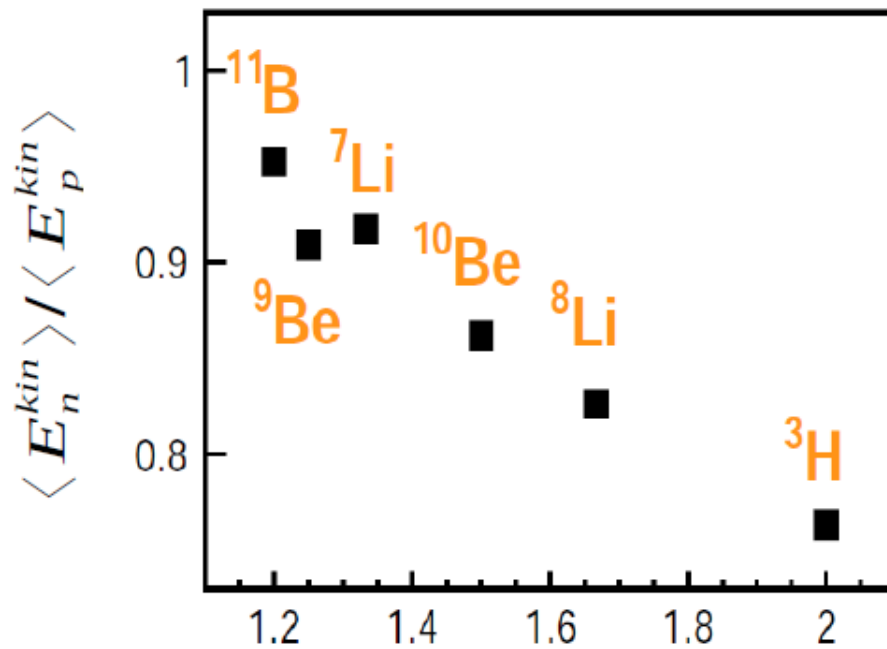
$$\langle E_n^{kin} \rangle > \langle E_p^{kin} \rangle$$



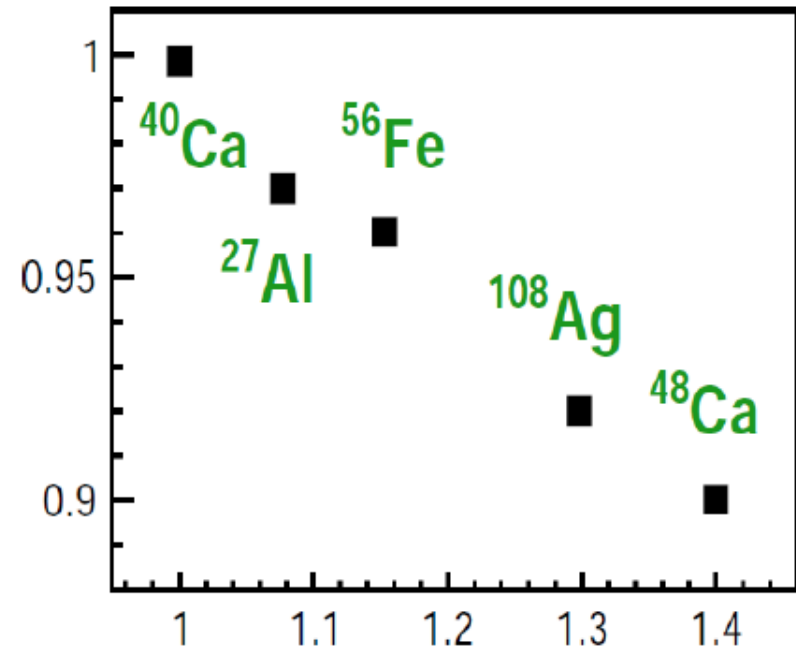


Theoretical predictions (N>Z)

Light nuclei (A<12)



Heavy nuclei (A>12)



Neutron Excess [N/Z]

Z>N:

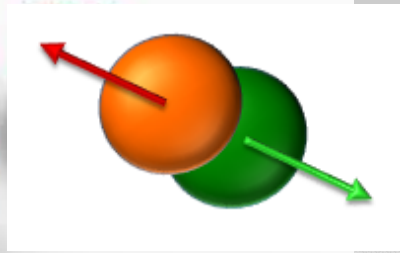
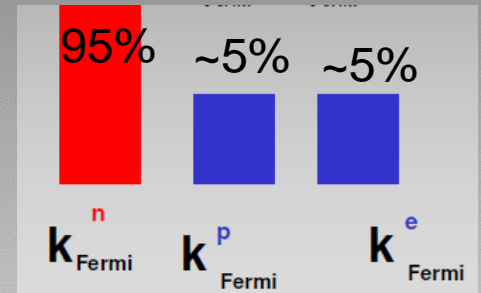
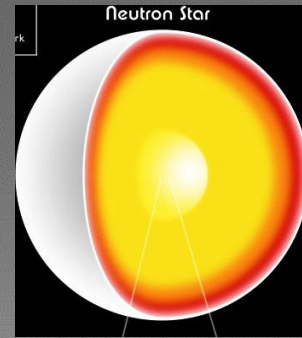
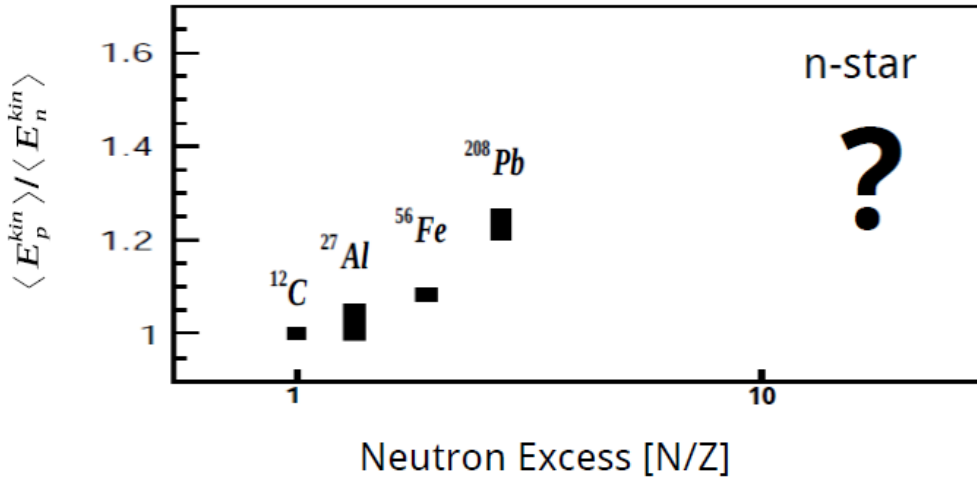
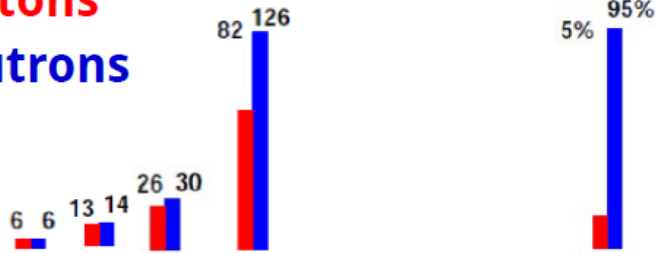
^3He $N/Z = 1/2$ $\langle E_n^{kin} \rangle / \langle E_p^{kin} \rangle = 1.31$

Wiringa, Phys. Rev. C89, 024305 (2014)

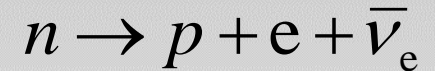
Ryckebusch, J. Phys G42 (2015)

What happens in $N \gg Z$?

protons
neutrons



ν cooling



Magnetic field



Nuclear Symmetry Energy

Energy of asymmetric nuclear matter:

$$E(\rho_n, \rho_p) = E_0(\rho_n = \rho_p) + E_{sym}(r) \left(\frac{r_n - r_p}{r} \right)^2 + O(\delta^4)$$

symmetry energy

Only n 50% n 50% p

$$E_{sym}(r) \gg E(r)_{PNM} - E(r)_{SNM}$$

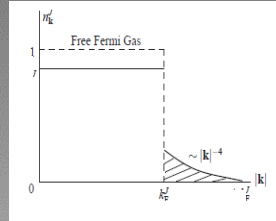
Relates to the energy change for $n \rightarrow p$

- equation-of-state of neutron stars
- heavy-ion collisions
- r-process nucleosynthesis
- core-collapse supernovae
- more...

with SRC :

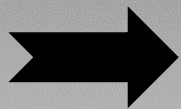
$$E_{sym}(\rho) \approx E(\rho)_{PNM} - E(\rho)_{SNM}$$

np-SRC dominance \rightarrow



High momentum tail in SNM
(np- pairs)

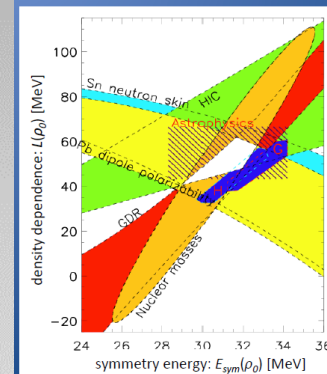
No high momentum tail in PNM
(nn- pairs)



$$E_{sym}^{kin}(\text{with SRC}) < E_{sym}^{kin}(\text{no SRC})$$

$$E_{sym}(\rho) = E_{sym}^{kin}(\rho) + E_{sym}^{pot}(\rho)$$

Symmetry Energy @ Saturation Density (ρ_0)



Global analysis
of world data:

$$28.9 \leq E_{sym}(\rho_0) \leq 34.1$$

$$42.4 \leq L(\rho_0) \leq 74.4$$

J. Lattimer and Y. Lim, *Astrophys. J.* 771, 51 (2013)

$$L(\rho_0) = 3\rho[dE/d\rho]_{\rho_0}$$

$$E_{sym}^{pot}(\text{with SRC}) > E_{sym}^{pot}(\text{no SRC})$$



Density dependence of Symmetry Energy

$$E_{sym}(\rho) = E_{sym}^{kin}(\rho_0) \cdot \left(\frac{\rho}{\rho_0}\right)^\alpha + E_{sym}^{pot}(\rho_0) \cdot \left(\frac{\rho}{\rho_0}\right)^\gamma$$

FFG: $E_{sym}^{kin}(\rho_0) = 12.5 \text{ MeV}$ $\alpha = 2/3$ $\gamma = 0.48 \pm 0.1$

with Tensor Correlations (CFG):

$$E_{sym}^{kin}(\rho) = E_{sym}^{kin}(\rho)|_{FG} - \Delta E_{sym}^{kin}(\rho)$$

where the SRC correction term is:

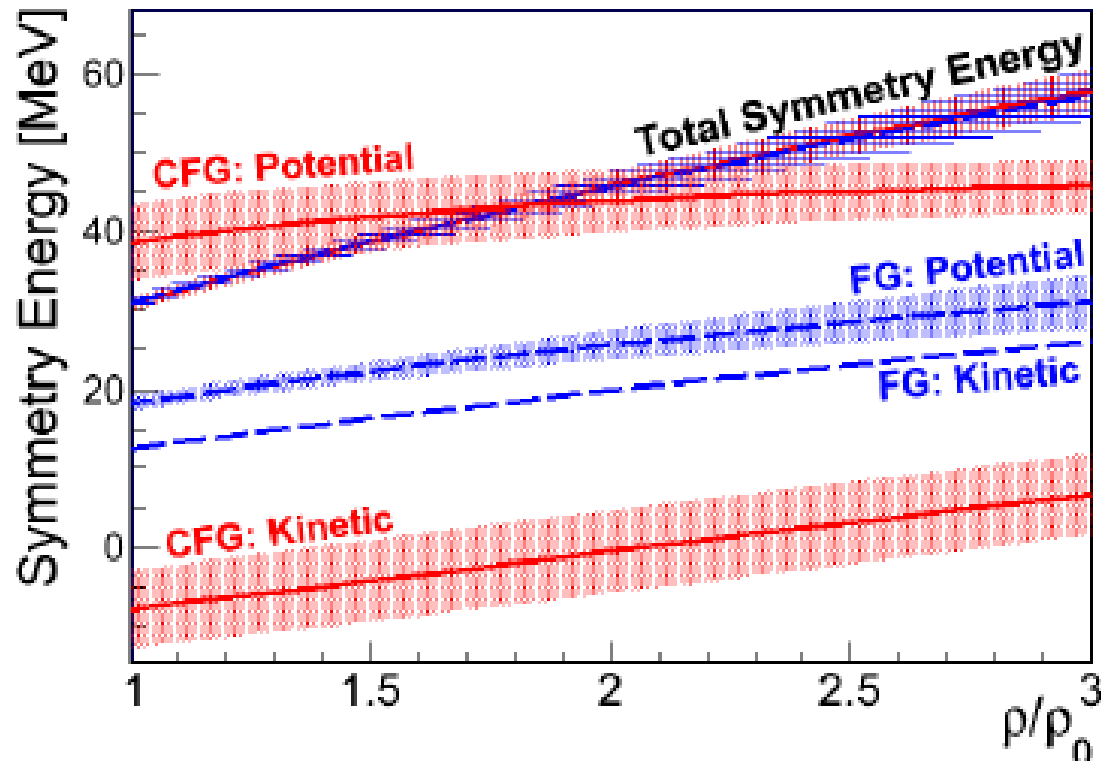
$$\Delta E_{sym}^{kin} \equiv \frac{E_F^0}{\pi^2} c_0 \left[\lambda \left(\frac{\rho}{\rho_0}\right)^{1/3} - \frac{8}{5} \left(\frac{\rho}{\rho_0}\right)^{2/3} + \frac{31}{5\lambda} \left(\frac{\rho}{\rho_0}\right) \right]$$

$$n(k) = \begin{cases} A_0 & k < k_F \\ C_0 / k^4 & k_F < k < \lambda k_F \\ 0 & k > \lambda k_F \end{cases}$$

$$E_{sym}^{kin}(\rho_0) = -10 \pm 3 \text{ MeV} \quad \gamma = 0.25 \pm 0.05$$

Density dependence of Symmetry Energy

Without Tensor Correlations (FFG) / with (CFG):



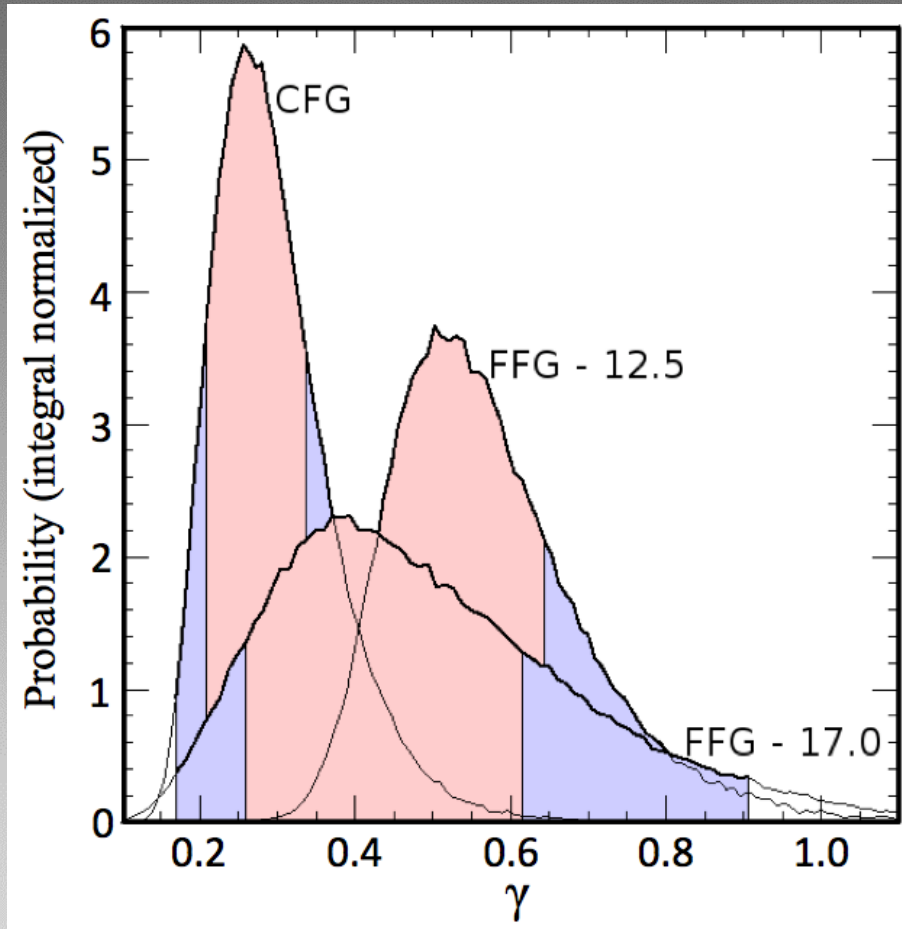
	$E_{sym}^{kin}(\rho_0)$ [MeV]	γ $\pm 1\sigma(2\sigma)$
CFG	-10 ± 3	0.25 ± 0.05
FG	-10 ± 3	0.58 ± 0.05
	0	0.55 ± 0.06
	12.5	0.48 ± 0.10
	17.0	0.41 ± 0.13

PHYSICAL REVIEW C 91, 025803 (2015)

Symmetry energy of nucleonic matter with tensor correlations

Or Hen,^{1,*} Bao-An Li,² Wen-Jun Guo,^{2,3} L. B. Weinstein,⁴ and Eli Piasetzky¹

Bayesian analysis of neutron stars observations lead to the same result



NS EOS

3 energy-density regions

A. W. Steiner, J. M. Lattimer, and E. F. Brown, *Astrophys. J.* **722**, 33 (2010), 1005.0811.

NS data include:

- high precision mass extractions from Pulsar-timing measurements
- simultaneous mass-radius extractions from photospheric radius expansion (PRE) X-ray burst measurements
- thermal spectra measurement of low-mass

X-ray Binaries (LMXB)



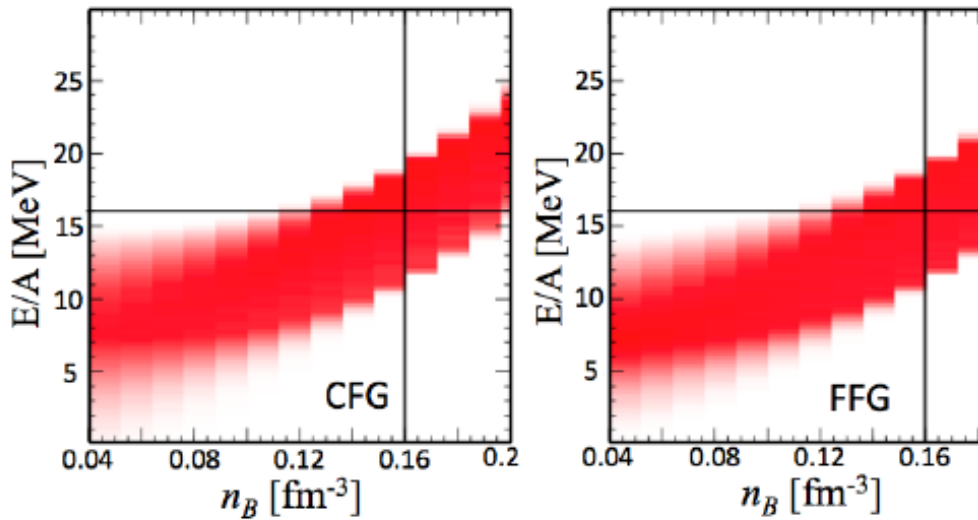
$$E_{sym}^{pot}(\rho/\rho_0) = S_{pot} \cdot (\rho/\rho_0)^\gamma$$

$$= (S_v - S_{kin}) \cdot (\rho/\rho_0)^\gamma,$$

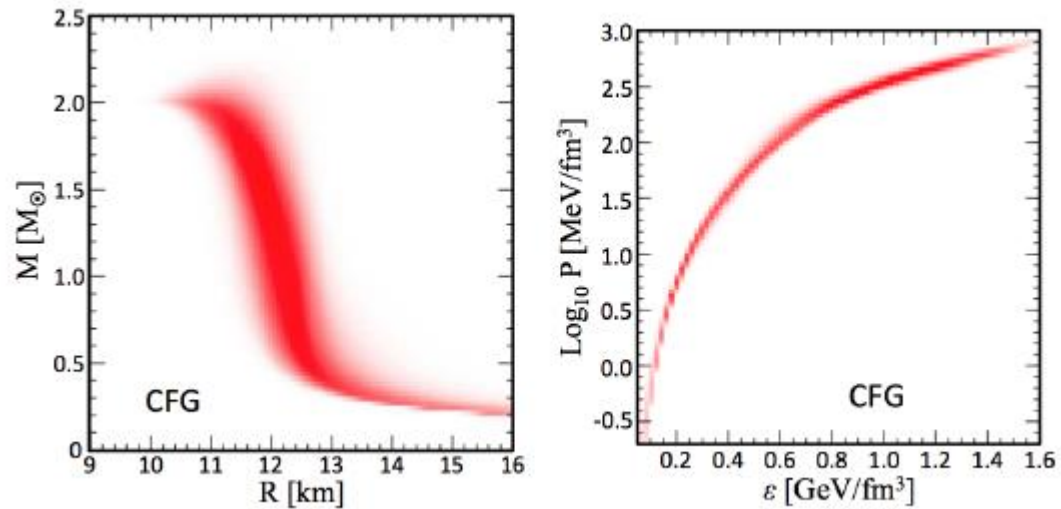
Analysis of Neutron Stars Observations Using a Correlated Fermi Gas Model



Bayesian analysis of neutron stars observations



(for online) The extracted energy per particle as a



Analysis of Neutron Stars Observations Using a Correlated Fermi Gas Model

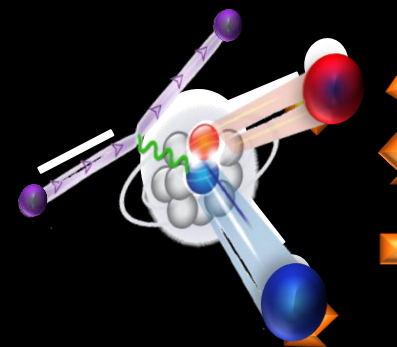
SRC correlations:

Breaks the Fermi Gas picture

Reduce the kinetic symmetry Energy (at ρ_0)

Enhance the potential symmetry Energy (at ρ_0)

Soften the potential symmetry density dependence



Impact on Compact Astronomical Systems ?



Short distance structure of nuclei



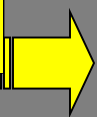
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The probability for a nucleon to have momentum ≥ 300 MeV / c in medium nuclei is 20-25%

2

More than ~90% of all nucleons with momentum ≥ 300 MeV / c belong to 2N-SRC.

1



Most of kinetic energy of nucleon in nuclei is carried by nucleons in 2N-SRC.

2

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Probability for a nucleon with momentum 300-600 MeV / c to belong to np-SRC is ~18 times larger than to belong to pp-SRC.

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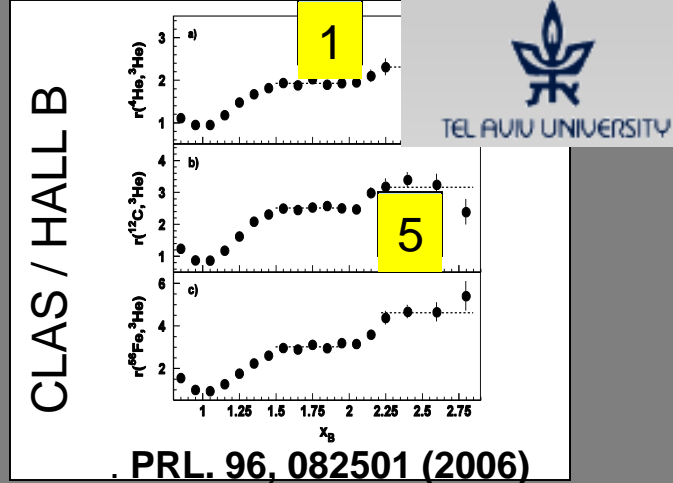
In neutron - rich nuclei: $\langle T_p \rangle > \langle T_n \rangle$

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SRC probability for protons increase with N/Z

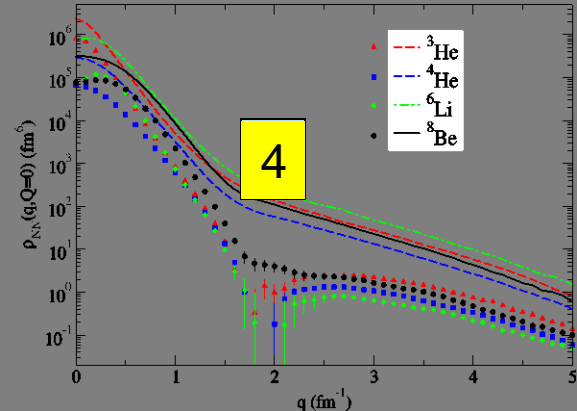
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Dominant NN force in the 2N-SRC is tensor force.



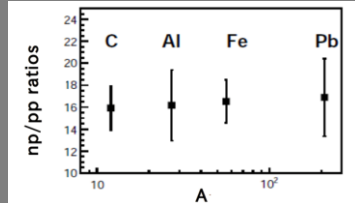
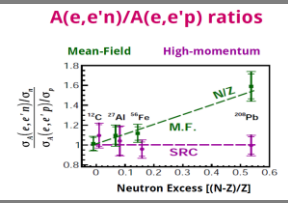
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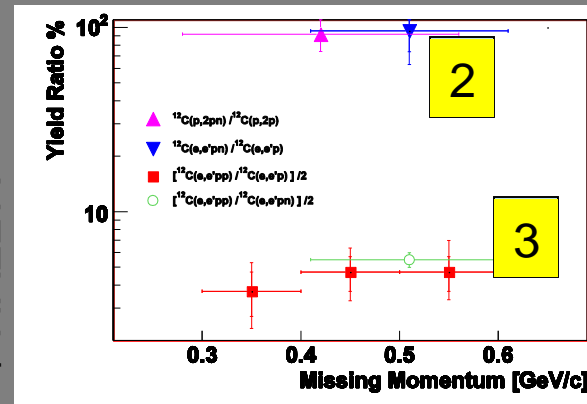
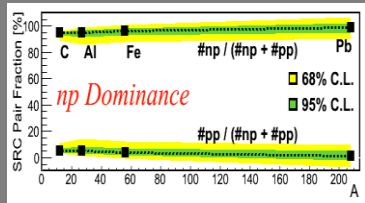


PRL 98, 132501 (2007).

EVA / BNL and Jlab / HALL A



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Science 346, 614 (2014).

PRL 162504(2006); Science 320, 1476 (2008).



Impact on neutron star structure and properties



Our SRC Worldwide Program



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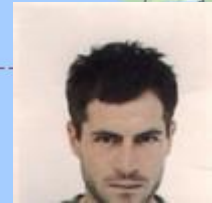
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Collaborators

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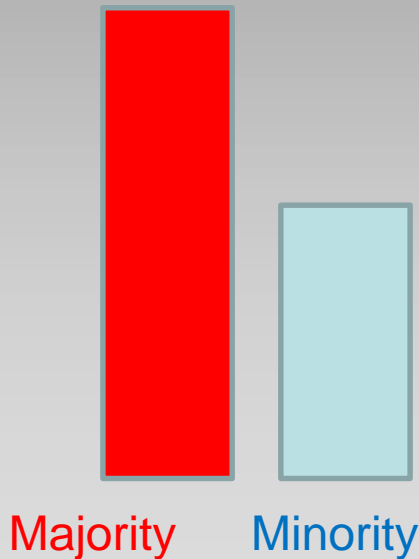
Momentum sharing in Asymmetric (imbalanced) two components Fermi systems

non interacting Fermions

Pauli exclusion principle →

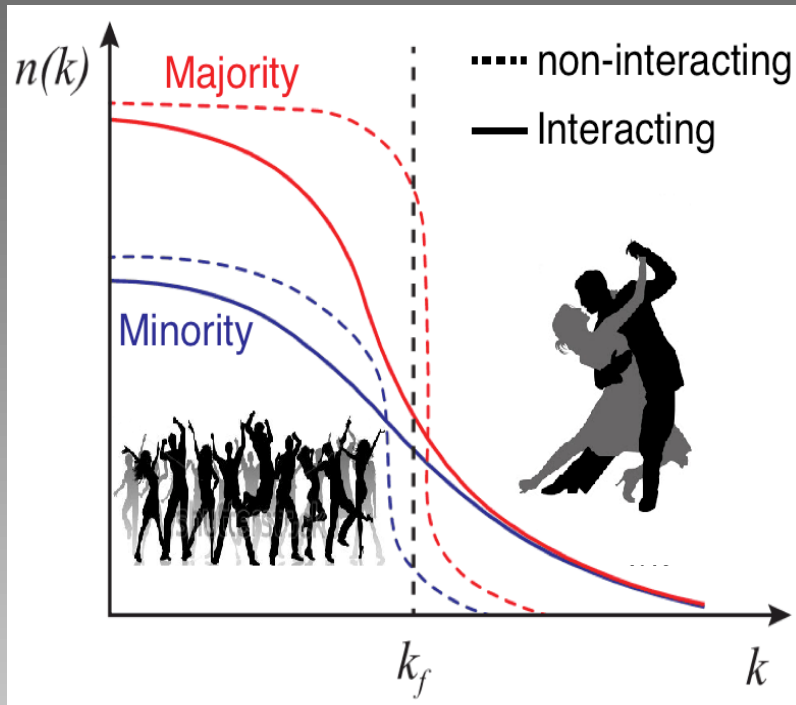
$$k_F^{Majority} > k_F^{Minority}$$

$$\langle E_{Majority}^{kin} \rangle > \langle E_{Minority}^{kin} \rangle$$



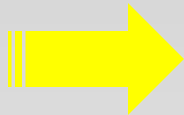
In a neutron-rich nuclei $\langle T_n \rangle > \langle T_p \rangle$

with short-range interaction : strong between unlike fermions, weak between same kind.



Universal property

A minority fermion have a greater probability than a majority fermion to be above the Fermi sea $k > k_F$



Possible inversion of the momentum sharing :

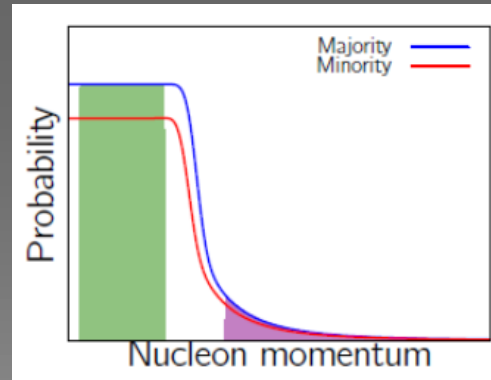
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np-dominance in asymmetric nuclei

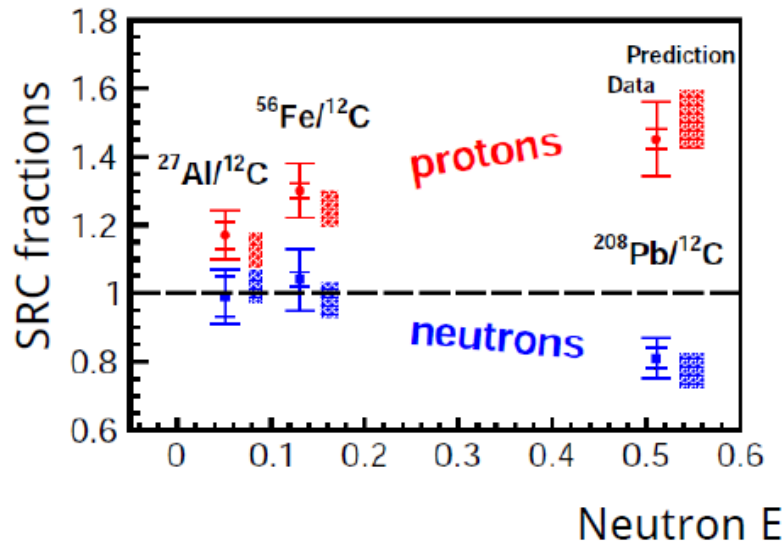
Simple np-dominance model

$$n_p(k) = \begin{cases} \eta \cdot n_p^{M.F.}(k) & k < k_0 \\ \frac{A}{2Z} \cdot a_2(A/d) \cdot n_d(k) & k > k_0 \end{cases} \quad (\text{for neutrons: } Z \rightarrow N)$$

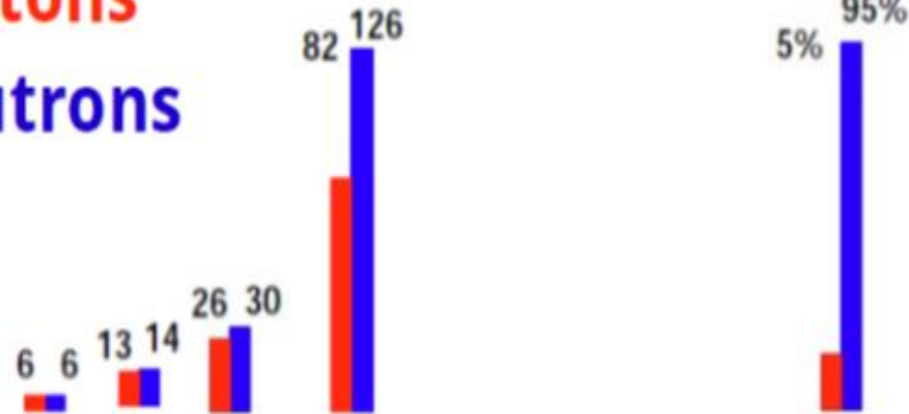


n stars ?

$$\frac{A(e, e' N)_{high} / A(e, e' N)_{low}}{^{12}C(e, e' N)_{high} / ^{12}C(e, e' N)_{low}}$$



protons
neutrons

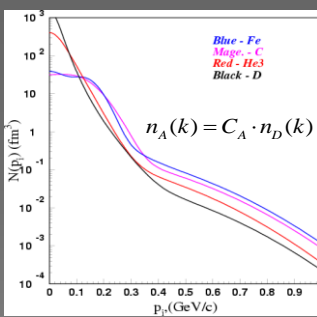


Protons move faster than **neutrons** in N>Z nuclei



$$\langle T_p \rangle > \langle T_n \rangle$$

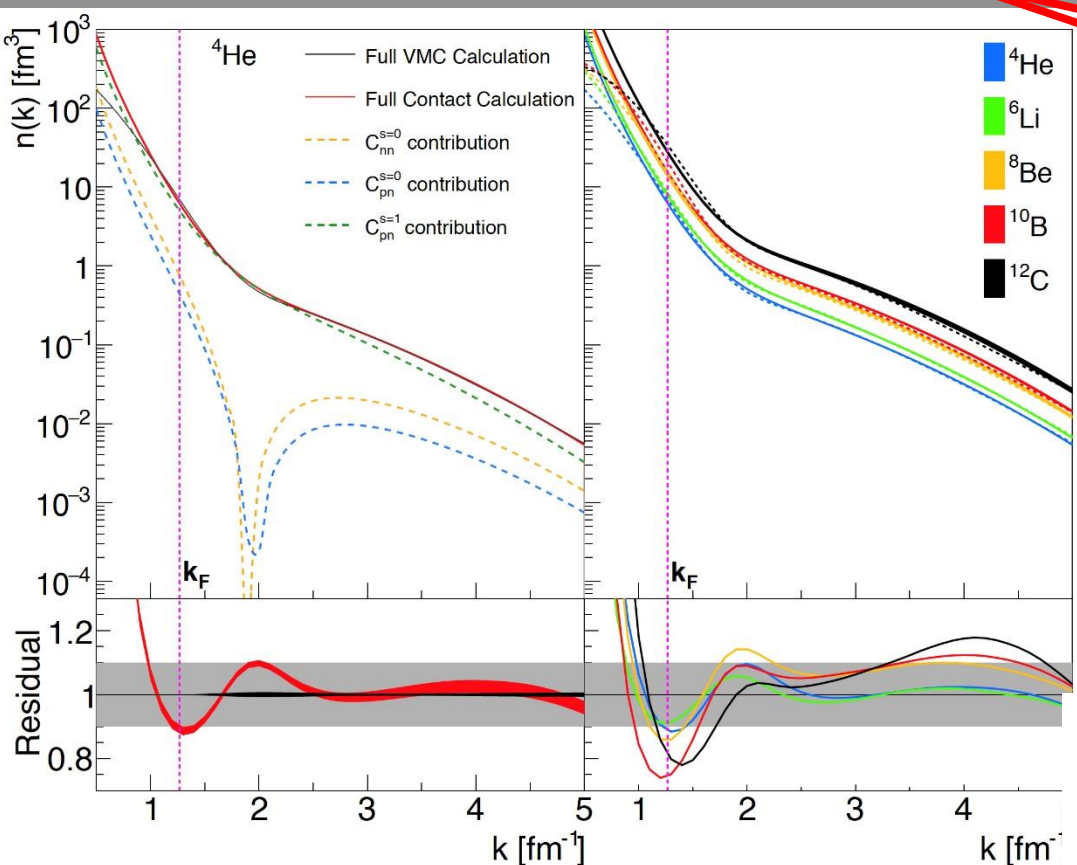
■ **At high nucleon momentum distributions are similar in shape for light and heavy nuclei: SCALING.**



Adapted from Ciofi degli Atti

Nuclear contact calculations

$$n_p(k) \xrightarrow{k \rightarrow \infty} C_{pn}^d |\varphi_{pn}^d(k)|^2 + C_{pn}^0 |\varphi_{pn}^0(k)|^2 + 2C_{pp}^0 |\varphi_{pp}^0(k)|^2$$



$l = 0, 2 \quad s = 1 \quad j = 1$
np pairs

$l = s = j = 0$
pp, nn, np pairs

The nuclear contacts and short range correlations in nuclei

R. Weiss,¹ R. Cruz-Torres,² N. Barnea,¹ E. Piasetzky,³ and O. Hen²

arXiv:1612.00923

$$\Psi \xrightarrow{r_{ij} \rightarrow 0} \sum_{\alpha} \varphi_{\alpha}(\mathbf{r}_{ij}) A_{ij}^{\alpha}(\mathbf{R}_{ij}, \{\mathbf{r}\}_{k \neq ij})$$

a factorized ansatz

Nuclei (Athenaeum Ballroom)		Axel Schmidt
Session chair: Fabienne Kunne		
11:30-12:00	New Insights into Nucleon-Nucleon Correlations	Or Hen (MIT)

Compering ab-initio VMC and nuclear contact calculations

Scale-Separated Nuclear Structure

1. Use a factorized ansatz for the short-distance (high-momentum) part of the many-body wave function:

$$\Psi \xrightarrow{r_{ij} \rightarrow 0} \sum_{\alpha} \varphi_{\alpha}(\mathbf{r}_{ij}) A_{ij}^{\alpha}(\mathbf{R}_{ij}, \{\mathbf{r}\}_{k \neq ij})$$

- Universal function of the NN interaction.
- Taken as the zero energy solution to the 2 body problem
- Nucleus (/ system) specific function
- Depends on all nucleons except the SRC pair (primarily mean-field)

2. Test by comparing to many-body calculations *and* data from hard knockout measurements



Short distance structure of nuclei



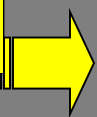
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The probability for a nucleon to have momentum ≥ 300 MeV / c in medium nuclei is 20-25%

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More than ~90% of all nucleons with momentum ≥ 300 MeV / c belong to 2N-SRC.

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Most of kinetic energy of nucleon in nuclei is carried by nucleons in 2N-SRC.

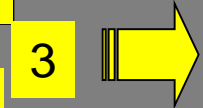
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Probability for a nucleon with momentum 300-600 MeV / c to belong to np-SRC is ~18 times larger than to belong to pp-SRC.

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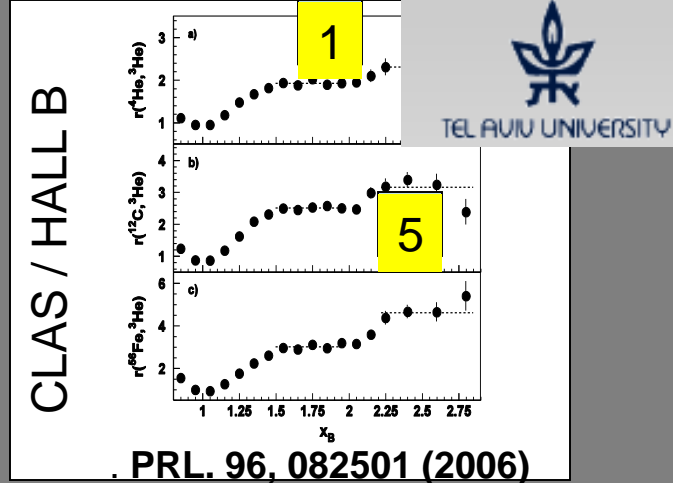


In neutron - rich nuclei: $\langle T_p \rangle > \langle T_n \rangle$

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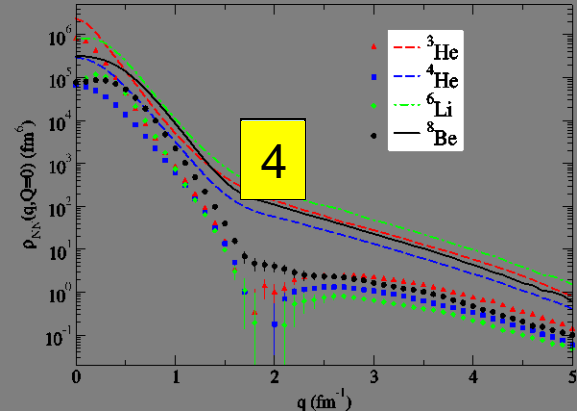
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Dominant NN force in the 2N-SRC is tensor force.

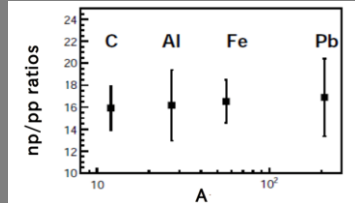
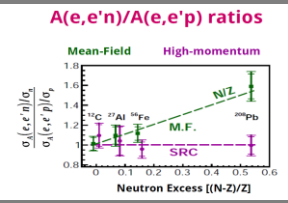


CLAS / HALL B

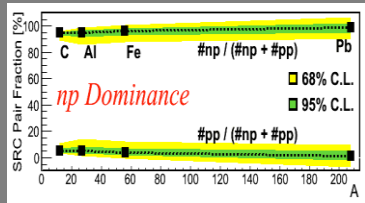
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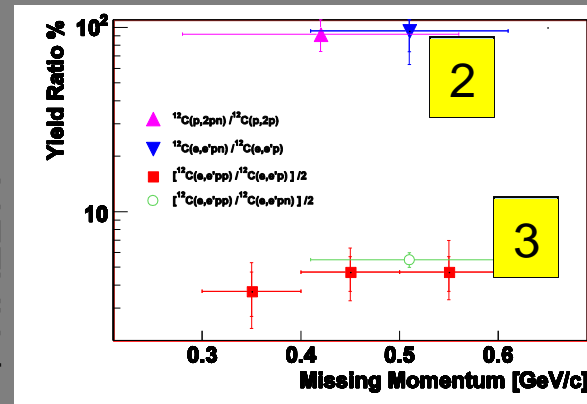
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EVA / BNL and Jlab / HALL A



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Duer et al.

Science 346, 614 (2014).

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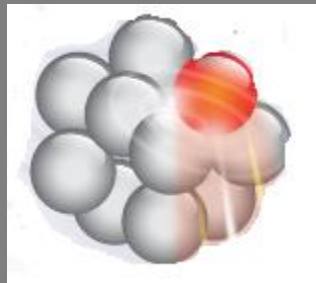
Are nucleons being modified in the nuclear medium ?

Free neutron



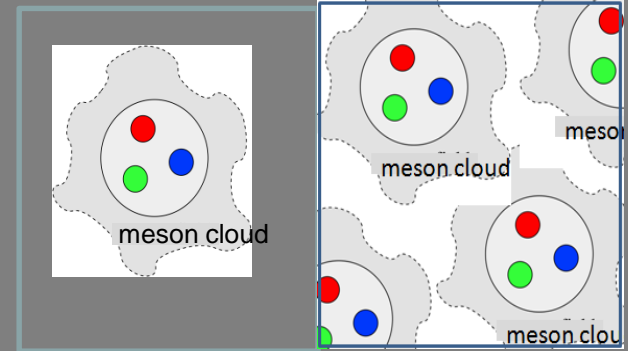
$$\tau_n = 15 \text{ min}$$

Bound neutron



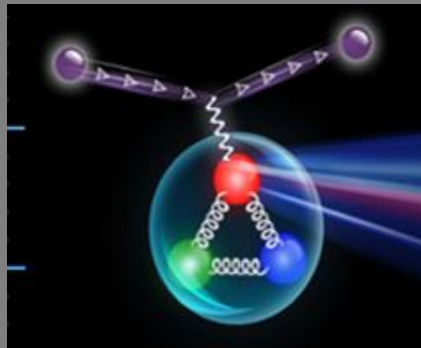
$$\tau_{n^*} = \infty$$

Difference Games



Do nucleons change their quark-gluon structure in the nuclear medium ?

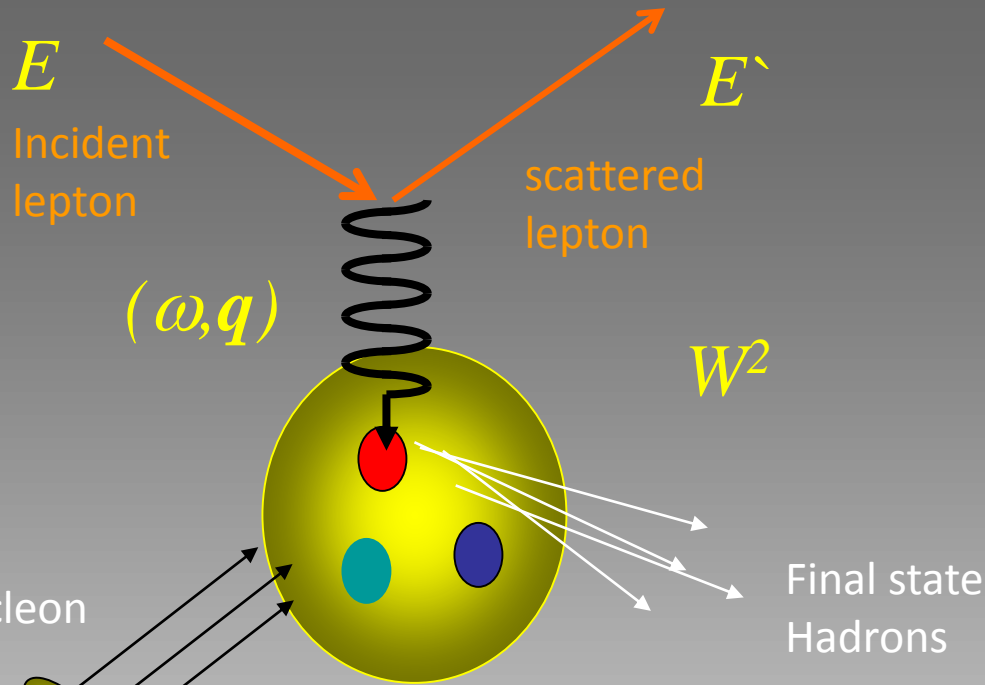
➔ Deep Inelastic Scattering (DIS)



➔ In-Medium vs. Free Structure Function



Deep Inelastic Scattering (DIS)



$$Q^2 = -q_\mu q^\mu = q^2 - \omega^2$$

$$\omega = E' - E$$

$$x_B = \frac{Q^2}{2m\omega} \quad \left(= \frac{Q^2}{2(q \cdot p_T)} \right)$$

$$0 \leq x_B \leq 1$$

x_B gives the fraction of nucleon momentum carried by the struck parton

Information about nucleon vertex is contained in $F_1(x, Q^2)$ and $F_2(x, Q^2)$, the unpolarized structure functions

Electrons, muons, neutrinos

SLAC, CERN, HERA, FNAL, JLAB

E, E' 5-500 GeV

Q^2 5-50 GeV²

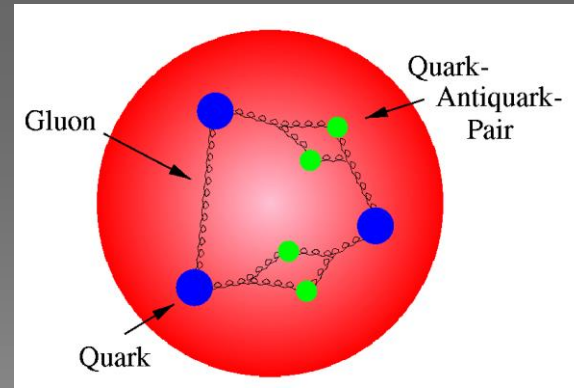
$w^2 > 4$ GeV²

$0 \leq x_B \leq 1$



DIS scale: several tens of GeV

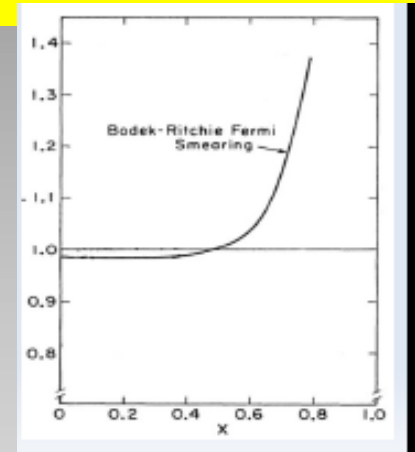
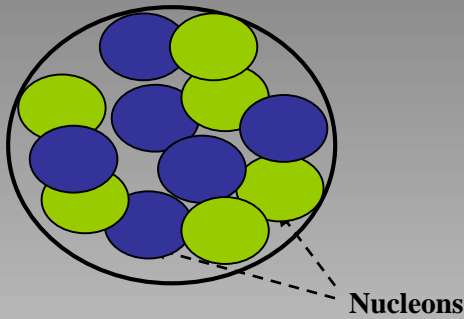
Nucleon in nuclei are bound by ~MeV



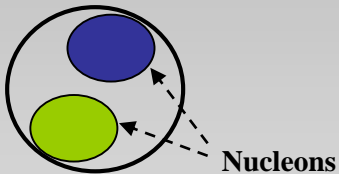
(My) Naive expectations :

DIS off a bound nucleon = DIS off a free nucleon

(Except for small Fermi momentum corrections)



Deuteron: binding energy ~2 MeV
Average nucleons separation ~2 fm

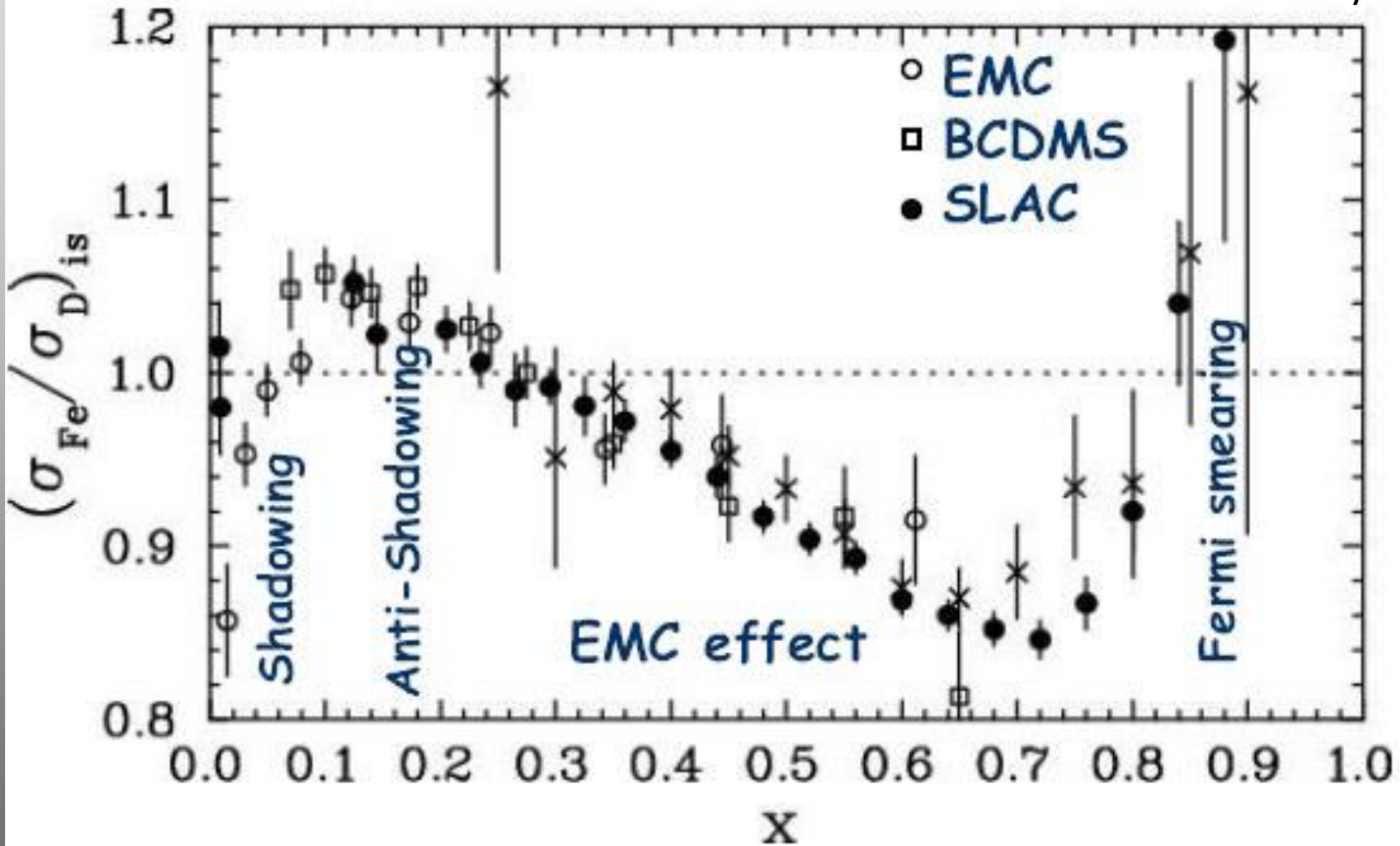


DIS off a deuteron = DIS off a free proton neutron pair

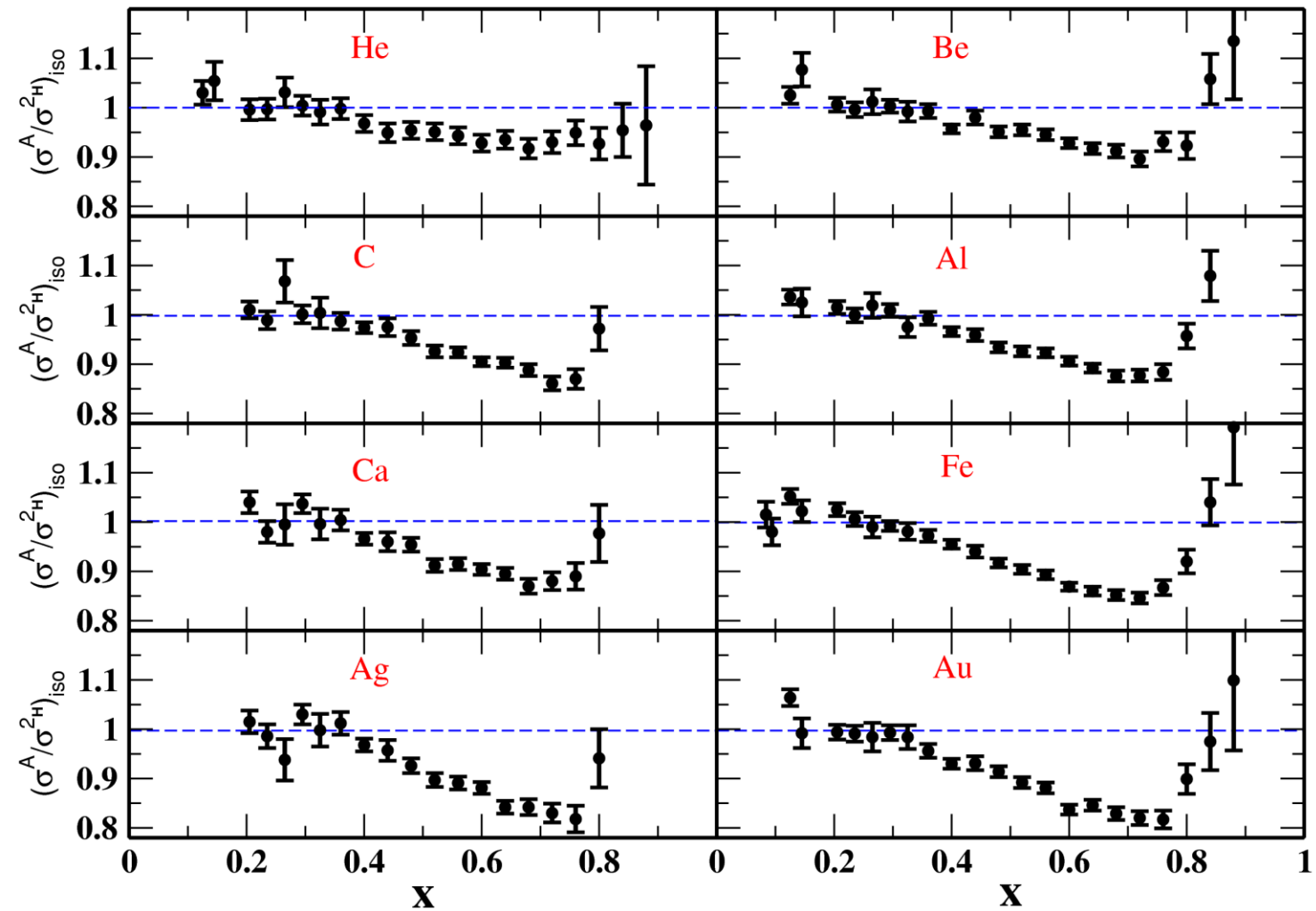


The European Muon Collaboration (EMC) effect

>30 years old



σ^{DIS} per nucleon in nuclei \neq σ^{DIS} per nucleon in deuteron



Data from CERN SLAC JLab
1983- 2009

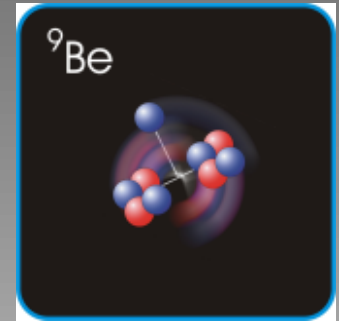
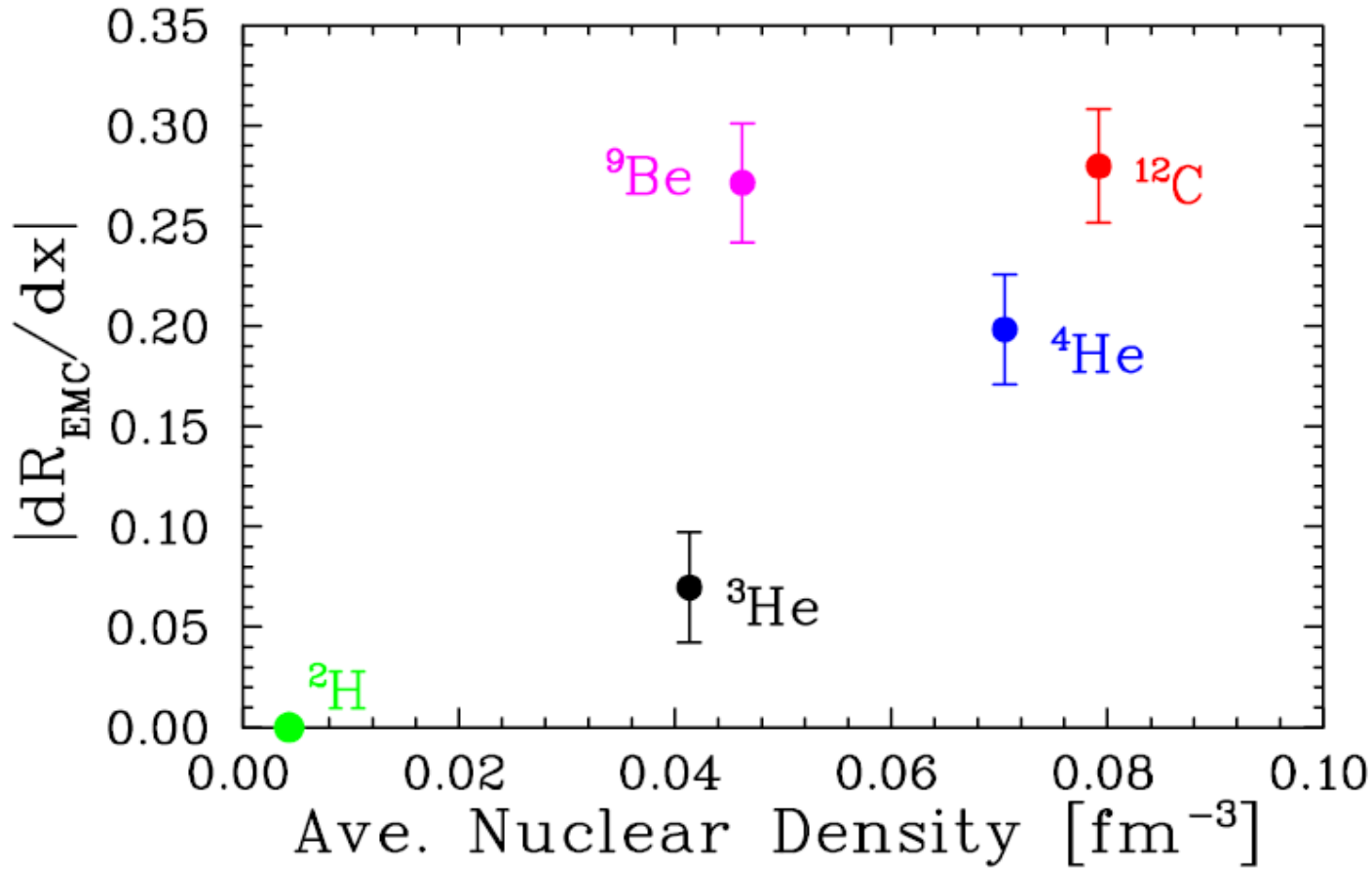
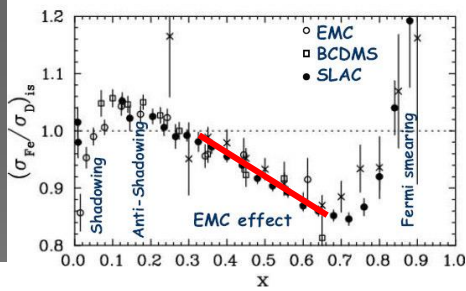
EMC collaboration, Aubert et al. PL B 123,275 (1983)

SLAC Gomez et al., Phys Rev. D49,4348 (1994)

A review of data collected during first decade, Arneodo, Phys. Rep. 240,301(1994)



EMC is a not a bulk property of nuclear medium



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Seely et al. PRL 103, 202301 (2009)

Scaled nuclear density = $(A-1)/A \langle \rho \rangle$
 \rightarrow remove contribution from struck nucleon

$\langle \rho \rangle$ from ab initio few-body calculations
 \rightarrow [S.C. Pieper and R.B. Wiringa, *Ann. Rev. Nucl. Part. Sci.* 51, 53 (2001)]

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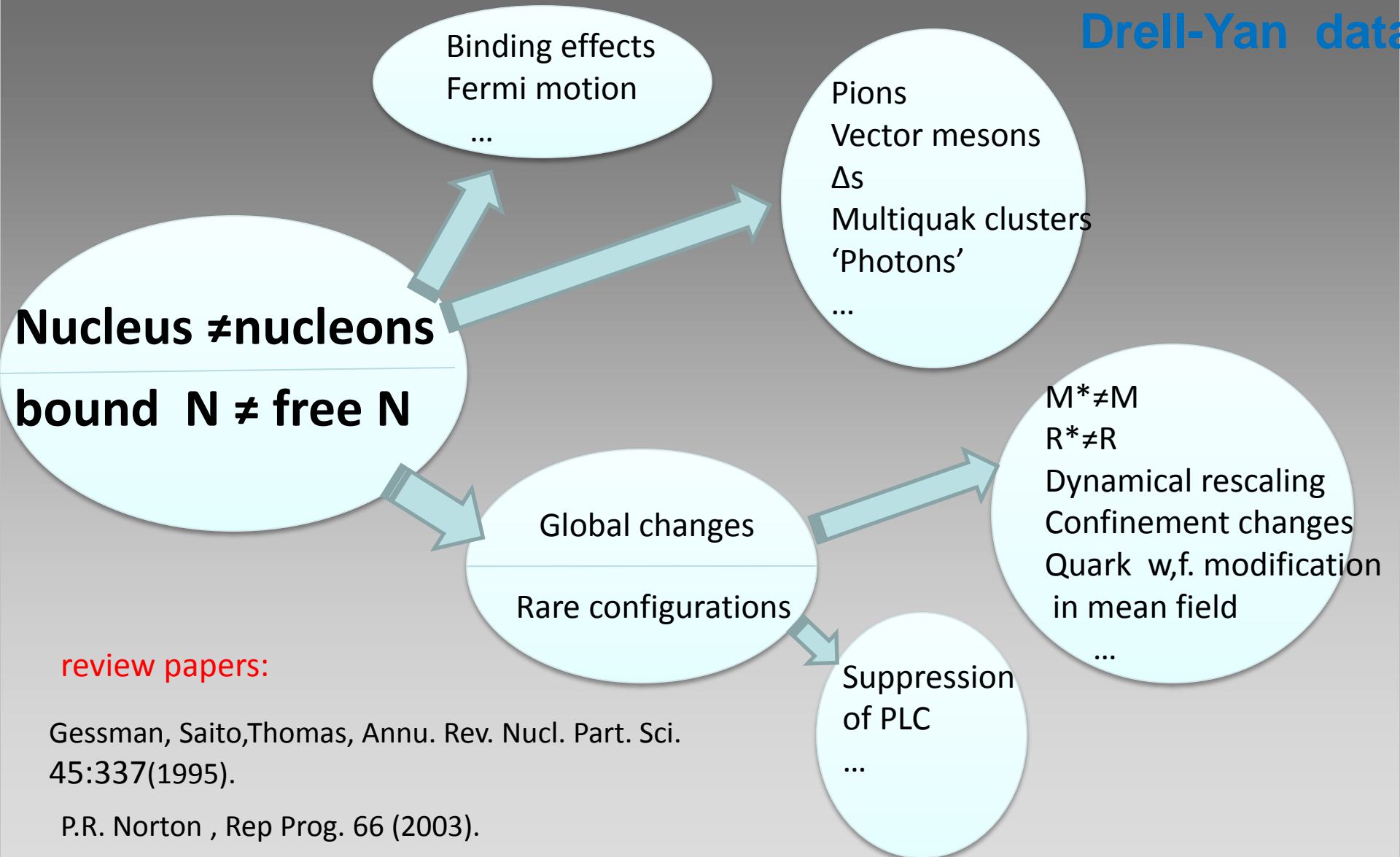
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**Well established measured effect
with no consensus as to its origin**



Models of the EMC effect

Drell-Yan data



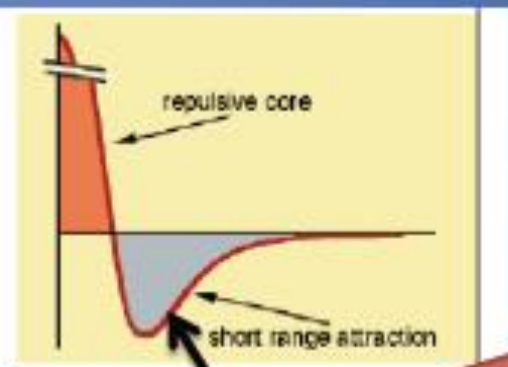
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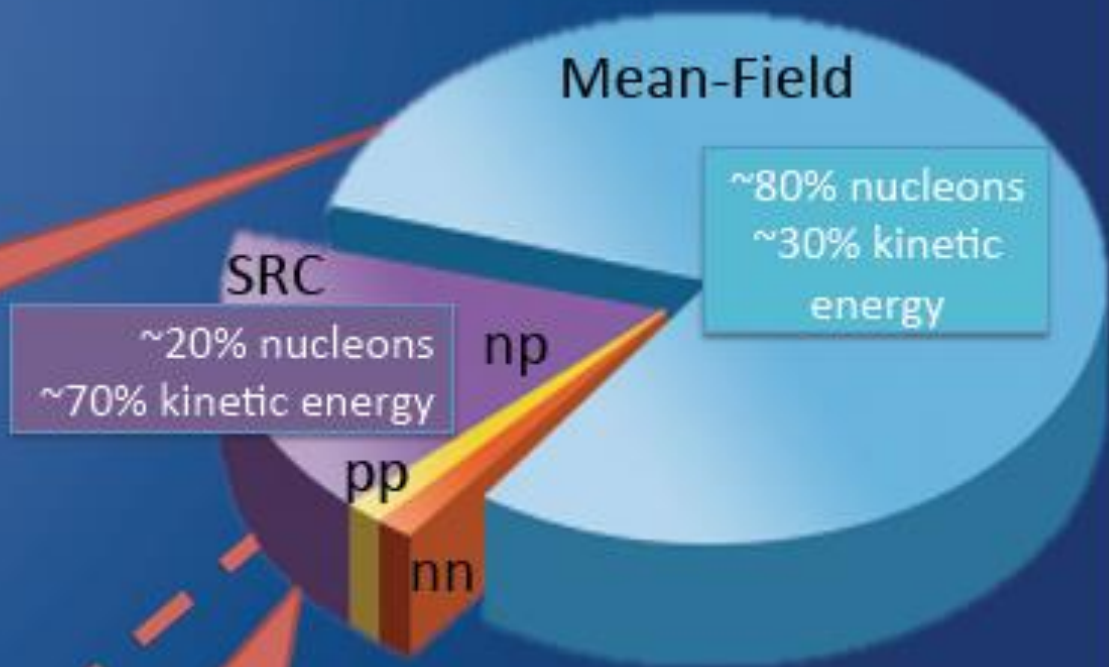
Where is the EMC Effect?



Largest attractive force

Mean-Field

High local nuclear matter density, large momentum, large off shell, large virtuality



SRC

$$v = p^2 - m^2$$



Inclusive electron scattering $A(e,e')$

Deep Inelastic Scattering

→ Partonic (quark) Structure of Hadrons

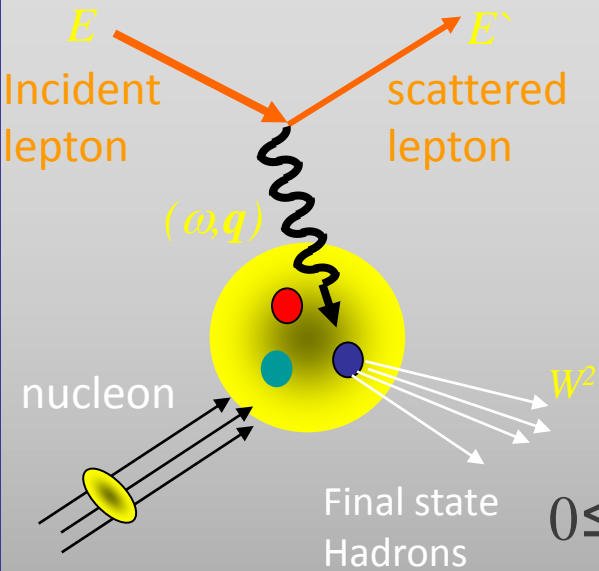
Inclusive Scattering at $X_B > 1$

$A(e,e')$

→ Partonic (nucleon) Structure of Nucleus

Inclusive electron scattering $A(e, e')$

DIS off nucleons

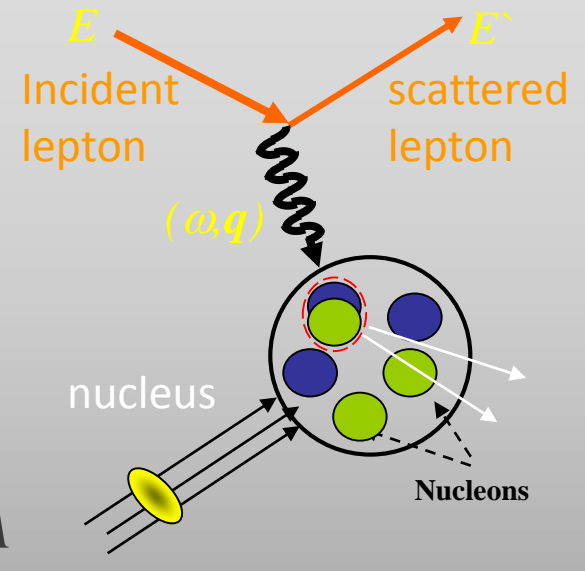


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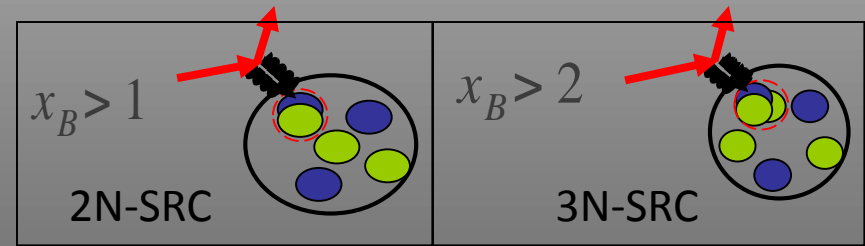
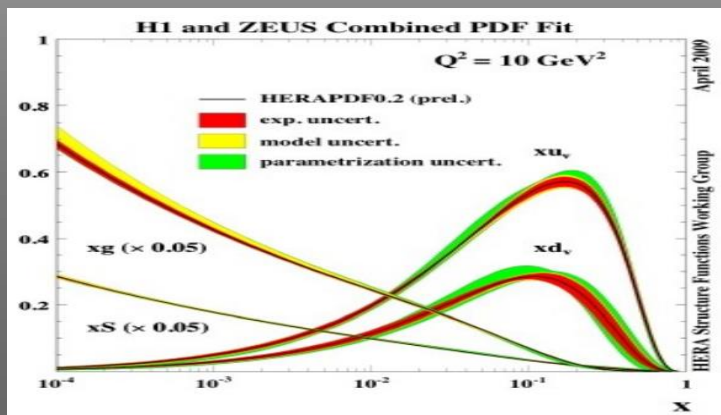
$$x_B = \frac{Q^2}{2m\omega} \quad (x'_B = \frac{Q^2}{2(q \cdot p_T)})$$

DIS off nuclei



x_B gives the fraction of nucleon momentum carried by the struck parton

x_B counts the number of nucleons involved

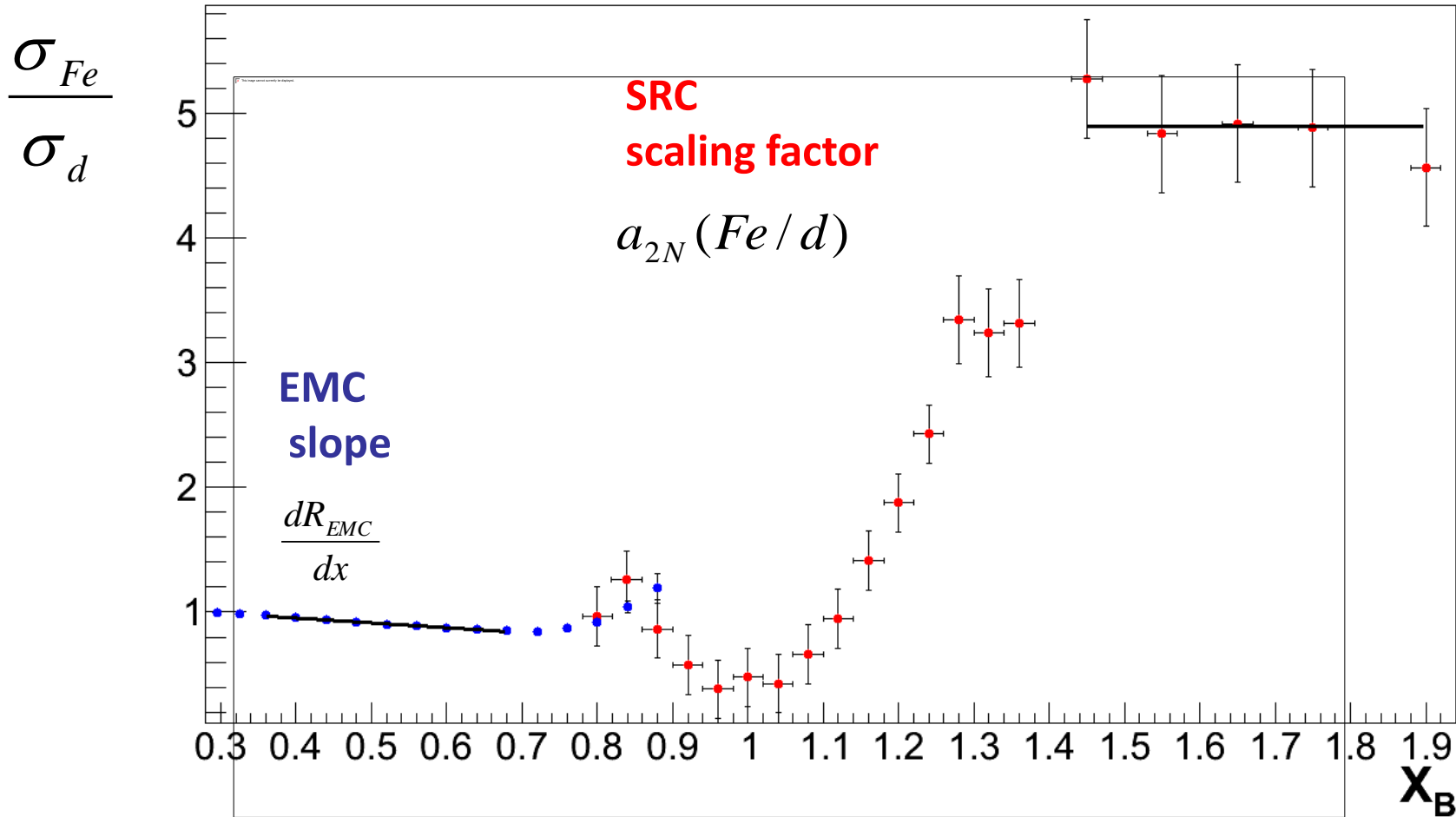


--> scaling

--> Counting the number of SRC clusters in nuclei



Comparing magnitude of EMC effect and SRC scaling factors



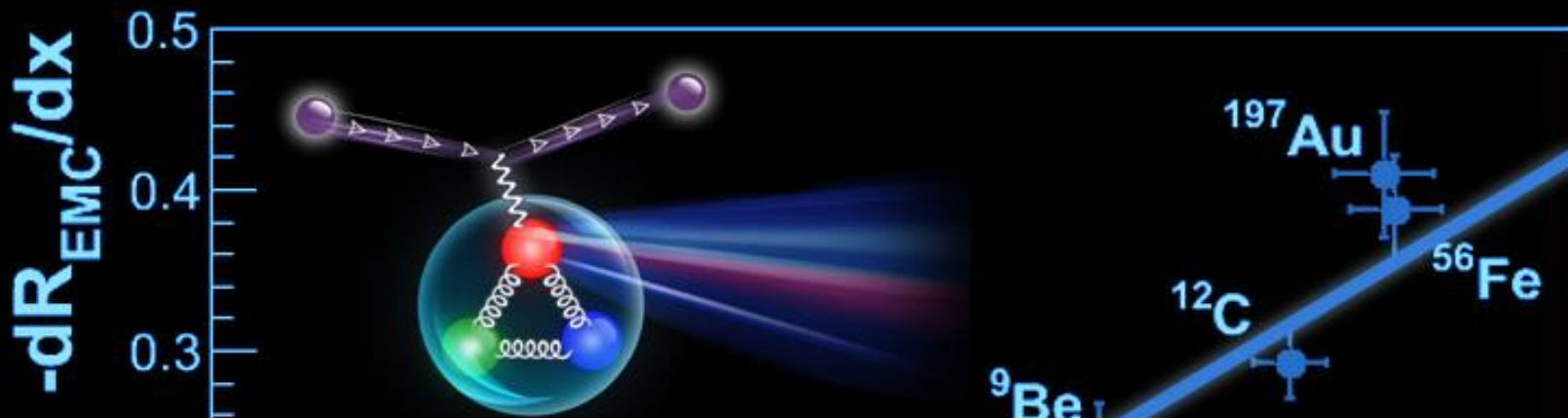
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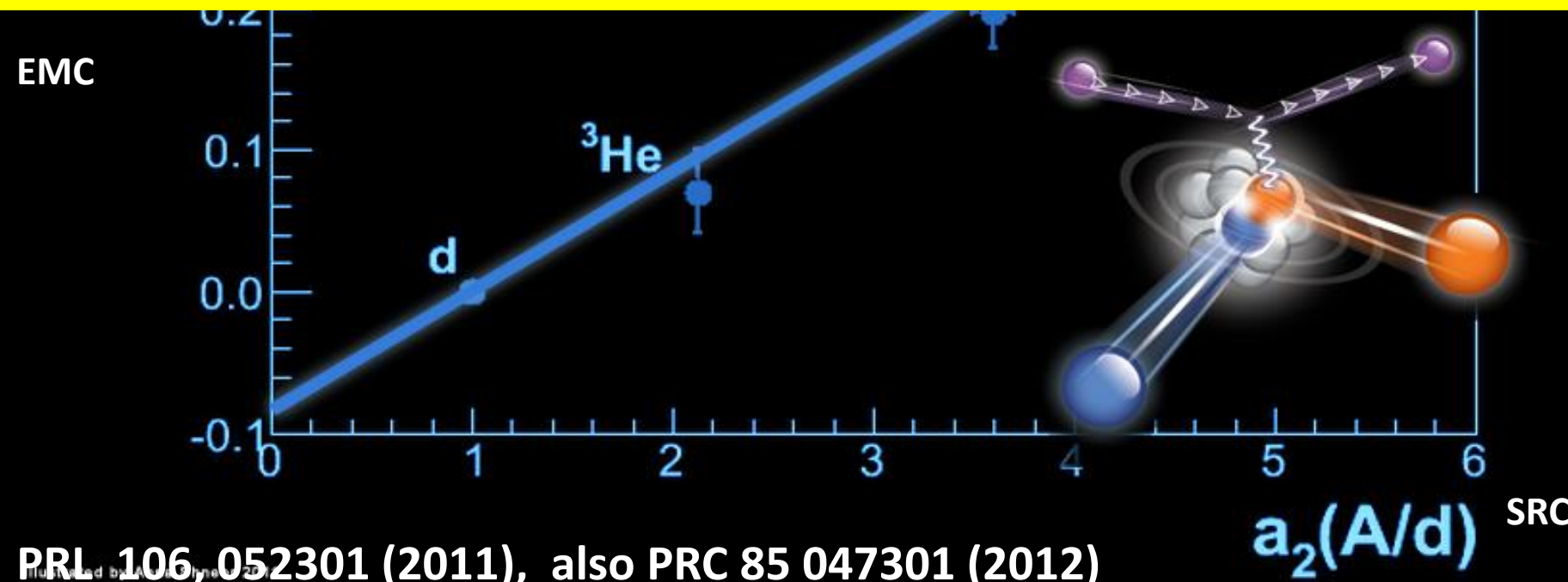
$Q^2=2, 5, 10, 15 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ (averaged)

Frankfurt, Strikman, Day, Sargsyan,
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$Q^2=2.3 \text{ GeV}/c^2$

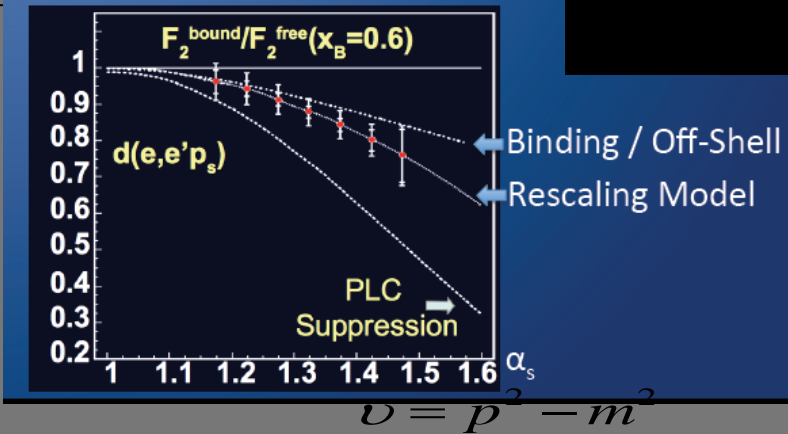
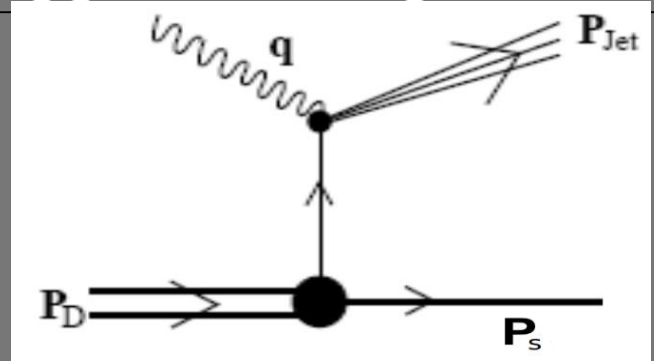


the EMC effect is associated with large virtuality ($\nu = p^2 - m^2$)



Is the EMC effect associated with large virtuality ?

Hypothesis can be verified by measuring DIS off Deuteron tagged with high momentum recoil nucleon

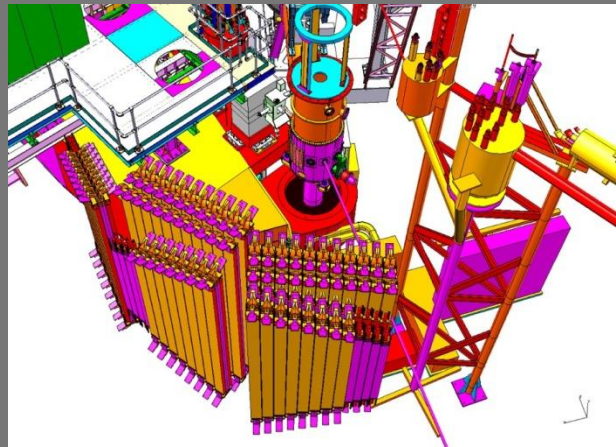


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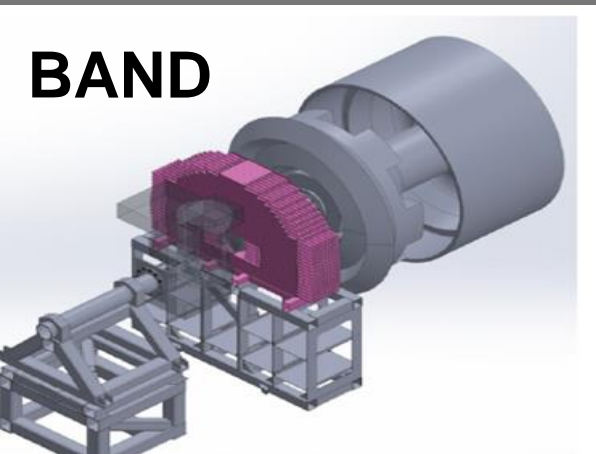
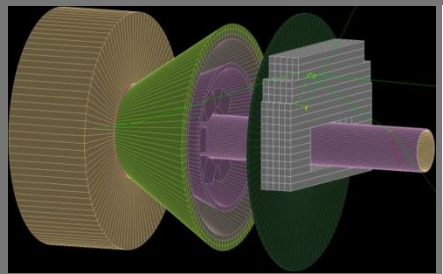
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Tagged recoil proton measure neutron structure function

Tagged recoil neutron measure in the proton structure function E12-11-003a

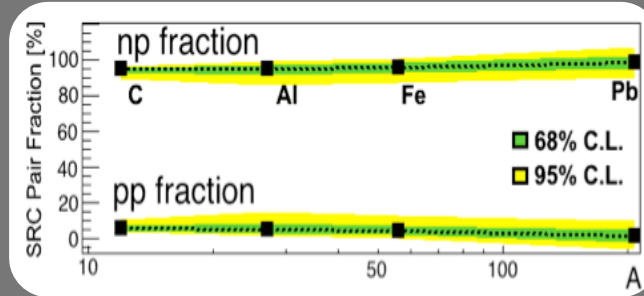
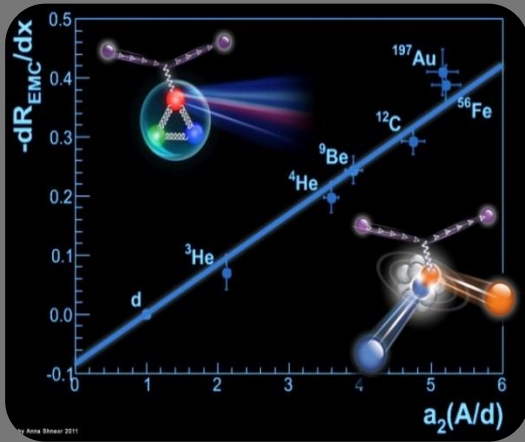


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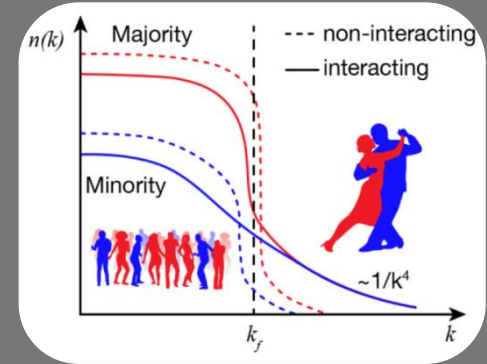


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Summary – relevant of Correlations

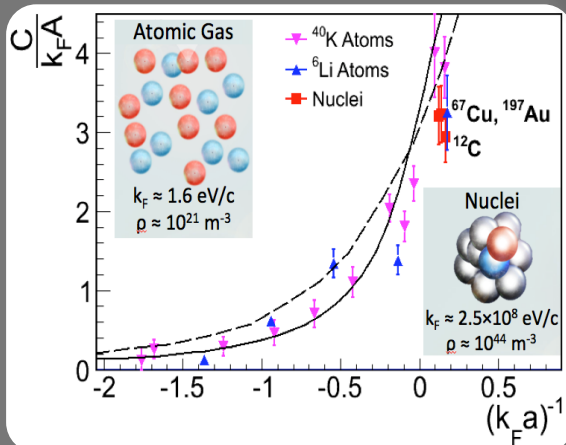


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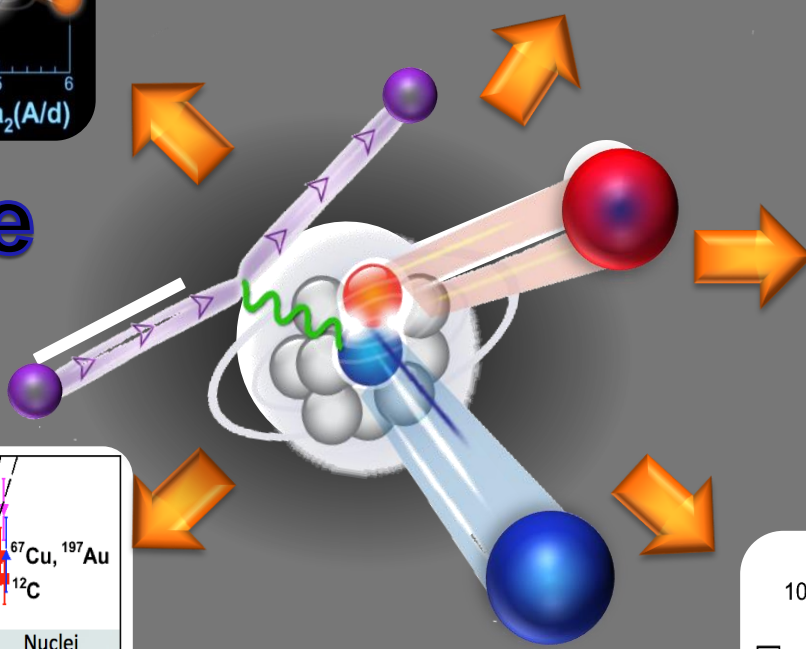


Particle

Atomic



Contact term

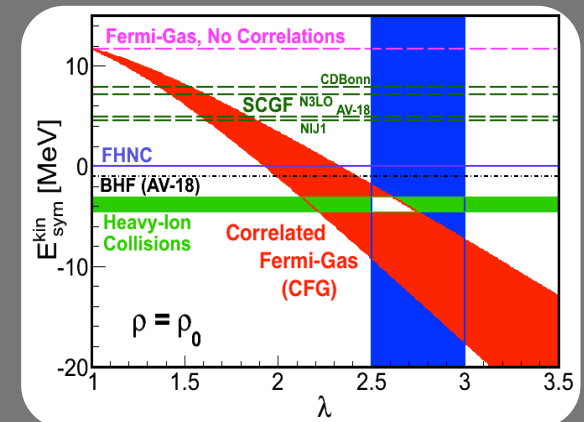


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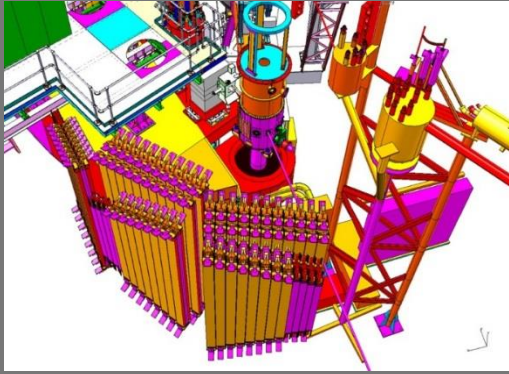
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3N-SRC

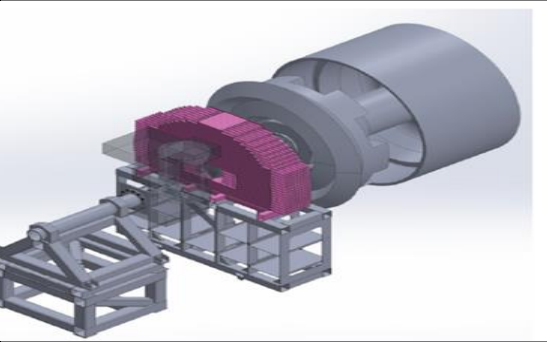
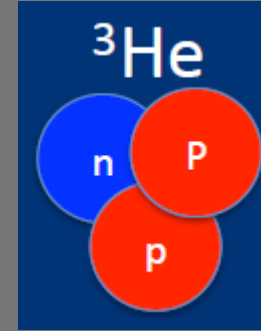
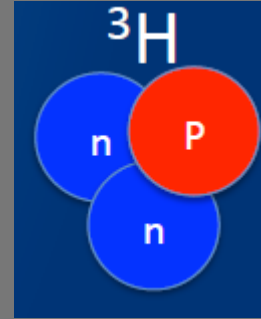


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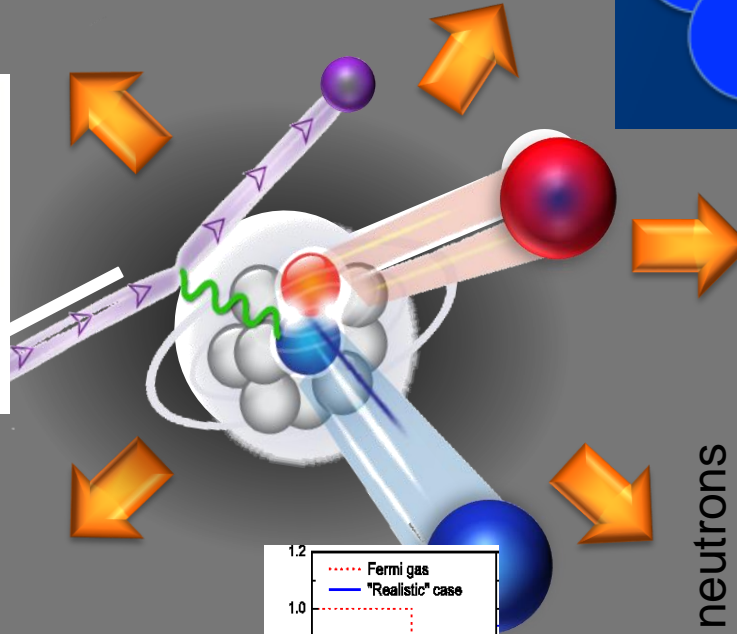


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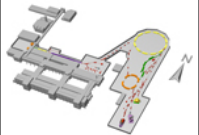
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Add 8 f7/2 neutrons

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35Cl	36Ar	37K	38Ca	Ti	23										
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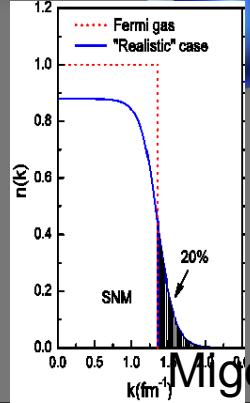
Add 8 protons

Hadron facilities



GSI / FAIR

Dubna



Migdal jump

SRC talks

Thursday, November 02

Nuclei (Athenaeum Ballroom)



Session chair: **Fabienne Kunne**

11:30-12:00	New Insights into Nucleon-Nucleon Correlations	Axel Schmidt (MIT)
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Parallel Workshops

Wednesday, November 01 15:00-15:30

2. New Avenues in Lepton Scattering

Session I: Nuclear & Nucleon Structure

N-N correlations in nuclei

Meytal Duer (Tel-Aviv)

Acknowledgment

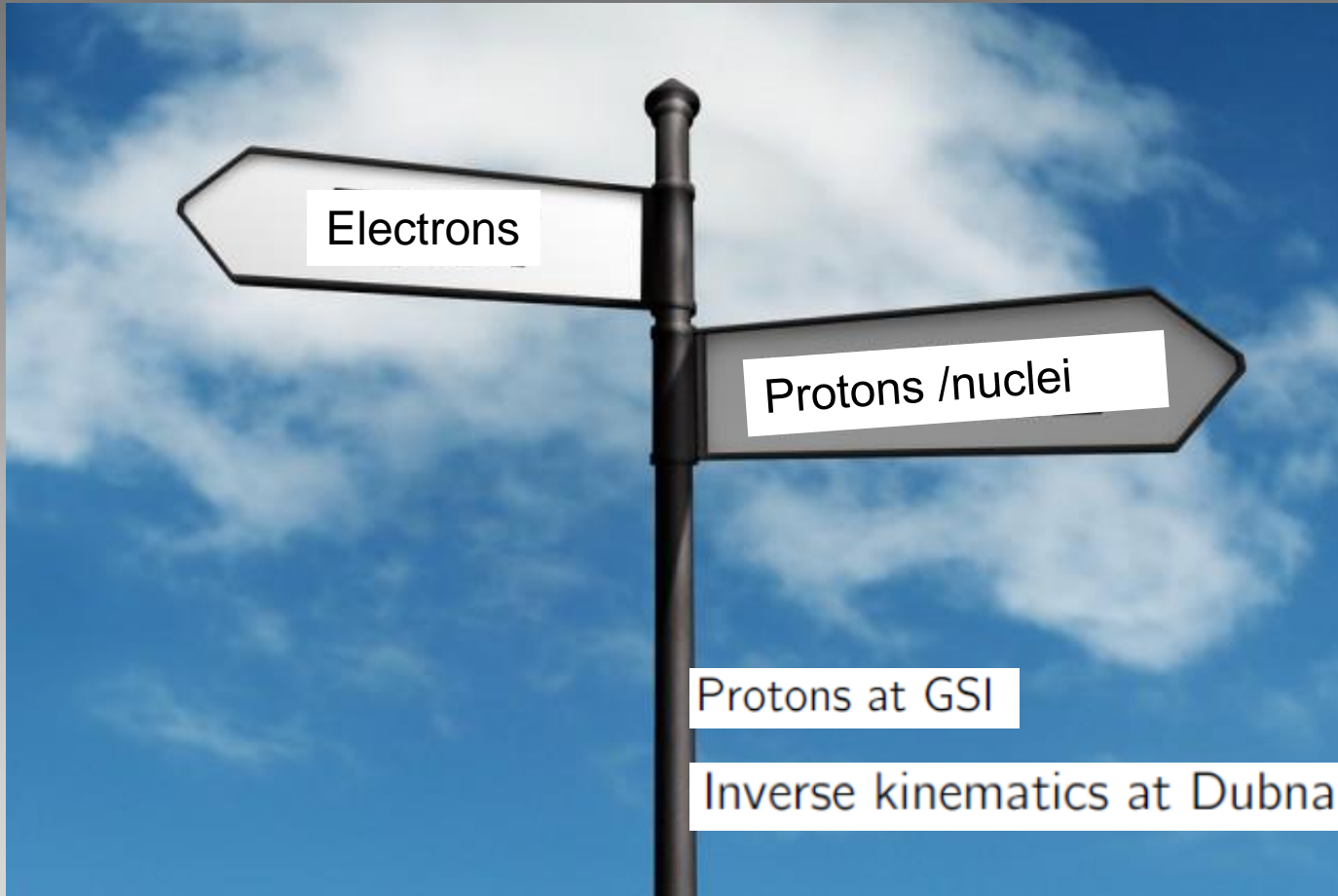
I would like to thank the organizers for the invitation.



Erez Cohen

Axel Schmidt





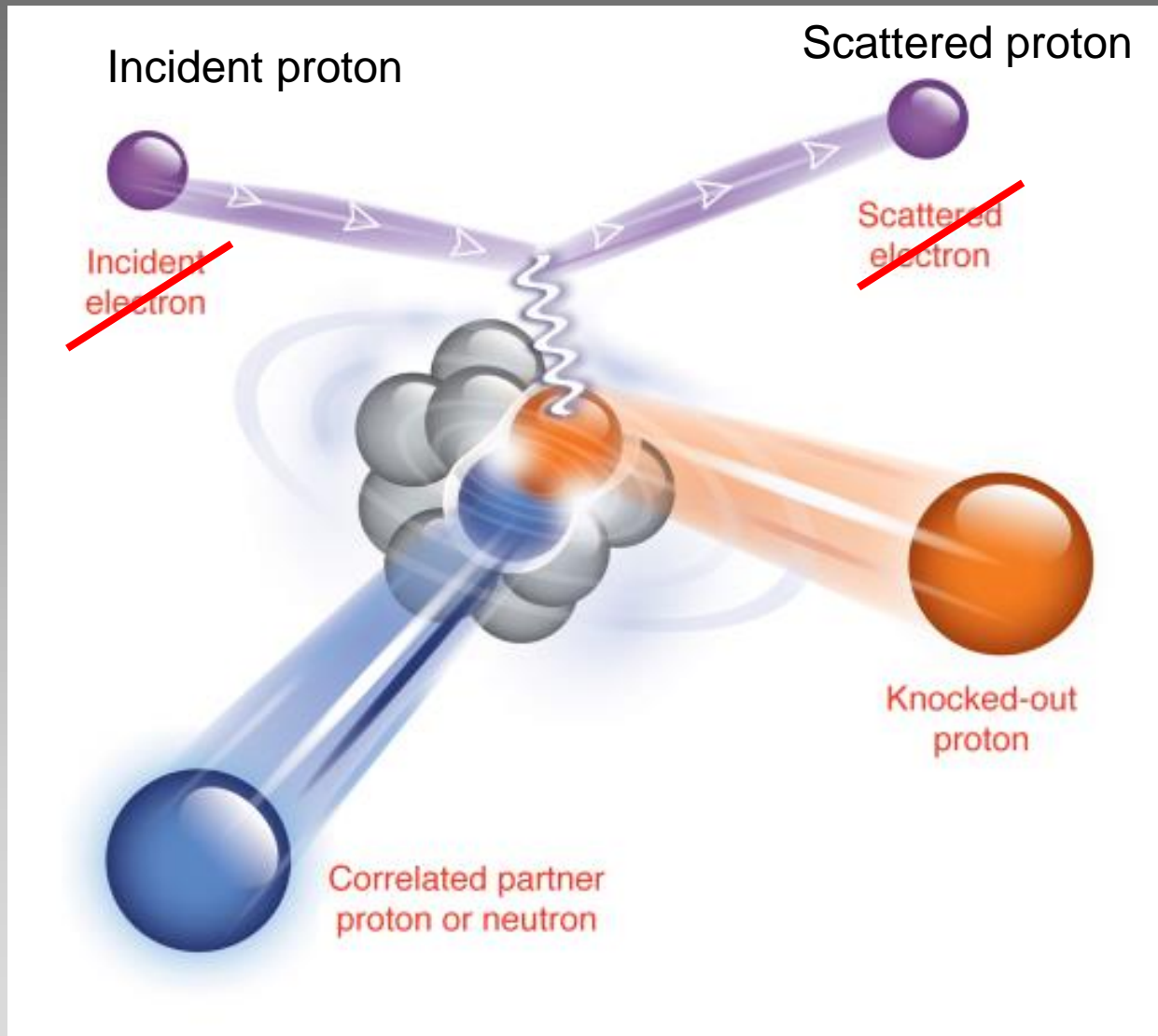
Electrons

Protons /nuclei

Protons at GSI

Inverse kinematics at Dubna

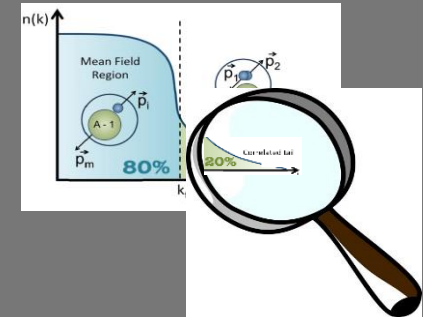
Triple coincidence $A(p, p p N)$ measurements complementary to JLab



Complementary to JLab study with electrons

Why H.E. protons are good probes of SRC ?

selective attention to SRC

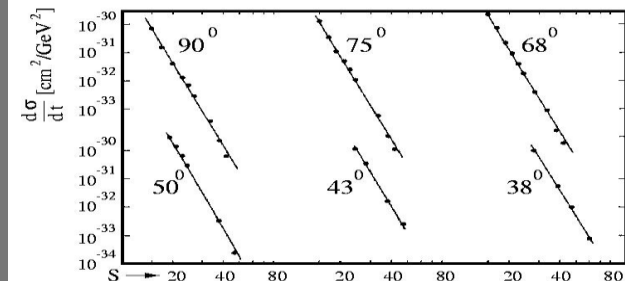


Psychology Wiki

Selective attention. A type of [attention](#) which involves focusing on a specific aspect of a scene while ignoring other aspects.

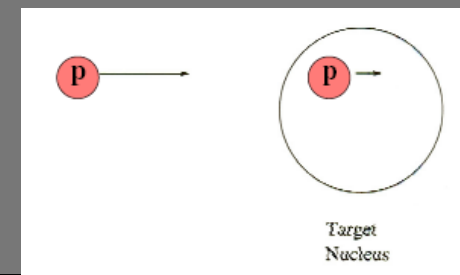
$p p \rightarrow pp$ elastic scattering
near 90° c.m

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dt} \propto s^{-10}$$



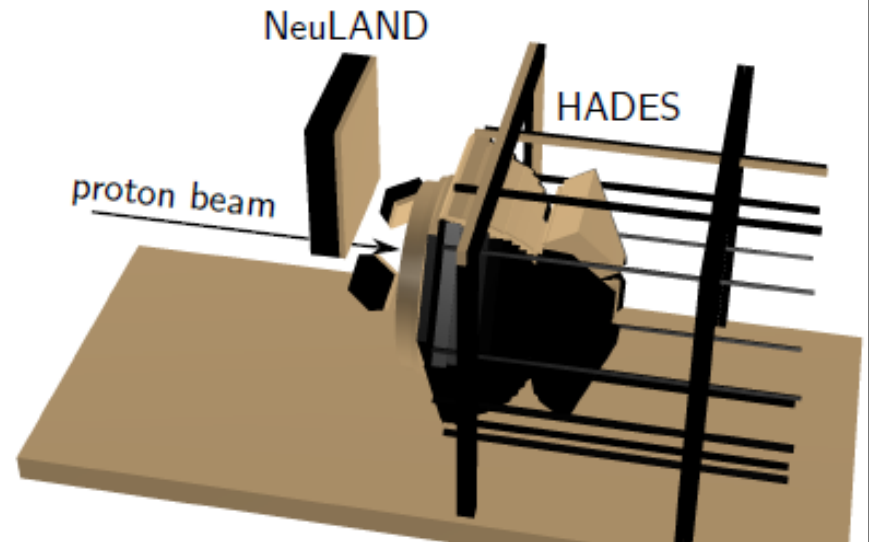
Constituent Counting Rules

QE pp scattering have a very strong preference for reacting with forward going high momentum nuclear protons

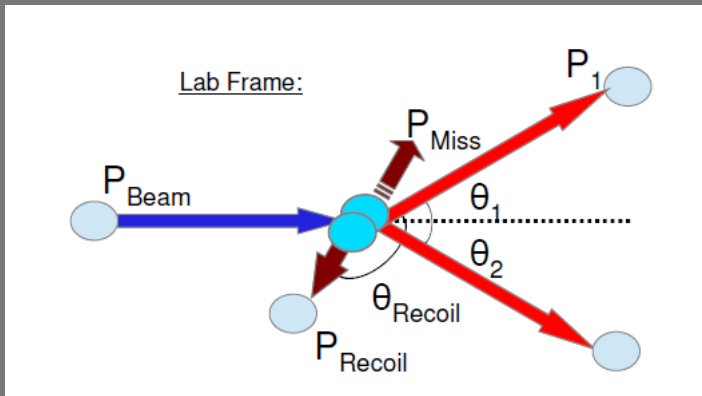
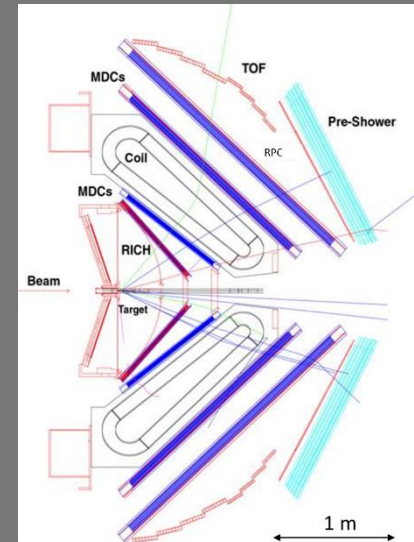
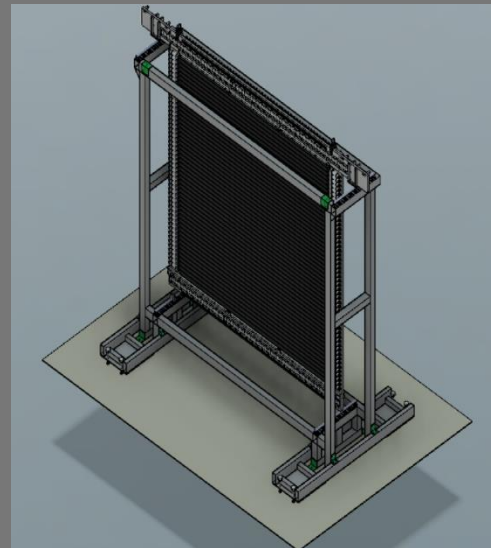
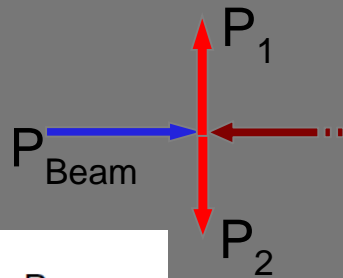


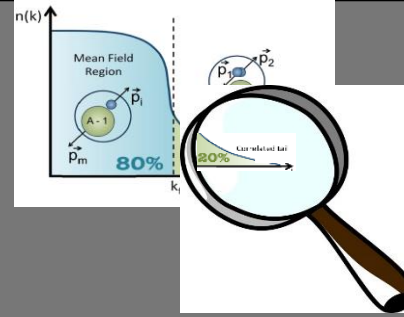
A new proton scattering experiment at GSI can yield

- Proton scattering enhances SRC cross section
- Use existing HADES, NeuLAND detectors
- Chance to look at 3-nucleon correlations

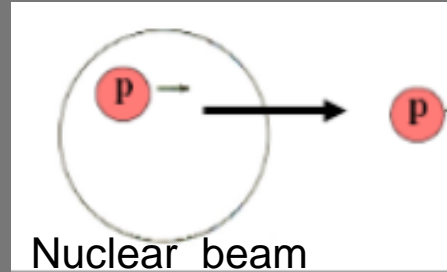
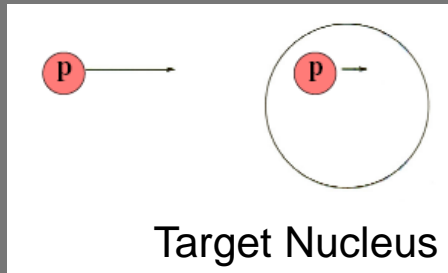


C.M. Frame :





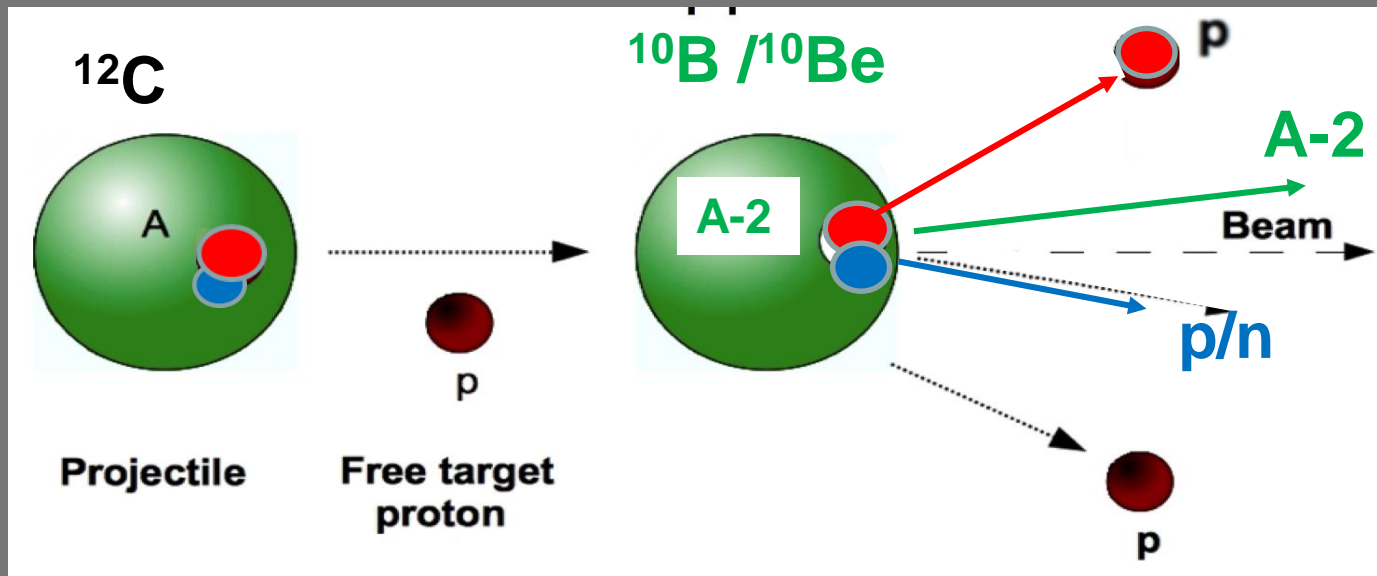
Inverse kinematics at Dubna



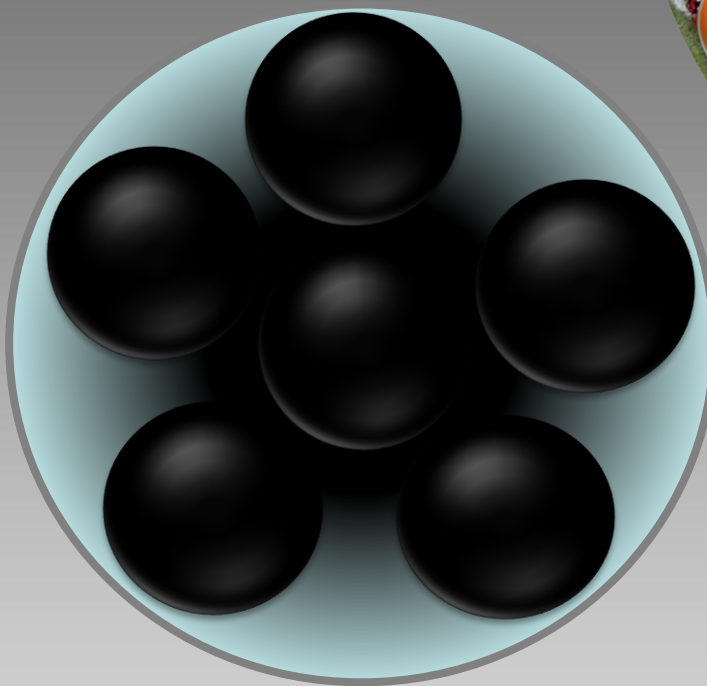
Same selective attention to SRC

A proposal for a BM@N experiment

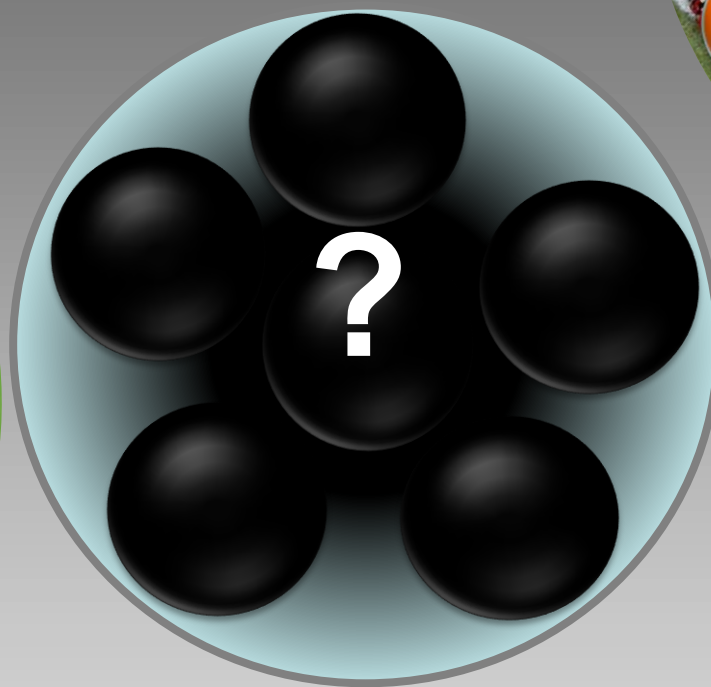
To study the NN Repulsive Core with Hard inverse kinematic reactions



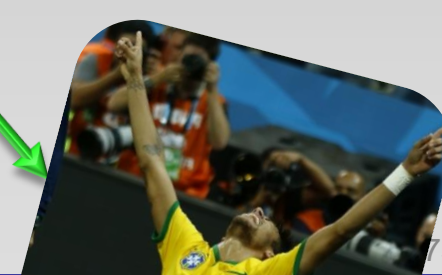
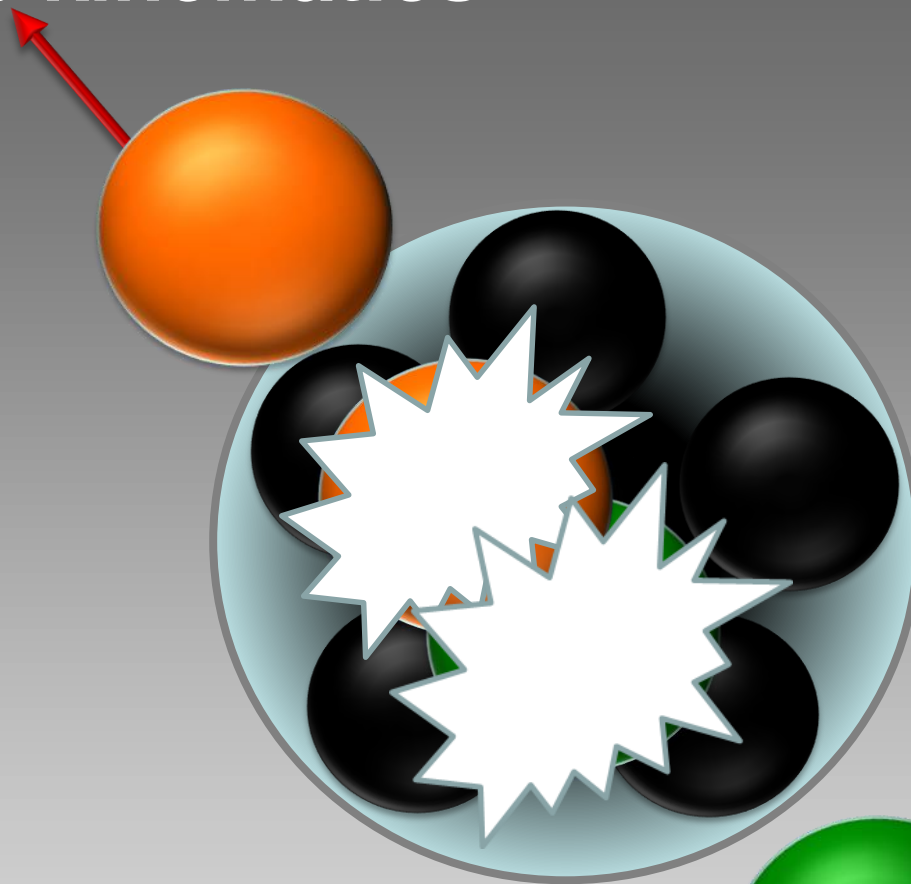
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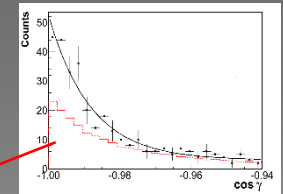
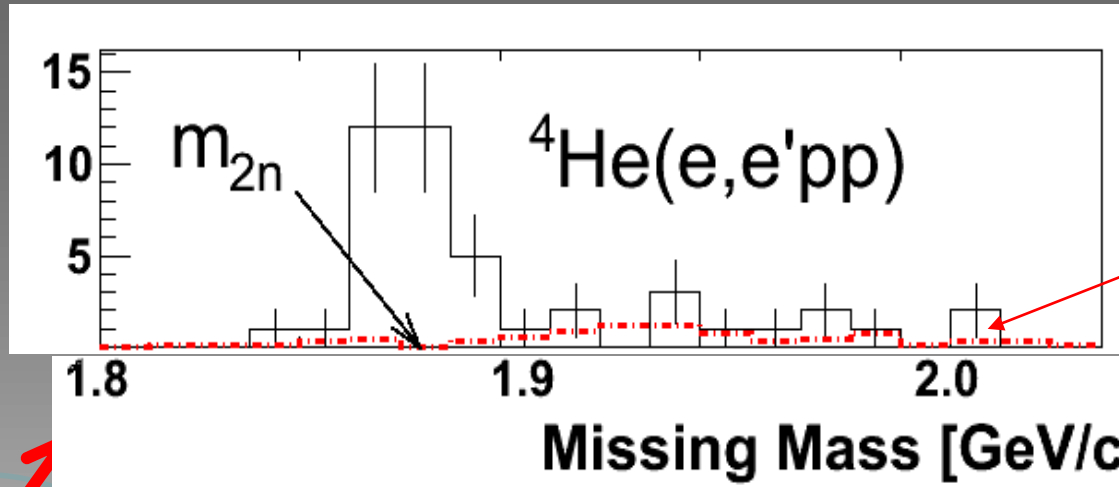
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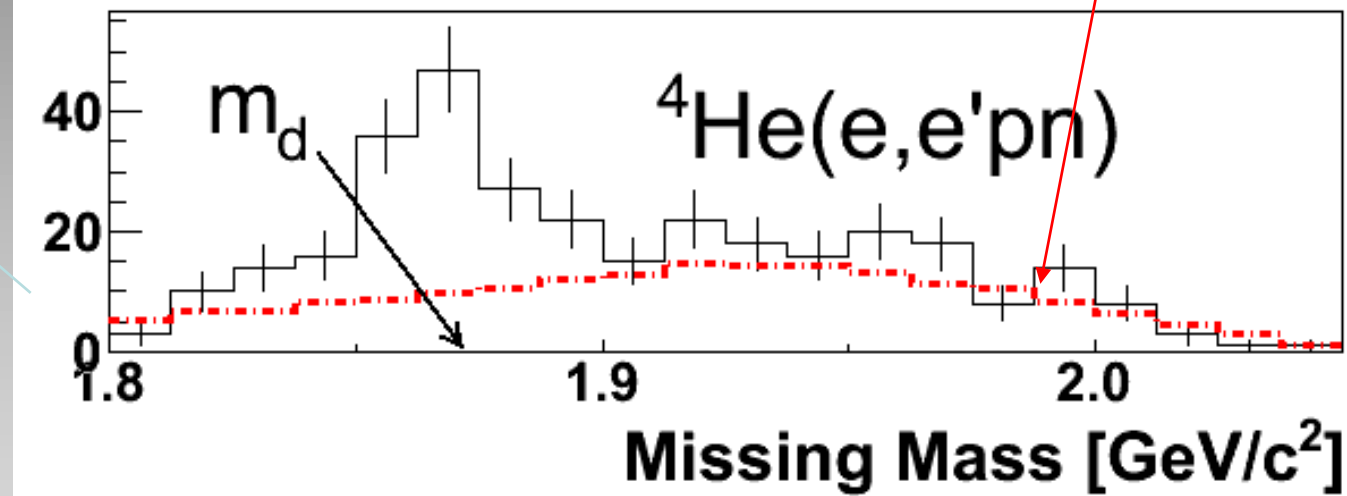
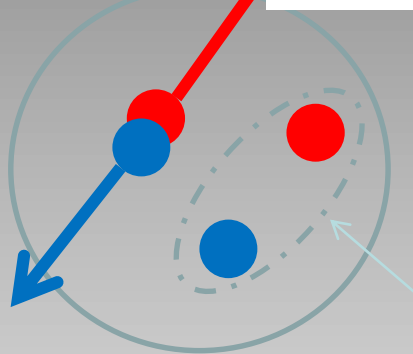


E07-006 (2011) ^4He (^{12}C)



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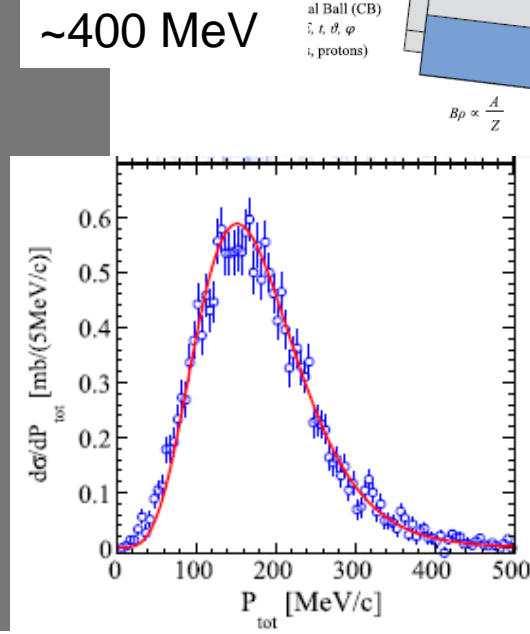
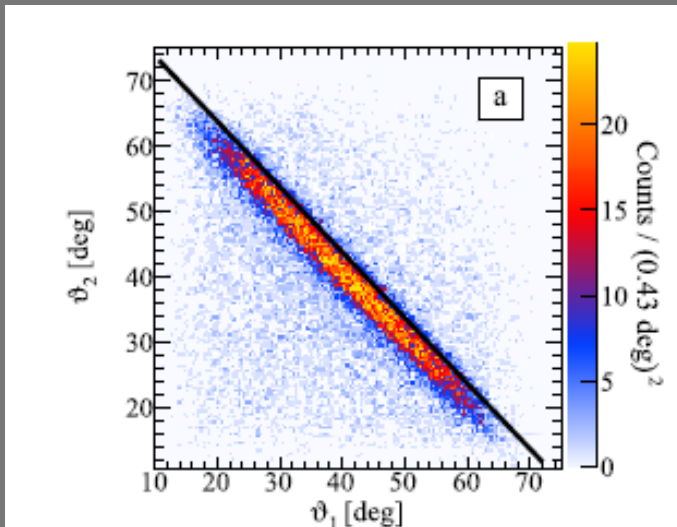
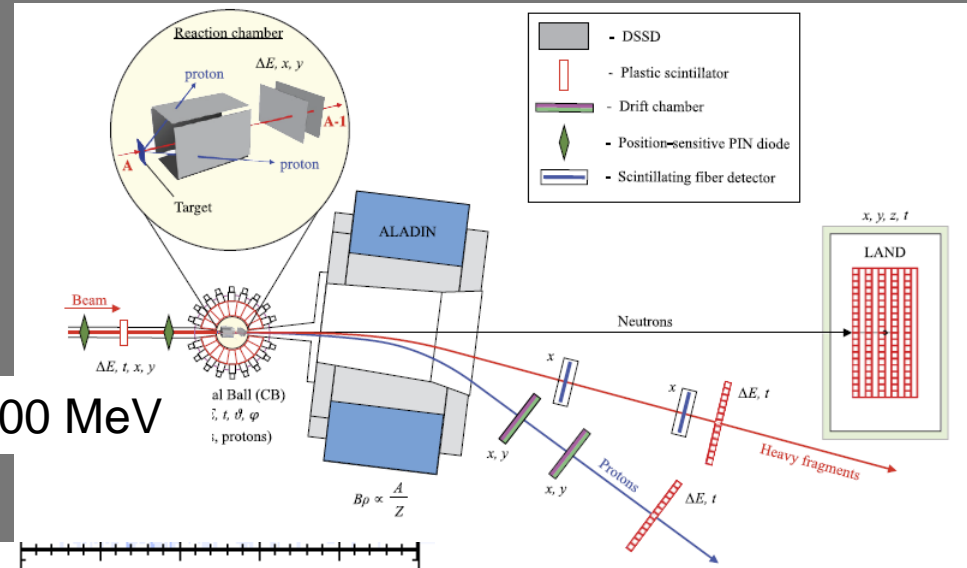
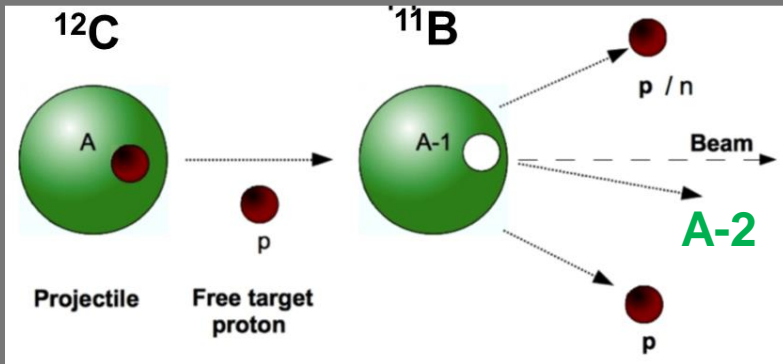


Jlab Hall A experiment

I. Korover et al. Phys. Rev.Let. 113, 022501 (2014).

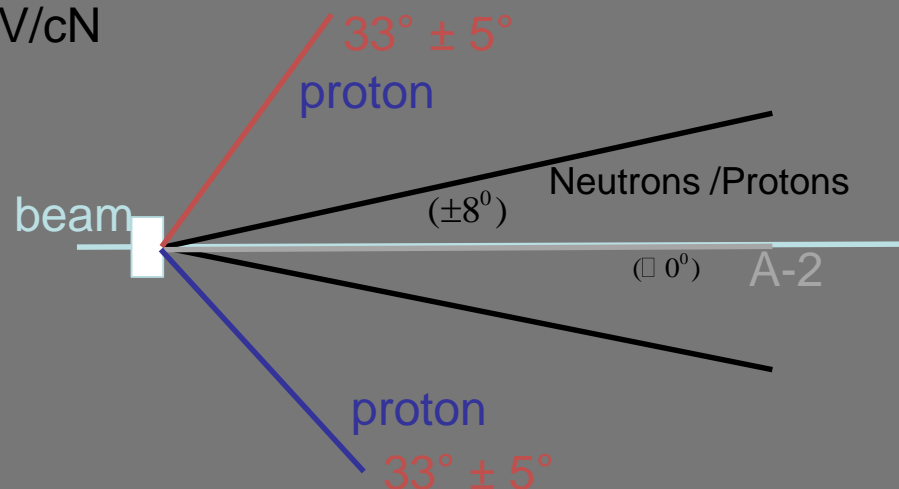
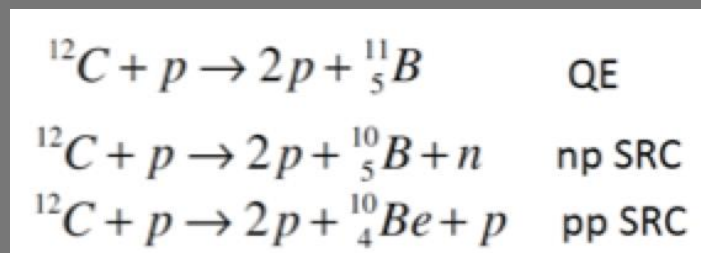
QE measurement with LAND/R3B@GSI

V. Panin et al. PLB 753 (2016) 204.



Energy limit at R3B around 1 GeV/nucleon due to maximum rigidity of Super-FRS of 20 Tm

Carbon beam with momentum of 4 GeV/cN



Get the ratios:

$$\frac{np - SRC}{pp - SRC}$$

$$\frac{\#({}^{10}_5\text{B} + n)}{\#({}^{10}_4\text{Be} + p)}$$

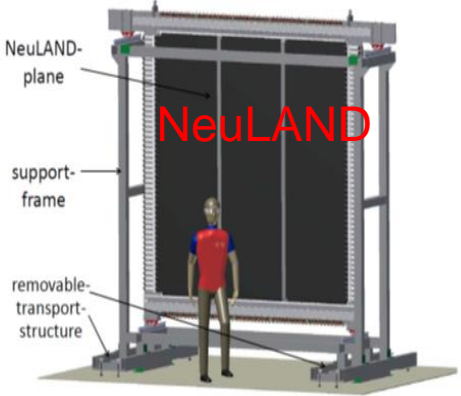
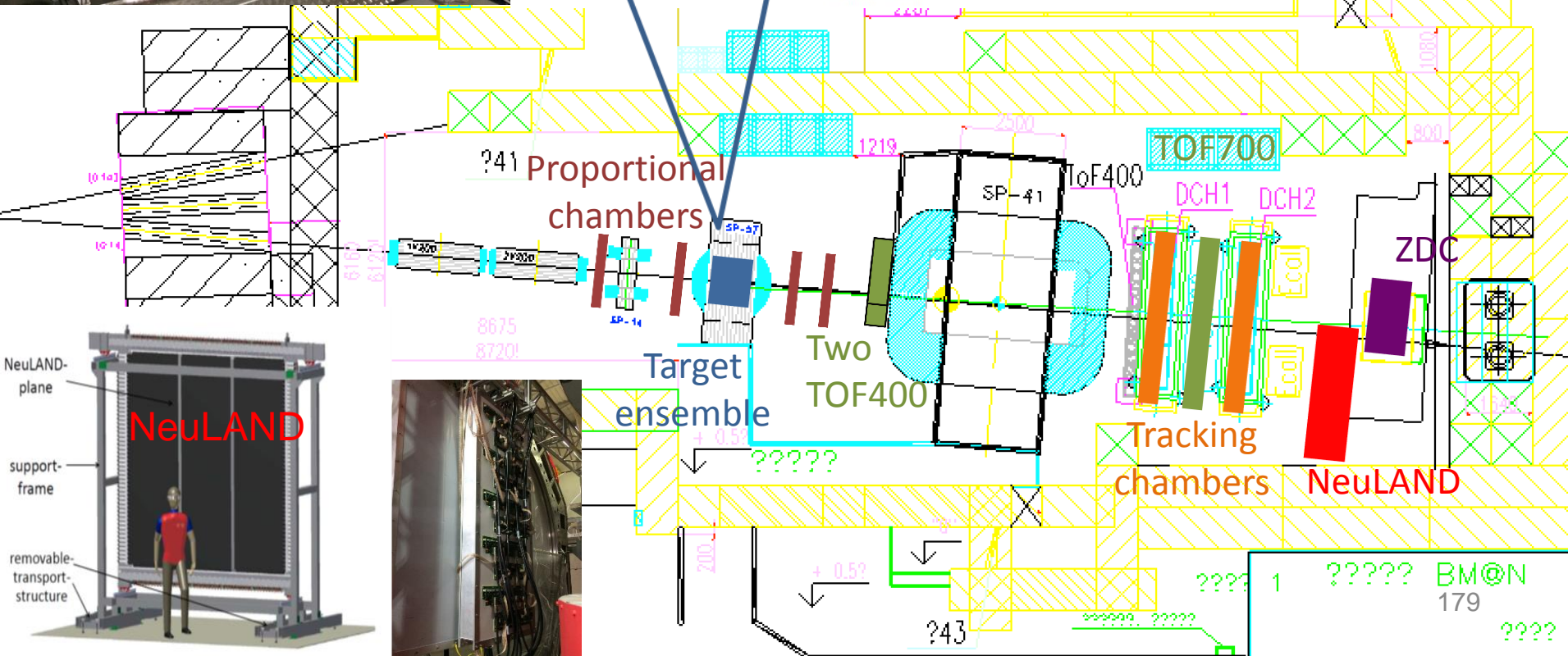
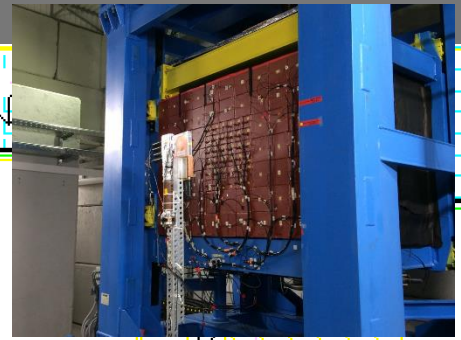
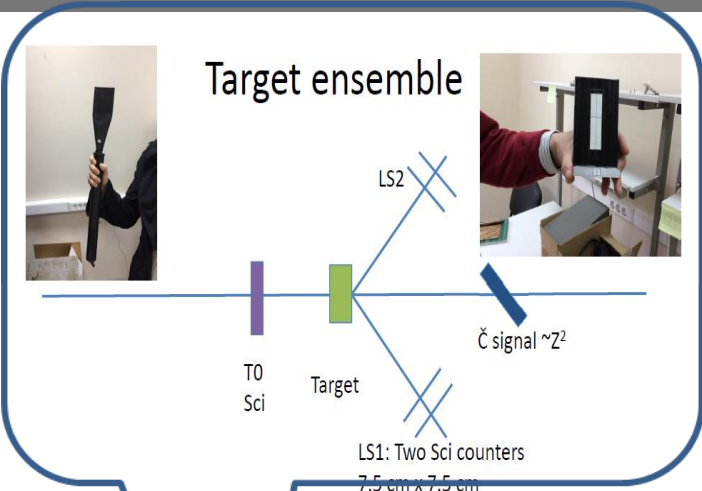
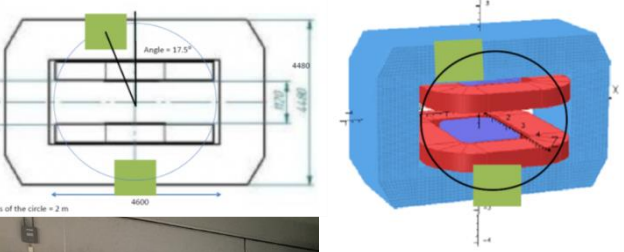
$$\frac{np - SRC}{p}$$

$$\frac{\#({}^{10}_5\text{B} + n)}{\#(p, 2p)}$$

$$\frac{pp - SRC}{p}$$

$$\frac{\#({}^{10}_4\text{Be} + p)}{\#(p, 2p)}$$

$$\frac{\#({}^{11}_5\text{B})}{\#(p, 2p)}$$



LH₂ Vs. CH₂

LH₂:

- Length: 15 cm
- Interaction probability: ~3%

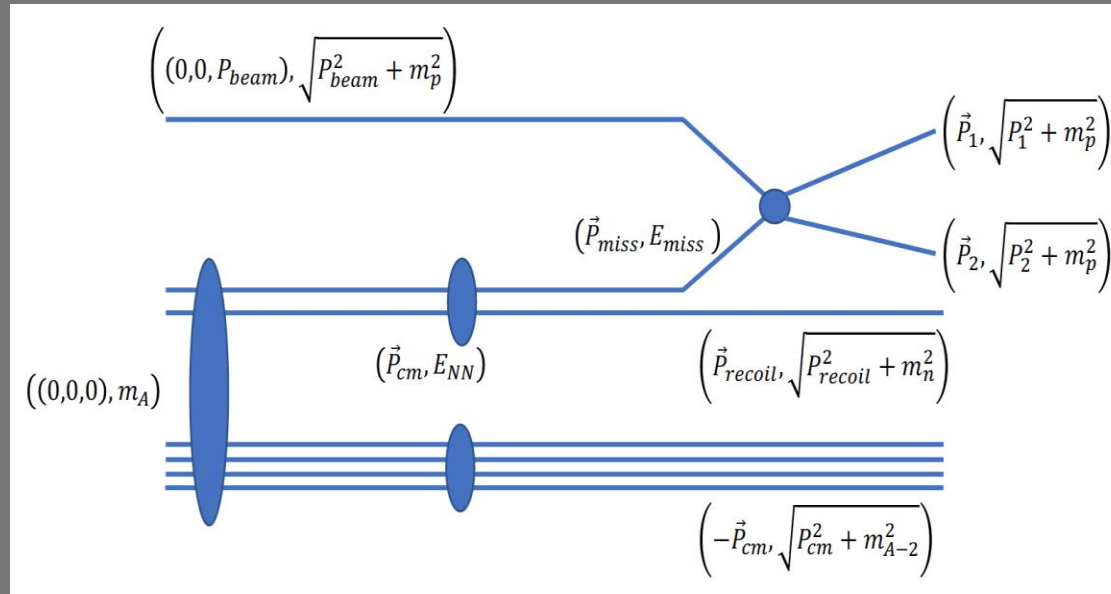
CH₂:

- Length: ~9 cm [equal hydrogen areal density]
- Interaction probability: ~10% [7% with C, 3% with H₂]

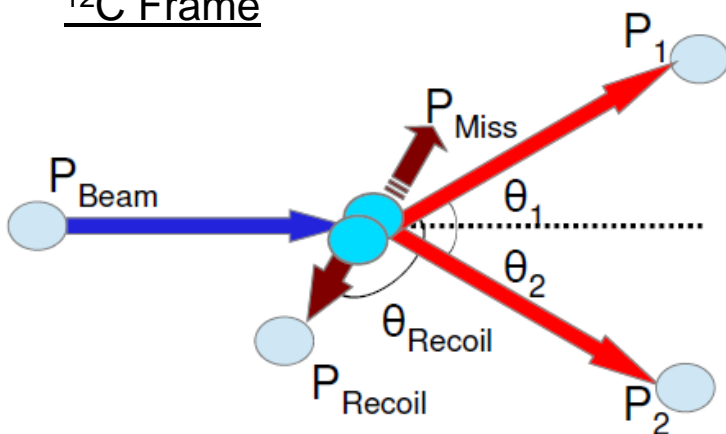
Other considerations:

- CH₂ has increased BG from C-C interactions.
- CH₂ requires extra time for C subtraction.
- CH₂ maintenance free.
- LH₂ requires safety approval for used in BM@N area.

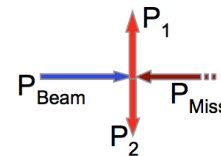
simulation



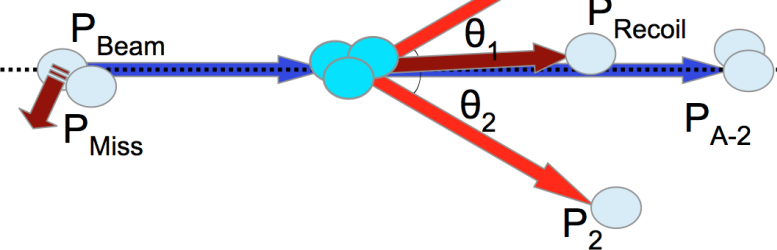
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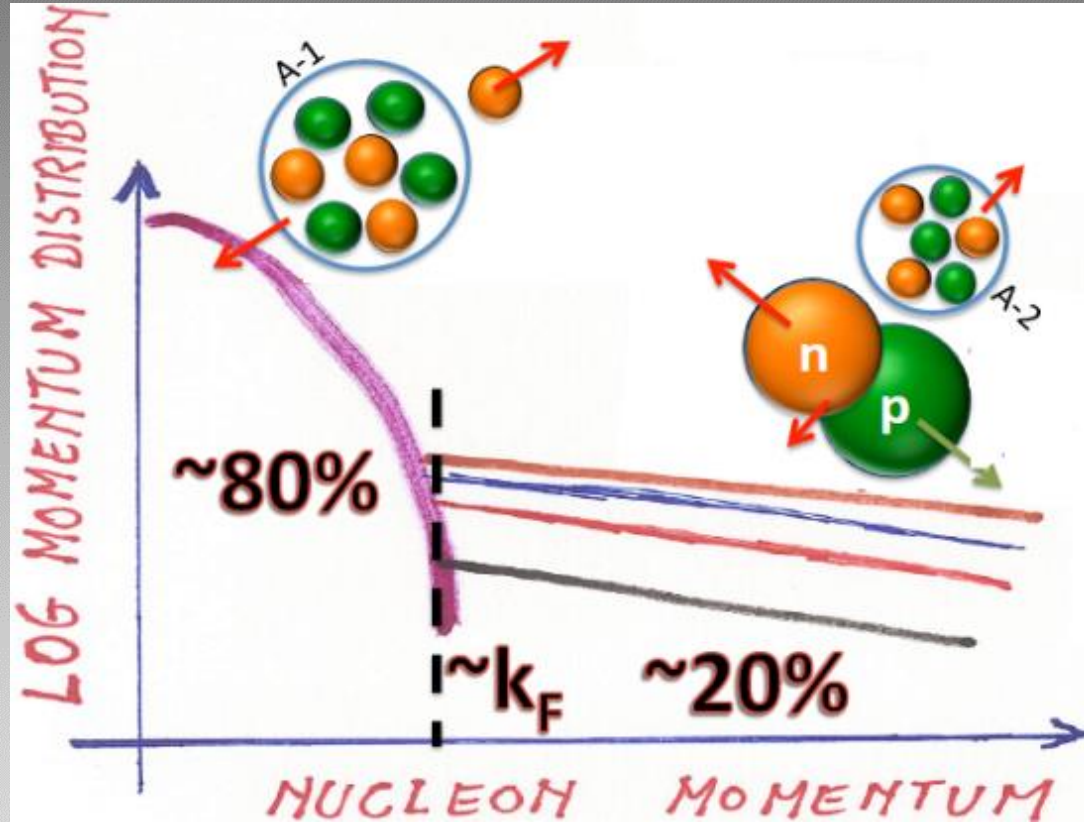


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Lab Frame:





$$\psi_{2N}^{SRC}(\vec{k}_{rel}, \vec{K}_{c.m.}) \rightarrow \sum_{\alpha} \varphi_{2N}(\vec{k}_{rel}) \cdot A_{2N}(\vec{K}_{c.m.}, \{k_{\alpha}\}_{\alpha \neq 2N})$$

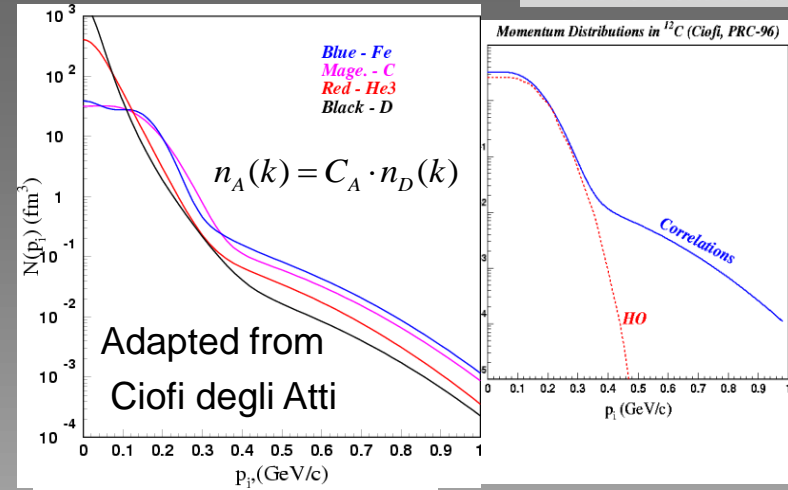
(Factorization) [R. Weiss et al. arXiv:1612.00923]

In this work we will consider only the main channels contributing to SRCs, namely, the pn deuteron channel ($\ell = 0, 2$ and $s = 1$ coupled to $j = 1$) and the singlet pp , pn , and nn s -wave channel ($\ell = s = j = 0$). Using Eq. (2), asymptotic expressions for the one- and two-body momentum densities can be derived [38]:

$$n_p(\mathbf{k}) = 2C_{pp}^{s=0} |\tilde{\varphi}_{pp}^{s=0}(\mathbf{k})|^2 + C_{pn}^{s=0} |\tilde{\varphi}_{pn}^{s=0}(\mathbf{k})|^2 + C_{pn}^{s=1} |\tilde{\varphi}_{pn}^{s=1}(\mathbf{k})|^2 \quad (3)$$

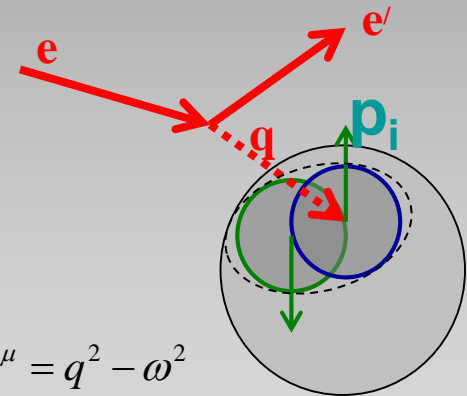
The inclusive $A(e,e')$ measurements

- At high nucleon momentum distributions are **similar** in shape for light and heavy nuclei: **SCALING**.
- Can be explained by 2N-SRC dominance.
- Within the 2N-SRC dominance picture one can get the probability of 2N-SRC in any nucleus, from the scaling factor.



In $A(e,e')$ the momentum of the struck proton (p_i) is unknown.

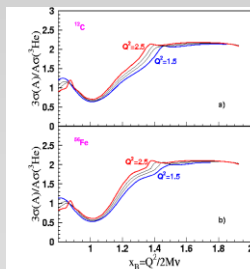
But: For fixed high Q^2 and $x_B > 1$, x_B determines a minimum p_i



$$Q^2 = -q_\mu q^\mu = q^2 - \omega^2$$

$$\omega = E' - E$$

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



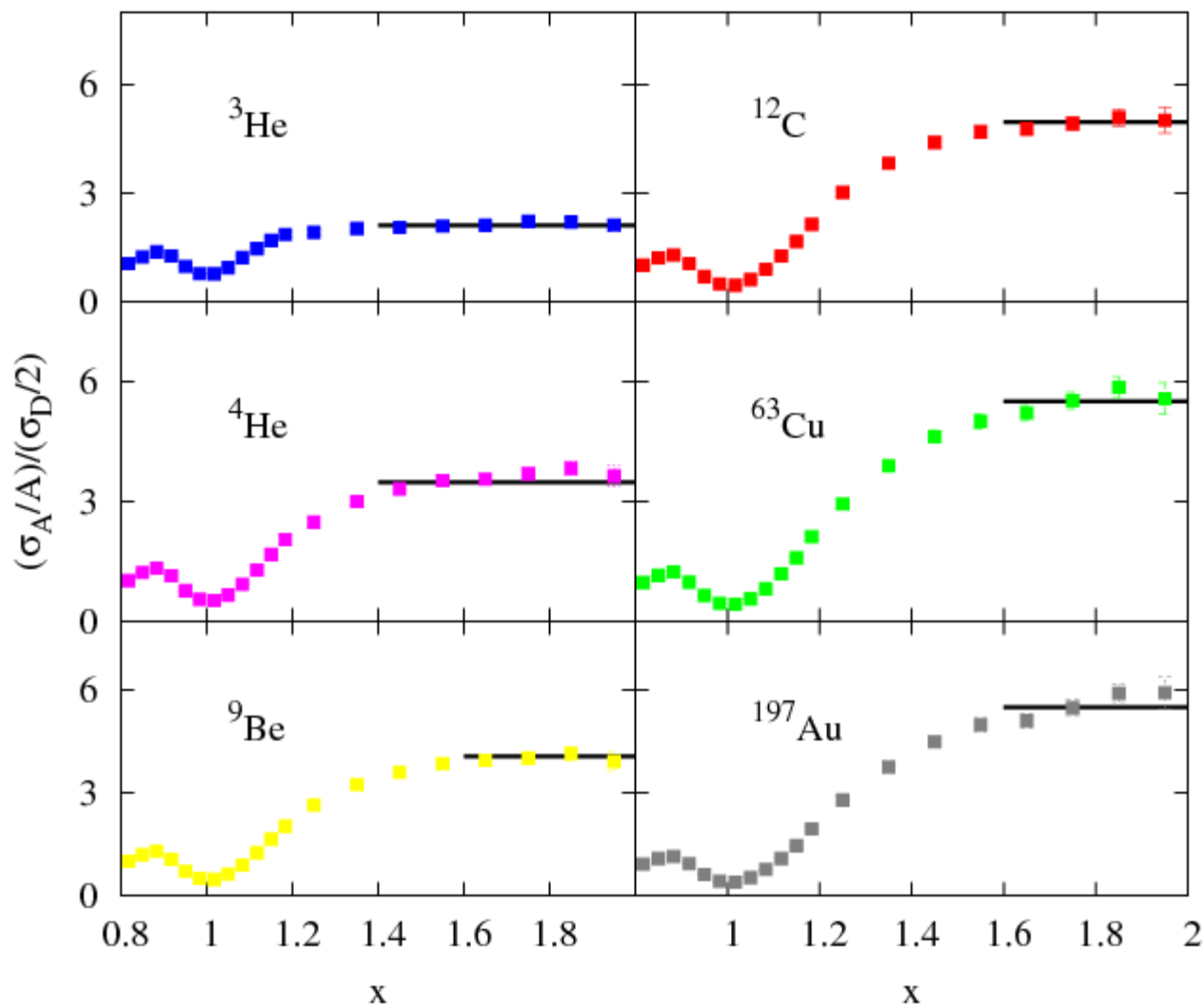
Prediction by Frankfurt, Sargsian, and Strikman:

Results from JLab Hall C (E02-019)

N. Fomin et al. Phys. Rev. Lett. 108:092502, 2012.

$$Q^2 = 2.5 \text{ GeV}^2$$

$$a_{2N}(A/d)$$



	Fomin <i>et al.</i> [5]	Fomin <i>et al.</i> [excluding the CM motion correction]
Column	5	6
^3He	1.93 ± 0.10	2.13 ± 0.04
^4He	3.02 ± 0.17	3.60 ± 0.09
^9Be	3.37 ± 0.17	3.91 ± 0.12
^{12}C	4.00 ± 0.24	4.75 ± 0.16
$^{56}\text{Fe}^{(6)}$	4.33 ± 0.28	5.21 ± 0.19
^{197}Au	4.26 ± 0.29	5.16 ± 0.21

More $r(A,d)$ data:

SLAC D. Day et al. PRL 59,427(1987)

Jlab /Hall B: K. Sh. Egiyan et al. PRC 68, 014313 (2003)

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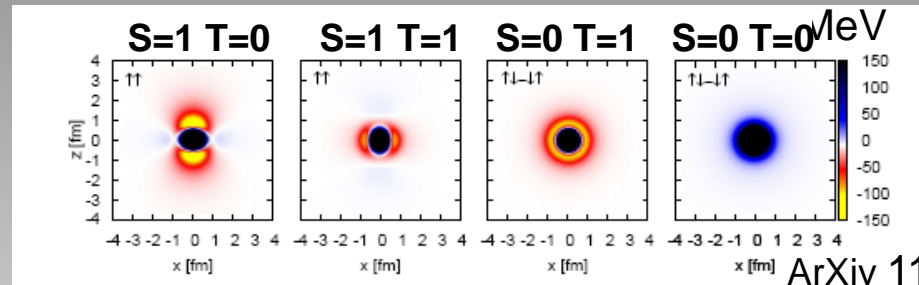
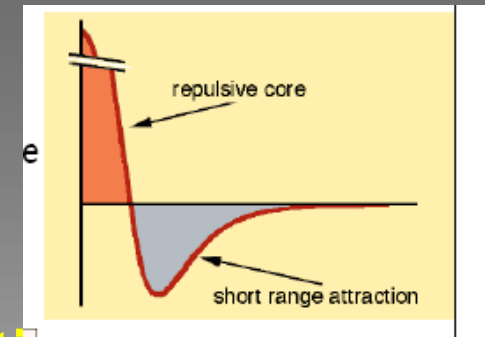
complicated nucleon-nucleon interaction

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(common to many other systems)

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Argonne V8 potential

Large density of the nucleus =>

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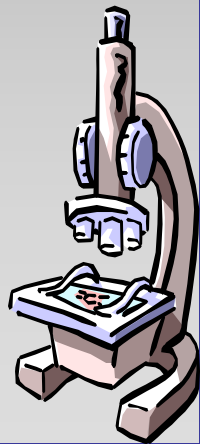
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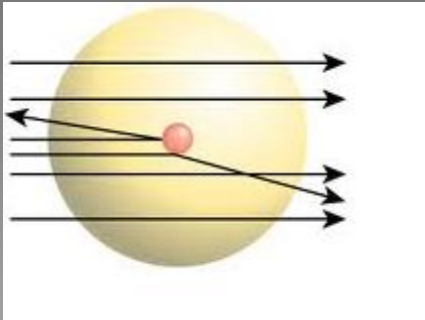
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(Nuclear Science: A Long Range Plan, The DOE/NSF Nuclear Science Advisory Committee, Feb. 1996 [1].)

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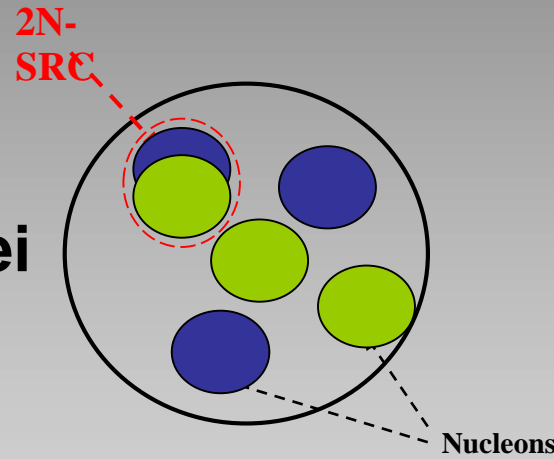


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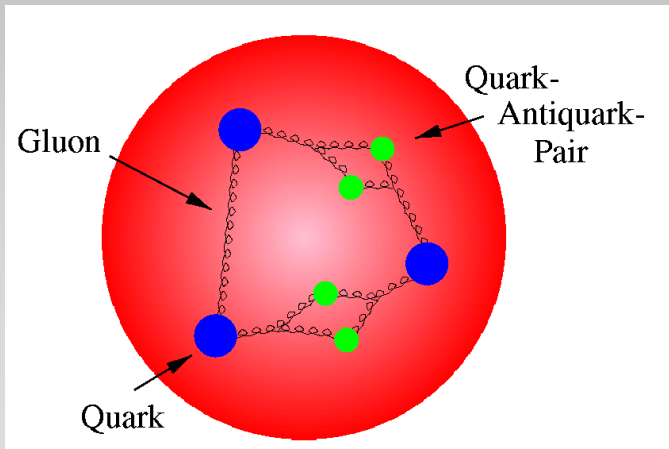
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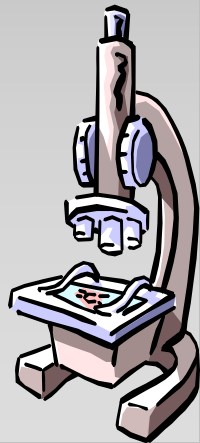


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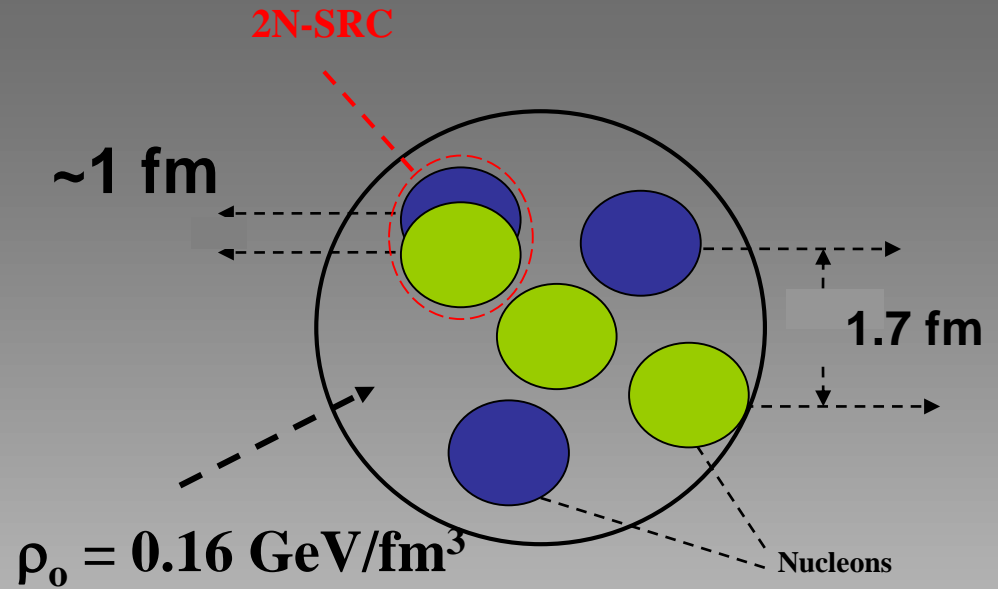
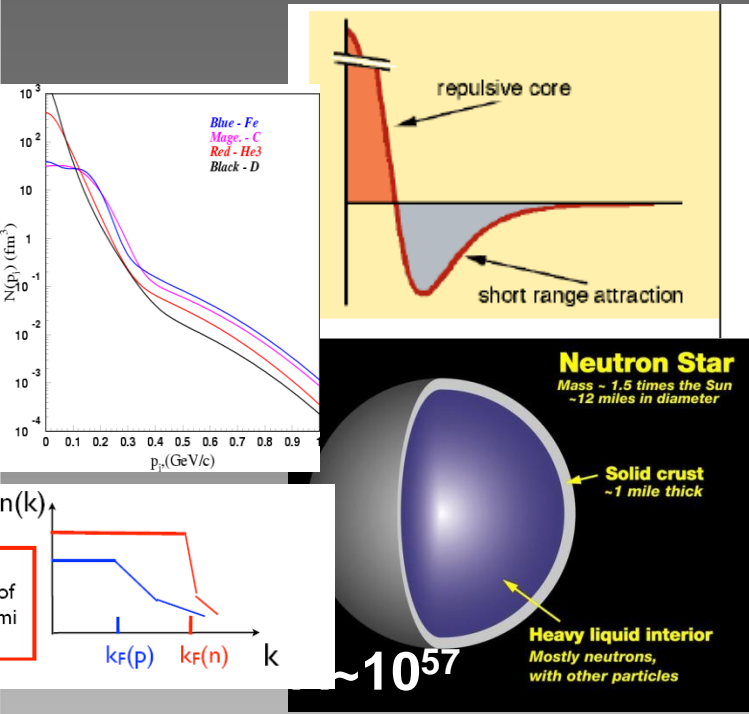
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**partonic structure
of hadrons**

Fluctons



Short /intermediate Range Correlations in nuclei



What SRC in nuclei can tell us about:

- ➡ **High – Momentum Component of the Nuclear Wave Function.**
- ➡ **The Strong Short-Range Force Between Nucleons.**
tensor force, repulsive core, 3N forces
- ➡ **Cold-Dense Nuclear Matter (from deuteron to neutron-stars).**
- ➡ **Nucleon structure modification in the medium ?**
EMC and SRC

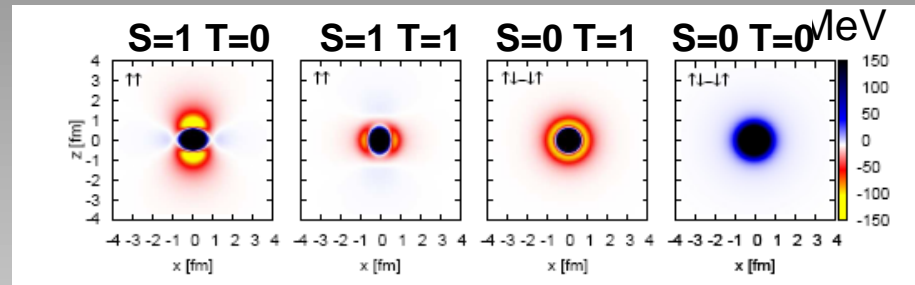
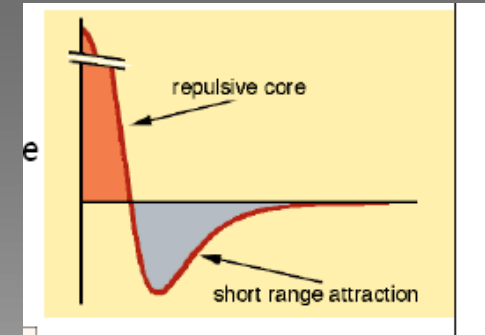
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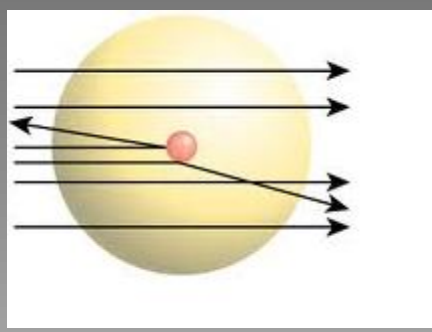
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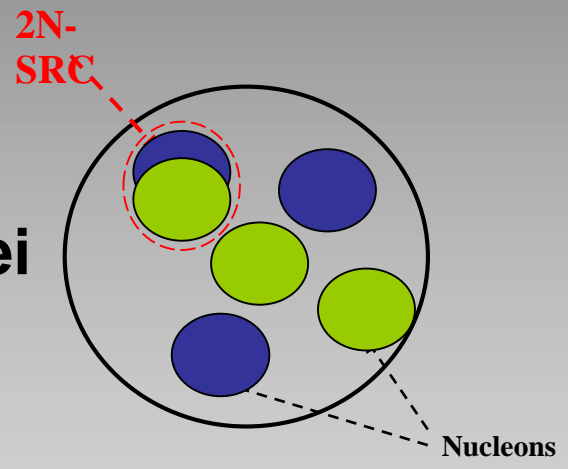


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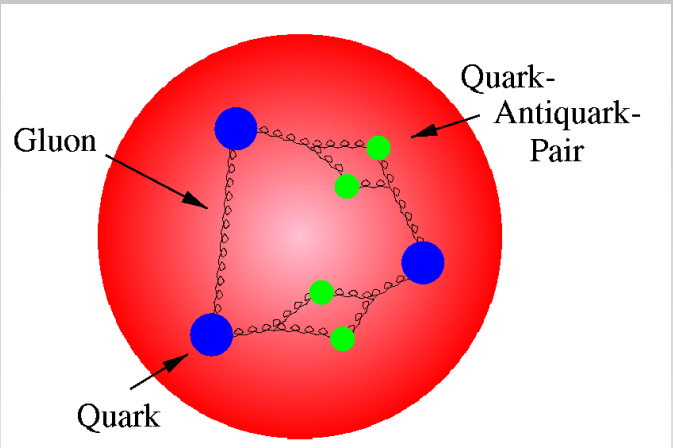
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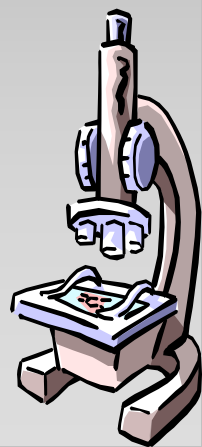


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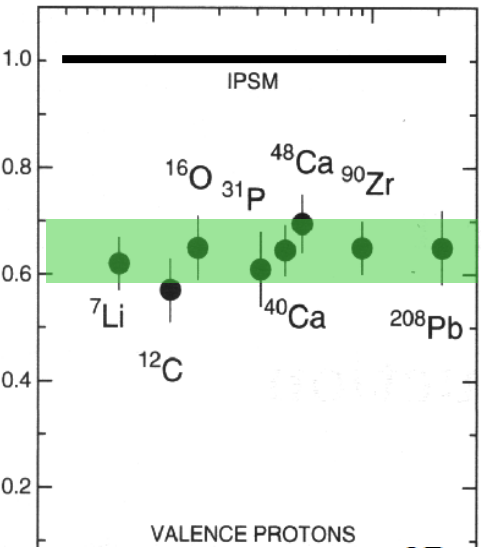
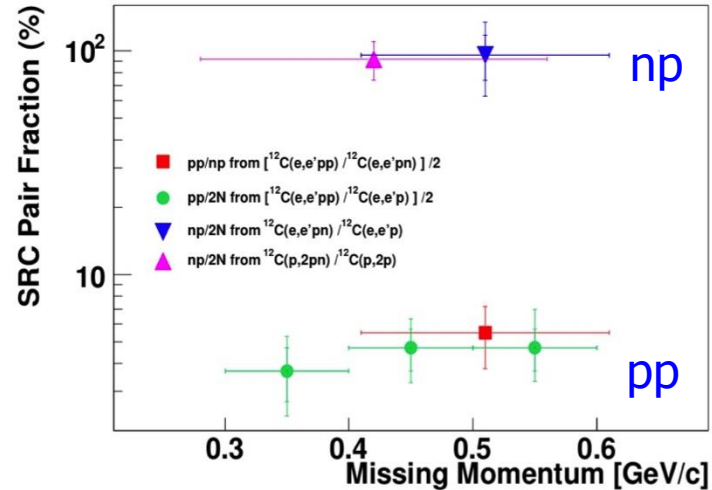
**partonic structure
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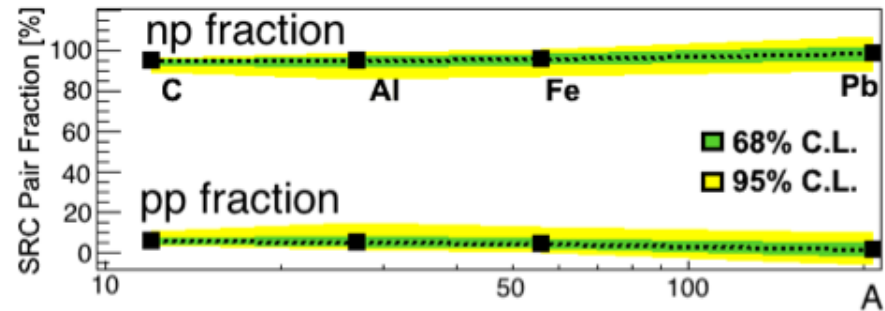
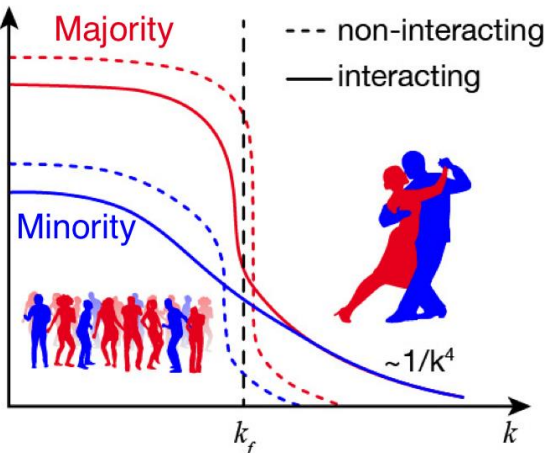
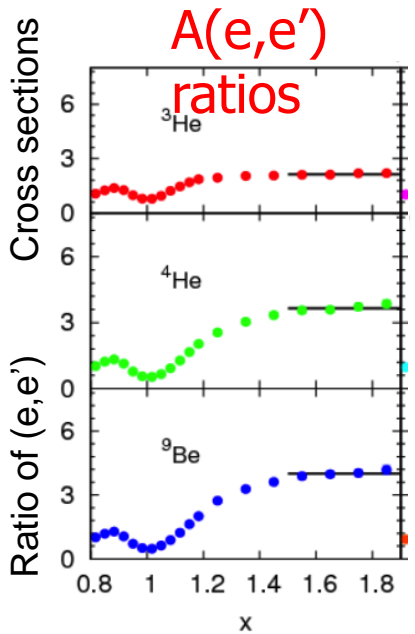
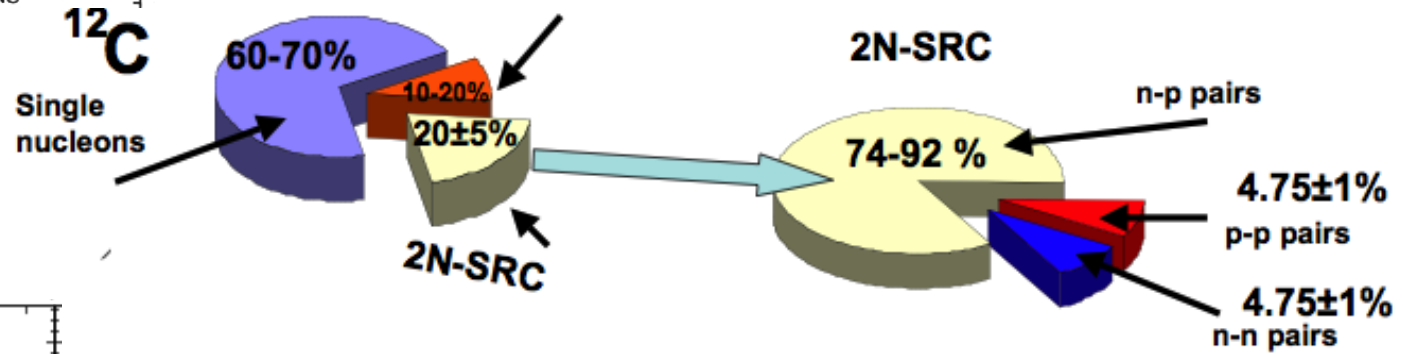


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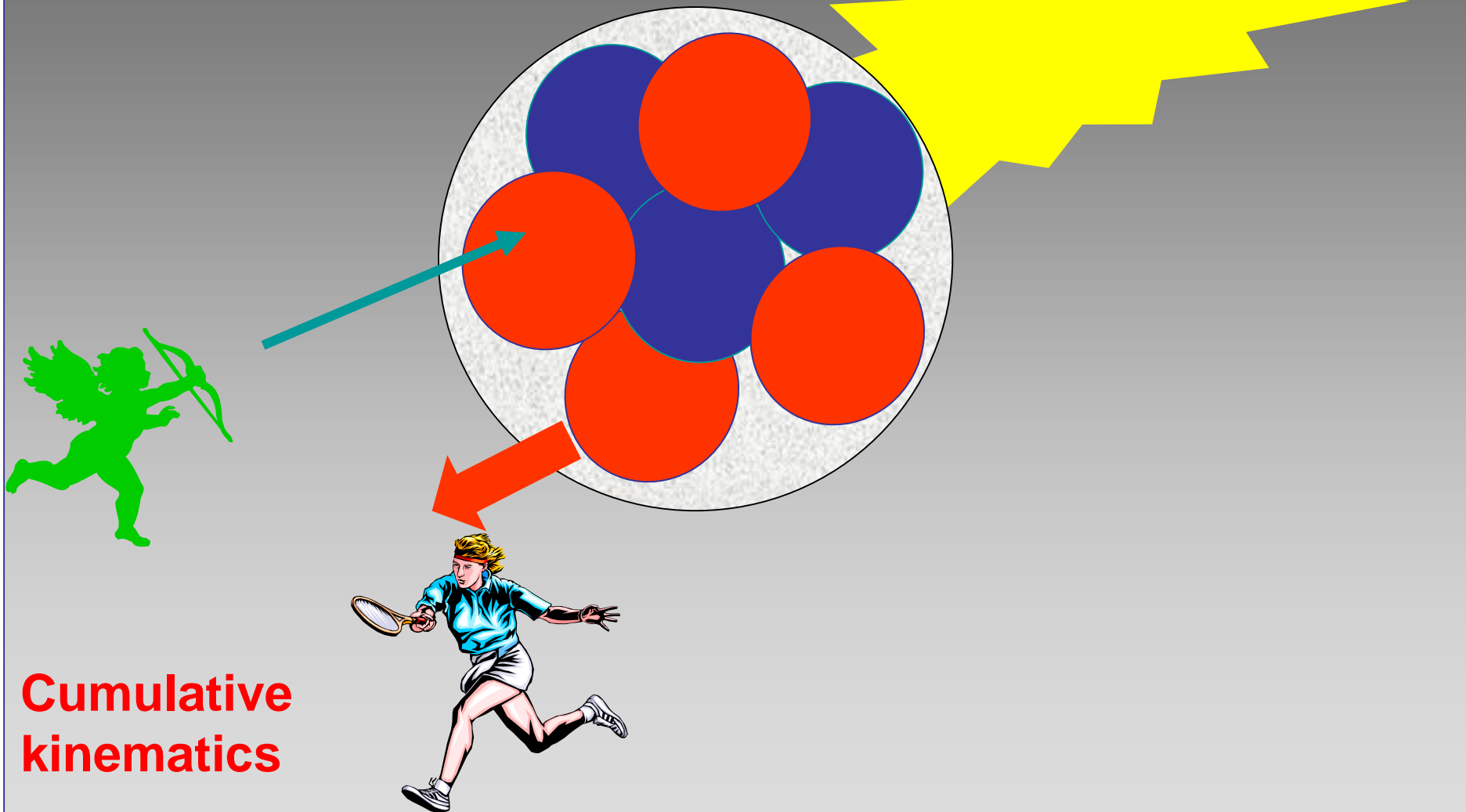


Long range
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correlations



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• ~90% tensor correlated np pairs¹⁹⁴

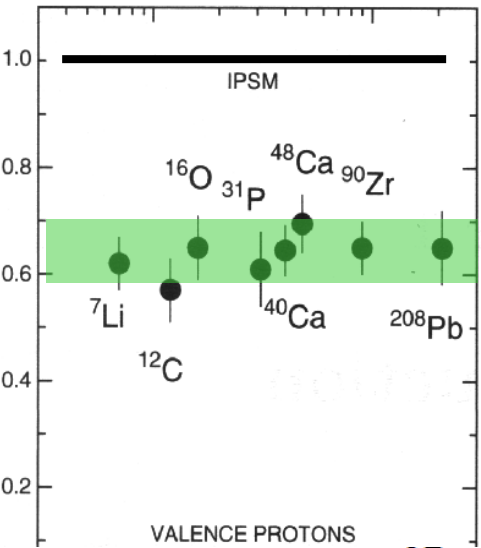
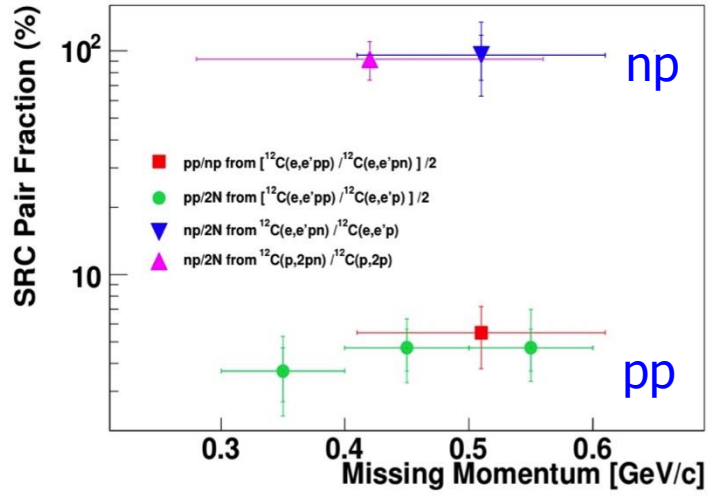
The story of studying cold dense nuclear matter using high energy probes **started here** (70s) with the measurements of Fast Backward Production at JINR and ITEP Moscow (p, π) and YerPhi (photons).



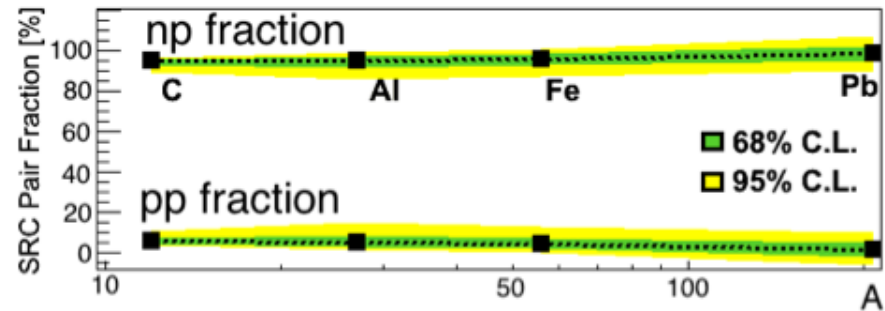
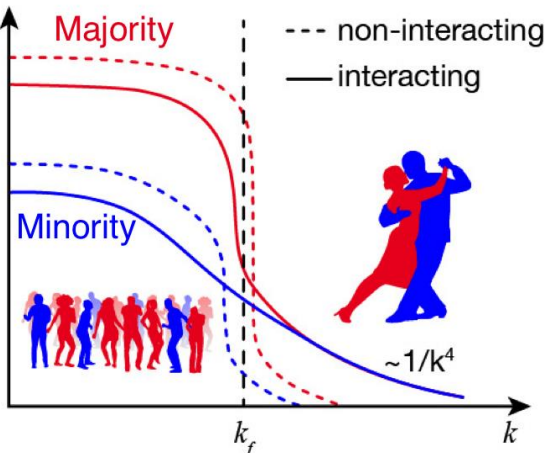
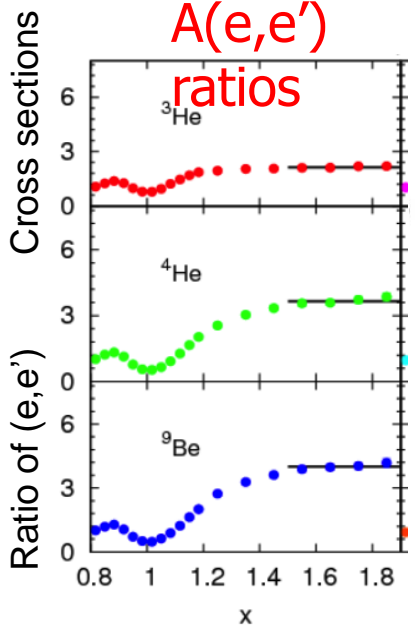
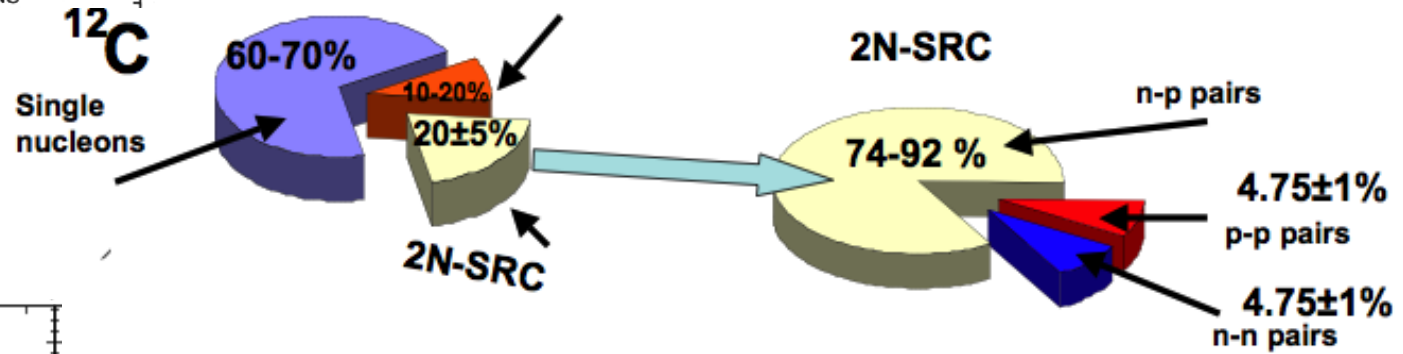
**Cumulative
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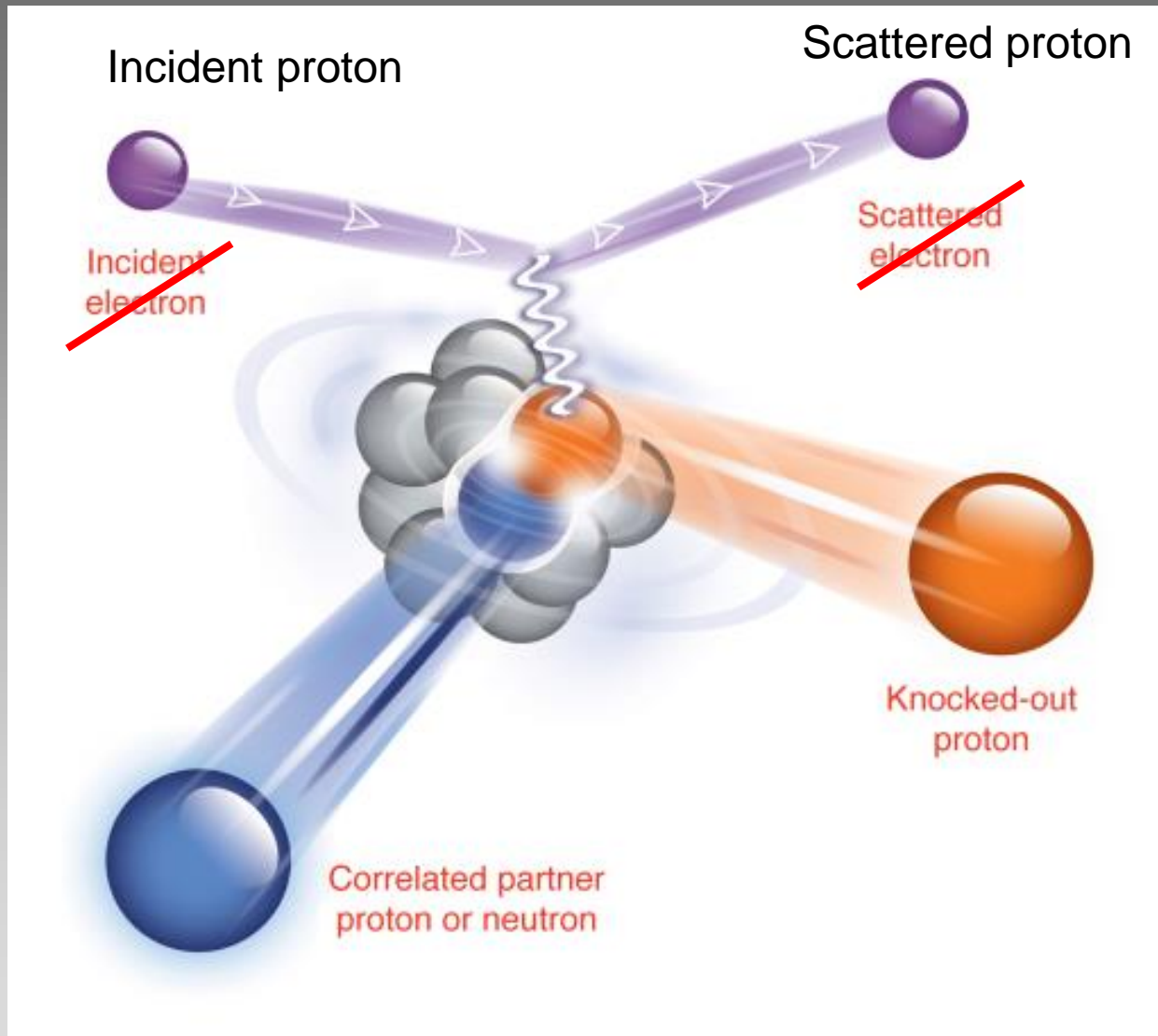


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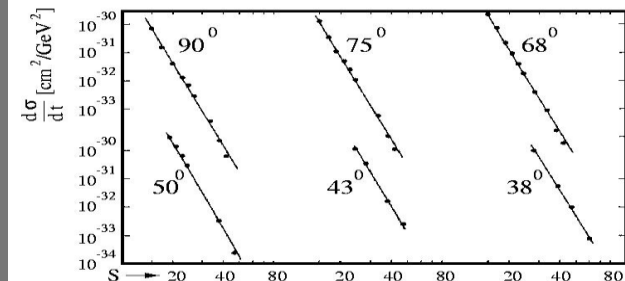
Psychology Wiki

Selective attention. A type of [attention](#) which involves focusing on a specific aspect of a scene while ignoring other aspects.

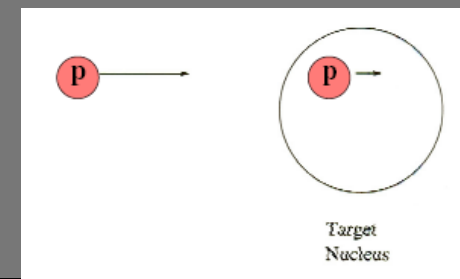
p p → pp elastic scattering
near 90° c.m

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dt} \propto s^{-10}$$

Constituent Counting Rules



QE pp scattering have a very strong preference for reacting with forward going high momentum nuclear protons



Other reasons Why several GeV and up protons are good probes of SRC ?



They have Small deBroglie wavelength:

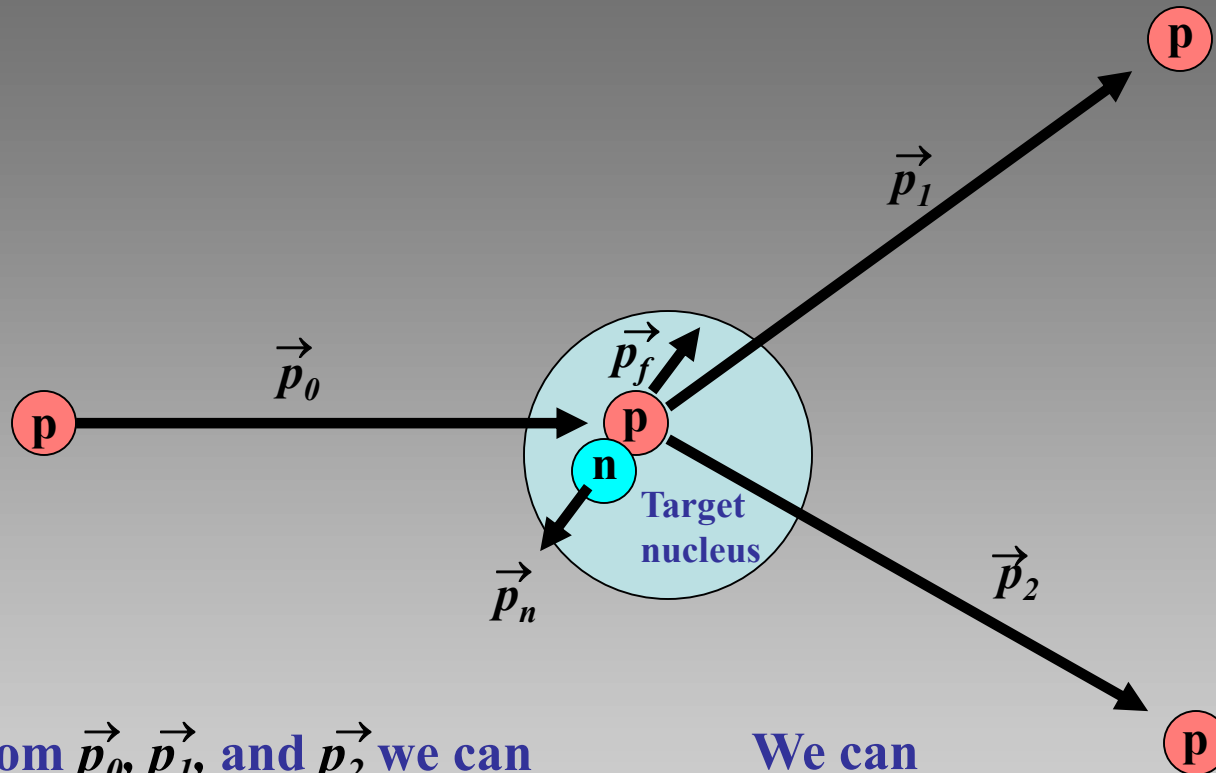
$$\lambda = h/p = hc/pc = 2\pi \cdot 0.197 \text{ GeV}\cdot\text{fm}/(6 \text{ GeV}) \approx 0.2 \text{ fm.}$$



**Large momentum transfer is possible
with wide angle scattering**



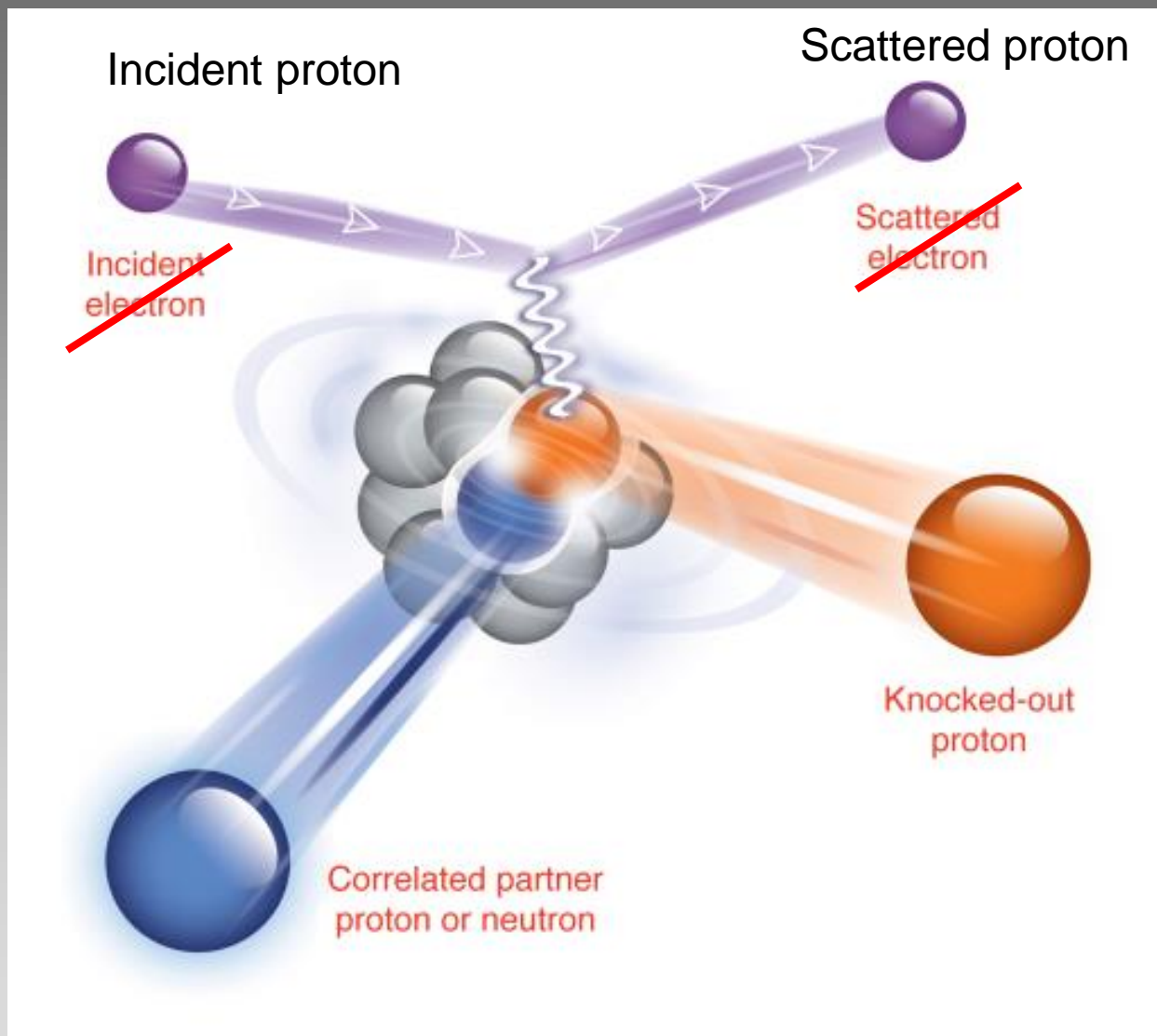
Cross section is large



From \vec{p}_0 , \vec{p}_1 , and \vec{p}_2 we can deduce, event-by-event what \vec{p}_f and the binding energy of each knocked-out proton is.

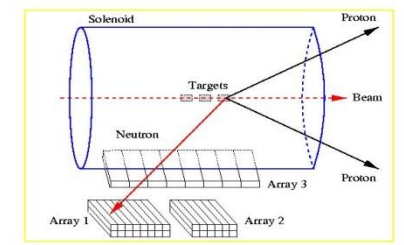
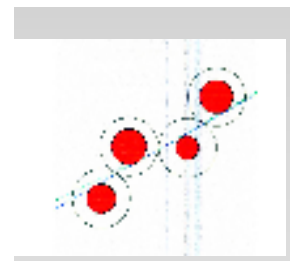
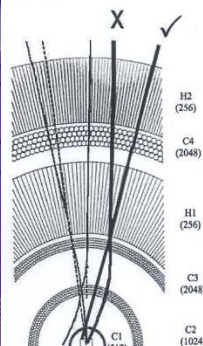
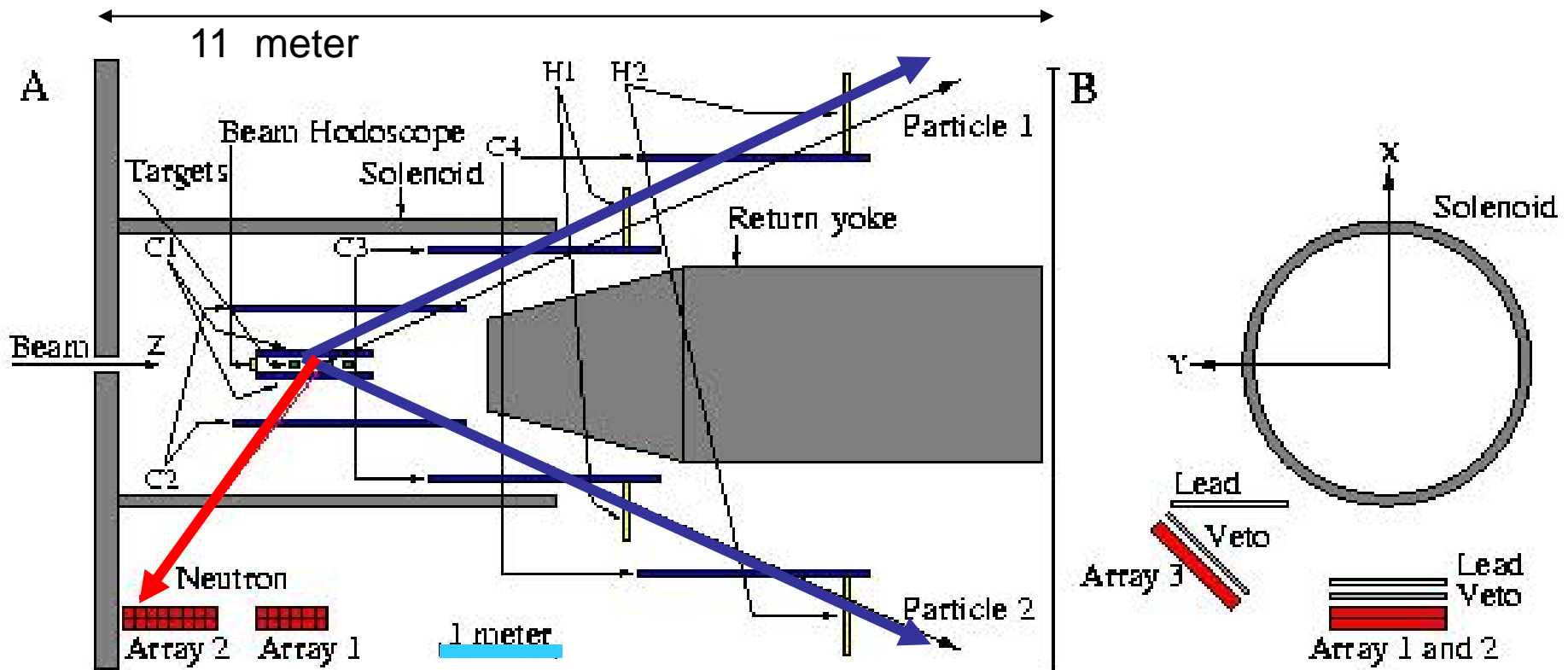
We can then compare \vec{p}_n with \vec{p}_f and see if they are roughly “back to back.”

First Triple coincidence ^{12}C (p, p p n) measurements at EVA / BNL



Complementary to JLab study with electrons

The EVA spectrometer and the n-counters at BNL

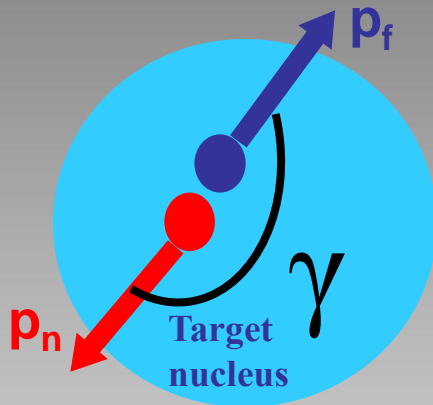


Array 1: total area $0.6 \times 1.0 \text{ m}^2$, 12 counters, 2 layers 0.125 m

Triple coincidence $^{12}\text{C}(p, p pn)$ measurements at EVA / BNL

A. Tang et al. Phys. Rev. Lett. 90 ,042301 (2003)

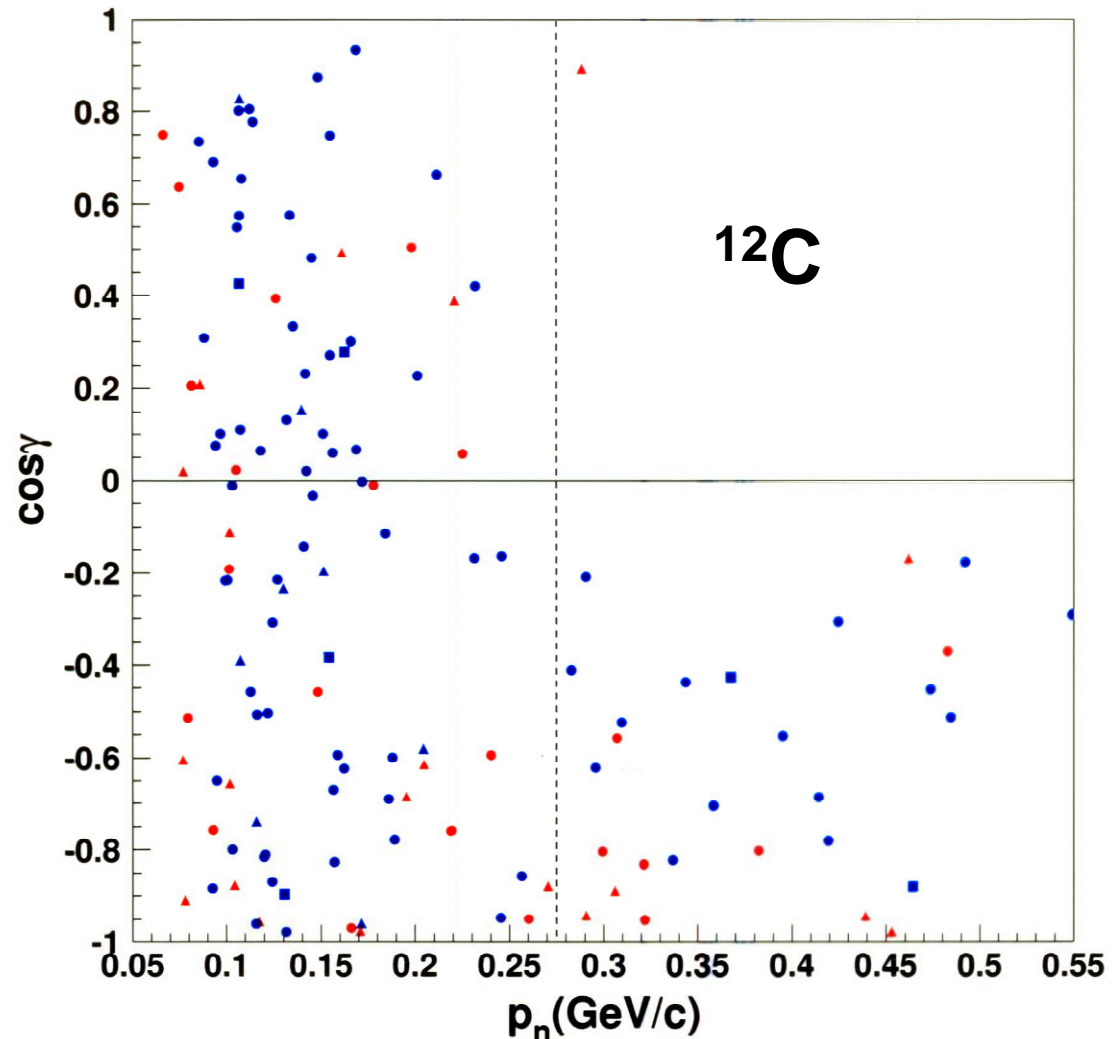
Directional correlation



p_0 – incident proton

p_1 and p_2 are detected

$$\vec{p}_f = \vec{p}_1 + \vec{p}_2 - \vec{p}_0$$



Triple coincidence $^{12}\text{C}(p, p pn)$ measurements at EVA / BNL

Piassetzky, Sargsian, Frankfurt, Strikman, Watson PRL 162504(2006).

Removal of a proton with momentum **above 275 MeV/c** from ^{12}C is **$92 \pm 8_{18} \%$** accompanied by the emission of a neutron with momentum equal and opposite to the missing momentum.

- * 2N-SRC dominance
(74-100% are partners in 2N-SRC).
- * np-SRC dominance:

count rate was only ~1 per week

Only 18 $^{12}\text{C}(p, 2p+n)$ events with $p_n > k_F$

Did not observe pp-SRC. Upper limit of 13% for pp-SRC contribution to protons with momentum above 275 MeV/c in ^{12}C .

The Relative and c.m. Motion of Correlated n-p Pairs:

$$p_z^{cm} = 2m\left(1 - \frac{\alpha_p + \alpha_n}{2}\right),$$

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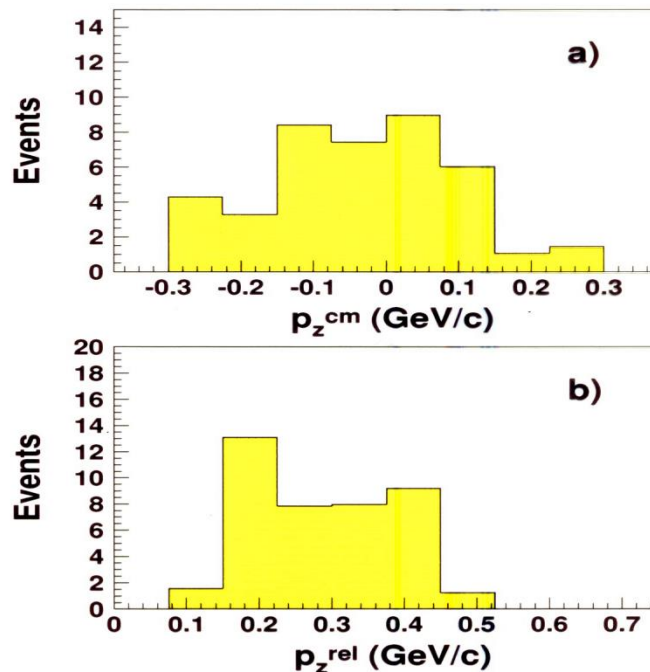


Figure 23: Plots of (a) p_z^{cm} and (b) p_z^{rel} for correlated n-p pairs in ^{12}C , for $^{12}\text{C}(p,2p+n)$ events. Each event has been “s-weighted”.

$^{12}\text{C}(p,2pn)$ at BNL

$$\sigma_{CM} = 0.143 \pm 0.017 \text{ GeV/c}$$

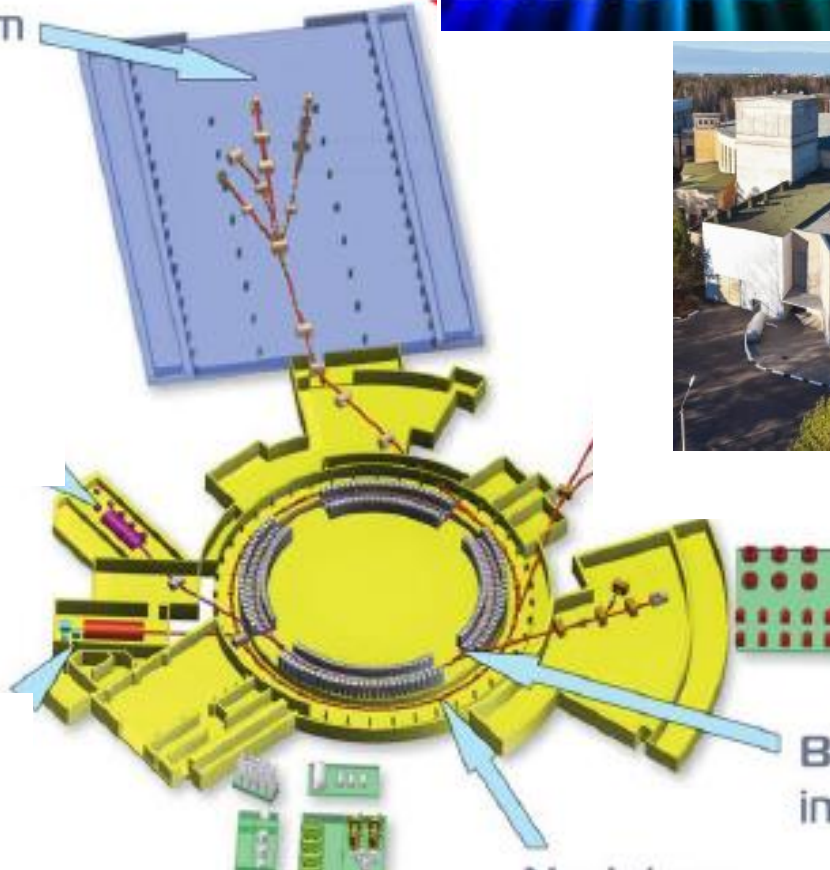
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Theoretical prediction (Ciofi and Simula):
 $\sigma_{CM} = 0.139 \text{ GeV/c}$ PRC 53 (1996) 1689.

Study of SRC at JINR

Fixed target experiments
area (b.205)

Extracted beams from
Nuclotron

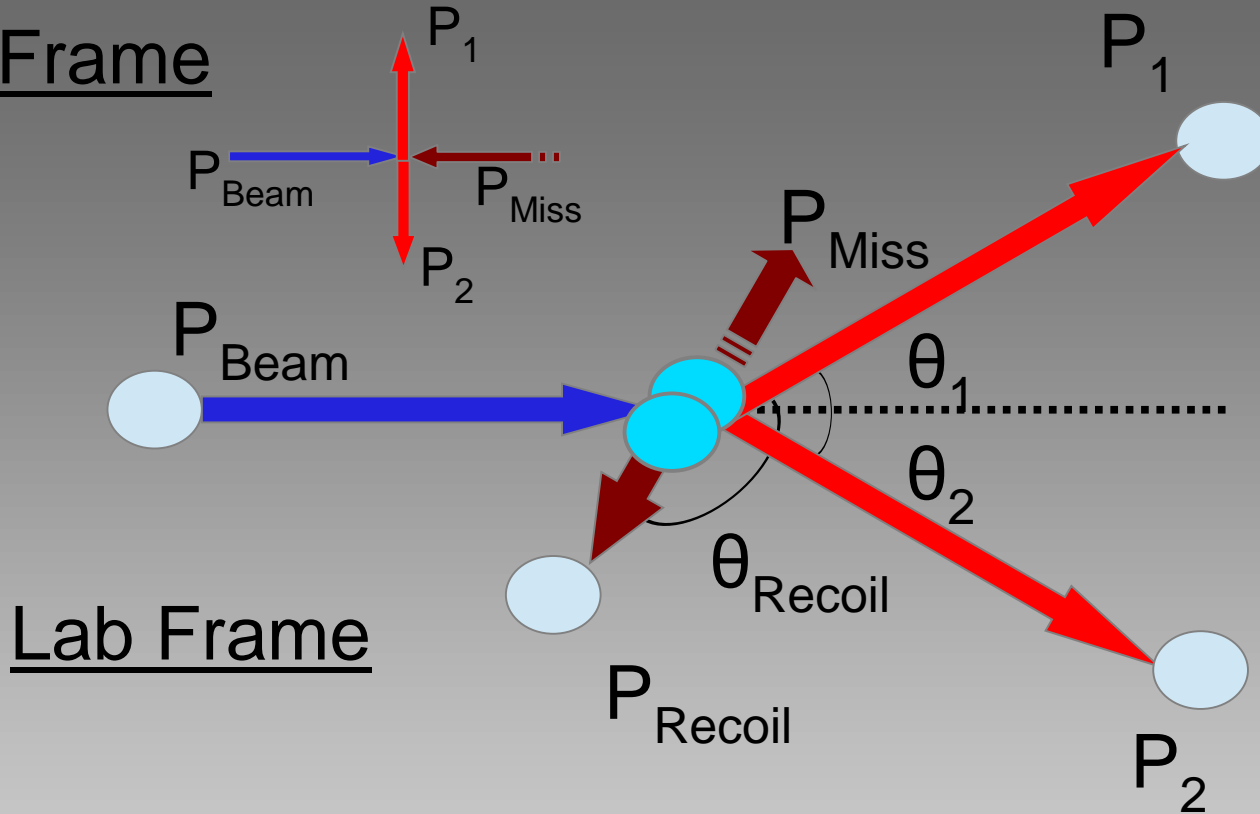


Nuclotron
0,6-4,5 GeV/u

Beam	Nuclotron beam intensity (particle per cycle)		
	Current	Ion source type	New ion source + booster
p	$3 \cdot 10^{10}$	Duoplasmatron	$5 \cdot 10^{12}$

•Selecting events

C.M. Frame



Lab Frame

•SRC dominance

$$|p_{recoil}| \geq 250 \text{ MeV} / c$$

$$\theta_{recoil} \geq 90^\circ$$

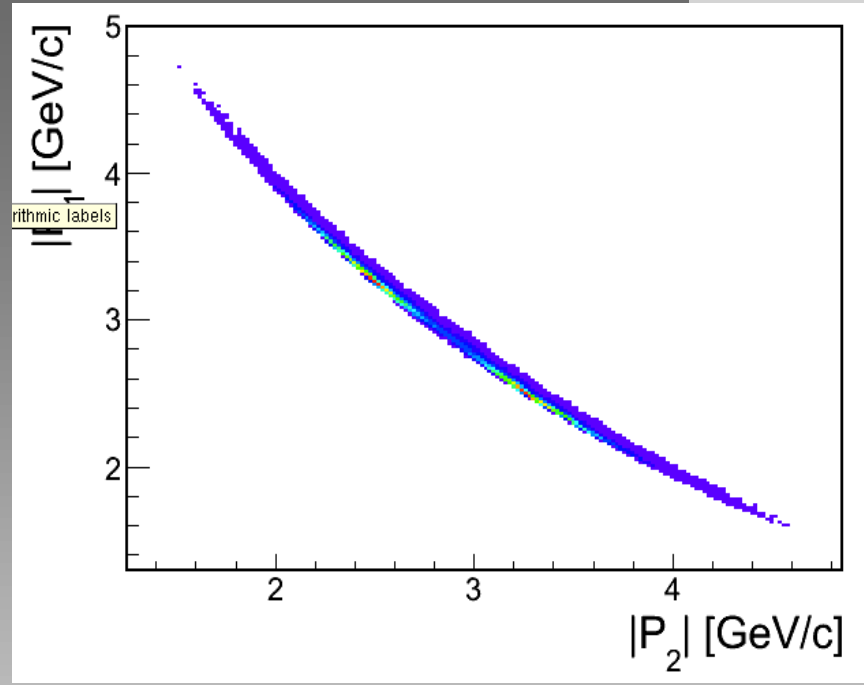
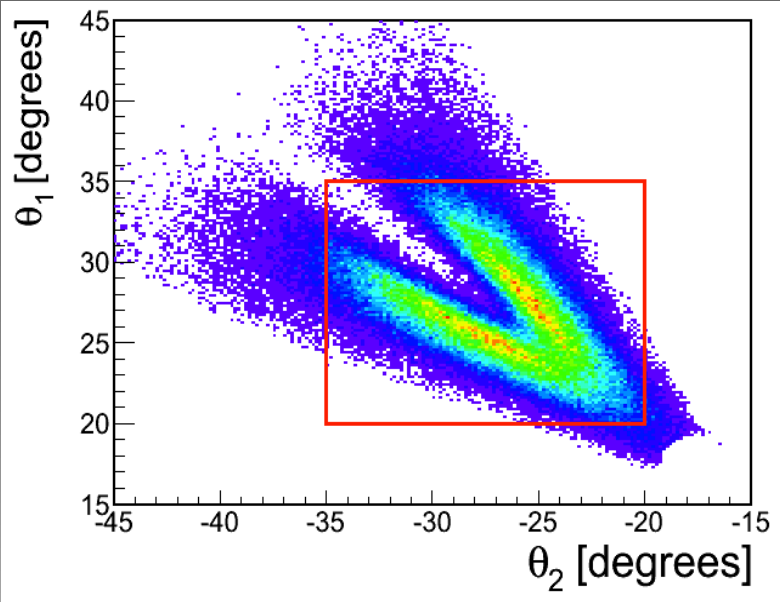
•Hard process

$$-t = -(p1 - p3)^2 > 2(\text{GeV} / c)^2$$

$$-u = -(p1 - p2)^2 > 2(\text{GeV} / c)^2$$

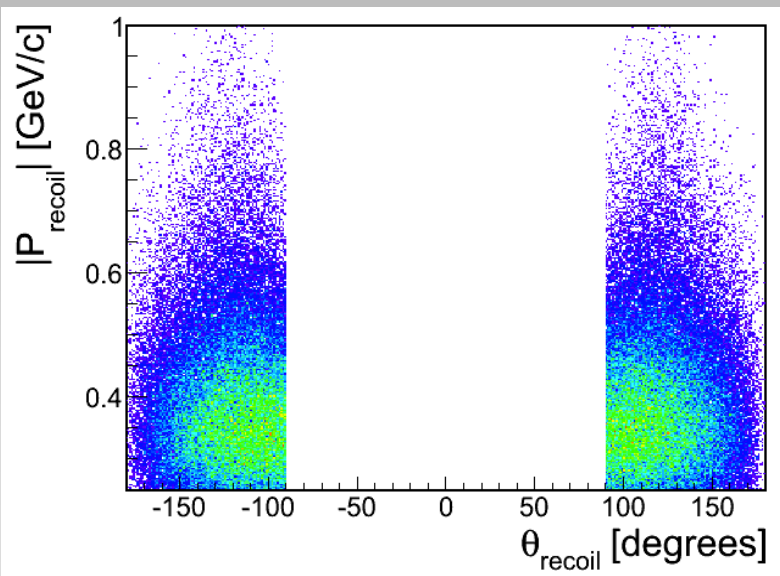
$$s > 7(\text{GeV} / c)^2$$

$$\theta_1 = 27.5^\circ \pm 7.5^\circ, \theta_2 = -27.5^\circ \pm 7.5^\circ \quad (\mathcal{G}_{cm} \approx 90^\circ)$$



simulated 90° cm scattering off a SRC pair
 $\theta_1 = 27.5^\circ \pm 7.5^\circ, \theta_2 = -27.5^\circ \pm 7.5^\circ$

Simulated $\theta_{cm} \sim 90^\circ$ scattering of a pair

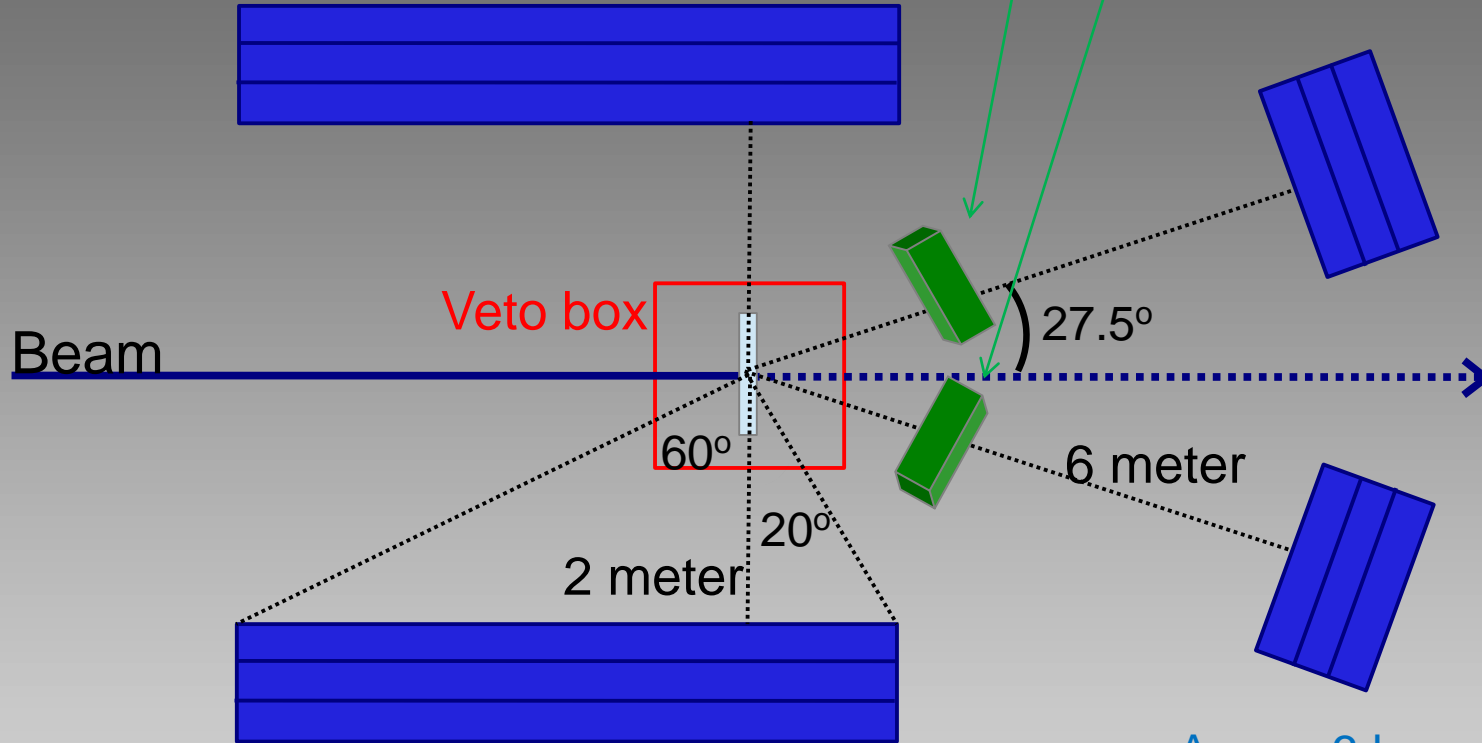


$$\sigma_{cm} = 140 \text{ MeV} / c$$

$$n(p_{rel}) = e^{-7 p_{rel}} \quad 0.25 < P_{rel} < 1 \text{ GeV}/c$$

2 planes of GEM or W.ch. ~1m apart

Array : 3 layers of 10x10x200 cm³ scintillators



Array : 3 layers of 42 10x10x200 cm³ scintillators

Array : 3 layers of 16 10x10x100 cm³ scintillators

'start' signal for TOF ?

The CLAS12 Scintillator Setup

Scintillators:

BC-404; 6 cm x 6 cm x (50 - 200) cm and

BC-408 for the longer bars

PMT: ~~Hamamatsu R9779~~

R13089

(2) No Light guides
PMT directly glued to SC

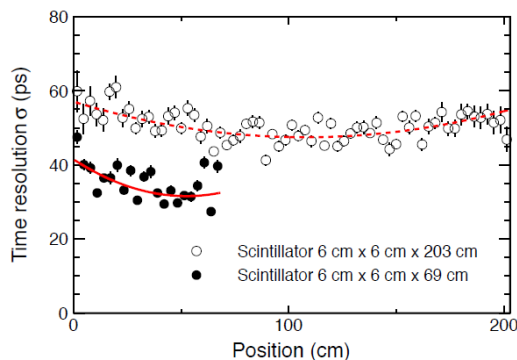


(3) Scintillator wrapped in **Aluminized Mylar**

(4) Light tight **DuPont Tedlar** encases entire counter

(1) Corners masked with black tape

Achieved Time Resolutions



• Time resolution after calibration, event selection, time-walk correction:

- $\sigma_{avg} = 51$ ps for 203-cm bar
- $\sigma_{avg} = 34$ ps for 69-cm bar

○ Scintillator 6 cm x 6 cm x 203 cm
● Scintillator 6 cm x 6 cm x 69 cm

Approximate Cost

- The average **scintillator** costs for the JLab project was about **\$600** per scintillator. This is the per scintillator cost for the FTOF project with an average scintillator length of 2 m.
- The cost for the **Hamamatsu PMT** is about **\$800** per PMT.

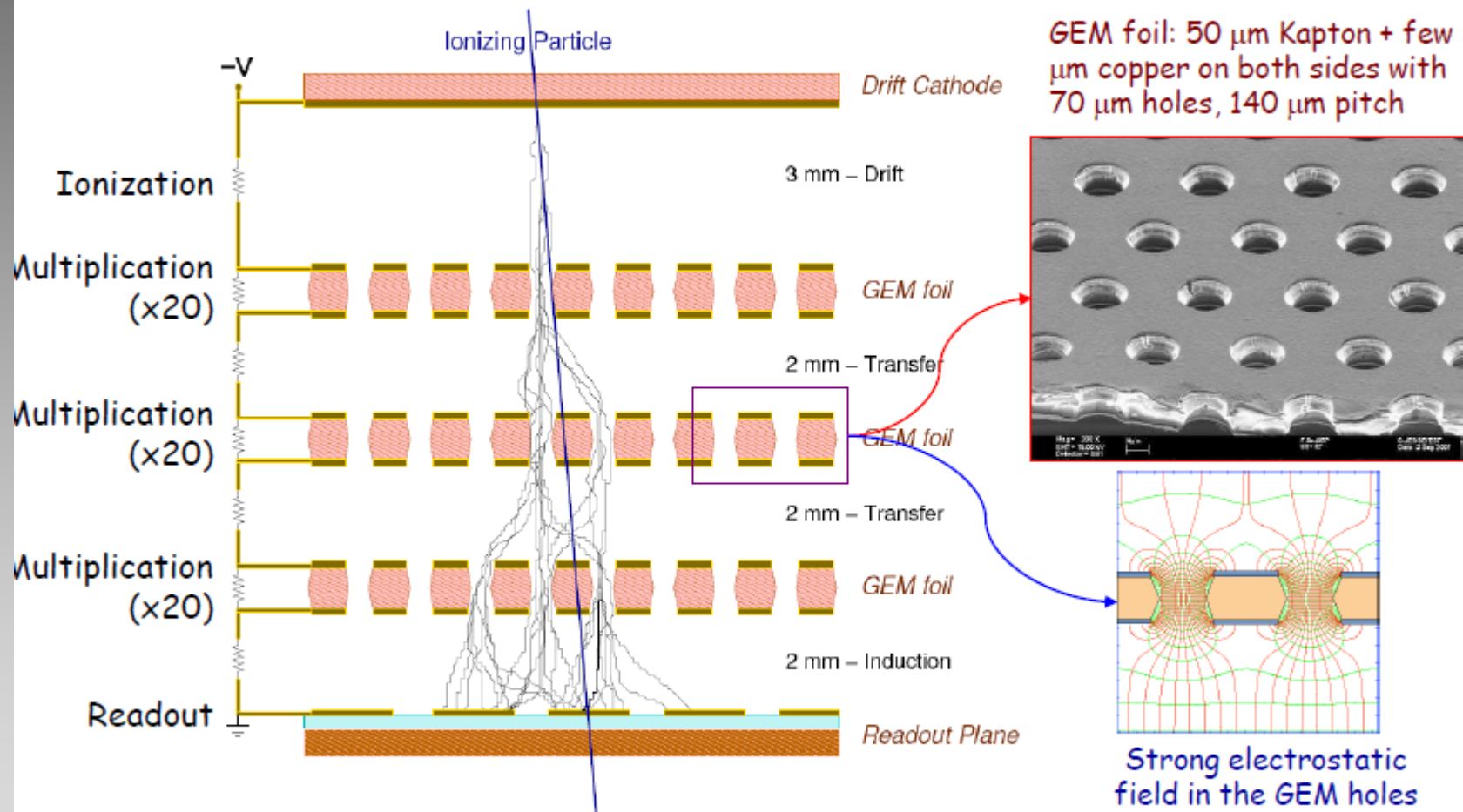
Total 96 1m long and 252 2m long
(350 counters are needed)

PMs 700x800\$=550k\$
Sci (96+2x252)x600=360k\$
~1M\$

Adapted from a talk by Steffen Strauch
University of South Carolina

GEM = Gas Electron Multiplier

GEM working principle



Recent technology: F. Sauli, Nucl. Instrum. Methods A386(1997)531



Rates (For a 10^9 protons/sec beam)

Triple coincidence $^{12}\text{C}(p,2pn)$ **np pairs**

100 events/hour

In 30 days (50% beam availability) 35,000 events

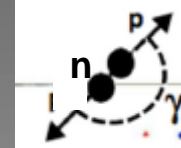
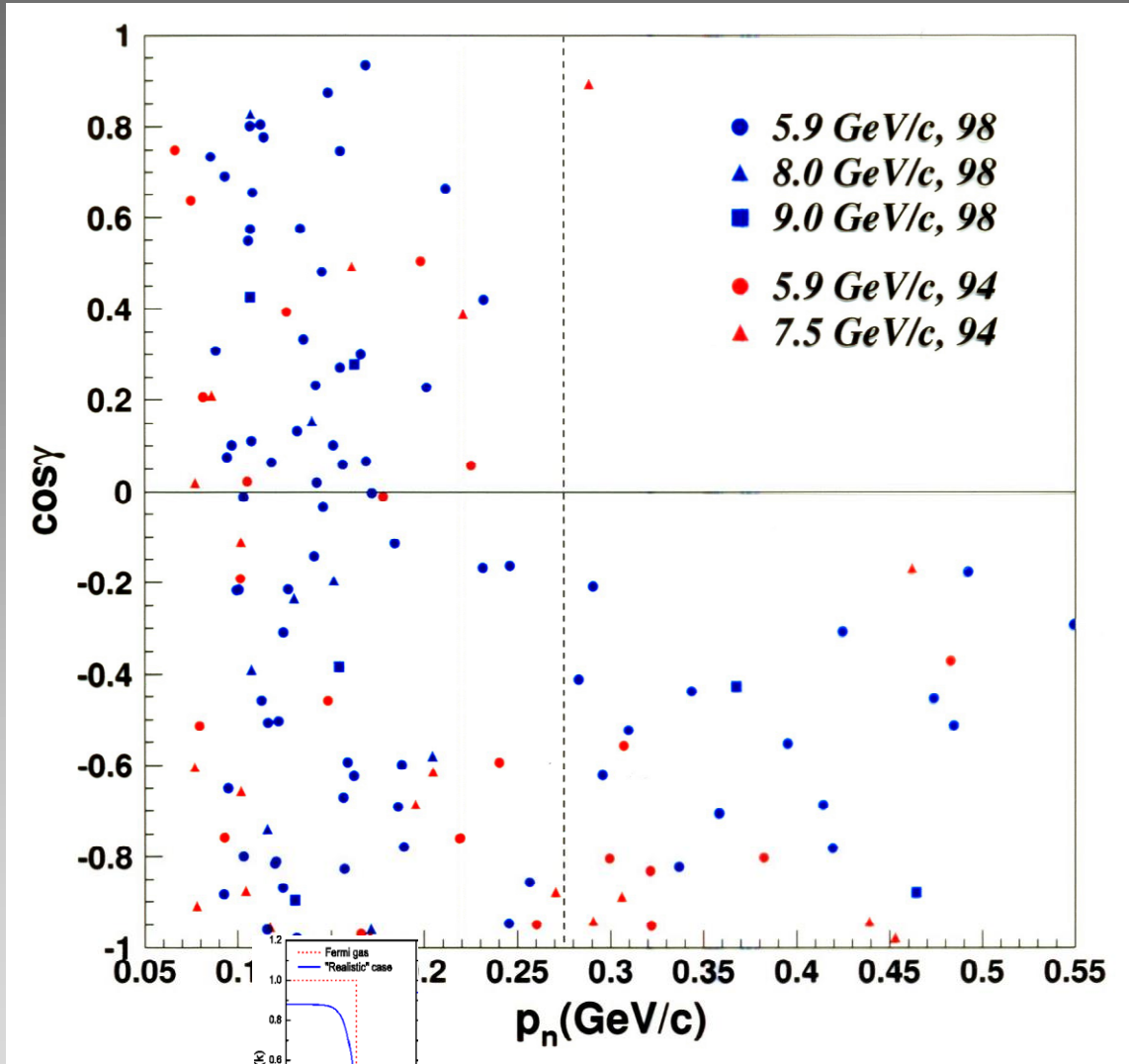
Triple coincidence $^{12}\text{C}(p,pnn)$ **nn pairs**

2 events/hour

In 30 days (50% beam availability) 700 events



Mapping the transition from mean field to SRC



EVA / BNL:

Only 18 ¹²C(p,2p+n) events with $p_n > k_F$



Expecting 35,000 ¹²C(p,2p+n) events with $p_n > k_F$

With 100ps TOF resolution:

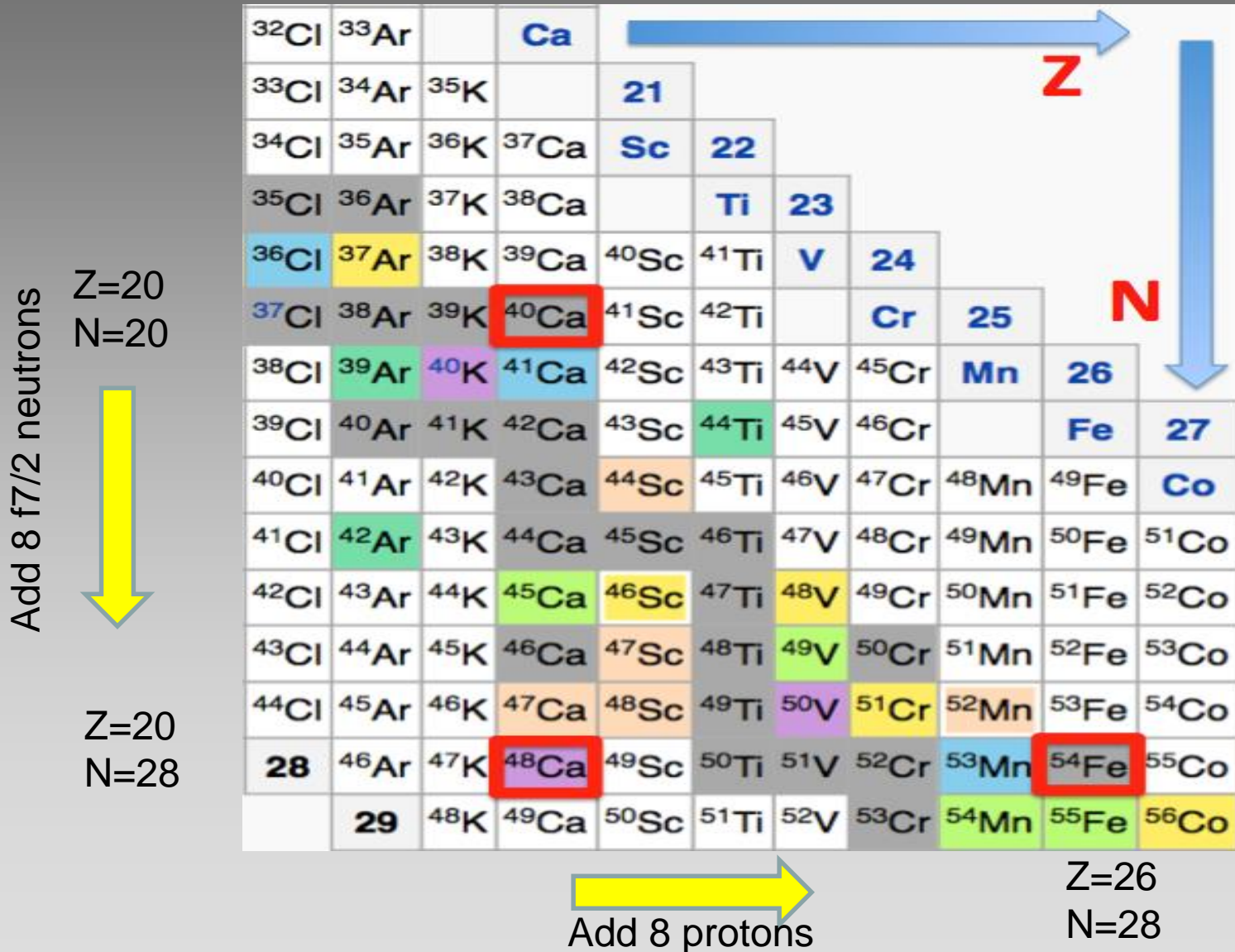
$$\Delta p_{miss} \approx 15 \text{ MeV} / c$$

Migdal jump

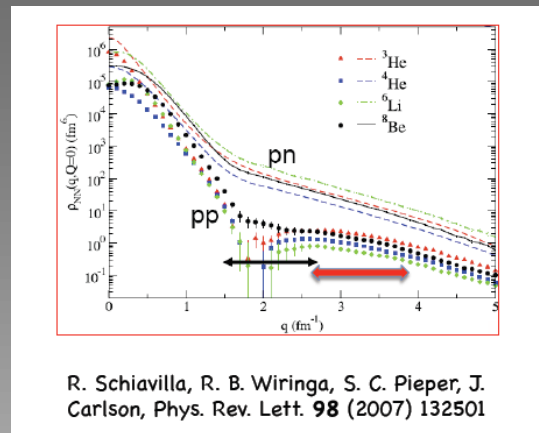
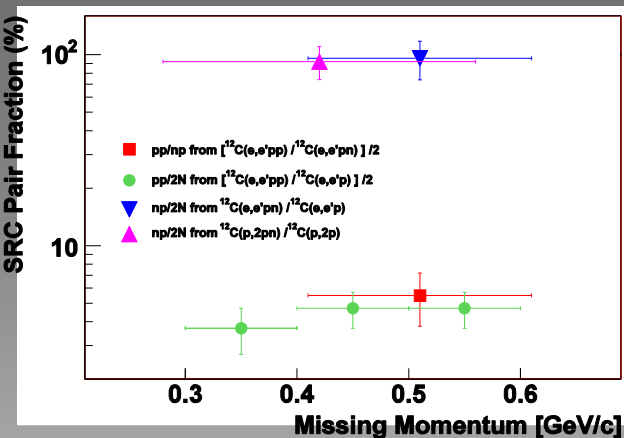


Asymmetric nuclei $N > Z$:

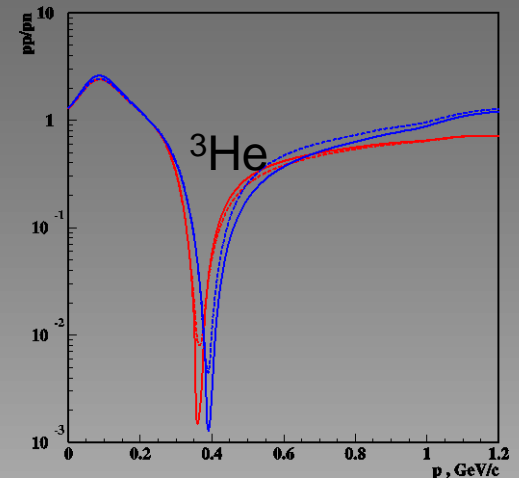
Who are the parents of the 2N-SRC pairs ?



SRC Isospin Structure and the Tensor Force



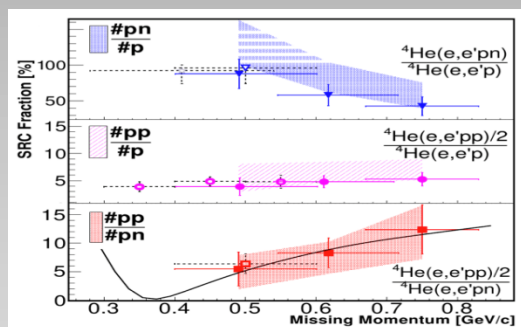
R. Schiavilla, R. B. Wiringa, S. C. Pieper, J. Carlson, Phys. Rev. Lett. **98** (2007) 132501



At 400-600 MeV/c.

np SRC is ~18 times pp (nn) SRC!!!

Sargsian, Abrahamyan, Strikman, Frankfurt PR C71 044615 (2005).



I. Korover, et al. Phys. Rev. Lett 113, 022501 (2014).

At Nuclotron we propose :
First measurement below 400 MeV/c
Better statistics above 600 MeV/c

C.M. and Relative Momenta Distributions:

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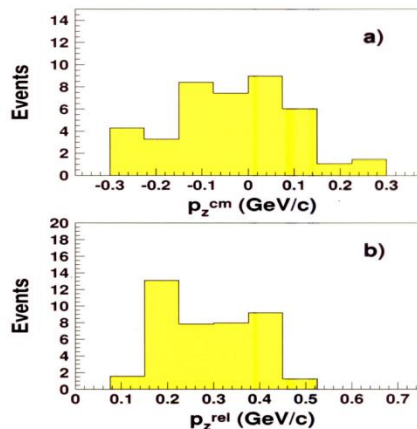


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Nuclotron

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~1000 $^{12}\text{C}(p,np+n)$ events with $p_n > k_F$

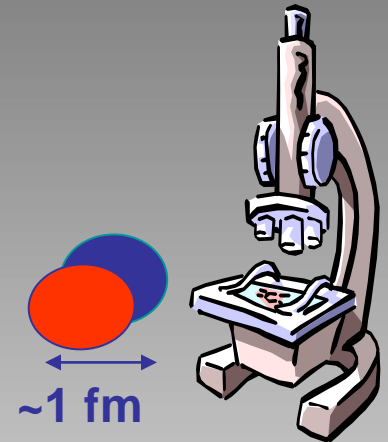
Can compare nn-SRC to np-SRC

Hard processes

high energy and large momentum-transfer

Important practical question:

How low in t , u , Q^2 ... can we still use the advantages of hard scattering ?



Questions for Next Generation

Properties of SRC Pairs

Quantum numbers?
Central vs. tensor correlations?
Mean-field to SRC transition (Migdal jump)?
c.m. and relative motion?
Nuclei far from stability?

Imbalanced systems

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Structure of SRC nucleons

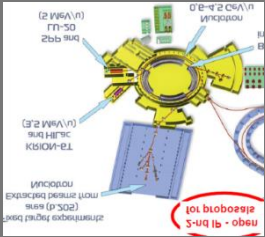
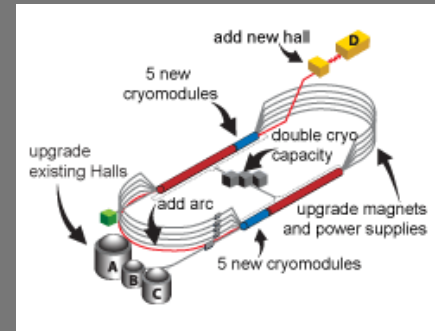
Structure of SRC nucleons?
Explaining the EMC effect?

Connection of SRC to...

Neutrino-nucleus interactions?
Neutron stars structure and cooling rate?
Universality of contact interactions?
Atomic traps studies of asymmetric systems?
Fluctons

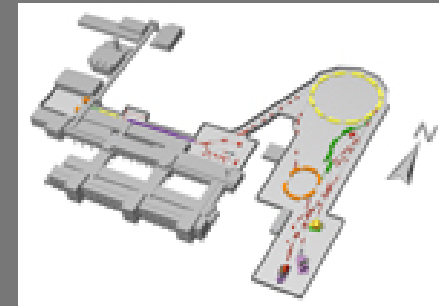
The new facilities:

12 GeV JLab



Nuclotron ->NICA

JINR, Dubna



GSI ->FAIR



CSR, Lanzhou ?

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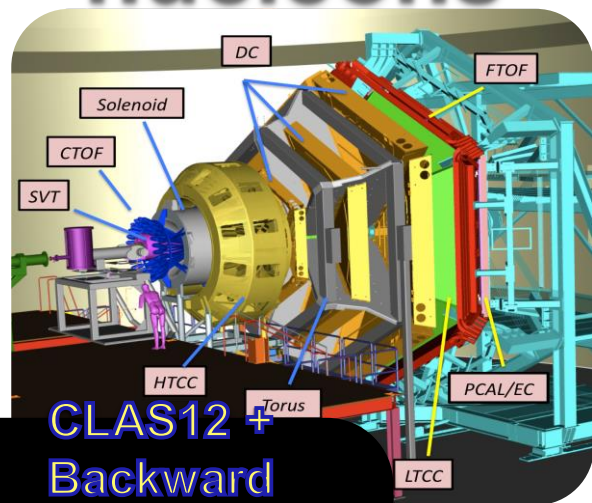
We would like to thank
A. Sorin for the invitation.

We will be here Thu /Fri and hope to come back with
a proposal to study 2N - SRC @ Dubna



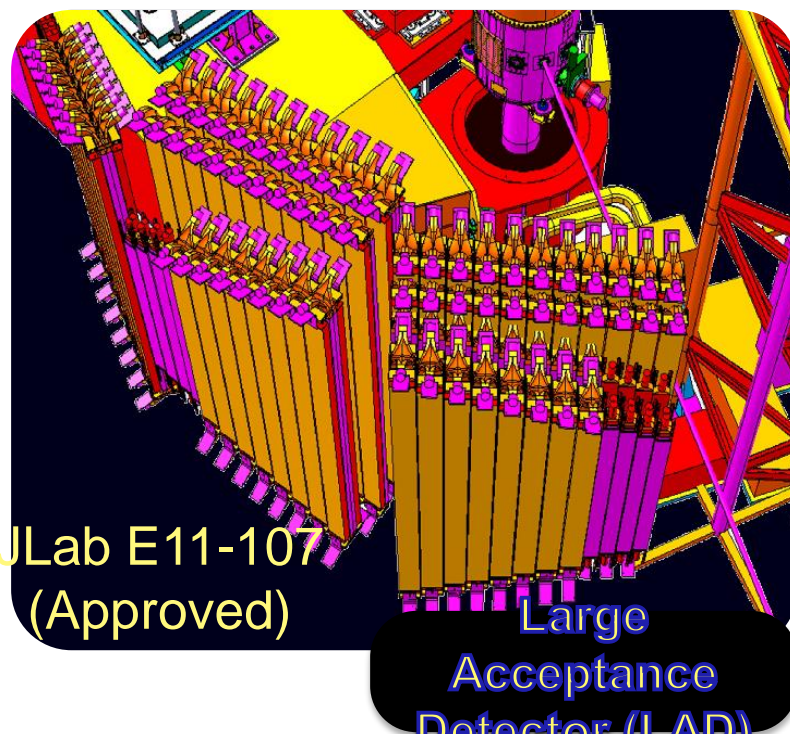
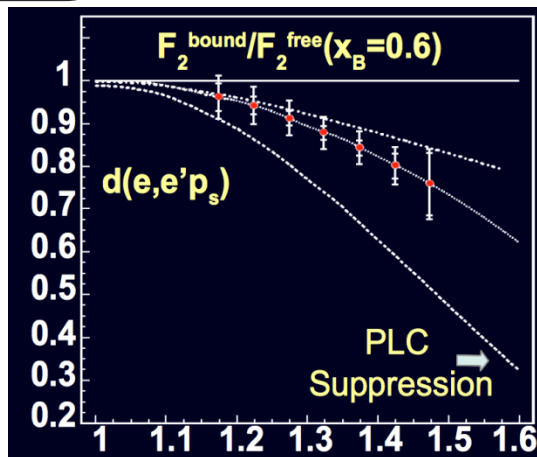
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Structure of SRC nucleons



CLAS12 +
Backward
Neutron
Detector (BND)

Tagged structure function measurements allows accessing the internal structure functions of SRC nucleons. [JLab 12GeV / Structure of SRC nucleons? Proton vs. neutron modification? Explaining the EMC effect?



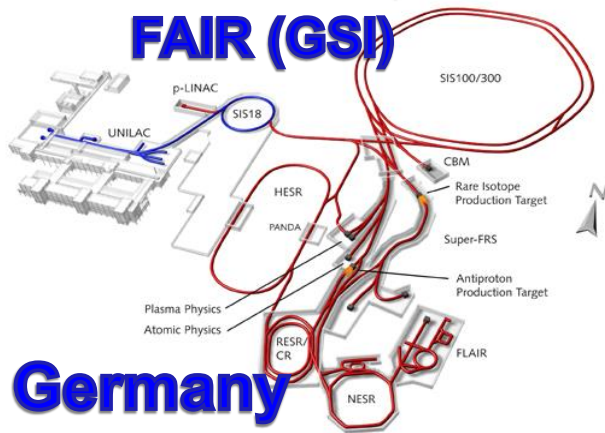
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Large
Acceptance
Detector (LAD)

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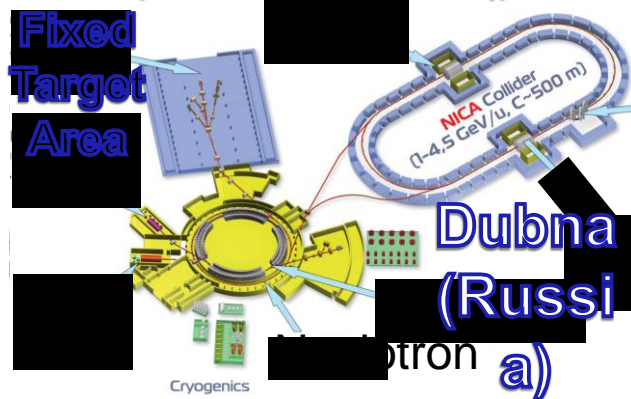
Properties of SRC Pairs

New high-intensity, few-GeV, Hadron beams allow high-statistics exclusive 2N-SRC measurements. [GSI / Dubna / Lanzhou]

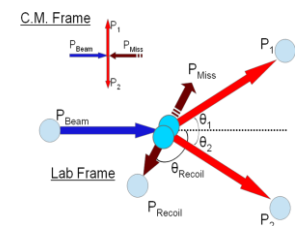
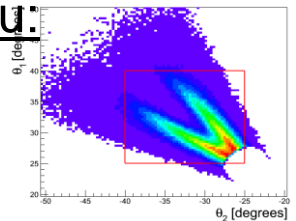
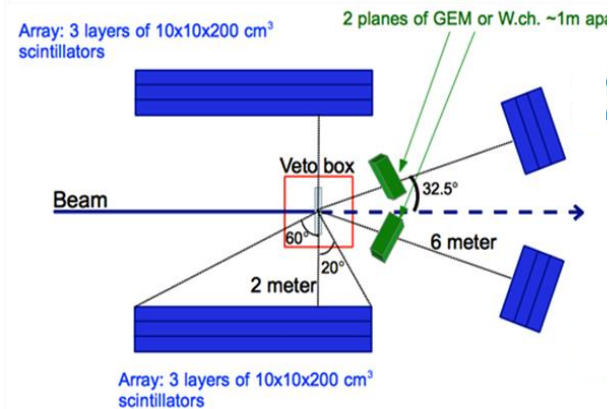


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Superconducting accelerator complex NICA (Nuclotron based Ion Collider fAcility)



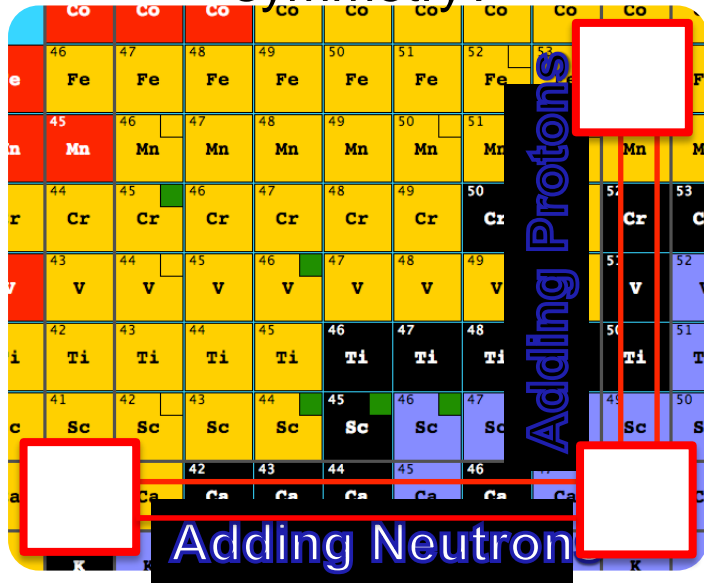
Proposal submitted to Lanzhou:



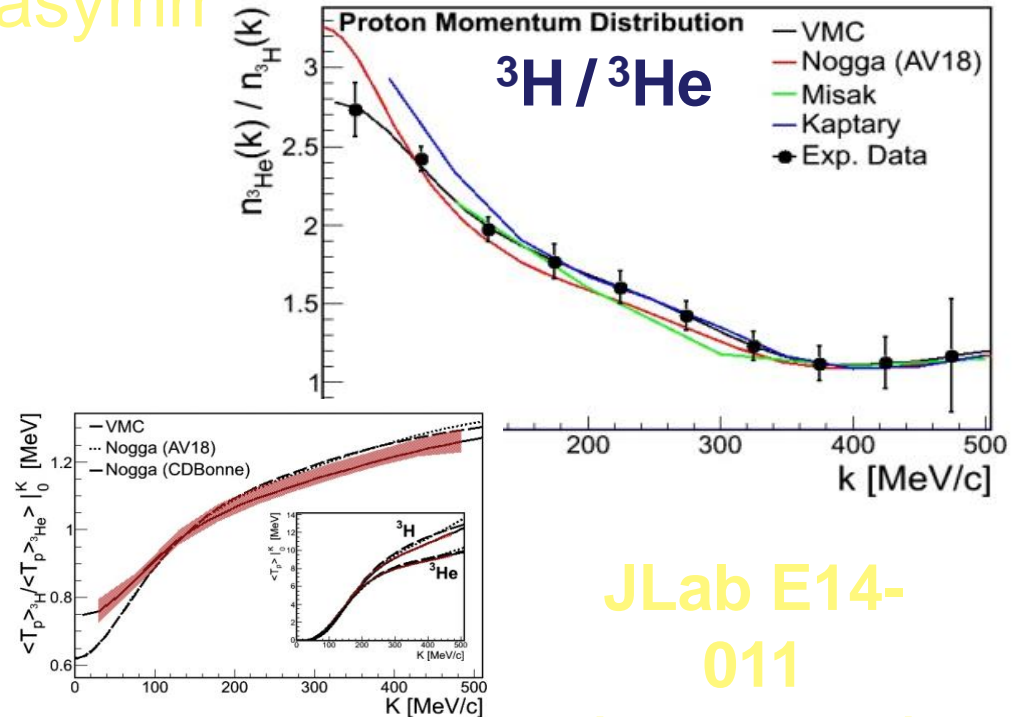
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New targets (e.g. ^3H , ^{48}Ca) allow studying the momentum distribution of protons and neutrons and Isospin dynamics of SRC with change of nuclear asymmetry.



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Number of hard Triple coincidence events (World data)

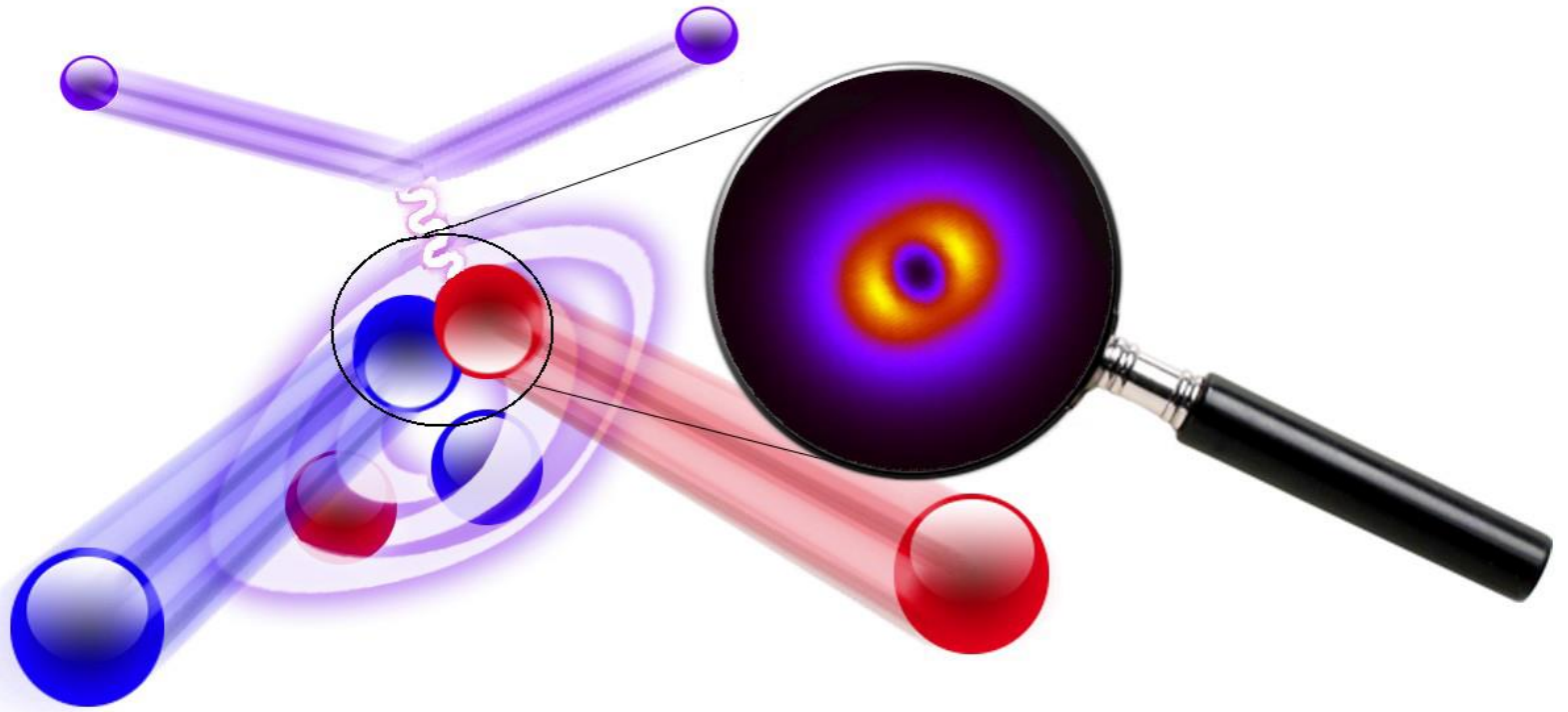
experiment	pp pairs	np pairs	nn pairs
EVA/BNL	-	<30	-
E01-015/JLab	263	179	-
E07-006/JLab	50	223	-
CLAS/JLab	1600	-	-
Total	<2000	<450	0

Why are we here ?



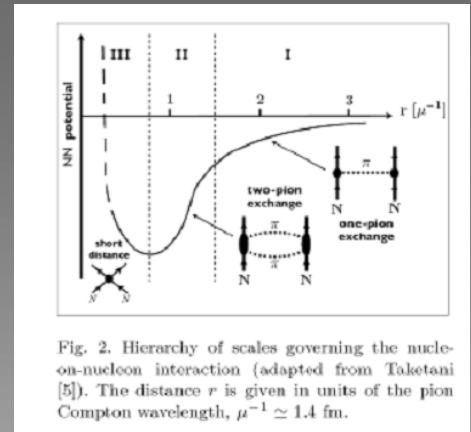
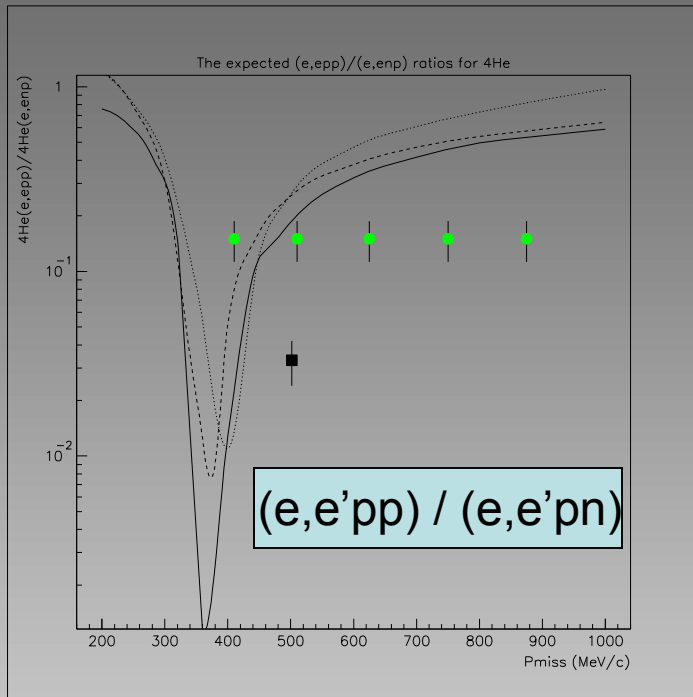
➔ >10k events

5GeV 10^9 protons/sec



A new experiment scheduled to run 2011 at JLab (E 07-006)

Measurement over missing momentum range from 400 to 875 MeV/c.



QMC

(Thomas)

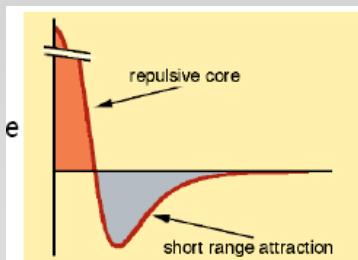
Taketani, Nakamura, Saaki
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Chiral effective field

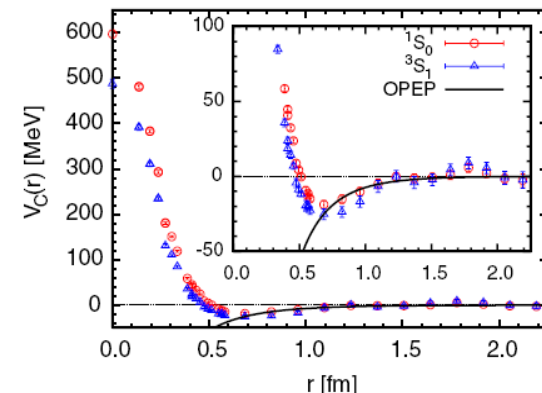
(Machleidt)

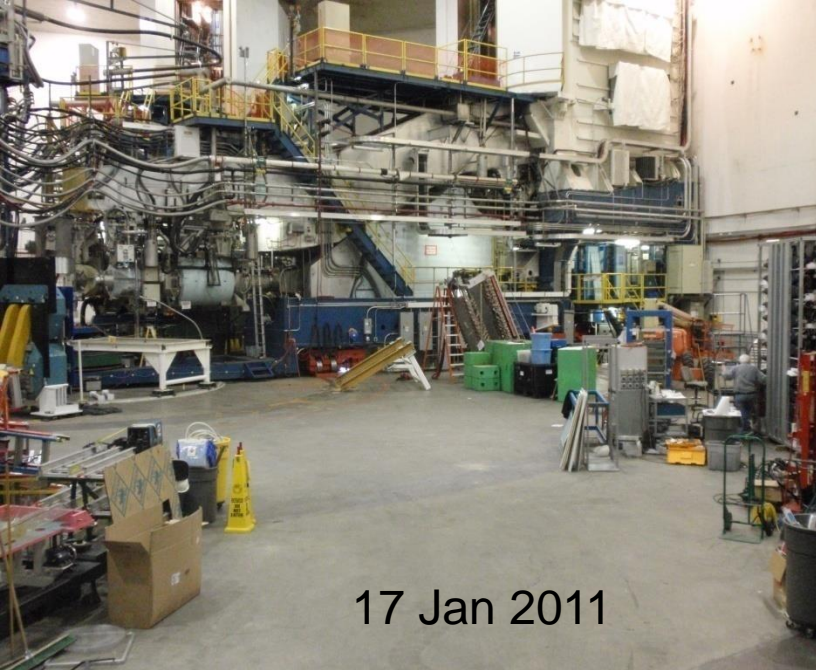
Lattice QCD
(Doi, Beane)

The data are expected to be sensitive to the **NN tensor force** and the **NN short range repulsive force**.



	2N	3N	4N
$\mathcal{O}\left(\frac{Q^0}{\Lambda^0}\right)$	X H	—	—
$\mathcal{O}\left(\frac{Q^2}{\Lambda^2}\right)$	X H H H	—	—
$\mathcal{O}\left(\frac{Q^3}{\Lambda^3}\right)$	H H H H	H H H H	—
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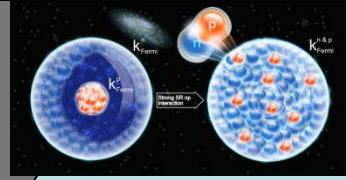
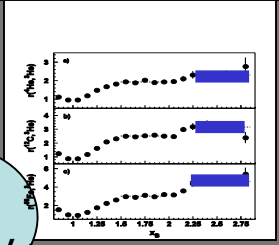
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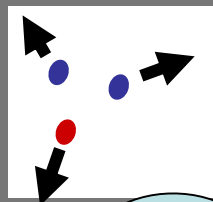


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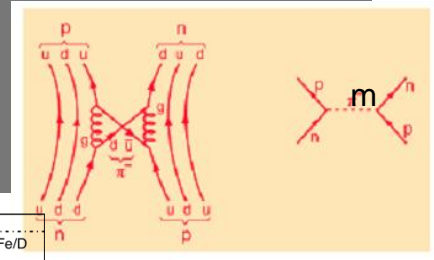


What is the role played by short range correlation of more than two nucleons ?

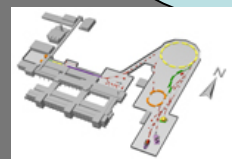
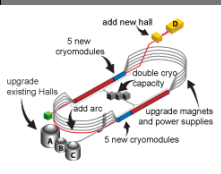
How to relate what we learned about SRC in nuclei to the dynamics of neutron star formation and structure ?



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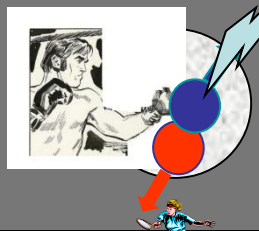
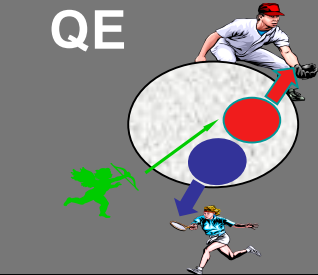
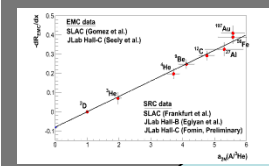
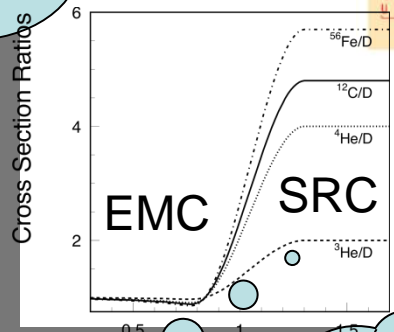


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The new facilities will allow even harder knockout reactions

GSI



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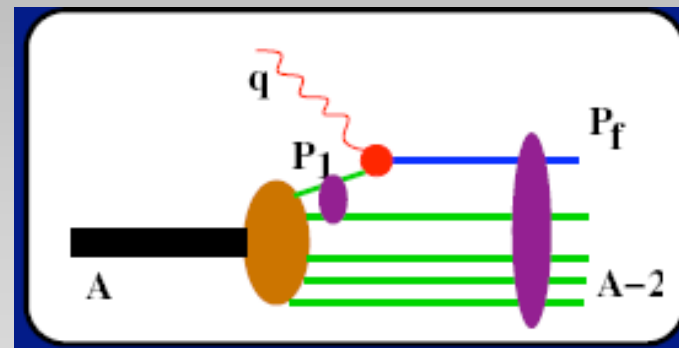
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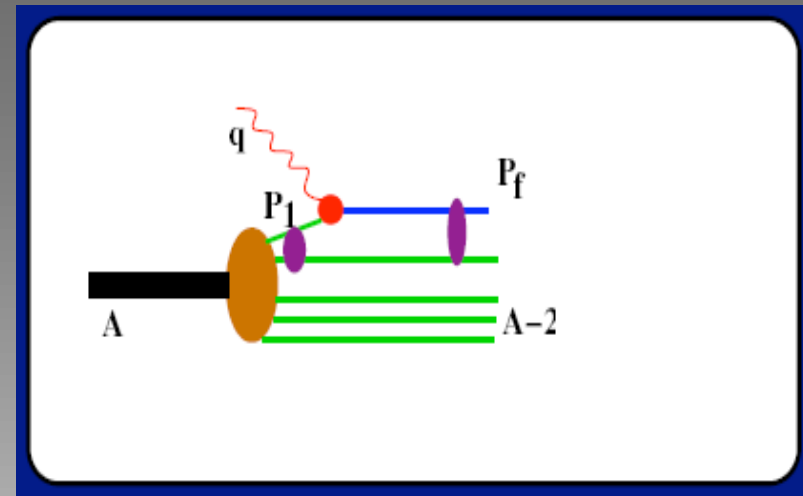
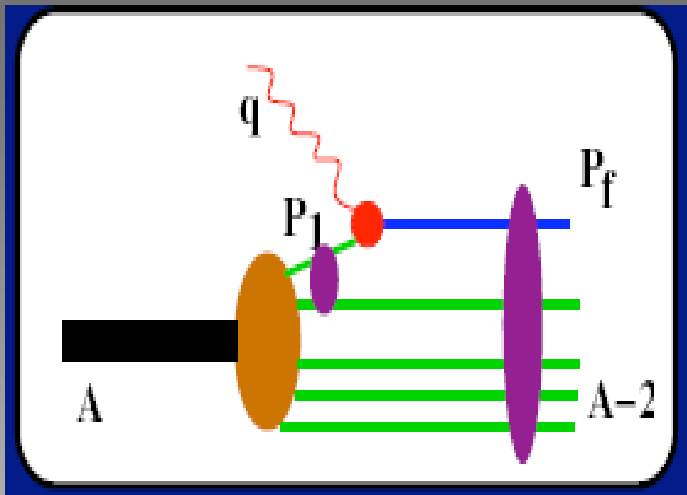
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distances that highly virtual struck nucleon propagates

$$\Delta E = -q_0 - M_A + \sqrt{m^2 + (p_i + q)^2} + \sqrt{M_{A-1}^2 + p_i^2}$$

$$r \approx \frac{1}{\Delta E v} \leq 1 \text{ fm}$$

for $x > 1.3$

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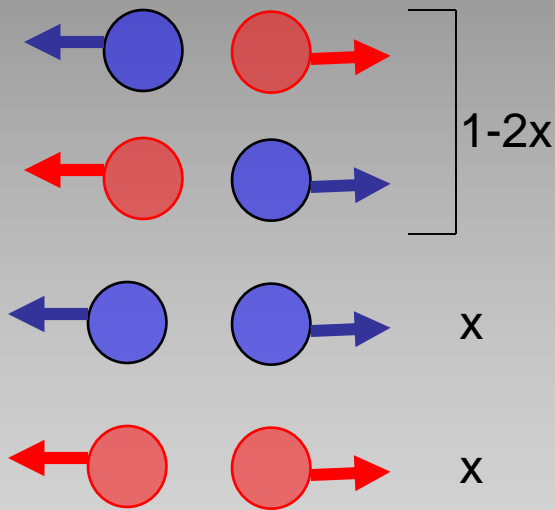


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$$\frac{(e, e' pp)}{(e, e' p)} = 9.5 \pm 2\% \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{\text{pp-SRC}}{2N - \text{SRC}} = 4.75 \pm 1\%$$

Assuming in ^{12}C nn-SRC = pp-SRC and 2N-SRC=100%



A virtual photon with $x_B > 1$
“sees” all the pp pairs but
only 50% of the np pairs.

$$\frac{(e, e' pp)}{(e, e' p)} = \frac{x}{x + (1 - 2x)/2} = 2x$$

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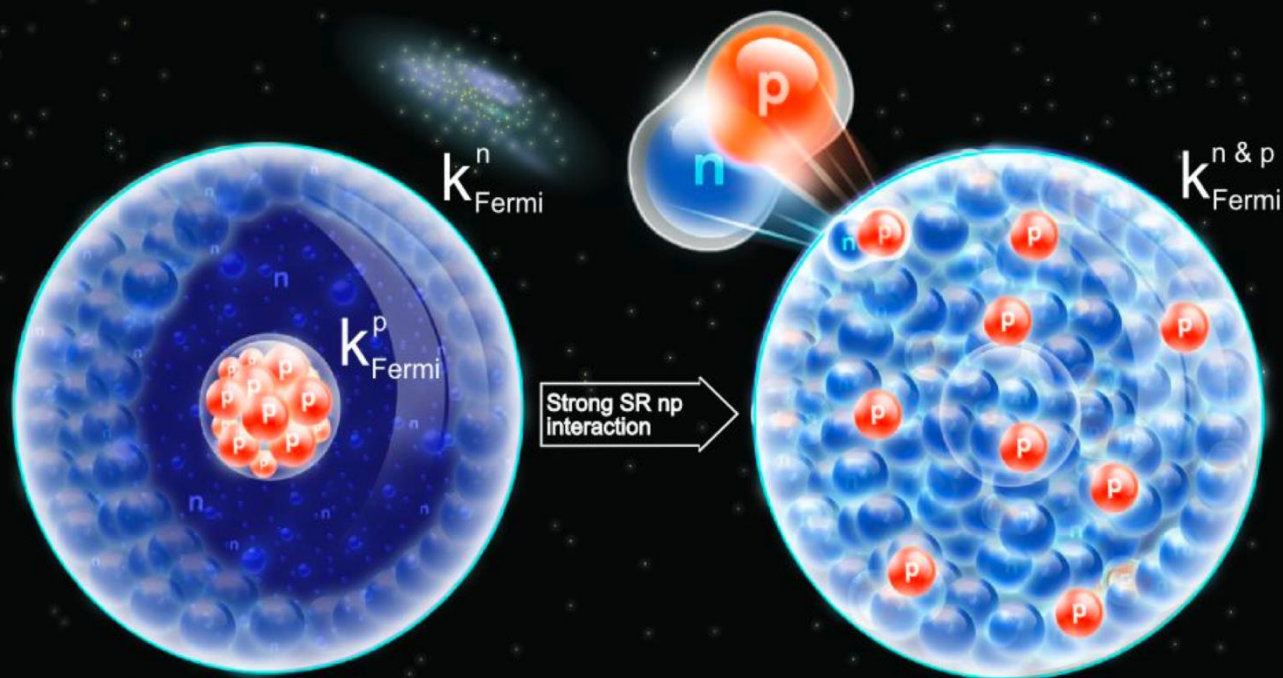
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Implications for Neutron Stars



Adapted from: D.Higinbotham,
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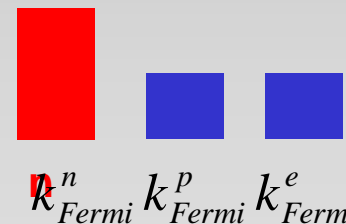
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• strong np interaction

the n-gas heats the p-gas.



See estimates in Frankfurt and Strikman : [Int.J.Mod.Phys.A23:2991-3055,2008.](#)

SRC in nuclei: implication for neutron stars



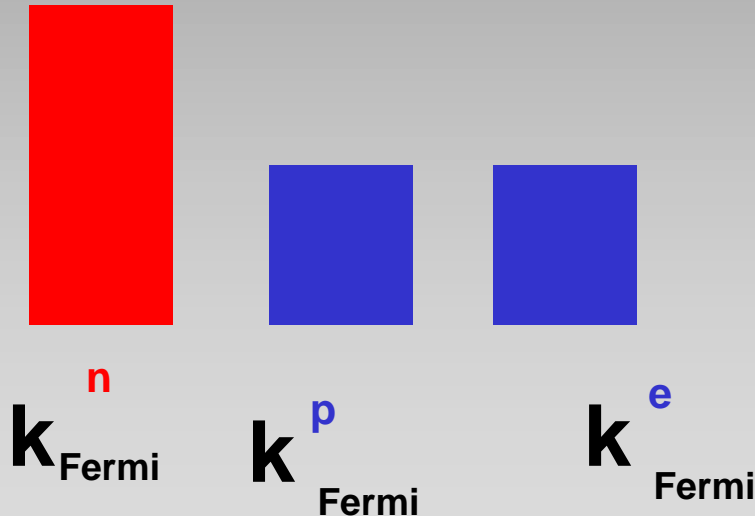
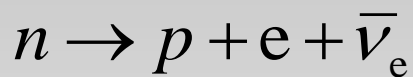
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$$\text{For } \rho = 5\rho_0, \quad k_{Fermi}^n \approx 500 \text{ MeV}/c, \quad k_{Fermi}^p = k_{Fermi}^e \approx 250 \text{ MeV}/c$$

Pauli blocking prevent
direct n decay



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THE MEAN FIELD APPROXIMATION

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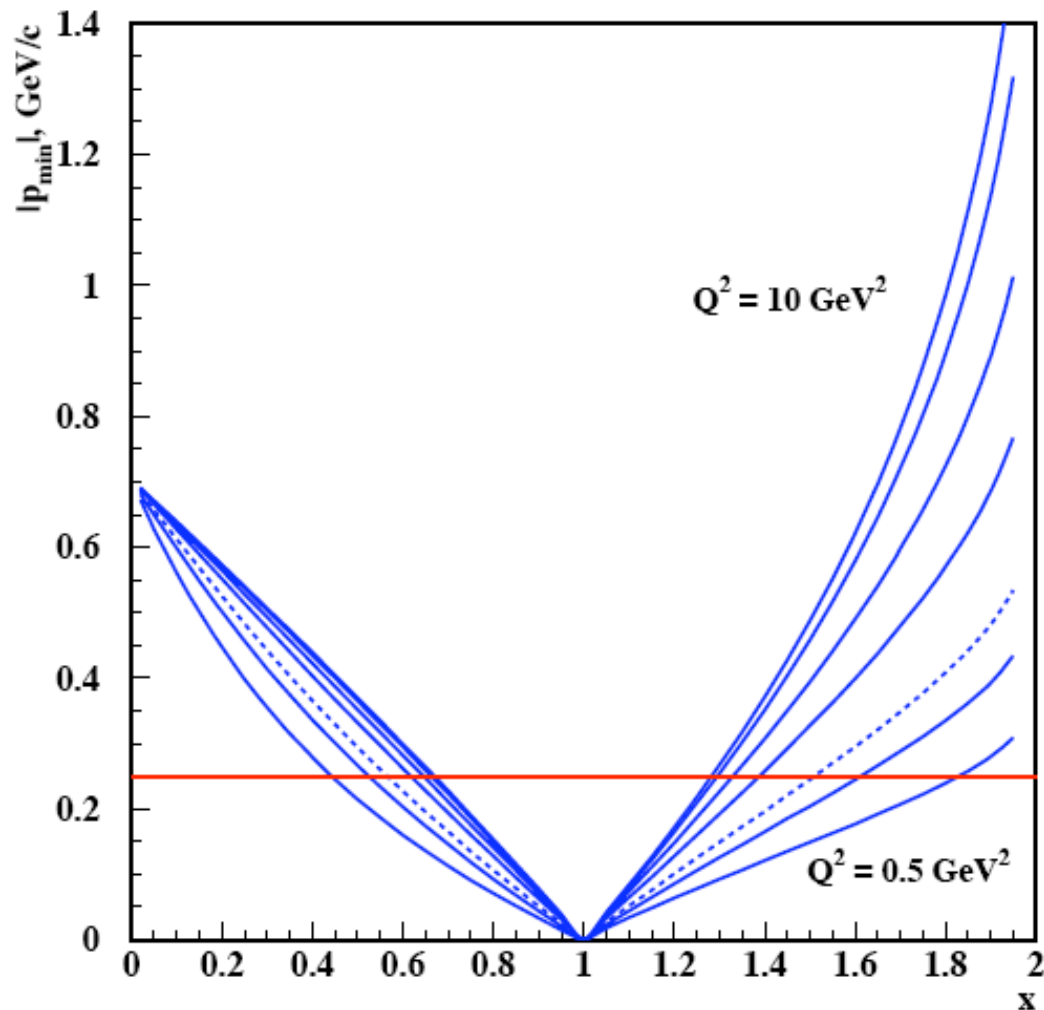
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Variational monte carlo (Urbana Group)

Cluster expansion techniques (Ciofi, Alvioli, Cda, Morita)

$x > 1$ is not automatically means 2N SRC
one needs also large Q^2



$Q^2 \uparrow$

$q_+ \gg$

Brookhaven Experiment

A.Tang et al, PRL 2003

$$F = \frac{\text{Number of (p,ppn) events } (p_i, p_n > k_F)}{\text{Number of (p,pp) events } (p_i > k_F)},$$

$$F = 0.43_{-0.07}^{+0.11} \quad \text{for } 275 \leq p_i, p_n \leq 550 \text{ MeV}/c$$

Theoretical Analysis

Piasetzky, MS, Frankfurt,
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$$P_{pn/pX} = \frac{F}{T_n R}$$

relative probability of finding pn SRC in the "pX" configuration that contains a proton with $p_i > k_F$.

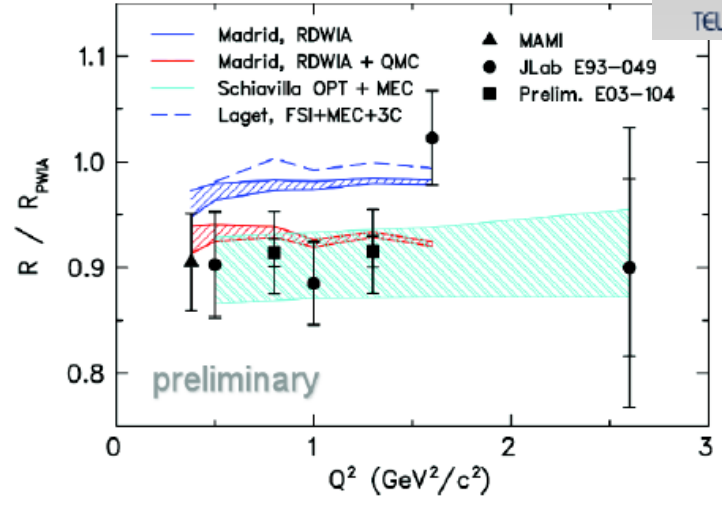
$$R \equiv \frac{\int_{\alpha_i^{min}}^{\alpha_i^{max}} \int_{p_{ti}^{min}}^{p_{ti}^{max}} \int_{\alpha_n^{min}}^{\alpha_n^{max}} \int_{p_{tn}^{min}}^{p_{tn}^{max}} D^{pn}(\alpha_i, p_{ti}, \alpha_n, p_{tn}, P_{R+}) \frac{d\alpha}{\alpha} d^2 p_t \frac{d\alpha_n}{\alpha_n} d^2 p_{tn} dP_{R+}}{\int_{\alpha_i^{min}}^{\alpha_i^{max}} \int_{p_{ti}^{min}}^{p_{ti}^{max}} S^{pn}(\alpha_i, p_{ti}, P_{R+}) \frac{d\alpha}{\alpha} d^2 p_t dP_{R+}}.$$



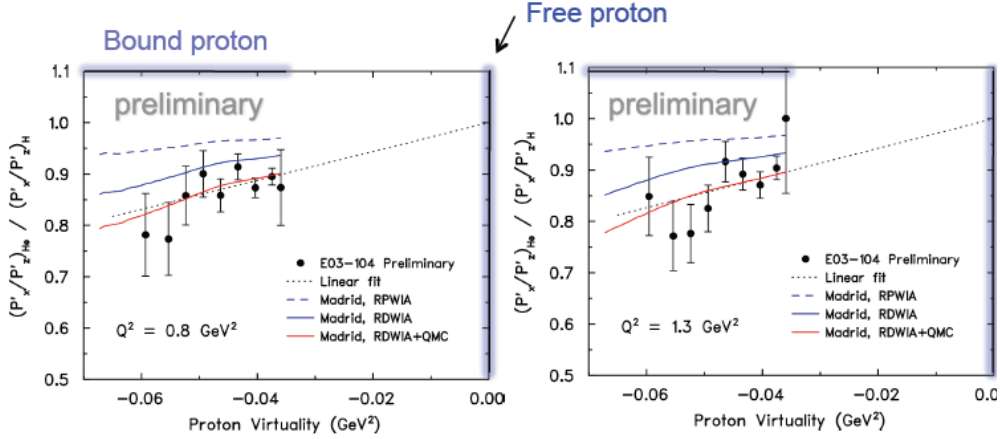
$${}^4\text{He}(\vec{e}, e' \vec{p})$$

Polarization Transfer

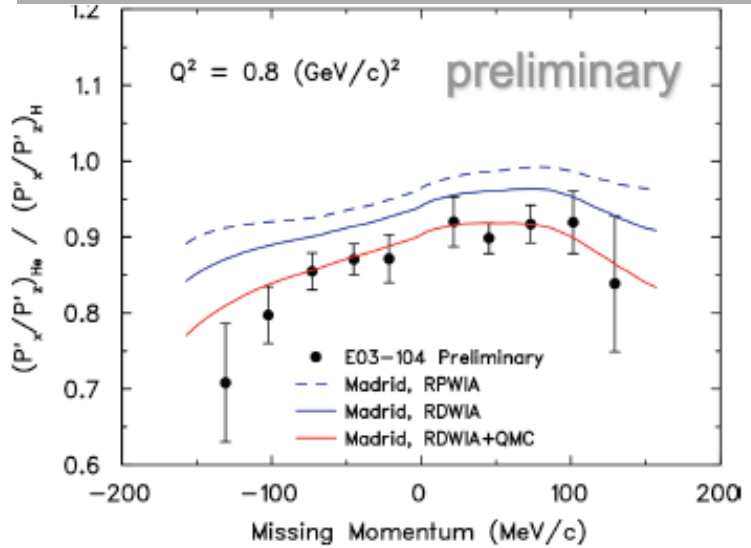
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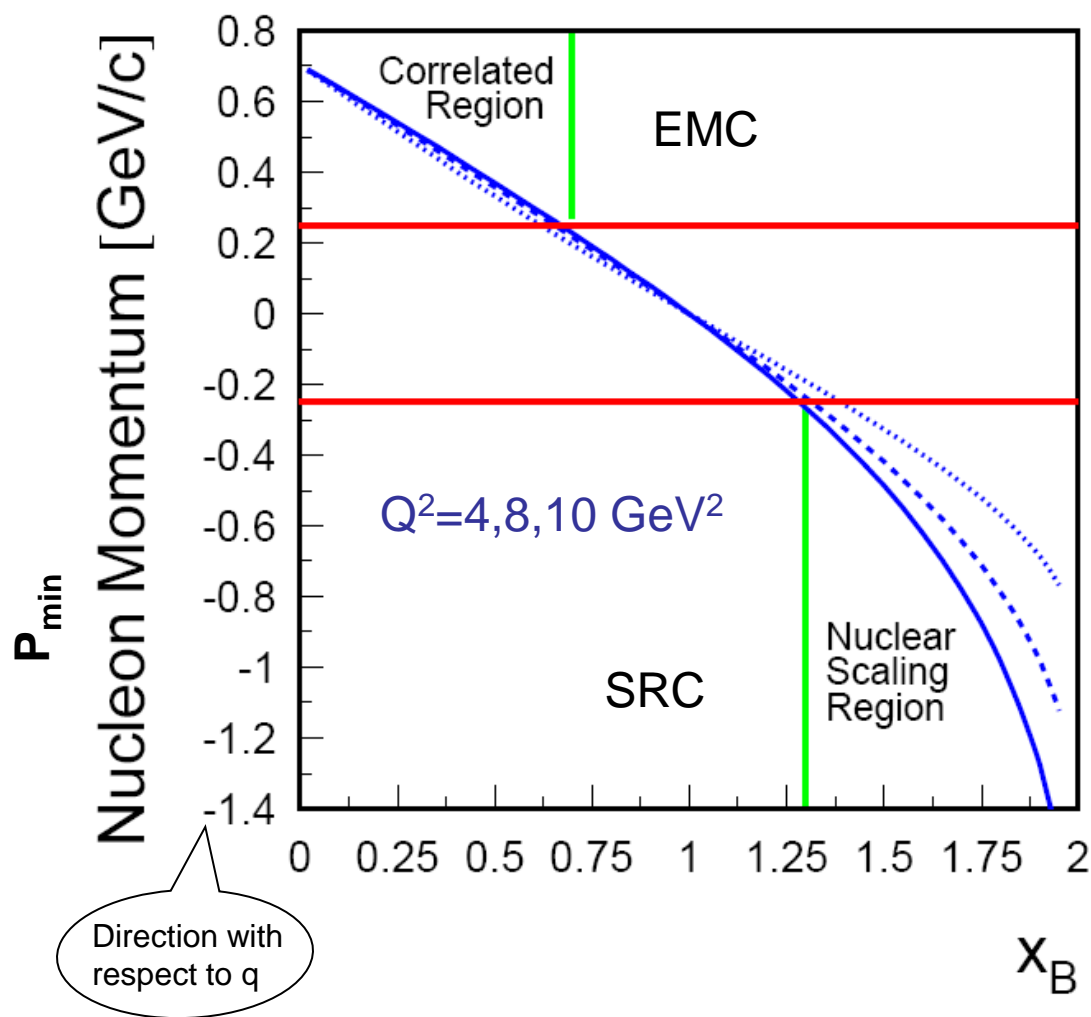
Proton Virtuality: $v = p^2 - m_p^2$



- Polarization-transfer double-ratio data and calculations show **dependence on proton virtuality** with the trend of $R \approx 1$ for $p^2 = m_p^2$; as it should be.
- Excellent description of preliminary E03-104 data with the **RDWIA + QMC (in-medium form factors)** model.



see: C. Ciofi degli Atti, L.L. Frankfurt, L.P. Kaptari, M.I. Strikman, Phys. Rev. C 76, 055206 (2007)



The minimum missing momentum of the $D(e,e')pn$ reaction from

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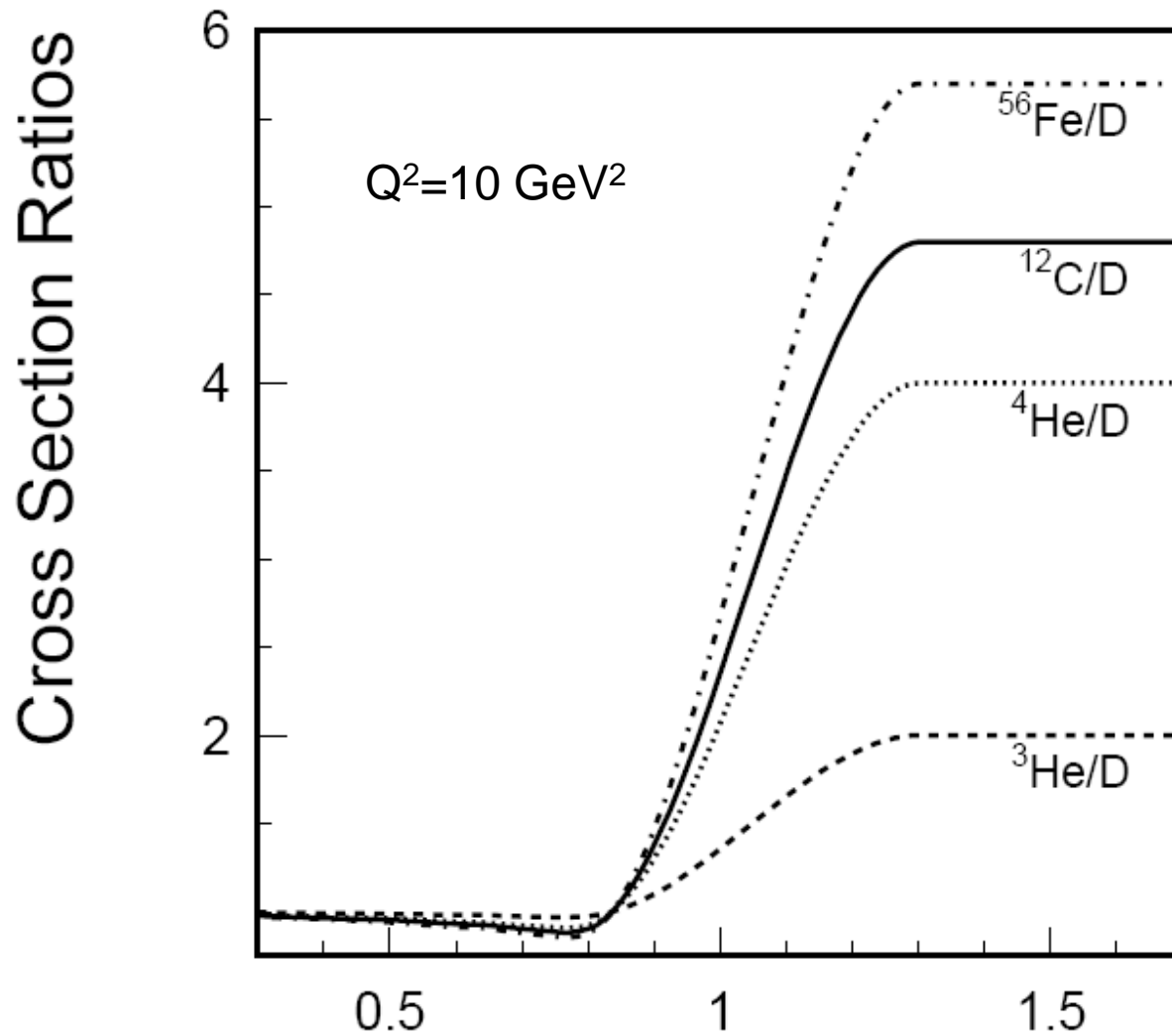
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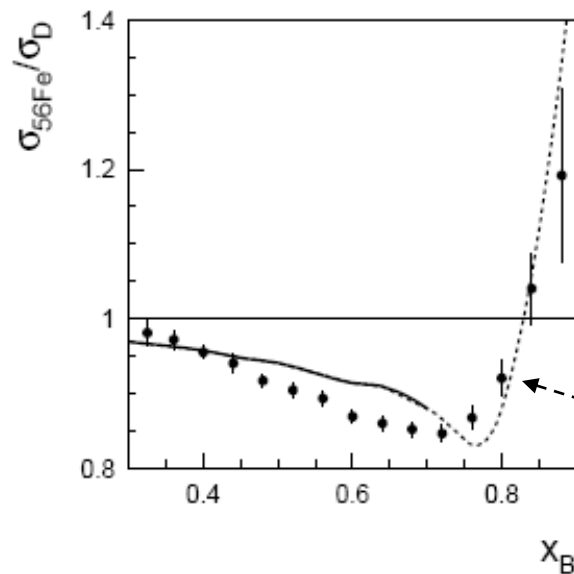
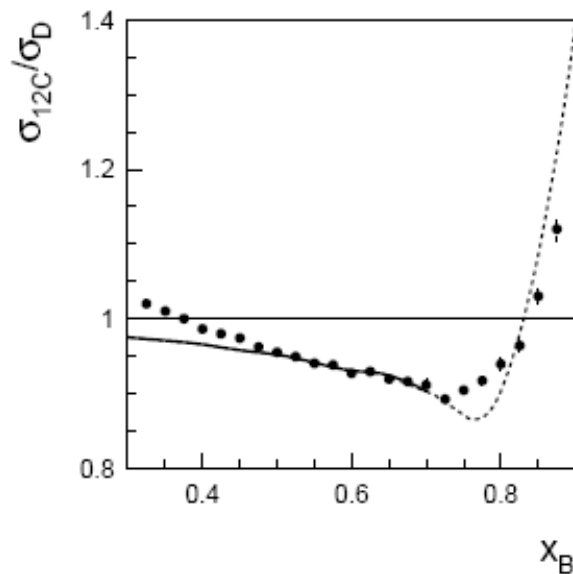
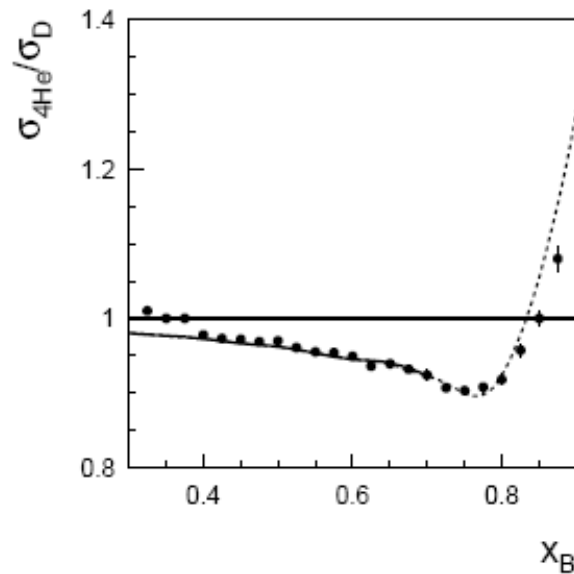
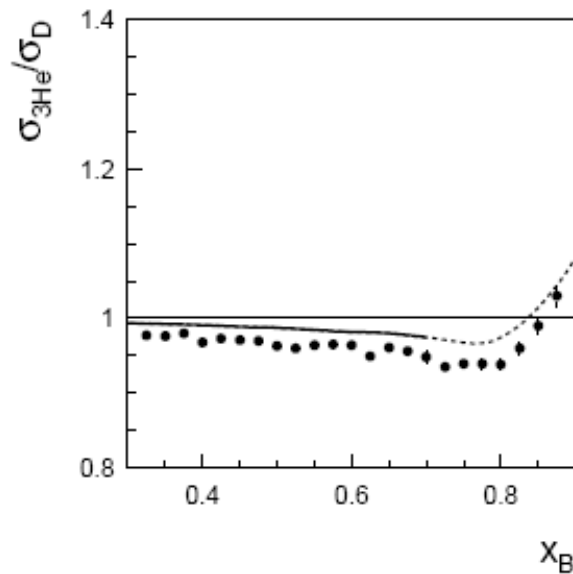
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J. Seely et al.

PRL 103, 202301 (2009).

^{56}Fe

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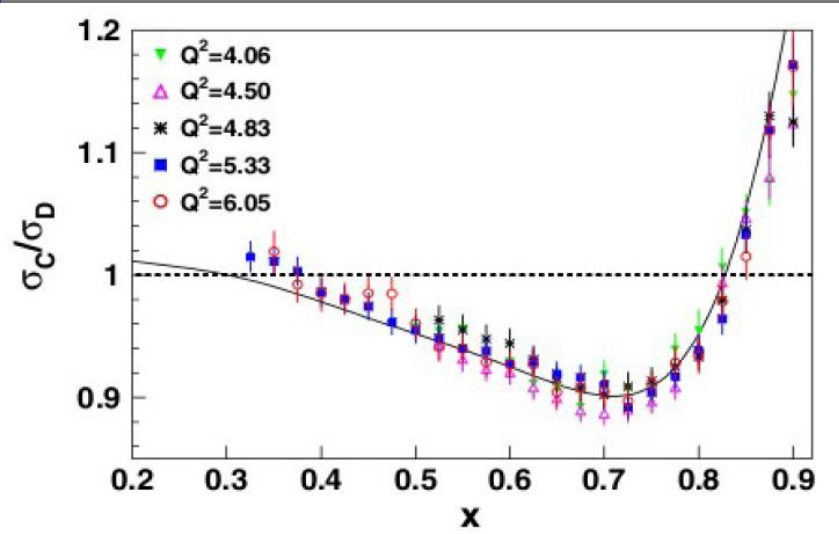
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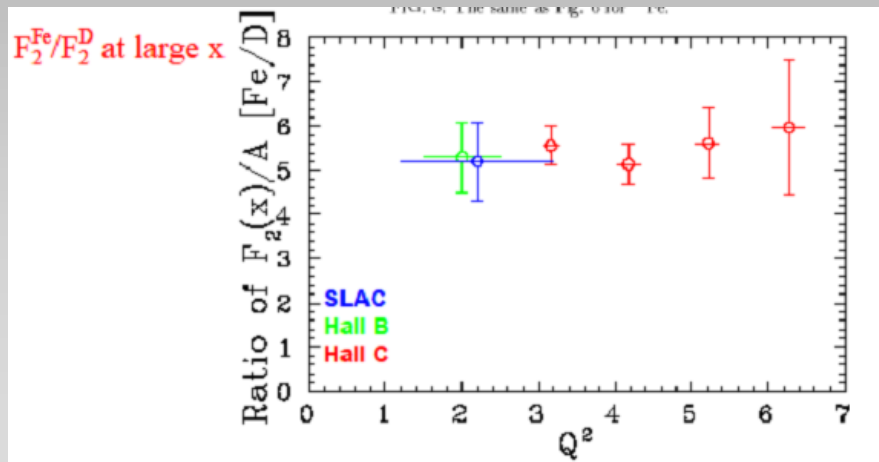
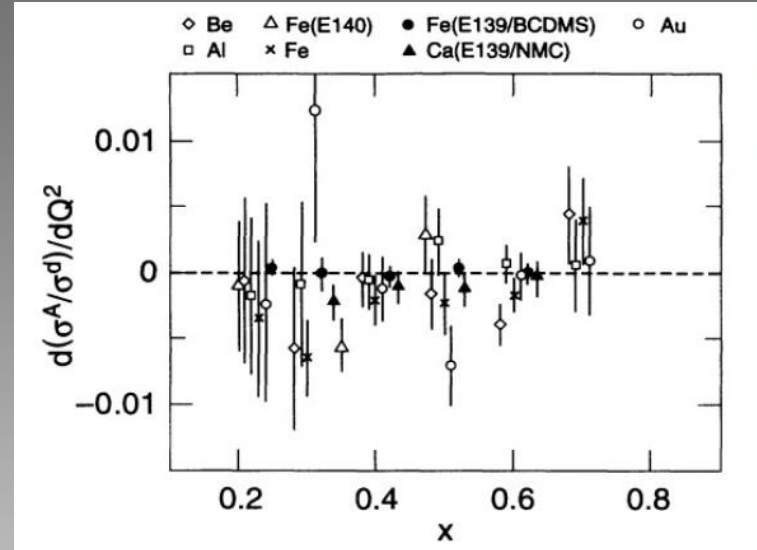
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J. Arrington talk, Minami 2010.

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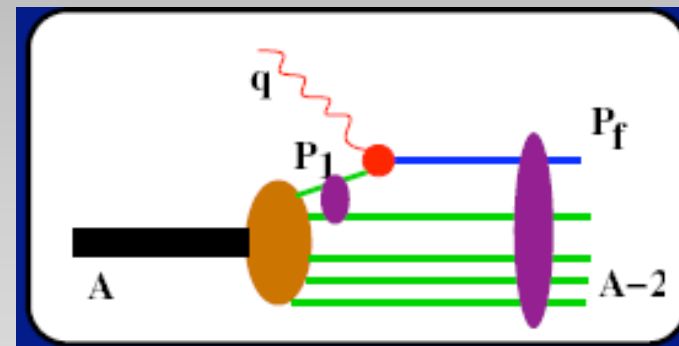
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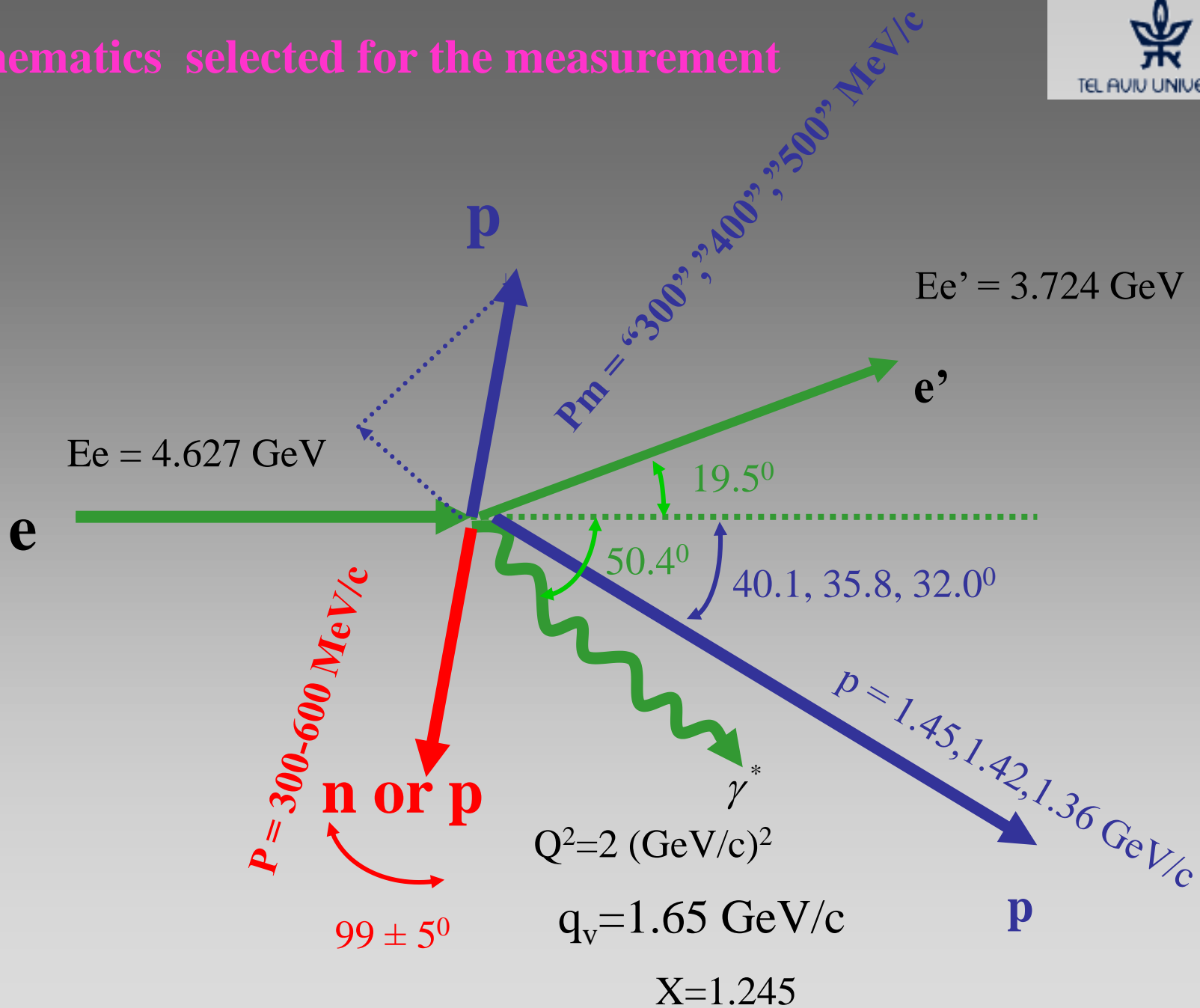
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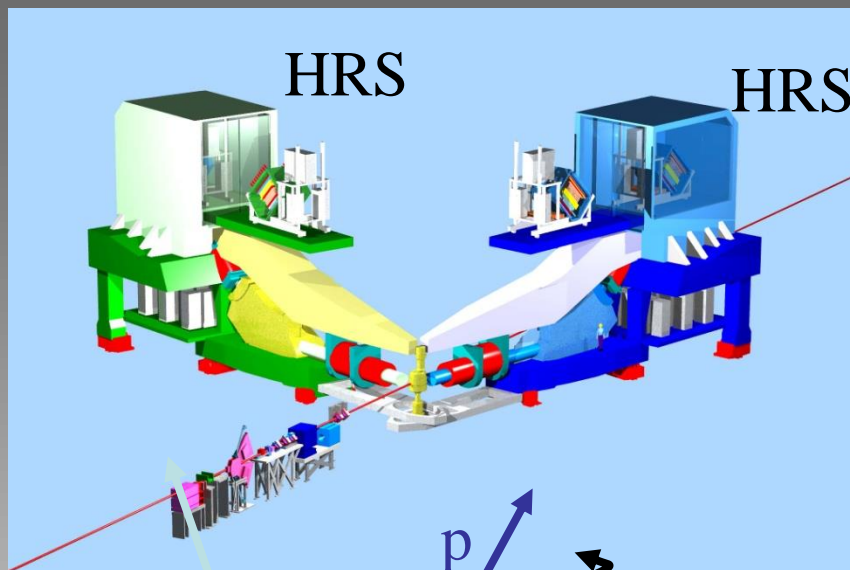
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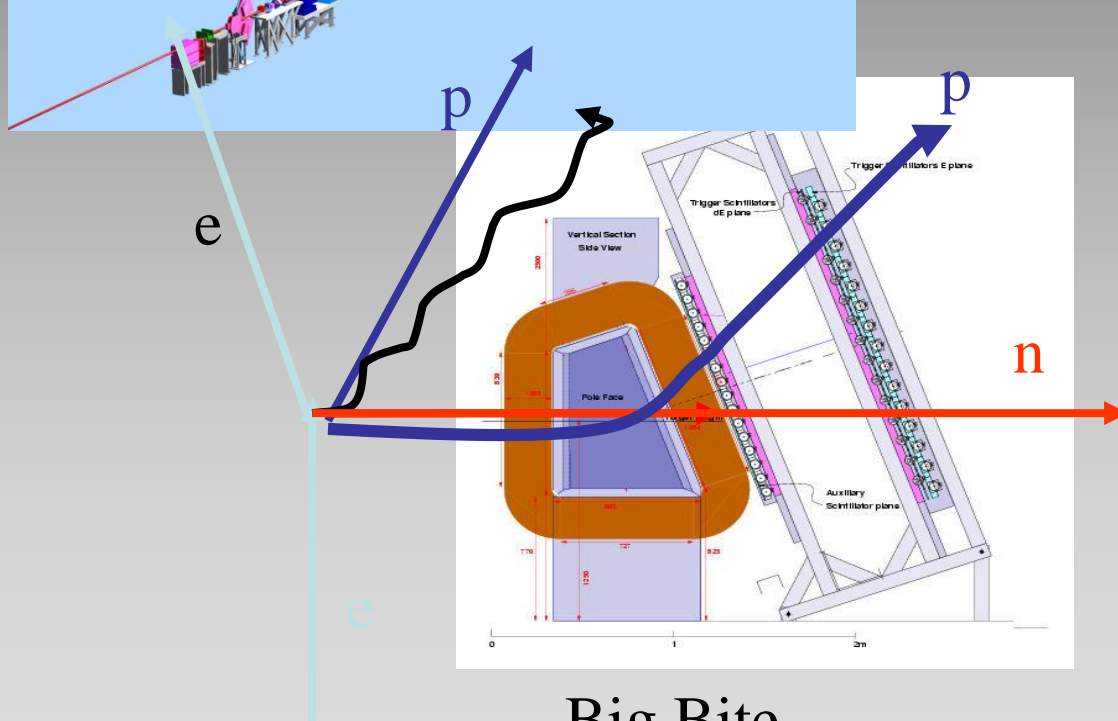


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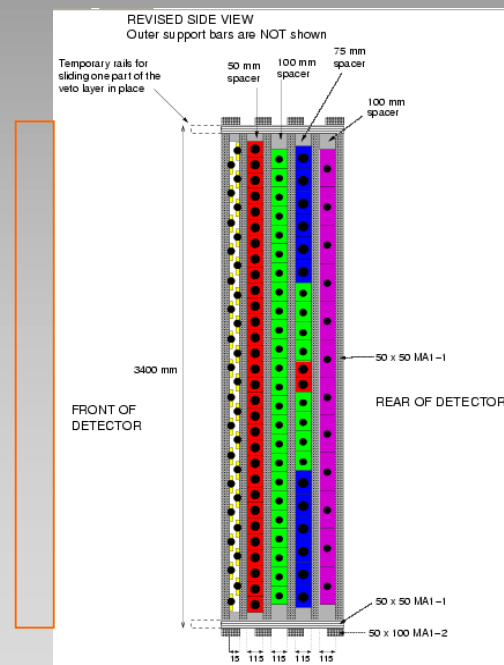
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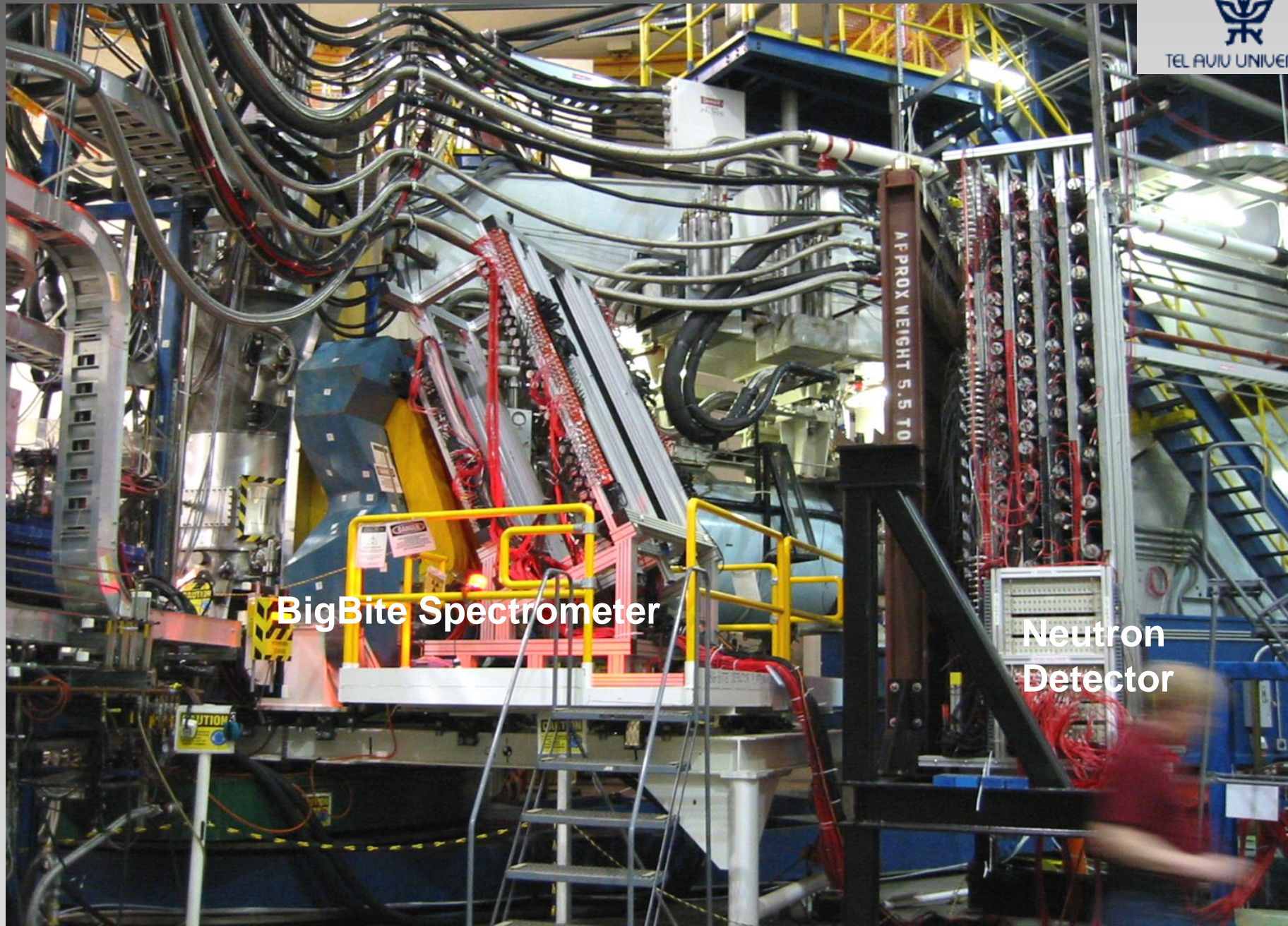
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Big Bite



Lead wall

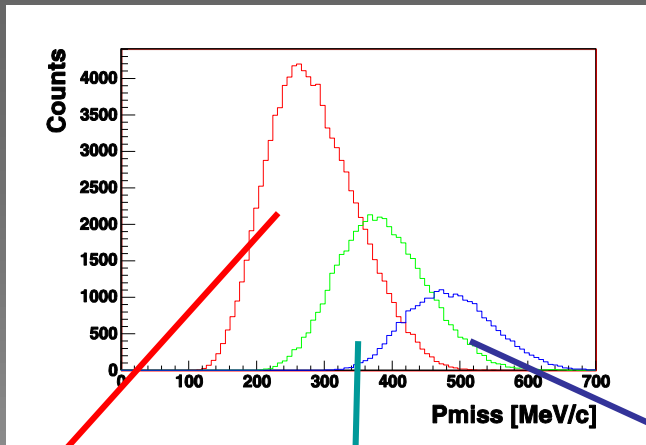


BigBite Spectrometer

Neutron
Detector

$^{12}\text{C}(e,e'p)$

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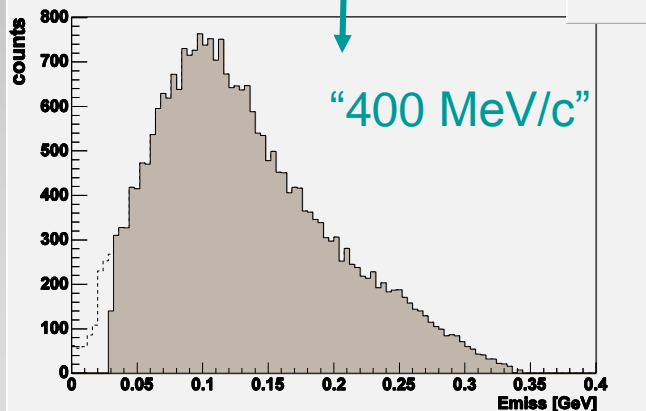
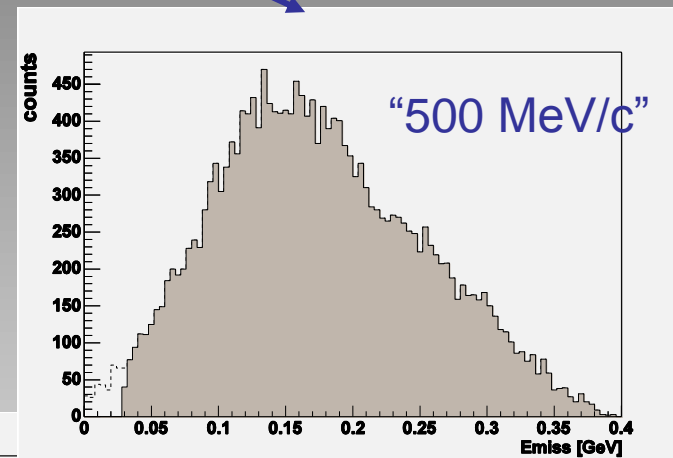
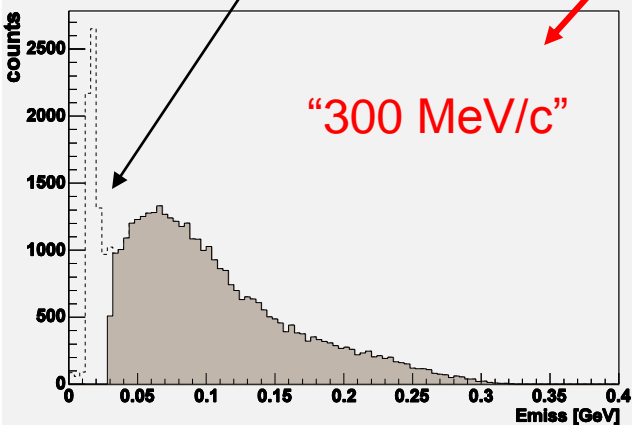


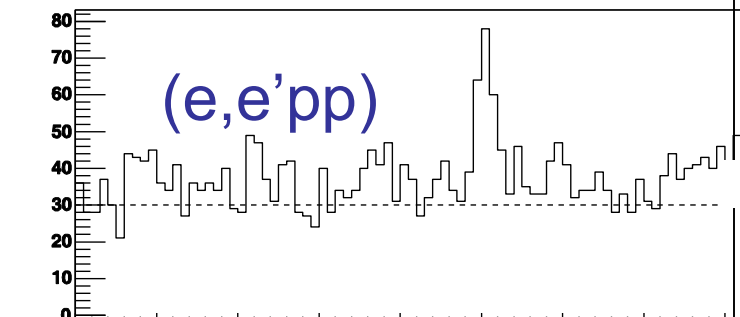
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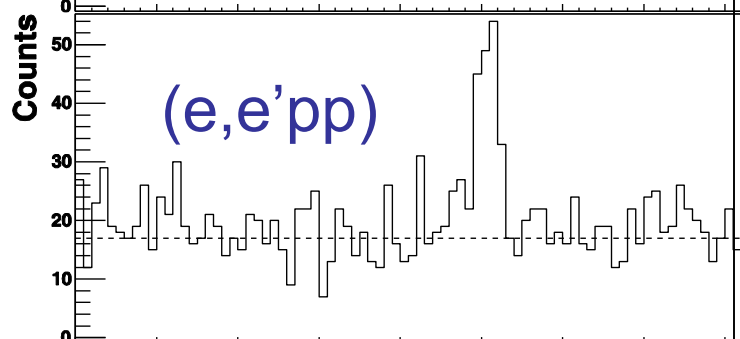
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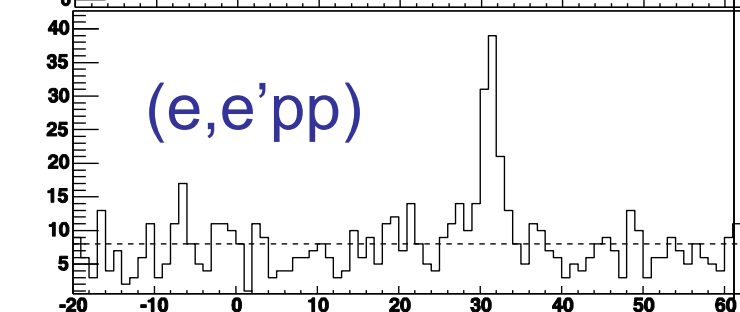
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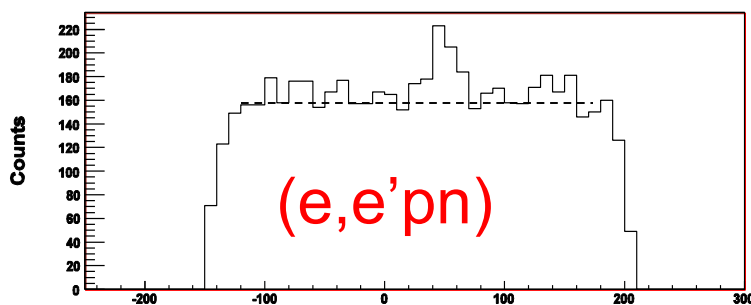
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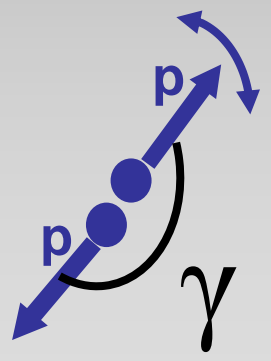
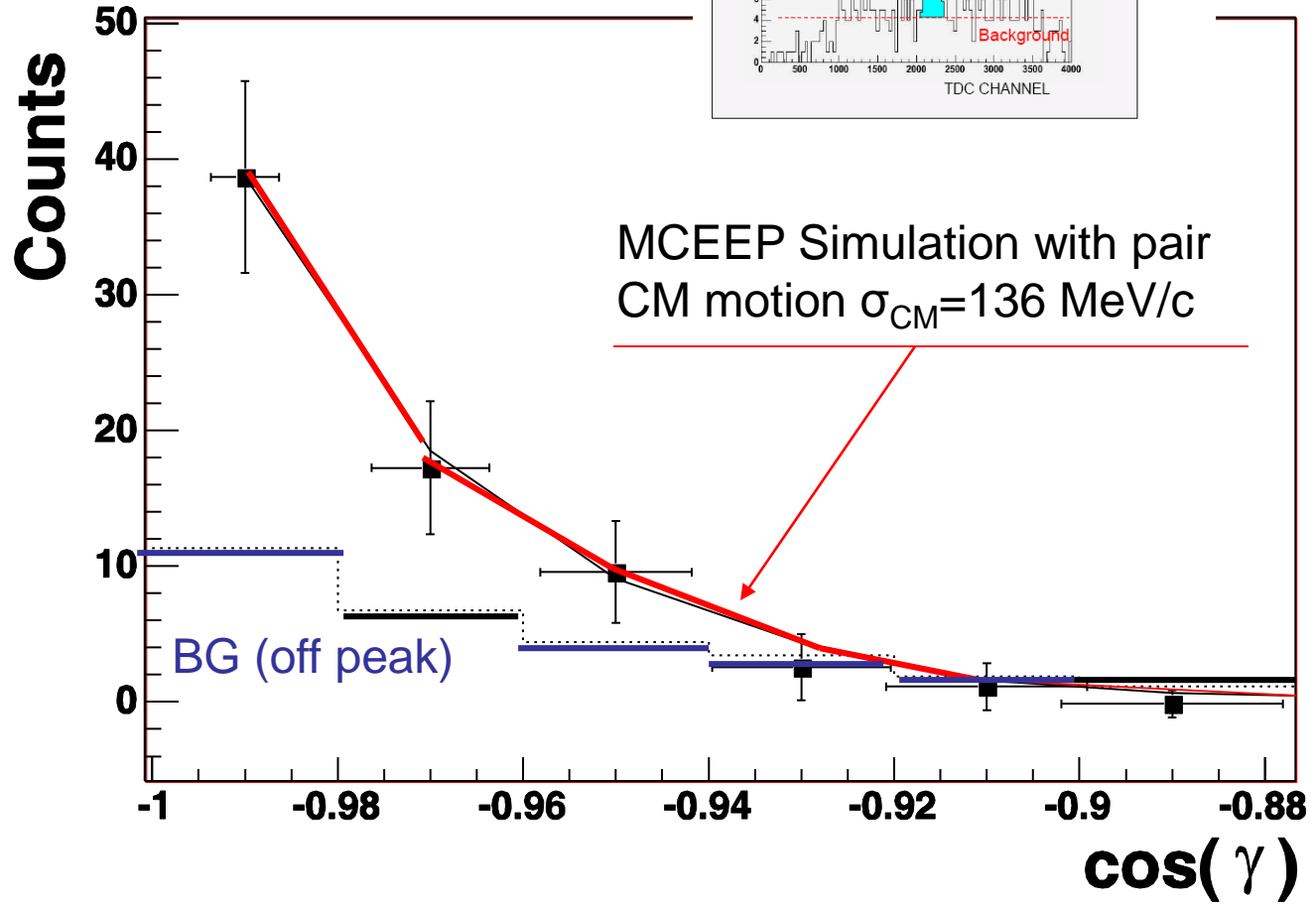
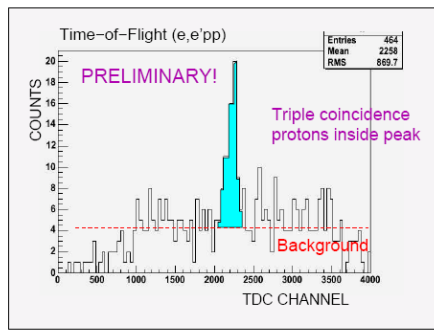
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TOF [ns]

Directional correlation

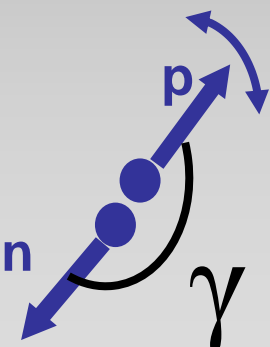
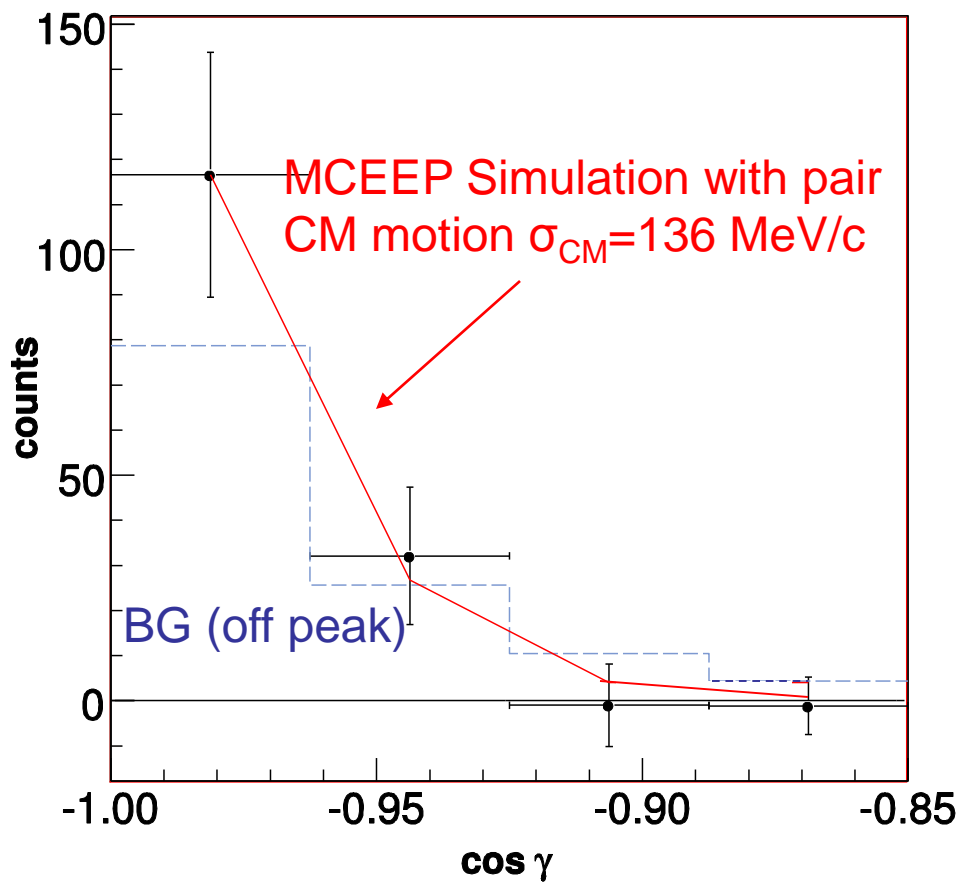
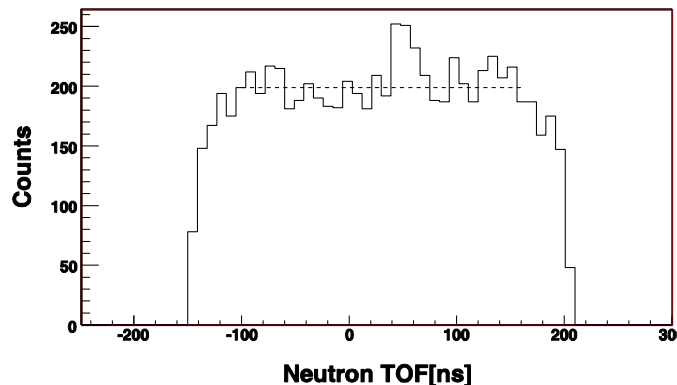
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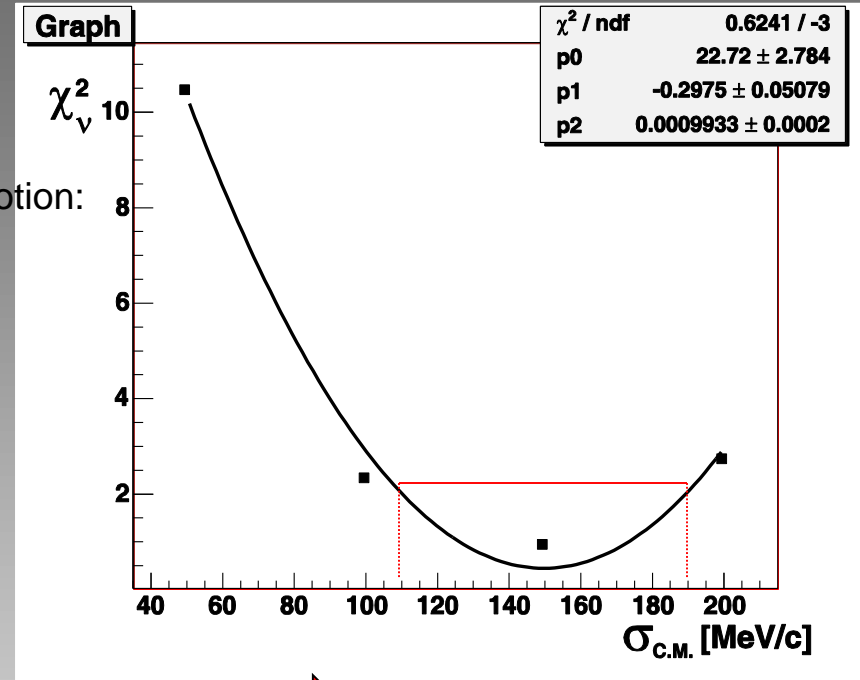
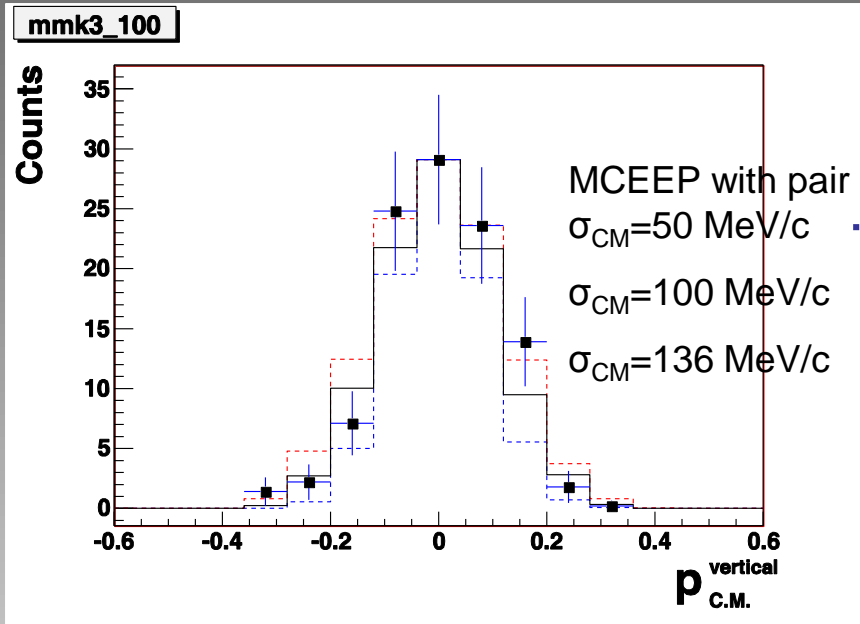
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CM motion of the pair:

$P_{c.m.}^{vertical}$, “500 MeV/c “ setup



2 components of $\vec{p}_{c.m}$ and 3 kinematical setups



This experiment : $\sigma_{CM}=0.136 \pm 0.020$ GeV/c

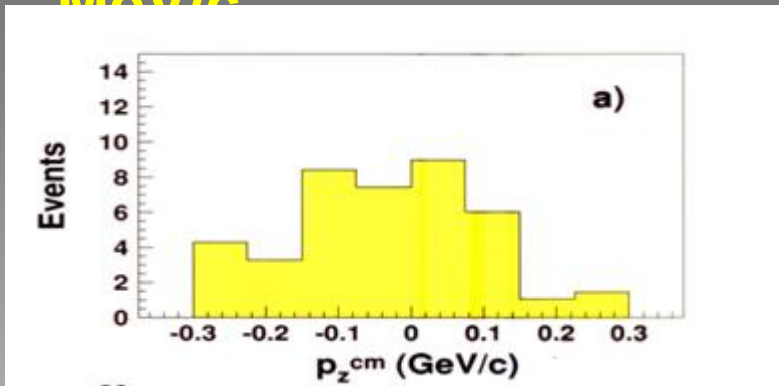
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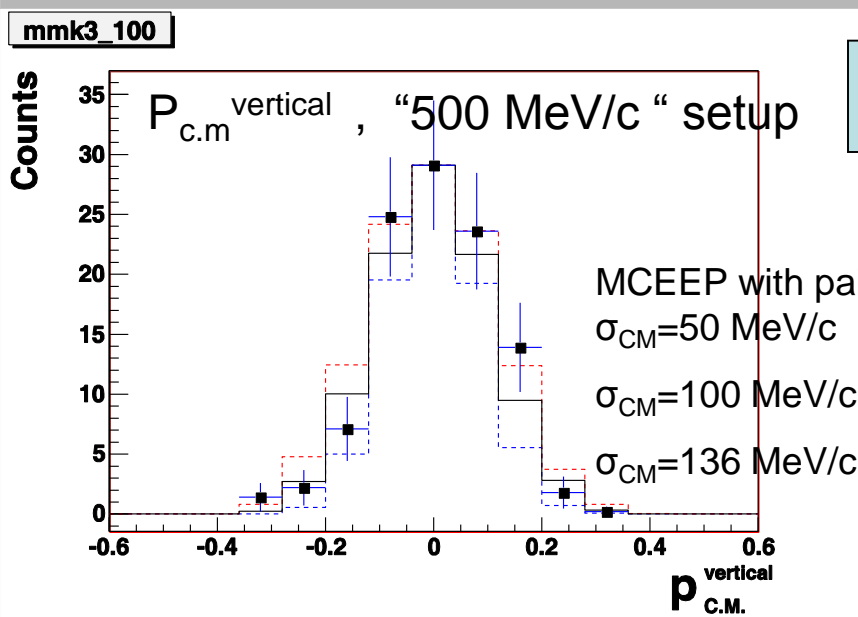


$$p_z^{cm} = 2m\left(1 - \frac{\alpha_p + \alpha_n}{2}\right),$$

A. Tang et al.

B. Phys. Rev. Lett. 90 ,042301 (2003)

(e,e'pp) JLab/E01-15 : $\sigma_{CM}=136 \pm 20$ MeV/c

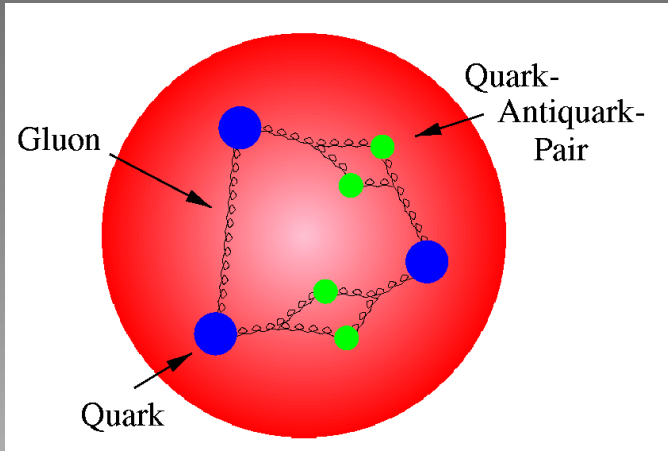


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R. Shneur et al.,

PRL 99, 072501 (2007)

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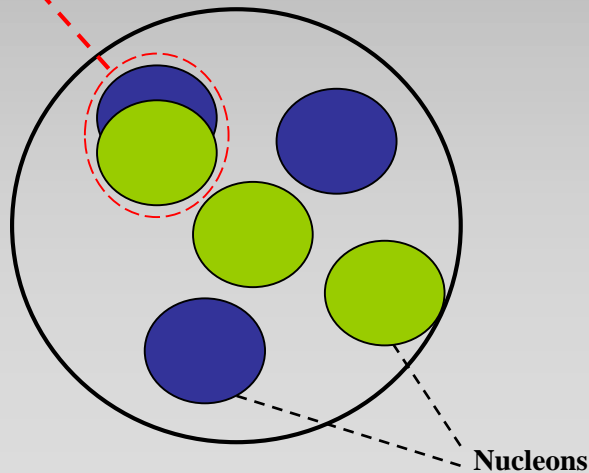
DIS

partonic structure of hadrons
Scale: several tens of GeV

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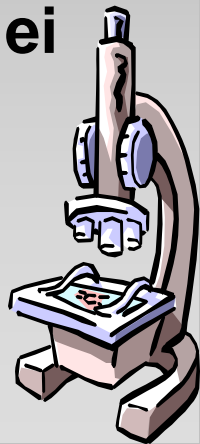
Hard knockout reactions $A(e, e'p)$ and $A(e, e'pN)$

2N-SRC



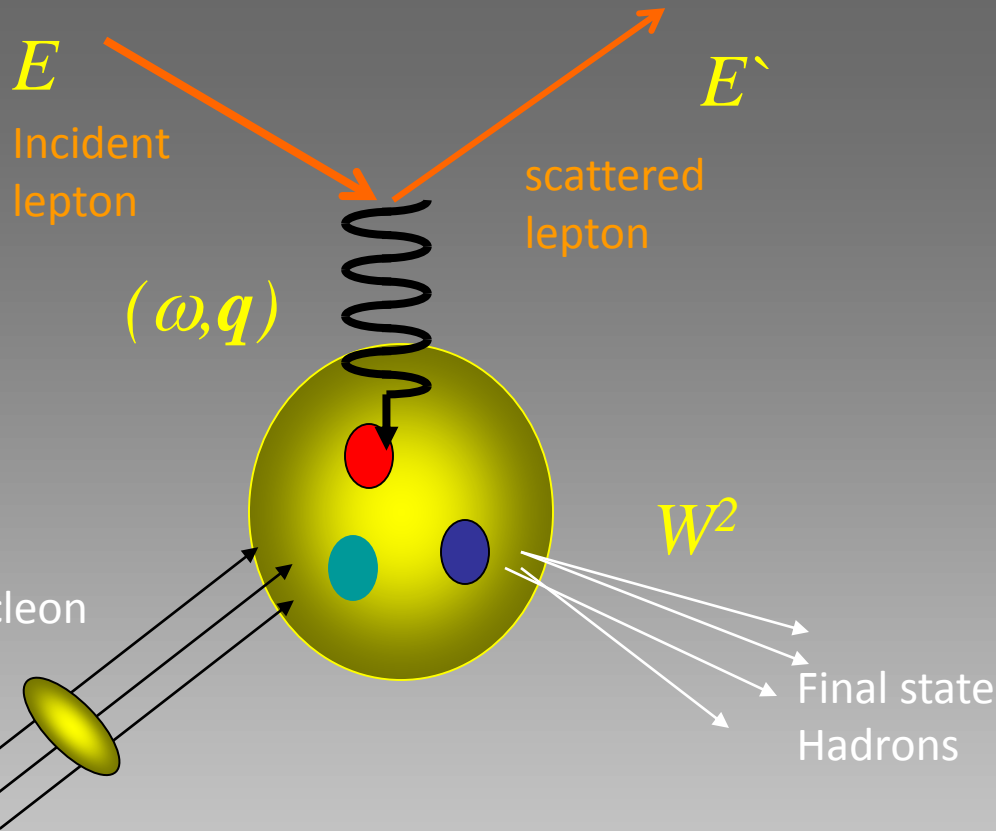
hadronic structure of nuclei

Scale: several GeV





Deep Inelastic Scattering (DIS)



$$Q^2 = -q_\mu q^\mu = q^2 - \omega^2$$

$$\omega = E' - E$$

$$x_B = \frac{Q^2}{2m\omega} \quad \left(= \frac{Q^2}{2(q \cdot p_T)} \right)$$

Electrons, muons, neutrinos

SLAC, CERN, HERA, FNAL, JLAB

E, E' 5-500 GeV

Q^2 5-50 GeV²

$w^2 > 4$ GeV²

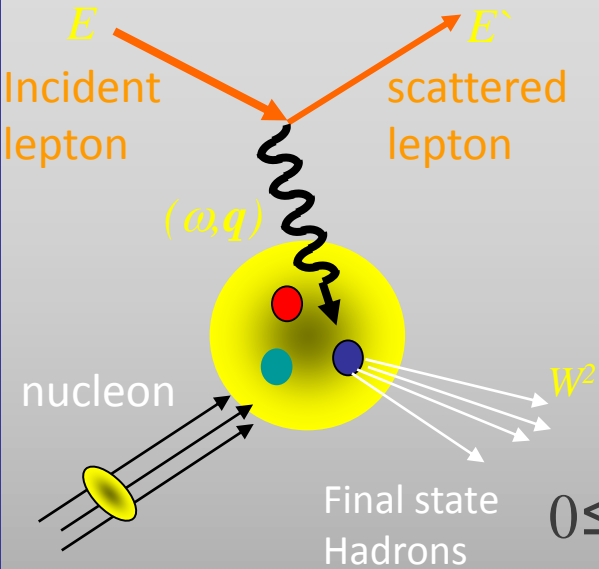
$0 \leq x_B \leq 1$

x_B gives the fraction of nucleon momentum carried by the struck parton

Information about nucleon vertex is contained in $F_1(x, Q^2)$ and $F_2(x, Q^2)$, the unpolarized structure functions

Inclusive electron scattering $A(e,e')$

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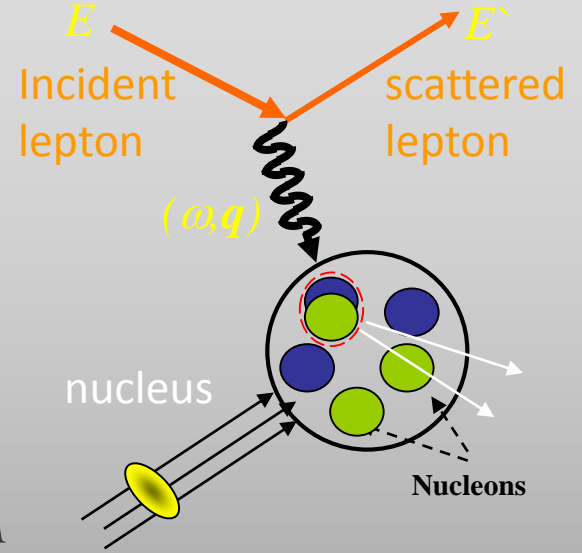
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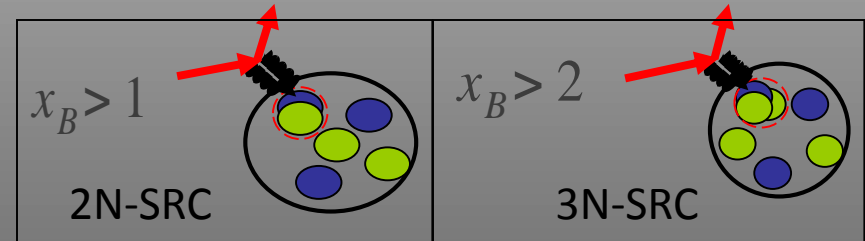
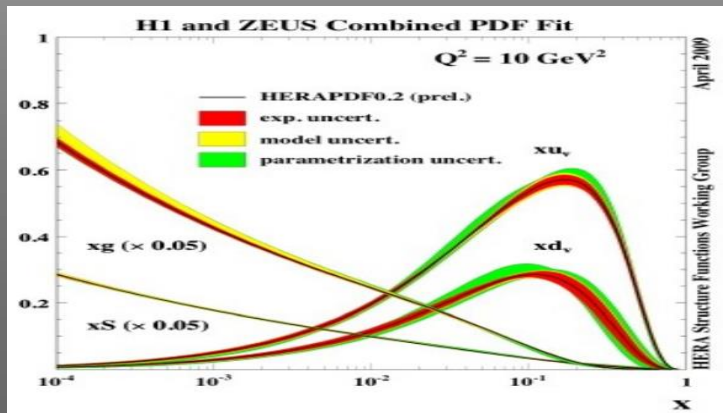
Hard knockout reaction



$$0 \leq x_B \leq A$$

x_B gives the fraction of nucleon momentum carried by the struck parton

x_B counts the number of nucleons involved

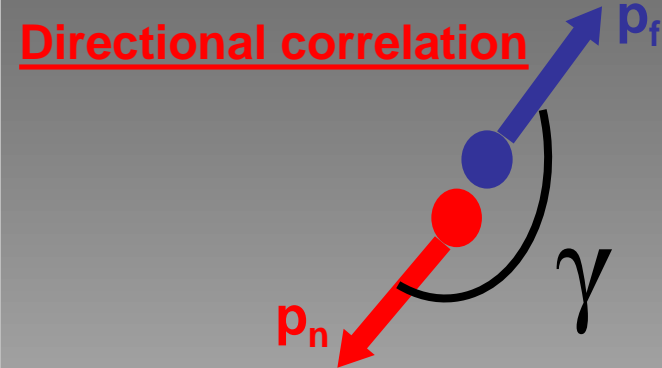


--> scaling

--> Counting the number of SRC clusters in nuclei

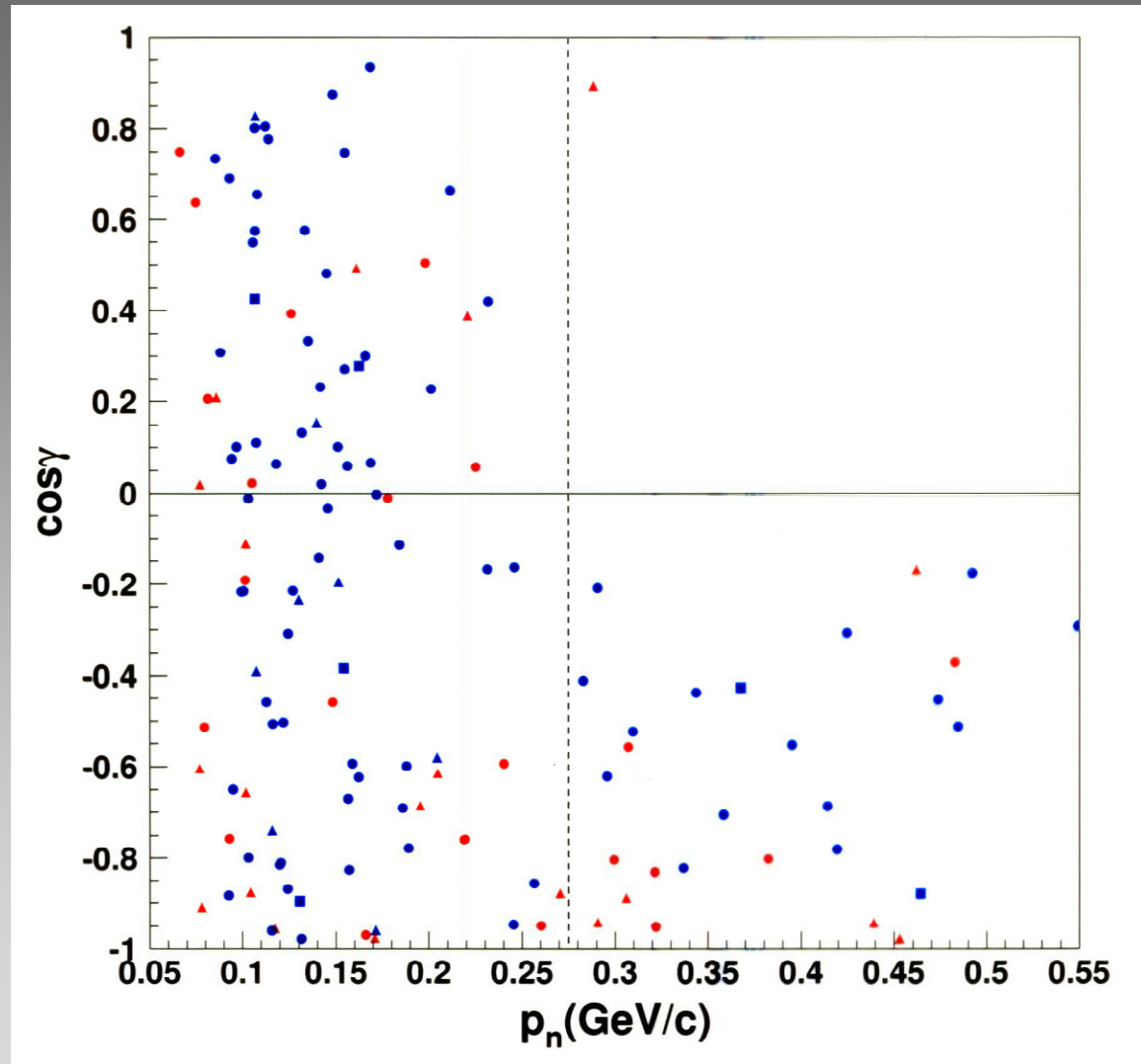
$^{12}\text{C}(p, p'pn)$ measurements at EVA / BNL

A. Tang et al. Phys. Rev. Lett. 90 ,042301 (2003)



Piasetzky, Sargsian, Frankfurt,
Strikman, Watson PRL 162504(2006).

Removal of a proton with
momentum above $275 \text{ MeV}/c$
from ^{12}C is $92 \pm 8_{18} \%$
accompanied by the emission
of a neutron with momentum
equal and opposite to the
missing momentum.



$$\sigma_{\text{CM}} = 0.143 \pm 0.017 \text{ GeV}/c$$

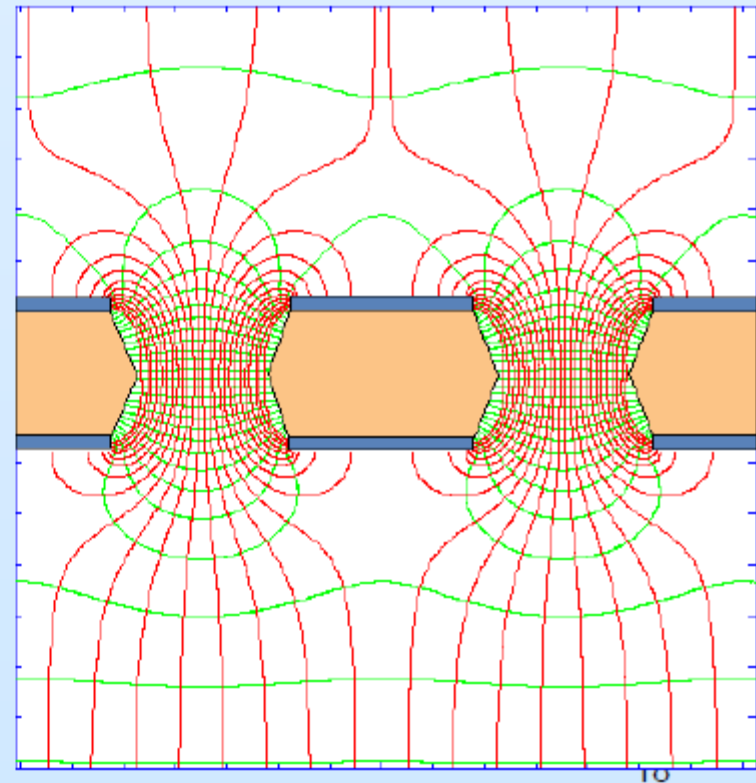
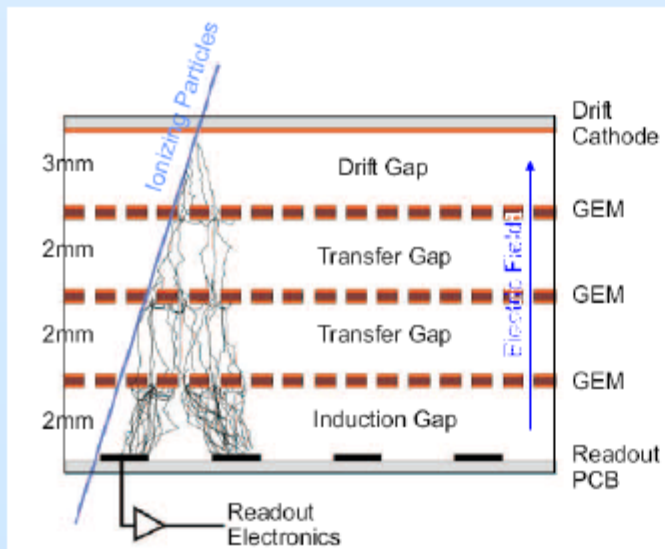
Principle of GEM Detectors

- GEM = Gas Electron Multiplier

introduced by F. Sauli in mid 90's, [F. Sauli et al., NIMA 386 \(1997\) 531](#)

- Copper layer-sandwiched kapton foil with chemically etched micro-hole pattern

→ gas amplification in the hole



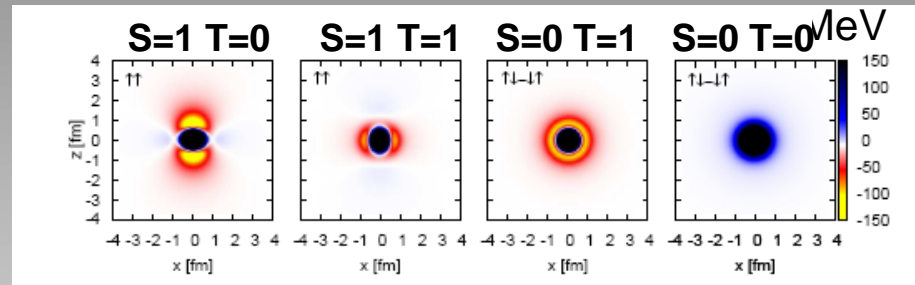
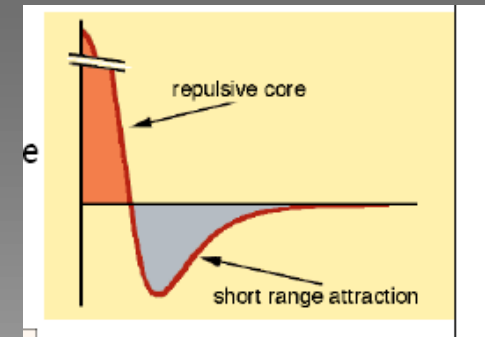
A description of nuclei at distance scales small compared to the radius of the constituent nucleons is needed to take into account,

Short- range repulsion

(common to many other systems)

Intermediate-range tensor attraction

(unique to nuclei)



Argonne V8 potential

ArXiv 1107.4956

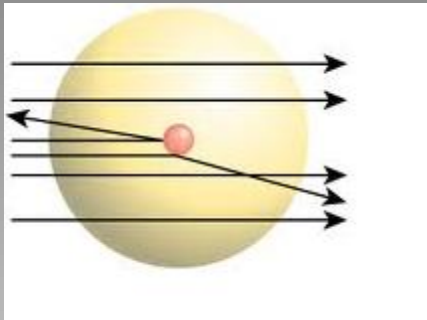
long- range attraction

Very difficult many-body problem

presents a challenge to both experiment and theory

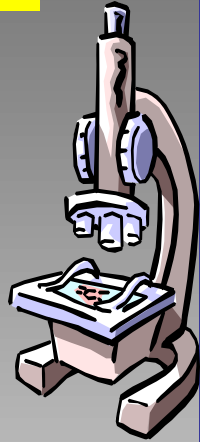
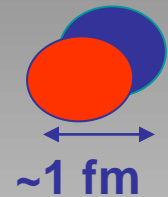
This long standing challenge for nuclear physics can experimentally be effectively addressed thanks to high energy and large momentum-transfer (hard scattering) reached by present facilities.

Hard processes

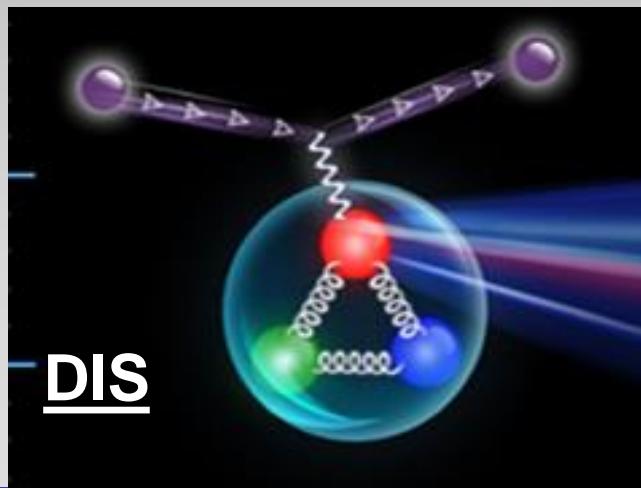


structure of atoms

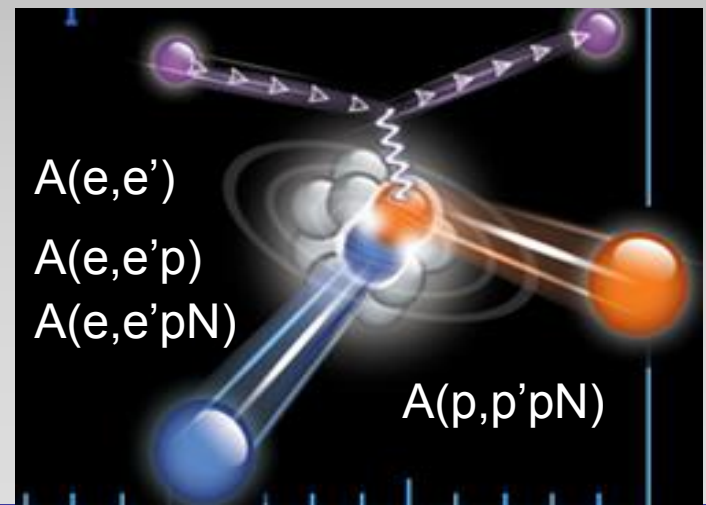
Rutherford scattering



structure of nucleons



structure of nuclei

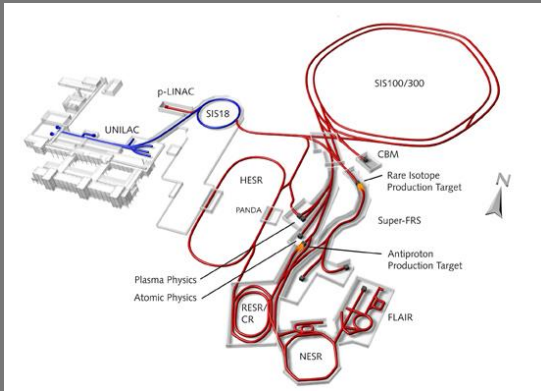
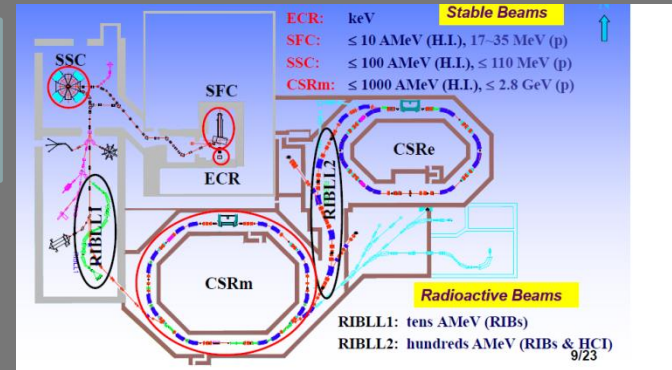




The new facilities:

CSR, Lanzhou

up to 3.6 GeV/c



GSI ->FAIR / PANDA

1.5-15 GeV/c

30 GeV/c



pA@RICH BNL

100 GeV protons on
100 GeV/nucleon heavy ions



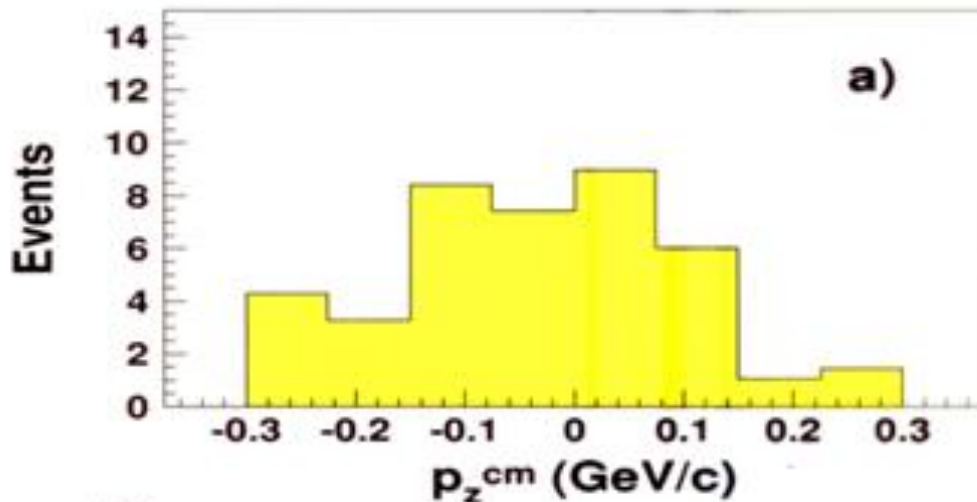
CM motion of the pair (“old” data)

$^{12}\text{C}(p,2pn)$ experiment at BNL : $\sigma_{\text{CM}}=143 \pm 17 \text{ MeV/c}$

$$p_z^{\text{cm}} = 2m \left(1 - \frac{\alpha_p + \alpha_n}{2} \right),$$

- A. Tang et al.
- B. Phys. Rev. Lett. 90 ,042301 (2003)

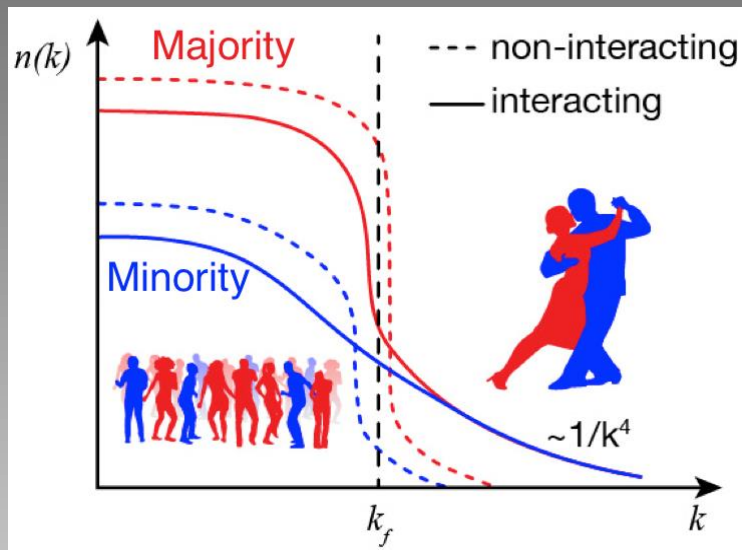
Theoretical prediction (Ciofi and Simula) :
 $\sigma_{\text{CM}}=0.139 \text{ GeV/c}$ PRC 53 (1996) 1689.



**Only ~20 $^{12}\text{C}(p,2p+n)$ events
with $p_n > k_F$**

Asymmetric nuclei $N > Z$:

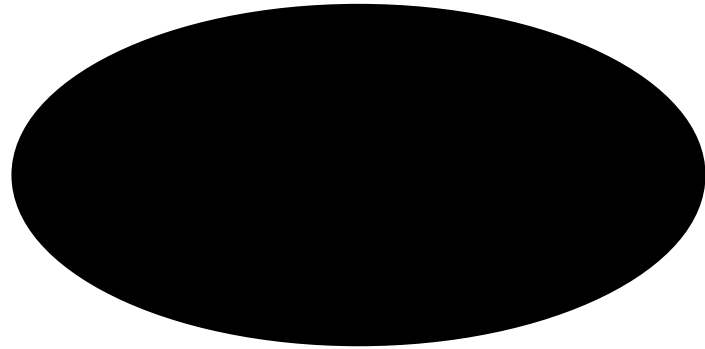
np-SRC dominance



Equal number of protons and neutrons above k_F



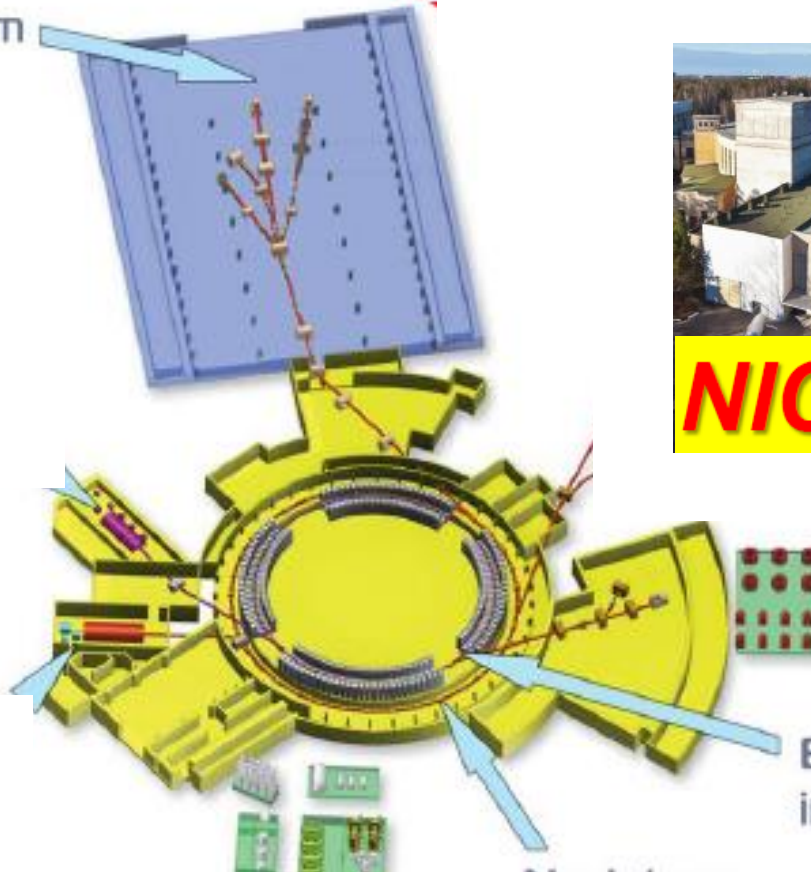
The probability for a proton to be with momentum above k_F is higher than for a neutron



Study of SRC at JINR

Nuclotron based Ion Collider Facility

Fixed target experiments
area (b.205)
Extracted beams from
Nuclotron



NICA

Nuclotron
0,6-4,5 GeV/u

Beam	Nuclotron beam intensity (particle per cycle)		
	Current	Ion source type	New ion source + booster
p	$3 \cdot 10^{10}$	Duoplasmatron	$5 \cdot 10^{12}$



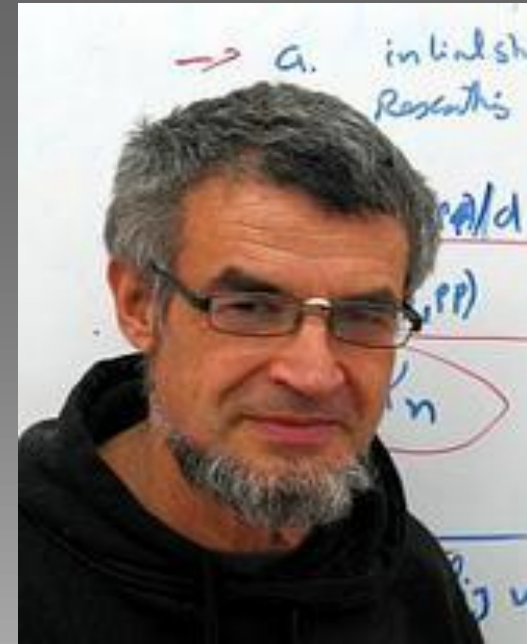
Or Hen



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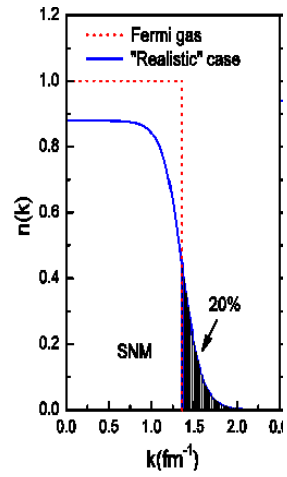


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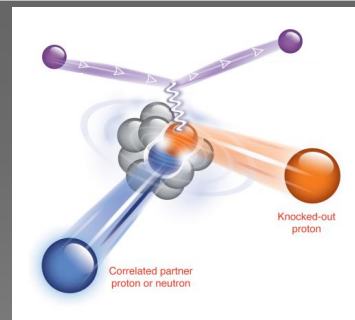


Eli Piassetzky





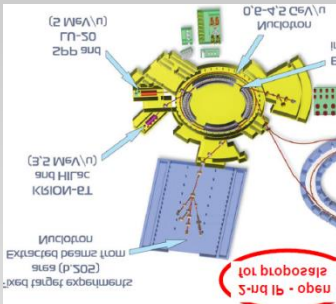
Number of hard triple coincidence events (World data)



experiment	pp pairs	np pairs	nn pairs
EVA/BNL	-	18	-
E01-015/JLab	263	179	-
E07-006/JLab	50	223	-
CLAS/JLab	1533	-	-
Total	<2000	<450	0

$^{12}\text{C}(p, 2pn)$
 $^{12}\text{C}(e, e' pn)$ $^{12}\text{C}(e, e' pp)$
 $^4\text{He}(e, e' pn)$ $^4\text{He}(e, e' pp)$
 $\text{C, Al, Fe, Pb}(e, e' pp)$

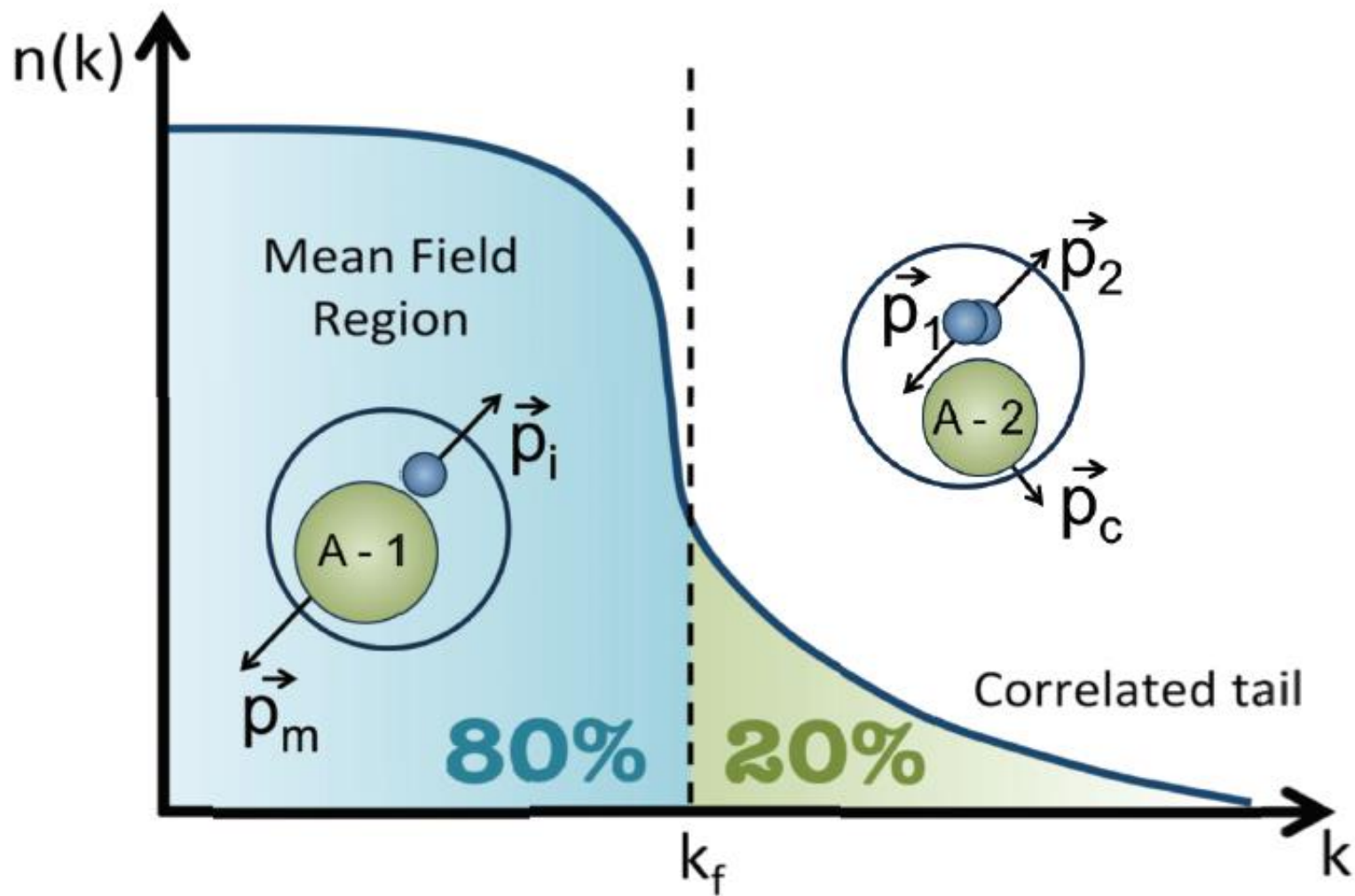
Why are we here ?



Nuclotron

→ >10k events
Before 2018

5 GeV/c 10^9 protons/sec fixed target



We want to investigate SRCs with new probes.

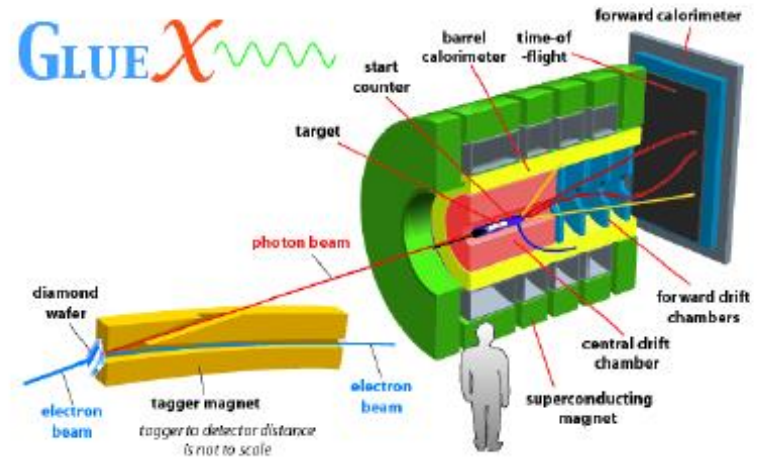
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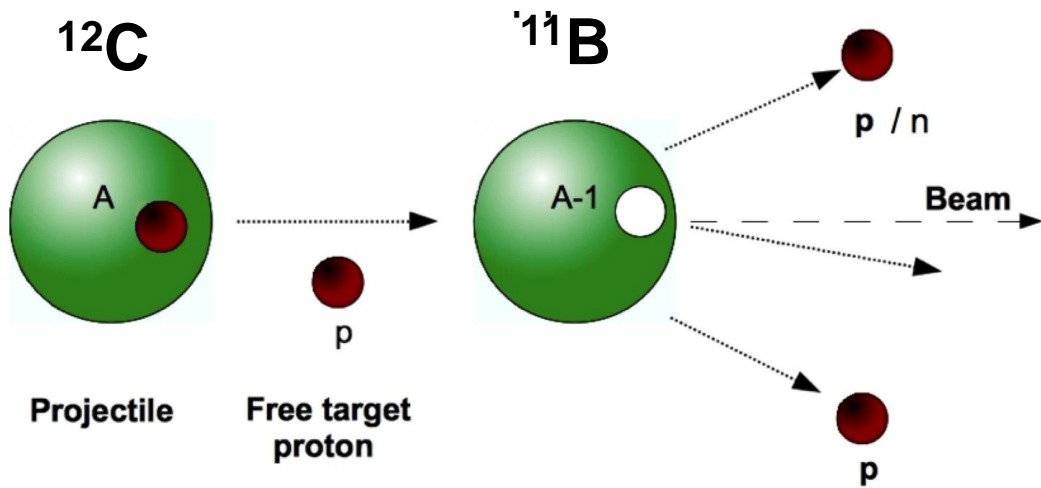
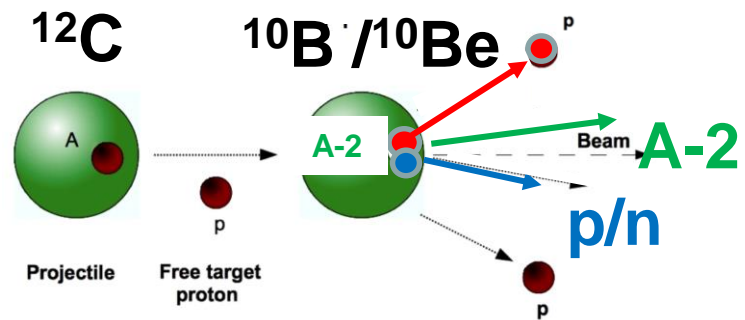
- 1 Inverse kinematics at Dubna
- 2 Protons at GSI
- 3 Photons at GlueX

Glue-X: study SRC pairs with real photons.

- Glue-X detector at JLab Hall D
- Study neutrons with charged final states:
 - $\gamma n \rightarrow \pi^- p$
- Tests of vector meson dominance and transparency

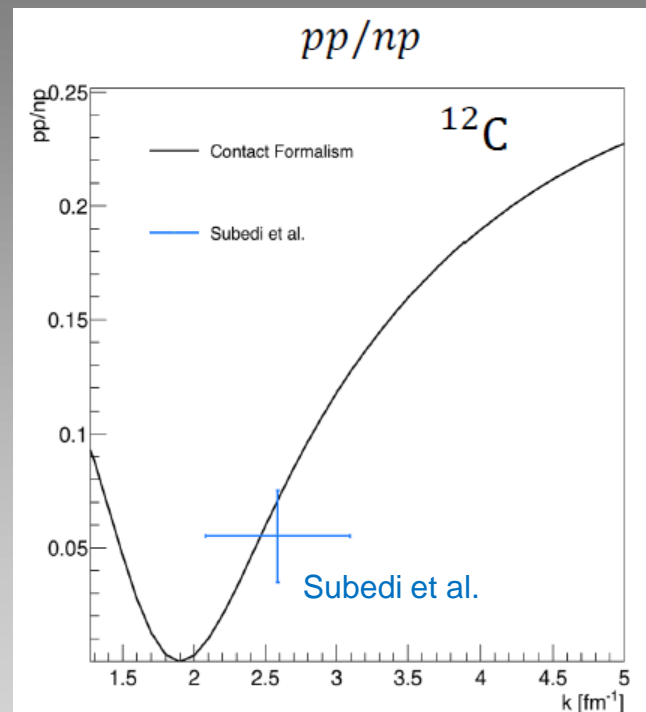
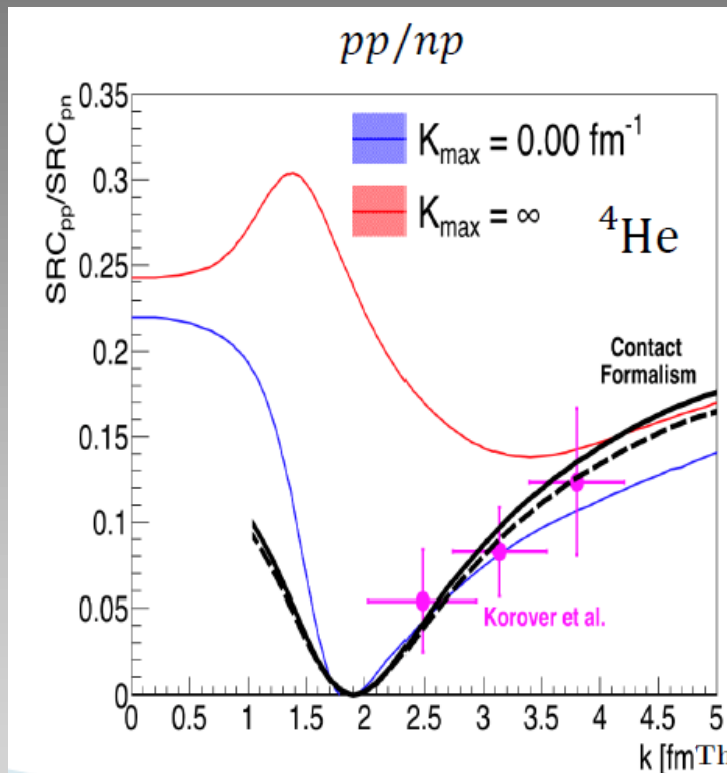
For details talk with Maria Patsyuk





Nuclear contact calculations

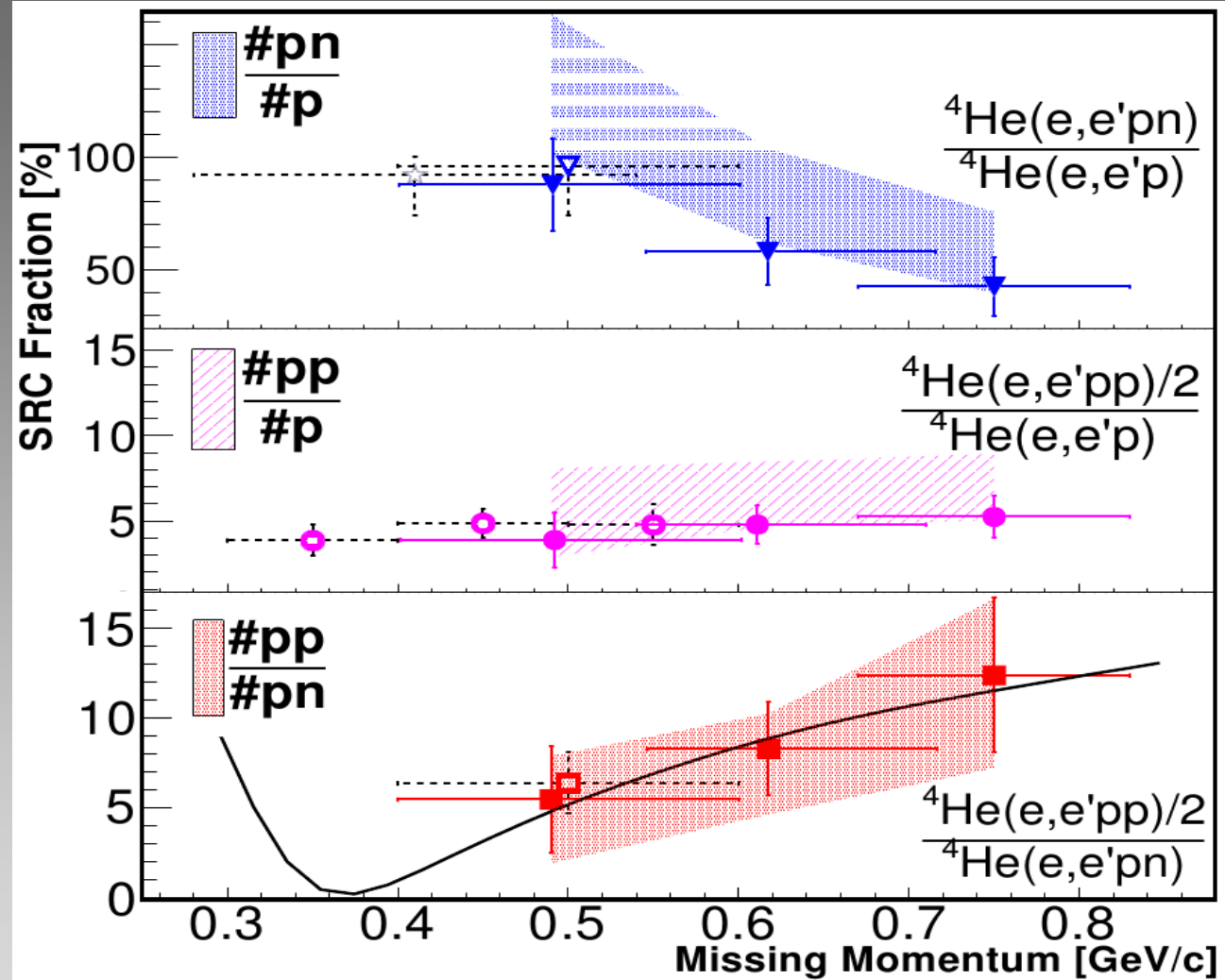
(Weiss, Cruz-Torres, Barnea, Piassetzky, Hen)



The nuclear contacts and short range correlations in nuclei

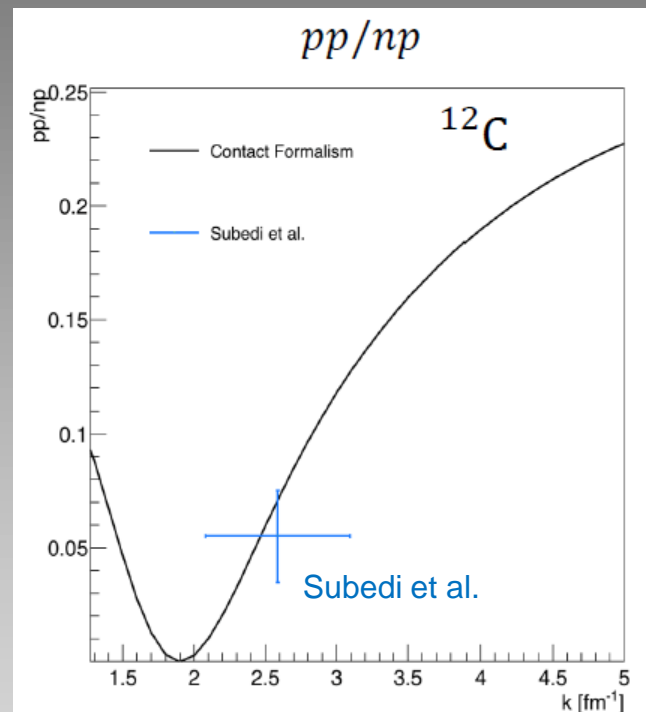
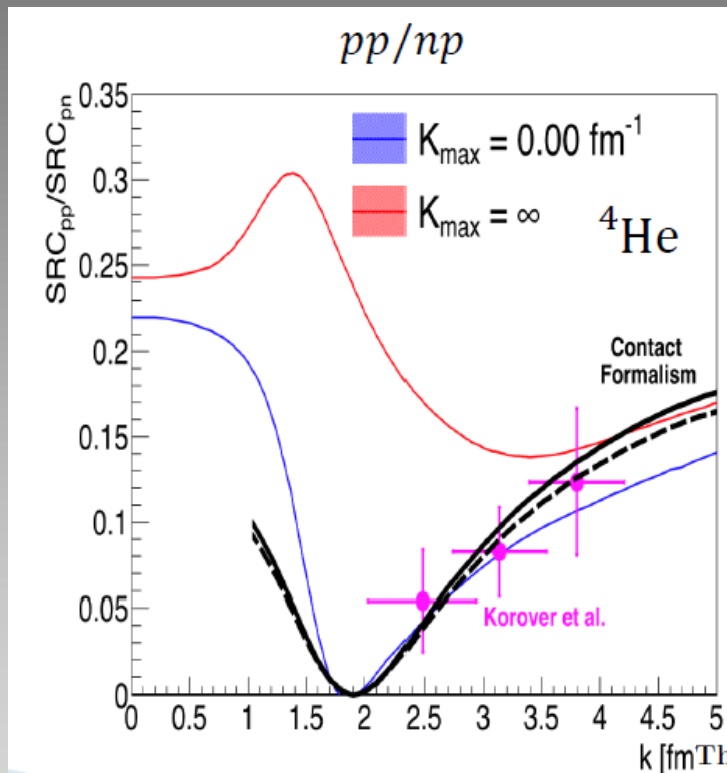
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New Jlab
 experiment
 extend the SRC
 measurement to
 $P_{\text{miss}} = 850 \text{ MeV}/c$



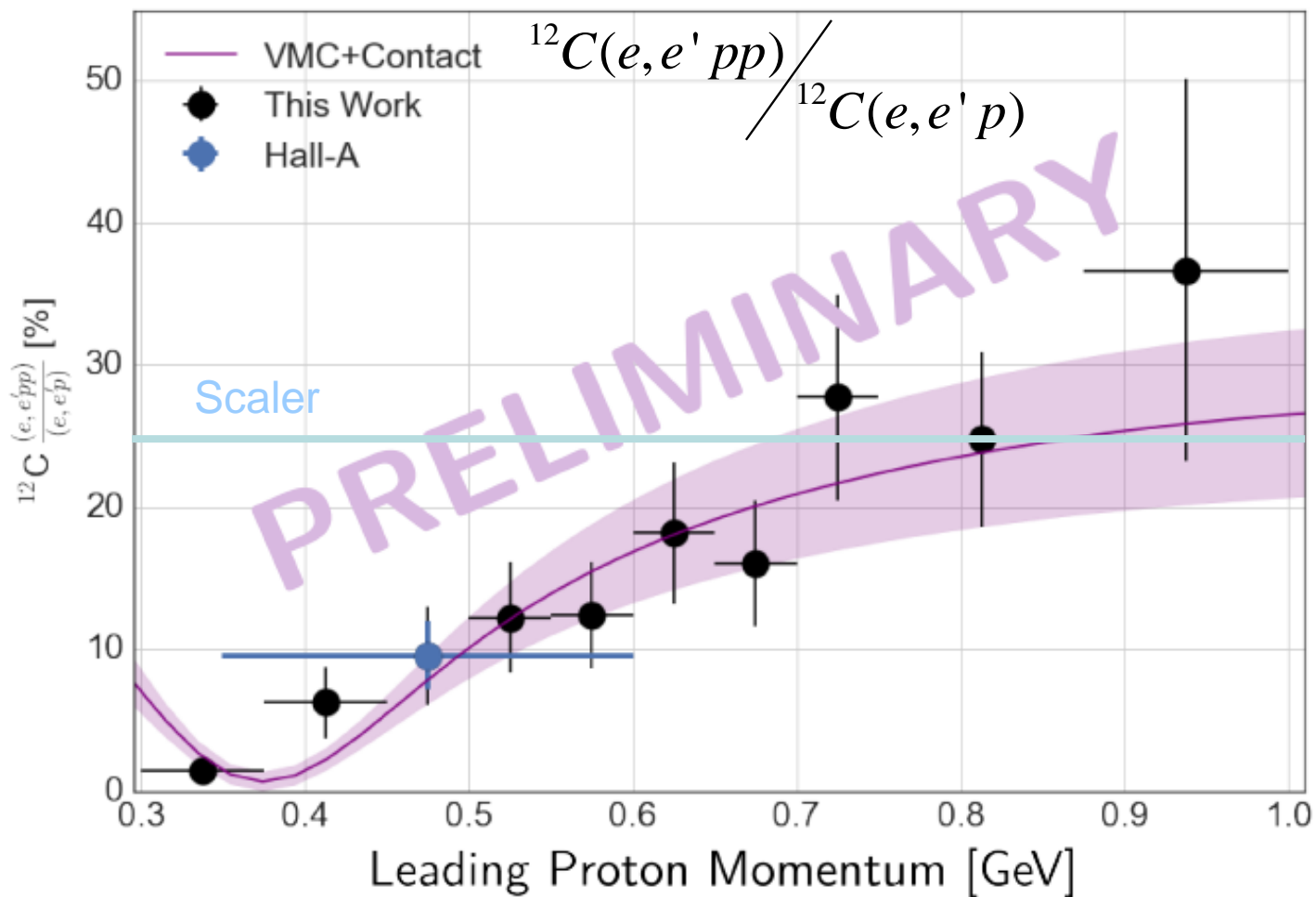
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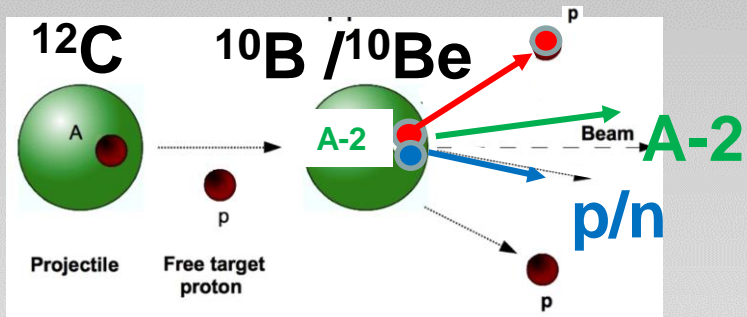
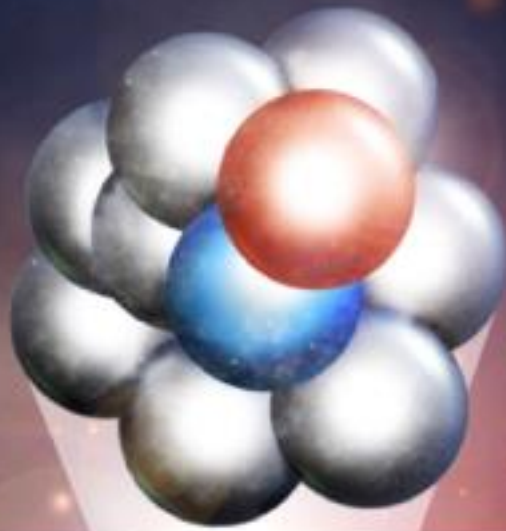
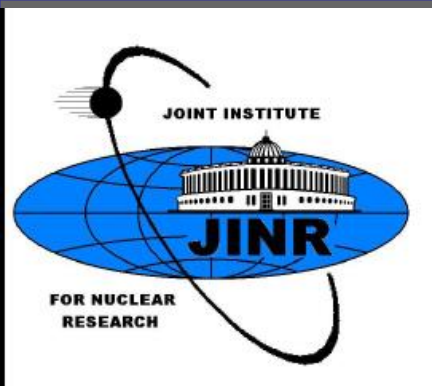
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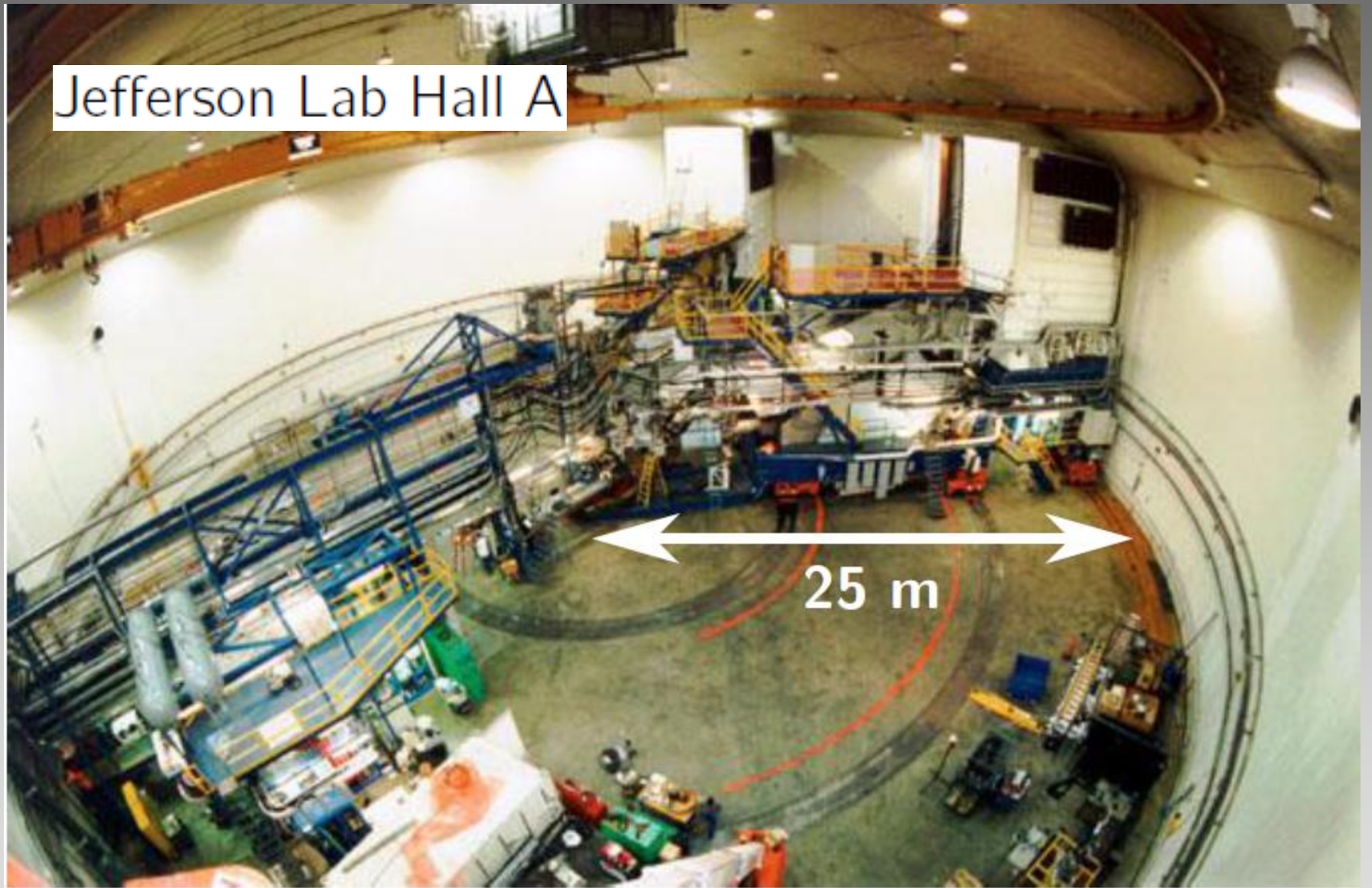




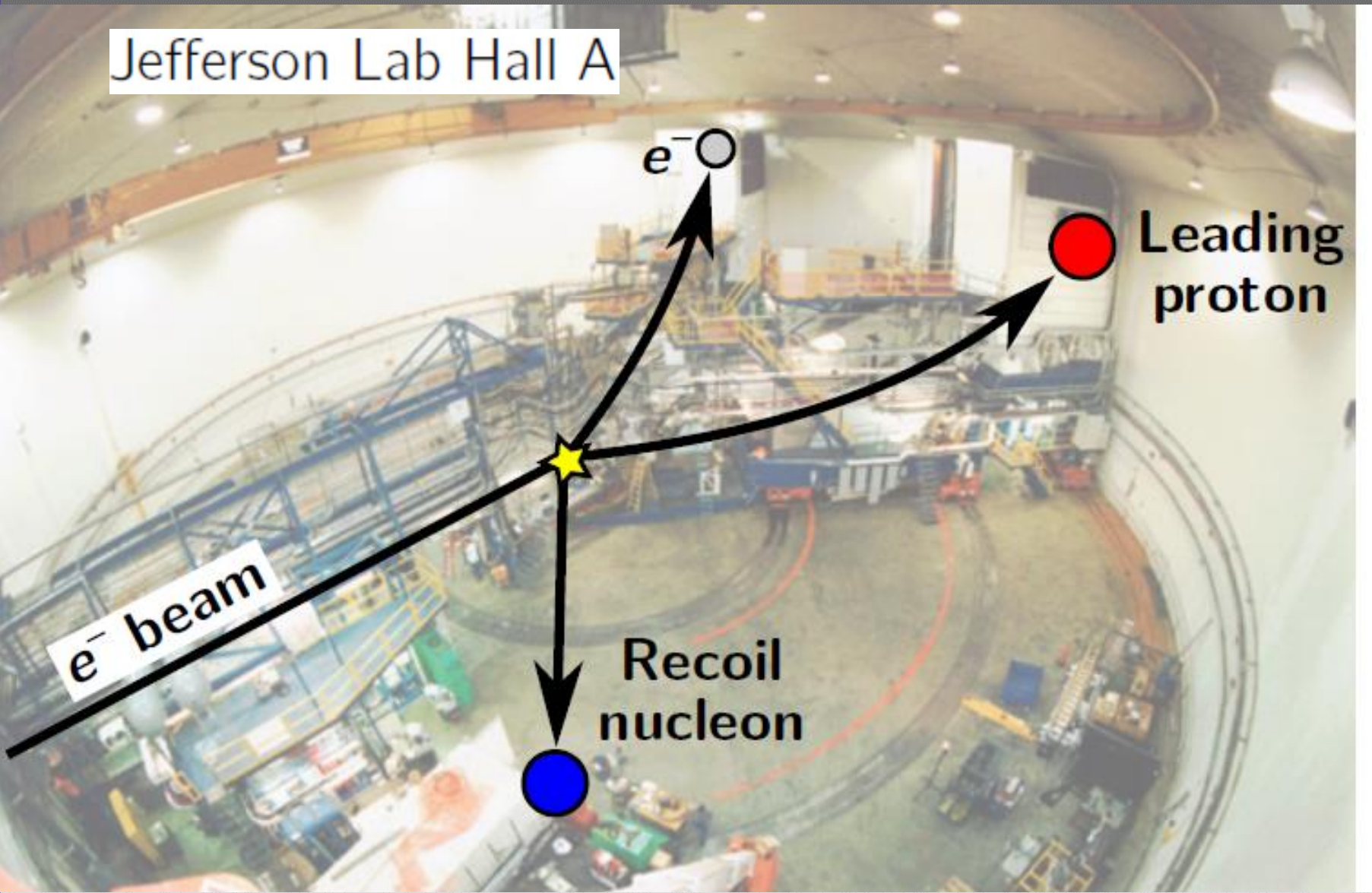
SRC @ JINR Dubna



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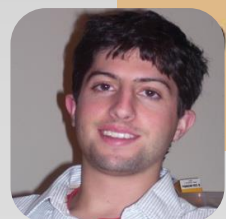
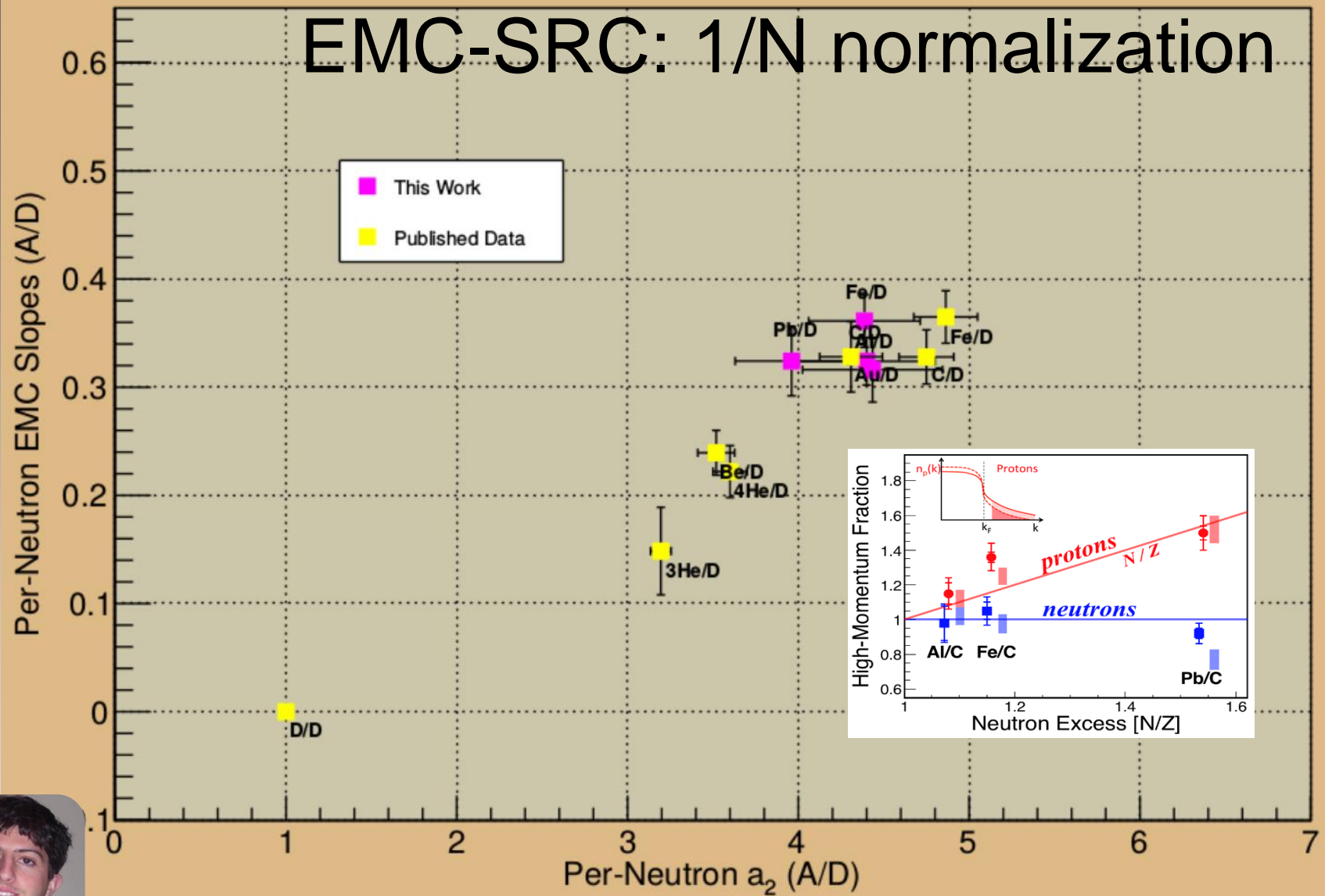
e^- beam

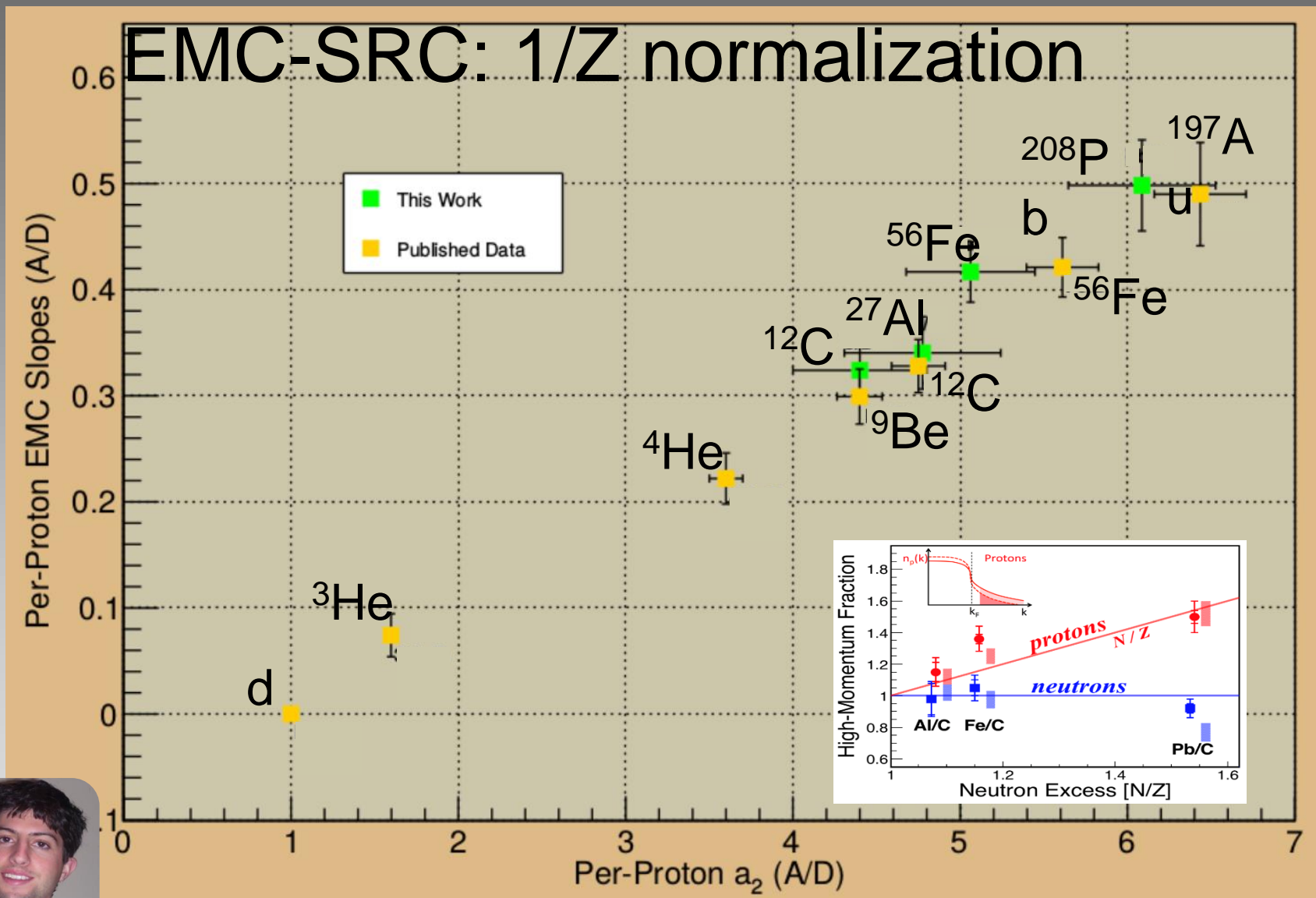
e^- O

Leading proton

Recoil nucleon

EMC-SRC: 1/N normalization

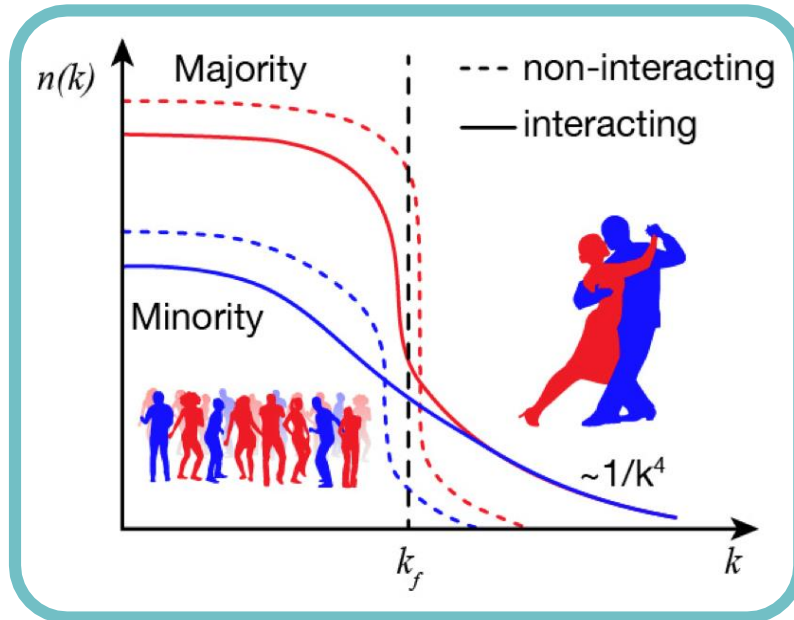




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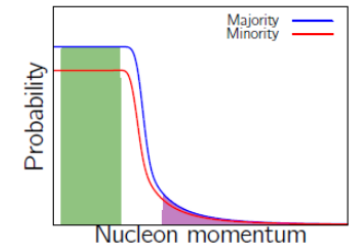


np-dominance in asymmetric nuclei



M. Sargsian Phys. Rev. C89(2014)3, 034305

O. Hen et al., Science 346, 614 (2014)



N > Z

$$\langle T_{p(n)} \rangle = \int n_{p(n)} \cdot \frac{k^2}{2m} \cdot d^3 k$$

Pauli principle



$$\langle T_n \rangle > \langle T_p \rangle$$

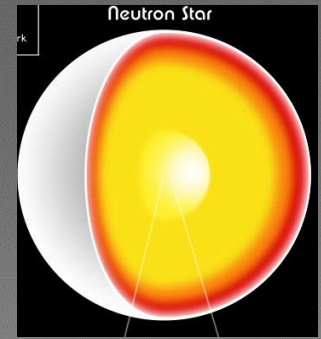
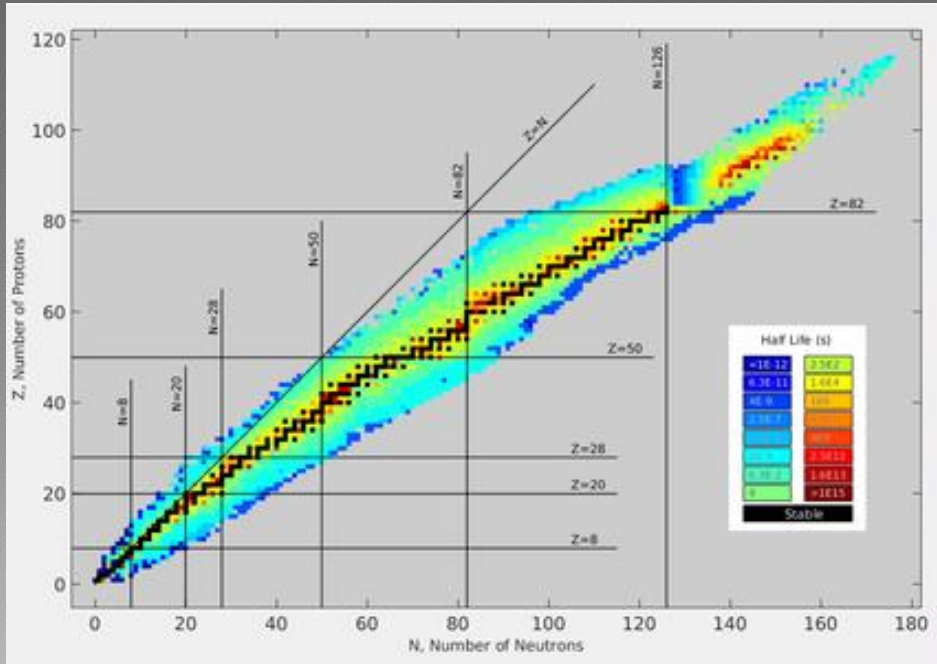
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$$\langle T_p \rangle \stackrel{?}{>} \langle T_n \rangle$$



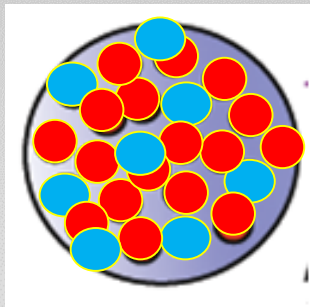
Possible inversion of the momentum sharing



$$A \approx \frac{M_{\square}}{M_p} \approx 10^{57}$$

$$N / Z \approx 95\% / 5\% = 20$$

$$\rho_0 = 2 - 5 \rho_0$$

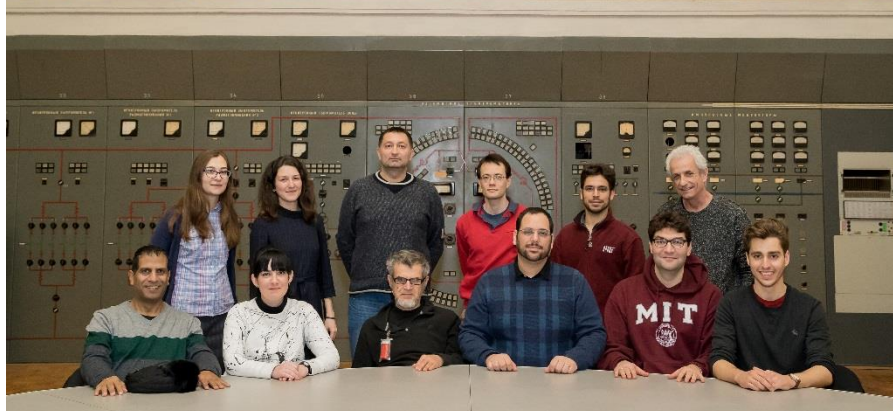
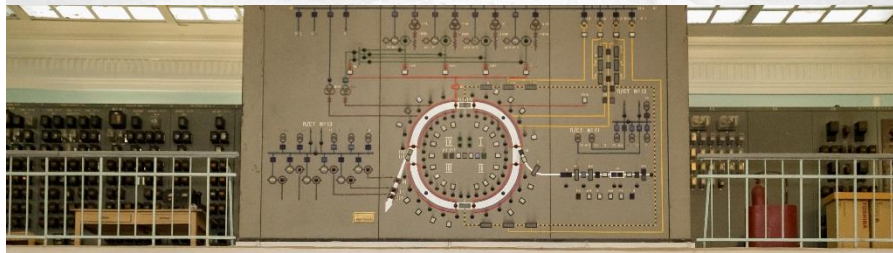


Had

$$A < 200 \text{ (300)}$$

$$N/Z < 1.5 \text{ (2.5)}$$

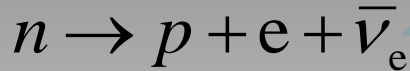
$$\rho_0 = 0.17 N / \text{fm}^3$$



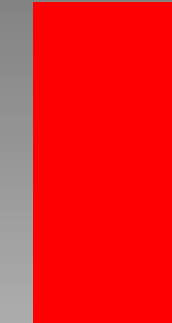
• ~95% neutrons, ~5% protons ~5% electrons (β -stability).

• three separate Fermi gases (n, p, e).

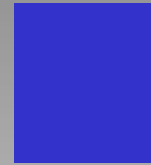
Pauli blocking prevent
direct n decay



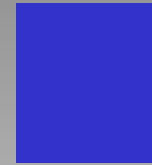
Magnetic field



k_{Fermi}^n



k_{Fermi}^p



k_{Fermi}^e

At T=0

$$\frac{\langle E_k^p \rangle}{\langle E_k^n \rangle} = \frac{k_F^p}{k_F^n} = \left(\frac{n_p}{n_n} \right)^{1/3} = \left(\frac{5-10\%}{90-95\%} \right)^{1/3} \approx \frac{1}{2-3}$$

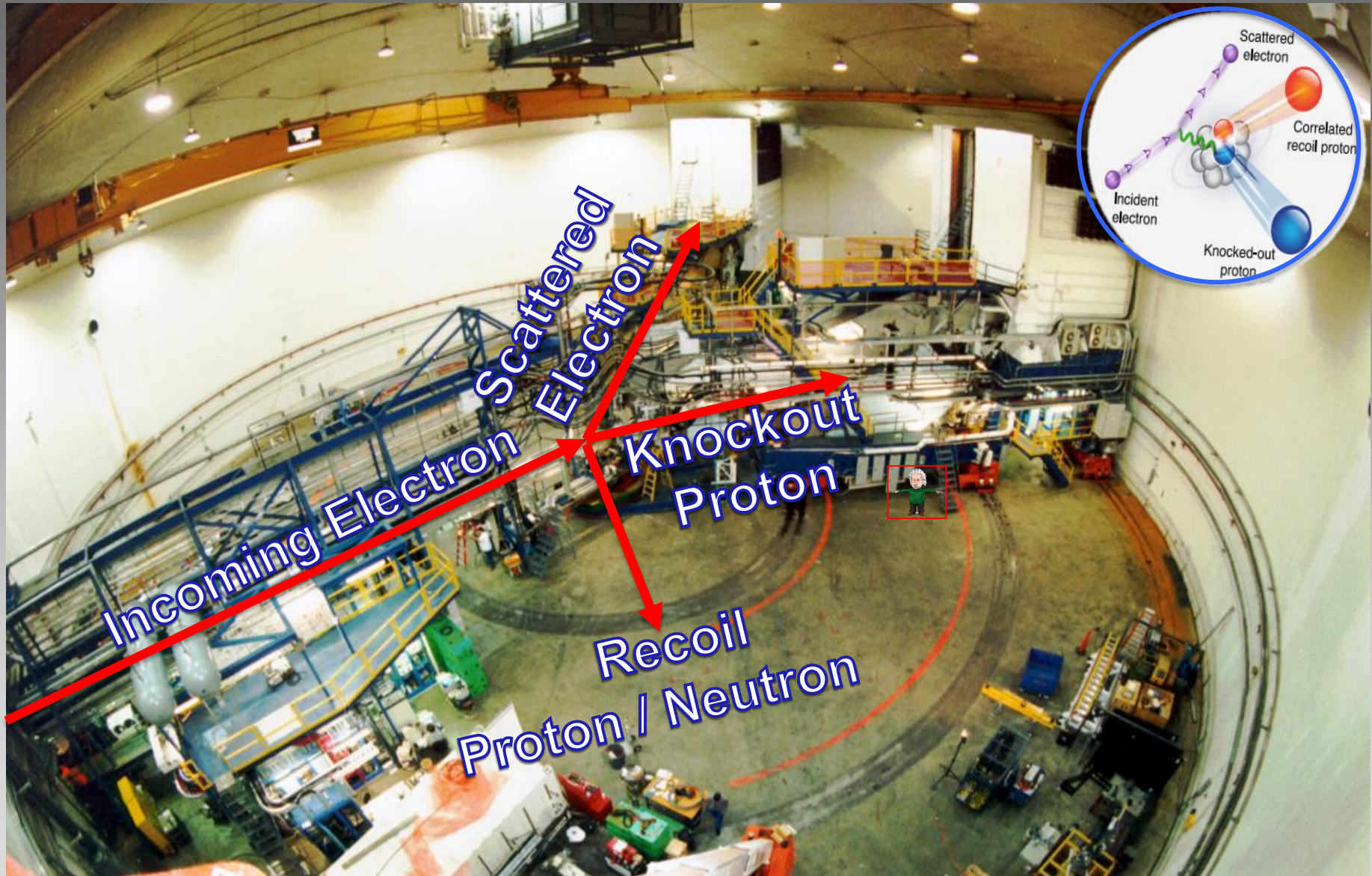
SRC in neutron rich nuclei

$$\frac{\langle E_k^p \rangle}{\langle E_k^n \rangle} > 1$$

in neutron stars



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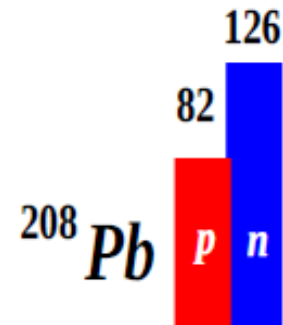


Pauli principle



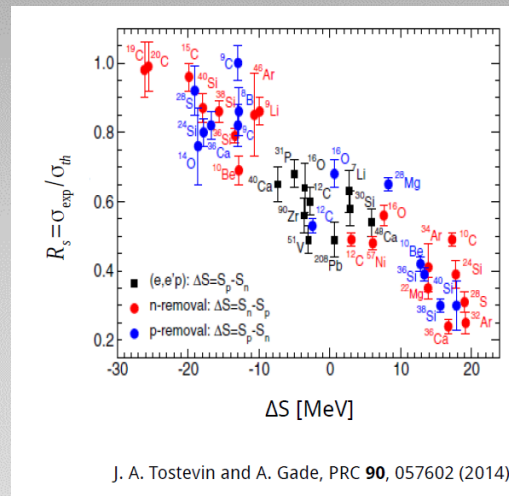
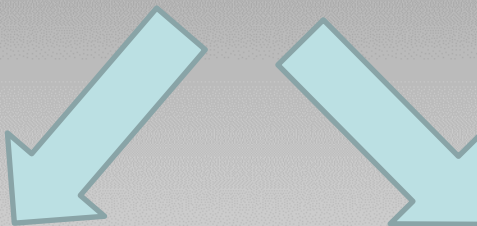
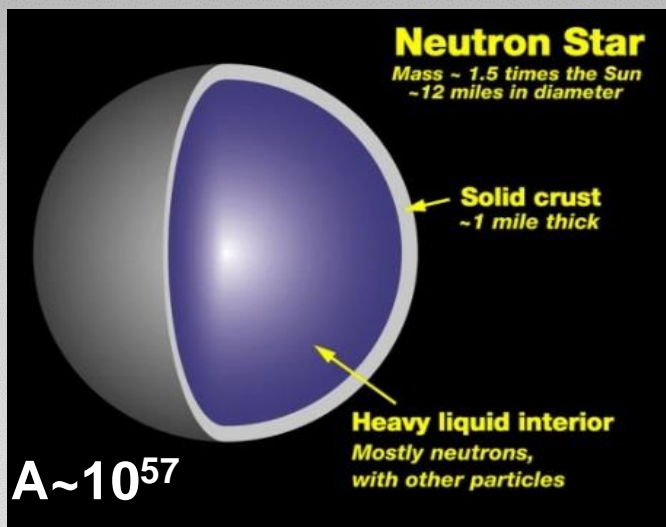
~~$$\langle E_n^{kin} \rangle > \langle E_p^{kin} \rangle$$~~

In neutron-rich nuclei (N>Z)



$$\langle E_p^{kin} \rangle > \langle E_n^{kin} \rangle$$

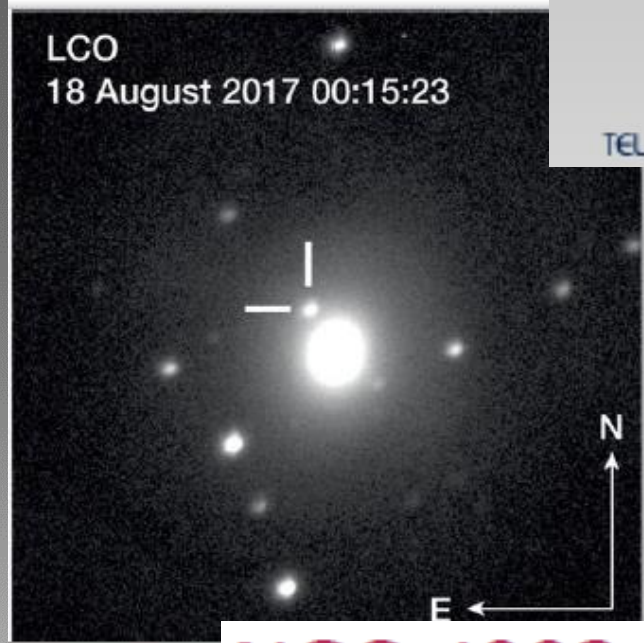
Protons move faster than neutrons



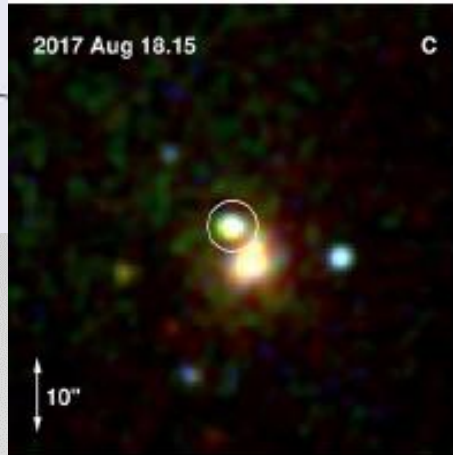
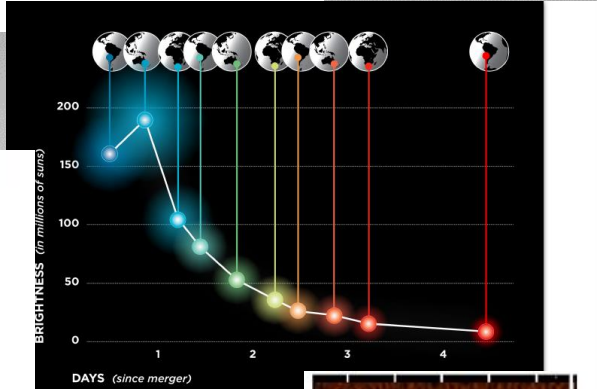
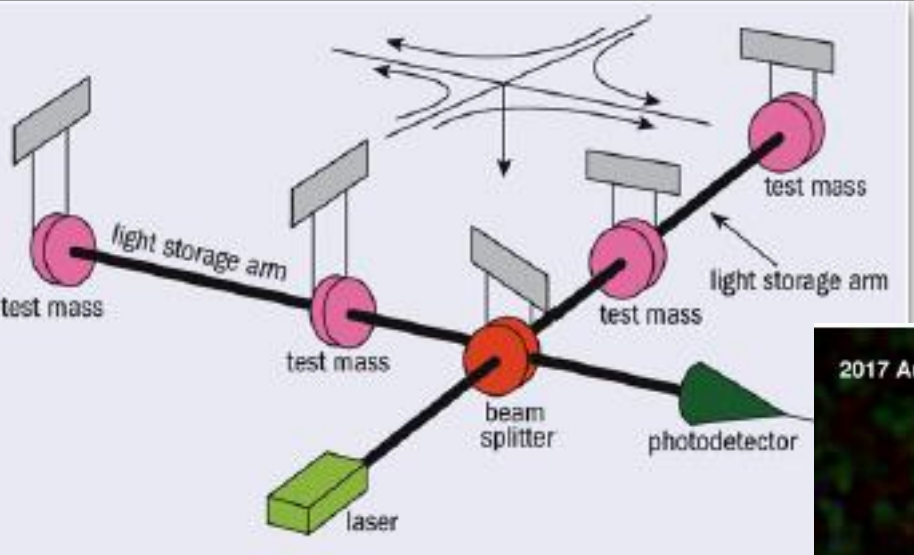
Reduction of the single particle strength

Neutron Stars

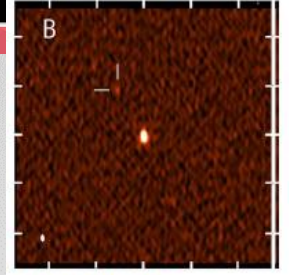
Binary neutron star merge



NGC 4993



UV (Evans+)



Radio (Hallinan+)

**High Momentum
Protons Neutron Stars**

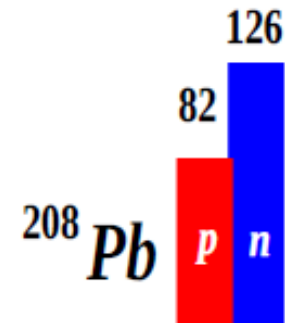
Pauli principle



~~$$\langle E_n^{kin} \rangle > \langle E_p^{kin} \rangle$$~~

In neutron-rich nuclei ($N > Z$)

$$\langle E_p^{kin} \rangle > \langle E_n^{kin} \rangle$$



At the core of neutron stars, most accepted models assume:

~95% neutrons, ~5% protons, and ~5% electrons.

Neglecting np-SRC interaction, one can assume 3 separate Fermi gases.

~500 MeV/c



k_{Fermi}^n

~250 MeV/c

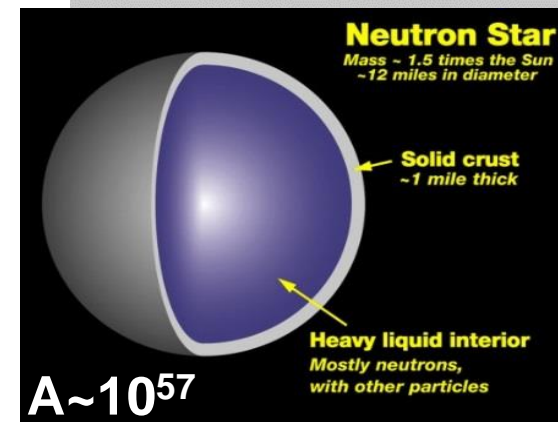


k_{Fermi}^p



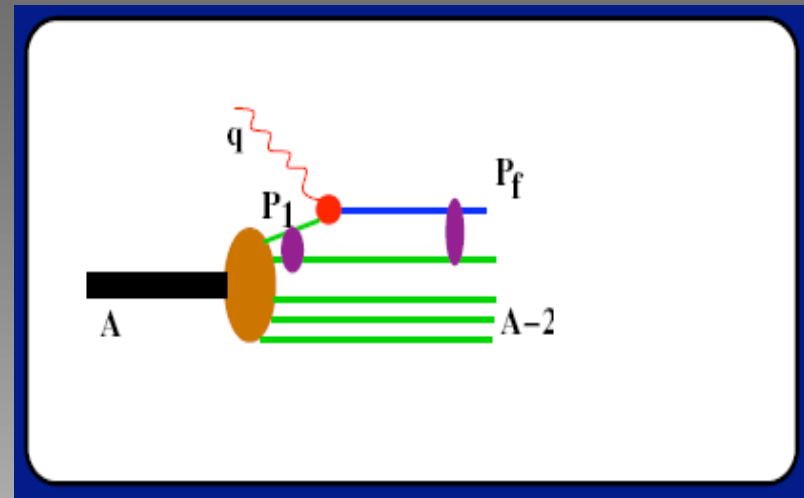
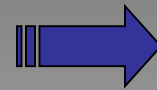
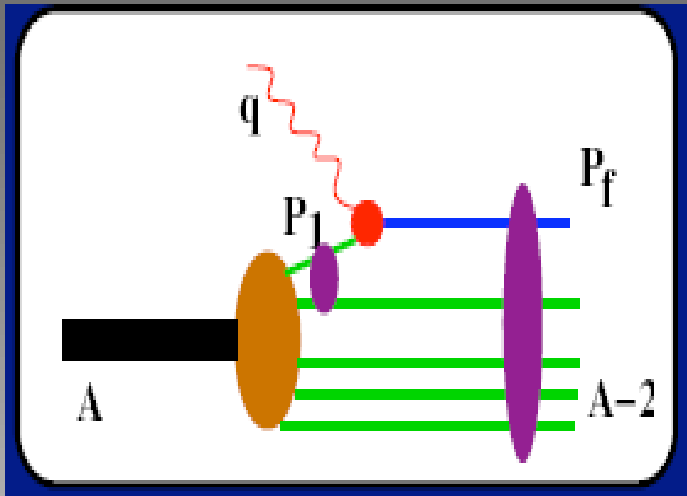
k_{Fermi}^e

~~$$\langle E_p^{kin} \rangle > \langle E_n^{kin} \rangle$$~~



Why FSI do not destroy the 2N-SRC signature ?

For large Q^2 and $x > 1$ FSI is confined within the SRC



distances that highly virtual struck nucleon propagates

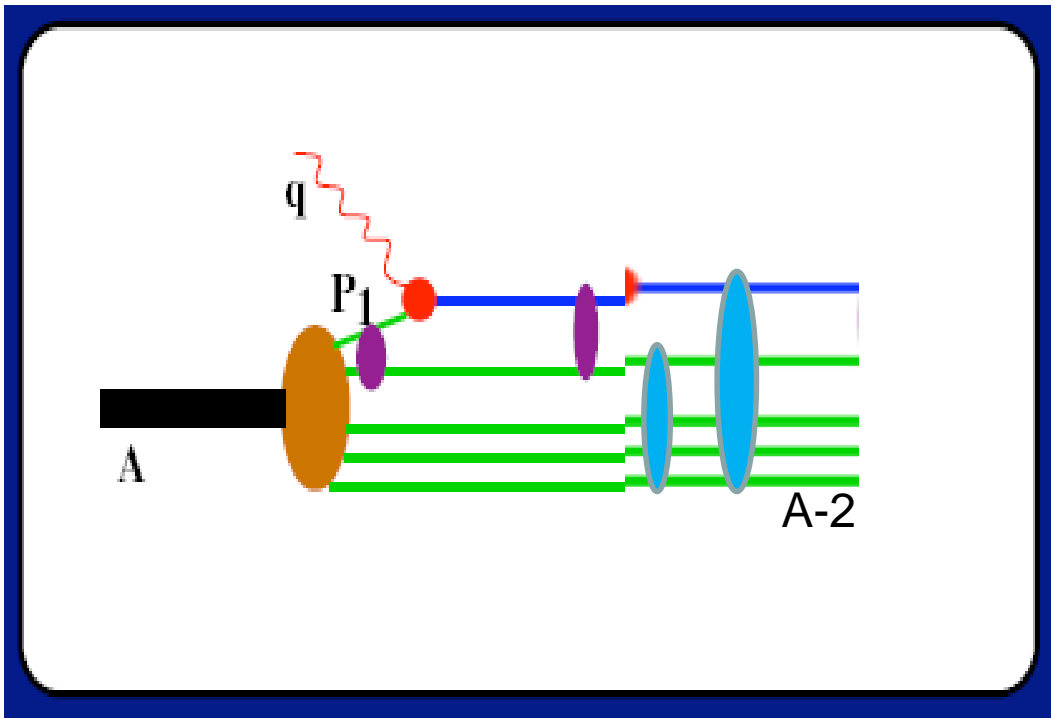
$$\Delta E = -q_0 - M_A + \sqrt{m^2 + (p_i + q)^2} + \sqrt{M_{A-1}^2 + p_i^2}$$

$$r \approx \frac{1}{\Delta E v} \leq 1 \text{ fm}$$

for $x > 1.3$

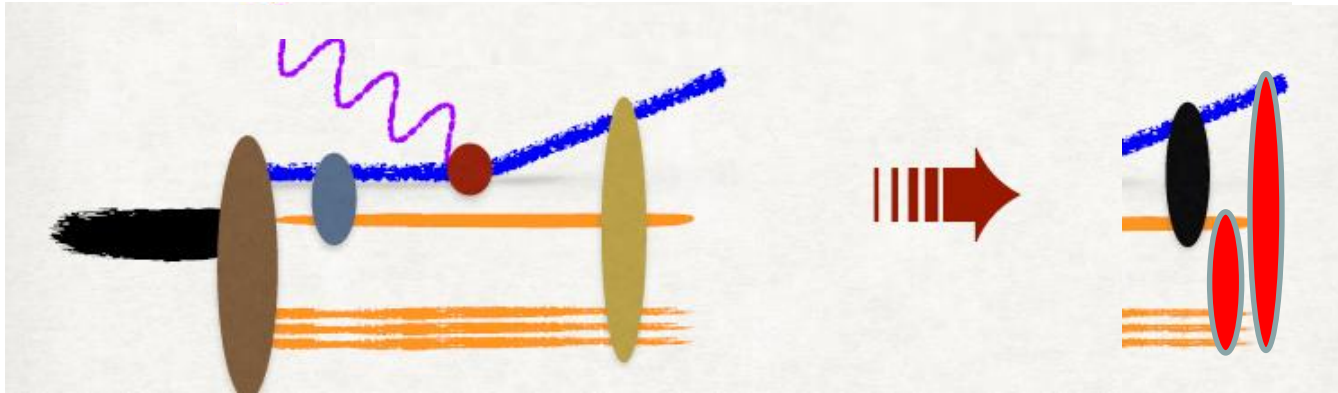
FSI in the SRC pair:

- Conserve the isospin structure of the pair .
- Conserve the CM momentum of the pair.



FSI

For SRC kinematics (large Q^2 , $x > 1$):



Rescattering within the pair

Does not change the reconstructed
CM momentum



Attenuation SCX:
Calculate using Glauber.

Pair Rescattering

