



EMMI Workshop: Cold dense nuclear matter:
from short-range nuclear correlations to neutron stars



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The background of the slide is an abstract, fiery orange and red field with glowing particles and light rays. In the upper left, a cluster of white spheres contains a red and a blue sphere. In the lower left, a large blue sphere is visible. In the upper right, a large red sphere is shown.

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SRC studies"

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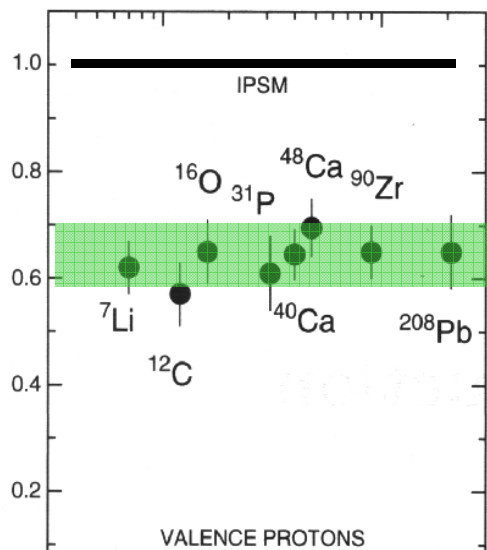
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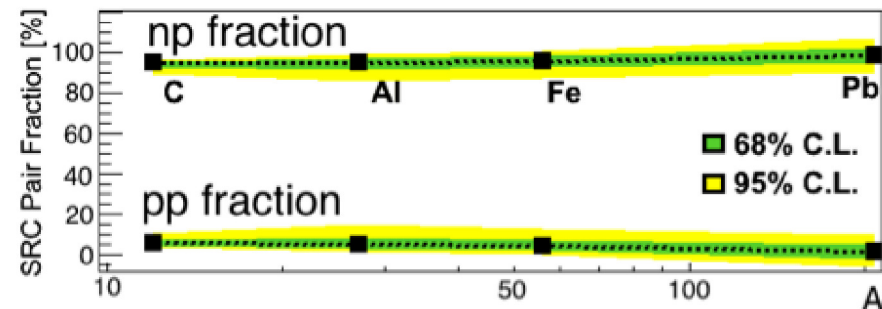
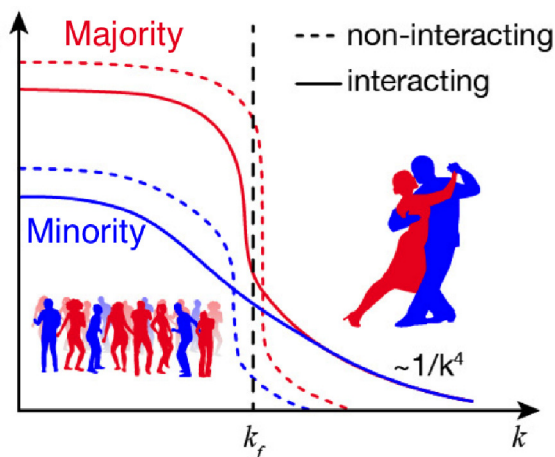
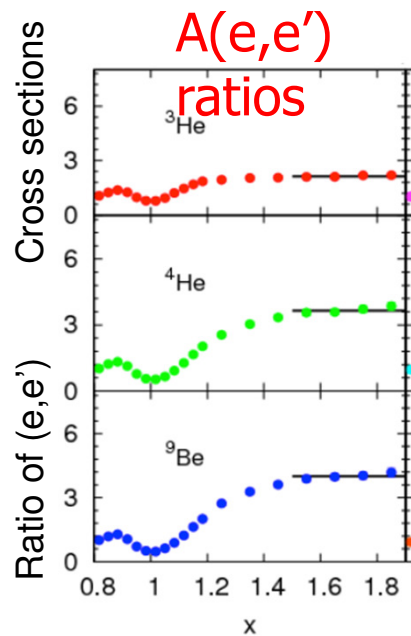
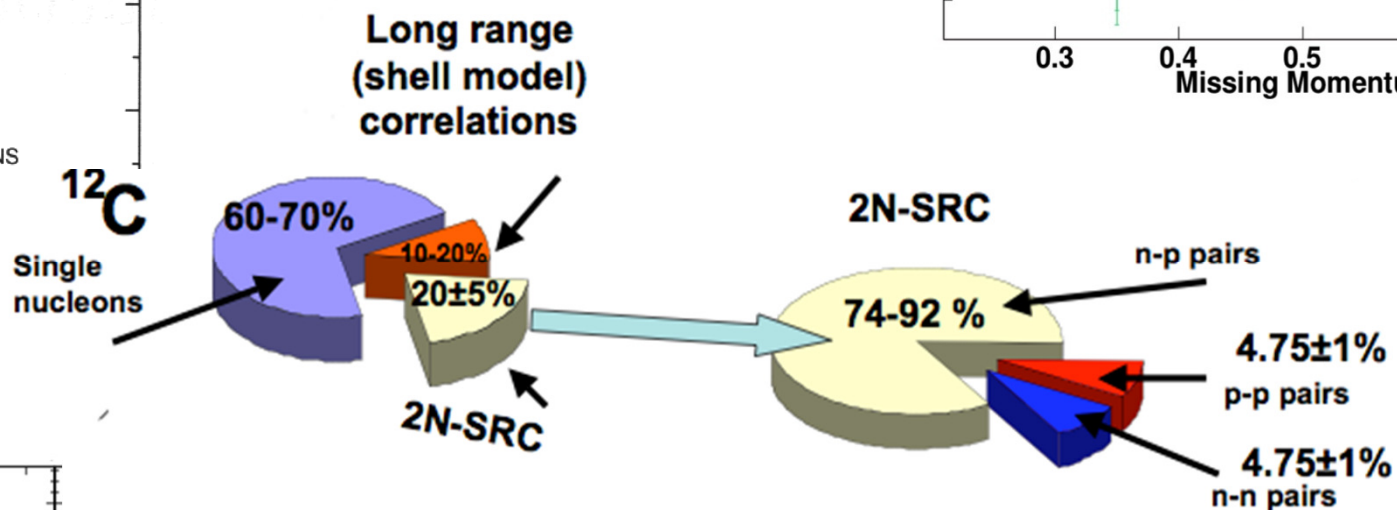
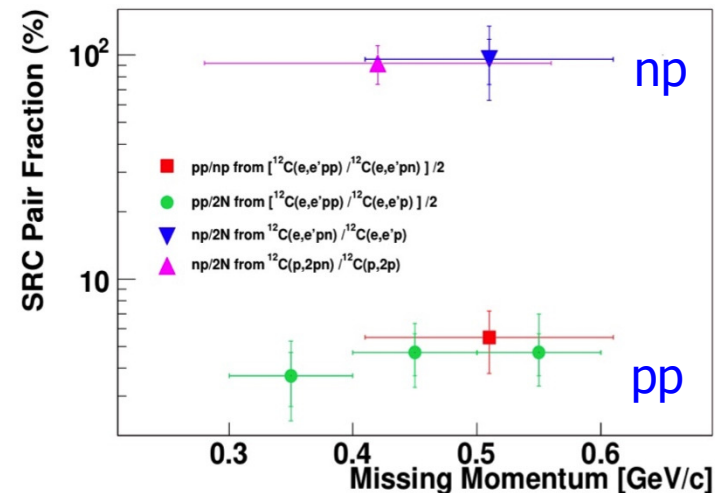
**I think that the best way to split our talks is if I
talk about electrons up to today and you talk
about protons and future experiments. [Larry]**

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$(e,e'p)$
Shell
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Summary



~25% SRC pairs

- ~90% tensor correlated np pairs

Summary – SRC outreach

Wednesday

Morning session: Non-nucleonic degree in nucle

9:00 - 10:00 Mark Strikman (PSU) - "Non-nucleonic degrees of freedom - evidence and constraints"
10:00 - 10:30 Or Hen (MIT) - "SRC and EMC effects"

10:30 - 11:00 Coffee Break

11:00 - 11:30 John Arrington (Argonne)- "Experimental Studies of EMC Effects"
11:30 - 12:00 Shalev Gilad (MIT) - "Medium Modification in Tagged Processes"
12:00 - 12:30 Werner Boeglin (FIU) "Probing the Deuteron Structure at Short Distances"

Session: Short Range Structure of Nuclei

2:00 - 3:00 Jan Ryckebusch (Ghent) "Introduction to Computational Methods of Medium/Heavy Nuclei: Stylized features of nuclear momentum distributions and the quest for SRCs"
3:00 - 3:30 Ulrich Mosel (Giessen) "Fundamentals of SRC in spectral functions"
3:30 - 4:00 Coffee Break

4:00 - 4:30 Hans Feldmeier (GSI): - "Short Range Central and Tensor Correlations in Nuclei"
4:30 - 5:00 Nadia Fomin (UTK): - "SRCs at $x > 1$ Inclusive Processes"
5:00 - 5:30 Misak Sargsian (FIU): - "New Results in Short Range Correlation Studies"
5:30 - 6:30 Discussions

Session: Multi-Nucleon SRCs

9:00 - 9:30 Arianna Carbone (Tu-Darmstadt) "Self-Consistent Green's Function with 3N Forces"
9:30 - 10:00 Donal Day (UVA) - "Correlations in Few-Body Systems"
10:00 - 10:30 Igor Korover (Tel Aviv) - "Correlations in ^4He "
14:00 - 14:20 Erez Cohen (Tel Aviv) "SRCs from Data Mining"

Tuesday

Friday

Thursday:

Session: Nuclear Matter and neutron stars

2:00 - 3:00 Sanjay Reddy (Seattle) "Review on Nuclear Matter and Neutron Stars"
3:00 - 3:30 Armen Sedrakian (Frankfurt) "Cooling Processes in Neutron Stars"

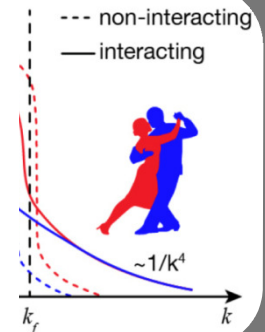
3:30 - 4:00 Coffee break

4:00 - 4:30 Arnau Rios (Surrey) "Density and isospin asymmetry dependence of short-range correlations"
4:30 - 5:00 Bao-An Li (Texas A&M) "Nuclear Symmetry Energy"
5:00 - 5:30 Yukinori Sakuragi (Osaka City University) "High-density nuclear matter probed by nucleus-nucleus scattering"

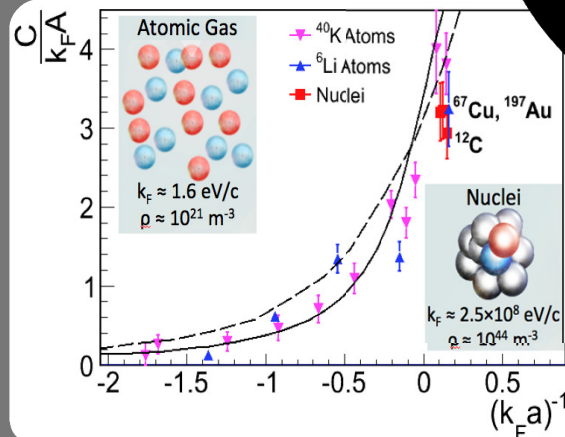
- its implication to neutron star mass problem -"

5:30 - 6:00 Achim Schwenk (TU Darmstadt) "Nuclear forces and their impact on neutron-rich matter",

clear



Atomic

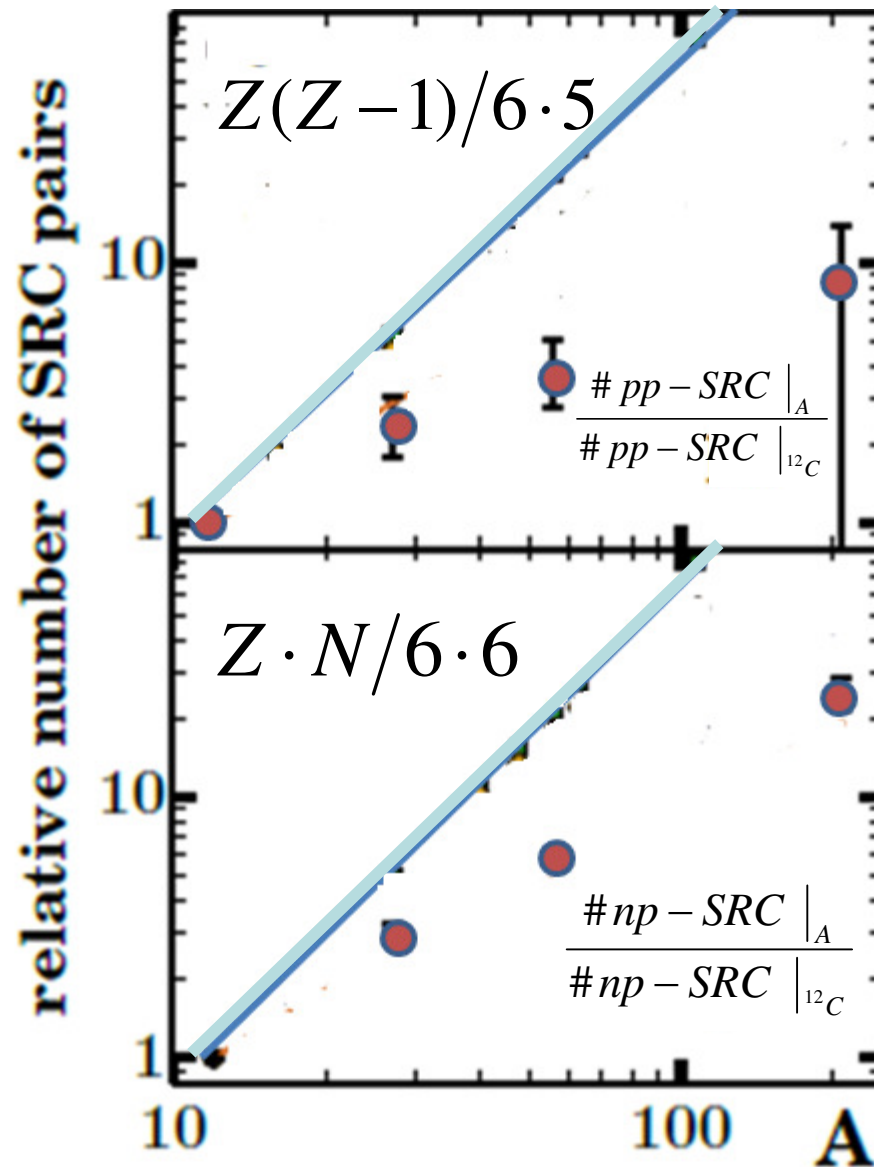


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The mass dependence of the SRC pairs

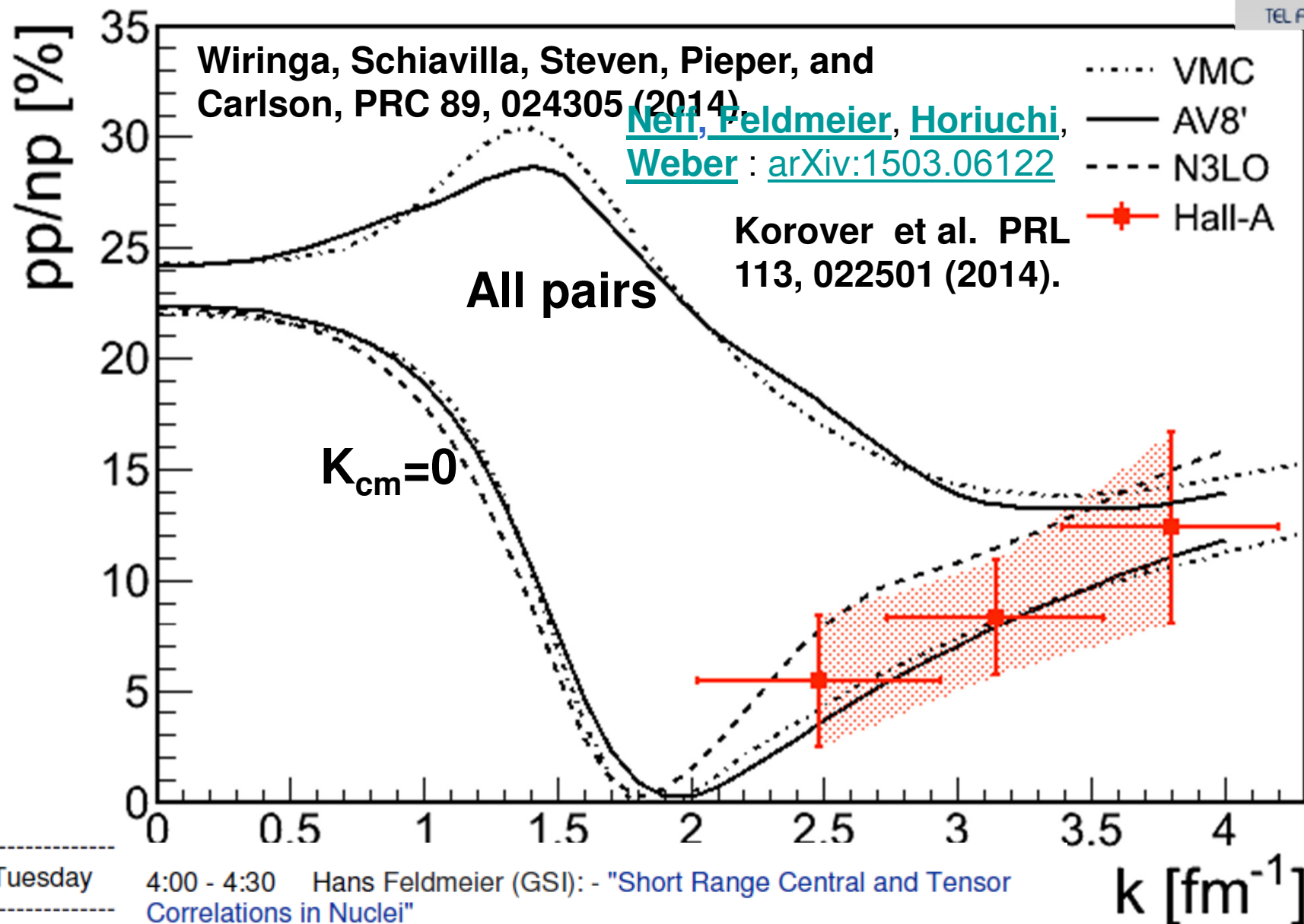


a data mining analysis

Extracting the Mass Dependence and Quantum Numbers of Short-Range Correlated Pairs from $A(e, e'p)$ and $A(e, e'pp)$ Scattering

C. Colle,¹ O. Hen,² W. Cosyn,¹ I. Korover,² E. Piasetzky,² J. Ryckebusch,¹ and L.B. Weinstein³

Phy. Rev. C92, 024604 (2015)



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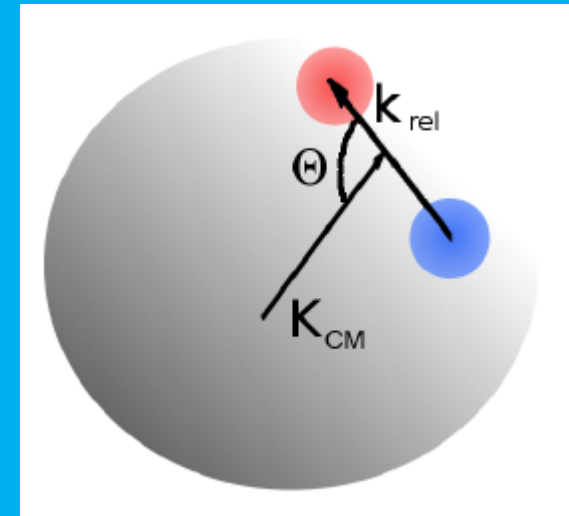
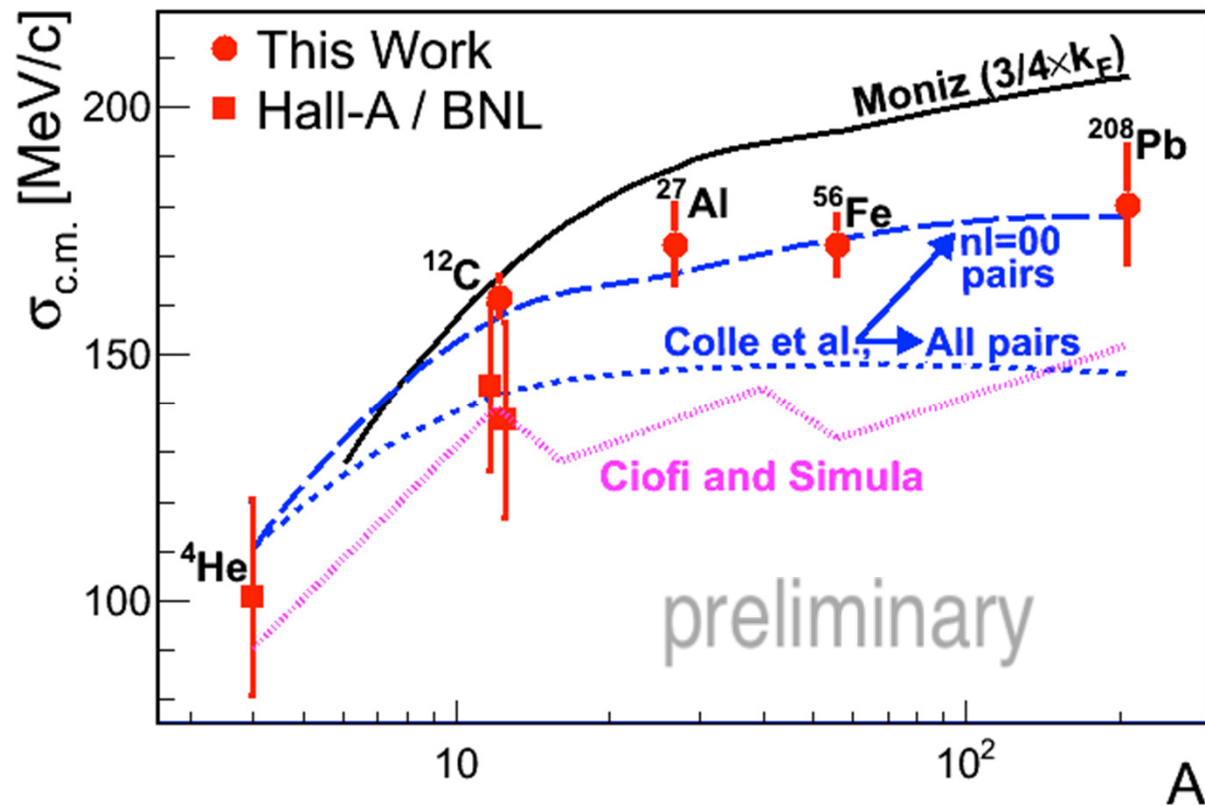
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C.M. motion of the pair

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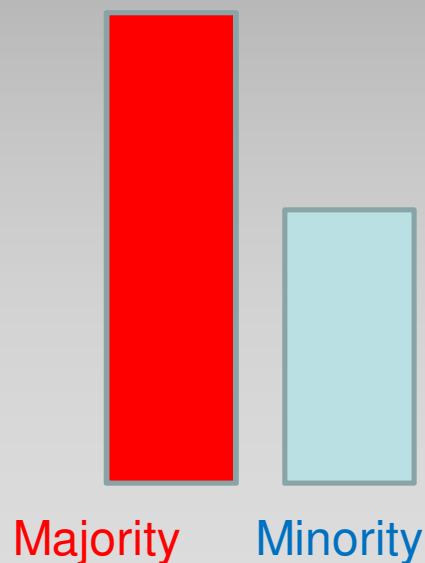
$$\vec{p}_{cm} = \vec{p}_{miss} + \vec{p}_{recoil}$$

O. Hen E. Cohen et al., in preparation

Momentum sharing in Asymmetric (imbalanced) two components Fermi systems

non interacting Fermions

Pauli exclusion principle →



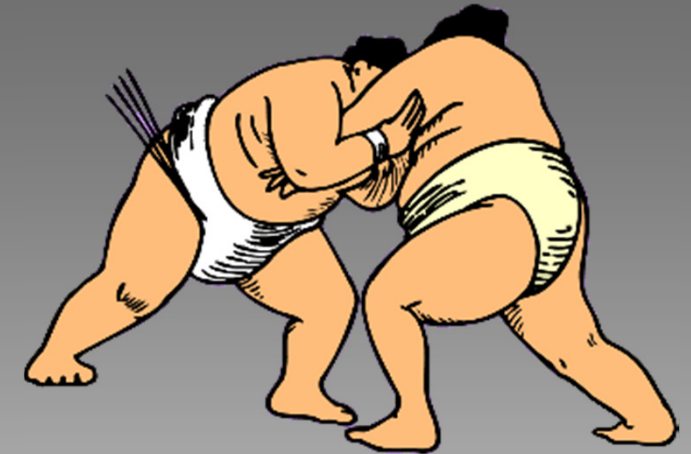
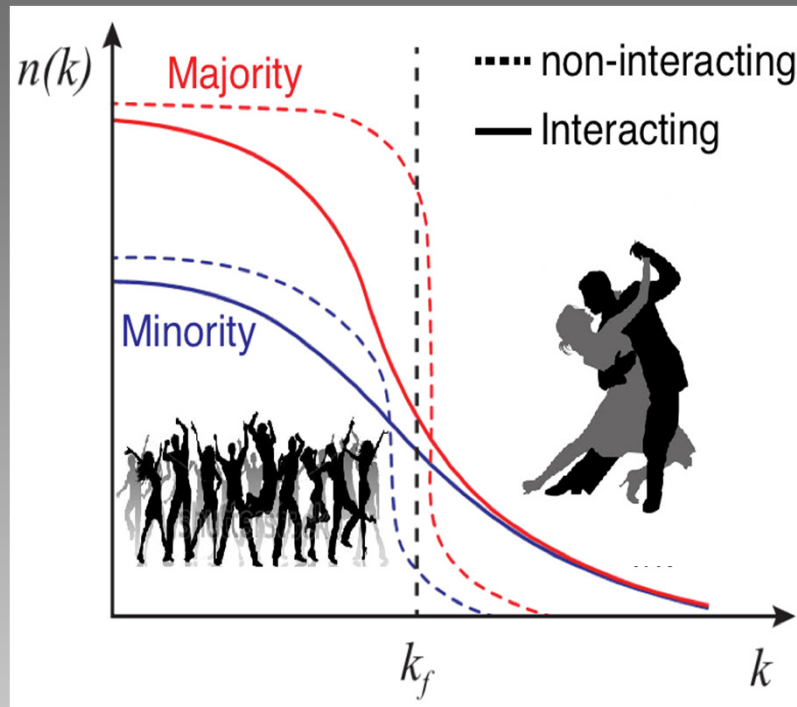
$$k_F^{Majority} > k_F^{Minority}$$

$$\langle T_{Majority} \rangle > \langle T_{Minority} \rangle$$

$$\langle k_{Majority} \rangle > \langle k_{Minority} \rangle$$



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



Who wins?

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 :

M. Sargsian Phys.Rev. C89 (2014) 3, 034305
O. Hen et al., Science 346, 614 (2014).

$$\langle k_{\text{minority}} \rangle > \langle k_{\text{majority}} \rangle$$

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

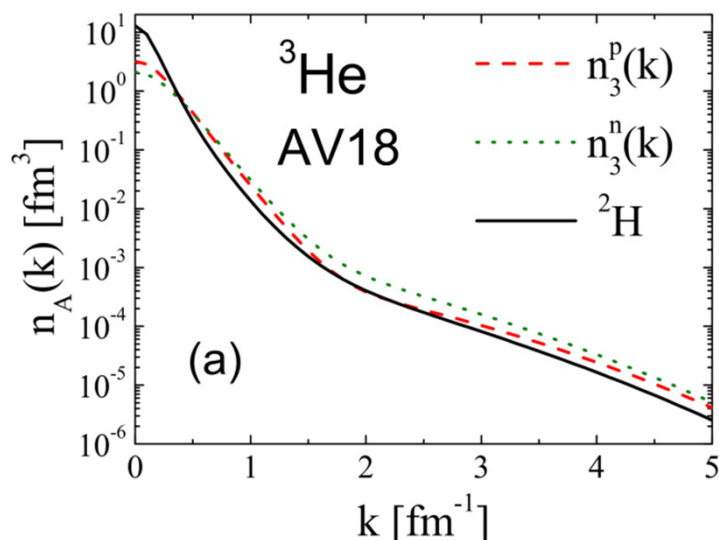
(protons move faster than neutrons in $N > Z$ nuclei)

Light nuclei $A < 11$

Variational Monte Carlo
calculations by the
Argonne group

Wiringa et al.
Phys. Rev. C89, 034305 (2014).

	$ N - Z $	$\langle KE \rangle$	
	$y A$	ρ_{kin}	n_{kin}
^8He	0.50	30.13	18.60
^6He	0.33	27.66	19.06
^9Li	0.33	31.39	24.91
^3He	0.33	14.71	19.35
^3H	0.33	19.61	14.96
^8Li	0.25	28.95	23.98
^{10}Be	0.2	30.20	25.95
^7Li	0.14	26.88	24.54
^9Be	0.11	29.82	27.09
^{11}B	0.09	33.40	31.75



For ^3He :

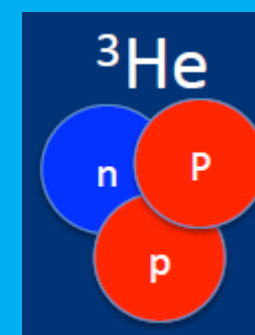
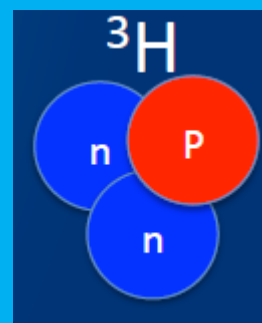
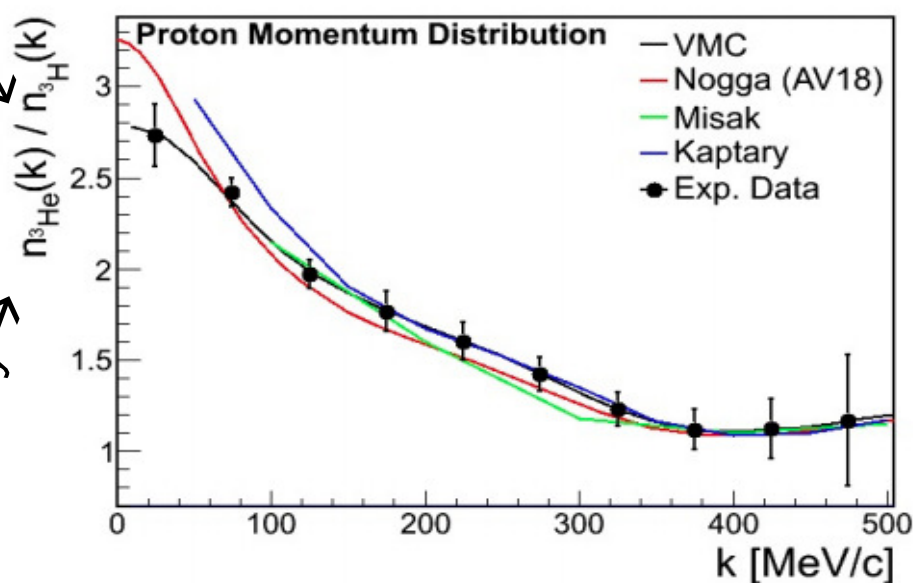
$$\frac{n_n(k > 1)}{n_n(k < 1)} > \frac{n_p(k > 1)}{n_p(k < 1)}$$



Momentum sharing in the A=3 nuclei

^3He and ^3H are mirror nuclei: $[p/n]_{^3\text{He}} = [n/p]_{^3\text{H}}$

Minority →
Majority →

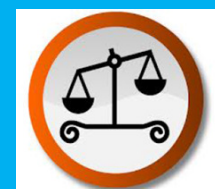
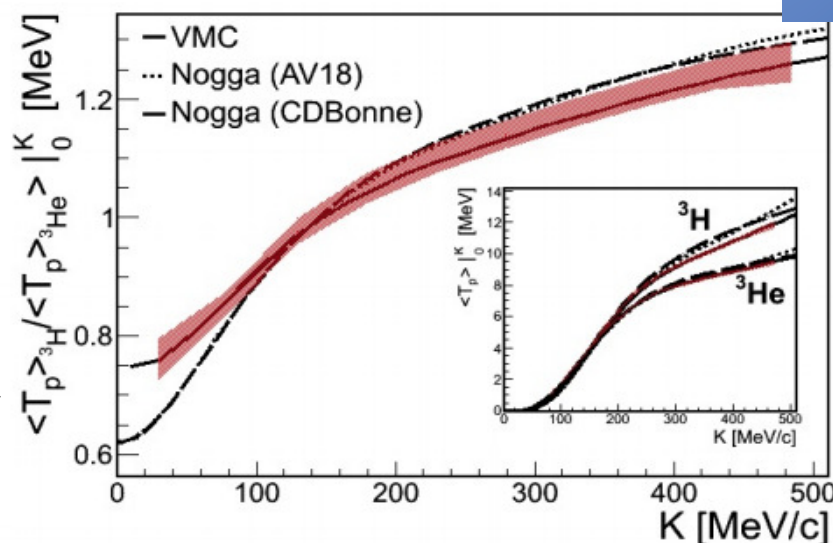


Wednesday

12:00 - 12:30 Werner Boeglin (FIU) "Probing the Deuteron Structure at Short Distances"

Mapping the Transition from Majority to Minority Dominance

Majority →
Minority →



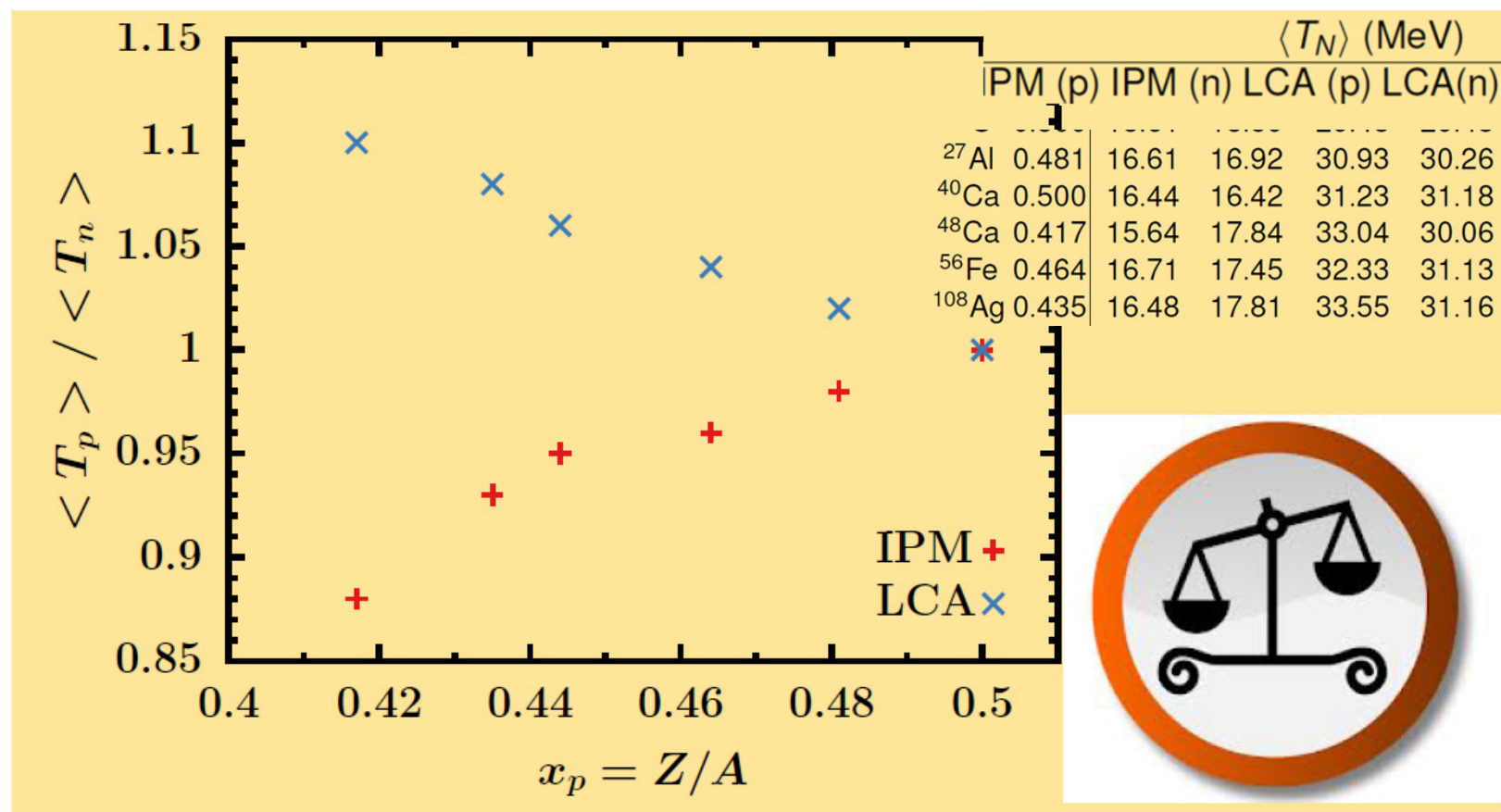
JLab E14-011
(Approved experiment)
2016/2017

Spokespersons: O. Hen, L. Weinstein,
S. Gilad, W. Boeglin



Predictions for $\langle T_p \rangle / \langle T_n \rangle$ ratio

Average kinetic energy per nucleon



Tuesday

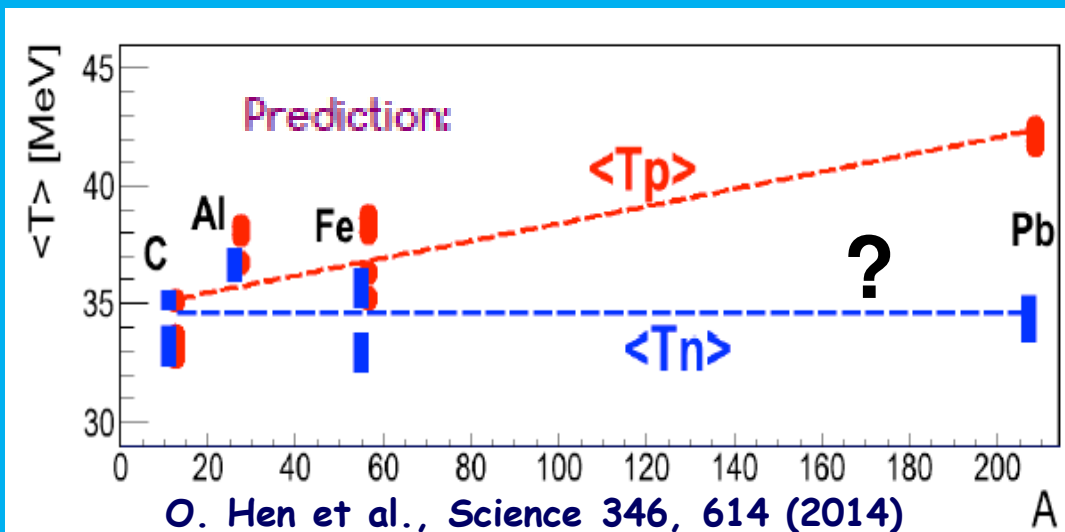
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Study of the $A(e,e'n)$ reaction using JLAB - CLAS EG2 data

Meytal Duer (Tel - Aviv University)

a data mining analysis



$$\frac{A(e, e'n)/^{12}\text{C}(e, e'n)|_{\text{high } P_{\text{miss}}}}{A(e, e'n)/^{12}\text{C}(e, e'n)|_{\text{low } P_{\text{miss}}}}$$

350-1000 MeV/c

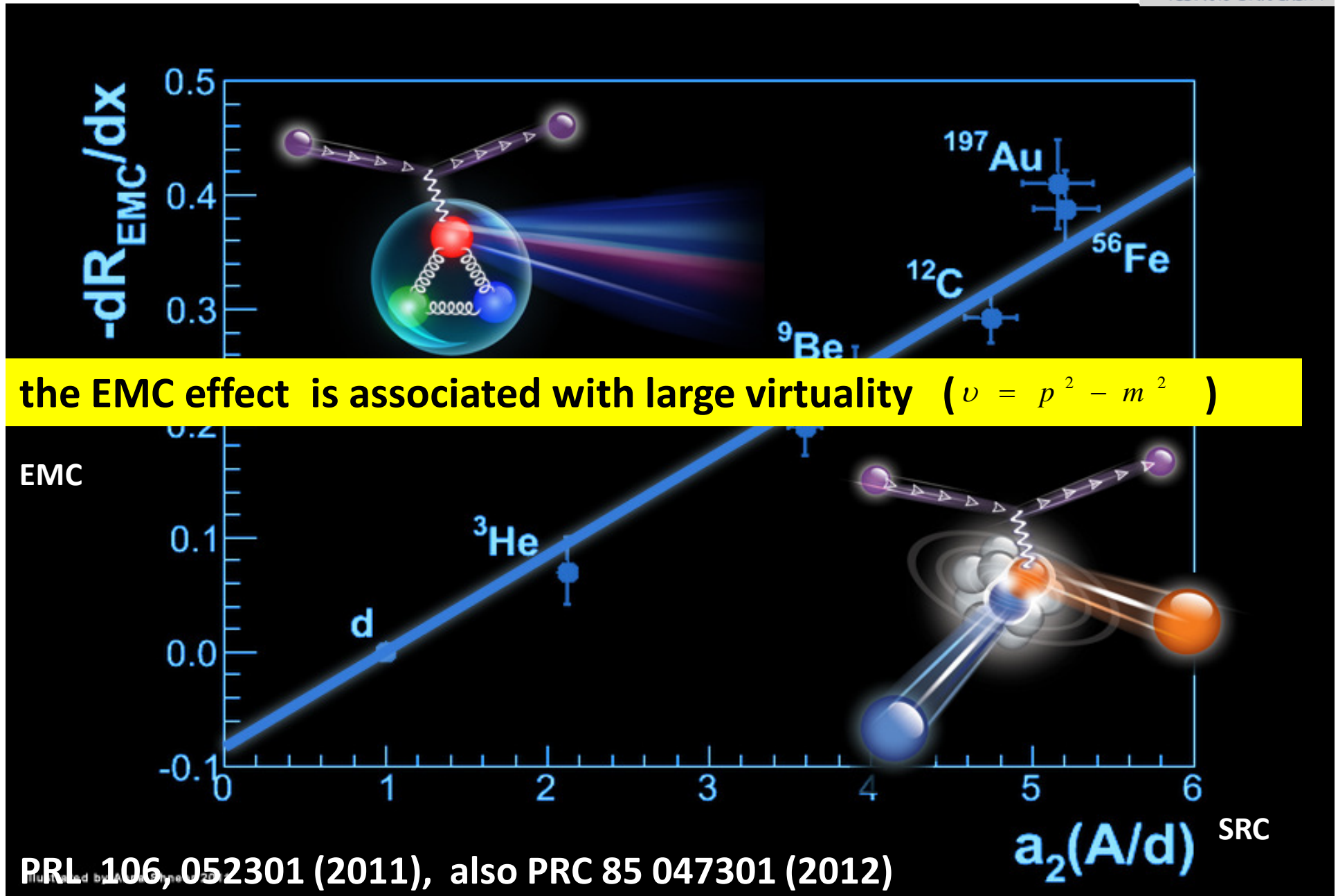
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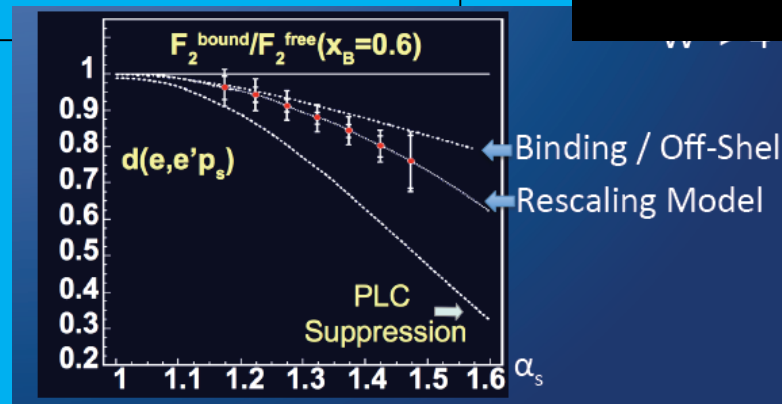
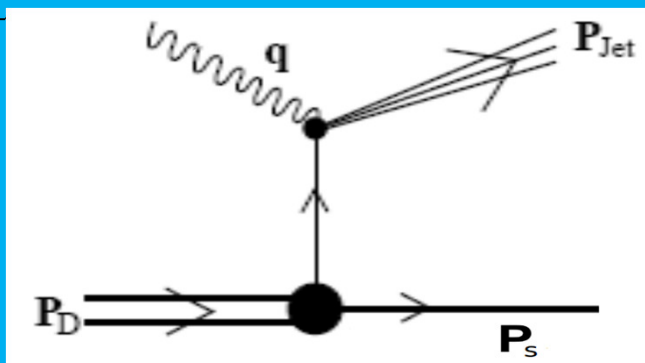
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EMC / SRC correlation



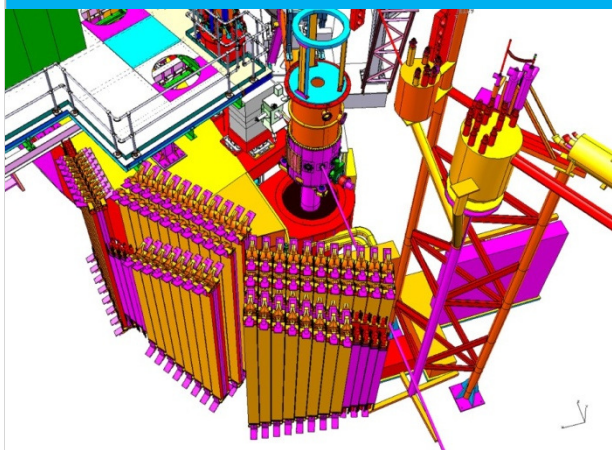
the EMC effect is associated with large virtuality

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



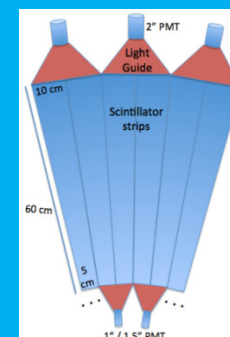
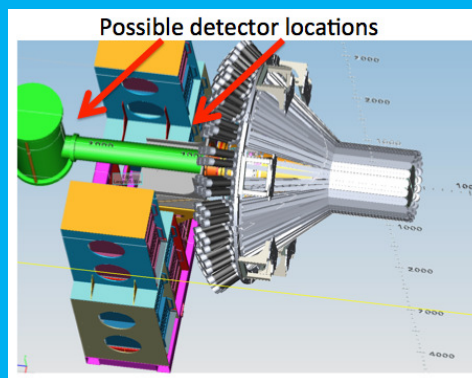
12 GeV JLab/ Hall C approved experiment E 12-11-107

Tagged recoil proton measure neutron structure function



12 GeV JLab/ Hall B approved proposal

Tagged recoil neutron measure in the proton structure function

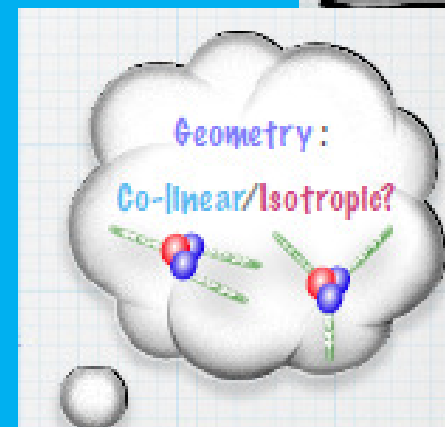
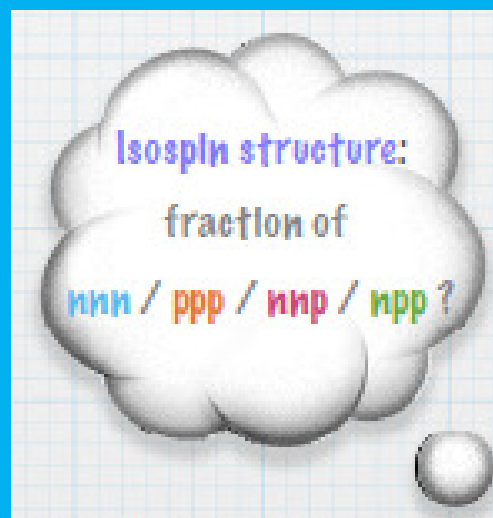
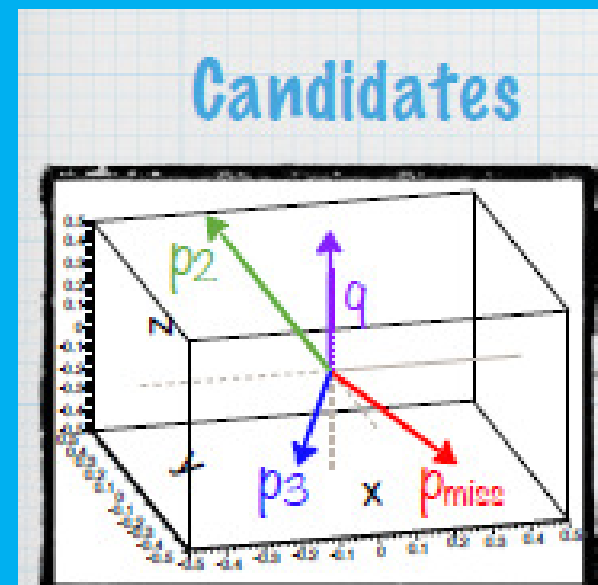
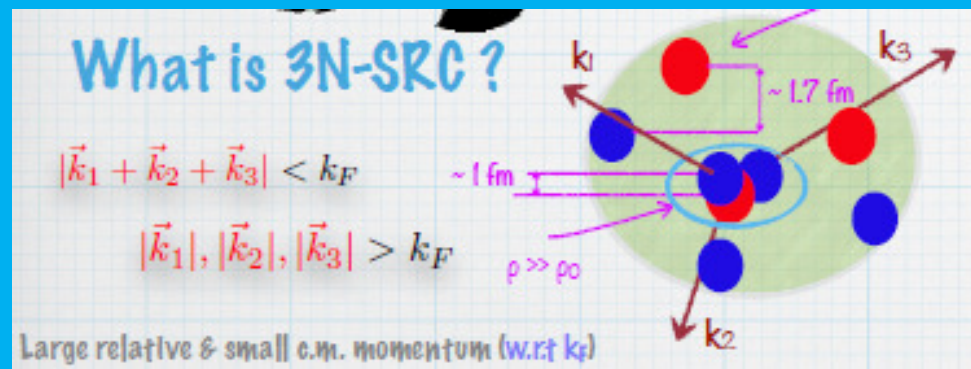


Wednesday 10:00 - 10:30 Or Hen (MIT)

- "SRC and EMC effects"

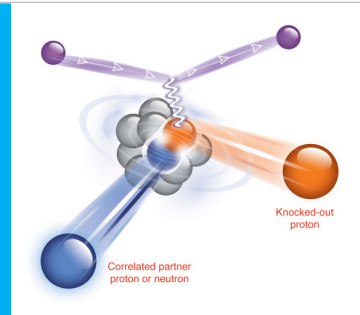
Search for 3N correlation using JLAB - CLAS EG2 data

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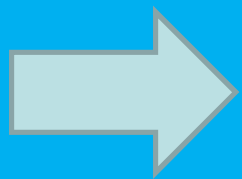


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C, Al, Fe, Pb $(e, e' pp)$



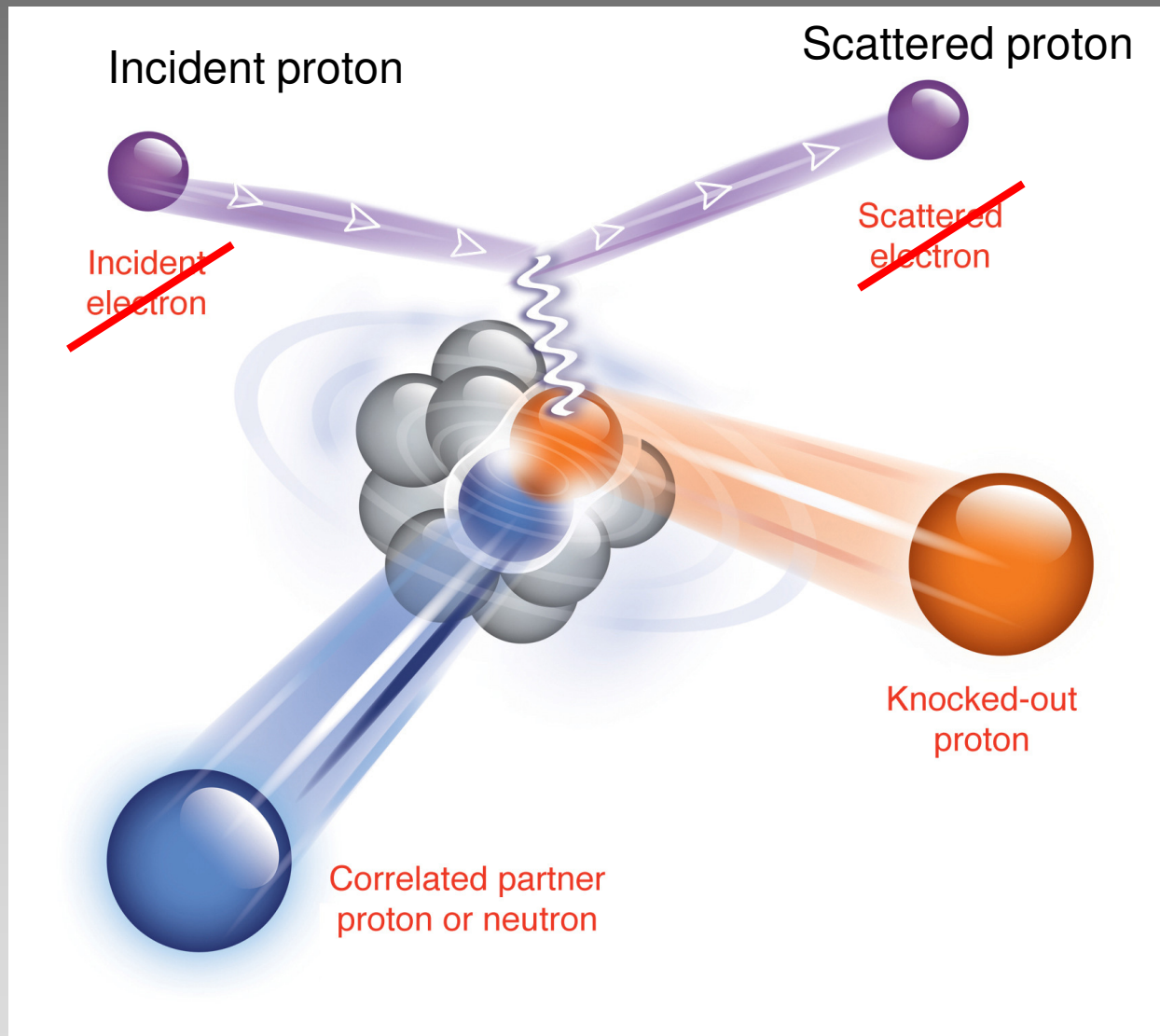
Need high statistic exclusive measurement (>10,000 events)

At Jlab after 12 GeV upgrade:

Detector acceptance: 5
(e,e'p)

$$\frac{\sigma_{MOTT}(12\text{GeV})}{\sigma_{MOTT}(4\text{GeV})} \approx 8$$

Triple coincidence $A(p, p p N)$ measurements



Complementary to JLab study with electrons

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

selective attention to SRC

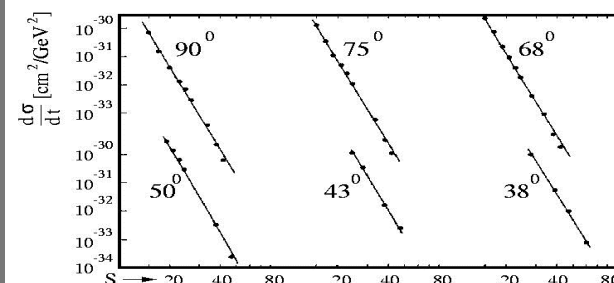
Psychology Wiki

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

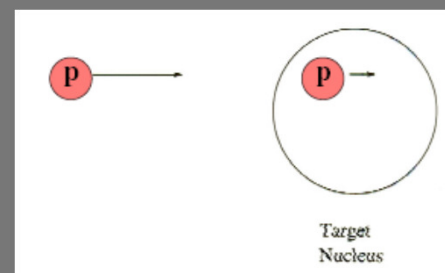
**p p → pp elastic scattering
near 90° c.m**

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

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:

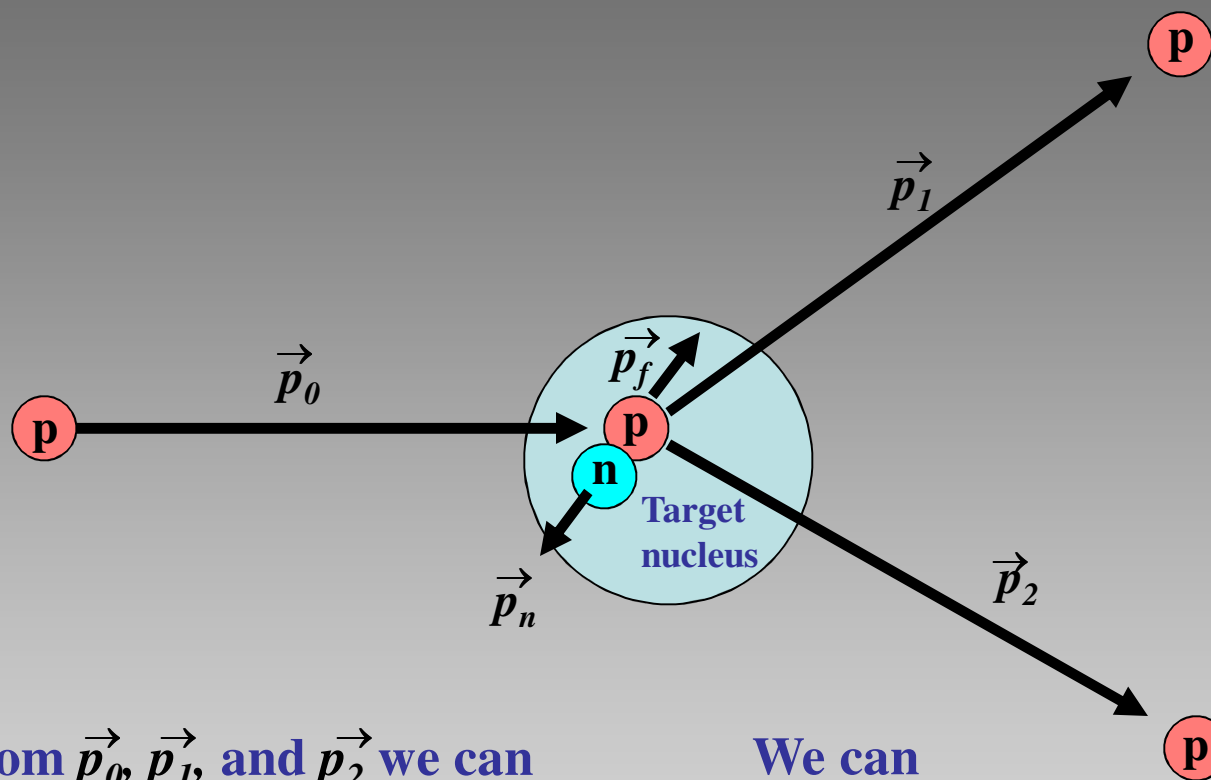
$$\lambda = h/p = hc/pc = 2\pi \bullet 0.197 \text{ GeV-fm}/(6 \text{ GeV}) \approx 0.2 \text{ fm.}$$



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



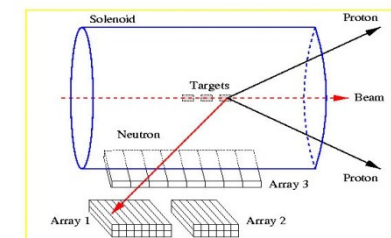
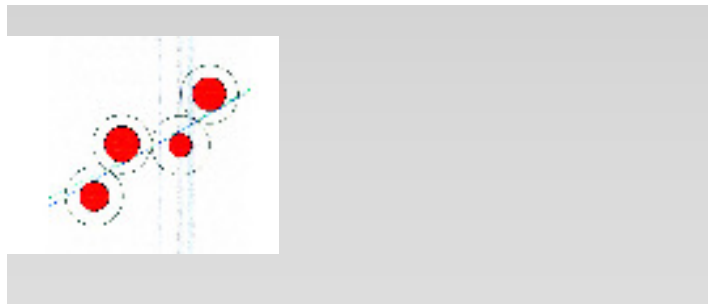
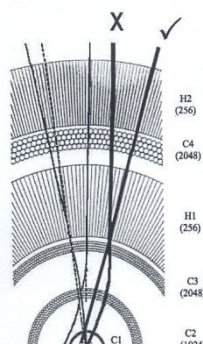
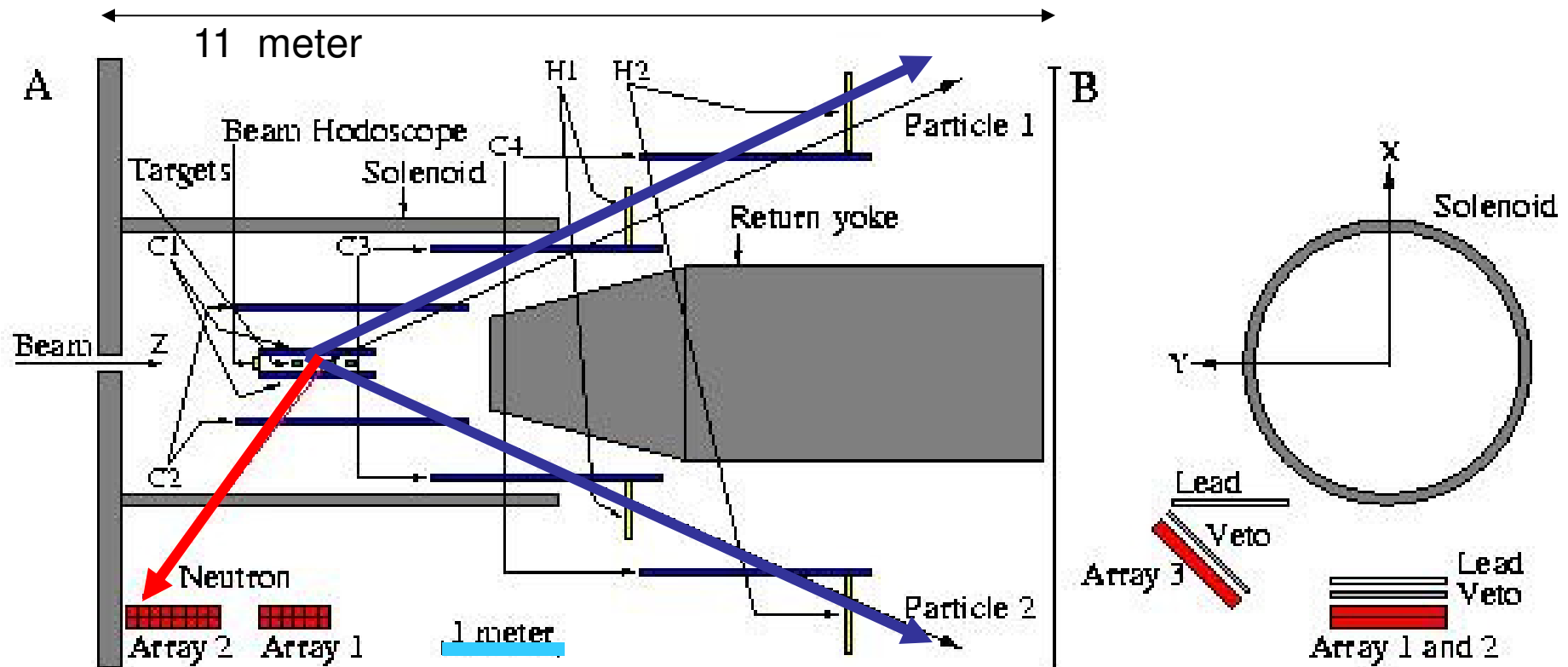
Cross section is large



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.”

The EVA spectrometer and the n-counters at BNL

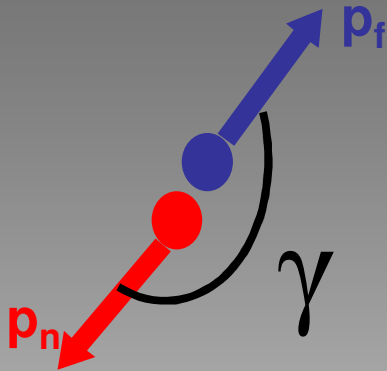


Array 1: total area $0.6 \times 1.0 \text{ m}^2$, 12 counters, 2 layers 0.125 m

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

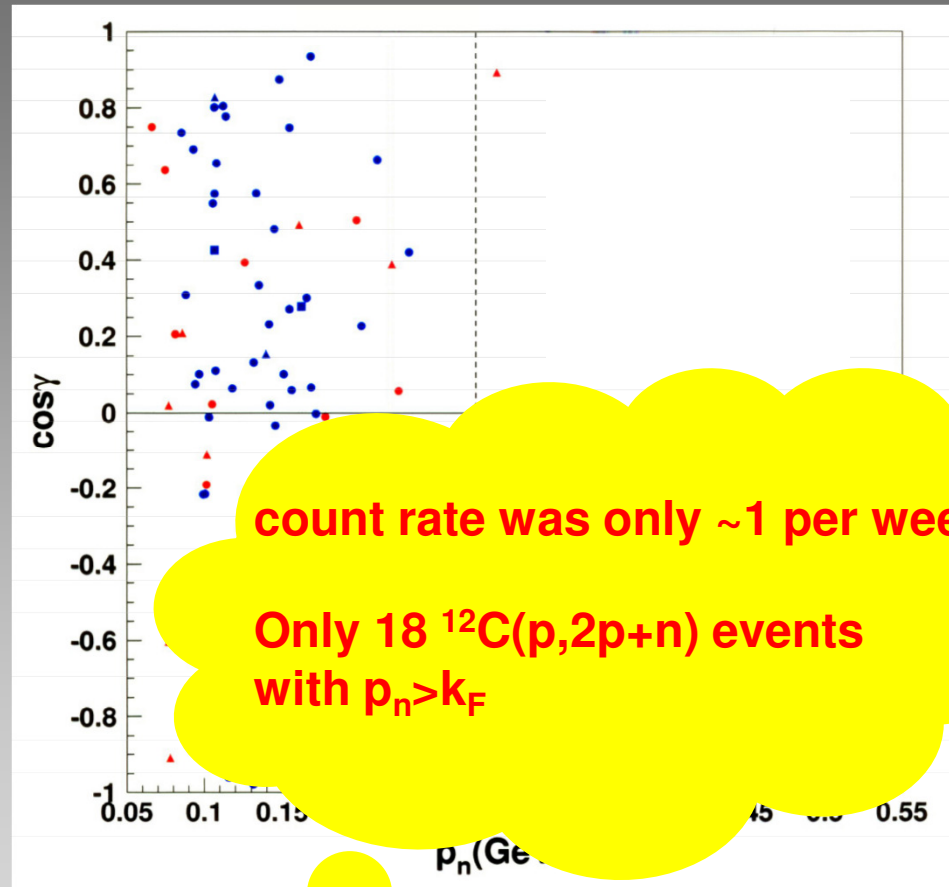
A. Tang et al. Phys. Rev. Lett. 90 ,042301 (2003)

Directional correlation



Removal of a proton with momentum **above 275 MeV/c** from ^{12}C is **$92 \pm 8_{18} \%$** accompanied by a recoil high momentum neutron.

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



count rate was only ~1 per week

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

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

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

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

$$p_{\text{rel}}^{\text{rel}} = m |\alpha_p - \alpha_n|.$$

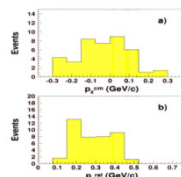
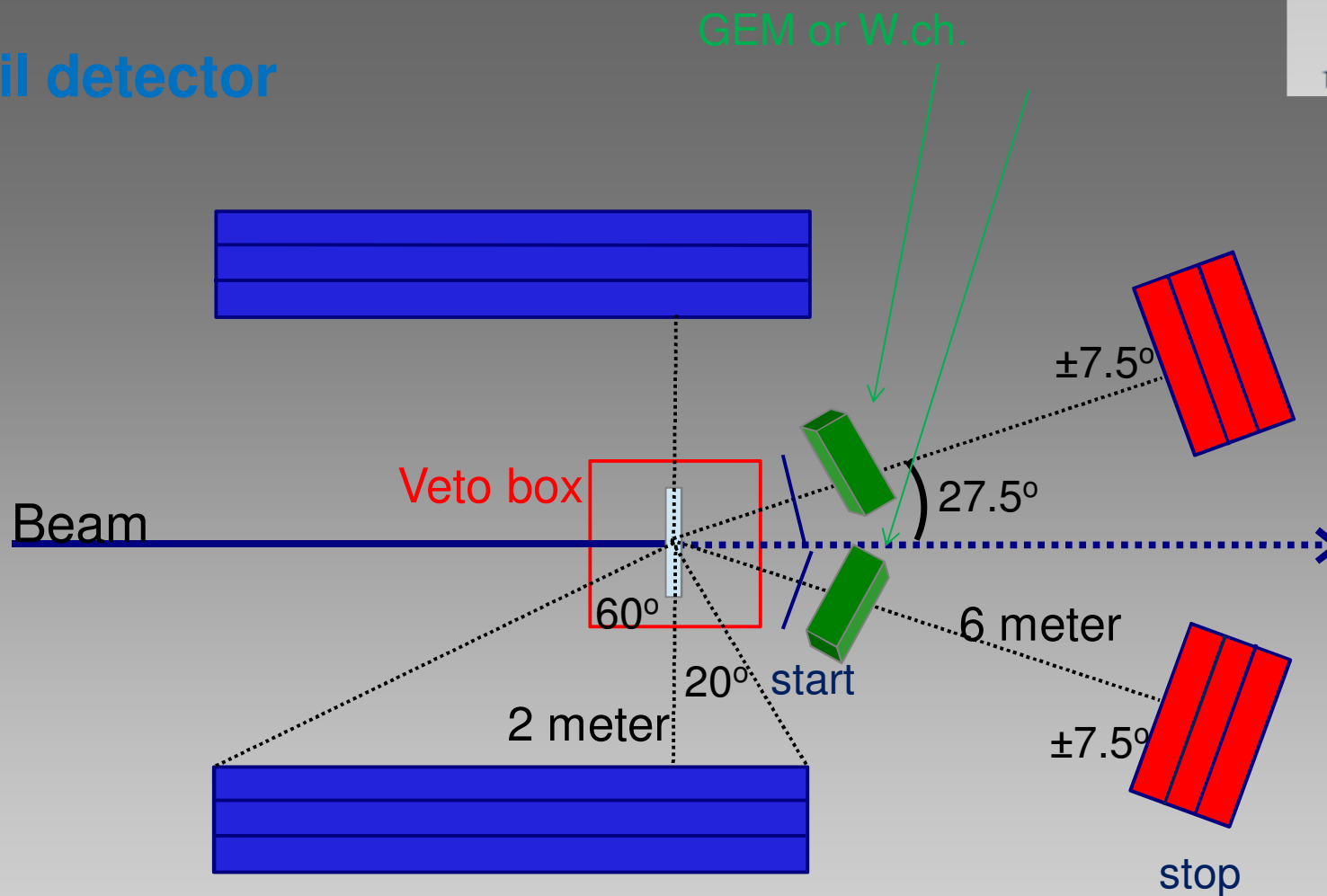


Figure 23: Plots of (a) $p_{\text{rel}}^{\text{cm}}$ and (b) $p_{\text{rel}}^{\text{rel}}$ for correlated n-p pairs in ^{12}C , for $^{12}\text{C}(p, 2p+n)$ events. Each event has been "x-weighted".



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Recoil detector



Array of scintillators

LAND, NeuLAND ?

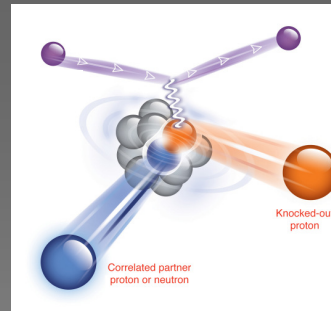
$$\sigma_{\text{TOF}} < 100\text{ps}$$

Forward detector

HADES ?

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A window of opportunity:

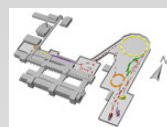
5-10 GeV/c

10^9 protons/sec

fixed target

Nuclotron

Dubna



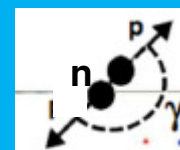
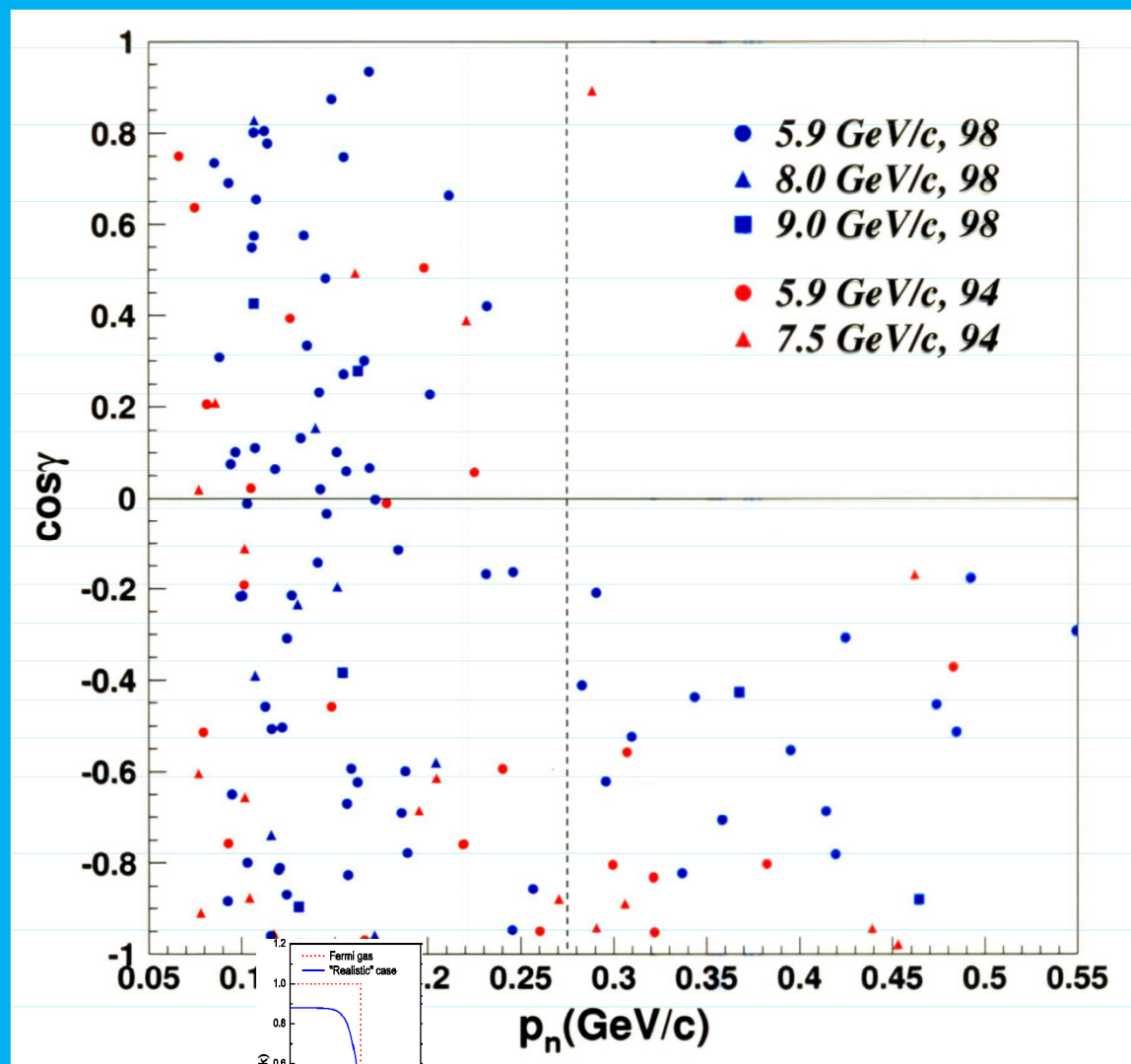
J-PARC
Japan Proton Accelerator

GSI / FAIR

→ >10k events
Before 2020



Mapping the transition from mean field to SRC



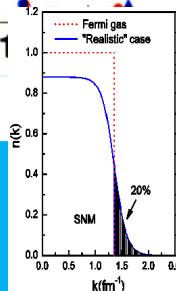
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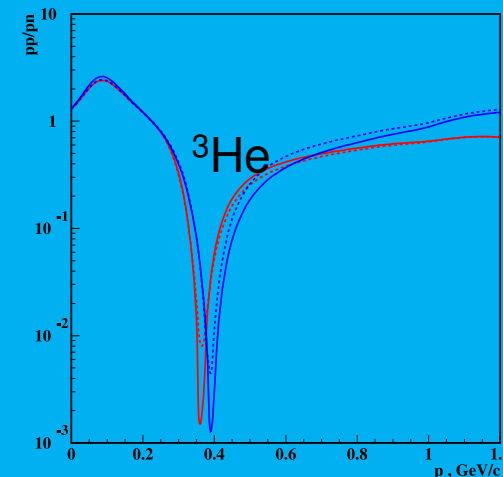
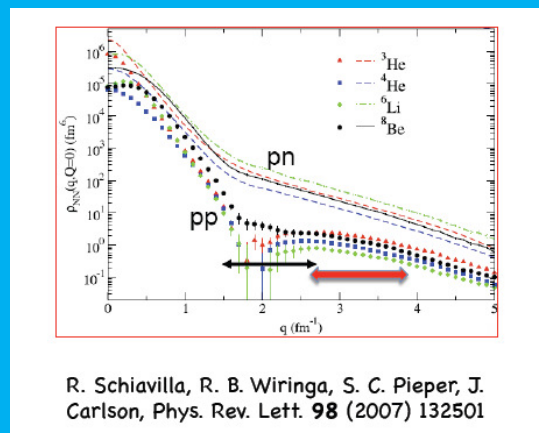
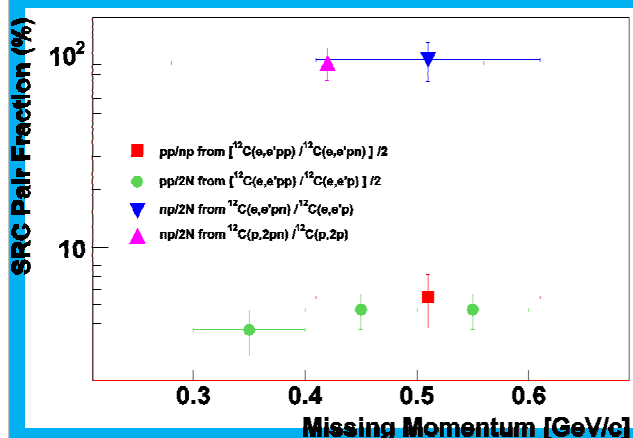
With 100ps TOF resolution:

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

Migdal jump



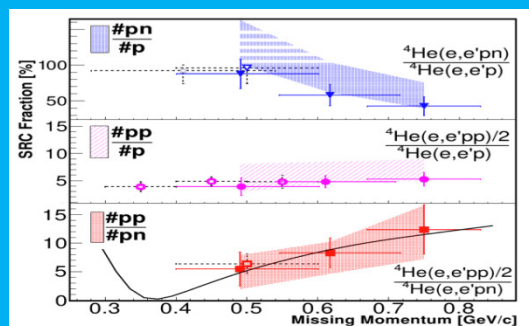
SRC Isospin Structure and the Tensor Force



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).

We propose :

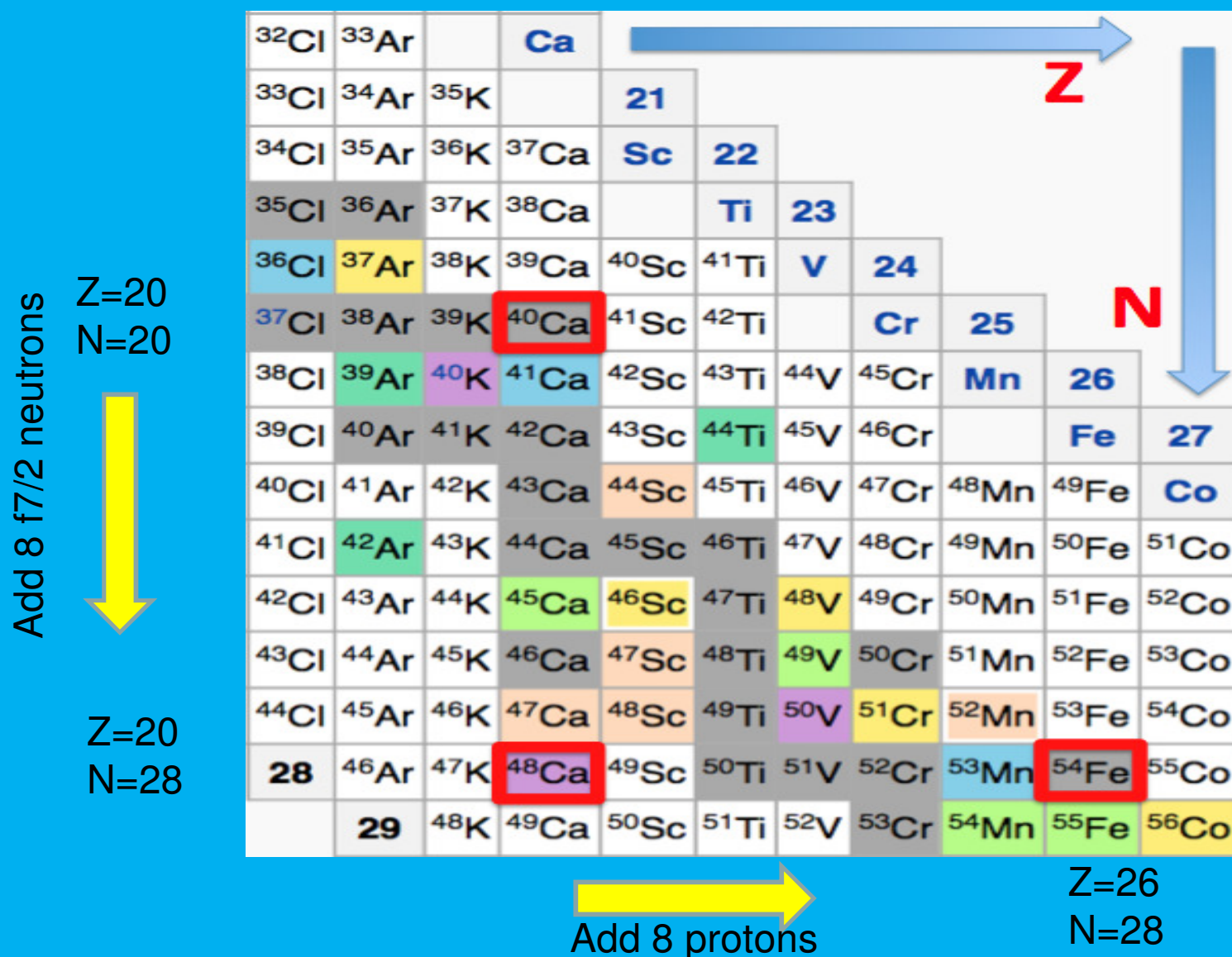
First measurement below 400 MeV/c

Better statistics above 600 MeV/c



Asymmetric nuclei $N > Z$:

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



motion of the pair

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

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

$$p_z^{rel} = m|\alpha_p - \alpha_n|.$$

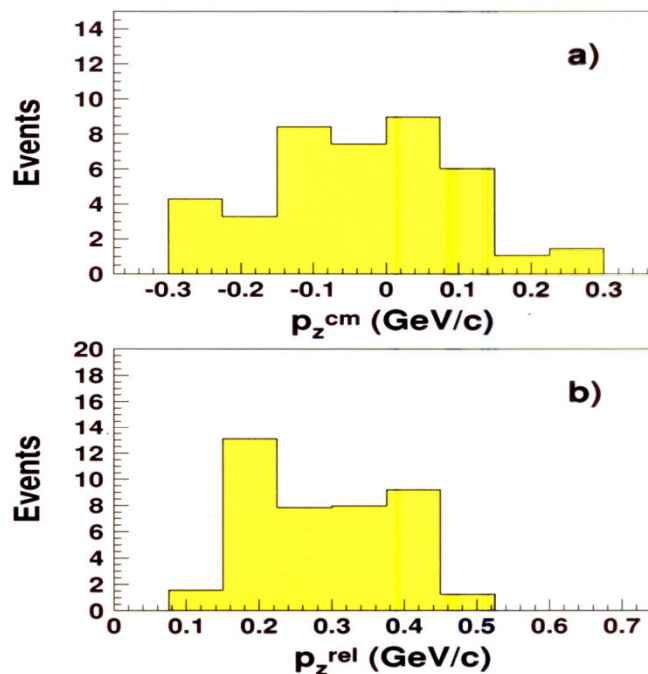


Figure 23: Plots of (a) p_z^{cm} and (b) p_z^{rel} for correlated n-p pairs in ^{12}C , for $^{12}\text{C}(p,2p+n)$ events. Each event has been “s-weighted”.

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

$\sigma_{CM}=0.143\pm0.017$ GeV/c

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

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

Electron scattering (shneor et al.) :
 $\sigma_{CM}=0.136\pm0.02$ GeV/c

PRL 99, 072501 (2007).

Reaction Mechanism



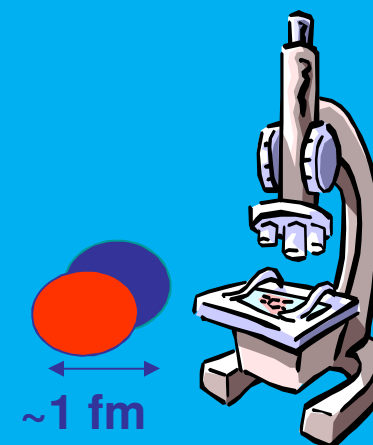
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Hard processes

high energy and large momentum-transfer

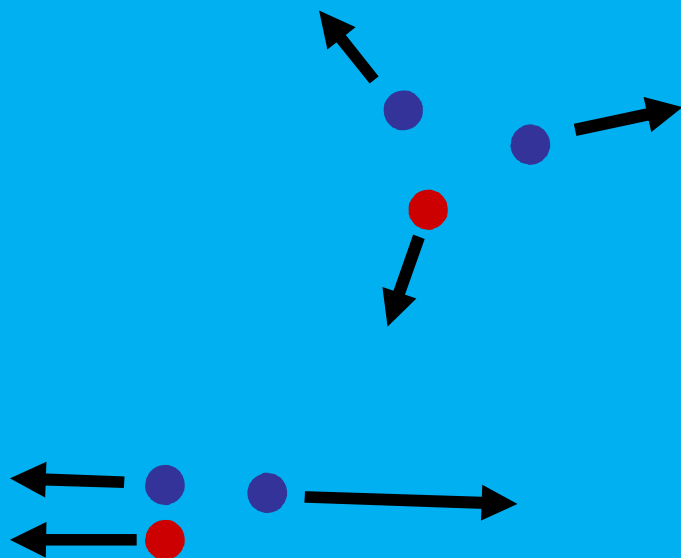
Important practical question:

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





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



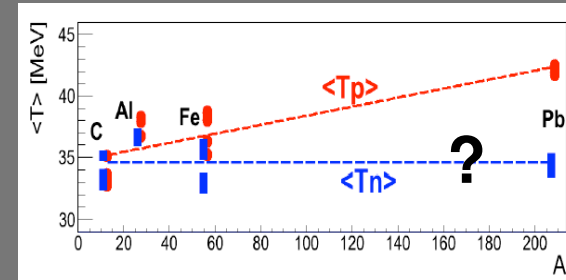
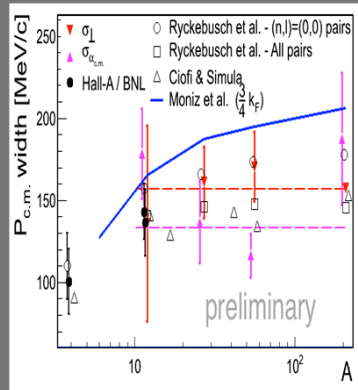
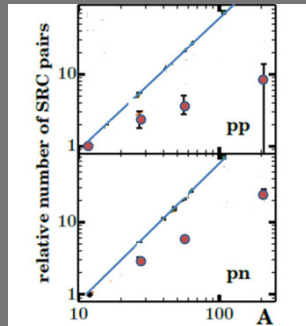
Summary – data and analysis



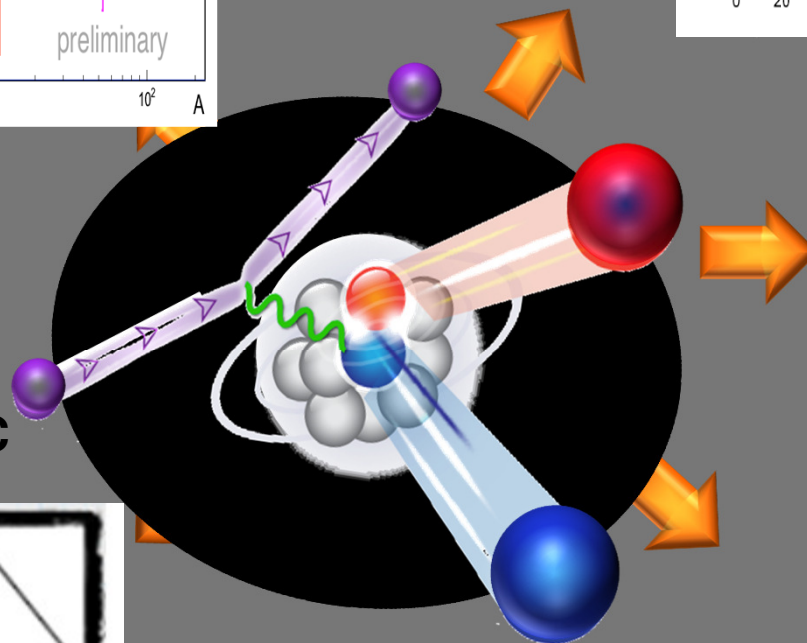
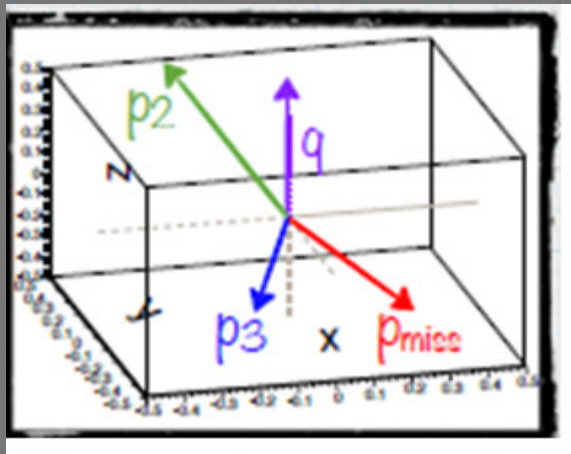
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C.M. motion of the pair

Momentum sharing in asymmetric nuclei



Search for 3N SRC



Isospin dependence of inclusive $x > 1$ (> 2) data

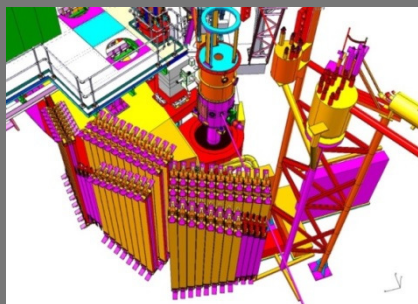
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4:30 - 5:00 Nadia Fomin (UTK): - "SRCs at $x > 1$ Inclusive Processes"

Summary – future experiments

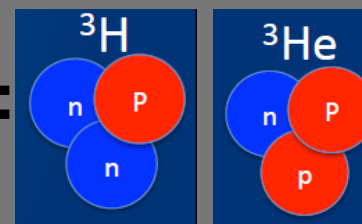


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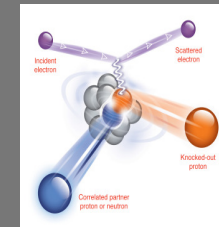


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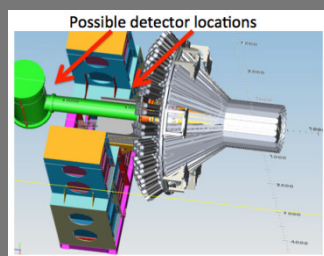
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Proposal in preparation

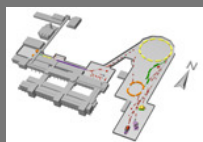


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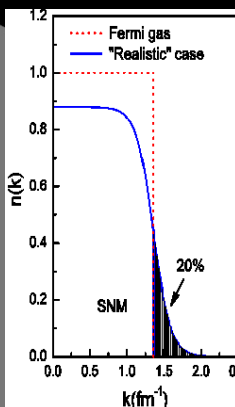
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Proton facility



Dubna

Nuclotron



Migdal jump

inclusive QE and DIS

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Add 8 f7/2 neutrons

The diagram illustrates the periodic table with elements color-coded by their principal quantum number n . The colors are: blue ($n=1$), yellow ($n=2$), green ($n=3$), cyan ($n=4$), magenta ($n=5$), grey ($n=6$), and light blue ($n=7$). Red boxes highlight the elements Calcium (Ca, Z=20) and Iron (Fe, Z=26). A red arrow labeled 'Z' indicates increasing atomic number from left to right. A blue arrow labeled 'N' indicates increasing principal quantum number n from bottom to top.

Add 8 protons