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Measurement of the branching ratio of a rare decay $\eta \rightarrow \pi^0 \gamma \gamma$ with WASA-at-COSY

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Research Interests

Hadron Structure, Physics beyond the Standard Model, CP Violation, Lepton Flavor Violation, Proton Computed Tomography, Silicon Sensor development.

Brief Research Profile

I am working with following two International Collaborations: 1) Belle at KEK, Japan: Involved in the hardware and software activities of Silicon Vertex Detector for Belle II. In addition, our group is also involved in the physics analyses of D- meson decays and Upsilon decays to study the CP violation and Lepton Flavor violation, respectively. 2) WASA-at-COSY, Germany: Physics analysis for the production and decays of eta meson.

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research experience:

Physics Analyses:

- 1) Precision measurement of the branching fraction of rare decay of light mesons.
- 2) CP Violation studies

Hardware and Software Activities

- 1) Participation in the up-gradation of experimental facility (installation, commissioning and testing of detector system, preference will be given for Silicon Detectors or Scintillation detectors)
- 2) Cosmic Ray studies before actual physics run begins.
- 3) Participation in the reconstruction software, in particular the development of the track reconstruction algorithm.
- 4) Detector monitoring shifts during the experimental period.
- 5) Monte Carlo Production shifts
- 6) Detector Simulations and Design Optimization studies using Geant4.

Manpower

- 1) Two Ph.D. students and Myself will be involved for this proposed work.
- 2) Fellowship for students will come from MHRD, Govt of India.