

GPD program at COMPASS

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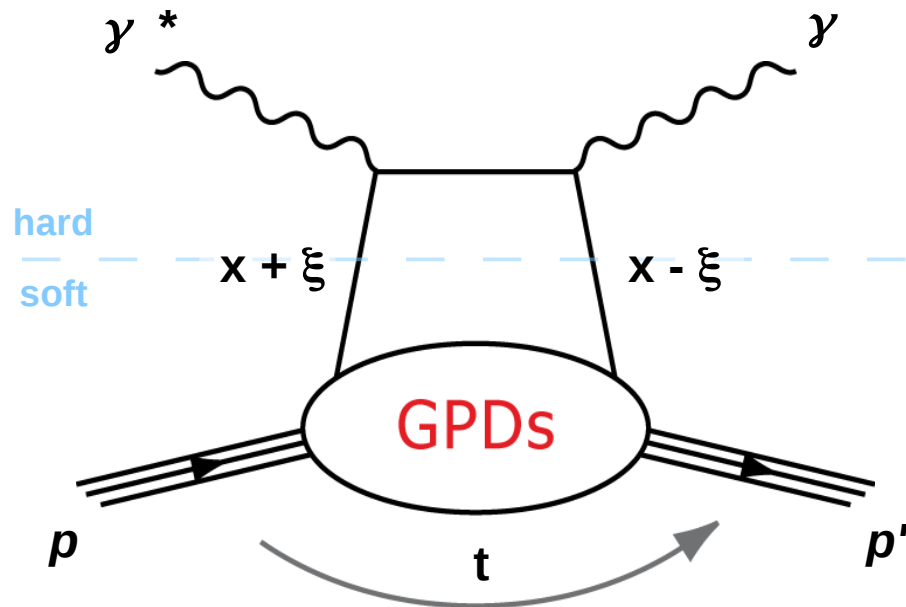
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- GPD formalism
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- Transverse target spin asymmetry for incoherent exclusive ρ^0 production
- GPD program at COMPASS-II
- Summary and outlook

Deeply Virtual Compton Scattering $\gamma^* p \rightarrow \gamma p'$



factorization for large Q^2 and $-t < 1 \text{ (GeV/c)}^2$
 $|t|/Q^2 \ll 1$

GPDs (Generalized Parton Distributions):

$H^{q,g}(x, \xi, t)$	$E^{q,g}(x, \xi, t)$	for sum over parton helicities
$\tilde{H}^{q,g}(x, \xi, t)$	$\tilde{E}^{q,g}(x, \xi, t)$	for difference over parton helicities
for retained proton helicity	for changed proton helicity	

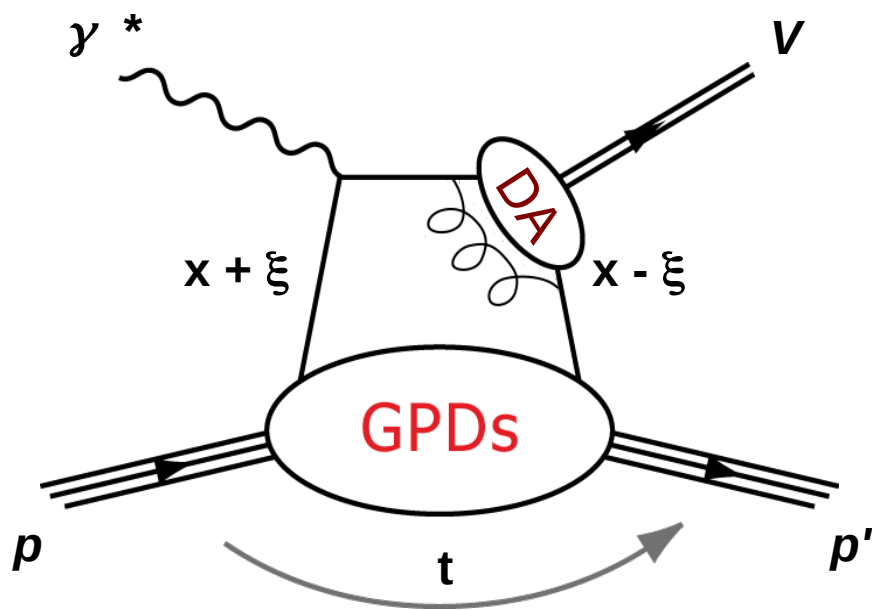
where:

- x : average longitudinal momentum fraction of the parton
- 2ξ : longitudinal momentum fraction transferred by the parton

$$\xi \approx \frac{x_B}{2 - x_B} \quad (\text{in the Bjorken limit})$$

- t : squared four-momentum transferred to the target nucleon

Deeply Virtual Meson Production $\gamma^* p \rightarrow V p'$



factorization strictly proven only for longitudinal γ^*

Dependence of meson production on different GPDs:

$H^{q,g}(x, \xi, t)$	$E^{q,g}(x, \xi, t)$	for vector mesons
$\tilde{H}^{q,g}(x, \xi, t)$	$\tilde{E}^{q,g}(x, \xi, t)$	for pseudoscalar mesons

for example:

$$E_{\rho^0} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\frac{2}{3} E^u + \frac{1}{3} E^d + \frac{3}{8} E^g \right)$$

$$E_{\omega} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\frac{2}{3} E^u - \frac{1}{3} E^d + \frac{1}{8} E^g \right)$$

$$E_{\varphi} = -\frac{1}{3} E^s - \frac{1}{8} E^g$$

- contribution from gluons at the same order of α_s as from quarks

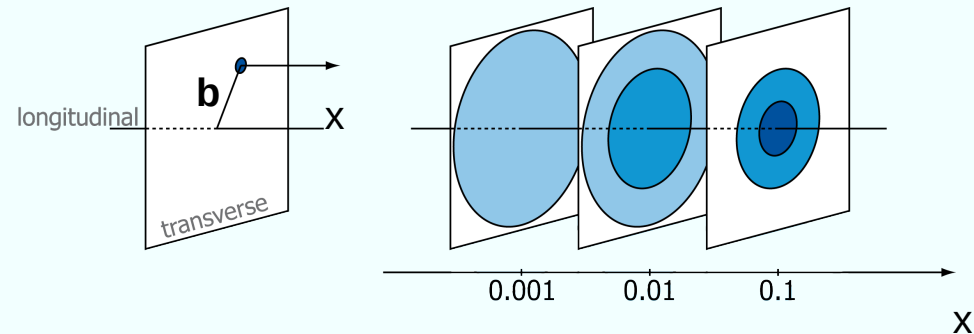
Nucleon tomography:

3D parton distribution function:

$$q(x, \mathbf{b}) = (2\pi)^{-2} \int d^2 \Delta e^{-i\mathbf{b} \cdot \Delta} H^q(x, 0, t = -\Delta^2)$$

where:

\mathbf{b} : impact parameter



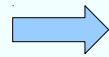
Total angular momentum:

$$\int_{-1}^1 dx x [H^q(x, \xi, 0) + E^q(x, \xi, 0)] = 2J^q \quad (\text{Ji's sum rule})$$

where:

$$J^q = \cancel{L^q} + S^q$$

*angular momentum
conservation law*

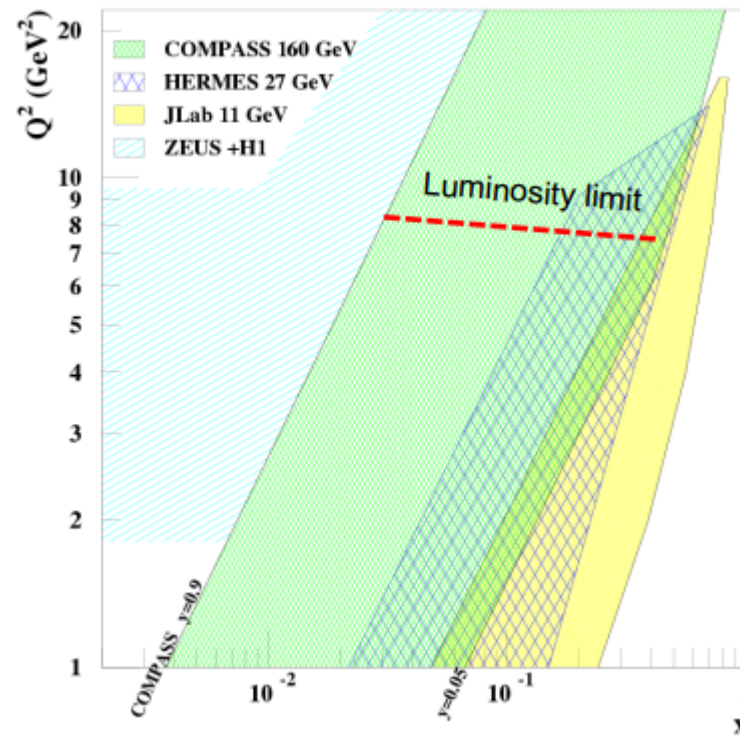


*if proton helicity is changed ($E^q, \tilde{E}^q \neq 0$)
orbital angular momentum must be involved*

What makes COMPASS unique for GPD measurement?

The GPD program at COMPASS explores intermediate x_{Bj} and large Q^2 range

COMPASS will be the only experiment in this range before availability of new colliders



$$L = 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

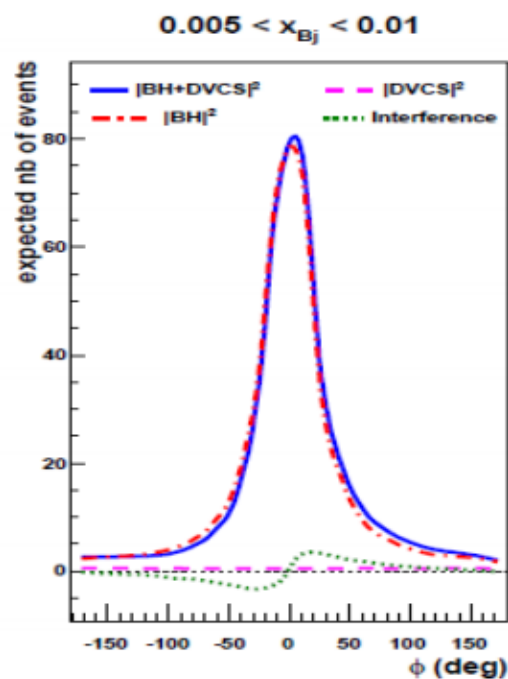
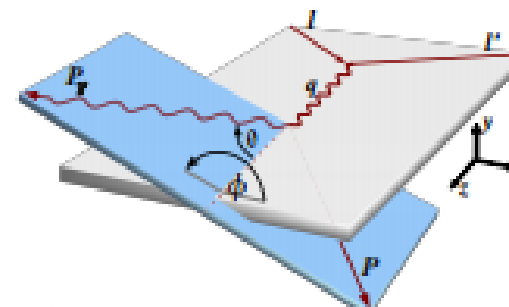
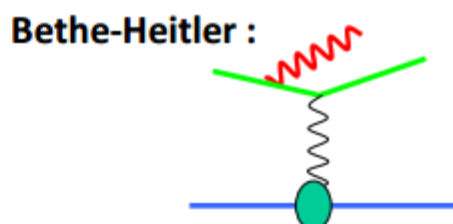
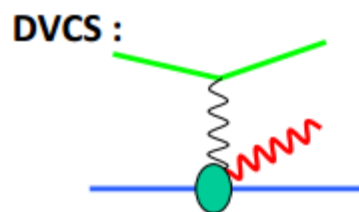
(with 2.5 m long LH target)

$$Q^2 < 8 \text{ GeV}^2$$

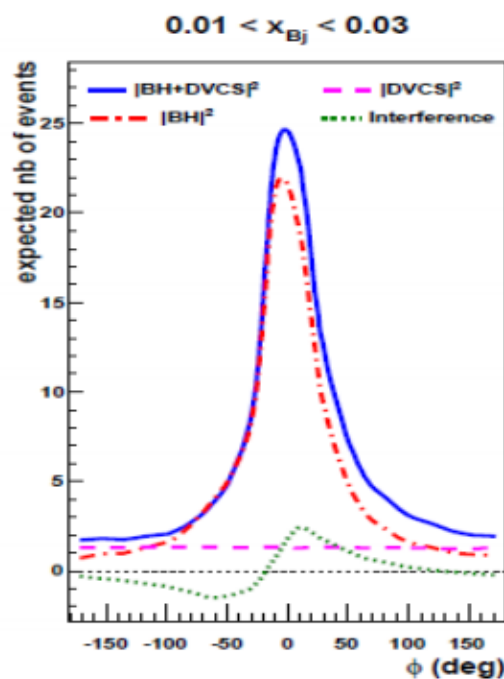
$$\sim 10^{-2} < x_{Bj} < \sim 10^{-1}$$

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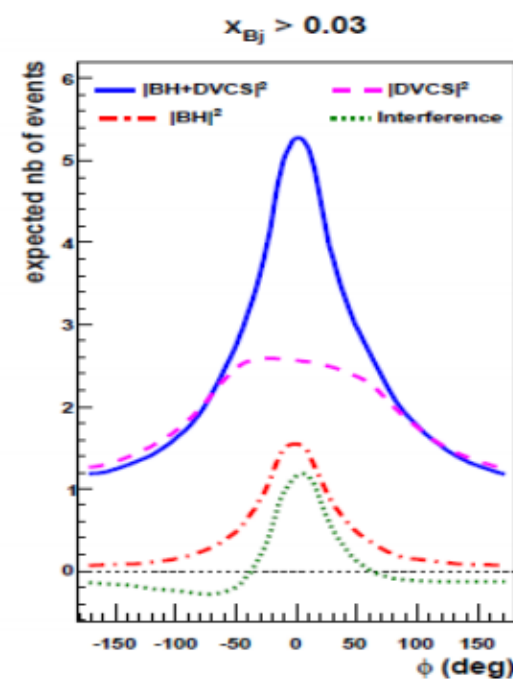
In kinematic region covered by COMPASS access DVCS cross section (in high x_{Bj} region) and DVCS amplitude (in intermediate x_{Bj} region) through the interference with BH



Low x_{Bj} region
Cross-check for predictions



Intermediate x_{Bj} region
Access to DVCS amplitude
through BH+DVCS interference



High x_{Bj} region
Access to DVCS
cross section

What makes COMPASS unique for GPD measurement?

For several years COMPASS will be unique due to availability of lepton beams of both charges

- μ^+ and μ^- beams with opposite polarization (80%)
- nominal beam momentum between 100 GeV/c and 190 GeV/c

DVCS + BH with $\mu^{+\downarrow}$ and $\mu^{-\uparrow}$ polarized beams and unpolarized target

$$d\sigma_{\mu p \rightarrow \mu \gamma} = d\sigma^{BH} + d\sigma_{unpol}^{DVCS} + P_{\mu} d\sigma_{pol}^{DVCS} + e_{\mu} a^{BH} Re T^{DVCS} + e_{\mu} P_{\mu} a^{BH} Im T^{DVCS}$$

Opposite beam charge and polarization - sum:

$$S_{CU,U} = d\sigma^{+-} + d\sigma^{-+} = 2(d\sigma^{BH} + d\sigma_{unpol}^{DVCS} + e_{\mu} P_{\mu} a^{BH} Im T^{DVCS})$$

$$c_0^{DVCS} + c_1^{DVCS} \cos \varphi + c_2^{DVCS} \cos 2\varphi$$

$$s_1^{int} \sin \varphi + s_2^{int} \sin 2\varphi$$

$d\sigma/d|t|$

$Im(F_1 \mathcal{H})$

Opposite beam charge and polarization - difference:

$$D_{CU,U} = d\sigma^{+-} - d\sigma^{-+} = 2(P_{\mu} d\sigma_{pol}^{DVCS} + e_{\mu} a^{BH} Re T^{DVCS})$$

$$s_1^{DVCS} \sin \varphi$$

$$c_0^{int} + c_1^{int} \cos \varphi + c_2^{int} \cos 2\varphi + c_3^{int} \cos 3\varphi$$

$Re(F_1 \mathcal{H})$

Leading Twist

- DVCS test runs in 2008 (1.5 days) and 2009 (10 days)
 - with unpolarized 40 cm LH target and small recoil proton detector
 - to demonstrate feasibility of DVCS measurement

- Vector Meson production from 2002 – 2011 data
 - with longitudinally/transversely polarized proton/deuteron targets
 - deuteron target unique for COMPASS
 - large statistics but without recoil proton detector
 - early results on spin dependence of DVMP

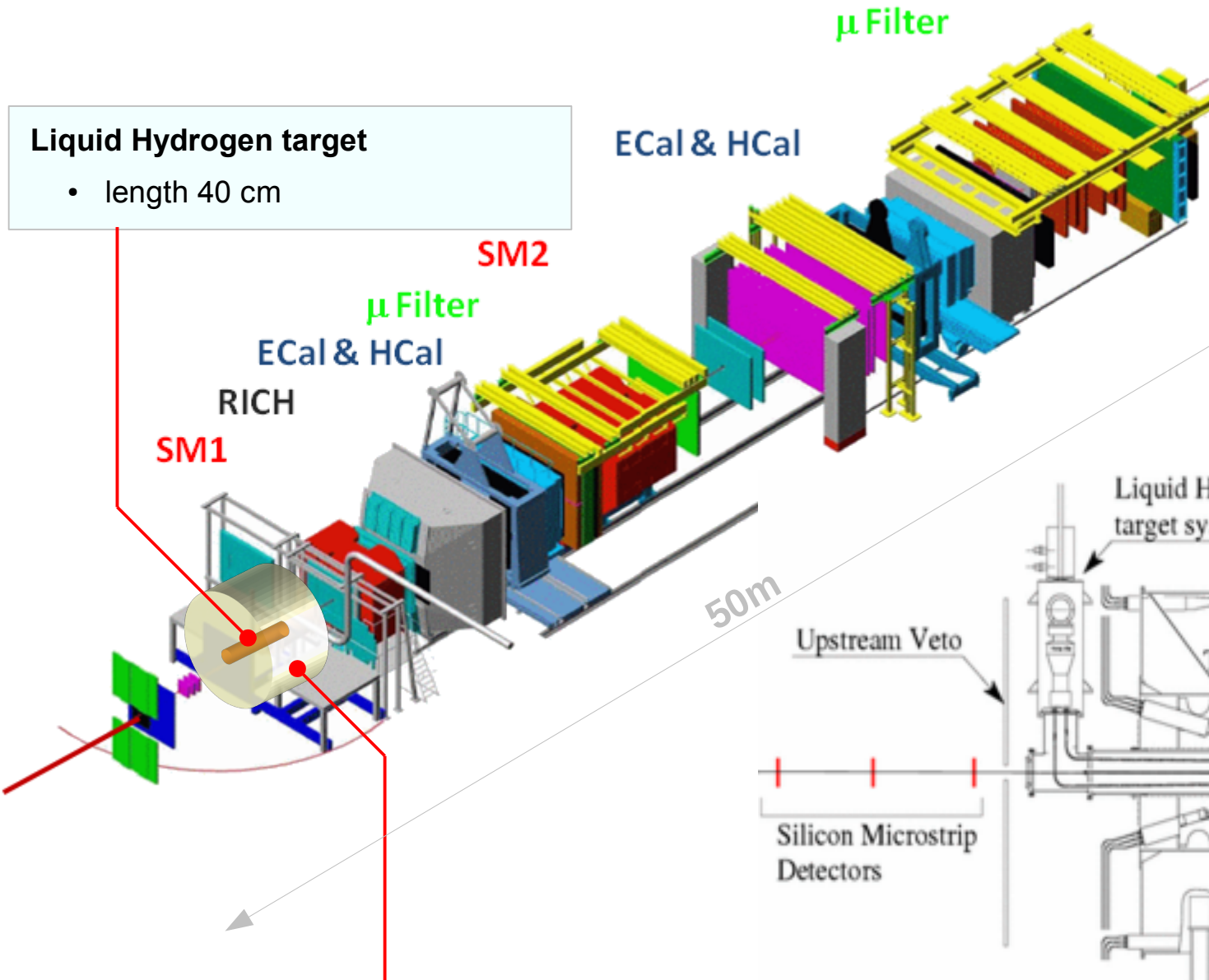
- GPD at COMPASS-II (part 1, approved) in 2012 (30 days) and 2016-2017
 - with unpolarized 2.5 m LH target and large recoil proton detector
 - with optimized setup of the spectrometer (enlarged acceptance for photon detection)
 - access to GPD H

- GPD at COMPASS-II (part 2, future addendum)
 - with polarized ammonia target and large recoil proton detector
 - access to GPD E



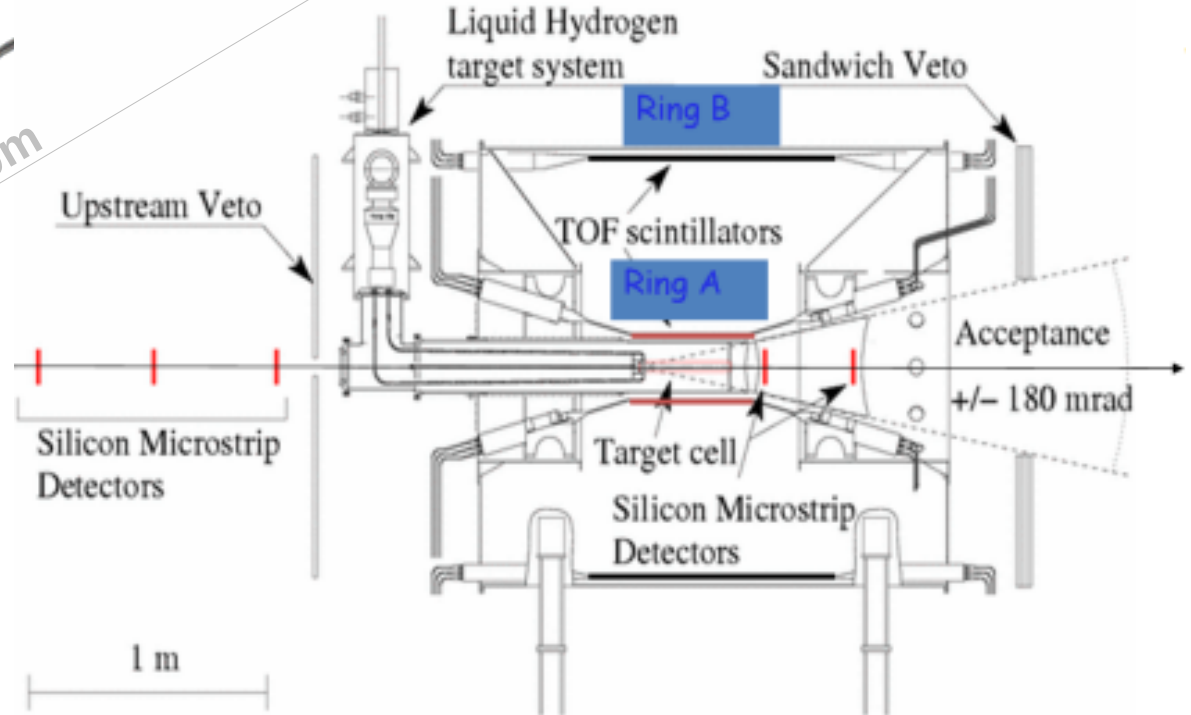
Liquid Hydrogen target

- length 40 cm

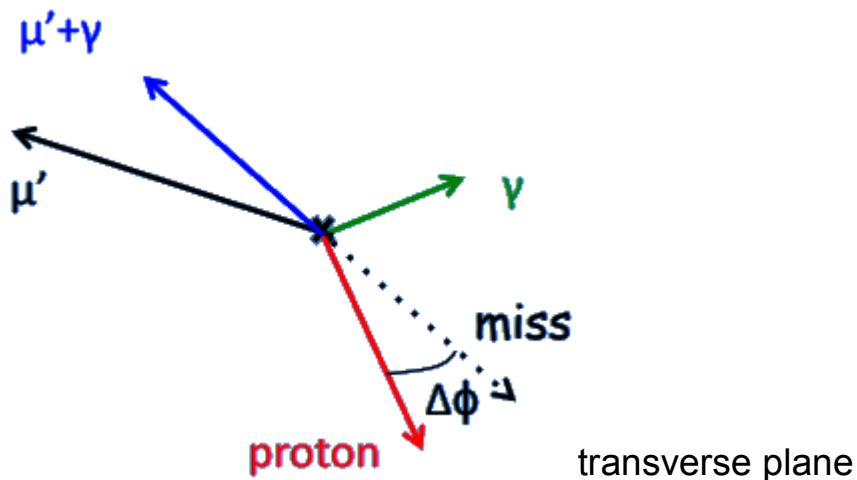


Recoil Proton Detector

1m long ToF barrel of two scintillator layers
recoil proton ID by ToF and ΔE

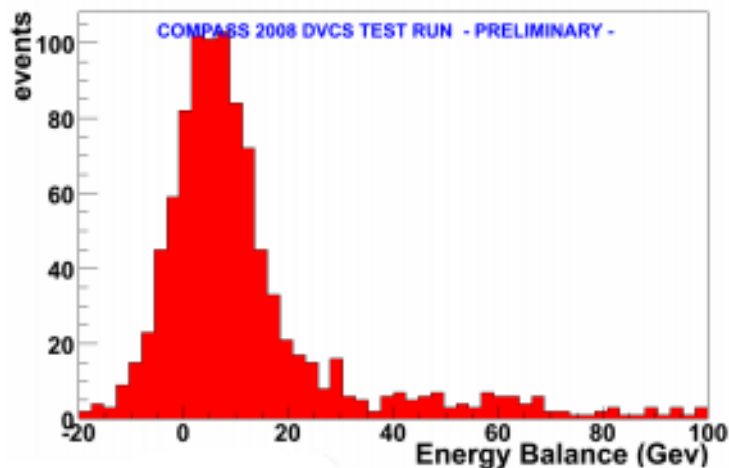
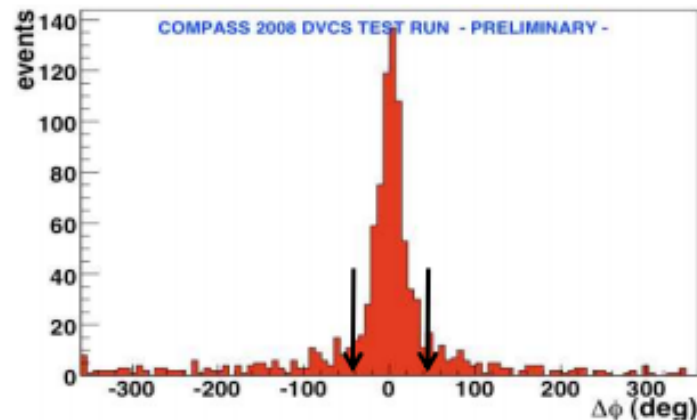
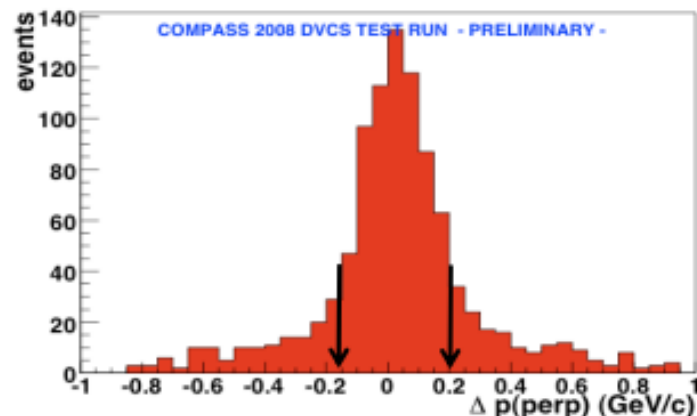


- PV vertex with incoming (μ) and only one outgoing (μ') tracks
- only one high energy photon
- only one proton in RPD with $p < 1$ GeV/c
- exclusivity cuts in transverse plane
 - $|\Delta p_T| < 0.2$ GeV
 - $|\Delta\phi| < 41$ deg



- cut on energy ballance (Emiss)
 $E_{miss} = E_\mu + M_p - (E_{\mu'} + E_{p'} + E_\gamma)$
 $|E_{miss}| < 20$ GeV

- $1 < Q^2 < 4$ GeV²

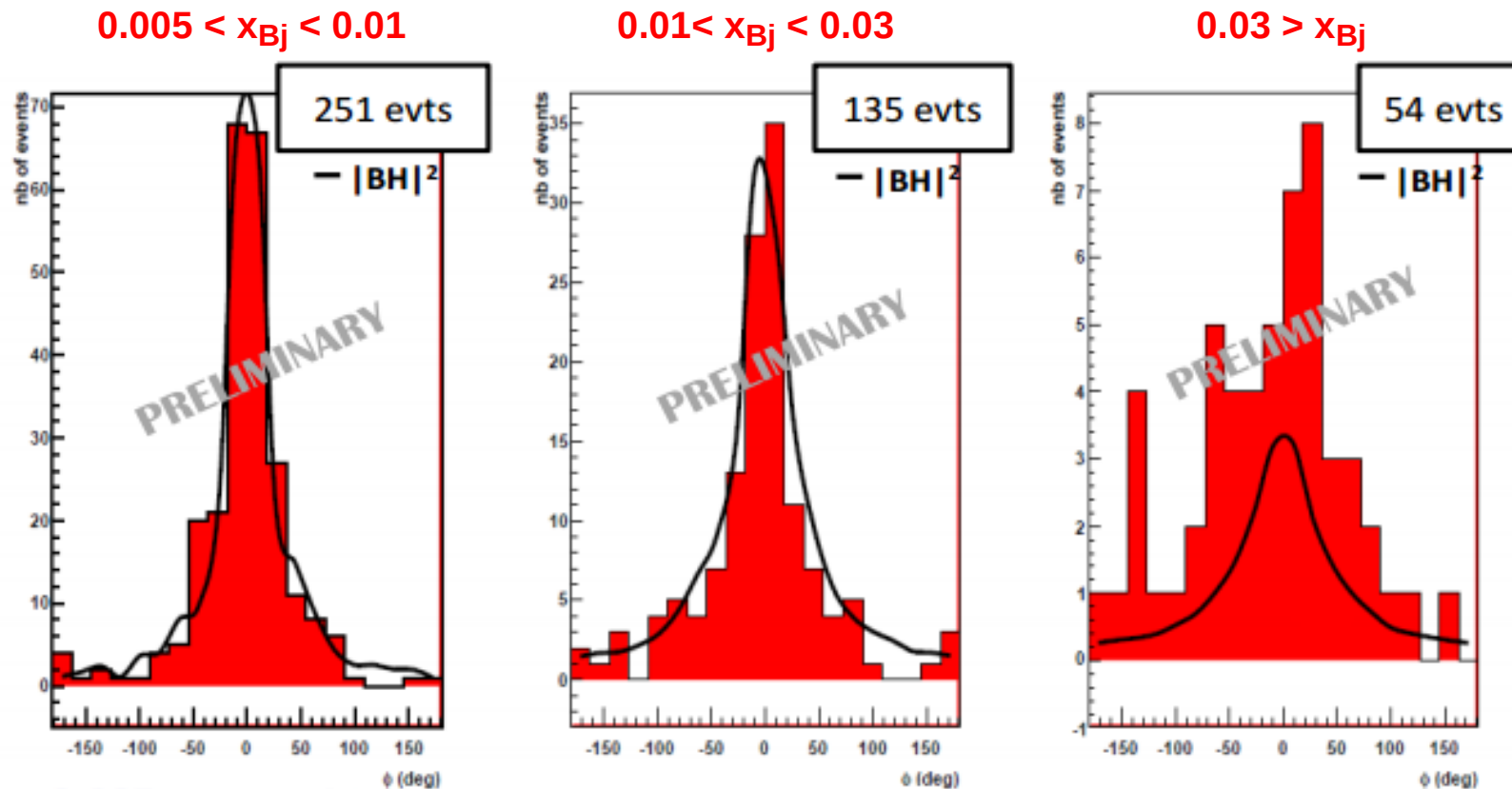


2008 test run 1.5 day

- observation of exclusive single photon production
- confirmed global efficiency $\varepsilon = 10\%$ assumed in simulations

2009 test run 10 days

- observation of DVCS and BH



- BH prediction normalized to low x_{Bj} bin
- Excess in high x_{Bj} bin is an indication of DVCS

The cross section formula for exclusive meson production

$$\left[\frac{\alpha_{em}}{8\pi^3} \frac{y^2}{1-\varepsilon} \frac{1-x_B}{x_B} \frac{1}{Q^2} \right]^{-1} \frac{d\sigma}{dx_B dQ^2 d\phi d\phi_S}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (\sigma_{++}^{++} + \sigma_{++}^{--}) + \varepsilon \sigma_{00}^{++} - \varepsilon \cos(2\phi) \operatorname{Re} \sigma_{+-}^{++} - \sqrt{\varepsilon(1+\varepsilon)} \cos \phi \operatorname{Re} (\sigma_{+0}^{++} + \sigma_{+0}^{--})$$

$$- P_\ell \sqrt{\varepsilon(1-\varepsilon)} \sin \phi \operatorname{Im} (\sigma_{+0}^{++} + \sigma_{+0}^{--})$$

$$- S_L \left[\varepsilon \sin(2\phi) \operatorname{Im} \sigma_{+-}^{++} + \sqrt{\varepsilon(1+\varepsilon)} \sin \phi \operatorname{Im} (\sigma_{+0}^{++} - \sigma_{+0}^{--}) \right]$$

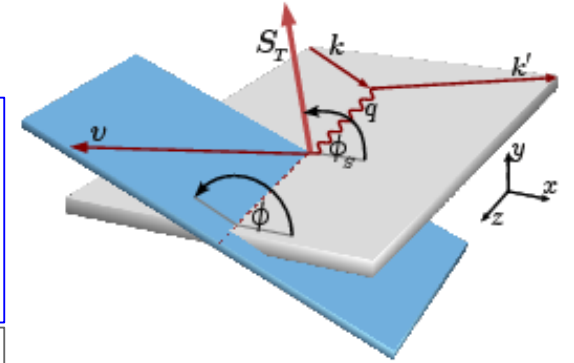
$$+ S_L P_\ell \left[\sqrt{1-\varepsilon^2} \frac{1}{2} (\sigma_{++}^{++} - \sigma_{++}^{--}) - \sqrt{\varepsilon(1-\varepsilon)} \cos \phi \operatorname{Re} (\sigma_{+0}^{++} - \sigma_{+0}^{--}) \right]$$

$$- S_T \left[\sin(\phi - \phi_S) \operatorname{Im} (\sigma_{+-}^{++} + \varepsilon \sigma_{00}^{+-}) + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \sin(\phi + \phi_S) \operatorname{Im} \sigma_{+-}^{+-} + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \sin(3\phi - \phi_S) \operatorname{Im} \sigma_{+-}^{-+} \right]$$

$$+ \sqrt{\varepsilon(1+\varepsilon)} \sin \phi_S \operatorname{Im} \sigma_{+0}^{+-} + \sqrt{\varepsilon(1+\varepsilon)} \sin(2\phi - \phi_S) \operatorname{Im} \sigma_{+0}^{-+} \left. \right]$$

$$+ S_T P_\ell \left[\sqrt{1-\varepsilon^2} \cos(\phi - \phi_S) \operatorname{Re} \sigma_{+-}^{+-} \right.$$

$$\left. - \sqrt{\varepsilon(1-\varepsilon)} \cos \phi_S \operatorname{Re} \sigma_{+0}^{+-} - \sqrt{\varepsilon(1-\varepsilon)} \cos(2\phi - \phi_S) \operatorname{Re} \sigma_{+0}^{-+} \right].$$



σ_{mn}^{ij} : spin-dependent photoabsorption cross section or interference terms

$$\sigma_{mn}^{ij}(x_B, Q^2, t) \propto \sum_{spins} (A_m^i)^* A_n^j$$

A_m^i : amplitude for subprocess $\gamma * p \rightarrow V p'$ with photon helicity m and target proton helicity i

$$\varepsilon = \frac{1-y-\frac{1}{4}y^2y^2}{1-y+\frac{1}{2}y^2+\frac{1}{4}y^2}$$

$$y = 2x_B M_p / Q$$

For vector mesons:

$$\frac{1}{\Gamma'} \frac{d\sigma_{00}^{++}}{dt} = (1-\xi^2) |\mathcal{H}_M|^2 - \left(\xi^2 + \frac{t}{4M_p^2} \right) |\mathcal{E}_M|^2 - 2\xi^2 \operatorname{Re}(\mathcal{E}_M^* \mathcal{H}_M) \quad \longrightarrow \quad \begin{aligned} \text{unpolarized cross section} \\ \sigma_0 &= \frac{1}{2} (\sigma_{++}^{++} + \sigma_{++}^{--}) + \epsilon \sigma_{00}^{++} \\ &\equiv \sigma_T + \epsilon \sigma_L \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{1}{\Gamma'} \operatorname{Im} \frac{d\sigma_{00}^{+-}}{dt} = -\sqrt{1-\xi^2} \frac{\sqrt{t_0-t}}{M_p} \operatorname{Im}(\mathcal{E}_M^* \mathcal{H}_M) \quad \longrightarrow \quad \begin{aligned} \text{transverse target spin} \\ \text{asymmetry} \\ A_{UT}^{\sin(\varphi-\varphi_s)} &= -\frac{\operatorname{Im}(\sigma_{++}^{+-} + \epsilon \sigma_{00}^{+-})}{\sigma_0} \end{aligned}$$

where:

$\mathcal{H}_M, \mathcal{E}_M$ are convolutions of the GPDs $H^{q,g}, E^{q,g}$ with hard scattering kernel and meson DA

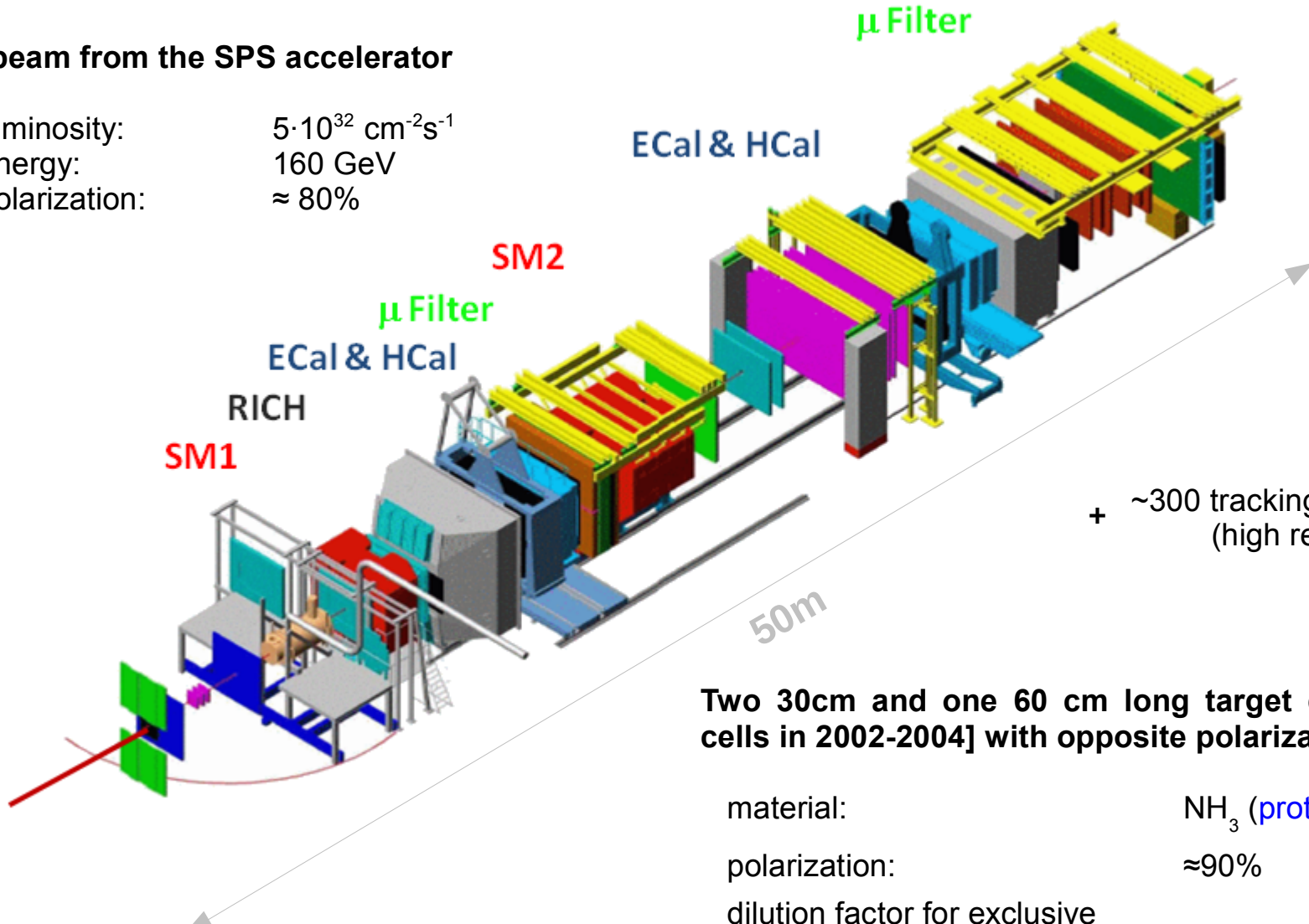
$$\Gamma' = \frac{\alpha_{em}}{Q^6} \frac{x_B^2}{1-x_B} \quad -t_0 = \frac{4\xi^2 M_p^2}{1-\xi^2} \quad \xi \approx \frac{x_B}{2-x_B}$$

COMPASS experiment at CERN – setup with transversely polarized target



μ^+ beam from the SPS accelerator

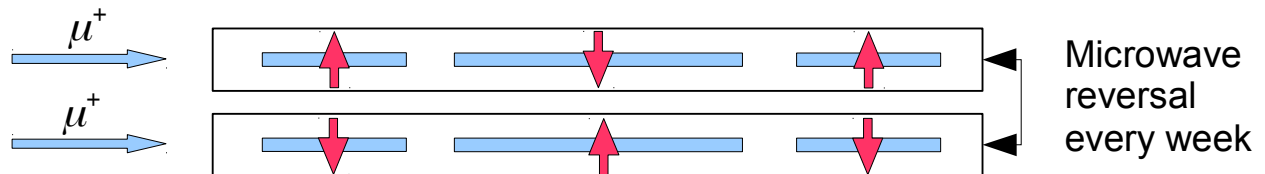
luminosity: $5 \cdot 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$
 energy: 160 GeV
 polarization: $\approx 80\%$



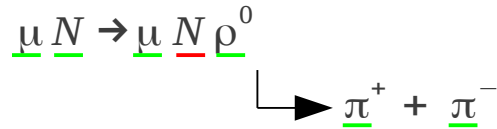
+ ~300 tracking detector planes (high redundancy)

Two 30cm and one 60 cm long target cells [two 60cm long cells in 2002-2004] with opposite polarization

material:	NH_3 (protons)	${}^6\text{LiD}$ (deuterons)
polarization:	$\approx 90\%$	$[\approx 50\%]$
dilution factor for exclusive ρ^0 production:	$\approx 25\%$	$[\approx 44\%]$



Transverse target spin asymmetry for incoherent exclusive ρ^0 production



Used data:

2003 – 2004 (deuterons)
2007, 2010 (protons)

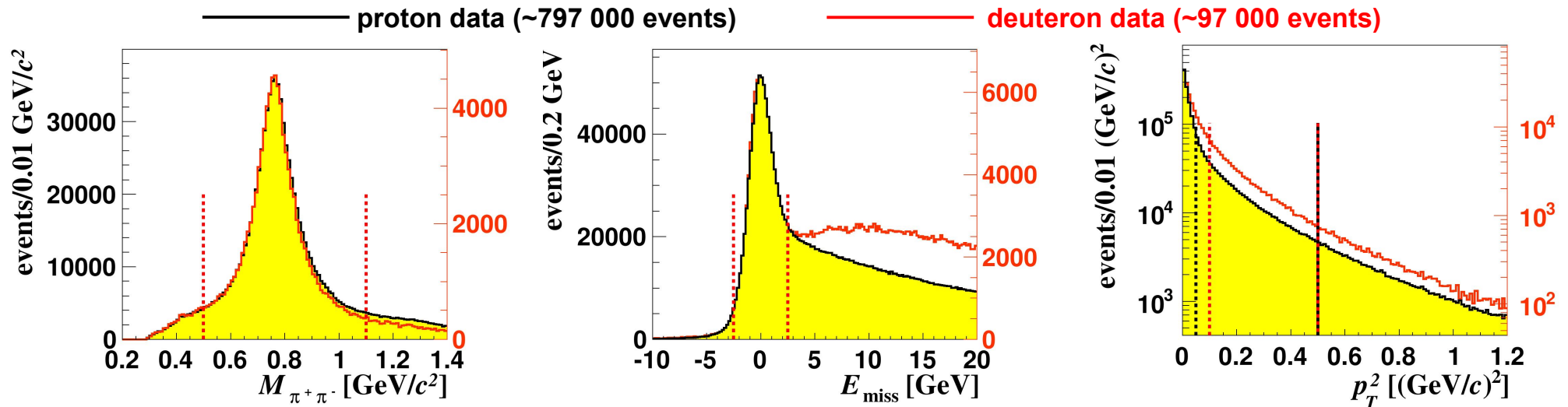
} for transverse target polarization

Topology:

only incoming and outgoing muon tracks,
two hadron tracks of opposite charges in PV

Kinematics domain:

- $Q^2 > 1 \text{ (GeV/c)}^2$
- $W > 5 \text{ GeV}$
- $0.1 < y < 0.9$
- $0.003 < x_{Bj} < 0.35$



Invariant mass

Pion mass is assumed for each outgoing hadron track

$$0.5 < M_{\pi\pi} < 1.1 \text{ GeV}/c^2$$

Missing energy

Check if the proton is intact

$$E_{miss} = \frac{M_x^2 - M_p^2}{2M_p} \in (-2.5, 2.5) \text{ GeV}$$

$E_{miss} = 0$ is the signature of exclusivity

Squared transverse momentum of ρ^0 candidate w.r.t. γ^*

To remove coherent production off target nuclei

$$0.05 < p_t^2 \text{ (GeV}/c)^2 \text{ for protons}$$

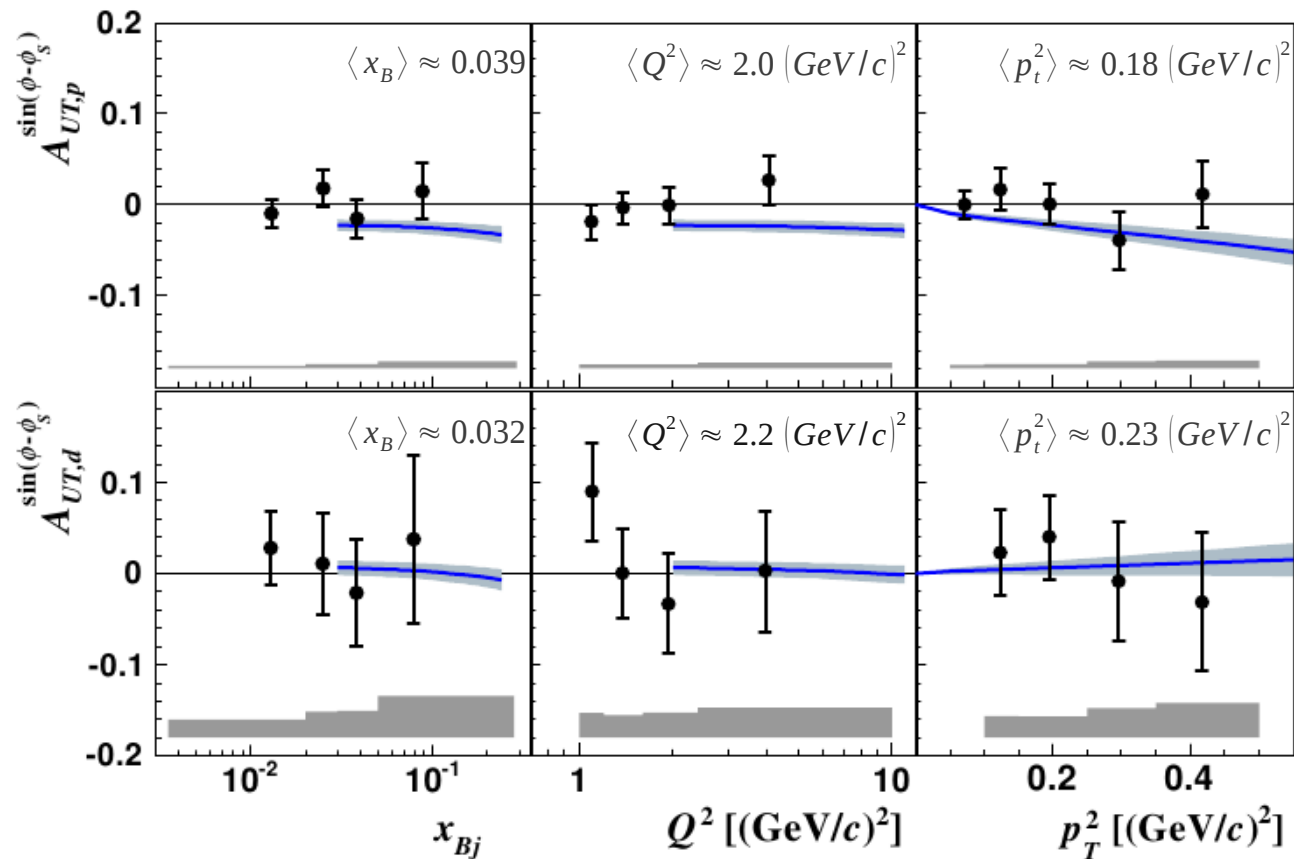
$$0.01 < p_t^2 \text{ (GeV}/c)^2 \text{ for deuterons}$$

To suppress non-exclusive background

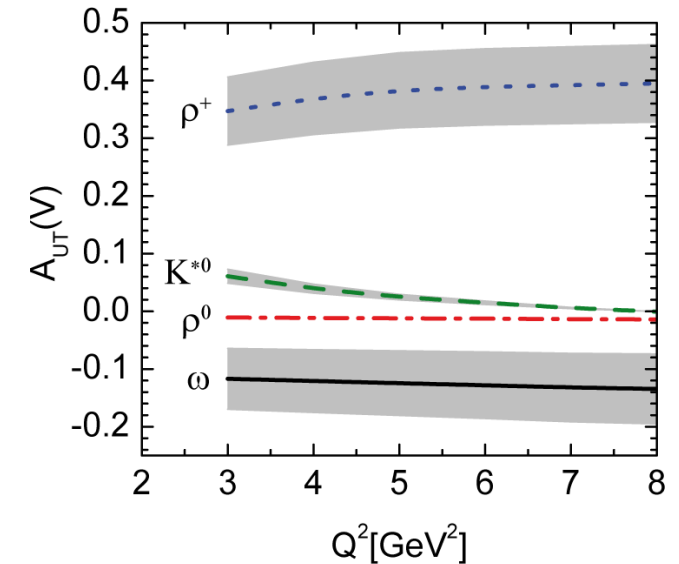
$$p_t^2 < 0.5 \text{ (GeV}/c)^2$$

Asymmetry extracted for each kinematic bin from a fit of the number of signal events (i.e. after correction for SIDIS background) in azimuthal angle bins for each of the target cell and polarization state (+,-)

COMPASS results (Nucl. Phys. B 865 1)



Goloskokov and Kroll (Eur. Phys. J. C 59 4 (2009))

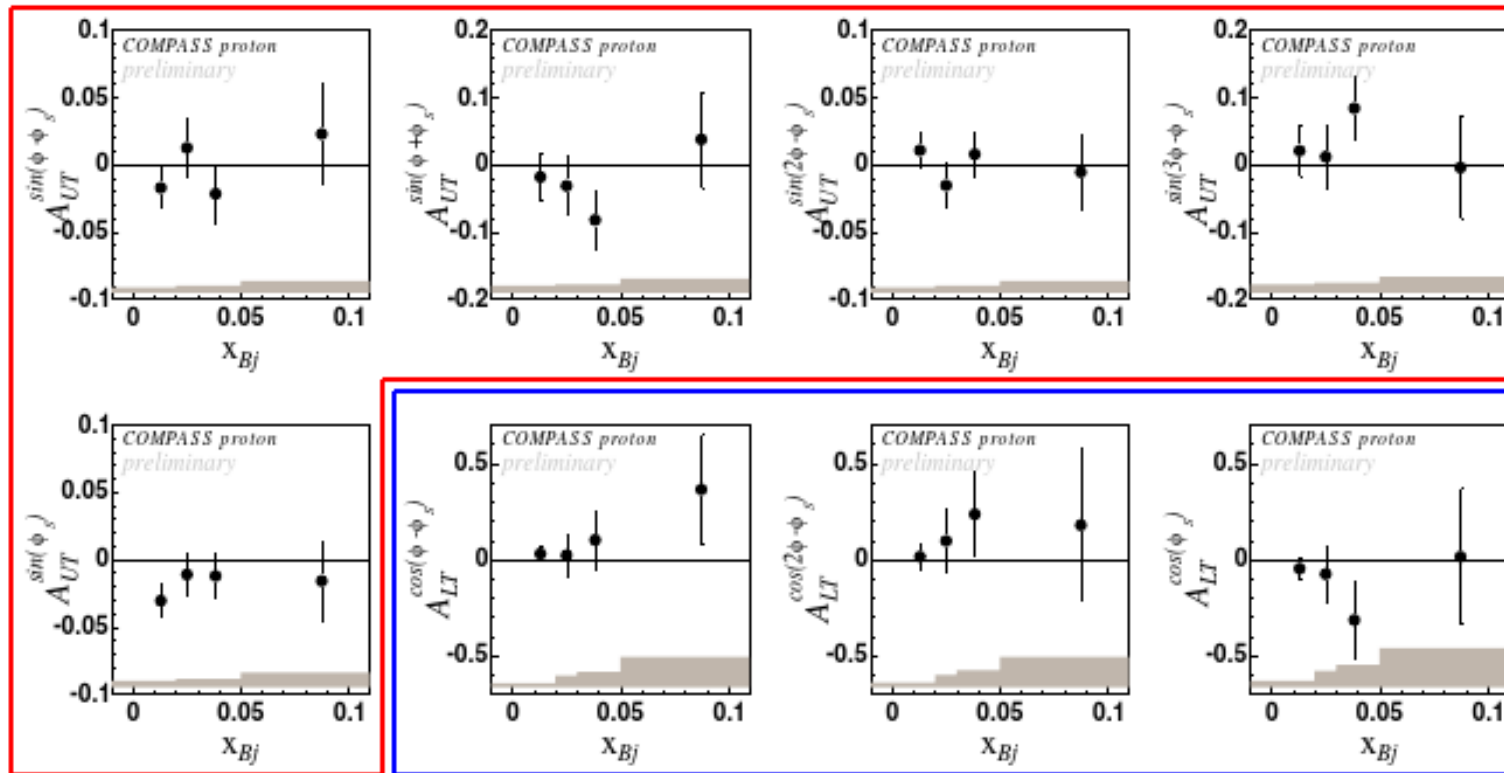


- “handbag model”
- GPDs constrained by CTEQ6 parametrization and nucleon form factors
- power corrections due to transverse quarks momenta
- predictions both for γ_L^* and γ_T^*

- $A_{UT}^{\sin(\phi-\phi_S)}$ for transversely polarised protons and deuterons compatible with 0
- for proton data agreement with HERMES results
COMPASS results with statistical errors improved by factor 3 and extended kinematic range
- for deuteron data the first measurement
- reasonable agreement with predictions of the GPD model of Goloskokov - Kroll

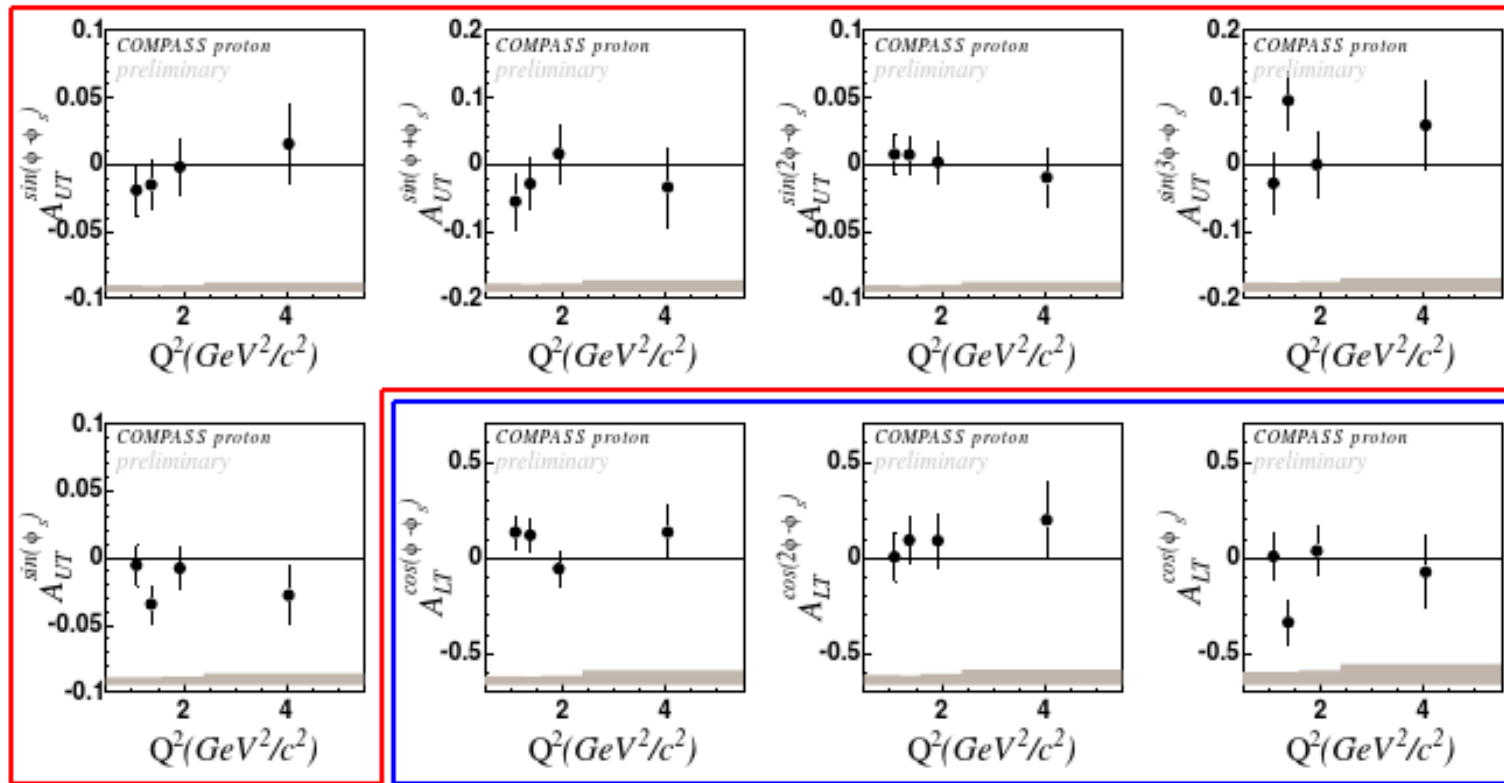
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as a function of x_{Bj}



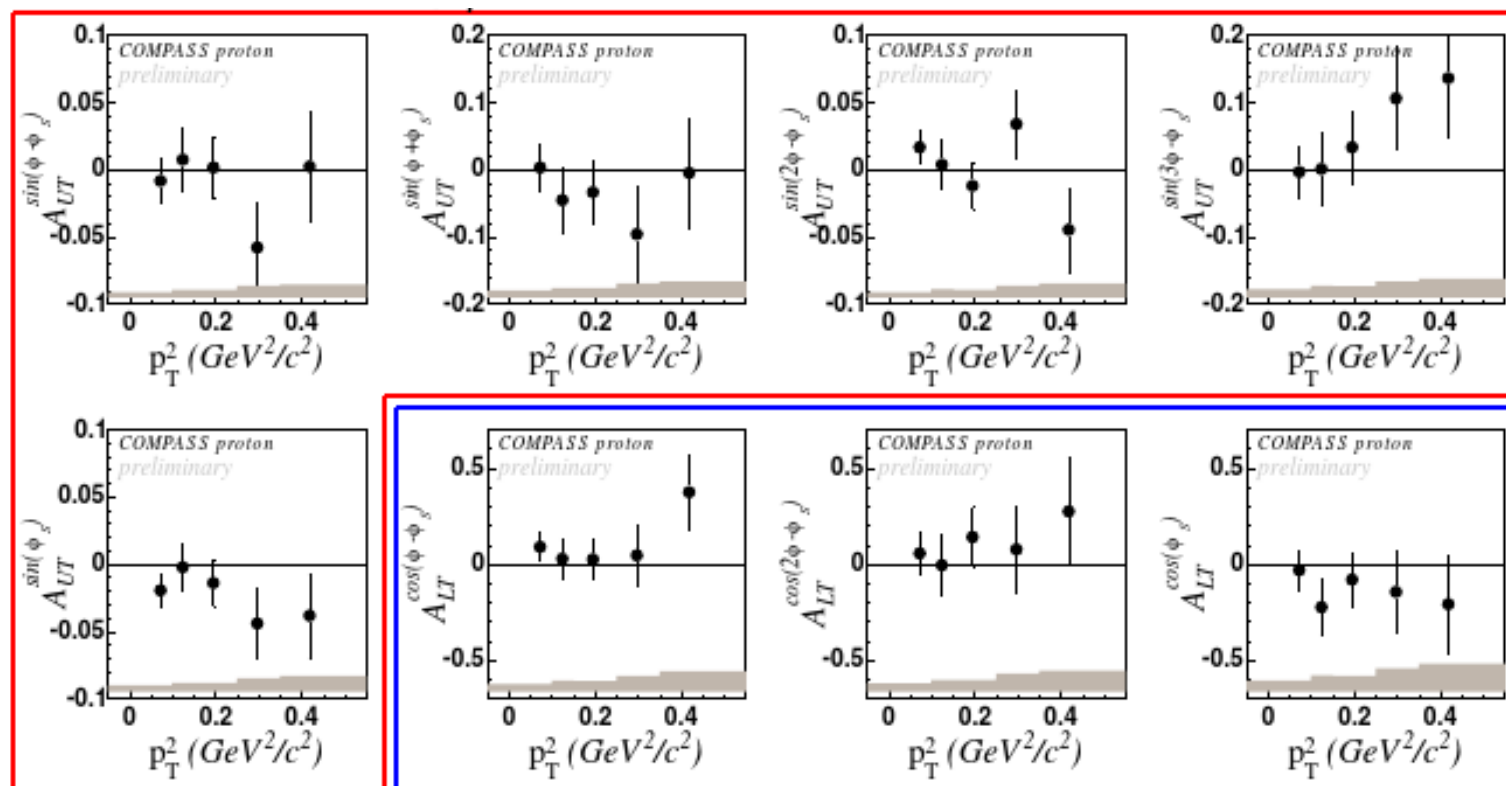
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as a function of Q^2



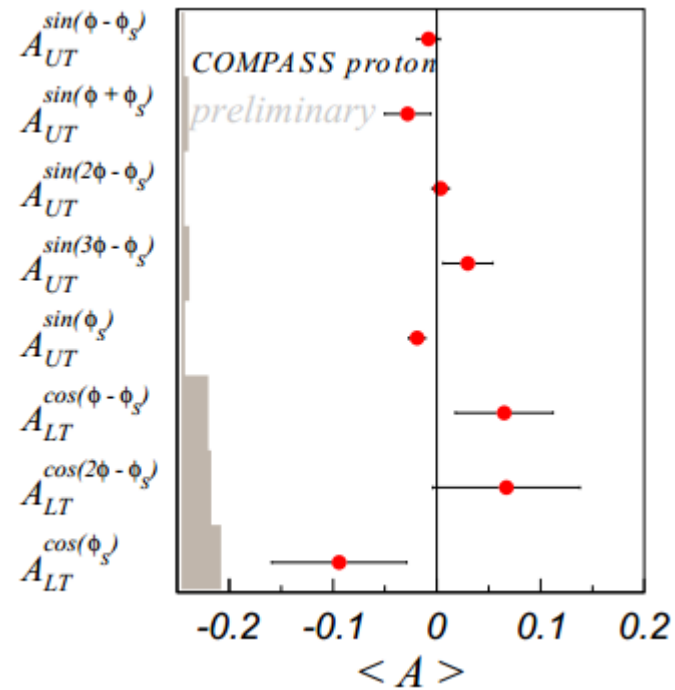
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as a function of p_T^2



- All asymmetries small, compatible with 0, except
- $A_{UT}^{\sin(\varphi_S)} = -0.019 \pm 0.008 \pm 0.003$

integrated



Future GPD program at COMPASS-II

Stage 1 - proposal approved by CERN

2012 pion and kaon polarisabilities (Primakoff) + commissioning and short data taking for GPD program
(with LH + RPD)

2013 long SPS shutdown

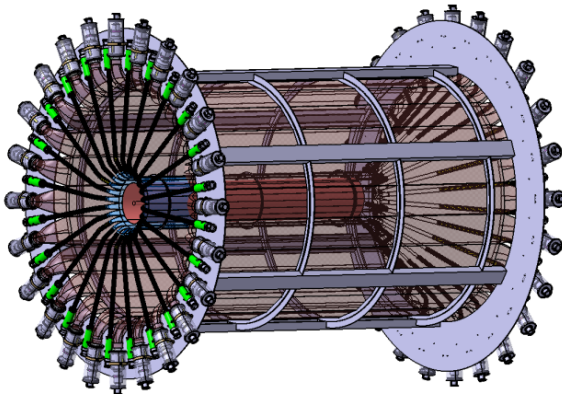
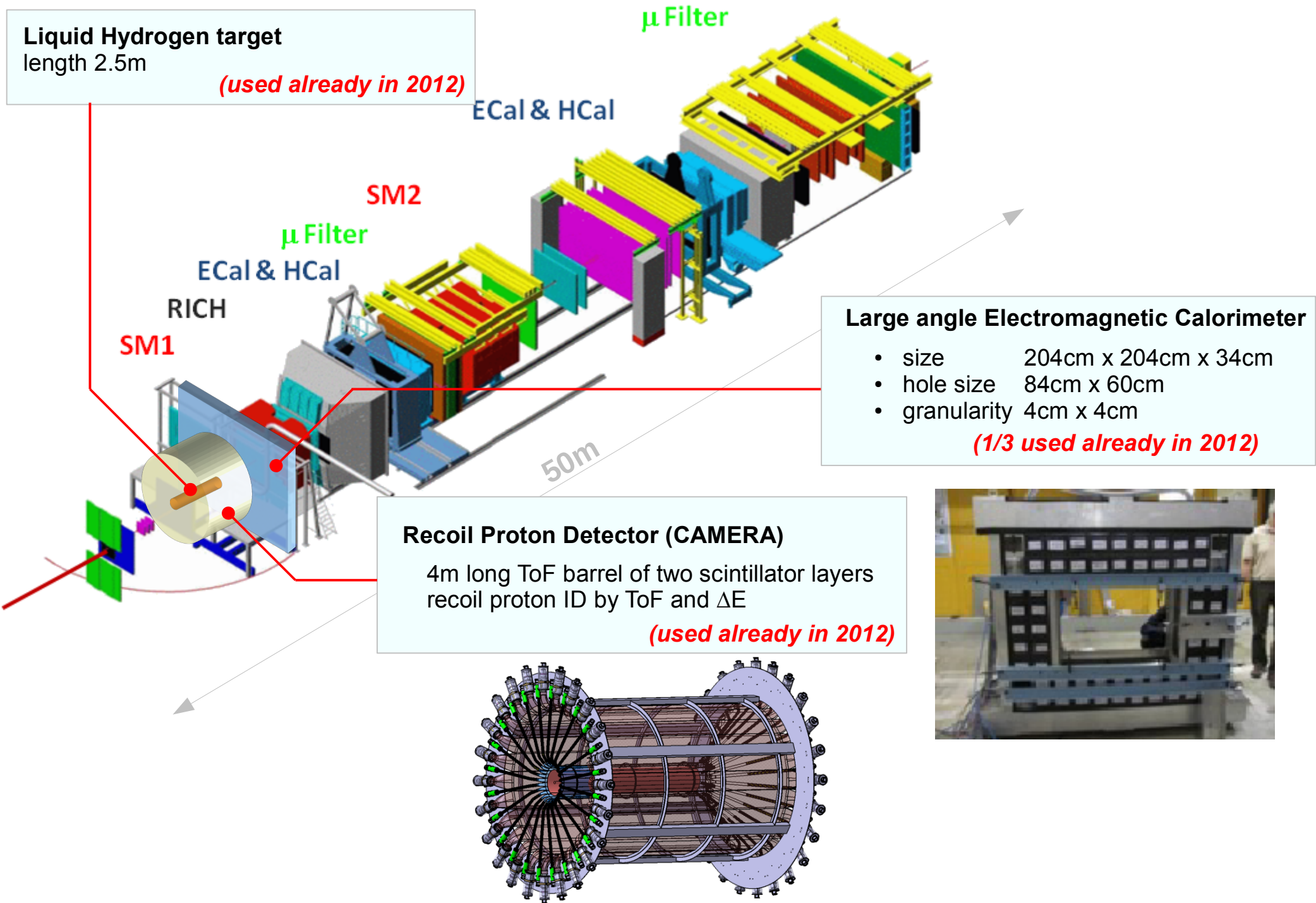
2014-2015 Drell-Yann measurement with transversely polarized protons (NH_3 target) →

Stefano,
Monday's talk

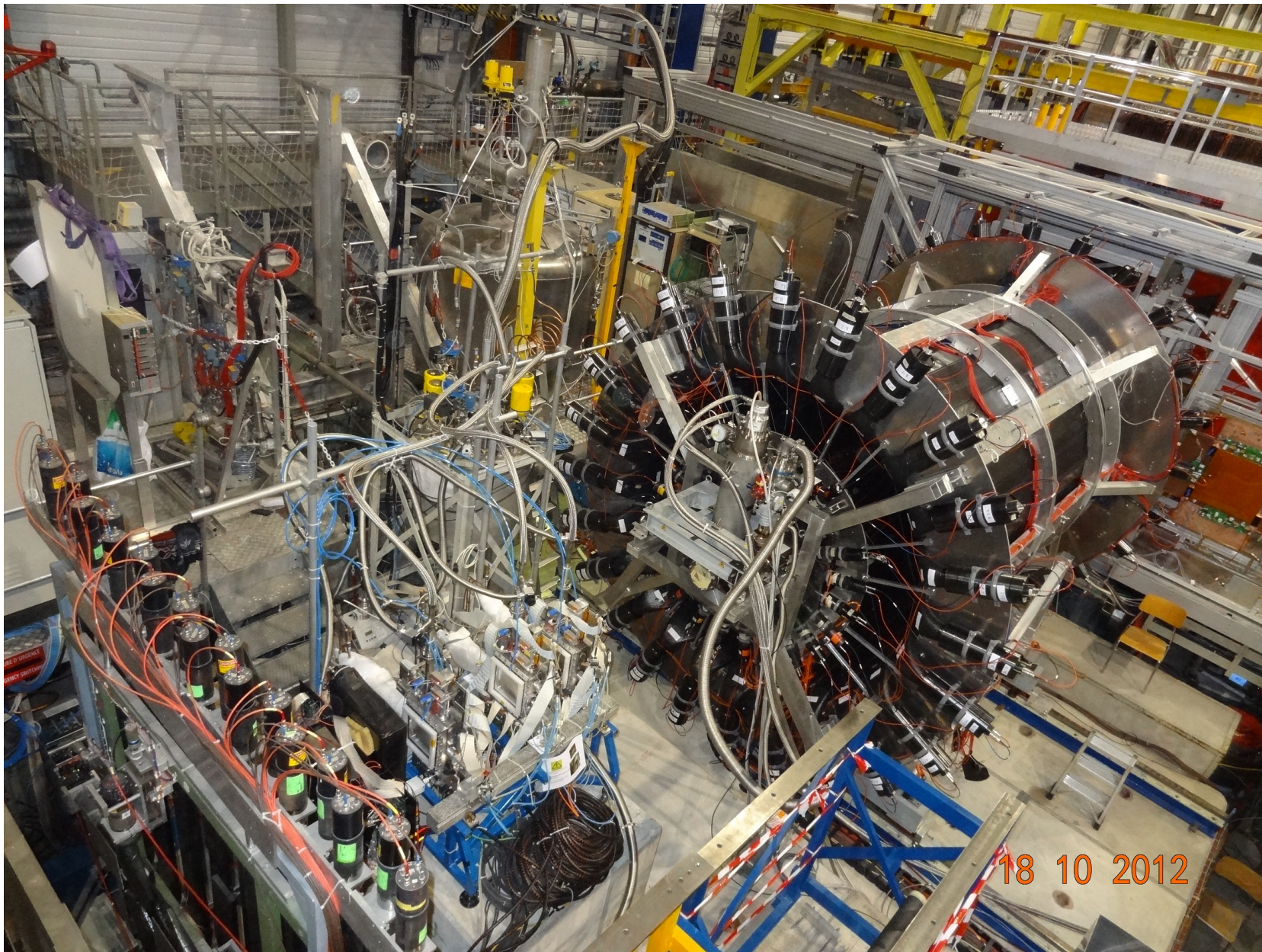
2016-2017 GPD + SIDIS (with LH + RPD)

Stage 2 - subject of addendum to the proposal

> 2017 { additional year of Drell-Yann measurement
GPD with transversely polarized target (NH_3) and RPD
hadron spectroscopy



Target area during 2012 DVCS data taking



Measurement of t-slope for DVCS production

sensitive to transverse size of nucleon

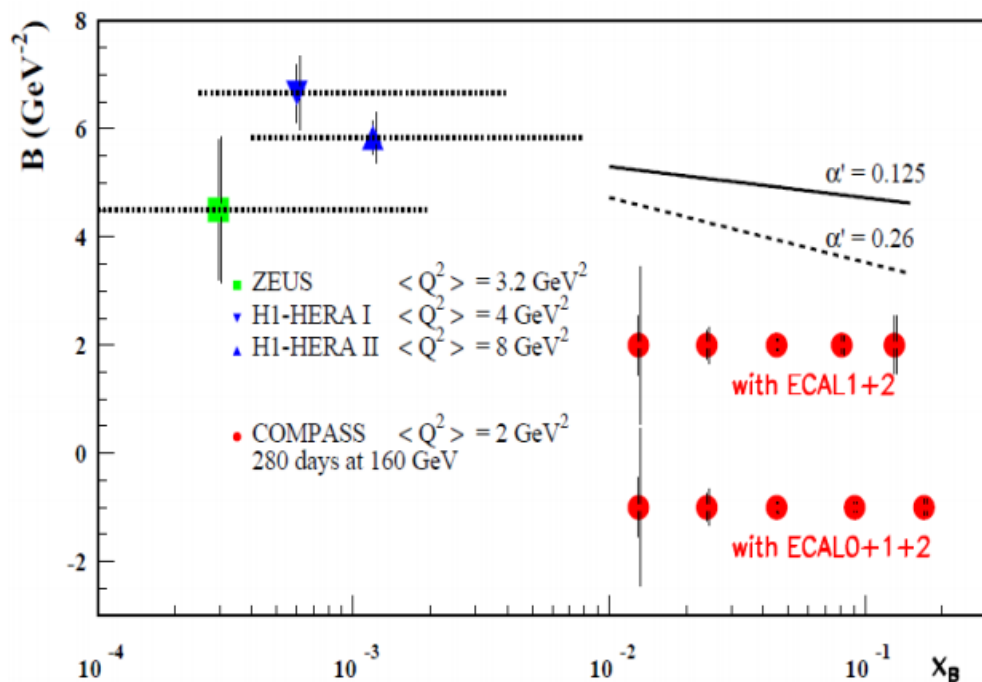
$$\frac{d\sigma}{dt} \sim \exp(-b|t|)$$

$$b(x_{Bj}) \approx \frac{1}{2} \langle r_{\perp}^2(x_{Bj}) \rangle$$

Assumptions for simulations

- 160 GeV muon beam
- global efficiency $\varepsilon = 10\%$
- $L = 1.2 \text{ nb}^{-1}$ (2 years of data taking)

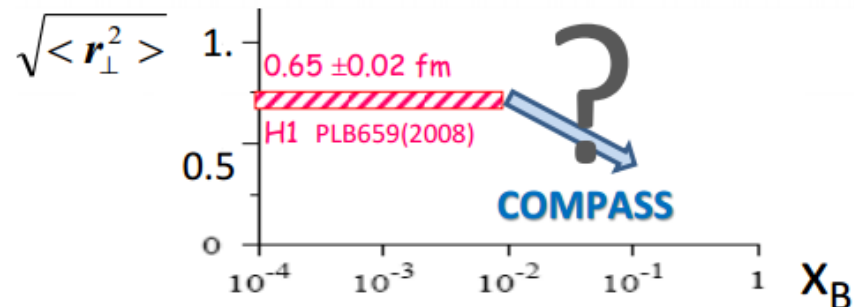
1/10 statistics expected in 2012 pilot run



ansatz at small x_{Bj} :

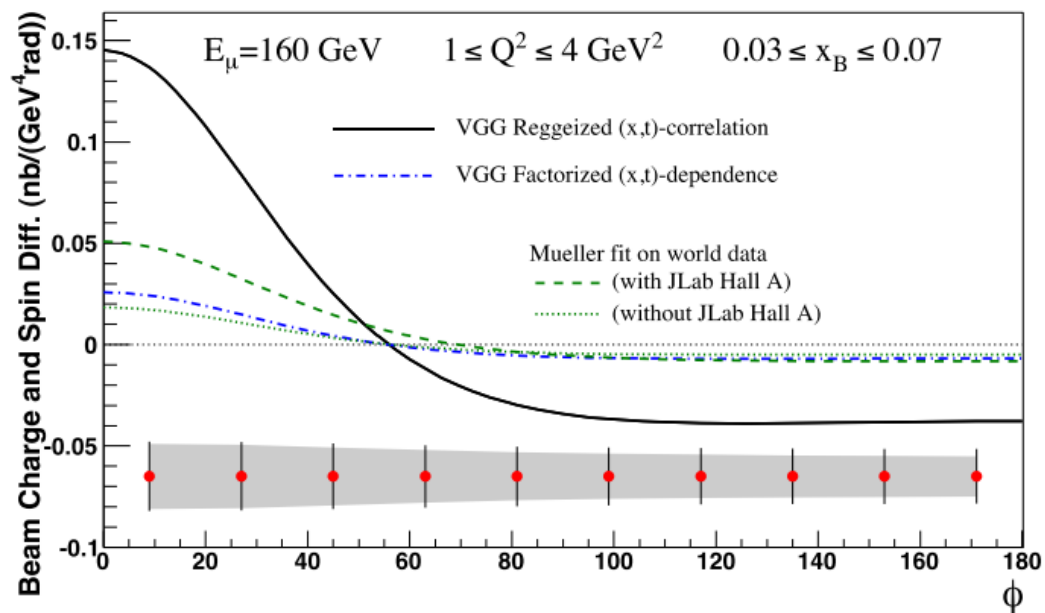
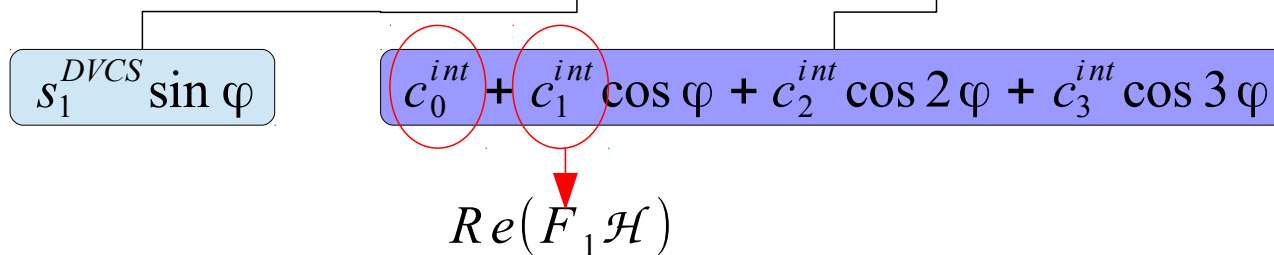
$$b(x_{Bj}) = b_0 + 2 \alpha' \ln(x_0/x_{Bj})$$

$$\alpha' = 0.125 \text{ GeV}^{-2}$$



Measurement of difference of cross section for single photon production

$$D_{CU,U} = d\sigma^{+-} - d\sigma^{-+} = 2(P_\mu d\sigma_{pol}^{DVCS} + e_\mu a^{BH} Re T^{DVCS})$$



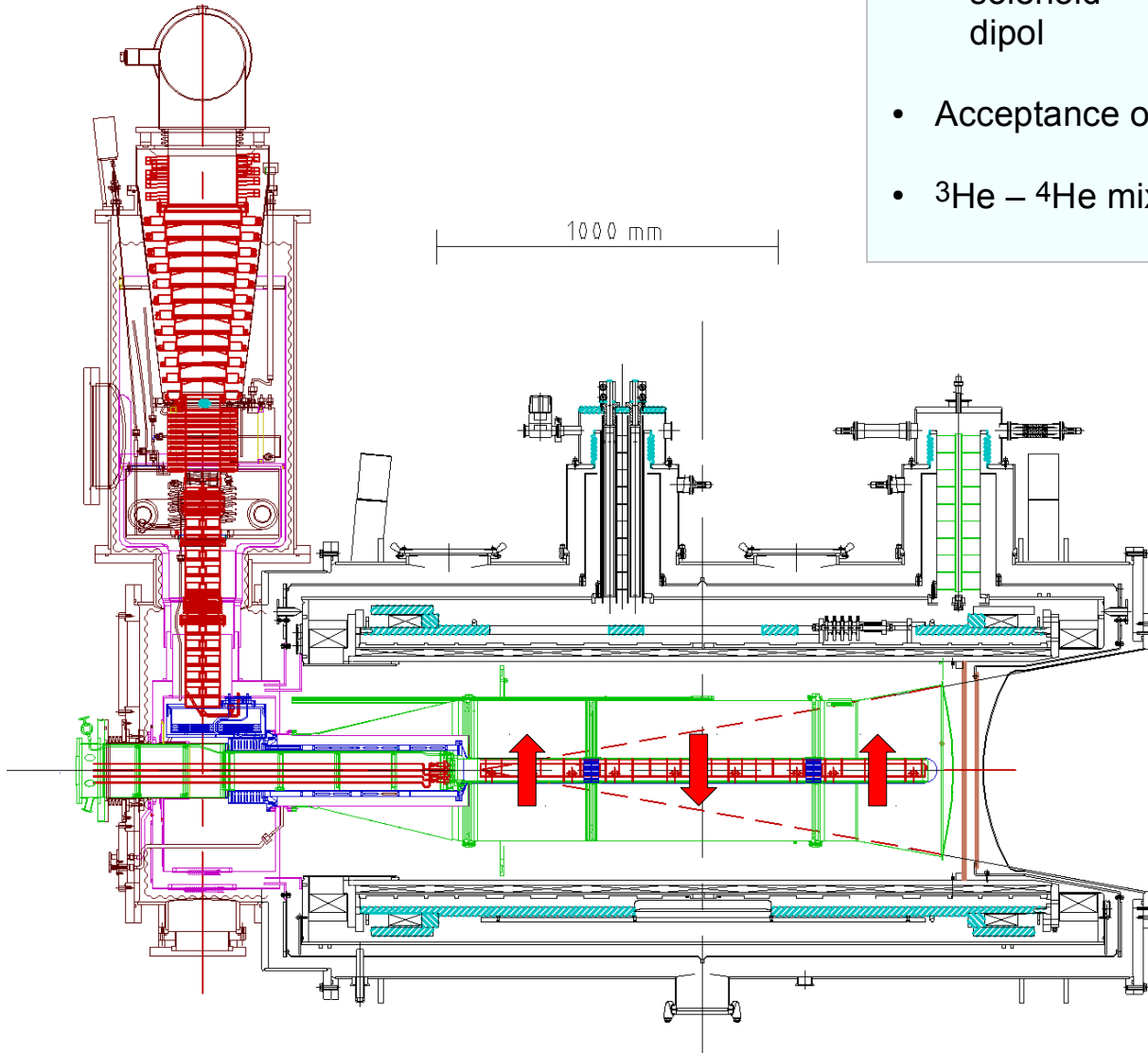
Systematic error: 3% charge dependent effect between μ^+ and μ^-

- COMPASS is unique to probe GPDs due to covered kinematic region of intermediate x_{Bj} and availability of beams of two charges and polarizations
- COMPASS has proved feasibility to measure DVCS process
- Exclusive meson production \rightarrow complementary measurement to DVCS, flavor separation for GPDs
- Transverse target spin asymmetries for exclusive ρ^0 production was measured both for protons and deuterons, asymmetries are small, compatible with 0, except

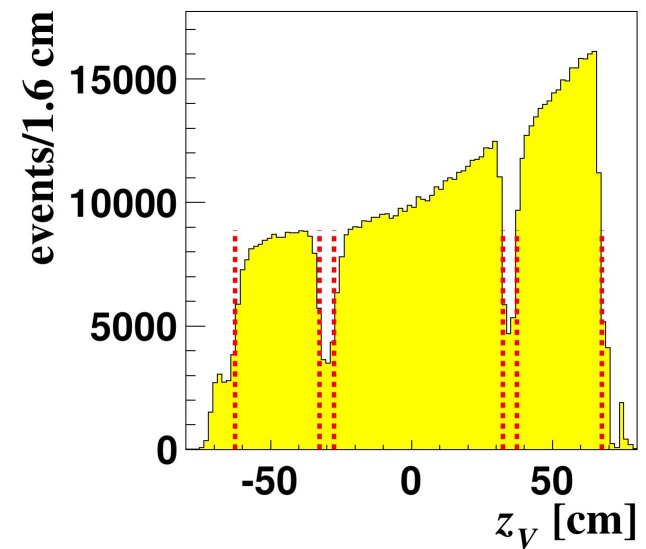
$$A_{UT}^{\sin(\varphi_s)} = -0.019 \pm 0.008 \pm 0.003$$

- In progress measurement for ϕ and ω
- GPD program is continued at COMPASS-II

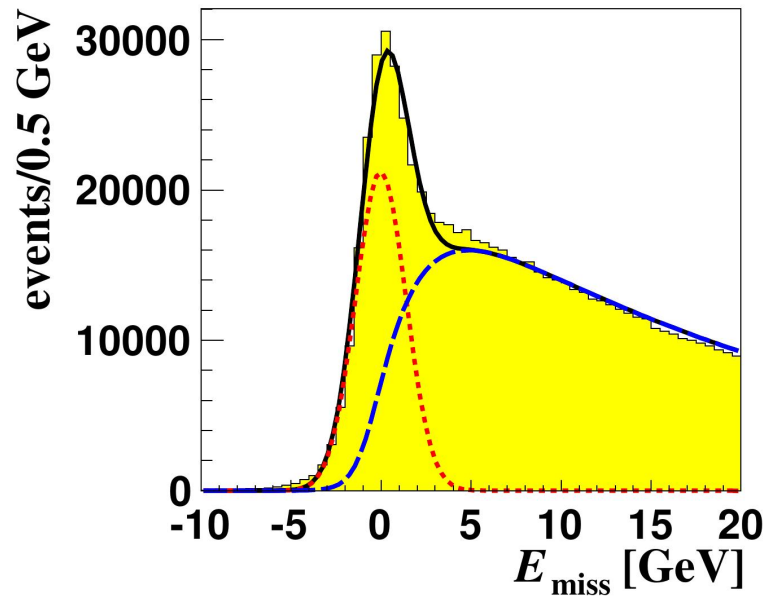
- 3 target cells with opposite polarization
- 2 magnets to hold and rotate polarization
 - solenoid 2.5T
 - dipol 0.5T
- Acceptance of ± 180 mrad for upstream edge
- $^3\text{He} - ^4\text{He}$ mixture used to refrigerate ($T \sim 50\text{mK}$)



position of PV along the beam direction for incoherent exclusive ρ^0 production



For every kinematic bin, bin of $\varphi-\varphi_S$, target cell and polarization state:



shape of semi-inclusive background from MC
(lepto with COMPASS tuning + simulation of spectrometer response + data reconstruction)

MC weighted using agreement between real data and MC for wrong charge combination sample ($h^+h^+ + h^-h^-$)

$$w(E_{miss}) = \frac{N_{MC}^{h^+h^+}(E_{miss}) + N_{MC}^{h^-h^-}(E_{miss})}{N_{RD}^{h^+h^+}(E_{miss}) + N_{RD}^{h^-h^-}(E_{miss})}$$

Normalization of MC to the real data using two component fit
Gaussian function (signal) + shape from MC (bkg)

Measurement of t-slope for exclusive ρ^0 production

sensitive to transverse size of nucleon – meson system
 (at large Q^2 mostly sensitive to transverse size of nucleon r_\perp)

- Q^2 and ν parametrization of cross section from NMC data normalized to Goloskokov and Krol predictions
- 160 GeV muon beam
- global efficiency $\varepsilon = 10\%$
- $L = 1.2 \text{ nb}^{-1}$ (2 years of data taking) 1/40 statistics expected in 2012 pilot

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dt} \sim \exp(-b|t|)$$

$$b(x_{Bj}) \approx \frac{1}{2} \langle r_\perp^2(x_{Bj}) \rangle$$

