

Exclusive Single-Photon Muoproduction at COMPASS



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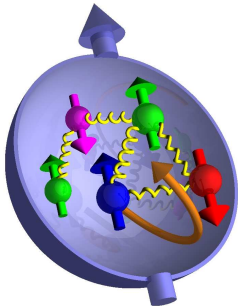
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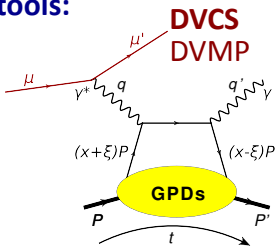
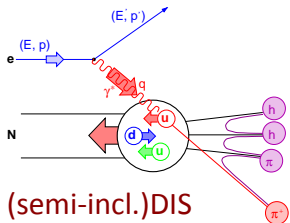


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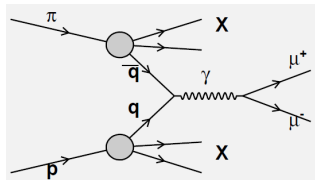
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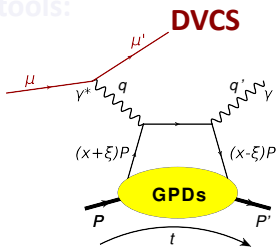


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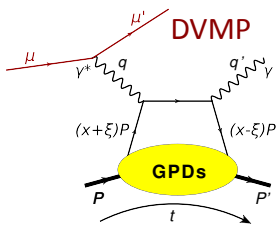
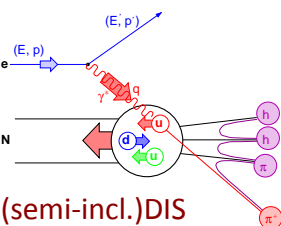
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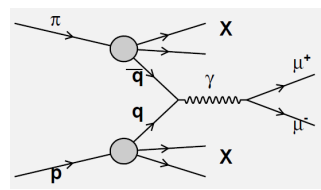
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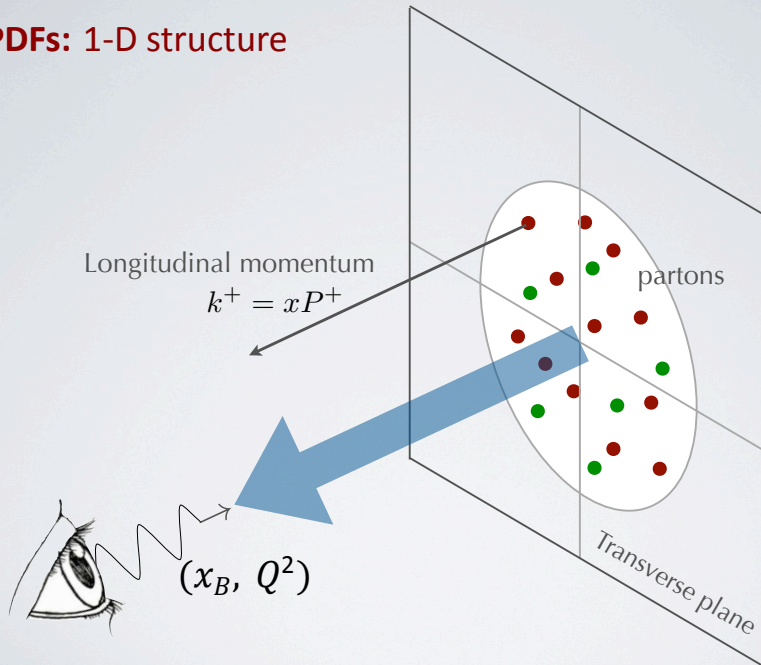
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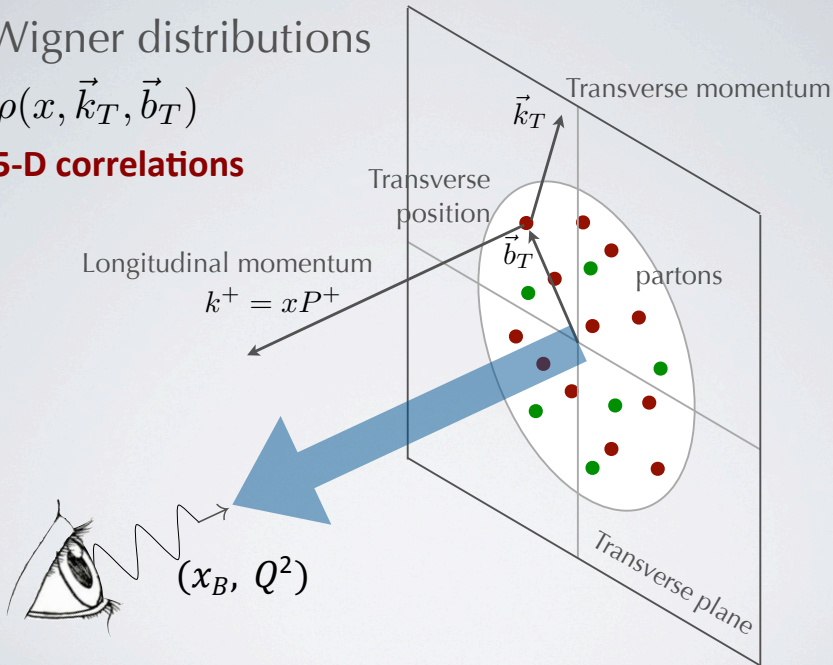
PDFs: 1-D structure



Wigner distributions

$$\rho(x, \vec{k}_T, \vec{b}_T)$$

5-D correlations



Towards a 3D Picture of the Nucleon...

Form Factors (t)

Wigner Distributions

Fourier transform (b_T)

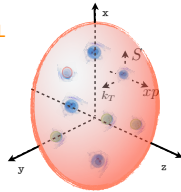
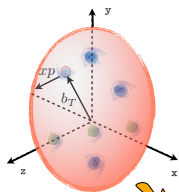
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TMDs (x, k_T)

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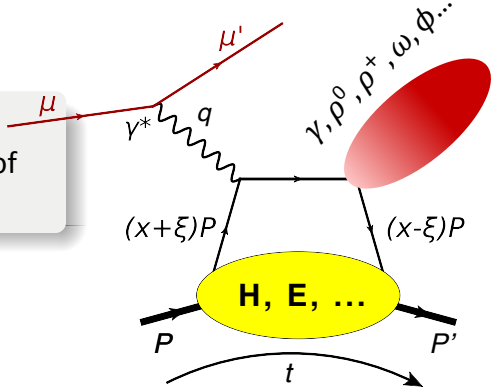
PDFs (x)

PDFs $\rightarrow \Delta\Sigma, \Delta G$

TMDs, GPDs \rightarrow $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{"nucleon" tomography} \\ L_{q,g} \end{array} \right.$

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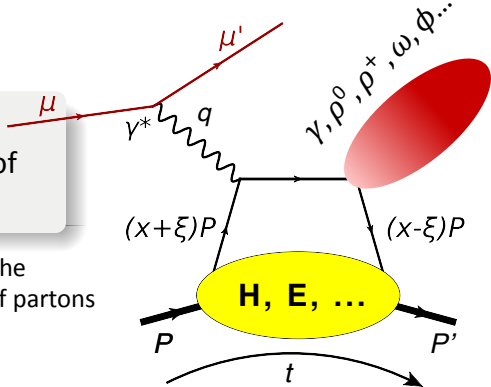
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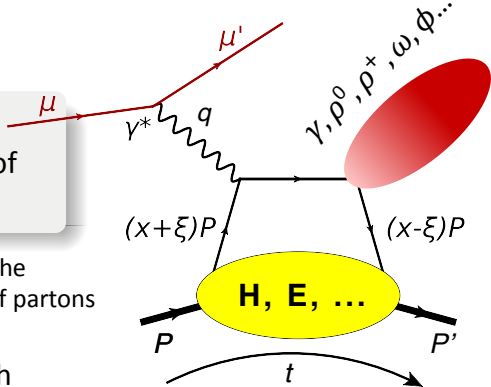
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Experimentally accessible through Compton Form Factors (CFFs):

$$\text{Im}\mathcal{H}(\xi, \mathbf{t}) = \mathbf{H}(\mathbf{x} = \xi, \xi, \mathbf{t})$$

$$\text{Re}\mathcal{H}(\xi, \mathbf{t}) = \mathcal{P} \int \frac{d\mathbf{x} \mathbf{H}(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} = \xi, \mathbf{t})}{(\mathbf{x} - \xi)} + \mathcal{D}(\mathbf{t})$$

$\mathcal{D}(\mathbf{t})$ connected to **energy-momentum tensor** (Polyakov, PLB 555 (2003) 57-62)



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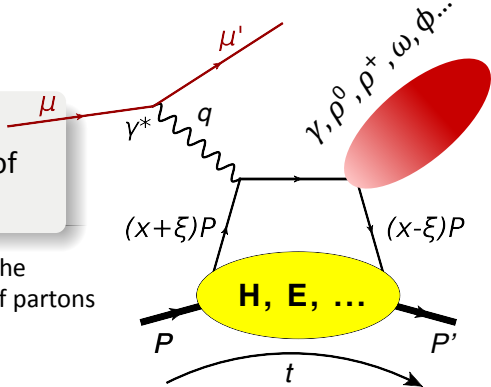
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They allow to perform so-called “**nucleon tomography**”:

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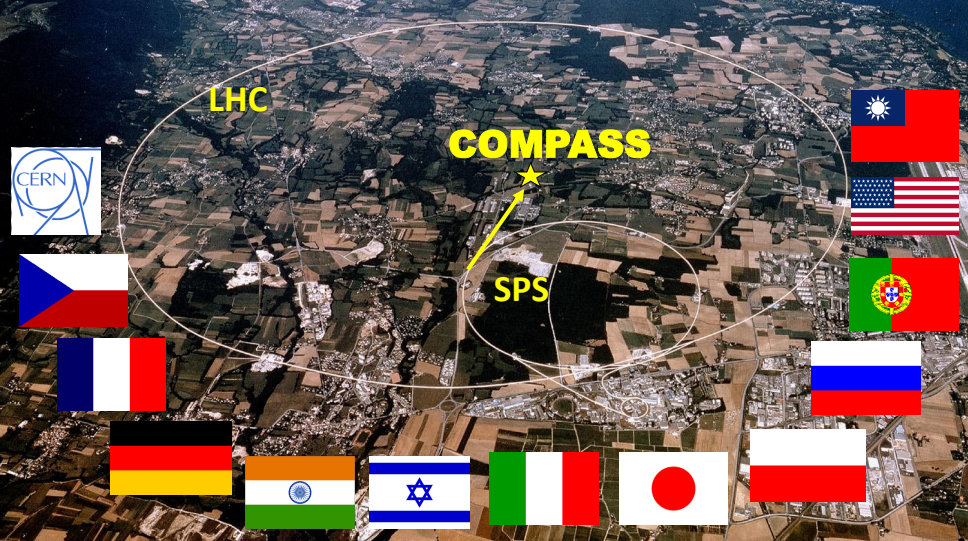
r_{\perp} : distance between the struck parton and the spectators



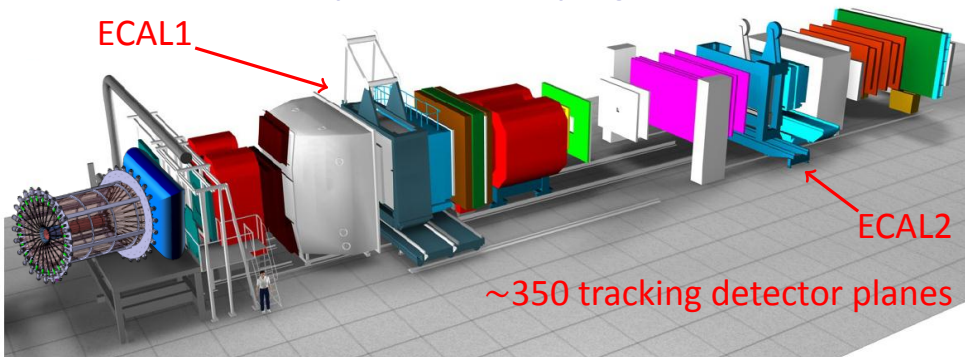
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COMPASS: Versatile facility to study QCD
with hadron (π^\pm , K^\pm , p ...) and lepton (polarized μ^\pm) beams
of ~ 200 GeV for hadron spectroscopy and
hadron structure studies using SIDIS, DY, DVCS, DVMP...



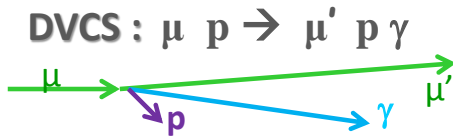
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Two stage magnetic spectrometer for **large angular & momentum acceptance**

Particle identification with:

- Ring Imaging Cerenkov Detector
- Electromagnetic calorimeters (ECAL0, ECAL1 & ECAL2)
- Hadronic calorimeters
- Muon absorbers



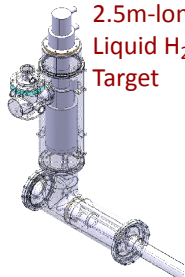
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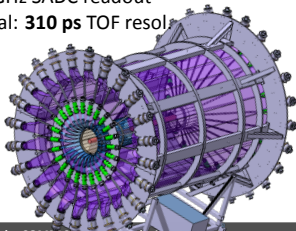
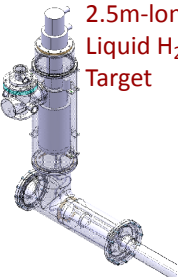
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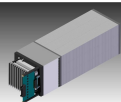
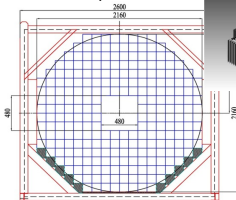
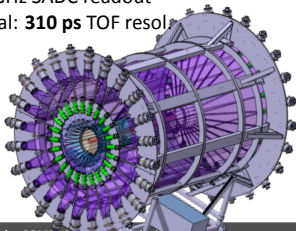
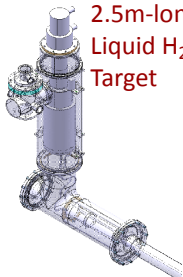
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ECALO Calorimeter
Shashlyk modules + MAPD readout
~ 2 × 2 m², ~2200 ch.

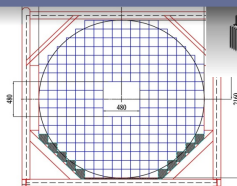
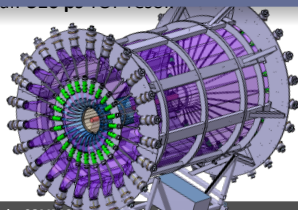
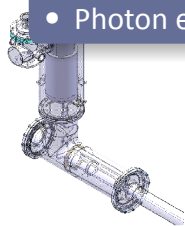


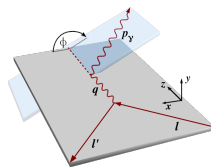
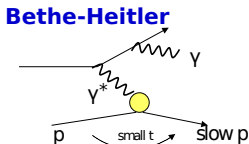
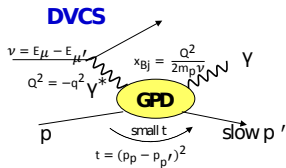
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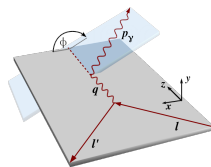
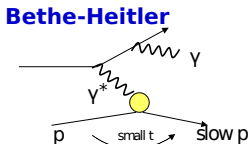
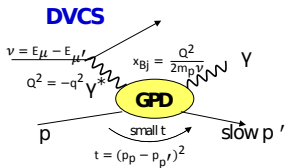
Key features of COMPASS:

- Muon beams with opposite **charge** and **polarization**
 - $E_\mu = 160 \text{ GeV}$
 - $\sim 4 \cdot 10^8 \mu/\text{spill}$, 9.6s/40s duty cycle
- Reconstruction of the full event kinematics
- Recoil proton momentum from target TOF detector
- Photon energy and angle from ECALs

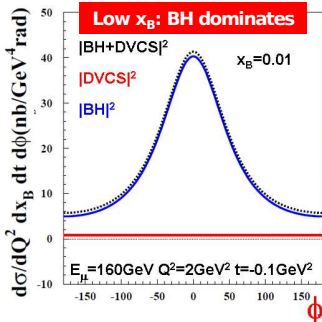




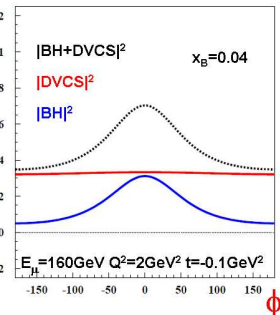
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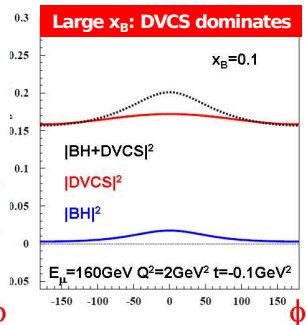
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reference yield of
almost pure
Bethe-Heitler



Study DVCS with:
 $\text{Re}(T^{DVCS})$ & $\text{Im}(T^{DVCS})$
via $(d\sigma^{+-} \pm d\sigma^{-+})$



Transverse Imaging:
 $d\sigma^{DVCS}/d|t|$
via $(d\sigma^{+-} + d\sigma^{-+})$

Transverse Nucleon Imaging at COMPASS

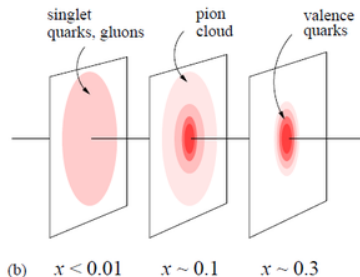
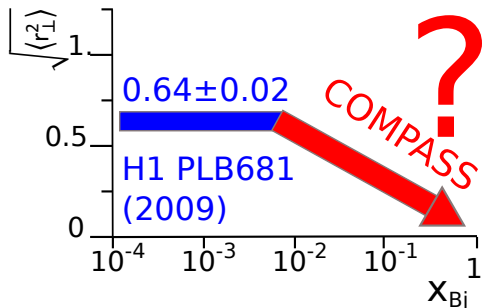
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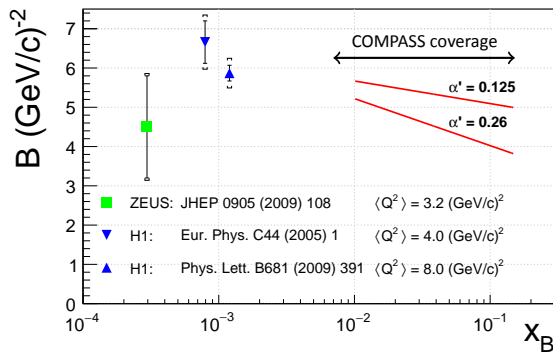
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Currently available HERA measurements:



Ansatz at small x_B :

$$\mathbf{B}(x_B) \simeq \mathbf{B}_0 + 2\alpha' \ln(x_0/x_B)$$

(inspired by Regge phenomenology)

2012 Pilot Run - 4 weeks

ECAL2

ECAL1

**Full-scale CAMERA
recoil detector
and liquid H₂ target**

Partially equipped ECAL0

$\mu\pm$

18-10-2012

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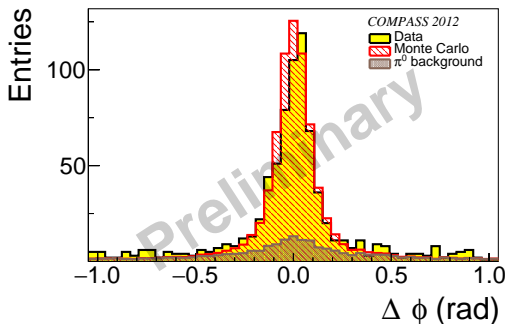
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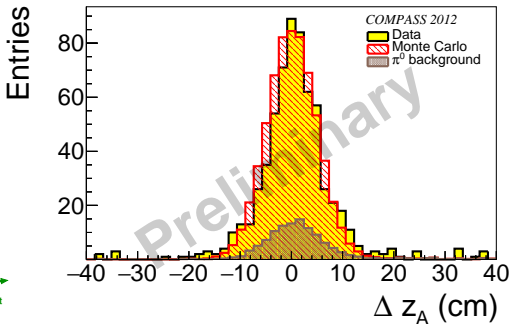
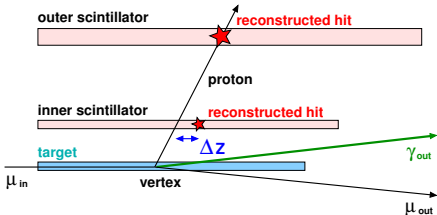
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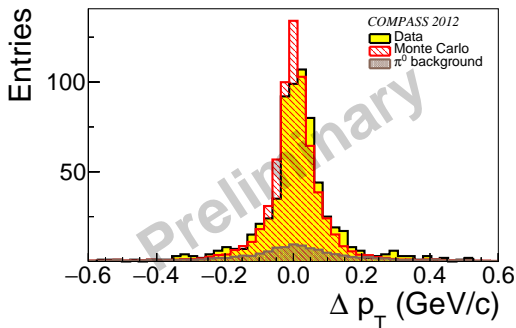
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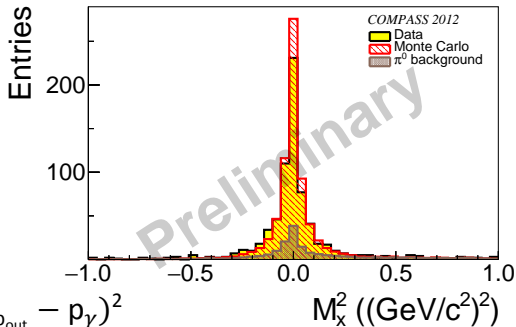
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- Four-momentum balance:

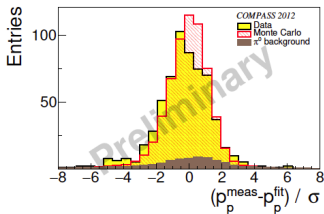
$$M_x^2 = (p_{\mu_{\text{in}}} + p_{p_{\text{in}}} - p_{\mu_{\text{out}}} - p_{p_{\text{out}}} - p_{\gamma})^2$$



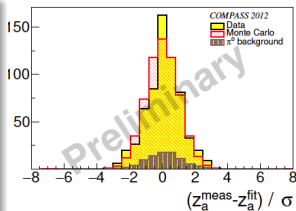
Kinematically constrained fit

- constrained χ^2 minimisation with NDF=9
- full 4-momentum conservation of the reaction $\mu p \rightarrow \mu p \gamma$
- vertex constraints for μ, μ' and p' included in the fit

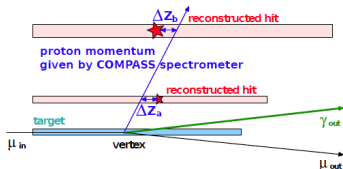
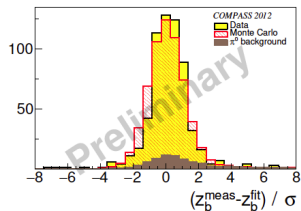
⇒ most accurate determination of t



recoil proton
momentum

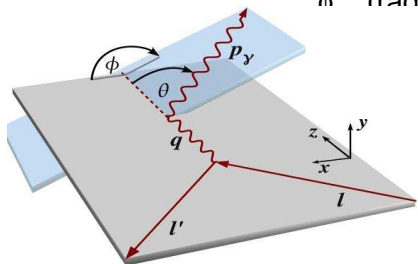
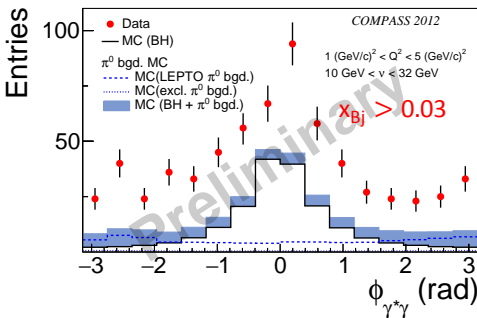
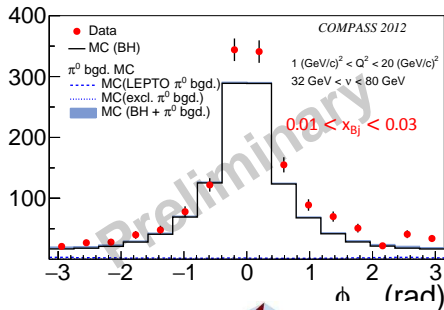
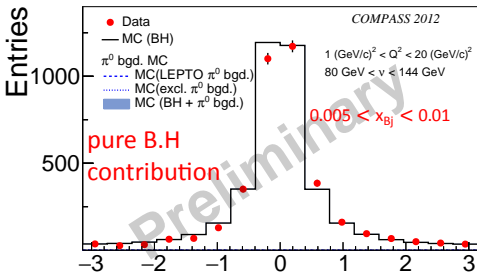


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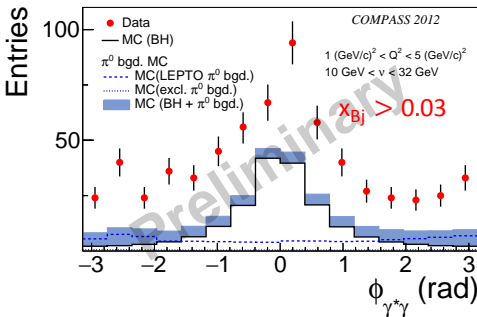
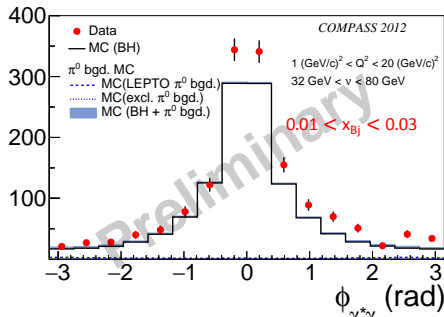
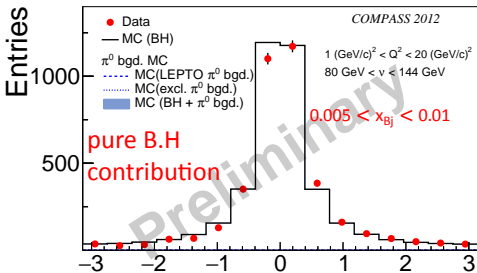
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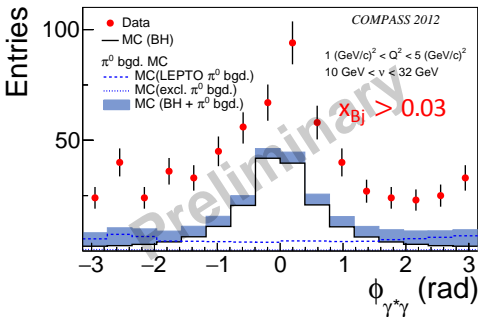
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t-dependence of DVCS cross-section for $x_{Bj} > 0.03$:

- Subtract BH contribution
- Subtract π^0 background
- Experimental acceptance correction & luminosity normalization

⇒ **DVCS cross-section in 4 bins of $|t|$**



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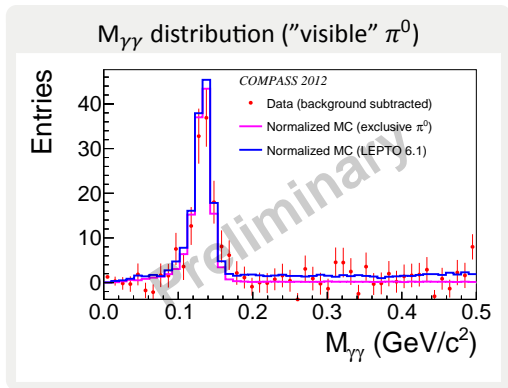
π^0 Background Estimation

π^0 s are one of the main **background sources** for excl. photon events

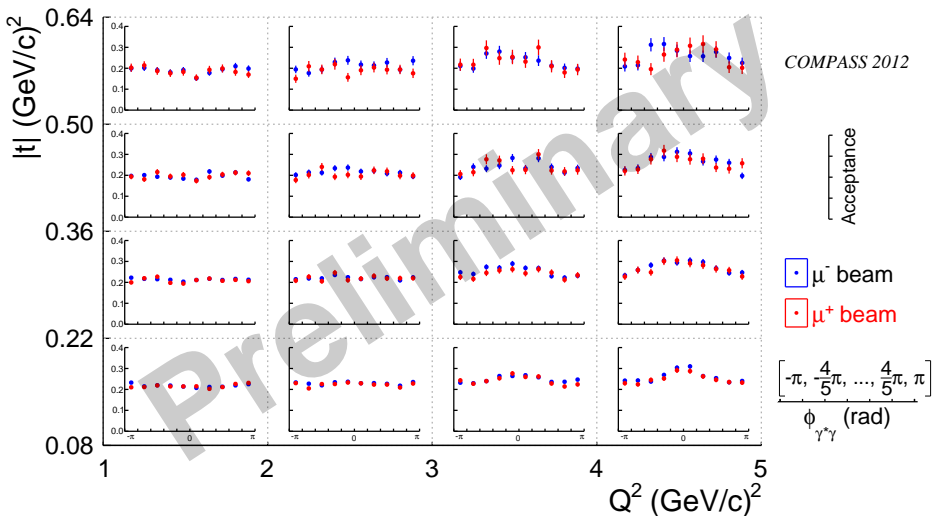
Two possible cases:

- **visible** (both γ detected, **subtracted**)
- **invisible** (one γ “lost”, **estimated with MC**)
 - **Semi-inclusive** \rightarrow LEPTO
 - **Exclusive** \rightarrow HEPGEN/ π^0 (Goloskokov-Kroll model)

MC samples normalized to $M_{\gamma\gamma}$ peak in real data

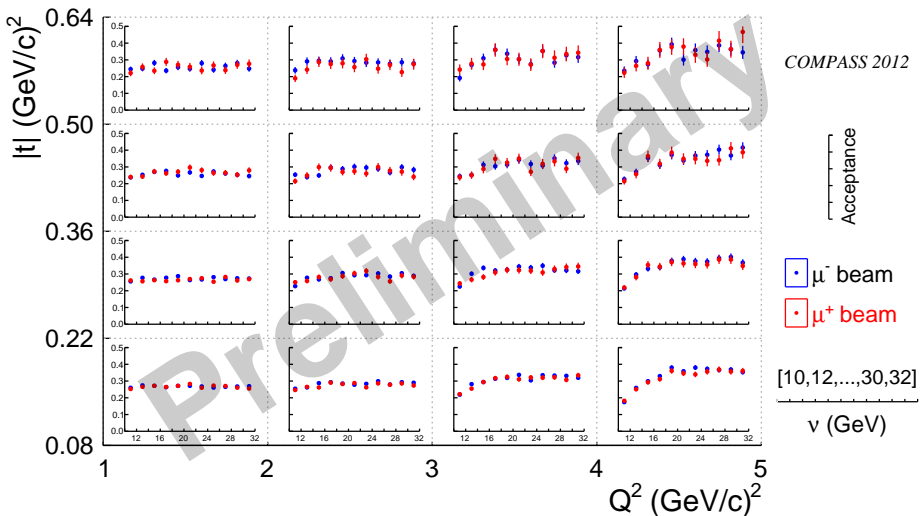


Experimental acceptance for DVCS events



Symmetric acceptance around $\phi = 0$

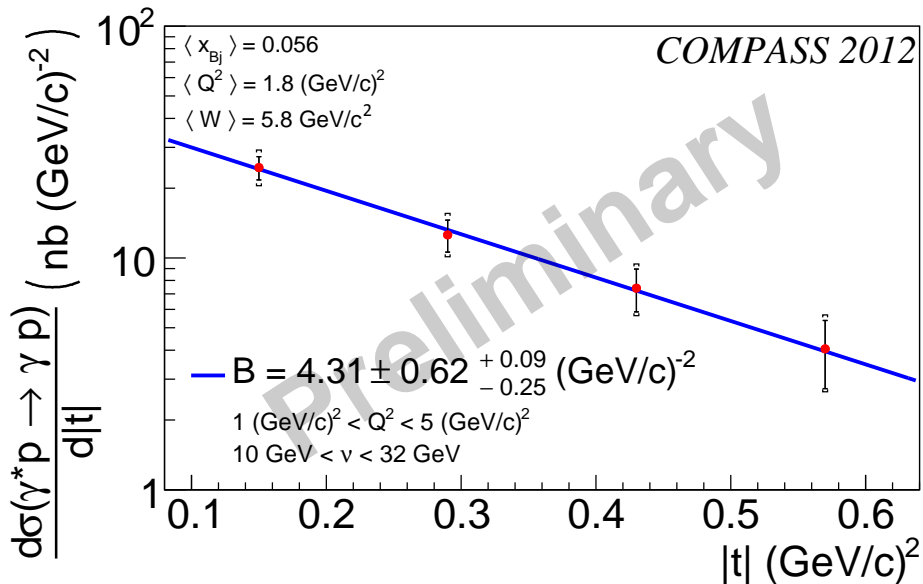
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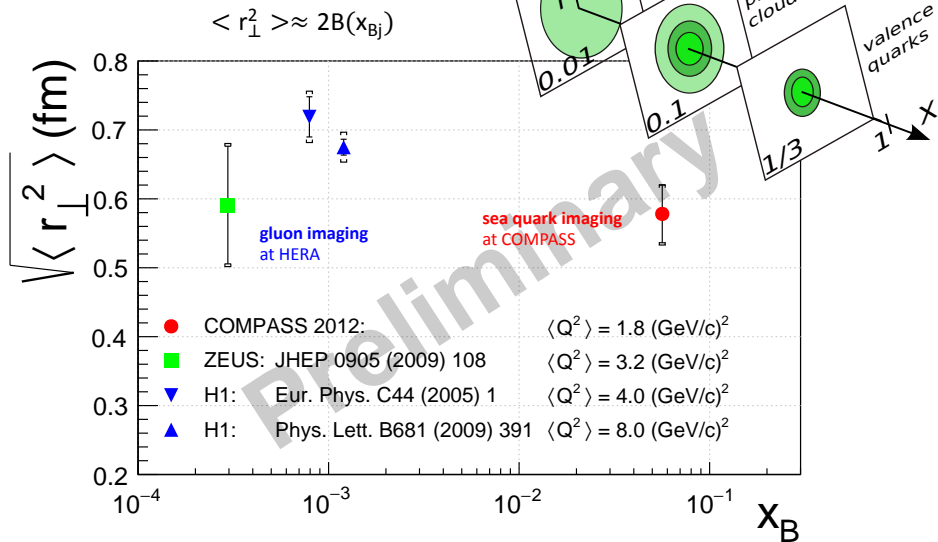
Acceptance binning in Q^2 , ν and $|t|$

DVCS x-section and t-slope extraction

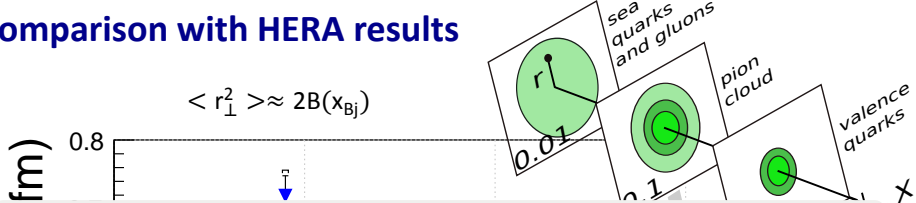
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COMPASS performed the first **model-independent measurement** of r_{\perp} in the sea-quarks domain using the pilot 2012 data set

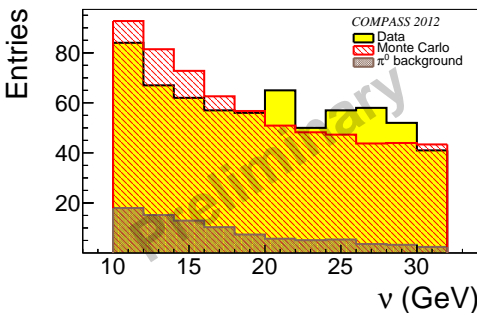
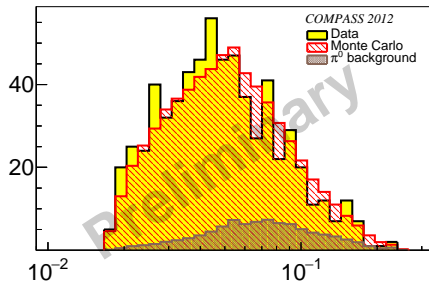
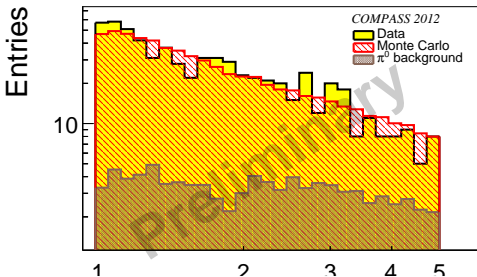
OUTLOOK:

- Dedicated beam time for GPD studies in 2016-17
- x_{Bj} -dependence of t-slope parameter in sea-quarks domain
- Real and imaginary parts of CFF \mathcal{H} from interference term
- Complementary measurements with exclusive mesons:

$$\pi^0, \rho^0, \phi, \omega \dots$$

Backup Slides

Kinematic Distributions for DVCS



$$\langle x_{Bj} \rangle = 0.056$$

$$\langle Q_{Bj}^2 \rangle = 1.8 \text{ (GeV/c)}^2$$

$$\langle W \rangle = 5.8 \text{ GeV/c}^2$$

The GPD Physics Programme at COMPASS

2008: Very short test run, short LH₂ target

- Observation of exclusive photon production
- Confirmed the global efficiency $\simeq 10\%$ used for projections

2009: **10 days**, short LH₂ target

- Coarse binning in x_B
- First hint of DVCS at large x_B

2003-10: Exclusive ρ^0 and ω^0 meson production on a **transv. pol. target** and **no recoil detector**

2012: **4 weeks**, full-scale LH₂ target and recoil detector

2016-7: **2 x 6 months** with LH₂ target and recoil det. → **GPD H**

>2018: DVCS with **transv. pol. target** and **recoil detector** → **GPD E**

Future addendum to COMPASS-II proposal