

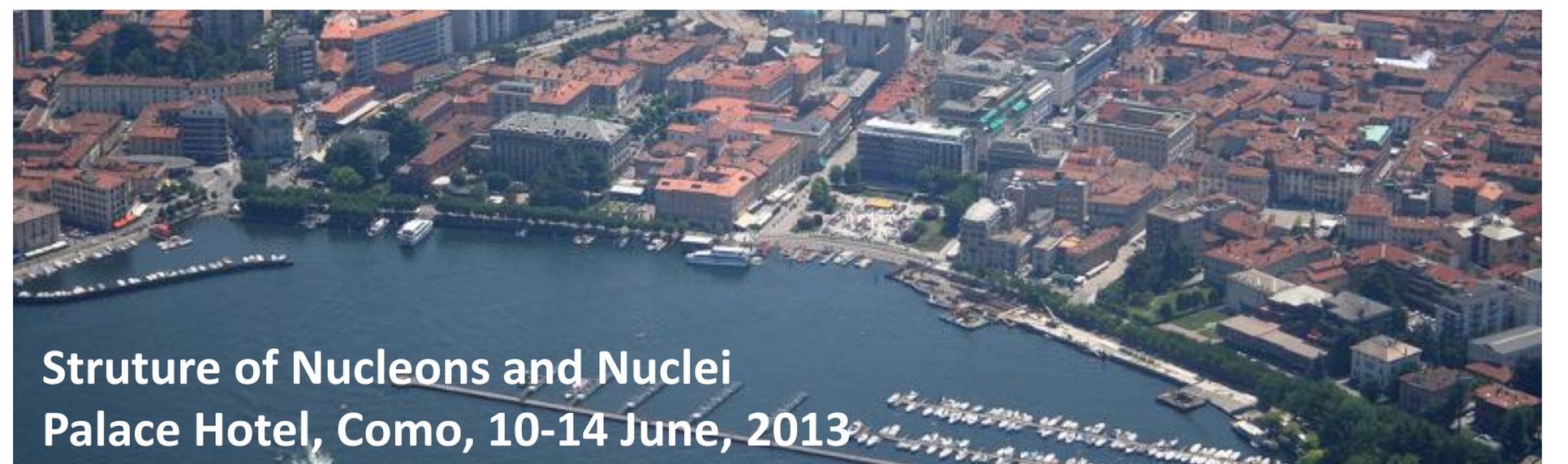
GPD program at COMPASS

Transverse target asymetry for exclusive p production (2007-2010 data)
with polarized NH3 target without recoil detection - **NEW RESULTS**

The first DVCS pilot run (one month November 2012)
with LH2 target and with recoil detection - **ANALYSIS ONGOING**

Outlook for the complete program (2016-17)

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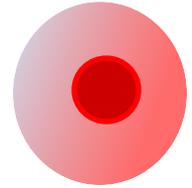
Struture of Nucleons and Nuclei
Palace Hotel, Como, 10-14 June, 2013

With DVCS and exclusive ρ production

Chiral-even GPDs

$$\sigma$$

$$H \rightarrow q$$

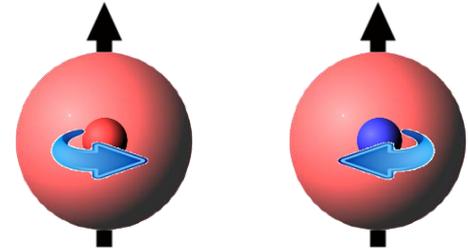


$$A_{UT}^{\sin(\phi - \phi_s)}$$

$$E \leftrightarrow f_{1T}^\perp$$

Sivers correlates

quark k_T and nucleon spin (transv. pol. N)



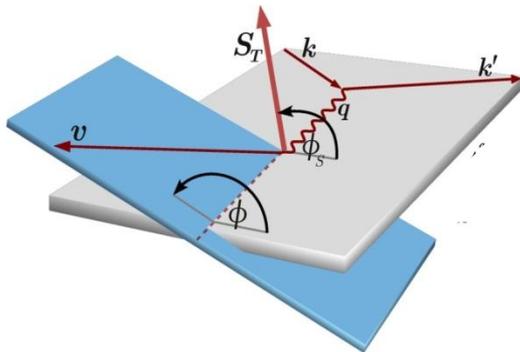
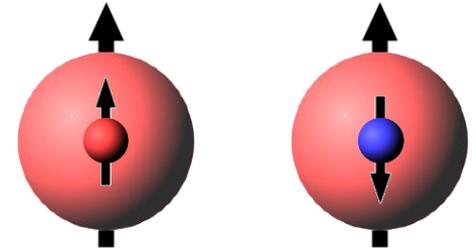
Chiral-odd GPDs

$$A_{UT}^{\sin(\phi_s)}$$

$$H_T \leftrightarrow h_1$$

Transversity correlates

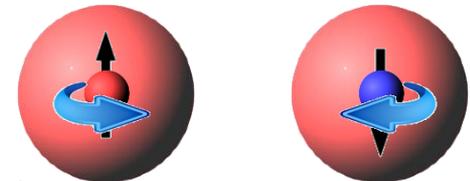
quark spin and nucleon spin (transv. pol. N)



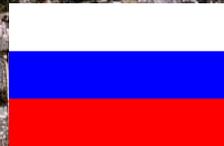
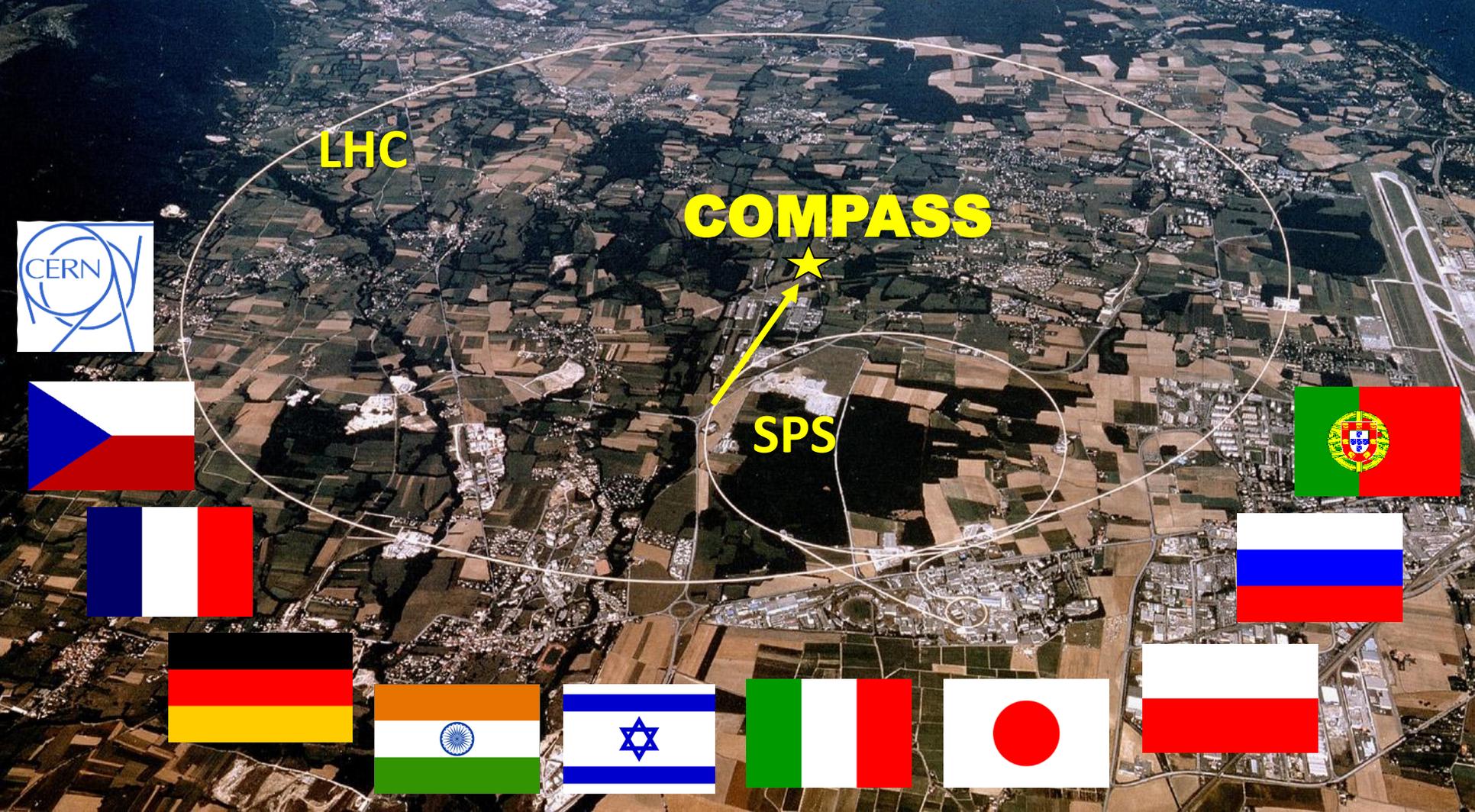
$$\bar{E}_T = 2\tilde{H}_T + E_T \leftrightarrow h_1^\perp$$

Boer-Mulders correlates

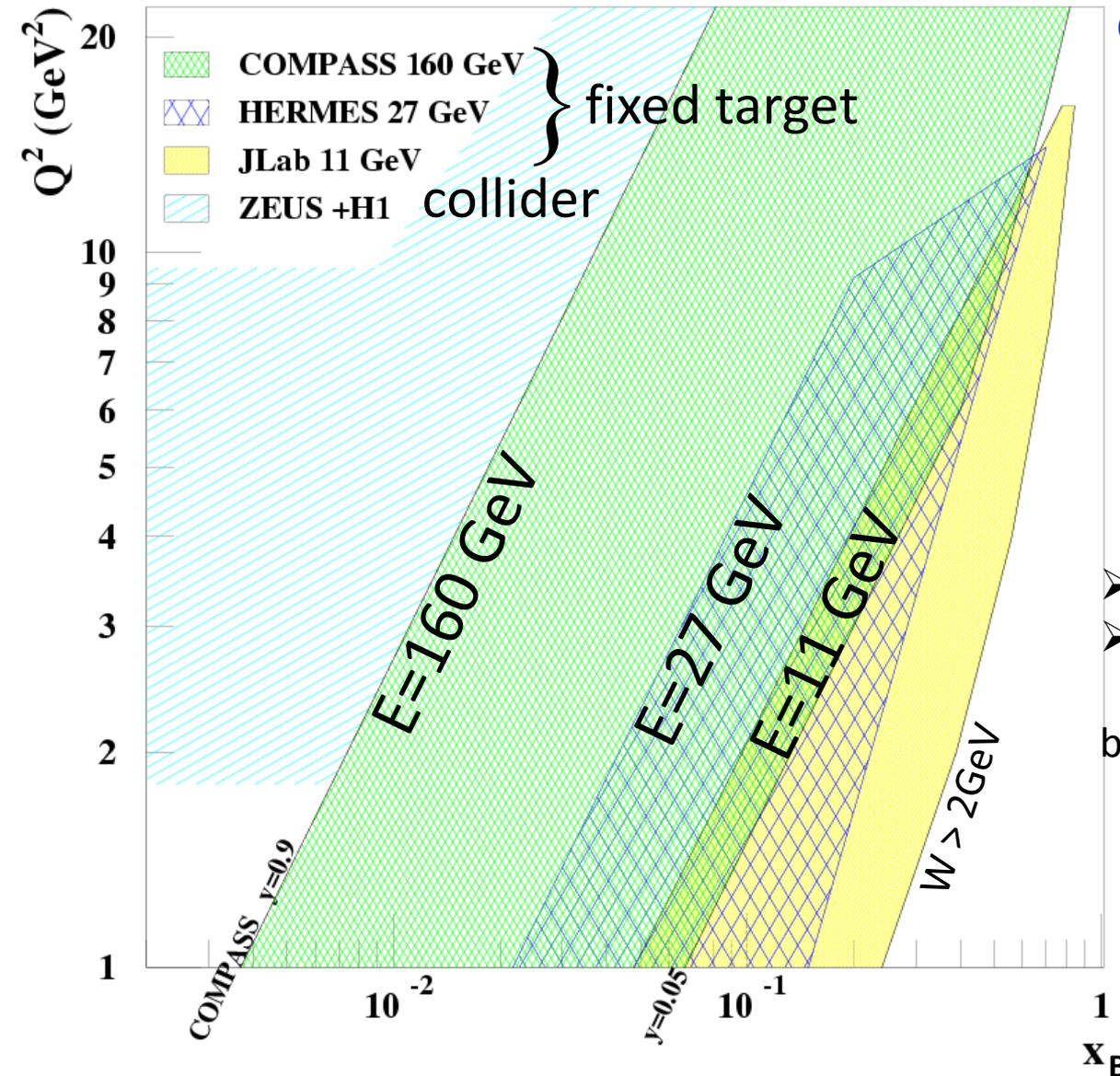
quark k_T and quark transverse spin (unpol N)



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



Kinematic domain (Q^2 , x_B) for GPDs



COMPASS unique for GPDs

CERN High energy muon beam

✓ 100 - 190 GeV

✓ μ^{\downarrow} and μ^{\uparrow} available

✓ 80% Polarisation
with opposite polarization

✓ $4.6 \cdot 10^8 \mu^+$

➔ Lumi= $10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$
with 2.5m LH2 target

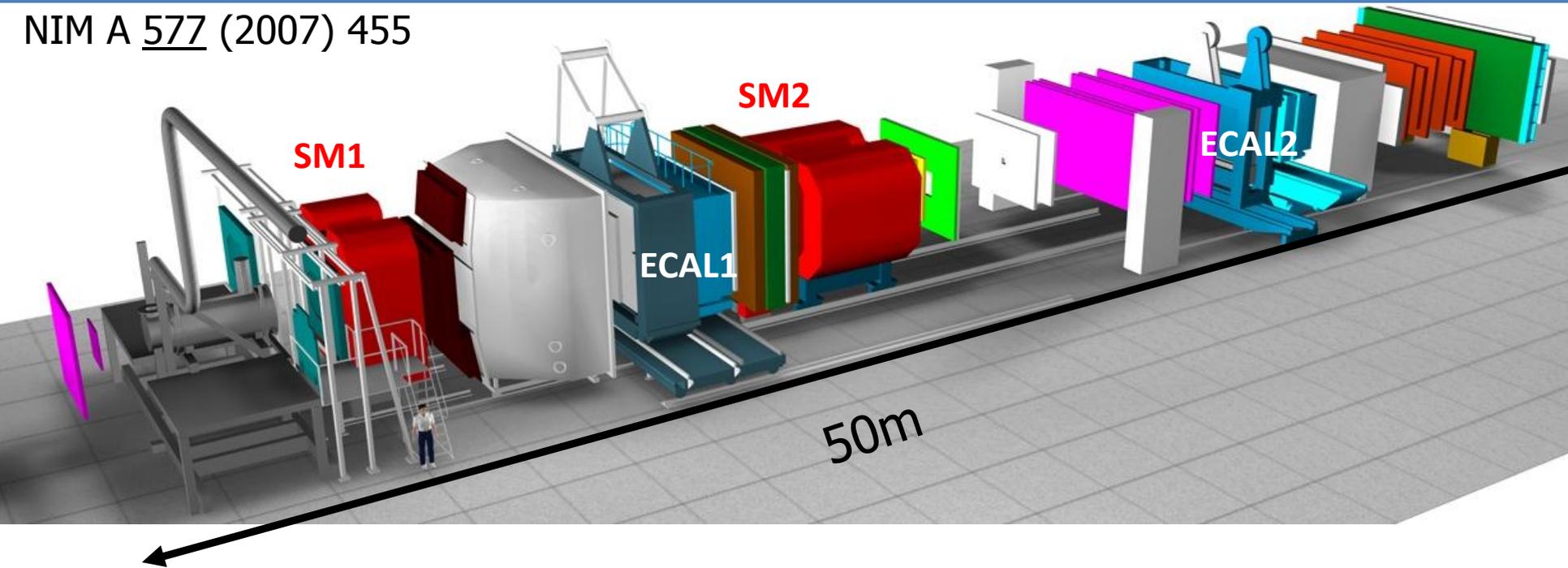
- Explore the intermediate x_{Bj} region
- Uncovered region between ZEUS+H1 & HERMES + Jlab before new colliders may be available

It's time to show the impact
of COMPASS

=> goal of the 2012 DVCS pilot run

The COMPASS experiment at CERN

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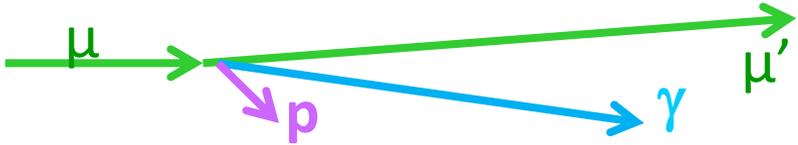
Two stage magnetic spectrometer for **large angular & momentum acceptance**

Particle identification with:

- Ring Imaging Cerenkov Counter
- Electromagnetic calorimeters (ECAL1 and ECAL2)
- Hadronic calorimeters
- Hadron absorbers

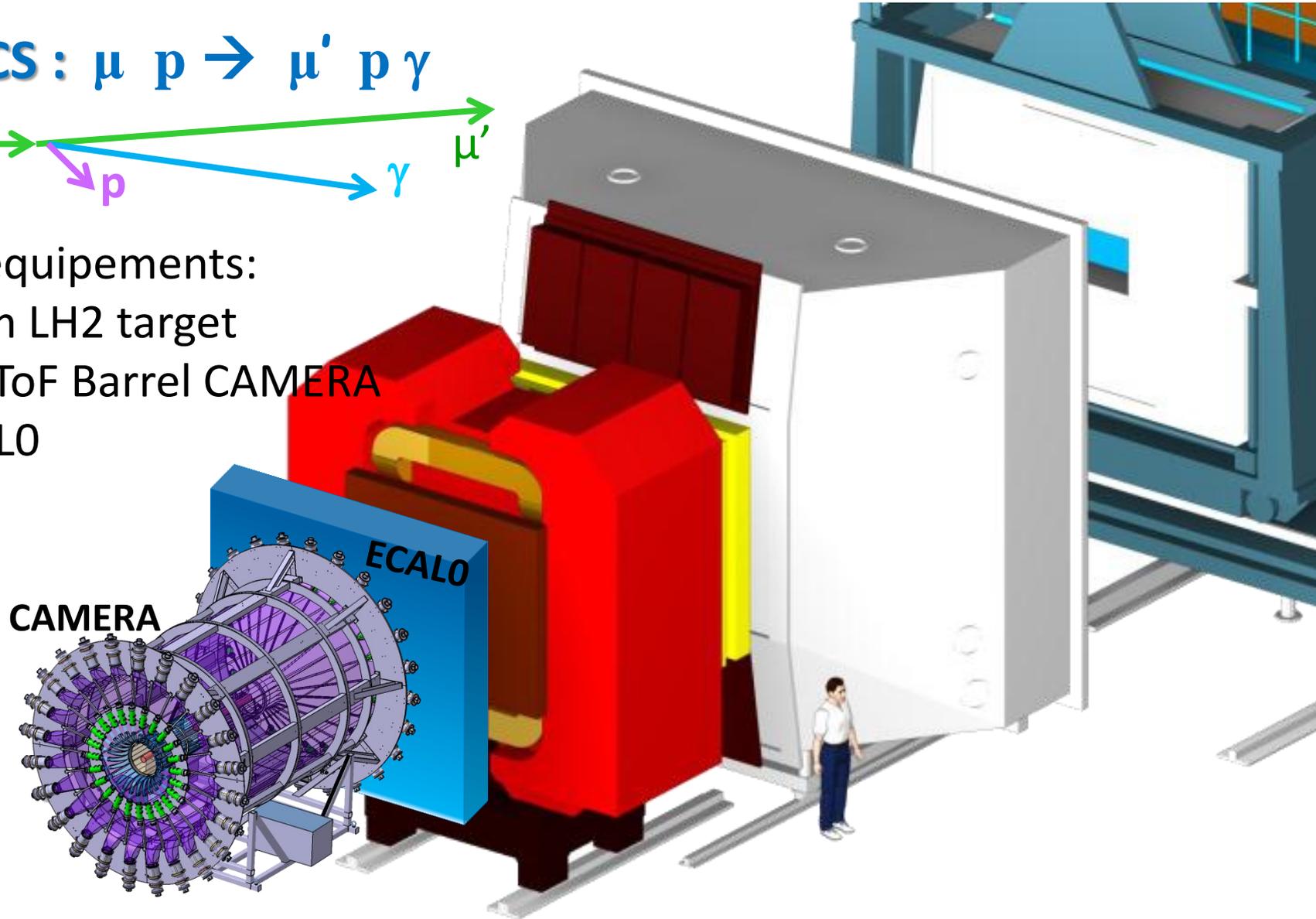
Upgrades of COMPASS spectrometer

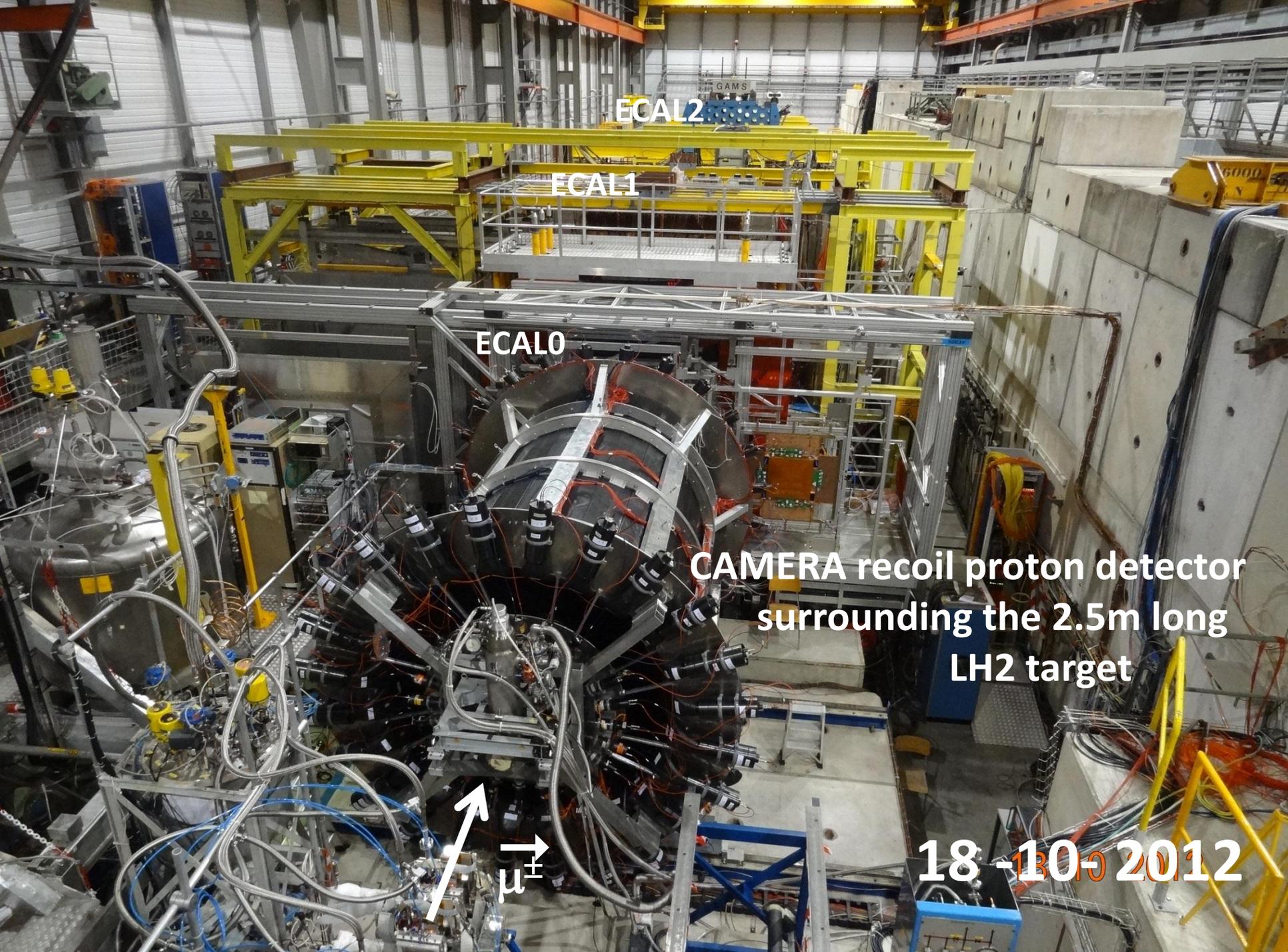
DVCS : $\mu p \rightarrow \mu' p \gamma$



New equipments:

- 2.5m LH2 target
- 4m ToF Barrel CAMERA
- ECALO





ECAL2

ECAL1

ECAL0

CAMERA recoil proton detector
surrounding the 2.5m long
LH2 target

μ^\pm

18-10-2012

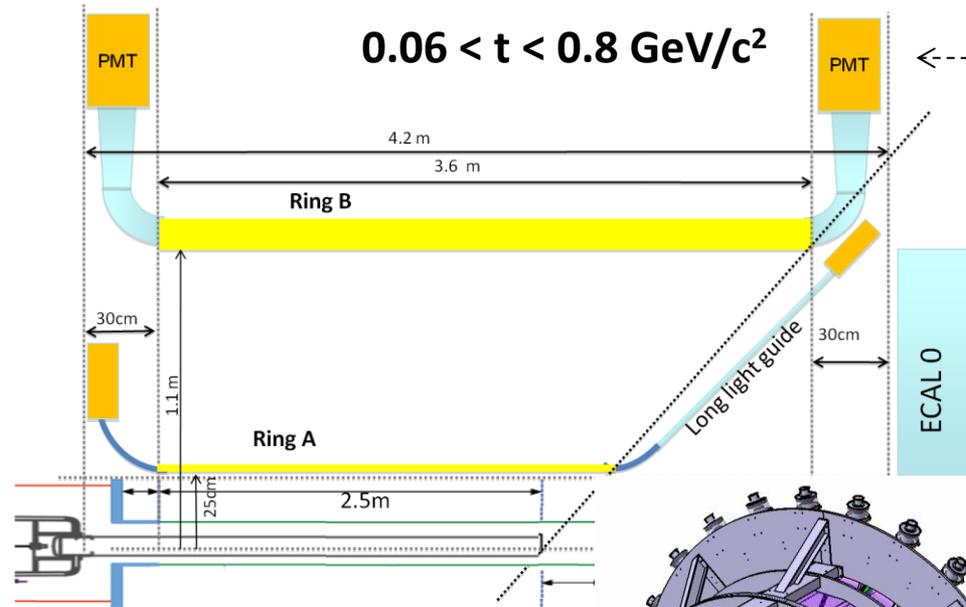
Recoil Proton Detector CAMERA

ToF between 2 rings of scintillators $\sigma(\text{ToF}) < 300\text{ps}$

$0.06 < t < 0.8 \text{ GeV}/c^2$

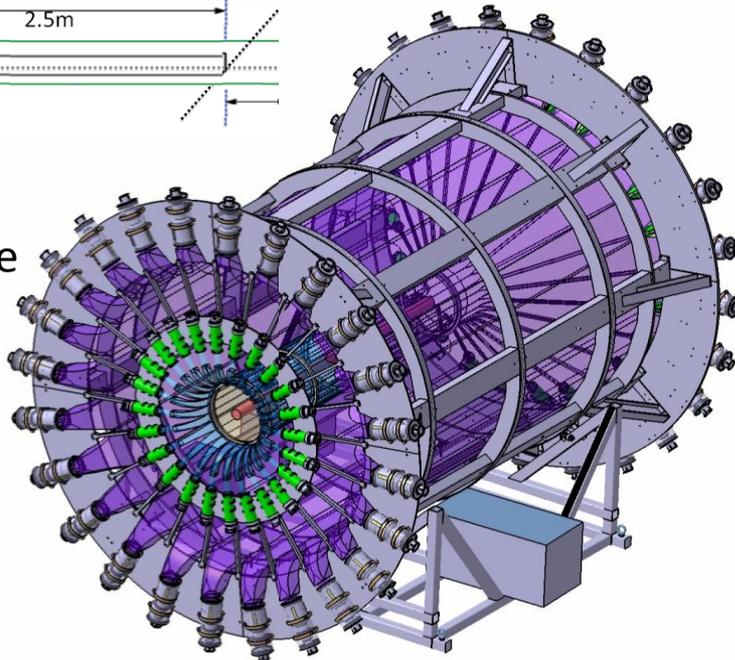
1 GHz digitization of the PMT signal
to cope with high rate

GANDALF boards → First level trigger

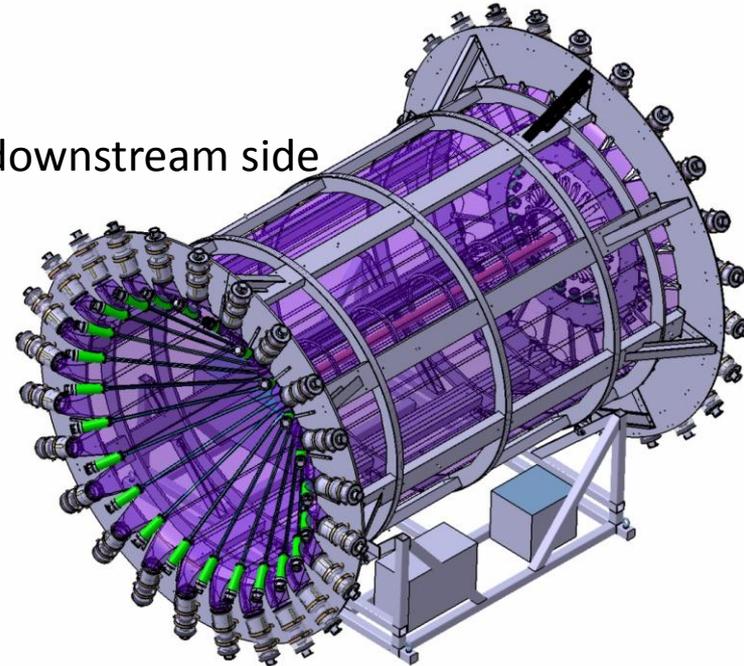


upstream side

3.90m

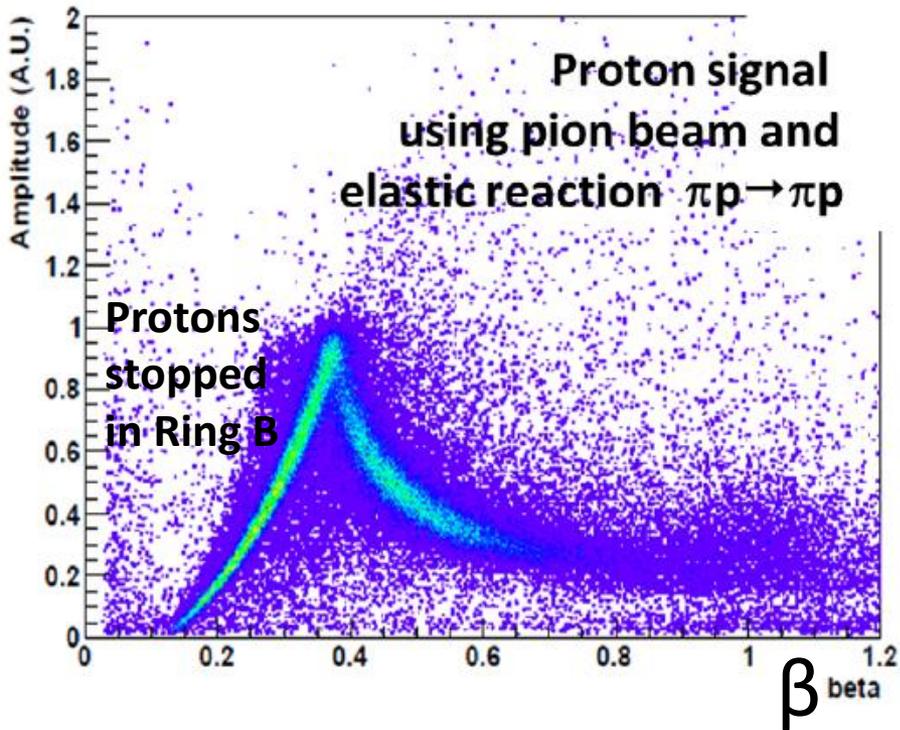


downstream side

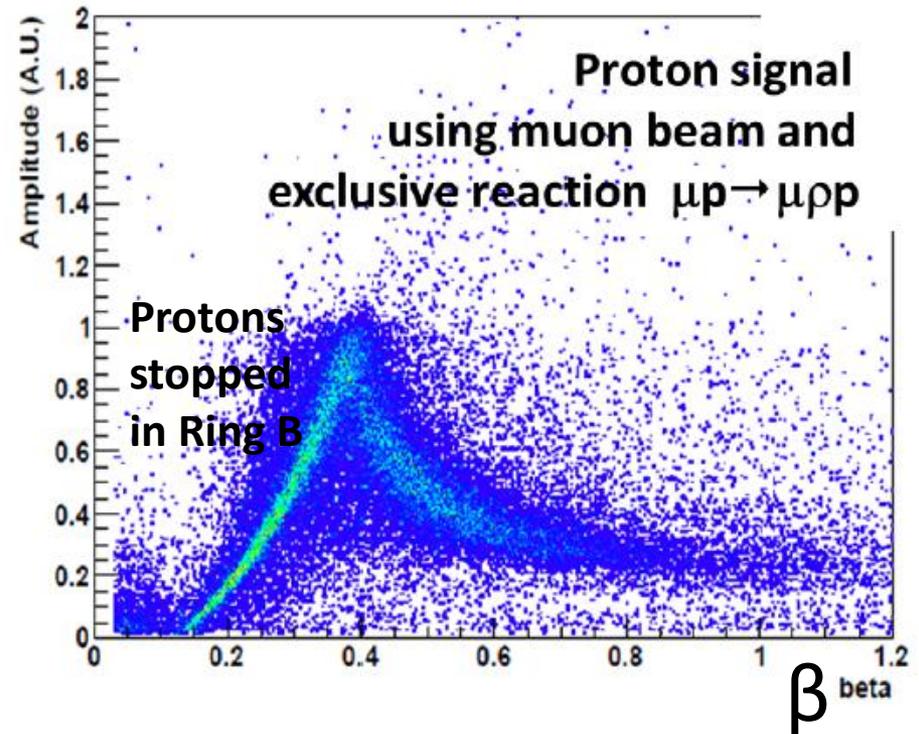


calibration of CAMERA

Energy lost in Ring B



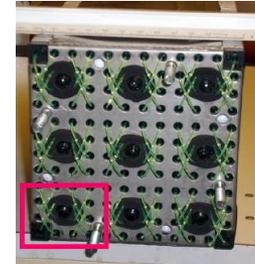
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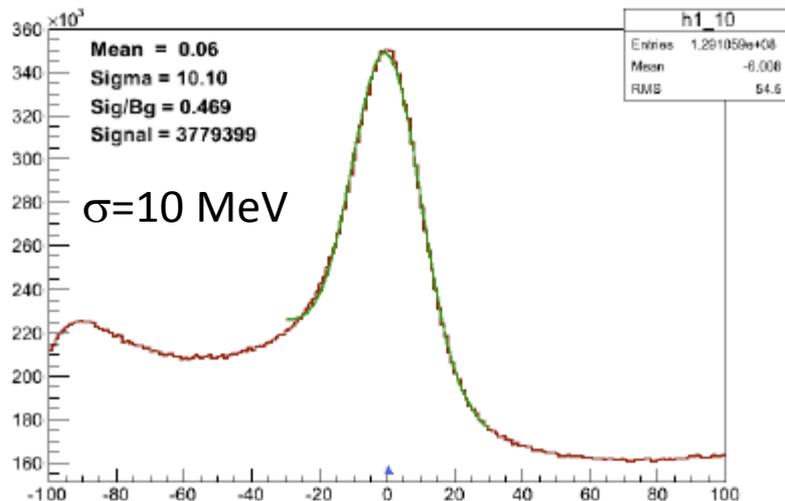
ECAL0 to enlarge the angular coverage

ECAL0 made of 200 modules ($12 \times 12 \text{ cm}^2$) of 9 cells read by 9 MAPDs

56 Modules are available for the 2012 setup
They are already calibrated (24 Oct 2012)



Invariant $\gamma\gamma$ mass spectra
for π^0 production using pion beam



Constraints on the GPD H

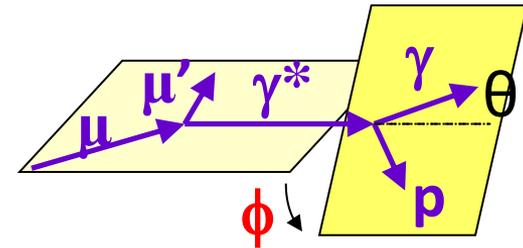
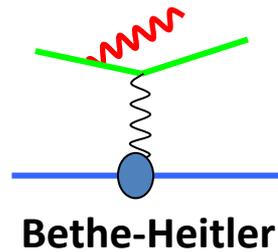
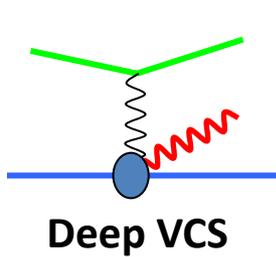
with recoil proton detection and hydrogen target

❖ Very first tests in 2008-9

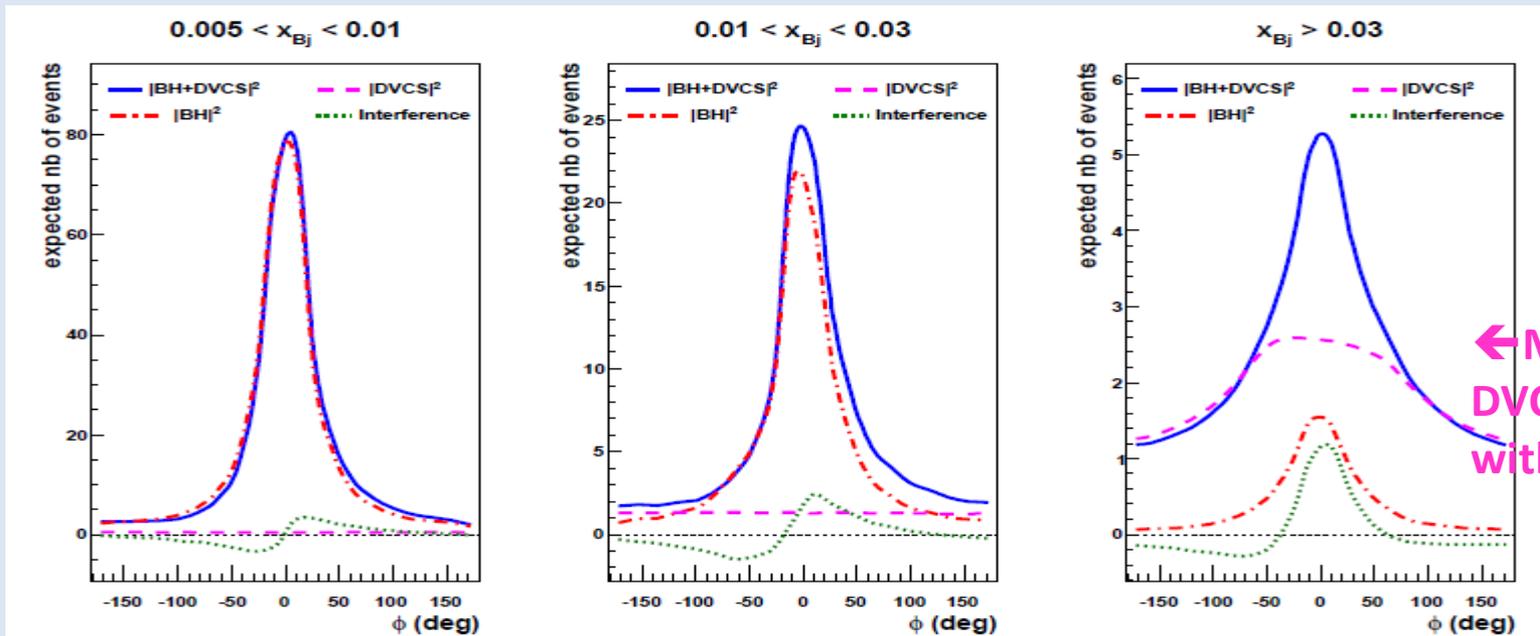
❖ 1 month in november 2012

❖ 2 years 2016-17

Contributions of DVCS and BH at $E_\mu = 160$ GeV



$$d\sigma \propto |T^{DVCS}|^2 + |T^{BH}|^2 + \text{Interference Term}$$



Monte-Carlo Simulation for COMPASS set-up with only ECAL1+2

← Missing DVCS acceptance without ECAL0

BH dominates

excellent
reference yield

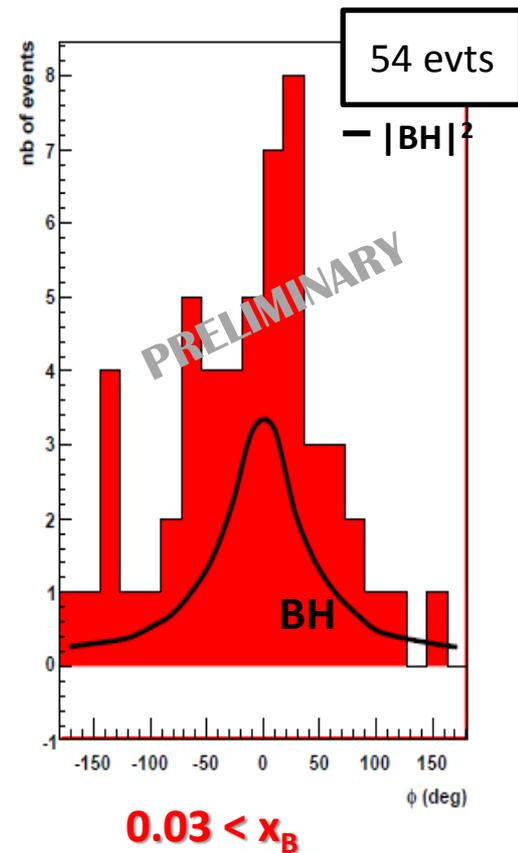
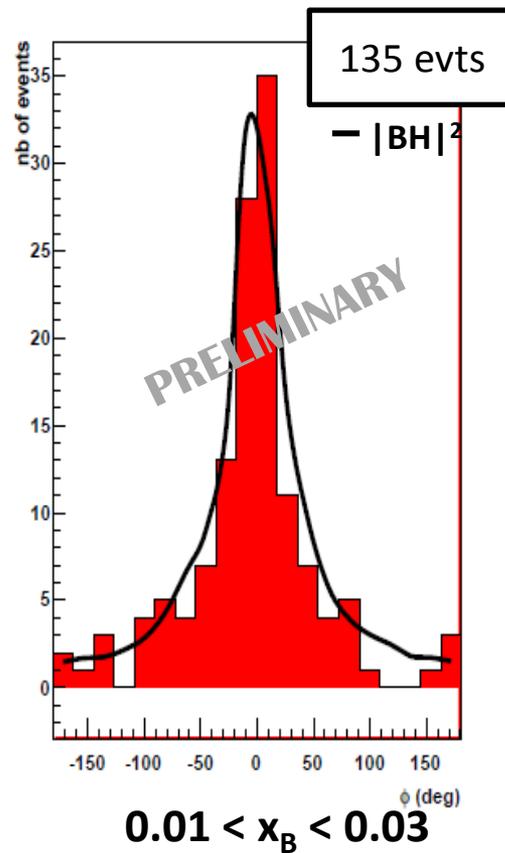
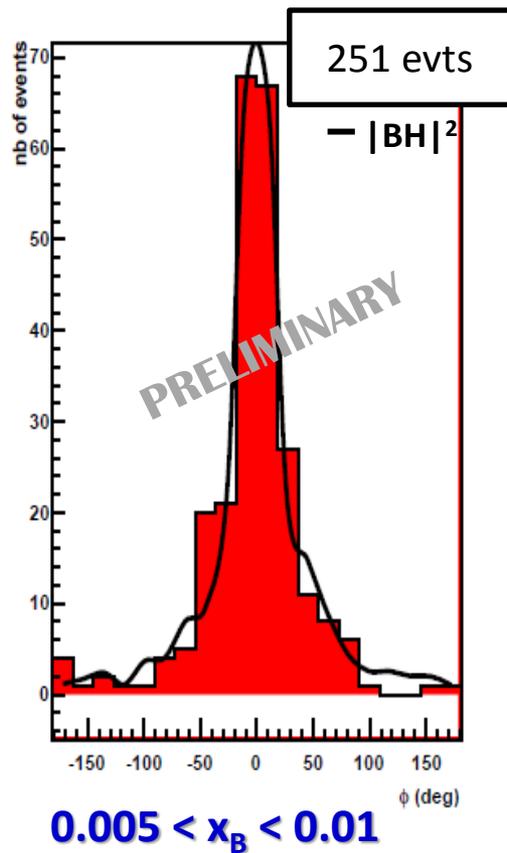
study of Interference

→ $\text{Re } T^{DVCS}$
or $\text{Im } T^{DVCS}$

DVCS dominates

study of $d\sigma^{DVCS}/dt$
→ Transverse Imaging

2009 DVCS test run (10 days, short RPD+target)



$$\epsilon_{\mu p \rightarrow \mu' \gamma p} \approx 35\%$$

× (0.8)⁴ for SPS + COMPASS avail. + trigger eff + dead time

$$\epsilon_{\text{global}} \approx 0.14 \quad \text{confirmed } \epsilon_{\text{global}} = 0.1$$

as assumed for COMPASS II predictions

54 evts ≈ 20 BH

+ 22 DVCS

+ about 12 γ from π^0

Deeply Virtual Compton Scattering

$$d\sigma_{(\mu p \rightarrow \mu p \gamma)} = d\sigma^{BH} + d\sigma^{DVCS}_{unpol} + \cancel{P_\mu d\sigma^{DVCS}_{pol}} \\ + \cancel{e_\mu a^{BH} \text{Re} A^{DVCS}} + e_\mu P_\mu a^{BH} \text{Im} A^{DVCS}$$

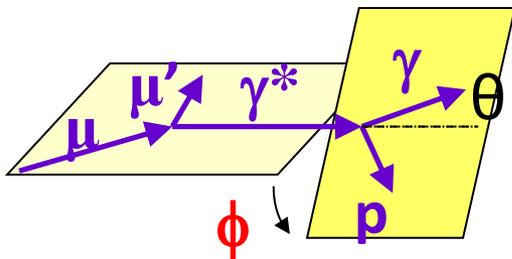
Phase 1: DVCS experiment to study the **transverse imaging**

with $\mu^{+\downarrow}, \mu^{-\uparrow}$ beam + unpolarized 2.5m long LH2 (proton) target

$$S_{CS,U} \equiv d\sigma(\mu^{+\downarrow}) + d\sigma(\mu^{-\uparrow}) \propto d\sigma^{BH} + d\sigma^{DVCS}_{unpol} + K.s_1^{Int} \sin \phi$$

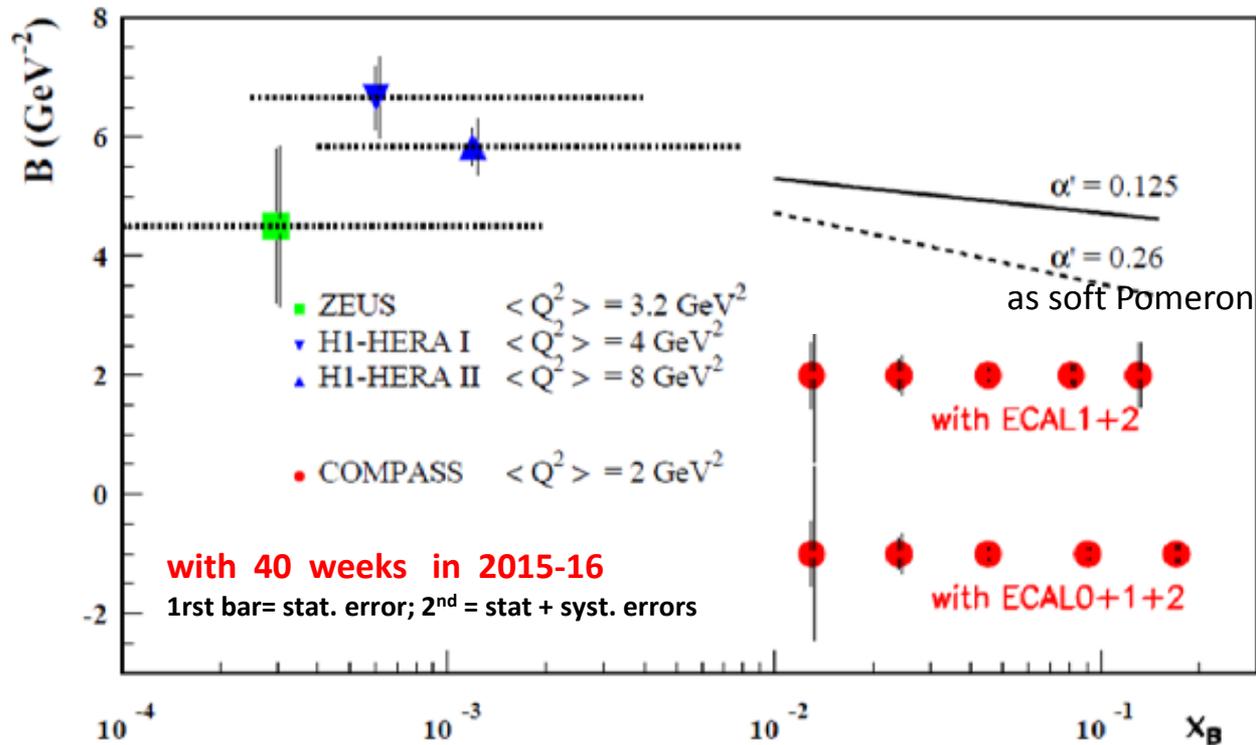
Using $S_{CS,U}$ and BH subtraction
and integration over ϕ

$$d\sigma^{DVCS}/dt \sim \exp(-B|t|)$$



Transverse imaging at COMPASS

$$d\sigma^{\text{DVCS}}/dt \sim \exp(-B|t|)$$



2 years of data

160 GeV muon beam

2.5m LH₂ target

$\epsilon_{\text{global}} = 10\%$

ansatz at small x_B

inspired by

Regge Phenomenology:

$$B(x_B) = b_0 + 2 \alpha' \ln(x_0/x_B)$$

α' slope of Regge traject

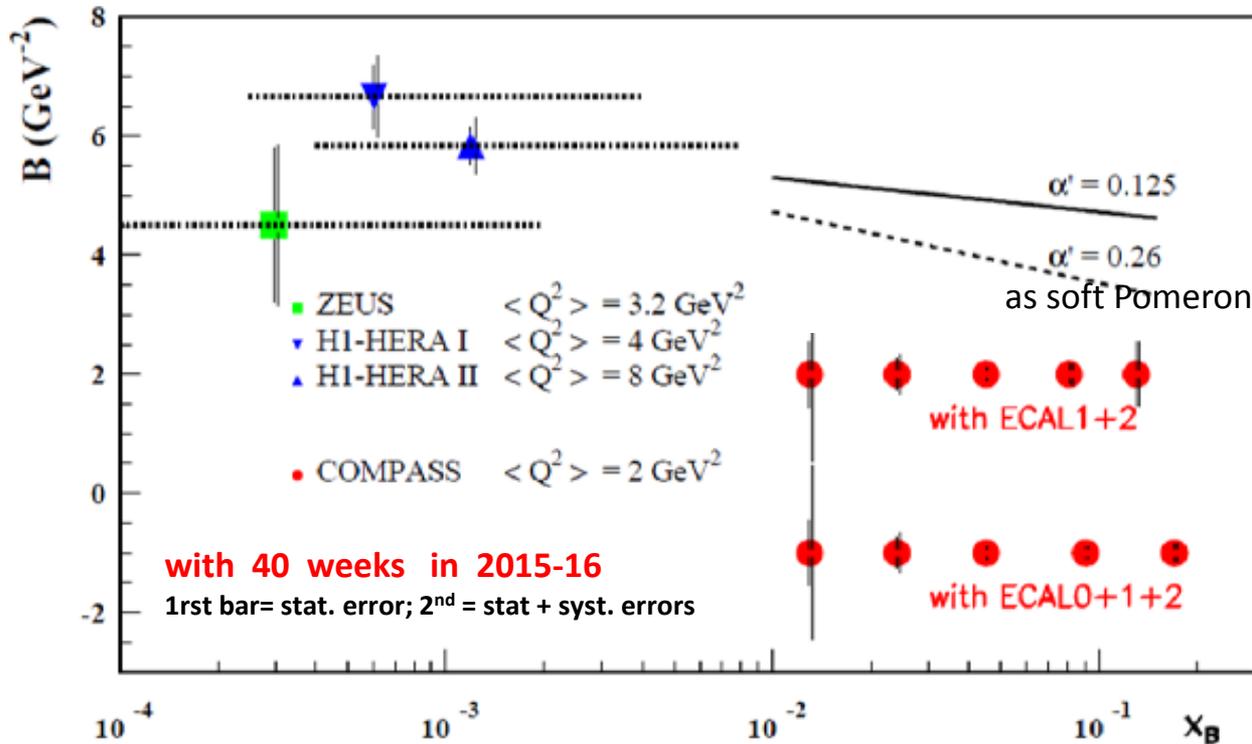
for valence quark $\alpha' \sim 1 \text{ GeV}^{-2}$ to reproduce FF \cong meson Regge traj.

for gluon $\alpha' \sim 0.164 \text{ GeV}^{-2}$ (J/ Ψ at $Q^2=0$) $\ll \alpha' \sim 0.25 \text{ GeV}^{-2}$

$\alpha' \sim 0.02 \text{ GeV}^{-2}$ (J/ Ψ at $Q^2=2-80 \text{ GeV}^2$) for soft Pomeron

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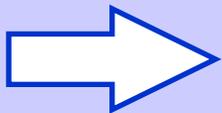
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without any model we can extract $B(x_B)$

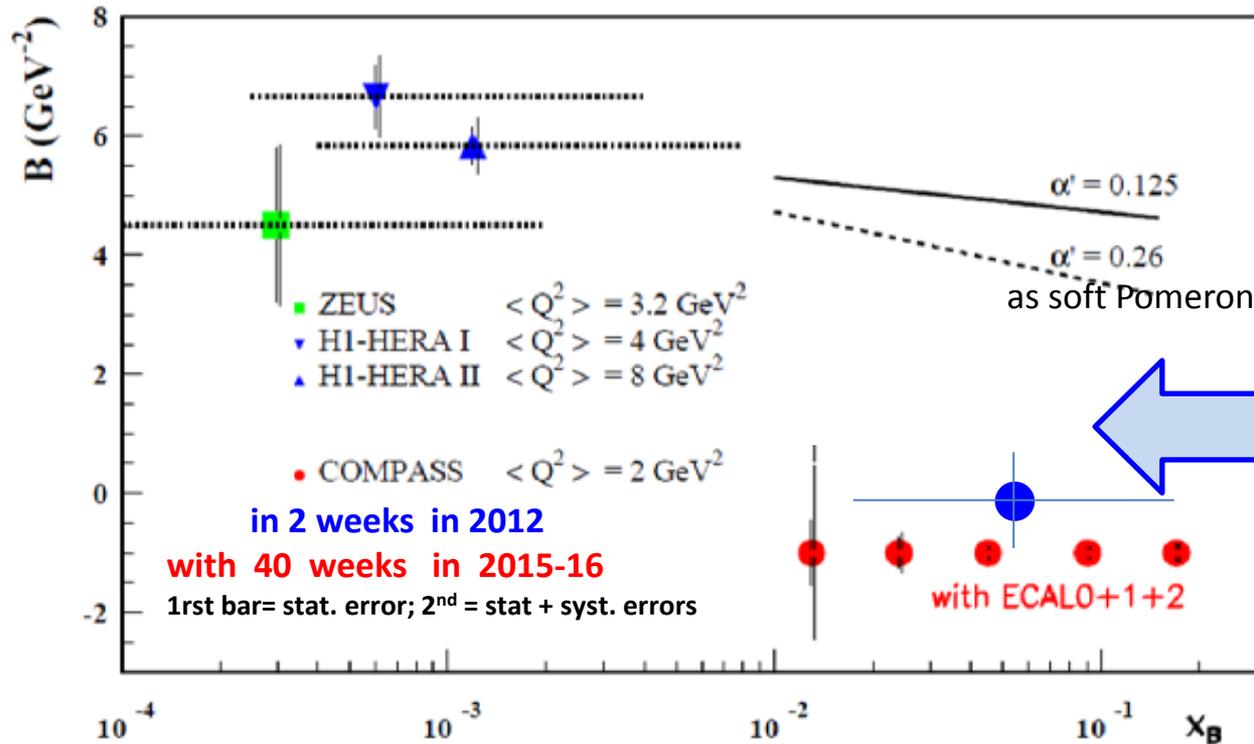
$$B(x_B) = \frac{1}{2} \langle r_{\perp}^2(x_B) \rangle$$

r_{\perp} is the transverse size of the nucleon

Accuracy $> 2.5 \sigma$ if $\alpha' = 0.125$ and full ECALS

Transverse imaging at COMPASS

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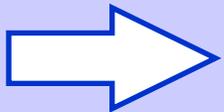


DVCS test in 2012

With 2 weeks

Using the 4m long RPD
+ the 2.5m long LH2 target

1/20 of the complete
statistics



**2012: we can determine one mean value of B
in the COMPASS kinematic range**

Deeply Virtual Compton Scattering

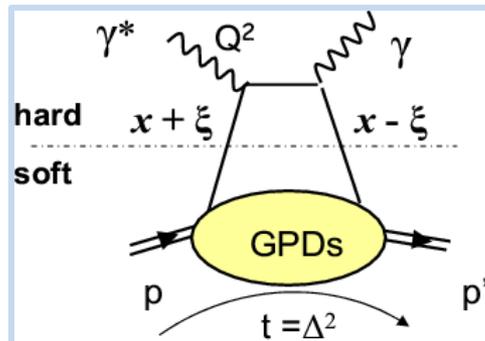
$$d\sigma_{(\mu p \rightarrow \mu p \gamma)} = \cancel{d\sigma^{BH}} + \cancel{d\sigma^{DVCS}_{unpol}} + P_{\mu} d\sigma^{DVCS}_{pol} \\ + e_{\mu} a^{BH} \mathcal{R}e A^{DVCS} + e_{\mu} P_{\mu} \cancel{a^{BH} \mathcal{I}m A^{DVCS}}$$

Phase 1: DVCS experiment to constrain GPD H

with $\mu^{+\downarrow}, \mu^{-\uparrow}$ beam + unpolarized 2.5m long LH2 (proton) target

$$D_{CS,U} \equiv d\sigma(\mu^{+\downarrow}) - d\sigma(\mu^{-\uparrow}) \propto c_0^{Int} + c_1^{Int} \cos \phi \quad \text{and} \quad c_{0,1}^{Int} \sim \mathcal{R}e(F_1 \mathcal{H})$$

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$$\xi \sim x_B / (2 - x_B)$$

$$\triangleright \mathcal{I}m \mathcal{H}(\xi, t) = \mathbf{H}(x = \xi, \xi, t)$$

$$\triangleright \mathcal{R}e \mathcal{H}(\xi, t) = \mathcal{P} \int dx \mathbf{H}(x, \xi, t) / (x - \xi)$$

Note: dominance of \mathbf{H} at COMPASS kinematics

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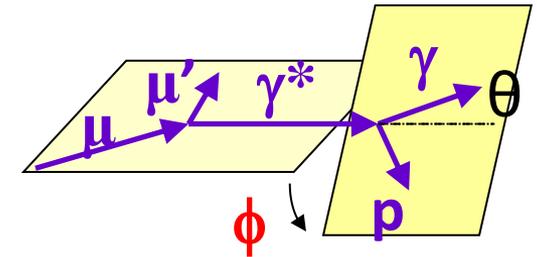
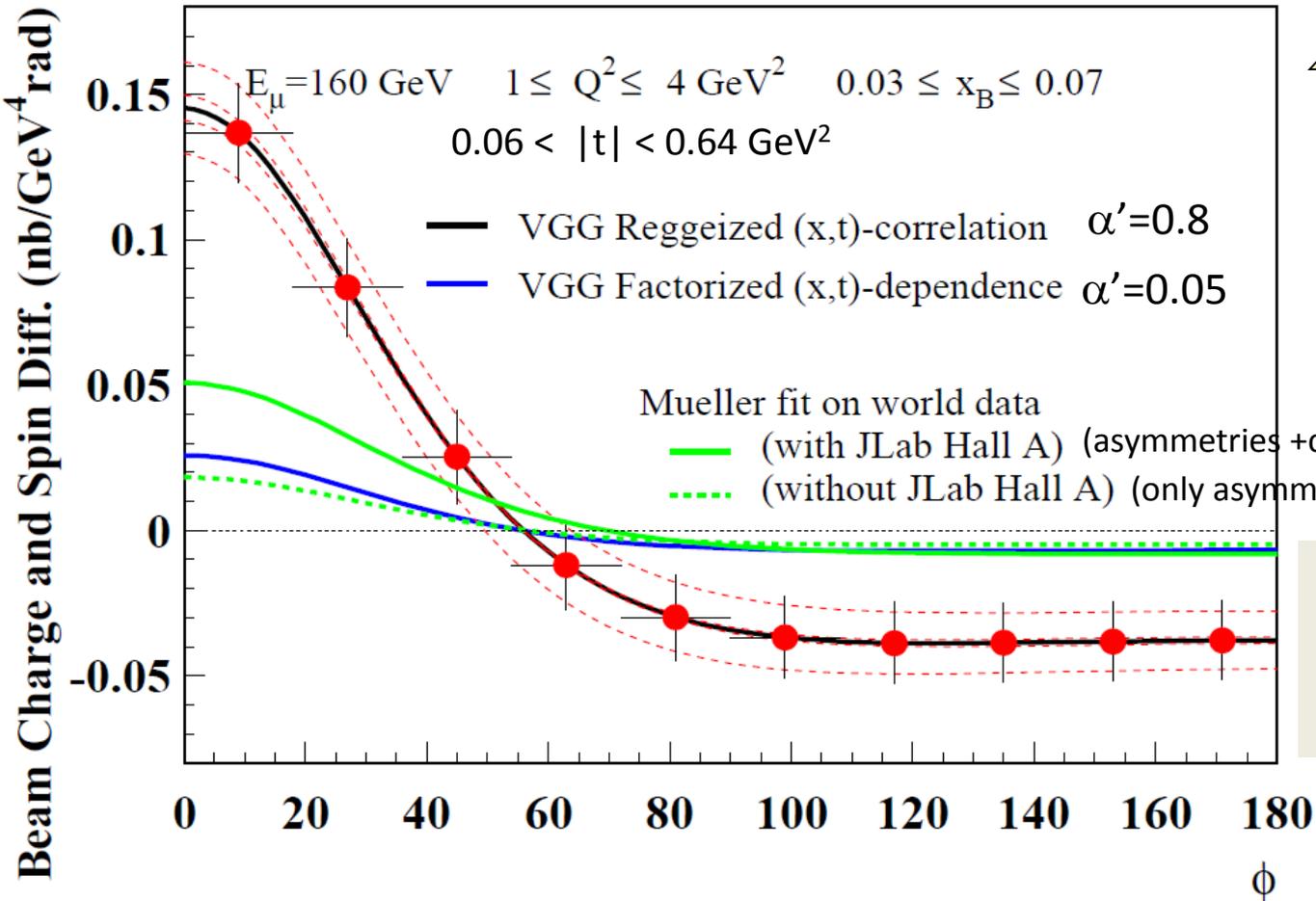
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Angular decomposition of **sum** and **diff** of the **DVCS cross section** will provide unambiguous way to separate the $\mathcal{R}e$ and $\mathcal{I}m$ of the *Compton Form Factors* from higher twist contributions

Beam Charge and Spin Difference (using $\mathcal{D}_{CS,U}$)

Comparison to different models



2 years of data
 160 GeV muon beam
 2.5m LH₂ target
 $\epsilon_{\text{global}} = 10\%$

Note: Kroll, Moutarde, Sabatié predictions are of the same order of magnitude than Mueller predictions

High precision beam flux and acceptance determination
 Systematic error bands assuming a 3% charge-dependent effect between μ^+ and μ^- (control with inclusive evts, BH...)

Beam Charge and Spin Difference over the kinematic domain

Statistics and Systematics

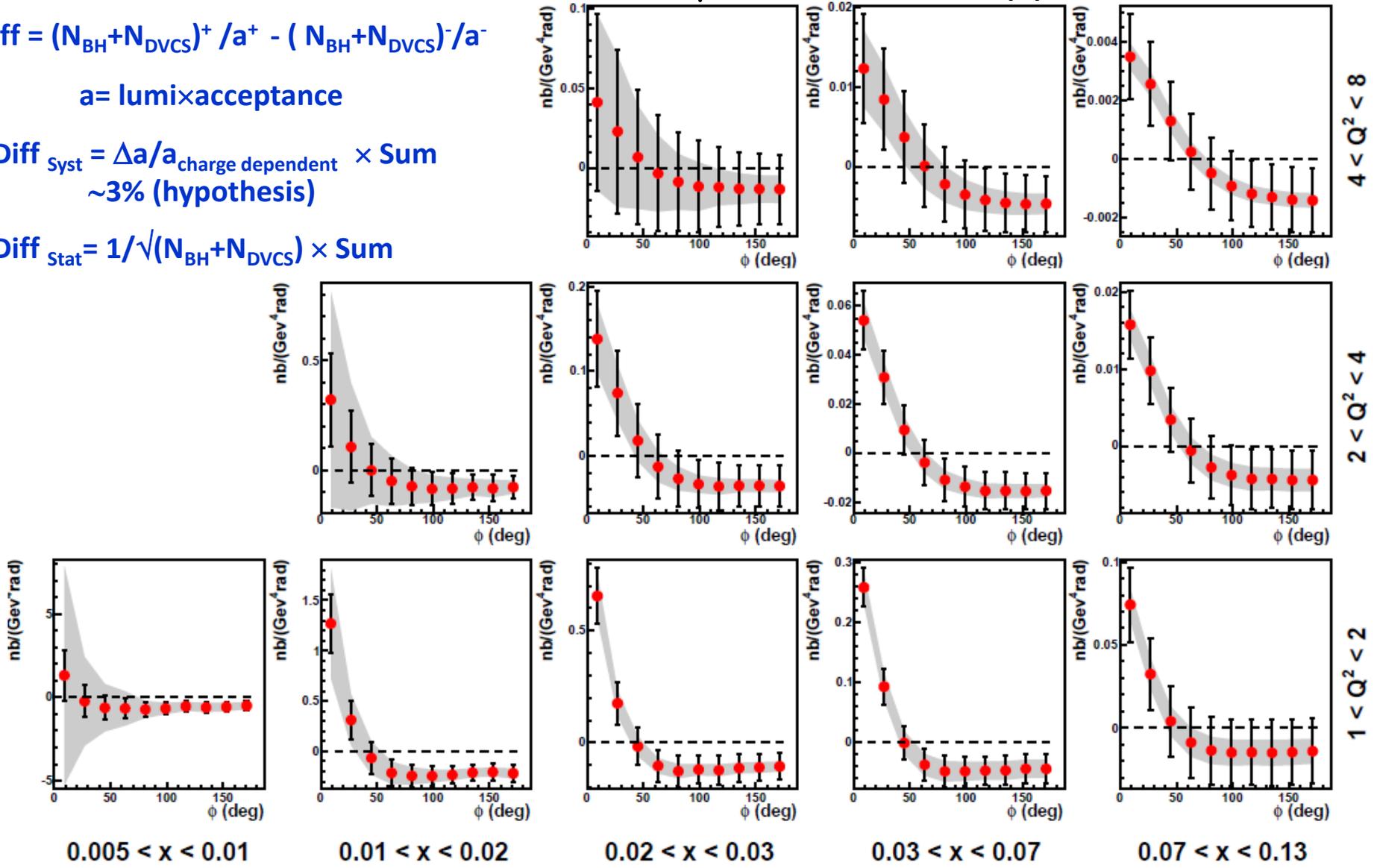
$$\text{Diff} = (N_{\text{BH}} + N_{\text{DVCS}})^+ / a^+ - (N_{\text{BH}} + N_{\text{DVCS}})^- / a^-$$

$$a = \text{lumi} \times \text{acceptance}$$

$$\Delta \text{Diff}_{\text{Syst}} = \Delta a / a_{\text{charge dependent}} \times \text{Sum} \approx 3\% \text{ (hypothesis)}$$

$$\Delta \text{Diff}_{\text{Stat}} = 1 / \sqrt{(N_{\text{BH}} + N_{\text{DVCS}})} \times \text{Sum}$$

$E\mu = 160 \text{ GeV}$ $0.06 < |t| < 0.64 \text{ GeV}^2$

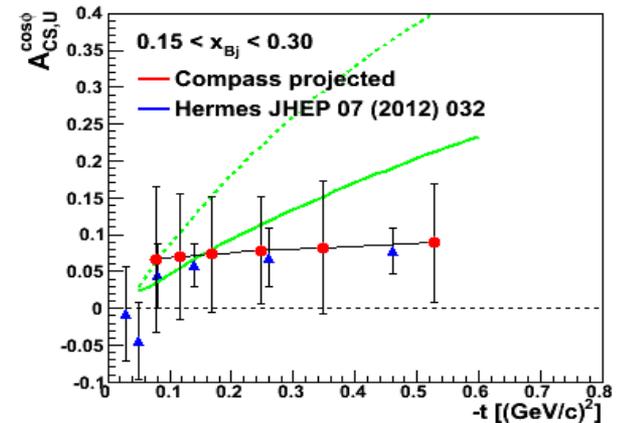
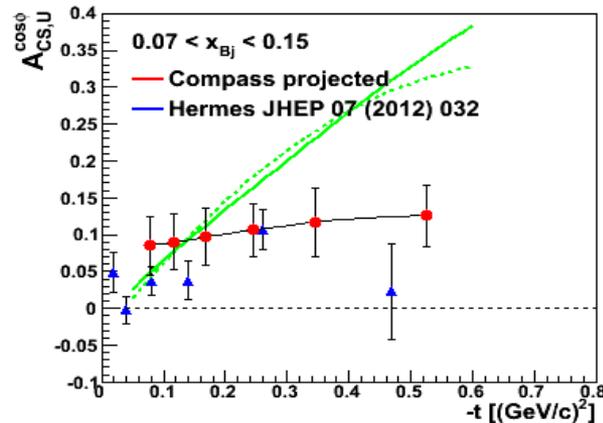
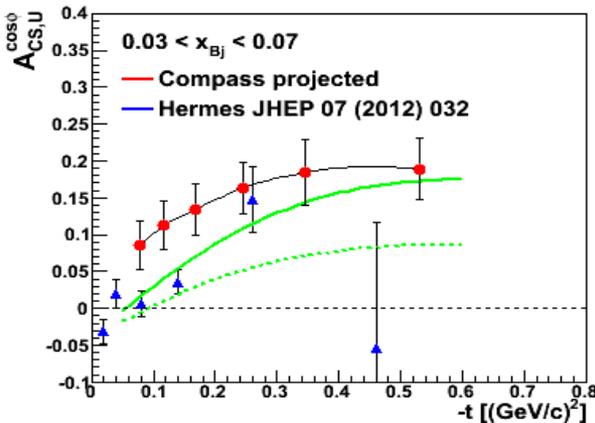
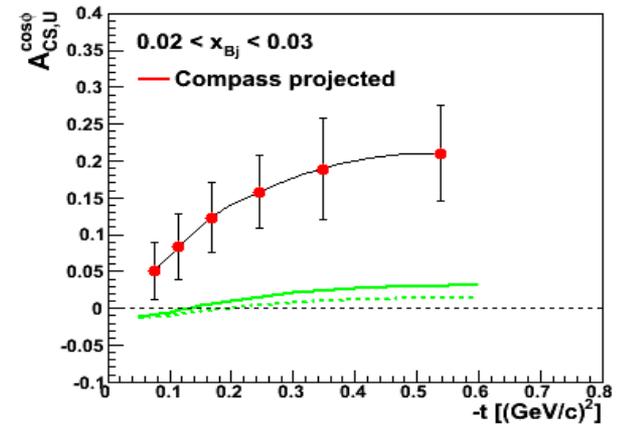
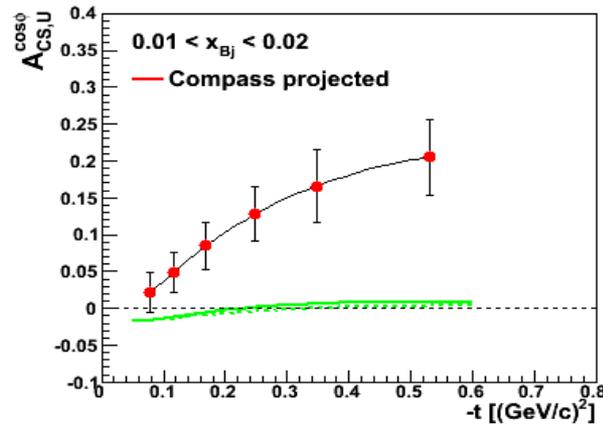
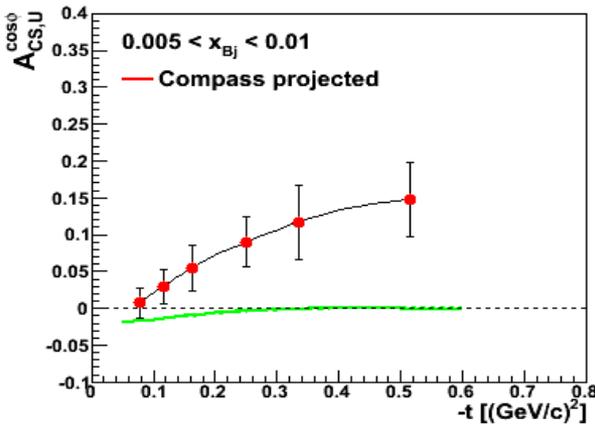


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$A_{CS,U}^{\cos\phi}$ related to c_1^{Int}

Predictions with
VGG and **D.Mueller**

$\text{Re}(F_1\mathcal{H}) > 0$ at H1
< 0 at HERMES/JLab
Value of x_B for the node?



2 years of data

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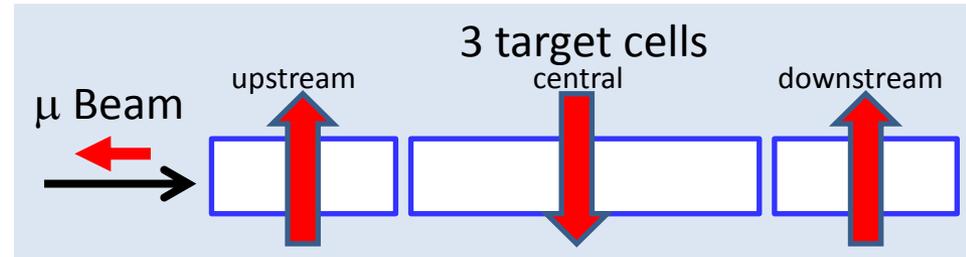
$1 < Q^2 < 8 \text{ GeV}^2$

With ECAL2 + ECAL1 + ECAL0

with transversely polarized protons (NH3 target)

1) without recoil detection (2007 & 10)

2) with recoil detection **Phase 2**
(in a future addendum)

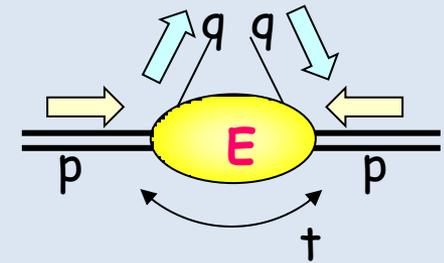


Constraints on the ‘elusive’ chiral-even GPD E

the GPD **E** allows nucleon helicity flip
so it is related to the angular momentum

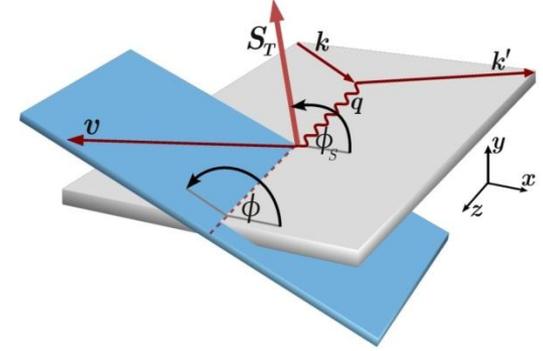
$$J_i \text{ sum rule: } 2J^q = \int x (H^q(x, \xi, 0) + E^q(x, \xi, 0)) dx$$

The GPD E is the ‘Holy-Grail’ of the GPD quest



Constraints on the chiral-odd GPDs H_T and \bar{E}_T

exclusive ρ^0 production



$$\left[\frac{\alpha_{\text{em}}}{8\pi^3} \frac{y^2}{1-\varepsilon} \frac{1-x_B}{x_B} \frac{1}{Q^2} \right]^{-1} \frac{d\sigma}{dx_{Bj} dQ^2 dt d\phi d\phi_s}$$

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

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

transv. polar. target

$$- S_T \left[\sin(\phi - \phi_s) \text{Im} \left(\sigma_{++}^{+-} + \varepsilon \sigma_{00}^{+-} \right) + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \sin(\phi + \phi_s) \text{Im} \sigma_{+-}^{+-} + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \sin(3\phi - \phi_s) \text{Im} \sigma_{+-}^{-+} \right. \\ \left. + \sqrt{\varepsilon(1+\varepsilon)} \sin\phi_s \text{Im} \sigma_{+0}^{+-} + \sqrt{\varepsilon(1+\varepsilon)} \sin(2\phi - \phi_s) \text{Im} \sigma_{+0}^{-+} \right]$$

transv. polar. target + long. Polar. beam

$$+ S_T P_\ell \left[\sqrt{1-\varepsilon^2} \cos(\phi - \phi_s) \text{Re} \sigma_{++}^{+-} \right. \\ \left. - \sqrt{\varepsilon(1-\varepsilon)} \cos\phi_s \text{Re} \sigma_{+0}^{+-} - \sqrt{\varepsilon(1-\varepsilon)} \cos(2\phi - \phi_s) \text{Re} \sigma_{+0}^{-+} \right]$$

σ_{ij} for nucleon helicity
 σ_{mn} for photon helicity

exclusive ρ^0 production

Leading twist contribution for ρ^0 produced by longitudinal photons

$$A_{\text{UT}}^{\sin(\phi - \phi_S)} \propto \text{Im}(\mathcal{E}^* \mathcal{H})$$

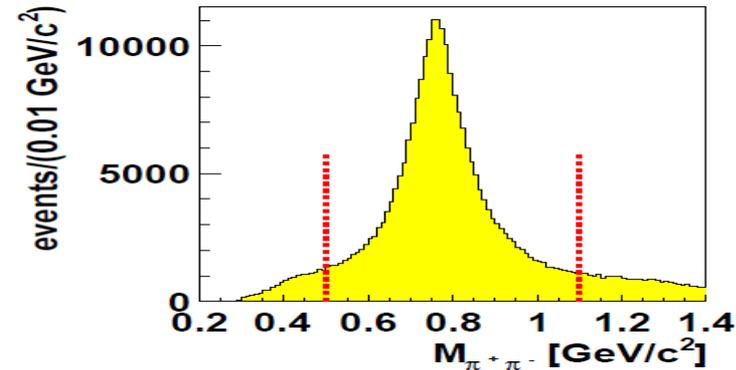
chiral-even GPDs

Subleading twist contribution for ρ^0 including transverse photons

$$A_{\text{UT}}^{\sin(\phi_S)} \propto \text{Im}(\mathcal{E}^* \overline{\mathcal{E}}_{\text{T-}} \mathcal{H}^* \mathcal{H}_{\text{T}})$$

↑ ↑
chiral-odd GPDs

Selection of Exclusive ρ^0 Production: $\mu p \rightarrow \mu' \rho^0 p$ without RPD

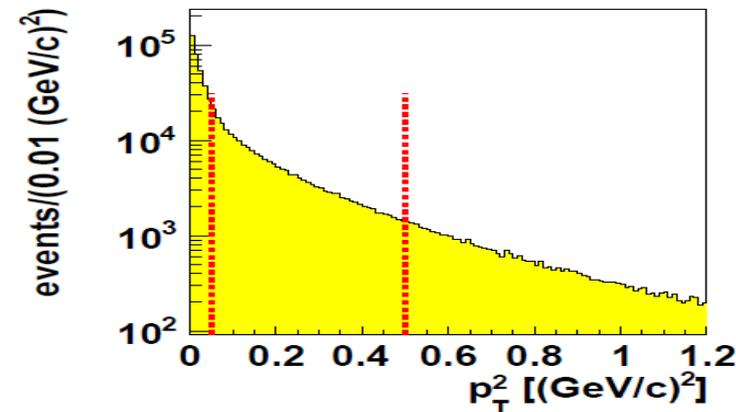


$1 < Q^2 < 10 \text{ GeV}^2$ $0.1 < y < 0.9$ $W > 4 \text{ GeV}$ $E_{\rho^0} > 15 \text{ GeV}$

1- Assuming both hadrons are π

$0.5 < M_{\pi\pi} < 1.1 \text{ GeV}$

To maximize the purity of the sample of ρ^0 /
non resonant $\pi^+\pi^-$

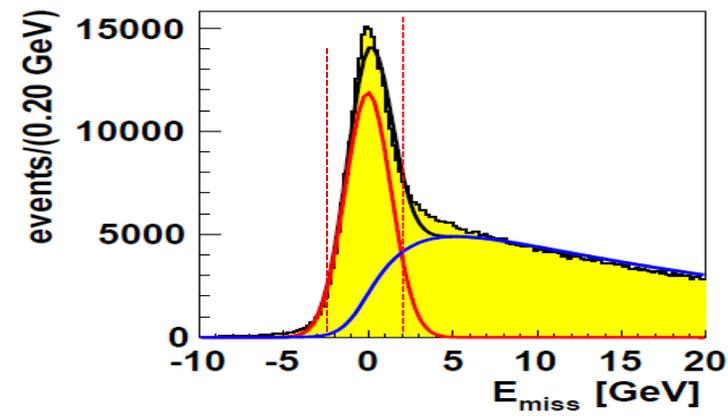


2- Suppression of incoherent production on quasi-free protons in NH_3 polarized target

+ Suppression of SIDIS background

$0.05 < p_t^2 < 0.5 \text{ GeV}^2$

Contamination of about a 5% coherent production



3- Exclusivity of the reaction

$$E_{\text{miss}} = \frac{M_X^2 - M_P^2}{2 \cdot M_P} = E_{\gamma^*} - E_{\rho^0} + t / (2 \cdot M_P)$$

$-2.5 < E_{\text{miss}} < 2.5 \text{ GeV}$

Diffractive dissociation contamination $\sim 14\%$

No attempt to remove it (motivated by HERA)

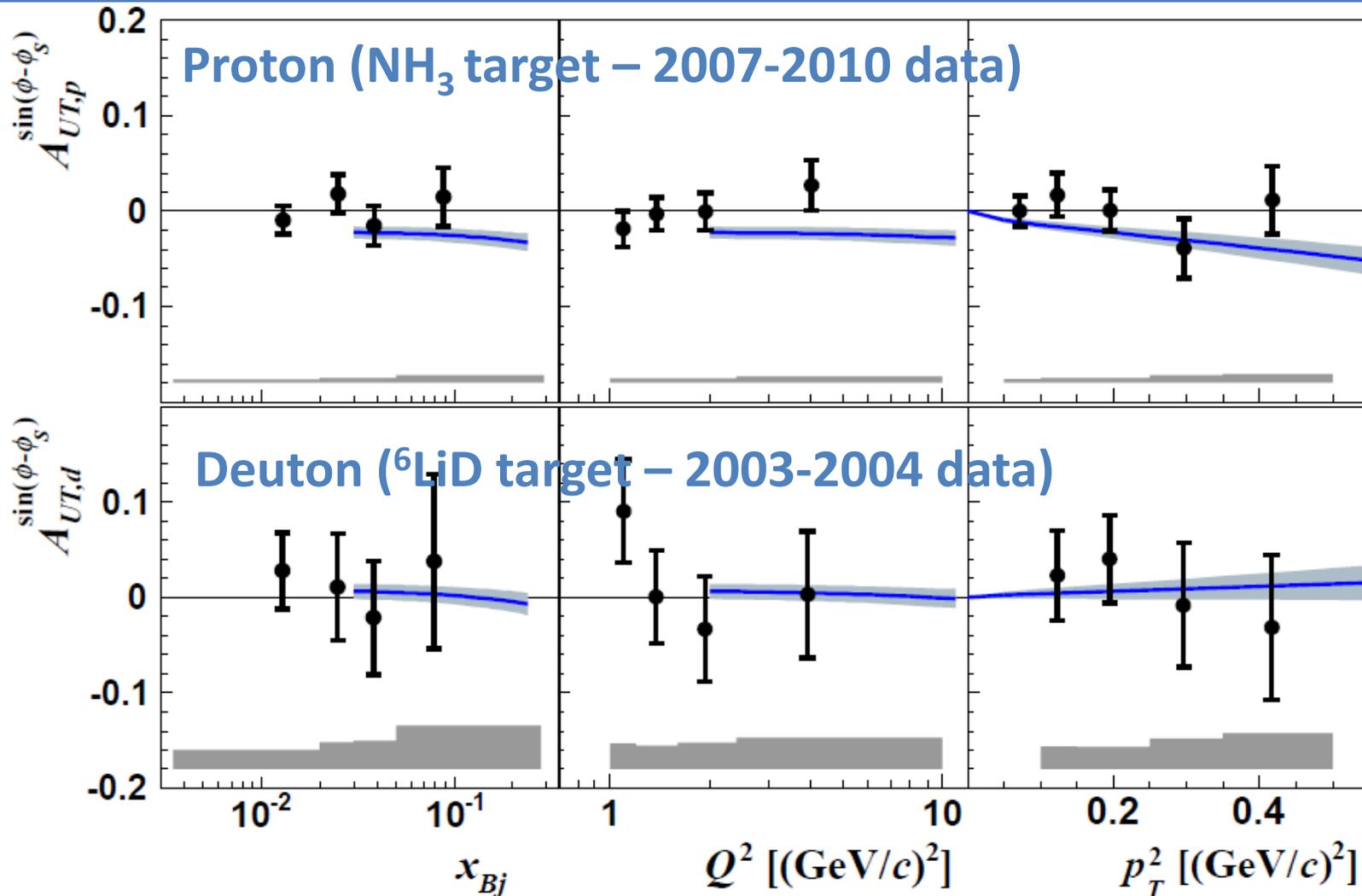
\rightarrow correction for SIDIS background (5 to 40%)
in each bin (x_{Bj} , Q^2 , p_T^2 , cell and polar. State)

Bins in $\Phi - \Phi_s$

asymmetry extraction

using a **1D** binned maximum likelihood fit
after subtracting the SIDIS background

Exclusive ρ^0 production on transverse polar. target without Recoil Detection



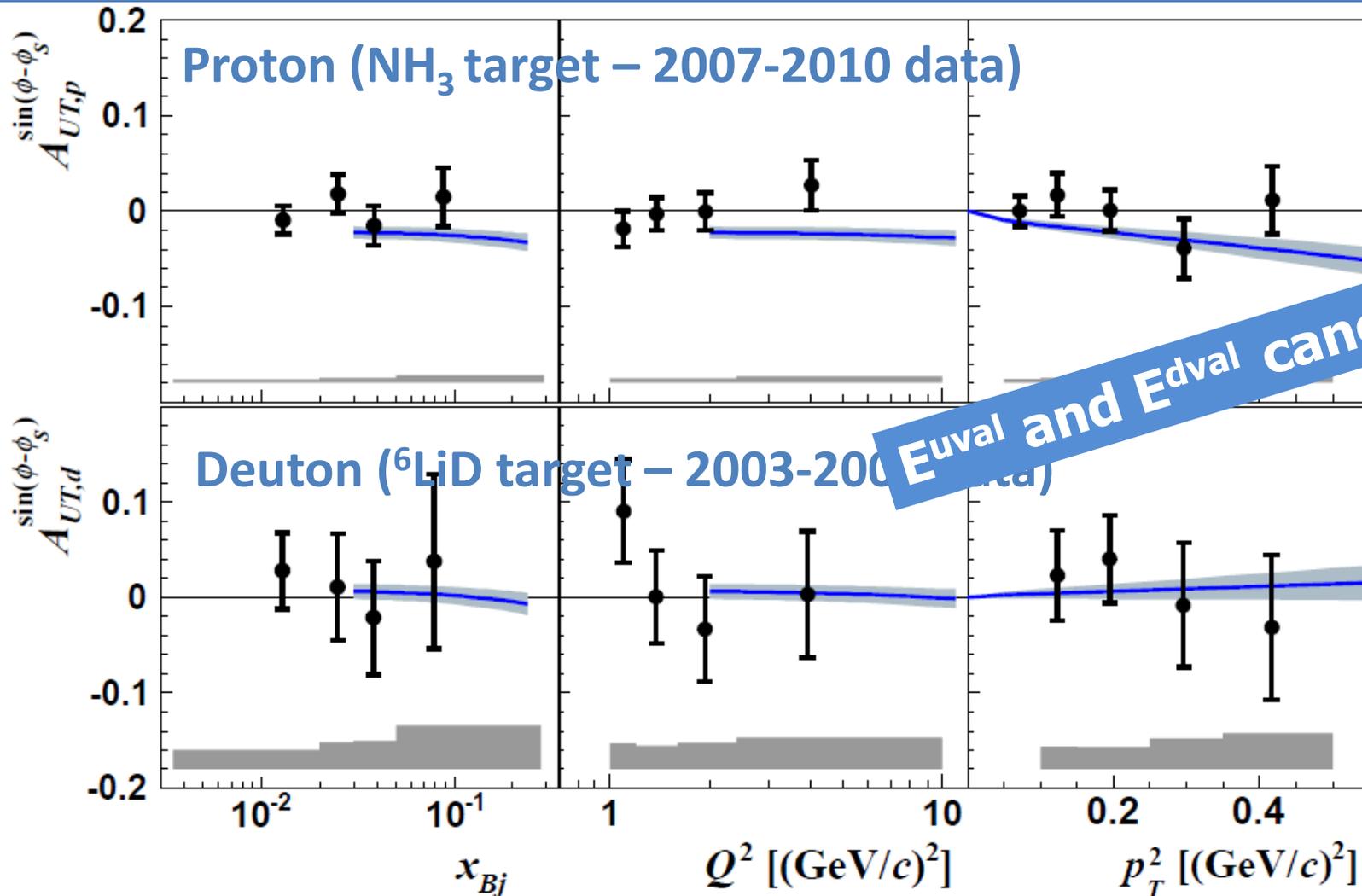
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and predictions by

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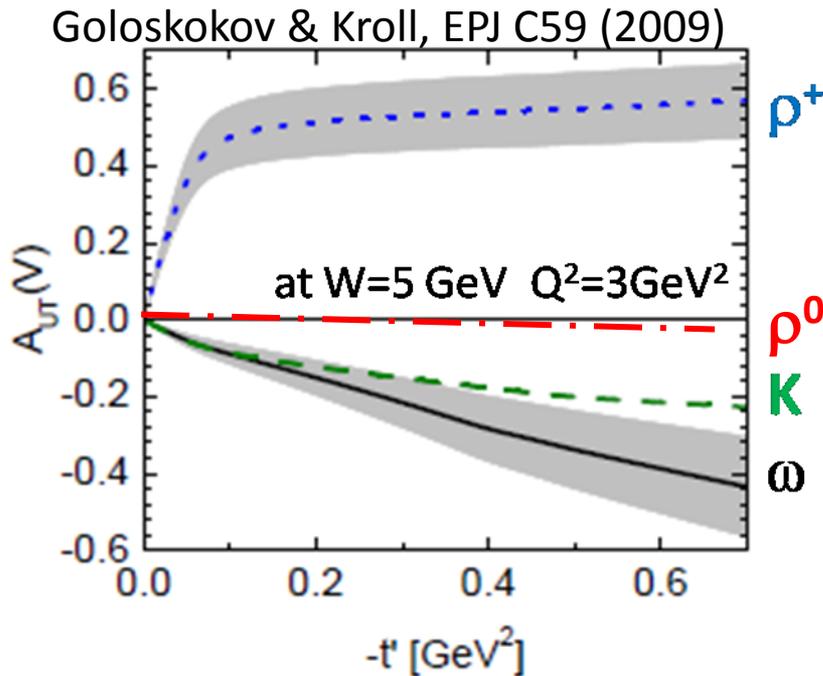
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Hard Exclusive Vector Meson Production

$$A_{UT}(\rho^0_L) \propto \sqrt{|-t'|} \operatorname{Im}(\mathcal{E}^* \mathcal{H}) / |\mathcal{H}|^2$$



$$E_{\rho^0} \propto \frac{2}{3} E^u + \frac{1}{3} E^d + \frac{3}{8} E^g$$

$$E_{\omega} \propto \frac{2}{3} E^u - \frac{1}{3} E^d + \frac{1}{8} E^g$$

$$E_{\rho^+} \propto E^u - E^d - \frac{3}{8} E^g$$

Cancellation between gluon and sea contributions

$$\kappa^q = \int e^q(x) dx$$

$$\rightarrow E^{uval} \sim -E^{dval}$$

$A_{UT}(\rho^0)$ very small

$A_{UT}(\omega)$ and $A_{UT}(\rho^+)$ should be more promising
analysis on going for ω , ρ^+ , ϕ and γ

NEW ANALYSIS

Bins in Φ and Φ_s

asymmetry extraction

using a **2D** binned maximum likelihood fit

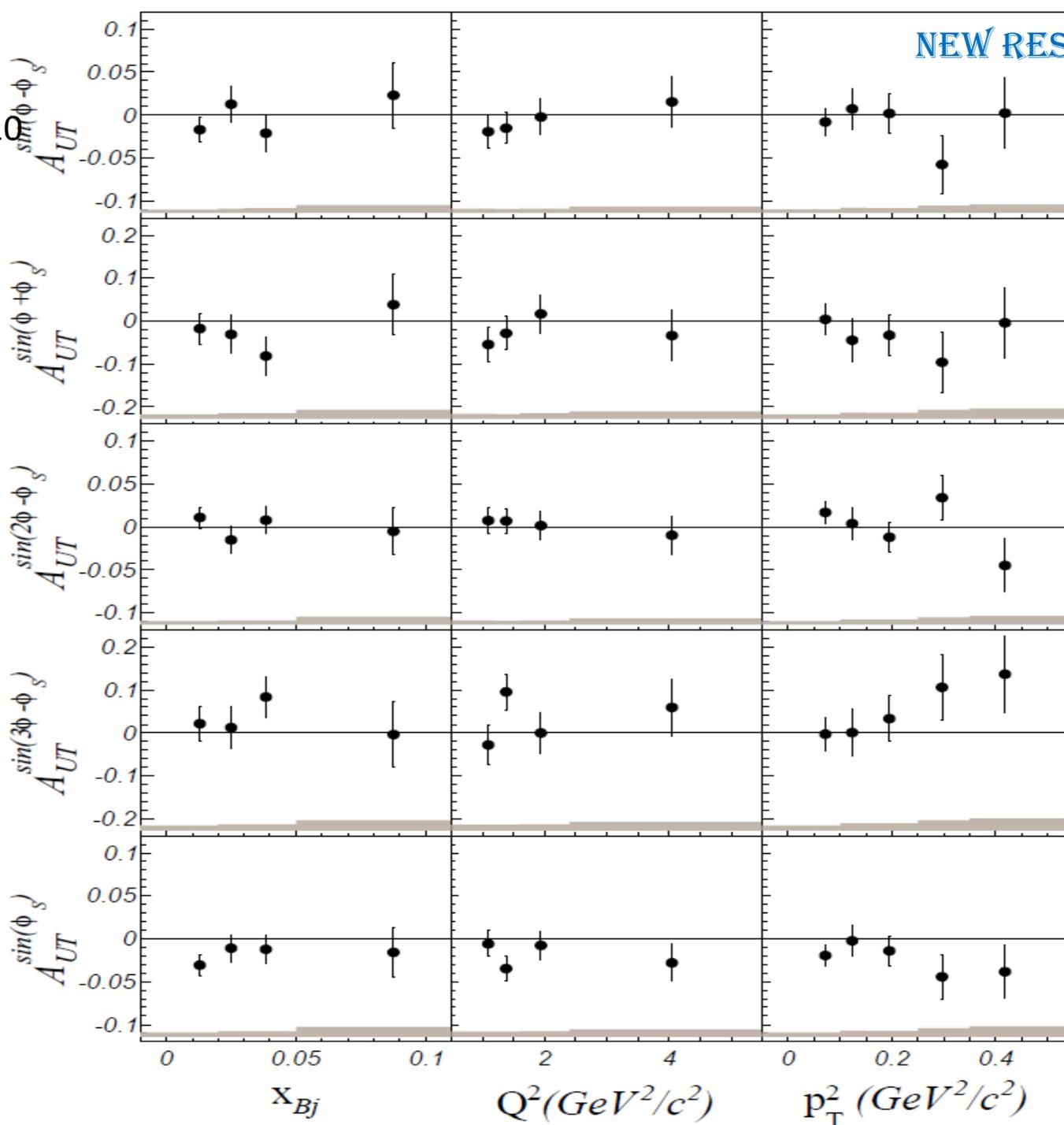
After subtracting the SIDIS background

transv. pol. Protons

NH3 target 2007-2010

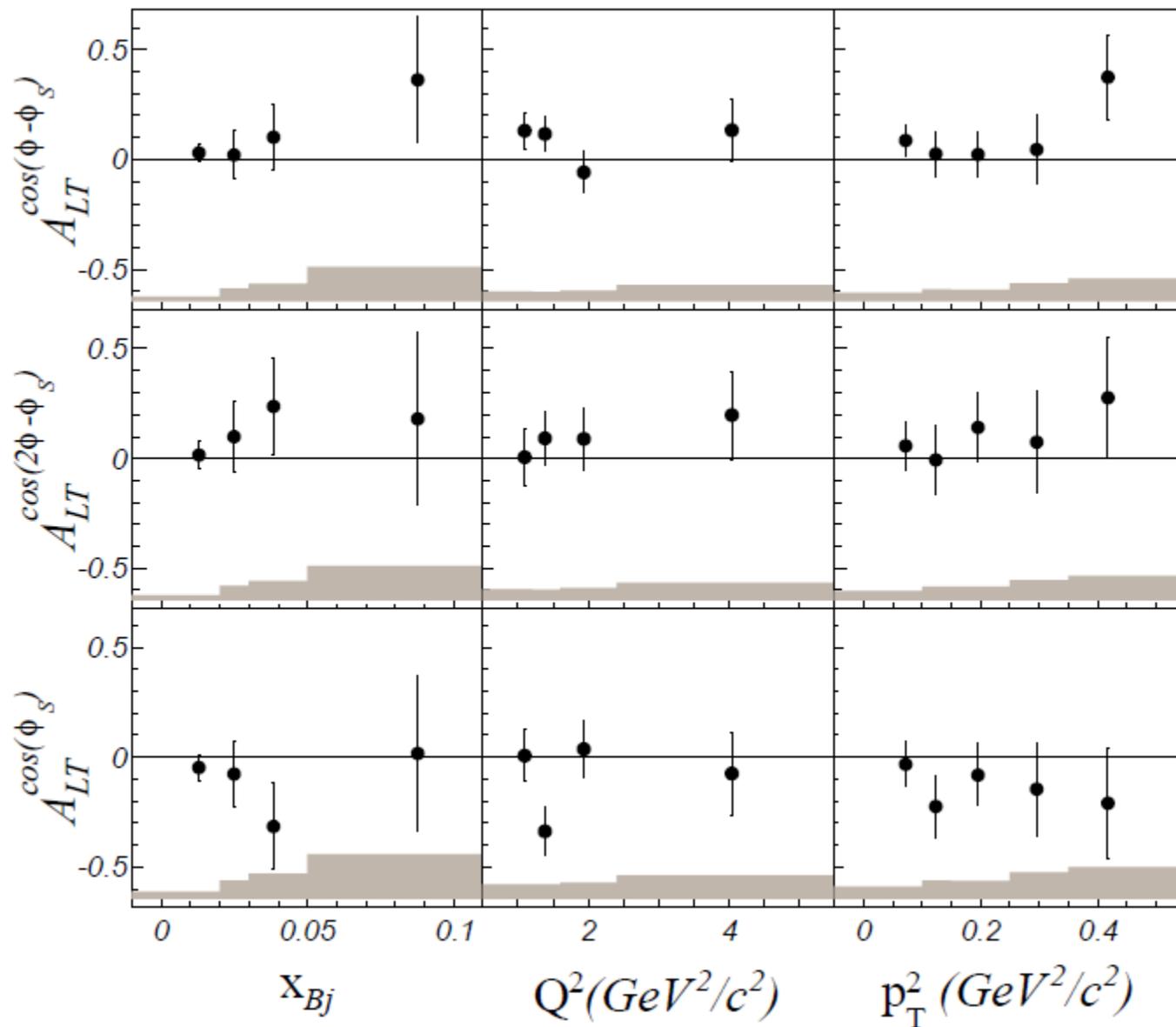
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NEW RESULTS



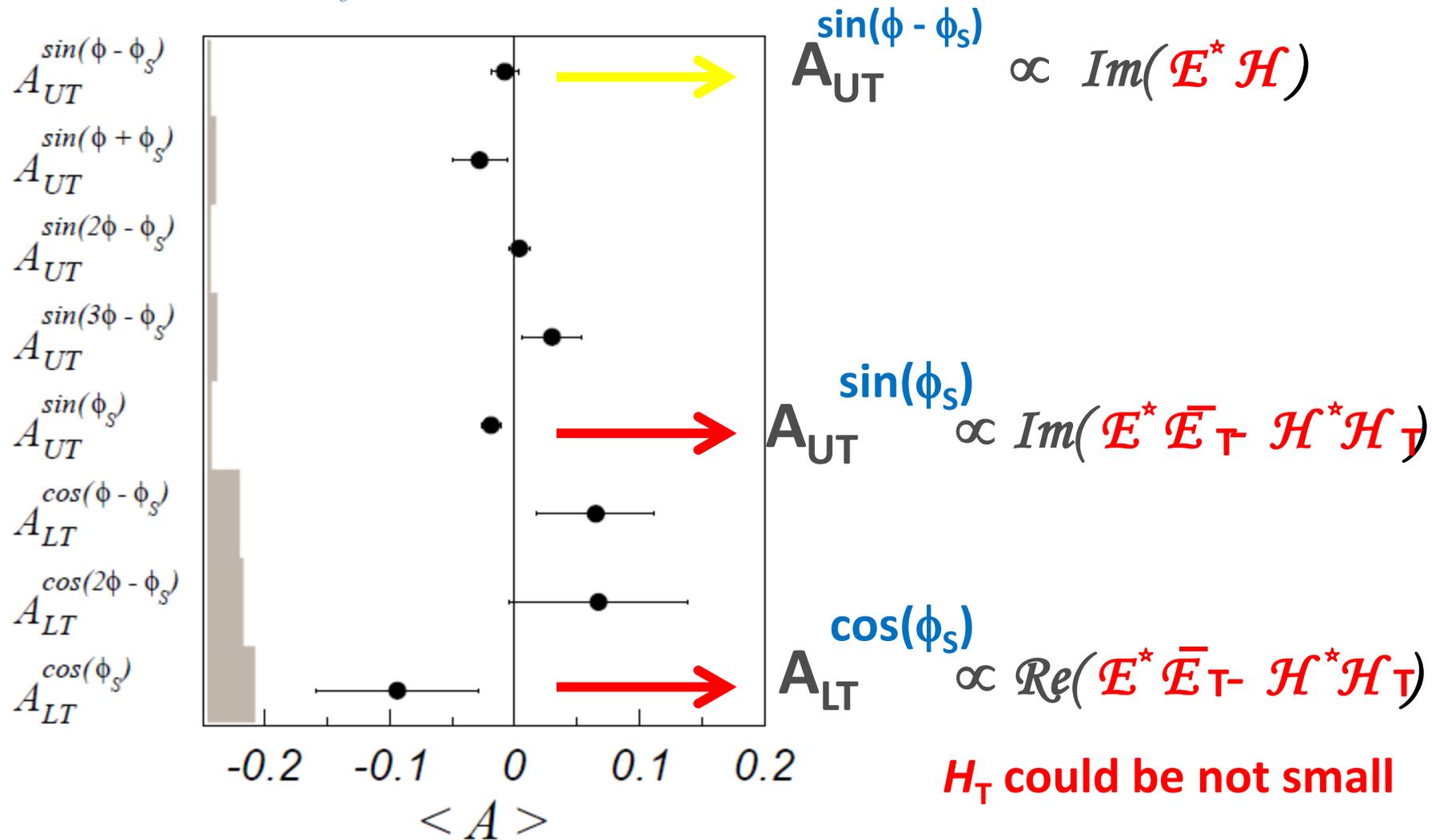
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exclusive ρ^0 production – Transv. Polar. target

NEW RESULTS



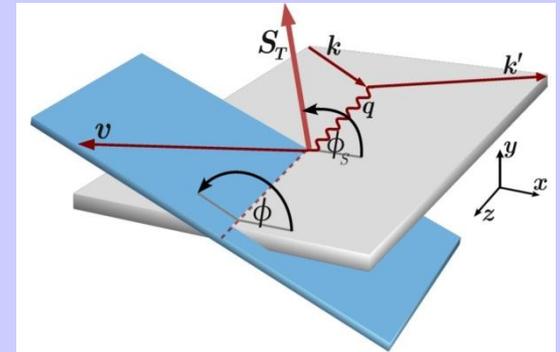
$$W = 8.1 \text{ GeV}/c^2, p_T^2 = 0.2 \text{ (GeV}/c)^2, Q^2 = 2.2 \text{ (GeV}/c)^2$$

Deeply Virtual Compton Scattering

Phase 2 (in future): DVCS experiment to constrain GPD E

with $\mu^{+\downarrow}$, $\mu^{-\uparrow}$ beam and transversely polarized NH3 (proton) target

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{D}_{CS,T} &\equiv d\sigma_T(\mu^{+\downarrow}) - d\sigma_T(\mu^{-\uparrow}) \\ &\propto \text{Im}(F_2 \mathcal{H} - F_1 \mathcal{E}) \sin(\phi - \phi_S) \cos \phi \end{aligned}$$



$D_{CS,T}$ and Transverse Target Asymmetry

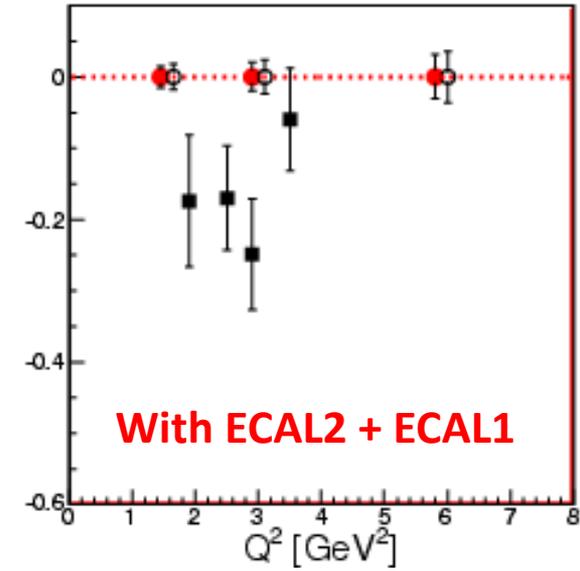
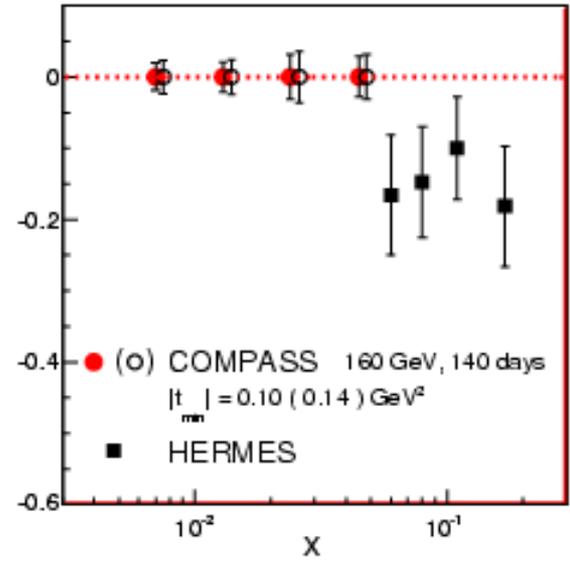
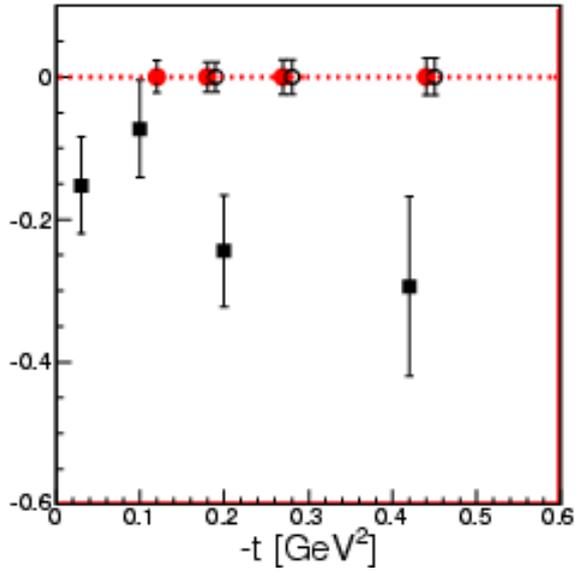
Prediction for phase 2 (in future)

With a transversely polarized NH₃ (proton) target:

2 years of data
160 GeV muon beam
1.2 m polarised NH₃ target
 $\epsilon_{\text{global}} = 10\%$

$$A_{CS,T}^{\sin(\phi - \phi_s)\cos\phi}$$

related to H and E



Summary for GPD @ COMPASS

GPDs investigated with Hard Exclusive Photon and Meson Production

$\mu^{\downarrow}, \mu^{\uparrow}$ 160 GeV

COMPASS-II 2016-17: with LH_2 target + RPD (phase 1)

- ✓ the t-slope of the DVCS and HEMP cross section
→ **transverse distribution of partons**
- ✓ the Beam Charge and Spin Sum and Difference
→ $\text{Re } T^{\text{DVCS}}$ and $\text{Im } T^{\text{DVCS}}$ for the GPD H determination
- ✓ Vector Meson $\rho^0, \rho^+, \omega, \Phi$
- ✓ Pseudo-scalar π^0

Using the 2007-10 data: **transv. polarized NH_3 target without RPD**

In a future addendum > 2017: **transv. polarised NH_3 target with RPD (phase 2)**

- ✓ the Transverse Target Spin Asymm
→ **GPD E and chiral-odd (transverse) GPDs**

Transverse imaging at COMPASS

$$d\sigma^{DVCS}/dt \sim \exp(-B|t|)$$

$$B(x_B) = \frac{1}{2} \langle r_{\perp}^2(x_B) \rangle$$

distance between the active quark and the center of momentum of spectators

Transverse size of the nucleon

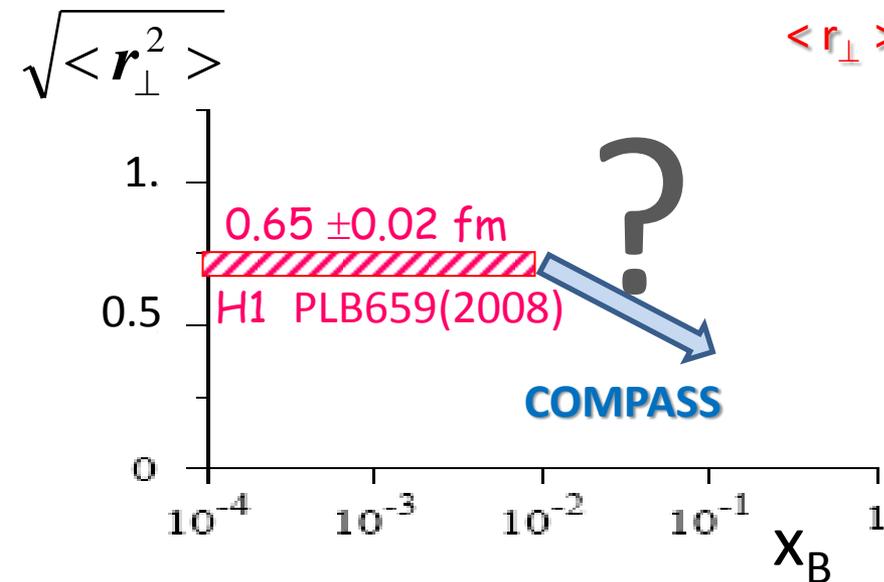
mainly dominated by $H(x, \xi=x, t)$

$$\text{related to } \frac{1}{2} \langle b_{\perp}^2(x_B) \rangle$$

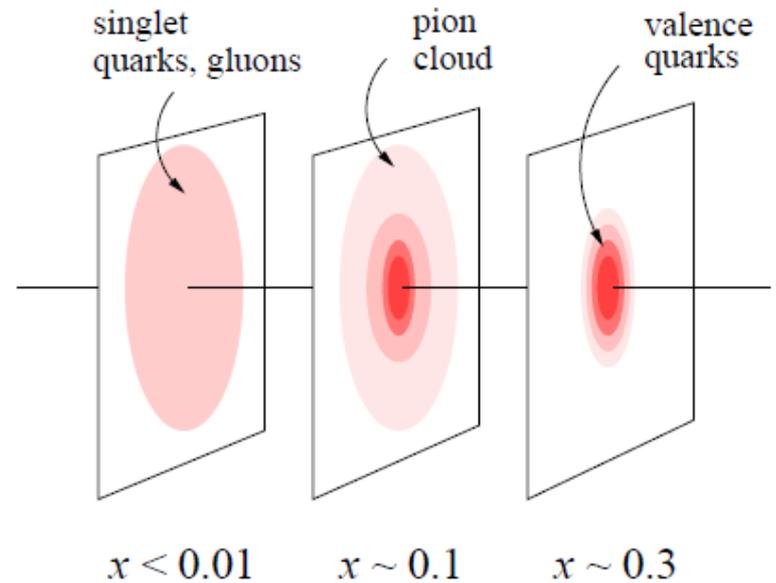
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Impact Parameter Representation

$$q(x, b_{\perp}) \leftrightarrow H(x, \xi=0, t)$$



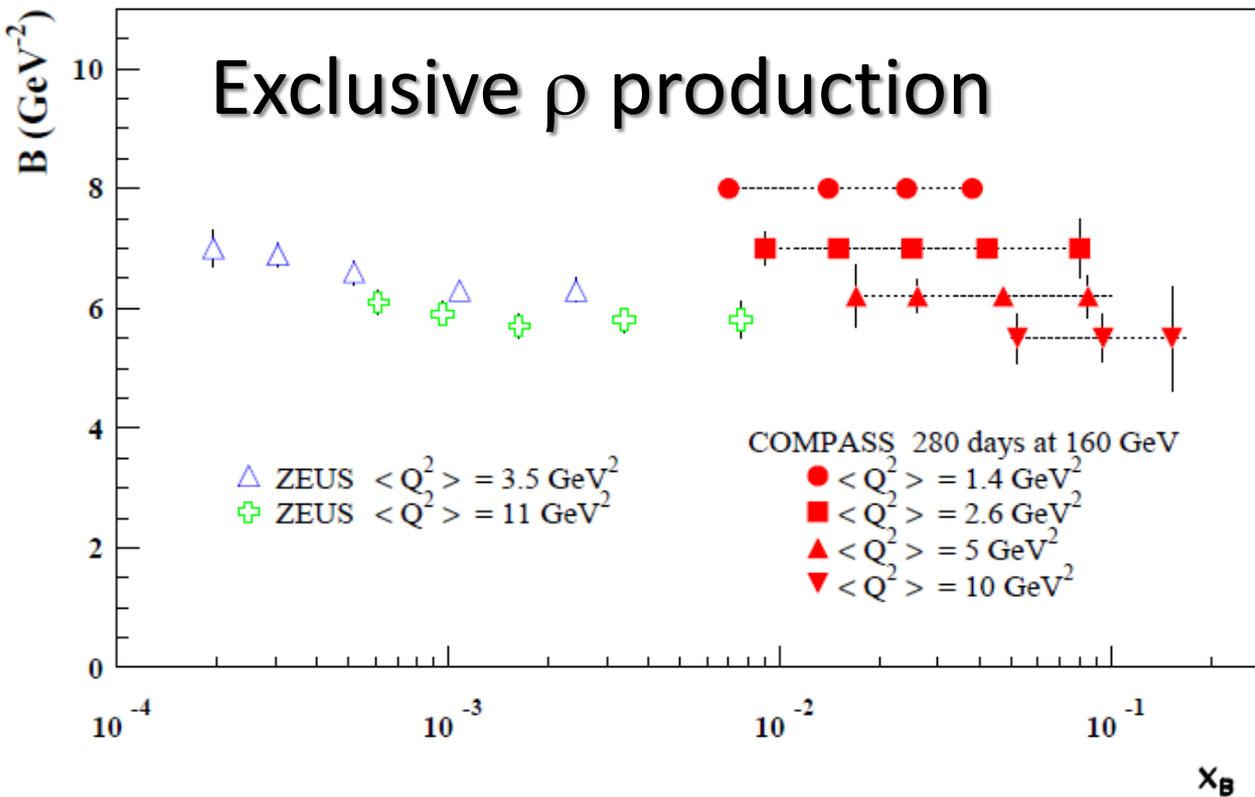
$$\langle r_{\perp} \rangle \sim \langle b_{\perp} \rangle / (1-x)$$



Note $0.65 \text{ fm} = \sqrt{2/3} \times 0.8 \text{ fm}$

Transverse imaging at COMPASS

$$d\sigma^{\text{excl.}\rho} / dt \sim \exp(-B|t|)$$



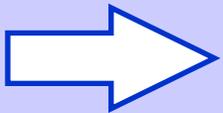
2 years of data

160 GeV muon beam

2.5m LH₂ target

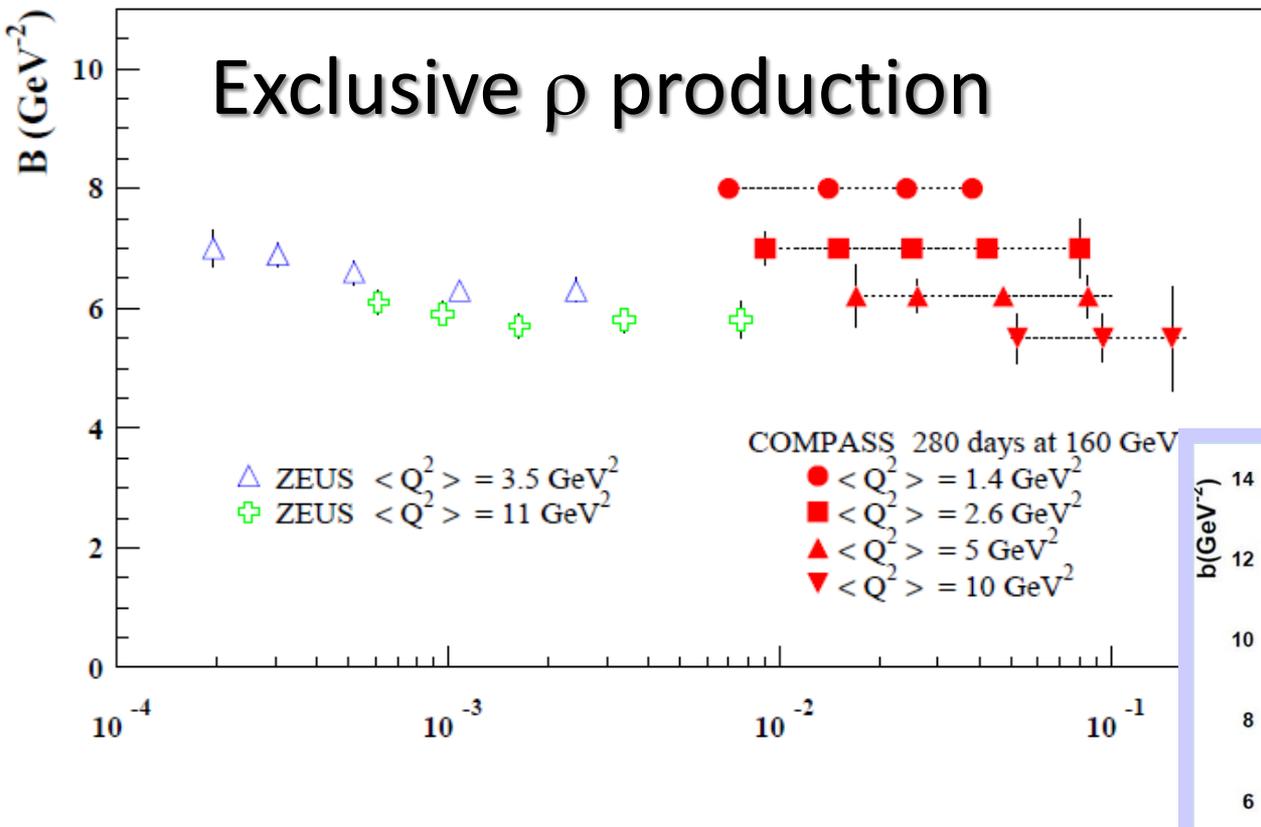
$\epsilon_{\text{global}} = 10\%$

model developed by Sandacz
renormalised according
Goloskokov and Kroll prediction



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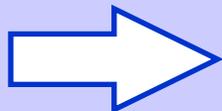


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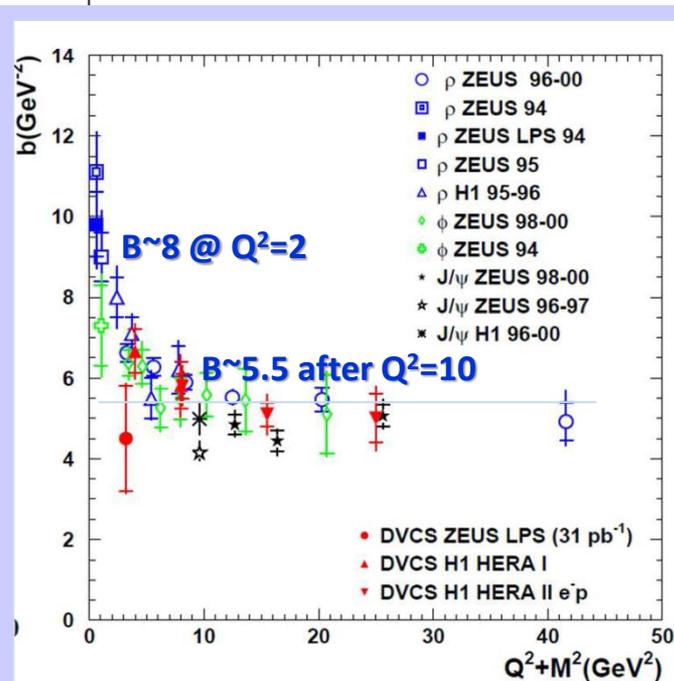
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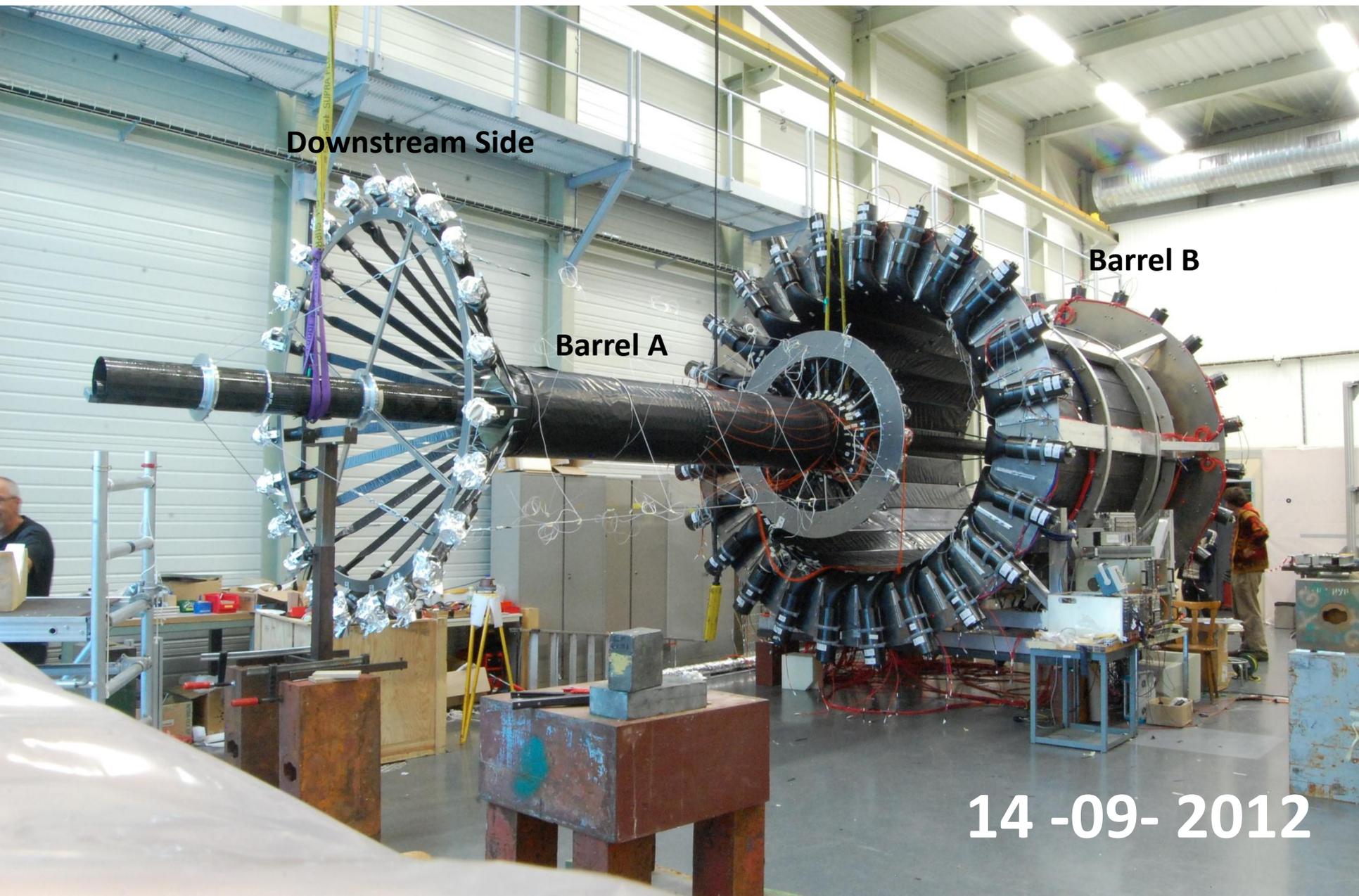
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We are sensitive
to the nucleon transverse size
+ to the meson transverse size



Mounting in clean room at CERN



Downstream Side

Barrel A

Barrel B

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