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Experiment & Analysis Report

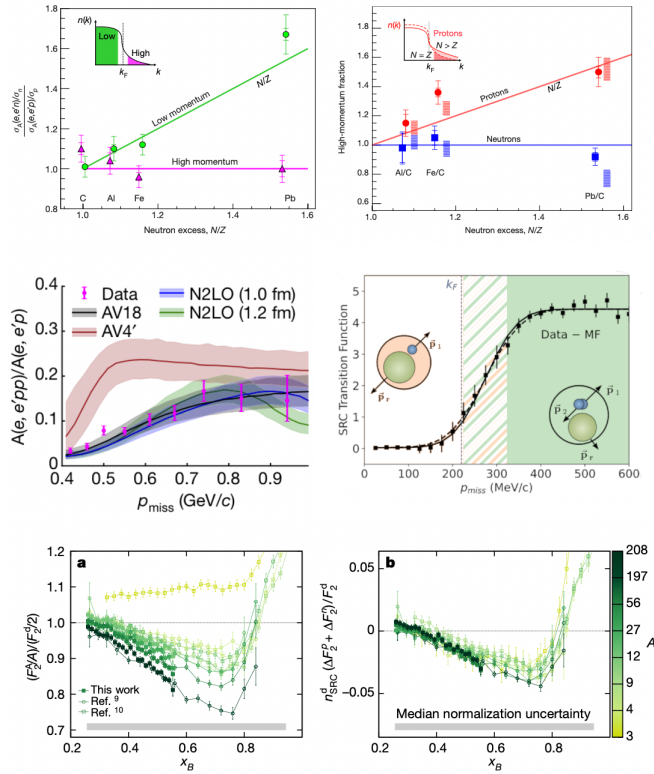
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Motivation - Understanding SRCs

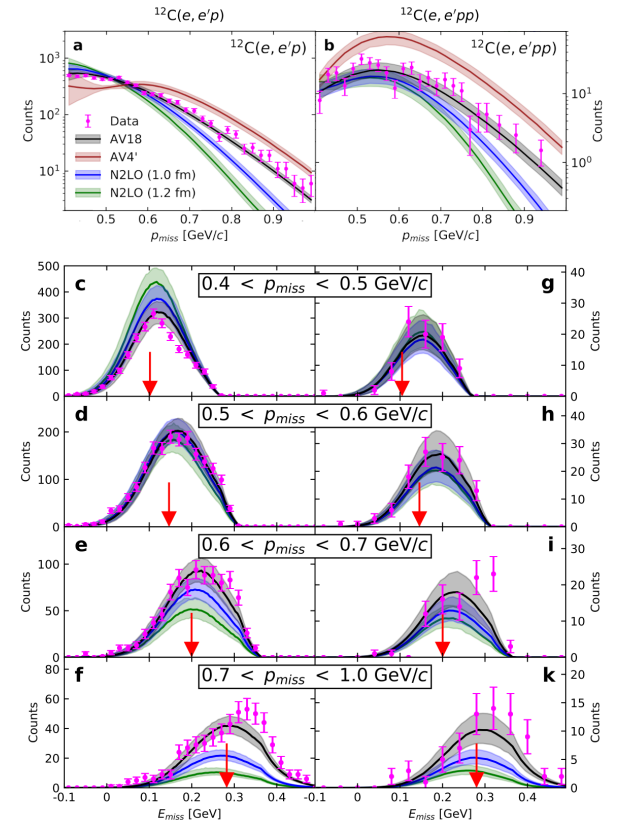
- Using **electron probe** proved to be very successful...



Pair abundances

Pair CM motion

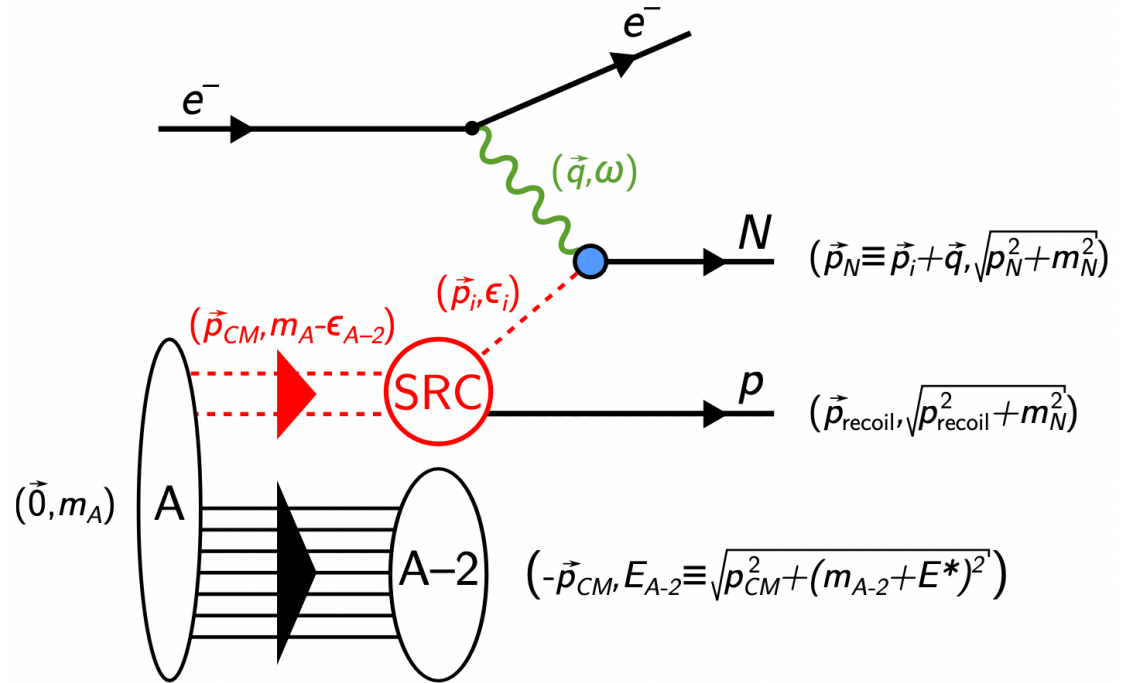
Pair relative motion



Motivation - Complexity Leads to Assumptions

○ ..., but using single probe leaves some doubts on validity of certain assumptions

- Scale separation
- Relativistic effects
- Reaction mechanisms
- FSI, MEC, IC

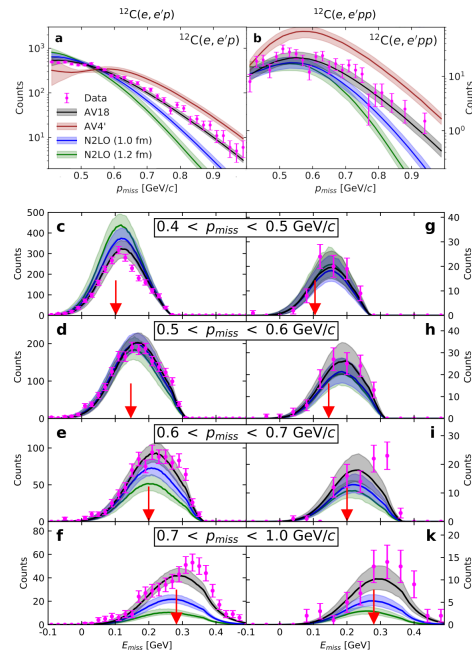
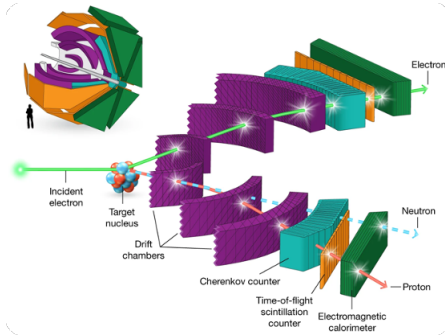


- R. Weiss et al., PLB 791 pp. 242–248 (2019)
- A. Schmidt et al., Nature 578 pp. 540–544 (2020)
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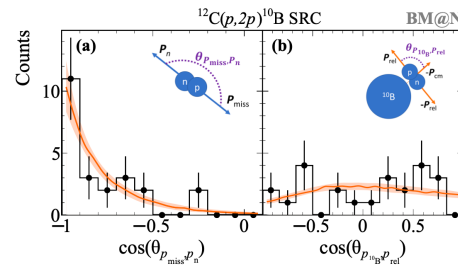
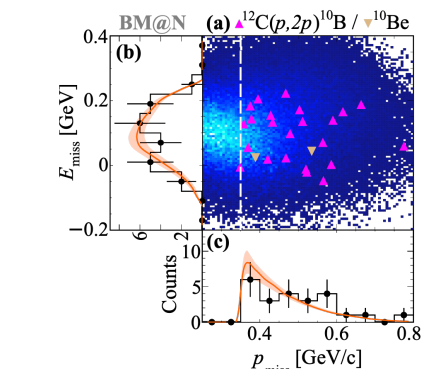
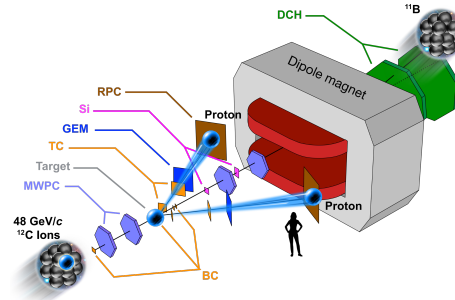
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Motivation - A Tale of Three Probes

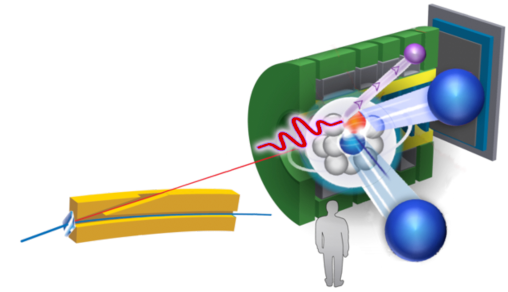
○ Electron



○ Hadron



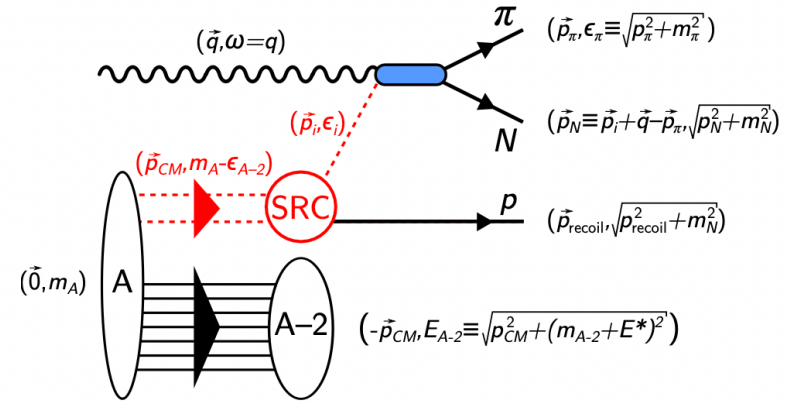
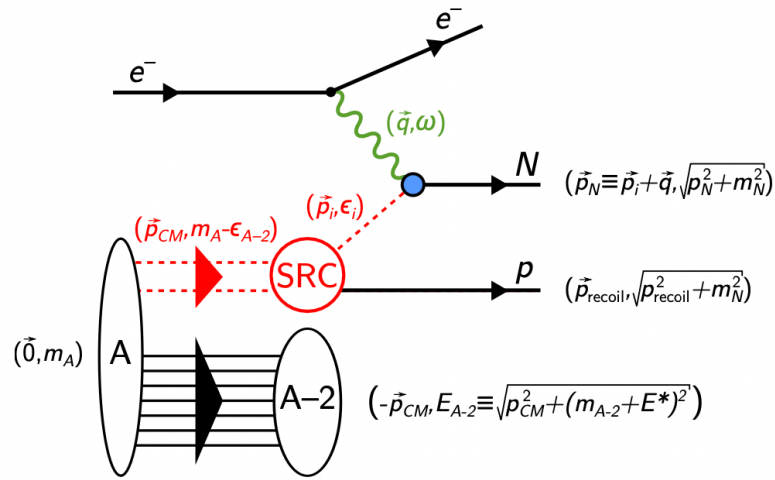
○ Photon



See also talks from
J. Pybus & P. Sharp

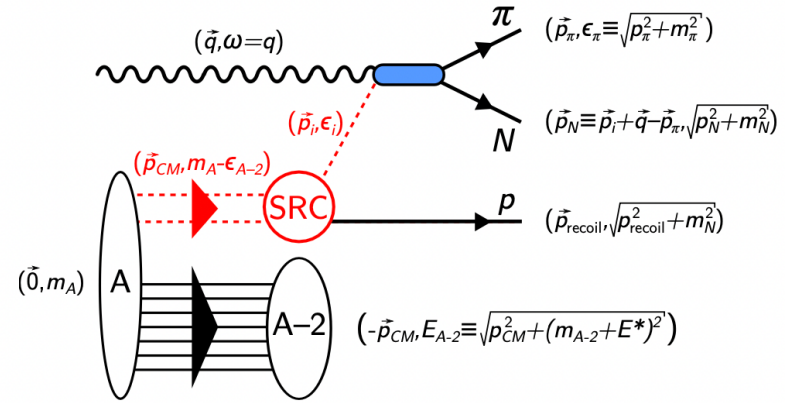
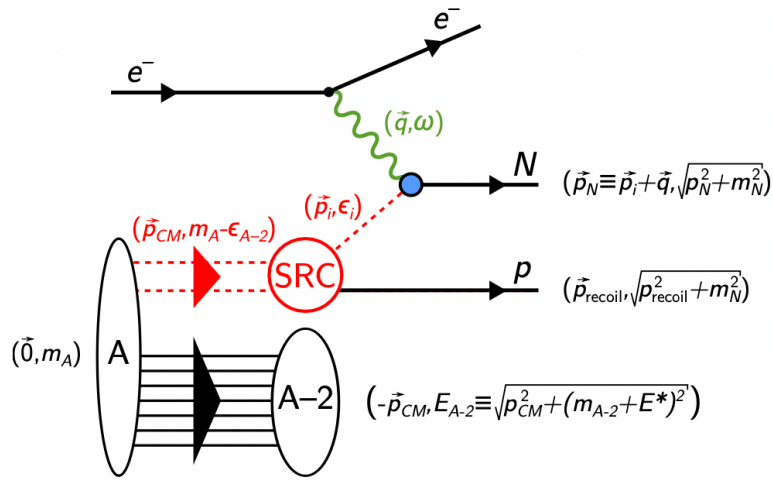
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- Different photoproduction reactions available

γp			γn		
$\gamma p \rightarrow \pi^0 p$	$\gamma p \rightarrow \rho^0 p$	$\gamma p \rightarrow \eta p$	$\gamma n \rightarrow \pi^0 n$	$\gamma n \rightarrow \rho^- p$	$\gamma n \rightarrow \eta n$
$\gamma p \rightarrow \pi^+ n$	$\gamma p \rightarrow \rho^+ n$	$\gamma p \rightarrow \omega p$	$\gamma n \rightarrow \pi^- p$		$\gamma n \rightarrow \omega n$
$\gamma p \rightarrow \pi^- \Delta^{++}$	$\gamma p \rightarrow K^+ \Lambda^0$	$\gamma p \rightarrow \phi p$		$\gamma n \rightarrow K^0 \Lambda^0$	$\gamma n \rightarrow \phi n$
$\gamma p \rightarrow \pi^0 \Delta^+$	$\gamma p \rightarrow K^+ \Sigma^0$	$\gamma p \rightarrow J/\psi p$	$\gamma n \rightarrow \pi^- \Delta^+$	$\gamma n \rightarrow K^0 \Sigma^0$	$\gamma n \rightarrow J/\psi n$
$\gamma p \rightarrow \pi^+ \Delta^0$	$\gamma p \rightarrow K^0 \Sigma^+$			$\gamma n \rightarrow K^+ \Sigma^-$	

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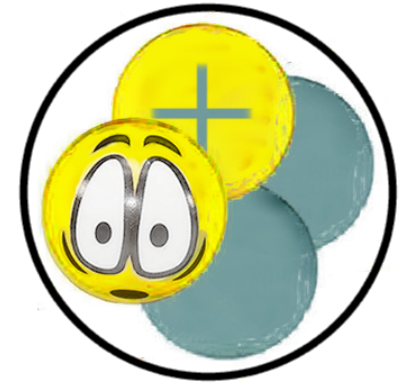
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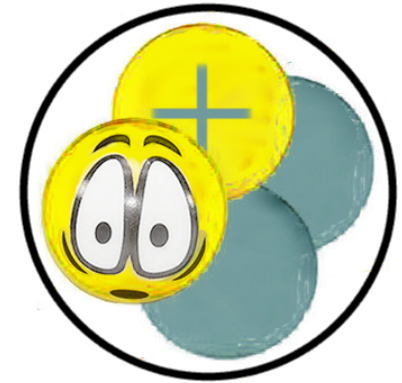
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→ Difference in coupling of high-energy photon to individual-configuration Fock states might be reflected in the BR modification (e.g. $\gamma p \rightarrow \pi^0 p$ vs. $\gamma p \rightarrow \eta p$)

→ Effect could be enhanced in certain kinematic regions (e.g. SRC, high s , t , u ,...)

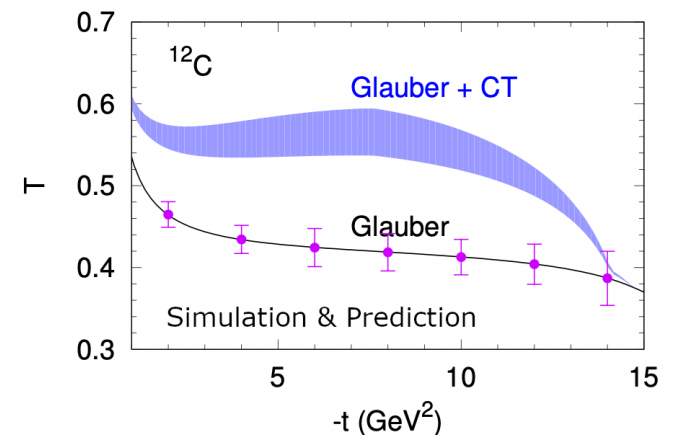
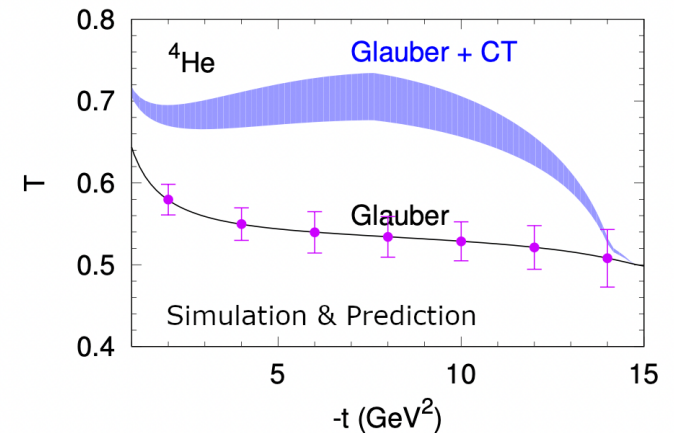
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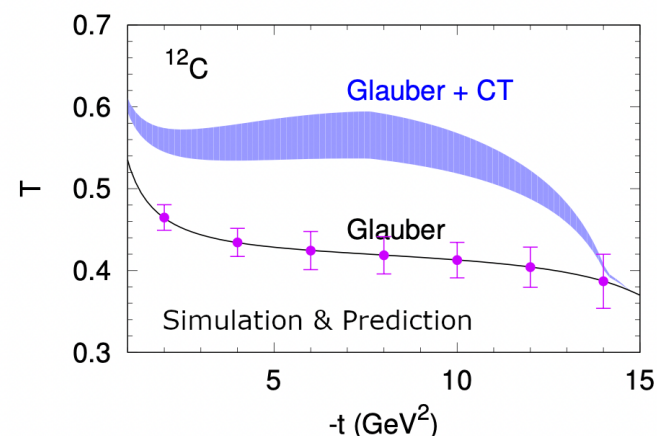
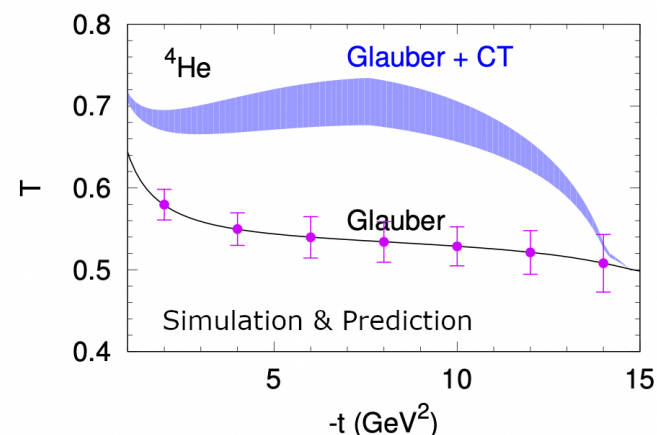
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→ Currently looking at ρ^0 channel
(D. Bhesha - MSU)

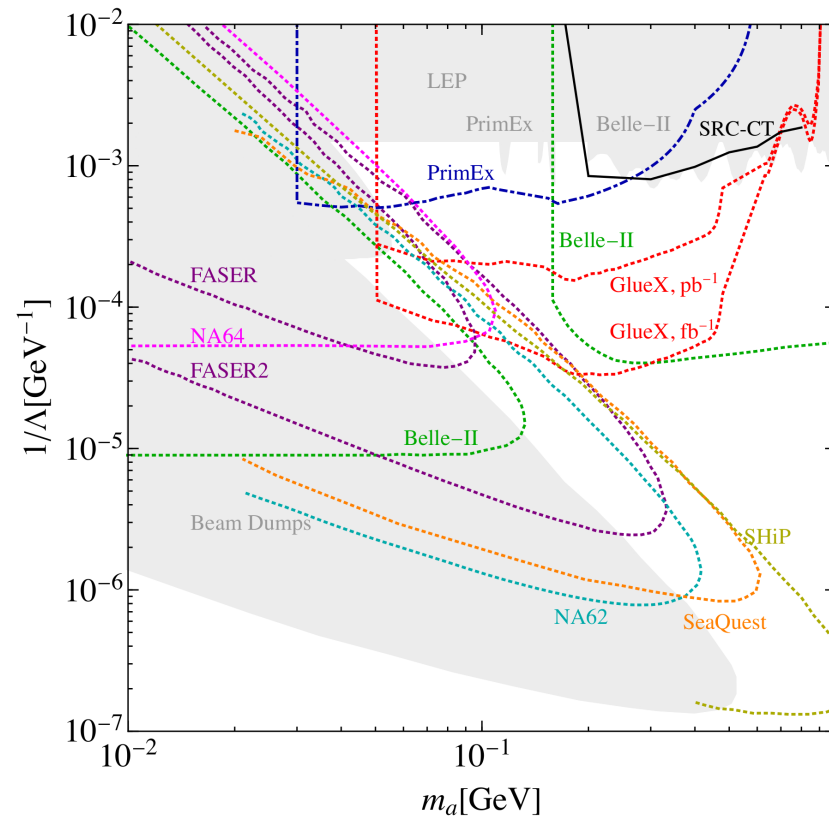
→ HERMES observed CT in ratio of ^{14}N to ^1H CSs for ρ^0 electroproduction
(Airapetian et al.)

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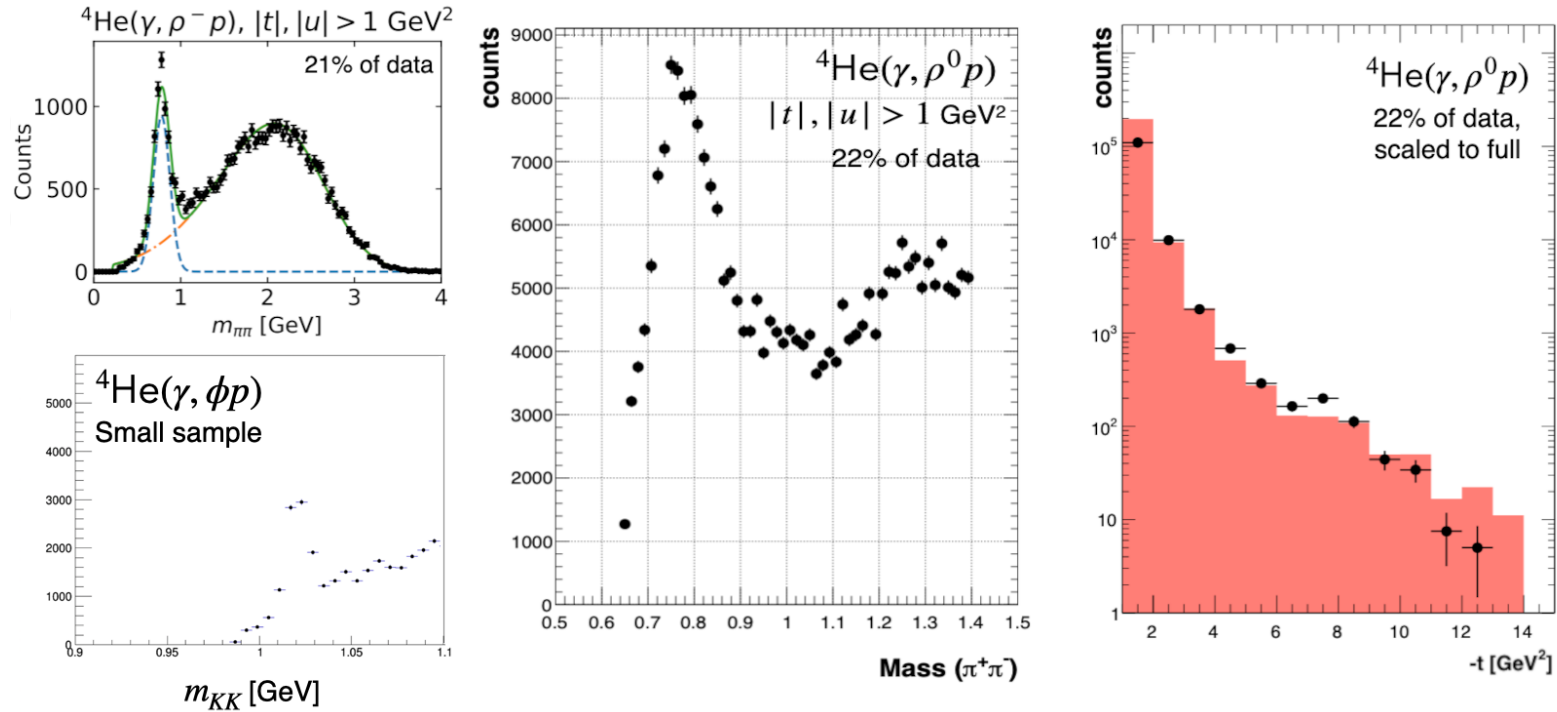
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- Neutron structure through $\gamma n \rightarrow \phi n$ (B. Yu - DU)
- Beam asymmetry in π^- photoproduction off a neutron (E. Logan - GW)

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- We have a list of possible analyses, but we are open to any new ideas

Photoproduction branching Ratio Modification		Observation of the Tensor Dominance of Nuclear SRCs using ρ^0 Photoproduction with a Real Photon Beam
Measuring the Gluon Structure of the Bound Proton with Incoherent Vector Meson Photoproduction from Light Nuclei	Measuring the Gluon Radius of Light Nuclei using Coherent Vector Meson Photoproduction with a Real Photon Beam	Measuring the Tensor-to-Scalar Transition in Nuclear SRC using ρ^0 and ρ^- Photoproduction
Measuring the Pion Cloud of the Bound Proton with Incoherent Pion Photoproduction from Light Nuclei		Measuring the Relative SRC Abundance in Light Nuclei using High-Momentum Scaling in ρ^0 Photoproduction
Measuring the Pion Cloud of the Bound neutron	Measurement of Sub-Threshold J/ψ Photoproduction from Light Nuclei	PrimEx-eta measurements using 3 decay different eta decay modes (2γ and 3π) with He and Carbon targets
	Measurement of J/ψ production on neutron from light nuclei	Coherent u-channel photoproduction
Axion-Like particle search in coherent di-photon production	Measurement of ϕ photoproduction on neutron from light nuclei	$d^*(2380)$ Dibaryon photoproduction in $\gamma d \rightarrow pn$ or $\gamma d \rightarrow$
A' search/ QED mesons, Anomalous soft photon	Beam spin asymmetries in $d(\gamma, \pi^0)$, $d(\gamma, \pi^0 p)n$, $d(\gamma, \pi^- p)p$	Test of dominance of handbag mech.
KTeV anomaly	K- mass modification in medium	Observation of Constituent Scaling in Deuteron Photodisintegration to $E_\gamma=8$ GeV
		Hidden color searches in the ratio $\gamma d \rightarrow \Delta^{++} \Delta^-$ to $\gamma d \rightarrow p n$
Measurement of Color Transparency in Light Nuclei with π^- Photoproduction Using a Real Photon Beam	Measurement of Color Transparency in Light Nuclei with ϕ^0 Photoproduction Using a Real Photon Beam	Hidden color searches in the ratio $\gamma d \rightarrow J/\psi p n$ to $\gamma d \rightarrow p n$

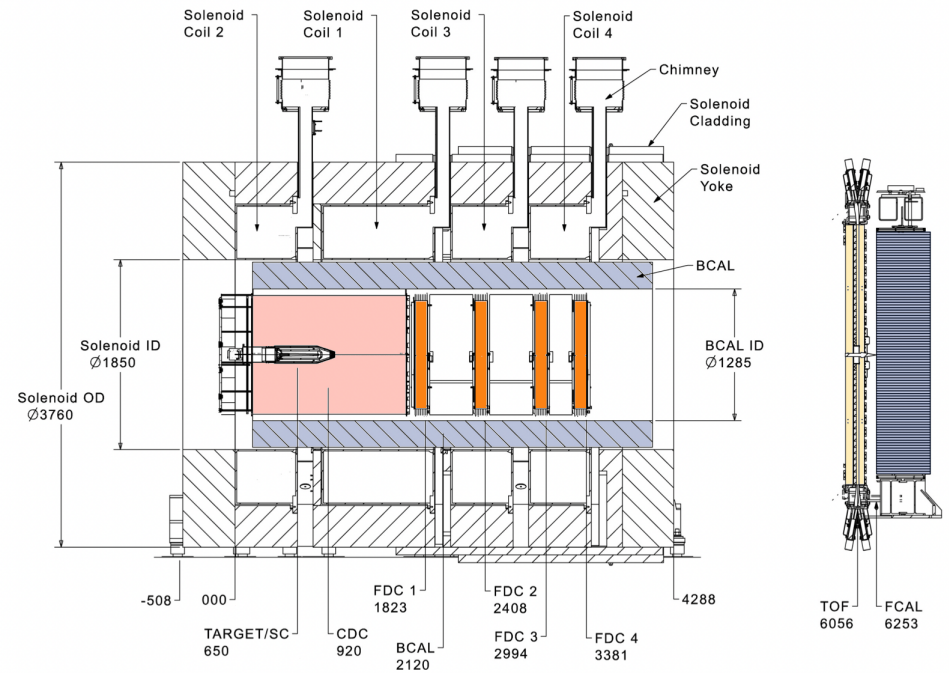
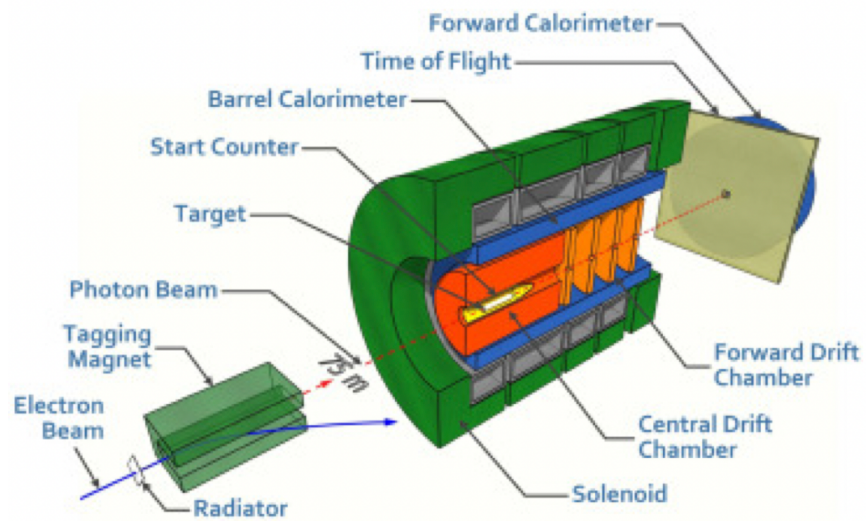
Experiment Report



	D	^4He	^{12}C
Days	4	10	14
Int. Lumi. ($E_\gamma > 7 \text{ GeV}$) [pb^{-1}]	17.1	16.1	6.9

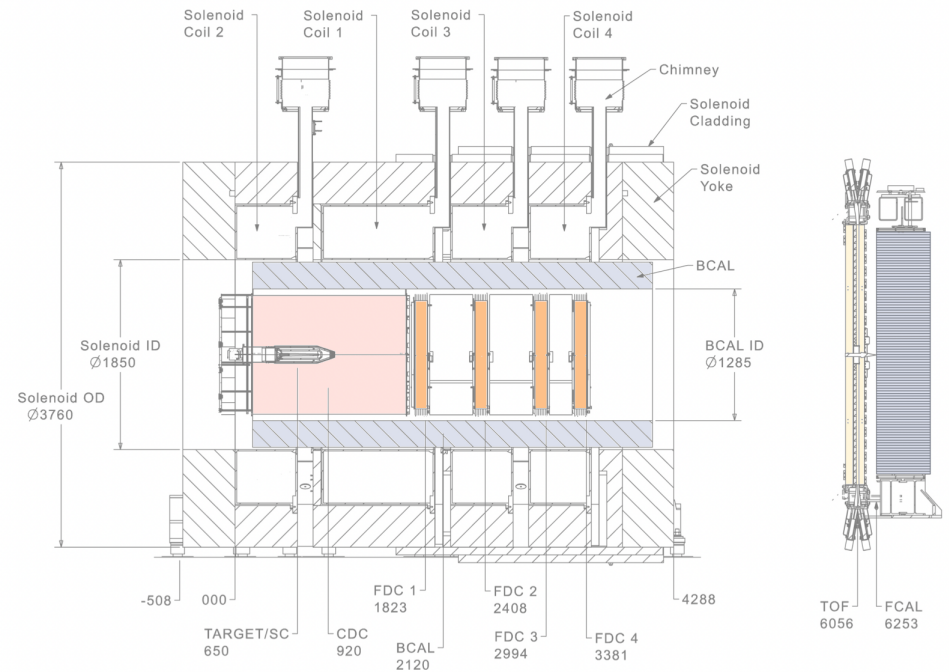
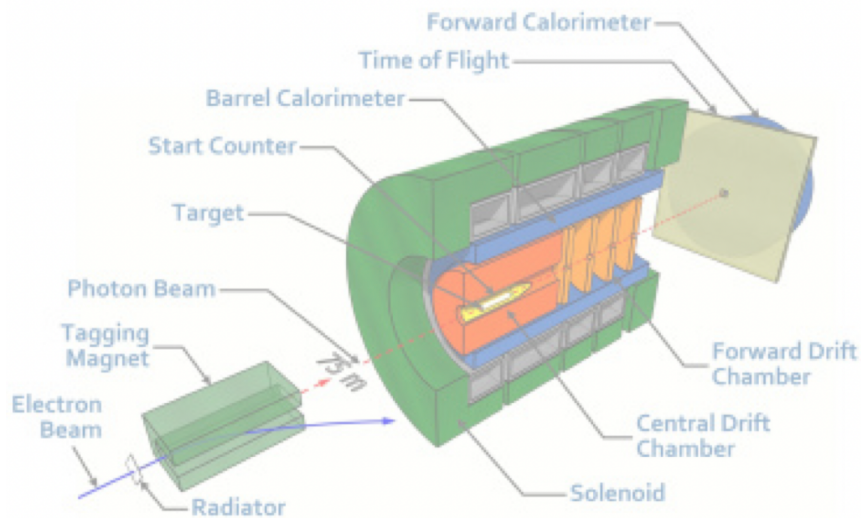
◦ Expected to start ~ 2 -month data cook in Aug

The GlueX Detector



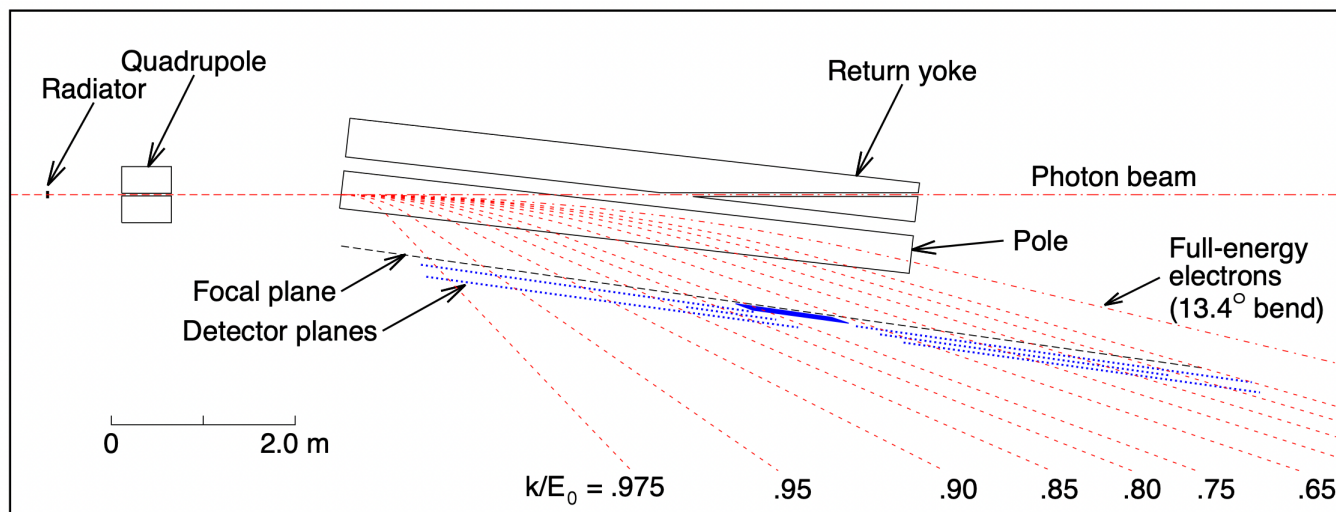
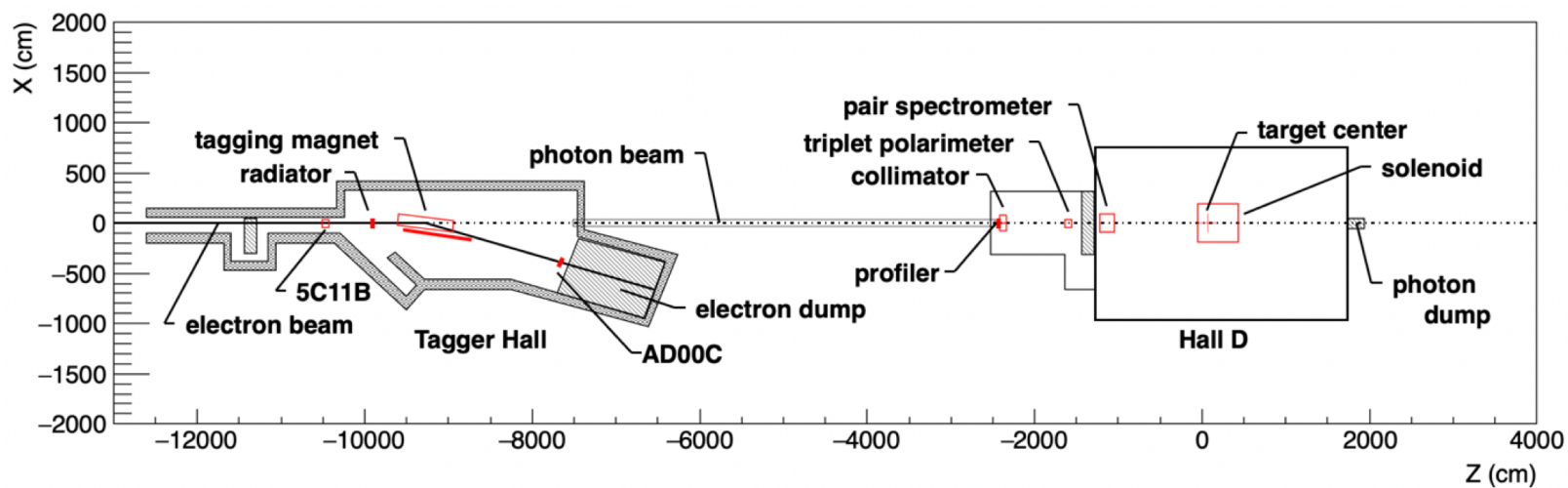
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- $\sim 4\pi$ coverage
- high trigger rate - 40 kHz
(roughly $2.5 \cdot 10^7 \gamma/s$ in coherent peak)
- Good photon detection efficiency and energy reconstruction

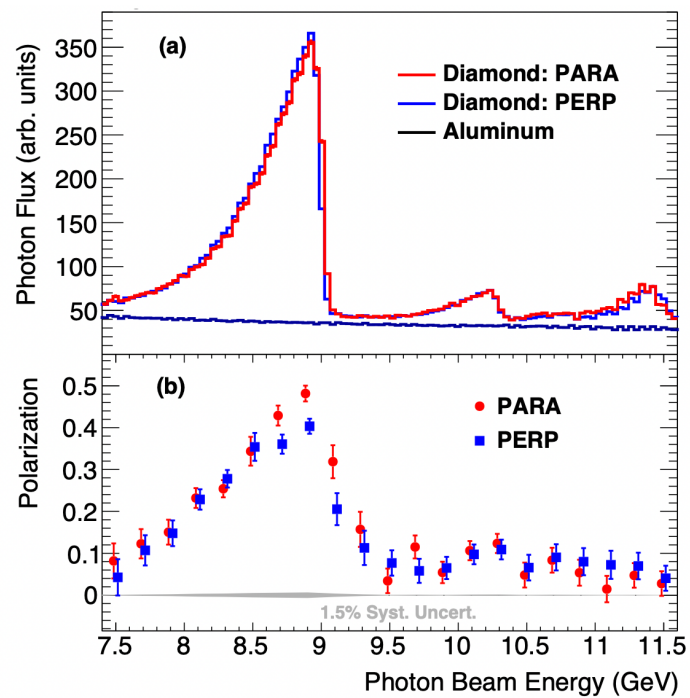


- Poor momentum resolution
(better transverse than longitudinal)
- Poor charged particle ID compared with CLAS

GlueX - Beam

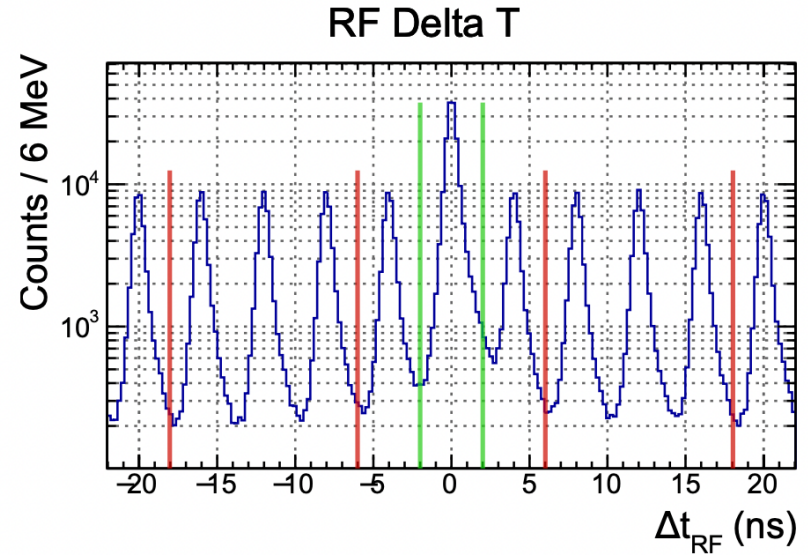
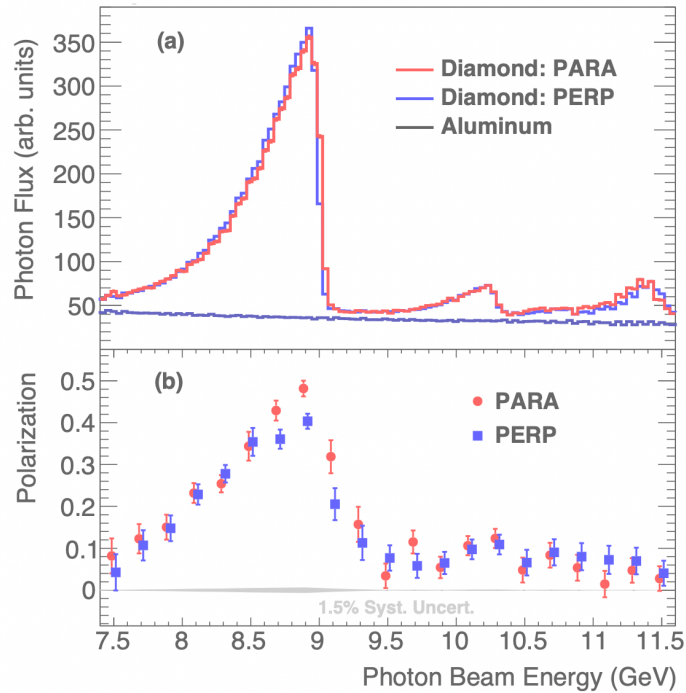


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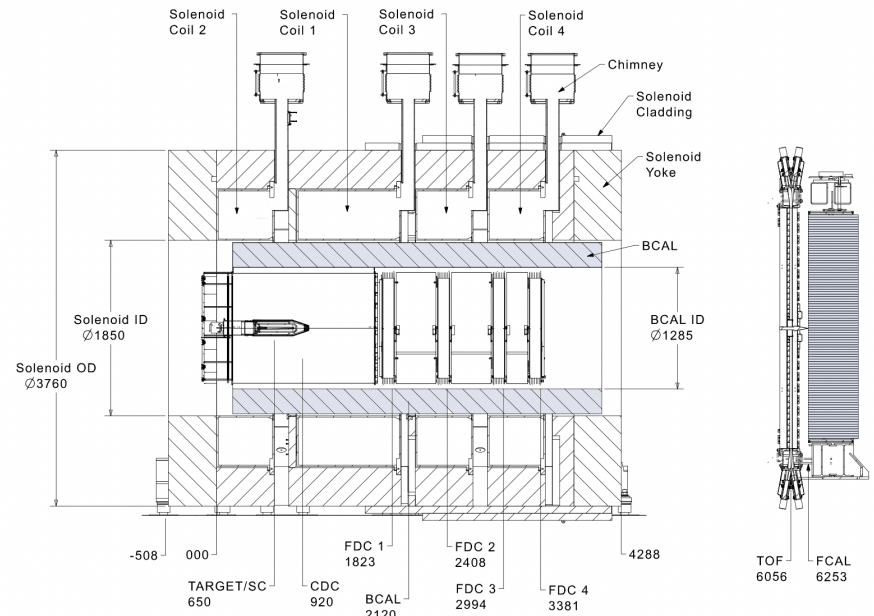
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- Tagger pileup → need for accidentals subtraction

GlueX - Trigger & Timing

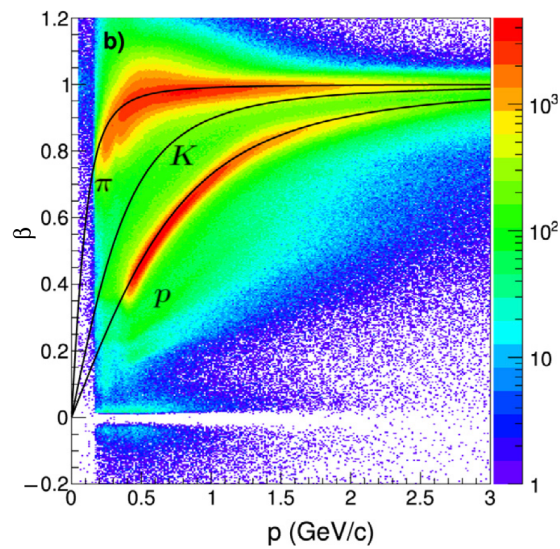
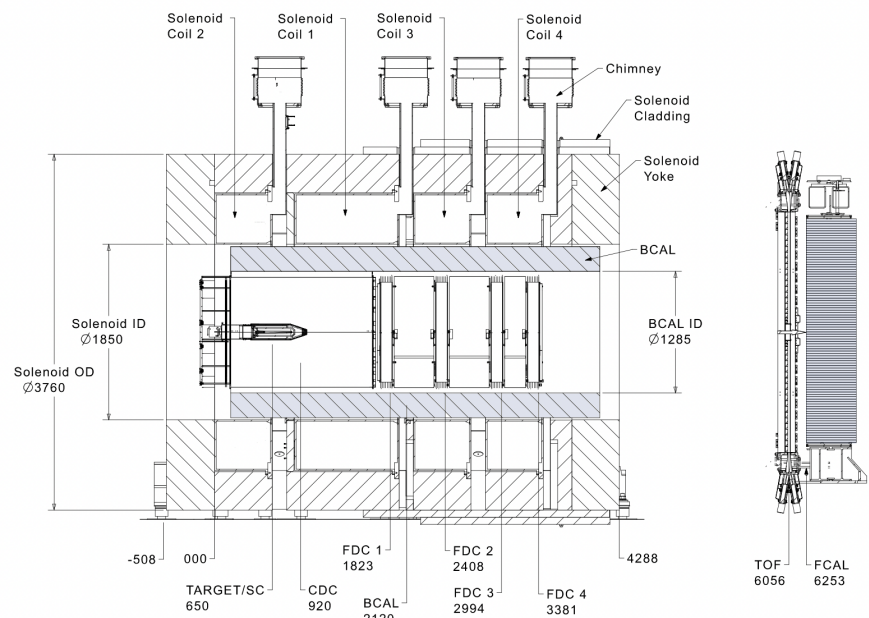
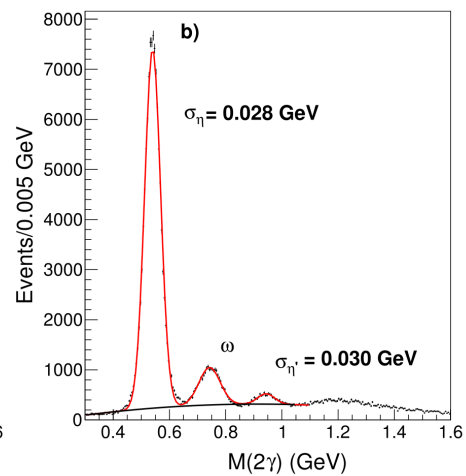
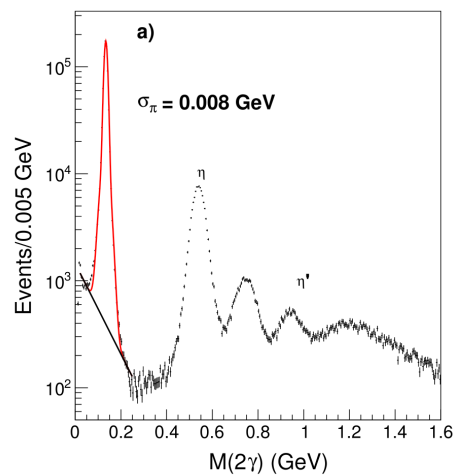


- Trigger based on energy depositions in the BCAL and FCAL

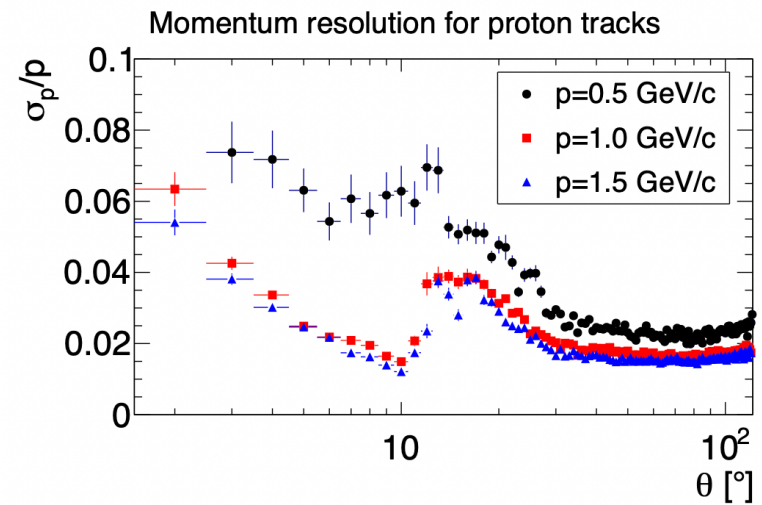
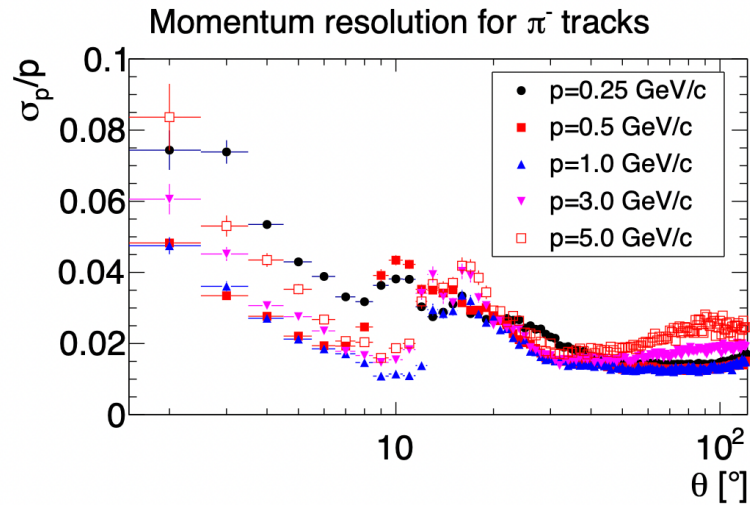
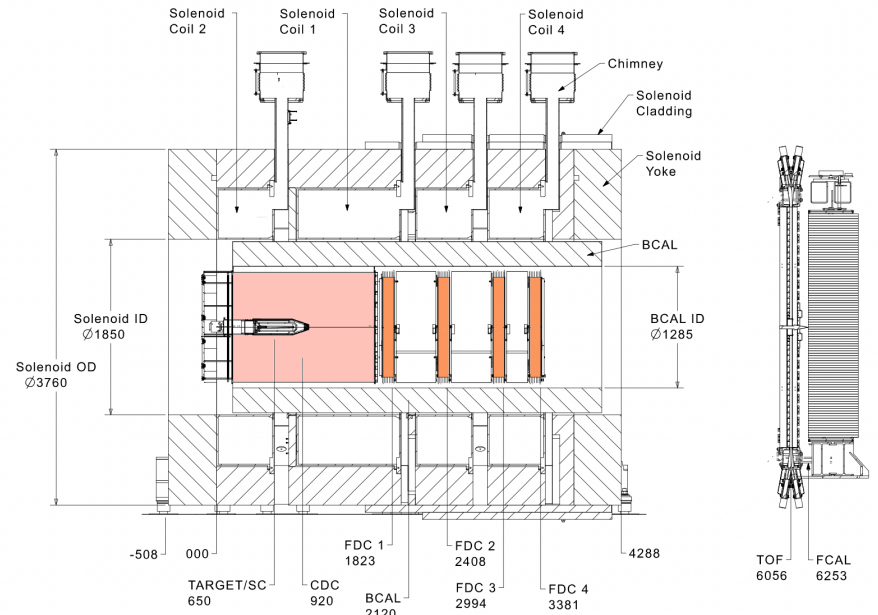
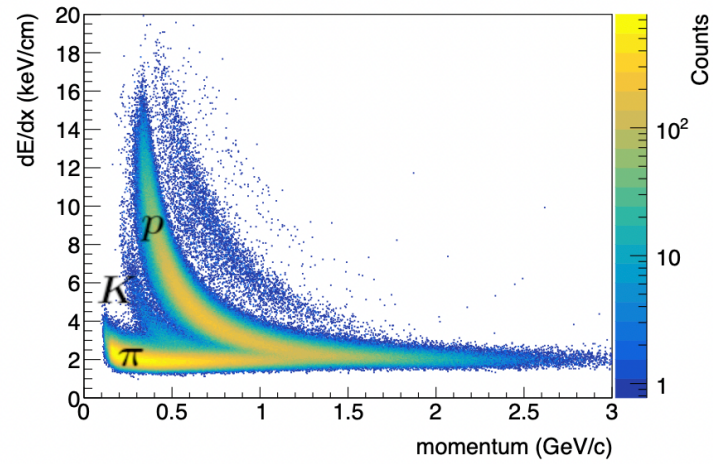
- $2 \times E_{\text{FCAL}} + E_{\text{BCAL}} > 1 \text{ GeV}$, $E_{\text{FCAL}} > 0 \text{ GeV}$, or
(most events produce forward-going energy)
- $E_{\text{BCAL}} > 1.2 \text{ GeV}$
(events with large transverse energy e.g. J/Ψ decay)

- Can be augmented with use of scintillator detectors (PS, taggers, ST, TOF, or TAC)

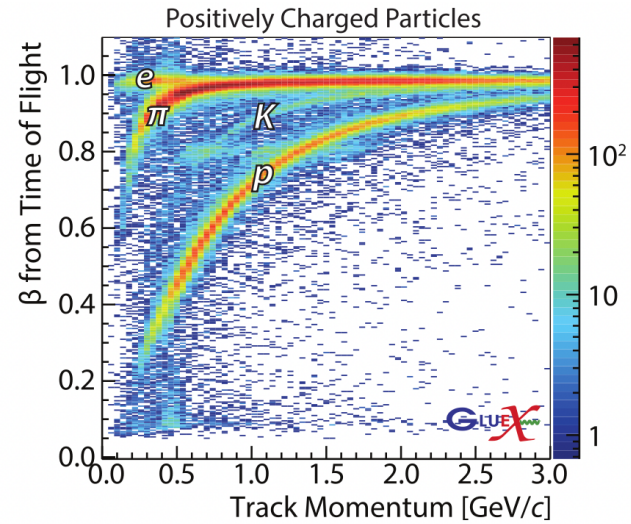
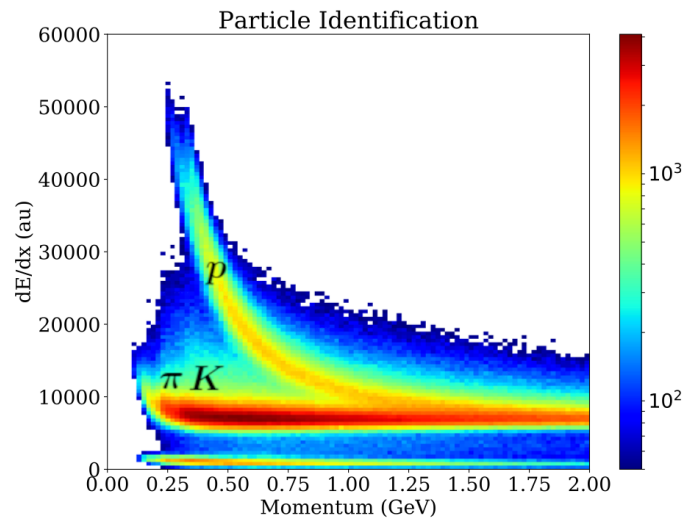
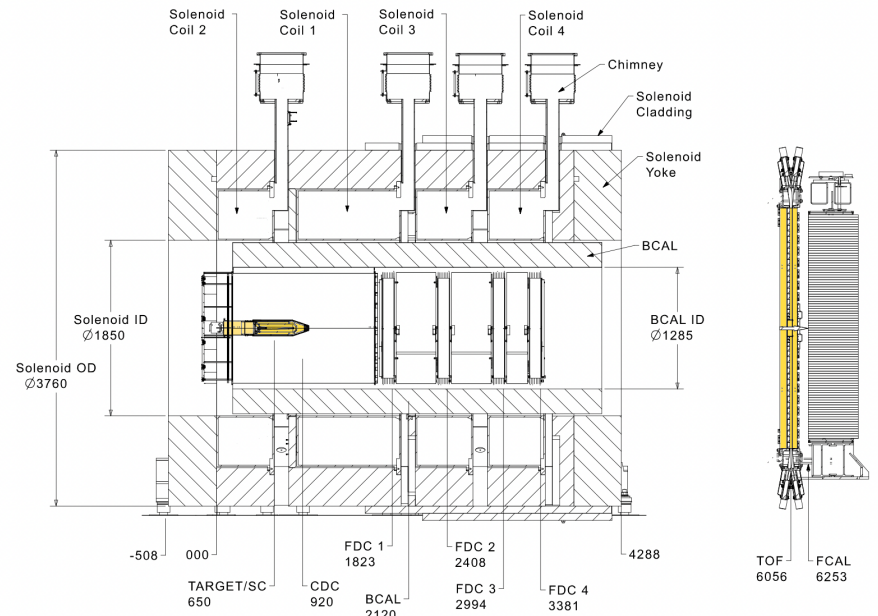
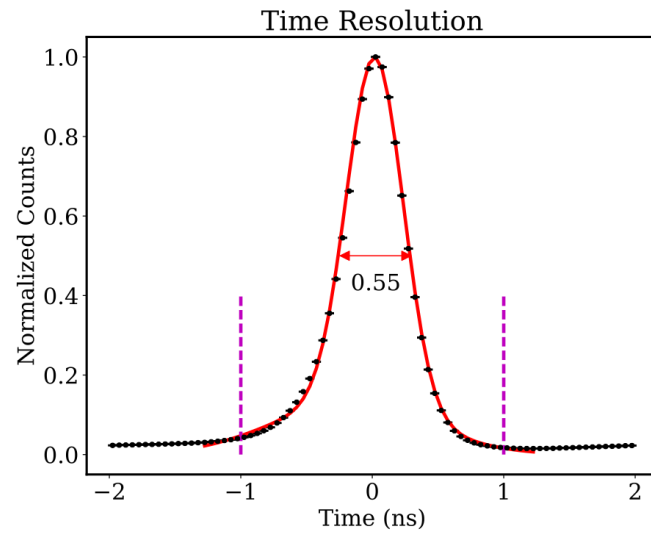
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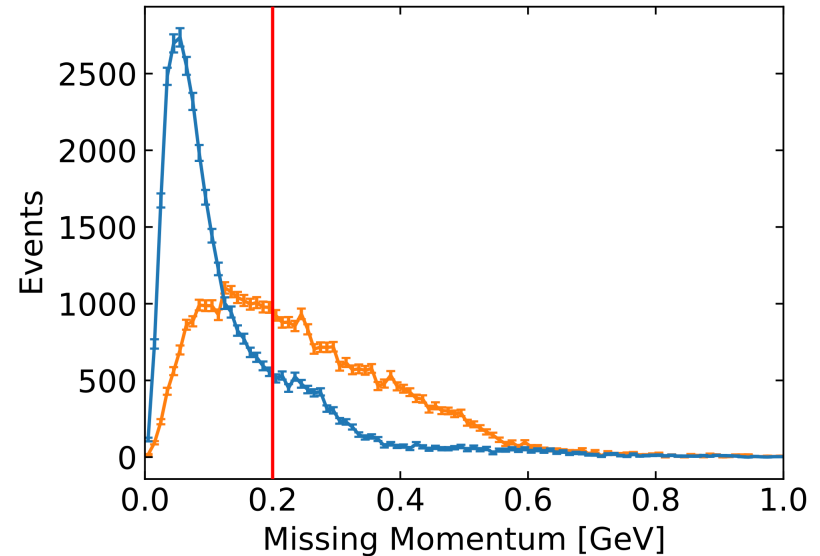
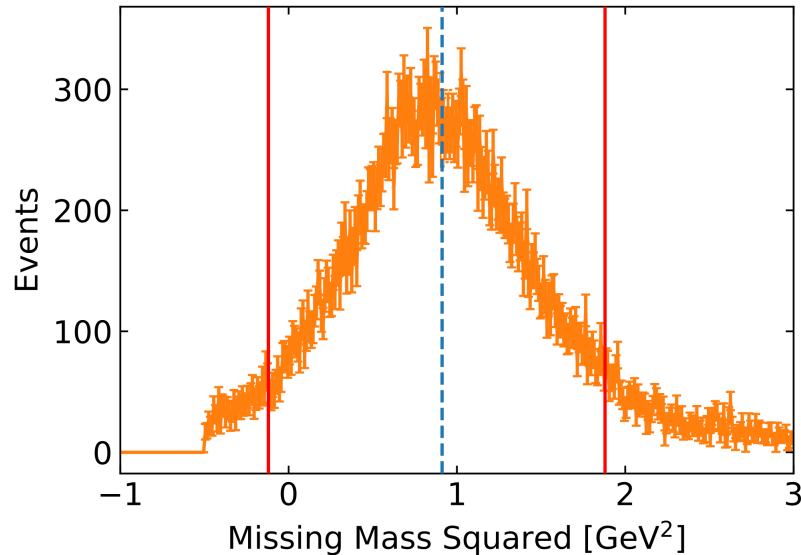


GlueX - ST & TOF



GlueX - Kinematic Fitting

- KinFit uses constraints based on the assumed reaction
- helps tackle bad momentum resolution of GlueX
- works best for ^1H , better for D than higher A
- e.g. $\gamma + D \rightarrow \rho^- + p + (p)$



Thank you!

