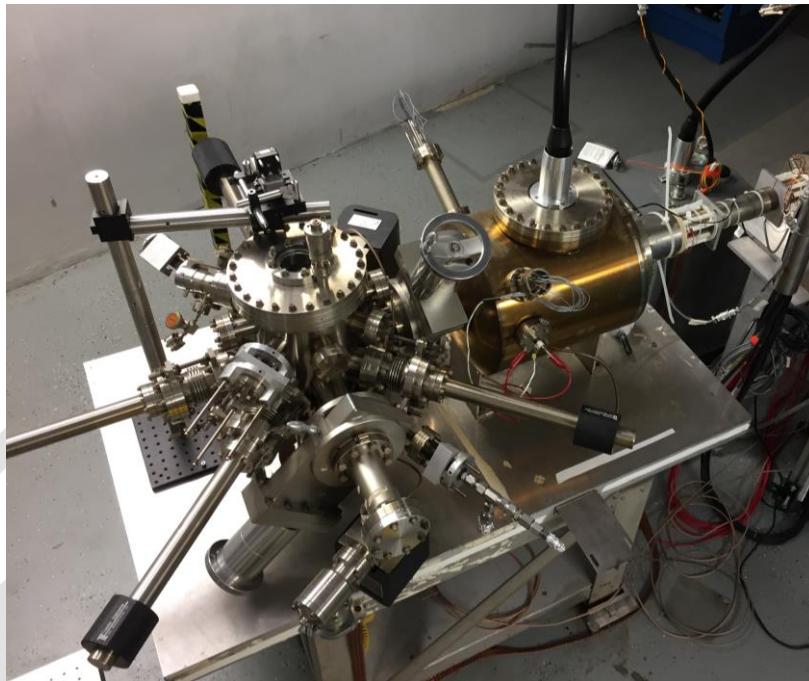


# Polarized Electrons for Polarized Positron Beams

CEBAF Polarized Electron Source

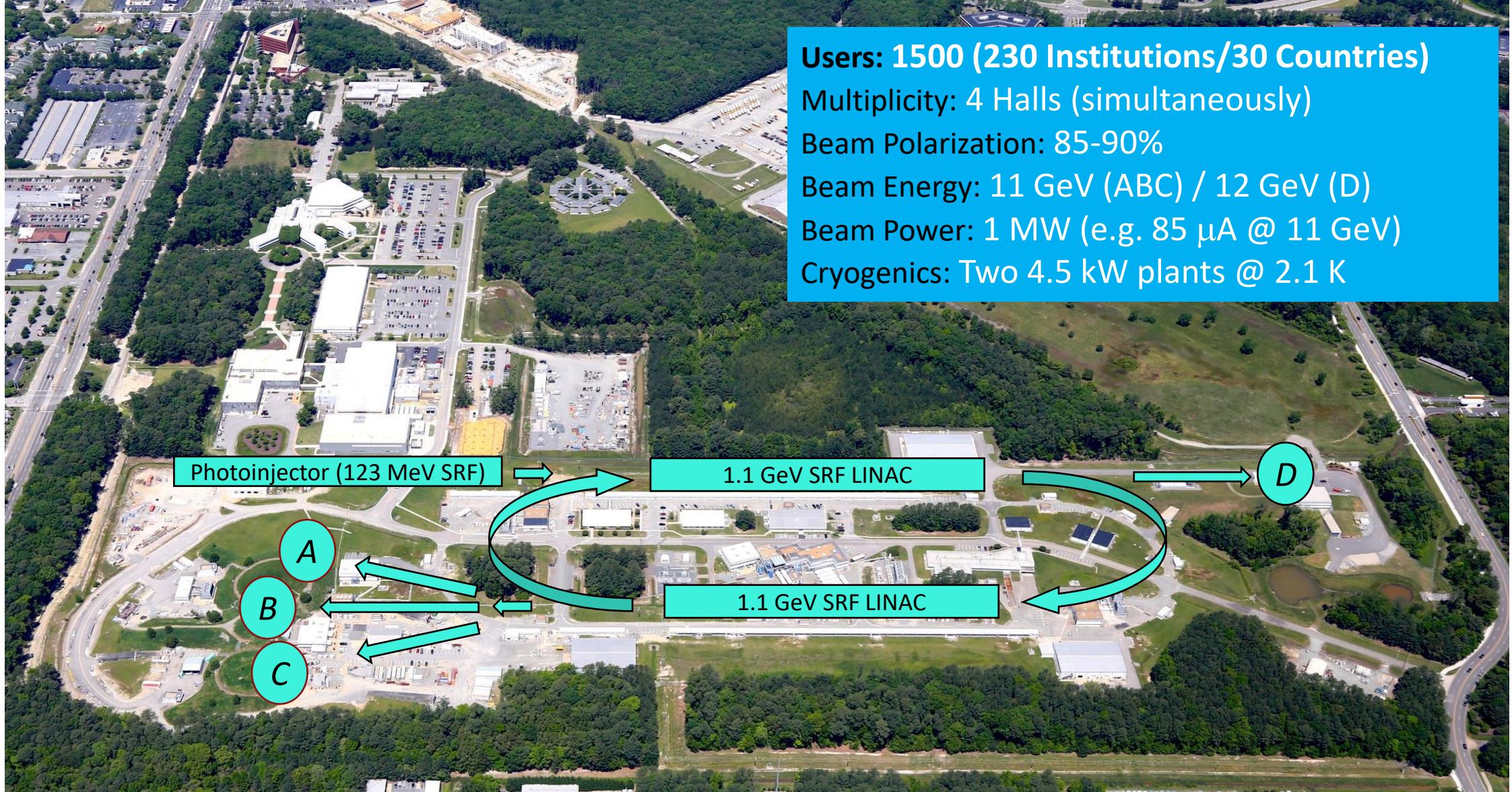


- **Polarized Electrons for Polarized Positrons (PEPPo)**
- Positron beam R&D @ JLab
- Example for a 3 GeV e- linac

Joseph Grames, Jefferson Laboratory  
on behalf of the Ce<sup>+</sup>BAF Working Group

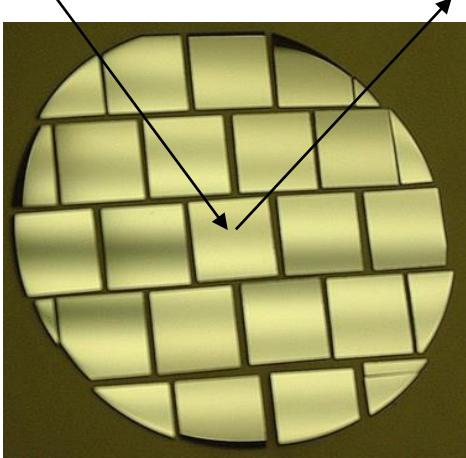
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# Jefferson Lab in Newport News, Va : CEBAF @ 12 GeV



# Spin polarized photoemission from GaAs

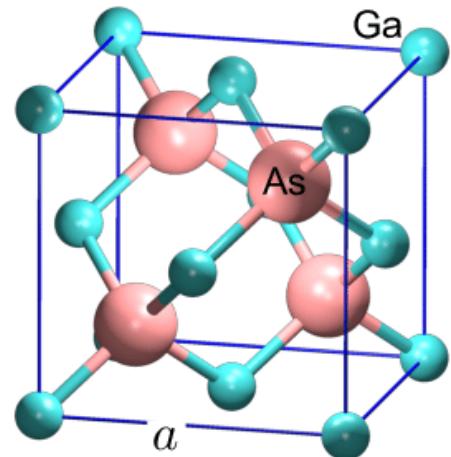
# Photons IN      # Electrons Out



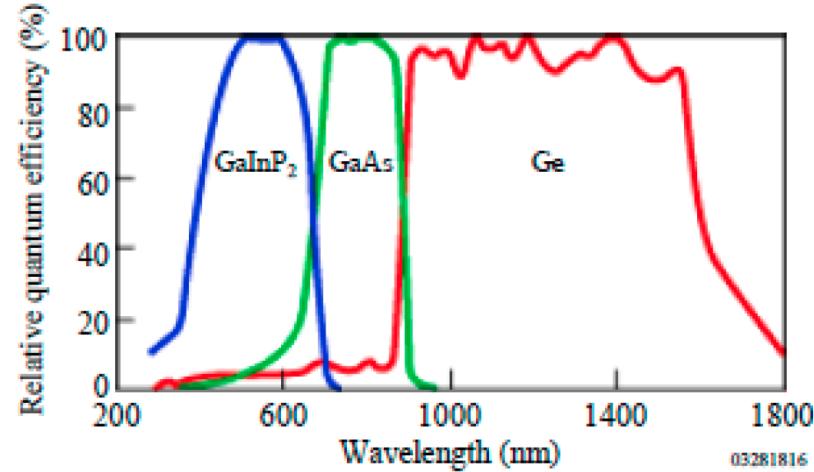
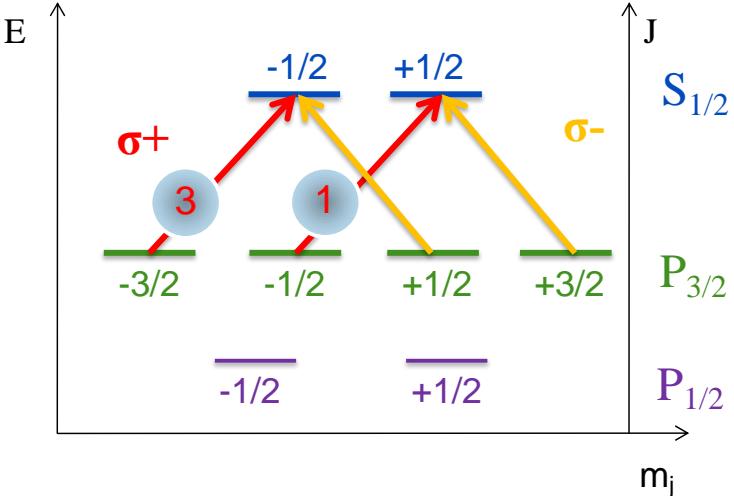
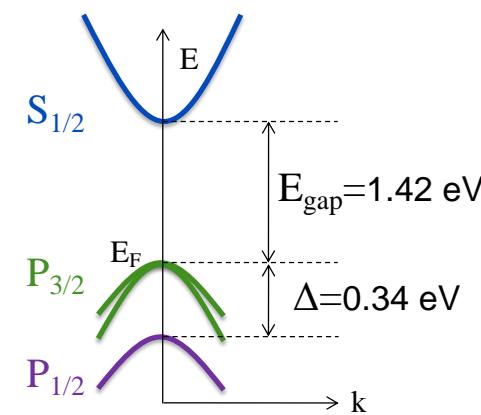
GaAs

$$QE = \frac{hc}{e} \frac{I}{\lambda P}$$

$$QE(\%) = \frac{124 * I(\text{mA})}{\lambda (\text{nm}) P(W)}$$

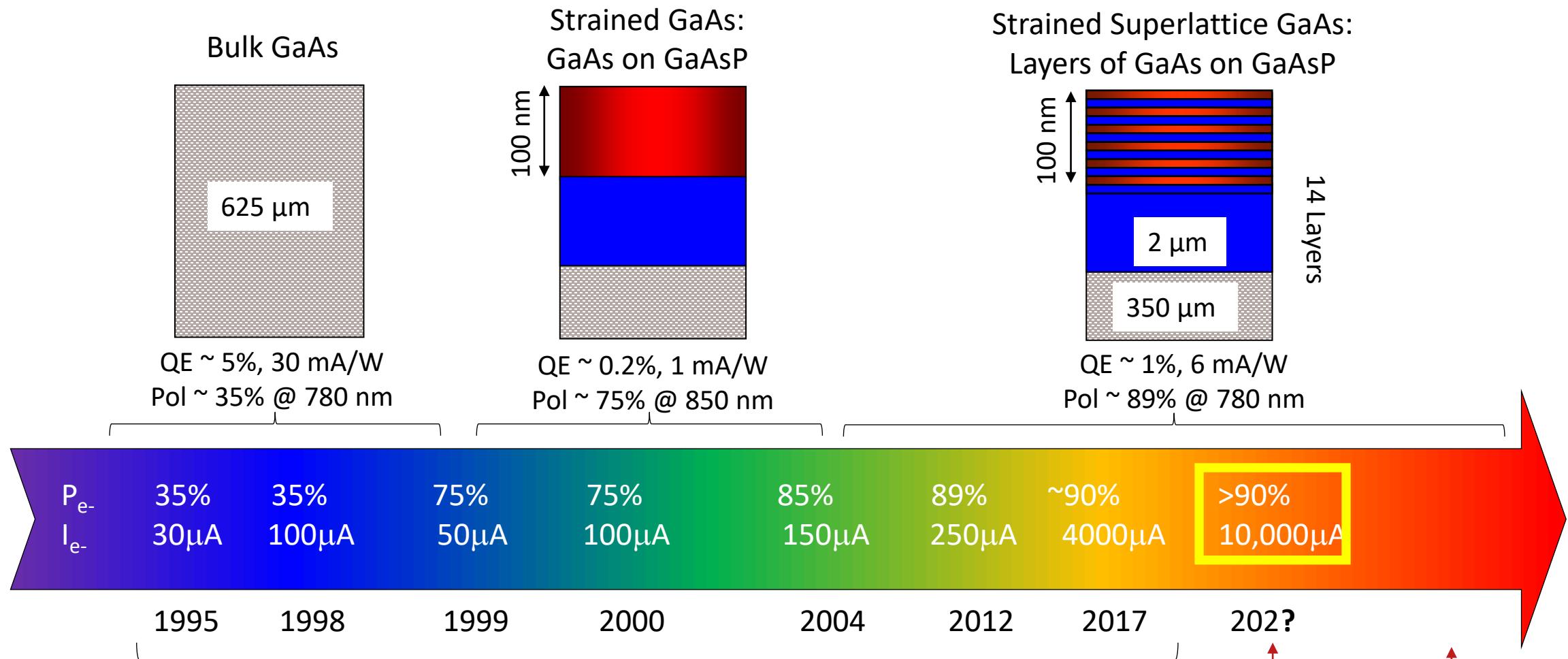


Zinc-blende bcc



Al-Naser, Qusay & Hilou, Hassan & Abdulkader, Abbas. (2009). The last development in III-V multi-junction solar cells. 1. 10.1109/CCCM.2009.5268104.

# Enabling Technology : CEBAF Polarized Electron Sources based on GaAs



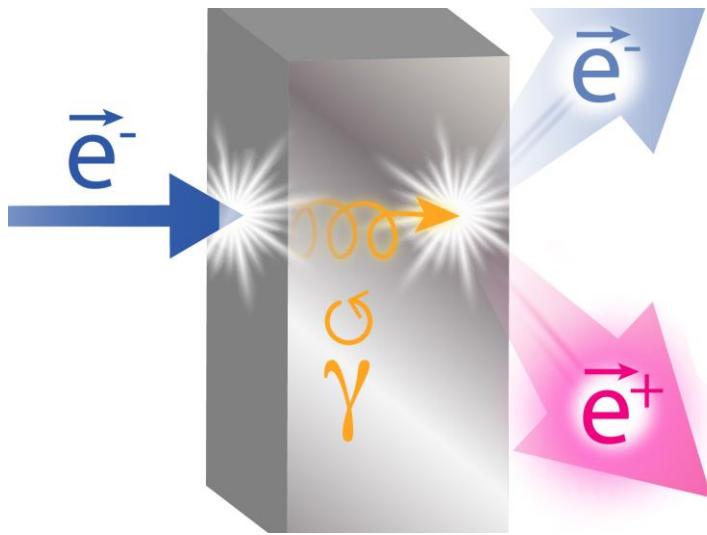
**Figure-of-Merit ( $P^2I$ ) has improved by a factor of ~40  
over the span of the CEBAF lifetime**

# Intensity and Polarization requirements for positrons at CEBAF

Parameter	CEBAF 12 GeV Electron Beam	Proposed 12 GeV Positron Beam
Experiment Intensity	10 nA - 170 $\mu$ A	> 50 nA (pol) > 1 $\mu$ A (unpol)
Duty Factor	100% (cw)	same
Bunch Frequency	249.5/499 MHz	same
Spin Polarization	>85%	>60%
Rapid Spin Reversal	30 – 2000 Hz (Pockels cell)	same

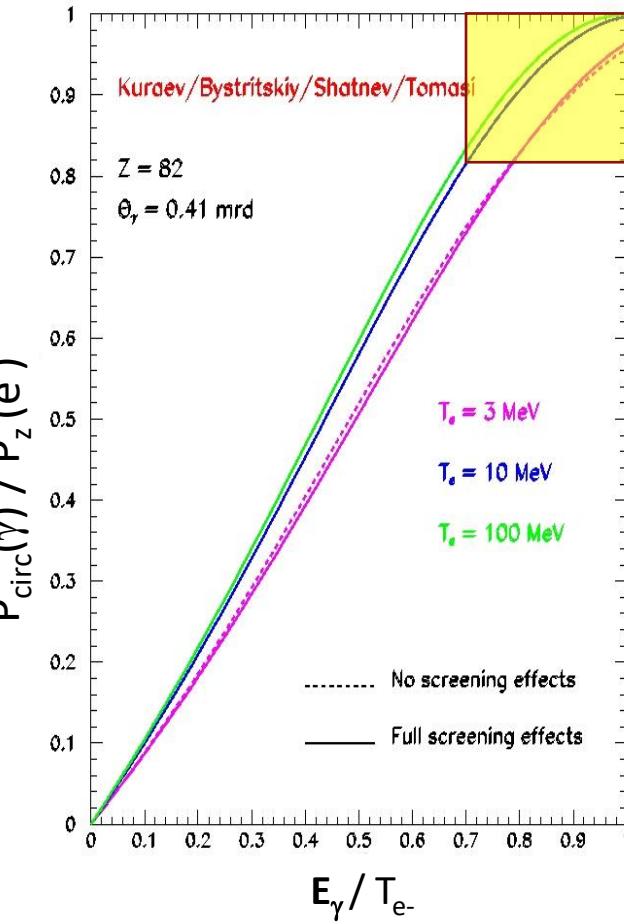
# New Method : Exploit Electron Beam Spin Polarization

$$\vec{e^-} \rightarrow \gamma \rightarrow \vec{e^+} (+ \vec{e^-})$$

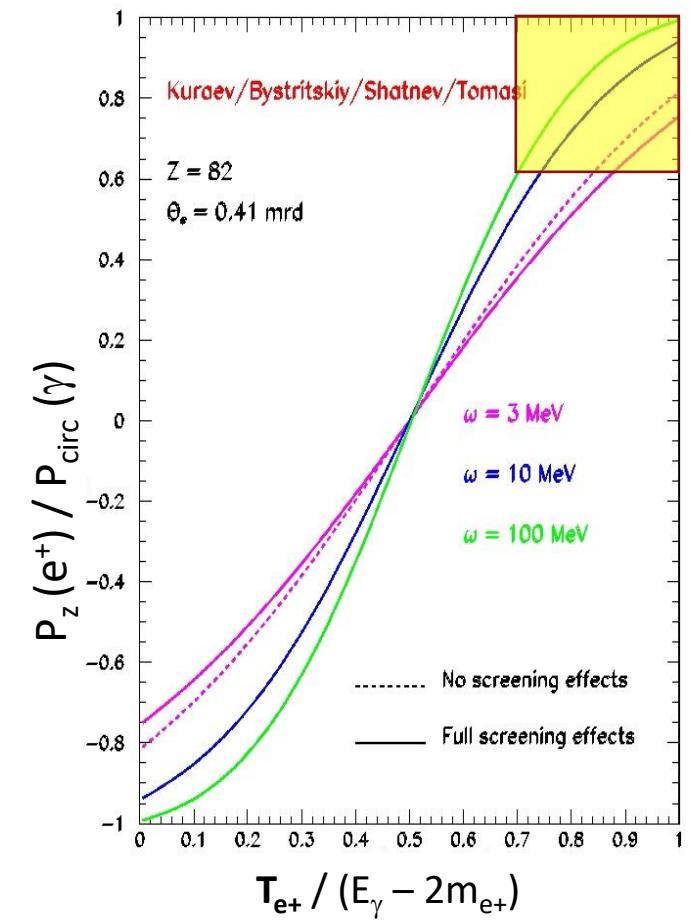


When a longitudinally polarized  $e^-$  beam strikes matter,  $e^+$  produced in the shower carrying >50% of the  $e^-$  beam energy are significantly longitudinally spin polarized...

Polarized Bremsstrahlung



Polarized Pair Creation

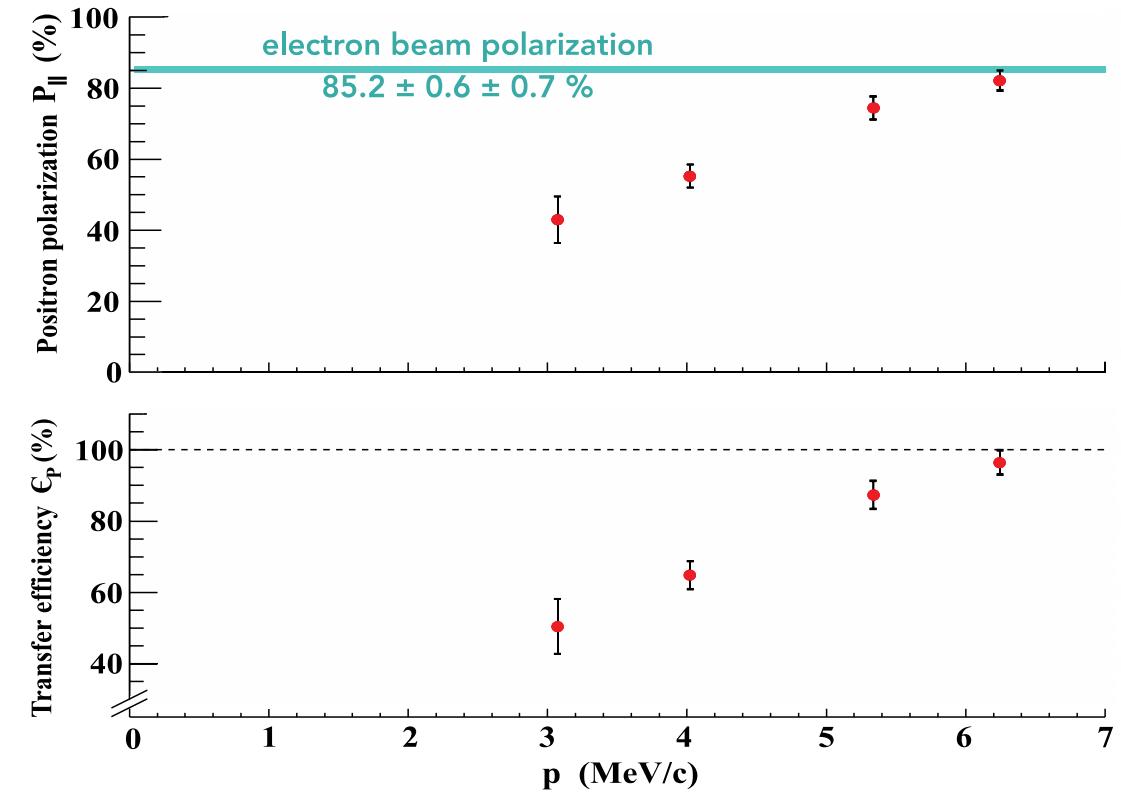
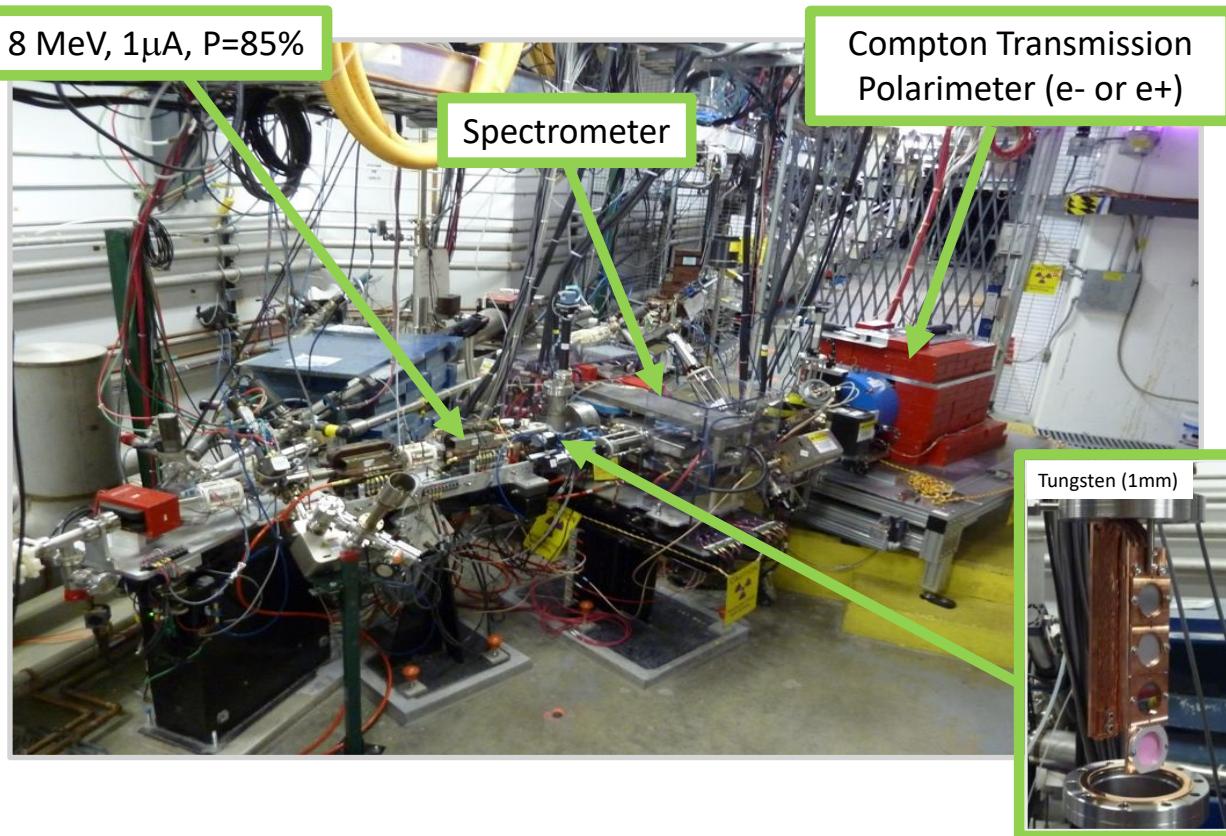


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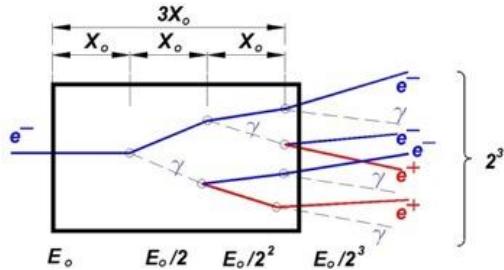
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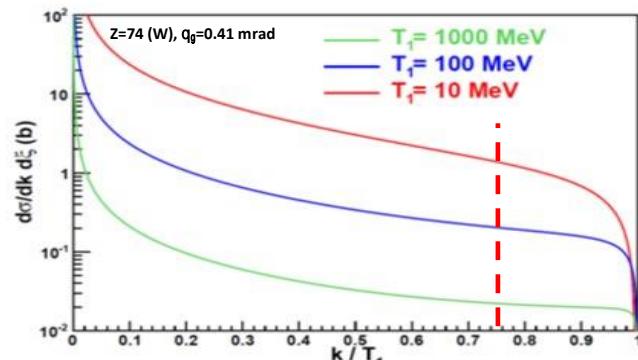
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# PEPPo : Polarization and Intensity Trade Off

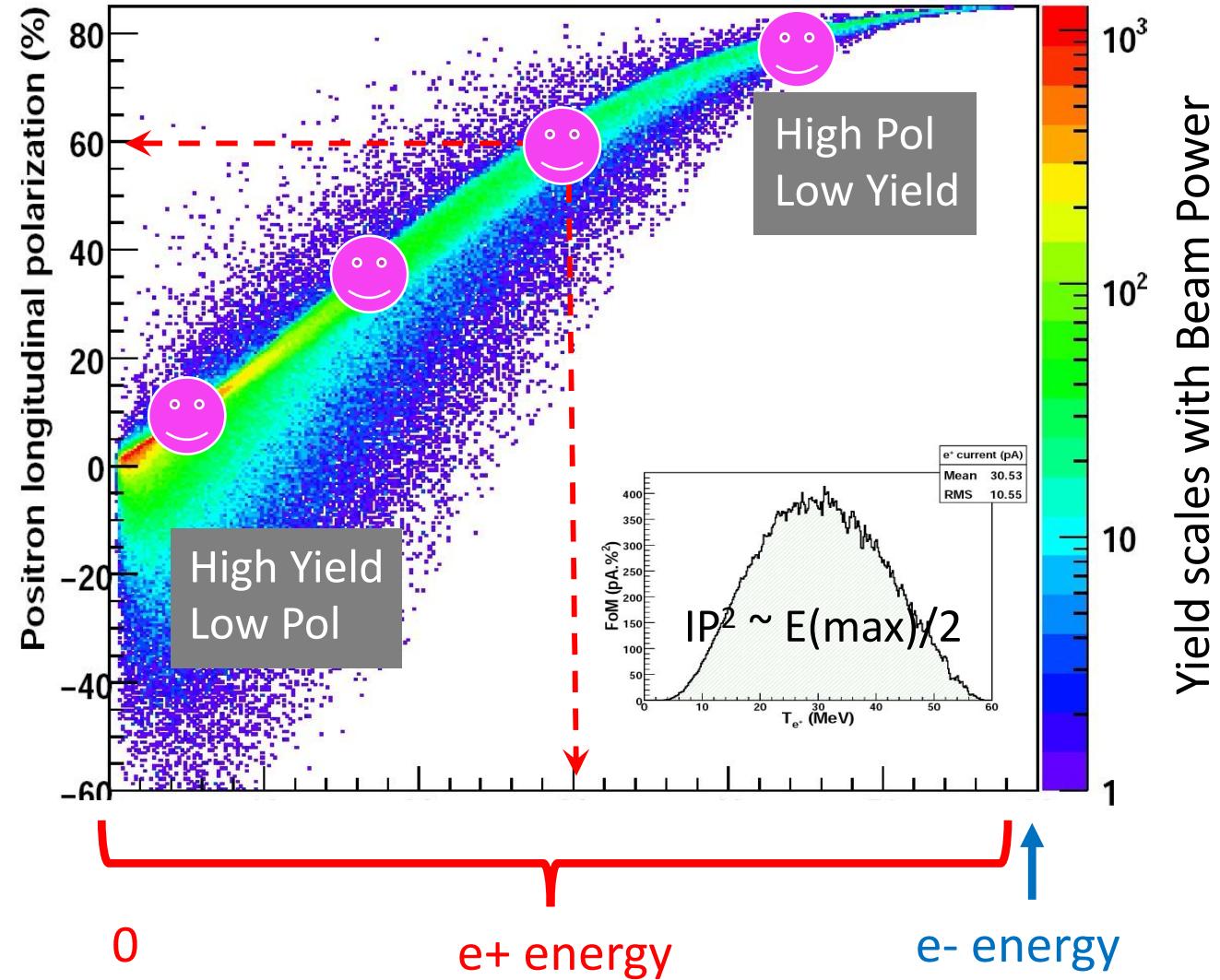
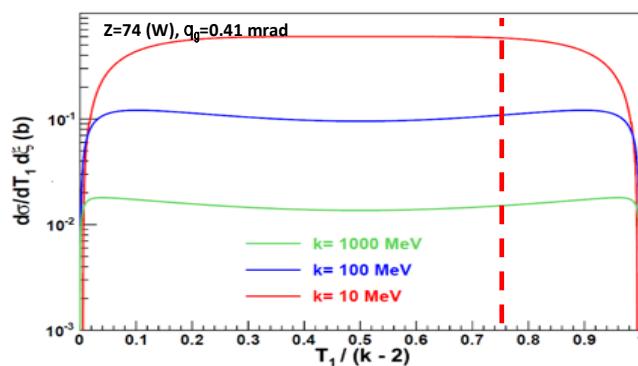
A realistic PEPPo source requires a convolution of repeated bremsstrahlung and pair-creation in a finite length target.



## Bremsstrahlung



## Pair Creation



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Experiment Label (EPJ A)	Short Name	Hall	Measurement Configuration Detector	Target	Polarity	Beam Parameters $p$ (GeV/c)	$P$ (%)	$I$ ( $\mu$ A)	Time (d)
<i>Two Photon Exchange Physics</i>									
57:144	$H(e, e'p)$	B	CLAS12 <sup>+</sup>	$H_2$	$+/-_s$	2.2/3.3/4.4/6.6	0	0.060	53
57:188	$H(\bar{e}, e'\bar{p})$	A	ECAL/SBS	$H_2$	$+/-_p$	2.2/4.4	60	0.200	121
57:199	$r_p$	B	PRad-II	$H_2$	+	0.7/1.4/2.1	0	0.070	40
	$r_d$			$D_2$		1.1/2.2		0.010	39
57:213	$\bar{H}(e, e'p)$	A	BB/SBS	$N\bar{H}_3$	$+/-_s$	2.2/4.4/6.6	0	0.100	20
57:290	$H(e, e'p)$	A	HRS/BB/SBS	$H_2$	$+/-_s$	2.2/4.4	0	1.000	14
57:319	SupRos	A	HRS	$H_2$	$+/-_p$	0.6–11.0	0	2.000	35
58:36	$A(e, e')A$	A	HRS	He	$+/-_p$	2.2	0	1.000	38
<i>Nuclear Structure Physics</i>									
57:186	p-DVCS	B	CLAS12	$H_2$	$+/-_s$	2.2/10.6	60	0.045	100
57:226	n-DVCS	B	CLAS12	$D_2$	$+/-_s$	11.0	60	0.060	80
57:240	p-DDVCS	A	SoLID $^\mu$	$H_2$	$+/-_s$	11.0	(30)	3.000	100
57:273	He-DVCS	B	CLAS12/ALERT	$^4He$	$+/-_s$	11.0	60		
57:300	p-DVCS	C	SHMS/NPS	$H_2$	+	6.6/8.8/11.0	0	5.000	77
57:311	DIS	A/C	HRS/HMS/SHMS		$+/-_s$	11.0			
57:316	VCS	C	HMS/SHMS	$H_2$	$+/-_s$		60		
<i>Beyond the Standard Model Physics</i>									
57:173	$C_{3q}$	A	SoLID	$D_2$	$+/-_s$	6.6/11.0	(30)	3.000	104
57:253	LDM	B	PADME ECAL/HCAL	$C$ $PbW_04$	+	11.0	0	0.100	180
57:315	CLFV	A	SoLID $^\mu$	$H_2$	+	11.0			120
<b>Total (d)</b>							<b>1121</b>		

CLAS12<sup>+</sup> ≡ CLAS12 implemented with an Electromagnetic Calorimeter in the Central Detector

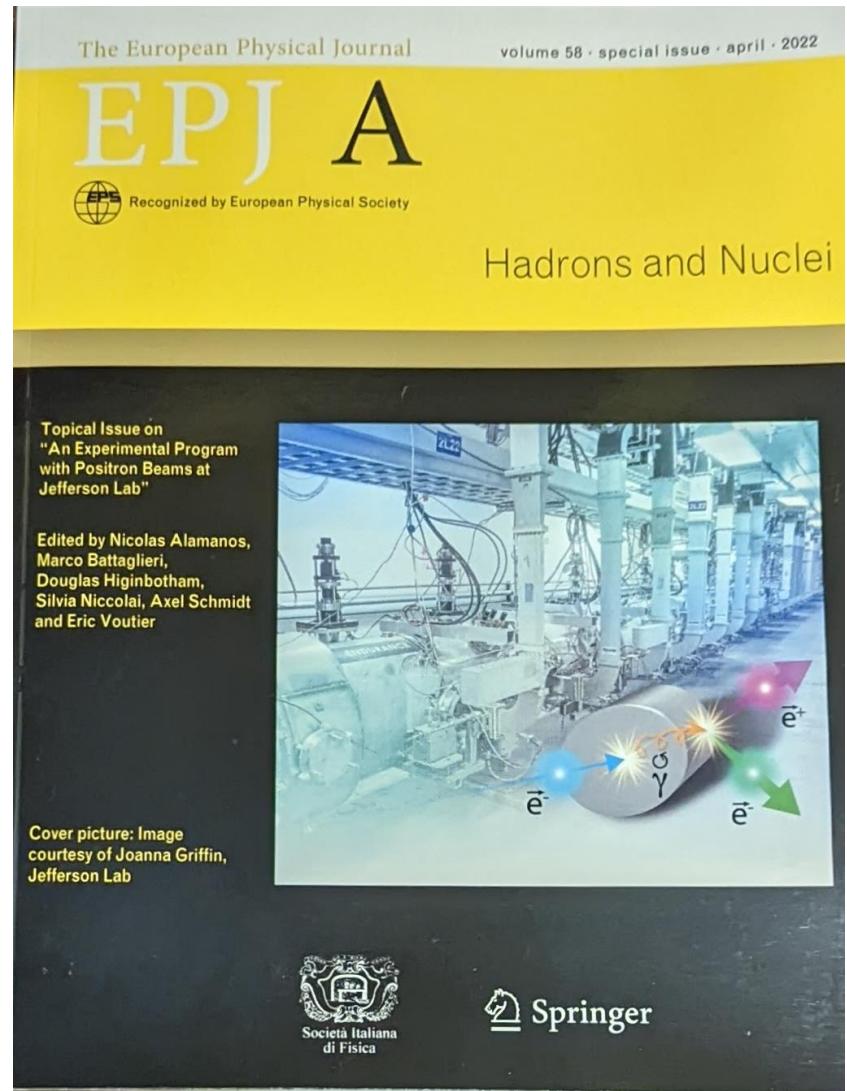
SoLID $^\mu$  ≡ SoLID complemented with a muon detector

+ Secondary positron beam

$-_s$  Secondary electron beam

$-_p$  Primary electron beam

(30) Do not require polarization but would take advantage if available at the required beam intensity



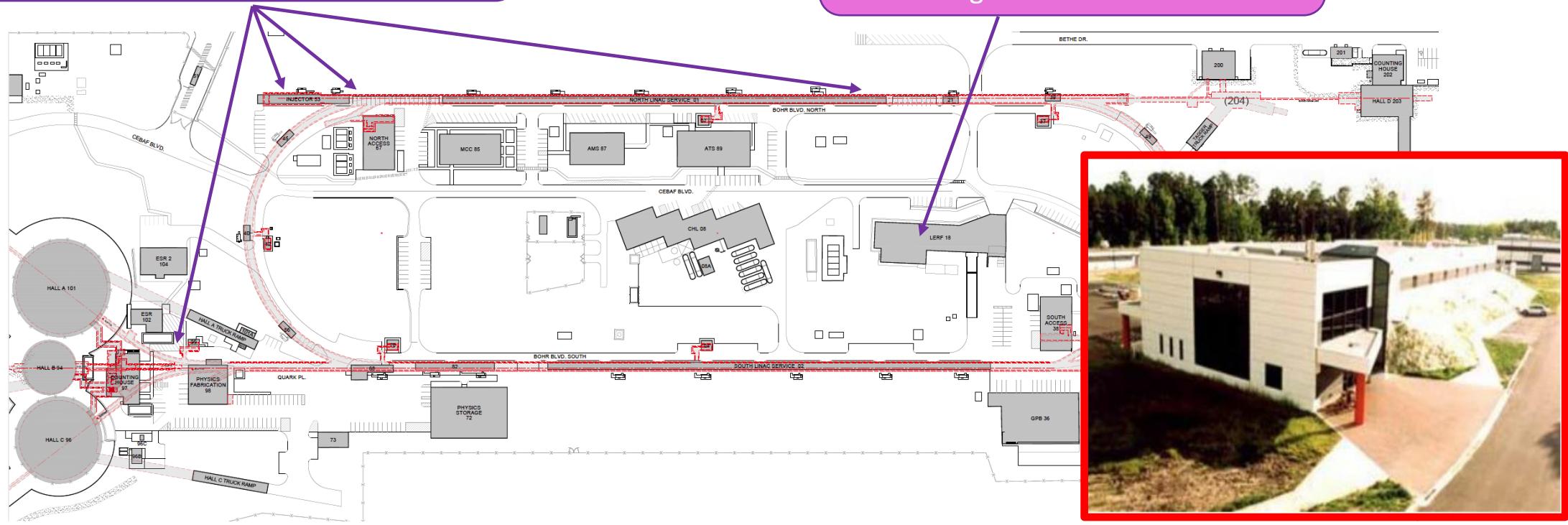
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# Options are good, but too many can be overwhelming...

*During the pandemic a Lab Directed R&D project was funded to evaluate the  $e^+$  concept*

We explored  $e^+$  production at 10, 100, 1000, 10000 MeV supported by a LDRD...

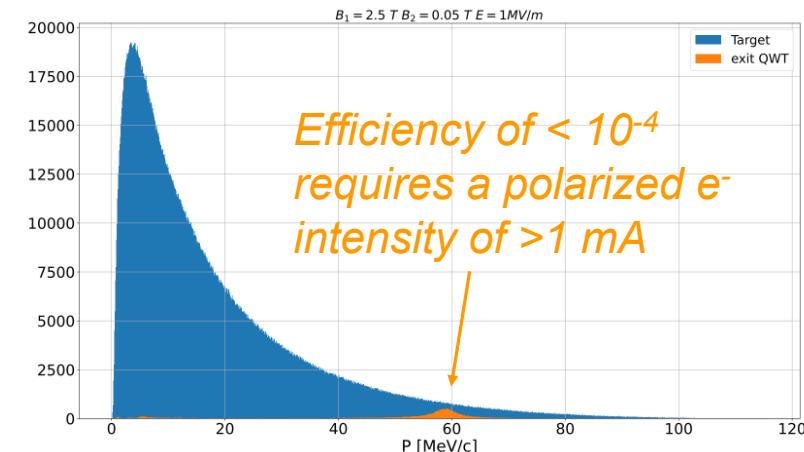
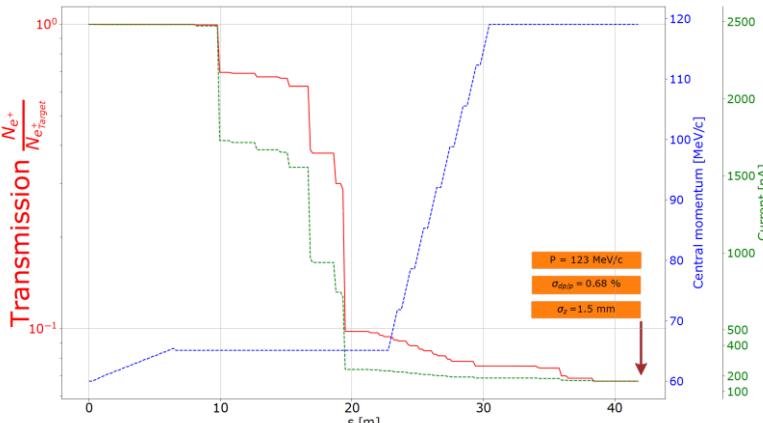
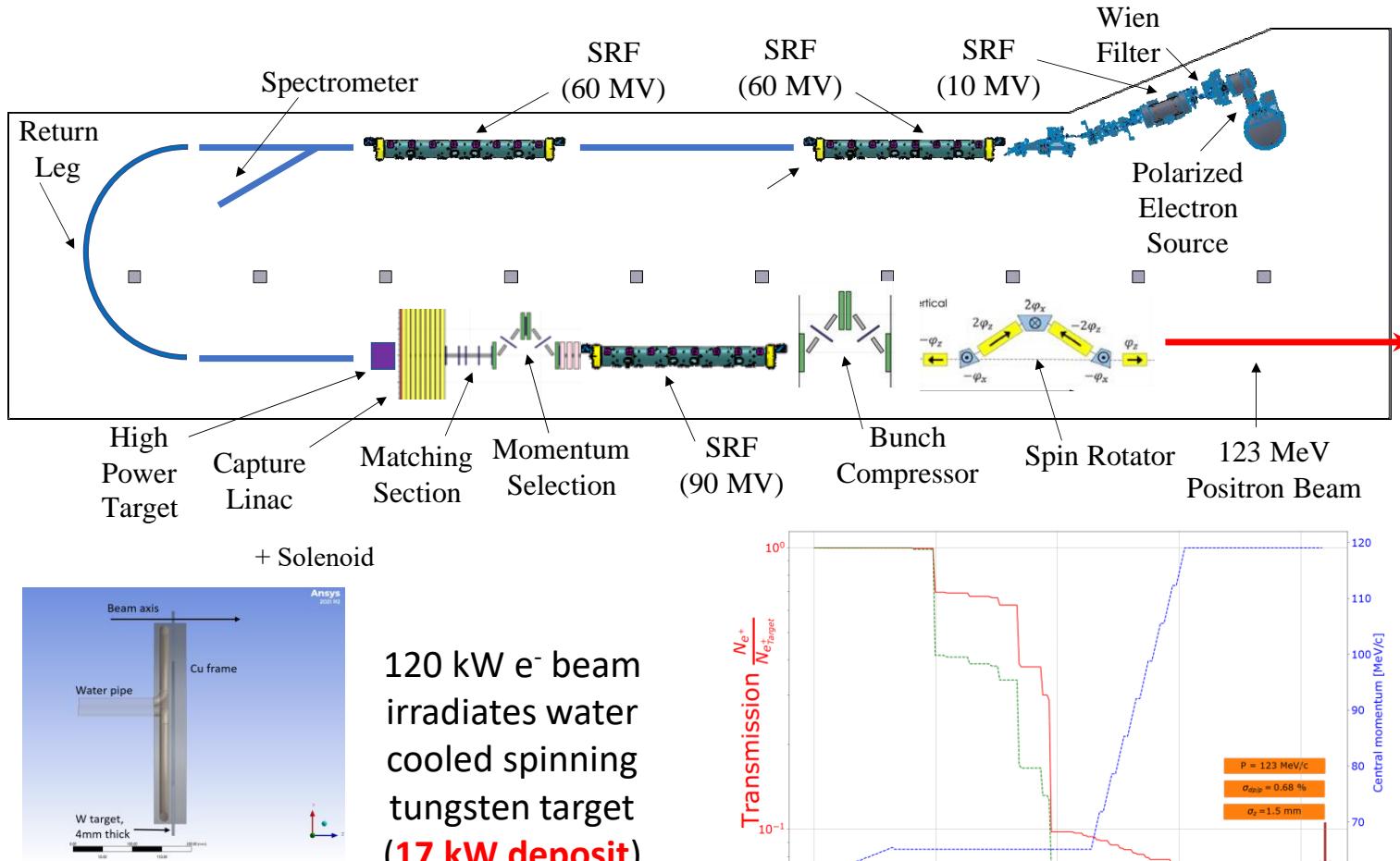
Strategic decision was taken to imagine using former FEL facility, starting with an R&D test bed



# Design two new injectors (e<sup>-</sup> and e<sup>+</sup>)

Two challenging injectors have to be built

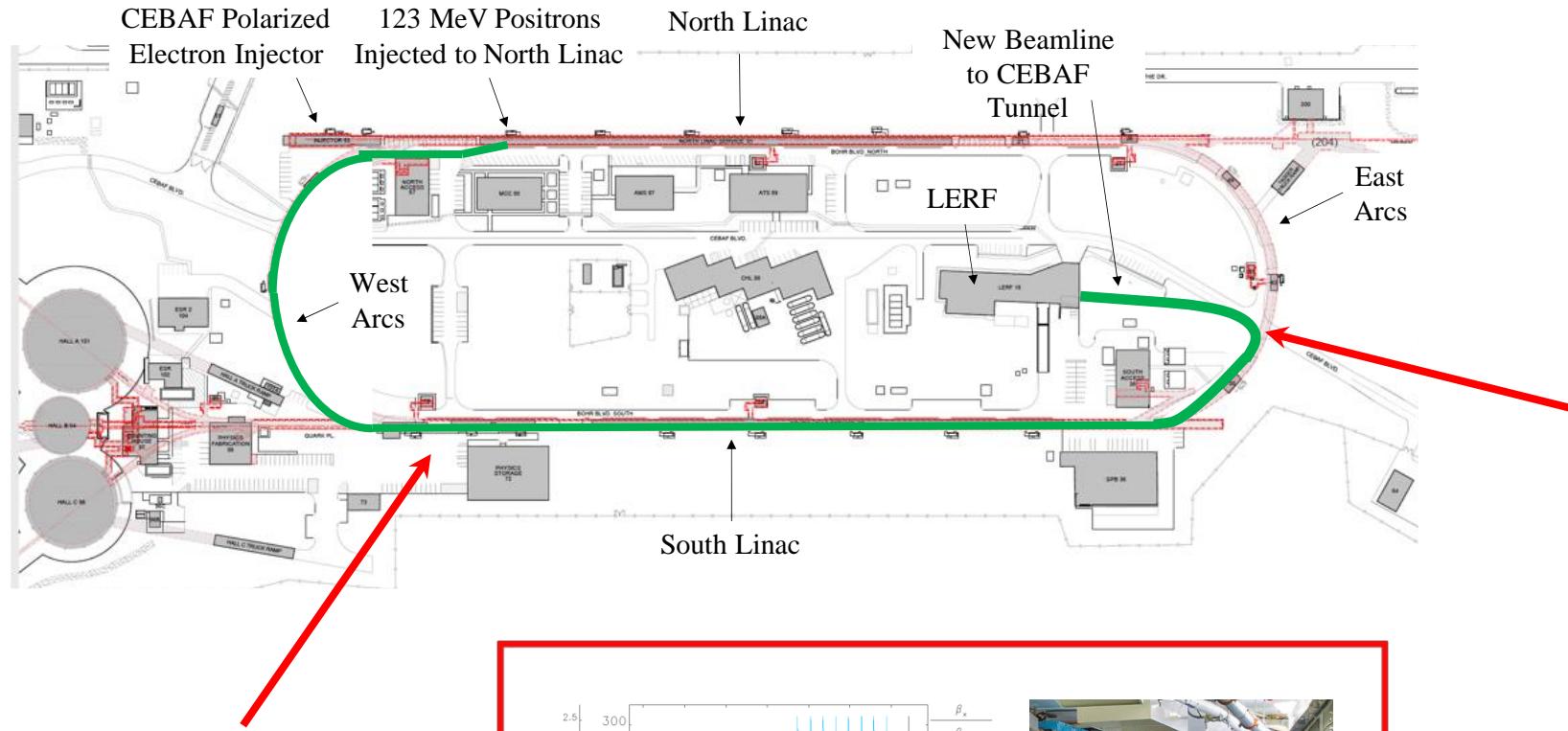
- >1 mA polarized e<sup>-</sup> injector >150 MeV
- >100 kW target & cw-collection beam line



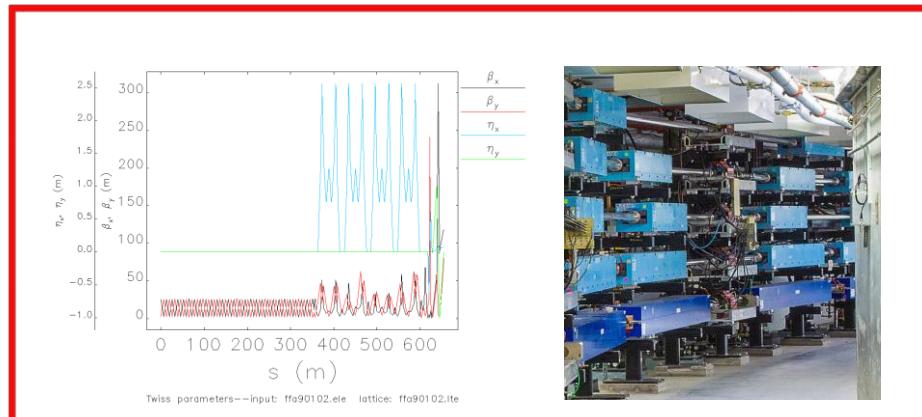
Ce <sup>+</sup> BAF Parameter	Status	Goal
$p_0 \text{ [MeV}/c]$	60	60
$\sigma_{\delta p/p_0} \text{ [%]}$	0.68	$\pm 1$
$\sigma_z \text{ [ps]}$	3	$\leq 4$
Normalized $\epsilon_n \text{ [mm mrad]}$	140	$\leq 40$
$p_f \text{ [MeV}/c]$	123	123
$I_{e^+}(P > 60\%) \text{ [nA]}$	170	$> 50$

PhD thesis work of Sami Habet

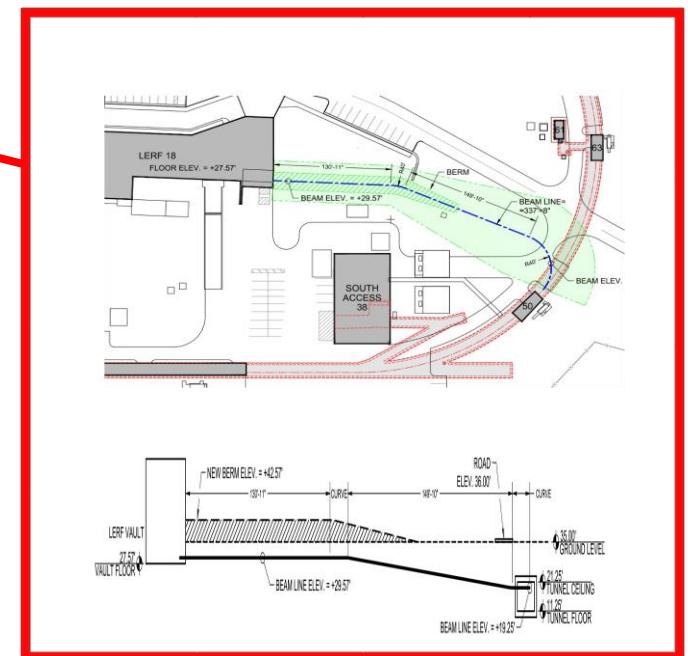
# Injecting $e^+$ to CEBAF 12 GeV



$e^+$  transported in new beamline and injected to CEBAF for 12 GeV, with magnet polarities reversed

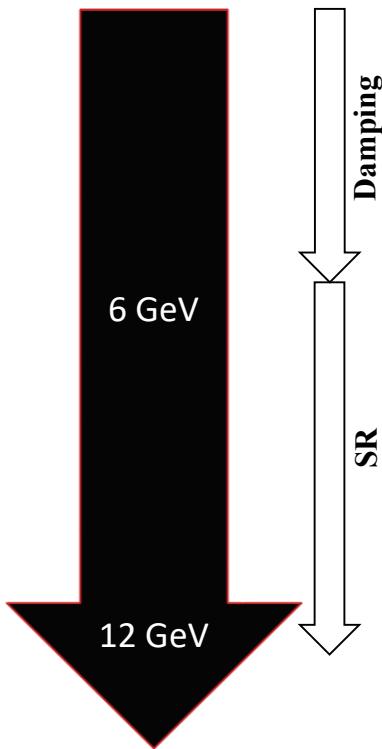
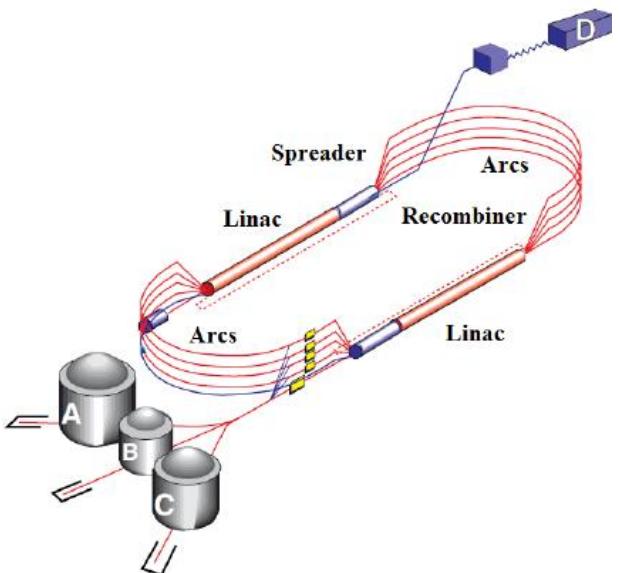


Once  $e^+$  source is ready, civil construction connects the LERF by a new tunnel to CEBAF. The transport line will maintain the  $e^+$  polarization in plane.



# CEBAF 12 GeV : Transverse Emittance\* and Energy Spread†

- Use n-bend acrobats and large aperture quads for 123 MeV injection line to CEBAF
- Modify low-energy CEBAF arcs to have smaller dispersion (beam size)
- SR radiation damping benefits e+ emittances more than e-



electron beam

Area	dp/p [x10 <sup>-3</sup> ]	e <sub>x</sub> [nm]	e <sub>y</sub> [nm]
Chicane	0.5	4.00	4.00
Arc 1	0.05	0.41	0.41
Arc 2	0.03	0.26	0.23
Arc 3	0.035	0.22	0.21
Arc 4	0.044	0.21	0.24
Arc 5	0.060	0.33	0.25
Arc 6	0.090	0.58	0.31
Arc 7	0.104	0.79	0.44
Arc 8	0.133	1.21	0.57
Arc 9	0.167	2.09	0.64
Arc 10	0.194	2.97	0.95
Hall D	0.18	2.70	1.03

positron beam

Area	dp/p [x10 <sup>-3</sup> ]	e <sub>x</sub> [nm]	e <sub>y</sub> [nm]
Chicane	10	500	500
Arc 1	1	50	50
Arc 2	0.53	26.8	26.6
Arc 3	0.36	19	18.6
Arc 4	0.27	14.5	13.8
Arc 5	0.22	12	11.2
Arc 6	0.19	10	9.5
Arc 7	0.17	8.9	8.35
Arc 8	0.16	8.36	7.38
Arc 9	0.16	8.4	6.8
MYAAT01	0.18	9.13	6.19

\* Emittances are geometric, † Quantities are rms

(an LDRD is exploring the transport of large emittance beams at CEBAF)

# 3 Year e<sup>+</sup> R&D Plan

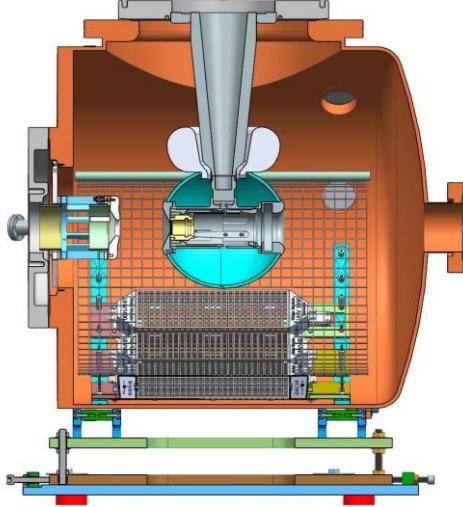
## Conceptual Development

- improve design
- develop pCDR

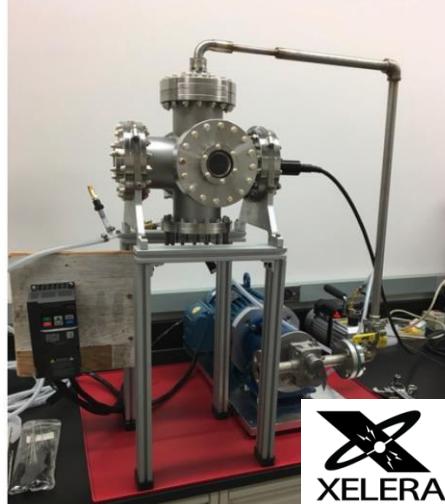
## Address Critical Risk Areas

- mA polarized e- source
- high power target
- cw capture cavity

### Proposal for mA e- source



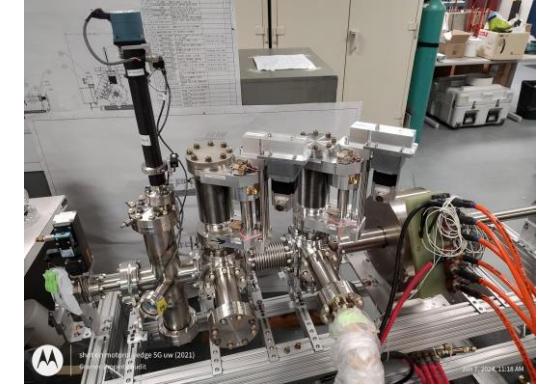
### Test GaInSn Jet Target



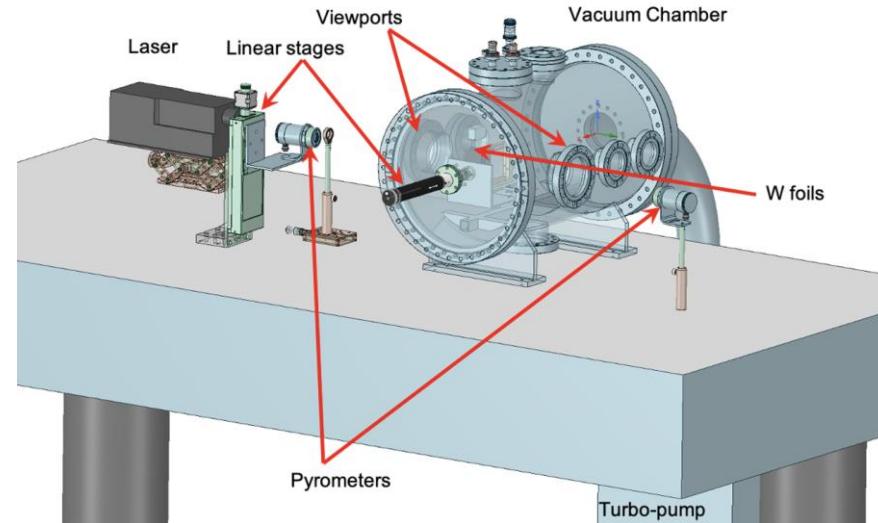
### Concept to provide users e- or e+ on demand

Machine Parameter	CEBAF e-	Ce+BAF		
		e+	Degraded e-	e-
Multiplicity	4		1 or 2	
Max. Energy (ABC/D)	11/12 GeV		11/12 GeV	
Beam Repetition	250/499 MHz		250/499 MHz	
Duty Factor	100% cw		100% cw	
Unpolarized Intensity	170 $\text{aA}^{**}$	> 1 $\text{aA}$	>> 1 $\mu\text{A}$	170 $\text{aA}^{**}$
Polarized Intensity	170 $\text{aA}^{**}$	> 50 nA	>> 1 $\mu\text{A}$	170 $\text{aA}^{**}$
Beam Polarization	> 85%	> 60%	>85% ?	>85%

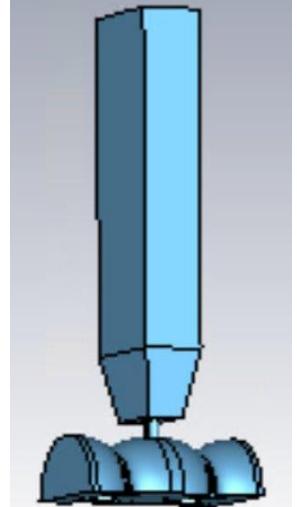
### Measure CEBAF acceptance



### Proposal to test prototype W Target

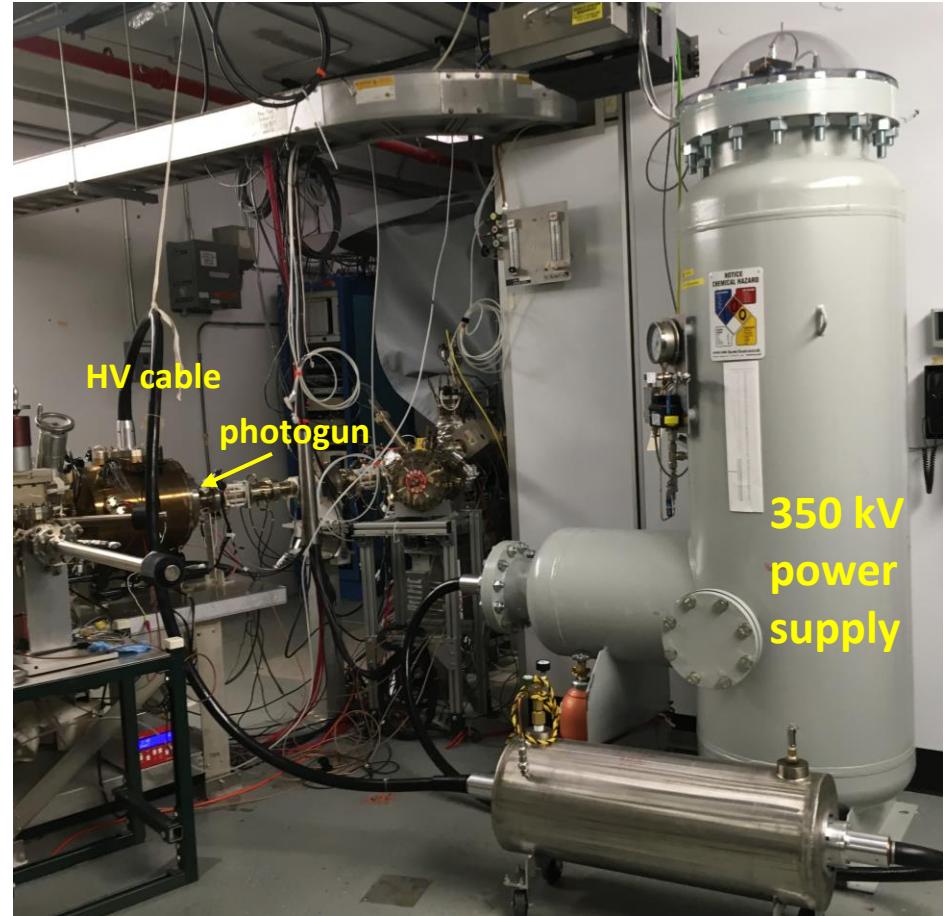


### Proposal CW cell prototype

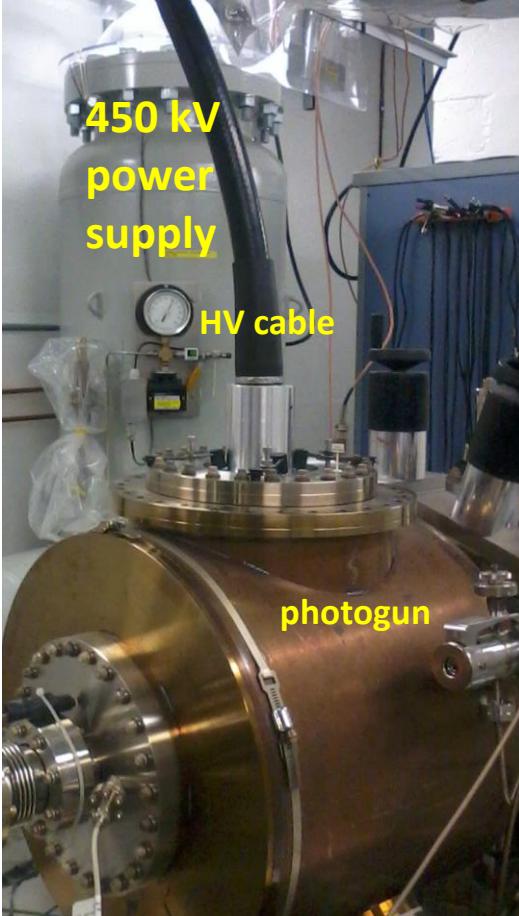


# Build 100kW/10MeV e-/e+ test-bed at LERF

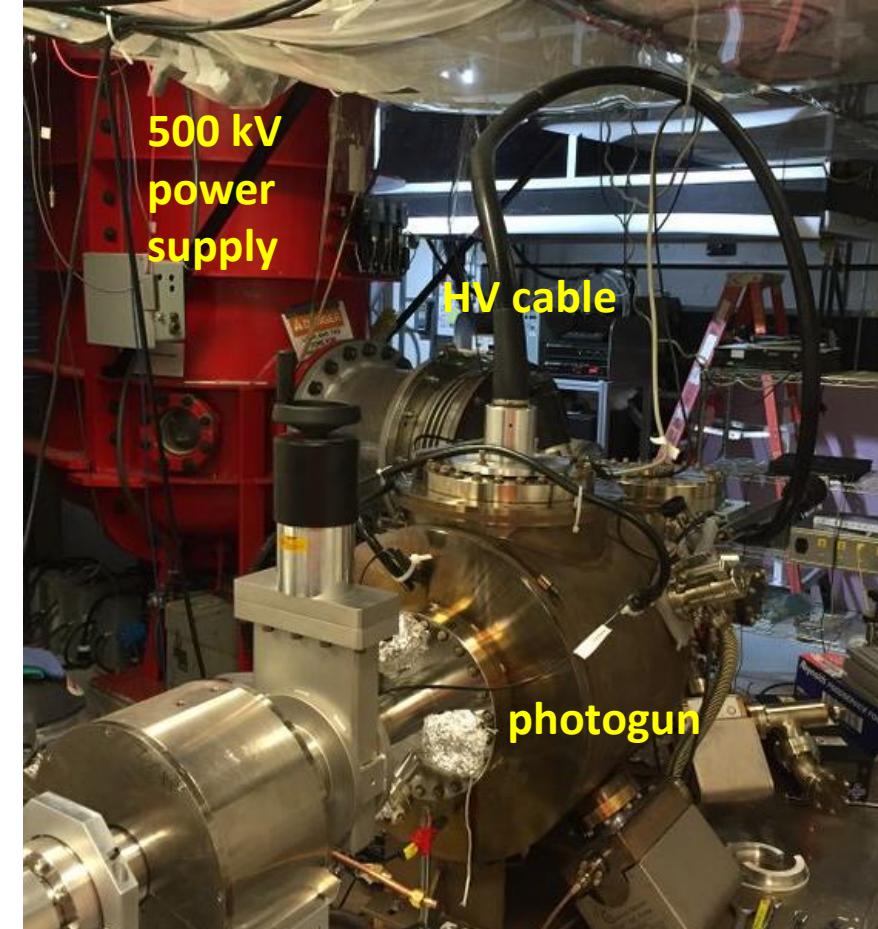
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UITF : MeV Test Facility



GTS : Advanced Gun Test Facility

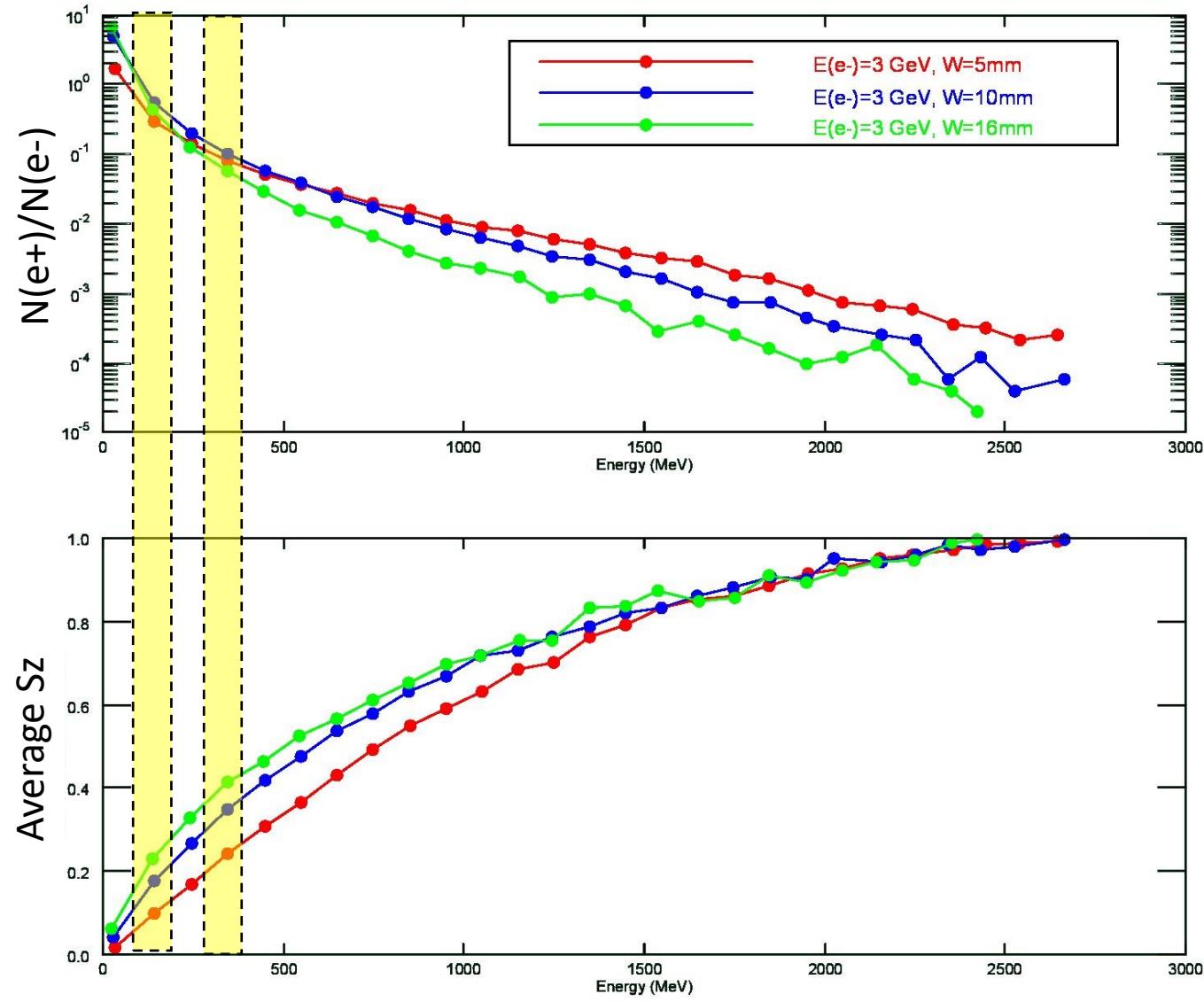


# Example – 3 GeV polarized $e^-$ beam

Geant4 simulation of  $e^+$  generated from 3 GeV polarized  $e^-$  beam (90%)

- 5, 10, 16 mm W
- 100 MeV bins
- Usual trade off between Yield and Pol
- Optimum target thickness depends also on polarization (spin filtering)

E( $e^+$ )	N( $e^+$ )/N( $e^-$ )	$\langle S_z \rangle$	P (%)
150 MeV	0.436	0.23	21
350 MeV	0.056	0.41	37



# Conclusions

- ❖ PEPPo demonstrated very **high spin positron polarization from polarized electrons**, at low energy w/ small footprint, extensible to higher energies.
- ❖ Jefferson Lab Users are making the case for **positron beams at CEBAF 12 GeV**.
- ❖ PEPPo approach can **turn a “no polarization” scheme into a “polarization scheme”**, or for a later upgrade...

Invite you to join us at Jefferson Lab in September.

Thank you.



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