

Jefferson lab Hall A DIS program at 12 GeV

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Outline

- Physics:

- Neutron spin structure at high x ; A_n^1
- Parity violating DIS (PVDIS)
- Semi Inclusive DIS (SIDIS)

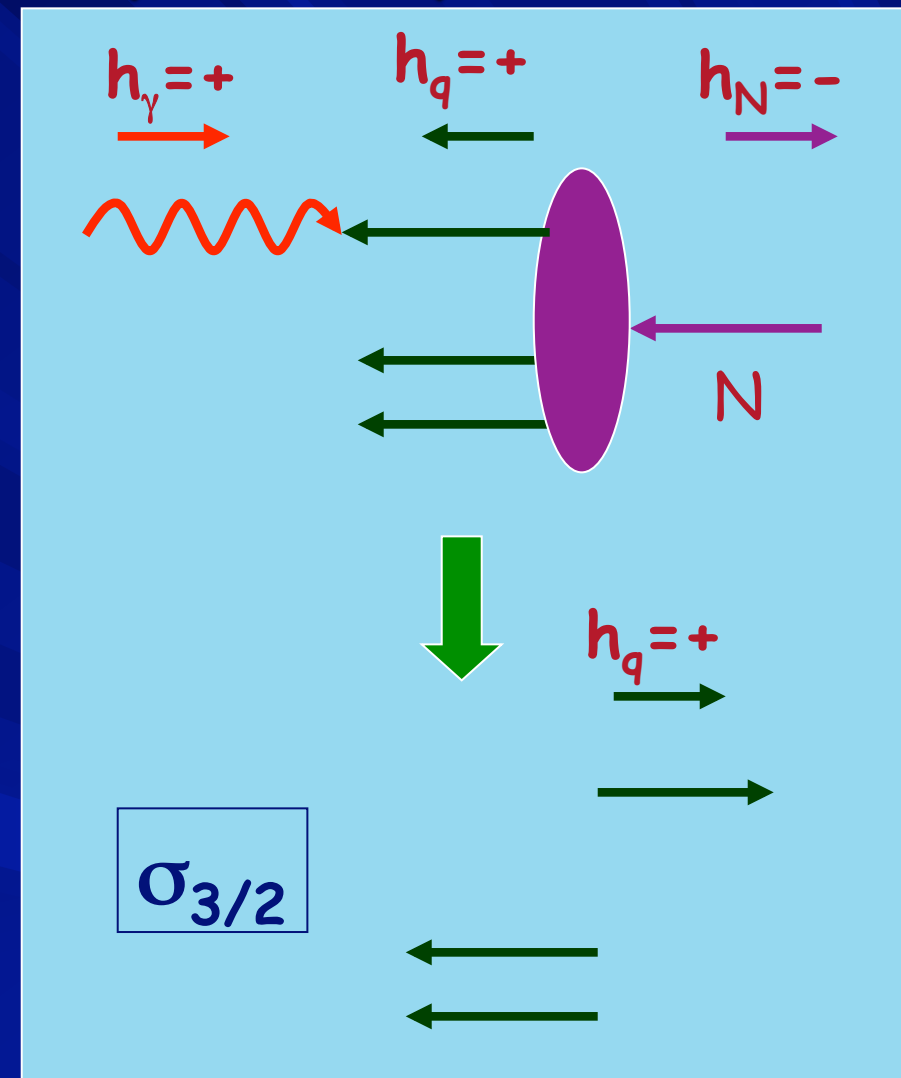
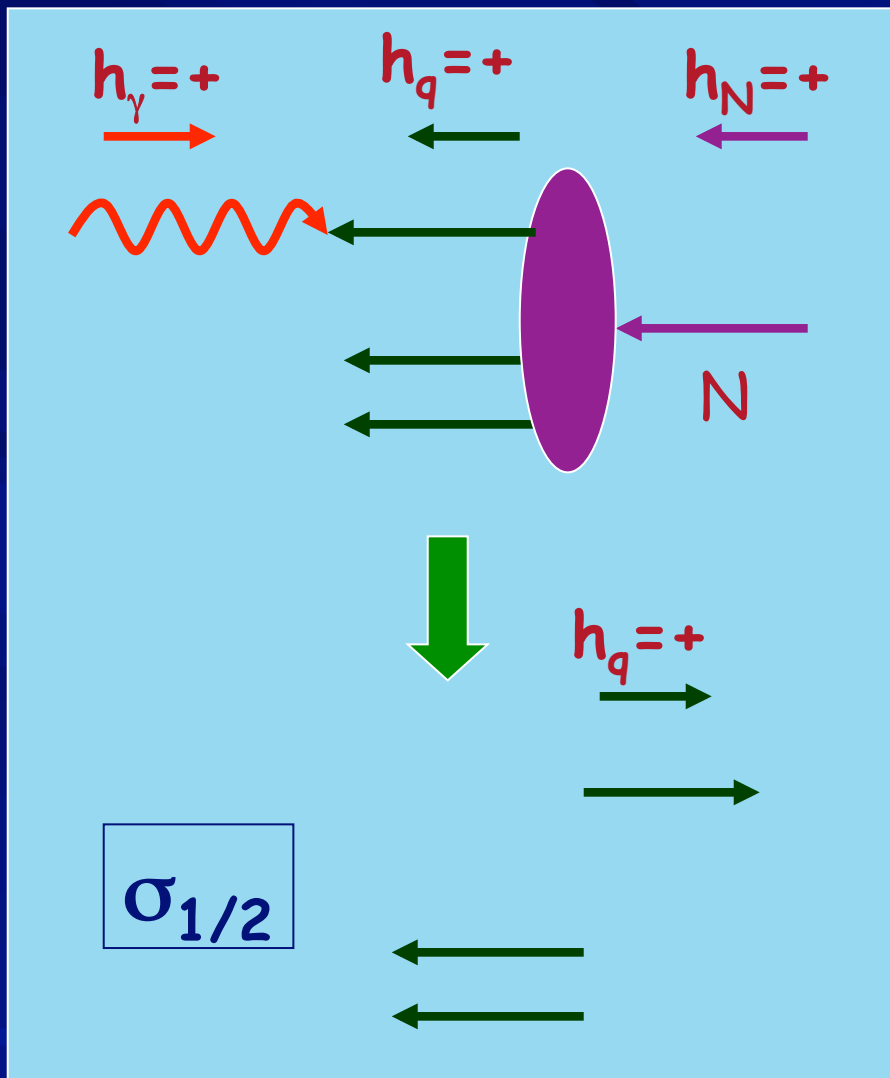
- Instrumentation:

- Hall A provides very high luminosities both unpolarized ($1.4 \times 10^{37} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$) and polarized neutron ($5 \times 10^{38} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$)
- Hall A has been set aside as the “special installation” hall for 12 GeV: opportunity for creative instrumentation solutions to meet very demanding experimental requirements
- Super-Bigbite spectrometer
- Hall A solinoid spectrometer

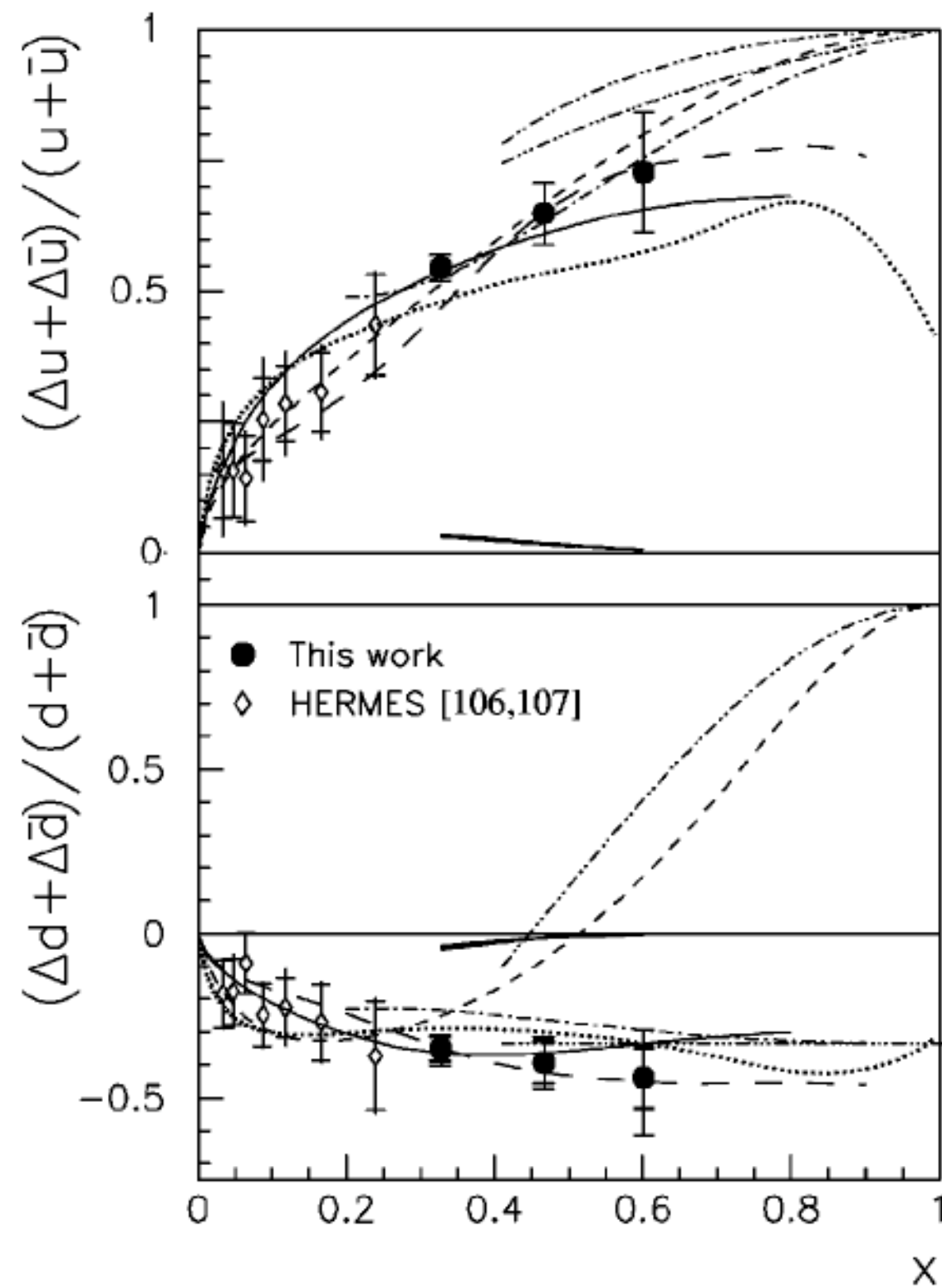
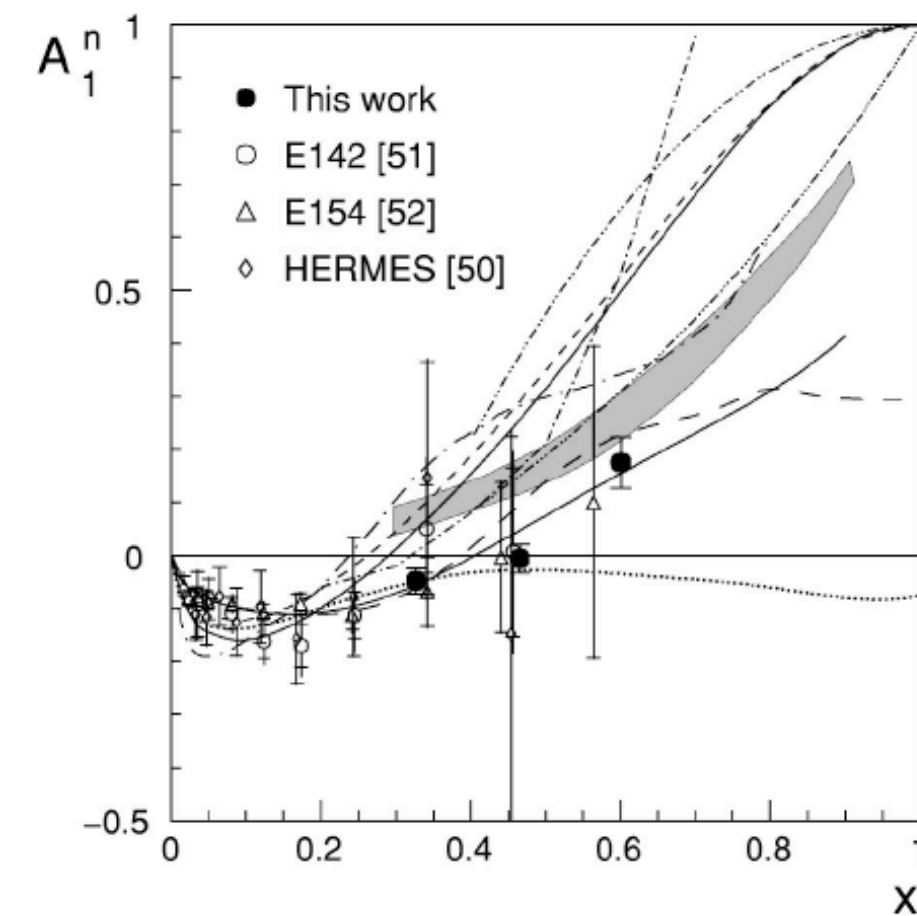
Neutron spin structure at high x: A_n^1

- test fundamental predictions of nucleon structure.
- flavor decomposition of polarized pdfs
 - One of the highlighted experiments in the 12 GeV plan

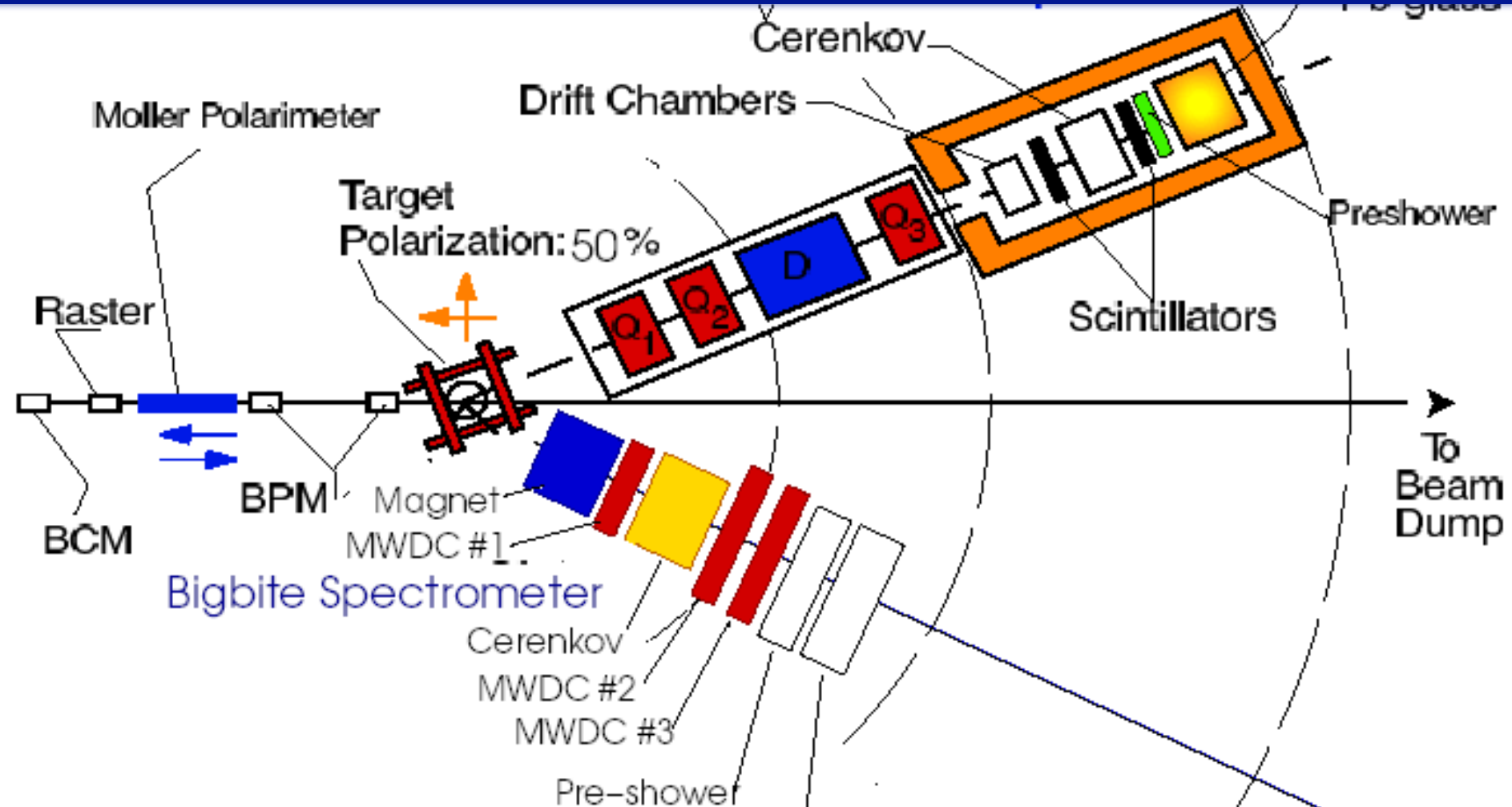
Virtual Photon Asymmetry



$$A_1 = \frac{\sigma_{1/2} - \sigma_{3/2}}{\sigma_{1/2} + \sigma_{3/2}} \approx \frac{g_1}{F_1}$$

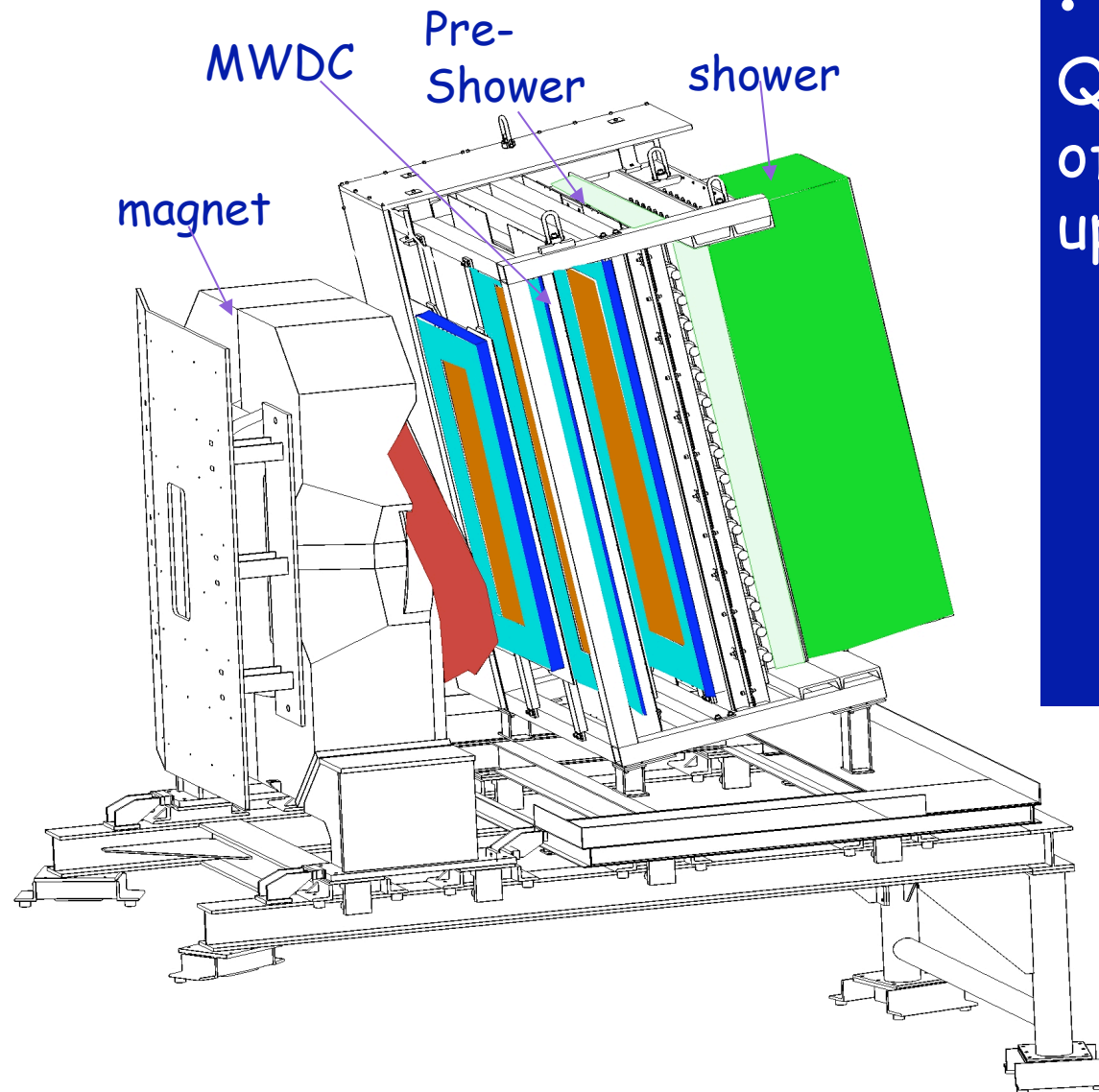


Already possible with existing equipment



- 6.6 GeV, 8.8 GeV polarized electron beams: $10 \mu\text{A}$, $P_e = 0.8$
- Hall A polarized ^3He target: 30 cm of useful length.
- Bigbite Spectrometer @ 30°
- HRS-L @ 30°

Bigbite Spectrometer in Gen

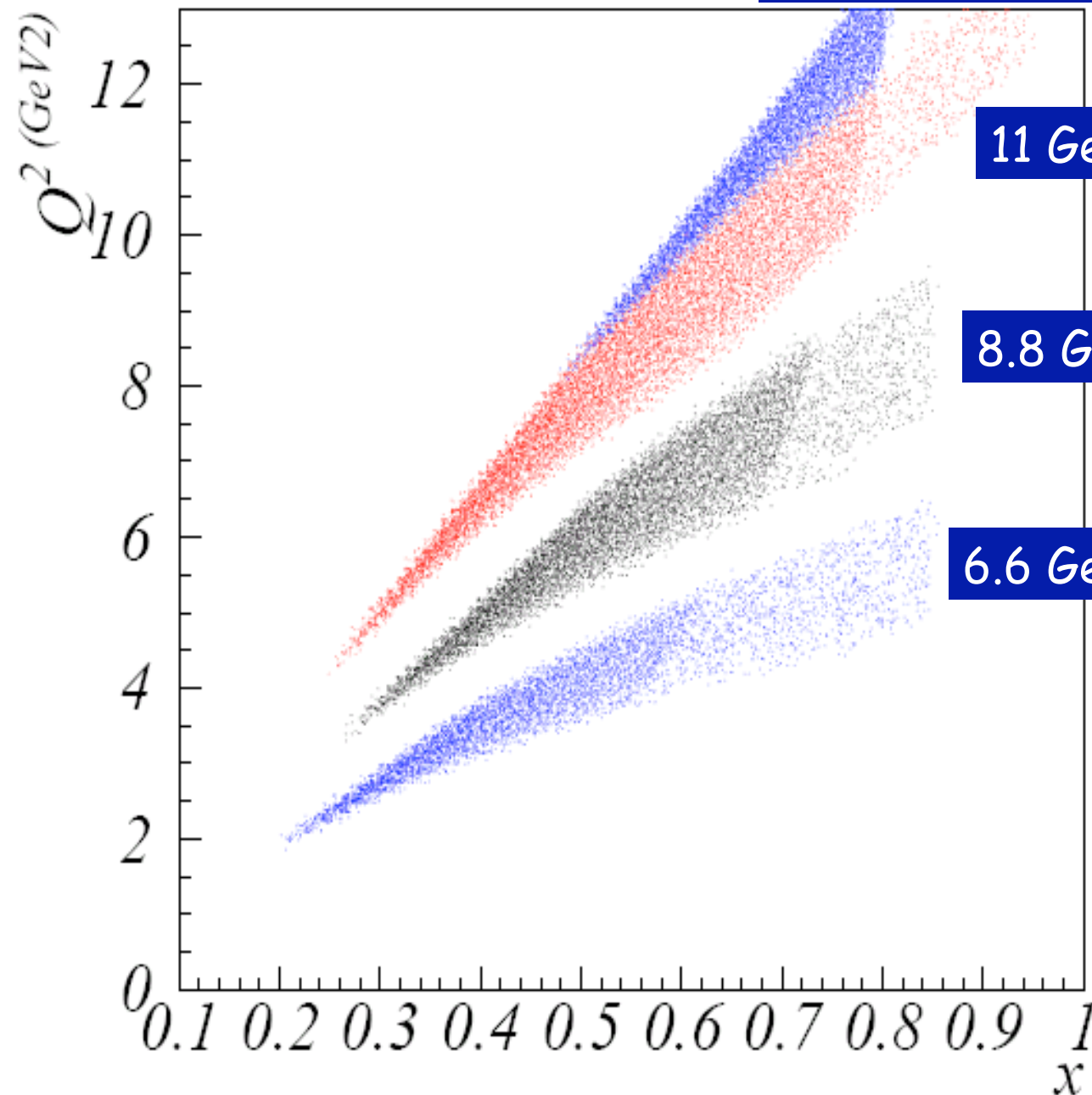


- successfully used for hall A high Q^2 Gen exp.: powerful combination of BigBite + Polarized ^3He target; up to $L \sim 4.5 \times 10^{36} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$.

- **76 msr** over 40 cm of target.
- $\sim 1\%$ momentum resolution
- $\sim 5 \text{ mm}$ y_{tg} resolution

Kinematic Coverage

11 Gev beam @ 40 °



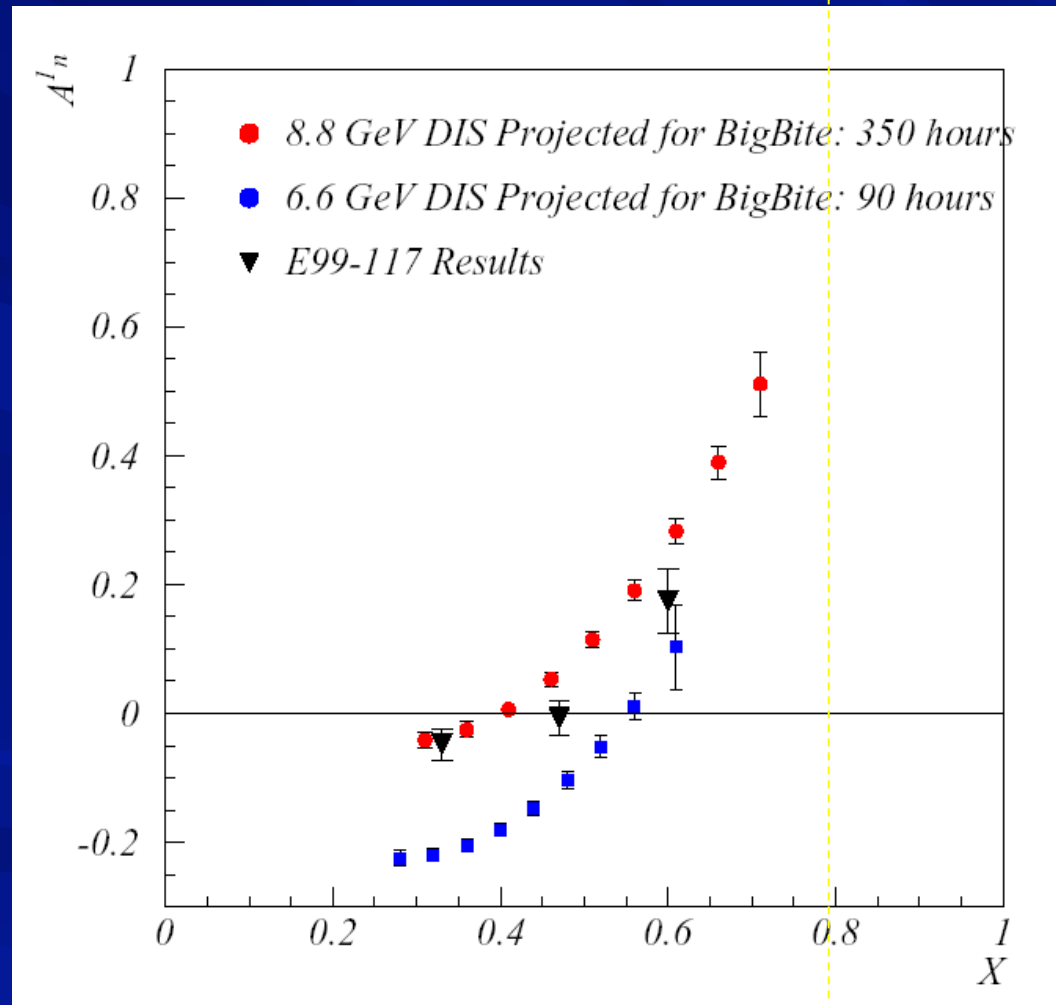
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8.8 Gev beam @ 30 °

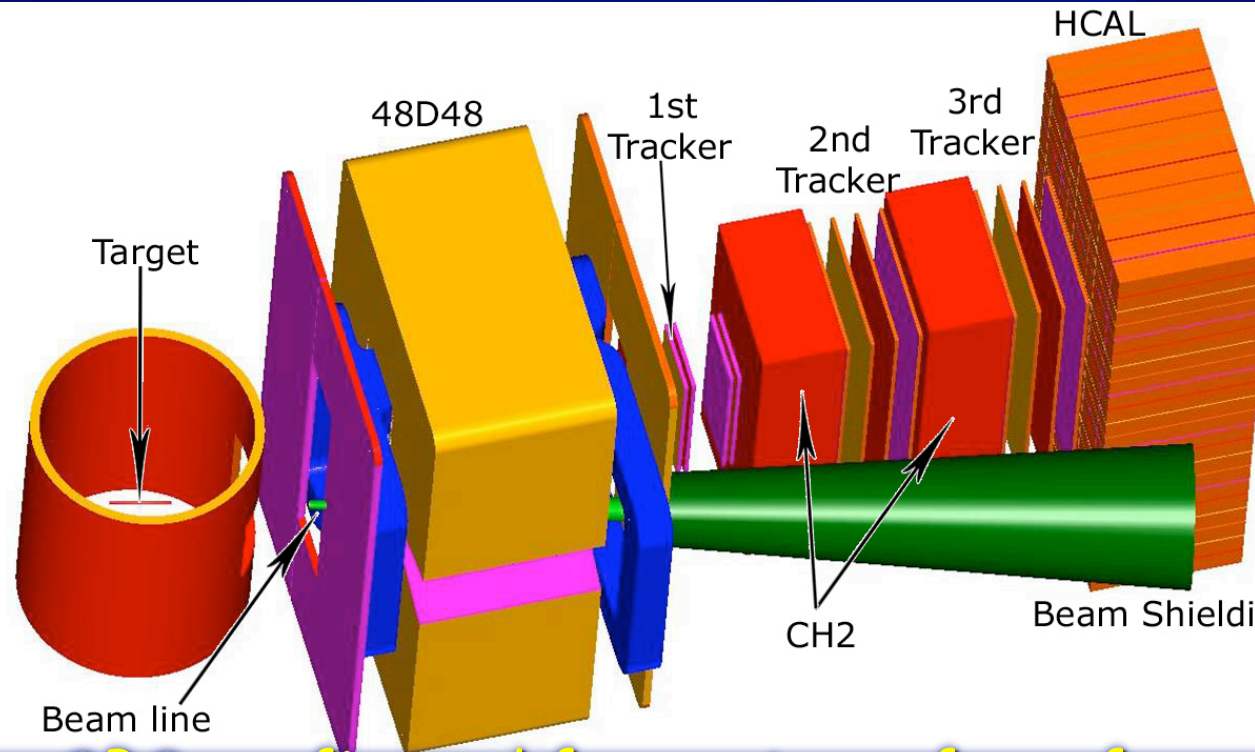
6.6 Gev beam @ 30 °

With Bigbite alone

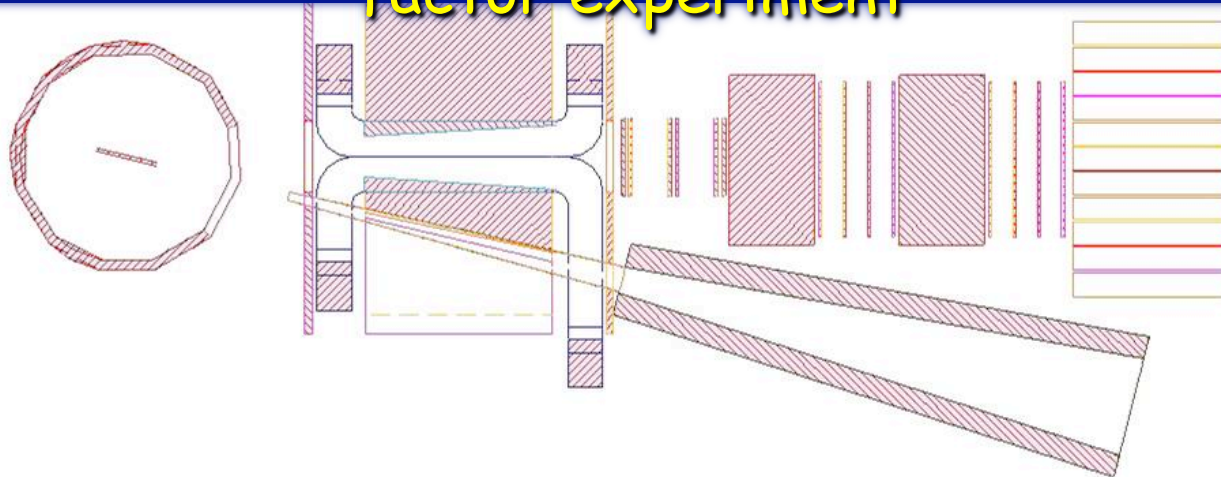
Using Bigbite with 6.6 GeV
and 8.8 GeV beam ~ 500 h



Super-Bigbite spectrometer



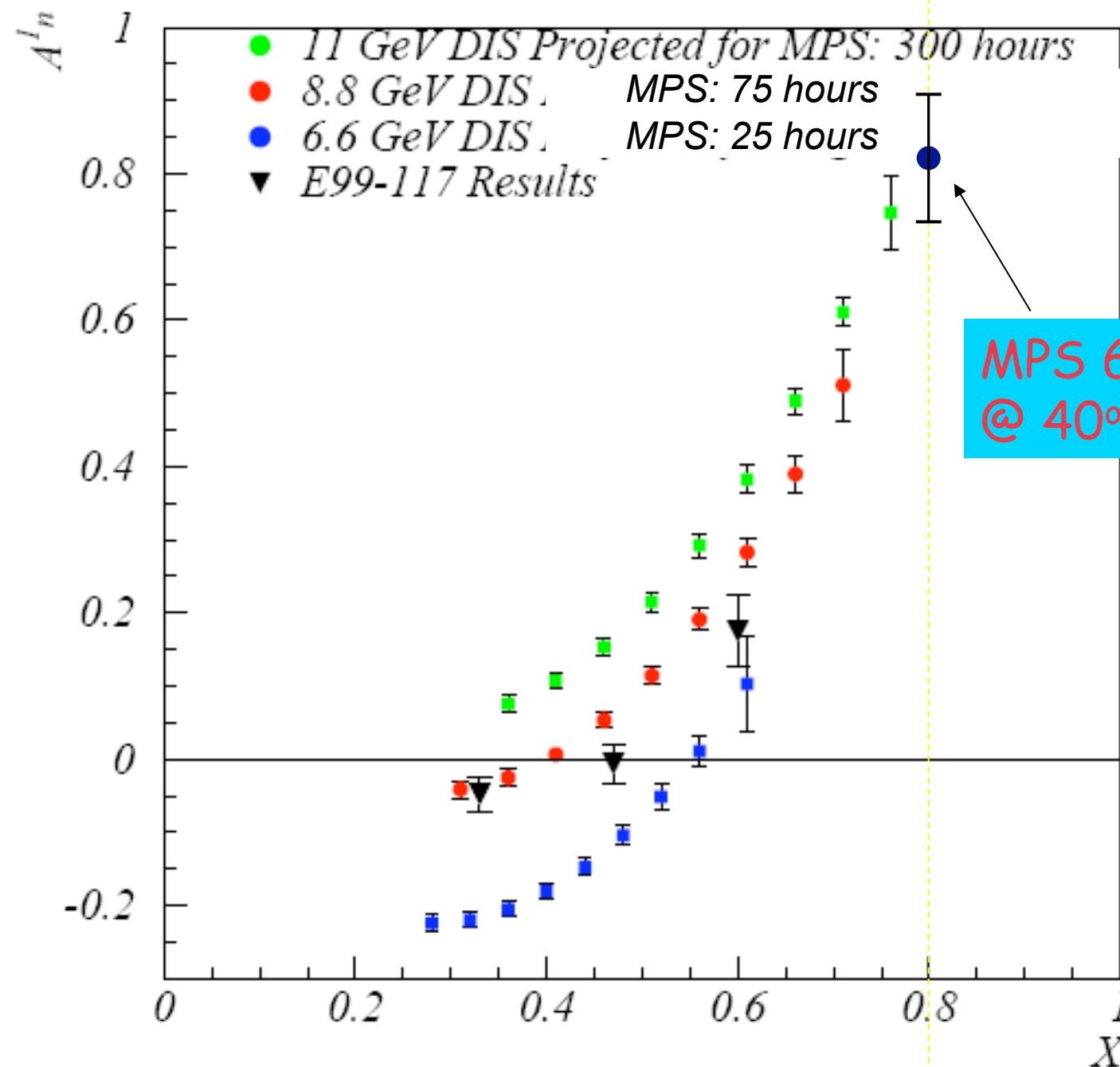
SBS configured for protons for a form factor experiment



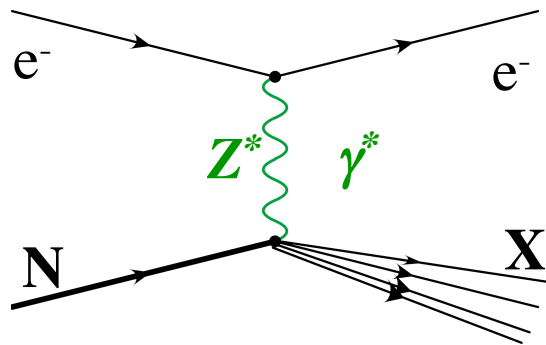
- GEM trackers - much higher luminosity compared to Bigbite; up to $L \sim 5 \times 10^{38} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$.

- 40 msr over 40 cm of target.
- $\sim 0.5\%$ momentum resolution for 4 GeV electrons.
- $\sim 5 \text{ mm } y_{tg}$ resolution

Projected data: DIS



Parity Violating Deep Inelastic Scattering (PVDIS)



$$A_{PV} = \frac{G_F Q^2}{\sqrt{2}\pi\alpha} [\mathbf{a}(x) + Y(y) \mathbf{b}(x)]$$

$\mathbf{a}(x)$ and $\mathbf{b}(x)$ contain quark distribution functions $f_i(x)$

$$x \equiv x_{Bjorken}$$

$$y \equiv 1 - E'/E$$

$$f_i^\pm \equiv f_i \pm \bar{f}_i$$

$$\mathbf{a}(x) = \frac{\sum_i C_{1i} Q_i f_i^+(x)}{\sum_i Q_i^2 f_i^+(x)}$$

$$\mathbf{b}(x) = \frac{\sum_i C_{2i} Q_i f_i^-(x)}{\sum_i Q_i^2 f_i^+(x)}$$

For an isoscalar target like ^2H , structure functions largely cancel in the ratio at high x

At high x , A_{PV} becomes independent of x , W , with well-defined SM prediction for Q^2 and y

New combination of:

Vector quark couplings C_{1q}

Also axial quark couplings C_{2q}

C_{2q} inaccessible in elastic scattering

at high x

$$\mathbf{a}(x) = \frac{3}{10} (2C_{1u} - C_{1d}) \left(1 + \frac{0.6 s^+}{u^+ + d^+} \right)$$

$$\mathbf{b}(x) = \frac{3}{10} (2C_{2u} - C_{2d}) \left(\frac{u_v + d_v}{u^+ + d^+} \right) + \dots$$

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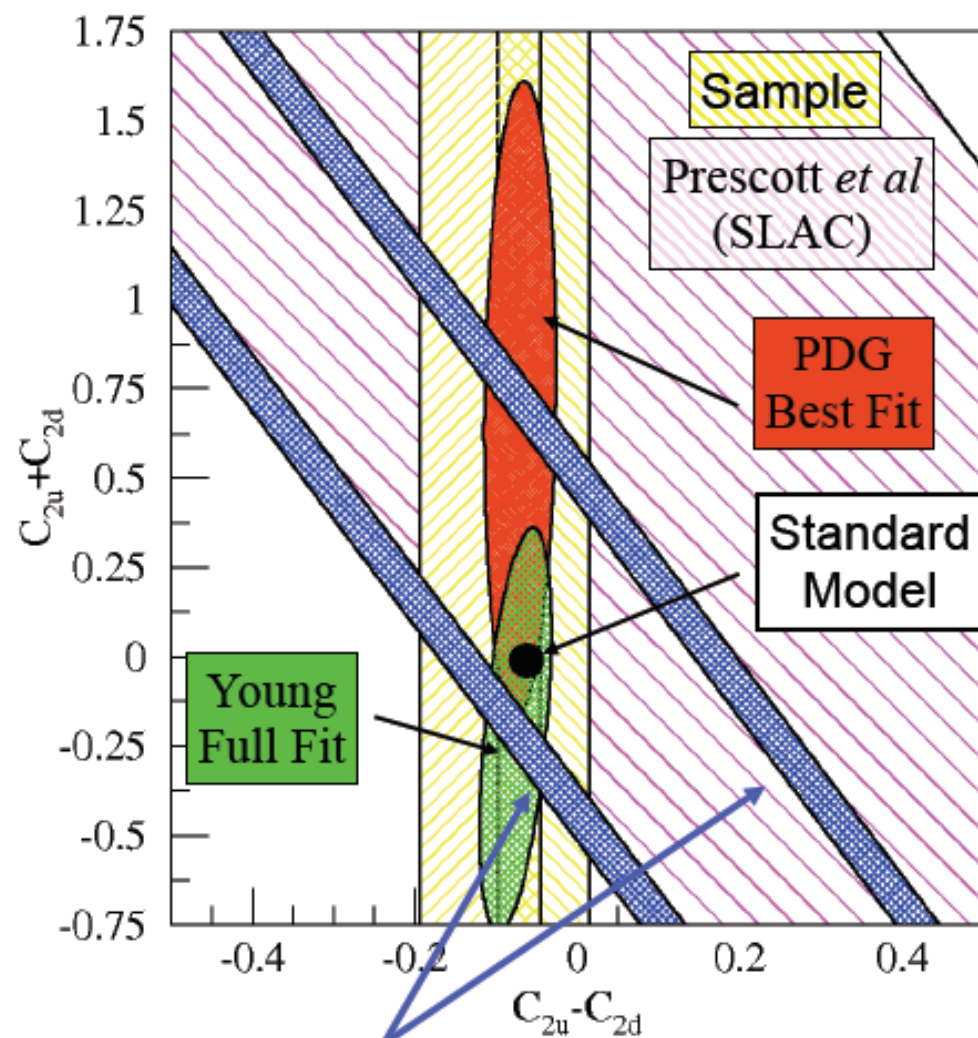
Sensitive to new physics at the TeV scale

- Physics potential
 - Excellent sensitivity to C_{2u} and C_{2d} .
 - Standard Model Test
 - Charge Symmetry Violation (CSV)
 - Higher Twist
 - d/u for the Proton

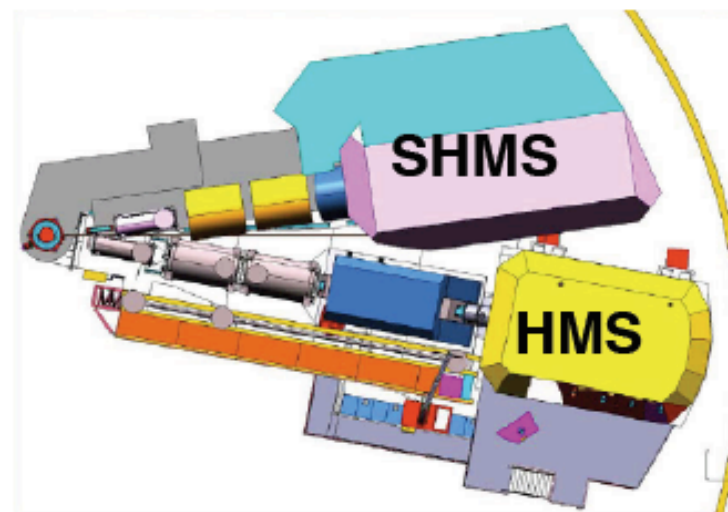
PVDIS w/ Base Equipment

E08-011: PVDIS off ^2H at 6 GeV

Proposal approved for 11 GeV:
Factor of ~ 2 to 3 improvement



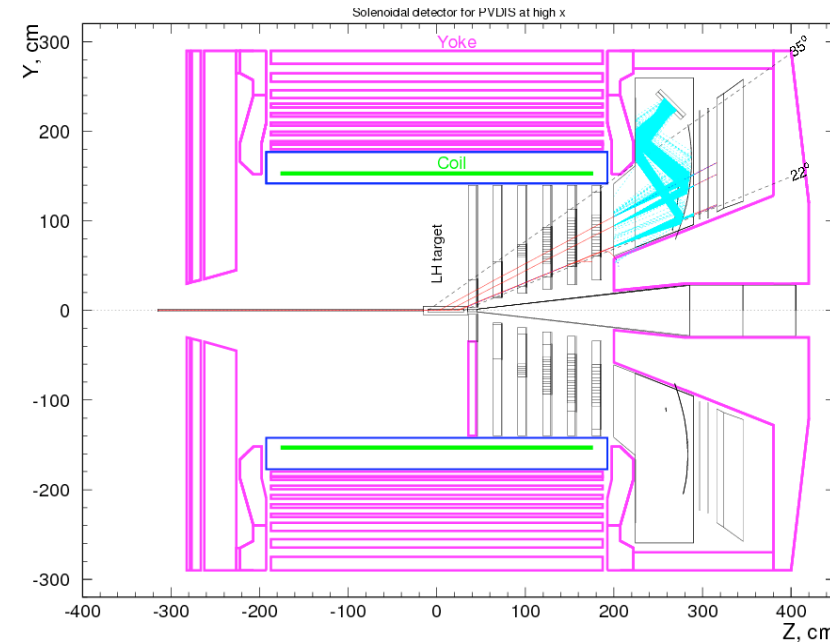
6 GeV PVDIS 3% A_d measurement:
Bands correspond to central values of either PDG
best fit or Young et al.'s best fit.



- 08-011 provides first look, at $x \sim 0.25-0.3$
- Insensitive to CSV, HT, but possibly sensitive to the quark sea?
- 11 GeV, allows greater precision at higher x , but doesn't provide lever arm to fully separate QCD effects

A Design for Precision PV DIS Physics

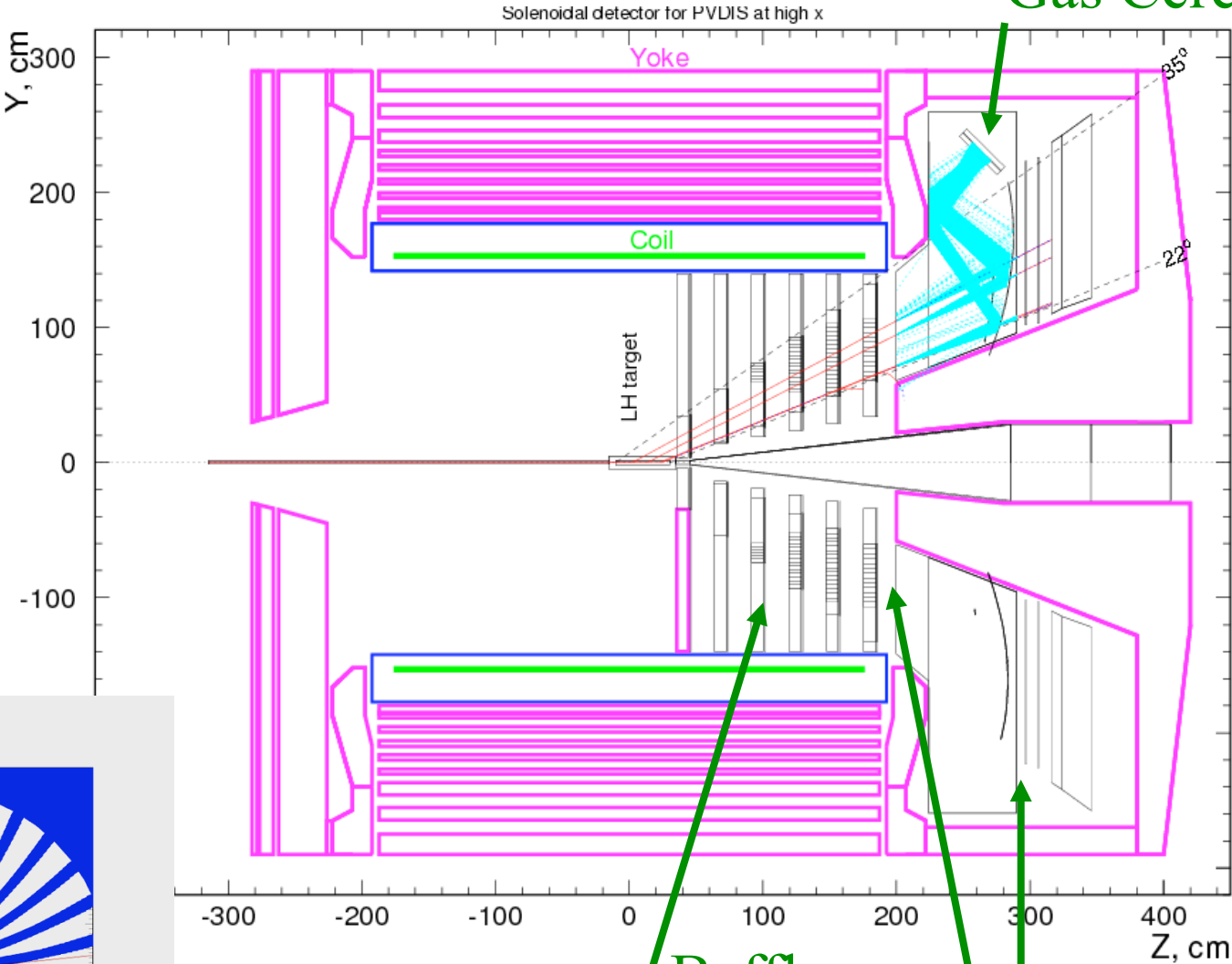
- *High Luminosity on LH_2 & LD_2*
- *Better than 1% errors for small bins*
- *x -range 0.25-0.75*
- *$W^2 > 4 \text{ GeV}^2$*
- *Q^2 range a factor of 2 for each x*
 - (Except $x \sim 0.75$)
- *Moderate running times*



- *Solenoid (from BaBar, CDF or CLEOII)*
 - contains low energy backgrounds (Moller, pions, etc)*
 - trajectories measured after baffles*
- *Fast tracking, particle ID, calorimetry, and pipeline electronics*
- *Precision polarimetry (0.4%)*

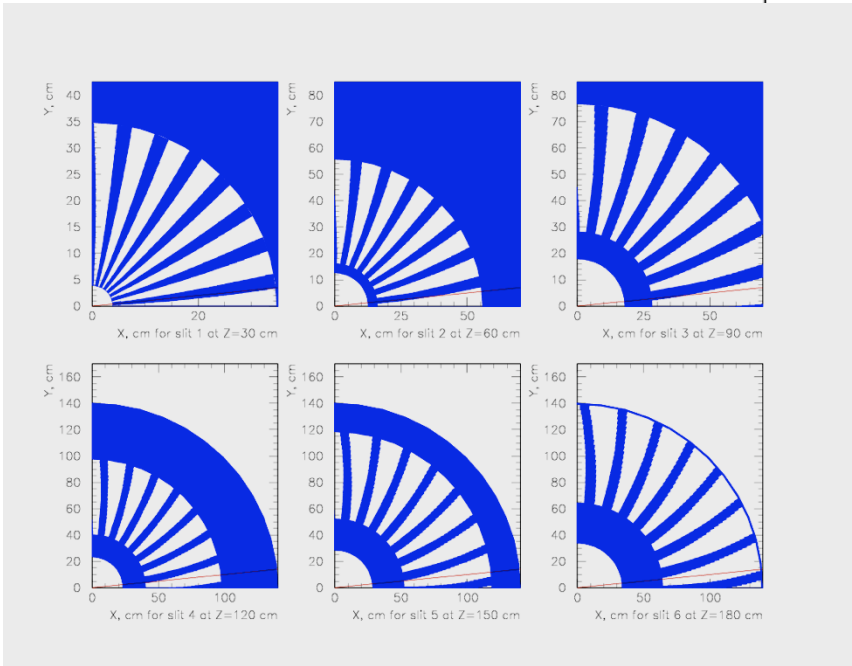
SoLID Spectrometer

Gas Cerenkov



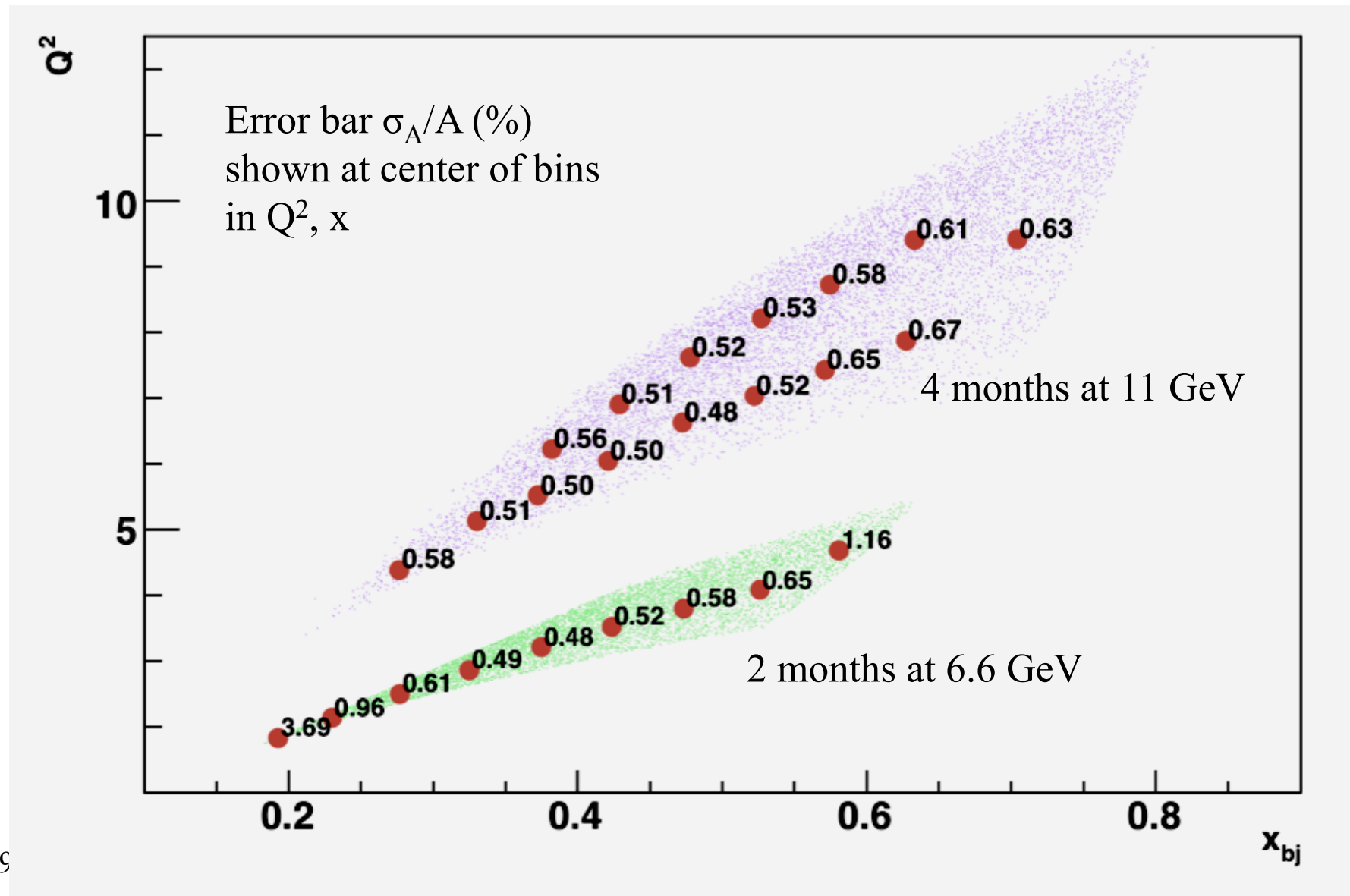
Baffles

GEM's



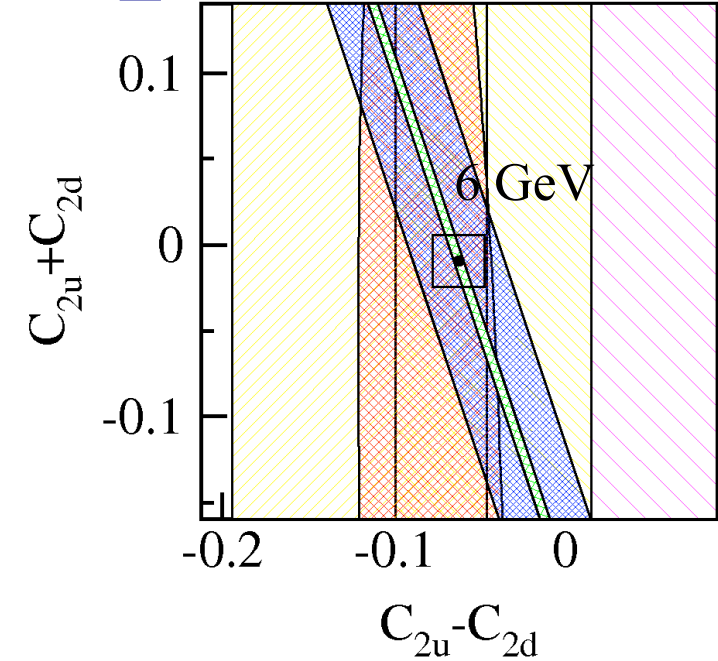
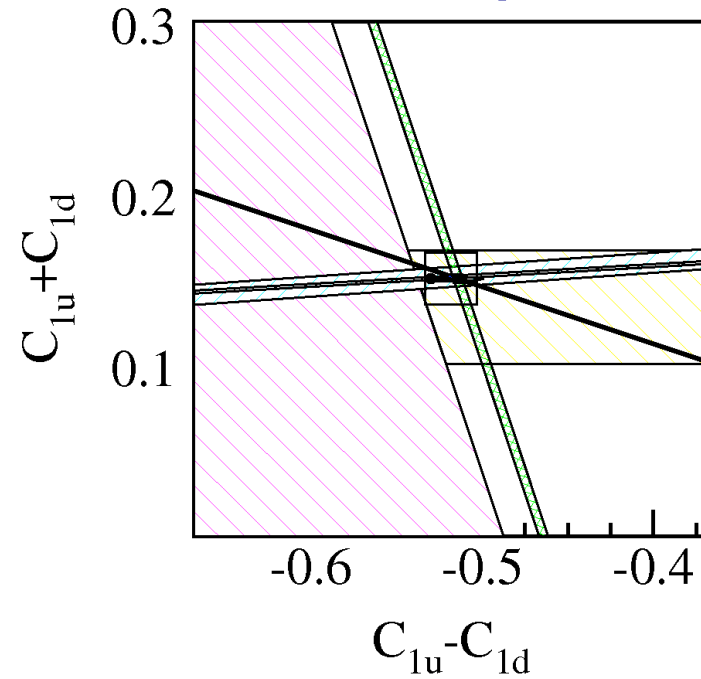
Statistical Errors (%) vs Kinematics

Strategy: **sub-1% precision** over broad kinematic range for **sensitive Standard Model test** *and* **detailed study of hadronic structure contributions**

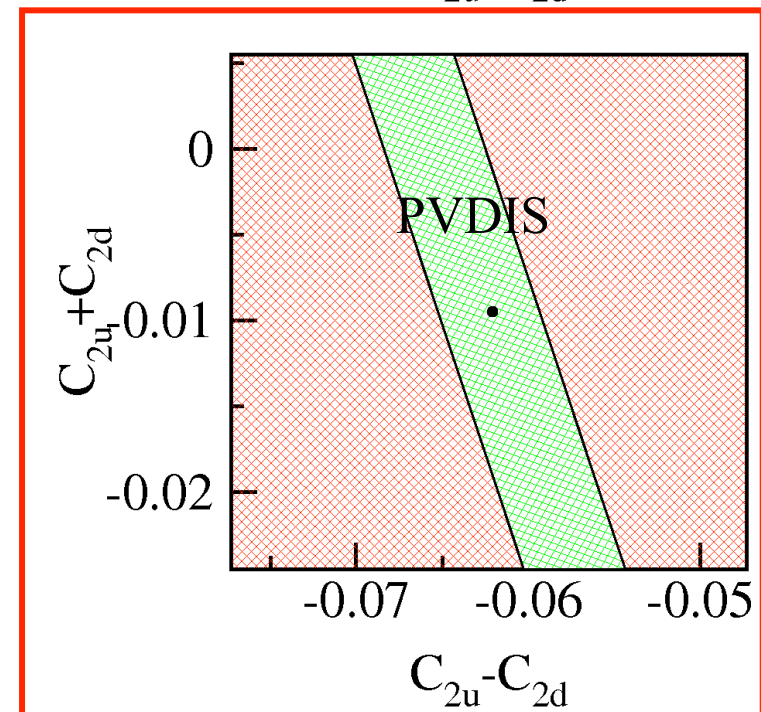
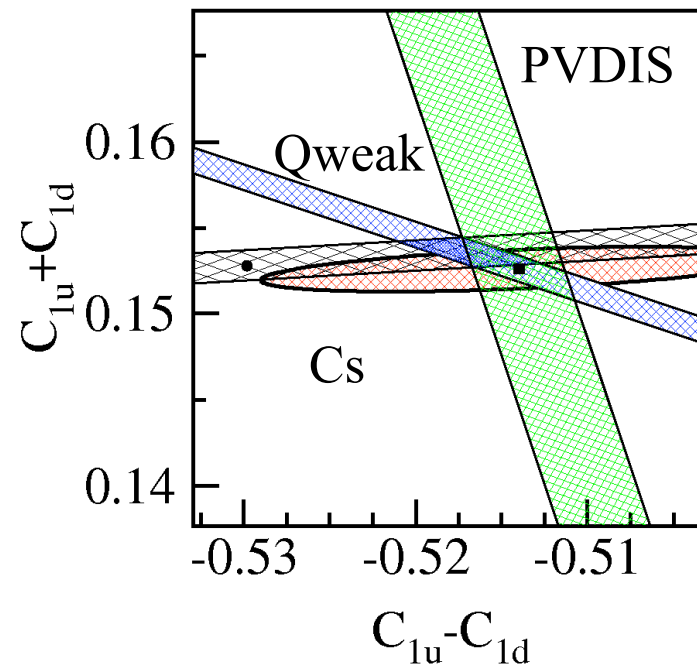


Sensitivity: C_1 and C_2 Plots

World's data

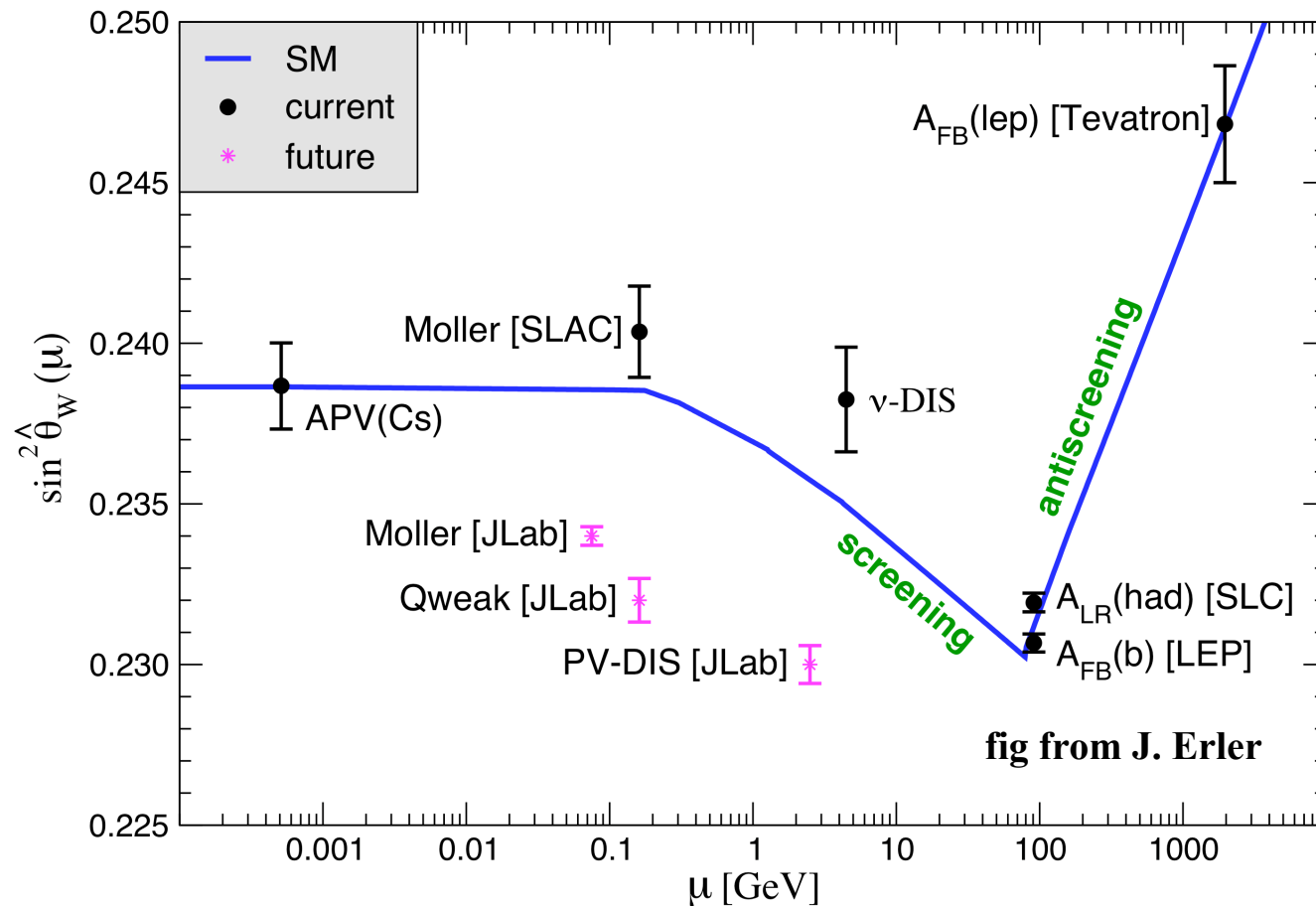


Precision Data



Precision on $\sin^2\theta_w$

Impressive precision on $\sin^2\theta_w$ (comparable to Qweak)
but real value is not sensitive to different combination of couplings



Constraint on contact interactions

$$\frac{\Lambda}{\sqrt{|g_{RR}^2 - g_{LL}^2 + g_{RL}^2 - g_{LR}^2|}} \approx 2.5 \text{ TeV}$$

CSV with PVDIS

Parton-level charge symmetry assumed in deriving ^2H

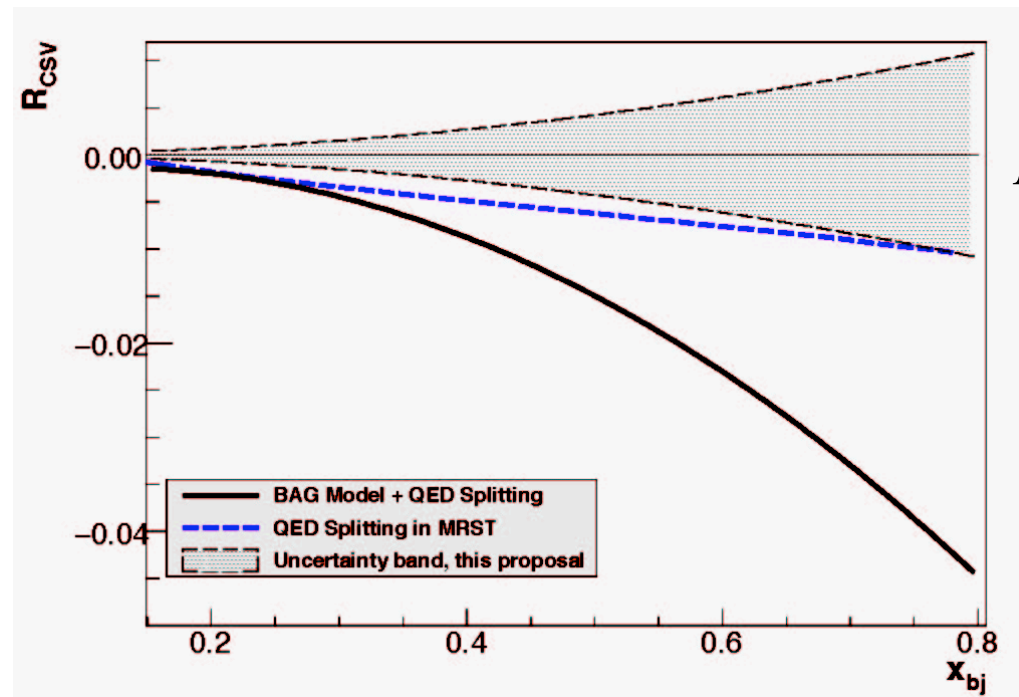
A_{PV}

Charge Symmetry Violation

$$\delta u(x) = u^p(x) - d^n(x)$$

$$\delta d(x) = d^p(x) - u^n(x)$$

- u,d quark mass difference
- electromagnetic effects

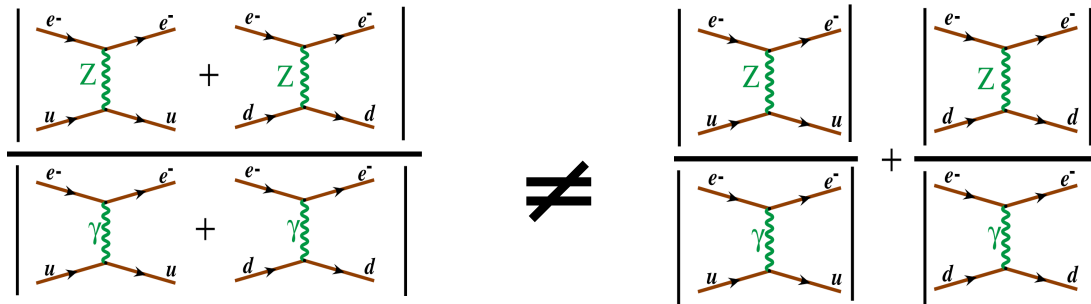


$$R_{CSV} = \frac{\delta A_{PV}(x)}{A_{PV}(x)} = 0.28 \frac{\delta u(x) - \delta d(x)}{u(x) + d(x)}$$

- **Direct observation of parton-level CSV would be very exciting!**
- **Important implications for high energy collider pdfs**
- **Could explain significant portion of the NuTeV anomaly**

Higher Twist

Does higher twist fully cancel from the asymmetry?

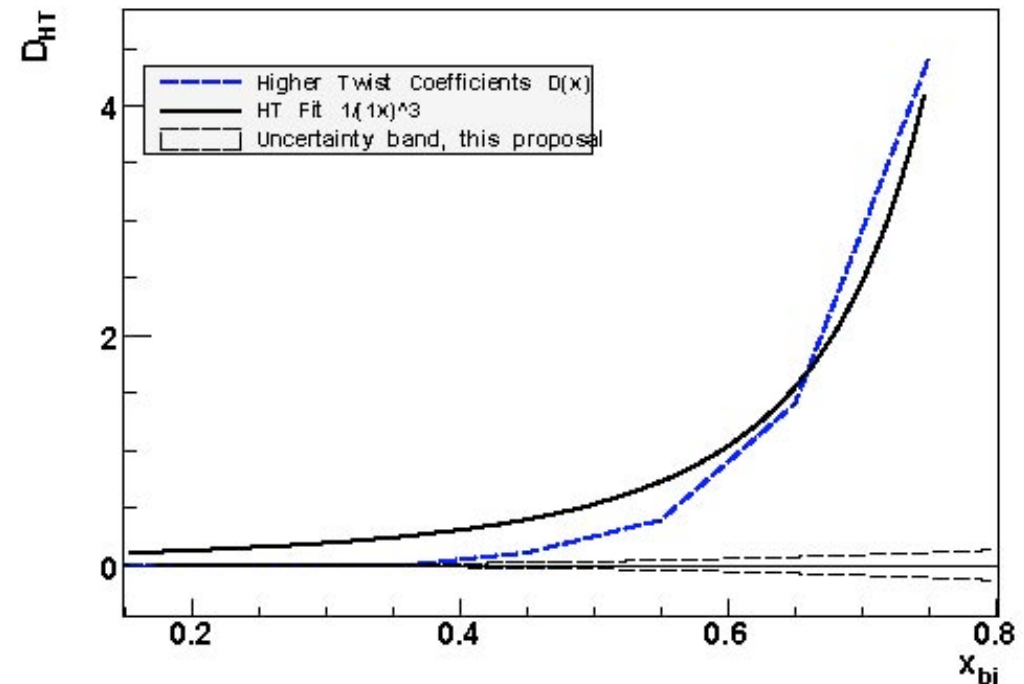


At higher x, a more interesting higher twist effect may be evident:

$$F_2(x, Q^2) = F_2(x) (1 + D(x)/Q^2)$$

- A_{PV} sensitive to diquarks: ratio of weak to electromagnetic charge depends on amount coherence
- Do diquarks have twice the x of single quarks?

$$A_{PV} = A_{PV} (1 + C_{HT}(x)/Q^2)$$

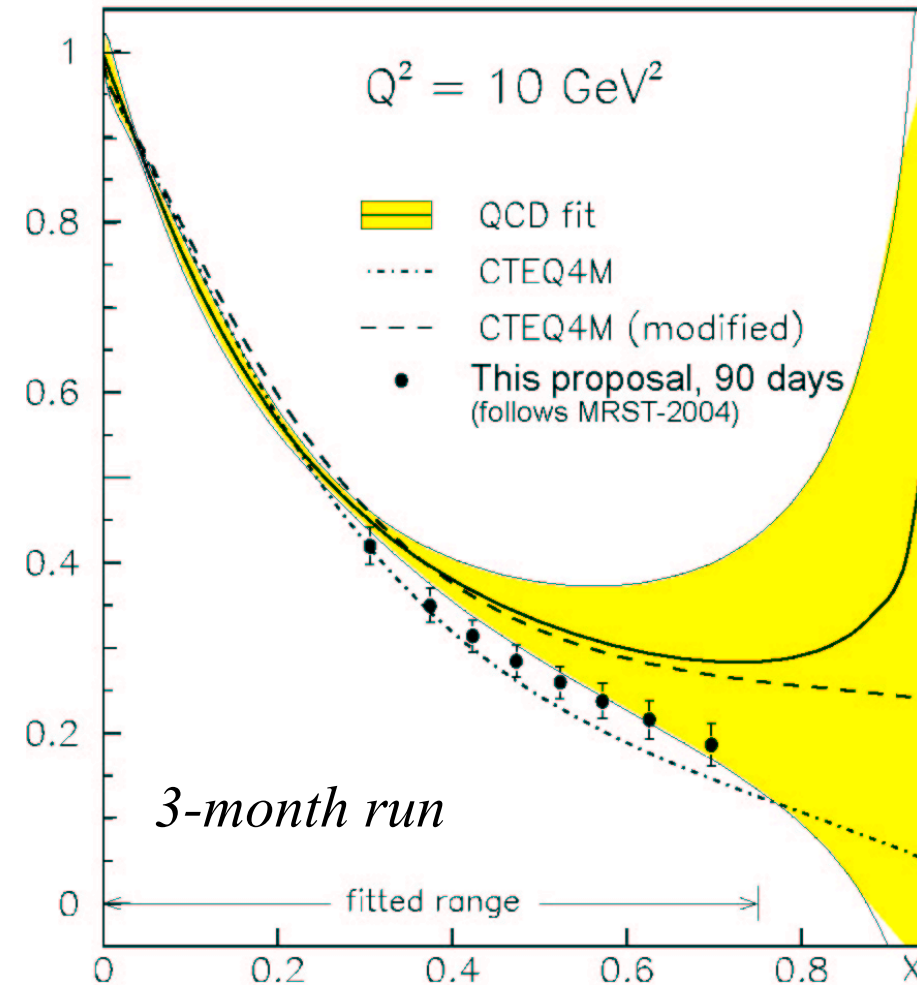


PVDIS on the Proton: d/u at High x

$$a^P(x) \approx \frac{u(x) + 0.91d(x)}{u(x) + 0.25d(x)}$$

*Deuteron analysis has large
nuclear corrections (Yellow)*

A_{pV} for the proton has no
such corrections
(complementary to BONUS)



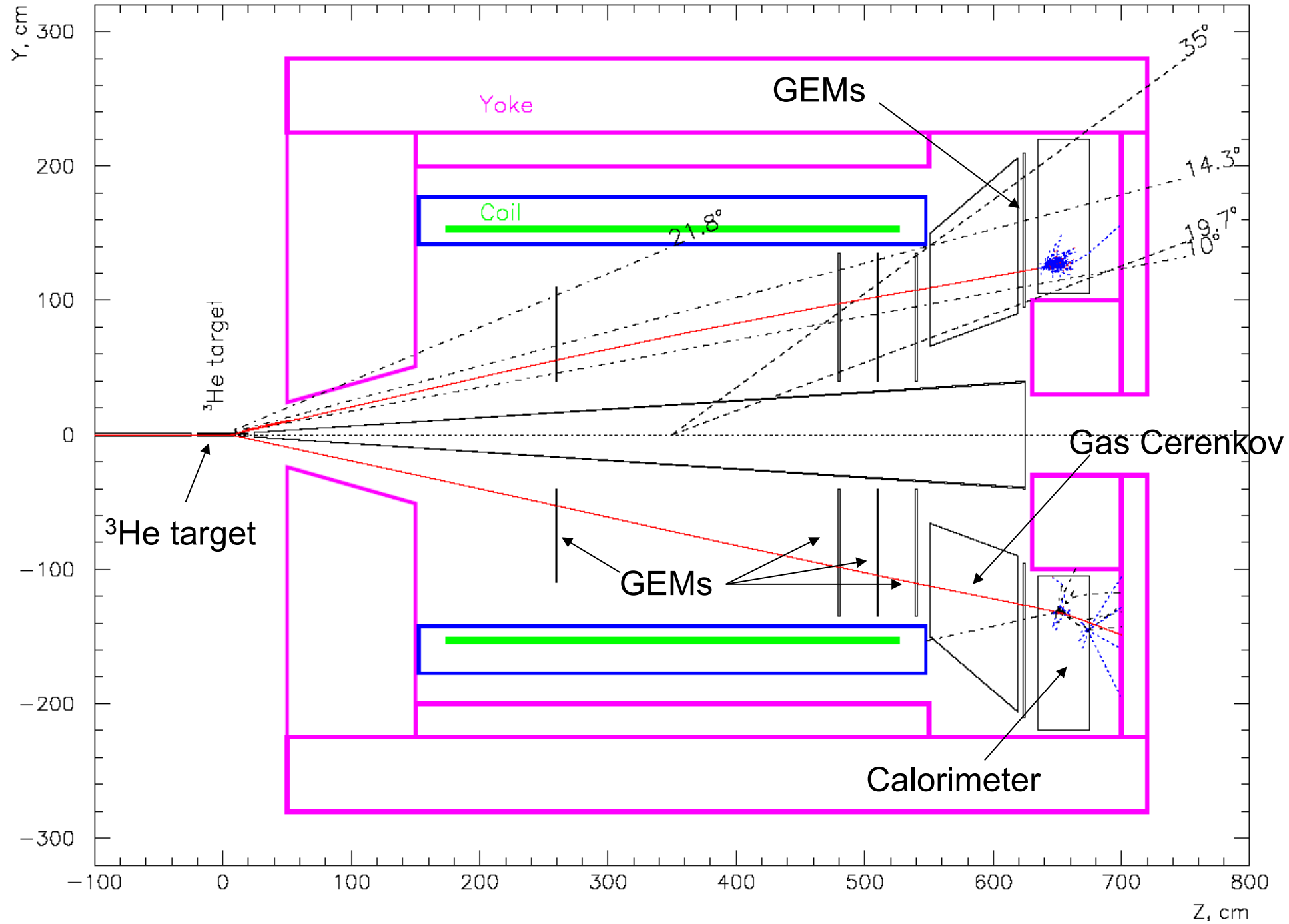
The challenge is to get statistical and systematic errors $\sim 2\%$

Neutron Transversity

- Transversity and *TMDs*
 - From exploration to precision study
 - Transversity: fundamental PDFs, tensor charge
 - TMDs provide 3-d structure information of the nucleon
 - Laboratory to study QCD
 - Learn about quark orbital angular momentum
 - Multi-dimensional mapping of TMDs
 - 3-d (x, z, P^\perp)
 - Q^2 dependence
 - multi facilities, global effort
- Demanding measurement
 - Multi-dimension, small asymmetries, precision → very high statistics
 - High luminosity AND large acceptance needed
 - With the proposed spectrometers Hall A can do Transversity and *TMDs*: unprecedented precision

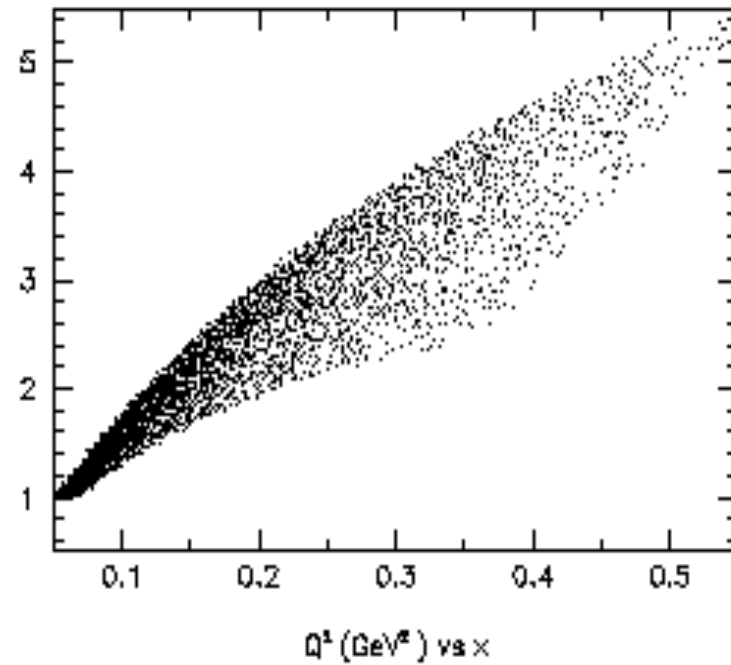
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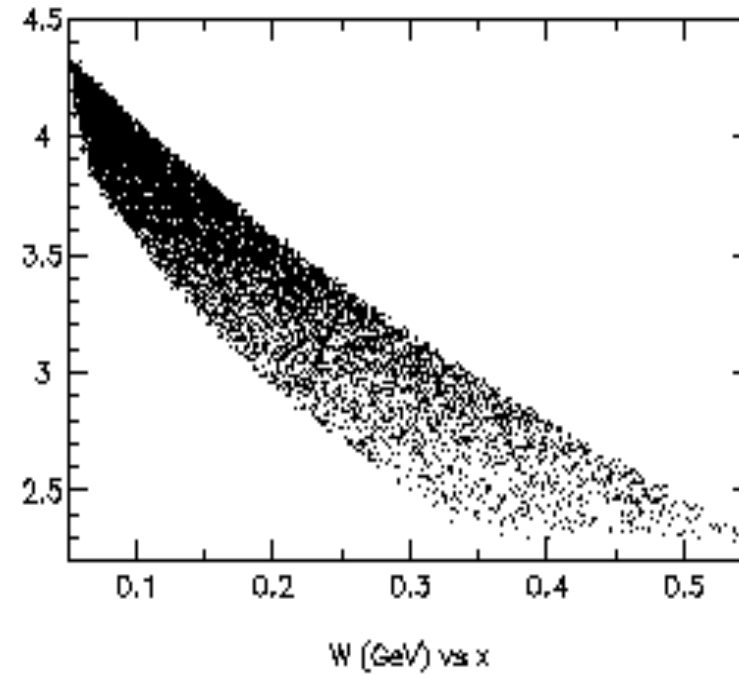


SIDIS Kinematical with the Solenoid (100-170)

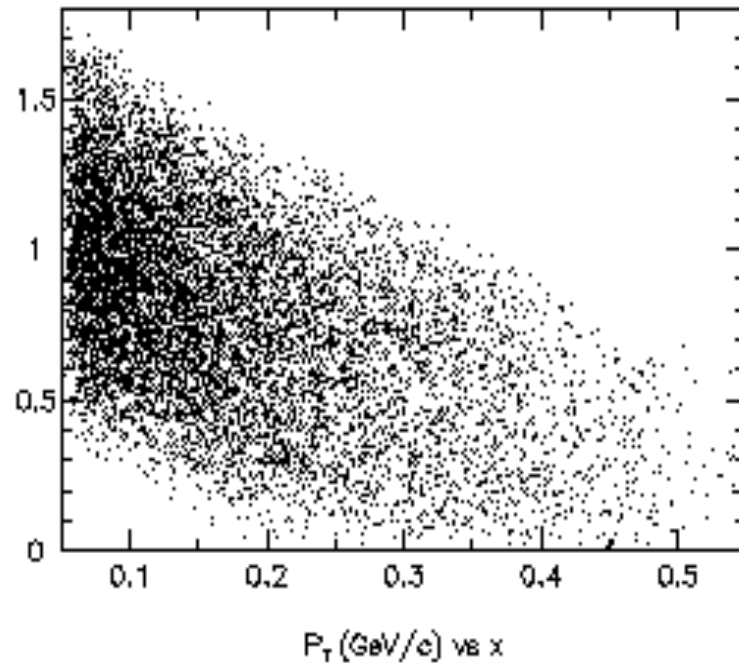
Q^2 vs x



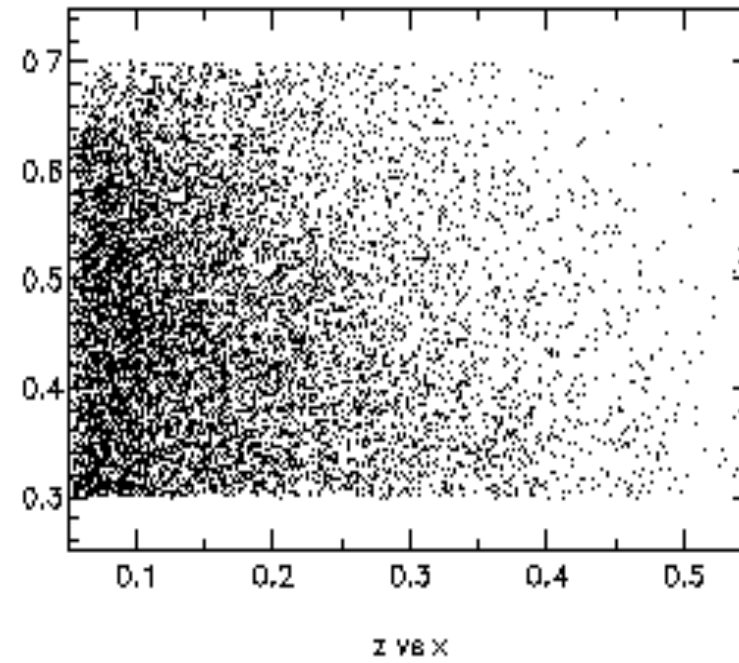
W vs
 x



P_T vs
 x

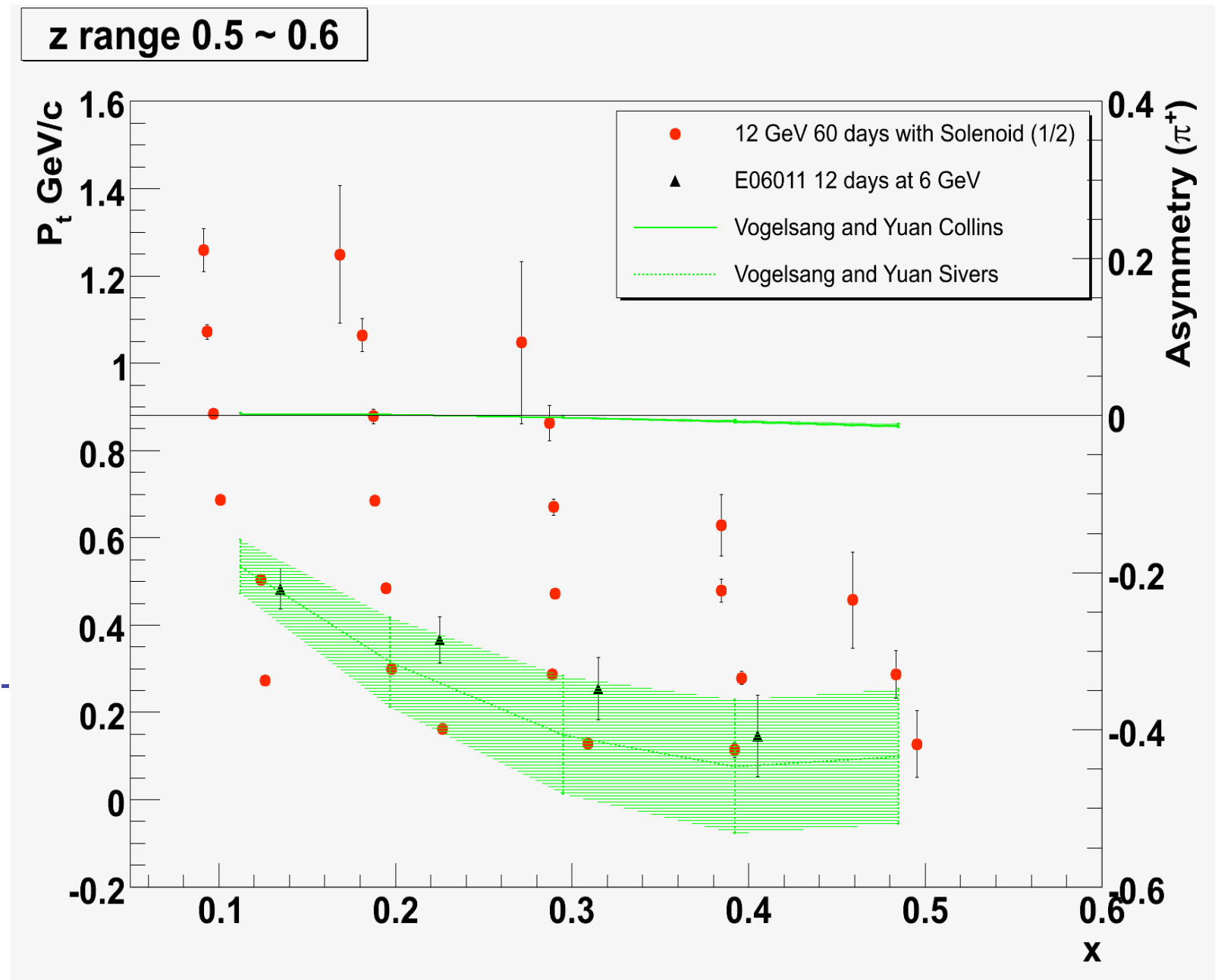


z vs
 x



Projection vs P_T and x for π^+ (60 days)

- For one z bin (0.5-0.6)
- Will obtain 4 z bins (0.3-0.7)
- Also π^- at same time
- With upgraded PID for K^+ and K^-



Measurement of the Semi-Inclusive π and K electro-production in DIS regime from transversely polarized ^3He target with the SBS & BB spectrometers in Hall A

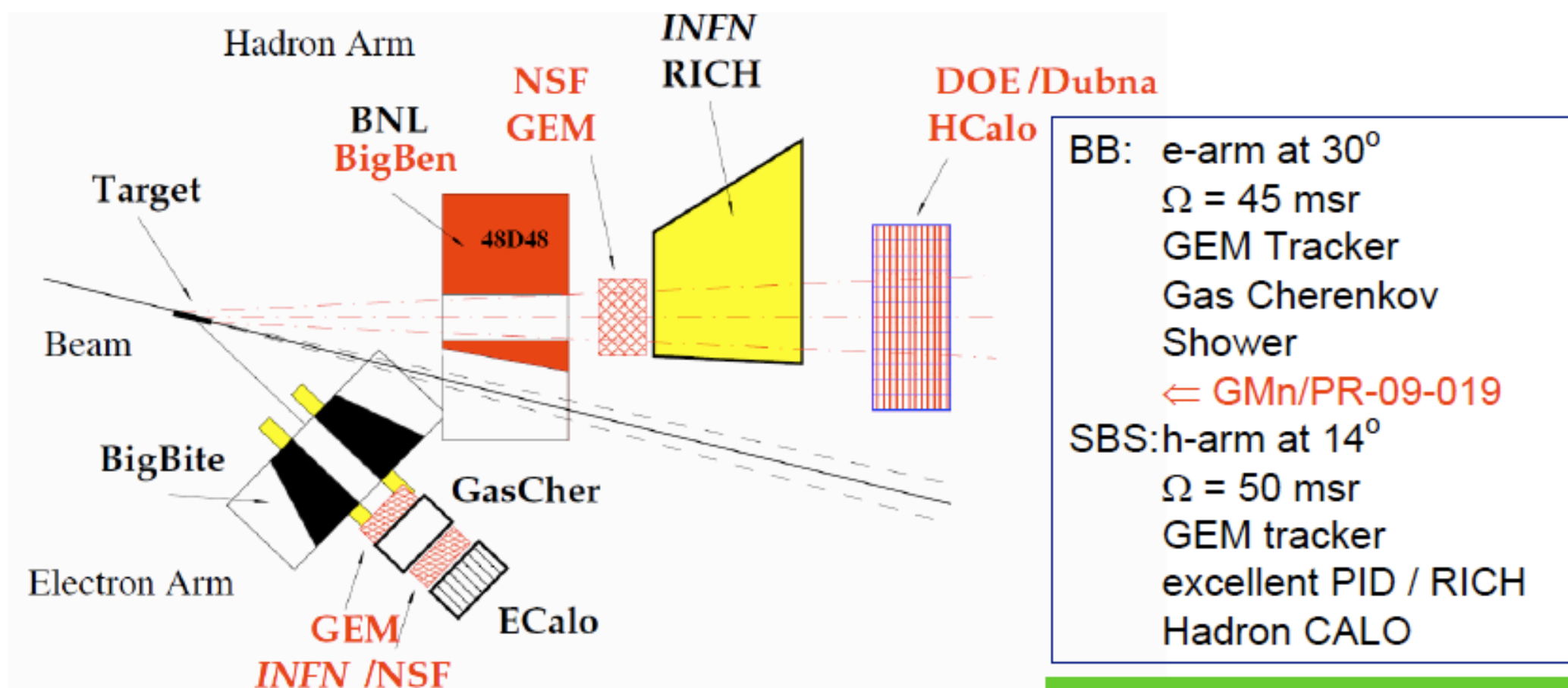
G. Cates, E. Cisbani, G.B. Franklin, B. Wojtsekhowski
and the SBS Collaboration

<http://hallaweb.jlab.org/12GeV/SuperBigBite>

- Extract Sivers and Collins (and Pretzelosity) asymmetries on π and K with **high statistics**
- Provide **2D binning** (at least) on the relevant variables: x , P_\perp and z , for both hadrons
- Provide **Q^2 dependence**
- Explore for the first time the **high x valence region** (with overlap to HERMES, COMPASS, JLab6 data)

Experimental Setup and parameters

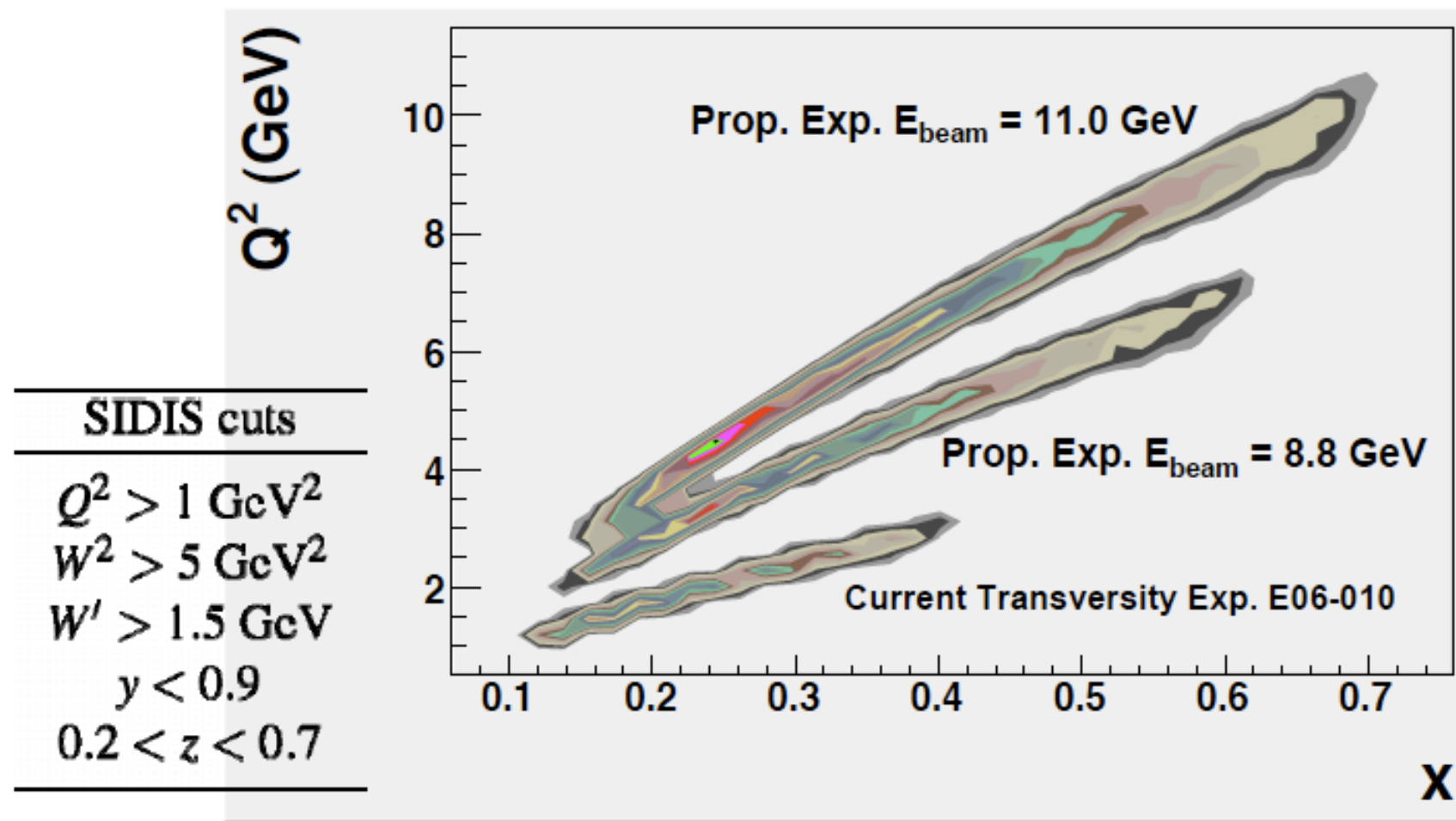
$$e + {}^3\text{He}^{\uparrow} \rightarrow e' + \pi(K)^{\pm} + X$$



Beam: $50 \mu\text{A}$, $E=8.8$ and 11 GeV (80% long. Pol.)
 Target: 65% polarized ${}^3\text{He} \Leftarrow$ **GEN(2)/PR-09-016**
 \Rightarrow **Luminosity:** $1.4 \times 10^{37} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$, 0.05 sr

Event rate: $\sim 10^4 \times \text{HERMES}$
 60 days of production
 expected stat. accuracy:
1/10 of proton HERMES

Q^2 coverage



We will investigate the Q^2 dependence of the Sivers and Collins functions, with overlap in the region of HERMES; reveal higher twist effects. Analysis of the Q^2 effect will use also the results of presently running 6 GeV E06-010 Transversity experiment

Conclusion

- Proposed Super-Bigbite and SoLID spectrometers in Hall A enable a very exciting DIS program
- Neutron spin structure at high x : A_n^1
 - test fundamental predictions of nucleon structure.
 - flavor decomposition of polarized pdfs
- Parity violating DIS (PVDIS)
 - Excellent sensitivity to $C2u$ and $C2d$.
 - Test CSV at quark level.
 - Unique window on higher twists.
- Semi Inclusive DIS (SIDIS)
 - ~3 orders of magnitude improvement
 - Transversity and TMDs
 - Entering a new era of precision study:
 - 3-dimensional "mapping" (x , PT and z)