

WASA-FRS HypHI experiment at GSI for studying light hypernuclei

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Very recently, from January till March in 2022, the WASA-FRS HypHI experiment was performed at GSI for measuring the lifetime of the hypertriton and the ${}^4_{\Lambda}\text{H}$ hypernucleus precisely as well as for confirming whether or not the $nn\Lambda$ bound state can exist. The experiment has been carried out with the WASA central detector with a complex of additional dedicated detectors mounted together at the mid-focal plane of the high-momentum-resolution forward spectrometer, so-called the fragment separator FRS. Hypernuclei of interest have been produced by induced reactions of ${}^6\text{Li}$ projectiles at 1.96 AGeV on a diamond target of 9.87 g/cm². Negative charged π mesons from two-body decays of hypernuclei of interest are measured by the WASA and the other detectors, and residual nuclei after the π^- decay are measured by the FRS with a momentum resolving power of 10^4 . Details of the experiment and preliminary results will be discussed.

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