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# Exclusive Tensor-Polarized $d(e,e'p)$



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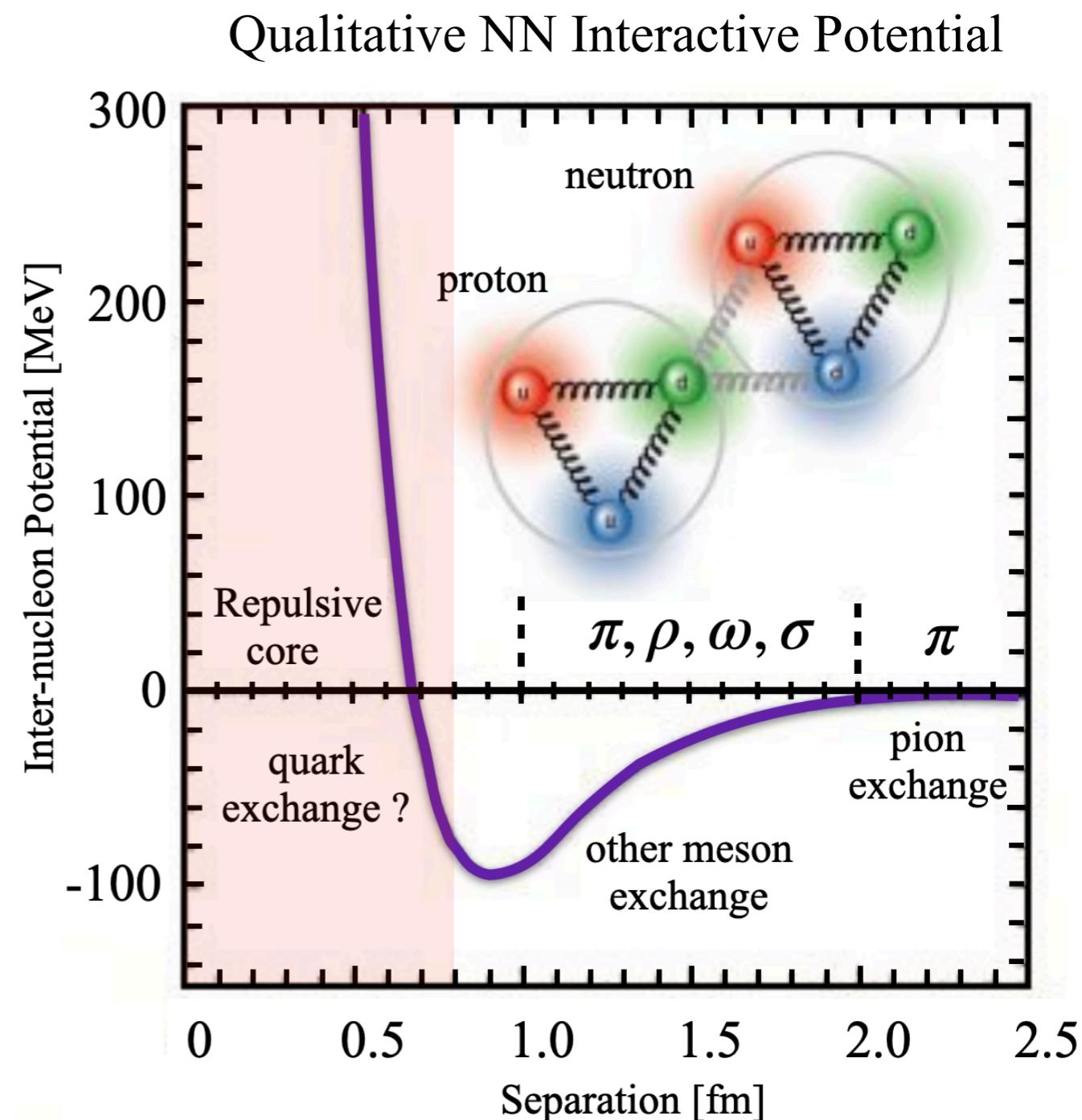
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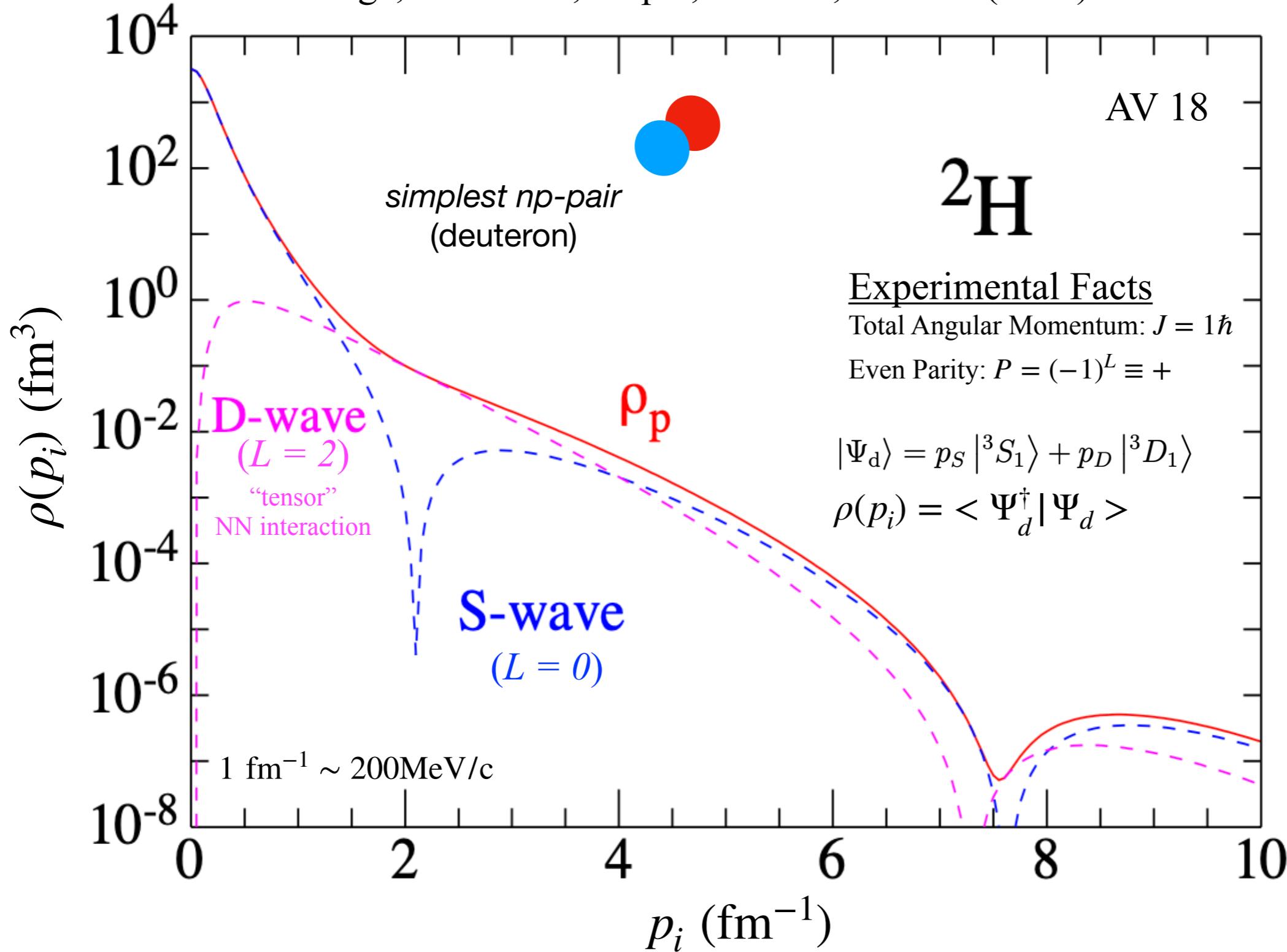
# why study the deuteron ?

- most simple  $np$  bound state to study  $NN$  interaction at sub-Fermi scale (repulsive core)
- elementary system for studying short-range correlations (SRC) in  $A>2$  nuclei
- final-state interactions (FSI) reliable and well-understood which is a requirement for directly probing short-range



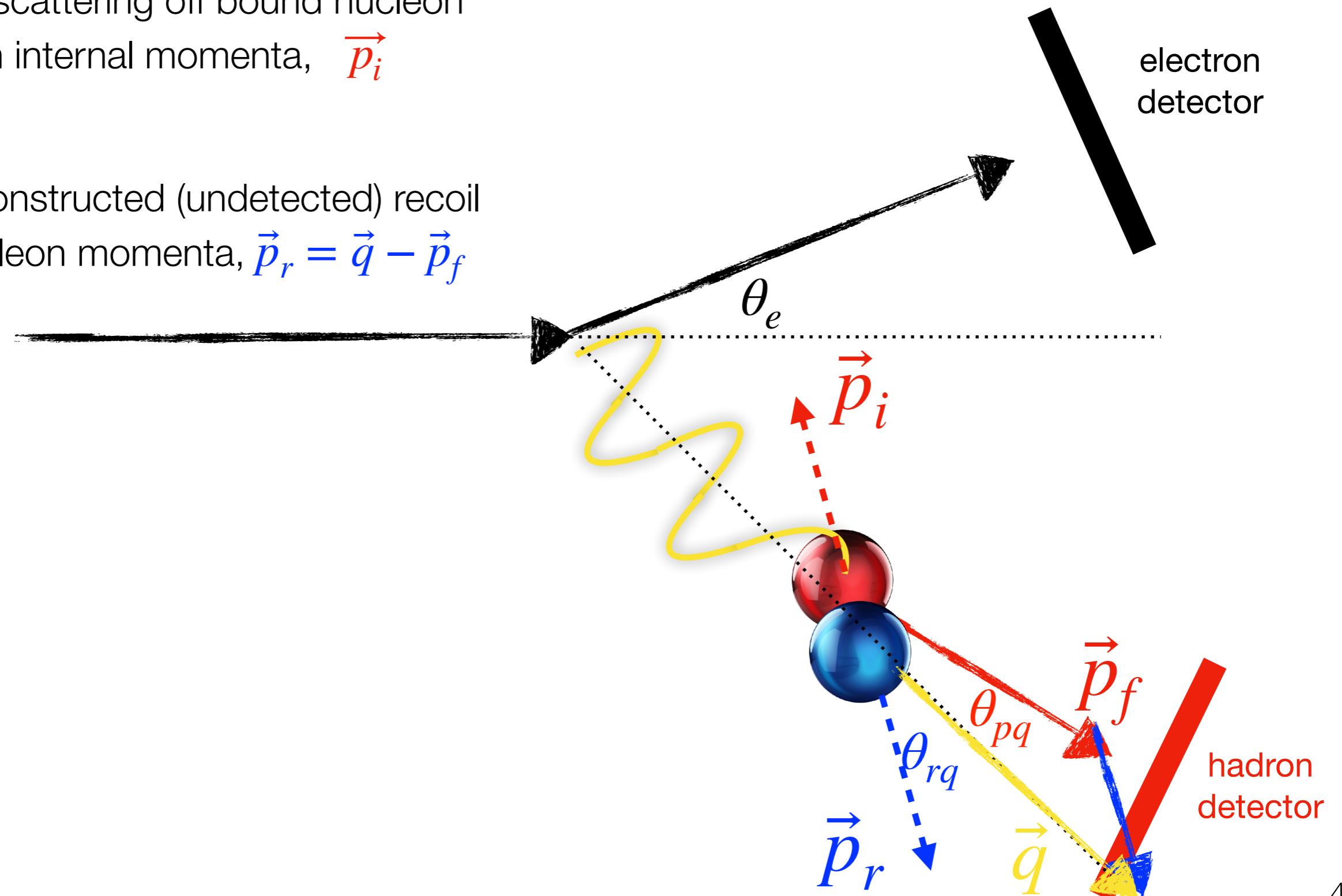
# momentum distribution

Wiringa, Schiavilla, Pieper, Carlson, PRC **89** (2014) 024305



# probing high-momentum structure

- e- scattering off bound nucleon with internal momenta,  $\vec{p}_i$
- reconstructed (undetected) recoil nucleon momenta,  $\vec{p}_r = \vec{q} - \vec{p}_f$

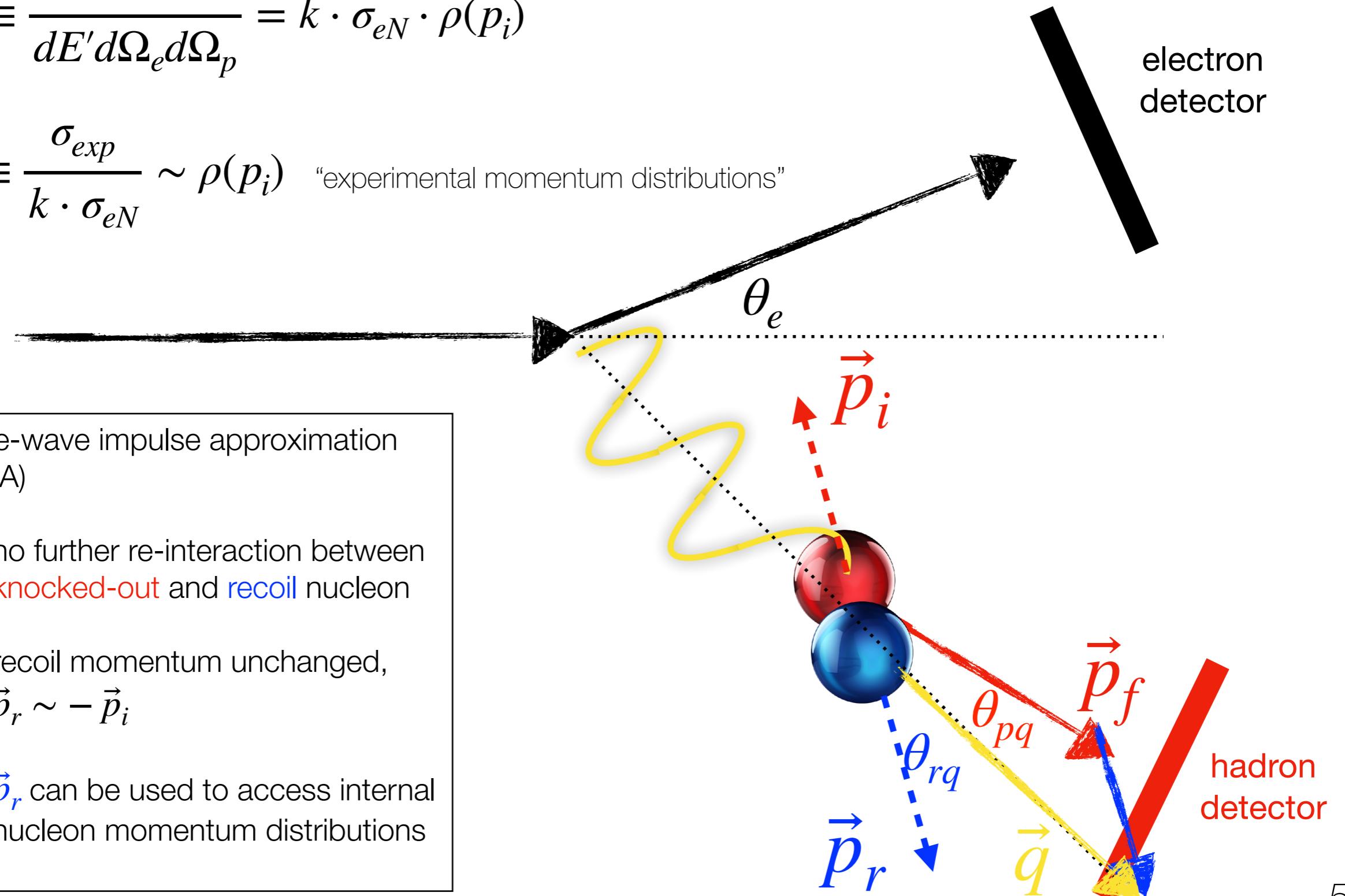


# probing high-momentum structure

$$\sigma_{exp} \equiv \frac{d^5\sigma}{dE'd\Omega_e d\Omega_p} = k \cdot \sigma_{eN} \cdot \rho(p_i)$$

$$\sigma_{red} \equiv \frac{\sigma_{exp}}{k \cdot \sigma_{eN}} \sim \rho(p_i) \quad \text{"experimental momentum distributions"}$$

- plane-wave impulse approximation (PWIA)
  - ▶ no further re-interaction between **knocked-out** and **recoil** nucleon
  - ▶ recoil momentum unchanged,  $\vec{p}_r \sim -\vec{p}_i$
  - ▶  $\vec{p}_r$  can be used to access internal nucleon momentum distributions



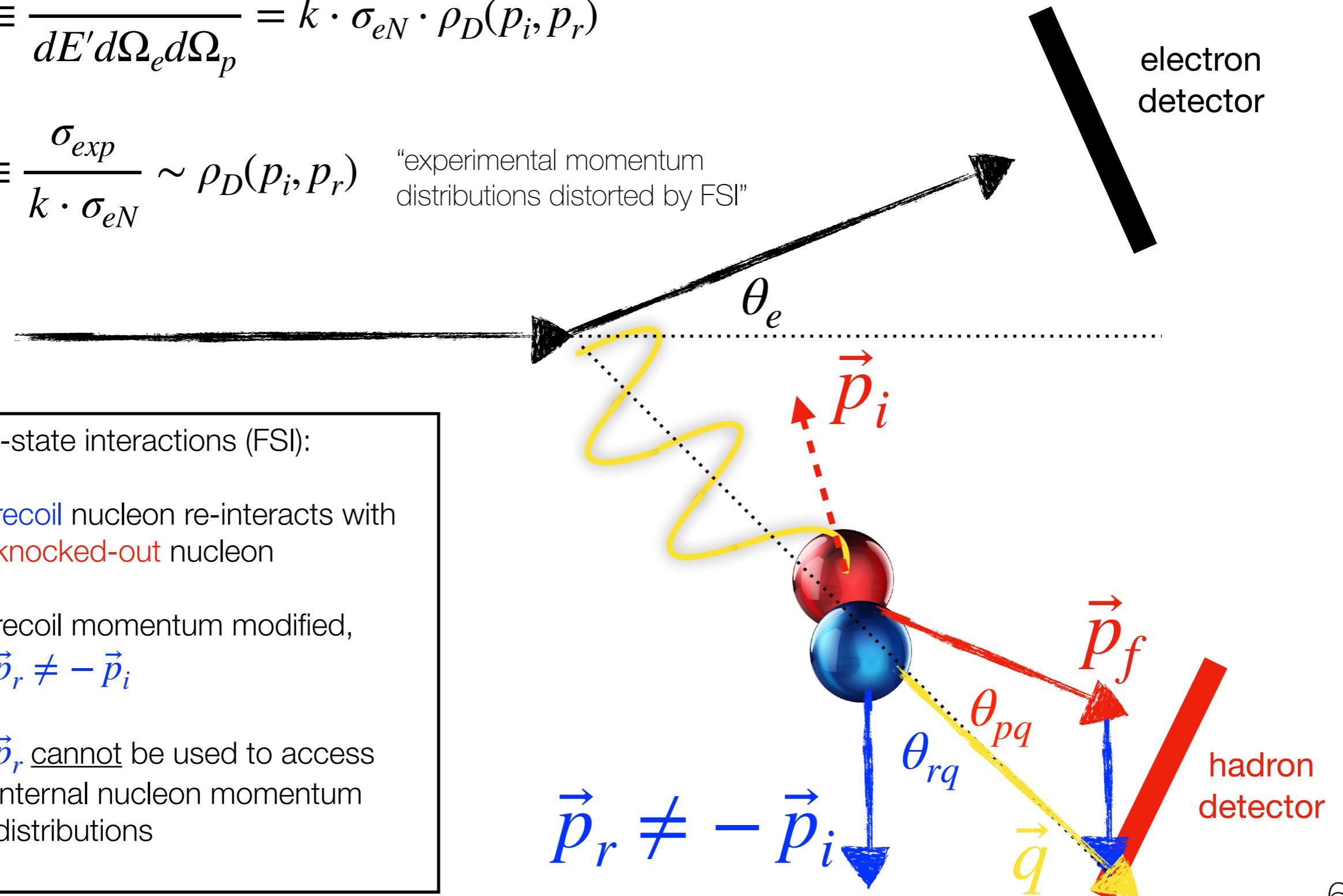
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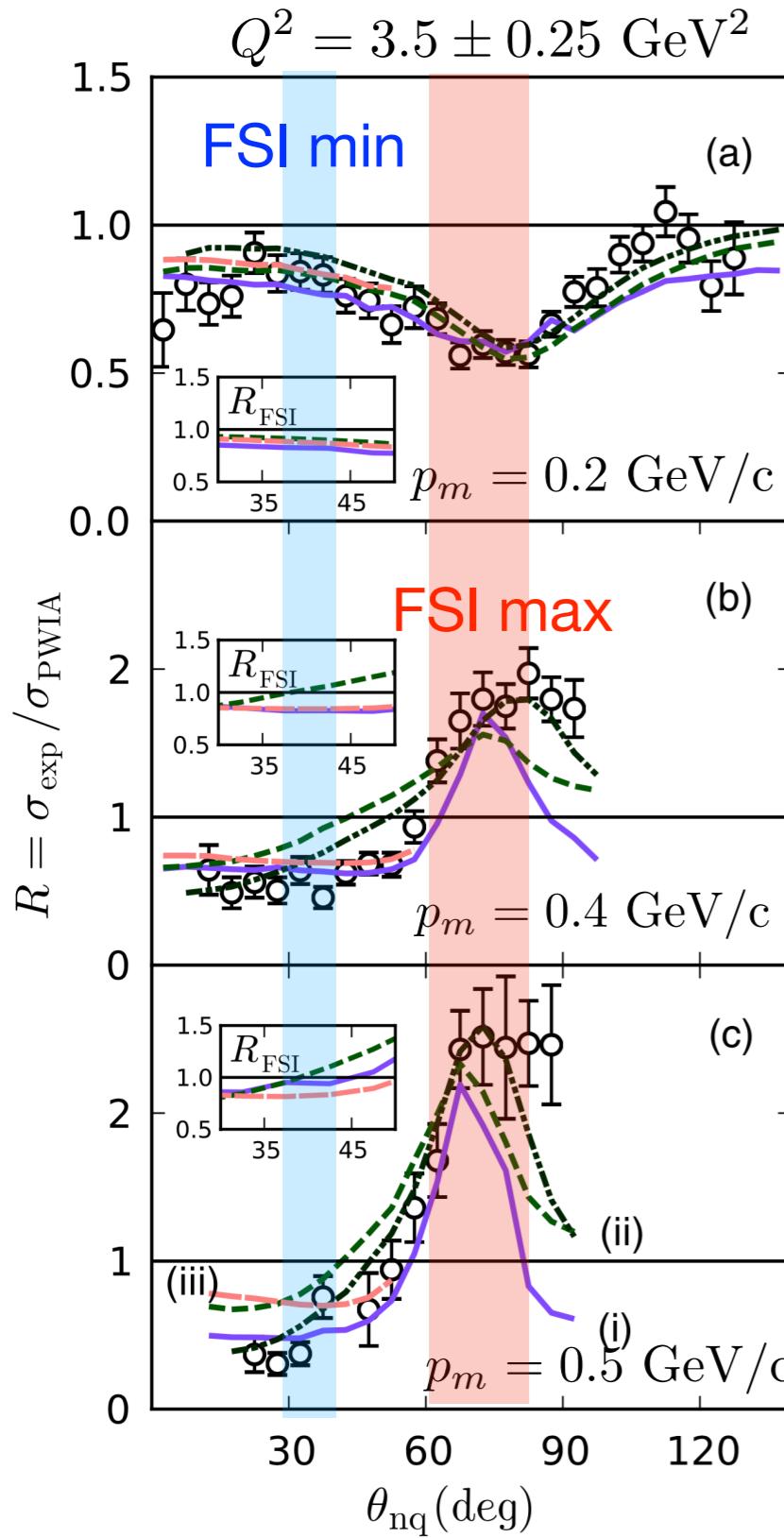
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"experimental momentum distributions distorted by FSI"

- Final-state interactions (FSI):
  - recoil nucleon re-interacts with **knocked-out** nucleon
  - recoil momentum modified,  
 $\vec{p}_r \neq -\vec{p}_i$
  - $\vec{p}_r$  cannot be used to access internal nucleon momentum distributions

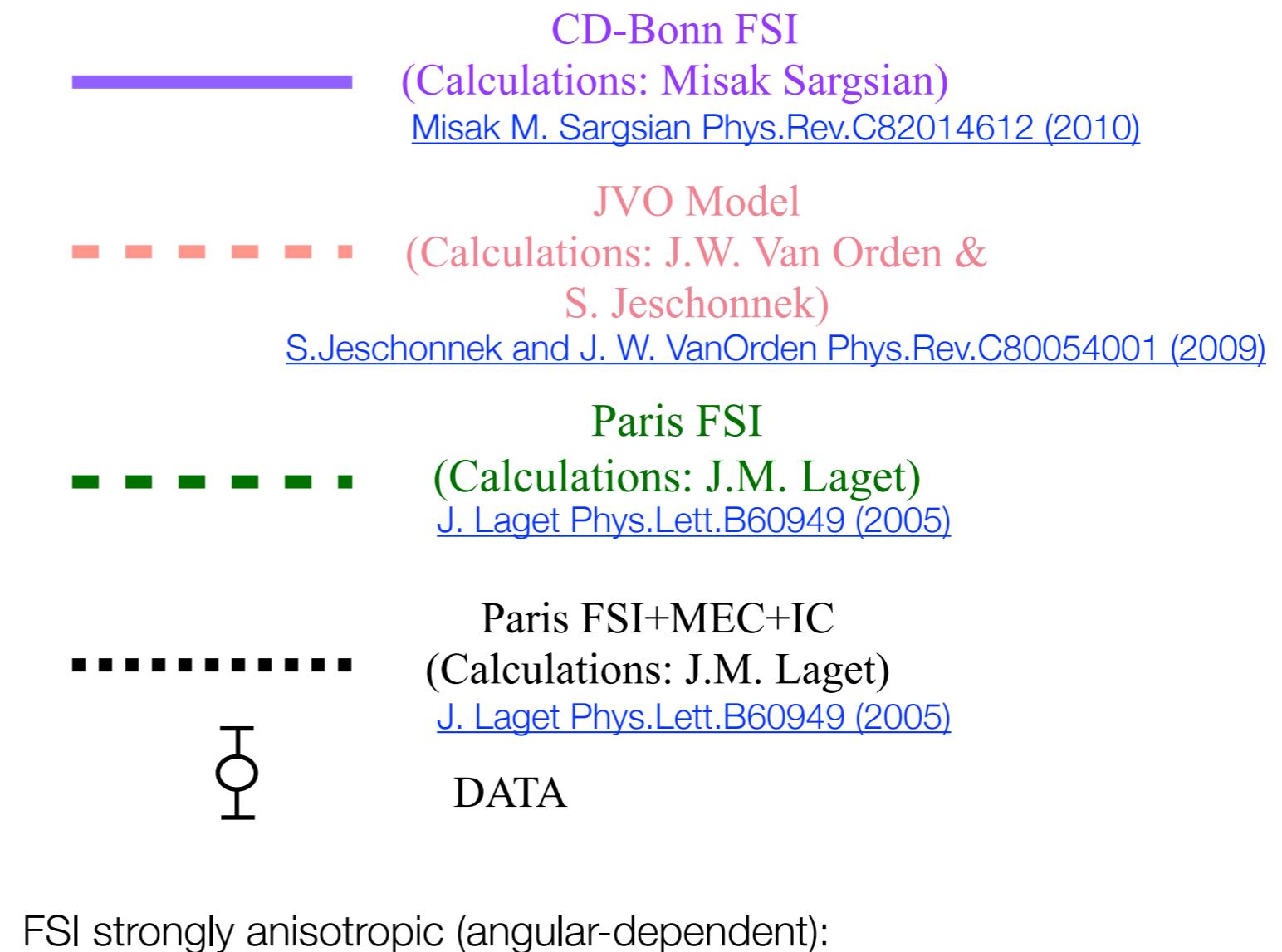


# controlling final-state interactions (FSI)



[Boeglin et al. \(Hall A\) Phys.Rev.Lett. 107, 262501 \(2011\)](#)

[K. S. Egiyan et al. \(CLAS\) Phys. Rev. Lett. 98, 262502 \(2007\)](#)



FSI strongly anisotropic (angular-dependent):

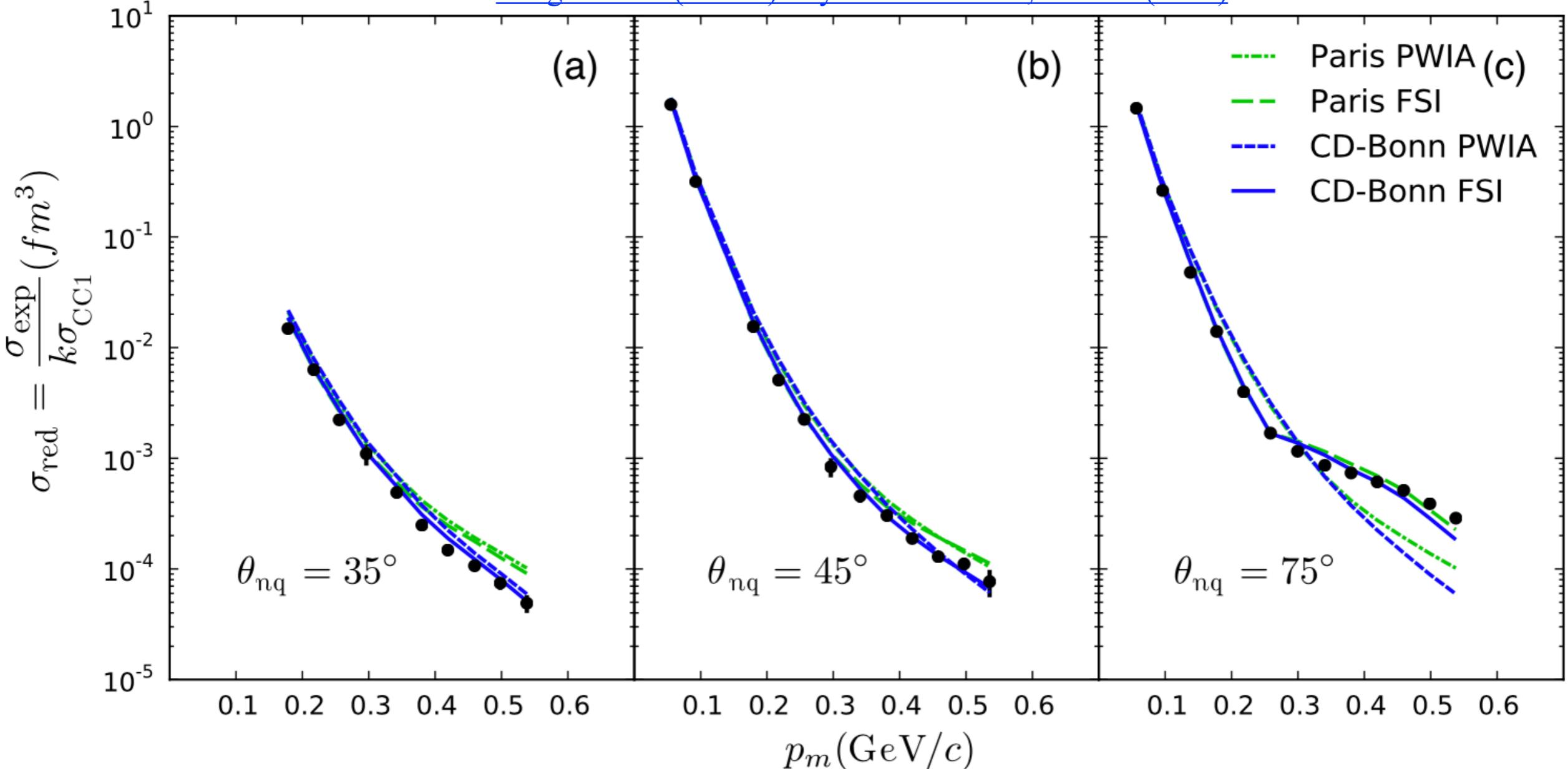
- Sargsian uses GEA, Laget uses fully relativistic
- **FSI peak at  $\theta_{nq} \sim 70^\circ$**
- minimal FSI at  $\theta_{nq} \sim 35 - 45^\circ$

GEA theory:

[L. L. Frankfurt, M. M. Sargsian, and M. I. Strikman Phys.Rev.C561124 \(1997\)](#)

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CD-Bonn (Calculations: Misak Sargsian)  
[Misak M. Sargsian Phys.Rev.C82014612 \(2010\)](#)

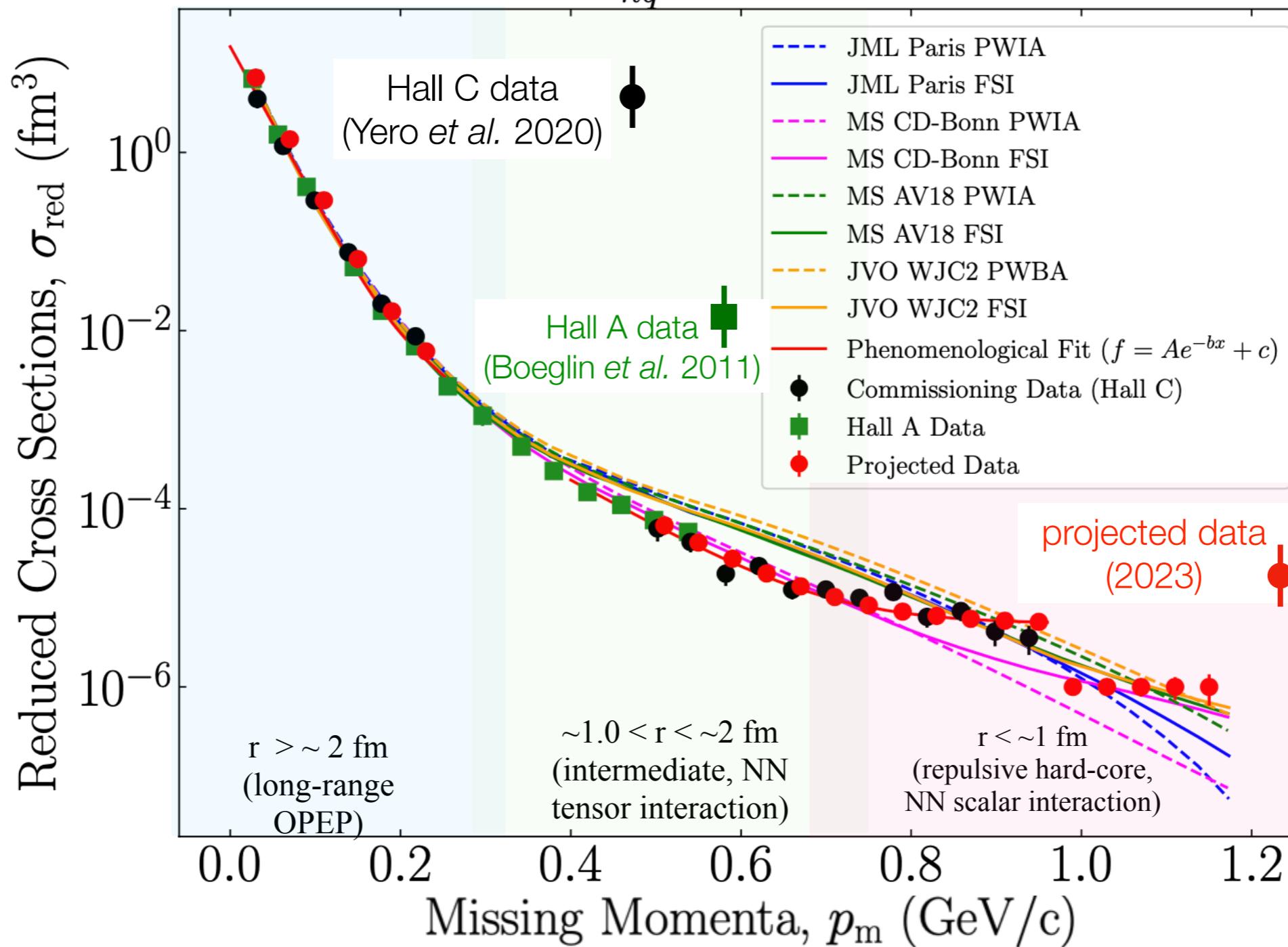
Paris (Calculations: J.M. Laget)  
[J. Laget Phys.Lett.B60949 \(2005\)](#)

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# probing the $NN$ repulsive core in unpolarized $d(e, e'p)$

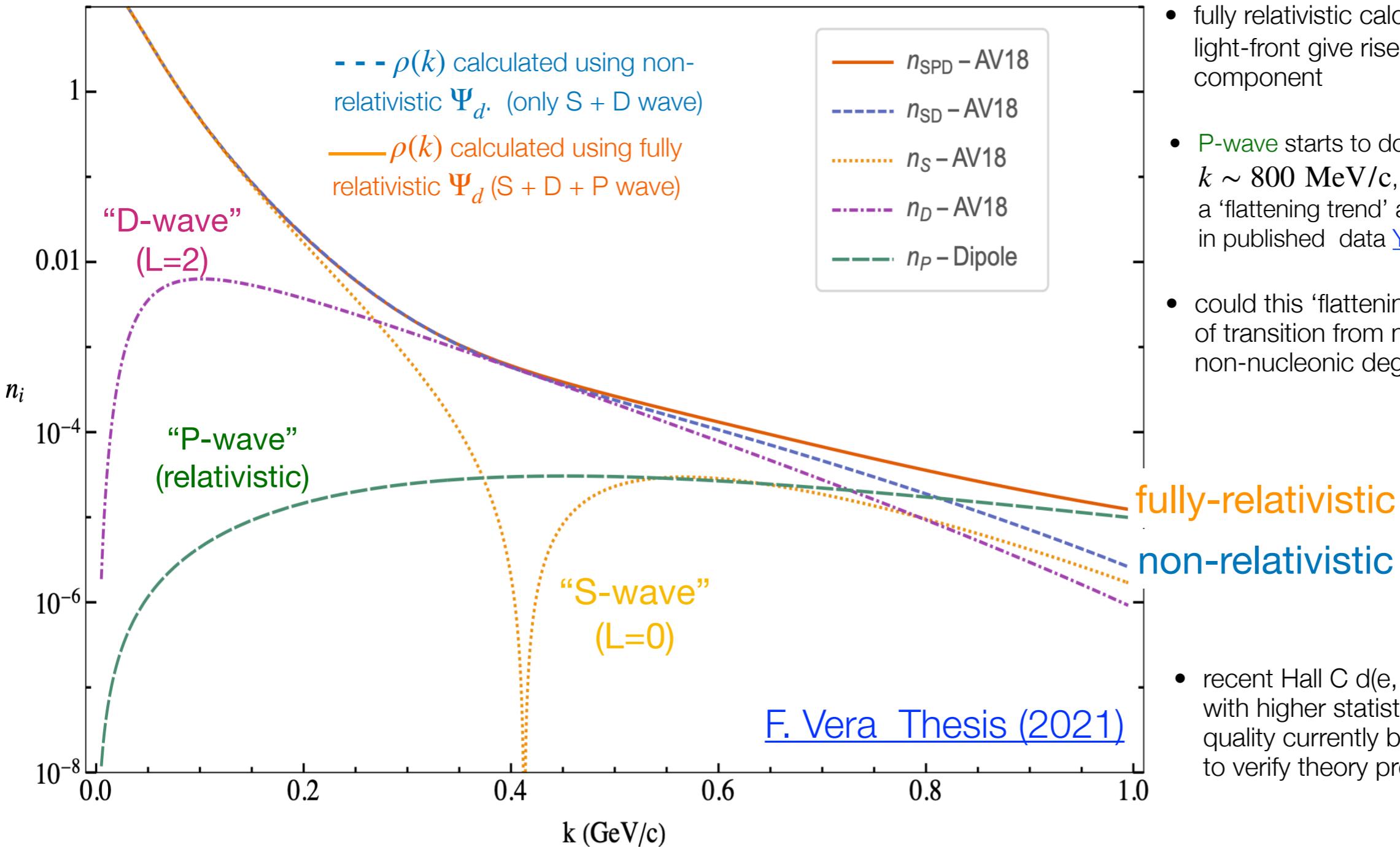
$$\theta_{nq} = 35 \pm 5^\circ$$



- non-relativistic theory calc. using **CD-Bonn** (M. Sargsian) reproduce data up to  $p_m \sim 0.7$  GeV/c
- no model reproduces data  $p_m > 0.7$  GeV/c (non-nucleonic degrees of freedom?, quarks?)

# probing the $NN$ repulsive core: recent theoretical advances

1-Body Momentum Distribution for Deuteron's  $\langle pn \rangle$  component – Includes: S, D, and P waves



- fully relativistic calculation of  $\Psi_d$  in the light-front give rise to a 'P-wave' -like component
- P-wave starts to dominate at  $k \sim 800$  MeV/c, characterized by a 'flattening trend' also observed in published data [Yero et al. 2020](#)
- could this 'flattening' be indication of transition from nucleonic to non-nucleonic degrees of freedom?
- recent Hall C d(e, e'p) experiment with higher statistics / improved quality currently being analyzed to verify theory prediction

See Misak Sargsian talk: [ECT Trento workshop 2023](#)

See recently published theoretical paper : "A New Structure in the Deuteron"  
[Misak M. Sargsian and Frank Vera Phys. Rev. Lett. 130, 112502](#)

"dumbbell"



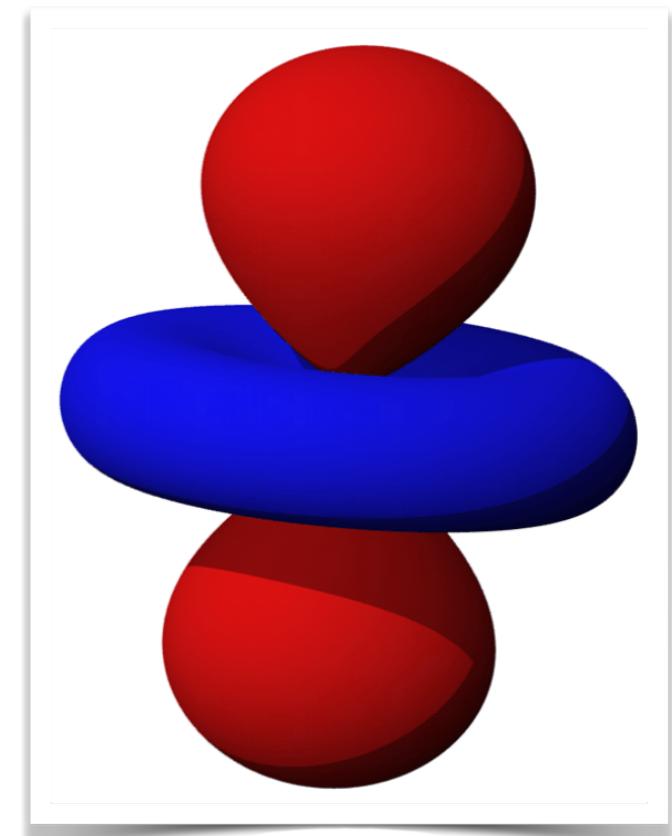
"torus"



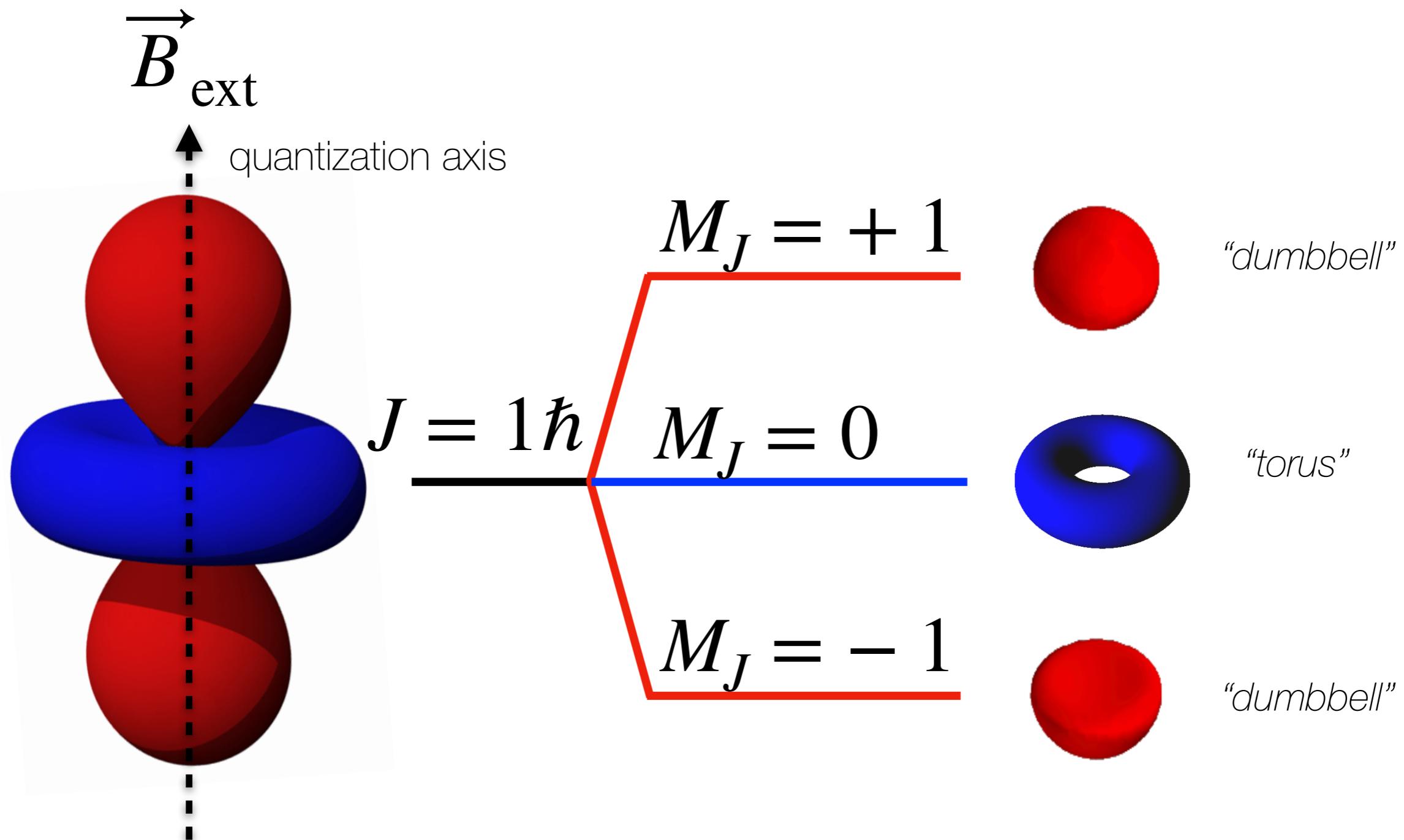
# Polarizing the Deuteron

[D Keller 2014 J. Phys.: Conf. Ser. 543 012015 \(2014\)](#)

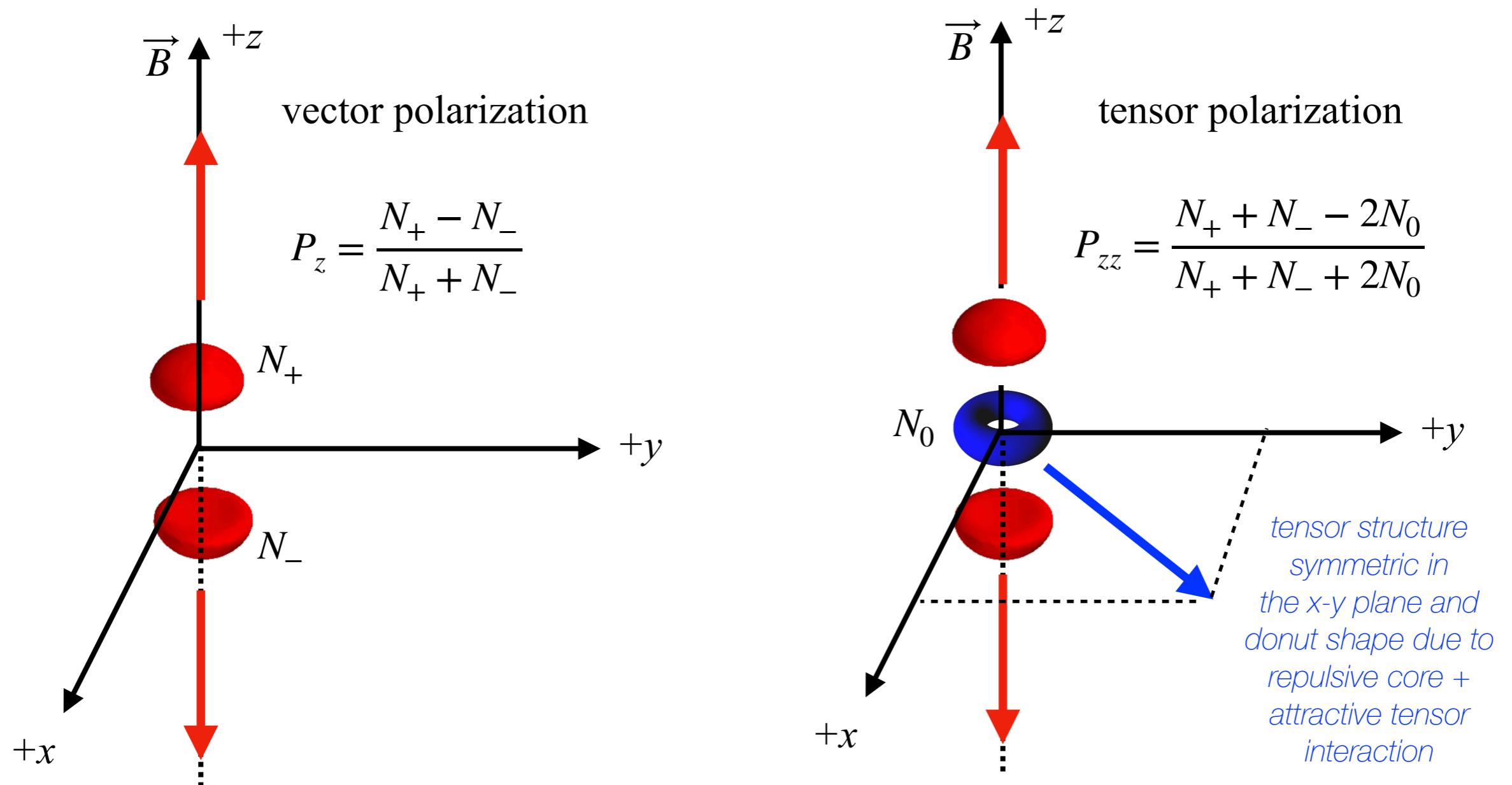
D. Keller, D. Crabb, D. Day [Enhanced tensor polarization in solid-state targets](#)  
*Nuclear Instruments and Methods in Physics Research Section A: Accelerators, Spectrometers, Detectors and Associated Equipment*, vol. 981, pp. 164503, 2020, issn: 0168-9002.



spin-1 (deuteron) system under magnetic field  
splits into 3 spin-substates via Zeeman Interaction

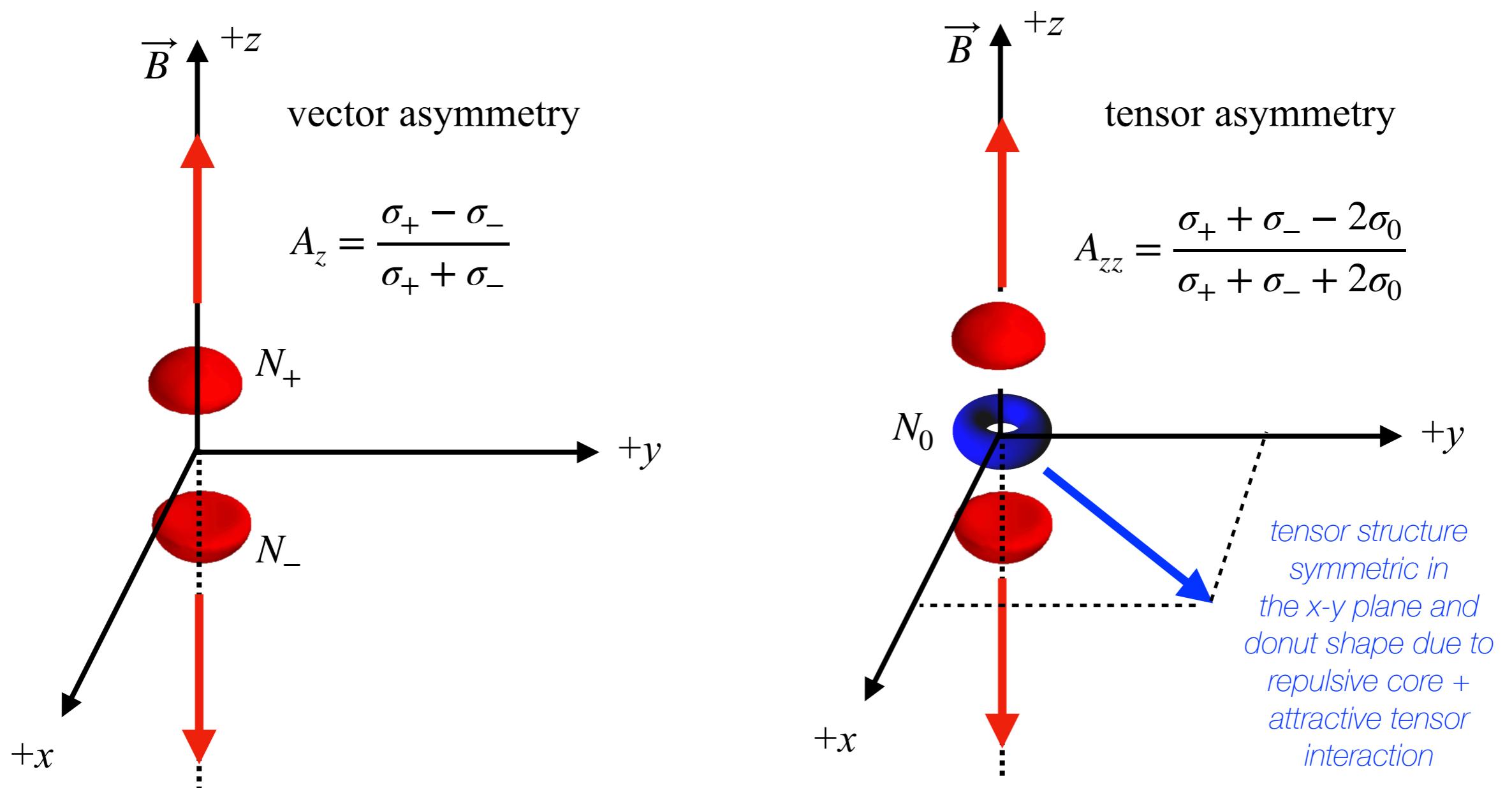


# target spin orientation



$N_+, N_-, N_0$  : relative population of target nuclei in a particular spin configuration

# target spin asymmetry



$\sigma_+, \sigma_-, \sigma_0$  : absolute cross sections in particular spin configuration

general  $d(e, e'p)$  polarized cross section

$$\sigma_{\text{pol}} = \sigma_{\text{unpol}} \left[ 1 + P_z A_z + \frac{1}{2} P_{zz} A_{zz} + h_e (A_e + P_z A_{e,z} + P_{zz} A_{e,zz}) \right]$$

$$\sigma_i \equiv \frac{d^5 \sigma_i}{dE' d\Omega_e d\Omega_p}$$

$P_z$  : target vector polarization

$P_{zz}$  : target tensor polarization

$h_e$  : electron beam helicity

$A_e$  : electron beam analyzing power

$A_{z,(zz)}$  : target vector (tensor) analyzing power

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integrate over  
vector polarization

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# general $d(e, e'p)$ polarized cross section

$$\sigma_{\text{pol}} = \sigma_{\text{unpol}} \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{2} P_{zz} A_{zz} \right]$$

Simplified tensor-polarized cross sections from which tensor-asymmetry is extracted

$$\Rightarrow A_{zz} = \frac{2}{P_{zz}} \left( \frac{\sigma_{\text{pol}}}{\sigma_{\text{unpol}}} - 1 \right)$$

$P_{zz}$  : target tensor polarization

$\sigma_{\text{pol, unpol}}$  : polarized, unpolarized cross sections

$A_{zz}$  : target tensor analyzing power

$A_{zz}$  can also be expressed in terms of the spin-dependent cross sections and can be substituted above and solve for spin-dependent absolute cross sections

$$\begin{aligned} A_{zz} &= \frac{(\sigma_{+1} - \sigma_0) + (\sigma_{-1} - \sigma_0)}{\sigma_{-1} + \sigma_0 + \sigma_{+1}} \\ &= \frac{2(\sigma_{\pm 1} - \sigma_0)}{3 \sigma_{\text{unpol}}} \end{aligned}$$

See [W U Boeglin 2014 J. Phys.: Conf. Ser. 543 012011](#)

for detailed step-by-step calculations of the above  $A_{zz}$  expressions

# spin-dependent $d(e, e'p)$ polarized cross section

spin-dependent cross sections may be expressed as:  $\sigma_m = \sigma_m(P_{zz}, \sigma_{\text{pol}}, \sigma_{\text{unpol}})$

$$\sigma_0 = \sigma_{\text{unpol}} \left( 1 - \frac{2}{P_{zz}} \left( \frac{\sigma_{\text{pol}}}{\sigma_{\text{unpol}}} - 1 \right) \right)$$

“torus” component



$$\sigma_{\pm 1} = \sigma_{\text{unpol}} \left( 1 + \frac{1}{P_{zz}} \left( \frac{\sigma_{\text{pol}}}{\sigma_{\text{unpol}}} - 1 \right) \right)$$

“dumbbell” component



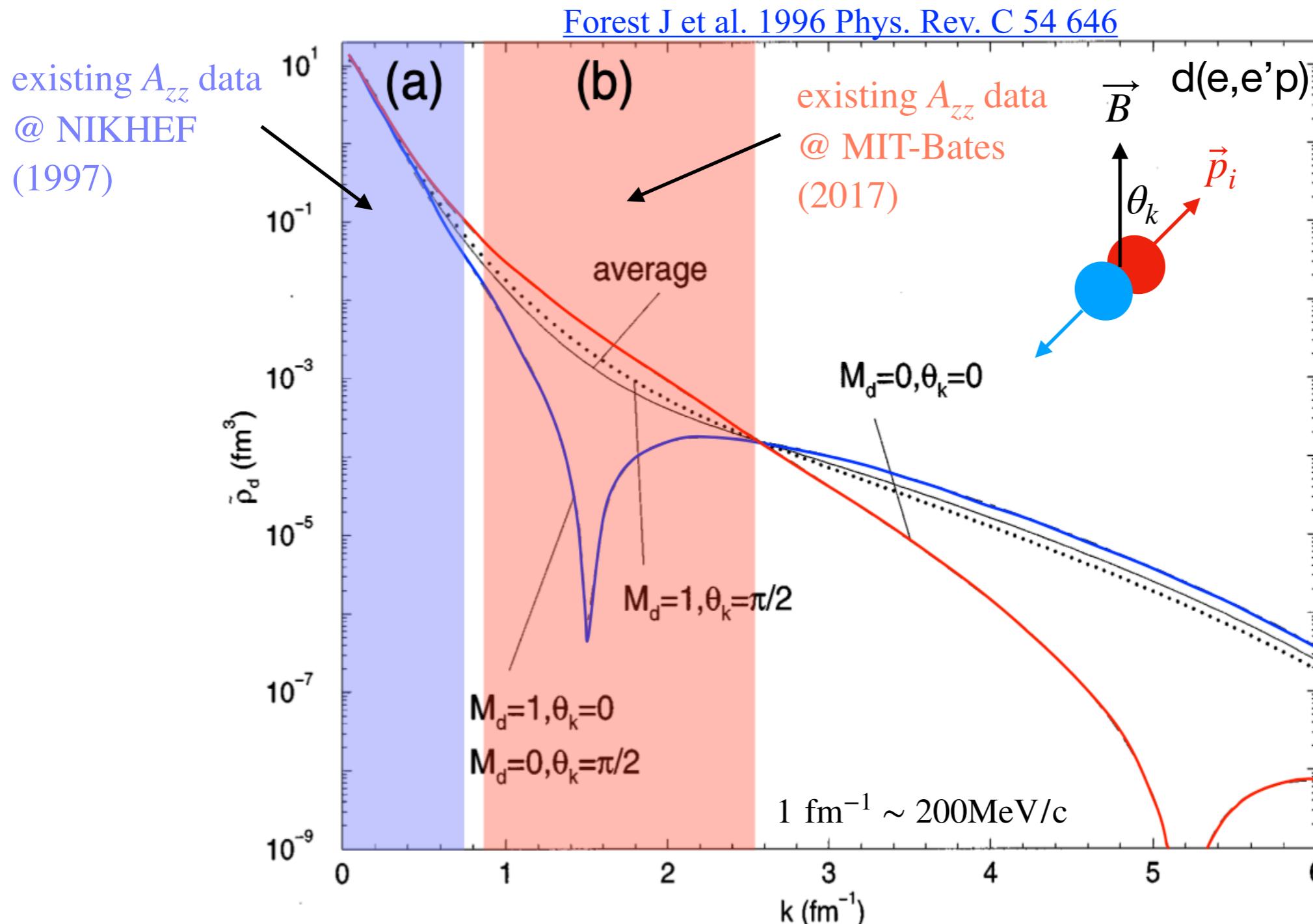
**Under PWIA assumption:** spin-dependent ~momentum distributions ( $\rho(p_m)_{0,\pm 1}$ ) can be extracted from the spin-dependent cross sections  $\sigma_{0,\pm 1}$

$$\sigma_{\text{red}} \equiv \frac{\sigma_{0,\pm 1}}{k \cdot \sigma_{eN}} \sim \rho_{0,\pm 1}(p_i)$$

spin-dependent reduced cross sections  
(are ~spin-dependent momentum distributions under PWIA)

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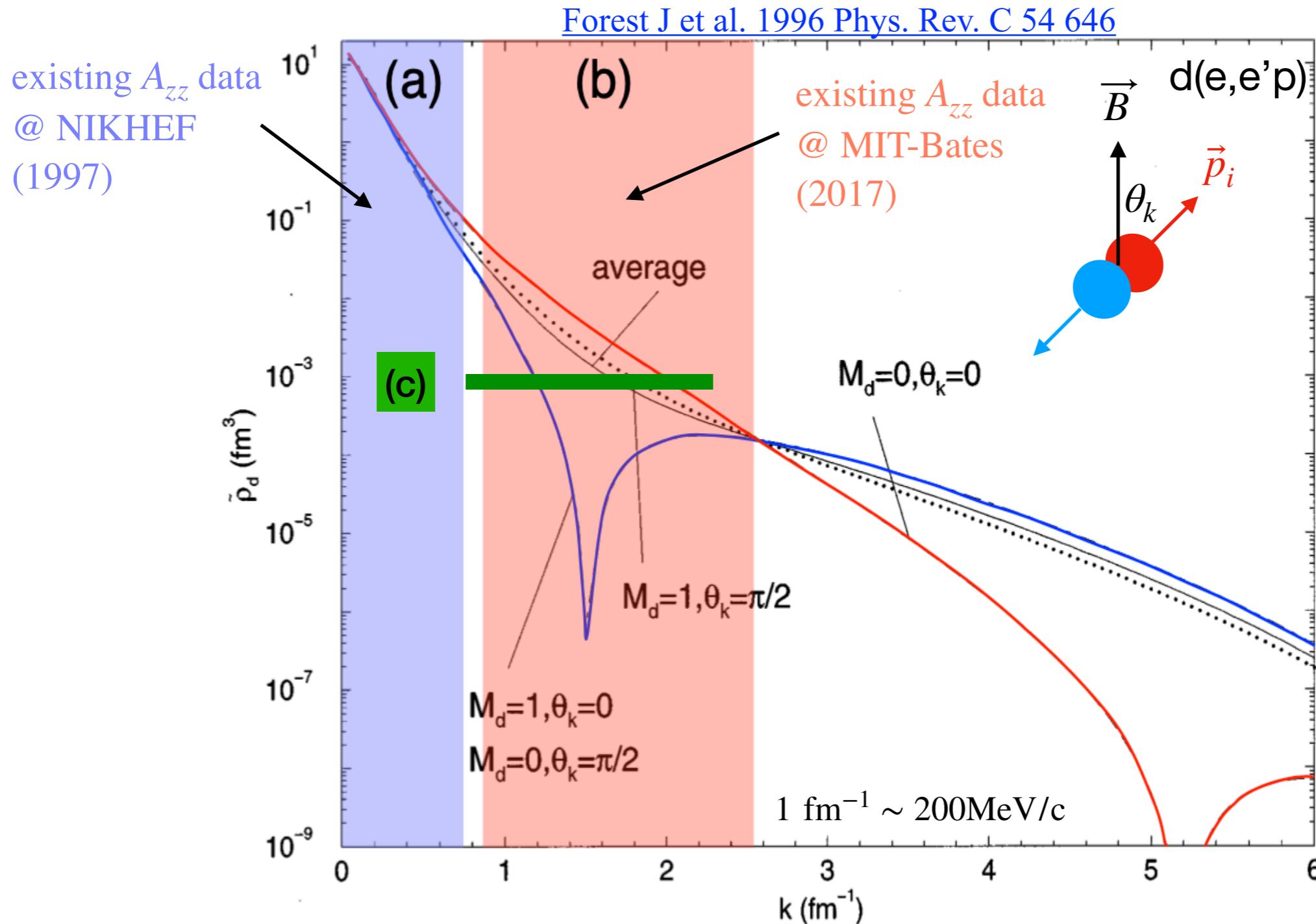
# theoretical spin-dependent momentum distributions



(a)  $k < 150$  MeV/c missing momenta covered by NIKHEF: Zhou Z L et al. 1999 Phys. Rev. Lett. 82 687

(a), (b)  $k < 500$  MeV/c missing momenta covered by MIT-Bates: A. DeGrush *et al.* (BLAST Collaboration)

# theoretical spin-dependent momentum distributions



(c) proposed kinematic coverage @ Hall C:

missing momenta  $k \sim 150 - 450 \text{ MeV}/c$  and  $Q^2 = 2.9$  or  $3.5 \text{ GeV}^2$  or ...  
(to be determined)

# previous tensor-polarized $d(e, e'p)$ measurements

Z.-L. Zhou *et al.* Phys. Rev. Lett. **82**, 687 (1999)

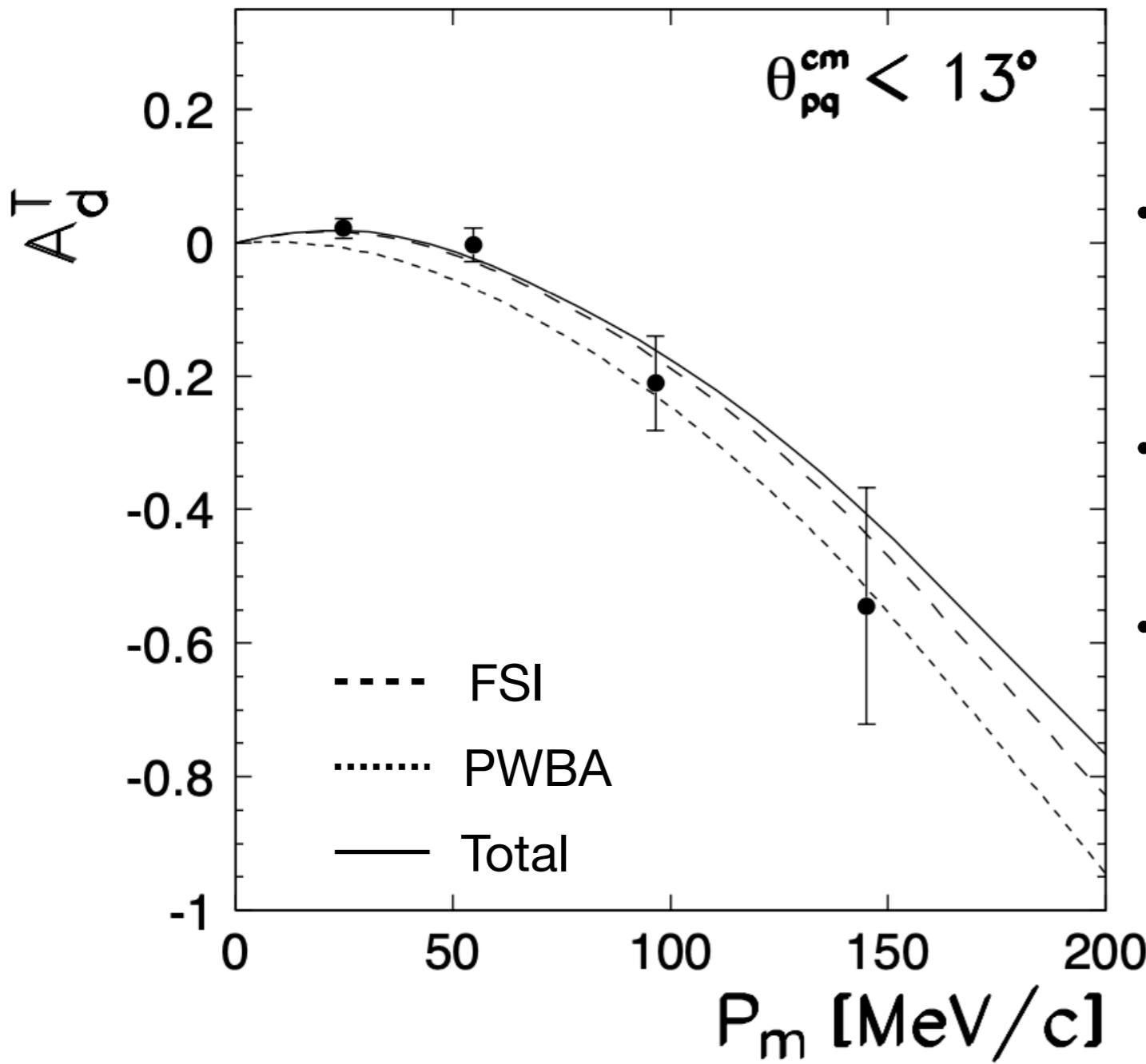


FIG. 3.  $A_d^T$  as a function of  $p_m$  for parallel kinematics (i.e.,  $\theta_{pq}^{cm} < 13^\circ$ ). The short-dashed curve represents the result for PWBA; in the long-dashed curve FSI effects are also included, and the solid curve represents the full calculation.

- @ NIKHEF: first-ever exclusive  $d(e, e'p)$  tensor-polarized data ( $Q^2 < 1 \text{ GeV}^2$ ,  $P_m < 150 \text{ MeV}/c$ )
- extracted deuteron tensor-asymmetry  $A_d^T$ (or,  $A_{zz}$ ) at 3-momentum transfers  $|\vec{q}| = 1.7 \text{ fm}^{-1}$  ( $\sim 340 \text{ MeV}$ )
- dominated by FSI, MEC, IC, but effects well described by theoretical model

**Theory calculations:**  
H. Arenhövel, W. Leidemann,  
and E.L. Tomusiak, Phys.  
Rev. C **52**, 1232 (1995).

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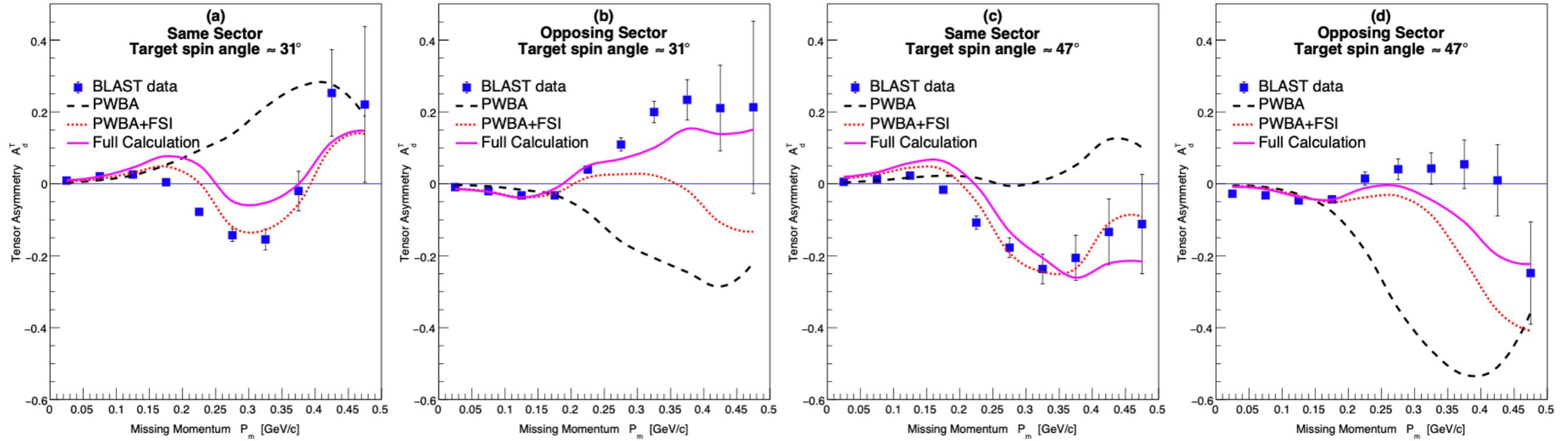


FIG. 3. Tensor asymmetries  $A_d^T$  for  $0.1 < Q^2 < 0.5$  (GeV/c) $^2$  vs.  $p_m$ . Panels (a) and (c) refer to *same sector* kinematics for target spin angles  $\approx 32^\circ$  and  $\approx 47^\circ$ . Panels (b) and (d) refer to *opposing sector* kinematics for the same target spin angles.

- **@ MIT-Bates:** exclusive  $d(e, e'p)$  tensor-polarized data ( $Q^2 \sim 0.1 - 0.5$  GeV $^2$ , up to  $P_m \sim 500$  MeV/c, the highest-to-date )
- extracted  $A_{zz}$  analyzing power dominated by FSI, MEC, IC, but effects mostly well-described by theoretical calculations

**Theory calculations:** H. Arenhövel, W. Leidemann, and E.L. Tomusiak, Eur. Phys. J. **A23**, 147–190 (2005)

tensor-polarized  $d(e, e'p)$   
measurements @ Hall C  
at large  $Q^2$  and  $x_{bj} > 1$

NO exclusive  $d(e, e'p) A_{zz}$  measurements  
at  $Q^2 > 1 \text{ GeV}^2$  exist to-date

NO  $\rho_{0,\pm}$  spin-dependent  $d(e, e'p)$   
momentum distributions exist to-date

We propose to:

- (1) measure tensor-analyzing power  $A_{zz}$ ,
- (2) measure absolute unpolarized/polarized cross sections,  $\sigma_{\text{pol},\text{unpol}}$
- (3) extract the spin-dependent momentum distributions  $\rho_{0,\pm}$

exclusive tensor-polarized  
 $d(e, e'p)$  rates estimates

# Selecting Optimal Central Kinematics

$E_b = 10.549[\text{GeV}]$     $\rho_t = 0.167[\text{g/cm}^3]$   
 LD2 10 cm                     $\sigma_t = 1670[\text{mg/cm}^2]$   
 $I_b = 100 [\text{nA}]$         168 [hrs]

radiative\_effects: ON

limiting\_factor: 5T magnet opening angle +/- 35 deg  
 limits HMS (proton) angles we can explore to < 35 deg  
 (will need to re-calculated !)

$P_{miss}[\text{MeV}]$	$k_f[\text{GeV}]$	$\theta_e[\text{deg}]$	$p_f[\text{GeV}]$	$\theta_p[\text{deg}]$	$ \vec{q} [\text{GeV}]$	$\theta_q[\text{deg}]$	$\theta_{rq}[\text{deg}]$	$\theta_{pq}[\text{deg}]$	$Q^2[\text{GeV}^2]$
300	9.7261	8.204	1.4322	63.346	1.6665	56.3924	35.311	6.9542	2.1
300	9.3870	9.817	1.8241	56.346	2.0616	50.9282	35.0368	5.4179	2.9
300	9.1252	10.941	2.1142	52.191	2.3510	47.4551	35.5878	4.7366	3.5

d(e,e'p) Rate Estimates

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Q2 = 2.1 GeV^2
Pm Setting: 300
Model: Laget FSI
Ib [uA]      = 0.100
time [hr]     = 168.000
charge [mC]   = 60.480
Pm counts   = 1535.644
d(e,e'p) Rates [Hz] = 2.539E-03
DAQ Rates [Hz] = 0.032
  
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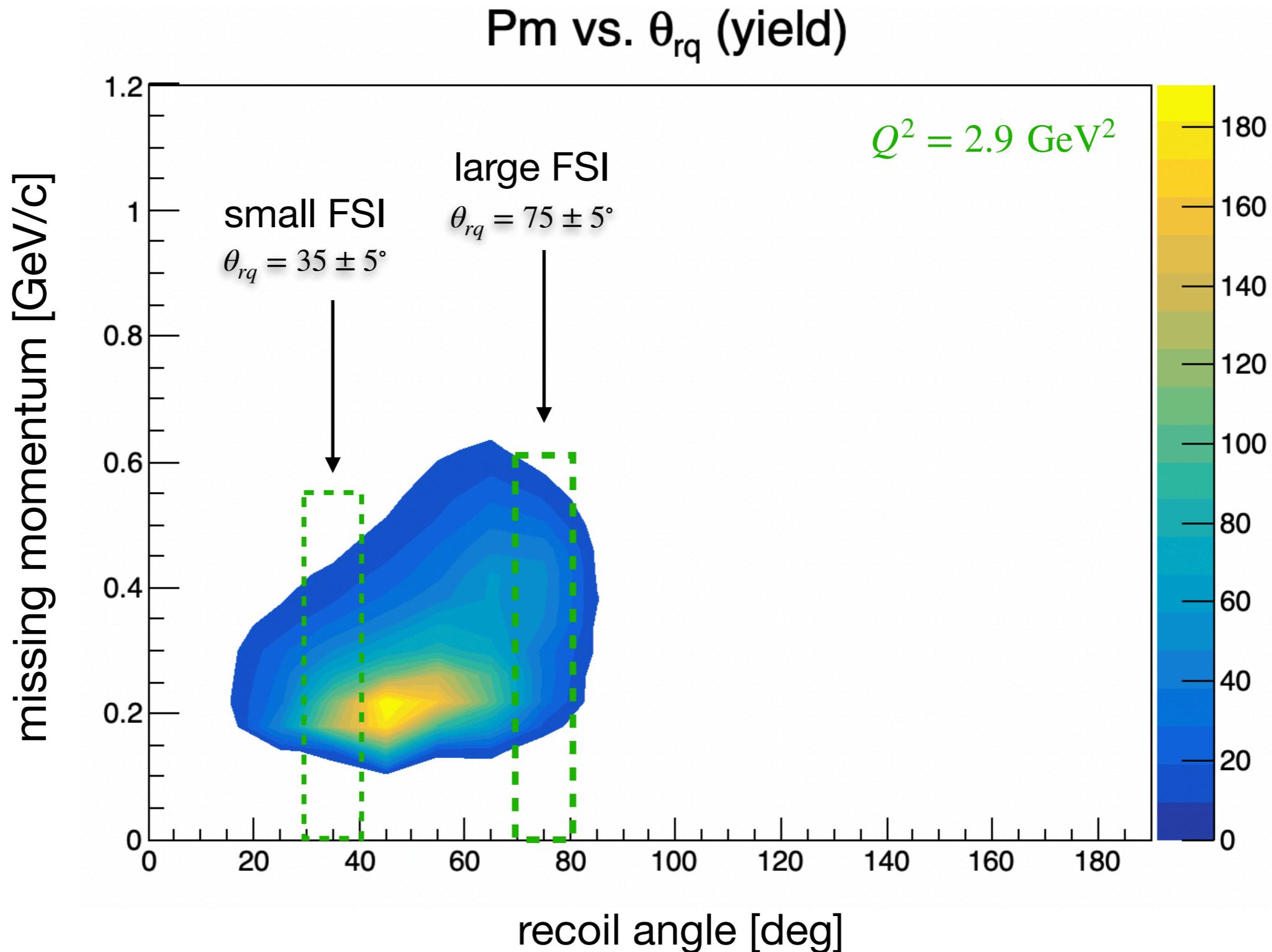
Q2 = 2.9 GeV^2
Pm Setting: 300
Model: Laget FSI
Ib [uA]      = 0.100
time [hr]     = 168.000
charge [mC]   = 60.480
Pm counts   = 3275.409
d(e,e'p) Rates [Hz] = 5.416E-03
DAQ Rates [Hz] = 0.010
  
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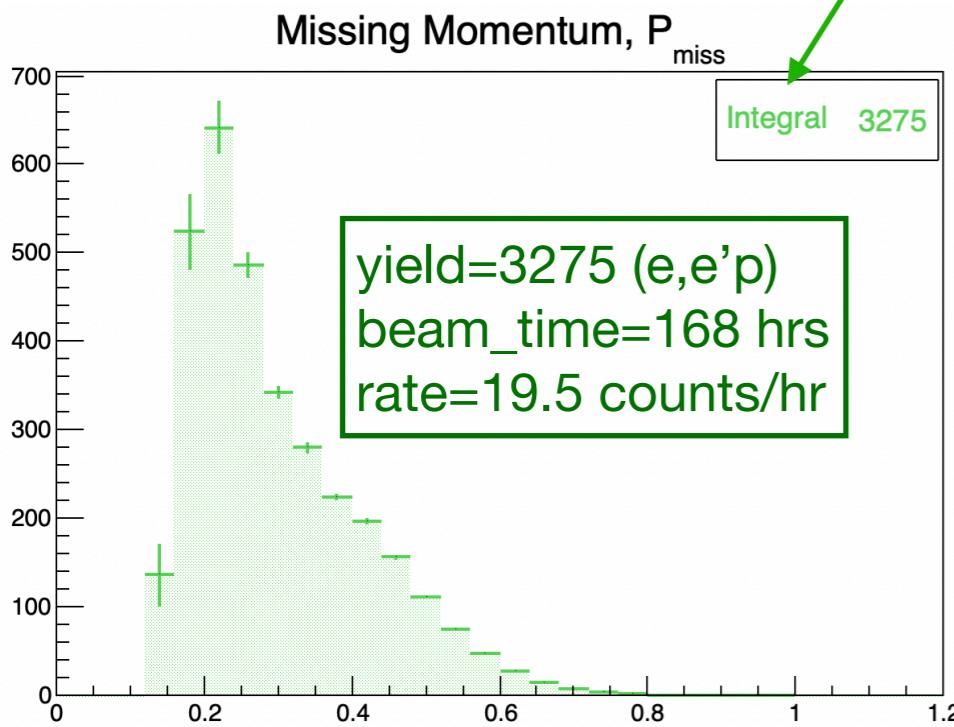
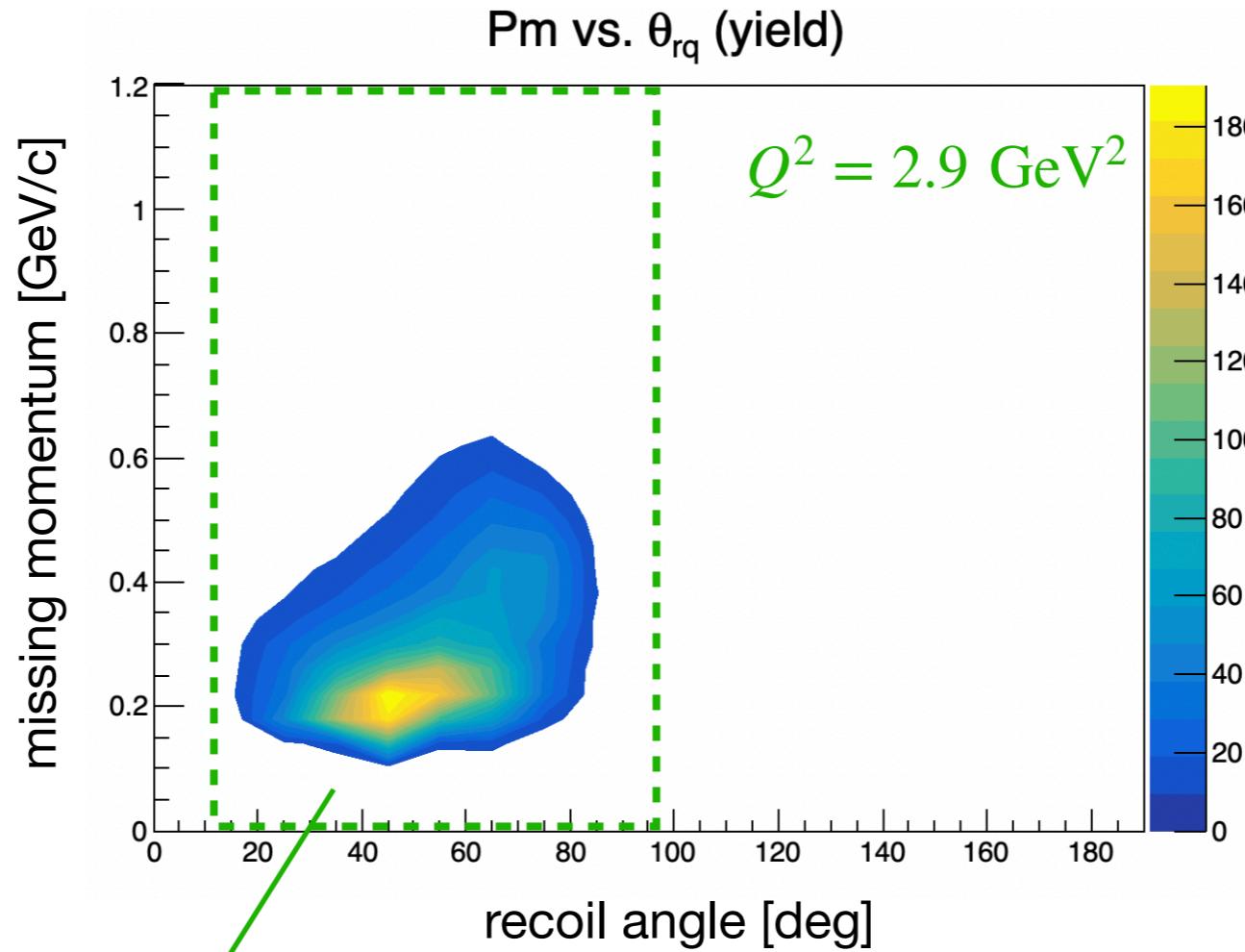
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Q2 = 3.5 GeV^2
Pm Setting: 300
Model: Laget FSI
Ib [uA]      = 0.100
time [hr]     = 168.000
charge [mC]   = 60.480
Pm counts   = 1503.470
d(e,e'p) Rates [Hz] = 2.486E-03
DAQ Rates [Hz] = 0.005
  
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# Selecting minimal FSI $d(e, e'p)$ kinematical bins

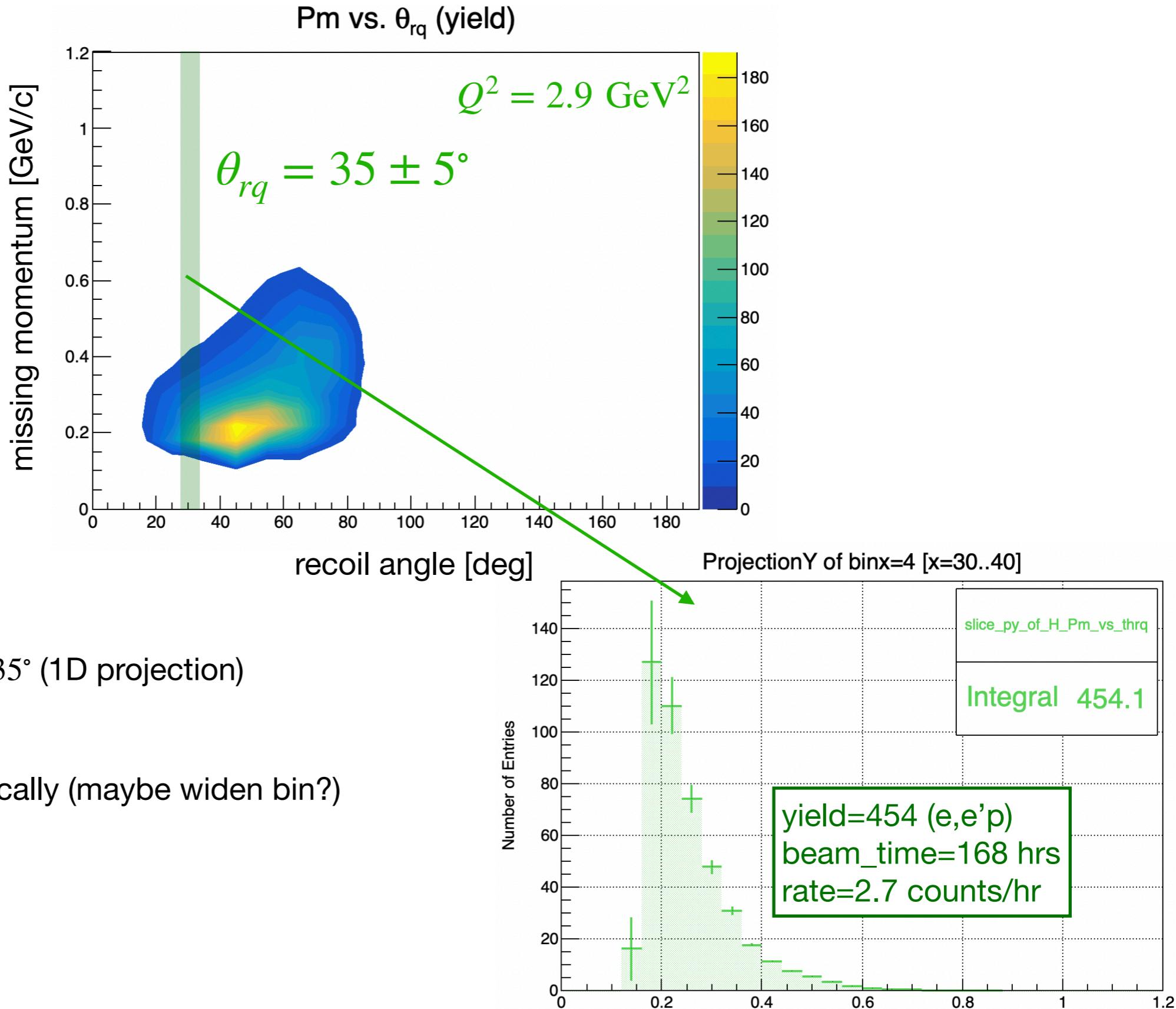


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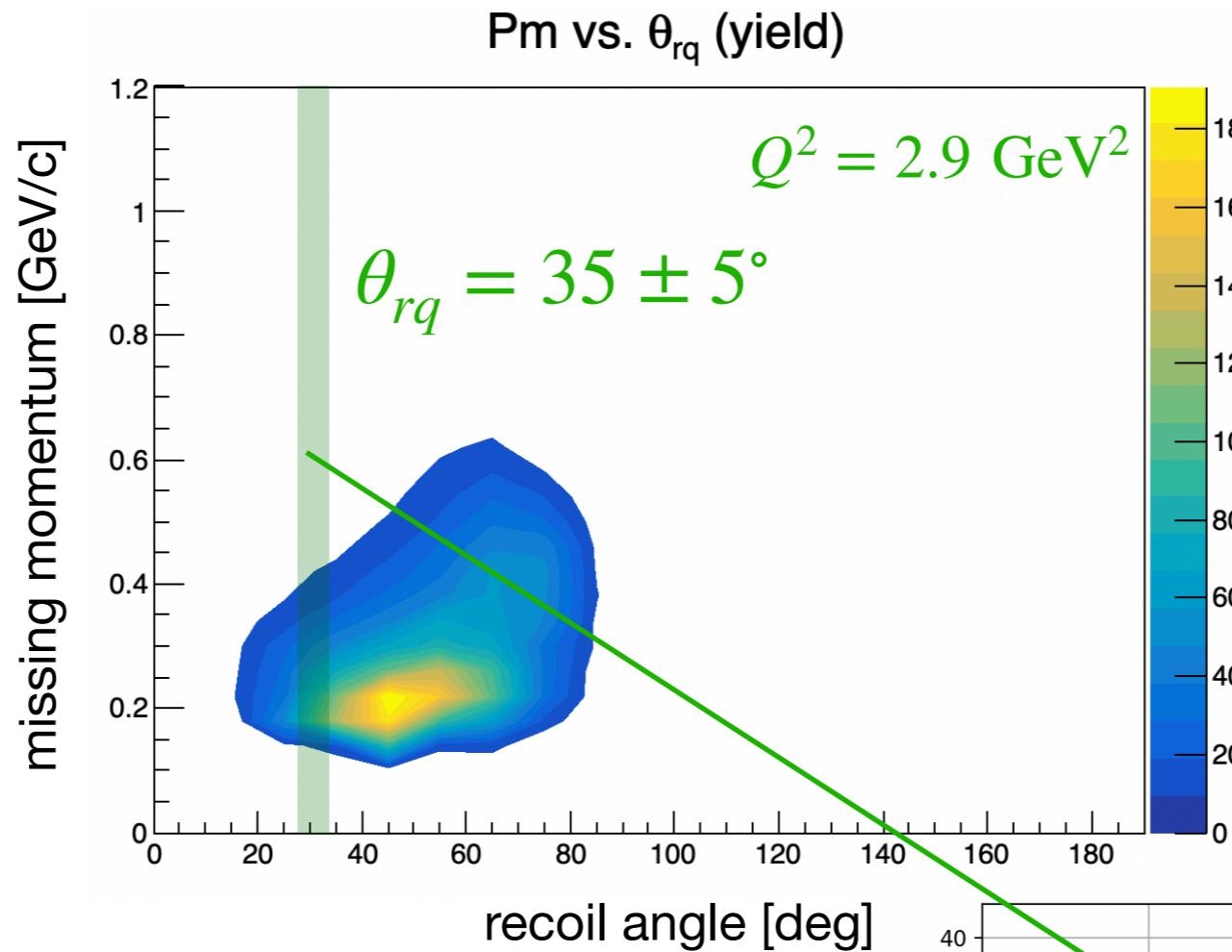
- integrated over all recoil  $\theta_{rq}$  angles (1D projection)
- includes bins where FSI are large ( $>45$  deg), therefore NOT ideal for extracting momentum distributions  $\rho(p_m)_{o,\pm}$ , as **PWIA condition NOT met**

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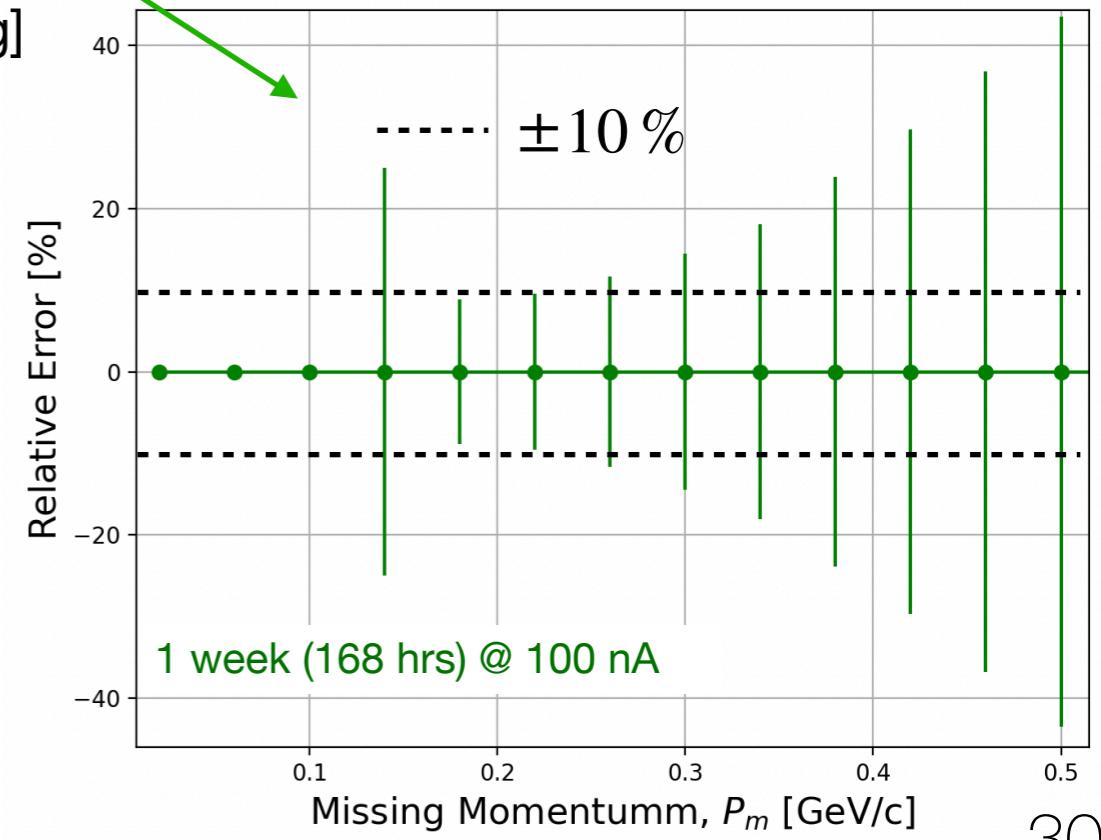


- selected bin  $\theta_{rq} \sim 35^\circ$  (1D projection) where FSI reduced
- rates drop dramatically (maybe widen bin?)

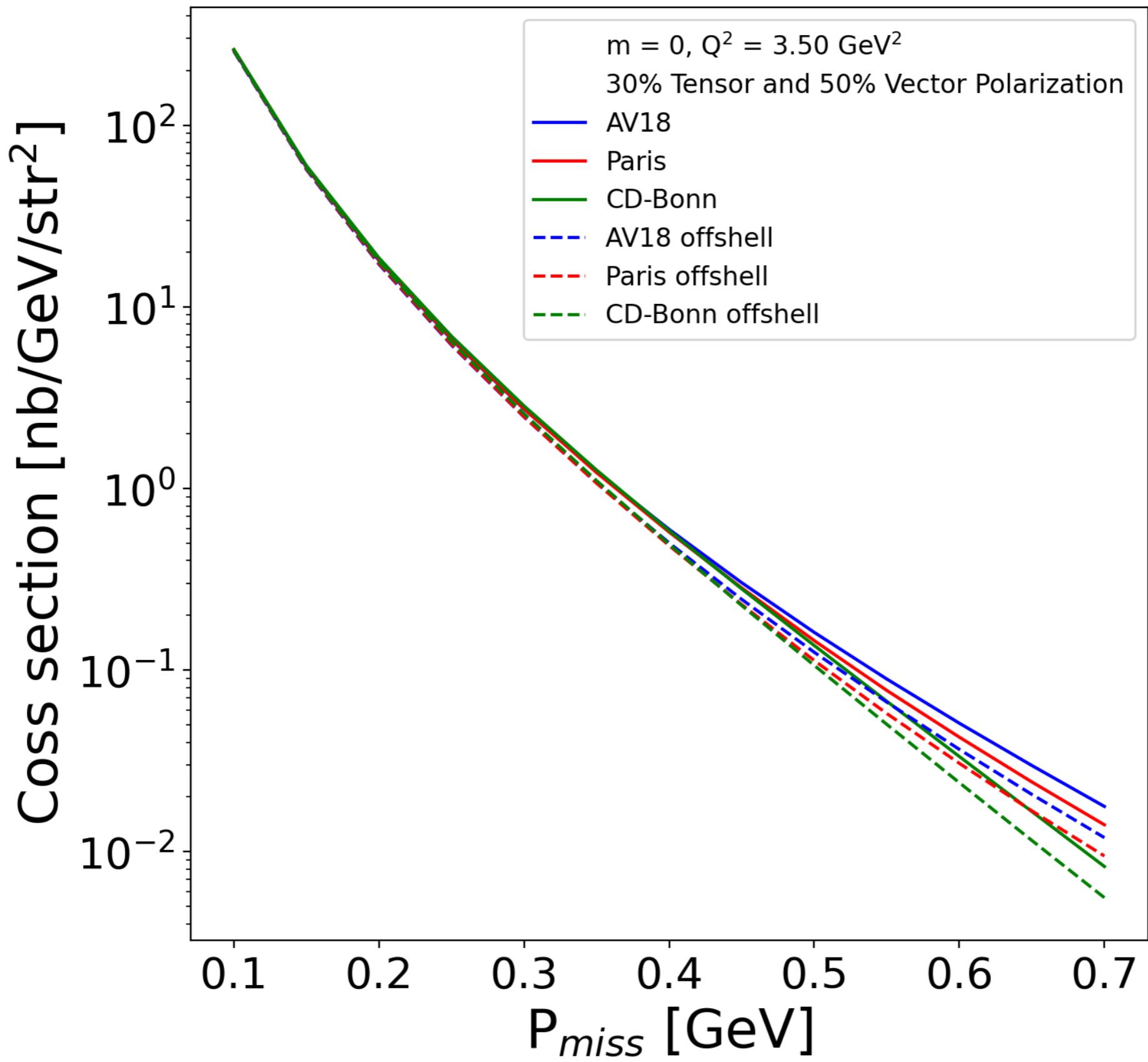
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- 1 week (168 hrs) @ 100 nA (unpolarized)  
**< 20 % stats error for missing momenta**  
 $P_m \sim 180 - 340 \text{ MeV}/c$



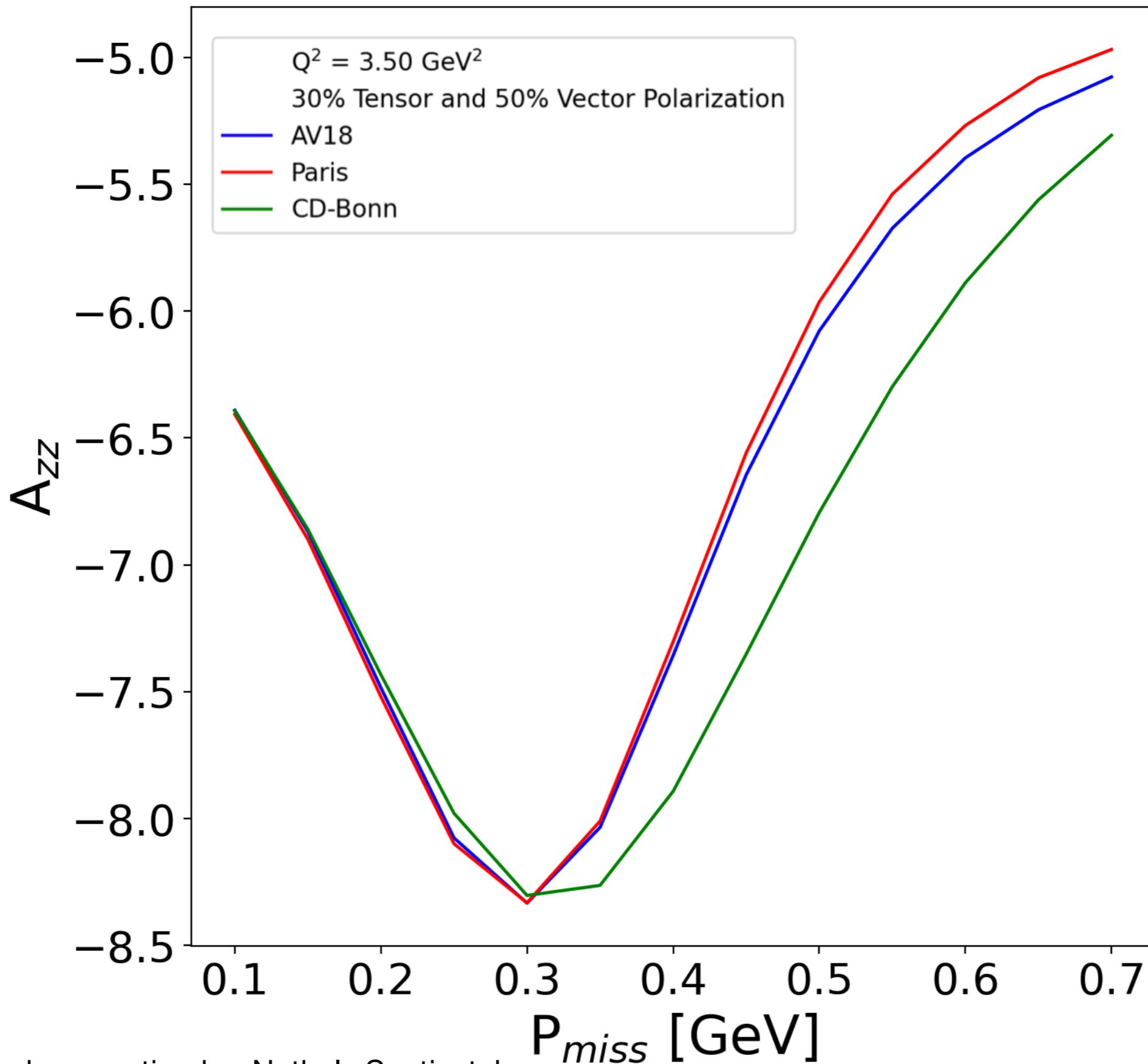
exclusive tensor-polarized  
 $d(e, e'p)$  theory calculations  
@  $Q^2 = 3.5 \text{ GeV}^2$



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Theoretical calculation by: Misak Sargsian

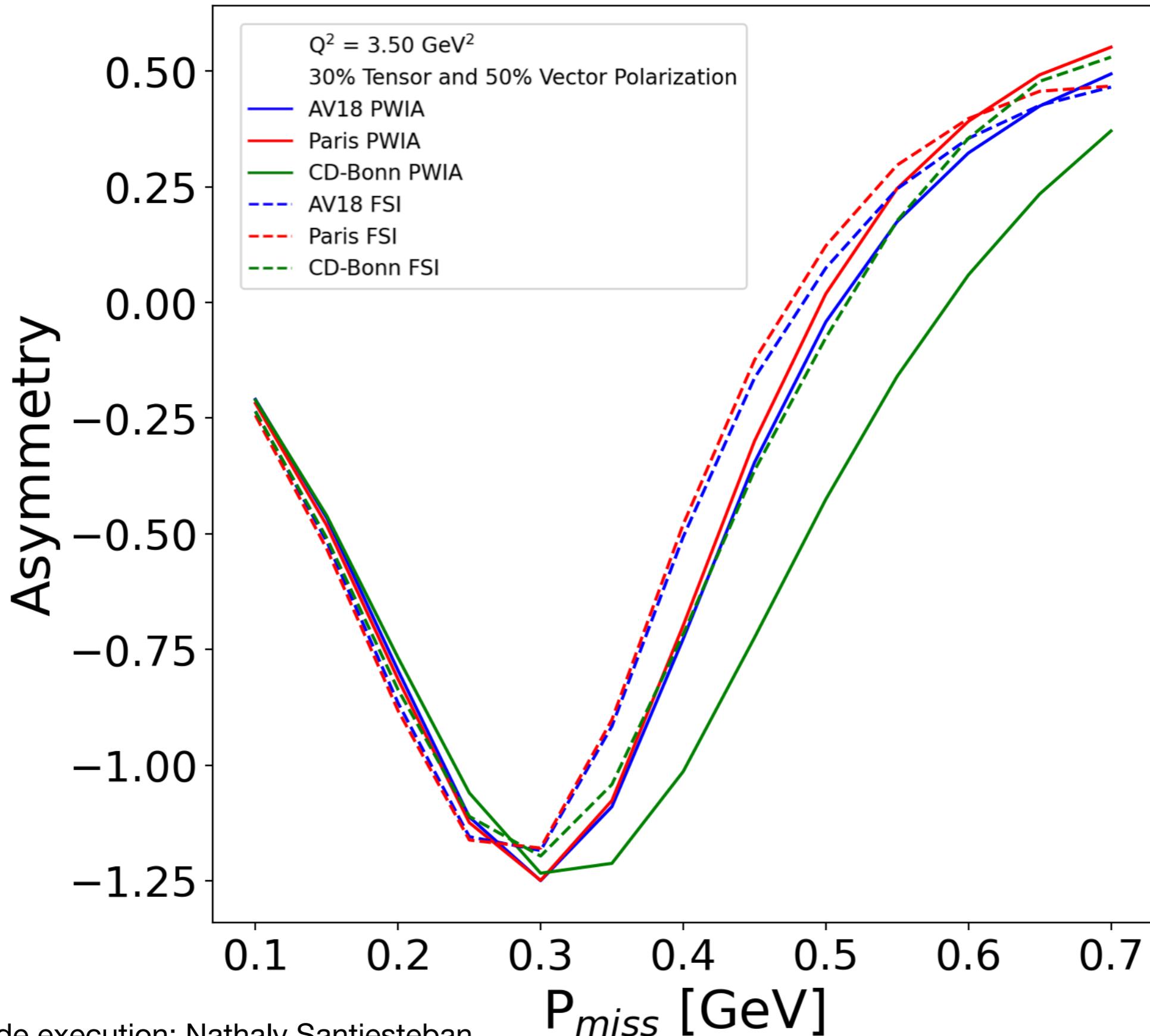
# polarized d( $e,e'p$ ) Tensor Asymmetry



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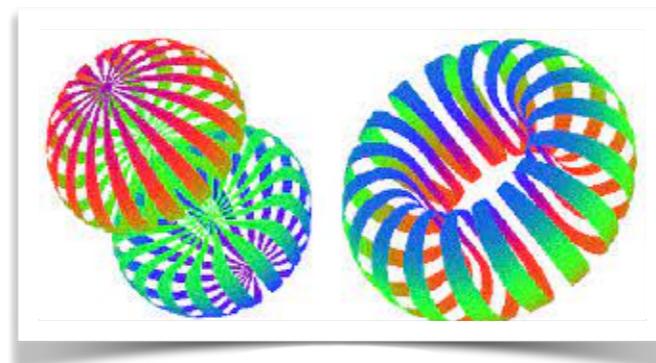
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# Tensor Asymmetry (after multiplying Azz by some kinematical factors)



# Summary

- tensor-polarized  $d(e, e'p)$  provides unique opportunity to carry out detailed study of deuteron short-range structure
- we propose:
  - measure exclusive tensor asymmetry  $A_{zz}$  (at unprecedented large  $Q^2$ )
  - measure absolute spin projection dependent absolute cross sections,  $\sigma_{0,\pm}$
  - extract spin-dependent reduced cross sections, which under PWIA  
~ momentum distributions  $\rho(p_m)_{o,\pm}$
- these measurements will complementary to the inclusive b1/A<sub>zz</sub> approved experiments and will provide great insight into the toroidal structure of the deuteron which is directly related to the tensor (attractive) and repulsive core of the deuteron





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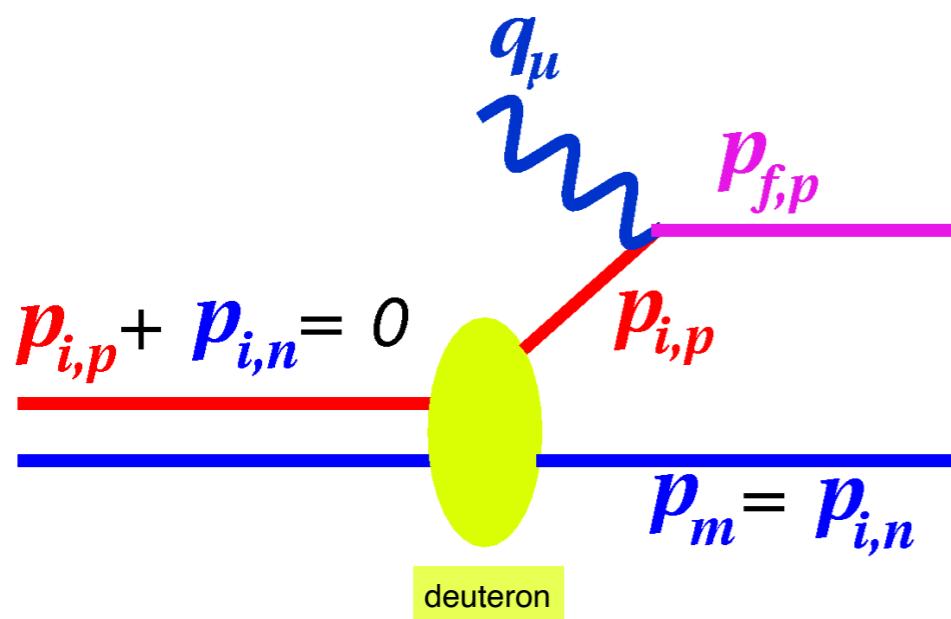


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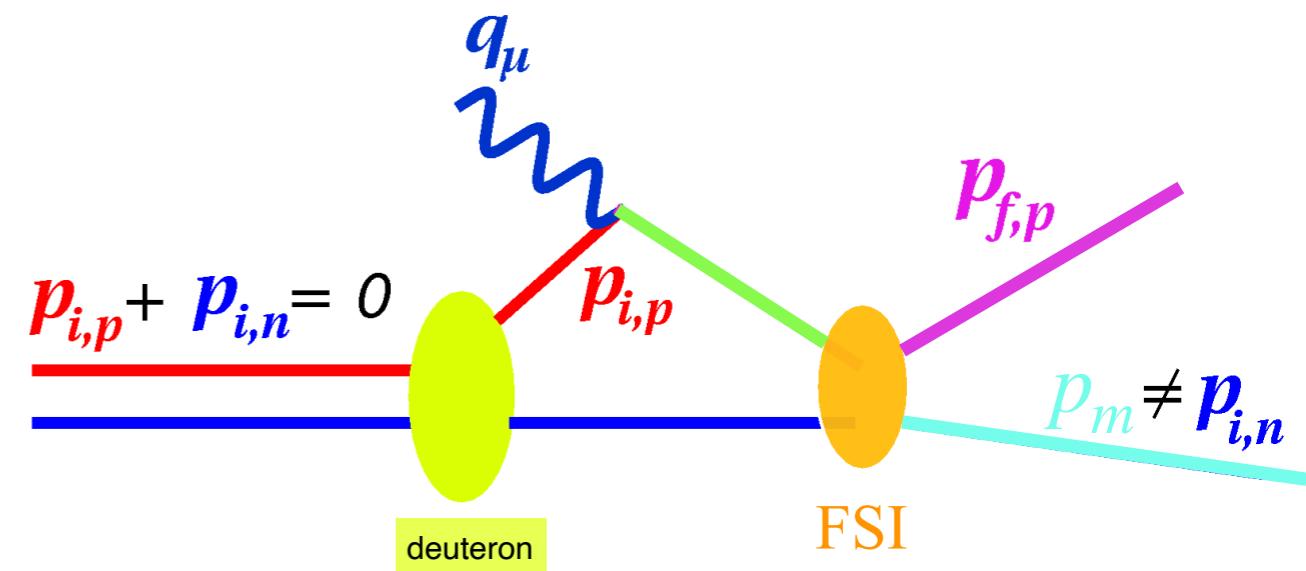
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# $d(e, e'p)$ reaction mechanisms

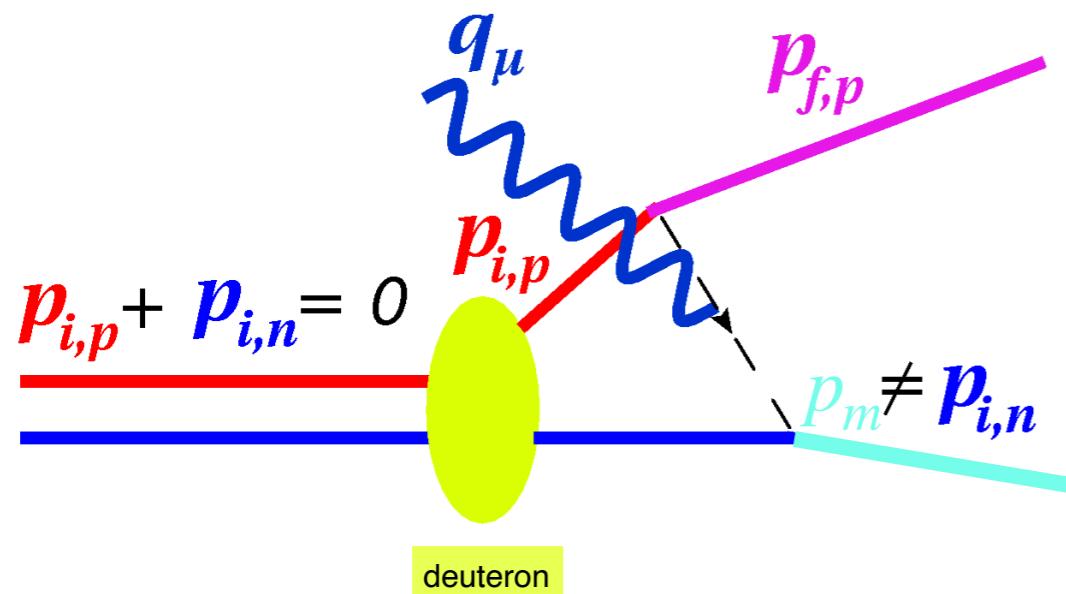


Plane Wave Impulse Approximation (PWIA)



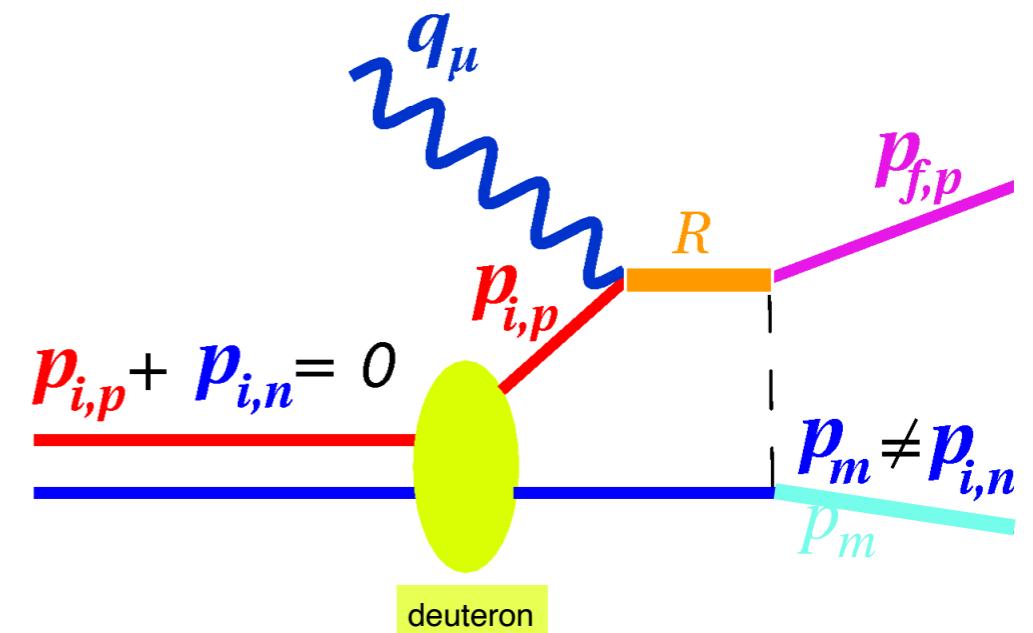
Final State Interactions (FSI)

suppressed at specific  $\theta_{nq} \sim 35^\circ$



Meson-Exchange Currents (MEC)

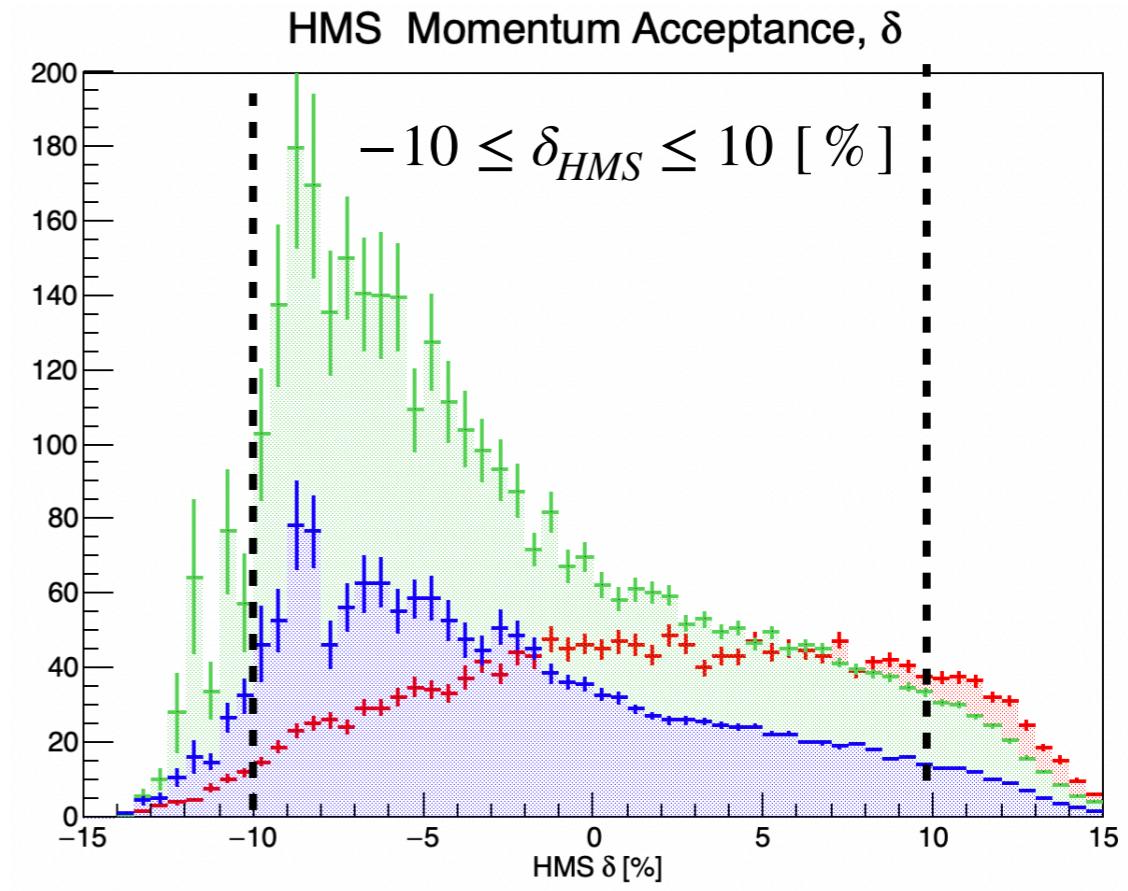
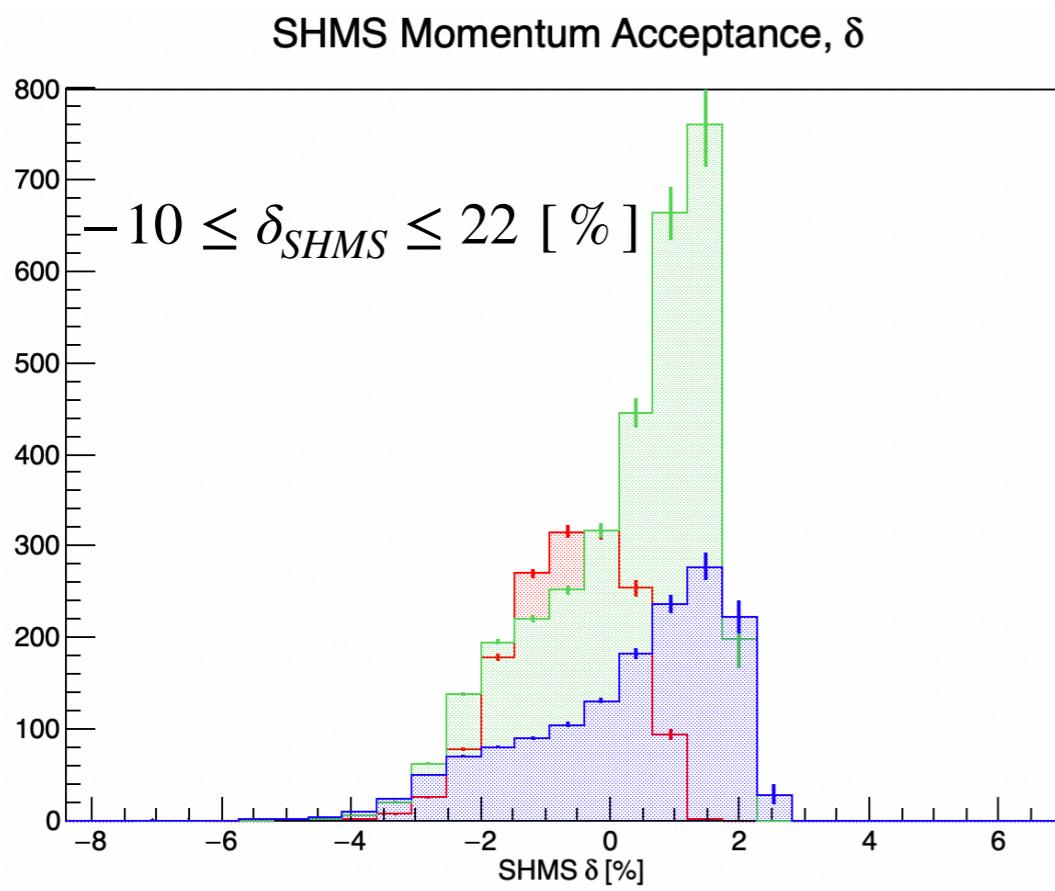
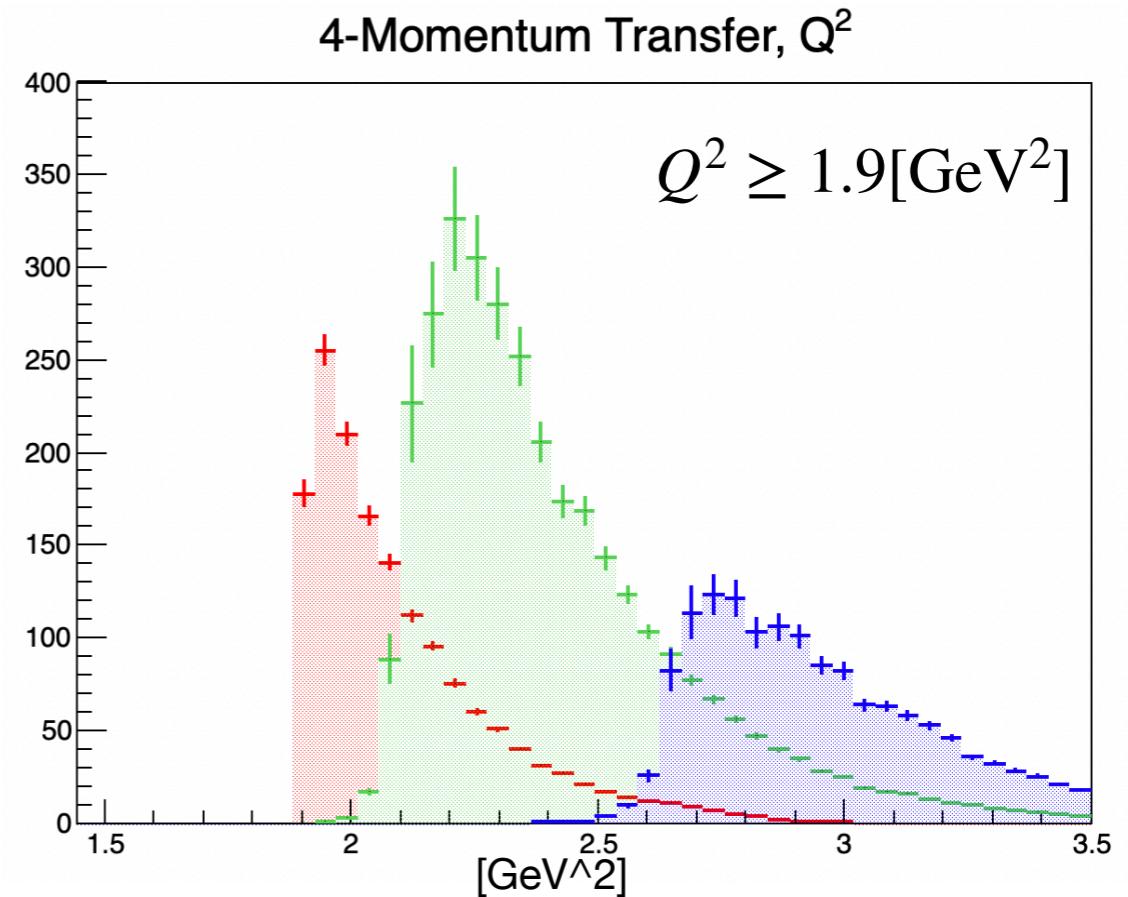
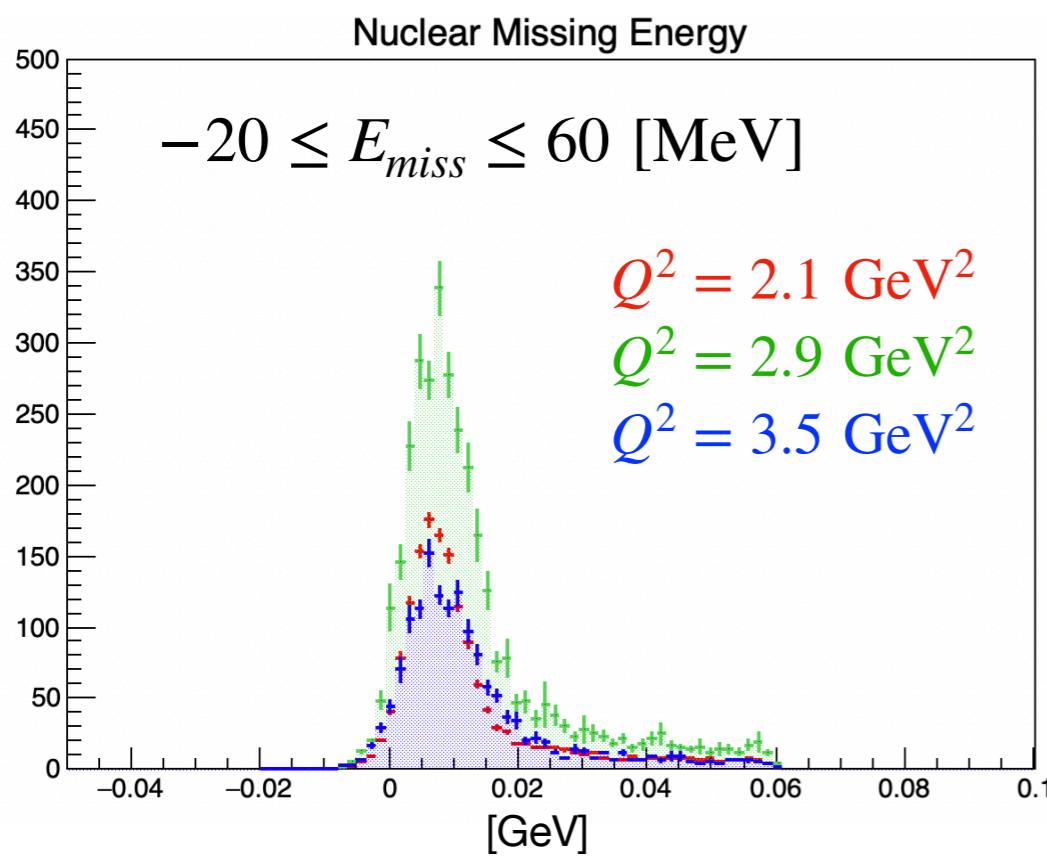
suppressed at  $Q^2 > 1(\text{GeV}/c)^2$



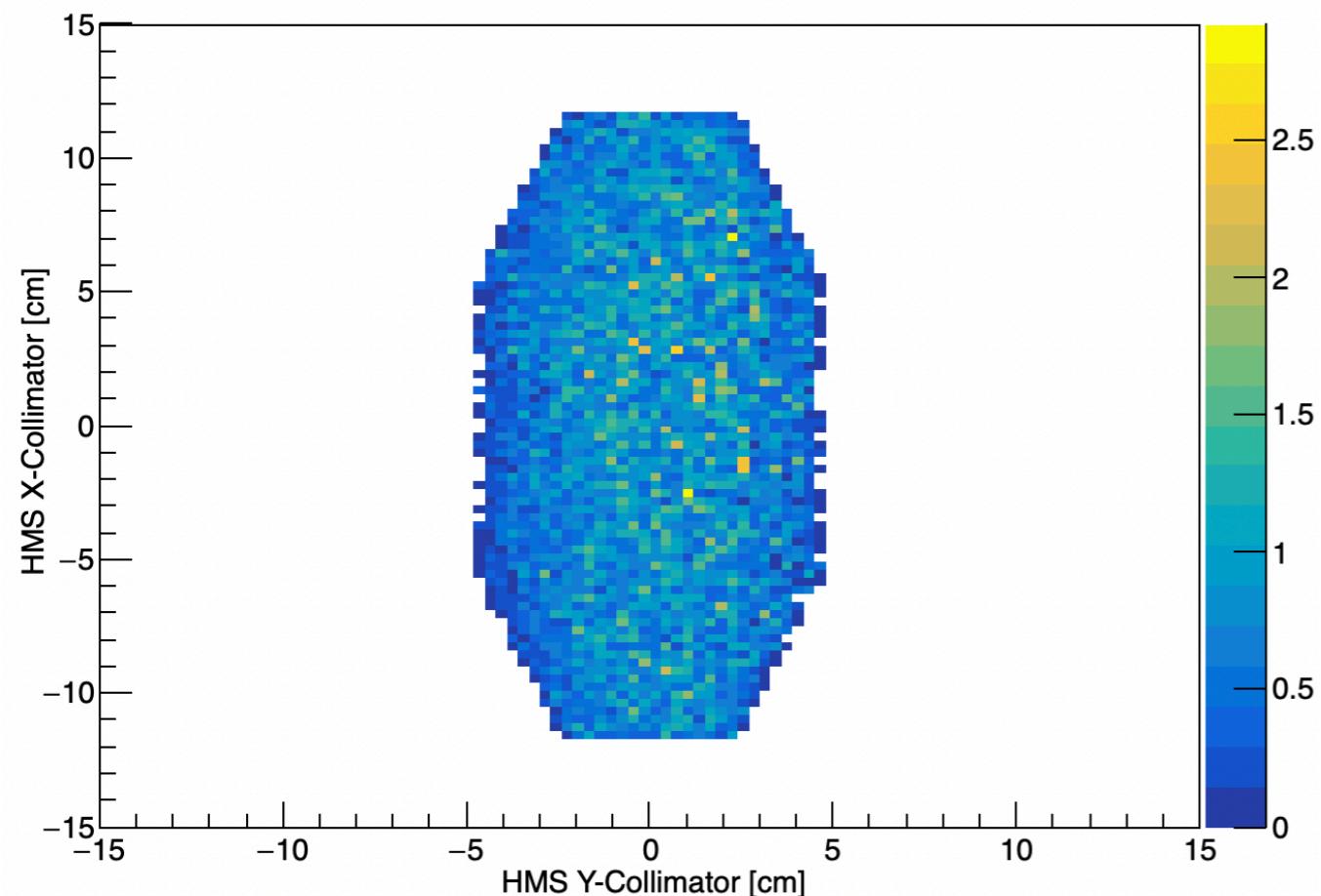
Isobar Configurations (IC)

suppressed at  $x_{\text{Bj}} > 1$

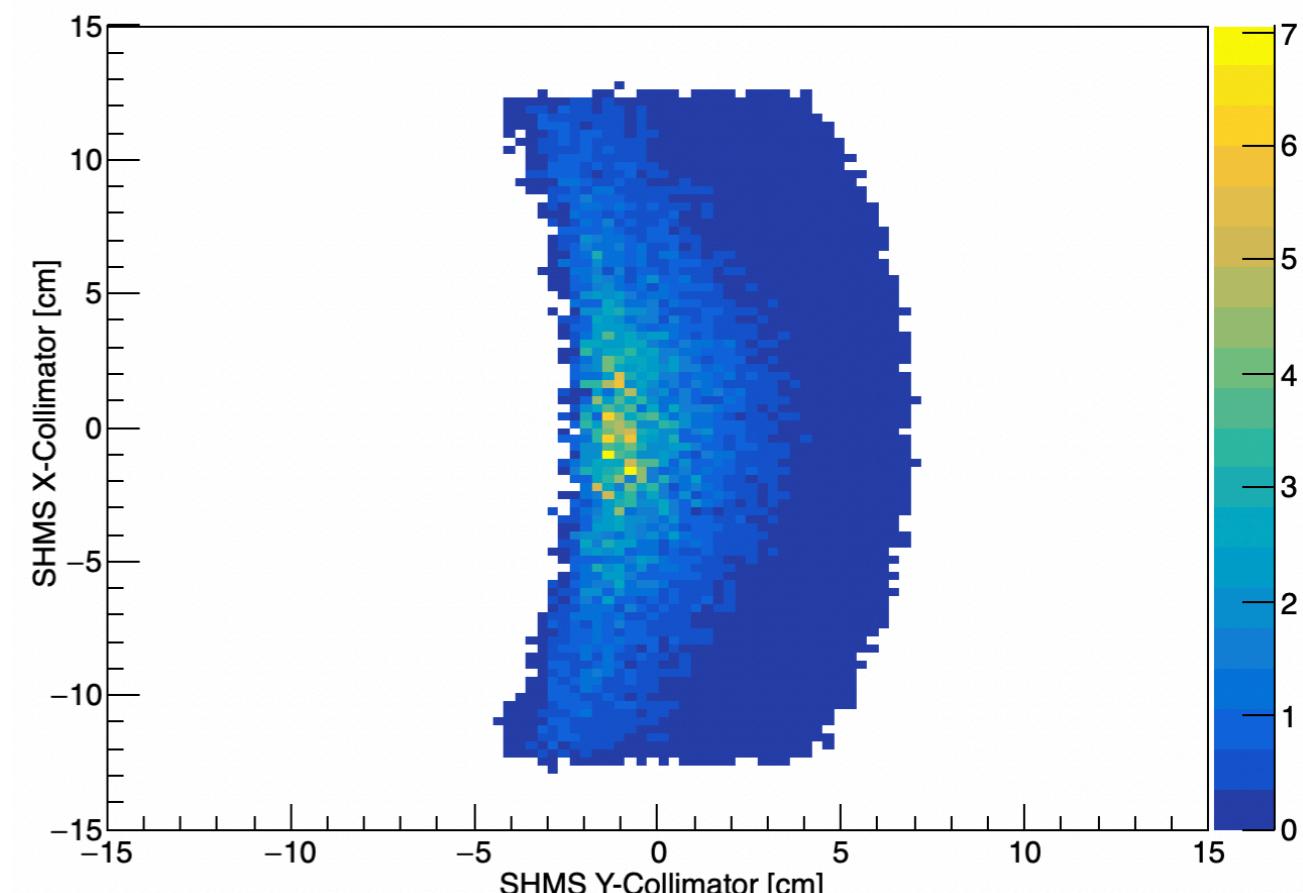
# SIMC Analysis Cuts



HMS Collimator



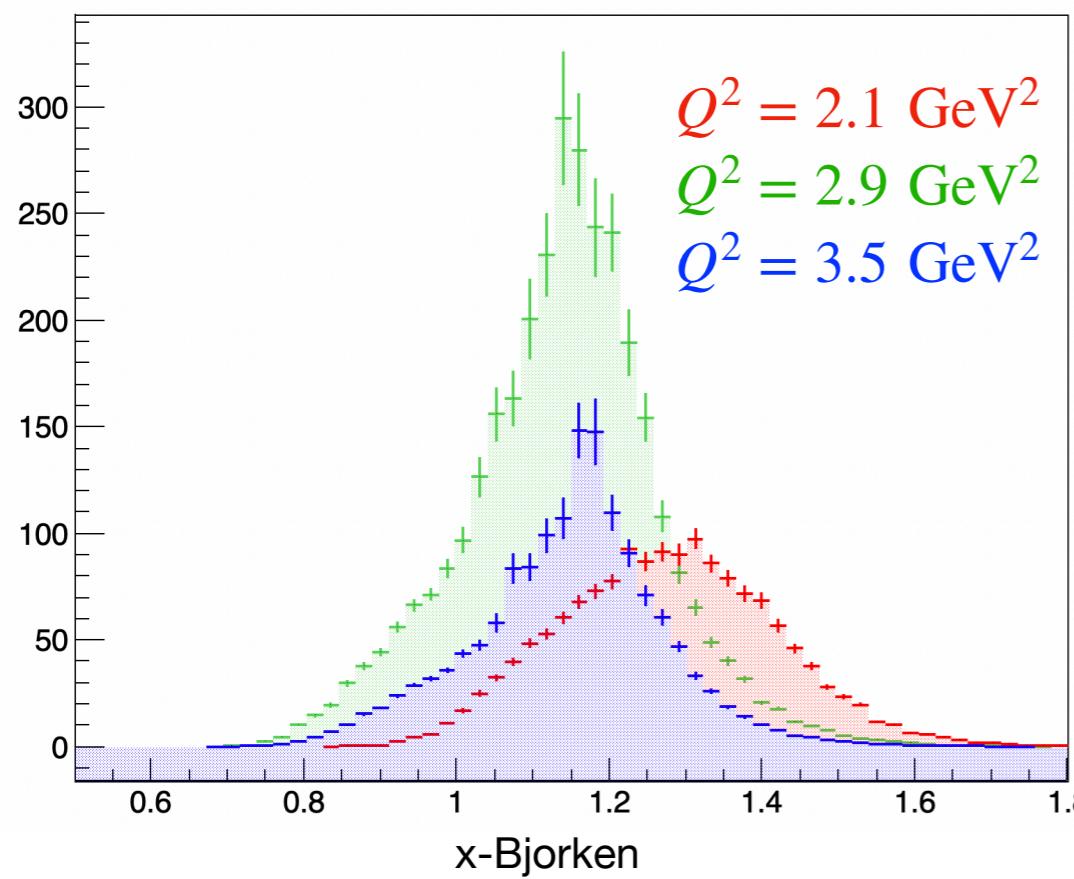
SHMS Collimator



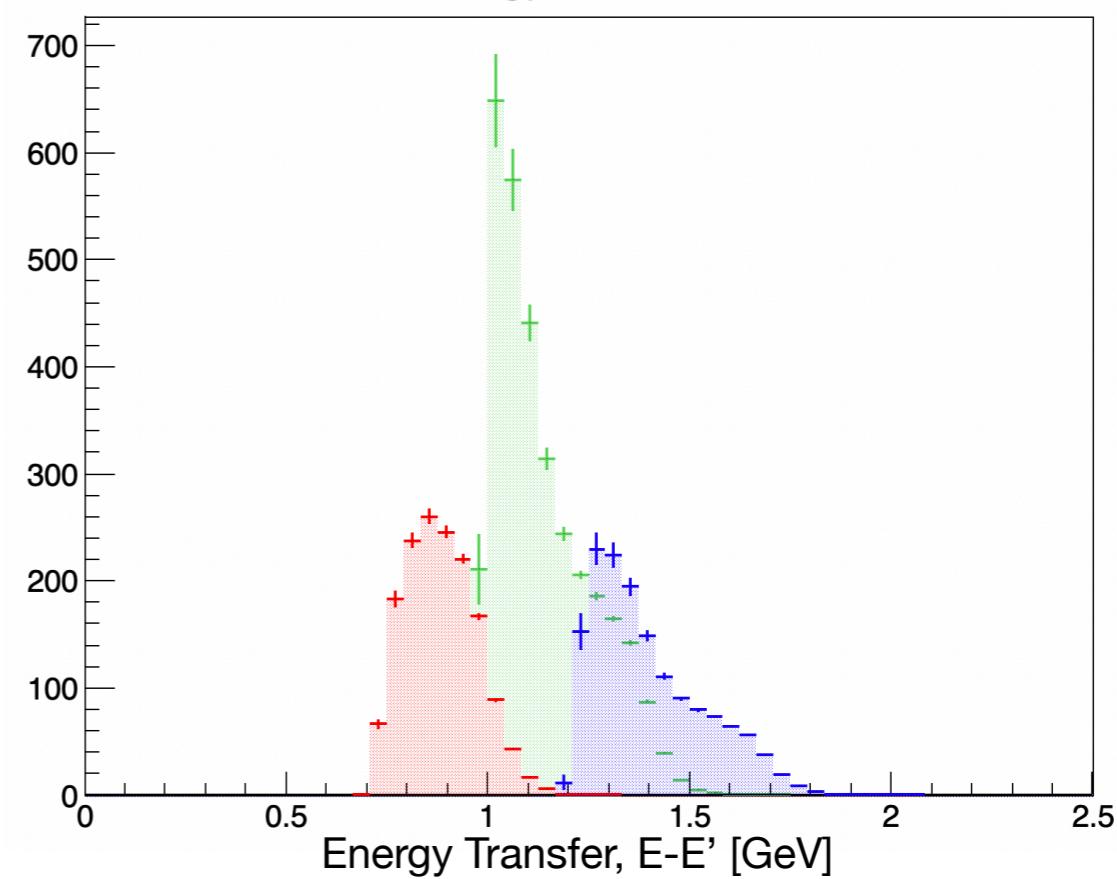
- angular acceptance (geometrical cut on collimator)
- HMS determines acceptance

# Kinematics

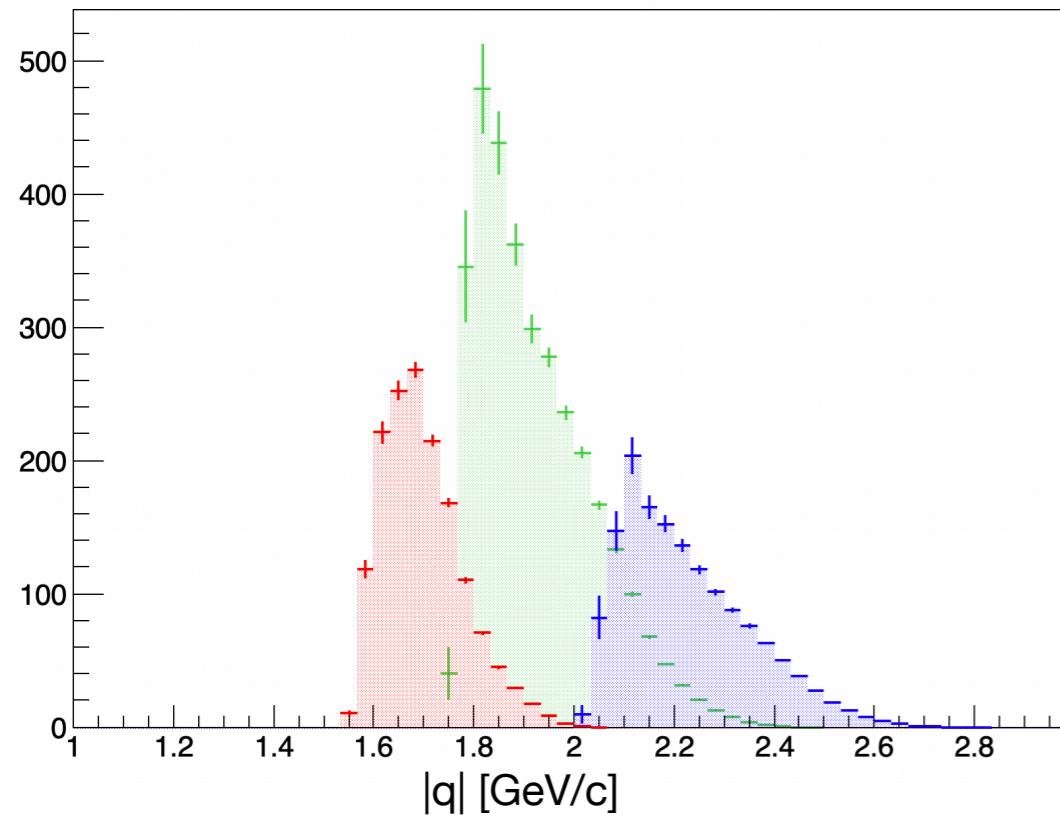
x-Bjorken



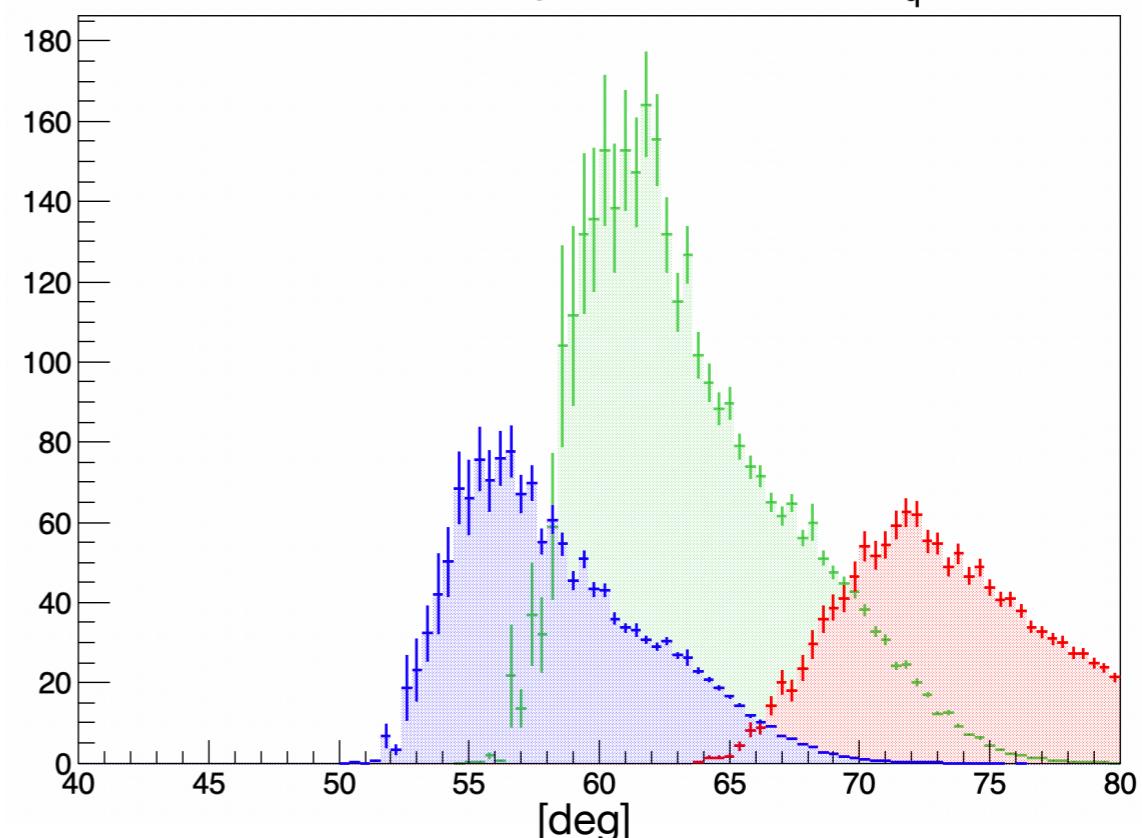
Energy Transfer,  $\nu$



3-Momentum Transfer,  $|\vec{q}|$

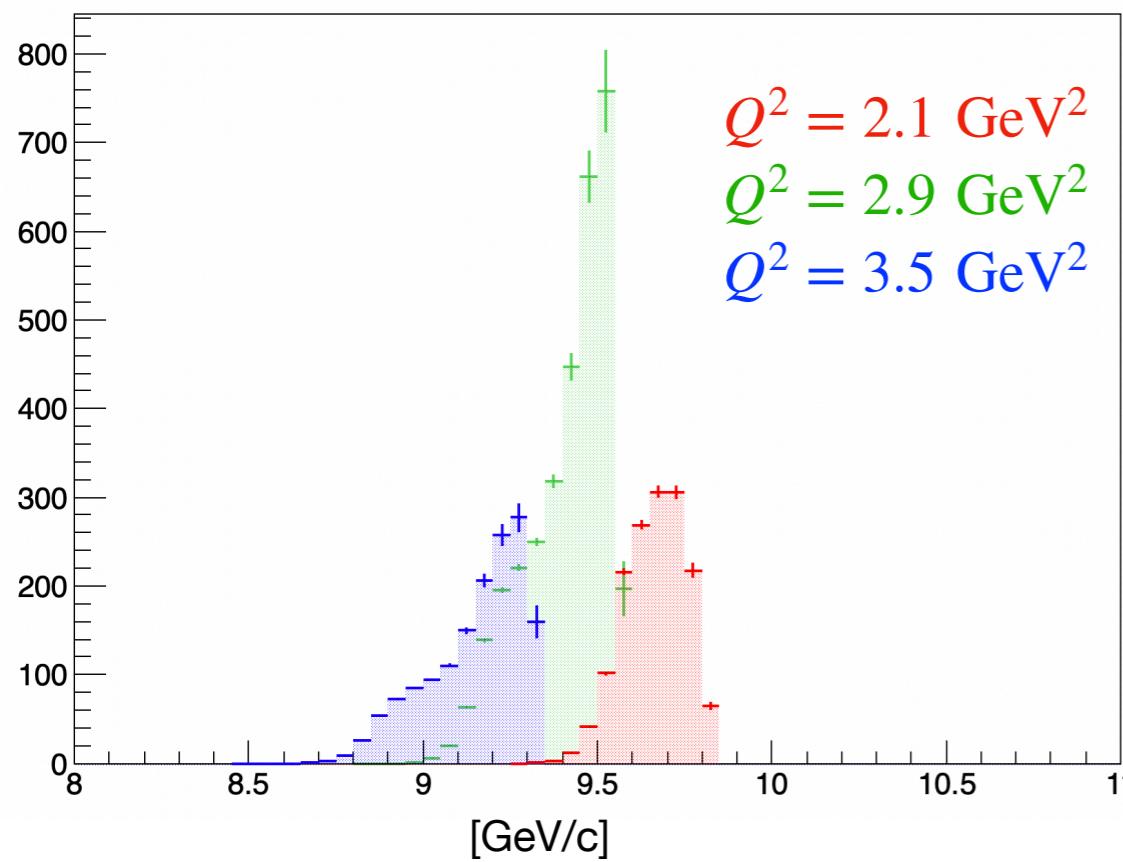


In-Plane Angle w.r.t +z(lab),  $\theta_q$

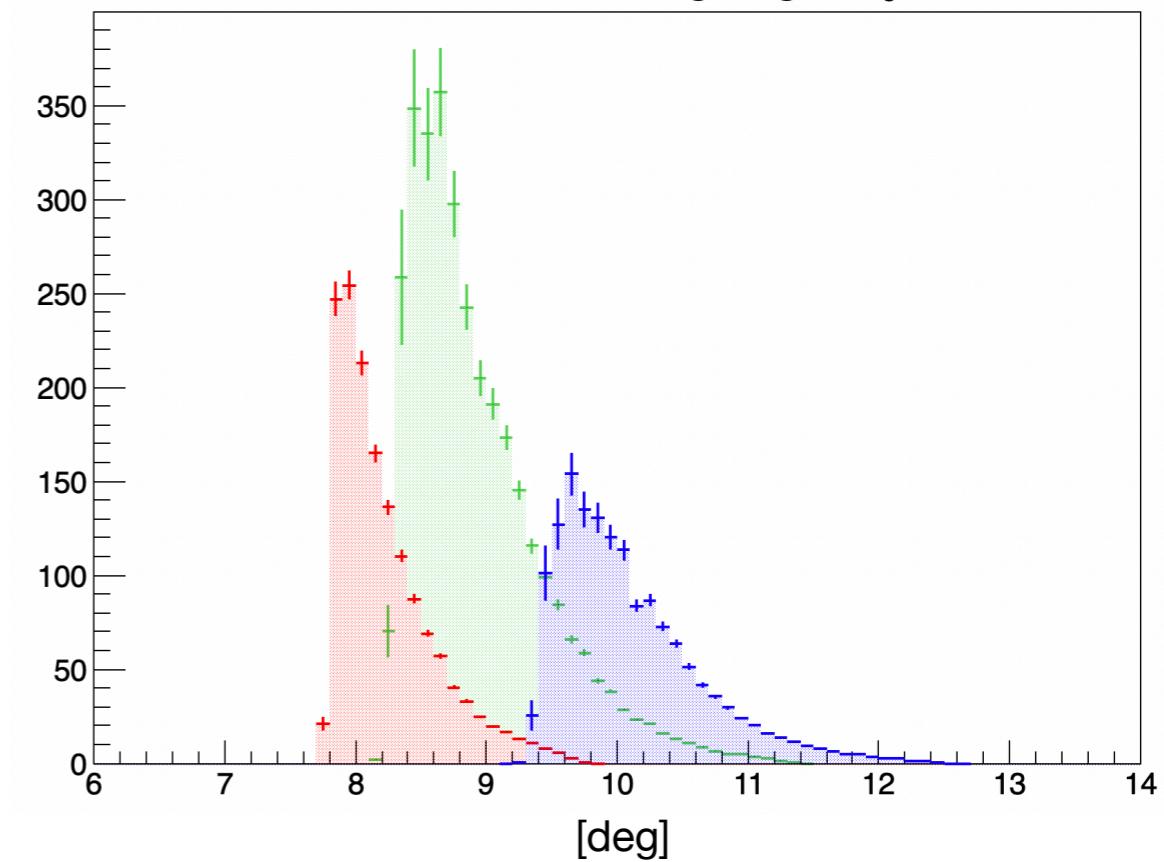


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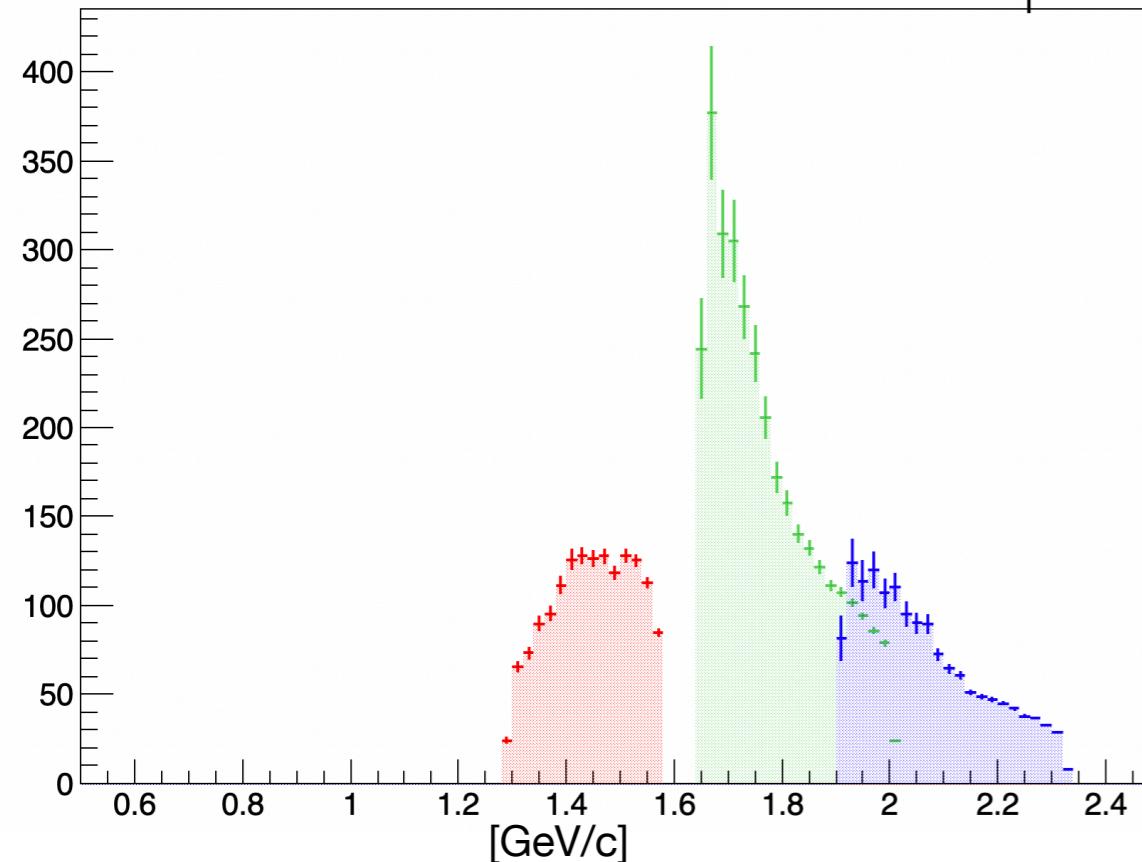
Final  $e^-$  Momentum



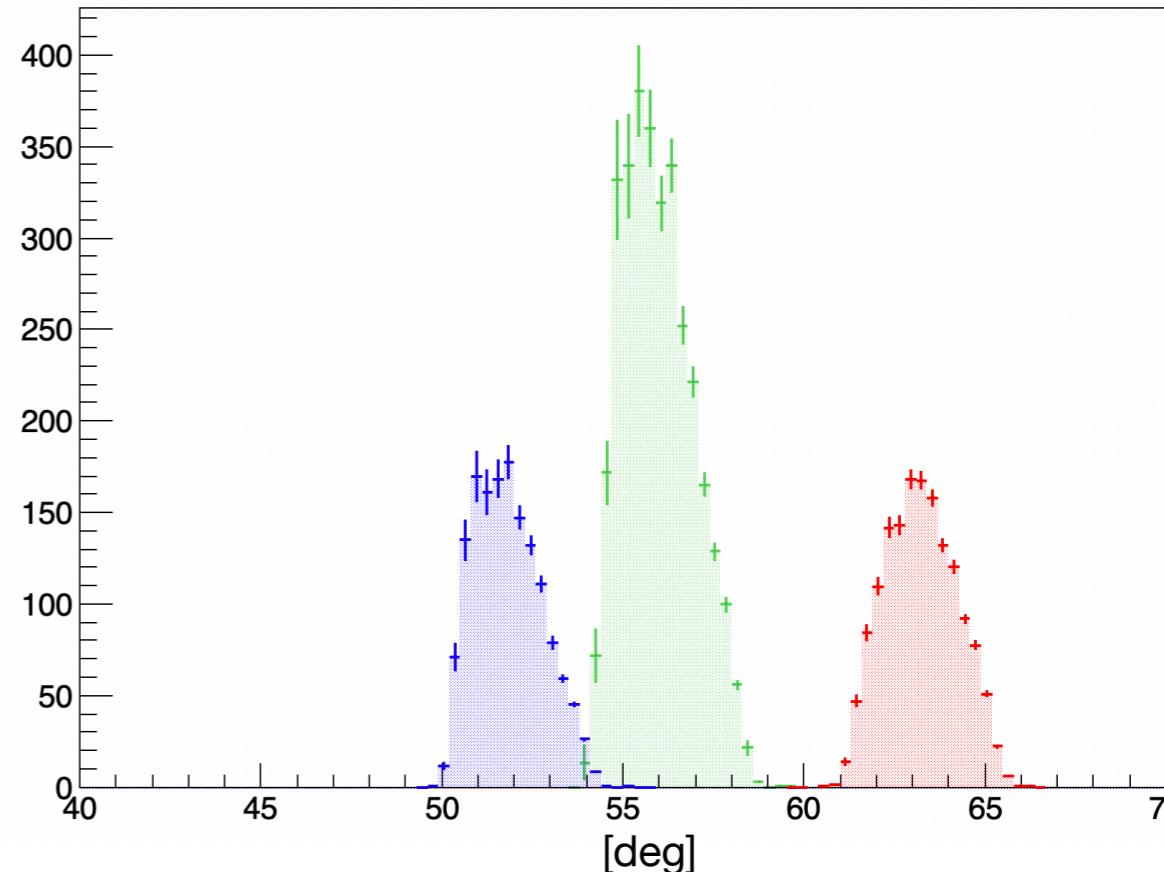
Electron Scattering Angle,  $\theta_e$



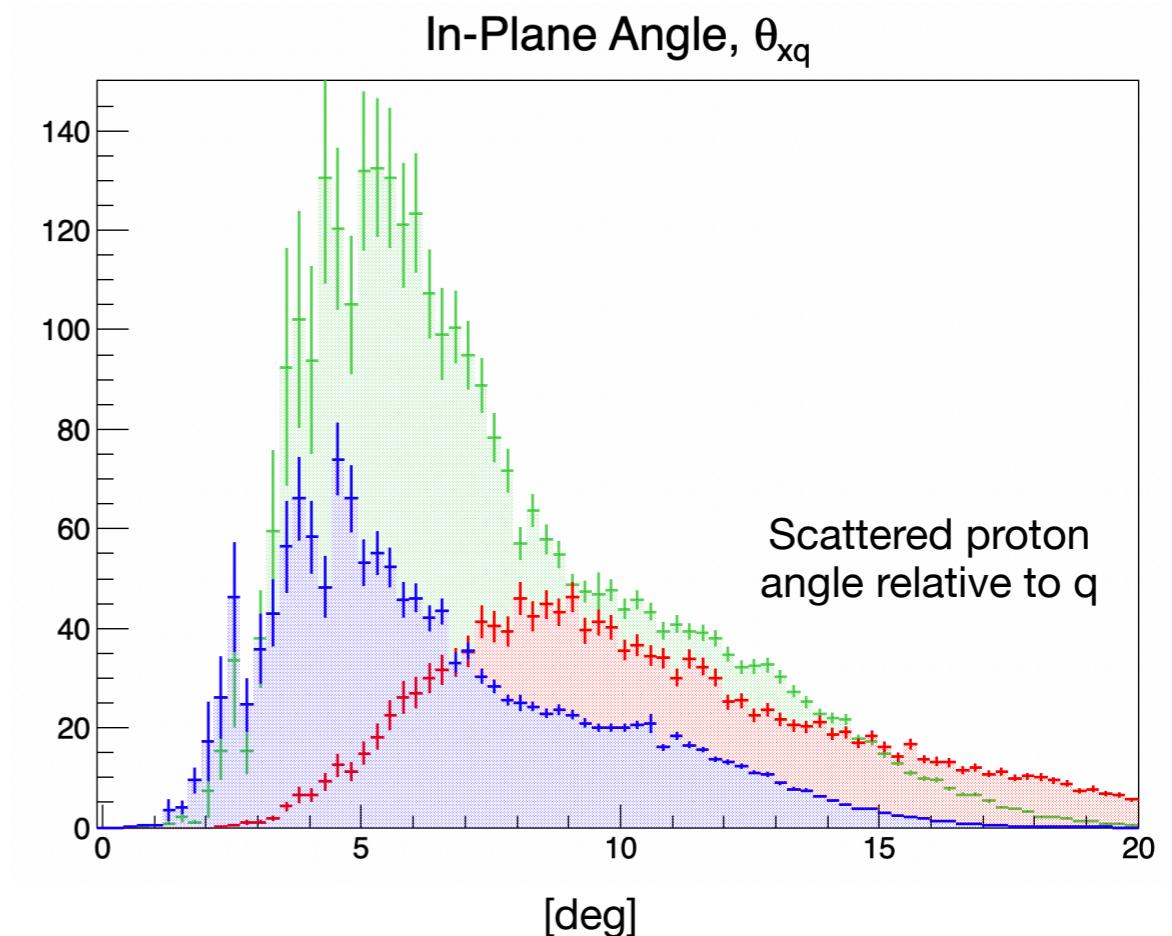
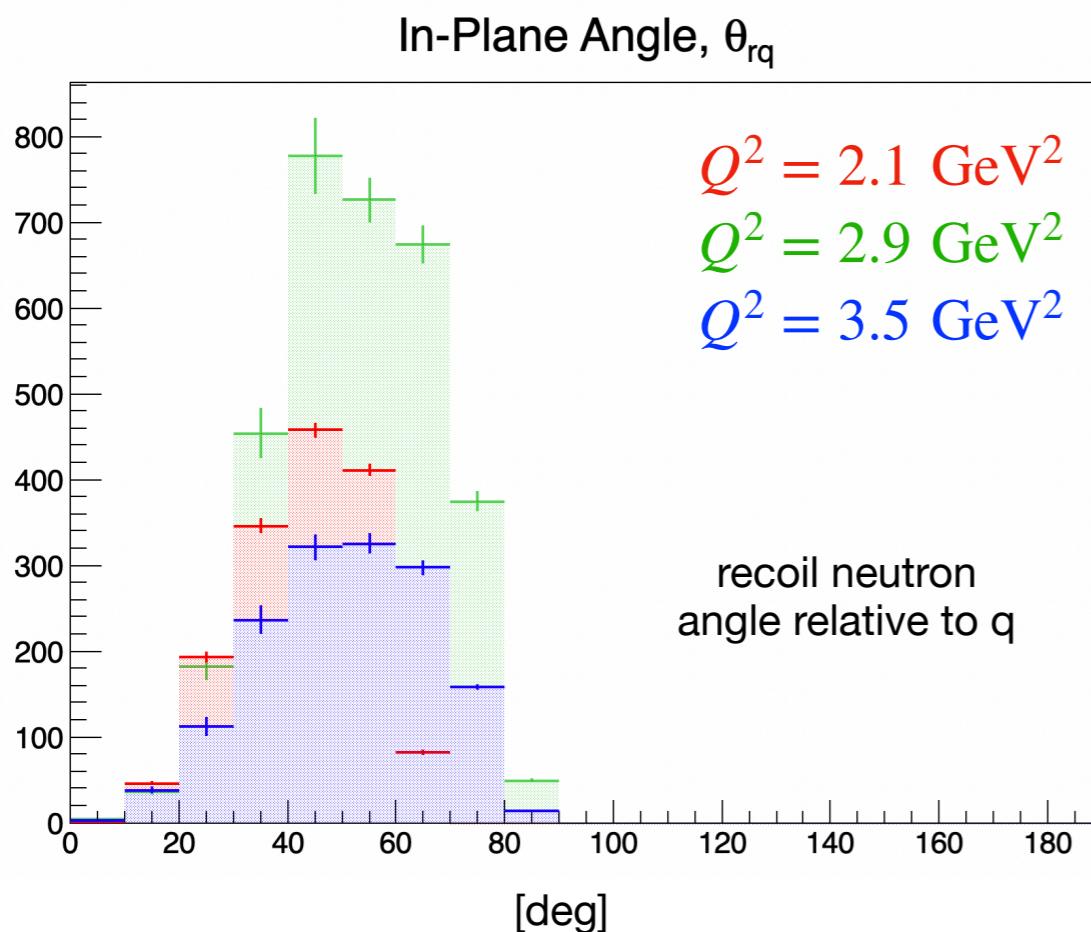
Final Hadron Momentum (detected),  $p_f$



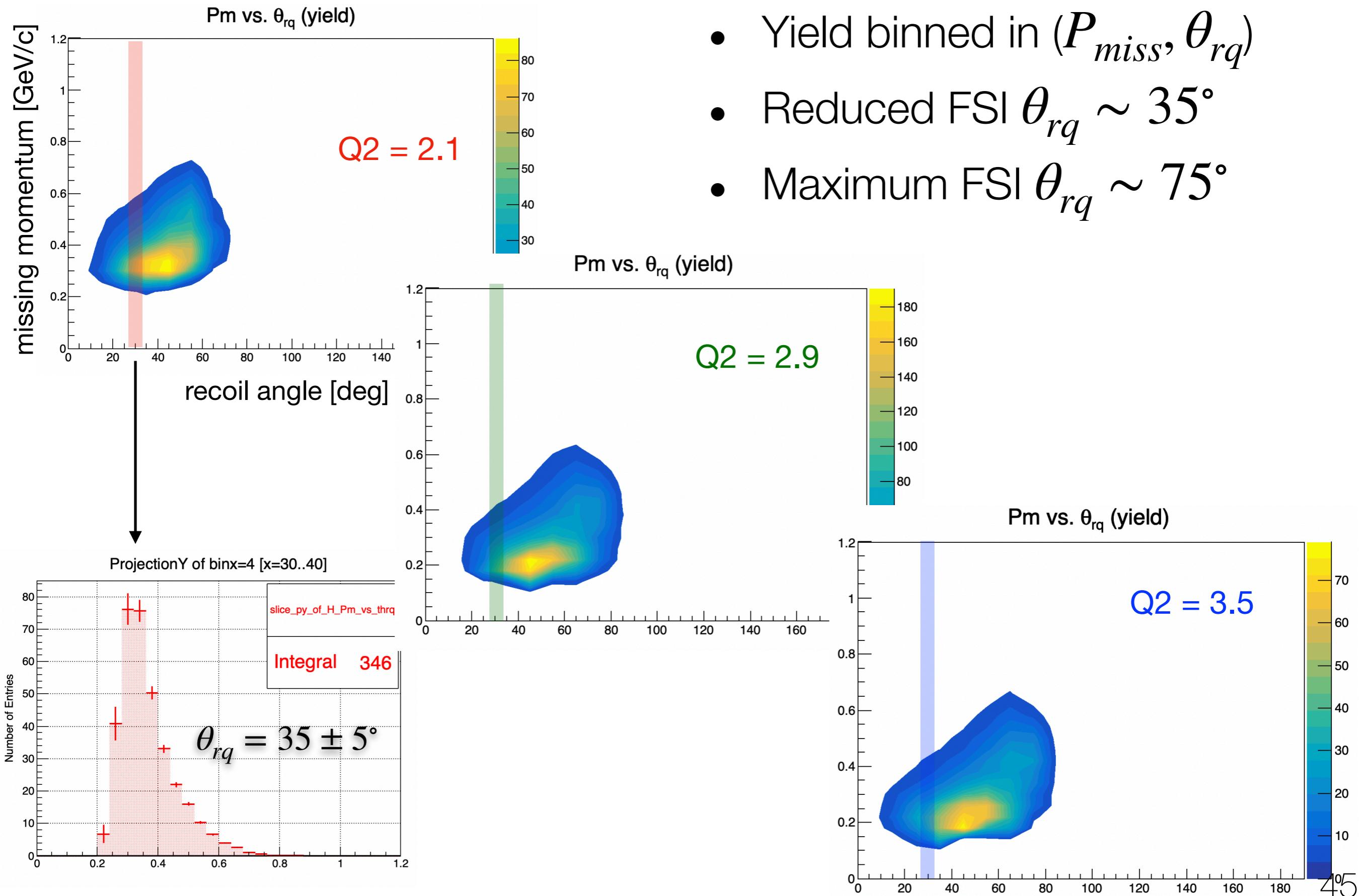
Hadron Scattering Angle (detected),  $\theta_x$



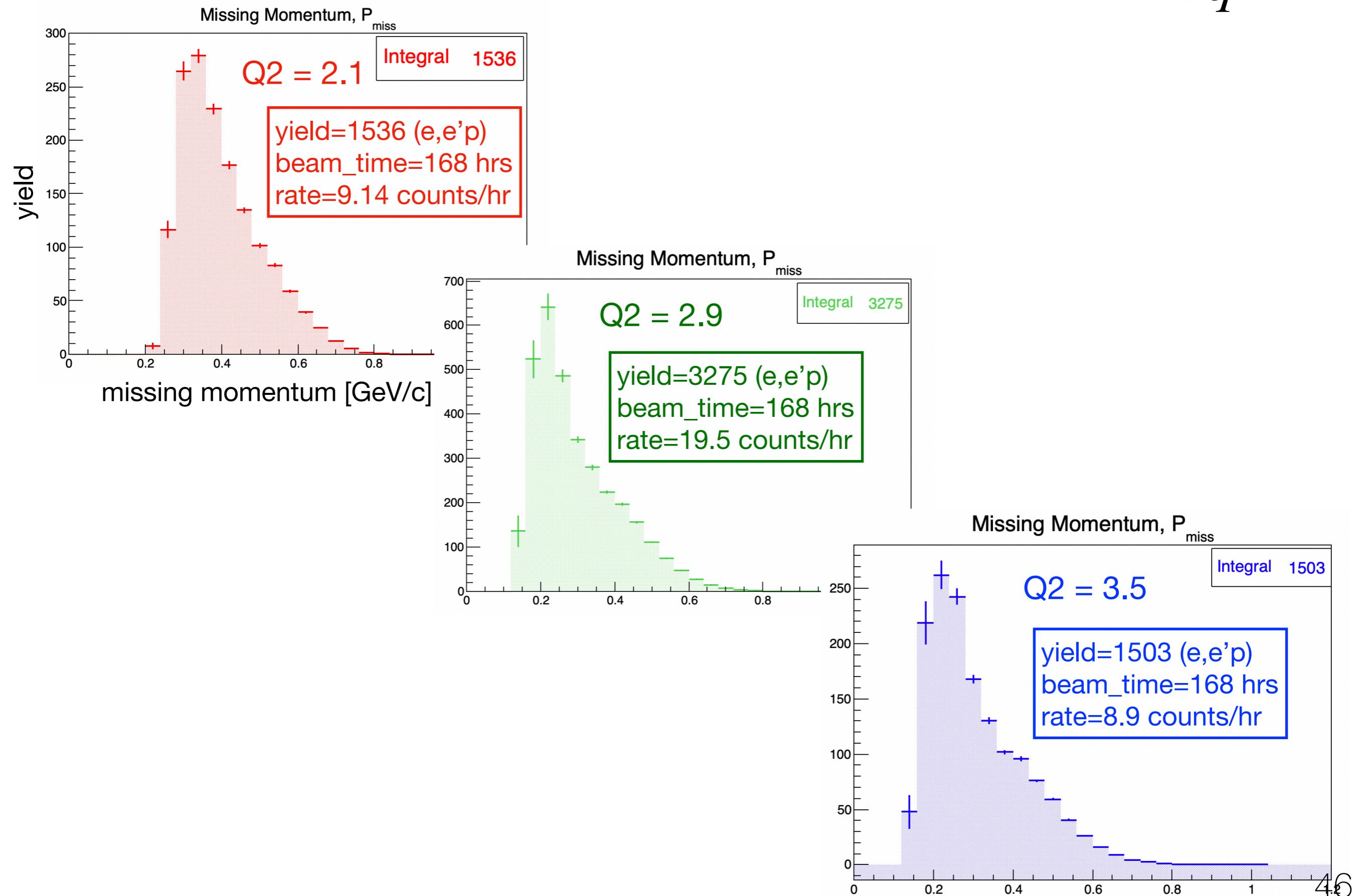
# Kinematics



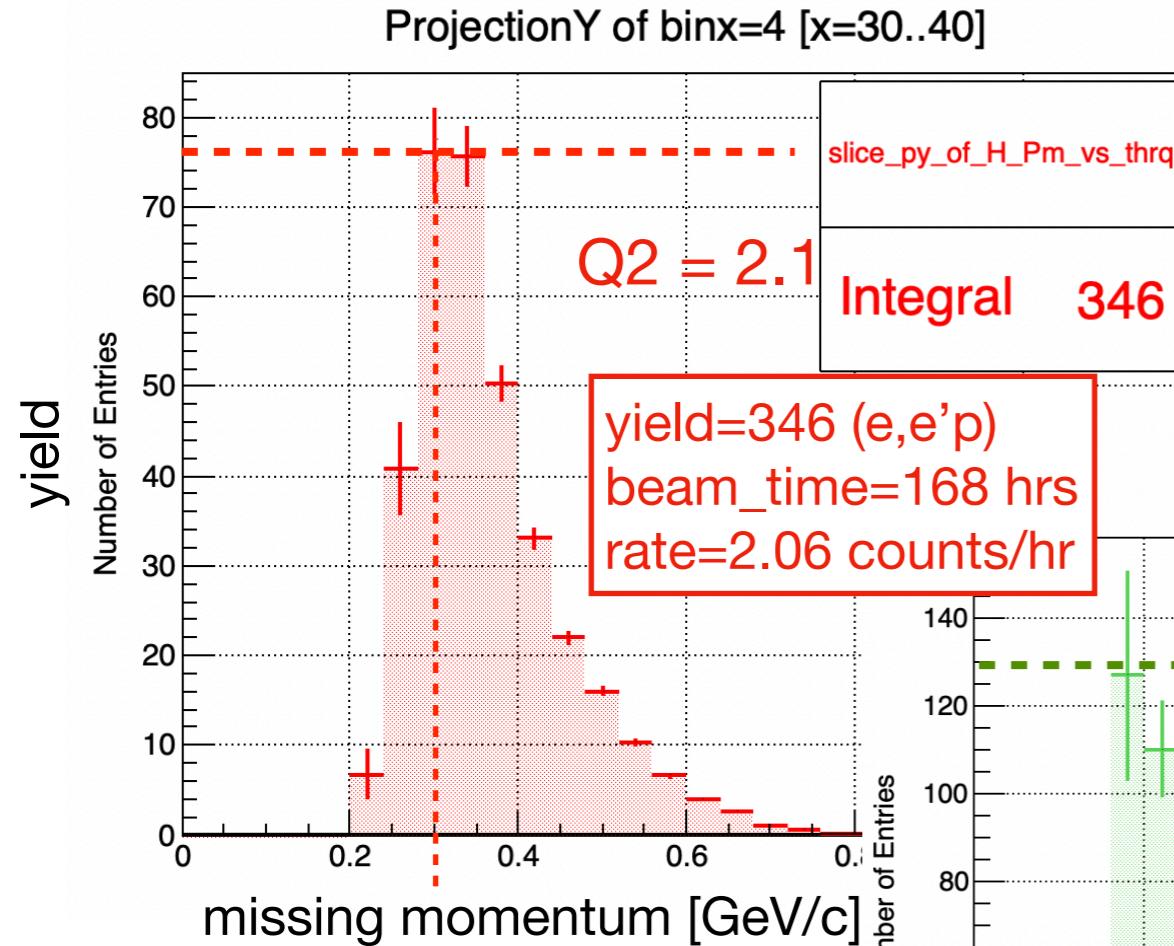
# Selecting minimal FSI $d(e, e'p)$ kinematical bins



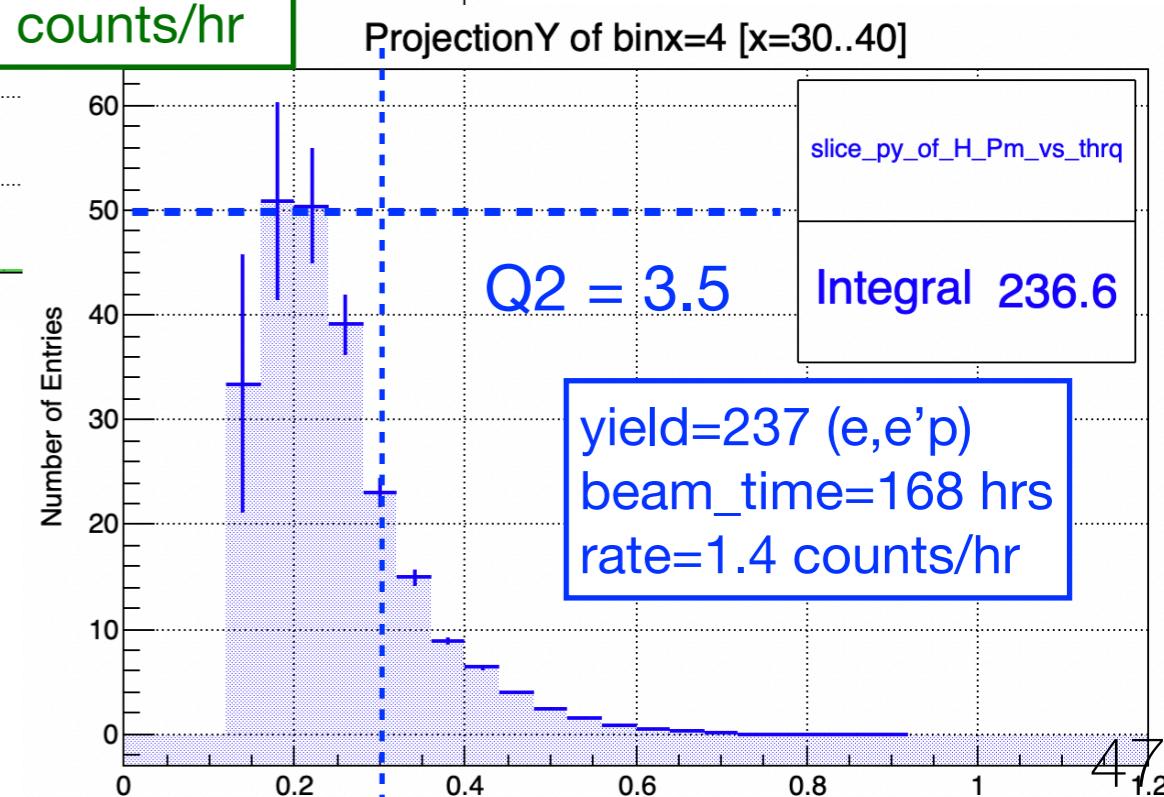
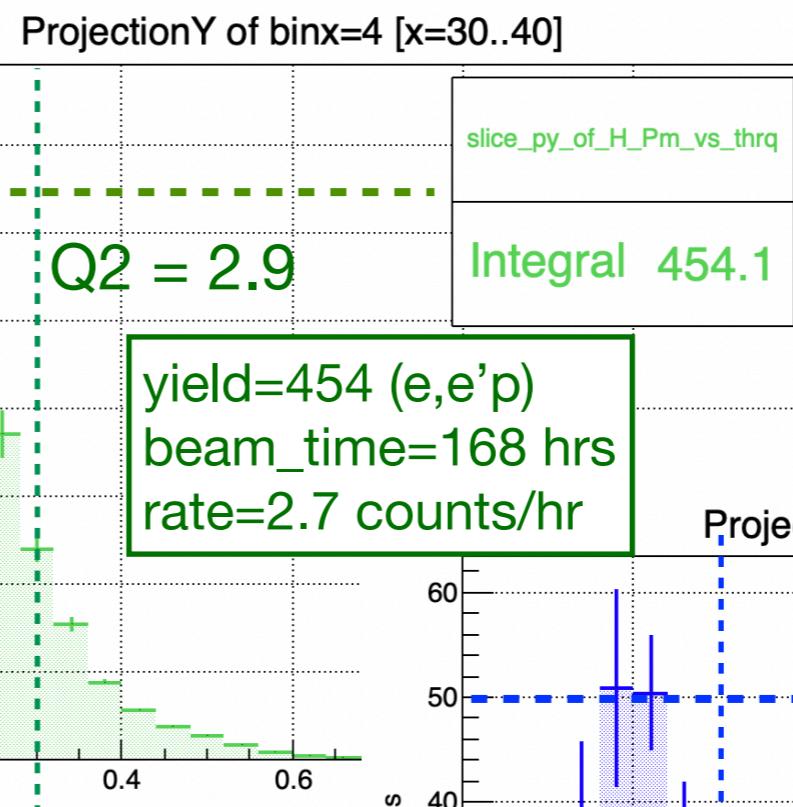
# yields and rates (integrated over all $\theta_{rq}$ )



# yield and rates (selected bin $\theta_{rq} = 35 \pm 5^\circ$ )



- peak relative stat error:  $1/\sqrt{78} \sim 11.3\%$
- peak relative stat error:  $1/\sqrt{130} \sim 8.7\%$
- peak relative stat error:  $1/\sqrt{50} \sim 14.1\%$



Pm bin = 300+/-20 MeV/c

- relative stat error:  $1/\sqrt{78} \sim 11.3\%$
- relative stat error:  $1/\sqrt{50} \sim 14.1\%$
- relative stat error:  $1/\sqrt{25} \sim 20\%$

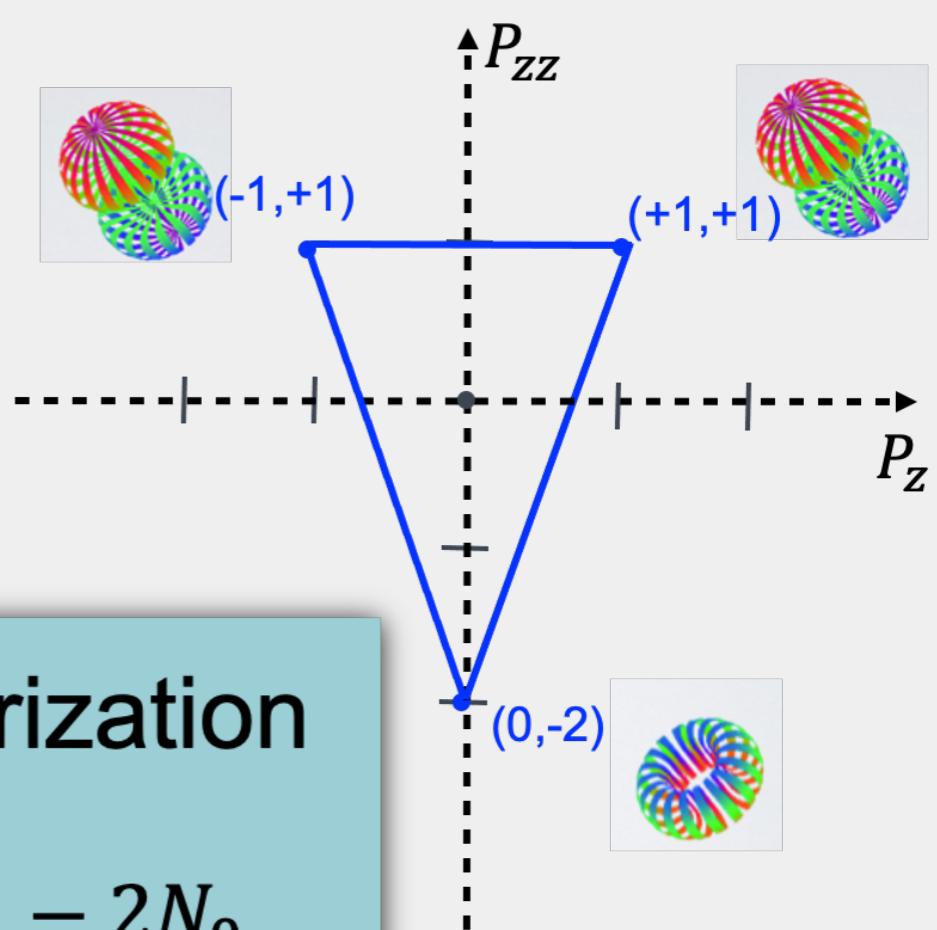
# $d(e, e'p)$ kinematical bins

- the **highest** (peak missing momentum bin) stats that can be collected @  $bin\ 35\pm 5\ deg$  for 168 hrs beam-on-target ( $\sim 1$  week):
  - Q2=2.1 Pm bin~ 300-350 MeV/c ~ 11.3 % (78 counts)
  - Q2=2.9 Pm bin~ 200 MeV/c ~ 8.7 % (130 counts)
  - Q2=3.5 Pm bin~ 200-250 MeV/c ~ 14.1 % (50 counts)
- the **highest** stats that can be collected @  $bin\ (35\ +/- 5\ deg, 300\ +/- 20\ MeV)$  for 168 hrs beam-on-target ( $\sim 1$  week):
  - Q2=2.1 Pm bin~  $300\ +/- 20\ MeV/c$  ~ 11.3 % (78 counts)
  - Q2=2.9 Pm bin~  $300\ +/- 20\ MeV/c$  ~ 14.1 % (50 counts)
  - Q2=3.5 Pm bin~  $300\ +/- 20\ MeV/c$  ~ 20 % (25 counts)

# Experimental Setup

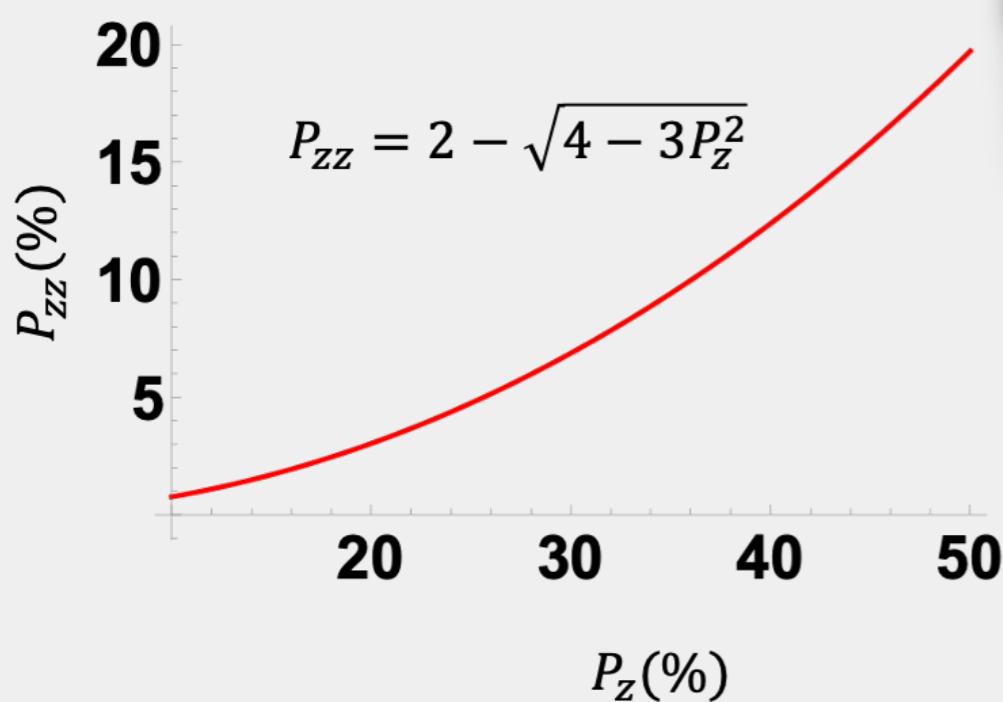
## Vector Polarization

$$P_z = N_{+1} - N_{-1}$$
$$-1 < P_z < +1$$

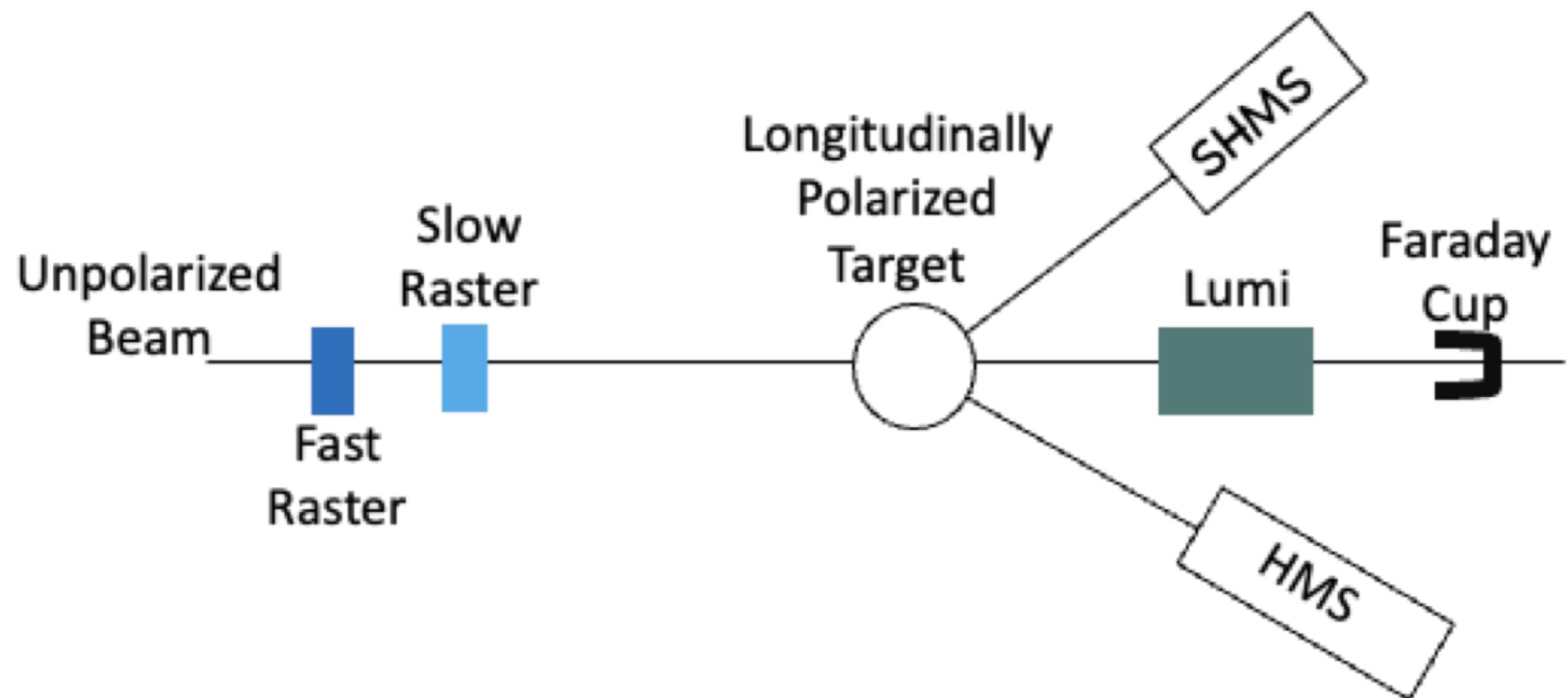


## Tensor Polarization

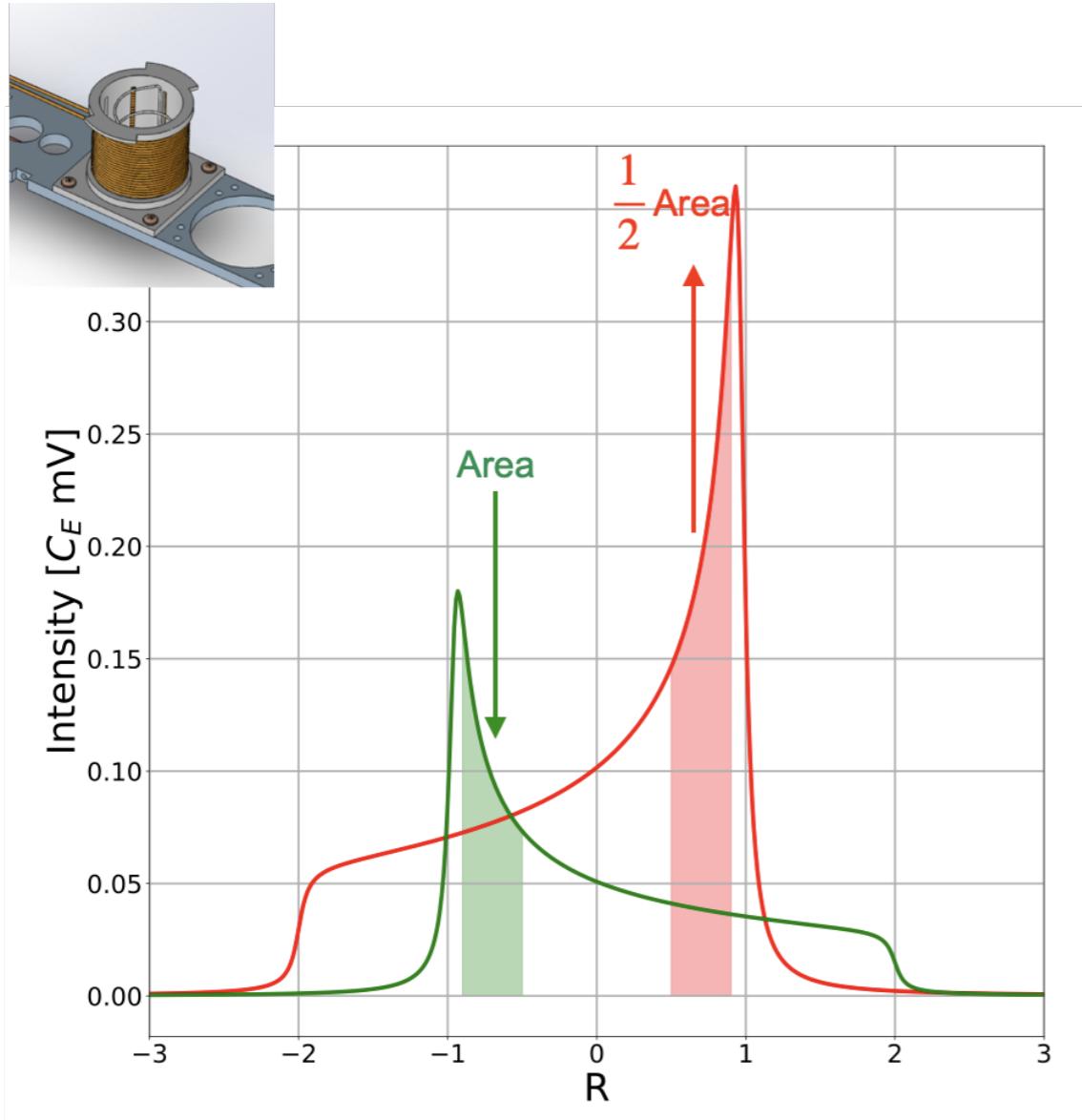
$$P_{zz} = N_{+1} + N_{-1} - 2N_0$$
$$-2 < P_{zz} < +1$$



**Normalization:**  
 $N_{+1} + N_{-1} + N_0 = 1$



## Using the same target technology as the b1 and Azz experiment approved at JLab



### Material

Irradiated Butanol ( $C_4D_9OH$ )

Note: Tensor enhancement can be treated similarly  
for materials with the same lineshape ( $ND_3$ ).

### Measurement:

1. Differential binning
2. Spin temperature consistency

$$P = C(I_+ + I_-)$$

$$Q = C(I_+ - I_-)$$

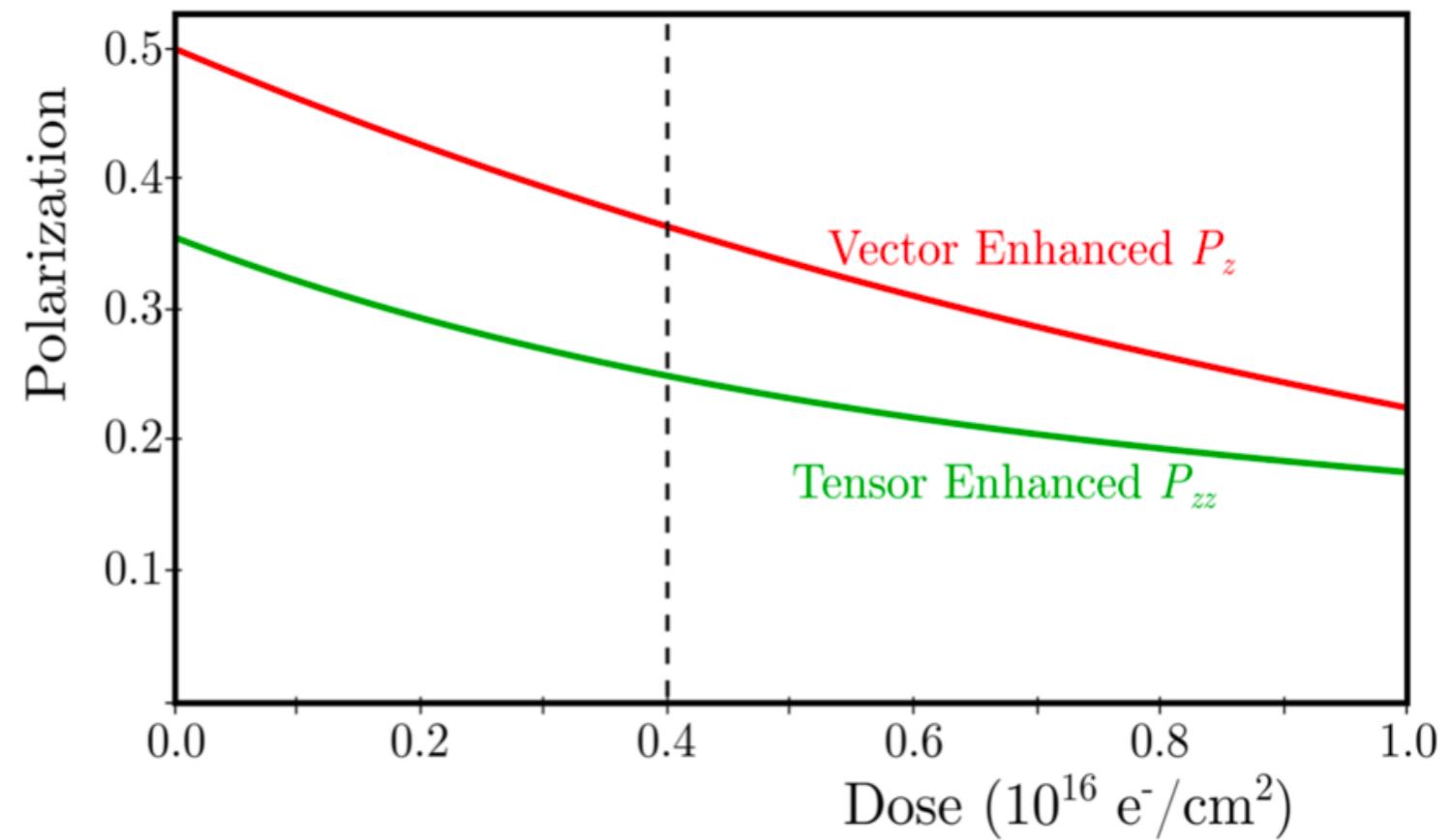
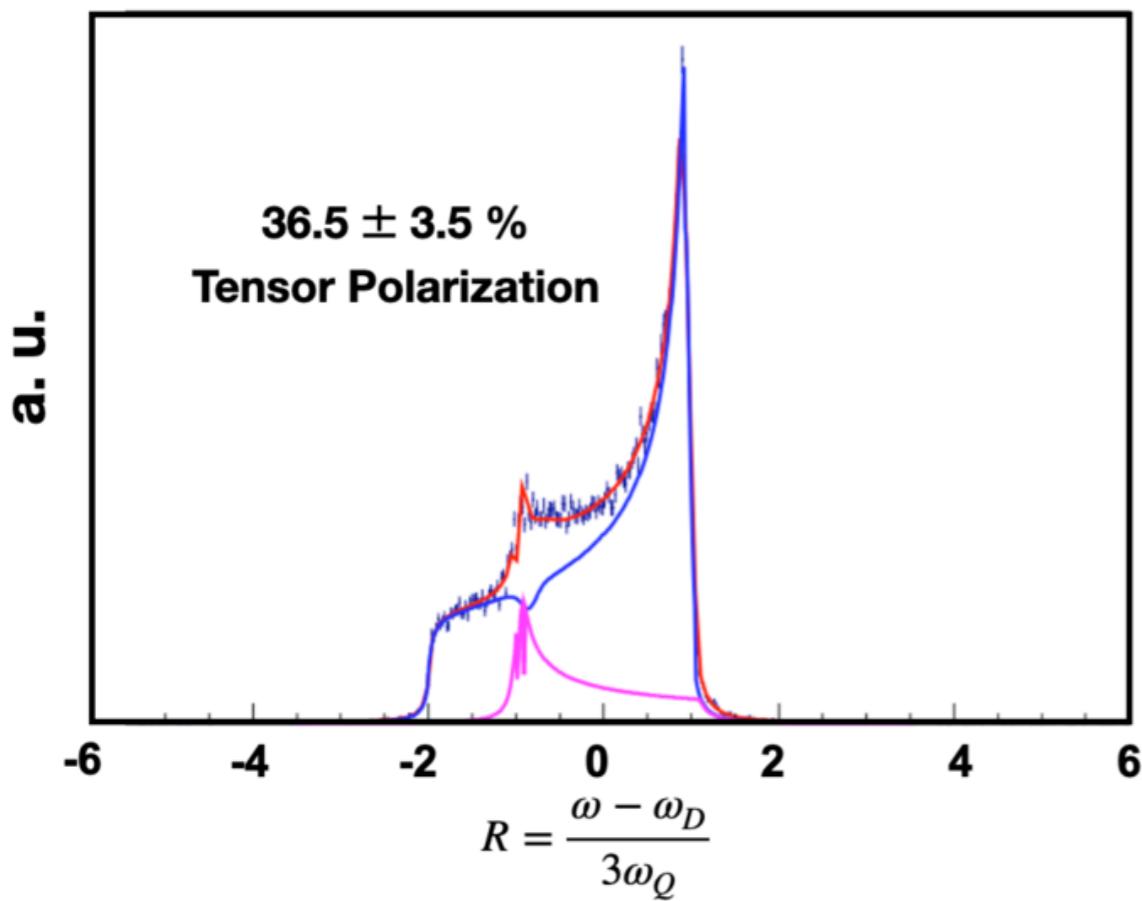
3. Rate response

$$A_{lost} = \frac{1}{2} A_{gained}$$

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## Expected target polarization under beam conditions



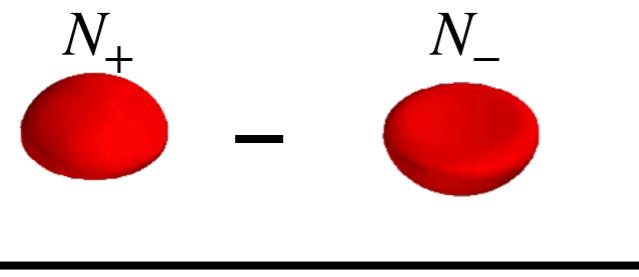
# Deuteron Shapes

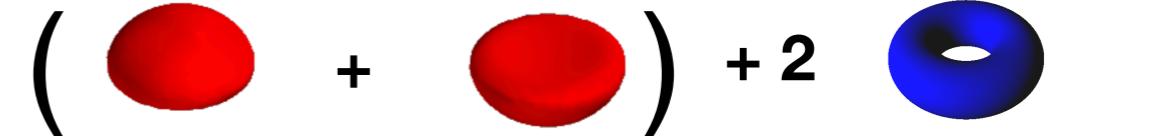
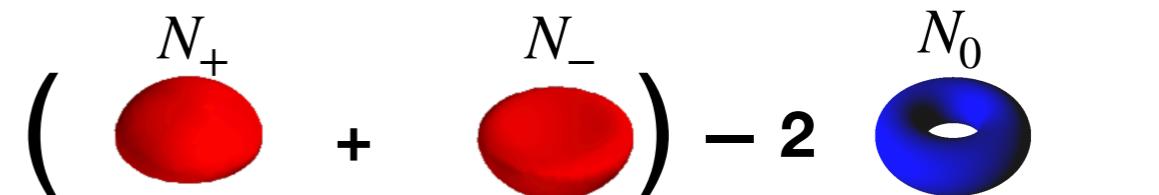
vector polarization

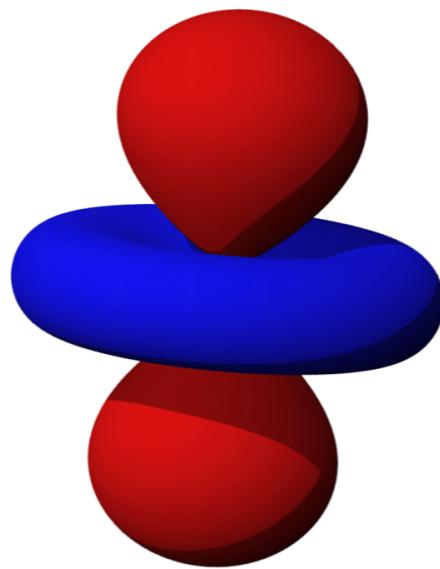
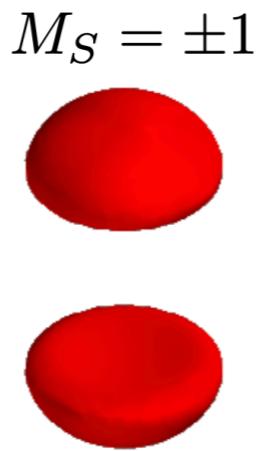
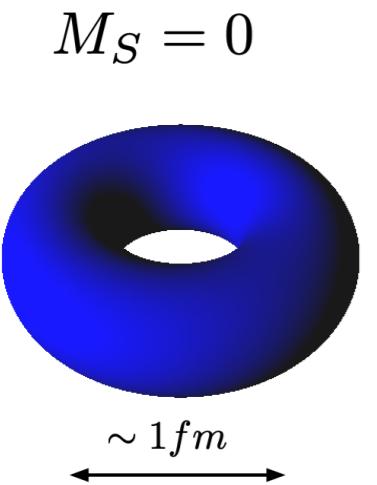
$$A_z = \frac{N_+ - N_-}{N_+ + N_-}$$

tensor polarization

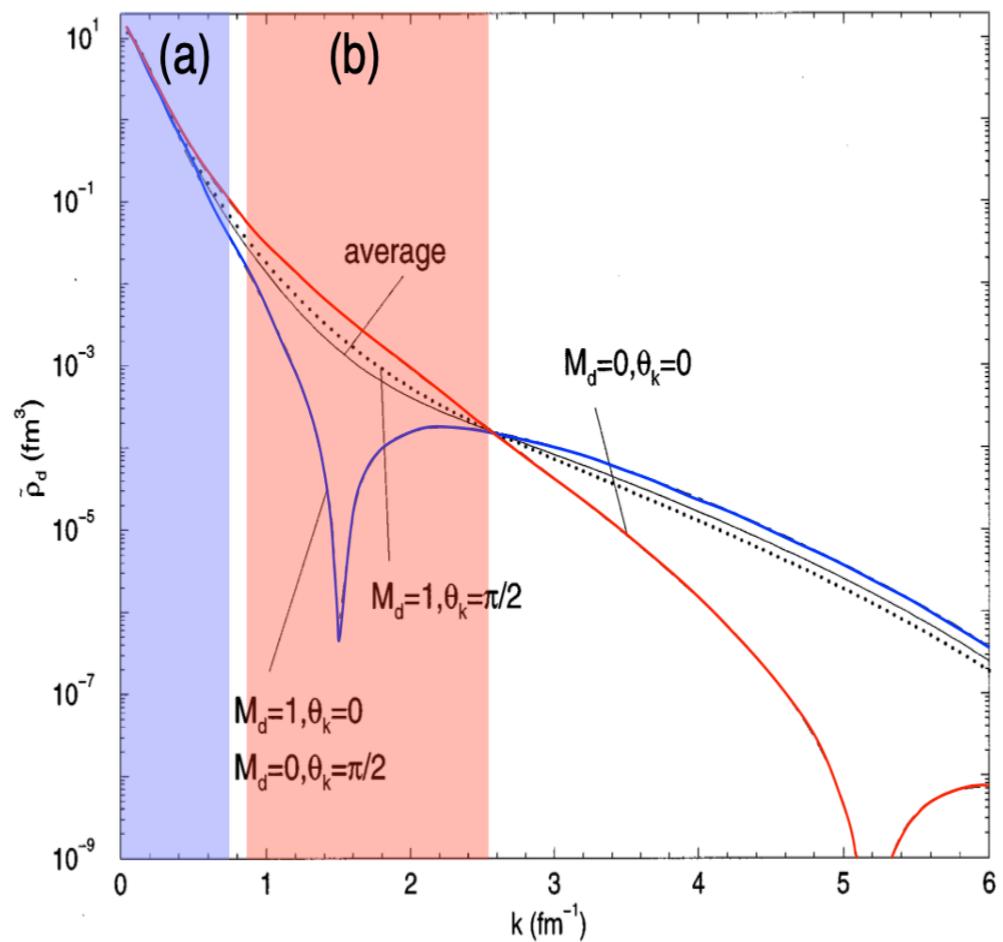
$$A_{zz} = \frac{N_+ + N_- - 2N_0}{N_+ + N_- + 2N_0}$$

$$\frac{N_+ - N_-}{N_+ + N_-}$$


$$\frac{(N_+ + N_-) - 2N_0}{(N_+ + N_-) + 2N_0}$$




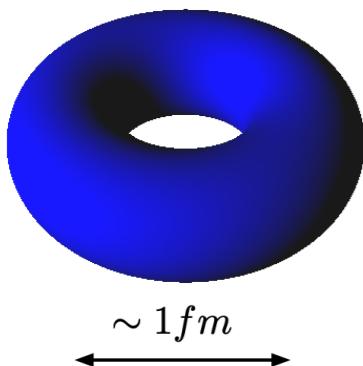
**L + S = 1**  
**L=0 (S-wave), 2 (D-wave)**



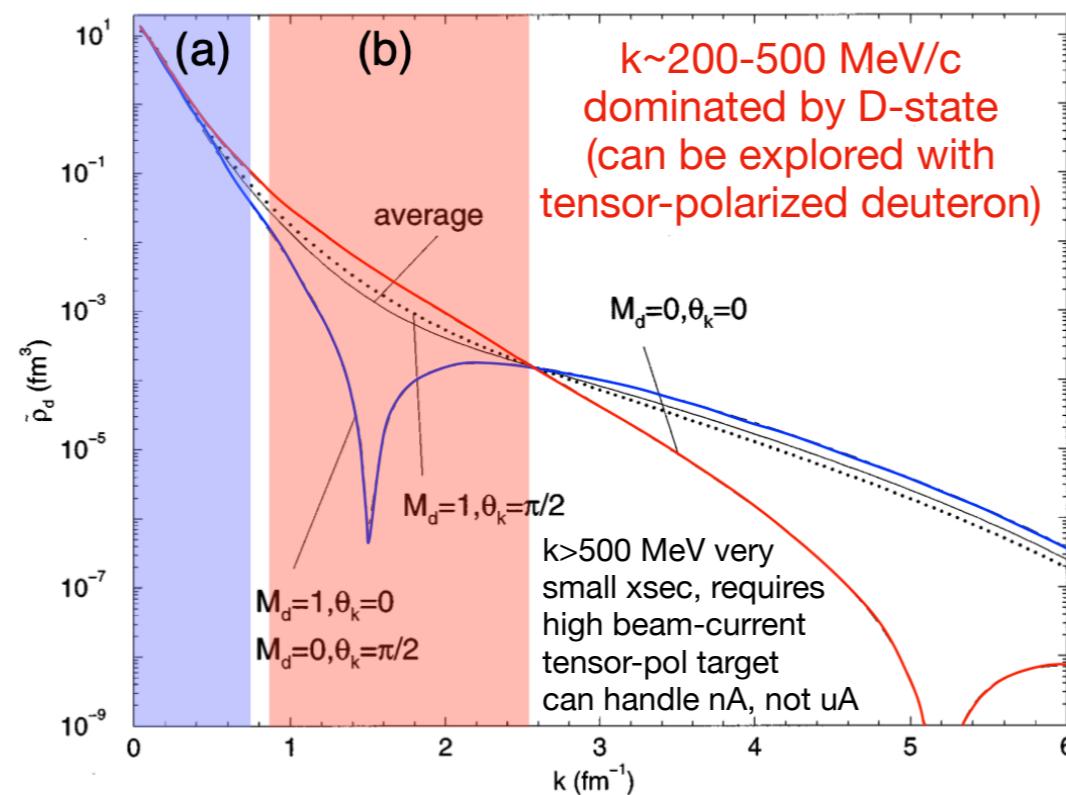
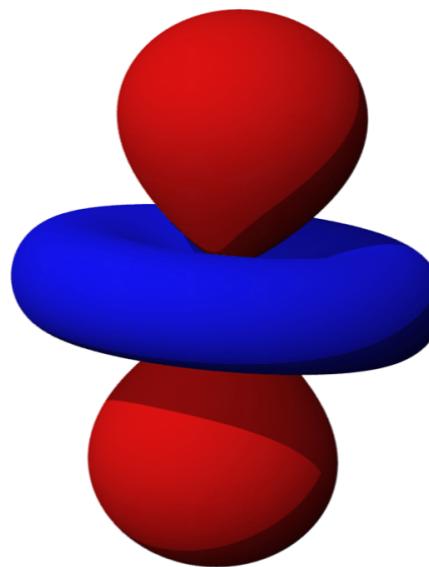
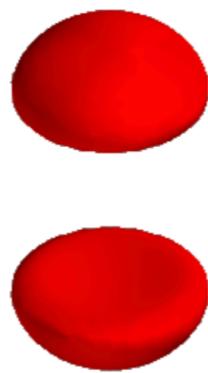
- For surfaces of constant density (momentum dist) on deuteron S-wave and D-wave, the deuteron can be found in either an  $M_S=0$  (torus) or  $M_S=+/-1$  (dumbbell) shape
- For unpolarized deuteron, the S and D wave are essentially contain both torus and dumbbell shapes integrated, however, once deuteron becomes tensor polarized (to a certain extent, ~30%), the S-wave can be separated into an  $M_S=0$  and  $M_S=+1$  or -1 state? Similarly, the D-wave can be separated into an  $M_S=0$  and  $M_S=+1$ , or -1 state, leading to spin-projection dependent momentum distributions

**Figure 2.** The calculated deuteron momentum distribution for different values of  $M_S$  and  $\theta_k$  from reference [8]. The area (a) indicates the missing momentum range covered by the NIKEF experiment [9] and area (b) represents the kinematic range that could be explored at Jefferson Lab. [10]

$M_S = 0$



$M_S = \pm 1$



- We can separate the torus from the dumbbell shape, so essentially we can have:  
 $\rho_{\text{torus}} = a|S\text{-wave}\rangle + b|D\text{-wave}\rangle$   
 $\rho_{\text{dumbbell}} = a|S\text{-wave}\rangle + b|D\text{-wave}\rangle$   
 but for a given shape (torus or dumbbell) we cannot experimentally separate the S-wave from the D-wave?

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