

# Experimental study toward spin-parity assignment of the first Kaonic nuclear bound state, **K-pp**

*— One of the most fundamental quantity to be defined experimentally —*

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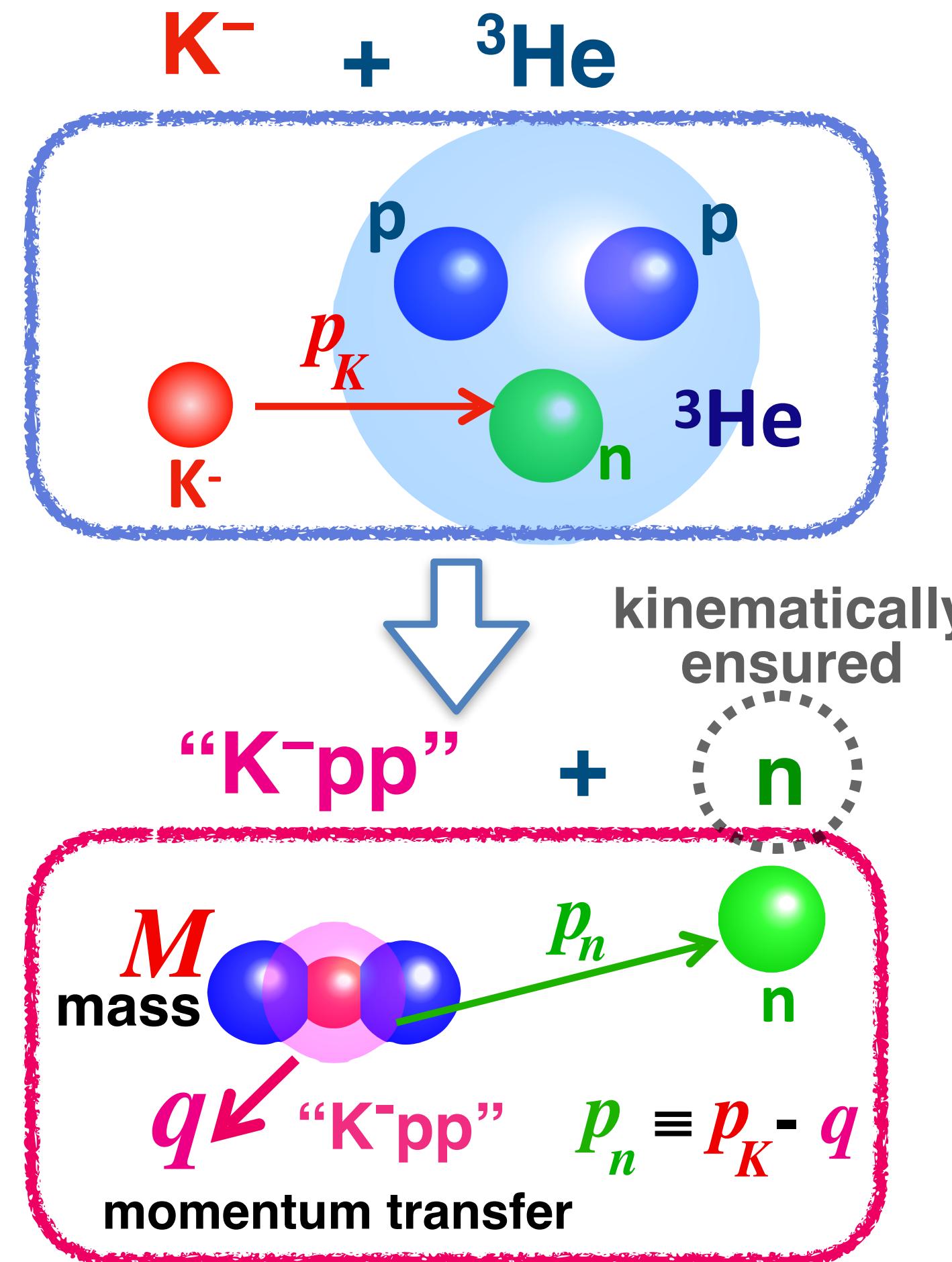
**K-pp was observed very clearly in  
exclusive non-mesonic reaction**

channel  $K^- + {}^3\text{He} \rightarrow (\Lambda + p) + n$

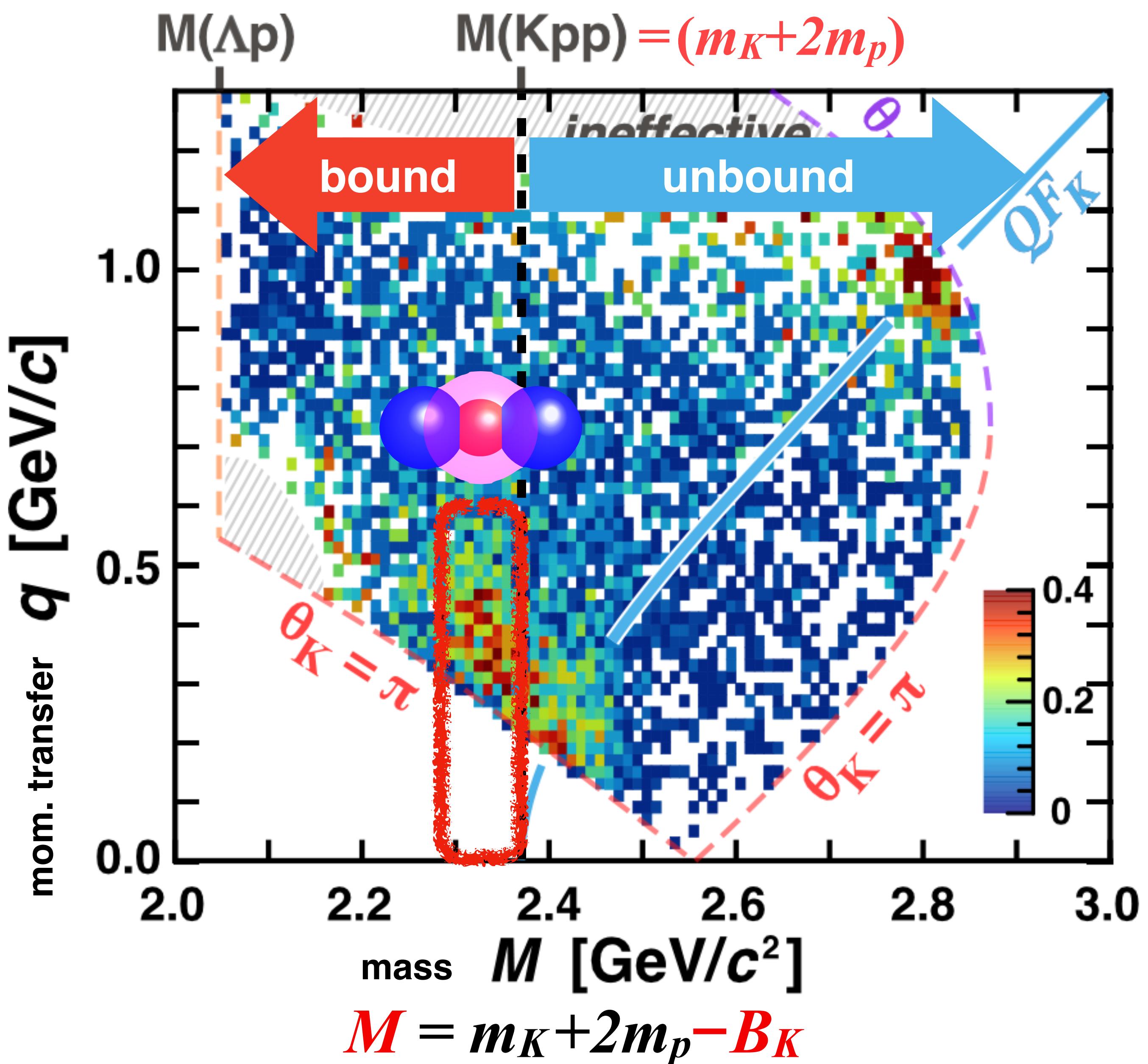
*specified to be simplest final state  
less ambiguity in interpretation*

$$(M_{\Lambda p}, q_{\Lambda p}); E_{\Lambda p}^2 = M_{\Lambda p}^2 + q_{\Lambda p}^2$$

# 2D analysis on ( $M, q$ )



kinematics defined by  
( $M, q$ )



# PWIA based interpretation

(plane wave impulse approximation)

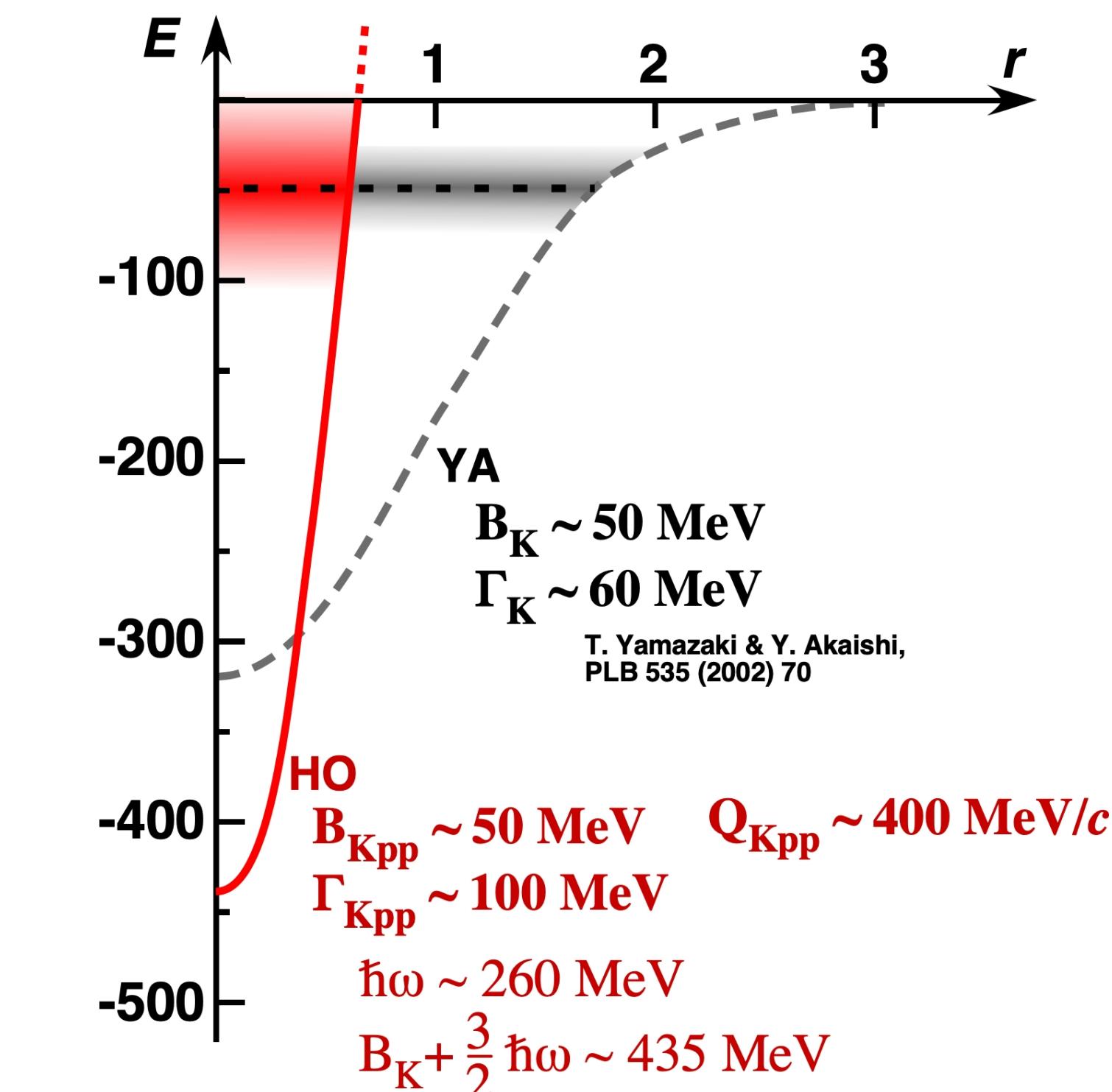
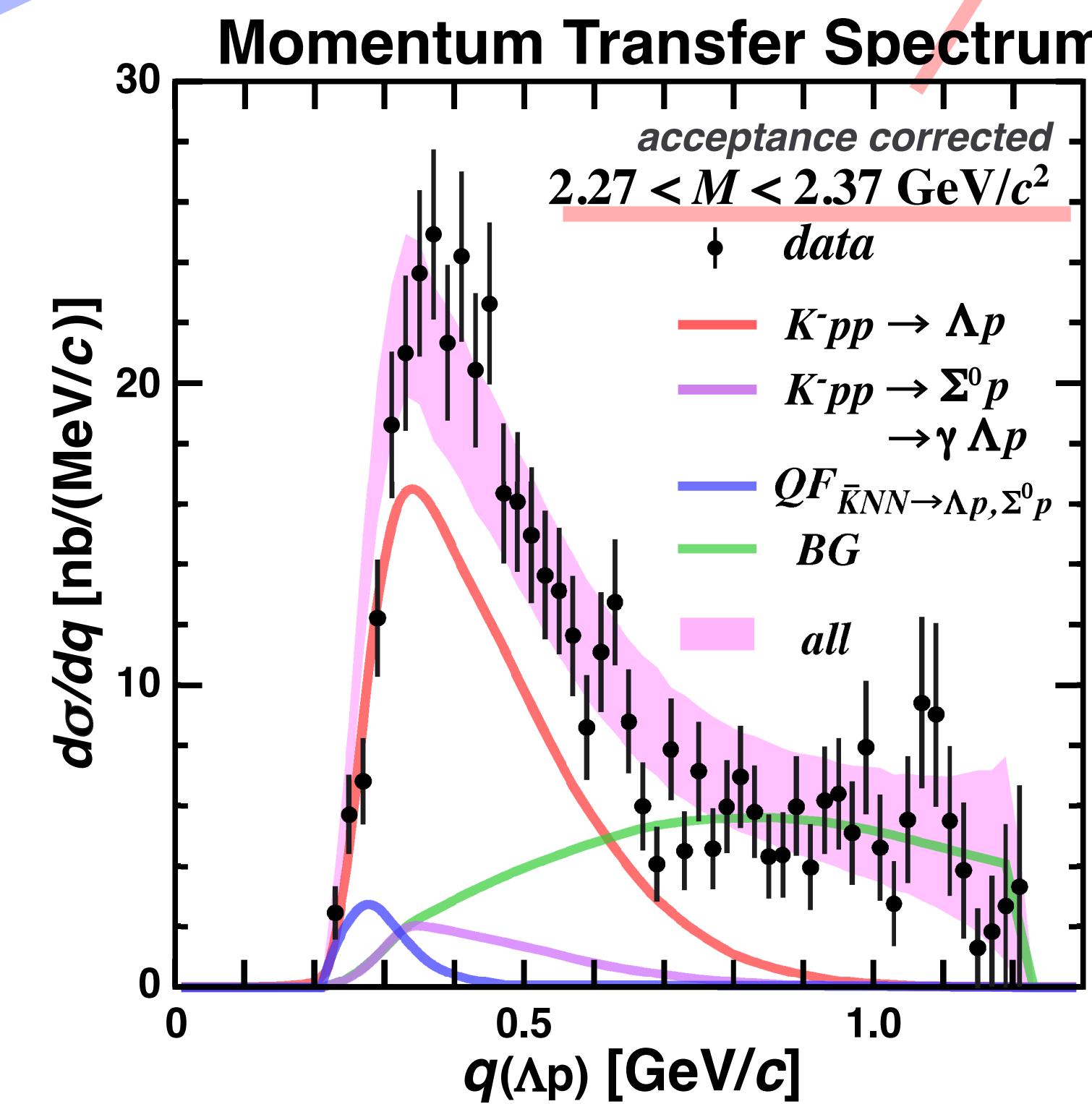
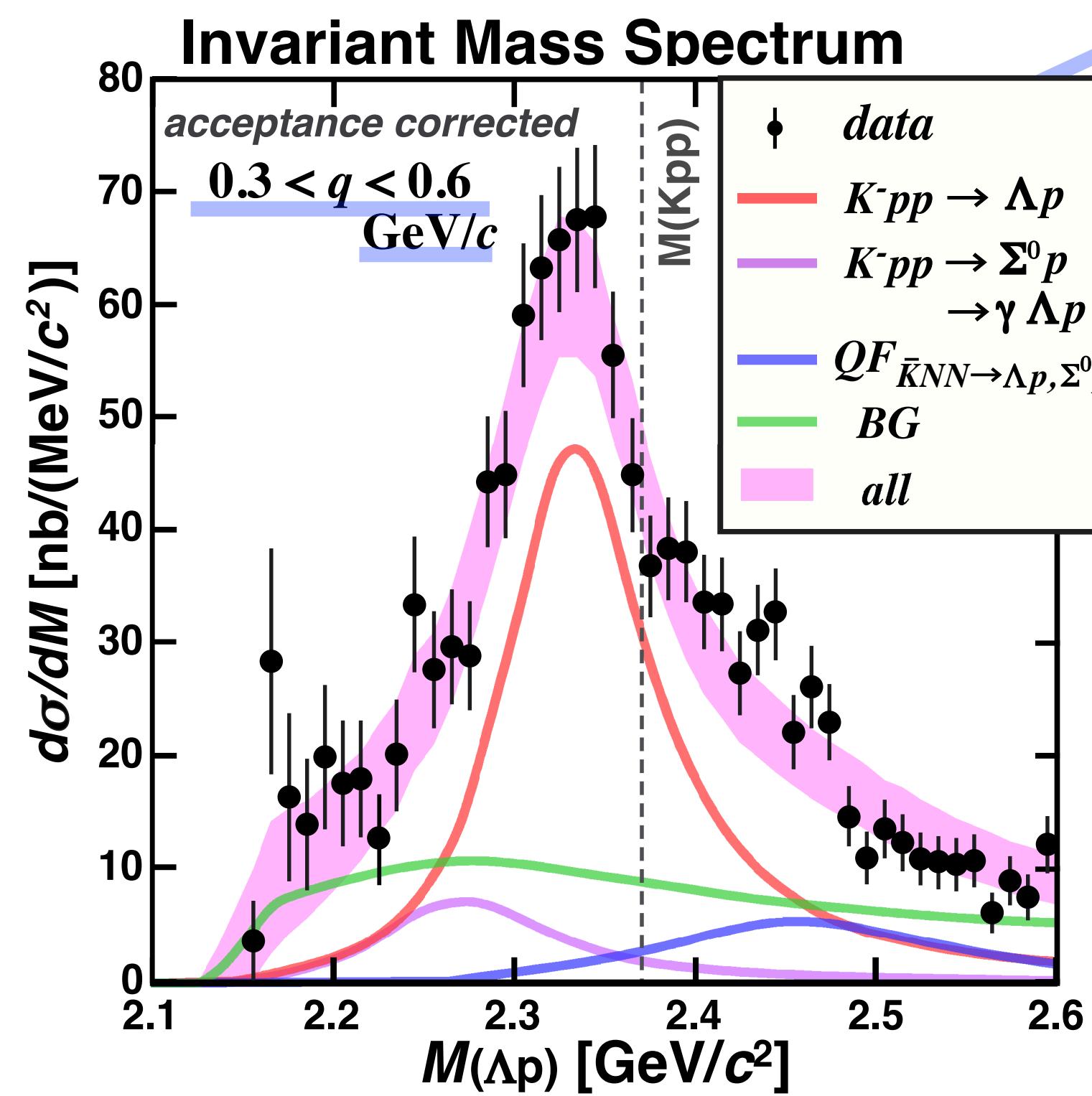
$$\sigma(M, q) \propto \rho_{3B}(M, q) \times \text{Lorentz invariant phase space } (\Lambda p n)$$

Differential cross section

B.W. / Lorentzian

$$\frac{(\Gamma_{Kpp}/2)^2}{(M - M_{Kpp})^2 + (\Gamma_{Kpp}/2)^2} \times \exp\left(-\frac{q^2}{Q_{Kpp}^2}\right)$$

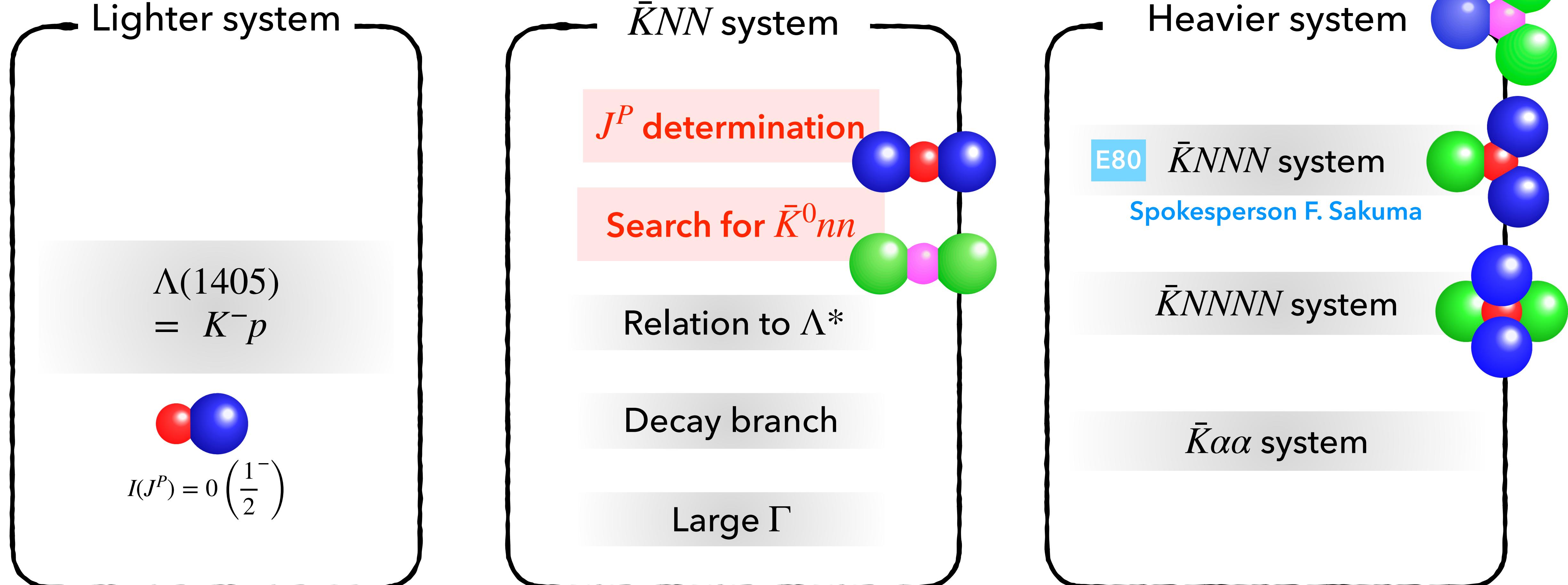
form factor / structure factor



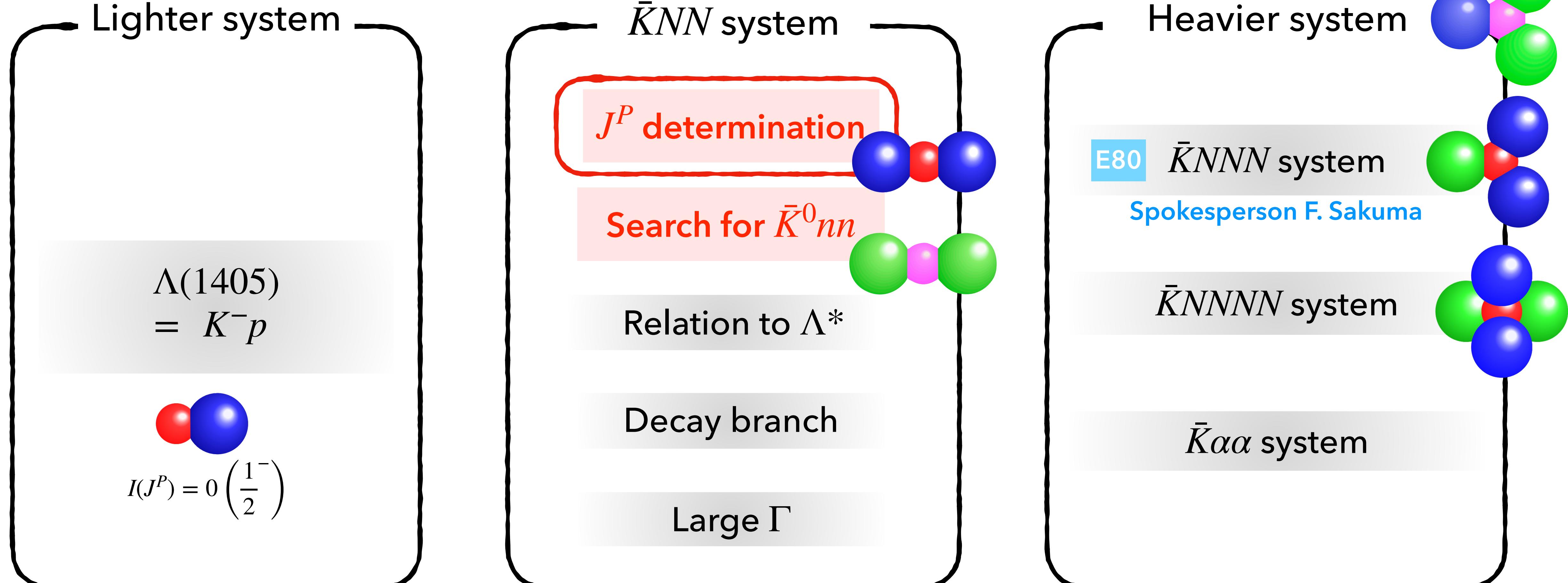
strong binding ( $\bar{K}N$  attraction)  
 $B_{Kpp} \sim 40 \text{ MeV}$ ,  $\Gamma_{Kpp} \sim 90 \text{ MeV}$

wide momentum width quite compact?  
 $Q_{Kpp} \sim 400 \text{ MeV}/c$  (  $R_{Kpp} \sim 0.6 \text{ fm}$  (H.O.) )

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**Spin-parity ( $J^P$ ) is the most fundamental quantum number need to be examined experimentally**

**$J^P$  defines internal structure of  $\bar{K}NN$**

# Internal structure of $\bar{K}\text{-}pp$

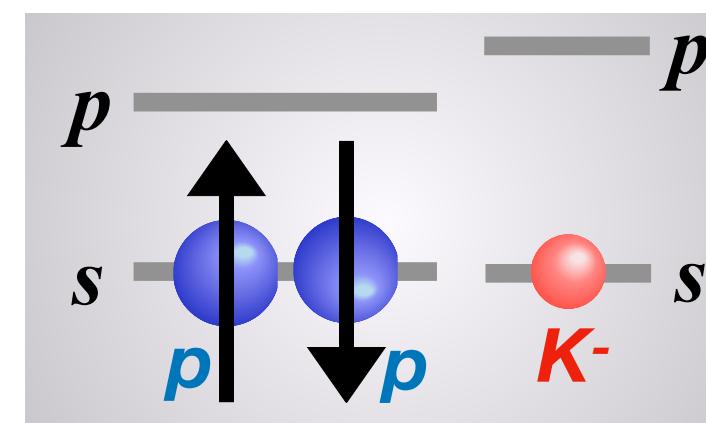
*There are two candidates as for the  $\bar{K}NN$  ground state, in which NN symmetry and  $N\bar{K}$  couplings are different*

$$J^P = 0^-$$

“(NN)<sub>(I.sym × S.Asym)</sub>  $\otimes \bar{K}$ ”

$$\frac{|I_{\bar{K}N} = 0|^2}{|I_{\bar{K}N} = 1|^2} = \frac{3}{1} \quad \text{expected to be deep}$$

strong interaction in S-wave



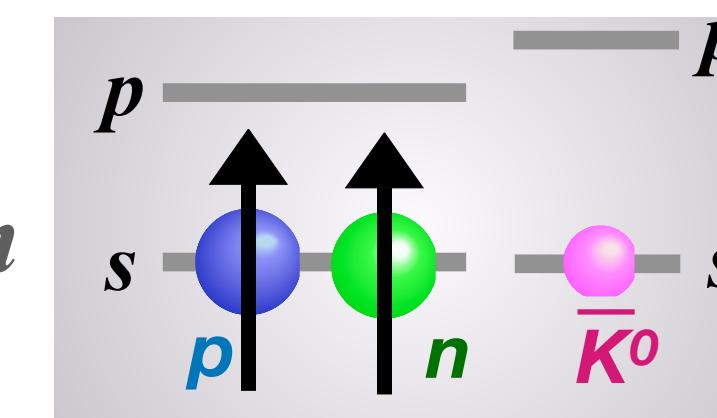
symbolical representation as “ $K^-pp$ ”

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“(NN)<sub>(I.Asym × S.sym)</sub>  $\otimes \bar{K}$ ”

$$\frac{|I_{\bar{K}N} = 0|^2}{|I_{\bar{K}N} = 1|^2} = \frac{1}{3} \quad \text{expected to be shallow}$$

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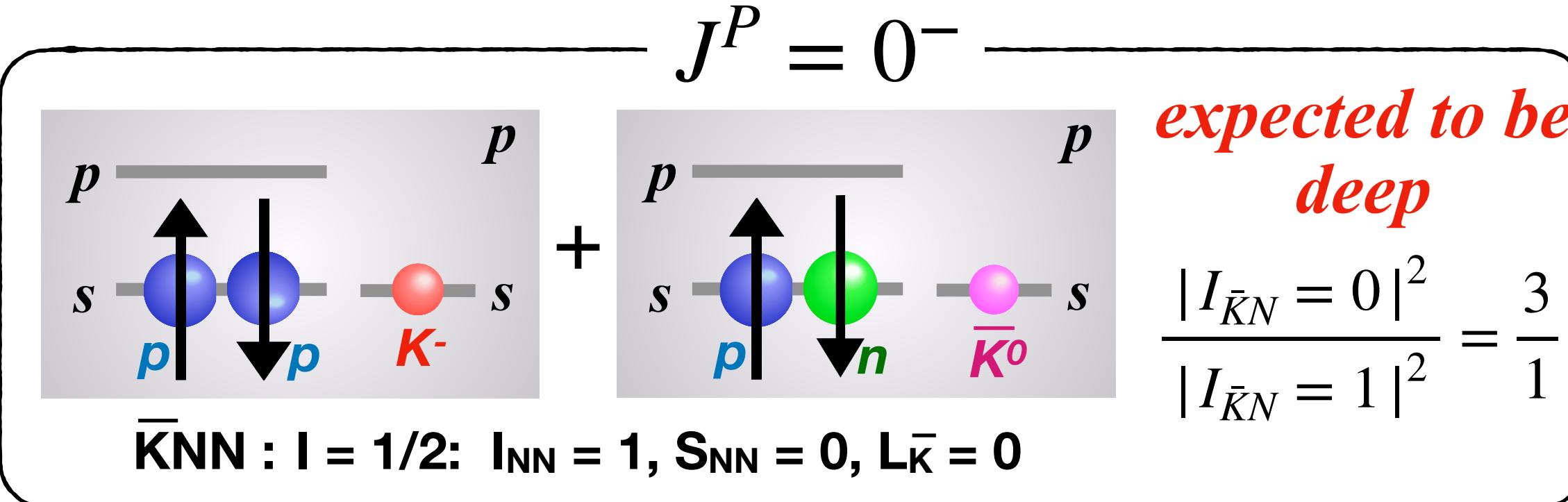


*Naturally,  $J^P = 0^-$  is expected to be the ground state, because*

*$I_{\bar{K}N} = 0$  channel is strongly attractive, while  $I_{\bar{K}N} = 1$  channel is weak*

# Specific representation of $\bar{K}NN$

“(NN)<sub>(I.sym × S.Asym)</sub>  $\otimes \bar{K}$ ”



$$\frac{N(N \otimes \bar{K})_{I=0} + (N \otimes \bar{K})_{I=0}N}{N(N \otimes \bar{K})_{I=1} + (N \otimes \bar{K})_{I=1}N} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{1}$$

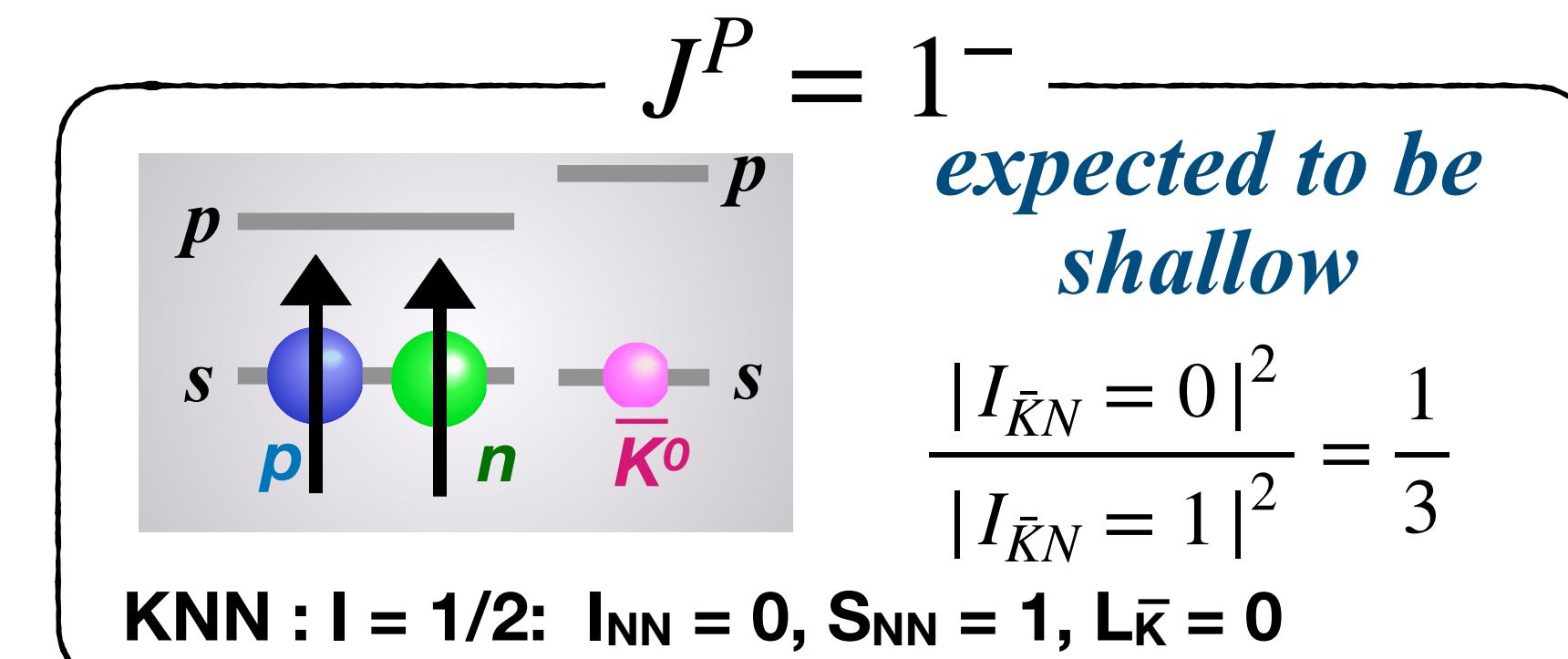
*most likely*

“ $K^-pp$ ” ...  $I_z = +1/2$   $\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \left( \sqrt{2}ppK^- - \frac{pn+np}{\sqrt{2}}\bar{K}^0 \right) \otimes \left( \frac{\uparrow\downarrow - \downarrow\uparrow}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$

*should exist*

“ $\bar{K}^0nn$ ” ...  $I_z = -1/2$   $\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \left( \frac{pn+np}{\sqrt{2}}K^- - \sqrt{2}nn\bar{K}^0 \right) \otimes \left( \frac{\uparrow\downarrow - \downarrow\uparrow}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$

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*can it be possible?*

$I_z = +1/2 \quad \frac{(np - pn)}{\sqrt{2}}\bar{K}^0 \otimes \left( \uparrow\uparrow, \frac{\uparrow\downarrow + \downarrow\uparrow}{\sqrt{2}}, \downarrow\downarrow \right) \dots “\bar{K}^0pn”$

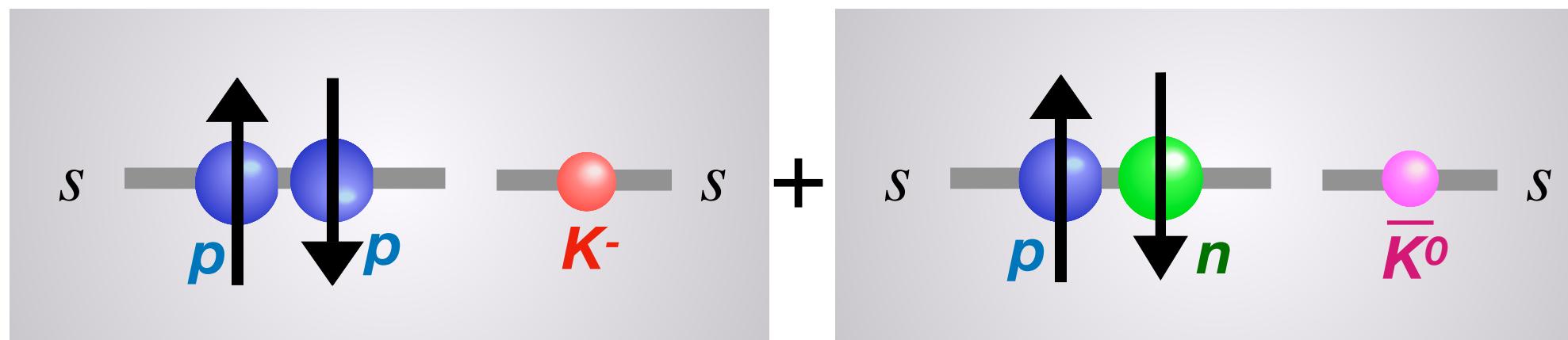
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# How to access $J^P$ by the $\bar{K}\text{-pp} \rightarrow \Lambda\text{p}$ decay

*J = 0 means no angular correlation?*

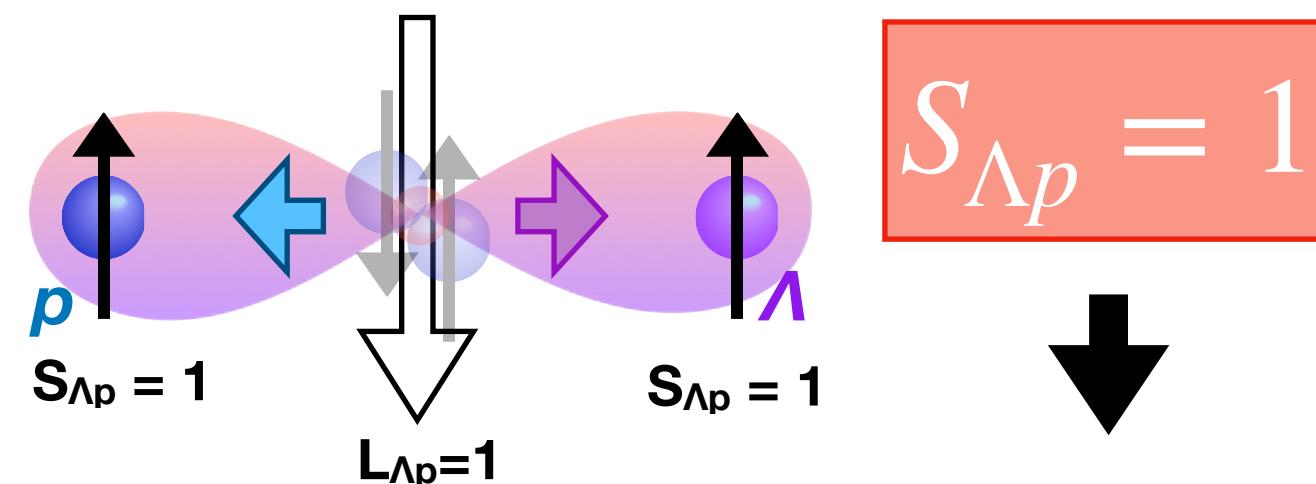
$$J^P_{\bar{K}NN} = 0^-$$



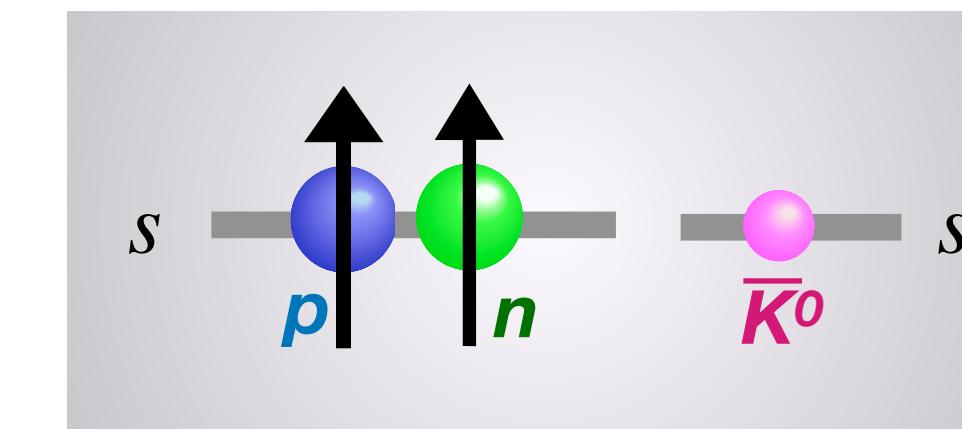
To be negative parity as  $J^P = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)_\Lambda^+ \times \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)_p^+$

$$L_{\Lambda p} = 1 \quad P = (-1)^{L_{\Lambda p}}$$

To be  $J_{\Lambda p} = L_{\Lambda p} + S_{\Lambda p} = 0$ ,  $S_{\Lambda p} = S_\Lambda + S_p$



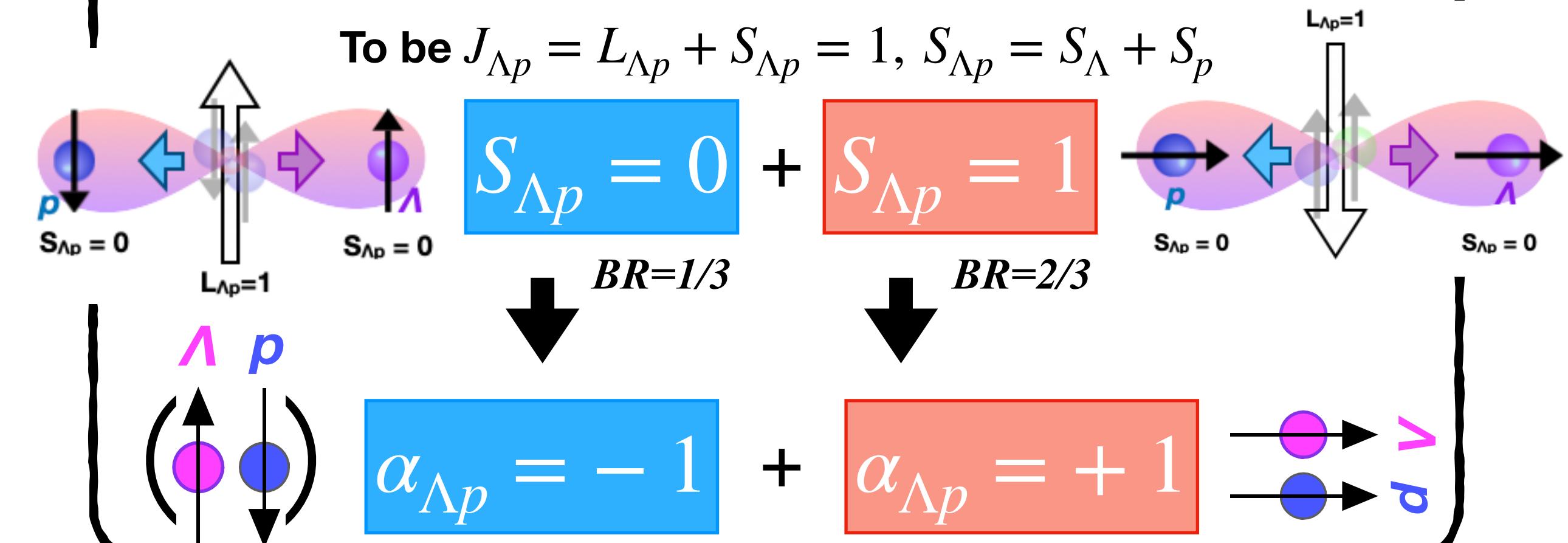
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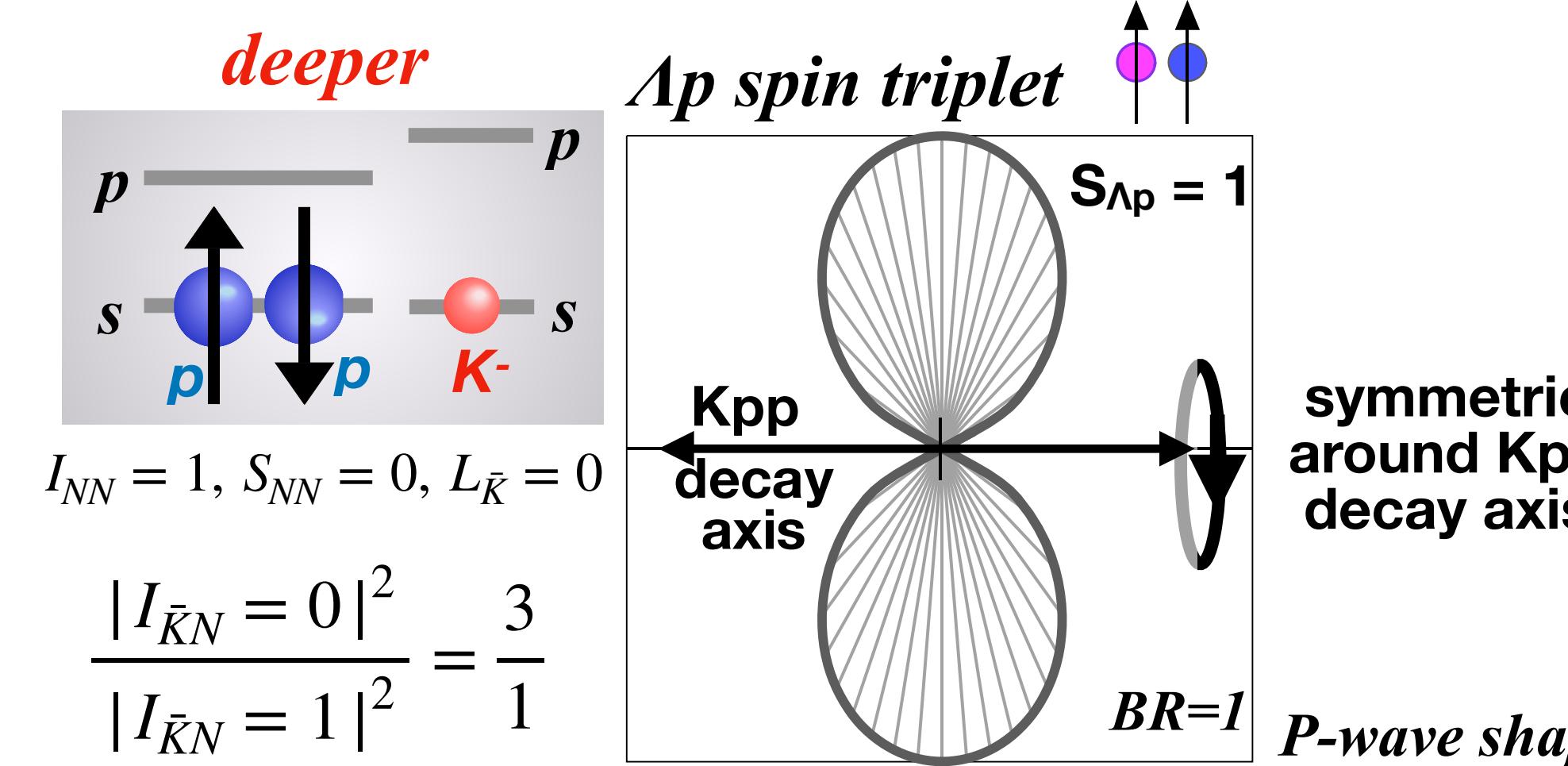
$$\alpha_{\Lambda p} = +1$$

$$\alpha_{\Lambda p} = -1$$

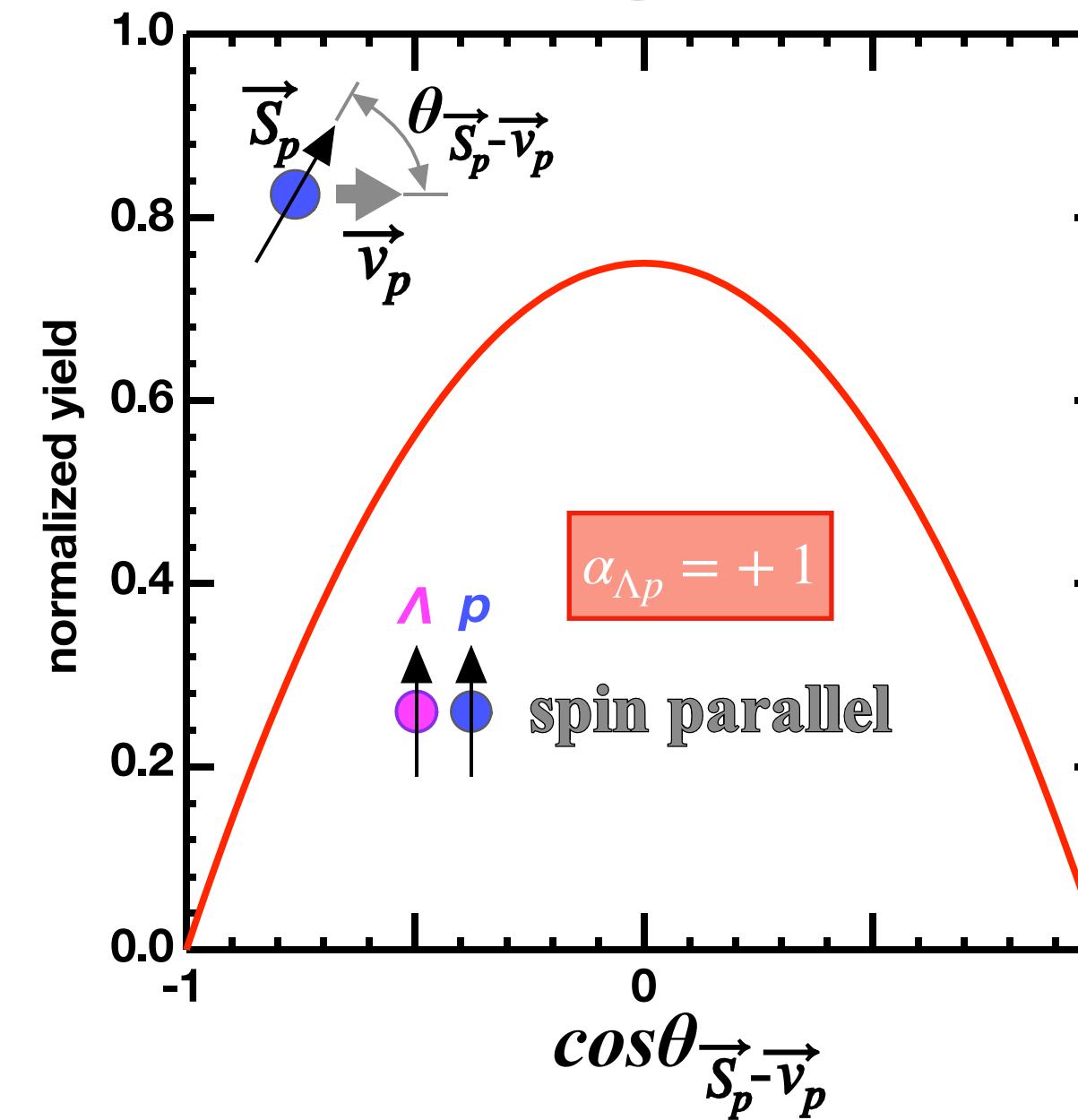
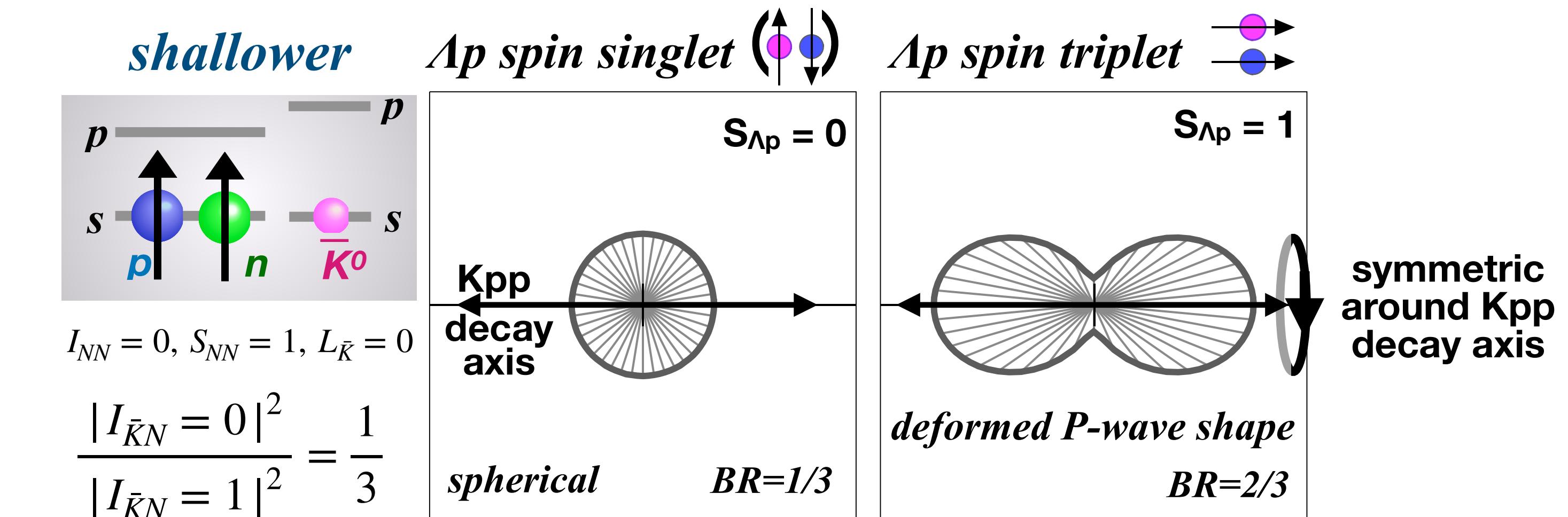
$$\alpha_{\Lambda p} = +1$$

# Distribution of spin- and decay-axis ( $\bar{K}NN$ for $J^P = 0^-$ & $1^-$ )

$(J^P = 0^-)$  “ $(NN)_{(I.\text{sym} \times S.\text{Asym})} \otimes \bar{K}$ ”



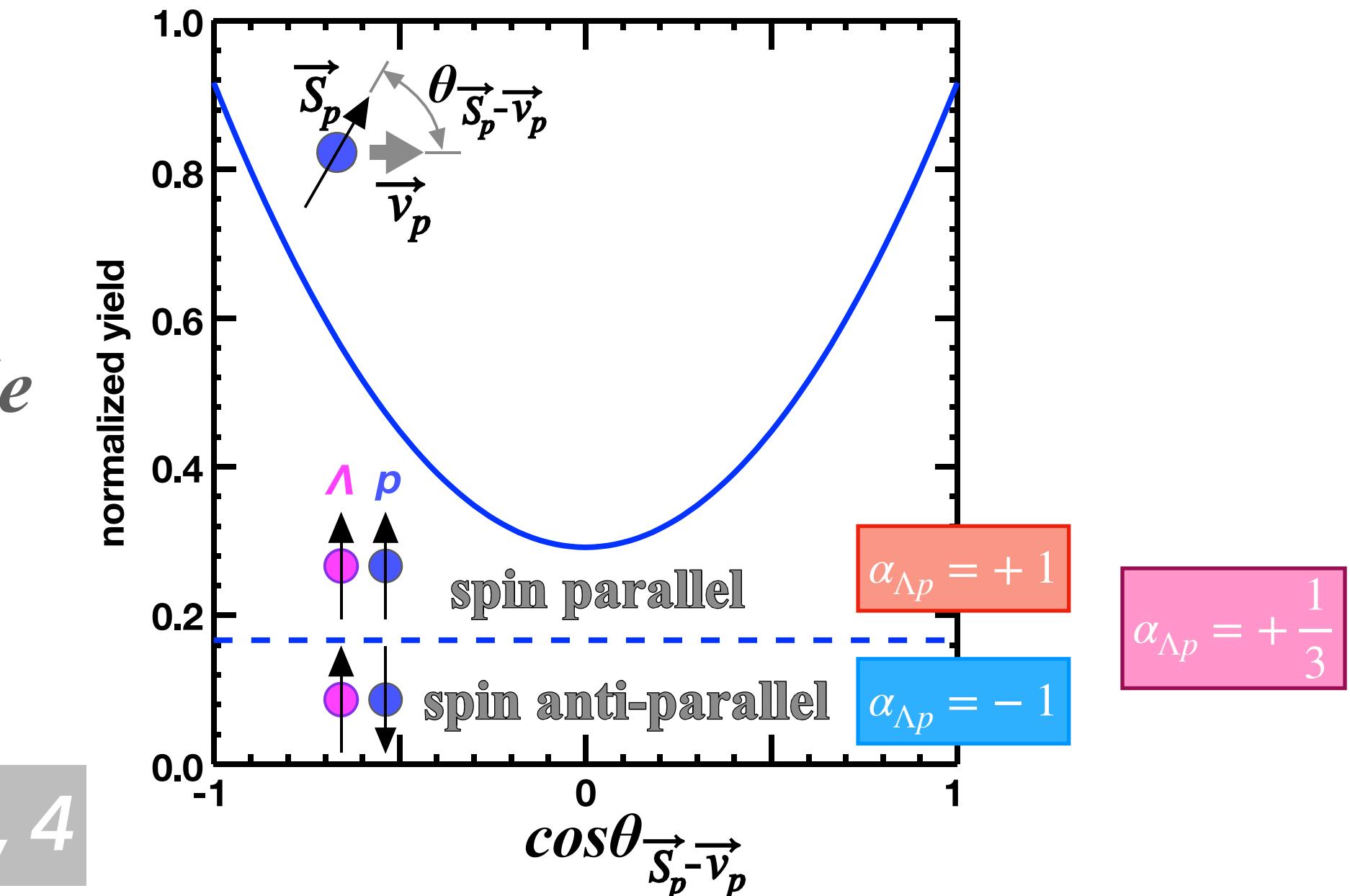
$(J^P = 1^-)$  “ $(NN)_{(I.\text{Asym} \times S.\text{sym})} \otimes \bar{K}$ ”



*spin distributions  
referring to the decay axis  
are quite different*

*experimentally not accessible  
→ Ap spin-spin correlation*

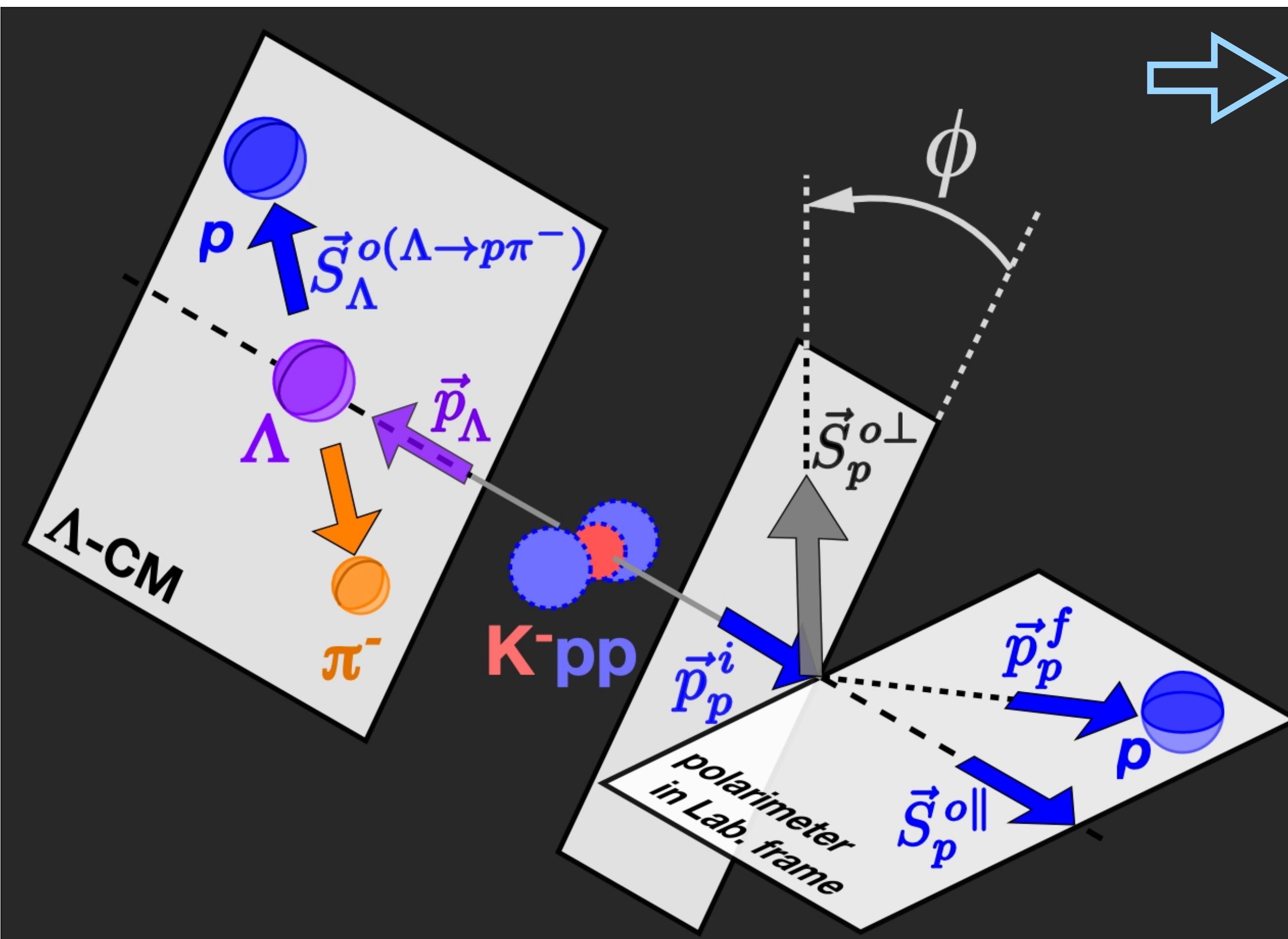
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# How to measure spin-spin correlation

– spin asymmetry measurement using  $\Lambda \rightarrow p\pi^-$  & p-C scattering –

$$\vec{S}_\Lambda^o(\Lambda \rightarrow p\pi^-) \approx \vec{v}_p^{(}\Lambda \rightarrow p\pi^-)(in \Lambda-CM)$$



$$N(\phi) d\phi \propto (1 + r \cdot \alpha_{\Lambda p} \cos \phi) d\phi$$

$r$  : scaling factor defined by

$A_\Lambda$ ,  $A_{pC}$ ,  $f(\vec{s})$ ,  $B$ ,  $q$ , and  $B_K$

$A_\Lambda$  :  $\Lambda$  asymmetry parameter

$A_{pC}$  : proton spin-analyzing-power on carbon

$f(\vec{s})$  : spin angular distribution referring to motional axis

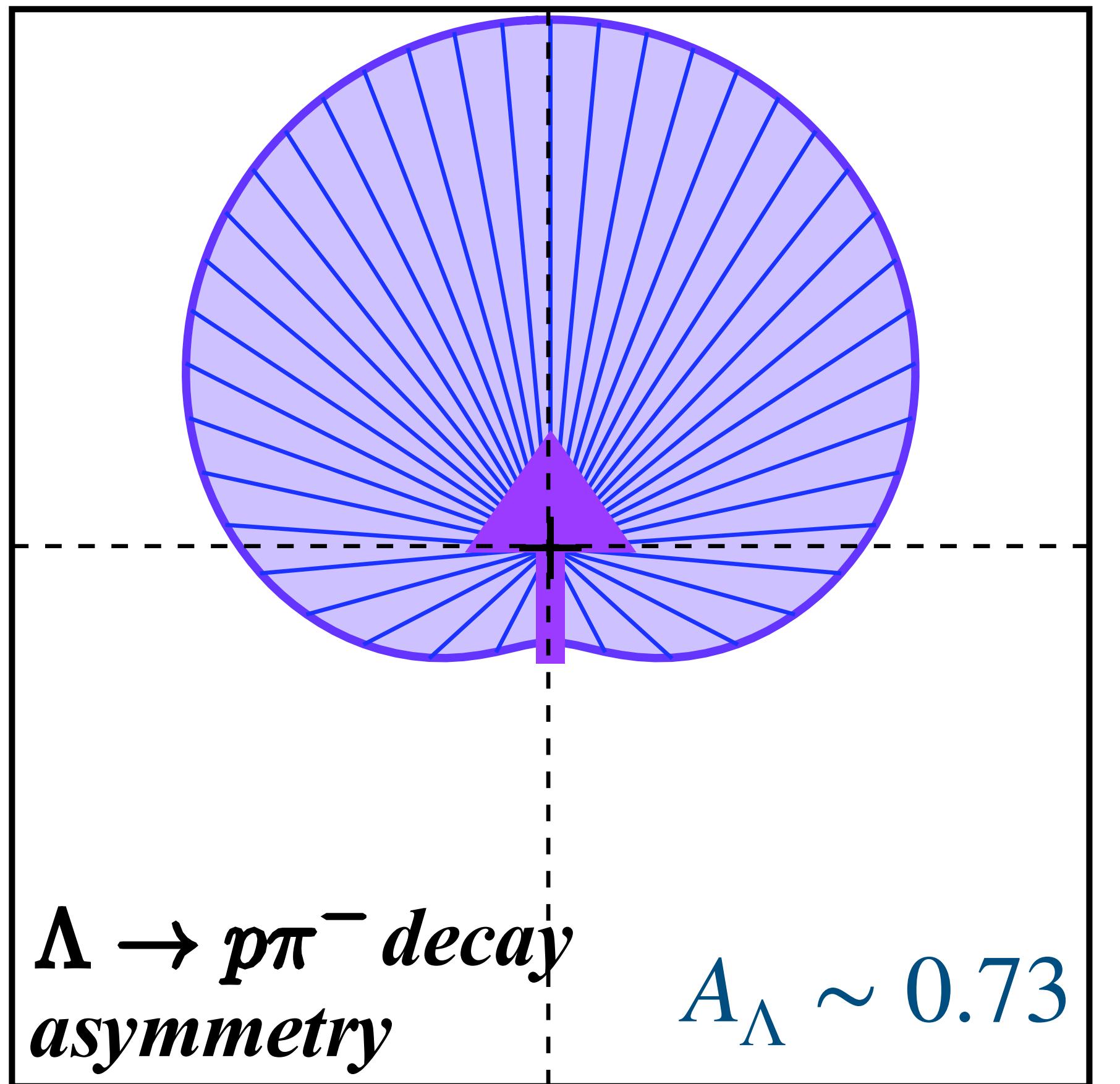
$B$  : magnetic field

$B_K$  : K binding energy,  $q$  : momentum transfer

# How to measure $\Lambda$ spin

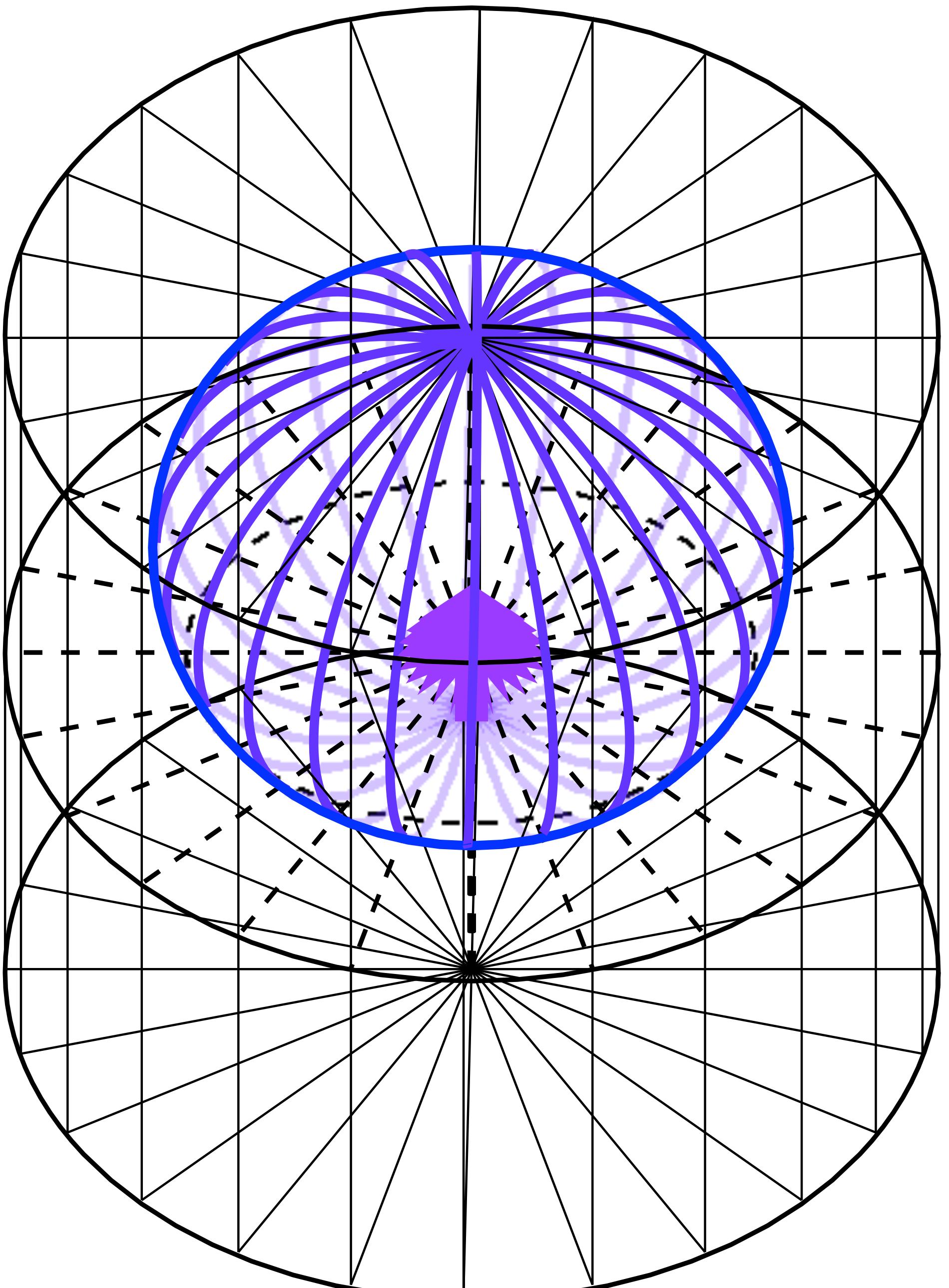
weak decay asymmetry

$$N(\theta) d\Omega \propto (1 + A_\Lambda \cos \theta) d\Omega$$



spherical asymmetry :  $(\theta, \phi)$

$\phi$  uniform

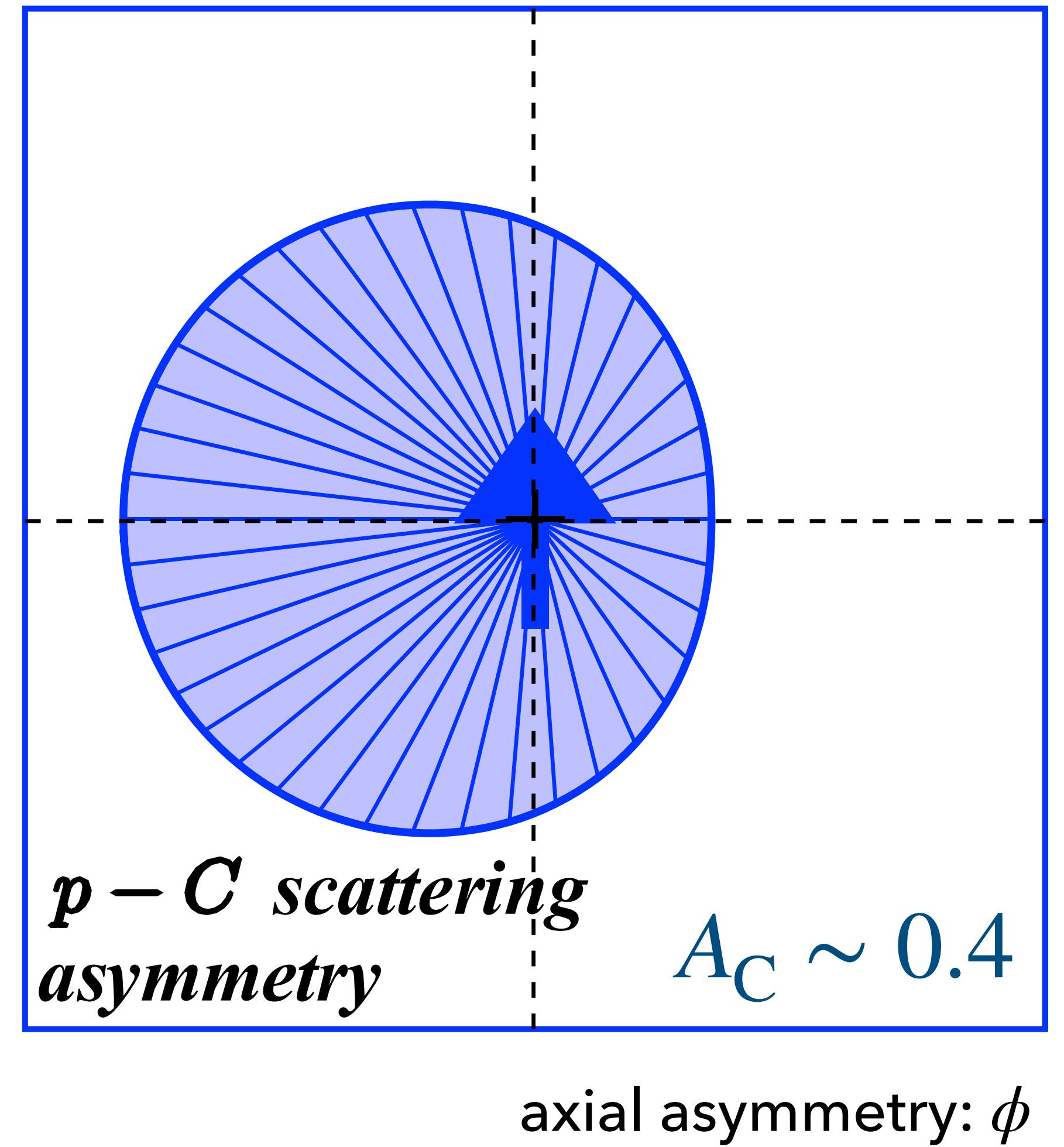


# How to measure $p$ spin

## $pC$ nuclear scattering asymmetry

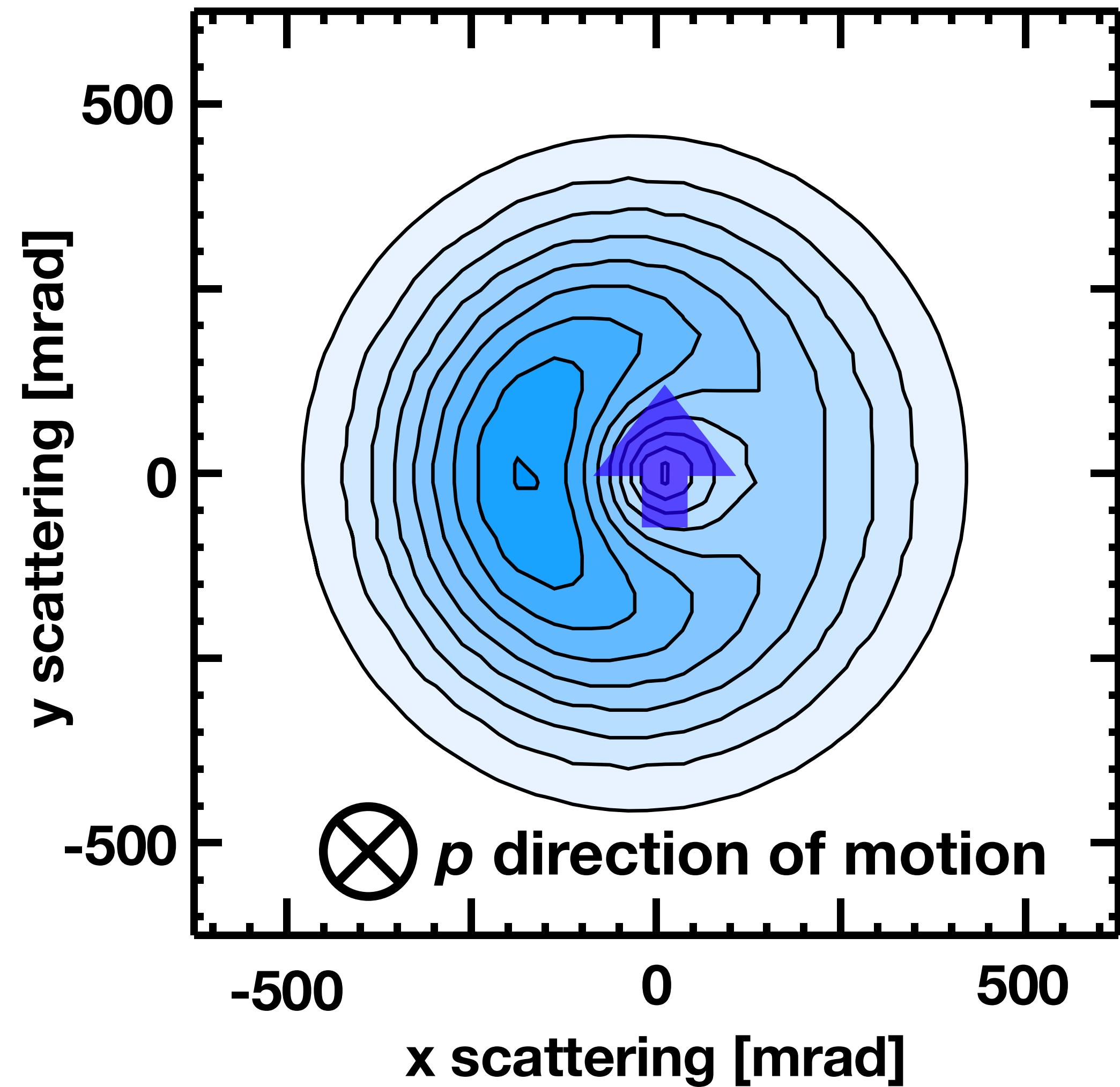
$$N(\phi) d\phi \propto (1 + A \cos \phi) d\phi$$

scattering plane orthogonal to proton motion

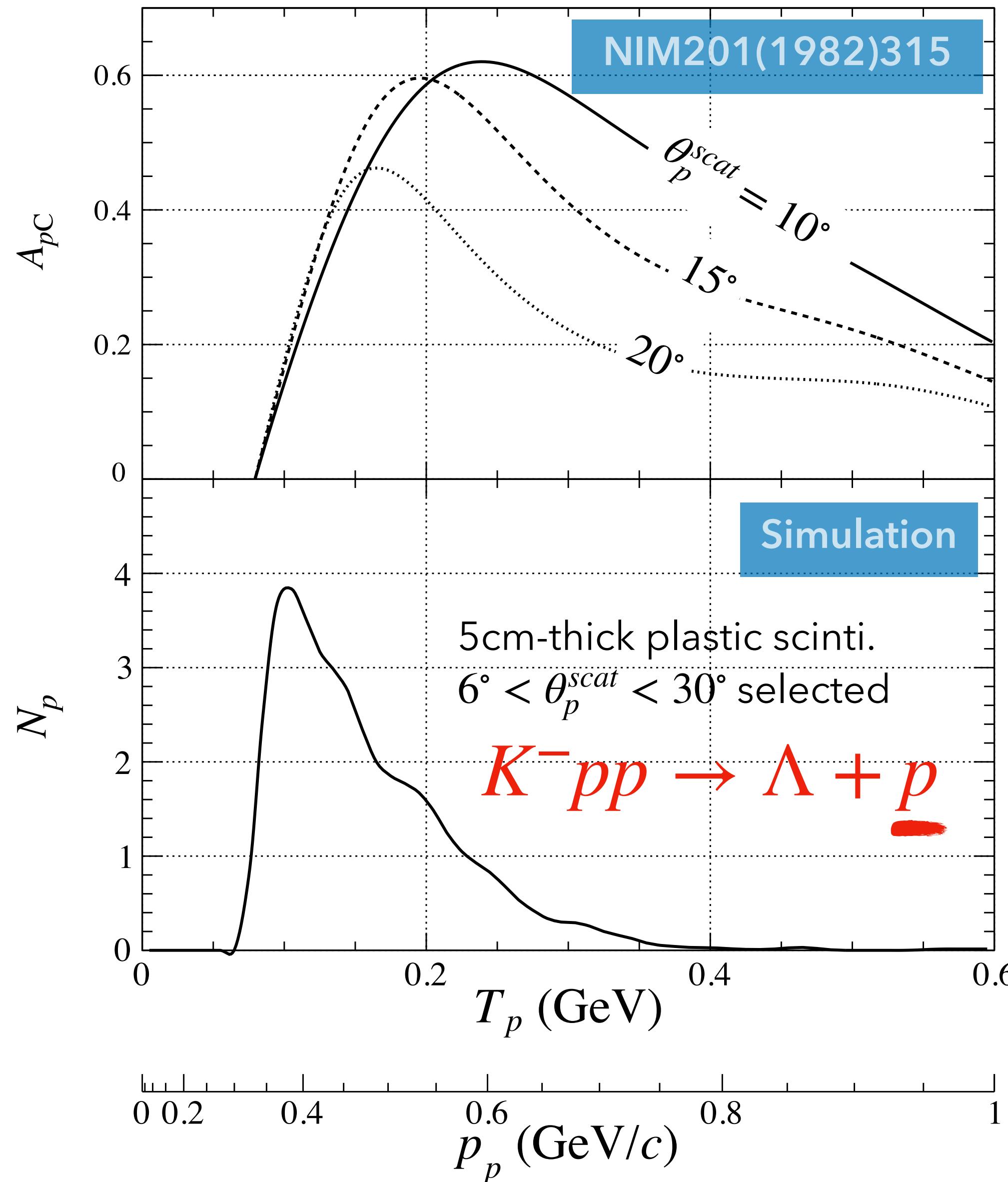


one can measure proton spin component orthogonal to the motion

$pC$  asymmetric nuclear scattering

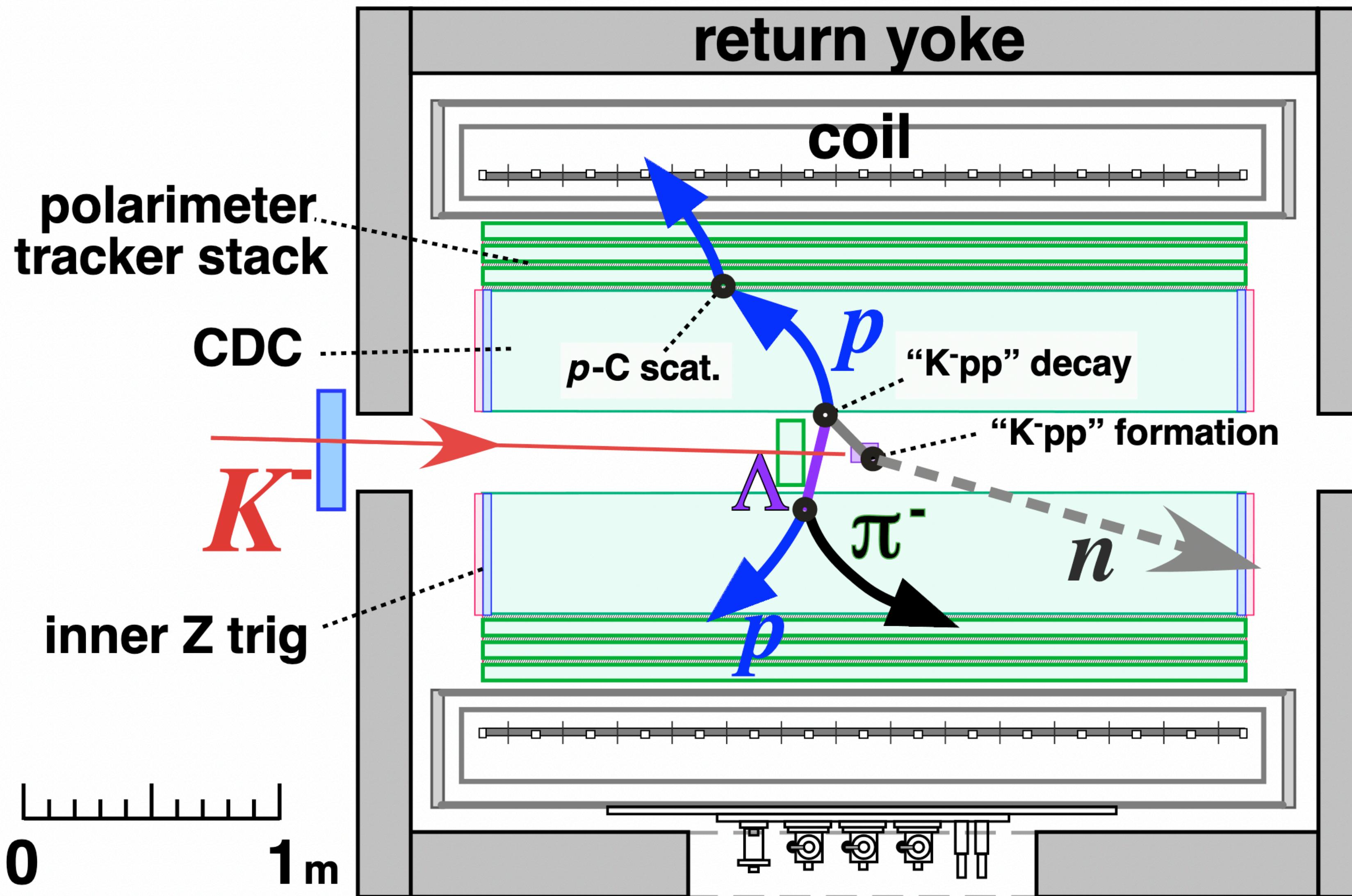


# Analyzing power of proton spin



- \* Analyzing power of carbon taken from Ref. NIM 201 (1982) 315
- \* Asymmetry max. around  $T_P = 0.2$  GeV
- \* Proton ( $K^- pp \rightarrow \Lambda + p$ ) momentum in spin sensitive range
- \* Slightly lower than max. asymmetry
- \* Simulated by MC with 5cm thick carbon
  - \*  $6^\circ < \theta_p^{scat} < 30^\circ$  selected
- \* Average asymmetry :  $\langle A_{pC} \rangle \sim 0.4$
- \* ... GIANT is not good at handling spins ...

# Experimental setup for spin-spin correlation



dedicated setup needed

large acceptance

- large CDS
- w/ inner charge trigger counter

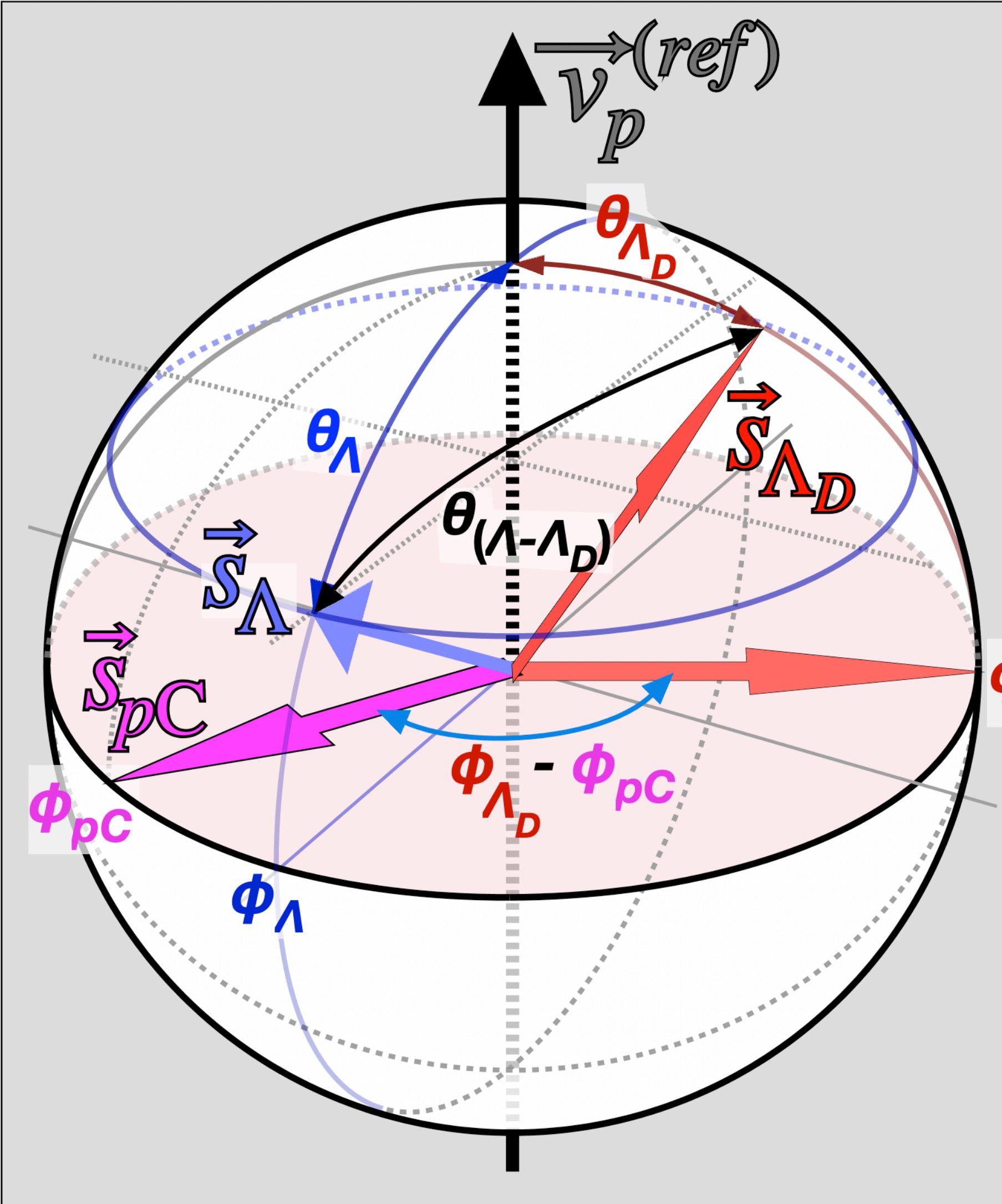
- barrel polarimeters & tracking chamber layers

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# **Describe $r \cdot \alpha_{\Lambda p}$ as a function of $\phi$**

**proton motion vector**

(proton spin reference vector)



**spin observation probability**

detail → Appendix: 7

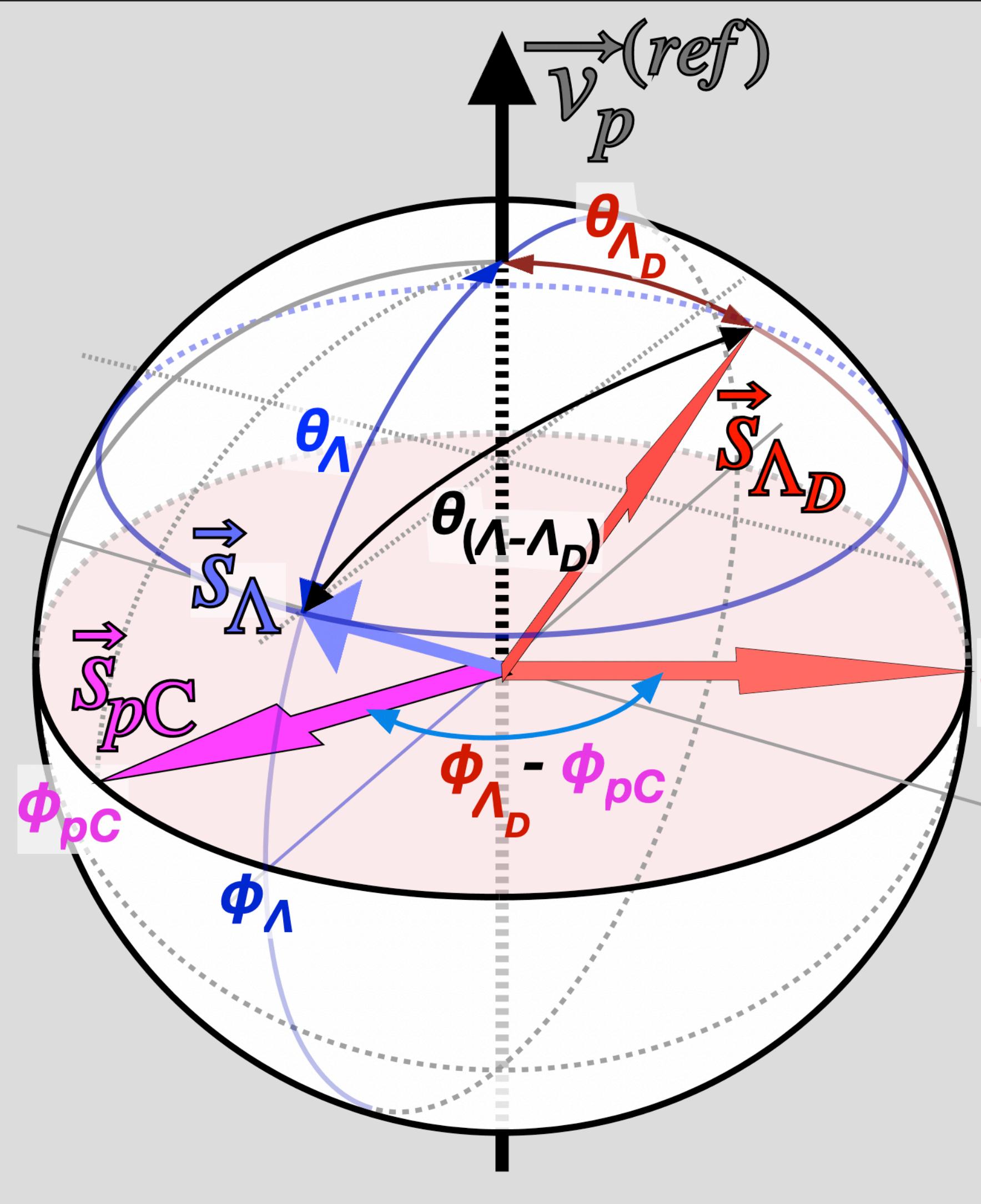
$$p = \frac{f(\vec{s}_{\Lambda})}{(4\pi)^2} \left( 1 + A_{\Lambda} \cos \theta_{(\Lambda-\Lambda_D)} \right) \left( 1 + A_{pC} \sin \theta_{\Lambda} \cos(\phi_{\Lambda} - \phi_{pC}) \right)$$

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(more specifically, if  $\int f(\vec{s}) e^{i(2\phi_\Lambda + \delta)} d\phi_\Lambda = 0$ )*

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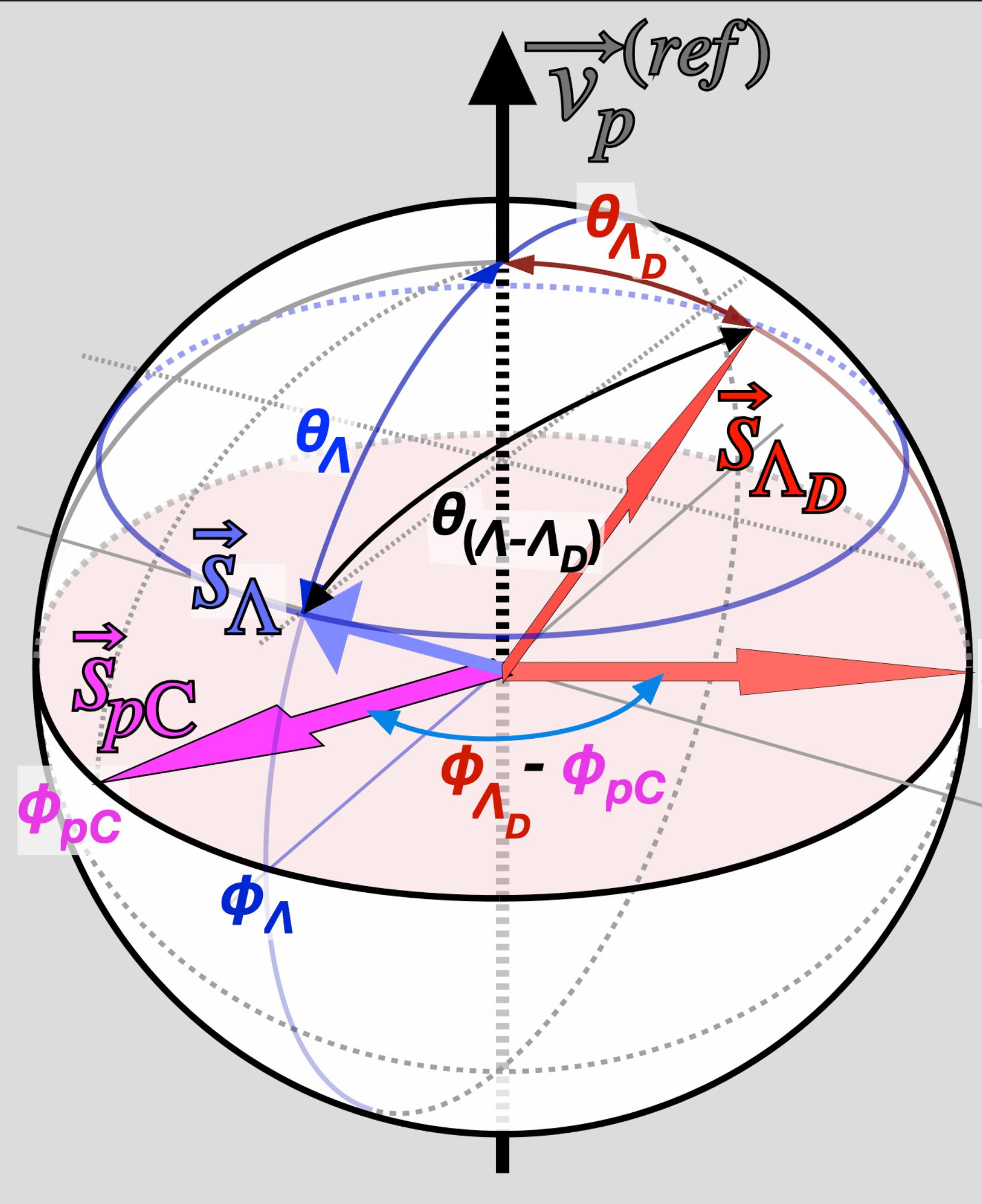
$$P(\phi_{\Lambda_D} - \phi_{pC}) = \int d(\cos \theta_{\Lambda_D}) \int d\vec{s}_\Lambda \left\{ p(\theta_{\Lambda_D}, \vec{s}_\Lambda) \right\}$$

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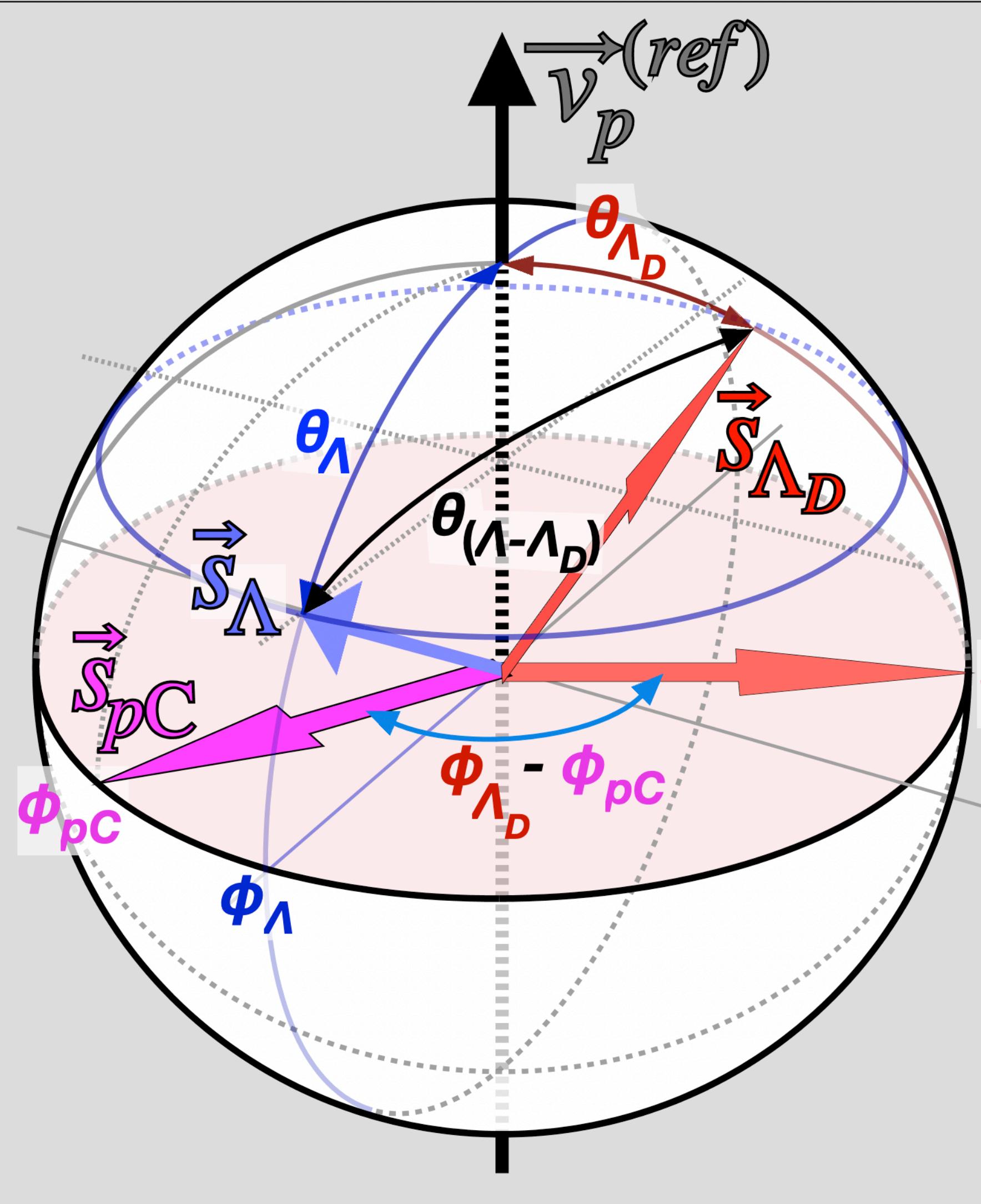
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effective asymmetry  
 $\propto \sin^2 \theta_\Lambda$

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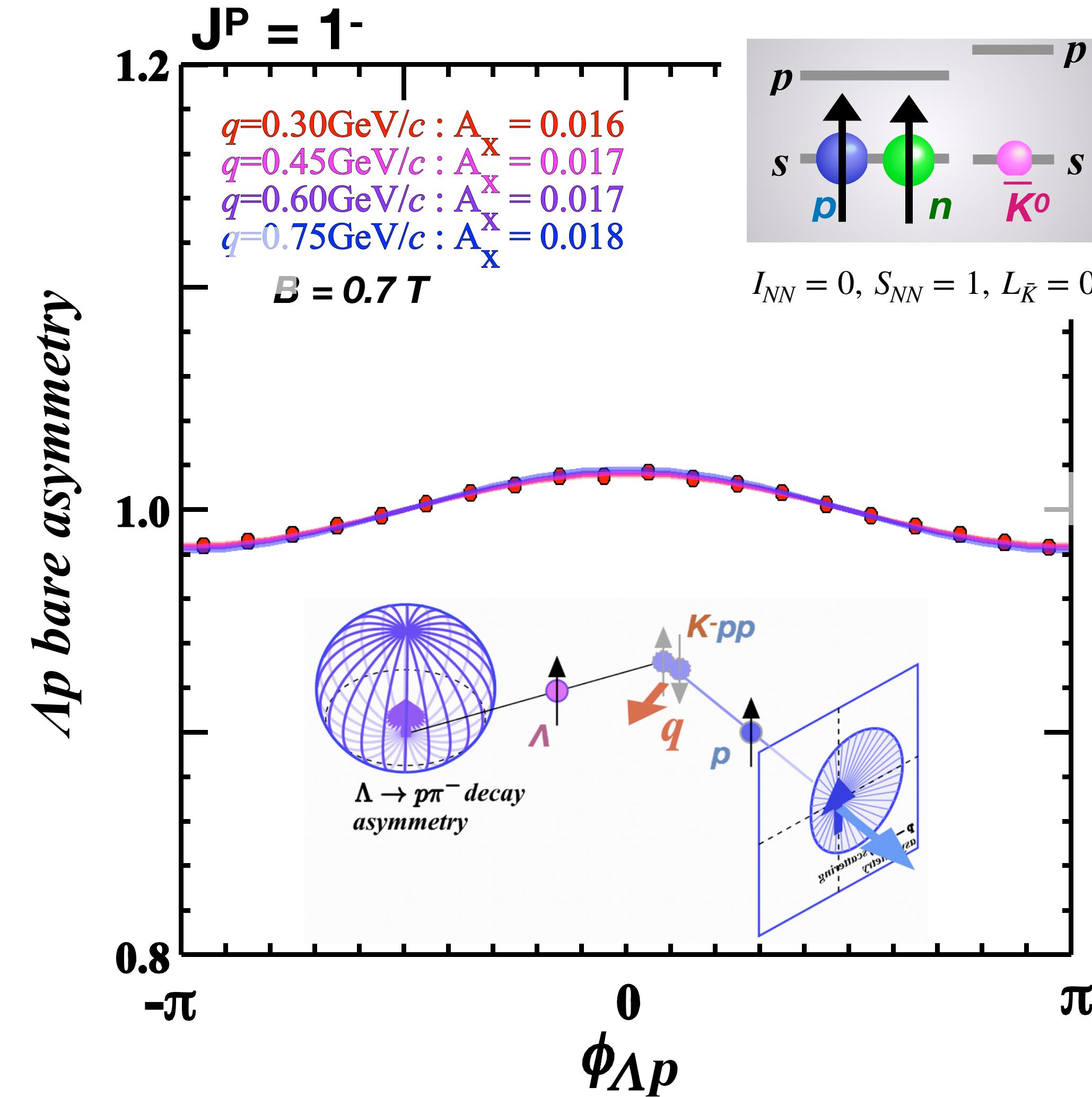
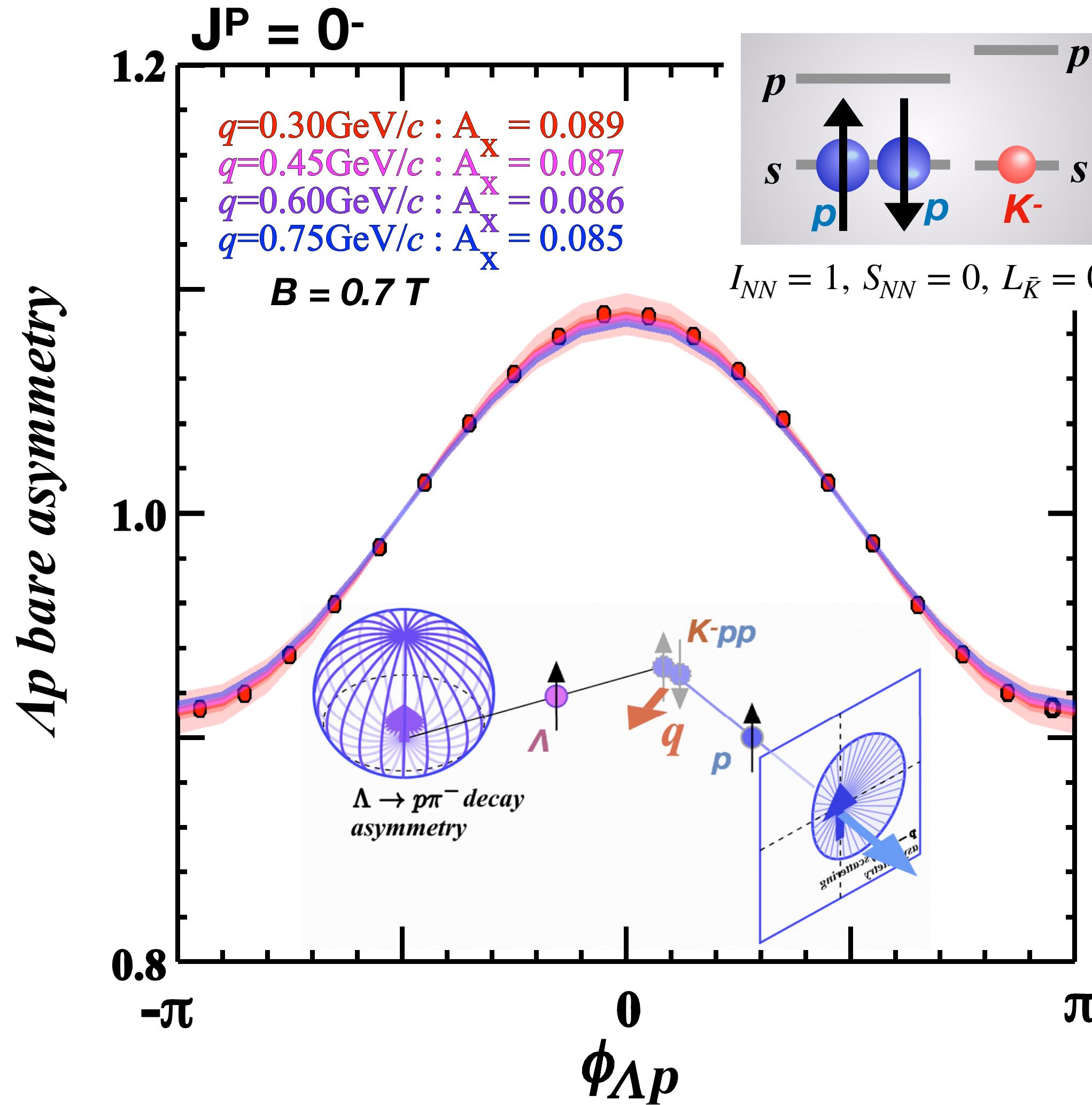
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$$\Lambda\text{-}p \text{ bare asymmetry} = \frac{N_{\phi_j}(\phi_{\Lambda p})}{\sum_{\phi_j} N_{\phi_j}(\phi_{\Lambda p})/N_{bin}} = 1 + A_{all} \cos(\phi_{\Lambda p}) \dots (\phi_j = \phi_{\Lambda p})$$



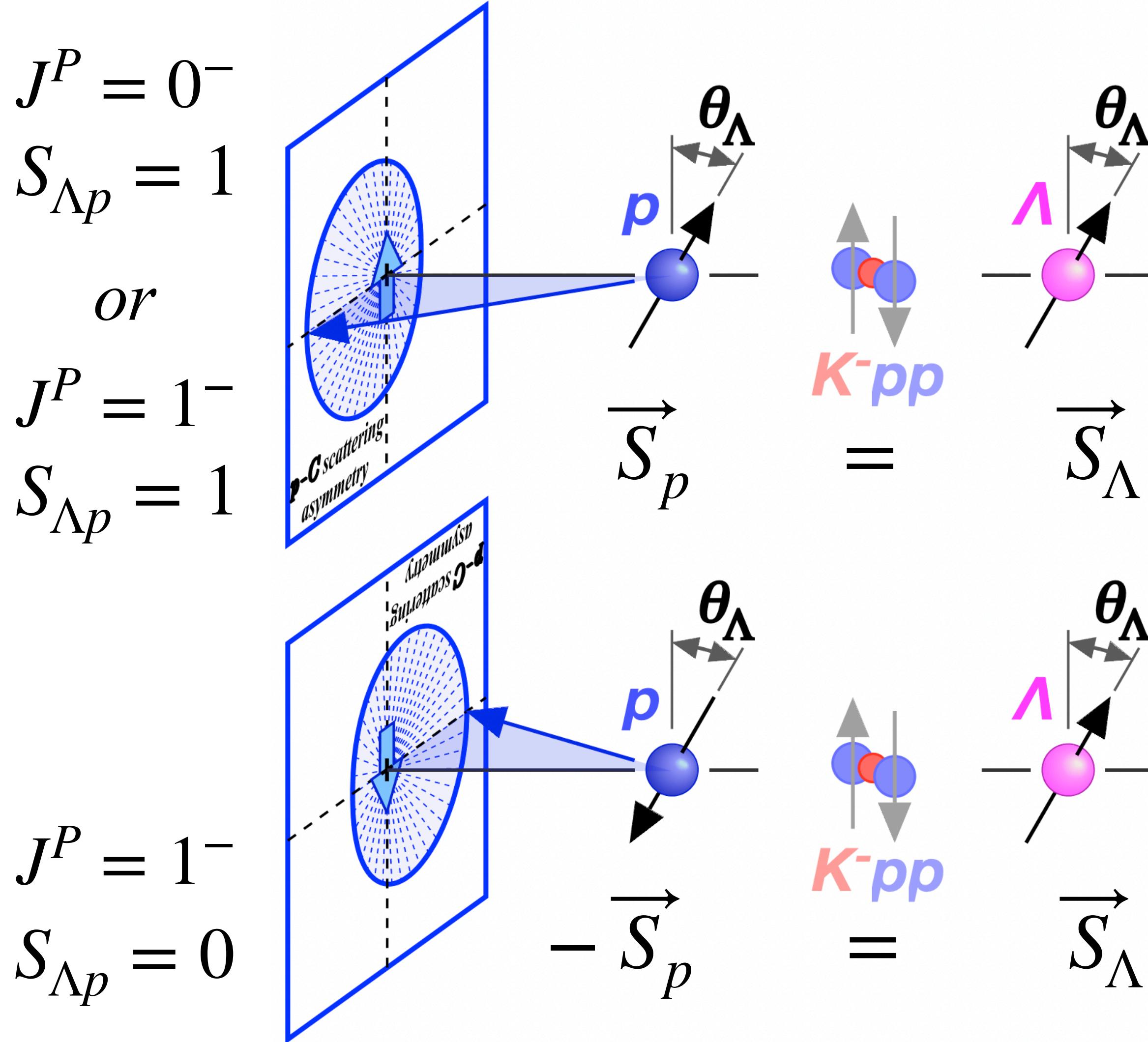
$A_x \sim 0.9 (> A_{uni.s}) \text{ for } J^P=0^-$

$A_x < 0.2 (< A_{uni.s}/3) \text{ for } J^P=1^-$

# **Why $J^P=0^-$ & $1^-$ asymmetries are so much different?**

*It helps to discriminate  $J^P=0^-$  &  $1^-$ , though*

*Because 1) asymmetry cancelling happens on polarimeter (NOT at K-pp decay where  $\alpha_{\Lambda p}$  is defined), and 2) effective asymmetry  $\propto \sin^2 \theta_\Lambda$*



$J^P = 0^-$   
 $\alpha_{cancel}(B, M, q) = 1$   
***no anti-parallel component in  $J^P=0^-$***

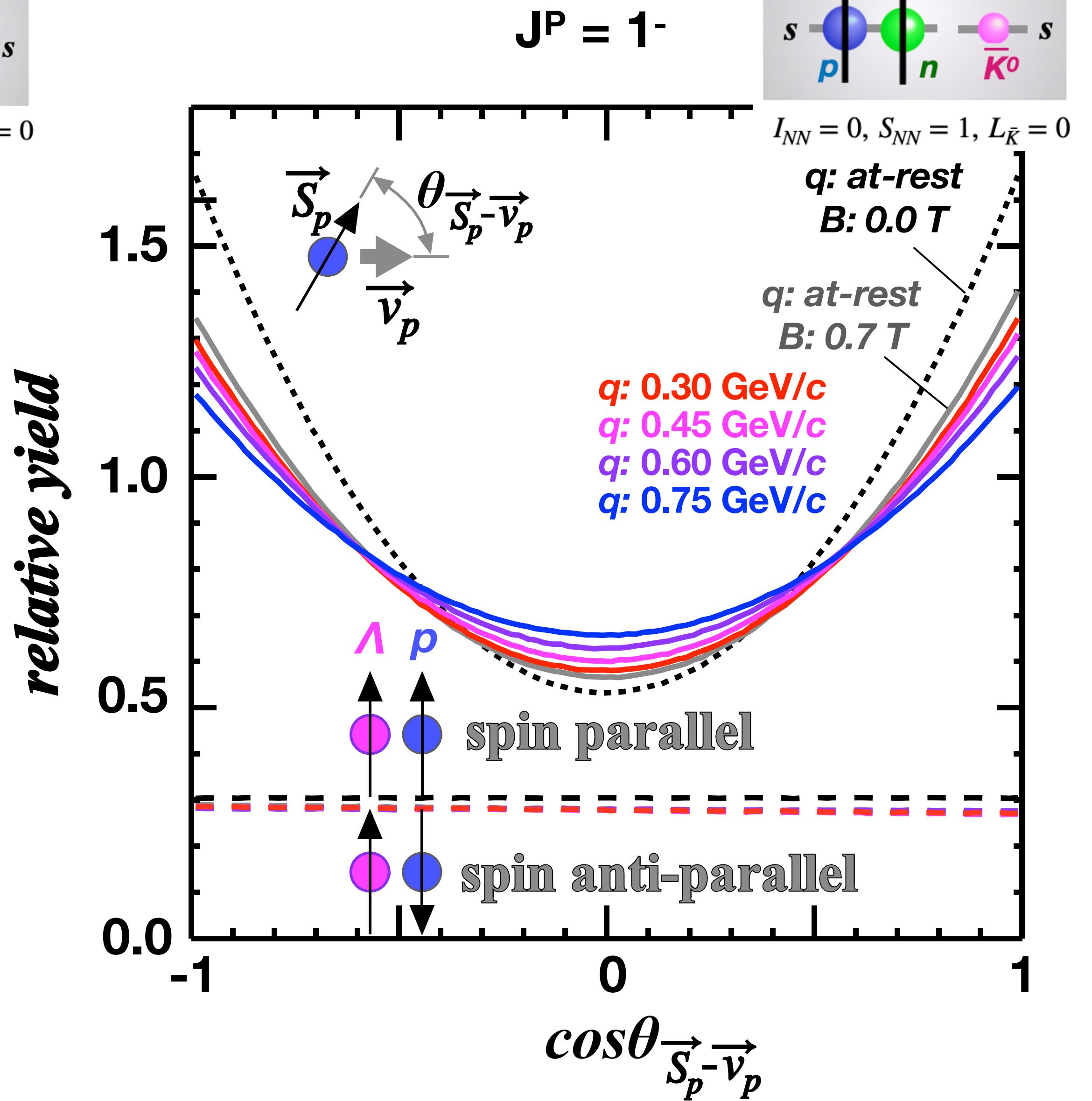
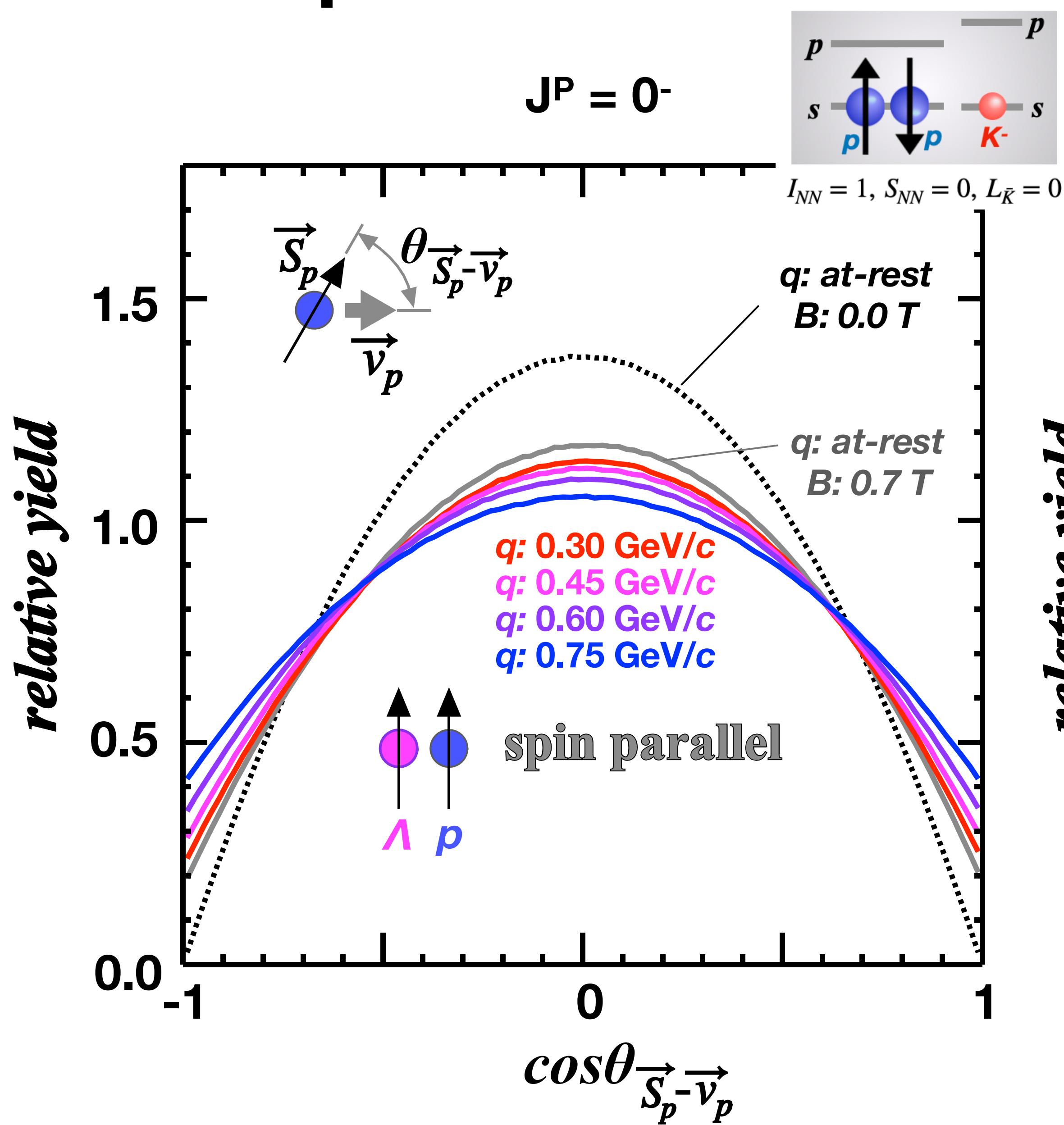
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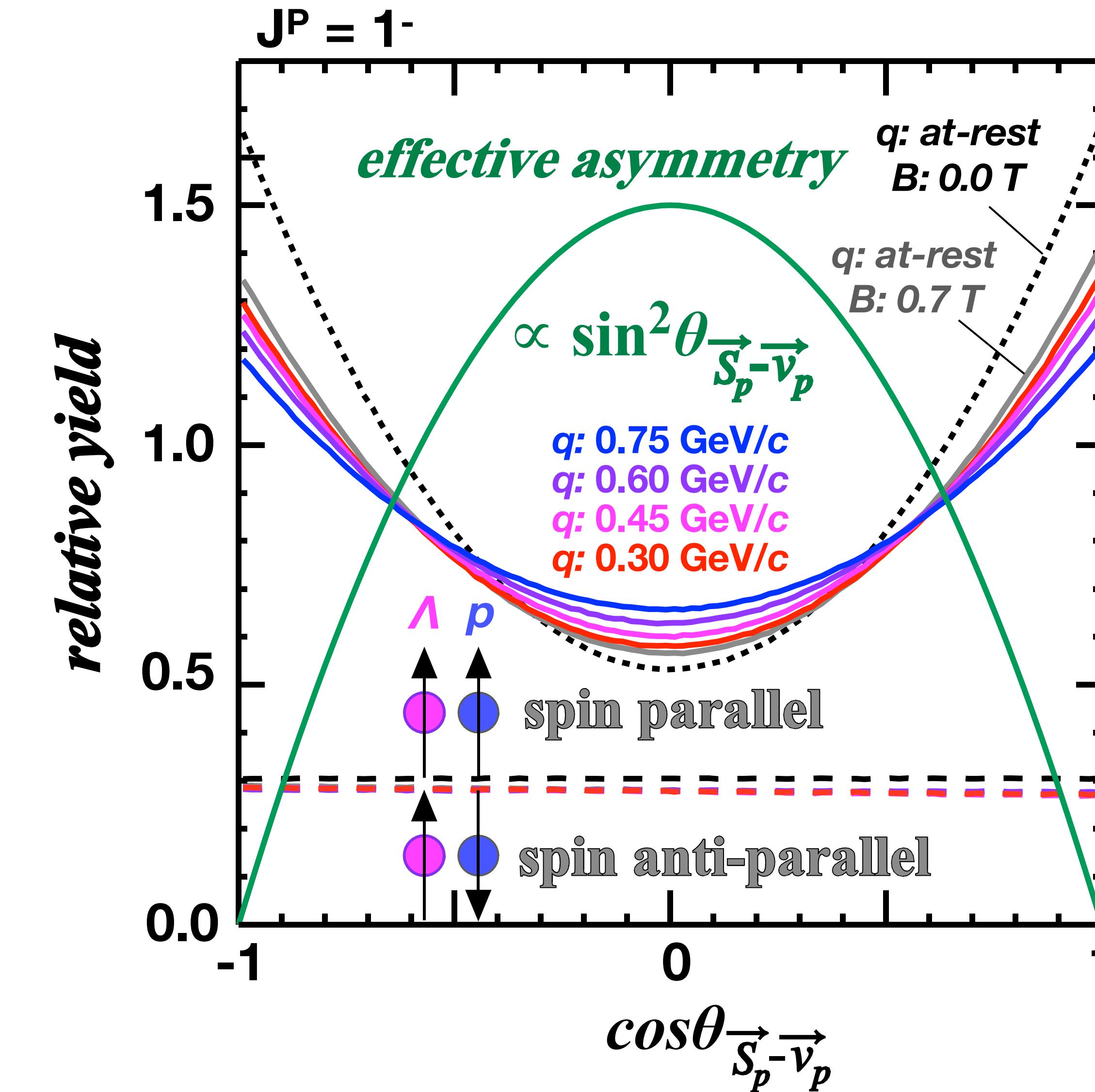
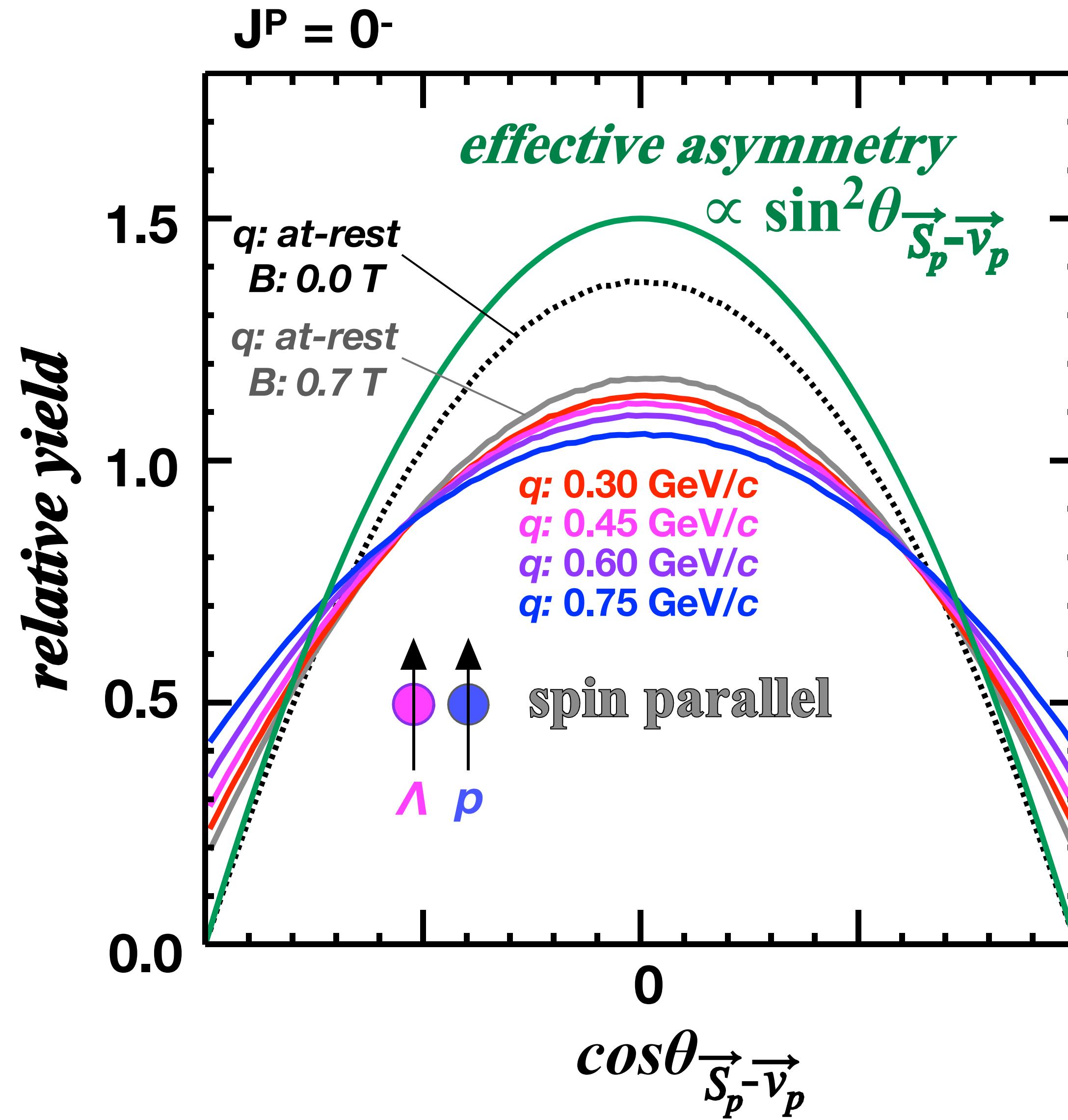
$$\alpha_{cancel}(B, M, q) = \frac{\left(2\alpha_{\Lambda p}^{(S_{\Lambda p}=1)} + \alpha_{\Lambda p}^{(S_{\Lambda p}=0)}\right)}{(2+1)} \left\{ \frac{\int (f(\theta_p) + g(\theta_p)) \sin^2 \theta_p d\Omega_p}{\int (f(\theta_p) - g(\theta_p)) \sin^2 \theta_p d\Omega_p} \right\}_{@pC}$$

***only for  $J^P=1^-$***

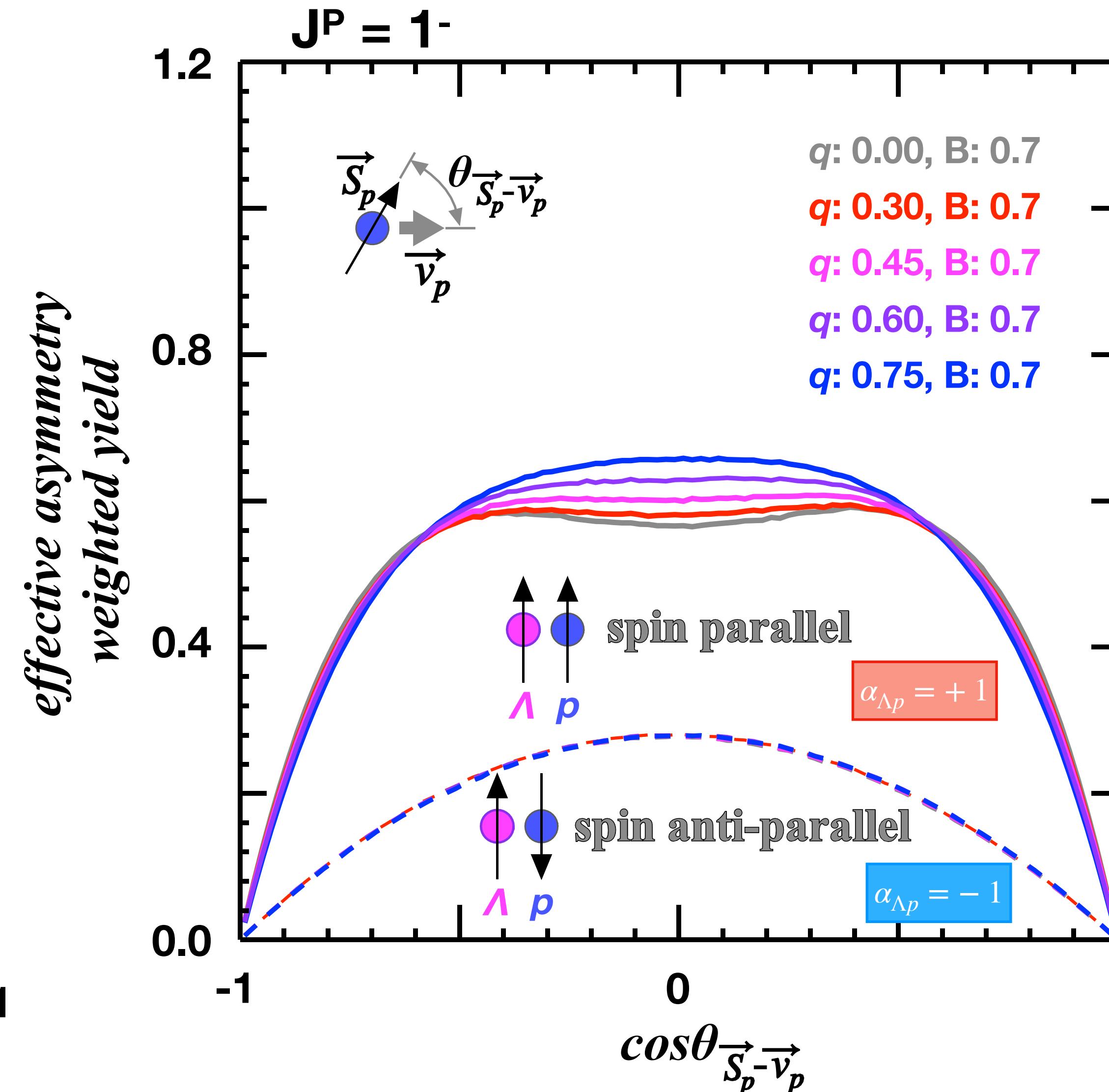
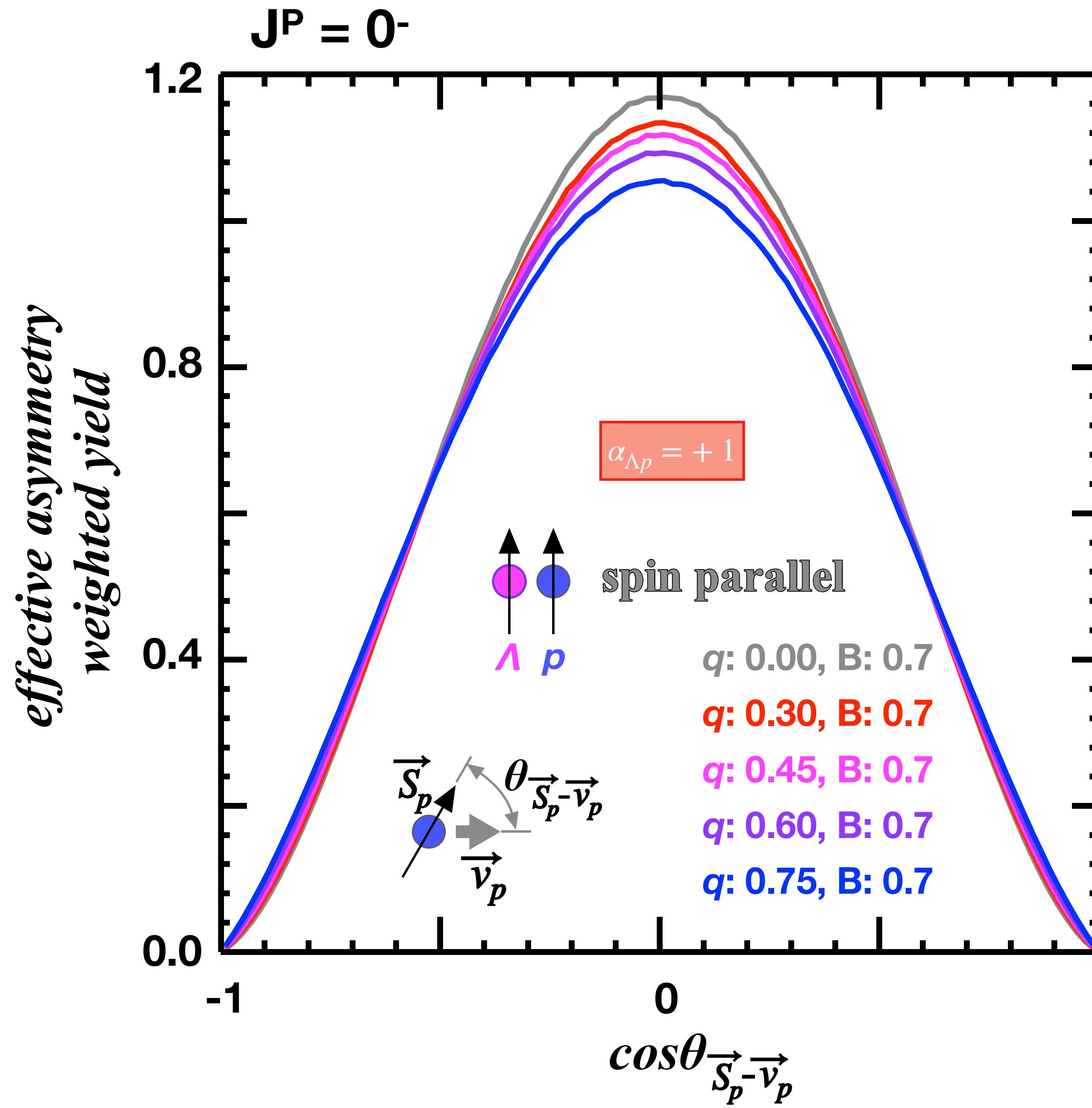
# Proton Spin distribution to the direction of motion



# Effective-asymmetry weighted spin distribution



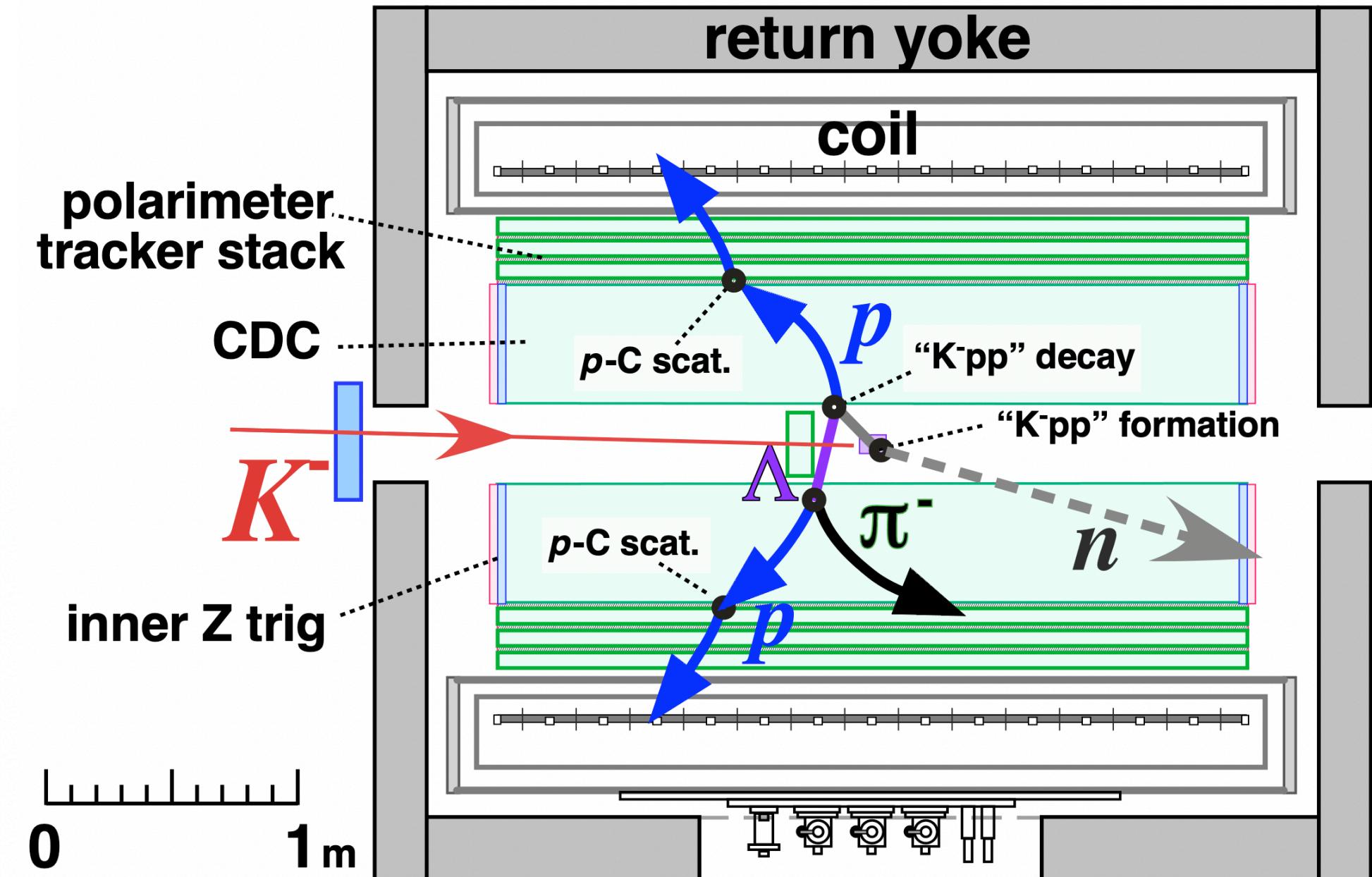
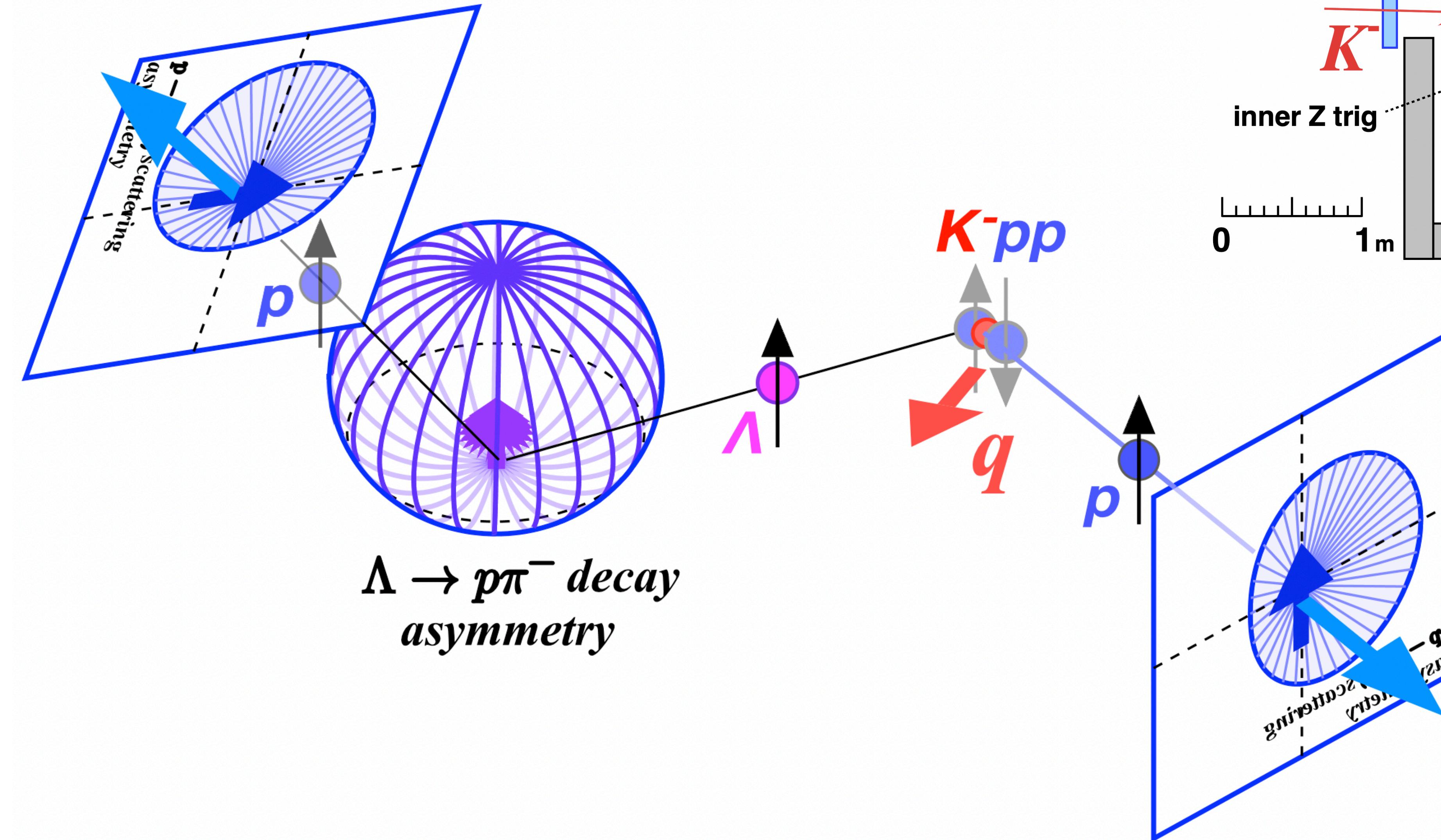
# Effective-asymmetry weighted spin distribution



# How to derive $\alpha_{\Lambda p}$ from observed asymmetry?

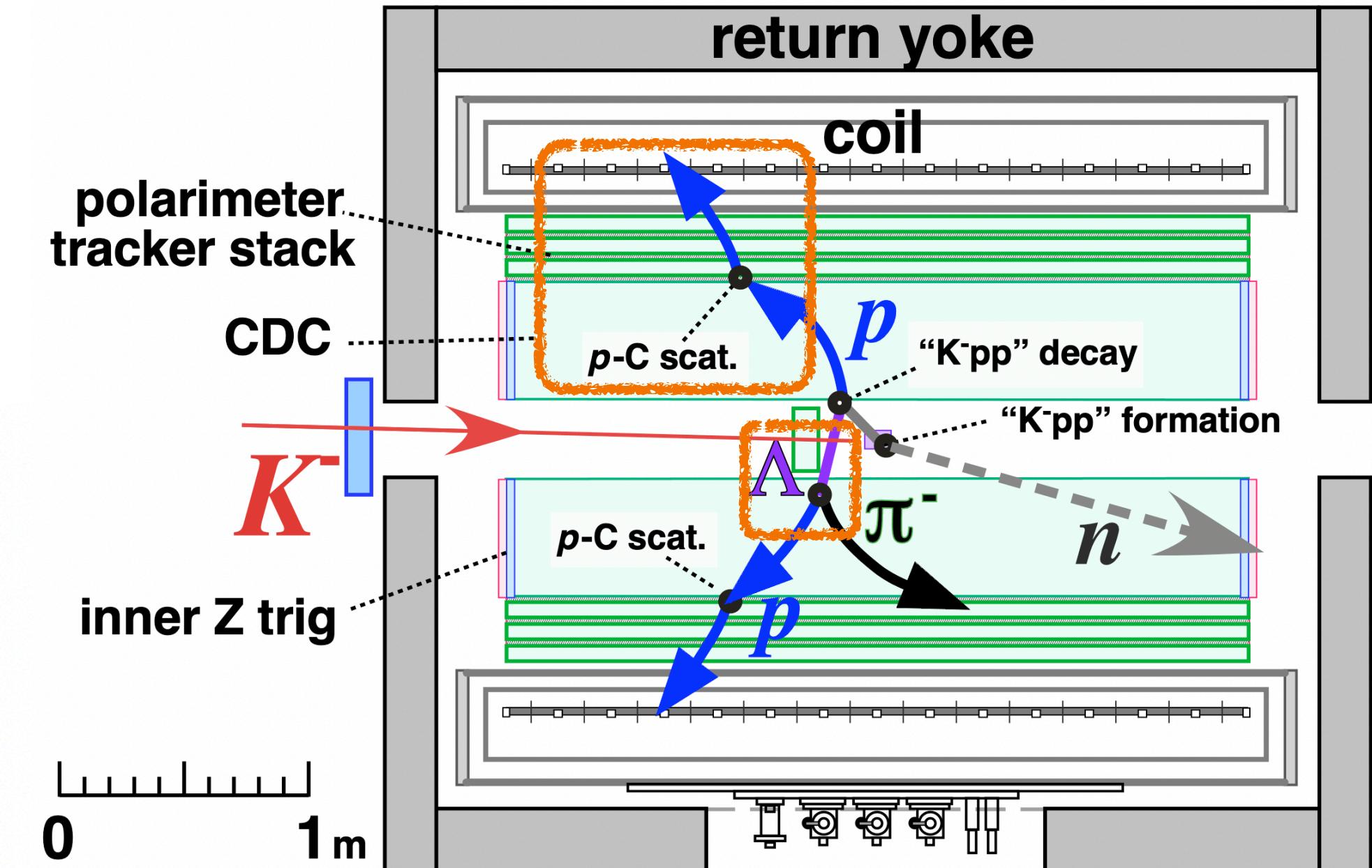
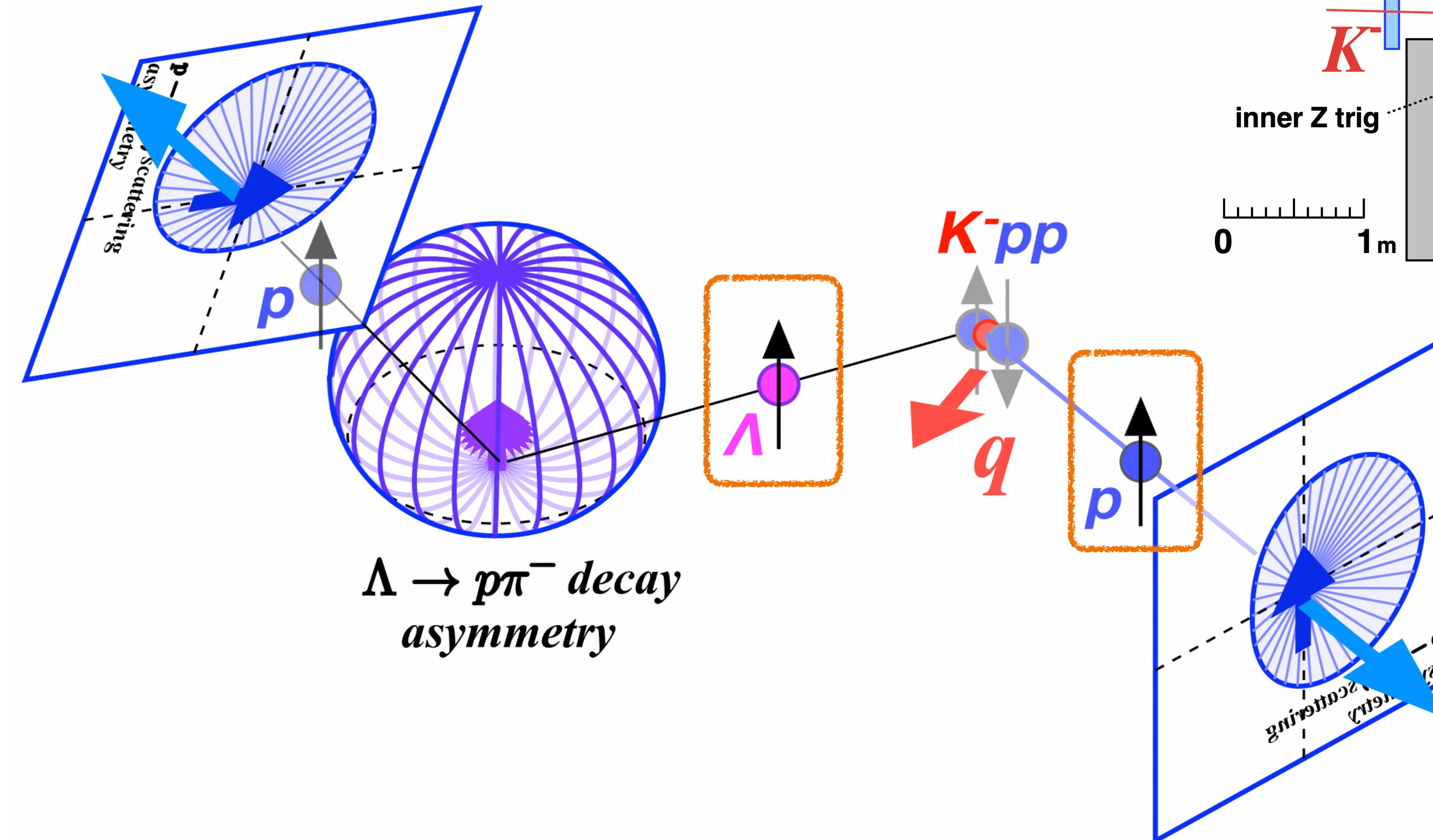
*How to remove  $r$  from spin-spin asymmetry  $r \cdot \alpha_{\Lambda p}$ ,  
in the experimental condition (at finite  $B$  &  $q$ )?*

*A typical event topology in which  
particle motions and momentum kicks are  
exaggerated*



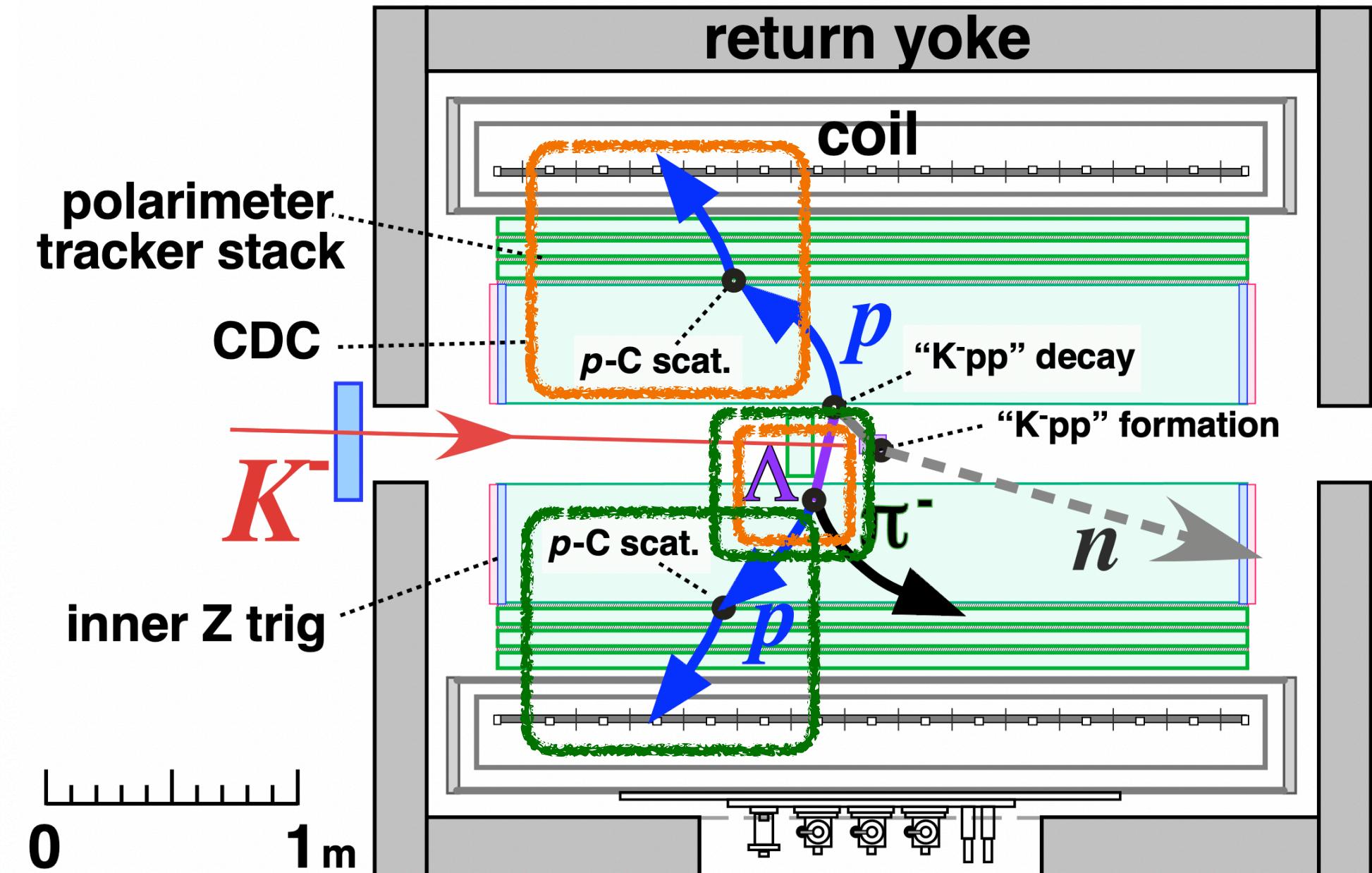
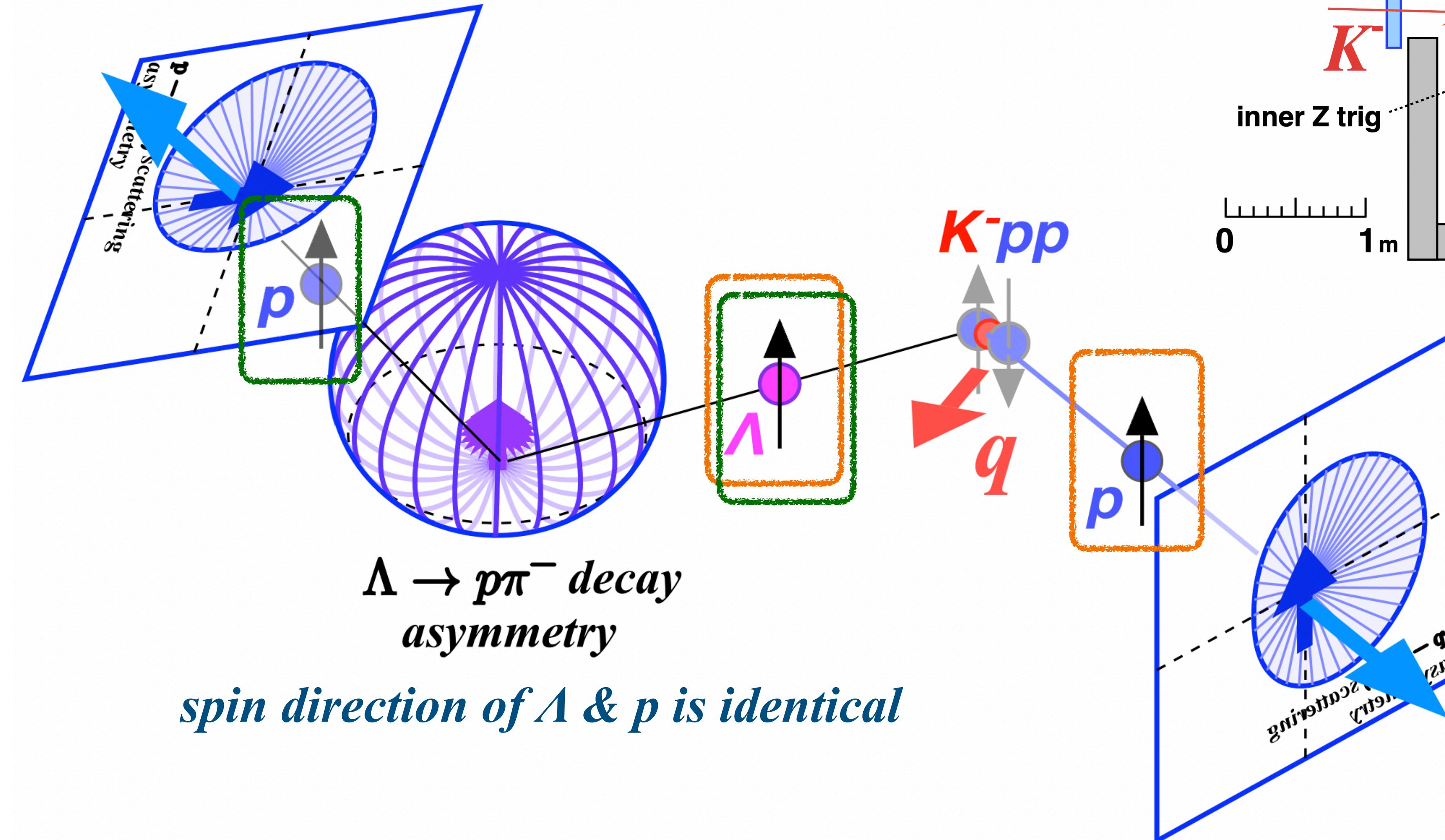
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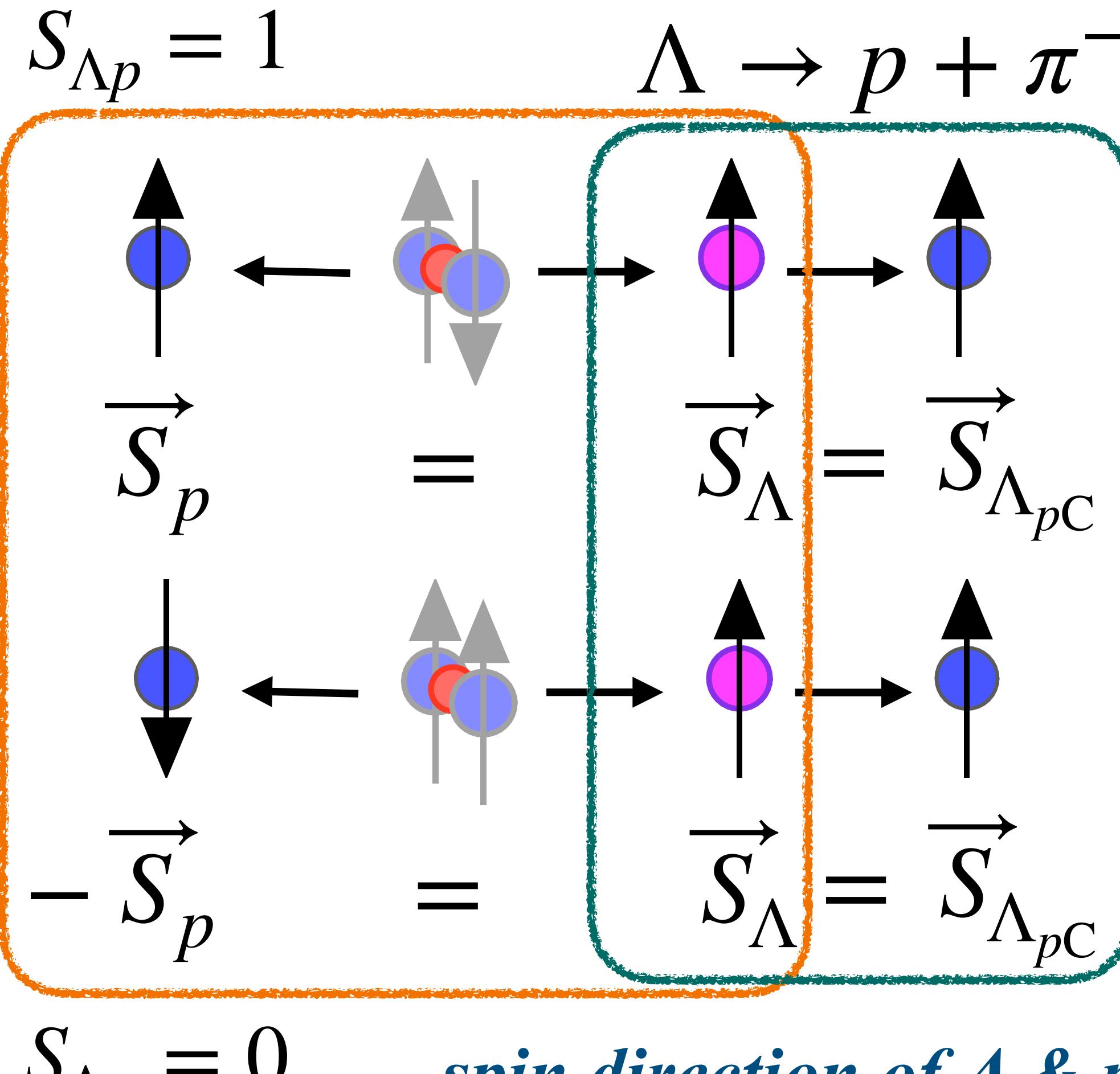
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# How to calibrate the absolute value of $a_{\Lambda p}$ ?



*self-calibration factor  $\mathcal{A}_{eff}(B, M, q)$  to be applied to  $\Lambda$ - $\Lambda_{pC}$  asymmetry*

$$\mathcal{A}_{eff}(B, M, q) \approx 1$$

$$J^P = 0^-$$

$$\mathcal{A}_{eff}(B, M, q) = \frac{\left\{ \int f(\theta_p) \sin^2 \theta_p d\Omega_p \right\}_{@pC}}{\left\{ \int f(\theta_{\Lambda_{pC}}) \sin^2 \theta_{\Lambda_{pC}} d\Omega_{\Lambda_{pC}} \right\}_{@pC}}$$

**effective asymmetry**  
 $\propto \sin^2 \theta_\Lambda$

$$J^P = 1^-$$

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# Short summary of $\alpha_{\Lambda p}$ calibration procedure

*simulation*

$$\alpha_{\Lambda p} \approx \mathcal{C}_{eff}(B, M, q) \frac{n(\phi_{(\Lambda-p)}) - 1}{A_{(\Lambda-\Lambda_{pC})} \cos \phi_{(\Lambda-p)}}$$

*two experimental data*

*simulation*

$$\mathcal{C}_{eff}(B, M, q) = \mathcal{A}_{eff}(B, M, q) \times \alpha_{cancel}(B, M, q)$$

*correction = effective asymmetry × canceling factor*

$$\mathcal{A}_{eff}(B, M, q) = \frac{A_{(\Lambda-\Lambda_{pC})}}{A_{(\Lambda-p)}}$$

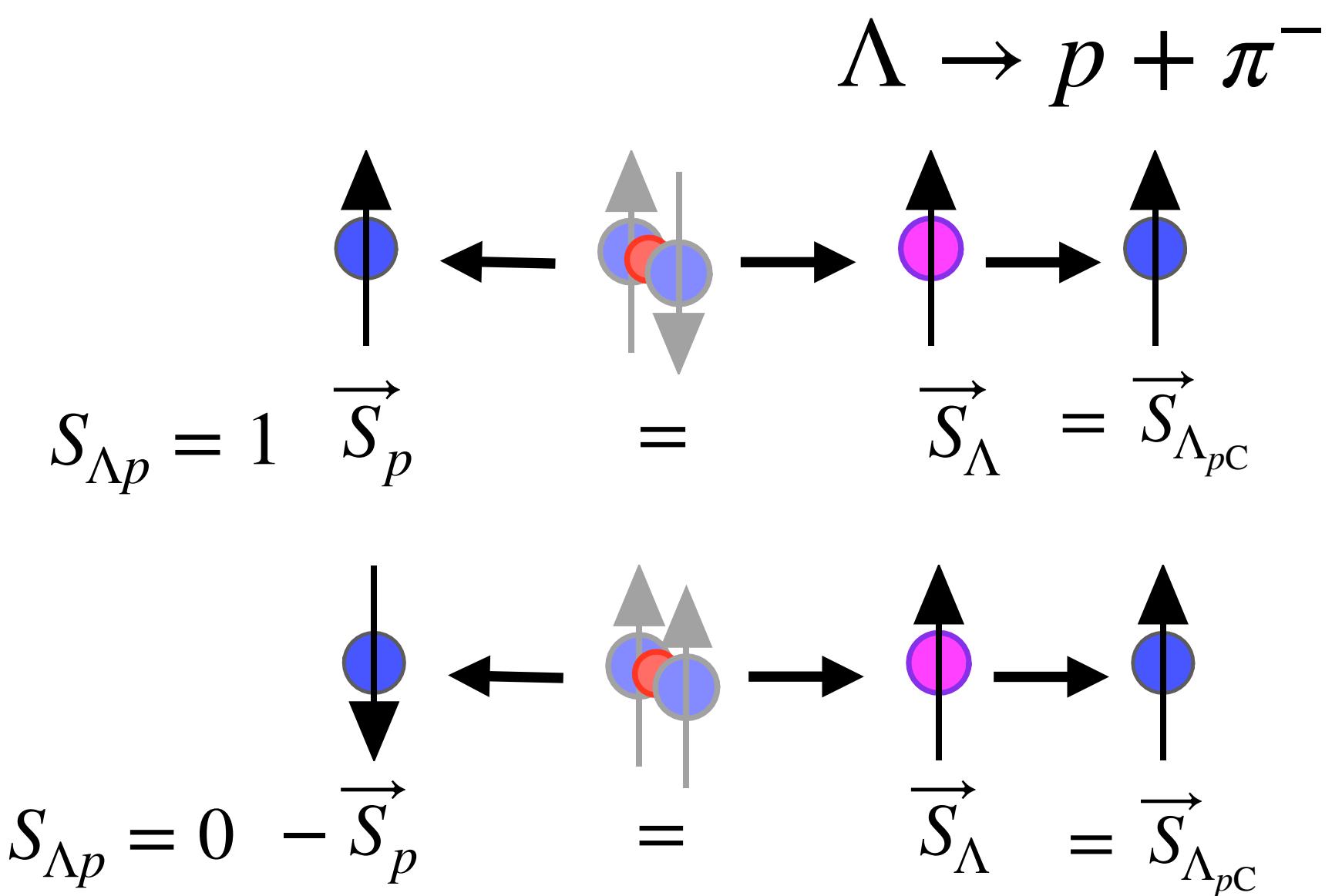
*experimental data*

$n(\phi_{(\Lambda-p)}) - 1$  : bare asymmetry of  $\Lambda - p$

$A_{(\Lambda-\Lambda_{pC})}$  : asymmetry observed in  $\Lambda - \Lambda_{pC}$

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$$\mathcal{C}_{eff} = 1.431 \quad (J^P = 1^-)$$



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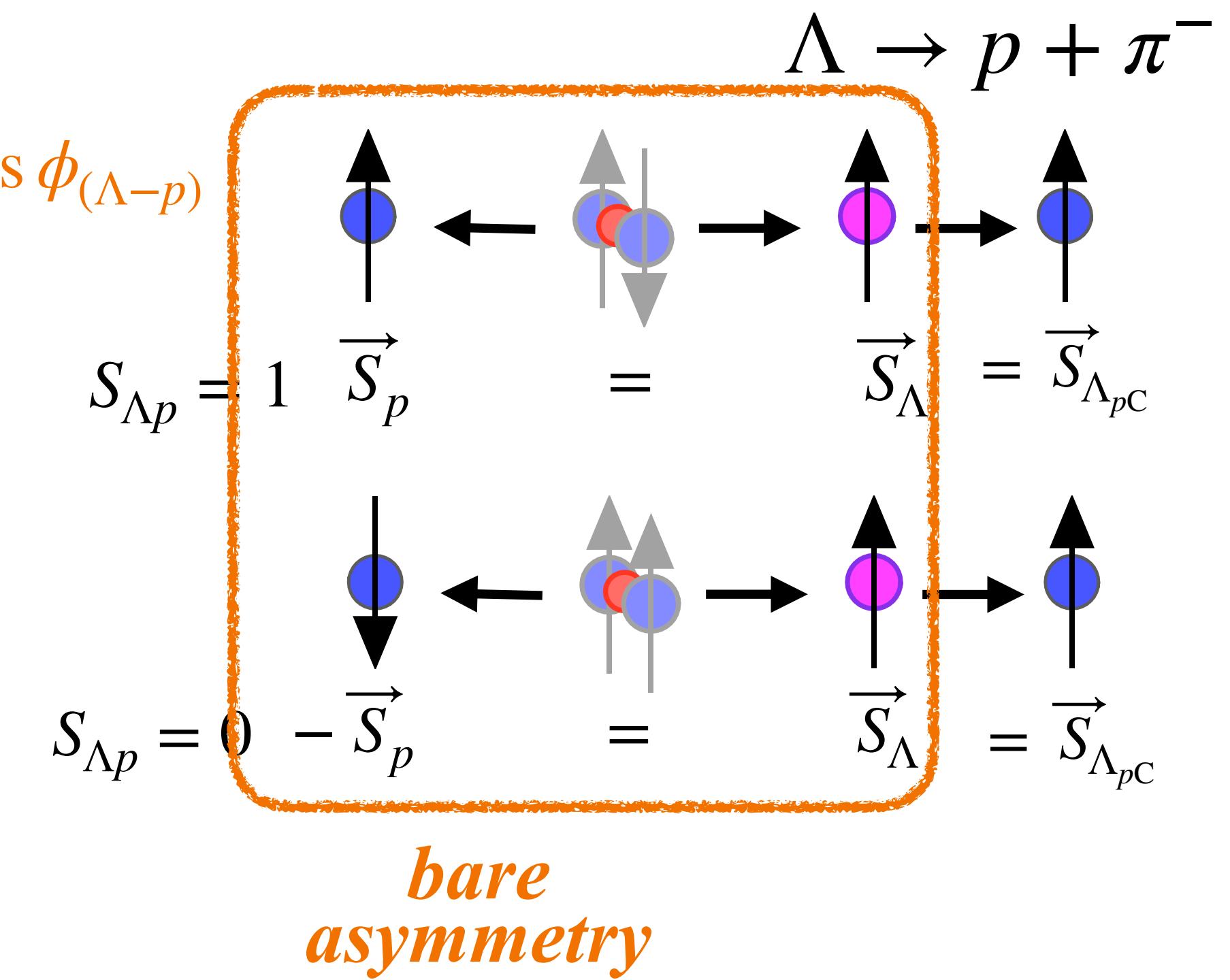
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$$\frac{n(\phi_{(\Lambda-p)}) - 1}{A_{(\Lambda-\Lambda_{pC})} \cos \phi_{(\Lambda-p)}}$$

*A self-calibration*  $\approx A_{(\Lambda-p)}$

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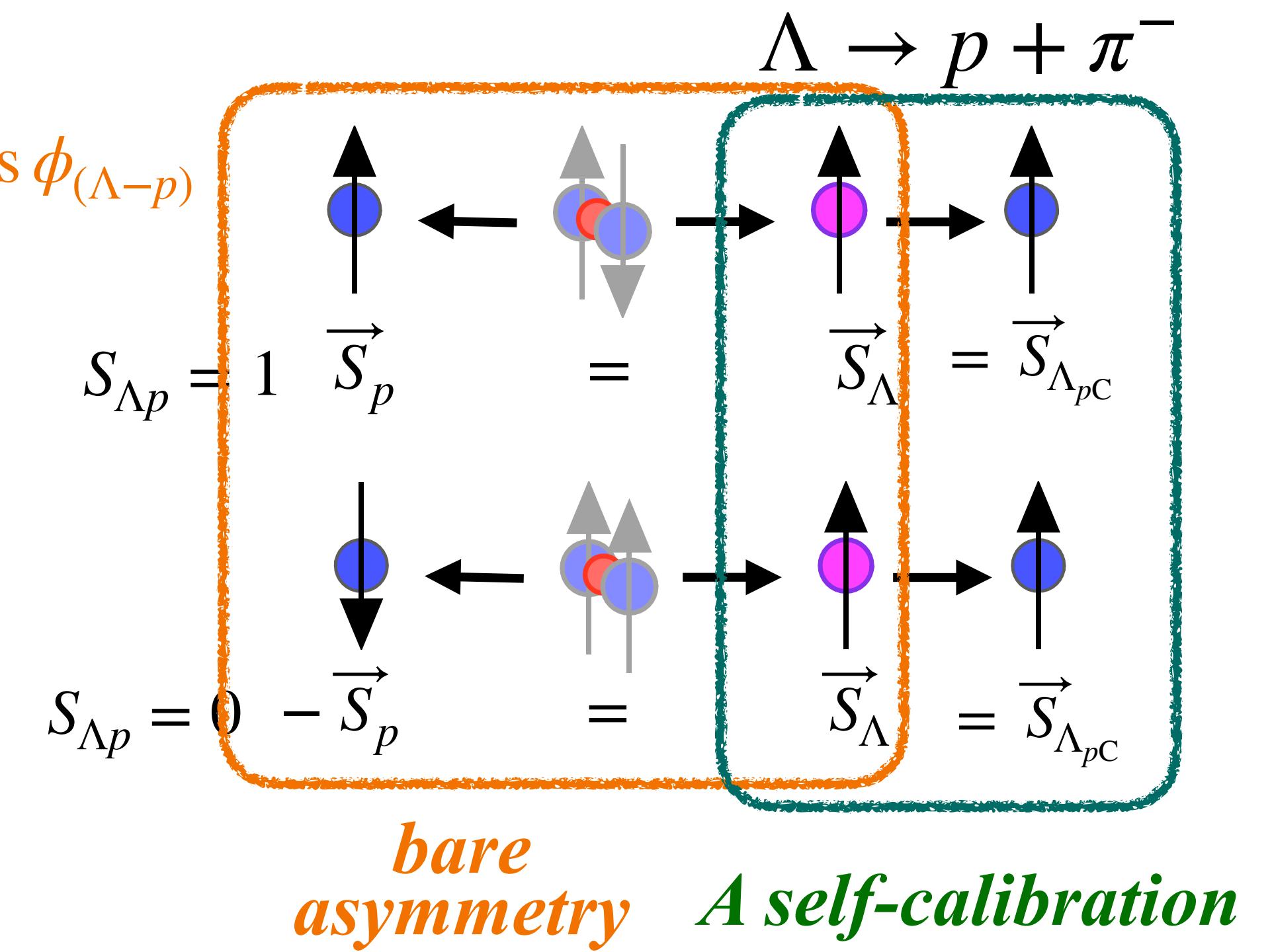
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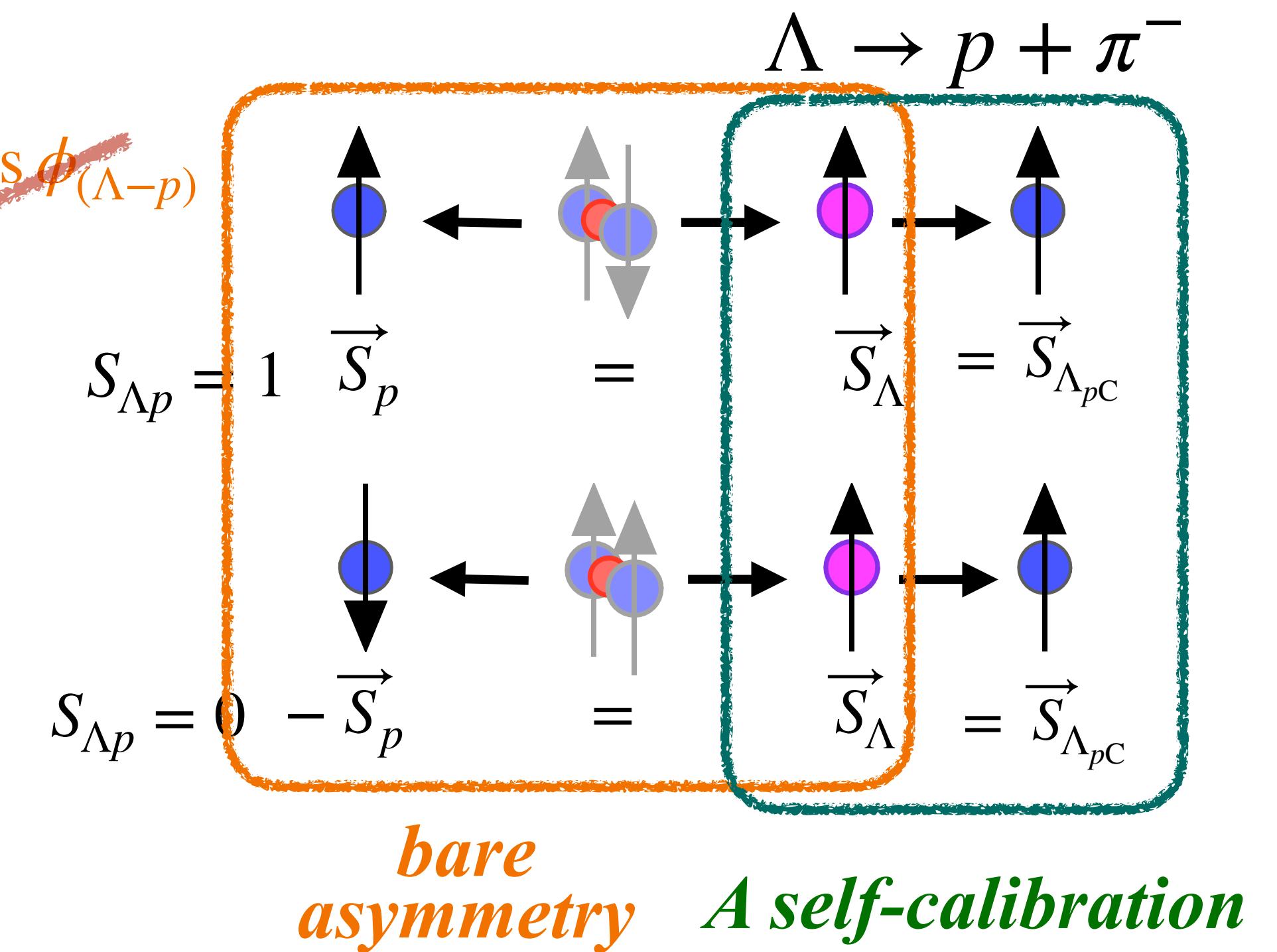
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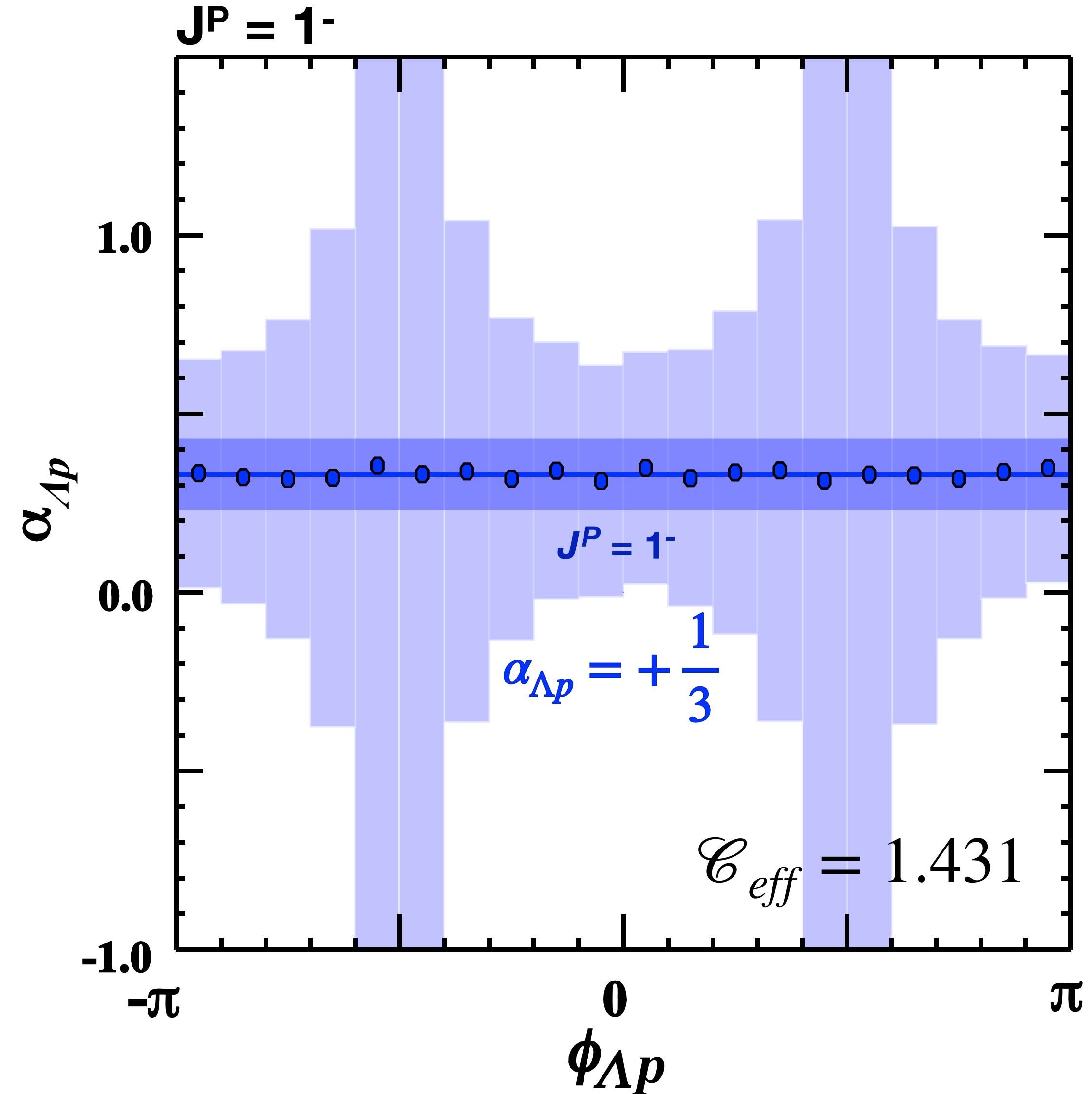
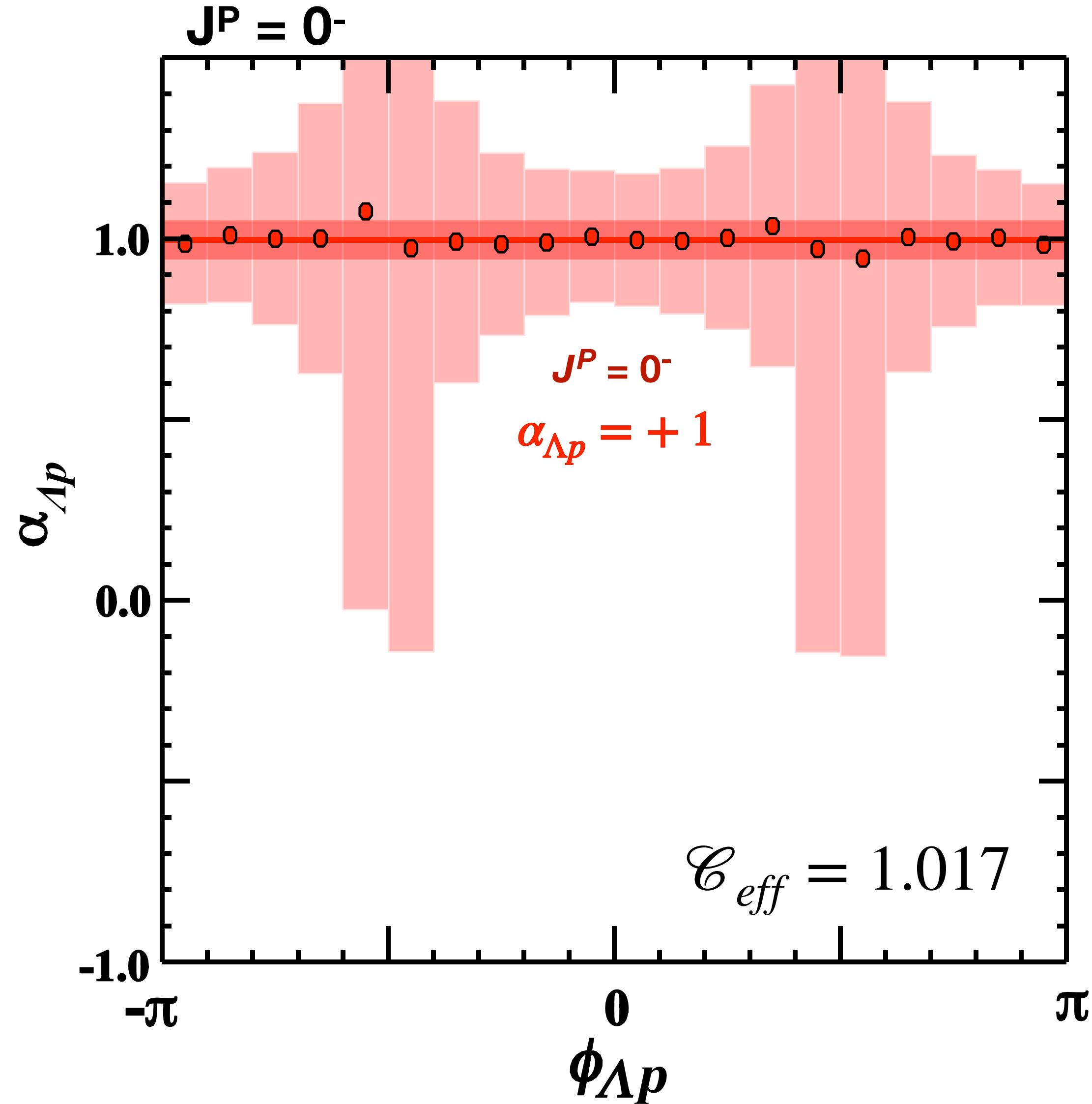
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efficient calibration can be done dominantly by data / data  
with small collection factor (for  $J^P = 0^-$ ) given by simulation

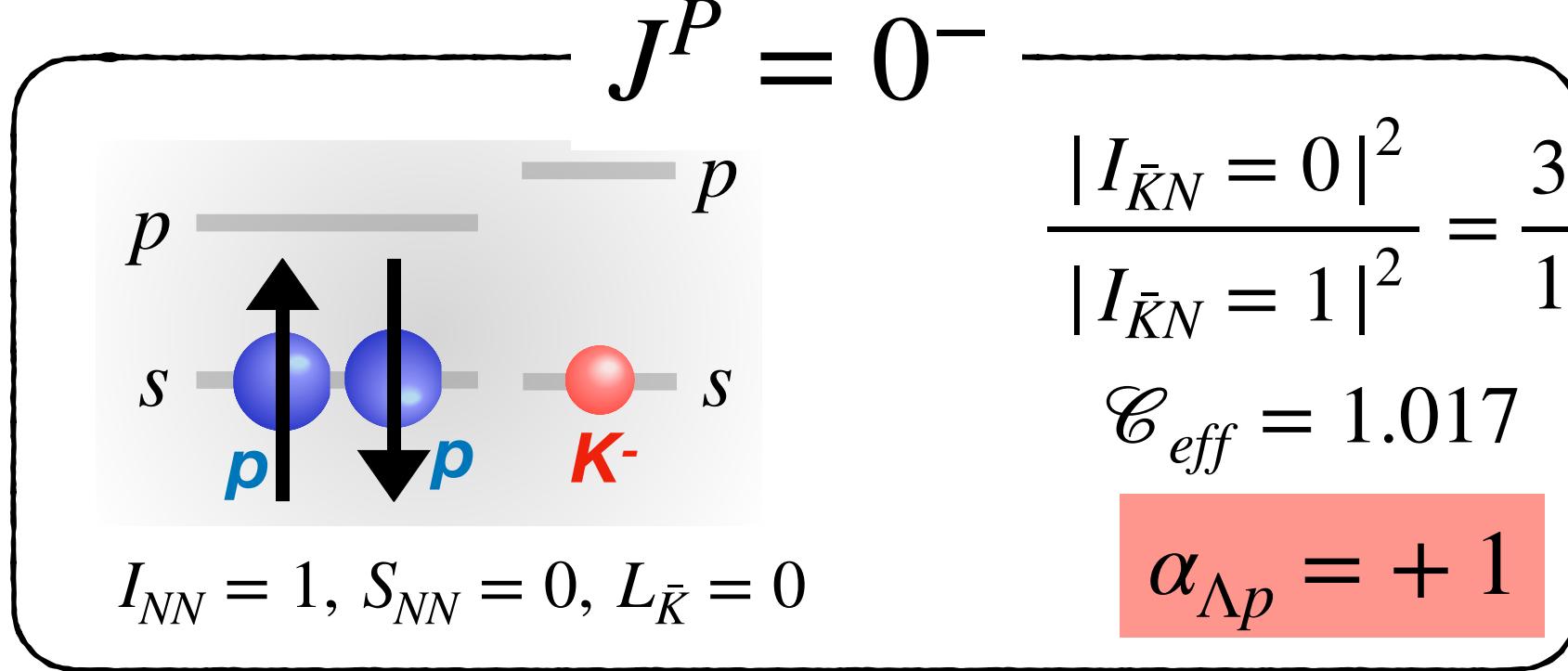
# $\Lambda p$ spin-spin correlation $\alpha_{\Lambda p}$

$$\alpha_{\Lambda p} \approx \mathcal{C}_{eff}(B, M, q) \frac{n(\phi_{(\Lambda-p)}) - 1}{A_{(\Lambda-\Lambda_{pC})} \cos \phi_{(\Lambda-p)}}$$

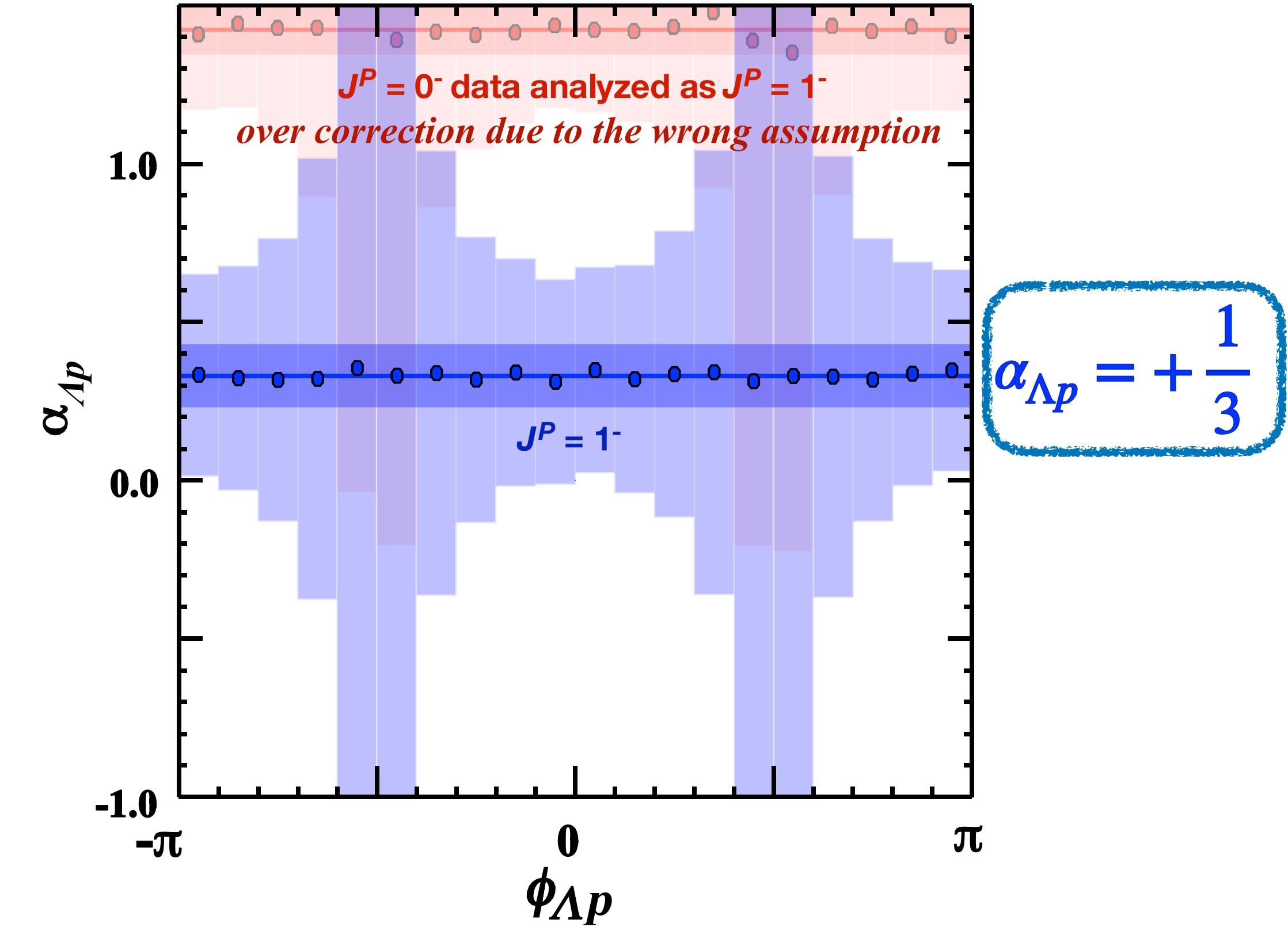
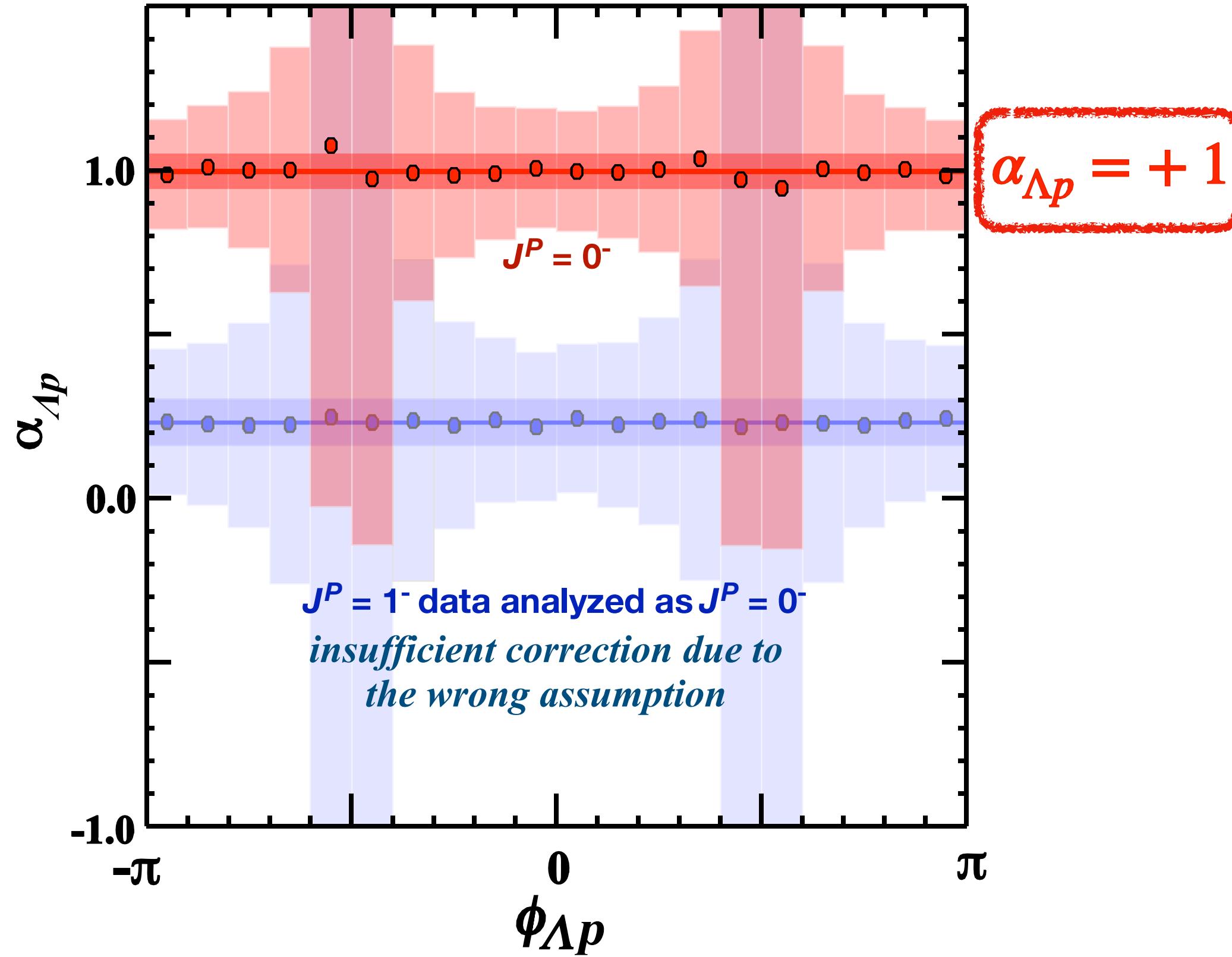
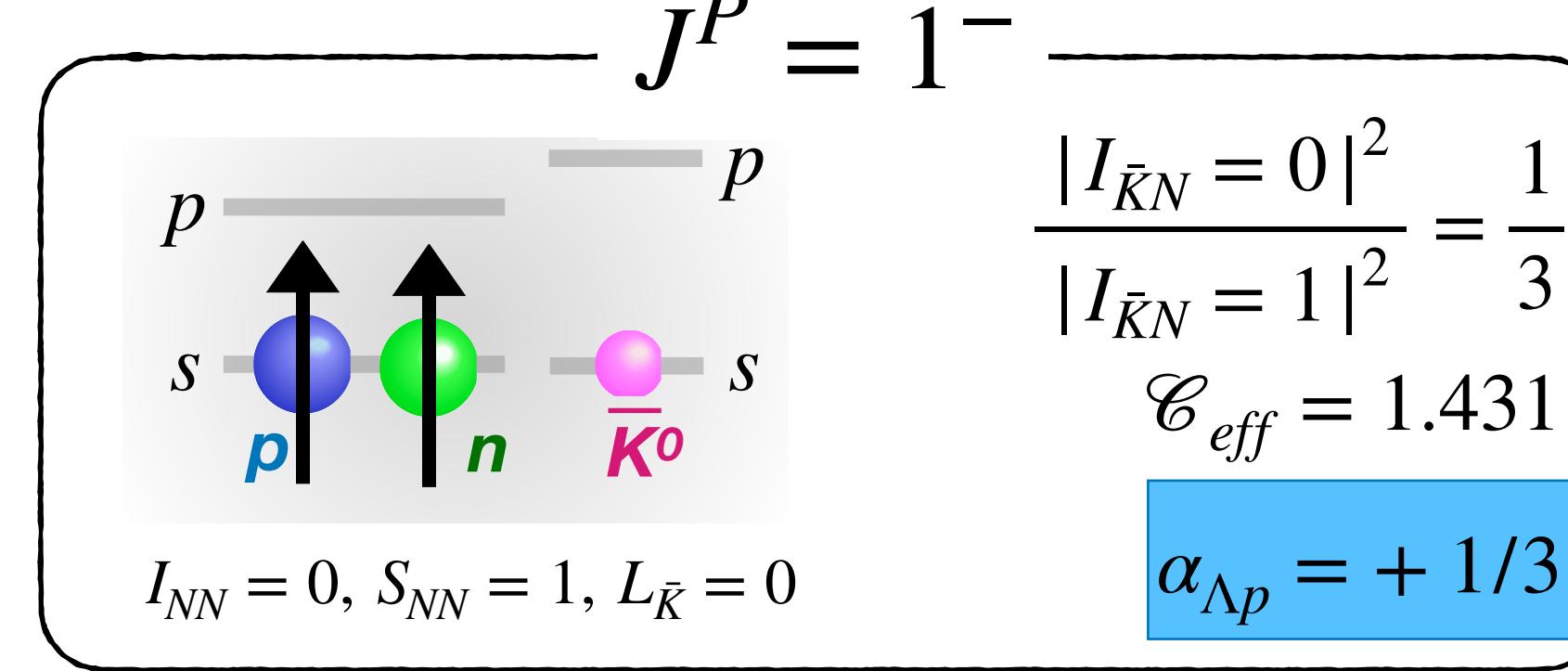


# $a_{\Lambda p}$ analysis for $J^P = 0^- / 1^-$

$\bar{K}NN : J^P = 0^-, I = 1/2: I_{NN} = 1, S_{NN} = 0, L_{\bar{K}} = 0$



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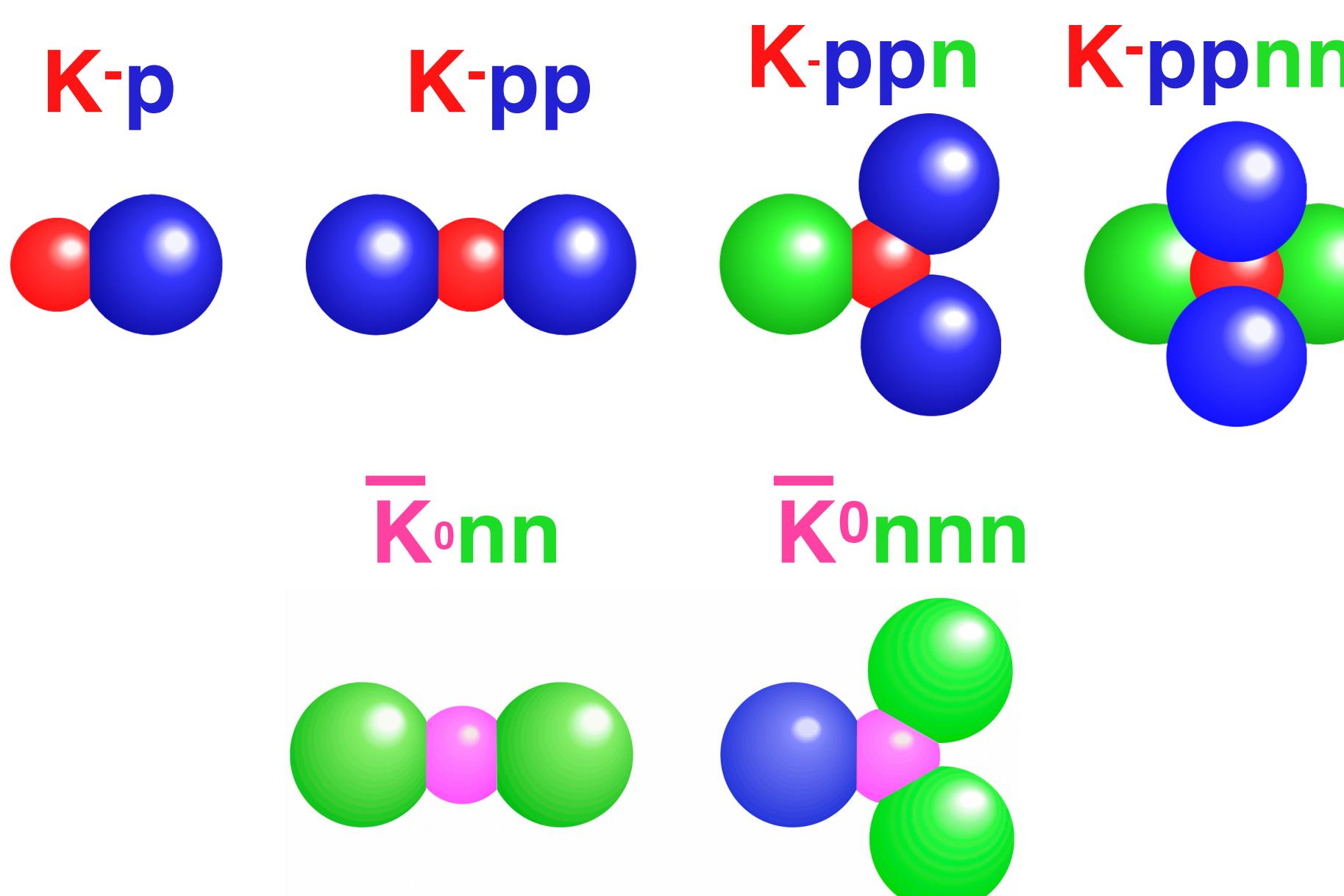
# Summary

- *To establish  $K\text{-}pp$  as a well defined quantum state,  $J^P$  should be experimentally studied*
- *$J^P$  can be determined by using  $\Lambda\text{-}p$  spin-spin asymmetry  $\alpha_{\Lambda\text{-}p} = +1$  (for  $J^P=0^-$ ) and  $\alpha_{\Lambda\text{-}p} = +1/3$  (for  $J^P=1^-$ )*
  - For  $J^P=0^-$ ,  $\alpha_{\Lambda\text{-}p}$  can be calibrated by data (with small correction factor )*
  - For  $J^P=1^-$ , correction factor for  $\alpha_{\Lambda\text{-}p}$  is bit large, but it enables us to discriminate from  $J^P=0^-$  more easily*
- *The  $\alpha_{\Lambda\text{-}p}$  analysis is insensitive to the spin uncorrelated backgrounds*

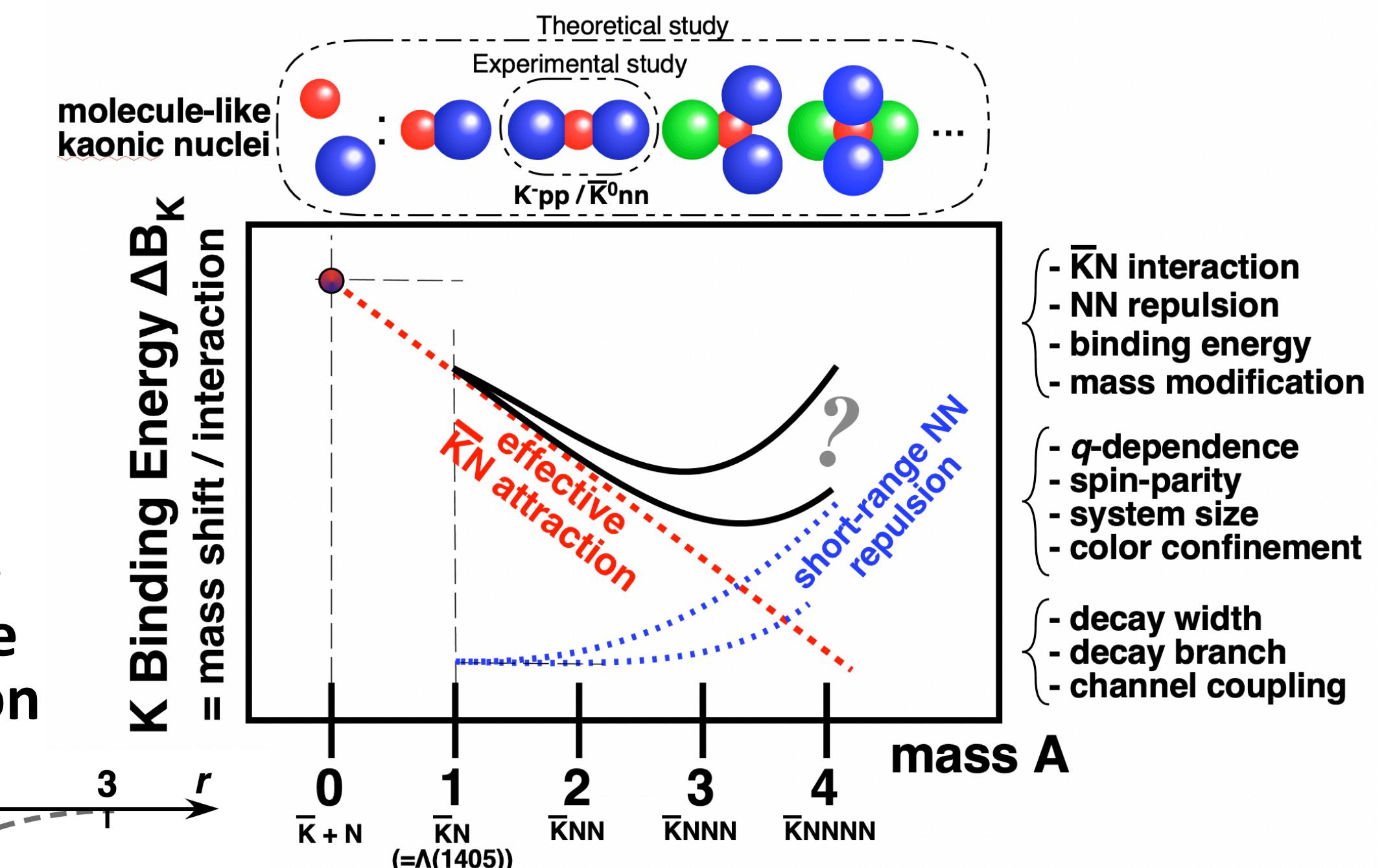
( background removed automatically by  $n(\phi_{(\Lambda-p)}) - 1$  procedure,  
although more sophisticated correction needed for  $\alpha_{\Lambda p}$  calibration )
- *We wish to prepare the setup to achieve measurement within  $\sim$  two months  
(need to embed spin into GIANT)*

# New programs for kaonic nuclei

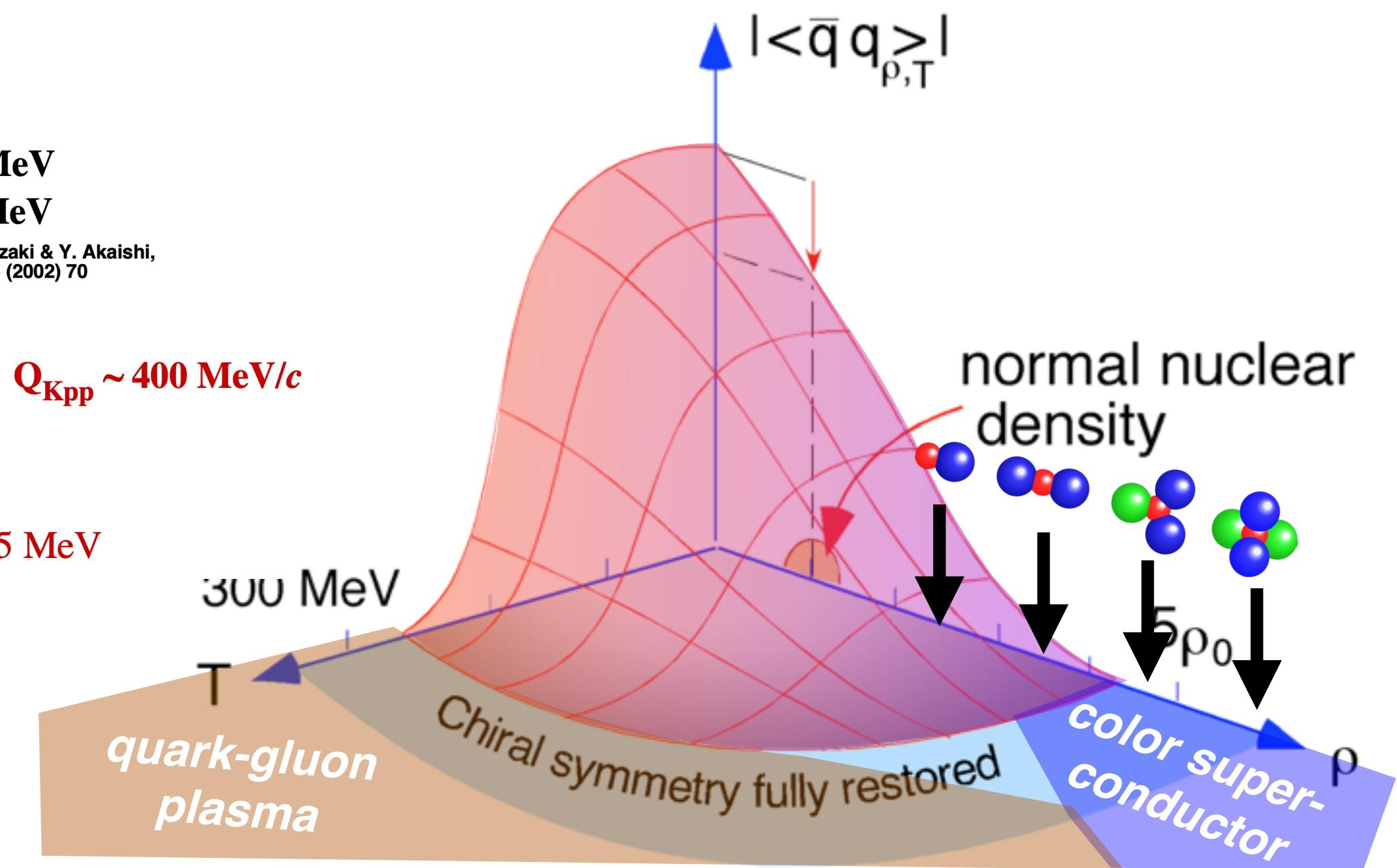
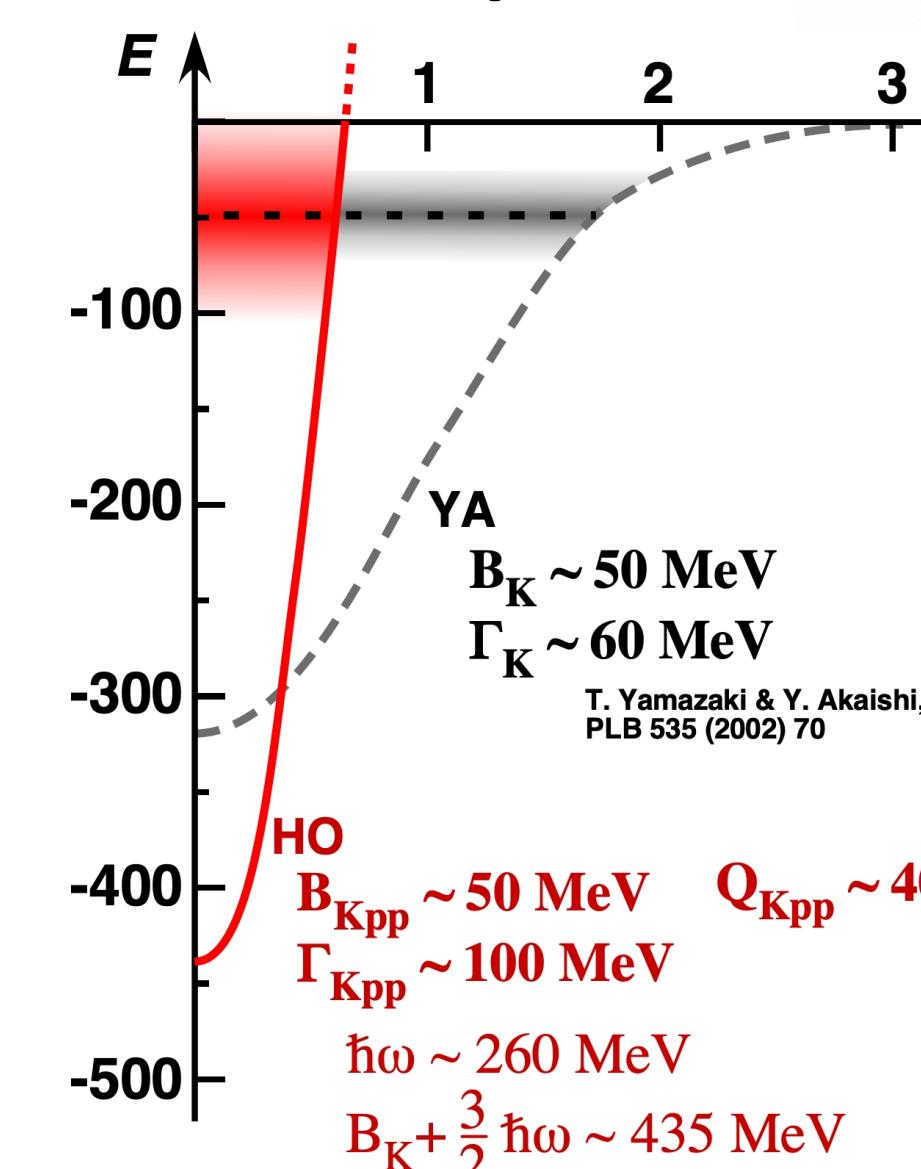
molecule like structure expected due to NN repulsion



- understand origin of hadron mass
- understand high density baryonic matter (neutron star matter)



deep  $\bar{K}\text{N}$  +  
short range  
NN repulsion



*Many exotic study can be done at J-PARC,  
why don't we do that?*

*Please join if you can*

**Thank you for attention**

# Appendix

# **Appendix 1: Internal structure of K-pp**

$$(N(N \otimes \bar{K}) + (N \otimes \bar{K})N)/\sqrt{2} = (NN)_{I.\text{sym}} \otimes \bar{K} \quad \bar{K}\text{NN : } J^P = 0^-, I = +1/2: \quad I_{NN} = 1, S_{NN} = 0, L_K = 0$$


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**isospin singlet**

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(pK^- - n\bar{K}^0)$$

$$I_{\bar{K}N} = 0 \quad \left\{ N \left\{ (N \otimes \bar{K})_{I_{\bar{K}N}=0} \right\} + \left\{ (N \otimes \bar{K})_{I_{\bar{K}N}=0} \right\} N \right\} / \sqrt{2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( p \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(pK^- - n\bar{K}^0) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(pK^- - n\bar{K}^0)p \right)$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} \left( \frac{2ppK^- - (pn + np)\bar{K}^0}{\sqrt{2}} \right)_{(I.\text{sym})} \otimes \left( \frac{\uparrow\downarrow - \downarrow\uparrow}{\sqrt{2}} \right)_{(S.\text{asym})}$$


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**isospin triplet**

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(pK^- + n\bar{K}^0)$$

$$nK^-$$

		3/2	
	+3/2		3/2 1/2
+1	+1/2	1	+1/2 +1/2
+1	-1/2	1/3	2/3 3/2 1/2
0	+1/2	2/3	-1/3 -1/2 -1/2
0	-1/2	2/3	1/3 1/3 3/2
-1	+1/2	1/3 -2/3	-3/2
-1	-1/2	-1 -1/2	1

$$I_{\bar{K}N} = 1 \quad \left\{ N \left\{ N \otimes \bar{K} \right\}_{I_{\bar{K}N}=1} + \left\{ N \otimes \bar{K} \right\}_{I_{\bar{K}N}=1} N \right\} / \sqrt{2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \left( n(p\bar{K}^0)_{I_{\bar{K}N}=|1,+1>} + (p\bar{K}^0)n_{I_{\bar{K}N}=|1,+1>} \right) - \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \left( p \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(pK^- + n\bar{K}^0)_{I_N=|1/2,+1/2>} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(pK^- + n\bar{K}^0)p_{I_{\bar{K}N}=|1,\pm 0>} \right)_{I_N=|1/2,-1/2>} \right)_{I_{\bar{K}N}=|1,\pm 0>} \right)_{I_N=|1/2,+1/2>} \\ = -\sqrt{\frac{1}{6}} \left( \frac{2ppK^- - (pn + np)\bar{K}^0}{\sqrt{2}} \right)_{(I.\text{sym})} \otimes \left( \frac{\uparrow\downarrow - \downarrow\uparrow}{\sqrt{2}} \right)_{(S.\text{asym})}$$


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$$\therefore \bar{K}\text{NN}(J^P = 0^-) \dots \frac{|I_{\bar{K}N} = 0|^2}{|I_{\bar{K}N} = 1|^2} = \frac{3}{1}$$

$$\frac{\left| N \left\{ (N \otimes \bar{K})_{I_{\bar{K}N}=0} \right\} + \left\{ (N \otimes \bar{K})_{I_{\bar{K}N}=0} \right\} N \right|^2}{\left| N \left\{ N \otimes \bar{K} \right\}_{I_{\bar{K}N}=1} + \left\{ N \otimes \bar{K} \right\}_{I_{\bar{K}N}=1} N \right|^2} = \frac{3}{1}$$

*expected to be deeper bound  
strongly attractive in  $I_{\bar{K}N} = 0$*

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$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(pK^- - n\bar{K}^0)$$

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$$nK^-$$

1	1/2	3/2	+3/2	3/2	1/2
+1	+1/2	1	+1/2	+1/2	
+1	-1/2	1/3	2/3	3/2	1/2
0	+1/2	2/3	-1/3	-1/2	-1/2
0	-1/2	2/3	1/3	3/2	
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-1	-1/2				1

$$I_{\bar{K}N} = 1 \quad \left\{ N \left\{ N \otimes \bar{K} \right\}_{I_{\bar{K}N}=1} - \left\{ N \otimes \bar{K} \right\}_{I_{\bar{K}N}=1} N \right\} / \sqrt{2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \left( n(p\bar{K}^0)_{I_{\bar{K}N}=1, +1>} - (p\bar{K}^0)n_{I_{\bar{K}N}=1, +1>} \right) - \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \left( p \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(pK^- + n\bar{K}^0)_{I_{\bar{K}N}=1, \pm 0>} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(pK^- + n\bar{K}^0)p_{I_{\bar{K}N}=1, \pm 0>} \right) \right)$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} \left( \frac{(np - pn)\bar{K}^0}{\sqrt{2}} \right)_{(I.\text{asym})} \otimes \left( \uparrow\uparrow, \frac{\uparrow\downarrow + \downarrow\uparrow}{\sqrt{2}}, \downarrow\downarrow \right)_{(S.\text{sym})}$$

$$\therefore \bar{K}\text{NN}(J^P = 1^-) \dots \frac{|I_{\bar{K}N} = 0|}{|I_{\bar{K}N} = 1|} = \frac{1}{3} \frac{\left| N \left\{ (N \otimes \bar{K})_{I_{\bar{K}N}=0} \right\} + \left\{ (N \otimes \bar{K})_{I_{\bar{K}N}=0} \right\} N \right|^2}{\left| N \left\{ N \otimes \bar{K} \right\}_{I_{\bar{K}N}=1} + \left\{ N \otimes \bar{K} \right\}_{I_{\bar{K}N}=1} N \right|^2}$$

*expected to be weaker bound  
strongly attractive only in  $I_{\bar{K}N} = 0$*

# **Appendix 2: Decay axis & spin alignment**

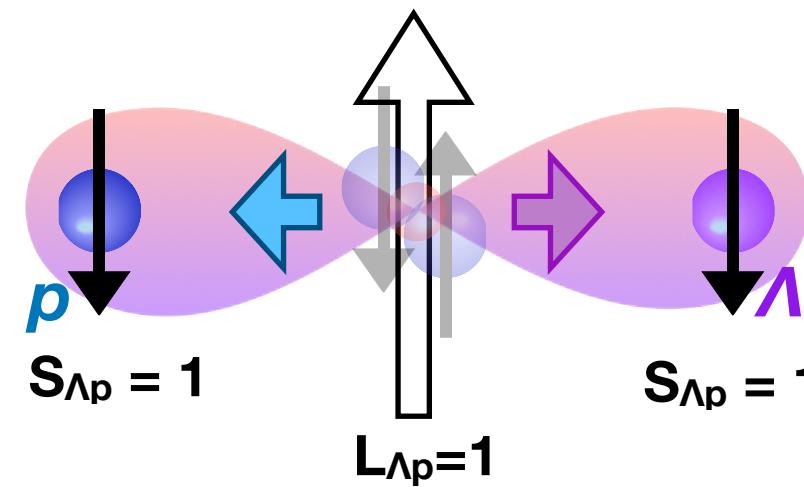
# $\Lambda p$ decay of $\bar{K}NN$ $J^P = 0^-$

*decay axis and spin direction*

$$J^P_{\bar{K}NN} = |0, 0>^-$$

$$L_{\Lambda p} = |1, +1> = Y_1^{+1}(\theta, \phi)$$

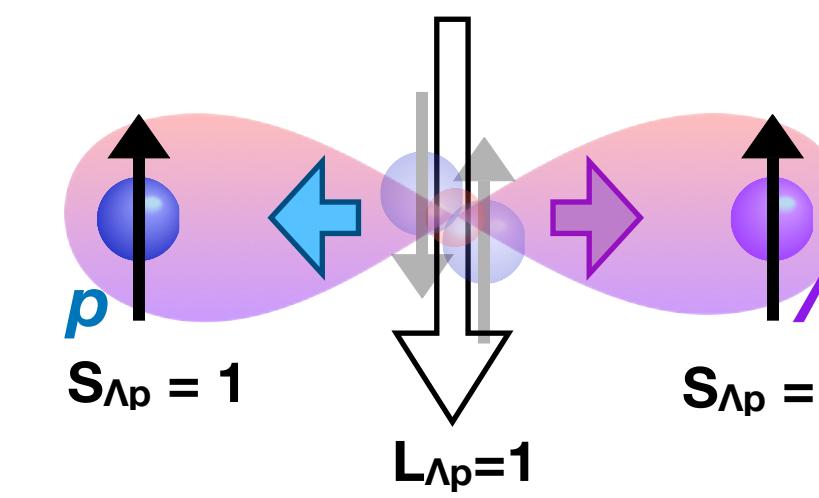
$$S_{\Lambda p} = |1, -1>$$



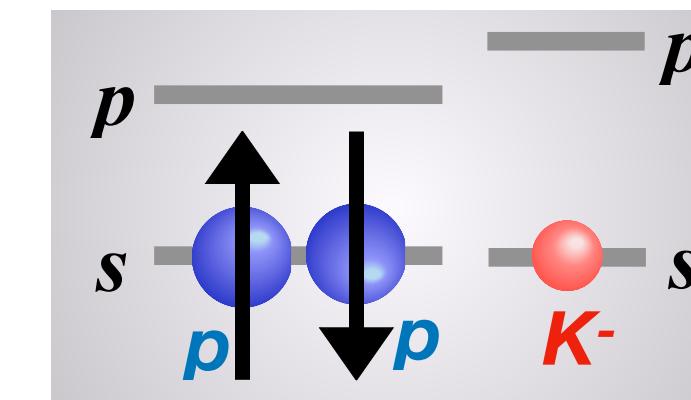
$$Y_1^{+1}(\theta, \phi) = \sqrt{\frac{3}{4\pi}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} e^{+i\phi}$$

$$L_{\Lambda p} = |1, -1> = Y_1^{-1}(\theta, \phi)$$

$$S_{\Lambda p} = |1, +1>$$

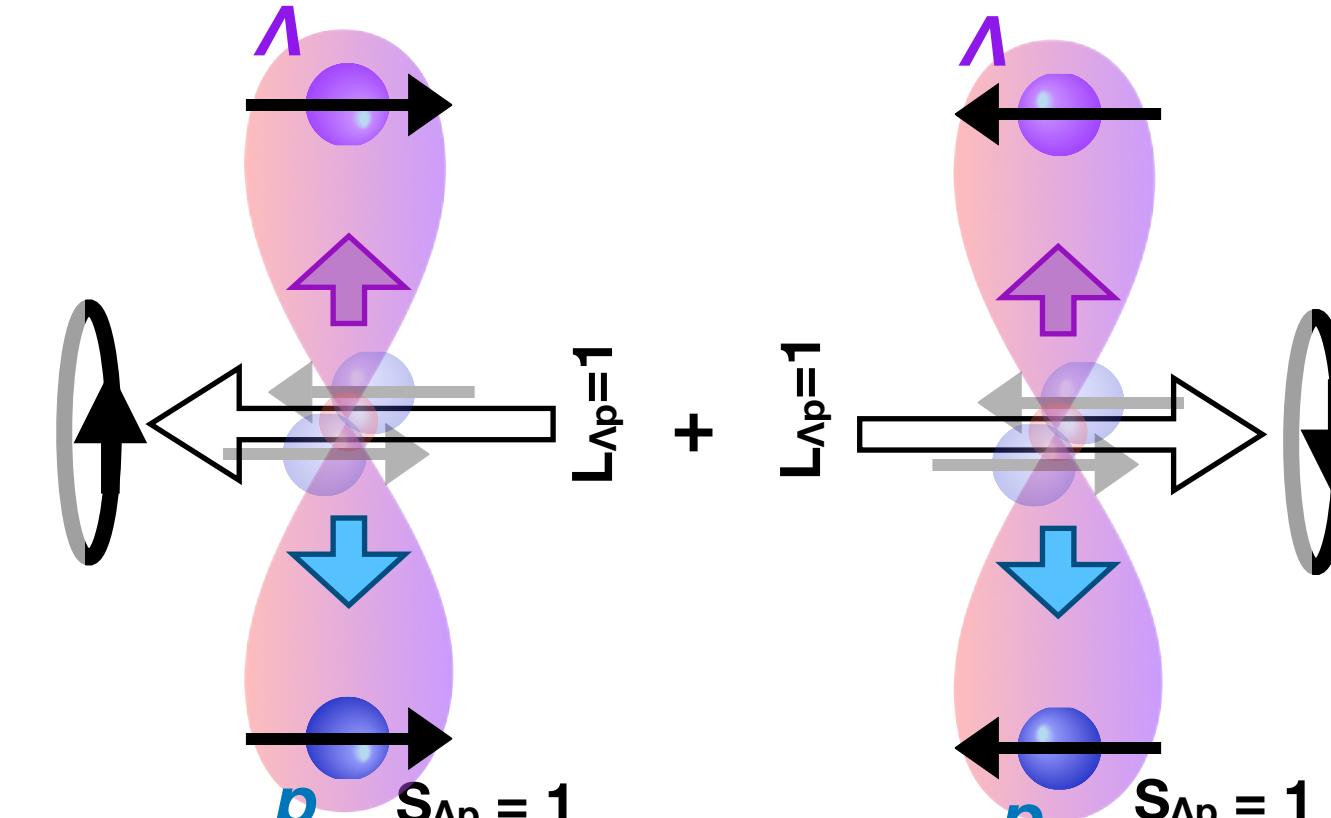


$$Y_1^{-1}(\theta, \phi) = \sqrt{\frac{3}{4\pi}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} e^{-i\phi}$$



$$I_{NN} = 1, S_{NN} = 0, L_{\bar{K}} = 0$$

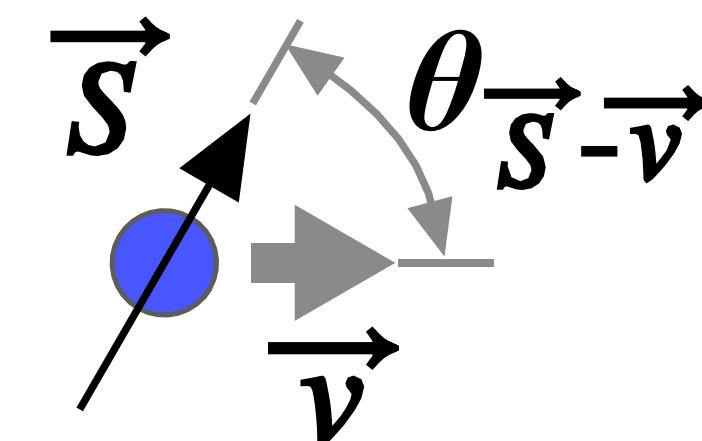
$$\begin{aligned} L_{\Lambda p} &= |1, 0> = Y_1^0(\theta, \phi) = \sqrt{\frac{3}{4\pi}} \cos \theta \\ S_{\Lambda p} &= |1, 0> \end{aligned}$$



$$= \sqrt{\frac{3}{4\pi}} \frac{1}{2} (| \rightarrow > e^{+i\theta} + | \leftarrow > e^{-i\theta})$$

$N(\vec{v}_\Lambda \cdot \vec{S}_\Lambda) \propto \sin^2 \theta_{\vec{S}-\vec{v}}$ , where  $\theta_{\vec{S}-\vec{v}}$  is the angle between  $(\vec{v}_p$  and  $\vec{S}_p)$

$$\frac{N(\vec{v}_p \cdot \vec{S}_p)}{\sum N} = \frac{N(-\vec{v}_\Lambda \cdot \vec{S}_\Lambda)}{\sum N} = \frac{3}{4} (1 - (\vec{v} \cdot \vec{S})^2) = \frac{3}{4} \sin^2 \theta_{\vec{S}-\vec{v}}$$



$J^P = 0^-$  : decay-axis in P-wave & spin aligned to cancel  $L_z$   
i.e., spin ~ orthogonal to the decay axis

# $\Lambda p$ decay of $\bar{K}NN$ $J^P = 1^-$

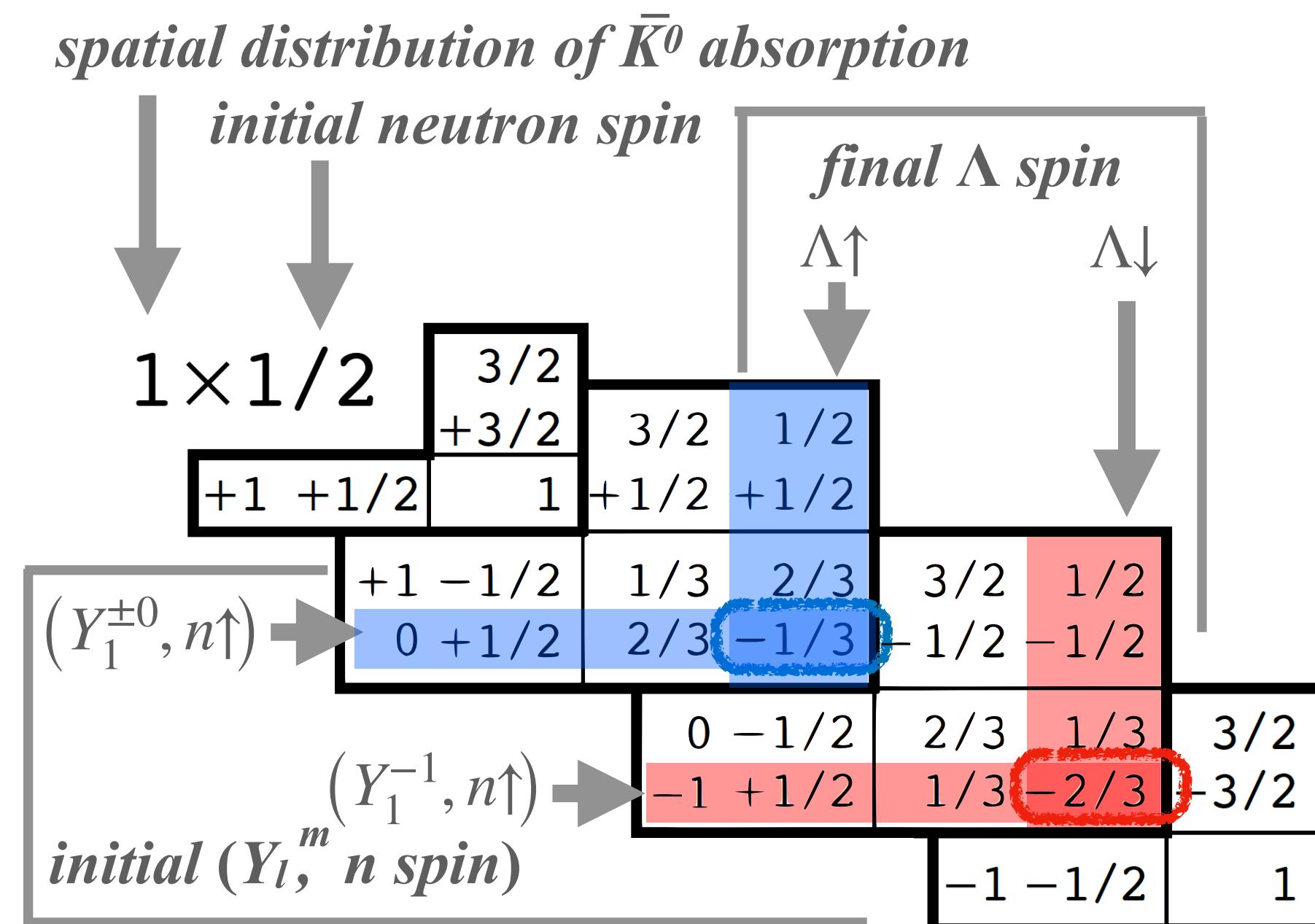
$$(J^P = 1^-) = (S_{\Lambda p} = 0 \text{ or } 1) \otimes (L_{Kabs} = 1)$$

$$(S_{pn} = |1, +1\rangle) \bar{K}^0 = \frac{(p\uparrow n\uparrow - n\uparrow p\uparrow)}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{K}^0$$

quantum-axis = spin direction

$\bar{K}^0 n \rightarrow \Lambda$  P-wave absorption

$$\begin{array}{c} -\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \quad \sqrt{\frac{3}{4\pi}} \frac{\sin \theta}{\sqrt{2}} e^{-i\phi} \\ \text{Clebsch-Gordan} \quad Y_1^{-1} \end{array} \xrightarrow{\frac{(p\uparrow \Lambda\downarrow - \Lambda\downarrow p\uparrow)}{\sqrt{2}}} \begin{array}{c} -\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \quad \sqrt{\frac{3}{4\pi}} \cos \theta \\ \text{Clebsch-Gordan} \quad Y_1^{\pm 0} \end{array} \xrightarrow{\frac{(p\uparrow \Lambda\uparrow - \Lambda\uparrow p\uparrow)}{\sqrt{2}}} S_{p\Lambda}$$



classification by symmetry

first term

$$S_{p\Lambda} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( \frac{(p\uparrow \Lambda\downarrow - \Lambda\downarrow p\uparrow) - (p\downarrow \Lambda\uparrow - \Lambda\uparrow p\downarrow)}{2} + \frac{(p\uparrow \Lambda\downarrow - \Lambda\downarrow p\uparrow) + (p\downarrow \Lambda\uparrow - \Lambda\uparrow p\downarrow)}{2} \right)$$

second term

$$S_{p\Lambda} = \frac{(p\uparrow \Lambda\uparrow - \Lambda\uparrow p\uparrow)}{\sqrt{2}}$$

this term should be  $|1, +1\rangle$

examine first term by rotation  $U(\theta', \phi')$

$$\begin{aligned} \uparrow &\xrightarrow{U(\theta',\phi')} \cos(\theta'/2) \uparrow + e^{+i\phi'} \sin(\theta'/2) \downarrow \\ \downarrow &\xrightarrow{U(\theta',\phi')} \cos(\theta'/2) \downarrow - e^{-i\phi'} \sin(\theta'/2) \uparrow \end{aligned}$$


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rotation of former component

$$\left( \frac{(p\uparrow \Lambda\downarrow - \Lambda\downarrow p\uparrow) - (\Lambda\uparrow p\downarrow - p\downarrow \Lambda\uparrow)}{2} \right) \xrightarrow{U(\theta',\phi')} \left( \cos^2 \frac{\theta'}{2} + \sin^2 \frac{\theta'}{2} \right) \left( \frac{(p\uparrow \Lambda\downarrow - \Lambda\downarrow p\uparrow) - (\Lambda\uparrow p\downarrow - p\downarrow \Lambda\uparrow)}{2} \right)$$

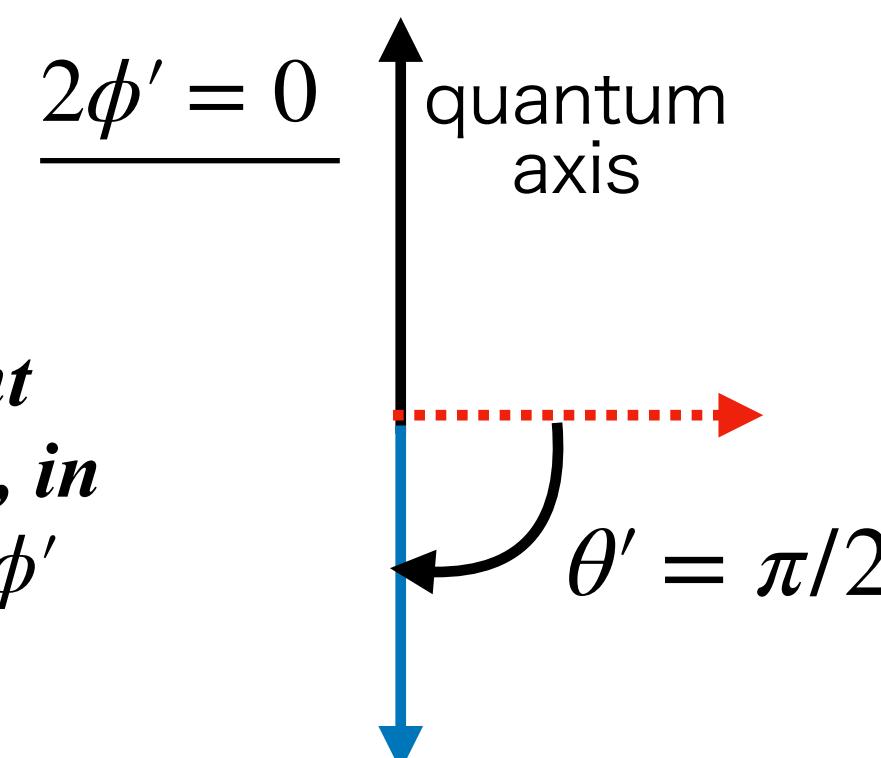
structure unchanged, so former component should be  $|0, 0\rangle$

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Let's examine  $\theta = \pi/2$  rotation to the latter component

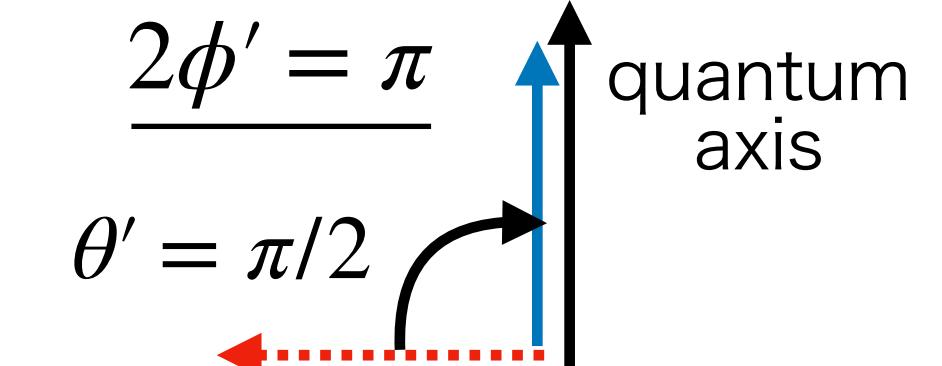
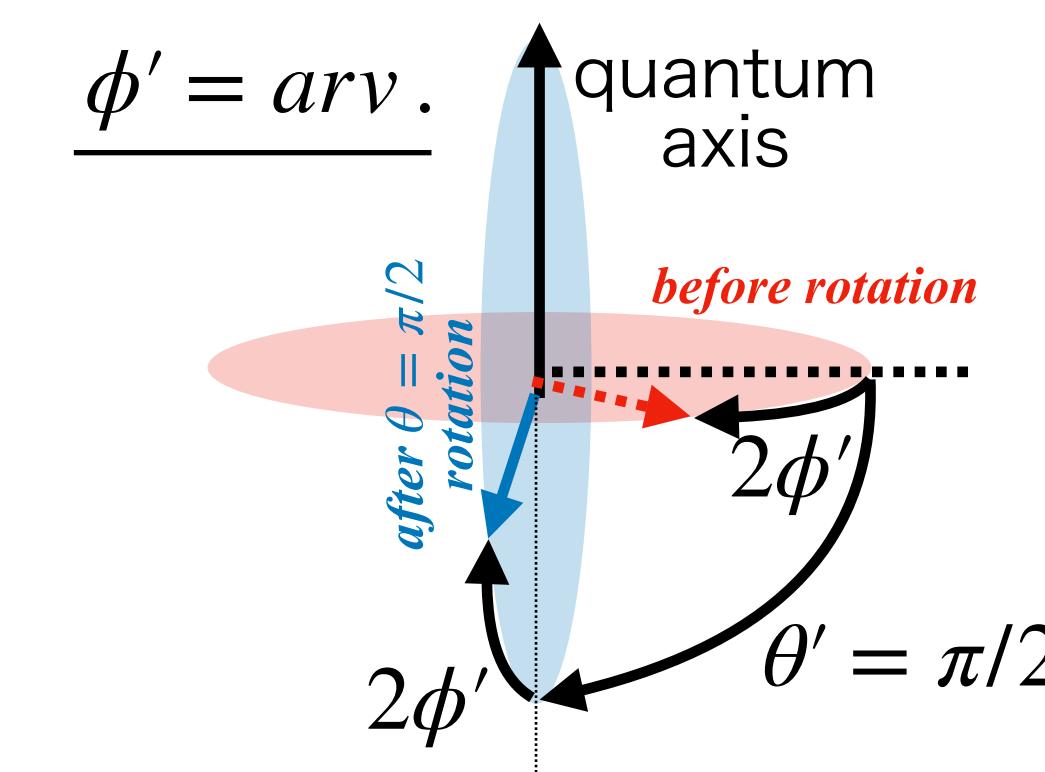
$$\left( \frac{(p\uparrow \Lambda\downarrow - \Lambda\downarrow p\uparrow) + (\Lambda\uparrow p\downarrow - p\downarrow \Lambda\uparrow)}{2} \right) \xrightarrow{U(\pi/2,\phi')} \frac{\cos \phi' (p\downarrow \Lambda\downarrow - \Lambda\downarrow p\downarrow) + i \sin \phi' (\Lambda\uparrow p\uparrow - p\uparrow \Lambda\uparrow)}{2}$$

*before rotation*



after  $\theta = \pi/2$  rotation, this component becomes normalized vector in x-y plane, in between all up or down at the phase  $2\phi'$

*after  $\theta = \pi/2$  rotation*



*latter component: normalized vector in x-y plane*

$$-\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \sqrt{\frac{3}{4\pi}} \frac{\sin \theta}{\sqrt{2}} e^{-i\phi} \left( \frac{|0,0\rangle + |1,0\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \right) - \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \sqrt{\frac{3}{4\pi}} \cos \theta |1,0\rangle$$

## summary of $J^P = 1^-$

$\theta_{(v-S)}$  は 崩壊軸とスピン ( $\vec{v}_\Lambda$  と  $\vec{S}_\Lambda$ ) の成す角

1/3 : S=1 & uniform in a plane

orthogonal to quantum axis

$$N(\vec{v}_{(\Lambda-p)} \cdot \vec{S}_{(\Lambda,p)}) \propto \cos^2 \theta_{(v-S)}$$

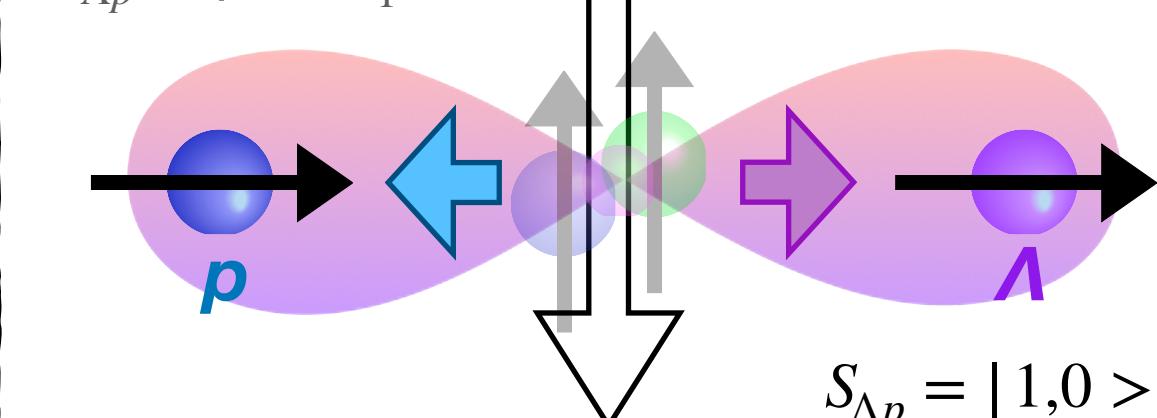
1/3 : S=1 parallel to quantum axis

$$N(\vec{v}_{(\Lambda-p)} \cdot \vec{S}_{(\Lambda,p)}) \propto \cos^2 \theta_{(v-S)}$$

$$L_{\Lambda p}(\theta, \phi) = Y_1^0$$

$$S_{\Lambda p} = |1, +1\rangle$$

$$L_{\Lambda p}(\theta, \phi) = Y_1^{-1}$$

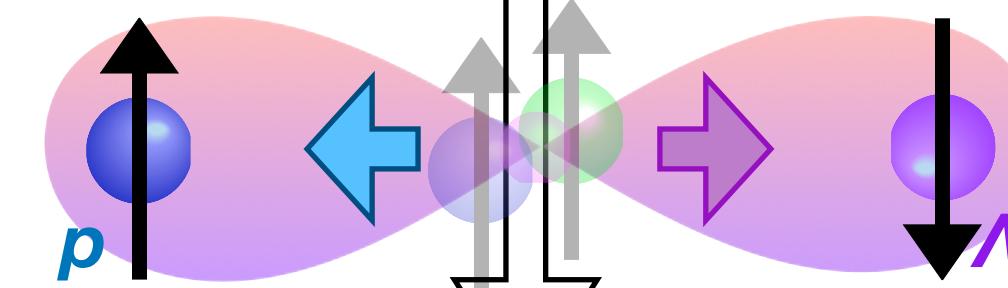


spin parallel & parallel to decay

1/3 : S=0

$$N(\vec{v}_{(\Lambda-p)} \cdot \vec{S}_{(\Lambda,p)}) \propto flat$$

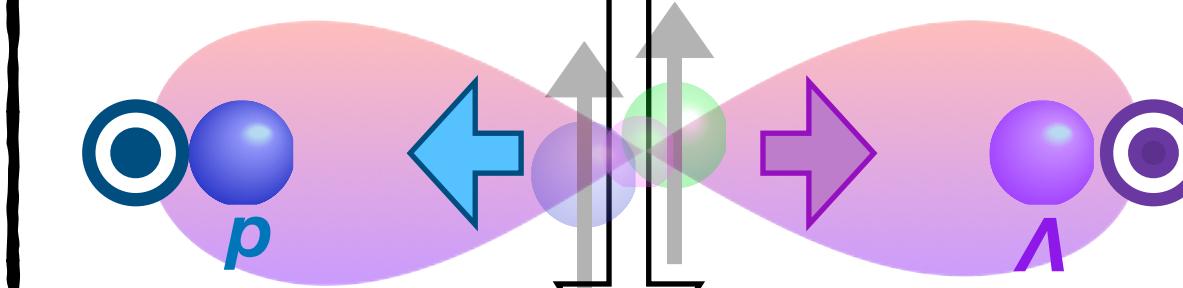
$$ex: L_{\Lambda p}(\theta, \phi) = Y_1^{-1} \quad same for other Y_l^m$$



spin anti-parallel & uniform

$$N(\vec{v}_{(\Lambda-p)} \cdot \vec{S}_{(\Lambda,p)}) \propto \sin^2 \theta_{(v-S)}$$

$$L_{\Lambda p}(\theta, \phi) = Y_1^{-1}$$



spin parallel & orthogonal to decay

1/2

1/2

$$S_{\Lambda p} = |1, +1\rangle$$

spin parallel & parallel to decay

In total,

$$\alpha_{\Lambda p} = +\frac{1}{3}$$

$$S_{\Lambda p} = 0 : \frac{N(\vec{v}_{(\Lambda-p)} \cdot \vec{S}_\Lambda)}{\sum N} = \frac{1}{3},$$

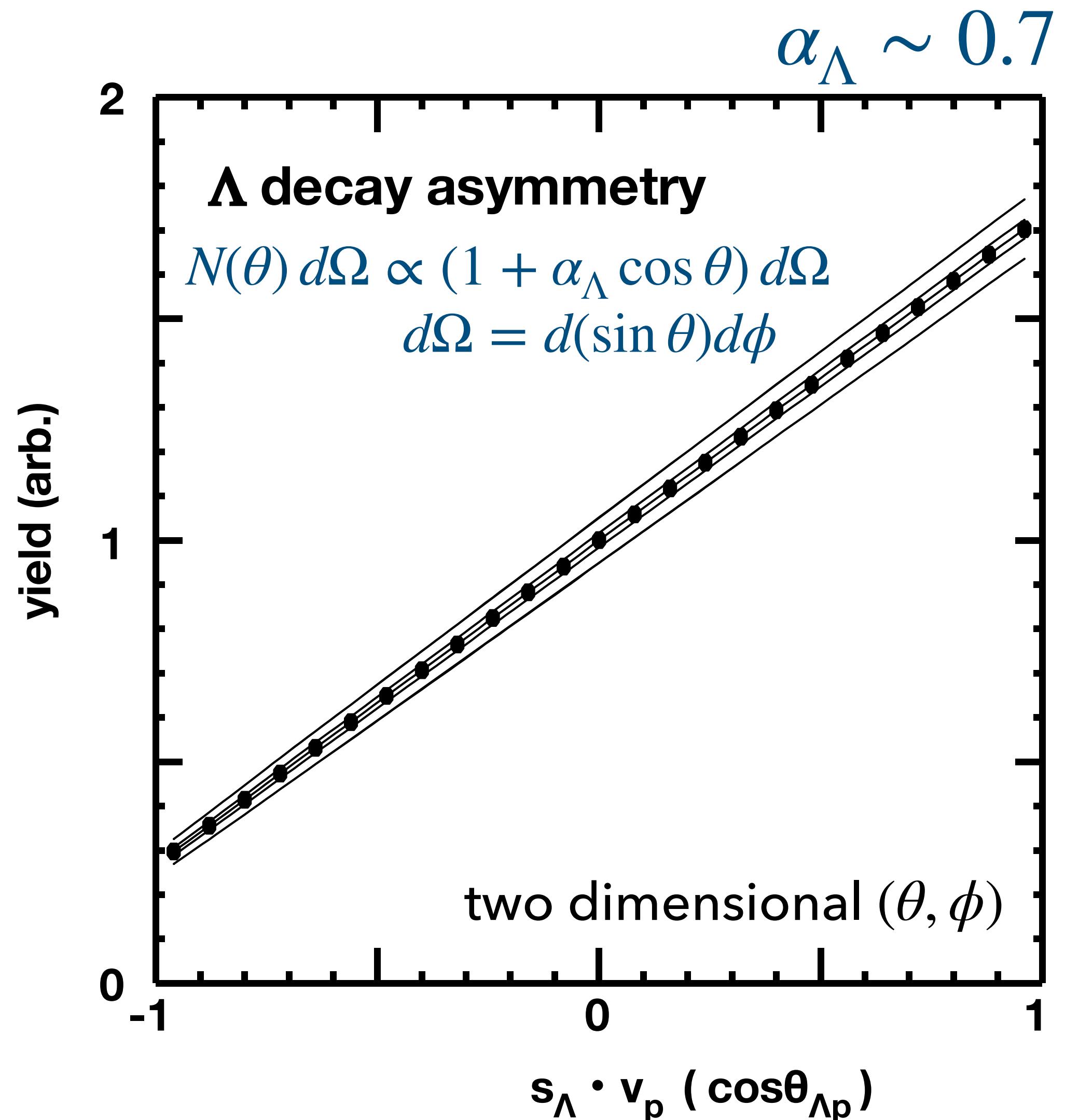
$$S_{\Lambda p} = 1 : \frac{N(\vec{v}_{(\Lambda-p)} \cdot \vec{S}_\Lambda)}{\sum N} = \frac{1}{8} \sin^2 \theta_{(v-S)} + \left( \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \right) \cos^2 \theta_{(v-S)} = \frac{1 + 5(\vec{v}_{(\Lambda-p)} \cdot \vec{S}_\Lambda)^2}{8}$$

uniform distribution

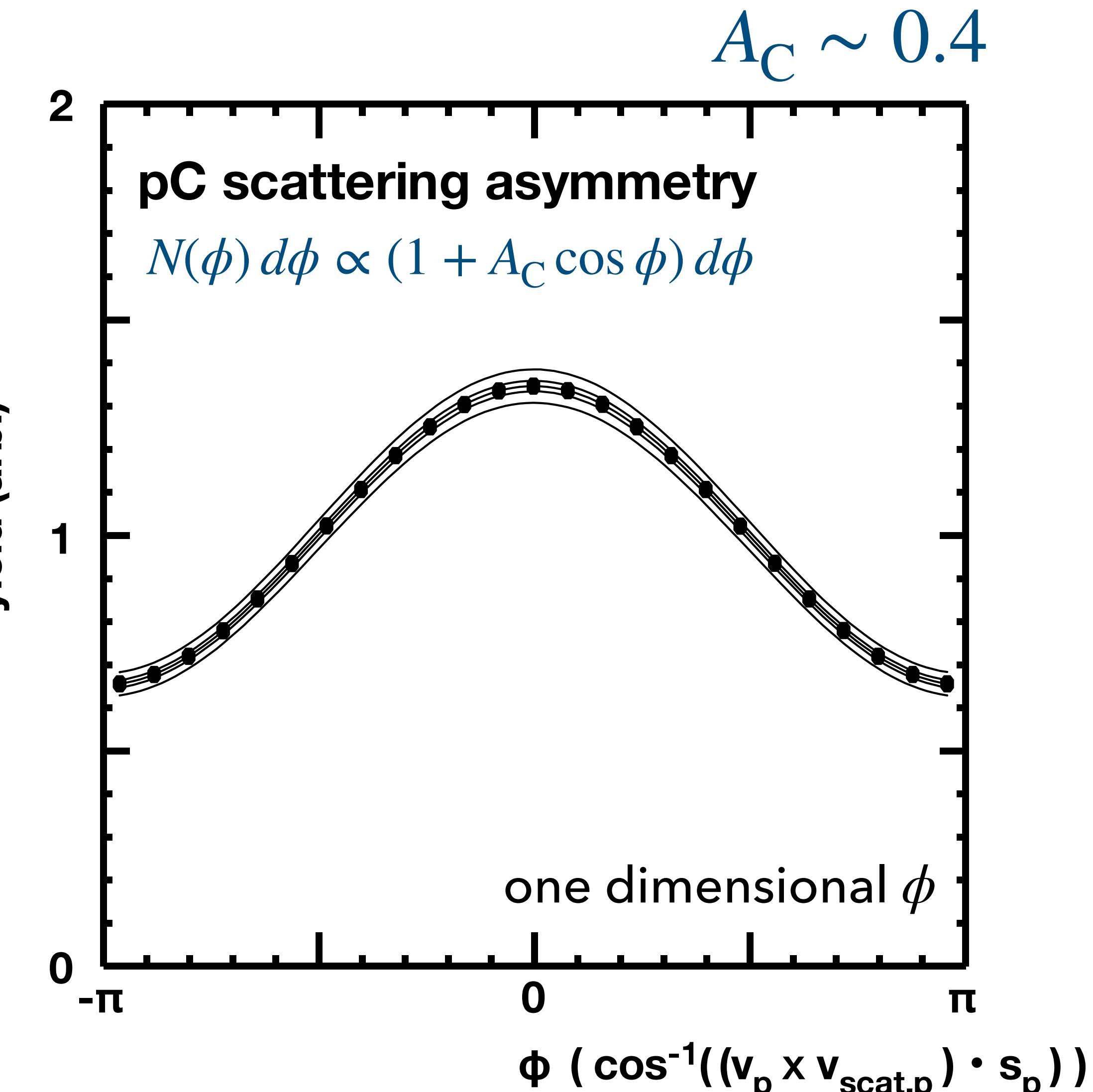
mostly parallel to decay axis

# **Appendix 3: $\Lambda$ & $p$ spin Asymmetry**

# $\Lambda$ & $p$ spin Asymmetry



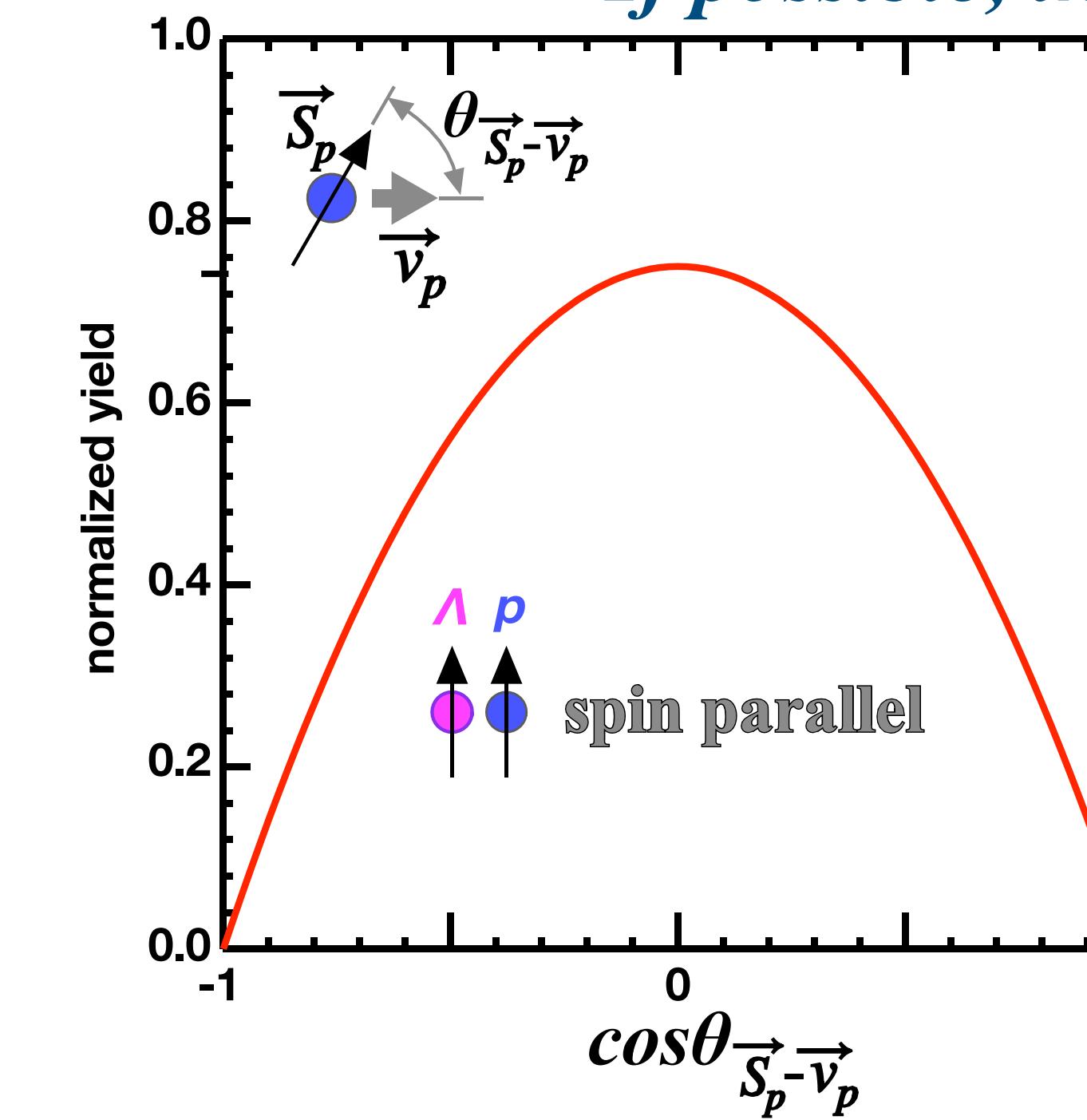
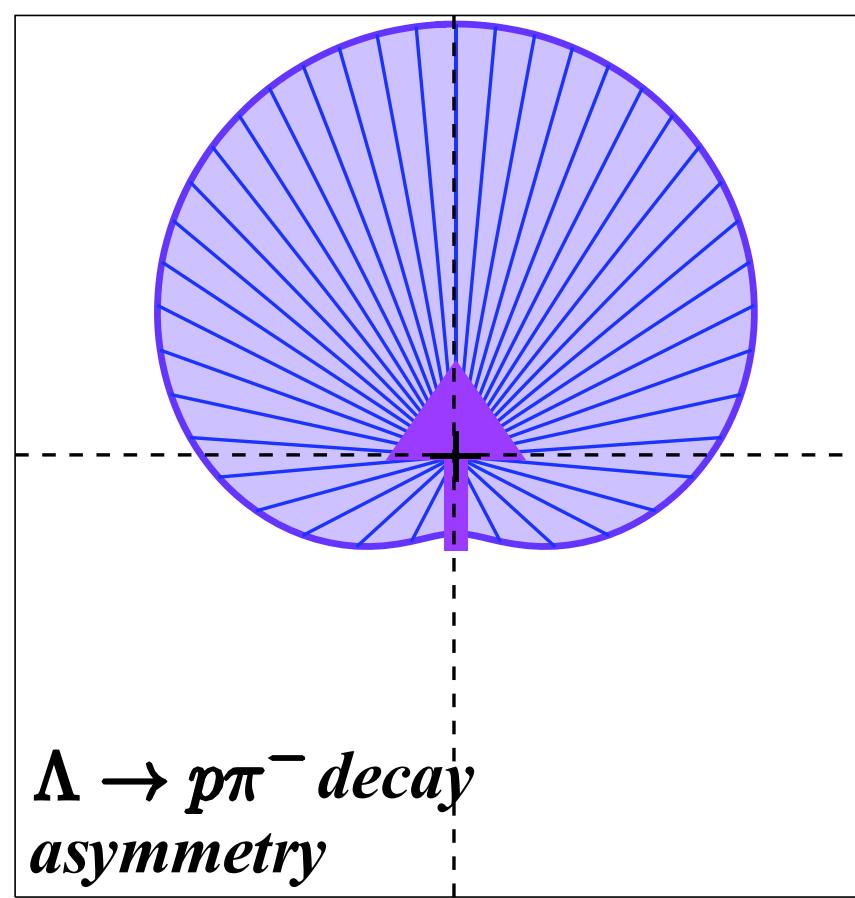
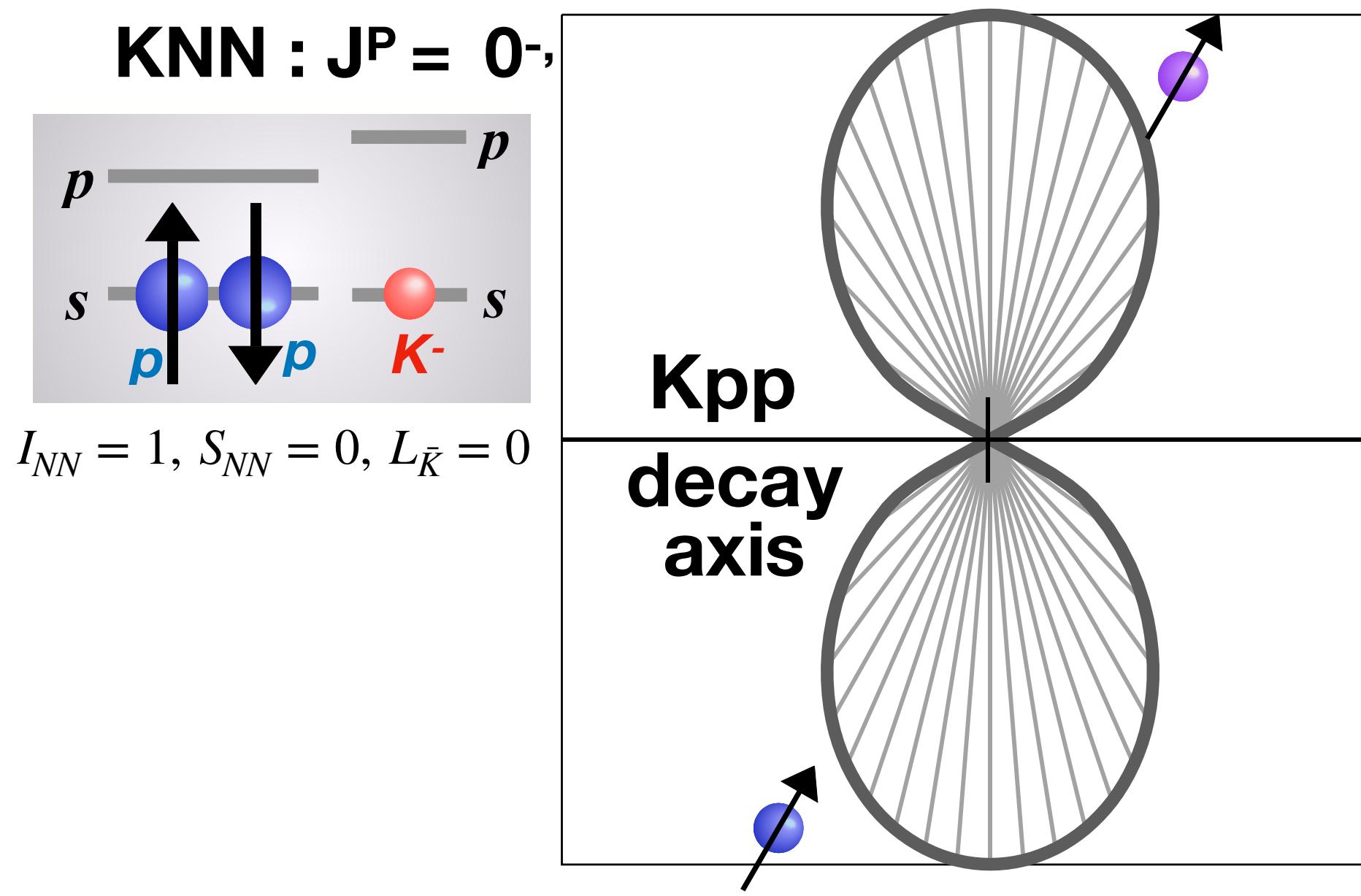
$$\vec{v}_p \equiv \frac{\vec{p}_p}{|\vec{p}_p|}$$



# **Appendix 4: Difficulty to measure spin axis**

# Can spin distribution be measured?

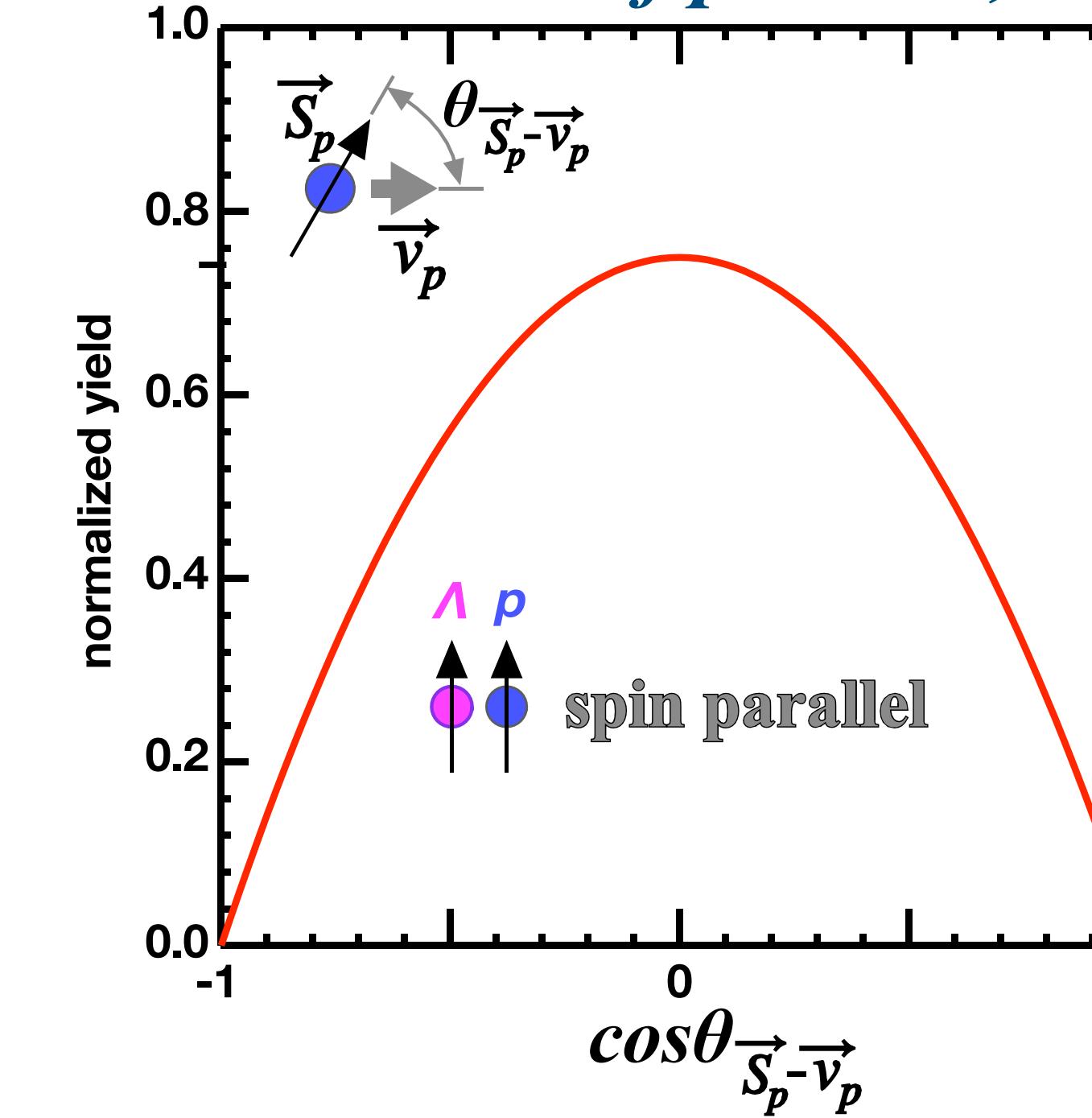
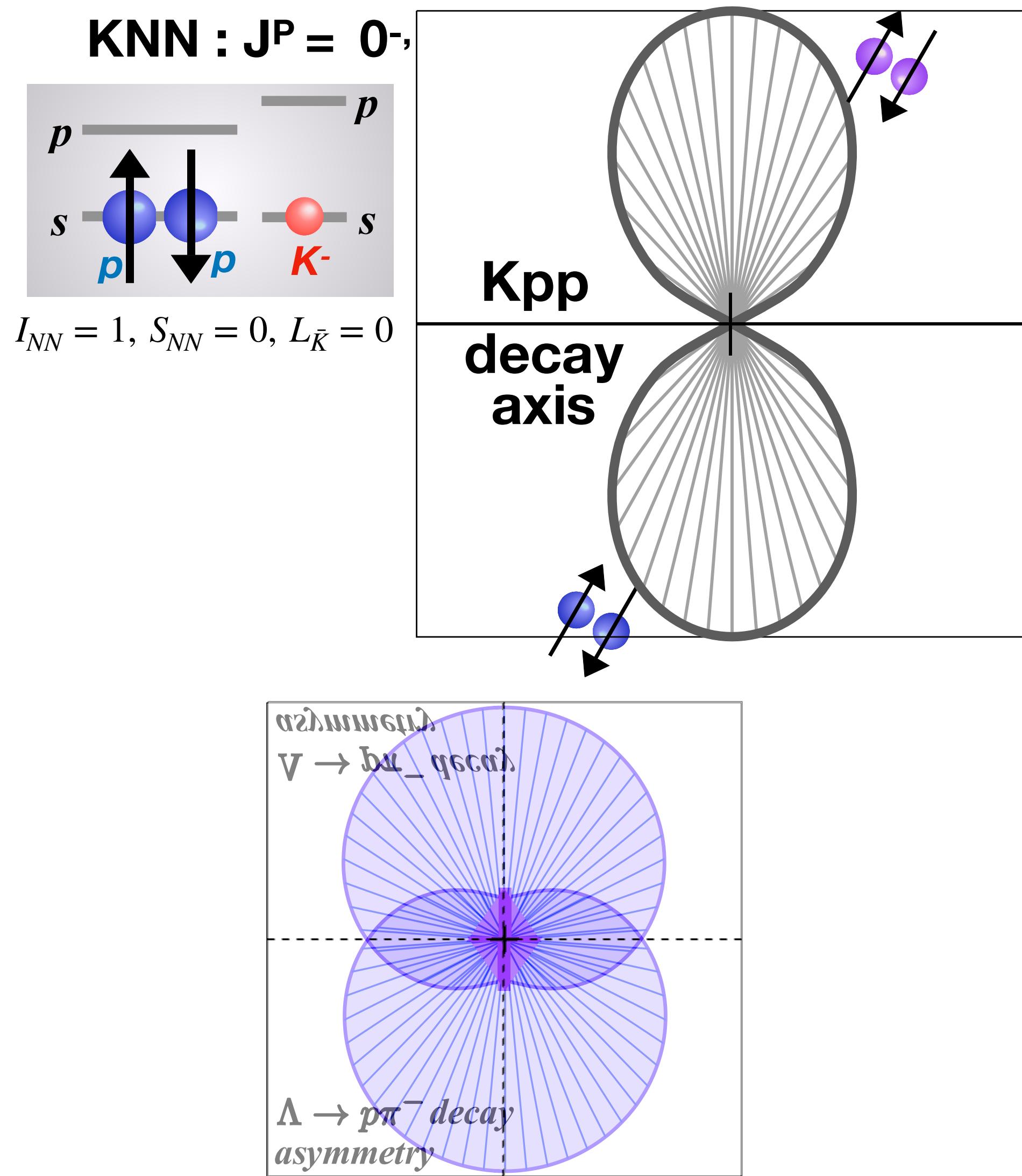
*If possible, the experiment is just simple...*



$$N(\theta) d\Omega \propto (1 + \alpha_\Lambda \cos \theta) d\Omega$$

# Can spin distribution be measured?

*If possible, the experiment is just simple...*

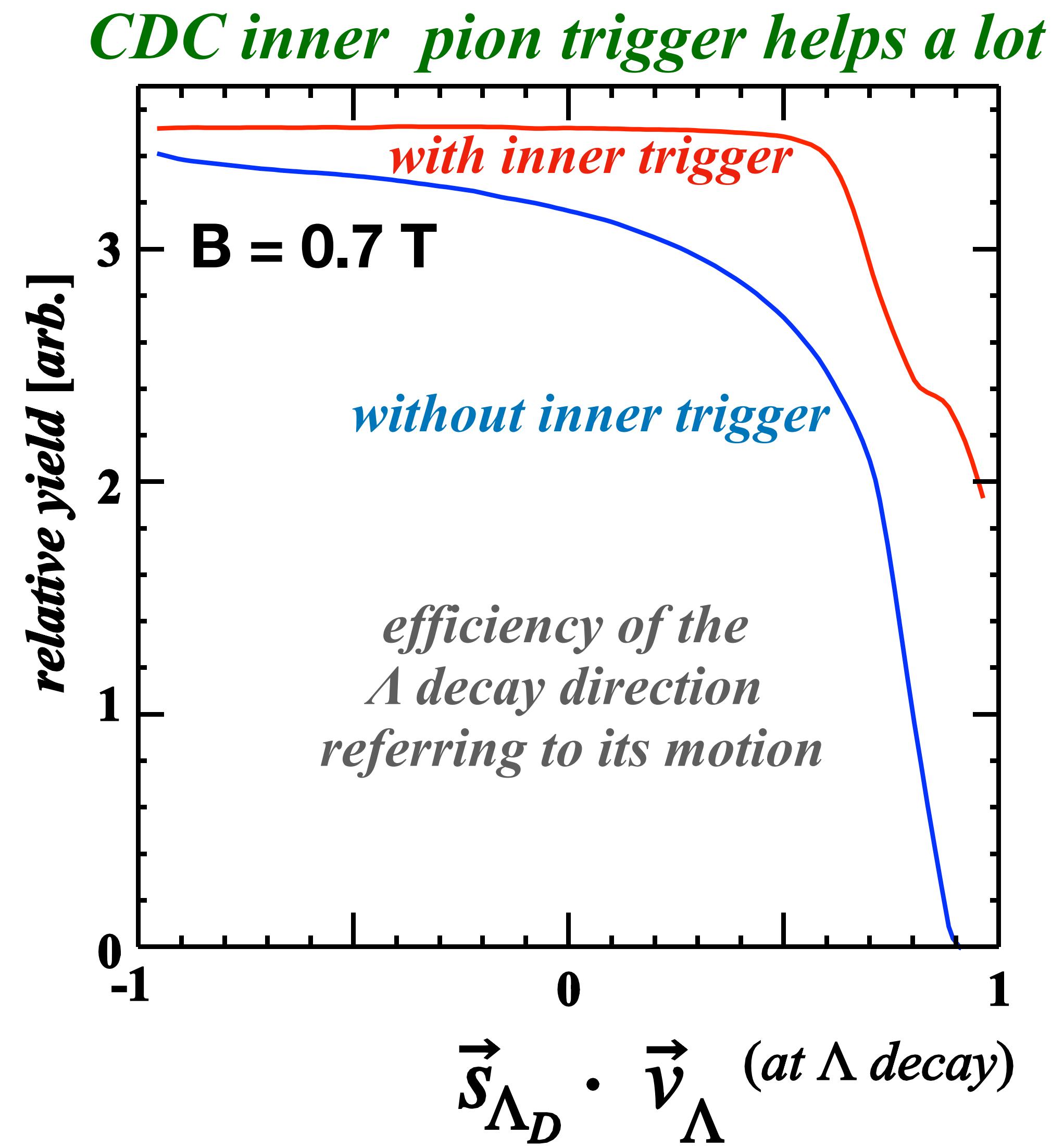
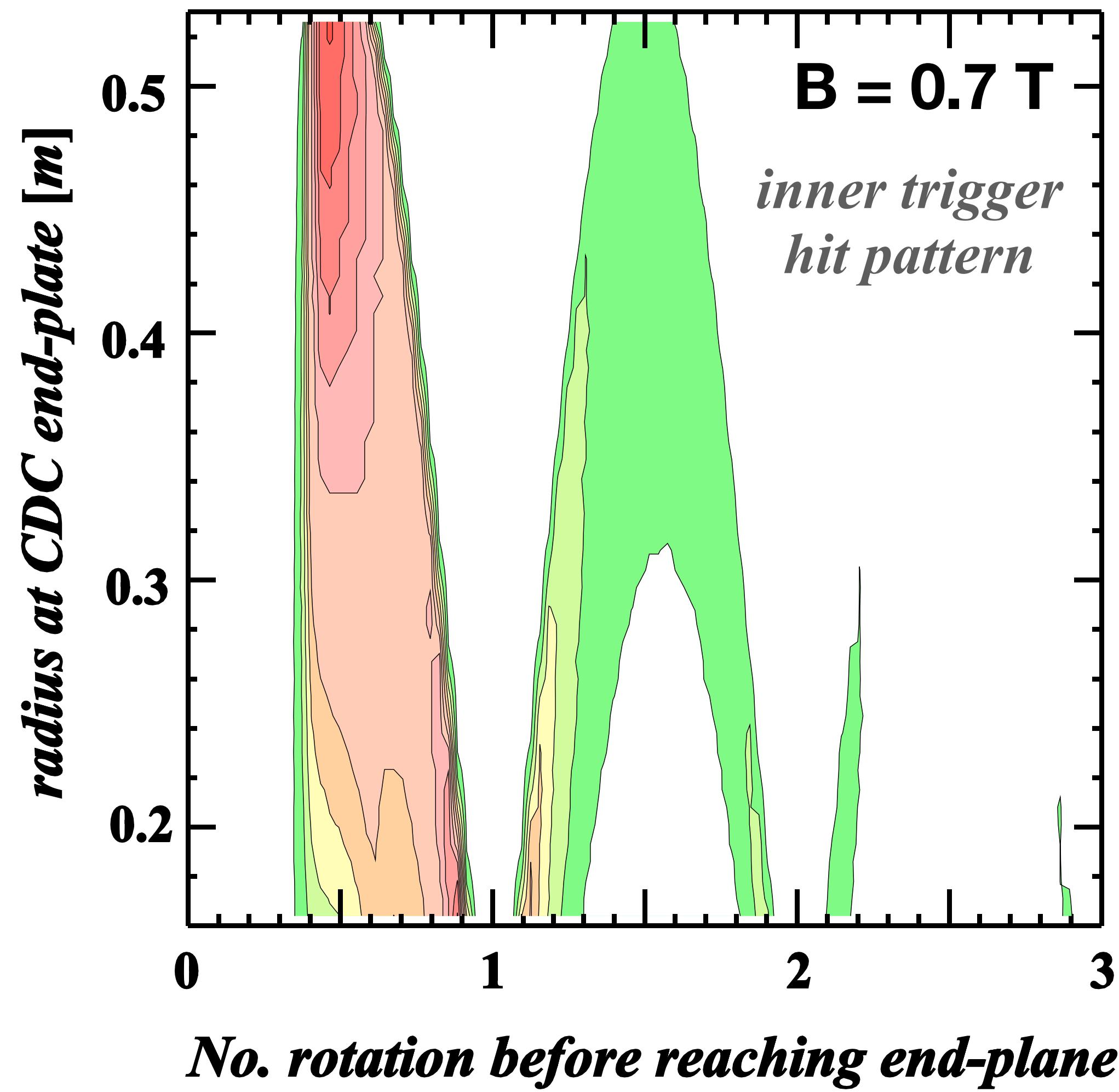


$$\begin{aligned}
 N(\theta) d\Omega &\propto (1 + \alpha_\Lambda \cos \theta) d\Omega \\
 &+ \\
 N(\theta) d\Omega &\propto (1 - \alpha_\Lambda \cos \theta) d\Omega \\
 &= \\
 N(\theta) d\Omega &\propto d\Omega
 \end{aligned}$$

**Unfortunately, no way to access quantum axes! → spin-spin**

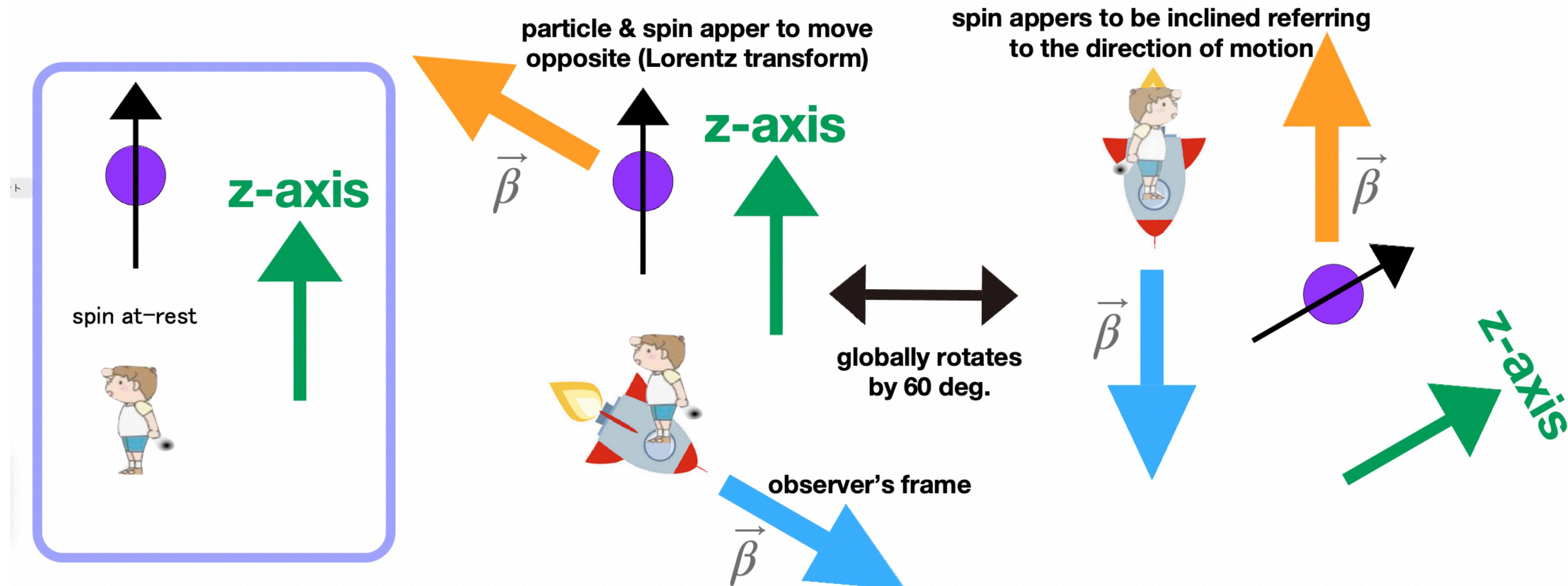
# **Appendix 5: Improved acceptance due to inner Z trigger counter**

When we trigger pion inside CDC, acceptance  
of  $\Lambda$  decay angle drastically improves

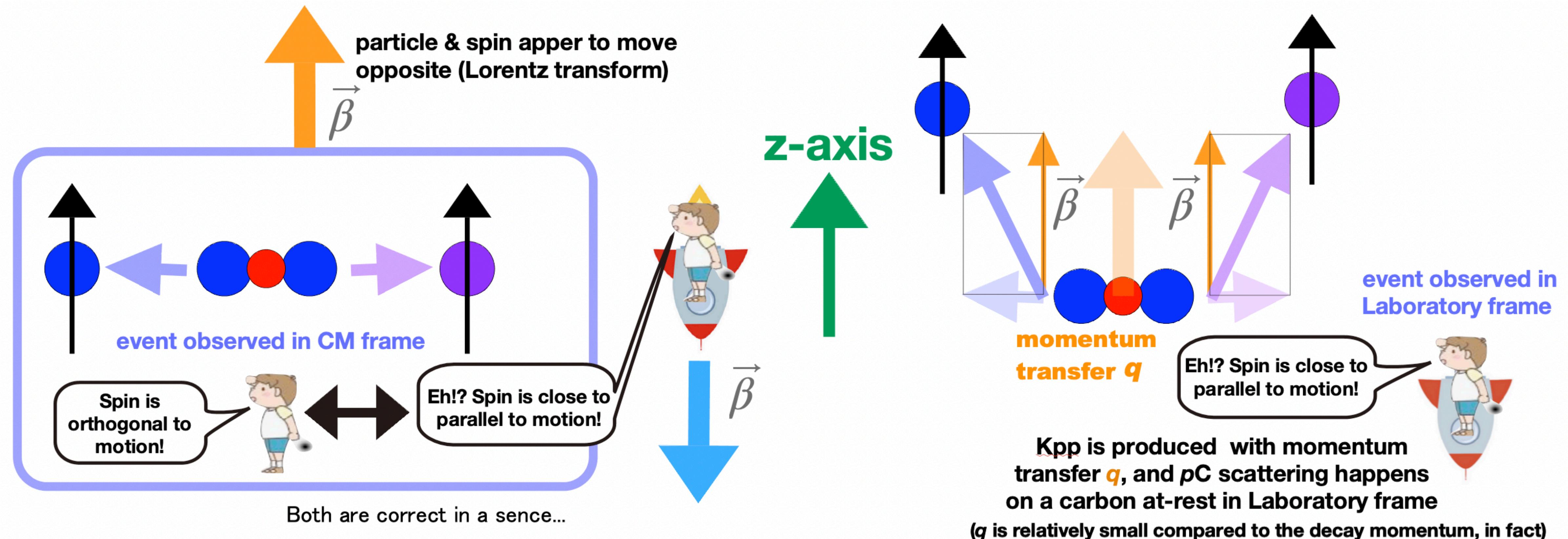


# **Appendix 6: Spin and Frame to observe that**

*Lorentz transforms do not change spin direction to the global axis, but do changes angle between spin direction and direction of motion*



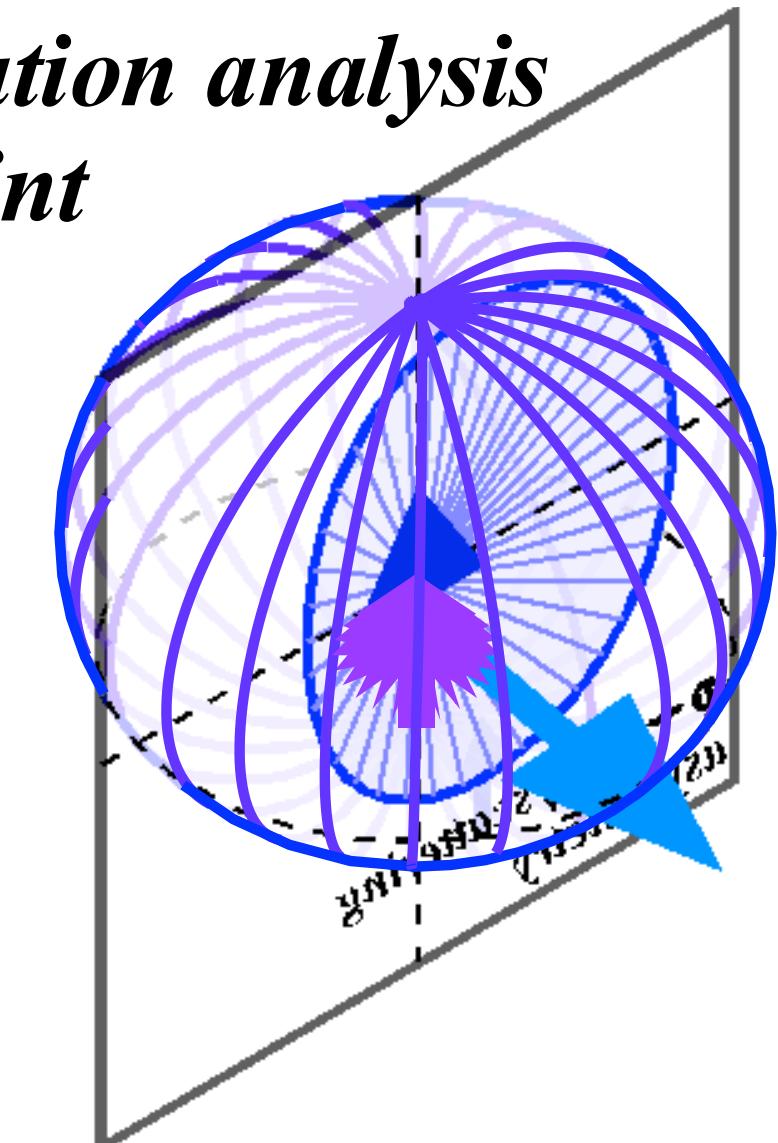
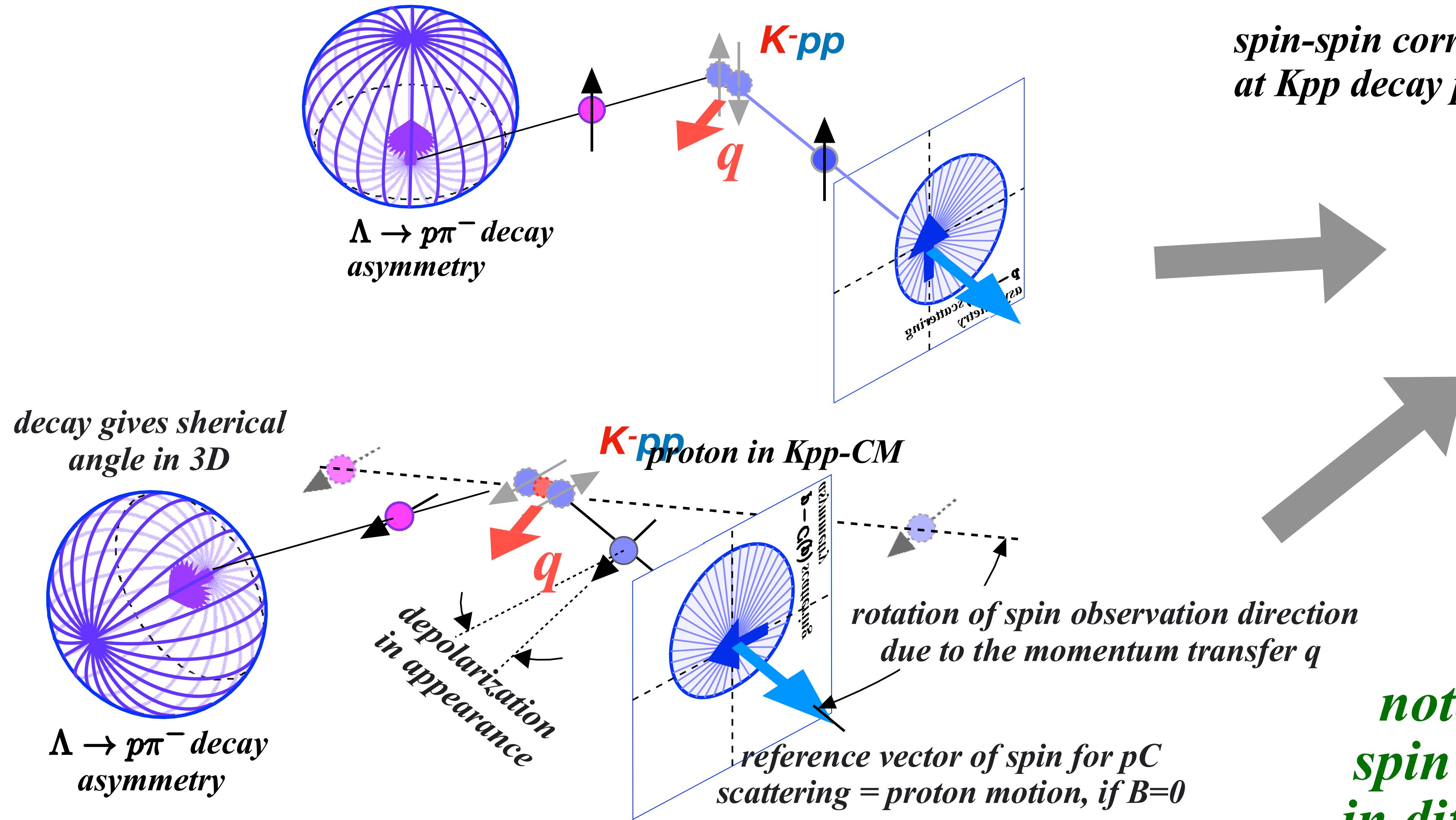
# *Lorentz transforms do not change spin direction to the global axis, but do changes angle between spin direction and direction of motion*



# $\Lambda$ -p spin correlation analysis

detail → Appendix: 6

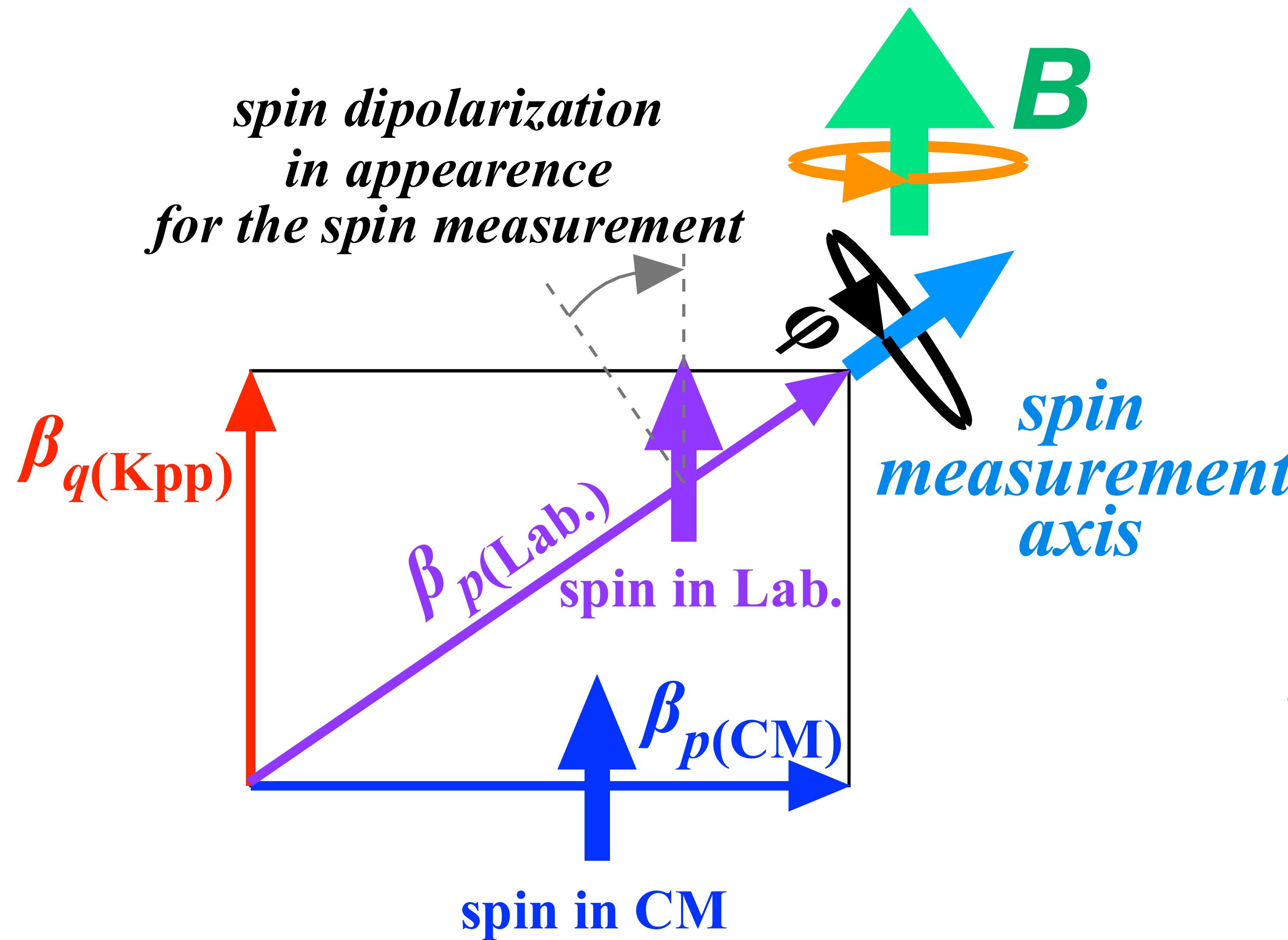
*simply compare spins on reference plane*



*A decay gives angle in 3D*

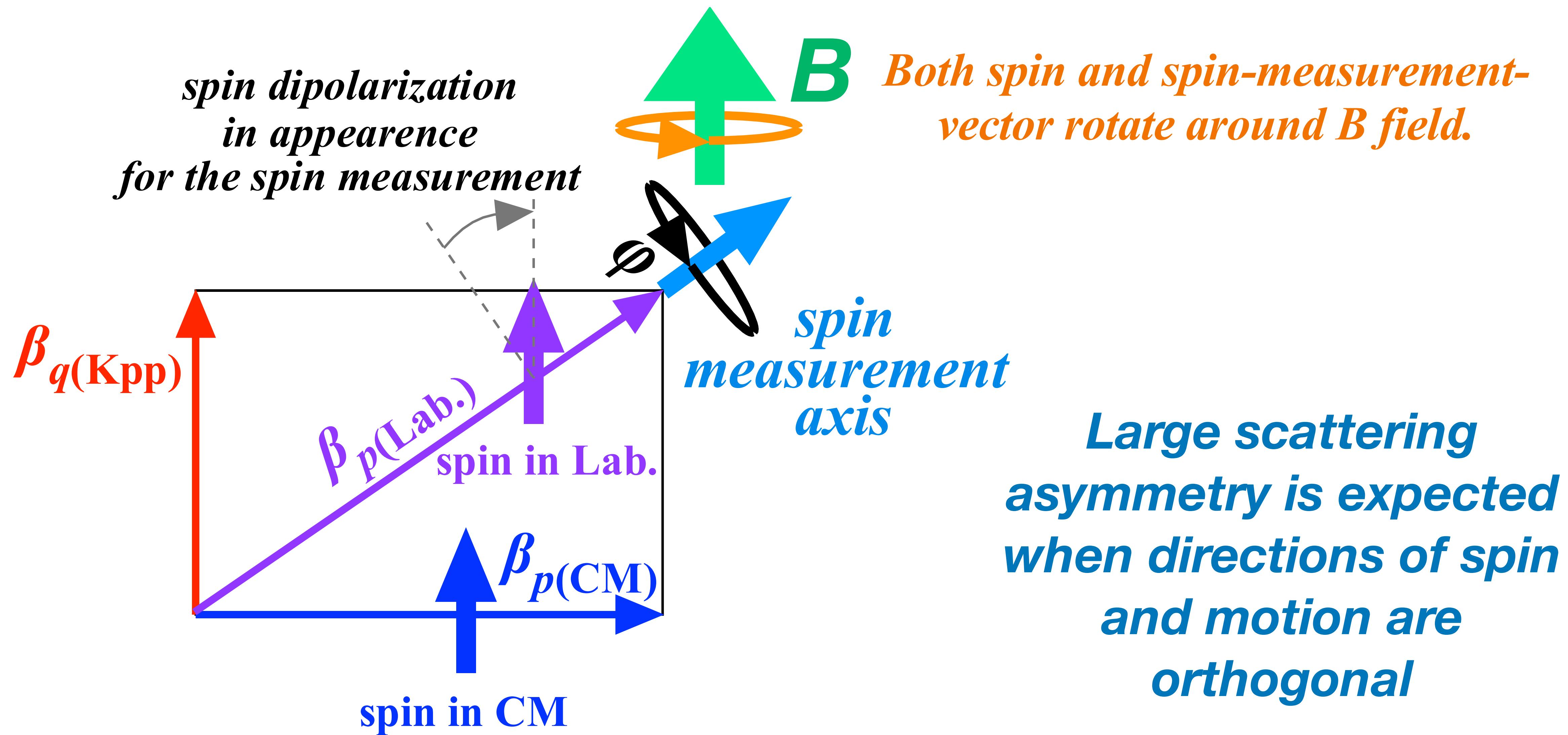
*note: Trajectory & spin rotate around  $B$  in different frequency*

# Small, but unpreferable reduction of spin correlation due to apparent depolarization

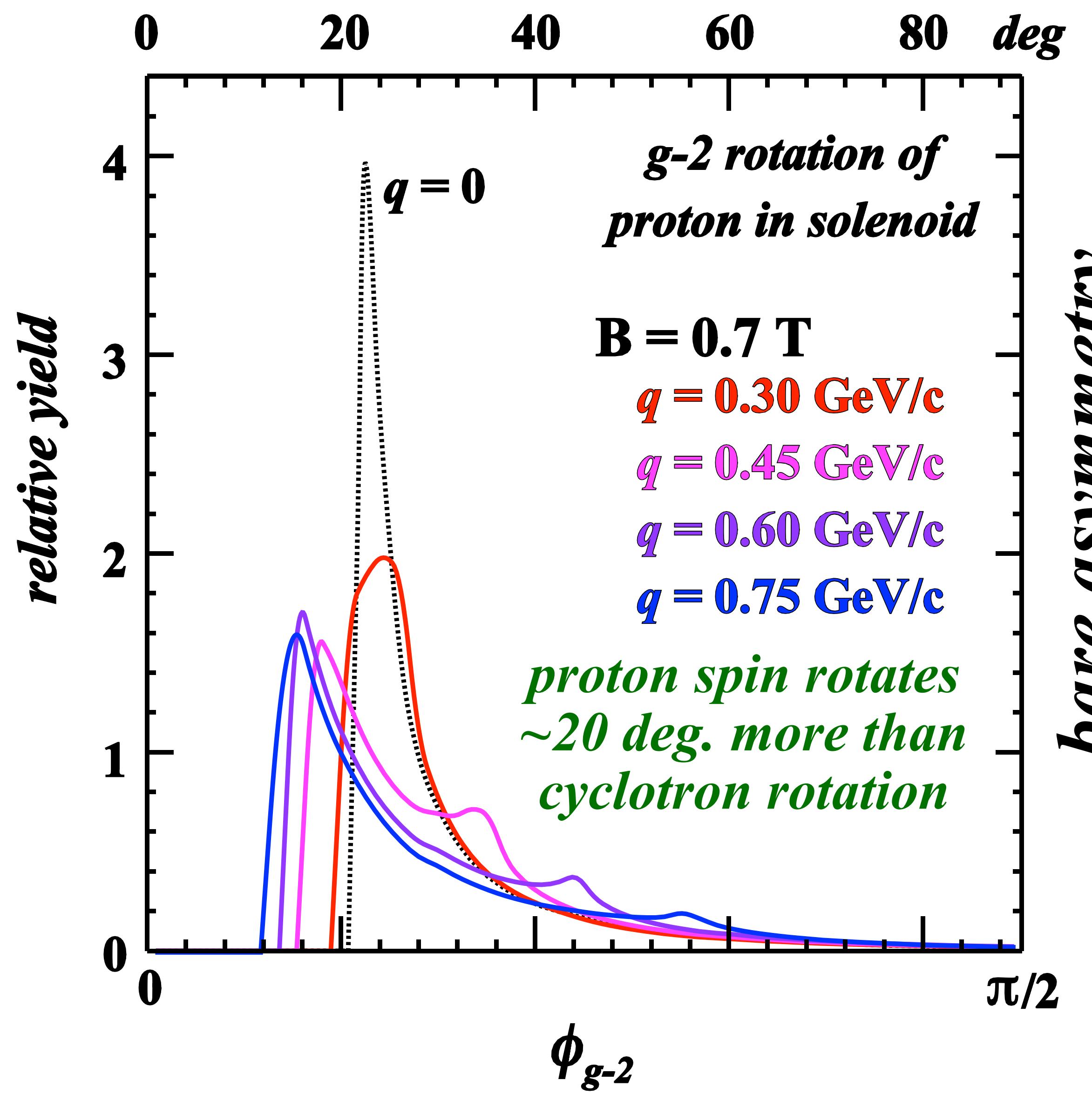


*Large scattering asymmetry is expected when directions of spin and motion are orthogonal*

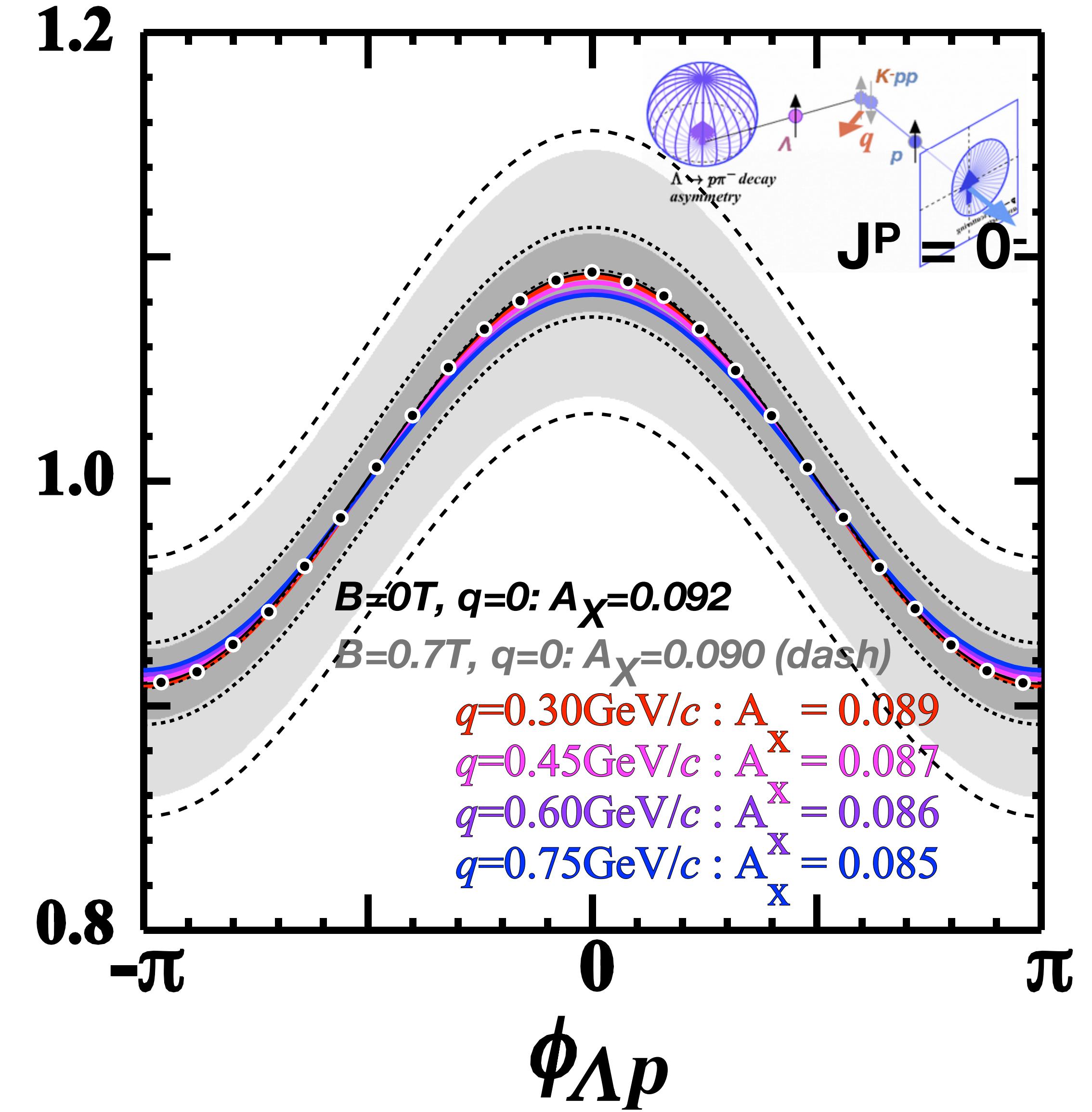
# Small, but unpreferable reduction of spin correlation due to apparent depolarization



# B field effect



*B & q effects to bare asymmetry are weak*



# **Appendix 7: Spin convolution**

**spin asymmetry around motional axis ... for  $B=0$ ,  $q=0$ , parallel ( $\vec{s}_\Lambda = \vec{s}_p$ ), but uniform**

$$P = \left( 1 + A_\Lambda \cos \underline{\theta_{(\Lambda-\Lambda_D)}} \right) \left( 1 + A_{pC} \sin \theta_\Lambda \cos(\phi_\Lambda - \phi_{pC}) \right)$$

$$\vec{s}_\Lambda(\theta_\Lambda, \phi_\Lambda) = \cos \theta_\Lambda \vec{v}_p^{(ref)} + \sin \theta_\Lambda \left( \cos(\phi_\Lambda - \phi_{\Lambda_D}) \vec{s}_{\Lambda_D}^{(proj)} + \sin(\phi_\Lambda - \phi_{\Lambda_D}) \vec{s}_{\Lambda_D}^{(ortho)} \right)$$

$$\vec{s}_{\Lambda_D}(\theta_{\Lambda_D}, \phi_{\Lambda_D}) = \cos \theta_{\Lambda_D} \vec{v}_p^{(ref)} + \sin \theta_{\Lambda_D} \vec{s}_{\Lambda_D}^{(proj)}$$

$$\underline{\cos \theta_{(\Lambda-\Lambda_D)}} = \vec{s}(\theta, \phi) \cdot \vec{s}_{\Lambda_D}(\theta_{\Lambda_D}, \phi_{\Lambda_D})$$

$$\int \cos \theta_\Lambda d(\cos \theta_\Lambda) = 0$$

$$P(\theta_{\Lambda_D}, \phi_{\Lambda_D}, \theta_\Lambda, \phi_\Lambda) = \frac{1}{(4\pi)^2} \left( 1 + A_\Lambda (\cos \theta_\Lambda \cos \theta_{\Lambda_D} + \sin \theta_\Lambda \sin \theta_{\Lambda_D} \cos(\phi_\Lambda - \phi_{\Lambda_D})) \right) \left( 1 + A_{pC} \sin \theta_\Lambda \cos(\phi_\Lambda - \phi_{pC}) \right)$$

$$\int P(\theta_{\Lambda_D}, \phi_{\Lambda_D}, \theta_\Lambda, \phi_\Lambda) d(\cos \theta_{\Lambda_D}) = P(\phi_{\Lambda_D}, \theta_\Lambda, \phi_\Lambda) \dots pC scattering do not have sensitivity in \theta_{\Lambda_D} direction$$

$$P(\phi_{\Lambda_D}, \theta_\Lambda, \phi_\Lambda) = \frac{2}{(4\pi)^2} \left( 1 + \frac{\pi}{4} A_\Lambda \sin \theta_\Lambda \cos(\phi_\Lambda - \phi_{\Lambda_D}) \right) \left( 1 + A_{pC} \sin \theta_\Lambda \cos(\phi_\Lambda - \phi_{pC}) \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{2}{(4\pi)^2} \left[ 1 + \frac{\pi}{4} A_\Lambda \sin \theta_\Lambda \cos(\phi_\Lambda - \phi_{\Lambda_D}) + A_{pC} \sin \theta_\Lambda \cos(\phi_\Lambda - \phi_{pC}) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{\pi}{4} A_\Lambda A_{pC} \sin^2 \theta_\Lambda \left\{ \cos(2\phi_\Lambda - \phi_{\Lambda_D} - \phi_{pC}) + \cos(\phi_{\Lambda_D} - \phi_{pC}) \right\} \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\int X'(\phi_\Lambda) d\phi_\Lambda = 0$$

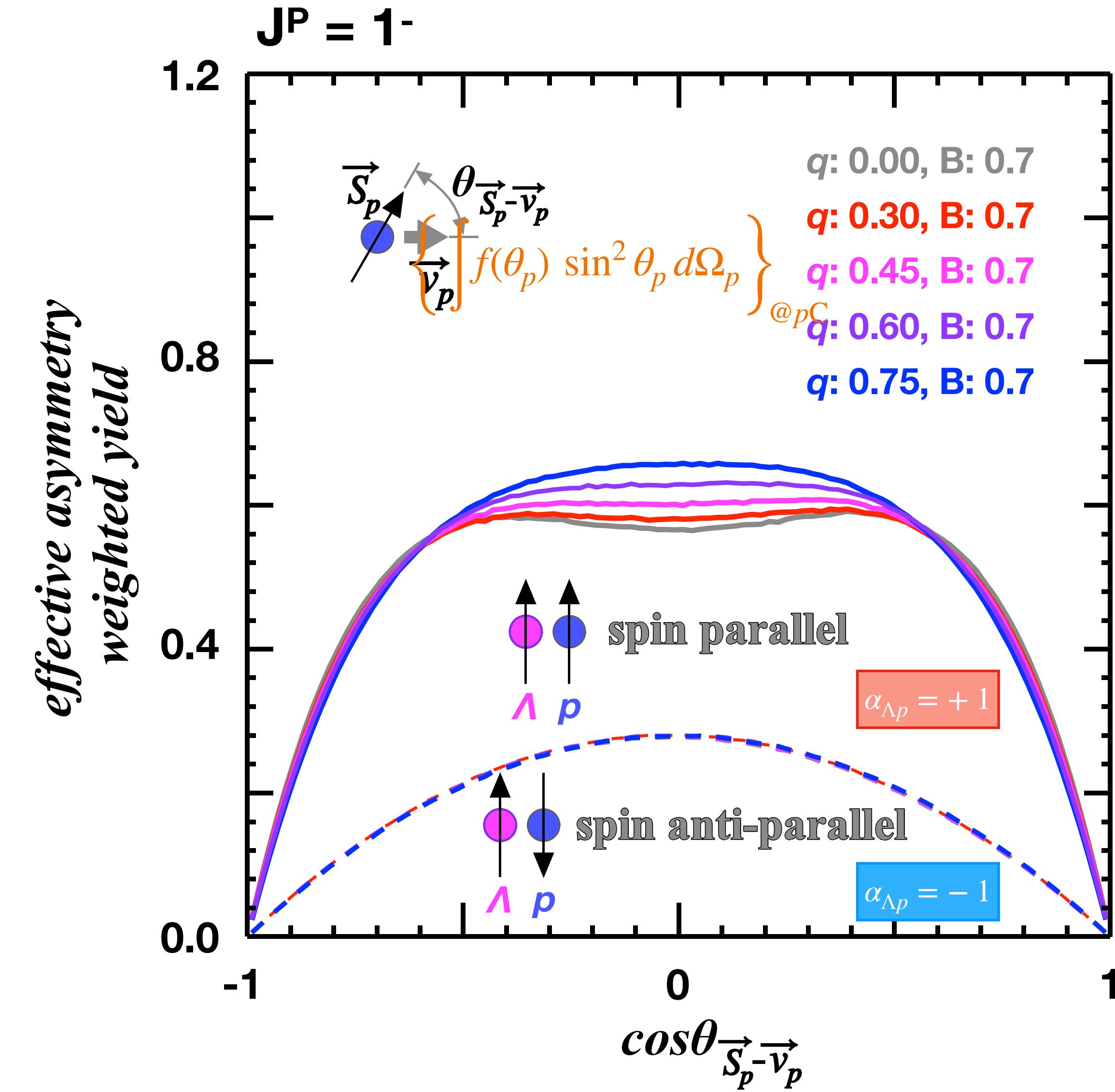
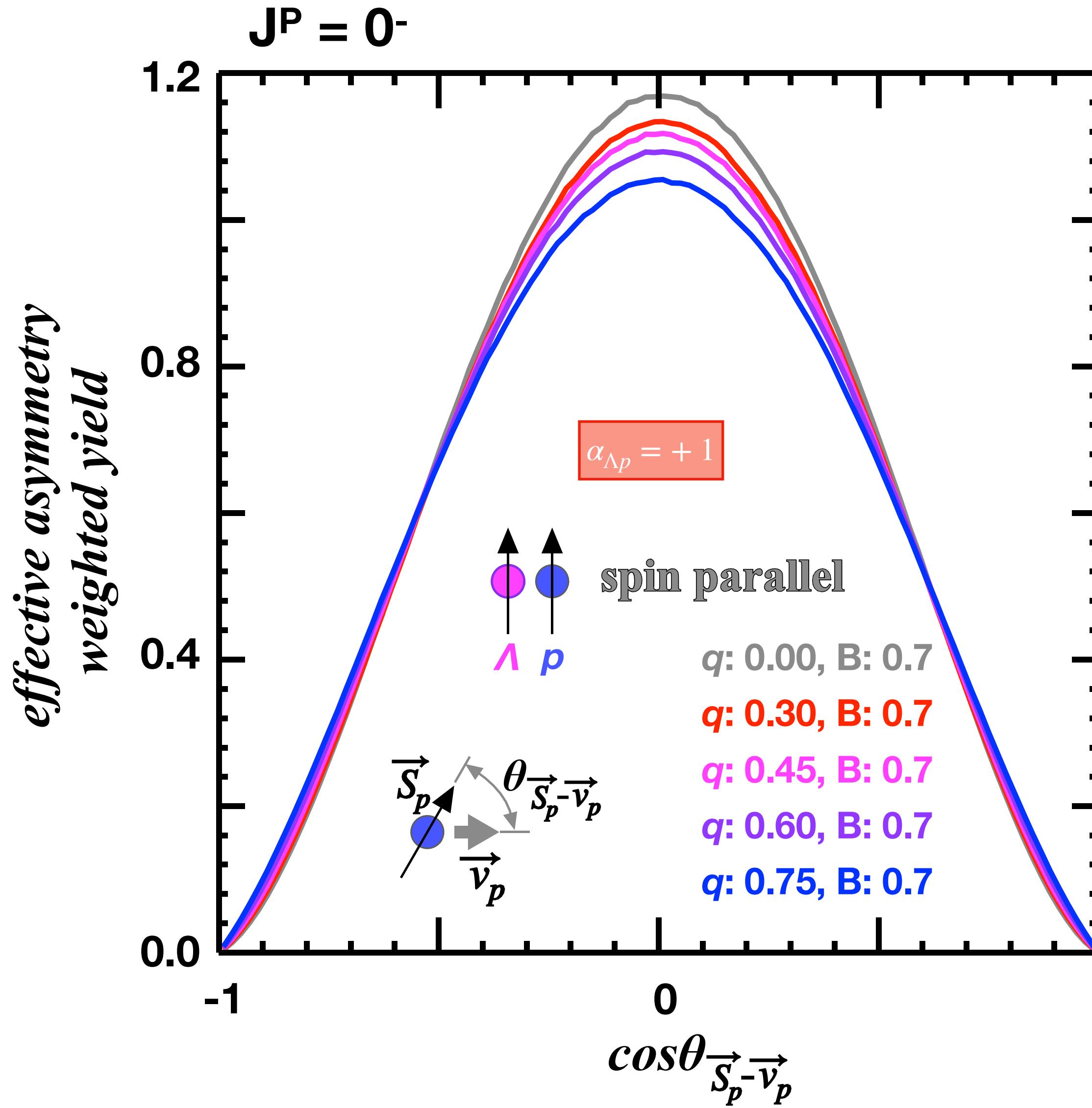
$$P(\phi_{\Lambda_D}) = \int d(\cos \theta_\Lambda) \int d\phi_\Lambda P(\phi_{\Lambda_D}, \theta_\Lambda, \phi_\Lambda) = \frac{1}{4\pi} \int d(\cos \theta_\Lambda) \left[ 1 + \frac{\pi}{4} A_\Lambda A_{pC} \sin^2 \theta_\Lambda \cos(\phi_{\Lambda_D} - \phi_{pC}) \right]$$

$$P(\phi_{\Lambda_D}) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \left( 1 + \frac{\pi}{12} A_\Lambda A_{pC} \cos(\phi_{\Lambda_D} - \phi_{pC}) \right)$$

# **Appendix 8: Simulated polarization spectra to derive**

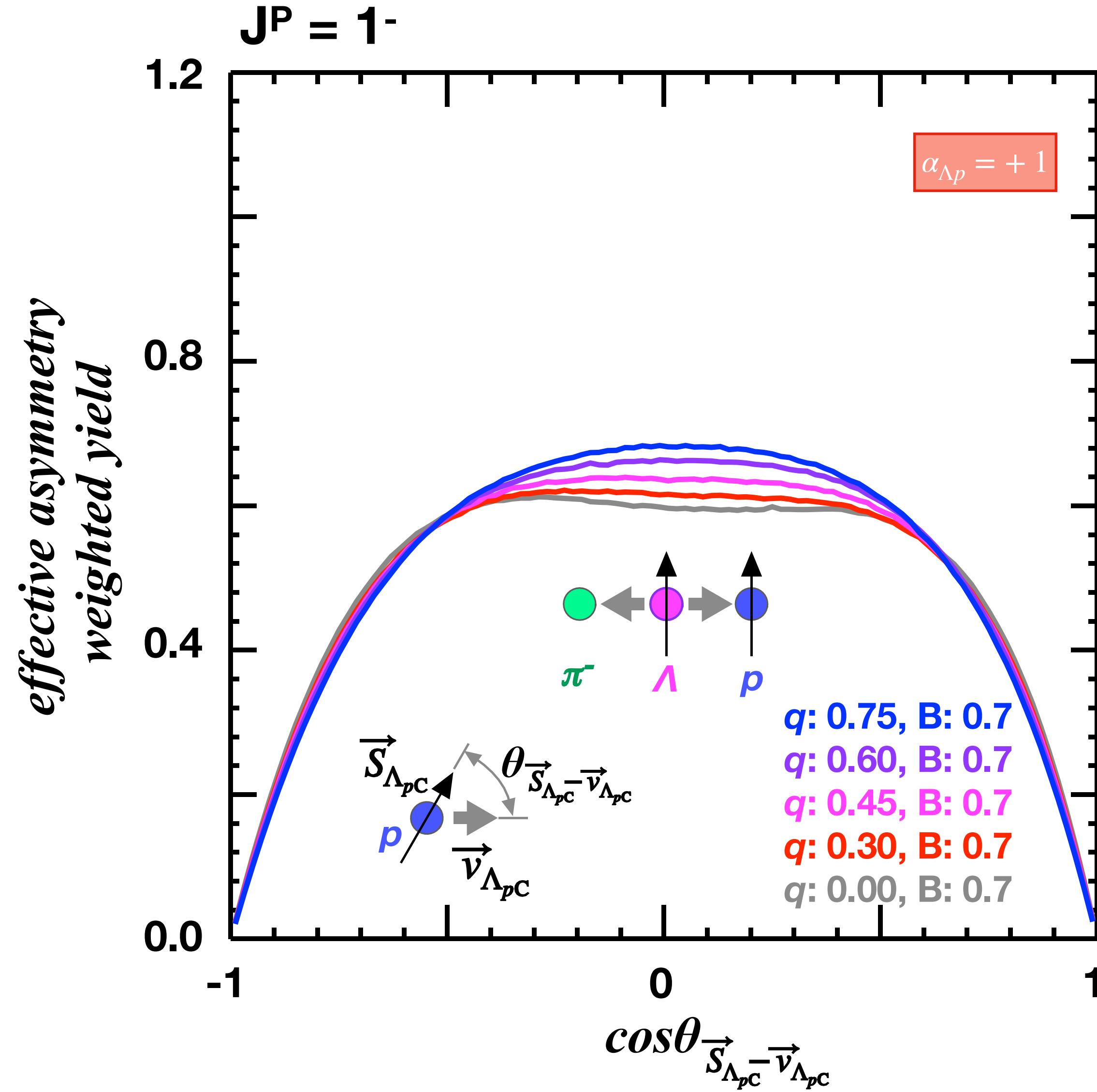
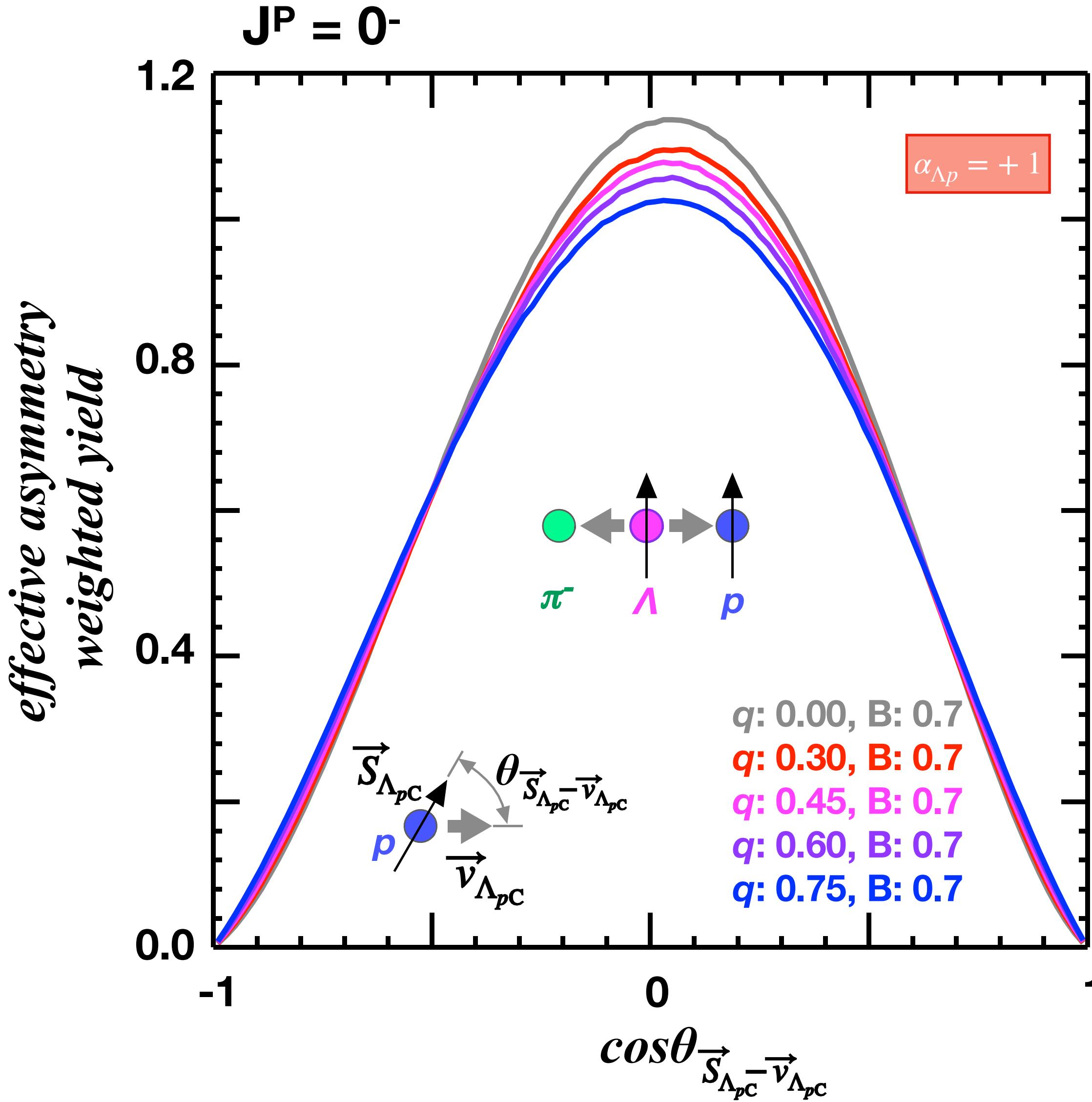
$$\mathcal{A}_{eff}(B, M, q)$$

Eff. asymmetry  $\left\{ \int f(\theta_p) \sin^2 \theta_p d\Omega_p \right\}_{@pC}$  : **p from Kpp decay**



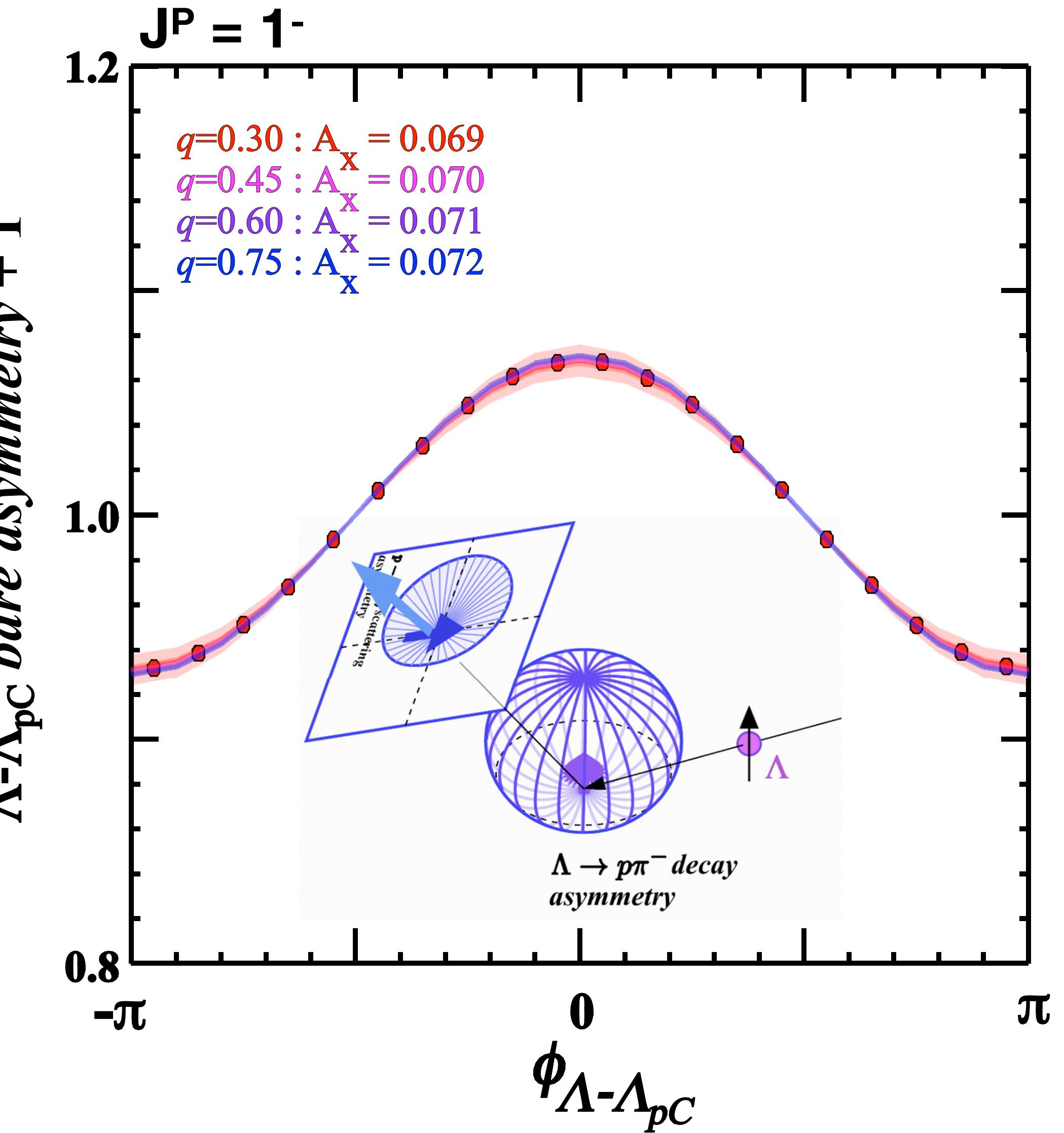
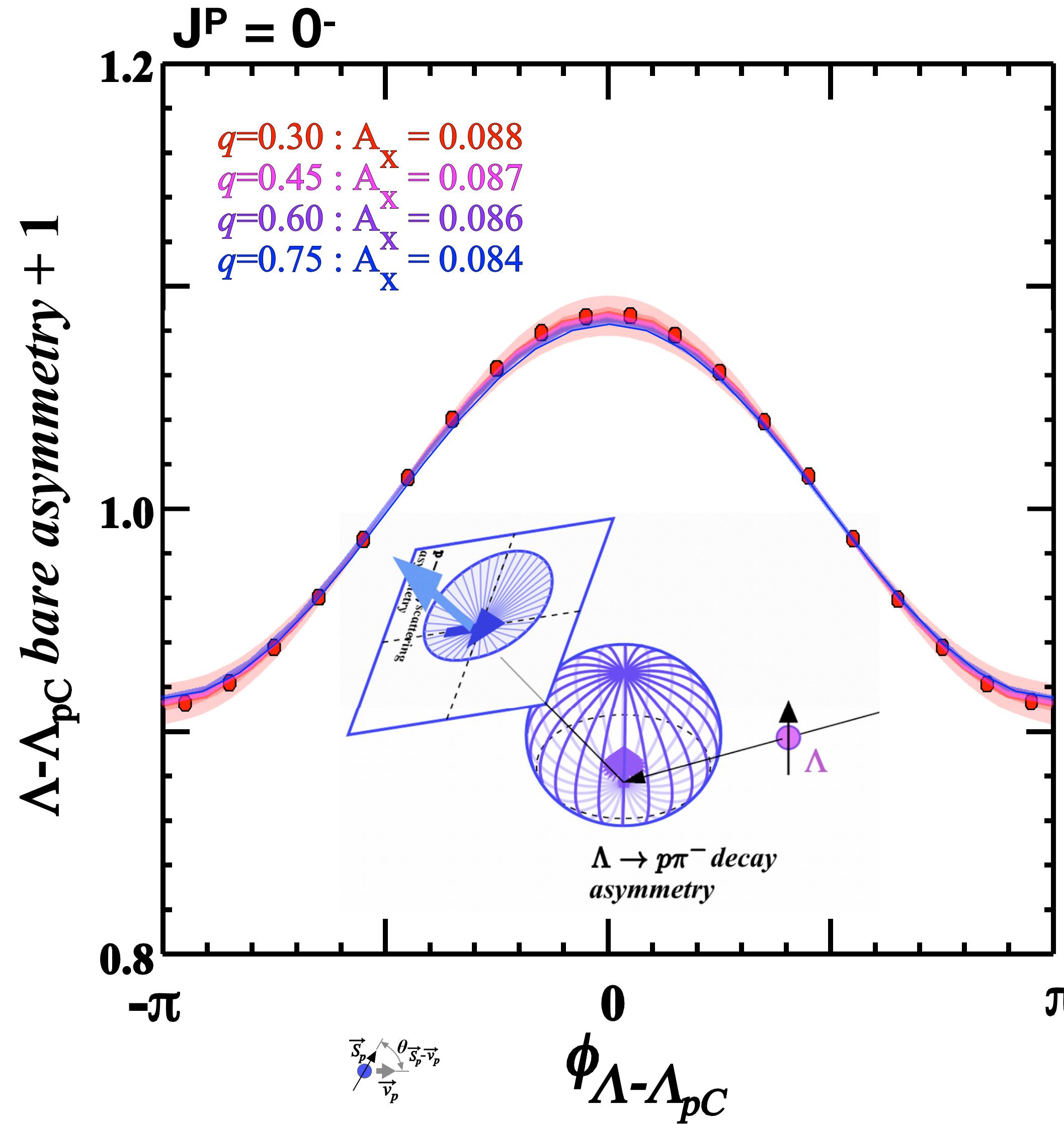
$$\text{Eff. asymmetry} \left\{ \int \left( f(\theta_{\Lambda_{pC}}) + g(\theta_{\Lambda_{pC}}) \right) \sin^2 \theta_{\Lambda_{pC}} d\Omega_{\Lambda_{pC}} \right\}_{@pC}$$

**p from  $\Lambda$  decay**



# $\Lambda$ - $\Lambda_{pC}$ data for self-calibration of asymmetries

*correlation of observed spins by  $\Lambda$  decay and  $pC$  scattering*



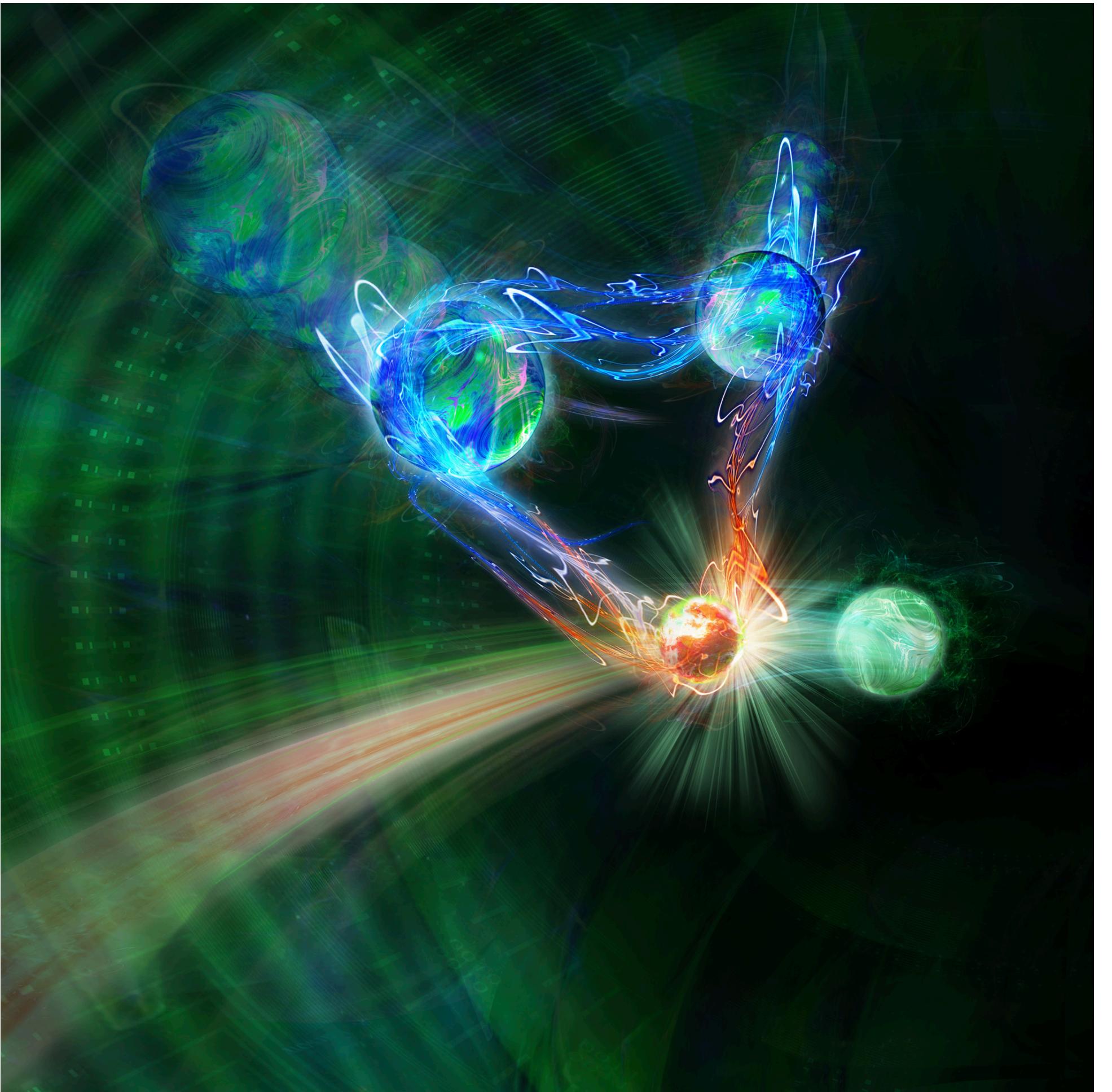
# **Appendix 9: K-pp observed in E15**

# “K<sup>-</sup>pp” search

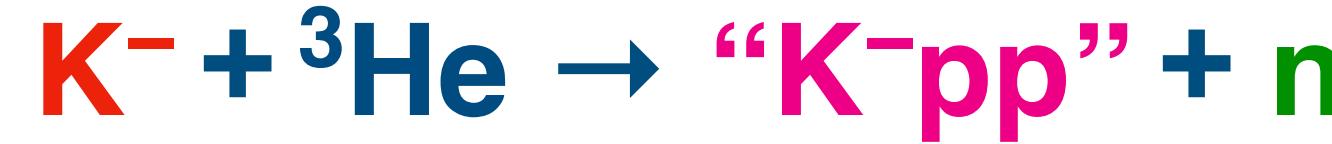


via  $\bar{K}N \rightarrow \bar{K}N$  reaction

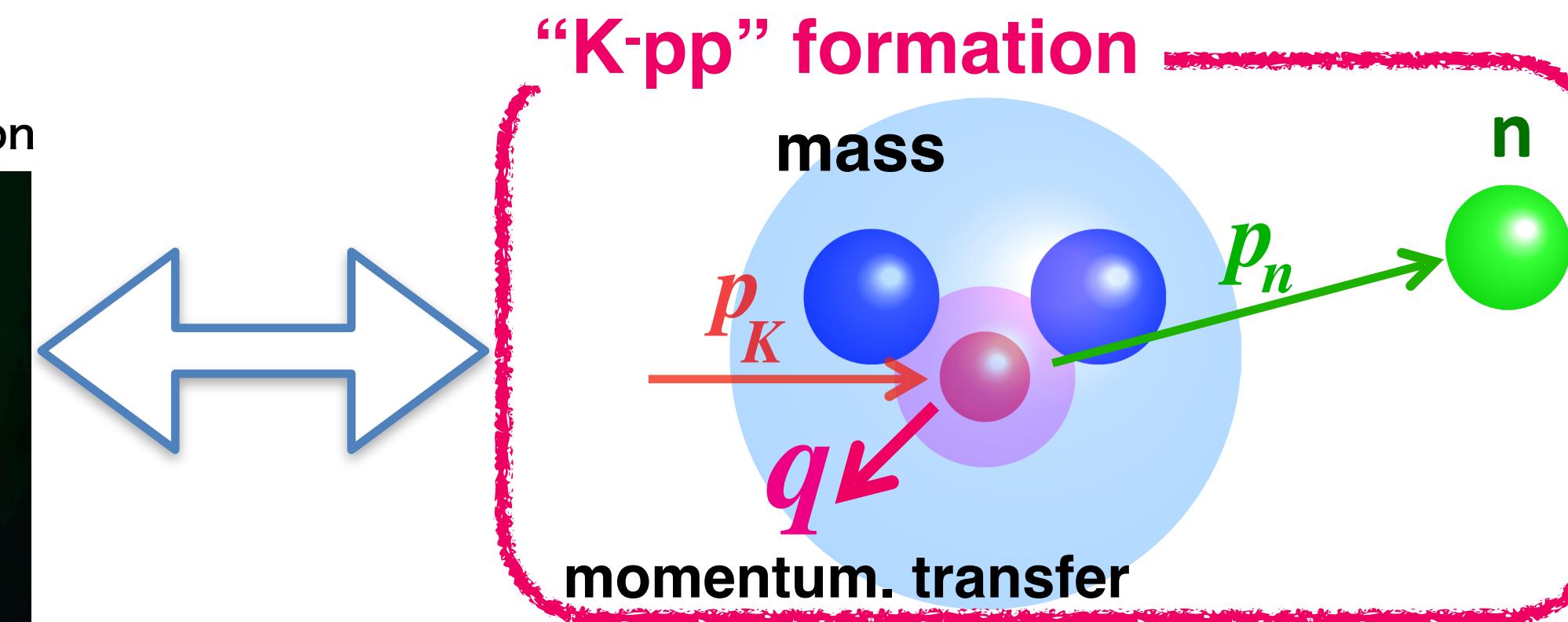
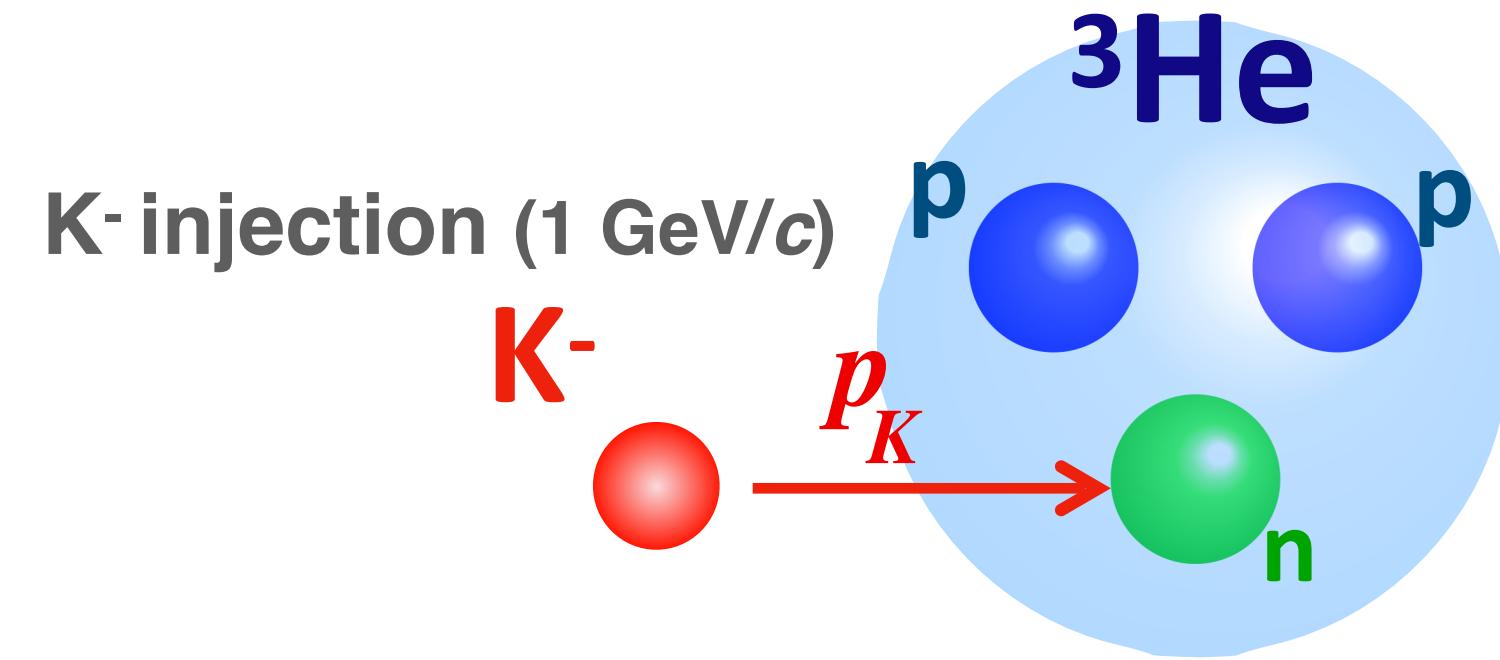
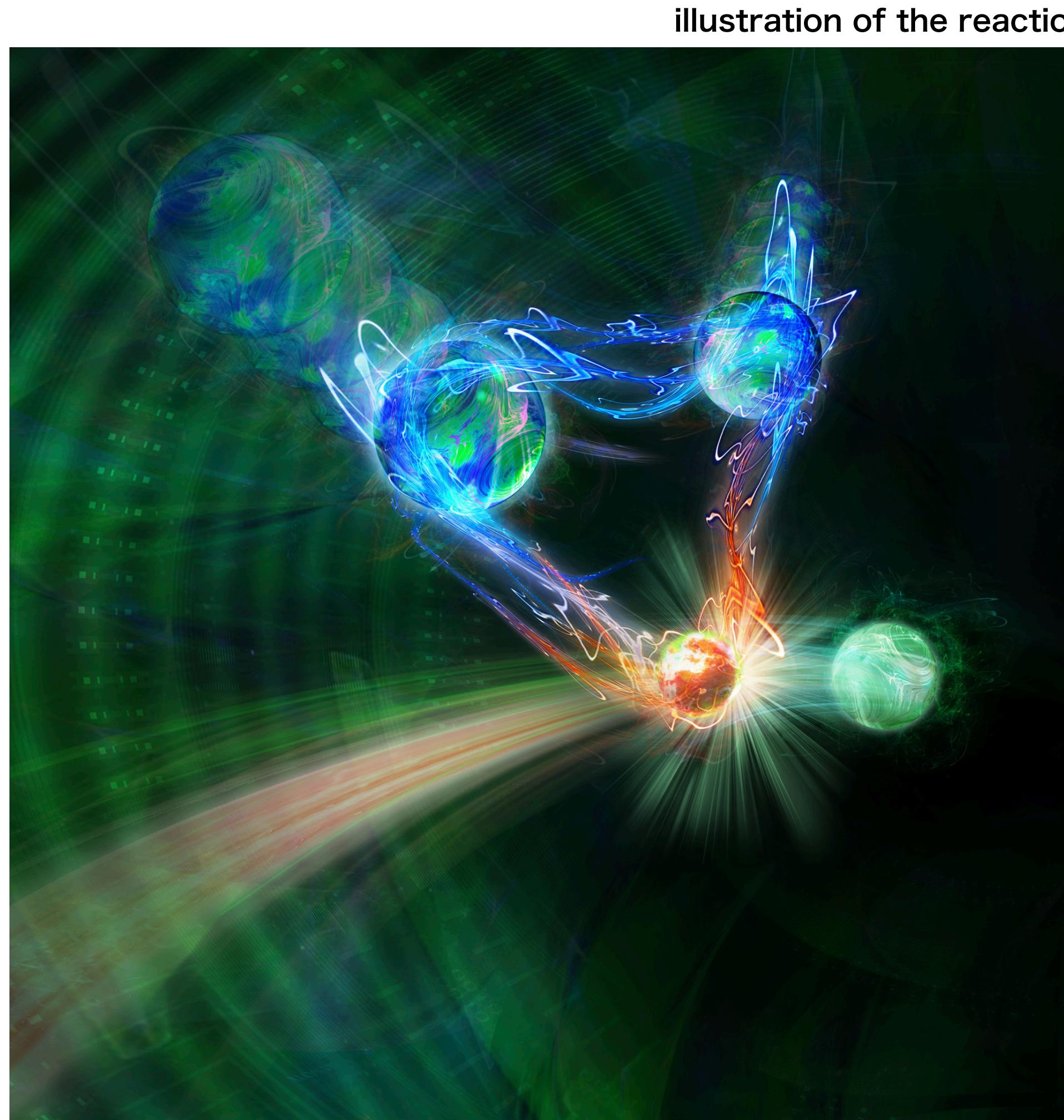
illustration of the reaction



# “K<sup>-</sup>pp” search



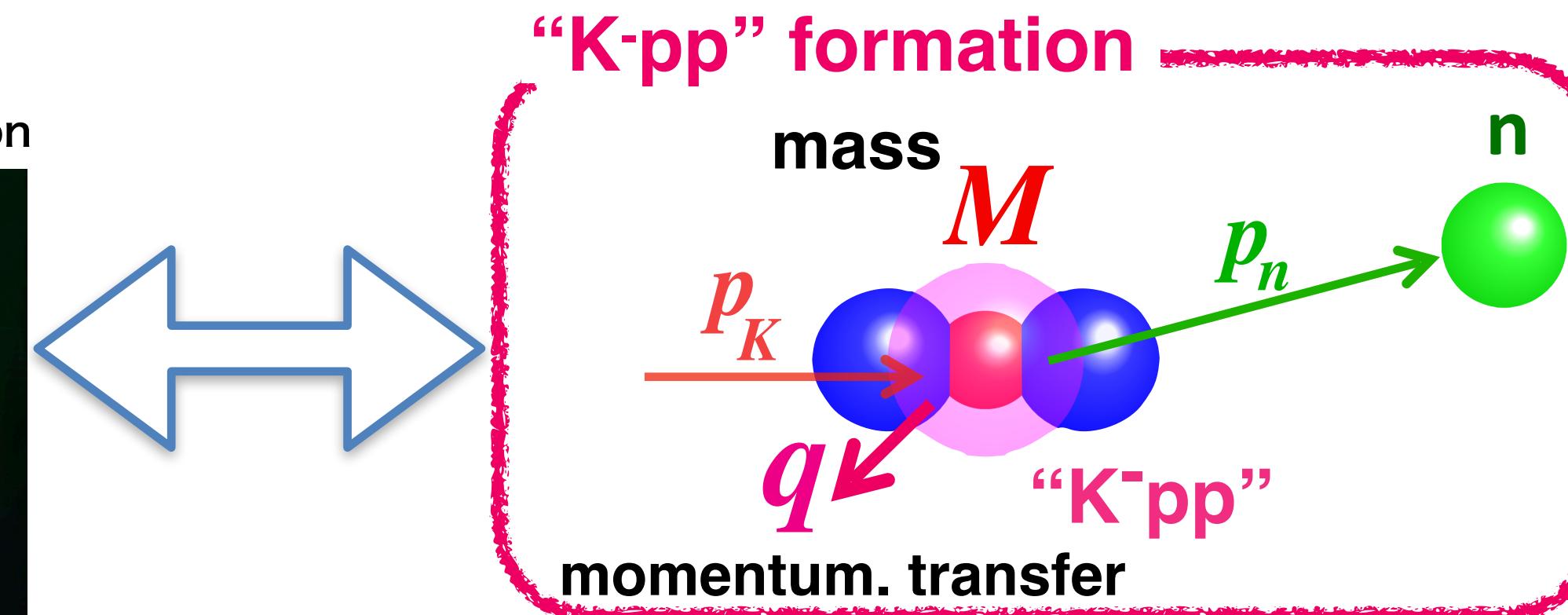
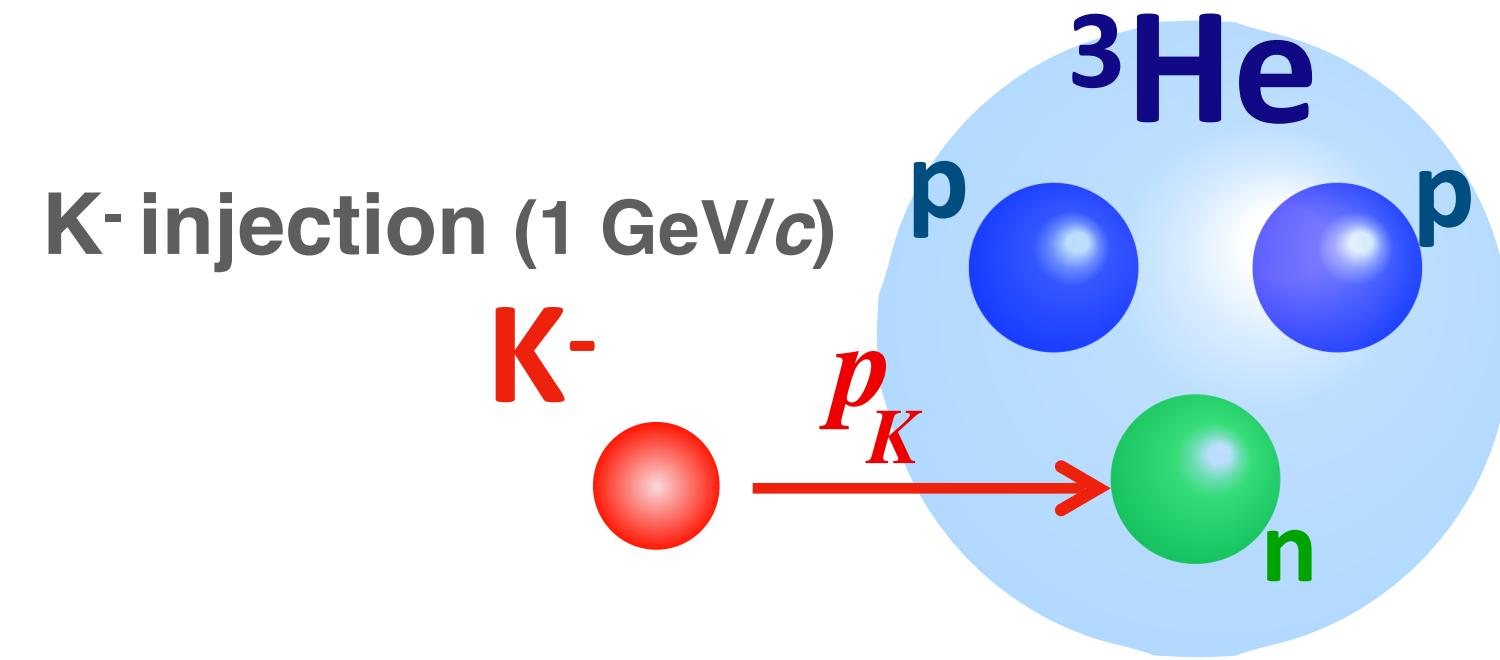
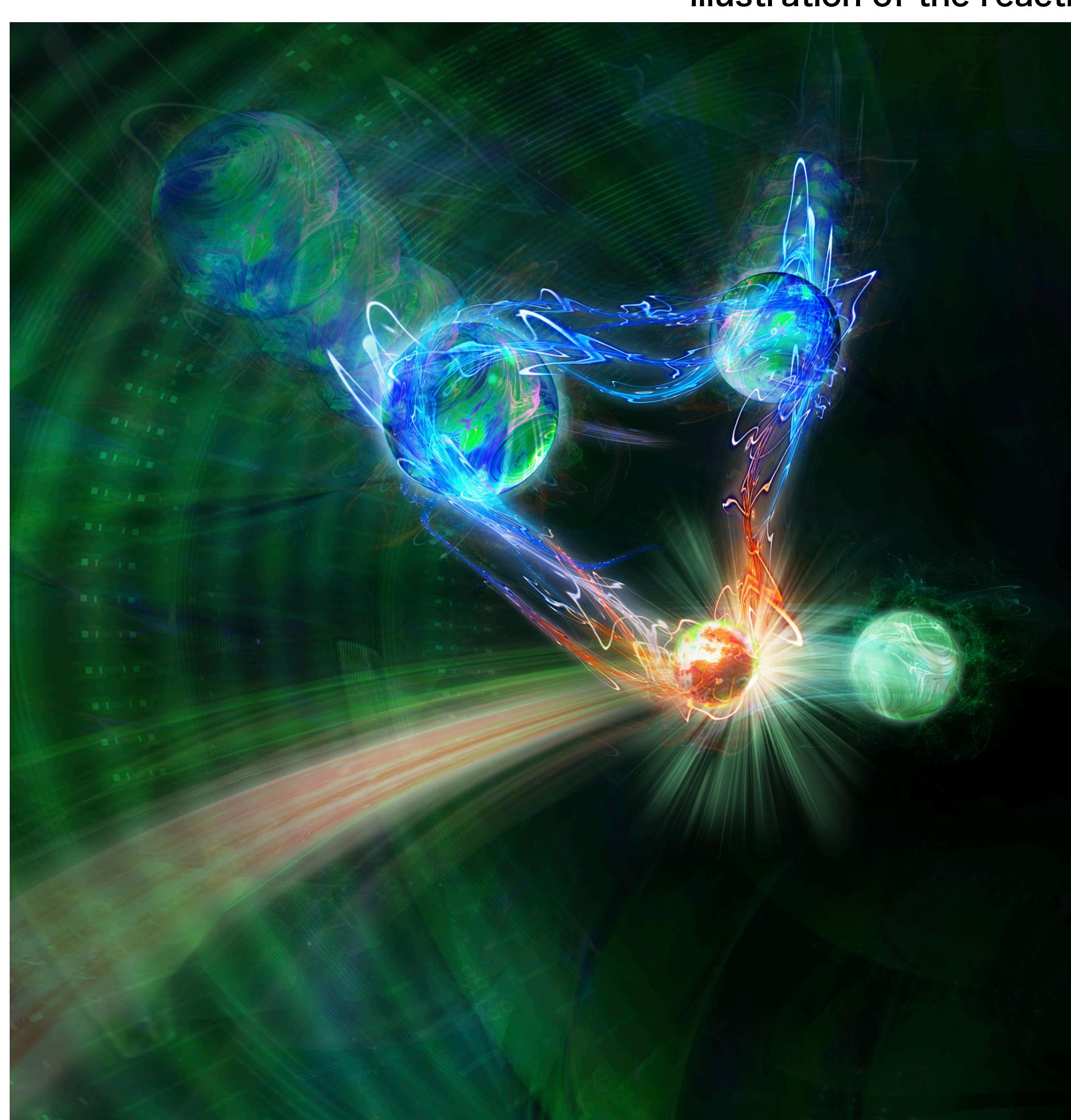
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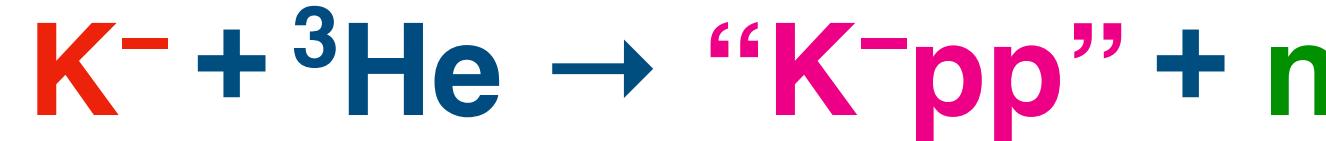
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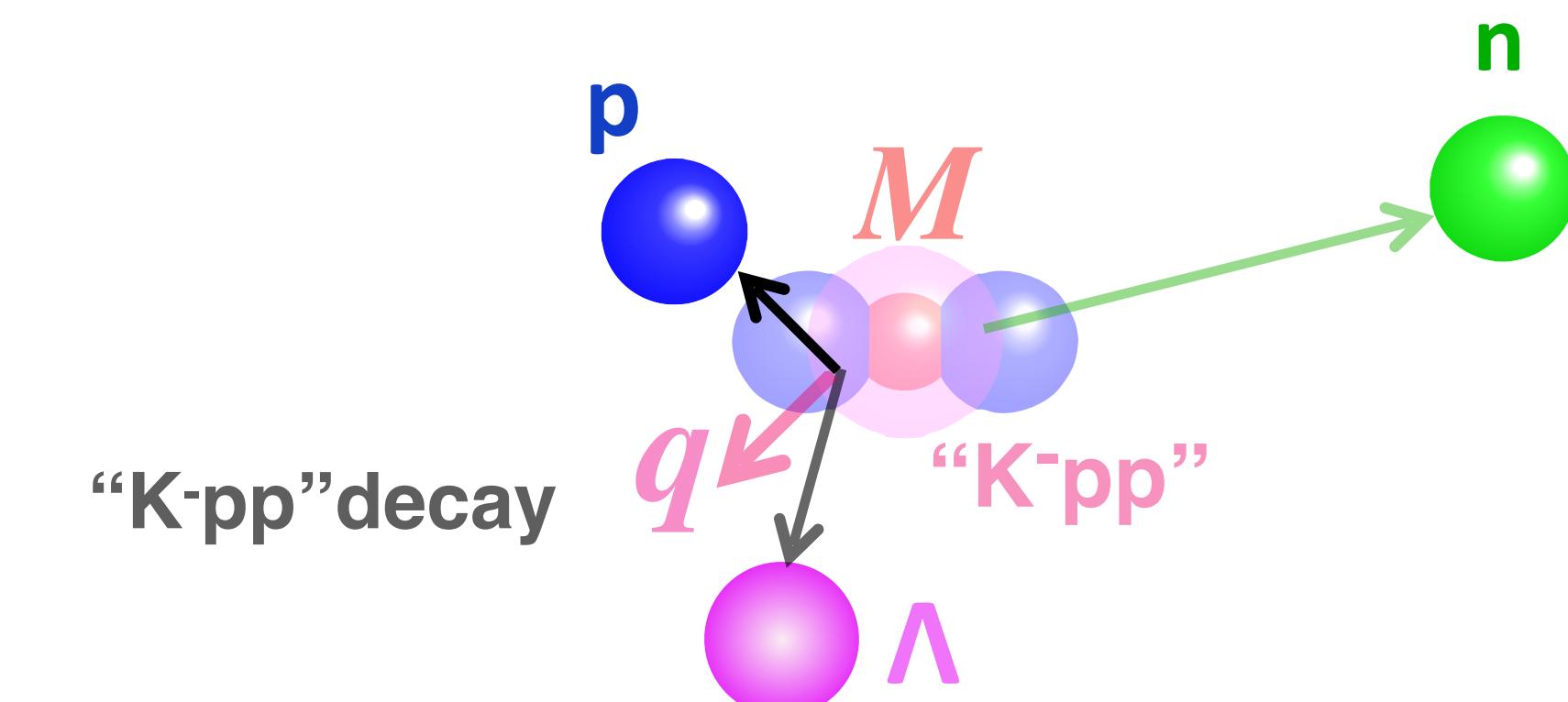
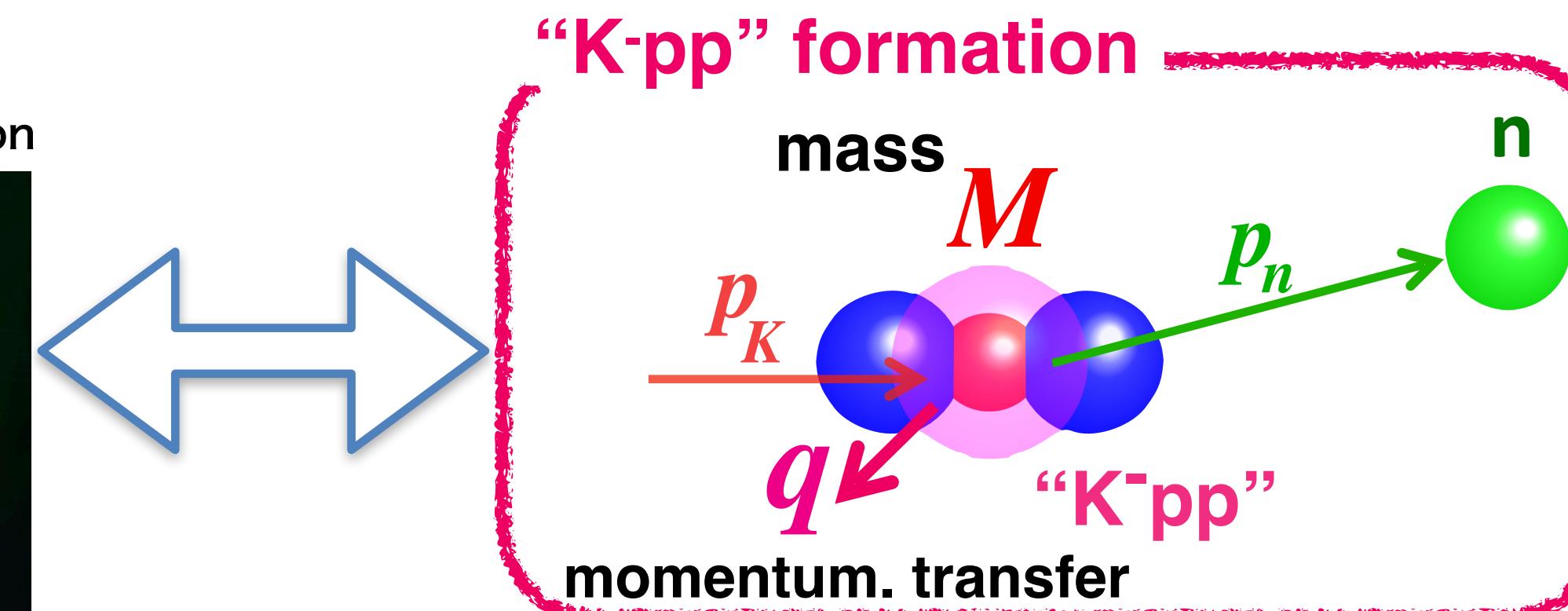
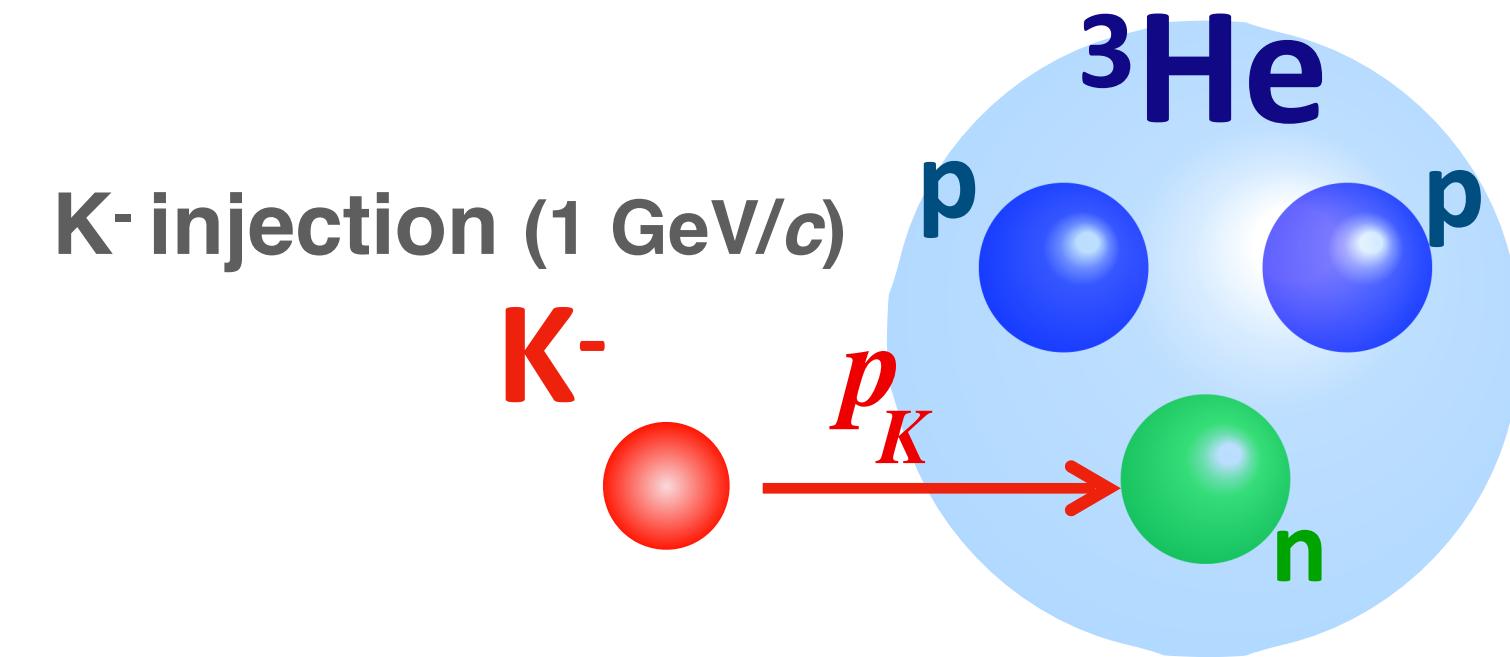
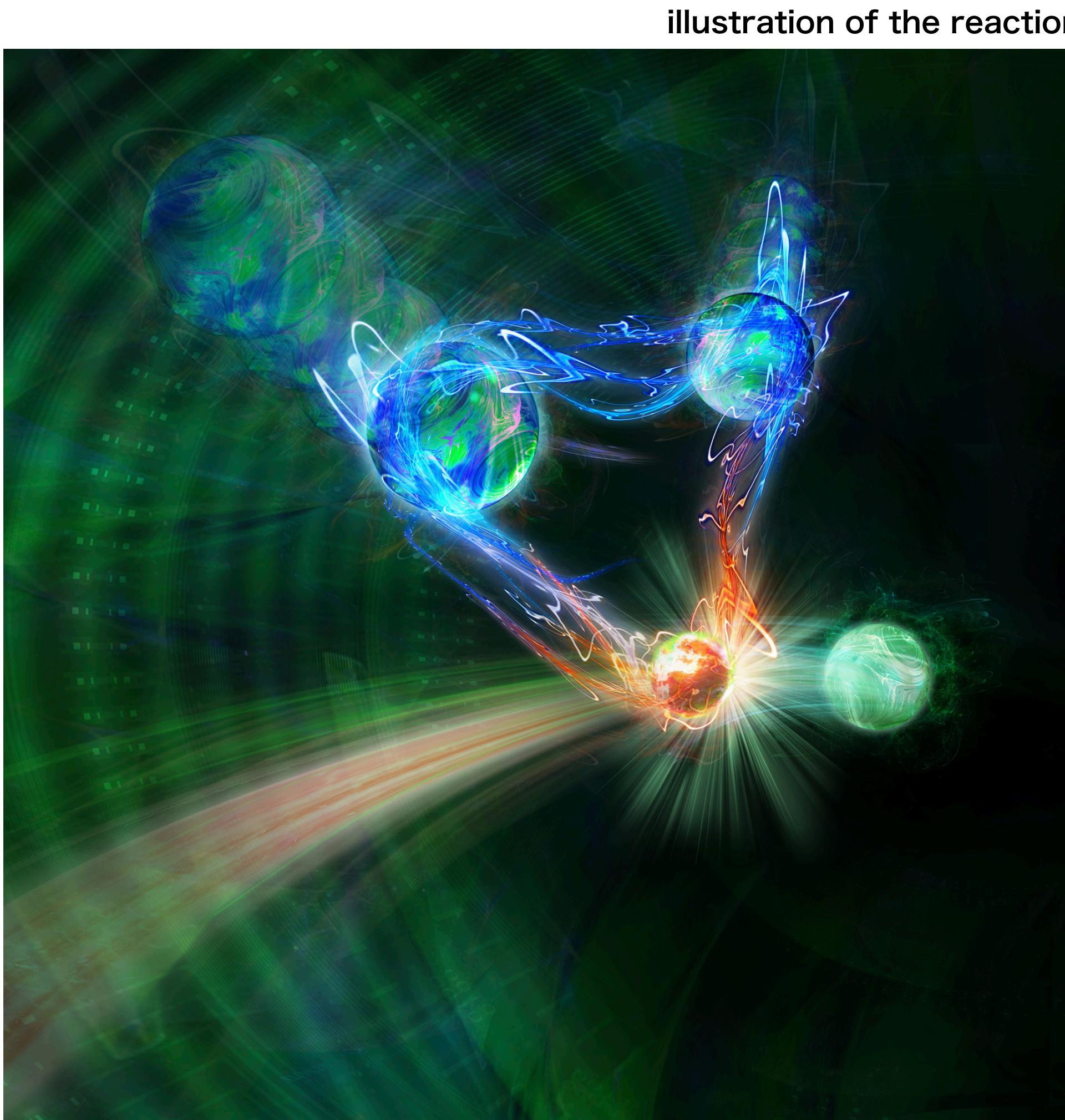
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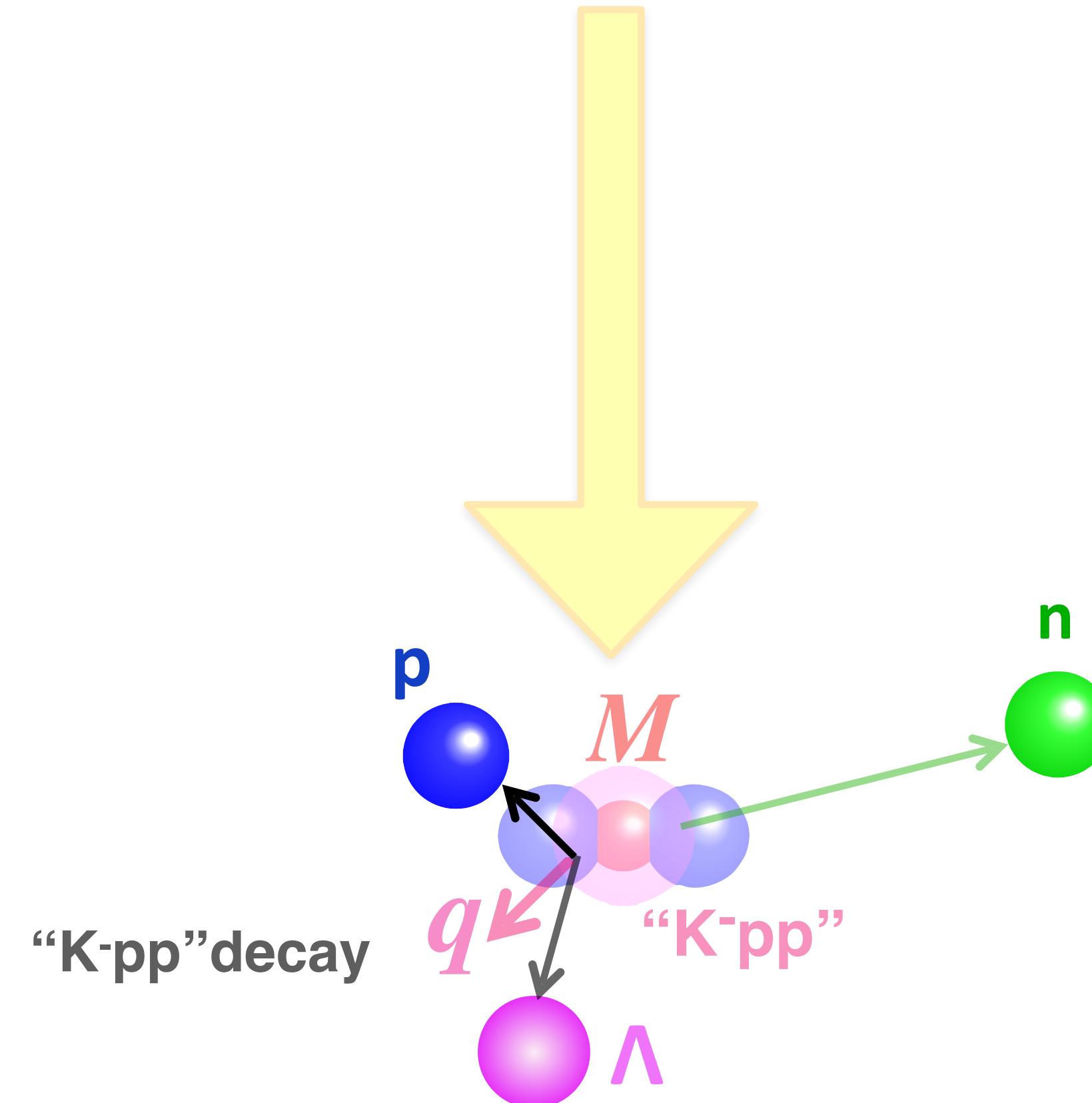
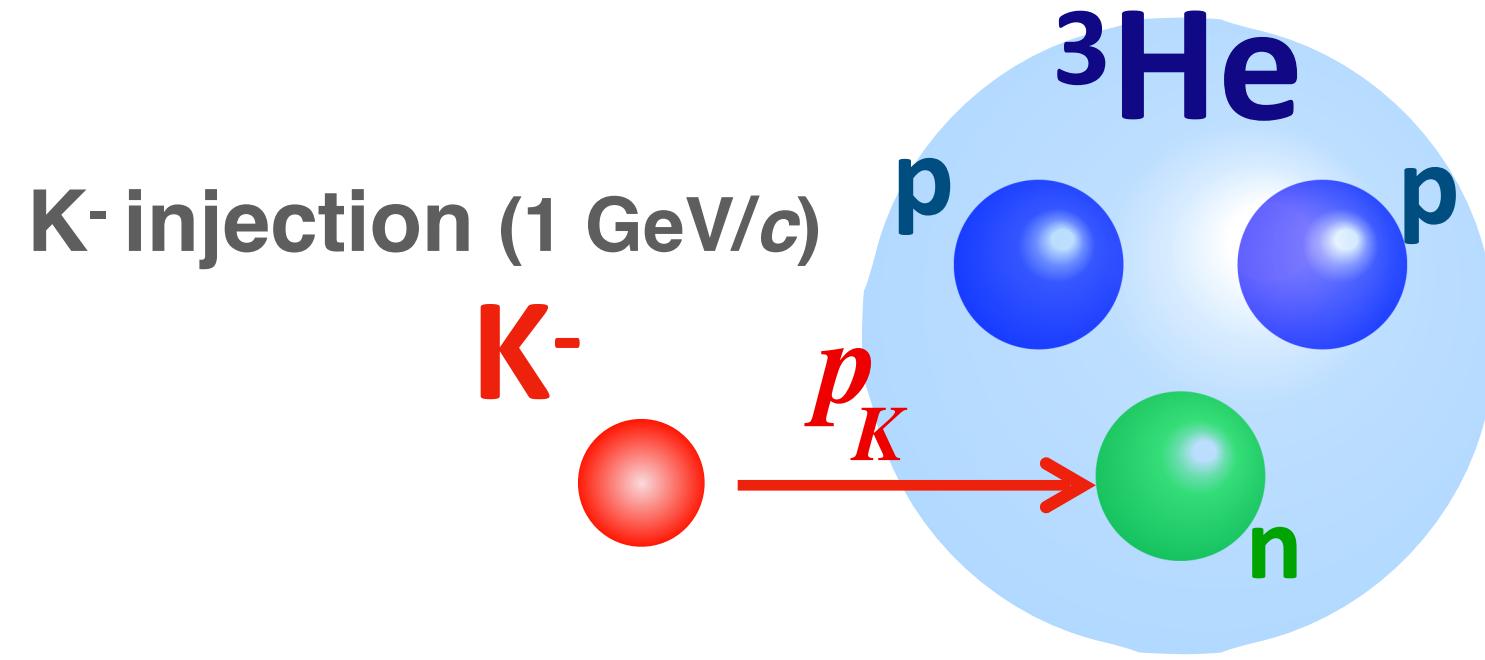
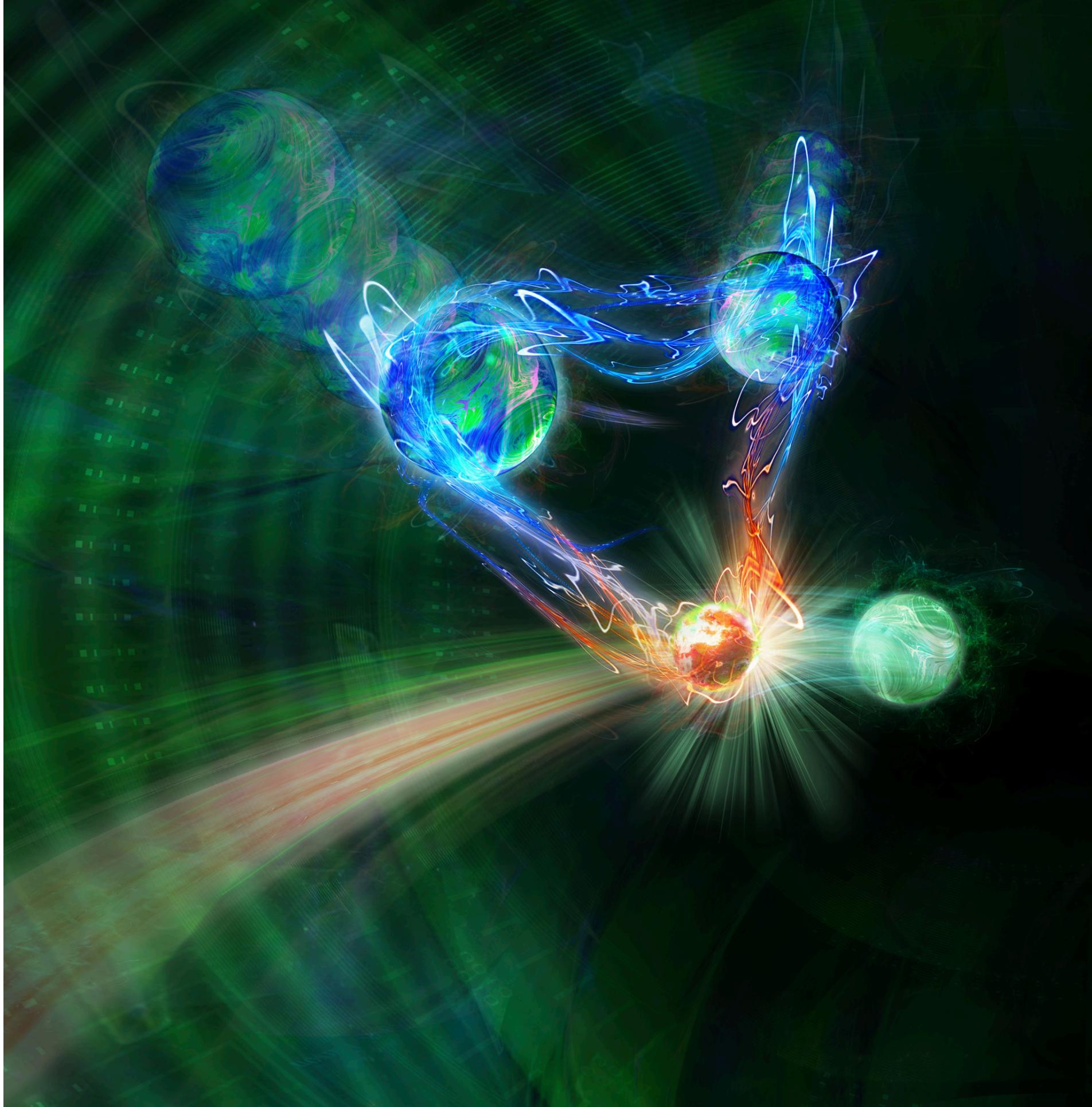


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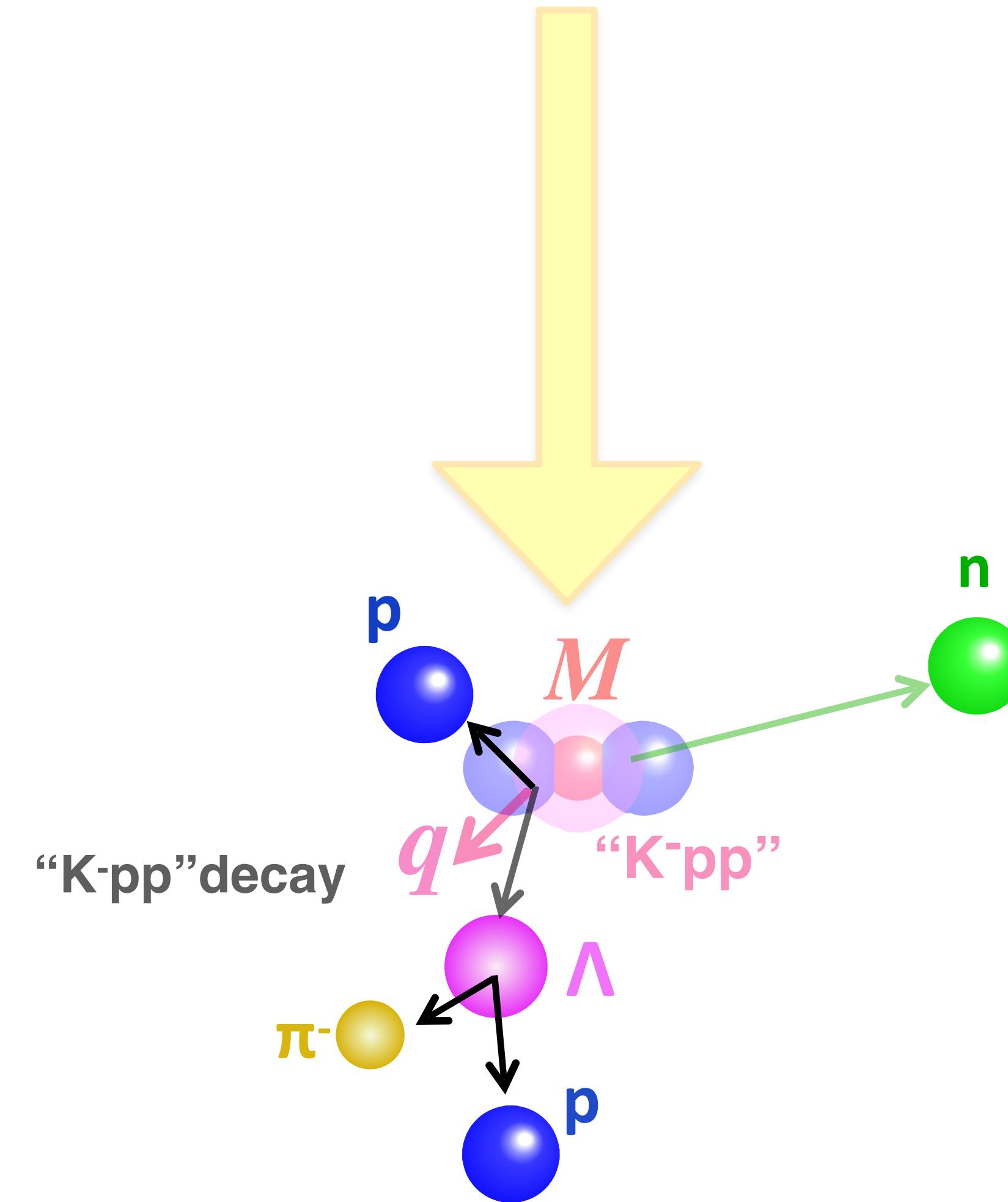
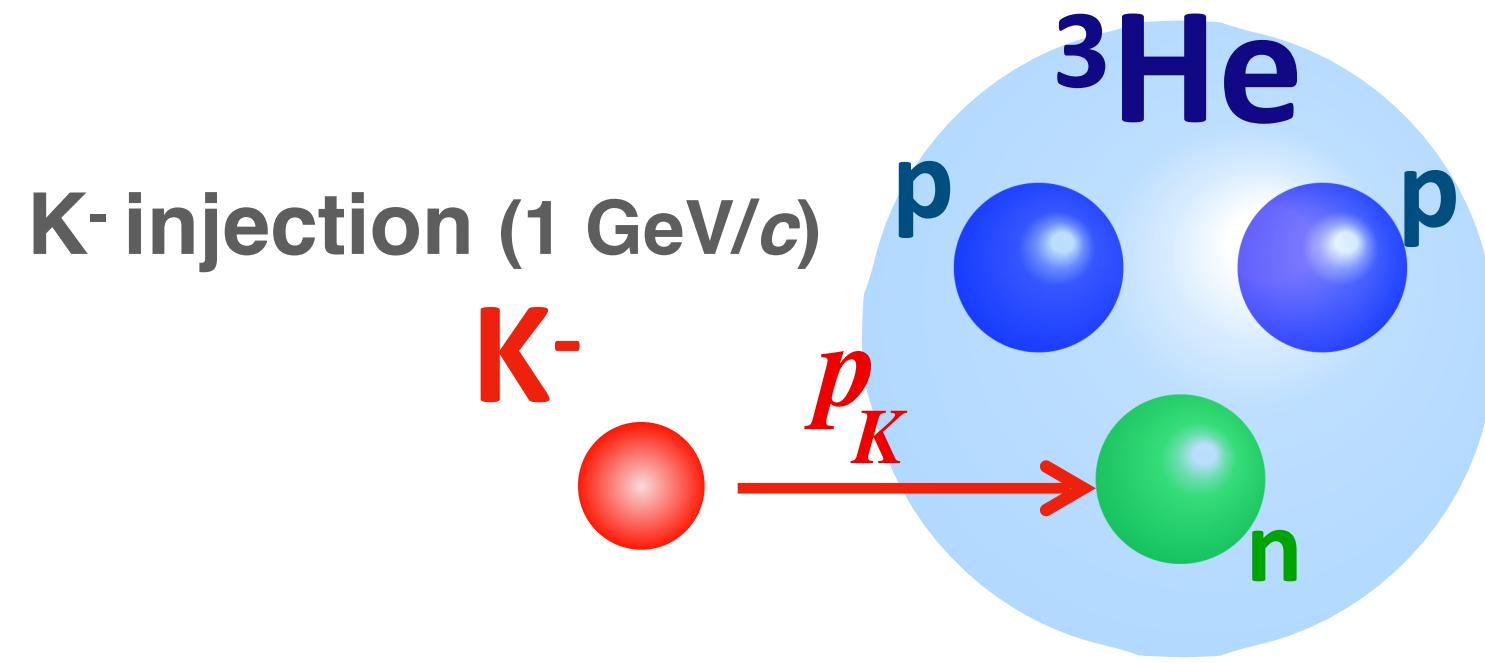
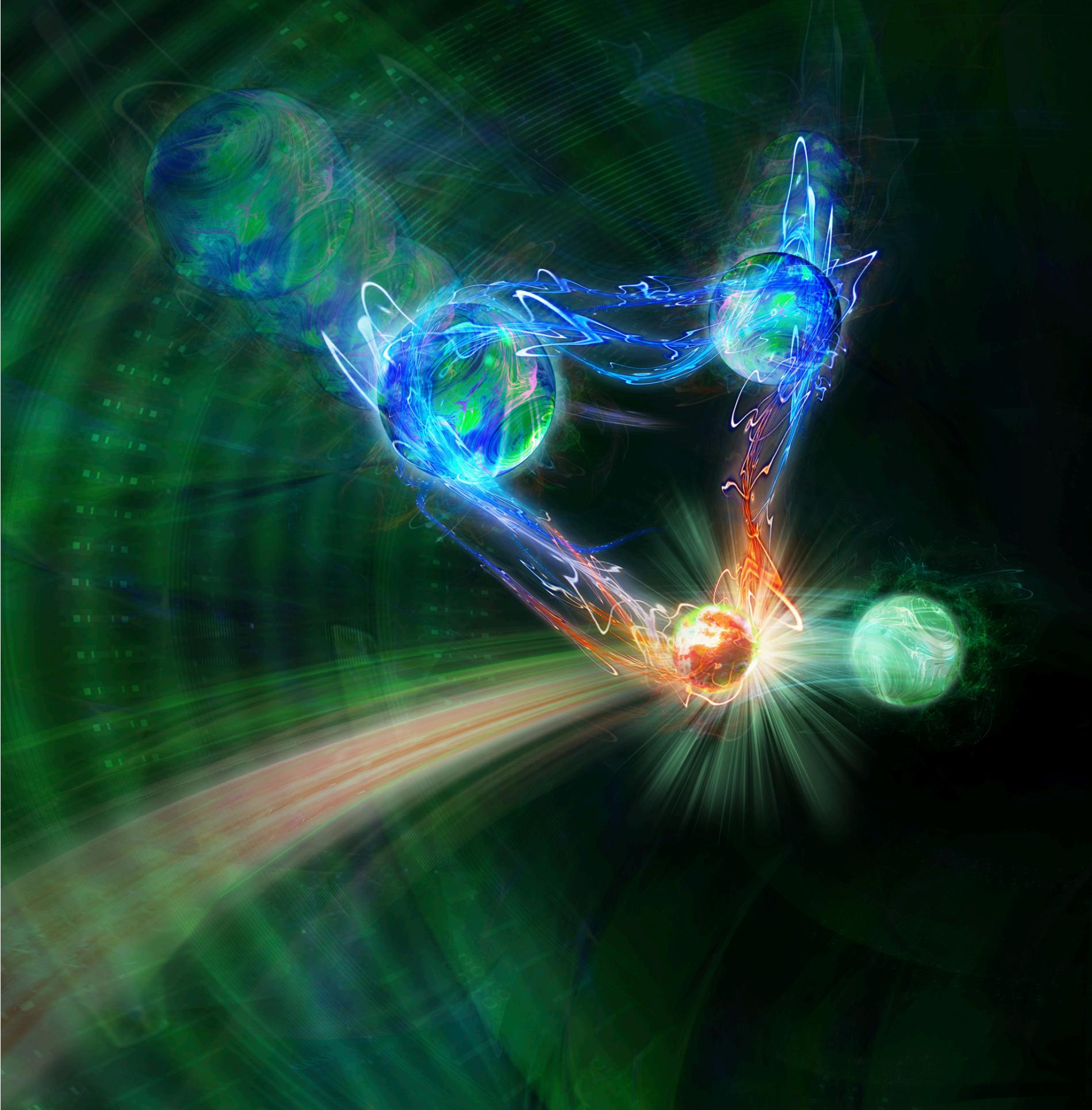


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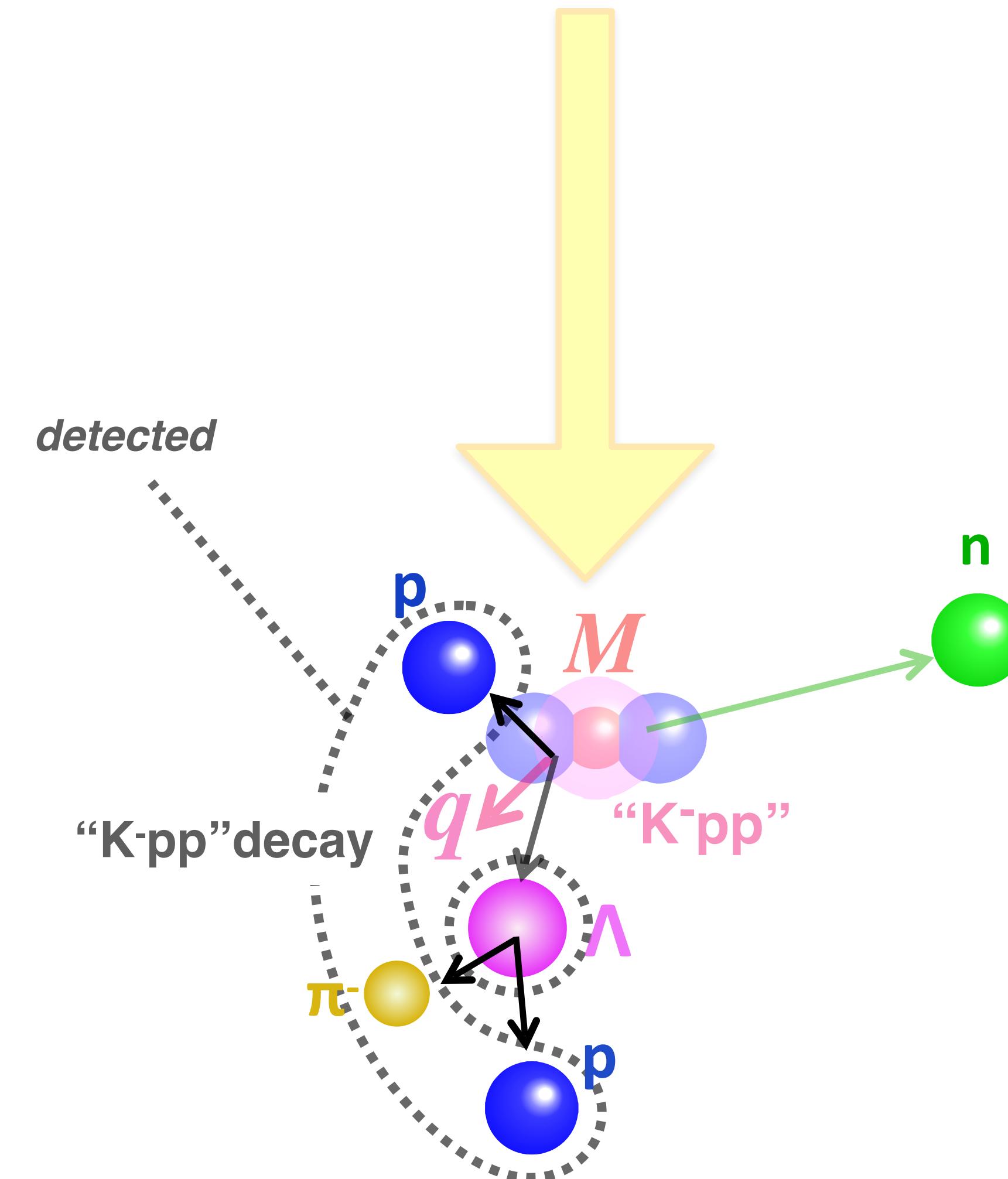
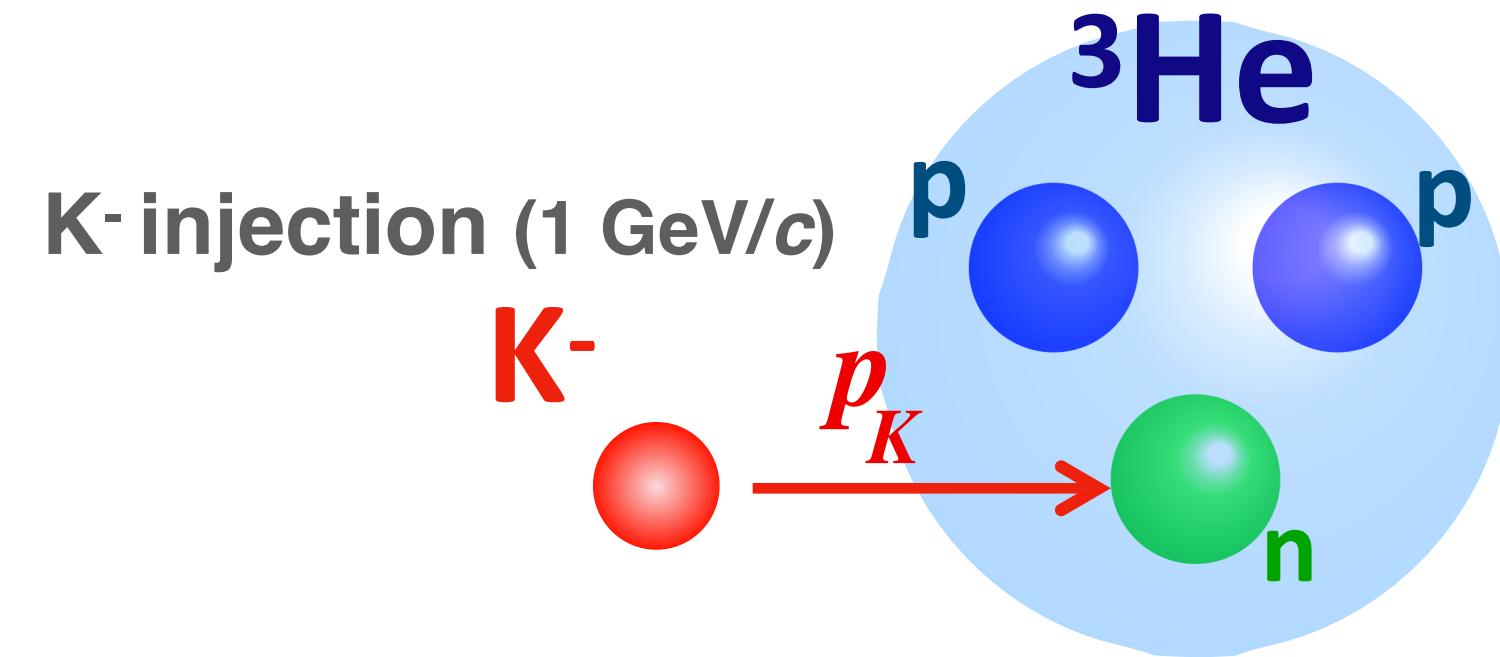
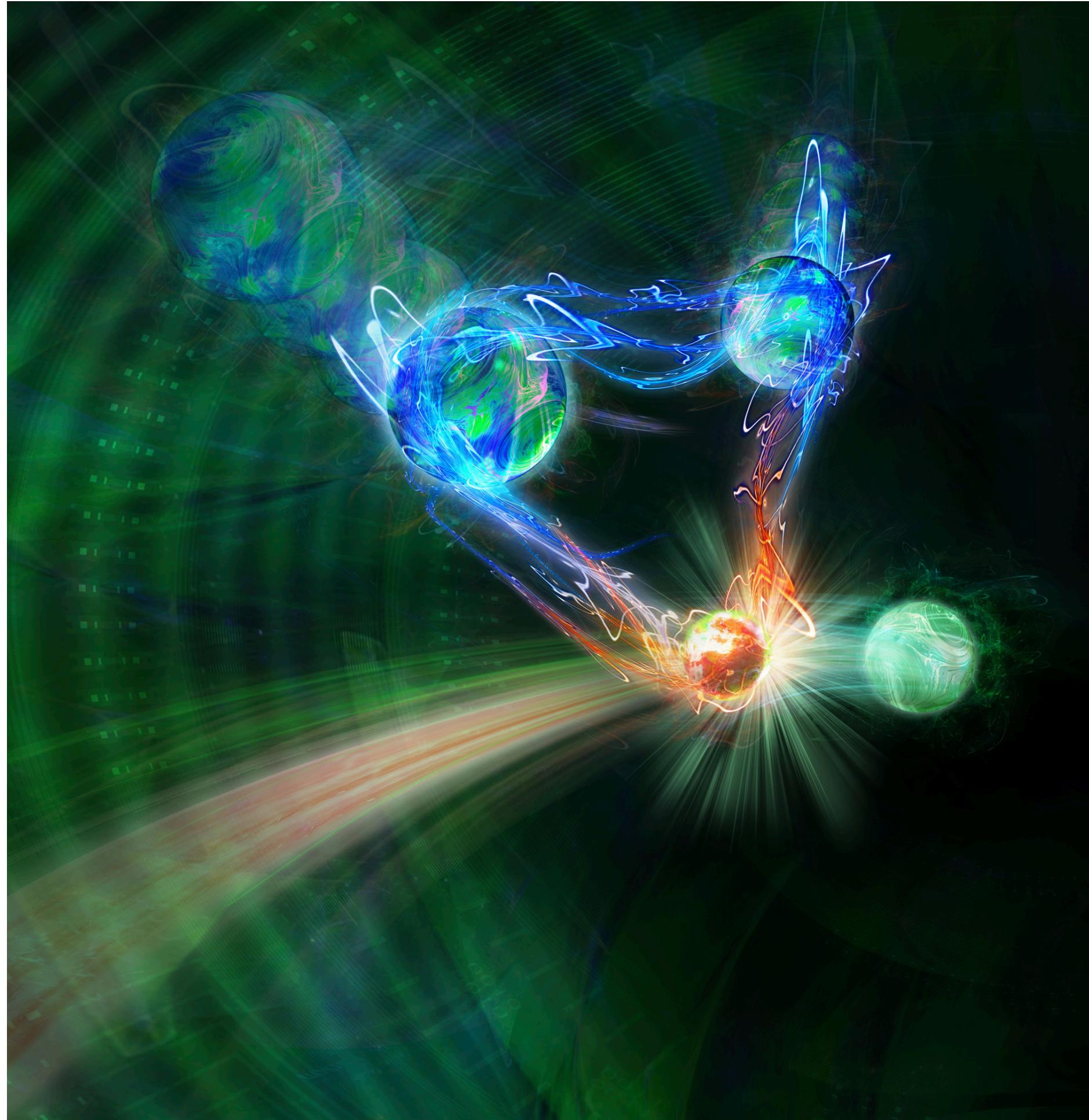


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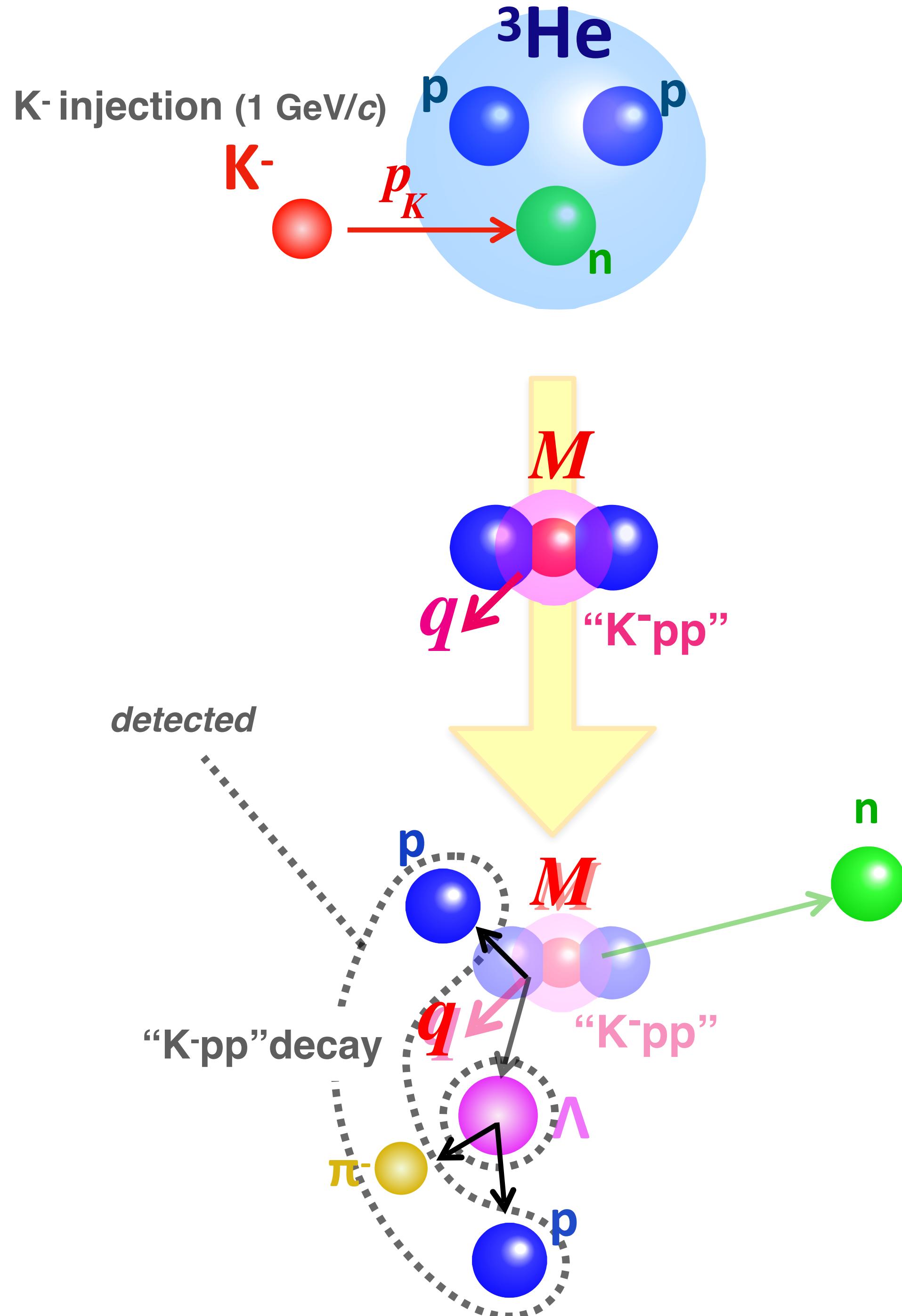
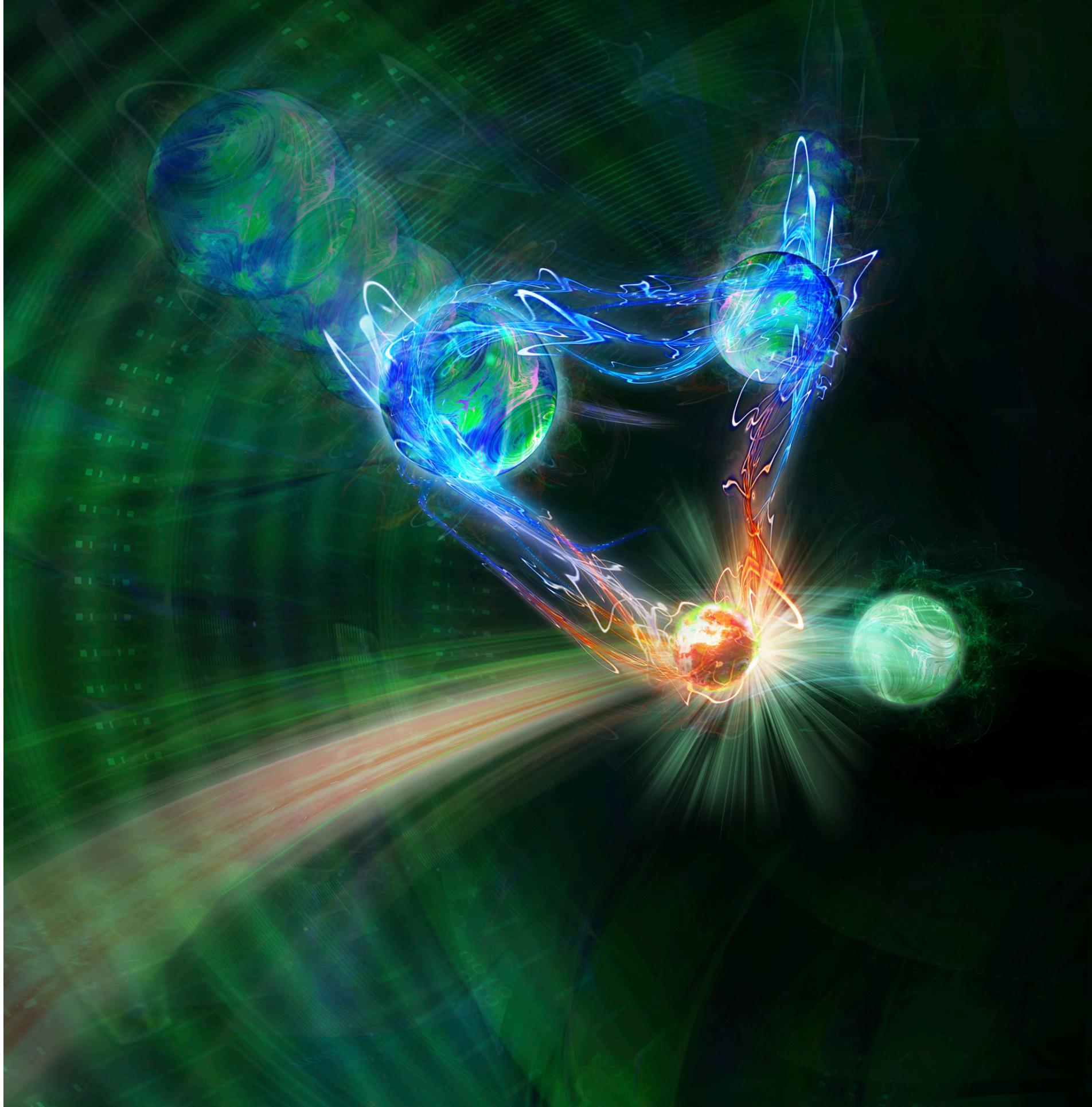


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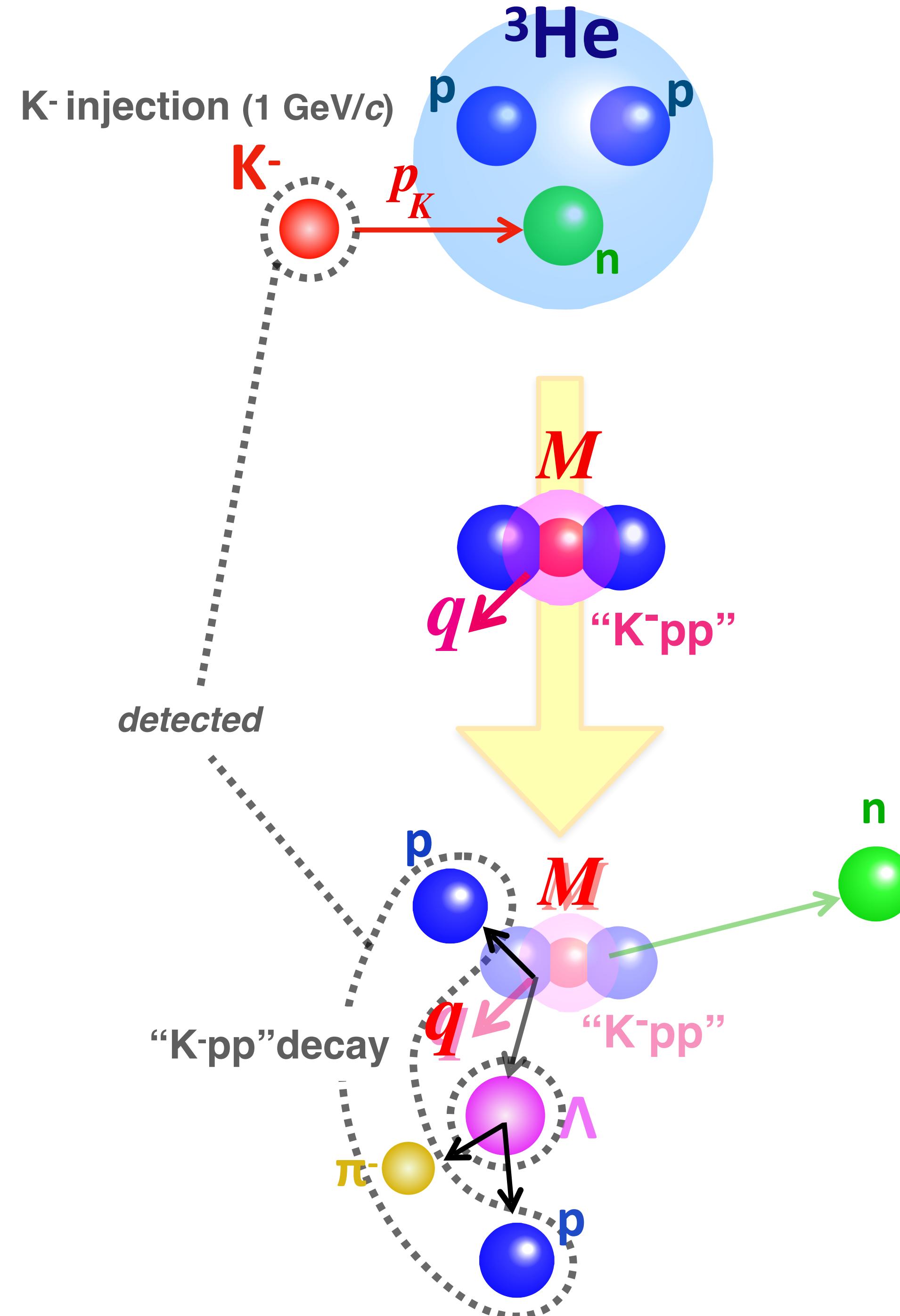
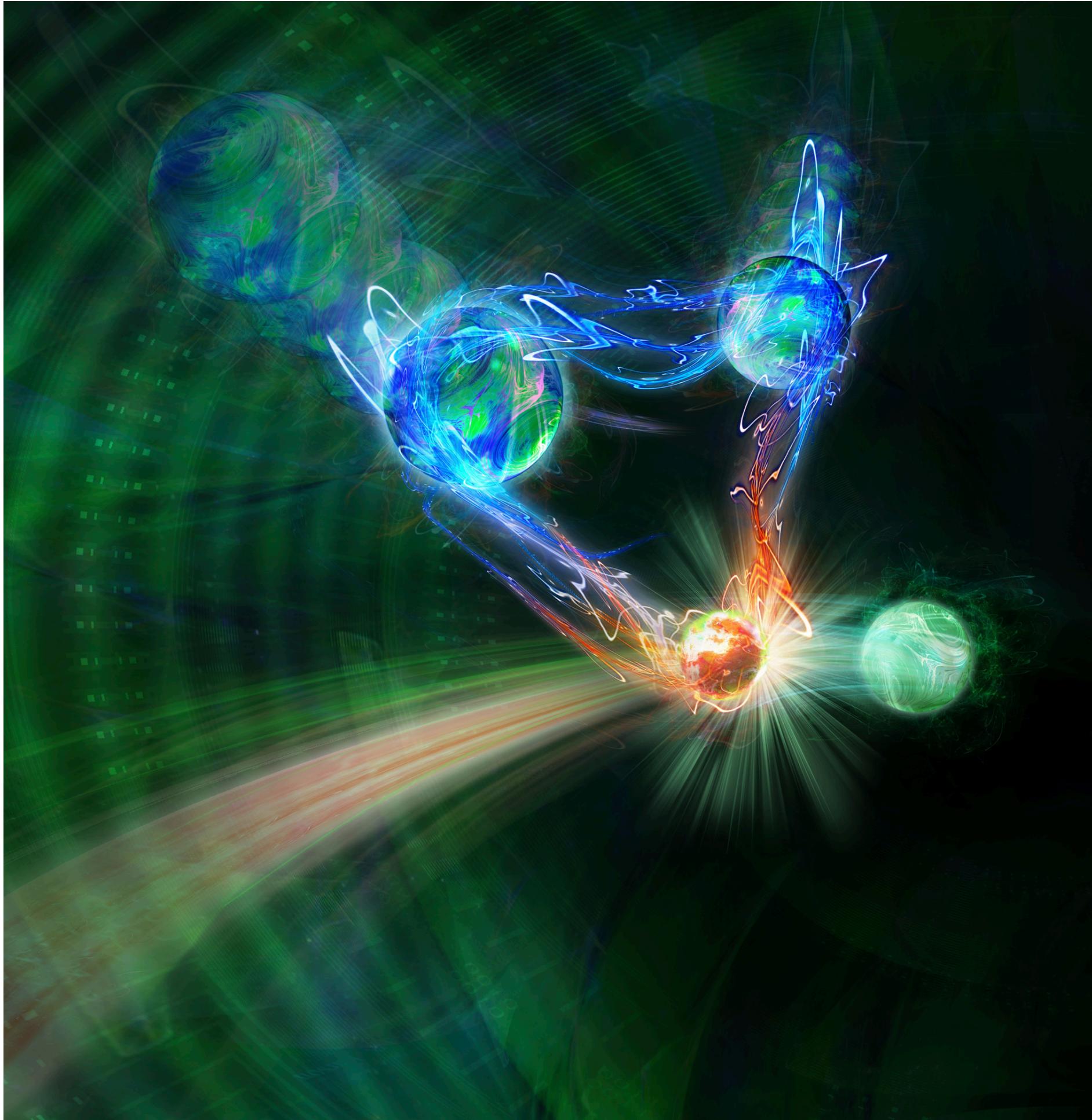
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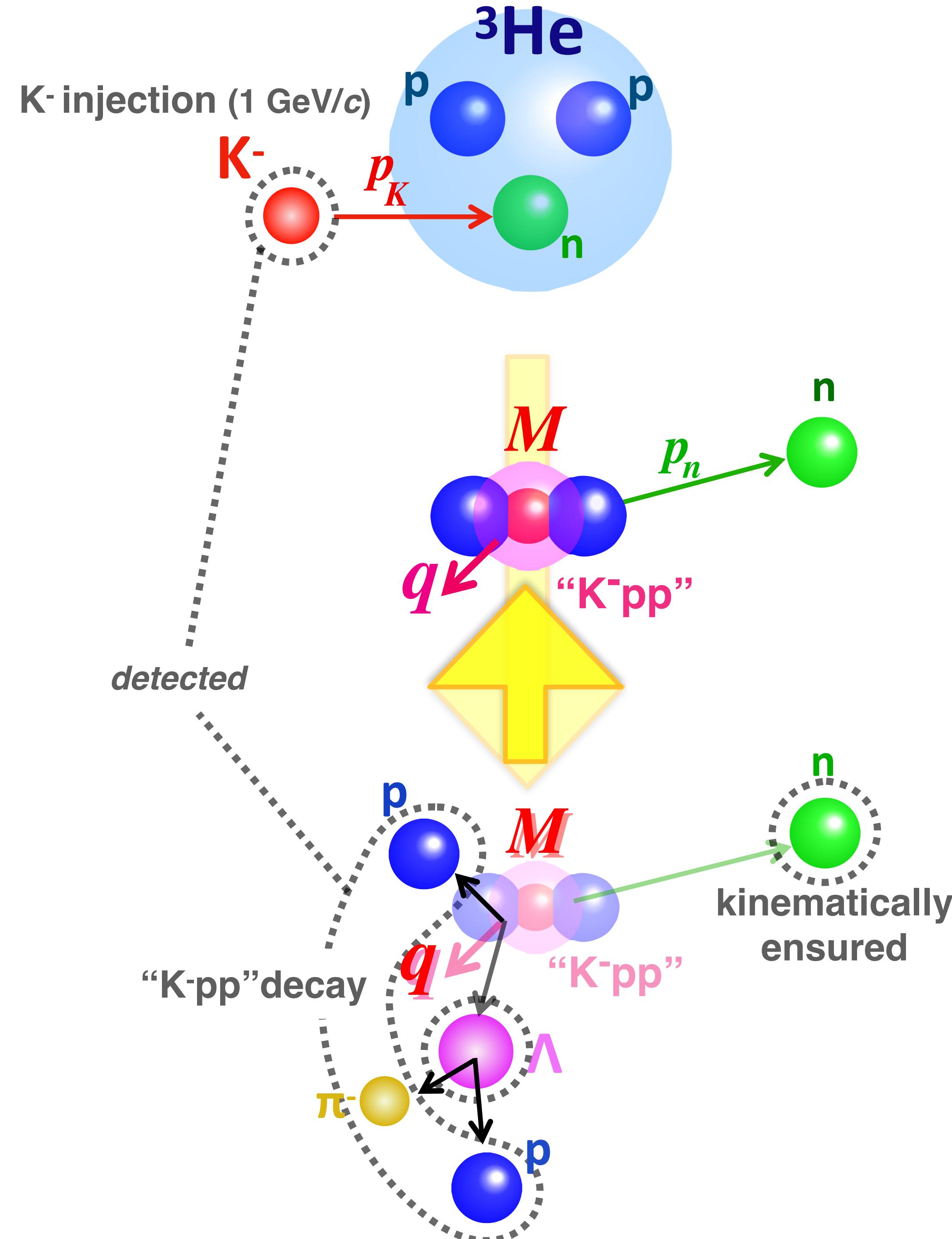
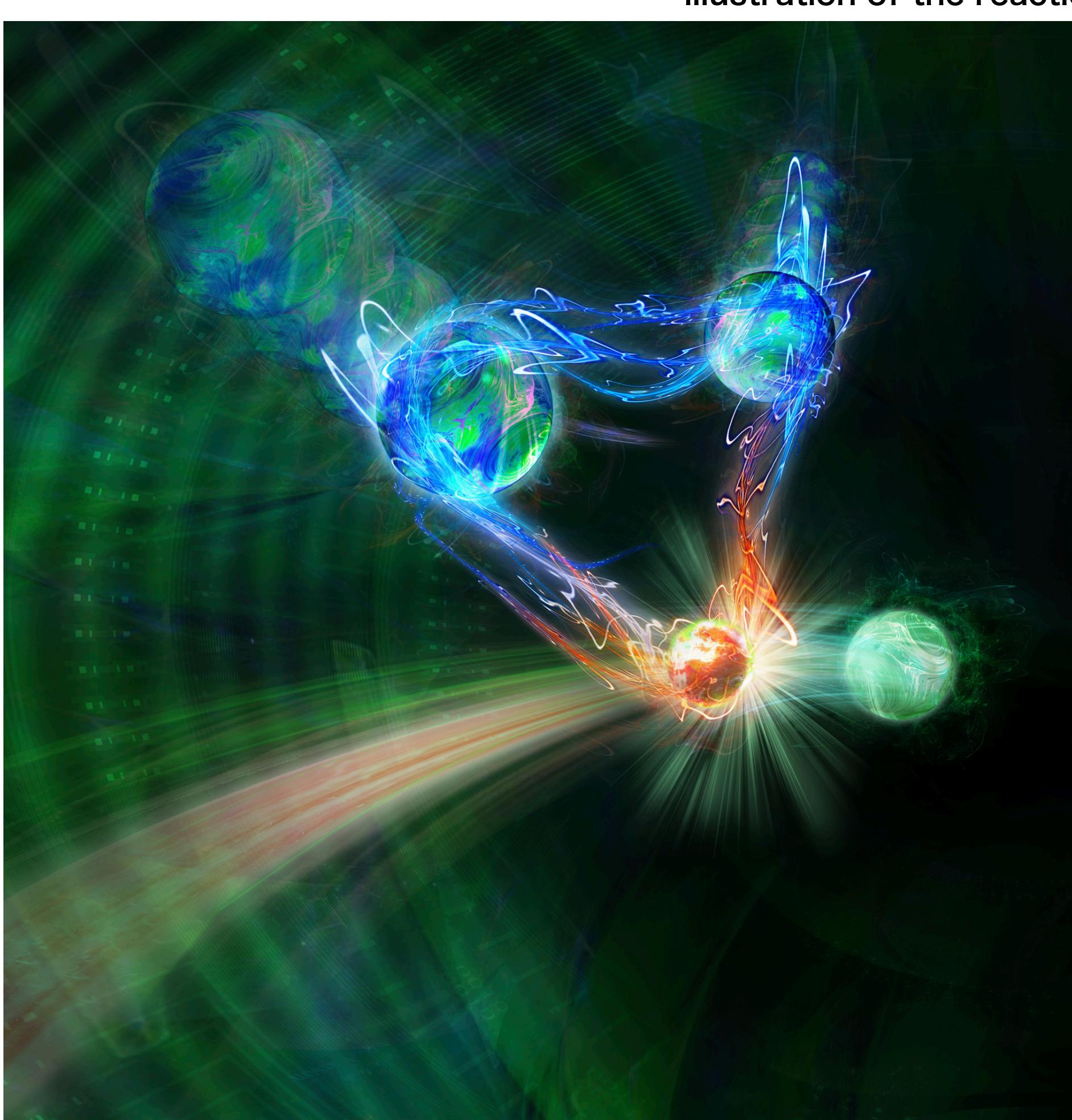
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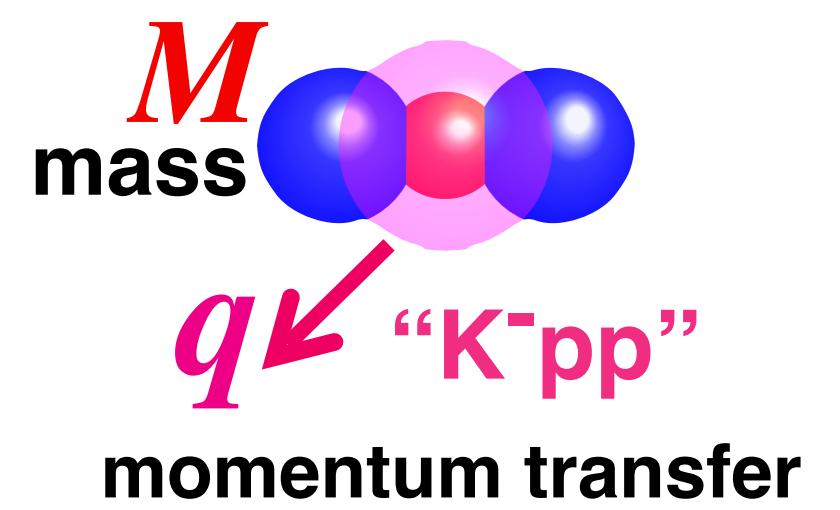
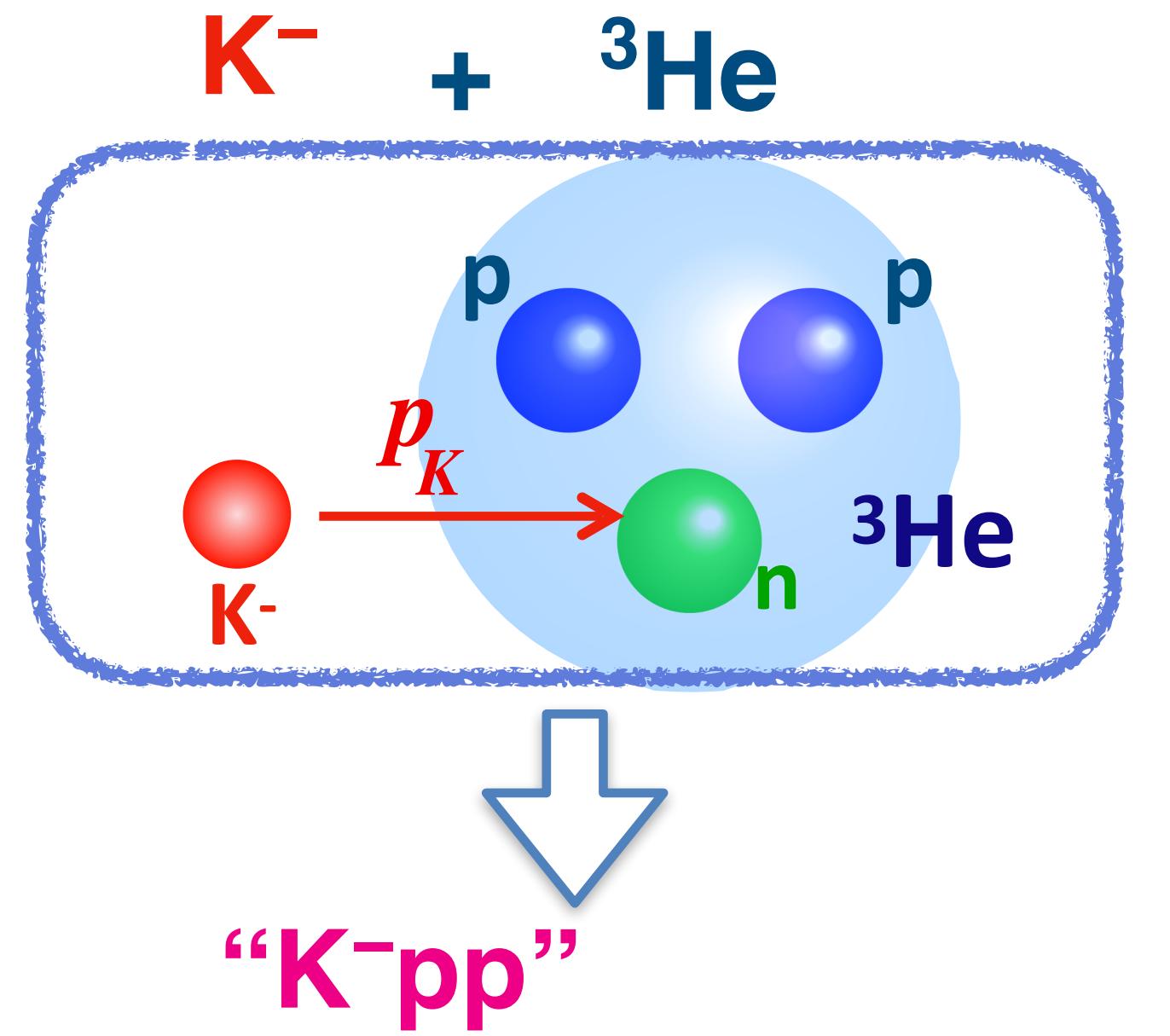


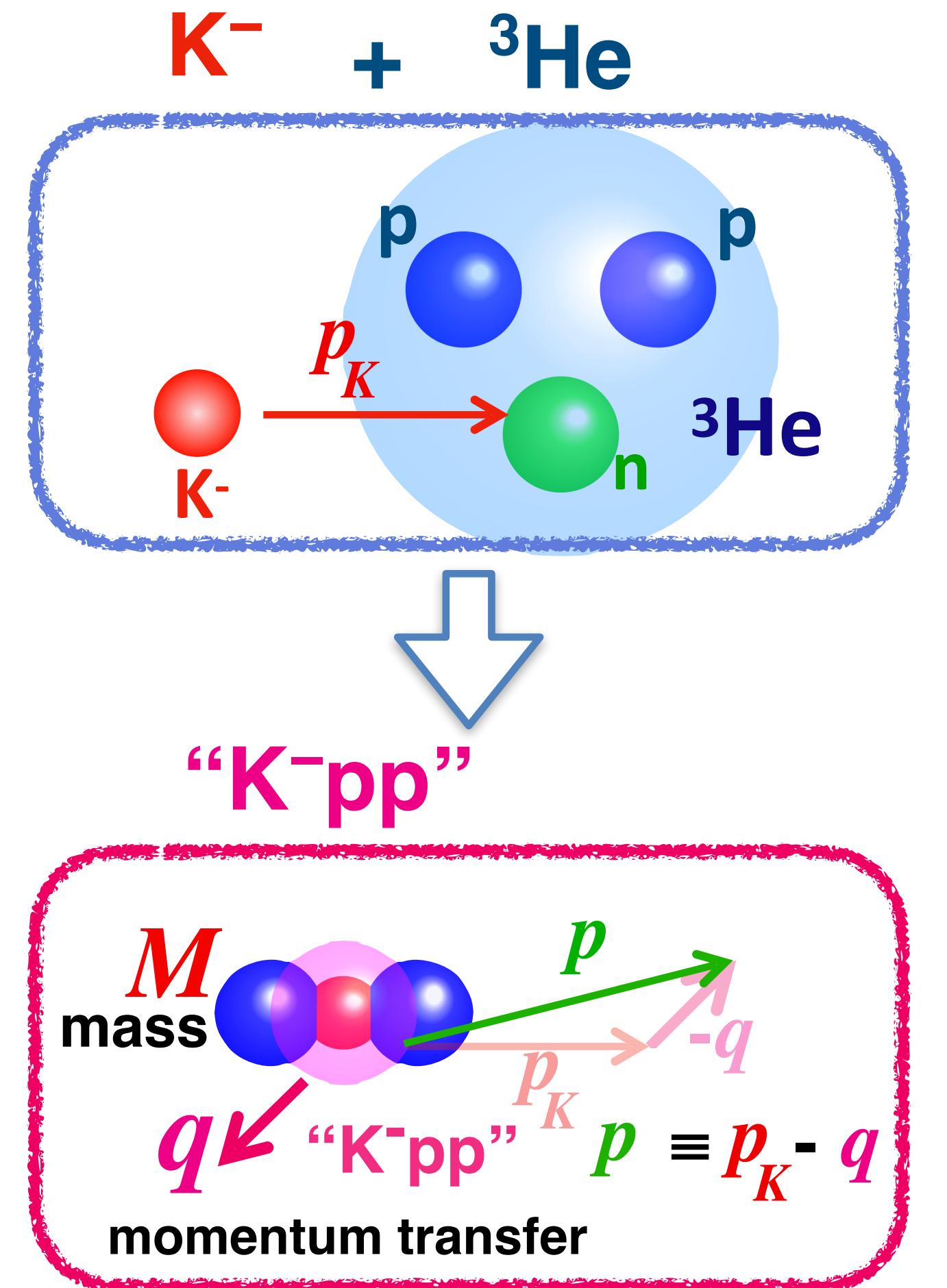
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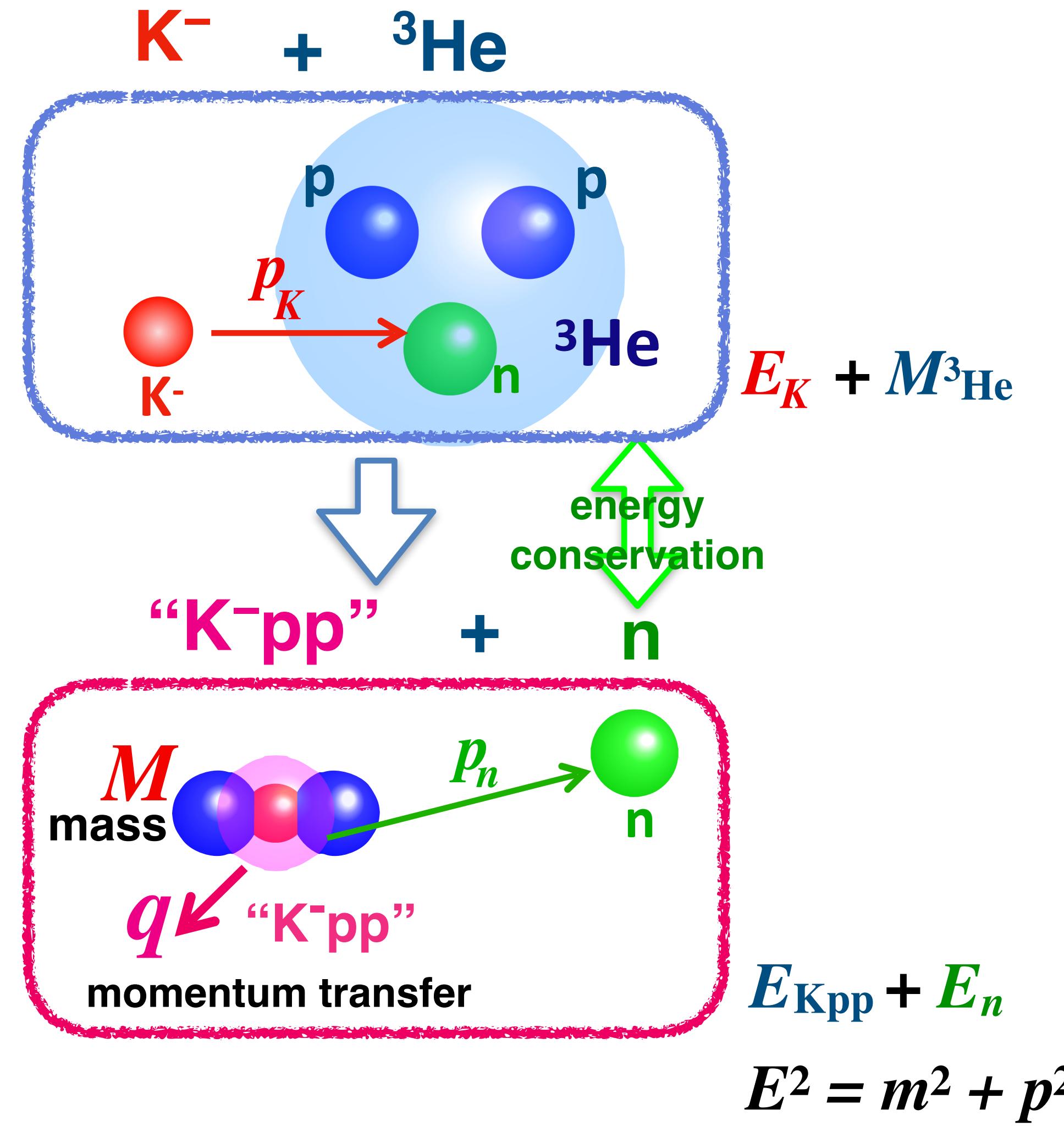


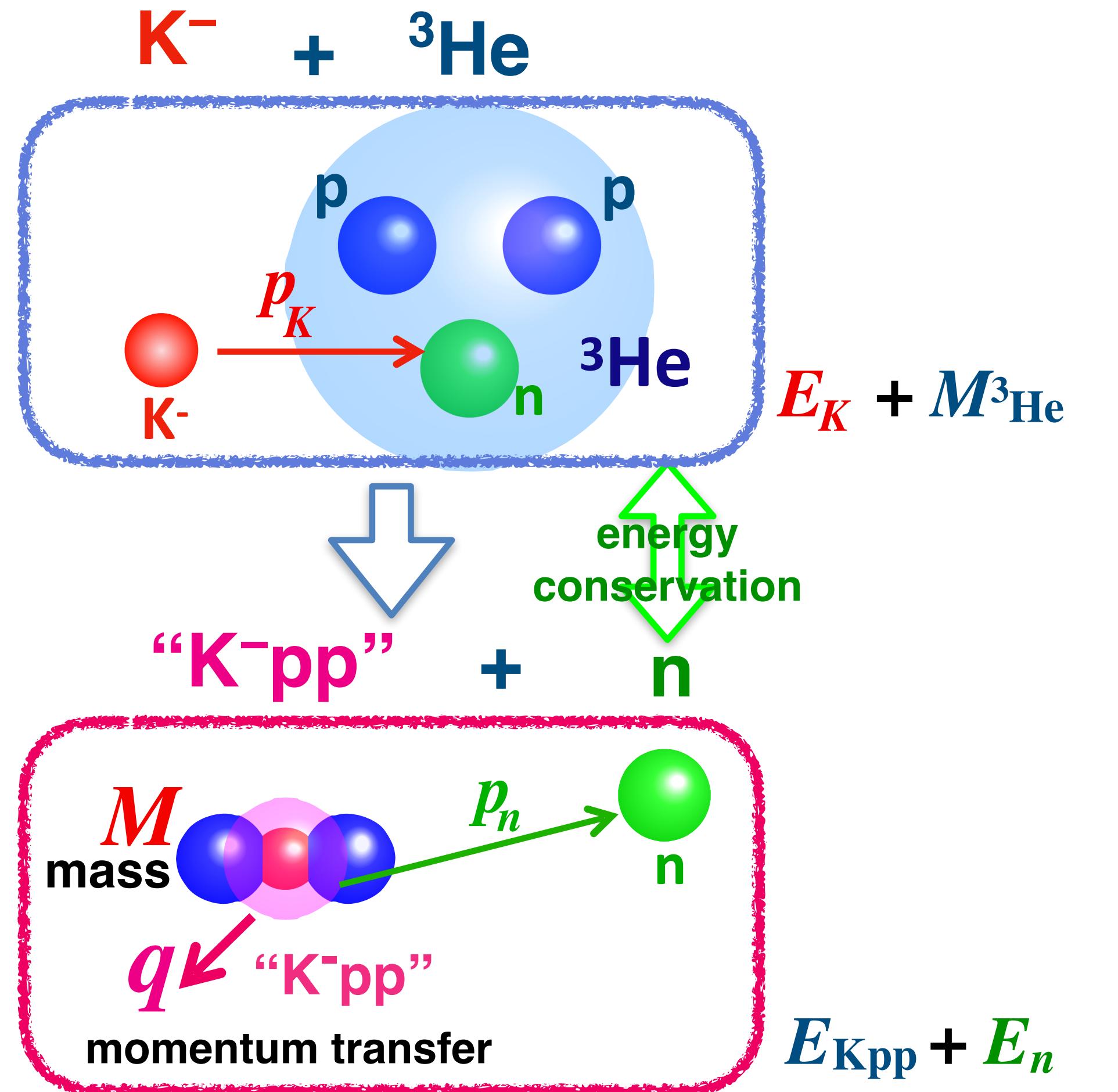
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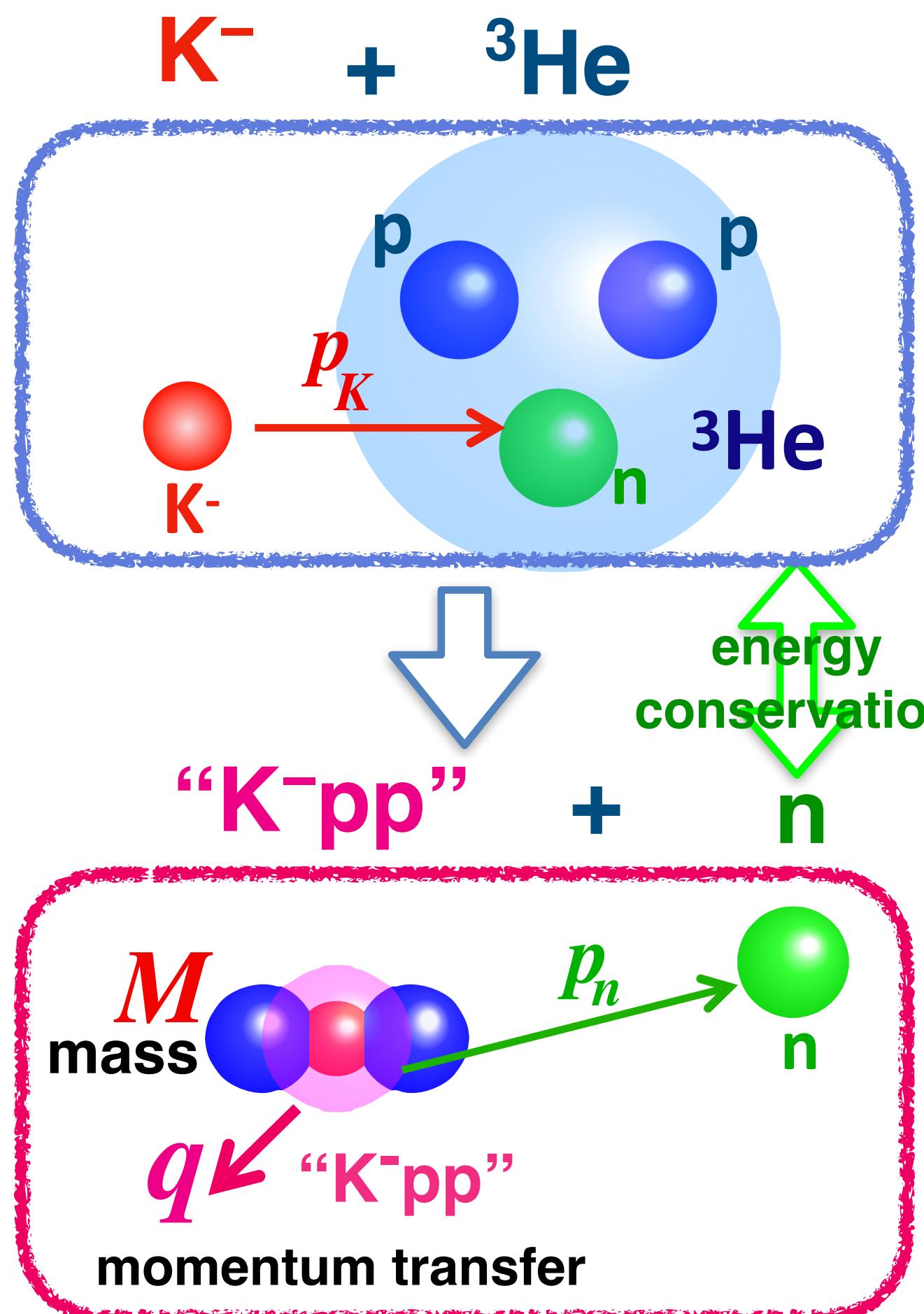




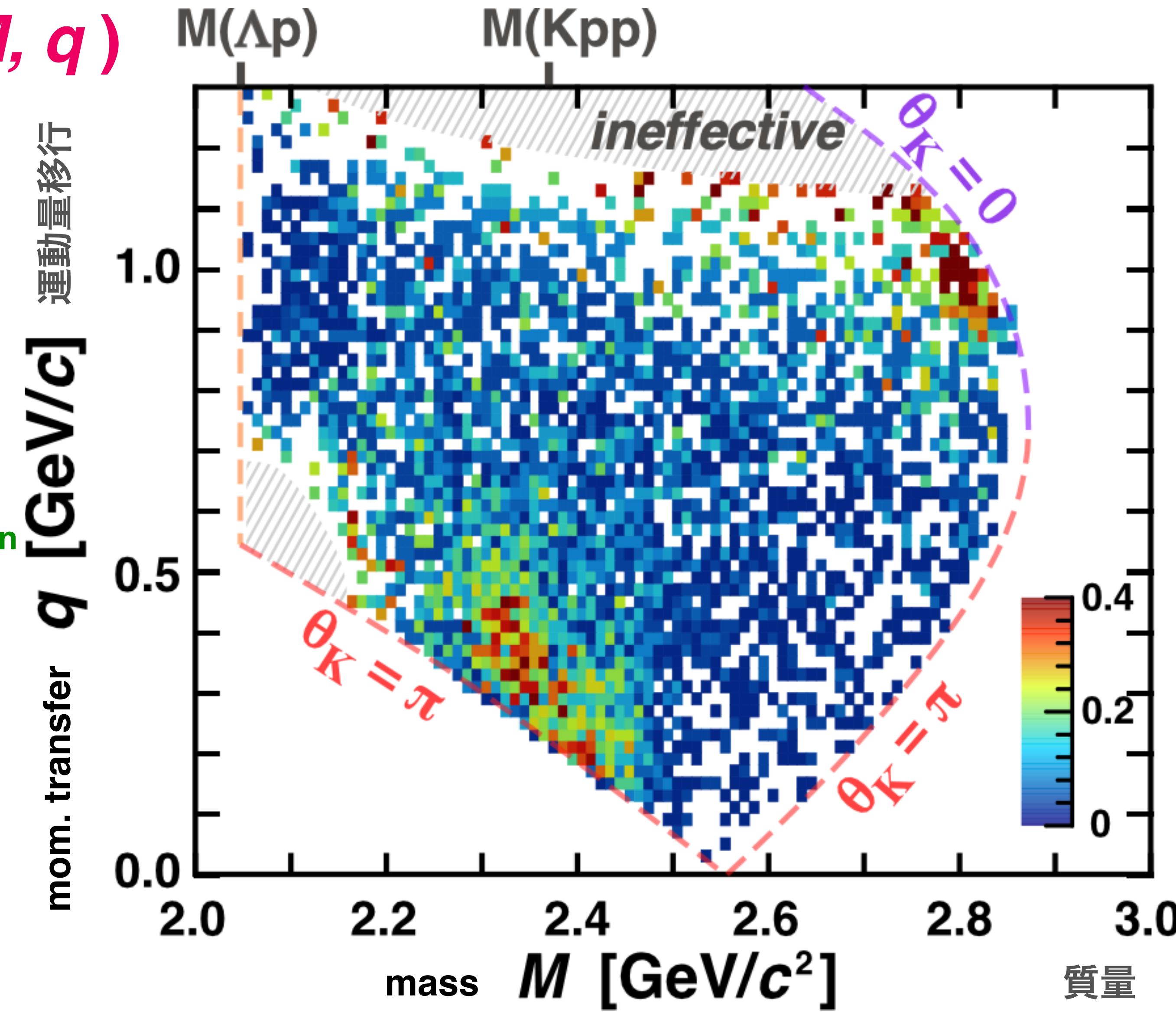


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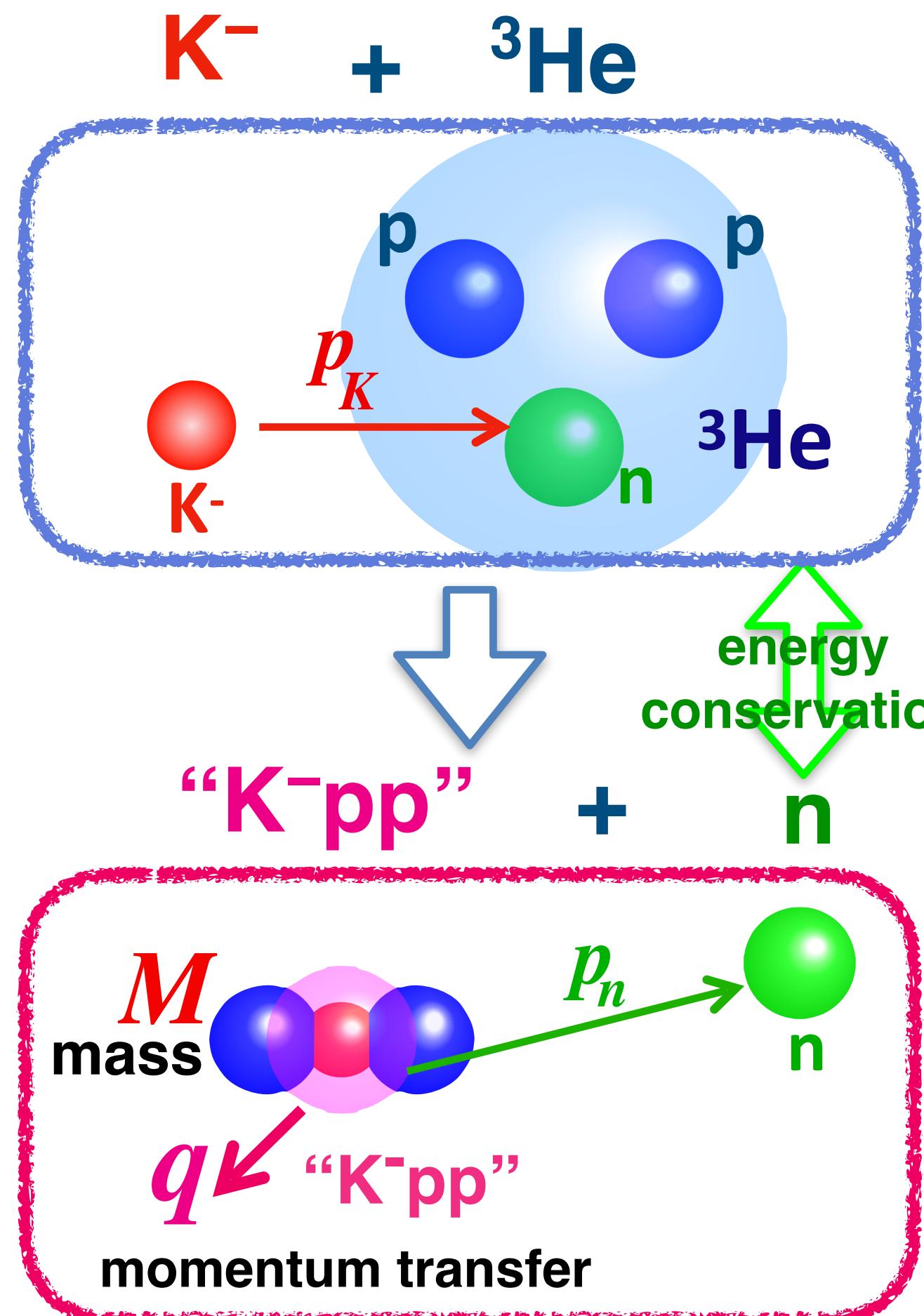
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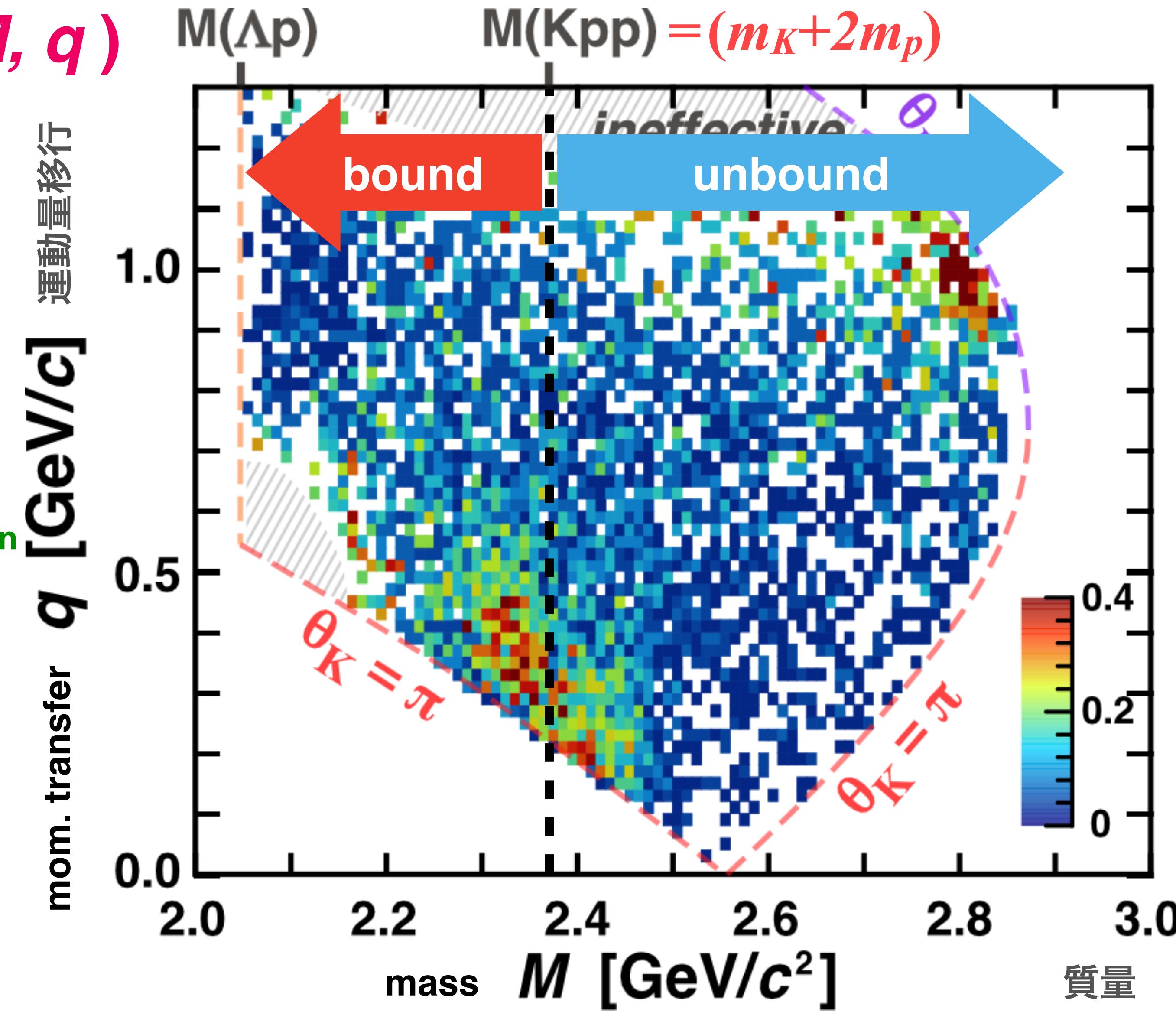
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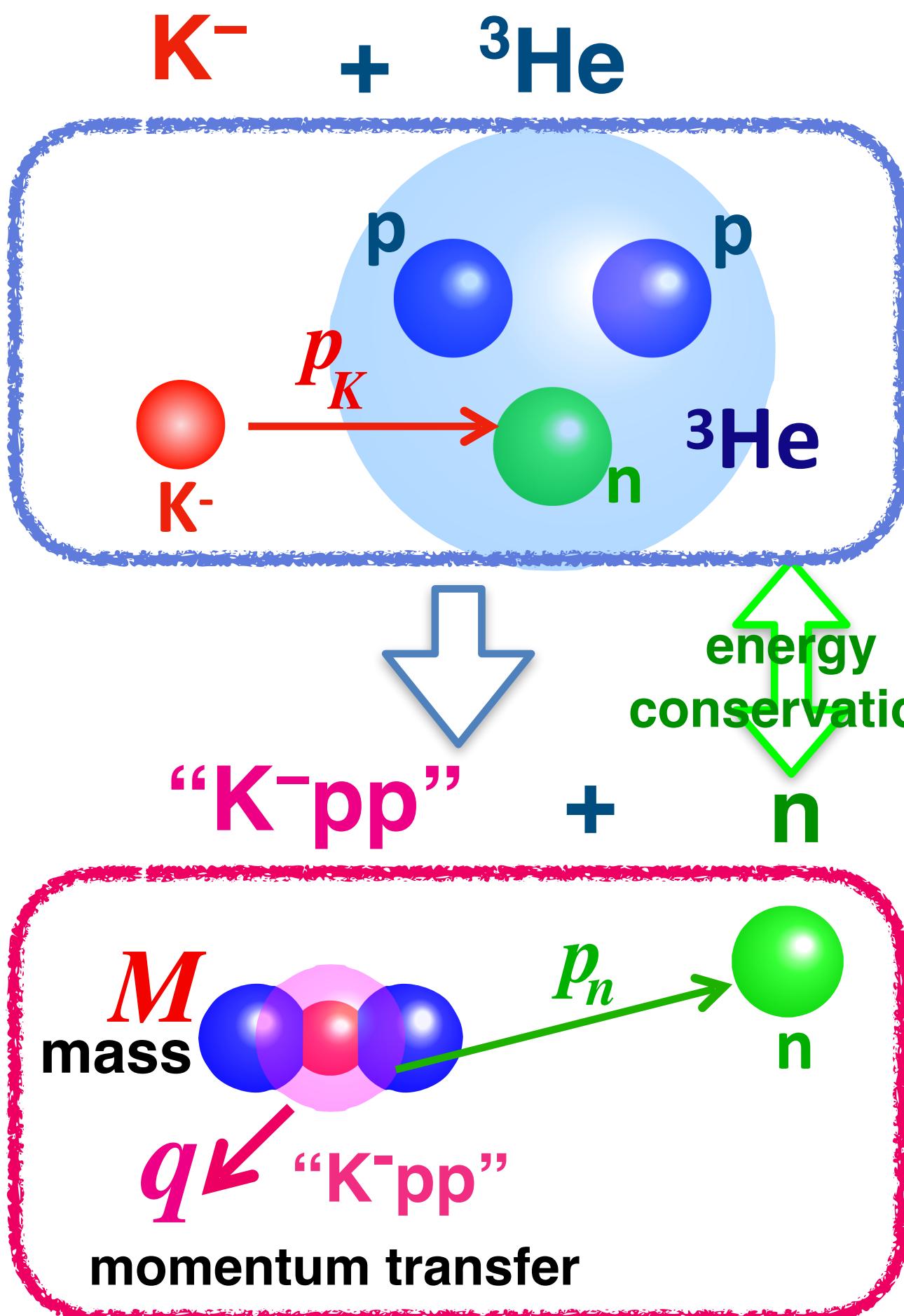
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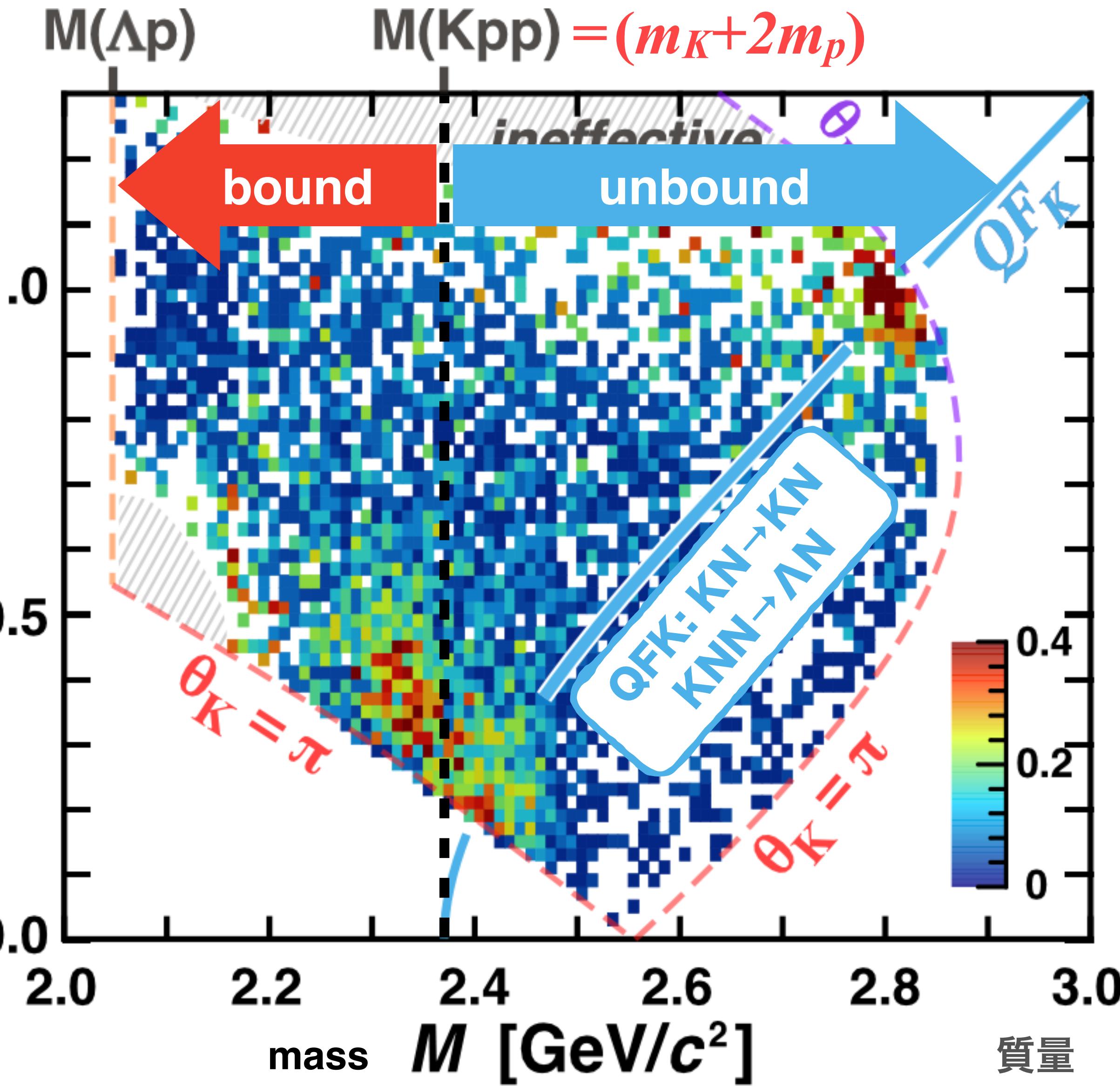
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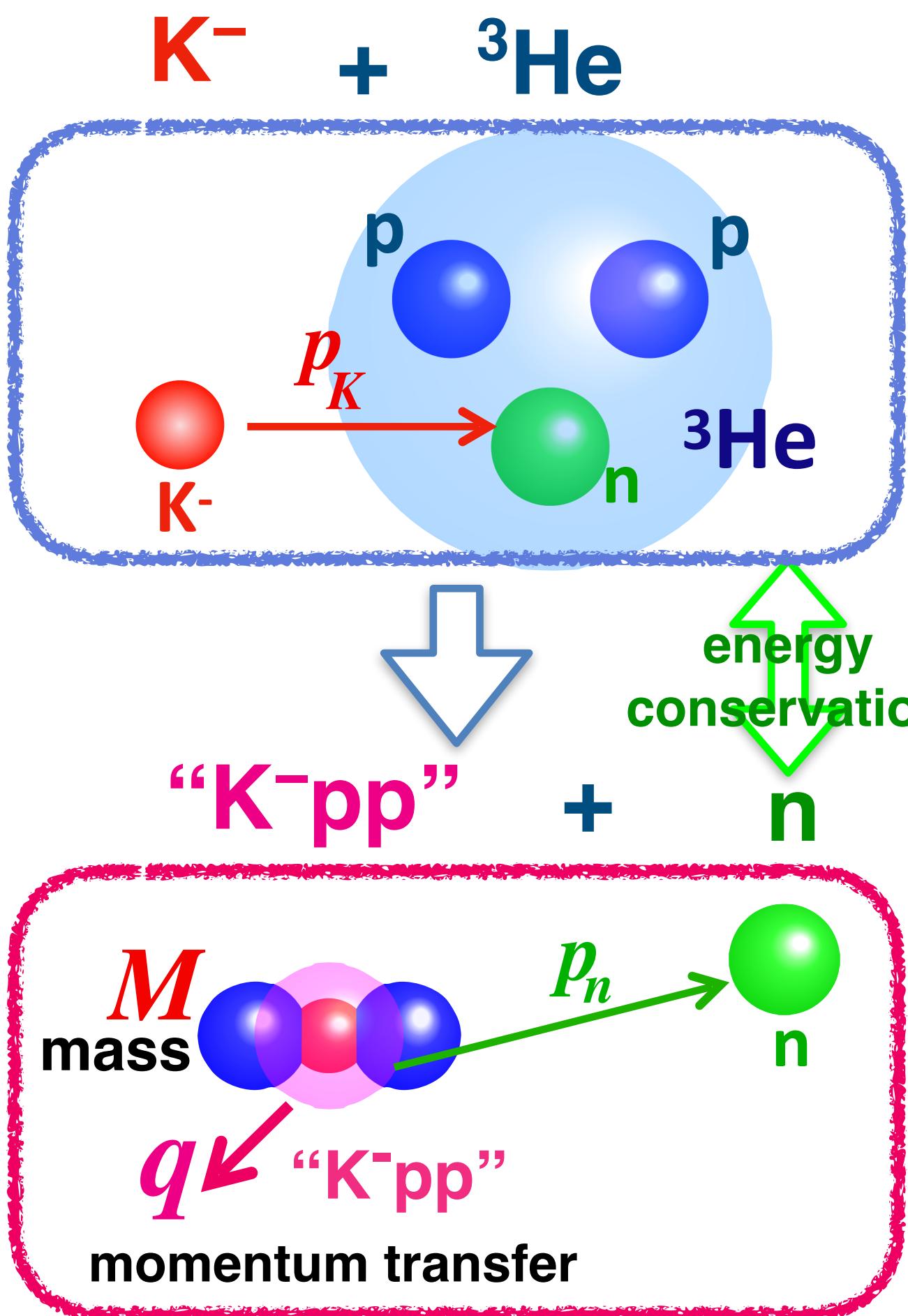
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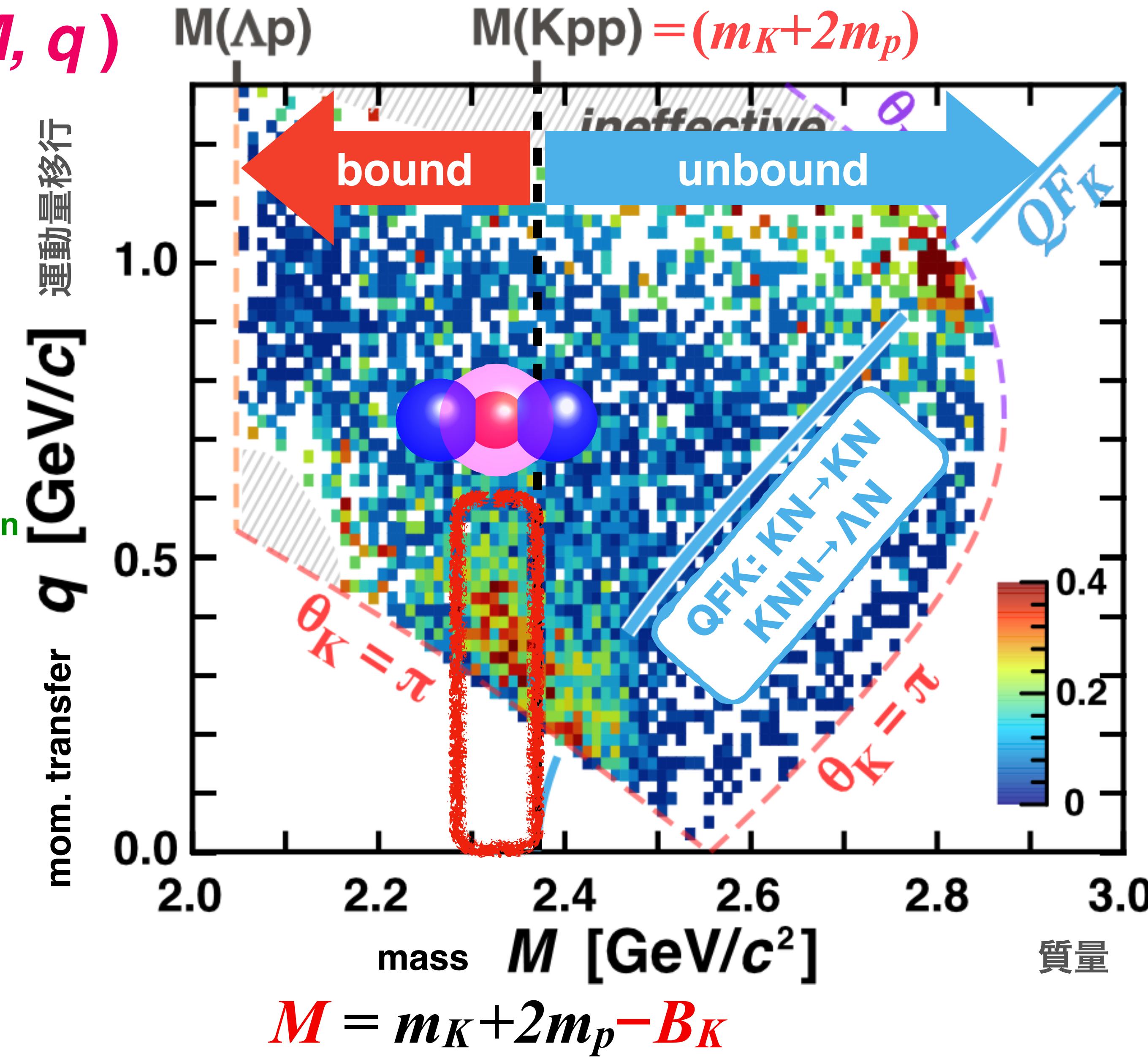
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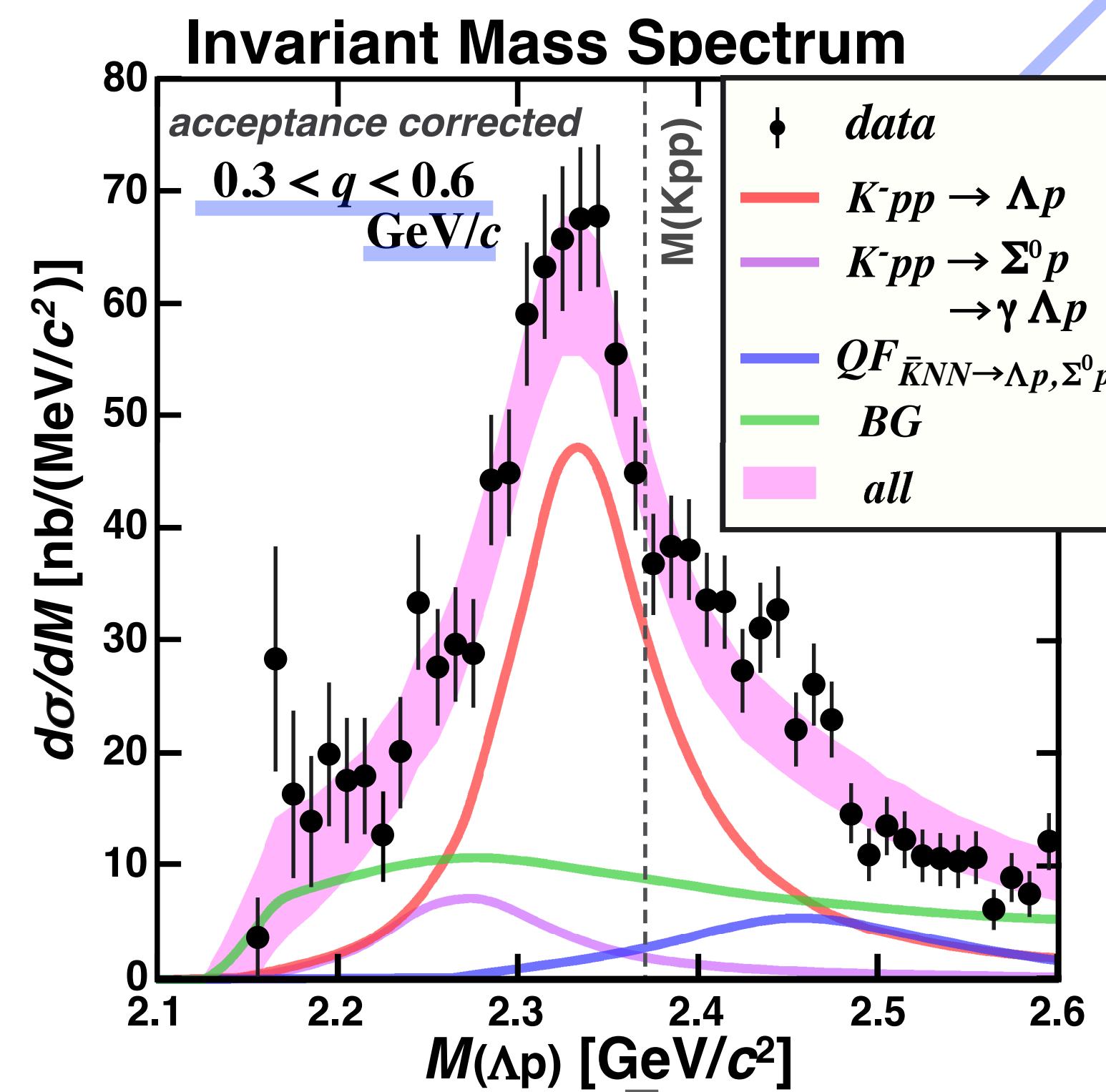
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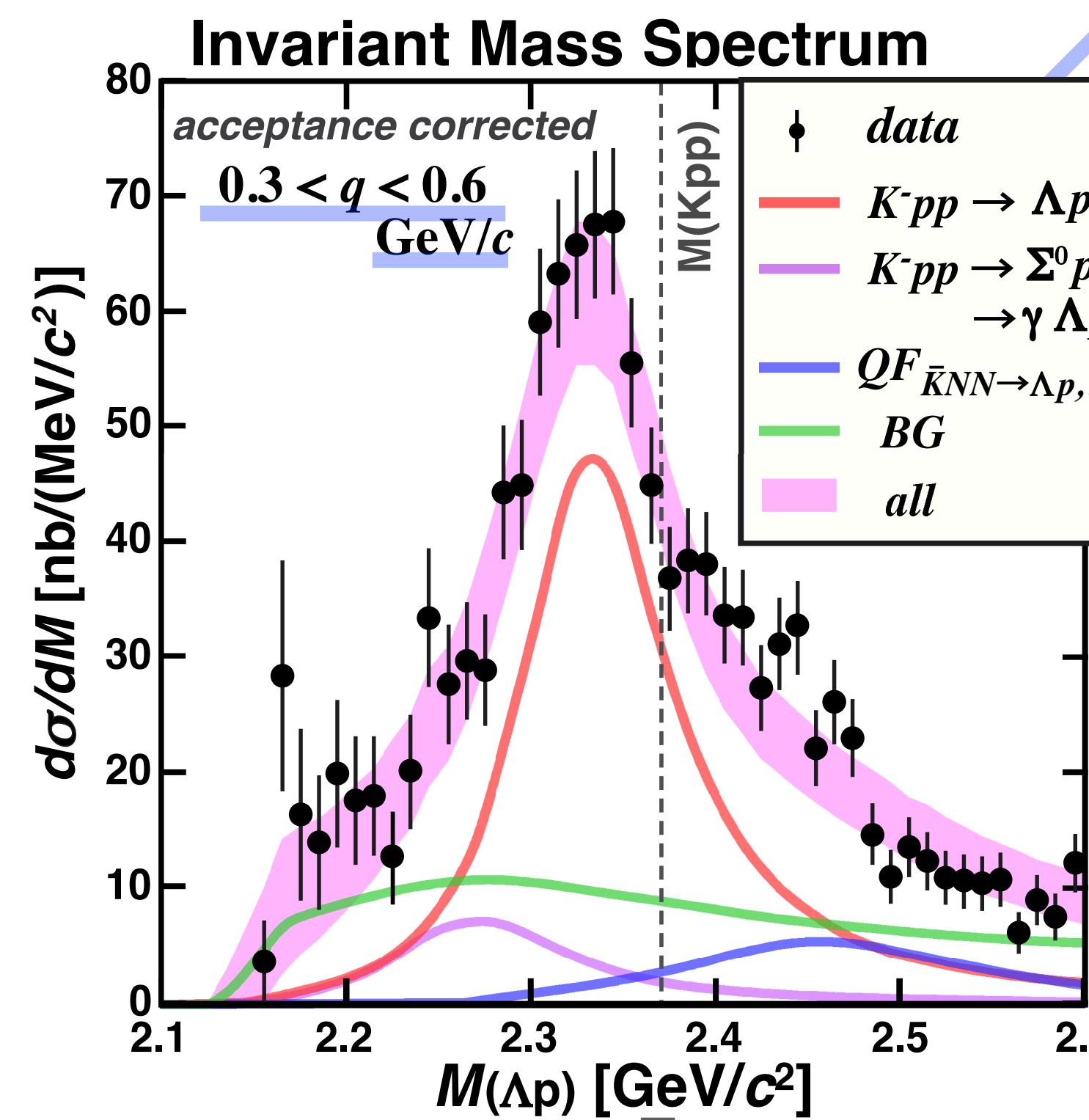
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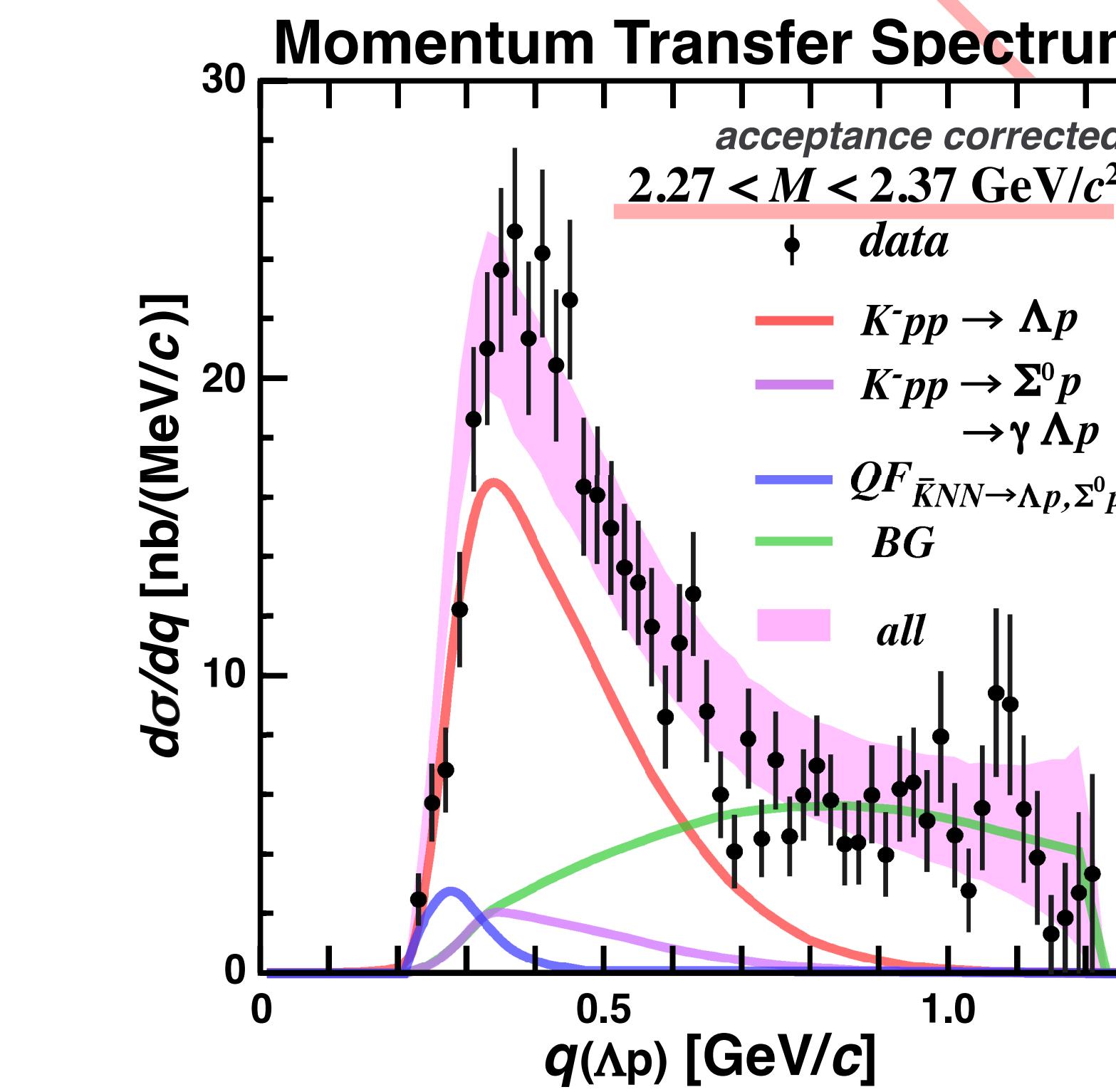
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wide momentum width quite compact?  
 $Q_{Kpp} \sim 400$  MeV/c ( $R_{Kpp} \sim 0.6$  fm (H.O.))

# We introduce three model functions to fit

$$\mathcal{E}(M, q) \times \rho_3(M, q) \times phys_X(M, q)$$

detector  
efficiency

$\Lambda p n$  3-body  
phase space

physics  
process

## “Kpp”

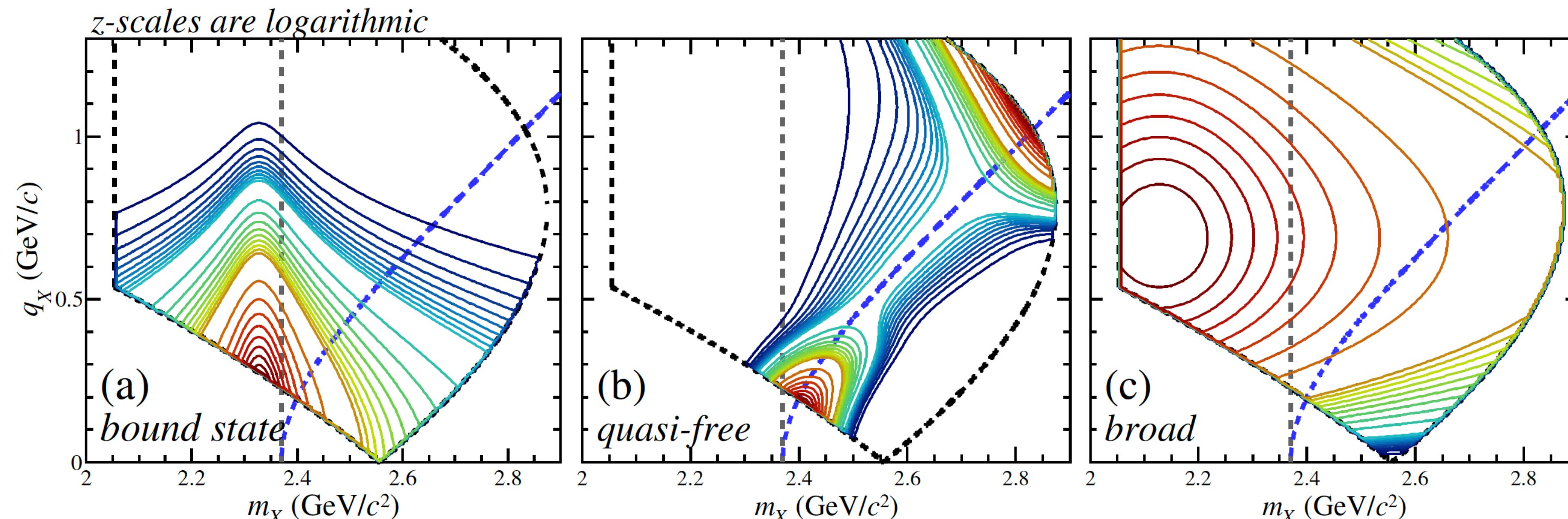
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## QF $\bar{\Lambda} A$

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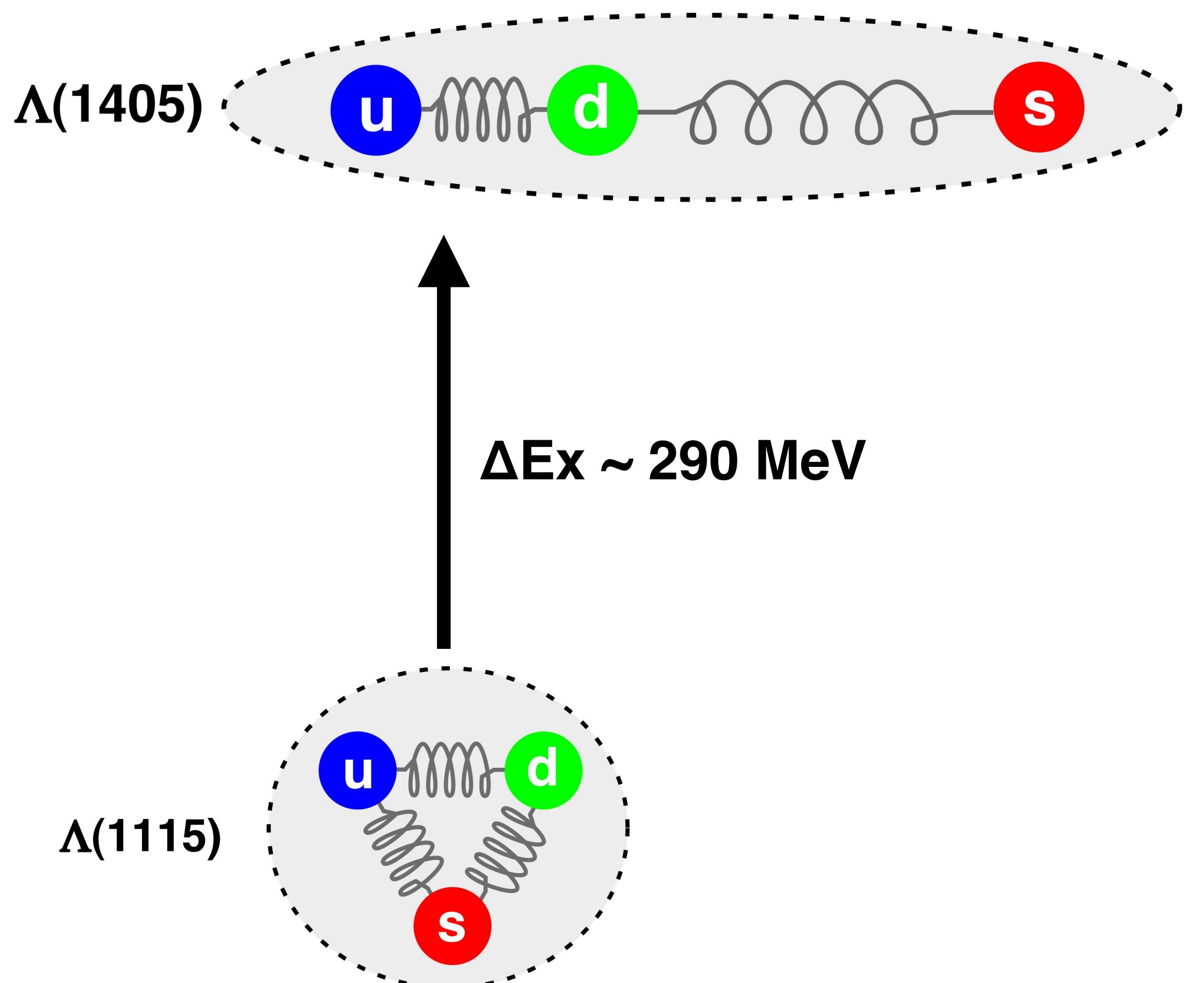
## broad(BG)

$K^{} ~ {}^3 He \rightarrow \Lambda p n$  ?

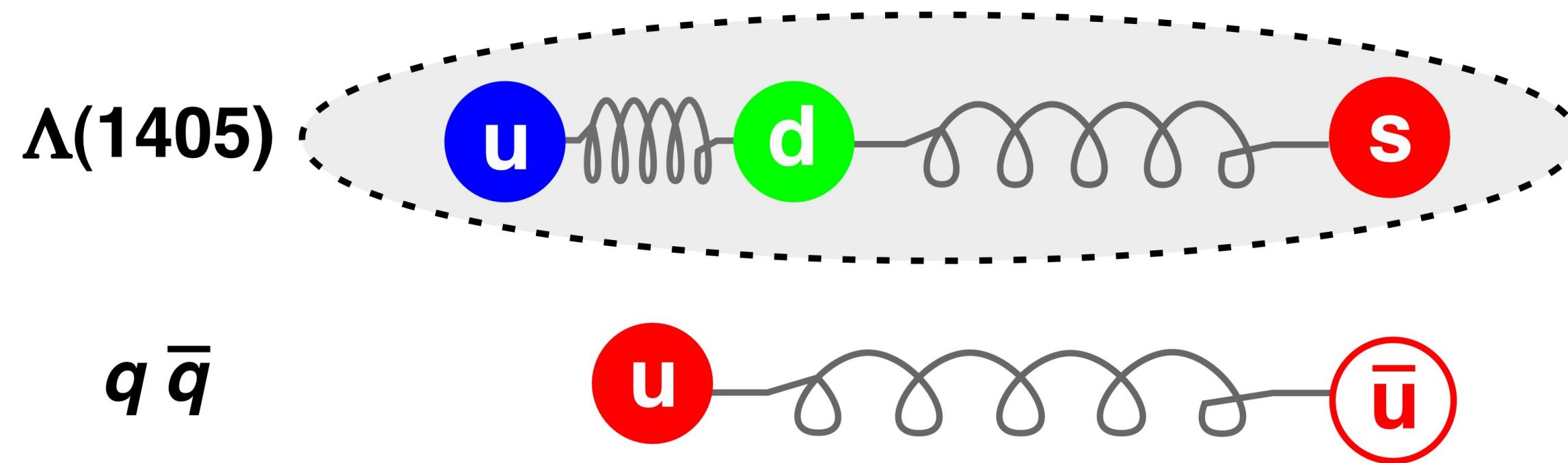


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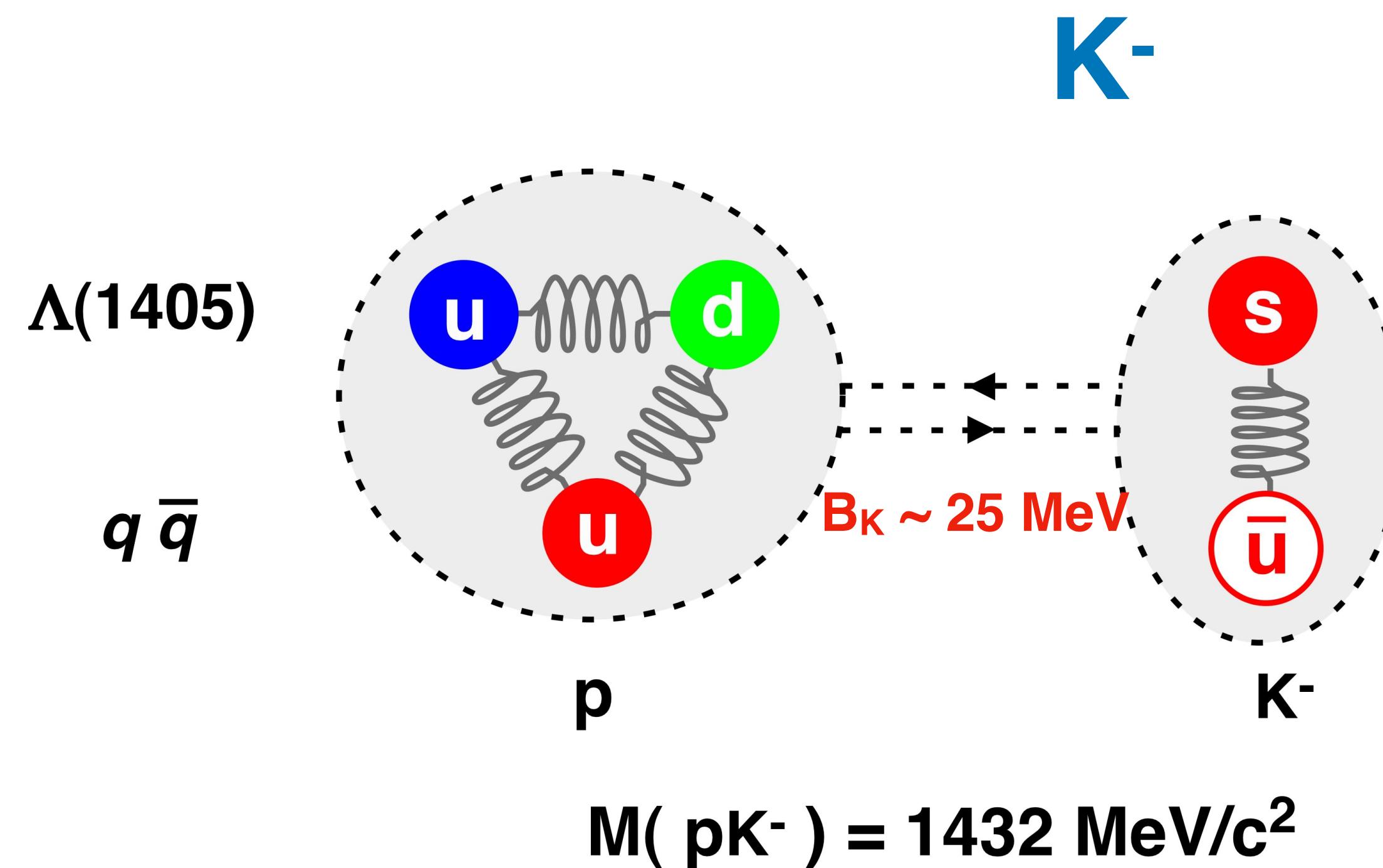


# From $\Lambda(1405)$ to kaonic nuclei with $\bar{q}q$ ( $\chi$ -condensate) in vacuum



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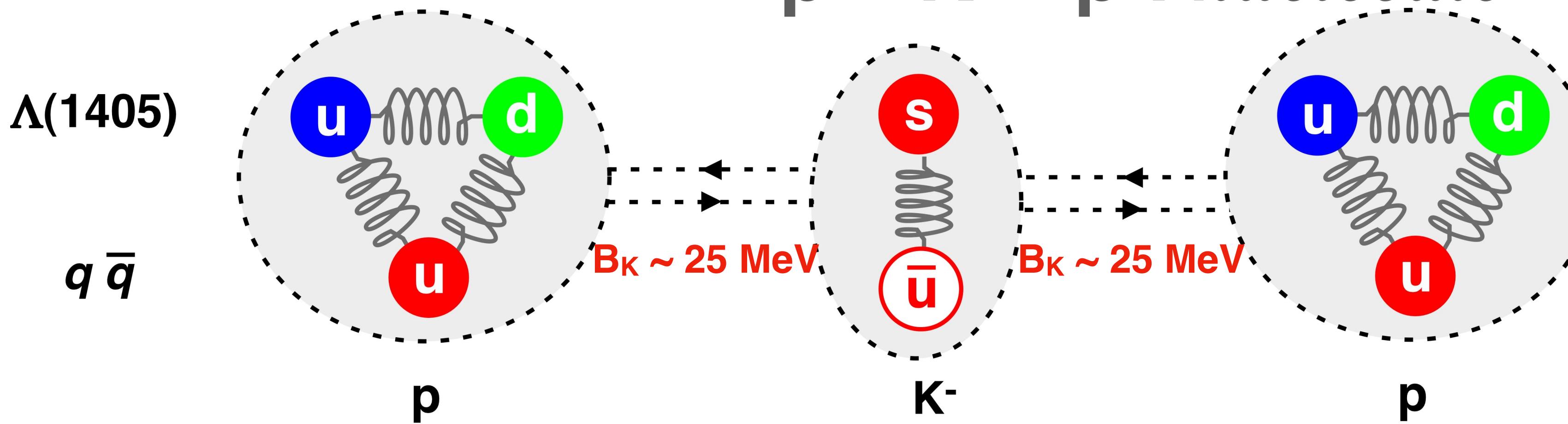
## two color-singlet objects bound by meson exchange : $p =$



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## kaonic nucleus “Kpp”

$p = K^- = p : \text{nucleole}$



$q \bar{q}$

$p$

$K^-$

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$$M(pK^-) = 1432 \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

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$$\Gamma_{\text{Kpp}} \sim 100 \text{ MeV}$$

and “Kp” =  $\Lambda(1405)$