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Beam Spin Asymmetry of SIDIS pions with CLAS 12



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Introduction

- Physics motivation
- Particle identification
- Preliminary results

- run 3432 (~ 1400 files)
 - 10.6 GeV
 - solenoid -100%, torus -100%
 - cooked with coatjava v. 5b.3.3

Physics Motivation

- The 3D nucleon structure can be described with GPDs and TMDs
- The **SIDIS** cross section can be expressed in terms of model independent structure functions:

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dx_B dQ^2 dz d\phi_h dp_{h\perp}^2} = K(x, y, Q^2) \left\{ F_{UU,T} + \varepsilon F_{UU,L} + \sqrt{2\varepsilon(1+\varepsilon)} \cos\phi_h F_{UU}^{\cos\phi_h} + \varepsilon \cos(2\phi_h) F_{UU}^{\cos 2\phi_h} + \lambda_e \sqrt{2\varepsilon(1-\varepsilon)} \sin\phi_h F_{LU}^{\sin\phi_h} \right\}$$

$$F_{LU}^{\sin\phi} = \frac{2M}{Q} C \left(-\frac{\hat{\mathbf{h}} \cdot \mathbf{k}_T}{M_h} \left(x e H_1^\perp + \frac{M_h}{M} f_1 \frac{\tilde{G}^\perp}{z} \right) + \frac{\hat{\mathbf{h}} \cdot \mathbf{p}_T}{M} \left(x g^\perp D_1 + \frac{M_h}{M} h_1^\perp \frac{\tilde{E}}{z} \right) \right)$$

Diagram illustrating the decomposition of the structure function $F_{LU}^{\sin\phi}$ into various components, with arrows pointing to the corresponding terms in the equation:

- twist-3 pdf (points to C)
- Collins FF (points to $x e H_1^\perp$)
- unpolarized dist. function (points to f_1)
- twist-3 FF (points to \tilde{G}^\perp)
- twist-3 t-odd dist. function (points to $x g^\perp D_1$)
- Boer-Mulders (points to h_1^\perp)
- twist-3 FF (points to \tilde{E})

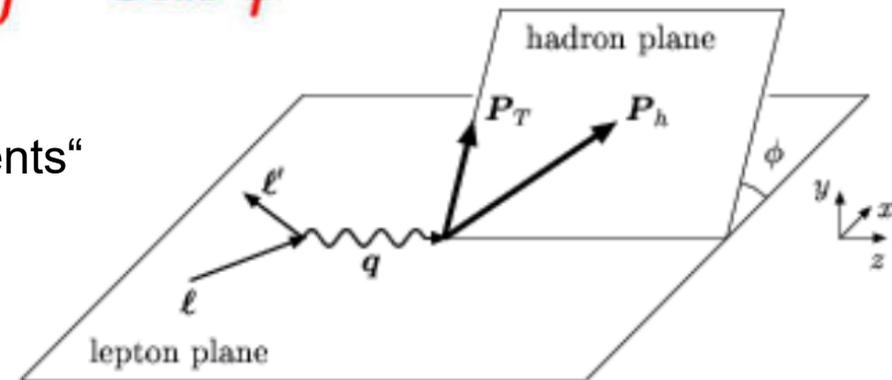
Mulders, Tangerman (1995)

Physics Motivation

$$BSA = \frac{d\sigma^+ - d\sigma^-}{d\sigma^+ + d\sigma^-} = \frac{A_{LU}^{\sin \phi} \sin \phi}{1 + A_{UU}^{\cos \phi} \cos \phi + A_{UU}^{\cos(2\phi)} \cos(2\phi)}$$

$$\approx A_{LU}^{\sin \phi} \sin \phi$$

- BSA is a good tool to extract the „moments“



Experimentally:

$$BSA_i = \frac{1}{P_e} \frac{N_i^+ - N_i^-}{N_i^+ + N_i^-}$$

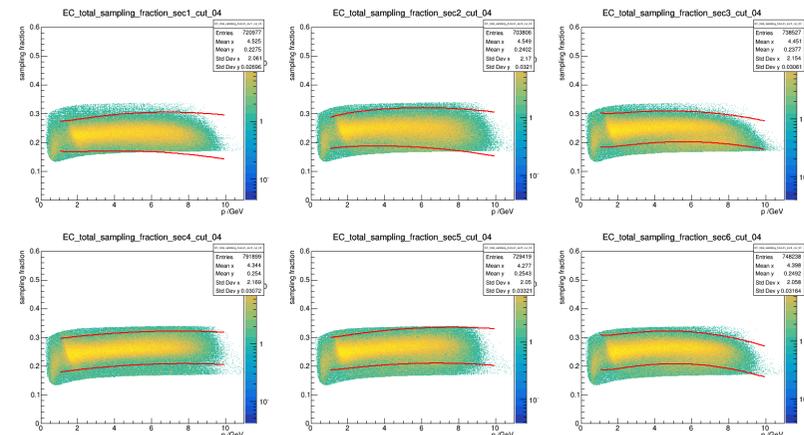
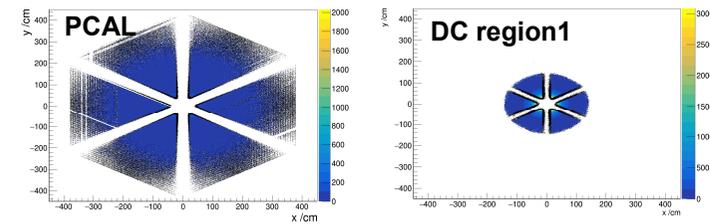
- Helicity independent acceptance terms cancel out in the ratio!

Particle ID

- A clean particle ID is the key for all SIDIS analyses
 - There is no additional event selection criterium
 - Each particle should have a clear ID
 - It may be better to reject a particle than to assign it a wrong PID

a) Electron ID

- Based on eventbuilder PID
 - + fiducial cuts for PCAL
 - + fiducial cuts for DC
 - + Calorimeter sampling fraction cut limited to real 3σ region
 - + $E > 1.5$ GeV @ 10.6 GeV
 - + relatively wide z vertex cut

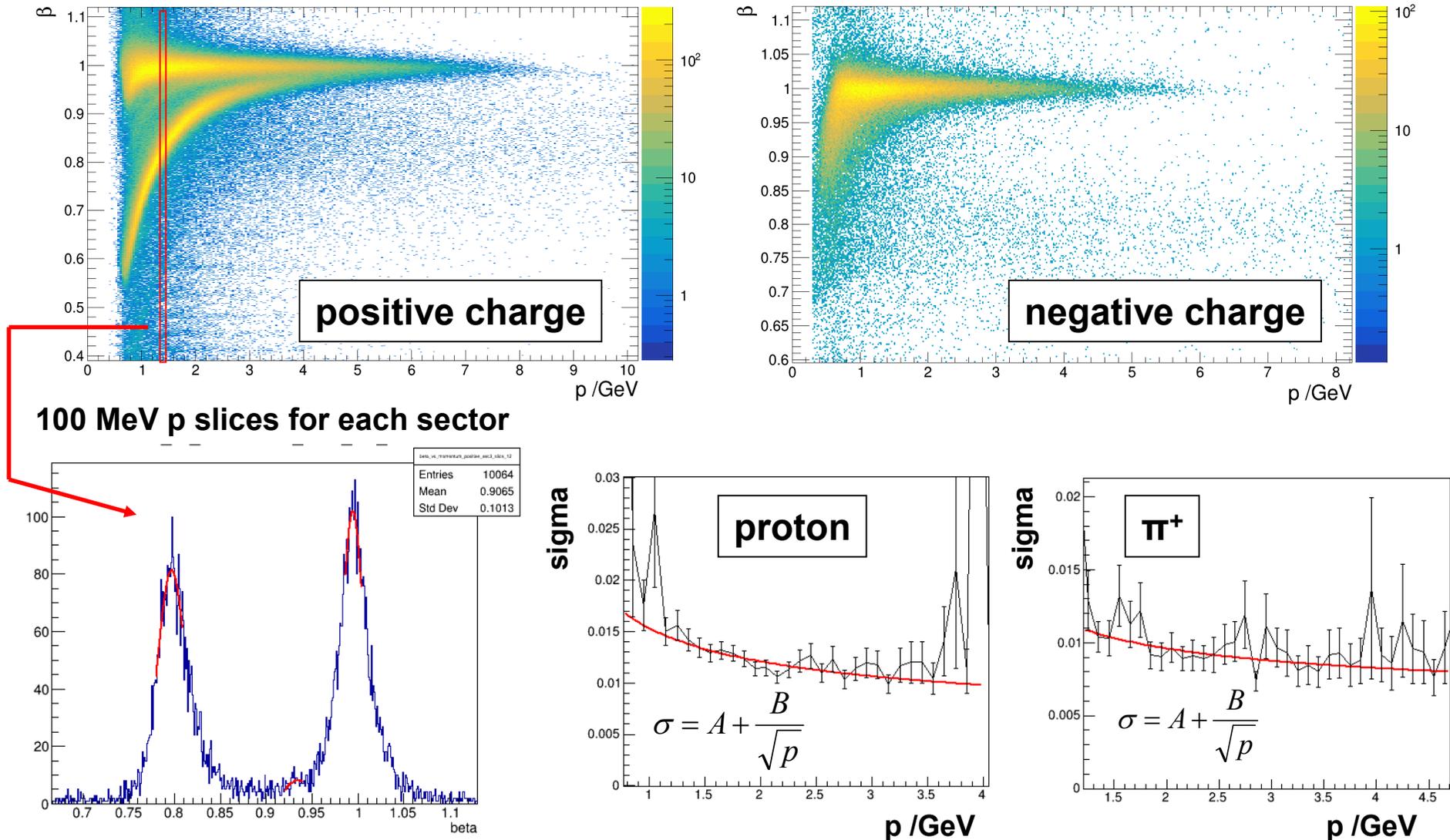


b) Photon ID

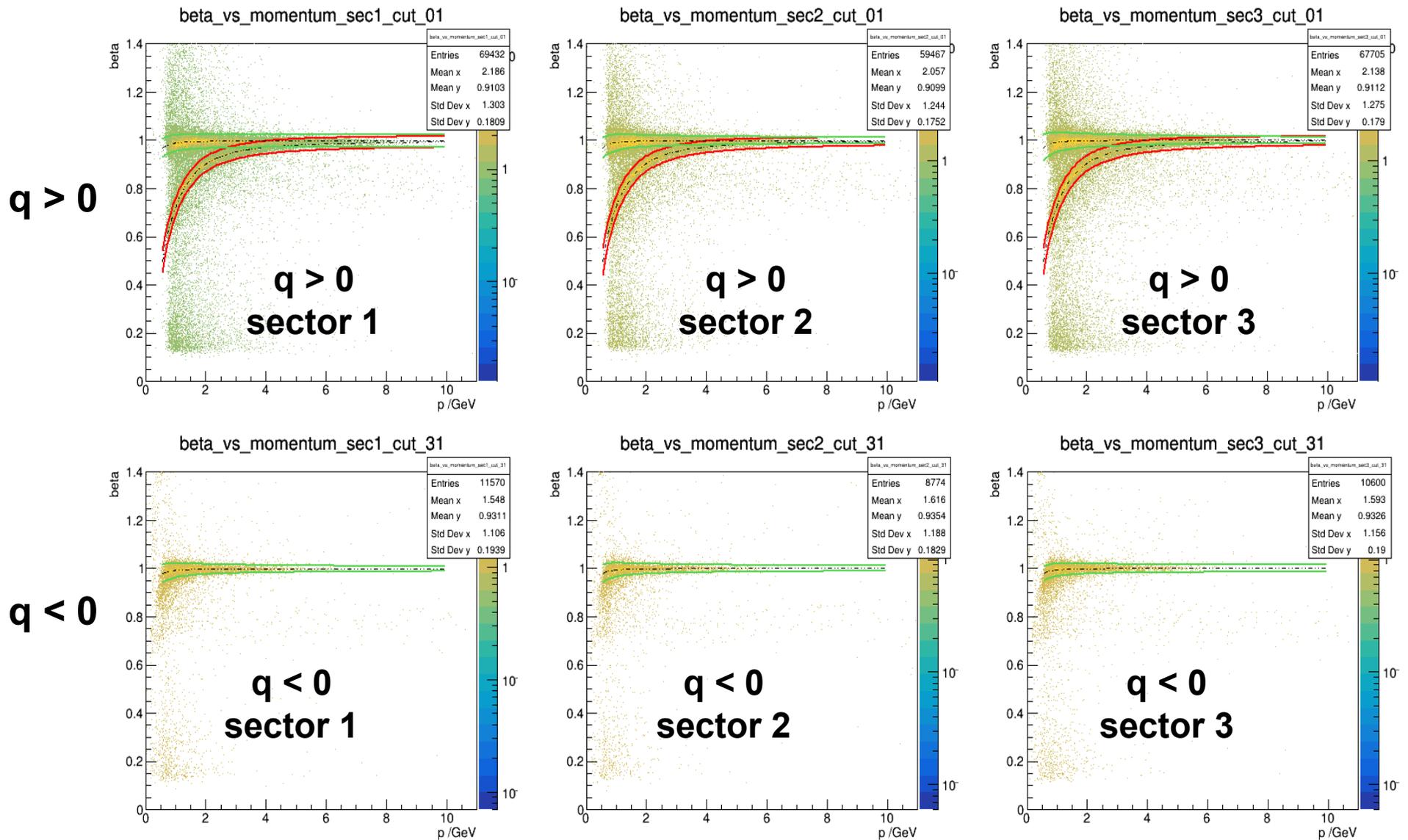
- Based on standard PID + fiducial cuts for PCAL + $\beta > 0.95$

c) Hadron Particle ID

- i) Fiducial cuts on the 3 Driftchamber regions
- ii) Particle selection based on β vs p correlation

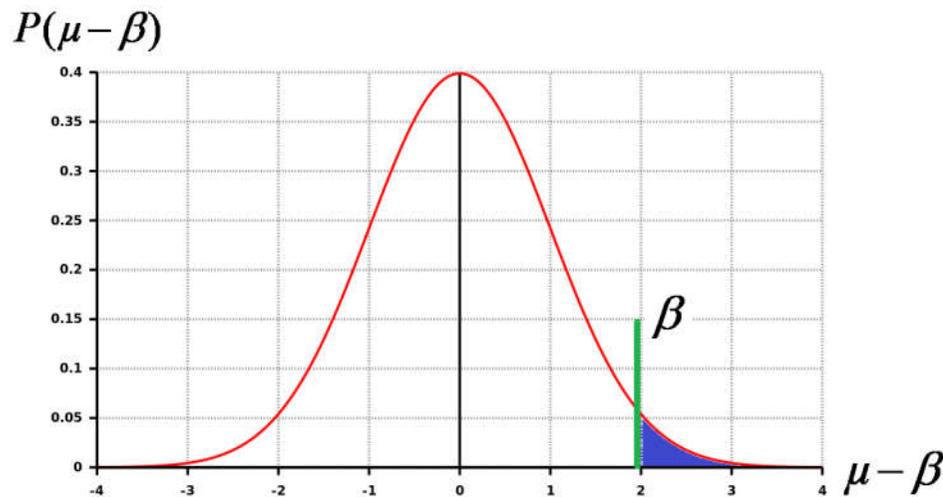


Mean and 3 sigma region



Maximum Likelihood Particle ID

- Simple β vs p cut: particles are double assigned in the overlap region
 → Assignment of each particle based on statistical probabilities



$$P(\beta) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \cdot \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{\beta - \mu}{\sigma}\right)^2\right)$$

Consider: Particles have momentum dependent population fractions

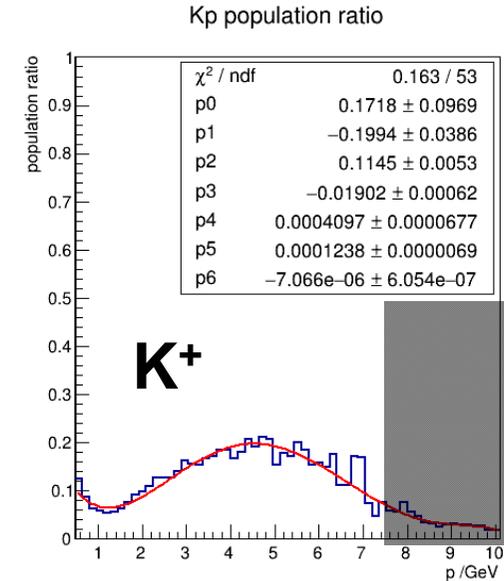
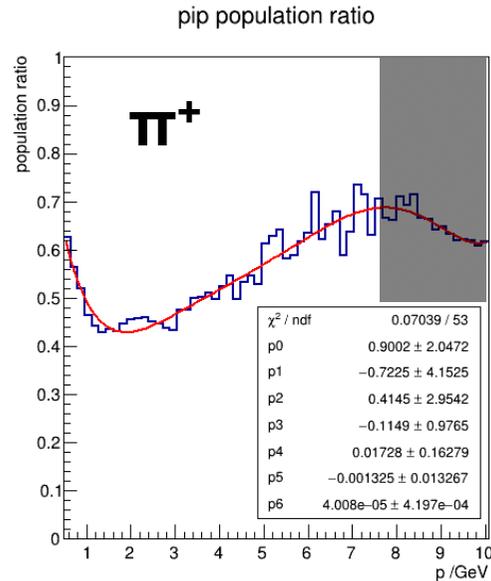
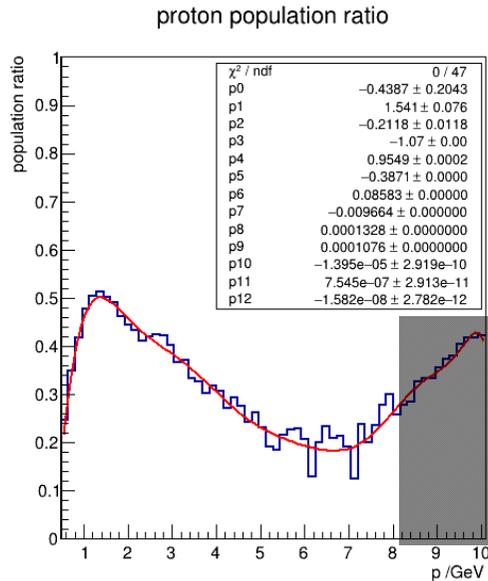
$$n_{\pi^+}(p) = \frac{N_{\pi^+}(p)}{N_{\pi^+}(p) + N_P(p) + N_{K^+}(p)}$$

$$p_{\pi^+} = n_{\pi^+}(p) \cdot P(\beta, p)$$

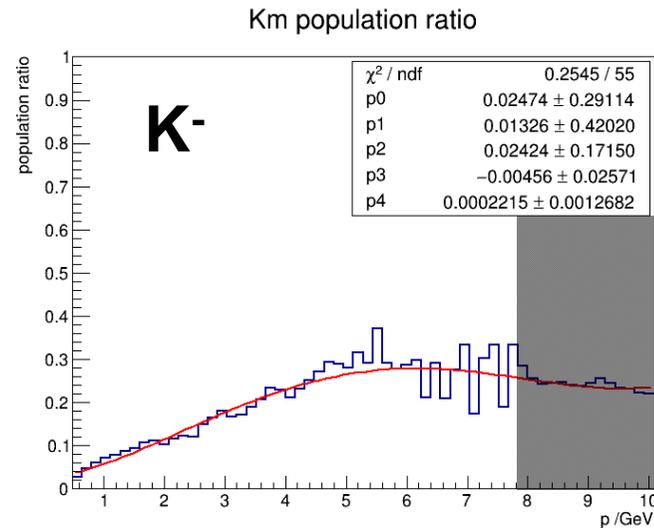
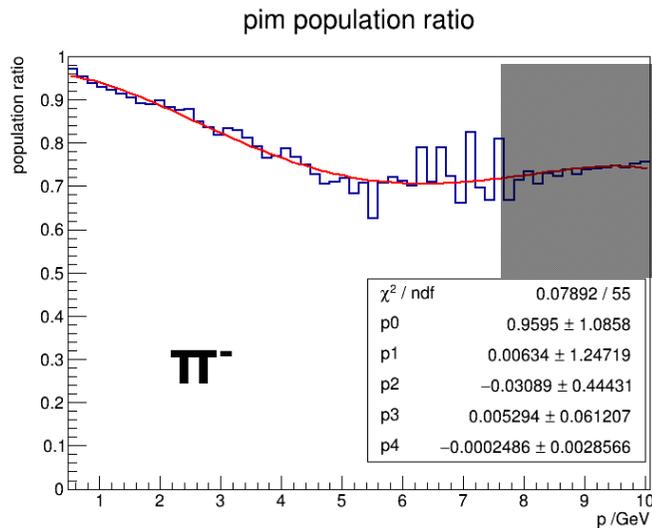
- Calculate $p(\beta)$ for each particle species
- Assign particle to species with the highest probability
- Calculate the confidence level for the particle species
- Check if particle is within the 3 sigma region (conf. lev. > 0.27%)

Population ratio for detected particles (outbending)

positive charge



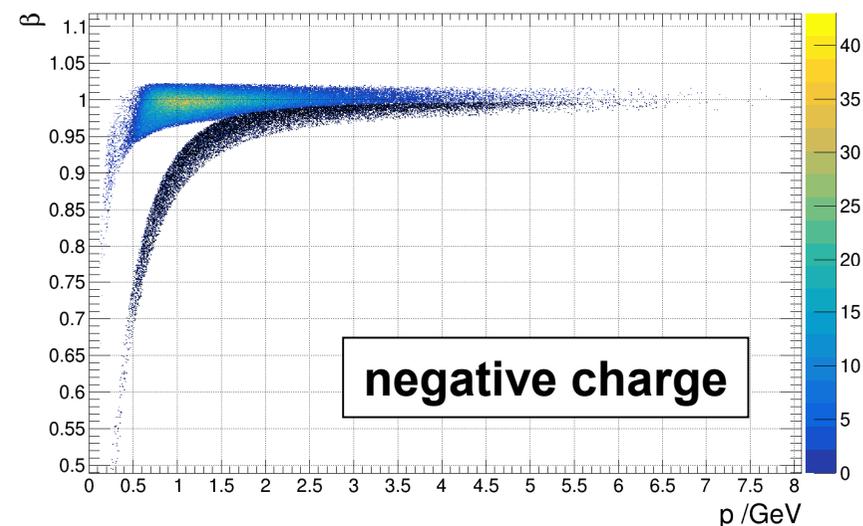
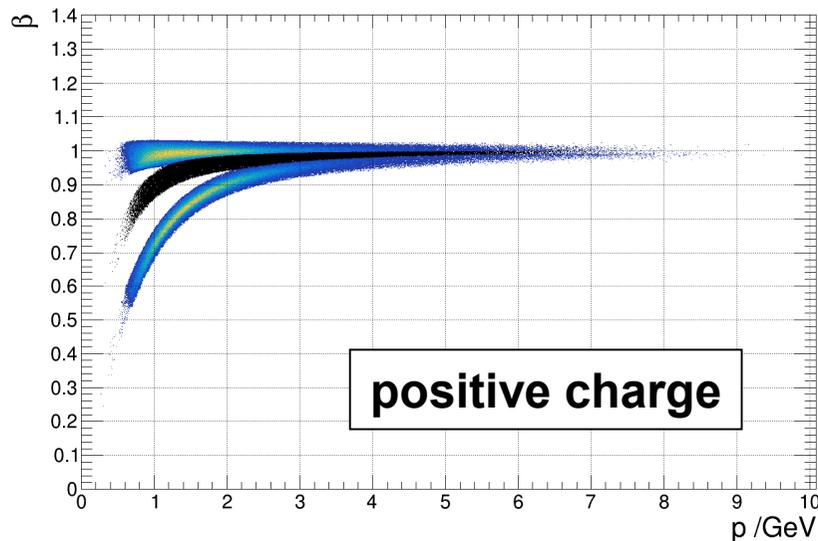
negative charge



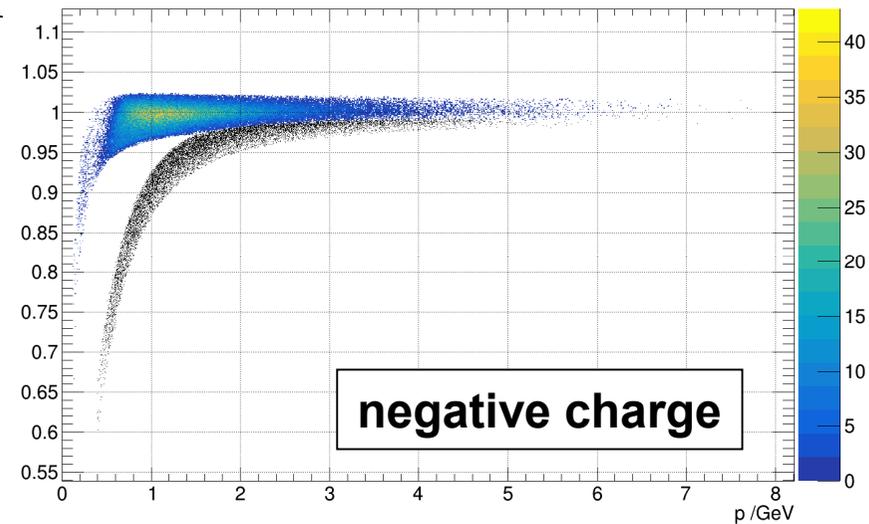
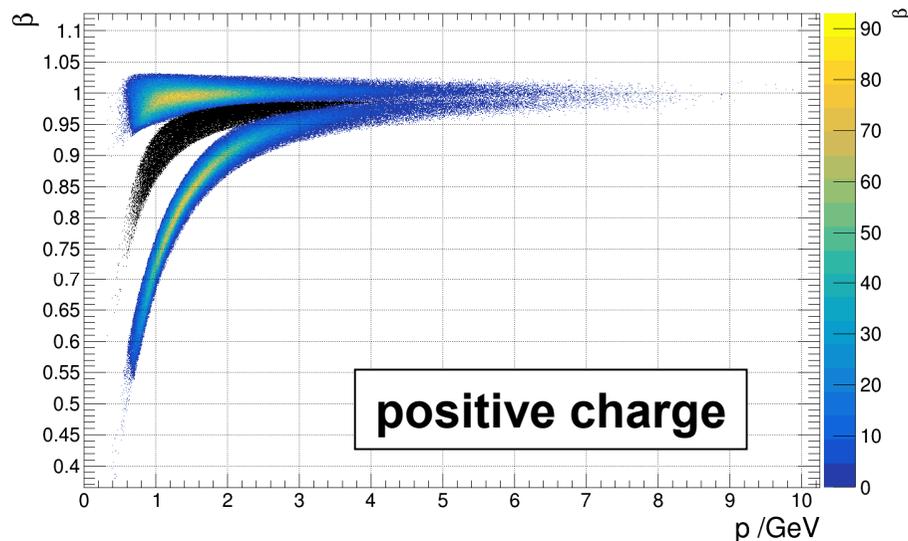
based on
SIDIS
simulations

Maximum Likelihood Particle ID

no population weighting

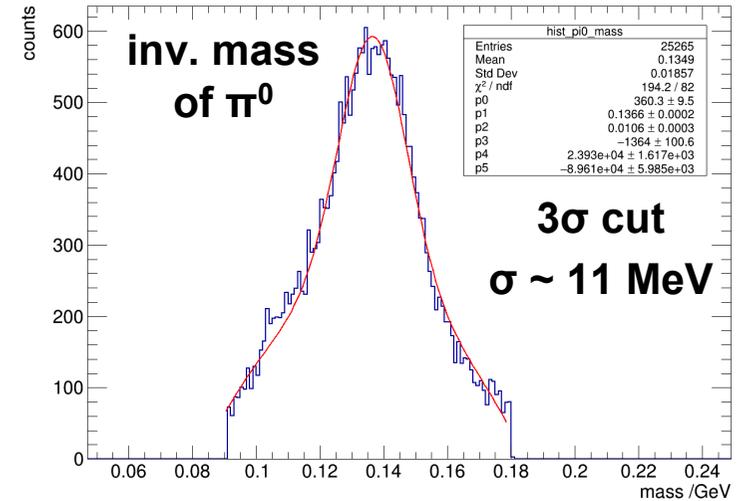
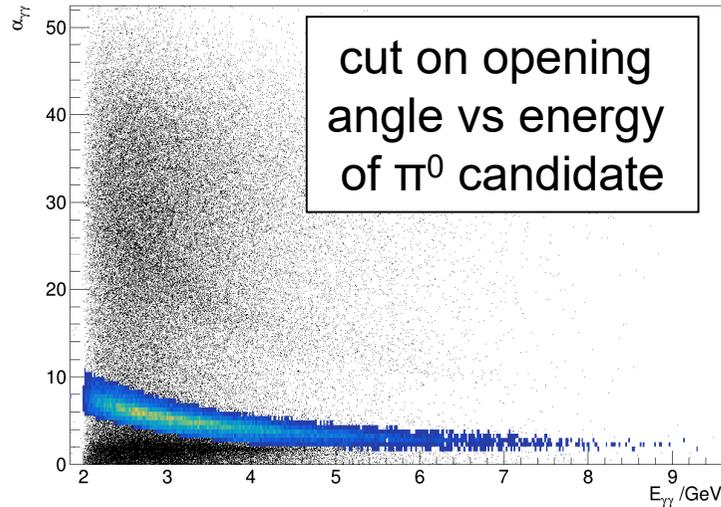


population weighting



π^0 Selection and kinematic coverage

π^0 selection:
 $E_Y > 1$ GeV



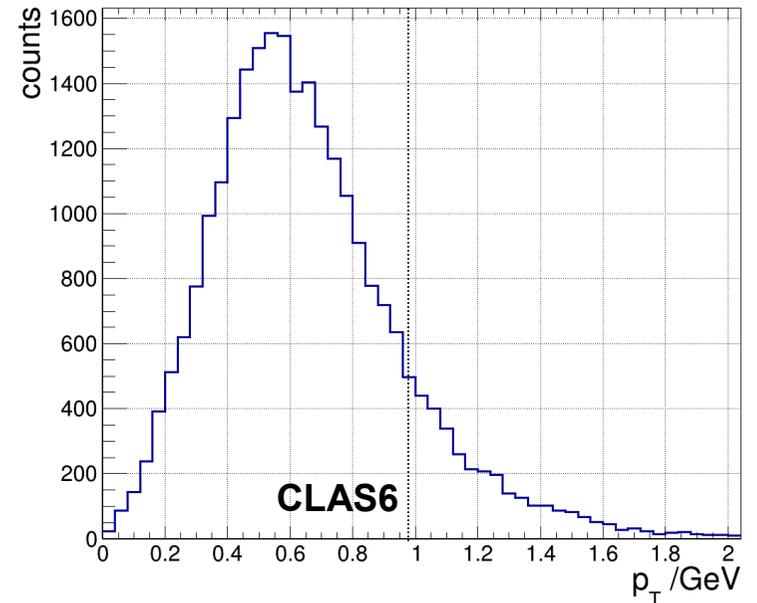
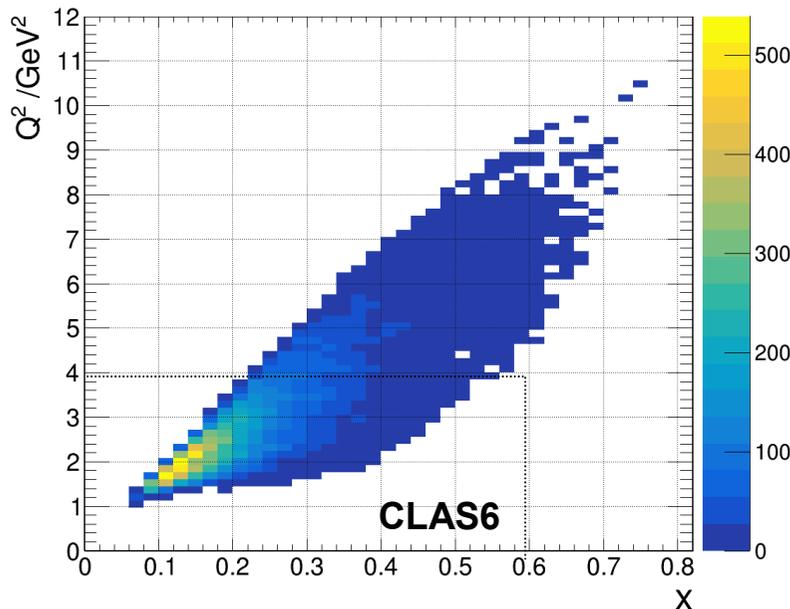
DIS cut: $Q^2 > 1$ GeV² $W > 2$ GeV

kinematic coverage significantly extended compared to CLAS6

CLAS6:

$Q^2 < 4$ GeV²

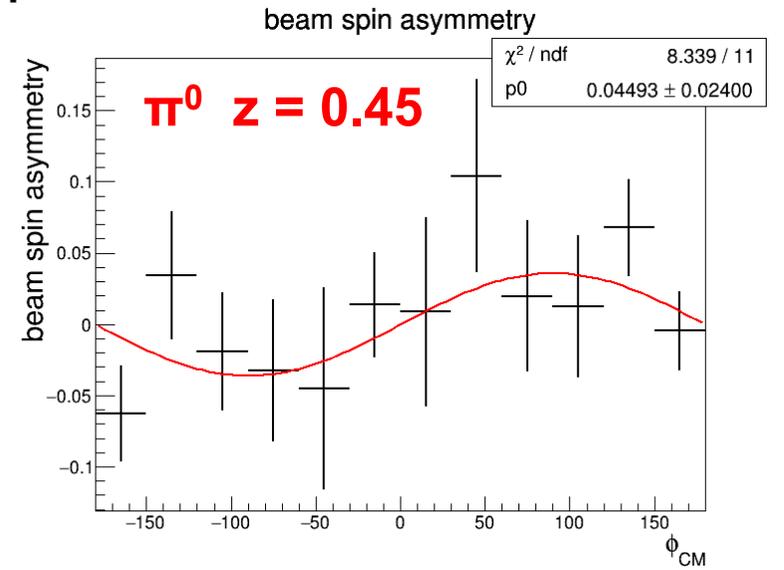
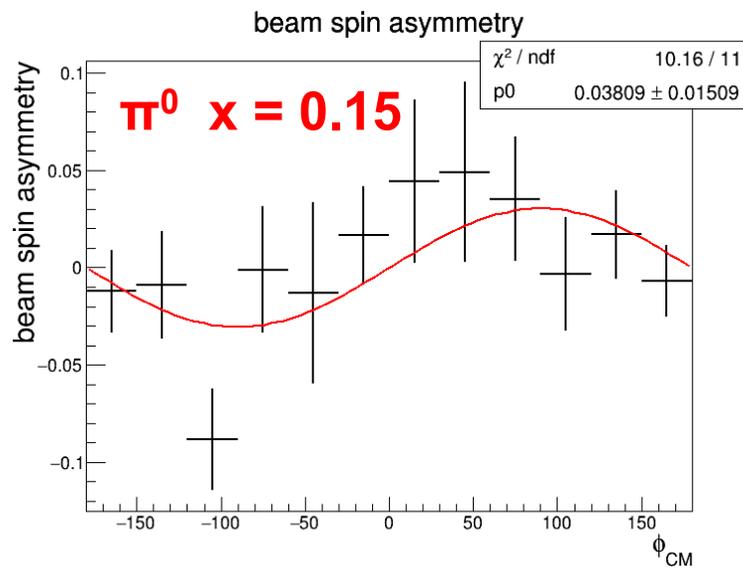
$p_T < 1$ GeV



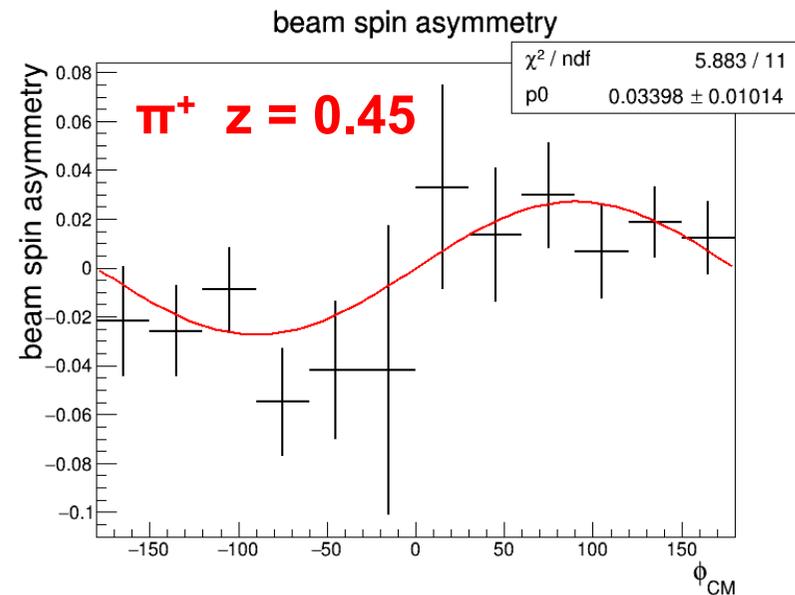
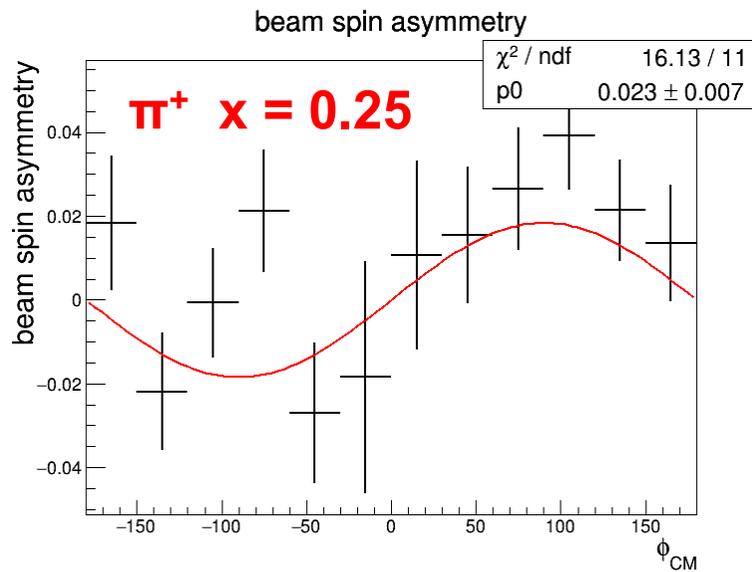
BSA for a single detected pion

binned in z, x, p_t and Q²

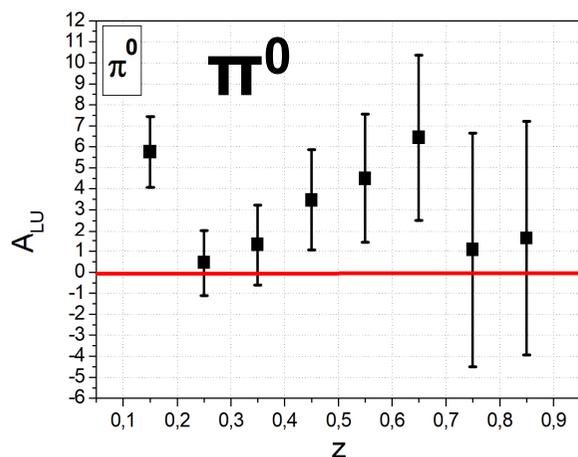
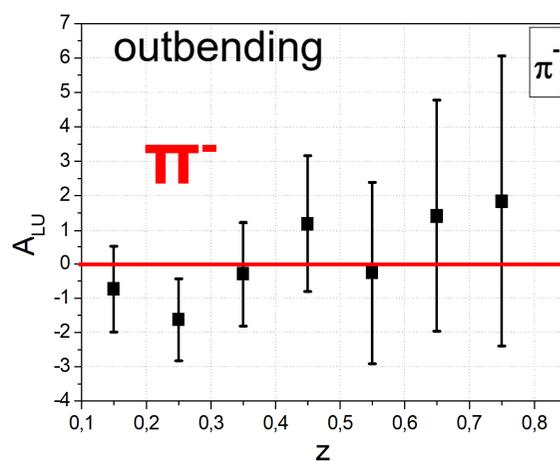
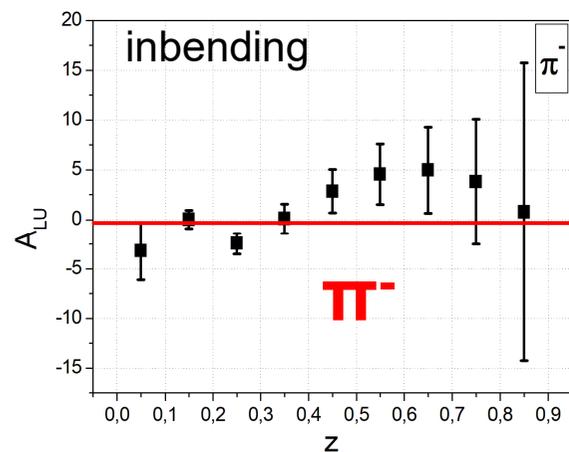
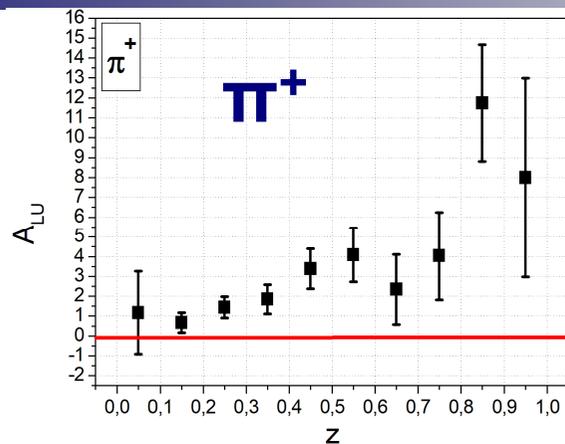
π^0



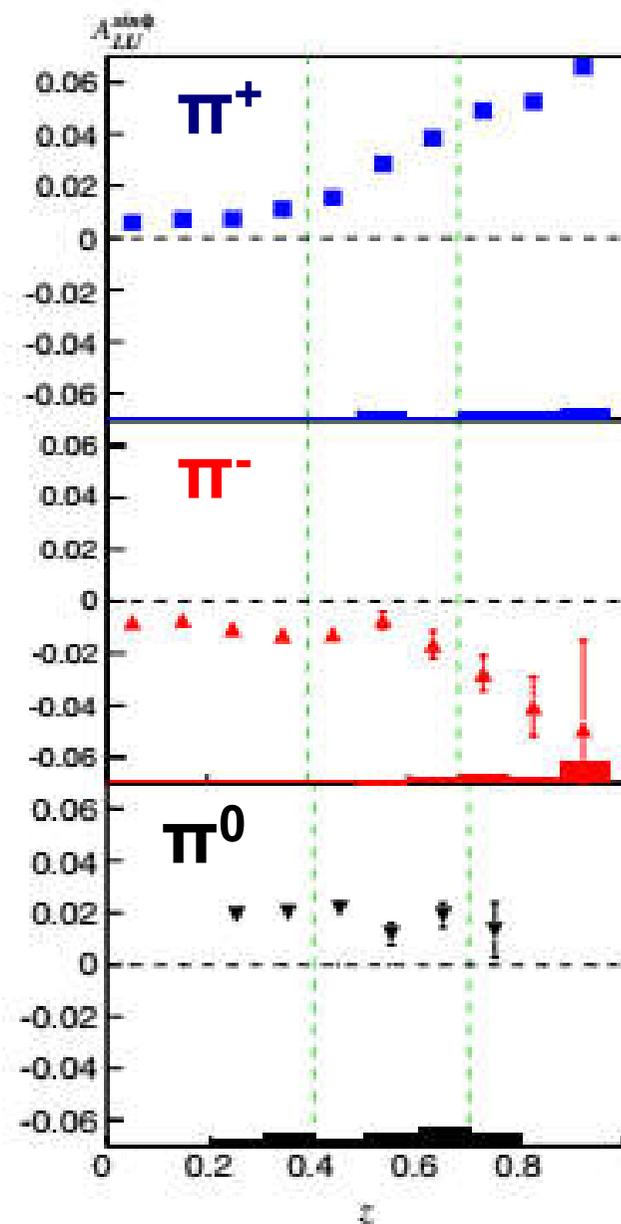
π^+



CLAS 12
10.6 GeV



CLAS 6 - 5.498 GeV

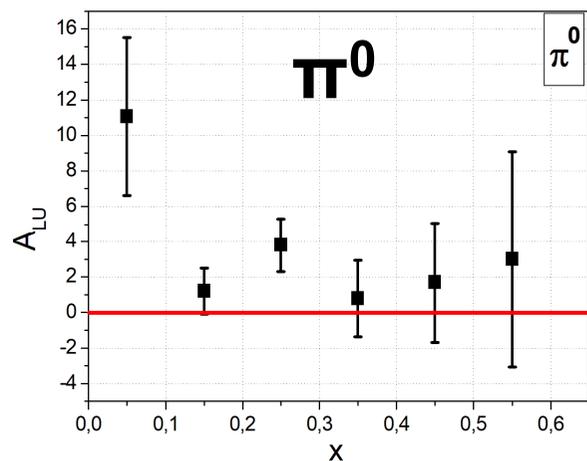
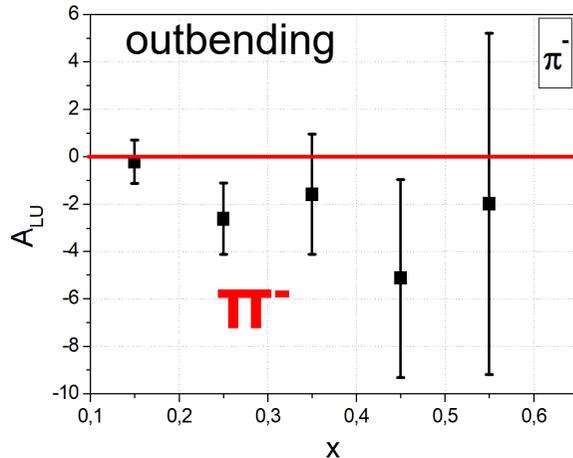
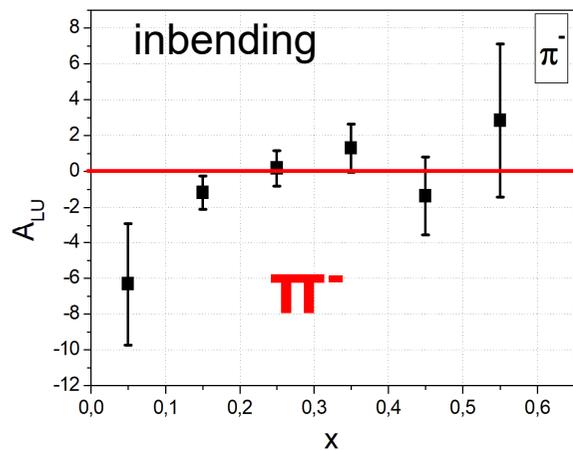
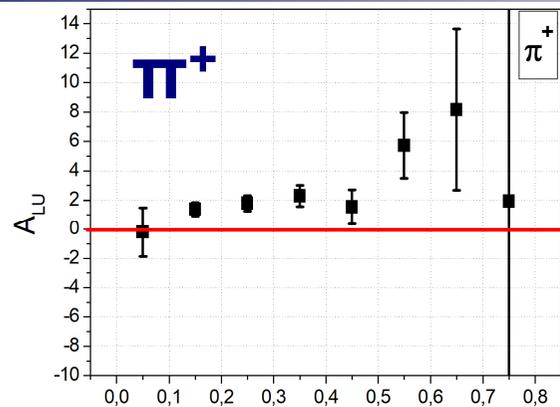


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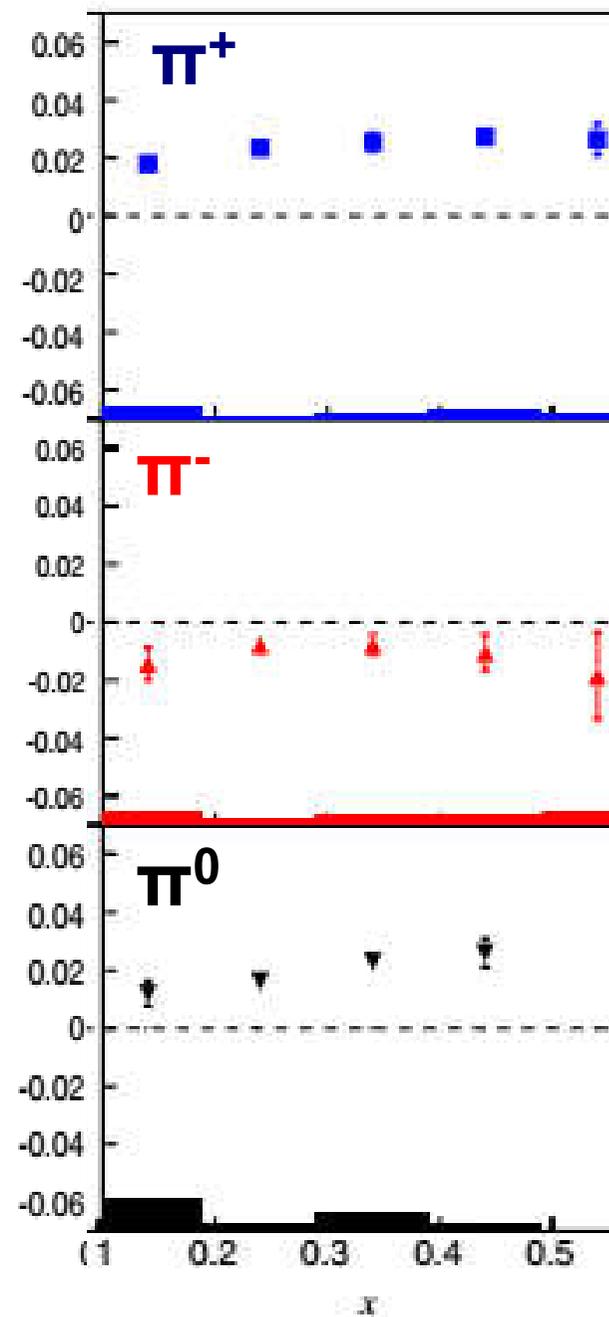
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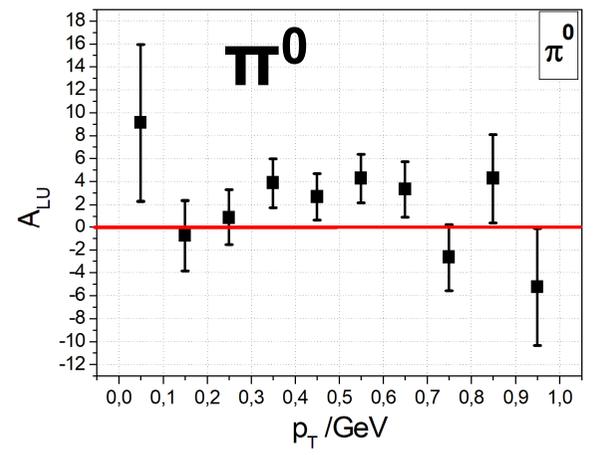
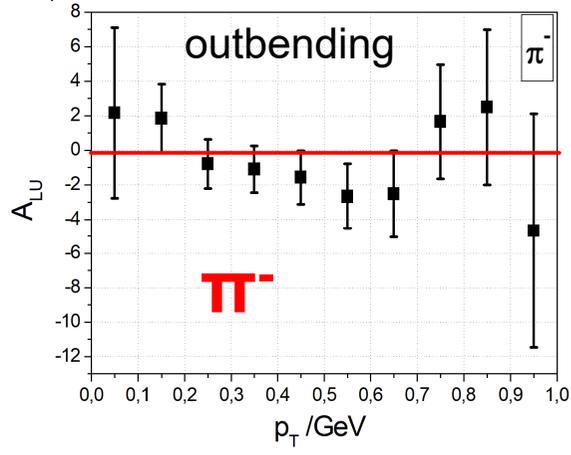
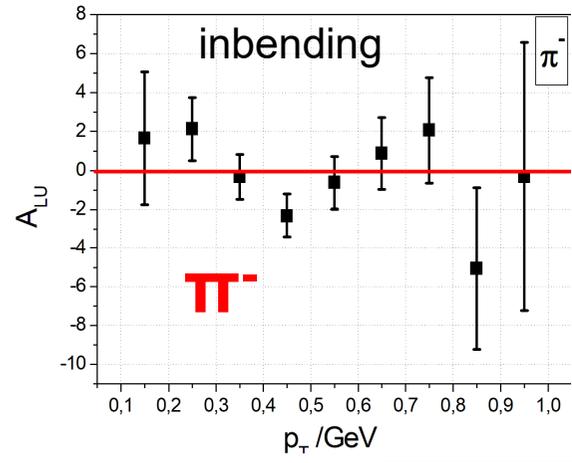
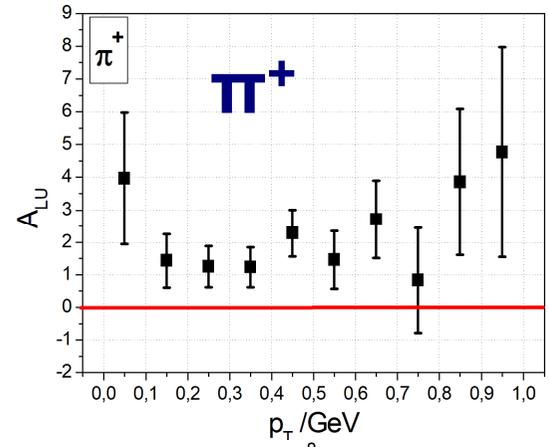
no z cut !



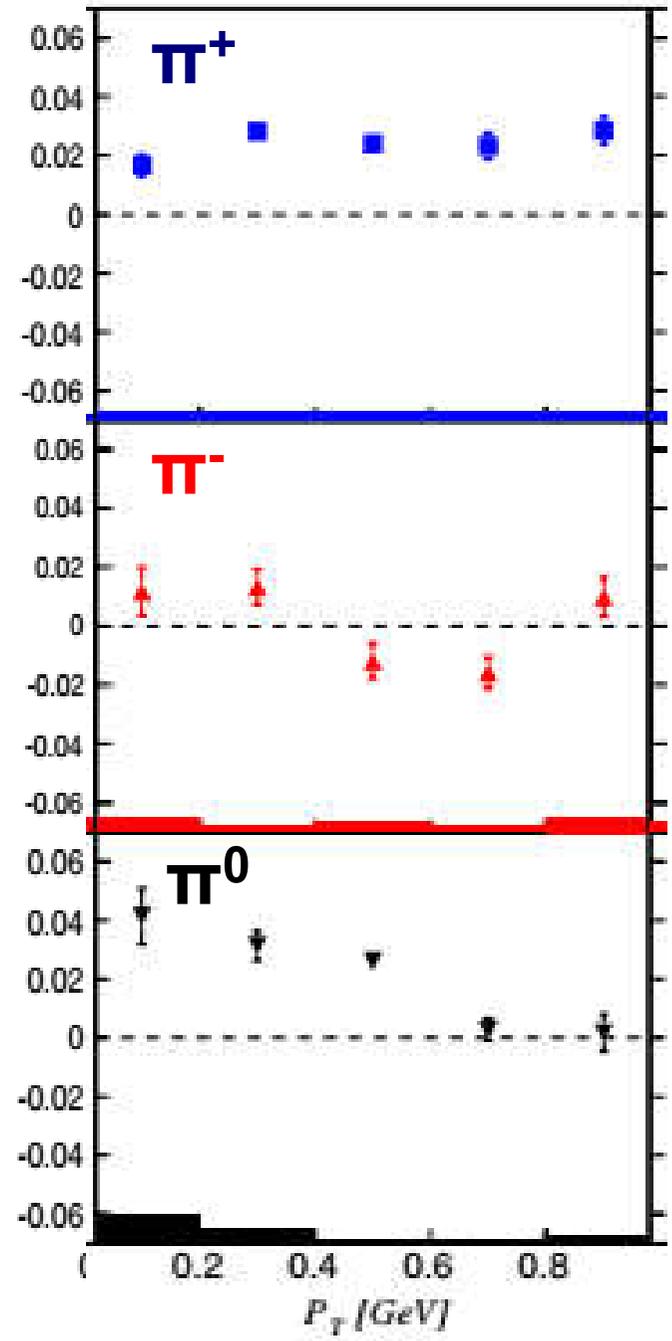
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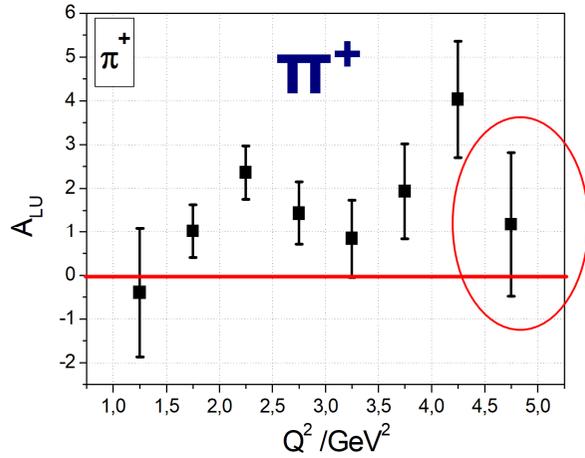
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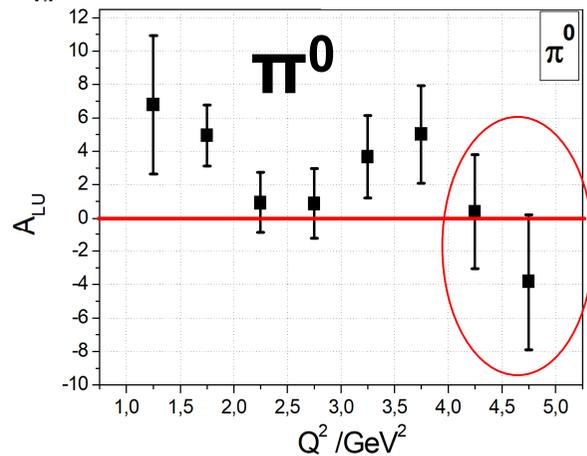
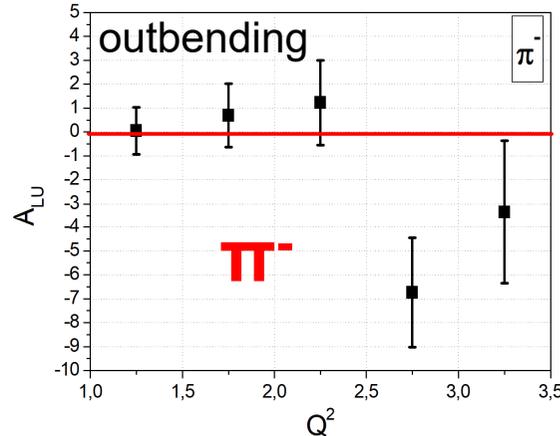
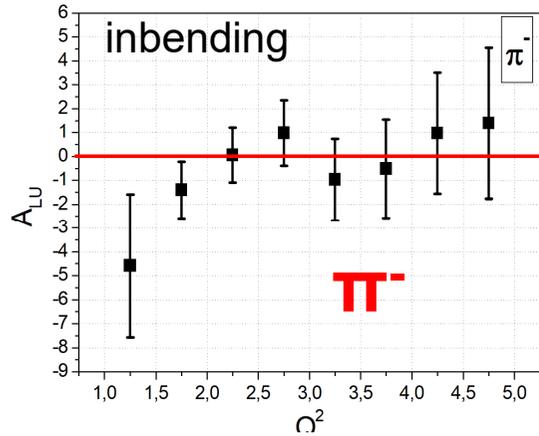
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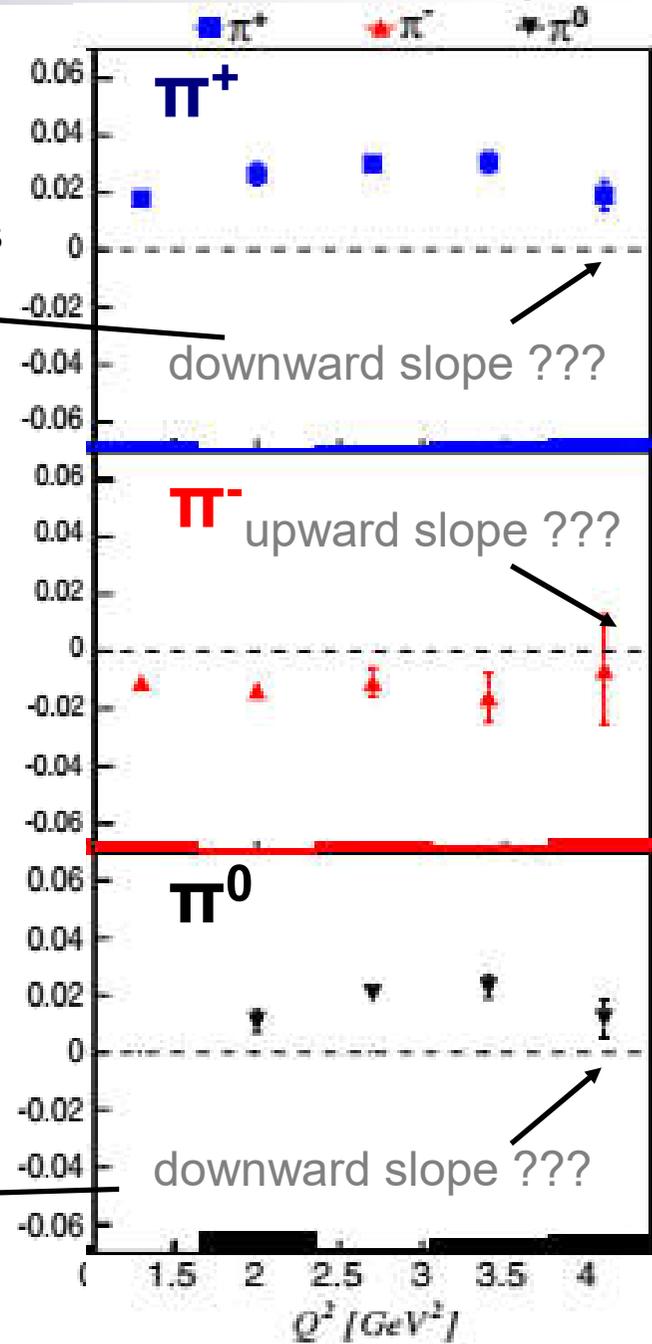
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CLAS 12:
• extension to 8 GeV² with more statistics



CLAS 6 - 5.498 GeV



Summary and Outlook

- SIDIS BSA at 10.6 GeV shows a similar behaviour as at 5.5 GeV (CLAS 6)
- Cuts on $z > 0.3$ and $z < 0.7$ have to be added for the Q^2 , p_T and x binning
 - $z > 0.3$ removes the "target fragmentation region"
 - $z < 0.7$ removes contamination by pions from exclusive channels

- Expected kinematic coverage:

	CLAS 6	CLAS 12
x_B	0.1 - 0.6	0.1 - 0.7
p_T	0 - 1 GeV	0 - 3 GeV
Q^2	1 - 4 GeV ²	1 (1.5) - 8 GeV ²

- ~ 1440 files of run 3432 have been used (0.3 % of spring run)
 - 5%/ 10%/ 25%/ 100% of spring run will reduce errors by a factor 4/6/9/18
- LTCC can provide better Pion/Kaon separation from 3.5 GeV to 9 GeV
 - Only 4 sectors available (only 1 filled with C_4F_{10})
- Theoretical modells will be provided by Peter Schweitzer (UCONN)