Beam Charge Asymmetries for Deeply Virtual Compton Scattering on the Proton at CLAS12

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- (i) Physics motivations
- (ii) Proposed measurements
- (iii) Polarized positron beam production
- (iv) Positron beam in Hall B
- (v) Control of systematics
- (vi) Beam time request
- (vii) e<sup>+</sup>@JLab White Paper

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J. Grames, E. Voutier et al. Jefferson Lab LOI12-18-004 (2018), arXiv:1906.09419



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"These measurements all have significant physics interest. The proposers should carefully evaluate feasibility and present the best case possible in a future proposal."



## Parton Imaging

D. Müller, D. Robaschik, B. Geyer, F.M. Dittes, J. Horejsi, FP 42 (1994) 101 X. Ji, PRD 55 (1997) 7114 A. Radyushkin, PRD 56 (1997) 5524

GPDs parameterize the partonic structure of hadrons and offer the unprecedented possibility to access the spatial distribution of partons.





### N(e,e'<sub>Y</sub>N) Dífferentíal Cross Section

M. Diehl at the CLAS12 European Workshop, Genova, February 25-28, 2009



$$\sigma_{P0}^{e} = \sigma_{BH} + \sigma_{DVCS} + P_{l} \,\widetilde{\sigma}_{DVCS} + e_{l} \left( \sigma_{INT} + P_{l} \,\widetilde{\sigma}_{INT} \right)$$





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**Polarized electrons and positrons** allow to **separate** the unknown amplitudes of the cross section for electro-production of photons.



#### Nucleon Internal Pressure

V. Burkert, L. Elouadrhiri, F.-X. Girod, Nature 557 (2018) 396 M.V. Polyakov, P. Schweitzer, Int. J. Mod. Phys. A33 (2018) 1830025 K. Kumerički, Nature 570 (2019) E1

$$\int_{-1}^{1} x H(x,\xi,t) dx = M_{2}(t) + \frac{\xi^{2} d_{1}(t)}{\xi^{2} d_{1}(t)}$$
The 2<sup>nd</sup> order Mellin moment of GPDs allow to access the pressure distribution inside hadrons through the skewness dependency of GPDs... (bDVC5).  
CFF  $\mathcal{H}(\xi,t) = \int_{-1}^{1} \left[\frac{1}{\xi-x-i\epsilon} - \frac{1}{\xi+x-i\epsilon}\right] H(x,\xi,t) dx$   
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# Beam Charge Asymmetries

#### Using polarized electron and positron beams, we are proposing to measure

- The unpolarized beam charge asymmetry  $A_{UU}^{C}$ , which is sensitive to the CFF real part
- The polarized beam charge asymmetry  $A_{LU}^{C}$ , which is sensitive to the CFF imaginary part
- The charge averaged beam spin asymmetry  $A_{LU}^0$ , which is sensitive to higher twist effects



$$A_{LU}^{C} \neq A_{LU}^{\pm} = \frac{\tilde{\sigma}_{DVCS} \pm \tilde{\sigma}_{INT}}{\sigma_{BH} + \sigma_{INT} + \sigma_{DVCS}}$$

 $Y_{\pm P^{\pm}}^{e^{\pm}} = \frac{N_{\pm}}{Q_{\pm}^{\pm}P^{\pm}}$  is the beam polarization and accumulated charge normalized yield.

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### Experímental Observables

H. Avakian, V. Burkert, V. Guzey, JPos09, AIP 1160 (2009) 43

$$CFF \propto F_1 \mathcal{H} + \frac{x_B}{2 - x_B} (F_1 + F_2) \widetilde{\mathcal{H}} - \frac{t}{4M^2} F_2 \mathcal{E}$$
  
Dominant contribution at twist-2 approximation

> Experimental observables are evaluated assuming GPD H and E dominance, within a dual parameterization approach.



Beam charge asymmetries with large amplitudes are predicted.



## Polarízed Electrons for Polarízed Posítrons

(PEPPo Collaboration) D. Abbott et al. , PRL 116 (2016) 214801

#### PEPPo demonstrated efficient polarization transfer from 8.2 MeV/c electrons to positrons, expanding polarized positron capabilities from GeV to MeV accelerators.



The PEPPo technique can achieve up to 100% transfer of the electron.











### e<sup>+</sup> Beam Induced Modifications

#### Beam transport and characterization

- There is no difference bewteen electron and positron beam transport in Hall B beam line
- Beam diagnostic shoud be operated in principle
- Møller to Bhabha polarimeter

On-going reflexion of experts

#### Beam related background in CLAS12

- Bhabha and Møller scattering have different angular distributions: from similar to much smaller as c.m. angle increases

- Positron annihilation is an additional background process

Simulations in progress



Møller to Bhabha Polarímeter

#### TOP VIEW



The transition of the Møller polarimeter into a Bhabha polarimeter requires to rewire the quads into dipoles.



• Loss of half the coincidences

 Potential background issues from cross-over events

In principle possible...





### Beam Related Systematics

Y. Roblin at the International Workshop on Physics with Positrons at Jefferson Lab, Newport News, September 12-15, 2017

> Despite much larger momentum dispersion and emittance at the source,  $e^+$  and  $e^-$  beams have the same  $\delta p/p$  at target, with an emittance 2-3 times larger.



- Select the electron from the  $e^+e^-$ -pair produced at the source to investigate these possible effects or perform the physics measurement.



# Detector Related Systematics

Potential false asymmetries may occur between due to e<sup>-</sup> and e<sup>+</sup> from same vertex and kinematics passing through different part of the detector shifted in \$\ophi\$ in a sector.





# BCA @ CLAS12

| Purpose                         | Beam  | Energy<br>(GeV) | Polarization<br>(%) | Luminosity<br>(cm <sup>-2</sup> .s <sup>-1</sup> ) | Time<br>(d) |
|---------------------------------|-------|-----------------|---------------------|--|-------------|
| Commissionning /<br>Calibration | e+/e- | . 11            | 60<br>(> 40)        | 10 <sup>35</sup>                                   | 4           |
| p-DVCS                          | e-    |                 |                     |  | 38          |
|                                 | e+    |                 |                     |  | 38          |
|                                 | -     |                 |                     | Total  | 80          |

> We propose to run for 80 days equally shared between polarized positron and electron beams, including: commissionning of « new » equipment,

specific systematics calibration measurements,

DVCS physics data taking off the proton.

- Projections of experimental measurements
- Impact of positron measurements on CFF extraction
- Impact of positron measurements on D-term determination

Work in progress...





Template files available here

https://ipnshare.in2p3.fr/owncloud/index.php/s/BdDZ2NHS2qSV4jZ/download

Final Positron White Paper: June 29th.