

The apparatus for next hypernuclear experiments at JLab

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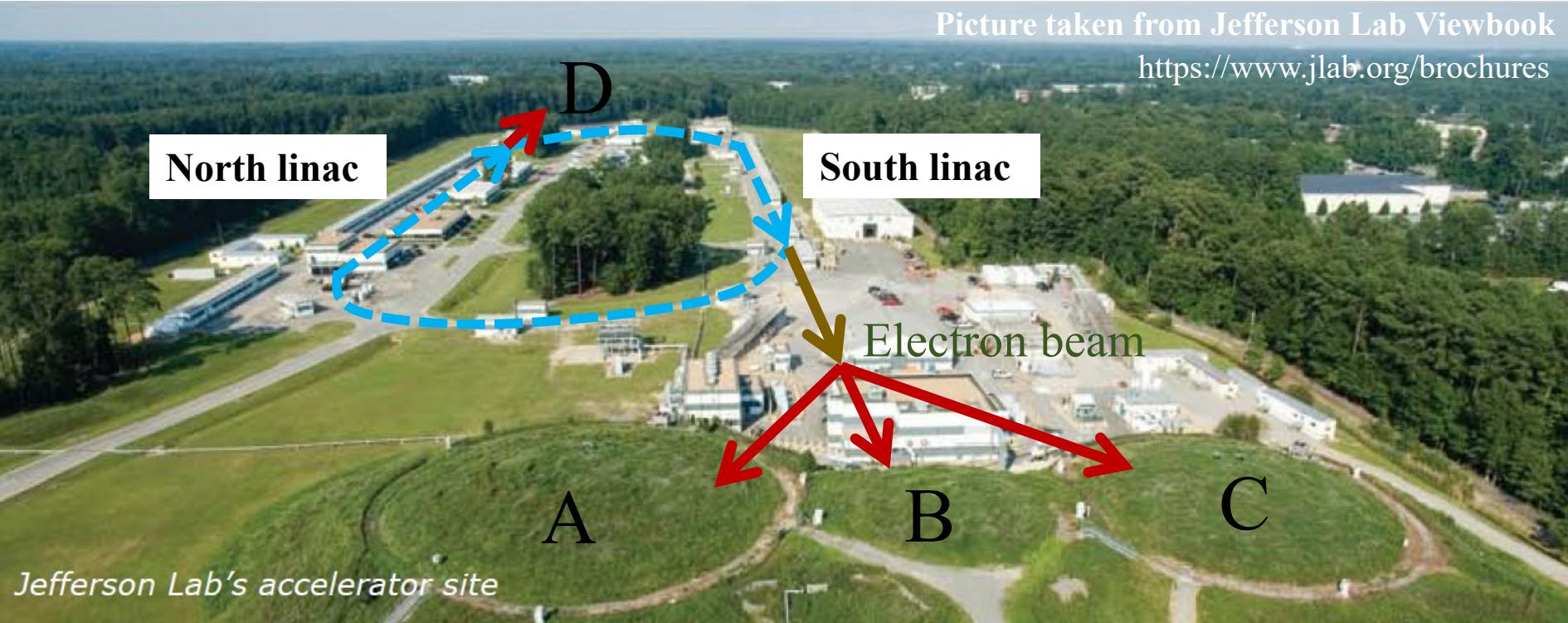


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CEBAF at Newport News, VA, US

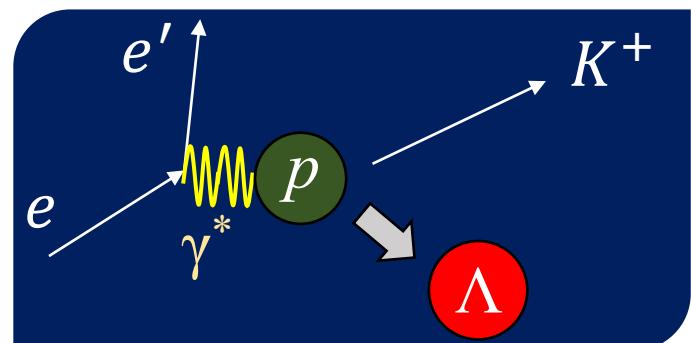
Picture taken from Jefferson Lab Viewbook

<https://www.jlab.org/brochures>



Continuous electron beam facility (CEBAF)

- ✓ 12 GeV at maximum (at Hall D)
- ✓ 150 μA ($> 900 \text{ THz}$)
- ✓ 2 or 4-ns interval bunches
- ✓ Emittance of $2 \mu\text{m}\cdot\text{mrad}$
- ✓ Energy spread ($\Delta E/E < 5 \times 10^{-5} \text{ rms}$)



$(e, e' K^+)$ experiments at JLab Hall A

$^{40,48}_{\Lambda} K$ (E12-15-008)

→ ΛNN isospin dependence

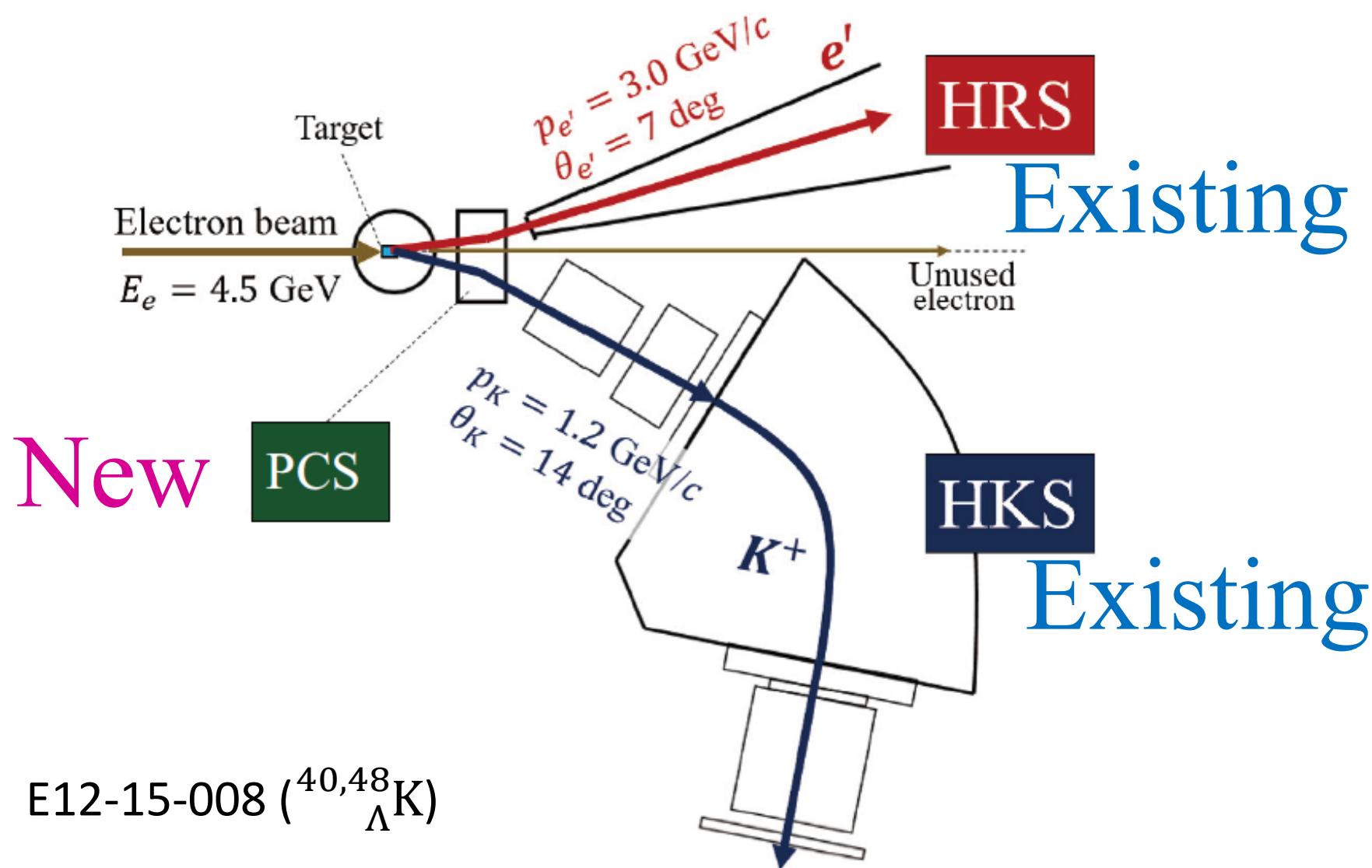
$^{3,4}_{\Lambda} H$ (C12-19-002)

→ $^3_{\Lambda} H$ puzzle, ΛN CSB

$^{208}_{\Lambda} Tl$

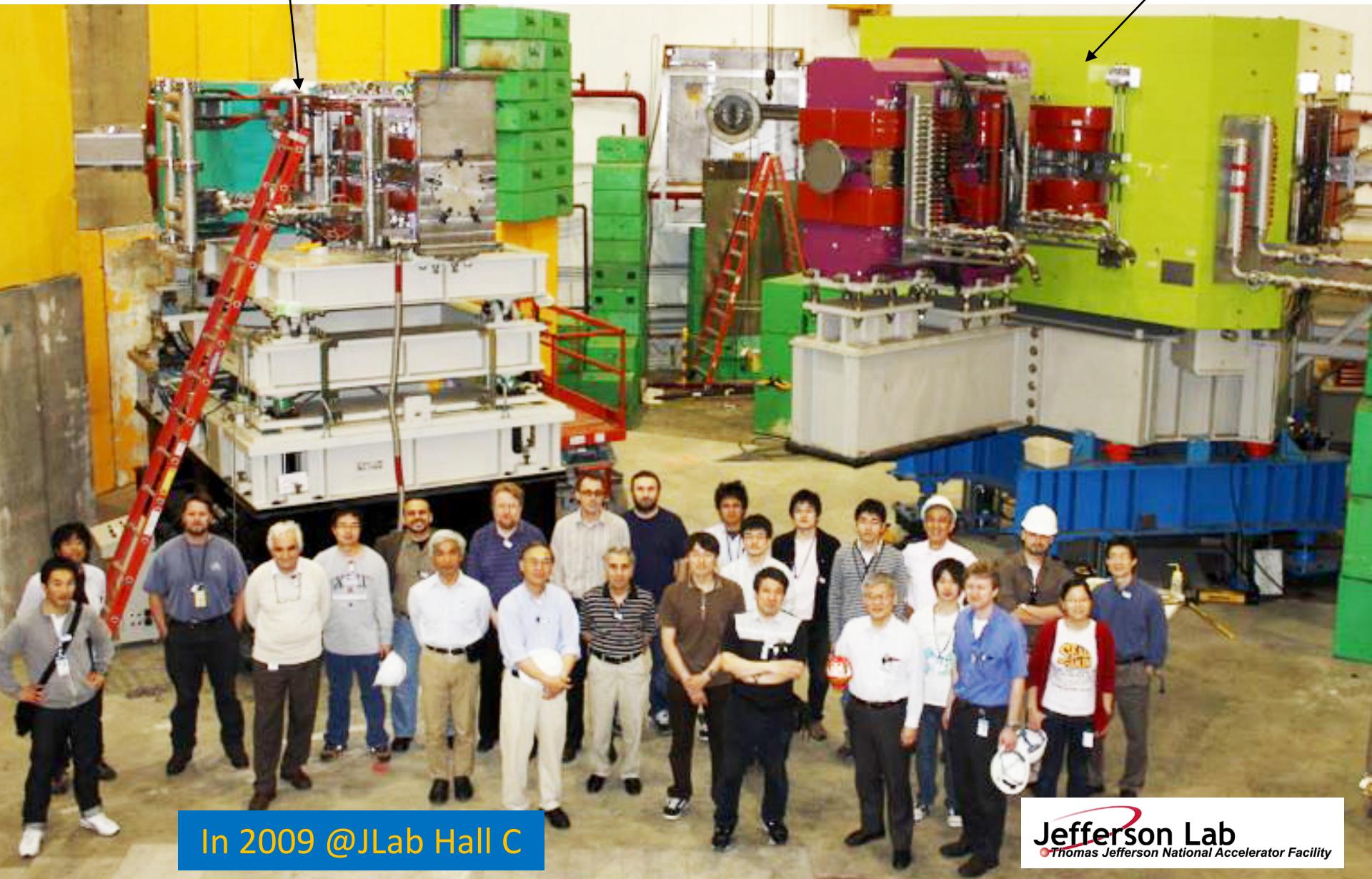
To be discussed in this WS

Experimental setup at JLab Hall A



HES

HKS



In 2009 @JLab Hall C

Jefferson Lab
Thomas Jefferson National Accelerator Facility

LHRS

RHRS



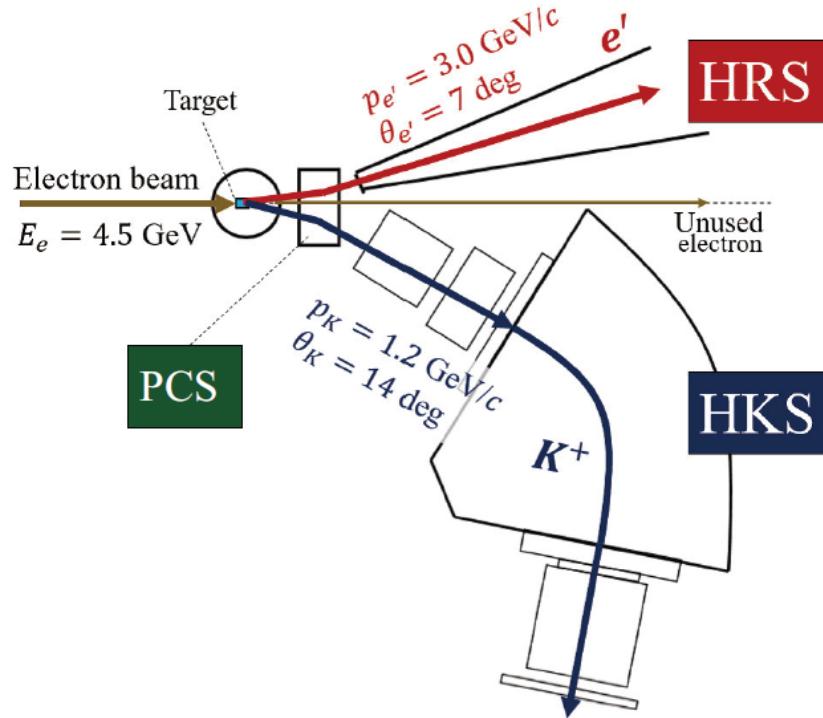
April 2019 @JLab Hall A

PCS (Pair of Charge Separation dipole magnets)



Constructions of PCS-E and PCS-K were done in March 2020.
→ Will be ready soon to be transported to JLab.

Spectrometer specification



Beam	$\Delta p/p$	$< 1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ FWHM}$
	E_e	4.5 GeV
	D(PCS) + QQQDQ	
PCS + HRS	$\Delta p/p$	$\simeq 2 \times 10^{-4} \text{ FWHM}$
(e')	$p_{e'}$	$3.0 \text{ GeV}/c \pm 4.5\%$
	$\theta_{ee'}$	$7.0 \pm 1.5 \text{ deg}$
	Solid angle $\Omega_{e'}$	5 msr
	D(PCS) + QQQD	
PCS + HKS	$\Delta p/p$	$\simeq 2 \times 10^{-4} \text{ FWHM}$
(K^+)	p_K	$1.2 \text{ GeV}/c \pm 10\%$
	θ_{eK}	$14.0 \pm 4.5 \text{ deg}$
	Solid angle Ω_K	3 msr
	Optical length	12 m
	K^+ survival ratio	26%

Sharing setup and calibration with E12-15-008 (+C12-19-002)
→ Saving a lot of time and energy

Parameter difference from previous experiment

Worse resolution, but better S/N (\rightarrow it allows for $^{40,48}\Lambda$ K measurement)

	E_{beam} (GeV)	$p_{e'}$ (GeV/c)	ω (GeV)	$p_{e'}$ (GeV/c)	S/N	ΔM_{HY}
Previous (E05-115)	2.3	0.8	1.5	1.2	\triangle	\odot
New (E12-15-008) (C12-19-002)	4.5	3.0	1.5	1.2	\odot	\triangle

A diagram illustrating the parameter differences. A red circle highlights the value '4.5' in the E_{beam} column for the 'New' experiment. Another red circle highlights the symbol '⊖' in the S/N column for the 'New' experiment. A thick red bracket connects these two circled elements, indicating a relationship between the increased beam energy and the improved signal-to-noise ratio.

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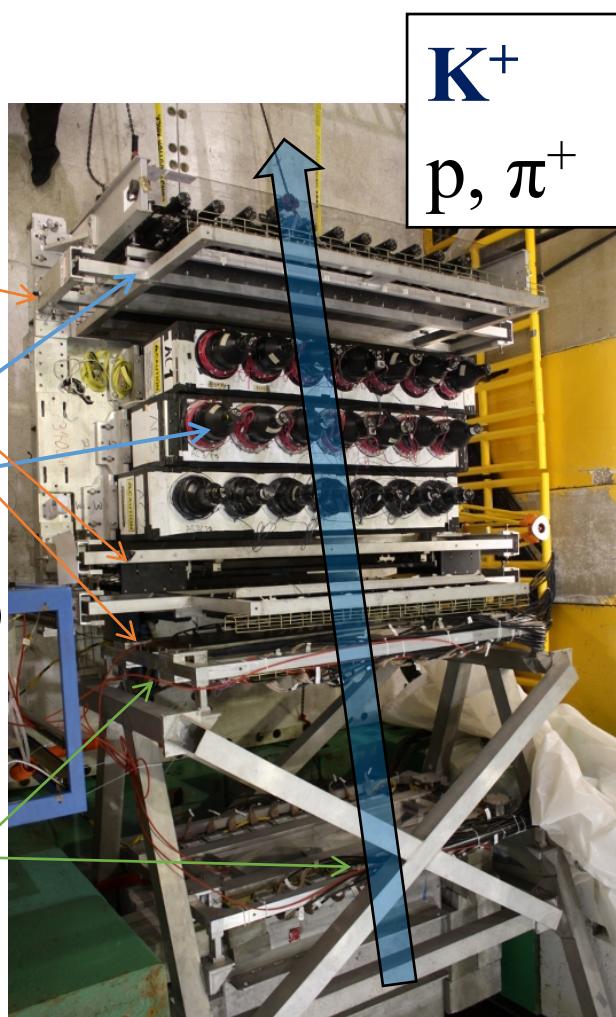
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The diagram illustrates the parameter differences between the new experiment (E12-15-008, C12-19-002) and the previous experiment (E05-115). Red arrows point from the new experiment's beam energy (4.5 GeV) and electron momentum ($p_{e'} = 3.0$ GeV/c) to the corresponding columns in the previous experiment's row. Blue arrows point from the new experiment's signal-to-noise ratio (S/N) and mass difference (ΔM_{HY}) to the corresponding columns in the previous experiment's row.

Kaon identification in HKS

**TOF walls
(Plastic scintillators)**

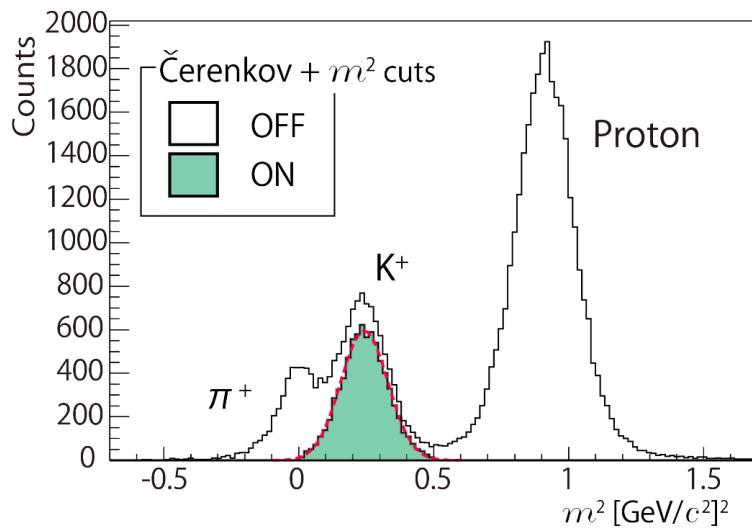


Cerenkov detectors
• Aerogel ($n=1.05$)
• Water ($n=1.33$)

Drift chambers

HKS

TG *et al.*, NIMA 729 (2013) 816–824

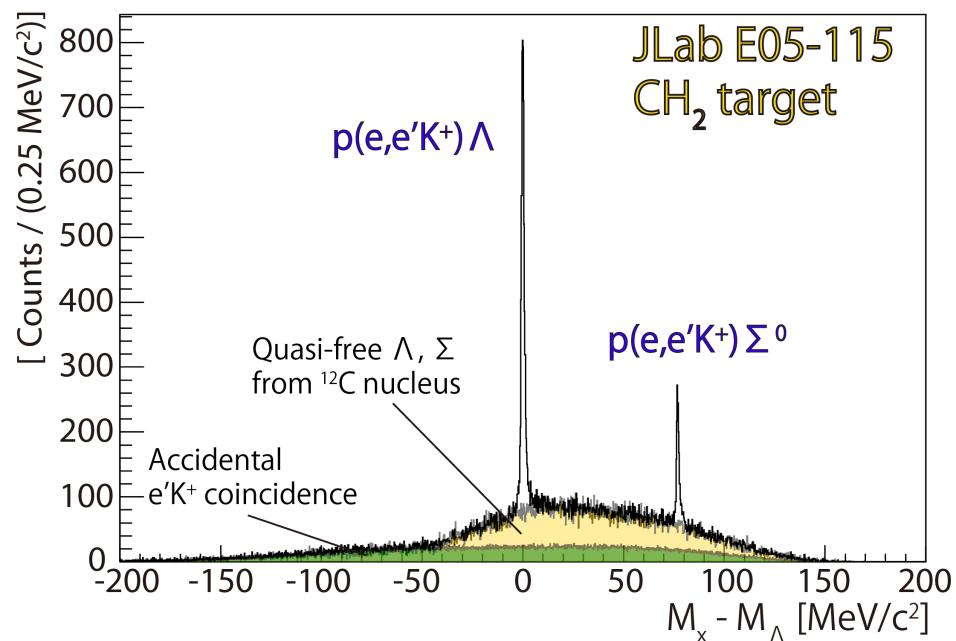
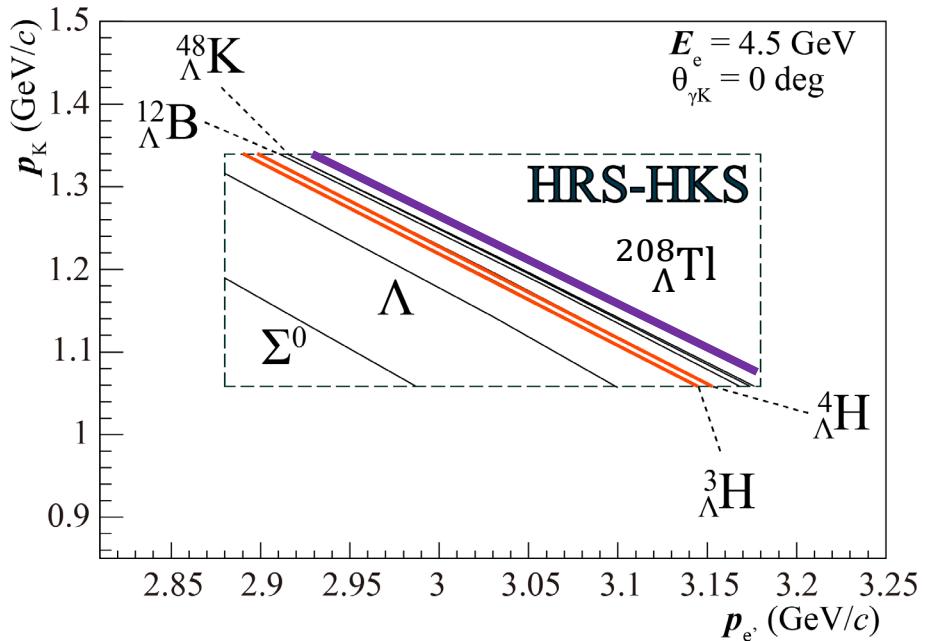


Survival ratios (on- and off-lines)

- ✓ $K^+ : 83\%$
- ✓ $\pi^+ : 4.7 \times 10^{-4}$
- ✓ $p : 1.9 \times 10^{-4}$

Energy Calibration

TG et al., NIMA 900 (2018) 69—83



Λ and Σ^0 from p target + Elastic scattering
→ Systematic error $|\Delta B_\Lambda^{\text{sys.}}| \leq 100 \text{ keV}$

Preparation status

Item	Main task (current progress)	Progress
Spectrometer	PCS (70%) HKS base Collimator/SS	40–60%
Target	Ladder (20%) Cryo-target (20%) Target chamber	20–40%
Trigger	FPGA (30%)	20–40%
Detector	KDC1, 2 (10%) WC (50%) AC (50%) KTOF (80%)	40–60%
Software	Simulator (70%) Analyzer (30%)	20–40%



March 2018 @JLab ESB



June 2019 @JLab ESB

Goal of preparation in JFY2020 (~Mar 2021)

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We aim to be ready
for installation in 2021



T. Toyoda (Kyoto)
→ Master's thesis



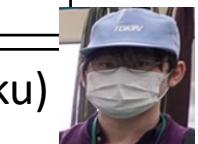
K. Katayama (Kyoto)
→ Master's thesis



- N. Lashley (Hampton)
- T. Akiyama (Tohoku)
- Master thesis
- K. Okuyama (Tohoku)



- Y.R. Nakamura (Tohoku)
- K.N. Suzuki (Kyoto)



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- ✓ 17H01121 (JFY2017—2020), PI = S.N. Nakamura
- ✓ 18H05459 (JFY2018—2022), PI = S.N. Nakamura
- ✓ 18H01219 (JFY2018—2022), PI = T. Gogami



- **SPIRITS 2020 (Kyoto Univ.)**

- ✓ JFY2020—2021, PI = T. Gogami

Backup

$^{3,4}\text{He}$ target

Assumed spec of cryogenic targets:

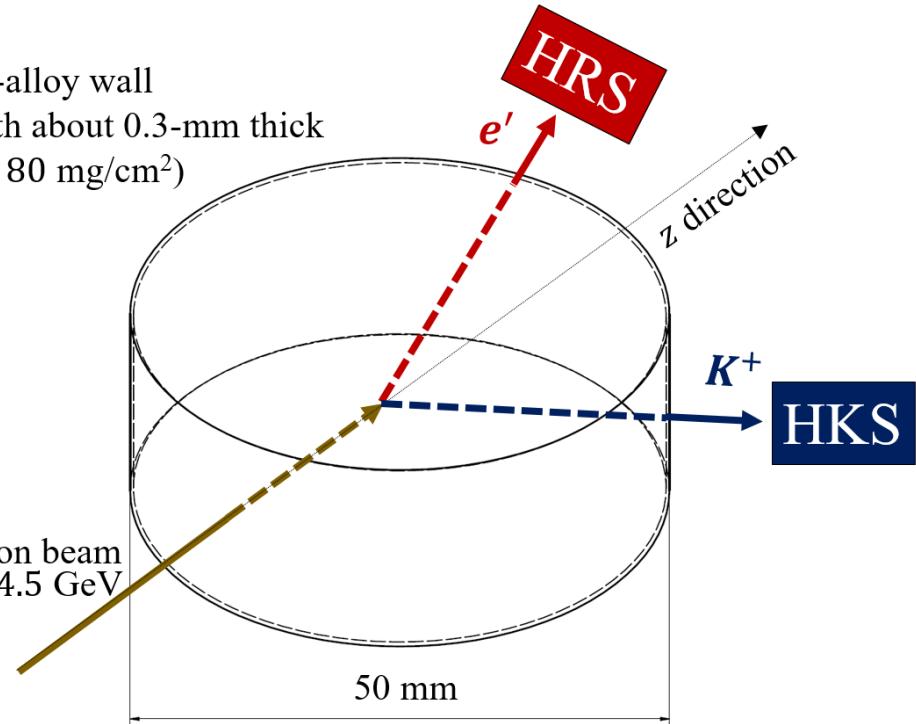
J. Alcorn et al., NIMA 522 (2004) 294–346

Proposed measurements

- Cryogenic targets
 - ✓ LH₂
 - ✓ ^3He and ^4He (gas)
- Multi foil target

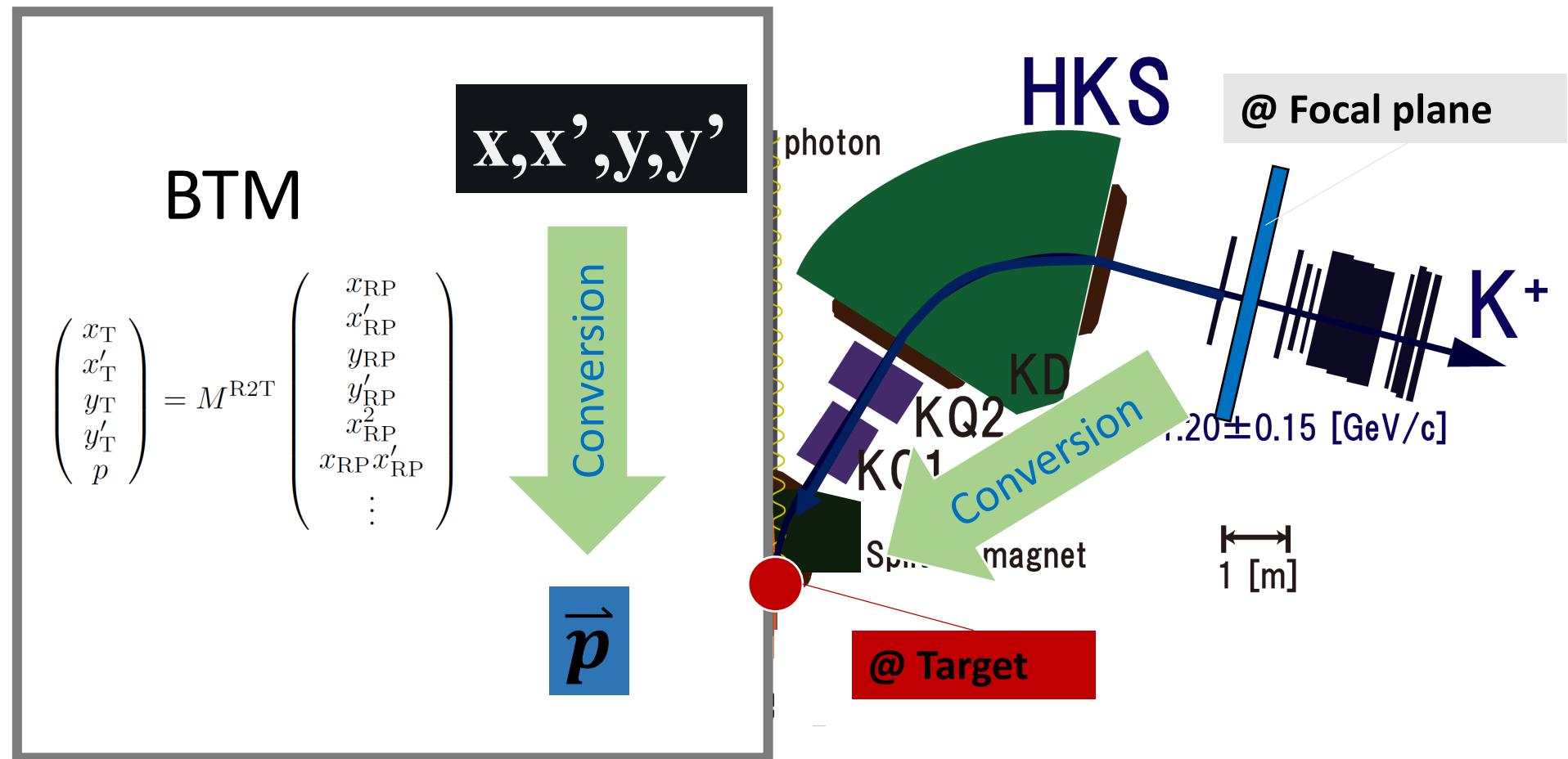
Al-alloy wall
with about 0.3-mm thick
($\approx 80 \text{ mg/cm}^2$)

Electron beam
 $E_e = 4.5 \text{ GeV}$



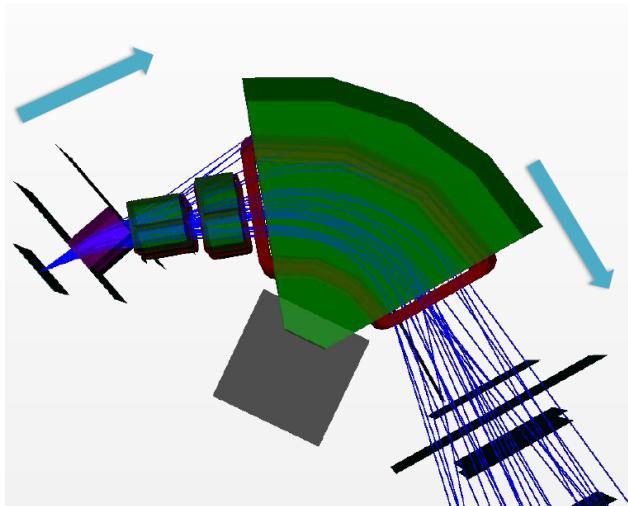
Solid targets and cryogenic targets can be on the same ladder
(Target design is underway: T. Toyoda (M student, Kyoto Univ.))

Missing-mass reconstruction and calibration with Λ and Σ^0



Momentum resolutions with long z target

$$\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ p \end{pmatrix}_T = M^{R2T} \begin{pmatrix} x_{RP} \\ x'_{RP} \\ y_{RP} \\ y'_{RP} \end{pmatrix}$$



K. Suzuki (Ph.D. student, Kyoto Univ.)

Geant4 simulation with TOSCA magnetic field →

Spectrometer	PCSM+HRS	PCSM+HKS
$\Delta p/p$ FWHM	3×10^{-4}	12×10^{-4}

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Vertex z largely affects horizontal bending spectrometer

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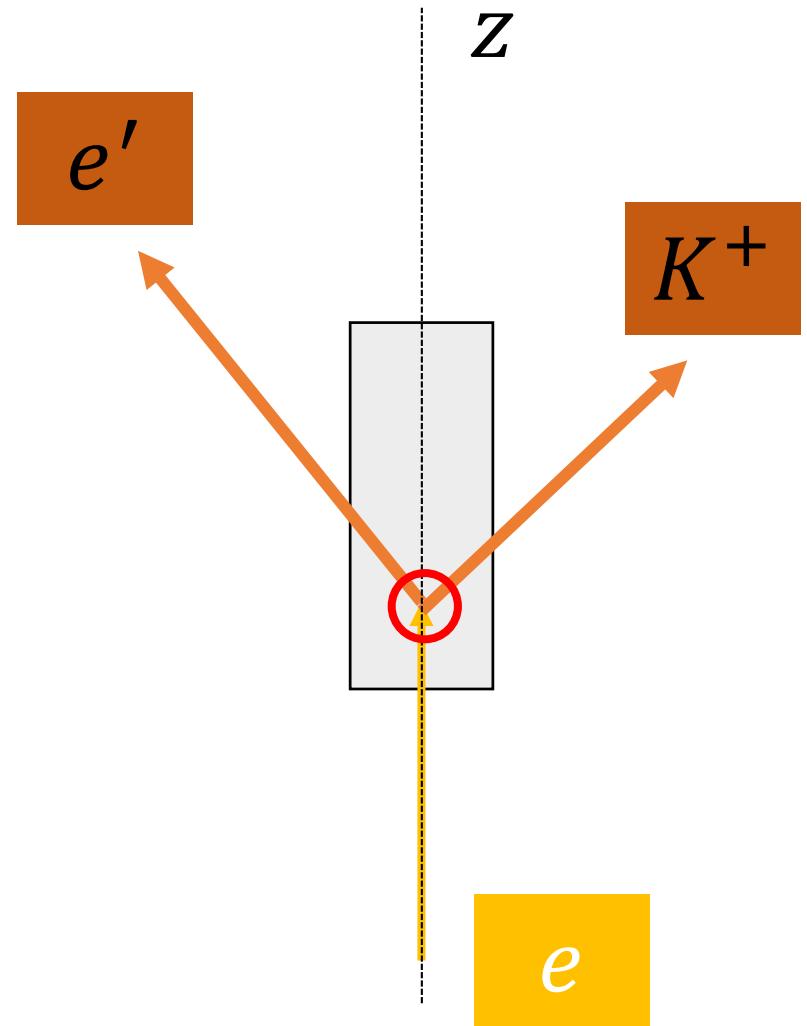
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Matrix space expansion

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$$\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ p \end{pmatrix}_T = M^{R2T} \begin{pmatrix} x_{RP} \\ x'_{RP} \\ y_{RP} \\ y'_{RP} \\ z_T \end{pmatrix}$$



Parameter optimization

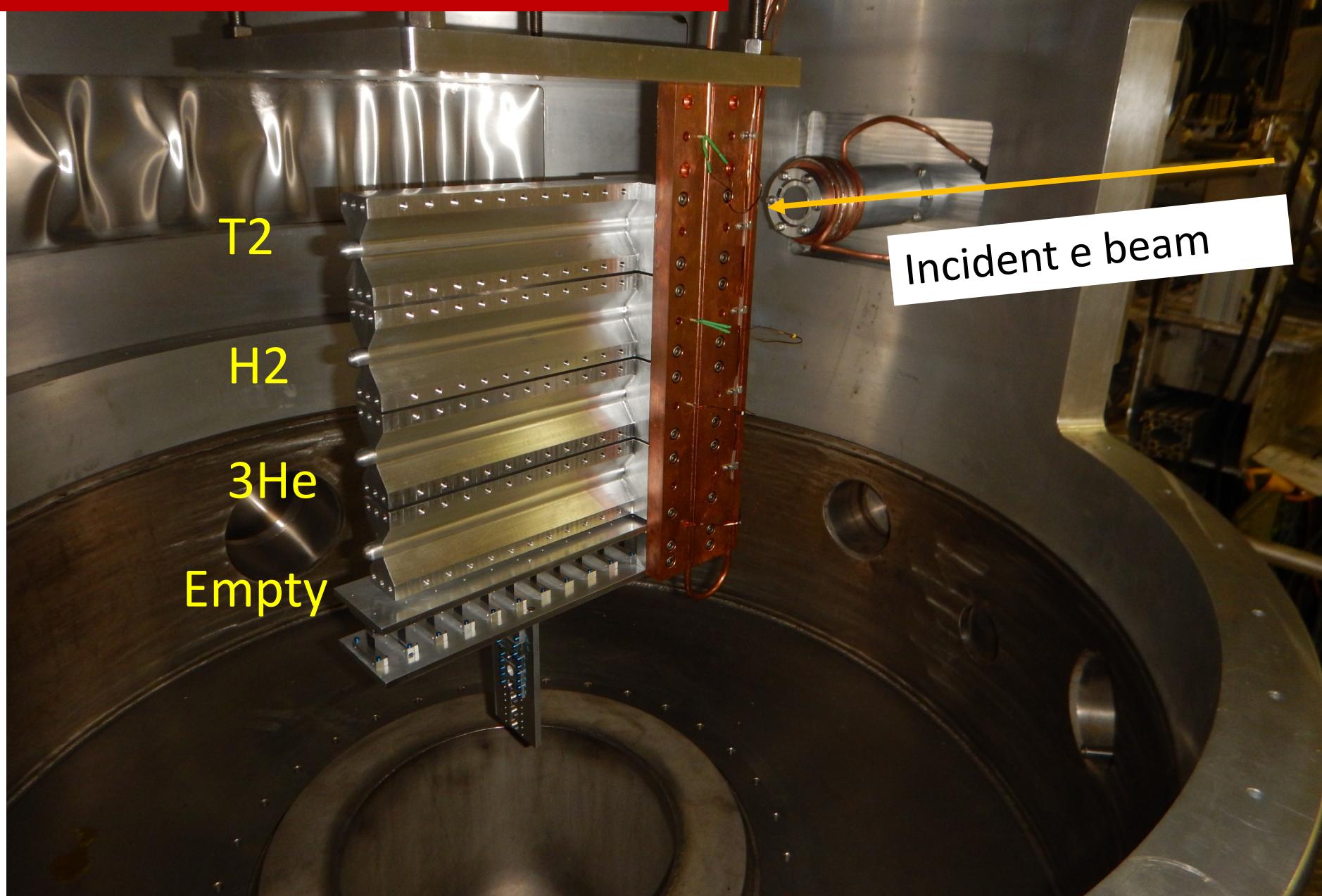
$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ p \end{bmatrix}_T = \begin{pmatrix} p_1^{x'} & p_2^{x'} & p_3^{x'} & p_4^{x'} & \dots \\ p_1^{y'} & p_2^{y'} & p_3^{y'} & p_4^{y'} & \dots \\ p_1^p & p_2^p & p_3^p & p_4^p & \dots \end{pmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_{RP} \\ x'_{RP} \\ y_{RP} \\ y'_{RP} \\ \vdots \\ Z_T \end{bmatrix}$$

$Z_T = \boxed{p_1^z \ p_2^z \ p_3^z \ p_4^z \dots}$

x_{RP}
 x'_{RP}
 y_{RP}
 y'_{RP}
 x_{RP}^2
 \dots

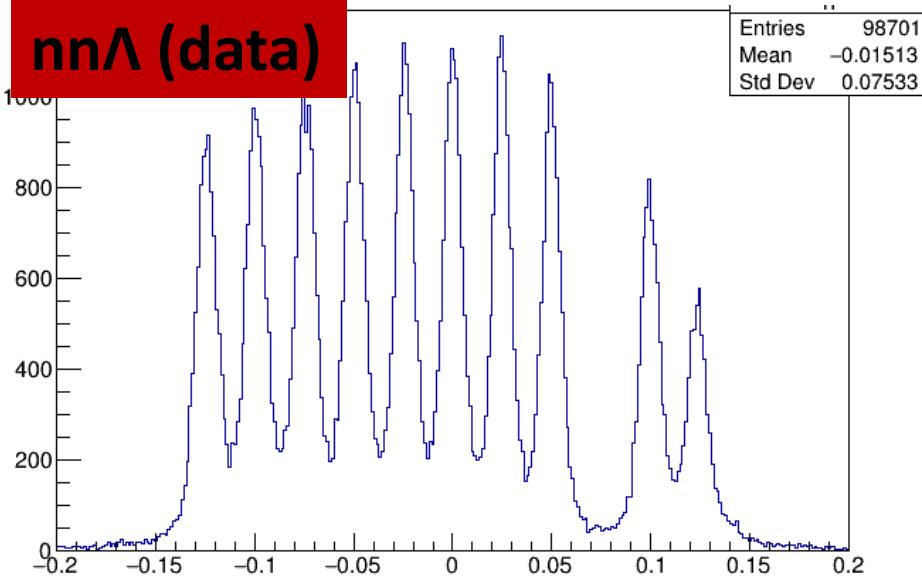
Need to be optimized first

Target for the nnΛ experiment



Particle vertex z (Left HRS)

nnΛ (data)



vertex z (m)

3rd order:
35 parameters

$$Z_T^{L,R} = \left(p_1^z \ p_2^z \ p_3^z \ p_4^z \ \dots \right)$$

x_{RP}
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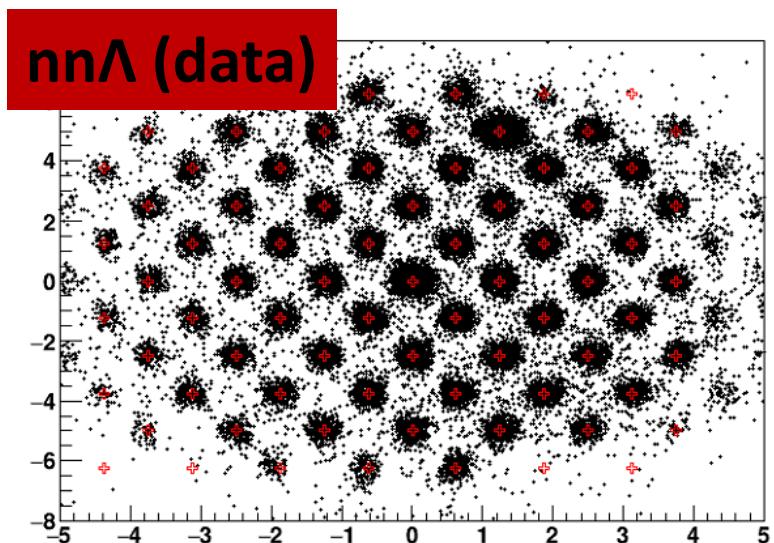
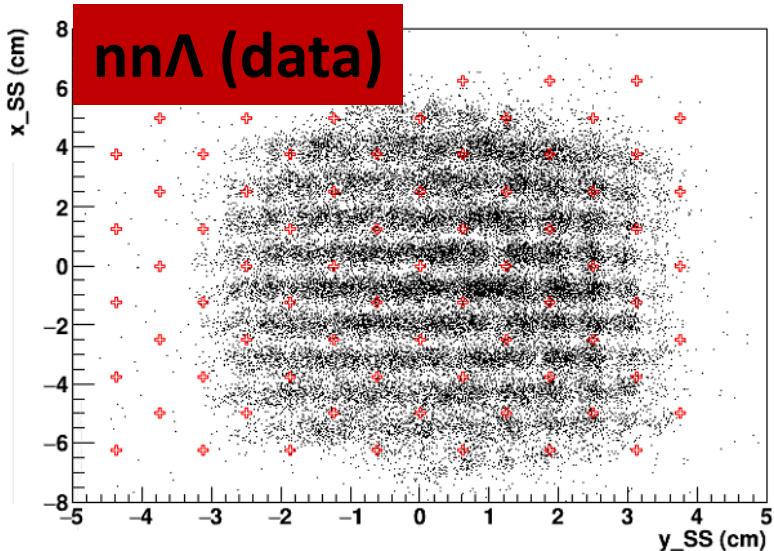
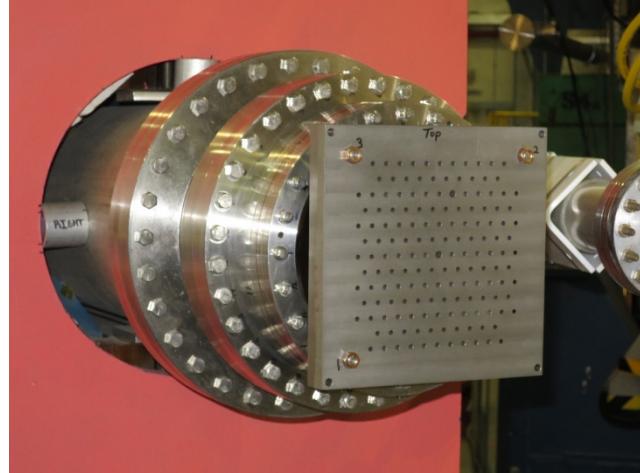
$$z_T = (z_T^L + z_T^R)/2$$



Angle calibration

Sieve slit data

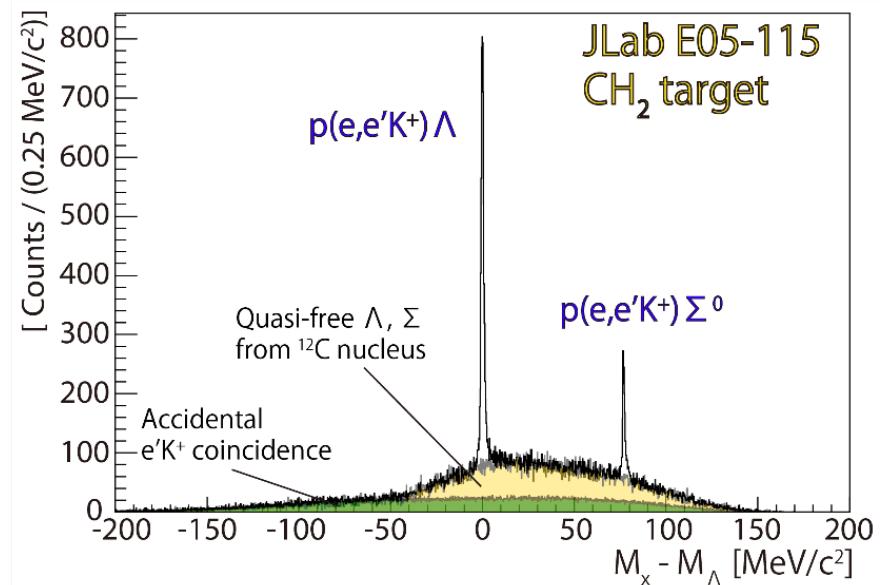
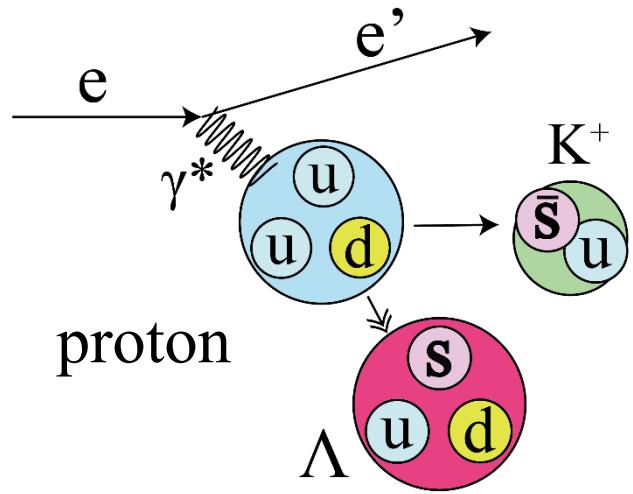
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Momentum calibration

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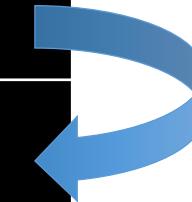
NIMA 900, 69–83 (2018)



Momentum resolutions

Geant4 simulation with TOSCA magnetic field

	PCS+HRS	PCS+HKS
Δz FWHM (cm)	1.5	5
$\Delta p/p$ FWHM	3×10^{-4}	12×10^{-4}
$\Delta p/p$ FWHM with z_T	3×10^{-4}	3×10^{-4}



The missing mass resolution is expected to achieve 0.9 MeV FWHM

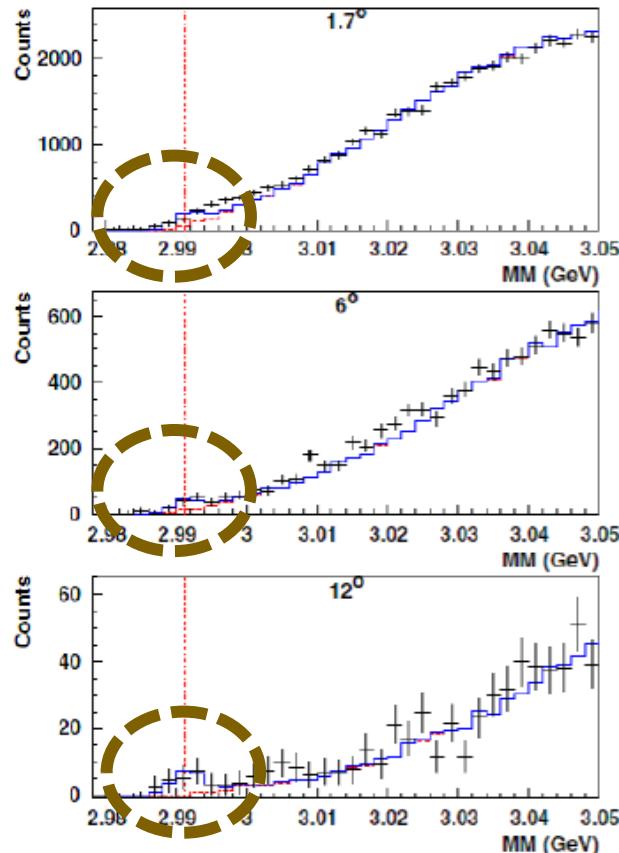
Previous experiment at Hall C

F. Dohrmann et al., *Phys. Rev. Lett.* **93**, 242501 (2004).

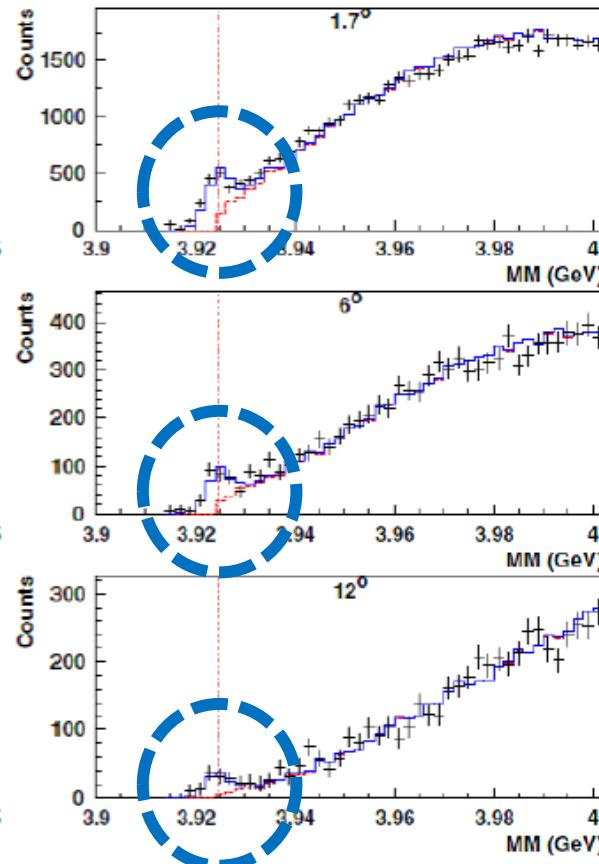
(e,e'K⁺) experiment at Hall C



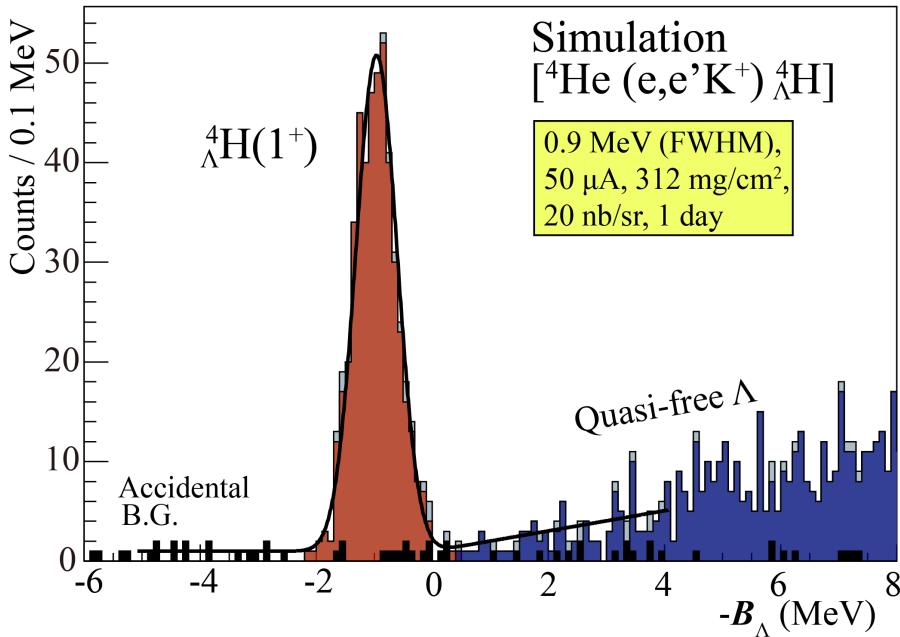
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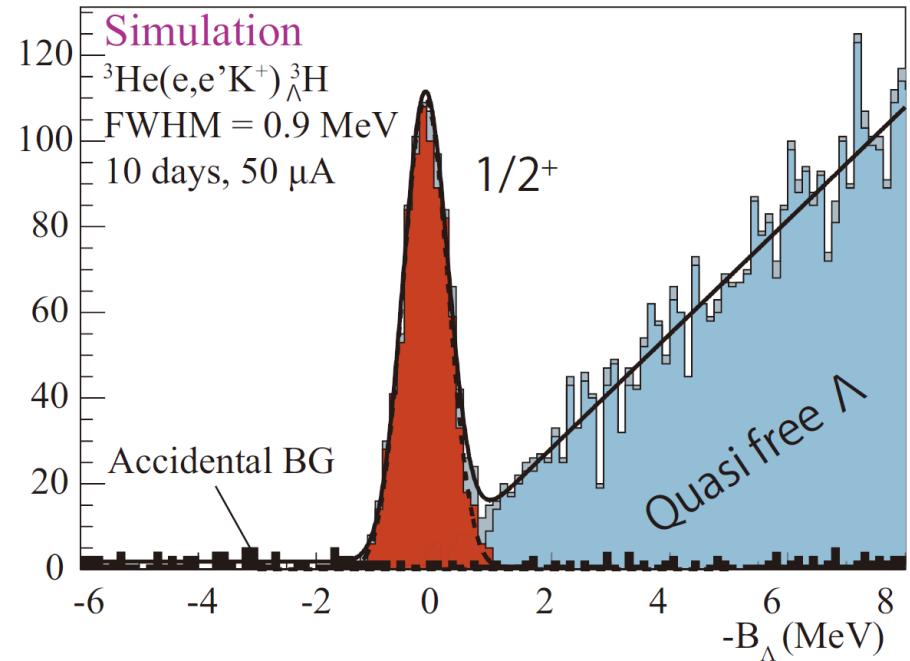
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Expected spectra



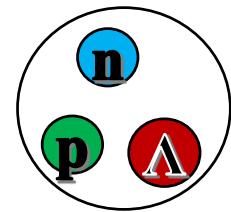
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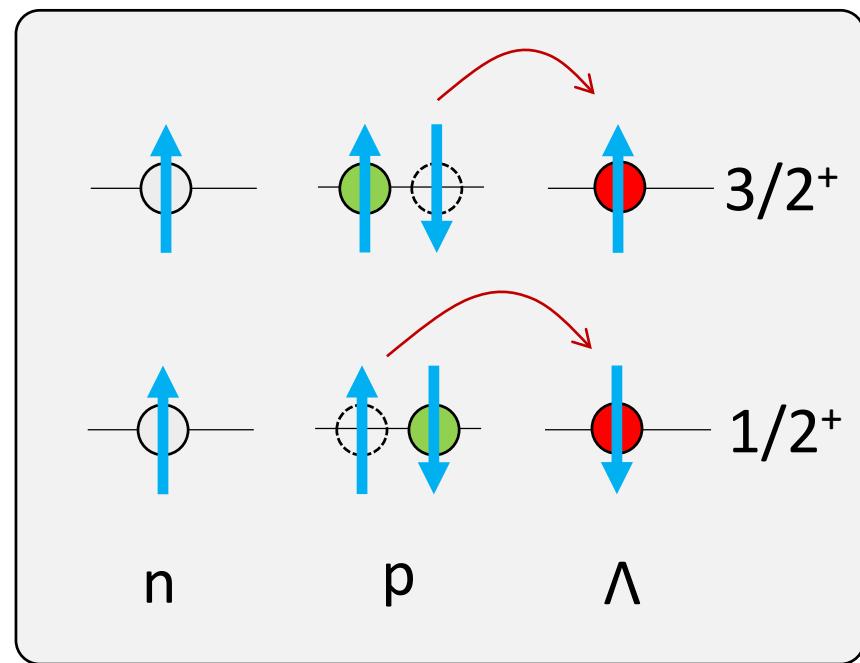
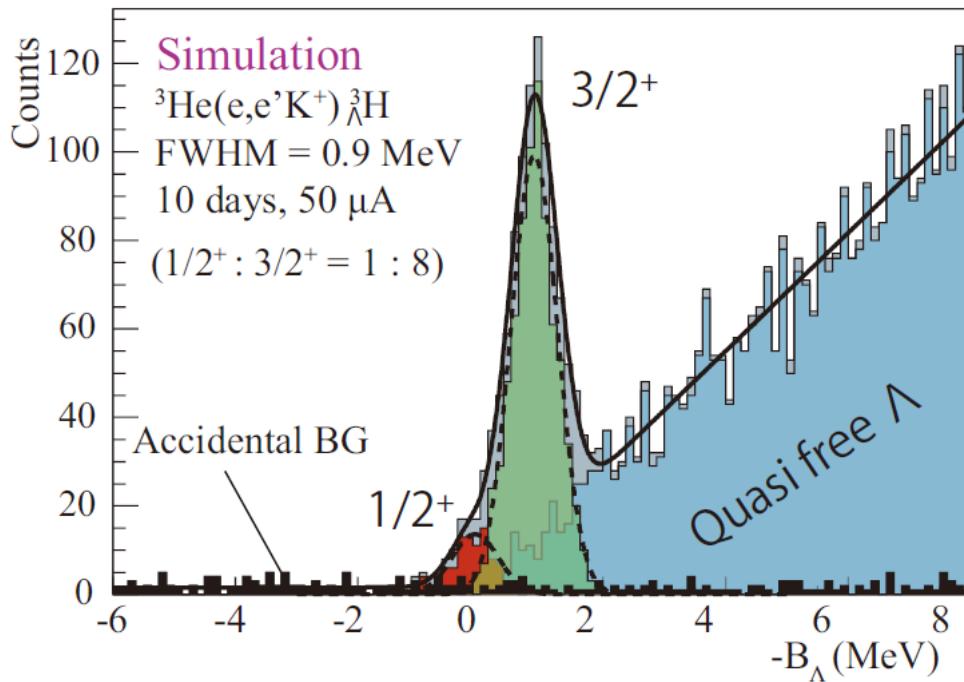
- Cross section of signals: simulated based on E91-016 results
- Distribution of quasi free Λ : E91-016
- Accidental background: E05-115
- Resolution: MC simulation assuming spectrometers' specifications

Expected $^3\Lambda$ H spectrum

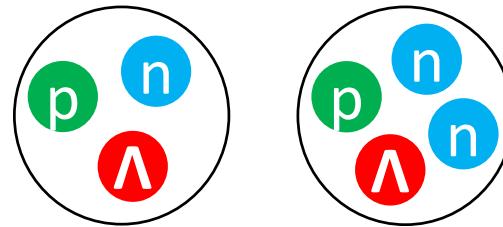


1/2⁺: 3/2⁺ = 1:8 in the (γ, K^+) reaction

T. Mart et al., *Phys. Rev. C* **78**, 014004 (2008)



Summary (C12-19-002)



Accurate B_Λ measurements that are unique at JLab (2021?)

- ${}^3\text{He}(e, e' K^+) {}_{\Lambda}^3\text{H}^{(1/2+, 3/2+)}$ → **Hypertriton puzzle** (10 days)
- ${}^4\text{He}(e, e' K^+) {}_{\Lambda}^4\text{H}^{(1+)}$ → **ΛN CSB** (1 day)

We request additional 12 days to E12-15-008 (${}^{40,48}_{\Lambda}\text{K}$)

- Installation time (~0.5 year) can be shared
- Calibration data can be shared