

# Hall C Futures Overview

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Ask Thia or Mark to become a member https://hallcweb.jlab.org/wiki/index.php/Hall\_C\_Futures

### Hall C: High Precision at the Luminosity Frontier

SHMS, HMS, CPS, NPS, HCAL, ECAL etc. versatility of new equipment

High Precision polarimetry



+ AI/Machine learning

High Precision measurements of small cross sections High power and polarized targets (LH<sub>2</sub>, LD<sub>2</sub>, NH<sub>3</sub>, ND<sub>3</sub>, Pol <sup>3</sup>He etc) Space for new installations

# HMS and SHMS (base spectrometers)

- HMS and SHMS that can reach 6+ and 11+ GeV/c with 10% momentum bites (single and coincidence mode)
- 0.1% reconstruction efficiency easily demonstrated
- Excellent PID
- Cerenkov and lead glass shower counters
- Can go up to 5.5 and 10.5 deg with sub-mrad pointing accuracy



Slide from Tanja

# Two pivot configurations

#### Spectrometers with standard pivot





Spectrometers provide control over systematic uncertainties (important for L/T separations)

> Fixed pivot, precision kinematics, well-shielded detectors

□ NPS adds neutral particle detection

#### Pivot moved downstream





- LAD or BigBite add large acceptance (backward) detection
- CPS adds high intensity photons

Slide from Tanja

# Two pivot configurations

#### Spectrometers with standard pivot



#### Pivot moved downstream



- $\Box$  F<sub>2</sub> at x>1
- Pion Form Factor
- Reaction Mechanism validation Kaon FF, GPD and TMD
- Precision EMC

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 $\hfill\square$  DVCS and p<sup>0</sup> cross sections

- Polarized WACS
- 2N-SRC
- **Tagging processes**



	12 GeV	24 GeV
New Frontiers	DVCS (with e <sup>-</sup> and e <sup>+</sup> ), WACS	DVCS, DDVCS
	Some TCS	TCS with polarized targets
	L/T separations: DVMP factorization tests	L/T separations: DVMP in scaling region?
24 GeV	L/T separations: Pion form factor	L/T separations: Pion and Kaon form factor
12 GeV & 24 GeV	SIDIS basic cross sections (R = $\sigma_L / \sigma_T$ , p <sup>+/-</sup> ratios)	SIDIS basic cross sections (R, p and K ratios)
Positrons	x > 1 & EMC effect	x > 1 & EMC effect & anti-shadowing?
New Equipment		PV to constrain strange quarks (FF, DIS)
Targets SBS, HCAL, ECAL etc		Tagged Deep Inelastic Scattering
unpolarized, polarized	J/Y threshold production	Threshold charm states production (Y',)?
High Luminosity	LN interactions, hypernuclei	
High X, Q <sup>2</sup>	(e,e' backward N) SRC	(e,e' backward particles)
		Table credit: Tanja

#### See Gabriel Niculescu's talk





- CPS with a small addition could allow us to make a positron beam
- e+/e- physics to pursue 2γ physics
- Search for dark photons

#### See Vladimir Berdnikov and David Hamilton's talks





#### NPS (Neutral Particle Spectrometer)

- Precision measurement of cross sections with neutral final states
- 6 fully approved proposals + 1 conditionally approved
- Exclusive DVCS,  $\pi^0$  cross sections to highest Q<sup>2</sup>,  $\pi^0$  electroproduction, factorization, WACS, TCS (GPD universality), exclusive production of  $\pi^0$  ( $\gamma$  p->  $\pi^0$  p)



### SBS + HCAL for GMn run

#### **HCal Overview**

- Design based on COMPASS HCAL1 (Vlasov et al. 2006).
- Segmented calorimeter designed to detect multiple GeV protons and neutrons.
  - 288 PMT modules (24×12).
  - LED fiber optics system.
- SBS dipole magnet separates scattered hadrons by charge.
- High time resolution (0.5 ns).
- High position resolution (3-4 cm at 8 GeV).
- Neutron to proton detection efficiency ratio 0.985 at 8 GeV
- Energy resolution  ${\approx}30\%.$







#### **Proton Sweep**

- Using a LH<sub>2</sub> target sweep the magnetic field to illuminate all of HCal with elastic protons.
- These elastics are well understood and can be used for calibrations and detector characterization.



Slides taken from Scott Bacrus's talk at Hall A Collaboration meeting (Feb 11<sup>th</sup>, 2022) 12

### BigBite in Hall A

- See Arun Tadepalli's talk
- See Kondo's talk
- See Bogdan Wojtsekhowski's talk
- See Robin Wines's talk

### BIGBITE CALORIMETER MOVE TO THE HALL



Cabling up the calorimeter, front end electronics, and DAQ in the hall







GEM trackers in BigBite Spectrometer

### Jefferson Lab

#### BigBite (BB) GEMs

- subset of total SBS GEM layers (5 out of 17)
- BB Front GEM tracker (150cm × 40cm):
  - 2 U-V layers
  - 2 X-Y layers (INFN)
- BB Rear GEM tracker (200cm × 50cm)
  - One X-Y layer (UVa)
- GMn run (Sept 2021 Feb 2022)
- BB GEMs performing very well
- Lost one sector each in 2 U-V layers during the run
- Issues with 2 INFN layers under investigation
- ✤ Efficiency drop with high rates → under investigation







### ECAL for GEp



- Full scale calorimeter under construction for the proton GEp experiment
- Radiation damage induced cured by exposing lead glass to UV-light and/or elevated temperature
- 15 cm long light guide, additional copper foil to increase heat conductivity

### Recent talk/ideas

- KLL measurement following C-GEn experiment (Oct 14, 2021) Arun Tadepalli [link ]
- Final State Interactions in QCD and Other Explorations (Aug 12, 2021) Dipangkar Dutta [link ⊡]
- Overview of a Brooks-style approach to a broadband mixed e+ and e- beam: what measurements it can do, and what it cannot do (Jul 15th, 2021) Dave Mack [link ]
- Possibilities for Hypernuclear Physics in Hall C (July 1st, 2021) Toshiyuki Gogami [link G]
- Solid Polarized Targets for the Jlab 12 GeV Era (June 17th, 2021) Karl Slifer, Elena Long [link ]
- Proton strangeness from elastic electron scattering (Jun 3rd, 2021) Bogdan Wojtsekhowski [link 4]
- 20 24 GeV FFA CEBAF Energy Upgrade (May 20th, 2021) Alex Bogacz [link 🚱]
- Future Studies of Nuclei in Hall C [focusing on nuclear aspects] (May 6th, 2021) Or Hen [link ⊡]
- A Triple Coincidence Experiment: u-channel DVCS at Hall C (Apr 22nd, 2021) Garth Huber, Bill Li, Justin Stevens [link 🔄]
- Opportunities with High Intensity Photons and Polarized Target (Apr 8th, 2021) Tanja Horn [link 3]
- A high luminosity spectrometer based on a compact, high-field Solenoid for DVCS, DVMP, TDIS and more (Mar 25th, 2021)- Nilanga Liyanage [link ]
- Positron Beams at Jefferson Lab Status Report (Mar 11th, 2021) Joe Grames [link ]
- Positron Machine, Future Prospects (Mar 11th, 2021) Yves Roblin [link 🚱]
- Electro-weak (e+-, e') Measurements with Unpolarized Target (Feb 25th, 2021) Dave Mack [link 🔄]
- Hall C Future Experiments Cynthia Keppel [link ]

One new idea, from N. Liyanage and collaborators

- A high luminosity spectrometer based on a compact 7T Solenoid magnet for DVCS, DVMP, TDIS and more Nilanga Liyanage, Paul Souder, Weizhi Xiong
- A high field compact Solenoid (~7 T field, bore diameter and length ~100 cm) has a  $\int b \cdot dl$  similar to a large solenoid like SoLID, but has some important advantages:
  - Costs much less (estimate from manufacturer ~ \$ 3.8 M for the magnet)
  - Much easier to install, instrument and run
  - The area needed to be covered by the detectors is much smaller: this allows for state of the art detectors such as PbWO<sub>4</sub> calorimeters, pixel GEMs etc. with high granularity.
  - The path length from target to detectors is very short: much less multiple scattering better resolution- clean missing mass identification
  - We propose to fill the bore with Helium reduce multiple scattering even further.
- Given the short distance to detectors the background rates will be high: but can handle with pixel GEMs and fast electronics etc: rate estimations already done.
- Early simulations show that this setup can handle luminosities up to 10<sup>38</sup>
- Will allow comprehensive measurements of DVCS and DVMP covering the entire valance quark region
- Adding several layers of muon GEMs will allow DDVCS.
- The multi-TPC for target tagging fits in nicely within this solenoid measure TDIS, pion and Kaon structure functions, tagged neutron DVCS, DVMP and more
  - mTPC and the GEMs sitting in the He atmosphere with no windows; ideal conditions for detecting very low momentum spectators.



### **Strangeness Form Factors**







**SBS & HCAL** at 32.5 degrees, 2.5m downstream of polarized target

Standard pivot using HCal: Strangeness form factor via parity polarized proton detection in HCal (may have a peak at high(ish) Q<sup>2</sup>)



Slide from Dipangkar Dutta

### Hall C with SHMS+NMS can provide a new unique window into $\Lambda^{0}$ polarization. p( $\vec{e}$ , e' K<sup>+</sup> $\pi^0$ )n ( $\vec{\Lambda}^0$ decay) p( $\vec{e}$ , e' K<sup>+</sup> $\gamma$ ) $\Lambda^0$ ( $\vec{\Sigma}^0$ decay)

e' in HMS, K<sup>+</sup> in SHMS and  $\pi^{0}/\gamma$  in NMS, invariant mass of (n/ $\Lambda^{0}$ )

n( $\vec{e}$ , e'  $\vec{p}$  π<sup>0</sup>)K<sup>-</sup> ( $\vec{\Sigma}$ <sup>+</sup> decay) p( $\vec{e}$ , e'  $\vec{p}$  π<sup>0</sup>)K<sup>0</sup> ( $\vec{\Sigma}$ <sup>+</sup> decay) e' in HMS,  $\vec{p}$  in SHMS and  $\pi^0$  in NMS





### Hyper-nuclear

- AN CHARGE SYMMETRY BREAKING
  - A = 3, 4: the aim depends on the results from Hall A (C12-19-002)
  - A = 9: The need of 500 keV resolution to determine the g.s. energy; TG et al, PRC 103, L041301 (2021)

#### CLUSTER STRUCTURE, DEFORMATION

- ${}^{27}\text{Al}(e, e'K^+){}^{27}_{\Lambda}\text{Mg}$ : Identification of the triaxial deformation of  ${}^{26}\text{Mg}$  (c.f. M. Isaka, et al., PRC 87, 021304R (2013))
- Ne (A = 20-22) c.f. M. Isaka, PRC 83, 044323 (2011)
- Si (A = 28-30) c.f. M.T. Win and K. Hagino, PRC 78, 054311 (2008)

#### ΛΝ INTERACTION PROPERTY IN DIFFERENT Δ ENVIRONMENT, MANY-BODY INTERACTION

- Ca (A = 40—48) (40 and 48: E12-15-008)
- Ni (A = 58—64)
- Zr (A = 90—96)
- Mo (A = 92-100)
- Ru (A = 96-104)
- Sn (A = 112-124)
- Sm (A = 144—154)
- Pb (A = 204-208) (208: E12-20-013)

### No data with sub-MeV resolution

Slide from Toshiyuki Gogami

- CERN, BNL, KEK, J-PARC: > a few MeV (FWHM)
  - Future plan at HIHR in J-PARC: sub-MeV
    ← In a stage of funding proposal submission (No beam line / apparatus exist yet)
- ➔ JLab is a unique facility to realize it





### Novel equipment & configuration ideas







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### Summary

- Hall C is optimized for precision measurements of small cross sections
- Unique equipment in SHMS, HMS, NPS, CPS, with flexible configurations that include fixed and moved pivots and space for new installations
- New ideas being explored using novel detectors which could be coupled with AI/machine learning
- Positrons, higher energy, high power targets, and more