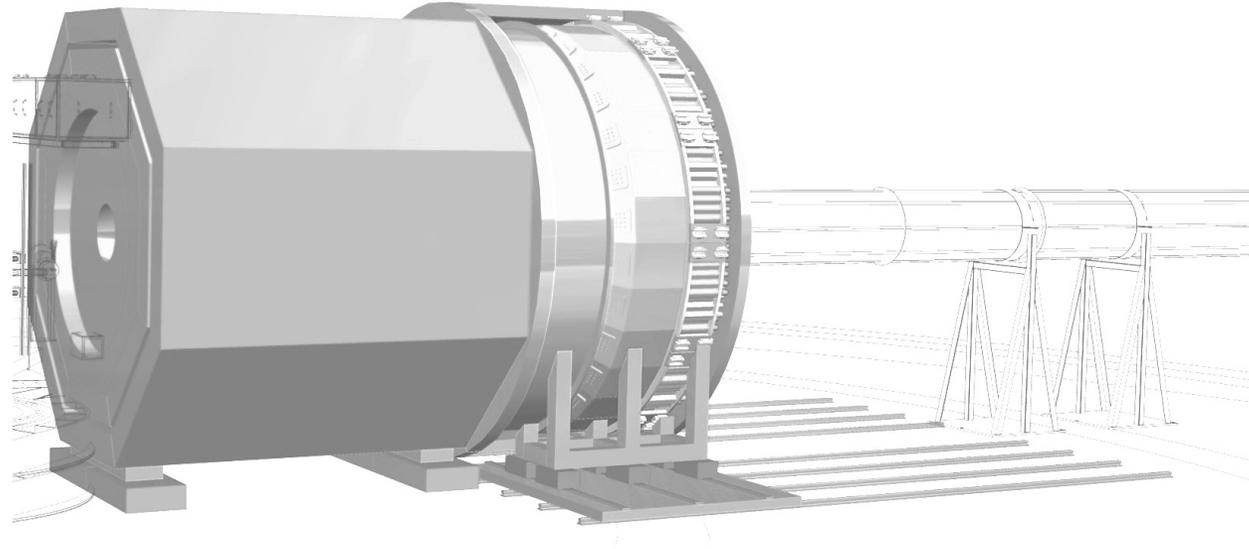


# Overview and Update of Solenoidal Large Intensity Device (SoLID)



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Collaboration



# Outline

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- Introduction and overview of the SoLID spectrometer
- Overview of the three SoLID scientific programs
  - **SIDIS**
  - $J/\Psi$
  - **PVDIS**
- Current status and recent activities

# Introduction



SoLID will maximize the science from the  
**12 GeV Upgrade of CEBAF**  
Research at **SoLID** will have a *unique* capability to  
**explore** the QCD landscape while **complementing** the  
research of other key facilities

- Pushing the phase space in the search of new physics and of hadronic physics
- 3D momentum imaging of a relativistic strongly interacting confined system (**nucleon spin**)
- High sensitivity to the differential electro- and photo-production cross section of  $J/\psi$  near threshold (**proton mass**)

Nucleon spin, proton mass, and beyond standard model experiments require **precision measurements of small cross sections and asymmetries:** combined with multiple particle detection

# SoLID Apparatus

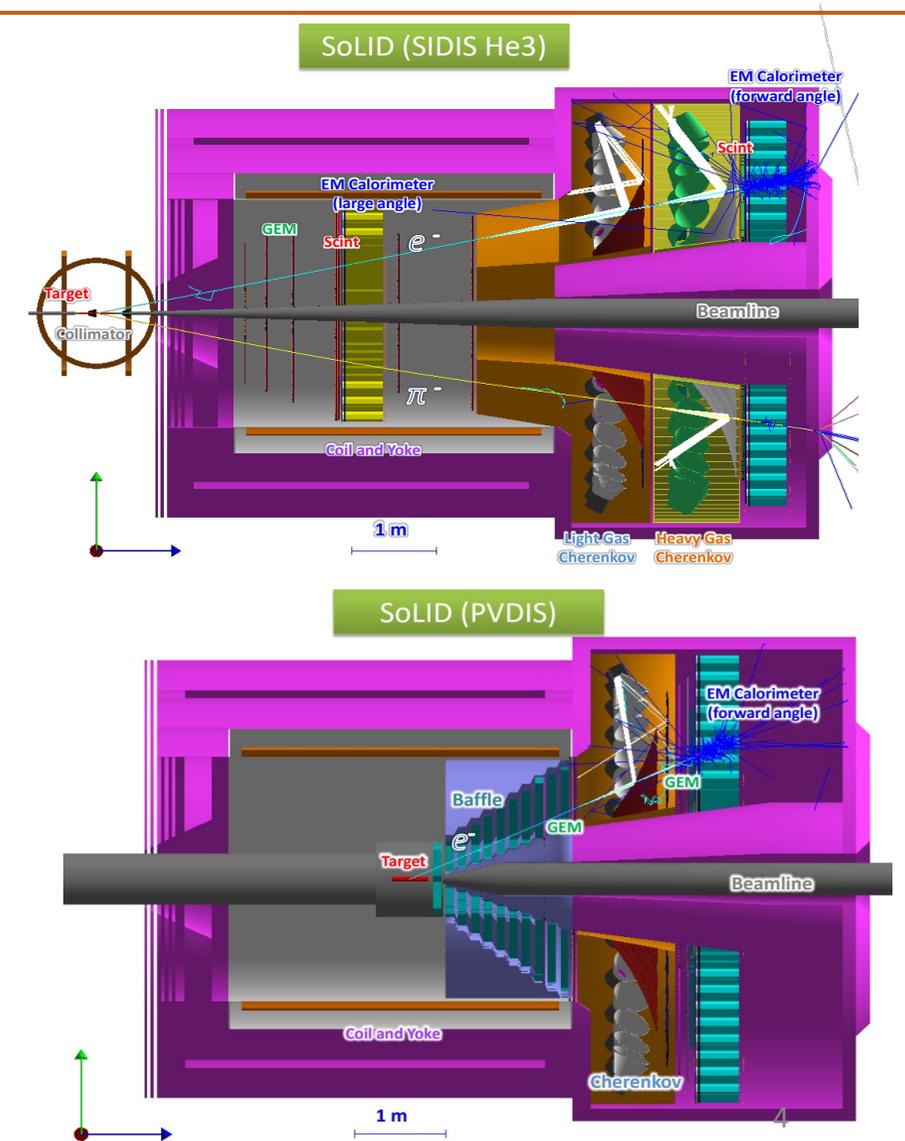
## SoLID Requirements

### High

- Luminosity ( $10^{37}$ - $10^{39}$ )
- Background
- Radiation
- Data rate
- Low systematics
- Large scale

## Leveraging Modern Technology

- GEM detectors
- Pipeline DAQ
- Shashlik electromagnetic calorimeter
- Baffles
- Data analysis (e.g. machine learning)
  - Jlab Data Science group



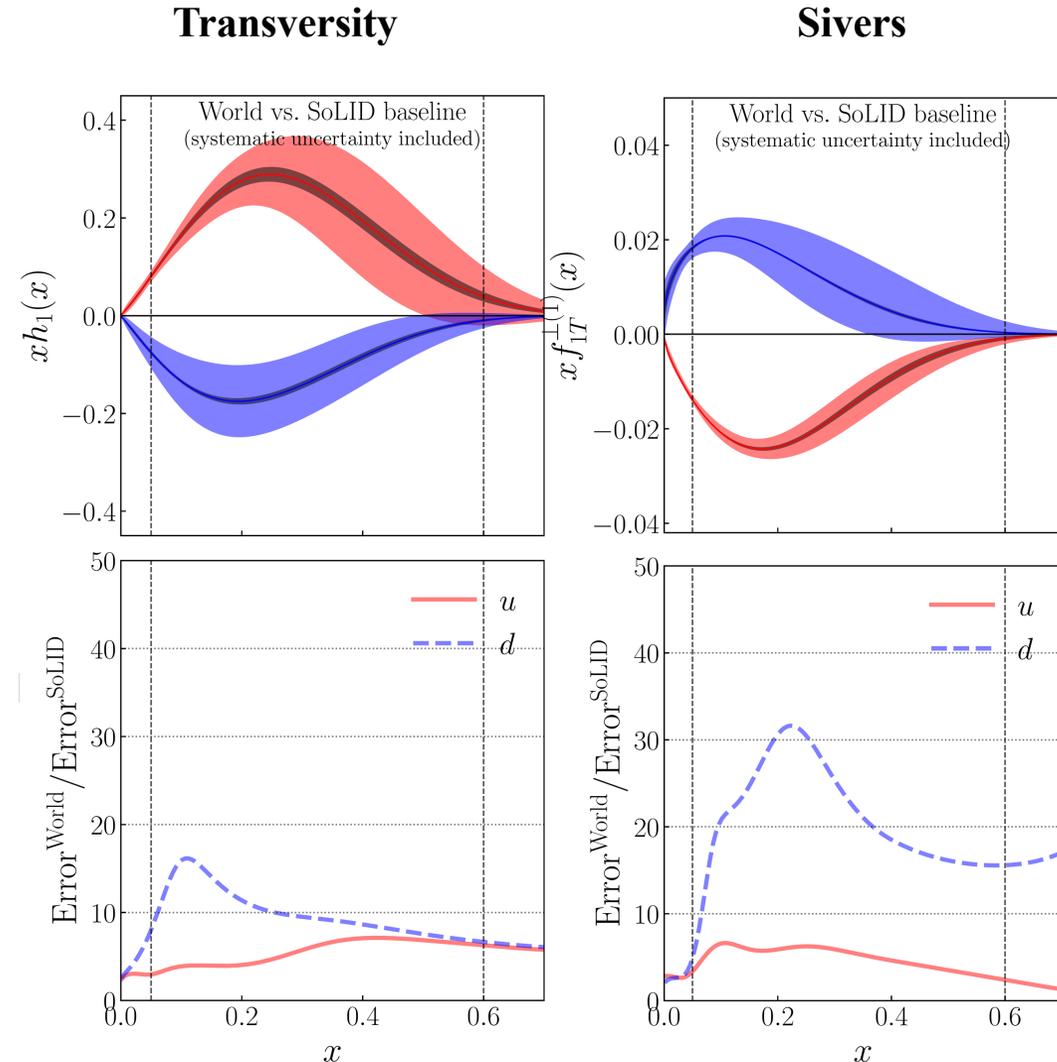


# SoLID SIDIS Projections

## Comparison of SoLID with World Data

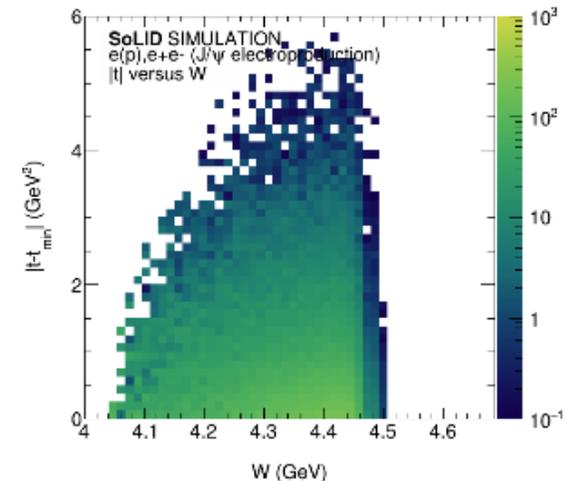
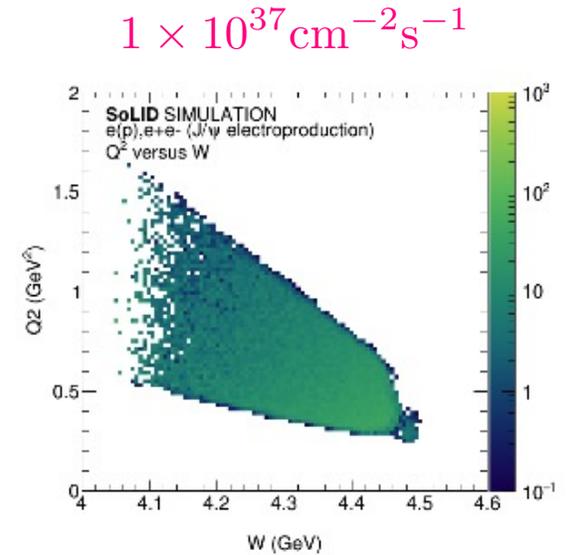
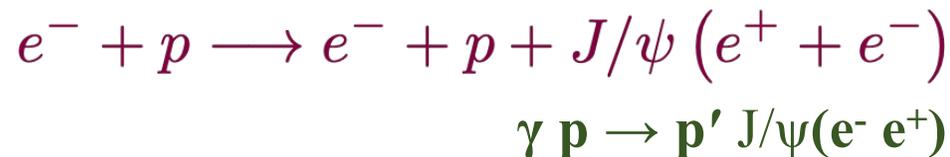
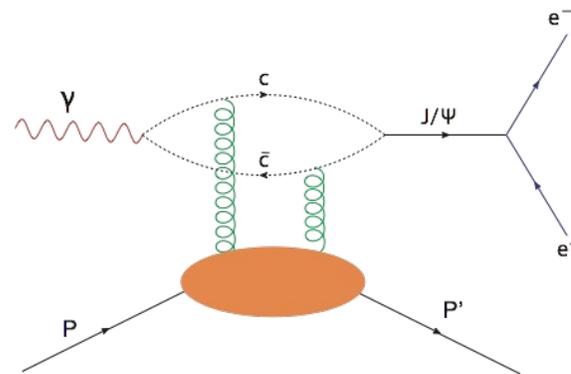
- Perform fit of Collins and Sivers asymmetries in SIDIS and  $e^+e^-$  annihilation
- World data is from HERMES and COMPASS
- $e^+e^-$  data is from BELLE, BABAR, and BESIII
- Monte Carlo method is applied
- Both systematic and statistical uncertainties are included

*D'Alesio et al., Phys. Lett. B 803 (2020)135347*  
*Anselmino et al., JHEP 04 (2017) 046*



# SoLID: $J/\psi$ Production Near Threshold

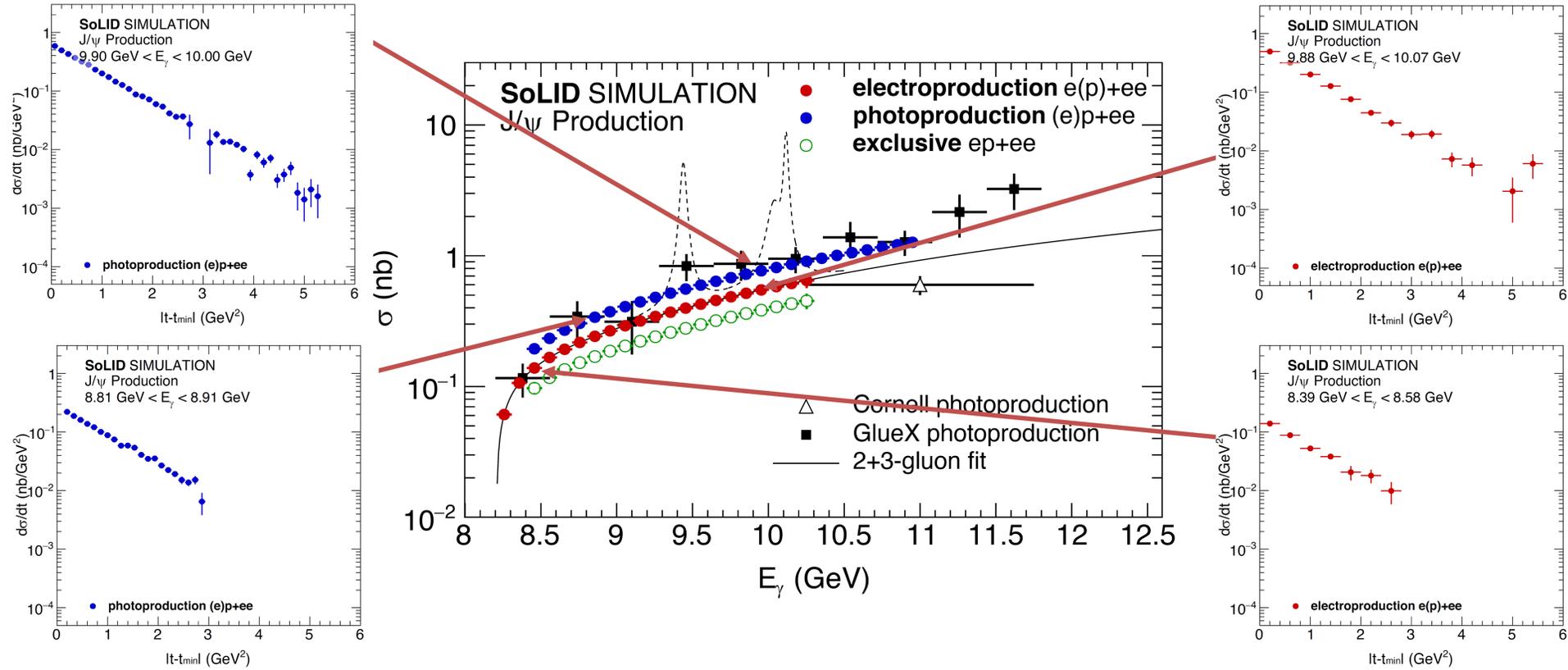
- 50 days of  $3 \mu\text{A}$  beam on a  $15 \text{ cm}$  long  $\text{LH}_2$  target
  - 10 days which include calibration/background run
- Compatible with SoLID SIDIS configuration
  - **Electroproduction trigger:** 3-fold coincidence of  $e, e^-e^+$
  - **Photoproduction trigger:** 3-fold coincidence of  $p, e^-e^+$
  - **Additional trigger:** 4-fold coincidence of  $ep, e^-e^+$
  - And (inclusive) 2-fold coincidence  $e^+e^-$



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Spokespersons: K. Hafidi, X. Qian, N. Sparveris,  
Z.-E. Meziani (contact), Z. Zhao

# SoLID J/ $\Psi$ Projections



Sensitivity at threshold at about  $10^{-3}$  nb!

# SoLID PVDIS Program

## Parity Violating DIS on Isoscalar Deuteron

12 GeV JLab upgrade coupled with the high luminosity and large acceptance of SoLID provides an opportunity to perform the ultimate PVDIS experiment

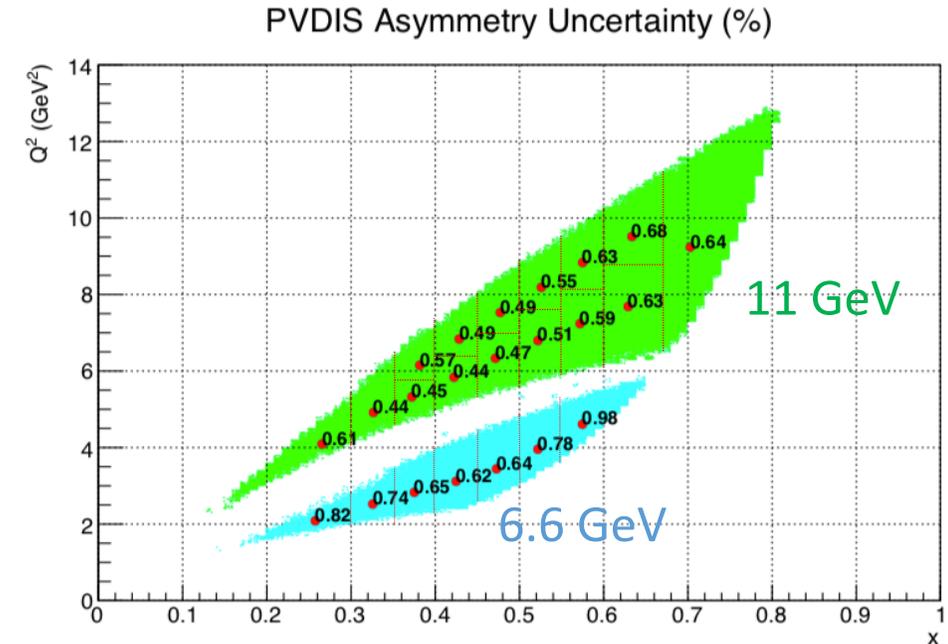
Precision: sub-1% over wide kinematic range

**Standard model test**

**Charge symmetry violation**

**Quark-quark correlation**

**d/u measurement**



### Achieving High Luminosity

- 50  $\mu\text{A}$  (40 cm liquid  $^2\text{H}$  target)
- Utilization of baffles to reduce background
- High-rate GEMs

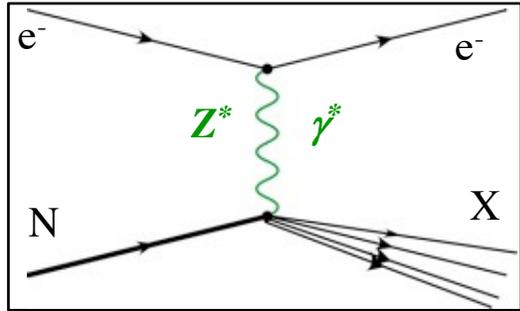
### Kinematic Requirements

- $x$ : 0.25-0.7: untangle physics
- $W^2 > 4 \text{ GeV}^2$ , isolate DIS
- $Q^2$  range a factor of 2 for each  $x$  bin:  
Measure Higher Twist

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Spokesperson: Paul Souder

# SoLID PVDIS Program



$$A_{PV} = \frac{G_F Q^2}{2\sqrt{2}\pi\alpha} \left[ g_A \frac{F_1^{\gamma Z}}{F_1^\gamma} + g_V \frac{f(y)}{2} \frac{F_3^{\gamma Z}}{F_1^\gamma} \right]$$

$Q^2 \gg 1 \text{ GeV}^2, W^2 \gg 4 \text{ GeV}^2$

$$x \equiv x_{\text{Bjorken}}$$

$$y \equiv 1 - E'/E$$

$$A_{PV} = \frac{G_F Q^2}{\sqrt{2}\pi\alpha} [a(x) + f(y)b(x)]$$

$$A_{\text{iso}} = \frac{\sigma^l - \sigma^r}{\sigma^l + \sigma^r}$$

At high  $x$ ,  $A_{\text{iso}}$  becomes independent of pdfs,  $x$  &  $W$ , with well-defined SM prediction for  $Q^2$  and  $y$

$$= - \left( \frac{3G_F Q^2}{\pi\alpha 2\sqrt{2}} \right) \frac{2C_{1u} - C_{1d}(1 + R_s) + Y(2C_{2u} - C_{2d})R_v}{5 + R_s}$$

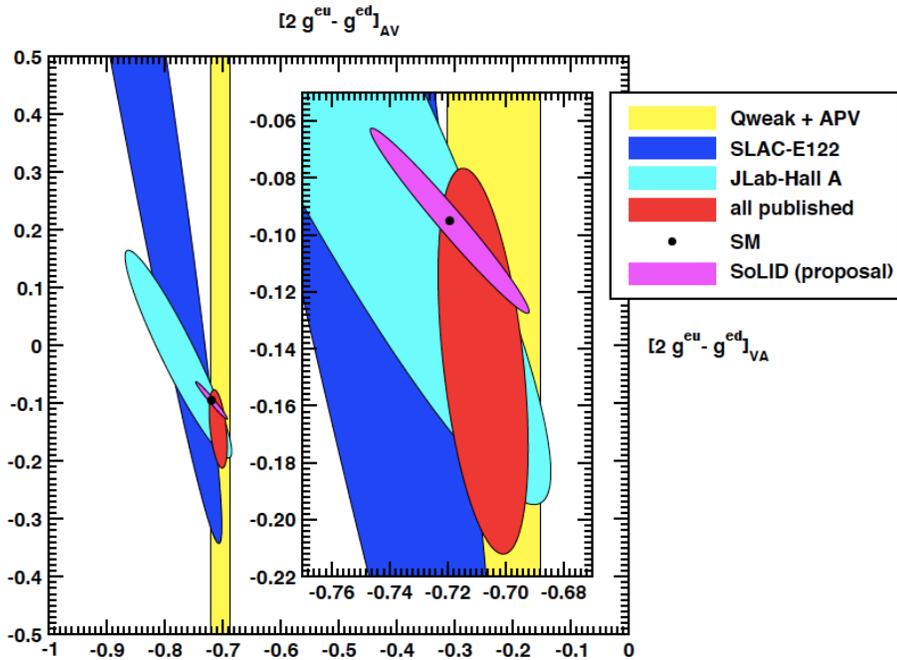
$$R_s(x) = \frac{2S(x)}{U(x) + D(x)} \xrightarrow{\text{Large } x} 0$$

$$R_v(x) = \frac{u_v(x) + d_v(x)}{U(x) + D(x)} \xrightarrow{\text{Large } x} 1$$

## Interplay with QCD

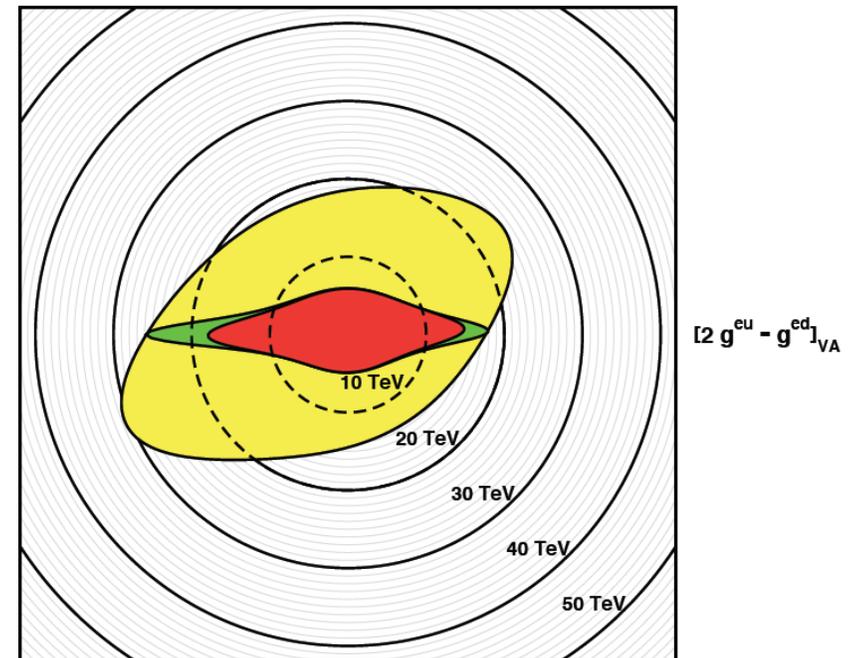
- Parton distributions (u, d, s, c)
- Charge Symmetry Violation (CSV)
- Higher Twist (HT) – quark-quark correlation

# PVDIS Projected Results



With the expected precision,  
SoLID will make a unique contribution  
to the SMEFT program

Improvement in  
energy reach for  
electron-nucleon couplings



- Published data
- Published data + P2
- Published data + P2 + SoLID

# PVDIS: $d/u$ Ratio for the Proton

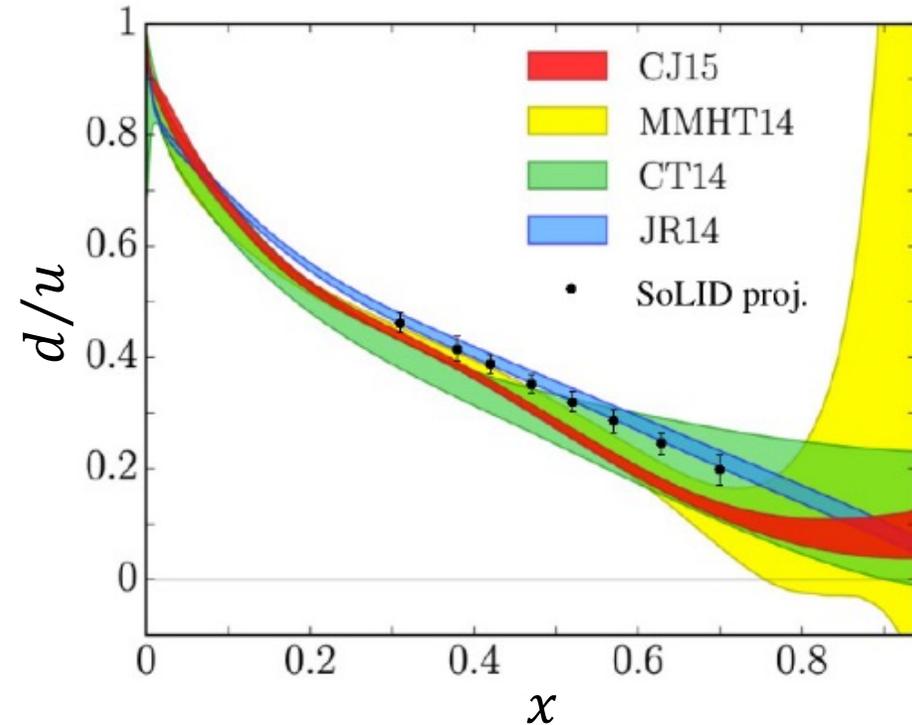
Opportunities for physics using PVDIS with other targets

**Hydrogen target**

**By measuring  $A_{PV}$  of proton can access the  $d/u$  ratio while avoiding nuclear corrections**

$$A_{PV} = \frac{G_F Q^2}{\sqrt{2}\pi\alpha} [a(x) + f(y)b(x)]$$

$$A_{PVDIS}^p(x) \approx \frac{u(x) + 0.91 d(x)}{u(x) + 0.25 d(x)}$$



**PVDIS is complementary  
to the rest of the JLab  
 $d/u$  program.**

# Approved Run Group Proposals

E12-10-006A: *SIDIS Dihadron with Transversely Polarized  $^3\text{He}$*

E12-11-108B/E12-10-006D: *SIDIS in Kaon Production with Transversely Polarized Proton and  $^3\text{He}$*

E12-11-108A/E12-10-006A: *Target Single Spin Asymmetry Measurements in the Inclusive Deep-Inelastic Reaction on Transversely Polarized Proton and Neutron ( $^3\text{He}$ ) Targets using the SoLID Spectrometer*

E12-11-007A/E12-10-006E: *Measurement of Inclusive  $g_{2n}$  and  $d_{2n}$  with SoLID on a Polarized  $^3\text{He}$  Target*

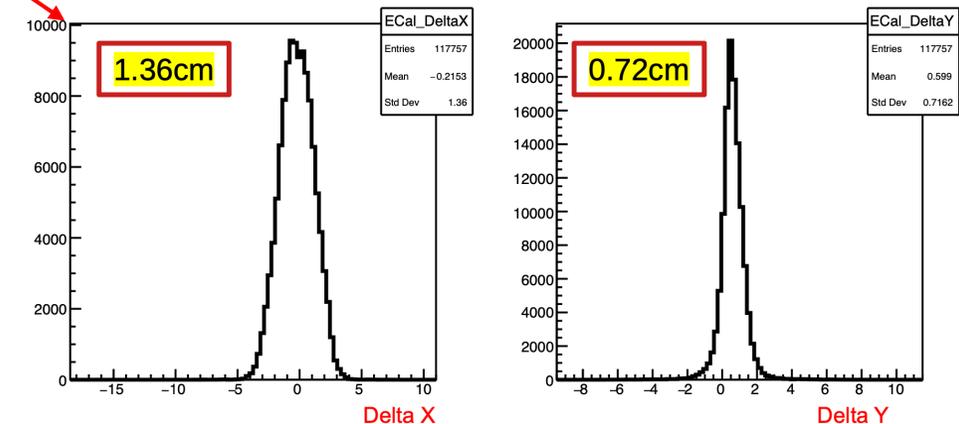
E12-10-006B: *Measurement of Deep Exclusive  $\pi^-$  Production using a Transversely Polarized  $\text{He}^3$  Target and the SoLID Spectrometer*

E12-12-006A: *TCS with circular polarized beam and unpolarized LH2 target*

# Recent Activities

- DOE Science Review (3/2021): waiting for report
- DOE funded pre-R&D activities: LGC and DAQ
- Magnet Cold Test →
- ECal test at Fermilab Test Beam Facility
- Detector/DAQ Beam tests at high luminosity
- Detector Development
  - Cherenkov mirrors
  - HGC prototyping
  - MRPC beam test at Fermi Lab
  - ECal prototyping and tests
- Software and Simulation Development
  - Synergy with EIC software development
  - Continue AI/ML collaboration with JLab data science group
  - Update event generators
  - PID and Tracking developments
- PAC 50: All approved SoLID experiments are under jeopardy
  - Collaboration actively working to update and defend experimental proposals

CLEO-II magnet in Test Lab

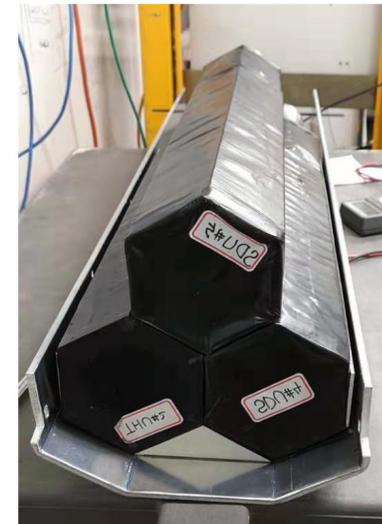
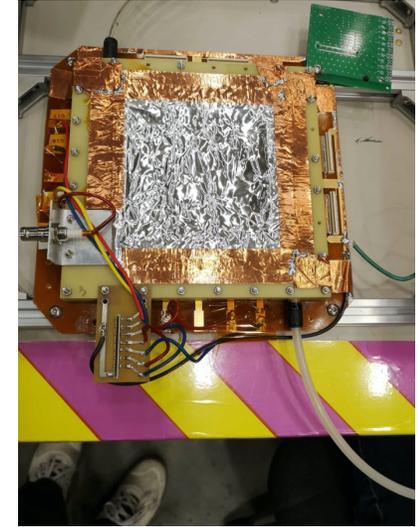


ECal position resolution 14

# Parasitic Beam Test in Hall C

- Recent detector tests
  - [Cherenkov high-rate test in Hall C \(2020\)](#)
  - [ECal beam test at Fermilab \(2021\)](#)
- Director's Review (2021)
  - Recommendation: High-rate test with full subsystems
- Detectors
  - Ecal (preshower + shower), GEMs, cherenkov, SPDs, and scintillators
- Design and layout of current test similar to that of Cherenkov beam test
- Test stand modified by Hall C technicians to accommodate detector layout

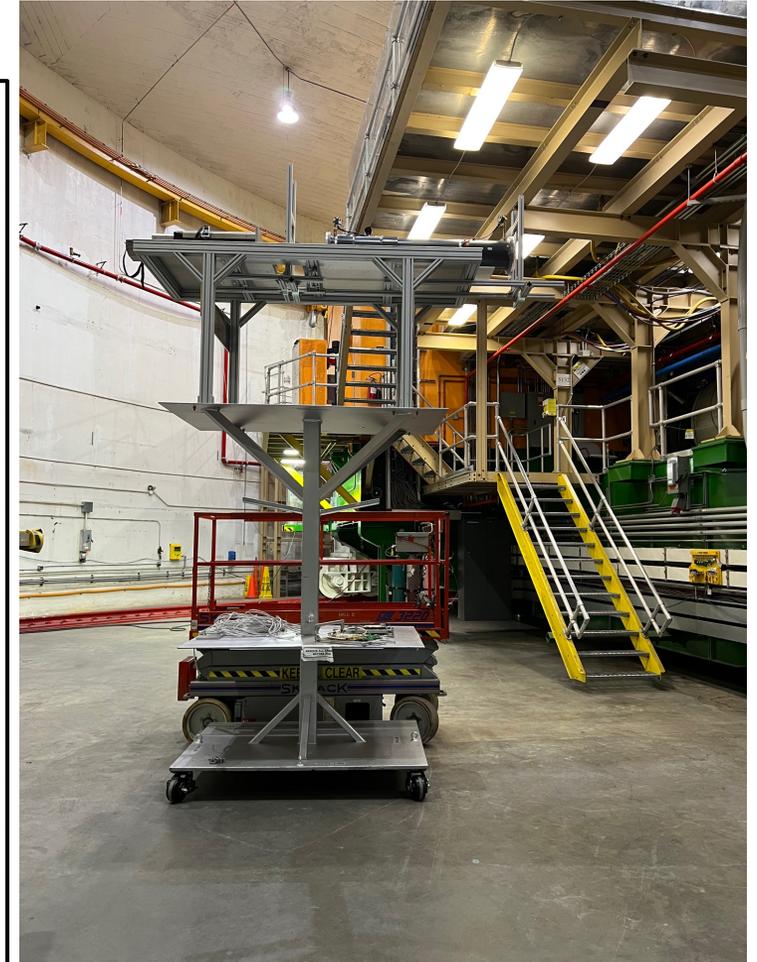
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# Parasitic Beam Test in Hall C

## Milestones

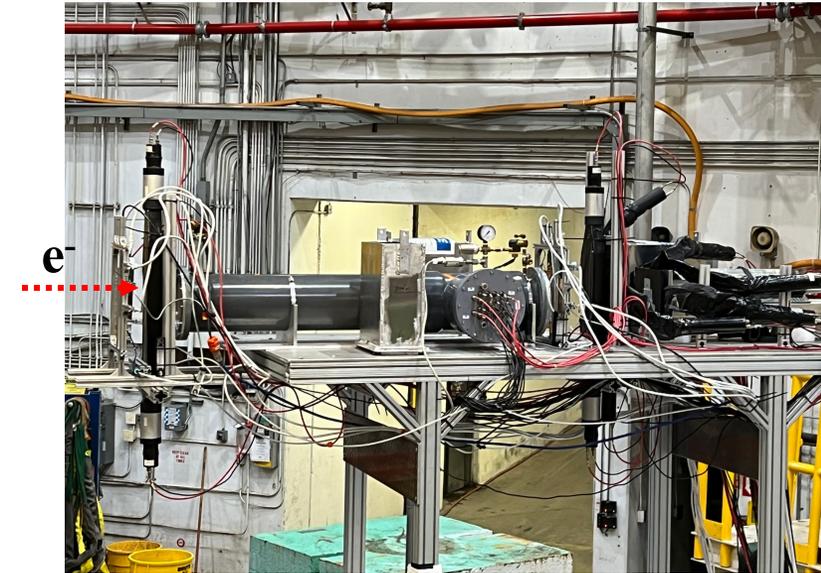
- Milestone 1: Bring all detectors to working condition and ready for beam test  
Complete: end of May 2022  
Completion criterion: All detectors are tested with cosmic data and show reasonable signals; design and completion of test stand.
- Milestone 2: Installation into experimental hall and carry out low rate test  
Complete: August 2022 + 1 month contingency  
Completion criterion: All detectors are moved to experimental hall C, tested with electron beam at the low-rate location, and show reasonable signals.
- Milestone 3: VMM high radiation components ready for testing  
Complete: January 2023 + 3 month contingency  
Completion criterion: procurement and production of radiation hard power supply and data transfer mezzanine boards based on CERN radiation hard lpGBT and bPOL components.
- Milestone 4: Low-rate test data analysis  
Complete: September 2022 + 1 month contingency  
Completion criterion: Data collected during low rate test analyzed and understood. Ideally, we will see MIP signals in SPD, Preshower and Shower detectors, see signals in Cherenkov detector and GEM trackers, and can identify tracks with GEM. GEM tracking reconstruction efficiency and accuracy will be studied. Data will also be used to optimize high-rate running condition such as trigger and PMT gain setup.



Detector test stand in Hall C

# Parasitic Beam Test in Hall C

- Setup in Hall C: SHMS side
  - $\sim 70^\circ$
- VXS crate and FADC 250 modules
  - Behind green wall
- Set up is complete
  - VME comp. died last week
  - Recovering and updating
    - (thanks Bryan Moffit)
  - Anticipate detector checkout next week
- **Low-rate test (June – August)**
  - Ensure all detectors are working properly
- High-rate test
  - Opportunistically move near beam line



# Summary and Outlook

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- SoLID: A large acceptance device which can handle very high luminosity to allow full exploitation of JLab12 potential---pushing the limit of the luminosity frontier
- SoLID has rich and vibrant science programs complementary and synergistic to the proposed EIC science program
  - Three pillars on SIDIS, PVDIS and  $J/\psi$  production
  - Along with a diverse set of approved run-group experiments including GPD program
- After a decade of hard work, we have a mature pre-conceptual design with expected performance to meet the challenging requirements for the three major science programs
- Ongoing detector and daq beam tests along with continued detector development
- Second SoLID white paper in progress
- Collaboration is working on projections for Jlab 20 GeV
- SoLID collaboration is active, international, and with many theory collaborators

**New collaborators are welcomed!**