

STATUS REPORT OF THE RICH PROJECT

CLAS12 RICH Meeting, 20th November 2013, JLab

The CLAS12 Spectrometer

Ongoing upgrade of the CLAS detector.
First beam expected in 2016.

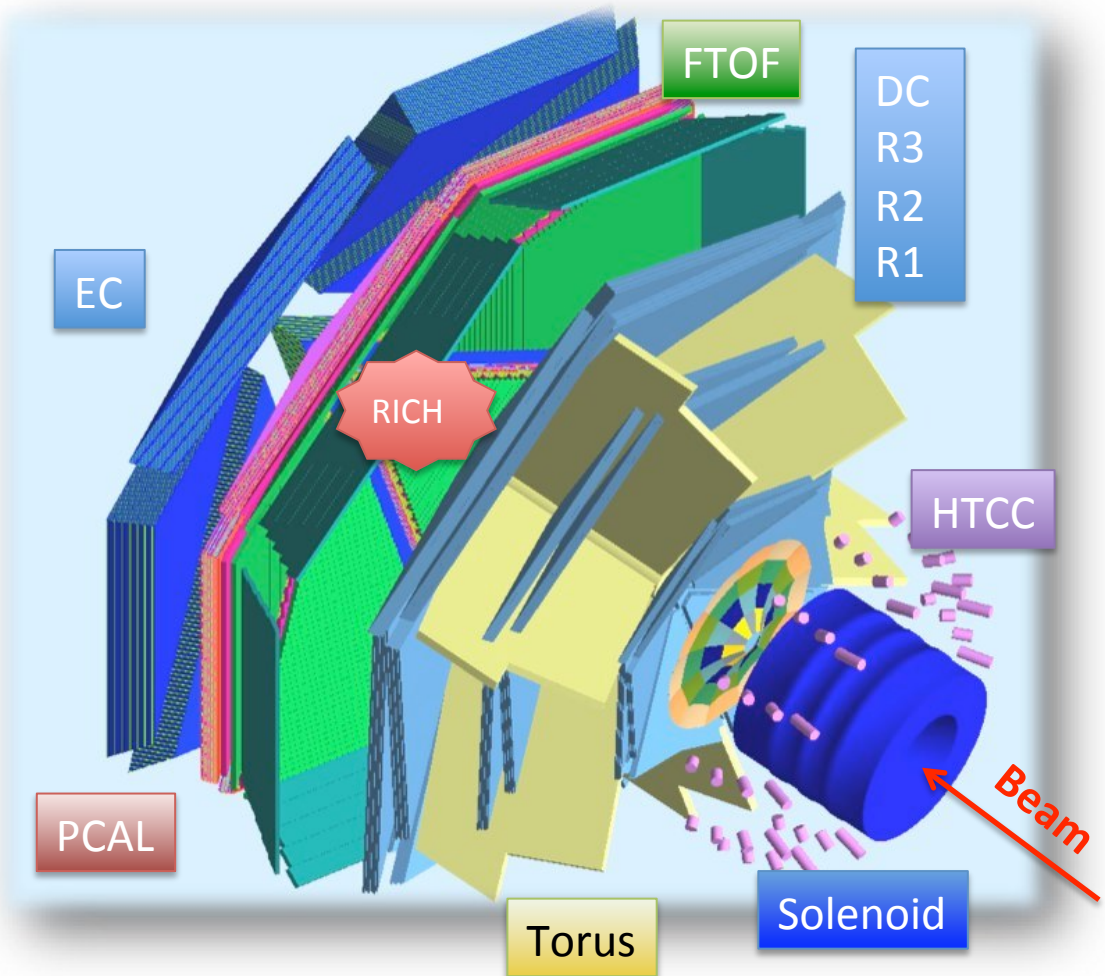
Highly polarized 12 GeV electron beam

Luminosity up to $10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$

H and D polarized targets

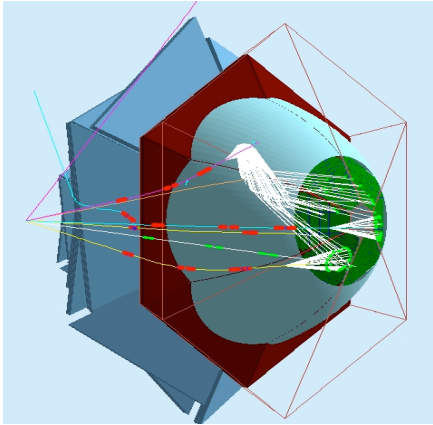
Broad kinematic range coverage
(current to target fragmentation)

RICH: Hadron ID
for flavor separation
(common to SIDIS approved exp.)

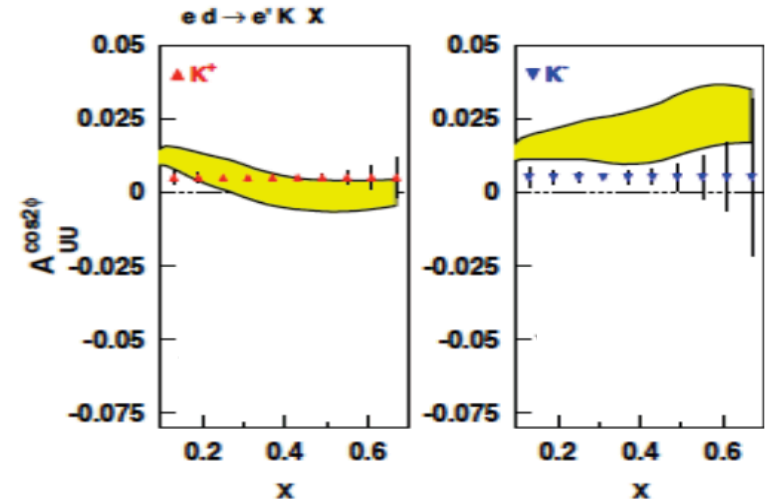


PAC30 report (2006): Measuring the kaon asymmetries is likely to be as important as pions The present capabilities of the present CLAS12 design are weak in this respect and should be strengthened.

Kaon SIDIS Program @ CLAS12

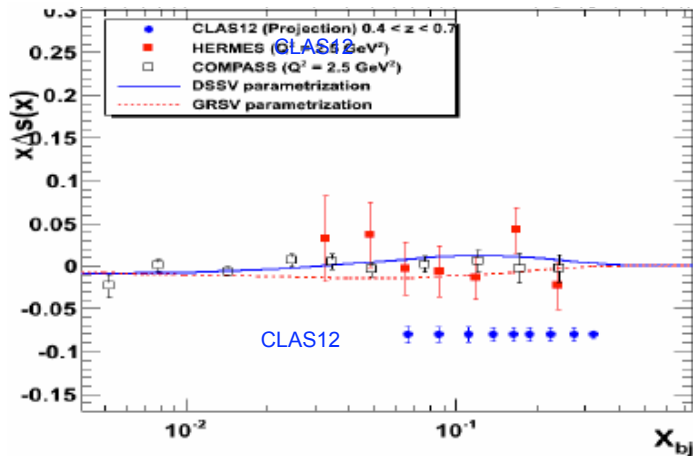


E12-09-08: Studies of Boer-Mulders Asymmetry in Kaon Electroproduction with Hydrogen and Deuterium Targets

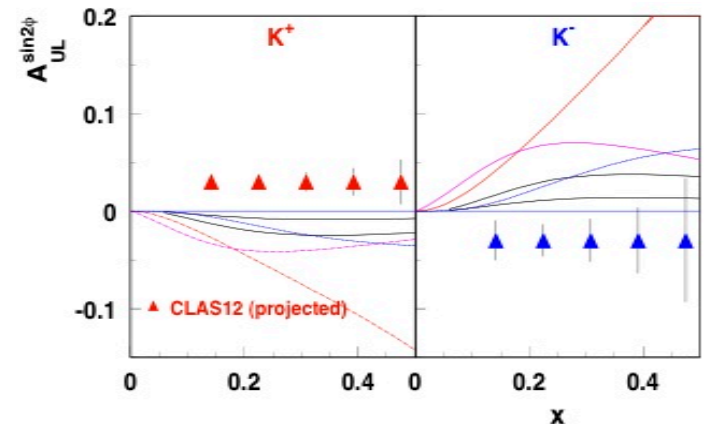


RICH detector for flavor separation of quark spin-orbit correlations in nucleon structure and quark fragmentation

E12-09-09: Studies of Spin-Orbit Correlations in Kaon Electroproduction in DIS with polarized hydrogen and deuterium targets



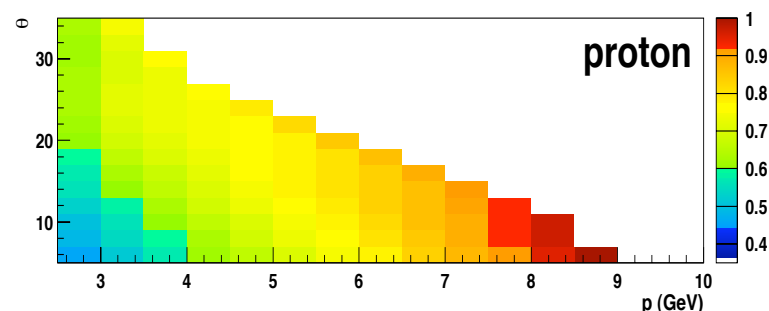
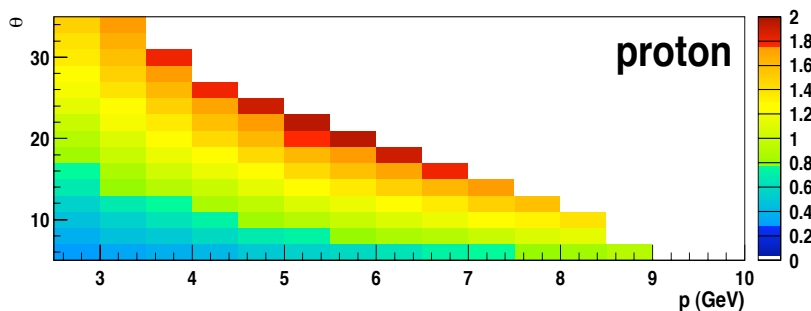
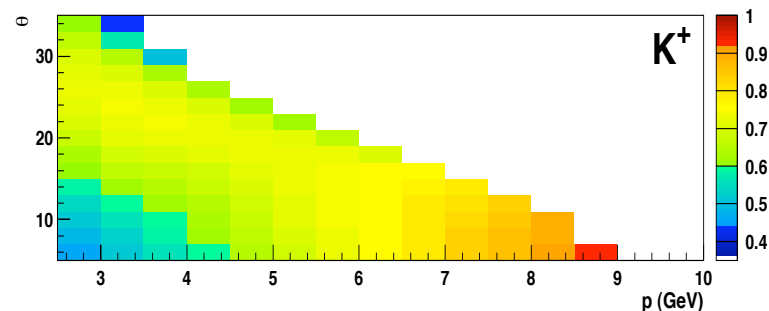
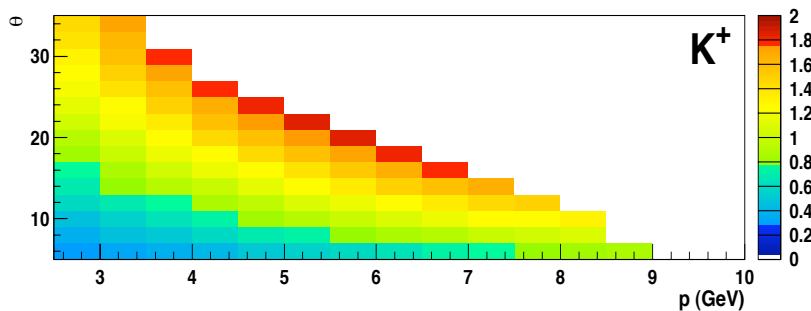
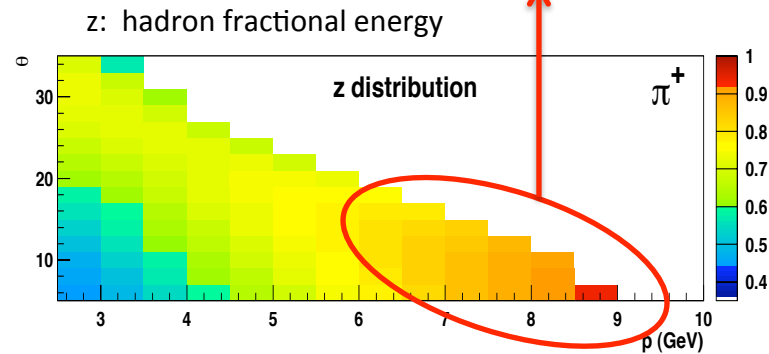
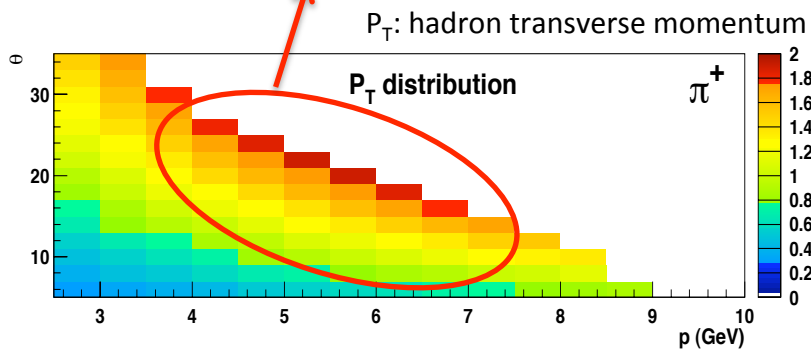
E12-09-07: Studies of partonic distributions using semi-inclusive production of Kaons



SIDIS Kinematics @ CLAS12

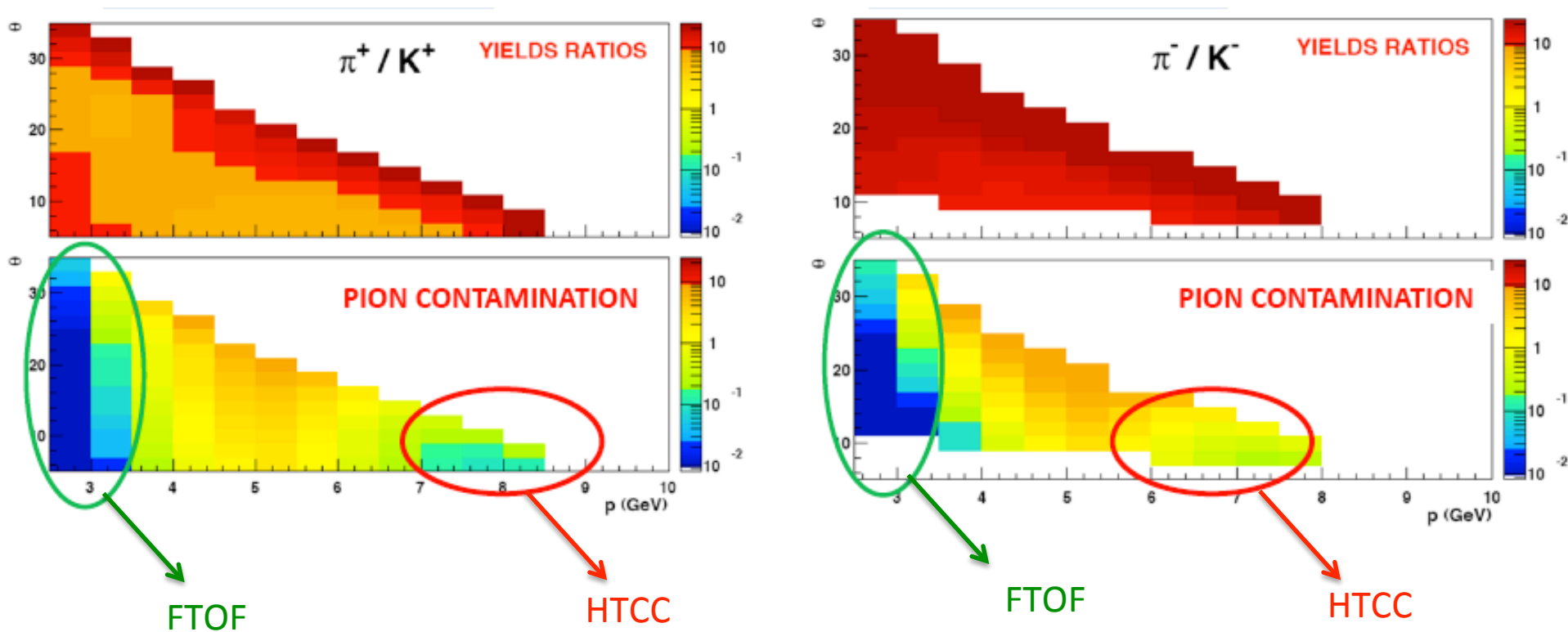
Intermediate angular range (15-25°) important to reach high P_T values

High Momentum region important as transient to hard semi-exclusive region



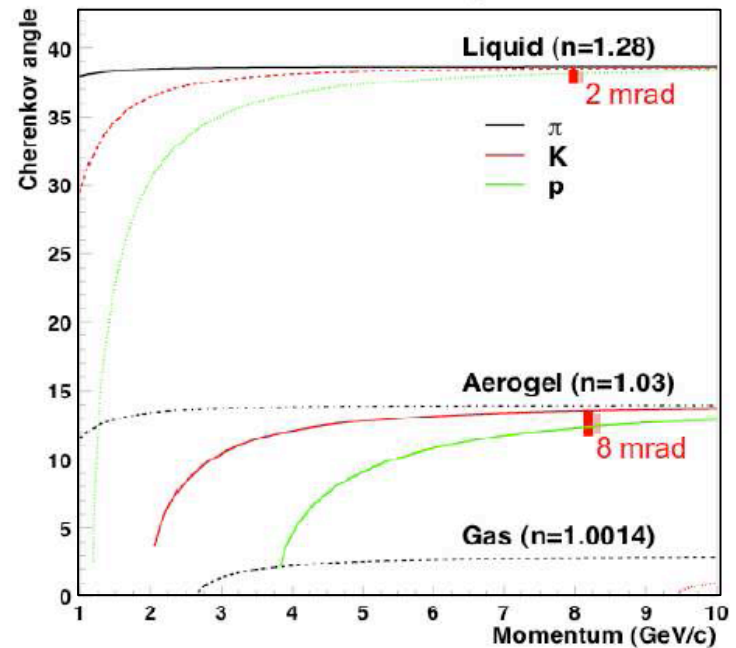
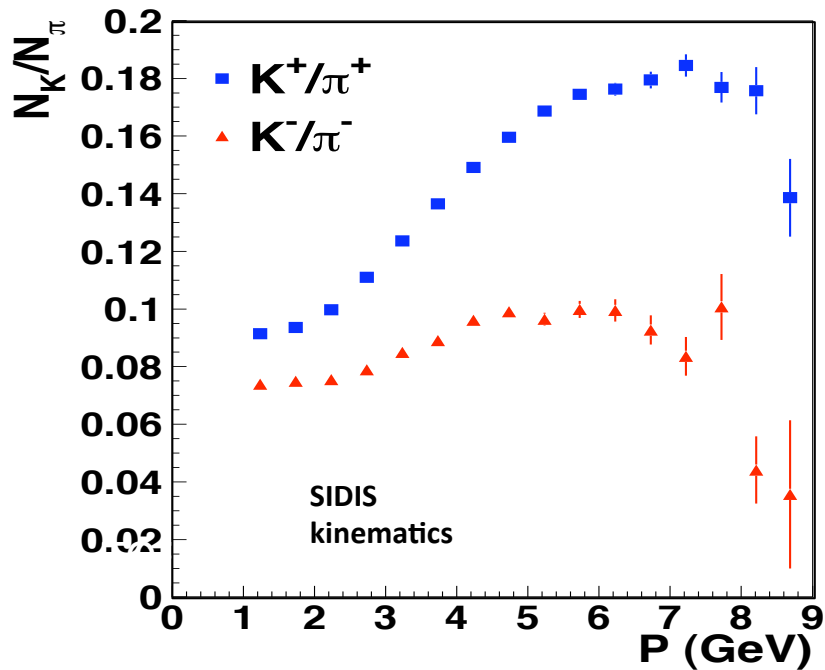
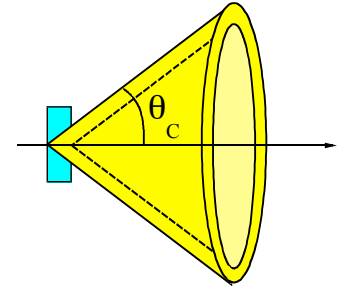
PID @ CLAS12

RICH is mandatory to reach few % pion contamination in the full kinematics



CLAS12 Momentum Range

- ◆ Kaon flux 1 order of magnitude lower than $\pi \rightarrow \pi$ rejection 1:500 required
- ◆ **Aerogel** mandatory to separate hadrons in the 3-8 GeV/c momentum range with the required large rejection factors
- collection of **visible Cherenkov light**
- ◆ **Use of PMTs:** challenging project, need to minimize the detector area covered with expensive photo-detectors



RICH Base Configuration

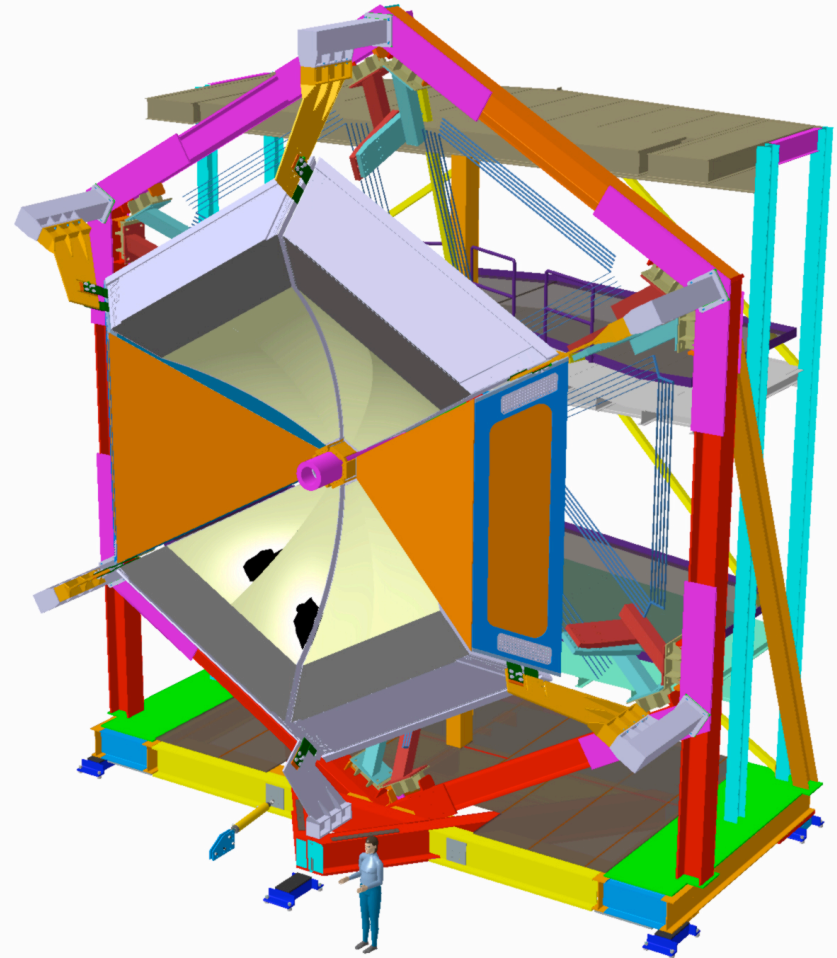
1st sector allows:

- ✓ to start physics with un-polarized and longitudinal polarized target
- ✓ full coverage of the relevant azimuthal angle ϕ (w.r.t virtual photon)

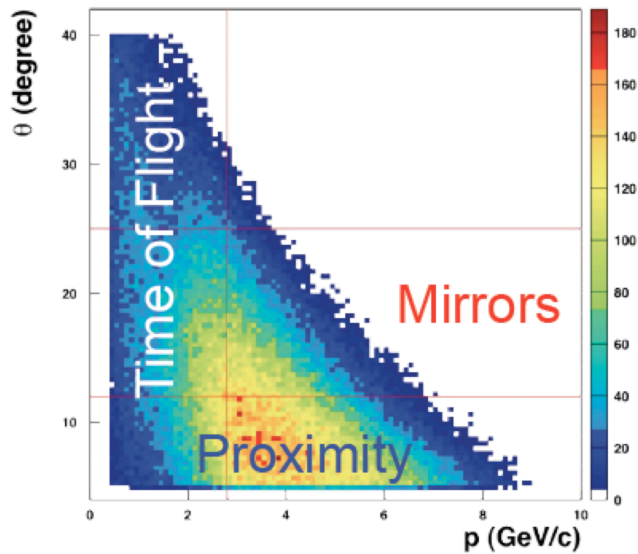
2nd sector allows:

- ✓ to extend the kinematical coverage into the most interesting regions (high- Q^2 and high- P_T)
- ✓ the symmetric arrangement needed to control systematic effects in precision measurements with polarized targets (i.e. double ratio method)

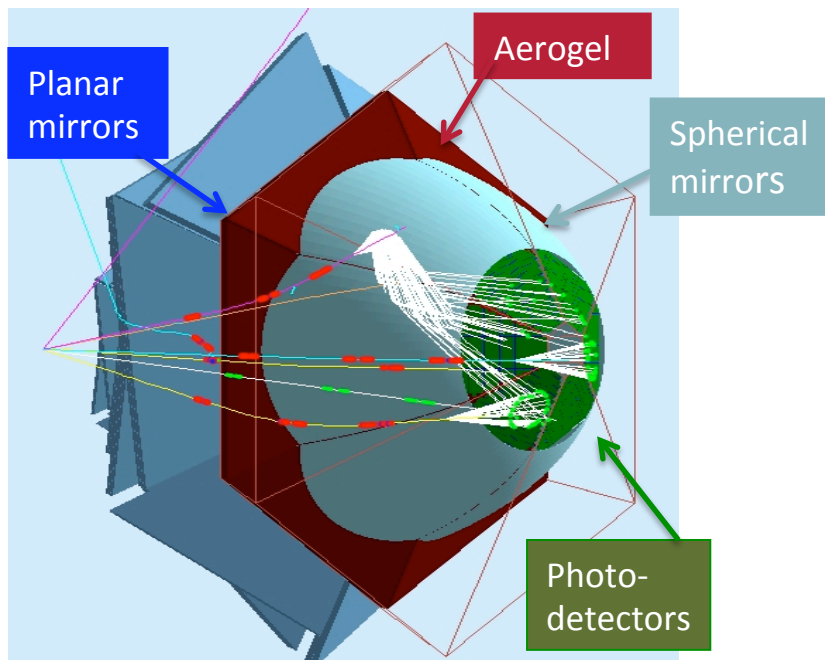
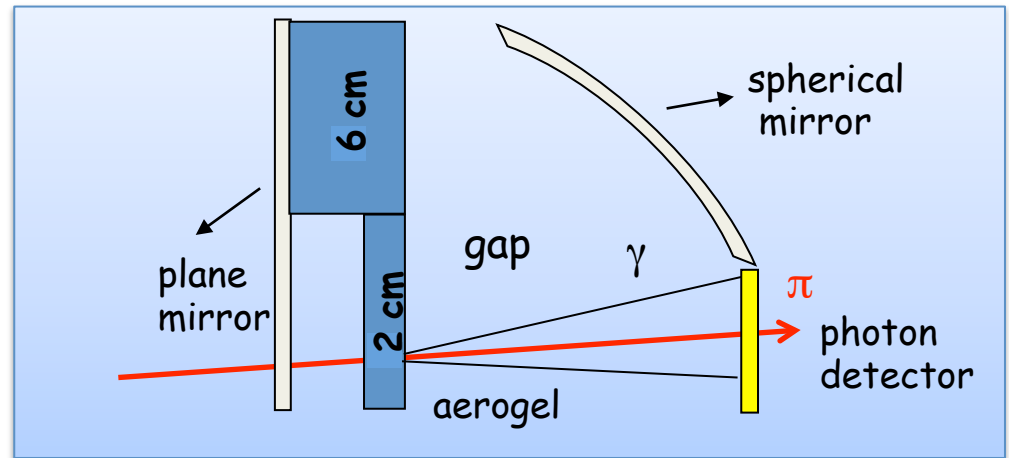
Crucial for the study of parton dynamics related to angular momentum and spin-orbit effects with flavor sensitivity.



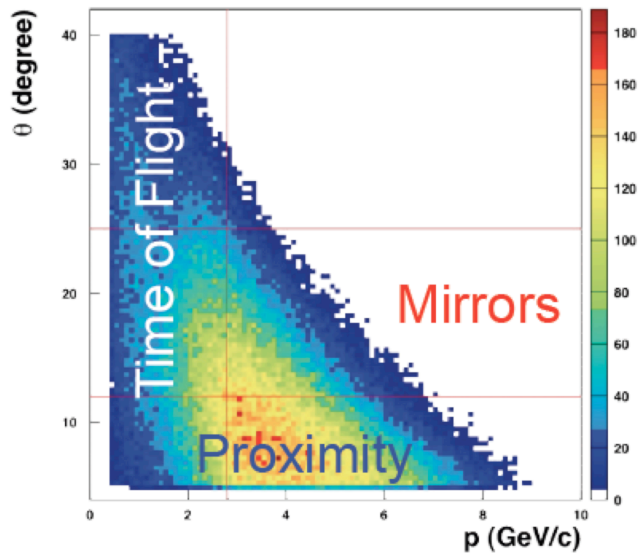
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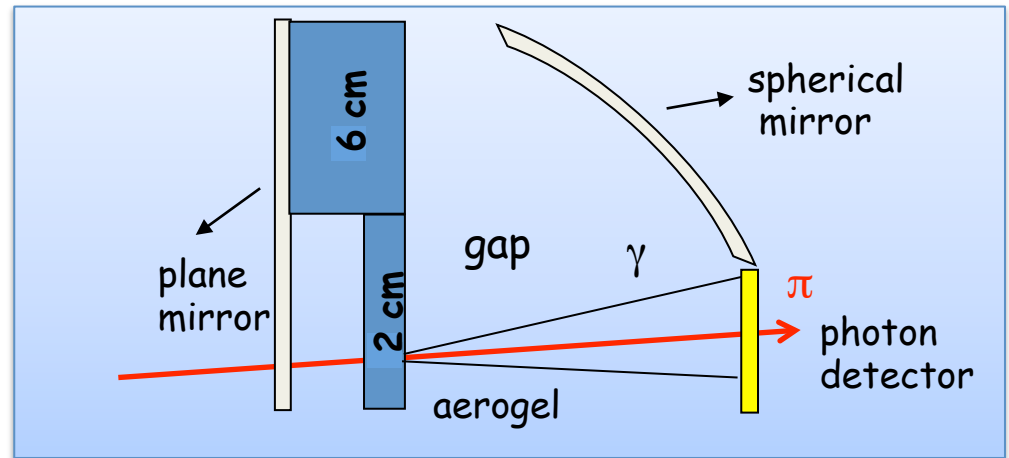
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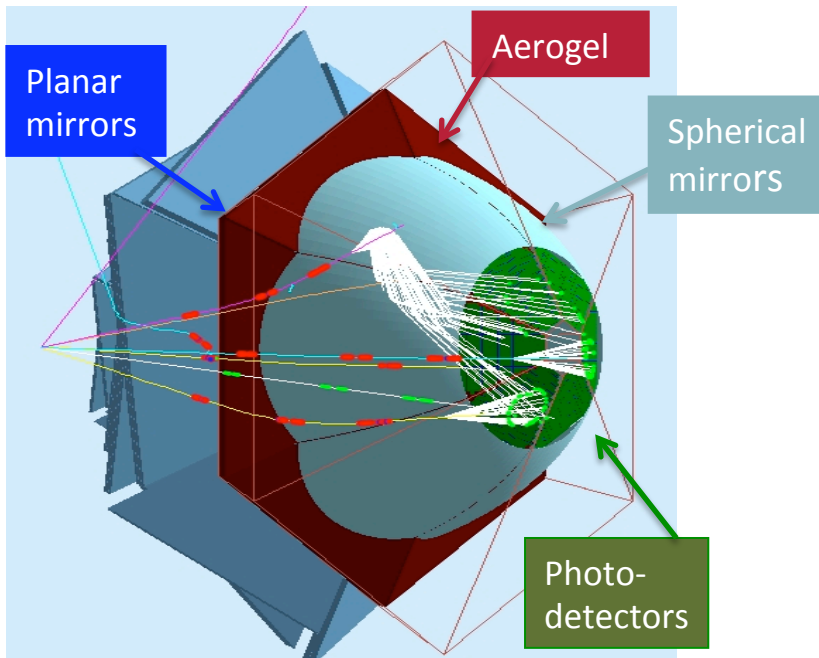
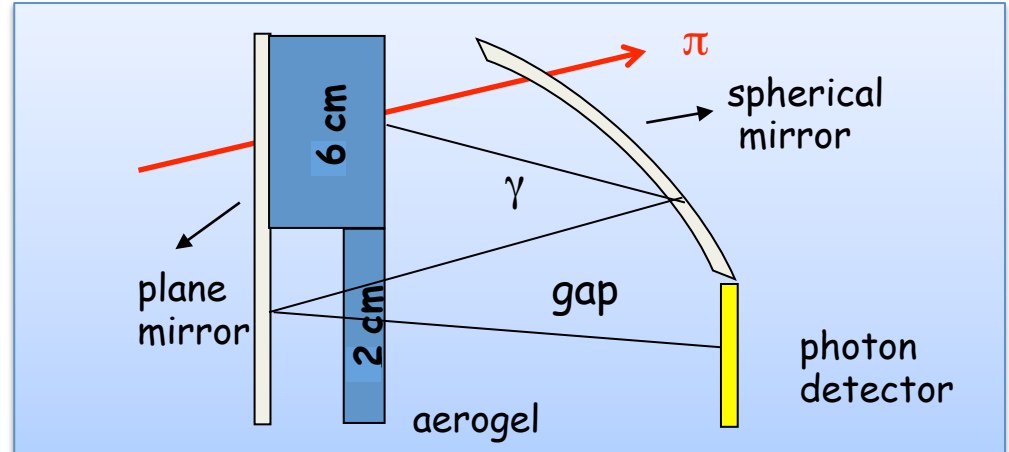
The Hybrid Optics Design



Direct rings/best performance for high momentum particles



Reflected rings for less demanding low momentum particles



- Minimize active area (cost) to about 1 m^2
- Material budget concentrated where TOF is less effective
- Focalizing mirrors allow thick radiator for good light yield

RICH Project Achievements

2010:

- ✓ Concept of Design and Technology

2011:

- ✓ Tests of components and small prototype

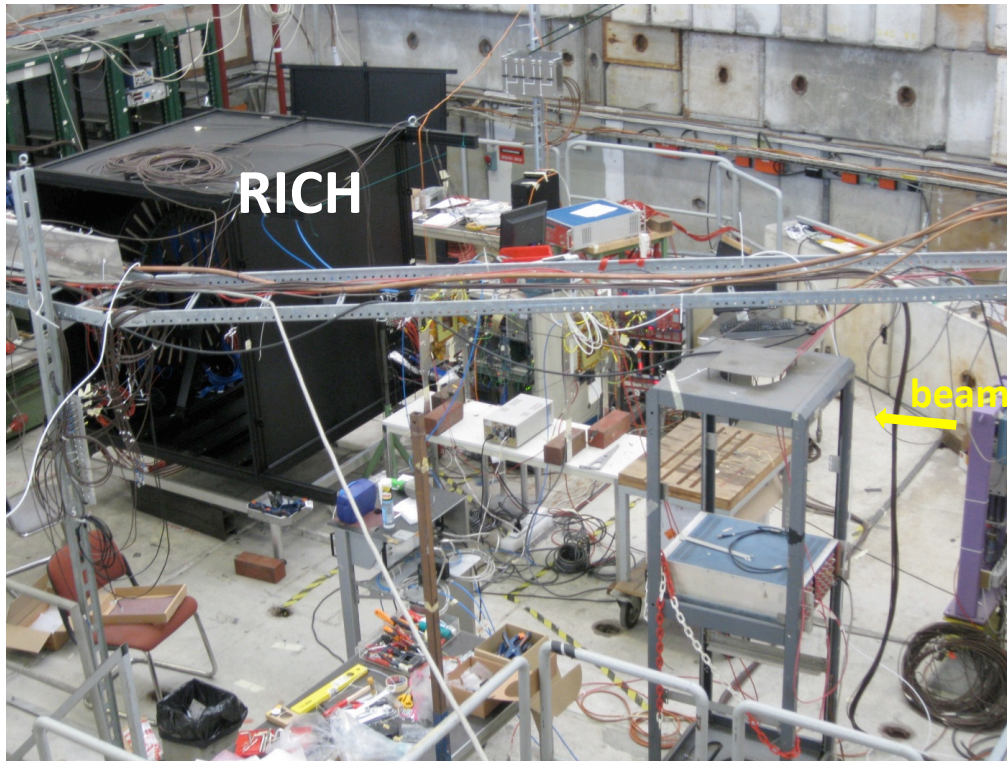
2012:

- ✓ July: Test-beam with Electrons (Frascati)
- ✓ July: Test-beam with Hadrons (CERN)
- ✓ December: Test-beam with Hadrons (CERN)

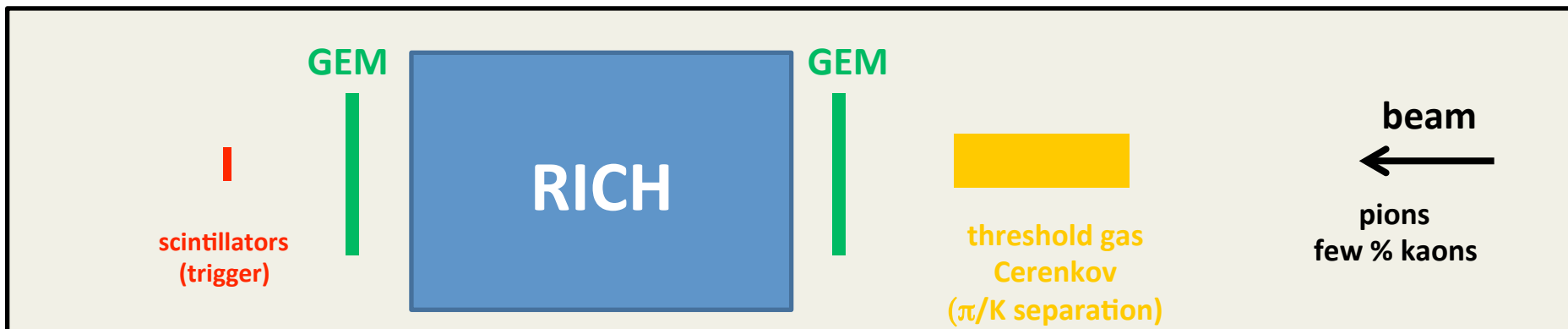
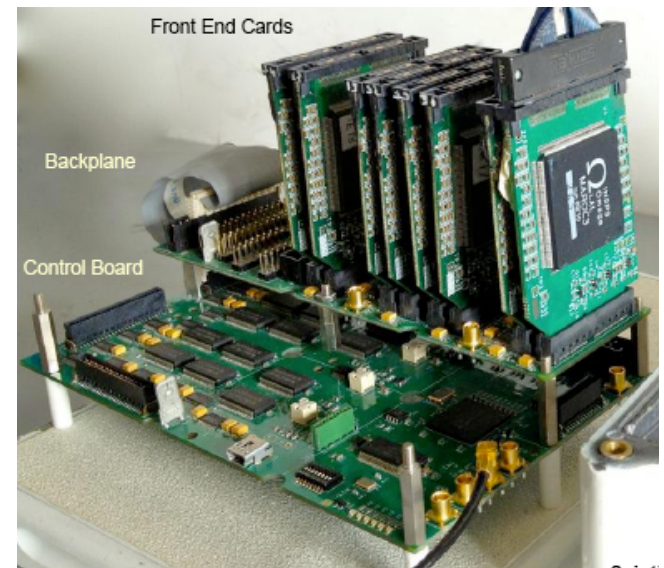
2013:

- ✓ February: Start Engineering Phase
- ✓ 26-27 June: Technical Review

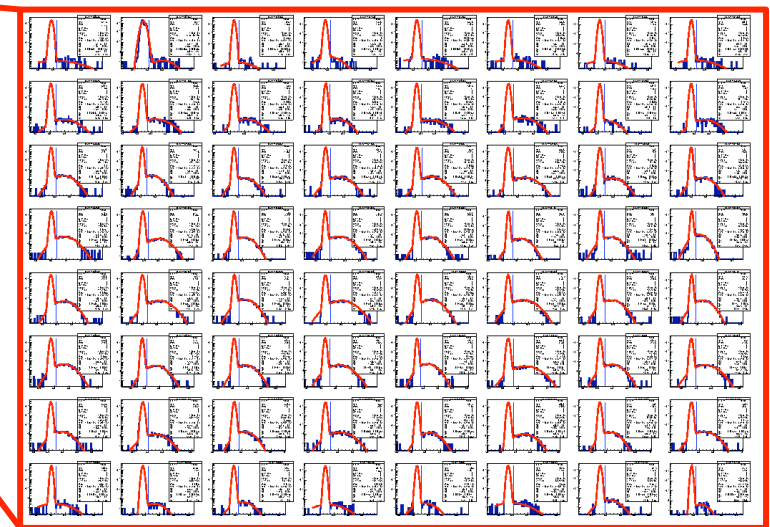
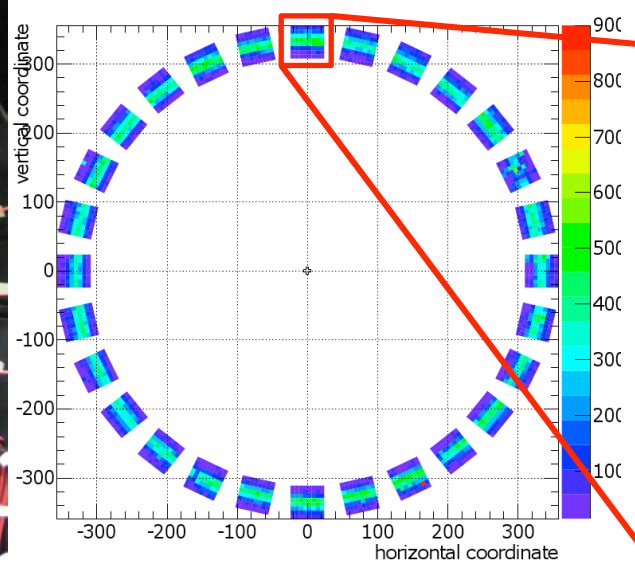
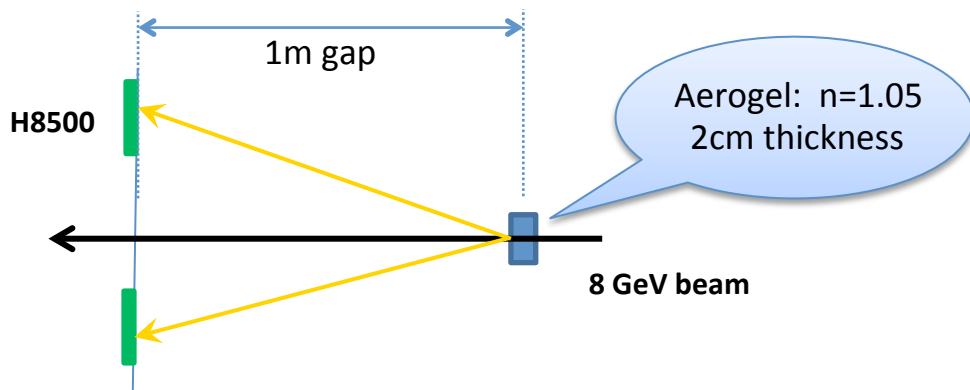
RHIC Prototype at CERN-T9



Readout Electronics based on MAROC3 chip and derived from Medical Imaging

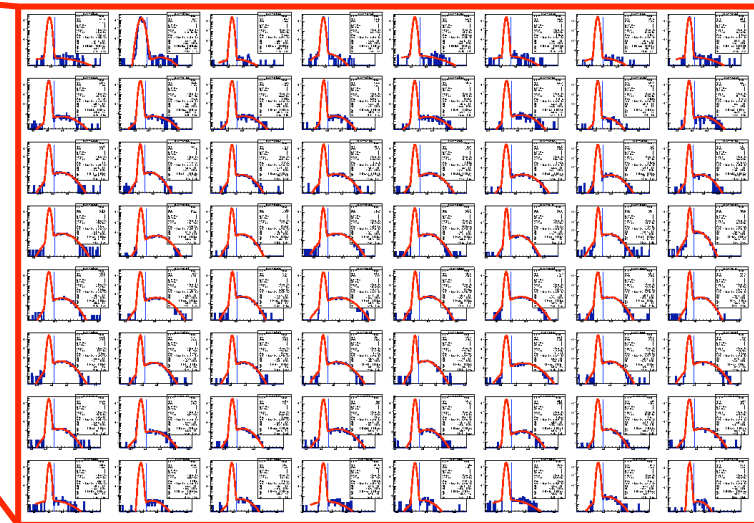
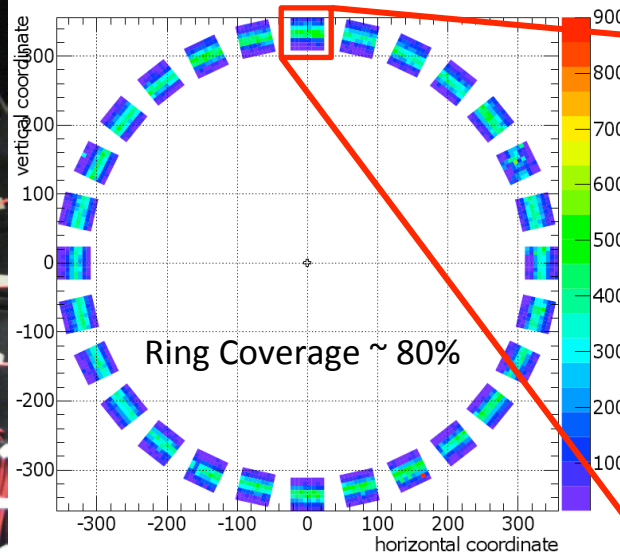
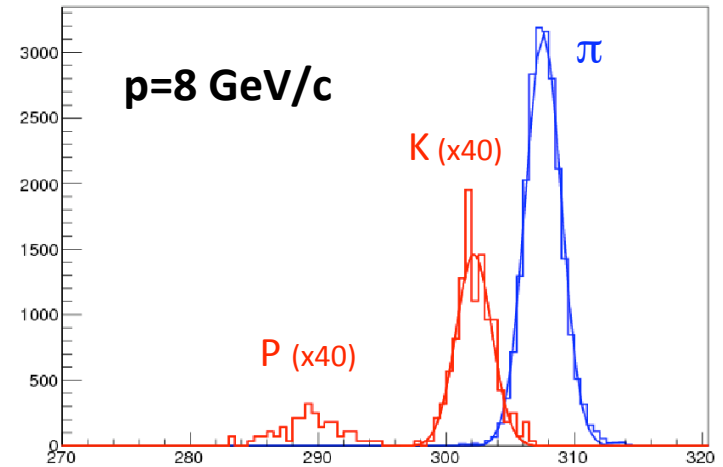
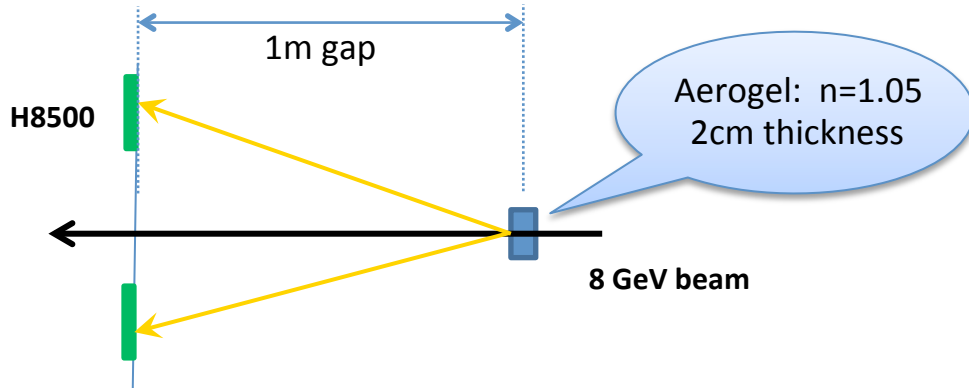


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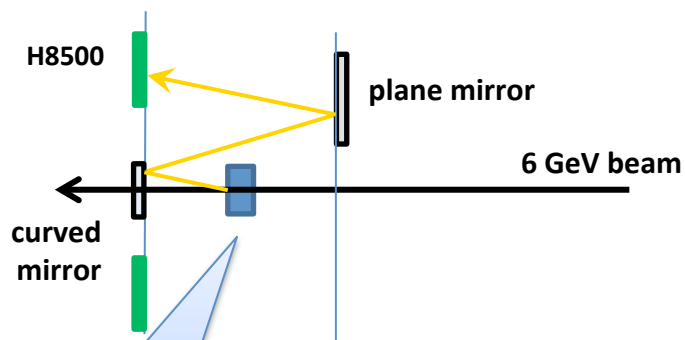


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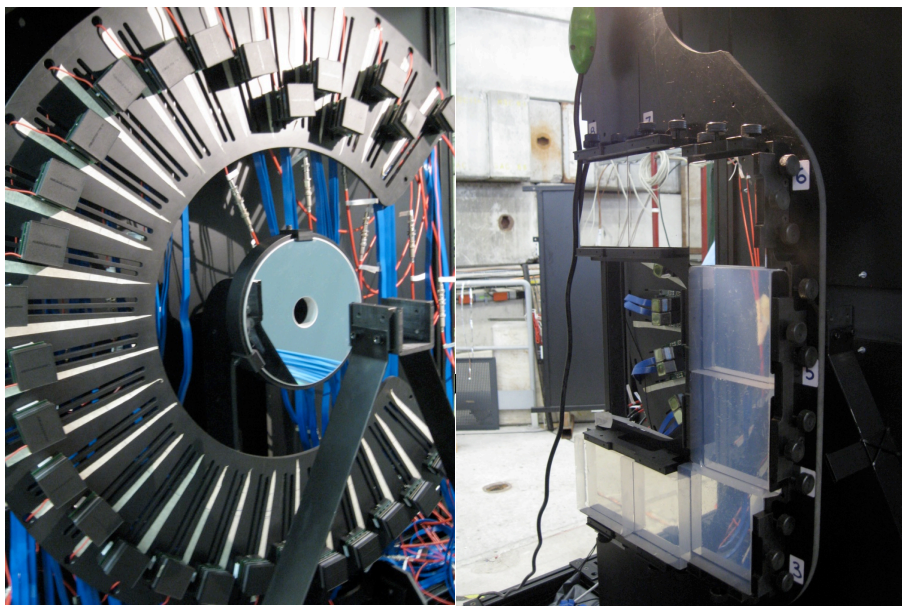
Clear hadron separation up to the CLAS12 maximum momentum



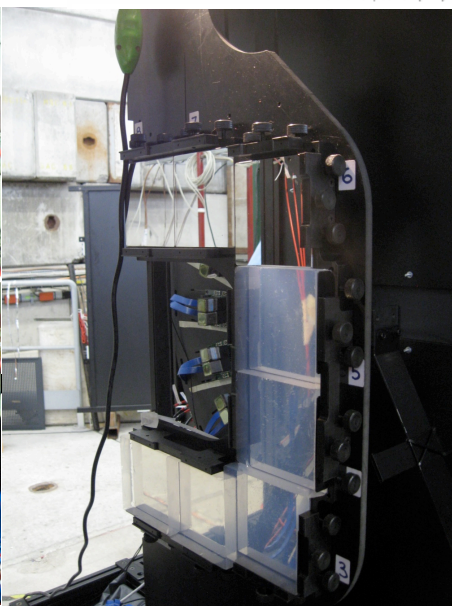
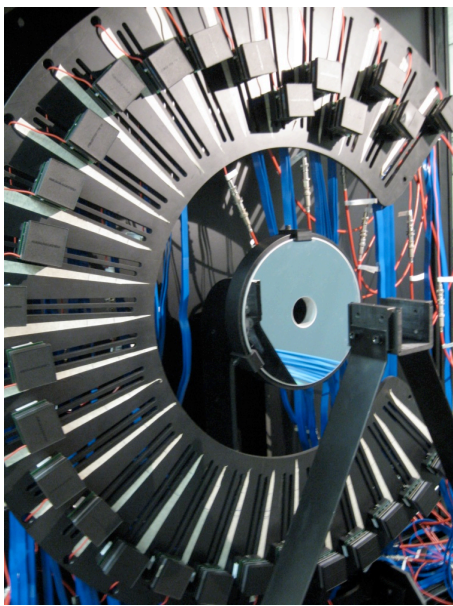
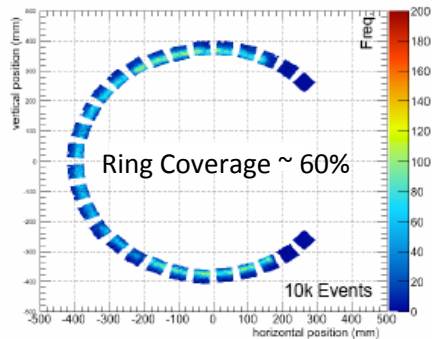
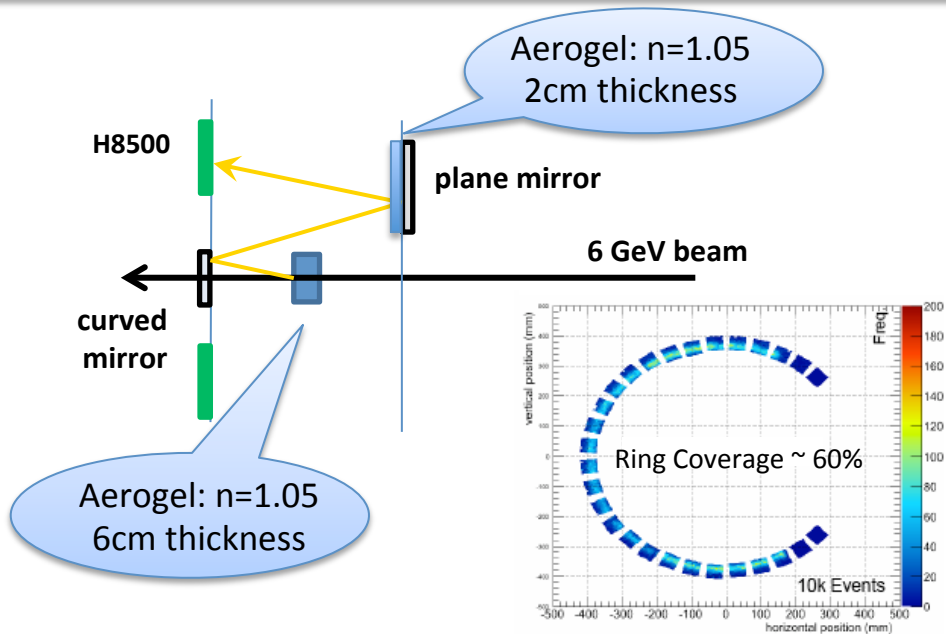
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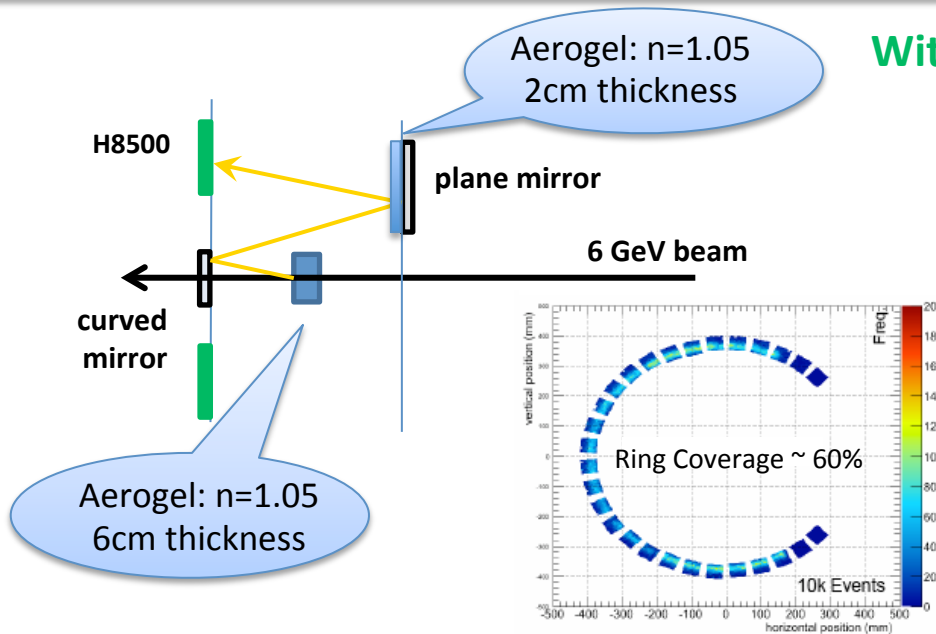
Aerogel: $n=1.05$
6cm thickness



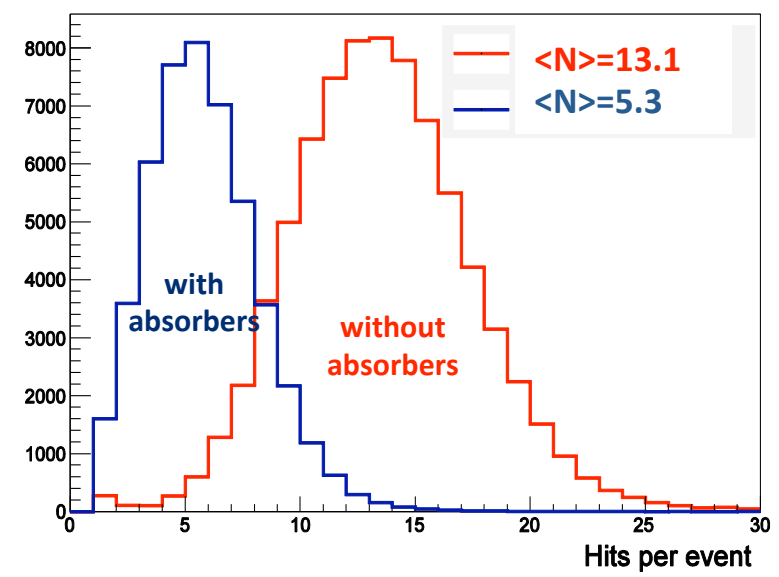
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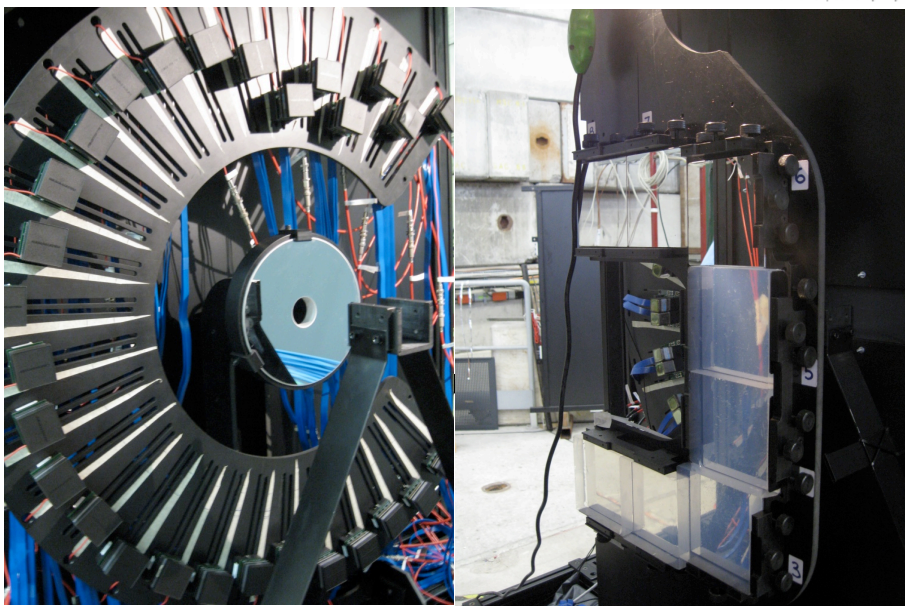
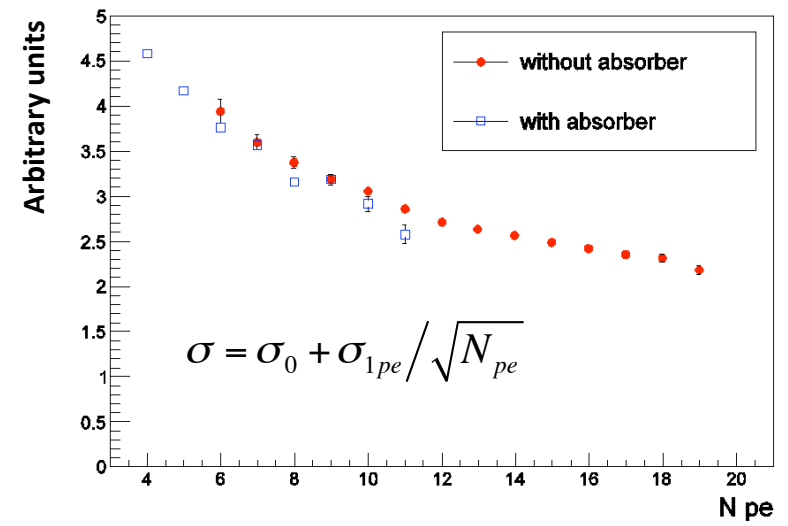
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With absorbers: sizeable fraction of light survives



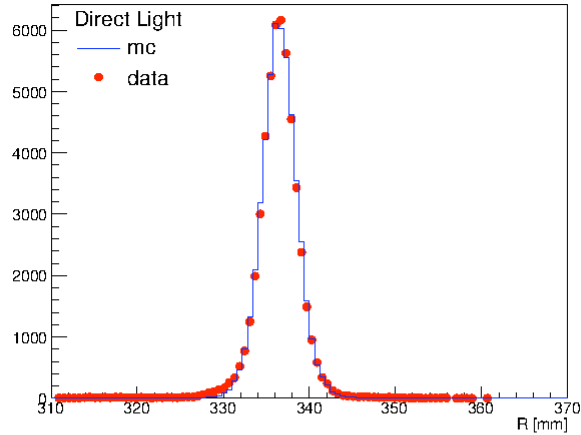
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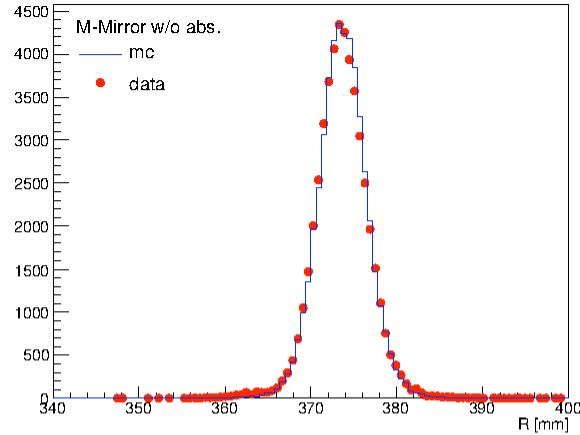
RICH Simulations

reflected light setup

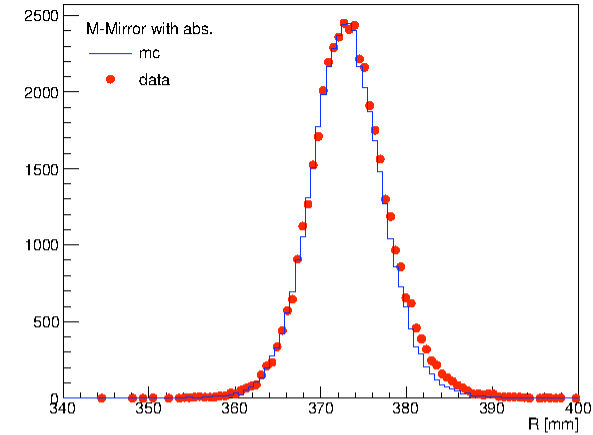
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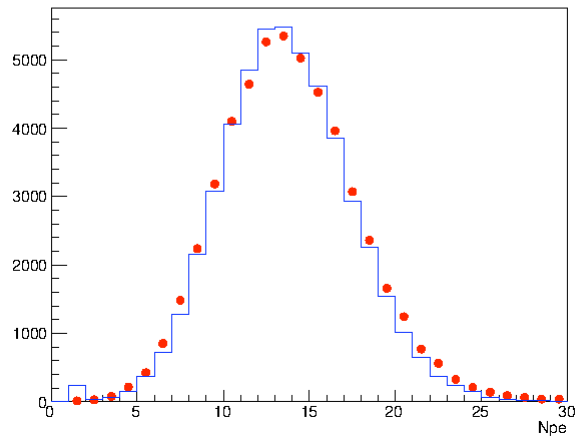
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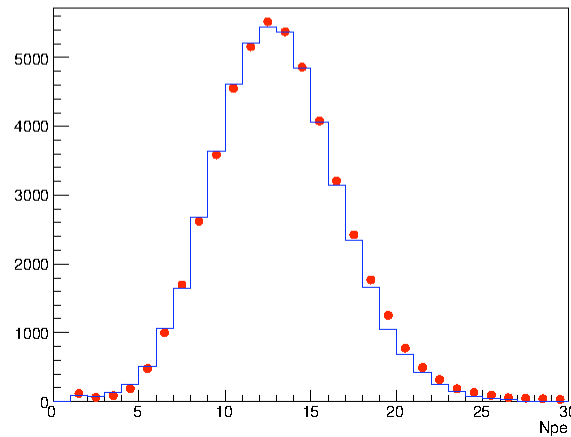
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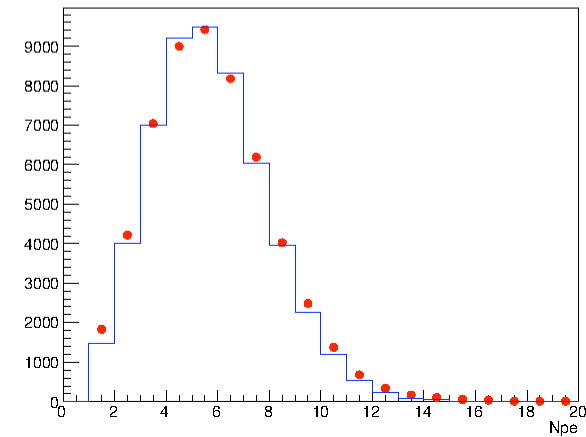
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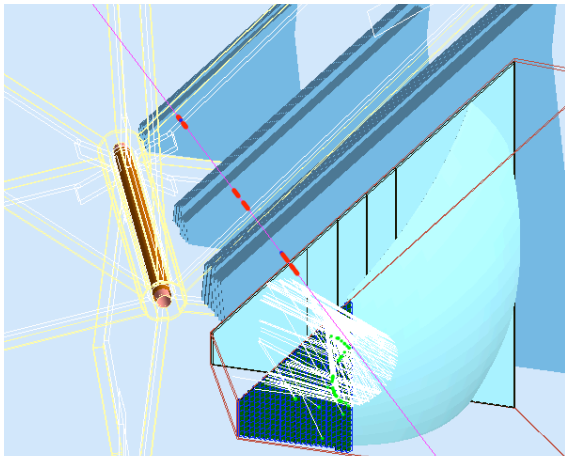
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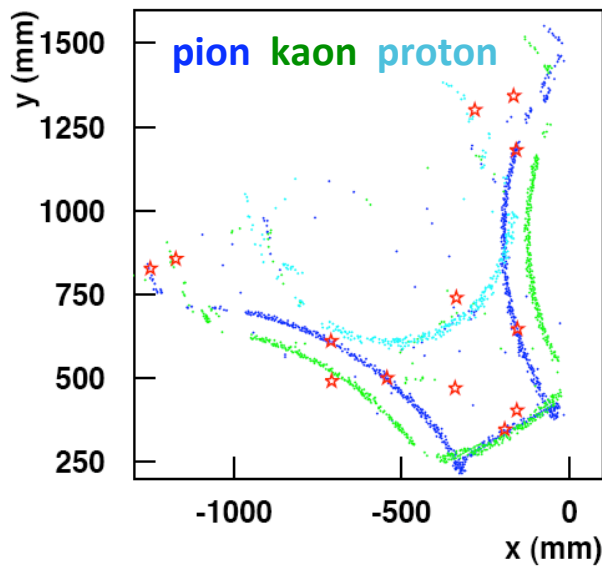
Based on measured optical characteristics and validated with RICH prototype data

The CLAS12 Hadron ID

One charged particle per sector in average:

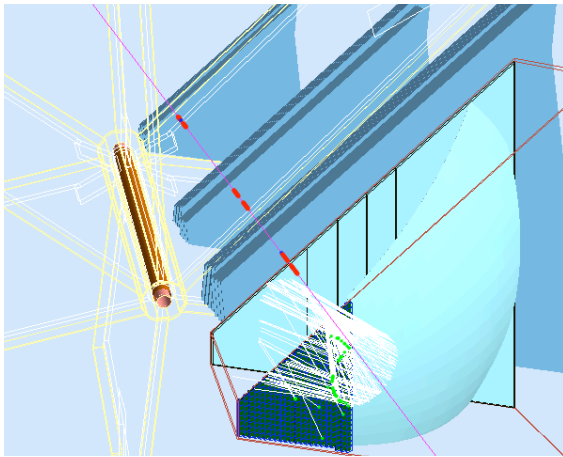


Non trivial RICH light patten due to reflections:
patter recognition and likelihood ID required

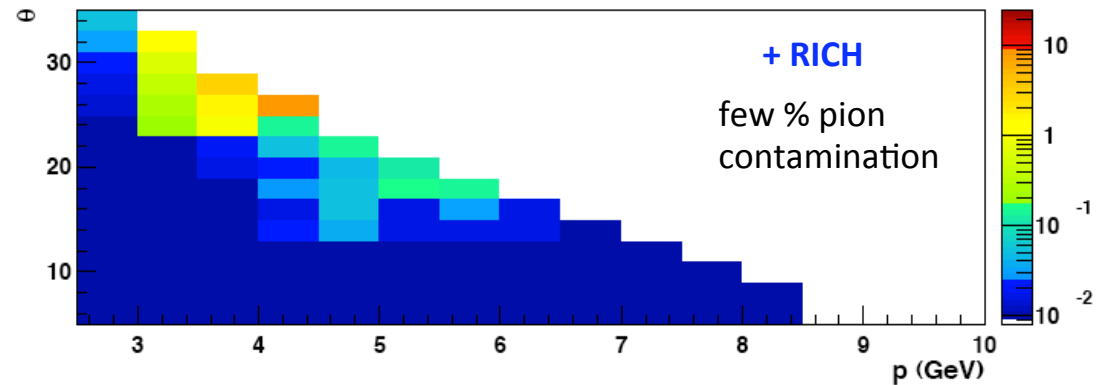
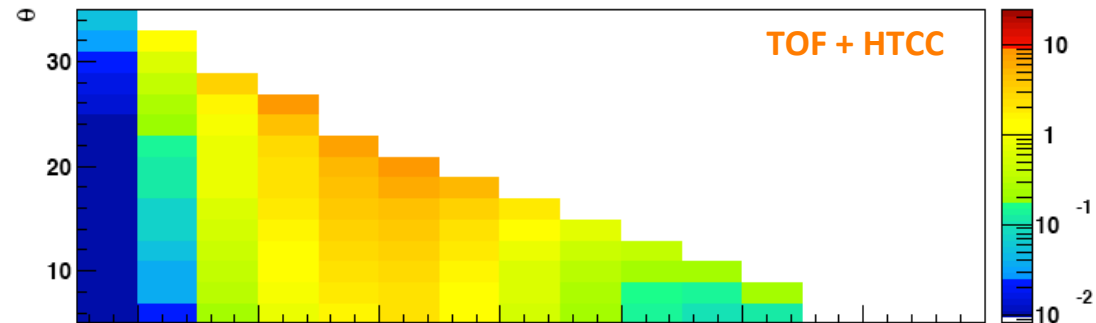
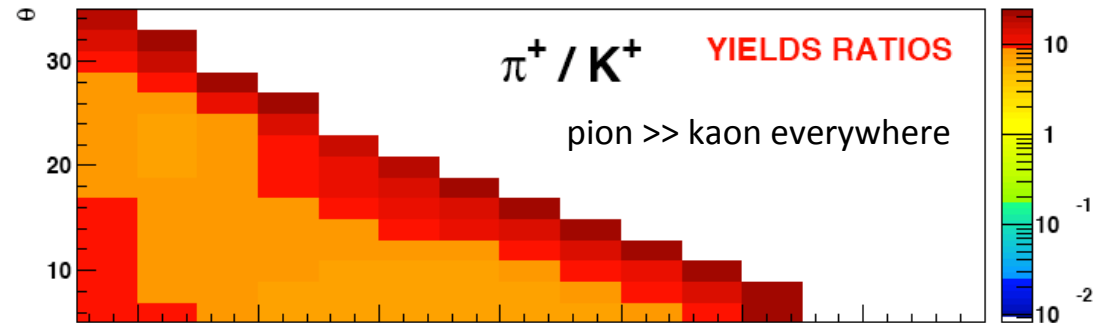
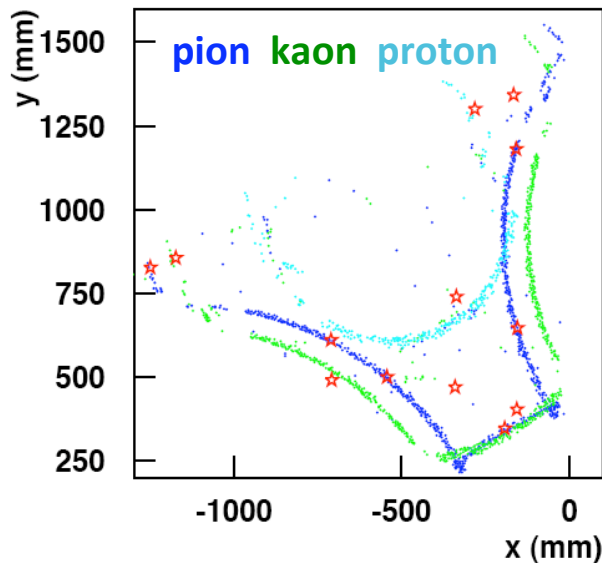


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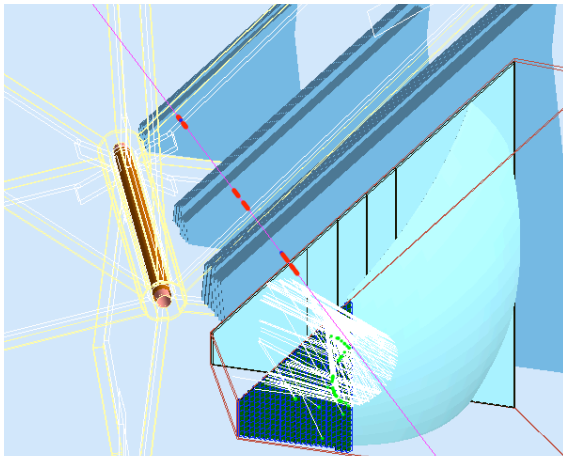
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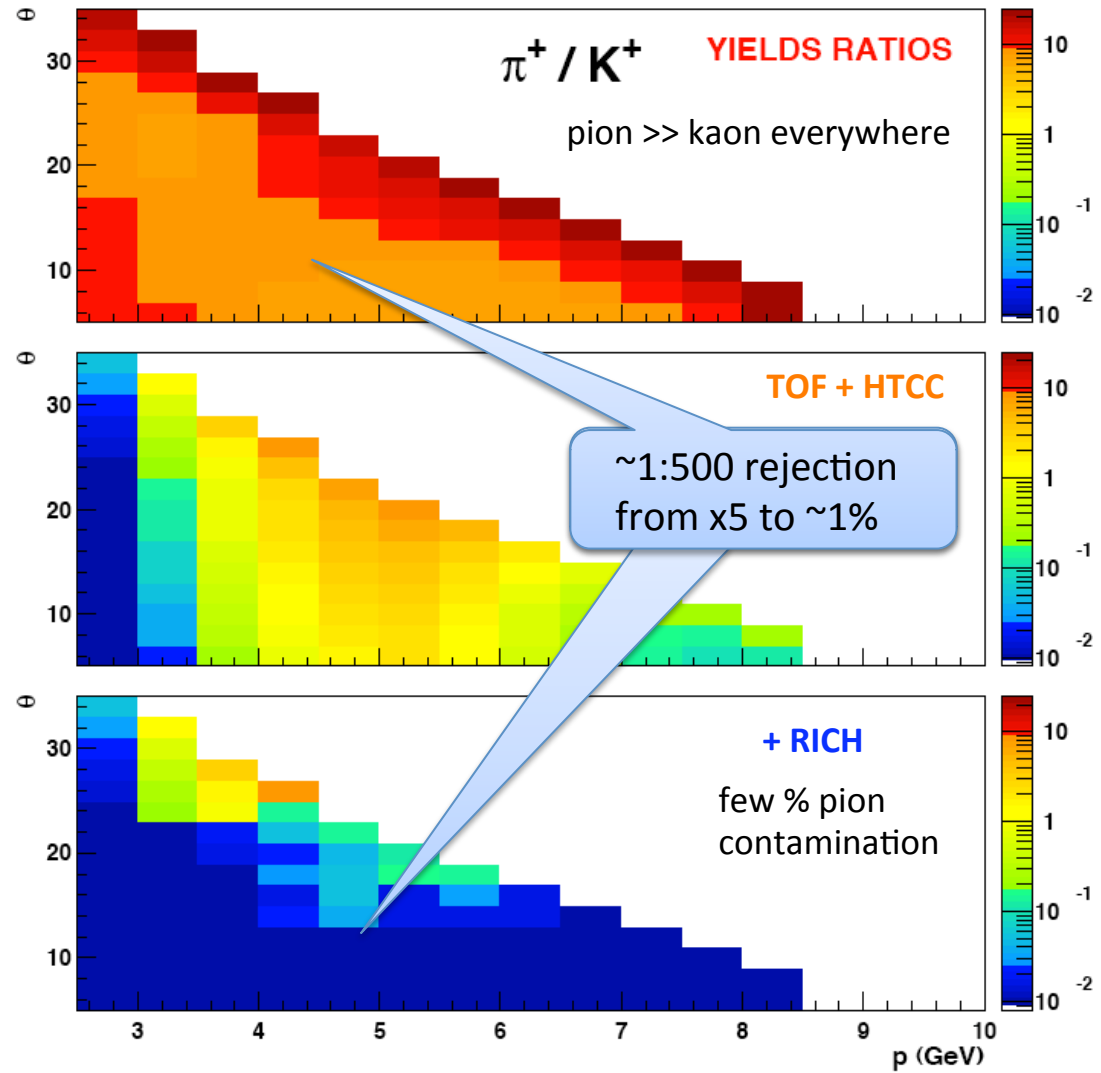
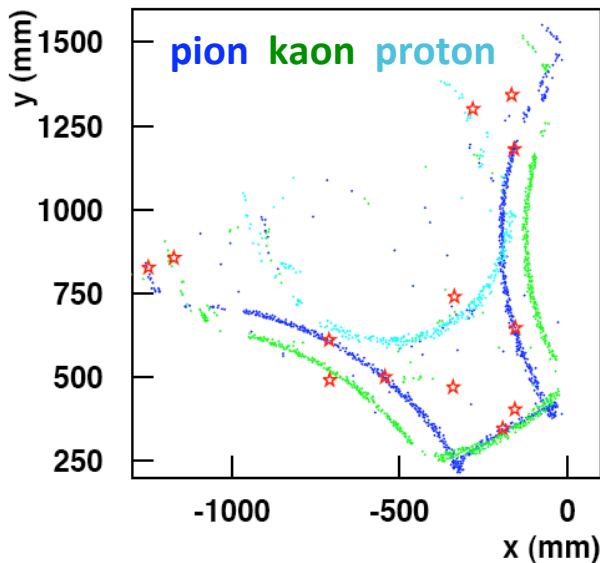
Even with a not yet optimized tuning of pattern recognition and likelihood ID, the π contamination is of the order of 1%

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Technical Review Outcome

Very fruitful discussion and positive response:

“A talented and dedicated collaboration is aggressively pursuing the development of a detector that **would significantly enhance the capabilities of the CLAS-12 baseline design**. Retrofitting a detector into predetermined constraints is always a challenge. Much progress has already been made. Although several challenges remain, **the panel offers their strong encouragement to continue. The potential gain is high.**”

14 valuable recommendations:

We implement actions for all.

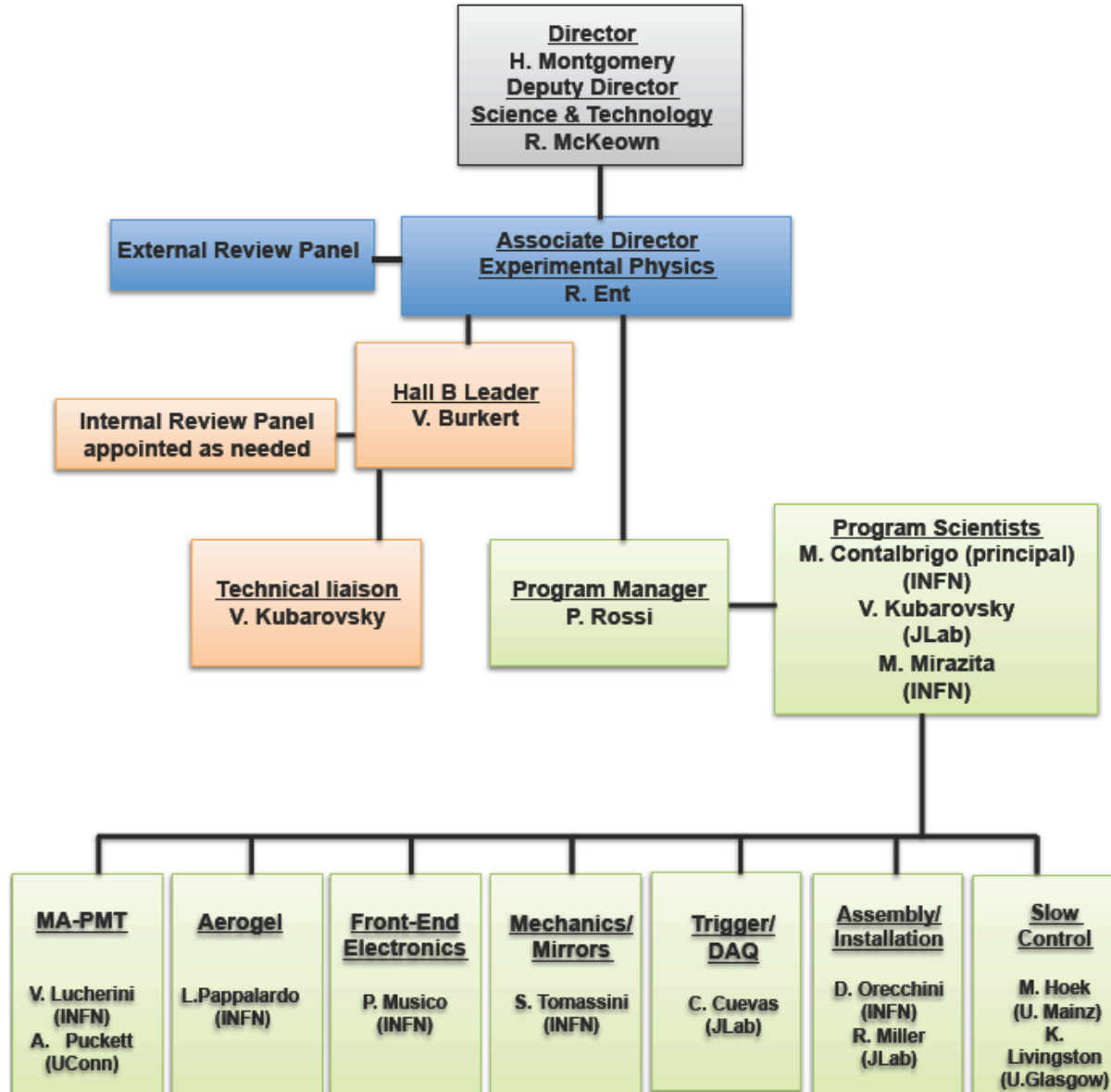
Many are addressed already in the TDR under finalization.

RICH Project Achievements

Summer 2013:

- ✓ August: CLAS12 RICH Project (TDR)
- ✓ August: Project Management Plan
- ✓ 5-6 September: Project Review with DOE

RICH US Scope Management



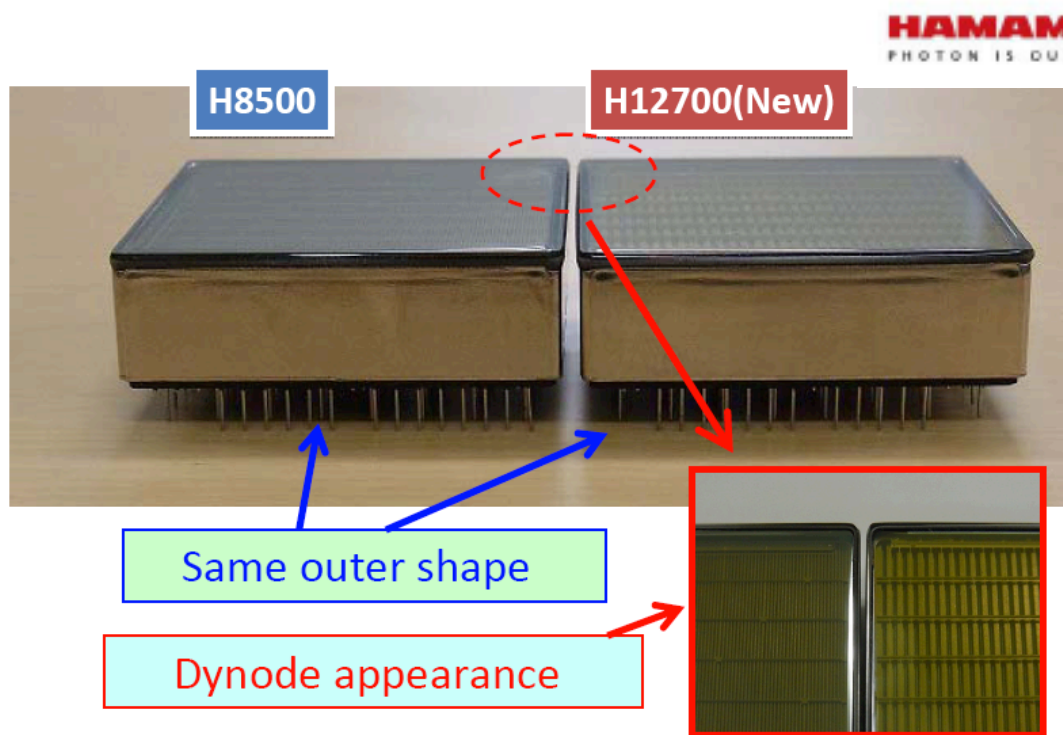
Photon Detectors: MA-PMT

The only option to keep the schedule is the use of multi-anode photomultipliers: start with H8500, keep option for H12700

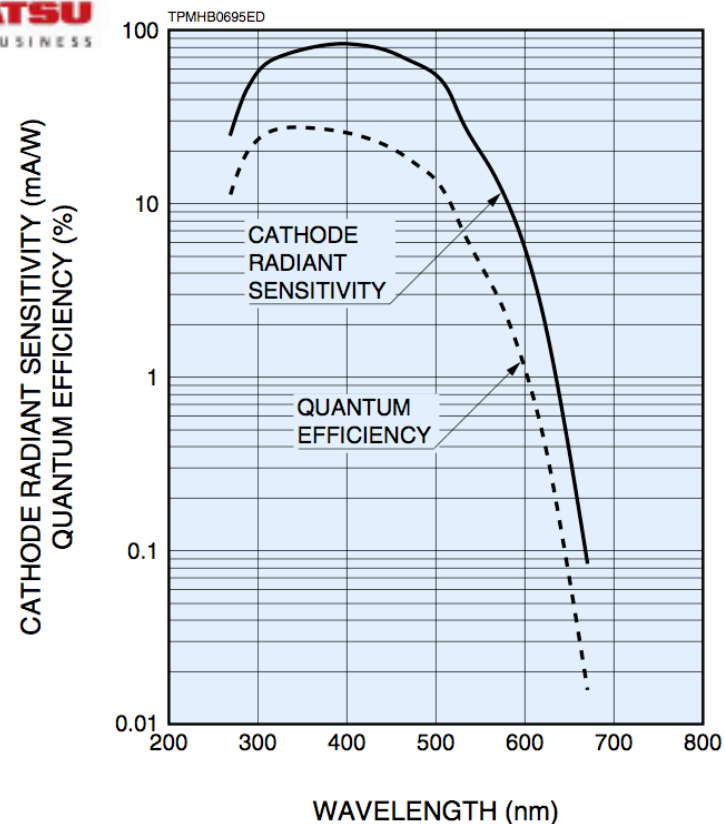
- ✓ Mature and reliable technology
- ✓ Large Area (5x5 cm²)
- ✓ High packing density (89 %)
- ✓ 64 6x6 mm² pixels cost effective device
- ✓ High sensitivity on visible towards UV light
- ✓ Fast response



Contract Awarded by JLab
on 30 September 2013



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- ✓ 30 September: 1st contract awarded (MA-PMTs)

Construction phase has been started

GOAL: 1st sector ready by the end of FY16

Aerogel Radiator



The CLAS12 large area RICH detector

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ABSTRACT

A large area RICH detector is being designed for the CLAS12 spectrometer as part of the 12 GeV upgrade program of the Jefferson Lab Experimental Hall-B. This detector is intended to provide excellent hadron identification from 3 GeV/c up to momenta exceeding 8 GeV/c and to be able to work at the very high design luminosity up to $10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$. Detailed feasibility studies are presented for two types of radiators, aerogel and liquid C_6F_{14} freon, in conjunction with a highly segmented light detector in the visible wavelength range. The basic parameters of the RICH are outlined and the resulting performances, as defined by preliminary simulation studies, are reported.

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The study of the structure of nucleons and nuclei with the help of the high energy electron scattering is one of the main topics of nuclear physics. The CLAS12 experiment, which will start in 2014, will allow to study the structure of nucleons and nuclei with unprecedented accuracy. The CLAS12 experiment is designed to study the structure of nucleons and nuclei with unprecedented accuracy. The CLAS12 experiment is designed to study the structure of nucleons and nuclei with unprecedented accuracy.

Important observables that will be extensively investigated are transverse Momentum Distribution functions (TMDs) describing partonic spin-orbit effects and Generalized Parton Distribution functions (GPDs), containing information about the spatial distribution of quarks and the relation (by a sum rule) to the elusive nucleon orbital momenta. Several experiments have been already performed by the JLab12 PAC to study kaon versus pion production in exclusive and semi-inclusive scattering, providing access to the decomposition of the two sets of non-perturbative parton distribution functions.

Main features of CLAS12 include a high operational design luminosity of $10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$, an order of magnitude higher than CLAS, and operation of highly polarized beam and target. The conceptual design of the CLAS12 detector is shown in Fig. 1. The central detector with the high-field (5 T) torus magnet is used for particle tracking at large angles. The CLAS12 detector detects charged and neutral particles in the angular range between 5 and 40° . It employs a 2 T torus magnet and a central detector with the high-field (5 T) torus magnet symmetry of CLAS. In the base equipment, the CLAS12 detector is designed to study the structure of nucleons and nuclei with unprecedented accuracy.

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tion and event reconstruction can be achieved in this momentum range by replacing the existing low-threshold Cherenkov counter (LTCC) with a RICH detector without any impact on the baseline design of CLAS12.

2. The CLAS12 RICH

To fit into the CLAS12 geometry, the RICH should have a projective geometry with six sectors that cover the space between the torus cryostats and covering scattering angles from 5° to 40° . Fig. 3. Being downstream to the torus magnet at the interaction point, the RICH has to cover a large area each sector spanning an area of the order of 4 m^2 . Between detectors which are already in the construction, the gap depth cannot exceed 1 m. The proposed solution is a segmented RICH.

A setup similar to the one adopted in Hall-B (C₅F₁₂ or C₆F₁₄) radiator and a CsI-deposited on a cylindrical chamber as a UV-photon detector, is required pion rejection factor at momenta between 3 and 8 GeV/c.

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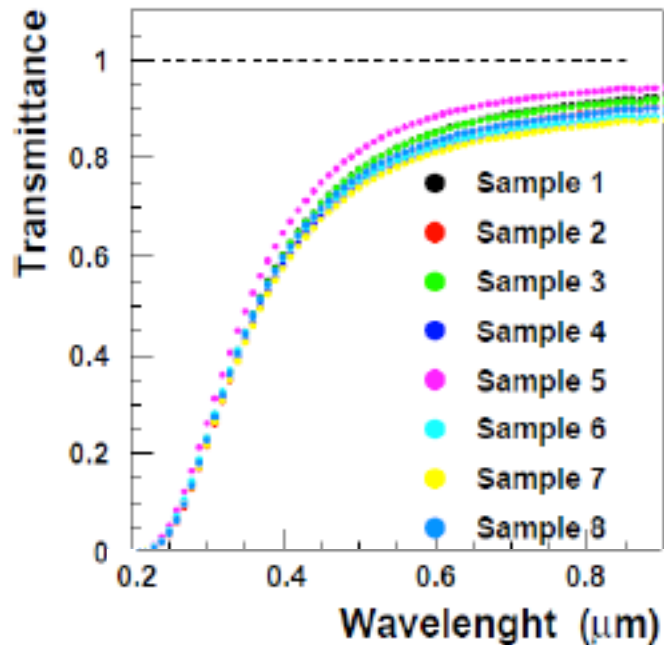
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Aerogel Transmittance

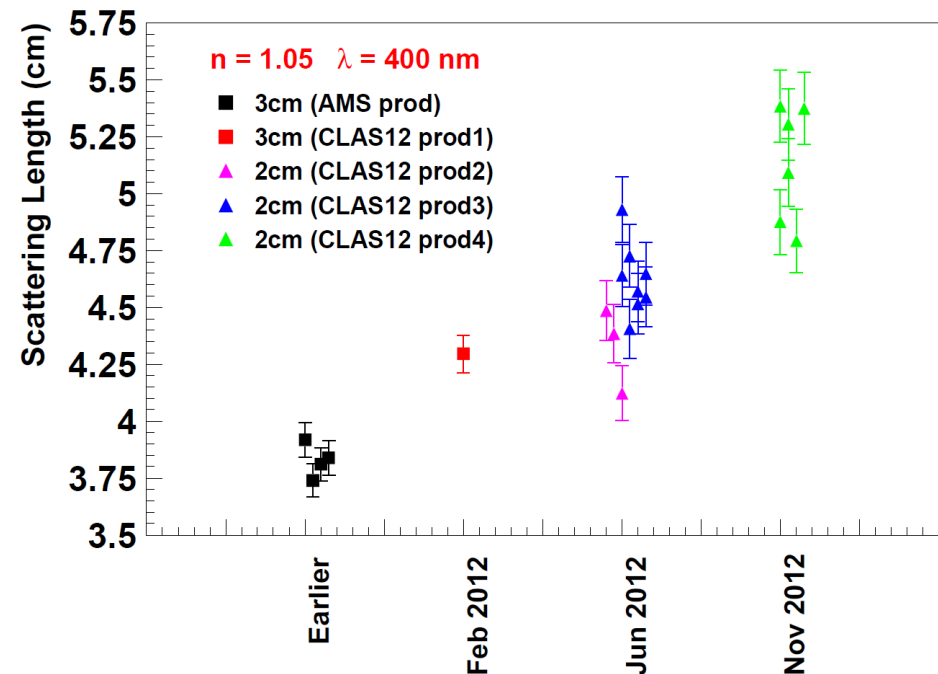
Achieved clarity for large tiles at $n=1.05$

$$\sim 0.00050 \mu\text{m}^4 \text{ cm}^{-1}$$

(LHCB has $0.0064 \mu\text{m}^4 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ for $n=1.03$)



In collaboration with Budker and Boreskov
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Aerogel Production

Aerogel Manufacture Engineering:

- maximize production rate for large scattering lengths (>50 mm)
- minimize edge effects (large area tiles)
- improve bottom surface accuracy

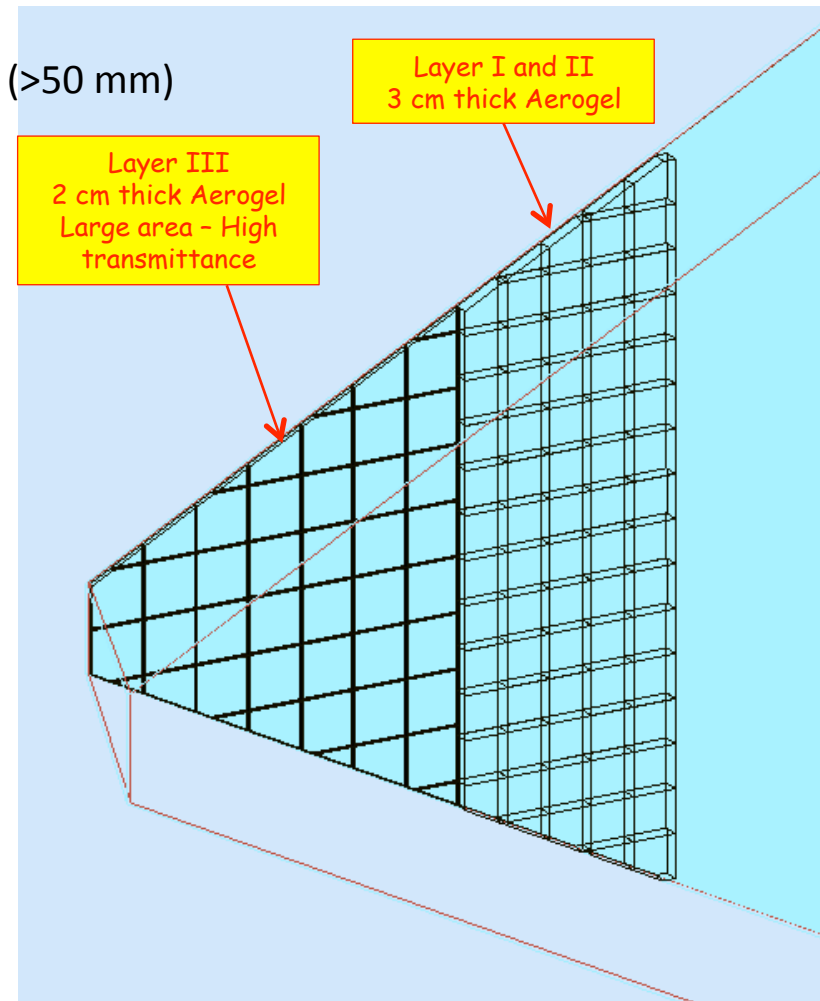
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Aerogel Production Phases:

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 - minimum requirement on optical quality

⇒ 1st m² under negotiation (INFN)

- II) Second layer of the tick radiator
 - medium requirement on optical quality
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Mirror Technology

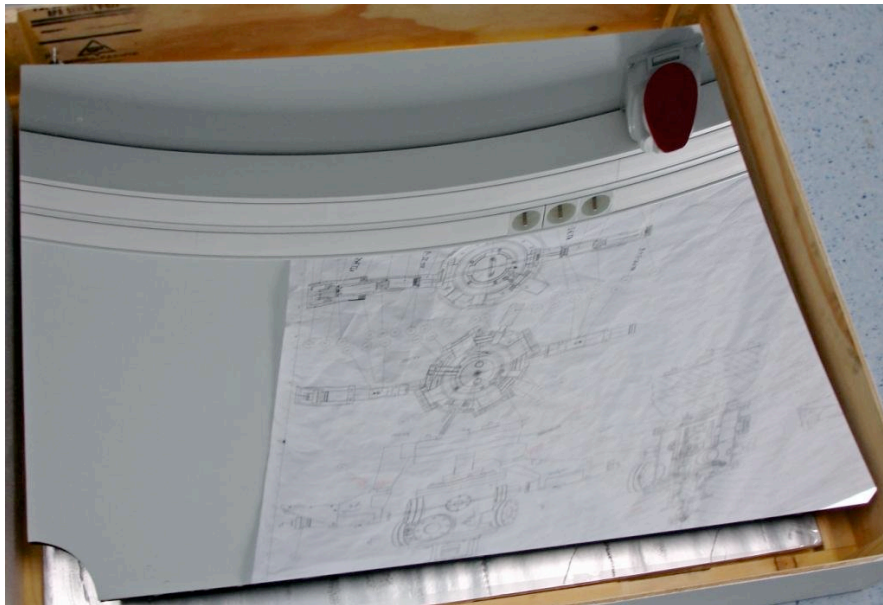
Metalized Carbon Fiber substrate
for spherical mirror

Self-supporting structure with
minimal material budget
(applications in physics experiments)

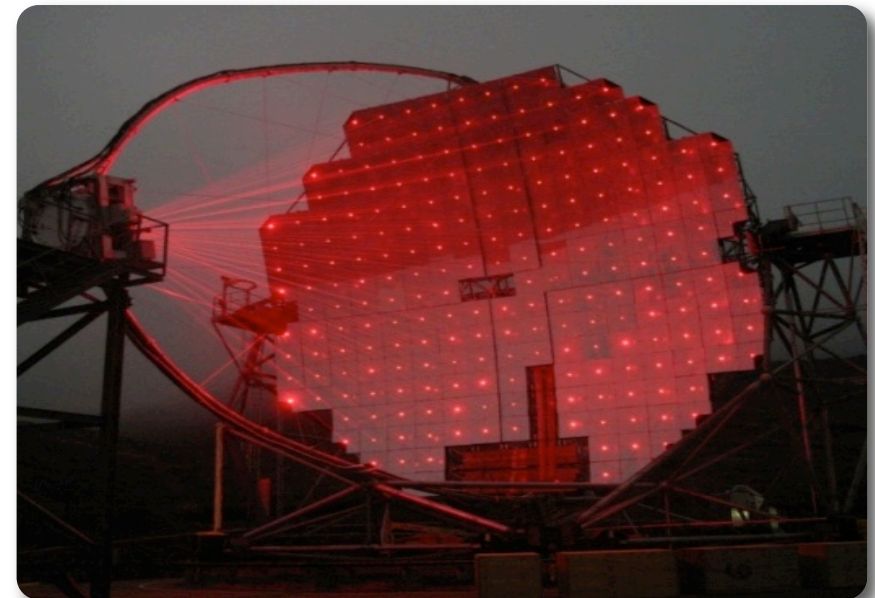
Thin glass skin on a flat support
for planar mirrors

Cost-effective technology for precise
large area mirrors
(applications in terrestrial telescopes)

Standard technologies already in use and commercially available



LHCB mirror



MAGIC-II telescope

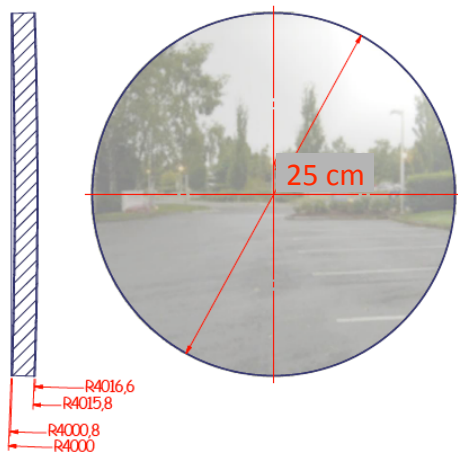
CFRP Mirror

Mirror Manufacture Engineering:

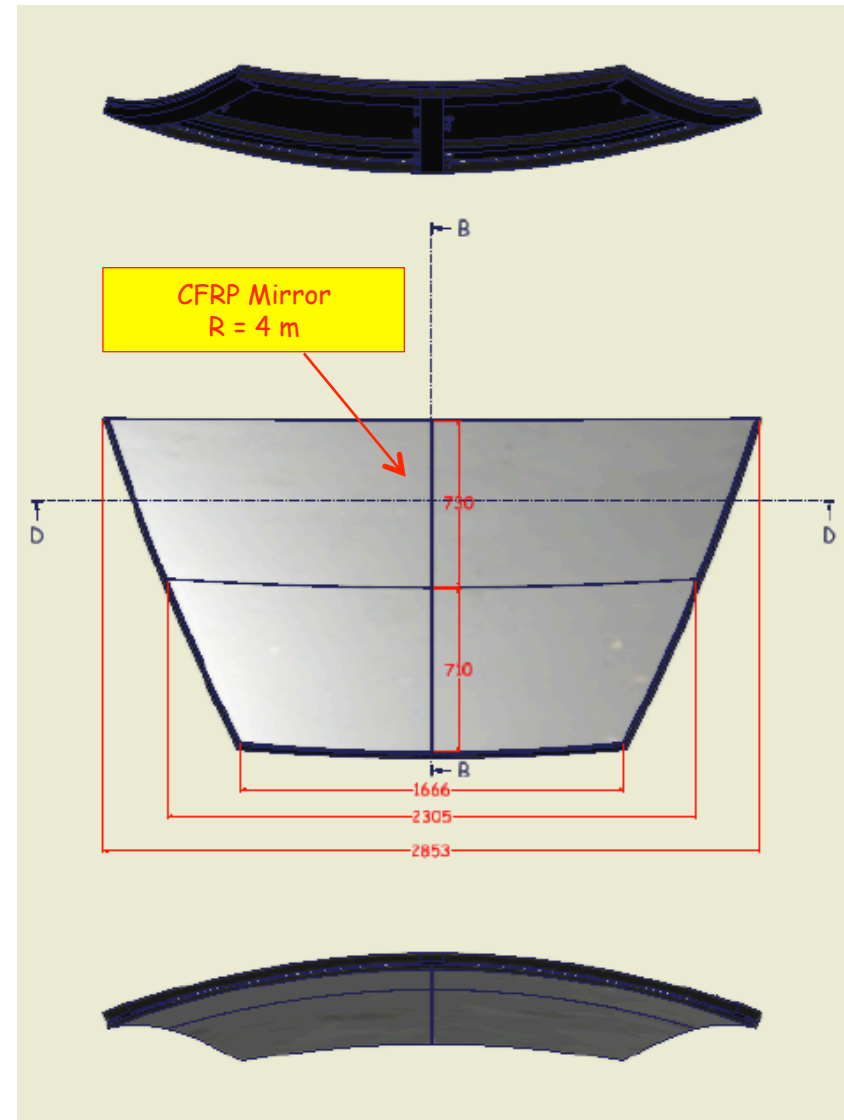
- pyrex mold (Marcon, CMA)
- small size CFRP prototype (CMA, Riba, Alenia)
- reflective coating (CMA)

- surface accuracy & reflectivity (CERN Lab)
- point-like source image < pixel size
- rigidity/stiffness

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$dR/R \sim 1\%$
Surface accuracy \sim few μm
Surface roughness \sim few nm



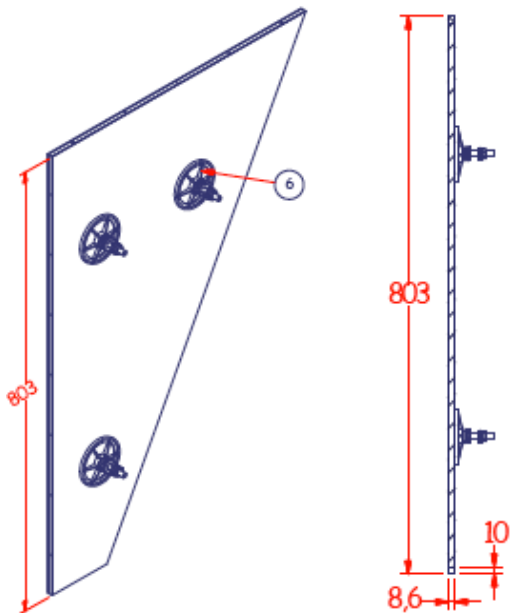
Glass Skin Mirror

Mirror Manufacture Engineering:

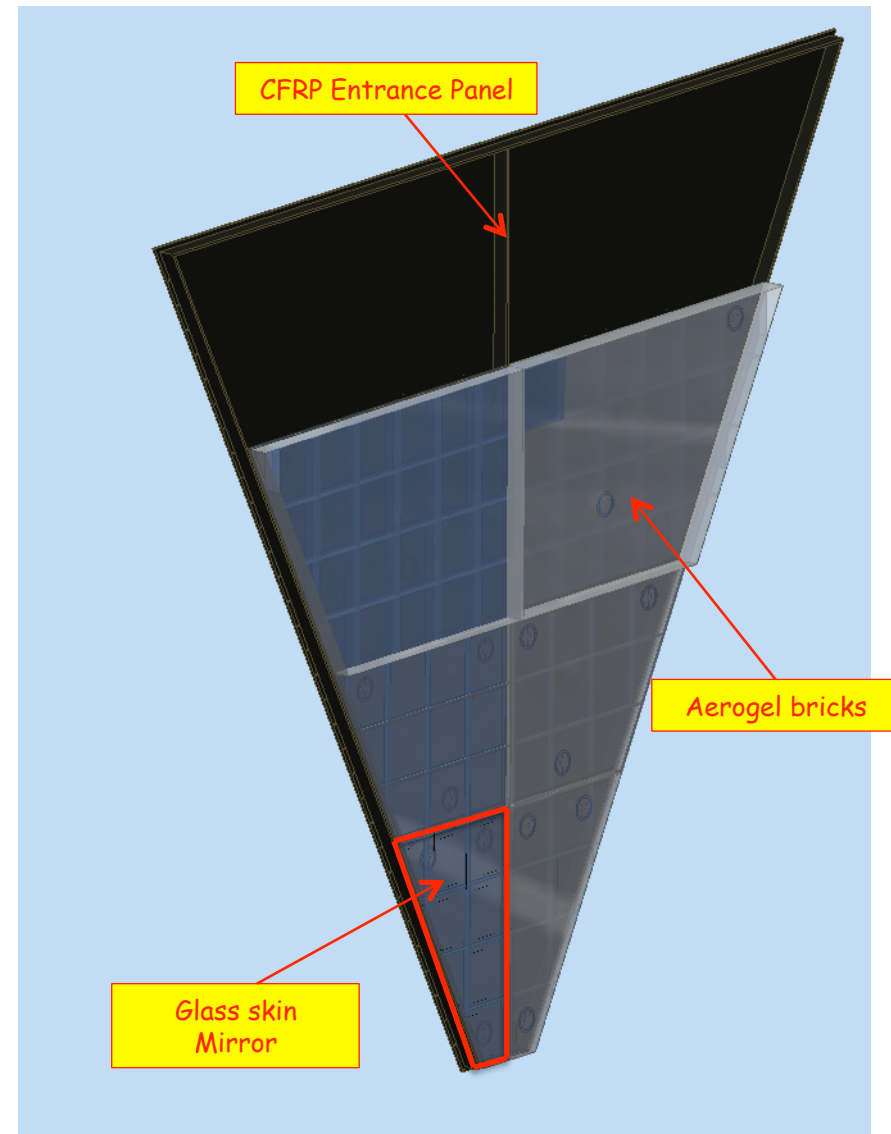
- small size prototype (Media-Lario)
- reflective coating
- surface accuracy & reflectivity
- aerogel holding test
- rigidity/stiffness



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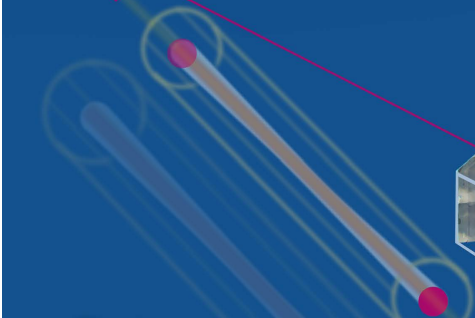


Al honeycomb core
<1 mm glass skin



RICH Project Latest's

2nd workshop on
Probing Strangeness in Hard Processes

Laboratori Nazionali di Frascati
November 11-13, 2013



Topics:

- Nucleon tomography - GPDs and TMDs
- Strange distribution and fragmentation functions
- Quark hadronization
- Exotic strange mesons
- Advances in RICH technologies

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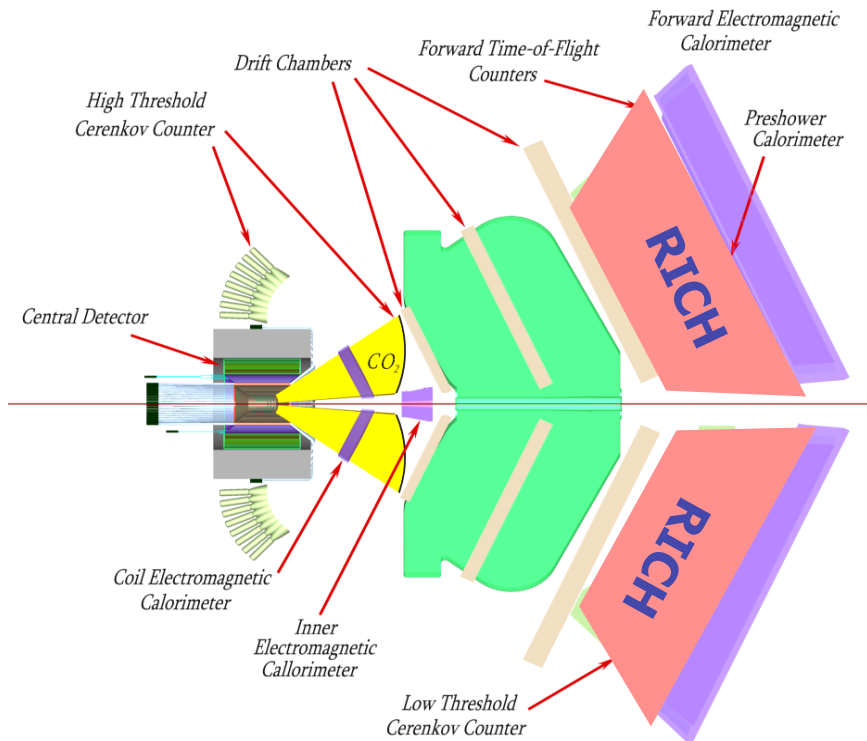
RICH Project Latest's

- ✓ September: MA-PMTs Neutron Irradiation Tests
- ✓ 14-18 October: DREAM chip readout test
- ✓ 11-13 November: PSHP Workshop
- ✓ November: H12700 characterization
- ✓ 18-22 November: MAROC + NINO chip readout test
- ✓ November: start aerogel + Mirror Manufacture Engineering Phase

The CLAS12 RICH Project

From DOE review report:

“All presentations were of excellent quality and reflected an impressive body of work. It is clear that the collaboration is talented, enthusiastic, and hard working.”



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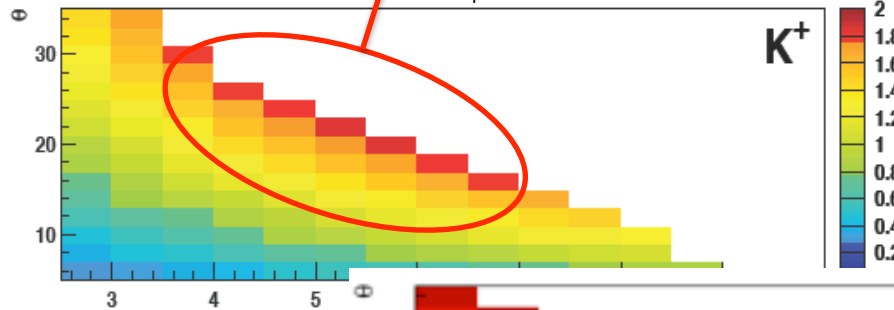
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SIDIS Kinematics @ CLAS12

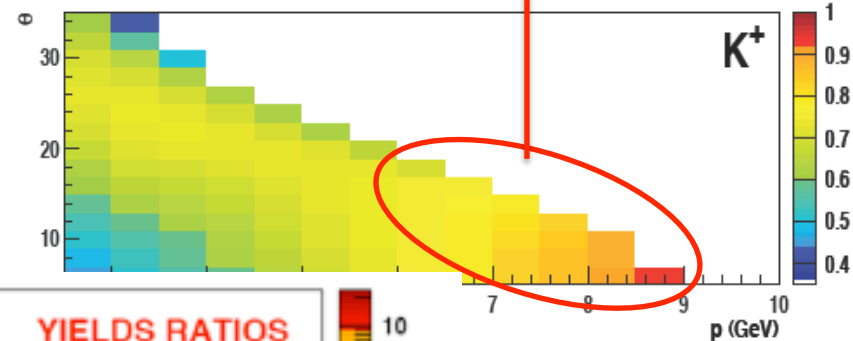
Intermediate angular range (15-25°) important to reach high P_T values

High Momentum region important as transient to hard semi-exclusive region

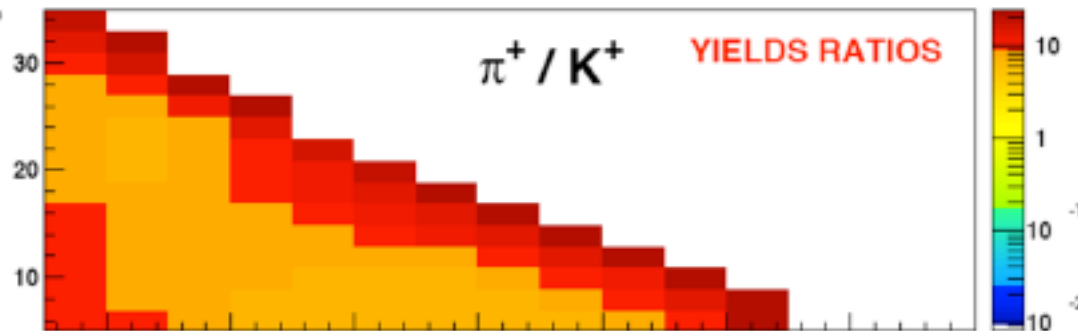
P_T : hadron transverse momentum



z : hadron fractional energy



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PION CONTAMINATION

