

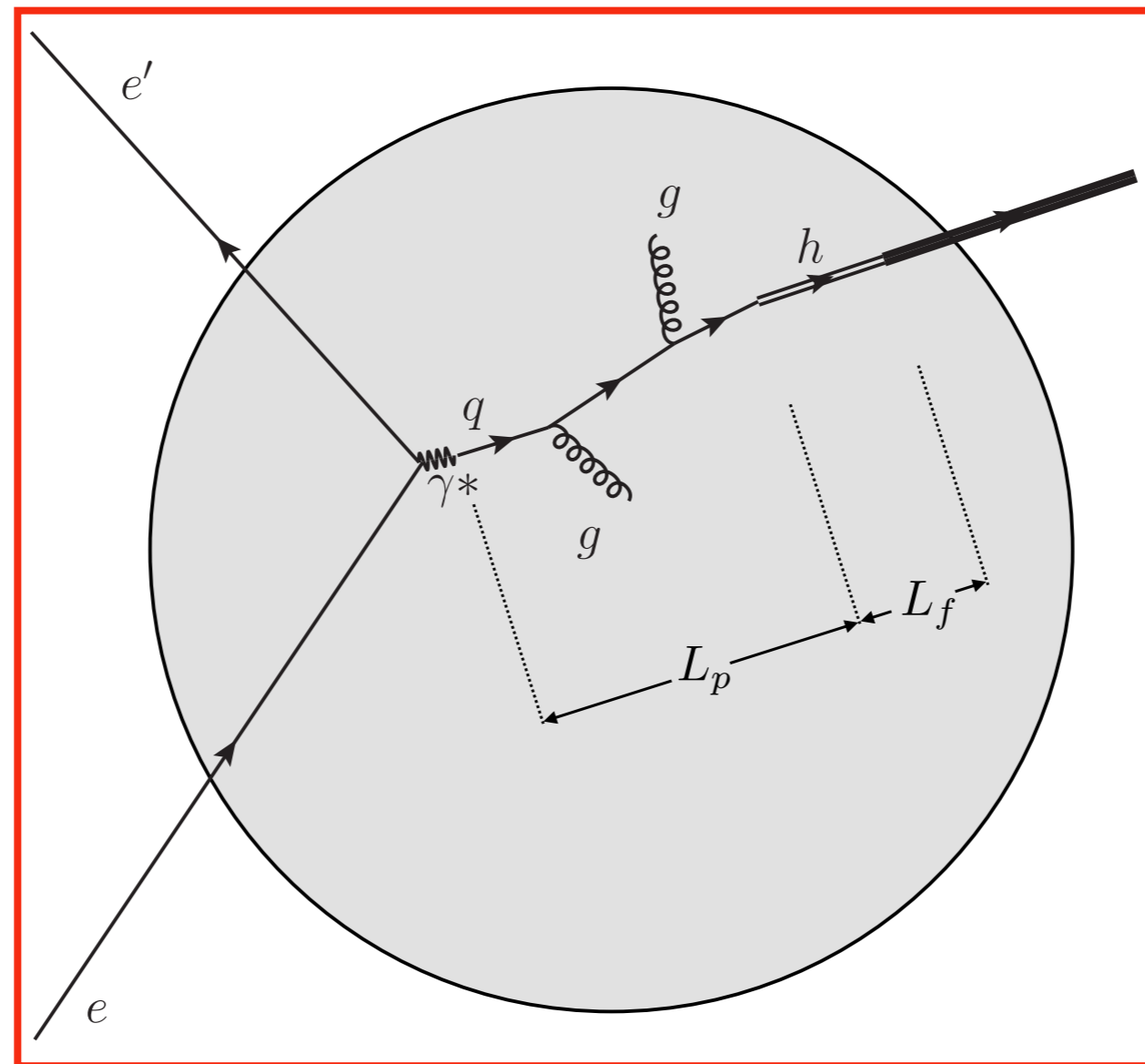
# Overview of eA experimental results from Jefferson Lab and future prospectives in eA

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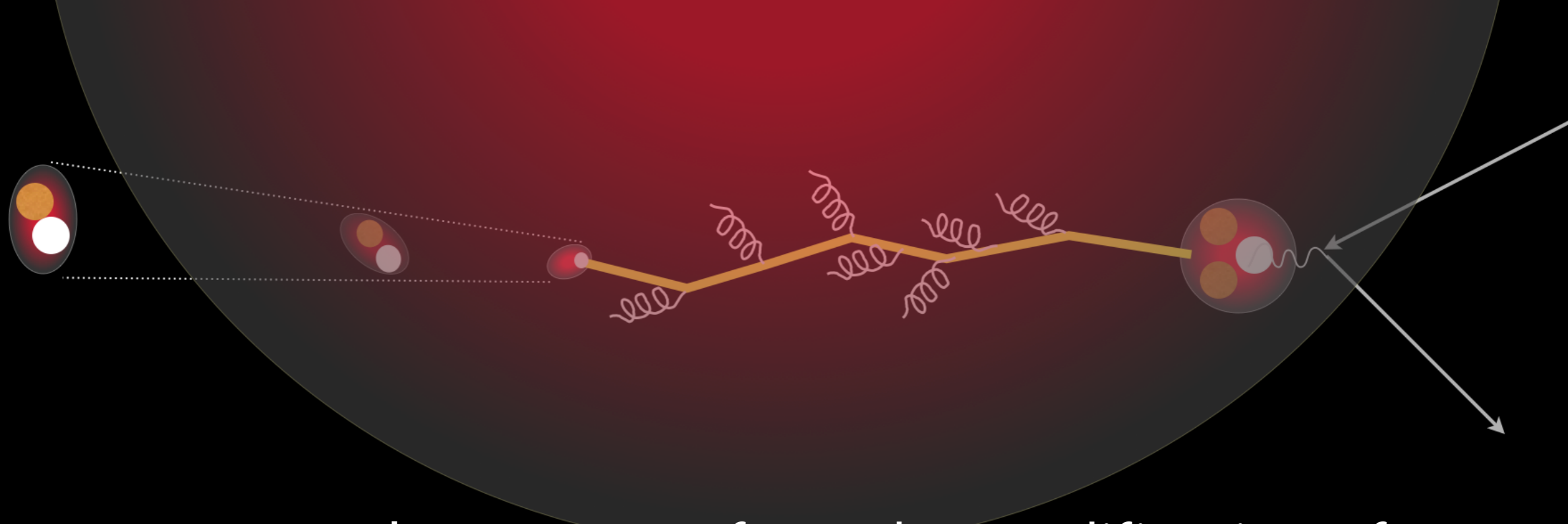
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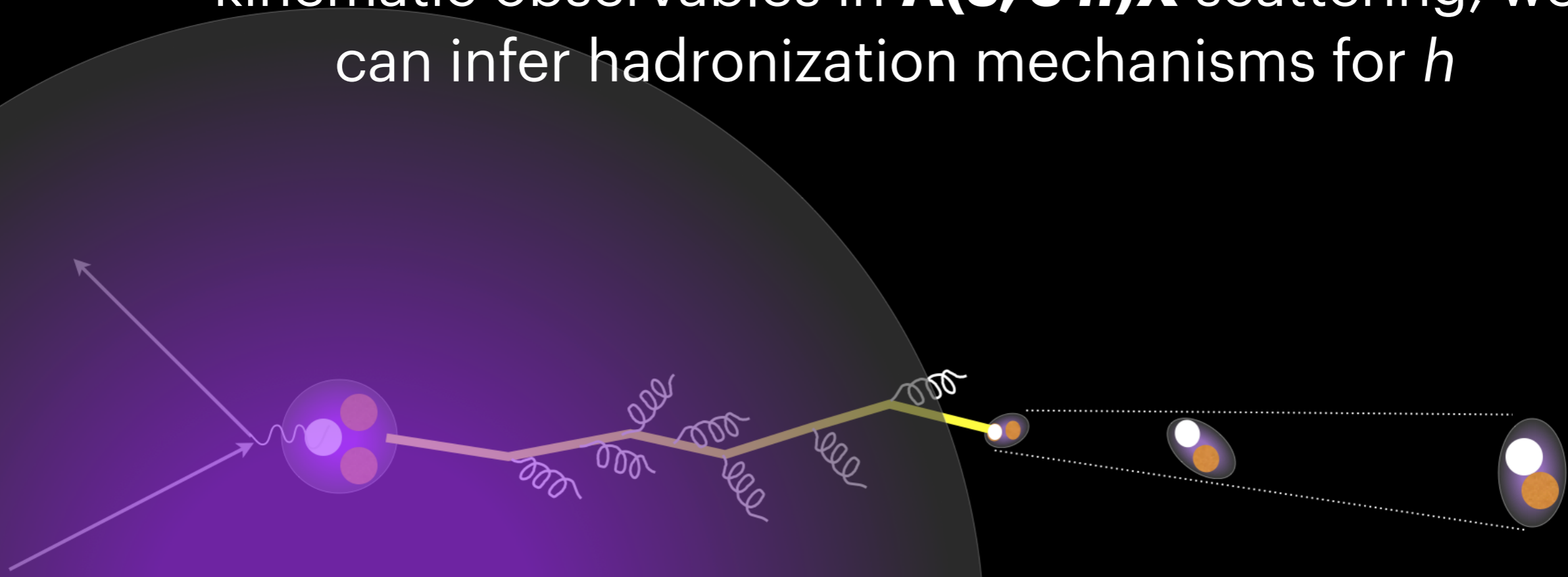
# Color Propagation and Hadron formation in Cold Matter



**DIS** (Desy, Jefferson Lab)



SIDIS on nuclear targets: from the modification of kinematic observables in  $\mathbf{A}(\mathbf{e}, \mathbf{e}'\mathbf{h})\mathbf{X}$  scattering, we can infer hadronization mechanisms for  $h$



# Questions highlighted in the 2023 Long Range Plan for Nuclear Science



## Sidebar 3.3 Connecting the World of QCD to the Visible World

Because of confinement, we never observe the color-charged particles of QCD—quarks and gluons—in isolation; they are confined to color-neutral hadrons. Thus, every time a high-energy collision breaks up a proton, the energy of the collision allows the creation of more quark–antiquark pairs by converting energy into mass ( $E = mc^2$ ), and the new quarks and antiquarks rapidly bind to the various constituents of the broken-up proton, “snapping” into mesons and baryons, the QCD bound states, which can be detected.

Like blowing soap bubbles from the film with a bubble wand, when every free-streaming bubble must have closed off to become a whole bubble, every free-streaming product of a high-energy collision must have somehow become a “whole” color-neutral particle (Fig 1). Each time you blow on the soap film, a different number of bubbles of varying sizes may be produced. Likewise, each time a high-energy collision involving a proton occurs, a different number of hadrons of varying masses and quantum numbers may be produced.

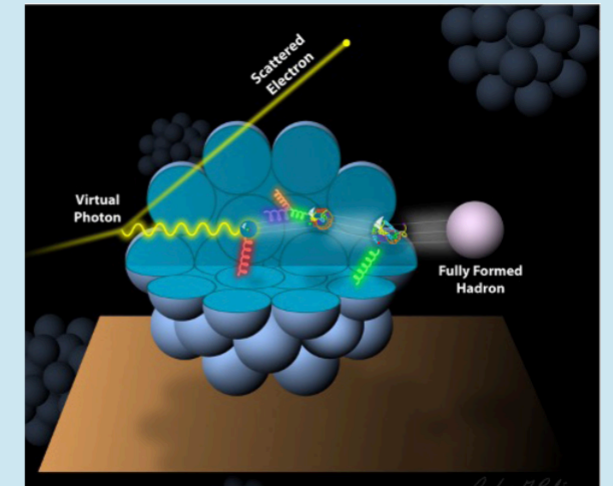


Figure 1. Representation of a high energy collision [S12]

To date, most efforts have focused on studying the production of a single hadron at a time along the same direction as the outgoing parton. However, in recent years, we have started to study hadronization in more sophisticated ways. Highlights since the 2015 Long Range Plan include spin–momentum correlation measurements in hadronization by the STAR experiment at RHIC, multivariable measurements of identified hadron production in jets by the LHCb experiment at CERN, an investigation by the CLAS experiment at Jefferson Lab of how hadron-pair production is modified in cold nuclear matter, and the modifications to hadrons in jets induced by interactions with the quark–gluon plasma, observed at both RHIC and the LHC.

These exciting results naturally point to more questions.

- What are the timescales of color neutralization and hadron formation?
- What are the differences in hadronization of quarks versus gluons and of light quarks versus heavy quarks?
- How are the various hadrons produced in a single scattering process correlated with one another, and how does hadronization change in a dense partonic environment?

The upcoming decade holds great promise for advancements, both in how we think about hadronization theoretically and in our ability to experimentally untangle the various mechanisms that contribute to this phenomenon. Theoretically, recent developments in quantum computing provide unique opportunities to explore the inherent dynamic nature of hadronization as a process unfolding in time. Experimentally, hadron identification capabilities at the STAR experiment at RHIC, CLAS12 experiment at Jefferson Lab, LHCb and ALICE experiments at CERN, Belle II experiment in Japan, and the ePIC experiment at the future EIC will allow us to measure and compare a wide range of traditional and novel observables related to hadronization.

# Color Propagation and Hadron formation

- In-medium color propagation and hadronization
- Light and heavy hadron formation and attenuation
- Bose-Einstein Correlations, di-hadron correlations
- Diquark search
- eA Monte-Carlo generators
- Physics in future facilities

# Important kinematic variables

- Four-momentum transfer squared  $Q^2$
- Energy transfer  $\nu$  ( $=E-E'$  in the laboratory frame)
- Energy transferred from the  $\gamma^*$  to the hadron:  $z = E_h / \nu$
- Momentum transverse to the  $\gamma^*$  direction:  $p_T$

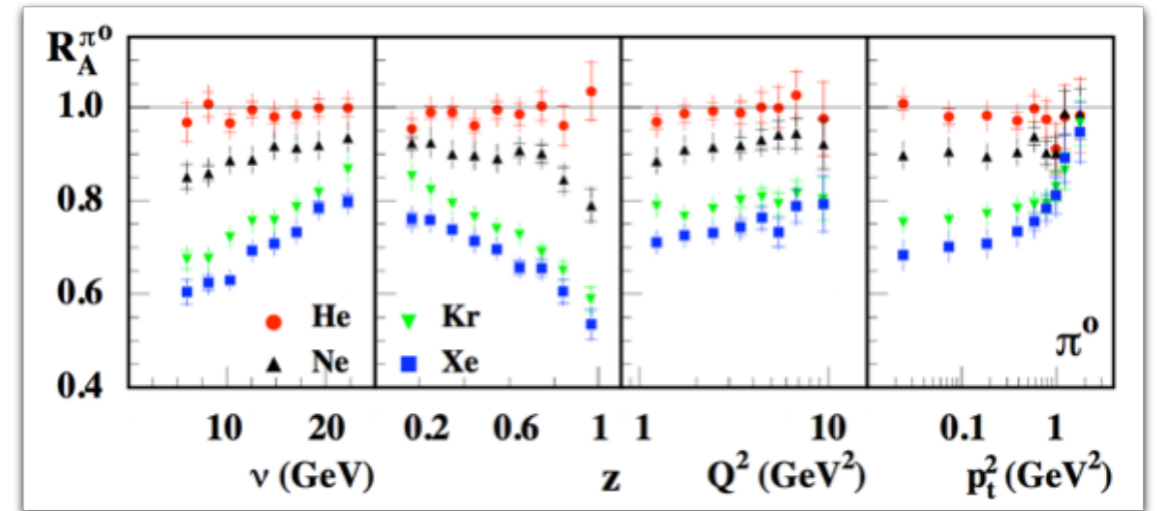
*Note: if the virtual photon is absorbed by a light object like a single quark then  $z \leq 1$ , but if it is absorbed by a heavy object, it can be greater than 1.0*

# Experimental Observables

## Hadronic Multiplicity ratio

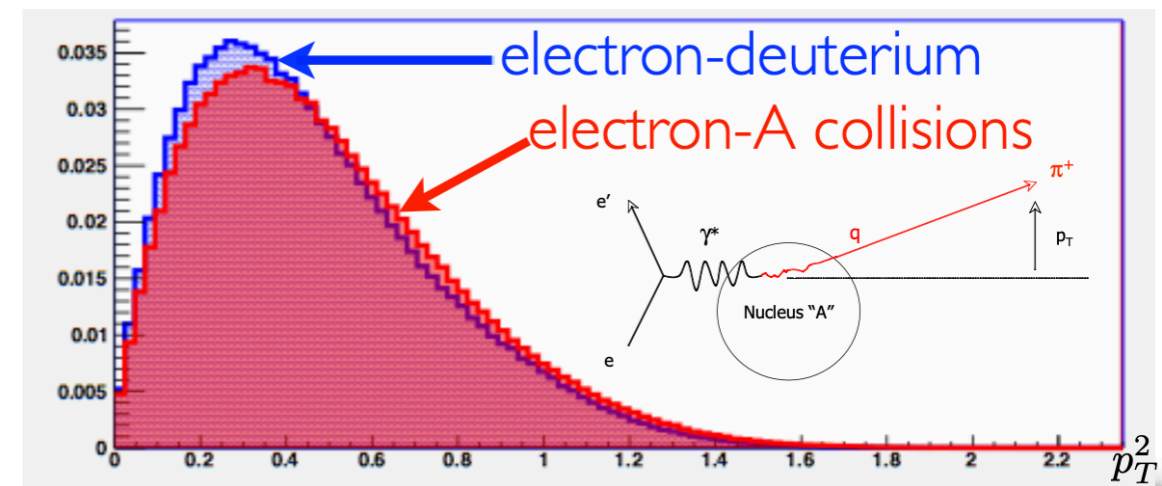
$$R_A^h(\nu, Q^2, z, p_T) = \frac{\frac{N_h(\nu, Q^2, z, p_T)|_A}{N_e(\nu, Q^2)|_{\text{DIS}}}}{\frac{N_h(\nu, Q^2, z, p_T)|_D}{N_e(\nu, Q^2)|_{\text{DIS}}}}$$

HERMES Collaboration, A.Airapetian et. al., Nucl. Phys. B 780 (2007) 1-27

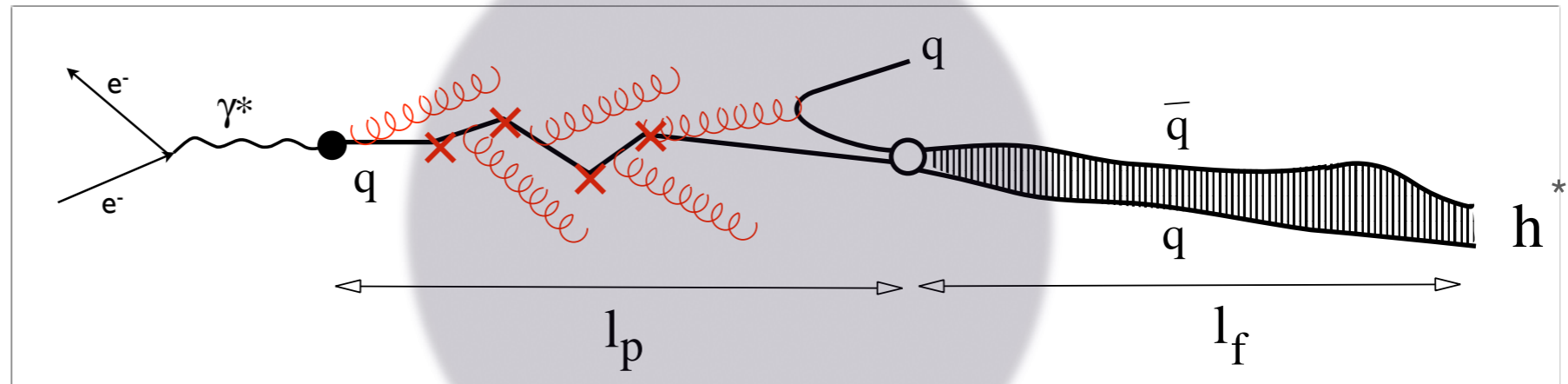


## Transverse momentum broadening

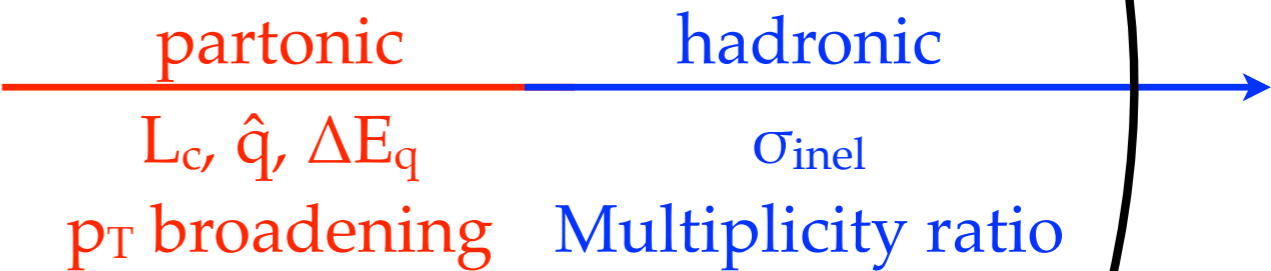
$$\Delta p_T^2(Q^2, \nu, z_h) \equiv \langle p_T^2(Q^2, \nu, z_h) \rangle |_A - \langle p_T^2(Q^2, \nu, z_h) \rangle |_D$$



# $eA$ : in medium **Color Propagation** and **Hadron formation**



Path of (struck) quark is divided into “**partonic phase**” and “**hadronic phase**”



*Partonic energy losses*  
*Increase of transverse momentum*

*Hadron inelastic scattering*  
*Decrease number of obs. hadrons*



# Extraction of color lifetime Brooks-Lopez model

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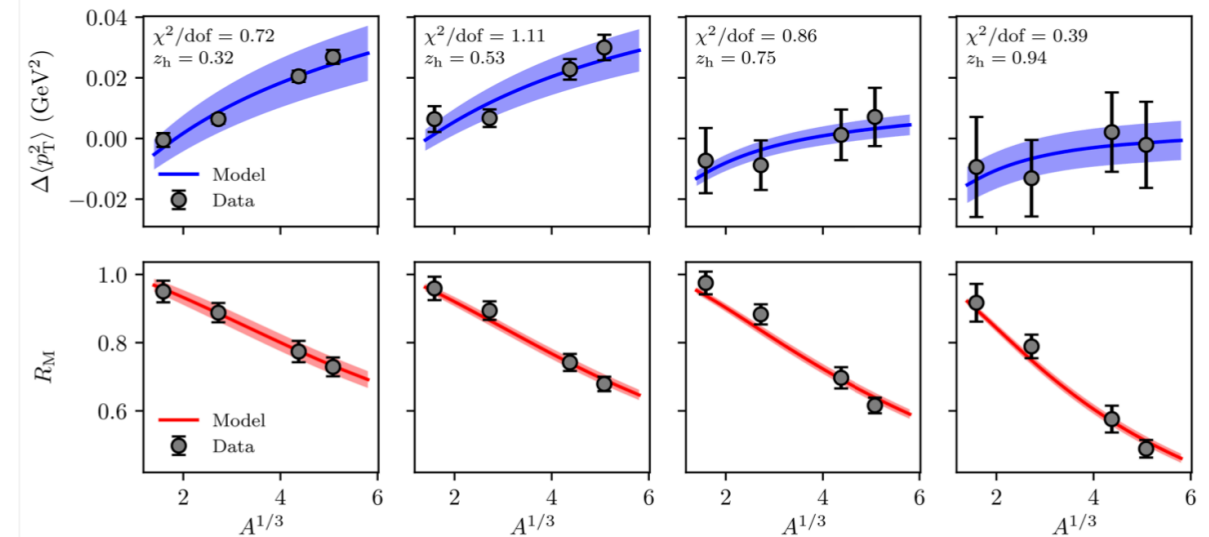


## Estimating the color lifetime of energetic quarks

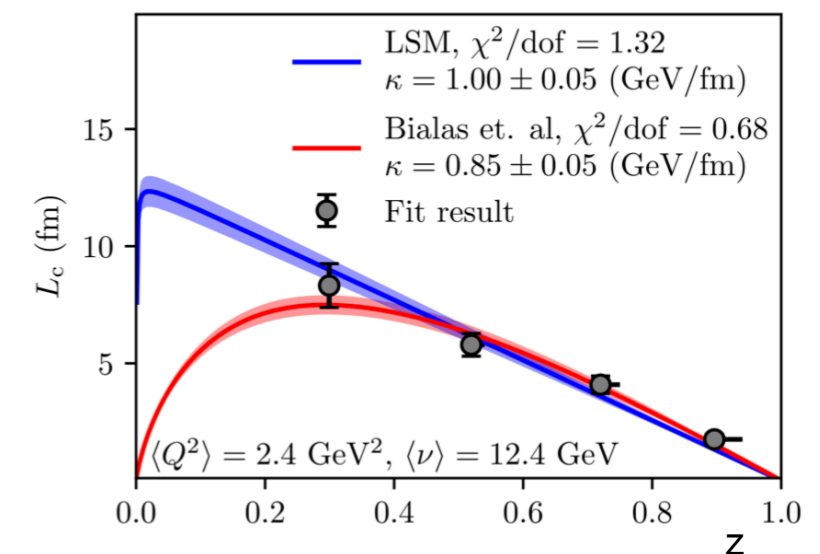
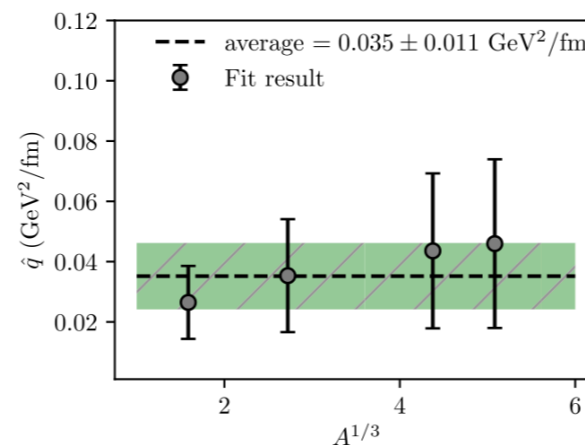
William K. Brooks<sup>a,b,c,\*</sup>, Jorge A. López<sup>b,d</sup>

- The **color lifetime** was estimated using simultaneous fit to two observables in the **HERMES** data with 3-parameter space-time model
- The answer depends on the kinematics and ranges from **2 to 8 fm/c**
- Independent determination of the string constant of the LSM!
- Measurement of transport coefficient

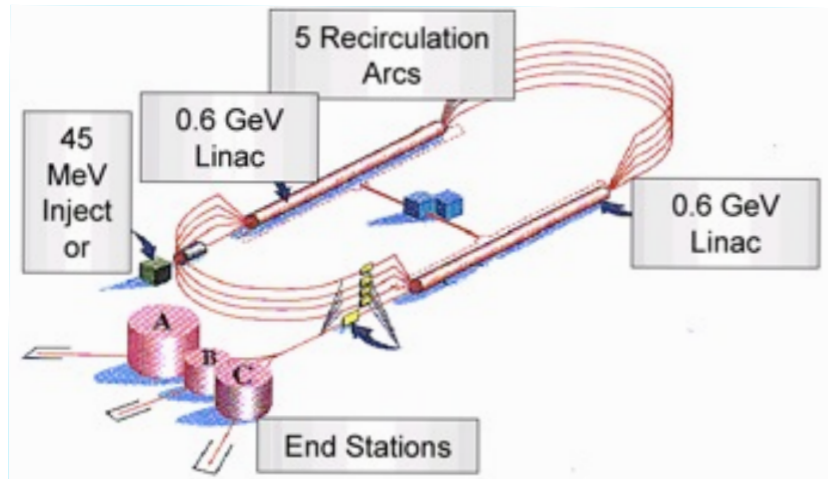
Simultaneous fit to two observables,  $\Delta p_T^2$  and  $R$  for charged pions



The values of the color length  $L_c$  resulting from simultaneous fit to  $p_T^2$  and  $R$



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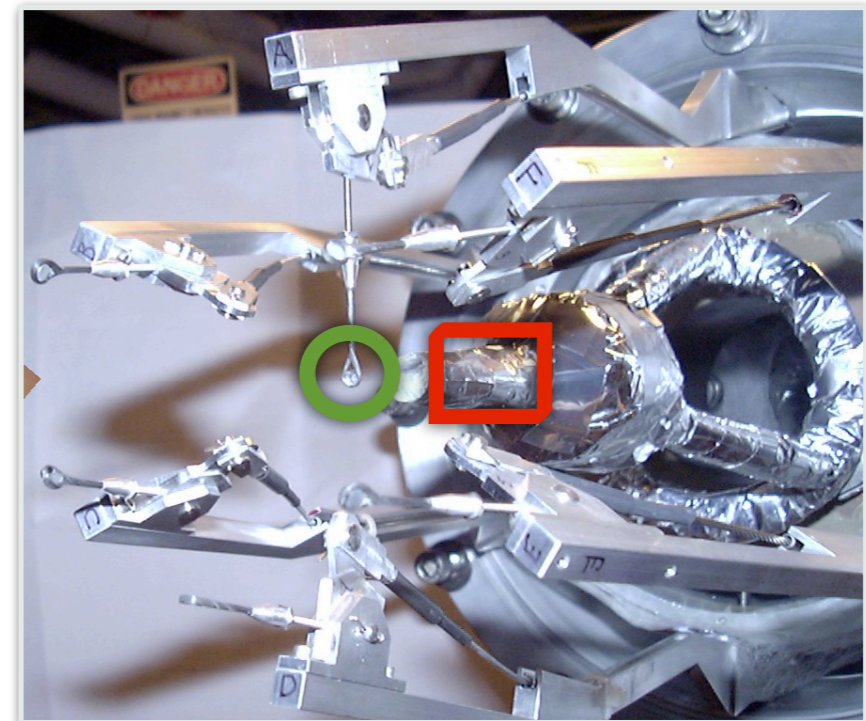
CLAS experiment at Hall B with 5 GeV electron beam

By using dual target approach, EG2 experiment makes a *precise* comparison of observables in a large nucleus **A** with respect to **D**

### EG2 experiment running conditions

- Electron beam 5.014 GeV
- Targets  $^2\text{H}$ ,  $^{12}\text{C}$ ,  $^{56}\text{Fe}$ ,  $^{207}\text{Pb}$  (Al, Sn)
- Luminosity  $2 \cdot 10^{34} \text{ 1/(s} \cdot \text{cm}^2)$

“A double-target system for precision measurements of nuclear medium effects,” H. Hakobyan et al. NIMA 592 (2008) 218– 223



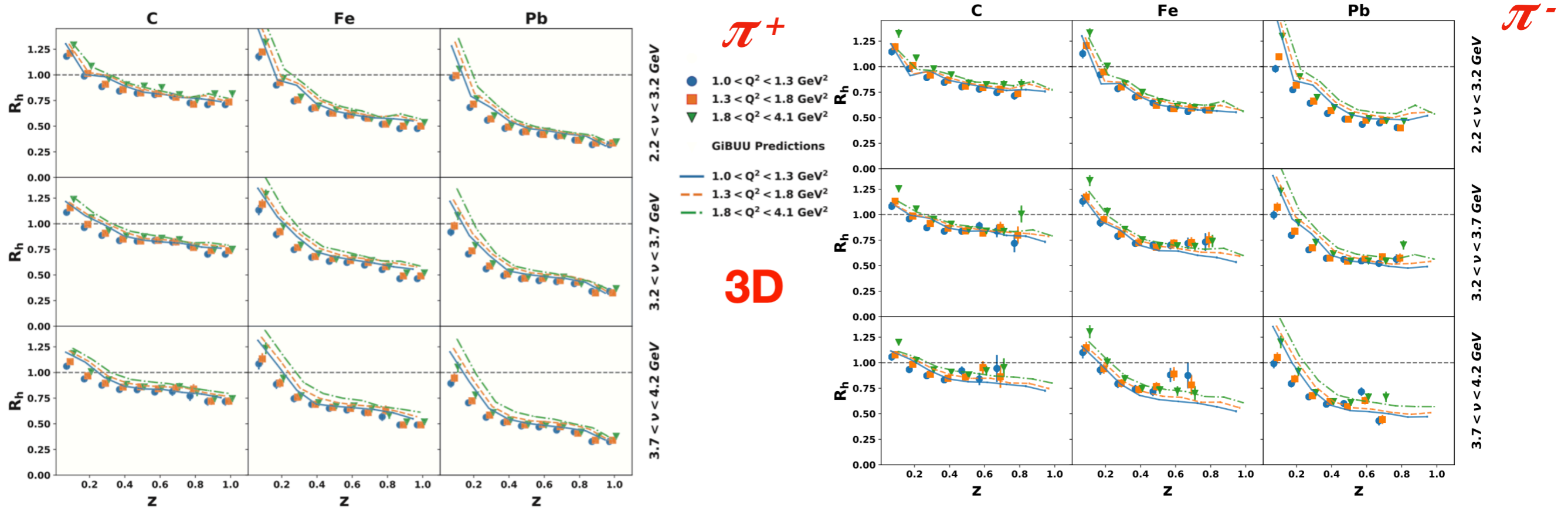
# Light and heavy hadrons

# Light hadrons: results from EG2

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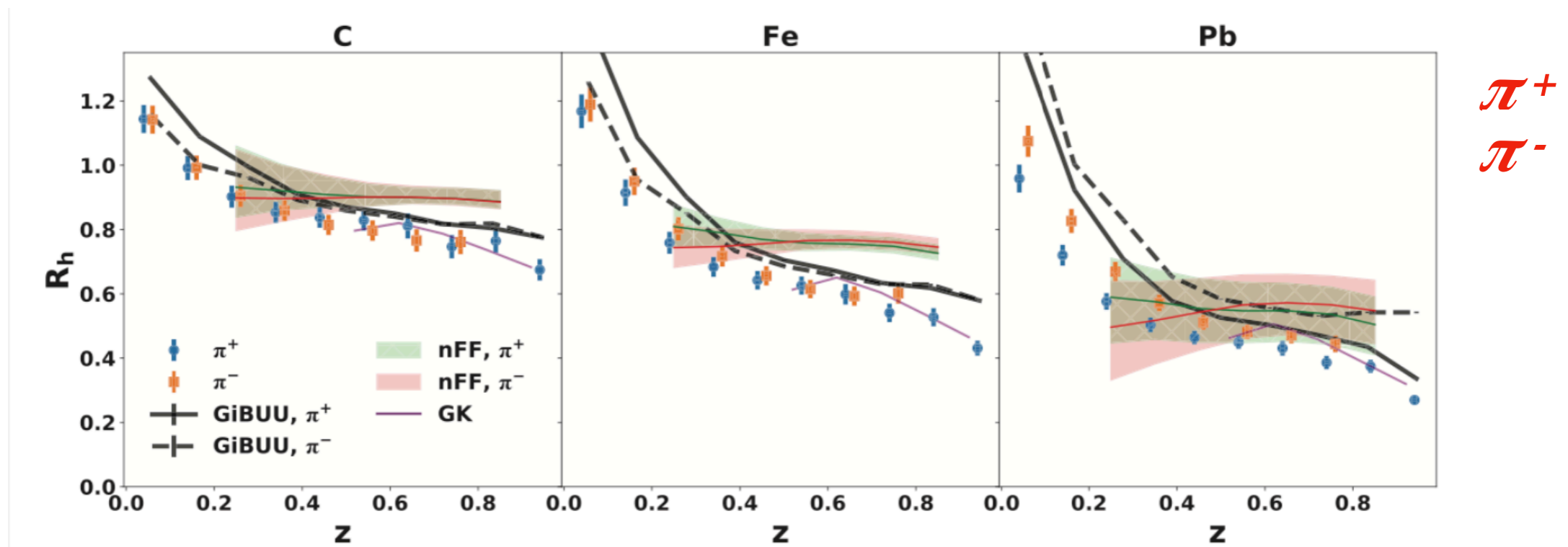


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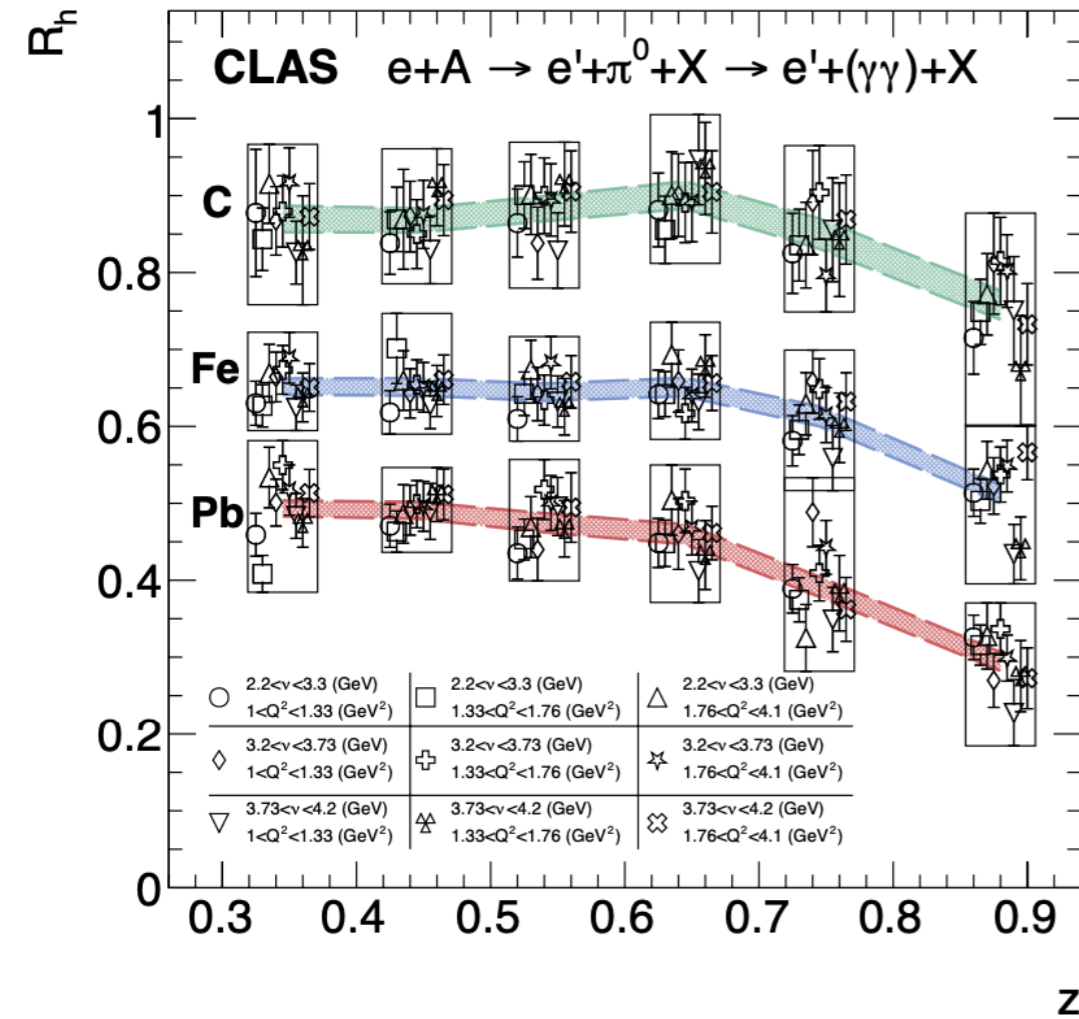
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High-precision three-dimensional data is compared to the model predictions; GiBUU and Guiot-Kopeliovich models find semi-qualitative agreement

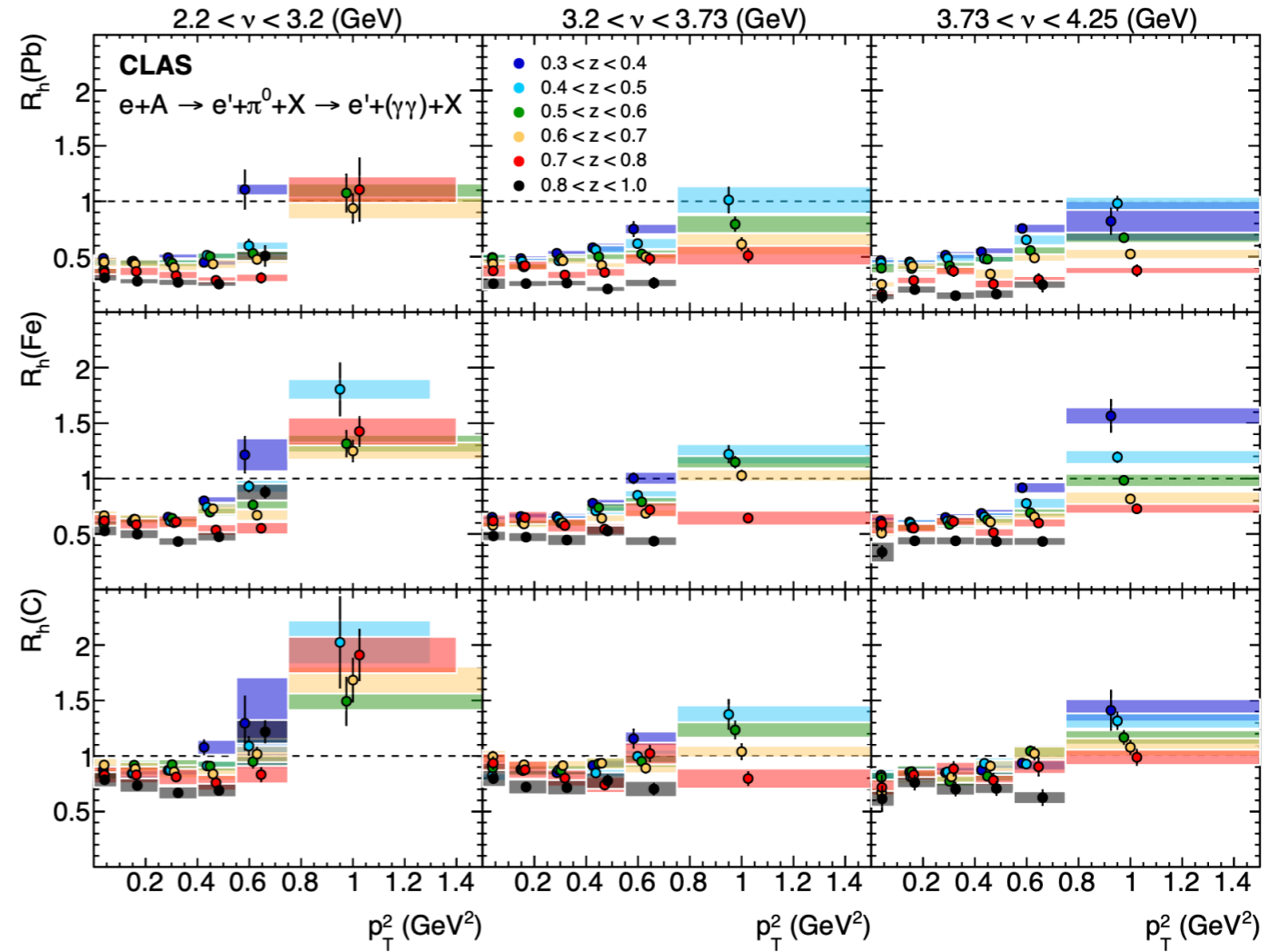
# Light hadrons: results from EG2

T.Mineeva et al. CLAS approved paper.



$\pi^0$

3D

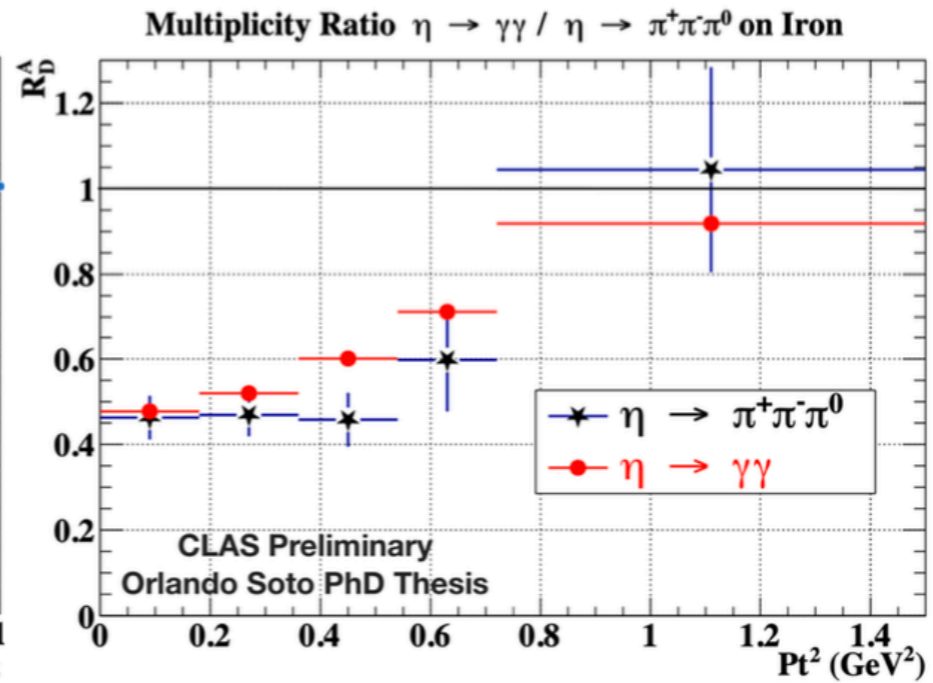
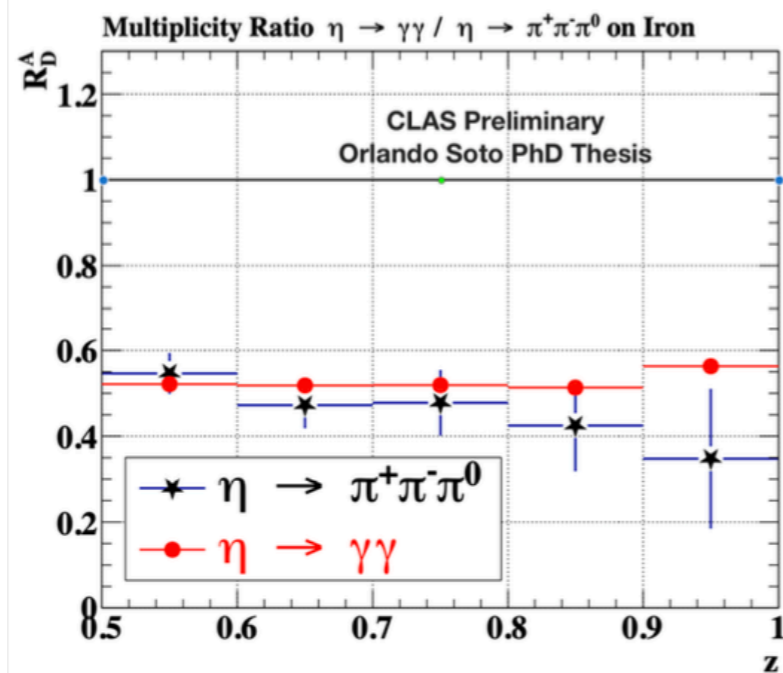


- Attenuation depends on nuclear size  $A$
- Suppression for leading hadrons: 25% on C to 75% on Pb
- No dependence on  $Q^2$  and  $\nu$  observed
- Quantitative behavior compatible with Hermes

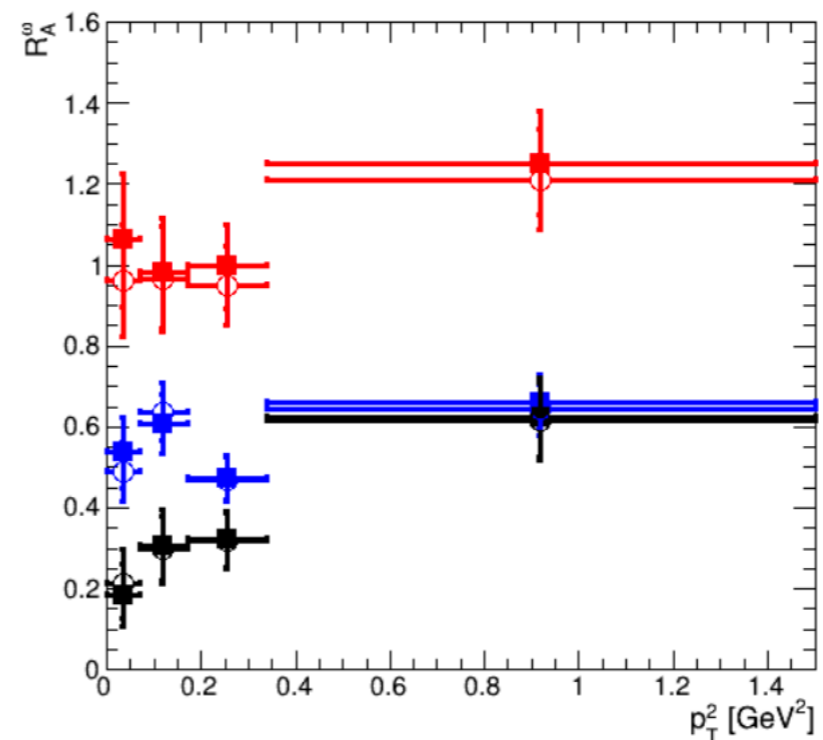
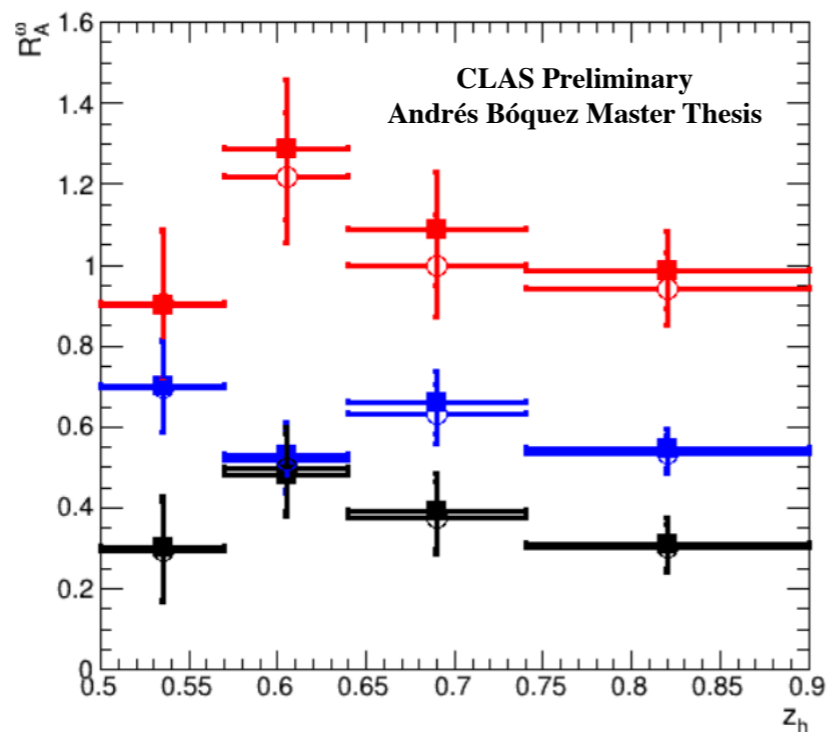
- Enhancement of  $R_{\pi^0}$  at low  $z$  and high on  $p_T^2$
- Largest enhancement at high  $p_T^2$  for C, lowest - for Pb
- Opposite to CLAS and HERMES data on charged pions

# Light hadrons: $\eta$ and $\omega$ preliminary results

$\eta$



$\omega$

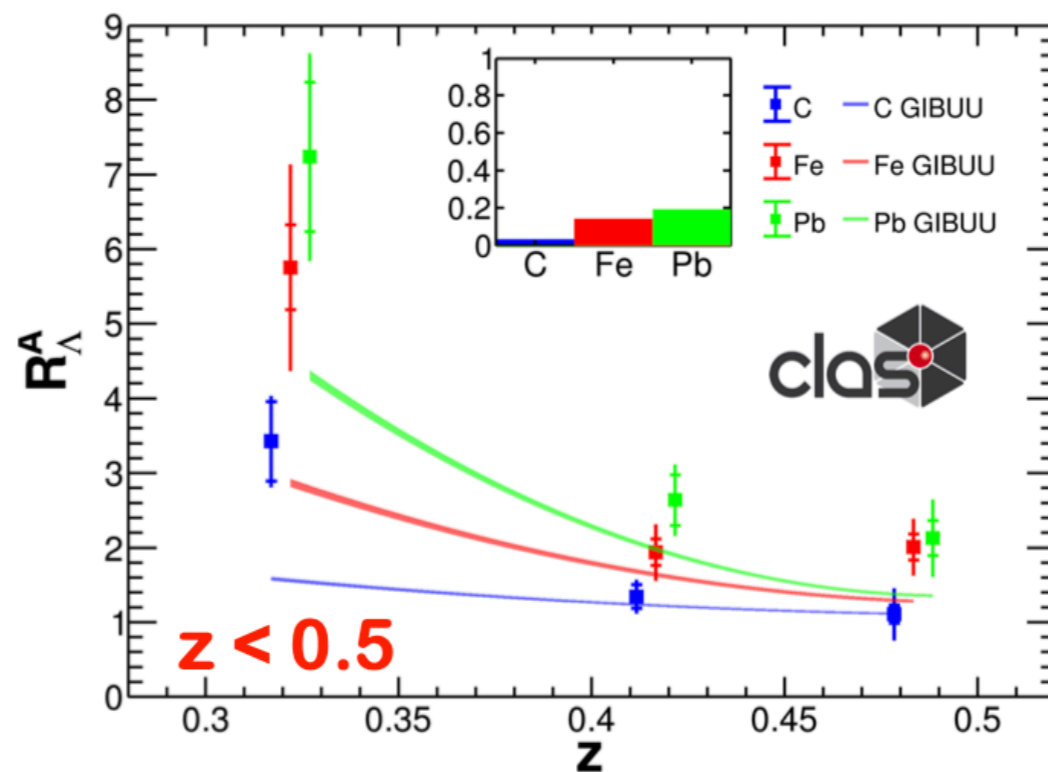


# Heavy hadrons: $\Lambda$ multiplicities

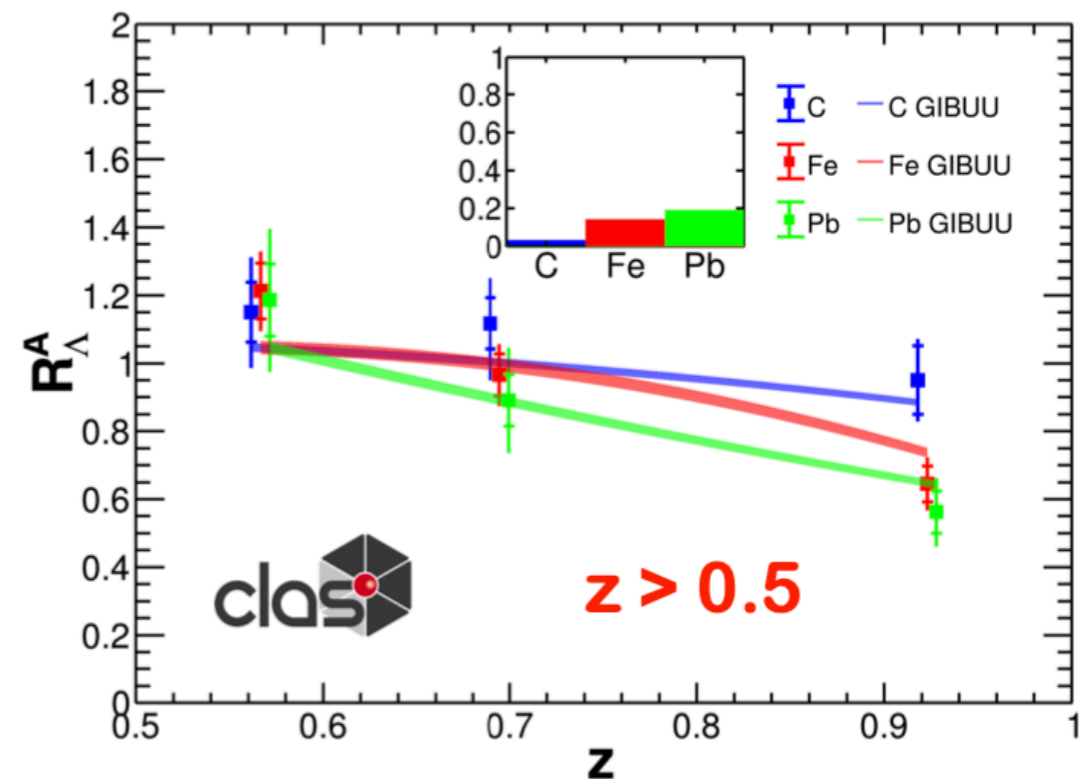
First Measurement of  $\Lambda$  Electroproduction off Nuclei in the Current and Target Fragmentation Regions

T. Chetry *et al.* (CLAS Collaboration)

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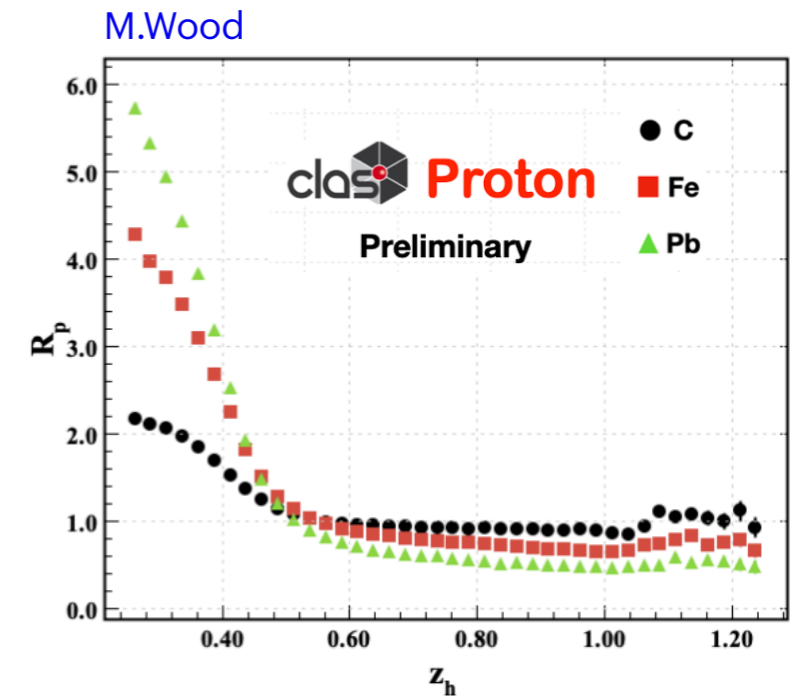
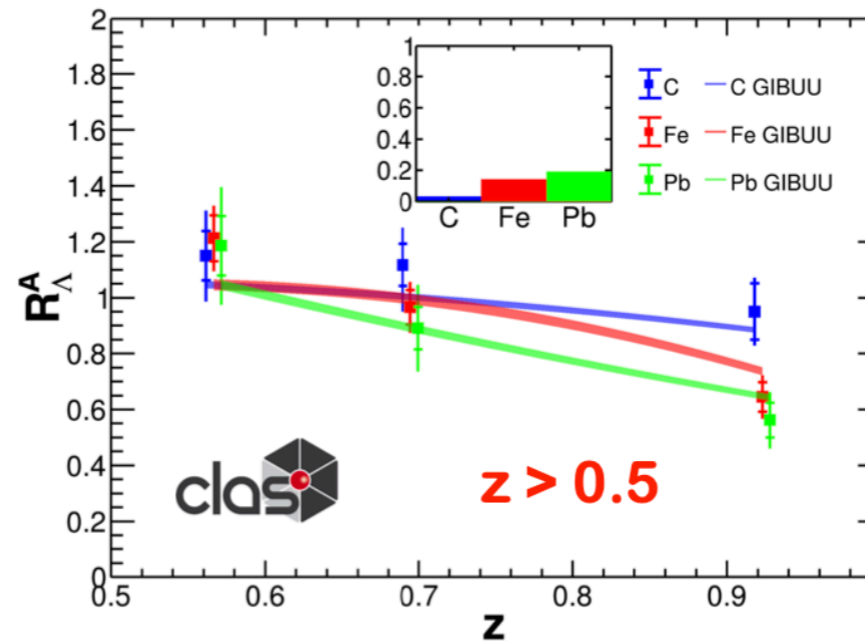
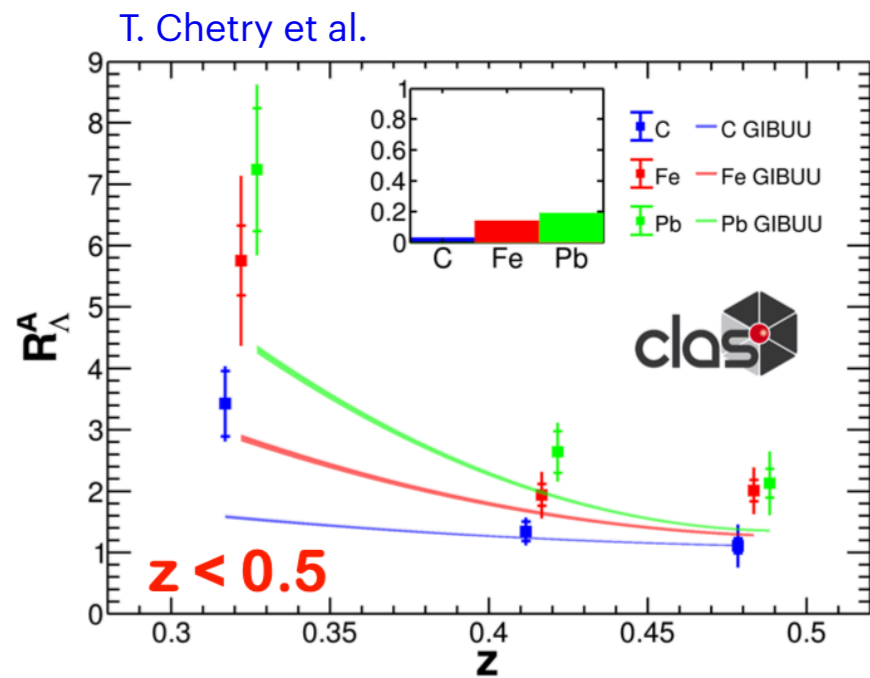
- At low- $z$  there is a “pile up” of events 7 times more than for pion! Underpredicted by GiBUU.



- At high- $z$  there is little attenuation compared to that on the pion. Agrees with GiBUU.



# Results from EG2: comparing $\Lambda$ and p multiplicities

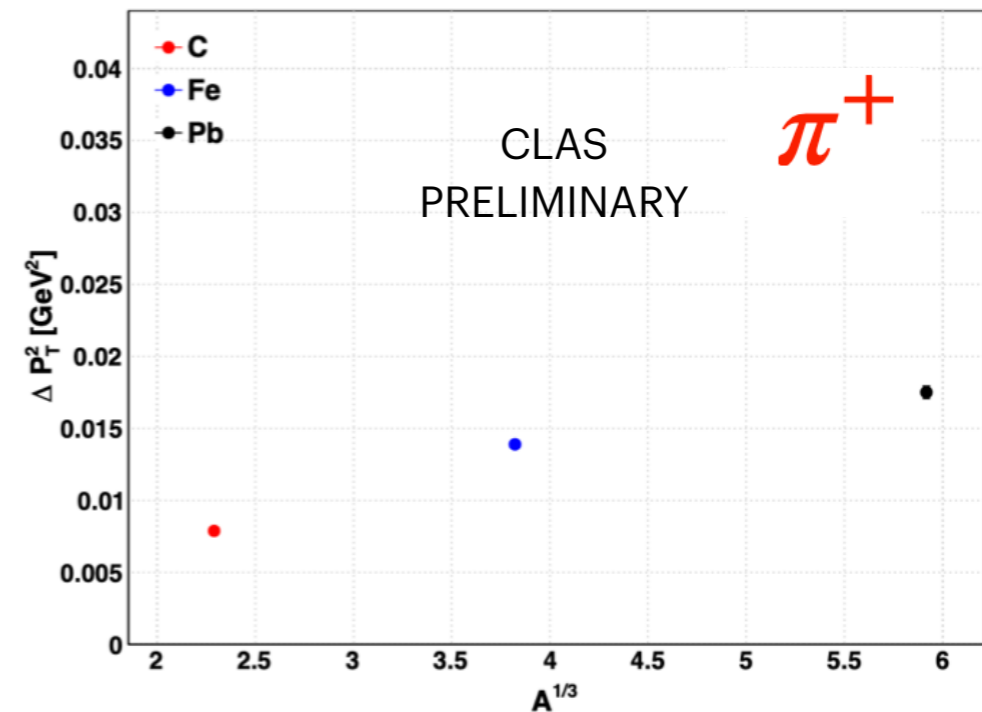
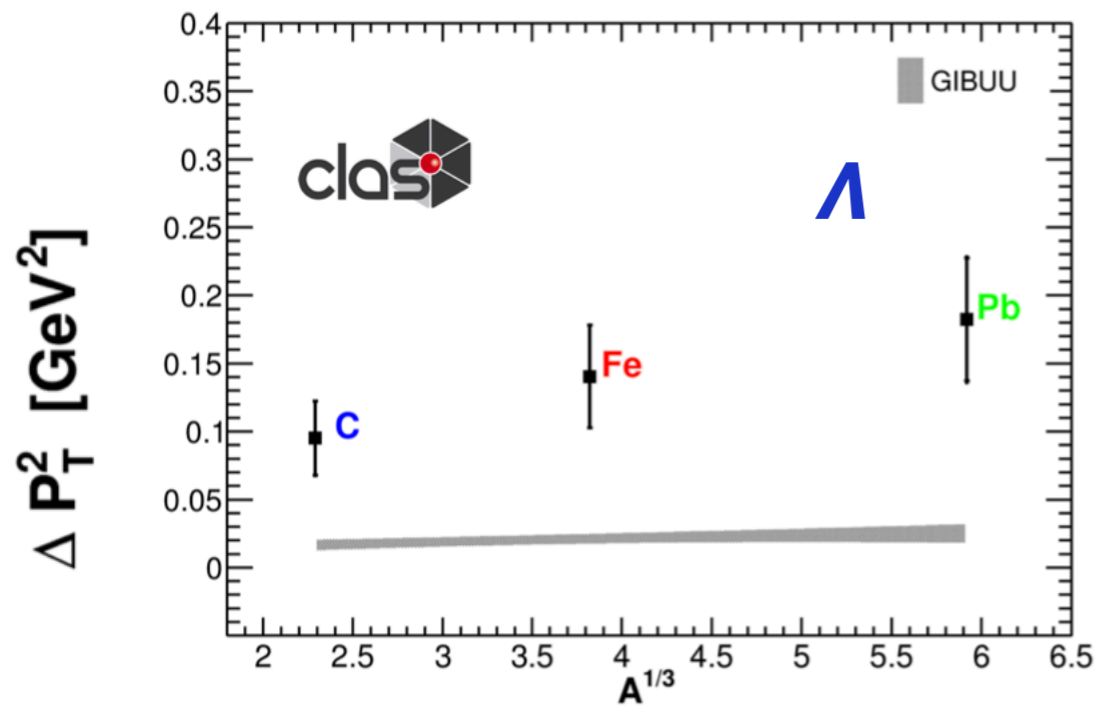


The multiplicity ratio for the **lambda** and the **proton** have similar magnitude and the same pattern of ordering at low and high  $z$

# Results from EG2: $\Lambda$ and $\pi^+$ $p_T$ broadening

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Maximum for  $\Lambda$  is  $0.3 \text{ GeV}^2$

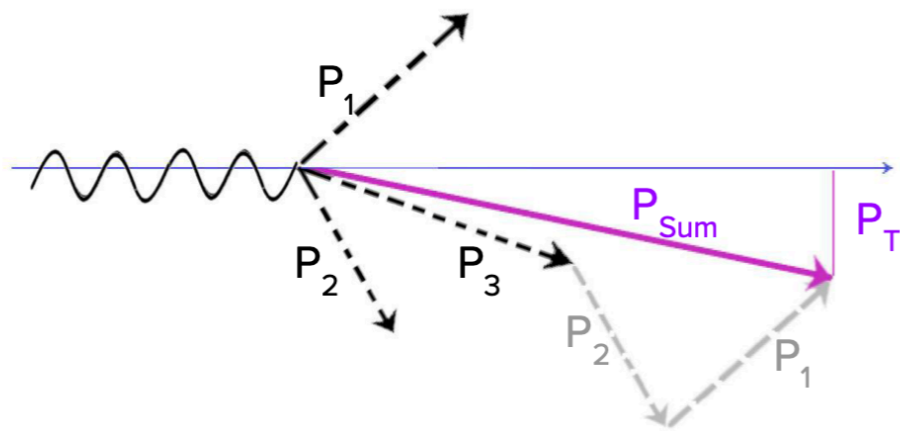
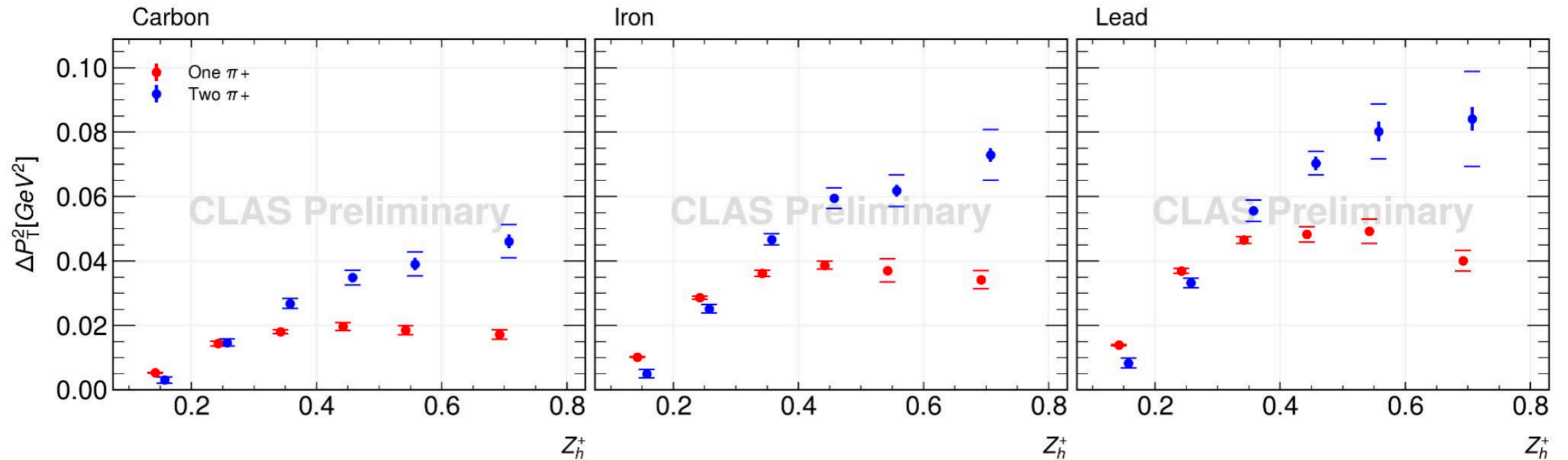
Maximum for  $\pi^+$  of  $0.03 \text{ GeV}^2$

*GiBUU cannot predict  $p_T$ -broadening observable. We apparently do not have the correct physical picture in the case of baryon hadronization.*

# pT broadening for multiple $\pi^+$ events

M.Barría Thesis

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The pT broadening is larger for two pion events for  $Z_h^+ > 0.3$  and this difference increases with  $Z_h^+$

# Bose Einstein correlations ( $\pi^+\pi^+$ )

What are the properties of produced particles in the collision, such as their source size and lifetime?

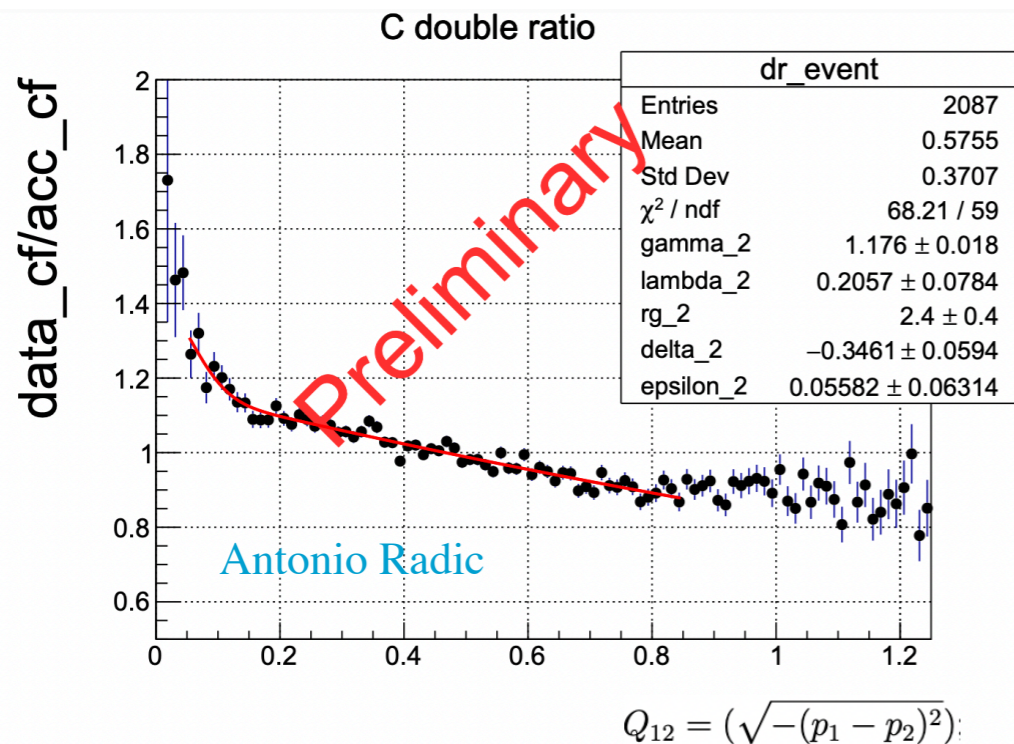
Experimentally constructed BEC correlation

$$R_{(p_1, p_2)} = \frac{D(p_1, p_2)}{D_b(p_1, p_2)}$$

$D_b(p_1, p_2)$  - background distribution from uncorrelated pion pairs that behave as  $D(p_1), D(p_2)$

Double ratio correction: correct experimental systematic biases found in the correlation function  $R(p_1, p_2)$

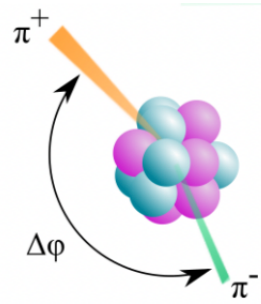
$$R(Q_{12}) = \left( \frac{D(Q_{12})}{D(Q_{12})_{mix}} \right)^{data} / \left( \frac{D(Q_{12})}{D(Q_{12})_{mix}} \right)^{simul}$$



Target	$r$ [fm]	$\lambda$
C	$2.64 \pm 0.51$	$0.19 \pm 0.09$
Fe	$2.79 \pm 0.32$	$0.40 \pm 0.11$
Pb	$2.43 \pm 0.49$	$0.35 \pm 0.14$

[https://www.jlab.org/Hall-B/general/thesis/ARadic\\_thesis.pdf](https://www.jlab.org/Hall-B/general/thesis/ARadic_thesis.pdf)

# Dihadron correlations



How various hadrons produced in scattering event are correlated with each other?

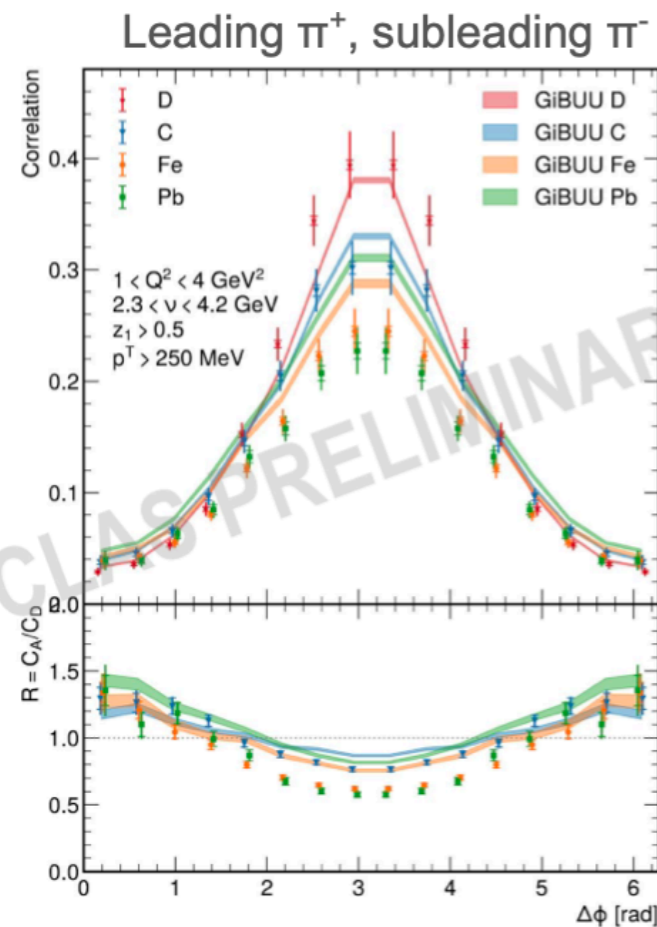
$$C(\Delta\phi) = C_0 \frac{1}{N_{eh}} \frac{dN_{ehh}}{d\Delta\phi}$$

$\Delta\phi$  is the difference in azimuth

$N_{eh}$  is the number of events with scattered e and a “leading h” ( $z > 0.5$ )

$N_{ehh}$  is the number of “subleading hadrons” in those events

$C_0$  is the normalization factor

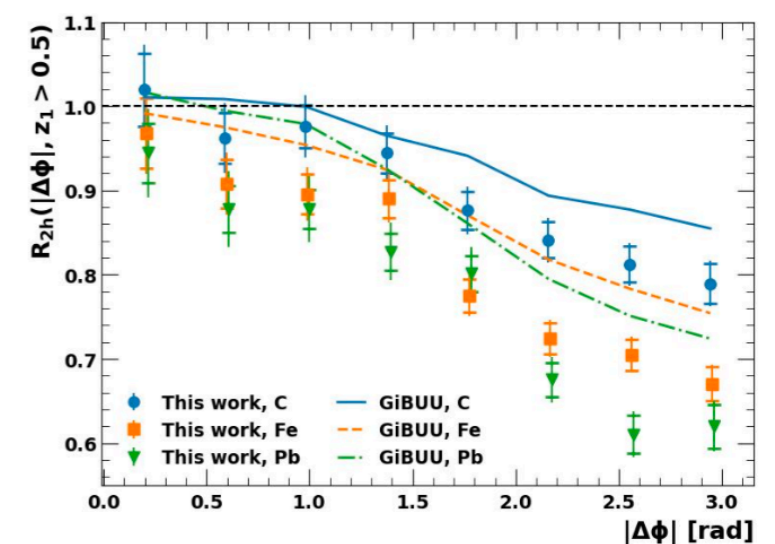
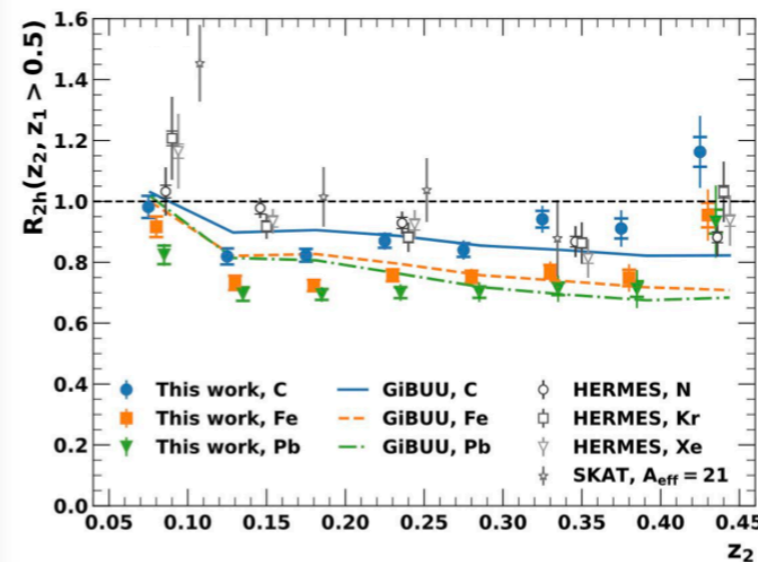


S.J Paul et al, in CLAS ad-hoc review

## Observation of Azimuth-Dependent Suppression of Hadron Pairs in Electron Scattering off Nuclei

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Conditional suppression factor,  $R_{2h}$ , as a function of sub-leading hadron  $z$ :  $R_{2h}(z_2) = \frac{(dN_{2h}^A(z_2)/dz_2)/N_h^A}{(dN_{2h}^D(z_2)/dz_2)/N_h^D}$



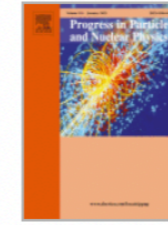
# Diquarks search

# Diquarks: recent comprehensive review



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Review

## Diquark correlations in hadron physics: Origin, impact and evidence

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*Diquark correlations seem to exist in QCD. They date back to the foundations of quark model and are an important ingredient in hadron structure.*

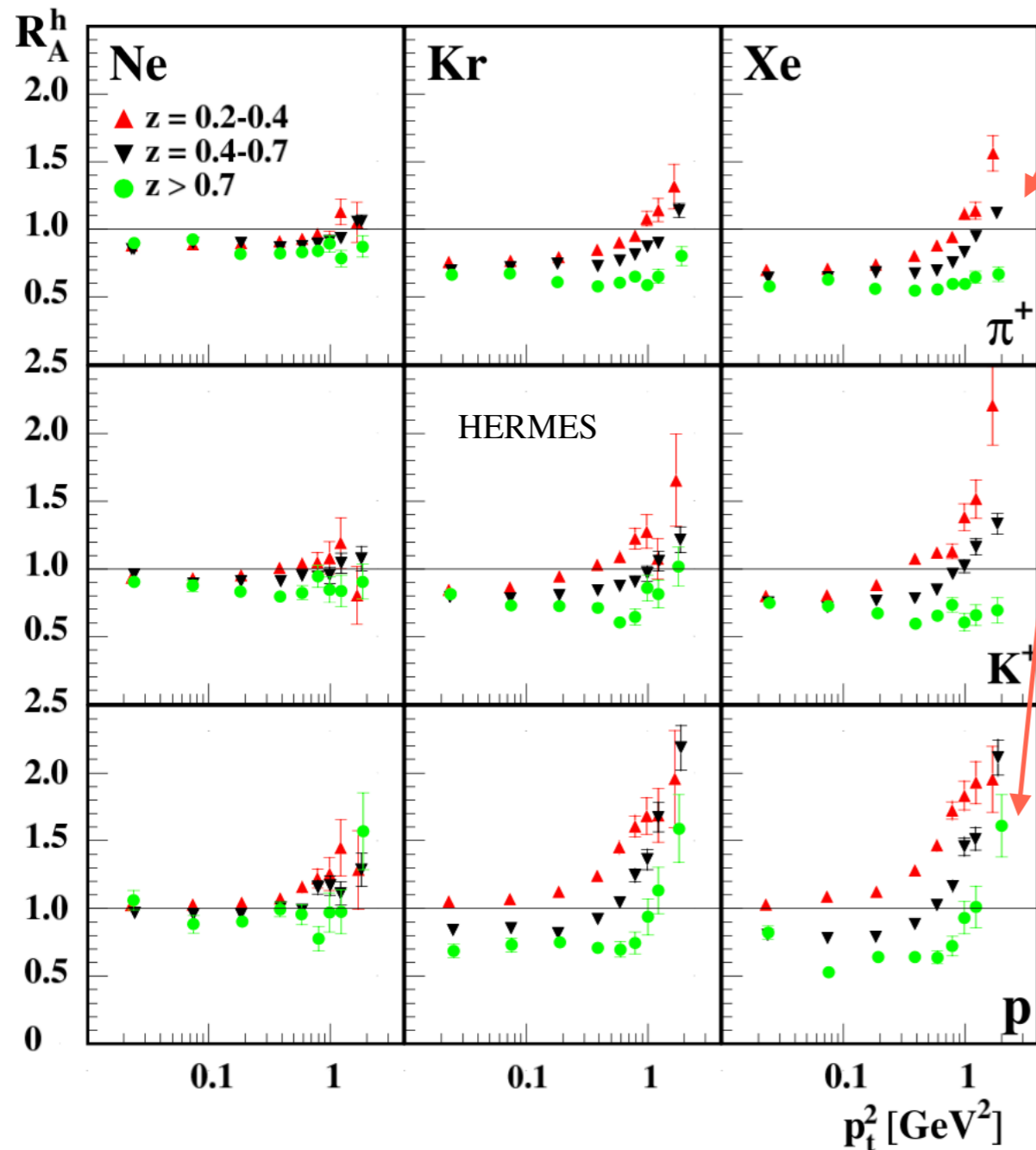
*But how to consistently describe it through experiment?*

Diquark properties from full QCD lattice simulations: [https://link.springer.com/article/10.1007/JHEP05\(2022\)062](https://link.springer.com/article/10.1007/JHEP05(2022)062)

Diquark mass differences from unquenched lattice QCD: <https://iopscience.iop.org/article/10.1088/1674-1137/40/7/073106/pdf>

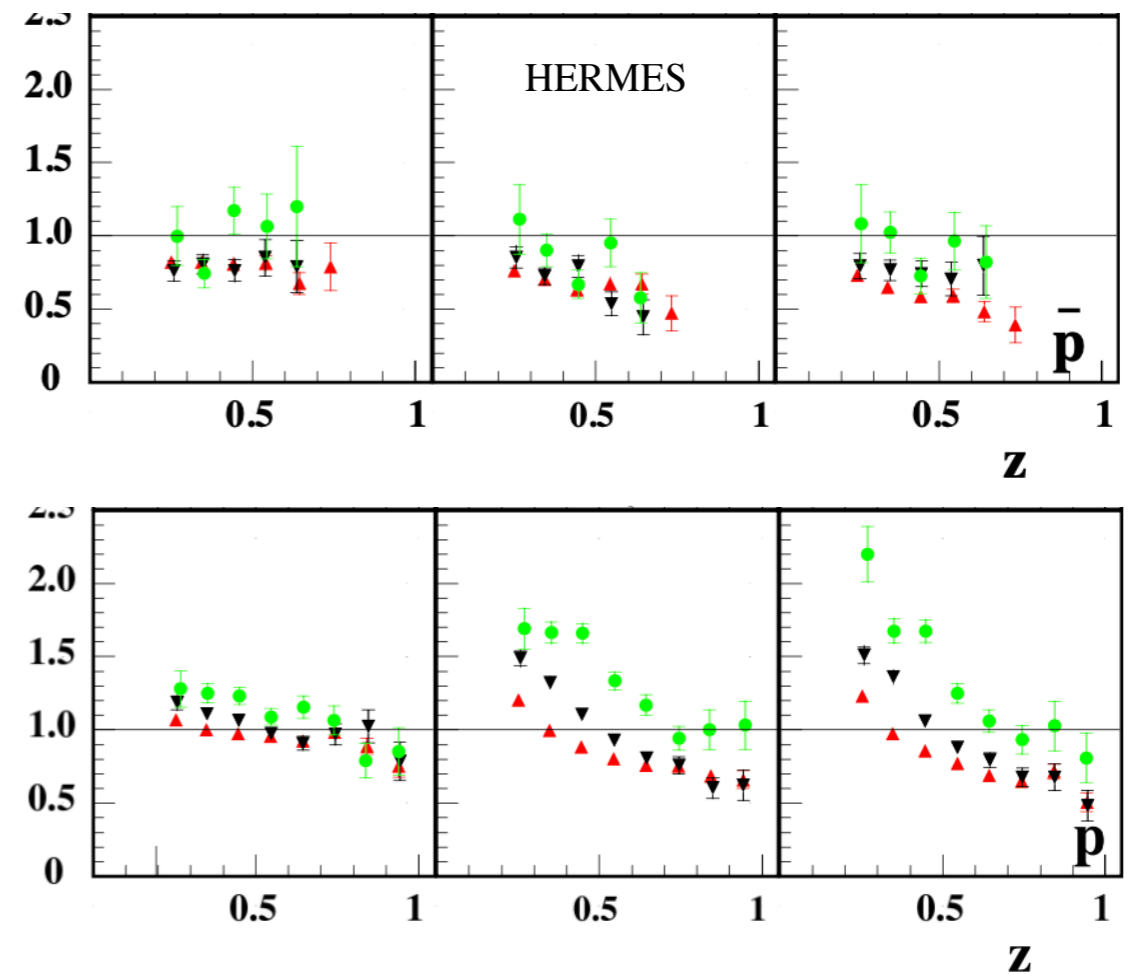
# Diquarks: mesons vs baryon behavior

Baryon nDIS data from HERMES and CLAS behave **qualitatively differently** from mesons, in multiplicity ratios and in transverse momentum broadening



*Ordering seen for mesons at high  $p_T$  disappears for baryons, strong interaction occurs for all values of  $z$*

*Proton and antiproton are totally different!*

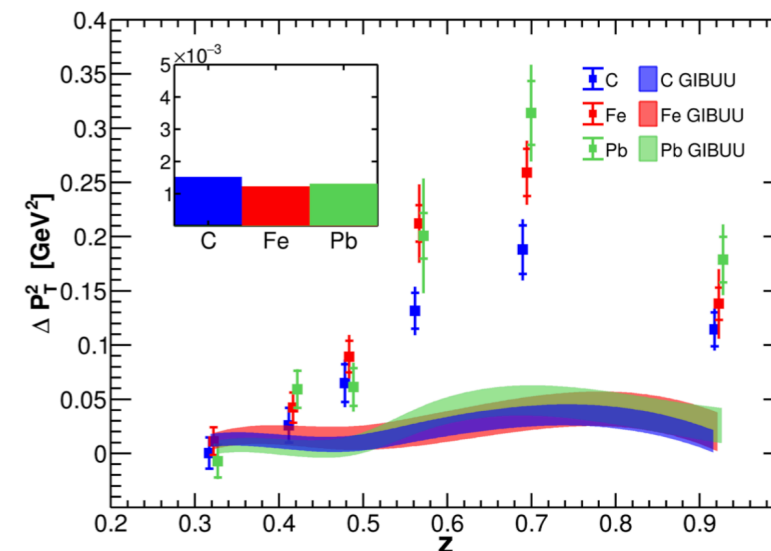
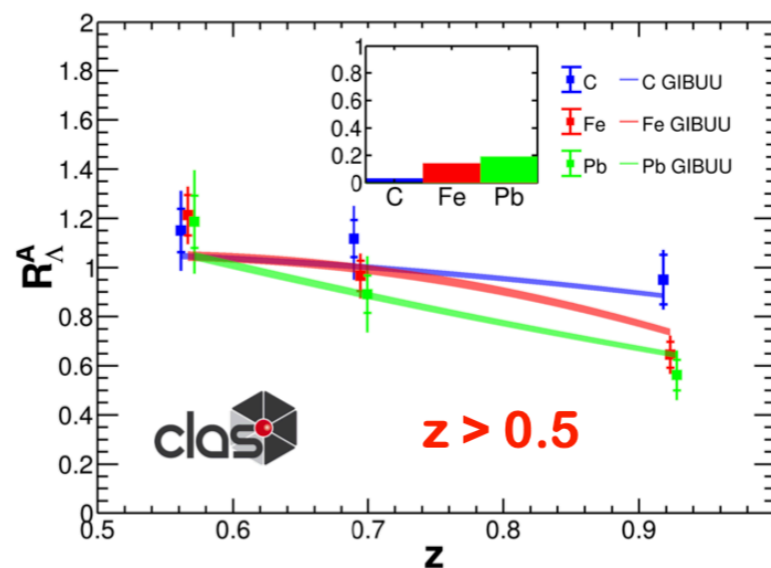
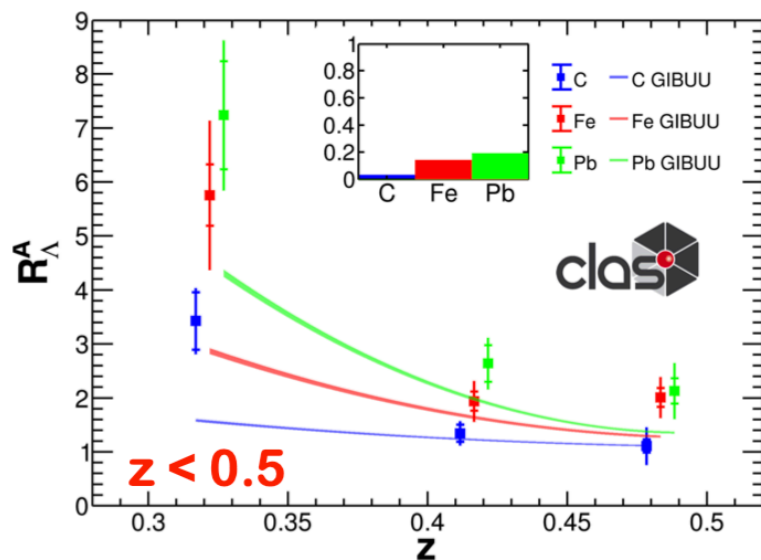


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# Diquarks: mesons vs baryon behavior

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Enhancement of  $\Lambda$  events at low  $z$  is huge compared to pion production: 7 vs.  $\sim 1.0$

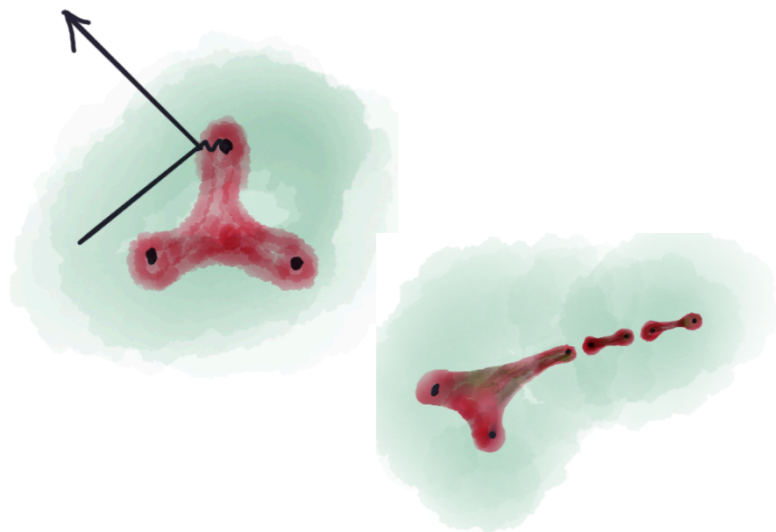
Less attenuation at high  $z$

$\Delta p_T^2$  on  $\Lambda$  is huge compared to pion: 0.3 vs 0.03  $\text{GeV}^2$

*The object passing through the medium in case of  $\Lambda$  is 'large' and disruptive!*

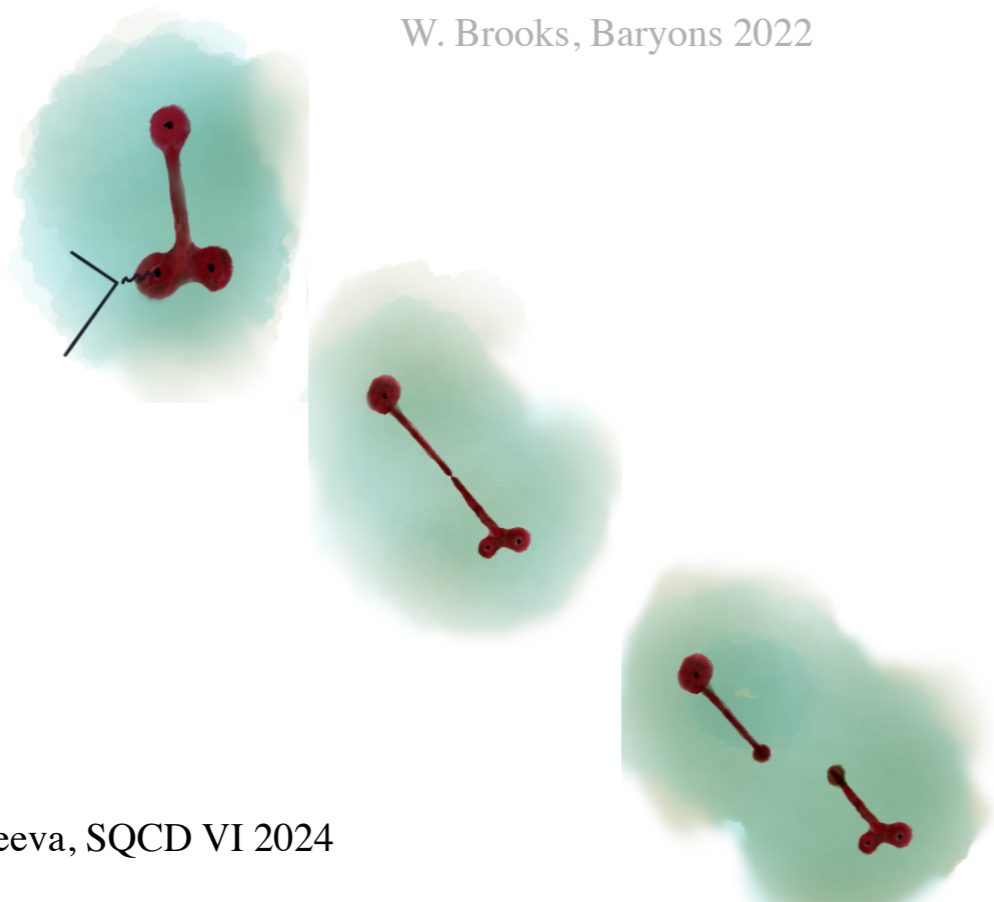
# Could it be possible that a virtual photon is absorbed by a diquark?

Traditional picture



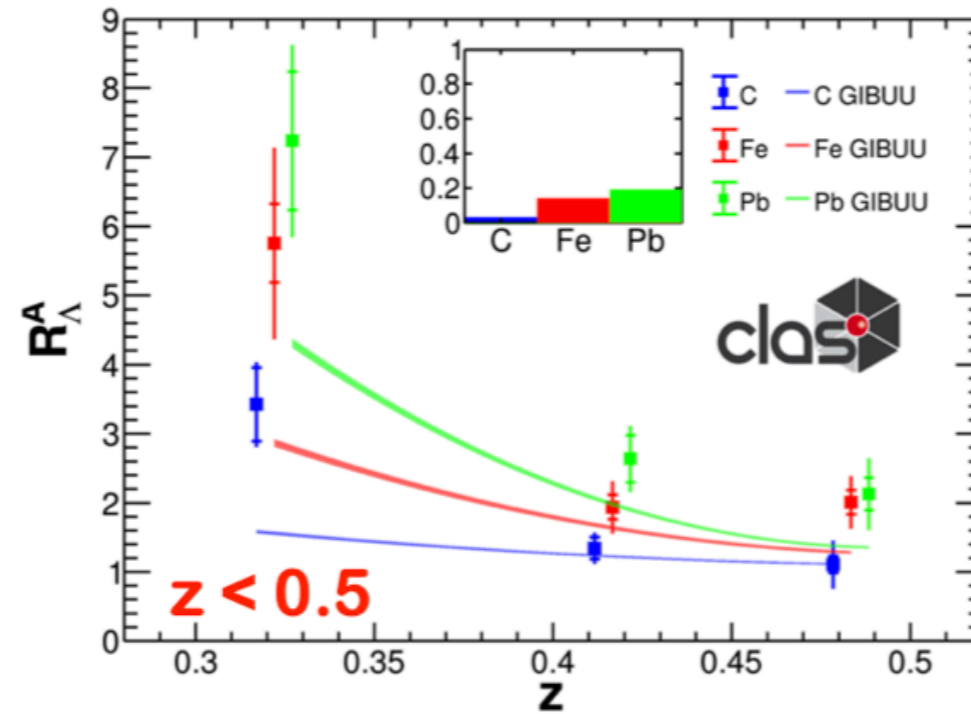
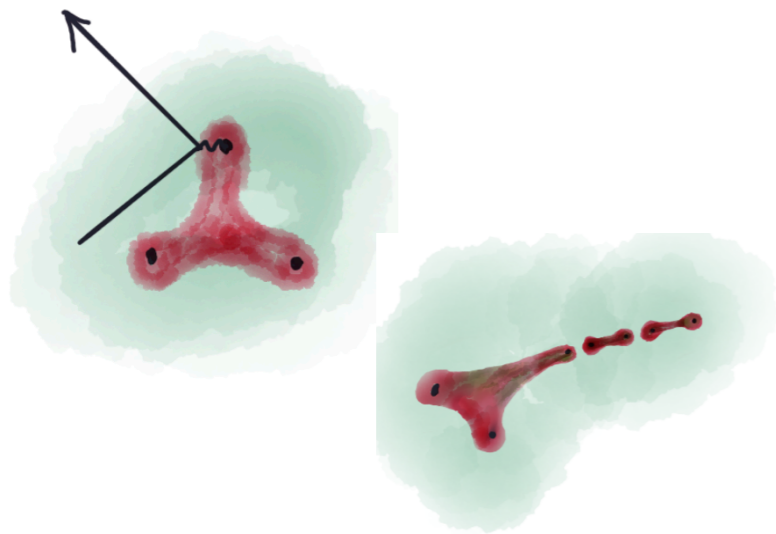
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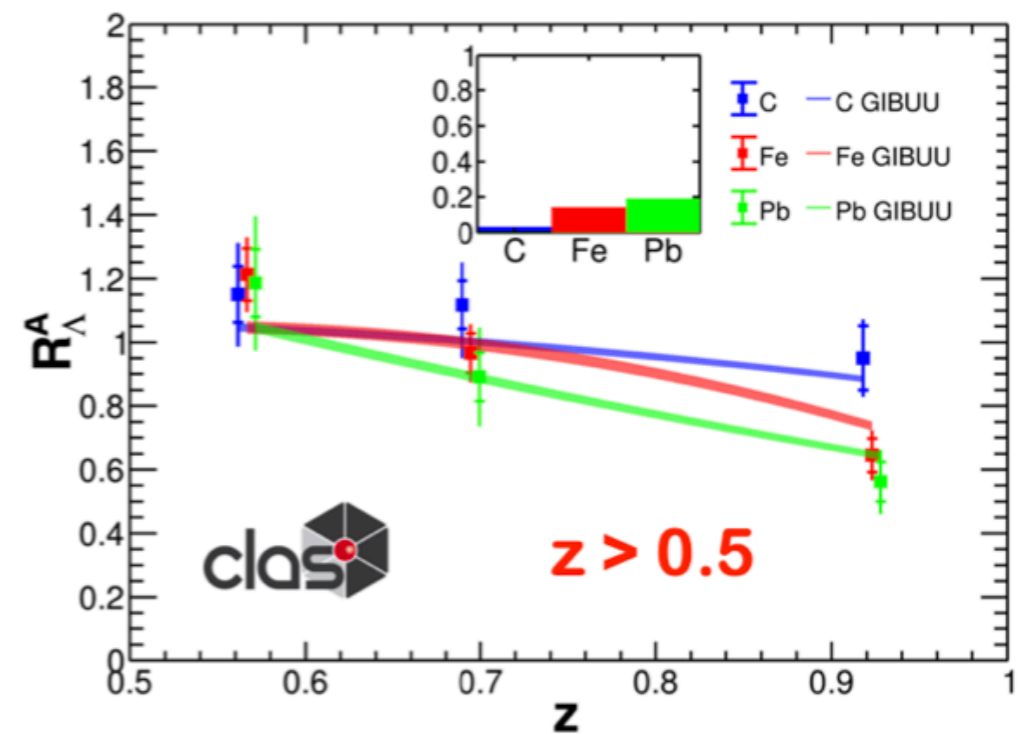
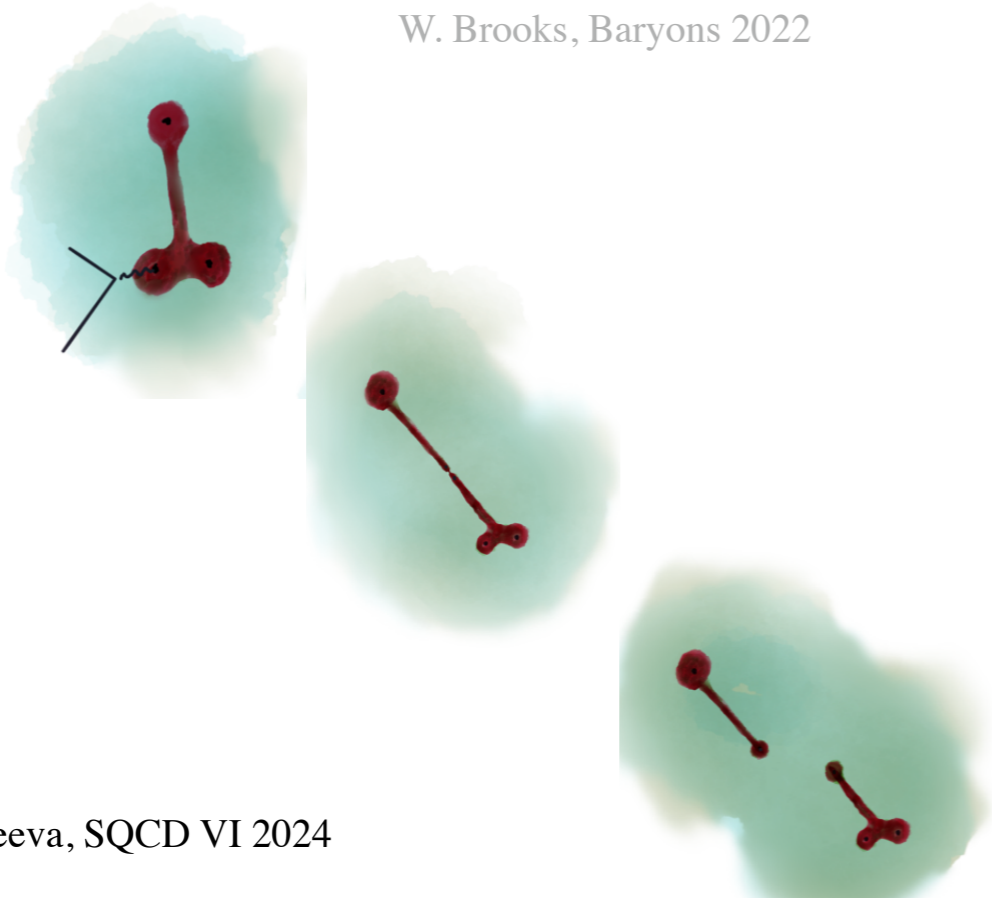
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Baryon	$M^{e/l}$	$M^{\text{CI}}$	dom. corr.
$p$ (B.5a)	0.94	0.94	$[ud]u$ ●
$\Lambda$ (B.5b)	1.12	1.06	$[ud]s$ ●
$\Sigma$ (B.5c)	1.19	1.20	$[us]u$
$\Xi$ (B.5d)	1.32	1.24	$[us]s$

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*Protons, neutrons and  $\Lambda$  can be easily formed by the scattering off diquark; they must then behave similarly*

*This can be soon tested on CLAS and CLAS12 data.*

More theoretical work is needed to determine the feasibility of this interpretation and distinguish it from other hadronization mechanisms (e.g, color recombination)

# eA Monte Carlo generators

## GiBUU

Giessen Boltzmann-Uehling-Uhlenbeck (equation)

- EMC, HERMES, CLAS data
- Describes the time evolution of the reaction based on the transport theory
- LUND string fragmentation (Pythia)
- Hadron absorption cross sections
- Final-state interactions
- Color transparency
- Nuclear shadowing
- Particle tracking

[gibuu.hepforge.org](https://gibuu.hepforge.org)

<https://arxiv.org/pdf/2202.12804.pdf>

## BeAGLE

Benchmark eA Generator for LEpton production

- CLAS dihadron data, E665, predictions for EIC
- Hybrid, multistep model
- Hard interaction, jet fragmentation (Pythia6)
- Parton energy loss (PyQM)
- Intranuclear cascade, nuclear geometry (DPMJet)
- Nuclear response (DPMJet/FLUKA)
- Nuclear parton distribution functions (LHAPDF5)

<https://arxiv.org/abs/2204.11998>

## eHIJING

Event Heavy-Ion Jet Interaction Generator

- NEW! CLAS, HERMES, EMC, predictions for EIC
- Parton medium interaction ~ gluon TMD
- Lund string fragmentation is applied to the colorless system

<https://arxiv.org/abs/2304.10779>

# Jefferson Lab @ 12 GeV era

# RG-E experiment @ 10.5 GEV

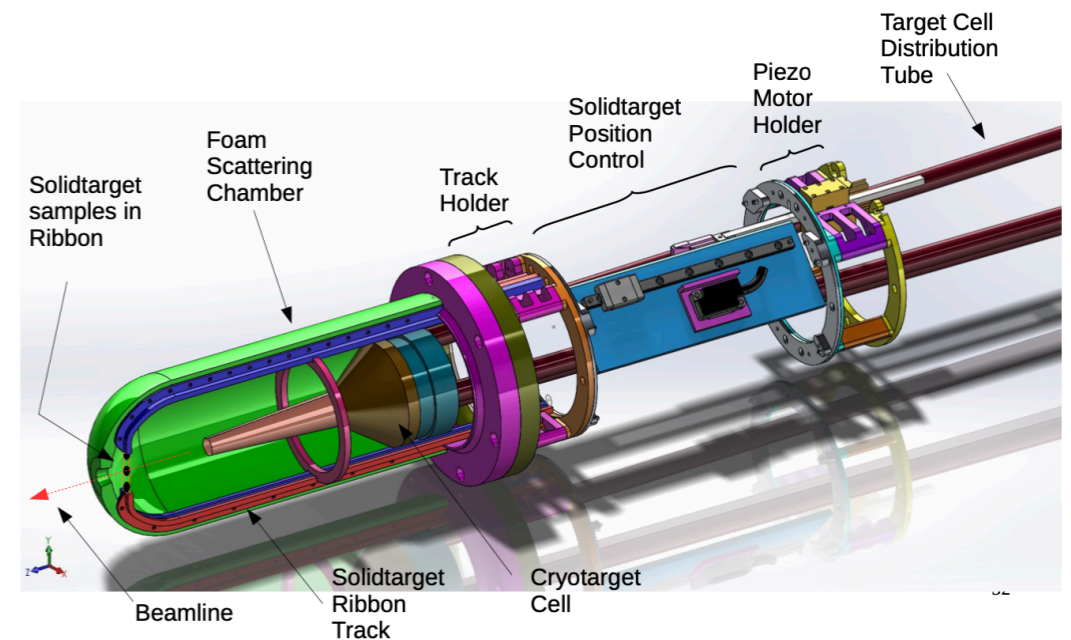
Approved experiment Run Group E (E-12-06-117)

PAC assigned 66 calendar days (33 PAC days)

*Taking RG-E data with CLAS12 since March, 2024*

## RG-E experimental conditions

- Electron beam 10.5 GeV
- Targets  $^2\text{H}$ ,  $^{12}\text{C}$ ,  $^{27}\text{Al}$ ,  $^{63}\text{Cu}$ ,  $^{118}\text{Sn}$ ,  $^{208}\text{Pb}$
- Integrated Luminosity  $\sim 10^{41} \text{ 1}/(\text{s} \cdot \text{cm}^2)$
- Extreme conditions: high vacuum and high magnetic field, low temperatures, radiation hardness, reduced space

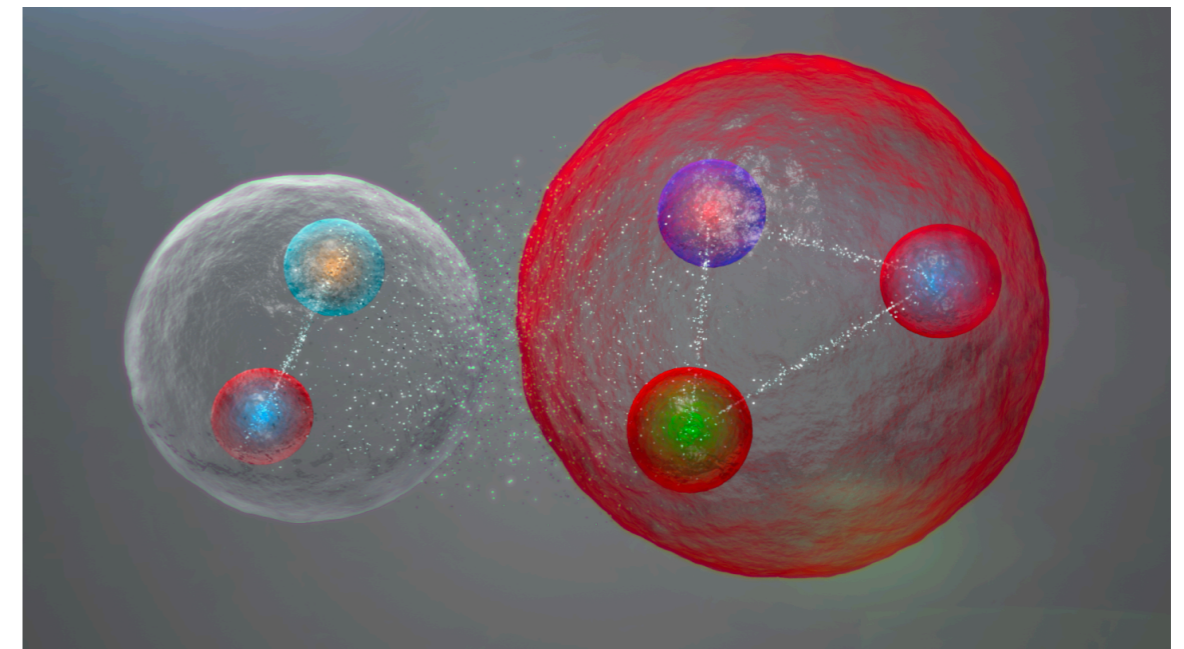


Highlights of double target are in JLUO weekly: <https://mailchi.mp/89a150f4d755/jlab-weekly-for-scientific-users-april-3-2024?e=a8d43a7cbe>

# Quark Propagation and Hadronization at CLAS12

More Luminosity More Acceptance Better Particle ID

<i>hadron</i>	$c\tau$	mass	flavor content	limiting error (60 PAC days)
$\pi^0$	25 nm	0.13	$u\bar{u}d\bar{d}$	5.7% (sys)
$\pi^+, \pi^-$	7.8 m	0.14	$u\bar{d}, d\bar{u}$	3.2% (sys)
$\eta$	170 pm	0.55	$u\bar{u}d\bar{d}s\bar{s}$	6.2% (sys)
$\omega$	23 fm	0.78	$u\bar{u}d\bar{d}s\bar{s}$	6.7% (sys)
$\eta'$	0.98 pm	0.96	$u\bar{u}d\bar{d}s\bar{s}$	8.5% (sys)
$\phi$	44 fm	1	$u\bar{u}d\bar{d}s\bar{s}$	5.0% (stat)*
$f_1$	8 fm	1.3	$u\bar{u}d\bar{d}s\bar{s}$	-
$K^0$	27 mm	0.5	$d\bar{s}$	4.7% (sys)
$K^+, K^-$	3.7 m	0.49	$u\bar{s}, \bar{u}s$	4.4% (sys)
$p$	stable	0.94	$uud$	3.2% (sys)
$\bar{p}$	stable	0.94	$\bar{u}\bar{u}\bar{d}$	5.9% (stat)**
$\Lambda$	79 mm	1.1	$uds$	4.1% (sys)
$\Lambda(1520)$	13 fm	1.5	$uds$	8.8% (sys)
$\Sigma^+$	24 mm	1.2	$uus$	6.6% (sys)
$\Sigma^-$	44 mm	1.2	$dds$	7.9% (sys)
$\Sigma^0$	22 pm	1.2	$uds$	6.9% (sys)
$\Xi^0$	87 mm	1.3	$uss$	16% (stat)*
$\Xi^-$	49 mm	1.3	$dss$	7.8% (stat)*



Can study rare and complex cases of hadrons probing mass, strangeness and rank dependence of hadron formation and color propagation

New baryon structure information to reveal diquark degrees of freedom for  $n$ ,  $p$  and  $\Lambda$



# *eA* kinematics past, present & future

HERMES @27 GeV:  $\sqrt{s} = 7.2$  GeV

CLAS @ 5 GeV:  $\sqrt{s} = 3.2$  GeV

CLAS @11 GeV:  $\sqrt{s} = 4.6$  GeV

CLAS @ 22 GeV:  $\sqrt{s} = 6.4$  GeV

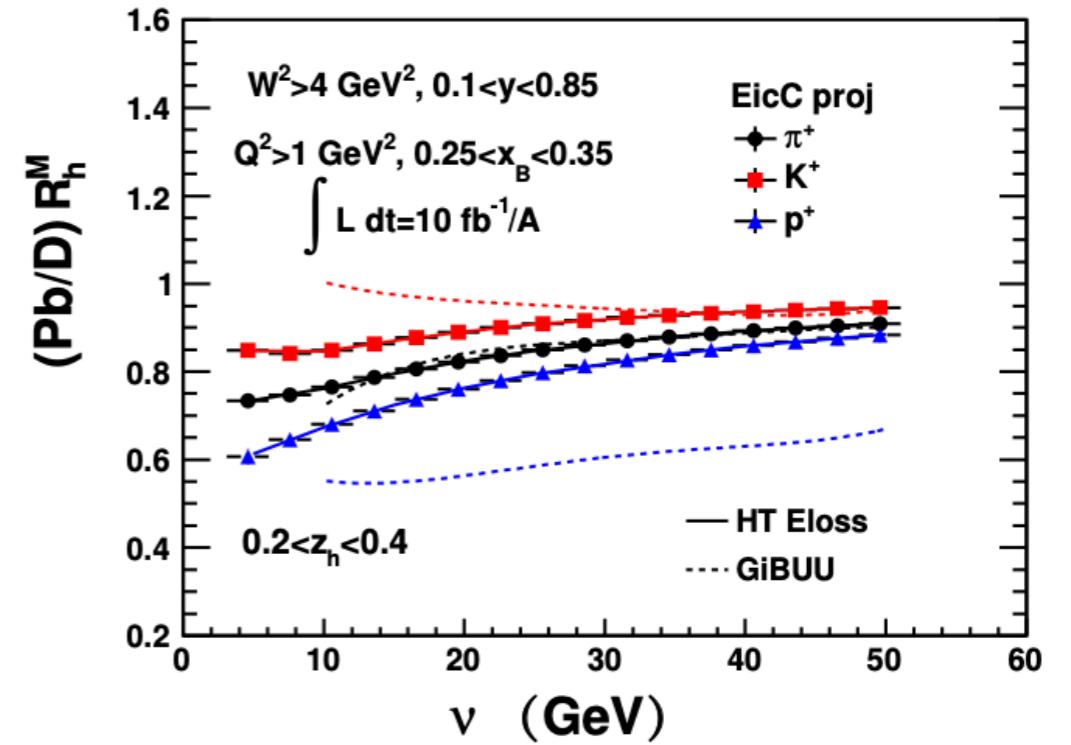
EicC:  $\sqrt{s} = 11.9 - 16.7$  GeV

EIC eRHIC:  $\sqrt{s} = 20 - 140$  GeV

# EicC

EicC white paper: <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11467-021-1062-0>

Particle	Momentum (GeV/c/u)	CM energy (GeV/u)	Average Polarization	Luminosity at the nucleon level (cm <sup>-2</sup> s <sup>-1</sup> )	Integrated luminosity (fb <sup>-1</sup> )
e	3.5		80%		
p	20	16.76	70%	$2.00 \times 10^{33}$	50.5
d	12.90	13.48	Yes	$8.48 \times 10^{32}$	21.4
<sup>3</sup> He <sup>++</sup>	17.21	15.55	Yes	$6.29 \times 10^{32}$	15.9
<sup>7</sup> Li <sup>3+</sup>	11.05	12.48	No	$9.75 \times 10^{32}$	24.6
<sup>12</sup> C <sup>6+</sup>	12.90	13.48	No	$8.35 \times 10^{32}$	21.1
<sup>40</sup> Ca <sup>20+</sup>	12.90	13.48	No	$8.35 \times 10^{32}$	21.1
<sup>197</sup> Au <sup>79+</sup>	10.35	12.09	No	$9.37 \times 10^{32}$	23.6
<sup>208</sup> Pb <sup>82+</sup>	10.17	11.98	No	$9.22 \times 10^{32}$	23.3
<sup>238</sup> U <sup>92+</sup>	9.98	11.87	No	$8.92 \times 10^{32}$	22.5



Ranges of color lifetime  $l_p$  in HERMES, CLAS and extrapolation to EIC

Q2	nu	beta*gamma	$l_p, z=0.32$	$l_p, z=0.53$	$l_p, z=0.75$	$l_p, z=0.94$	Experiment
2.40	14.50	9.31	8.57				HERMES
2.40	13.10	8.40		6.39			HERMES
2.40	12.40	7.94			4.63		HERMES
2.30	10.80	7.05				2.40	HERMES
3.00	4.00	2.08	1.92	1.58	1.21	0.71	CLAS
7.00	7.00	2.45	2.26	1.86	1.43	0.83	CLAS12
1.00	4.00	3.87	3.57	2.95	2.26	1.32	CLAS
2.00	9.00	6.28	5.79	4.78	3.66	2.14	CLAS12
12.00	32.50	9.33	8.59	7.10	5.44	3.18	EIC
8.00	37.50	13.22	12.17	10.06	7.71	4.50	EIC
45.00	140.00	20.85	19.20	15.86	12.15	7.10	EIC
27.00	150.00	28.85	26.57	21.96	16.82	9.82	EIC

At EicC we can disentangle two mechanisms:  
 parton energy loss ( $L_p \sim R_{pb}$ ) vs  
 hadron absorption (GiBUU)

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# Which measurements can be accessed at the EIC with hadronization observables?

- **p<sub>T</sub> broadening observables**

## *Saturation scale*

Glueon transverse momentum  $k_T$  characterizes degree  
to which saturation is occurring:  $Q_s \sim k_T$

p<sub>T</sub> broadening is a boost-invariant way of sampling  
the transverse gluon density distribution;  
proportional to the gluon density

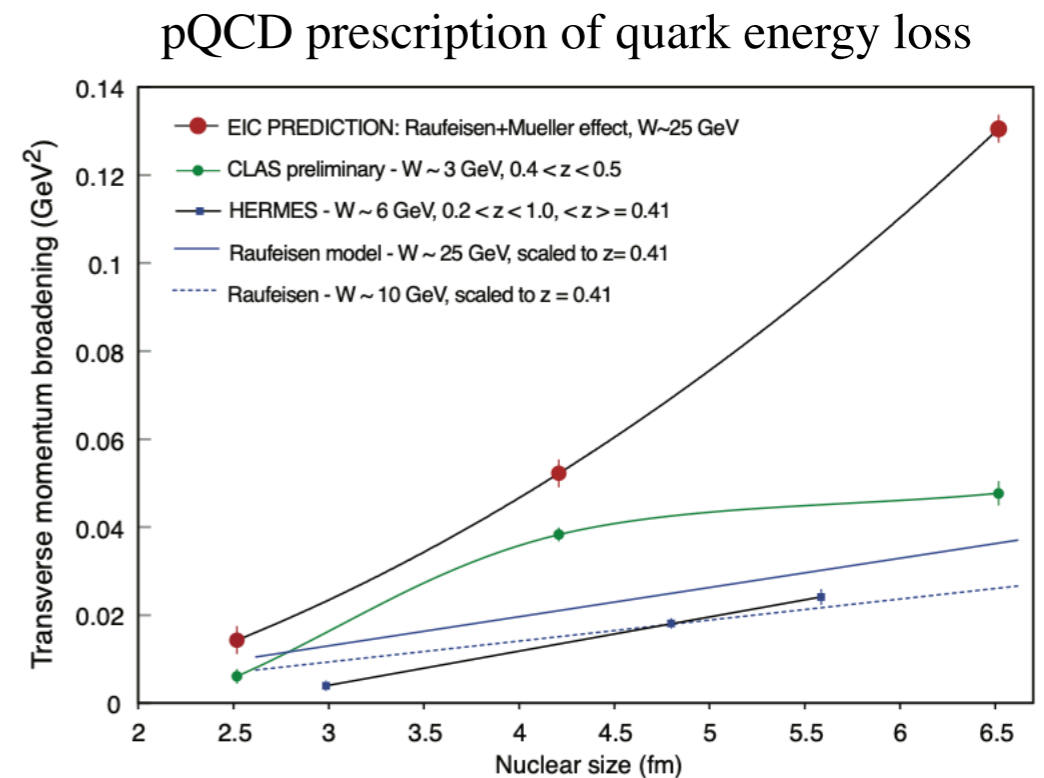
$$\Delta p_T^2 \propto G(x, Q^2) \rho L$$

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- **Multiplicity ratio observables**

Mass dependence of hadronization

Hadron formation length

# Summary

- The microscopic information on space-time dynamics of hadronization can be accessed in DIS using nuclear medium  $A$  of increasing size
- Transverse momentum broadening and hadronic multiplicity ratio observables provide insights on the lifetime of ‘free’ quark, formation of hadrons and  $E_{\text{loss}}$
- Baryon data from HERMES and CLAS behave qualitatively different from meson. Pion data is well described by GiBUU, while baryon data needs more understanding
- The hypothesis of diquarks may be one of the mechanisms in baryon formation
- CLAS at 6 GeV high luminosity data on  $^2\text{H}$ ,  $^{12}\text{C}$ ,  $^{56}\text{Fe}$ ,  $^{207}\text{Pb}$ :
  - Published results on multi-dimensional  $\pi^+$  and  $\pi^-$  multiplicities (S.Morán et al.); CLAS approved paper on the multi-dimensional  $\pi^0$  multiplicity ratios (T.Mineeva et al.)
  - Published results on  $\Lambda$  multiplicity ratios and  $\Delta pT2$  (T.Chetry et al.)
  - Published results on di-hadron production (S.Paul et al.)
  - In process:  $p$  multiplicities (M.Wood),  $\Delta pT2$  for  $\pi^+$  (E.Molina),  $\Delta pT2$  for double pion production (M.Barria),  $\pi^+$  azimuthal dependencies (C. San Martin), Bose-Einstein correlations (A.Radic),  $\omega$  and  $\eta$  multiplicities (A.Borguez, O.Soto)
- Running CLAS12 experiment (E12-06-117) at 11 GeV. 4D multiplicities, large spectrum of hadrons

