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The Jefferson Lab program: from 6 GeV operations to 12 GeV upgrade

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Outline

- * **JLab scientific mission**
- * **The facility today and progress on the 12 GeV upgrade**
- * **JLab physics today and the 12 GeV era**
- * **Status and summary**

JLab scientific mission

- * Understand how hadrons are constructed from the quarks and gluons of QCD
- * Understand the QCD basis for the nucleon-nucleon force
- * Explore the limits of our understanding of nuclear structure
 - high precision
 - short distances
 - the transition from the nucleon-meson to the QCD description
- * To make progress in these areas we must address critical issues in “strong QCD”:
 - What is the mechanism of confinement?
 - Where does the dynamics of the q-q interaction make a transition from the strong (confinement) to the perturbative (QED-like) QCD regime?
- * Probe potential new physics through high precision tests of the Standard Model

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 - baryon and meson excited states
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 - coincidence experiments \Rightarrow excite system and observe its evolution
 - Three Simultaneous Beams with Independently Variable Energy and Intensity
 - complementary, long experiments
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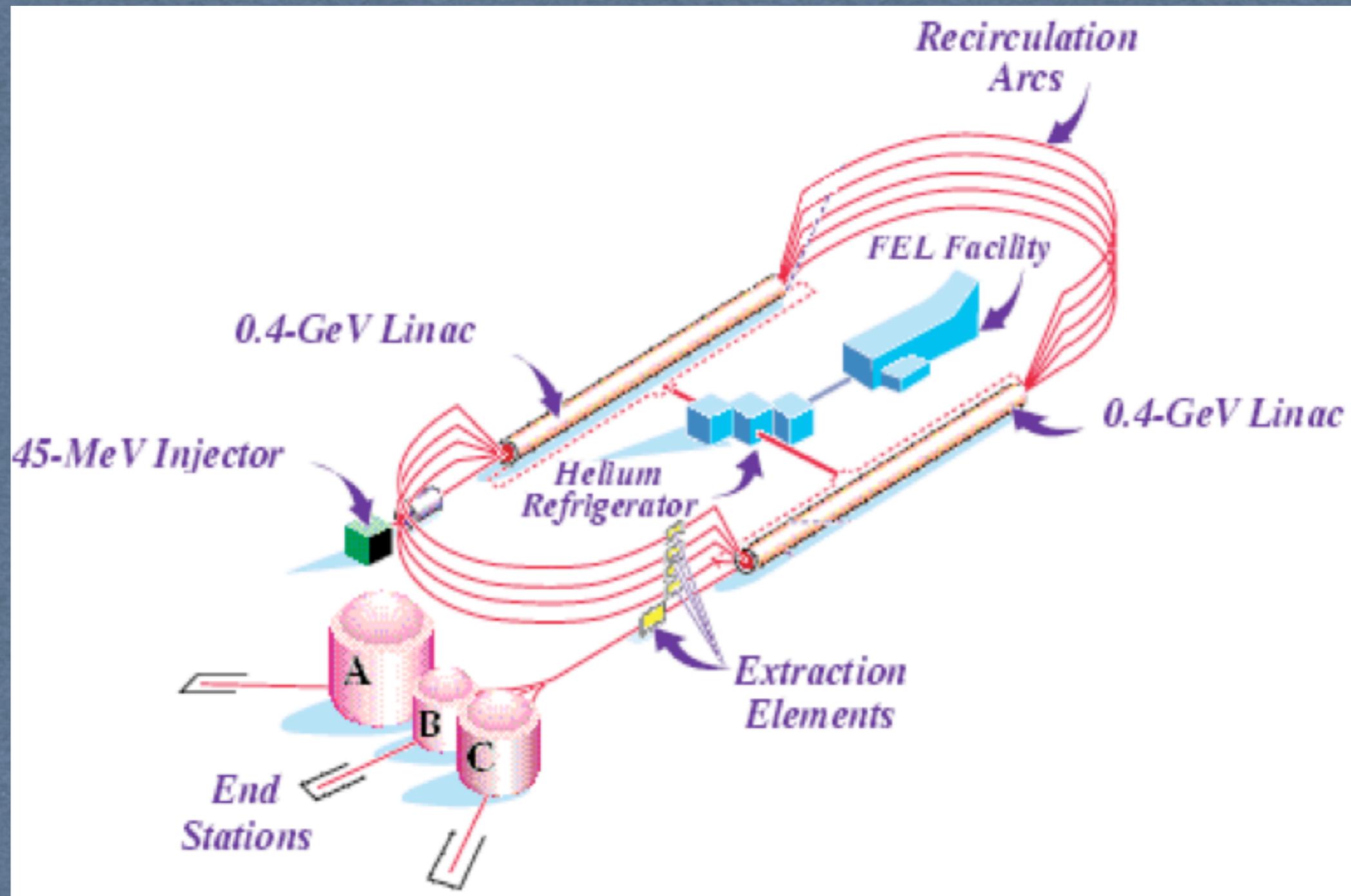
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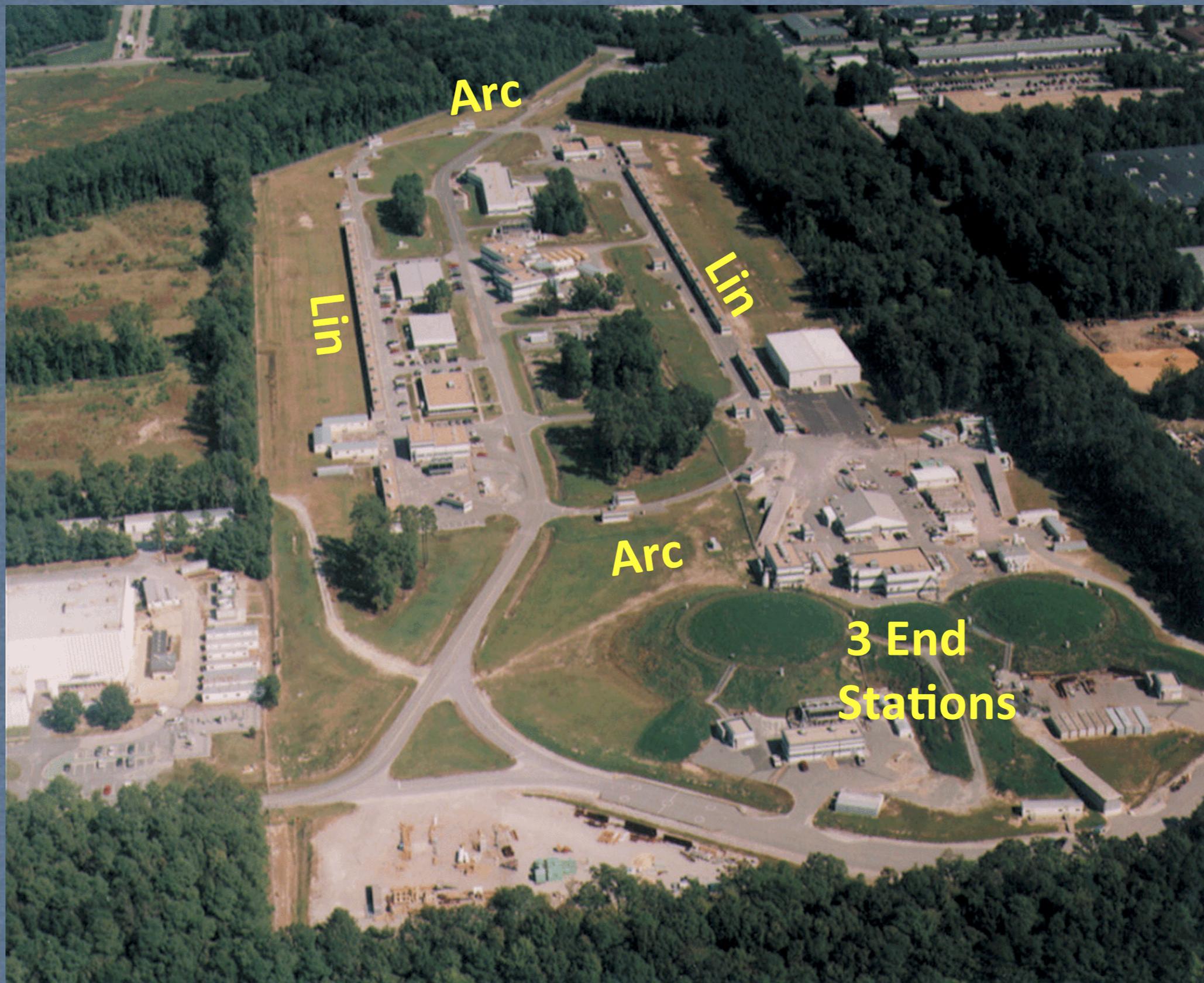
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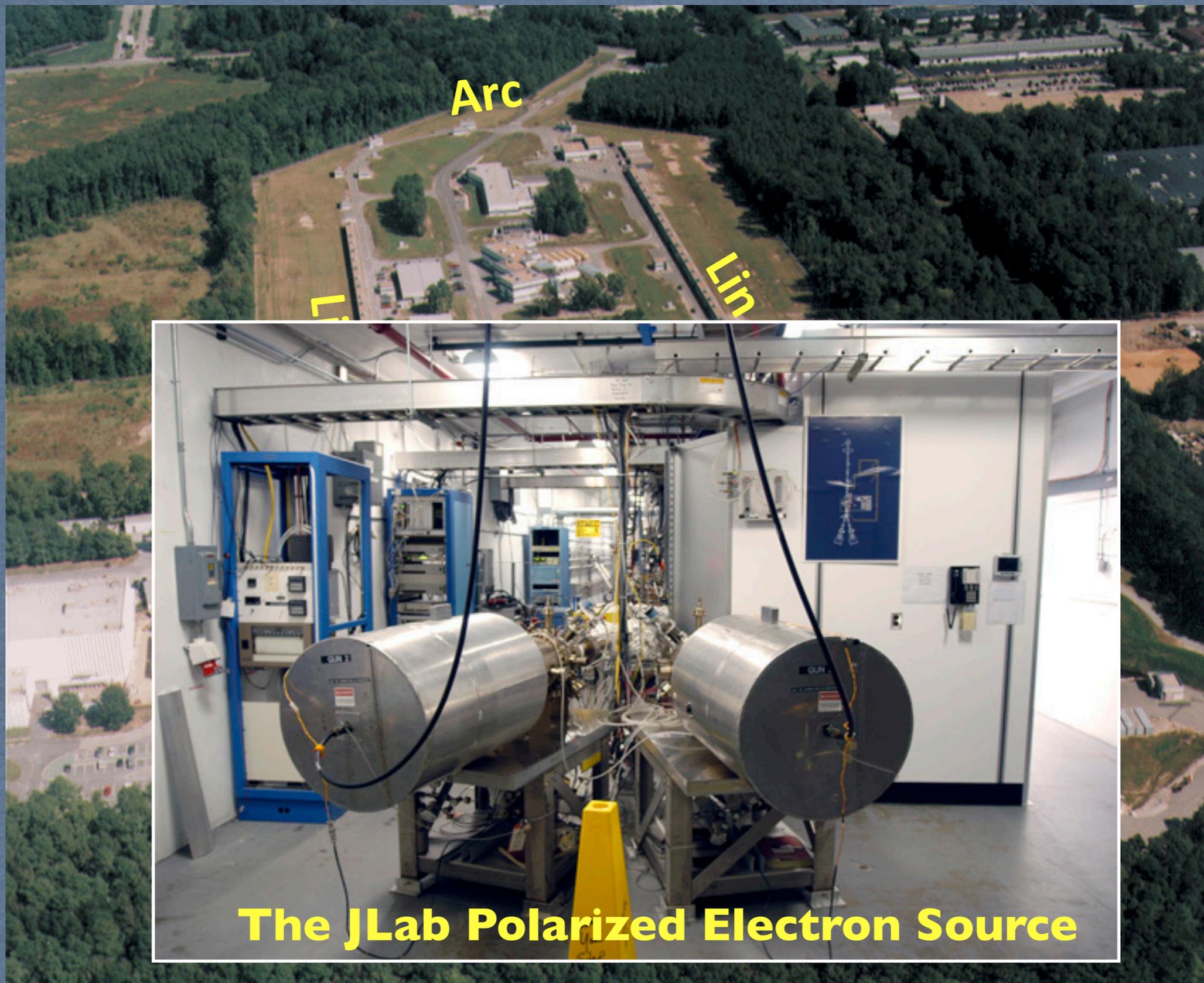
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$L > 10^6$ x SLAC at the time of the original DIS experiments!
JLab 12 luminosity will increase by 10 x

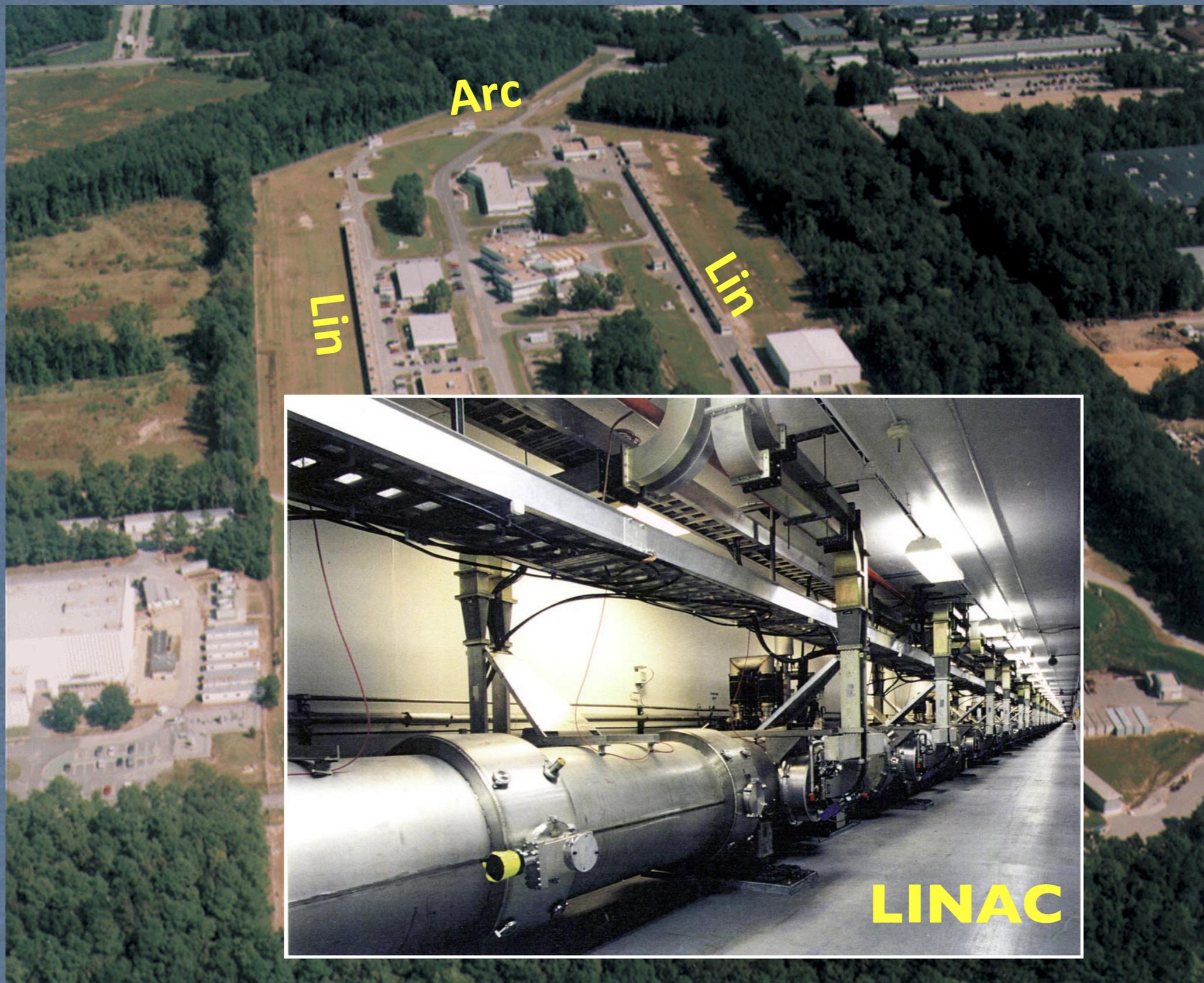
Jefferson Lab today (6 GeV)

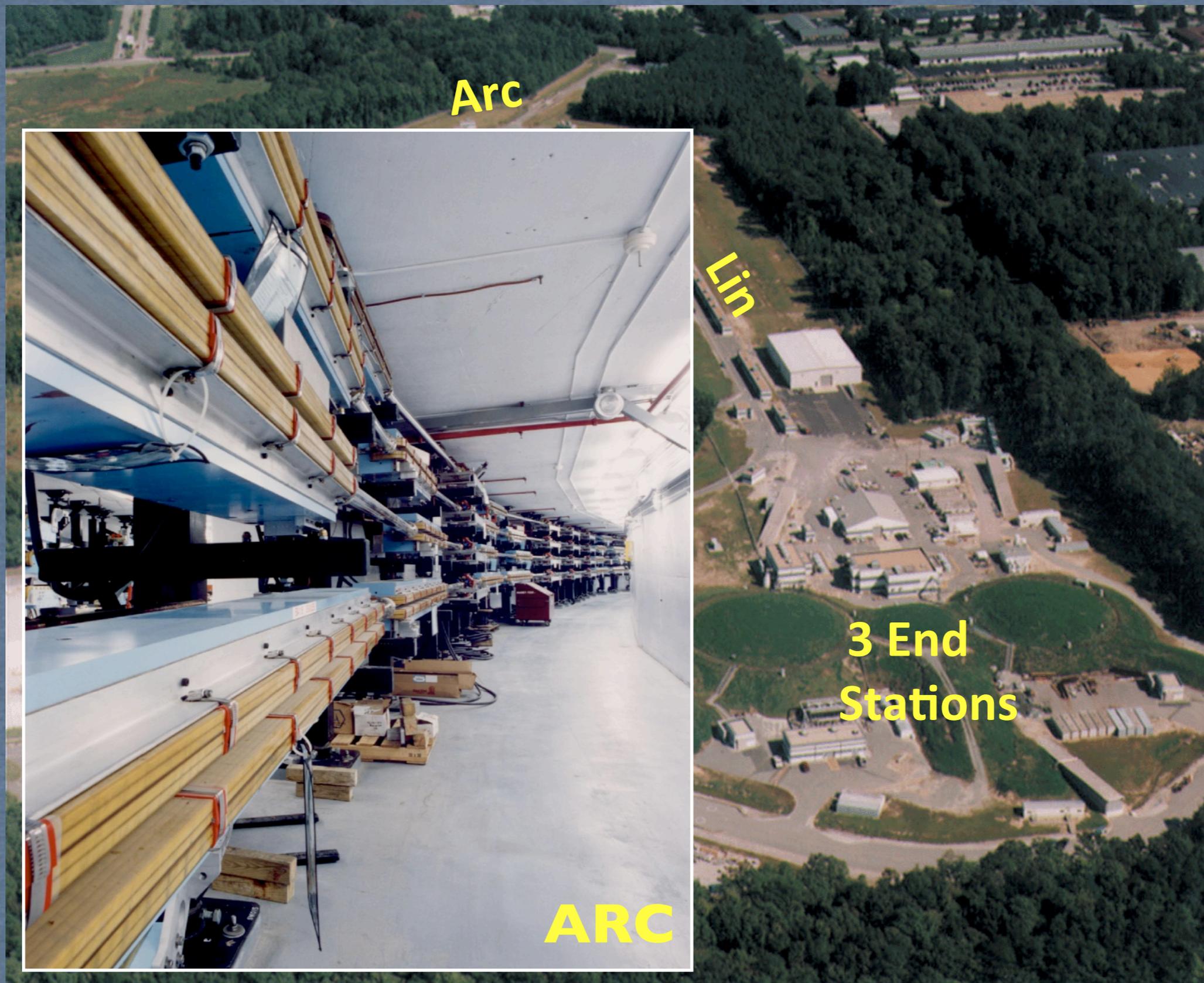






The JLab Polarized Electron Source





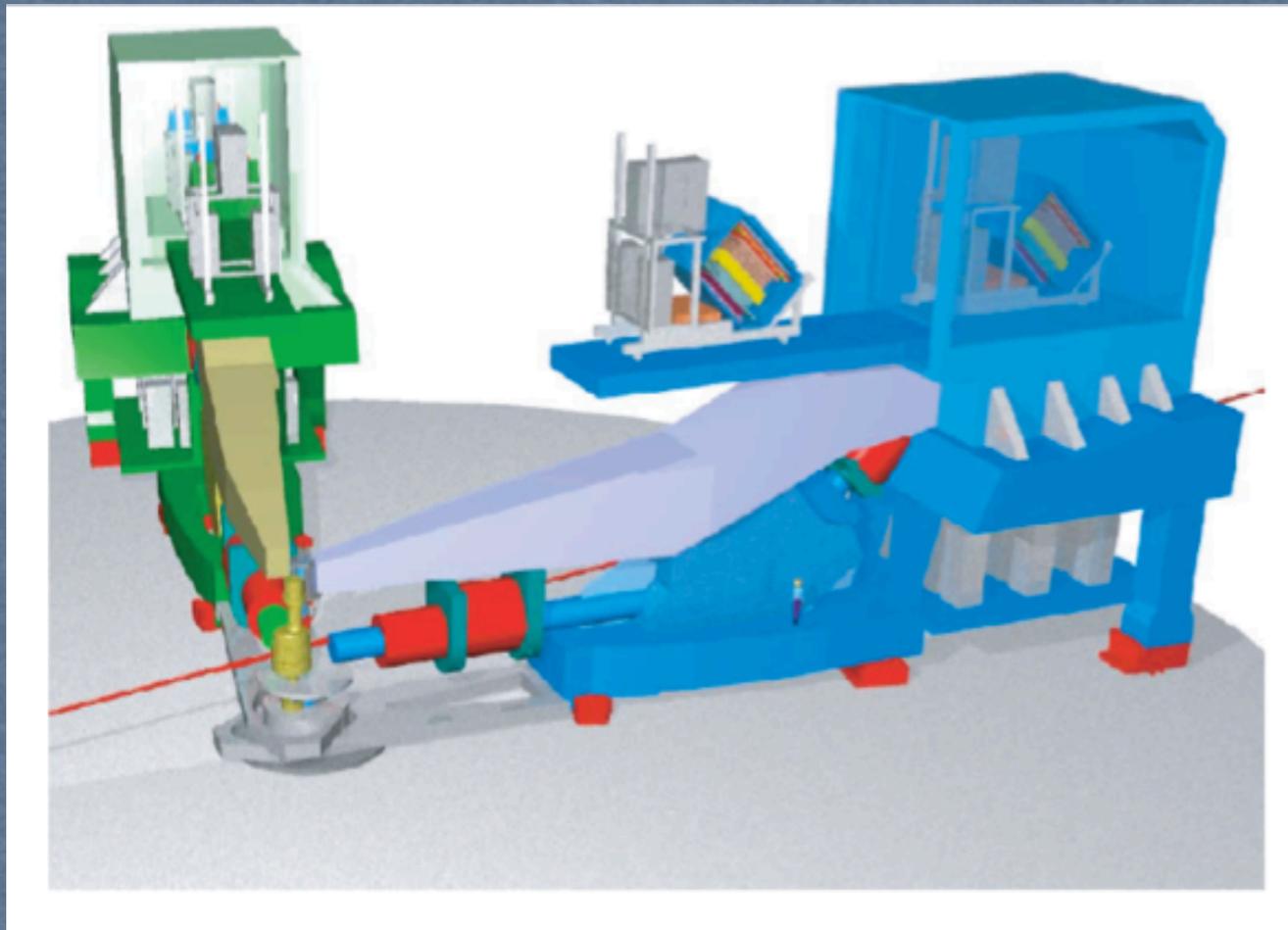
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Hall A Spectrometers

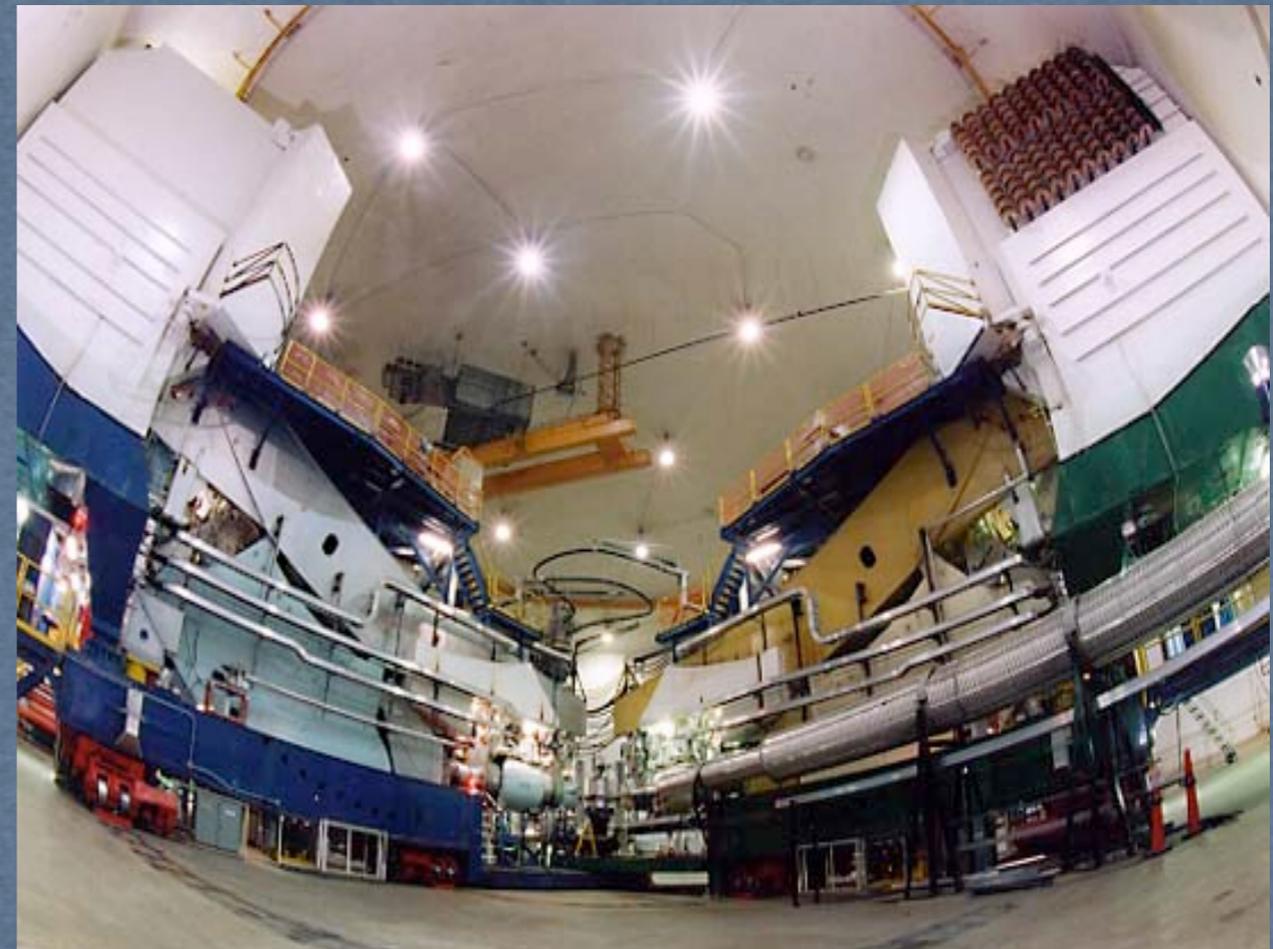


High Resolution Spectrometers (HRS)

- Resolution 1×10^{-4} FWHM
- Large momentum range (0.3-4.3 GeV, 0.3-3.3 GeV)
- Max luminosity $10^{38} \text{cm}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$
- Proton Polarimeter

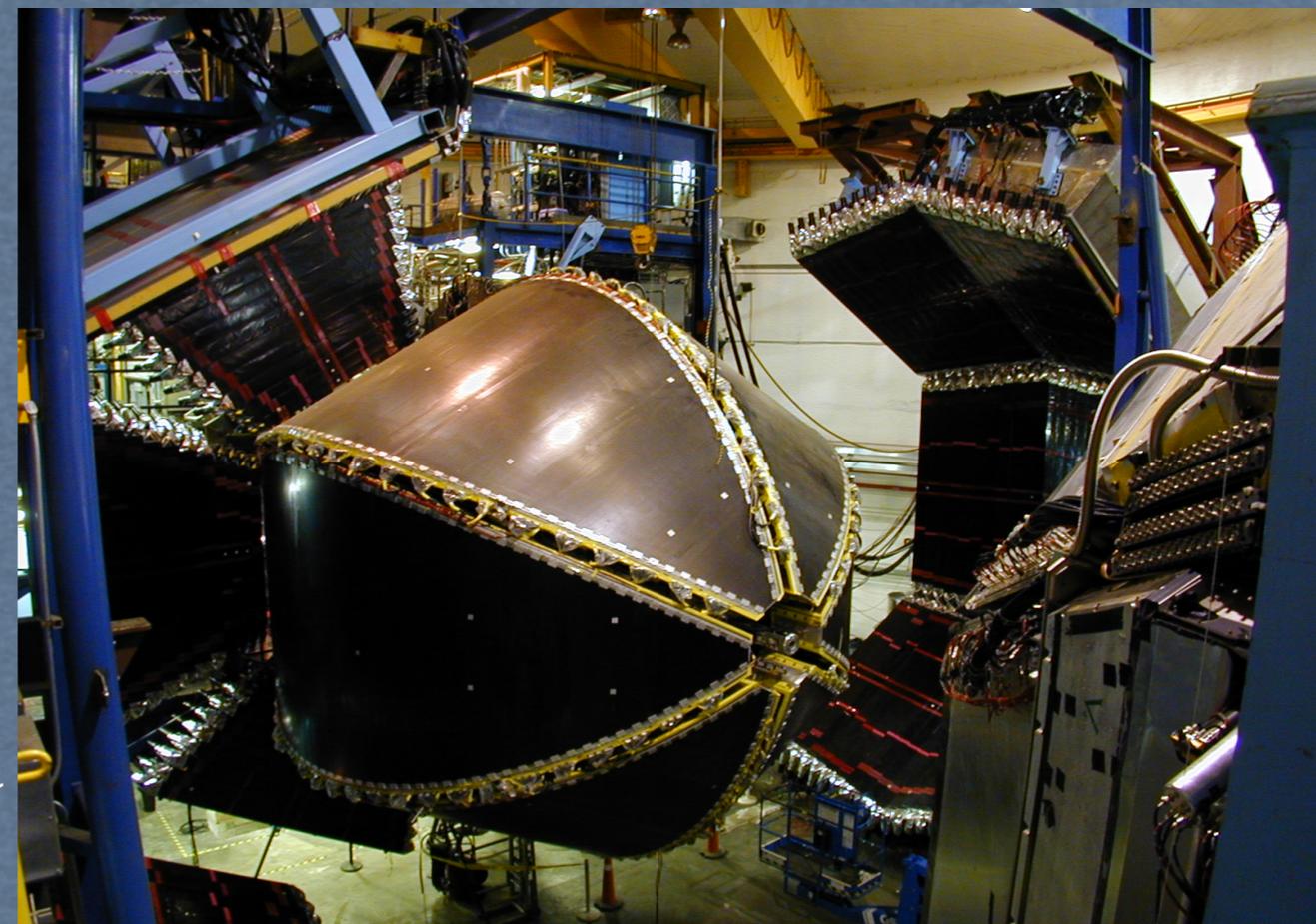
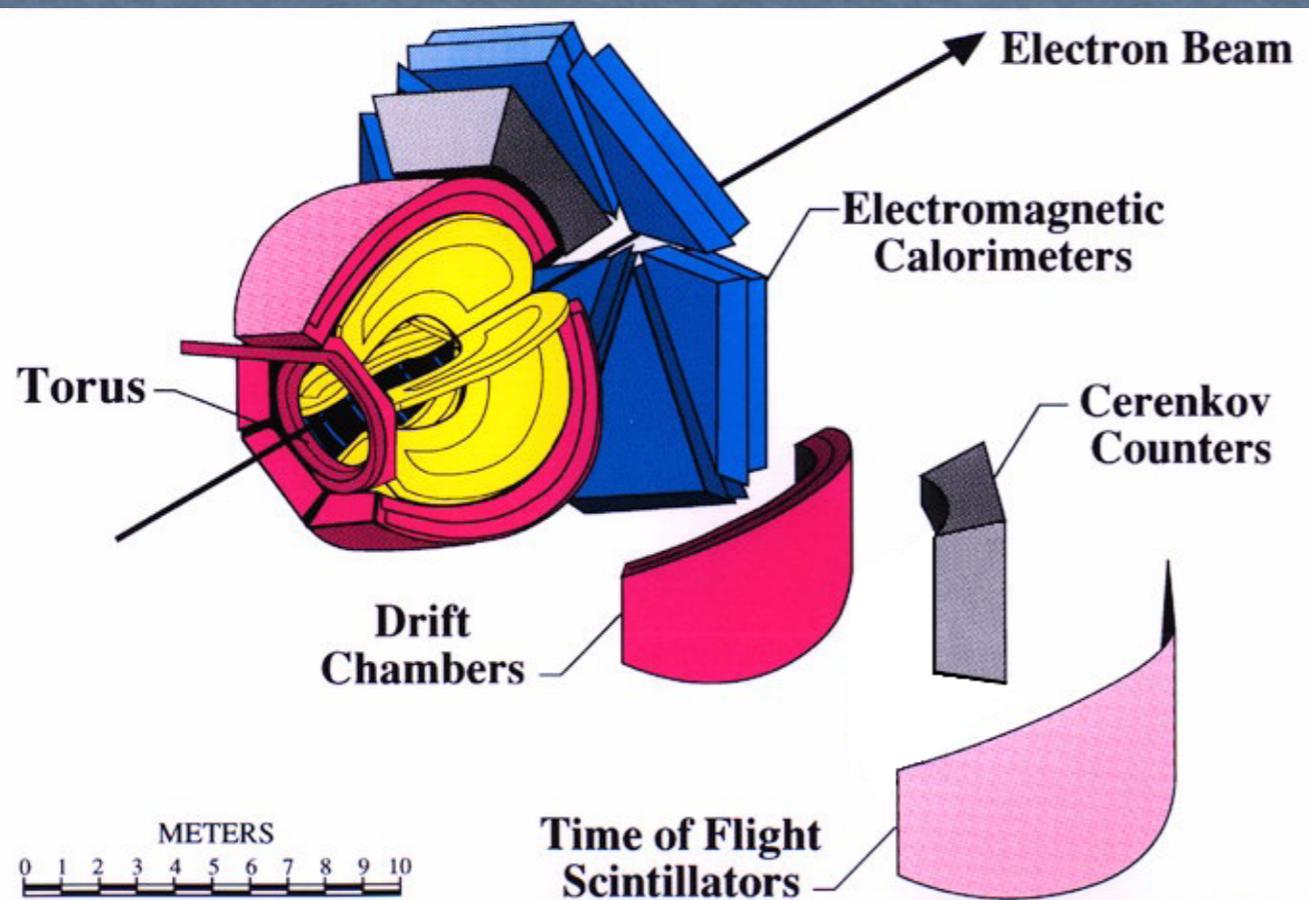
New dedicated detectors recently installed:

- Neutron detector for form factor measurement
- Big Bite spectrometer
- DVCS calorimeter



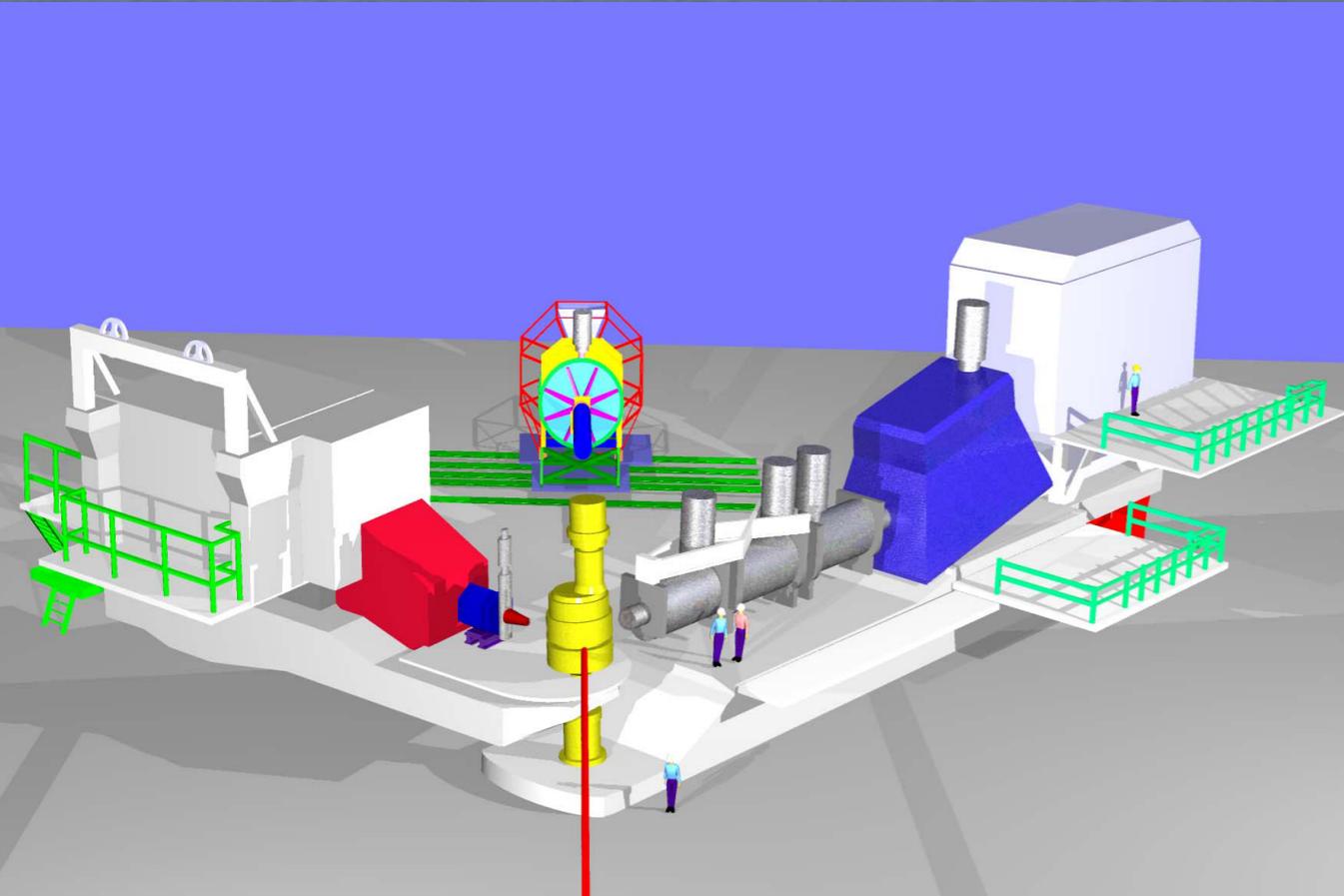
Hall B experimental setup

CEBAF Large Acceptance Spectrometer



- magnetic spectrometer based on six-coil toroidal field
- large kinematical coverage + high luminosity $10^{34}\text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
- simultaneous measurement of exclusive and inclusive reactions
- central field-free region well suited for the insertion of a polarized target

Hall C equipment



High Momentum Spectrometer (HMS)

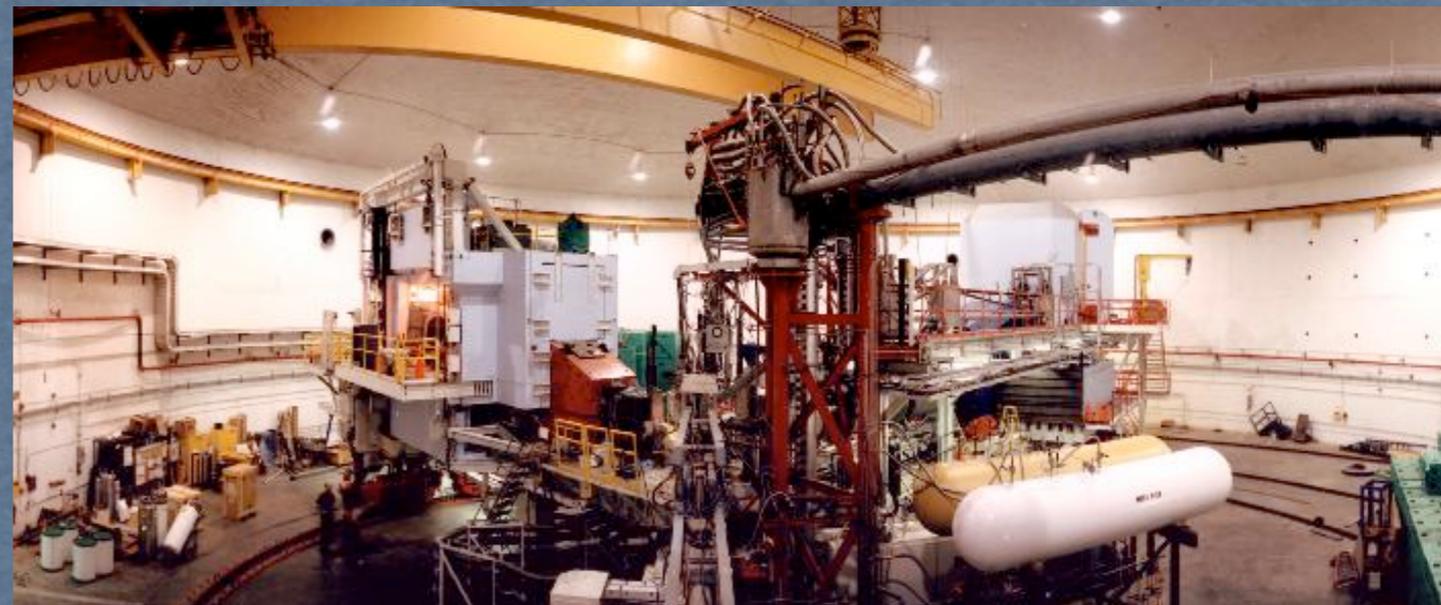
- Max momentum 7.5 GeV
- Resolution 10^{-3}
- 18% momentum acceptance
- Angular acceptance $> 6\text{msr}$

Short Orbit Spectrometer (SOS)

- Max momentum 1.8 GeV
- Resolution 10^{-3}
- 40% momentum acceptance

Experimental Hall used for large installations:

- **G0**: parity violation
- **Qweak**: measurement of the weak charge
- ...



The 12 GeV upgrade

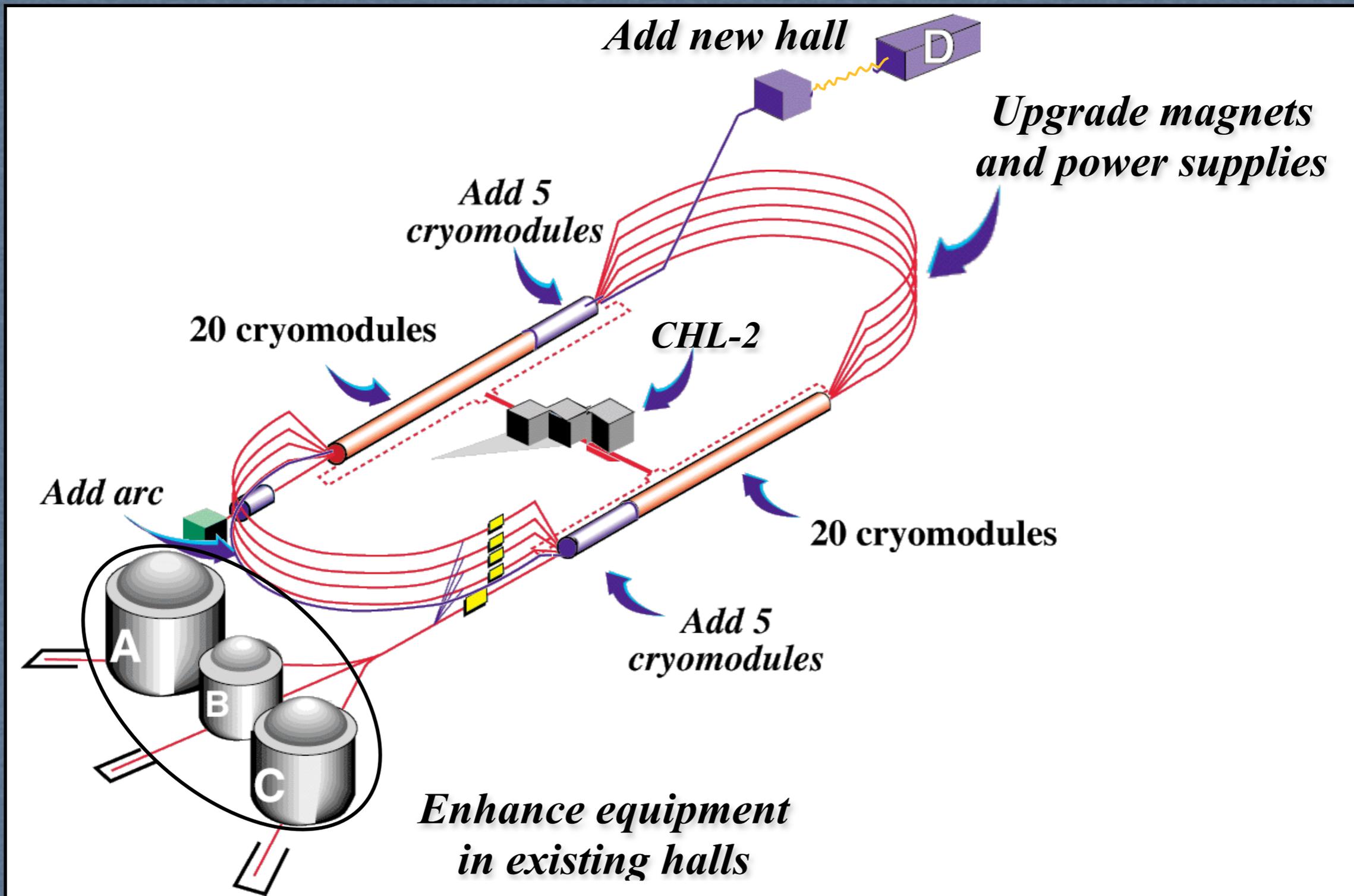
- * CEBAF design and performance make easy the energy upgrade
 - CEBAF RF cavities exceeded the designed specification by 50%
 - Maximum beam energy of 6 GeV routinely achieved (4 GeV max nominal energy)
 - ARCS can accommodate an electron beam up to 24 GeV
- * Upgrade of the accelerator
- * Construction of new equipment for Hall A, B and C
- * Construction of a new experimental hall (Hall D)

The Upgrade of CEBAF to 12 GeV (the highest priority of the 2007 NSAC Long Range Plan) is now well underway

- Project is “**on cost and on schedule**” and over half complete as of today
- Initial beam operation to begin in Hall A in **Oct 2014** and full operation by Jun 2015

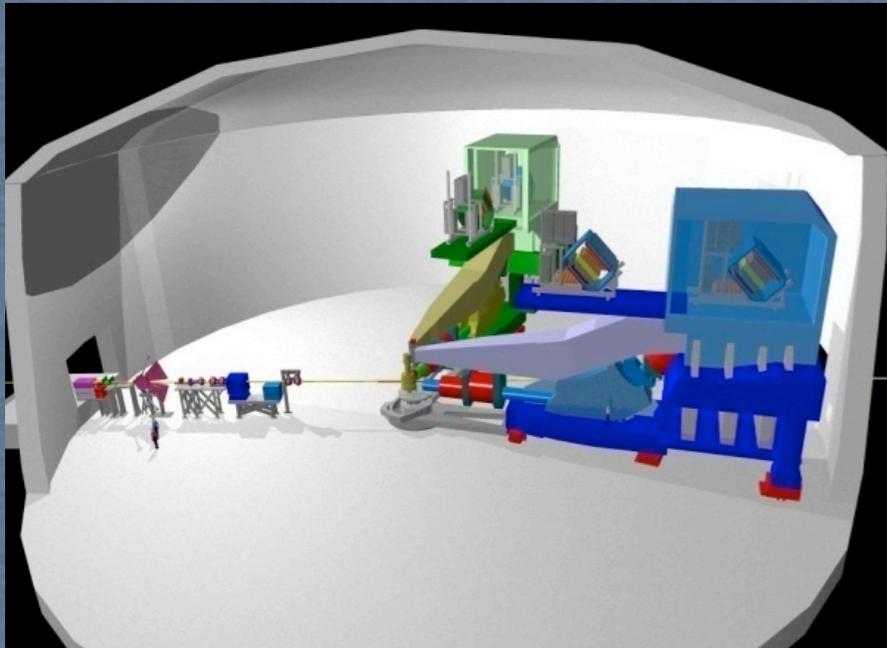
The 12 GeV Research Program is Evolving Rapidly

CEBAF @12 GeV

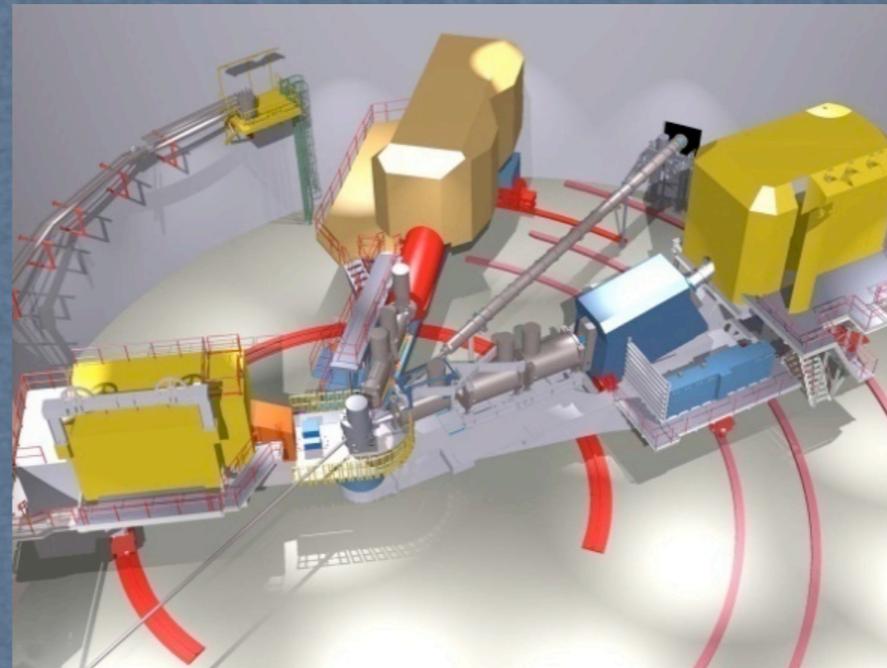


The 12 GeV equipment

Hall A – High Resolution Spectrometers and new multipurpose large acceptance detector



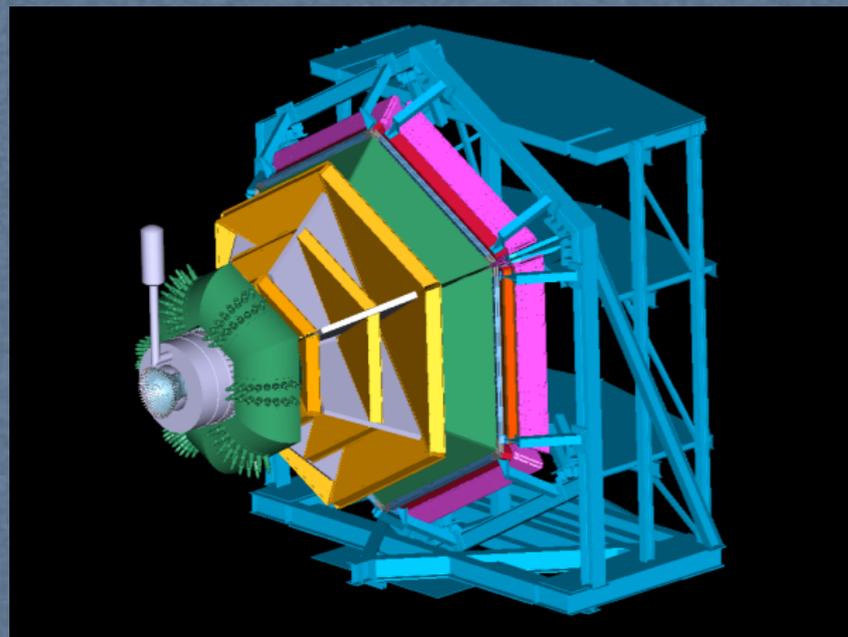
* short range correlations, form factors, and future new experiments: SOLID, MOELLER, SBS



Hall C – Super High Momentum Spectrometer (SHMS)

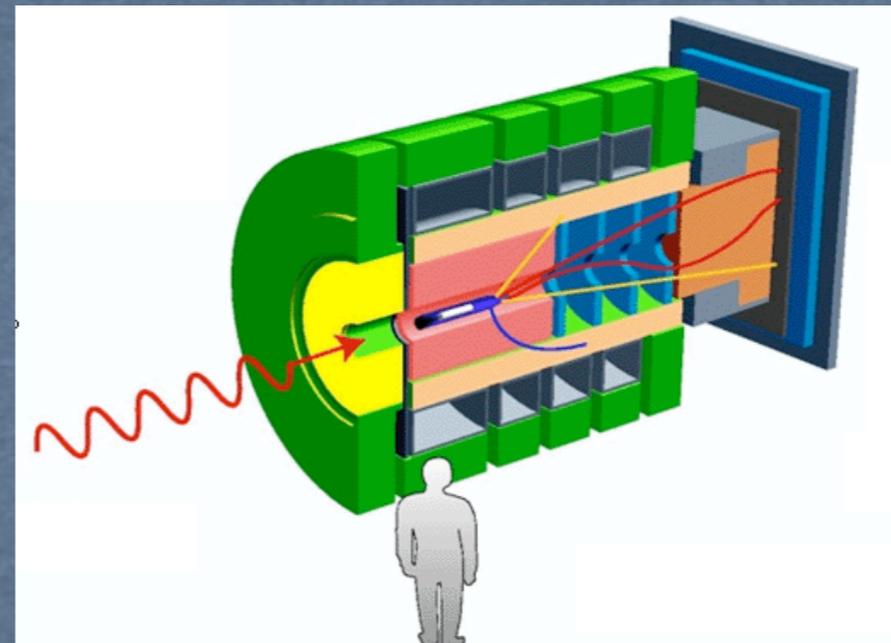
* precise determination of valence q properties in nucleons and nuclei

Hall D – GLUEx detector for photoproduction experiments



Hall B – Large acceptance detector CLAS12 for high luminosity measurements ($10^{35}\text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$)

* Understanding nucleon structure via GPDs



* explore origin of confinement by studying hybrid mesons

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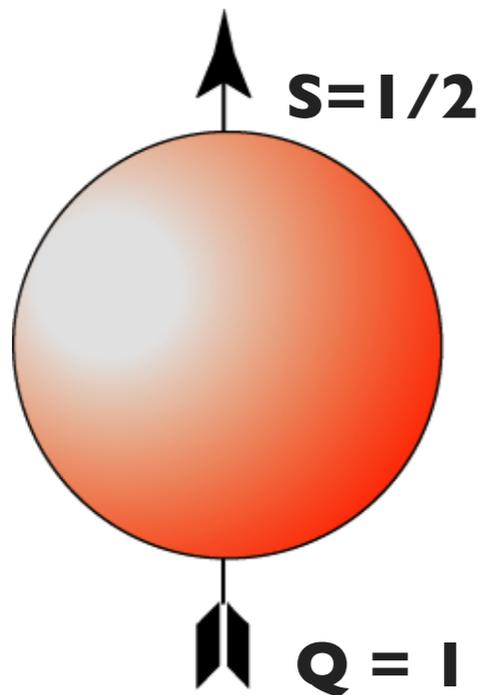
NUCLEON STRUCTURE

from elastic form factors to GPDs

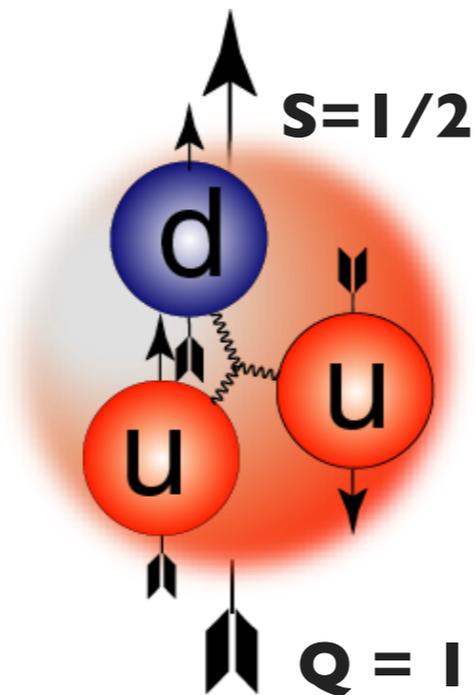
The Proton and Neutron are
the “Hydrogen Atoms” of QCD

What we “see” changes with spatial resolution

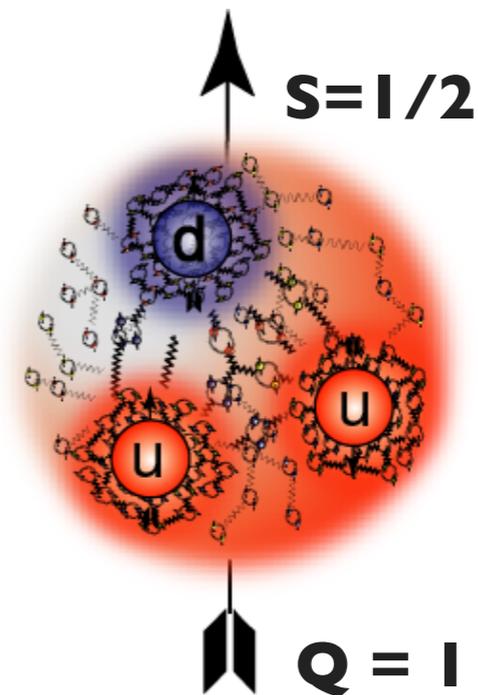
> 1 fm
Nucleons



0.1 — 1 fm
Constituent quarks
and glue

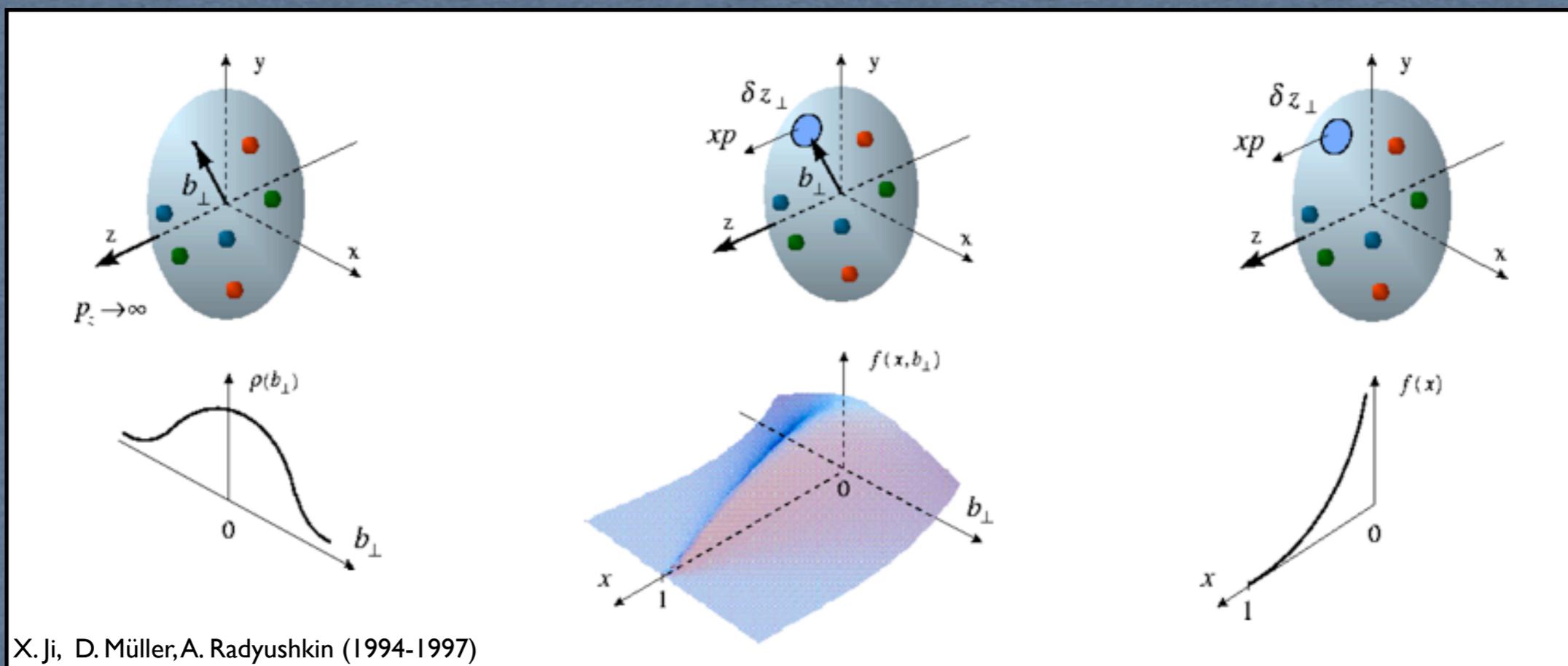


< 0.1 fm
“bare” quarks
and glue



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Elastic Scattering

transverse quark
distribution in
Coordinate space

(charge and current densities) **(Generalized Parton Distributions)**

Deep Exclusive Scattering

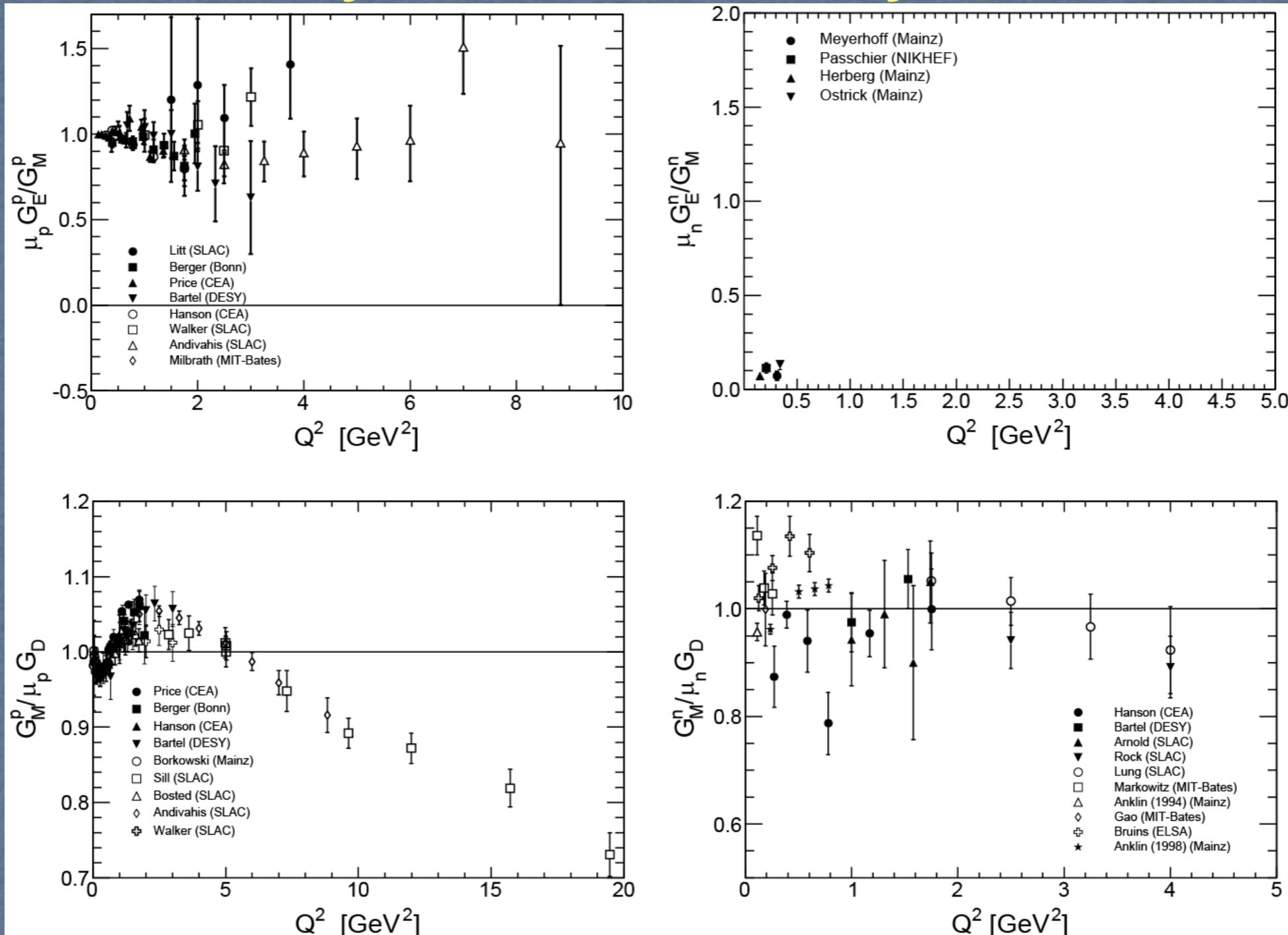
fully-correlated quark
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Deep Inelastic Scattering

longitudinal
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(momentum and
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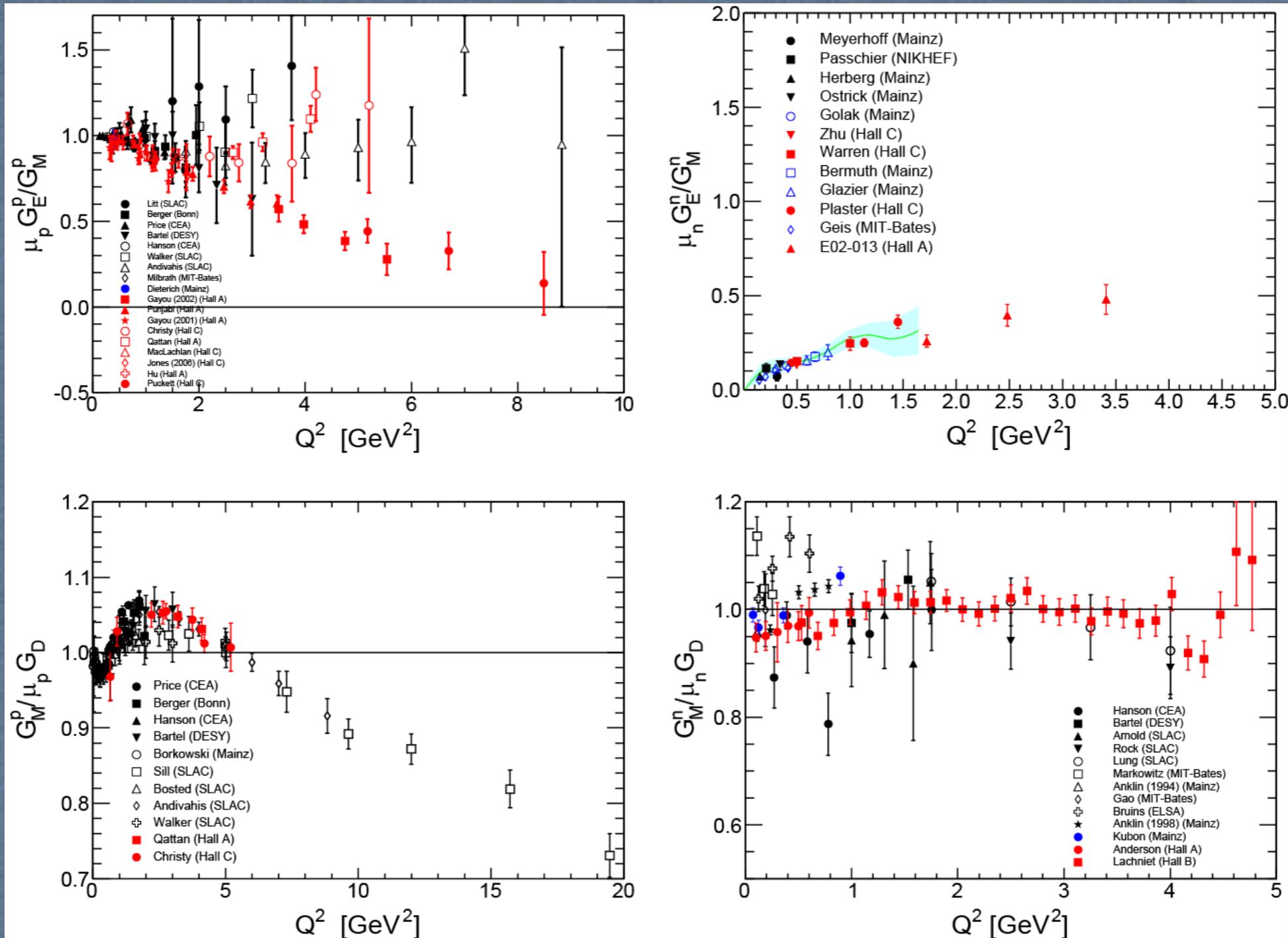
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Before JLab and Recent non-JLab Data



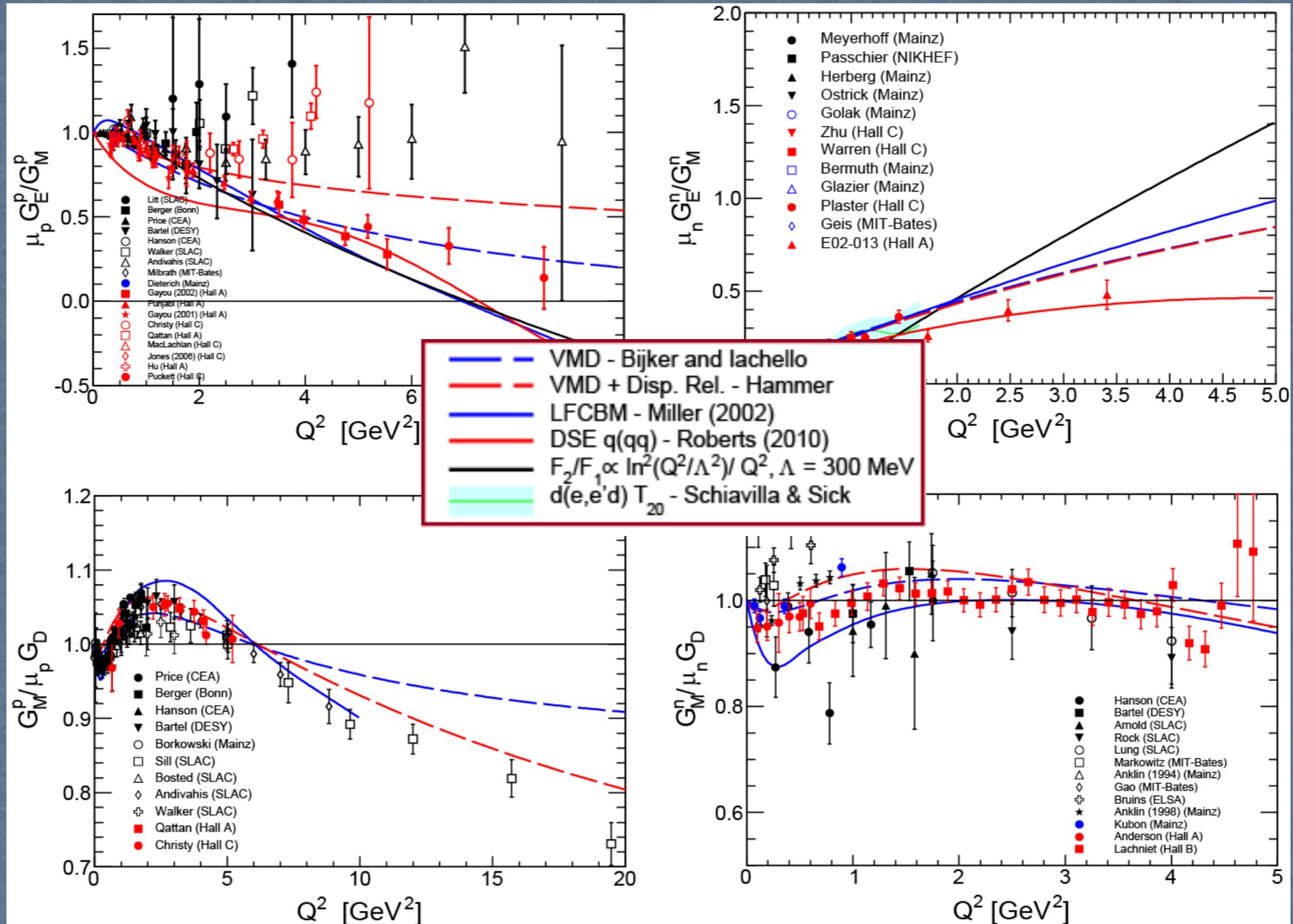
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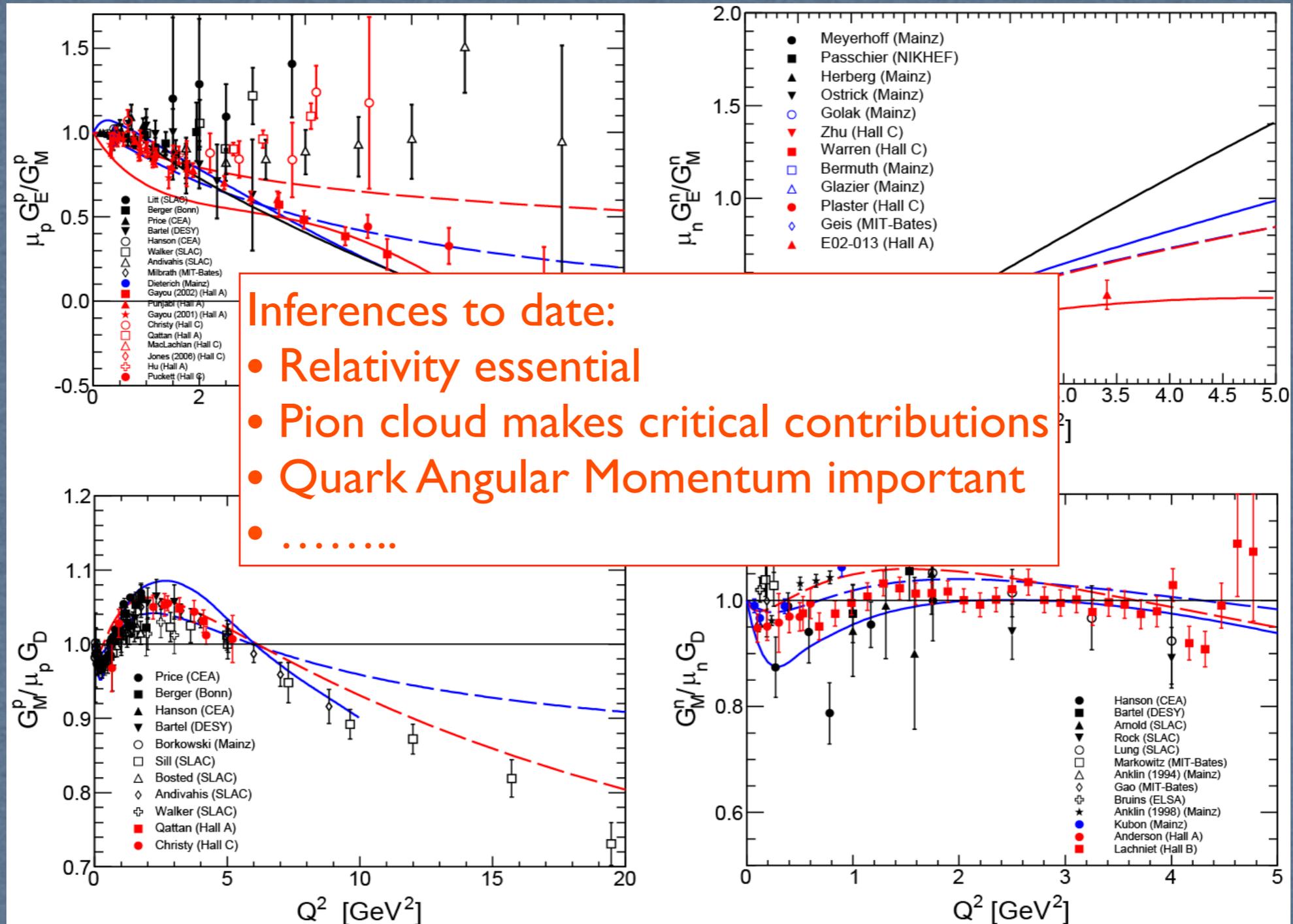
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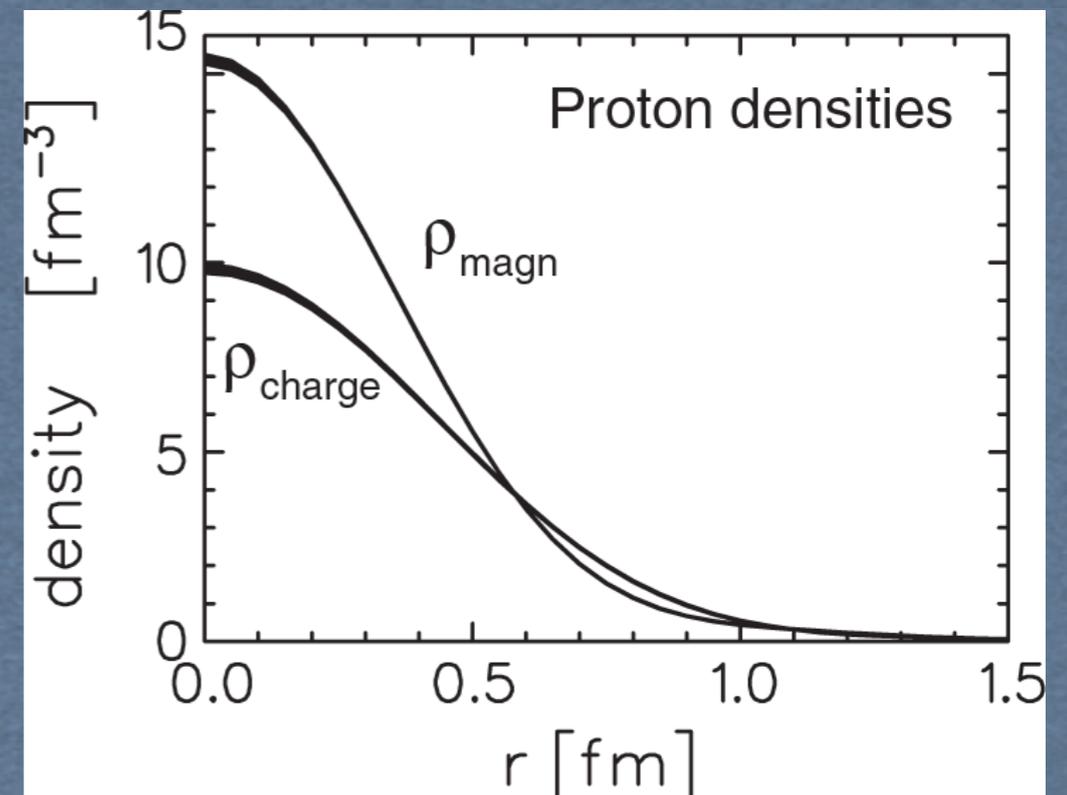
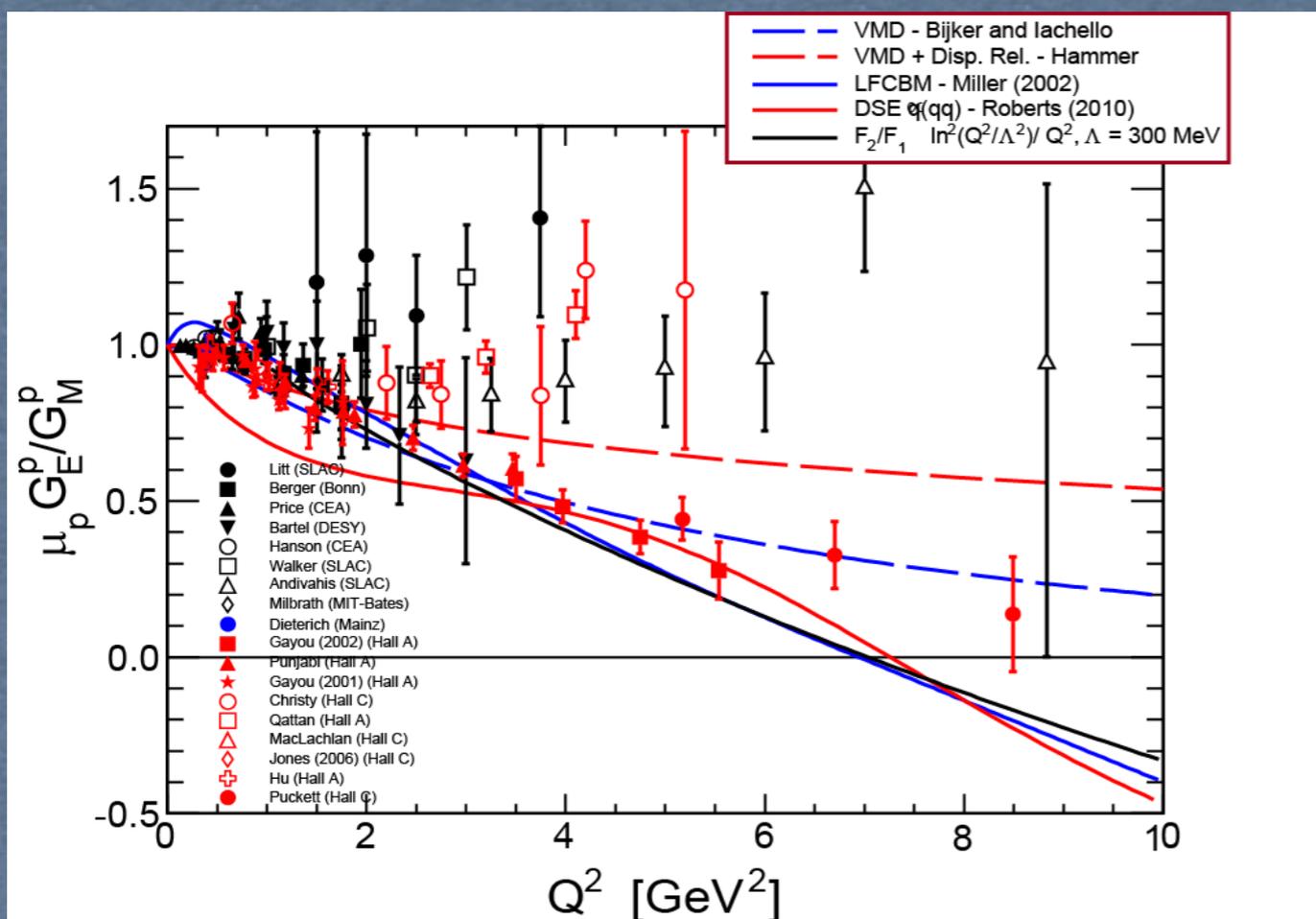
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These data are elucidating the nucleon's structure

The inequality of G_E^p and μG_M^p was a surprise.

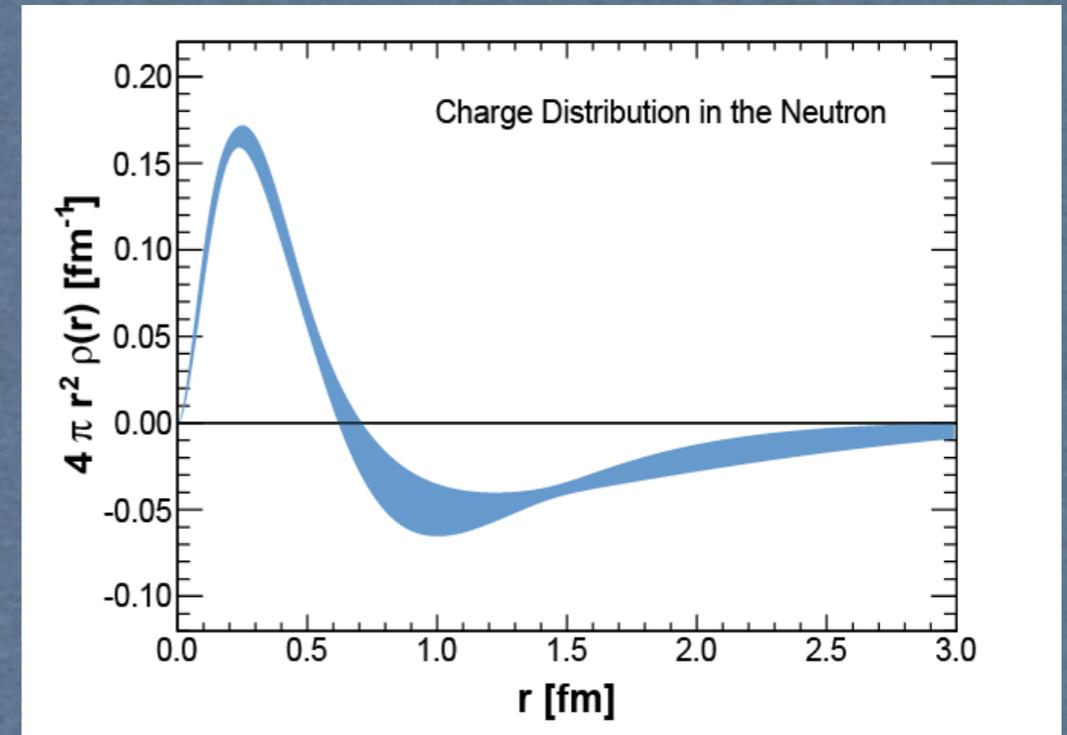
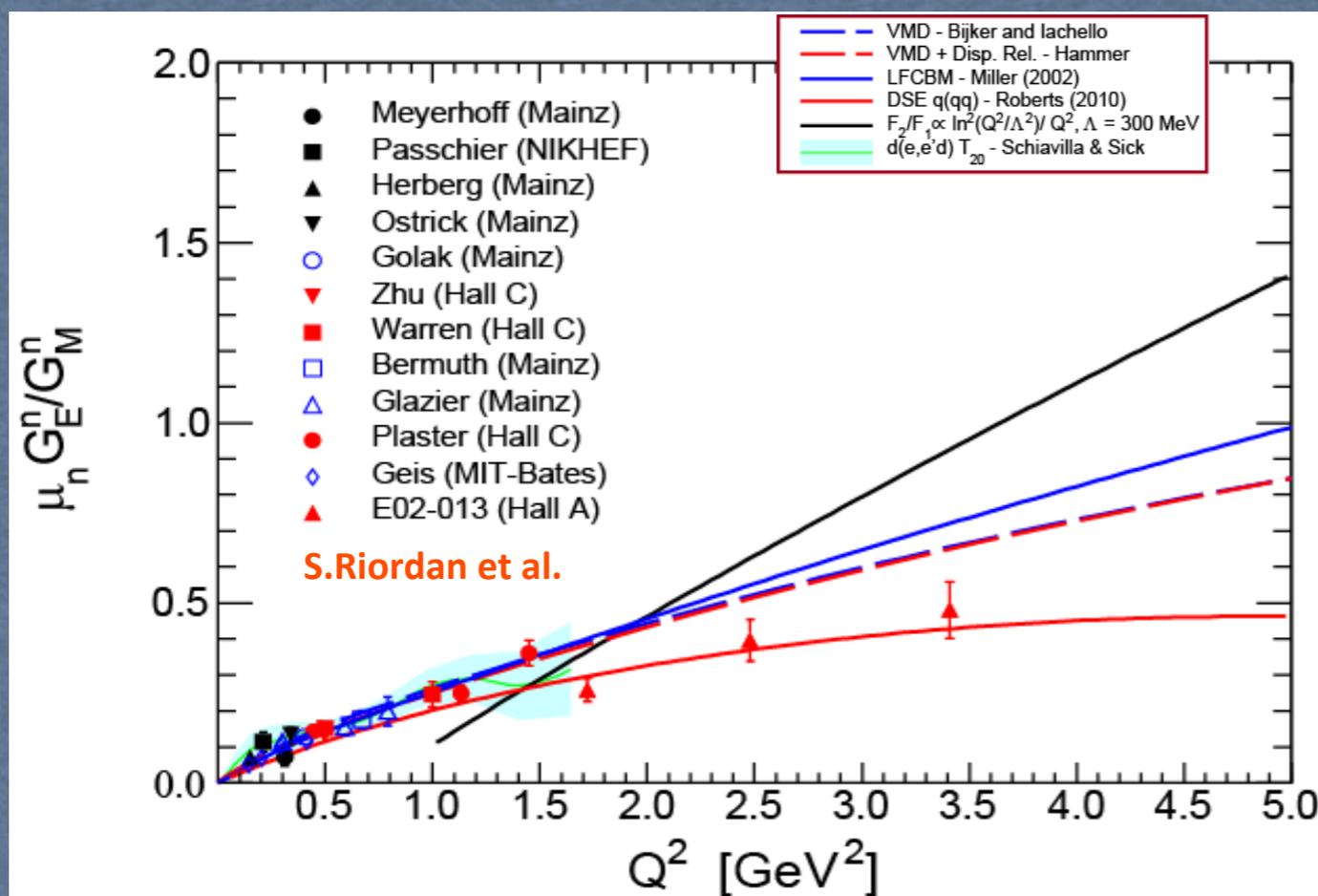
- Rosenbluth separation - polarization transfer are incompatible
- Reconciliation: radiative corrections, TPE, ...
- Demonstrated that a proper treatment of quark orbital angular momentum and relativity + pion cloud is essential in describing nucleon structure



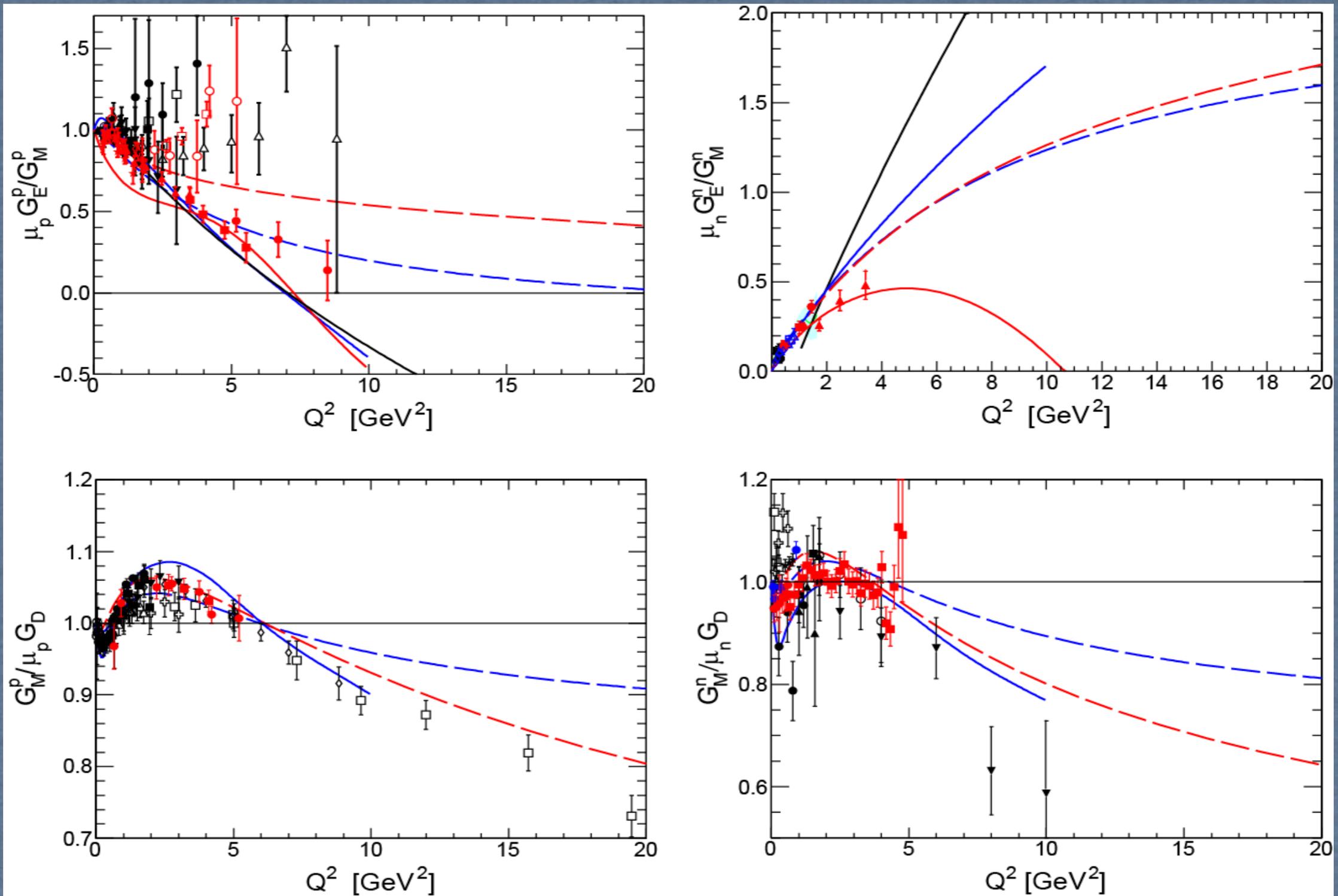
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The charge form factor of the neutron is particularly interesting

- Neutron electric form factor data reveal the shape of the charge distribution
- Confirm the importance of relativistic effects and pion cloud in nucleon structure
- Dressed quark-diquark model using the Dyson-Schwinger and Faddeev equations in good agreement

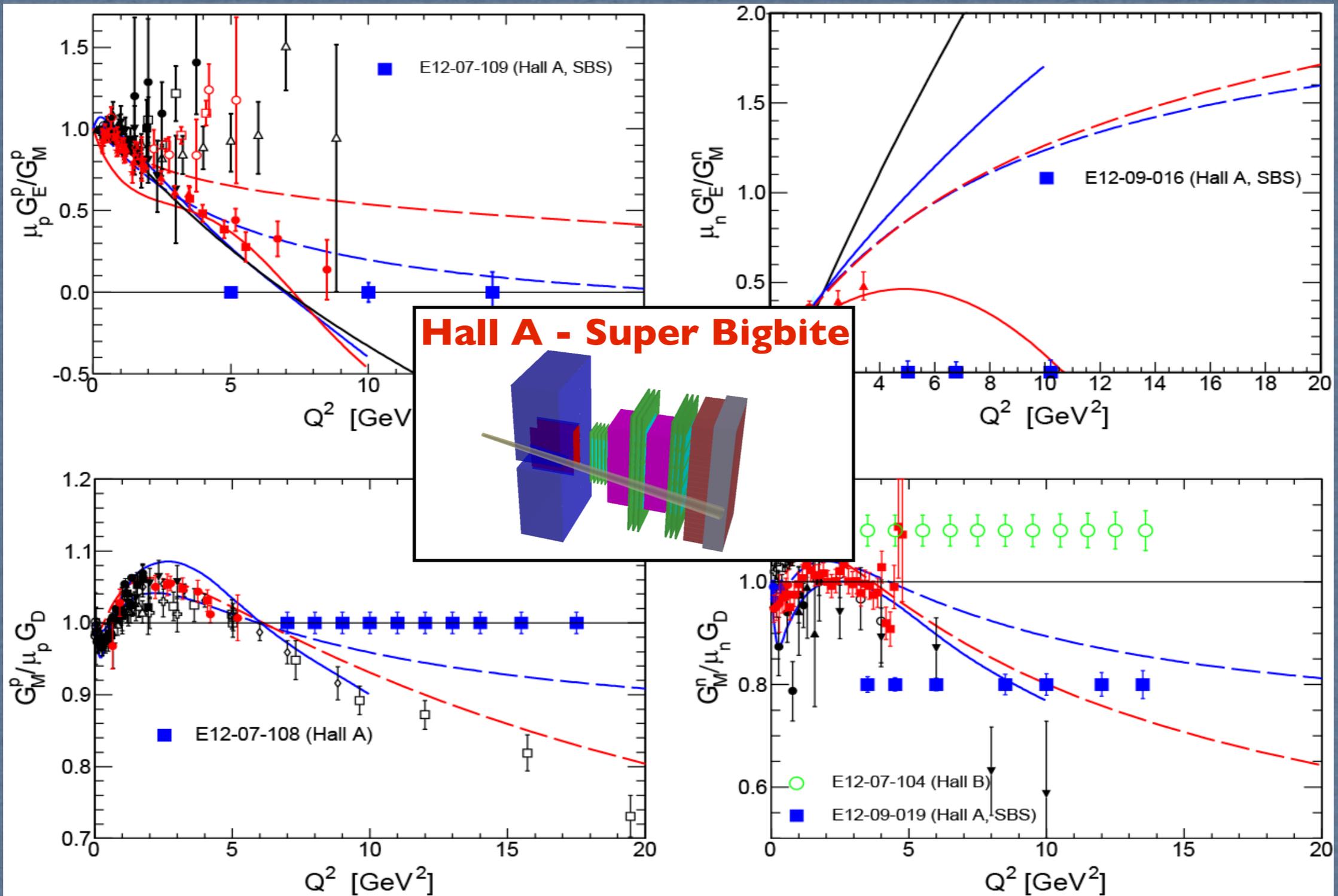


Form Factors – Plans for 12 GeV



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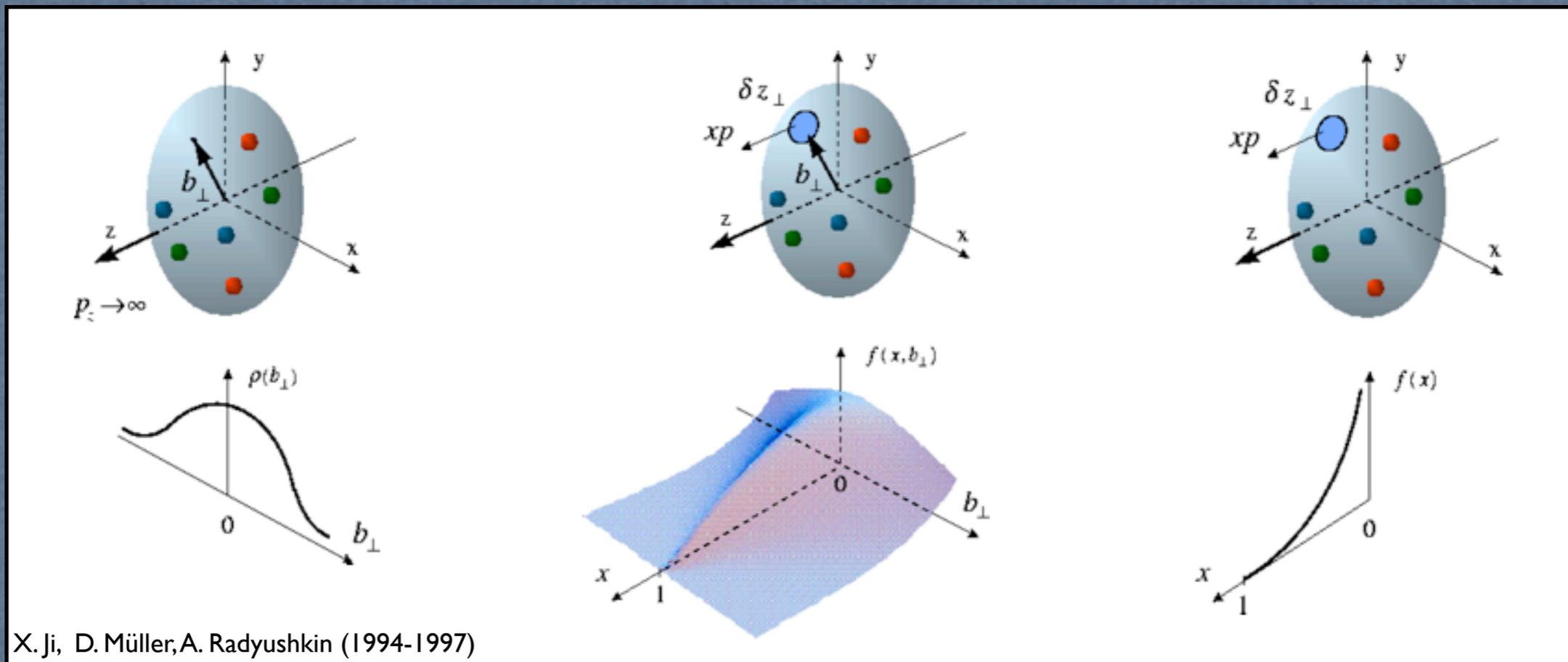
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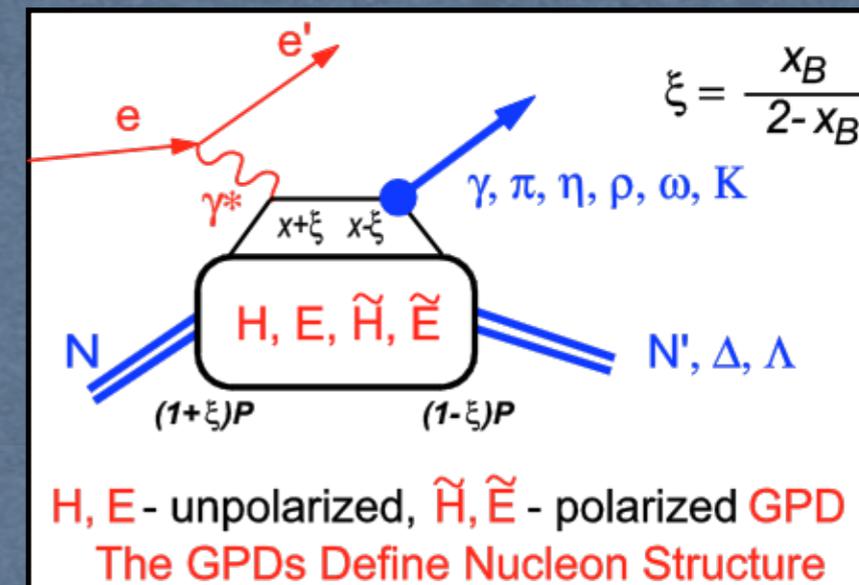
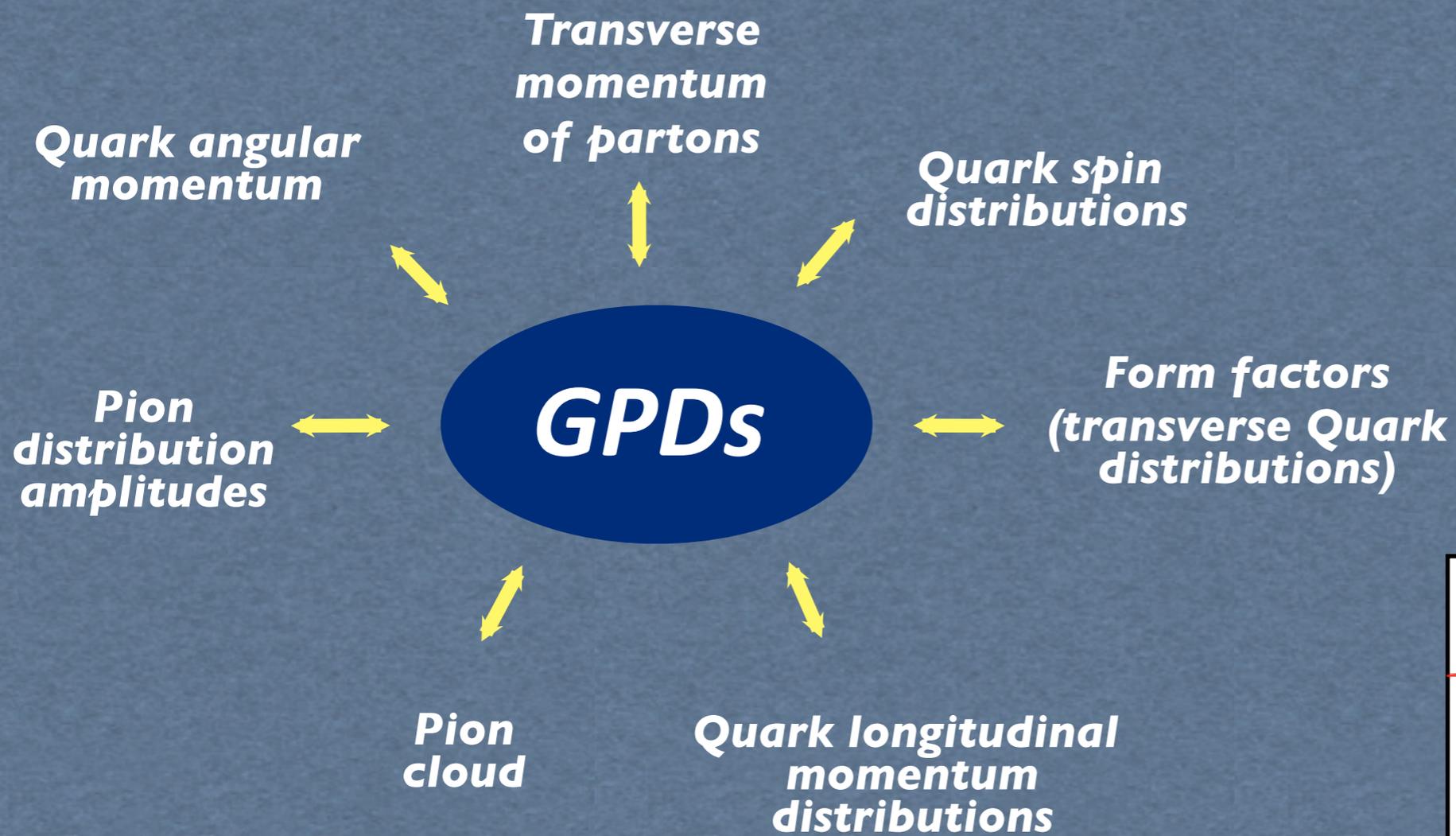
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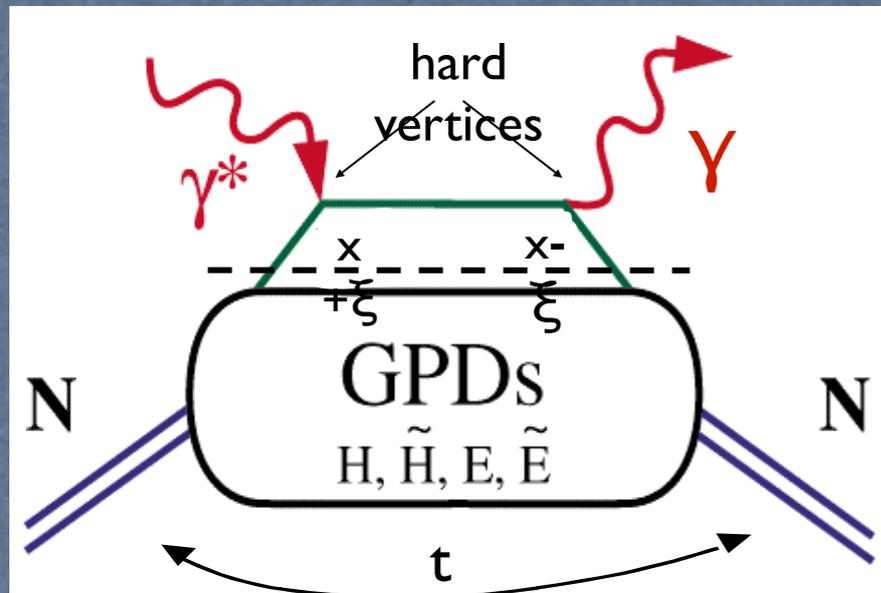
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Developing a Unified Description of Hadron Structure via the Recently Devised Generalized Parton Distributions



Deeply Virtual Compton Scattering (DVCS) is 'gold channel'

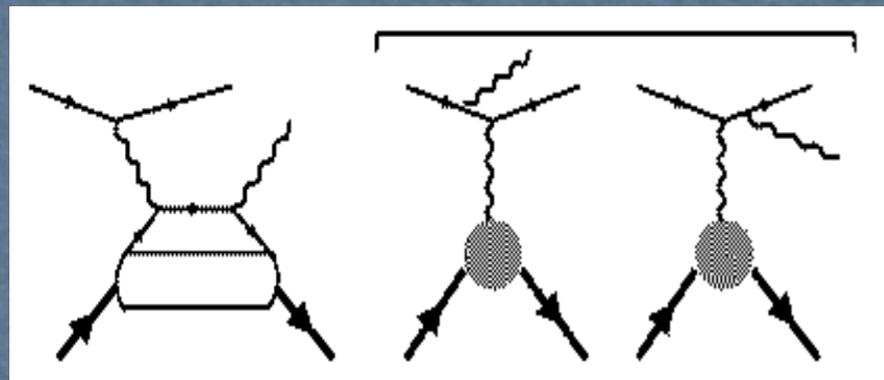


x – longitudinal quark momentum fraction

2ξ – longitudinal momentum transfer

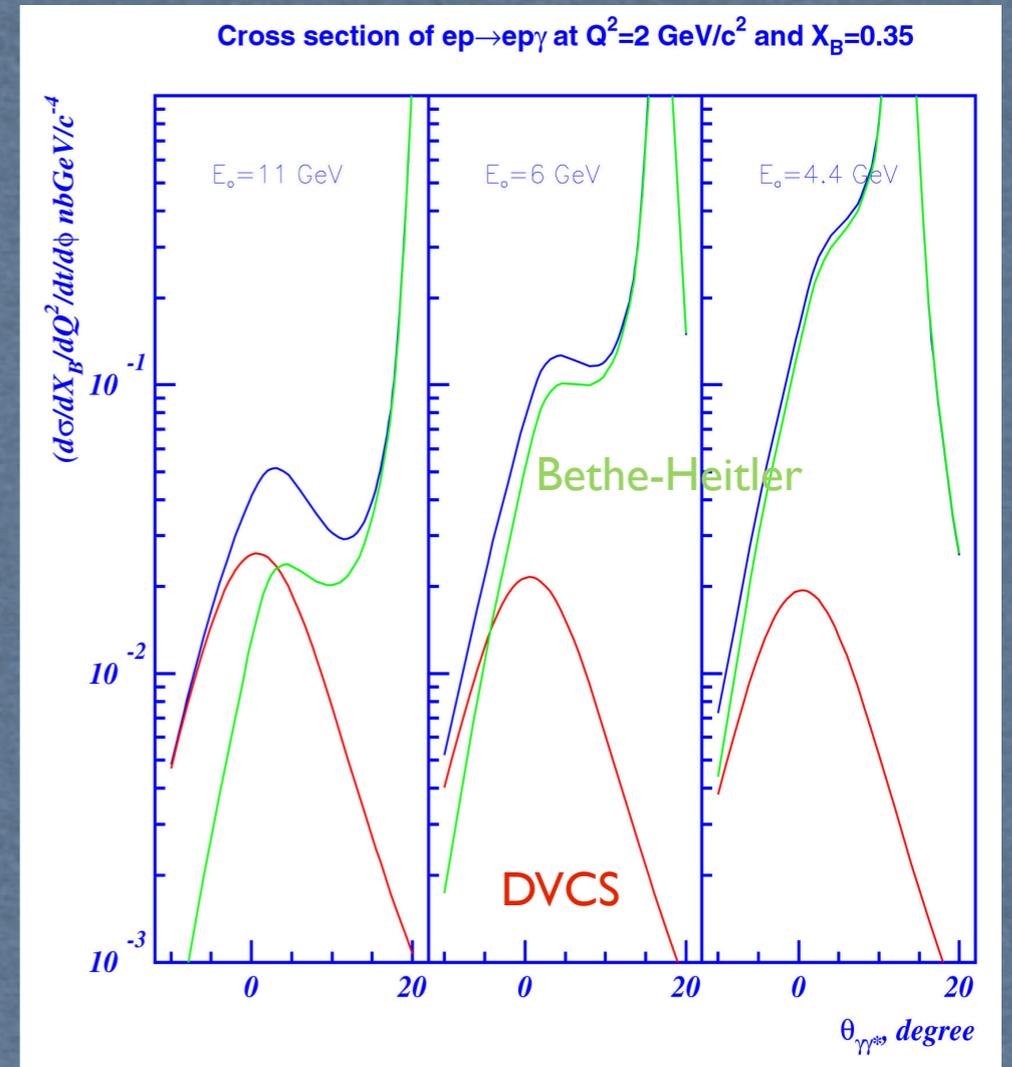
$\sqrt{-t}$ – Fourier conjugate to transverse impact parameter

$$\frac{d^4\sigma}{dQ^2 dx_B dt d\phi} \sim |\mathcal{T}^{DVCS} + \mathcal{T}^{BH}|^2$$



\mathcal{T}^{BH} : given by elastic form factors

\mathcal{T}^{DVCS} : determined by GPDs

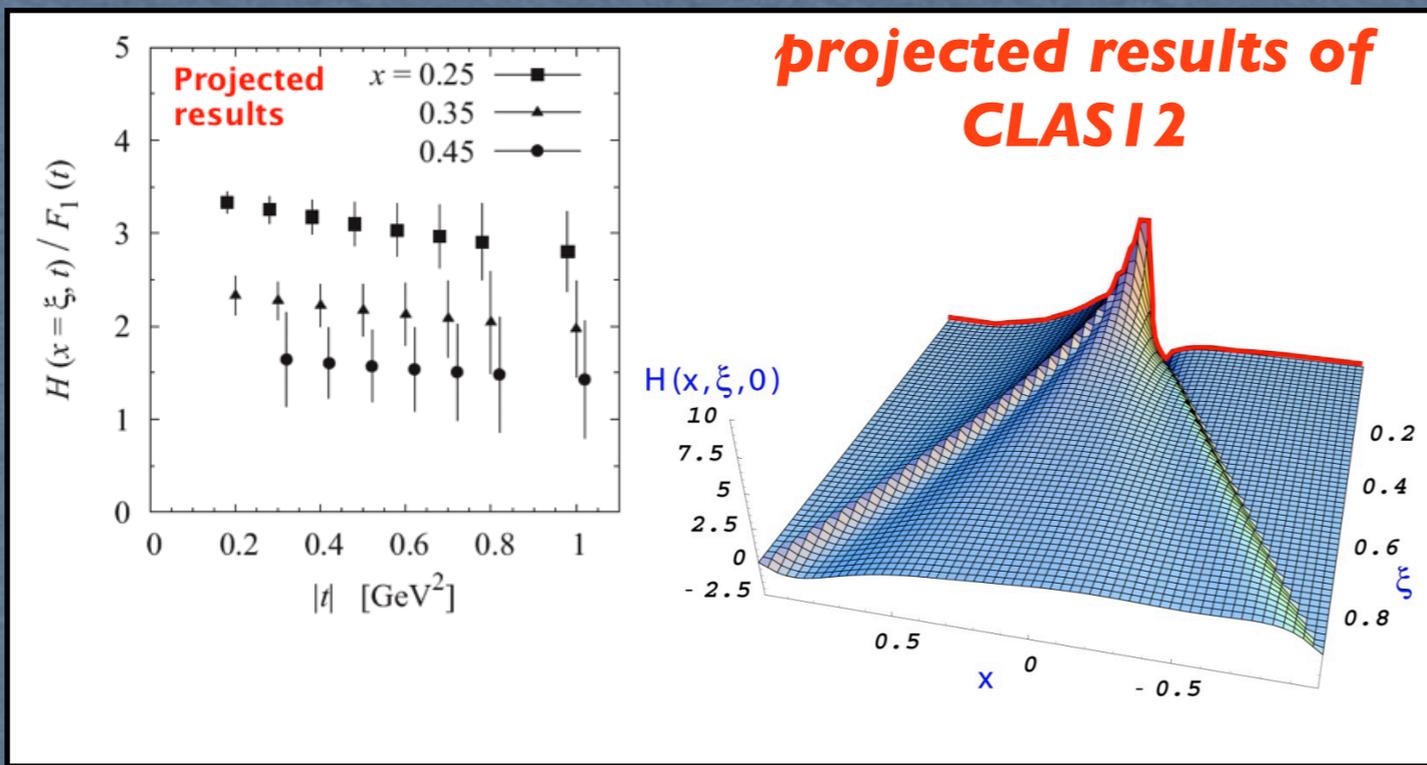
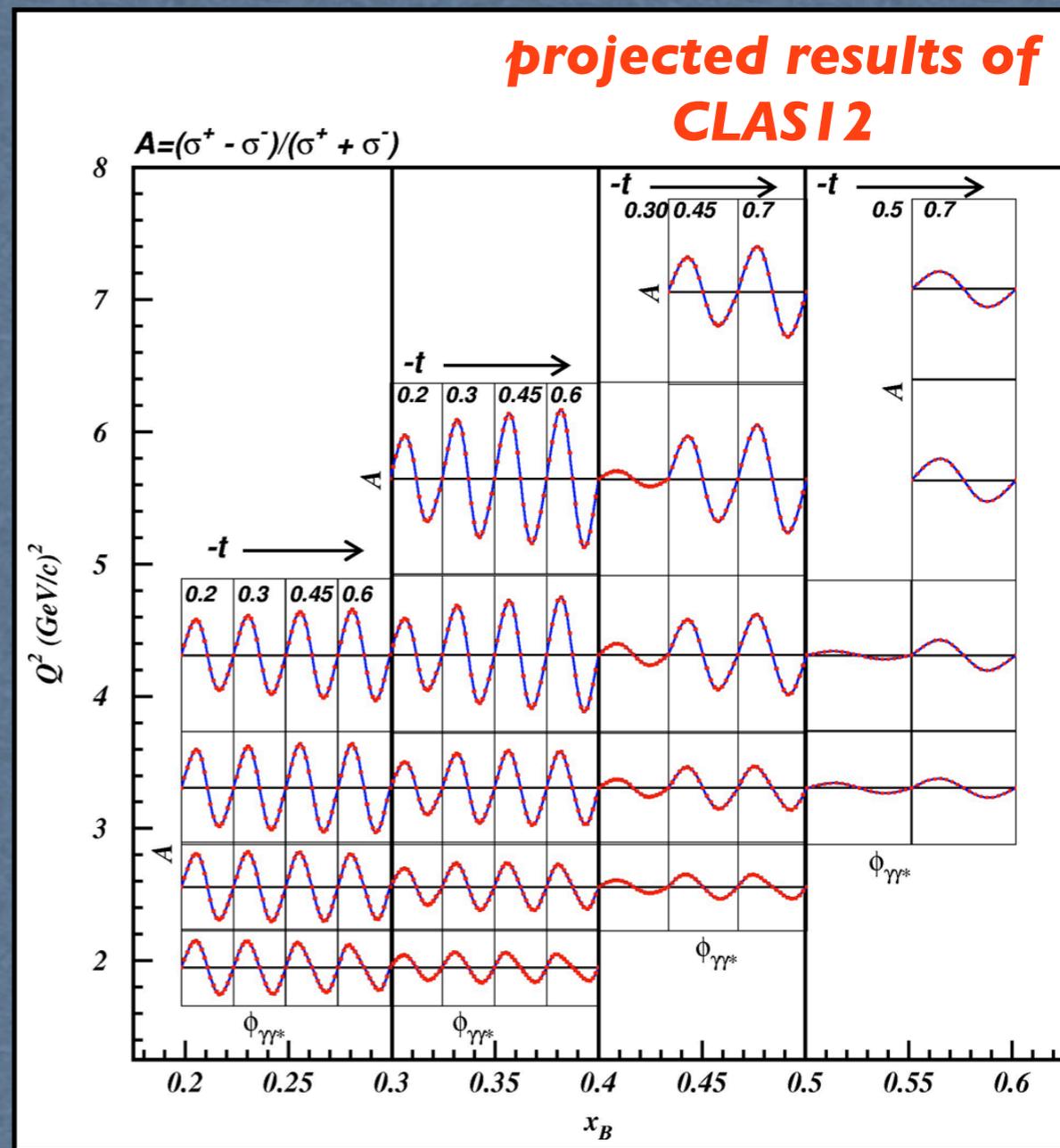
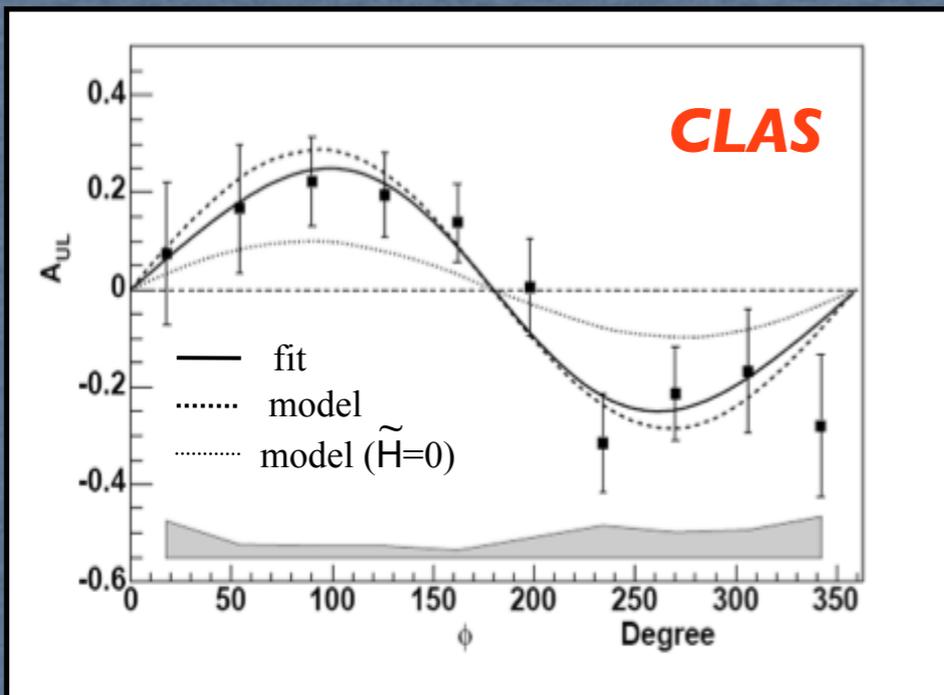
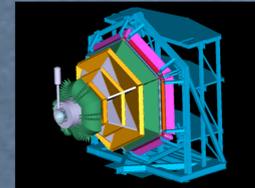


BH-DVCS interference generates beam and target asymmetries that carry the nucleon structure information.

$$\Delta\sigma_{UL} \sim \sin\varphi \text{Im}\{F_1 \tilde{H} + \xi(F_1 + F_2)H + \dots\} d\varphi$$



From pioneering results of CLAS to full kinematic coverage of CLAS12



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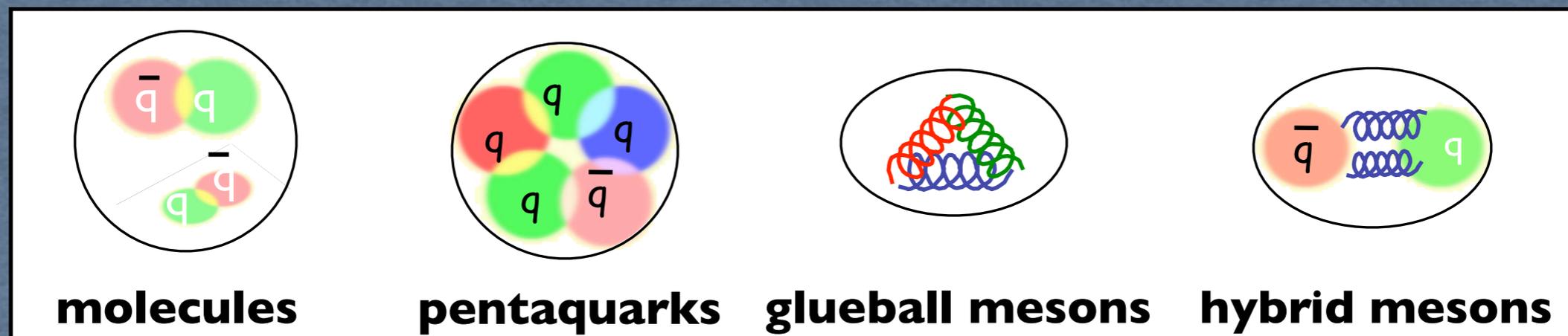
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Beyond the quark model: hybrids and exotics

Quarks are confined inside colorless hadrons
they combine to 'neutralize' color force

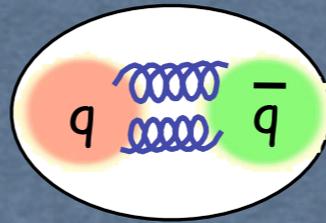


Other quark-gluon configuration can give colorless objects



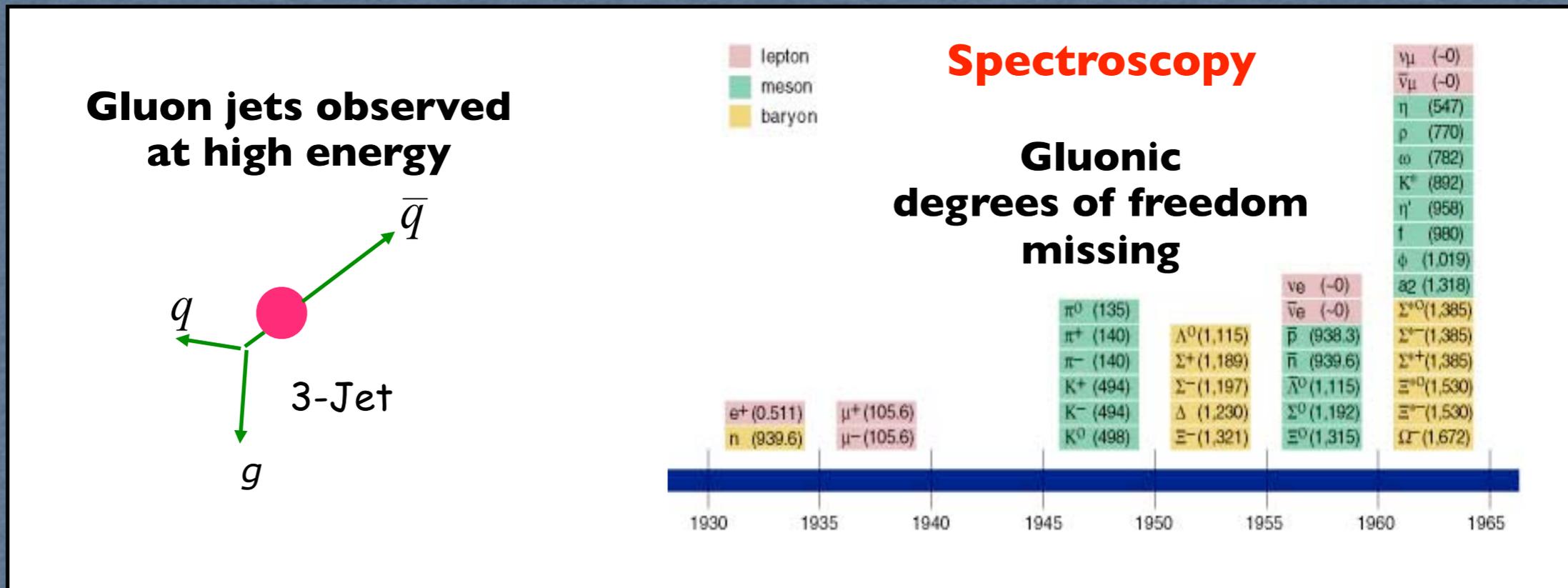
QCD does not prohibit such states but not yet unambiguously observed

Meson spectroscopy with photons at JLab



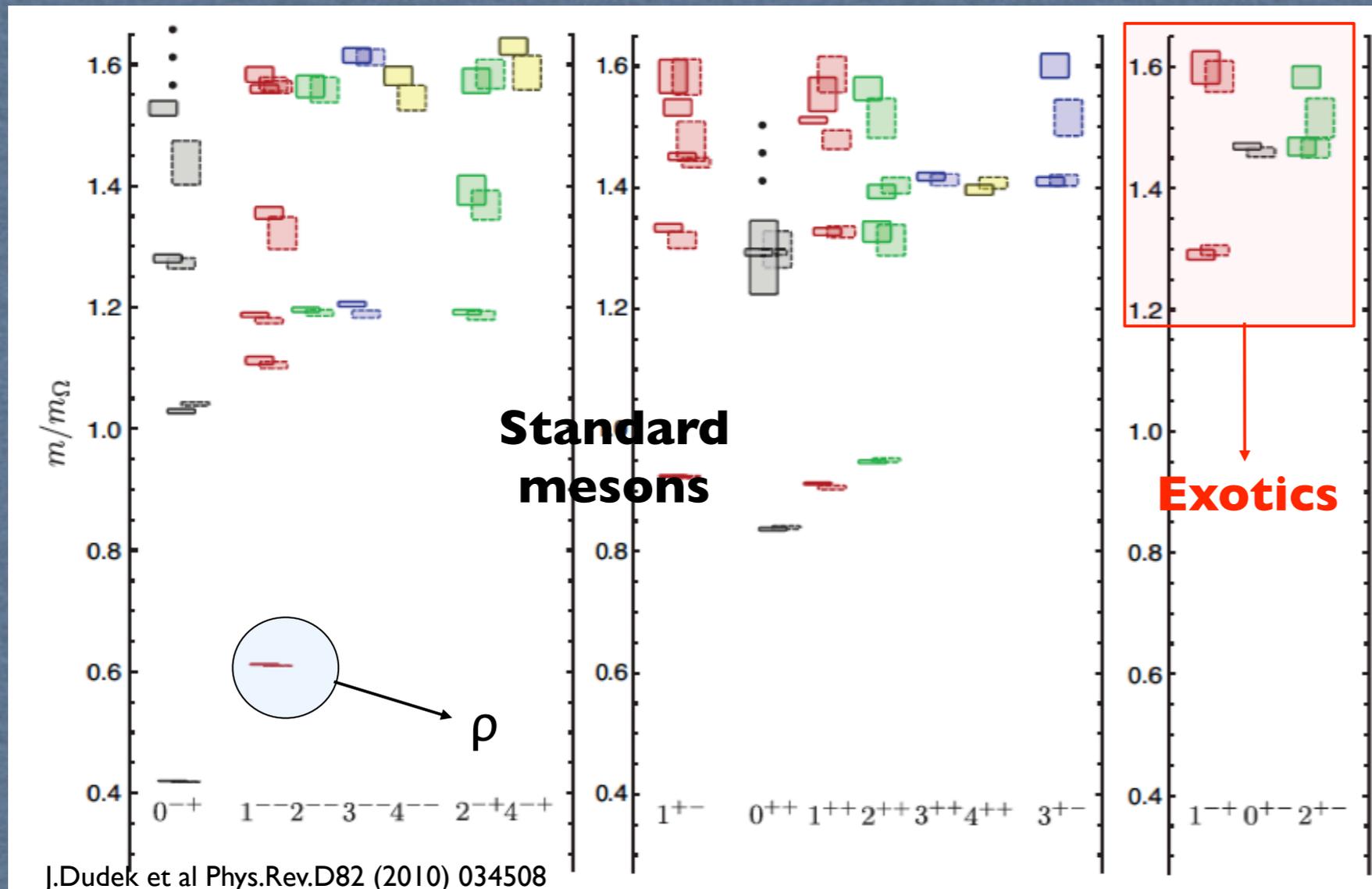
hybrid mesons

Understanding gluonic excitations of mesons and the origin of confinement



one of the most important issue in hadron physics and main motivation for the JLab 12 GeV upgrade (GlueX program in Hall-D)

QCD Lattice calculations



Lattice-QCD predictions for the lowest hybrid states

0^{+-} 1.9 GeV
 1^{-+} 1.6 GeV

Hybrid mesons and glueballs mass range:

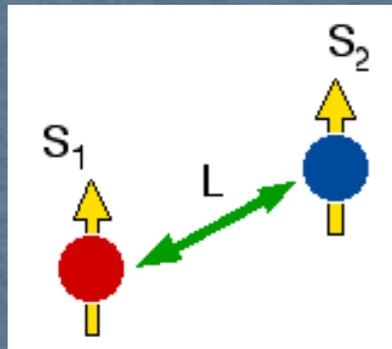
1.4 GeV - 3.0 GeV

This mass range is accessible in photoproduction experiments with a beam energy in the range $5 \text{ GeV} < E_\gamma < 12 \text{ GeV}$

Perfectly matched to JLab 12 energy!

Meson spectroscopy with photons at JLab

Search for mesons with 'exotic' quantum numbers
(not compatible with quark-model)

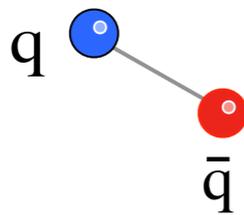


$$S = S_1 + S_2 \quad J = L + S \quad P = (-1)^{L+1} \quad C = (-1)^{L+S}$$

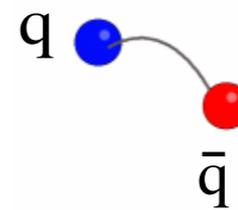
Not-allowed: $J^{PC} = 0^{--}, 0^{+-}, 1^{-+}, 2^{+-} \dots$

Unambiguous experimental signature for the presence of gluonic degrees of freedom in the spectrum of mesonic states

Normal meson:
flux tube in
ground state
 $m=0$
 $CP = (-1)^{S+1}$

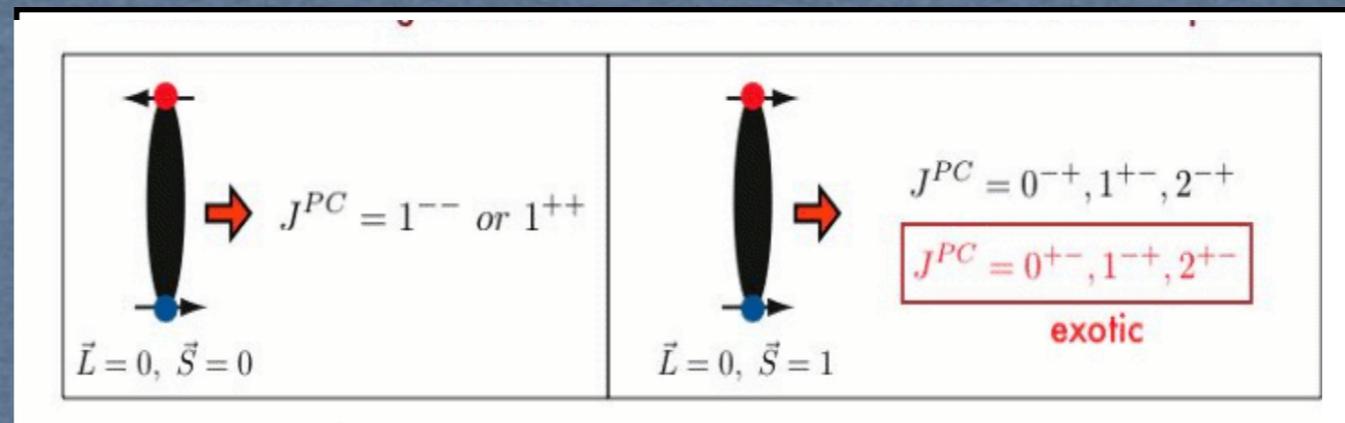


Hybrid meson:
flux tube in
excited state
 $m=1$
 $CP = (-1)^S$



Flux tube
 $J^{PC} = 1^{-+}, 1^{+-}$

Combine excited glue
quantum number with
those of the quarks



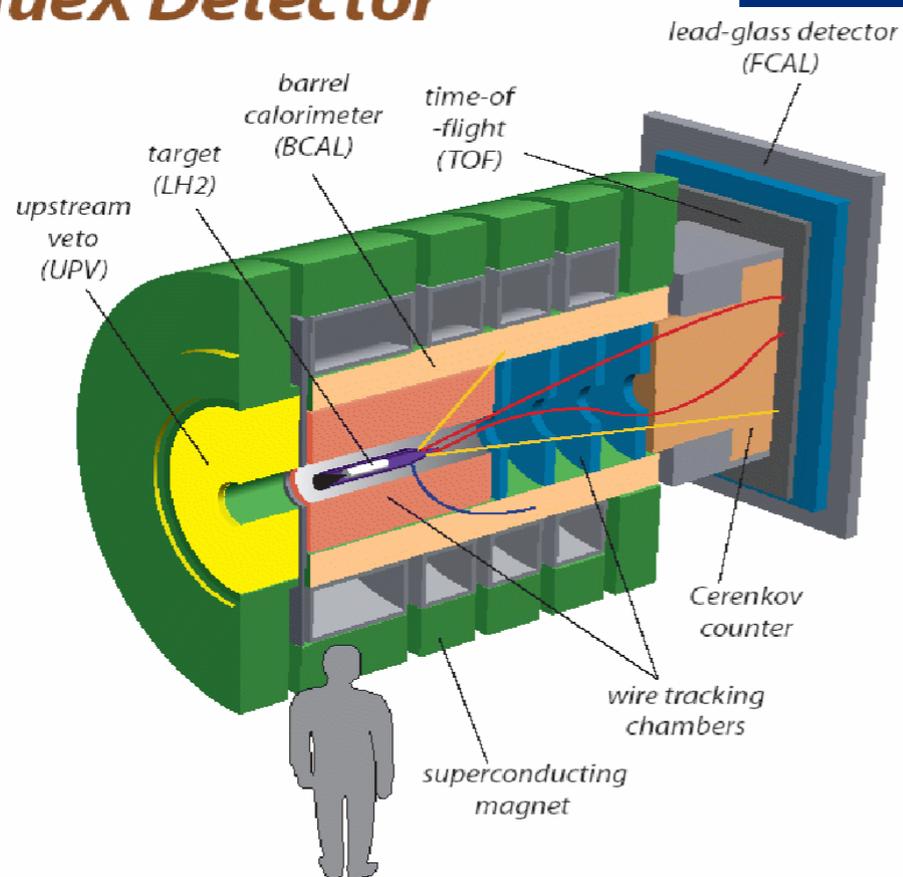
Meson spectroscopy with photons at JLab-12 GeV

- Determination of JPC of meson states requires PWA
- Decay and production of exclusive reactions
- Good acceptance, energy resolution, particle identification

Hall-D - GlueX Detector

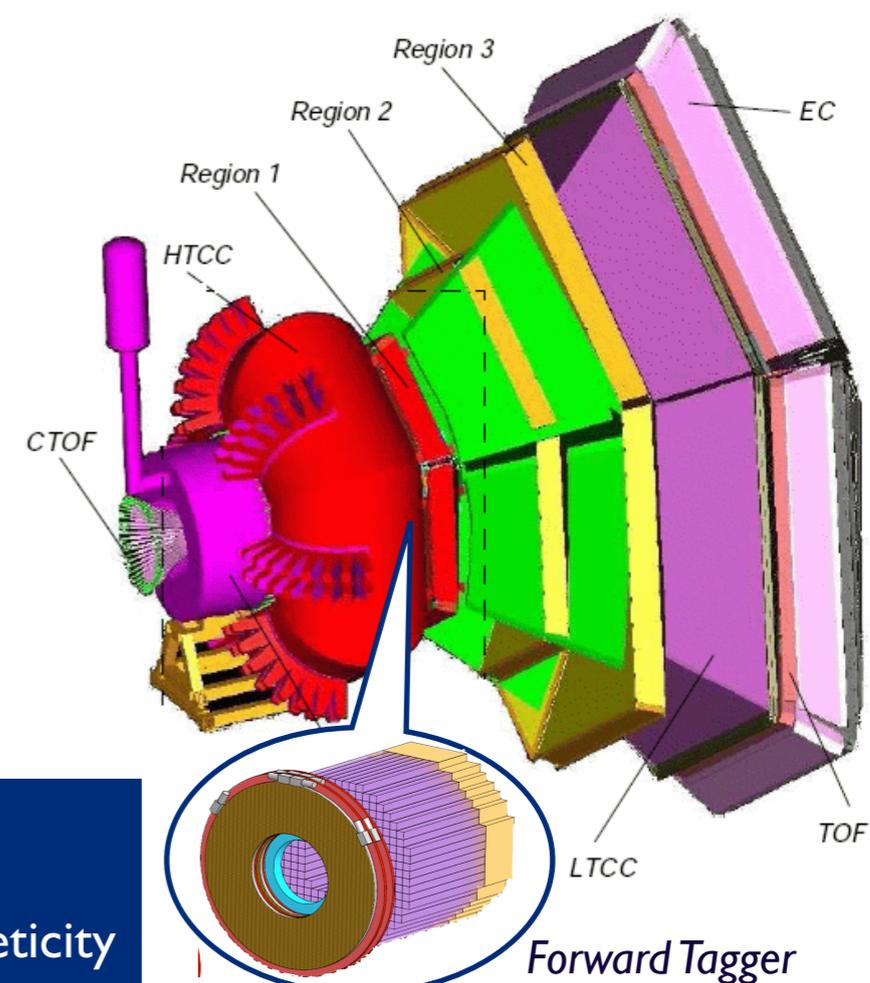
- Good hermeticity
- Uniform acceptance
- Limited resolution
- Limited pID

GlueX Detector



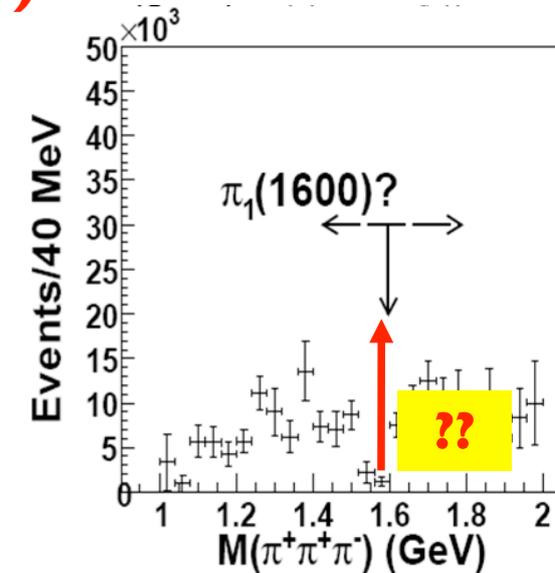
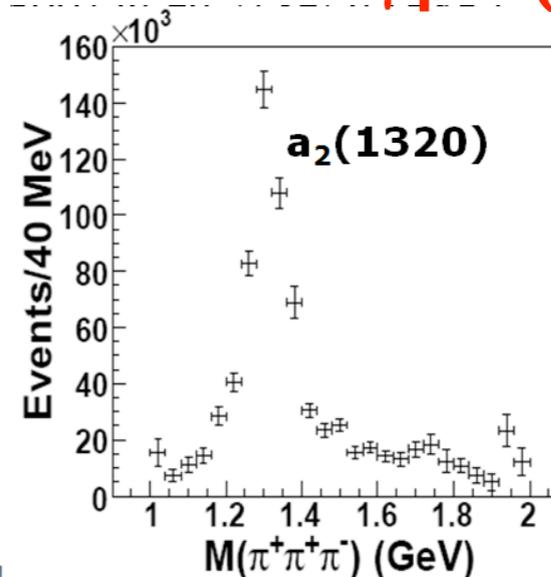
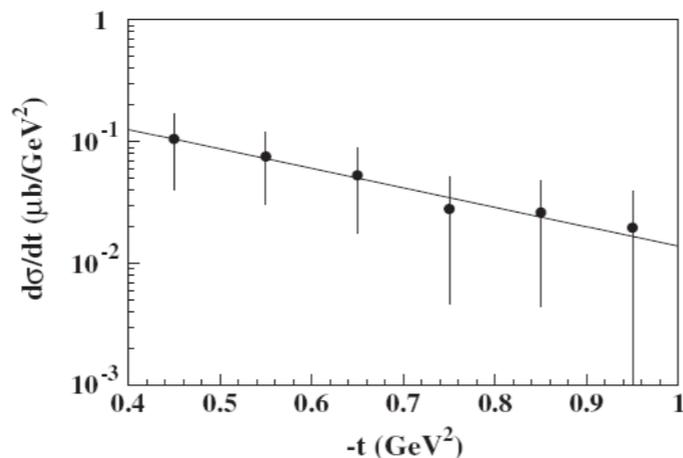
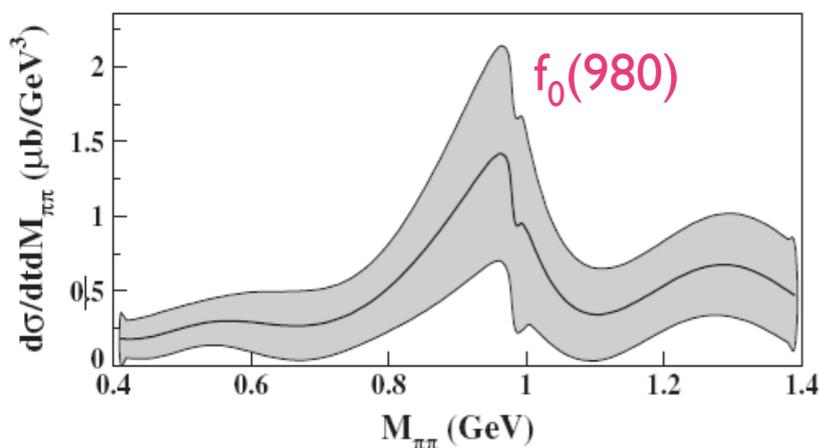
Hall-B - CLAS12 Detector

- Good resolution
- Good pID
- Reasonable hermeticity
- Un-uniform acceptance



From CLAS@6GeV to GlueX and MesonEx

CLAS@6GeV

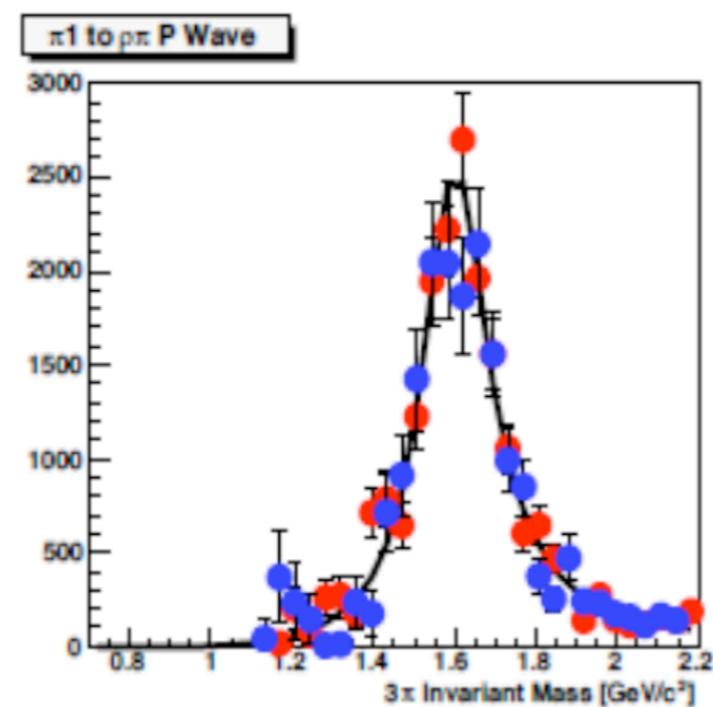
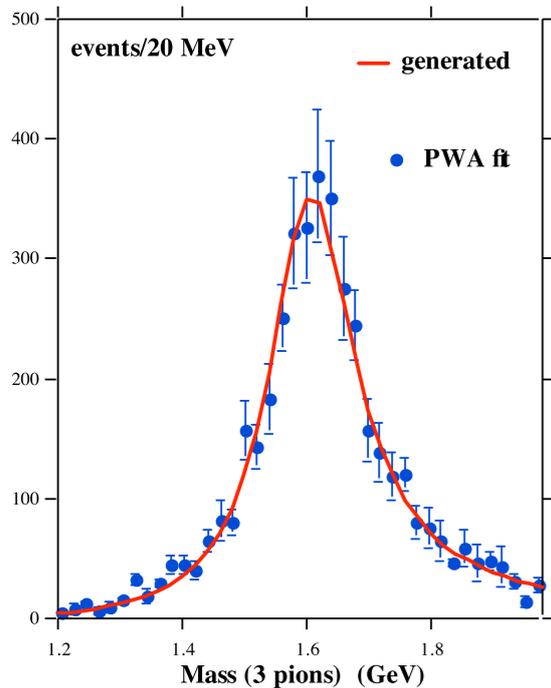


First observation of the $f_0(980)$ in a photoproduction experiment

No-evidence of exotic I^+ state $\pi_1(1600)$

GlueX - Hall D

MesonEx - Hall B



Benchmark reaction:



An exotic wave ($J^{PC} = 1^{-+}$) was generated at level of 2.5 % with 7 other waves. Events were smeared, accepted, passed to PWA fitter
Statistics correspond to few days of running



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Tomorrow:

16:30 Vincenzo Bellini (Catania)

New trends in hadronic physics at JLab

Today, Parallel Session A

16:00 Silvia Niccolai (Orsay)

GPDs with CLAS and CLAS12

Today, Parallel Session A

16:35 Mauro Taiuti (Genova)

Transition form factors in CLAS and CLAS12

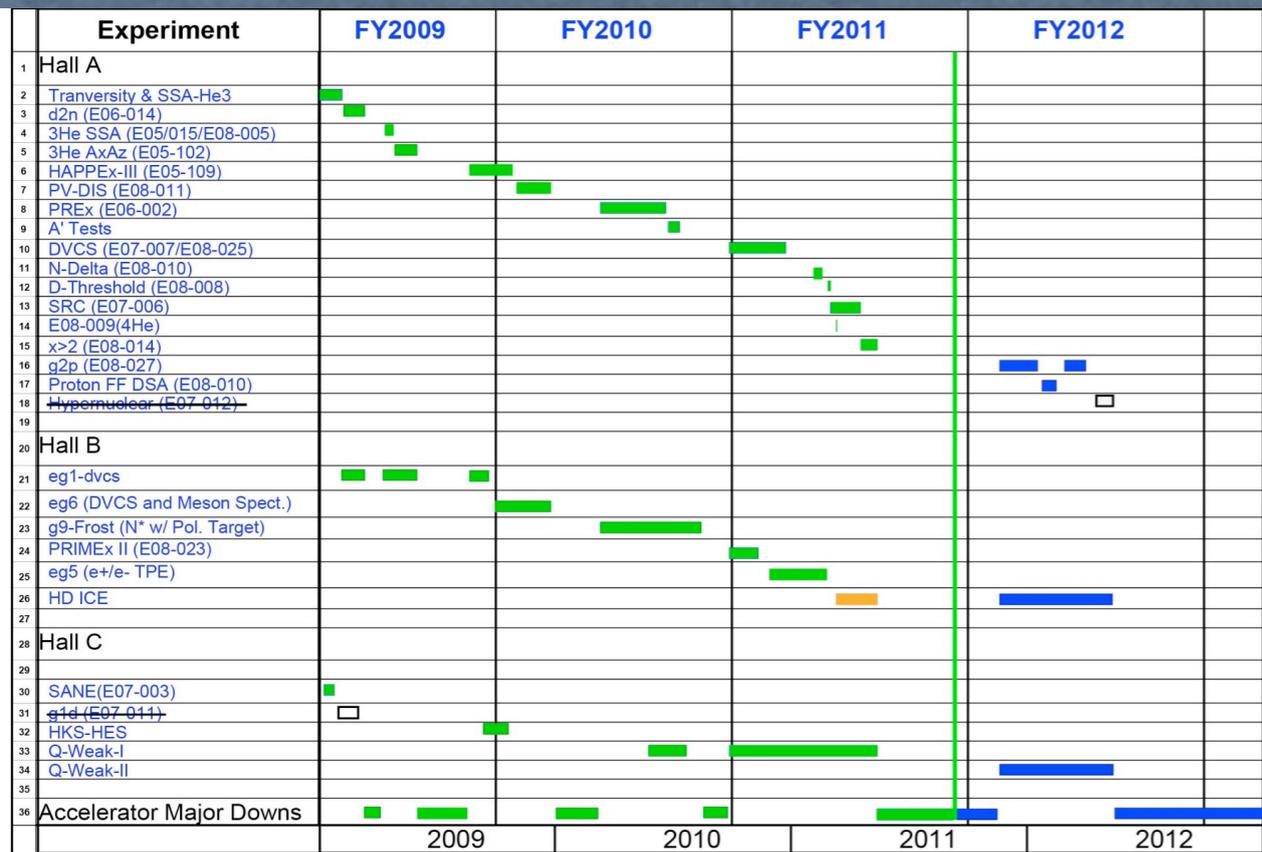
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Timeschedule and conclusions



**6-month installation
May – Dec 2011**

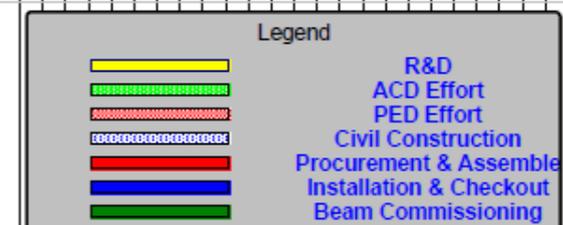
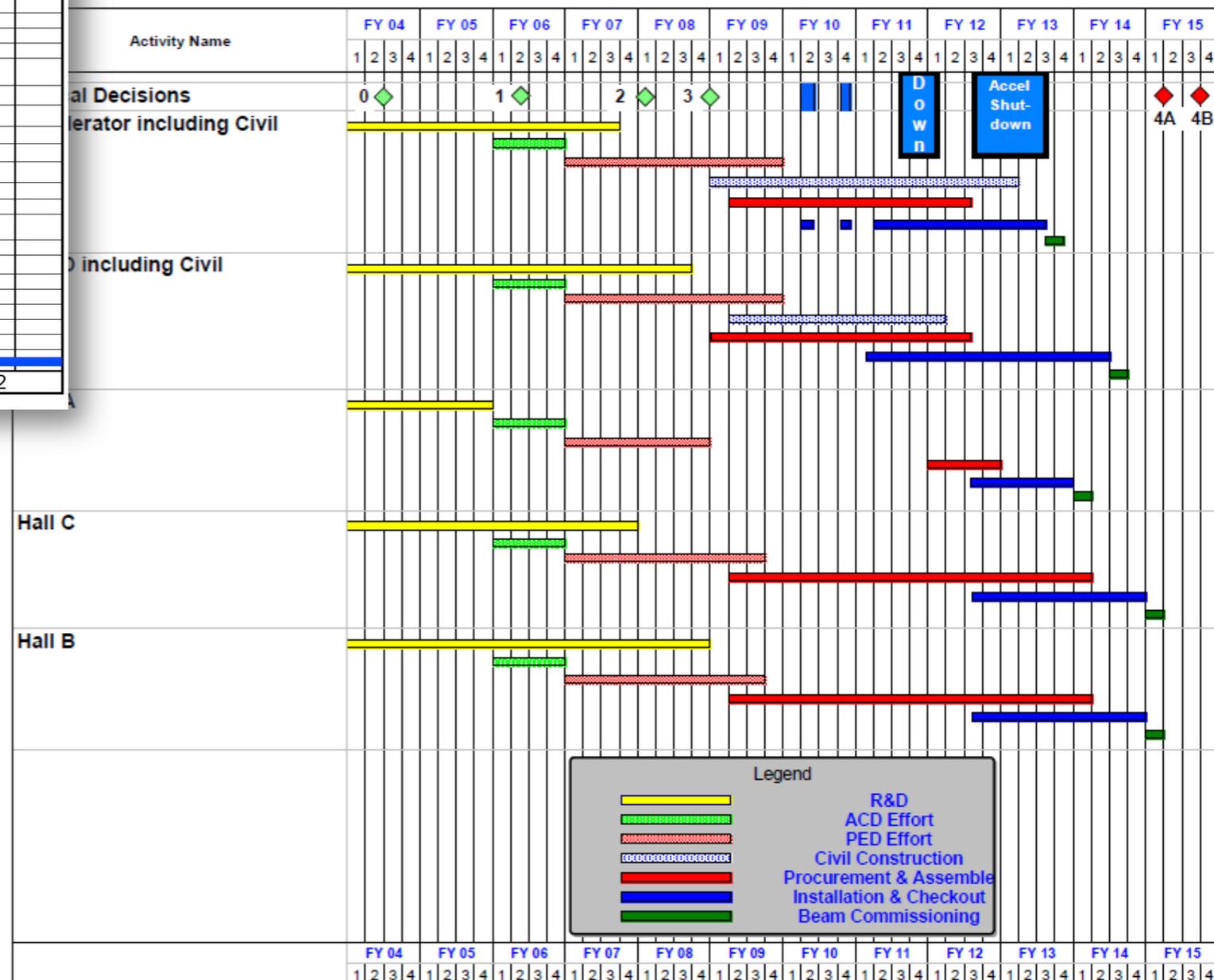
**12-month installation
May 2012 – May 2013**

**Hall A commissioning start
October 2013**

**Hall D commissioning start
April 2014**

**Halls B/C commissioning start
October 2014**

**Project Completion
June 2015**



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CEBAF@JLab is fulfilling its scientific mission:

- To understand how hadrons are constructed from the quarks and gluons of QCD
- To understand the QCD basis for the nucleon-nucleon force
- To explore the limits of our understanding of nuclear structure
 - high precision
 - short distances
 - the transition from the nucleon-meson to the QCD description

The 12 GeV Upgrade will greatly enhance the scientific “reach” of the facility, supporting an exciting program of fundamental research