

# E05-102/E08-005: ${}^3\text{He}(e,e'X)$ from the Quasi-Elastic Family of Experiments

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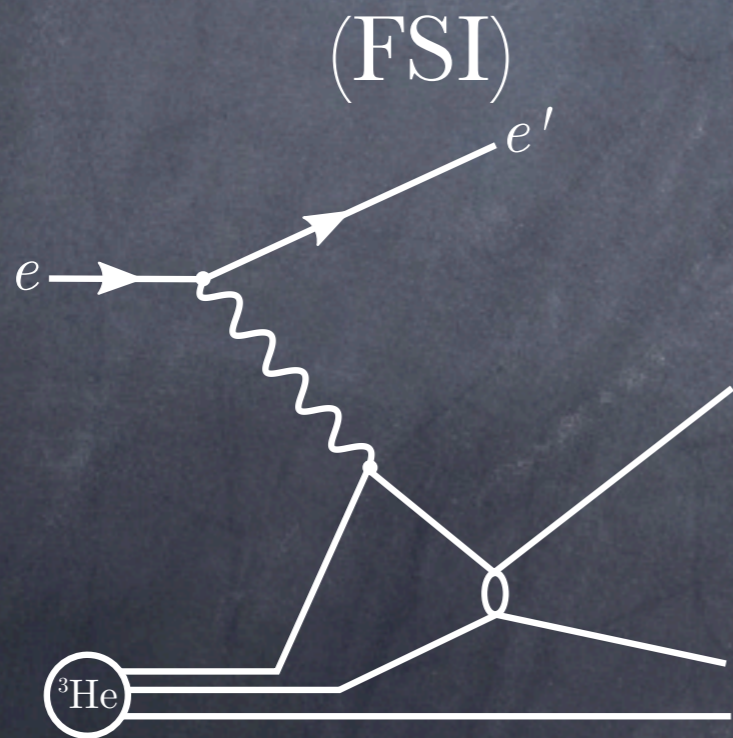
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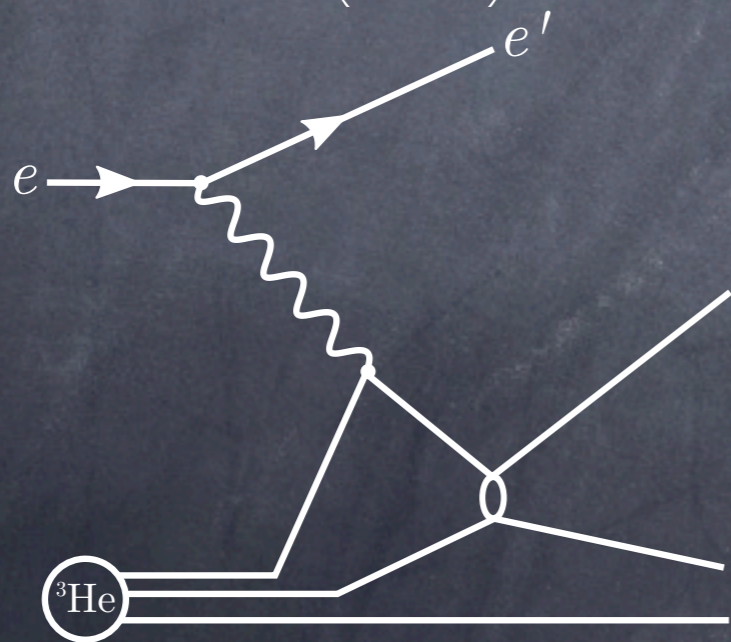




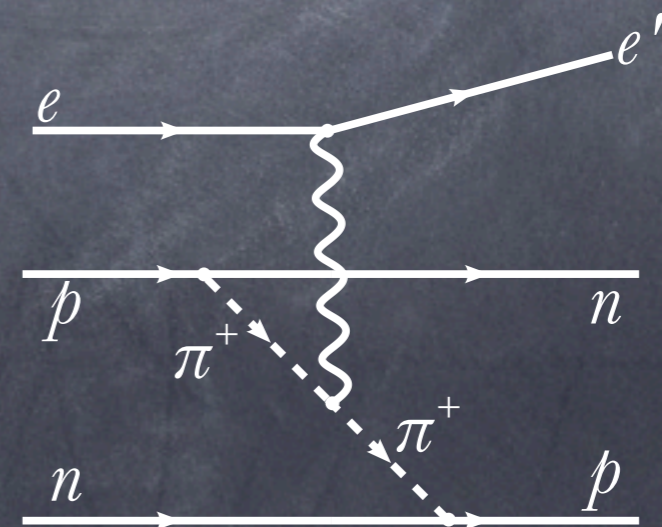
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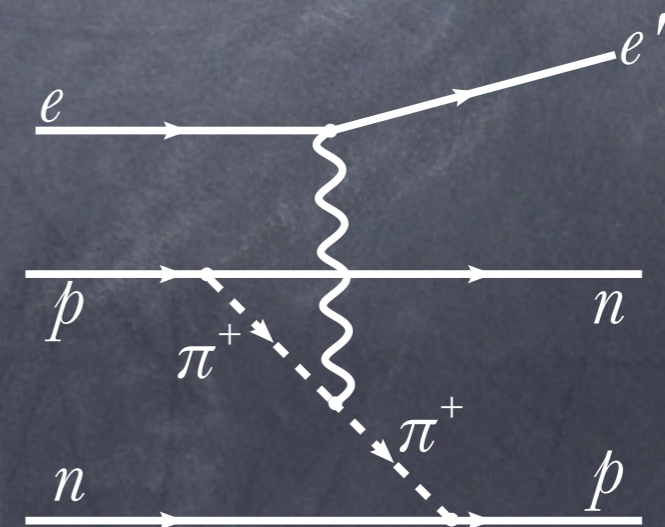
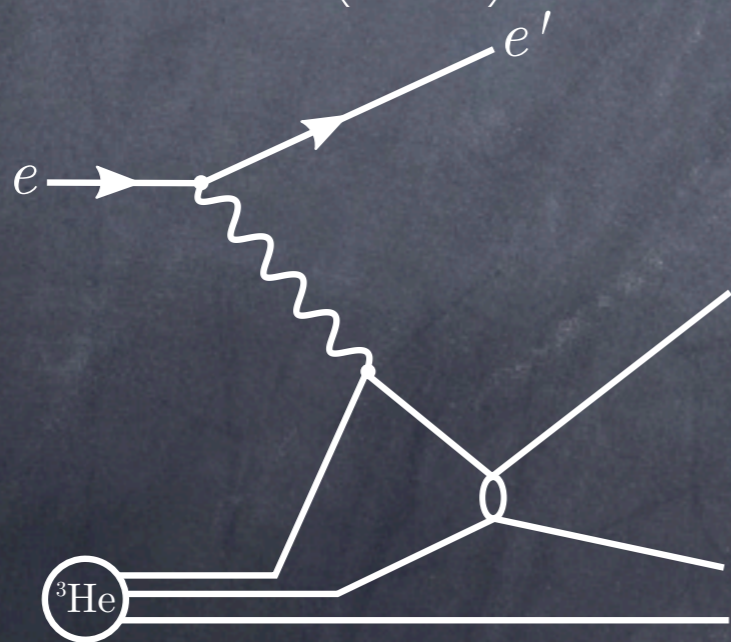
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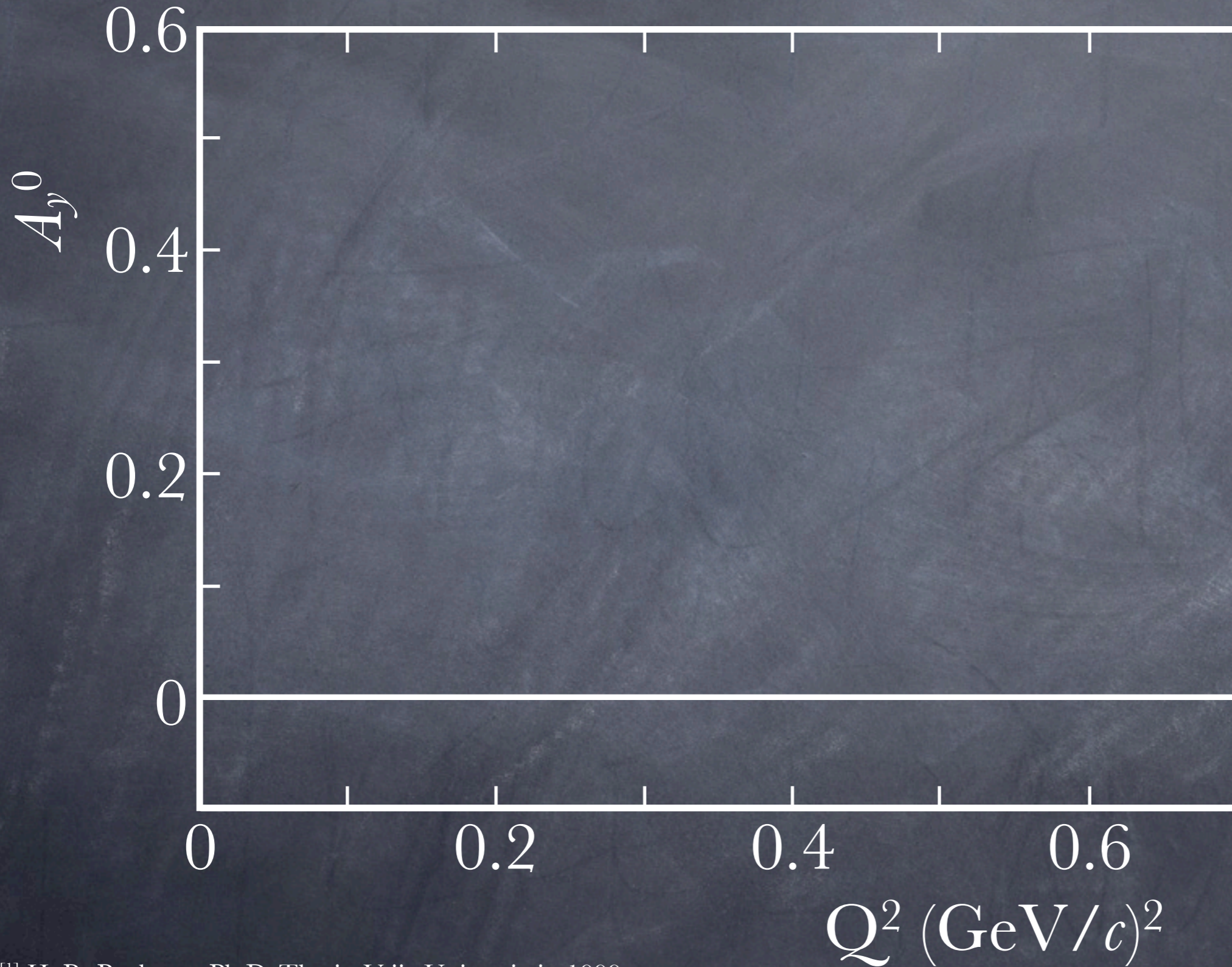
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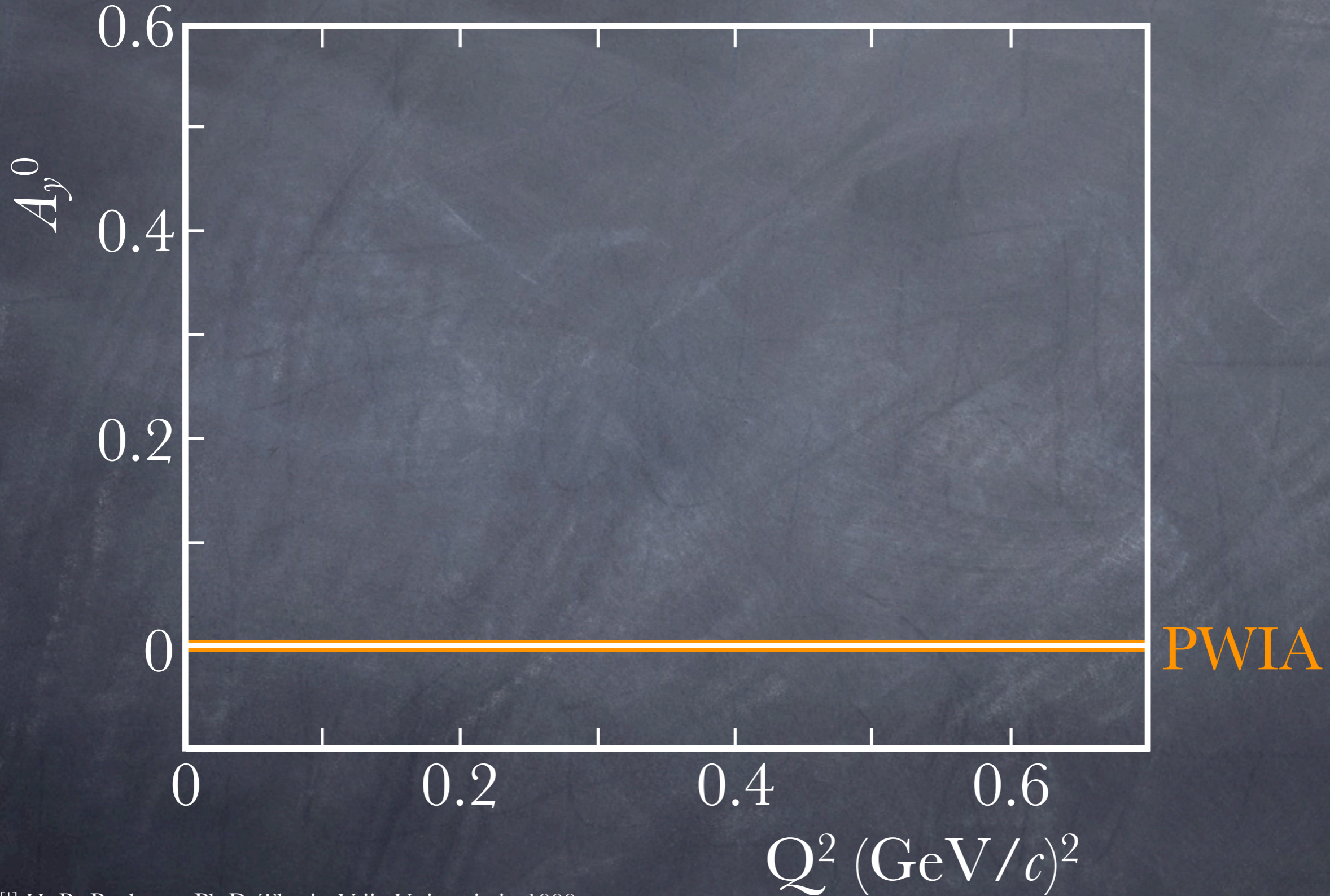
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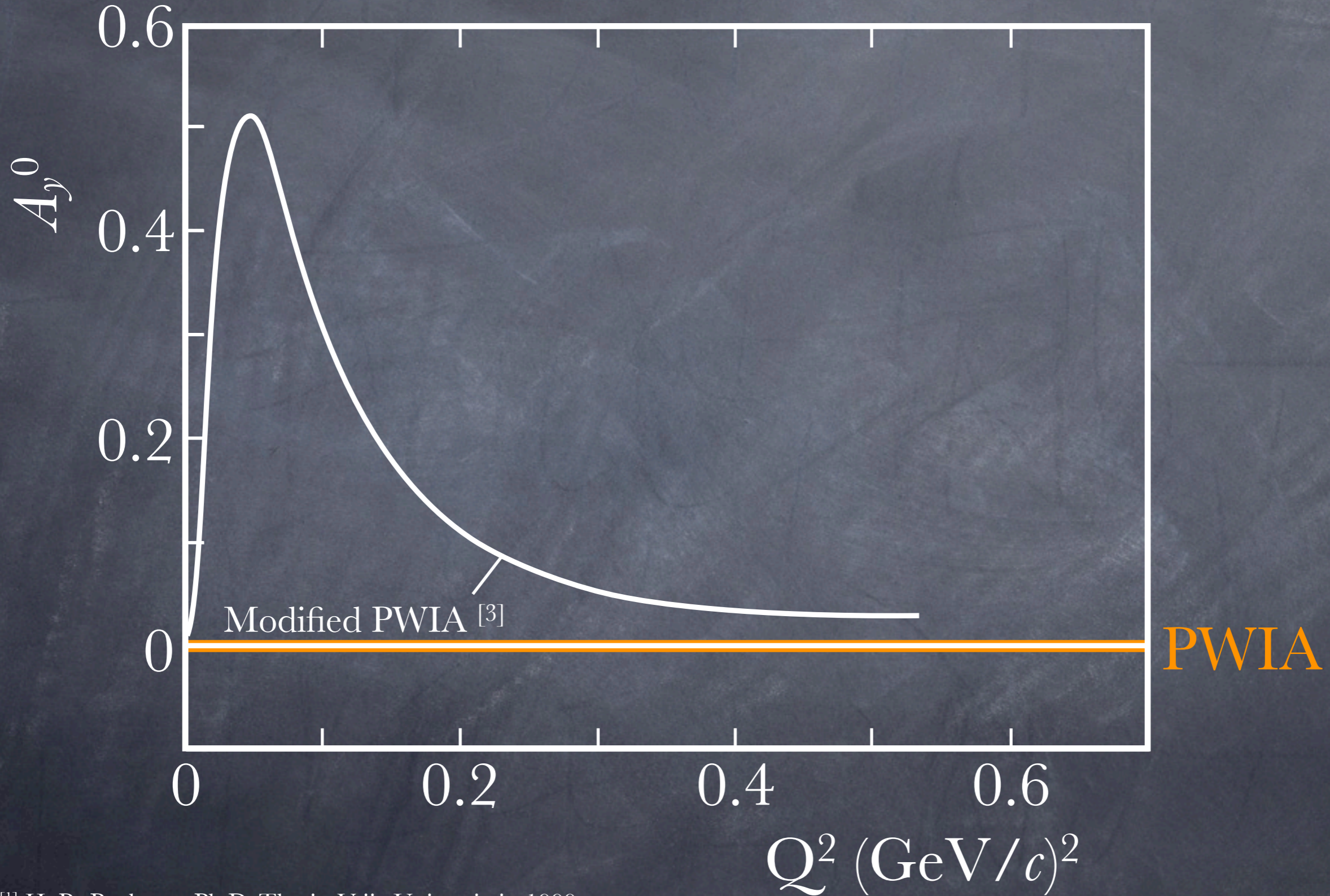
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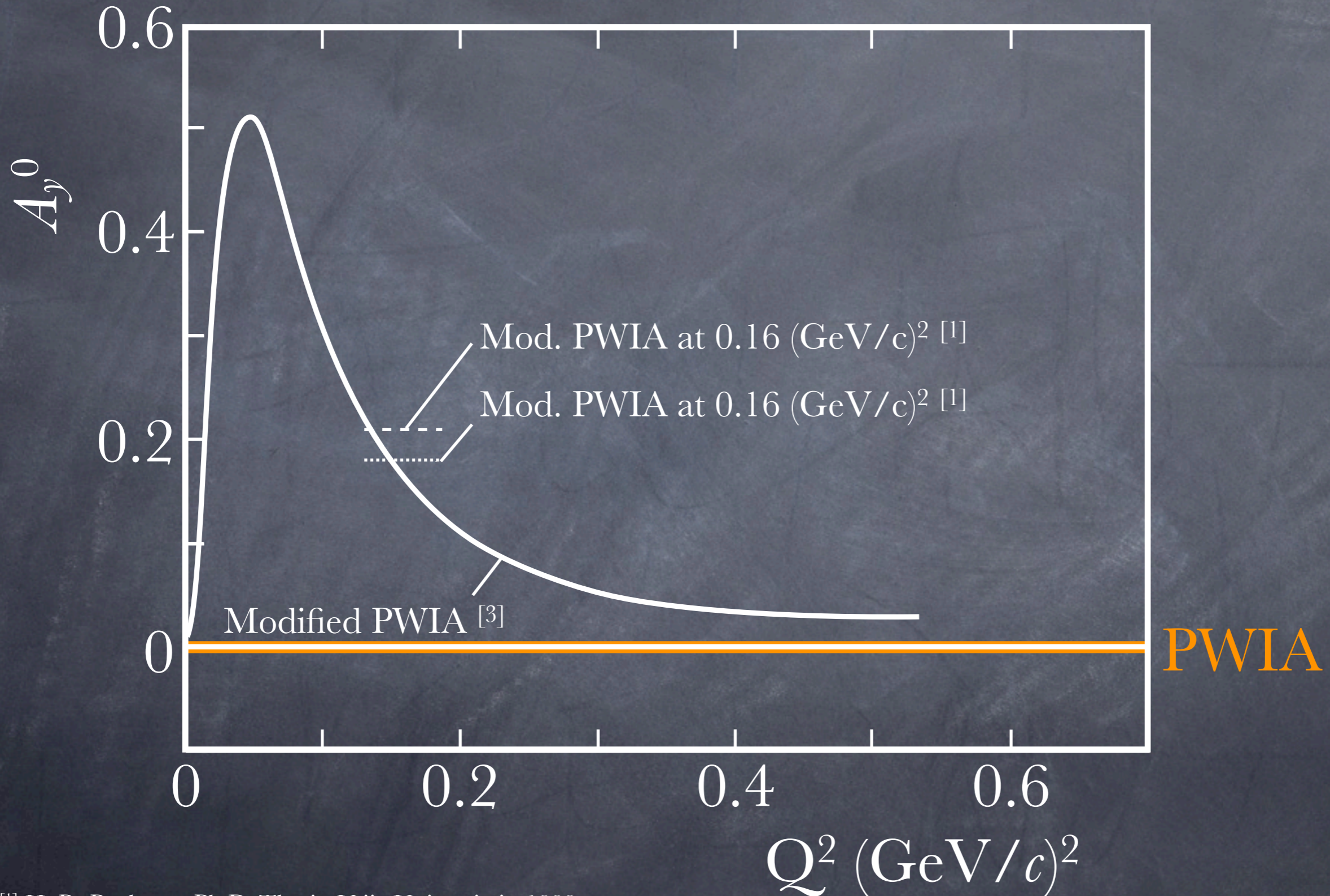
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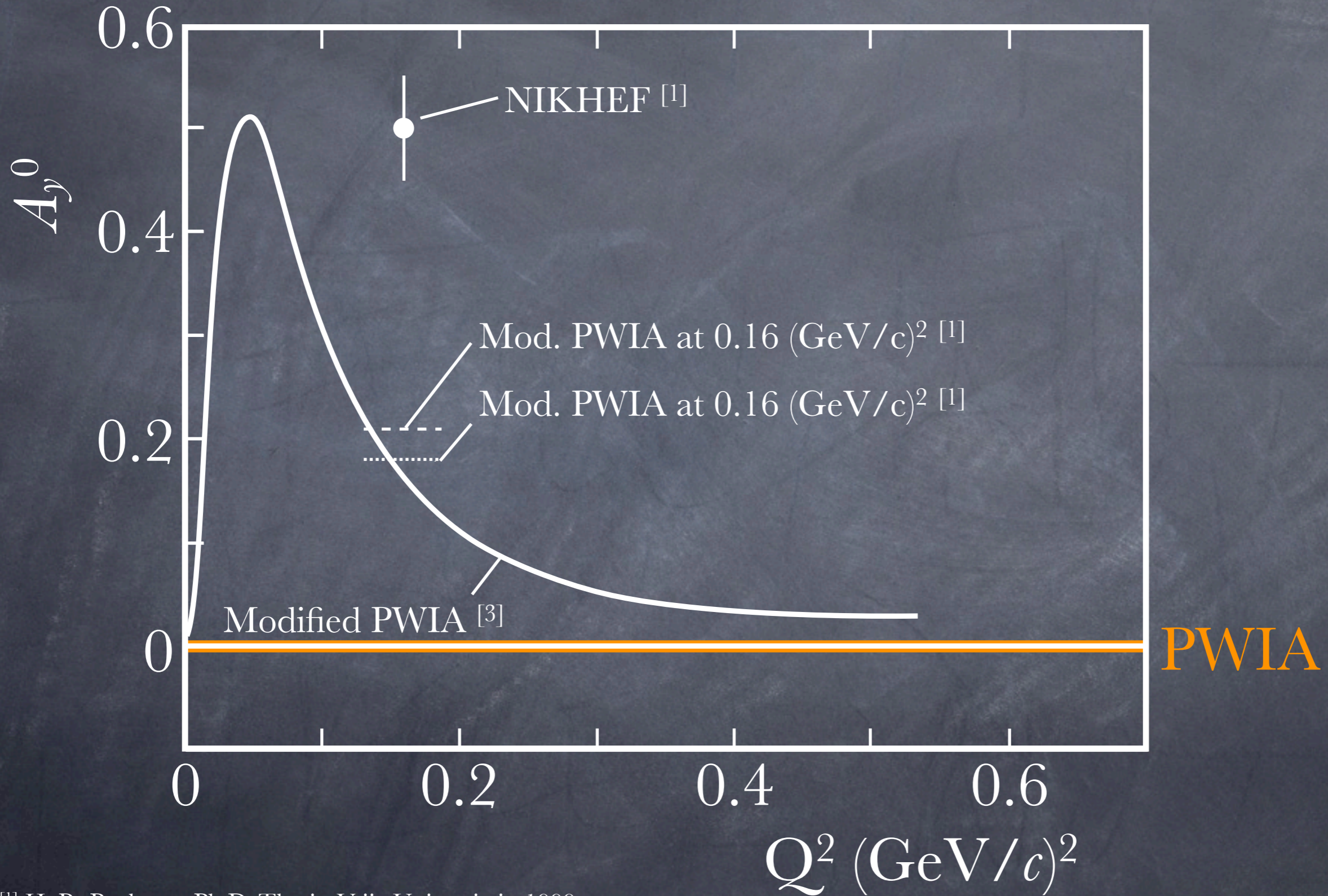
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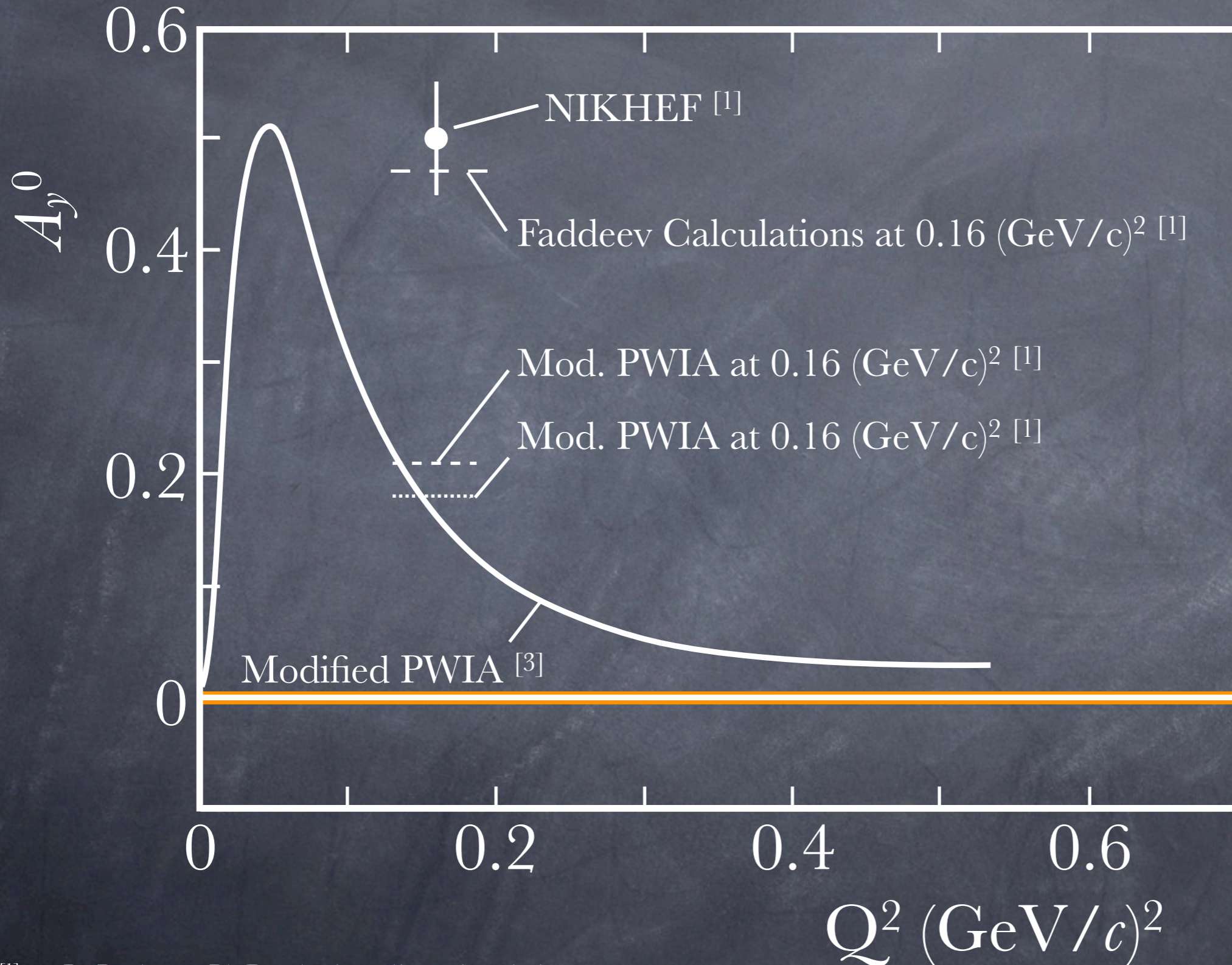
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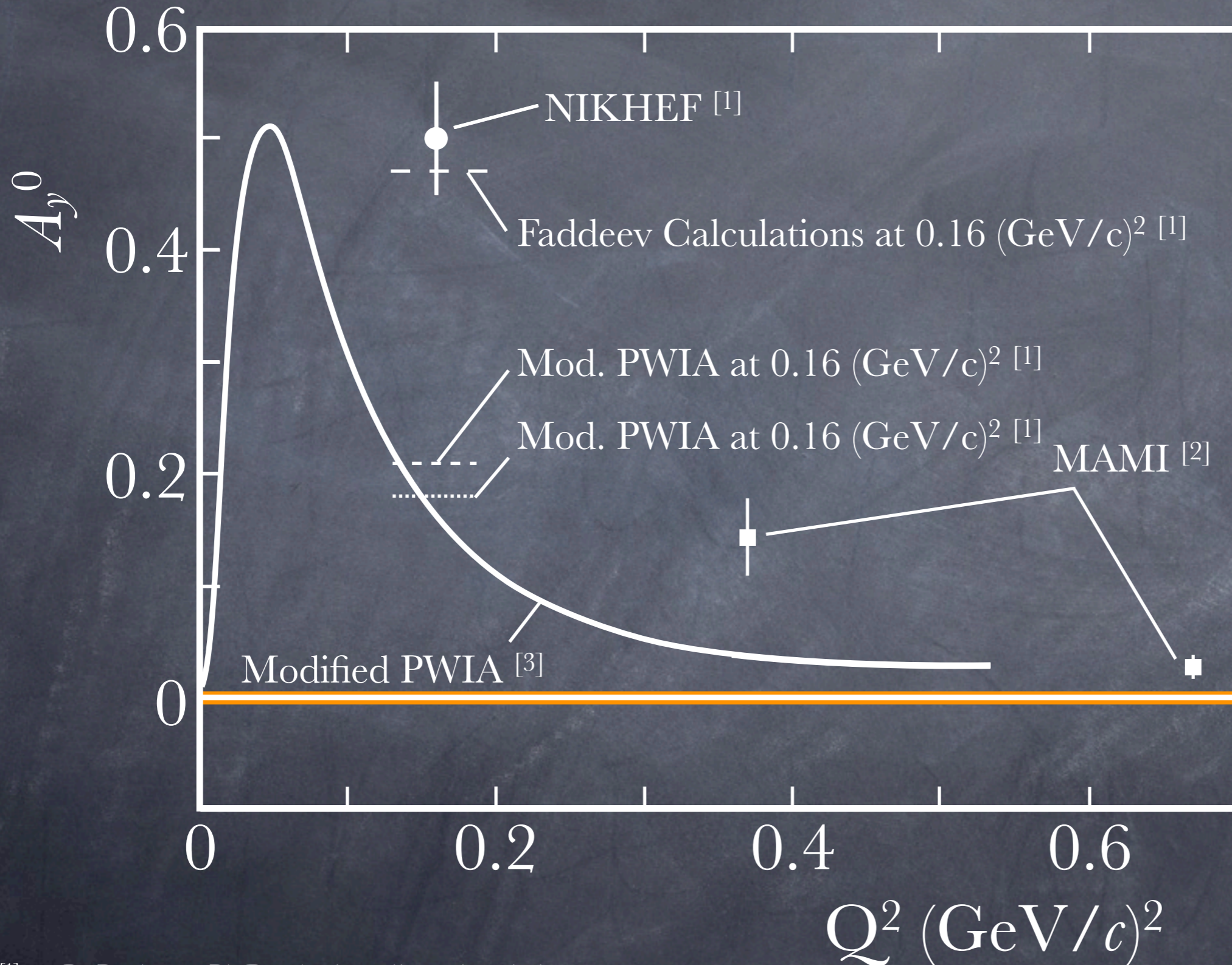
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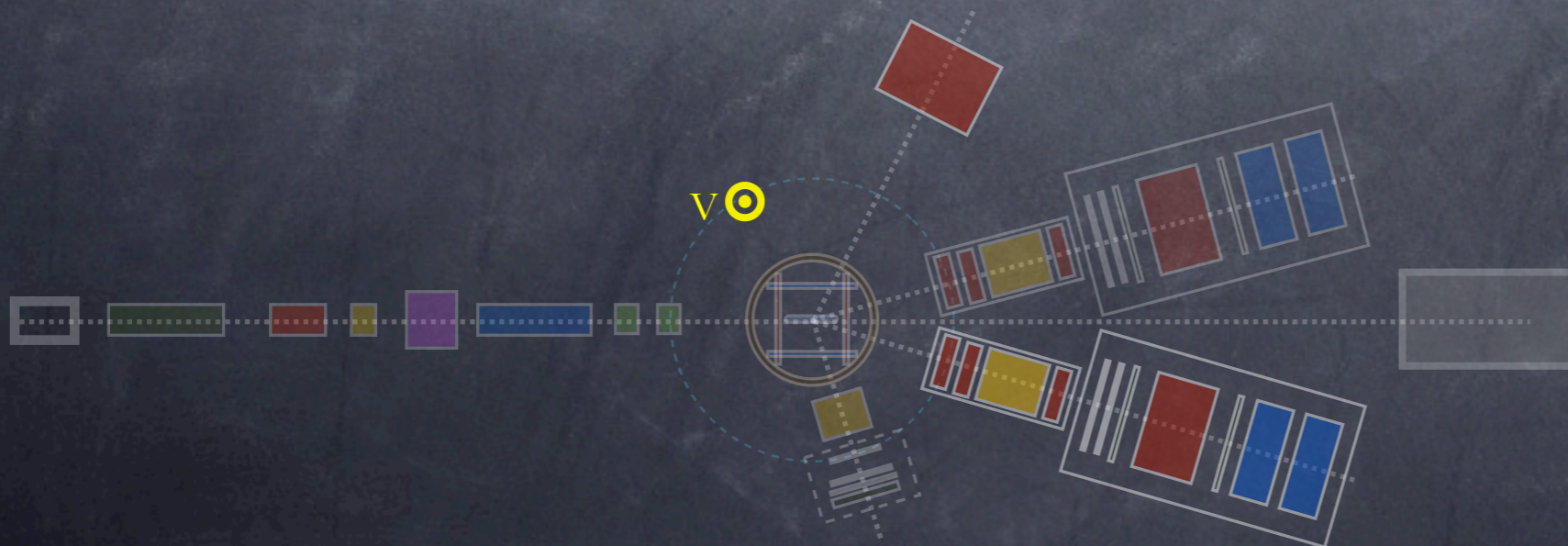
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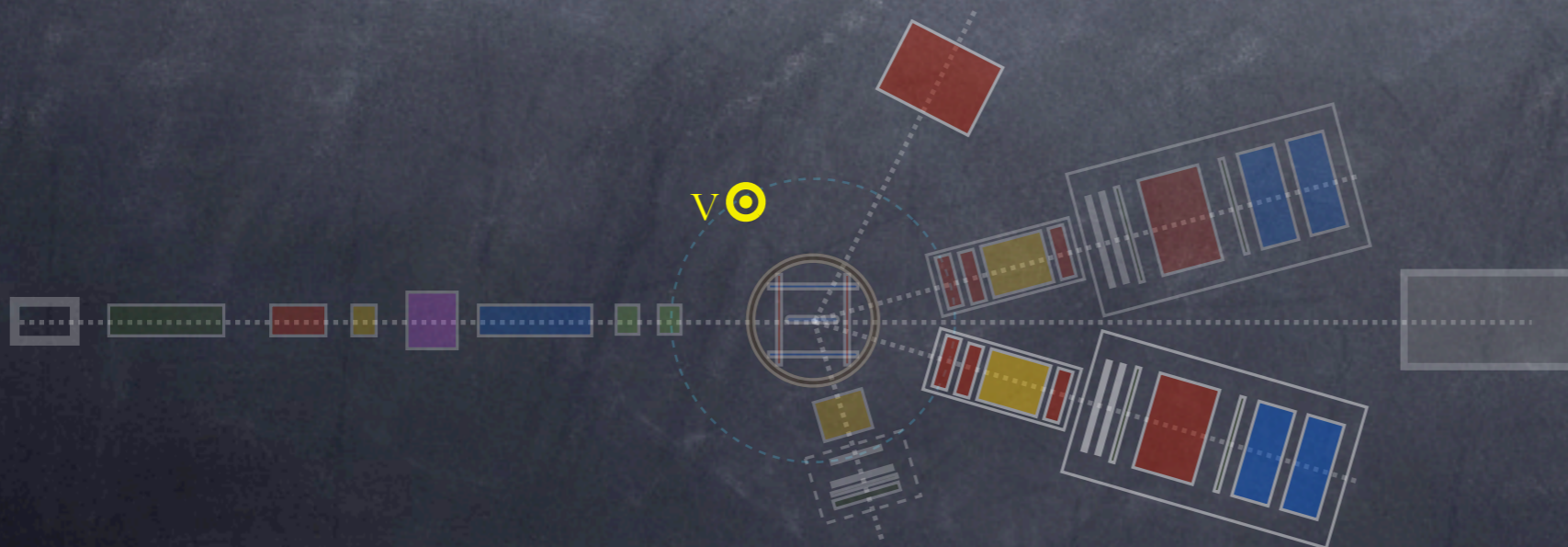
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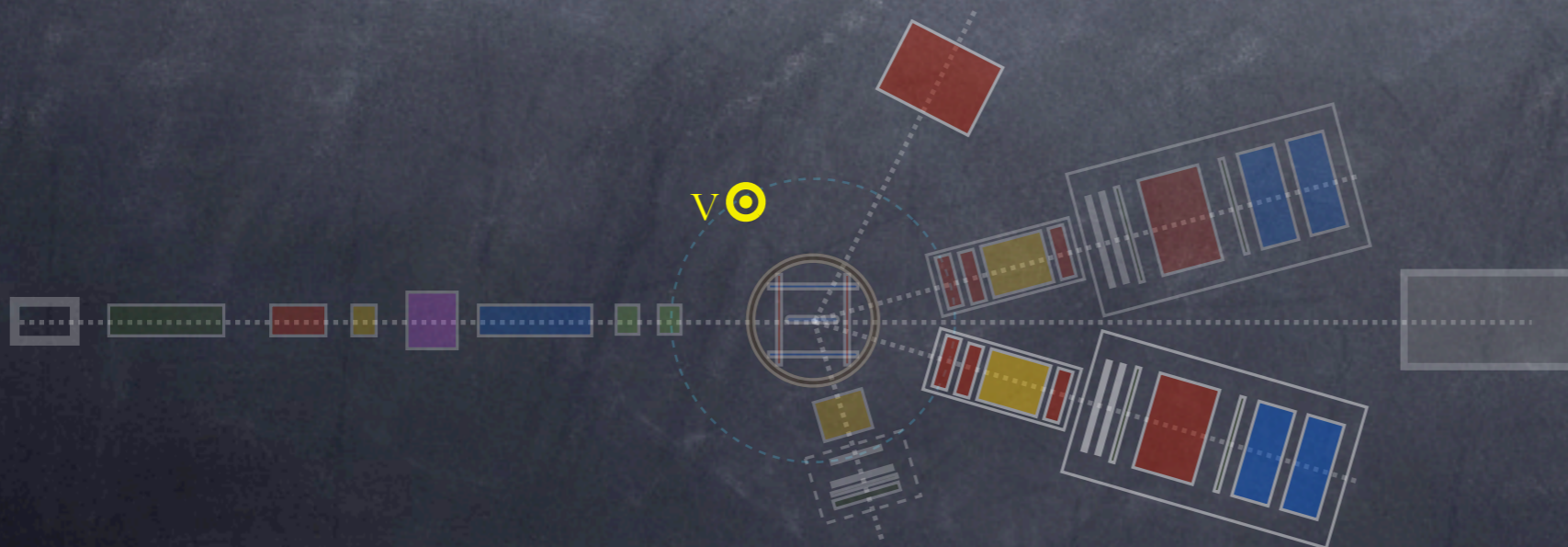
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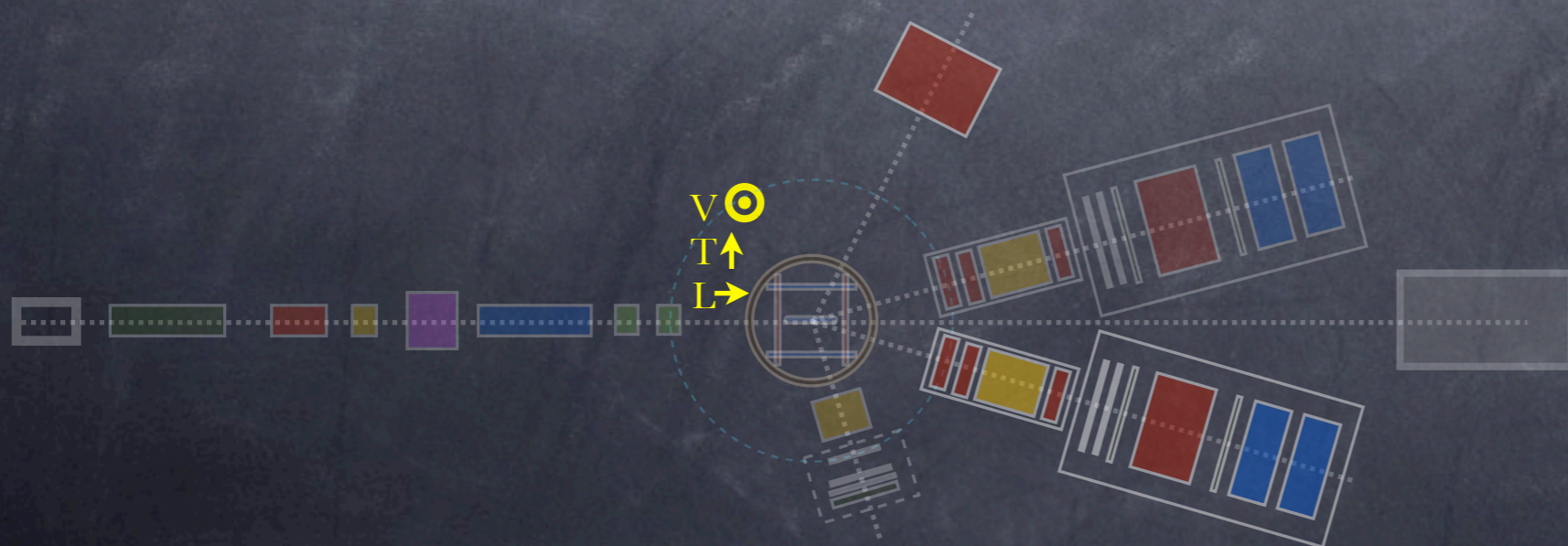
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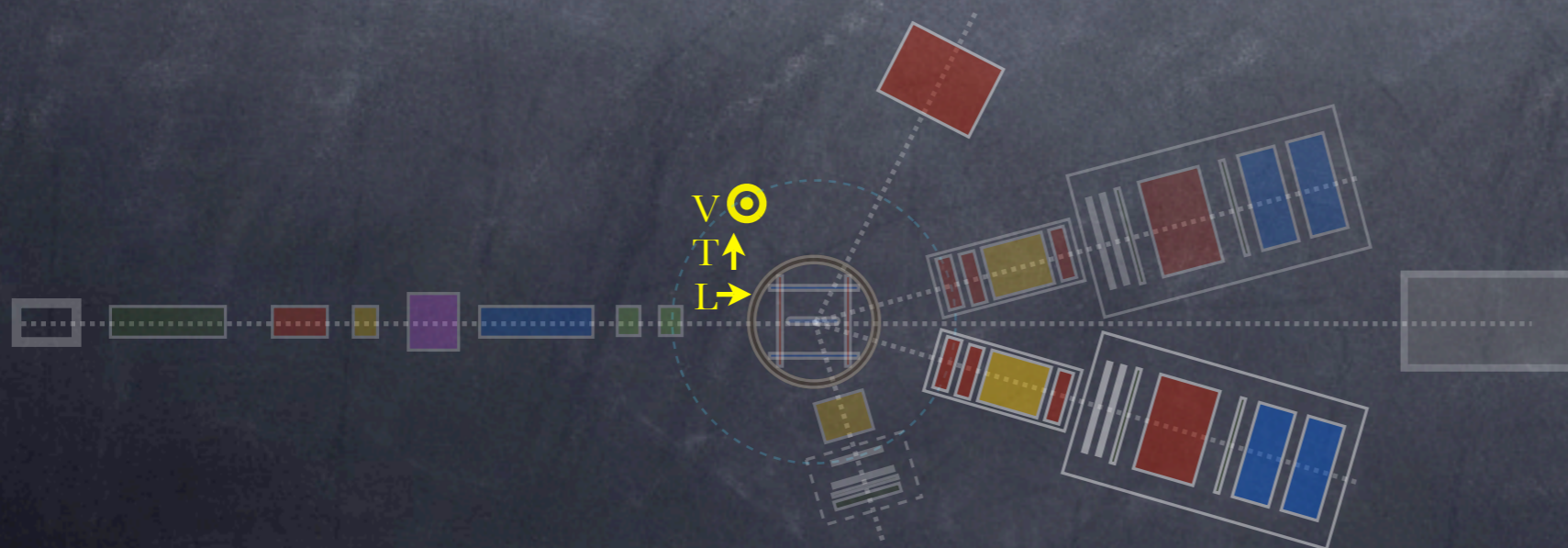






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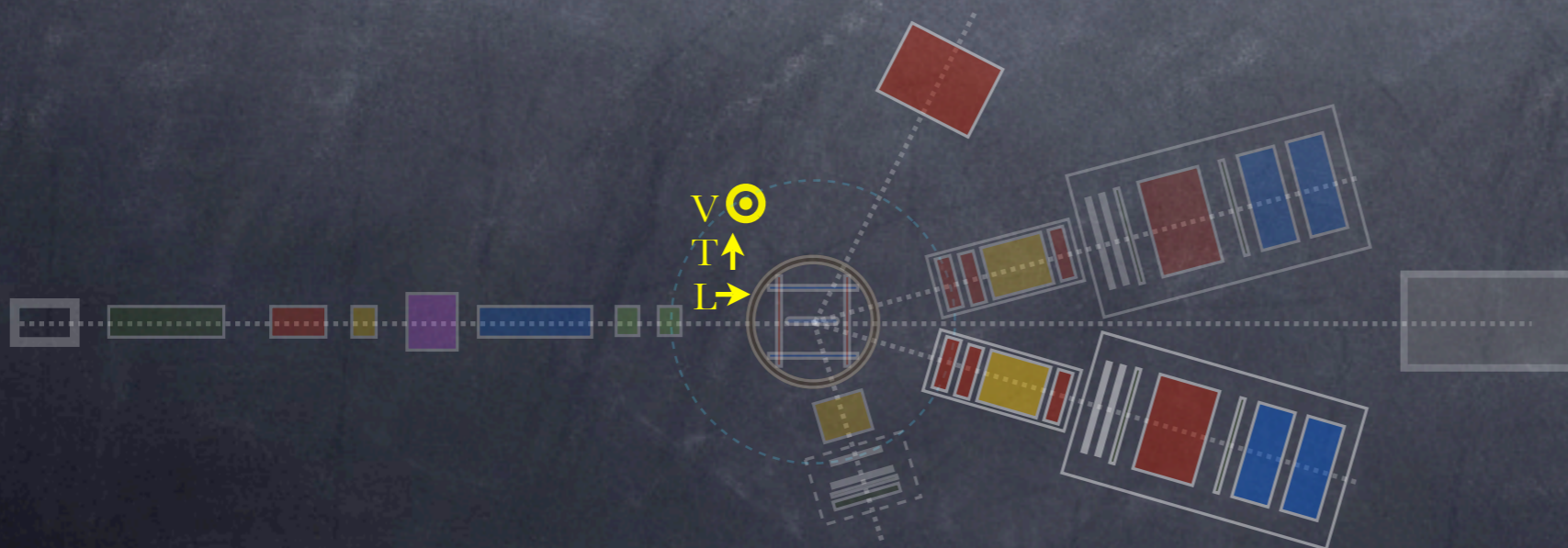
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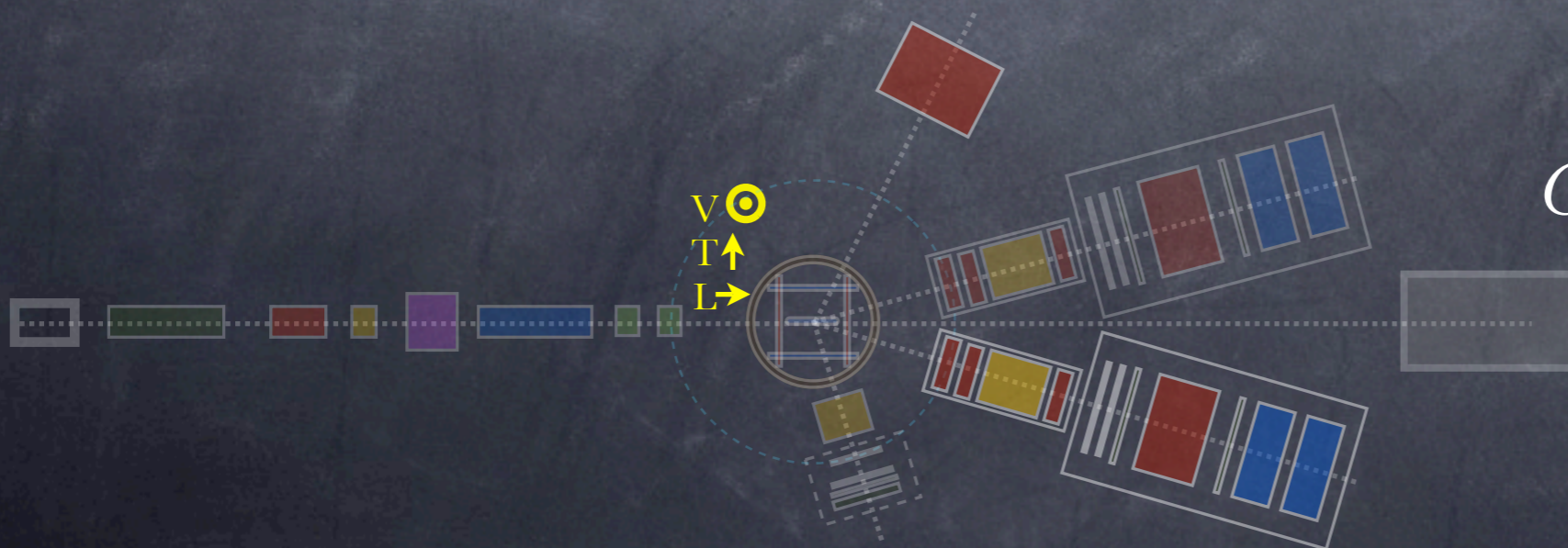
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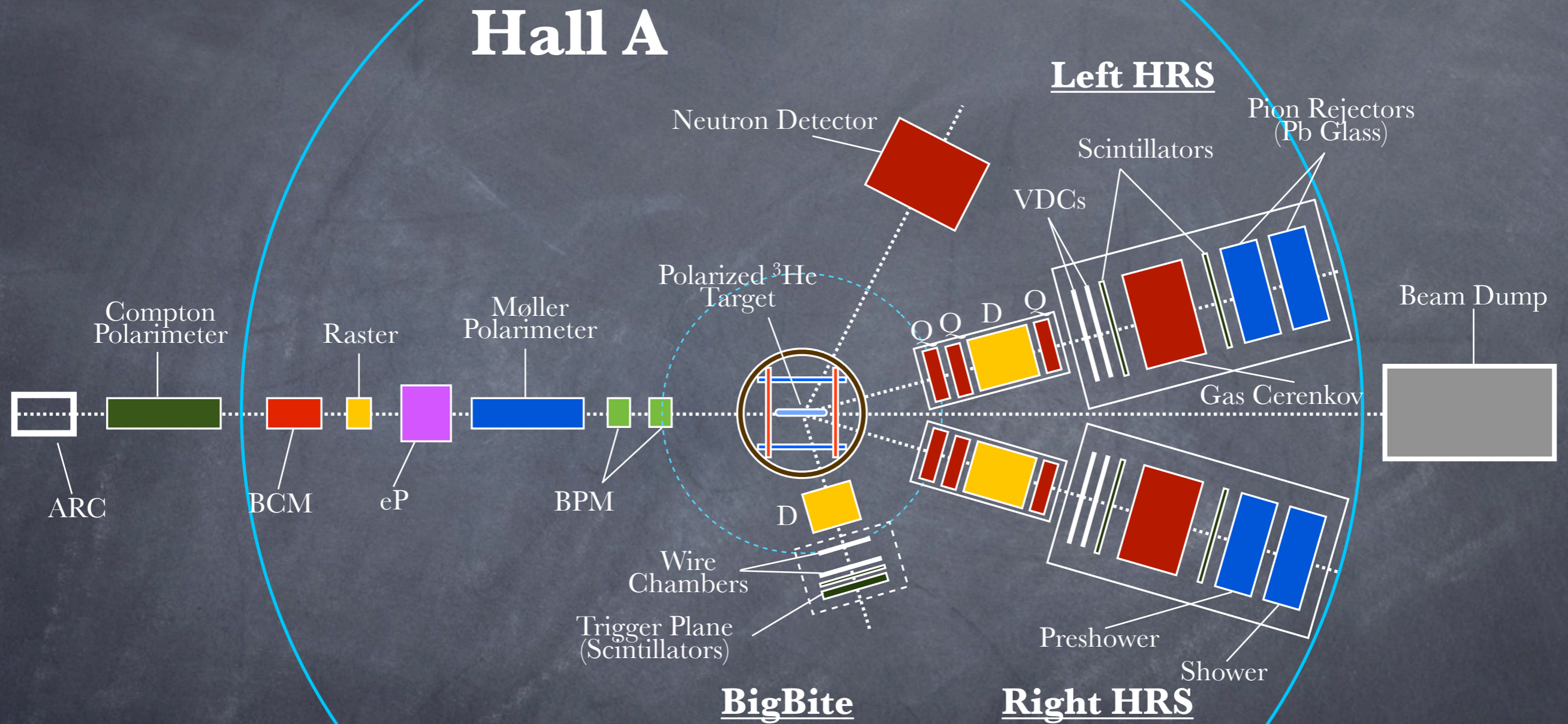
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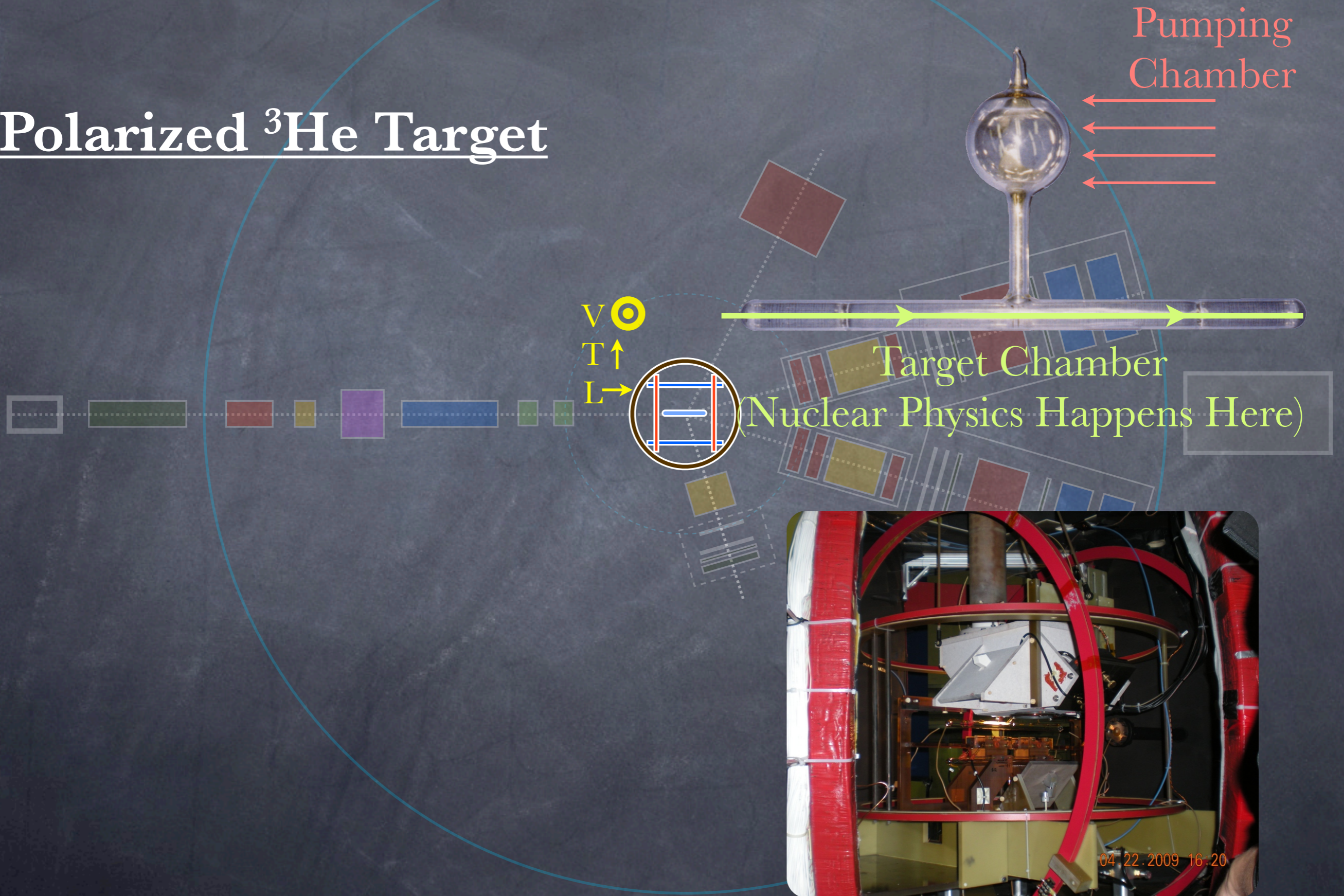
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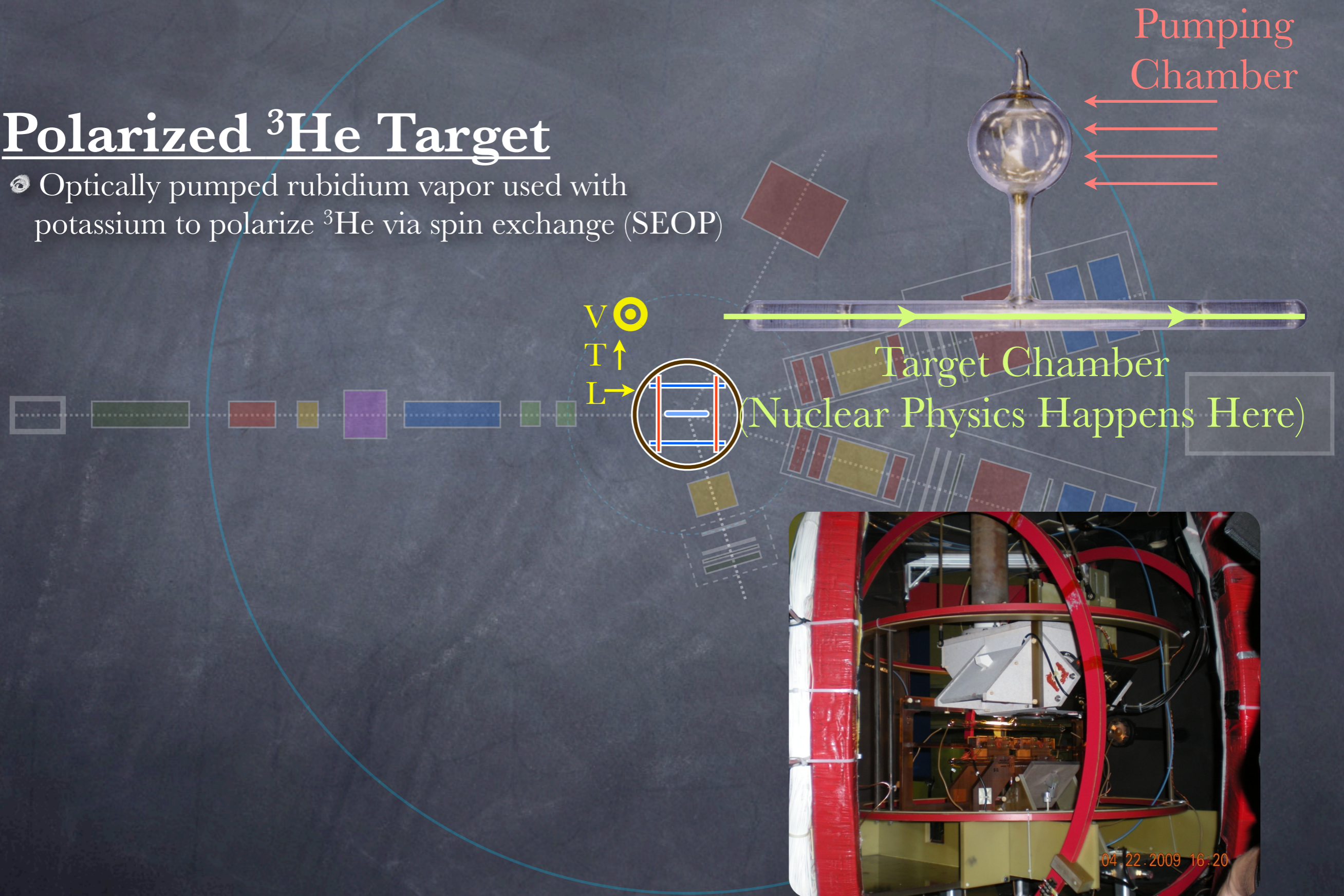




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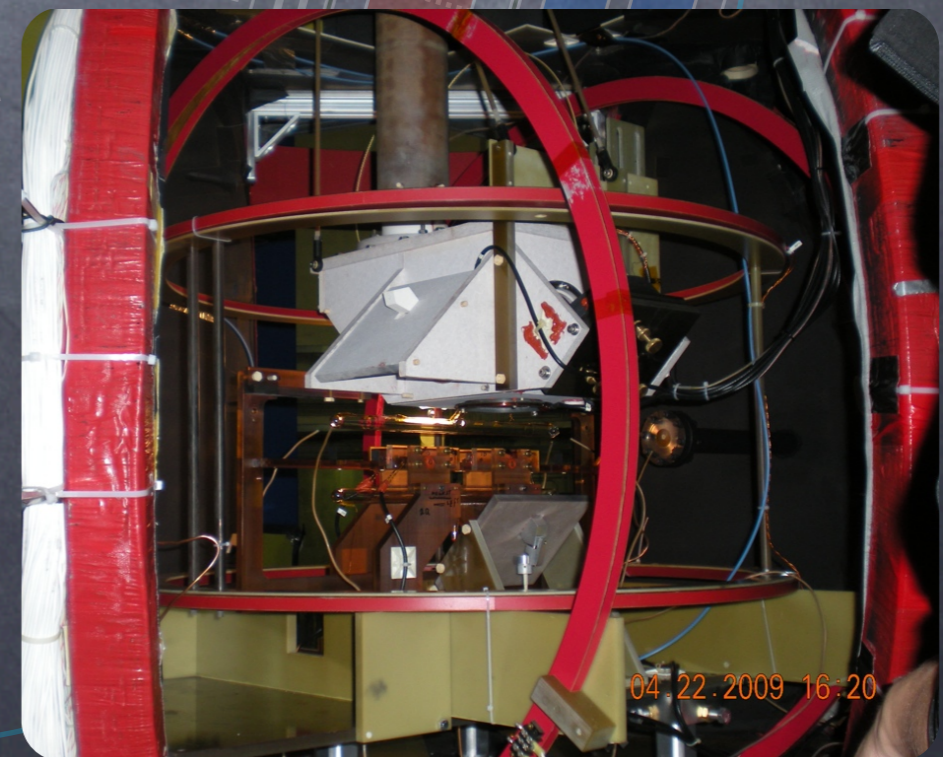
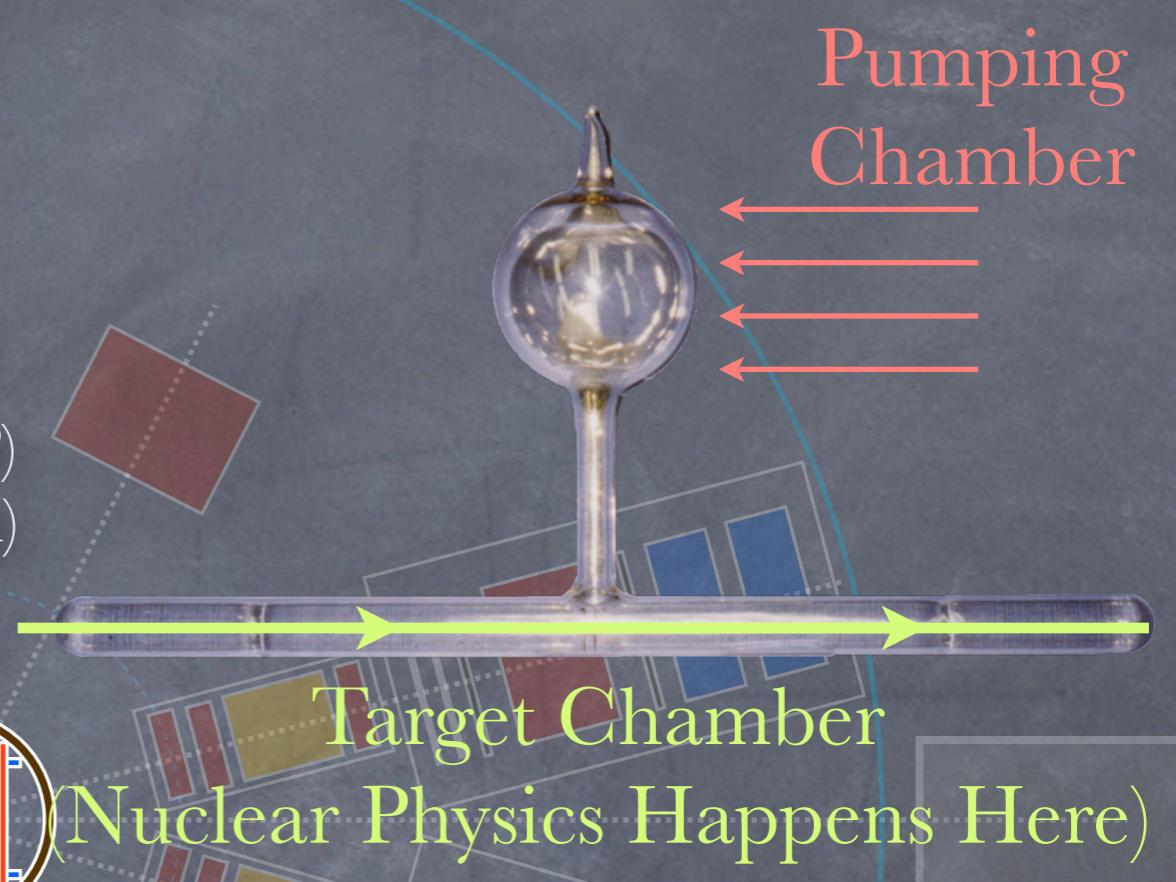
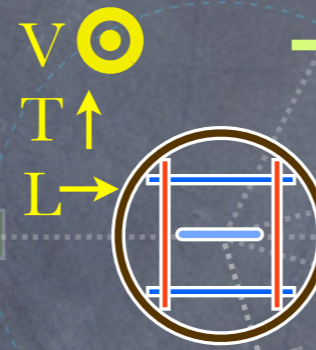




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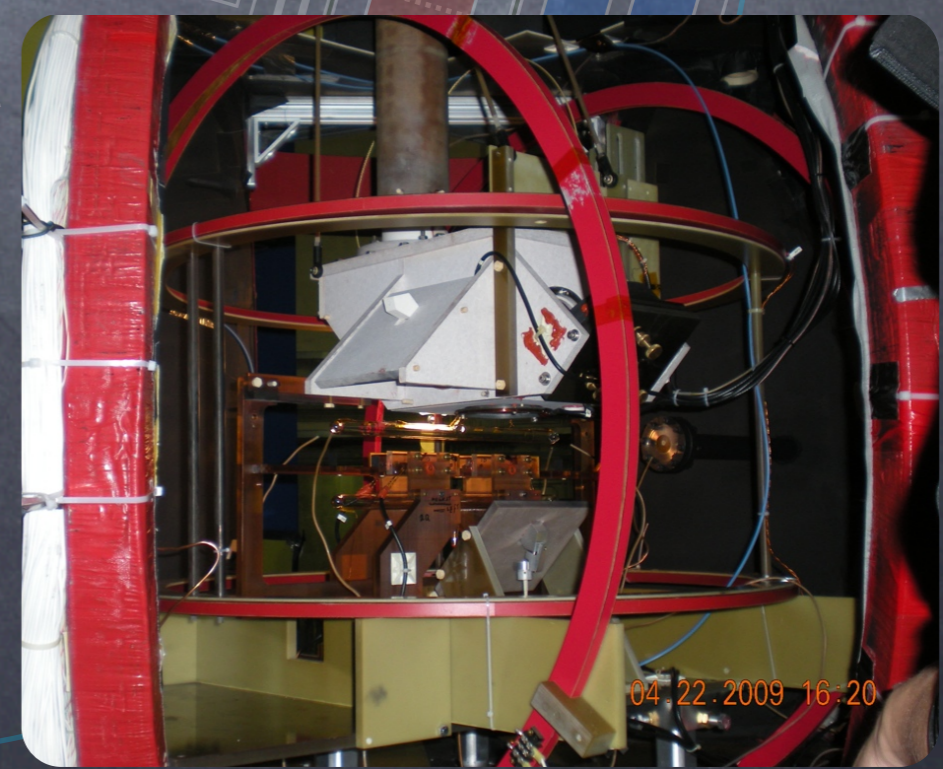
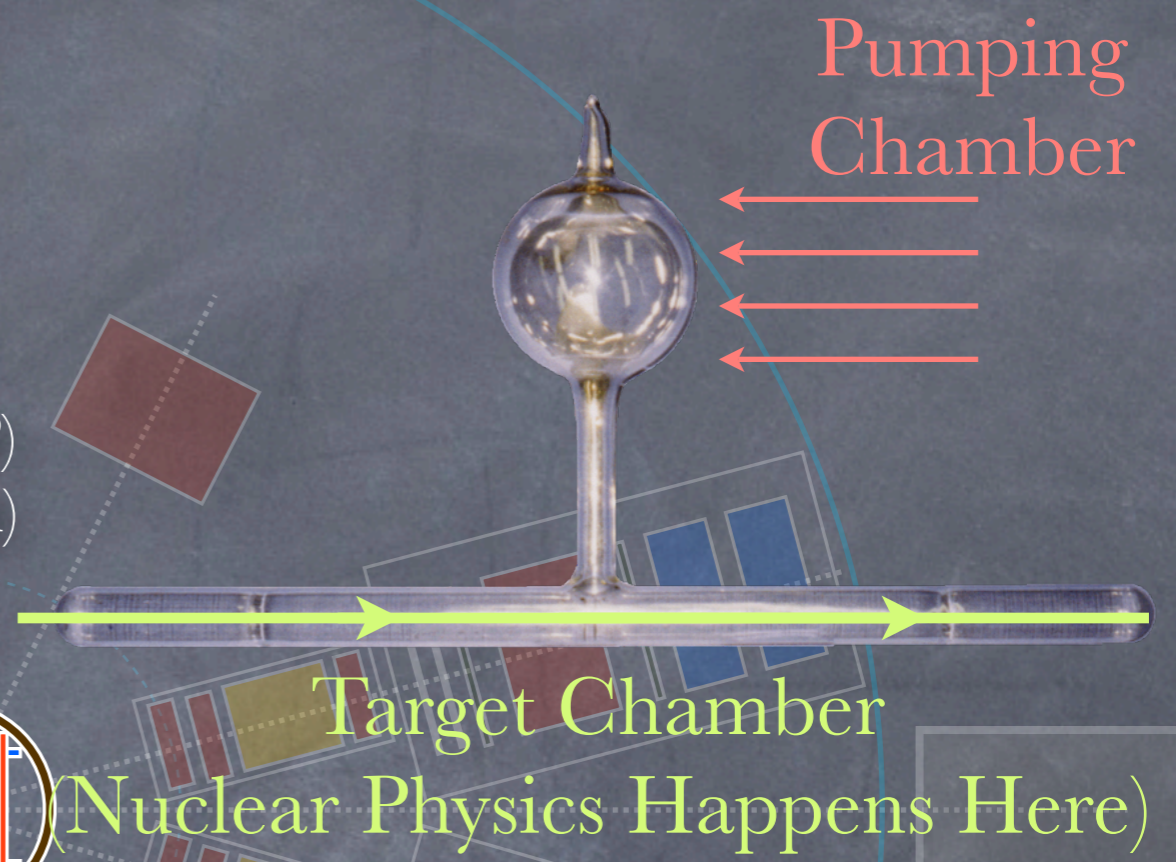
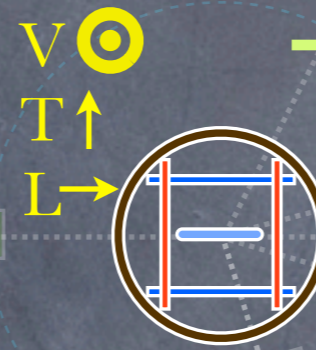




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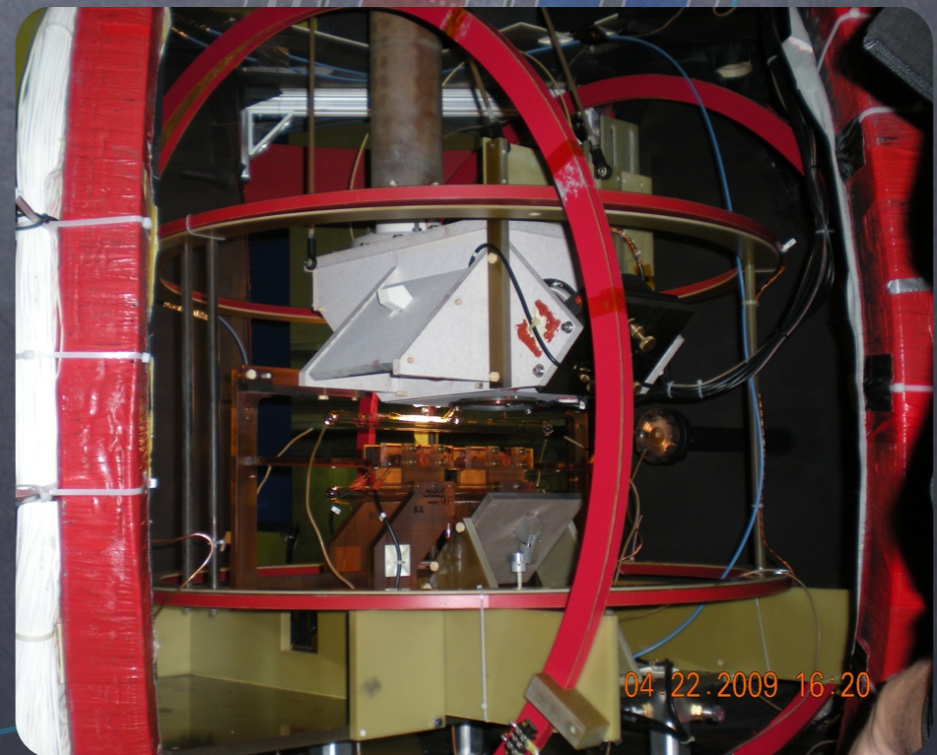
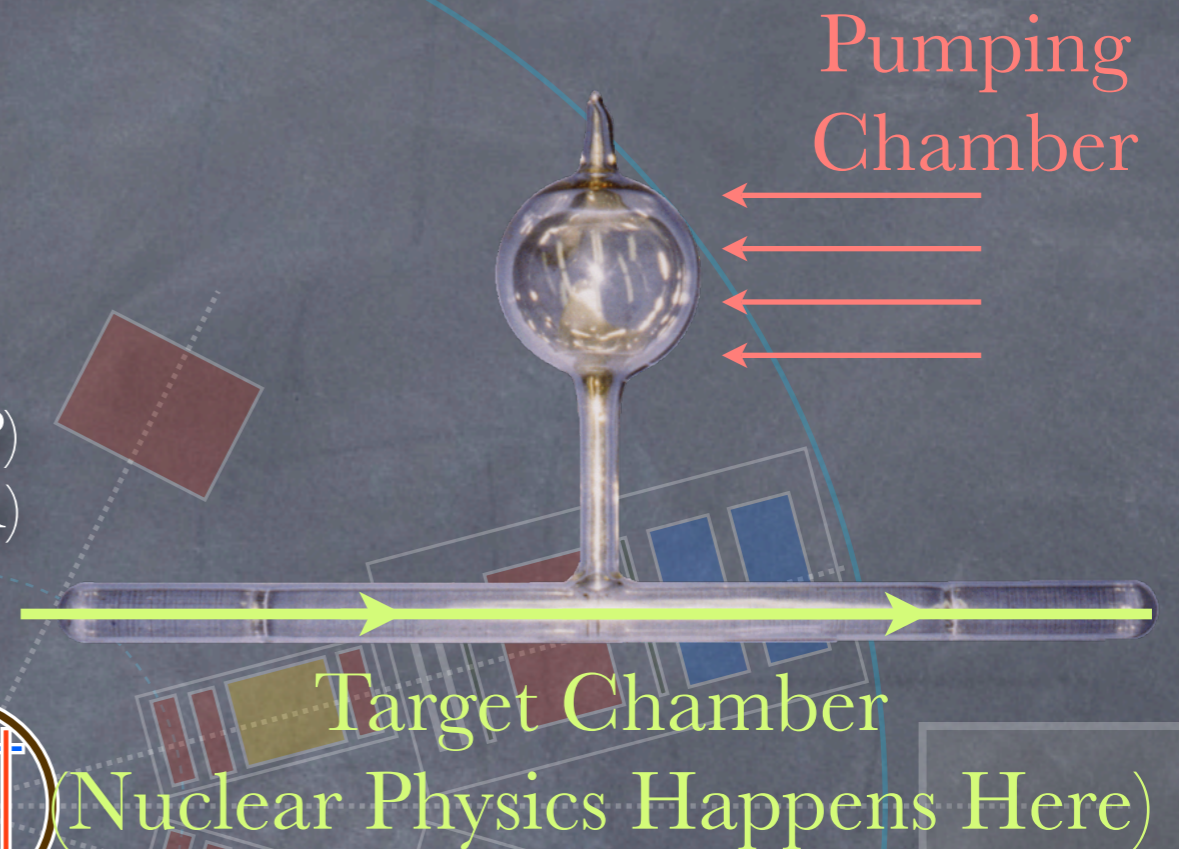
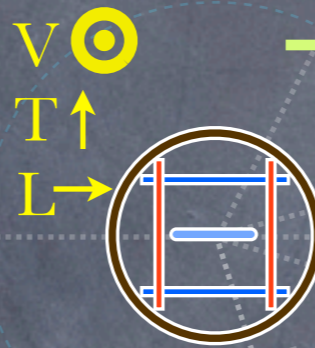




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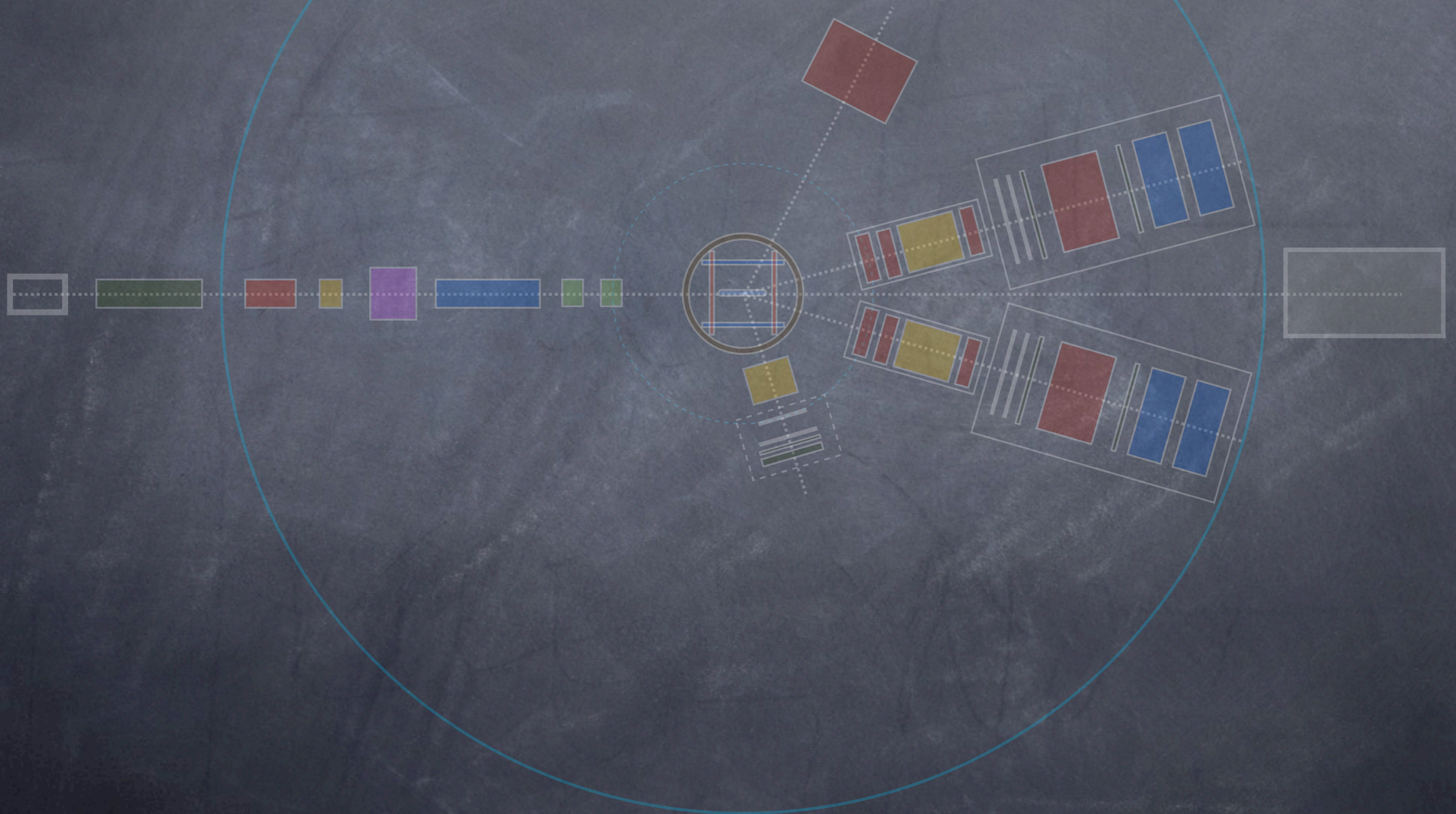
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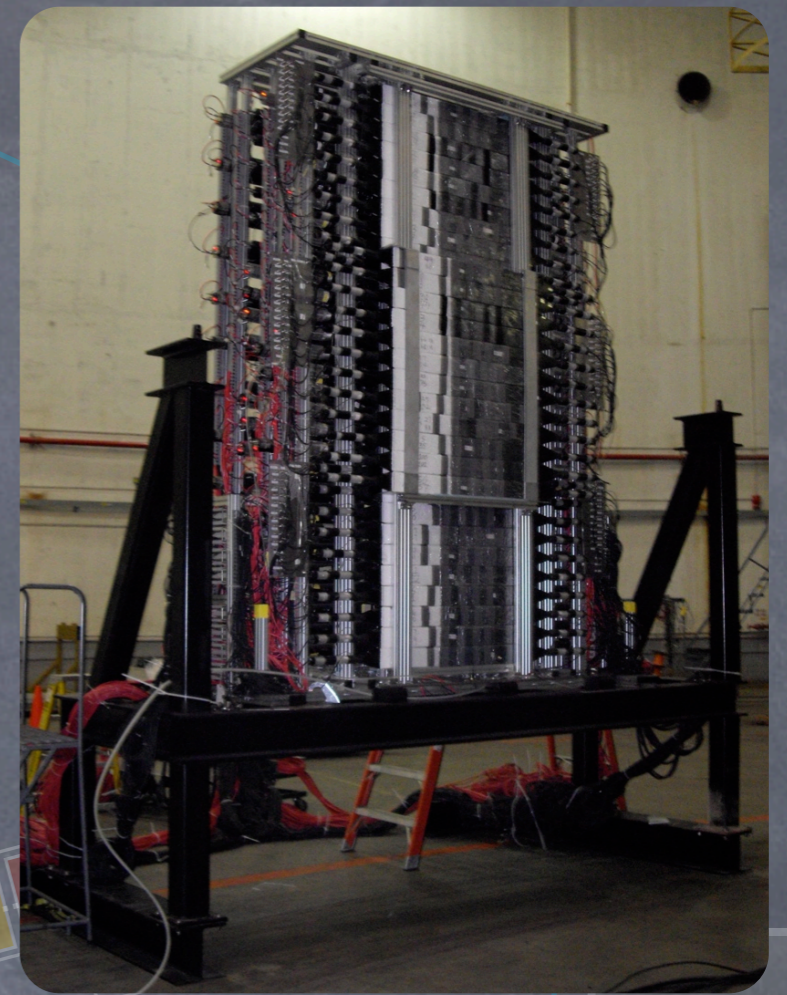
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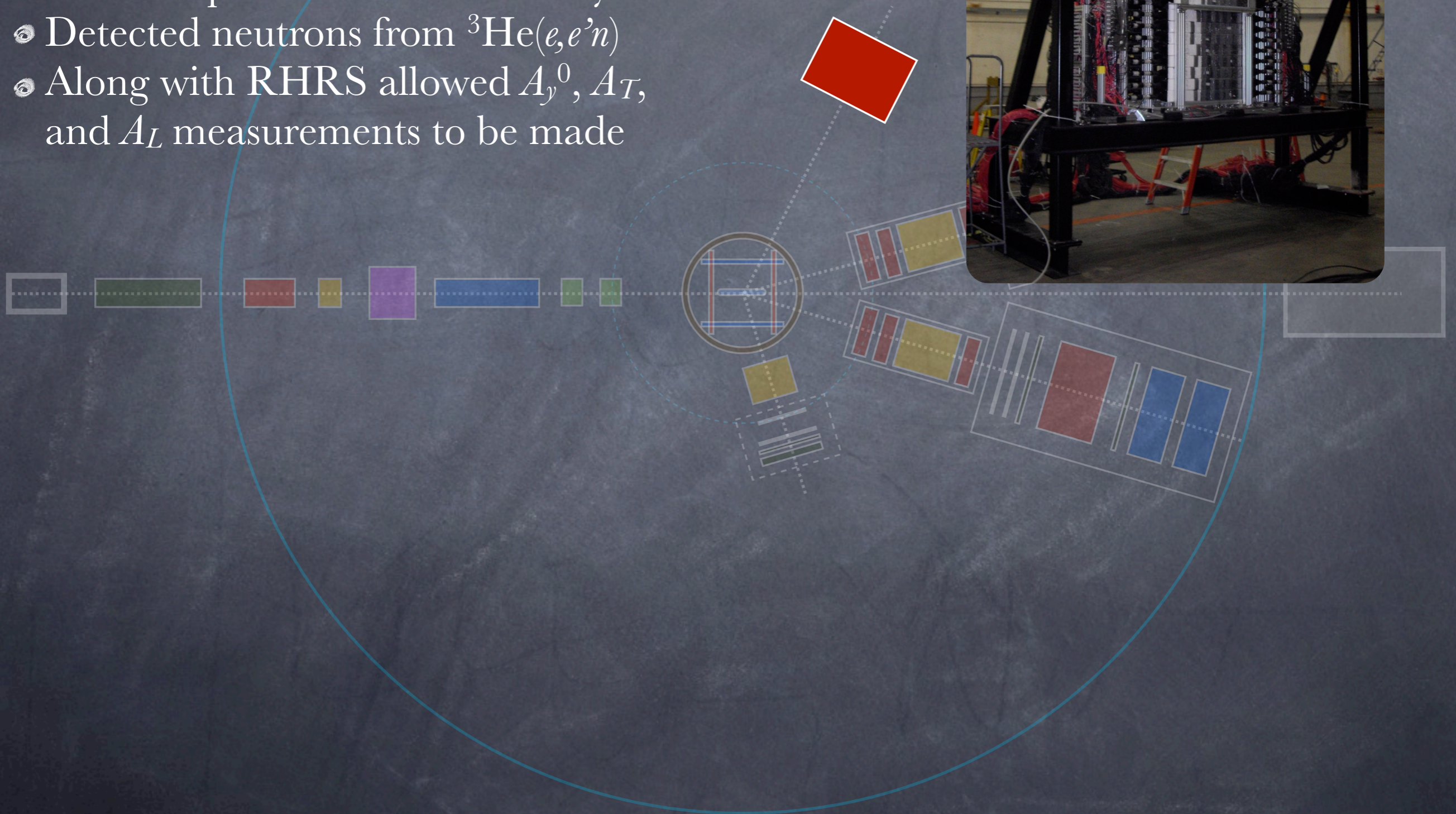
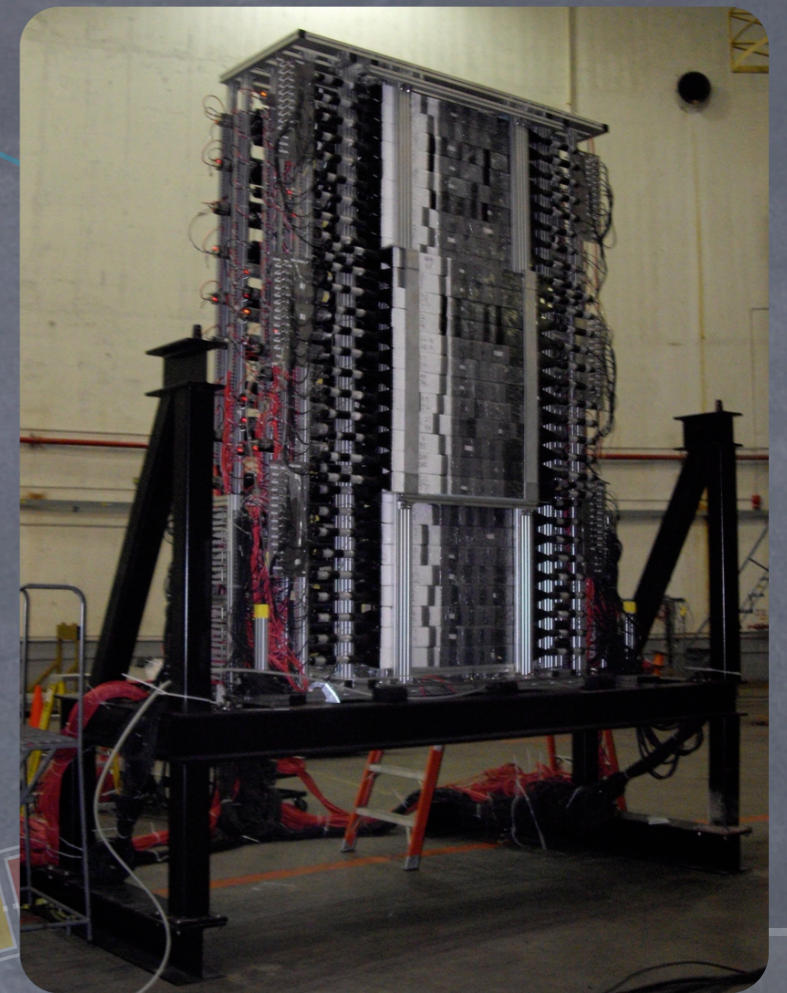




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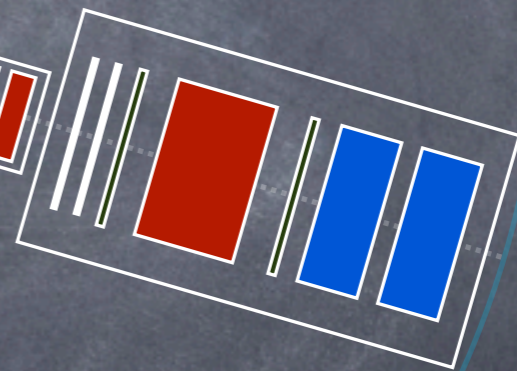
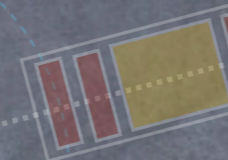
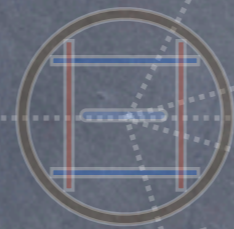
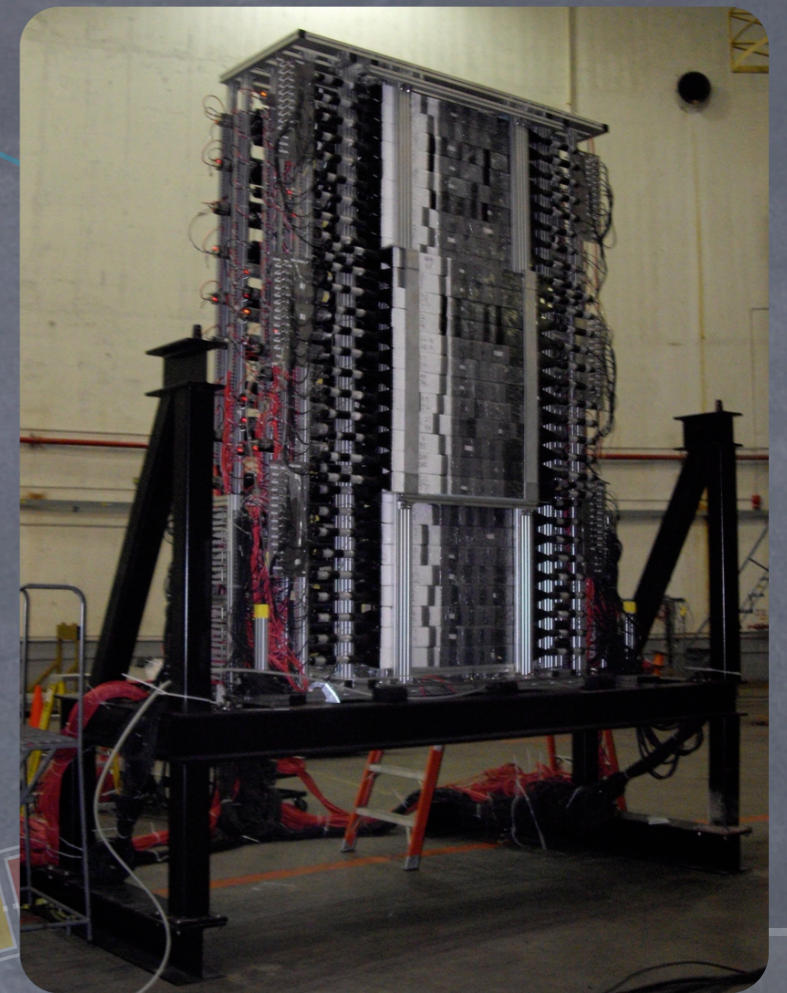




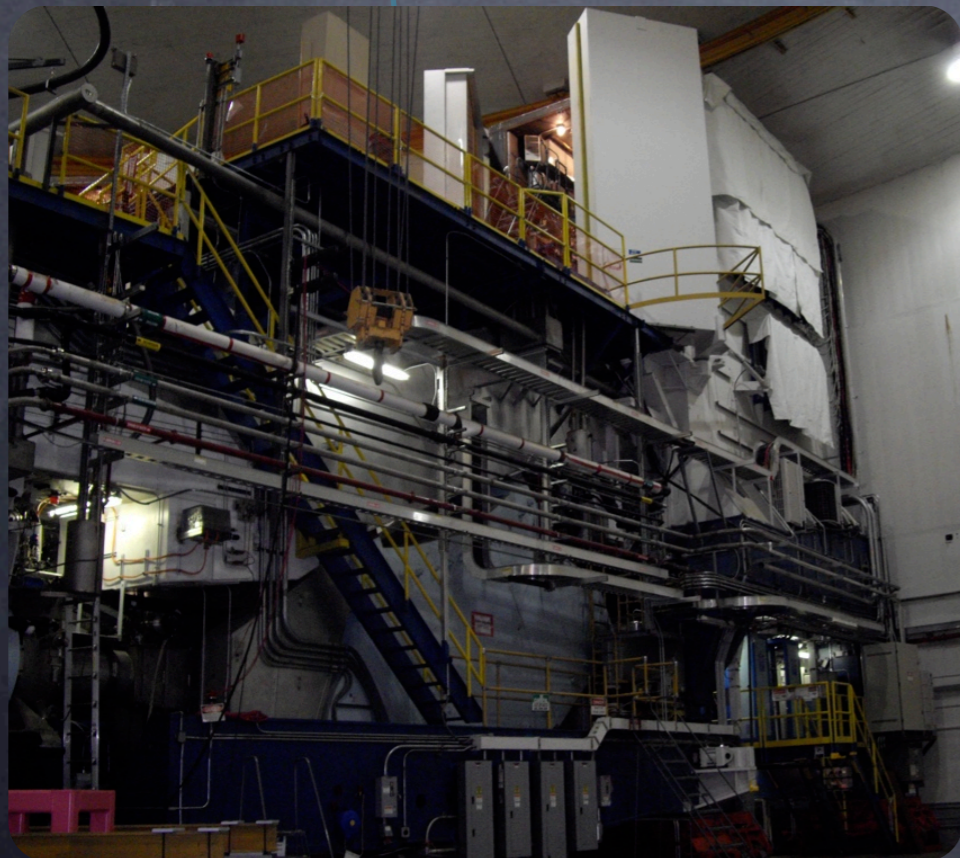
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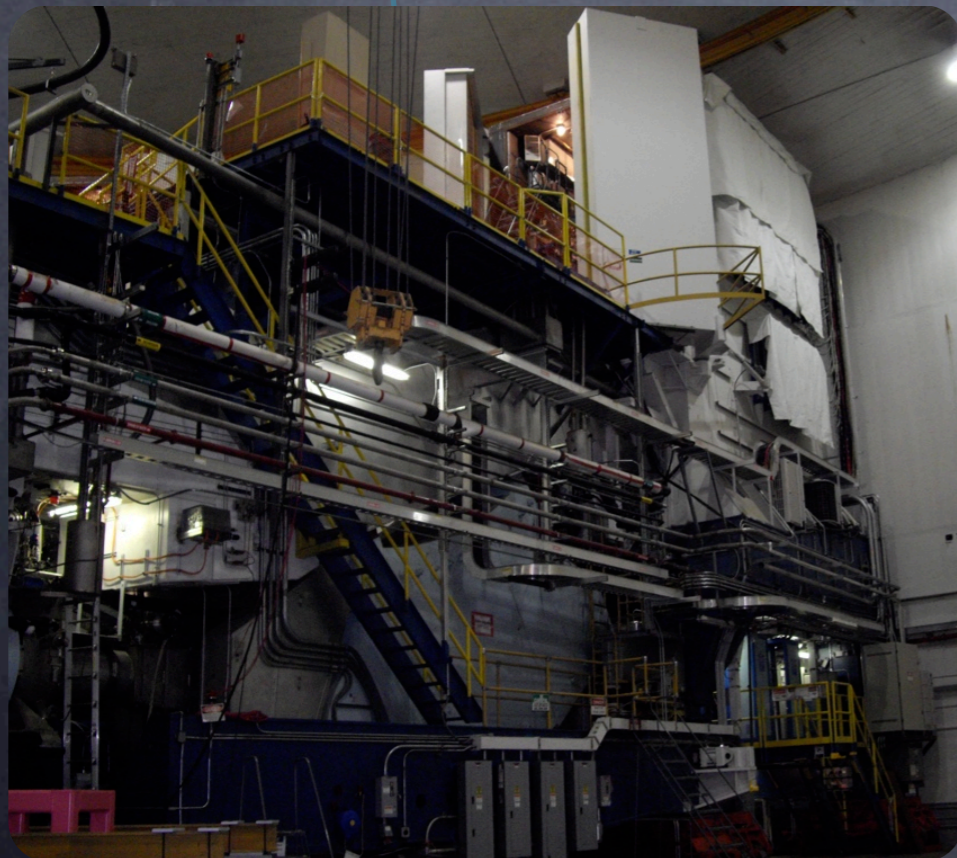
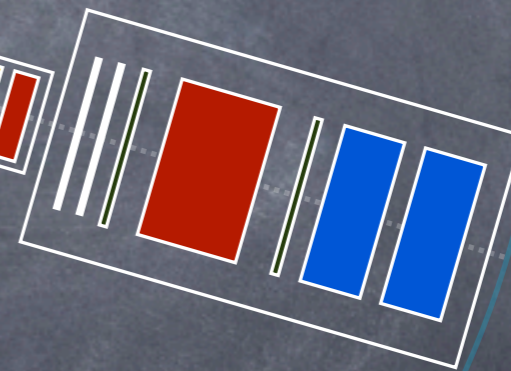
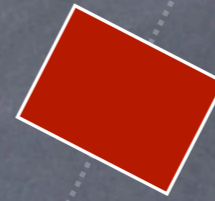
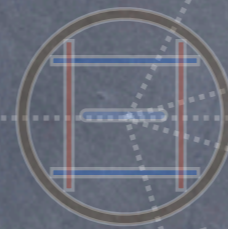
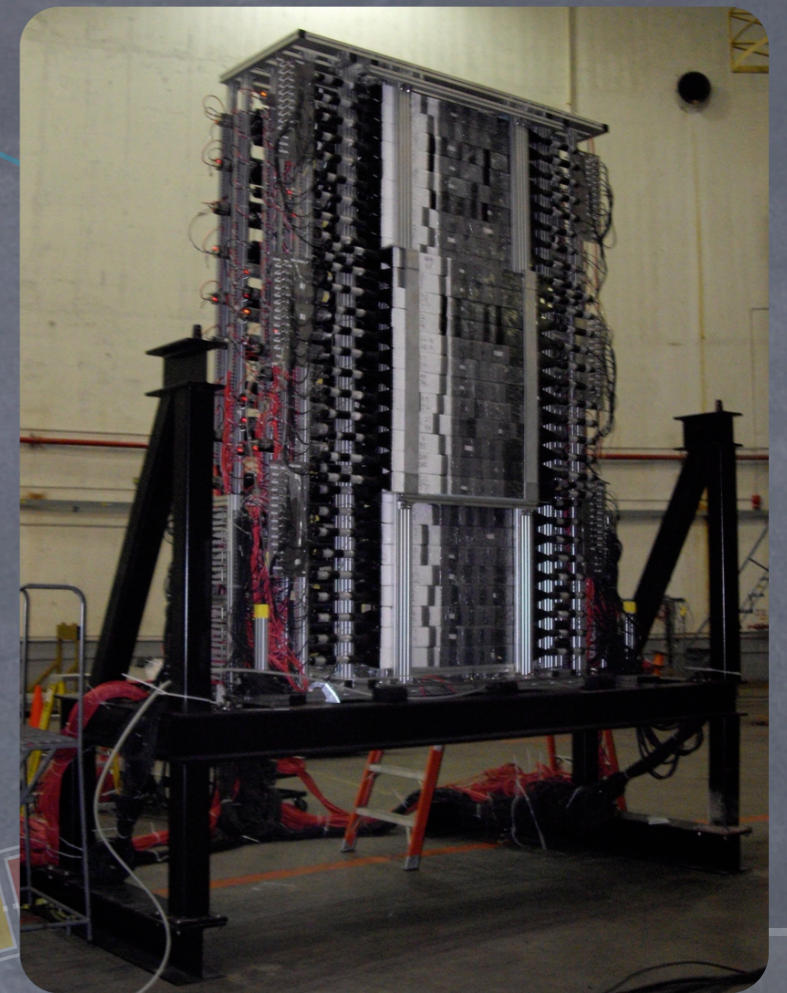




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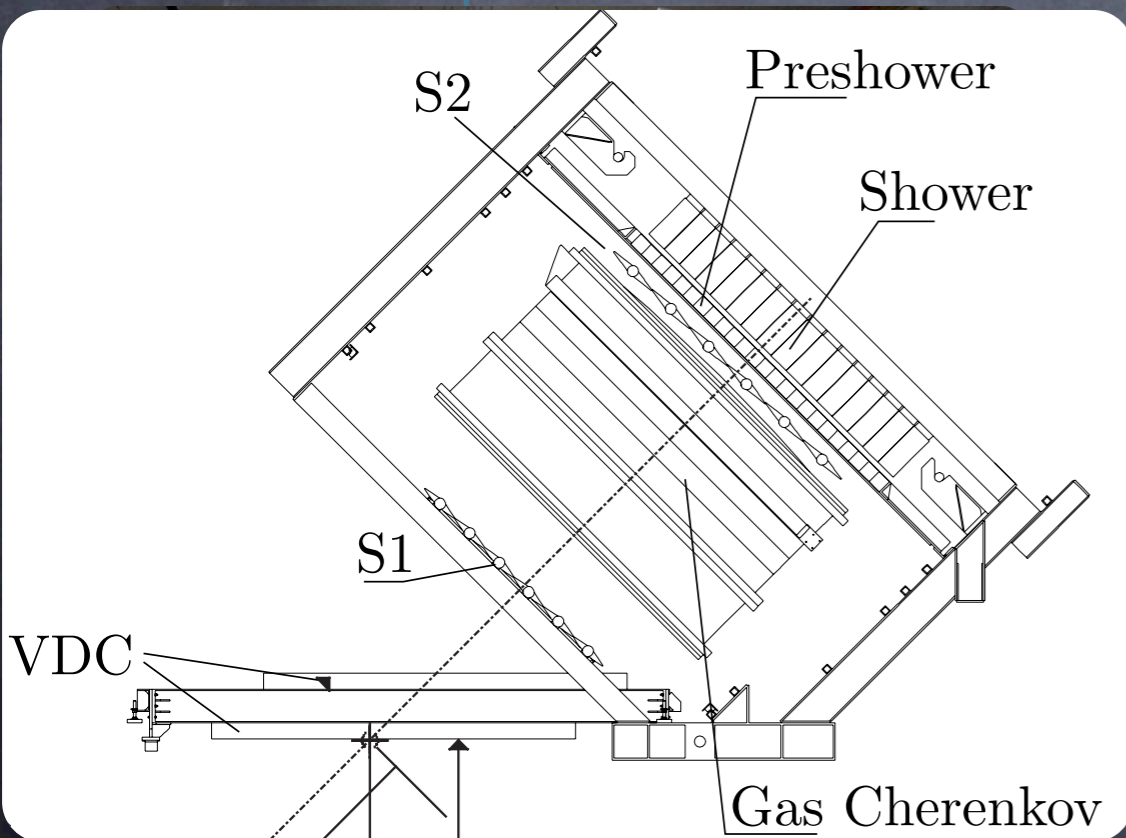
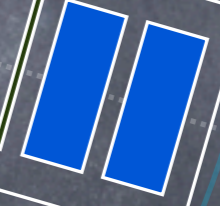
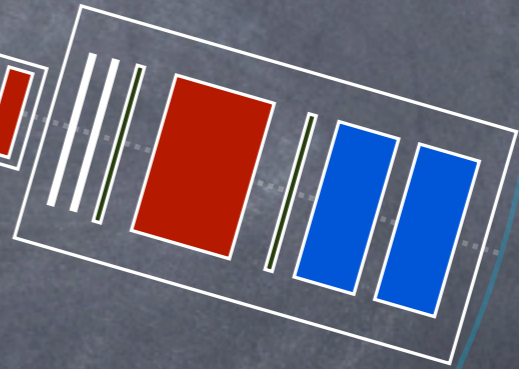
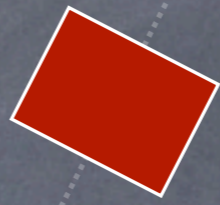
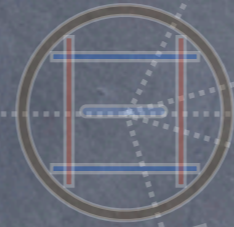
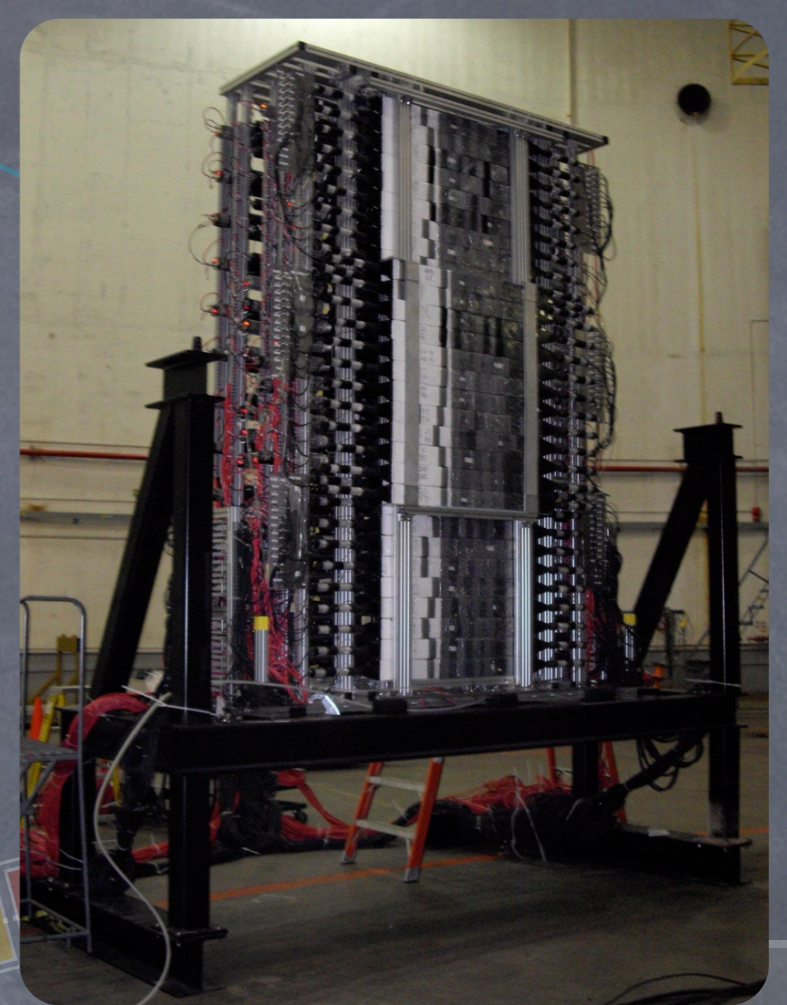
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- The kinematics taken were:

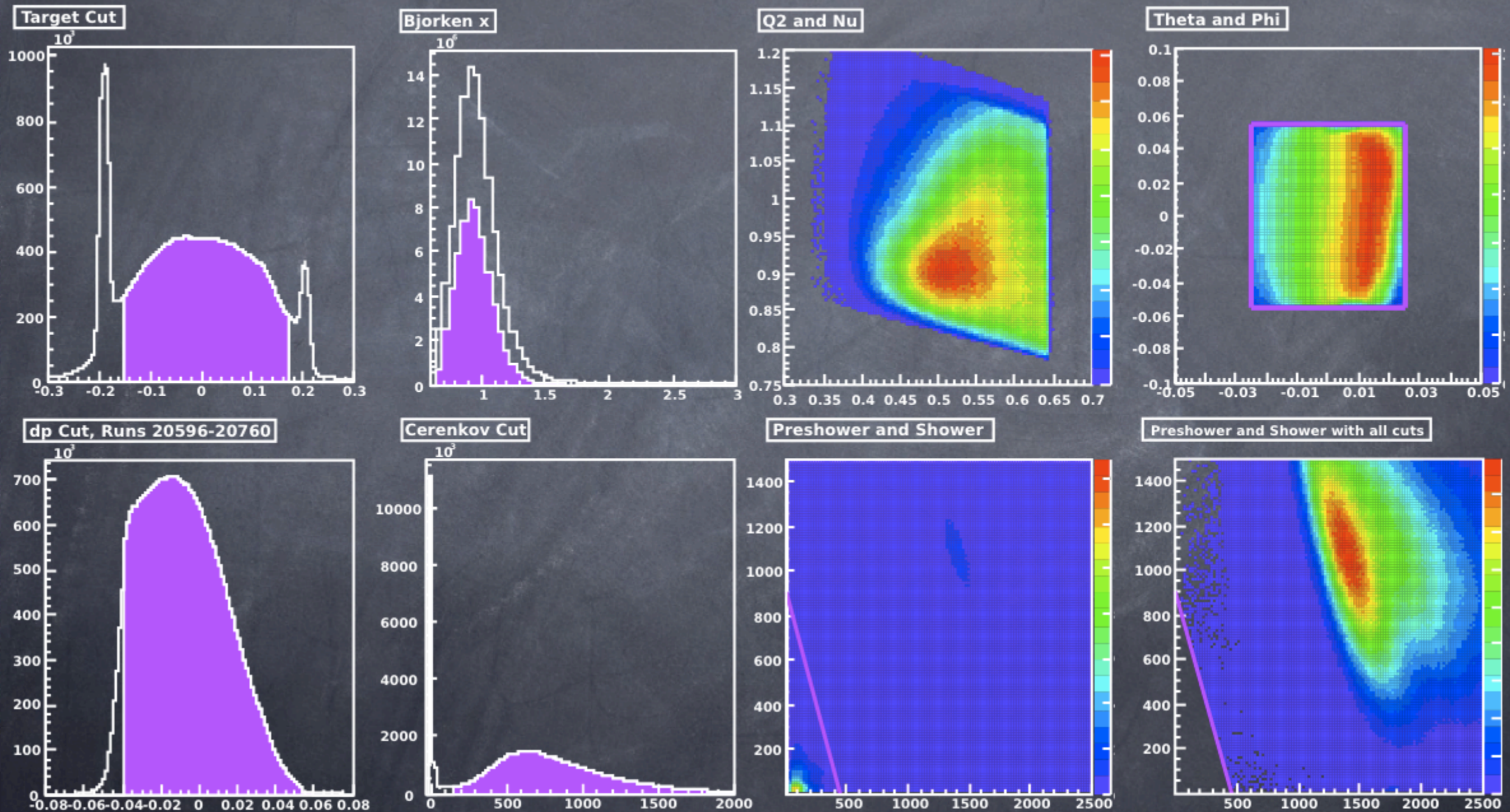
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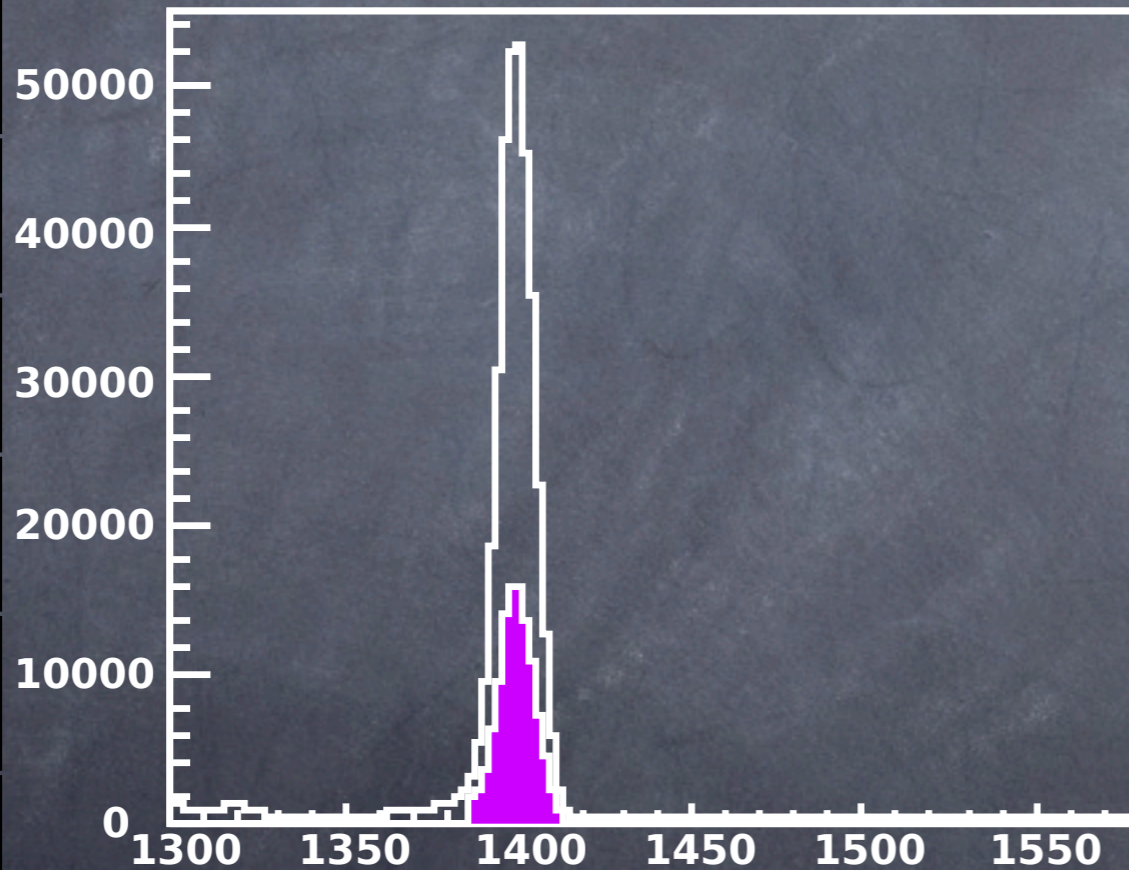
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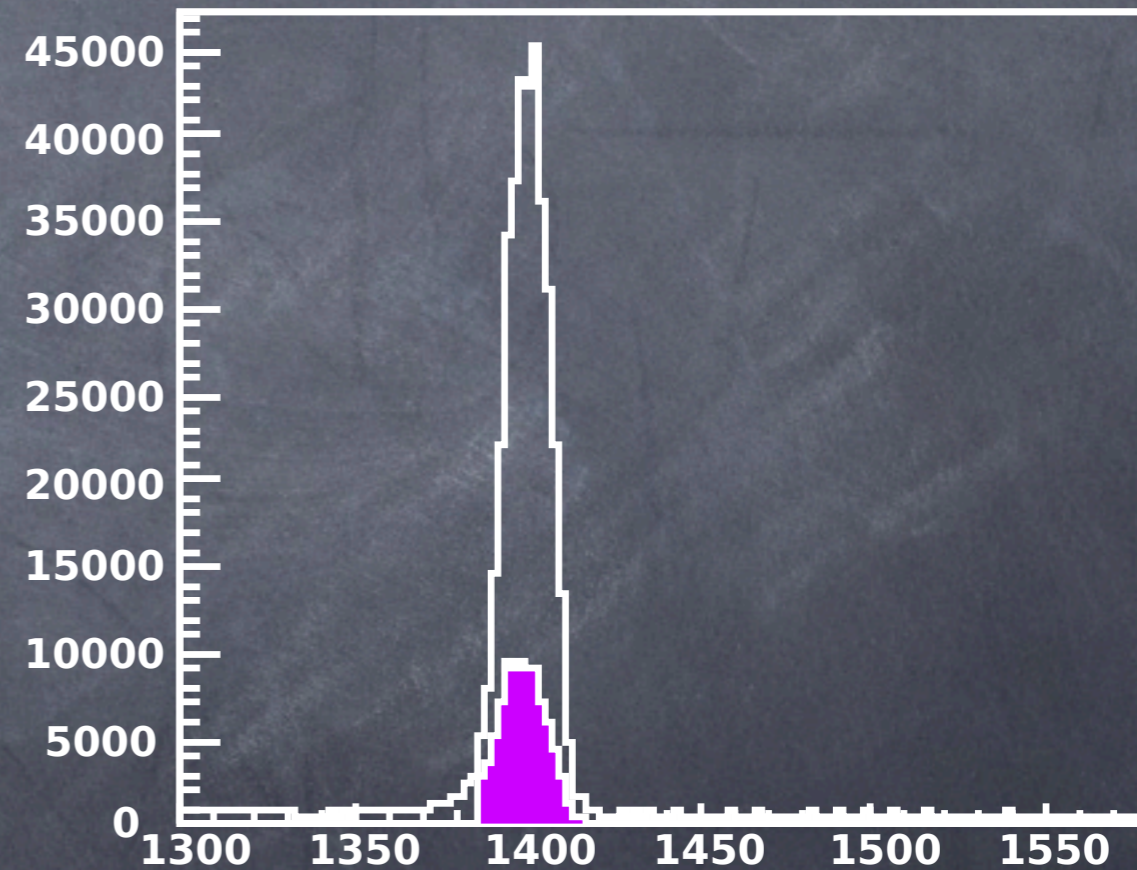
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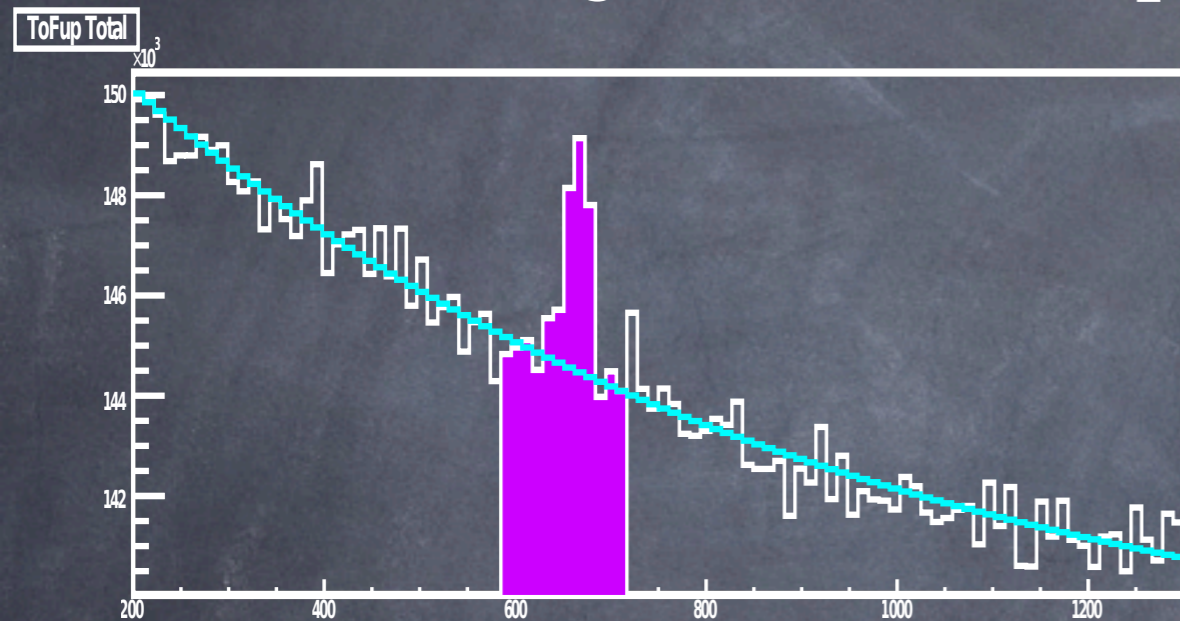


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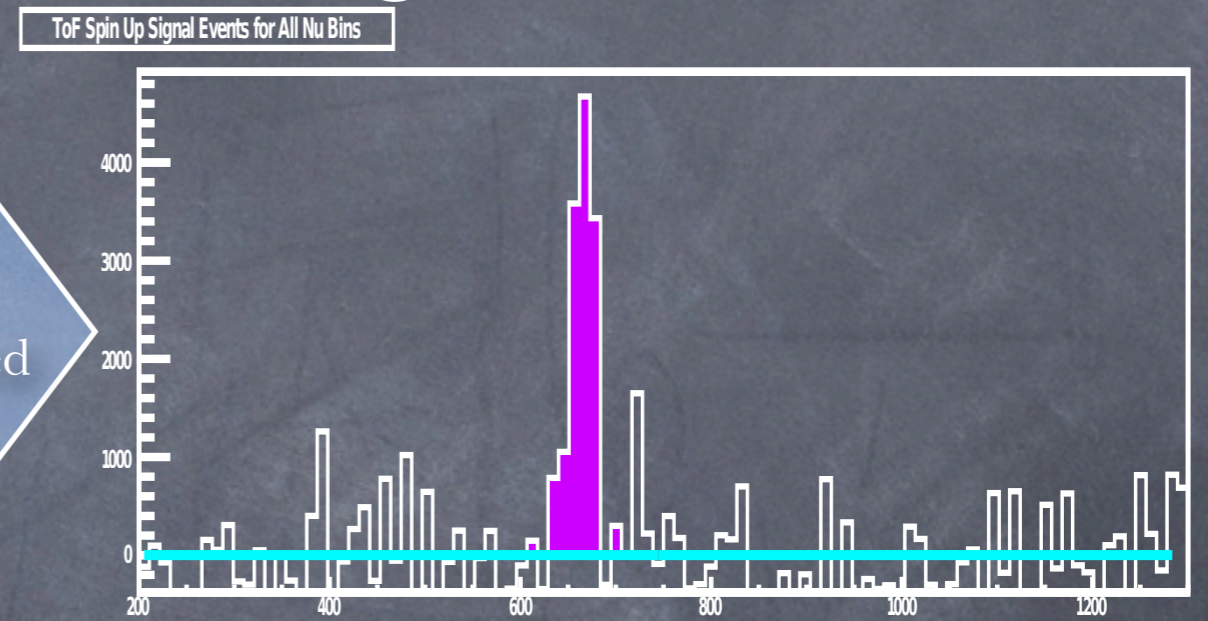
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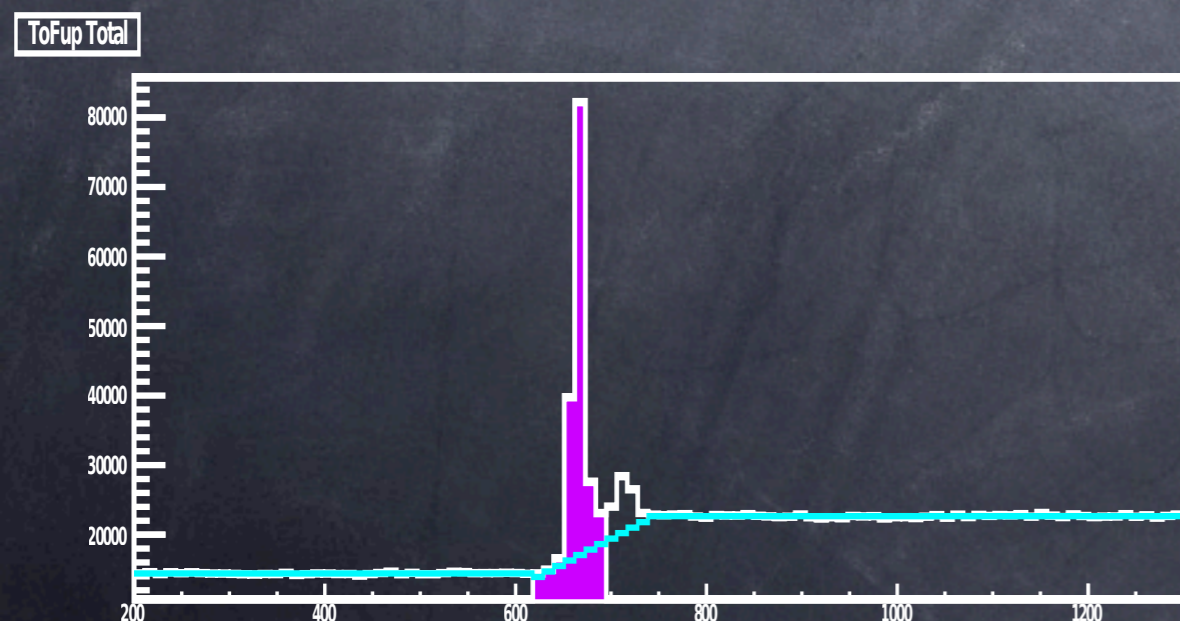
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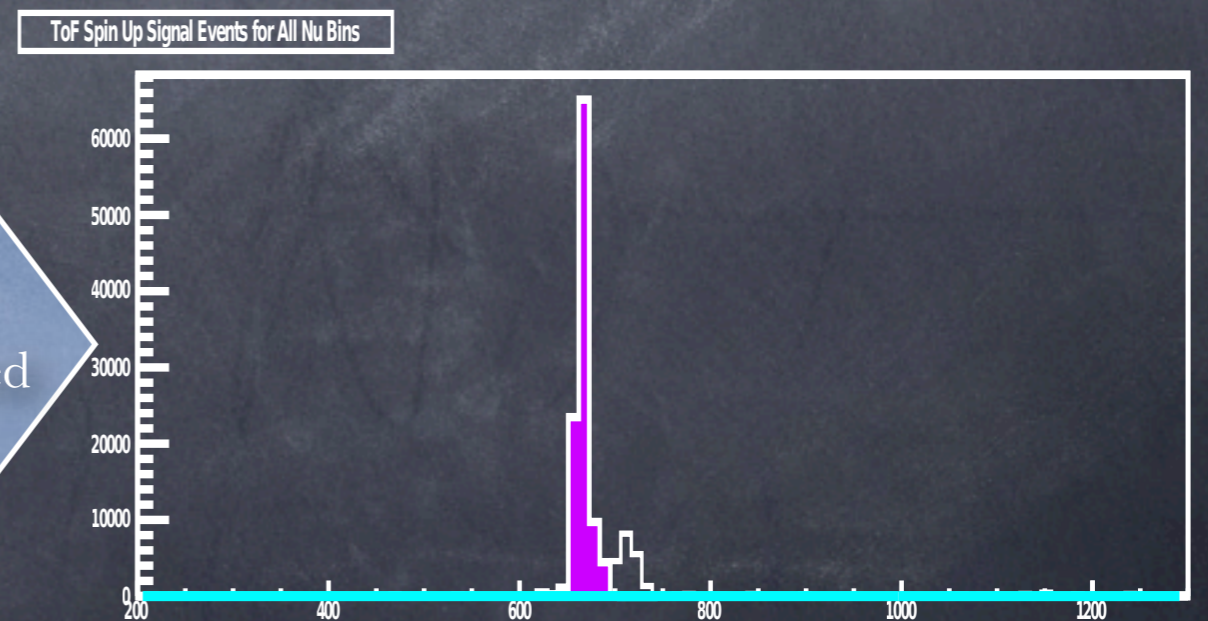
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$Q^2=0.5 \text{ \& \ } 1.0 \rightarrow$  Asymmetric Constant BG



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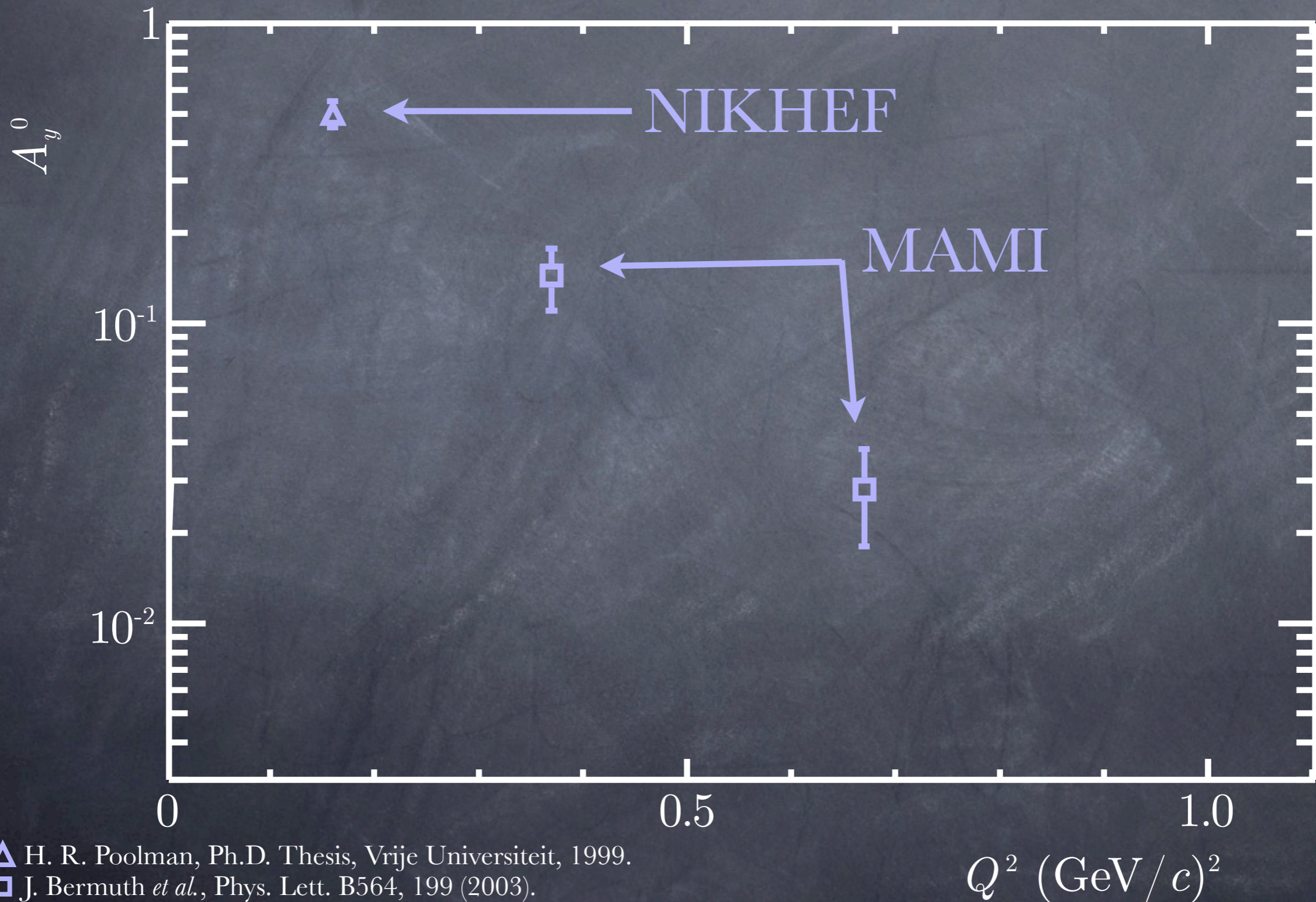




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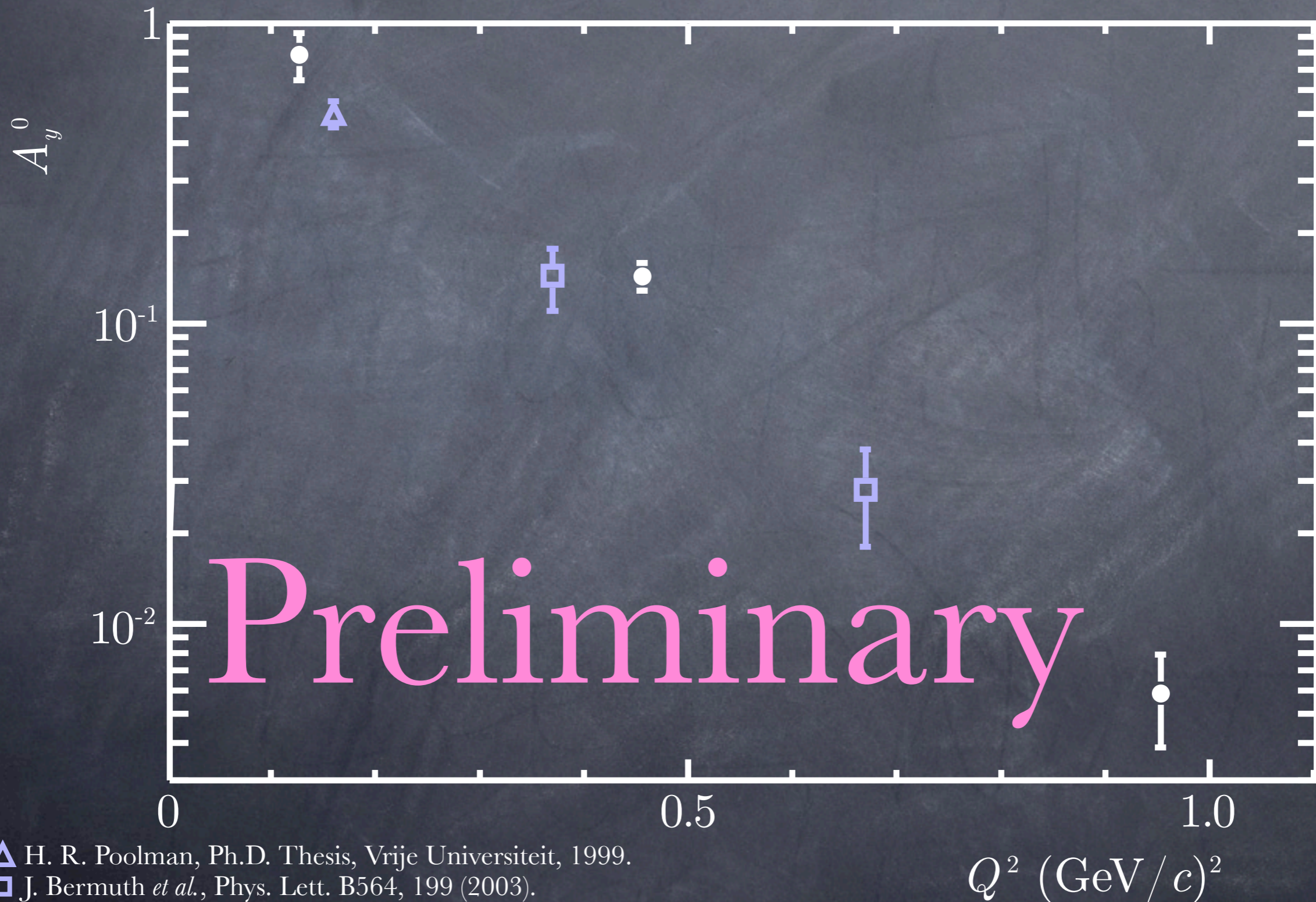
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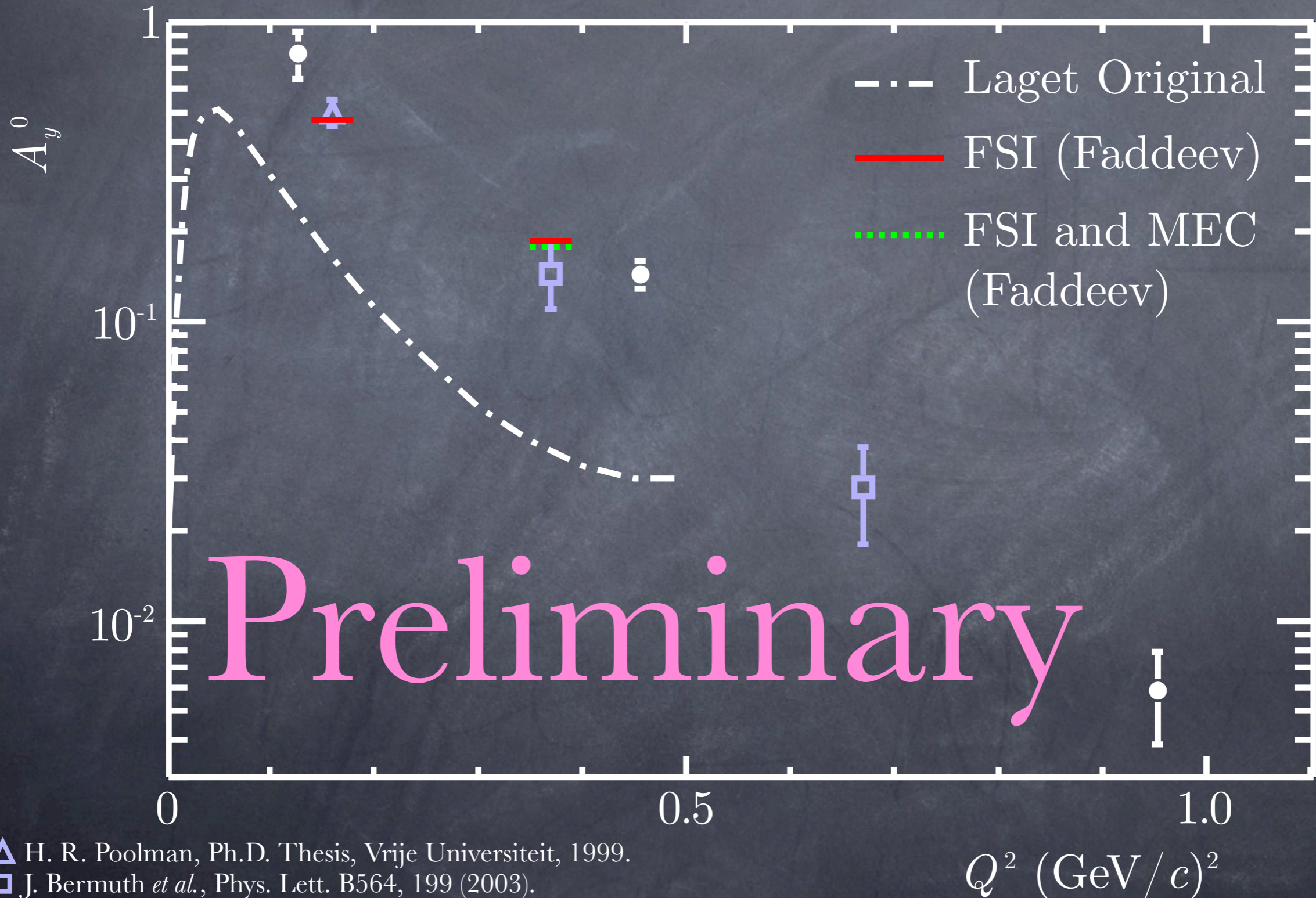
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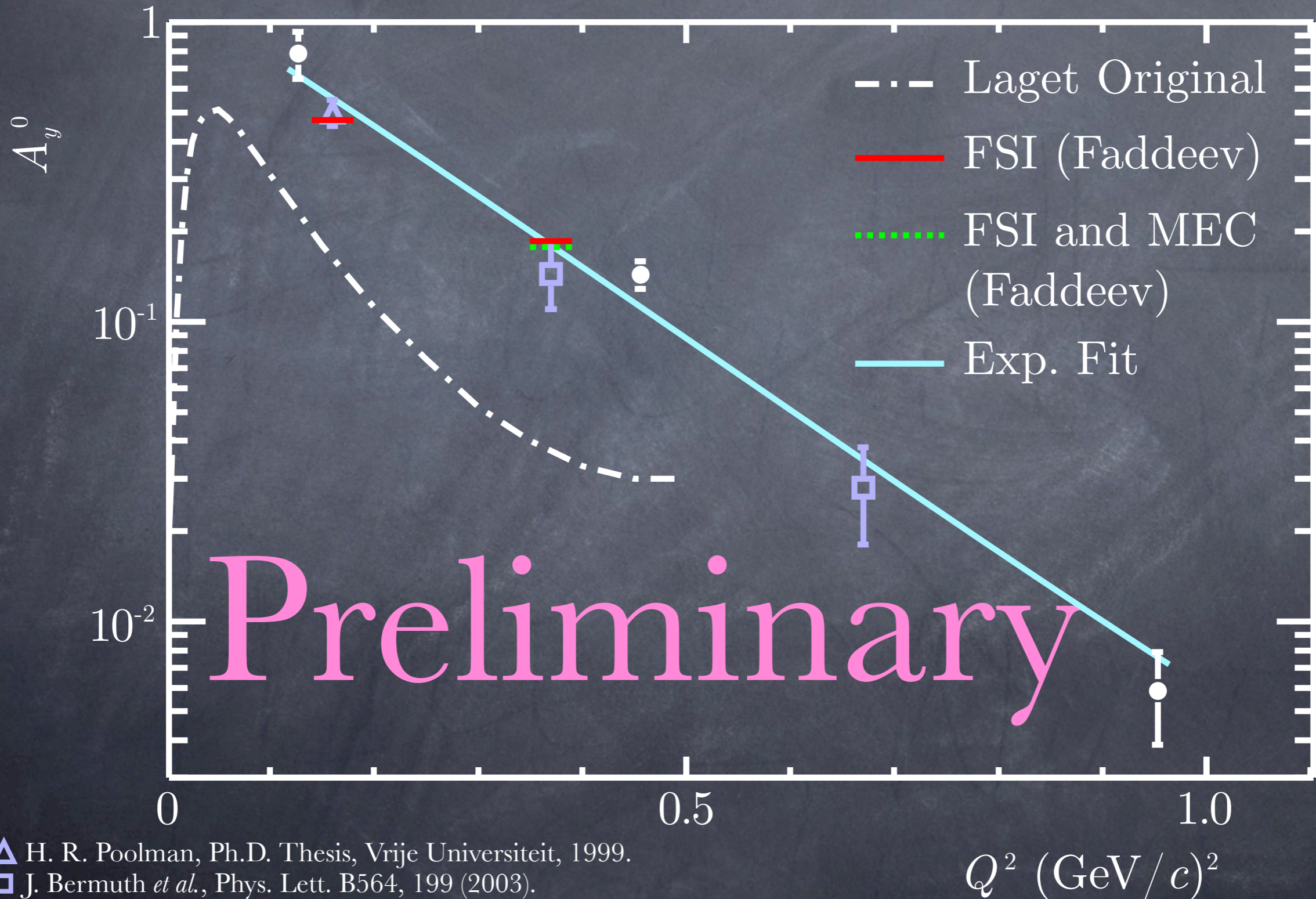
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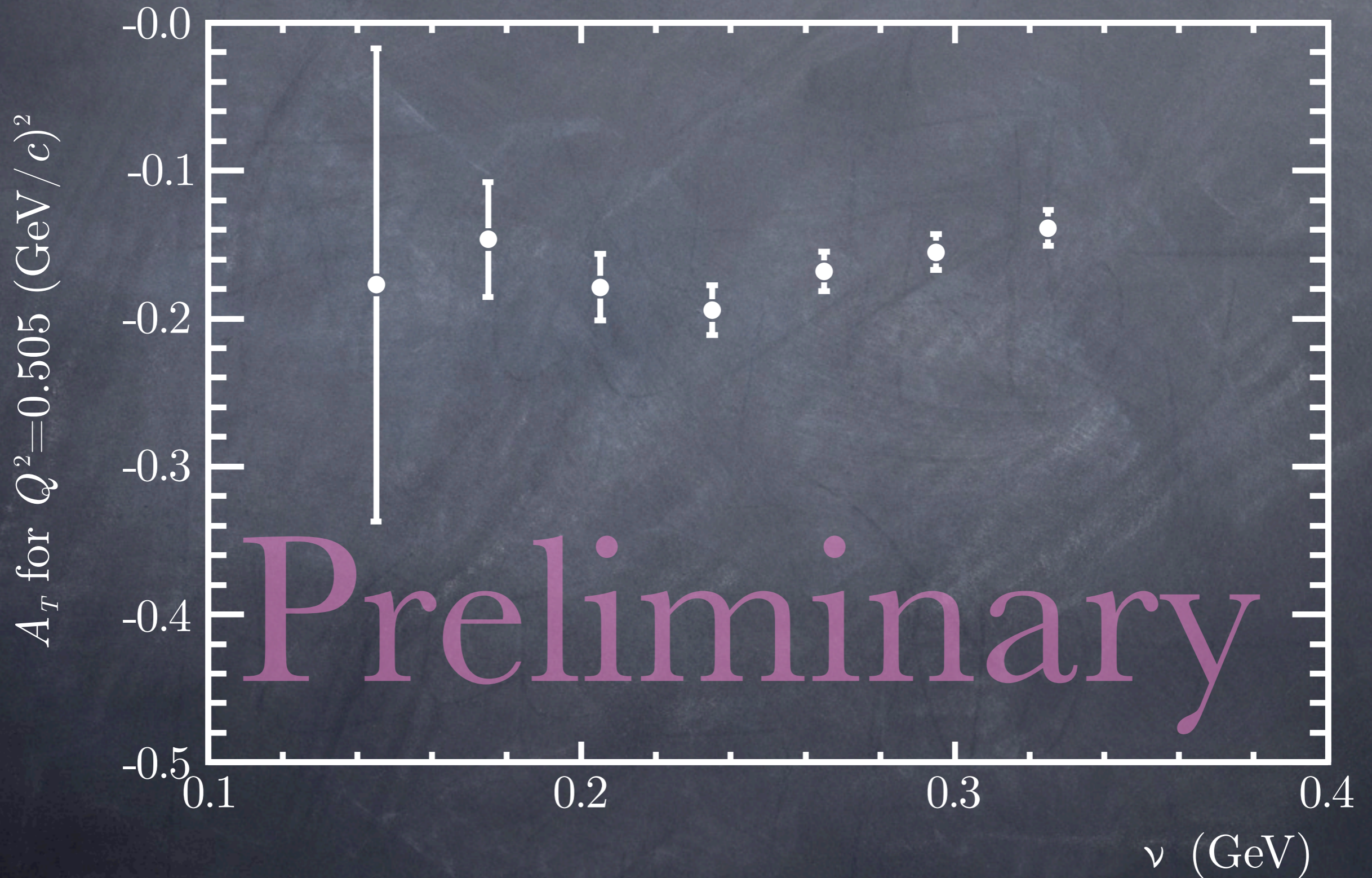
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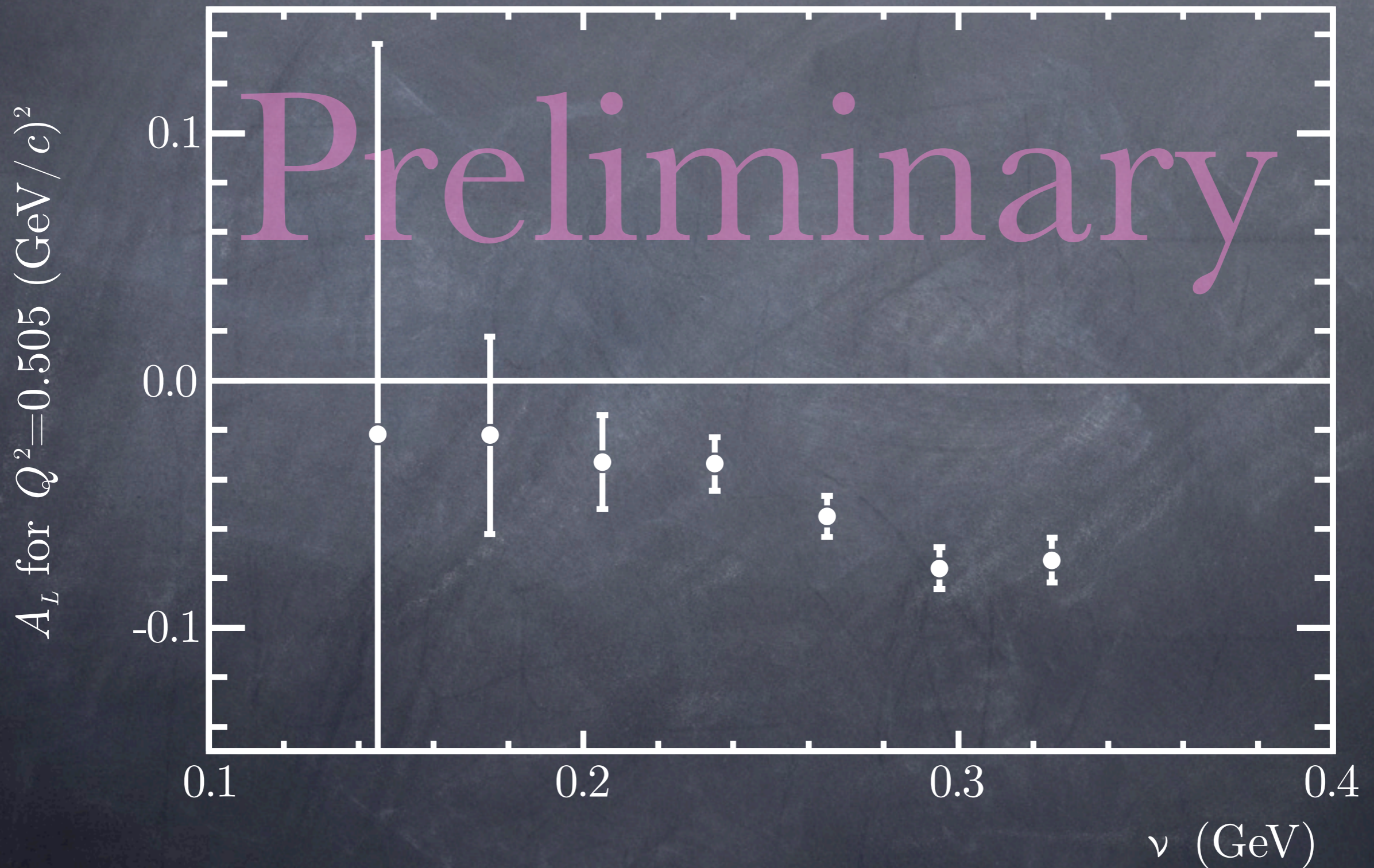




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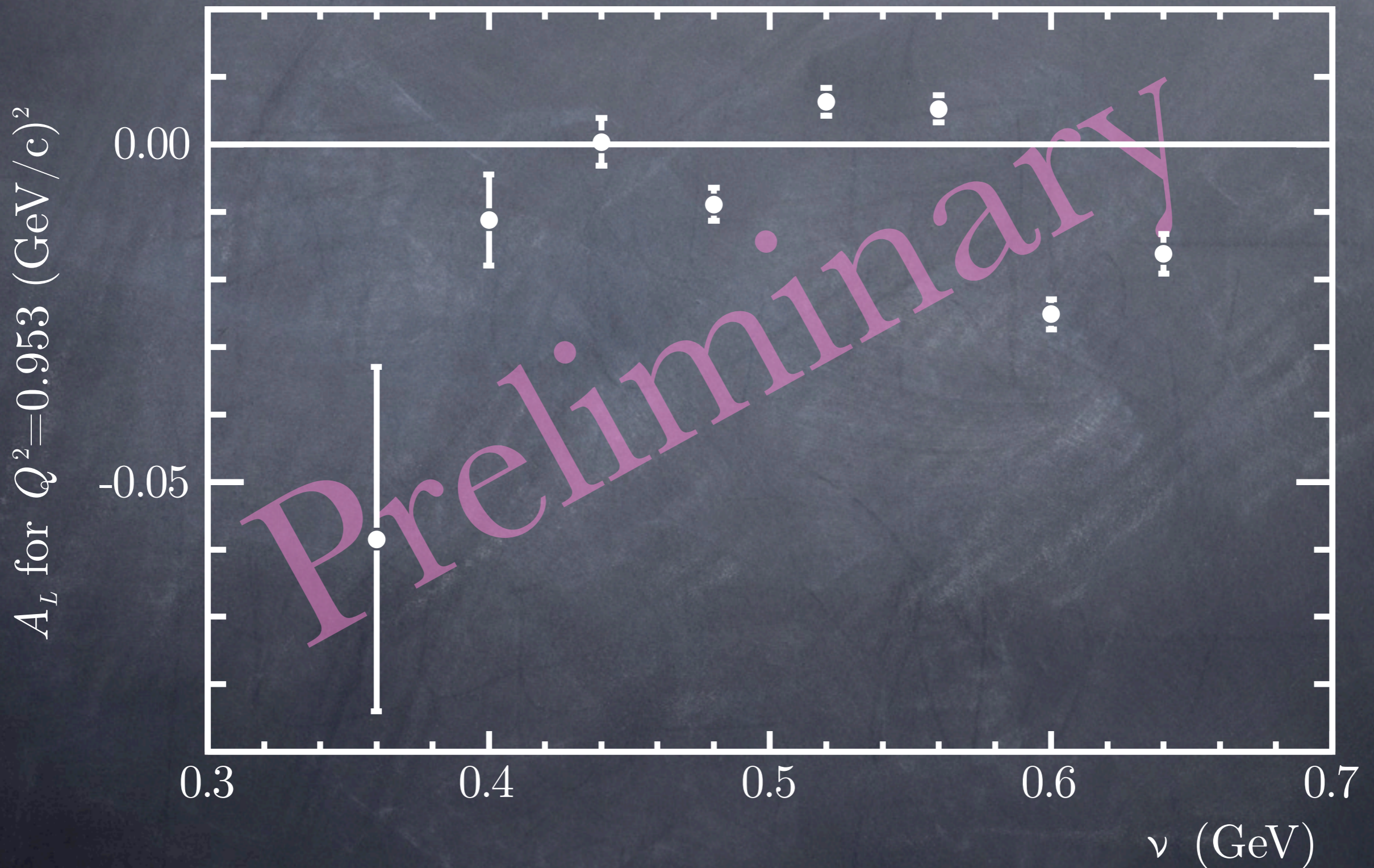




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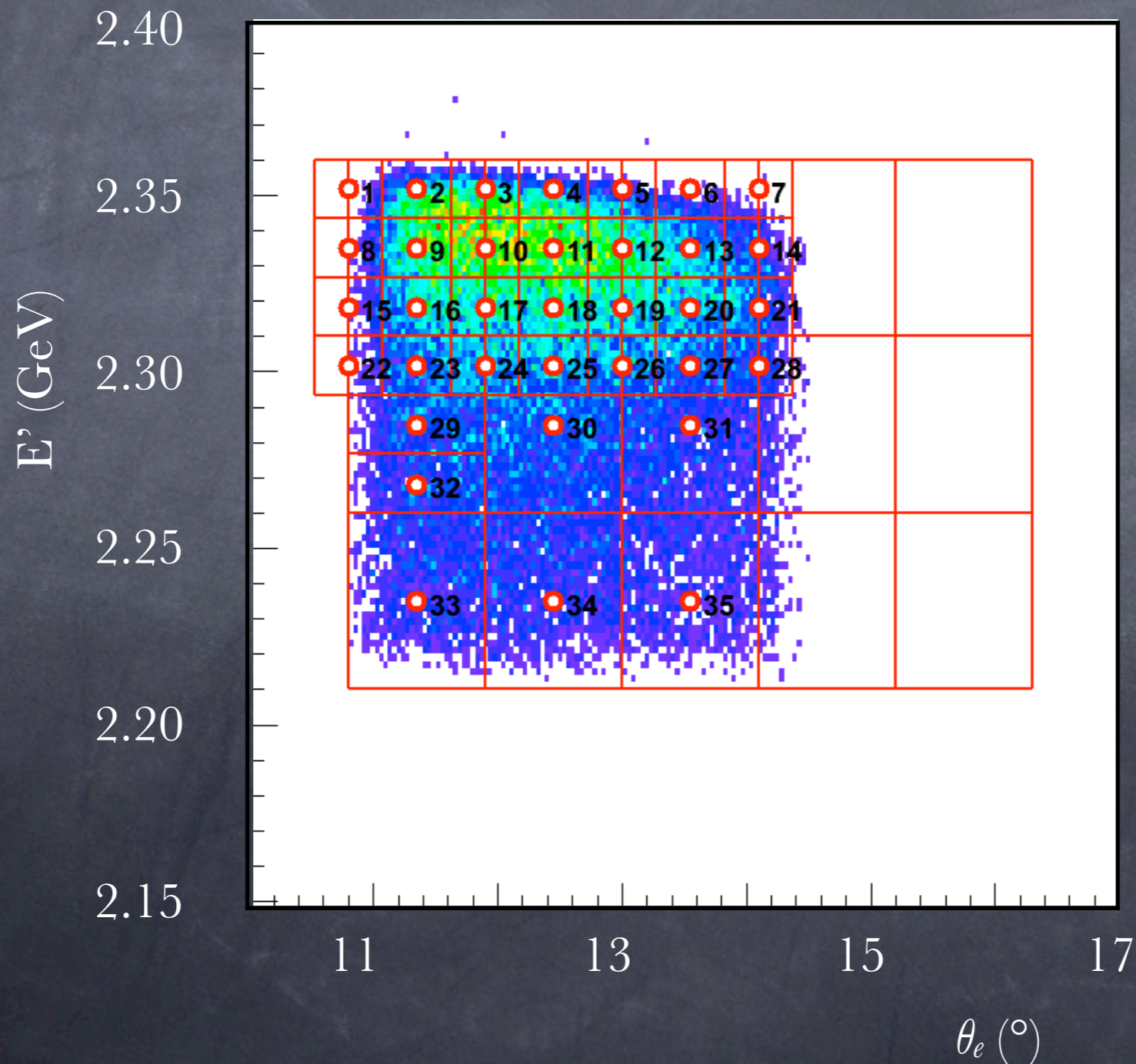


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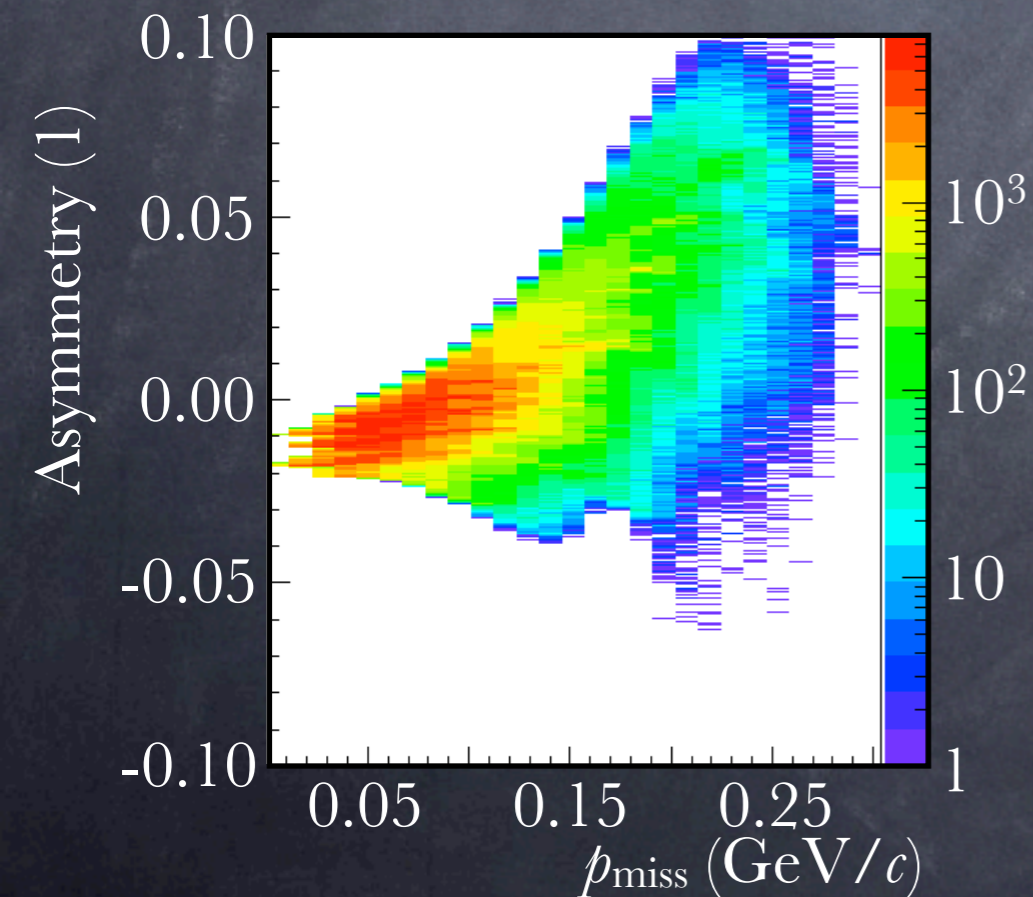
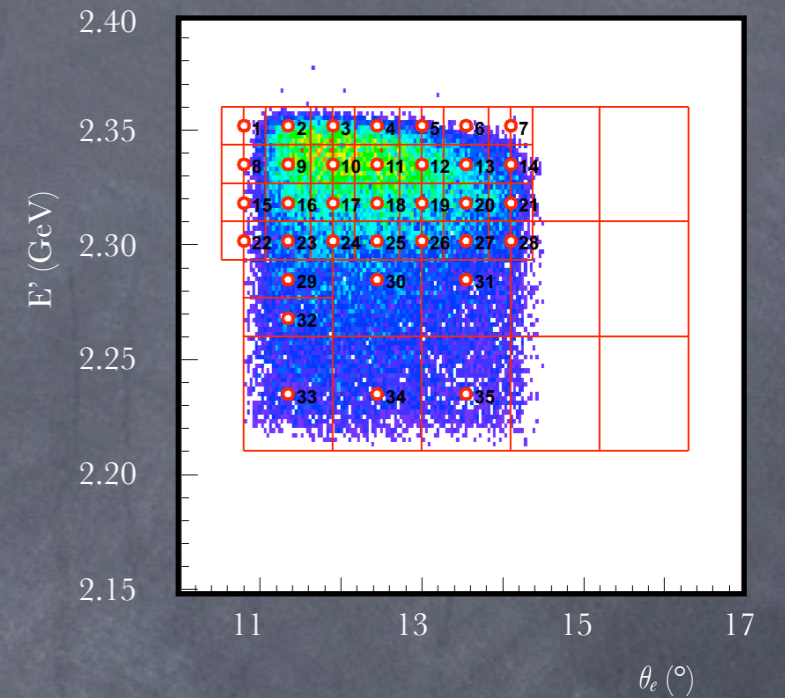
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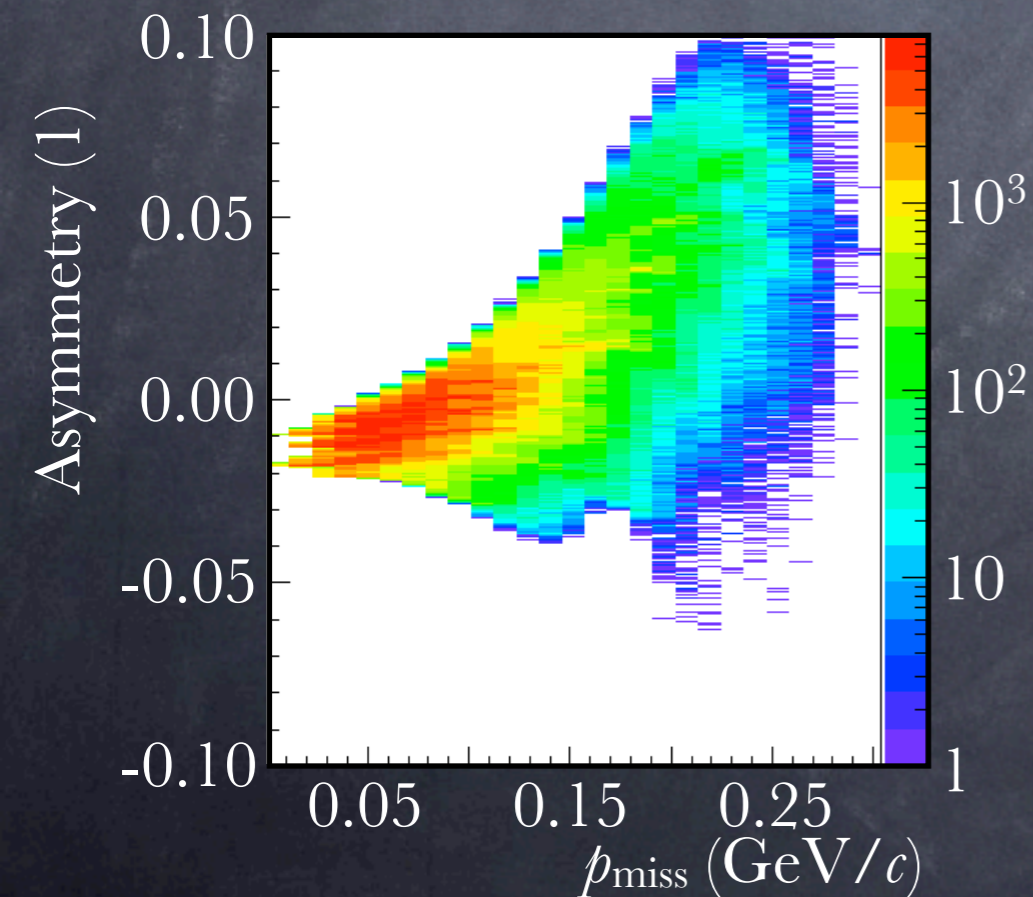
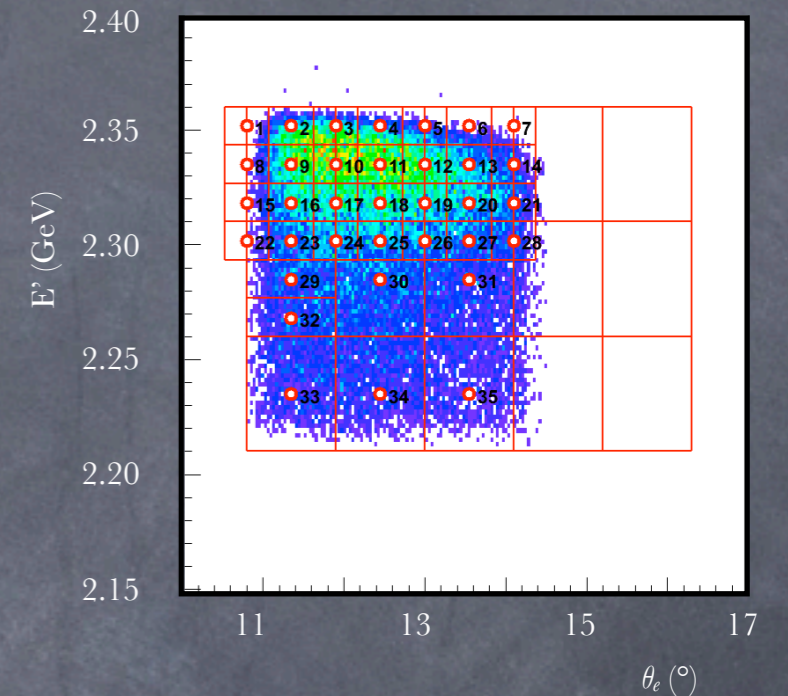
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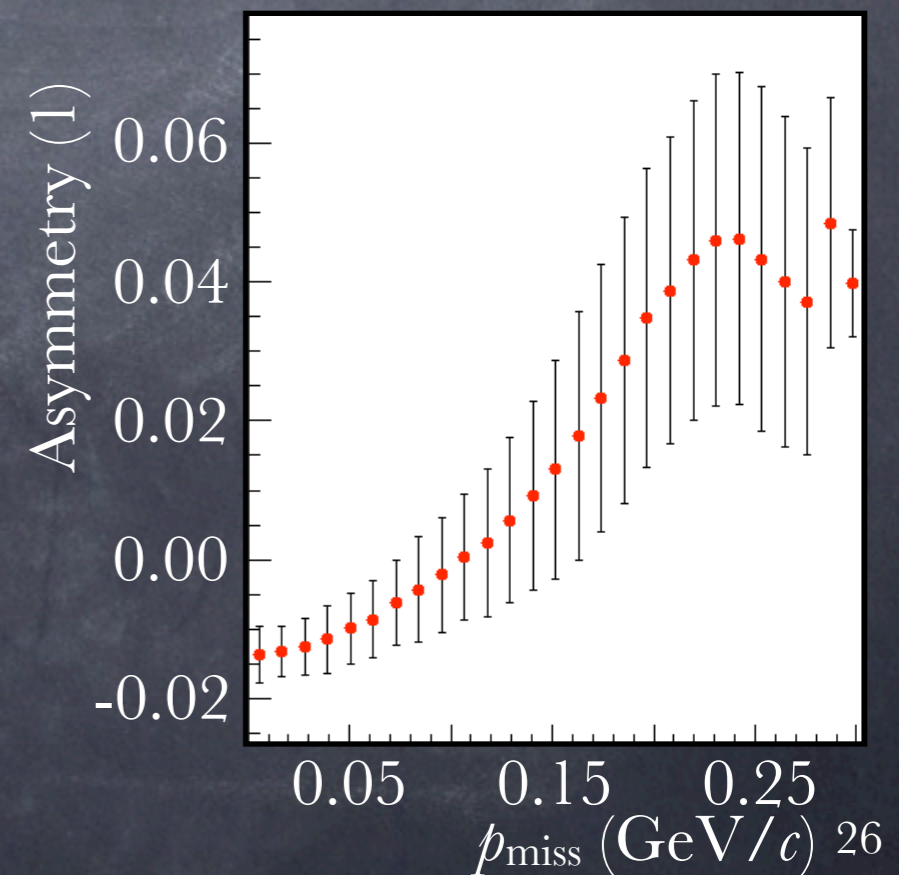


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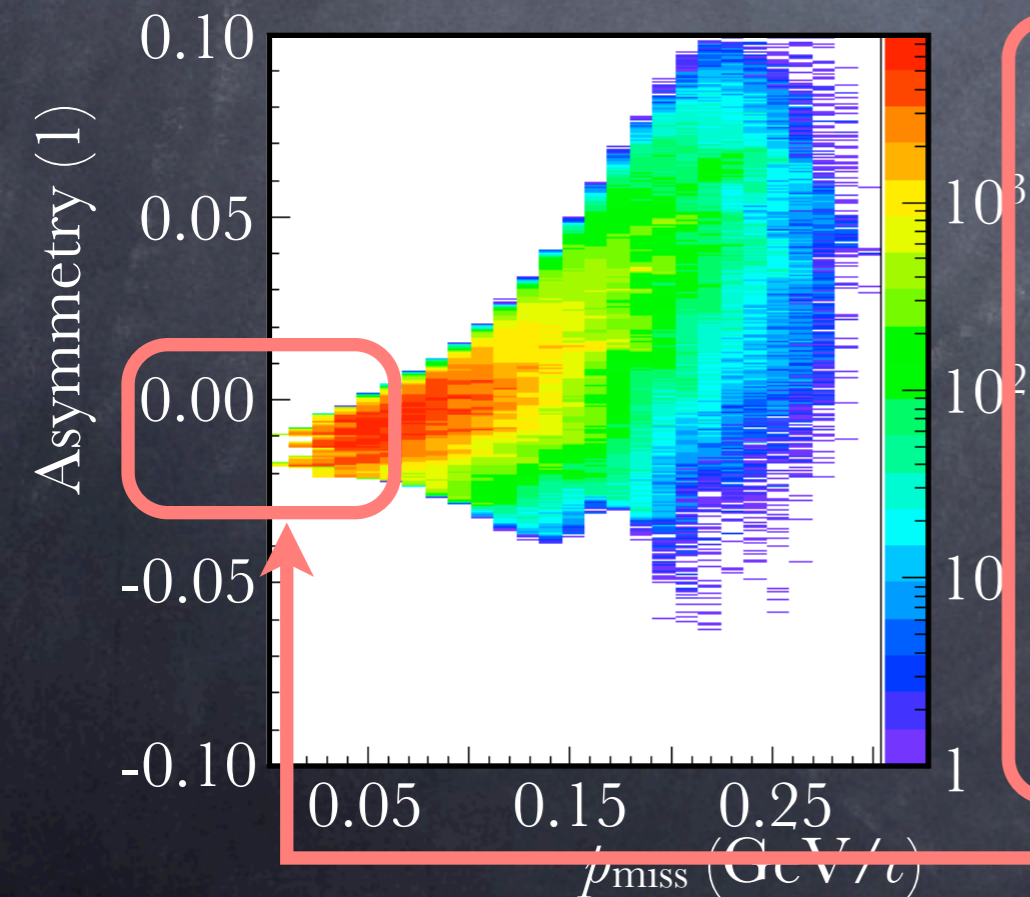
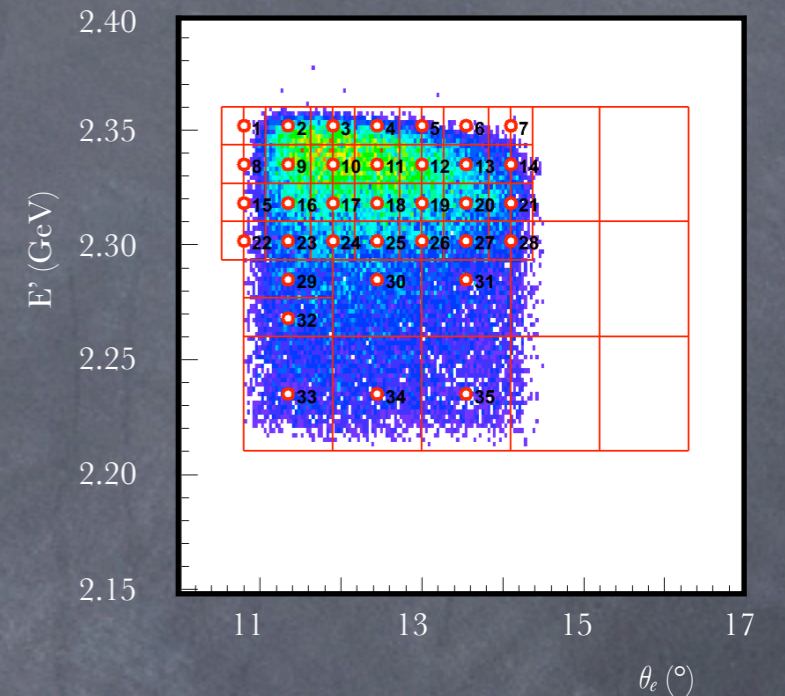
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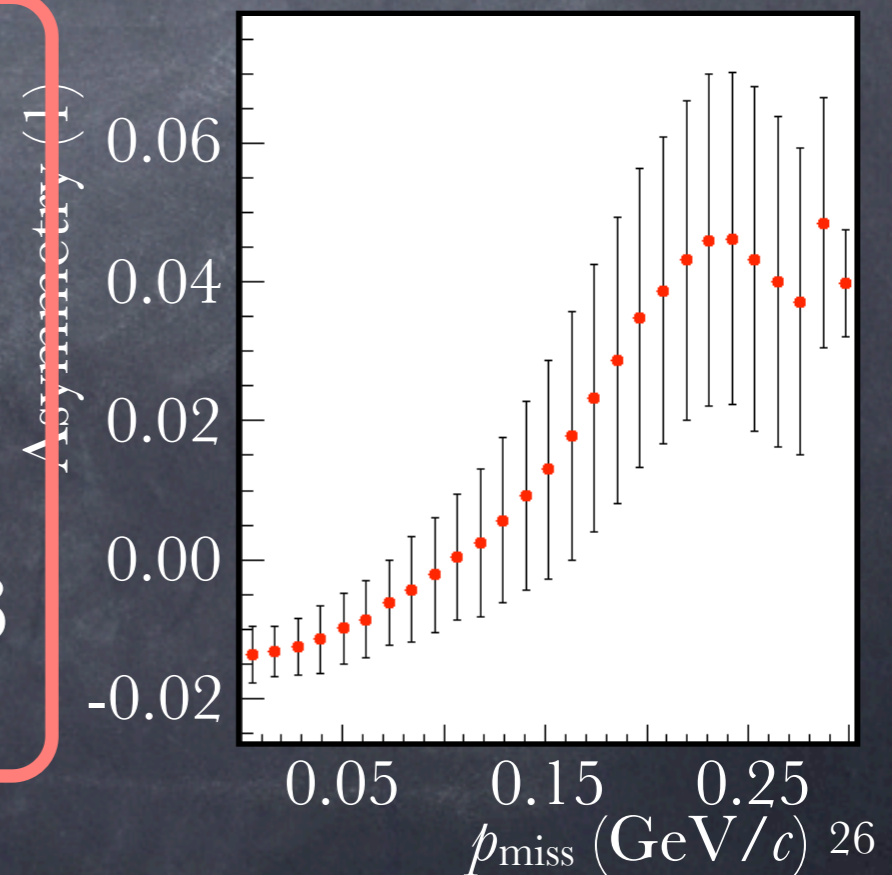


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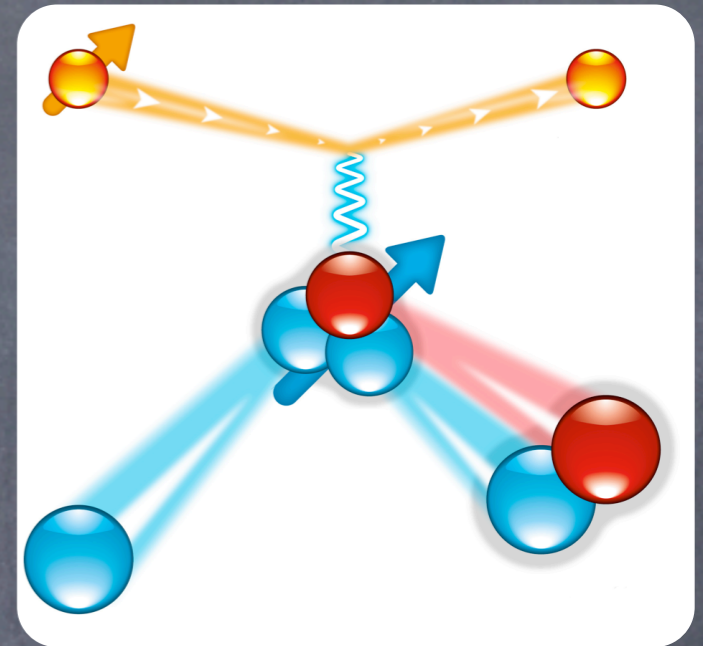


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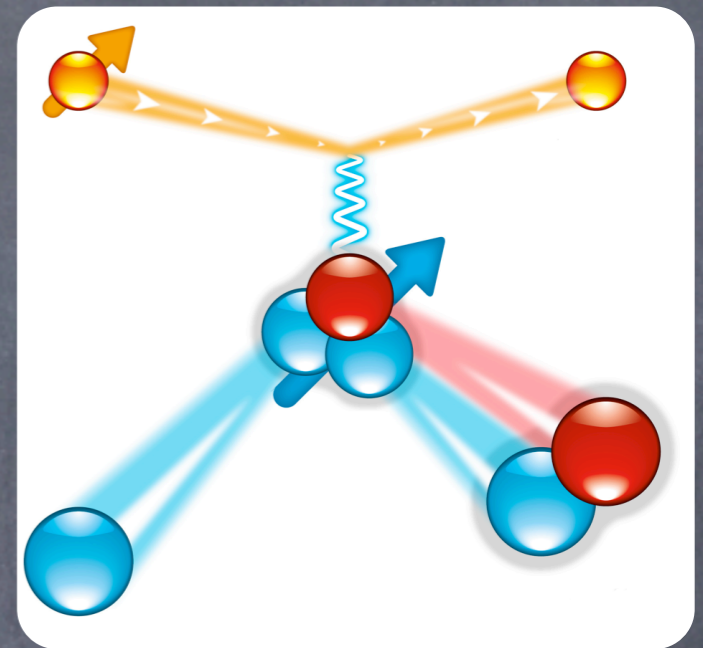
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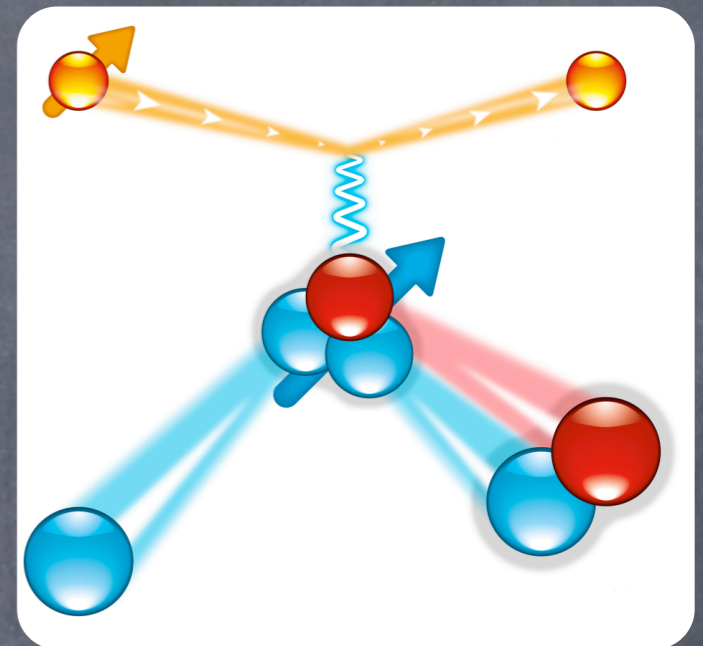
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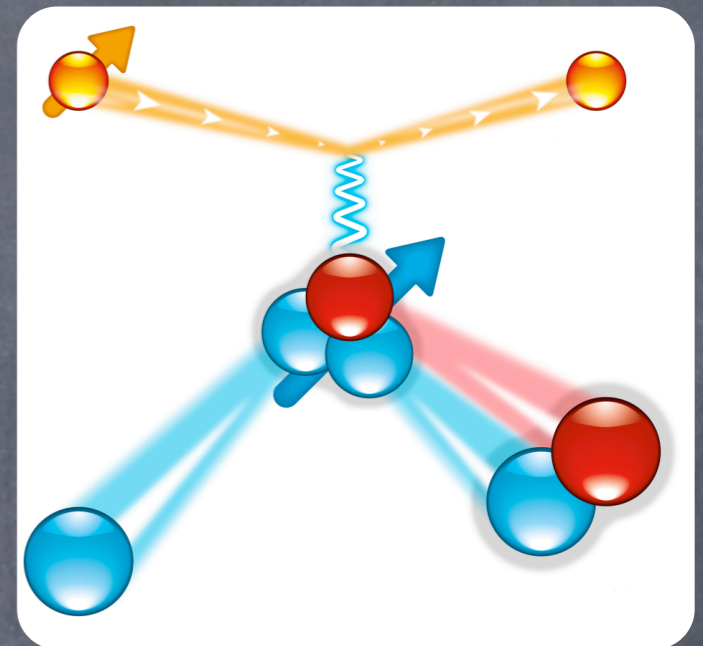
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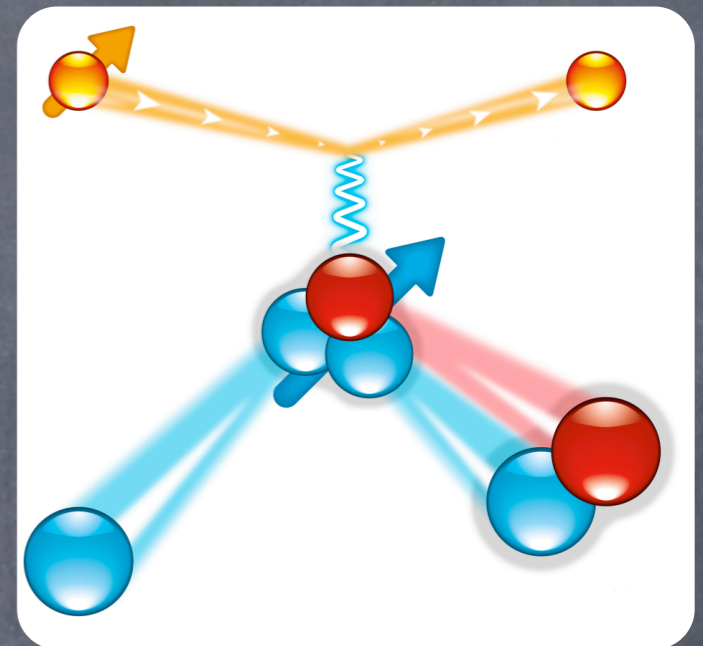
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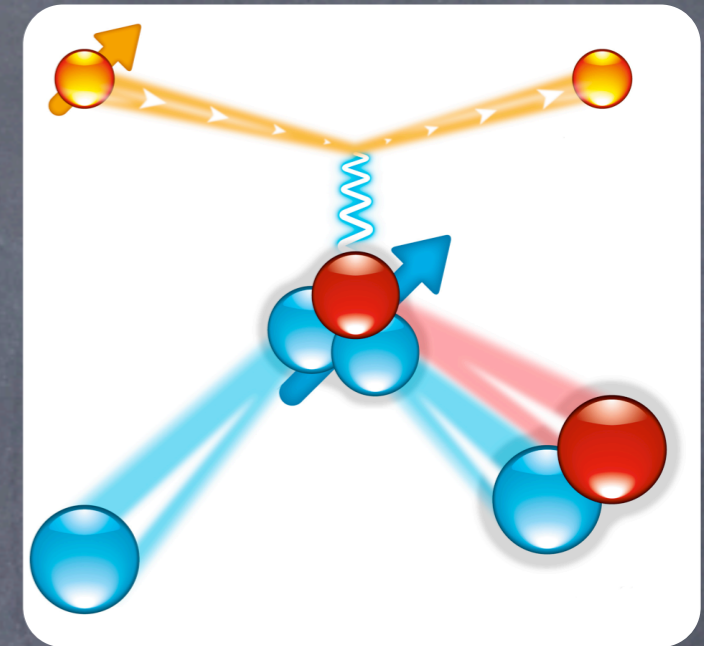
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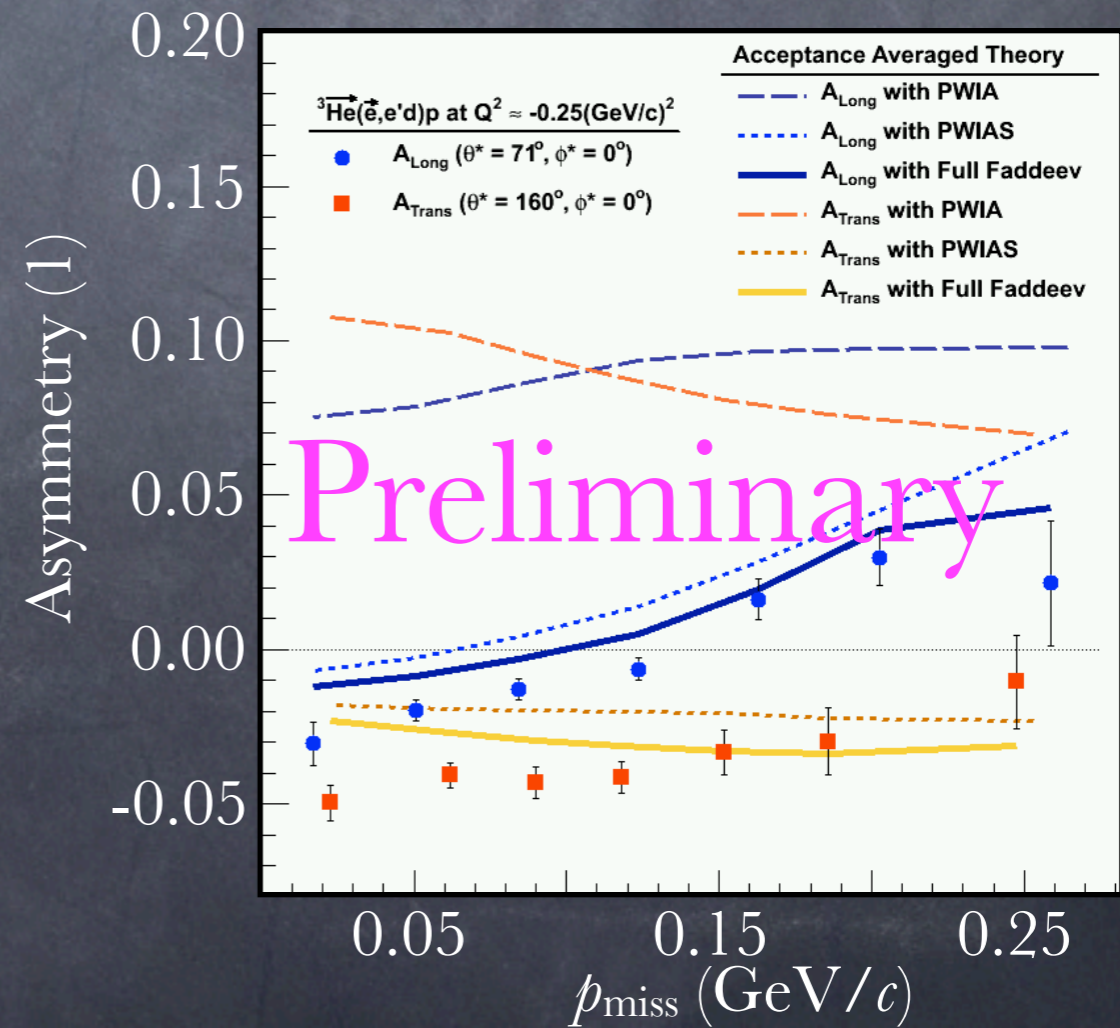
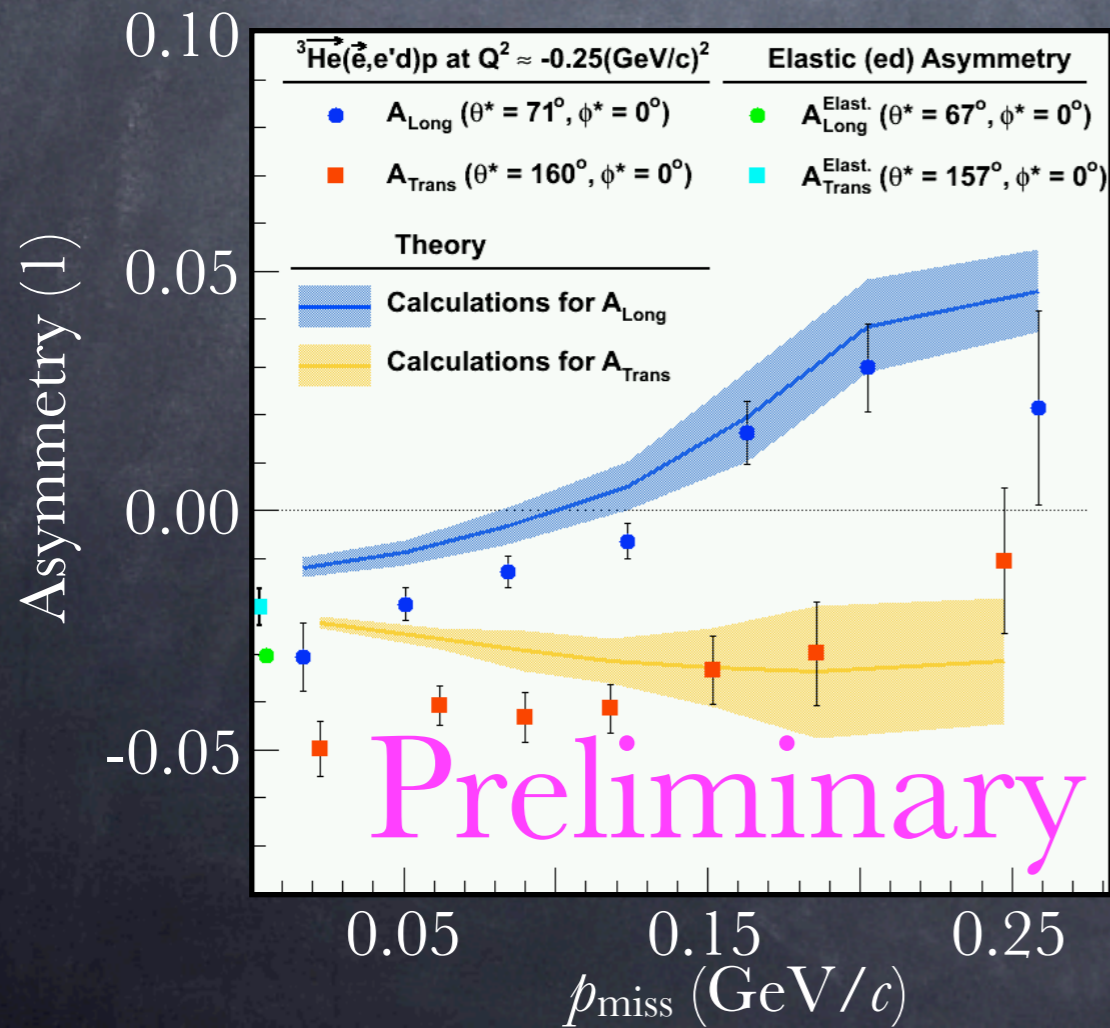




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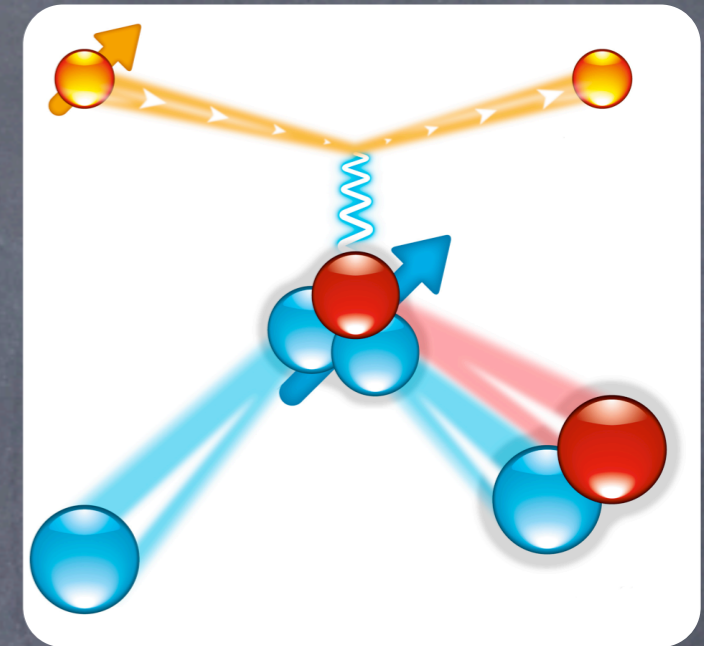


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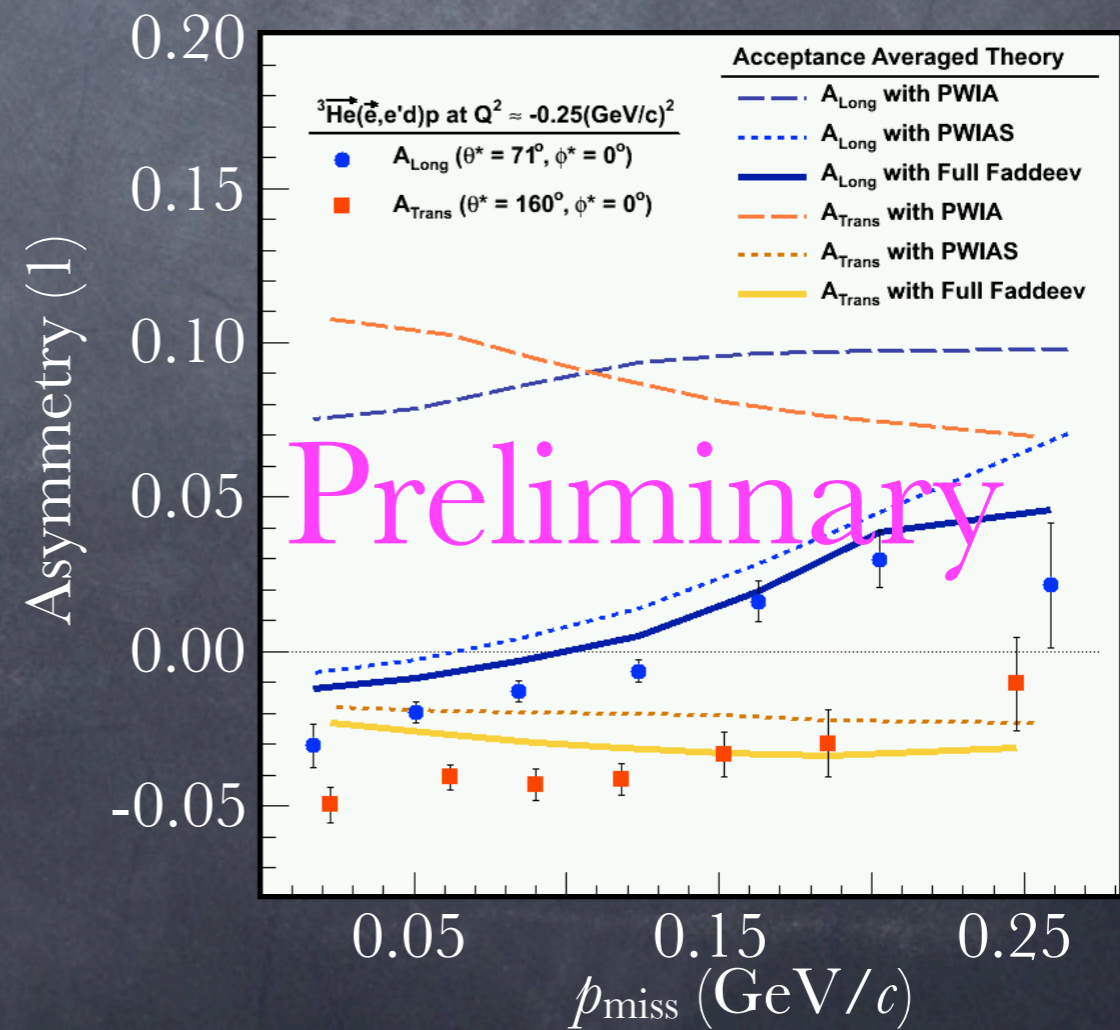
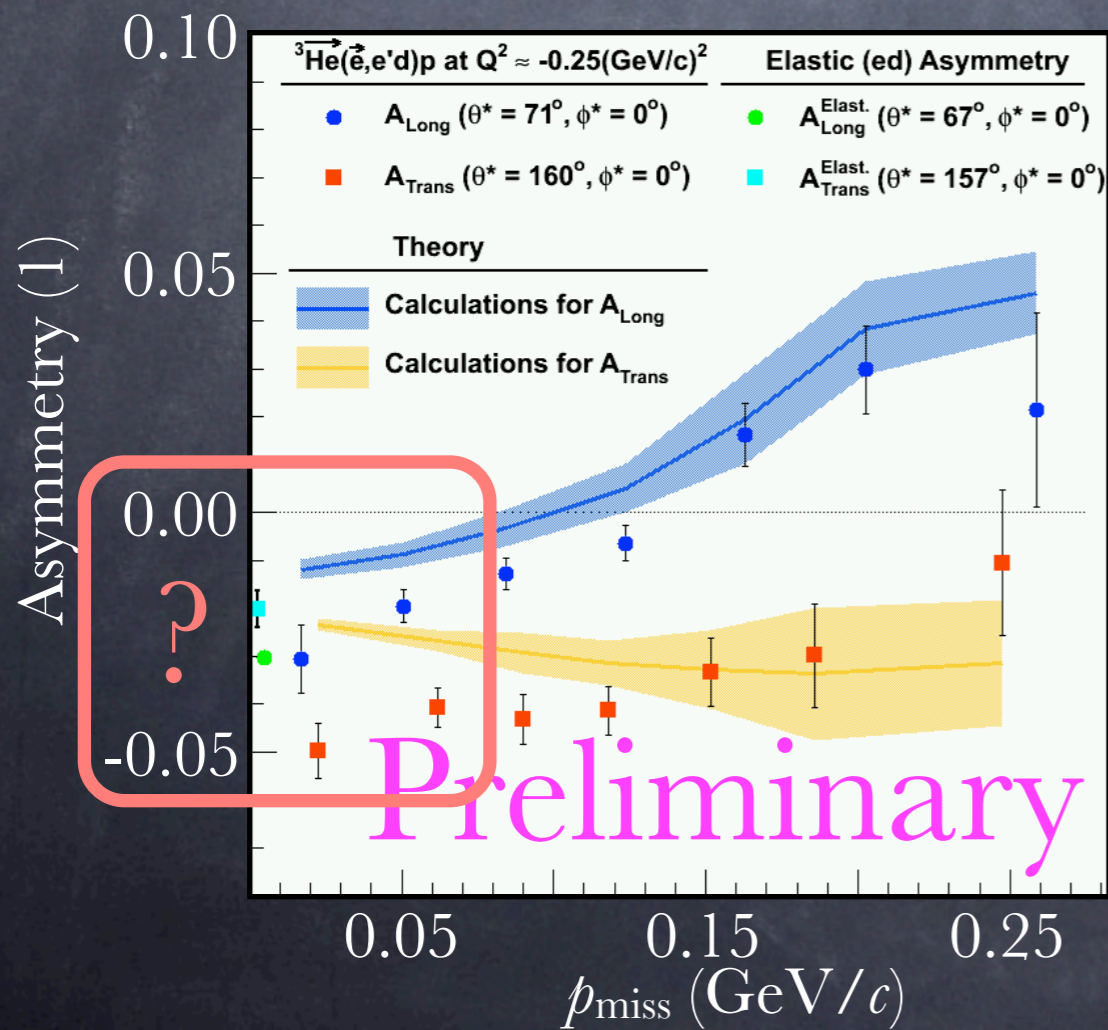




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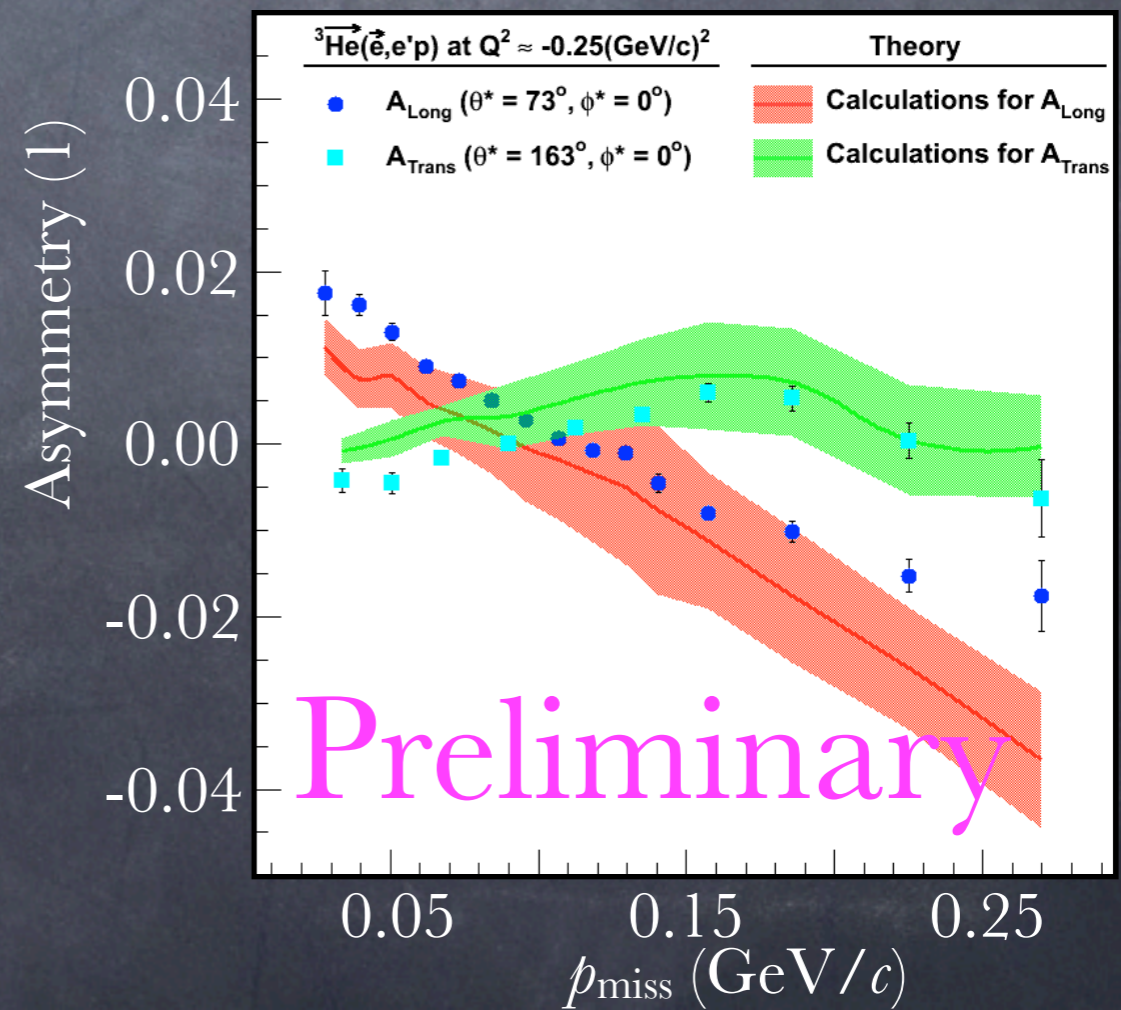
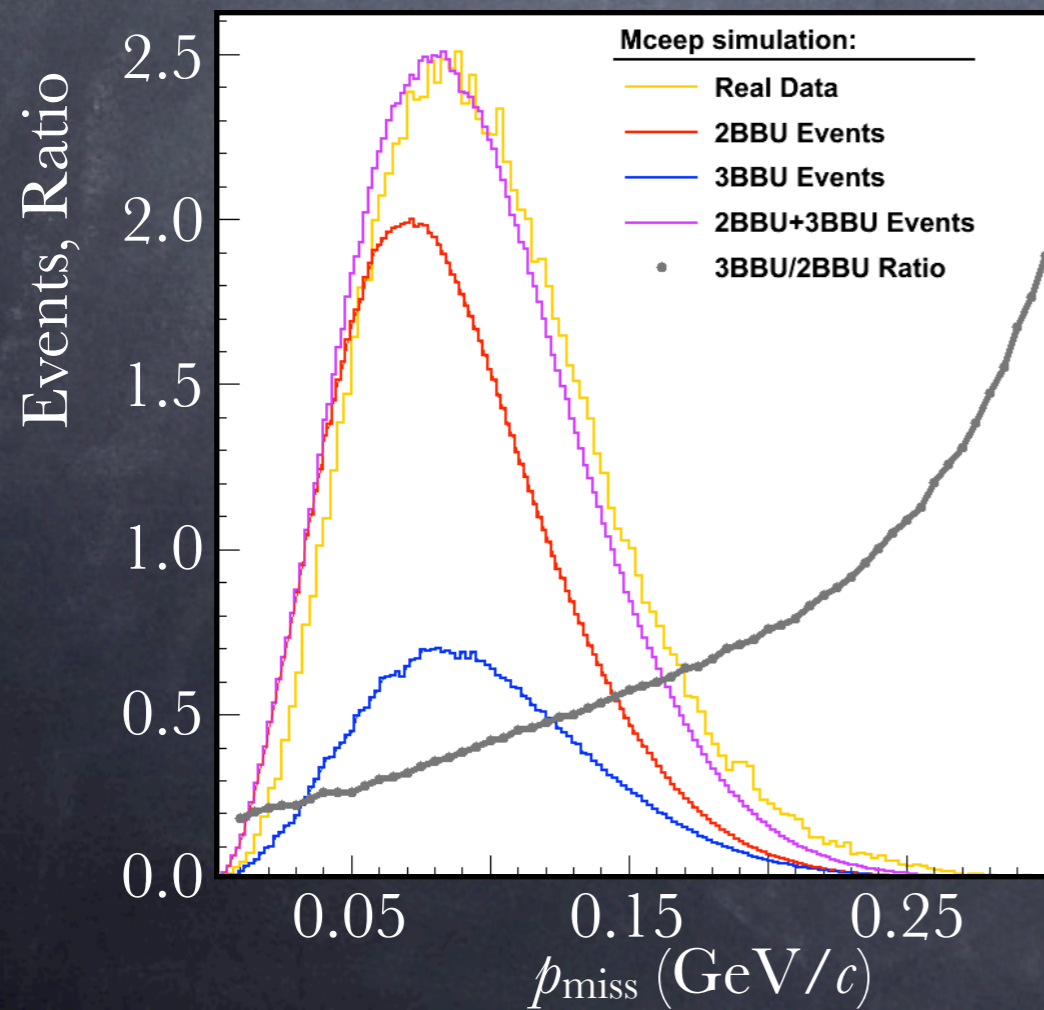
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