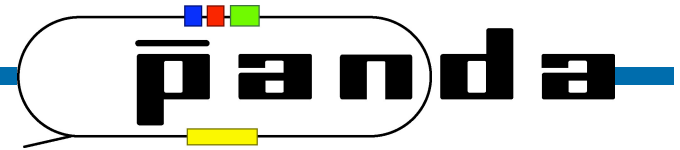


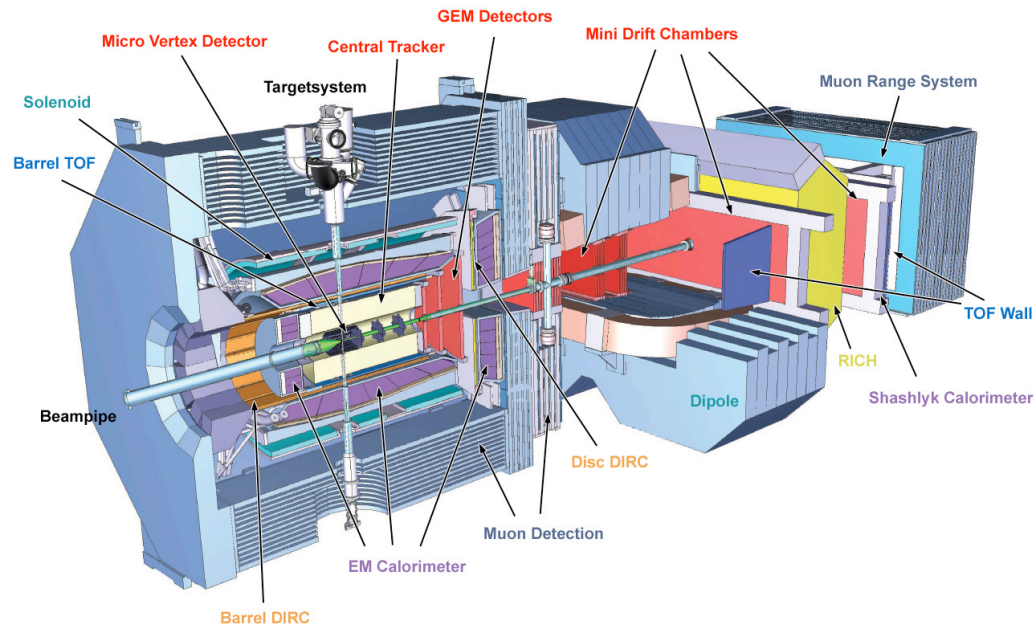
# Antiproton Physics with $\bar{\text{P}}\text{ANDA}$ at FAIR



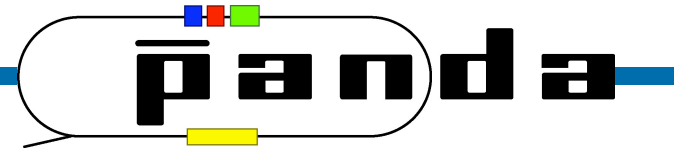
# PANDA Scientific Program



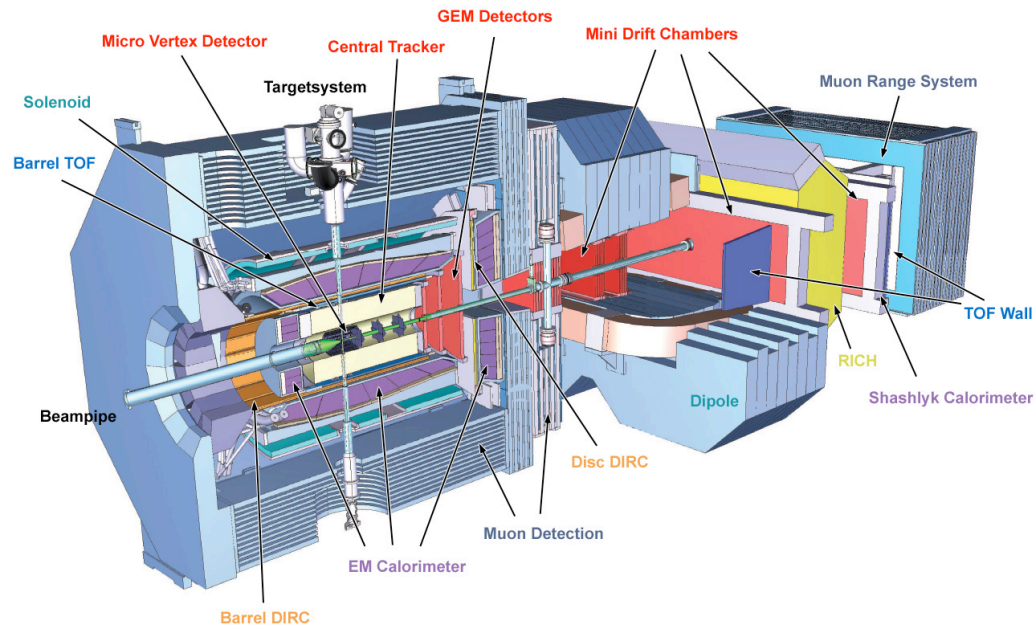
- Charmonium/open charm spectroscopy
- Exotic states
- Strange and charmed baryons
- Hadrons in the nuclear medium
- Hypernuclear physics
- Nucleon structure via e.m. processes



# PANDA Scientific Program



- Charmonium/open charm spectroscopy
- Exotic states
- Strange and charmed baryons
- Hadrons in the nuclear medium
- Hypernuclear physics
- Nucleon structure via e.m. processes

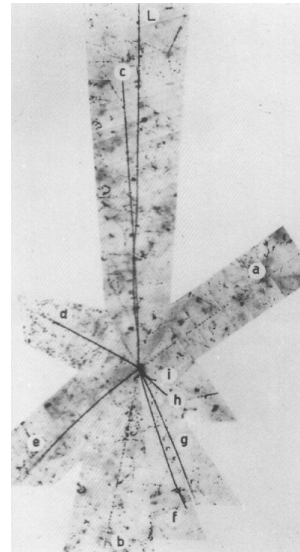


# Antiproton physics has a great past

- $\bar{p}p$ -Colliders (SPS CERN, Tevatron Fermilab)
- Conventional  $\bar{p}$ -beams (LBL, BNL, CERN, Fermilab, KEK, ...)
- $\bar{p}$ -Storage Rings (LEAR, AD (CERN); Antiproton Accumulator (Fermilab))

## Big and fundamental discoveries and precision measurements where possible thanks to antiprotons:

- Z,  $W^\pm$  bosons discovery;
- top quark discovery;
- $B_s$  oscillation discovery
- anti-hydrogen production;
- Meson Spectroscopy (u, d, s, c);
- $\bar{p}$ -nucleus interaction;
- $\bar{p}$ -Atoms;
- $\bar{p}/p$ -mass ratio;
- hadron therapy study.



first  $\bar{p}$  star observed at Berkley by E.Segrè and coll.

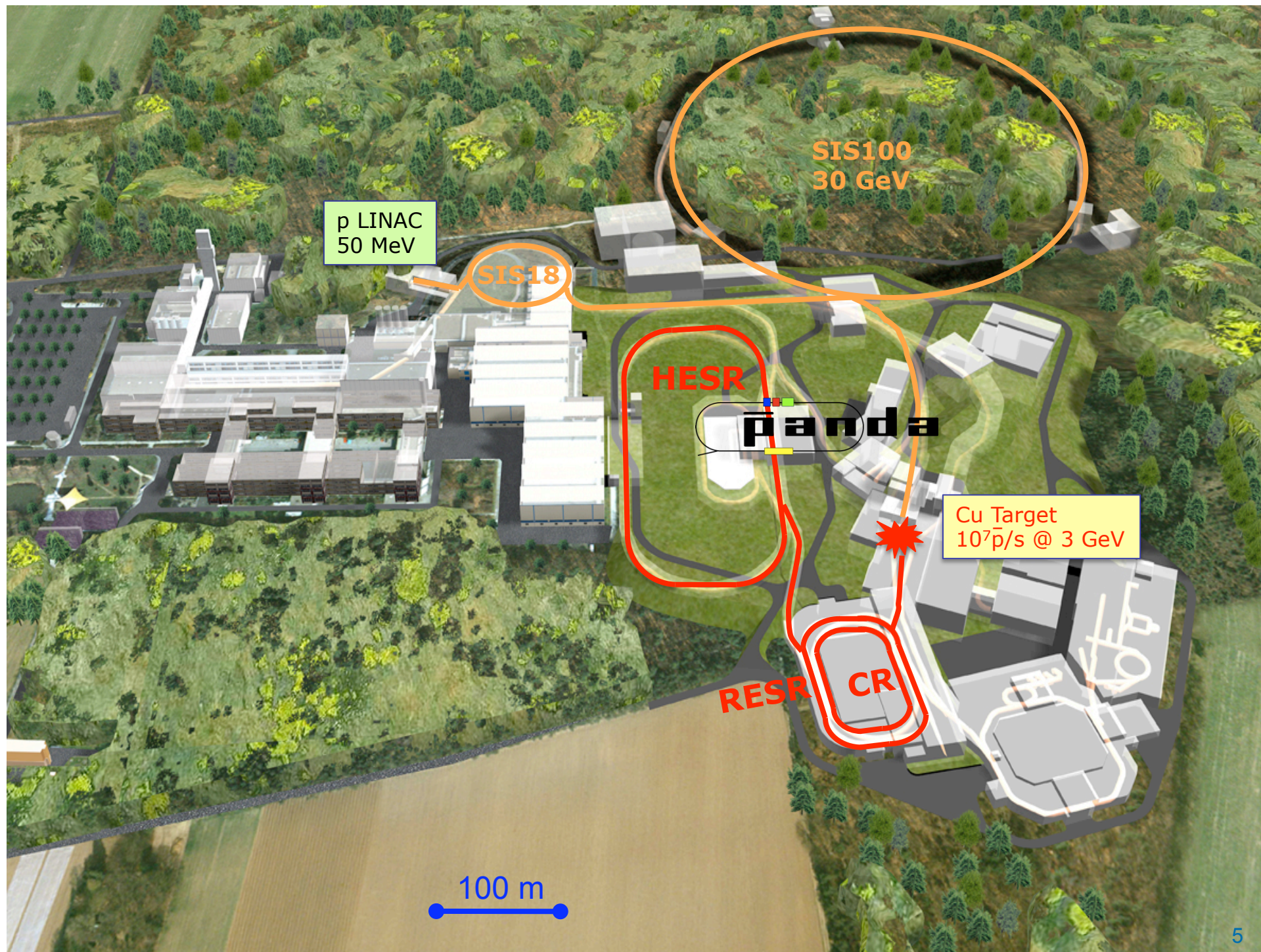


# Which is the future of antiproton physics?

---

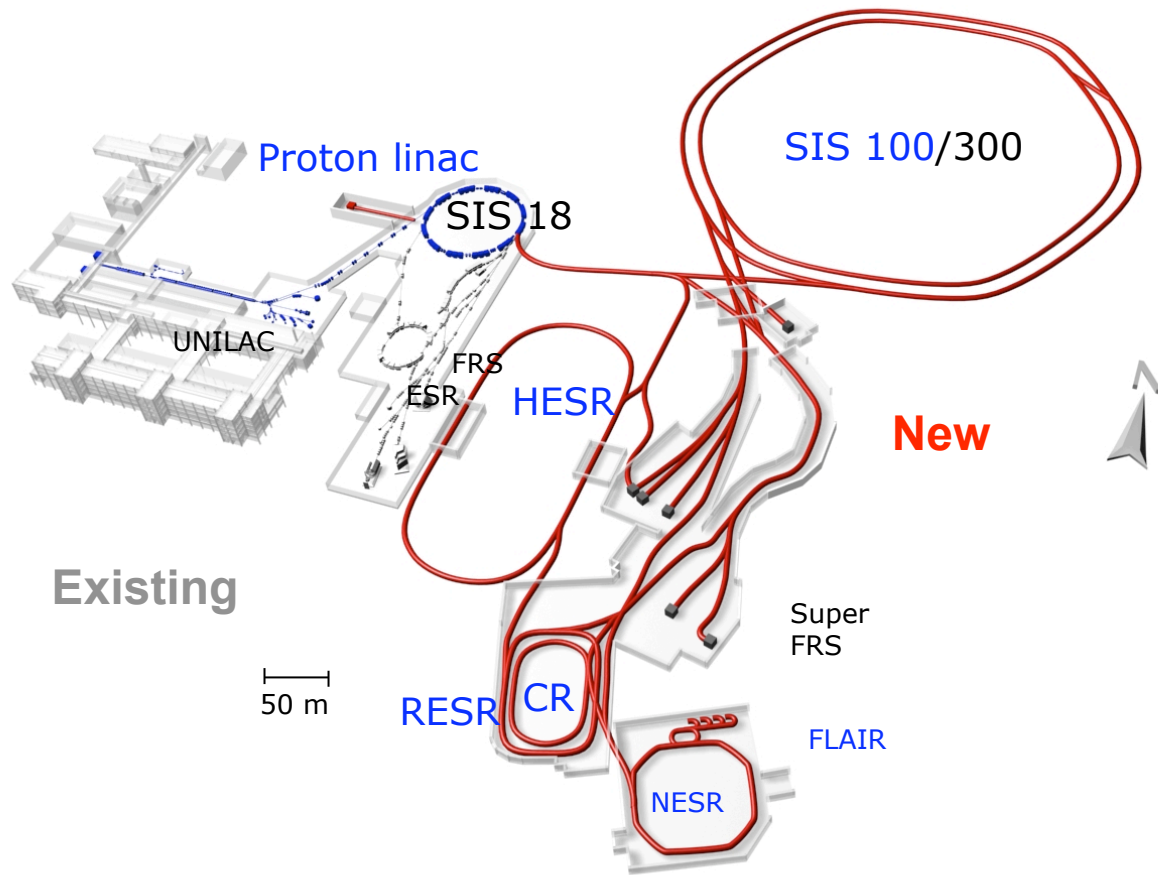








# Facility for Antiproton and Ion Research

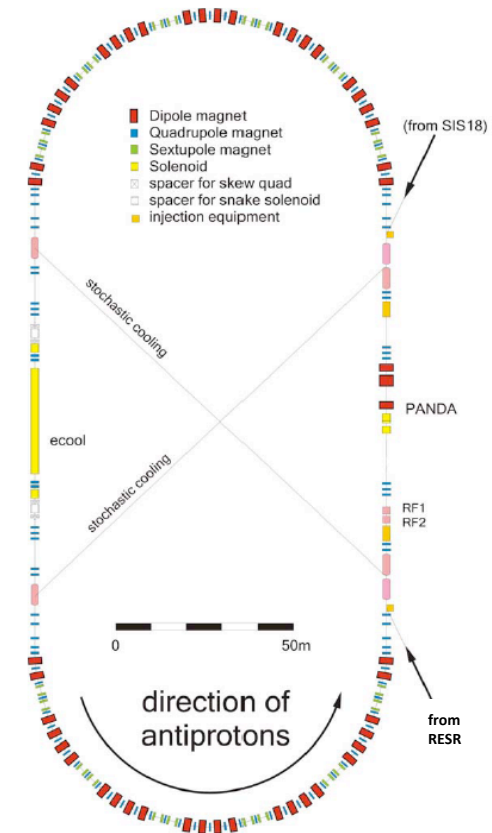


## Antiproton production

- Proton Linac 50 MeV
- Accelerate p in SIS18 / 100
- Produce  $\bar{p}$  on target
- Collect in CR, cool in RESR

## HESR: Storage ring for $\bar{p}$

- Injection of  $\bar{p}$  at 3.7 GeV/c
- Slow synchrotron (1.5-15 GeV/c)
- Luminosity up to  $L \sim 2 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$
- Beam cooling (stochastic & electron)

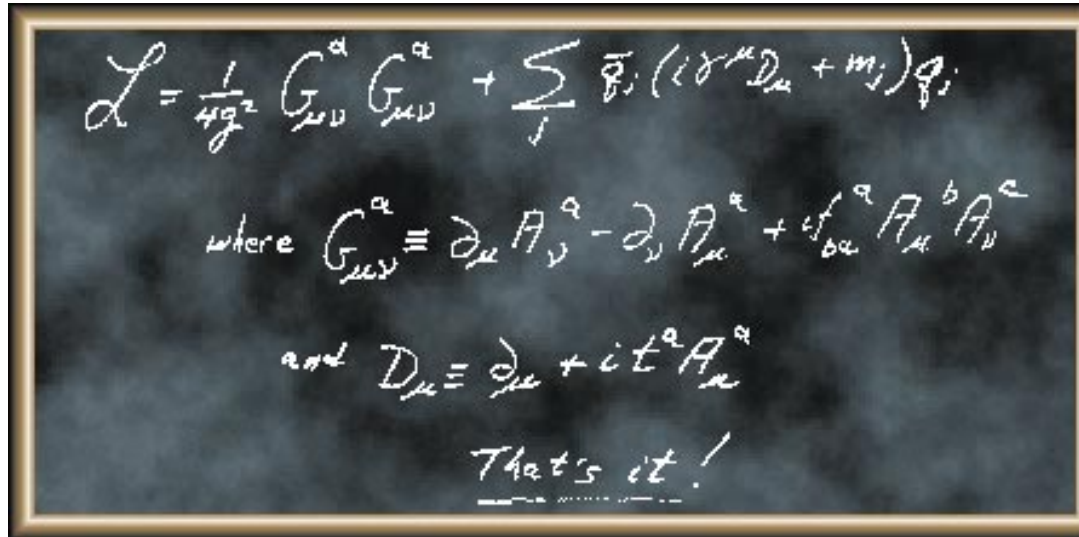


# Development of Project Staging

2003	Recommendation by WissenschaftsRat – FAIR Realisation in three stages						
2005	Entire Facility Baseline Technical Report						
2007	Phase A						Phase B SIS300
2009	Module 0 SIS100	Module 1 expt areas CBM/HADES and APPA	Module 2 Super-FRS fixed target area NuSTAR	Module 3 pbar facility, incl. CR for PANDA, options for NuSTAR	Module 4 LEB for NuSTAR, NESR for NuSTAR and APPA, FLAIR for APPA	Module 5 RESR nominal intensity for PANDA & parallel operation with NuSTAR and APPA	Module 6 SIS300

Modularized Start Version

# Quantum Chromodynamics



The image shows a chalkboard with the QCD Lagrangian written in white chalk. The equation is: 
$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{4g^2} G_{\mu\nu}^a G_{\mu\nu}^a + \sum_j \bar{q}_j (i \gamma^\mu D_\mu + m_j) q_j$$
 Below this, it says "where" followed by the definition of the gluon field strength tensor: 
$$G_{\mu\nu}^a \equiv \partial_\mu A_\nu^a - \partial_\nu A_\mu^a + if_{bc}^a A_\mu^b A_\nu^c$$
 and then the definition of the covariant derivative: 
$$D_\mu \equiv \partial_\mu + it^a A_\mu^a$$
 At the bottom, it says "That's it!"

From A. Wilcecz QCD Lecture

**The QCD Lagrangian** is, **in principle**, a complete description of the strong interaction.

There is just one overall coupling constant  $g$ , and six quark-mass parameters  $m_j$  for the six quark flavors

**But,**  
**it leads to equations that are hard to solve**

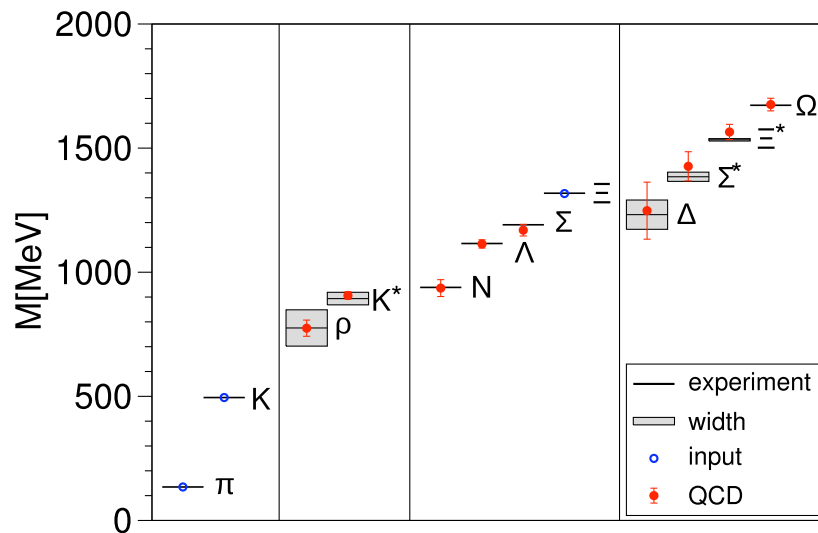


# Theoretical approaches

The first approach, Lattice QCD, solves the equations numerically.

That's not easy.

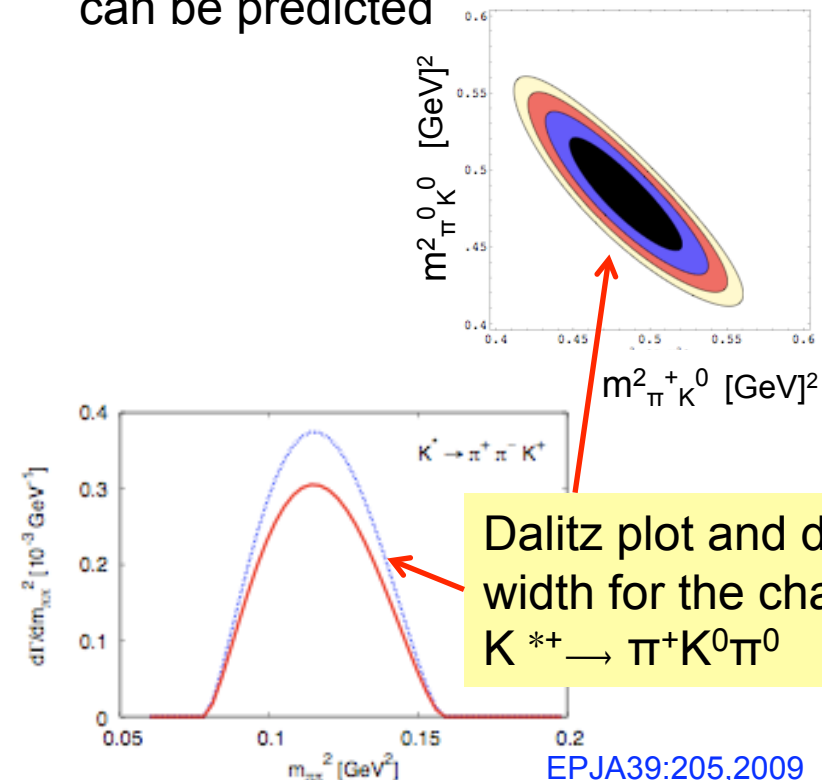
Fortunately, powerful modern computers have made it possible to calculate a few of the key predictions of QCD directly.



Science **322** (2008) 1224  
[arXiv:0906.3599 [hep-lat]].

The agreement with the measured masses is at the few% level.

The second approach, Effective Field Theories, creates phenomenological models that are simpler to deal with, but keep resemblance to the real things. Cross-sections and branching fractions can be predicted



EPJA39:205,2009  
arXiv:0807.4686 [hep-ph]

# Antiproton power

---

- $e^+e^-$  interactions:

- $p\bar{p}$  reactions:

# Antiproton power

---

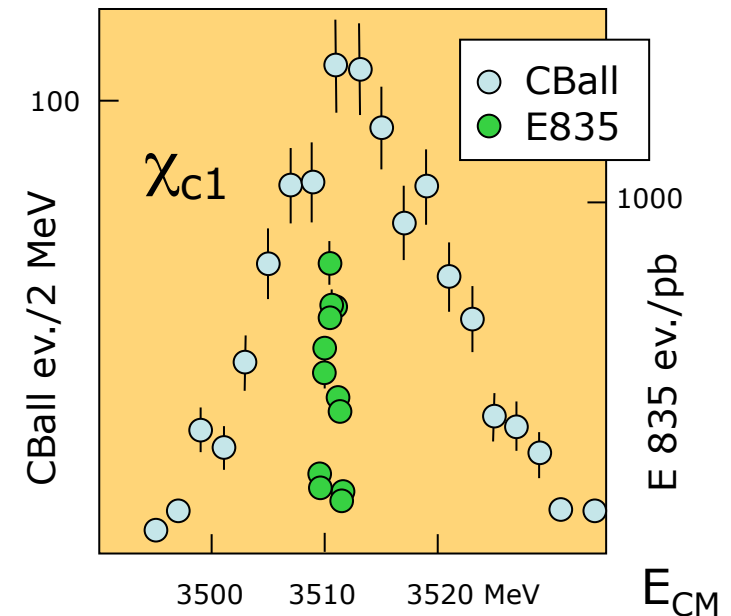
- $e^+e^-$  interactions:
  - Only  $1^-$  states are formed
  - Other states only by secondary decays (moderate mass resolution related to the detector)
- $p\bar{p}$  reactions:
  - Most states directly formed (very good mass resolution;  $\bar{p}$ -beam can be efficiently cooled)

# Antiproton power

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \Psi' \rightarrow \gamma\chi_{1,2} \rightarrow \gamma\gamma J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma\gamma e^+e^-$$

$$\bar{p}p \rightarrow \chi_{1,2} \rightarrow \gamma J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma e^+e^-$$

- $e^+e^-$  interactions:
  - Only  $1^{--}$  states are formed
  - Other states only by secondary decays (moderate mass resolution related to the detector)
- $\bar{p}p$  reactions:
  - Most states directly formed (very good mass resolution;  $\bar{p}$ -beam can be efficiently cooled)

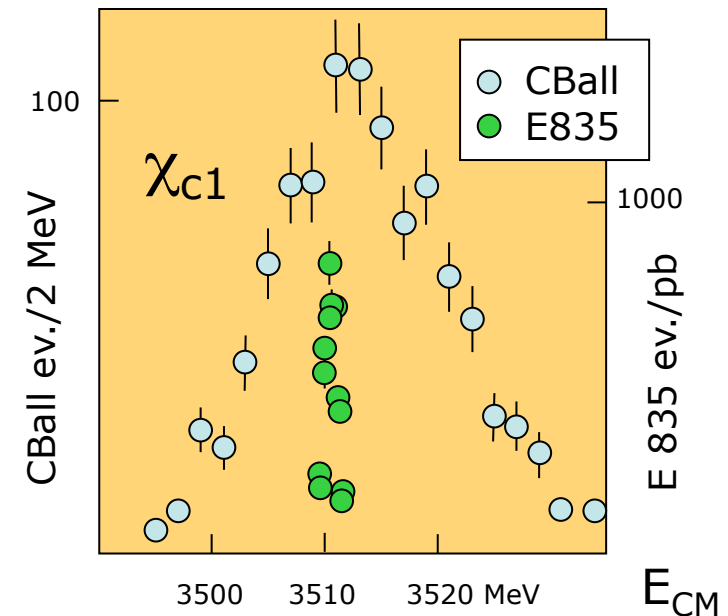


# Antiproton power

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \Psi' \rightarrow \gamma\chi_{1,2} \rightarrow \gamma\gamma J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma\gamma e^+e^-$$

$$\bar{p}p \rightarrow \chi_{1,2} \rightarrow \gamma J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma e^+e^-$$

- $e^+e^-$  interactions:
  - Only  $1^{--}$  states are formed
  - Other states only by secondary decays (moderate mass resolution related to the detector)
- $p\bar{p}$  reactions:
  - Most states directly formed (very good mass resolution;  $\bar{p}$ -beam can be efficiently cooled)



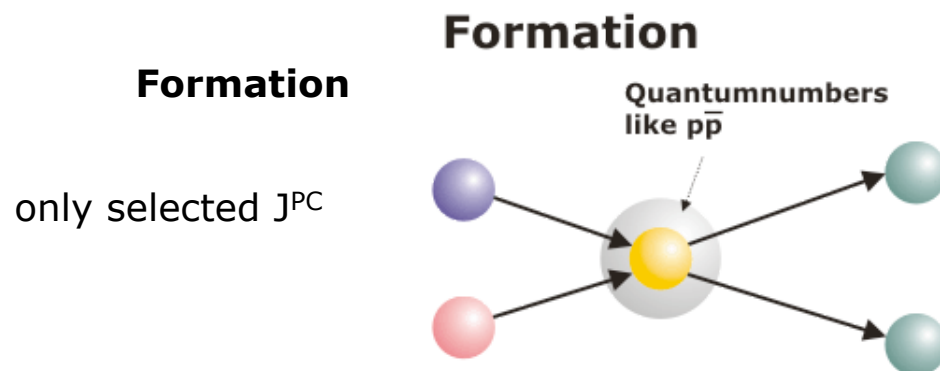
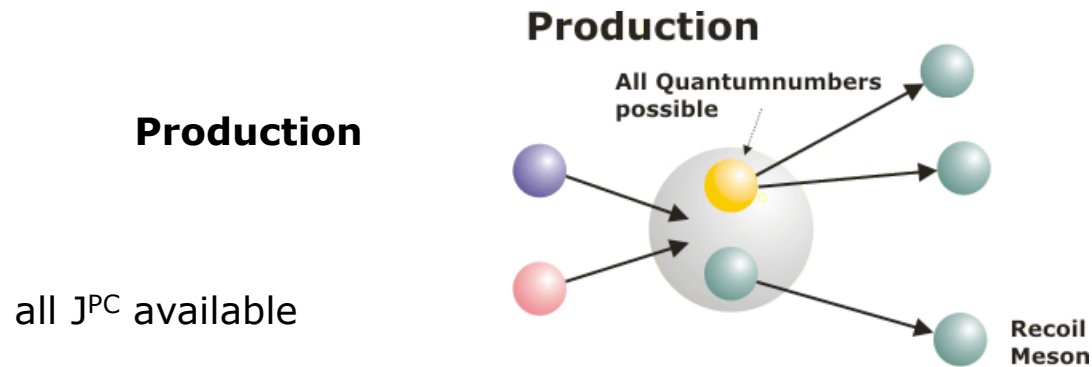
$$\text{Br}(p\bar{p} \rightarrow \eta_c) = 1.2 \cdot 10^{-3}$$

$$\text{Br}(e^+e^- \rightarrow \psi) \cdot \text{Br}(\psi \rightarrow \gamma\eta_c) = 2.5 \cdot 10^{-5}$$



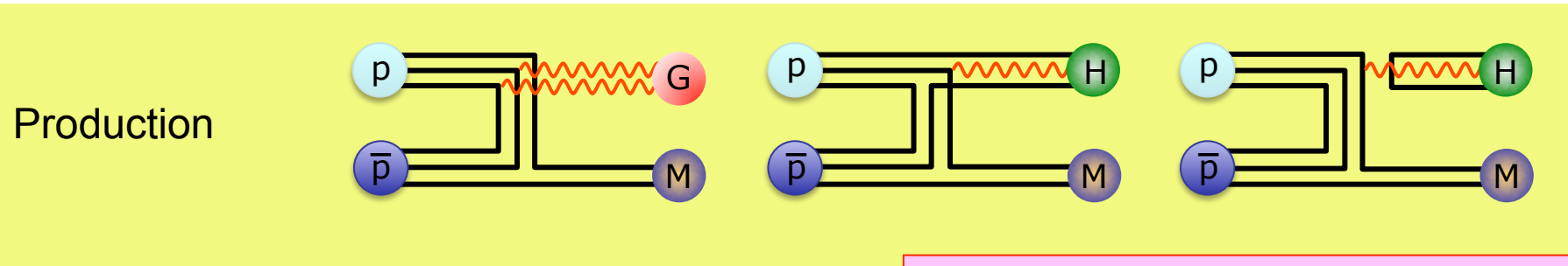
# Spectroscopy with antiprotons

There are two mechanisms to access particular final states:

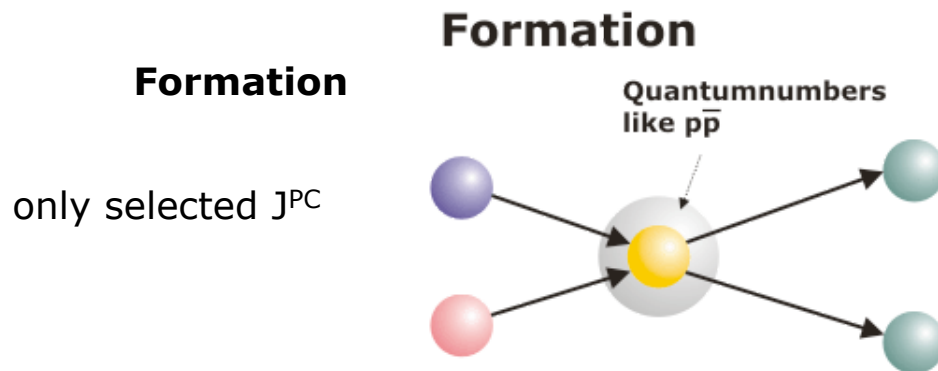


# Spectroscopy with antiprotons

There are two mechanisms to access particular final states:

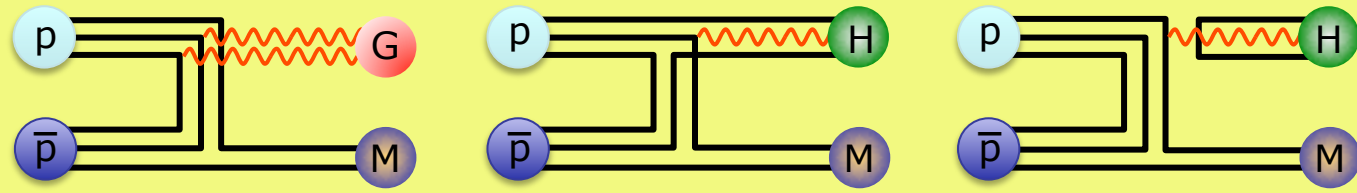


Even exotic quantum numbers  
can be reached  $\sigma \sim 100$  pb



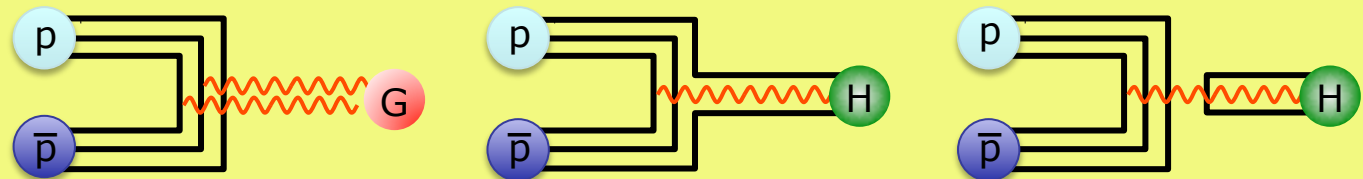
# Spectroscopy with antiprotons

Production



Even **exotic** quantum numbers  
can be reached  $\sigma \sim 100$  pb

Formation



All **ordinary** quantum numbers  
can be reached  $\sigma \sim 1$   $\mu$ b

# Exotic hadrons

The QCD spectrum is much richer than that of the naive quark model  
also the gluons can act as hadron components

The “exotic hadrons” fall in 3  
general categories:

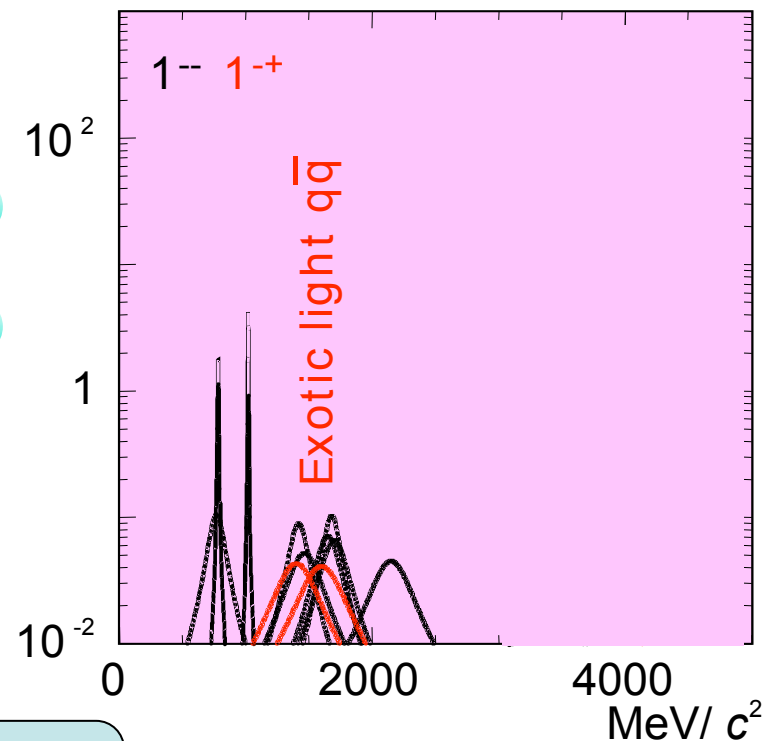
Multiquarks  $(q\bar{q})(q\bar{q})$



Hybrids  $(q\bar{q})g$



Glueballs  $gg$



In the light meson spectrum exotic states  
overlap with conventional states

# Exotic hadrons

The QCD spectrum is much richer than that of the naive quark model  
also the gluons can act as hadron components

The “exotic hadrons” fall in 3  
general categories:

Multiquarks

$(q\bar{q})(q\bar{q})$



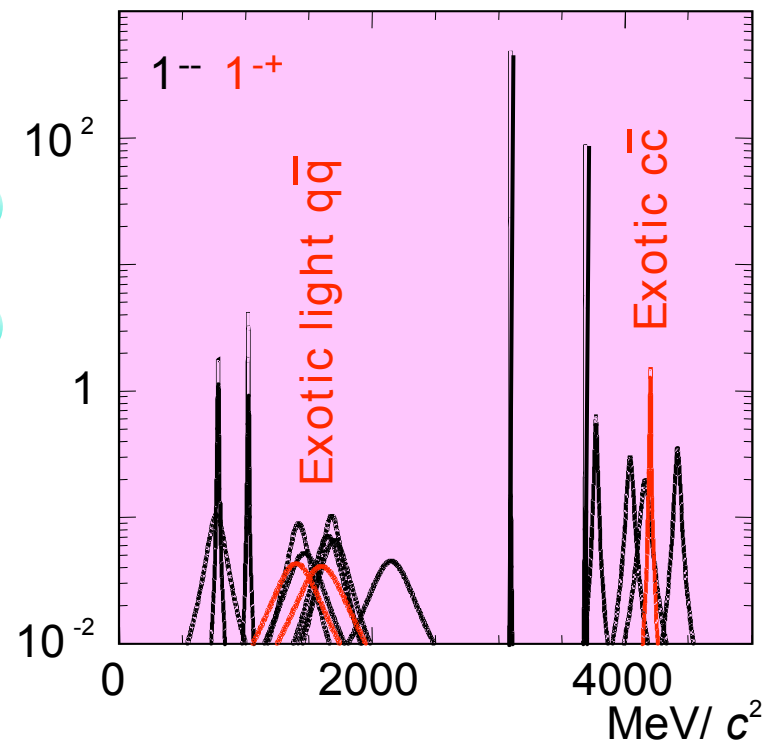
Hybrids

$(q\bar{q})g$



Glueballs

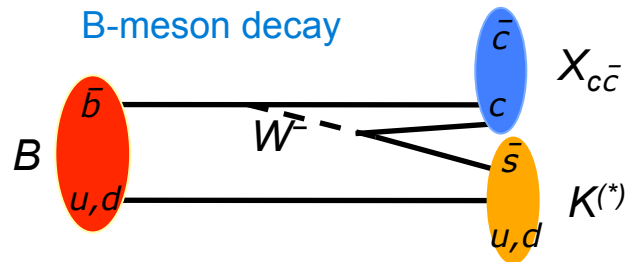
$gg$



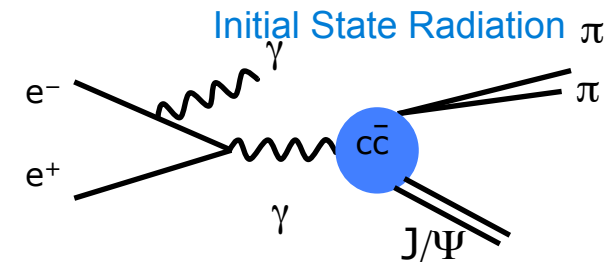
In the  $c\bar{c}$  meson spectrum the density of states is lower and therefore the overlap



# XYZ Mesons

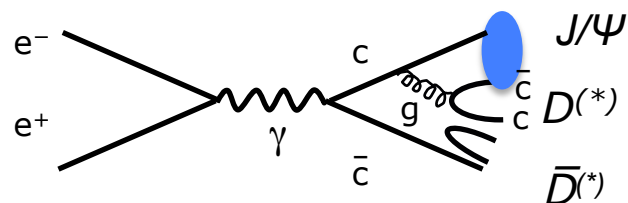


X(3872) Belle, Babar, Cleo, CDF, D0  
 Y(3940) Belle, Babar  
 Y(4140)? CDF  
 Z(4430)  
 Z<sub>1</sub>(4050)  
 Z<sub>2</sub>(4250) } Belle



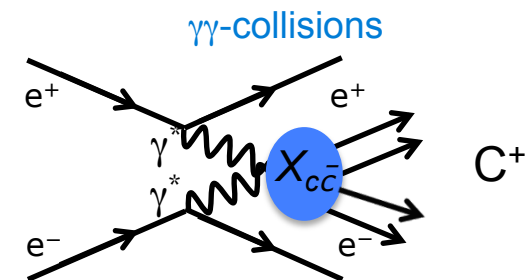
1<sup>-</sup> states  
 X(4008)? Belle  
 Y(4260) BaBar, Belle, CLEO  
 Y(4350) BaBar, Belle  
 Y(4660) Belle

Associate production  
 $e^+e^- \rightarrow J/\psi X_{c\bar{c}}$



X(3915) Belle  
 Z(3930) Belle  
 Y(4350) Belle

X(3940) Belle  
 X(4160) Belle

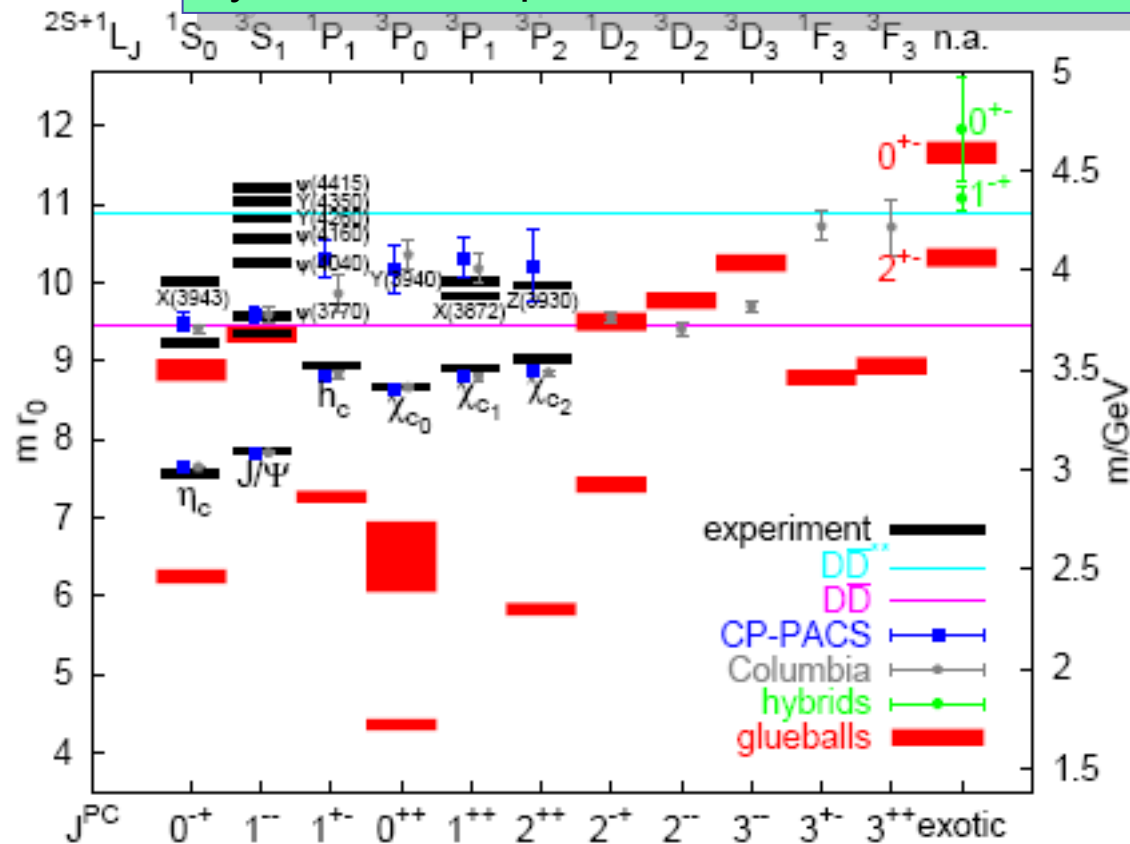


The B-factory experiments have discovered a large number of candidates for charmonium and charmonium-like meson states, many of which can not be easily accommodated by theory. State parameters are still largely unknown. Few events collected in 10 years of running

**PANDA will detect 100 events per day**

# Charmonium region

Charmonium spectrum, glueballs, spin-exotics  $c\bar{c}$ -glue hybrids with experimental results



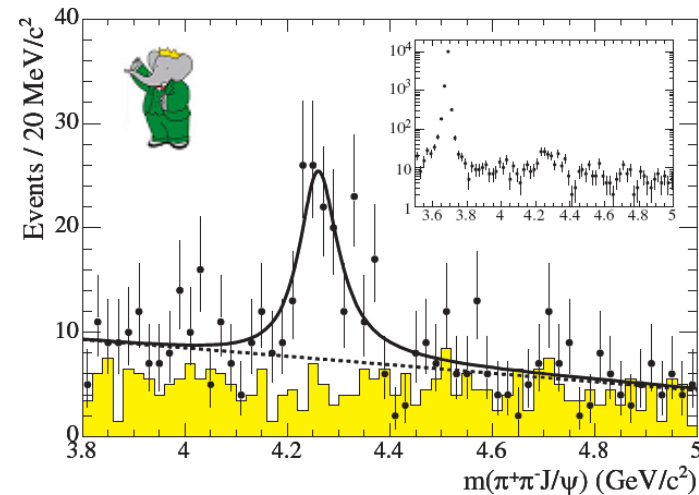
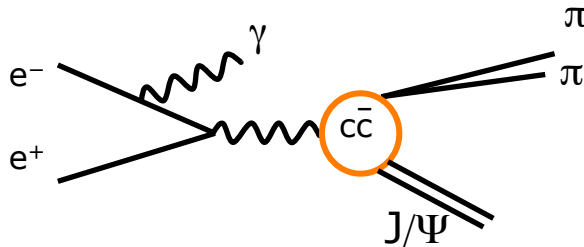
From G. S. Bali, Int.J.Mod.Phys. A21 (2006) 5610-5617

[arXiv:hep-lat/0608004](https://arxiv.org/abs/hep-lat/0608004)

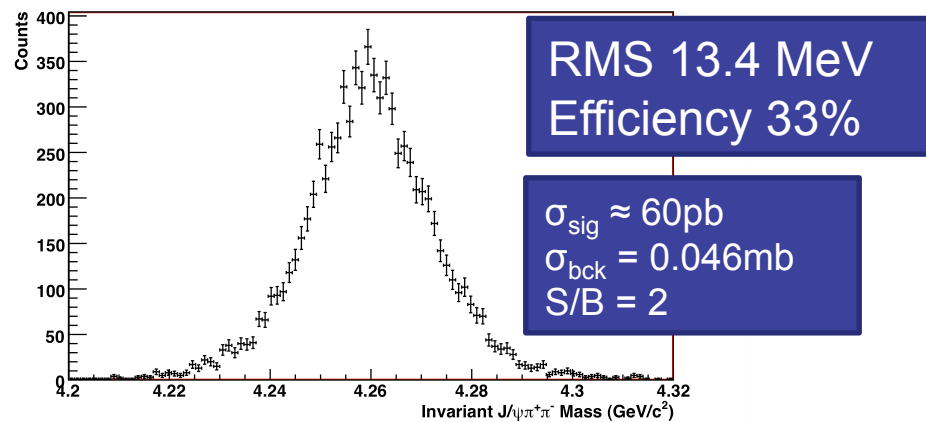
Quantum numbers assignment become clear only with high statistics and different final states

# Y(4260)

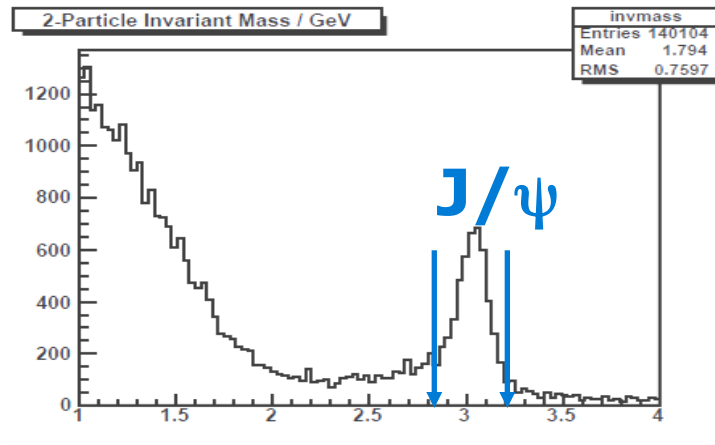
This state has been discovered by BaBar with the technique of initial state radiation in one year of data taking PRL95, 142001 (2005)



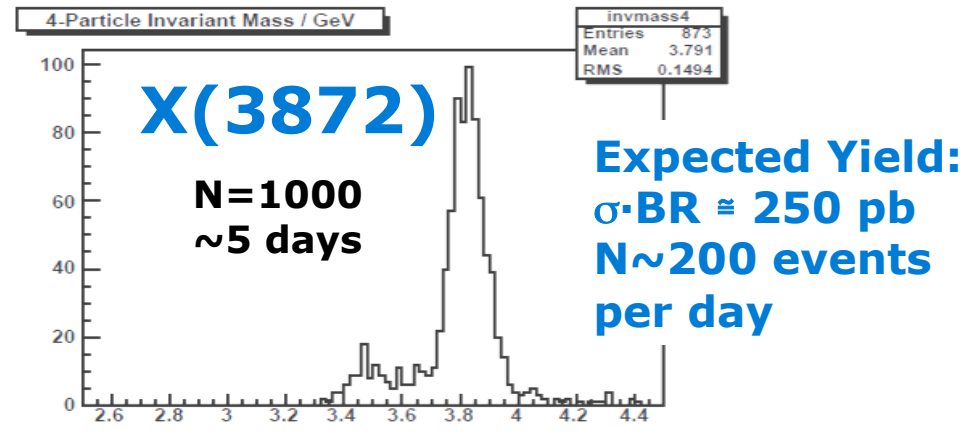
Panda can study  $\bar{p}p \rightarrow Y(4260) \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-$



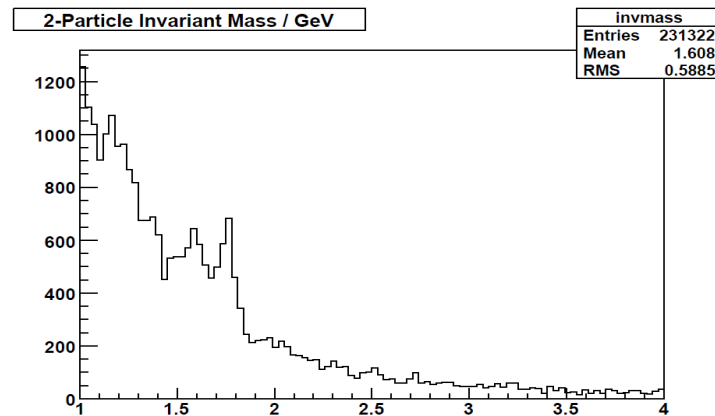
# X(3872) at PANDA $\bar{p}p \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-$



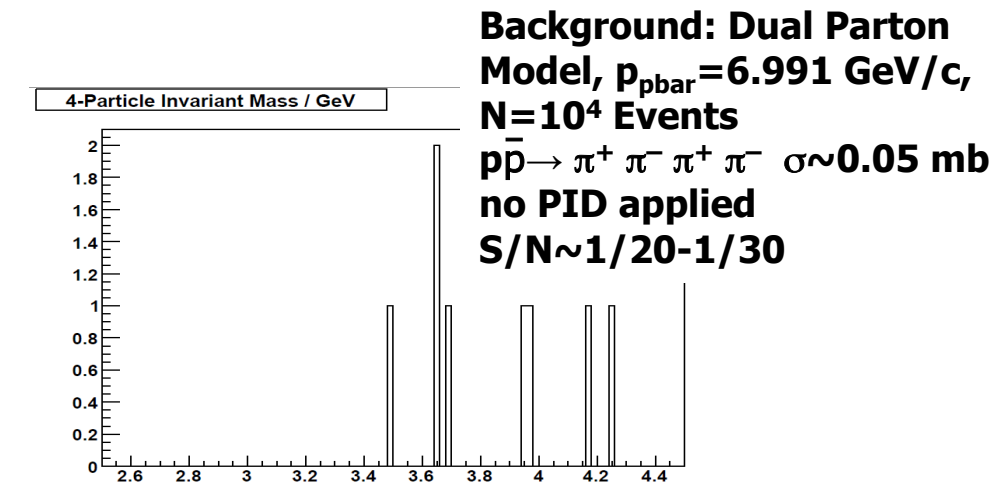
2-Particle Invariant Mass / GeV



4-Particle Invariant Mass / GeV



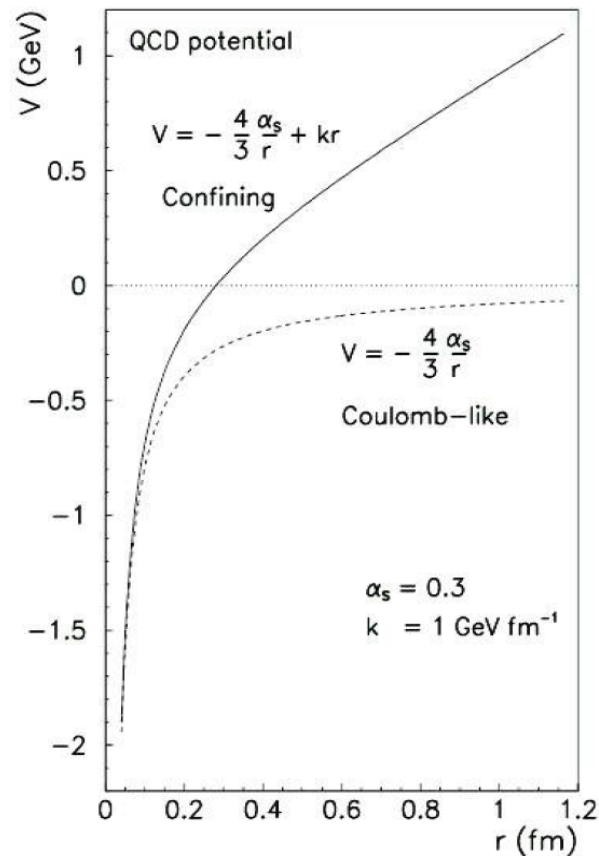
2-Particle Invariant Mass / GeV



4-Particle Invariant Mass / GeV

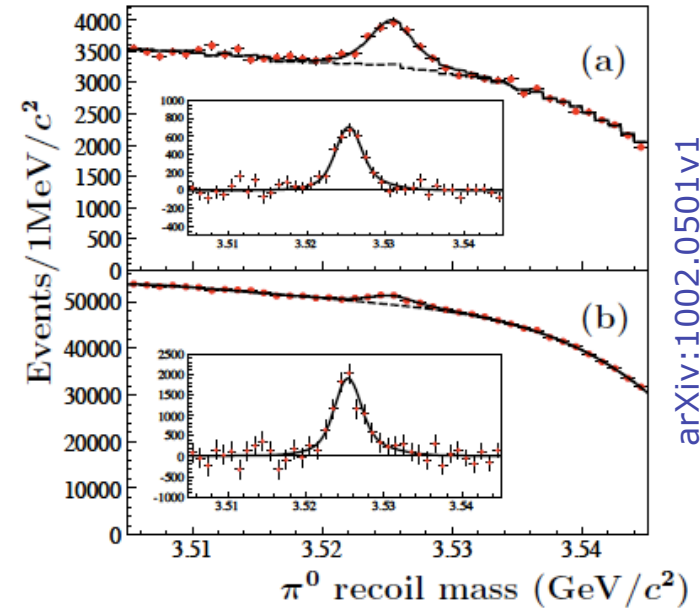
# $h_c \ 1_1 P$ state

A precise knowledge of  $h_c$  parameters will determine the spin component of  $q\bar{q}$  potential.



$$V(r) = -\frac{4}{3} \frac{\alpha_s}{r} + kr + V_{LS} + V_{SS} + V_T$$

Seen in  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \Psi(2S) \rightarrow \pi^0 h_c \rightarrow \pi^0 \gamma \eta_c$



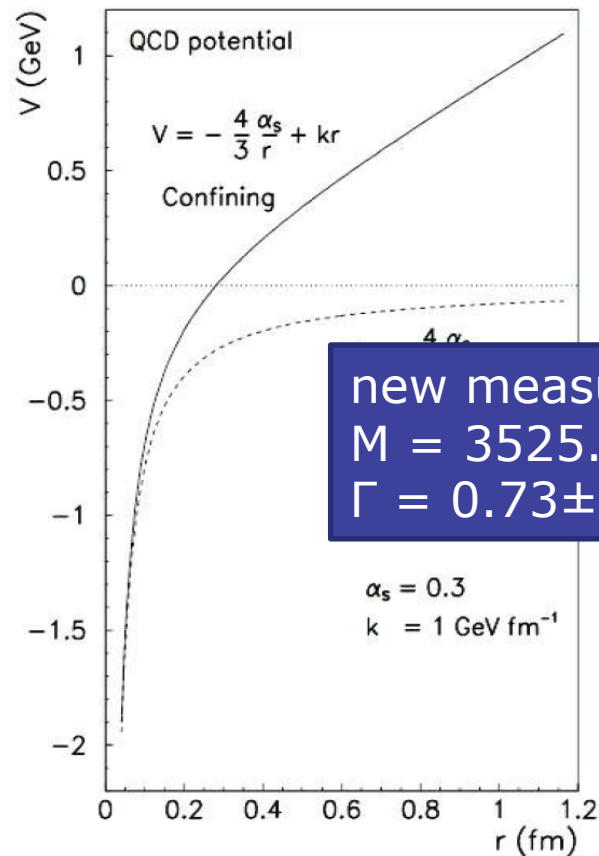
arXiv:1002.0501v1



# $h_c$ $^1P$ state

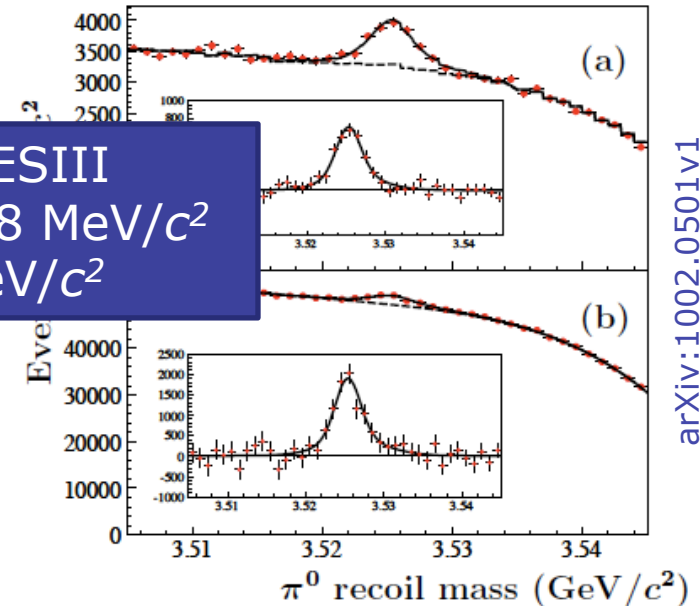
A precise knowledge of  $h_c$  parameters will determine the spin component of  $q\bar{q}$  potential.

$$V(r) = -\frac{4}{3} \frac{\alpha_s}{r} + kr + V_{LS} + V_{SS} + V_T$$



new measurement by BESIII  
 $M = 3525.40 \pm 0.13 \pm 0.18 \text{ MeV}/c^2$   
 $\Gamma = 0.73 \pm 0.45 \pm 0.28 \text{ MeV}/c^2$

Seen in  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \Psi(2S) \rightarrow \pi^0 h_c \rightarrow \pi^0 \gamma \eta_c$



arXiv:1002.0501v1

# $h_c$ $^1P$ state @ $\bar{P}ANDA$

$$h_c \rightarrow \eta_c \gamma \rightarrow 3\gamma$$

Good tag with  $E_\gamma = 503 \text{ MeV}$   
signal eff. 8.2%

In high luminosity mode  
we expect 20 signal events/day

Rejection of main sources of bck

Channel	S/B ratio
$\bar{p}p \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0$	> 94
$\bar{p}p \rightarrow \pi^0 \gamma$	> 164
$\bar{p}p \rightarrow \pi^0 \eta$	> 88
$\bar{p}p \rightarrow \eta \eta$	> 87
$\bar{p}p \rightarrow \pi^0 \eta'$	> 250

$$h_c \rightarrow \eta_c \gamma \rightarrow \phi \phi \gamma \rightarrow 4K\gamma$$

Good tag with  $E_\gamma = 503 \text{ MeV}$   
signal eff. 25%

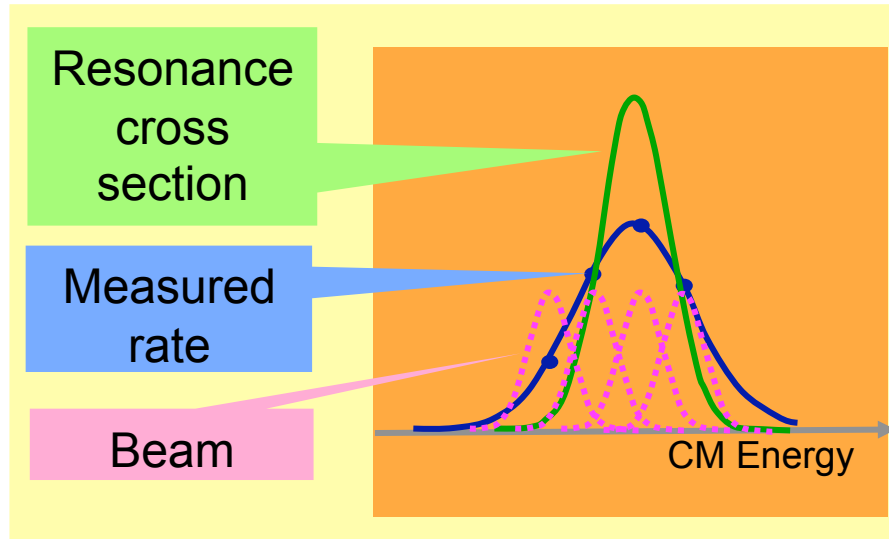
In high luminosity mode  
we expect 92 signal  
events/day

Rejection of main sources of bck

channel	Signal/Background
$\bar{p}p \rightarrow K^+ K^- K^+ K^- \pi^0$	8
$\bar{p}p \rightarrow \phi K^+ K^- \pi^0$	8
$\bar{p}p \rightarrow \phi \phi \pi^0$	> 10
$\bar{p}p \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	> 12

# Antiproton's power

p-beams can be cooled → Excellent resonance resolution



- $e^+e^-$ : typical mass res.  $\sim 10$  MeV
- Fermilab: 240 keV
- HESR:  $\sim 30$  keV

The production rate of a certain final state  $\nu$  is a convolution of the BW cross section and the beam energy distribution function  $f(E, \Delta E)$ :

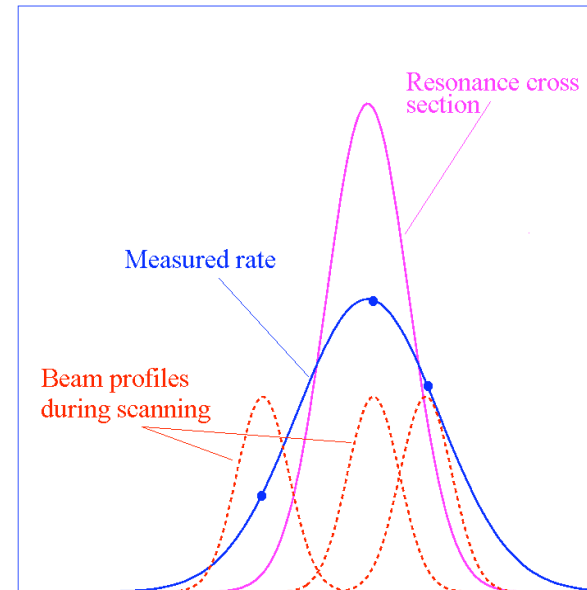
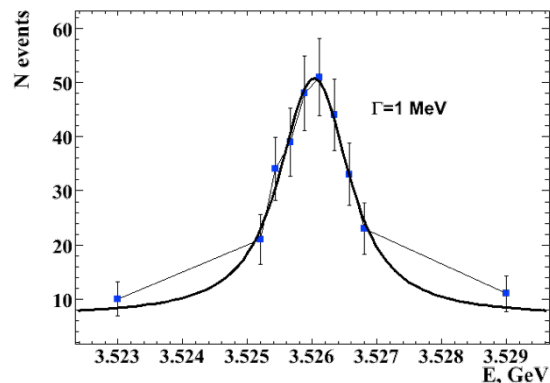
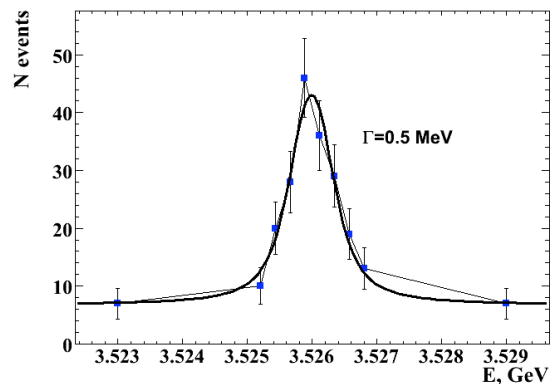
$$\nu = L_0 \left\{ \epsilon \int dE f(E, \Delta E) \sigma_{BW}(E) + \sigma_b \right\}$$

The resonance mass  $M_R$ , total width  $\Gamma_R$  and product of branching ratios into the initial and final state  $B_{in}B_{out}$  can be extracted by measuring the formation rate for that resonance as a function of the cm energy  $E$ .

# Charmonium states width

Thanks to the precise HESR momentum definition, widths of known states can be precisely measured with an energy scan.

Energy scan of 10 values around the  $h_c$  mass, width upper limit is 1MeV; each point represents a 5 day data taking in high luminosity mode, module 5 available, for the channel:  $h_c \rightarrow \eta_c \gamma \rightarrow \phi \phi \gamma \rightarrow 4K\gamma$  with a S/B 8:1



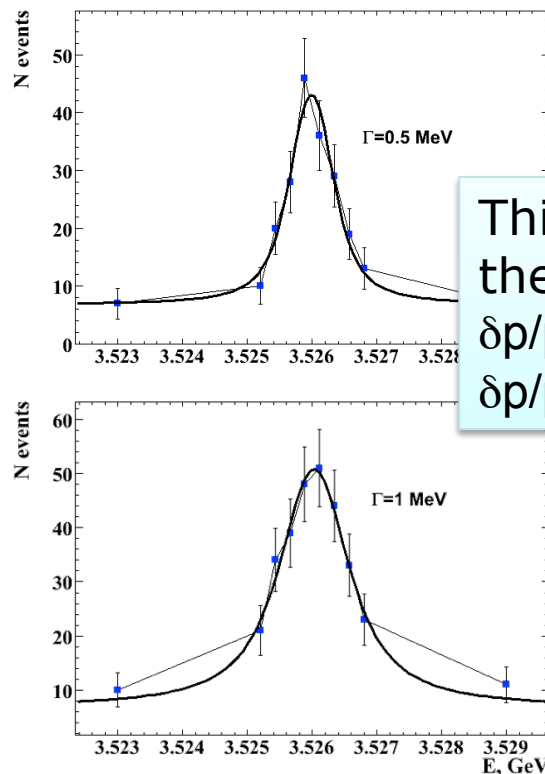
Sensitivity

$\Gamma_{R,MC}[\text{MeV}]$	$\Gamma_{R,rec0}[\text{MeV}]$	$\Delta\Gamma_R[\text{MeV}]$
1	0.92	0.24
0.75	0.72	0.18
0.5	0.52	0.14

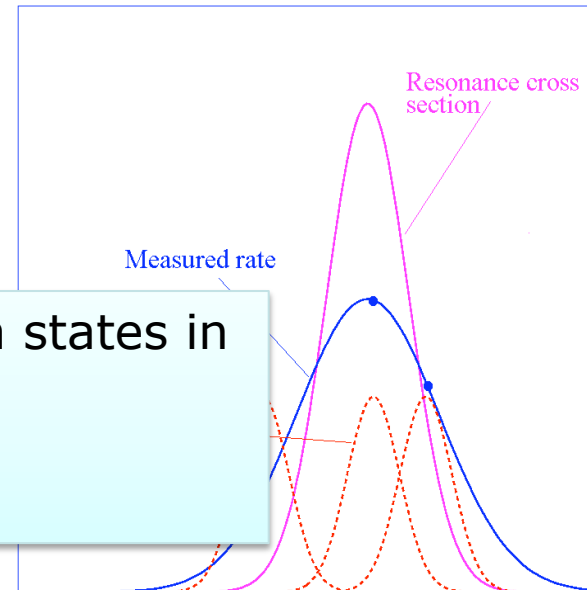
# Charmonium states width

Thanks to the precise HESR momentum definition, widths of known states can be precisely measured with an energy scan.

Energy scan of 10 values around the  $h_c$  mass, width upper limit is 1MeV; each point represents a 5 day data taking in high luminosity mode, module 5 available, for the channel:  $h_c \rightarrow \eta_c \gamma \rightarrow \phi \phi \gamma \rightarrow 4K\gamma$  with a S/B 8:1



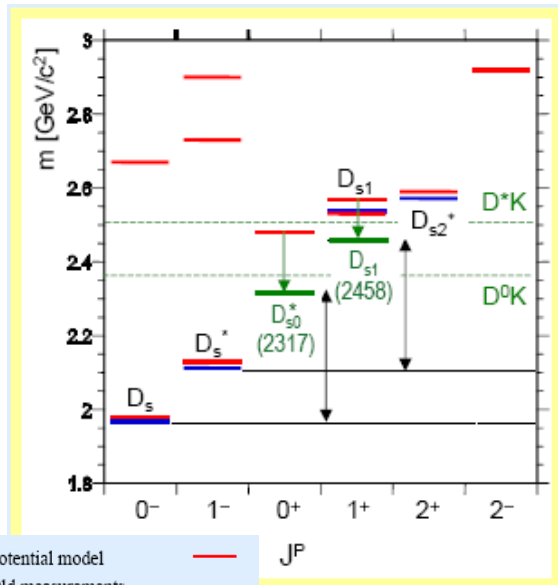
This holds for all known states in the charmonium region  
 $\delta p/p \ 10^{-4} \rightarrow \Gamma \ 100 \text{ KeV}$   
 $\delta p/p \ 10^{-5} \rightarrow \Gamma \ 10 \text{ KeV}$



Sensitivity

$\Gamma_{R,MC}[\text{MeV}]$	$\Gamma_{R,rec0}[\text{MeV}]$	$\Delta\Gamma_R[\text{MeV}]$
1	0.92	0.24
0.75	0.72	0.18
0.5	0.52	0.14

# Open Charm: $D_{s0}(2317)$



– Potential model  
– Old measurements  
– New observations  
(BaBar, CLEO-c, Belle)

input

$$\int \mathcal{L} dt = 126 \text{ pb}^{-1} (14 \text{ days})$$

$$S/B = 1/3$$

$$\Gamma = 1 \text{ MeV}$$

$$m = 2317.30 \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

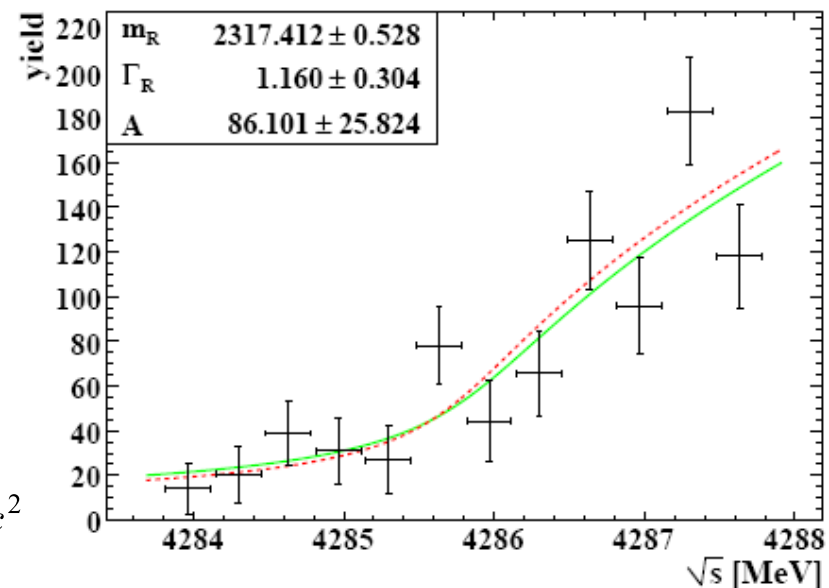
output

$$\Gamma = (1.16 \pm 0.30) \text{ MeV}$$

$$m = (2317.41 \pm 0.53) \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

New mesons consisting of a heavy and a light constituent have been detected. These states are narrow, and due to detector resolution an upper limit for the  $\Gamma$  of few MeV has been defined.

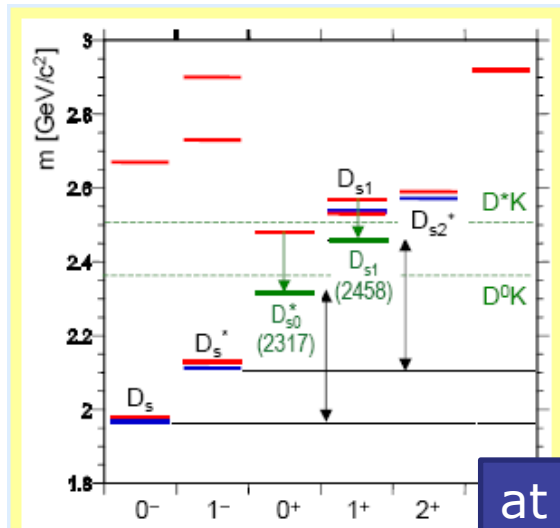
With PANDA a different experimental approach can be tempted since the production cross section around threshold depends on the total width.



# Open Charm: $D_{s0}(2317)$

New mesons consisting of a heavy and a light constituent have been detected. These states are narrow, and due to detector resolution an upper limit for the  $\Gamma$  of few MeV has been defined.

With PANDA a different experimental approach can be tempted since the production cross section around threshold depends on the total width.



- Potential model
- Old measurements
- New observations (BaBar, CLEO-c, Belle)

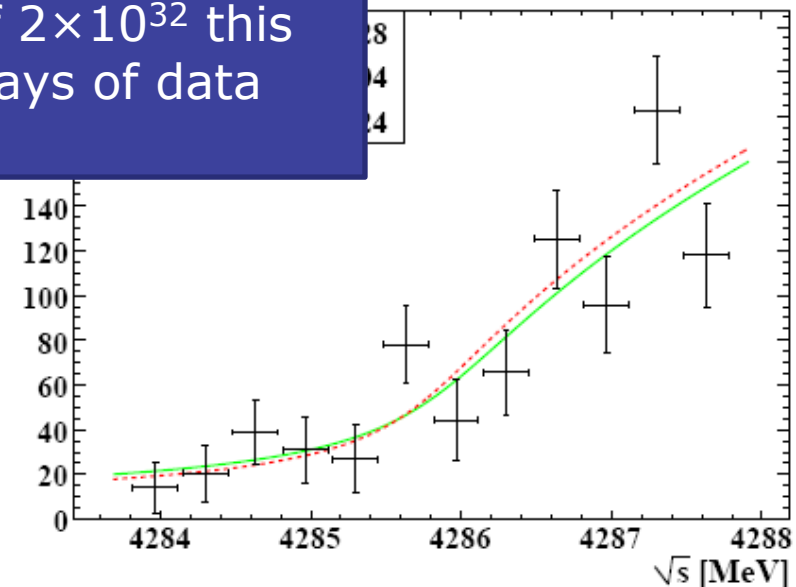
input

$$\begin{aligned} S/B &= 1/3 \\ \Gamma &= 1 \text{ MeV} \\ m &= 2317.30 \text{ MeV}/c^2 \end{aligned}$$

output

$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma &= (1.16 \pm 0.30) \text{ MeV} \\ m &= (2317.41 \pm 0.53) \text{ MeV}/c^2 \end{aligned}$$

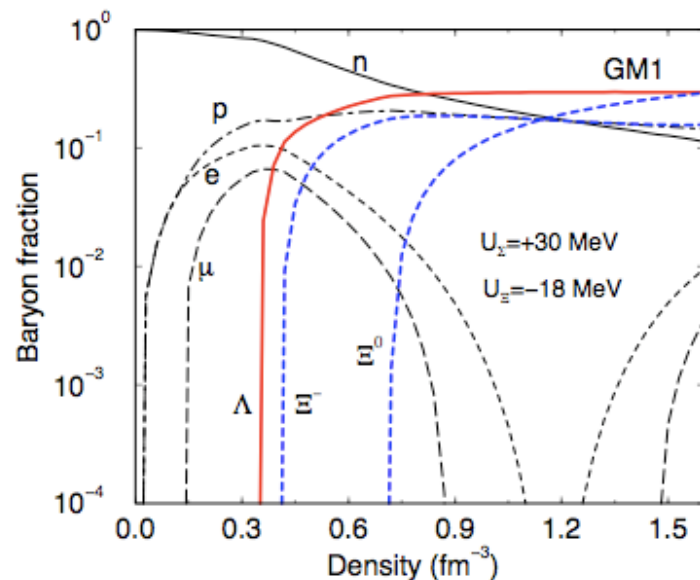
at the luminosity of  $2 \times 10^{32}$  this corresponds a 14 days of data taking





# Baryon-Baryon Interaction

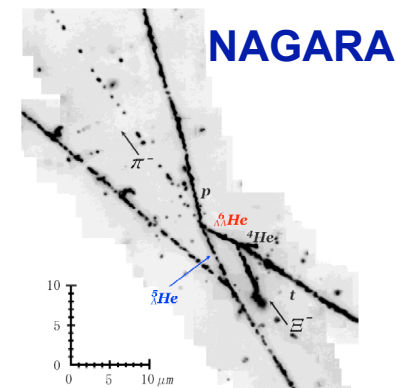
The knowledge of Baryon-Baryon potential is essential for the understanding of the composition of nuclear matter.



The fraction of baryons and leptons in neutron star matter [arXiv:0801.3791v1](https://arxiv.org/abs/0801.3791v1)

$\Lambda\Lambda$ -hypernuclei,  $\Xi$ -atoms,  $\Omega$ -atoms allow to have an insight to more complex nuclear systems containing strangeness (neutron stars, hyperon-stars, strange-quark stars, ...)

Nuclear  $NN$  forces are known,  $YN$  interaction, thanks to hypernuclear physics, is relatively known, but  $YY$  interaction is completely unknown, there are just a few double  $\Lambda$  hypernuclear events.

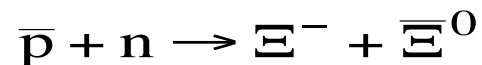
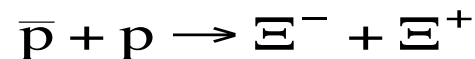


# A new way for double strange systems

- ✓ **Up to now double strange systems have been produced by  $K^-$  beams in the reaction:**

$K^- (N, \Xi^-) K^+$  (N- quasi free or bound in nucleus)

- **S=-2 baryon can be produced via:**



$\sigma_{\text{reaction}} = 2\mu\text{b at } 3\text{GeV}/c$   
 $700.000\Xi^-\Xi^+\text{bar}/h$

**Goal:**

**maximize the “stopped  $\Xi^-$ ” with a suitable set-up**

- ✓ **Choice of the target:**

**free protons** (hydrogen target) **or** protons and neutrons in a **nucleus** (quasi-free reactions)

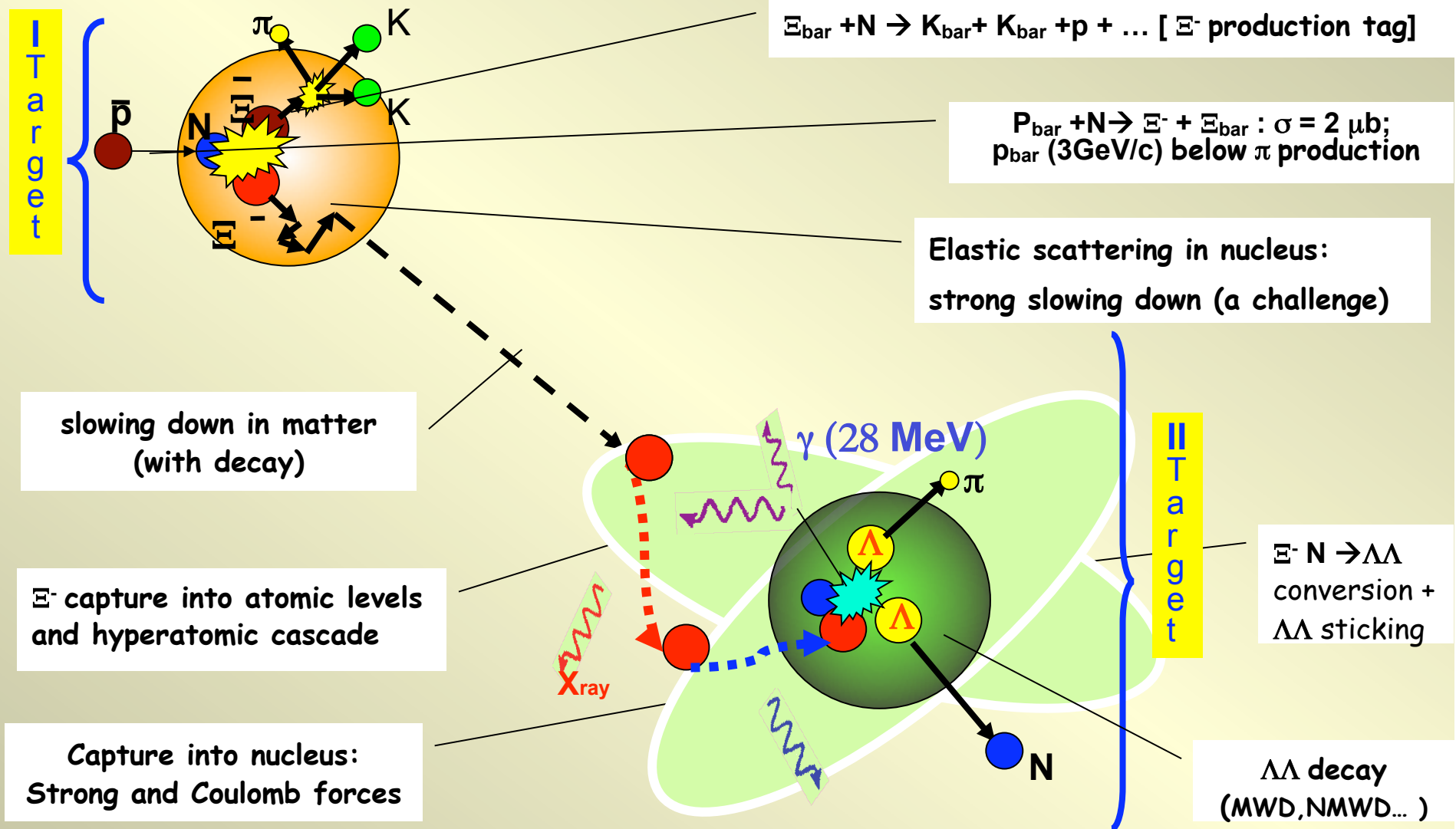
- **Advantages of nuclear target 😊 :**

- a) higher cross section (scaling as  $\sim A^{2/3}$ )
- b)  $\Xi^-$  slowing down in dense (nuclear) matter

- **Disadvantages of nuclear target 😞 :**

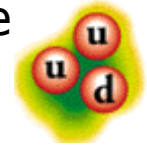
- c) high background (annihilation)
- d) high beam consuming (beam losses)

# 70 Double Strange Systems/h are expected within $\bar{\text{P}}\text{ANDA}$

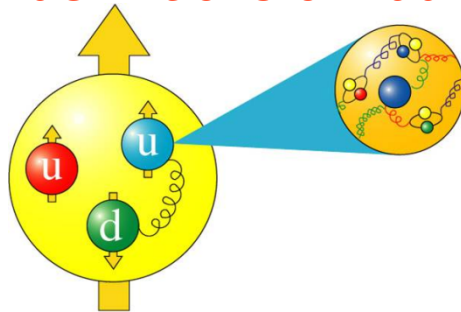


# The Hadron's structure

Properties of hadrons are only determined to a small degree by the constituent quarks.

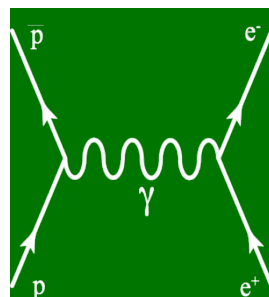
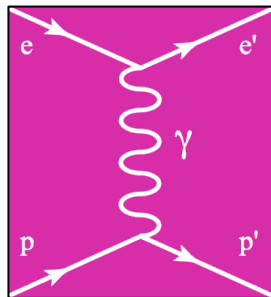


Quarks and gluons dynamics plays a fundamental role in the definitions of hadron's properties: mass, spin, etc...

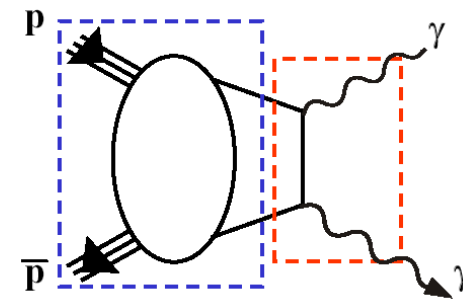


Generalized Parton Distributions (GPDs) contain both the usual form factors and structure functions, but in addition they include correlations between states of different longitudinal and transverse momenta. **GPDs give a three-dimensional picture of the nucleon.**

Nucleon Form Factors have been mainly studied using electromagnetic probes, but the physical diagrams can be inverted... and a complementary approach can be used



In a similar way Deeply Virtual Compton Scattering (DVCS) can be cross-studied



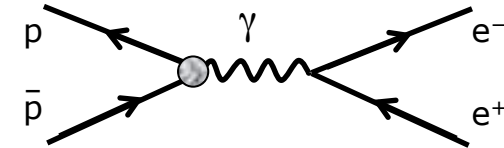
non-perturbative QCD

perturbative QCD

35

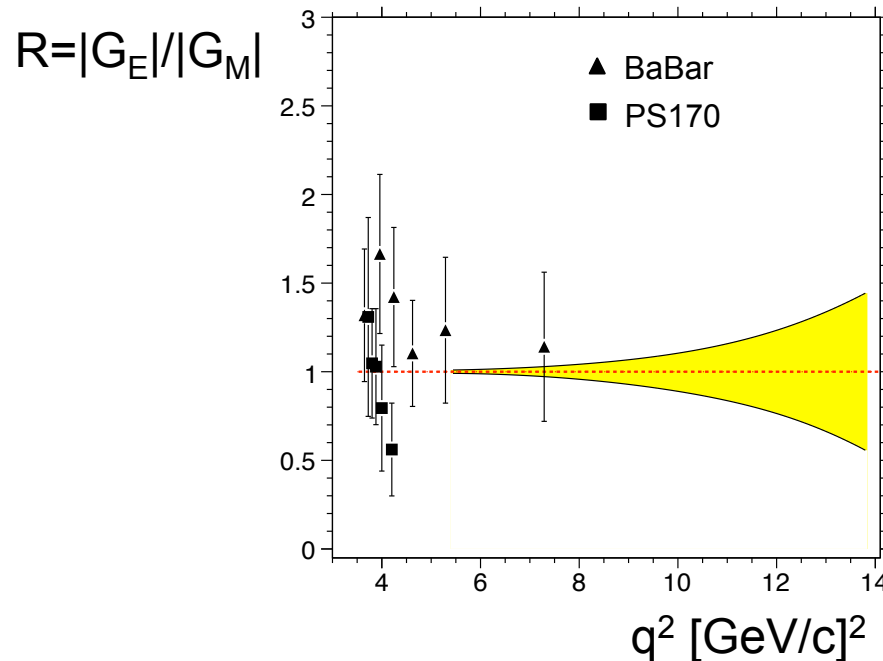
# Proton Form Factors in Time-Like region: $G_E$ and $G_M$

Form Factors in the Time Like region in a wide  $q^2 > 0$  range



$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = \frac{\alpha^2 \beta C}{4s} \left[ |G_M(s)|^2 (1 + \cos^2 \theta^*) + \frac{4m_N^2}{s} |G_E(s)|^2 \sin^2 \theta^* \right]$$

$$\sigma = \frac{4\alpha^2 \pi \beta C}{3s} \left[ |G_M(s)|^2 + \frac{2m_N^2}{s} |G_E(s)|^2 \right]$$



Born approx.  $q^2 = s$

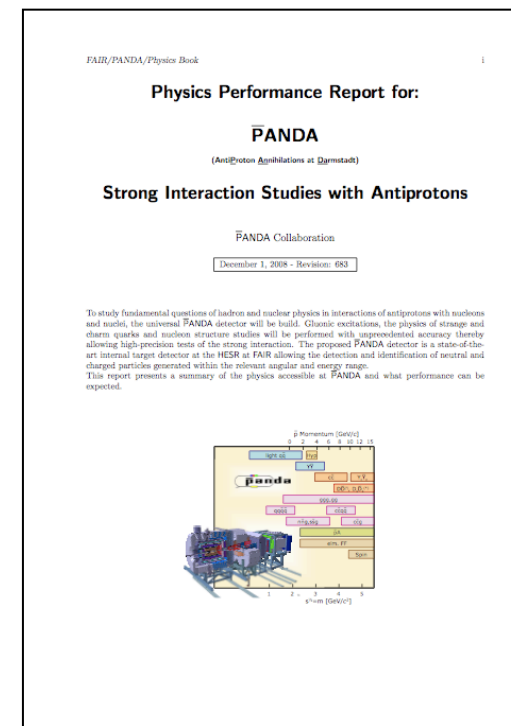
Expected errors on  $R$  as a function on  $q^2$  for  $G_E = G_M$ .  
BaBar and PS170 data are shown for comparison

$\pi$  rejection @  $10^9 \div 10^{10}$

# Physics Performance Report

2008 has seen the Collaboration preparing the first  $\bar{\text{PANDA}}$  Physics Book.

Within this document, we produced a complete description of all the aspects of the scientific program. Detailed simulations have been performed to evaluate detector performance on many benchmark channels.

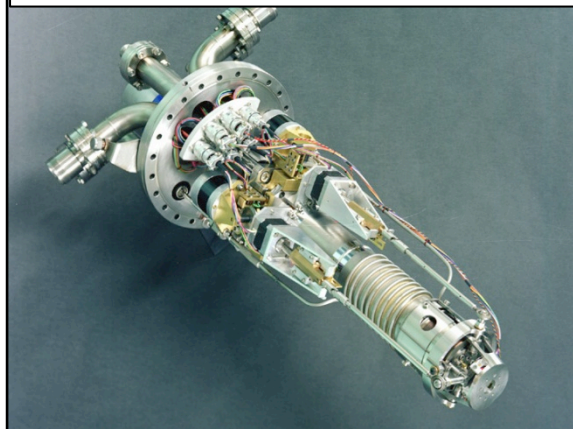


[arXiv:0903.3905v1](https://arxiv.org/abs/0903.3905v1)



# R&D activity within $\bar{P}$ ANDA

Nozzle and cold head



ASICs:CMOS 130 nm

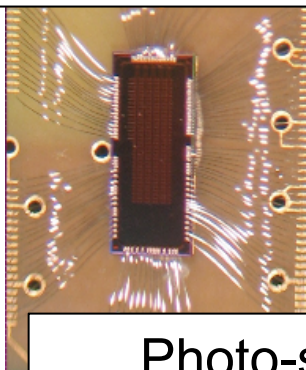
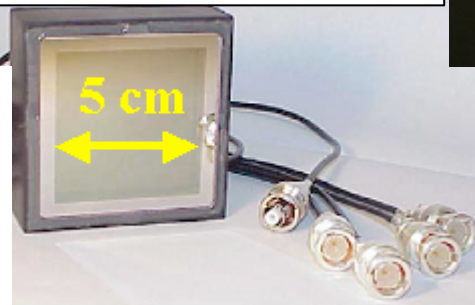
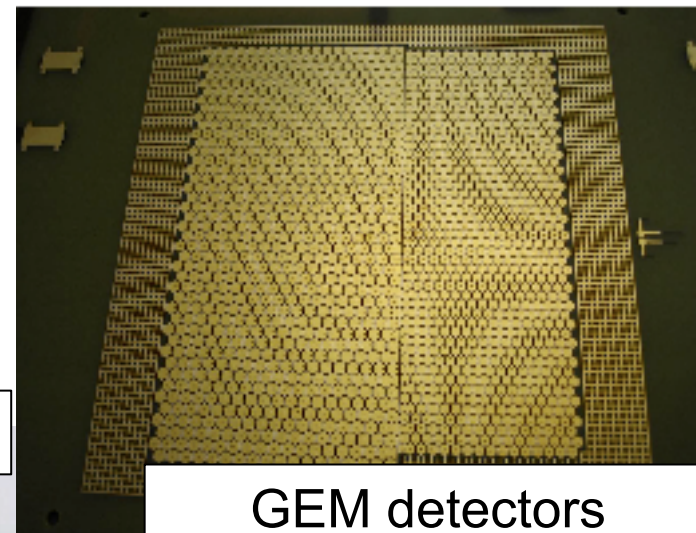


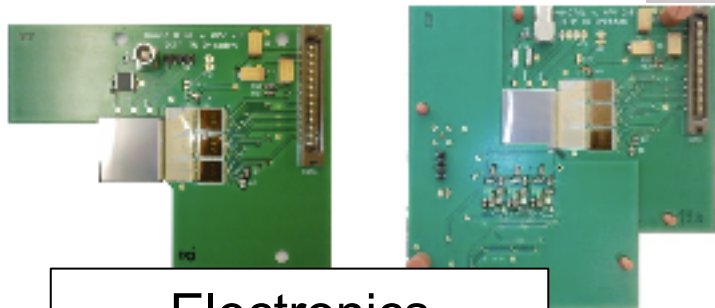
Photo-sensors



GEM detectors



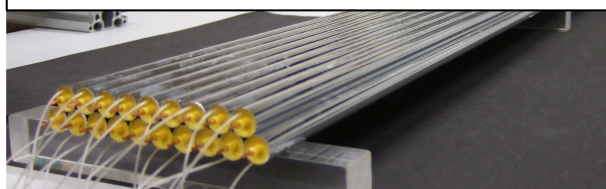
Electronics



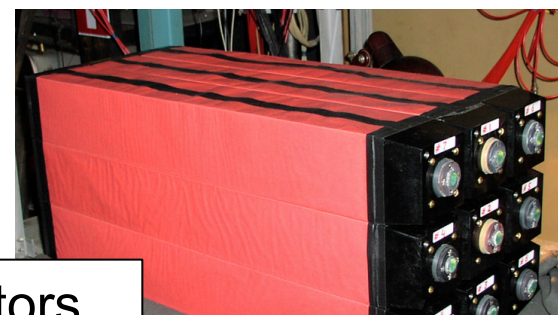
EMC crystals



Straw Tubes detectors



Shashlyk





# Summary

$\bar{p}$ -induced reactions studied with  $\bar{P}$ ANDA@FAIR have an enormous impact in particle physics

- All  $q\bar{q}$  states can be formed directly (not only  $1^{--}$ )
  - ↳ Discovery potential
- $\bar{p}$  momentum can be tuned
  - ↳ Precision studies can be performed
- High probability for production of exotic states
  - ↳ 2 states  $1^{-+}$  are predicted in the charmonium energy region
- Low final state multiplicities
  - ↳ Allows complete PWA
- $\bar{p}$  are extremely versatile
  - ↳ Nucleon structure can be studied, DDS, etc...
- High luminosity
  - ↳ Maximizes the yield, and then rare phenomena can be studied

At present 410 physicists from 53 institutions in 16 countries



Basel, Beijing, Bochum, IIT Bombay, Bonn, Brescia, IFIN Bucharest, Catania, IIT Chicago, Cracow, IFJ PAN Cracow, Cracow UT, Edinburgh, Erlangen, Ferrara, Frankfurt, Genova, Giessen, Glasgow, GSI, FZ Jülich, JINR Dubna, Katowice, KVI Groningen, Lanzhou, LNF, Lund, Mainz, Minsk, ITEP Moscow, MPEI Moscow, TU München, Münster, Northwestern, BINP Novosibirsk, IPN Orsay, Pavia, IHEP Protvino, PNPI St. Petersburg, KTH Stockholm, Stockholm, Dep. A. Avogadro Torino, Dep. Fis. Sperimentale Torino, Torino Politecnico, Trieste, TSL Uppsala, Tübingen, Uppsala, Valencia, SINS Warsaw, TU Warsaw, AAS Wien