

Impact of forward PID on $|V_{ub}|$ measurement and possible momentum resolution improvement

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Outline

- $|V_{ub}|$ measurement from inclusive spectrum of charmless semileptonic B decays
- FARICH with MCP PMT
 - Optimization for the momentum measurement
 - Optimization for low momentum PID

$|V_{ub}|$ measurement from inclusive spectrum of charmless semileptonic B decays

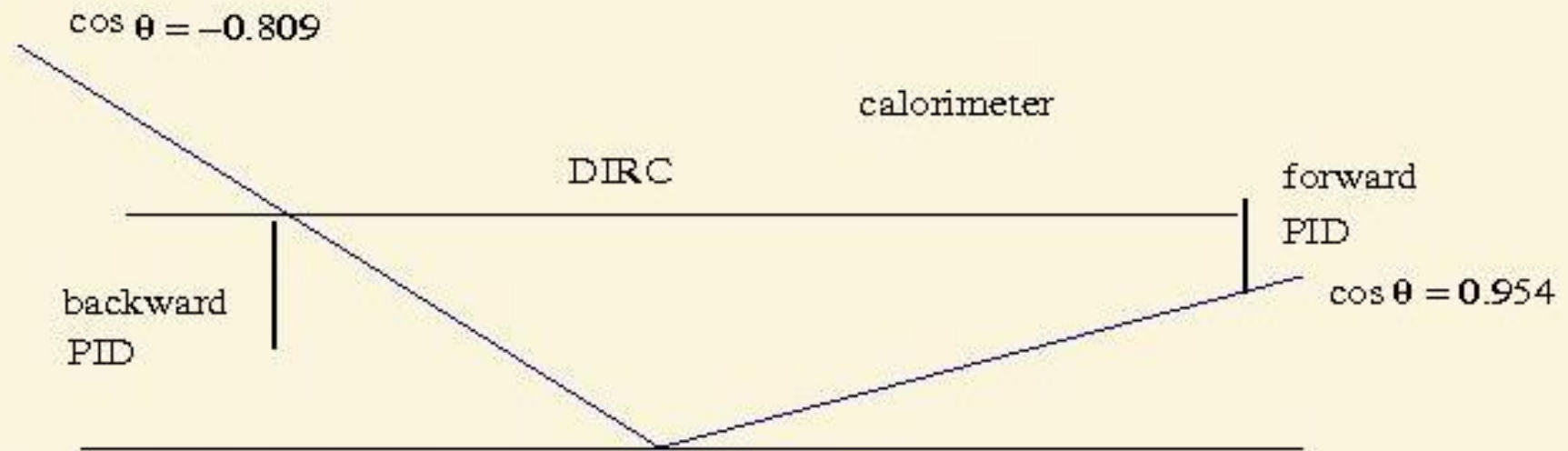
We look for the physics process where PID acceptance will play critical role:

- classical, important
- large multiplicity
- need PID

- $|V_{ub}|$ plays a critical role in testing of SM
- Currently one of the most promising procedure for $|V_{ub}|$ measurement is to extract it from inclusive $B \rightarrow X_u l \nu$ decays where theoretical uncertainties are significantly reduced:
- needs full reconstruction of tagging B-mesons to receive clean sample (PID!)
- needs good measurement of X_u invariant mass to suppress background from X_c (PID!)

$|V_{ub}|$ measurement from inclusive spectrum of semileptonic B decays

- The first step is the geometry efficiency study.



$\cos \theta = -0.830 \div 0.955$ and $p < 700 \text{ MeV}$ (DC PID)

$\cos \theta = -0.892 \div 0.906$ (DIRC), $0.894 \div 0.955$ (forward PID), $-0.956 \div -0.825$ (backward PID),

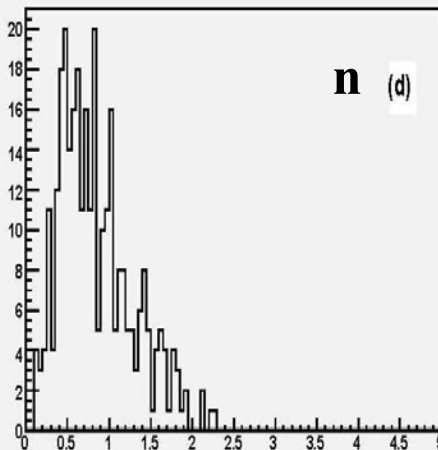
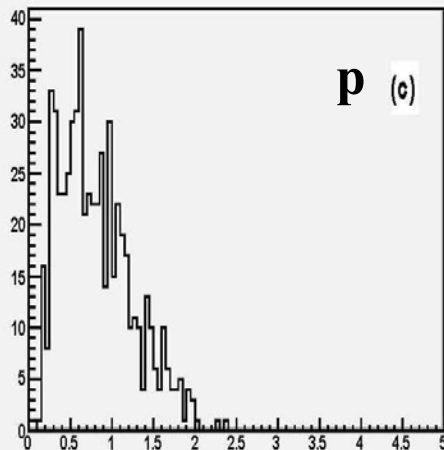
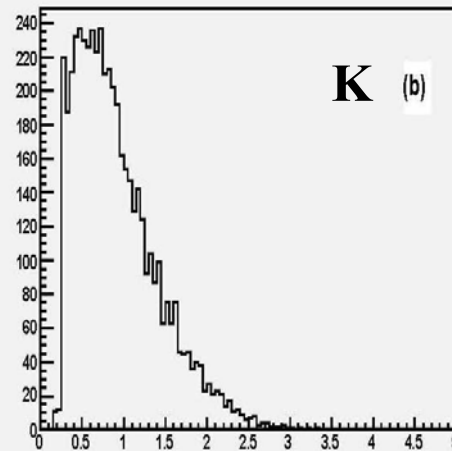
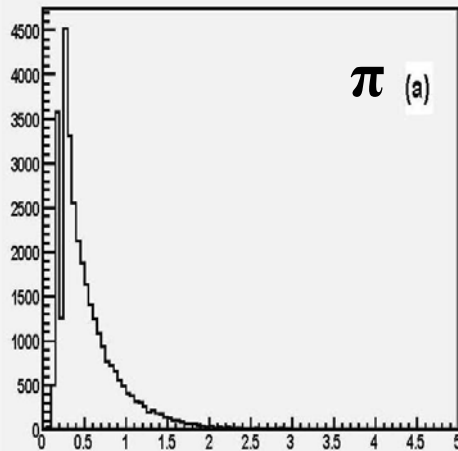
$\cos \theta = -0.809 \div 0.954$ (calorimeter),

$E_{e-} = 7 \text{ GeV}$ $E_{e+} = 4 \text{ GeV}$ $B = 1.5 \text{ T}$

EvtGen \rightarrow GEANT4 \rightarrow For charged PID the first cross is calculated, all other crosses and the secondary particles are ignored. For neutral particles, the cross of calorimeter = the solid angle of calorimeter.

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Particles momentum spectrums



- for 50% of pions $P > 400$ MeV
- for 50% of kaons $P > 800$ MeV

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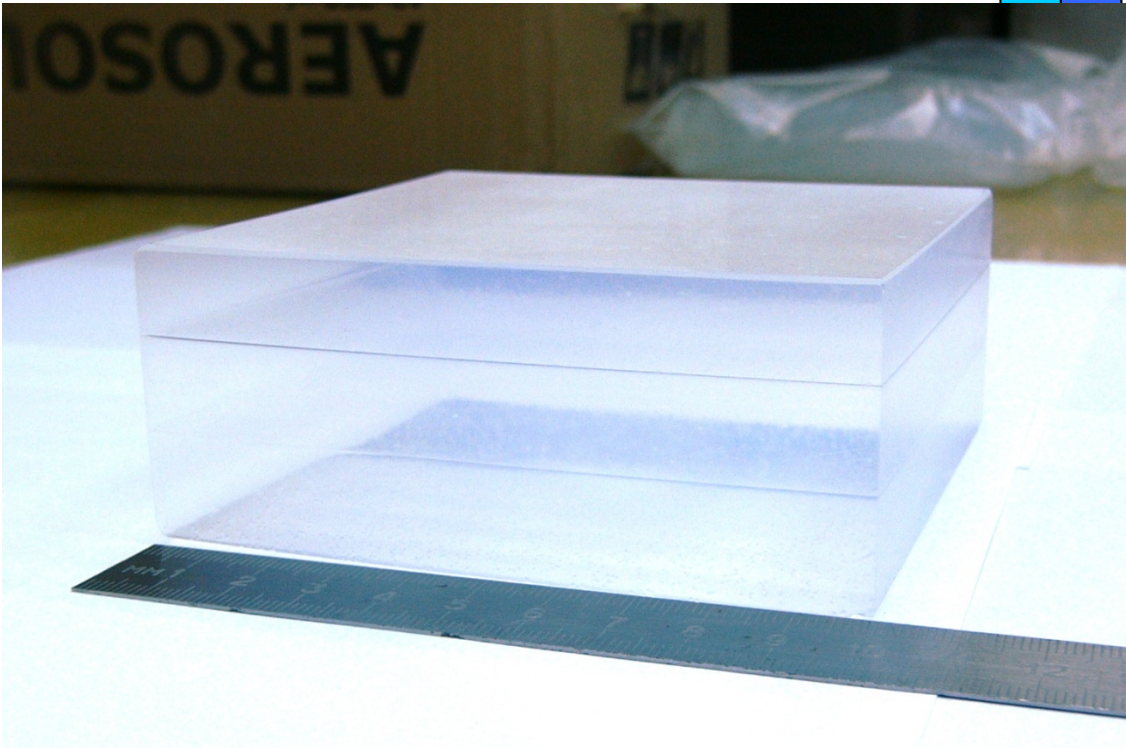
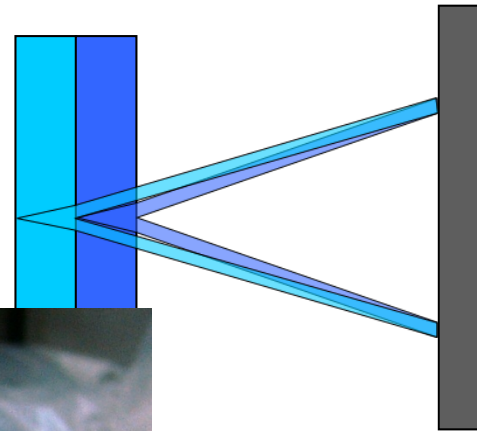
| PID system | 100% reco γ in calorimeter | no magnetic field | 100% reco KI and n(.n) in calorimeter | no decays K^\pm, π^\pm, μ^\pm in flight |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------------|---|
| barrel | 0.82 | 3.23 | 7.03 | 12.88 |
| barrel +forward | 1.32 | 4.73 | 10.03 | 19.32 |
| barrel +backward | 1.23 | 4.23 | 9.00 | 16.95 |
| barrel +forward +backward | 2.0 | 6.25 | 13.00 | 25.84 |

- Forward gives at least 30% increase in efficiency
- the loss of the detection efficiency due to decays is very large
- What about backward PID?

Focusing aerogel RICH concept

Objective: to reduce thickness contribution

Single ring
focusing

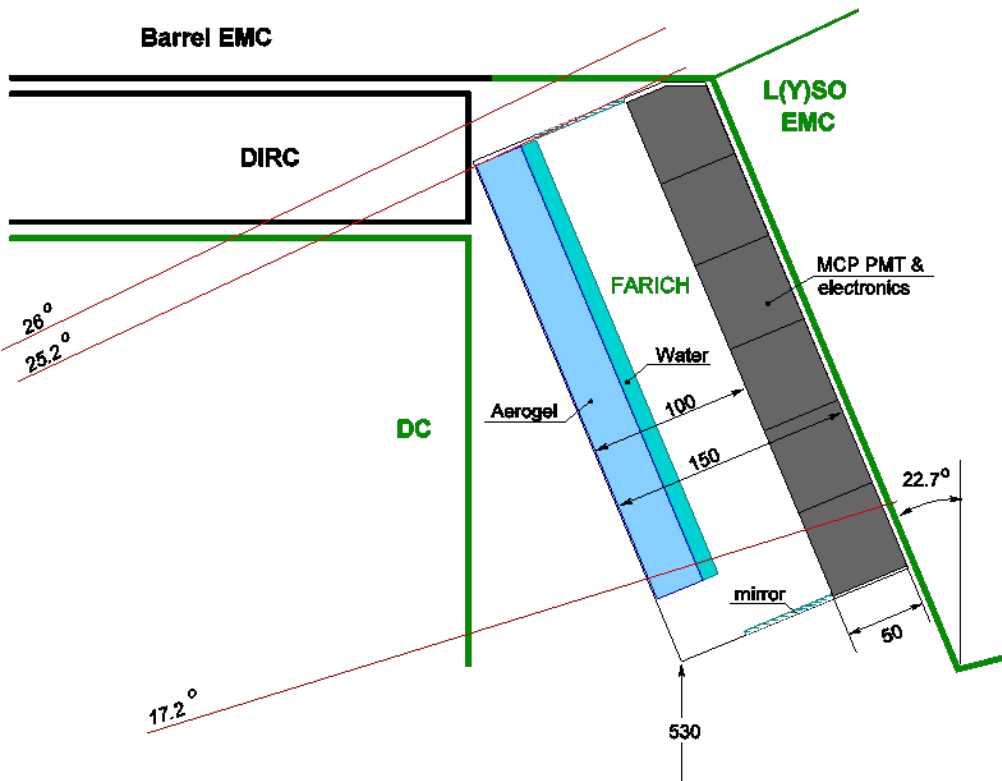


FARICH for the SuperB detector (MCP PMT)

- Photon detector = MCP PMT from Burle
- We want to work also at low momentum region ($< 1 \text{ GeV}/c$) = additional radiator with high index of refraction
- Particle momentum measurement = small granularity

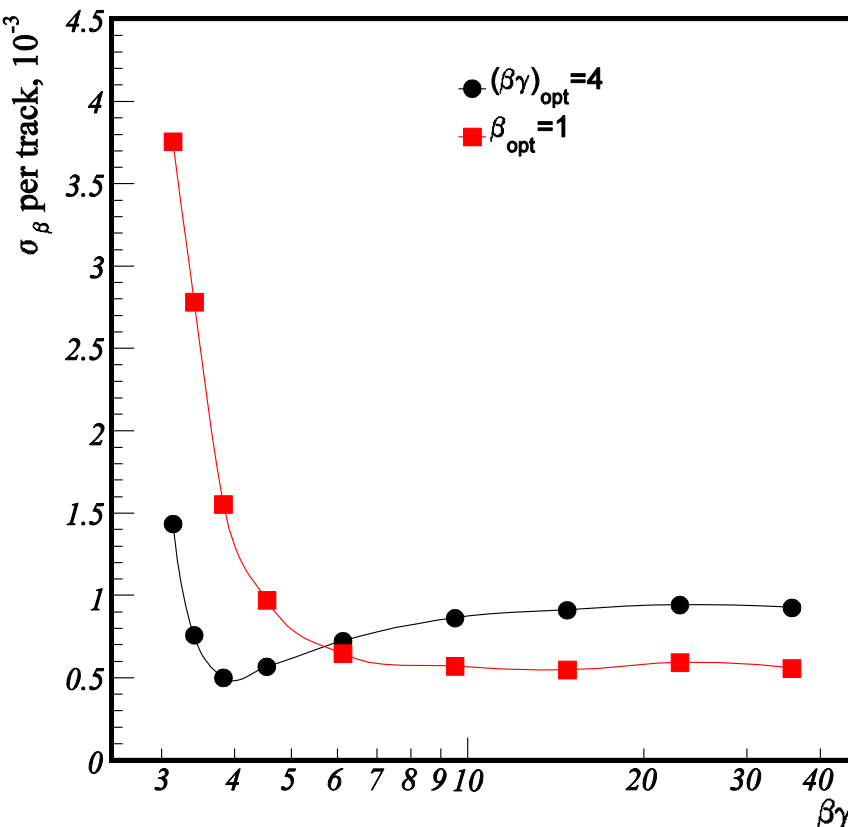


FARICH for the SuperB detector (MCP PMT)



- Burle MCP PMT with 1.6x1.6 mm pixels (32x32 matrix), photoelectron collection efficiency 70%, geometrical factor 85%
- 3-layer focusing aerogel, $n_{\text{max}}=1.07$, total thickness 30 mm
- Number of PMTs - 550
- Number of channels – 550000
- Amount of material, (X_0) = 3.5%(aerogel)+ 2.5%(water)+ 14%(MCP PMT)+8% (support, electronics, cables) ~ 28%

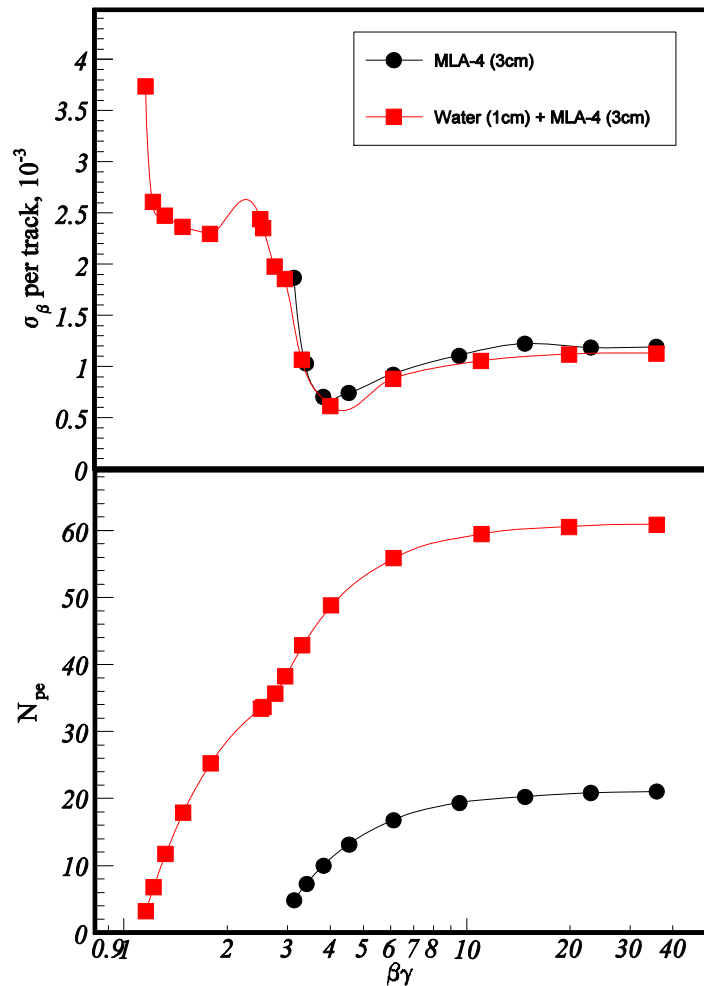
Optimizing FARICH momentum resolution



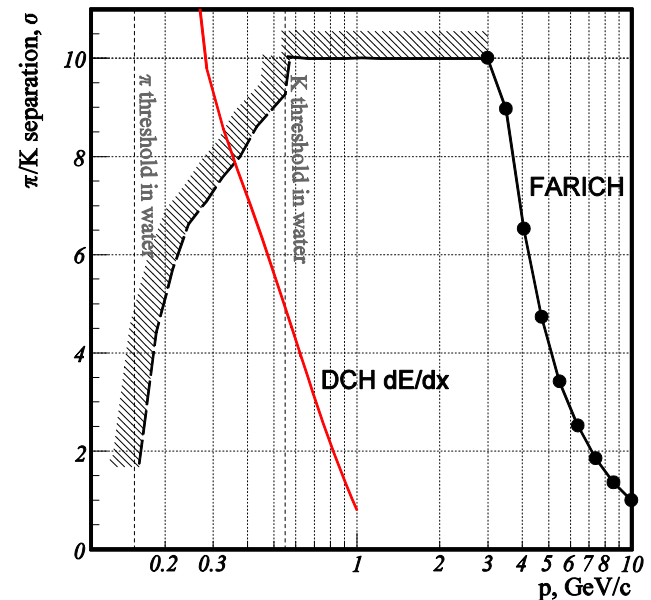
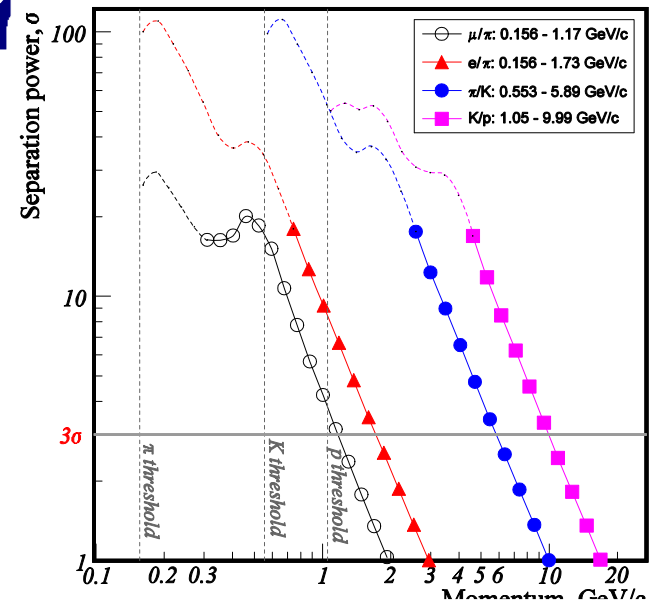
$$\sigma P/P = \gamma^2 \cdot \sigma\beta/\beta$$

- Change of the momentum focus for aerogel from $\beta_{\text{opt}} = 1$ to $\beta\gamma_{\text{opt}} = 1$

FARICH expected performance Carlo results

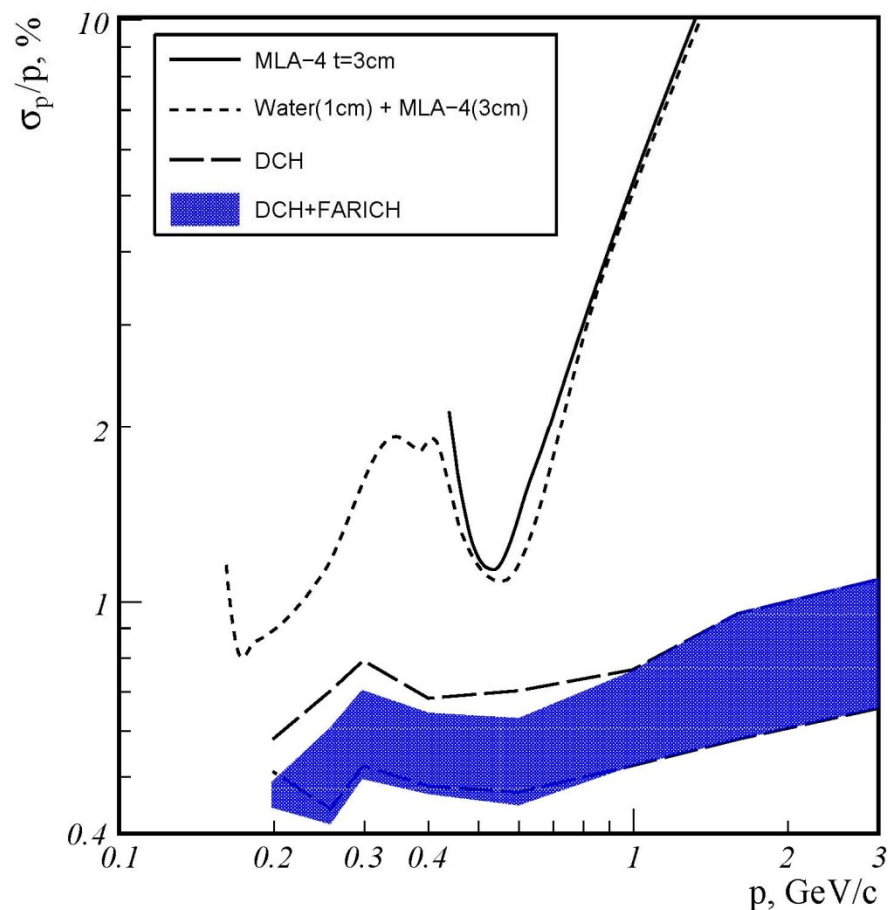
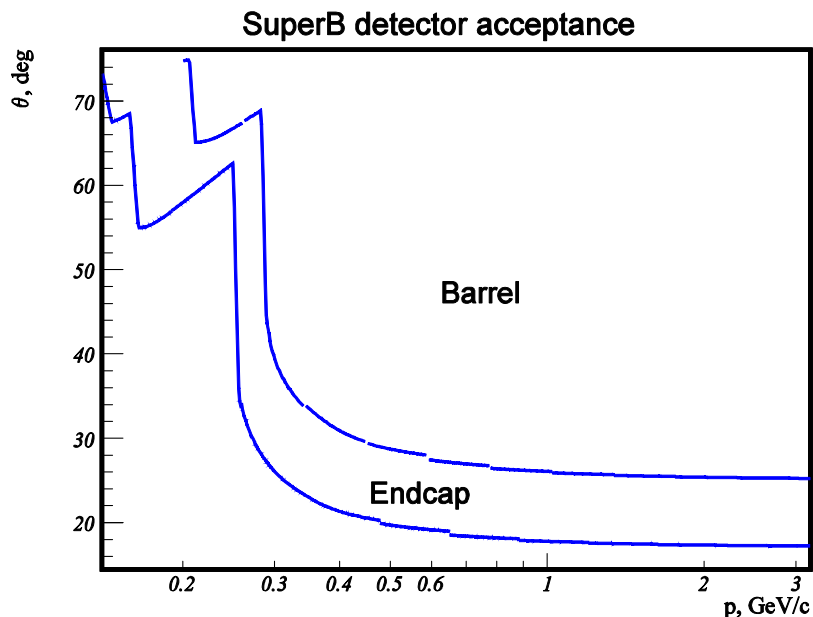


- $N_{pe} = 20 + 40$



FARICH momentum resolution

- Data for the DC momentum resolution are from the FastSim (decays are switched off!)
- need to take into account real polar angle of the particle
- Improvement in momentum measurement resolution from 10 to 15% in the working region – the same improvement will be if we add 10-15 cm to DC



FARICH *pro* and *contra*

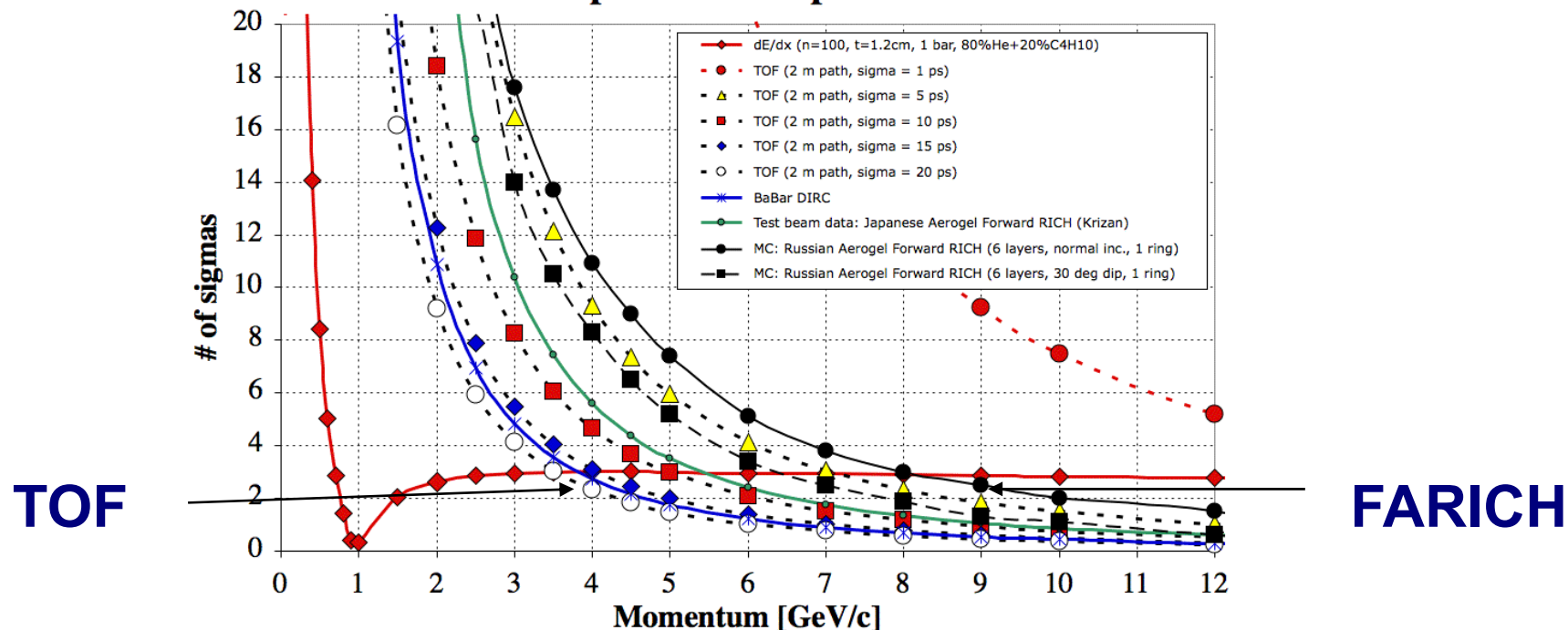
- Good PID in wide momentum region (π/K separation from 0.6 to 6 GeV/c)
- Improvement of the momentum resolution by 10-15% in the forward region
- In flight decays detection (?)
- Amount of material is about 28% of X_0
- Large number of channels



Backup slides

Forward TOF and FARICH comparison

Expected π/K separation



Pro

Contra

- Much better $\pi/K, \mu/\pi, e/\pi$ identification
- Momentum measurement improvement in the forward
- Better background endurance

- 15 cm of additional space
- 10 times more channels
- Price (?)

The amount of material is almost the same