

# **Deflection of High-Energy Negatively Charged Particles by Means of a Bent Crystal**

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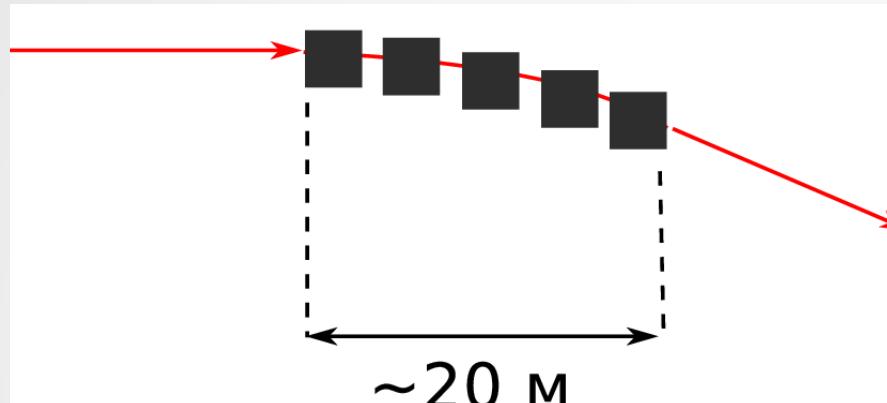
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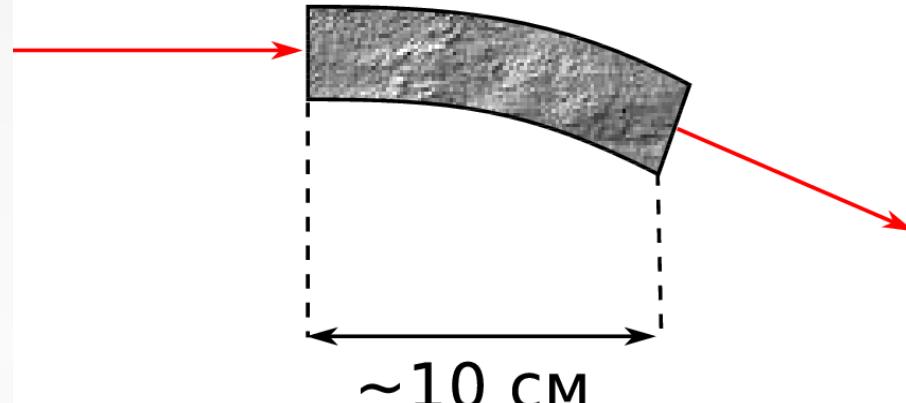
*Channeling-2018  
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# Charged particle beam deflection

Magnets

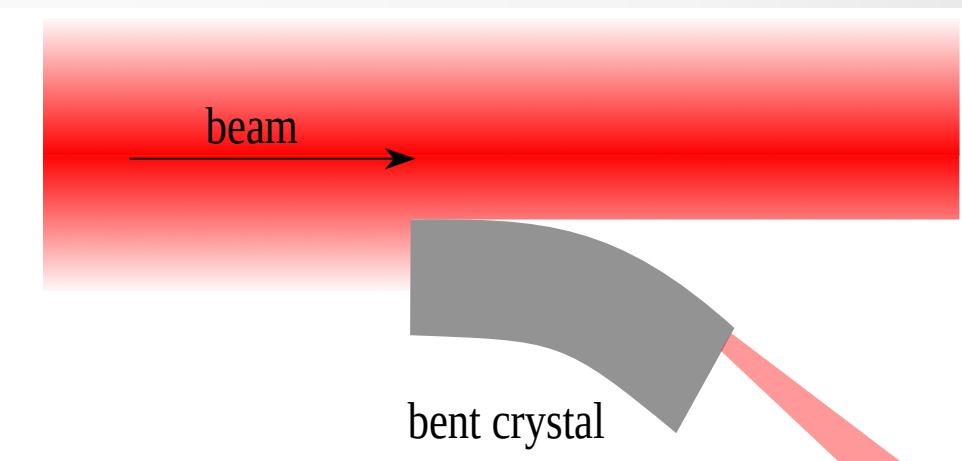


Bent crystal

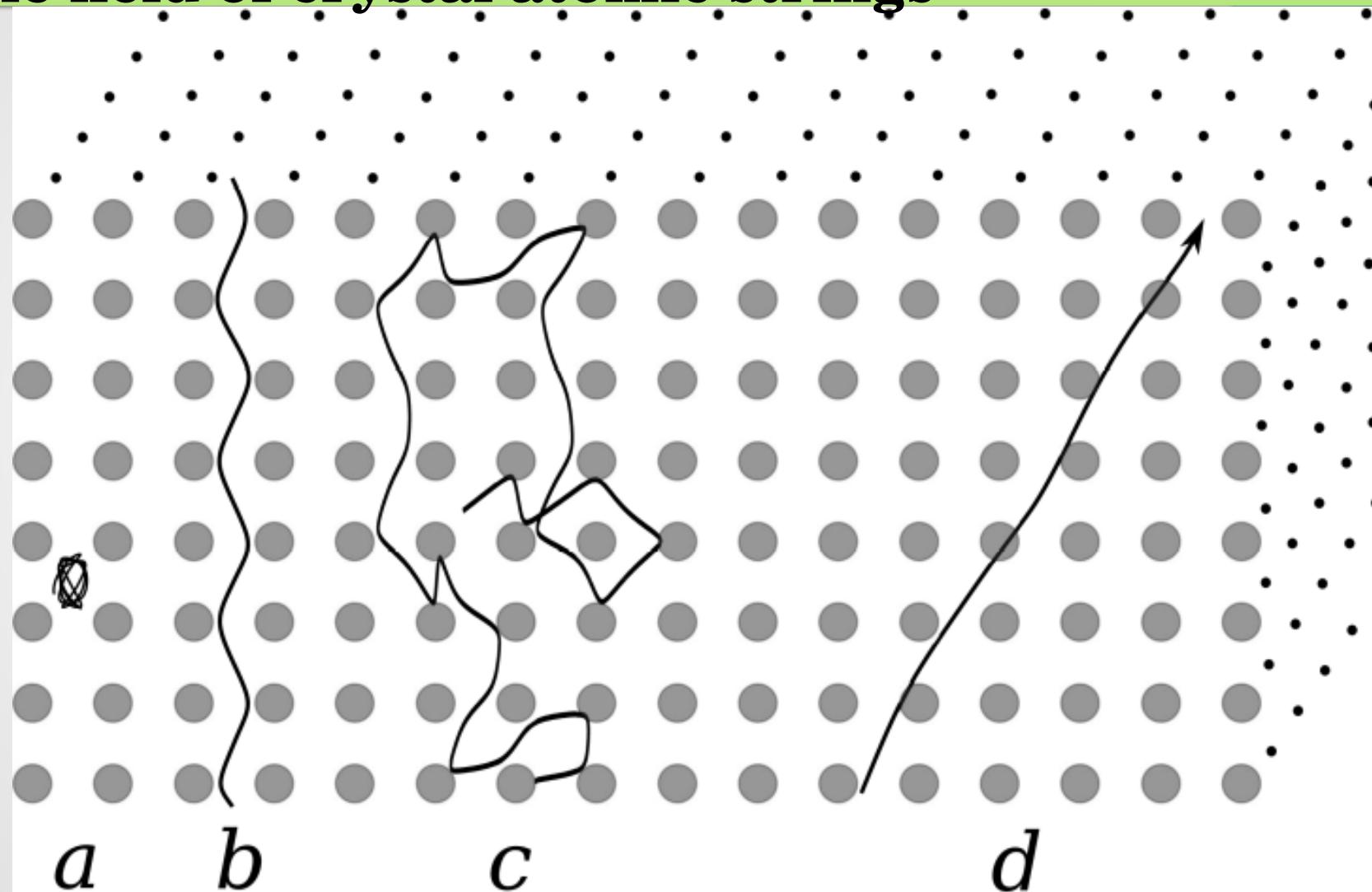


Advantages of bent crystals in front of magnets:

- compact size
- do not need electric power consumption
- do not need cooling



# Regimes of charged-particle motion in the field of crystal atomic strings



a) axial channeling

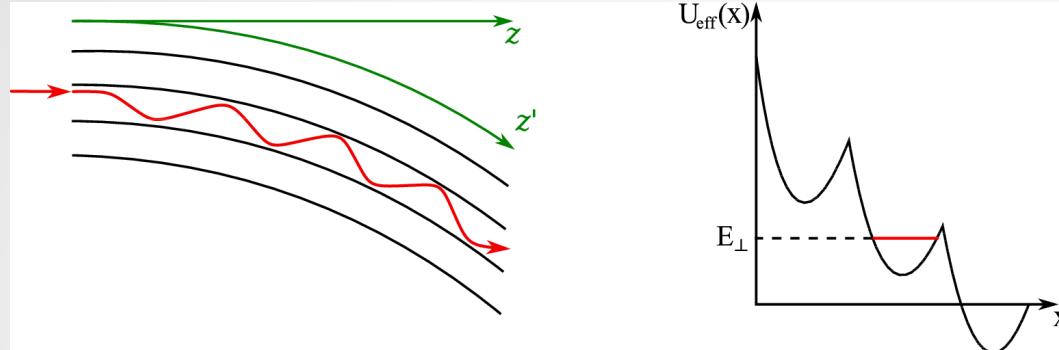
c) stochastic scattering

b) planar channeling

d) strongly above-barrier motion

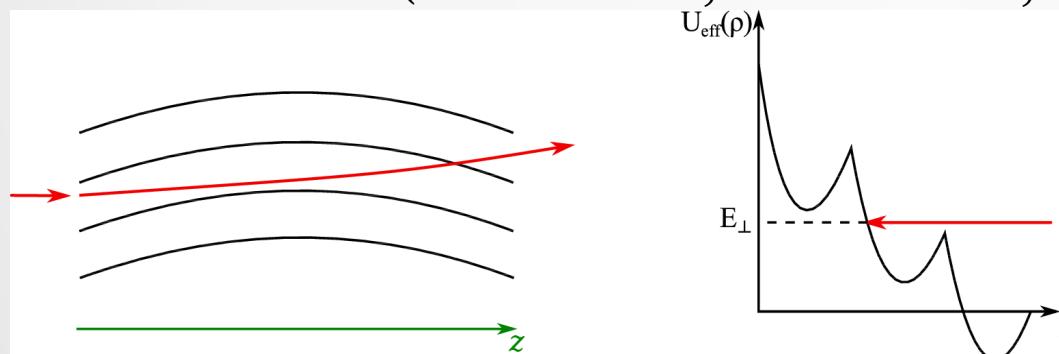
# Mechanisms of deflection of charged particles by a bent crystal

- Planar channeling (*E.N. Tsyganov, 1976*)



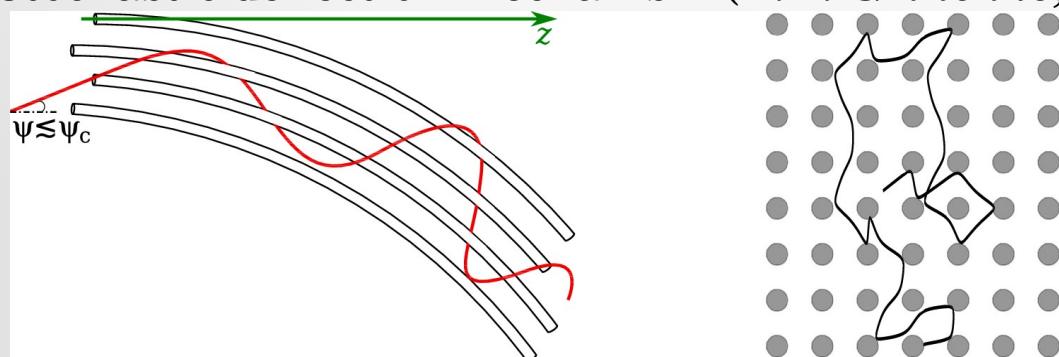
1979 — JINR  
1980 — CERN

- Volume reflection (*A.M. Taratin, S.A. Vorobiev, 1987*)



2006 — IHEP  
2006 — PNPI  
2007 — CERN

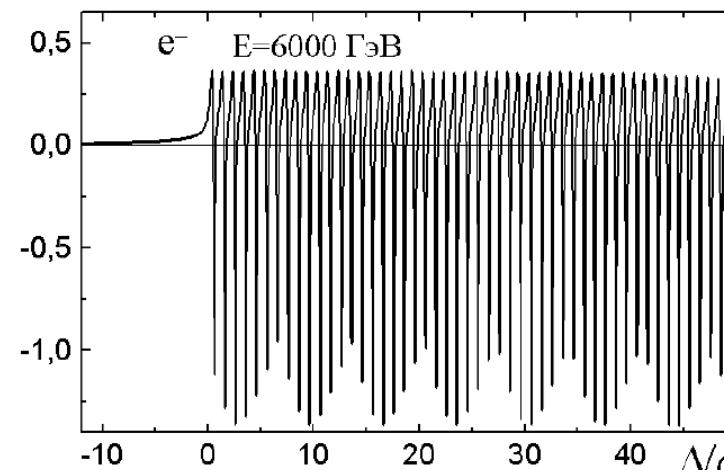
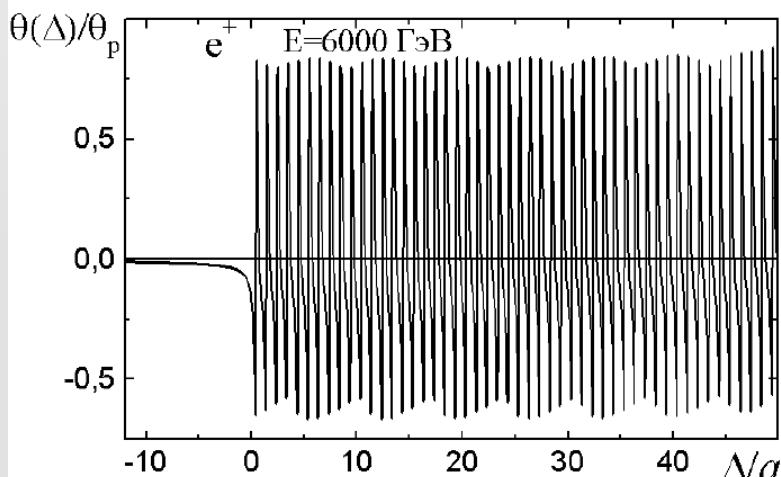
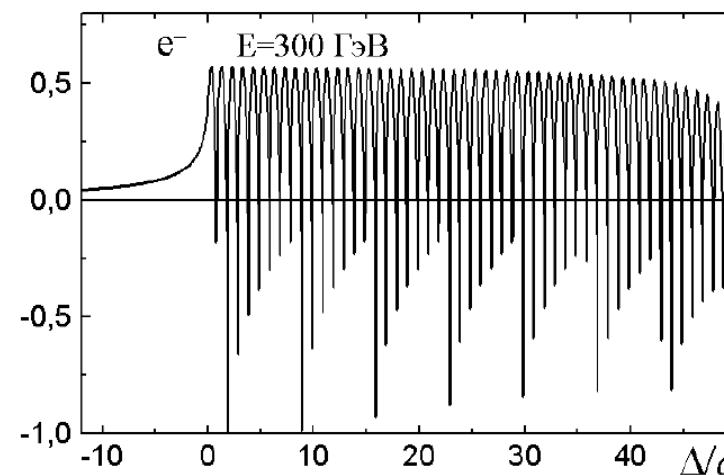
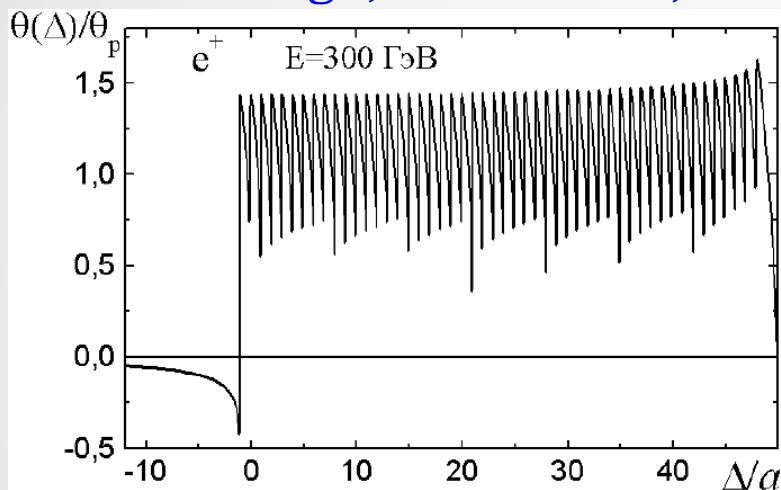
- Stochastic deflection mechanism (*A.A. Grinenko, N.F. Shul'ga, 1991*)



2008 — CERN, protons  
2009 — CERN,  $\pi^-$ -mesons

# Volume reflection

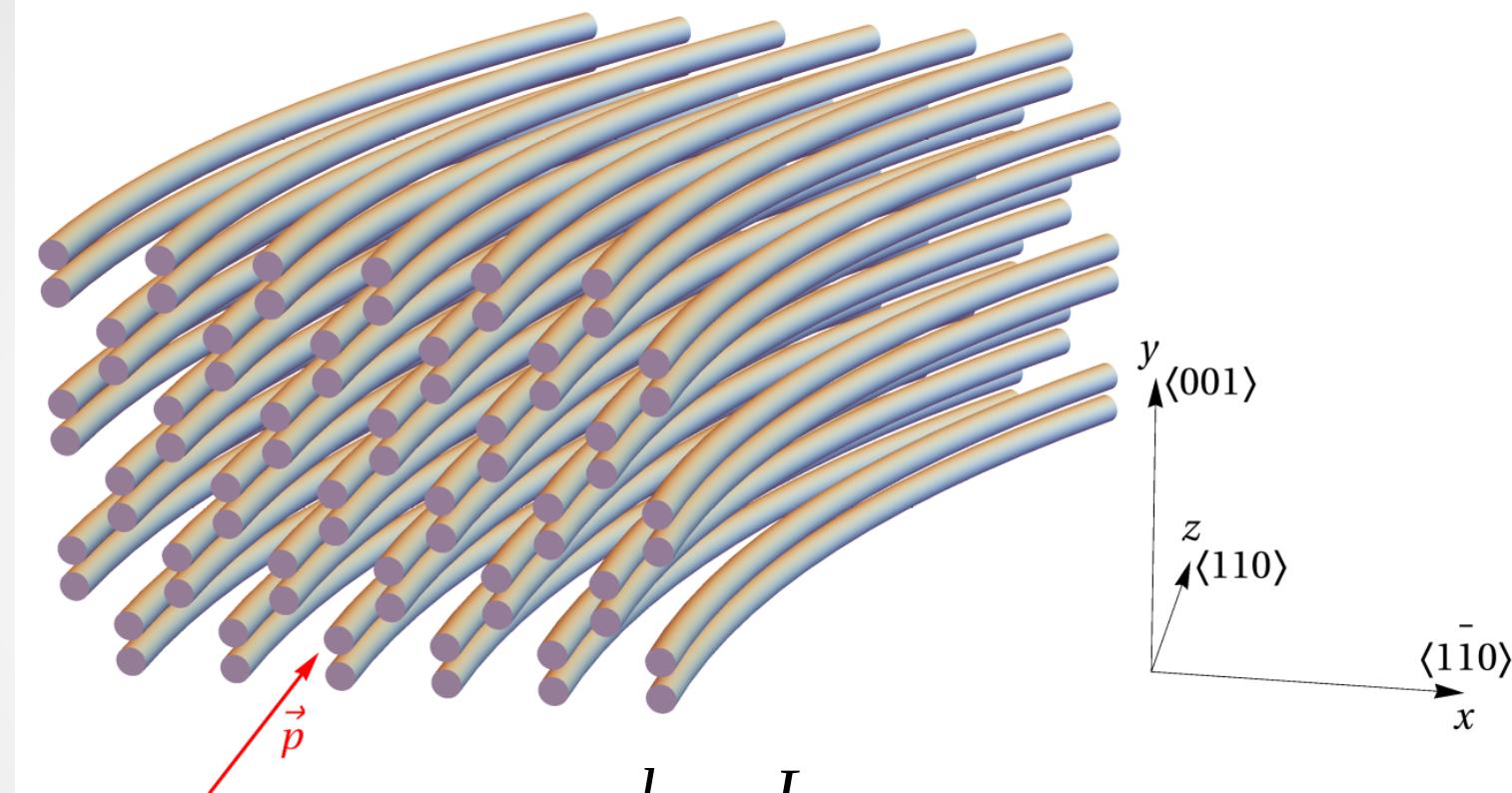
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$$\frac{R}{R_c} \gg 1$$

$$\frac{R}{R_c} < 1$$

# Stochastic deflection mechanism



Greenenko-Shul'ga criterion:  $\frac{l}{R \psi_c} \frac{L}{R \psi_c} < 1$

$R$  is crystal curvature radius;

$\psi_c$  is the critical angle of axial channeling;

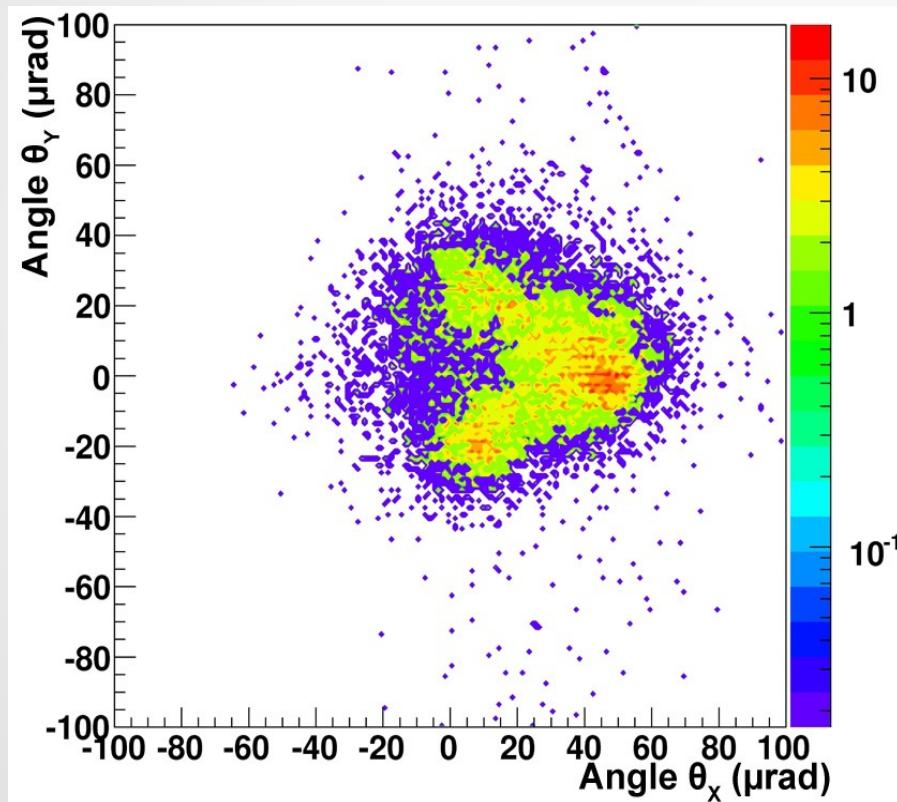
$l$  is the mean free path between successive collisions with atomic strings;

$L$  is the thickness of the crystal.

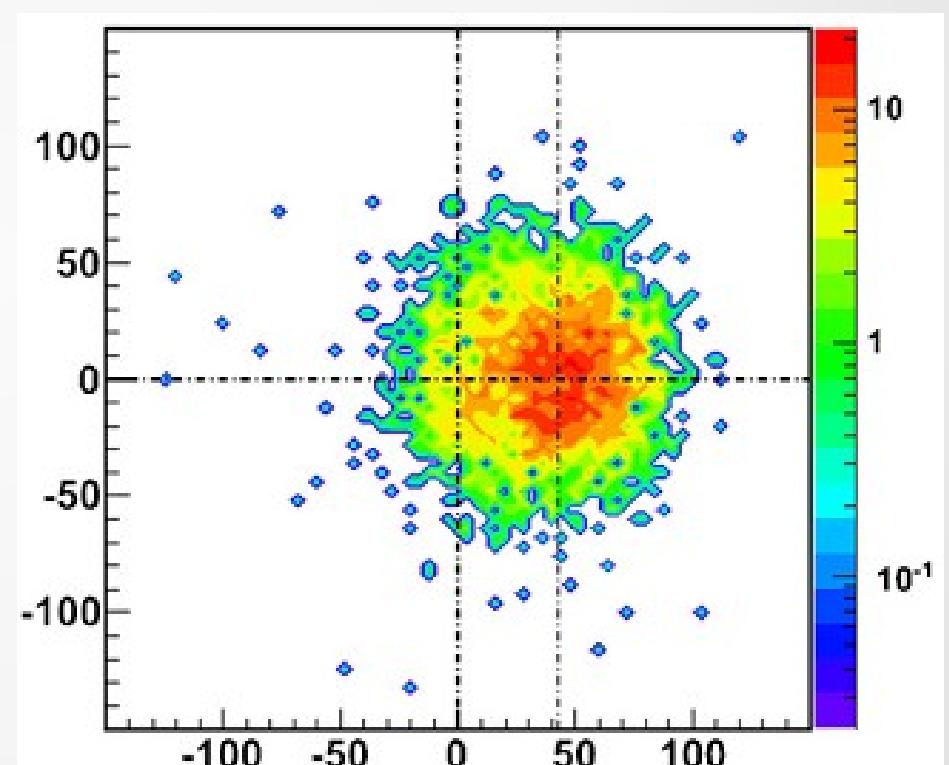
# Stochastic mechanism of high energy charged particles deflection by bent Si crystal with R=40 m

*CERN experiment, UA9 collaboration*

$p^+$ , E=400 GeV



$\pi^-$ , E=150 GeV



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# Influence of incoherent scattering on stochastic deflection of high-energy negative particle beams in bent crystals

$$\frac{d}{dz} \overline{\psi^2} = \frac{l}{R^2} + \frac{d}{dz} \overline{\psi_{inc}^2}$$

For  $U_{str}(\rho) = U_0 \left( \frac{a}{\rho} \right)^2$      $l \approx \frac{1}{4 n d a} \sqrt{\frac{E}{U_0}}$      $\Rightarrow$      $\overline{\psi^2} = \frac{l L}{R^2} + \overline{\psi_{inc}^2}$

$$\overline{\psi_{inc}^2} = \xi L$$

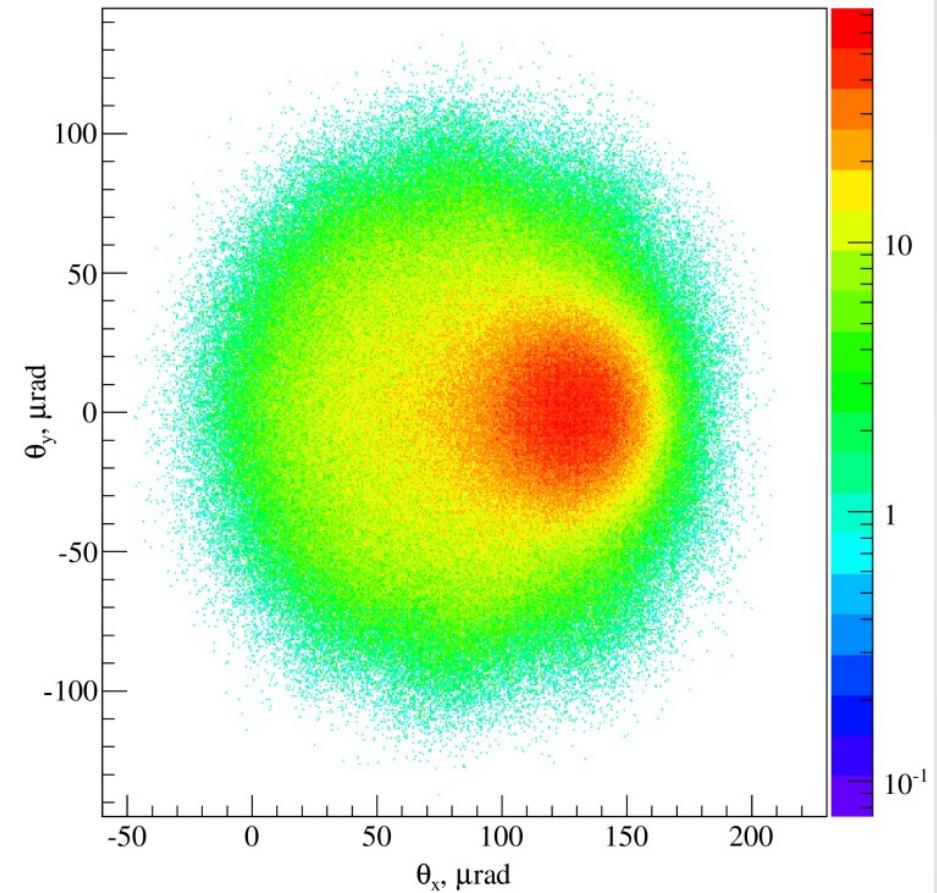
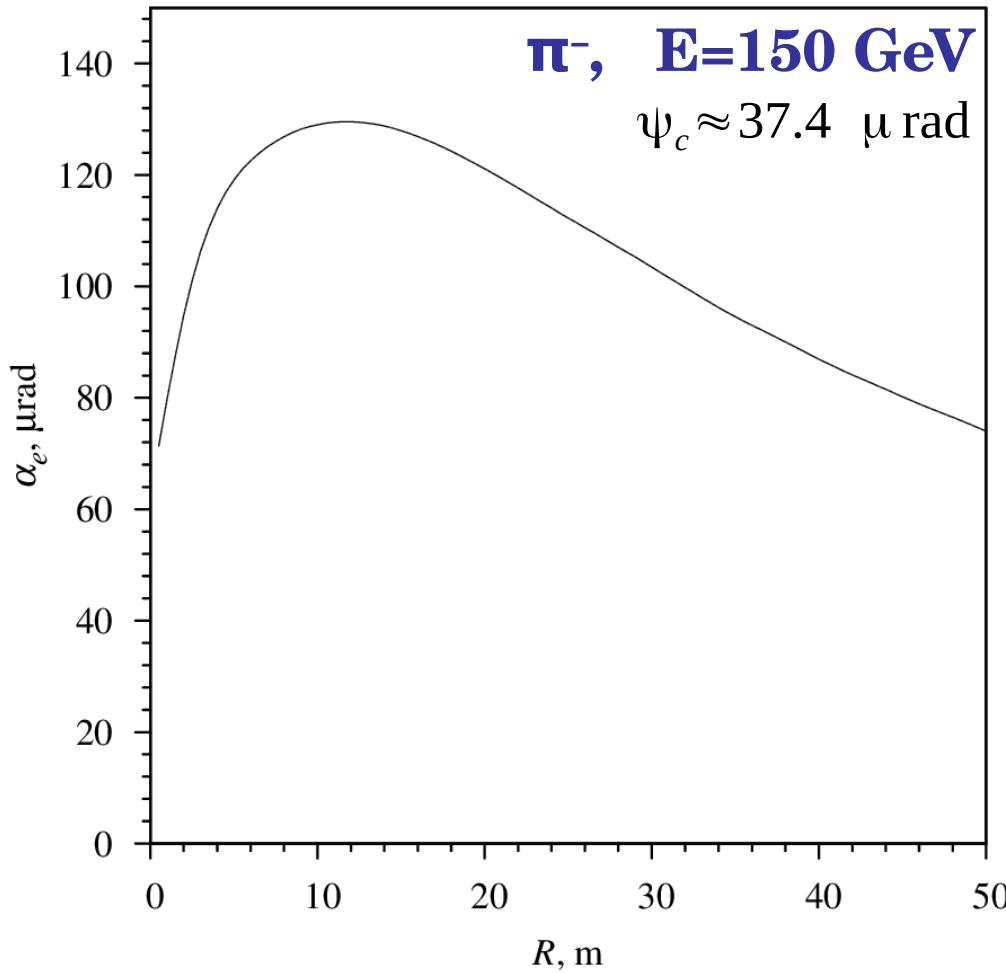
$$L_{st} = \frac{\psi_m^2}{l/R^2 + \xi}$$

$$\alpha_{st} = \frac{L_{st}}{R} = \frac{\psi_m^2}{l/R + \xi R}$$

For  $U_{str}(\rho) = U_0 \left( \frac{a}{\rho} \right)^2$      $R_{opt} = \sqrt{\frac{l}{\xi}}$

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$\pi^-$ ,  $E=150$  GeV, Si <110>,  
 $L=1.52$  mm,  $R=11.7$  m

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# Dependence of the efficiency of stochastic mechanism of charged particle beam deflection on the particle energy

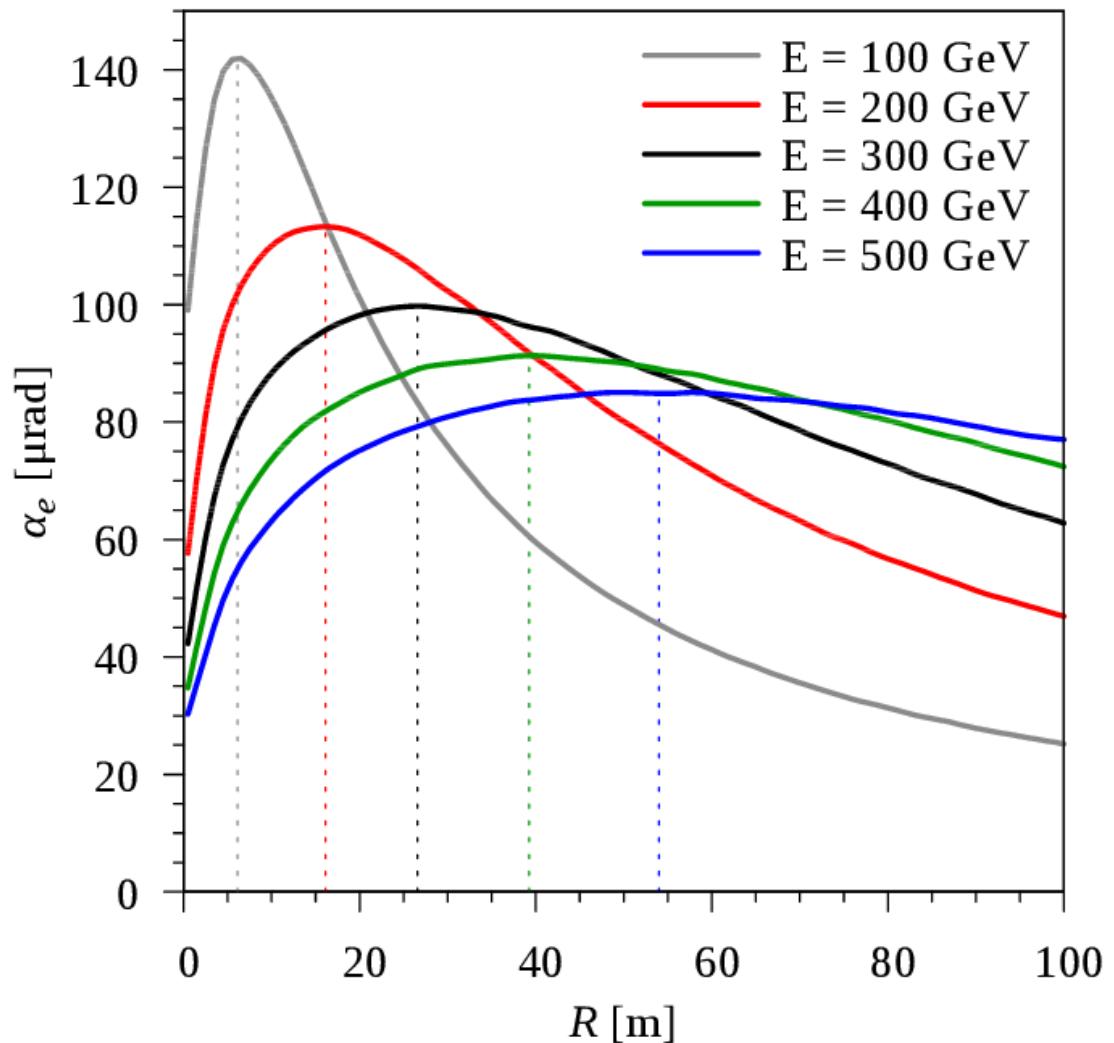
$$\alpha_{st} = \frac{\psi_m^2}{l/R + \xi R}$$

$$\psi_m^2 \propto \frac{1}{E}, \quad \xi \propto \frac{1}{E^2}$$

For  $U_{str}(\rho) = U_0 \left( \frac{a}{\rho} \right)^2$   $l \propto \sqrt{E}$

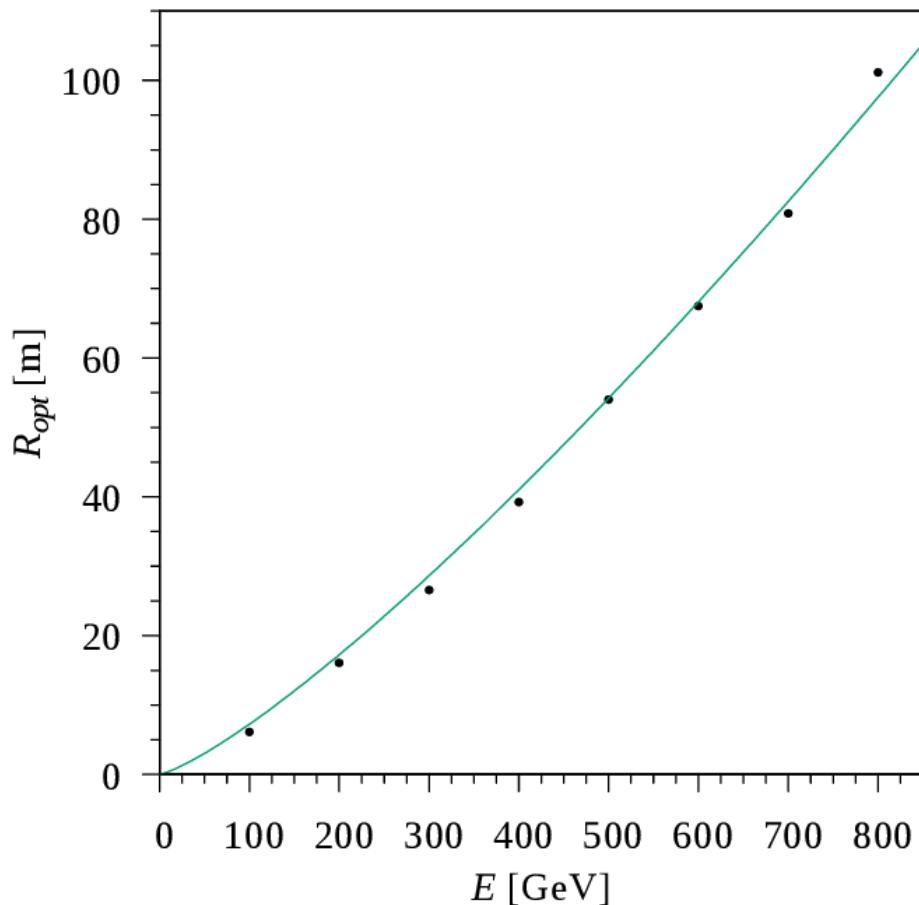
$$R_{opt} \propto \sqrt{\frac{l}{\xi}} \propto E^{5/4}$$

$$\alpha_e \propto \frac{E^{-1}}{E^{-3/4}} \propto E^{-1/4}$$

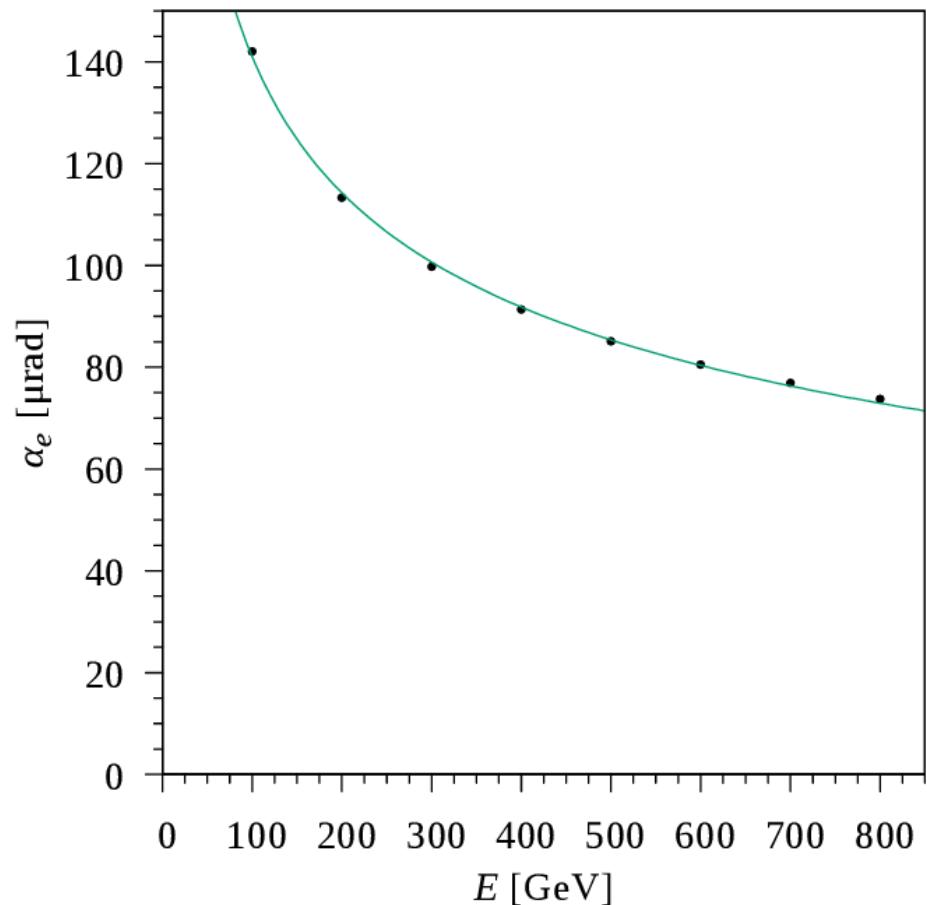


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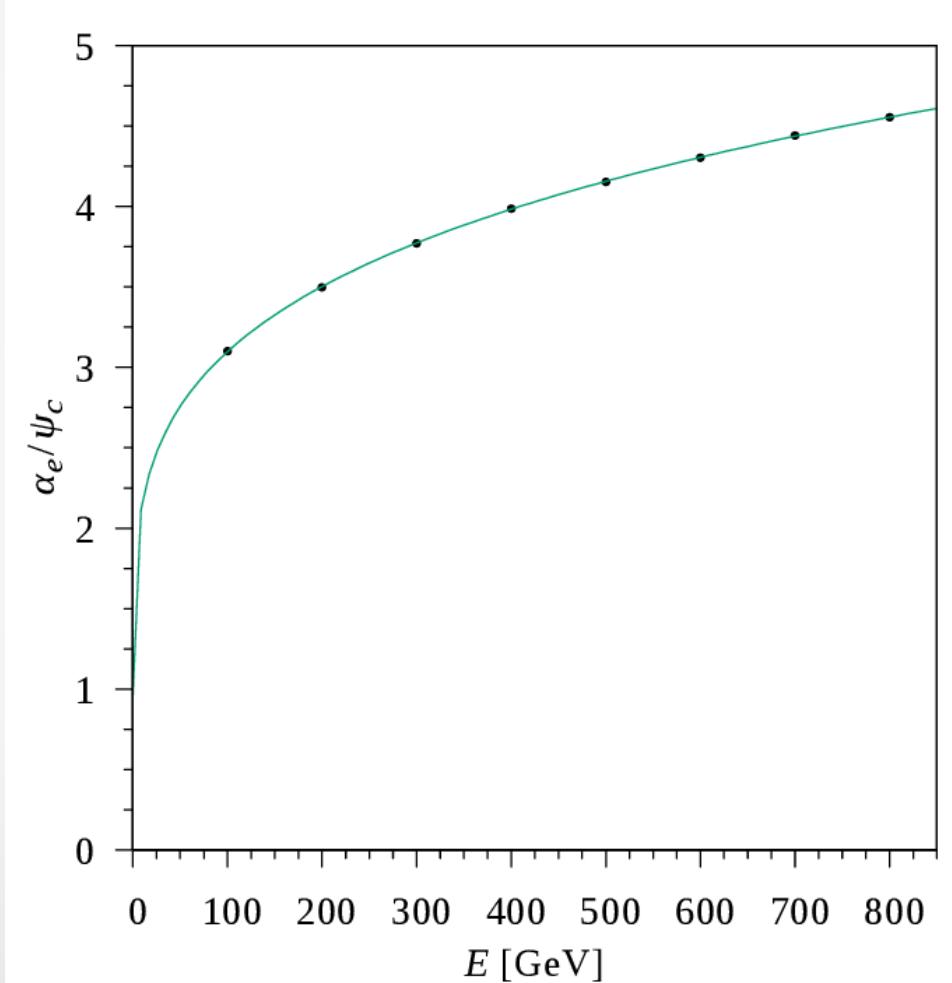


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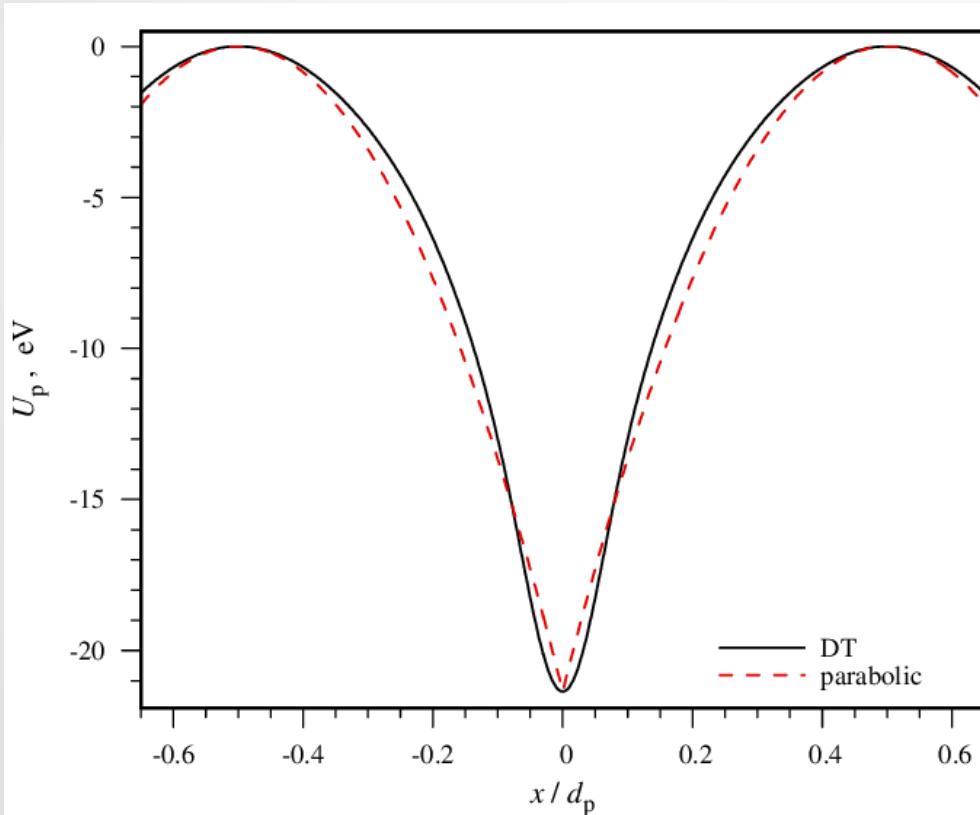
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$$\alpha_e/\psi_c \propto E^{1/4}$$



# Influence of incoherent scattering on planar channeling of high-energy negative particle beams in bent crystals

$$\frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} = -\frac{c^2}{E} \frac{d}{dx} \left( U_p(x) + E \frac{x}{R} \right)$$



$$\begin{aligned} f &= \left(1 - \sqrt{\frac{R}{R_c}}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\theta_0} \int_{-\theta_c}^{\theta_c} \exp\left(-\frac{\theta^2}{2\theta_0^2}\right) d\theta = \\ &= \left(1 - \sqrt{\frac{R}{R_c}}\right) \operatorname{erf}\left(-\frac{\theta_c}{\sqrt{2}\theta_0}\right) \end{aligned}$$

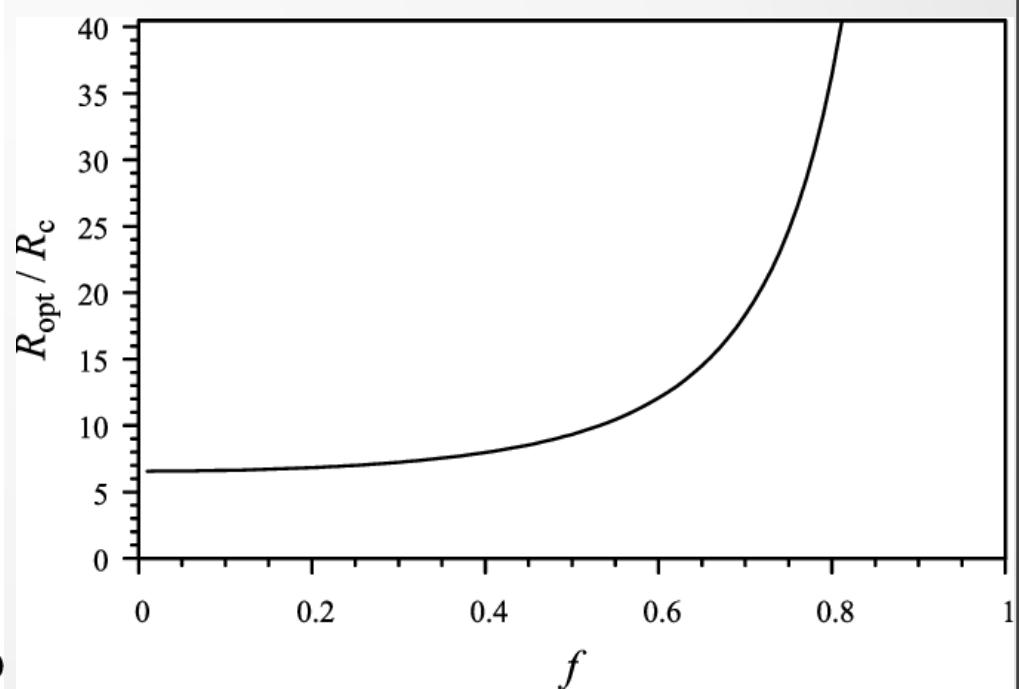
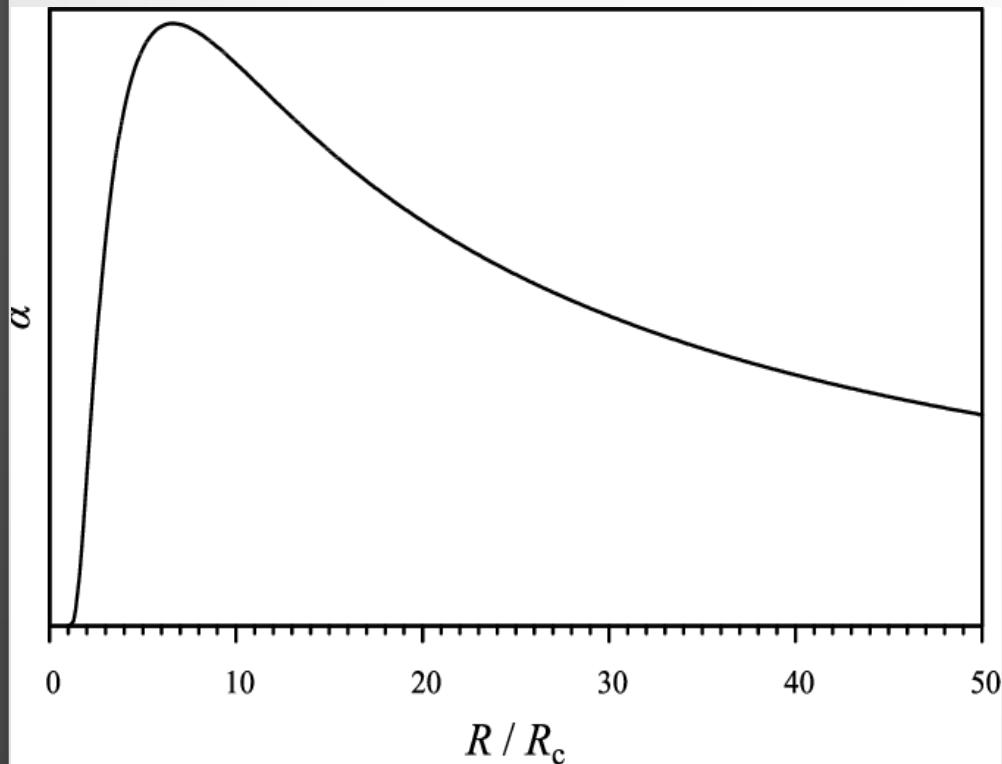
if  $\theta_0 = \xi \sqrt{L}$ , then

$$L = \frac{\theta_c^2}{2\xi^2 \left( \operatorname{erf}^{-1} \left( \frac{f}{1 - \sqrt{\frac{R_c}{R}}} \right) \right)^2}$$

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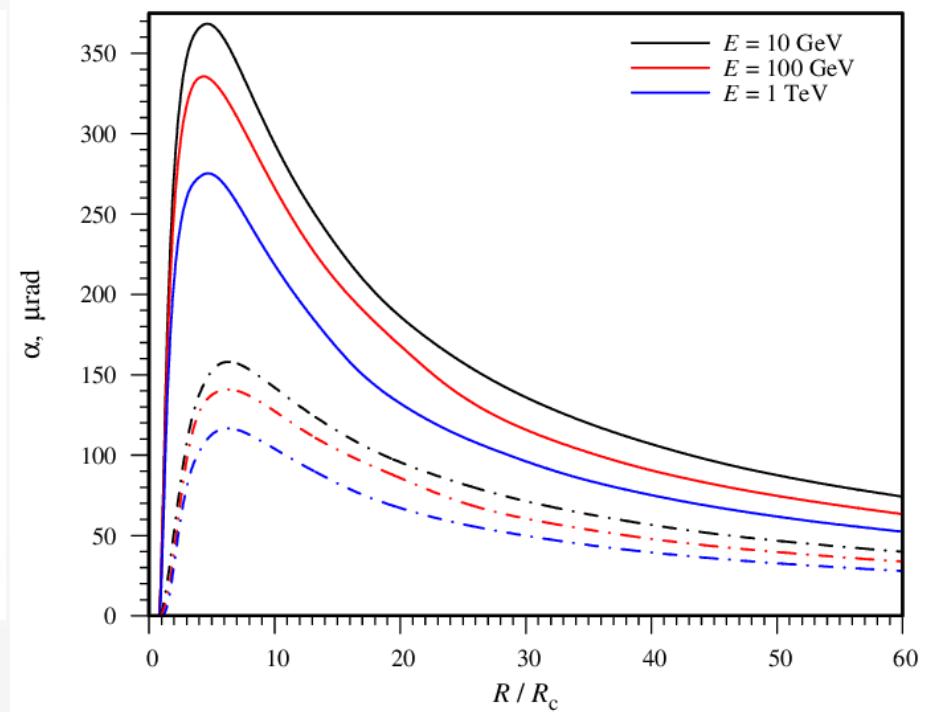
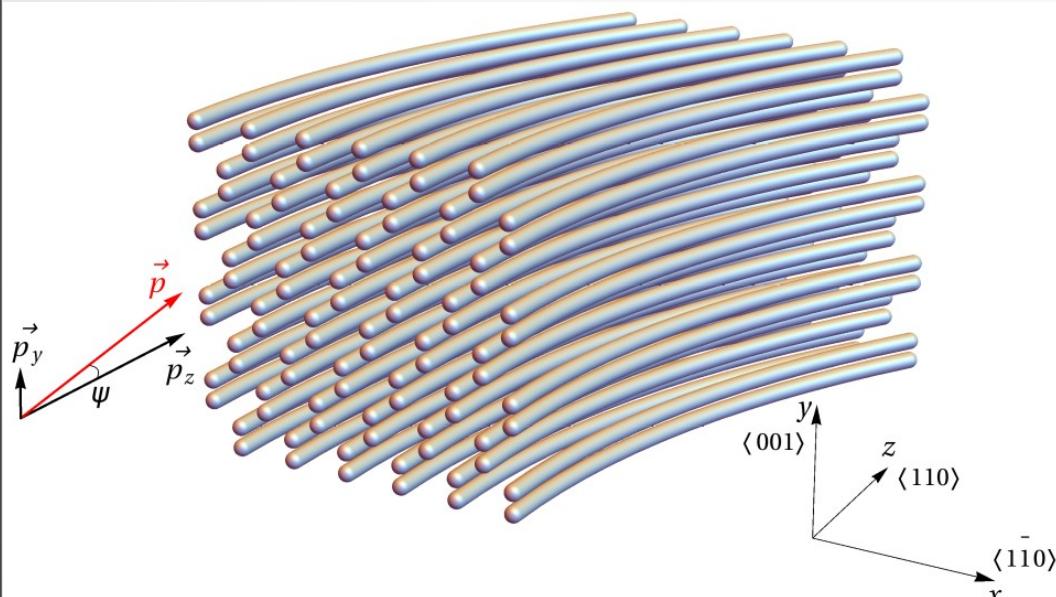
$$\alpha = \frac{L}{R} = \frac{\theta_c^2}{2\xi^2 R \left( \operatorname{erf}^{-1} \left( \frac{f}{\sqrt{1 - \sqrt{\frac{R_c}{R}}}} \right) \right)^2}, \quad \theta_c = \sqrt{\frac{2U_0}{E}} \left( 1 - \frac{R_c}{R} \right)$$

$$R = R_{\text{opt}} \Rightarrow \frac{d\alpha}{dR} = 0$$



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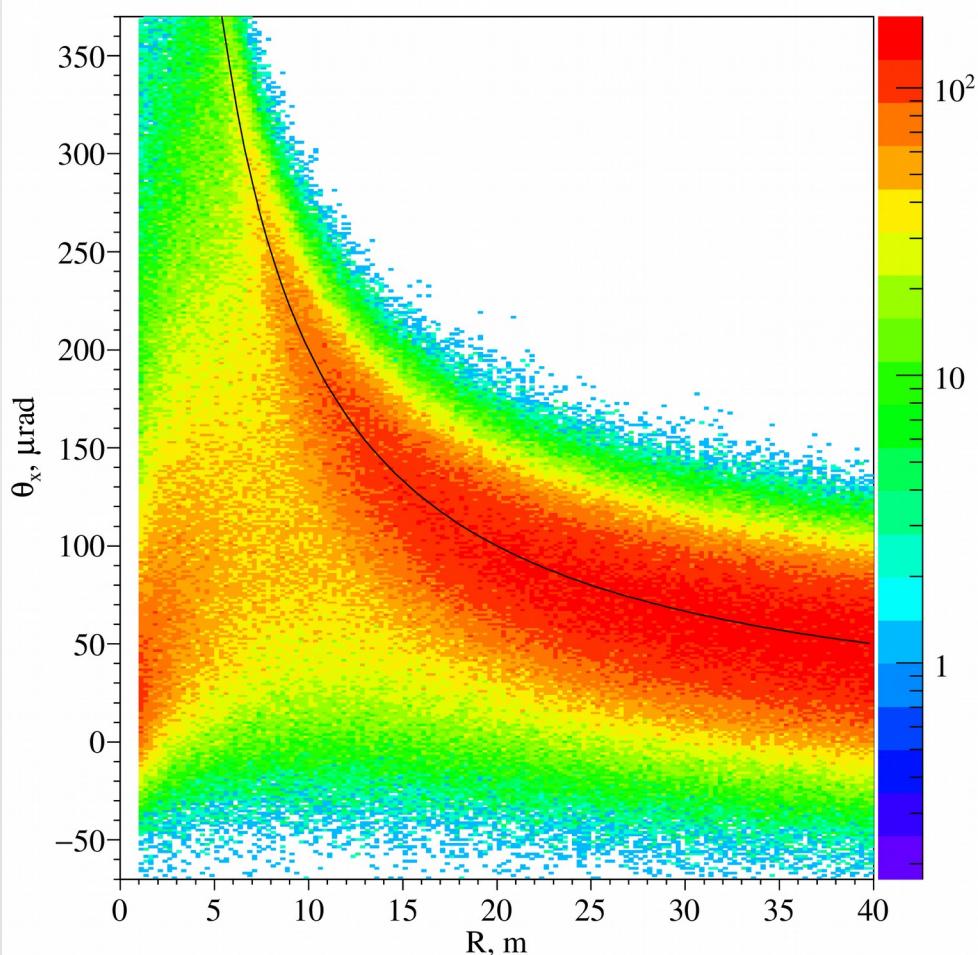
$\pi^-$ , Si (110)



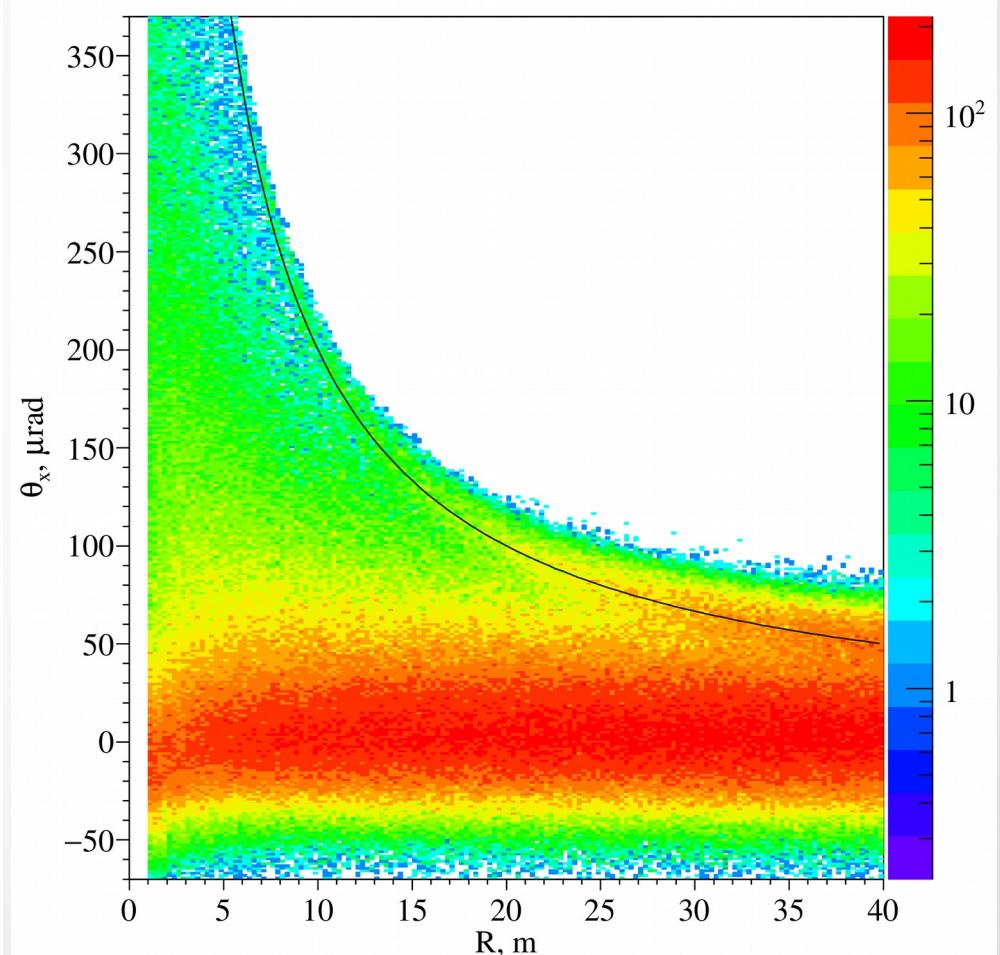
# Stochastic deflection vs planar channeling for negatively charged particle beams

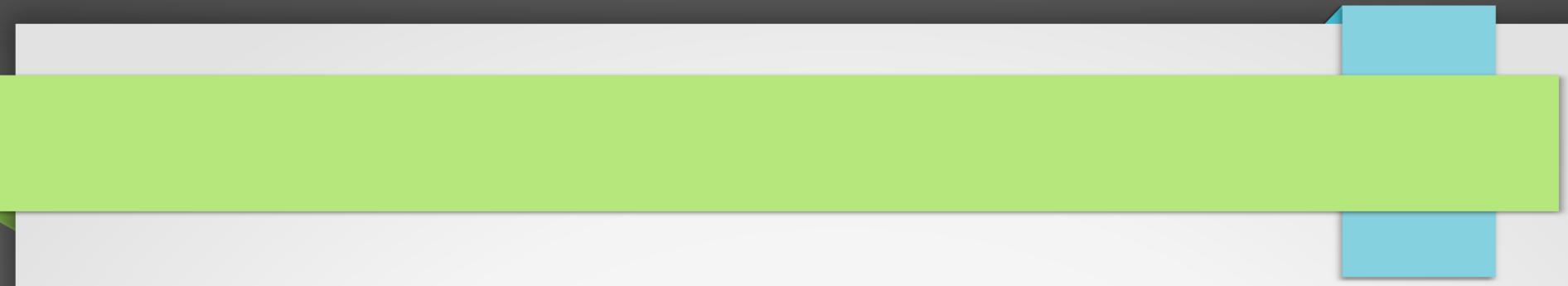
Si,  $\pi^-$ , 100 GeV

Stochastic deflection ( $<110>$  axis)



Planar channeling ((110) plane)





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