## E-06-010

## Measurement of Single Target-SpinAsymmetry in Semi-Inclusive n<sup>↑</sup> (e,e'π) Reaction on a Transversely Polarized <sup>3</sup>He Target

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# Struttura del nucleone



#### (Polarized) Deep Inelastic Scattering



Variabili cinematiche Regione DIS  $Q^2 = -(\nu, \vec{q})^2 \gg M^2$   $\nu \stackrel{lab}{=} E - E' \gg M$   $x = Q^2/(2M\nu)$  finito  $z = E_h/\nu$ scale lepton probe strong interaction space  $\hbar/|\vec{q}| \sim 10^{-2}$  fm  $R_N \sim 1$  fm time  $\hbar/\nu \sim 10^{-25}$  s  $R_N/c \sim 10^{-24}$  s

Factorization Theorem

 $\sigma(IN \to IhX) \sim \sum_{q} e_q^2 \cdot DF_q(x) \otimes \sigma_{Iq} \otimes FF_{q \to h}(z)$ 

 $DF_q$ : quark distribution function

 $FF_{q \rightarrow h}$ : quark fragmentation function (solo per h rivelato)

- Natura universale: intervengono anche in altri processi
- Osservabili: debbono essere invarianti di gauge

#### Semi Inclusive Deep Inelastic Processes / Factorization and Universality



Nucleon/Hadron description at lowest twist

SIDIS cross section linear combination of convolutions of DF's and FF's, modulated by sin/cos of azimuthal angles

# Method: from SIDIS to SSA to DF⊗FF



$$A_{\scriptscriptstyle UT} \equiv \frac{1}{|S_{\scriptscriptstyle T}|} \frac{d\sigma(\phi,\phi_{\scriptscriptstyle S}) - d\sigma(\phi,\phi_{\scriptscriptstyle S}+\pi)}{d\sigma(\phi,\phi_{\scriptscriptstyle S}) + d\sigma(\phi,\phi_{\scriptscriptstyle S}+\pi)} = \frac{1}{|S_{\scriptscriptstyle T}|} \frac{d\sigma_{\scriptscriptstyle UT}}{d\sigma_{\scriptscriptstyle UU}}$$

 $d\sigma_{UT} = |S_T| ([\delta q \otimes H_1^{\perp}] \sin(\phi + \phi_S) \text{ Collins}$  $+ [f_{1T}^{\perp} \otimes D_1] \sin(\phi - \phi_S) \text{ Sivers}$  $+ [h_{1T}^{\perp} \otimes H_1^{\perp}] \sin(3\phi - \phi_S) + O(1/Q))$  $d\sigma_{UU} = [q \otimes D_1] + [h_1^{\perp} \otimes H_1^{\perp}] \cos 2\phi + O(1/Q)$  $\text{ where: } [d \otimes F] \equiv A_{d,F} \sum_q \int d^2 p_T d^2 k_T W_{d,F} dF$ 



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## Collins Moments on proton/deuteron



## Sivers Moments on proton/deuteron



# Extraction of DF and FF from a Global Fit



### Transversity on neutron: Hall A Experimental Setup



#### Beam

6 GeV, 15  $\mu$ A  $e^-$  (target limit)

Neutron Target

High pressure polarized <sup>3</sup>He, 50 mg/cm<sup>2</sup>,

**65%** polariz./20 min, Lumi  $\sim 10^{36}$ /s/cm<sup>2</sup>

Electron Detection: BigBite

 $E' = 0.8 \div 1.9$  GeV,  $\theta = 30^{o}$ ,  $\Delta \Omega \sim 64$  msr

Hadron Detection: HRS Left  $P_h = 2.4 \text{ GeV/c}, \ \theta = -16^o, \ \Delta\Omega \sim 6 \text{ msr}$  $\pi/K \text{ ID}$ 



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# Polarized 3He Target



 Optically pumped Rb-K vapor polarizes <sup>3</sup>He nuclei by spin-exchange

- Polarization ~ 45% (with beam) (along 3 directions)
- < 4% relative polarization uncertainty (NMR and EPR polarimeter)

One more set of holding coil added for vertical polarization Near future: improve density for the 12 GeV era (metallic cell and two cell-target exchange tubes)



# Performace of <sup>3</sup>He Target

- High luminosity:  $L(n) = 10^{36} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$
- Record high 65% polarization (preliminary) with automatic spin flip / 20min



#### **BigBite** Spectrometer

- Single dipole magnet.
- Detect scattered electrons
- $30^{\circ}$  to the beam right
- Acceptance:  $\Delta \Omega \simeq 64 \text{ msr}$
- Momentum range: p = 0.8 GeV/c 2.0 GeV/c
- 3 Wire chambers for precise momentum reconstruction
- Scintillator plane for timing
- Preshower and Shower (lead-glass) for PID



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#### From Kalyan Allada

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#### **BigBite Analysis - Multi-Wire Drift Chambers**

- Momentum reconstruction
- 1.5 inch Pb sieve-plate in front of the BigBite spectrometer
- Good reconstruction of the sieve pattern
- Vertex resolution: 1cm
- Wire chamber spacial resolution: 180  $\mu {\rm m}$
- Momentum resolution  $\frac{\delta p}{p} \simeq 1\%$ .







#### **BigBite Scintillator Plane - Timing**

- Provides timing information, used in the coincidence TOF measurement.
- Coincidence TOF provides another handle on PID in hadron arm.
- Consists of 13 bars with two PMTs on each side.
- Good timing resolution  $\sigma = 230 \text{ ps}$



#### From Kalyan Allada

#### **Pre-shower and Shower Detector - Particle Identification**

- Pions are major source of contamination.
- Well separated pions and electrons.





# Apparato HRS-L



# HallA RICH



UV photon hits the CsI film and extracts one or more electrons
 the induced charge of the MWPC is collected by the F/E electronics

## **Upgraded Proximity Focusing RICH @ JLab**

**RICH originale utilizzato per Hypernuclei e Pentaquark** 



✓ 60% larger photon detection area (more photons collected)
 ✓ 75% longer proximity gap (smaller geometric error)



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# Spazio delle fasi angolare

 $\phi_{Collins} = \phi_h + \phi_S$  and  $\phi_{Sivers} = \phi_h - \phi_S$ 



Black:  $\phi_S^I = 0$ , Red:  $\phi_S^I = 90$ , Blue:  $\phi_S^I = 180$ , Purple:  $\phi_S^I = 270$ 

### $\pi$ SIDIS Phase space 6GeV JLab HallA



 $\langle Q^2 \rangle = 2.2 \text{ GeV}^2$ ,  $\langle z \rangle = 0.5$ , x = 0.1 - 0.4,  $P_{\perp} < 0.5 \text{ GeV}$ 19 Ottobre 2009 JLab12 - 3° / Roma / Transversity

#### HERMES on p / COMPASS on d / JLab on neutron (proj. errors)



1 month data taking: statistical errors comparable to HERMES(3 years)/COMPASS(2 years)

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### PR-09-018: SSA with SBS

## Measurement of the Semi-Inclusive π and K electro-production in DIS regime from transversely polarized <sup>3</sup>He target with the SBS & BB spectrometers in Hall A

## G. Cates, E. Cisbani, G.B. Franklin, B. Wojtsekhowski and the SBS Collaboration http://hallaweb.jlab.org/12GeV/SuperBigBite

# Propose to measure the SSA of SIDIS processes $n^{\uparrow}(e,e'\pi^{\pm})X$ and $n^{\uparrow}(e,e'K^{\pm})X$

- Extract Sivers and Collins (and Pretzelosity) asymmetries on  $\pi$  and K with high statistics
- Provide 2D binning (at least) on the relevant variables: x,  $P_{\!\perp}$  and z, for both hadrons
- Provide Q<sup>2</sup> dependence
- Explore for the first time the high x valence region (with overlap to HERMES, COMPASS, JLab6 data)
  - Understanding of QCD dynamics in the nucleon by the Sivers effect



- Improve knowledge of the nucleon structure in terms of parton distribution functions
- Shed more light on the origin of the nucleon spin

## **Experimental Setup and parameters**

 $e^{3}He^{\uparrow} \rightarrow e'^{+}\pi(K)^{\pm} + X$ 



## What is special in this experiment

- High Luminosity:
  - 10<sup>5</sup> larger than in HERMES
  - High target polarization (65%)
  - Fast target polarization switch (120 seconds)
  - 4 (8) transverse polarization directions
- Use of SBS (and BB):
  - Large solid angle (50 msr), very good angular and vertex resolutions
  - Large momentum coverage (2-7 GeV/c)
  - Excellent hadron PID
- Reuse equipment from GEp(5) (approved), GEn(2) and GMn (proposals)

# Hadron Arm: SBS



- Angular Resolution:
  - $\sigma_{9_h} = 0.09 + 0.59/p \text{ [mrad]}$  $\sigma_{9_v} = 0.14 + 1.34/p \text{ [mrad]}$

Magnet: 48D48 - 46 cm gap
 2 Tm field integral -100 ton
 Insert for beam pipe

- GEM chambers for tracking with 70 μm resolution
- HERMES RICH for hadron-ID
- Segmented Hadron CALO (15x15 cm<sup>2</sup> blocks)

(p = 4 GeV) (0.3 mrad) (0.4 mrad)

- Vertex Resolution: 0.53+4.49/p [mm] (0.2 cm/sinθ<sub>central</sub>)
- Momentum resolution  $\sigma_p/p = 0.03 p+0.29 \%$  (0.4 %)
- CALO Trigger Threshold: 1.5 GeV (online), 2.0 (offline)

# Hadron PID: HERMES RICH on SBS



# Background Rate and Trigger Logic



## Challenges in large acceptance/high luminosity

- SBS Tracker rate 60 kHz/cm<sup>2</sup>; 3xGEM support rate >10 MHz/cm<sup>2</sup>
- Track reconstruction: BB first, SBS from vertex to segmented HCALO hit
- RICH PID: high segmentation of photon detector (2000 PMT) is the optimal solution:
  - -Expected 35 extra hits/event from: soft photons  $\rightarrow$  Compton electrons in aerogel (50 ns gate width)  $\Rightarrow$  2-5% occupancy







~20% of the HERMES RICH PMT array

#### Q<sup>2</sup> coverage Q<sup>2</sup> (GeV) Prop. Exp. E<sub>beam</sub> = 11.0 GeV 10 8 6 SIDIS cuts Prop. Exp. E<sub>beam</sub> = 8.8 GeV $Q^2 > 1 \,{\rm GeV^2}$ $W^2 > 5 \,\mathrm{GeV^2}$ 2 Current Transversity Exp. E06-010 $W' > 1.5 \,\mathrm{GeV}$ y < 0.9 0.2 0.3 0.5 0.6 0.7 0.1 0.4 0.2 < z < 0.7X

We will investigate the Q<sup>2</sup> dependence of the Sivers and Collins functions, with overlap in the region of HERMES; reveal higher twist effects. Analysis of the Q<sup>2</sup> effect will use also the results of presently running 6 GeV E06-010 Transversity experiment

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# Azimuthal Coverage



Complete coverage of the Collins, Sivers and "Pretzelosity" azimuthal angles with 4 target spin directions

(with 8 target spin directions even better uniformity)

# Figure of Merit

Parameter		Unit	HERMES	CLAS12	Proposed Exp.
Target			Н	HD (×60 days)	<sup>3</sup> Hc (×40 days)
Dilution factor	f		1	0.20	0.20
Nucleon Polarization	P	%	80	85	56
Cross Section $\sim s/Q^2$	σ	a.u.	4	1	1
Angular Acceptance	$\Delta \Omega$	sr	0.14	1	0.05
Integrated Luminosity	$\int L$	$10^{38} \mathrm{cm}^{-2}$	1.5	260	$4.6 \times 10^{5}$
$FOM = f^2 P^2 \sigma \Delta \Omega \int L$			0.54	7.5	280

Two beam energy runs for Q<sup>2</sup> dependence studies:

Ebeam	Time	Integrated Lumi
GeV	days	$10^{43} \text{ cm}^{-2}$
8.8	20	2.4
11.0	40	4.6

## Expected Statistical Accuracy on $\pi$



5×5 bins (0.15<x<0.65, 0.2<z<0.7) (only one shown)

High x region, with partial overlap with HERMES 2D binning in (x,z), (x,P<sub> $\perp$ </sub>) and (z,P<sub> $\perp$ </sub>) for  $\pi$  and K and Q<sup>2</sup> dependence

DF from CTEQ5M FF from DSS

## Expected Statistical Accuracy on K



- Superior quality of Kaon data
- Extend at higher x with partial overlap with existing data on proton, deuteron and expected results of HallA Transversity 6 GeV
- n Proposed Experiment (40 days)

n - JLab HallA 6Gev (24+24 days)

d - COMPASS (2003-2004)

DF from CTEQ5M FF from DSS Rate normalized to HERMES/p+d K production

# **Systematics**

- Physics Effects:
  - FSI on nuclei
    - 3He: P<sub>p</sub>~2%, |Ψ<sub>d</sub>|<sup>2</sup>~10%, P<sub>resc</sub>~10-20%
    - D: P<sub>p</sub>~85%, |Ψ<sub>d</sub>|<sup>2</sup>~6%, P<sub>resc</sub>~5-10%
  - Higher Twist Terms of SIDIS asymmetries
- Experimental/Analysis:
  - Random background
  - Vector Meson
  - Particle ID
  - Acceptance Effects
  - Radiative Corrections

# Summary

- We propose to measure the SSA in the transversely polarized SIDIS processes: n<sup>↑</sup>(e,e'π<sup>±</sup>)X and n<sup>↑</sup>(e,e'K<sup>±</sup>)X at two Q<sup>2</sup>
- Experiment will re-use part of GEp(5) equipment and the HERMES RICH
- Will be ready to take data in 2014, with no significant extra costs respect to SBS apparatus for GEp(5)

Beam Time Request	days
Production at $E_{beam} = 8.8 \text{ GeV}$	20
Production at $E_{beam} = 11.0 \text{ GeV}$	40
Calibration, Target Maintenance, Config. Changes	4
Total	64

## Phase Spase of the Relevant Variables

Ebeam = 11 GeV



# **Azimuthal Angles Distributions**



The coverage of  $\phi$  can be extended moving forward SBS to  $\vartheta_{central} \sim 10$  degree (with a decrease of SBS acceptance) and/or changing (not dramatically) the BB settings

# Azimuthal angles coverage vs x



Azimuthal angles coverage does not very significantly depend on x,Q<sup>2</sup>

Number of target spin directions can be increased to have a better uniformity; 8 would be optimal in this respect.



# Terms entering the measured asymmetry

Table 1: modulation terms in the "best model" of the measured asymmetry  $A_{UT}$ , in addition to the Collins and Sivers terms.

Modulation	Beam/Target Pol.	Twist	Comment
sin(3phi - phi_S)	U/T	2	Corresponding to the Pretzelosity amplitude
sin(2*phi-phi_S)	U/T	3	
sin(phi_S)	U/T	3	
sin(2phi + phi_S)	L/T	2	Small long. beam component along the photon
sin(2phi)	U/L	2	Small long. target component respect to the photon
sin(phi)	U/L	3	Small long. target component respect to the photon
cos(2phi)	U/U	2	Affect the denominator of A <sub>UT</sub> , Boer-Mulders DF x Collins FF + Cahn Effect
cos(phi)	U/U	3	Affect the denominator of A <sub>UT</sub> , Cahn Effect (+ Boer-Mulders)

# Systematics/Physics

- Target FSI relative error: expected <7% following the analysis of Scopetta/Transversity/2008
- Higher Twists:
  - we will study the Q<sup>2</sup> dependence with high statistics;
  - terms will be included into the fit whose stability benefits again of the high statistics
  - Unpolarized analysis will also be carried on

# Systematics/Exp. Apparatus

- Random
  - dilution factor expected to be small < 1% (S/N = 67/0.3)
  - Relative error well below 10%
- Vector Meson:
  - from PHYTIA prediction tuned on HERMES data below 2.5%; lower at higher x
  - can be studied at higher z
- Acceptances:
  - azimuthal angles are well covered even with partial  $\phi_h$  coverage
  - X,z,P $\perp$ ,Q<sup>2</sup> effects suppressed by 2D (at least) binning
- Radiative QED Effects:
  - Influence x,Q<sup>2</sup> and azimuthal angles; PHYTIA can be used to estimate the correction factor (and systematic error)
  - According to HERMES we expect a systematic error <5%</li>
- PID:
  - RICH detector with up to 5% occupancy expect to provide  $4\sigma$  separation at least