### **AMADEUS:** analysis of the KLOE data



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### **Summary**

#### Analysis of Kloe data

- Motivation
- Statistics and selection
- Analysis:  $\Lambda p \quad \Lambda d \quad (\Sigma \pi)^0$
- First steps with MonteCarlo: acceptancy

#### a few words about AMADEUS

- Collaboration with KLOE2 run
- R&D tests

# Study of the hadronic interactions of K<sup>-</sup> in light nuclei at DAΦNE:

### <u>KLOE</u>

K<sup>-</sup> hadronic interactions in the KLOE data

### AMADEUS First dedicated fullacceptance study



### Experimental programme AMADEUS (1) – stopped kaons

-- study of the (most) fundamental antikaon deeply bound nuclear systems,:

kaonic dibaryon states: ppK<sup>-</sup> and (pnK<sup>-</sup>) produced in a <sup>3</sup>He gas target, in formation and decay processes

kaonic 3-baryon states: ppnK<sup>-</sup> and pnnK<sup>-</sup> produced in a <sup>4</sup>He gas target, in formation and decay processes

--Measure heavier targets

--Hypernuclei?

## Experimental programme AMADEUS (2) – low energy kaons

- Low-energy charged kaon cross sections and interactions on H, d, Helium(3 and 4), for K- momentum lower than 100 MeV/c (missing today);
- The K- nuclear interactions in Helium reactions (poorly known based on one paper from 1970 ...)
- Properties of L(1116) and charged S for example decays in channels with neutrino -> astrophysics implications (cooling of compact stars)
- Resonance states as the elusive-in-nature but so important L(1405) or the S(1385) could be better understood with high statistics; their behaviour in the nuclear medium can be studied too.

#### KLOE:

The implementation of the AMADEUS dedicated setup around the beam pipe will modify the topology of the events, stopping the K- in a target inner to the DC.

•The Drift Chambers of KLOE contain mailny <sup>4</sup>He (90%)

•From analysis of KLOE data and Monte Carlo: **0.1 % of Kshould stop in the DC volume** 

•This would lead to hundreds of events with K- hadronic interactions at rest





**KLOE Drift Chamber** 

### Hadronic interactions of K<sup>-</sup> in KLOE

$$K^{-}_{stopped} + {}^{4}He \rightarrow n + n + (\underline{K^{-}pp})$$

$$\downarrow^{4}$$

$$\Lambda + p$$

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tatistics:
$$\Lambda + d$$

# •Total amount of data analyzed up to an integrated luminosity of ~1,7 fb<sup>-1</sup> from KLOE data (K-charged group). 80% KLOE RUNS 2004/2005

#### •Kaons TAG system: CHARGED KAON

**2-body decay** or by the **dE/dx** signature in the DC gas.

#### •Data nalisis

Search for hadronic interactions with  $\Lambda(1115)$  as products:

- $\Lambda \rightarrow p + \pi^-$  (64% BR) vertex made by KLOE reconstruction
- Construct a vertex with Λ + an extra particle

#### **AMADEUS STEP-0:** The KLOE data analysis





### Lambda momentum



### **Selection of protons and deuterons**

PID



charge \* p(MeV/c)





### **Correlations: Lambda-d vertices**



• Proton/deuteron candidates are required to have an associated cluster in the EMC and its mass is measured by time of flight.





















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#### Λ(1405)/Λ(1420) search

- Strongly related with the deeply bound kaonic states prediction
- Lack of experimental data



### Kinematic fit:

- •χ2 computing:
  - -momentum of proton and pion
  - -Covariance matrix elements for every track
  - -time and positions plus resolutions for photons
- •Allows to reject background selecting the right combination of photons
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**K- + 4He**  $\rightarrow \wedge$  **p n n** (phase space)

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• We need....

 Monte Carlo distributions (hadronic interaction, multi-nucleon absorption, etc)

– More data...

#### **AMADEUS contributions in KLOE2:**

- 1) Monitor Shinji Okada
- 2) Slow Controls & run control Alessandro d'Uffizi
- 3) Calorimetro F. Sirghi & Kristian Piscicchia
- 4) Alberto Clozza: roll-in, mechanics, etc
- 5) DC TDC: Marco Poli-Lener and Oton Vázquez Doce
- 6) DC HW: Oton Vázquez Doce
- 7) Gas DC: Marco Poli-Lener
- 8) DC calibration: Antonio Romero
- 9) Trigger: Alessandro Scordo and Alessandro Rizzo
- 10) Other participants: Massimiliano Bazzi, Diana Shirgi

#### ALL AVAILABLE TO DO SHIFTS AS WELL



### ...a few words about AMADEUS R&D

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TPG

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#### **New TEST SETUP**

Last week test beam at BTF in Frascati

2-rings of double layer 16 fibres

64 fast pre-amplifiers (64x)

2 boards of 32 constant fraction discriminator with zero jitter

#### **AMADEUS setup:** TPG for inner tracking



#### Prototype tested last week at BTF



#### AMADEUS for low-energy Kaon physics (scattering and interactions):

<u>Use of the today's equivalent of bubble chambers</u> (all previous scattering meas. were done like this): an Active Target: TPC-GEM filled with with H, d, He..

### THANKS