

The Polarimeter chain for the MESA-PV experiment

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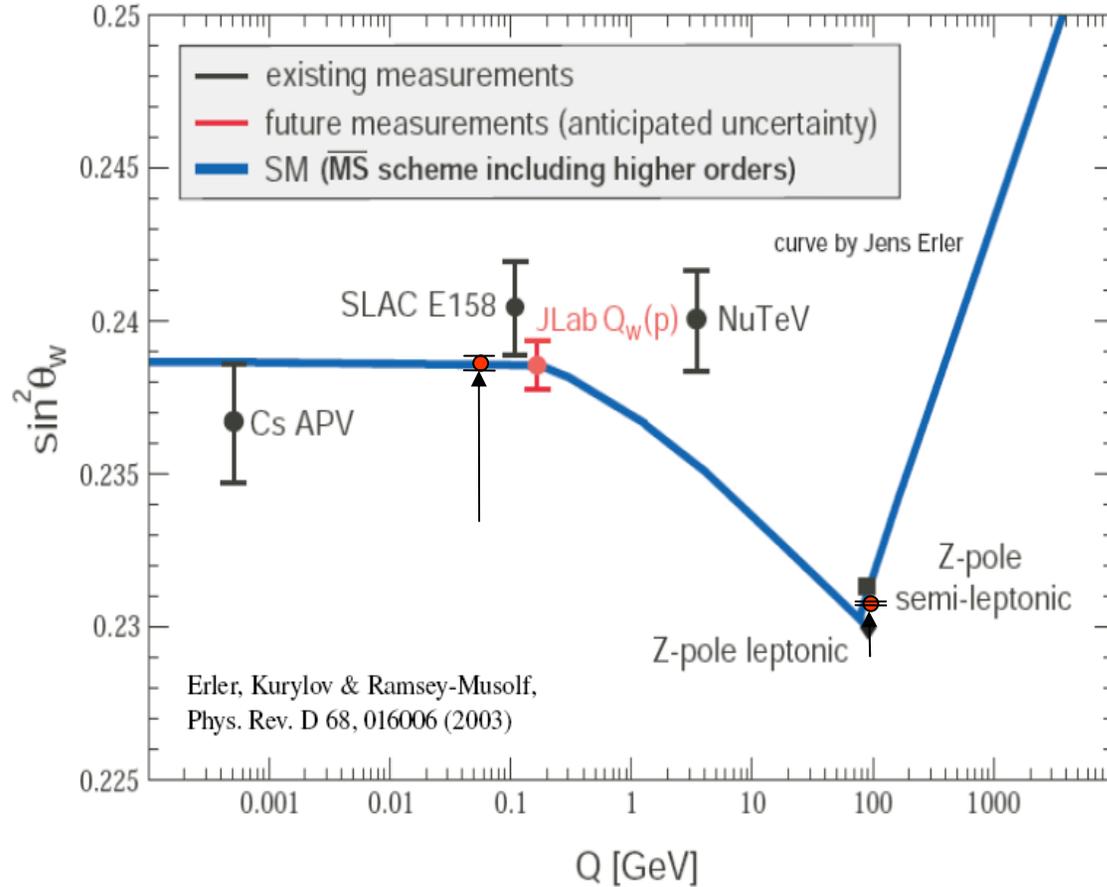
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Outline

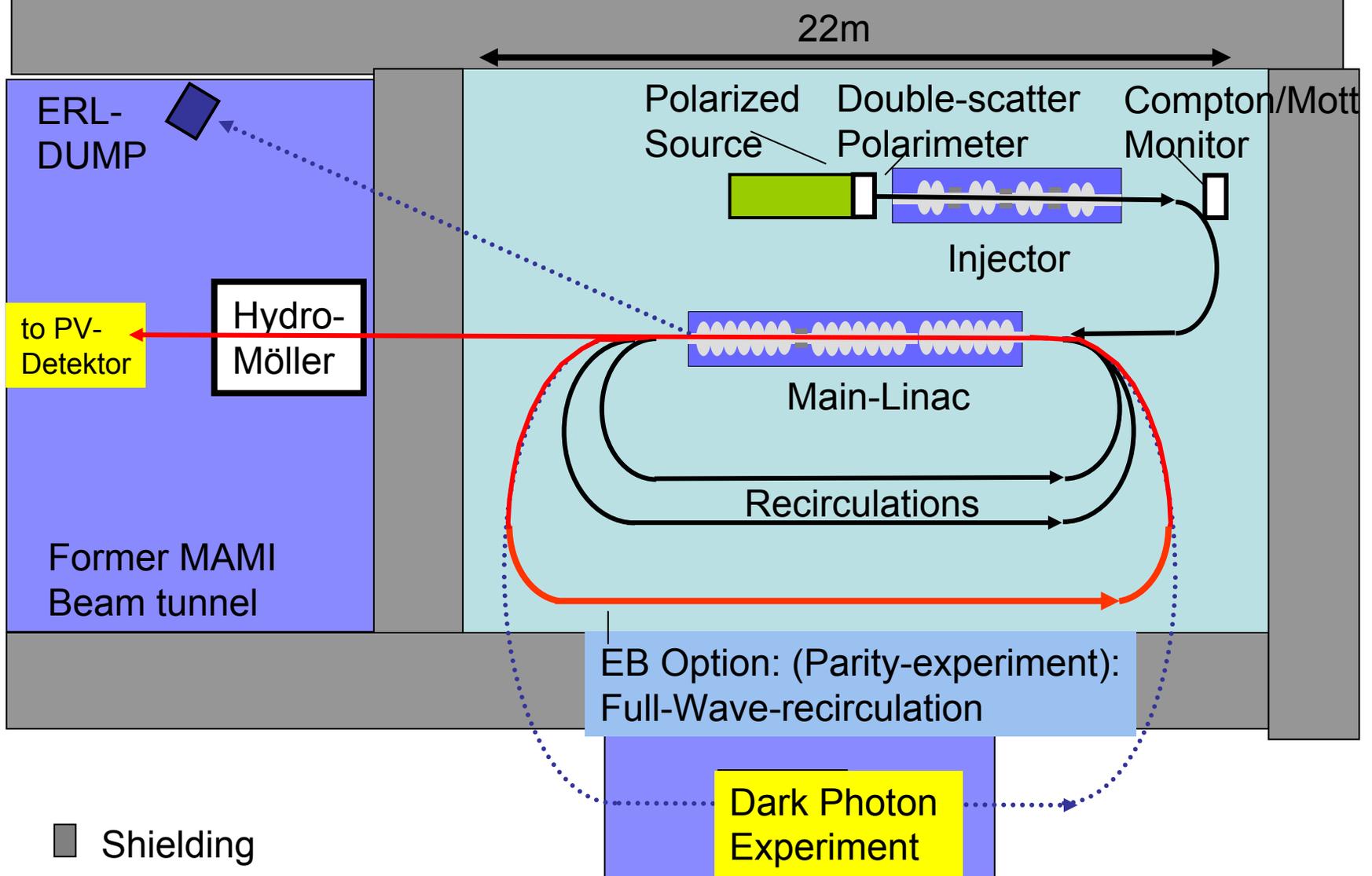
- The MESA-PV experiment at Mainz
- and the eight-fold way to achieve $\Delta P/P < 0.5\%$?

Planned $\sin^2(\theta_W)$ - Measurement at the MESA facility in Mainz



MESA:
Mainz Energy Recovering
Superconducting Accelerator
MESA-PV:
Operated as “Conventional”
Machine (external polarized beam)
Beam Parameters
 $E=137$ MeV, $I=0.15$ mA, $P=0.85$
 $L \sim 10^{39}$ cm⁻²s⁻¹

MESA Accuracy goal: $\Delta A_{PV}/A_{PV}=1.6\%$
one (out of many) requirements
 $\rightarrow \Delta P/P \sim 0.5 \%$

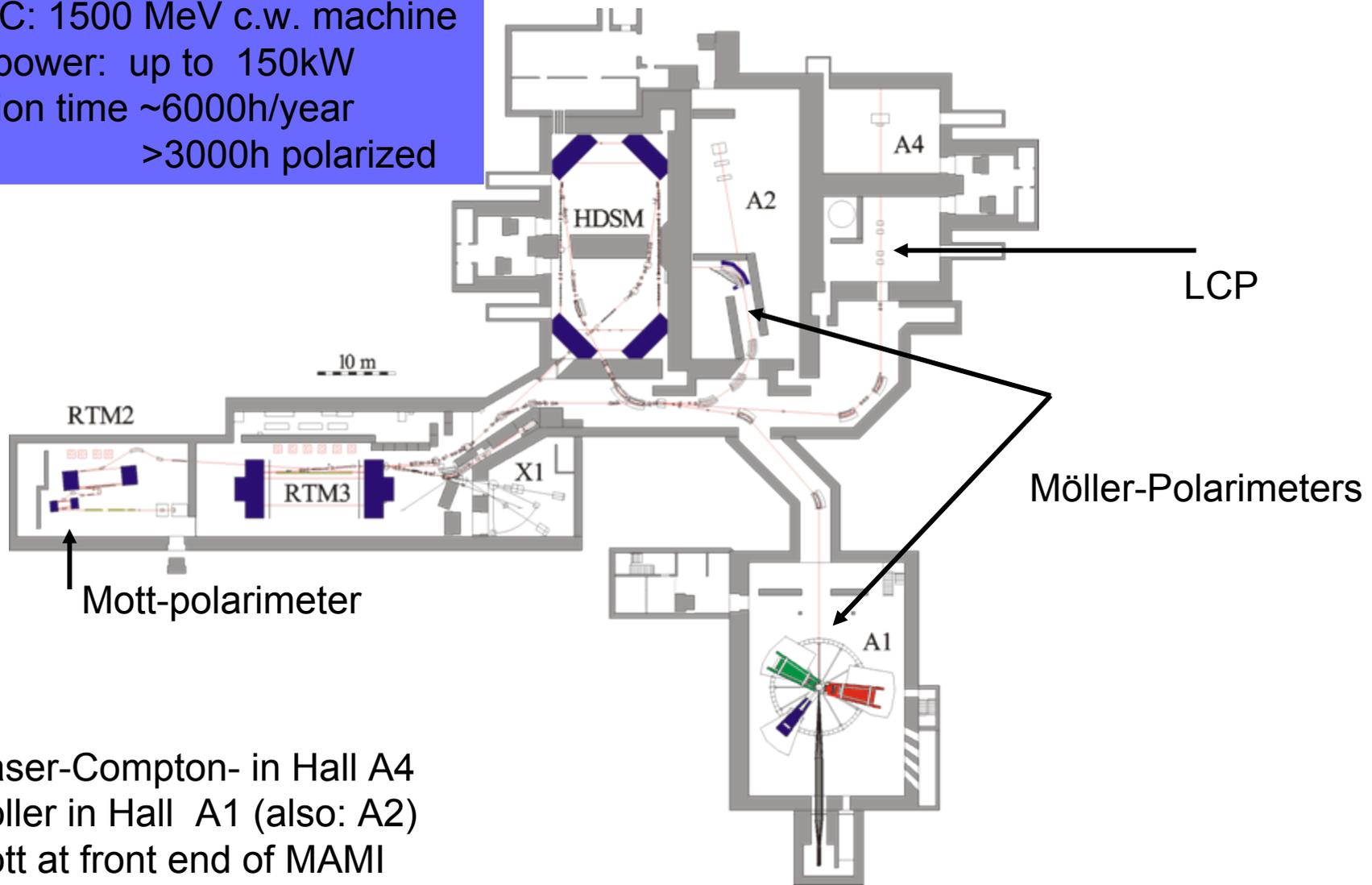


“Unimpeachable” polarization measurement: two independent polarimeters with $\Delta P/P < 0.5\%$ each.

Machine could be in operation in 2017 → start polarimeter tests NOW!

Electron-Polarimeter chain at MAMI

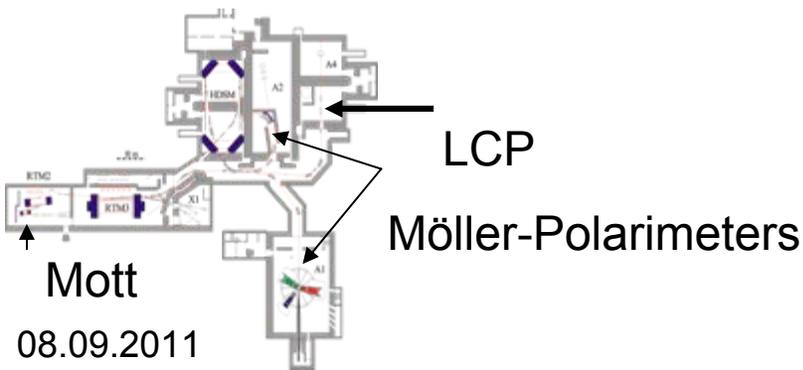
MAMI-C: 1500 MeV c.w. machine
beam power: up to 150kW
operation time ~6000h/year
>3000h polarized



- Laser-Compton- in Hall A4
- Möller in Hall A1 (also: A2)
- Mott at front end of MAMI

Existing Electron-Polarimeter chain at MAMI

Polarimeter	$\Delta P/P$ present (Potential)	Main uncertainty	Measurement Time @1% stat	Operating current	Energy range [MeV]
Mott	0.05 (0.01)	Background	3s-1h	5nA - 40μA	1-4
Möller	0.02 (0.01)	Target pol.	30min	50nA	300-1500
LCP	0.02 (0.01)	Calibration, Target pol.	12 h	20μA	850-1500



Mott is not (yet) competitive in absolute accuracy but provides 'linking' capabilities due to wide dynamic range and good reproducibility

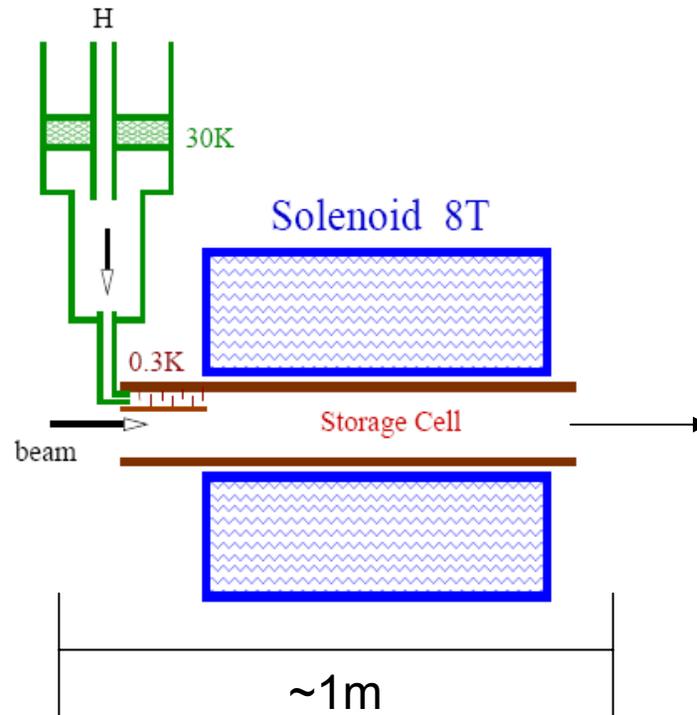
Some remarks

- low energy restriction of Mott scattering probably no cause for additional systematics at MESA
(→ exact spin tracking possible, no resonances)
- LCP not possible at MESA due to small energy, Hydro-Möller could work
- Different concepts („paradigms“) of measurements:
 - Hydro Möller ‚double-polarization‘
 - Mott ‚double scattering‘

Hydro-Möller

Chudakov&Luppov, Proceedings IEEE Trans. Nucl. Sc. **51**, 1533 (2004)

→ see talk by E. Chudakov...



- + measurement is non-invasive and
- + provides sufficient statistical accuracy at the beam current level of the PV experiment

Solenoid traps pure $H\uparrow$ which has a long lifetime due to He-coating of storage cell. All other species are removed quickly from the trap.

→ $1-\varepsilon$ Polarization can be reasonably well estimated, but measurement difficult.

Some remarks

- Beam/solenoid adjustment critical, due to high field and low energy → consequences for PV-detector calibration (‘dithering’), etc
- Scattered electrons may perform several cyclotron oscillations in solenoid field → Detector acceptance determination?
- The Hydro-Möller follows a ‘paradigma’:
„accurate determination of effective analyzing power is achieved by factorization of theoretical and experimental effects“

$$A_{\text{exp}} = P_{\text{beam}} \underbrace{\text{Corr} P_T S_0}_{S_{\text{eff}}} \quad \text{Corr} = \text{i.e. dilution by background}$$

A different approach

How to avoid the systematic errors caused by individual factors?
 Apparent attractiveness of standard (single-) Mott-scattering:

$$A_{\text{exp}} = P_{\text{beam}} \underbrace{\text{Corr} S^y_0}_{S_{\text{eff}}} \Rightarrow \text{No } P_T !$$

(but no change of Paradigma)

In **double** elastic scattering S_{eff} can be **measured!** (...another paradigma...)

After scattering of unpolarized beam :

$$P_{\text{sc}} = S_{\text{eff}}$$

(Equality of polarizing and Analyzing Power :)

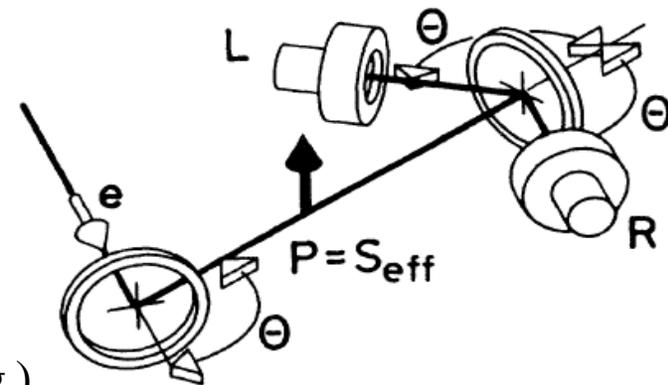
After second "identical" scattering process

$$A_{\text{exp}} = S_{\text{eff}}^2$$

with great effort to eliminate

apparative asymmetries and to provide 'identical' scattering)

the claimed accuracy in S_{eff} is $< 0.3\%$!



Some remarks

- DSP works at $\sim 100\text{keV}$; ideal for ,1mA-MESA-stage-1
- Original Kessler apparatus available
- Targets **not** extremely thin ($\sim 100\text{nm}$)
- Elimination of apparatus asymmetry depends critically on geometrical arrangement of normalization counters
- Apparatus calibrates S_{eff} , but does not allow to measure S_0
- Inelastic contributions do not jeopardize the accuracy!
- potential issues
 - how to use with polarized beam?
 - What if the two targets are NOT identical?

Hopster&Abraham (1989):

In this case the first target may be treated as an auxiliary target and the availability of (switchable) Polarization may be exploited for even better accuracy!

Kessler/Hopster/Abraham/Kessler Method

1.) measurement : Pol beam on second target

$$A_1 = S_{eff} P_0$$

2.) with 'auxiliary target': S_T ; + P_0

$$A_2 = P_T S_{eff} = \frac{S_T + \alpha P_0}{1 + S_T P_0} S_{eff}$$

α = Depolarization factor for first Target

3. with 'auxiliary target': S_T ; - P_0

$$A_3 = P_T S_{eff} = \frac{S_T - \alpha P_0}{1 - S_T P_0} S_{eff}$$

4. unpolarized beam on aux. target

$$A_4 = S_T S_{eff}$$

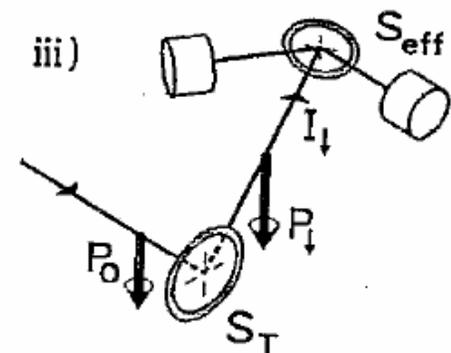
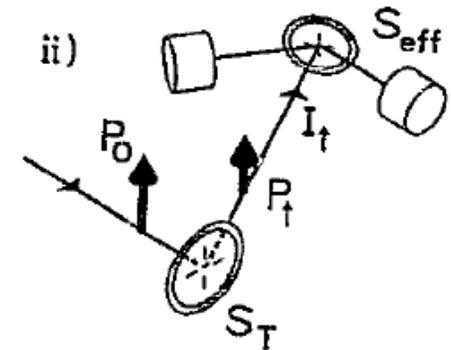
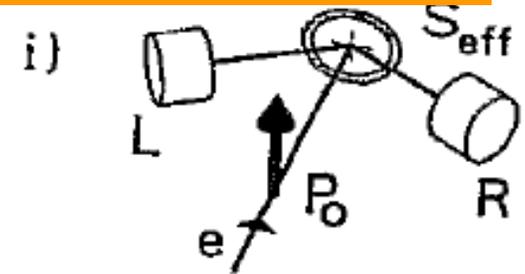
5. Scattering asymmetry from auxiliary target

$$A_5 = P_0 S_T$$

5 equations with four unknowns →

consistency check for apparatus asymmetries!

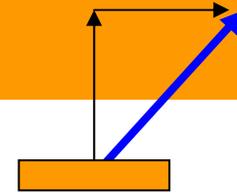
→ Results achieved by Kessler were consistent <0.3%



Some remarks

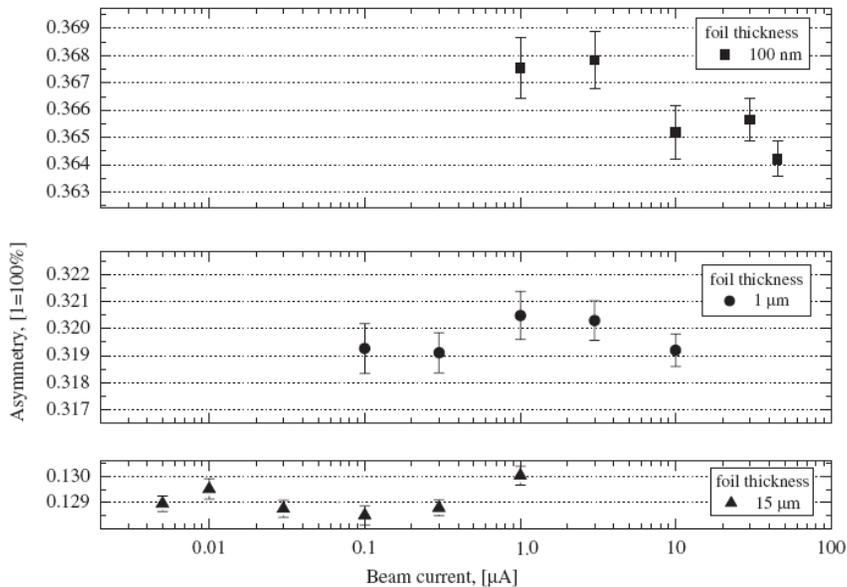
- Auxiliary target method was limited by statistical efficiency (today about 5 times better!)
- DSP invasive, but fast.
- Probably not feasible to operate DSP at $> 100\mu\text{A}$ current level, requires 'linking Polarimeter'
- Linking with high precision polarimeters to be installed at 5MeV (Mott/Compton-combination)
- Mott/Compton combination invasive but extremely fast (O(seconds) $< 1\%$ stat. accuracy), also control of spin angle
- In total eight measurements: 5 DSP, 2 linking, 1 Hydro Möller, \rightarrow 'the eight-fold way'

Linking capabilities



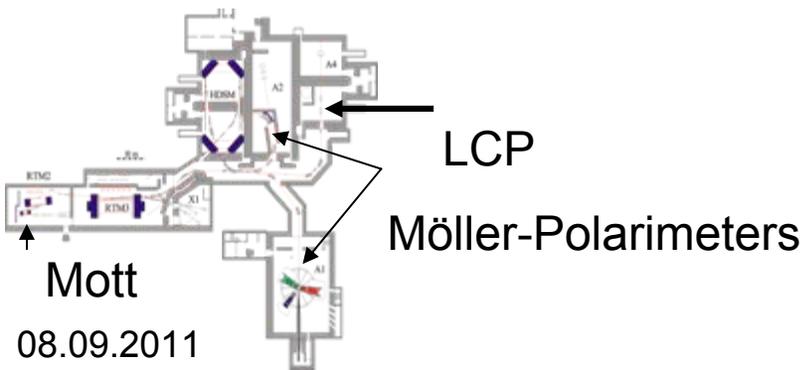
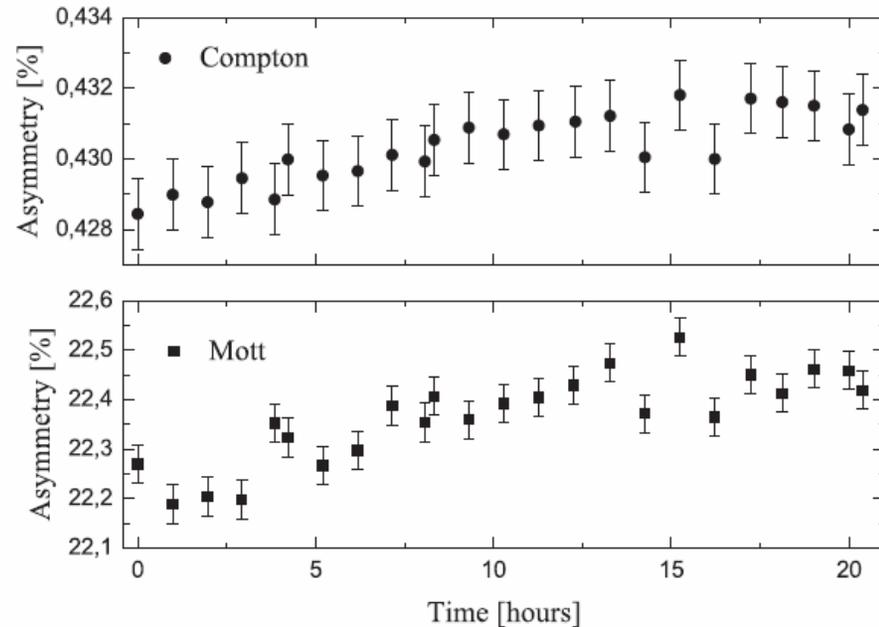
Dynamic Range:

V. Tioukine et al. Rev. Sc. Instrum. **82** 033303 (2011)

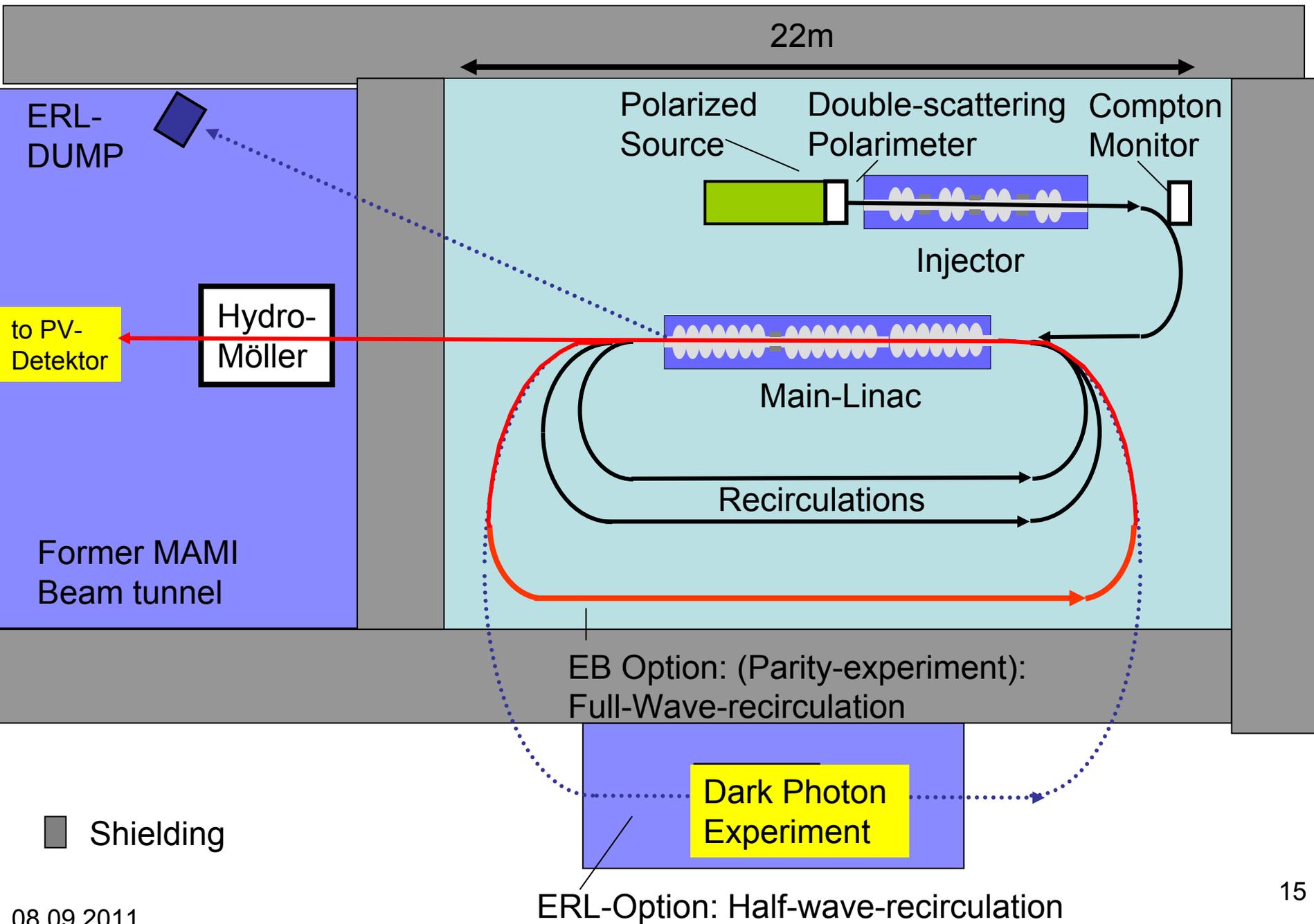


Stability:

R. Barday et al. 2011 J. Phys. Conf. Ser. **298** 012022



Polarization Drift consistently observed in transverse AND longitudinal observable at the $<0.5\%$ level (Measurement at 3.5 MeV, 35 μA)
Compton is an analogue, Mott a counting measurement



Conclusion:

MESA Spin chain

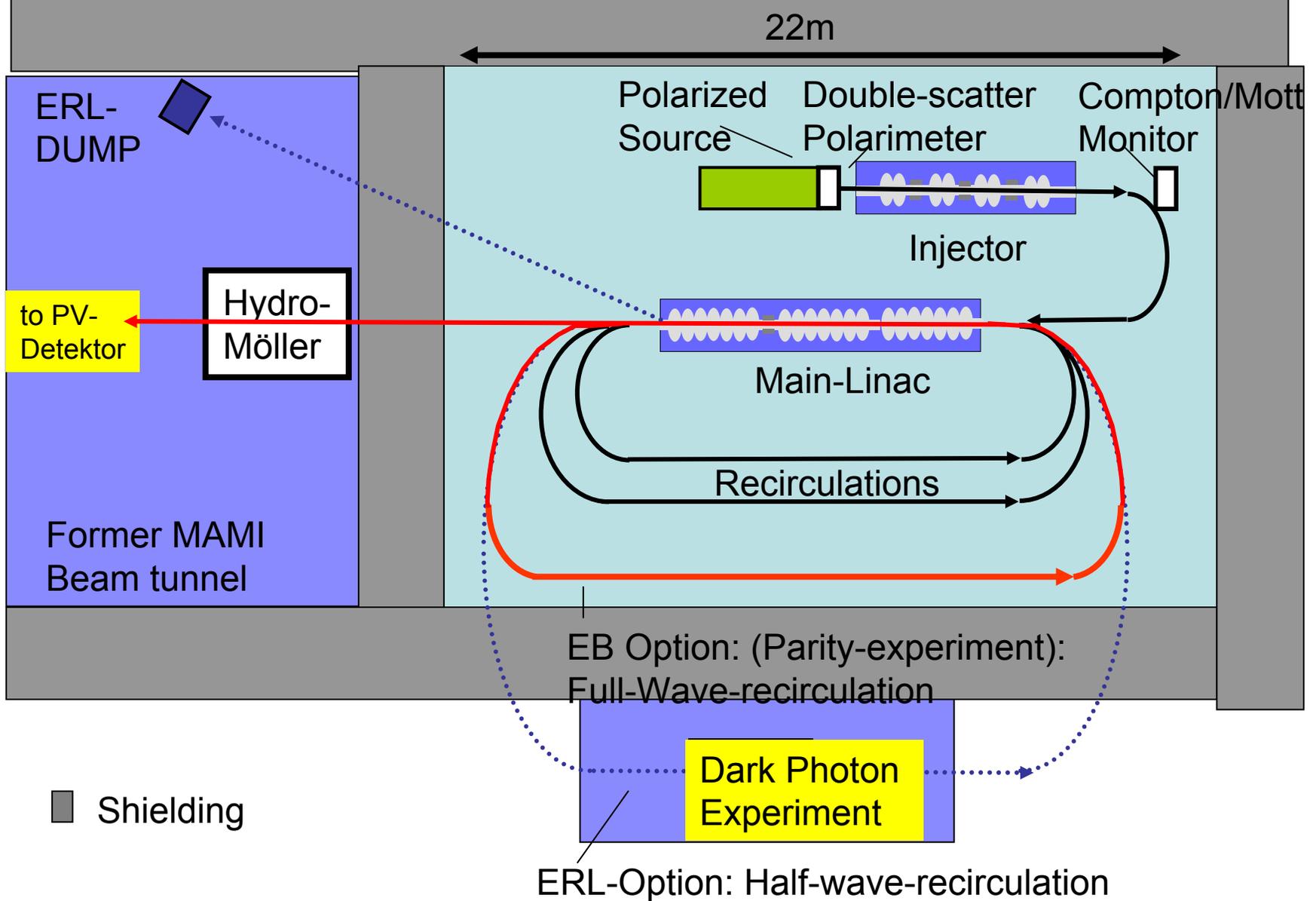
- low and a high energy polarimeter cross-check:
negl. depolarization due to low energy gain of MESA
- Monitoring, stability and cross calibration can be supported by extremely precise Mott/Compton combination.
- Hydro Möller + DSP may obtain $\Delta P/P < 0.5\%$ each,

Status of MESA

- MESA accelerator & experiments are under design,
- Funding decision within next year.
- MESA-PV data taking possible in 2017/18 (10000h BOT).

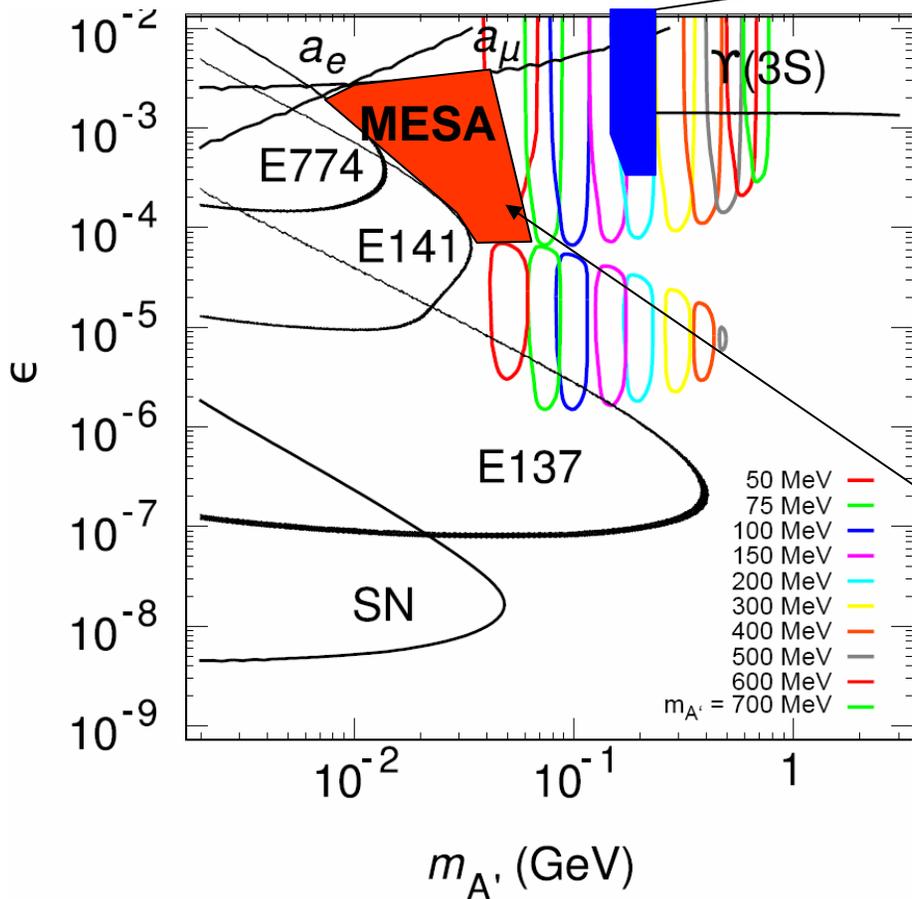
Conclusion

- MESA operates in EB-mode for PV and in ERL-mode for Dark Photon experiment.
- Main cost factor – building - eliminated, other one –SRF-reduced by multi-turn recirculation.
- PV requires extreme beam parameter stability
- ...and accurate polarization measurement by a polarimeter chain
- In ERL mode, the new issue is multi-turn recirculation
- no doubt that this project provides room for students and young researches!



“Unimpeachable” polarization measurement: two independent polarimeters with $\Delta P/P < 0.5\%$ (**NOT: 1%**) each.

H. Merkel et al. (A1 collab. at MAMI): suggest to measure e^+/e^- pair invariant mass with double spectrometer set up at MAMI.



Demonstration experiment at MAMI 100 μ A/855MeV on 0.4% rad. length Tantal (2 weeks runtime) (submitted to PRL)

Limits:

- Low energy regime (background)
- other decay modes of A' ?
- runtime (several years ???)

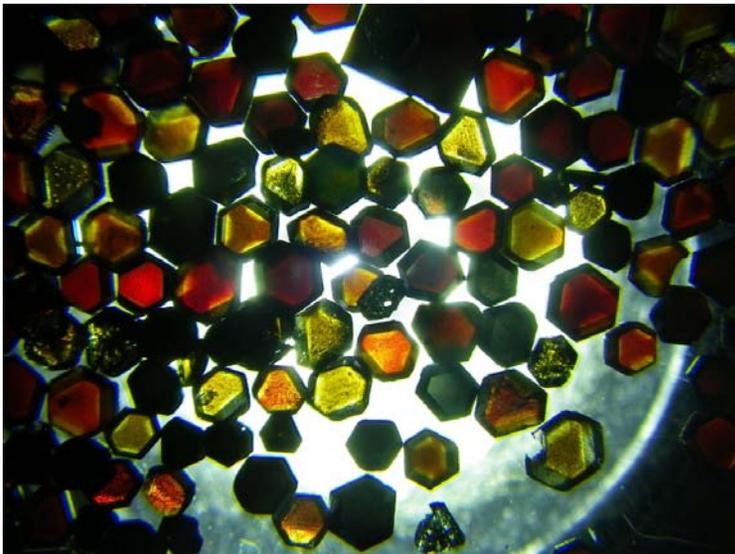
MESA's corner is adjacent to most of the a_μ region (interesting because of 3σ deviation of a_μ from SM)

MESA: Dedicated machine for $m_{A'} < 100\text{MeV}$ with optimized background

MESA-experiments-3: Applied physics

High beam power electron beam may be used for:

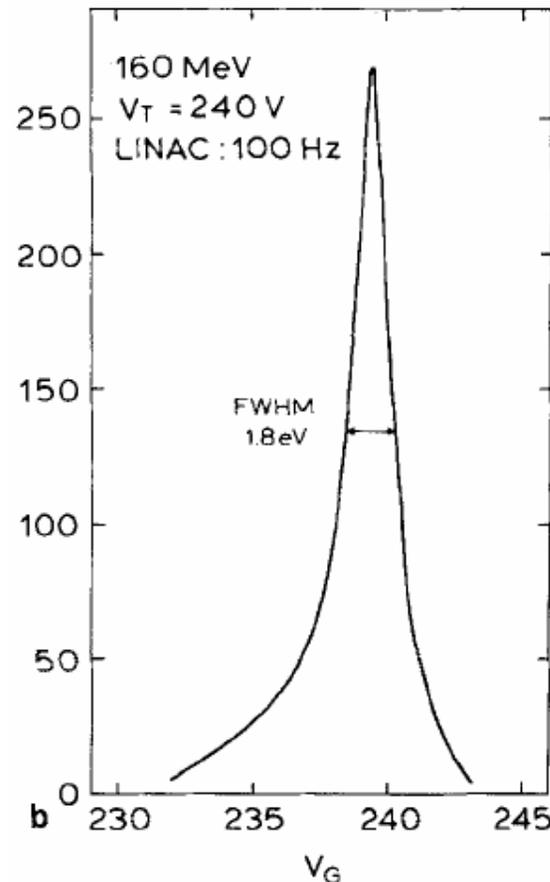
- ERL-mode: Production of nanodiamonds (see talk by F. Jelezko this afternoon)
- EB-mode: High brightness source of cold (polarized) positrons



Color: NV-centers introduced in Diamond.

Irradiated at MAMI for 3 days, $50\mu\text{A}$ at 14MeV

(J. Tisler et al. ACS NANO 3,7 p.1959 (2009))



G. Werth et al. :
Appl. Phys. A 33
59 (1984)

→ MESA
can produce
 $\sim 10^9$ positrons/s
in a beam of $< 1\text{cm}$
diameter at 120eV
→ surface science:
magnetic structures
→ positronium
production

MESA accelerator project rationale and beam parameter goals

- Experiments require a new & innovative accelerator
-but energy is low, therefore accelerator 'affordable'
- MAMI acc. team competence represents basis for development
- Project will be attractive for young students and researchers

Make use of innovations in SRF accelerator science:

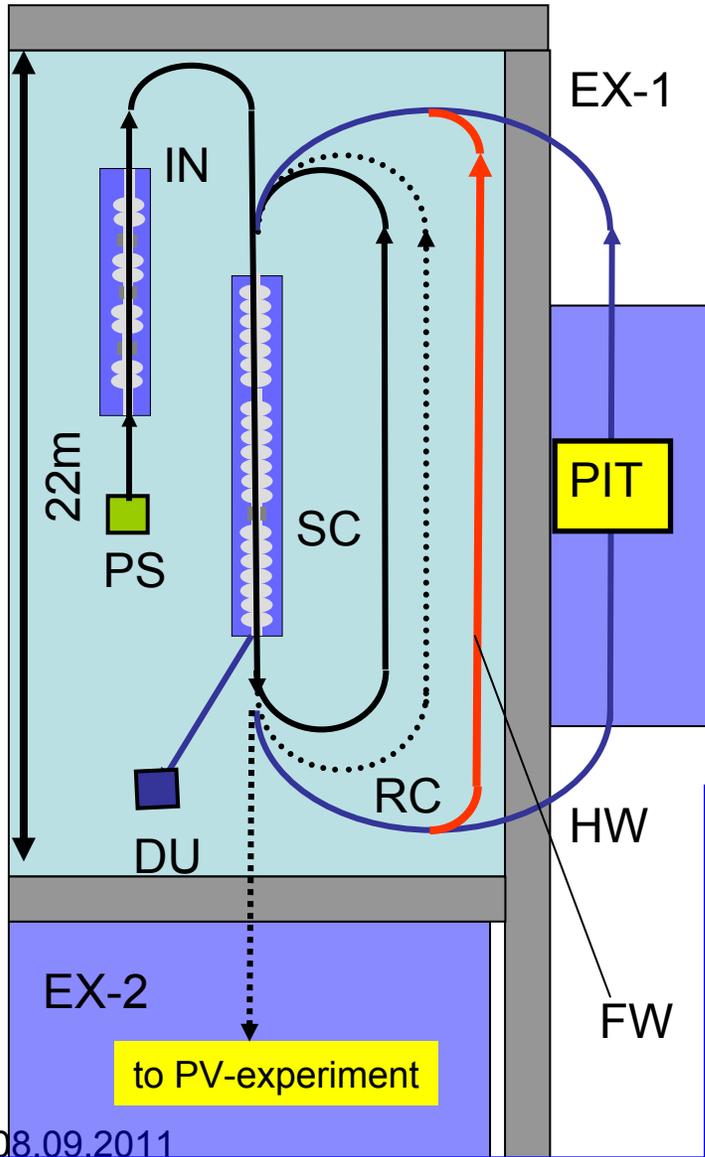
1. Energy recovery linac (ERL)
2. Improvements on high gradient-c.w.-SRF

Beam parameter goals in two **different** modes of operation:

- 1.) EB-mode External spin-polarized c.w. beam (EB-mode) at 137 MeV ($Q^2=0.005\text{GeV}/c$ at 30 degree). $L > 10^{39} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
- 2.) ERL-mode: 10mA at 100 MeV with $L \sim 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$

MESA-Layout

MESA-LAYOUT



KEY:

- PS: Photosource (polarized or unpolarized beam)
- IN: 2.5 MeV – injector
- SC: 3 Superconducting cavities, @ 13 MV/m.
Energy gain 34 MeV per pass.
- RC: Beam recirculation 3 times
- HW: Third recirculation option 'half wave':
Energy Recovery Linac (ERL-) Mode
- FW: Third recirculation option: 'full wave'
External Beam (EB-) mode
- PIT: Pseudo Internal target (ERL mode)
- PV: Parity violation experiment (EB-mode)
- DU: 2.5 MeV beam dump in ERL-mode
- EX: Experimental areas 1 and 2
- Existing walls: 2-3m thick shielding

EXPERIMENTAL BEAM PARAMETERS:

1.3 GHz c.w.

EB-mode: 150 μ A, 137 MeV polarized beam
(liquid Hydrogen target $L \sim 10^{39}$)

ERL-mode: 10mA, 104 MeV unpolarized beam
(Pseudo-Internal Hydrogen Gas target, $L \sim 10^{35}$)

MESA-beam parameters in comparison

Project/Purpose (status)	Av. Beam current (mA)	# of Recirc.	Norm. emit. (μm)	Bunch charge (pC)
MESA/ particle physics (under design)	10	3	10	7.7
JLAB/ light source (achieved)	10	1	7	7.7
BERLinPro/light source demonstrator (under design, funded)	100	1	1	77
eRHIC/particle physics (under design)	50	6		

- MESA will **not** have to provide extreme bunch parameters
- New issue: **multi-turn recirculation** (two or three times?) → MESA may be useful as a test-bench for LHeC, eRhic, or others....
- The **challenge** is compliance between ERL and EB operation
 - see talk tomorrow!
 - Discuss now: specific issues for DM and PV

DM: Focusing through the PIT

$$\varepsilon_{\text{Norm}} = 10 \mu\text{m} \text{ (or } 3.2 \pi \text{ mm} * \text{ mrad} * m_e c \text{) (MESA goal)}$$

$$\varepsilon_{\text{Geo}} = \frac{\varepsilon_{\text{Norm}}}{\sqrt{\gamma^2 - 1}} \Rightarrow \varepsilon_{\text{Geo}}(100\text{MeV}) \sim 50\text{nm}.$$

Beam diameter as a function of optical function β :

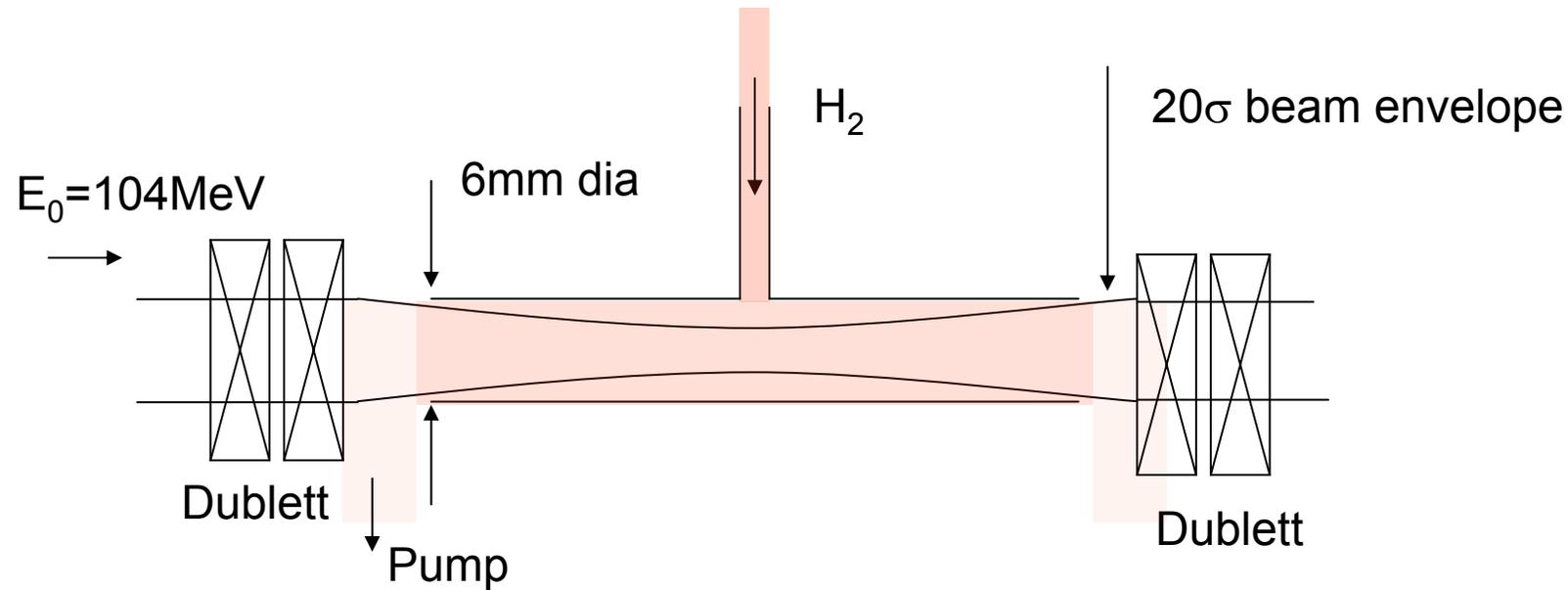
$$r_{\text{beam}}^2(z) = \varepsilon_{\text{Geo}} * \beta(z)$$

in the field free region around symmetry point $z^* = 0$

$$\beta(z) = \beta(z^*) + \frac{z^2}{\beta(z^*)} = \beta^* (1 + (z / \beta^*)^2) \text{ choose: } \beta^* = 1\text{m}$$

\Rightarrow Maximum beam diameter $\leq 0.62\text{mm}$ over 2 Meters of length

DM: Focusing through the PIT



Assuming target density $N=2 \cdot 10^{18}$ atoms/cm⁻² ($3.2 \mu\text{g/cm}^2$, $5 \cdot 10^{-8} X_0$)

we have (at $I_0=10^{-2}$ A) luminosity of $L=I_0/e \cdot N=1.2 \cdot 10^{35}$ cm⁻²s⁻¹

→ (average) ionization Energy loss: ~ 17 eV

→ could allow to recuperate more energy than in conventional ERL (2.5 MeV).

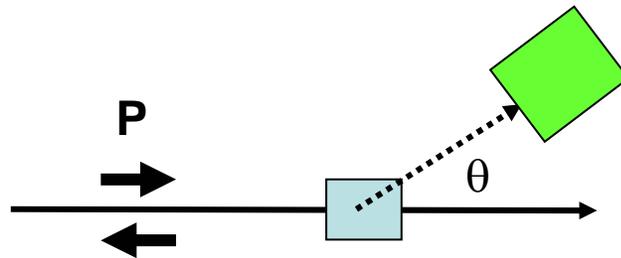
→ RMS scattering-angle (multiple Coulomb scattering): $10 \mu\text{rad}$

→ single pass beam deterioration is acceptable Note: storage ring:

beam emittance lifetime ~ 10 milliseconds (stationary vs. variable background...)

→ beam halo & long tails of distribution due to Coulomb scattering have to be studied

PV is a simple experiment



$$A_{\text{exp}} = (N_{\uparrow} - N_{\downarrow}) / (N_{\uparrow} + N_{\downarrow})$$

For elastic scattering on Hydrogen

$$A_{\text{exp}} = P \left[\underbrace{(1 - 4 \sin^2(\theta_W)) Q^2}_{A_{PV}} * \underbrace{Korr + F(G_{P,N}^{E,M}(Q^2), Q^2, E_0, \theta)}_{\text{minimize syst. errors by low } Q^2 \text{ and } E_0} \right] + A_{\text{FALSE}}$$

$$Korr(\gamma Z) \propto (1 + k(\gamma Z) E_0) ;$$

$k(\gamma Z)$ is not very well known \Rightarrow see talks on PV

Penalty for choosing low Q^2 : A_{PV} becomes very small (roughly 50 ppb)

\rightarrow Even at $L > 10^{39}$ the experiment will need about 10000 hours BOT: Experiment cannot be done at MAMI without strong interference with ongoing program.

\rightarrow A_{False} must be controlled to < 0.4 ppb: Improve established techniques from PVA4 by about an order of magnitude (see accelerator talk tomorrow)

\rightarrow $\Delta A_{PV} / A_{PV} = 1\%$ \rightarrow $\Delta P / P < 0.7\%$, better $< 0.5\%$.

(MAINZ05-project)

Beam polarimetry is a simple experiment

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = \left(\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} \right)_{0.proc} \cdot \left(1 + \sum_{i=x,y,z} S_i(\mathcal{G}) \cdot P_i^{Beam} + \sum_{i,j=x,y,z} S_{i,j}(\mathcal{G}) \cdot P_i^{Beam} P_j^T \right)$$

Process examples : Elastic Electron (Mott-)scattering : S_y

Möller - or Compton - Backscattering : S_{zz}

$$A_{Mott} = P_y^{BEAM} \underbrace{S_y(\mathcal{G}, E...)}_{\text{to be determined.}} ; A_{Möller} = P_z^{BEAM} \underbrace{P_z^{Target} S_{zz}(\mathcal{G}, E...)}_{\text{to be determined.}}$$

Ideal polarimeter would have simultaneously:

- 1.) Online operation at experimental beam conditions,
- 2.) $\Delta P/P < 0.5\%$,
- 3.) fast polarization monitoring.

Probably the best approach: The “Hydro-Möller”-Polarimeter

- Online operation possible
- low Levchuk effect ($Z=1$ vs $Z=26$ conventional)
- very high $P_T S_{zz} \rightarrow$ good efficiency in spite of low count rate statistics to 0.5% within about 30min
- $P^{Target}=1-\varepsilon \rightarrow$ small Target polarization error ($\varepsilon \sim 10^{-5}$)
- Problem: Not realized yet \rightarrow how does it work?