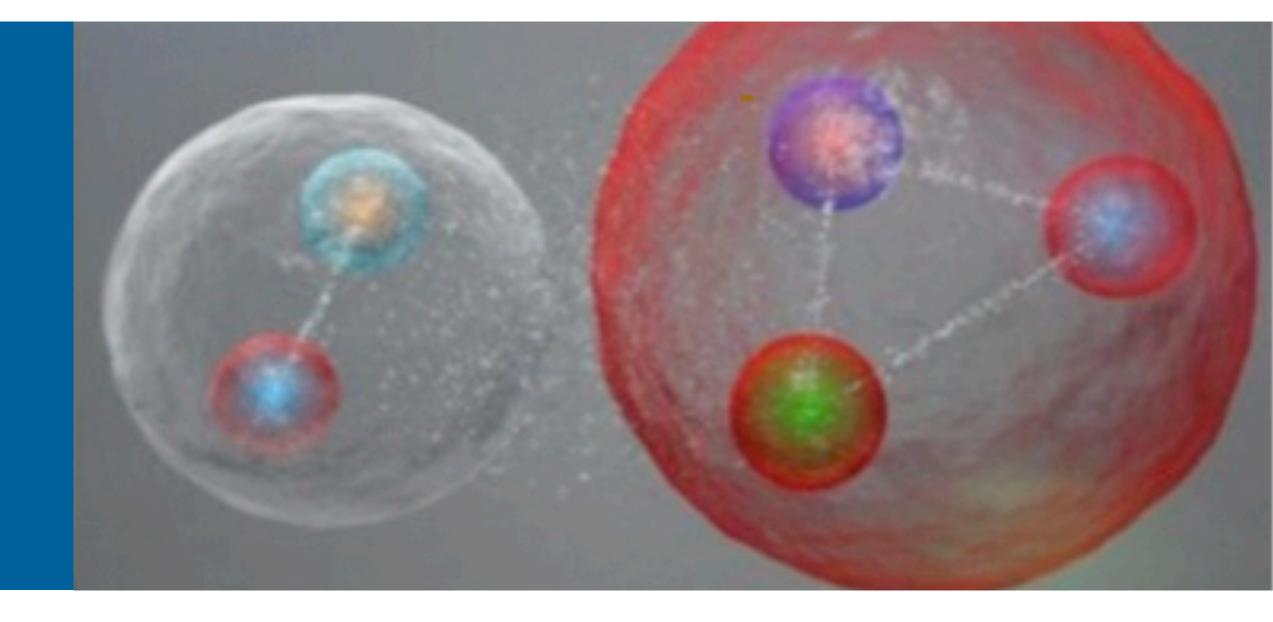
# NEAR-THRESHOLD QUARKONIUM PROGRAM AT JEFFERSON LAB AND THE EIC



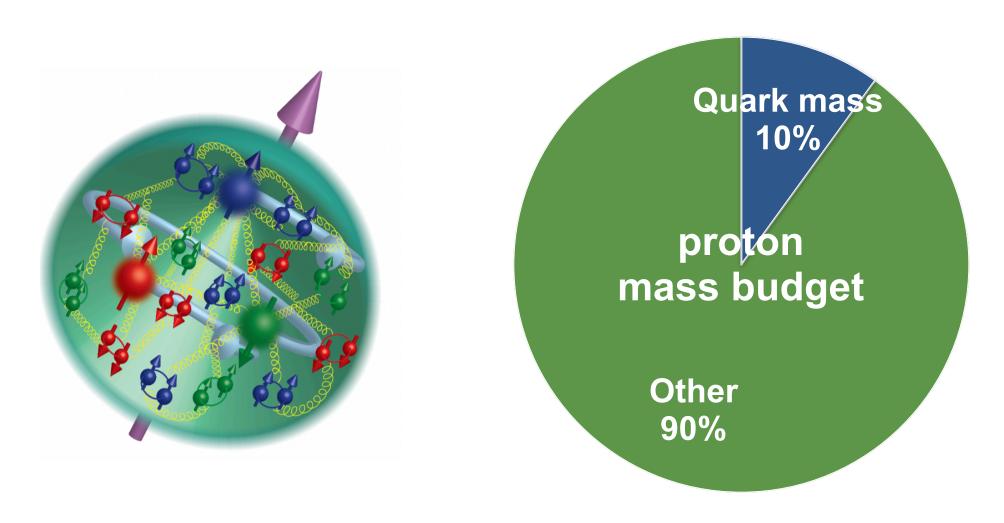
## QUARKONIUM PRODUCTION NEAR THRESHOLD



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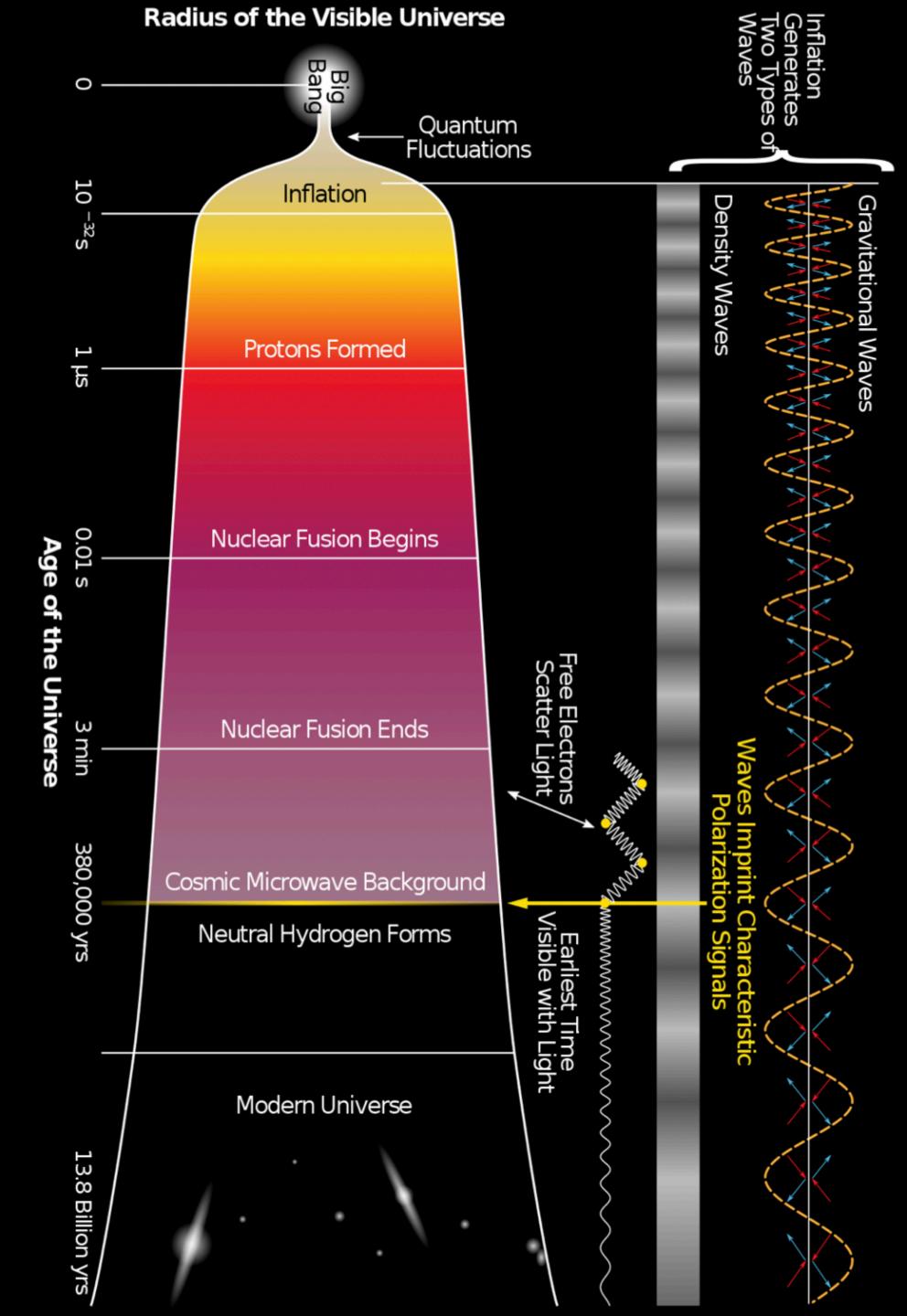


# The emergence of nucleon mass QCD IN THE STANDARD MODEL



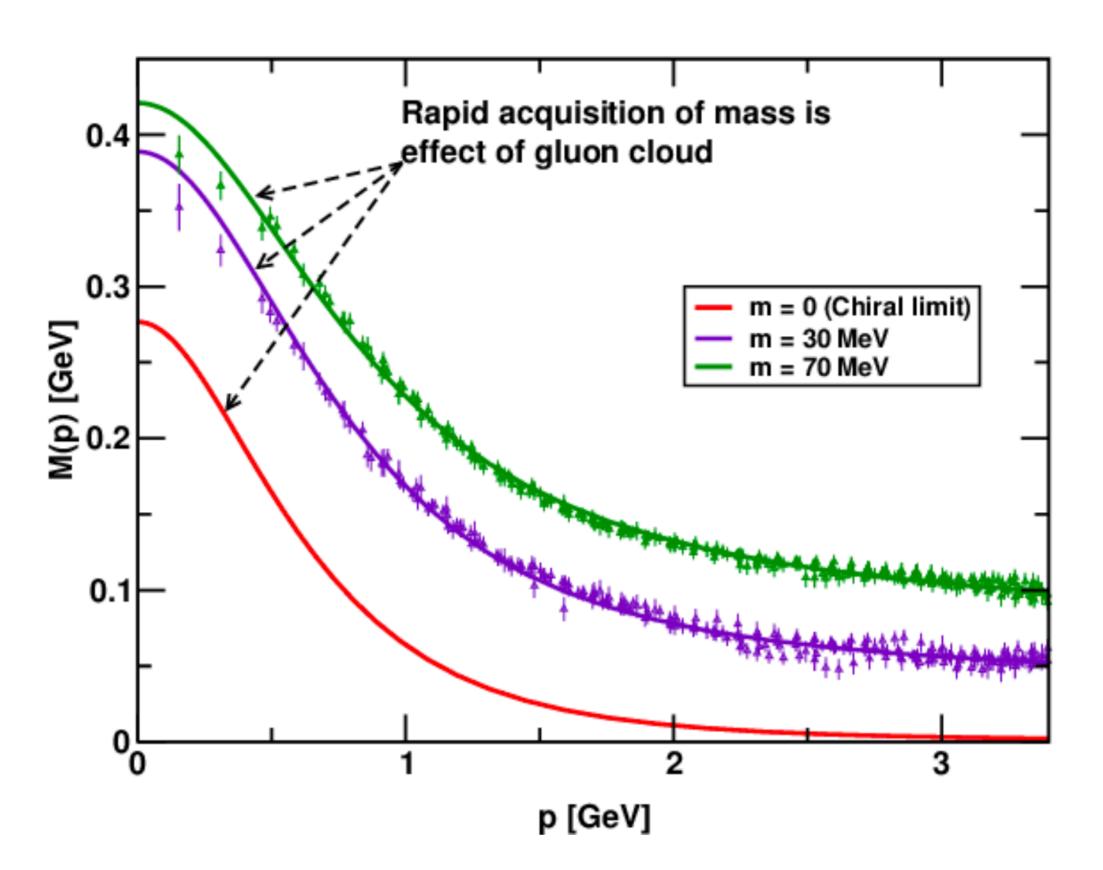
- Since the formation of protons and neutrons, most of the mass of the visible universe encapsulated in protons, neutrons, and nuclei.
- Surprising: nucleon mass much larger than sum of quark masses.
- How does QCD give rise to the 1GeV proton?
- How is the proton mass distributed in its confinement size?





#### NUCLEON MASS IS AN EMERGENT PHENOMENON

#### QCD responsible for the proton mass



M. S. Bhagwat et al., Phys. Rev. C 68, 015203 (2003)I. C. Cloet et al., Prog. Part. Nucl. Phys. 77, 1-69 (2014)

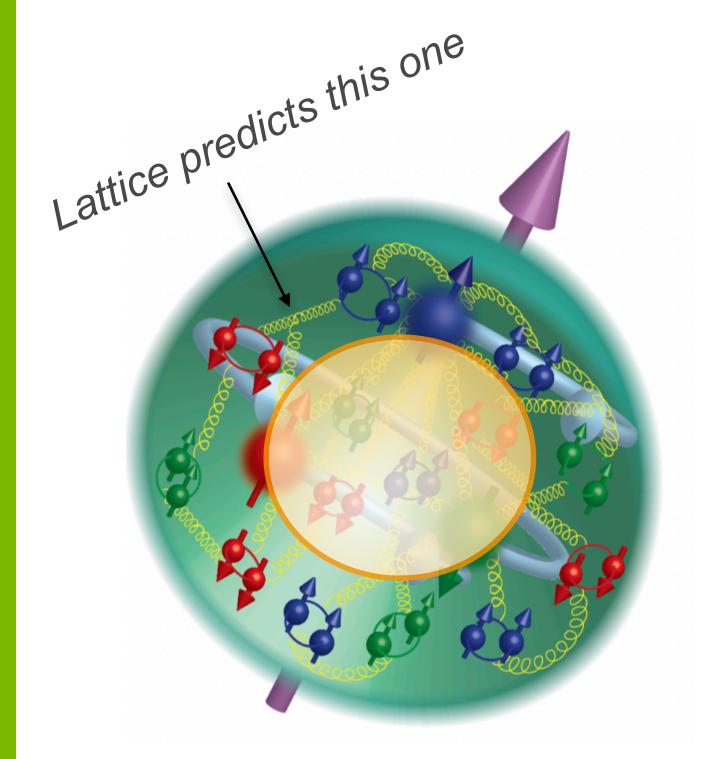
- In the proton rest frame, low momentum gluons attach to the current quarks (DCSB, demonstrated by many calculations and on the lattice)
- Each constituent quark accumulates ~300 MeV by "eating" these low momentum gluons.
- Even in when we assume quarks to be massless!
- Mass from nothing? No, mass from energy!

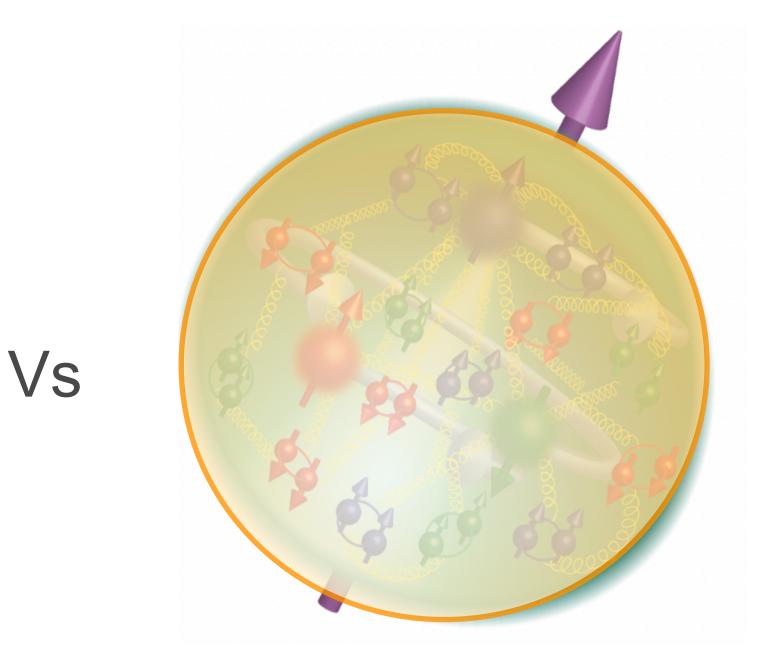
**Bottom line:** The Higgs mechanism is largely irrelevant for most of "normal" visible matter!

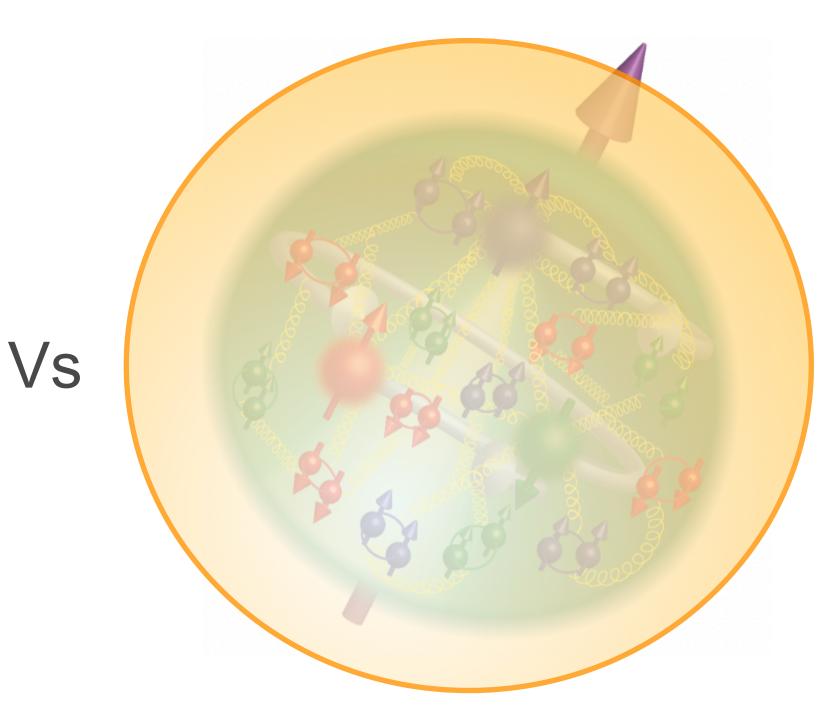


### WHERE IS THE ENERGY INSIDE THE PROTON?

How does the mass radius compare to the charge radius?







Dense energetic core?

Same as charge radius?

Energy halo beyond charge radius?





## GRAVITATIONAL FORM FACTORS (GFFS)

#### Towards observables of the matter structure of the proton

GFFs are the form factors of the QCD energy-momentum tensor (EMT) for quarks and gluons

$$\langle N' \mid T_{q,g}^{\mu,\nu} \mid N \rangle = \bar{u}(N') \left( A_{g,q}(t) \gamma^{\{\mu} P^{\nu\}} + B_{g,q}(t) \frac{i P^{\{\mu} \sigma^{\nu\}} \rho \Delta_{\rho}}{2M} + C_{g,q}(t) \frac{\Delta^{\mu} \Delta^{\nu} - g^{\mu\nu} \Delta^{2}}{M} + \bar{C}_{g,q}(t) M g^{\mu\nu} \right) u(N)$$

EMT physics encoded in these GFFs:

•  $A_{g,q}(t)$ : Related to quark and gluon momenta,  $A_{g,q}(0) = \langle x_{q,g} \rangle$ 

. 
$$J_{g,q}(t) = 1/2\left(A_{g,q}(t) + B_{g,q}(t)\right)$$
: Related to angular momentum,  $J_{\text{tot}}(0) = 1/2$ 

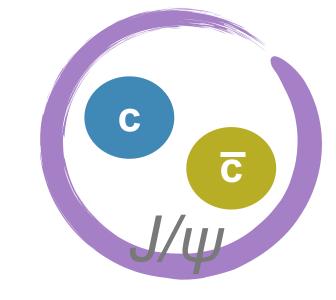
•  $D_{g,q}(t) = 4C_{g,q}(t)$ : Related to pressure and shear forces



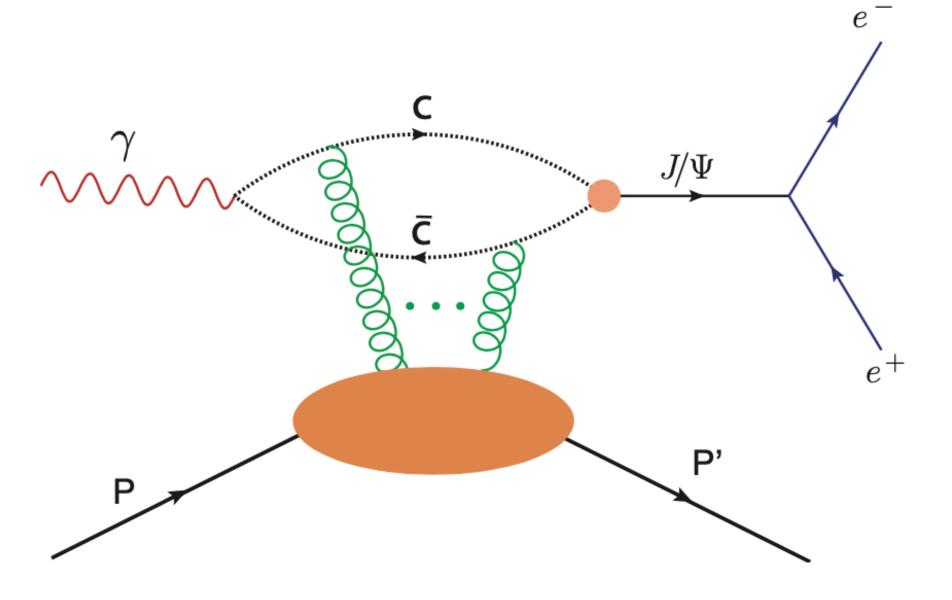
#### PROBING THE GLUONS

#### Exclusive quarkonium production near the threshold

- Electromagnetic charge and spin of the proton wellstudied through electron scattering
- Electromagnetic neutral gluons harder to access directly
  - Quarkonium uniquely sensitive to gluons: they do not couple to light quarks
  - Differential cross section of quarkonium near threshold promising channel to directly probe gluons
  - Sufficient data at different photon energies can constrain the GFF slopes and magnitudes in the forward limit (t=0)
  - Access the matter distribution, mass radius, and potentially the trace anomaly of the EMT.

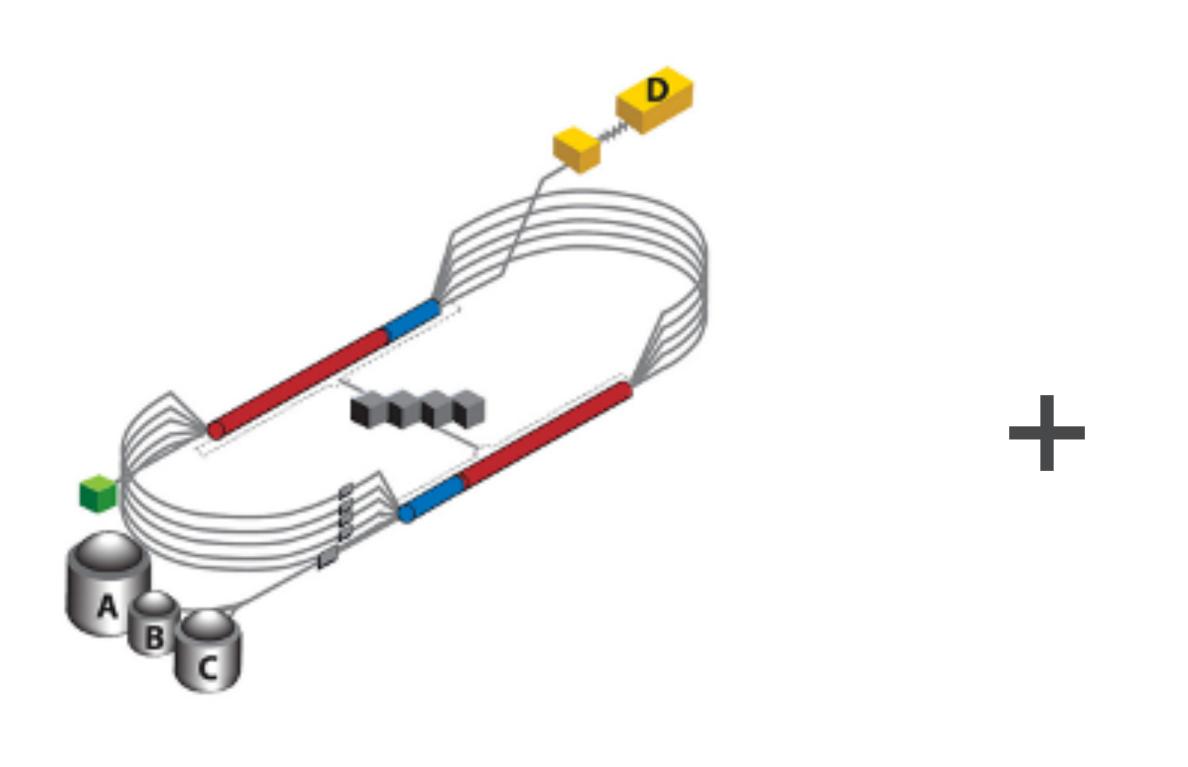


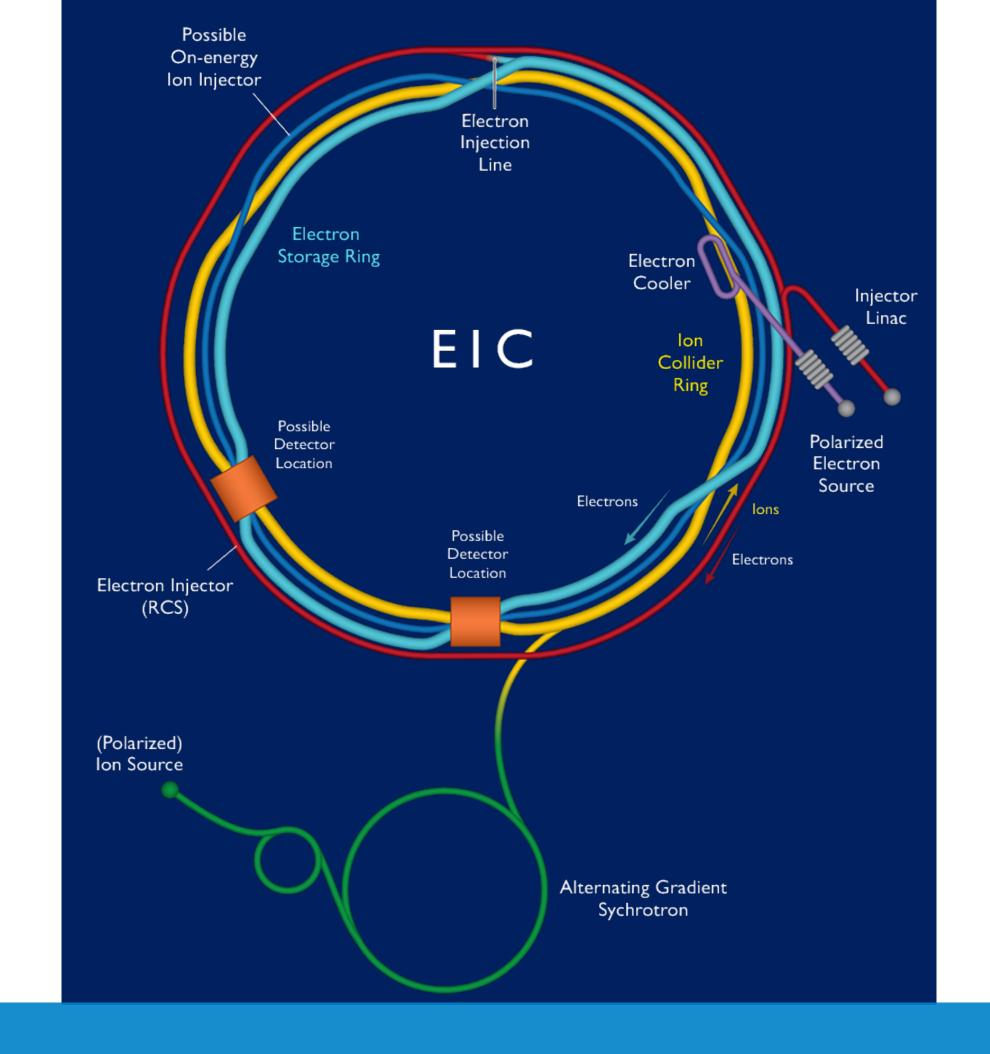






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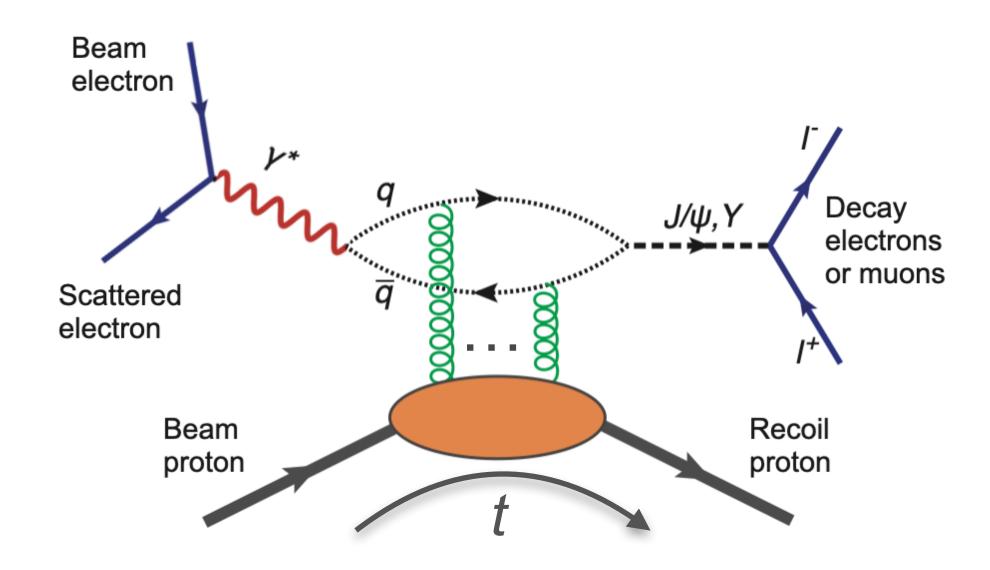




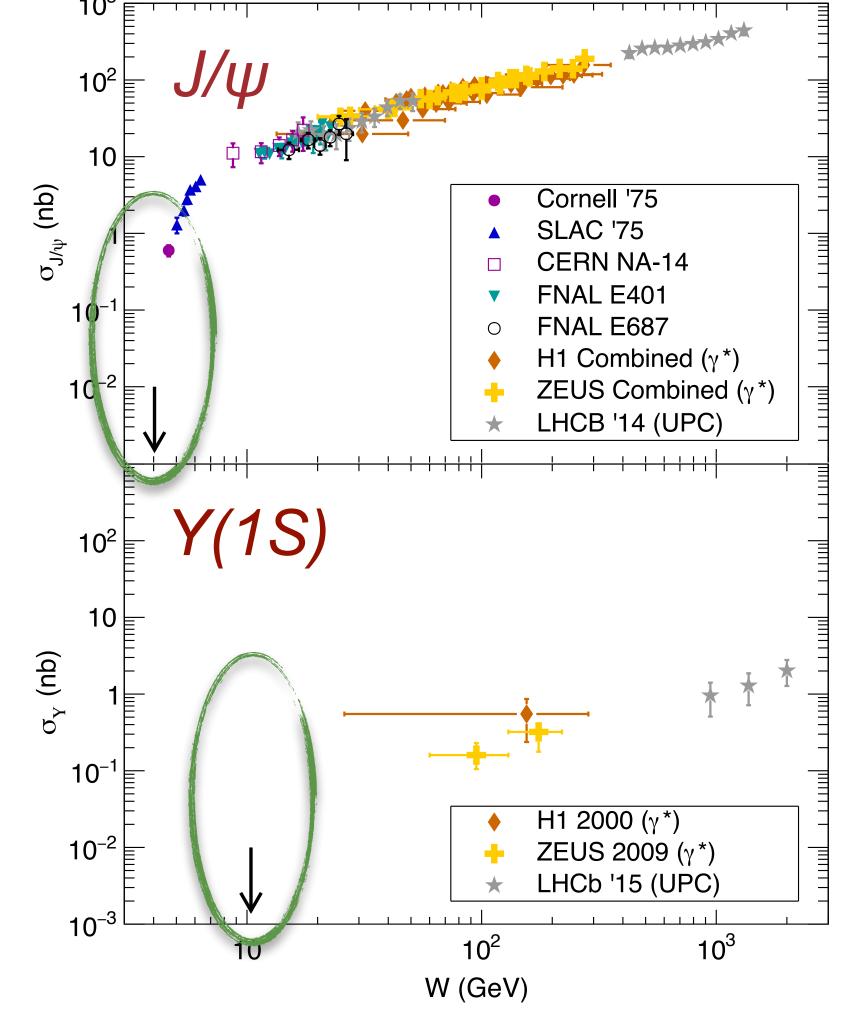
# CURRENT AND UPCOMING NEAR-THRESHOLD QUARKONIUM EXPERIMENTAL PROGRAM

## EXCLUSIVE QUARKONIUM PRODUCTION

#### Before Jefferson Lab 12 GeV



- No near-threshold data available
- In case of Y(1S): not much available overall
- Almost no data near threshold before JLab 12 GeV



## QUARKONIUM AT JEFFERSON LAB AND EIC

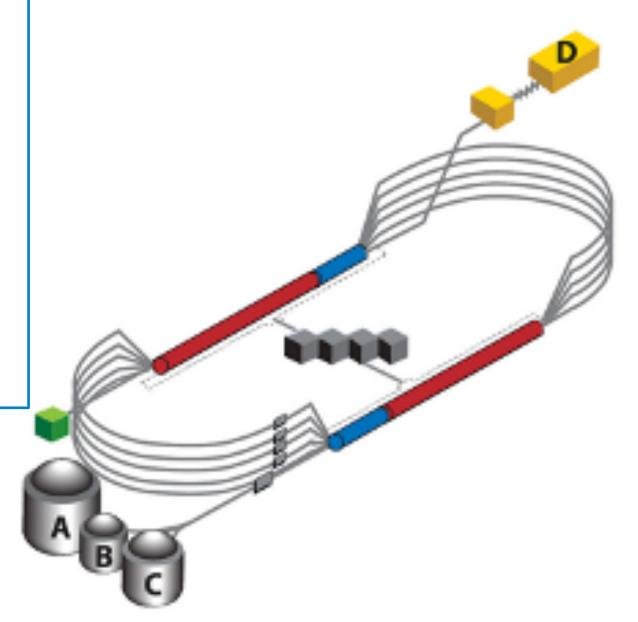
#### **Jefferson Lab**

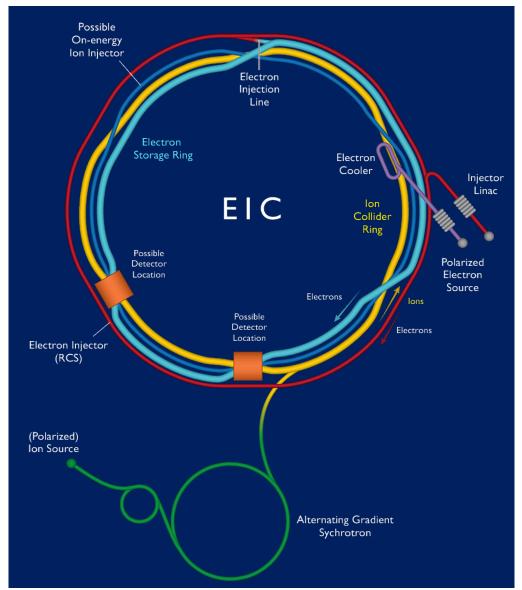
CEBAF: very high luminosity (10<sup>35</sup>-10<sup>39</sup> cm<sup>-2</sup>s<sup>-1</sup>) continuous electron beam on fixed target

4 experimental halls:

- 11GeV in Hall A, B &C
- 12GeV in Hall D

Jefferson Lab is the ideal laboratory to measure J/ψ near threshold, due to luminosity, resolution and energy reach





#### **Electron-ion Collider**

EIC: high luminosity (10<sup>33</sup>-10<sup>34</sup> cm<sup>-2</sup>s<sup>-1</sup>) polarized electron polarized ion collider

Variable CM energies: 29-140 GeV with 2 possible interactions regions

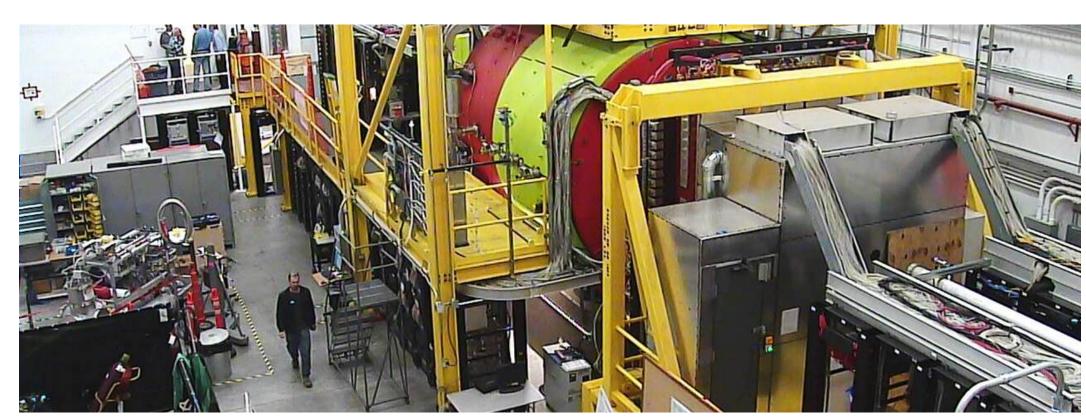
Reach to J/ψ threshold more difficult, sufficient energy and luminosity to study Y near threshold.

Complementary programs: Jefferson Lab is the ideal laboratory to measure J/ $\psi$  near threshold, and EIC has sufficient luminosity to measure Y near threshold

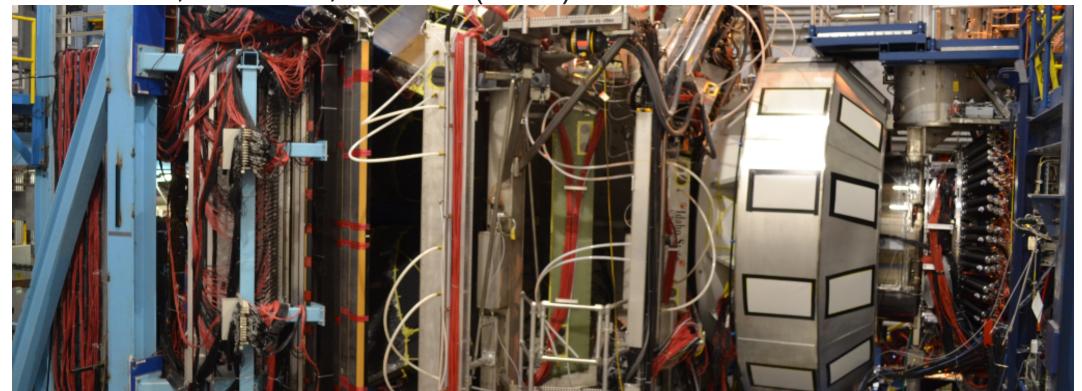




## 12 GEV J/W EXPERIMENTS AT JEFFERSON LAB



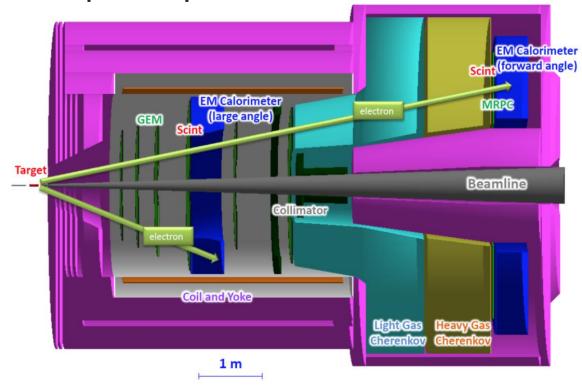
Hall D - GlueX observer the first J/ψ at JLab A. Ali *et al.*, PRL 123, 072001 (2019)



Hall B - CLAS12 has experiments to measure TCS + J/ $\psi$  in photoproduction as part of Run Groups A (hydrogen) and B (deuterium): E12-12-001, E12-12-001A, E12-11-003B



**Hall C** has the  $J/\psi$ -007 experiment (E12-16-007) to search for the LHCb hidden-charm pentaguark



Hall A has experiment E12-12-006 at SoLID to measure J/ $\psi$  in electro- and photoproduction, and an LOI to measure double polarization using SBS





## PENTAQUARKS IN PHOTOPRODUCTION?

#### Looking for pentaquarks at Jefferson Lab

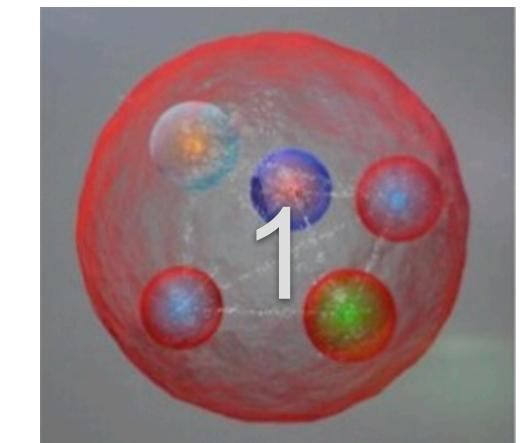
What is the nature of the LHCb pentaquarks?

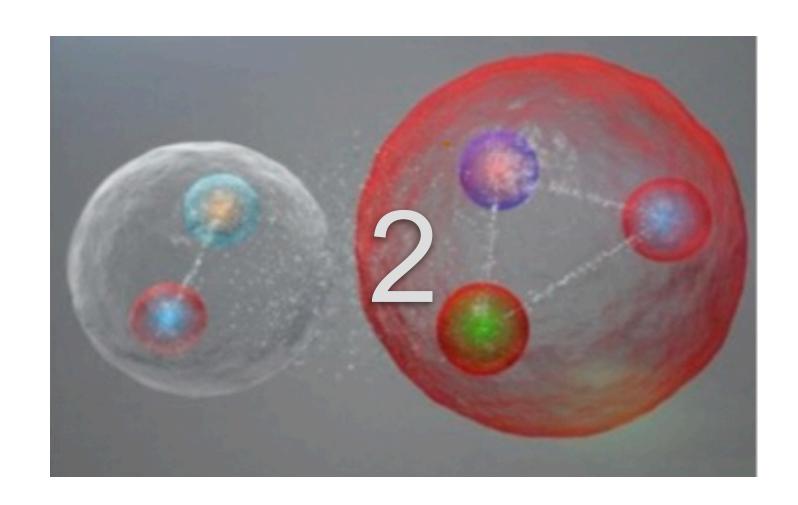
- 1. "True" pentaquark state: tightly bound 5-quark state
- 2. "Molecular" meson-baryon bound state
- 3. Kinematic enhancement through, eg., anomalous triangle singularities (ATS)

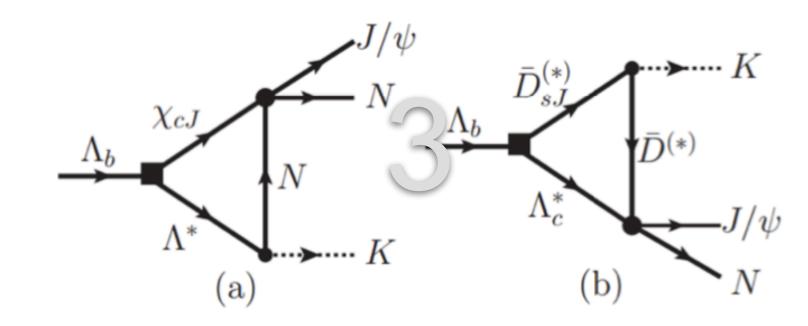
Photoproduction ideal channel to distinguish:

- 1. "True" pentaquark: strong s-channel resonance
- 2. "Molecular": small s-channel resonance (less overlap with γp and J/ψp states)
- 3. ATS not a factor in photoproduction

Jefferson Lab the perfect place to search for Pc in photoproduction









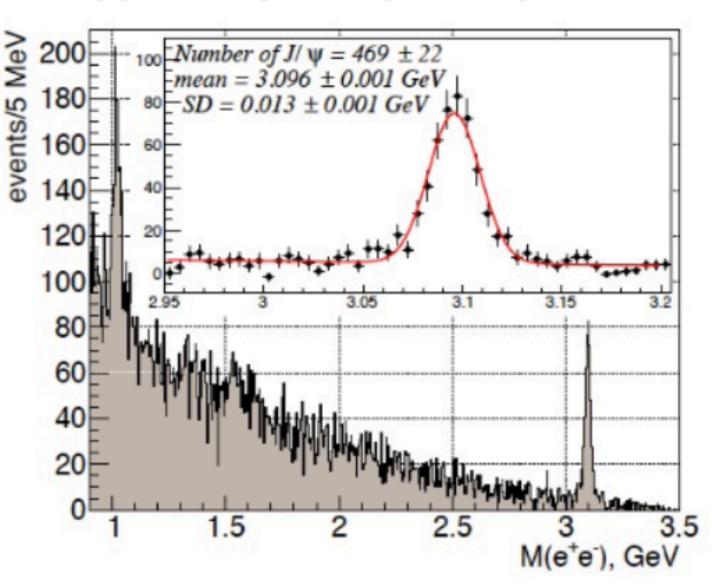


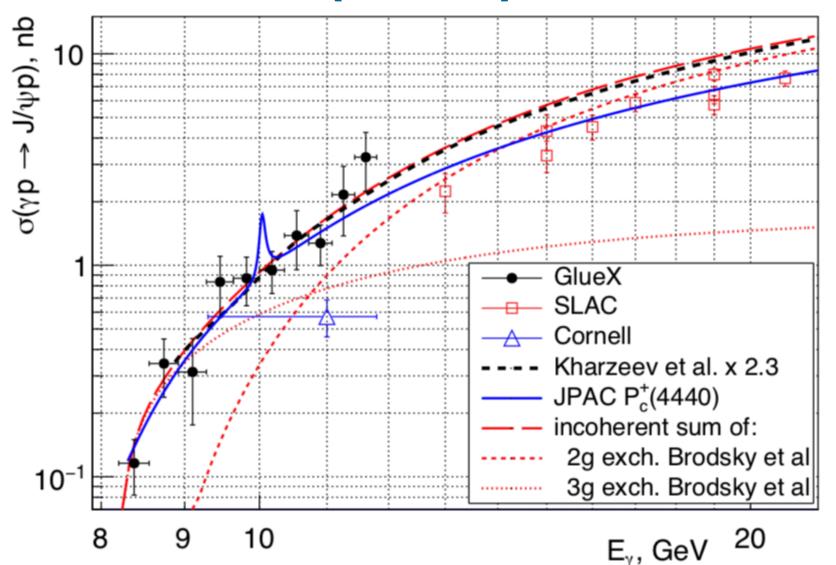
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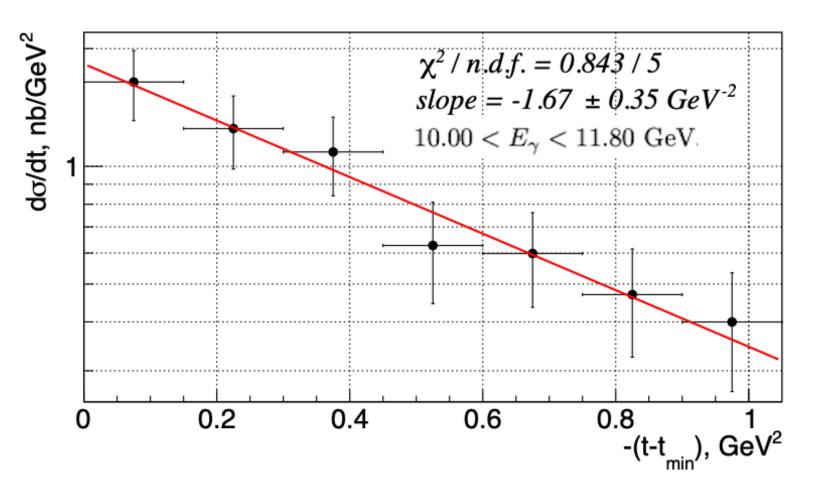
First J/ψ results from JLab, published in PRL 123, 072001 (2019)

- 1D cross section (~469 counts)
- Trends significantly higher than old measurements
- Single 1D t-profile spurred on many new theoretical calculations
- Did not see evidence for hidden-charm pentaquarks





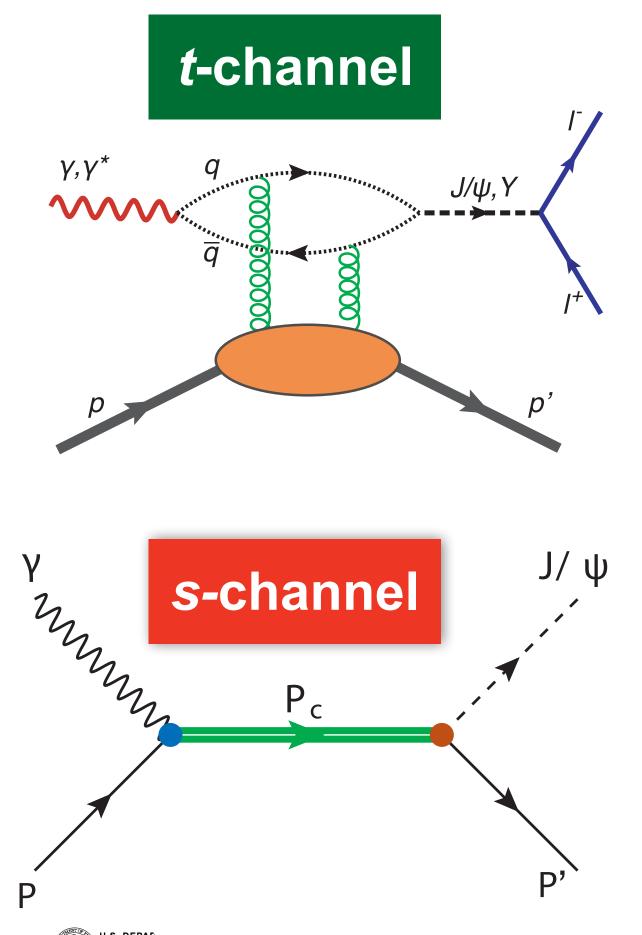


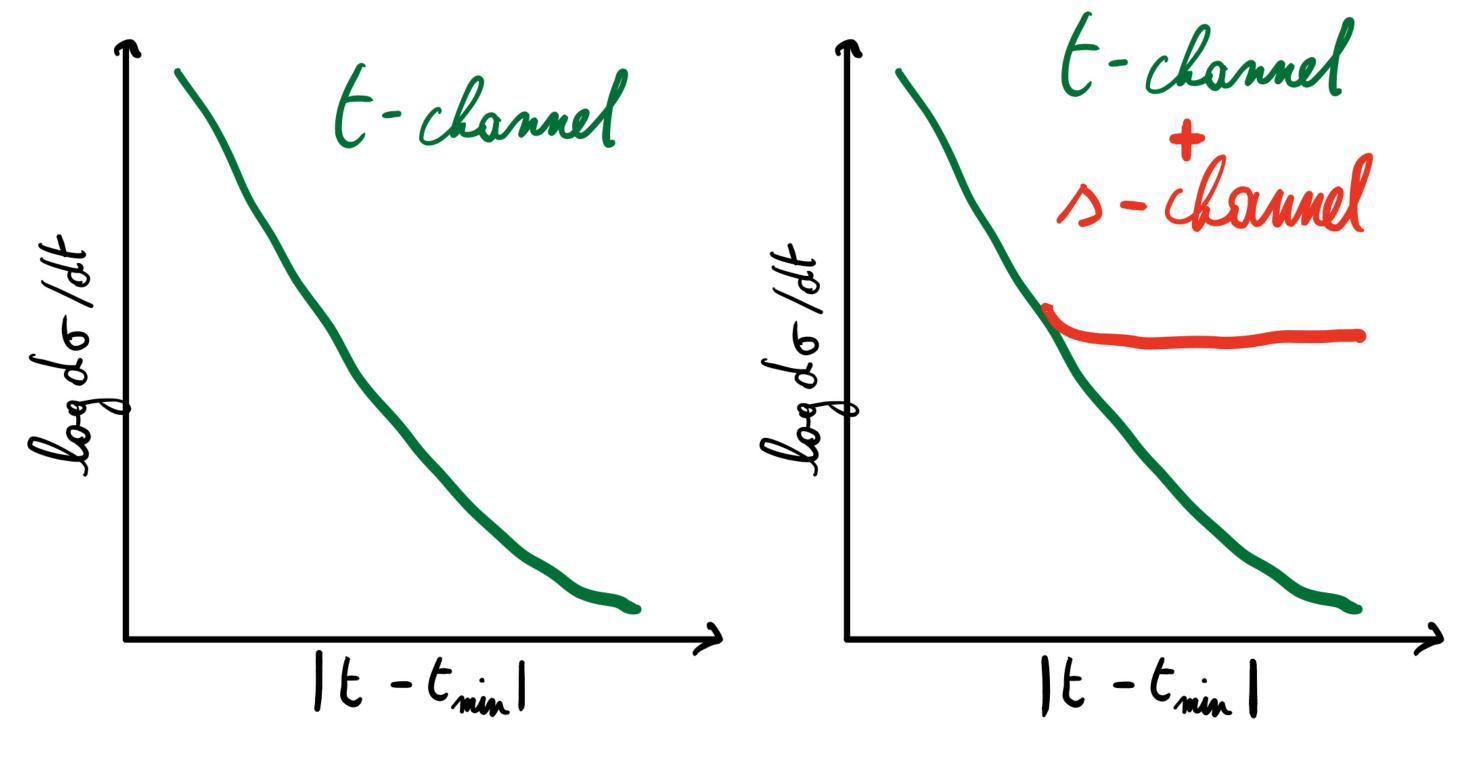




#### MAXIMIZING THE SENSITIVITY

#### Maximum sensitivity for s-channel resonance at high t





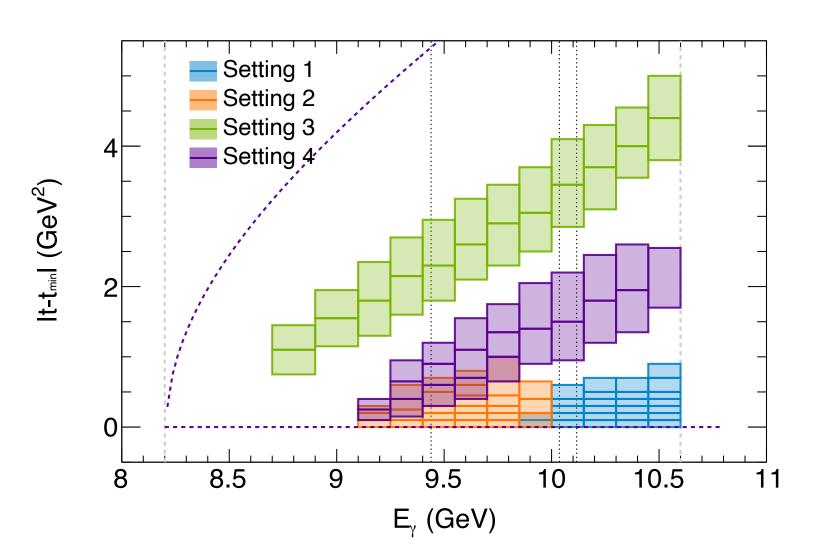
s-channel production more isotropic (flatter *t*-dependence)

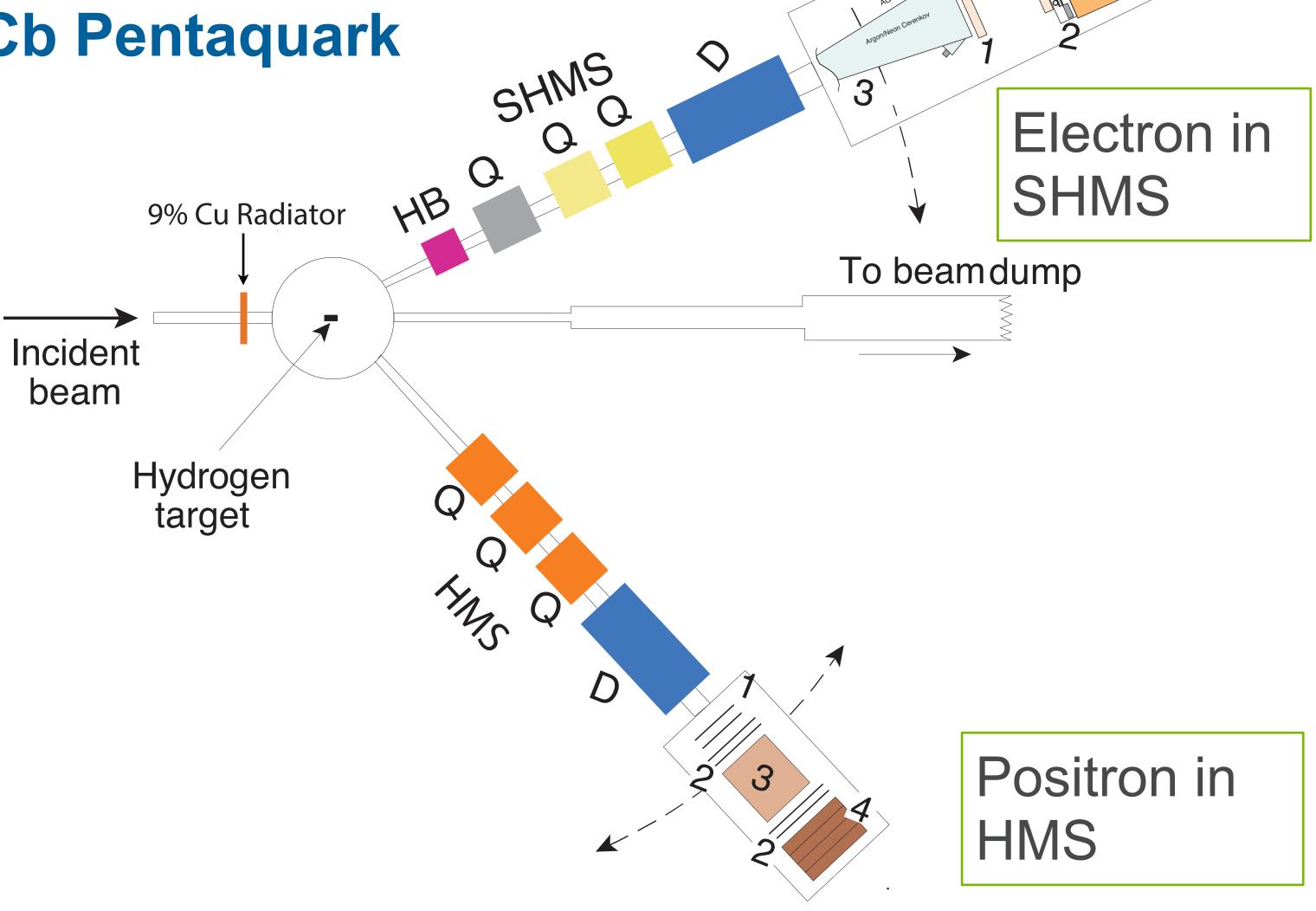


## JLAB EXPERIMENT E12-16-007

J/ψ-007: Search for the LHCb Pentaquark

- Ran February 2019 for ~8 PAC days
- High intensity real photon beam (50µA electron beam on a 9% copper radiator)
- 10cm liquid hydrogen target
- Detect J/ψ decay leptons in coincidence
  - Bremsstrahlung photon energy fully constrained







### THE J/Ψ-007 COLLABORATION



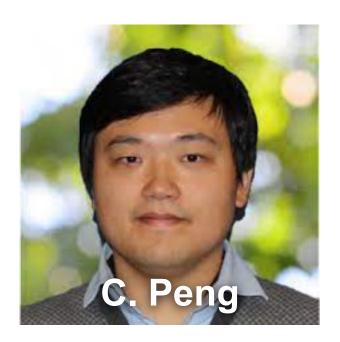


















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# SCANNING THE SPECTRUM

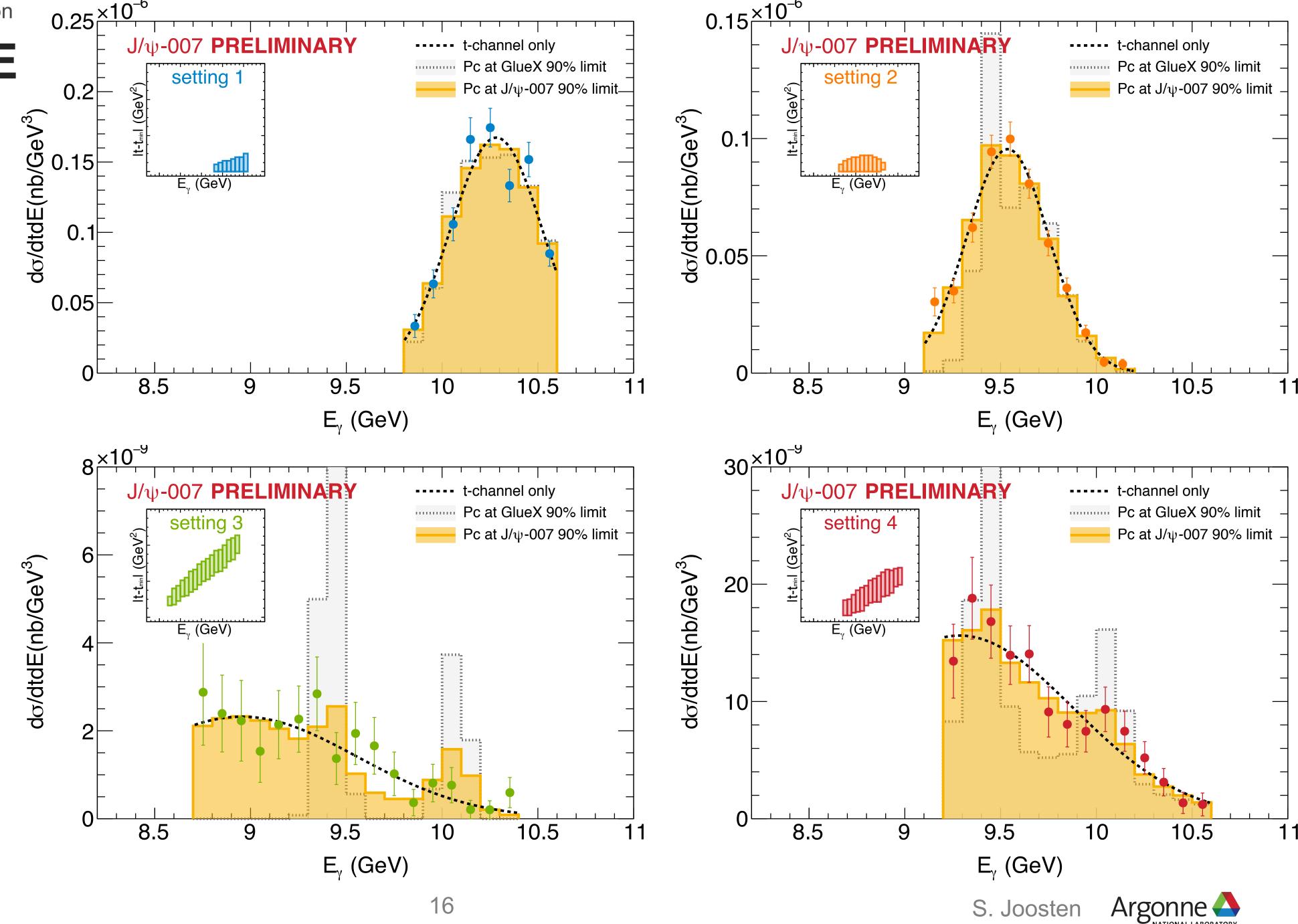
Fit 1: bare Gaussian shape describes the cross section well

Fit 2: Signal + background at 2019 GlueX upper limit (90% confidence interval). The resonances lead to major tension with the data at high-t.

Fit 3: Same as 2, but with Pc at upper limit (90% confidence interval) from the preliminary  $J/\psi$ -007 results themselves

The data suggest a stringent upper limit on the resonant cross section (see next slide).





4% scale uncertainty on cross section limit

# RESULTS ON THE PENTAQUARK RESONANCES

# Cross-section at the resonance peak for model-independent upper limits

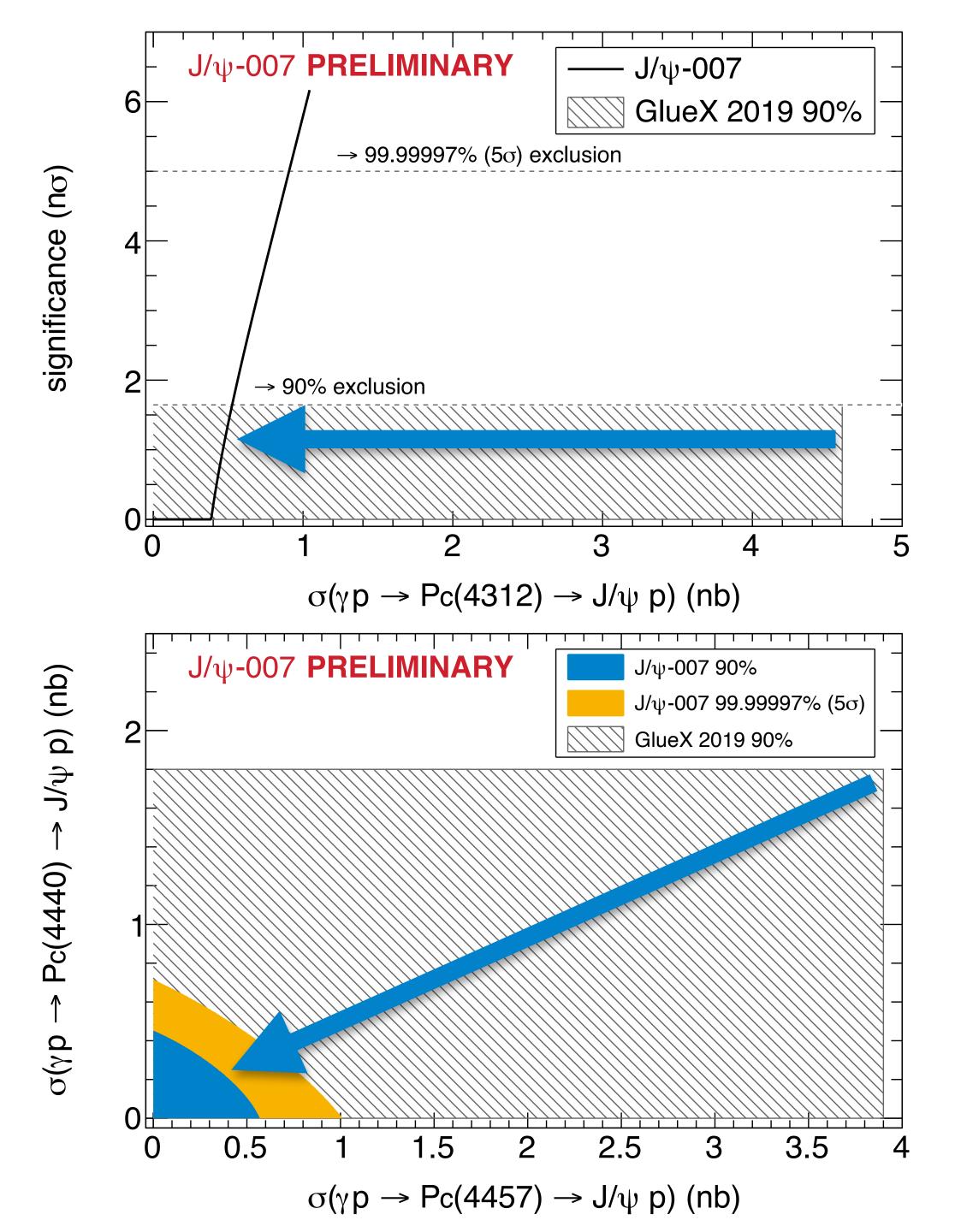
Upper limit for  $P_c$  cross section almost order of magnitude below GlueX limit.

Results seem inconsistent with reasonable assumptions for true 5-quark states.

Door is still open for molecular states, but will be very hard to measure in photoproduction due to small overlap with both  $\gamma p$  initial state and J/ $\psi p$  final state.

To learn more we need a large-acceptance high-intensity photoproduction experiment, and potentially access to polarization observables. This can be achieved with the future SoLID-J/ψ experiment at Jefferson Lab



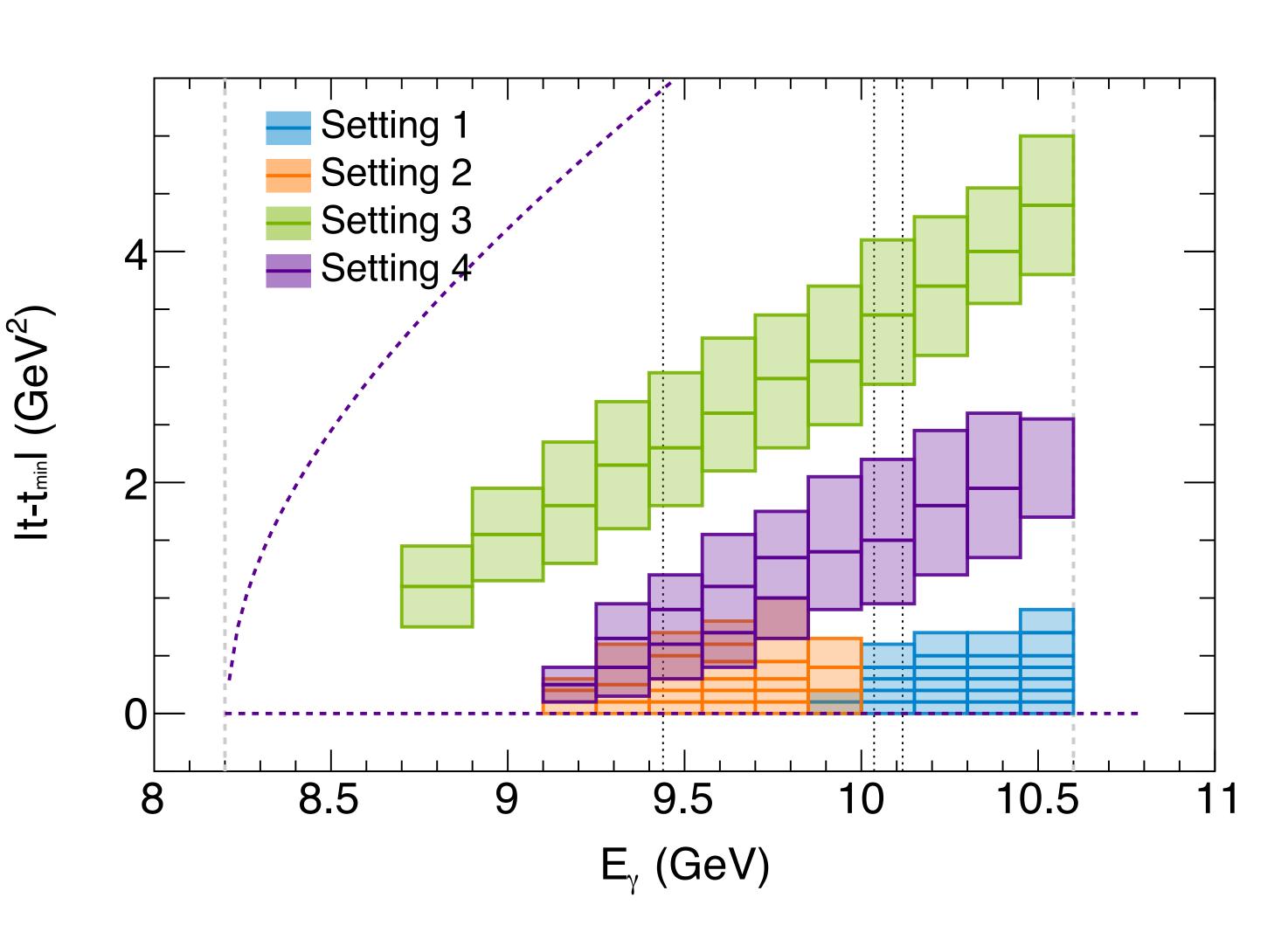




#### DIFFERENTIAL CROSS SECTION NEAR THRESHOLD

Unprecendented access to large-t region

- Truly 2D measurement
- ~2000 counts in electron channel
- Additional 2000 counts in muon channel still under analysis

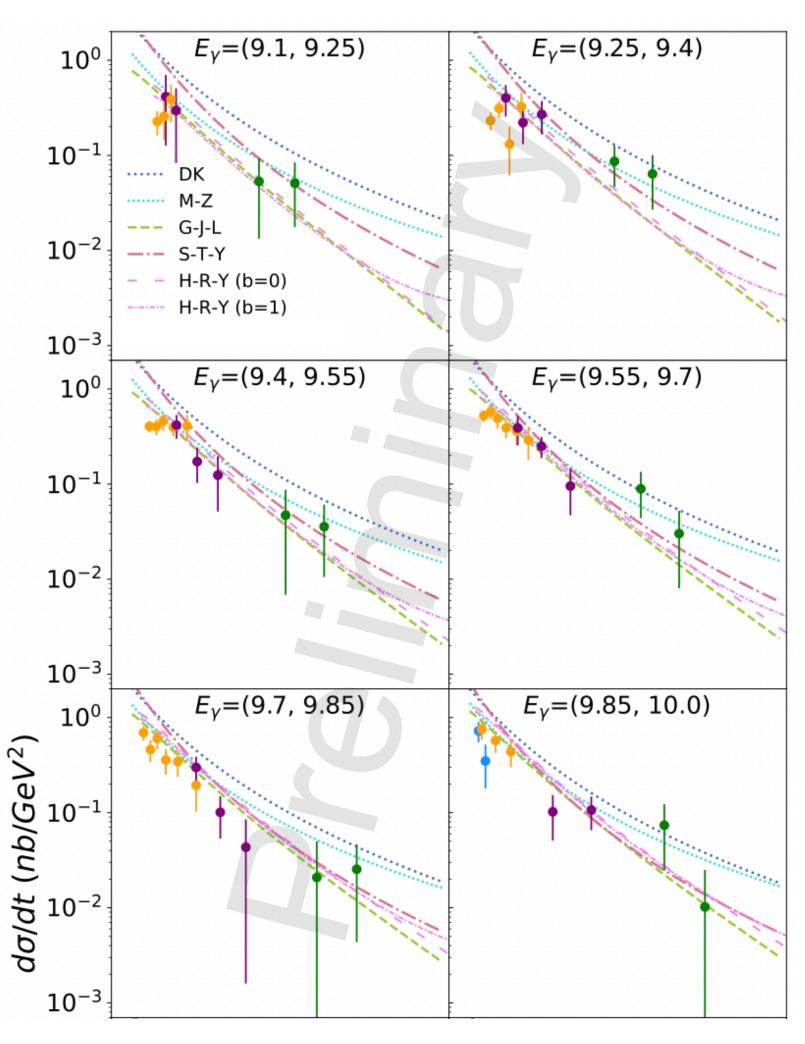


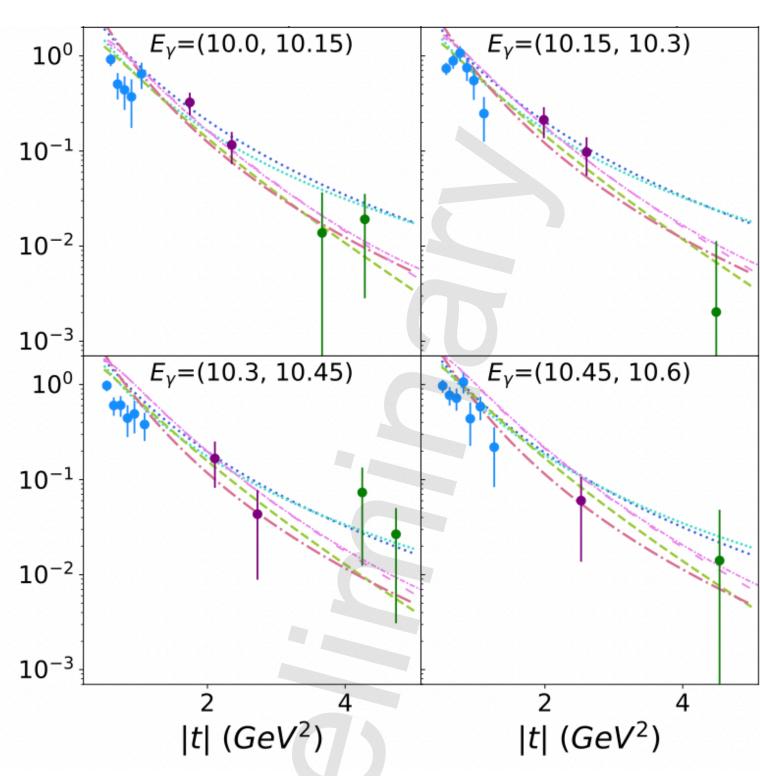


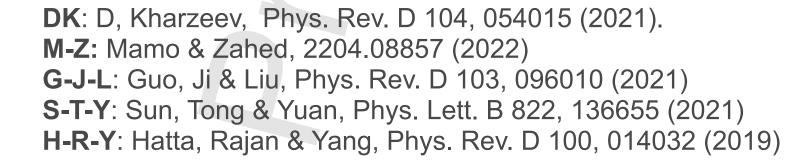
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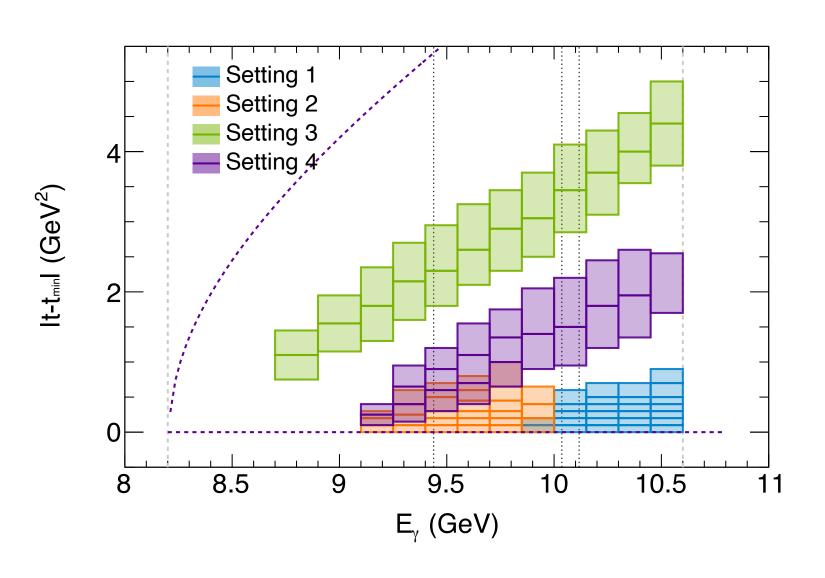


# Results currently under peer-review PRELIMINARY 2D J/Ψ CROSS SECTION RESULTS









- Unfolded 2D cross section results compared to various model predictions informed by the 2019 1D GlueX results
- All models work reasonably well at higher energies but deviate at lower energies

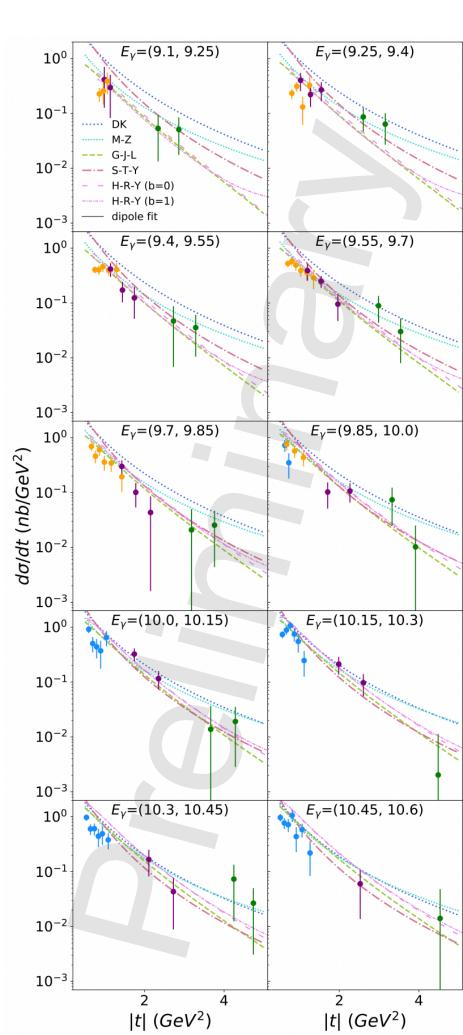






## EXTRACTING GFFS FROM THE 2D PROFILES

#### First ever extraction of gluonic GFFs from purely experimental data!

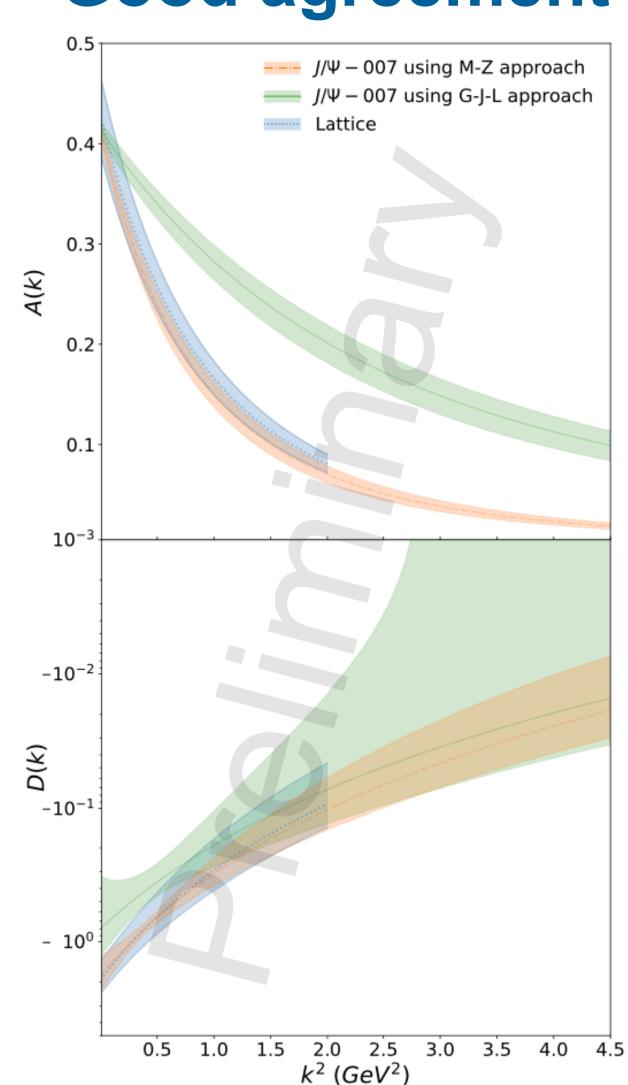


- Model dependent extractions using the available approaches in the literature
  - Holographic QCD approach: K. Mamo & I. Zahed, PRD 103, 094010 (2021) and 2204.08857 (2022)
  - GPD approach: Y. Guo, X. Ji, Y. Liu, PRD 103, 096010 (2021)
  - lacktriangle In both cases assume  $B_g(t)$  contributes little (supported by lattice)
- Use tripole form for  $A_g(t)$  and  $C_g(t)$  (differences with dipole negligible)
- Use  $A_g(0)=\langle x_g\rangle$  from the CT18 global fit, fit remaining 3 parameters  $(m_A,C_g(0),m_C)$  to 2D cross section results.



### GLUONIC GFF RESULTS

#### Good agreement between Holographic QCD and Lattice results!



- Results from the 2D gluonic GFF fits
- $\blacksquare$  Gluonic  $A_g(t)$  and  $D_g(t)=4C_g(t)$  form factors
- $-\chi^2/\text{n.d.f.}$  in both cases very close to 1
- M-Z (holographic QCD) approach fit to only experimental data gives results very close to the latest lattice results!
- GPD approach gives very different values, may indicate (expected) issues with the factorization assumption

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## WHAT ABOUT THE MASS AND SCALAR RADII?

#### Extracted from gluonic GFF results following M-Z and G-J-L

Theoretical approach GFF functional form	$\chi^2$ /n.d.f	m <sub>A</sub> (GeV)	$m_C$ (GeV)	$C_g(0)$	$\sqrt{\langle r_m^2 \rangle}_g$ (fm)	$\sqrt{\langle r_s^2 \rangle}_g$ (fm)
Holographic QCD Tripole-tripole	0.925	1.575±0.059	1.12±0.21	-0.45±0.132	0.755±0.035	1.069±0.056
GPD Tripole-tripole	0.924	2.71±0.19	$1.28 \pm 0.50$	$-0.20 \pm 0.11$	0.472±0.042	0.695±0.071
Lattice Tripole-tripole		$1.641 \pm 0.043$	$1.07 \pm 0.12$	$-0.483 \pm 0.133$	0.7464±0.025	1.073±0.066

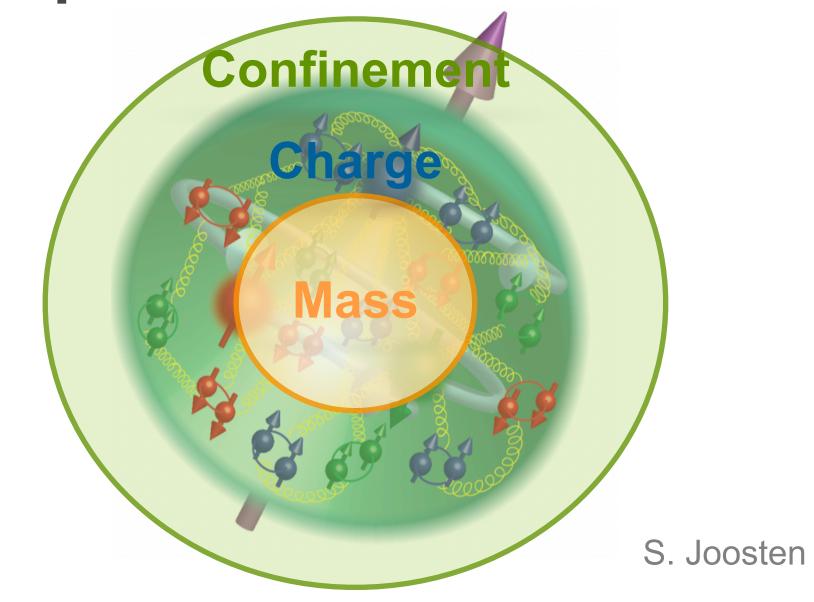
$$\left| \left\langle r_m^2 \right\rangle_g = \frac{6}{A_g(0)} \frac{dA_g(t)}{dt} \right|_{t=0} - \frac{6}{A_g(0)} \frac{C_g(0)}{M_N^2}$$

$$\left| \left\langle r_s^2 \right\rangle_g = \frac{6}{A_g(0)} \frac{dA_g(t)}{dt} \right|_{t=0} - \frac{18}{A_g(0)} \frac{C_g(0)}{M_N^2}$$

In all cases the extracted  $r_{m}$  is substantially smaller than the proton charge radius

Both the holographic QCD fit to our data, and the latest Lattice calculations find a gluonic confining scalar potential radius of about 1 fermi

#### A picture of three zones









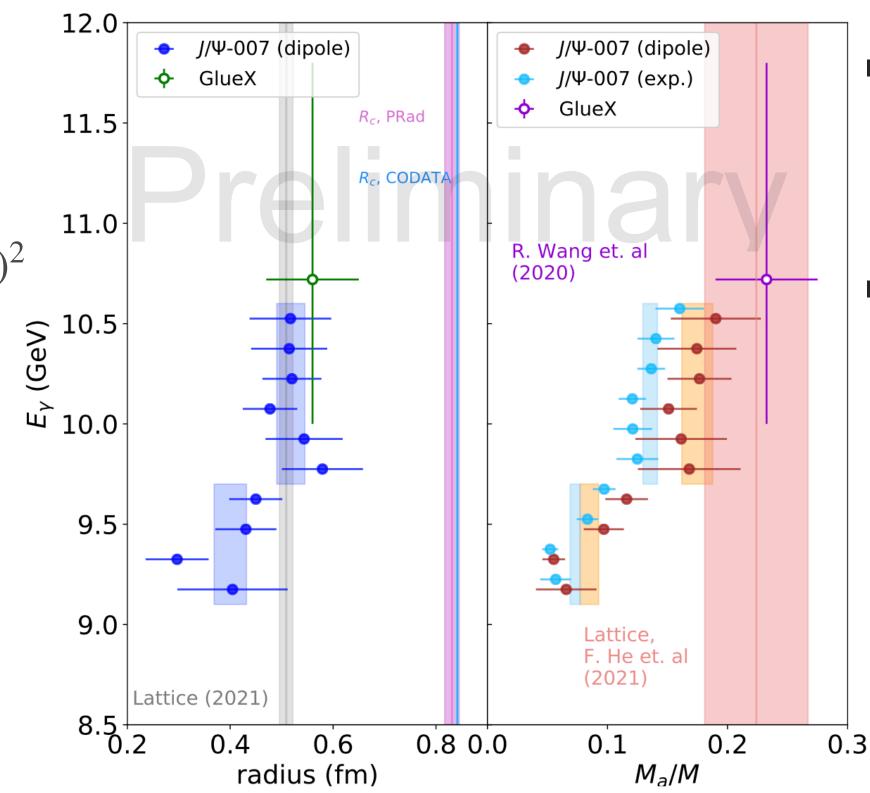
### VARIOUS MODEL-DEPENDENT EXTRACTIONS

#### Radius (following DK), and Ma/M (following Ji), for each energy slice

#### D-K formalism for radius

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dt} = \frac{1}{64\pi s} \frac{1}{\left|p_{\gamma,\text{cm}}\right|^2} \left(Q_e c_2\right)^2 \left(\frac{16\pi^2 M^2}{b}\right)^2 G(t)$$

$$\langle r_m^2 \rangle = \frac{6}{M} \frac{dG}{dt} \bigg|_{t=0} = \frac{12}{m_s^2}$$



- Find flat region at higher energies, which seems to break below 9.7 GeV
- Good agreement with lattice in flat region (9.7 GeV  $< E_{\gamma} < 10.6$  GeV)

$$\sqrt{\langle r_m^2 \rangle} = 0.52 \pm 0.03 \,\mathrm{fm}$$

$$M_a/M = 0.175 \pm 0.013$$

**DK**: D, Kharzeev, Phys. Rev. D 104, 054015 (2021)

Charge radius: CODATA

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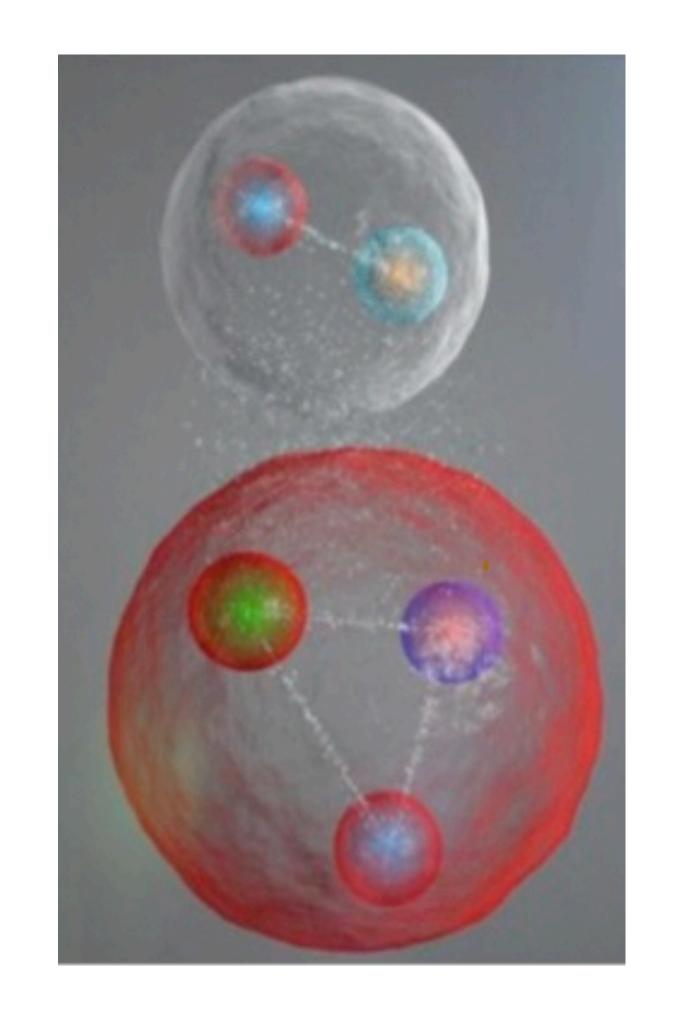
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### HALL C J/Y-007 RESULTS IN A NUTSHELL

- The Hall C J/ψ-007 experiment has the first nearthreshold 2D J/ψ cross section results in this area, currently under peer review.
  - Stringent exclusion limit for the LHCb charmed pentaquarks in photoproduction
  - New window on the gluonic GFFs in the proton
  - Does the proton have a dense energetic core?





## The proton mass: An important topic in contemporary hadronic physics! RAPIDLY EVOLVING



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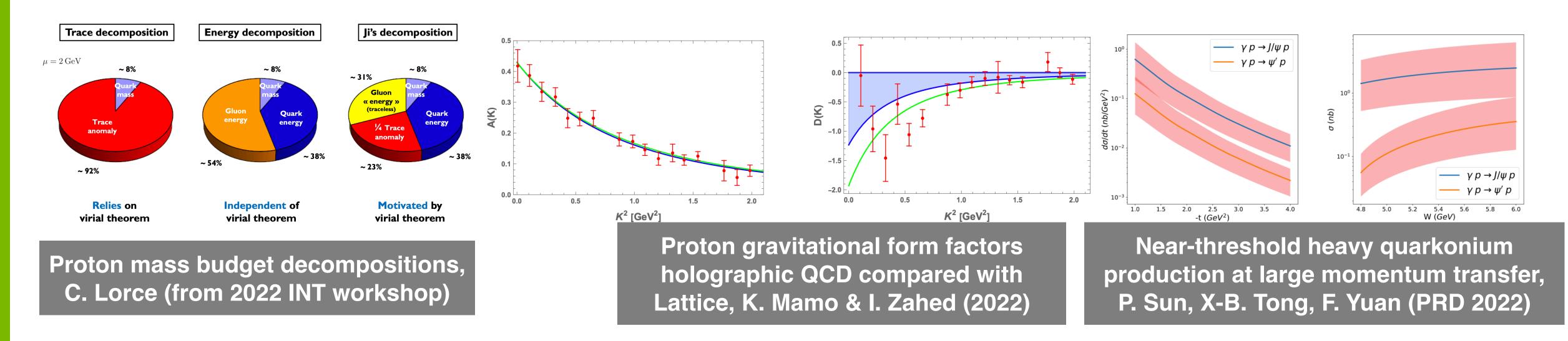
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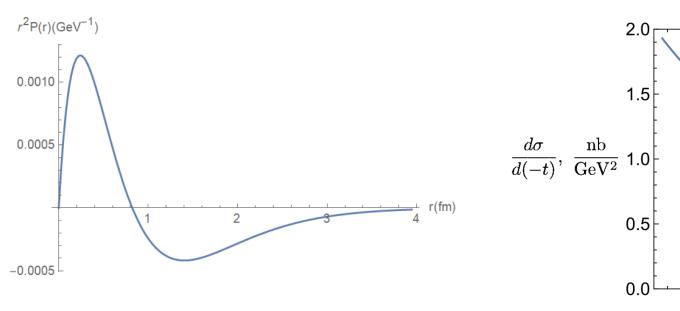
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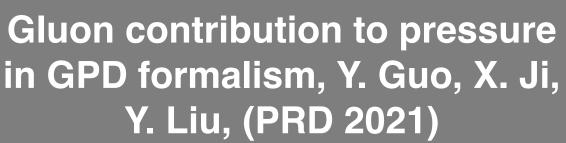


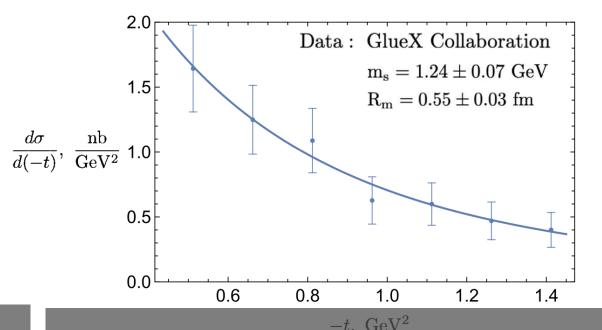
## PROMINENT RECENT DEVELOPMENTS



- A hot topic: many theoretical developments, and pace of publications only speeding up!
- Many extractions depend on extrapolating to the forward limit (t=0), which introduces theoretical systematic uncertainties. Precise high-t as a function photon energy crucial.







Gluonic radius of the proton based on 1D GlueX results, D. Kharzeev (PRD 2021)



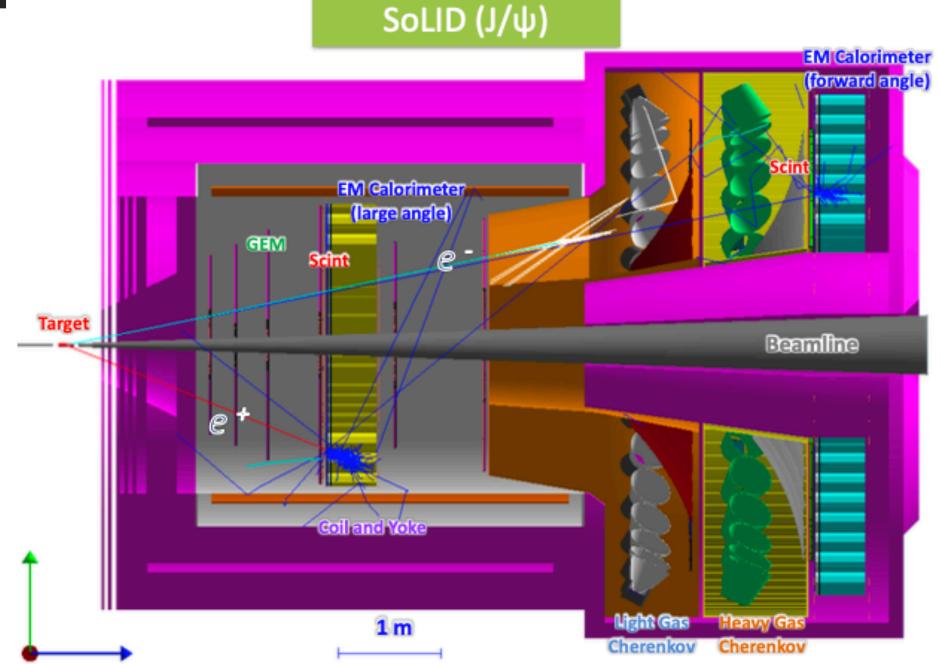


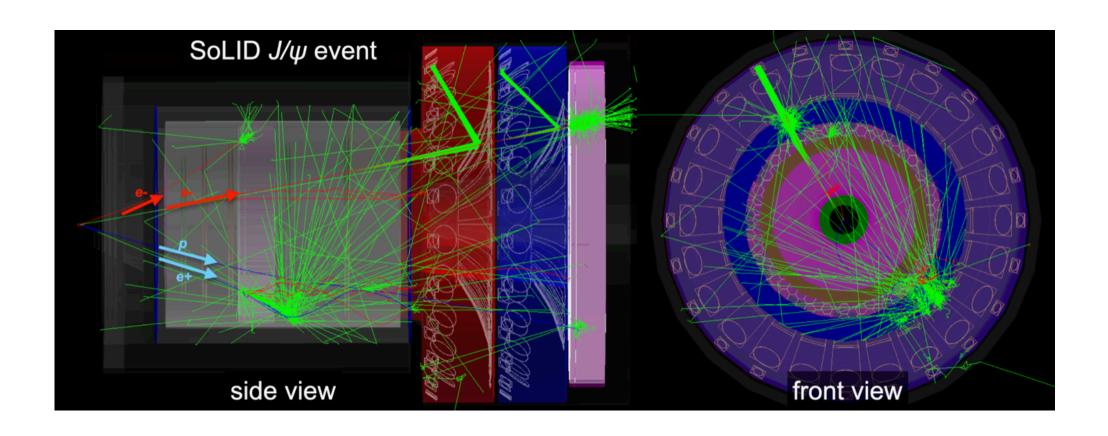


#### THE SOLID-J/W EXPERIMENT

#### Ultimate factory for near-threshold J/ψ

- General purpose large-acceptance spectrometer
- 50+10 days of 3μA beam on a 15cm long LH2 target (10<sup>37</sup>/cm<sup>2</sup>/s)
- Ultra-high luminosity: 43.2ab-1
- Open 2-particle trigger, covering J/ψ production in four channels:
   Electroproduction (e,e-e+), photoproduction (p,e-e+), inclusive (e-e+), exclusive (ep,e-e+)
- The electoproduction channel provides for a modest lever-arm in Q² near threshold





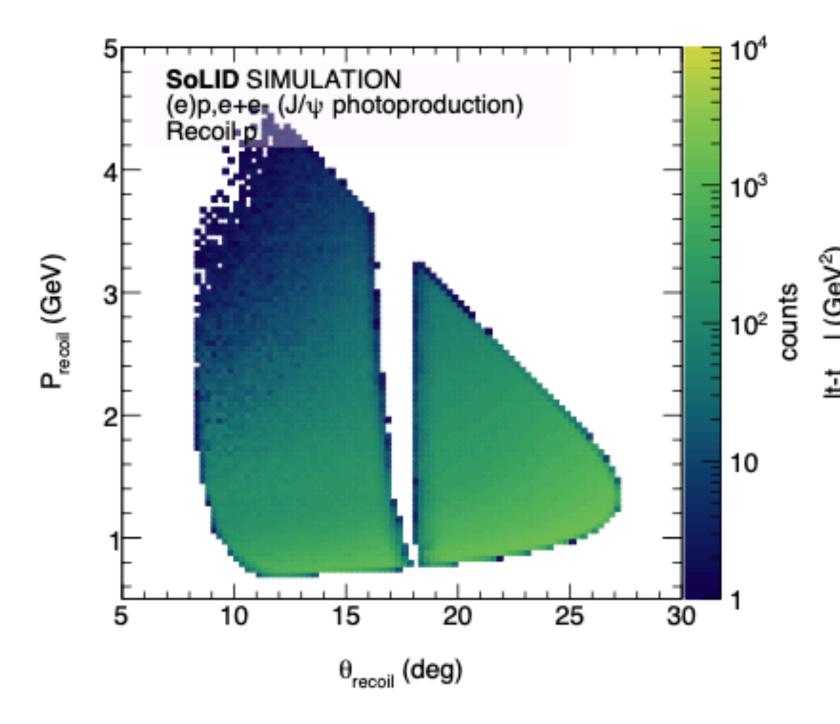


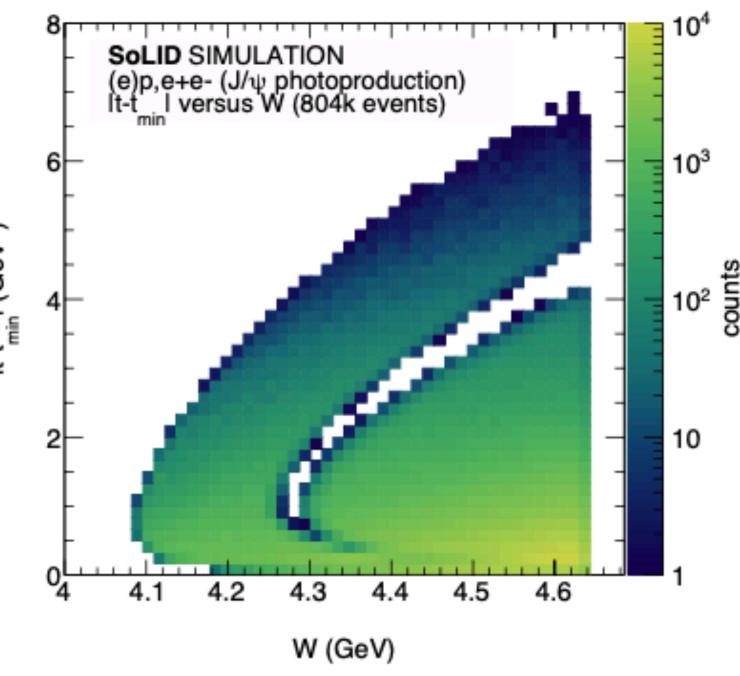


#### PHOTOPRODUCTION

#### Ultra-high statistics and best reach to high energies

- Production through quasi-real photons, and bremsstrahlung in the extended target.
- Measure J/ψ decay pair in forward and/or wide-angle detectors
- Identify recoil proton (which is slow) through time-of-flight with the SPDs and MRPCs.
- Can make measurement up to very large values of t.





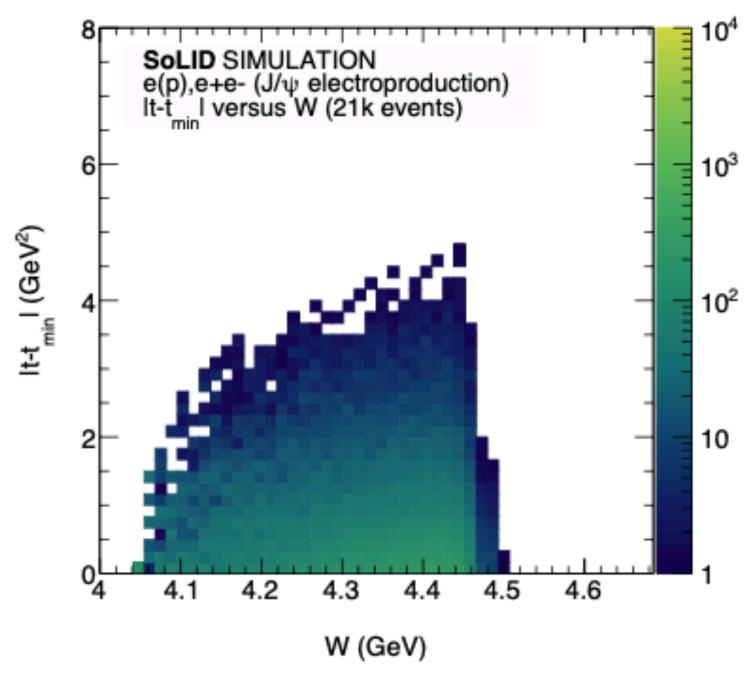


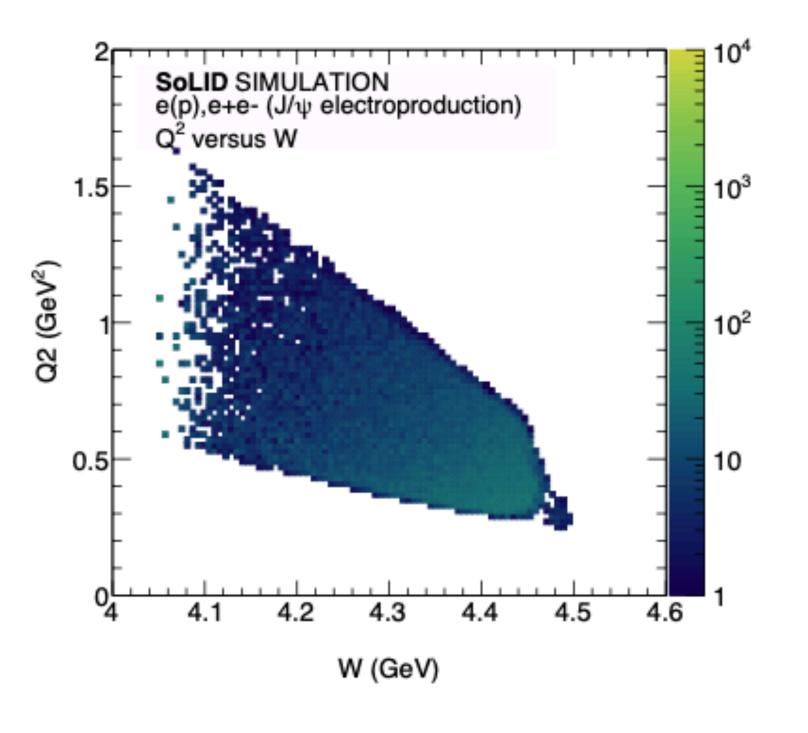


#### ELECTROPRODUCTION

#### Unrivaled reach towards the threshold and modest lever-arm in Q<sup>2</sup>

- Production through virtual photons
- Measure J/ψ decay pair in forward and/or wide-angle detectors
- Identify scattered electron in the forward spectrometer.
- Coverage up to larger values of t very close to threshold.



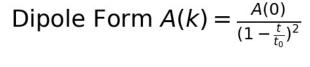


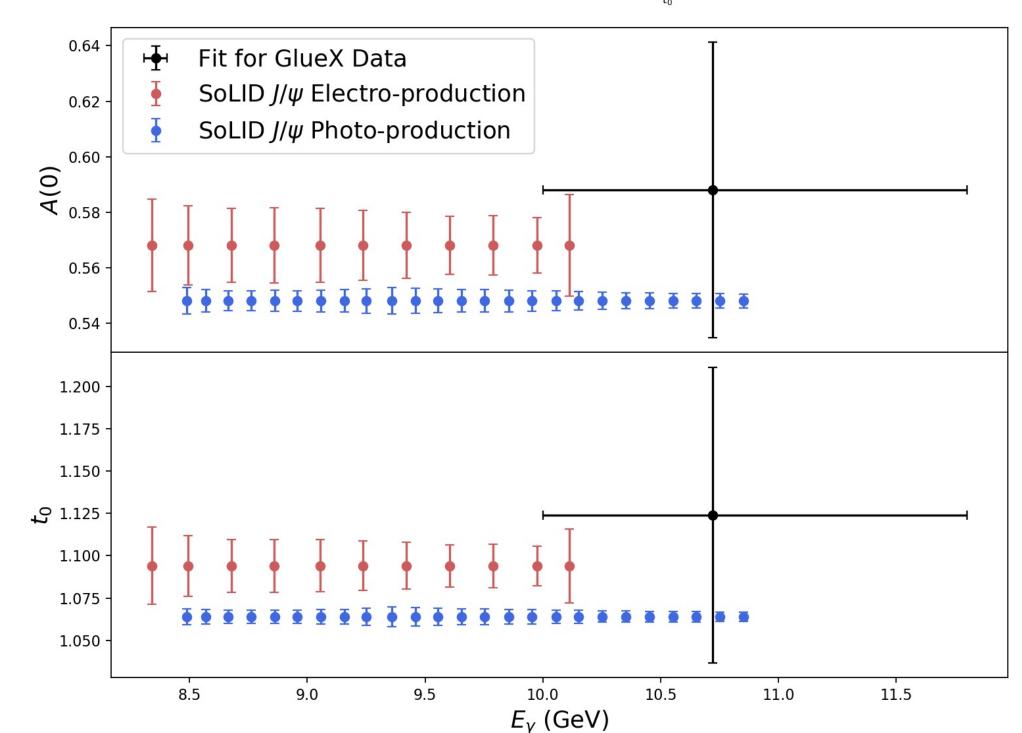


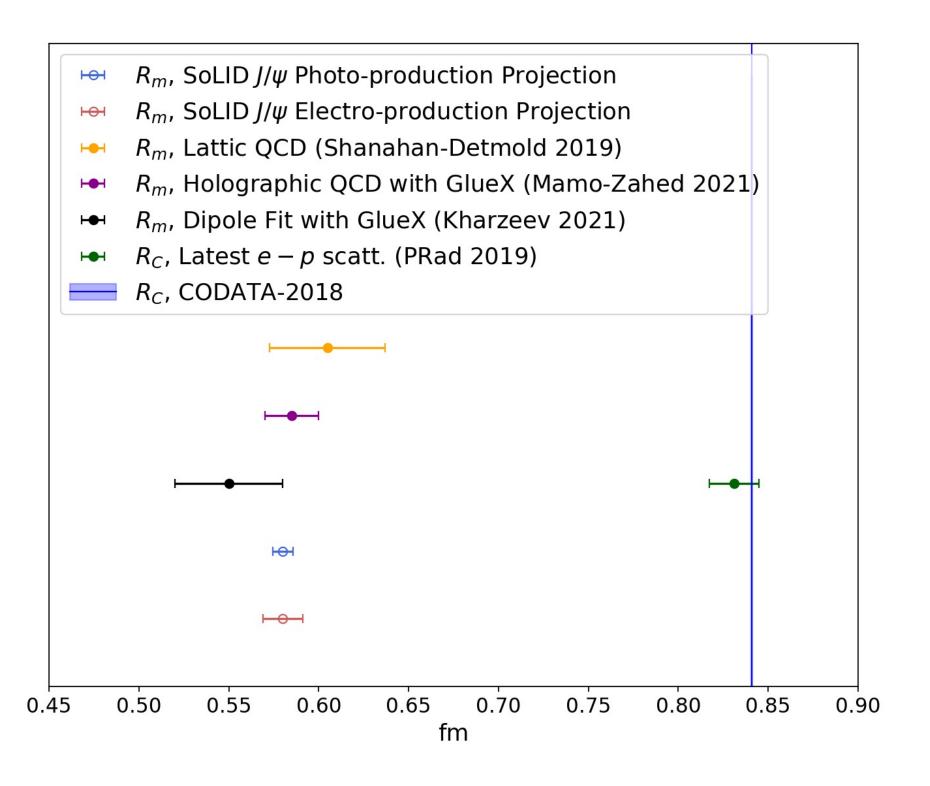
## PROJECTED IMPACT FOR SOLID-J/W

#### Radius following the DK approach

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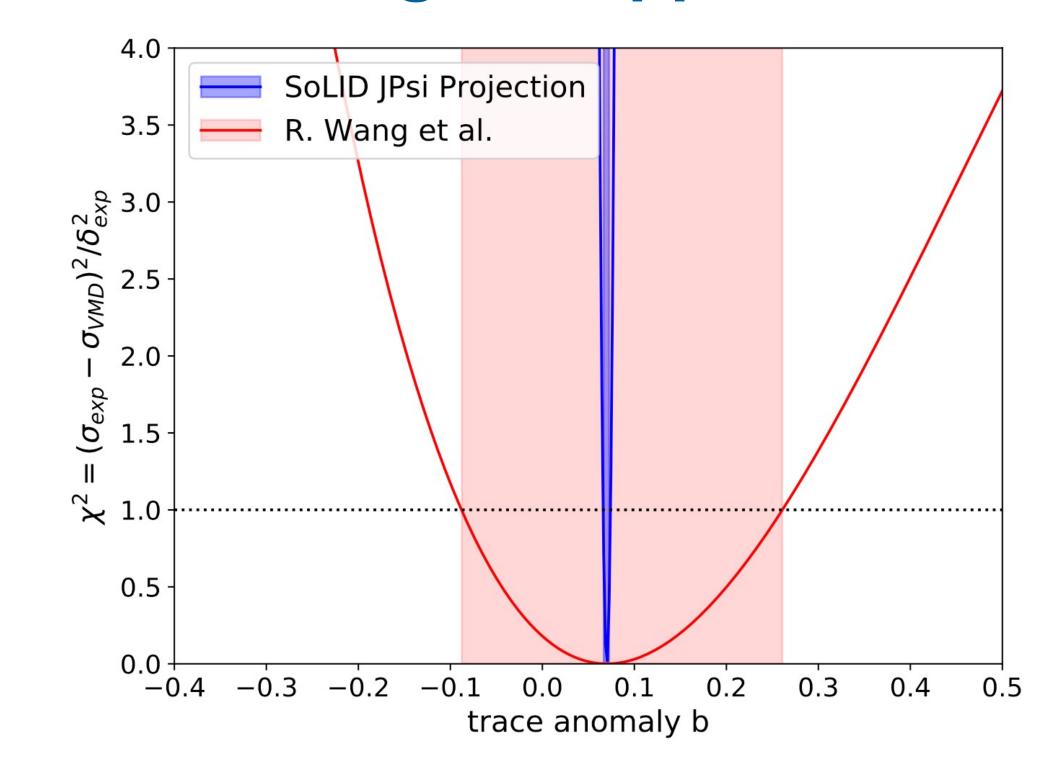
High sensitivity over the full photon energy range

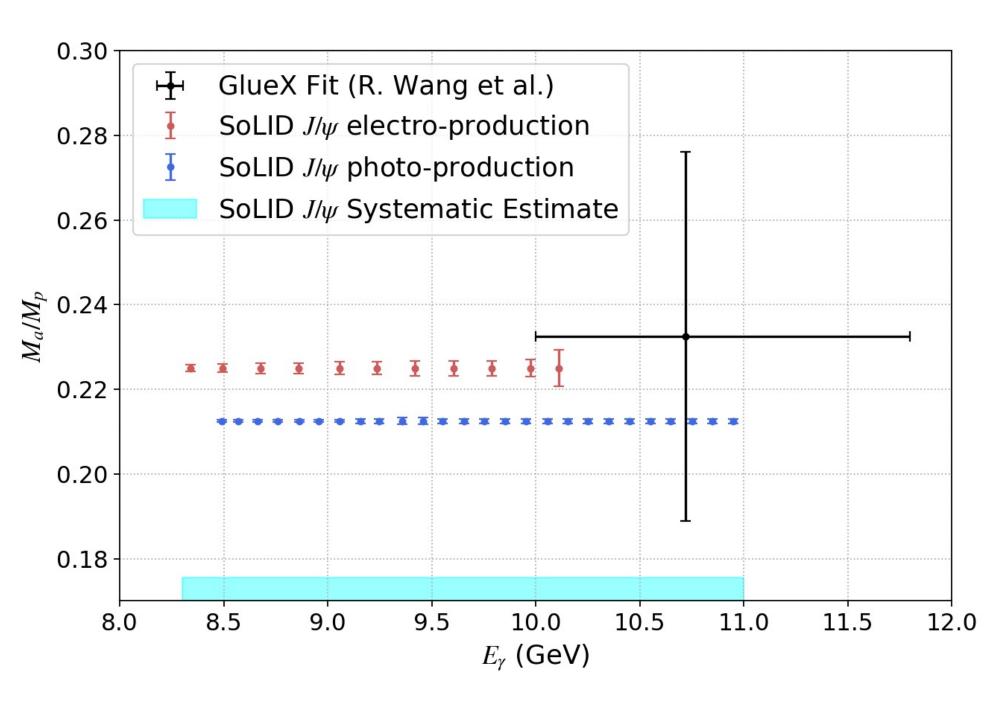


## PROJECTED IMPACT FOR SOLID-J/W

#### Ma/M following Ji's approach

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GlueX extraction from R. Wang, J. Evslin and X. Chen, Eur. Phys. J. C 80, no.6, 507 (2020)

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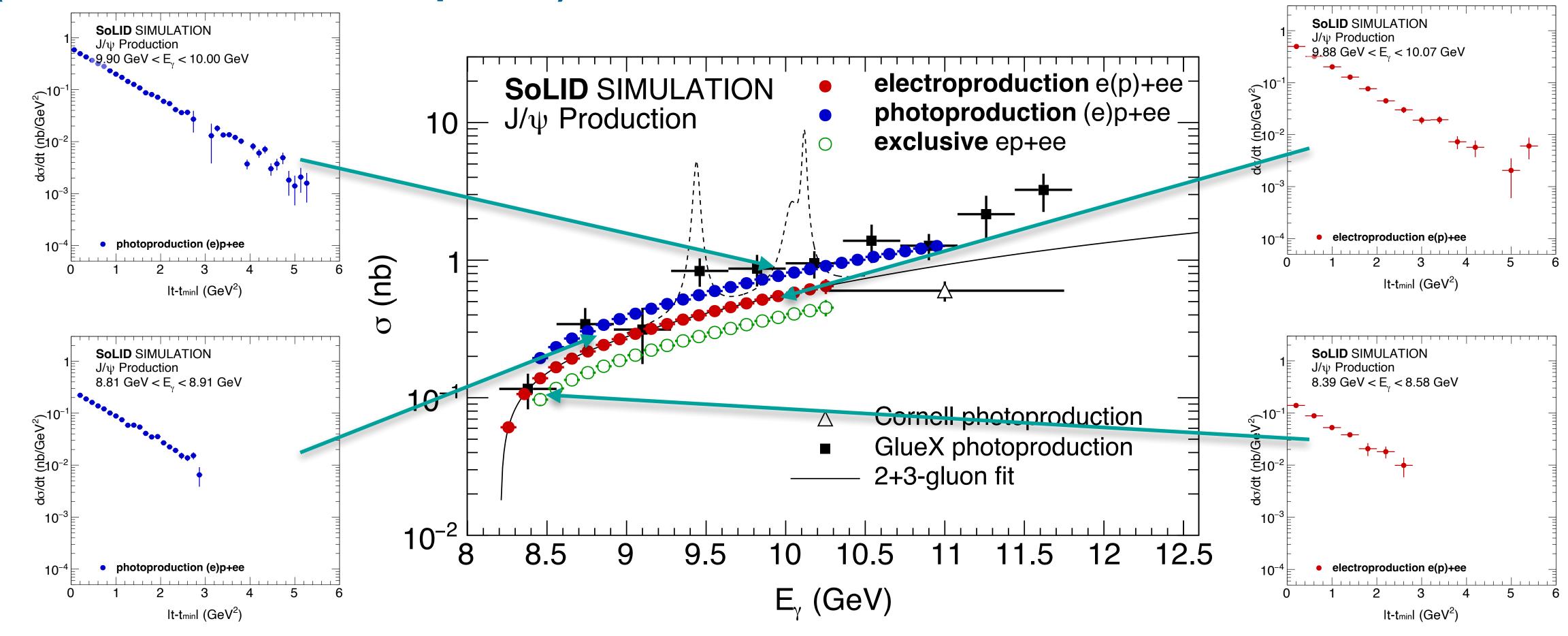






## SOLID-J/W PROJECTIONS

Precision at high t crucial for extrapolations to the forward limit (exponential, dipole, triple, ...)





## J/W EXPERIMENTS AT JLAB COMPARED

	GlueX HALL D	HMS+SHMS HALL C	CLAS 12 with upgrade <sup>1</sup> HALL B	SoLID HALL A
J/ψ counts (photo-prod.)	469 published ~10k phase I + II	2k electron channel 2k muon channel	14k	804k
J/ψ Rate (electro- prod.)	N/A	N/A	1k	21k
When?	Finished/Ongoing	Finished	Ongoing/Proposed	Future

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>The CLAS12 projected count rates assume the proposed CLAS12 luminosity upgrade to 2x10<sup>35</sup>/cm<sup>2</sup>/s





#### THE COLOR VAN DER WAALS FORCE BEYOND SOLID-J/W

#### Increasing sensitivity with J/ψ and ψ' production off nuclei

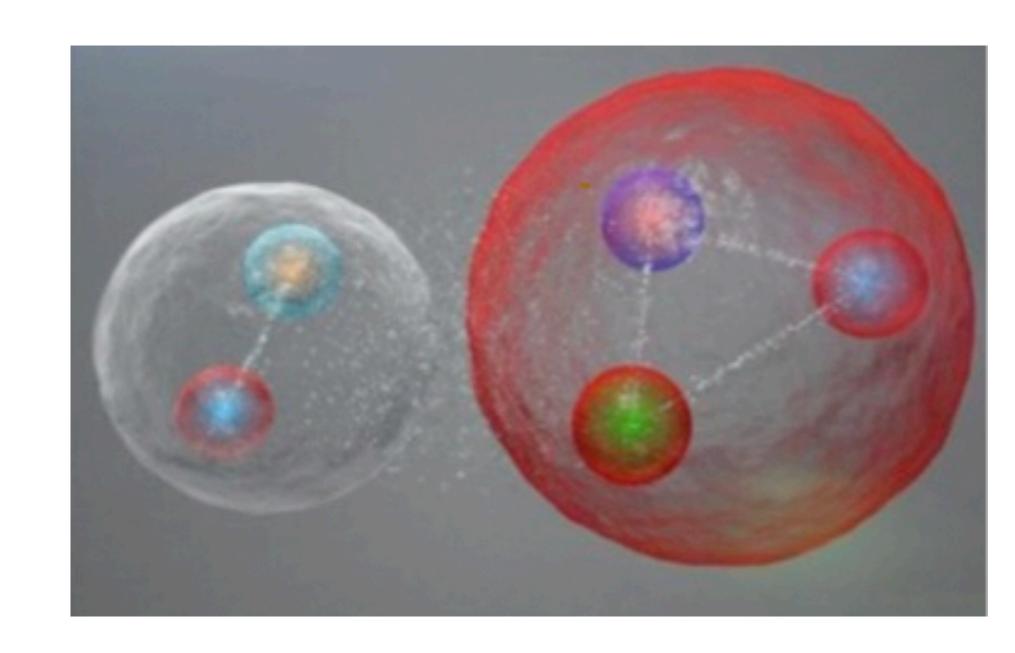
Expect enhanced color Van der Waals force in nuclei due to the larger color field: measure e.g. coherent J/ψ production off <sup>4</sup>He

Nuclei also enable  $\psi$ ' production at lower energies: threshold for coherent  $\psi$ ' production off <sup>4</sup>He at 7.4GeV

ψ' a larger color dipole, expect stronger binding (larger enhancements in the near-threshold cross section)

A coherent J/ $\psi$  and  $\psi$ ' program off <sup>4</sup>He at SoLID would open many avenues to study the nature of the color Van der Waals force.

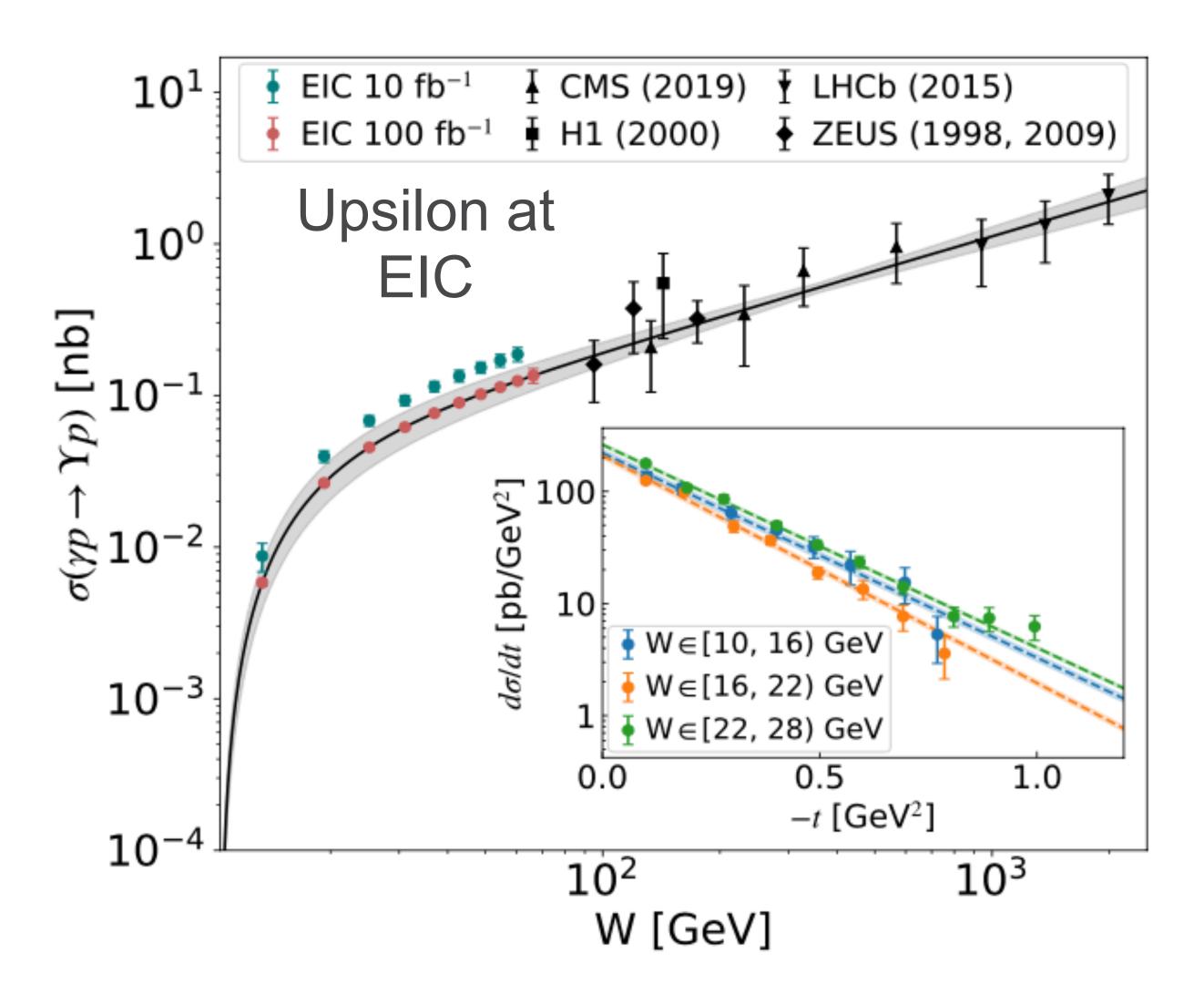
With higher beam energies: coherent production off <sup>4</sup>He to higher energies (imaging!)



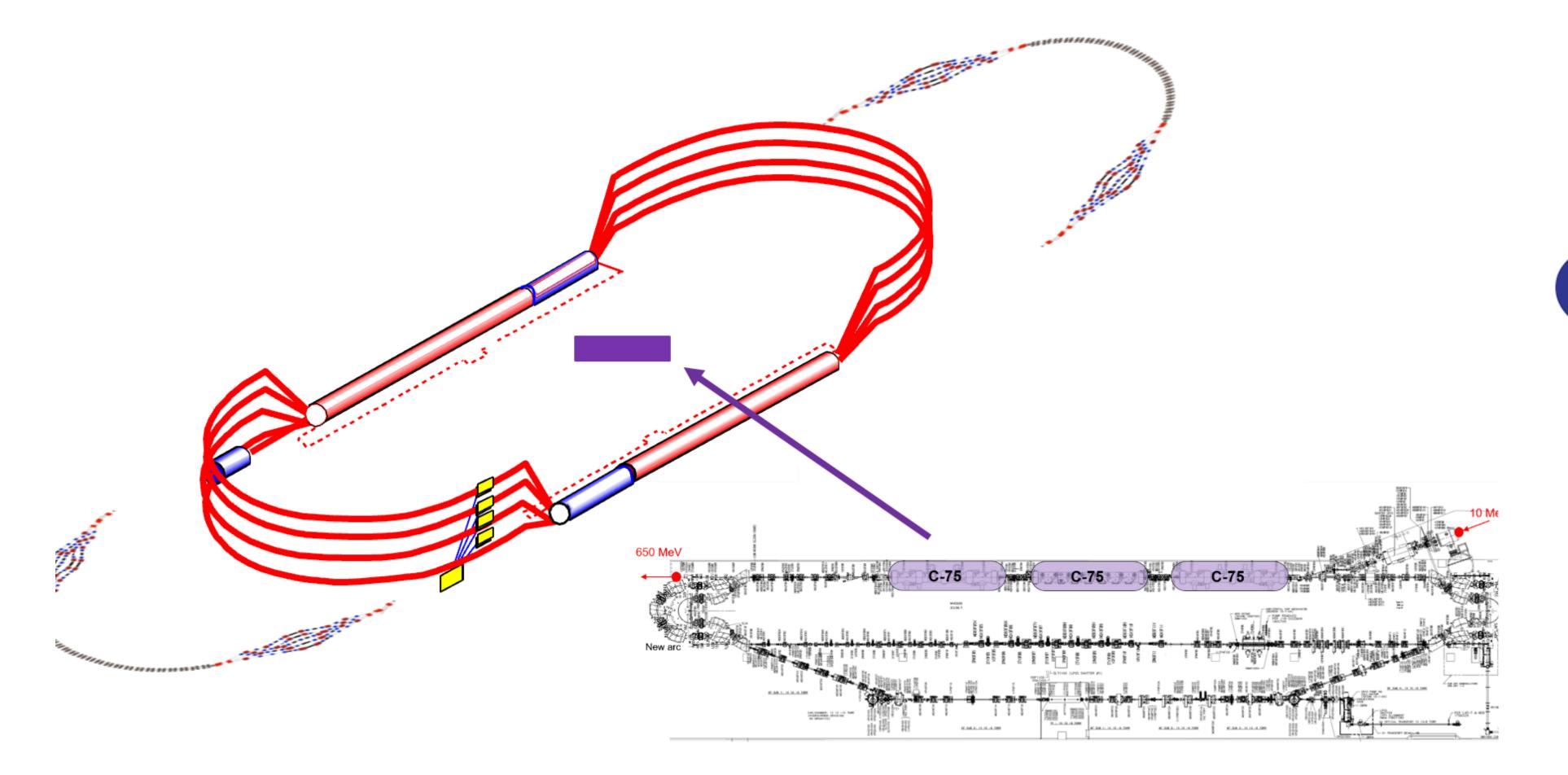
### COMPLEMENTARITY WITH EIC

J/ψ at SoLID and Y at EPIC

- Y(1S) at EIC trades statistical precision of J/ψ at SoLID for lower theoretical uncertainties, and extra channel to study universality.
- Large Q² reach at EIC an additional knob to study production, nearthreshold J/ψ production at large Q² may be experimentally feasible!









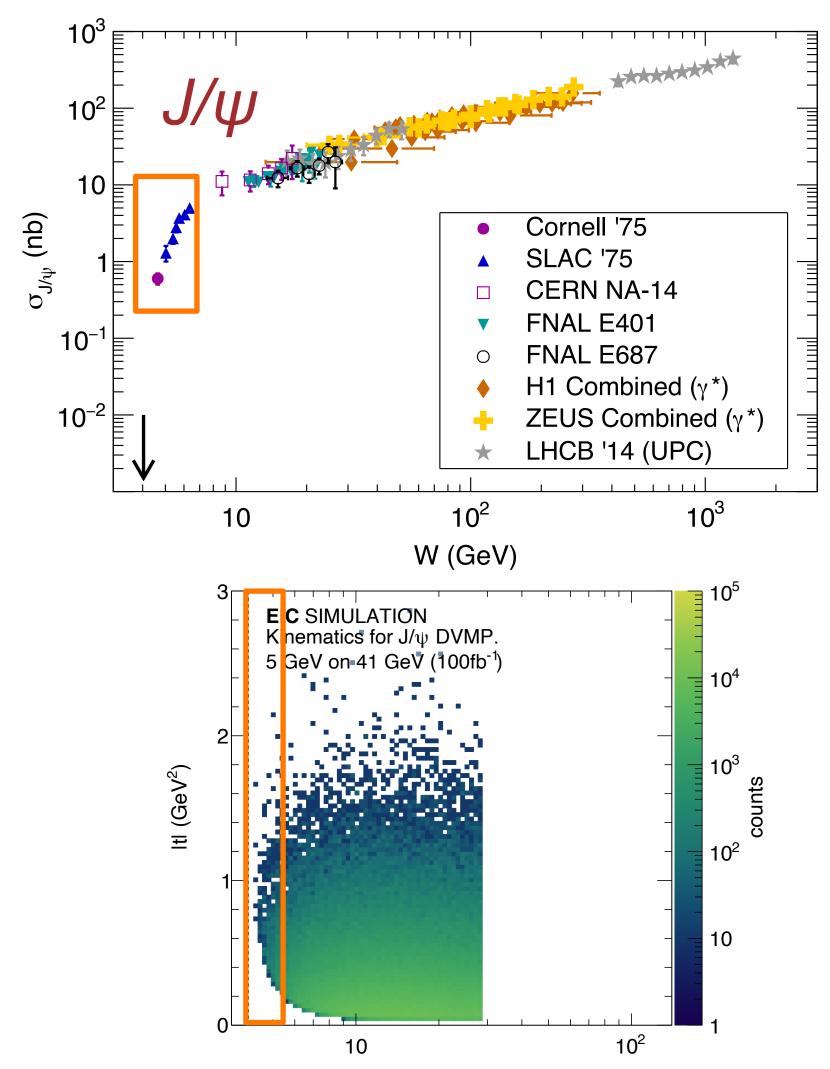


# JLAB BEYOND: OPPORTUNITIES WITH A LARGER CEBAF BEAM ENERGY (~22 GeV)

# JLAB BEYOND: WHY HIGHER ENERGIES AT JLAB?

# What can we learn? How do we compare to EIC?

- Potential benefits:
- Larger reach in Q<sup>2</sup> near threshold with high precision
- Precision measurement to supersede old SLAC and Cornell measurement
- High-precision for EIC at lower energies (but with much higher W resolution)
- Extend high-t reach unique to Jlab to higher energies - cannot be done with EIC.
- Can extend program from J/ψ to ψ' (larger color dipole, independent knob to constrain physics)



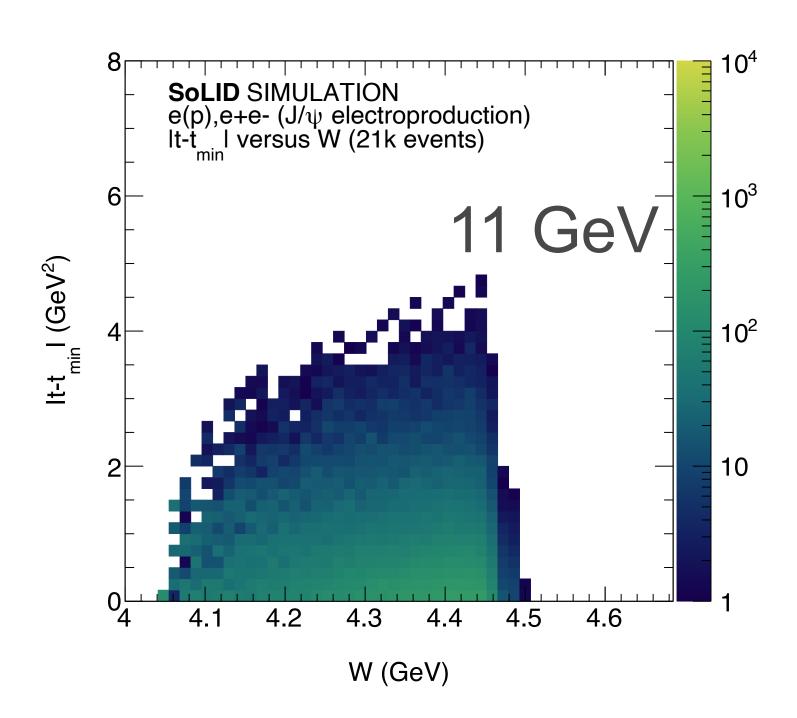
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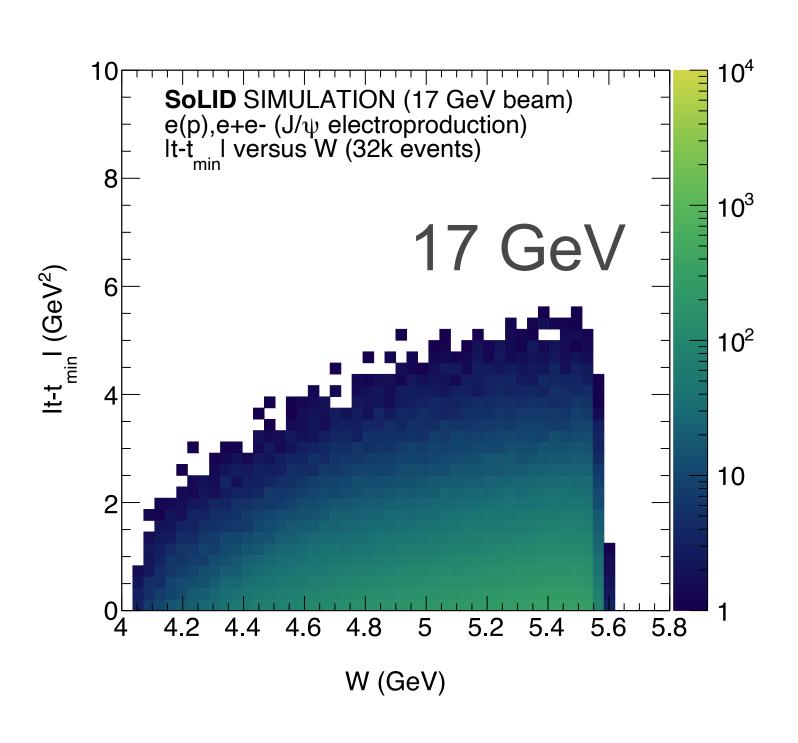


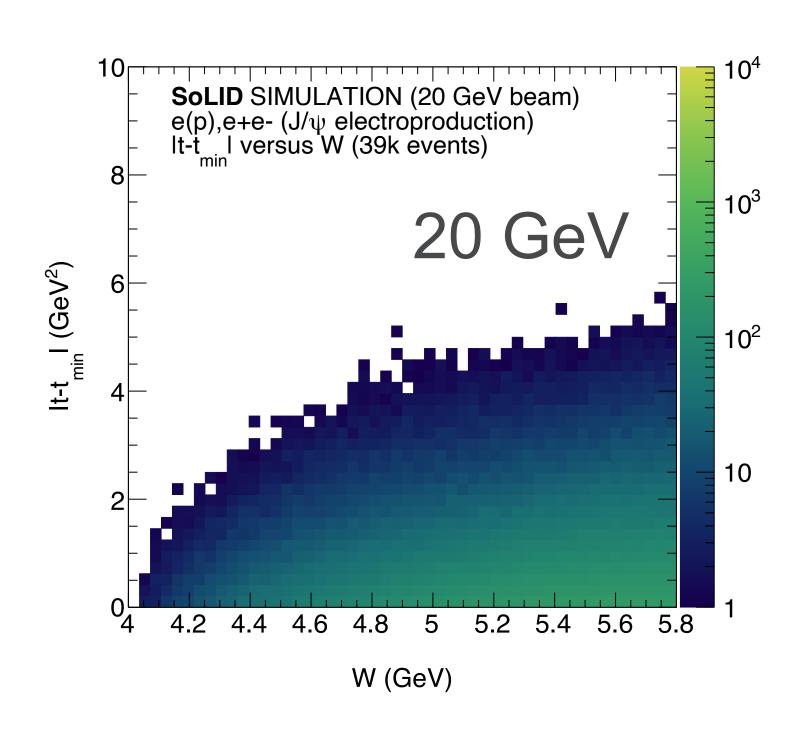


# ELECTROPRODUCTION@SOLID LOOKS PROMISING

#### Good kinematic coverage with standard setup without changes





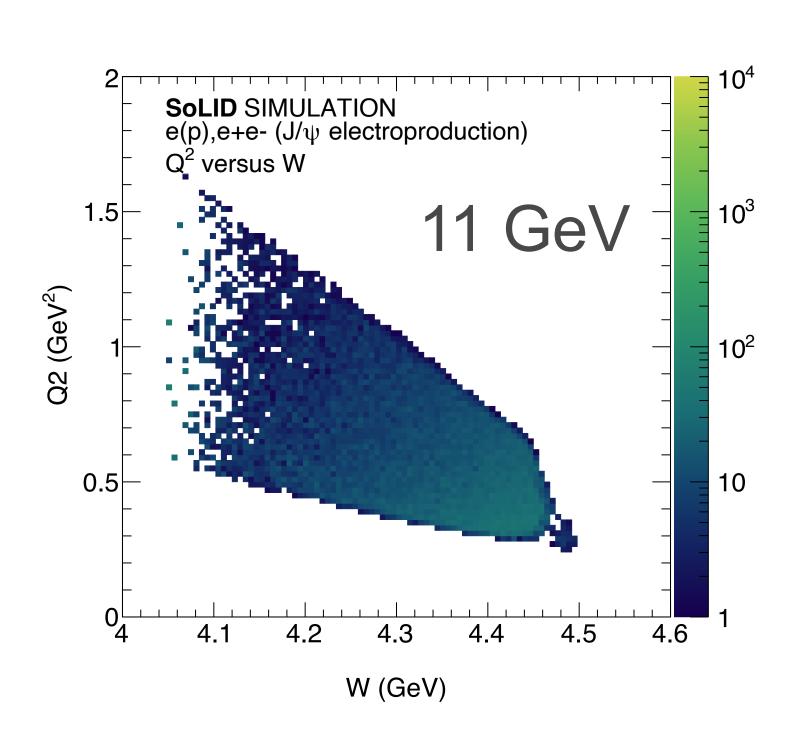


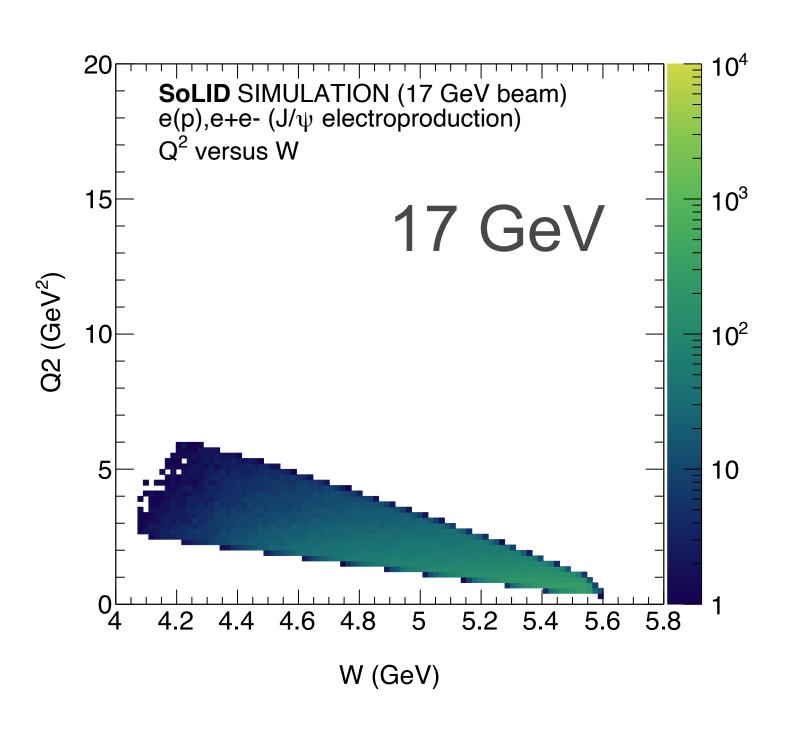


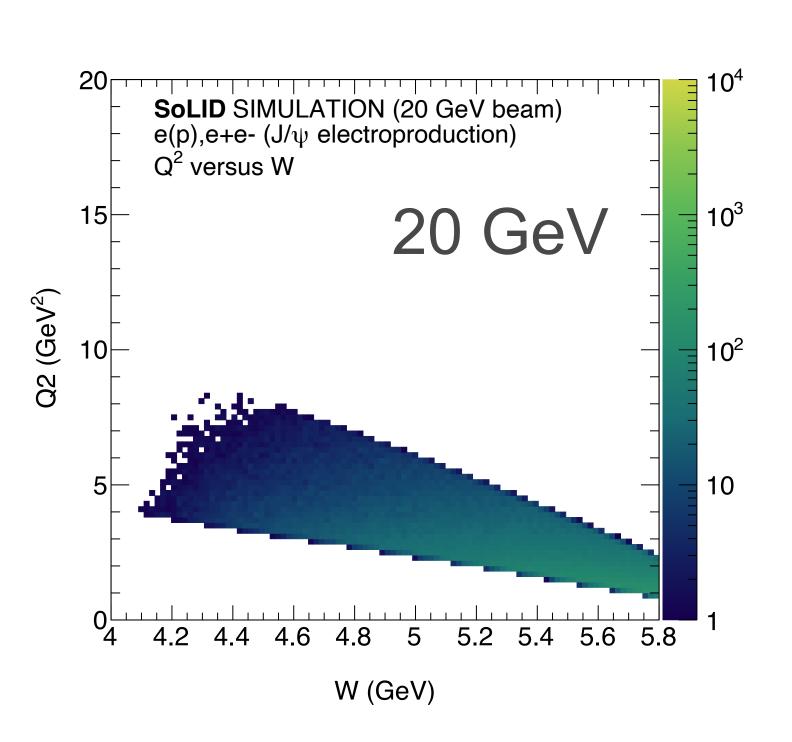


# ELECTROPRODUCTION@SOLID LOOKS PROMISING

#### Larger near-threshold lever-arm in Q2







Some room for re-optimization towards larger Q2 by moving the target position

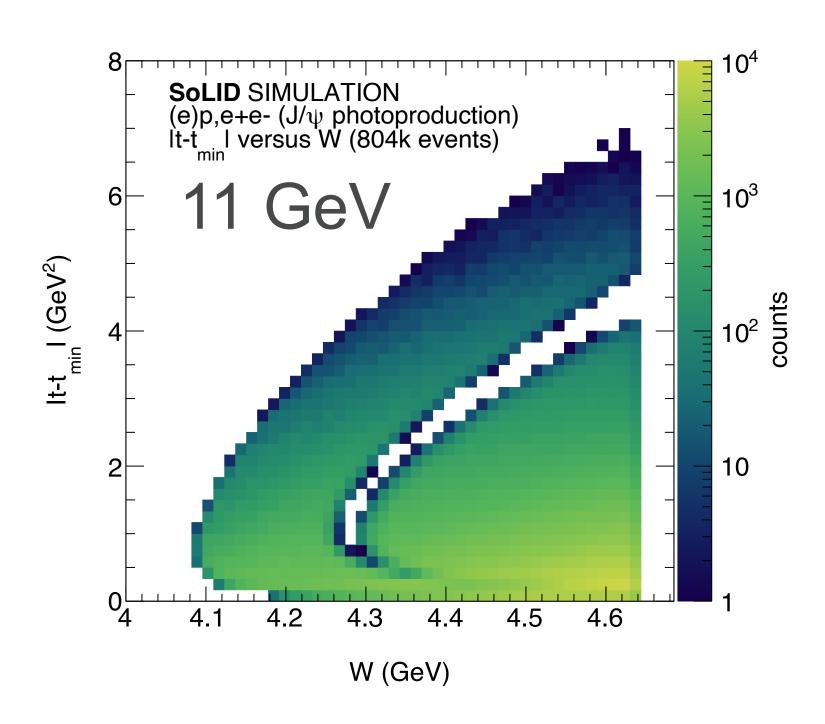


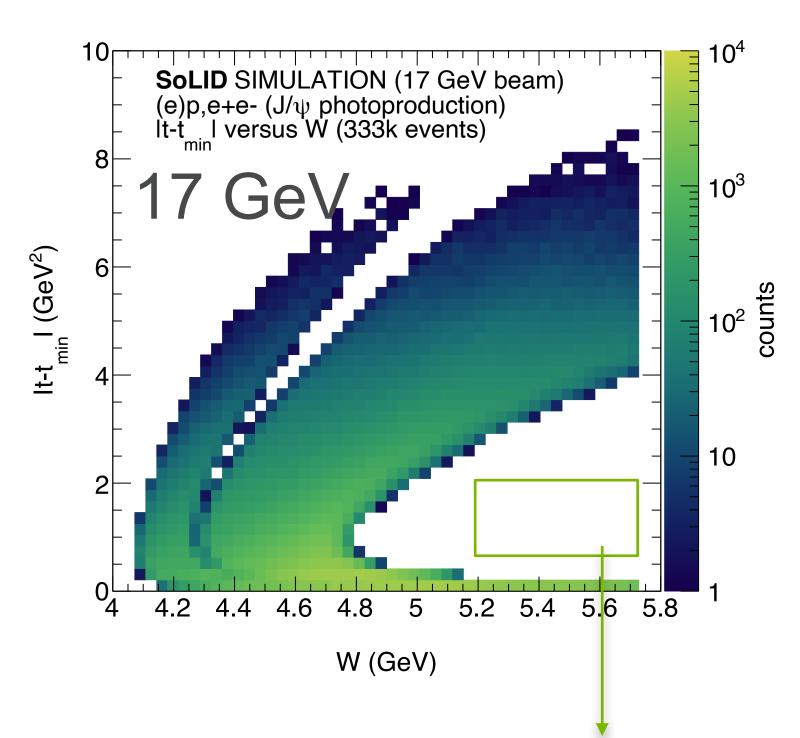


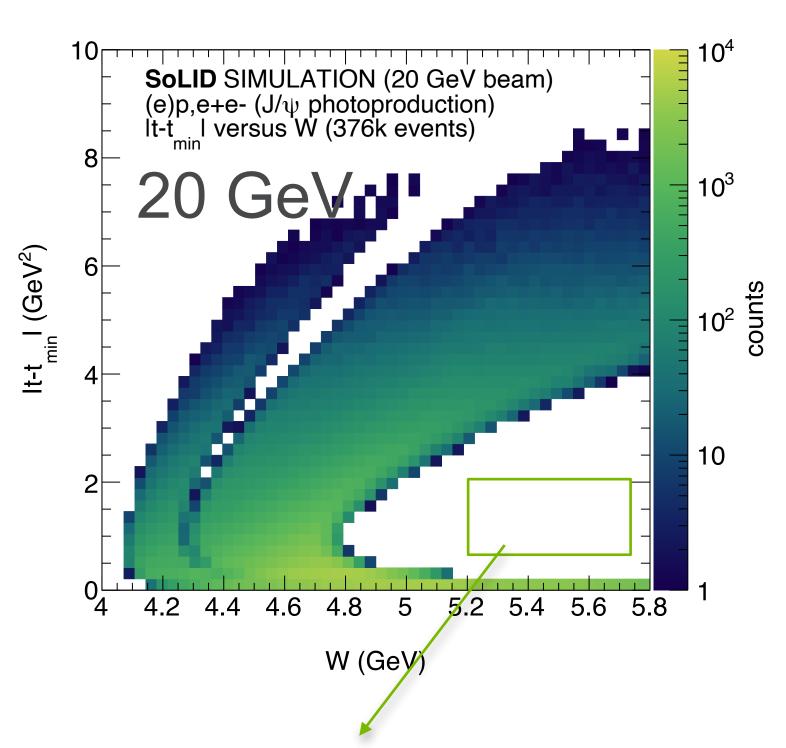


# PHOTOPRODUCTION A BIT MORE DIFFICULT

#### Standard setup misses a large fraction of events at higher energies







Let's look at the missing events

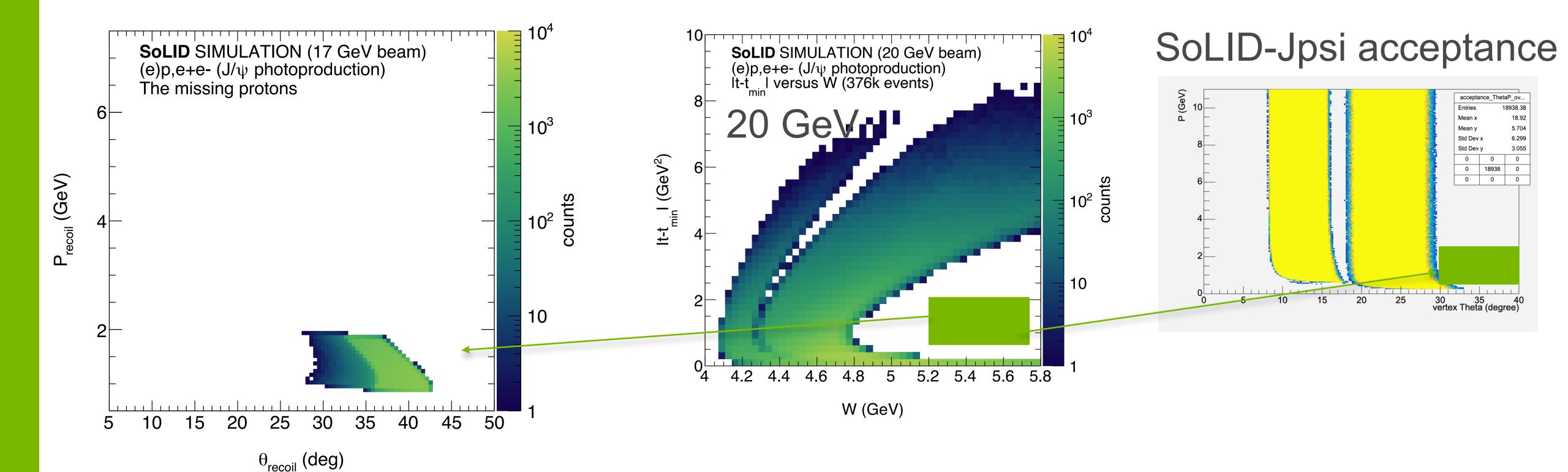






### THE MISSING EVENTS... AT LARGE ANGLE???

W > 5.2 GeV,  $|t-t_{min}|$  between 0.5 and 2 GeV<sup>2</sup>



Counterintuitive..., why recoil proton at larger angle?

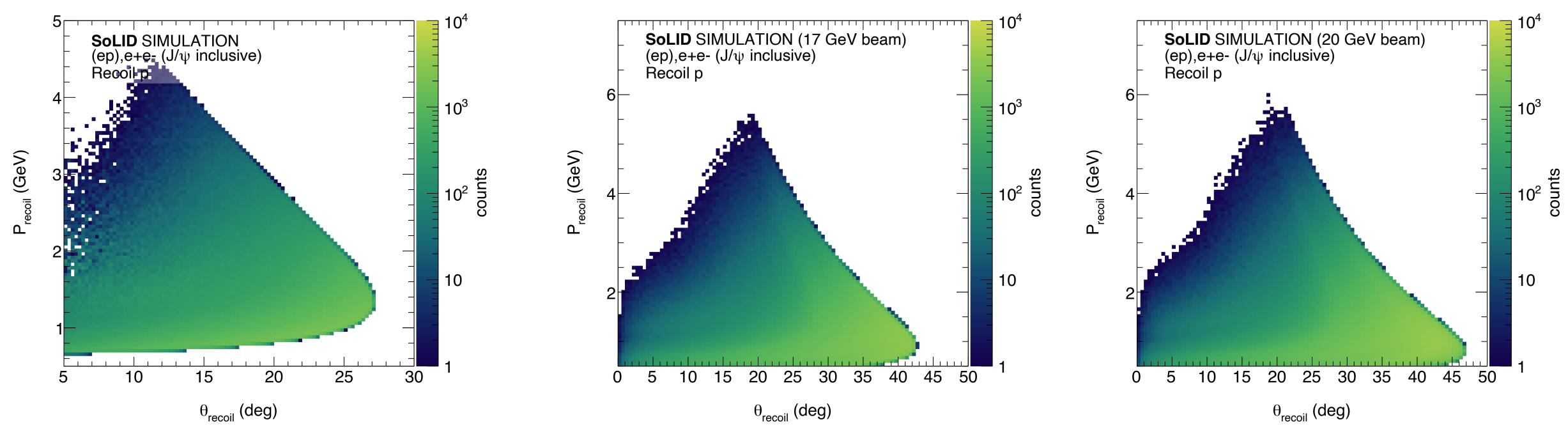






#### LET'S LOOK AT ALL RECOILS FOR A DETECTED J/PSI

#### Recoil moving to larger and larger angles for increasing energy



Reason: J/psi are boosted forward at higher energies, so we are selecting at relatively speaking events at increasingly large angles. Momentum conservation then also starts selecting events with a larger recoil angle, leading to an overall drop in acceptance.

Solution: combination of a re-optimized target position, larger-angle recoil detector, instrumenting SoLID to smaller angles should recover these events!

Question: is there a tradeoff with an optimization for high-Q<sup>2</sup> or can we do both?







#### WHY Ψ' PRODUCTION?

#### Independent, more sensitive probe (larger color dipole!)

ψ' a larger color dipole: expect stronger gluonic interactions

Complementary probe: provides an extra handle (color dipole size) to probe the gluonic field in the proton

Better constrain on model dependencies and factorization assumptions from Jefferson Lab alone (do not need to wait for Y at EIC)

Only really possible at Solid as ultra-high luminosity is required.





#### Ψ'PHYSICS AT JLAB?

#### Designing a ψ' experiment

 $\psi(2s)$  mass is  $3686.097 \pm 0.025\,MeV,$  with photoproduction threshold at about 11 GeV

#### Experimentally:

- Easiest decay channel is e<sup>+</sup>e<sup>-</sup> (BR:  $0.793 \pm 0.017 \%$ )
- Plenty resolution (<50 MeV) at SoLID to distinguish J/ψ and ψ(2s)
- Contamination of higher ψ states strongly suppressed in this channel
- Other promising channel (J/ $\psi$ , $\pi\pi$ , BR:  $34.67 \pm 0.30 \%$ ) requires more study (4- particle final state after J/ $\psi$  decay)

Conclusion: ψ' physics possible at JLab with even modest beam energy increase, assuming sufficient cross section



### Ψ' CROSS SECTION?

#### Extrapolating down to threshold

Experimentally, at higher energies  $\psi(2s)/\psi(1s)$  is about 0.16 (from HERA and LHC)

Ansatz (as we really don't know): use n-gluon formalism, assume same ratio between 2- and 3-gluon amplitudes as for  $J/\psi$  production

In practice: fix ratio of 2- and 3-gluon amplitudes to n-gluon fit to GlueX data, then fit to higher energy J/ψ data scaled down by 0.16

End result: factor of about 47 reduction in rate for  $(\gamma p \rightarrow \psi(2s)p \rightarrow pe^+e^-)$ .

Hence, measurement requires very high luminosity. Could also be approached by exploring other decay channels

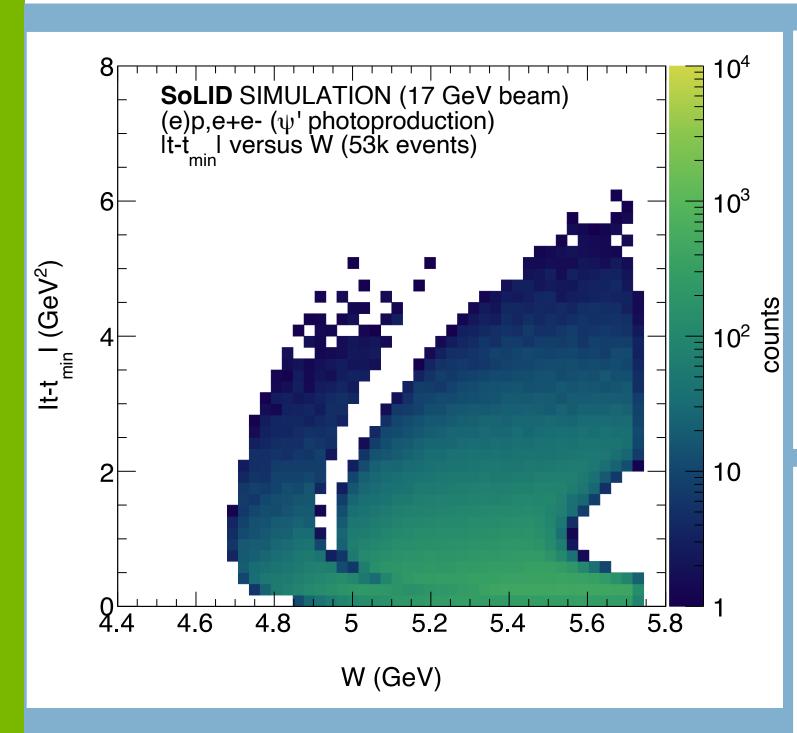




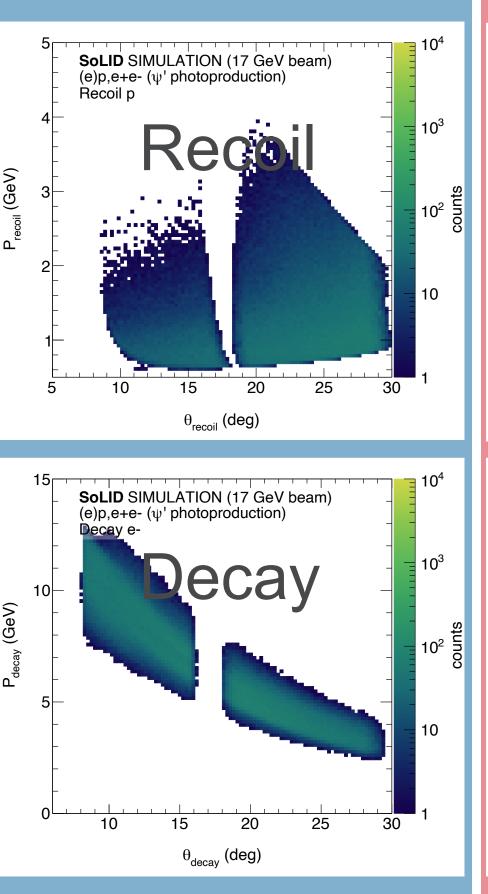
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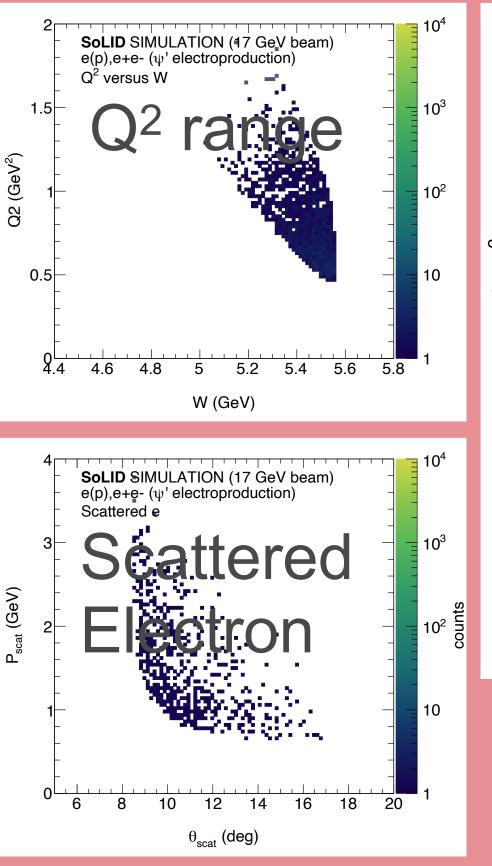
#### 17 GeV optimum with current SoLID-J/ψ setup

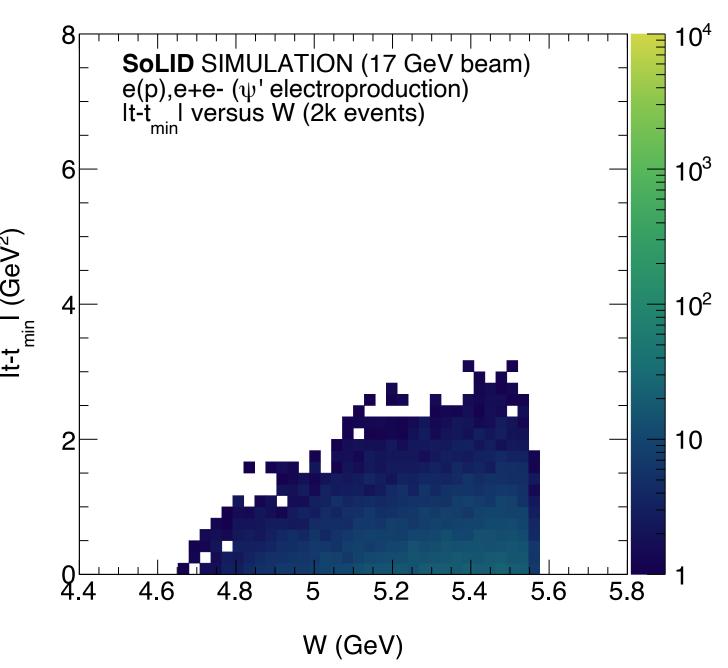
Triple-coincidence phase space for  $\psi$ ' production at SoLID assuming 50 days at  $10^{37}$ /cm<sup>2</sup>s











Electroproduction



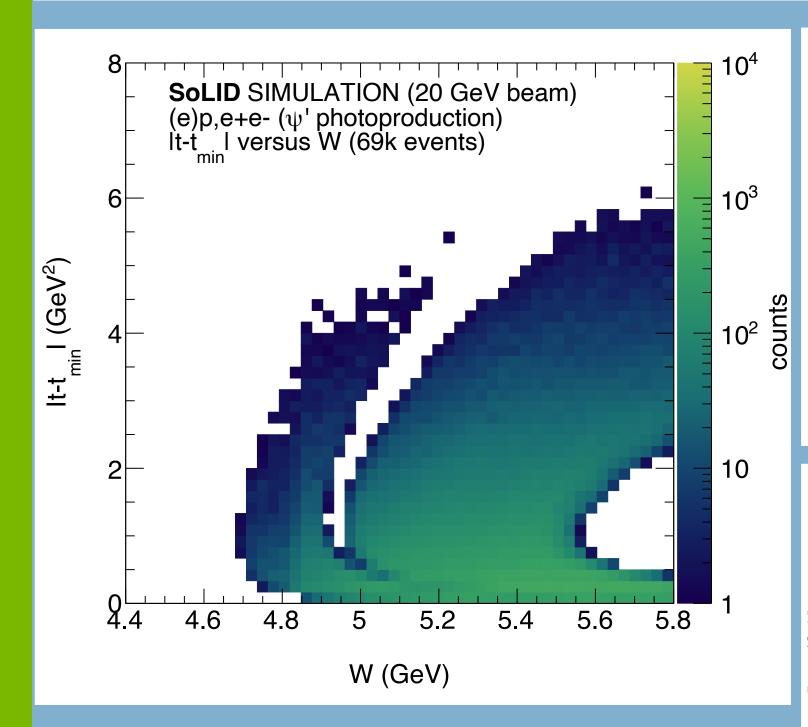




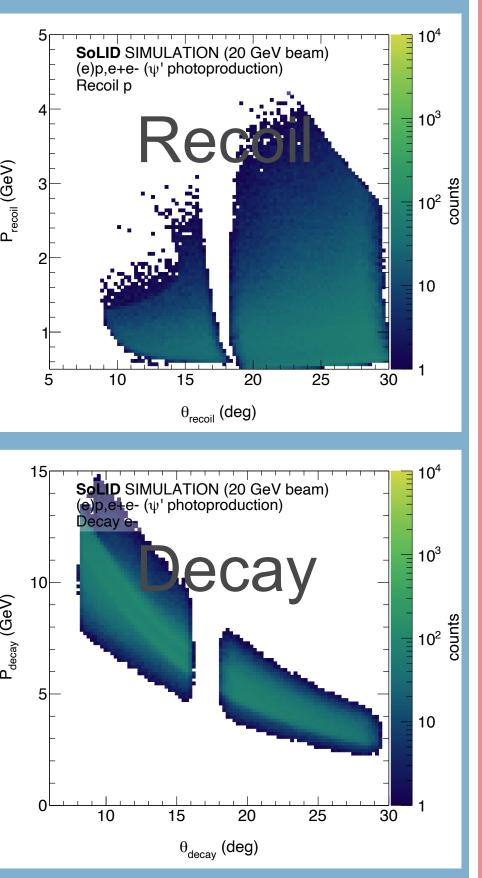
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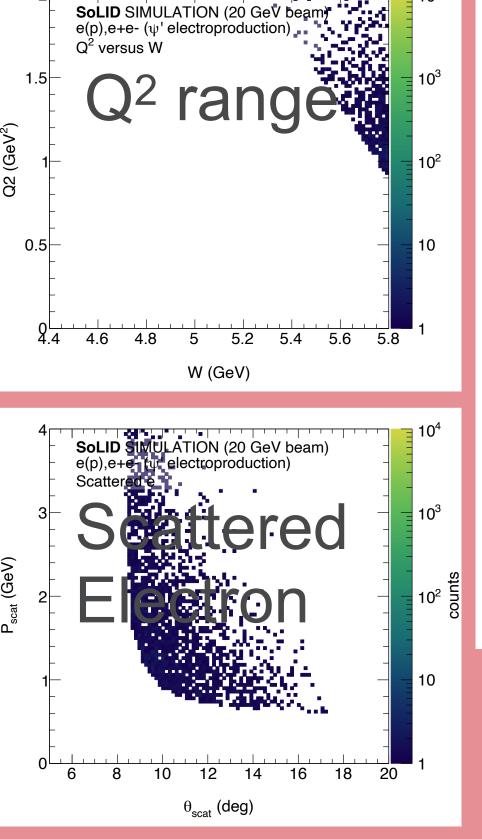
#### 20 GeV (and higher) would require modifications to target location

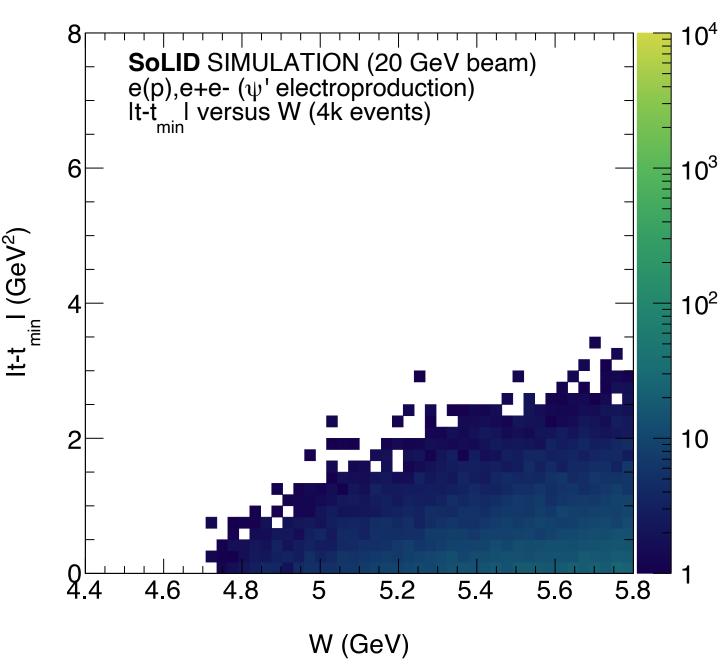
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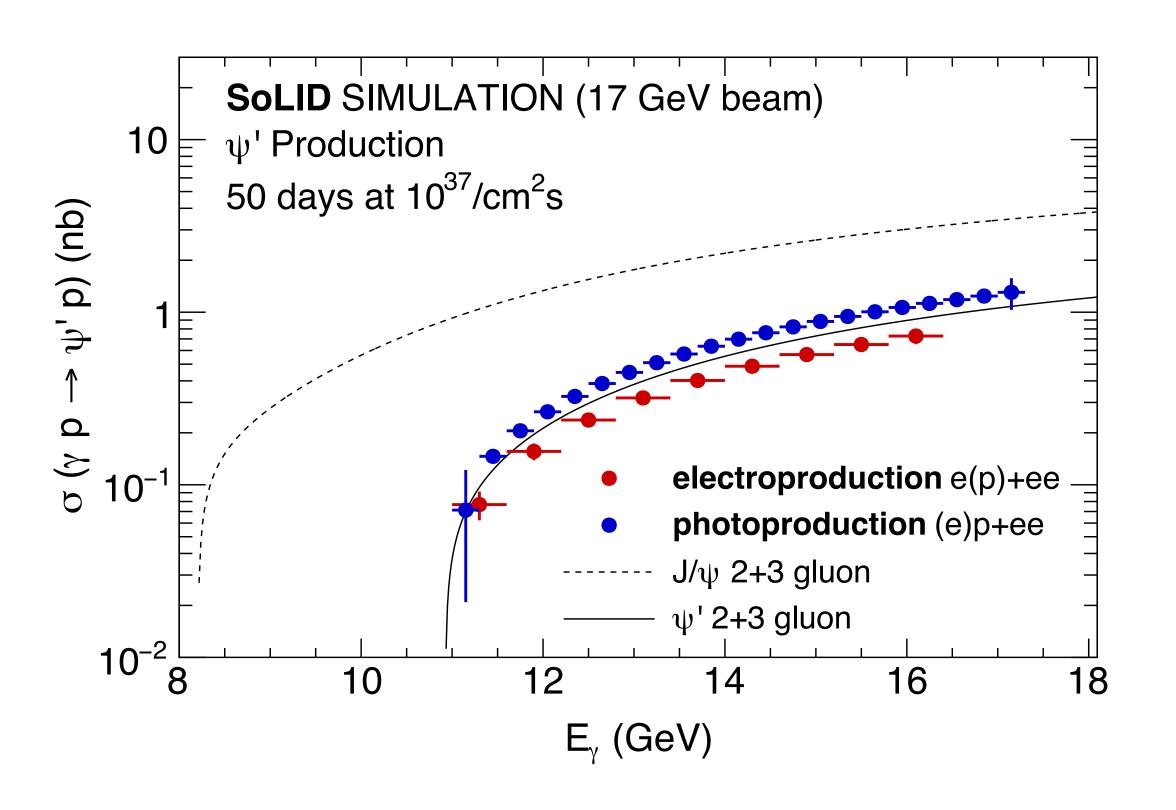


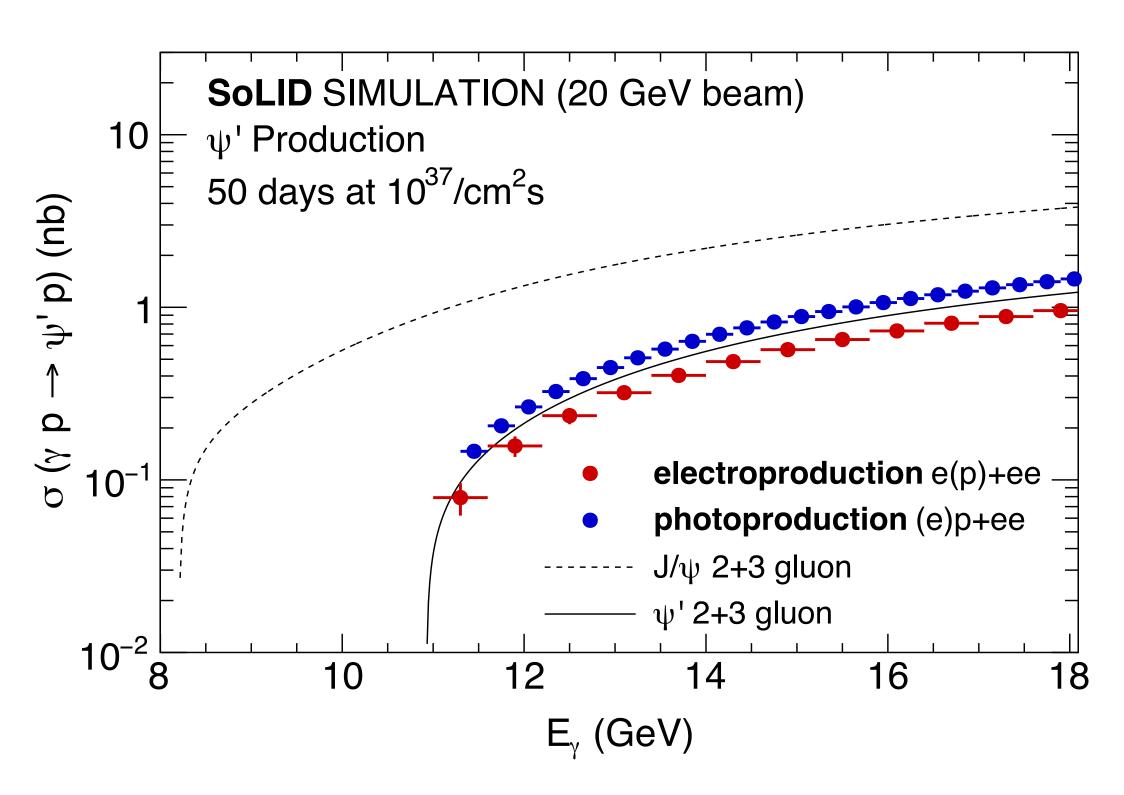
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#### PHYSICS REACH WITH DIFFERENT BEAM ENERGIES



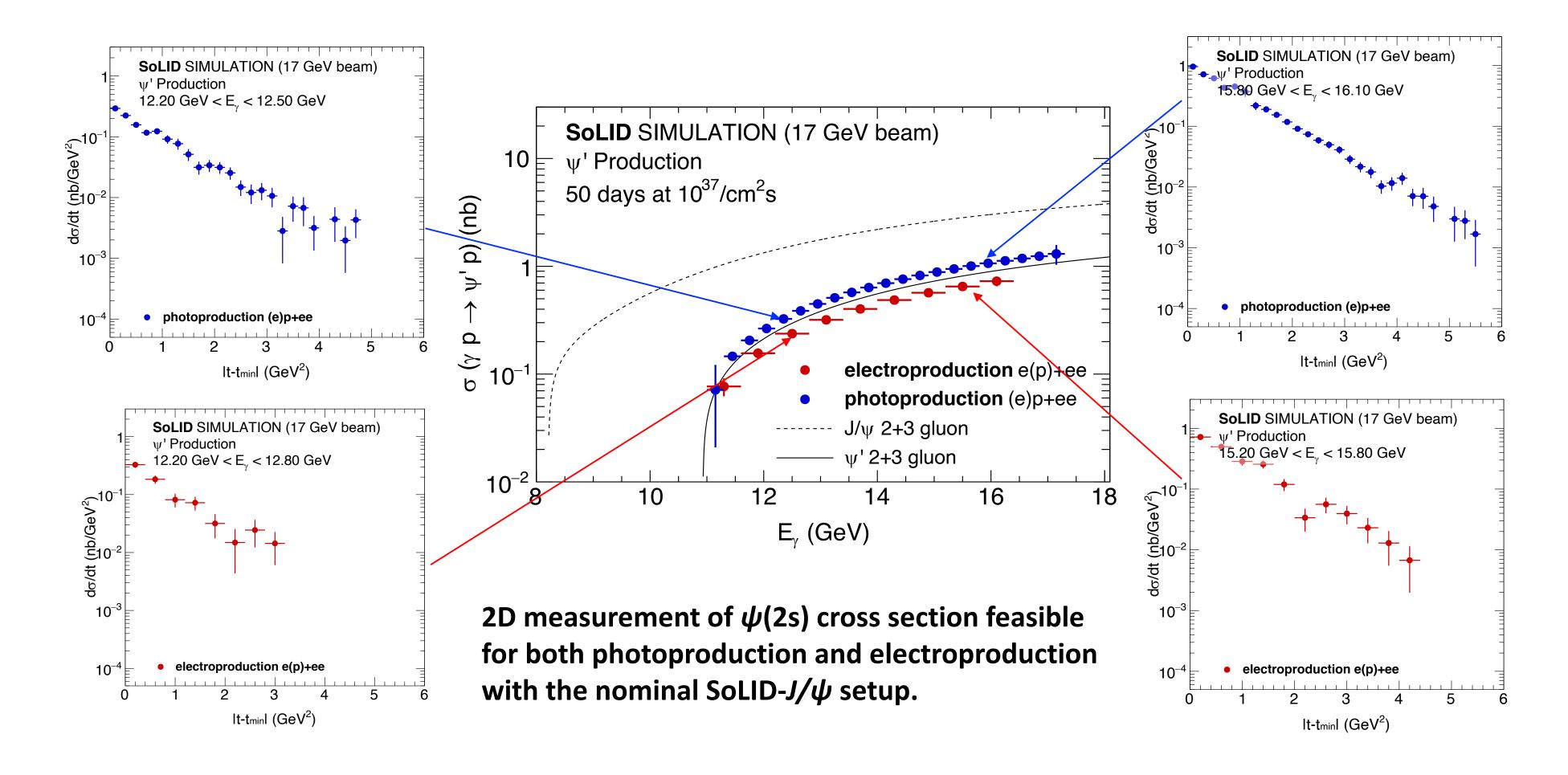






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# 2D CROSS SECTION POTENTIAL





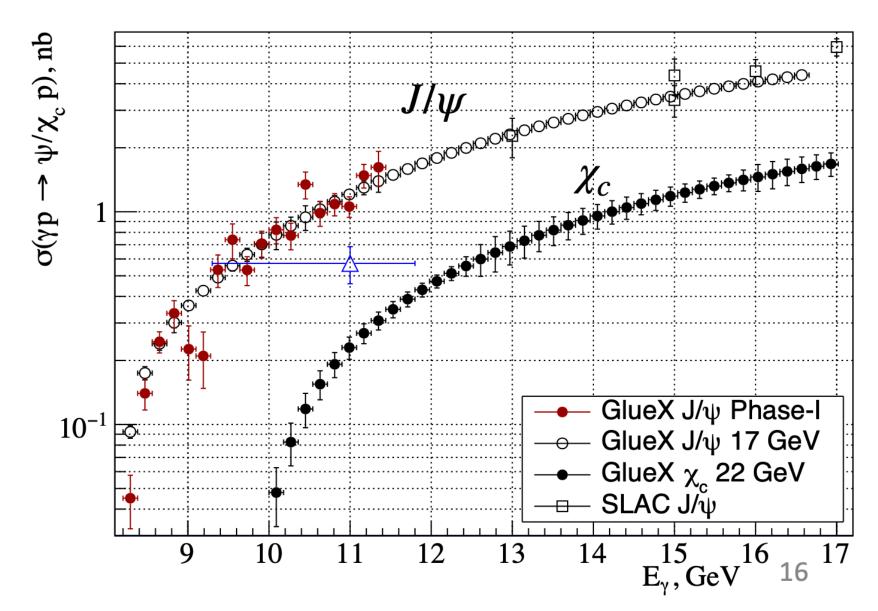
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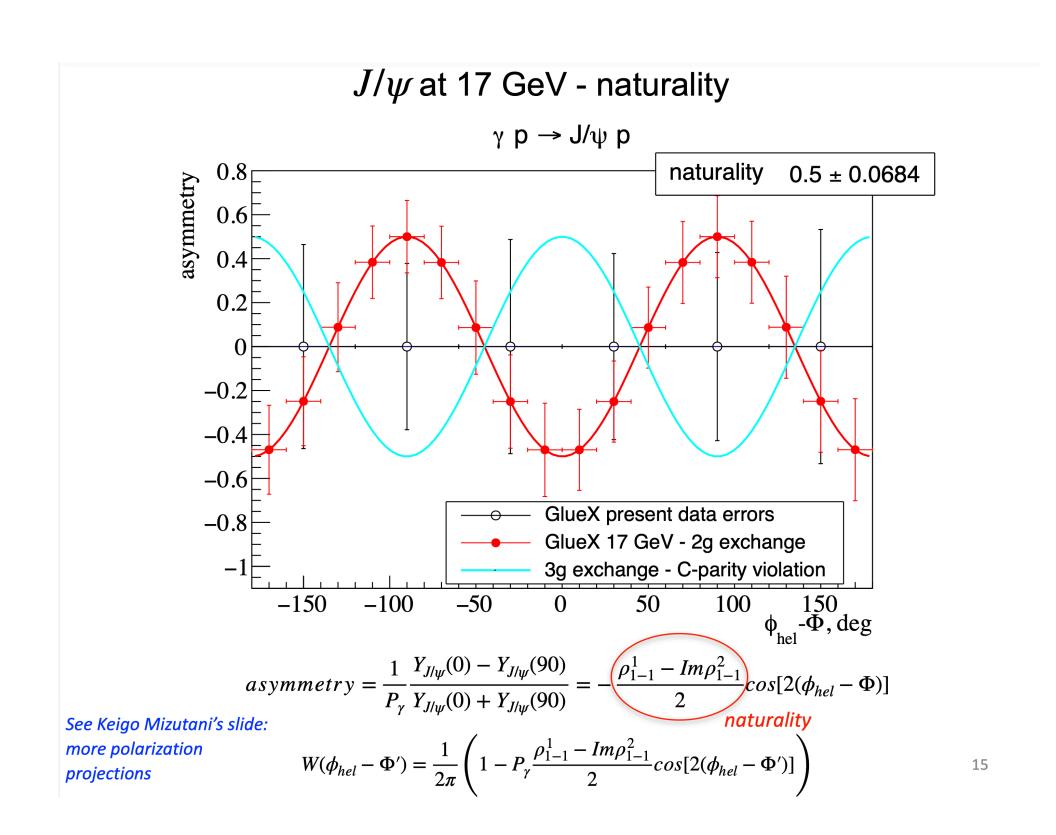


# THOUGHTS ON "JLAB BEYOND"

#### What can be done with a JLab energy upgrade at GlueX?

- 17+GeV at GlueX will allow for measurements of polarization observables that can help separate different contributions to J/ψ production
- Energy upgrade would enable looking at C-even charmonium states





Figures by Lubomir Pentchev (J/ψ Beyond workshop)





### CONCLUSION

- The JLab 12-GeV program has delivered important first results on near-threshold J/ψ production from GlueX and Hall C (J/ψ-007)
  - New window on the gluonic GFFs in the proton
  - Does the proton have a dense energetic core?
- The planned near-threshold J/ $\psi$  production program at Jefferson Lab crucial to further our understanding of the origin of mass.
  - This includes the approved program at GlueX, CLAS12 with luminosity upgrade, and importantly SoLID-J/ψ in Hall A.
- SoLID can reach J/ψ observables that cannot be achieved anywhere else, including precision measurements at high t, and precision electroproduction near threshold.
- The matter structure of the proton and threshold quarkonium production are rapidly evolving topics that reach from Jefferson Lab to the EIC
  - EIC is complimentary: enables measurement of high-mass vector mesons and production at high Q2, important to understand factorization. High-luminosity crucial for these measurements.
  - A possible JLab energy upgrade could expand its scientific reach for near-threshold quarkonium production without too much overlap with the EIC.

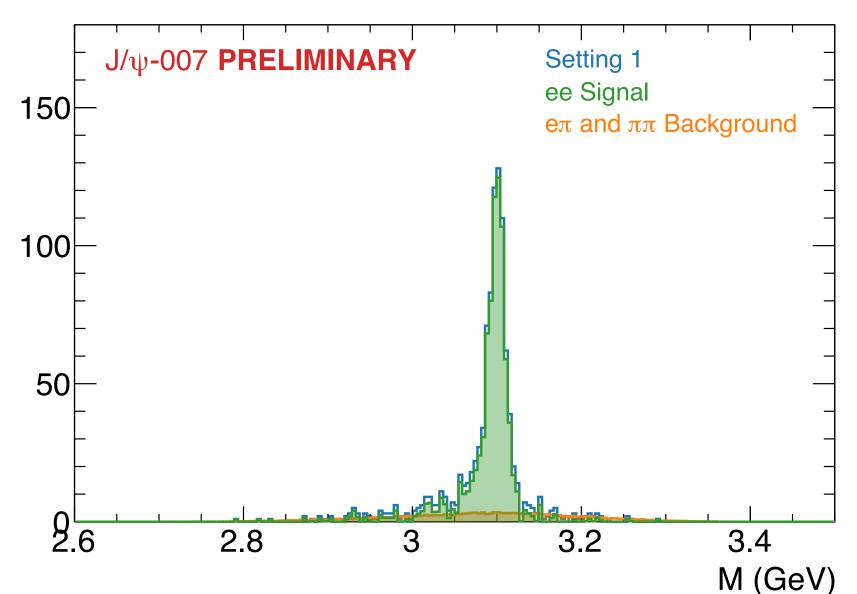


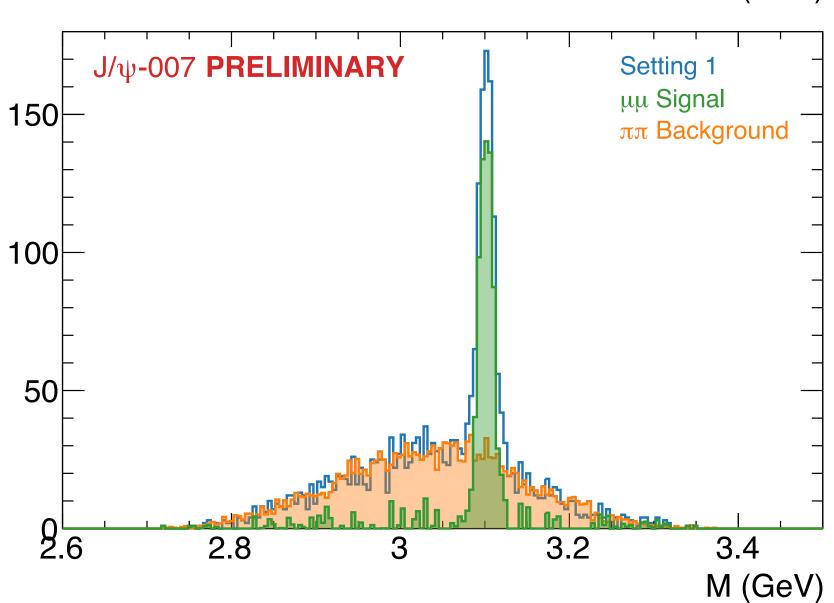




## ELECTRON AND MUON CHANNELS







- Electron and muon channels independent measurements, same statistics but different systematics
- Electrons:
  - Low background with Cherenkov and ECAL for PID
  - Undergo multiple scattering and more sensitive to radiative losses
  - Slightly worse resolution (10MeV)

#### Muons

- More background using only ECAL (require coincidence MIP in 4 layers in HMS and 2 layers in SHMS), but still reasonable
- Background dominated by 2-pion events, can get shape from dataset
- Less sensitive to multiple scattering and radiative losses
- Better resolution (8MeV)

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Invariant mass positition *stable* between phases, well described by Monte Carlo!

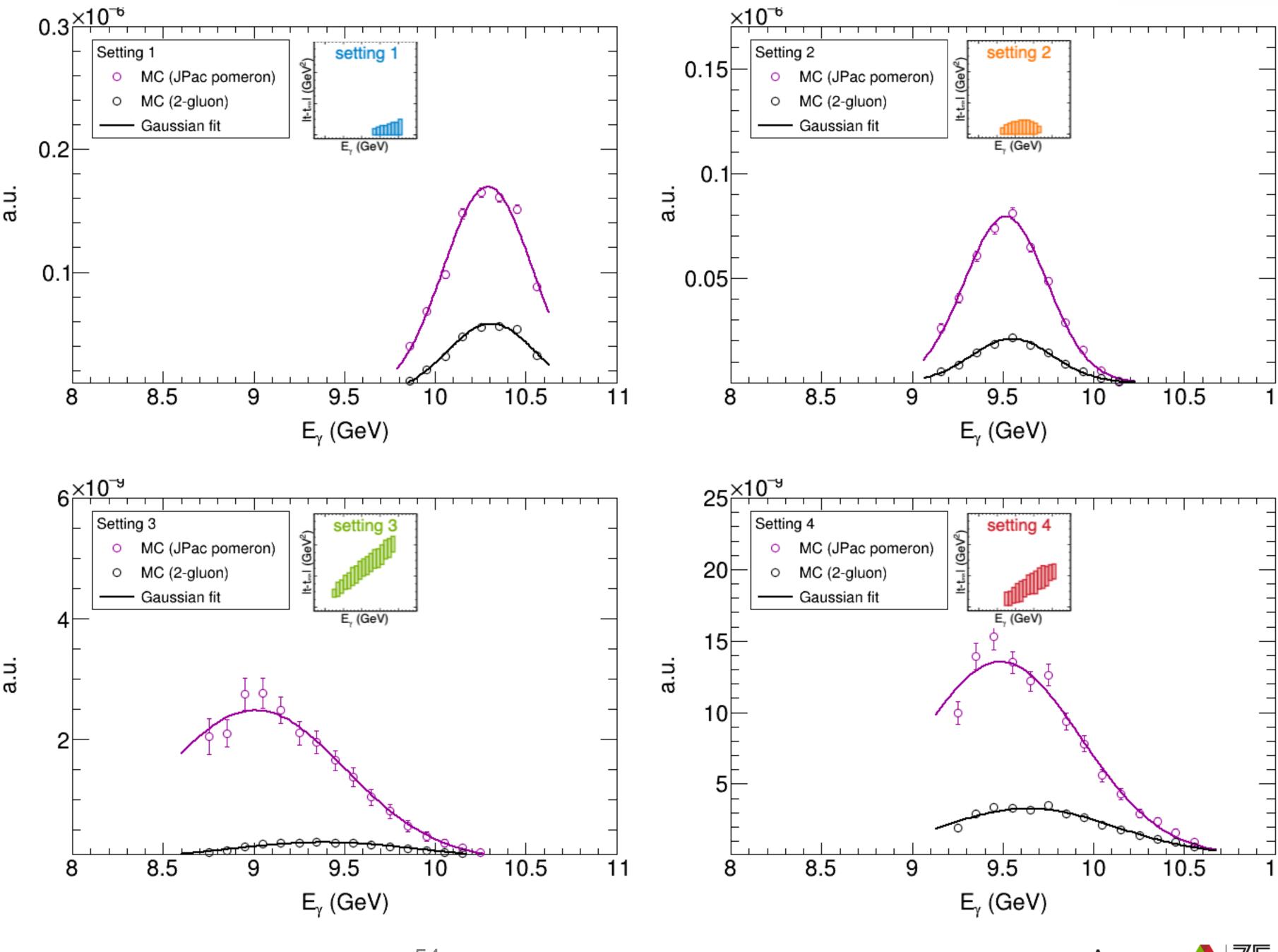


# WHAT DOES A PURE T-CHANNEL BACKGROUND LOOK LIKE?

Need model-independent fit shape to fit the t-channel background inside the spectrometer acceptance

A gaussian shape, mostly driven by the spectrometer acceptance, does a good job describing both (very different!) Monte-Carlo models

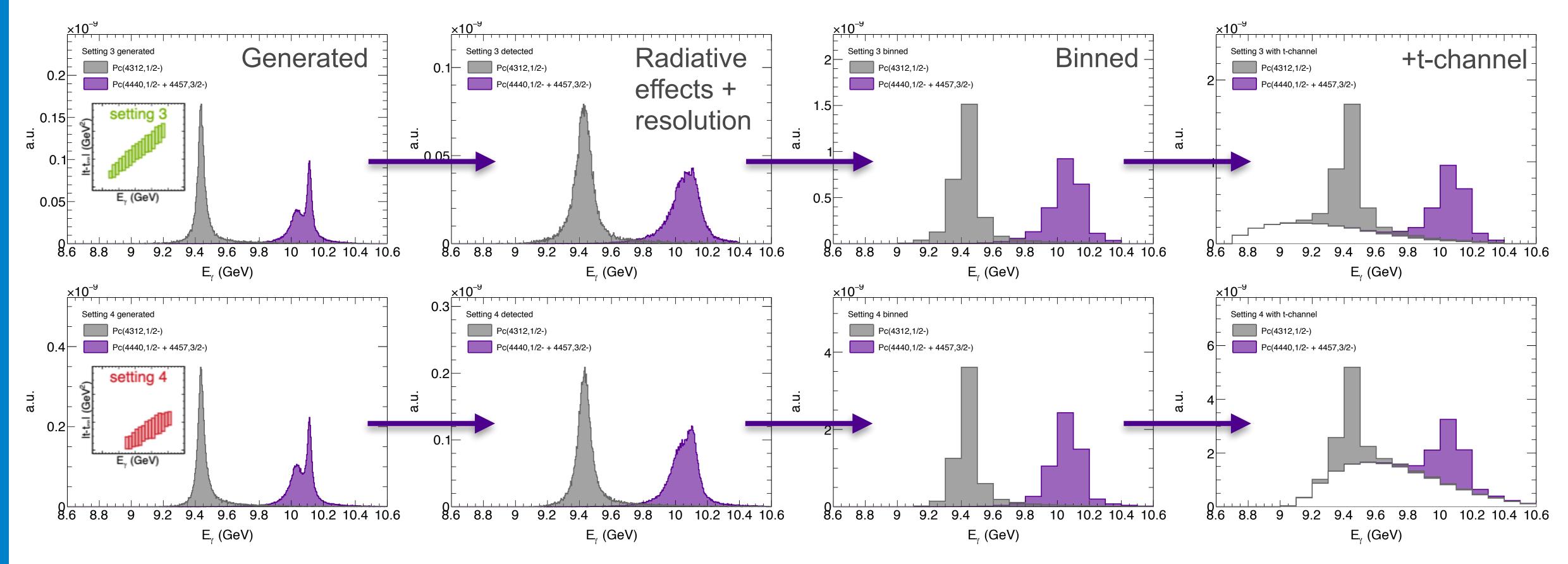
For now used as independent shapes between the settings, could in principle gain more by levering the 2D t-profiles of the cross section





# PENTAQUARK MODEL

#### Need to know pentaquark signatures in our experimental sample



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P<sub>c</sub> resonances calculated at GlueX 90% upper limit from MC (JPacPhoto + Detector Simulation)

Difficult to separate higher-mass states due to radiative and detector smearing, and limited statistics (coarse binning)

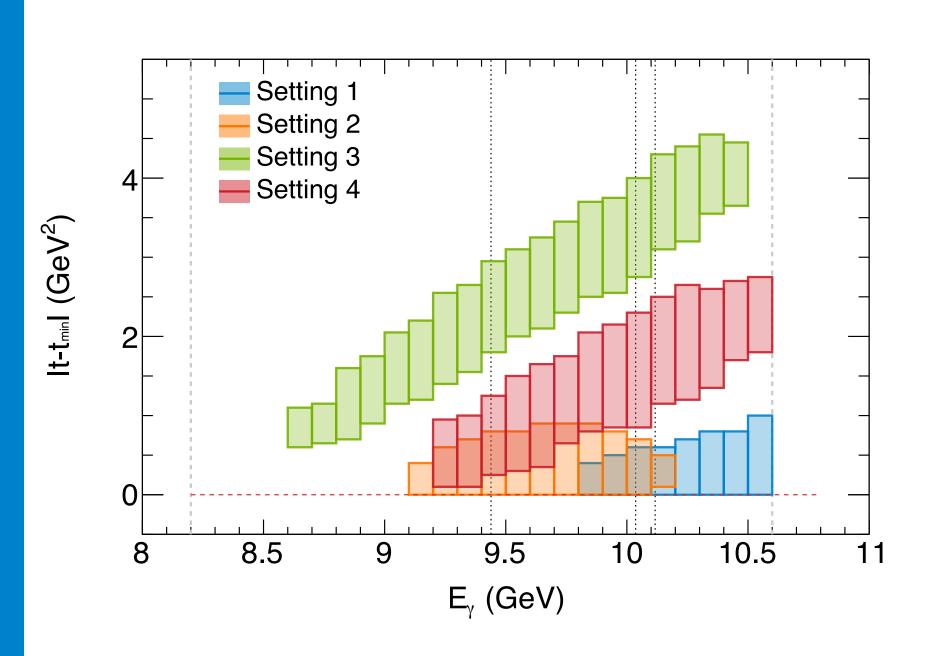


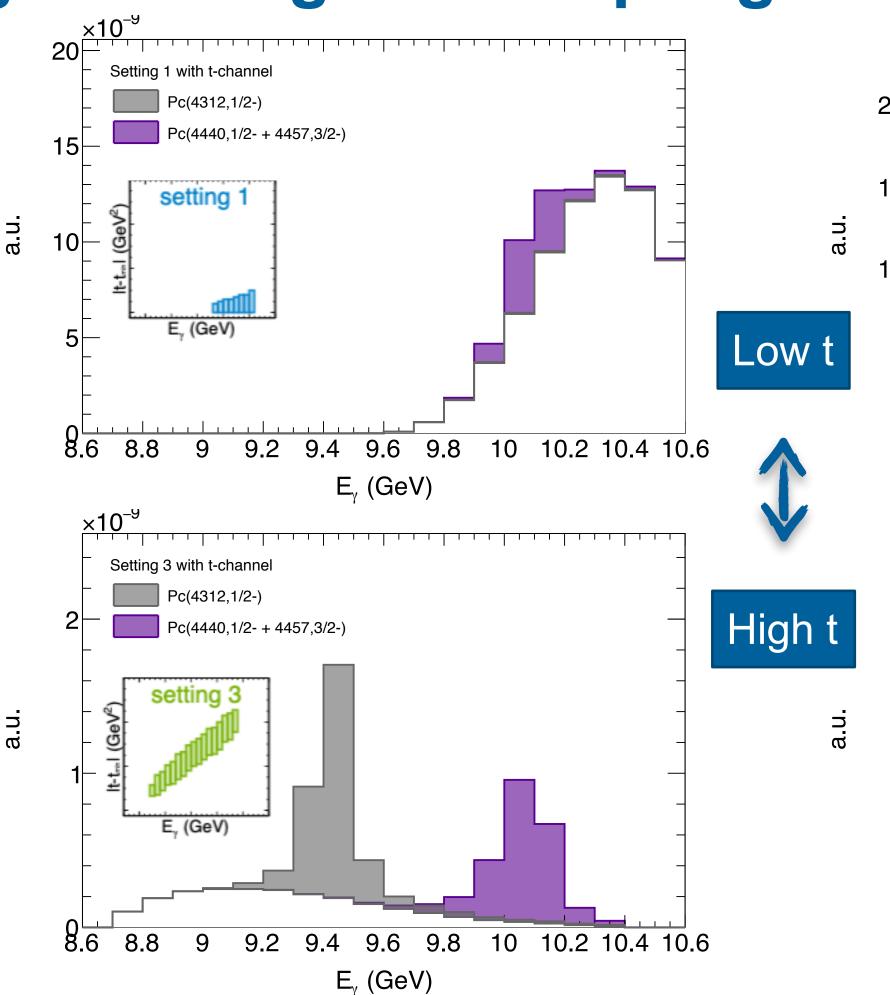
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## HIGH-T SETTINGS CRUCIAL FOR SENSITIVITY

Improved sensitivity at high t for a given coupling





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E<sub>y</sub> (GeV)

9.6 9.8

E, (GeV)

Pc(4440,1/2- + 4457,3/2-)

E, (GeV)

### SIGNIFICANCE FIT

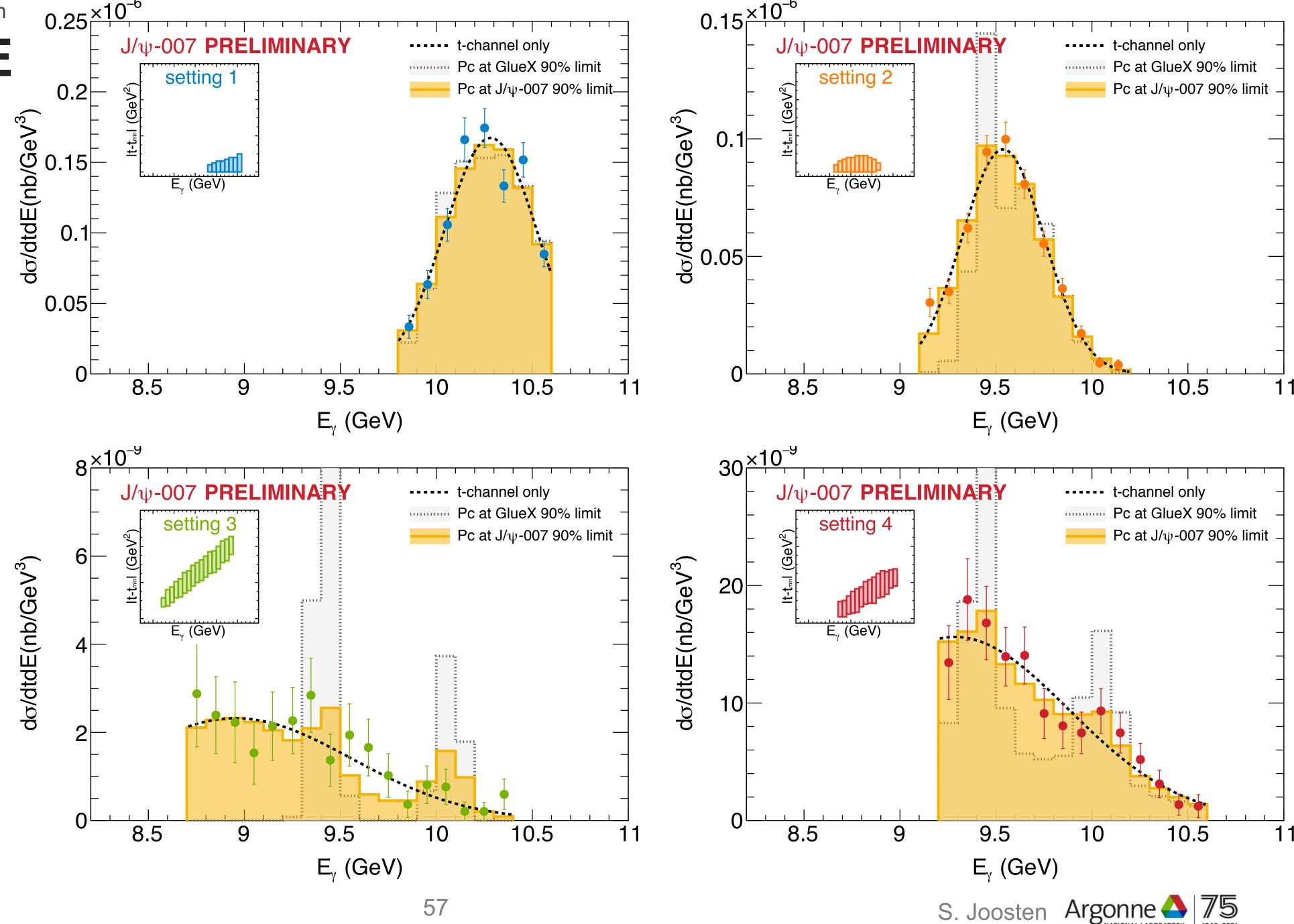
Fit 1: bare Gaussian shape describes the cross section well

Fit 2: Signal + background at GlueX upper limit (90% confidence interval). The resonances lead to major tension with the data at high-t.

Fit 3: Same as 2, but with Pc at upper limit (90% confidence interval) from the preliminary  $J/\psi$ -007 results themselves

The data suggest a stringent upper limit on the resonant cross section (see next slide).



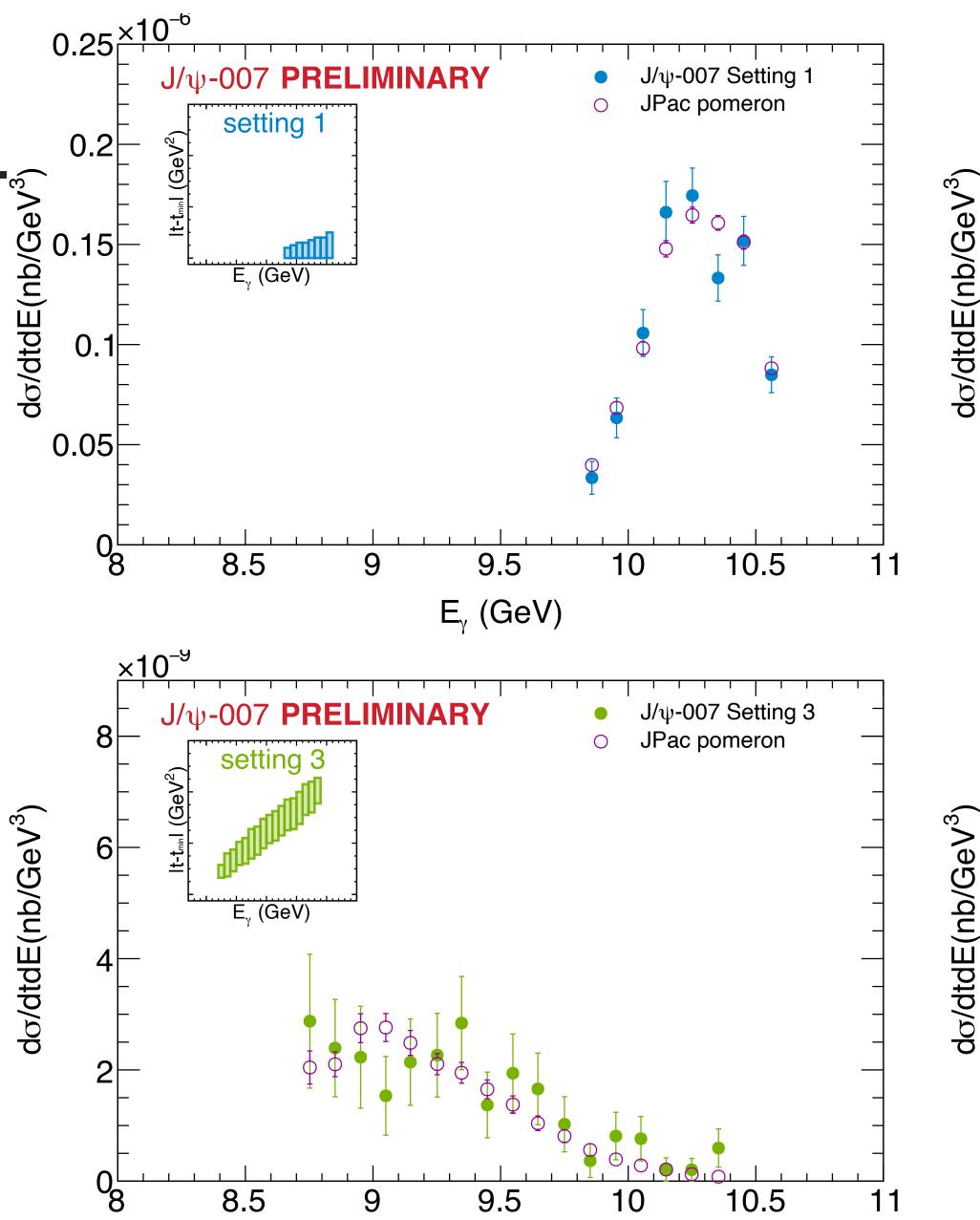


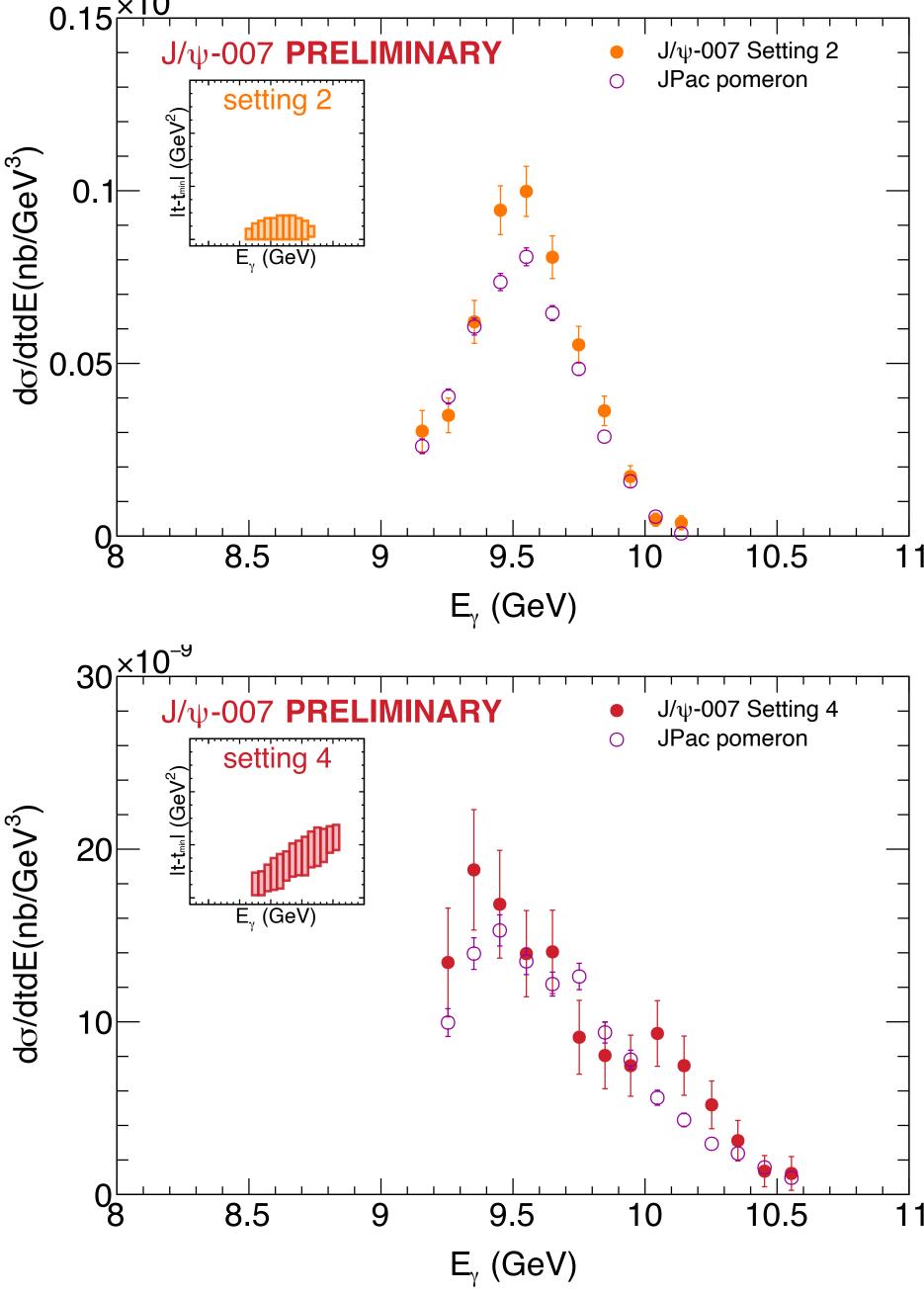
# COMPARISON WITH T-CHANNEL MODEL CALCULATION

Measured 1D results show decent agreement with predictions from the JPac Pomeron model (constrained by old world data + GlueX 2019 results)

Largest deviations at lower energies

To get more sensitivity to details in the near-threshold cross section, we need the 2D cross section results (see next slide)



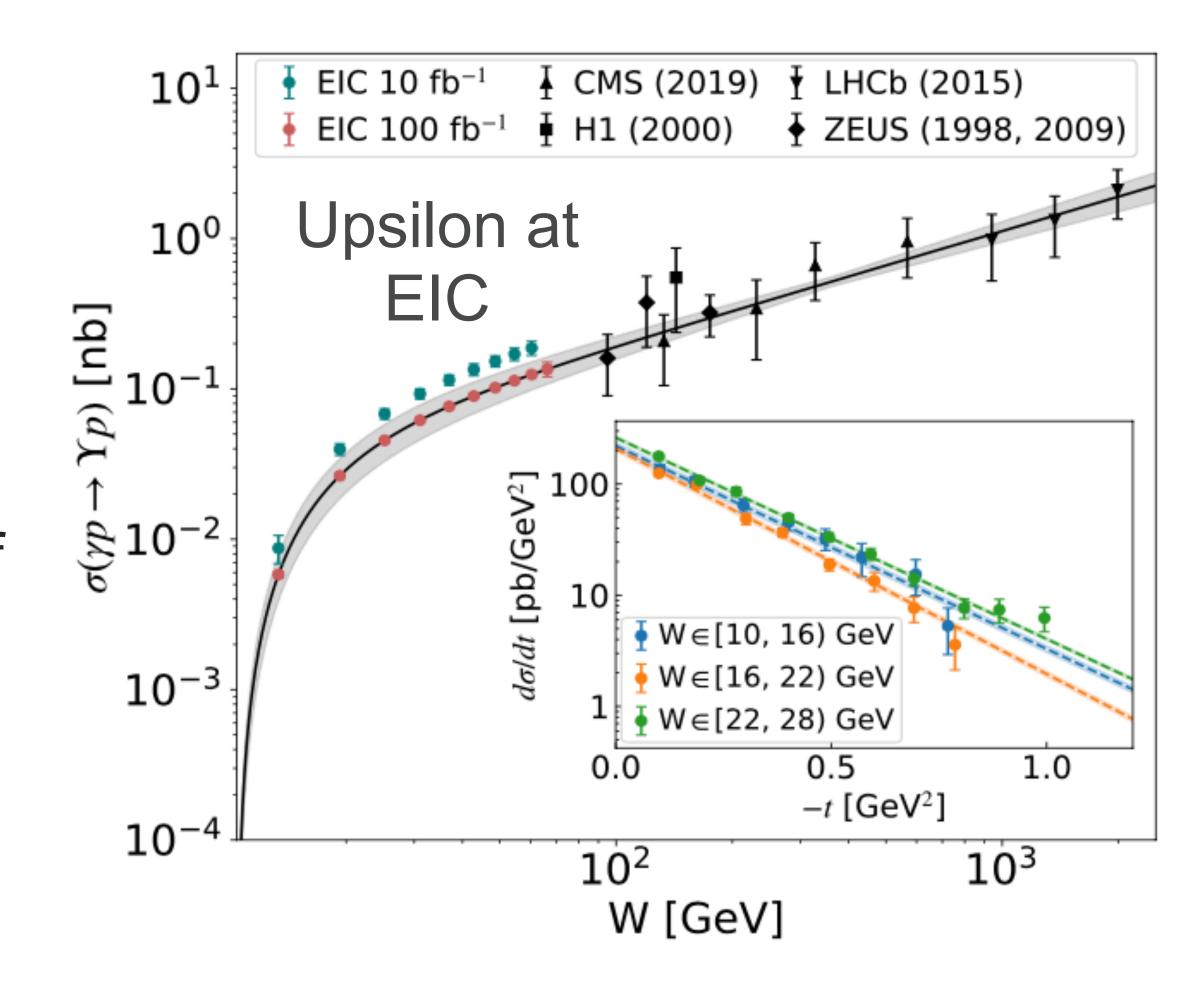


E<sub>y</sub> (GeV)

# COMPLEMENTARITY WITH EIC (LONG)

#### J/ψ at SoLID and Y at EIC

- In principle, EIC creates J/ψ at threshold, but events hard to reconstruct due to limited experimental resolution.
- Threshold production of higher-mass quarkonia (e.g. Y(1S)) can be measured much more precisely.
- Y(1S) at EIC trades statistical precision of J/ψ at SoLID for lower theoretical uncertainties, and extra channel to study universality.
- Large Q<sup>2</sup> reach at EIC an additional knob to study production





# LHCb sees strong evidence for 3 resonant states THE LHC-B CHARMED PENTAQUARKS

