

A close-up photograph of pink cherry blossom flowers, showing their delicate petals and yellow stamens. The background is softly blurred.

Experimental studies on medium modification of vector mesons

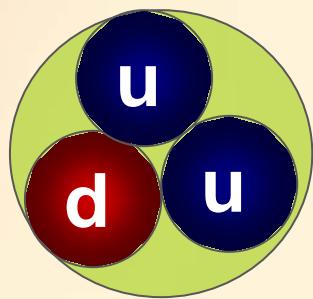
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J-PARC hadron physics, 2014/2/11

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Hadron Mass

QCD Vacuum

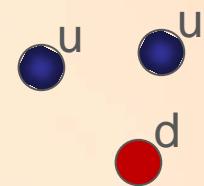


hadrons $\sim \text{GeV}/c^2$

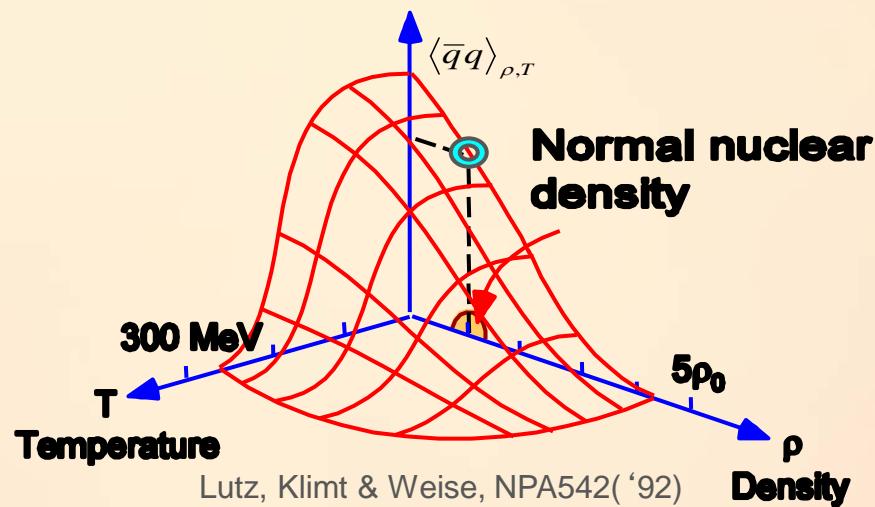
constituent quarks $\sim 300 \text{ MeV}/c^2$



Hot/Dense Matter

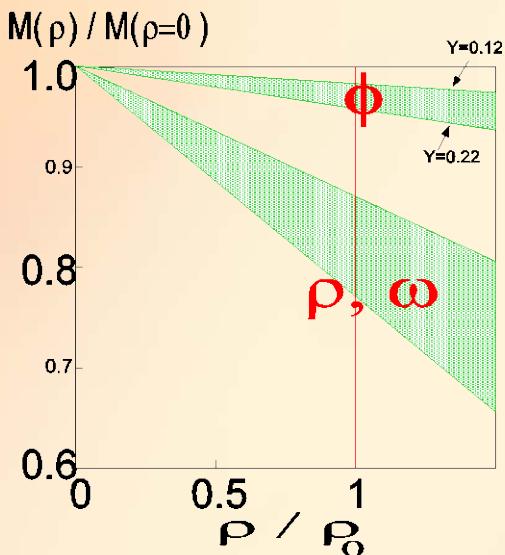


current quarks $\sim \text{MeV}/c^2$

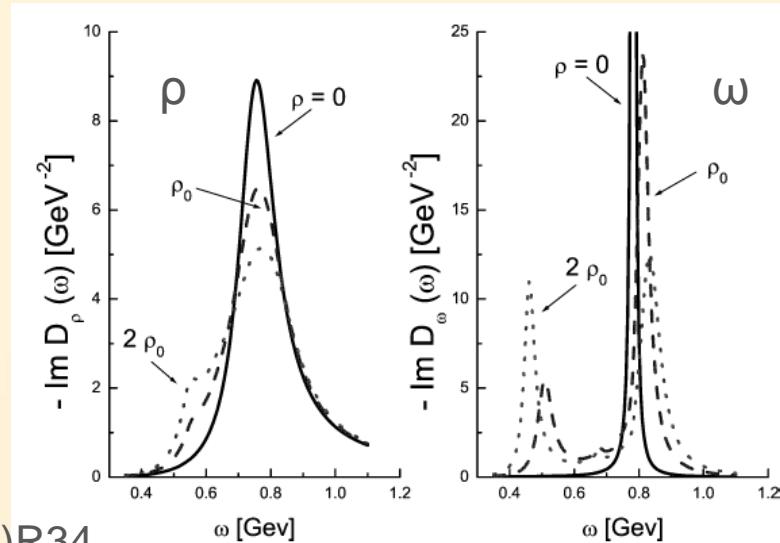


Lutz, Klimt & Weise, NPA542 ('92)

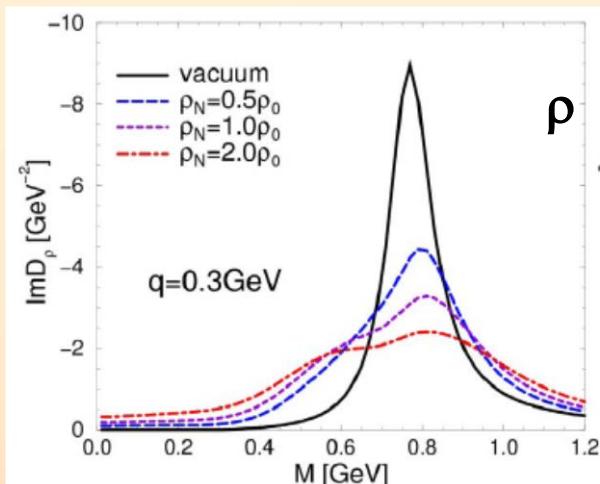
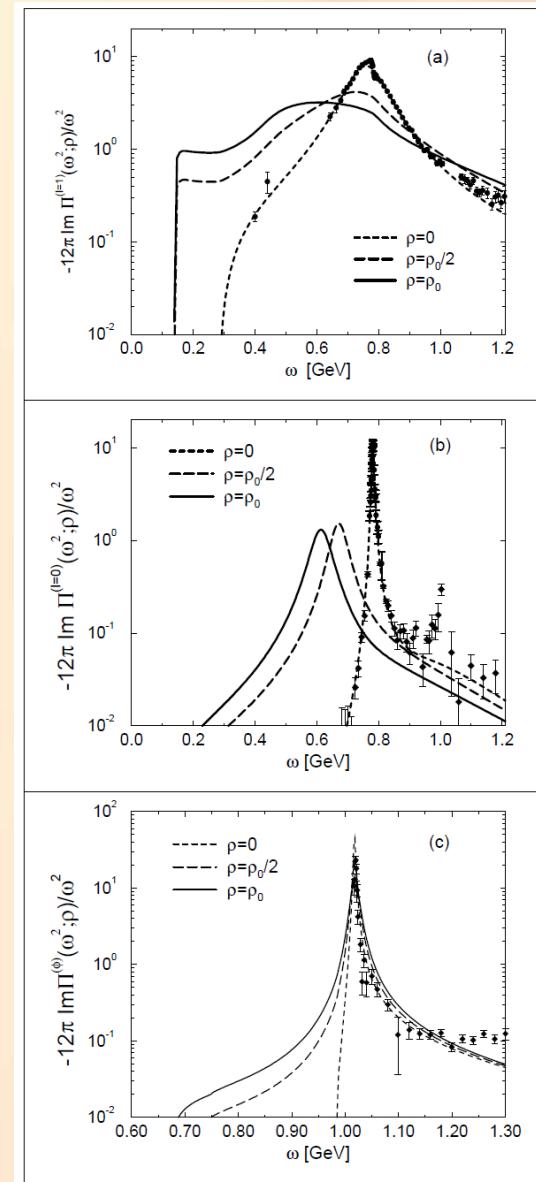
Density dependence of Mass



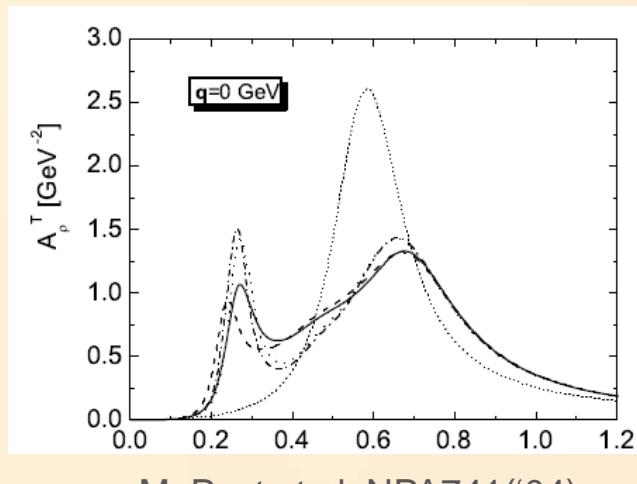
Hatsuda & Lee, PRC46('92)R34
base on QCDSR



Klingl,Kaiser&Weise, NPA624('97)



Rapp & Wambach, ANP25 ('00)



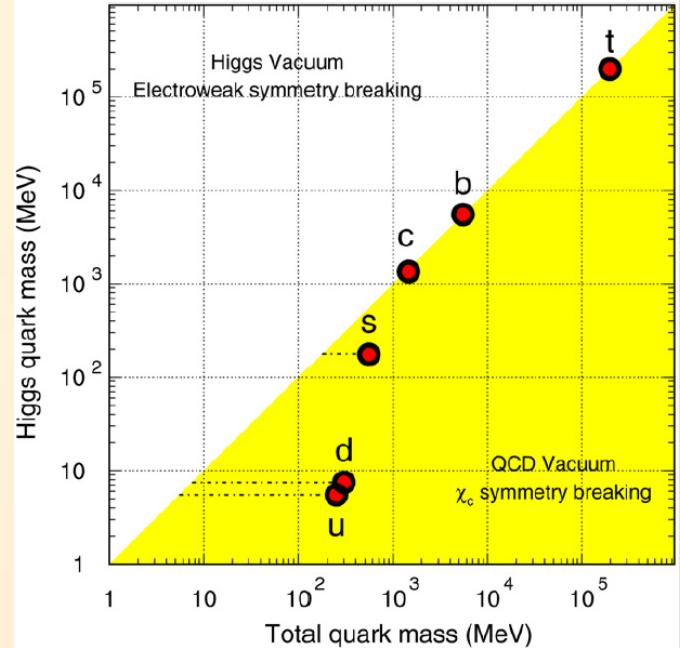
M. Post et al, NPA741('04)

Dilepton Measurement

directly access to the properties of vector mesons

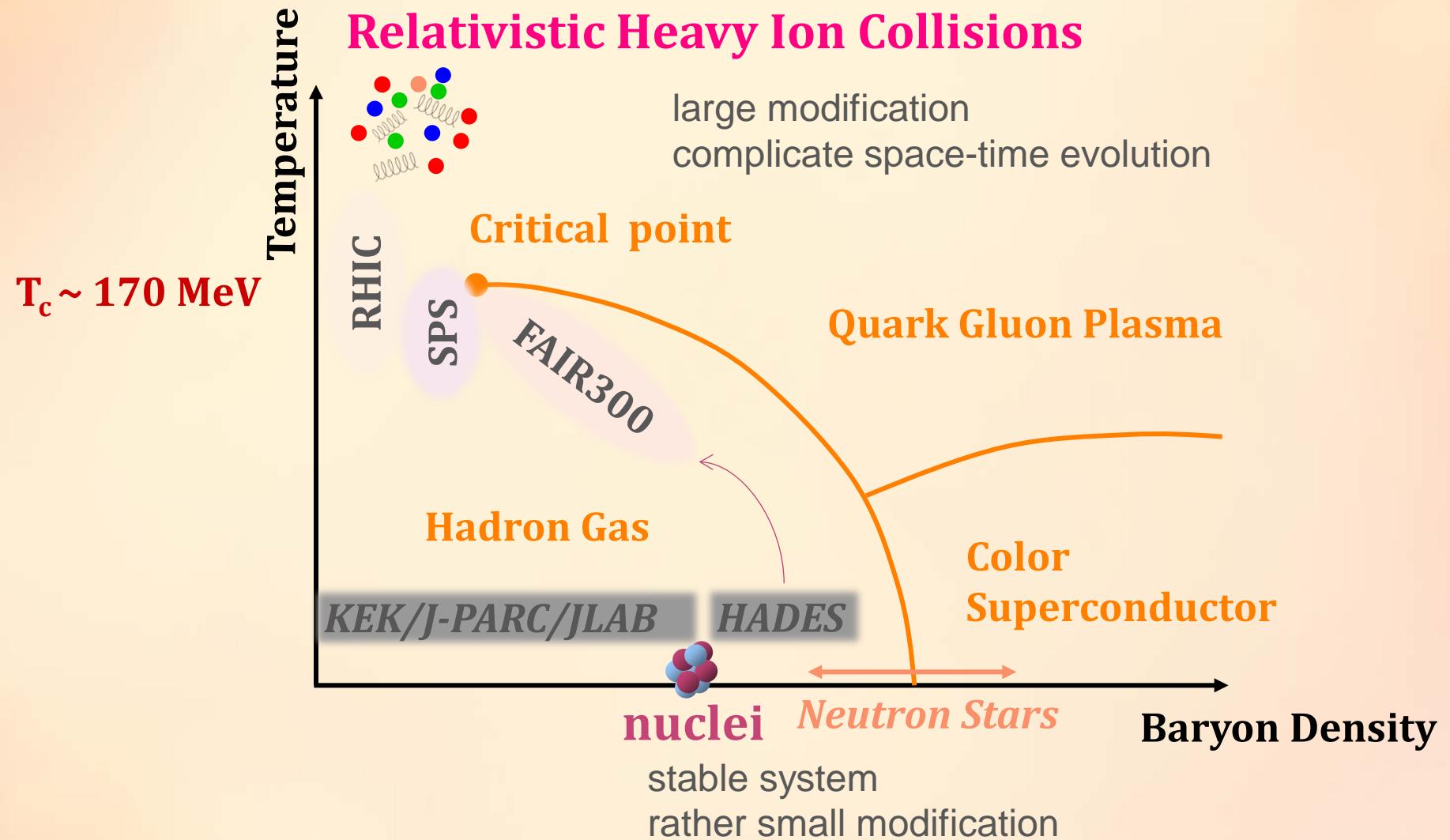
region of interest: $< 1 \text{ GeV}/c^2$

in-medium modification of vector mesons possible connection to CSB



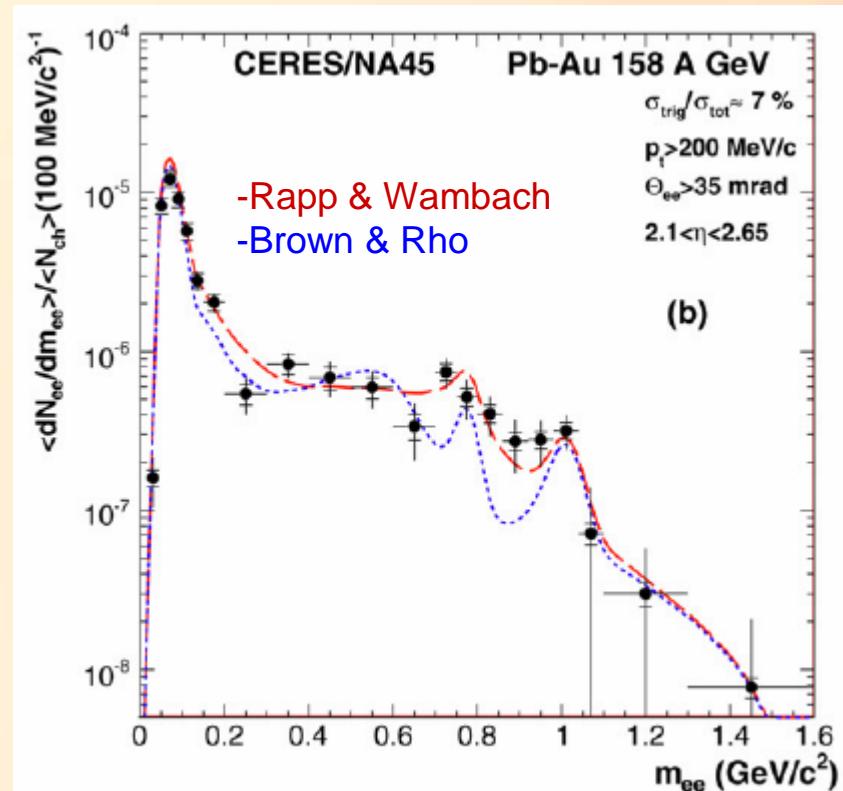
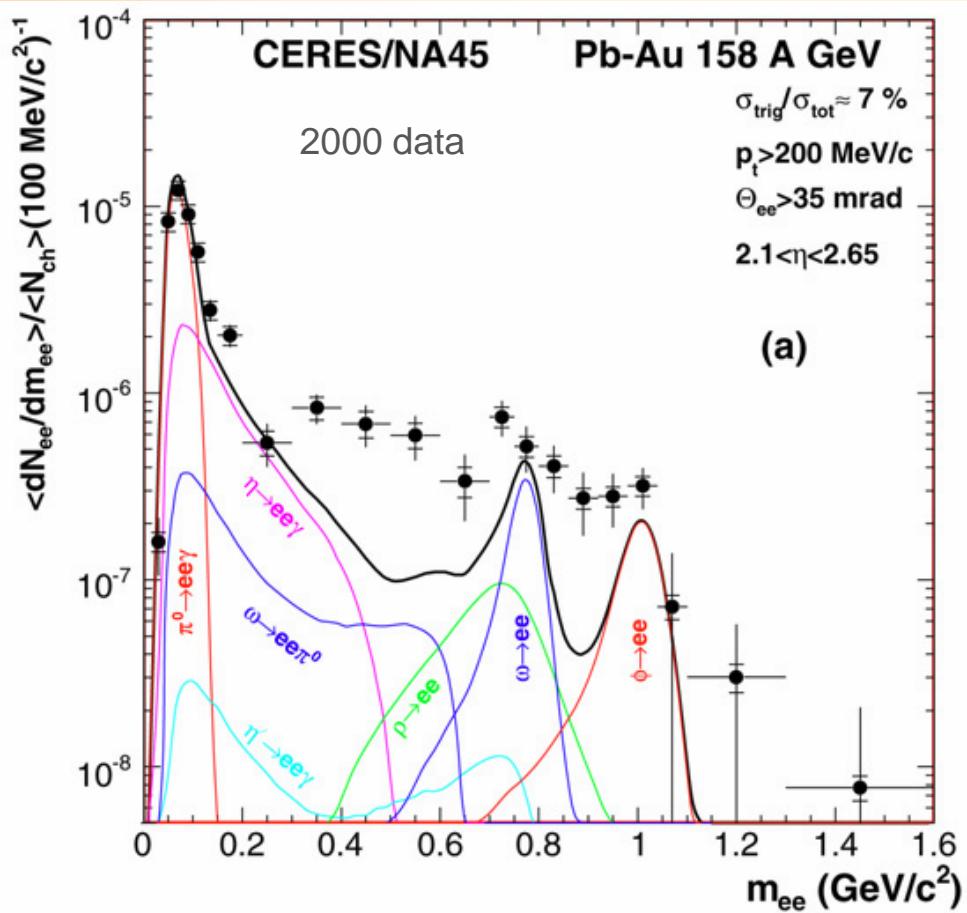
	Mass	Width	$c\tau$	ρ, ω vs ϕ
ρ	770 MeV	149.2 MeV	1.3 fm	large effect overlap
ω	782 MeV	8.44 MeV	24 fm	
ϕ	1020 MeV	4.26 MeV	47 fm	single peak

HIC vs. cold nuclear matter



CERES @ SPS

e+e- pair measurement in central Pb–Au collisions at 158A GeV/c

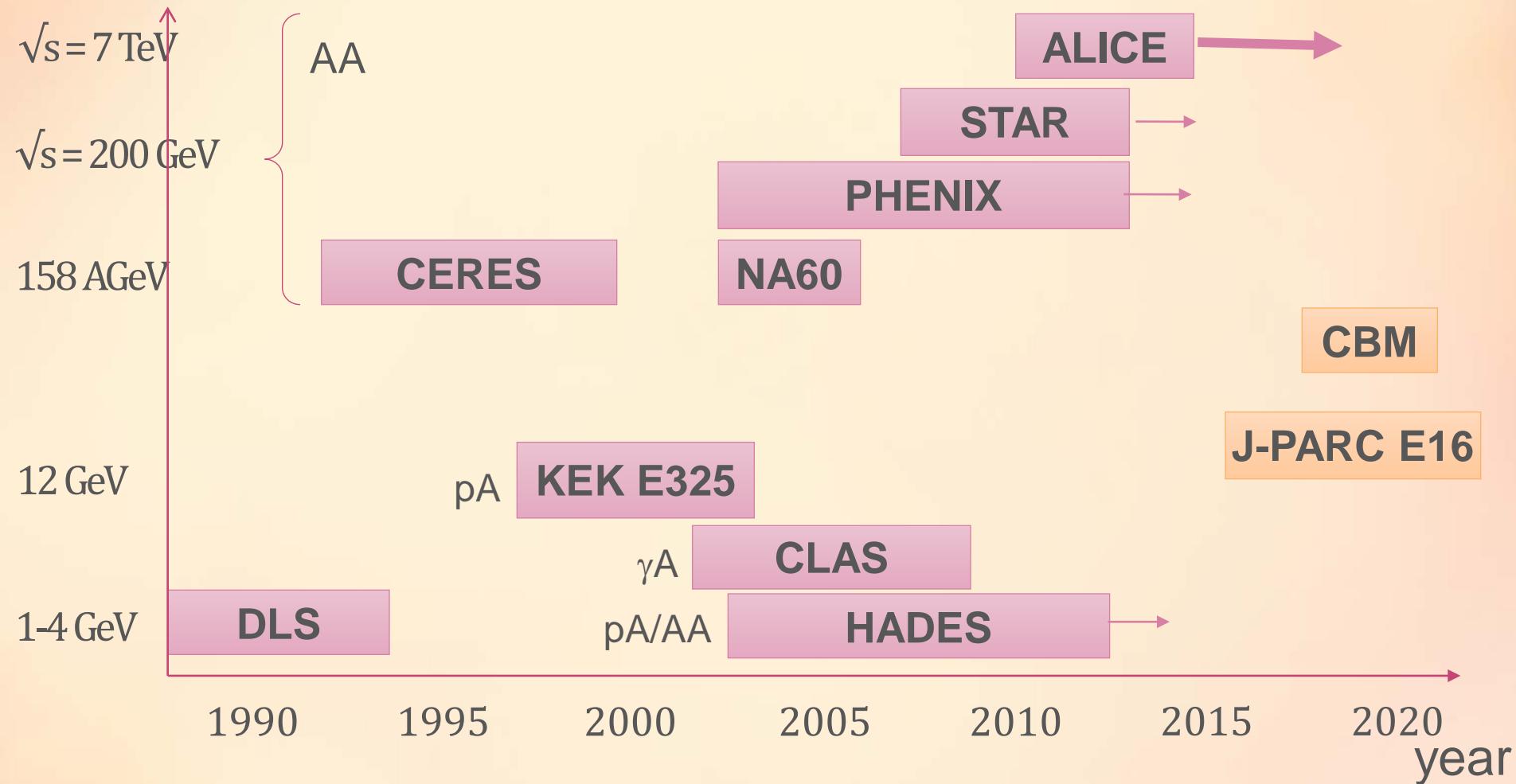


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both scenarios are possible
within the systematic uncertainty

Dilepton Measurements

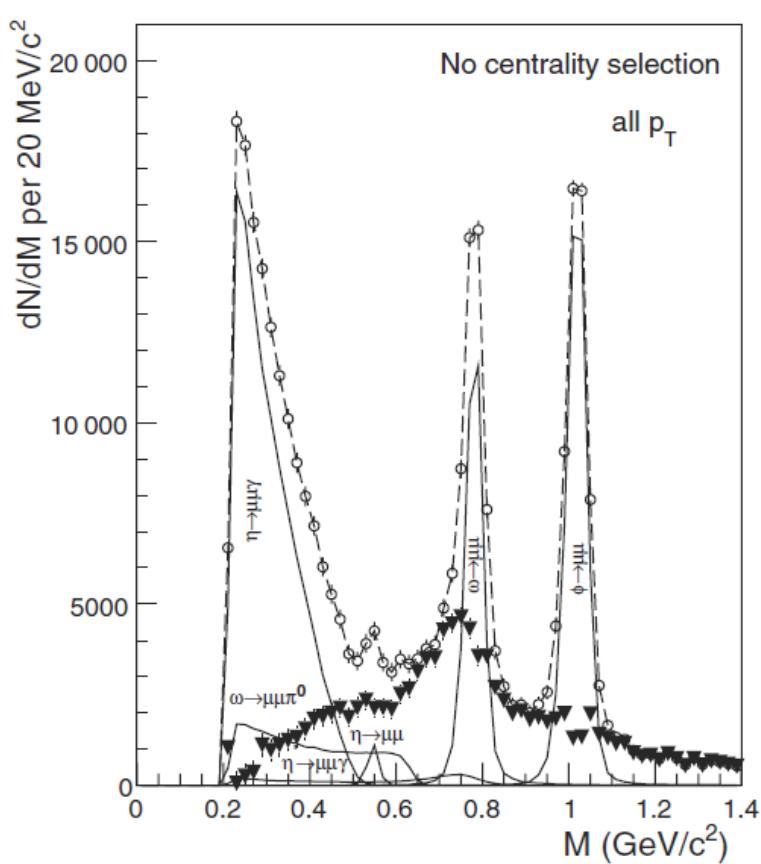
History vs. Energy scale



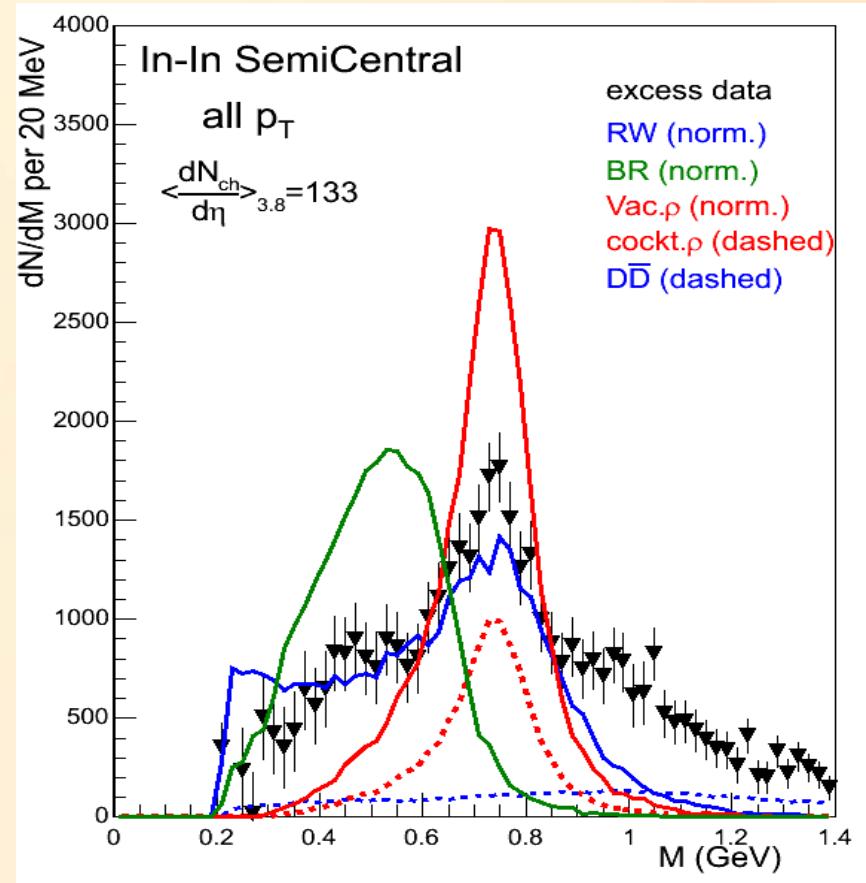
NA60 @ SPS

invariant mass of $\mu^+\mu^-$ in In-In at 158 AGeV ($\sqrt{s_{NN}}=19.6$ GeV)

PRL 96, 162302 (2006)



$\Delta M = 23$ MeV at the ϕ

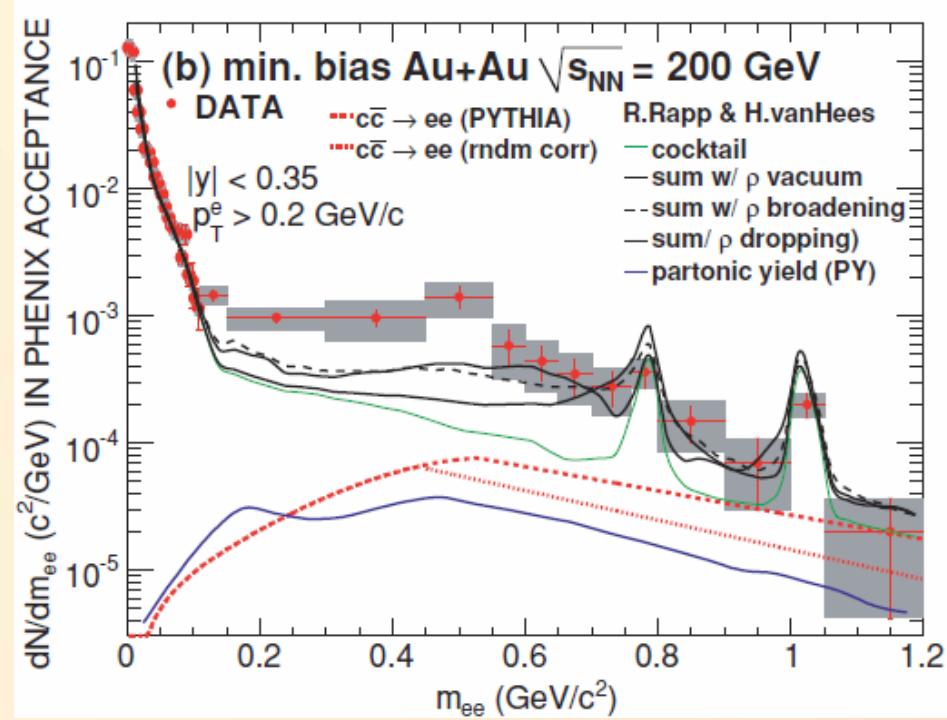
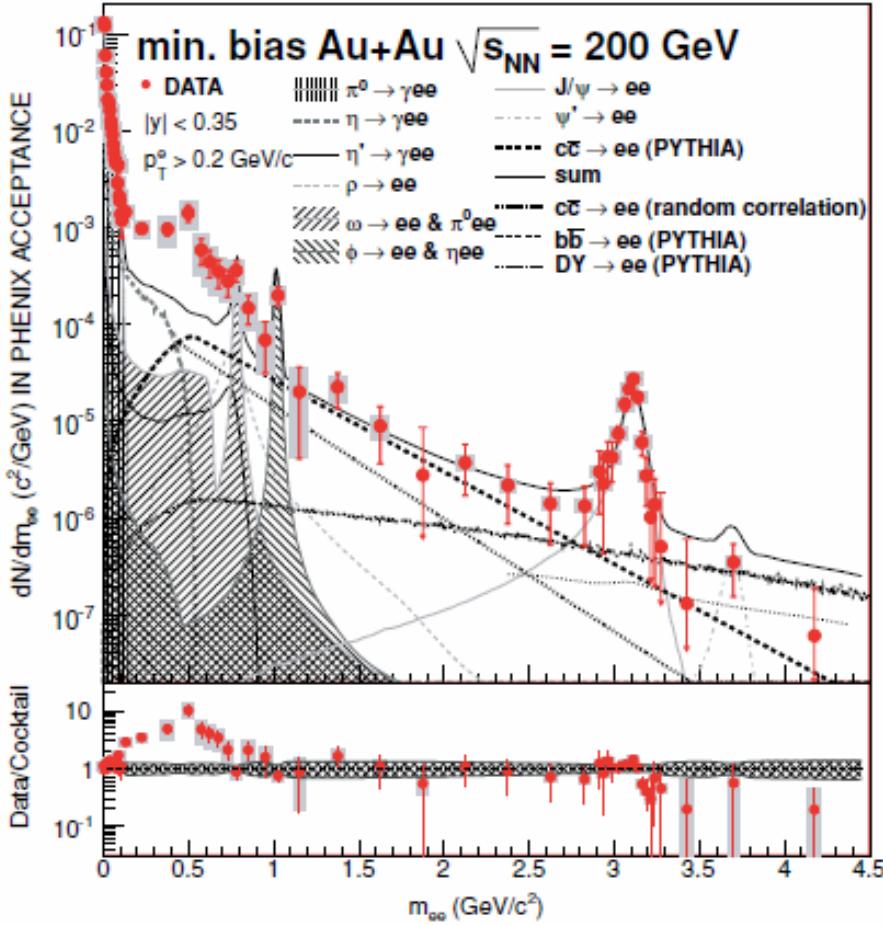


ρ spectrum is reproduced with broadening of ρ (Rapp & Wambach)
space-time evolution: thermal fireball model⁹

PHENIX @ RHIC

invariant mass of e+e- at $\sqrt{s_{NN}}=200 \text{ GeV}$

PRC81,034911(2010)

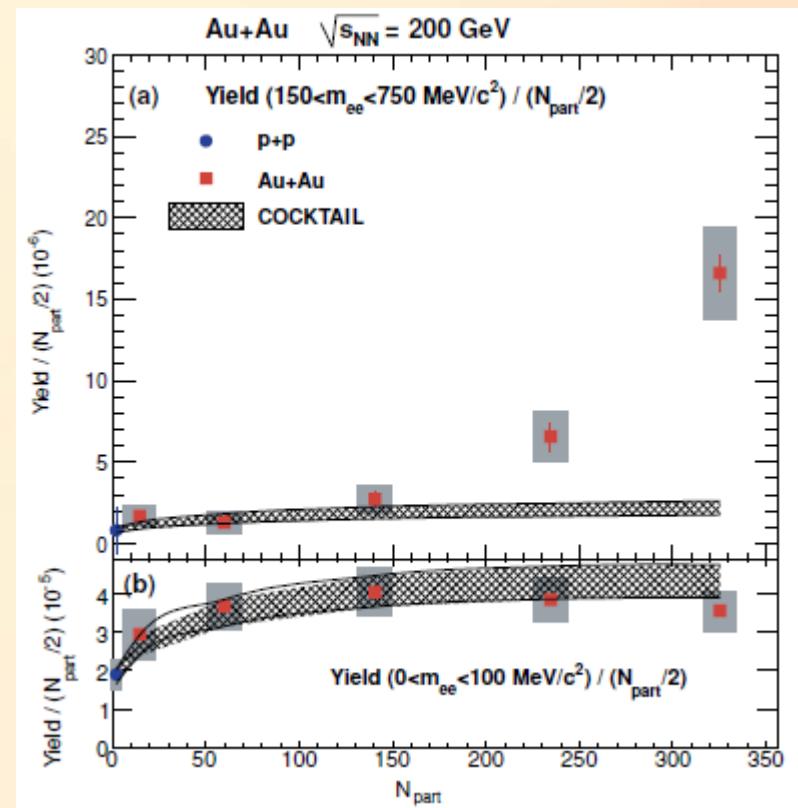
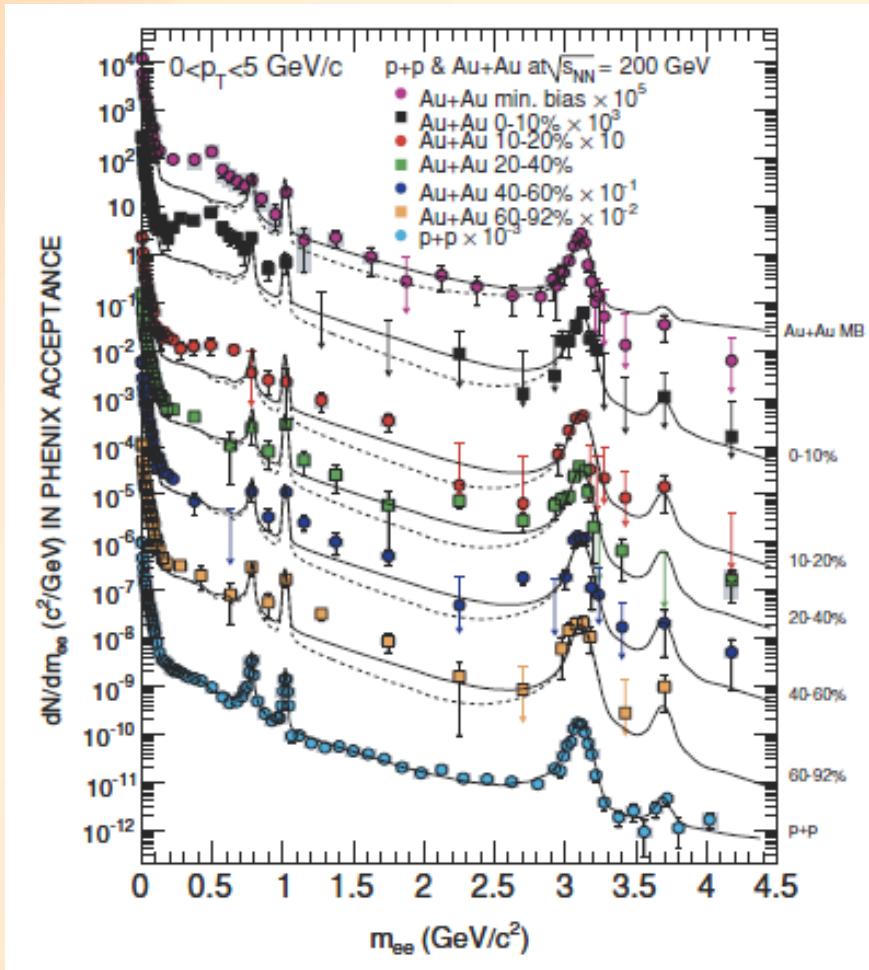


All models and groups that successfully described the SPS data fail in describing the PHENIX results

strong enhancement in $150 < m_{ee} < 750 \text{ MeV}$:

$$4.7 \pm 0.4(\text{stat.}) \pm 1.5(\text{syst.}) \pm 0.9(\text{model})$$

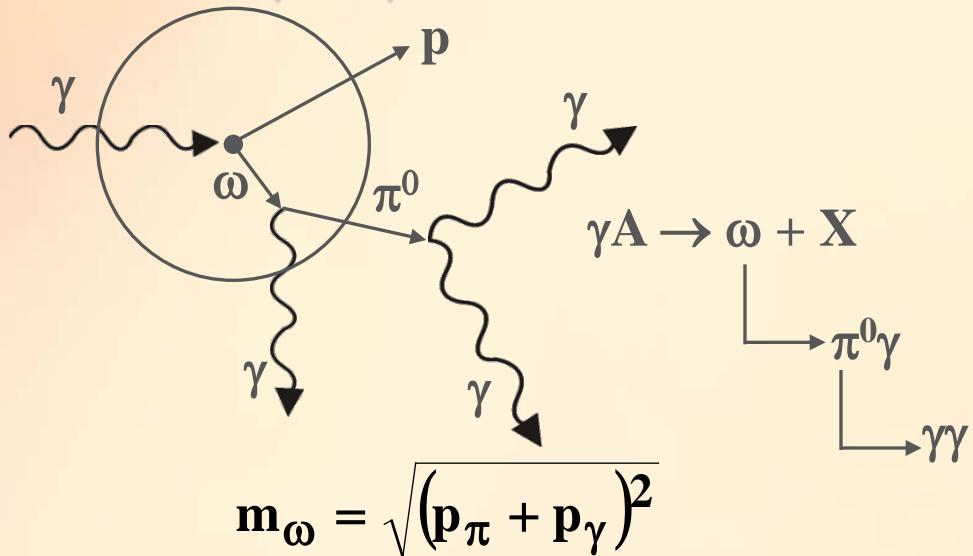
PHENIX Au+Au: Centrality dependence



Strong centrality dependence in the Low-Mass Region.

CBELSA/TAPS experiment

$\omega \rightarrow \pi^0\gamma$ in $\gamma+A$

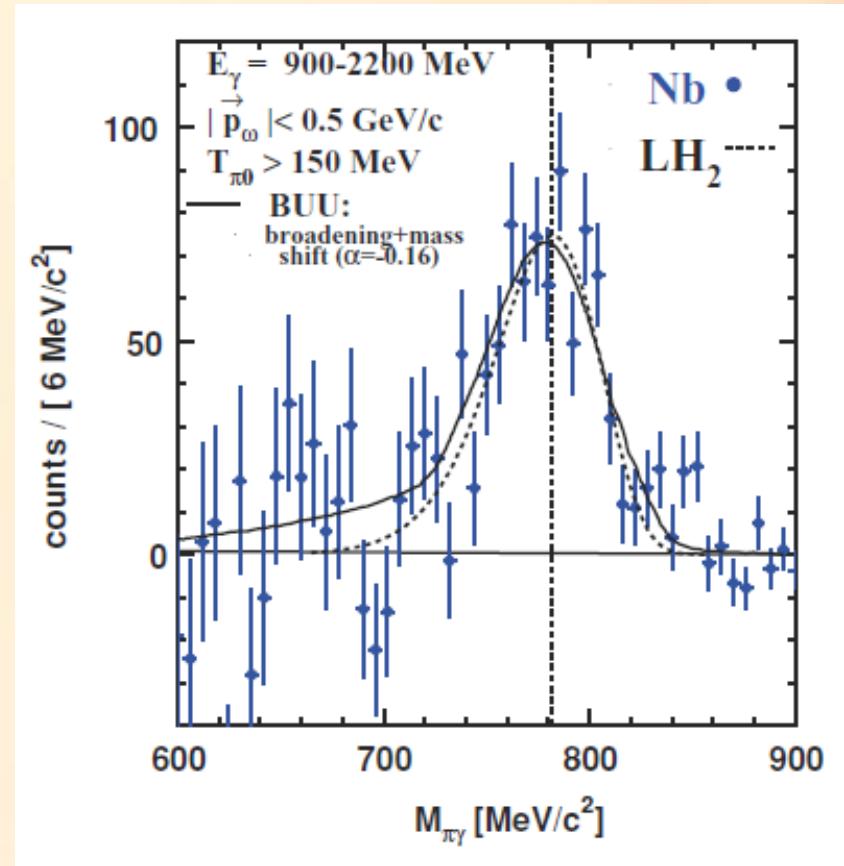


advantage:

- $\pi^0\gamma$ large branching ratio (8 %)
- no ρ -contribution ($\rho \rightarrow \pi^0\gamma : 7 \cdot 10^{-4}$)

disadvantage:

- π^0 -rescattering



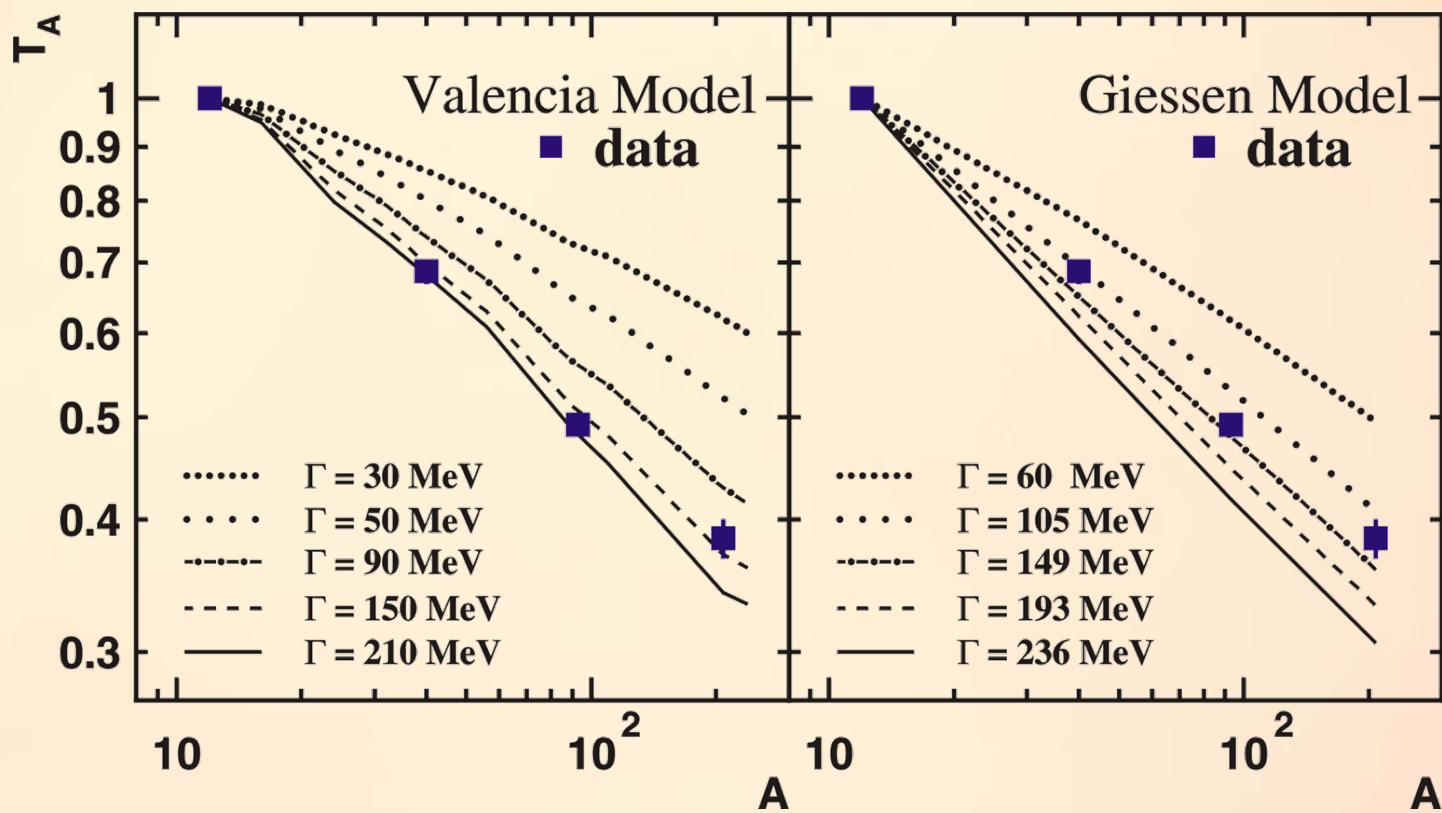
Nanova et al., PRC82(2010)035209

In-medium Width of ω

estimated from transparency ratio

$$T_A = \frac{\sigma_{\gamma A \rightarrow \omega X}}{A \cdot \sigma_{\gamma N \rightarrow \omega X}}$$

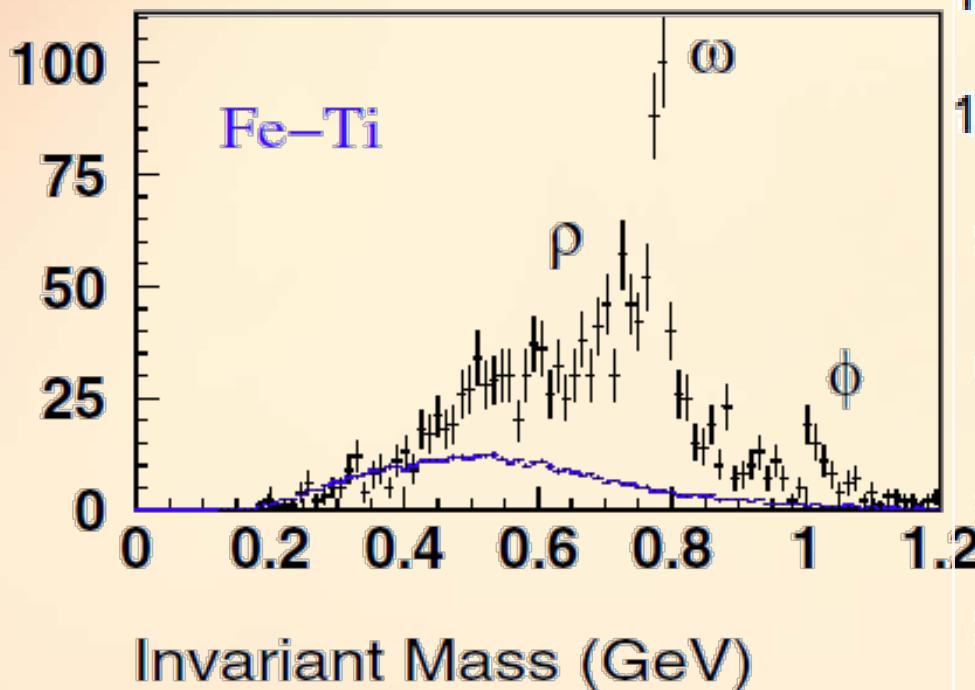
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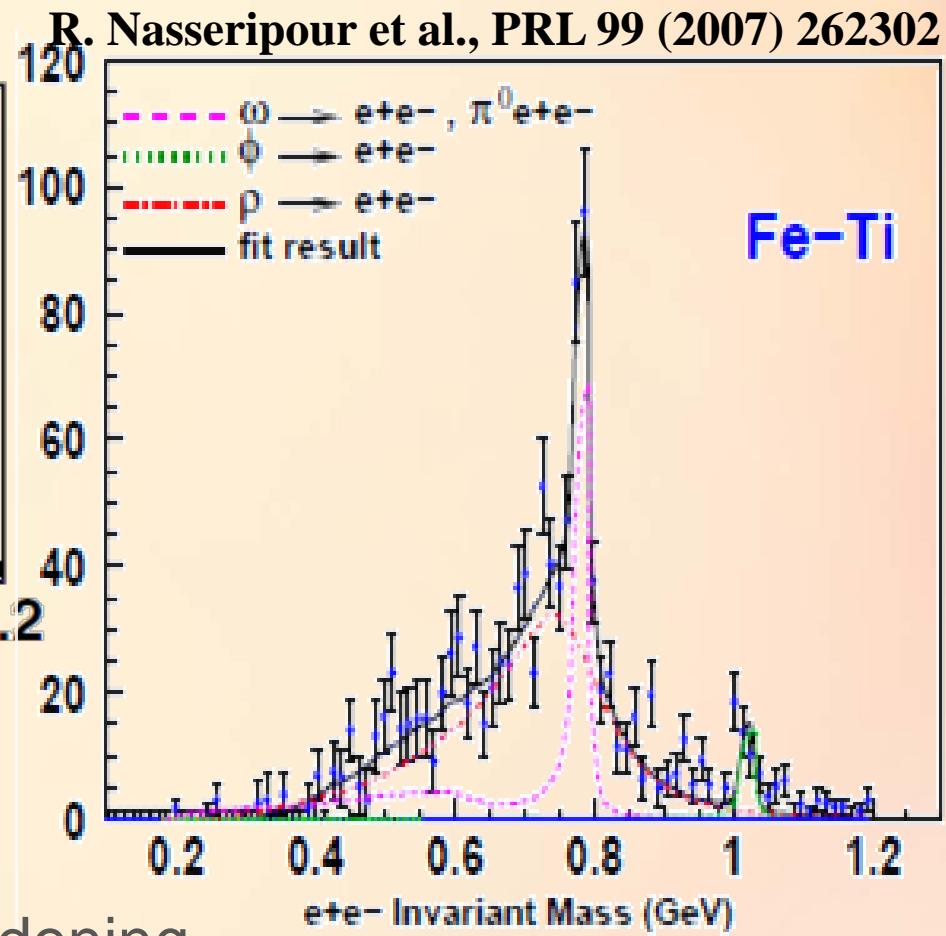
comparison to data $\Gamma(\rho_0, \langle |p_\omega| \rangle) \approx 1.1 \text{ GeV}/c \approx 130-150 \text{ MeV}$

CLAS g7a @ J-Lab

Induce photons to Liquid deuterium, Carbon, Titanium and Iron targets, generate vector mesons, and detect e^+e^- decays with large acceptance spectrometer.



No peak shift of ρ
consistent with collisional broadening



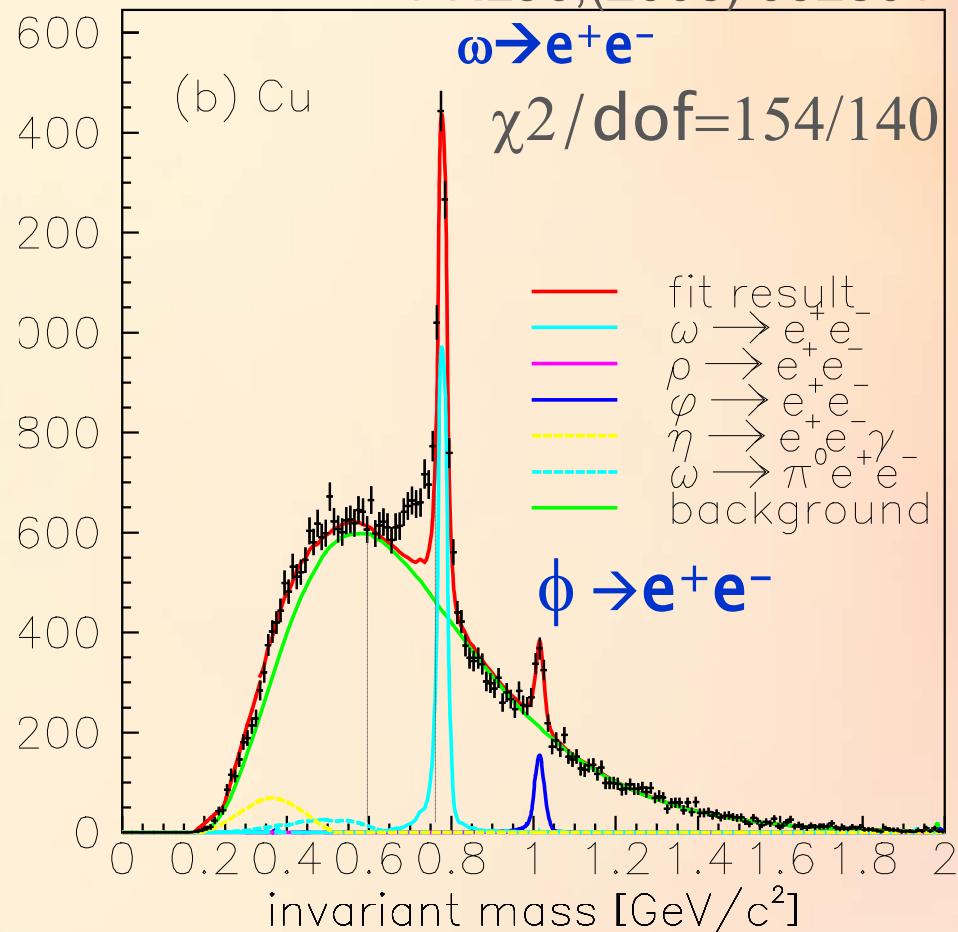
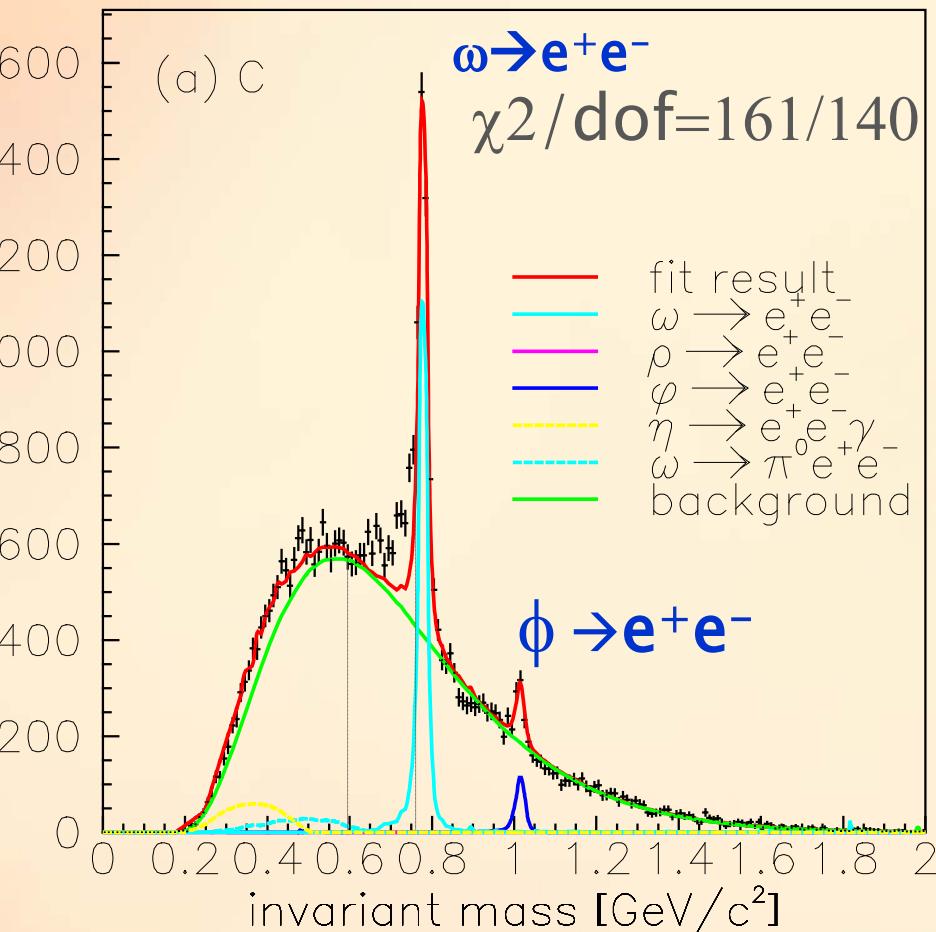
$$m_\rho = m_0 (1 - \alpha \rho / \rho_0)$$

for $\alpha = 0.02 \pm 0.02$

E325 @ KEK-PS

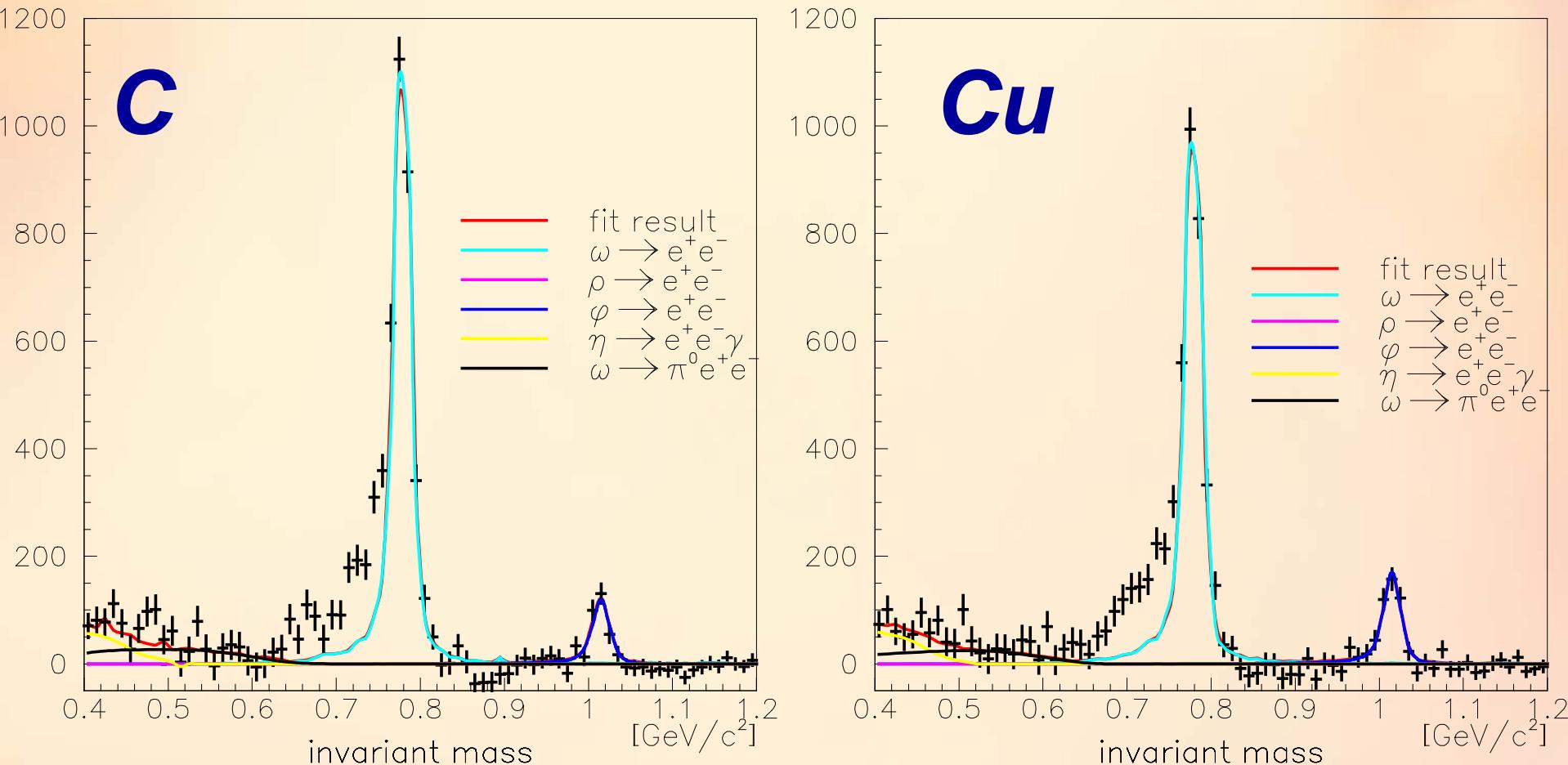
Invariant Mass Spectrum of e^+e^- in 12GeV/c p+A

PRL96,(2006) 092301



the excess over the known hadronic sources on the low mass side of ω peak has been observed.

Background Subtracted



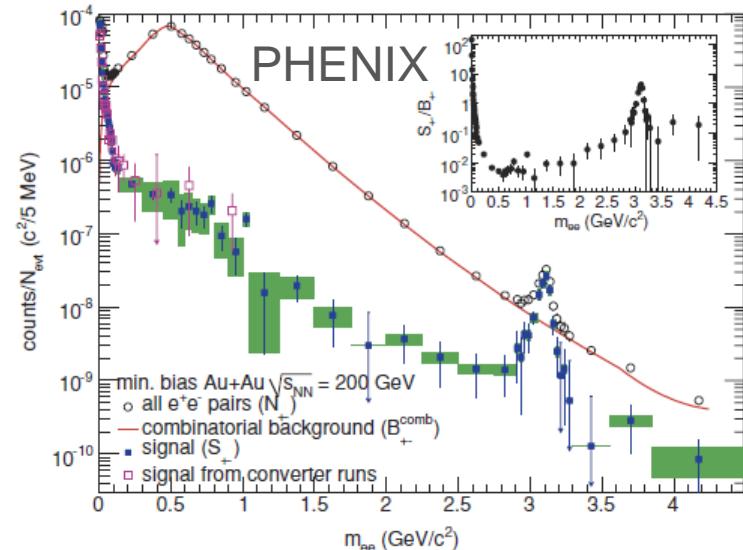
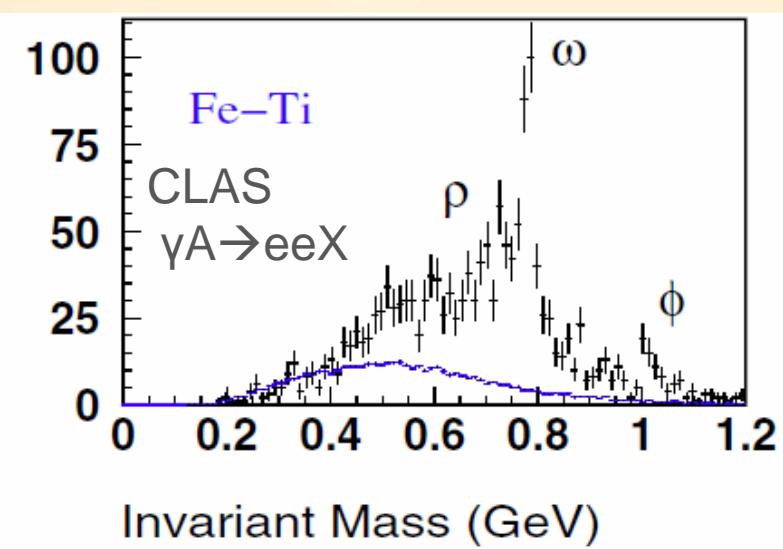
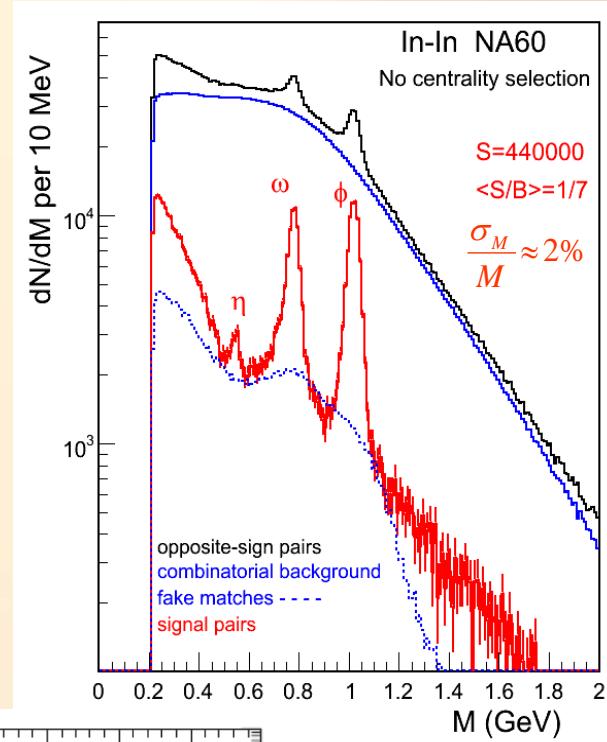
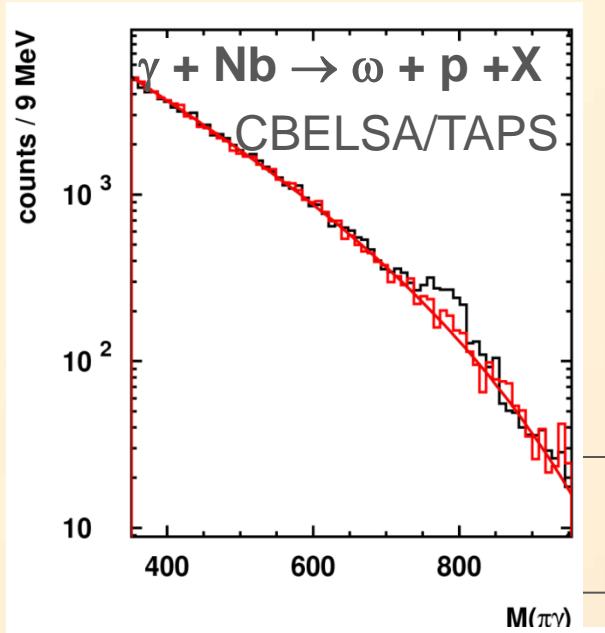
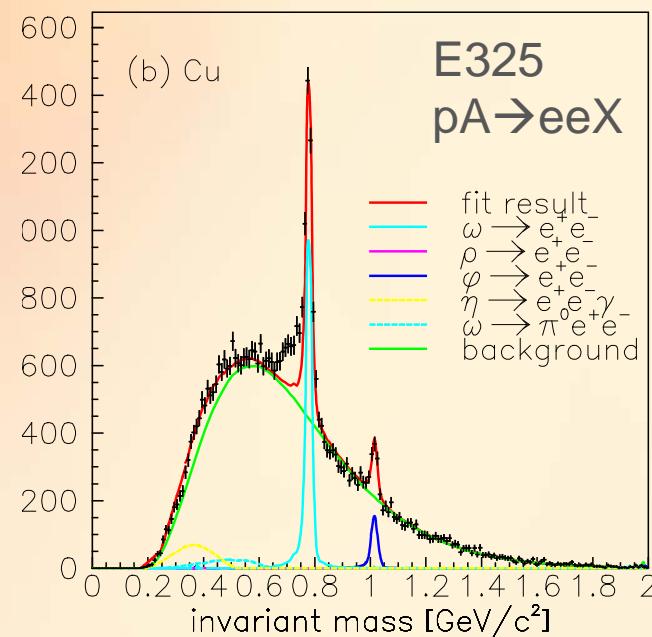
ρ/ω ratio is consistent with zero. 95% C.L. allowed regions:

$$N\rho/N\omega < 0.04(\text{stat.}) + 0.09(\text{sys.})$$

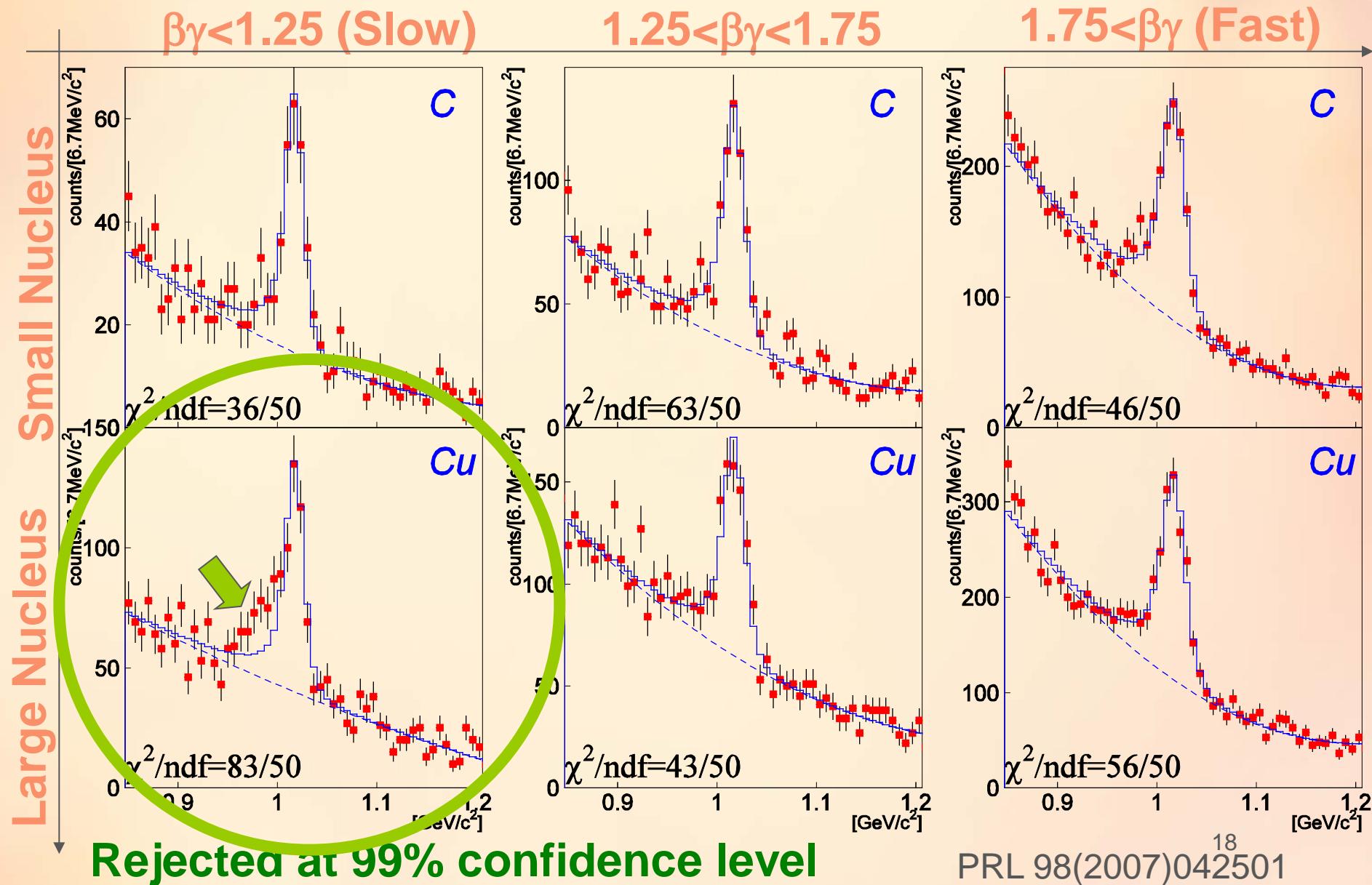
$$N\rho/N\omega < 0.10(\text{stat.}) + 0.21(\text{sys.})$$

most of ρ decay in nucleus due to their short lifetime; $\tau \sim 1^{6.3}\text{fm}$

S/B at a glance



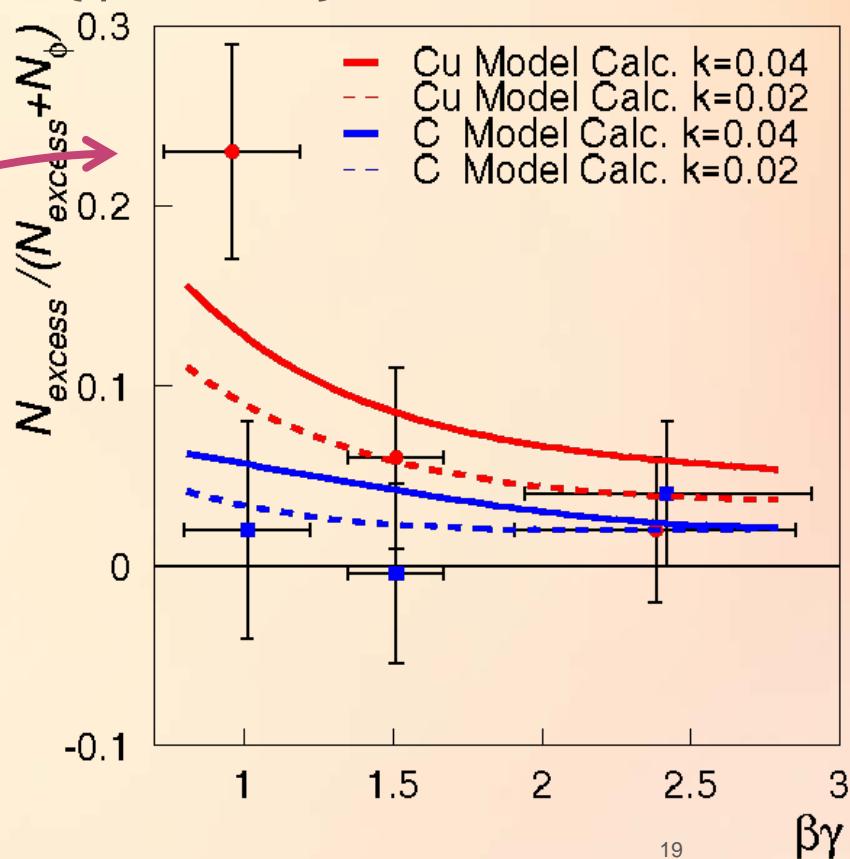
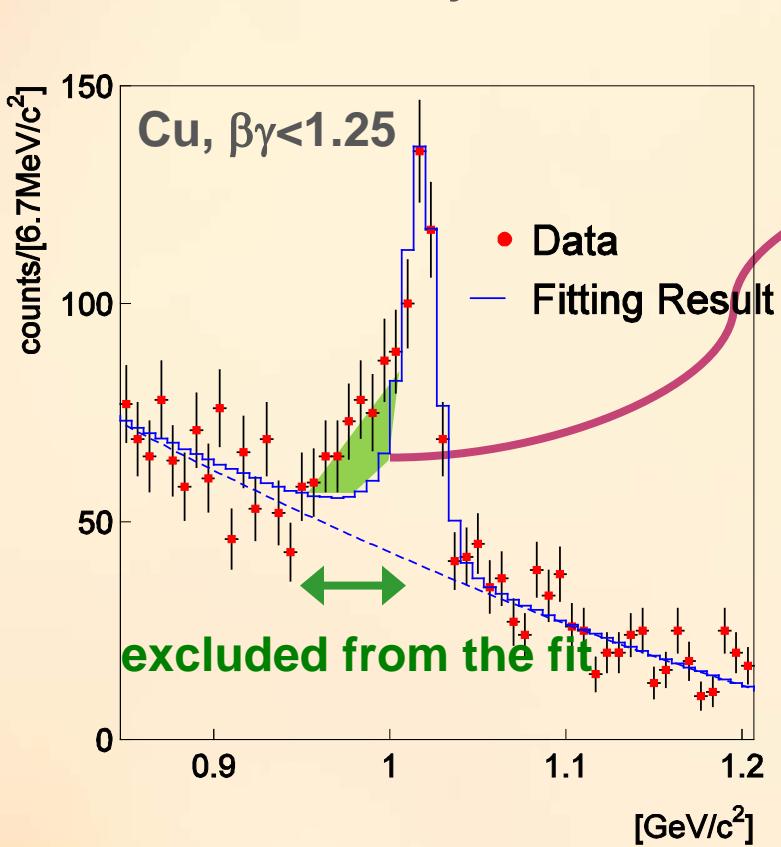
Invariant mass spectra of $\varphi \rightarrow e^+e^-$



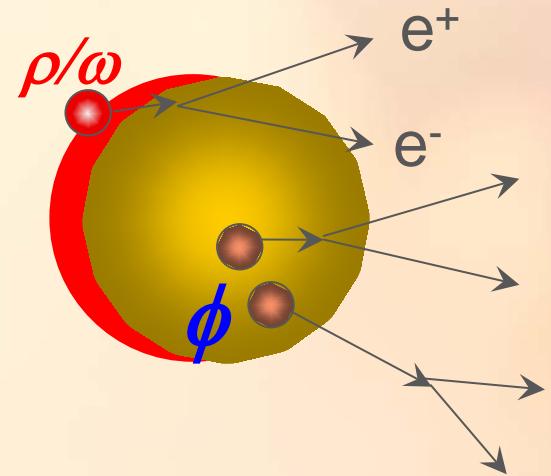
Enhancement Factor

The amount of the excess

- number of excess in the region of $0.95\sim 1.01 \text{ GeV}/c^2 \rightarrow N_{excess}$
- normalized by the number of signal ($\phi + \text{excess}$)



Model calculation w/ mass modification



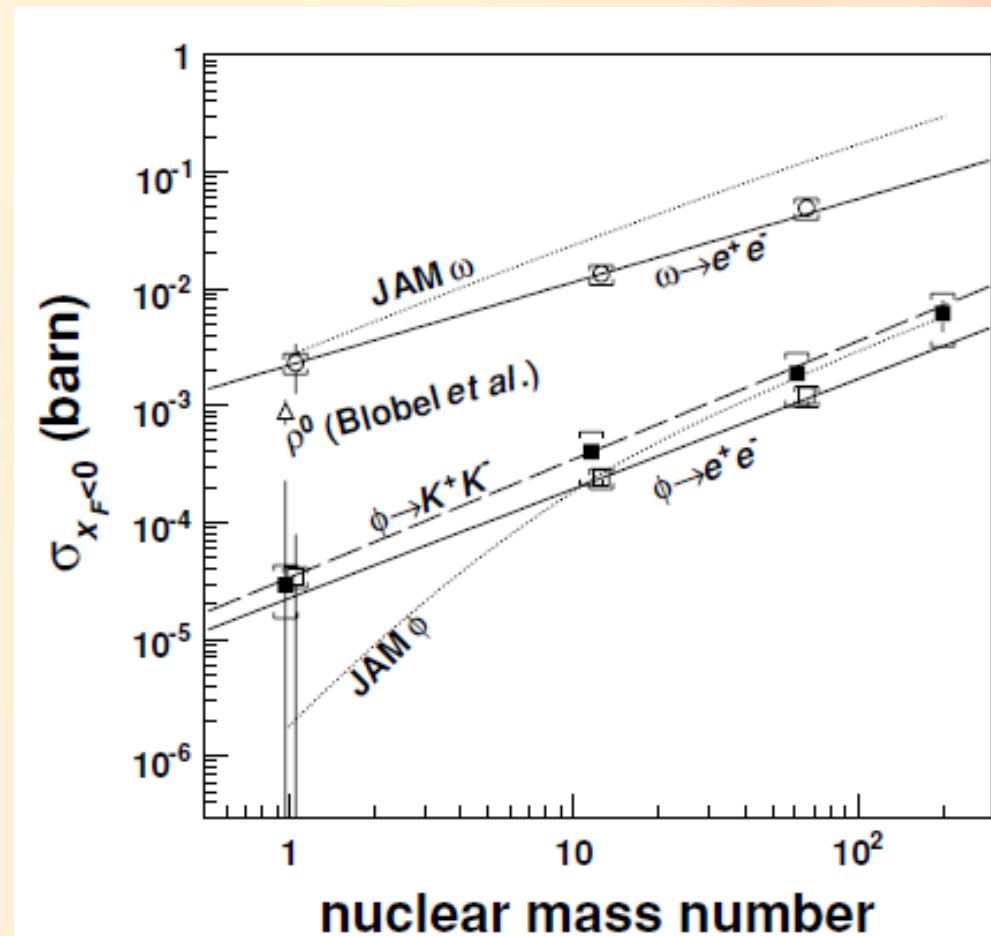
	ρ/ω	ϕ
$m(\rho)/m(0)$	$1 - \mathbf{k}_1^{\rho/\omega} (\rho/\rho_0)$	$1 - \mathbf{k}_1^{\phi} (\rho/\rho_0)$
$\Gamma(\rho)/\Gamma(0)$	1	$1 + \mathbf{k}_2^{\phi} (\rho/\rho_0)$
generation point	surface	uniform
α ($\sigma(A) \propto A^\alpha$)	0.710 ± 0.021	0.937 ± 0.049
density distribution	Woods-Saxon, radius: C:2.3fm/Cu:4.1fm	

nuclear mass number dependence

$$\sigma(A) = \sigma_0 A^\alpha$$

ω, ϕ production
in $p+A(\text{CH}_2, \text{C}, \text{Cu})$

	α
ω	$0.710 \pm 0.021 \pm 0.037$
ϕ	$0.937 \pm 0.049 \pm 0.018$

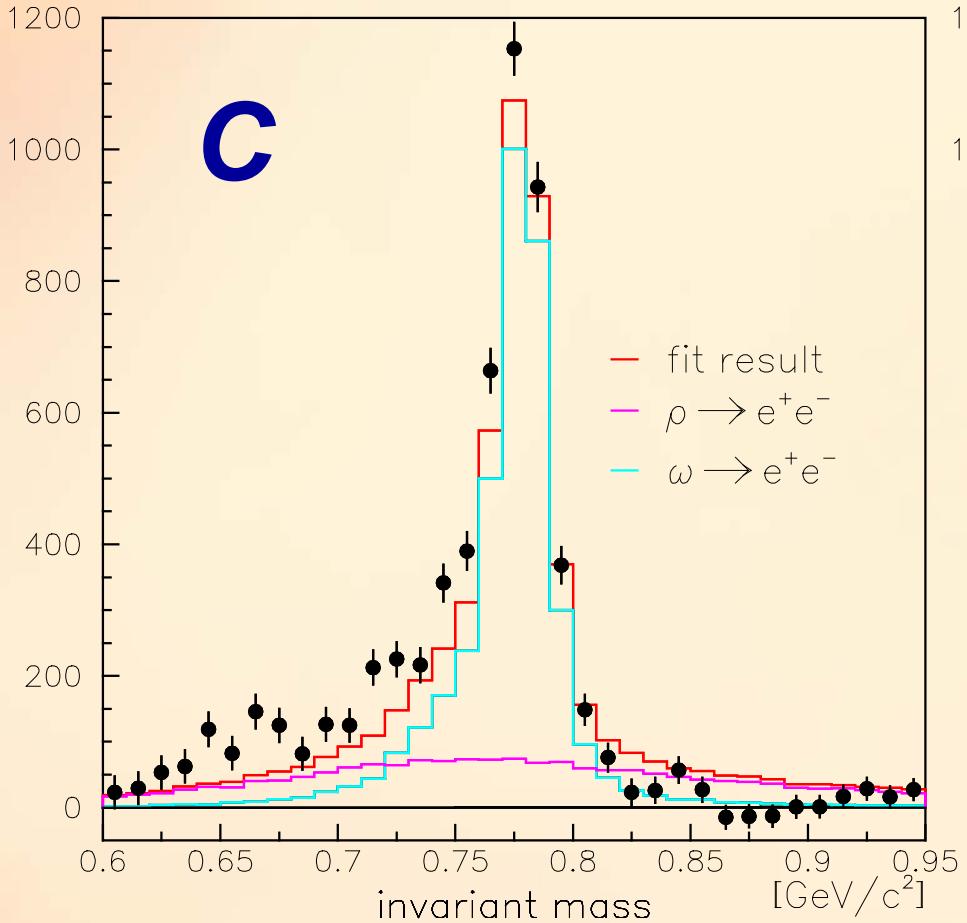


T. Tabaru *et al.* Phys. Rev. C74 (2006) 025201

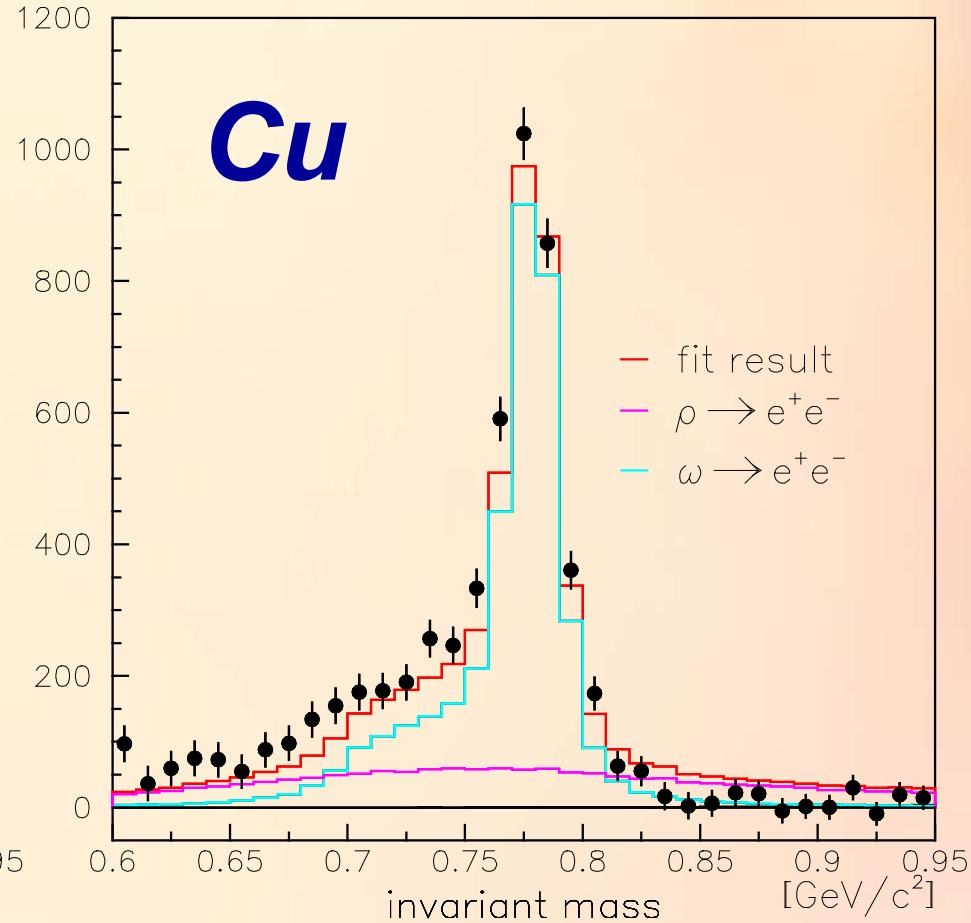
Width Broadening

$$k_1 = 0.08 \quad k_2 = 1$$

events[/ $10 \text{ MeV}/c^2$]



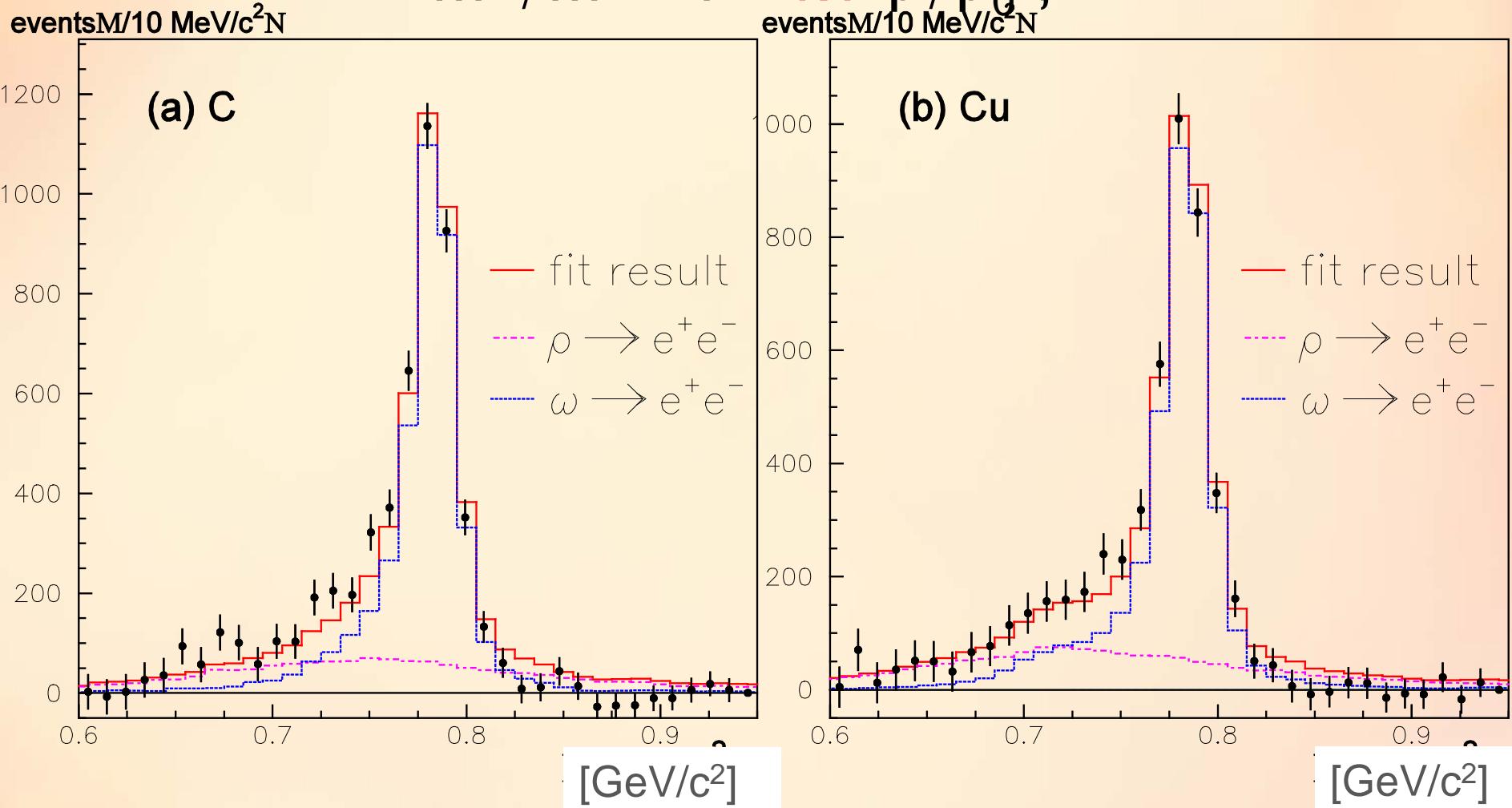
events[/ $10 \text{ MeV}/c^2$]



the best fit values are; $k_1 = 9.2 \pm 0.6\%$ $k_2 < 0.32(90\% \text{ C.L.})$

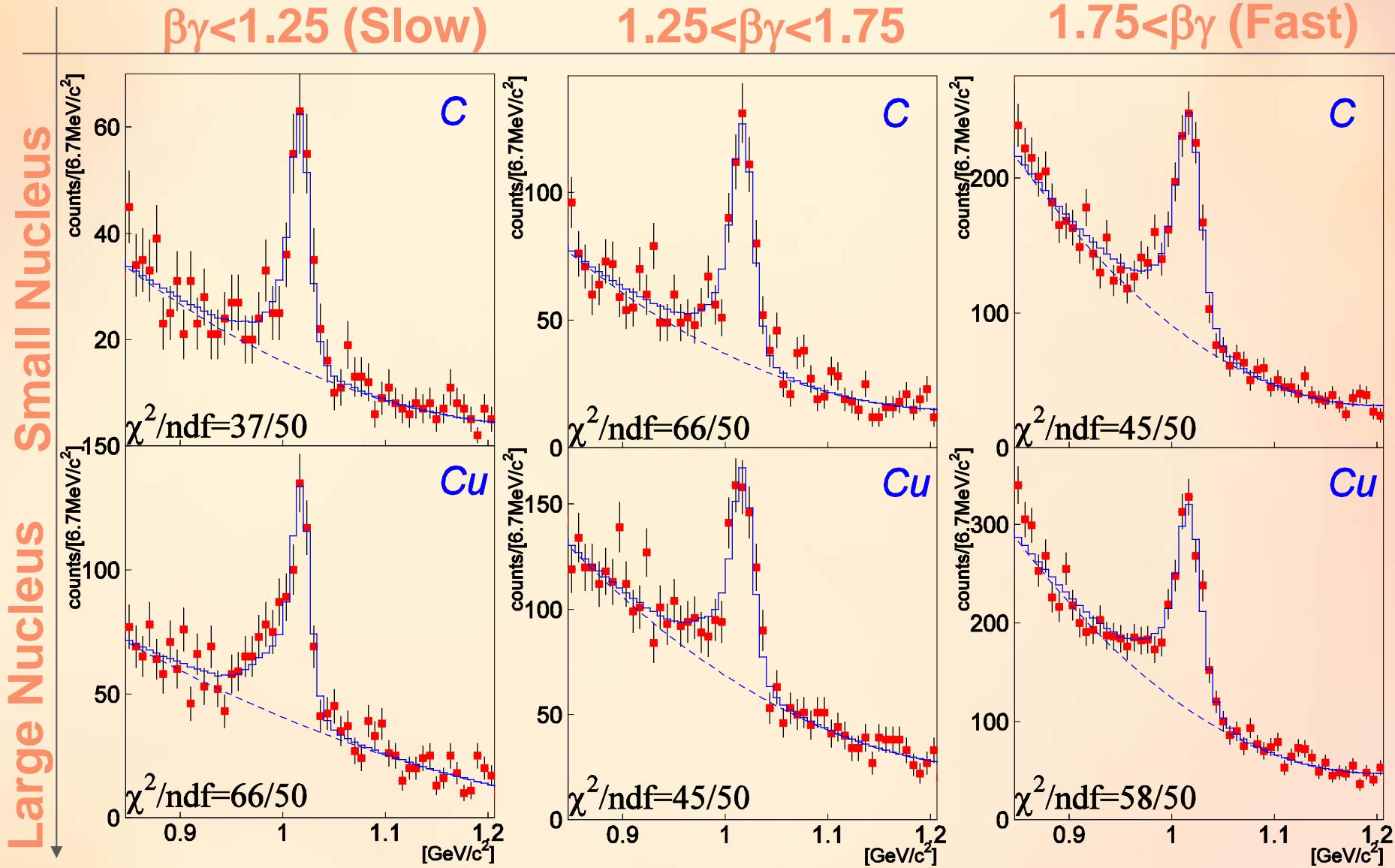
Comparison w/ Model

$$m^*/m = 1 - k_1 \rho/\rho_0,$$

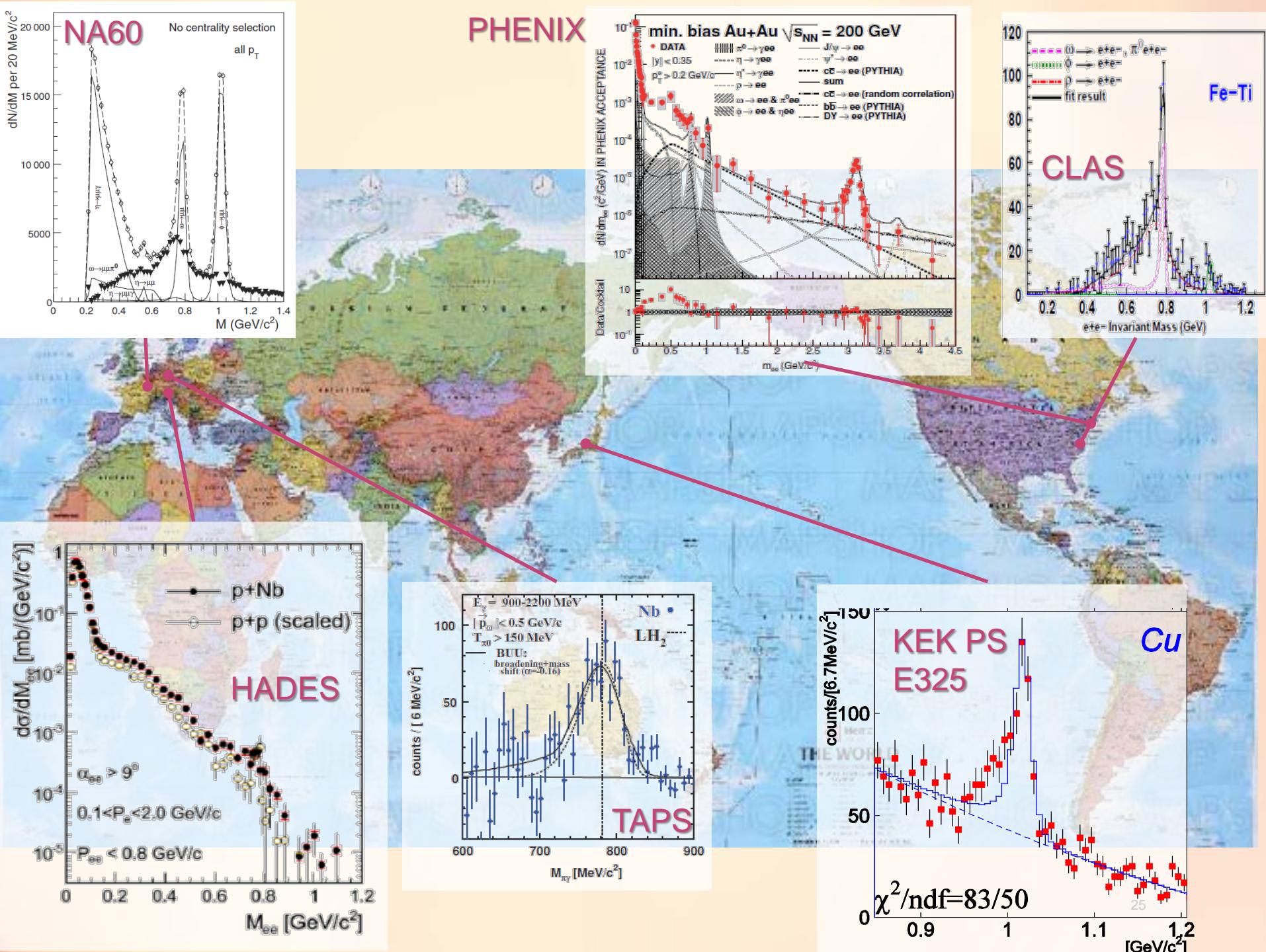


well reproduced with the 9% mass decrease at ρ_0 .

Comparison w/ Model Calc.



reproduced with $m^*/m = 1 - 3.4\% \rho/\rho_0$ & $\Gamma/\Gamma_0 = 1 + 2.6\rho/\rho_0^{24}$



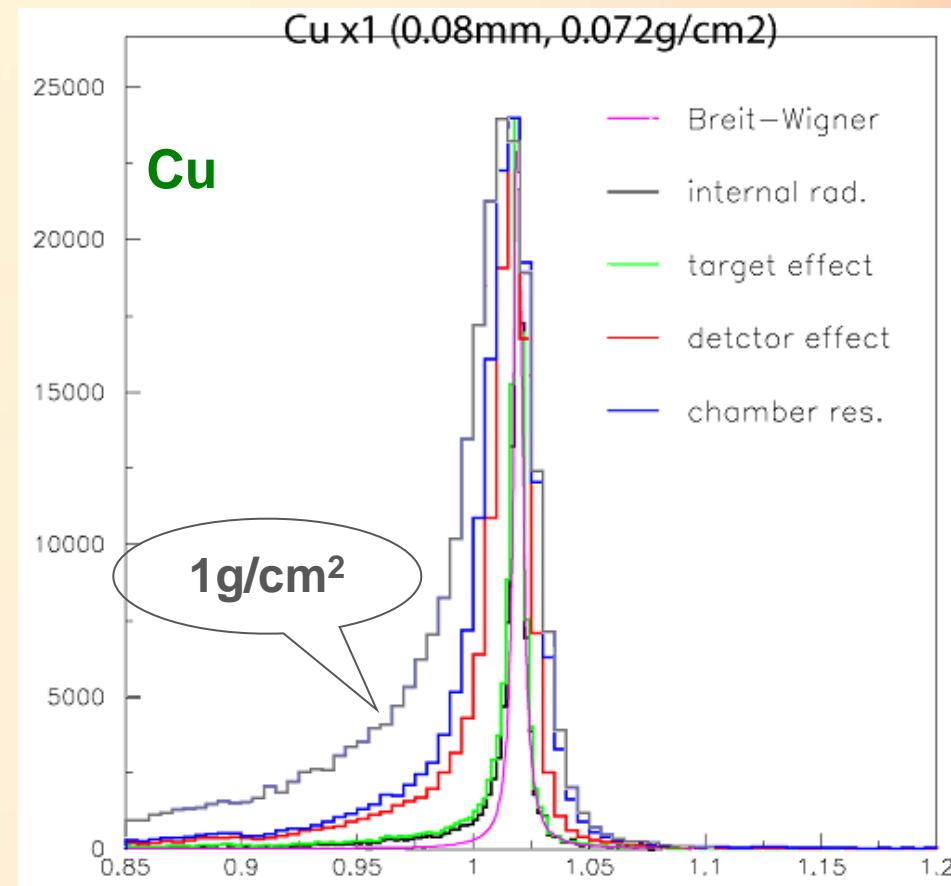
Keys to Dilepton Measurement

- thin target (low material)
 - keep good S/N
 - suppress radiative tail
- good resolution
 - state spectral modification
- systematic study
 - crucial information to understand the physics behind

Target

$$\sigma_V \propto A^{\alpha \approx 1}, Bremsh \propto Z^2, Background \propto Z^4$$

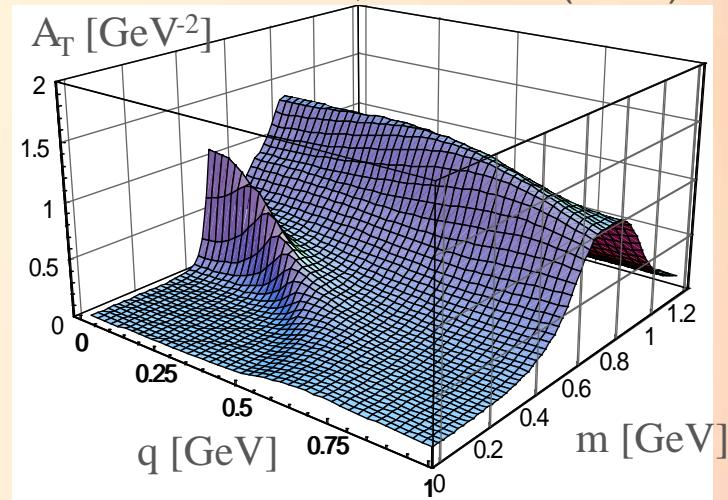
	Target		
	Matrl.	Beam Int. (pps)	Int. length
KEK E325	Cu	3×10^8	0.05% (0.07g/cm²)
CLAS	Fe-Ti	$\sim 10^7/s$	1g/cm²
TAPS	Nb	$\sim 10^7/s$	0.4%
HADES	Nb	$10^7/s$	~2%
NA60	In	2.5×10^6	20%



Summary & Outlook

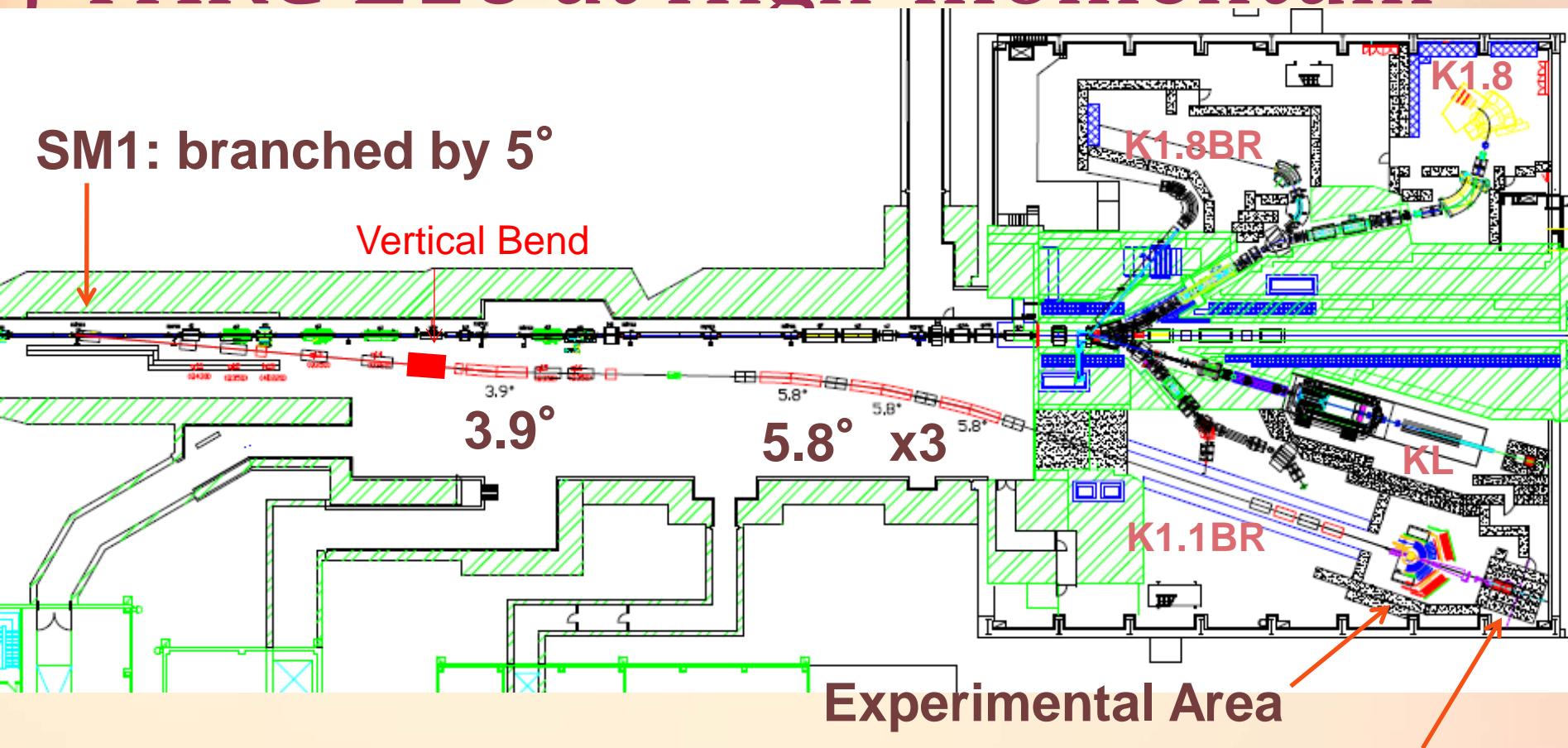
- **Solid Statement:** spectral modification of vector meson have been observed in various reactions at various energies.
- **BUT** there is no general consensus on the theoretical interpretations.

M. Post et al., NPA 741 (2004) 81



- The real effect might be a composition of shift, broadening and/or dip-like structure etc.
- The spectral modification will largely depend on momentum.
→ **precise measurement w/ high statistics & resolution**
 - systematic study: dispersion relation, system size dependence

I-PARC E16 at High-momentum



at SM1 high-p beam branches off from the primary line

- 30 GeV primary proton ($10^{10}/\text{s}$, $10^{12}/\text{s}$)
- 8 GeV primary proton for COMET
- secondary particles ($\sim 20 \text{ GeV}/c$)

Di-electron spectrometer to investigate medium mass modification of vector meson (J-PARC E16)

10^7 interaction (10 X E325)

10^{10} protons/spill

with 0.1% interaction length target

→ **GEM Tracker**

Large Acceptance (5 X E325)

Higher energy beam (12 → 30GeV)

x ~ 2 of production CS

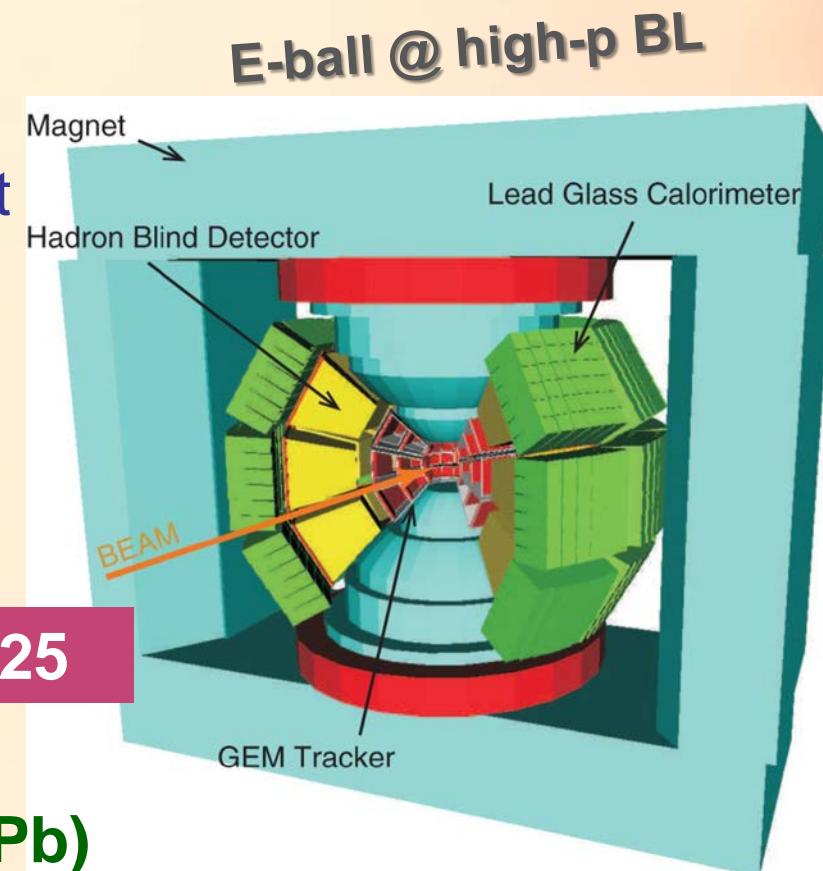
100 times as large statistics as E325

velocity dependence

nuclear number dependence ($p \rightarrow Pb$)

centrality dependence

→ systematic study of mass modification



Detector R & D

Particle tracking in a magnetic field
and measure momentum.

Gas Electron Multiplier (GEM)

High Rate Capability (up to 25kHz/mm²)

Can cover Large acceptance (No wire)

Good resolution & Low material

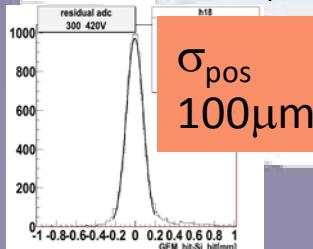
3 chambers of GEM Tracker @ r=20, 40, 60 cm

GEM foil (30cm x 30cm)



Beam test @ Tohoku ELPH

Made in Japan



- Enough position resolution is achieved.
- Ready for mass production.

Electron identification in large acceptance

Hadron Blind Detector (HBD)

Mirror less gas cherenkov counter

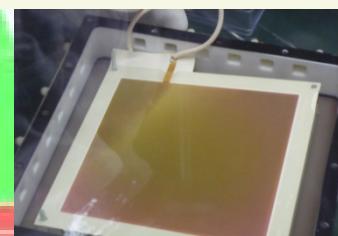
CsI photocathode (UV sensitive) +

Gas Electron Multiplier (GEM)

Follow PHENIX exp @ BNL

CsI is evaporated on the surface of the top GEM.
Photoelectrons are amplified using GEM (like Track

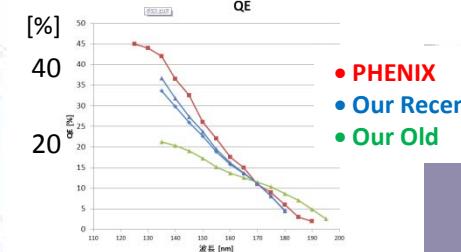
CsI evaporated GEM foil



GEM made in Japan

CsI is evaporated by ourselves.

Quantum Efficiency

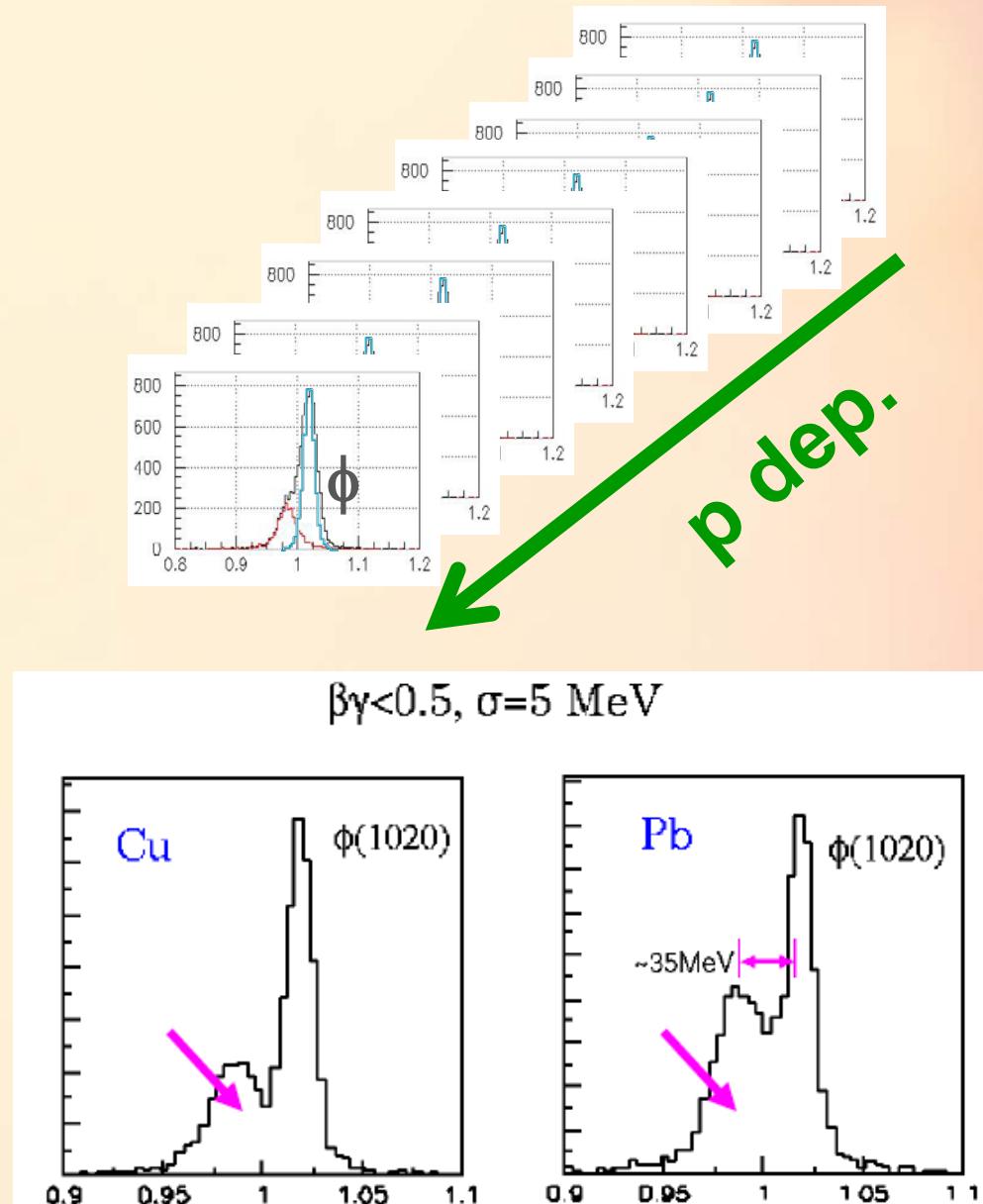
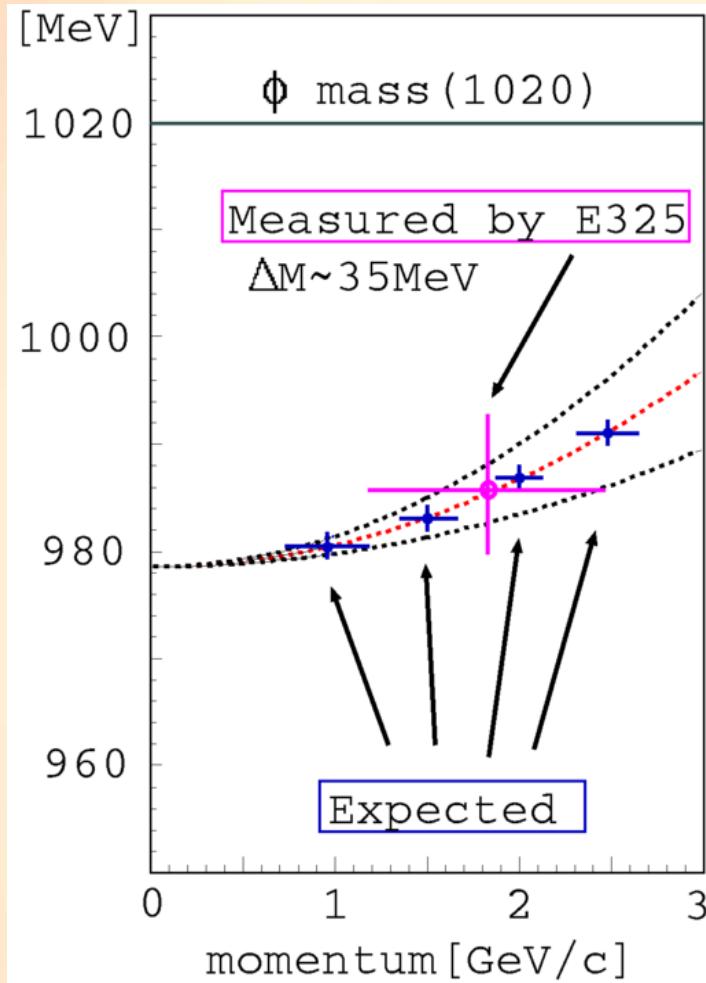


Enough Q.E. is achieved

- pion rejection factor 100 with e-efficiency 70% achieved.
- Improvement of efficiency is on going.

Expected Signal

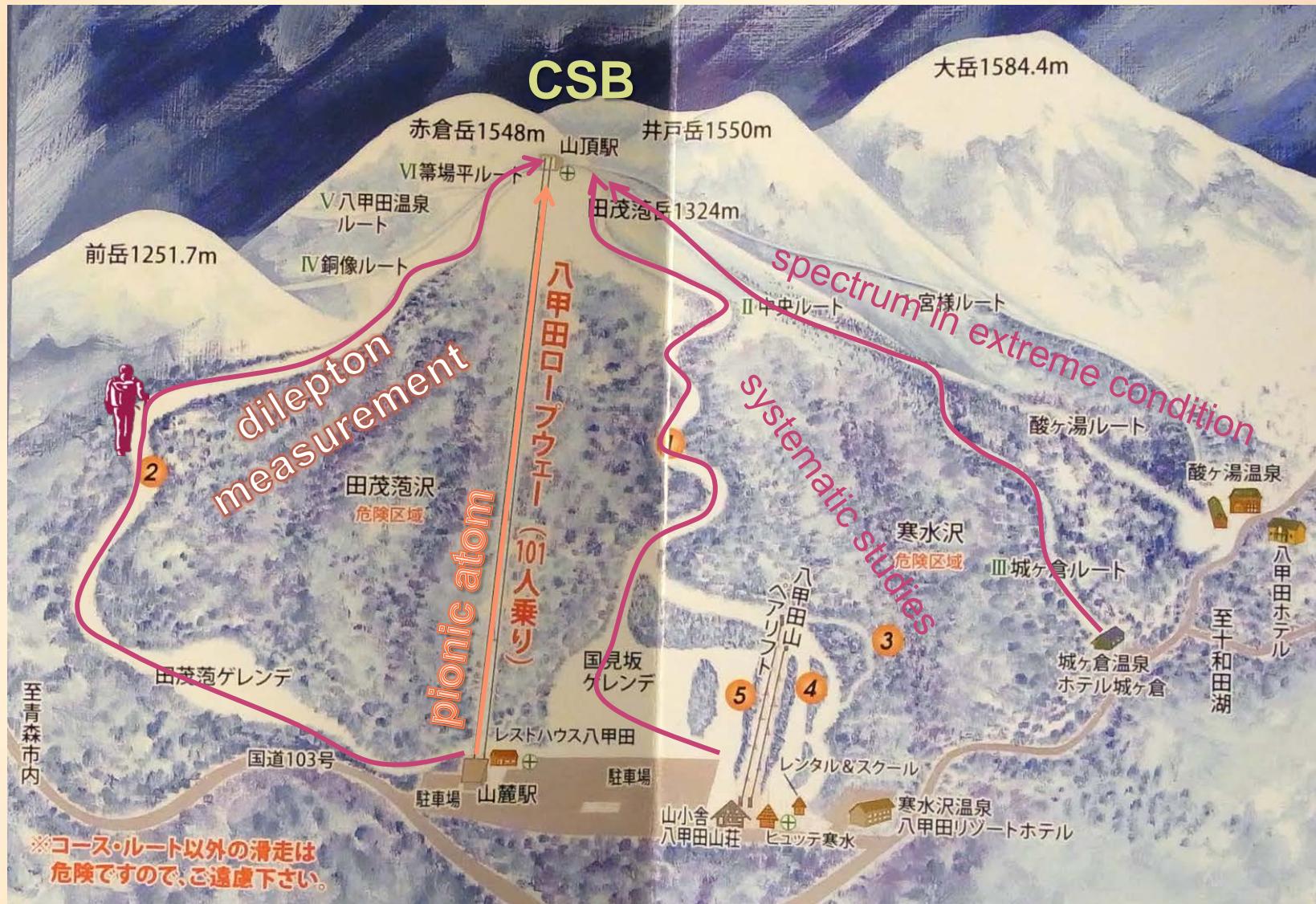
momentum dependence of mass



History & Schedule

- 2014
 - beam line construction
 - mass production
- 2015
 - spectrometer construction at the hadron hall
- 2016 Jan.
 - high-momentum beam line is completed.
 - first commissioning run





Thank you for your attention!