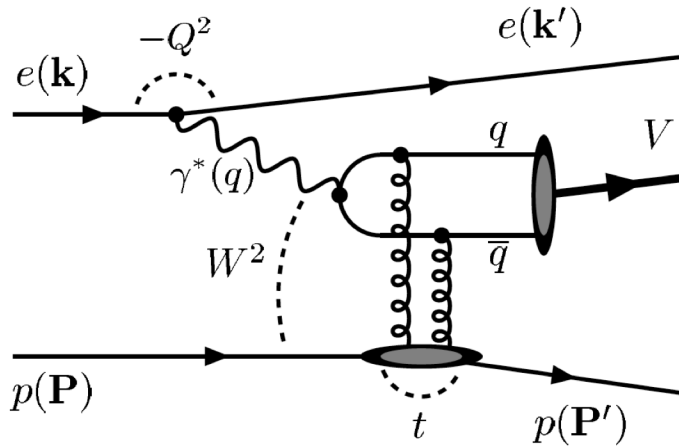




# Reconstruction of VMs (ZEUS experience)

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# Detector for VM



**Figure 2.** Exclusive vector meson production described by perturbative quantum chromodynamics.

- Scattered electron
- decay products of VM
- recoil proton

Need to understand how the design of past detectors (ZEUS, H1, etc) impacted the observation of VMs to guide optimal designs for the EIC detector.

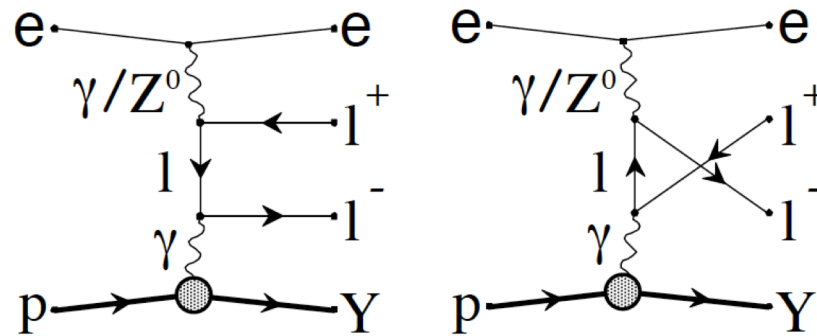
Need to know the background.

ZEUS paper by Robert Ciesielsky

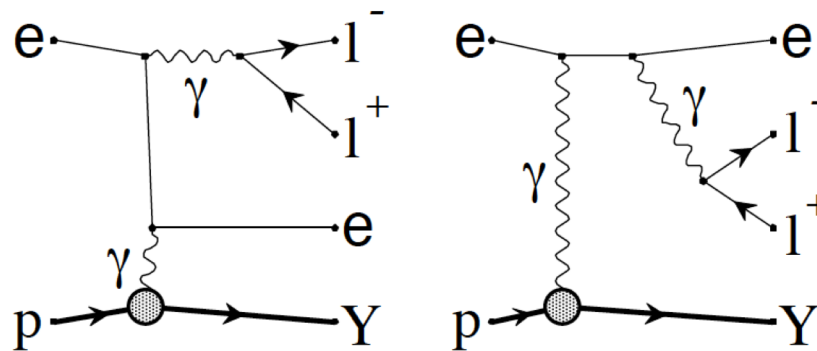
JLAB/EIC<sup>2</sup> summer student Brent Lawson

# Detector for VM ( $J/\psi$ )

Main non-resonant background process is a di-lepton production



(a) Bethe-Heitler type diagrams



(b) QED-Compton type diagrams

# VM at ZEUS

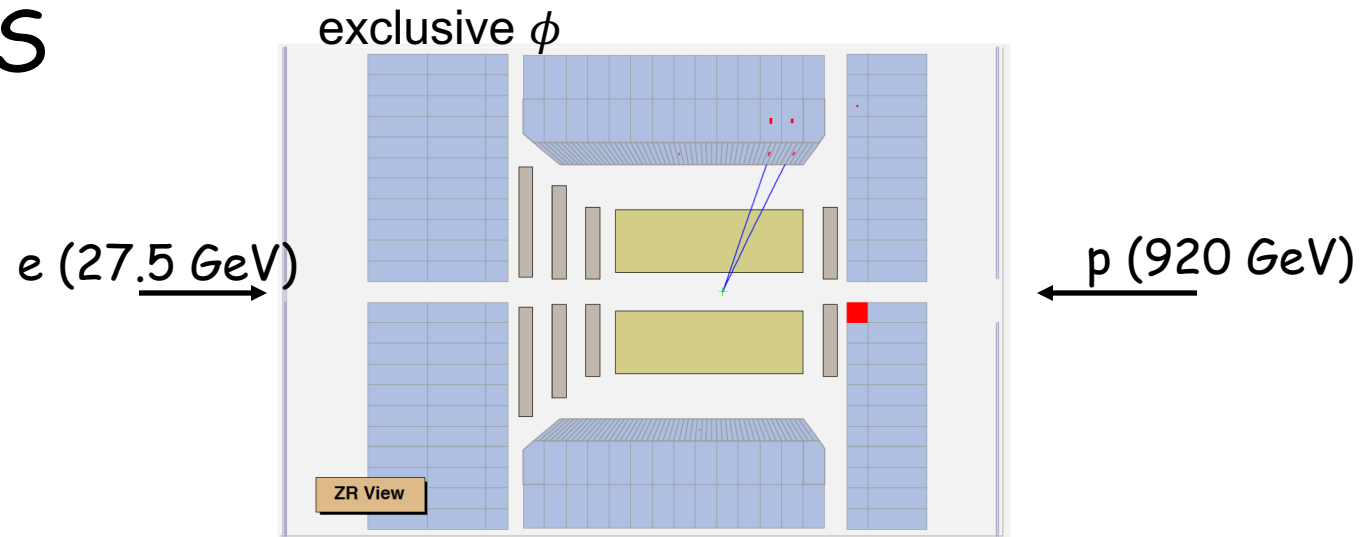
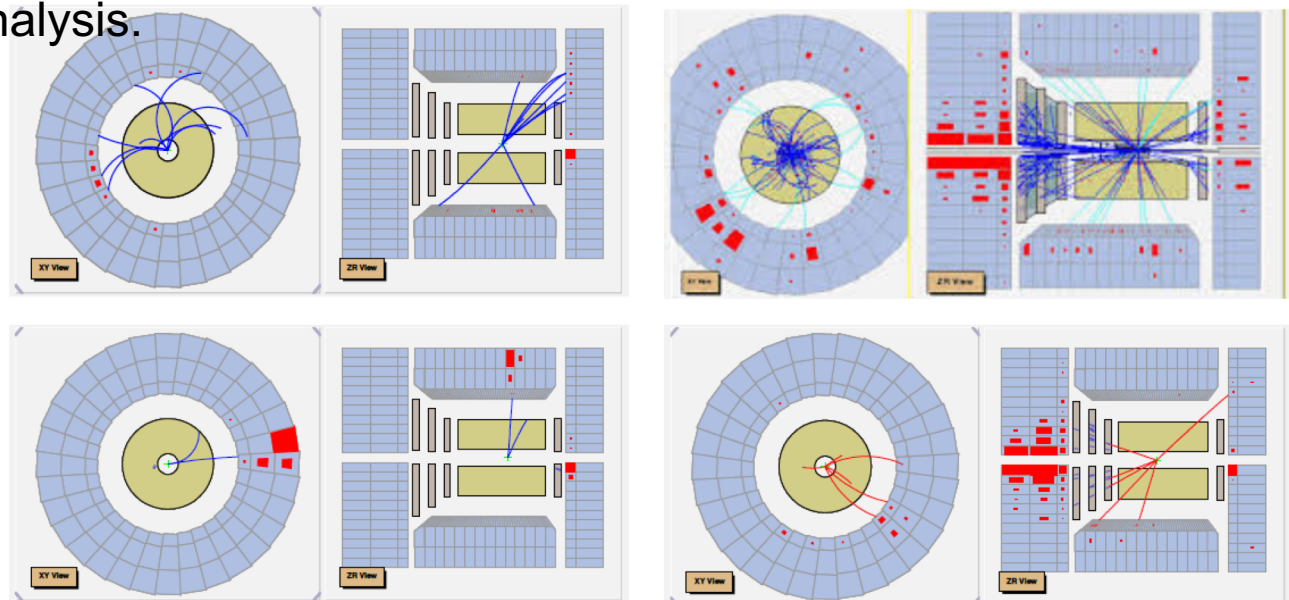


Figure 3. Example of the tracks and energy deposits for exclusive  $\phi$  production.

Background: Examples of events that are not exclusive  $\phi$  production, that needs to be removed during the analysis.



# VM ( $\phi \rightarrow K^+ K^-$ ) at ZEUS

## Cuts used for data selection

1.  $2 < \# \text{ of tracks in CTD} < 5$
2. Tracks must have opposite charges and be associated with primary vertex
3.  $E'_e > 10 \text{ GeV}$  in a reliable region of detector
4. Tracks must pass through  $> 3$  superlayers in the CTD
5. Tracks must have trans. momentum  $> 0.15 \text{ GeV}$
6. Tracks must be within  $|\eta| < 1.7$  (angle)
7.  $|V_{tx_z}| < 50 \text{ cm}$  and  $V_{tx_r} < 0.8 \text{ cm}$
8. Energy in inner ring of forward calorimeter  $< 1 \text{ GeV}$
9. No extraneous tracks with  $E > 0.3 \text{ GeV}$
10.  $2 < Q^2 < 70 \text{ GeV}^2$
11.  $45 < E-p_z < 65 \text{ GeV}$
12.  $35 < W < 200 \text{ GeV}$
13.  $|t| < 0.6$
14.  $1.01 < M_{KK} < 1.10 \text{ GeV}$

No PID

at HERA- initial e: 27.5GeV

For track reconstruction (no vertex for HERA-1)

Only CTD area

Beam background rejection

"Exclusivity" cut, no forward detection at HERA.

NC DIS:  $E-p_z \sim 2E_e \sim 55 \text{ GeV}$   
(for EIC  $\sim 20 \text{ GeV}$  ( $2 \times 10$ ))

# VM ( $\phi \rightarrow K^+ K^-$ ) at ZEUS

Brent Lawson

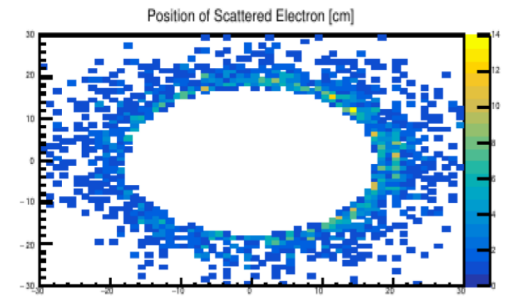
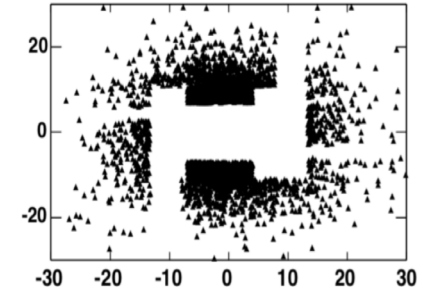
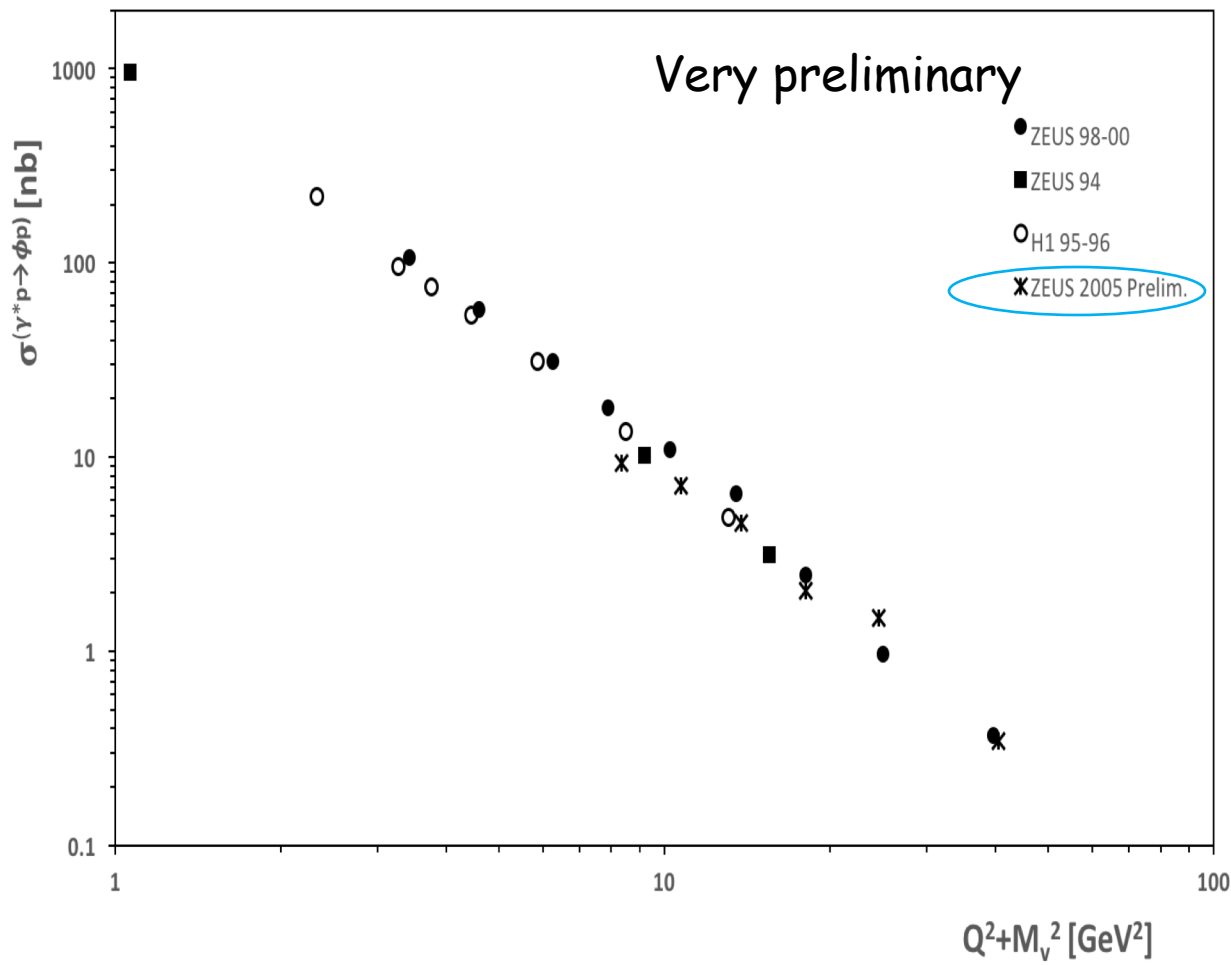
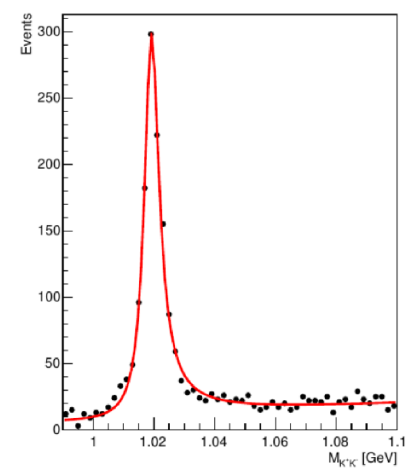


Figure 9. Electron position cuts from ZEUS detector during HERA-I<sup>4</sup> and HERA-II

Invariant mass peak for  $\phi$  vector meson fit with a Relativistic Breit-Wigner distribution and a second order polynomial to describe the background



# Decay products of VMs: momentum reconstruction

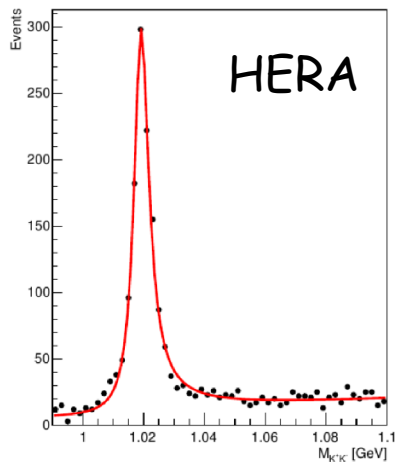
## $\phi$ -mesons

$$\text{Br}(\phi \rightarrow K^+ K^-) \sim 49\%$$

## $\rho$ -mesons

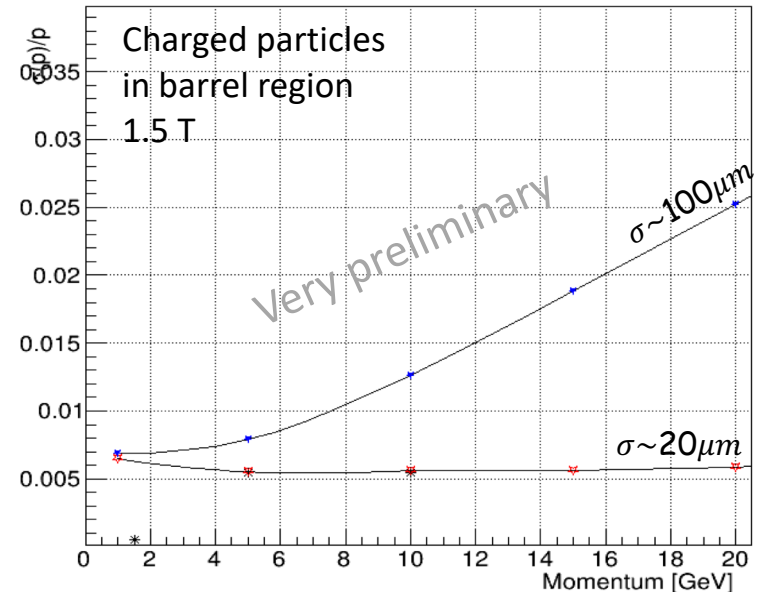
$$\text{Br}(\rho \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-) \sim 100\%$$

Invariant mass peak for  $\phi$  vector meson fit with a Relativistic Breit-Wigner distribution and a second order polynomial to describe the background



- Momentum resolution affects invariant mass spectrum width
- At EIC, momentum resolution below few % is required
- Need PID!!

## Momentum resolution



# J/ψ identification

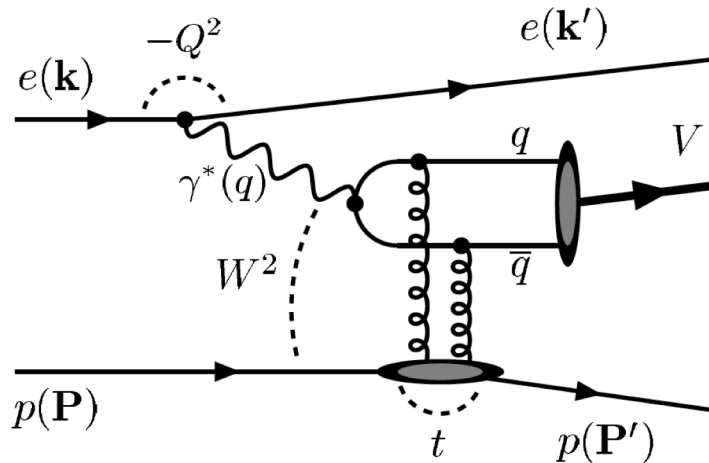


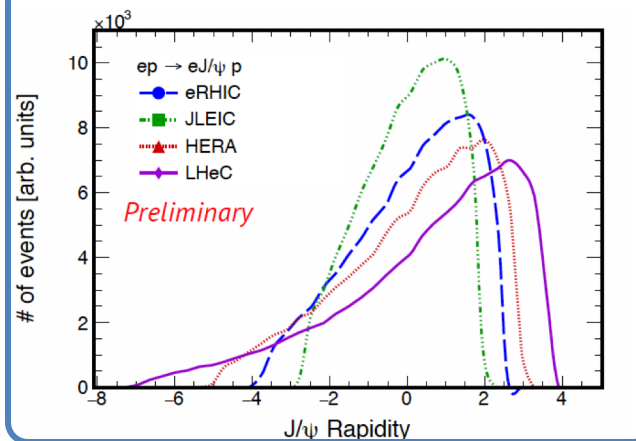
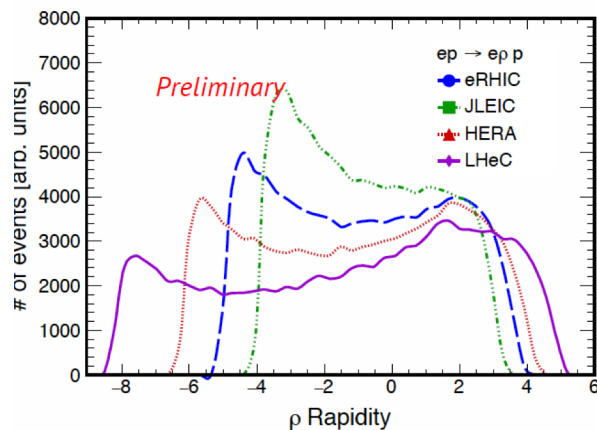
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J/ψ

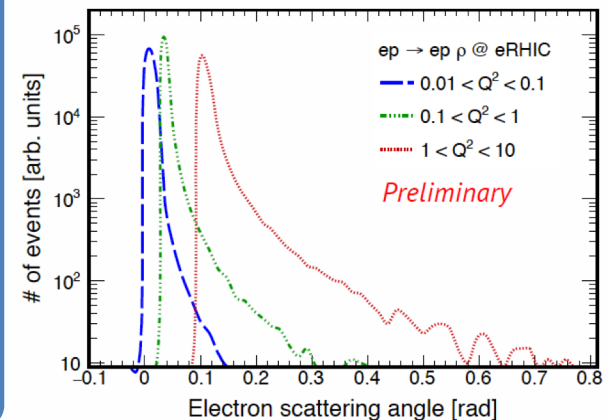
$$\text{Br}(J/\psi \rightarrow e^+e^-) \sim 6\%$$

$$\text{Br}(J/\psi \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-) \sim 6\%$$

Need lepton identification



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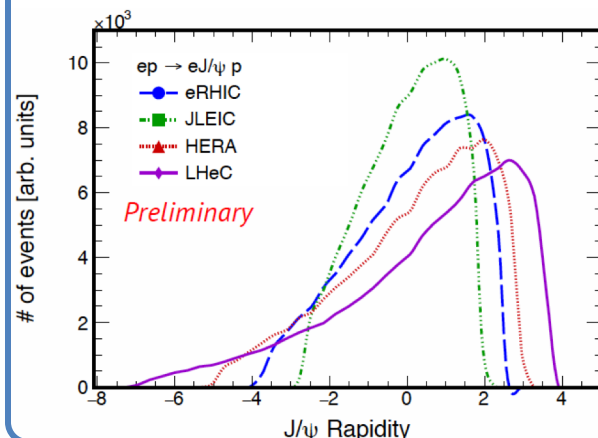
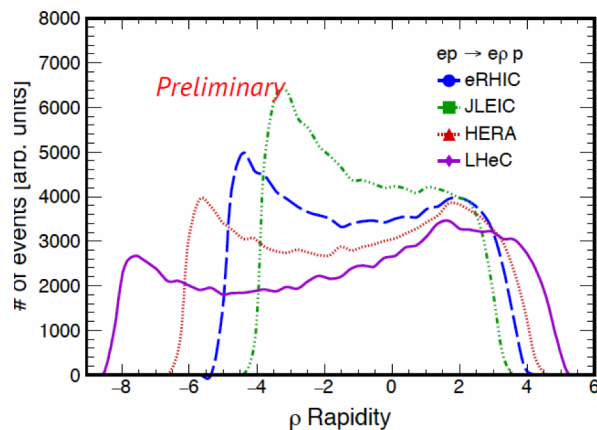


# Electron identification (e/hadron separation)

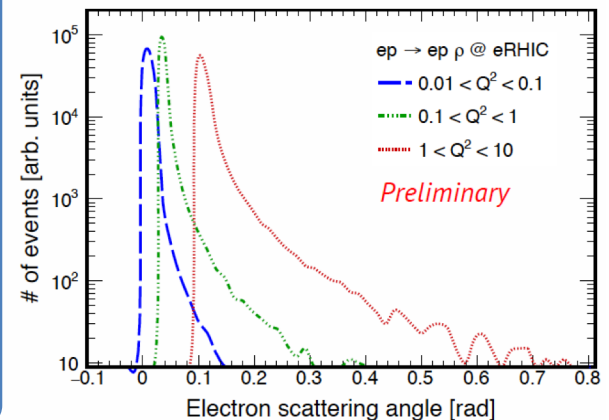
$Br(J/\psi \rightarrow e^+e^-) \sim 6\%$

- ✓ For electron identification we use mainly calorimeter
- ✓  $e/\pi$  rejection for EMCAL is 50 (100)
- ✓ HCAL  $e/\pi$  rejection  $\sim 5$ .
- ✓ TRD  $e/\pi$  rejection  $\sim 5$ -10/layer

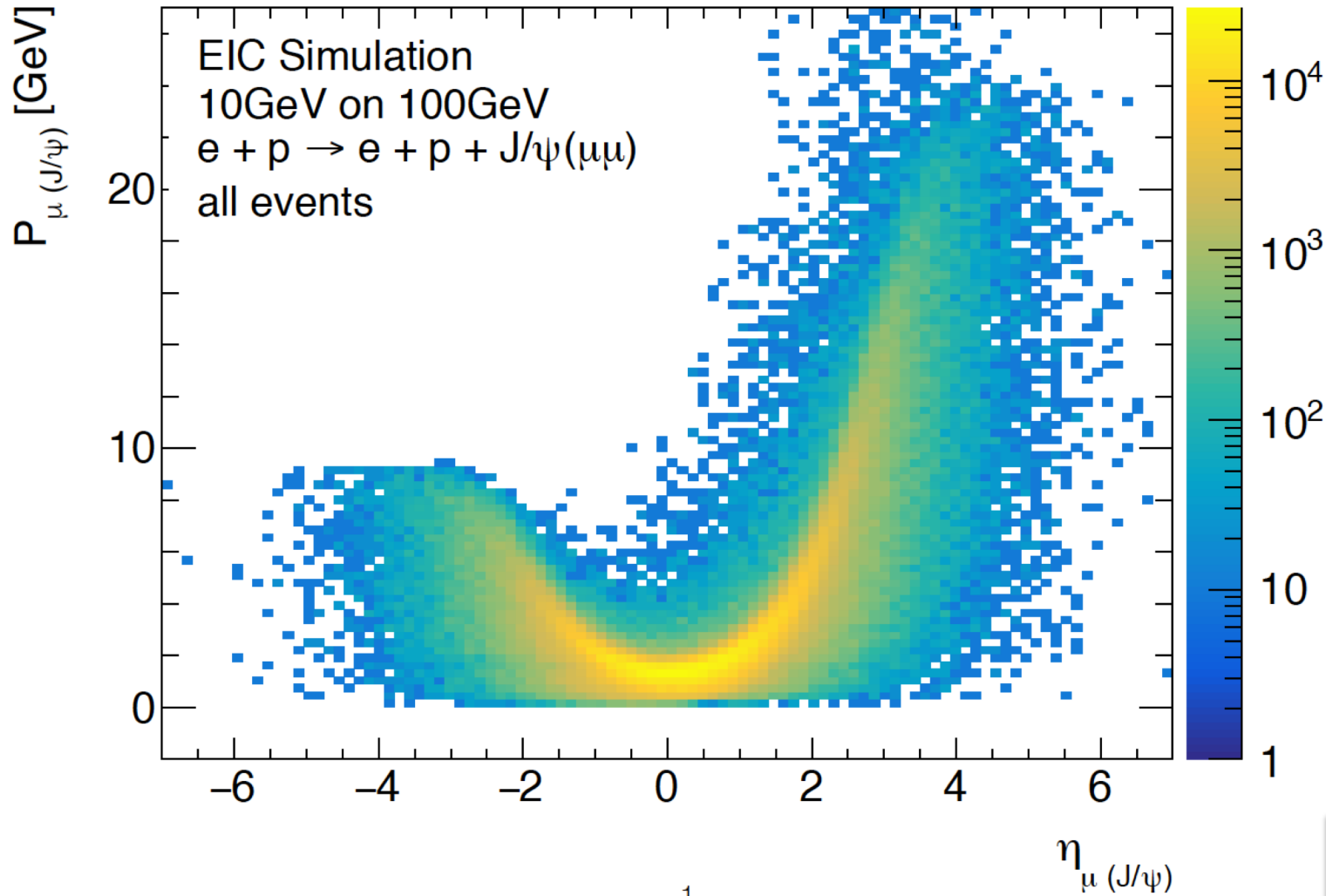
- ✓ Kinematics: boosted towards hadron- endcap
- ✓ Very high hadron background
- ✓ Need hadron suppression by  $10^4$
- ✓ Need additional tools for electron identification



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# Muons from $J/\psi$

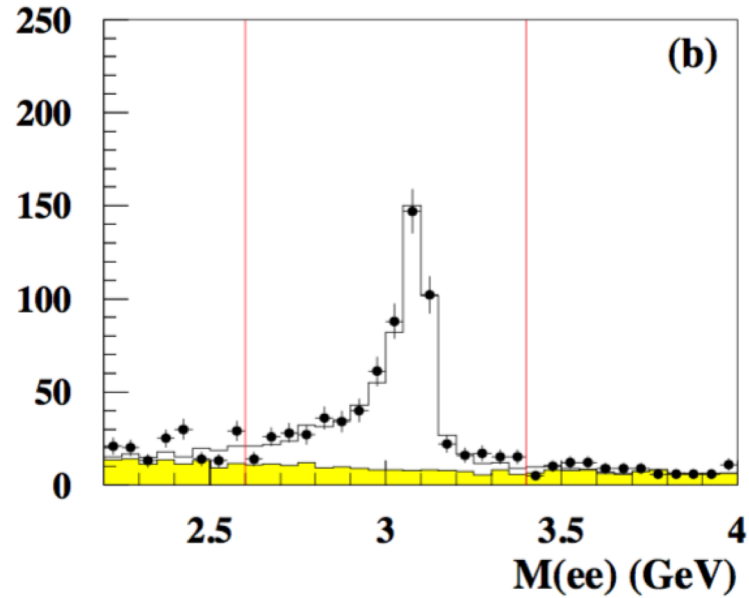
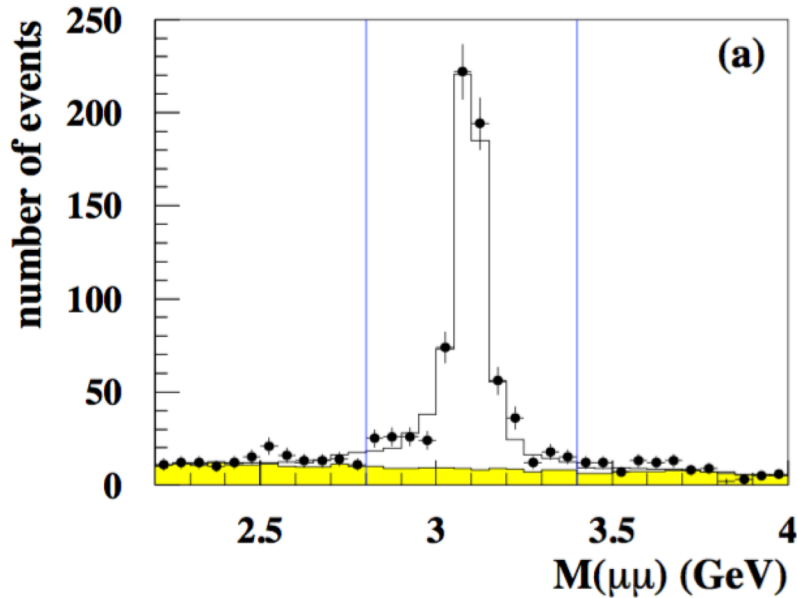


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# Muon identification

ZEUS/HERA data  
(Robert Ciesielsky)

$Br(J/\psi \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-) \sim 6\%$



- Much cleaner sample from muon decay channel
- $e^-p \rightarrow e^-p(J/\psi \rightarrow e^+e^-) \rightarrow e^-e^-e^+p$

# From other fields(Heavy flavor physics)

## Semi-leptonic channels

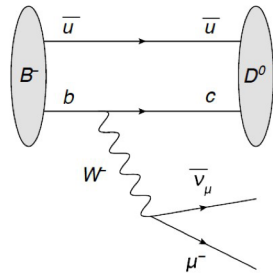
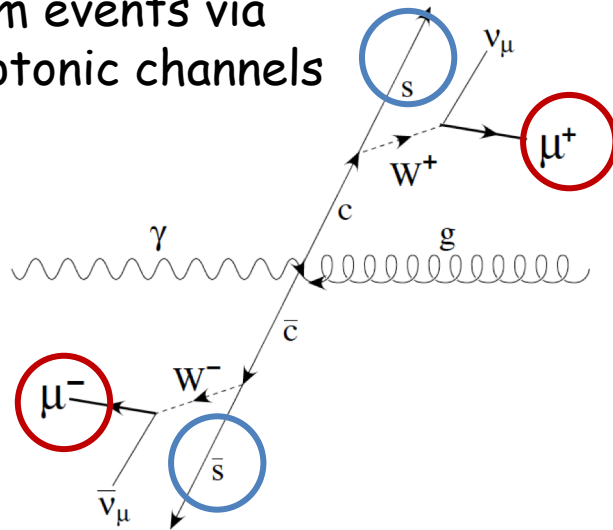


Figure 2.15.: Quark level diagram for the decay  $B^- \rightarrow D^0 \mu^- \nu_\mu$ .

## Di-charm events via semi-leptonic channels



BR:  $c \rightarrow \text{lepton} + X$  ( $\sim 17\% ?$ )

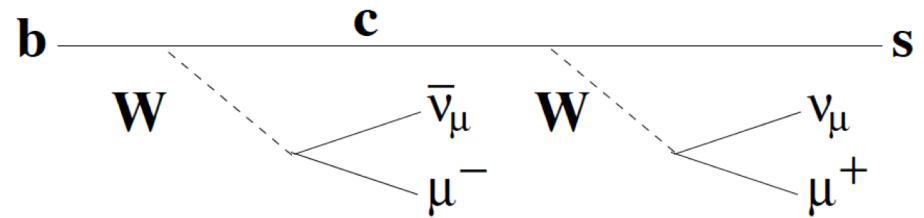
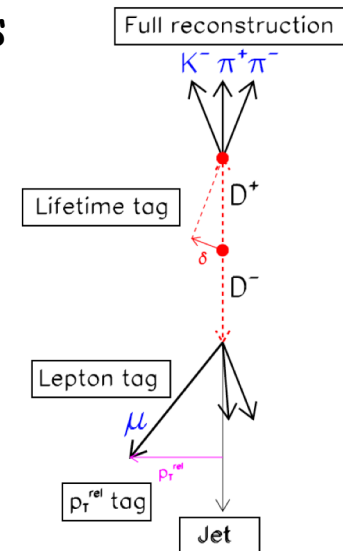


Figure 2.12: Cascade decay of a beauty quark.

## Di-charm events, Combination of inclusive and exclusive decays



# Muon identification/instrumentation

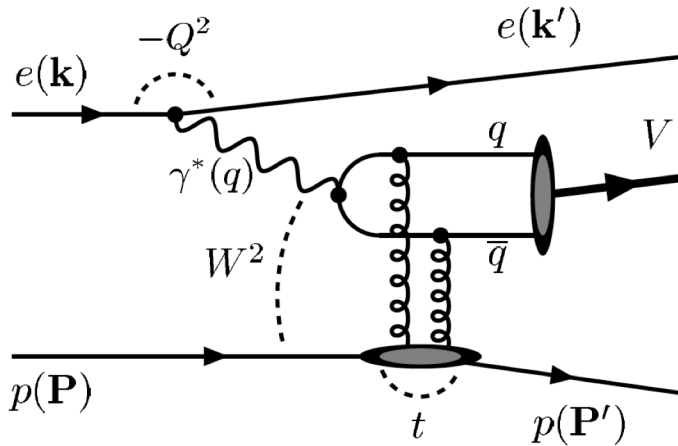
For high energy (above a few  $GeV$ ), muons identification is based on **low rate of interaction** of muons with matter...

If charged particle penetrates large amount of absorbers **with minor energy losses and small angular displacement** -- such particle is considered a muon

Problem: Hadrons create shower in absorber. If the absorber is too thin the shower can leak through....

- $E_{emcal}/E_{tot}$  , for muons Min energy in EMCAL and HCAL
- $p/E$  (momentum vs total energy)
- $dE/dx$ , cluster counting in tracking detectors ( need electronics? )
- Do we need additional instrumentation: muon chambers behind HCAL ?

# Forward instrumentation



$$t = (P_p - P_{p'})^2 = -P_{T J/\psi}^2 \quad (\text{for PHP})$$

**Figure 2.** Exclusive vector meson production described by perturbative quantum chromodynamics.

At HERA (no detection for  $p'$ ):

$$|t| \approx (p_x^e + p_x^{l+} + p_x^{l-})^2 + ((p_y^e + p_y^{l+} + p_y^{l-})^2),$$

For EIC : far-forward proton detection!

# Conclusion

- Kinematic coverage ( including PHP)
- Background ( identify sources of background, proper cuts/selection
- Far-Forward instrumentation
- Hadron identification  $\pi/K(\phi, \text{etc...})$
- Lepton identification ( $J/\psi$ )
  - Additional tools for  $e/\pi$  rejection
  - Muon identification