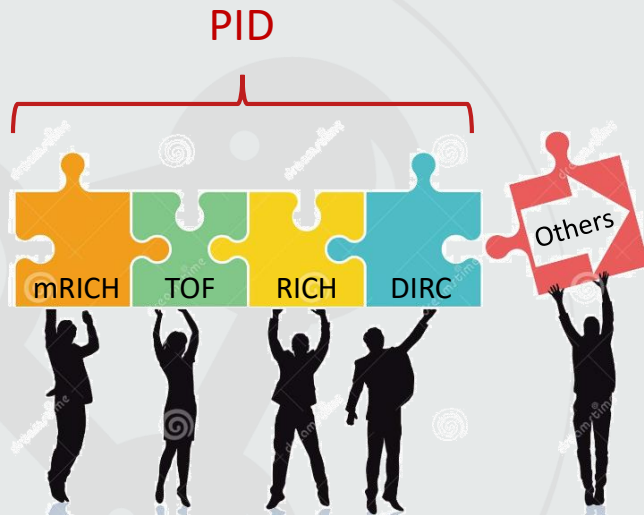


# PID

PID Deliverables to Pavia:

- Requirements on “external” systems
- **Pro/Con matrix (e-Arm, Barrel, h-Arm)**
- Physics requirements.



Physics

Community



Detectors

Machine

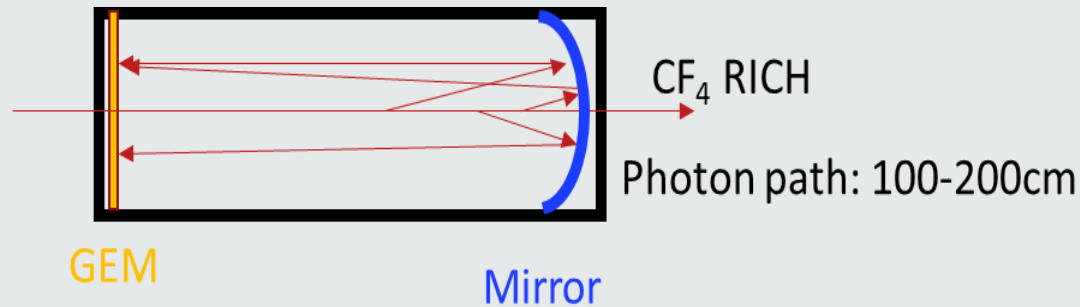
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# Where we are: Summary Table

	p-Range @ Radiator L	Contr. $\mathcal{D}_c$	Param.	Pro/Con	Ext Const	MONTECARLO Simulatoion
psec TOF LGAD TOF	Up to 10 Depends on $\sigma_T$ and L	NO	~YES	YES	~ YES	NO
dual RICH (aerogel, gas)	2-60 @ 1.6 m	YES <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chroma</li> <li>• Emission</li> <li>• Pixel</li> <li>• Field</li> <li>• Tracking</li> </ul>	YES	YES	YES <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Simulated constant w/ momentum</li> </ul>	YES <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GEMC/Geant4</li> <li>• AI-driven Optimization</li> </ul>
GEM RICH (Gas Electron Multipliers)	20-50 @1m	• Chroma • (Emission) • Pixel • Tracking	YES	YES	YES	YES (Simplified)
modular RICH (mRICH)	2-10 @ 3 cm	YES <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chroma</li> <li>• Emission</li> <li>• Pixel</li> <li>• Tracking</li> </ul>	~YES	YES	YES (tracking)	~YES <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GEMC/Geant4 work in progress</li> </ul>
Detection of Internally Reflected Cherenkov (DIRC)	0.8-6 @ 1.7 cm	YES <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tracking</li> <li>• Mult. Scat</li> <li>• Chroma, Emission, pixel</li> </ul>	YES	YES	YES	YES <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GEMC/Geant4 without B-field</li> </ul>

# High Momentum GEM RICH

- 1m of  $\text{CF}_4$  radiator at 1.003 bar (slightly overpressure)
- CsI Photocathode on top GEM
- Mirror in deep UV  $\rightarrow$   $\text{MgF}_2$  coating
- Single Photon Capability  $\rightarrow$  quintuple GEM stack with APV25-SRS
- Particles  $\sim$ perpendicularly incident on spherical mirror, focused onto a GEM stack directly



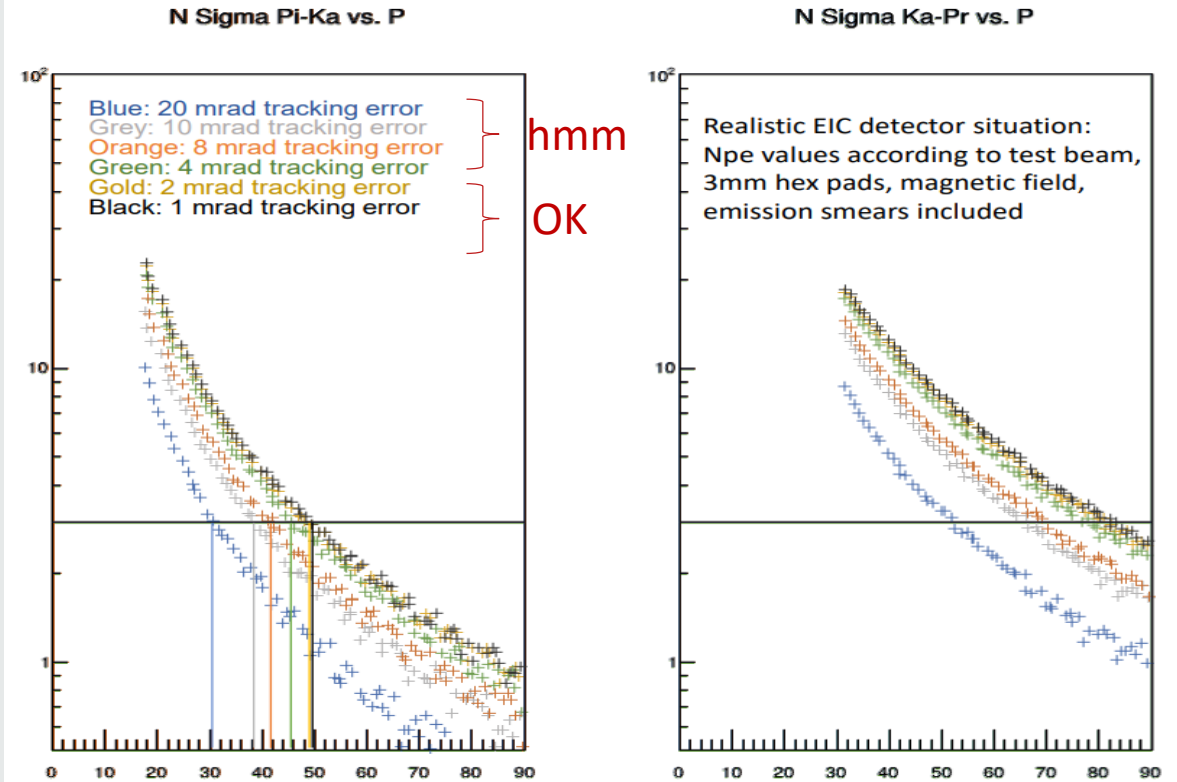
## • Pro

- Sensor insensitive to B-field
- Short (12pe/m windowsless)
- Thin photo-cathode leads to more ideal optics.

## • Con

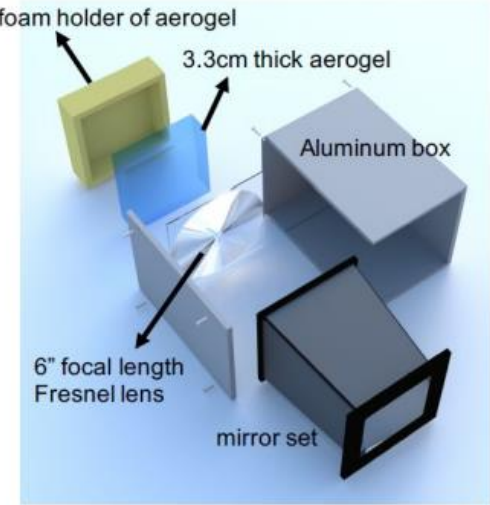
- Unknown how to bridge the gap in  $\pi$ -K
  - High pressure??
  - Different gas??
- Loses light with contaminants @ few ppm level (round trip; tougher than PHENIX HBD...)
  - Requires superb gas system (OK)
  - Requires better detector materials
- Photo-cathode in high radiation zone.

# High Momentum GEM RICH



- Tracking is leading error contribution if worse than  $\sim 7$  mrad.
- Negligible resolution factor around 2 mrad.
- Between 2 and 7 mrad, more detailed investigation is required.
- Plot shows viscerally the effect.
- More detailed simulation required.

# mRICH



## Pros

- Sweet momentum coverage for K/pi separation from 3 GeV to close to 10 GeV. It also provides the capability of e/pi separation around 2 GeV.
- Modular design for array installation. Each module is independent with other modules and can be calibrated separately. Projective capability.
- Performed two beam tests. The working principles have been validated in the first beam test in 2016 and the results have been published in NIM A. Further beam tests with tracking capabilities are expected and under planning.
- Full GEANT4 simulation has been developed and verified using the beam test data.
- An array of mRICH modules have been implemented in the sPHENIX for EIC simulations.

## Cons

- Photon sensors and readout electronics see direct hits of particles. Radiation hardness concerns.
- Acquire aerogel tiles and maintain their long-term stability (optical)
- Need high density photon sensors working in magnetic field.
- Could create extra dead areas between modules. [Could be minimized by projective and creative integration schemes]

### Cherenkov radiator

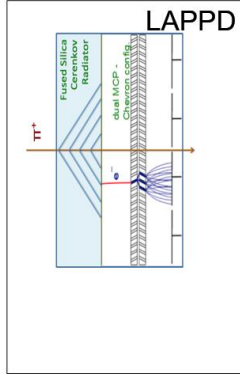
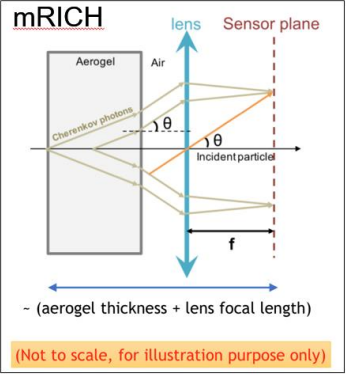
- Aerogel,  $n = 1.03$
- Radiator length,  $L = 3\text{cm}$
- Lens with focal length,  $f = 6\text{ inch}$

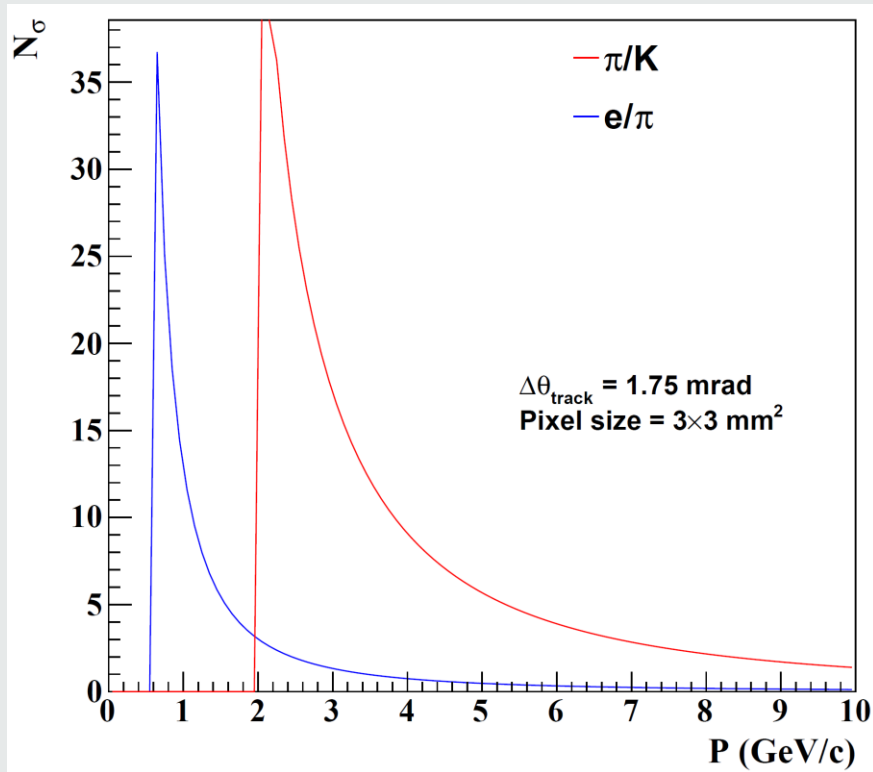
### Photon Detector

- 3 mm pixel size

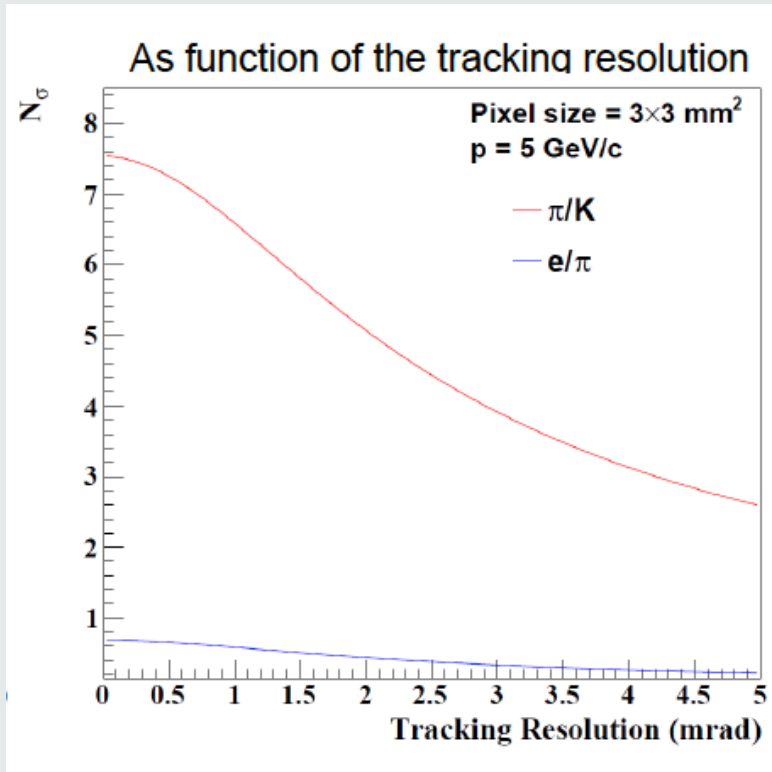
Provide a time meas. with proper sensor?  
Utility of the device is expanded if it provides picosec TOF & Cherenkov

- More quantitative estimate of dead area (foam holder/box/Fresnel corners)
- Sensor issue is general, independent of radiator and optics.



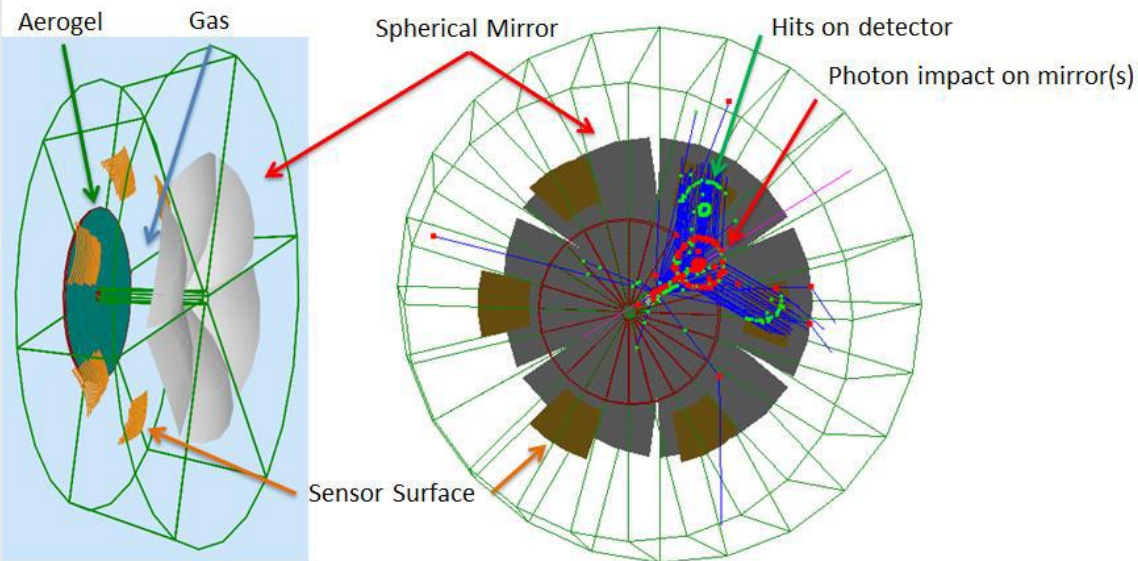


$e/\pi$  excellent at lowest  $p$



Tracking  
influence  
minor

Tracking  
influence  
major



- **Cherenkov radiator**
  - Refractive Index  
 $n = 1.02$  (aerogel)  $1.0008$  ( $C_2F_6$ )
  - length of the radiator  
 $L = 4$  cm (aerogel) ,  $160$  cm ( $C_2F_6$ )
- **Mirrors**
- **Photon Detector**  
3 mm pixel size; 200-500 nm MAPMT
- **Particle Generation**  
Originate from the vertex

## • Pro

1.  $>3\sigma$   $\pi$ -K separation in 3 – 50 GeV whole range in RICH mode (Montecarlo simulation) – as well as large coverage for K-p (and electron) PID
2. **Photon detector out of acceptance** and far from the beam pipe in moderate magnetic field ( $\leq 1/2$  of central zone): less constraints on material budget (e.g. mechanical supports, shielding, cooling); neutron flux is also reduced
3. Expected to be **cheaper and more compact** (also in terms of services) than 2 (or more) detectors solution (sparing on photon detector and related electronics)
4. **Material budget** likely smaller than 2 detector solutions: from CLAS12/RICH-LTCC:  $X_0 \approx 1\%$  vessel (no pressurization) + 1% mirror + aerogel, acrylic filter and gas
5. Two dual radiator RICHes already operated (**lesson learned**)
6. Rather **advanced software available**: detailed Montecarlo, parameterization, full PID reconstruction, automated optimization procedure

## • Con

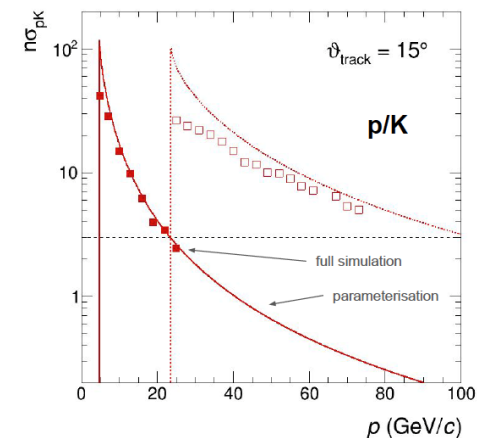
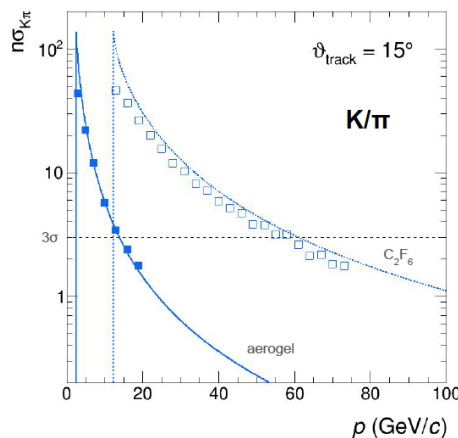
1. **More demanding PID** respect to single radiator RICH
2. **LHCb dual radiator RICH1 issues**: underestimation of aerogel stability in contact with freon gas? large multiplicity and relative large background ?
3. **Aerogel chromatic** performances are critical and need to be well investigated in terms of stability and interference with other gases
4. **R&D on photo sensors** needed (common to other detectors)
5. **Gas Procurement** potential issue due to possible ecological restrictions and costs (common to other detectors)



# dRICH

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- Exquisite detail in simulation.
- AI-based optimization.
- Good parametrization
- **Uses constant external angular resolution assumption.**



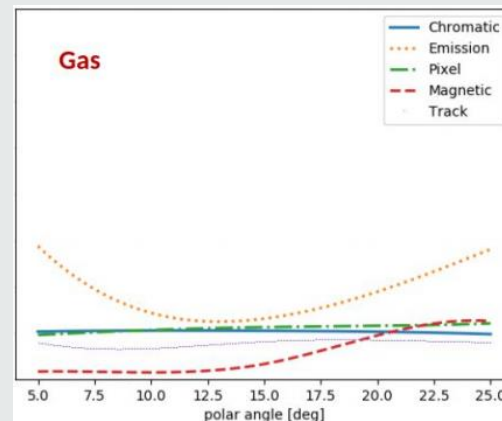
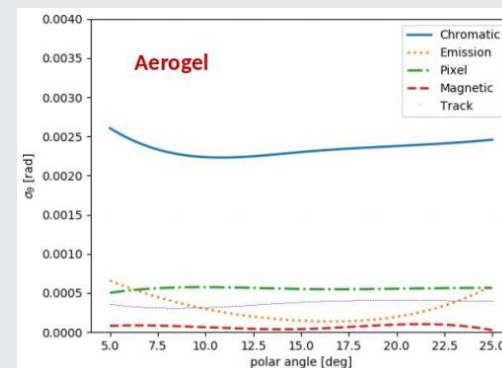
K/pi and p/K separation as a function of momentum

## External assumption

Tracking	External assumption
Angular resolution	$\sigma = 0.5$ mrad (1 mm over 2 m) – whole momentum range
Impact point resolution	$\sigma = 0.3$ mm
Momentum resolution $dP/P$	+/- few percent negligible effects in Cherenkov angle reconstruction
Magnetic Field	3 Tesla Central Field in JL-MEIC spectrometer
Space Requirement	(based on original spectrometer constraints)
longitudinal length	JLEIC: $\approx 1.6$ m, ePHENIX: $\approx 1.0$ m
transverse radius	JLEIC: $\approx 2.5$ m, ePHENIX: $\approx 2$ m
beam pipe radius	<10 cm
Background	no direct external background only background produced by the simulated charged particle: Delta rays, Rayleigh scattering ...

- Material budget evaluation
- Sensors in the acceptance

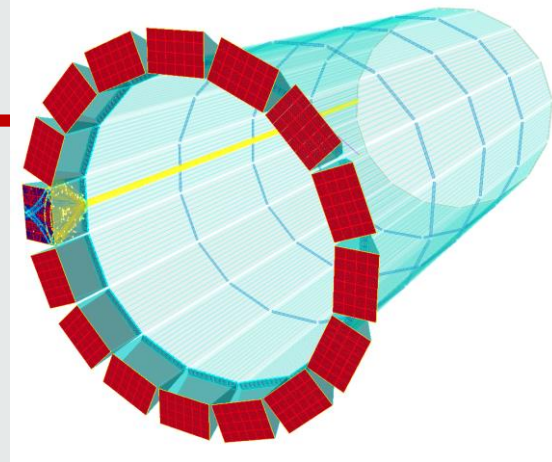
## $\vartheta_c$ contributions





# DIRC

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Generic reference design: 1 m barrel radius, 16 sectors

176 bars: synthetic fused silica, 17 mm (T) × 32 mm (W) × 4200 mm (L)

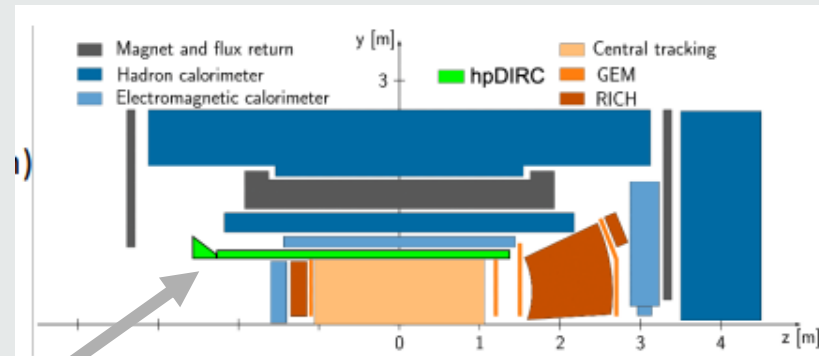
Photo sensors: MCP-PMTs - 3 × 3 mm<sup>2</sup> pixels

## Pros:

- **Radially compact** (impact on cost of post-DIRC systems)
- **Flexible design** (to deal with sensor in B-field and detector integration)
- **Low demand on detector infrastructure** (no cryogenic cooling, no flammable gases)
- **Excellent performance over wide angular range**  
(≥ 3 s.d.  $\pi/K$  up to 6 GeV/c, low momentum  $e/\pi$  (3 s.d. at 1 GeV/c))
- **Supplemental time-of-flight measurement**
- **R&D at advanced stage** (PID performance estimate based on test beam results, excellent agreement between simulation and prototype data)

## Cons:

- Potential challenge of integrating expansion volume, in particular for BaBar DIRC design (focusing block and sensors outside flux return?)
- No currently proven sensor solution for 3 T magnetic field option



## External assumption

### NOTE:

- DIRC optics design-level adaptable to magnetic field orientation at the sensors.
- Need ~settled field direction prior to construction.
- Performance ~independent of device radius.

### Tracking

*Angular resolution (at DIRC radius)*  $\sigma = 0.5$  mrad at high momentum (see next slide for momentum-dependence)

*Position resolution (at DIRC radius)* Few mm

*Momentum resolution (at DIRC radius)* Not very sensitive, post-DIRC track point(s) beneficial (non-Gaussian tails)

### Magnetic Field

No specific B-field value assumed in simulation/reconstruction  
Favor 1.5 T solenoid field to match currently available MCP-PMTs

### Space Requirement

(Note: generic simulation, not matched to any particular detector yet)

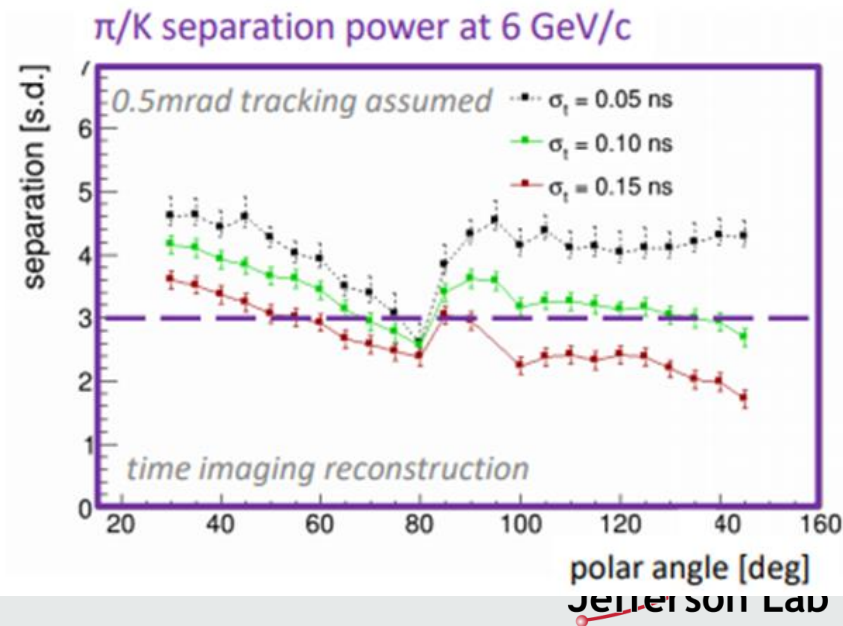
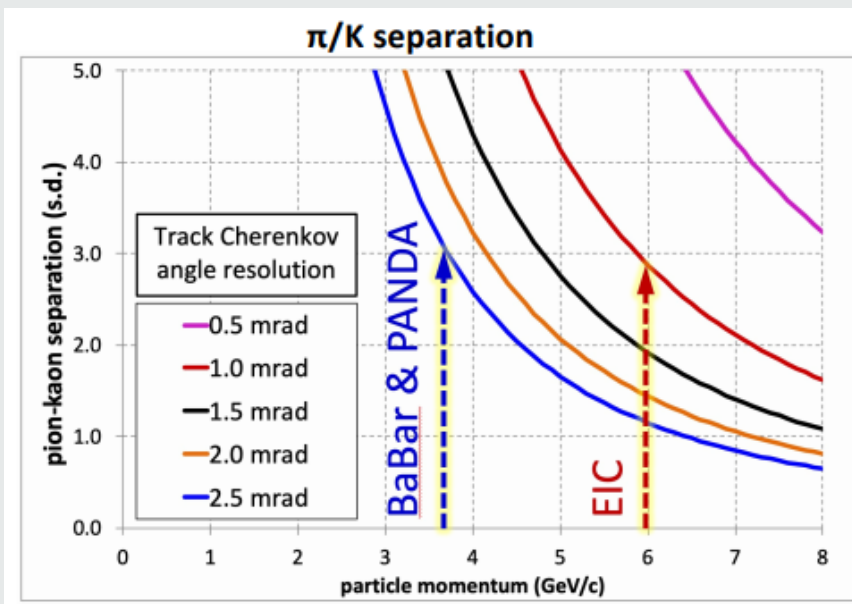
*Radius* 100 cm (hpDIRC, standalone Geant4 simulation)  
83.65 cm (BaBar DIRC bar box reuse)

*Radial thickness (in active region)* 7-8 cm including mechanical support

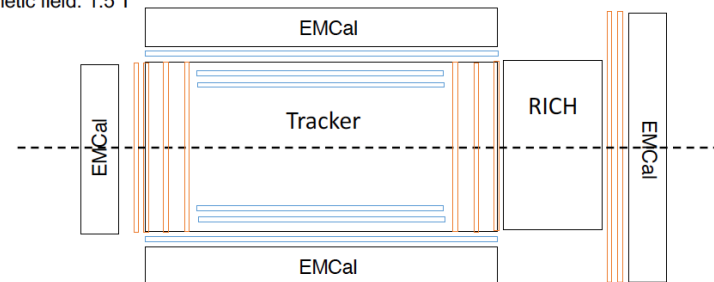
*Total length (bars plus expansion volume)* 330-450 cm (hpDIRC, depending on detector framework)  
530 cm (BaBar DIRC bar box reuse)

*Material budget (in active region)* ~16-18% of a radiation length at normal incidence

*Expansion volume size* 24 x 36 x 30 cm<sup>3</sup> (H x W x L) fused silica prism (hpDIRC)  
56 x 42 x 22 cm<sup>3</sup> (H x W x L) fused silica block (FDIRC, to be optimized)



- Tracker geometry:  $L=2.5\text{m}$ ,  $r=1.2\text{m}$
- RICH length: 1.5 m
- Magnetic field: 1.5 T



Add timing layers as outer tracker

- at  $L=\pm 1.5, 2.0, 2.5\text{m}$
- at  $r=\pm 0.8, 1.0\text{m}$

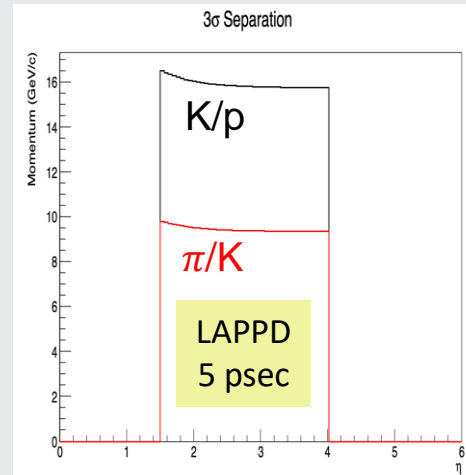
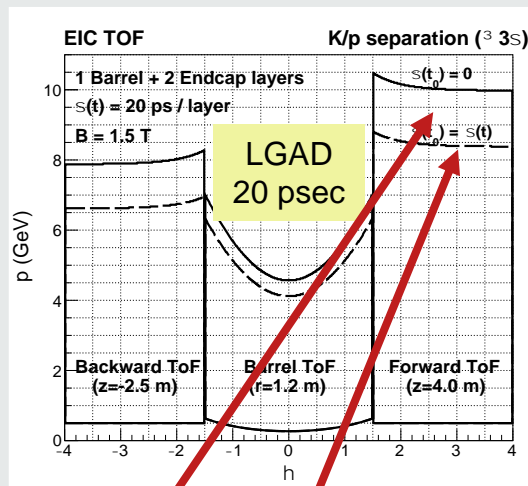
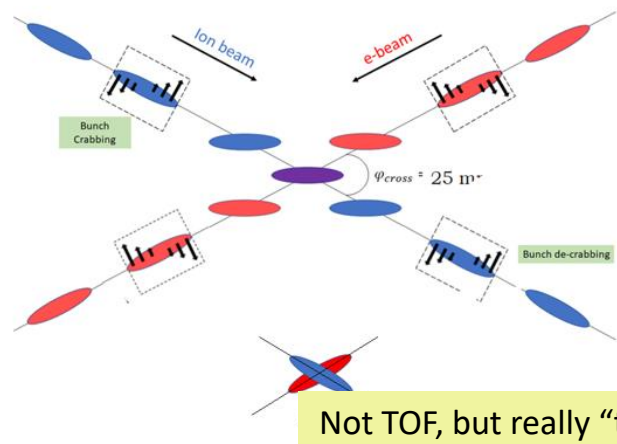
- **Multiple technologies (two examples):**
  - **LAPPD:**  
**best  $\sigma_t$  B-field  $\sim \perp$ , moderate pixel size**
  - **LGAD:**  
**excellent  $\sigma_t$  field tolerant, tiny pixels**

## • Pros:

- Generally Highly compact: 2-10 cm/layer, no expansion volume
- Generally Rad-Hard: No expected performance loss over EIC lifetime
- Some technologies are Magnetic Field Tolerant
- Generally can handle High Hit Rates:  $>1\text{kHz/cm}^2$
- Often cost effective
- Relatively Simple Calibration: crucial for prompt reconstruction
  - No need for reconstructing rings, just need to get the time right
- Possibly can be a tracker
- Might be essential for determining where colliding e and ion came from in bunch profile
  - Reduce large(?) systematic due to  $p_T$  kick given to bunches in crab cavity
- In combination with  $dE/dx$  (eg from TPC), can contribute to e-ID out to moderate p
- Leverages Extensive R&D for 20-30 ps TOF @ HL-LHC
  - ASICs are under development and soon (1-3 yrs) to be available
  - Clock propagation and system issues in heavy development

## • Cons:

- System issues (scaling and clock propagation) need a little more R&D
- Some technologies not Magnetic Field Tolerant enough in certain locations
- In certain locations, momentum reach may not be quite adequate



- Assumes 4m flight path (conflict?)
- Time resolution very challenging
- Multiple scattering may contribute path length uncertainty (coupling to tracking).
- External start time provided by forward detectors could be helpful
- Study of self-timing (Internal) using tracks

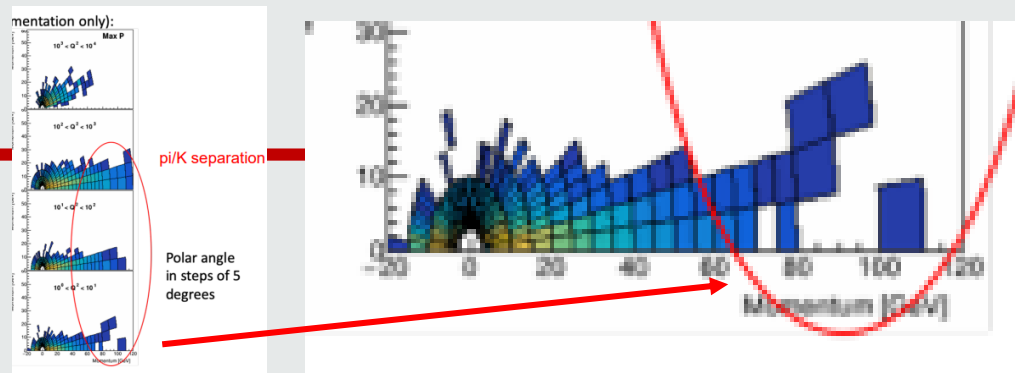
- Crab limit vs emittance limit?
- Physics  $p_T$  resolution required?
- Polarization variation within bunch?
- Needs additional study

early  $p_T(Z)$

late  $p_T(Z)$

Measure  $(Z, t_0)$ ; Learn Collision  $p_T$

# Conclusions



$\pi/K$  separation

Polar angle  
in steps of 5  
degrees

Momentum [GeV]

- PID is challenging!
- Tracking requirement for Cherenkov
  - Parameterizations of gas Cherenkov indicate pointing required at 0.5-1.0 mrad level while inside the radiator.
  - Calculations of aerogel devices indicate 0.5 -1.0 mrad level.
  - Calculations of DIRC indicate 0.5 mrad level or better.
- Good progress but still some open questions:
  - Simulations are still preliminary except for a few detectors
  - Sensors and electronics in the detector require an evaluation of radiation hardness.
  - R&D on photon sensors is on going (magnetic field tolerance a primary concern: Visible light sensor solution for 3T magnetic field problematic.)
  - No discussion on the material budget
  - Available space is a driving concern for some technologies.
    - Shifting vertex is expensive, but helps most technologies in hadron arm.
    - Need quantitative optimization of cost/benefit
  - Resolution for TOF includes multiple terms in addition to superb  $\sigma_t$ 
    - Clock reference/distribution
    - Path length.