## Multi-GeV photon beam experiments at SPring 8 laser back scattering facility

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## Introduction

How are quarks confined in Hadrons Production mechanism of hadrons Decay property of hadrons Penta-quark exists?

Interaction between Hadrons Role of Gluon Meson-baryon picture⇔Quark-Gluon picture?



### Key words :

1. Forward angle measurement including 0 deg.

2. Polarized photon

3. Strangeness

4. Decay particles→ Large acceptance

## Beam line map of Spring-8



## LEPS facility



### Laser Electron Photon (LEP) Beam

8 GeV electrons in SPring-8 + 351nm (257nm) Ar laser

- $\Rightarrow$  maximum photon energy 2.4 GeV (3.0 GeV)
- $-E_{\gamma}$  measured by tagging a recoil electron  $\Rightarrow$   $E_{\gamma}$ >1.5 GeV,  $\Delta E_{\gamma}$  ~10 MeV
  - Laser Power ~6 W (UV)⇒ Photon Flux ~1 Mcps

1.5W (Deep-UV) 200 kcps







## LEPS forward spectrometer



## Particle identification



 $σ_P ~6$  MeV/c for 1 GeV/c,  $σ_{TOF} ~150$  ps →K/π separation 10  $σ_{MASS}$ 

## Results

K<sup>+</sup> photo-production  $\gamma p \rightarrow K^+ \Lambda / \Sigma^0$ ,  $\gamma n \rightarrow K^+ \Sigma^-$ 



R.Zeger et al. PRL91,092001(2003) M.Sumihama et al,PRC73,035214(2006)

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#### $\phi(ss)$ meson production

T.Mibe et al, PRL. 95, 182001 (2005) W.C.Chang et al. PLB. 658(2008)

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$$\Sigma_{\phi} = \frac{\sigma_{//} - \sigma}{\sigma_{//} + \sigma} \cong \frac{\sigma_n - \sigma_{un}}{\sigma_n + \sigma_{un}}$$

→0.5 purely Natural Parity Σ(γd→φd)= 0.48 +-0.1(sys)

### □θ+ search

 $D_{2}:\gamma n \rightarrow \theta^{+} K^{-} \rightarrow n(K^{+} K^{-})$  $\gamma d \rightarrow \theta^{+} \Lambda(1520) \rightarrow nK^{+}(pK^{-})$ 

2002/2003 Final result will be reported.

#### 2006/2007

The same measurement was performed to confirm previous measurement and blind analyses are in progress.

### Phys.Rev.Lett. 91 (2003) 012002





## Other results

- Photoproduction of Λ(1405) and Σ<sup>0</sup>(1385) on the proton at E(γ) = 1.5-2.4-GeV.
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# Deuteron Photodisintegration at 1.5-2.4 GeV photon energy

## γd⇒pn at Eγ=1-4 GeV

### ■ Meson-nucleon ⇒ Quark-gluon (pQCD)

Which energy does the transition appear? How to develop model describing physics underlying here?

### pQCD

• Constituent-counting rules (ds/dt)  $_{AB \rightarrow CD} \sim s^{2-n} f(\theta_{cm}), n=13$ 

But at forward region No scaling →Non-pQCD



## Non-pQCD model









## Polarization observables

pQCD
 Hadron Helicity consevation

 θ<sub>cm</sub>~90°
 Σ→+1 (Isovector)
 →-1 (Isoscalar)

 Non-pQCD

 ∑ (QGS) = 0.4-0.5 at 2 GeV
 → Isovector and Isoscalar
 photon coupling

F.Adamian et al EPJ A8,423(2000)



## Analysis

- LD<sub>2</sub>/LH<sub>2</sub> at 2002/2003 experimental period
- Single proton in LEPS spectrometer

 $\theta_{lab}$  < 20°, p>2.0 GeV/c  $\rightarrow$   $\theta_{cm}$ <40°



## Squared Missing Mass



## Yield estimate of $\gamma d \rightarrow pn$



## Differential cross section



■LEPS data points is increased toward smallest angle
→No local peak

□QGS model X □HQR model OK

## Photon beam asymmetry



$$\frac{N_v - N_h}{N_v + N_h} = \Sigma P_\gamma \cos(2\phi)$$

 $N_{\nu(h)}$ :Yield of vertical (horizontal) pol.  $\phi$ : Azimuthal angle  $P_{\gamma}$ : Polarization of photon

Eγ [GeV]	Ργ	Σ
1.5-1.9	0.63	0.13(0.05)
1.9-2.4	0.83	0.09(0.04)

Σ(all)=0.11(0.03)

$$\Sigma(pQCD) = 1.$$

 $\Sigma(QGS) = 0.4-0.5 \rightarrow Too strong Isovector?$ 

## Recent Experimental Setup Forward + TPC



Jido-Oller-Oset-Ramos-Meissner, Nucl.Phys.A725:181-200,2003: nucl-th/0303062

## TPC + Forward spectrometer

A TPC(Time Projection Chamber) is installed with a superconducting solenoidal Magnet (~ 2 T) and Liquid target





### **Time Projection Chamber**

### Field cage

Drift voltage = <u>12.1kV/75cm</u> P10 gas( Ar90% CH4 10%)

→ Drift Velocity  $\sim$ **52mm/** $\mu$  s

Pad xy postion
size : 5.1mm x 14.5mm
225pads/ 1sector
• • • • gate wire
• • • • • shield
• • • • • anode/potential
Position resolution 200µm



## Liquid Target System

□4 K Cryogenic refrigerator H<sub>2</sub>, D<sub>2</sub>, <sup>4</sup>He

■Target cell Kapton foil (125µm thick)

CFRP (1mm thick)



## Setup





Upstream veto counter was replaced with larger one.

## **Preliminary Analysis**

### □Vertex distribution

Clear shape of LH2 target & CFRP cap Empty target → peak of Kapton films Drift velocity determination 51.53 mm/ µ s

### Position Resolution

Y position is determined by wire position only and ADC information is not included yet.





## Particle identification

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Energy loss, Momentum, charge Kaon is not still visible.

Further analysis is in progress



## Plans

### 2008Jan~2008July

Deep UV laser →Maximum Photon energy 3.0 GeV because of K\* production Photon intensity 100kcps

estimated number of K<sup>\*</sup> ( $\gamma p \rightarrow K^* \Theta^+$ ) detected by NTPC ~ **400** (assuming  $\sigma$  ( $\gamma p \rightarrow K^* \Theta^+$ ) =**10nb**)



## New beam line project (LEPS2)

**Higher intensity and energy photon beam** 

General purposed detector Large acceptance Detection for neutral particles

### **New Beamline Project at SPring-8**



## Experimental building for LEPS2





## Summary

- Since 2001 LEPS experiment has been operated and is unique tool to study hadron structure and interaction using polarized photon beam.
- Several analyses are in progress and the results will appear soon.
- TPC and new Liquid target system enable one to detect charged particle at larger angle. Simultaneous measurements of forward particles and decayed particle become possible and give more clear insight to study the production mechanism and structure of hadrons.
- We hope that the new beam line project is approved.

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## Tracking system



•SSD (Cylindrical+ Corn disk) Double side strip or Pixel type  $\sigma=35$ um,

### •Forward MWDC chamber

He4+Ethane, R = 450 mm, 6 wire plane,  $\sigma_{xy}$  =150um, X/X<sub>0</sub> = 1.1x10<sup>-3</sup>,

#### Barrel tracke

Cathode strip + Anode wire  $\sigma_{r\phi}$  = 250um,  $\sigma_z$  = 2-3 mm

### •Side way tracker

R = 500 mm (24-26 layer),  $σ_{r\phi}$  =150um,  $σ_z$  =2mm,

## **BNL-E949 detector** Designed for $K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \nu$



Solenoid 1 T
Inner volume 2.22x2.96 m
Barrel Photon detector Plastic & lead sandwich detector 14.3X<sub>0</sub> Energy and position
Range counter Plastic scintillators 19 layers Energy and Range



### **Time Projection Chamber**

Operating principle
 anode wire & cathode pad
 parallel electric & magnetic field( z direction )
 induced charge distribution on cathod plane → xy position
 drift time of ionization electrons → z position

## Event Display





drift region : drift electrode~shield wire= 752mm

- P10 gas Ar90% CH<sub>4</sub> 10%
- drift velocity calculation with GARFIELD--- maximum at <u>160V/cm</u> ( $\sim$ 52mm/  $\mu$  s) → drift voltage = <u>12.1kV</u> electric field definition with field cage (strip electrodes)
- Nitrogen gas is used to electrically isolate the field cage from the outer of the TPC.







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## Angular acceptance



Acceptance is mainly determined by ee-blocker and coverage of azimulatual angle → well controlled by Monte-Carlo.



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### Can NTPC reconstruct $\Lambda$ (1116)?

Correlation between  $M(p \pi^{-})$  and radial distance of vertex from the center of the target was checked.



- dip angle <65 $^{\circ}$
- closest distance of 2track
   5mm



 radial distance >25mm
 → Locus can be seen around M(p π<sup>-</sup>)~1.11GeV/c<sup>2</sup>

various cut of radial distance of vertex (>20mm) (p $\pi$  -) momentum[GeV/c]



# photoproduction near production inreshold





Titov, Lee, Toki Phys.Rev C59(1999) 2993

Data from: SLAC('73), Bonn('74),DESY('78)

P<sub>2</sub>: 2<sup>nd</sup> pomeron ~ 0<sup>+</sup> glueball (Nakano, Toki (1998))

Decay asymmetry

$$\Sigma_{\phi} = \frac{\sigma_{\prime\prime} - \sigma}{\sigma_{\prime\prime} + \sigma} \cong \frac{\sigma_n - \sigma_{un}}{\sigma_n + \sigma_{un}}$$

helps to disentangle relative contributions

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