PRODUCTION OF NUCLEI AND ANTINUCLEI IN BOTTOMONIUM DECAYS AND CONTINUUM AT $E_{_{CM}}$ ~10 GeV

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<u>Study of a dE/dx masurement and the gas-gain saturation by a prototype drift</u> <u>chamber for the BELLE-CDC (K. Emi et Al.)</u>

Beam test with a real-size prototype of Belle CDC: gas-gain saturation effect in dE/dx measurements

dE/dx distributions decrease with increasing incident angles: space charge effect

Corrections implemented, optimized for π and K (Belle libraries: dE/dx_{exp} for e, μ , π , K p)



MC SIMULATIONS FLAWS:

MC in single track mode

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$$R = dE/dx_{meas}/dE/dx_{exp,p}$$

R = 1 for protons R < 1 for lighter particles R > 1 for heavier particles

Bins of momentum, 100 MeV wide each, 400 MeV < $\rm p_{_{LAB}} < 1400$ MeV

Control sample \rightarrow positive data

1.2 fb-1 of Y(1S), from exp 65 5.0 fb-1 of Y(2S), from exp 71



• deuterons: distribution of N_{hits} and X^2



MC simulation in single track mode: unable to describe deuterons' annihilation and tracking

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→ Analysis data driven
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REAL DATA (positive tracks)



Angular dependence





Scatter plot of R vs cos θ in each bin of momentum, from 400 MeV < p_{LAB} < 500 MeV to 1300 MeV < p_{LAB} < 1400 MeV (The graphs are arranged in ascending order of the momentum, from left to right and from top to bottom)



The angular dependence does depend only from the experiment number, not from the energy in the centre of mass

Y(2S) data sample, exp 71



- Corrections $c = c(p_{LAB}, cos\theta_{LAB})$
- Each bin of p_{LAB} : 42 bins of $\cos\theta_{LAB}$
- Fit with 4 gaussian
- Correction parameters: extract mean values of deuteron and tritons distribution
- 2 sets of corrections for each bin of momentum



