Low mass dielectron measurement at J-PARC ---J-PARC E16 experiment---



Proposal revised version 1 (2006 June 7) is located on : http://ribf.riken.jp/~yokkaich/paper/jparc-proposal-0604.pdf



many theoretical predictions...





dispersion relation (mass VS momentum)

- S.H.Lee (PRC57(98)927) $m^*/m_0 = 1 k \rho/\rho_0$
 - $-\rho/\omega$: k=0.16±0.06+(0.023±0.007)(p/0.5)²
 - $-\phi$: k=0.15(±0.05)*y + (0.0005±0.0002)(p/0.5)² 98
 - for p<1GeV/c
- Kondratyuk et al. (PRC58(98)1078) : ρ meson
- Post & Mosel(NPA699(02)169) : ρ meson





KEK-PS E325

- to observe the vector meson modification in the cold nuclear matter at the normal nuclear density
- 12GeV p+C/Cu $\to \rho/\omega/\varphi ~+ X~$ ($\rho/\omega/\varphi \to e^+e^-$, $\varphi \to K^+K^-$) , 1<p<3GeV/c for φ
- run 1997-2002





expected signal



E325 observed meson modification

 below the ω and φ ,<u>statistically significant excesses</u> over the known hadronic sources including experimental effects



E325 : interpretation

- MC type model analysis to include the nuclear size/meson velocity effects
 - generation point : uniform for ϕ meson
 - from measured A-dependence
 - measured momentum distribution
 - Woods-Saxon density distribution
 - decay in-flight : linearly dependent on the density of the decay point
 - dropping mass: $M(\rho)/M(0) = 1 k_1(\rho/\rho_0)$
 - width broadening: $\Gamma(\rho)/\Gamma(0) = 1 + k_2 (\rho/\rho_0)$
- consistent with the prediction



3.4% mass reduction 3.6 times width broadening at ρ_0



J-PARC E16 experiment

- Same concepts as KEK-PS E325
 - thin target (0.1% interaction) / primary beam (~10¹⁰ /sec)/ slowly moving vector mesons in the ee channel
- Main goal : collect ~1-2 x $10^5 \phi \rightarrow ee$ for each target in 5 weeks
 - ~100 times as large as E325
 - new nuclear targets : proton (CH₂ -C subtraction), Pb
 - collision geometry for Pb target (by multiplicity)
 - systematic study of the velocity & nuclear size dependence of excess ('modified' component)
 - extract the dispersion relation
 - mass resolution : keep ~ 10 MeV
- ρ , ω and J/ψ can be collected at the same time
- 2007/3 : stage1 (physics) approval
- R&D is on going

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- systematic study : all the data should be explained the interpretation model



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- prediction for φ by S.H.Lee(p<1GeV)
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- fit with common shift parameter k₁(p), to all nuclear targets in each momentum bin



To collect high statistics

- For the 100 times as large as E325:
 - To cover larger acceptance
 - Higher energy beam (12 \rightarrow 30/50 GeV)
 - Higher intensity beam ($10^9 \rightarrow 10^{10}$ /spill (1sec)) : x 10 (\rightarrow 10MHz

Geometrical (horizontal & vertical) coverage

of the spectrometer

: x~ 5

: $x \sim 2$ of production

: x 10 (\rightarrow 10MHz interaction on targets)



Proposed spectrometer

- Spectrometer Magnet : reuse E325 's
 - remodeling the pole / repairing the coil
 - stronger field for compact detector size
- GEM(Gas electron multiplier) Tracker
 - 0.7mm pitch strip readout
- Two-stage Electron ID ($10^{-4} \pi$ rejection)
 - Gas Cherenkov(*HBD*)
 - GEM+CsI photocathode
 - hexagonal pad readout (~30mm φ)
 - Leadglass EMC: reuse of TOPAZ
- ~70K Readout Channels (in 27 segments)
 - cf. E325: 3.6K, PHENIX:~300K
- Cost : ~\$5M (including ~\$2M electronics)
 - cf. E325: \$2M not including electronics



High momentum Beamline



Detector R&D status

- GEM : domestic products works well
 - high gain GEM / larger size
- HBD (Gas Cherenkov using GEM + CsI photocathord)
 - PHENIX prototype / working model
 - In Japan:
 - Csl photocathord (Hamamatsu)
 - CF₄ operation
 - Beam test @ HiSOR (Hiroshima-U)
 - long term operation
- GEM Tracker for high rate
 - low material strip read-out board / read out circuit
- prototype module of the spectrometer:
 - Tracker + HBD in real-size

already done test is on going/scheduled using CNS and RIKEN budget funded (2007 Grant-in-Aid)

Schedule

- (already funded)
 - 2007 -8:
 - prototype spectrometer module test/design finalize
- (budget dependent)
 - 2008-9 :
 - production start
 - 2009-10
 - spectrometer construction at the counter hall
 - 2010-11
 - ready for 30GeV proton beam





Summary

- Vector meson measurements in e⁺e⁻ channel at J-PARC E16
 - to investigate the chiral symmetry in dense hadronic matter
- 30 (or 50) GeV primary proton beam (~1x10¹⁰ /sec)
 - especially collect ~10⁵ ϕ → e⁺e⁻ for each target in ~5weeks (100 shift) operation : 100 times as large as KEK-PS E325's statistics
- New spectrometer using new technology (GEM tracker/HBD)
- Impact of the experiment
 - systematic study of the vector meson modification in various size (0~10fm) of dense matter
 - momentum dependence of in-medium mass (dispersion relation)
 - provide the systematic data which motivate to develop new theoretical calculations, including interpretation in the real nuclear matter



- 1993 proposed
- 1994 R&D start
- 1996 construction start
- '97 data taking start
- '98 first ee data
 - PRL86(01)5019 ρ/ω (ee)
- 99,00,01,02....
 - x100 statistics
 - PRL96(06)092301 ρ/ω (ee)
 - PRC74(06)025201 α (ee)

 - PRL98(07)152302 **φ** (KK),α
- '02 completed
- spectrometer paper
 - NIM A457(01)581
 - NIM A516(04)390

History of E325

E325 spectrometer located at KEK-PS EP1-B primary beam line

