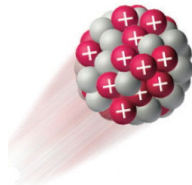


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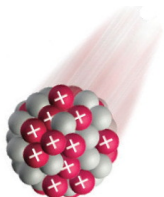
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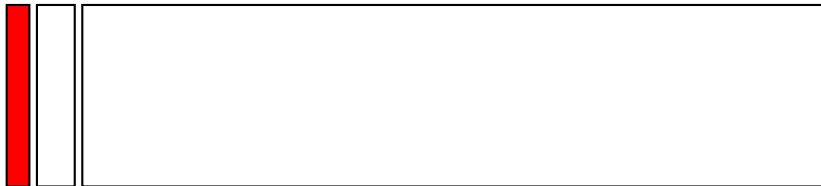
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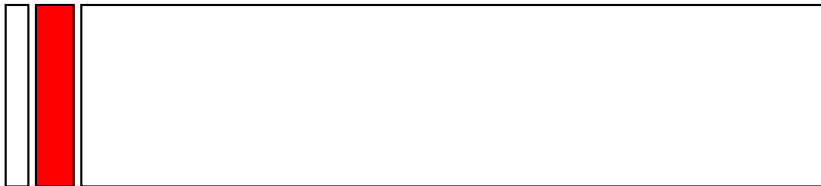


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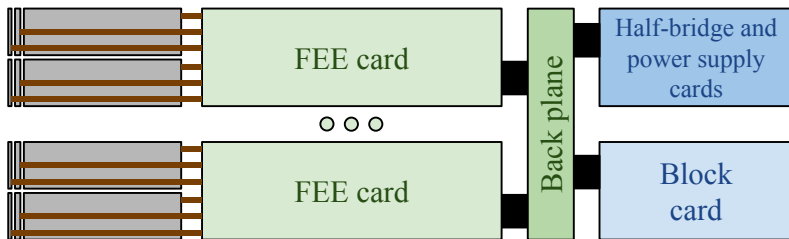


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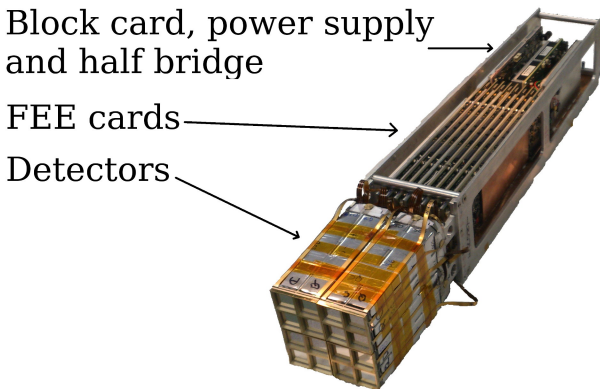
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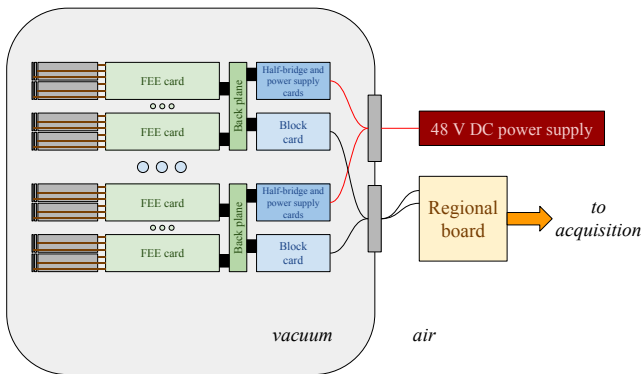
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*Block is mounted on a copper base in which  
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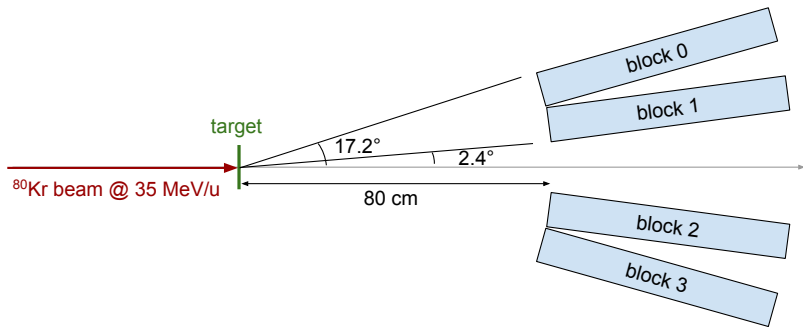
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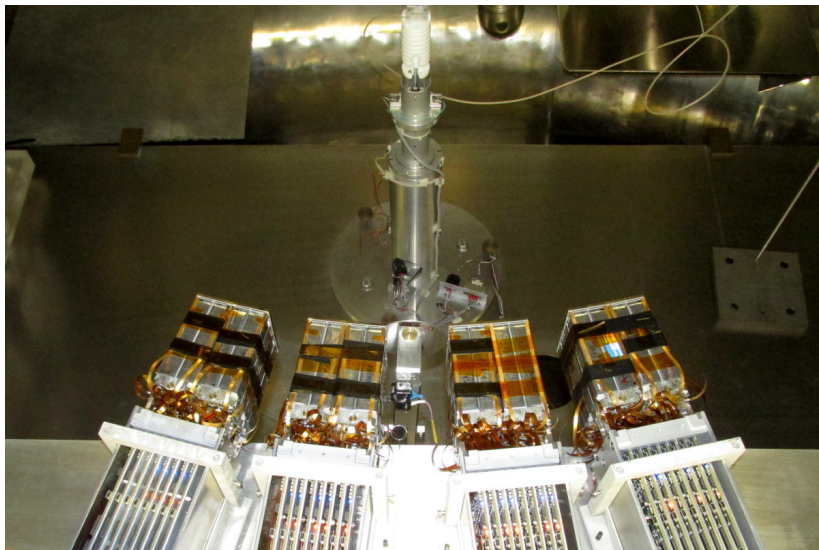


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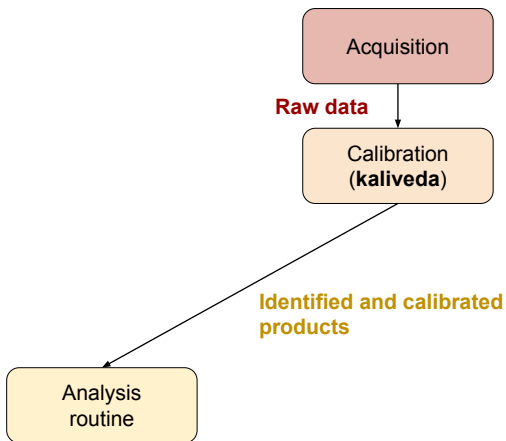


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**Raw data**

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## Asymmetric nuclear matter Equation of State (asyEoS)

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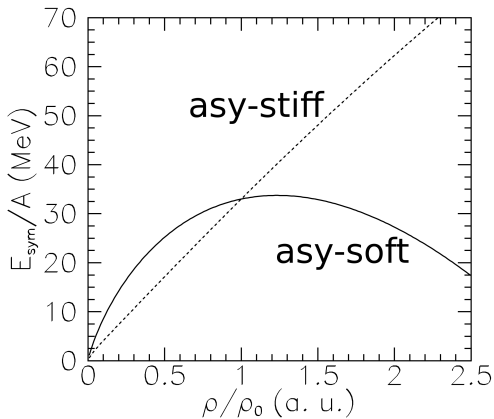
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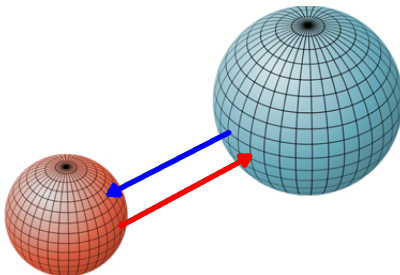
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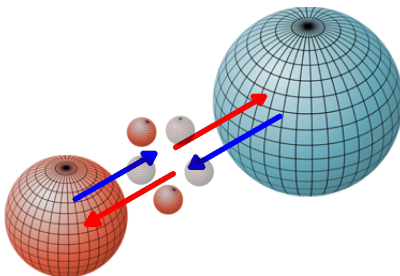
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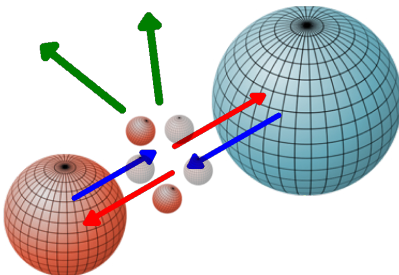




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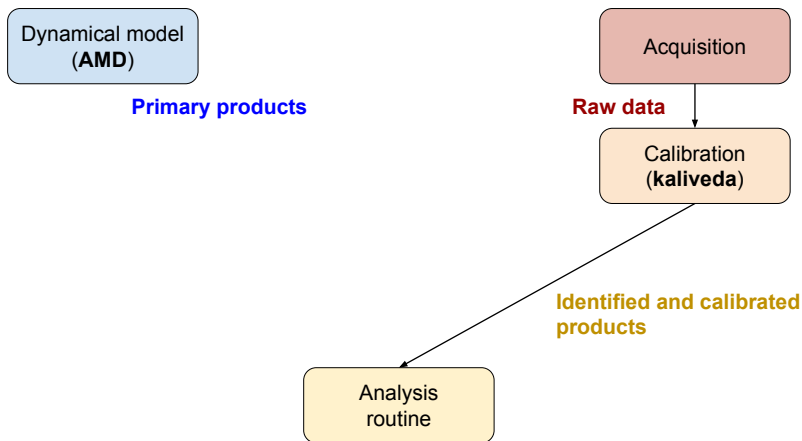
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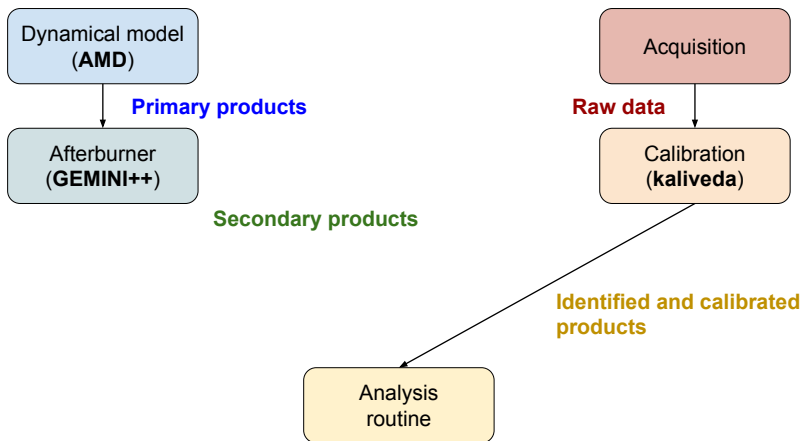
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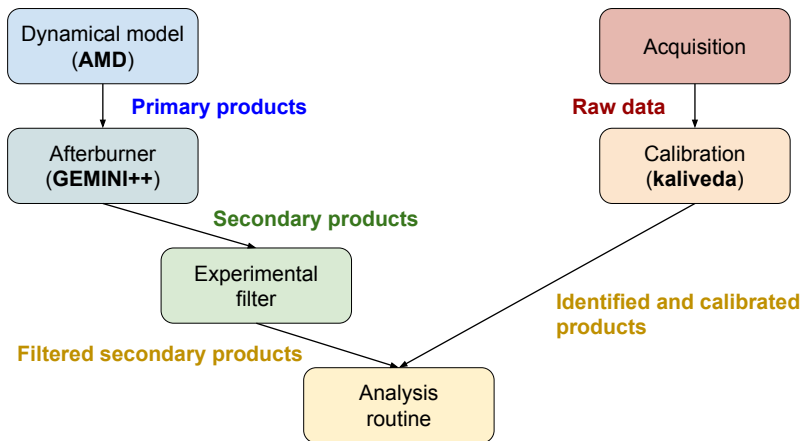
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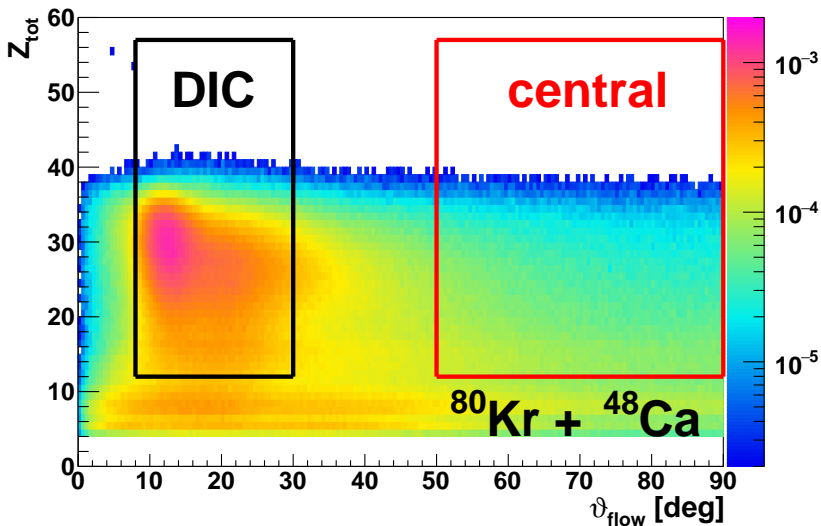
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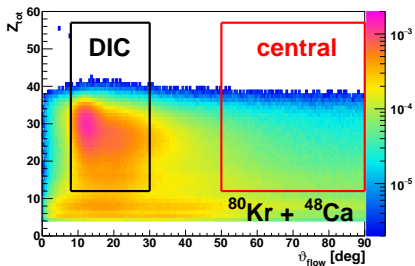


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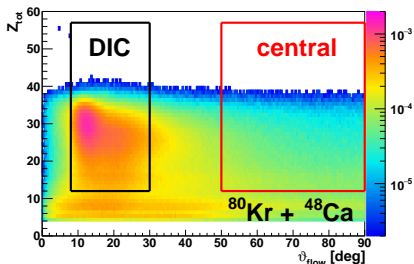
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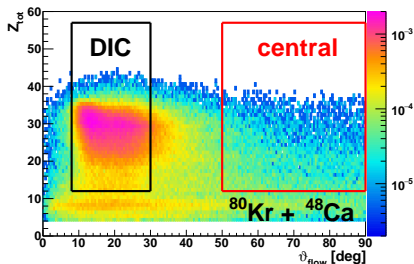


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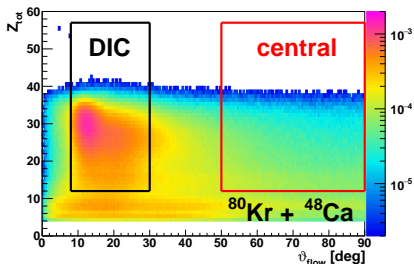
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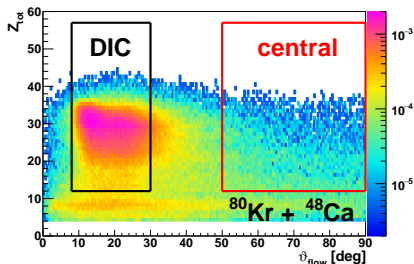
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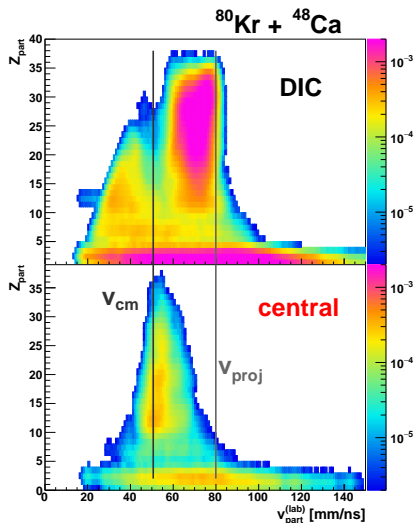
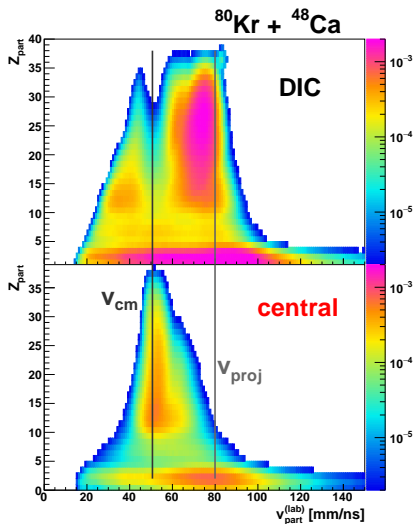


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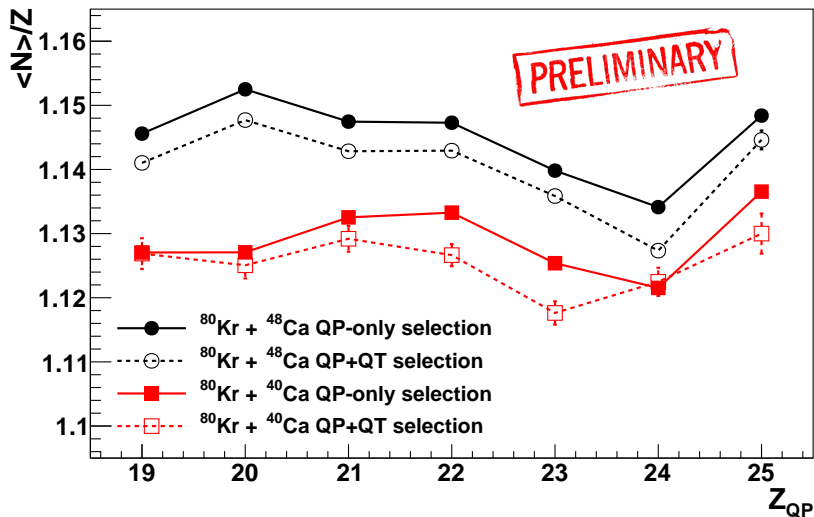
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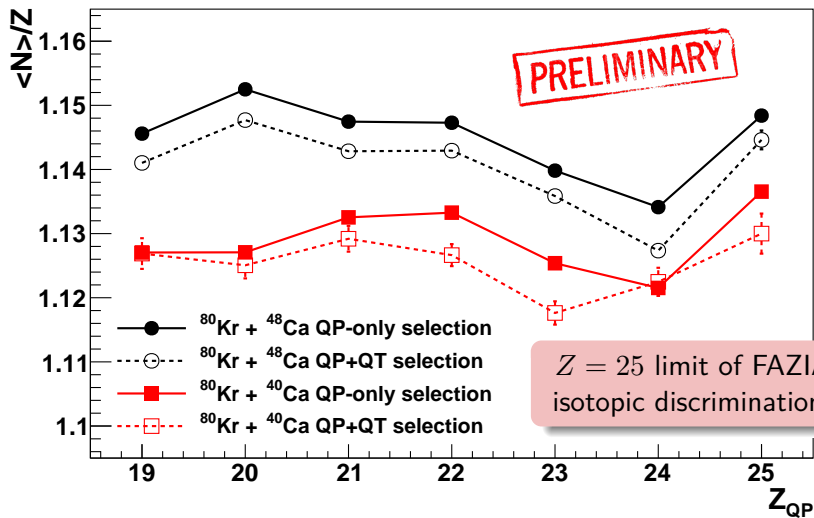
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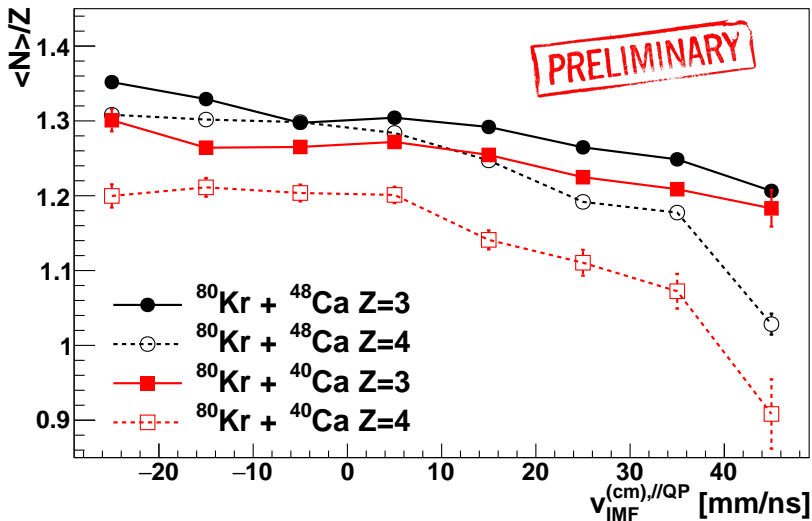


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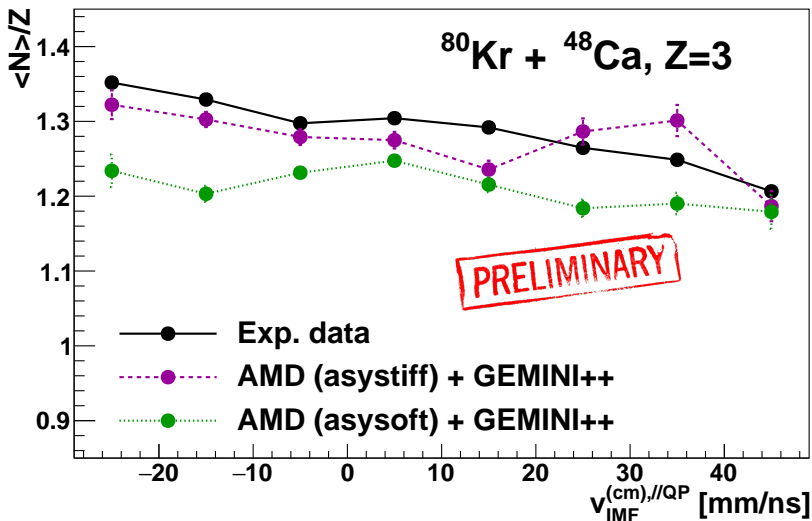




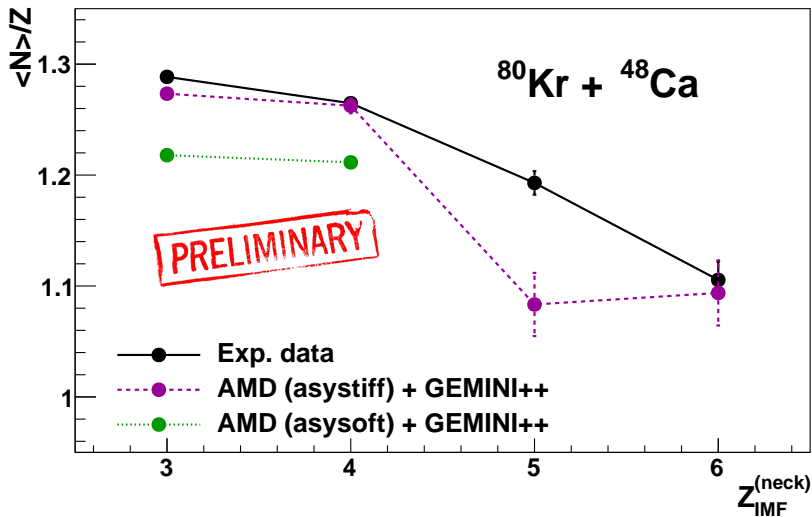
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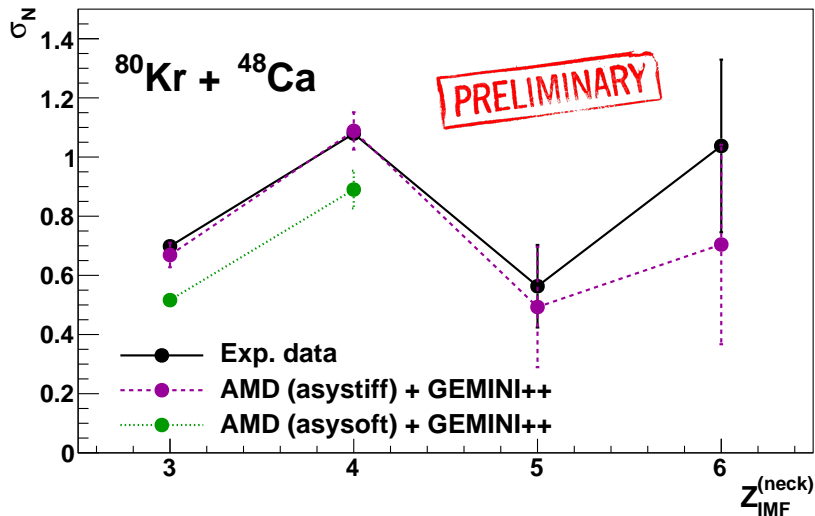
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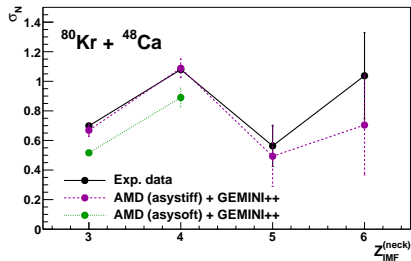
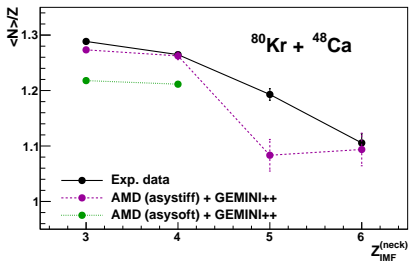
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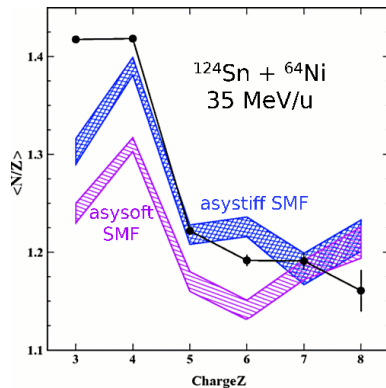
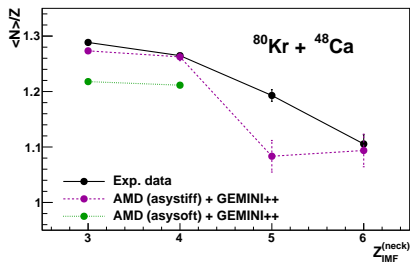


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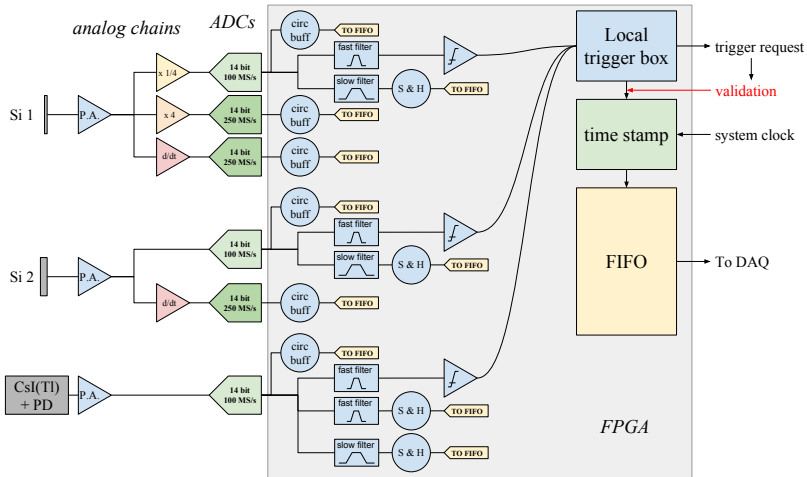
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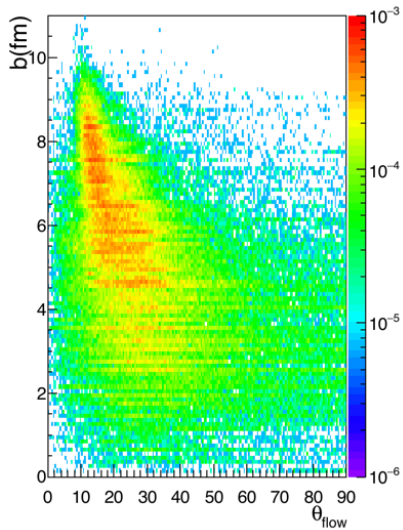
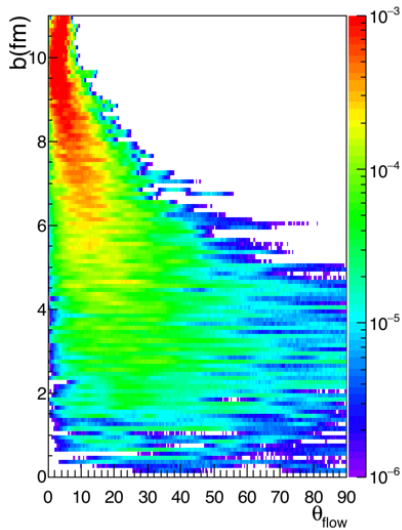


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