

WP16: THEIA: Strange Hadrons and the Equation-of-State of Compact Stars





Deliverables:

D16.1: Study of A=3 hypernuclei ${}^{3}_{\Lambda}$ H and ${}^{3}_{\Lambda}$ n

month 36 - report

MS20: First data taking by WASA@GSI/FAIR searching for nn
tentatively scheduled in February (commissioning) and March (physics run) in 2022

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month 30 - demonstrator

MS21: Design report for antihyperons in nuclei ready

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D16.3: Theoretical and experimental studies of bound mesonic systems

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MS22: SIDDHARTA-2 progress report

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D16.4: Hypernuclear database

month 48 - public/webpage

Annual workshops to guarantee effective and fruitful interactions

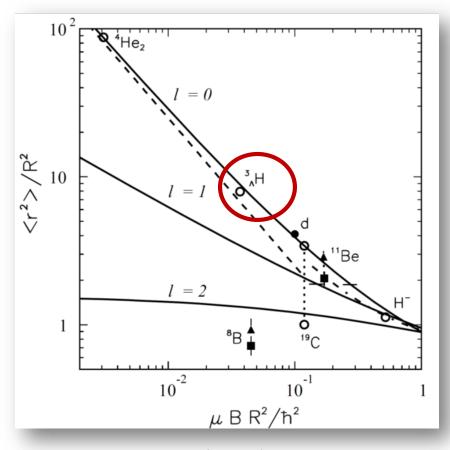


Deliverable 16.1: A=3 hypernuclei

- Hypertriton puzzle: very loosely bound system
 - Expected $\tau(^3_{\Lambda}H) = \tau(\Lambda)$ \iff observed: $\tau(^3_{\Lambda}H) < \tau(\Lambda)$

$$\langle \Delta r^2 \rangle = \hbar^2 / (4 \mu B) \xrightarrow{\frac{3}{\Lambda}H} 10 \, \text{fm}$$

- Does a neutral A=3 hypernucleus nn exist?
 - Observed tentatively by HypHI
 - Theoretically unlikely to exist
 - Needs experimental confirmation: Jlab E12-17-003, WASA@FAIR

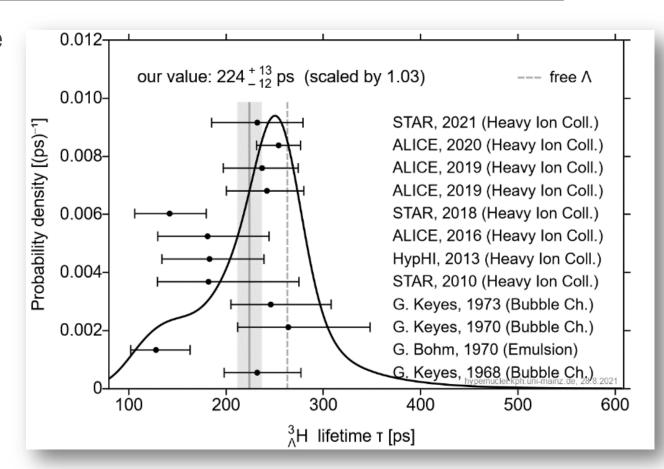


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Deliverable 16.1: Hypertriton lifetime

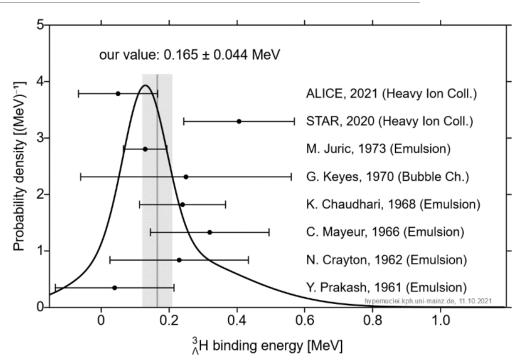
- recent ALICE and STAR data show larger lifetime
 - average value still 15% below $\tau(\Lambda)$
- Ongoing or planned activities
 - J-PARC P73
 - successful test with ⁴He target (⁴ _^H)
 - Expected error for lifetime ~ 10ps
 - stage-1 approval, waiting for ³He run
 - WASA@GSI/FAIR (2022)
 - ELPH@TOHOKU (2022)
 - HADES: analysis ongoing
 - New ALICE and STAR data





Deliverable 16.1: Hypertriton binding energy

- Present situation
 - Emulsion data suggest very small binding energy ~130keV
 - New data from STAR show stronger binding ~410keV
 - Recent ALICE result ~50keV
- Ongoing and planned activities
 - MAMI: high resolution pion spectroscopy 2022, δB_{svs} ≈20keV
 - Jlab (C12-19-002)
 - Analysis of JPARC-E07 emulsion data
- R3B@FAIR: Cross section for ${}^3_{\Lambda}$ H: giant Λ -halo?

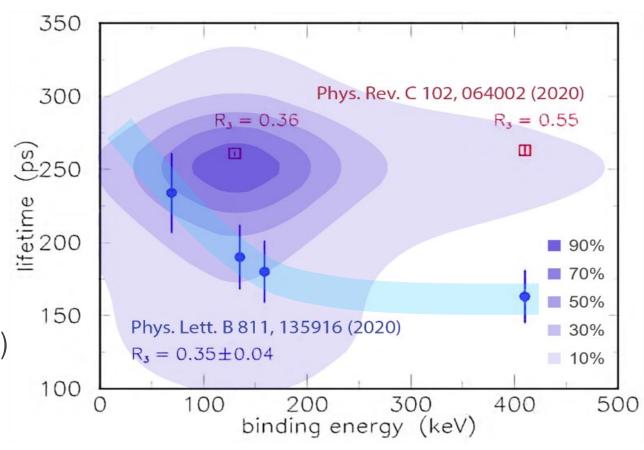




Deliverable 16.1: Status Hypertriton Puzzle

- Obiol et al., EFT
- •π distorted waves and
- • Σ NN admixture important
- • \Rightarrow strong relation between BE and τ

- Future experiments will focus on precision studies
- Guidance by nuclear theory (EFT, Lattice,...)
 is indispensable!



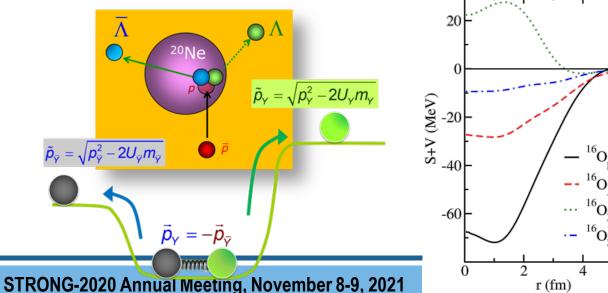


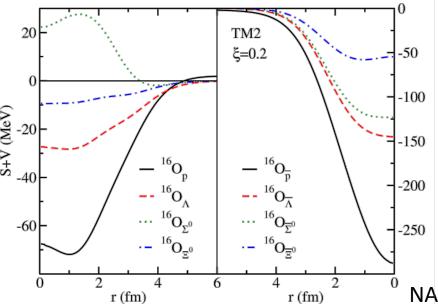
Deliverable 16.2: Antihyperons in Nuclei

- Baryon-antibaryon interactions can be studied by two-particle correlation functions in HI
- PANDA will measure the effective potential of Λ hyperons by the exclusive 20 Ne($\bar{p}, \bar{\Lambda}\Lambda$) reaction during PHASE-1 of PANDA

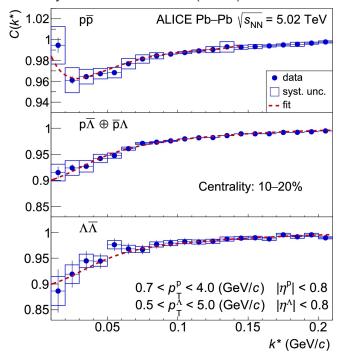
• ongoing work: development of reconstruction software (low momentum Λ and

 Λ decays !)





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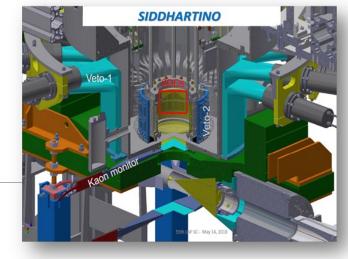
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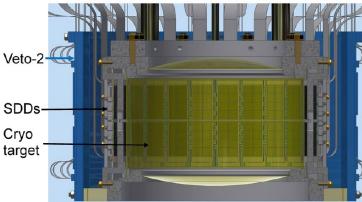
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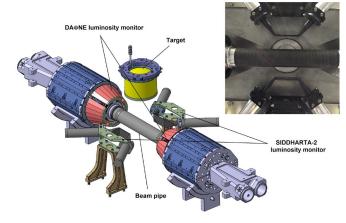


Deliverable 16.3: SIDDHARTA-2

- Goal: study of kaonic deuterium with drastically increased signal-tobackground ratio, by gaining in solid angle, by taking advantage of the new SDDs with improved timing resolution and by implementing additional veto systems.
- measurements with SIDDHARTINO (PHASE 1) will determine and contribute to optimize the level of the background and the Signal/Background optimized working conditions for SIDDHARTA-2.
- SIDDHARTINO is a reduced version of SIDDHARTA-2 with 1/6 Silicon Drift Detectors
- Timeline
 - SIDDHARTINO: January 2021 July 2021: kaonic helium
 - SIDDHARTA-2 end 2021 to all 2022: kaonic deuterium









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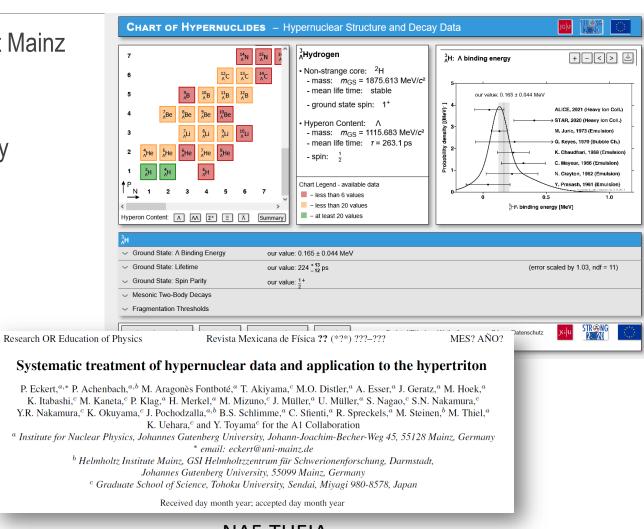
- SIDDHARTINO run from January to 18 July 2021
- Main goal
- commissioning and check detectors
- measure machine luminosity
- Background optimization background
- Physics run:
- kaonic helium at 2 densities: 1.5% liquid and 0.75 % liquid densities
- most precise measurement of K_{He} transitions to 2p level in gas.





Deliverable 16.4: Hypernucleus Database

- a interactive hypernucleus database is being built at Mainz
 - https://hypernuclei.kph.uni-mainz.de/
 - goal: provides complete overview of existing data
 - summary plots, errors etc generated automatically
 - export data and plots to files possible
- DB will continuously updated with new data
- First report will be published in HADRON2021 proceedings





Deliverable: Workshops

- First workshop in Speyer Nov. 2019
 - https://indico.gsi.de/event/8950/
- Online web-seminar due to Covic-19
 - Seminar 2020/2021
 - https://indico.gsi.de/category/513/
 - 47 talks during 27 weeks
 - Seminar 2021/202
 - https://indico.gsi.de/category/571/
 - Started 20th October 2021
- Future
 - HYP2022 in Prague, June 27 July 1, 2022 (planed in to be hold in presence)
 - Spring 2023 location tba







Summary

Despite many rescrictions due to the pandemic, all delivarables and milestone will be achieved within duration of STRONG2020

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D16.4: Hypernuclear database is online and will continually updated month *End* - public/webpage

Annual workshops will be resumed in 2022 if COVID-19 situation allow