

Expected performance using Excel calculation

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Do SiPMTs actually work at 5 Tesla ?

- Contact Robert Klanner.
- **My question to him:** Did anybody tried to run SiPMTs at 4–5 Tesla ? Would they work ? In this application, the field would be tangential to face, i.e., SiPMTs would be placed on a barrel.
- **His answer:** No effects are expected. Measurements at 7 T:
S. Espan a et al.,
<https://core.ac.uk/download/pdf/30044497.pdf> (NIM)

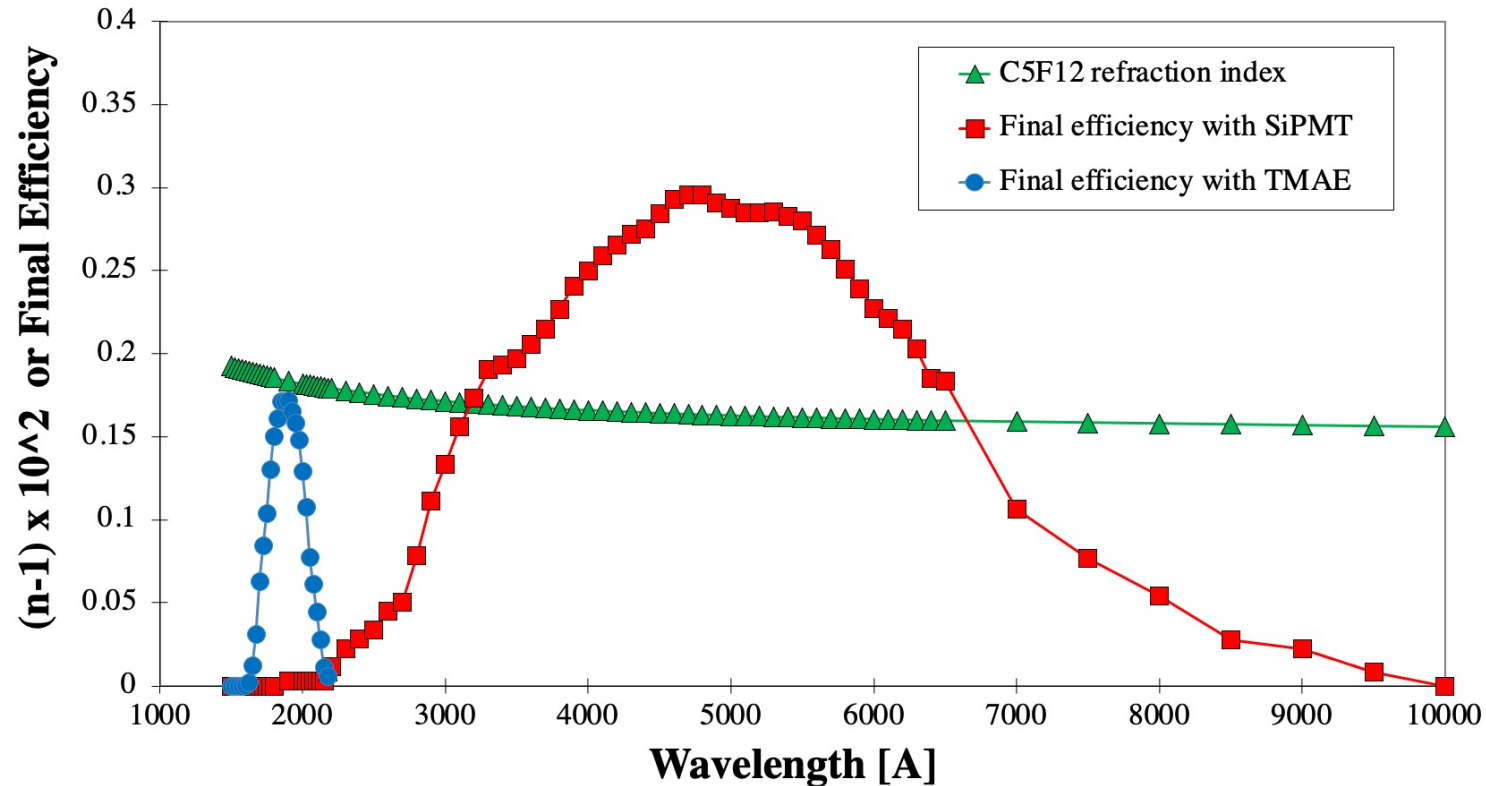
Greetings,
Robert

Chromaticity: TMAE vs SiPMTs

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Gas RICH Performance - TMAE vs. SiPMTs

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- Although CRID operated in a region where refractive index changed more rapidly, its wavelength acceptance was very narrow and therefore the chromatic error was smaller than in case of SiPMTs – see later.

Chromatic error

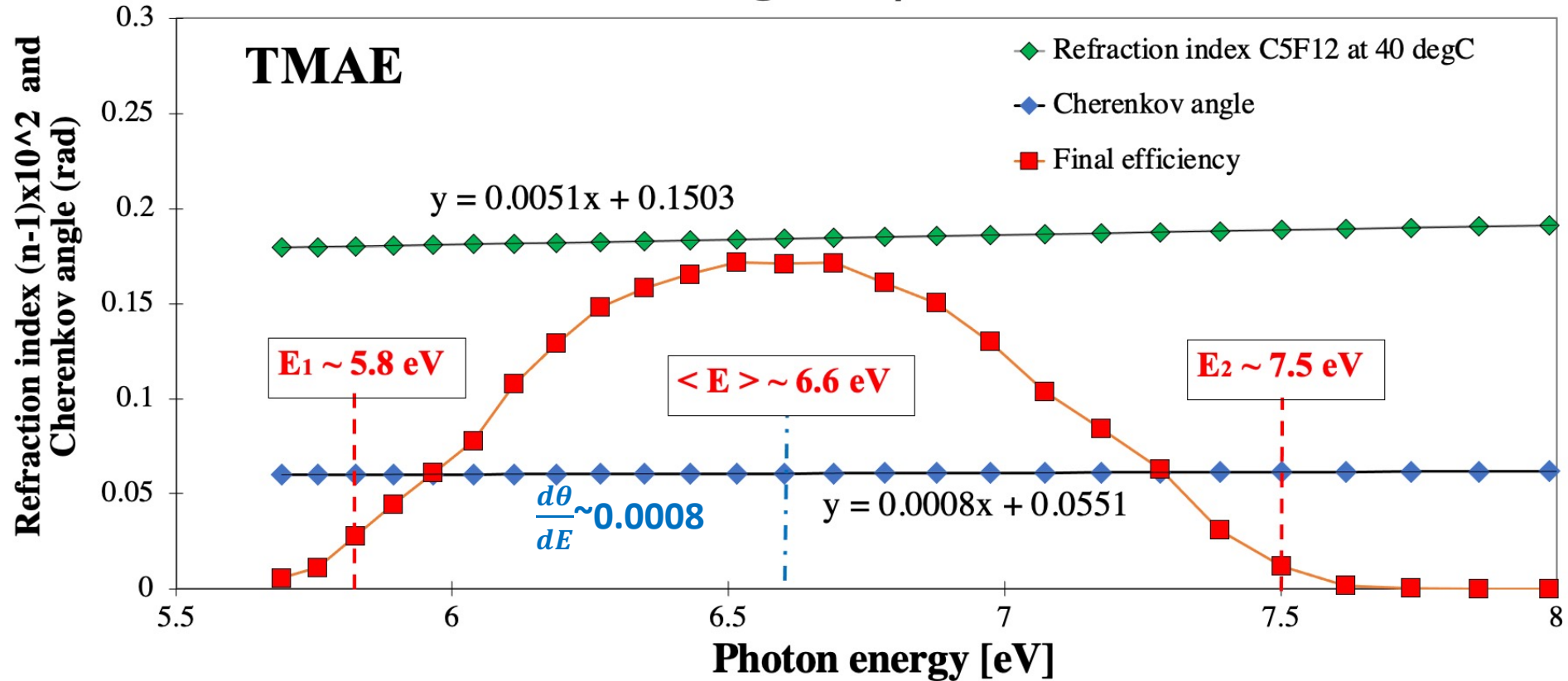
- $\sigma_{\theta_c} |_{\text{single photon}} \sim \frac{d\theta_c}{dE} (E_2 - E_1) \frac{1}{\sqrt{12}} = f(\text{gas choice, detector})$
- Cherenkov angle: $\theta_c = \arccos\left(\frac{1}{n\beta}\right) = f(E) \sim \arccos\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)$ for $\beta \sim 1$
- E is photon energy,
- E_2 & E_1 are bandwidth acceptance limits

CRID: Chromatic error = f(n(E))

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CRID: C₅F₁₂ Cherenkov angle for β = 1 and refraction index



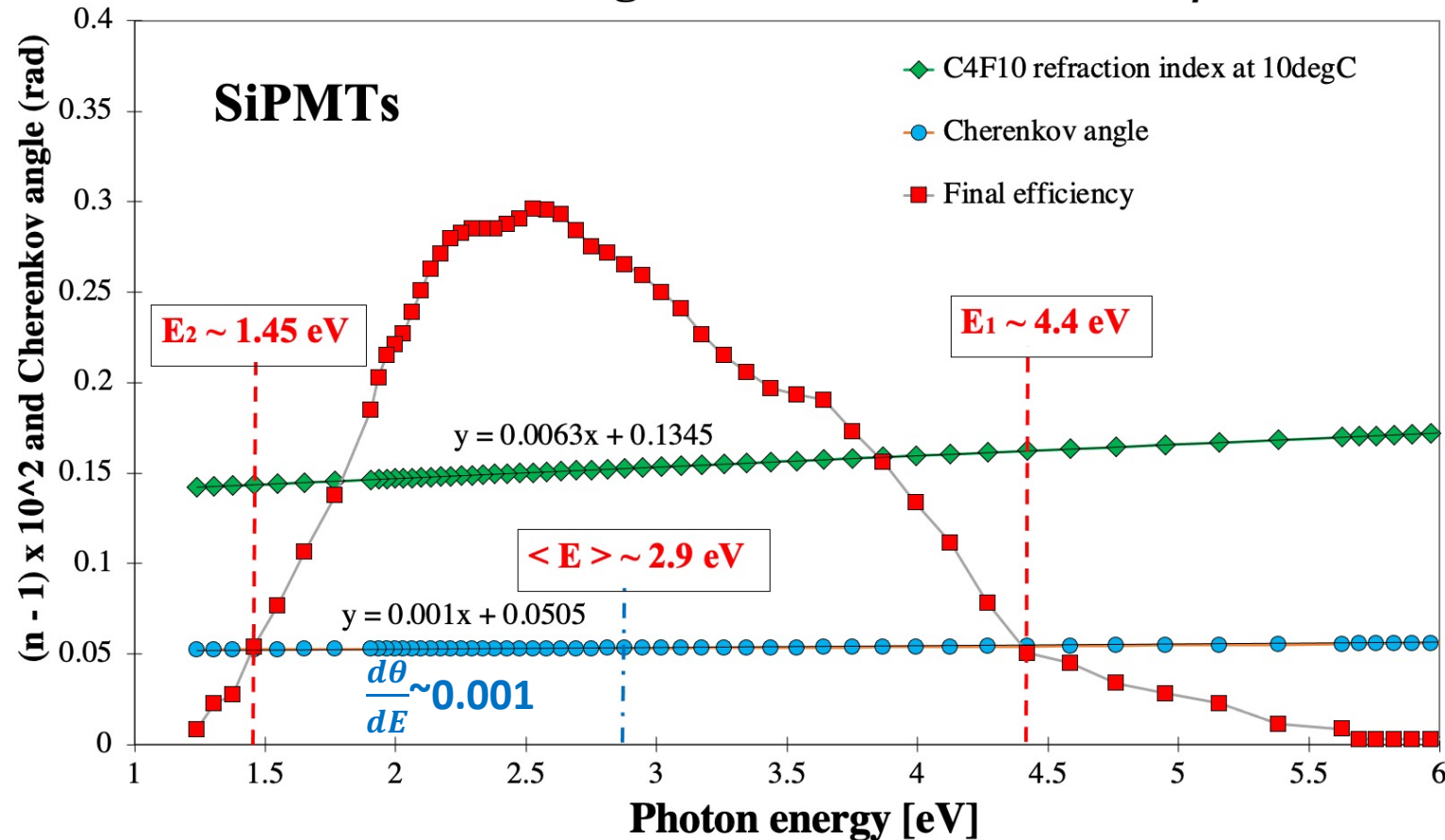
$$\sigma_{\theta_c} \sim \frac{d\theta_c}{dE} (E_2 - E_1) \frac{1}{\sqrt{12}} \sim \mathbf{0.4 \text{ mrad}}, \quad \theta_c(E_{\text{mean}}) \sim \mathbf{60 \text{ mrad}}, \quad \frac{\sigma_{\theta_c}}{\theta_c} |_{\text{Chromatic}} \sim \mathbf{0.65\%}$$

SiD: Chromatic error error = f(n(E))

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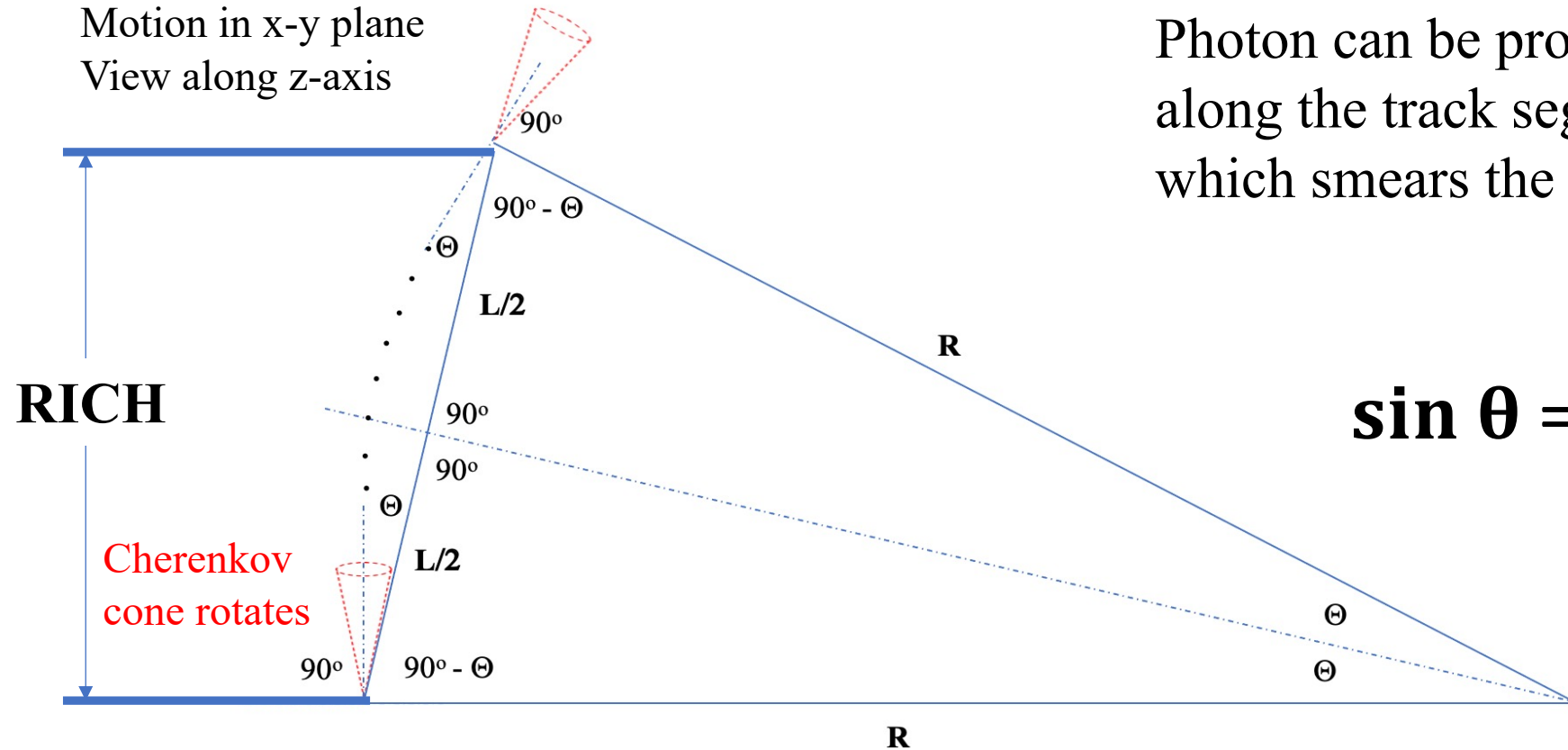
C4F10: Cherenkov angle and refractive index for $\beta = 1$



$$\sigma_{\theta_c} \sim \frac{d\theta_c}{dE} (E_2 - E_1) \frac{1}{\sqrt{12}} \sim \mathbf{0.85 \text{ mrad}}, \quad \theta_c(E_{\text{mean}}) \sim \mathbf{53.4 \text{ mrad}}, \quad \left. \frac{\sigma_{\theta_c}}{\theta_c} \right|_{\text{Chromatic}} \sim \mathbf{1.6\% !!}$$

Angular error due to track bending

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Photon can be produced anywhere along the track segment along path L , which smears the Cherenkov angle

$$\sin \theta = \left[\frac{\left(\frac{L}{2}\right)}{R} \right]$$

$$\sigma_\theta \sim \frac{2\theta}{\sqrt{12}} \sim \left\{ 2 \arcsin \left[\frac{\left(\frac{L}{2}\right)}{R} \right] \right\} \frac{1}{\sqrt{12}}, \quad R = \frac{p}{300 B}, \quad L = 0.25 \text{ m}, \quad p \text{ [MeV/c]}, \quad R \text{ [m]}$$

SiD: Angular error due to track bending = f(B)

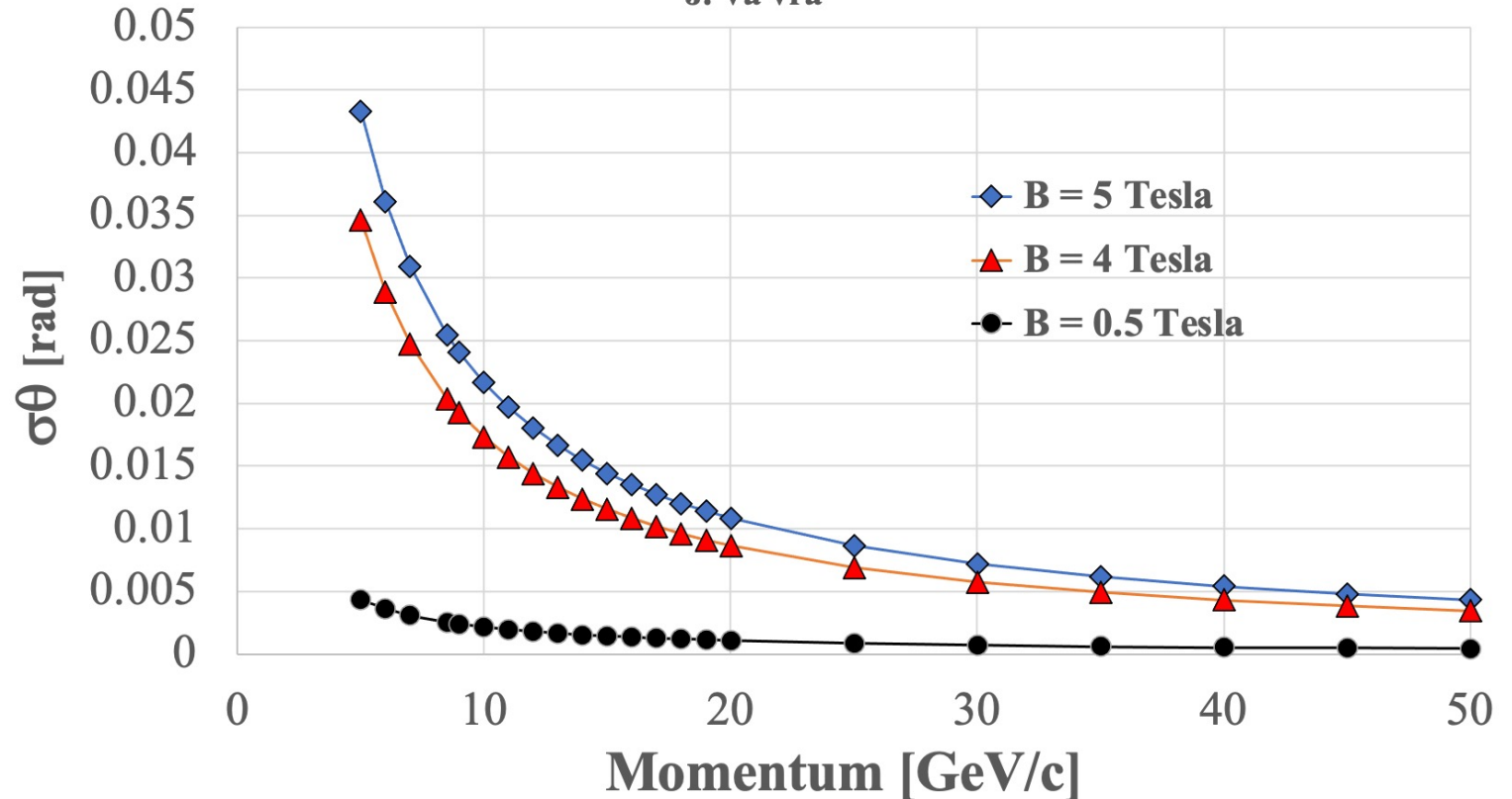
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$$\sigma_{\theta} \sim \frac{2\theta}{\sqrt{12}} \sim \left[2 \arcsin\left[\frac{L}{2R}\right] \right] \frac{1}{\sqrt{12}}$$

Resolution due to track bending

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- The angular resolution due to track bending is significant above ~2-3 Tesla

Total Cherenkov angle error in CRID for $L = 45$ cm

- Chromatic error with C_5F_{12}/N_2 gas and TMAE: ~ 0.4 mrad
- Pixel size effect: $\sim (0.15\text{cm}/\sqrt{12})/(1.5 \times 45 \text{ cm}) \sim 0.48$ mrad
- Error due to track bending: $\sim 1-2$ mrad
- Mirror misalignment: ~ 0.5 mrad
- Gas pressure variations, flow changes, distortions, etc.: a few mrad
- **Total: $\sigma_\theta \sim 4.3$ mrad (per single photoelectron)**

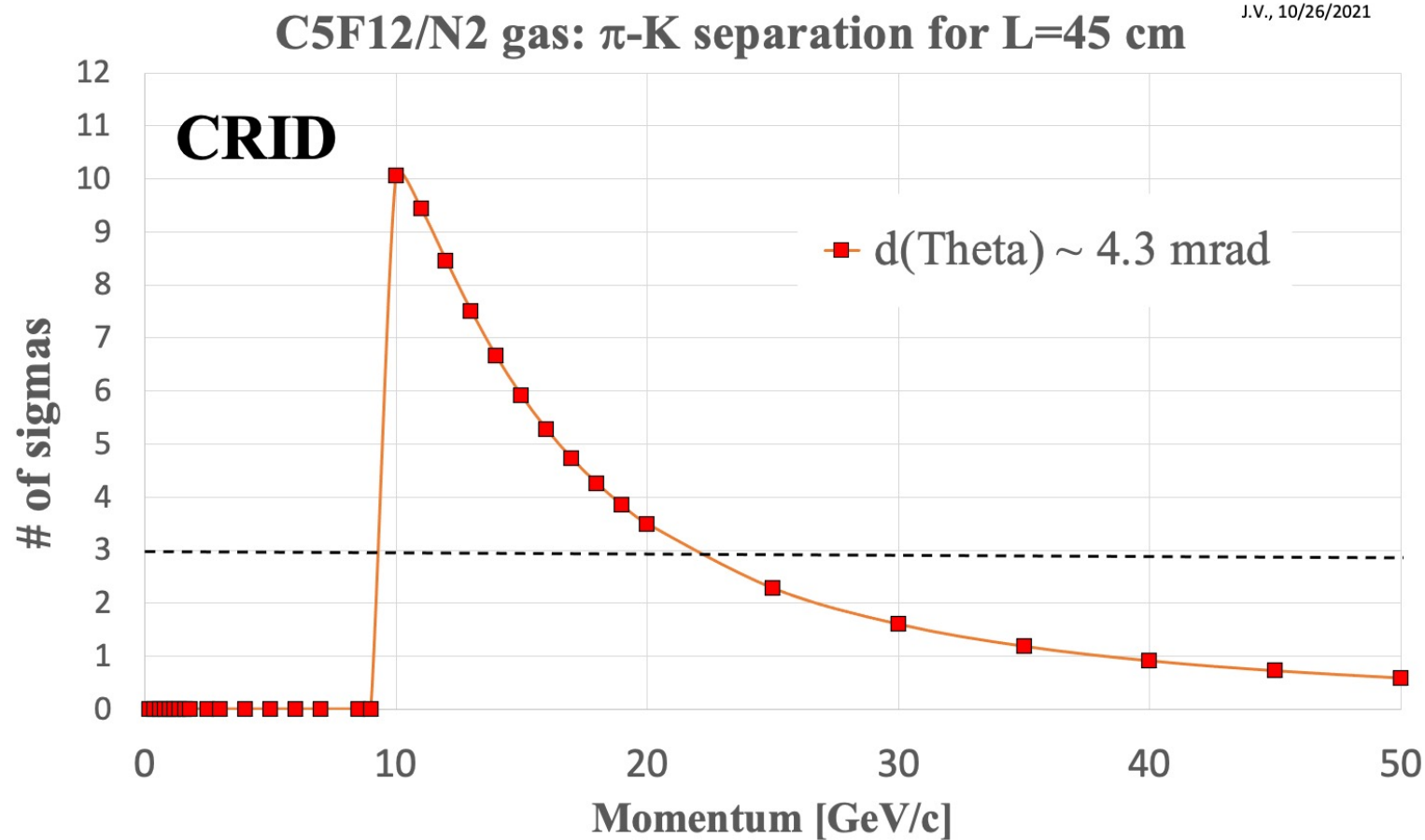
CRID: PID performance = f(momentum)

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of sigmas =

$$\frac{\theta_{\pi} - \theta_K}{\sigma_{\theta} / \sqrt{N}}$$

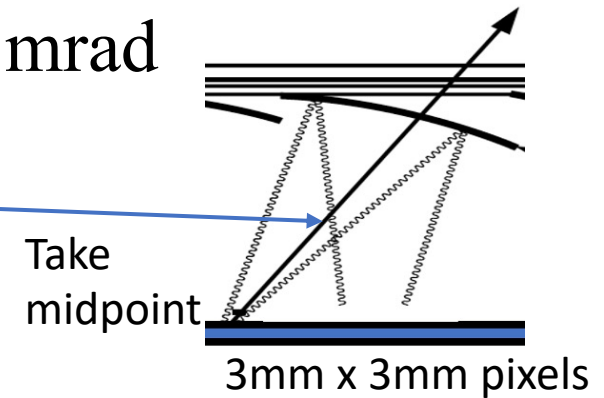
σ_{θ} is total Cherenkov angle resolution



- CRID had 3 sigma π /K separation up to ~ 24 GeV/c.

Cherenkov angle error in SiD for L= 25 cm

- Chromatic error with C₄F₁₀ gas and SiPMT PDE: ~0.85 mrad
- Pixel size effect: $\sim(0.3\text{cm}/\sqrt{12})/(1.5 \times 25 \text{ cm}) \sim 2.3 \text{ mrad}$
- Error due to track bending: >10 mrad at 3-5 Tesla
- Mirror misalignment: ~0.5 mrad
- Gas pressure variations, flow changes, distortions, etc.: ?
- **Total: σ_θ can be >10 mrad at larger magnetic field !!**



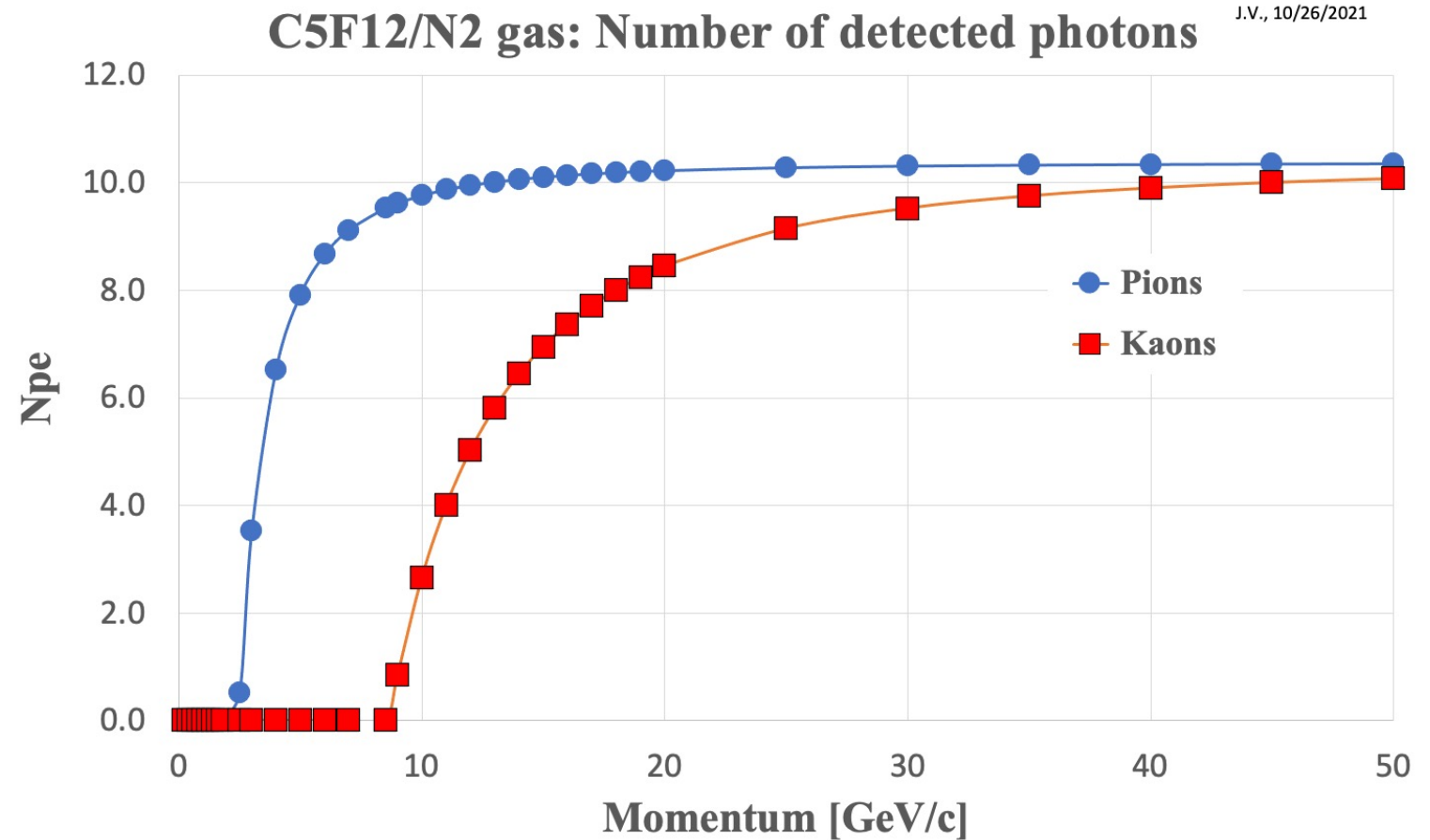
CRID: Threshold behavior

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$$N_o = \frac{\left(\frac{\alpha}{hc}\right) \int \text{Eff}(E) [\sin(\theta_c)]^2 dE}{[\sin(\langle\theta_c\rangle)]^2}$$

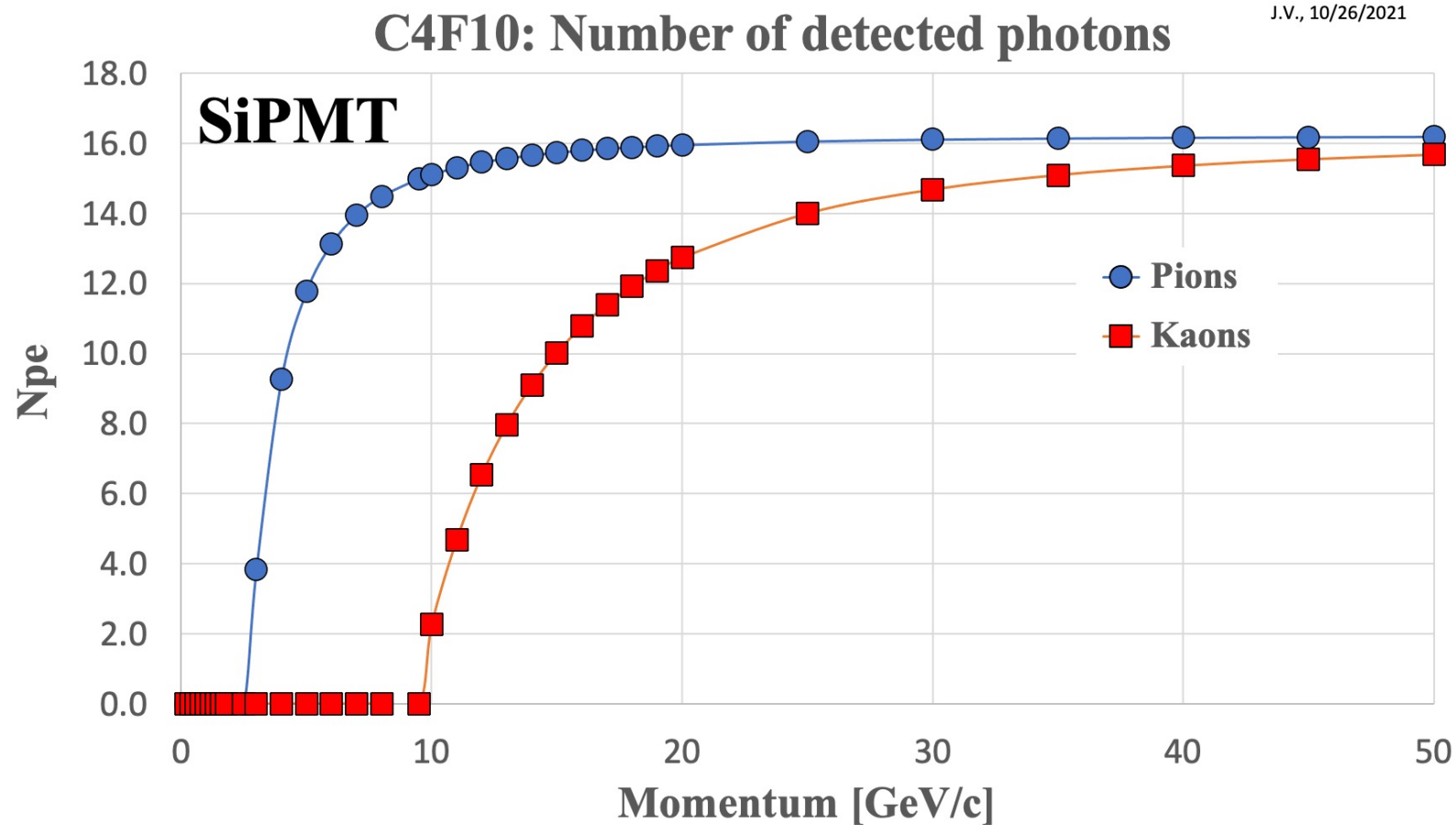
$$N_{pe} = N_o L [\sin \langle \theta_c \rangle]^2$$

$\langle \theta_c \rangle$ is mean Cherenkov angle



- **Below ~9 GeV/c Kaons do not produce light, Pions below ~2.5 GeV/c.**
- **Between 10 and 15 GeV/c Kaons produce small number of photoelectrons.**

SiD: Threshold behavior (25 cm)



- Below 10 GeV/c Kaons do not produce light in this gas, Pions below ~ 3 GeV/c.

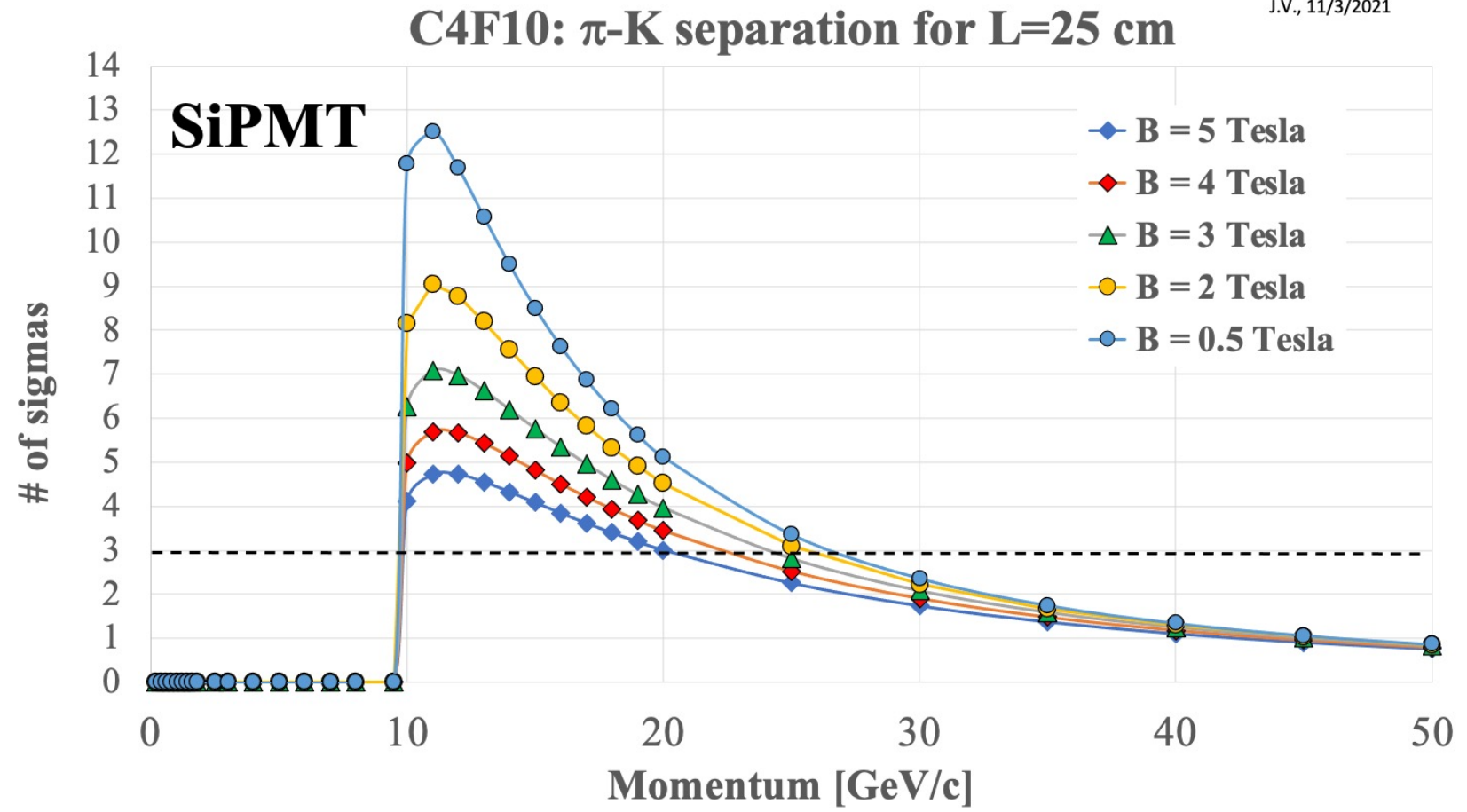
SiD: PID performance = f(momentum, B)

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of sigmas =

$$\frac{\theta_{\pi} - \theta_K}{\sigma_{\theta} / \sqrt{N}}$$

σ_{θ} is total Cherenkov angle resolution = f(p); it is a total error, which included chromatic effect, bending effect, pixel size effect and other expected systematic effects



- **Maximum field we might think about in this particular design is 3 Tesla.**

SiD: PID performance = f(momentum, σ_θ)

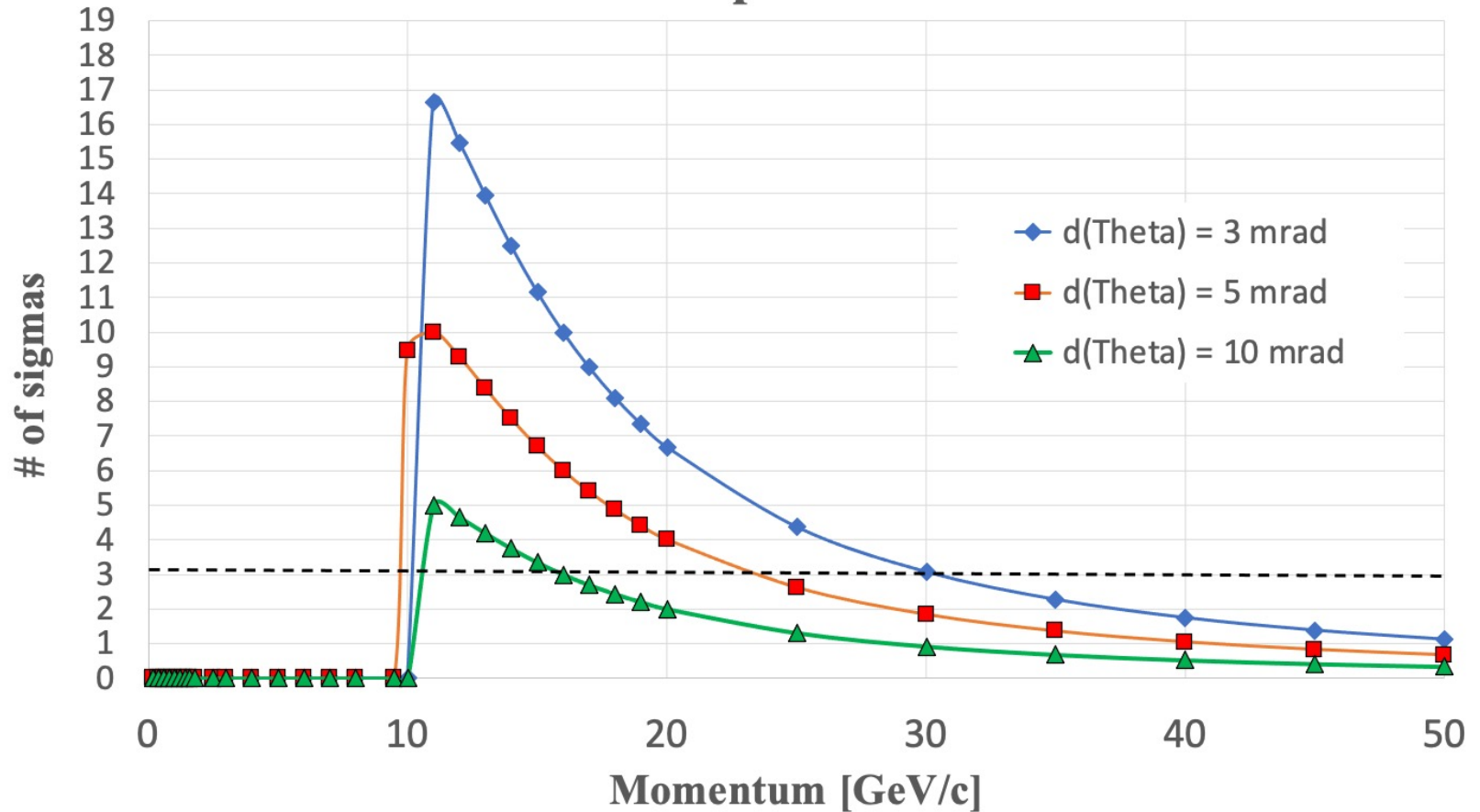
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C4F10: π -K separation for L=25 cm

of sigmas =

$$\frac{\theta_\pi - \theta_K}{\sigma_\theta / \sqrt{N}}$$

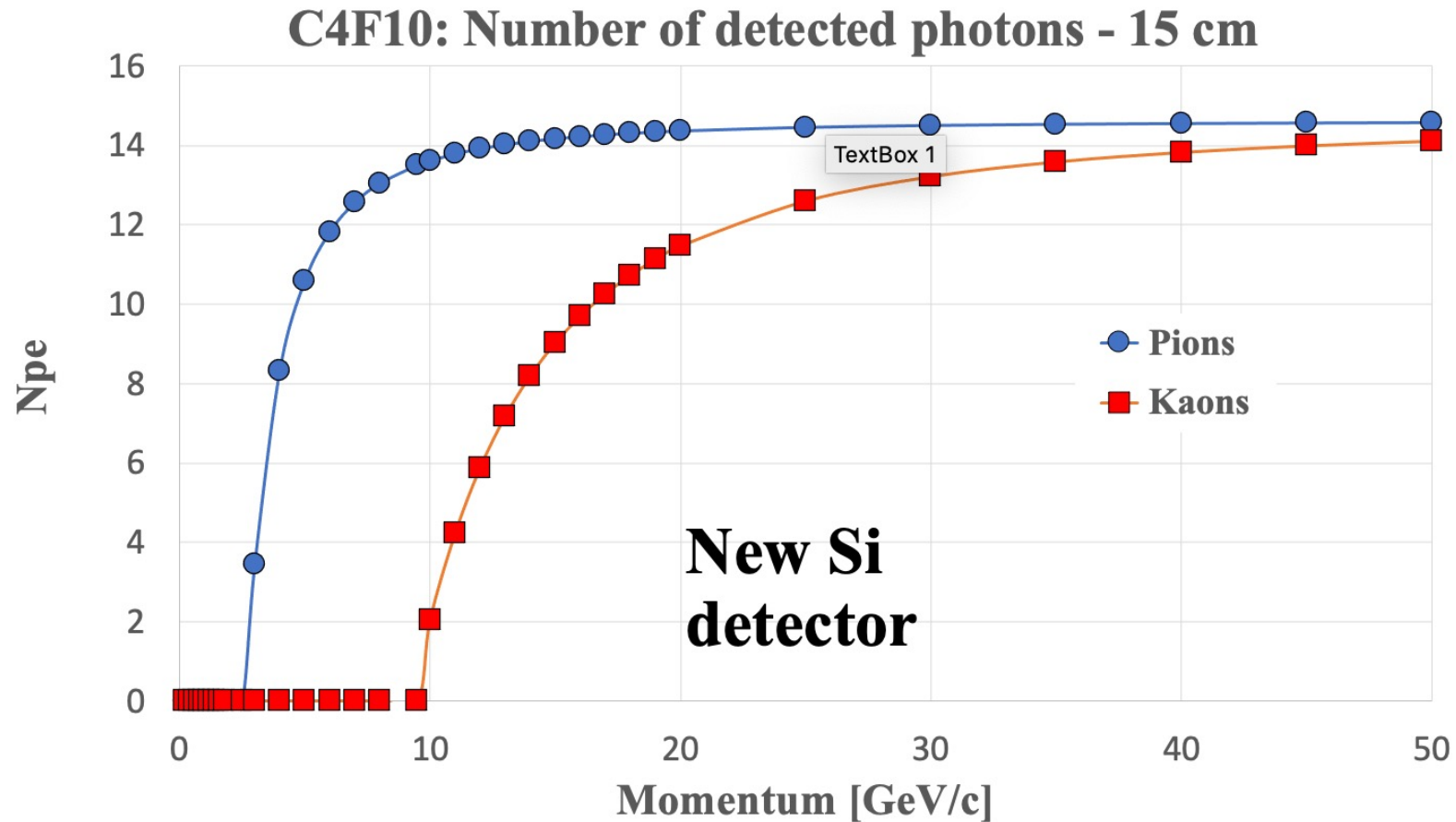
σ_θ is total Cherenkov angle resolution



- **Goal: One should not exceed Cherenkov error above ~5 mrad !!**

SiD: Threshold behavior

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- 15 cm long radiator; PDE of a hypothetical Si detector has $1.5 \times \text{PDE}_{\text{SiPMT}}$.

SiD: PID performance = f(momentum, B)

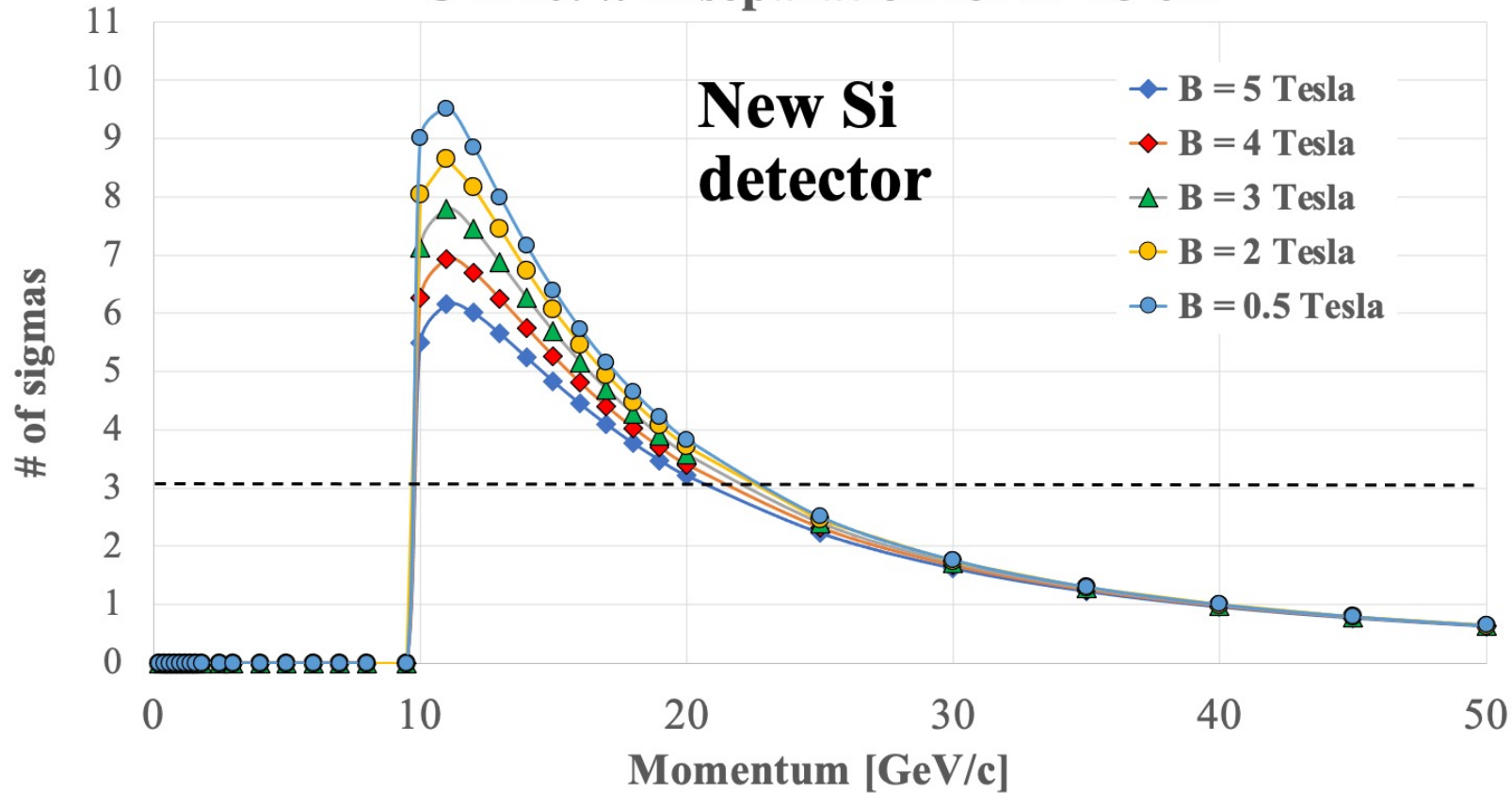
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C4F10: π -K separation for L=15 cm

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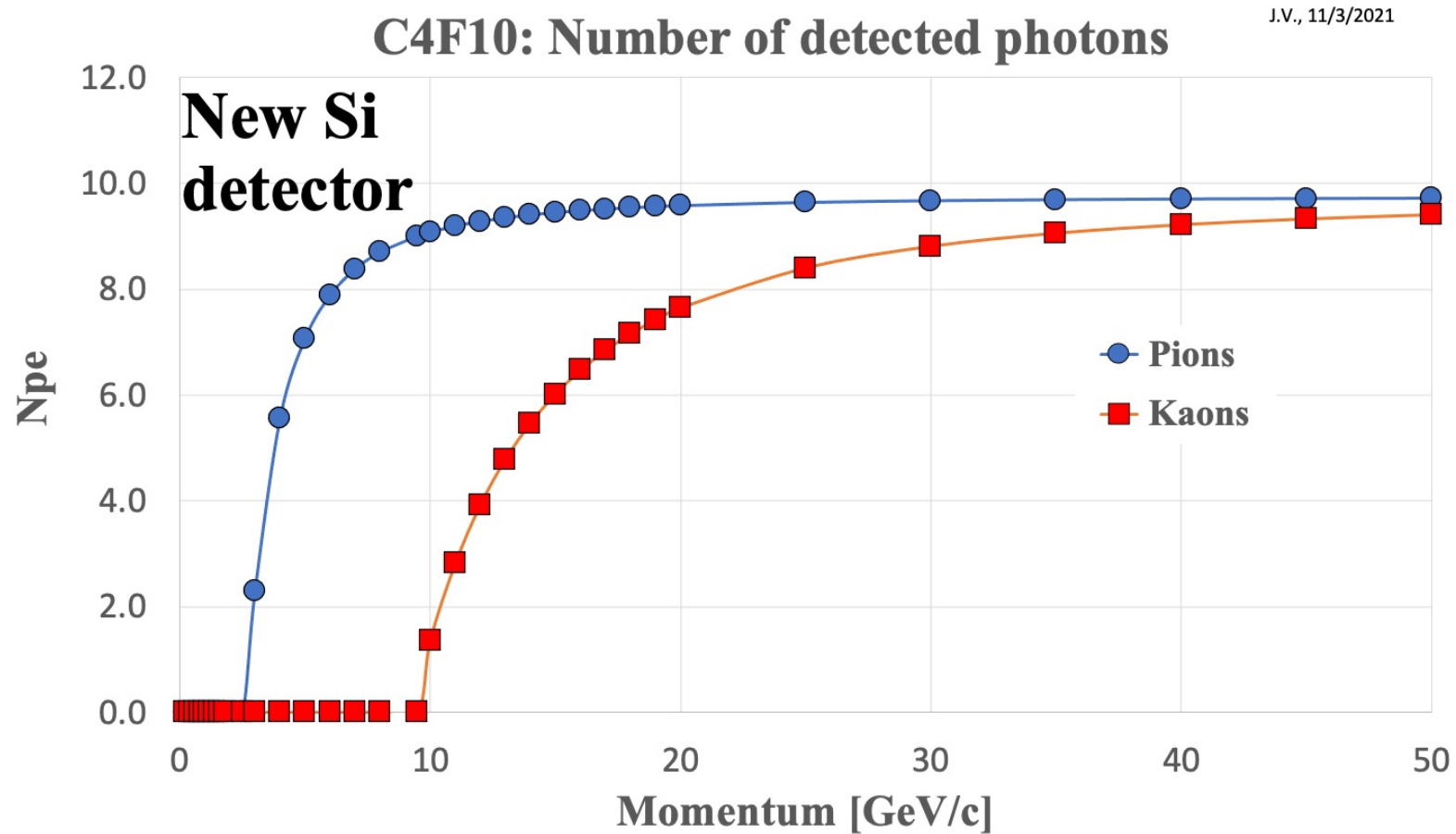
$$\frac{\theta_{\pi} - \theta_K}{\sigma_{\theta} / \sqrt{N}}$$

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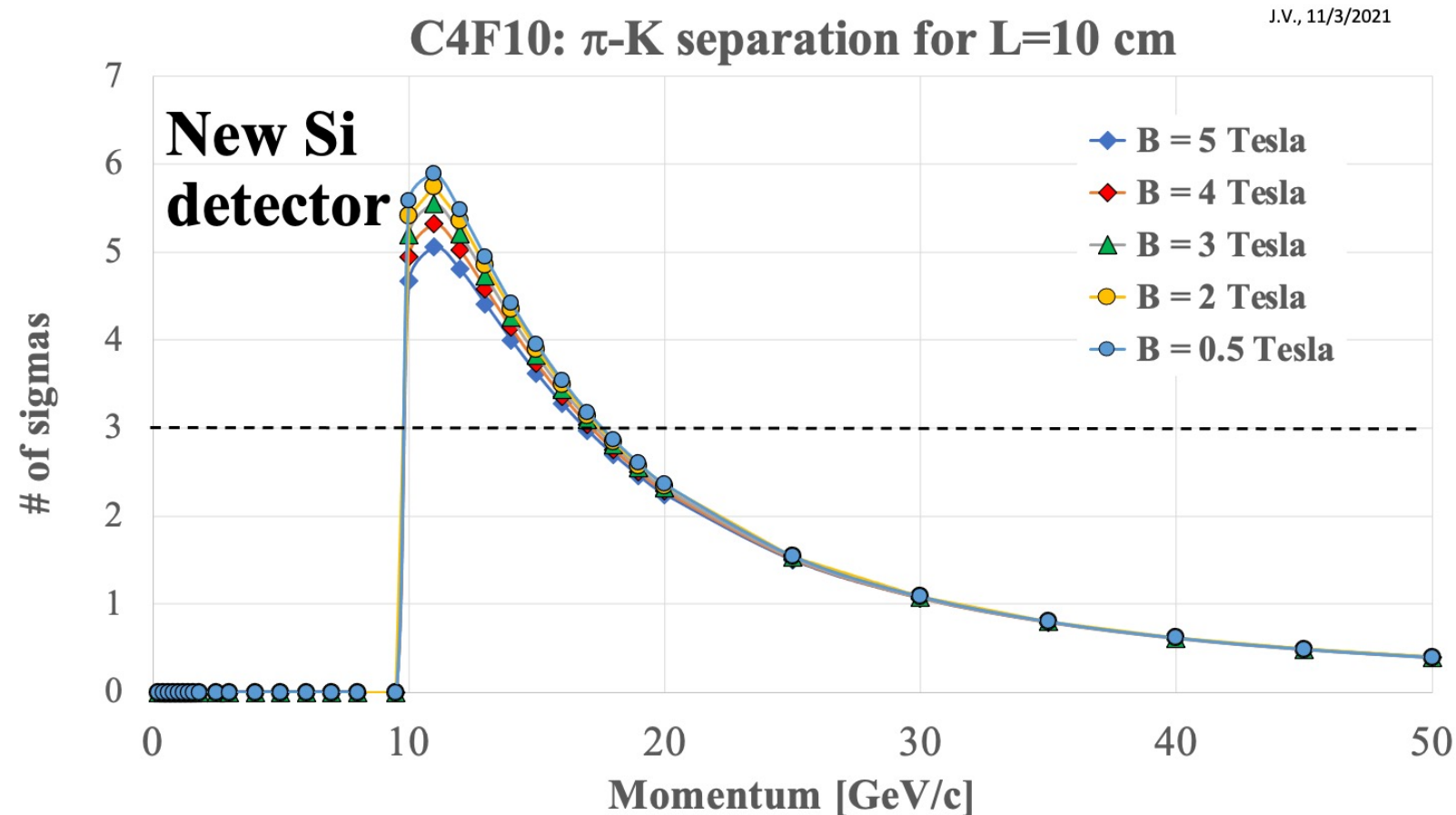
- 15 cm long radiator; PDE of a hypothetical Si detector has 1.5 x PDE_{SiPMT}.
- This detector does not exist yet.

SiD: Threshold behavior



- 10 cm long radiator; PDE of a hypothetical Si detector has $1.5 \times \text{PDE}_{\text{SiPMT}}$.

SiD: PID performance = f(momentum, B)



- 10 cm long radiator; PDE of a hypothetical Si detector has $1.5 \times \text{PDE}_{\text{SiPMT}}$.
- Not good enough + This detector does not exist yet.