# Hadronization via Attenuation in e+A Collisions

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## **Motivation**

#### elementary reactions (eN, $\gamma N$ ) on nucleon:



#### nuclear reactions (eA, $\gamma A @$ GeV energies) :

interactions with nuclear medium during  $t_f$ 

space-time picture of hadronization

 $\sigma^*/\sigma_H \sim t^{0,\,1,\,2,\cdots}$ 

## Model

### ■ $\gamma^*N \rightarrow X$ using PYTHIA

additional:

- binding energies
- Fermi motion
- Pauli blocking
- coherence length effects
- propagation of final state X within GiBUU transport model
  - elastic/inelastic scatterings (coupled channels)
  - experimental acceptance







### **Observables, Experiments**

#### multiplicity ratio



hadronic: 
$$z_h = \frac{E_h}{\nu}$$
,  $p_{\perp}$ , ...
photonic:  $\nu$ ,  $Q^2$ ,  $W$ ,  $x_B$ , ...







### **Results: EMC & Hermes**



#### Hermes@27: A.Airapetian et al., arXiv:0704.3270v1



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### JLAB@12GeV



### JLAB@5GeV



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#### kinematical constraints



Fermi motion !!!!!



## **Summary**

#### I model for $\gamma$ and e induced reactions at GeV energies

- combines:
  - QM coherence in entrance channel
  - coupled channel transport description of FSI
  - 4D production/formation points per every particle
- GiBUU is multi purpose transport code
- can describe:
  - coherence length effects in exclusive  $\rho^0$  production
  - hadron attenuation
  - ...much more...

pre-hadronic cross section increases linear in time
 tiny hints towards color transparency

EMC HERMES JLAB

## **Summary II: Future**

unique model for hadron production off nuclei between nucleon resonance region and DIS region

match PYTHIA and low energy model



O.Buss et al., nucl-th/0703060

duality at low energies (prehadronic vs. hadronic)

CT at low energies

#### **Backup slides**

## Hermes@27: recent paper, no Q<sup>2</sup> pedestal



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<sup>2</sup>d, <sup>4</sup>He<sub>2</sub> <sup>20</sup>Ne<sub>10</sub> <sup>84</sup>Kr<sub>36</sub> <sup>131</sup>Xe<sub>54</sub>

## JLAB@5GeV

