

The ProRad experiment



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The ProRad experiment

Electron proton elastic scattering experiment



⇒ Additional Low K² data

to past and forthcoming experimental data



Pro Rad

- > New compact pulsed electron LinAc $E_{e-} = 30 \text{ MeV}, 50 \text{ MeV}, 70 \text{ MeV}$
- Orsay Paris-Saclay (Sud) University Campus (25 km south from Paris)





- General Formalism
- Rp extraction: considerations about the method/constraints
- Impact and required precision of/on low K² data
- The Platform for Research and Applications with Electrons
- The ProRad experimental strategy and set-up
- Summary / perspectives



Framework of lepton proton scattering experiments



No global Lorentz Transform (LT) to the lab frame: 1 LT per | K² | point



Spectroscopy measurement framework ? **Rp interpretation compatibility ?**

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Formalism



 \Rightarrow Multipole expansion of the exponent

+ series representation of the 0th order Bessel function

(1)
$$\rightarrow G(k) = 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} C_n k^{2n} \equiv G(k^2)$$
 with $C_n = \frac{(-1)^n}{(2n+1)!} \langle r^{2n} \rangle$
 $\langle r^{2n} \rangle = 4\pi \int_0^\infty dr \, \rho(r) \, r^{2n+2}$

 $G(k^2)$: function of even moments of the probability density

 $G(k) \equiv G(k^2)$ thanks to k^2 dependence in the series

Mandatory to satisfy the convergence criterion associated to this series representation

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} k^2 \left| \frac{C_{n+1}}{C_n} \right| < 1$$

$$\frac{dG(k^2)}{dk^2} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} nC_n k^{2(n-1)}$$

$$R = \sqrt{\langle r^2 \rangle} = \sqrt{-6 \left. \frac{dG(k^2)}{dk^2} \right|_{k^2=0}}$$
Breit Frame
$$\rightarrow \text{ indirect measurement of Rp}$$

Formalism (2)



$$R = \sqrt{\langle r^2 \rangle} = \sqrt{- 6 \left. \frac{dG(k^2)}{dk^2} \right|_{k^2 = 0}}$$

Experimentally $k^2 = 0$ inaccessible : data only at $k^2 \neq 0$

 \Rightarrow R determination relies on an extrapolation of experimental data measured in a finite k^2 interval determined from density related considerations and based on parametrizations

Extracted R value should be independent from: the considered k^2 interval satisfying the validity domain



R sensitivity of the data fitting procedure



$$\begin{split} G(k^2) &= 1 + C_1 k^2 \left(1 + \sum_{n>1}^{\infty} \frac{C_n}{C_1} k^{2(n-1)} \right) \\ & [C_n = \frac{(-1)^n}{(2n+1)!} \langle r^{2n} \rangle] \\ & \text{Relative correction to } C_I \end{split}$$

from higher order terms in the expansion

Extracting R from large k^2 data **amplifies the sensitivity of the procedure** to the $G(k^2)$ functional form through the k^2 dependence

Convergence of $G(k^2)$ expansion $\lim_{n \to \infty} k^2 \left| \frac{C_{n+1}}{C_n} \right| < 1$ has to be verified

The magnitude of the correction involving ratio of moments ($\langle r^{2n} \rangle$) of the probability density, so as the convergence criterion, is **model dependent**;

Given a **density model** C_n coefficients can be evaluated to <u>any order</u> in the expansion.



R sensitivity to k^2 upper limit (k_{M}^2)

Considering
$$\rho(r) = \rho_0 r^{\alpha} \exp(-\lambda r)$$
 with $\rho_0 = \frac{1}{4\pi} \frac{\lambda^{3+\alpha}}{\Gamma(3+\alpha)}$
 $\langle r^{2n} \rangle = \frac{1}{\lambda^{2n}} \frac{\Gamma(2n+\alpha+3)}{\Gamma(\alpha+3)}$ and $R = \sqrt{\frac{(3+\alpha)(4+\alpha)}{\lambda^2}}$





 $k_{\rm M}^2$: upper limit of k^2 range for which series representation of FT is valid

Only at very low k^2 sensitivity to the largest number of possible values for α . (For example, for $k_{\rm M}^2$ = 25 fm⁻², only a density model with α >0 can be considered)

Relation betweeen minimal expansion order (n_{min}) and (k^2)

R = 0.84 fm

12

10

 $\alpha = -1$

 $\alpha = 0$

 $\alpha = 1$

 $\alpha = 2$

n_{min}

$$G(k^2) = 1 + C_1 k^2 \left(1 + \sum_{n>1}^{\infty} \frac{C_n}{C_1} k^{2(n-1)} \right)$$

Requiring $G(k^2)$ to be precise to some accuracy corresponds to limiting higher order terms

Consider
$$ho(r)=
ho_0\,r^{oldsymbollpha}\exp(-{oldsymbol\lambda} r)$$
 with

$$\frac{C_n}{C_1} k^{2(n-1)} \le \frac{5 \times 10^{-4}}{5 \times 10^{-4}}$$
$$\rho_0 = \frac{1}{4\pi} \frac{\lambda^{3+\alpha}}{\Gamma(3+\alpha)}$$

 \mathbf{n}_{\min} increases with k^2

Only at low $k^2 n_{min}$ remains almost independent from the α value of the density model.

For
$$k^2 = 2 \text{ fm}^{-2}$$
, $n_{\min} = 4 \text{ or } 5$

k² (fm⁻²)

 k^2 upper limit (k_{M}^2)



$0 < |K_M^2| \le 2 \text{ fm}^{-2}$ [$0 < Q_M^2 \le 0.08 (\text{GeV/c}^2)^2$]

- Statisfy the convergence criterion
- Preserve the analyticity properties of G_E (Q² < 4 m²_{π})



R Sensitivity to fitting procedure: polynomial order

Considering $\rho(r) = \rho_0 \exp(-\lambda r)$ and $R_i = 0.87$

Dipolar shape $G_E(|K^2|) = \left(1 + \frac{|K^2|}{\Lambda_i}\right)^{-2}$ consistent with a proton charge radius R_i such as $\Lambda_i = \frac{12}{R_i}$ $\mathbf{n} = \mathbf{4} \bigoplus_{\substack{(n \in [1,4])}} C_n^{\mathbf{R}} = \frac{(-1)^n}{(2n+1)!} \langle r^{2n} \rangle$

<u>Generation of 1000 pseudo-data sets:</u>

[Up to $|K_{\rm M}^2$ = 2 fm⁻² = 0.08 (GeV/c²)²]

- ★ Based on Mainz 2010 data
 ▶ position in |K²|
 J.C. Bernauer, Ph.D. Dissertation, Johannes Gutenberg
 Universität, Mainz (Germany), 2010.
 - measurement errors

* At $|K^2|$, G_E value gaussianely distributed around the dipolar expectation with a gaussian width corresponding to the Mainz experimental error at that $|K^2|$

Fit each pseudo-data set with polynomials $P_m(k^2) = \sum_{i=0} a_i (k^2)^i$ of different order $\mathbf{m} \in [2,6] \Rightarrow a_i (i \in [1,4])^m$ of different order $\mathbf{m} \in [2,6]$. to reference C_n^R (order 4)



$G(|K^2|)$ parametrization: polynomial order compatibility



Evaluator:
$$\Delta = \frac{|C_n^m - C_n^R|}{\sqrt{(\delta C_n^m)^2 + (\delta C_n^R)^2}} = \frac{|C_n^m - C_n^R|}{\sigma} \quad [\delta C_n^i (\mathbf{i} \in [m, R])]$$

Higher order density moments are physical parameters : have to be recovered



> m < (m_{ref}=4)

Systematics deviations from reference values

> m > (m_{ref}=4)

 C_1 recovery Failure for higher orders (data overfitting \equiv fitting unphysical fluctuations from point-to-point)





World existing data parametrization (1)

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Data Set ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ⑦ ⑧	Ref. $ \begin{array}{r} 29 + 28 \\ \hline 0 + 27 \\ \hline 2 + 26 \\ \hline 3 + 25 \\ \hline 4 + 24 \\ \hline 5 + 23 \\ \hline 6 + 22 \\ \hline 7 + 21 \\ \hline 8 + 20 \\ \end{array} $	$\begin{array}{c c} {\rm Data \ N} \\ < 1 \ {\rm fm}^{-2} \\ \hline 405 \\ 410 \\ 413 \\ 441 \\ 443 \\ 444 \\ 455 \\ \hline {\rm Work \ still \ o} \\ 456 \\ 466 \\ 468 \\ \hline \end{array}$	Tumber $< 2 \text{ fm}^{-2}$ 688 693 700 745 756 on progress 760 775 778	 (1903) 18. 21. L.N. Hand, D.G. Miller, R. Wilson, Rev. Mod. Phys. 35 (1963) 335. 22. D. Frèrejacque, D. Benaksas, D. Drickey, Phys. Rev. 141 (1966) 1308. 23. Yu.K. Akimov <i>et al.</i> Sov. Phys. JEPT 35 (1972) 651. 24. J.J. Murphy, II, Y.M. Shin, D.M. Skopik, Phys. Rev. C 9 (1974) 2125. 25. F. Borkowski, P. Peuser, G.G. Simon, V.H. Walther, R.D. Wendling, Nucl. Phys. A 222 (1974) 269. 26. F. Borkowski, G.G. Simon, V.H. Walther, R.D. Wendling, Nucl. Phys. A 333 (1975) 461. 27. G.G. Simon, Ch. Schmitt, F. Borkowski, V.H. Walther, Nucl. Phys. A 333 (1980) 381. 28. (A1 Collaboration) J.C. Bernauer <i>et al.</i> Phys. Rev. C 90
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World existing data parametrization (2)

$$P_{m}(k^{2}) = \sum_{i=0}^{m} a_{i} (k^{2})^{i} \quad \begin{array}{l} k^{2} = 1 \text{ fm}^{-2} \text{ ; m = 3} \\ k^{2} = 2 \text{ fm}^{-2} \text{ ; m = 4} \end{array}$$

K_{max}^2	Pol.		R_p	2	Data
(fm^{-2})	Ord.		(fm)	χ_r	Set
		0.99926(65)	0.839(16)	1.186	1
		0.99926(65)	0.839(16)	1.172	2
		0.99926(65)	0.839(16)	1.167	3
1.0	2	0.99920(65)	0.837(16)	1.218	4
1.0	3	0.99913(65)	0.835(16)	1.226	5
		Works	still on prog	gress	6
		0.99913(65)	0.835(16)	1.226	$\overline{\mathcal{O}}$
		0.99914(65)	0.835(16)	1.218	8
		0.99914(65)	0.835(16)	1.211	9
		1.00052(51)	0.875(10)	0.995	1
	4	1.00052(51)	0.875(10)	0.987	2
		1.00052(51)	0.875(10)	0.999	3
2.0		1.00058(50)	0.876(10)	1.090	4
2.0		1.00054(50)	0.875(10)	1.098	5
		Works	still on prog	gress	6
		1.00054(50)	0.874(10)	1.095	Ī
		1.00051(50)	0.874(10)	1.111	8
		1.00052(50)	0.874(10)	1.106	9

Rp extracted value **in agreement** with 0.84 fm <u>and</u> 0.87fm within the error bars

Extracted Rp value should be independent from the considered $|K^2|$ interval ($|K^2|$ up to 1 and 2 fm⁻² should lead to the same central value with error bars sufficiently small to discriminate between current μ H spectroscopy and lepton scattering results.



Upcoming low |K²|experiments









Combining with existing data, how much accurate should be **low** $|K^2|$ data to find **R=0.84 fm** (within 3σ) and reject **R=0.87** (> 5σ)

OR

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Up to $|K^2| = 2 \text{ fm}^{-2} = 0.08 (\text{GeV/c}^2)^2$

Data Set	Ref.			
1	29 + 28	405	688	
2	(1) + 27	410	693	
3	2 + 26	413	700	
4	3 + 25	444	745	
5	(4) + 24	455	756	
6	5 + 23	Work still o	on progress	
$\overline{\mathcal{O}}$	6 + 22	456	760	
8		466	775	
9	8 + 20	468	778	

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> at each $|K^2|$, data are redistributed according to a gaussian which *Mean* is the dipolar expectation and the width is absolute δG_E (**the variable**)





All existing data considered + ProRad pseudo-data (G_E dipolar)

$$\Delta_{\perp} = \frac{|R_p^m - R_f|}{\sqrt{\left(\delta R_p^m\right)^2 + \left(\delta R_{\perp}\right)^2}}$$





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⊲ 20 $R_i = R_{\rm u} = 0.84 \, {\rm fm}$ 18 16 **Blue:** comparison \mathbf{R}^{m} with $R_{f} = \mathbf{R}\mu = 0.84$ fm 14 **Red**: comparison \mathbf{R}^{m} with $R_{f} = \mathbf{Re} = 0.87$ fm 12 $\delta(G_F)/G_F$ for **low Q2** 10 experiments has to be 8 6 at least **5x10**⁻⁴ to be sensitive to Rµ due to large statistical the 2 weigh of Mainz 2010 0.1 0.2 0.3 0.4 0.5 0.6 0.7 δ G_E/G_E (%) data. For ProRad, variable error bars





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The Platform for research and Applications with Electrons



S. Barsuk, P. Duchesne et al.

PRAE aims at providing, on the Orsay campus, a **multidisciplinary facility** for innovative **R&D** in **radiobiology**, **instrumentation**, and **subatomic physics**... using a **high performance electron beam** in the **30-70 (140 MeV)** energy range.





PHAE Linear electron accelerator

A. Faus-Golfe et al.



PAZ Infrastructure



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KAE Radiobiology: Grid Therapy with High Energy Electrons

I. Martinez-Rovira, G. Fois, Y. Prezado Med. Phys. 42 (2015) 685



- □ Sub-millimeter beams enlarge because of **multiple scattering**.
- □ Healthy tissue benefit from the **spatial fractionating** of the dose while the latter is **quasihomogeneously distributed** in the **tumor**.

PRAE will quantify the biologic potential of this technique.

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Instrumentation platform: Detector R&D

B. Genolini, V. Puill et al.

Providing to users a high-performance platform to characterize the time and charge response of detectors.





The beam line for **Subatomic Physics**:

- > designed to allow for high-precision measurements
- includes advanced equipments for beam monitoring and control





The ProRad experiment: strategy and experimental set-up

ProRad will measure the proton **electric form factor** $G_E(Q^2)$ in the **unexplored domain** of **very low** energy **transfers 10⁻⁵-3×10⁻⁴** (GeV/c²)².



Expected results

• A better experimental knowledge of the Q^2 -dependence of G_E .

• A significant impact on the proton charge radius determination, from the ProRad-data constraint on the zero-momentum extrapolation of $G_{\rm E}$.

Within the ProRad range, any data different from 1 would be quite a surprise !!



ProRad experiment: experimental principle

Pro Rad



The essential difficulty of the experiment is about minimizing and controlling systematic errors

Pro Rad

$$\frac{d^2 \sigma_{ep}}{d\theta d\varphi} = \frac{Y(e^- p \to e^- p)}{\mathcal{L}_{H_2} A_e \epsilon_e \delta_{ep}} \qquad \frac{d^2 \sigma_{ee}}{d\theta d\varphi} = \frac{Y(e^- e^- \to e^- e^-)}{\mathcal{L}_{H_2} A_e \epsilon_e \delta_{ee}}$$

$$G_E^2(Q^2) = \rho_\sigma(Q^2) \frac{\delta_{ee}}{\delta_{ep}} \left(\frac{d^2 \sigma_{ee}}{d\theta d\varphi} / \frac{d^2 \sigma_{ep}^{Mott}}{d\theta d\varphi}\right)_{th} \left[1 + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{Q^2}{M^2}\right)\right] - G_M^2(Q^2) \left[\mathcal{O}\left(\frac{Q^2}{M^2}\right) - \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{m^2}{M^2}\right)\right]$$

- Uncertainties related to luminosity disappear.
- Acceptance and efficiency effects also disappear but remain at the systematic level.
- Radiative effects must be controlled at a few 10⁻⁴ accuracy.
- Correction from the magnetic form factor is very small and can be controlled with high enough accuracy.



Solid H₂ target GOETHE





windows = background thickness = background + inaccurate vertex Low density = increase data taking time



R.A. Costa Fraga et al. RSI 83 (2012) 025102





- ProRad requires a windowless thin hydrogen target of enough density.
 - The supercooled liquid technology developped at Frankfurt University provides thin (5-15µm) solid hydrogen wires.

Detector concept



The detector is composed of 28 independent elementary cells constituting of two scintillator planes followed by a cylindrical BGO crystal ($\pi 2.5^2[3.5^2] \times 15 \text{ cm}^3$).





- Scattered electrons travel in vacuum over a 2 m distance before reaching the detection area.
- Smallest angle crystals are the largest for mimimizing energy leakage effects.



Position detectors

Pro Rad

The position detector is made out of two staggered planes of plastic scintillator stripes (20x4x1.3 mm³) read-out at both ends with SiPMs (prototype configuration).



$$\int_{\Delta\Omega} \frac{d^2\sigma}{d\theta d\varphi} \ d\theta d\varphi = \left. \frac{d^2\sigma}{d\theta d\varphi} \right|_{\theta_0} \mathcal{A}_{\Delta\Omega}$$

Prototyping in progress

- Scintillator stripes acceptance effects are controlled with very high accuracy through a Taylor development of the cross section at the stripe center.
- The position detector also serves as charged particles tagger.



Q² points

Pro Rad

Scatt. Angle (°)	Nb of det./ring
6	4
9	6
12	8
15	10

3 beam energy (30, 50 and 70 MeV)



X 5 \Rightarrow 60 points in **Q**²



Energy separation of Elastic and Moller events



 At the same scattering angle, the energy difference between Møller and elastic electrons allows to separate processes.

- At small angle, separation of processes is reduced.
- At large angle, dynamics of cross sections generate combinatorial effects.



Summary

R extracted indirectly from the data within the Breit Frame



- Polynomial order: m_min to cover most density models (given a parametrized density) and m_max to recover higher density moments. Value of $G_{\rm E}({\rm Q}^2=0)$ shouldn't be constrained to avoid bias.
- ProRad: $|K^2|$ interval too small to extract R by itself. Combination with data from other experiments mandory to enlarge the domain in $|K^2|$ (shape of G_E)
- \blacksquare ProRad (low Q² exp) relative accuracy on GE has to be at least 5×10^{-4} to be able to disentangle R μ from Re.
- Prototyping of the detector is ongoing. Experiment 2021
- ProRad goal: 0.1% systematics on the cross section.
 60 points in Q² (1×10⁻⁵ \leq Q² (GeV/c²)² \leq 3×10⁻⁴)

Perspectives (1)



- Take into account PRad results on G_E and generate pseudodata of other upcoming experiments with their projected errors.
- Study different parametrizations /density models
- Article dedicated to current studies : writing under progress



Perspectives (2)



PRAE Kick-off workshop, Oct. 8th-10th, 2018 - Orsay, France

http://workshop-prae2018.lal.in2p3.fr/

Result: Fall 2018 ? HORIZOZO STRONG2020 proposal: Droton Radius European Network (PREN) D.M. and R. Pohl 200ke (including indirect costs) to increase/improve links between spectroscopy and lepton scattering communities



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