Systematic investigation on momentum distributions of projectilelike fragments at E/A = 290 MeV

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# Motivation Systematic measurements of momentum distribution of projectile-like fragments (PLFs)

Analysis

provide physical quantitiesCenter/width of distributionProd. cross-section

Contribute

#### **Nuclear physics**

- Reaction mechanism
- Nuclear structure effect
  - ex. pairing/shell effect



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- The shift and width of momentum distribution are small.
- Well defined velocity -> can be used as secondary beam.

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Few systematic measurements with HI beam !!

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 Broadening effect is suppressed compared with lower energy reaction.

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- $\sigma_0$  is slightly larger than that for Ar-beam.

## Reduced width : σ<sub>0</sub> Target dependence



- $\sigma_0$  is independent on target nuclei.
- $\sigma_0(Kr)$  is larger than  $\sigma_0(Ar)$ .

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•  $\sigma_0$  is energy dependent for at  $E = 40 \sim 500$  MeV/u.

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- $\sigma_T^2 = \sigma_{GH^2} + \sigma_{Bibber^2}$  is assumed to be valid for heavier target.

## Orbital-deflection effect

### PFLs produced from <sup>40</sup>Ar-beam



- The orbital-deflection effect grows with target mass.
- The target effect is remarkable for PLFs with  $A_T > 20$ .

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- The fluctuation comes from isotopic drift.

## Be careful, when you use PLF

- produced from heavy target
- in small angle acceptance at forward angle



you might use the minor part in distribution.

## Conclusions

- P<sub>L</sub> distribution
  - The broadening effect at lower momentum side was observed.
  - Target/Energy dependence of reduced momentum width  $\sigma_0$  was observed.
  - The systematics of the deceleration effect was observed.
- P<sub>T</sub> distribution
  - The orbital-deflection effect ( $\Delta P_{T}$ ) was extracted.
  - $\Delta P_{\rm T}$  grows with target mass for heavy PLFs.
  - The isotopic drift causes the large fluctuation found in  $\Delta P_{\rm T}$  -systematics. More consideration is needed.
- Based on the present results, production cross section should be calculated.

