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Abstract content

The AMADEUS collaboration is performing experimental investigations in the low energy strangeness QCD sector.

The K- nuclear absorbtion processes on light nuclear targets are studied, taking advantage of the monochromatic low-momentum negatively charged kaons produced by the DAFNE collider and exploiting the KLOE detector as an active target. The K- single and multi-nuclear absorptions on H, 4He, 9Be and 12C, both at-rest and in-flight (for a kaon momentum of 100 MeV/c), are investigated with the aim to determine the nature of the controversial $\Lambda(1405)$, the non-resonant hyperon pion formation amplitude below the K-N threshold, the yields and cross sections of K-multi-nucleon absorptions (intimately related to the antikaon multi-nucleon clusters properties) and the K- scattering cross sections on light nuclear targets.

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