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## Summary of High-Energy Nucleon-Nucleon Cross-Section Data\*

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### I. INTRODUCTION

IN the past ten years a considerable amount of information has been published on nucleon-nucleon cross sections at high energies (taken here to mean above 10 Mev).

Different experimenters have used different techniques in collecting the data and deducing absolute cross sections. As time progressed, the methods of obtaining the absolute cross section have become more refined and have yielded more accurate values. The  $n-p$  differential cross section is usually obtained by normalizing an observed angular distribution of  $n-p$  events to the separately determined  $n-p$  elastic cross section. If an erroneous value is used for  $\sigma_{np}$  elastic, the absolute cross-section scale for the differential cross section is in error. Corrections of such errors should be made to several of the earlier works on  $\sigma_{np}(\theta)$ .

Similarly, several experiments on the  $p-p$  differential cross section have used the reaction  $C^{12}(p,pn)C^{11}$  as a monitor for the proton beam, and improved values of the cross section for this reaction have recently been published. This new cross section for the carbon reaction changes the values of  $\sigma_{pp}(\theta)$  reported earlier.

This paper gathers together all the data and all the corrections to the data, and is an attempt to show that the results form a consistent picture.

Some confusion exists in the literature about the definitions of the different types of cross sections and the nomenclature used to describe them. We use the following system.

For the differential cross section—commonly denoted by  $d\sigma/d\Omega(\theta)$ —we use the abbreviation  $\sigma(\theta)$ . In the experiments summarized in this report the differential cross sections studied in nucleon-nucleon scattering are essentially elastic cross sections. In several cases in which the energy is only a little above the meson threshold the inelastic contribution has been neglected.

Three types of integral cross sections (integrated over the angle  $\theta$ ) are discussed.

The notation  $\sigma$  total is used in referring to the removal of incident particles from the beam by all processes, elastic or inelastic, except Coulomb scattering in  $p-p$  events.

The notation  $\sigma$  elastic is used in referring to the scattering of incident particles from the beam by elastic processes only. This cross section refers to nuclear scattering only; Coulomb scattering is not included. In a nucleon-nucleon collision, the inter-

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action must be a two-body reaction throughout. Meson production or bremsstrahlung must be excluded for the event to be elastic. Actually (experimentally) for a 100-Mev incident particles a few Mev could be lost and the event probably would still be considered elastic. For example, when a deuterium-hydrogen subtraction is used to provide a "neutron" target, the 2.2 Mev needed to break up the deuteron would normally be ignored.

The notation  $\sigma$  inelastic is used in referring to the removal of particles from the beam by inelastic processes only. Meson production is the most important inelastic process in nucleon-nucleon scattering up to several Bev. Since threshold for  $\pi$ -meson production is 290 Mev, no distinction is usually made below this energy between  $\sigma$  elastic and  $\sigma$  total.

The three integral cross sections are related by

$$\sigma_{\text{total}} = \sigma_{\text{elastic}} + \sigma_{\text{inelastic}}$$

Also included in this report are data on the nucleon polarization as determined in double-scattering experiments.

## II. $\sigma_{np}$ (TOTAL) AND $\sigma_{np}$ (ELASTIC)

The  $n-p$  total cross section is usually measured by a good-geometry attenuation experiment. Only a relative beam monitor is needed, since only the ratio of before-scatterer to behind-scatterer counting rates is involved. The efficiency of counters need not be known unless this shows a strong energy dependence. Above 300 Mev a distinction must be made between elastic and total cross sections. Table I summarizes the experiments to measure  $\sigma_{np}$  total and  $\sigma_{np}$  elastic. Figure 1 shows measured values of  $\sigma_{np}$  total and  $\sigma_{np}$  elastic and several values for  $\sigma_{pn}$  total.

## III. $\sigma_{pn}$ TOTAL

Here the proton is now the high-energy incident particle. Several values have been given for  $\sigma_{pn}$  total.

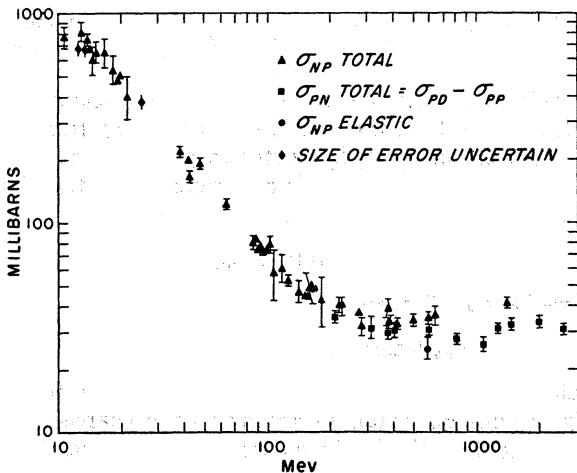


FIG. 1. Experimental values of the total and elastic neutron-proton cross sections and of the total proton-neutron cross sections.

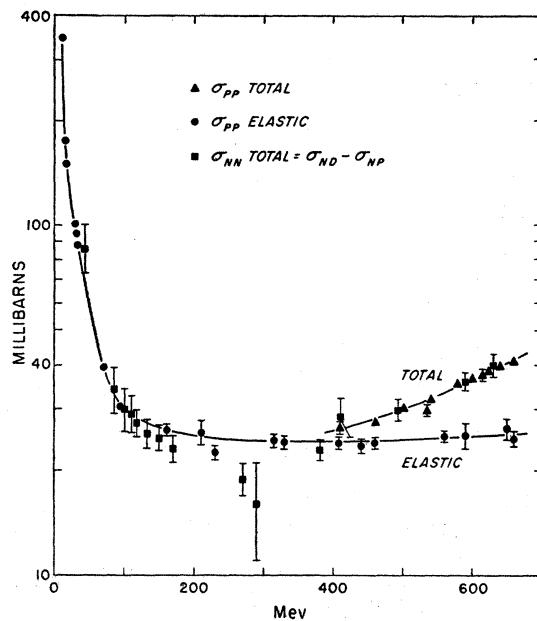


FIG. 2. Experimental values of the total and elastic proton-proton cross sections and of the total neutron-neutron cross section below 600 Mev.

These are obtained by measuring the total cross section for protons on hydrogen and for protons on deuterium, and subtracting. At these energies the deuteron can roughly be considered to be a proton and a neutron acting independently, so subtraction should give the effect from the neutron in the deuteron. There is undoubtedly an interference term in the scattering from deuterium so that the subtraction is not really justified, but it is expected that the interference term will be small enough to make the subtraction give nearly the correct value for  $\sigma_{pn}$  total. Also there probably is an effect similar to eclipsing that reduces the cross section for the proton and neutron in the deuteron (G3). This eclipsing effect has been suggested as a reason why  $\sigma_{pn}$  sometimes is lower than  $\sigma_{np}$  (S1,C4). We take

$$\sigma_{pd\text{total}} = \sigma_{pp\text{total}} + \sigma_{pn\text{total}} + R,$$

where  $R$  is the result of the interference term in the deuterium scattering and the eclipsing effect. If we have  $R=0$ , then

$$\sigma_{pn\text{total}} = \sigma_{pd\text{total}} - \sigma_{pp\text{total}}.$$

Figure 1 shows that the values for  $\sigma_{pn}$  total obtained in this way fall somewhat below the curve for  $\sigma_{np}$  total. The value of  $R$  can be estimated from this, since theoretically we have

$$\sigma_{np\text{total}} \equiv \sigma_{pn\text{total}}.$$

The value obtained in this manner, if  $R$  is assumed independent of energy, is

$$R = 6 \pm 3 \text{ mb.}$$

This means that the experimental value of  $\sigma_{pd}$  total is

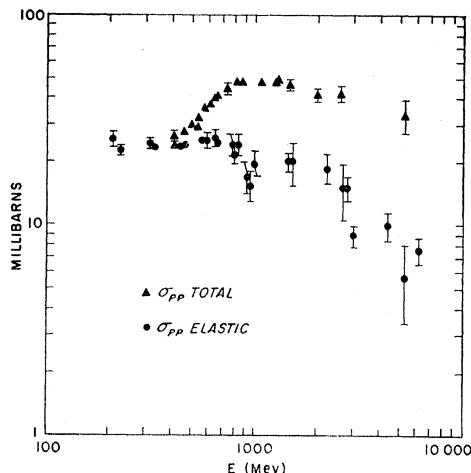


FIG. 3. Experimental values of the total and elastic proton-proton cross sections up to Bev energy range.

$\sim 6$  mb less than the sum of  $\sigma_{pp}$  total and  $\sigma_{np}$  total because of the eclipsing and interference effect  $R$ . This analysis should be expected to break down for low energies, where  $R$  may become large.

#### IV. $\sigma_{pp}$ TOTAL, $\sigma_{pp}$ ELASTIC, AND $\sigma_{pp}$ INELASTIC

The  $p-p$  total cross section is usually measured by an attenuation experiment in which the geometry is such that Coulomb-scattered protons are treated as part of the unscattered transmitted proton beam. Therefore the cross section determined is due to nuclear scattering only. Above 300 Mev inelastic events become important. The total cross section can be measured directly. The elastic cross section can be determined either by measuring the fraction of all events that are elastic and multiplying this by the total cross section, or by integrating under the elastic  $\sigma_{pp}(\theta)$  curve. Table II summarizes the experiments on  $\sigma_{pp}$  total, and  $\sigma_{pp}$  elastic, and  $\sigma_{pp}$  inelastic. Figure 2 shows measured values of  $\sigma_{pp}$  total and  $\sigma_{pp}$  elastic below 600/MeV; in addition,

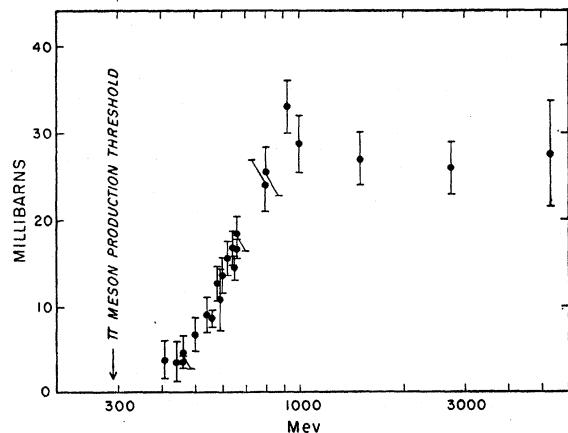


FIG. 4. Experimental values of the inelastic proton-proton cross section.

the curve has been extended to lower energies by integrating under the measured curves for the  $p-p$  differential cross section.

All the experimental values in Fig. 2 have been treated so that they do not include Coulomb scattering but do include nuclear scattering all the way to  $\theta=0^\circ$ . Also on this graph are values for  $\sigma_{nn}$  total. Figure 3 shows the  $\sigma_{pp}$  total and  $\sigma_{pp}$  elastic data extended to the Bev energy range. There is apparently a drop in the elastic cross section at high energy, which may be related to the structure of the proton. Figure 4 shows values for  $\sigma_{pp}$  inelastic, which primarily represent  $\pi$ -meson production.

#### V. $\sigma_{nn}$ TOTAL

Experiments have been performed to measure  $\sigma_{nn}$  total in a manner similar to those that give  $\sigma_{pn}$  total.

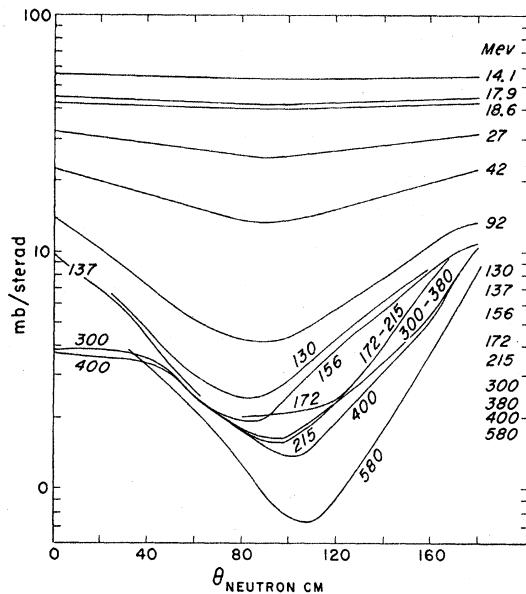


FIG. 5. Experimental values of the differential neutron-proton cross section at various energies.

In this case,  $\sigma_{nn}$  total is determined by assigning a value of zero to  $I$ , the interference+eclipsing term, in the neutron scattering by deuterium; then the neutron scattering from hydrogen is subtracted from that by deuterium to give  $\sigma_{nn}$ . Thus,

$$\sigma_{nd} \text{ total} = \sigma_{np} \text{ total} + \sigma_{nn} \text{ total} + I.$$

If we have  $I=0$ , then

$$\sigma_{nn} \text{ total} = \sigma_{nd} \text{ total} - \sigma_{np} \text{ total}.$$

Values of  $\sigma_{nn}$  total obtained in this way are plotted in Fig. 2 with  $\sigma_{pp}$  total. According to the charge-independence hypothesis these cross sections should be identical. The values of  $\sigma_{nn}$  total fall quite close to the  $\sigma_{pp}$  total curve. If the interference terms in  $p-d$  and  $n-d$  scattering are similar—that is, if  $I=R$ , as well

TABLE I. A summary of experiments on the neutron-proton total and elastic cross sections.  
Also given are some data on the neutron-neutron total cross section.

Reference	Authors	Energy (Mev)	Cross section (mb)	Remarks	Source of quoted error	Detector
S3	Sleator (Michigan)	$E = 9.3$ $E = 10.6$ $E = 12.8$ $E = 14.8$ $E = 16.5$ $E = 18.1$ $E = 19.6$ $E = 21.1$	$920 \pm 80$ $780 \pm 90$ $830 \pm 90$ $610 \pm 90$ $660 \pm 100$ $550 \pm 80$ $520 \pm 90$ $410 \pm 90$		Counting statistics	Ion chamber to count recoil protons
A1	Agemo, Amaldi, Bocciarelli, Trabacchi (Rome)	$E = 12.5$ $E = 13.5$	690 694		Counting statistics	Proportional counter proton-recoil telescope
L1	Lasday (Carnegie Tech)	$E = 13.9$	$770 \pm 40$		Counting statistics	Proportional counter telescope
P1	Poss, Salant, Snow, Yuan (Brookhaven)	$E = 14.10 \pm 0.05$ $T(d,n)\text{He}^4$ source	$689 \pm 5$		Counting statistics	Scintillator to count neutrons
M2	Meyer, Nyer (Los Alamos)	$E = 14.2$	$675 \pm 20$		Not given	$\text{Cu}^{63}(n,2n)\text{Cu}^{62}$
S4	Salant, Ramsey (Carnegie Inst. of Washington)	$E = 14$ $E = 15$	$700 \pm 60$ $660 \pm 70$		Not given	$\text{Cu}^{63}(n,2n)\text{Cu}^{62}$ , 13-Mev threshold
D3	Day, Mills, Perry, Scherb (Los Alamos)	$E = 19.655 \pm 0.035$	$495 \pm 3$		Not given	Scintillator to count neutrons
D2	Day, Henkel (Los Alamos)	$E = 19.93$	$504 \pm 10$		Reproducibility	Scintillator to count neutrons
S5	Sherr (Harvard)	$E = 25$	390		Not given	$\text{C}^{12}(n,2n)\text{C}^{11}$
H2	Hildebrand, Leith (Berkeley)	$E = 42$	$203 \pm 7$	Energy not measured $\sigma_D = 289 \pm 13$	Counting statistics	$\text{C}^{12}(n,2n)\text{C}^{11}$
H3	Hadley, Kelly, Leith, Segrè, Wiegand, York (Berkeley)	$E = 90$ $E = 42$	$76 \pm 1.7$ $170 \pm 8.3$	Energy not measured Used in $\sigma_{nn}$ total	Counting statistics	Proportional counter telescope
H1	Hillman, Stahl, Ramsey (Harvard)	$E = 88$ $E = 47.5$	$86.1 \pm 2$ $84.5 \pm 2$ $196 \pm 10$	Liquid H target $\text{CH}_2 - \text{C}$ target	Total	Scintillator to count neutrons
T3	Taylor, Wood (Harwell)	$E = 38$ $E = 63$ $E = 95$ $E = 126$ $E = 153$	$223 \pm 7.6$ $126 \pm 3$ $73.9 \pm 3$ $56.9 \pm 1.8$ $46.4 \pm 1.2$		Not given	Proton-recoil proportional counter telescope
T1	Taylor, Pickavance, Cassels, Randle (Harwell)	$E_{\max} = 45$ $E_{\text{peak}} = 39$ $E_{\text{cutoff}} = 34$ $E_{\max} = 74$ $E_{\text{peak}} = 64.5$ $E_{\text{cutoff}} = 59$ $E_{\max} = 107$ $E_{\text{peak}} = 97$ $E_{\text{cutoff}} = 91$ $E_{\max} = 169$ $E_{\text{peak}} = 156$ $E_{\text{cutoff}} = 149$	$223 \pm 7.6$ $126 \pm 3$ $73.9 \pm 3$ $46.4 \pm 1.2$	Data fit equation: $\sigma_{np} = \frac{10342}{E} - 45.7 + 0.157E$ ( $E = \text{Mev}$ , $\sigma = \text{mb}$ )	Not given	Proton-recoil proportional counter telescope
C5	Cook, McMillan, Peterson, Sewell (Berkeley)	$E = 85$	$83 \pm 4$ $\sigma_D = 117 \pm 5$	Used in $\sigma_{nn}$ total	Counting statistics +1% for others	$\text{C}^{12}(n,2n)\text{C}^{11}$

TABLE I.—(Continued).

Reference	Authors	Energy (Mev)	Cross section (mb)	Remarks	Source of quoted error	Detector
D4	DeJuren, Knable (Berkeley)	$E = 95$	$73 \pm 1.5$ $\sigma_{D-H} = 104 \pm 4$	Used in $\sigma_{nn}$ total	Counting statistics	Bi fission counter
C2	Cullar, Waniek (Harvard)	$E = 93.4$ $E = 97.2$ $E = 101.1$ $E = 106.8$	$77 \pm 5$ $76 \pm 3$ $80 \pm 7$ $59 \pm 16$		Counting statistics	Proton-recoil scintillation telescope
M1	Mott, Guernsey, Nelson (Rochester)	$E = 220 \pm 10$ $E = 180 \pm 7$ $E = 156 \pm 5$ $E = 140 \pm 5$ $E = 117 \pm 5$ $E = 97 \pm 5$	$41.3 \pm 3.5$ $44 \pm 12$ $50.5 \pm 8.3$ $48.5 \pm 5.6$ $61.5 \pm 8.6$ $74 \pm 10$	Pulse-height analysis allows determination at several energies at the same time	Counting statistics	Proton-recoil scintillator telescope
A2	Alphonse, Johansson, Taylor, Tibell (Uppsala, Sweden)	$E = 169$ $E = 149$ $E = 132$ $E = 117$ $E = 109$	$\sigma_{D-H} = 23.1 \pm 2$ $\sigma_{D-H} = 24.8 \pm 2$ $\sigma_{D-H} = 25.3 \pm 2.4$ $\sigma_{D-H} = 27.2 \pm 2.4$ $\sigma_{D-H} = 29.1 \pm 3.6$	Used in $\sigma_{nn}$ total	Not given	Proton-recoil scintillation counter telescope
T4	Taylor, Pickavance, Cassels, Randle (Harwell)	$E = 153$	$46.4 \pm 1.2$ $\sigma_{D-H} = 24.3 \pm 2$	Used in $\sigma_{nn}$ total	Not given	Proton-recoil proportional counter telescope
T2	Taylor (Uppsala, Sweden)	$E = 169$	$49.2 \pm 1.6$ $\sigma_{D-H} = 23.1 \pm 2.0$	Used in $\sigma_{nn}$ total	Counting statistics	Proton-recoil scintillation telescope
D1	DeJuren, Moyer (Berkeley)	$E = 220$ $E = 160$	$41 \pm 4$ $51.2 \pm 2.6$		Counting statistics	Bi fission counter
D5	DeJuren (Berkeley)	$E = 270$	$38 \pm 1.5$ $\sigma_{D-H} = 19 \pm 2$	Used in $\sigma_{nn}$ total	Not given	Bi fission counter
F1	Fox, Leith, Wouters, MacKenzie (Berkeley)	$E = 280$	$33 \pm 3$ $\sigma_D = 49 \pm 5$	Used in $\sigma_{nn}$ total	Counting statistics	Scintillator proton-recoil telescope
D6	Dzhelepov, Golovin, Satarov, (Moscow)	$E = 380$	$40 \pm 4$	Mentioned in D9	Not given	
N1	Nedzel (Chicago)	$E = 410$	$33.7 \pm 1.3$ $\sigma_{D-H} = 28.3 \pm 4.0$	Used in $\sigma_{nn}$ total	Total	Scintillators + Čerenkov counter counting recoil protons
D12	Dzhelepov, Satarov, Golovin (Moscow)	$E = 380$ $E = 500$ $E = 590$ $E = 630$ $E = 380$ $E = 500$ $E = 590$ $E = 630$	$34 \pm 2$ $35 \pm 2$ $36 \pm 2$ $37 \pm 4$ $\sigma_{D-H} = 23 \pm 1.5$ $\sigma_{D-H} = 30 \pm 2$ $\sigma_{D-H} = 36 \pm 2$ $\sigma_{D-H} = 40 \pm 3$	Total cross section includes inelastic events Used in $\sigma_{nn}$ total	Counting statistics	Scintillators
C4	Coor, Hill, Hornyak, Smith, Snow (Brookhaven)	$E = 1400$	$42.4 \pm 1.8$ $\sigma_{D-H} = 42.2 \pm 1.8$	Total cross section includes inelastic events	Counting statistics	Scintillator telescope with converter to make protons

might be—then according to the preceding analysis one should add about 6 mb to the values for  $\sigma_{nn}$  total to get the proper values. It would appear that  $\sigma_{nn}$  total agrees quite well with  $\sigma_{pp}$  total without addition of the 6 mb.

#### VI. $\sigma_{np}(\theta)$

To measure this cross section usually the angular distribution of either protons or neutrons is determined from the  $n-p$  interaction, normalizing the area under

the angular distribution to the total cross sections. Table III gives a summary of the measurements of  $\sigma_{np}(\theta)$ . Table IV lists the experimental values, and also the new values for those cases in which a renormalization has been performed. The renormalizations were usually done because the value for  $\sigma_{np}$  total now available is better than the one used by the original authors. In one case (GI), the renormalization is called for because the angular distribution was not measured to very small angles and an extrapolation to  $0^\circ$  was

TABLE II. A summary of experiments on the proton-proton total elastic and inelastic cross sections.  
Also given are some data on the proton-neutron total cross section.

Reference	Authors	Energy (Mev)	Cross section (mb)	Remarks	Source of quoted error	Detector
C16	Cook, Hartsough (Berkeley)	$E = 9.7$	345	Obtained by assuming $\sigma_{pp}(\theta) = 55 \text{ mb/sterad}$ flat to zero degrees $\therefore \sigma_{\text{tot}} = 55 \times 2\pi$		Scintillators
Y1	Yntema, White (Princeton)	$E = 18.2$	175	Obtained by assuming average $\sigma_{pp}(\theta) = 27.8$ $\therefore \sigma_{\text{tot}} = 27.8 \times 2\pi$		Scintillators
B6	Burkig, Schrank, Richardson (UCLA)	$E = 19.8$	152	Obtained by assuming average $\sigma_{pp}(\theta) = 24.2$ $\therefore \sigma_{\text{tot}} = 24.2 \times 2\pi$		Scintillators
P2	Panofsky, Fillmore (Berkeley)	$E = 29.4$	102	Obtained by assuming average $\sigma_{pp}(\theta) = 16.2$ $\therefore \sigma_{\text{tot}} = 16.2 \times 2\pi$		Nuclear emulsions
F3	Fillmore (Berkeley)	$E = 30.14$	94	Obtained by assuming average $\sigma_{pp}(\theta) = 15$ $\therefore \sigma_{\text{tot}} = 15 \times 2\pi$		Nuclear emulsions
C9	Cork, Johnston, Richman (Berkeley)	$E = 31.8$	88	Obtained by assuming average $\sigma_{pp}(\theta) = 14$ , $\therefore \sigma_{\text{tot}} = 14 \times 2\pi$		Proportional counters
K2	Kruse, Teem, Ramsey (Harvard)	$E = 70$ $E = 95$	39.6 30.2	Obtained by assuming average $\sigma_{pp}(\theta) = 6.3$ , $\therefore \sigma_{\text{tot}} = 6.3 \times 2\pi$ . Obtained by assuming average $\sigma_{pp}(\theta) = 4.8$ $\therefore \sigma_{\text{tot}} = 4.8 \times 2\pi$		Scintillators
C1	Chamberlain, Pettengill, Segrè, Wiegand (Berkeley)	$E = 330$ $E = 230$ $E = 160$	$23.9 \pm 1.0$ $22.5 \pm 1.0$ $26.1 \pm 1.0$	From $\sigma(\theta) = 3.81 \times 2\pi$ at 330 and $\sigma(\theta) = 3.58$ $\times 2\pi$ at 225 $\sigma(\theta) = 4.16 \times 2\pi$ at 160	Counting sta- tistics plus target-thickness uncertainty	Scintillator telescope
C3	de Carvalho (Chicago)	$E = 315 \pm 8$ $E = 208 \pm 4$ $E = 315 \pm 8$ $E = 208 \pm 4$	$24.3 \pm 1$ $25.8 \pm 2$ $\sigma_{D-H} = 32.5 \pm 4$ $\sigma_{D-H} = 37.0 \pm 2$	Used in $\sigma_{pn}$ total Used in $\sigma_{pn}$ total	Counting statistics	Scintillator telescope
M3	Marshall, Marshall, Nedzel (Chicago)	$E = 408$	$24.0 \pm 1$	No corrections for meson production Used in $\sigma_{pn}$ total	Not given	Scintillator telescope
D11	Dzhelepov, Moskalev, Medved (Moscow)	$E = 410$ $E = 460$ $E = 500$ $E = 540$ $E = 580$ $E = 600$ $E = 620$ $E = 640$ $E = 660$ $E = 410$ $E = 460$ $E = 500$ $E = 540$ $E = 580$ $E = 600$ $E = 620$ $E = 640$ $E = 660$	$26.9 \pm 0.7$ $27.6 \pm 0.4$ $29.9 \pm 0.4$ $32.1 \pm 0.5$ $35.6 \pm 0.5$ $36.6 \pm 0.5$ $38.6 \pm 0.5$ $39.8 \pm 0.6$ $41.4 \pm 0.6$ $3.9 \pm 2.1$ $4.6 \pm 2.0$ $6.9 \pm 2.0$ $9.1 \pm 2.1$ $12.6 \pm 2.1$ $13.6 \pm 2.1$ $15.6 \pm 2.1$ $16.8 \pm 2.1$ $18.4 \pm 2.1$	Total cross sections Includes inelastic events  Inelastic cross section only obtained by sub- tracting $\sigma_{\text{elastic}} = 23 \pm 2$ mb from measured values of $\sigma_{\text{total}}$	Total	Proportional counters and a liquid scintillator
B5	Meshcheryakov, Bogachev, Neganov (Moscow)	$E = 460$ $E = 560$ $E = 660$ $E = 460$ $E = 560$ $E = 660$	$24.0 \pm 0.6$ $25.2 \pm 0.8$ $24.7 \pm 1.0$ $3.6 \pm 0.7$ $8.8 \pm 0.9$ $16.7 \pm 1.2$	Elastic cross section  Inelastic cross section by subtraction of B5 data from D11 data		

TABLE II—Continued.

Reference	Authors	Energy (Mev)	Cross section (mb)	Remarks	Source of quoted error	Detector
S2	Smith, McReynolds, Snow (Brookhaven)	$E = 440$ $E = 590$ $E = 800$ $E = 1000$  $E = 440$ $E = 590$ $E = 800$ $E = 1000$	$23.5 \pm 1.2$ $25.2 \pm 2.0$ $21.5 \pm 2.0$ $19.2 \pm 3$  $3.5 \pm 2.3$ $10.8 \pm 3.6$ $25.5 \pm 2.8$ $28.8 \pm 3.2$	Elastic cross section. Normalized to data of Sutton, S9, obtained by integrating under $\sigma_{pp}(\theta)$ curve  Inelastic cross section, obtained by subtracting $\sigma_{\text{elastic}}$ from $\sigma_{\text{total}}$ of Shapiro, S1	Not given	Scintillators
S1	Shapiro, Leavitt, Chen (Brookhaven)	$E = 410$  $E = 535$  $E = 615$  $E = 740$  $E = 830$  $E = 850$  $E = 1075$  $E = 1275$  $E = 1295$  $E = 1490$  $E = 2000$  $E = 2600$  $E = 380$  $E = 590$  $E = 810$  $E = 1060$  $E = 1260$  $E = 1480$  $E = 2000$  $E = 2600$	$26.5 \pm 1.4$  $29.8 \pm 1.3$  $37.7 \pm 1.4$  $44.4 \pm 2.8$  $47.8 \pm 1.6$  $47.6 \pm 1.7$  $48.3 \pm 1.6$  $47.5 \pm 1.6$  $49.4 \pm 1.6$  $47.2 \pm 2.6$  $41.4 \pm 3.2$  $41.6 \pm 4.0$  $\sigma_{D-H} = 31.0 \pm 1.5$  $\sigma_{D-H} = 31.5 \pm 1.9$  $\sigma_{D-H} = 28.4 \pm 1.3$  $\sigma_{D-H} = 27.0 \pm 2.0$  $\sigma_{D-H} = 32.1 \pm 1.5$  $\sigma_{D-H} = 33.6 \pm 2.0$  $\sigma_{D-H} = 34.3 \pm 2.3$  $\sigma_{D-H} = 31.4 \pm 2.2$	Total cross sections includes meson production as well as elastic events  Total cross section includes inelastic events used in $\sigma_{pn}$ total	Total	Scintillator telescope
B9	Batson, Culwick, Riddiford, Walker (Birmingham)	$E = 650 \pm 100$	$\sigma_{\text{elastic}} = 26.3 \pm 1.8$ $\sigma_{\text{inelastic}} = 14.4 \pm 1.4$	Cross section normalized to $\sigma_{\text{tot}} = 40.6$	Not given	Cloud chamber
M10	Morris, Fowler, Garrison (Brookhaven)	$E = 800$	$\sigma_{\text{elastic}} = 24 \pm 3$ $\sigma_{\text{inelastic}} = 24 \pm 3$			Cloud chamber
H6	Hughes, March, Muirhead, Lock (Glasgow)	$E = 925$	$\sigma_{\text{elastic}} = 17 \pm 3$ $\sigma_{\text{inelastic}} = 33 \pm 3$		Counting statistics	Nuclear emulsion
D7	Duke, Lock, March (Birmingham)	$E = 950$	$15.5 \pm 2.5$	It is not clear whether corrections have been made for Coulomb scattering	Not given	Nuclear emulsions
F6	Fowler, Shutt, Thorndike, Whittemore (Brookhaven)	$E = 1500$	$\sigma_{\text{elastic}} = 20 \pm 2$ $\sigma_{\text{inelastic}} = 27 \pm 3$	Cross sections normalized to $\sigma_{pp}$ total = 47 from S1	Cloud chamber	
B8	Block, Harth, Cocconi, Hart, Fowler, Shutt, Thorndike, Whittemore (Brookhaven)	$E = 2750$	$\sigma_{\text{elastic}} = 15 \pm 2$ $\sigma_{\text{inelastic}} = 26 \pm 3$	Cross section normalized to $\sigma_{pp}$ total = 41.6 from S1	Cloud chamber	

TABLE II—Continued.

Reference	Authors	Energy (MeV)	Cross section (mb)	Remarks	Source of quoted error	Detector
C18	Cester, Hoang, Kerner (Rochester)	$E=3000$	$8.9 \pm 1.0$	Elastic cross section	Not given	Nuclear emulsion
C17	Cork, Wenzel, Causey (Berkeley)	$E=2240$ $E=4400$ $E=6150$	$16.9 \pm 2.5$ $9.0 \pm 1.4$ $6.9 \pm 1.0$	Elastic cross sections obtained by integrating under $\sigma_{pp}(\theta)$ curve	15% error is due only to beam-monitor calibration; other errors are somewhat less	Scintillators
W1	Wright, Saphir, Powell, Maenchen, Fowler (Berkeley)	$E=5300$	$\sigma_{\text{total}} = 32.4 \pm 6.0$ $\sigma_{\text{elastic}} = 5.6 \pm 2.3$		Total	Cloud chamber

needed to normalize to the total cross section. This extrapolation assumed symmetry about  $90^\circ$ , which is now known to be incorrect for this energy. Therefore a correction that changes the cross-section scale was made in the extrapolation process.

Values of  $\sigma_{np}(\theta)$  are shown in Fig. 5. Experimental points are omitted because there are so many of them. The lines have been drawn through the experimental points in each case. Since typical total errors are 10%, not much reliance should be put on detail features of these curves. For example, probably the 172-Mev curve does not actually cross the 156-Mev curve near  $92^\circ$ , and probably the 215-Mev curve does not cross the 300-Mev curve near  $117^\circ$ . One would expect fairly smooth energy variations of  $\sigma_{np}(\theta)$  at certain angles instead of bumps.

The curves up to 90 Mev are quite symmetrical about  $90^\circ$  c.m., but at 300 to 400 Mev the curves are higher at  $180^\circ$  than at  $0^\circ$  c.m.

## VII. $\sigma_{pp}(\theta)$

The  $p-p$  differential cross section is normally measured by detecting one or both protons resulting from a collision of a beam and a target proton and monitoring the beam with an absolute monitor. Knowing the thickness of the target and the solid angle of the detectors, the absolute cross section is calculated directly by the formula:

$$\frac{\text{detector counts}}{\text{monitor protons}} = \sigma_{pp}(\theta) [\text{target atoms/cm}^2] \times [\text{detector solid angle}]$$

In comparing  $\sigma_{pp}(\theta)$  and  $\sigma_{pp}$  total a factor of 2 arises from the fact that two protons are produced from each collision:

$$2\sigma_{pp,\text{total}} = \int_{4\pi} \sigma_{pp}(\theta) d\Omega$$

Table V summarizes the experiments on  $\sigma_{pp}(\theta)$ . Table VI lists the experimental values for  $\sigma_{pp}(\theta)$  and the new values when renormalization has been necessary. The

renormalizations here all result from new measurements of the cross section by Crandall *et al.*, (C14) for the reaction  $C^{12}(p,pn)C^{11}$ , which has been used as an absolute monitor for studying  $\sigma_{pp}(\theta)$ . Values from Aamodt (A6) for the cross section for  $C^{12}(p,pn)C^{11}$  were used by several of the original workers. Recent work at Chicago (R4) on the cross section for  $C^{12}(p,pn)C^{11}$  gives still lower values than the recent Berkeley work (C14). The measurements were made at different energies; therefore perhaps both answers are correct. The difference in the values, if it is real, may be due to the self-absorption correction. The Berkeley group included  $\beta-\gamma$  coincidences as well as  $4\pi$  counting to get this correction. In this paper the Berkeley values for the cross section are used because of the particle energies involved. If the Chicago data turn out to be better, the nucleon-nucleon cross sections affected must be reduced still further.

Quoting from Crandall *et al.*: "The most significant difference from earlier experiments is the shape of the  $C^{12}(p,pn)C^{11}$  excitation curve in the neighborhood of 350 Mev. Readjusting the excitation function both in shape and in absolute value will have important effects on seemingly unrelated experiments because of the widespread use of the reaction as a beam monitor. For example, the  $p-p$  scattering cross sections measured at 240 Mev by Oxley *et al.* (O1,T6) should certainly be modified. Even though they intercalibrated their counter with a beta standard used by Aamodt *et al.*, the revised shape of the excitation function requires a 41/49 reduction in their values. If a cross section of 36 mb for the  $C^{12}(p,pn)C^{11}$  is used, their values are further reduced and are in excellent agreement with the results of Chamberlain *et al.* (C8).

"The  $p-p$  scattering cross sections measured by Birge *et al.*, (B4) at 105 and 75 Mev may be reduced directly by the ratio 36/41. The revised values are in agreement with the Berkeley measurements.

"Cassels *et al.*, (C11) measured the  $p-p$  scattering cross sections at 146 Mev by using two methods to calibrate their beam monitor. One of the methods involved the use of the  $C^{12}(p,pn)C^{11}$  cross section and gave a  $p-p$  scattering cross section of  $4.61 \pm 0.55$  mb/sterad.

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TABLE III. A summary of experiments on the neutron-proton differential cross section.

Reference	Authors	Data normalized	Energy (MeV)	Monitor	Target	Counters	Source of quoted error	Yes or No	By how much	Why	Remarks
S8	Seagrave (Los Alamos)	None needed. Flux and solid angles known and yield measured	$E=14.1 \pm 0.5$ $T(d,n)\text{He}^4$	Counting alpha particles from reaction $T(d,n)\text{He}^4$	$\text{CH}_2$	2 proportional counters +NaI scintillator	Counting statistics +beam spread	No	...	...	(a) Measure $E \frac{dE}{dx}$ with two pulse- height counters (b) 4% error possible in neutron flux
A4	Allred, Armstrong, Rosen (Los Alamos)	None needed. Know flux and $\Omega$ and measure yield Yes— $\sigma_{\text{tot}} = 535$ mb	$E=14.1 \pm 0.1$ $T(d,n)\text{He}^4$	Count alphas from reaction	$\text{CH}_2$	Nuclear plates	Counting statistics	No	...	...	
G2	Galonsky, Judish (Oak Ridge)		$E=17.9 \pm 0.1$ $T(d,n)\text{He}^4$	Propane recoil counter	$\text{CH}_2$	2 proportional counters and NaI counter	Total	No	...	...	
B2	Baldwin (Carnegie Tech)	No	$E=10.6$ $\text{Be}^9(\alpha, n)\text{C}^{12}$ $E_{\text{cutoff}} = 18$	Thorium fission ion chamber	$\text{CH}_2 - \text{C}$	Proportional counter telescope	Total	No	...	...	Gives $\frac{\sigma_{np}(180)}{\sigma_{np}(90)}$
R1	Remley, Jentschke, Kruger (Illinois)	No	$E=28.4$ spread of 0.5 $T(d,n)\text{He}^4$ $E=13.7$ spread of 0.8 $D(d,n)\text{He}^4$	(a) Au( $\nu\gamma$ ) (b) Current from cyclotron (c) Geiger counter (all relative)	Scintillation crystal	Scintillator	Counting statistics +calibration errors +geometrical effects	No	...	...	(a) Gives relative $\sigma_{np}(\theta)$ (b) 13.7-Mev data essentially flat (c) 28.4-Mev data superimposed on Brolley data (B3) and agrees well
B3	Brolley, Coon, Fowler (Los Alamos)	Yes—to 360 mb per Adair (A3)	$E=27.2 \pm 0.6$ $T(d,n)\text{He}^4$	Cyclotron beam current	$\text{CH}_2$	Proportional counter telescope	Counting statistics	No	...	...	Systematic errors $\sim 4\%$
H3	Hadley, Kelly, Leith, Sere, Wiegand, York (Berkeley)	Yes—to 76 mb for 90 Mev and to 170 mb for 40 Mev	$E_{\text{peak}} = 90$ $E_{\text{upper}} = 105$ $E_{\text{lower}} = 70$ $E_{\text{cutoff}} = 66$ $E_{\text{peak}} \approx 42$ $E_{\text{cutoff}} = 28$	$\text{CH}_2$ target +prop. ctr. telescope and Bi fission counter	$\text{CH}_2 - \text{C}$	Proportional counter telescope to count protons	Counting statistics	90 Mev yes	$\frac{78.3}{76}$	Better measurement of $\sigma_{\text{tot}}(S7)$	(a) S6 says need correction near 180° (b) “40”-Mev neu- tron spectrum never measured only cal- culated by stripping theory (c) Call $E=42$ Mev according to H2 since their cross sections are used
C6	Chamberlain, Easley (Berkeley)	Yes—to data in H3 at 36°	$E_{\text{peak}} = 90$ $E_{\text{upper}} = 105$ $E_{\text{lower}} = 70$ $E_{\text{cutoff}} = 60$	Bi fission counters	Liquid H	Neutron scintillation telescope	Counting statistics	Yes	$\frac{78.3}{76}$	Better measure- ment of $\sigma_{\text{tot}}(S7)$	
C7	Chih (Berkeley)	Yes—to 76 mb	$E_{\text{peak}} = 90$ $E_{\text{upper}} = 105$ $E_{\text{lower}} = 75$ $E_{\text{cutoff}} = 40$	None	$\text{H}_2$ gas	Cloud chamber	Counting statistics	Yes	$\frac{78.3}{76}$	Better measure- ment of $\sigma_{\text{tot}}(S7)$	Other errors might be $\sim 2\%$

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Reference	Authors	Data normalized	Energy (Mev)	Monitor	Target	Counters	Source of quoted error	Yes or No	By how much	Why	Remarks
F2	Fox (Berkeley)	Yes—to smooth curve drawn through H3 data	$E_{\text{peak}} = 90$ $E_{\text{upper}} = 105$ $E_{\text{lower}} = 70$ $E_{\text{cutoff}} = 85$	Scintillation telescope+CH <sub>2</sub> target	CH <sub>2</sub> -C	Scintillation telescope	Counting statistics	Yes	$\frac{78.3}{76}$	Better measurement of $\sigma_{\text{tot}}$ (S7)	S6 says data should be corrected near $\theta = 180^\circ$
W2	Wallace (Berkeley)	Yes—to data in H3	$E_{\text{peak}} = 92$ $E_{\text{upper}} = 107$ $E_{\text{lower}} = 73$ $E_{\text{cutoff}} = 2$	None	H <sub>2</sub> gas	Nuclear emulsions	Counting statistics and geometry	Yes	$\frac{78.3}{76}$	Better measurement of $\sigma_{\text{tot}}$ (S7)	
S6	Selove, Strauch, Titus (Harvard)	Yes—to data in H3 in region $\theta = 155\text{--}167^\circ$	$E_{\text{peak}} = 93$ $E_{\text{upper}} = 102$ $E_{\text{lower}} = 100$ never down to $\frac{1}{2}$ height $E_{\text{cutoff}} = 84$	2 proton-recoil telescopes with same energy sensitivity	CH <sub>2</sub> -C	Scintillation telescope counting protons	Counting statistics	Yes	$\frac{78.3}{76}$	Better measurement of $\sigma_{\text{tot}}$ (S7)	Corrections for finite sizes made here—should be made in reference H5 and F2 near $180^\circ$
S7	Stahl, Ramsey (Harvard)	Yes—to $\sigma_{\text{tot}}$ of $78.5 \pm 3$	$E_{\text{peak}} = 93$ $E_{\text{upper}} = 102$ $E_{\text{lower}} = 100$ never down to $\frac{1}{2}$ height. Absorbers adjusted to make $E_{\text{A}} = 91$	Proton-recoil scintillation telescope	Liquid H	Scintillation telescope (Protons) adjusted at each $\theta$ to keep $\bar{H}$ the same	Counting statistics and fitting errors for combining data	No	...	...	Normalization good to 5%
E1	J. W. Easley (Berkeley)	Yes to data in K1 at $37.8^\circ$	$E_{\text{peak}} = 90$ $E_{\text{upper}} = 105$ $E_{\text{lower}} = 70$	Bi fission counter	Liquid H	Scintillation telescope counting neutrons	Counting statistics	No	...	...	
		Yes to data in H3 at $36^\circ$	$E_{\text{peak}} = 290$ $E_{\text{upper}} = 330$ $E_{\text{lower}} = 260$								
B1	Brueckner, Hartough, Hayward, Powell (Berkeley)	No	$E_{\text{peak}} = 100$ $E_{\text{upper}} = 120$ $E_{\text{lower}} = 80$ $E_{\text{cutoff}} = 40$	None	H <sub>2</sub> gas	Cloud chamber	Counting statistics	No	...	...	(a) Gives relative $\sigma_{np}(\theta)$ (b) Shows symmetry around $90^\circ$
T5	Thresher, Voss, Wilson (Harwell)	None needed. Counter calibrated in direct beam	$E = 105$ and $E = 137$ Spectrum calculated. Mean energy measured by C absorption	BF <sub>3</sub> counter	Liquid H	Large scintillator for neutrons	Total $\cong 8\%$ at 105 Mev Total = 10% at 137 Mev	No	...	...	(a) Polarization correction made (b) Check absolute value by measuring differential elastic scattering from C, integrating and comparing with measured total—good to 10%
R3	T. C. Randle (Harwell)	Yes to $\sigma_{np}$ total = 55.2 mb	$E_{\text{peak}} = 130$ $E_{\text{upper}} = 145$ $E_{\text{lower}} = 115$	Not given	Not given	Diffusion cloud chamber	Not given	No	...	...	

TABLE III.—(Continued).

Reference	Authors	Data normalized	Energy (MeV)	Monitor	Target	Counters	Source of quoted error	Data renormalized here		
								No	Yes or No	By how much
G4	T. C. Griffith (London)	Yes to data in T5 at $\theta = 60^\circ$	$E_{\text{W}} = 95$ $E_{\text{upper}} = 120$ $E_{\text{lower}} = 70$	None	$\text{CH}_2 - \text{C}$	Nuclear emulsion	Not given	No	... ... ...	... ... ...
R2	Randle, Taylor, Wood (Harwell)	Yes—to 46.4 mb	$E_{\text{peak}} = 156$ $E_{\text{cutoff}} = 137$ $E_{\text{max}} = 172$	$\text{BF}_3$ counter in shielding wall	$\text{CH}_2 - \text{C}$	Proportional counter telescope	Not given	No	... ... ...	... ... ...
G1	Guernsey, Mott, Nelson (Rochester)	Yes— $\sigma_{\text{tot}} = 41.3 \pm 3.5$	$E_{\text{peak}} = 215$ $E_{\text{upper}} = 230$ $E_{\text{lower}} = 180$	$\text{CH}_2$ target scintillation telescope	$+\text{CH}_2 - \text{C}$	Scintillation telescope (protons)	Counting statistics	Yes	3% increase about 90° symmetry	Assumed about 90° symmetry (See Fig. 5.)
								No	... ... ...	... ... ...
K1	Kelly, Leith, Segré, Wiegand (Berkeley)	Yes— $\sigma_{\text{tot}} = 35$	$E_{\text{peak}} = 260$ $E_{\text{upper}} = 310$ $E_{\text{lower}} = 210$ $E_{\text{cutoff}} = 200$	Bi fission counter	$\text{CH}_2 - \text{C}$	Proportional counter telescope	Counting statistics	No	... ... ...	... ... ...
D8	DePangher (Berkeley)	Yes— $\sigma_{\text{tot}} = 35$ mb	$E_{\text{peak}} = 308$ $E_{\text{upper}} = 328$ $E_{\text{lower}} = 280$	None	$\text{H}_2$ gas	10-atmos cloud chamber	Counting statistics	No	... ... ...	... ... ...
H4	Hartzler, Siegel, Opitz (Carnegie Tech)	Yes—joined to data in H6 and normalized to $\sigma_{\text{tot}} = 33$ mb	$E_{\text{peak}} = 390$ $E_{\text{upper}} = 410$ $E_{\text{lower}} = 325$ $E_{\text{cutoff}} = 365$	$\text{CH}_2$ target +scintillation telescope	Liquid H and $\text{CH}_2 - \text{C}$	Neutron scintillation telescope	Counting statistics	No	... ... ...	... ... ...
D9	Dzhelepov Kazarinov (Moscow)	Yes— $\sigma_{\text{tot}} = 33$ mb	$E_{\text{peak}} = 400$ $E_{\text{upper}} = 430$ $E_{\text{lower}} = 300$ $E_{\text{cutoff}} = 300$	Proportional counter telescope and Bi fission counter	$\text{CH}_2 - \text{C}$	Proportional counter telescope	Counting statistics	No	... ... ...	... ... ...
K3	Kazarinov, Simonov (Moscow)	Yes— $\sigma_{\text{tot}} = 26$ mb	$E_{\text{peak}} = 610$ $E_{\text{upper}} = 670$ $E_{\text{lower}} = 540$ $E_{\text{cutoff}} = 450$	Not given	$\text{CH}_2 - \text{C}$	Scintillation counter telescope	Counting statistics	No	... ... ...	... ... ...
D10 <sup>a</sup>	Dzhelepov, Golovin, Satarov (Moscow)	Yes— $\sigma_{\text{tot}}$ total $= \sigma_{n,p}^{\text{total}}$ $= 22$ mb	$E = 300$		$\text{D}_2\text{O}-\text{H}_2\text{O}$	Bi fission counter	Not given	No	... ... ...	The interference term in scattering from deuterium is taken to be zero
D13 <sup>a</sup>	Dzhelepov, Golovin, Kazarinov, Semenov (Moscow)	Yes— $\sigma_{n,p}(\theta)$ at 590 Mev	$E_{\text{peak}} = 610$ $E_{\text{upper}} = 670$ $E_{\text{lower}} = 540$ $E_{\text{cutoff}} = 470$	Scintillation telescope	$\text{D}_2\text{O}, \text{H}_2\text{O}$ $\text{CH}_2$ and C	Scintillation telescope with converter	Not given	No	... ... ...	... ... ...

<sup>a</sup> This experiment is a measurement of neutron-neutron differential cross section.

This result should be reduced in the ratio 43/57 to  $3.56 \pm 0.42$  mb/sterad. Their value based on a photographic-emulsion calibration remains high compared with other measurements."

Figures 6 and 7 show values of  $\sigma_{pp}(\theta)$ . (Again experimental points have been omitted for simplicity.) There are a great many data from 170 to 430 Mev, all of which statistically agree with 3.7 mb/sterad in the region from  $20^\circ$  to  $90^\circ$  c.m.

Data from Fischer (F4) and Pettengill (C13) tend to indicate that the Coulomb-nuclear scattering interference term is small in the region of 300 Mev.

### VIII. $\sigma_{nn}(\theta)$

Some data are available on  $\sigma_{nn}(\theta)$  (see Table VII, the last entry in Table III, and Fig. 8). This has been obtained, as in the total cross section measurements, by

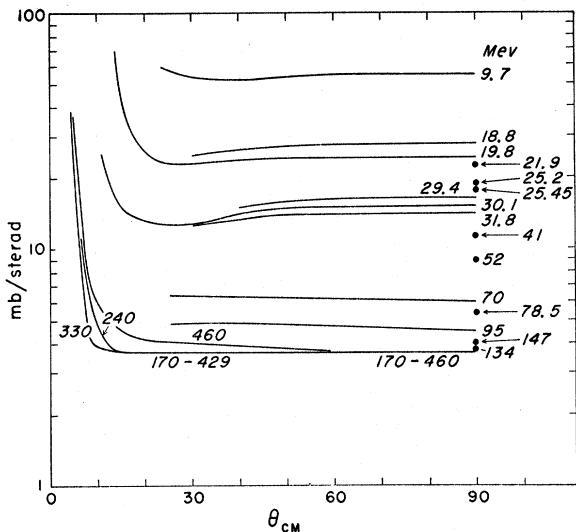


FIG. 6. Experimental values of the differential proton-proton cross section at various energies up to 500 Mev.

neutron scattering from deuterium and hydrogen:

$$\sigma_{nd}(\theta) = \sigma_{nn}(\theta) + \sigma_{np}(\theta) + I(\theta).$$

If we have  $I(\theta) = 0$ , then

$$\sigma_{nn}(\theta) = \sigma_{nd}(\theta) - \sigma_{np}(\theta).$$

An estimate of  $I(\theta)$  as a function of  $\theta$  has been made by Golovin (mentioned in D10). These values are included in Table VII. They are small enough so that the process above seems reasonable.

Values of  $\sigma_{nn}(\theta)$  are shown and also a line representing the best data on  $\sigma_{pp}(\theta)$  at 300 Mev and 590 Mev. The values of  $\sigma_{nn}(\theta)$  and  $\sigma_{pp}(\theta)$  agree statistically, in agreement with the charge-independence hypothesis.

### IX. POLARIZATION OF NUCLEONS

That a beam of nucleons could be polarized was first demonstrated conclusively by Oxley, Cartwright,

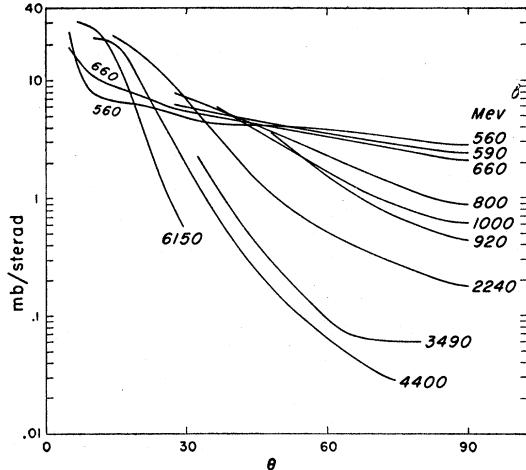


FIG. 7. Experimental values for the differential proton-proton cross section at various energies above 500 Mev.

and Rouvina (O2). Earlier experiments by Wouters (W4) had not given a definite answer.

Double-scattering experiments are performed using nucleon beams to study polarization. The first scattering polarizes the beam, and the second analyzes the polarized beam (Fig. 9). The intensity of the beam scattered to the left and that of the beam scattered to the right are measured (left and right are as seen by an observer looking in the direction of motion of the beam; Fig. 10). The asymmetry of scattering,  $e$ , is usually defined (L3) as

$$e = \frac{I(\theta_2) \text{ left} - I(\theta_2) \text{ right}}{I(\theta_2) \text{ left} + I(\theta_2) \text{ right}} = P_1 P_2,$$

where  $P_1$  is the polarization of the beam caused by the first scattering, and  $P_2$  is the polarization caused by

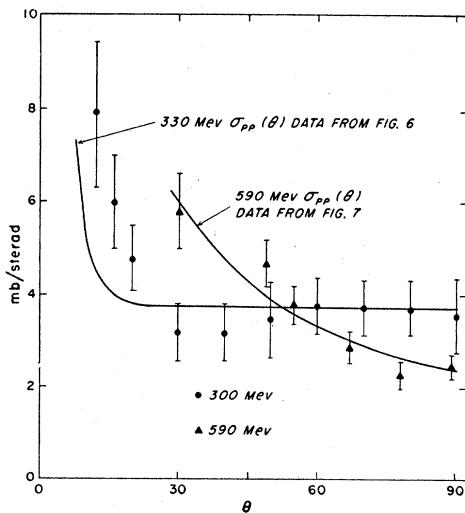


FIG. 8. Experimental values for the differential neutron-neutron cross section at 300 Mev and at 590 Mev. Superimposed for comparison are the  $\sigma_{pp}(\theta)$  curves for 300 Mev from Fig. 6 and for 590 Mev from Fig. 7.

TABLE IV. Summary of values for the neutron-proton differential cross section.  
Some of the values have been renormalized as indicated.

Reference	$\theta_{\text{c.m.}}$	$\sigma(\theta) \pm \epsilon$ (mb)	Energy (MeV)	$\sigma'(\theta) \pm \epsilon'$ (mb)	Remarks
S8	70 90 120 140 160 173	52.4 ± 3 53 ± 2.5 54 ± 2 55.5 ± 2 55 ± 1 56 ± 1	14.1		No normalization or renormalization needed
A4	48 66.9 84.1 100.5 114.7 131.7 146.6 154.5	50.7 ± 2.3 49.3 ± 2.5 53.3 ± 2.4 51.3 ± 2.4 51.8 ± 1.8 53.3 ± 2.0 54.0 ± 1.9 54.7 ± 1.4	14.1		No normalization or renormalization needed
G2	180/90	1.08	17.9	45 41.6	Original data relative only. Normalized here to $\sigma_{np}$ tot = 535 mb
B2	180/90	1.06 ± 0.16	19.6	42.6 40.2	Same as above $\sigma_{np}$ tot = 522 mb
R1	15.7 36.1 45.0 52.8 60.2 67.0 73.4 79.7 86.3 11.3 29.3 41.0 50.3 58.8 66.5 73.5 80.2 87.0 94.2		13.7 13.7 28.4	33.6 ± 8.8 55.1 ± 1.2 54.0 ± 1.5 50.7 ± 1.3 55.7 ± 1.9 55.1 ± 2.0 59.0 ± 2.2 52.9 ± 3.0 59.0 ± 4.7 33.3 ± 9.5 27.7 ± 0.5 28.4 ± 0.6 26.9 ± 0.8 26.1 ± 0.8 28.4 ± 0.8 28.4 ± 1.0 29.2 ± 1.5 27.2 ± 1.8 24.6 ± 3.8	The relative data given in this paper have been normalized to give absolute cross sections.  For the 13.7-Mev data the value at 36° was used in normalizing $\sigma_{np}(36^\circ)4\pi$ = 695 mb, where 695 mb is the $\sigma_{np}$ total read from Fig. 1. For the 28.4-Mev data the normalization is done here by $\sigma_{np}(28.4^\circ)4\pi$ = 342 mb, where this value of $\sigma_{np}$ total has also been read from Fig. 1.
B3	180 150 120 105 90 76		27.2	33.2 ± 1.3 31.2 ± 1.3 28.6 ± 1.3 28.0 ± 1.8 25.2 ± 1.8 26.0 ± 1.8	Relative data in paper have been normalized by $(4\pi)\sigma_{np}(120^\circ) = 360$ mb
H3	62 70 80 90 100 110 120 130 140 150 160 170 180 36.0 49.0 58.9 60.8 68.8 78.7 88.7 98.7 108.8	11.65 ± 0.38 11.40 ± 0.43 11.37 ± 0.55 11.58 ± 0.20 12.40 ± 0.31 12.02 ± 0.23 12.71 ± 0.22 14.50 ± 0.35 14.55 ± 0.23 15.60 ± 0.33 17.02 ± 0.23 17.10 ± 0.55 19.02 ± 0.70 7.66 ± 0.37 5.91 ± 0.34 5.19 ± 0.28 3.13 ± 0.55 3.86 ± 0.16 3.87 ± 0.29 4.21 ± 0.09 4.51 ± 0.17 5.34 ± 0.17	42 90	13.91 ± 0.45 13.61 ± 0.51 13.58 ± 0.66 13.81 ± 0.24 14.80 ± 0.37 14.36 ± 0.28 15.19 ± 0.26 17.31 ± 0.42 17.38 ± 0.27 18.62 ± 0.39 20.35 ± 0.27 20.41 ± 0.66 22.71 ± 0.84 7.89 ± 0.38 6.09 ± 0.35 5.35 ± 0.29 3.22 ± 0.57 3.98 ± 0.16 3.99 ± 0.30 4.34 ± 0.09 4.65 ± 0.18 5.50 ± 0.18	42-Mev data were normalized to $\sigma_{np}$ total = 170 mb. These data are renormalized here to a better measurement of $\sigma_{np}$ total = 203 mb  90-Mev data were normalized to $\sigma_{np}$ total = 76 mb; renormalized here to $\sigma_{np}$ total = 78.3 mb

TABLE IV.—(Continued).

Reference	$\theta_{\text{o.m.}}$	$\sigma(\theta) \pm \epsilon$ (mb)	Energy (Mev)	$\sigma'(\theta) \pm \epsilon'$ (mb)	Remarks
H3 (contd.)	118.8	6.09 $\pm$ 0.17	90	6.27 $\pm$ 0.18	
	129.0	6.53 $\pm$ 0.19		6.72 $\pm$ 0.20	
	139.1	7.88 $\pm$ 0.19		8.11 $\pm$ 0.20	
	149.3	8.92 $\pm$ 0.23		9.20 $\pm$ 0.24	
	159.5	10.90 $\pm$ 0.14		11.22 $\pm$ 0.14	
	165.7	11.17 $\pm$ 0.43		11.50 $\pm$ 0.44	
	169.8	12.35 $\pm$ 0.32		12.71 $\pm$ 0.33	
	173.9	12.85 $\pm$ 0.28		13.22 $\pm$ 0.29	
	175.9	13.48 $\pm$ 1.34		13.88 $\pm$ 1.38	
	180.0	15.50 $\pm$ 0.70		15.97 $\pm$ 0.72	
C6	5.1	12.9 $\pm$ 1.2	90	13.3 $\pm$ 1.2	
	10.3	12.0 $\pm$ 0.7		12.4 $\pm$ 0.7	
	20.8	10.3 $\pm$ 0.6		10.6 $\pm$ 0.6	
	36.0	7.6 $\pm$ 0.4		7.8 $\pm$ 0.4	
	10.7	5.6 $\pm$ 1.1	290		
	21.7	4.3 $\pm$ 0.9			
	37.8	3.6 $\pm$ 0.7			
C7	8- 10	12.5 $\pm$ 2.6	90	12.9 $\pm$ 2.7	
	10- 20	9.6 $\pm$ 0.7		9.90 $\pm$ 0.7	
	20- 30	9.7 $\pm$ 0.6		10.0 $\pm$ 0.6	
	30- 40	7.7 $\pm$ 0.4		7.92 $\pm$ 0.4	
	40- 50	6.6 $\pm$ 0.5		6.80 $\pm$ 0.5	
	50- 60	6.3 $\pm$ 0.5		6.50 $\pm$ 0.5	
	60- 70	4.9 $\pm$ 0.4		5.05 $\pm$ 0.4	
	70- 80	4.4 $\pm$ 0.3		4.52 $\pm$ 0.3	
	80- 90	4.6 $\pm$ 0.3		4.73 $\pm$ 0.3	
	90-100	4.4 $\pm$ 0.3		4.52 $\pm$ 0.3	
	100-110	4.4 $\pm$ 0.3		4.52 $\pm$ 0.3	
	110-120	5.2 $\pm$ 0.3		5.35 $\pm$ 0.3	
	120-130	5.4 $\pm$ 0.3		5.55 $\pm$ 0.3	
	130-140	6.5 $\pm$ 0.4		6.70 $\pm$ 0.4	
	140-150	7.1 $\pm$ 0.3		7.30 $\pm$ 0.3	
	150-160	9.5 $\pm$ 0.4		9.77 $\pm$ 0.4	
	160-170	11.9 $\pm$ 0.5		12.25 $\pm$ 0.5	
	170-180	12.9 $\pm$ 1.0		13.3 $\pm$ 1.03	
F2	129	8.1 $\pm$ 0.73	90	8.3 $\pm$ 0.75	
	159.5	9.7 $\pm$ 0.83		10.0 $\pm$ 0.86	
	165.7	11.4 $\pm$ 0.92		11.7 $\pm$ 0.95	
	169.8	11.8 $\pm$ 0.50		12.2 $\pm$ 0.52	
	171.8	11.7 $\pm$ 0.58		12.1 $\pm$ 0.60	
	173.9	13.5 $\pm$ 0.50		13.9 $\pm$ 0.52	
	175.9	12.0 $\pm$ 0.61		12.4 $\pm$ 0.63	
W2	178	11.6 $\pm$ 0.64		12.0 $\pm$ 0.66	
	74	4.28 $\pm$ 0.19	90	4.41 $\pm$ 0.20	
	68	4.80 $\pm$ 0.20		4.95 $\pm$ 0.21	
	62	5.42 $\pm$ 0.22		5.59 $\pm$ 0.23	
	56	5.48 $\pm$ 0.22		5.65 $\pm$ 0.23	
	50	6.02 $\pm$ 0.24		6.20 $\pm$ 0.25	
	44	6.11 $\pm$ 0.26		6.30 $\pm$ 0.27	
	38	6.77 $\pm$ 0.29		6.97 $\pm$ 0.30	
	32	8.01 $\pm$ 0.34		8.26 $\pm$ 0.35	
S6	26	7.60 $\pm$ 0.39		7.84 $\pm$ 0.40	
	177.5	12.90 $\pm$ 0.33	93	13.30 $\pm$ 0.34	
	175.4	12.73 $\pm$ 0.31		13.12 $\pm$ 0.32	
	171.5	12.50 $\pm$ 0.30		12.89 $\pm$ 0.31	
	167.5	11.96 $\pm$ 0.29		12.32 $\pm$ 0.30	
	161.4	10.75 $\pm$ 0.27		11.08 $\pm$ 0.28	
S7	155.4	9.53 $\pm$ 0.26		9.83 $\pm$ 0.27	
	176.6	13.08 $\pm$ 0.41	91		
	175.6	13.09 $\pm$ 0.38			
	173.7	13.30 $\pm$ 0.33			
	171.7	13.24 $\pm$ 0.35			
	169.7	12.61 $\pm$ 0.32			
	167.3	11.84 $\pm$ 0.30			
	164.5	11.82 $\pm$ 0.31			
	162.0	10.85 $\pm$ 0.33			
	159.4	10.42 $\pm$ 0.29			

TABLE IV.—(Continued).

Reference	$\theta_{\text{e.m.}}$	$\sigma(\theta) \pm \epsilon$ (mb)	Energy (Mev)	$\sigma'(\theta) \pm \epsilon'$ (mb)	Remarks
S7 (contd.)	159.4 154.9 149.3 139.1 139.1 129.0 118.8 108.7 98.7 88.7 82.7 78.7 74.7 69.7 64.8 59.8	10.84 ± 0.43 9.97 ± 0.30 9.13 ± 0.24 7.74 ± 0.19 8.08 ± 0.28 6.51 ± 0.17 5.99 ± 0.15 4.93 ± 0.16 4.53 ± 0.14 4.19 ± 0.15 3.97 ± 0.13 4.17 ± 0.15 4.08 ± 0.19 4.26 ± 0.18 4.88 ± 0.29 5.61 ± 0.33	91		
G4	29.3 39.1 48.9 58.7 19.3 29.0 38.8 48.5 58.3	8.01 ± 0.84 6.80 ± 0.64 5.30 ± 0.67 4.58 ± 0.76 6.23 ± 1.14 5.15 ± 0.48 4.10 ± 0.36 3.45 ± 0.38 2.70 ± 0.44	95–100 140–145		Data normalized to T5 at $\theta = 60^\circ$ . No renormaliza- tion needed
T5	6.2 10.5 20.5 30.7 40.9 51.2 61.4 6.3 10.6 20.7 31.0 41.3 51.6 61.8	11.6 ± 1.0 11.1 ± 1.0 10.2 ± 0.6 8.50 ± 0.4 7.10 ± 0.45 6.00 ± 0.5 4.55 ± 0.5 8.90 ± 1.0 8.00 ± 0.6 6.90 ± 0.4 5.85 ± 0.35 4.38 ± 0.4 2.86 ± 0.4 2.70 ± 0.4	105 137		No normalization or renormalization needed
R3	20–30 30–40 40–50 50–60 60–70 70–80 80–90 90–100 100–110 110–120 120–130 130–140 140–150 150–160	6.55 ± 0.75 5.59 ± 0.59 3.86 ± 0.44 3.31 ± 0.38 2.45 ± 0.31 2.96 ± 0.33 2.64 ± 0.31 2.54 ± 0.30 3.13 ± 0.34 3.80 ± 0.39 5.31 ± 0.48 5.23 ± 0.51 6.13 ± 0.62 8.75 ± 0.87	130		Data normalized to $\sigma_{np}$ total = 55.2 mb. No renormalization needed
R2	50 56 65.5 68 76.5 83 89.5 98 99.5 112 124.5 138 149 159 165 171	2.96 ± 0.43 2.14 ± 0.40 2.59 ± 0.40 2.34 ± 0.18 1.98 ± 0.22 1.98 ± 0.19 2.29 ± 0.18 2.71 ± 0.31 2.51 ± 0.19 3.87 ± 0.18 4.04 ± 0.28 6.19 ± 0.26 6.88 ± 0.43 7.98 ± 0.13 8.59 ± 0.29 10.04 ± 0.20	156		Data normalized to $\sigma_{np}$ total = 46.4 mb. No renormalization needed

TABLE IV.—(Continued).

Reference	$\theta_{\text{c.m.}}$	$\sigma(\theta) \pm \epsilon$ (mb)	Energy (Mev)	$\sigma'(\theta) \pm \epsilon'$ (mb)	Remarks
R2 (contd.)	174	9.68±0.47	156		
	176	10.65±0.46			
	178	10.69±0.54			
G1	180	13.4 ± 2.8	215	13.8 ± 2.9	Data normalized to $\sigma_{np}$ total = 41.3 mb.
	164.2	8.89±0.66		9.15±0.68	
	158.8	7.58±0.75		7.80±0.77	
	157.3	6.97±1.31		7.18±1.35	
	148.4	5.38±0.47		5.54±0.49	
	139.9	4.18±0.35		4.30±0.36	
	117.7	2.53±0.37		2.61±0.38	
	117.2	2.40±0.32		2.47±0.33	
	96.9	1.31±0.12		1.35±0.12	
	76.9	1.45±0.22		1.49±0.23	
	180	16.6 ± 6.8	172	17.1 ± 7.0	
	164.5	10.9 ± 1.4		11.24±1.44	
	159.3	7.6 ± 1.5		7.83±1.54	
	157.8	7.0 ± 1.2		7.21±1.23	
	148.8	5.3 ± 0.8		5.46±0.82	
	140.5	3.5 ± 0.9		3.61±0.92	
	118.2	2.1 ± 0.9		2.16±0.92	
	117.7	2.5 ± 0.4		2.57±0.61	
	97.4	2.4 ± 0.4		2.47±0.41	
	77.5	2.3 ± 0.7		2.37±0.71	
K1	37.7	3.6 ± 0.7	260		Data normalized to $\sigma_{np}$ total = 35 mb
	47.2	3.3 ± 0.6			
	56.8	1.1 ± 0.6			
	66.6	1.7 ± 0.4			
	76.4	1.9 ± 0.7			
	86.3	1.85±0.14			
	96.3	1.09±0.26			
	106.5	2.02±0.21			
	116.7	1.90±0.24			
	127.1	2.8 ± 0.4			
	137.6	4.5 ± 0.3			
	148.1	4.7 ± 0.4			
	158.7	6.4 ± 0.3			
	169.3	7.8 ± 0.8			
	180	13.7 ± 2.1			
D8	10- 20	3.83±0.63	300		Data normalized to $\sigma_{np}$ total = 35 mb
	20- 30	3.48±0.47			
	30- 40	3.81±0.41			
	40- 50	3.50±0.35			
	50- 60	2.96±0.28			
	60- 70	2.31±0.31			
	70- 80	2.02±0.20			
	80- 90	1.89±0.18			
	90-100	1.51±0.14			
	100-110	2.07±0.16			
	110-120	2.17±0.17			
	120-130	2.51±0.19			
	130-140	3.06±0.23			
	140-150	4.06±0.29			
	150-160	4.71±0.37			
	160-170	6.48±0.55			
	170-180	9.14±1.12			
D9	36.6	2.9 ± 0.5	380		Data normalized to $\sigma_{np}$ total = 33 mb
	55.5	2.3 ± 0.3			
	65	2.0 ± 0.2			
	75	2.1 ± 0.4			
	84.5	2.0 ± 0.2			
	95	1.7 ± 0.5			
	105	2.0 ± 0.2			
	115	2.1 ± 0.2			
	126	2.2 ± 0.2			
	136	2.8 ± 0.2			
	147	3.5 ± 0.2			
	158	5.3 ± 0.5			
	169	7.5 ± 0.6			
	180	11.8 ± 1.8			
					No renormalization needed

TABLE IV.—(Continued).

Reference	$\theta_{\text{e.m.}}$	$\sigma(\theta \pm \epsilon)$ (mb)	Energy (MeV)	$\sigma'(\theta) \pm \epsilon'$ (mb)	Remarks
H4	12.7	3.73 ± 2.10	400		Data normalized to $\sigma_{np}$ total = 33 mb
	15	4.43 ± 0.46			
	20	3.07 ± 0.37			
	30	2.84 ± 0.57			
	40	3.33 ± 0.20			
	45	3.35 ± 0.20			
	50	3.38 ± 0.12			
	55	2.56 ± 0.23			
	60	2.48 ± 0.08			
	70	2.22 ± 0.09			
	80	1.85 ± 0.06			
	90	1.54 ± 0.06			
	100	1.42 ± 0.08			
	110	1.50 ± 0.08			
	120	1.94 ± 0.08			
	130	2.50 ± 0.09			
	140	3.21 ± 0.09			
	150	4.17 ± 0.11			
	160	5.25 ± 0.14			
	165	5.82 ± 0.22			
	170	7.93 ± 0.28			
	175	9.57 ± 0.34			
	180	13.49 ± 0.91			
K3	35	3.7 ± 0.20	580		Data normalized to $\sigma_{np}$ elastic = 26 mb
	45	3.0 ± 0.30			
	54	2.3 ± 0.20			
	63	2.1 ± 0.20			
	73	1.6 ± 0.10			
	83	1.1 ± 0.10			
	93	0.91 ± 0.06			
	103	0.78 ± 0.05			
	114	0.78 ± 0.05			
	124	1.0 ± 0.07			
	135	1.7 ± 0.10			
	147	2.1 ± 0.20			
	157	3.4 ± 0.30			
	169	5.3 ± 0.50			
	180	8.5 ± 0.80			

the second scattering. (Sometimes, however, a definition of  $e$  is used that gives a value twice that obtained above.) Another notation often used in this definition is  $I(\theta, \phi)$ , where  $\phi=0$  corresponds to left and  $\phi=180$  corresponds to right. The sign convention usually used is that spin-up scattering to the left corresponds to positive polarization (Fig. 10).

A summary of experiments with polarized nucleon

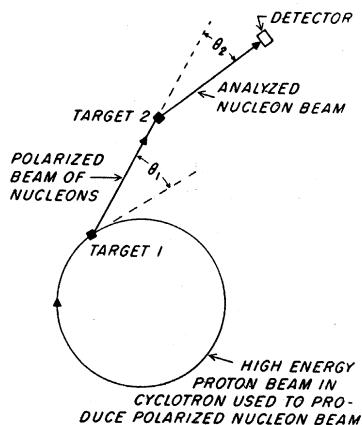


FIG. 9. Typical geometry for nucleon polarization experiment.

beams is given in Table VIII. Values for the polarization obtained in nucleon-nucleon scattering as a function of angle are listed in Table IX. Figures 11, 12, and 13 show experimental values for the polarization produced in nucleon-nucleon collisions. Double-scattering  $p-p$  experiments have been performed at energies lower than those listed in Table VIII. Strauch (S12) used 96-Mev protons and found that the polarization from a carbon target is quite small. (For higher energies the polarization from a carbon target is comparable to or larger than from an H target). Using 32-Mev protons, Bradner, Donaldson, and Iloff (B11) and Simmons

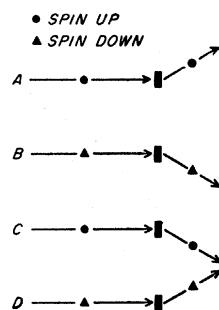


FIG. 10. Sign convention used in nucleon polarization studies. A and B represent positive polarization and C and D negative polarization.

TABLE V. A summary of experiments on the proton-proton differential cross section.

Reference	Authors	Data normalized	Energy (Mev)	Monitor	Target	Counters	Source of quoted error	Data renormalized here		
								Total	No	Yes or No
A5	Alfred Armstrong, Bondelid, Rosen (Los Alamos)	No	9.7±0.15	Faraday cup	H <sub>2</sub> gas	Nuclear emulsions	Total	...	...	By how much
C16	Cork, Hartsough (Berkeley)	No	9.73±0.05	Ion chamber + Faraday cup	H <sub>2</sub> gas	Scintillators	Total	No	...	Why
W3	Wilson (Harvard)	Yes—to 4.9 mb./sterad at 90° for first run and second run tied on to first run at 50°	10	Faraday cup	Nylon (C <sub>12</sub> H <sub>22</sub> N <sub>2</sub> O) <sub>x</sub>	Proportional counters	Rms errors from consistency of data	No	...	25°–65° quite flat
Y1	Yntema, White (Princeton)	No	18.2	Faraday cup	CH <sub>2</sub>	Scintillators in coincidence	Total of 1% at 90° and 0.5% at 30°	No	...	...
B6	Burkig, Schrank, Richardson (UCLA)	No	19.8	Faraday cup	H <sub>2</sub> gas	Scintillator	Total errors = 2.0%	No	...	...
R5	Rovden (UCLA)	No	19.8	Faraday cup	H <sub>2</sub> gas	Nuclear emulsions	Total errors = 2.5%	No	...	...
C10	Cork (Berkeley)	No	18.8–31.8	Faraday cup	H <sub>2</sub> gas	Proportional counters	Counting statistics	No	...	...
P2	Panofsky, Fillmore (Berkeley)	No	29.4	Faraday cup	H <sub>2</sub> gas	Nuclear emulsions	Total	No	...	...
F3	Fillmore (Berkeley)	No	30.1	Faraday cup	H <sub>2</sub> gas	Nuclear emulsions	Counting statistics	No	...	...
C9	Cork, Johnston, Richman (Berkeley)	No	31.8	Faraday cup	H <sub>2</sub> gas	Proportional counters	Total	No	...	...
K2	Kruse, Teem Ramsey (Harvard)	No	40–95	Faraday cup	CH <sub>2</sub> –C	Scintillators	95 Mev data Counting statistics 90° data total	No	...	...
B4	Birge, Kruse, Ramsey (Harvard)	No	105 <sub>75</sub>	C <sup>12</sup> (p,pn)C <sup>11</sup>	CH <sub>2</sub>	Scintillators, in coincidence	Differential 10% absolute 20%	Yes	36 41	Monitor cross section wrong (C14)

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TABLE V.—(Continued).

Reference	Authors	Data normalized	Energy (MeV)	Monitor	Target	Counters	Source of quoted error	Data renormalized here
C11	Cassels, Pickavance, Stafford (Harwell)	No	147	$\text{C}^2(\rho, \rho n)\text{C}^n$ also nuclear emulsions	$\text{CH}_2 - \text{C}$	Proportional counters in 90° coinci- dence+geom- etry-defining slit	Total	Yes $\frac{43}{57}$ Monitor cross section wrong (C14)
P3	Taylor (Harwell)		134				Data taken using nuclear emulsions should not be renormalized	No ... (a) $\sigma_{pp}(90^\circ) = 3.80 \pm 0.13$ (b) Data obtained by meas- uring $\sigma_{tot}$ and assuming isotropic scattering, extra- polated to 0° and Coulomb scattering excluded. $\sigma_{pp}(90^\circ) = 4.05 \pm 0.28$ new measurement
P3	Cassels (Harwell)		147					No ... (a) $\sigma_{pp}(90^\circ) = 3.80 \pm 0.13$ (b) Data obtained by meas- uring $\sigma_{tot}$ and assuming isotropic scattering, extra- polated to 0° and Coulomb scattering excluded. $\sigma_{pp}(90^\circ) = 4.05 \pm 0.28$ new measurement
C12	Garrison (Berkeley)	No	170 260	Ion chamber +Faraday cup	Liquid H	Scintillators	Counting statistics +others	No ... Absolute value good to ~8%
C8	Chamberlain, Segre, Wiegand (Berkeley)	No absolute measurement	345 250 164 120	Ion chamber calibrated by Faraday cup	$\text{CH}_2 - \text{C}$ with liquid H at small $\theta$	Scintillators— coincidence for large $\theta$ not for small $\theta$	Counting statistics	No ... other errors ~5% only elastic events counted
C13	Pettengill (Berkeley)	Yes—to 3.75 mb/sterad at 21°	300 No 160 230 330	Scintillator counting single particles	Liquid H	Scintillators	Total	No ... (a) At 300 Mev get $\sigma_{pp}(\theta)$ from 6.5 to 21.7 c.m. (b) At 160, 230, and 330 measure $\sigma_{pp}$ total (c) Polarization corrections made
O1	Oxley, Schamberger (Rochester)	No	240	$\text{C}^{18}(\rho, \rho n)\text{C}^n$	$\text{CH}_2$	Scintillators in coincidence	Counting statistics	Yes $\frac{36}{41}$ Monitor cross section wrong (C14)
T6	Towler (Rochester)	No	240	$\text{C}^{18}(\rho, \rho n)\text{C}^n$	$\text{CH}_2 - \text{C}$	Nuclear emulsions	Counting statistics	Yes $\frac{36}{41}$ Monitor cross section wrong (C14)
C12	Chamberlain, Garrison (Berkeley)	No	170 260	Ion chamber calibrated by Faraday cup	Liquid H	Scintillators	Counting statistics +others	No ... Absolute values good to ~8%

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TABLE V.—(Continued).

Reference	Authors	Data normalized	Energy (Mev)	Monitor	Target	Counters	Source of quoted error	Counting statistics	Data renormalized here Yes By or how much No Why	Remarks
C13	Chamberlain, Pettengill, Segré, Wieand (Berkeley)	Yes—to 3.7 mb/sterad at 20°	300	Counter for single protons	Liquid H	Scintillator	No	...	...	Small-angle data fits well to relativistic Coulomb $\sigma$ theory
F4	Fischer, Goldhaber (Berkeley)	Yes—to 3.7 mb/sterad	330	None	Liquid H	Nuclear emulsions	No	...	...	Beam polarized therefore data wrong. Data right in M5. Only elastic events counted
M6	Marshall, Marshall, Nedzel (Chicago)	No	429 271 144	Scintillator counting individual protons	Liquid H	Scintillators in coincidence $\theta > 54^\circ$ one only $\theta < 54^\circ$	Counting statistics	...	...	...
C15	Chamberlain, Wieand (Berkeley)	No	340	Ion chamber +Faraday cup	$\text{CH}_2-\text{C}$	Proportional counters	Counting statistics	No	...	(a) Proportional counter wall cause too high values for $\sigma$ due to scattering—in (b) Data revised and reported later in C8 (c) Other errors $\sim 10\%$
H7	Harting, Holt, Kluver, Moore (Liverpool)	No	380	Faraday cup	$\text{CH}_2-\text{C}$	Scintillators	No	...	...	...
H5	Hartzler, Siegel (Carnegie Tech)	None-relative values only	365–428	None	$\text{CH}_2-\text{C}$	Scintillator	Counting statistics	No	...	(a) Part of paper on $n-p$ cross section. (b) Relative values of $\sigma$ only. Only elastic events included in data. Correction of M6 due to polarization of the beam. Only elastic events counted
M5	Marshall, Marshall, Nedzel (Chicago)	No	419				No	...	...	...
K4	Kao, Clark (Carnegie Tech)	No	432	Total path length in emulsion	H in emulsion	Nuclear emulsions	Not given	No	...	Only elastic events
S9	Sutton, Field, Fox, Kane, Moit, Stallwood (Carnegie Tech)	No	437	Ion chamber	$\text{CH}_2-\text{C}$ and Liquid H	Scintillators	Counting statistics	No	...	Absolute value good to $\sim 5\%$ . Ion chamber $M$ calculated from $\Delta E/\text{ion}$ pair. Only elastic events counted.
M4	Meshcheryakov, Bogachev, Neganov (Moscow)	No	460	Faraday cup +ion chamber	$\text{CH}_2-\text{C}$	Scintillators	Counting statistics	No	...	(a) Events elastic to 5 Mev (per $\theta$ ) (b) Other error $\sim 10\%$
M7	Meshcheryakov, Neganov, Soroko, Vzorov (Moscow)	No	460–660	Ion chamber	$\text{CH}_2-\text{C}$	Scintillators	Counting statistics $= 3\%$ at 90°	No	...	Other errors $\sim 5\%$ at 90° and $\sim 8\%$ at 30°. Only elastic events counted

TABLE V.—(Continued).

Reference	Authors	Data normalized	Energy (Mev)	Monitor	Target	Counters	Source of quoted error	Yes or No	By how much	Why	Remarks
B7	Bogachev (Moscow)	460 560 660									Data renormalized here
S10	Selektor, Nikitin, Bogomolov, Zomkovsky (Moscow)	No	460 560 660	Ion chamber + Faraday cup	CH <sub>2</sub> -C	Proportional counters	Counting statistics	No	...	...	(a) Proportional counter walls may cause $\sigma$ too high same as in C15 (b) Errors in abs $\sigma$ $(E=460) = 10\%$ $(E=560) = 10\%$ $(E=660) = 5\%$
B13	Bogomolov, Zomkovsky; Nikitin, Selektor (Moscow)	Yes to $\sigma_{pp}(30^\circ)$ $= 547$	660	Ion chamber	Liquid H	Scintillators + Cerenkov Counter	Counting statistics	No	...	...	
B5	Bogachev, Vorov (Moscow)	No	660	Faraday cup + ion chamber	CH <sub>2</sub> -C	Scintillators	Counting statistics	No	...	...	(a) Maximum total error $\sim 10\%$
S2	Smith, McReynolds, Snow (Brookhaven)	Yes- $\rightarrow$ <sub>10</sub> Sutton, S9, at 437 Mev at 90°	440-1000	Counter + telescope + circulating beam induc- tion elec- trode	CH <sub>2</sub> -C	Scintillators	Counting statistics	No	...	...	Only elastic events counted
D7	Duke, Lock, March, Gibson, McKeague, Huges, Muirhead (Birmingham)	No	950	None	H in emulsion	Nuclear emulsions	Counting statistics	No	...	...	(a) Kinematics identifies the elastic events from H (b) Preliminary data only a few events
C17	Cork, Wenzel, Causey (Berkeley)	No	920 2240 3490 4400 6150	Induction electrode	CH <sub>2</sub>	Scintillator telescopes at coincidence angles	$\pm 30\%$ due to calibration of monitor on $E$ $= 920$ and $3490$ and $\pm 15\%$ on $E$ $= 2240, 4400$ and $6150$	No	...	...	(a) Only elastic events counted (b) Secondary monitor ruled out trouble with multiple traversals (c) C target background $< 10\%$ other errors somewhat less

TABLE VI. Summary of values for the proton-proton differential cross section.  
Some of the values have been renormalized as indicated.

Reference	$\theta_{\text{c.m.}}$	$\sigma(\theta) \pm \epsilon$ (mb)	Energy (Mev)	$\sigma'(\theta) \pm \epsilon'$ (mb)	Remarks		
C16	29	51.7 $\pm 2.3$	9.7		No normalization or renormalization needed		
	34	52.8 $\pm 2.1$					
	41	54.3 $\pm 2.1$					
	44	52.8 $\pm 2.6$					
	51	54.3 $\pm 2.1$					
	54	55.4 $\pm 2.3$					
	61	55.4 $\pm 2.3$					
	64	56.7 $\pm 2.5$					
	71	58.8 $\pm 2.4$					
	74	59.9 $\pm 2.9$					
	81	58.2 $\pm 2.3$					
	84	57.8 $\pm 2.3$					
	91	58.5 $\pm 2.4$					
	94	58.4 $\pm 2.4$					
	101	56.7 $\pm 2.2$					
	104	59.9 $\pm 2.5$					
	111	58.2 $\pm 2.4$					
	114	57.8 $\pm 2.7$					
	121	56.4 $\pm 2.4$					
	24	59.2 $\pm 2.6$	9.85		No normalization or renormalization needed		
	26	55.5 $\pm 2.6$					
	29	53.6 $\pm 2.5$					
	31	50.9 $\pm 2.3$					
	34	49.6 $\pm 2.3$					
	41	54.8 $\pm 2.5$					
	44	56.8 $\pm 2.9$					
	61	54.1 $\pm 2.5$					
C16	27°32'	55.95 $\pm 0.50$	9.7		No normalization or renormalization needed		
	40°16'	52.46 $\pm 0.43$					
	49°48'	53.89 $\pm 0.54$					
	59°38'	55.06 $\pm 0.49$					
	60°8'	55.38 $\pm 0.60$					
	68°20'	54.84 $\pm 0.49$					
	79°44'	53.91 $\pm 0.47$					
	90°50'	56.11 $\pm 0.51$					
	112°35'	54.52 $\pm 0.73$					
W3	24	55 $\pm 3$	10		Data read from graph		
	28	49 $\pm 1.5$					
	32	45 $\pm 1.0$					
	36	47 $\pm 1.0$					
	38	46 $\pm 1.0$					
	40	46 $\pm 1.0$					
	45	47 $\pm 1.0$					
	50	49 $\pm 1.0$					
	52	49 $\pm 1.0$					
	56	49 $\pm 1.0$					
Y1	90	27.32 $\pm 0.14$	18.2		No normalization or renormalization needed		
	80	27.29 $\pm 0.14$					
	70	27.48 $\pm 0.14$					
	60	27.42 $\pm 0.16$					
	50	27.27 $\pm 0.19$					
	40	26.55 $\pm 0.21$					
	36	26.00 $\pm 0.26$					
	30	24.94 $\pm 0.25$					
B6	14	59.7 $\pm 1.5$	19.8		No normalization or renormalization needed		
	16	38.1 $\pm 0.9$					
	18	29.8 $\pm 0.7$					
	20	26.1 $\pm 0.7$					
	22	24.3 $\pm 0.6$					
	24	23.4 $\pm 0.6$					
	26	22.6 $\pm 0.6$					
	30	23.5 $\pm 0.6$					
	36	23.6 $\pm 0.6$					
	40	23.7 $\pm 0.6$					
	50	24.7 $\pm 0.6$					
	60	24.0 $\pm 0.6$					
	70	24.6 $\pm 0.6$					
	80	24.3 $\pm 0.6$					
	90	24.5 $\pm 0.6$					

TABLE VI.—(Continued).

Reference	$\theta_{\text{c.m.}}$	$\sigma(\theta) \pm \epsilon$ (mb)	Energy (Mev)	$\sigma'(\theta) \pm \epsilon'$ (mb)	Remarks
R5	18.04	32.2 $\pm$ 0.8	19.8		No normalization or renormalization needed
	22.20	23.6 $\pm$ 0.6			
	24.42	23.4 $\pm$ 0.6			
	26.12	23.6 $\pm$ 0.6			
	29.78	22.8 $\pm$ 0.6			
	32.06	22.9 $\pm$ 0.6			
C10	35.12	23.9 $\pm$ 0.6			No normalization or renormalization needed
	90	14.4 $\pm$ 0.15			
	90	18.36 $\pm$ 0.18			
	90	18.7 $\pm$ 0.32			
	90	22.8 $\pm$ 0.51			
P2	90	27.2 $\pm$ 0.68	18.8		No normalization or renormalization needed
	87.3	16.00 $\pm$ 0.31			
	80	16.38 $\pm$ 0.27			
	72	16.47 $\pm$ 0.27			
	64	16.30 $\pm$ 0.28			
	56	16.70 $\pm$ 0.29			
	48	15.64 $\pm$ 0.31			
	40	15.16 $\pm$ 0.32			
	32	14.02 $\pm$ 0.35			
F3	24	13.23 $\pm$ 0.38	29.4		No normalization or renormalization needed
	87	14.95 $\pm$ 0.36			
	80	15.39 $\pm$ 0.32			
	72	15.60 $\pm$ 0.33			
	64	14.52 $\pm$ 0.33			
	56	14.85 $\pm$ 0.35			
	48	15.17 $\pm$ 0.31			
	40	14.64 $\pm$ 0.33			
	32	13.08 $\pm$ 0.34			
	24	12.82 $\pm$ 0.38			
	16	14.54 $\pm$ 0.58			
C9	11	25.22 $\pm$ 2.19	31.8		No normalization or renormalization needed
	89.7	14.30 $\pm$ 0.15			
	77.6	14.05 $\pm$ 0.15			
	64.7	14.05 $\pm$ 0.20			
	52.5	14.02 $\pm$ 0.17			
	39.8	13.27 $\pm$ 0.14			
	27.3	13.13 $\pm$ 0.16			
K2	90–90	14.21 $\pm$ 0.25			The 25°, 30°, and 35° points were obtained from the liquid H angular distribution fitted to the CH <sub>2</sub> data. On the rest of these data no normalization or renormalization is needed.
	102–78	14.15 $\pm$ 0.15			
B4	25	4.88	95		These data were obtained by using the 70-Mev angular distribution and the $\sigma_{pp}(90^\circ)$ value at 69.5 Mev given above
	30	4.88			
	35	4.89			
	40	4.93 $\pm$ 0.12			
	50	4.81 $\pm$ 0.10			
	60	4.81 $\pm$ 0.10			
	70	4.68 $\pm$ 0.09			
	80	4.53 $\pm$ 0.10			
	90	4.54 $\pm$ 0.09			
	90	5.40 $\pm$ 0.32	78.5		
	90	5.96 $\pm$ 0.36			
	90	8.83 $\pm$ 0.62			
	90	11.4 $\pm$ 0.80			
	25	6.44	41		The original data were normalized to the cross section for C <sup>12</sup> (9, $p$ n)C <sup>11</sup> . New values for this cross section make necessary a renormalization by 36/41
	30	6.35			
	35	6.37			
	40	6.21			
	80	6.29			
	90	5.96 $\pm$ 0.36			
P3	90	3.80 $\pm$ 0.13	134		
P3	90	4.05 $\pm$ 0.28	147		

TABLE VI.—(Continued).

Reference	$\theta_{\text{e.m.}}$	$\sigma(\theta) \pm \epsilon$ (mb)	Energy (Mev)	$\sigma'(\theta) \pm \epsilon'$ (mb)	Remarks
C11	25	5.57±0.53	147	4.20±0.40	The original data were normalized to the cross section for $\text{C}^{12}(p, pn)\text{C}^{11}$ . New values for this cross section make necessary a renormalization by 43/57.
	35	5.03±0.23		3.80±0.17	
	45	5.16±0.23		3.90±0.17	
	60	5.09±0.23		3.84±0.17	
	75	5.04±0.23		3.80±0.17	
	90	4.94±0.22		3.74±0.17	
C12	10.1	5.10±0.26	170		No normalization or renormalization needed
	16.7	3.69±0.15			
	23.0	3.52±0.09			
	31.3	3.61±0.09			
	41.7	3.55±0.08			
	62.2	3.27±0.10			
	9.6	5.27±0.24	174		
	12.4	4.37±0.17			
	16.8	3.92±0.14			
	23.0	3.96±0.10			
	31.3	3.99±0.10			
	41.6	3.90±0.09			
	62.3	3.60±0.10			
	10.6	4.38±0.21	259		
	17.0	3.84±0.11			
	23.4	3.90±0.09			
	31.9	3.56±0.06			
	42.5	3.58±0.04			
	63.5	3.50±0.06			
	9.3	5.75±0.34	260		
	17.0	3.85±0.11			
C8	23.4	3.90±0.06			$\text{CH}_2$ target No normalization or renormalization needed
	31.9	3.84±0.06			
	42.5	3.74±0.07			
	63.3	3.64±0.07			
	35.6	4.31±0.21	345		
	36.4	3.93±0.15			
	43.4	3.79±0.15			
	44.0	4.17±0.13			
	45.8	3.64±0.07			
	46.1	3.99±0.11			
	52.4	3.77±0.10			
	60.8	3.83±0.13			
	64.0	3.55±0.11			
	64.0	3.74±0.14			
	70.6	3.67±0.16			
	72.2	3.67±0.11			
	80.2	3.95±0.12			
	87.6	3.86±0.10			
	88.2	3.91±0.08	345		
	88.2	3.70±0.08			
	88.6	3.85±0.06			
	88.6	3.54±0.09			
	89.2	4.15±0.36			
	11.3	5.1 ± 0.36			Liquid H target
	11.3	5.38±0.49			
	15.2	3.71±0.22			
	15.2	3.21±0.17			
	21.1	3.51±0.10			
	21.7	3.06±0.15			
	32.5	3.52±0.09			
	33.1	3.51±0.11			
	42.8	3.48±0.10			
	42.8	3.40±0.08			
	53.2	3.40±0.08			
	53.2	3.28±0.10			
	47.4	3.97±0.51	250		
	47.4	3.23±0.29			
	62.0	4.38±0.27			
	64.6	3.84±0.20			
	78.4	3.69±0.15			
	78.4	3.53±0.18			
	87.2	3.67±0.21			
	87.4	3.69±0.10			
	87.6	3.95±0.22			

TABLE VI.—(Continued).

Reference	$\theta_{\text{e.m.}}$	$\sigma(\theta) \pm \epsilon$ (mb)	Energy (MeV)	$\sigma'(\theta) \pm \epsilon'$ (mb)	Remarks
C8 (contd.)	87.6	3.59±0.21	250		
	89.6	3.56±0.27	247		
	89.6	3.28±0.16	247		
	59.9	3.38±0.23	164		
	60.8	4.08±0.45	163		
	88.6	3.88±0.26	163		
	88.6	3.54±0.35	164		
	90.0	3.60±0.17	164		
	63.0	3.67±0.56	120		
	63.0	4.40±0.50	120		
	77.8	4.25±0.33	120		
	85.2	3.85±0.25	120		
	89.2	3.95±0.12	118		
C13	6.5	10.71±0.74	300		
	7.6	7.46±0.58			These data are normalized to $\sigma_{pp}(21^\circ)$
	8.7	4.85±0.37			= 3.75 mg/sterad
	11.0	4.42±0.27			No normalization needed
	13.0	4.13±0.20			
	17.3	3.88±0.17			
	21.7	3.75±0.18			
	20–90	3.81 <sup>+0.15</sup> <sub>-0.07</sub>	330		Average $\sigma_{pp}(\theta)$ over angular interval indicated is given
	20–90	3.58 <sup>+0.19</sup> <sub>-0.12</sub>	230		
	20–90	4.16 <sup>+0.19</sup> <sub>-0.10</sub>	160		
O1	90	4.81±0.06	240	3.54±0.04	Combined data are given here. The original data in both these papers were normalized to the cross section for
	79	5.05±0.08		3.71±0.06	$\text{C}^{12}(p,pn)\text{C}^{11}$ . New values for this
	70	5.25±0.11		3.86±0.08	cross section make necessary a renormalization by 36/49
	69.1	5.04±0.05		3.71±0.04	
	49.2	4.82±0.08		3.54±0.06	
	48.6	4.93±0.12		3.62±0.09	
	39.4	5.03±0.10		3.70±0.07	
	27.5	4.83±0.11		3.55±0.08	
T6	26.8	4.85±0.11		3.56±0.08	
	71.9	4.33±0.22	240	3.18±0.16	
	45.2	4.81±0.25		3.54±0.18	
	36.6	4.90±0.28		3.60±0.21	
	28.3	4.43±0.21		3.24±0.15	
	27.2	4.38±0.38		3.22±0.28	
	18.6	4.59±0.31		3.38±0.23	
F4	13.0	5.16±0.39		3.80±0.29	
	8.7	15.8 ± 1.6		11.60±1.18	
	4.67	35.7 ± 2.3	330		Data were normalized to 3.7 mb/sterad at $10^\circ$ to $13^\circ$
	5.26	18.1 ± 1.02			
	5.88	14.62 ± 1.02			
	6.52	8.59 ± 0.82			
	7.28	6.34 ± 0.61			
	8.57	4.15 ± 0.33			No renormalization needed
	9.20	3.62 ± 0.31			
	10.16	3.29 ± 0.33			
	11.12	4.56 ± 0.25			
	11.43	3.14 ± 0.36			
H7	12.93	3.45 ± 0.31			
	14.80	3.49 ± 0.29			
	16.77	3.58 ± 0.23			
	18.63	3.44 ± 0.27			
	20.87	4.02 ± 0.24			
	22.80	3.62 ± 0.29			
	24.27	3.75 ± 0.31			
	26.03	3.66 ± 0.31			
	27.57	3.63 ± 0.35			
	29.70	3.81 ± 0.35			
	4.14	26.40 ± 1.19	380		No normalization or renormalization
	4.69	15.90 ± 0.68			needed
	5.28	11.47 ± 0.48			
	6.42	6.63 ± 0.23			
	7.56	5.31 ± 0.17			
	8.73	4.57 ± 0.12			
	9.9	4.35 ± 0.10			

TABLE VI.—(Continued)

Reference	$\theta_{c.m.}$	$\sigma(\theta) \pm \epsilon$ (mb)	Energy (Mev)	$\sigma'(\theta) \pm \epsilon'$ (mb)	Remarks
H7 (contd.)	11.0	4.35±0.09	380		
	12.1	4.34±0.10			
	13.2	4.31±0.08			
	14.3	4.35±0.09			
	15.4	4.26±0.08			
	16.5	4.27±0.08			
	17.6	4.27±0.08			
	19.8	4.20±0.08			
	21.8	4.22±0.08			
	24.0	4.12±0.08			
	26.2	4.18±0.08			
	28.4	4.08±0.08			
	30.0	4.04±0.08			
	30.6	4.01±0.08			
	36.0	4.04±0.08			
	43.0	4.01±0.08			
	50.0	3.86±0.07			
	65.0	3.76±0.07			
	90.0	3.70±0.06			
M5	90	3.42±0.13	419		The original data given in M6 were taken with a polarized beam. This paper corrects that trouble. No renormalization needed
	80	3.56±0.23			
	65	3.34±0.19			
	54	3.23±0.12			
	54	3.18±0.21			
	43	3.74±0.21			
K4	28	3.41±0.20	432		No normalization or renormalization needed
	16.2-36.9	4.5 ±1.1			
	36.9-53.1	3.6 ±0.8			
	53.1-66.4	3.9 ±0.9			
	16.2-25.8	4.6 ±1.0			
	25.8-36.9	5.4 ±1.0			
S9	36.9-44.4	3.2 ±0.9	437		No normalization or renormalization needed
	17	4.13±0.20			
	25	4.27±0.21			
	28	4.04±0.20			
	30	4.03±0.20			
	36	4.05±0.20			
M4	50	3.82±0.19	460		One telescope used to obtain data
	65	3.62±0.18			
	90	3.49±0.17			
	20	3.98±0.56			
	27	3.73±0.34			
	33	3.97±0.16			
M7	40	4.06±0.16	460		No normalization or renormalization needed
	46	3.99±0.12			
	53	3.84±0.14			
	55	3.36±0.25			
	66	3.82±0.14			
	78	3.52±0.14			
M7	90	3.50±0.10	460		Two telescopes in coincidence used to obtain data
	55	3.59±0.21			
	66	3.81±0.18			
	78	3.56±0.20			
	90	3.31±0.15	460		
	90	3.20±0.18	510		
M7	90	2.95±0.12	562		No normalization or renormalization needed
	90	2.92±0.11	586		
	90	2.63±0.10	610		
	90	2.58±0.12	622		
	90	2.30±0.10	634		
	90	2.20±0.10	645		
	90	2.05±0.07	657		
	30	4.18±0.44	460		
	30	4.93±0.29	562		
	30	5.67±0.26	610		
	30	6.37±0.36	634		
	30	6.53±0.37	645		
	30	6.55±0.28	657		

TABLE VI.—(Continued)

Reference	$\theta_{\text{c.m.}}$	$\sigma(\theta) \pm \epsilon$ (mb)	Energy (Mev)	$\sigma'(\theta) \pm \epsilon'$ (mb)	Remarks
S10	30	3.58±0.31	460		
	45	3.89±0.09			
	60	3.82±0.09			
	75	3.60±0.12			
	90	3.68±0.09			
	40	4.32±0.14		560	
	60	3.66±0.19			
	75	3.28±0.14			
	90	3.22±0.13			
	30	5.47±0.12		660	
	40	4.97±0.10			
	50	4.03±0.12			
	60	3.21±0.12			
	70	2.59±0.10			
	80	2.19±0.11			
	90	2.06±0.08			
B7	5	33 ± 6	460		
	10	5.91±0.46			
	15	4.69±0.38			
	5	26 ± 5		560	
	10	8.04±0.78			
	15	6.78±0.63			
	20	6.29±0.58			
	25	5.70±0.53			
	5	18.9 ± 1.1		660	
	10	11.0 ± 0.7			
	15	8.67±0.53			
	20	7.75±0.48			
	25	6.56±0.40			
B5	30	5.58±0.15	657		
	40	4.78±0.26			
	50	3.99±0.20			
	60	3.41±0.13			
	70	2.94±0.12			
	80	2.20±0.05			
	90	2.07±0.03			
B13	7.5	17.32±1.85	660		Normalized to $\sigma_{pp}(30^\circ) = 5.47$
	10	14.98±0.60			
	16	7.80±0.49			No renormalization needed
	20	6.75±0.29			
	25	5.79±0.41			
	30	5.47±0.29			
S2	33.2	3.86	440		
	44.0	3.80			
	65.4	3.62			
	79.9	3.52			
	90.0	3.49			
	27.5	6.12±0.15		590	
	34.7	5.42±0.10			
	50.0	4.18±0.7			
	65.1	3.28±0.10			
	90.0	2.43±0.05			
	28.5	7.60±0.20		800	
	49.8	3.44±0.10			
	90.0	0.89±0.05			
	36.5	5.66±0.10		1000	
	41.3	4.54±0.10			
	53.7	2.44±0.07			
	64.0	1.33±0.05			
	77.0	0.79±0.05			
	90.0	0.62±0.05			
D7	0-41	5.3 ± 1.0	950		
	41-60	3.1 ± 1.0			
	60-75	1.3 ± 0.5			
	75-90	0.4 ± 0.3			No normalization or renormalization needed

TABLE VI.—(Continued)

Reference	$\theta_{\text{c.m.}}$	$\sigma(\theta) \pm \epsilon$ (mb)	Energy (Mev)	$\sigma'(\theta) \pm \epsilon'$ (mb)	Remarks		
C17	49.4	3.3	920	2240	Data are normalized to readings on an induction electrode which reads the intensity of the circulating beam. Trouble with multiple traversals has been eliminated from the system. The absolute value is good to $\pm 30\%$ for $E = 920$ and 3490, and is good to $\pm 15\%$ for $E = 2240, 4400$ , and 6150. The errors listed include counting statistics, uncertainty in angles, etc., but not the $\pm 15\%$ due to the monitor uncertainty.		
	72.1	0.76					
	91.7	0.45					
	14.7	$20.8 \pm 1.2$					
	23.6	$11.0 \pm 0.6$					
	29.2	$6.64 \pm 0.61$					
	44.0	$1.12 \pm 0.098$					
	57.6	$0.428 \pm 0.060$					
	70.3	$0.255 \pm 0.034$					
	93.5	$0.1445 \pm 0.0280$					
	34.2	1.7	3490				
	49.2	0.26					
	64.4	0.07					
	78.5	0.06					
	10.6	$20.5 \pm 1.1$					
	14.2	$18.3 \pm 1.4$					
	17.5	$12.73 \pm 0.90$					
	21.3	$6.01 \pm 0.52$					
	24.5	$2.96 \pm 0.33$					
	28.5	$1.99 \pm 0.23$					
	37.4	$0.473 \pm 0.063$					
	53.2	$0.100 \pm 0.029$					
	69.0	$0.0382 \pm 0.0156$					
	7.6	$27.7 \pm 2.8$	6150				
	11.6	$24.6 \pm 2.2$					
	15.2	$10.1 \pm 1.3$					
	20.0	$5.51 \pm 1.10$					
	20.8	$3.06 \pm 0.70$					
	23.6	$1.31 \pm 0.31$					
	27.6	$0.651 \pm 0.293$					

(S13) looked for polarization from carbon targets, and found essentially no polarization. Rose (R6) has reported, "A study has been made of the variation with energy of the asymmetries at  $12^\circ$  and at  $16^\circ$  in C, Al, and Fe. All data show steady decrease as the energy is lowered. The C and Al curves fall to very low values at 60 Mev, while the Fe asymmetry is zero or perhaps negative at 75 Mev." From all these data it appears that the polarization falls quite suddenly below 130 Mev, but that between 130 Mev and 430 Mev the polarization is fairly constant.

TABLE VII. Values for neutron-neutron differential cross sections. The data on  $I(\theta)$  are Golovin's values for the magnitude of the interference term in scattering of neutrons from deuterium at 300 Mev.

Reference	$\theta$	Energy	$\sigma_{nn}(\theta)$	$I(\theta)$
D10	12	300	$7.9 \pm 1.5$	
	16		$6.0 \pm 1.0$	
	20		$4.8 \pm 0.7$	
	30		$3.2 \pm 0.6$	
	40		$3.2 \pm 0.6$	0.60
	50		$3.5 \pm 0.8$	0.36
	60		$3.8 \pm 0.6$	0.20
	70		$3.75 \pm 0.6$	0.10
	80		$3.75 \pm 0.6$	0.09
	90		$3.6 \pm 0.8$	0.04
D13	30	590	$5.8 \pm 0.8$	
	49		$4.7 \pm 0.5$	
	55		$3.8 \pm 0.4$	
	67		$2.9 \pm 0.35$	
	78		$2.3 \pm 0.30$	
	89		$2.5 \pm 0.25$	

Most experiments done on polarization determine the magnitude of  $P$  but not the sign of  $P$ . Two experiments have been performed to determine the absolute sign of the polarization of a nucleon beam. One has been performed by Brinkworth and Rose (B12). "The first scattered beam is reduced to a few Mev (a band from 4.5 to 9 Mev) and scattered left and right into photographic plates in 5 atmospheres of helium. From known phase shifts for this scattering one anticipates a left-right ratio of 3.6 or 0.28, depending on the sign of the polarization. The data are consistent with 3.6. The polarization is thus known to be positive, meaning that

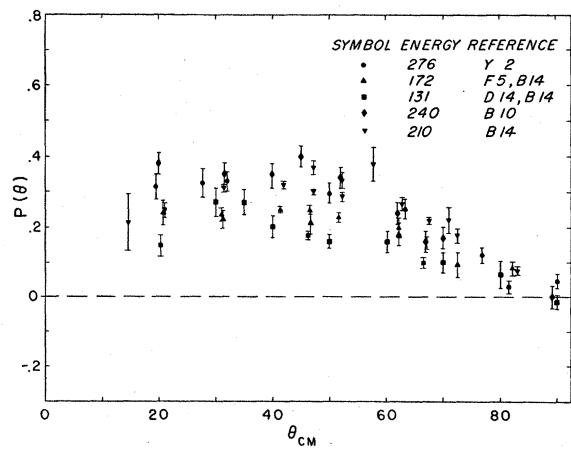


FIG. 11. Experimental values for the polarization produced in  $p-p$  collisions for  $E < 300$  Mev.

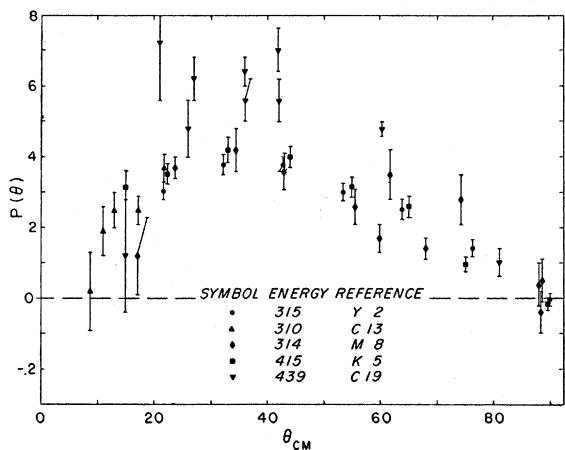


FIG. 12. Experimental values for the polarization produced in  $p\text{-}p$  collisions for  $E > 300$  Mev.

the direction of predominant spin is parallel to the direction of rotation in the scattering of an originally unpolarized beam."

The experiment by Marshall and Marshall (M9) gave the same answer with a somewhat different geometry.

Some triple-scattering experiments have been performed (Y2) to measure the depolarization or rotation of the plane of polarization of a polarized beam of protons.

#### X. EXPLANATION OF TABLES

Tables I-III, and V are summaries of experiments performed on nucleon-nucleon cross sections.

*Data normalized.*—In most of the  $\sigma_{np}(\theta)$  and some of the  $\sigma_{pp}(\theta)$  experiments the data obtained are angular distributions of a counting rate that must be normalized by the use of other data to get absolute values of the cross section. Whether or not this is done and how it is done are indicated in this column.

*Energy.*—This column lists the energies of the in-

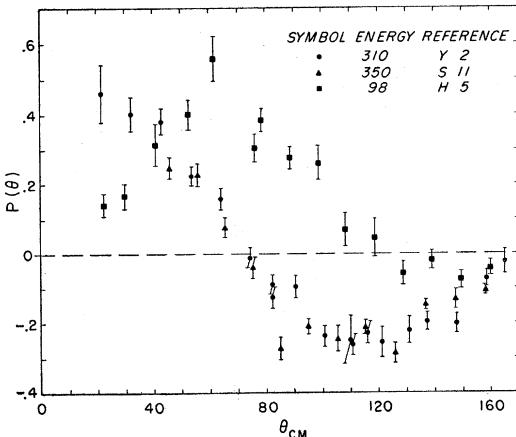


FIG. 13. Experimental values for the polarization produced in  $n\text{-}p$  collisions.

ident particles. For protons only one value is listed, because proton beams are usually nearly monoenergetic. But for high-energy neutrons the beam usually has a spread in energy. Because of this, three values are given to indicate the energy spectrum.  $E_{\text{peak}}$  corresponds to the energy of the peak of the spectrum;  $E_{\text{upper}}$  and  $E_{\text{lower}}$  correspond to the energies of the half-height points above and below the peak energy (Fig. 14).

The values indicated for  $E_{\text{cutoff}}$  are experimental limits placed on the lowest-energy neutron that will be counted. This is frequently done by placing an absorber in a proton-recoil telescope. This process makes the neutron beam effectively more monoenergetic.

*Monitor.*—This column indicates what device was used to count particles in the incident beam. In some cases—for example, cloud chamber work—no monitor is used because only an angular distribution is desired. In this case the angular distribution is taken all at once and therefore no normalization to unit incident beam is needed.

*Target.*—Proton targets are obtained normally by  $\text{CH}_2\text{-C}$  subtraction or use of  $\text{H}$  gas, or—more recently—liquid hydrogen. In a few cases no subtraction was made for the carbon in a  $\text{CH}_2$  target. This normally

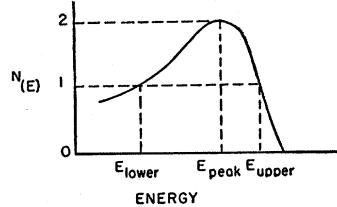


FIG. 14. Sample neutron energy spectrum showing meaning of  $E_{\text{peak}}$ ,  $E_{\text{upper}}$ , and  $E_{\text{lower}}$ .

should be done if the incident beam is energetic enough to produce protons from carbon.

Neutron targets are usually obtained by a deuterium-hydrogen subtraction. This is subject to limitations discussed in Sec. III.

*Counters.*—This column indicates the type of detector used to study the particles emerging.

*Errors.*—Different authors treat errors differently. Fairly frequently only counting statistics (almost always expressed in standard deviations) are considered. In the cases in the table where the error is called total, various other contributing factors—such as geometry, target, beam, detection efficiency, etc.—have been included. This so-called "total error" is not actually the total error; it is merely one in which several factors other than counting statistics have been taken into account. Some authors may not have treated other possible errors adequately. It would be nice if all the data could be considered on an equal basis with respect to errors; but as they cannot, the differences should be kept in mind. For example, when only counting statistics are considered in  $\sigma_{np}(\theta)$  there usually is an error in the normalization process associated with the value of  $\sigma_{np}$  total used that should be combined with the counting statistics errors.

TABLE VIII. Summary of Experiments on Nucleon Polarization.

Reference	Authors	Energy	Type of interaction	Target 1	$\theta_1$	$P_1$	Target 2	Detectors	Errors	Remarks
H5	Hillman, Stafford (Harwell)	98±3 Mev neutrons	$n-p$	Be	26° L 26° R	0.085±0.006	CH <sub>2</sub> -C	Scintillation proton recoil telescope counting neutrons	Counting statistics +geometry +stray fields +background	Checked with unpolarized beam
D14	Dickson, Salter (Harwell)	133 Mev protons	$p-p$	C	20°	0.7 ±0.1	CH <sub>2</sub>	2 scintillation telescopes in coincidence	Not given	
F5	Fischer, Baldwin (Berkeley)	174±10 Mev protons	$p-p$	Be	13° L	0.76 ±0.05	Liquid H	Scintillation telescopes	Counting statistics	$P_1$ is known for 315 Mev beam. It is assumed to remain constant for the beam degraded in energy to 170 Mev
B10	Baskir, Chesnut (Rochester)	240 protons	$p-p$	Be	20° C	0.82 ±0.01 0.91 ±0.01	CH <sub>2</sub> -C and liquid H	Counter telescope	Not given	Data read from graph
Y2	Ypsilantis (Berkeley)	315 Mev protons 310 Mev protons	$p-p$	Be	13° L	0.76 ±0.03	Liquid H	Scintillation telescope	Counting statistics	(1) Errors due to geometry and stray field give $\Delta P_2 = \pm 0.003$
		276 Mev protons	$p-n$	Be	13° L	0.69 ±0.05	Liquid D	Scintillation proton recoil telescope	Counting statistics	(2) Elastic scattering from the proton in the deuteron agreed with the free $p-p$ data well
			$p-p$	Be	17°	0.67 ±0.05	Liquid H	Scintillation telescope	Counting statistics +error in $P_1$	
C13	Chamberlain, Pettengill, Segré, Wiegand (Berkeley)	310 Mev protons	$p-p$	Be	13° L	0.74 ±0.01	Liquid H	Split ring scintillators	Not given	
M8	Marshall, Marshall, Nagle, Skolnik (Chicago)	314 Mev protons	$p-p$	Be	14° R	0.60	Liquid D	Scintillation telescope	Counting statistics	
								counting protons also in coincidence counting protons and neutrons		
S11	Siegel, Hartzler, Love (Carnegie Tech)	350 Mev neutrons	$n-p$	C	20° R	0.163±0.007	Liquid H	Scintillation telescope	Counting statistics	Checked with unpolarized beam
K5	Kane, Stallwood, Sutton, Fields, Fox (Carnegie Tech)	415 Mev protons	$p-p$	C	13°	0.53 ±0.03	Liquid H	Scintillator telescopes	Counting statistics +error in $P_1$	
C19	de Carvalho, Heiberg, Marshall, Marshall (Chicago)	439 Mev protons	$p-p$	Be	14° R	0.50	Liquid H	Counters	Counting statistics	Data read from graph

TABLE IX. Summary of values of  $P(\theta)$ .

Reference	Types of interaction	Energy	$\theta_{\text{c.m.}}$	$P(\theta)$	Remarks	Reference	Types of interaction	Energy	$\theta_{\text{c.m.}}$	$P(\theta)$	Remarks		
H5	$n-p$	95	22.5	+0.143 ± 0.032		B10	$p-p$	240	52	+0.34 ± 0.03			
			29.8	+0.170 ± 0.037		(contd.)		62	+0.24 ± 0.03				
			41.0	+0.318 ± 0.060				67	+0.16 ± 0.03				
			52.5	+0.403 ± 0.042				70	+0.17 ± 0.03				
			61.5	+0.561 ± 0.064				90	0 ± 0.03				
			76.0	+0.307 ± 0.040				120	-0.25 ± 0.03				
			78.5	+0.387 ± 0.033									
			88.5	+0.280 ± 0.032									
			98.5	+0.265 ± 0.049									
			108.0	+0.071 ± 0.048									
			118.5	+0.048 ± 0.054									
			128.5	-0.054 ± 0.035									
			138.5	-0.016 ± 0.028									
			149.0	-0.073 ± 0.025									
			159.5	-0.038 ± 0.022									
D14	$p-p$	133	30	+0.27 ± 0.04			$p-p$	276	19.3	+0.314 ± 0.036			
			35	+0.27 ± 0.035					27.8	+0.324 ± 0.041			
			40	+0.20 ± 0.03					32.0	+0.329 ± 0.028			
			50	+0.16 ± 0.02					49.9	+0.295 ± 0.027			
			60	+0.16 ± 0.03					63.4	+0.251 ± 0.027			
			70	+0.10 ± 0.03					76.8	+0.122 ± 0.021			
			80	+0.065 ± 0.04					90.0	+0.044 ± 0.019			
			90	-0.014 ± 0.02									
B14	$p-p$	130	20°38'	+0.149 ± 0.03			$p-n$	310	21.6	+0.462 ± 0.081	Data obtained		
			46°24'	+0.178 ± 0.012					32.3	+0.403 ± 0.048	from proton		
			66°46'	+0.100 ± 0.015					42.9	+0.382 ± 0.036	scattering on		
			81°54'	+0.029 ± 0.019					53.4	+0.225 ± 0.028	deuterium		
			170	31°16'	+0.238 ± 0.018				63.9	+0.158 ± 0.030			
				41°38'	+0.251 ± 0.009				74.2	-0.012 ± 0.030			
				41°38'	+0.257 ± 0.010				82.3	-0.090 ± 0.028			
				46°48'	+0.251 ± 0.012				82.3	-0.126 ± 0.033			
				51°57'	+0.229 ± 0.013				90.6	-0.097 ± 0.032			
				62°11'	+0.200 ± 0.028				100.7	-0.238 ± 0.030			
				67°16'	+0.158 ± 0.017				109.9	-0.249 ± 0.072			
				82°28'	+0.084 ± 0.021				110.2	-0.261 ± 0.030			
			210	13°42'	+0.217 ± 0.08				116.1	-0.228 ± 0.032			
				21°04'	+0.250 ± 0.021				121.3	-0.255 ± 0.043			
				21°04'	+0.286 ± 0.10				130.8	-0.222 ± 0.039			
				31°32'	+0.311 ± 0.010				137.3	-0.197 ± 0.026			
				31°32'	+0.326 ± 0.027				147.7	-0.202 ± 0.029			
				31°32'	+0.323 ± 0.027				158.4	-0.074 ± 0.023			
				42°00'	+0.321 ± 0.010				164.9	-0.023 ± 0.035			
				42°00'	+0.338 ± 0.028								
				47°12'	+0.302 ± 0.007			C13	$p-p$	310	6.5	-0.21 ± 0.27	
				47°12'	+0.370 ± 0.021					7.6	+0.11 ± 0.28		
				52°22'	+0.289 ± 0.011					8.7	+0.02 ± 0.13		
				52°22'	+0.357 ± 0.053					11.0	+0.19 ± 0.07		
				52°22'	+0.335 ± 0.022					13.0	+0.25 ± 0.05		
				57°31'	+0.381 ± 0.047					17.3	+0.25 ± 0.04		
				62°40'	+0.268 ± 0.018					21.7	+0.37 ± 0.04		
				62°40'	+0.275 ± 0.027			M8	$p-p$	314	17	+0.125 ± 0.11	
				67°48'	+0.219 ± 0.010					24	+0.375 ± 0.03		
				71°00'	+0.222 ± 0.037					35	+0.425 ± 0.06		
				72°53'	+0.178 ± 0.020					43	+0.36 ± 0.05		
				83°02'	+0.077 ± 0.012					56	+0.26 ± 0.05		
				92°58'	-0.006 ± 0.027					60	+0.17 ± 0.04		
				112°36'	-0.175 ± 0.032					62	+0.35 ± 0.07		
F5	$p-p$	174	20.8	+0.241 ± 0.036						68	+0.14 ± 0.03		
			31.3	+0.222 ± 0.024						74	+0.28 ± 0.07		
			46.8	+0.213 ± 0.032						88	+0.05 ± 0.06		
			62.2	+0.180 ± 0.034						93	-0.18 ± 0.10		
			72.4	+0.093 ± 0.037						102	-0.07 ± 0.05		
B10	$p-p$	240	20	+0.38 ± 0.03	Data		S11	$n-p$	350	46°21'	+0.248 ± 0.031		
			32	+0.35 ± 0.03	read					55°51'	+0.227 ± 0.034		
			40	+0.35 ± 0.03	from					65°29'	+0.075 ± 0.027		
			45	+0.40 ± 0.03	graph					75°13'	-0.039 ± 0.032		
										85° 7'	-0.273 ± 0.032		
										95° 9'	-0.210 ± 0.022		
										105°20'	-0.246 ± 0.038		
										115°41'	-0.213 ± 0.019		
										126° 8'	-0.289 ± 0.030		

TABLE IX.—(Continued).

Reference	Types of interaction	Energy	$\theta_{\text{c.m.}}$	$P(\theta)$	Remarks
S11 (contd.)	$n-p$	350	136°45'	-0.147 ± 0.014	
			147°28'	-0.132 ± 0.028	
			158°15'	-0.106 ± 0.014	
K5	$p-p$	415	15.5	+0.317 ± 0.041	
			22	+0.353 ± 0.027	
			33	+0.421 ± 0.036	
			43.5	+0.402 ± 0.029	
			55.5	+0.317 ± 0.028	
			65	+0.260 ± 0.030	
			75	+0.117 ± 0.021	
			90	-0.017 ± 0.023	
					Data read from graph
C19	$p-p$	439	15	+0.12 ± 0.16	
			21	+0.72 ± 0.16	
			26	+0.48 ± 0.08	
			27	+0.62 ± 0.06	
			36	+0.56 ± 0.06	
			36	+0.64 ± 0.04	
			42	+0.56 ± 0.06	
			42	+0.70 ± 0.06	
			59	+0.48 ± 0.02	
			81	+0.10 ± 0.04	
			99	-0.12 ± 0.04	
			99	-0.28 ± 0.04	
			119	-0.48 ± 0.02	
			119	-0.56 ± 0.02	

For a more comprehensive discussion of errors, the reader should consult the original papers. Errors are discussed in some of the papers where the source of the errors in the cross-section values is not indicated.

*Data renormalized here.*—There are several reasons why some of the original cross-section data should be modified because of more recent measurements. These columns tell which experiments have been modified in this paper, how much the data have been changed, and why the data needed changing. This information is repeated in Tables IV and VI.

Table VIII summarizes experiments on nucleon polarization. Several entries also need explaining.

*Type.*—This describes the type of nucleon interaction in which the polarization is studied:

$n-p$ =high-energy polarized neutrons incident on a hydrogen target,

$p-p$ =high-energy polarized protons incident on a hydrogen target, and

$p-n$ =high-energy polarized protons incident on a neutron target.

*Target 1 and Target 2.*—The target material used to produce the polarized nucleon beam is given here as Target 1 and the target material of the second (analyzing) target is given as Target 2 (see Fig. 14).

$P_1$ .—The value of the fraction of polarization of the polarized beam is listed here.

## XI. CONCLUSIONS

By considering the combined data the following information can be obtained.

(1) The interference term  $R$  in the total cross section for proton scattering from deuterium is about 6 mb for energies above 100 Mev.

(2) The values for  $\sigma_{nn}$  total and  $\sigma_{pp}$  total agree with each other within experimental error. This is in agreement with the charge-independence hypothesis.

(3) The values for  $\sigma_{np}(\theta)$  are essentially symmetrical about 90° c.m. up to 90 Mev. In the energy range 300 to 400 Mev the curves are definitely peaked backwards.

(4) From about 170 Mev up to 430 Mev for angles from about 20° c.m. to 90° c.m. the value of  $\sigma_{pp}(\theta)$  is roughly constant at 3.7 mb/sterad. Above 430 Mev the curves for  $\sigma_{pp}(\theta)$  become peaked forwards.

(5) The values of  $\sigma_{nn}(\theta)$  agree statistically with  $\sigma_{pp}(\theta)$ . This is in agreement with the charge-independence hypothesis.

(6) All the cross-section data form a consistent pattern. There are no statistically real differences in the cross-section values from different experimenters whose work can be directly compared.

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