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**Design of the 12 GeV MOLLER Spectrometer** JULIETTE MAMMEI, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, MOLLER COLLABORATION — The MOLLER experiment is an ultra-precise low-energy measurement of the weak mixing angle,  $\sin^2\theta_W$ , which will run in Hall A of Jefferson Lab after the 12 GeV upgrade. It will measure the parity-violating asymmetry in elastic electron-electron (Møller) scattering which arises due to the interference of scattering via a Z boson with that of single photon exchange. The expected precision of the measurement is comparable to that of the two highest-energy measurements, making it a low-energy standard model test complementary to measurements at the Large Hadron Collider. In order to achieve the design goals of high ( $\geq 120$  GHz) scattered electron rate and small ( $\leq 10\%$ ) contributions from backgrounds, it will employ two high-power resistive toroidal magnets. Their design is constrained by the small scattering angles (5.5 - 19 mrad) as well as the requirement that the coils fill less than half of the azimuth. In order to focus the Møller electrons 28m downstream of the 150cm long liquid hydrogen target, a novel hybrid toroid with multiple current returns was proposed. A more conventional magnet is placed upstream in order to provide azimuthal pre-focusing and also to provide some separation between the signal Møller electrons and the electrons which scatter elastically from the proton. I will present the results of TOSCA and GEANT4 simulations used to achieve a buildable magnet system which meets our design criteria.

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