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## The Electron-Ion Collider eRHIC

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## A Pre-conceptual Design Report

### fully describes eRHIC design and R&D - released July 2018.

- A ~770 page document which
- presents accelerator design
- summarizes outcomes of accelerator physics studies
- includes description of accelerator systems, providing basis for ongoing cost estimate
- evaluates required improvements in BNL/RHIC infrastructure

The public release will be coordinated with the Lab

management and DOE.



## Physics at eRHIC

US EIC White Paper, "Electron Ion Collider: The Next QCD Frontier." (2014)



Polarization, ions, together with its luminosity and  $\sqrt{s}$  coverage, make the US-EIC a unique facility.

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## **Design Goals**

- Collision luminosity ~10<sup>33</sup>-10<sup>34</sup> cm<sup>-2</sup>s<sup>-1</sup> (exceeding HERA luminosity by 2 orders of magnitude)
- Electron, proton, <sup>3</sup>He and d polarization **>70%**;
  - electrons: longitudinal at IPs;
  - hadrons: longitudinal and transverse;
  - complex e-h spin patterns
- Large acceptance detector with elements integrated in the IR for forward particle detection
- Wide center-of-mass energy span: 29-140 GeV, e-p 29-89 GeV/n, e-ion

## eRHIC Design Concept

Blue RHIC Ring

stays in place

eRHIC Uses Ring



Rapid Cycling Synchrotron (RCS)

Electron Storage Ring

### ♦ Based on RHIC ion complex:

- Polarized protons from OPPIS
- Ions, polarized 3He and d, from EBIS
- Booster and AGS injectors

♦ Acceleration/storage in RHIC Yellow

### Adding an electron complex, in RHIC tunnel

- Polarized electron source
- ♦ 400 MeV linac
- ♦ Rapid-cycling synchrotron
- ♦ 5 to 18 GeV storage ring

### ♦ Large acceptance detectors

• At IP6 and IP8

## eRHIC Luminosity

in terms of its limiting factors



## eRHIC luminosity / summary

#### blue: Moderate luminosity (no cooling) 10 **Beam-beam limited** 275x10GeV<sup>2</sup> uminosity [10<sup>33</sup> cm<sup>-2</sup> s<sup>-1</sup>] 275x18Ge¥<sup>2</sup> 10 MW SR limit Sbace charge limited 41x5GeV<sup>2</sup> 0.1 20 40 60 100 120 140 160 80 Center of Mass Energy [GeV]

green: Nominal luminosity (cooling)

#### **Parameters**:

- <sup>♦</sup> Nominal luminosity, 10<sup>34</sup>:
  - small hadron emittances (strong hadron cooling mitigates IBS)
  - 1320 bunch store
  - 10 MW SR
- <sup>♦</sup> Moderate luminosity, 4.4\*10<sup>33</sup>:
  - 660 bunch store
  - e, p vertical emittances relaxed

Parameters for "initial luminosity" of 10<sup>33</sup> at 105 GeV E<sub>см</sub>:

- 290 bunch store
- lower p and e beam current (3 MW SR)

"Initial luminosity": Parameters achievable after a short time of commissioning, still satisfying the minimum requirements of the EIC physics program as described in the EIC White Paper.

## Interaction region for luminosity goals



Large detector acceptance

 $\rightarrow$  no accelerator components within ±4.5m of IP

- Strong focusing at IP
- 22 mrad (crab-)crossing, for
  - space for forward n detector
    - & rear luminosity γ-detector,
  - - synchrotron radiation clearance
  - short-range separation
- Management of synchrotron radiation:
  - $\diamond$  no electron bends on the forward side
  - Iarge aperture electron magnets on rear side absorbing SR far from IP
  - masks against backscattered SR photons
- Electron chicane on rear side, for
  - Iuminosity measurements and electron tagging

### **IR Magnet Developments**

### Q1pF, active shield



**BNL/Jlab R&D effort**: designing, building and testing a short prototype based on existing Nb<sub>3</sub>Sn coils (from LARP work) actively shielded by new NbTi coil.



#### **B0 hadron spectrometer magnet**, 1.3 T. Electron beam path and Q1EF quadrupole are encompassed within active shield (SC dipole).



#### Q1R, Tapered coil 0.12 Synchrotron Fan Quadrupole 0.1 **Return Yoke** 0.08 0.06 0.04 е 0.02 0 -0.02 -0.04 -0.06 -0.08 -0.1 **Electrons Q1ER** Hadrons Q1PR -0.12 -0.1 0.1 0.15 02 -0.05 0 0.05

Nearly constant gradient along entire length, although tappered coil

**Tappered for SR** 

### IR Crab Cavity R&D

The experience from the LHC crab cavity program directly benefits eRHIC design (frequencies are similar).

- Same designs for e and h beams
- Frequency 338 MHz =  $12x360xf_{rev}$
- Voltage, ion / electron: up to 12 / 5 MV



Cavity design at BNL. Prototype under experimentation at CERN SPS.

## New systems

## Design R&D

### 400 MeV Polarized Electron Injector



Parameter	Value
Charge [nC]	10
Frequency [Hz]	1
Energy [MeV]	400
Normalized emittance [mm-mrad]	55
Bunch length [psec]	6
dp/p	$10^{-2}$
polarization [%]	85

Mott polarimeter

#### Simulations show that the 2.856 GHz 400 MeV pre-injector meets the requirements.



BNL 1<sup>ST</sup> inverted gun in fabrication

#### Sub-R&D items:

- Achieve and measure XHV
- High power laser
- Ion back bombardment
- Surface charge limit measurement
- Lifetime as the function of charge
- Beam halo reduction studies
- Cathode cooling

- Experience from both SLC PES high charge gun and JLab inverted guns.
- eRHIC requires: 10 nC, 1 Hz, polarization levels ~ SLC's.

Parameter	SLC	eRHIC
Polarization [%]	85	85
Voltage [kV]	90-120	100-350
Bunch charge [nC]	9-16	3-10
Repetition rate [Hz]	120	1
Bunch length [ns]	2	1-2

#### Spin considerations in pre-injector



## RCS – Full Energy Injector

- Accelerates 400 MeV, 10 nC bunches from the linac, to full collision energy, 5-18 GeV 100~200 ms acceleration ramp & 1 Hz repetition rate
- RF system: normal-conducting 563 MHz cavities (located at IR10), total voltage 72 MV.
- Stainless steel vacuum chamber

#### **Polarization:**

• Polarization loss during the ramp to 18 GeV, including 1 mm rms orbit error, is <2%.





\* Expand a circular 96-period ring, onto RHIC 6-fold footprint

\* Choose [Qy]=51 to avoid resonances aγ = kP ± [Q<sub>y</sub>]

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Rapid Cycling Synchrotron (RCS) Blue RHIC Ring Yellow RHIC Ring

## Electron Storage Ring

- Based on accelerator technologies of Bfactories and HERA
- Polarization up to 85% at injection, 70% average
- Composed of six FODO arcs, 60° /cell for 5 & 10 GeV and 90° /cell at 18 GeV
- "Super-bend" arc bends for emittance and damping decrement control (1.25x10<sup>-4</sup>) to allow large beam-beam tune shift parameter





### Storage Ring Component Design

### Various components have been subject to preliminary design



- 2-cell, 2K cryomodule, 563 MHz, 3MV/cell
- 12 cryomodules at 10 MW SR limit
- 2x 500 kW adjustable fundamental power couplers.
- 4x SiC Beamline HOM Absorbers
- Multibeam IOT power source.

### Vacuum chamber

- from CuCrZr Alloy Good thermal and mechanical properties, easily available at reasonable price
- Integrated NEG pumping



### **Electron Polarization at Store**

• Spin diffusion:



### τ<sub>D</sub> versus ring energy setting:

 $r_{y}, e^{RTC} \leftarrow storage ring, 18 SeV$ RunXXX/rgpubi.fai [ TETLinRegTauFromRun.FaiFiles 38.8 <  $e_{2kel} < 41.2$  40 bins, 0.5xbeam  $a\sigma_{p}$  80 bins, full  $a\sigma_{p}$ 



- Average polarization:
  - $T_{eq} = (1/T_{ST} + 1/T_{D})^{-1}$  and  $T_{ST} \sim 30$  min.,  $T_{D} \sim 60$  min. yield  $T_{eq} = 20$  min.
  - P<sub>eq</sub>=P<sub>ST</sub> \* τ<sub>eq</sub>/τ<sub>sτ</sub> and P<sub>ST</sub> ~ 90% yield bunch P<sub>eq</sub> = 60%
  - P(0) ~ 85% and P  $_{eq}$  = 60%  $\rightarrow$  compatible with store <P> = 70%

## Hadrons: Present RHIC Complex

### \$2.5 bln RHIC hadron complex:

- 4.2K cryogenic Facility
- 3.8 km tunnel
- Service buildings outside the tunnel
- Detector Halls STAR and PHENIX
- Only place in the world with high energy polarized proton beams

• Collided dxAu, CuxCu, UxU, pxAl, etc.





Machine performance increases over the years through improvement/upgrade projects

### **Increasing Proton Intensity and Repetition Rate**

Proton parameters	Present RHIC	eRHIC nominal	Level of eRHIC proton current is
Beam current, mA	330	1000	Similar to HL-LHC upgrade.
Bunch frequency, MHz	9.4	112.6	
Peak current, A	12	24	

#### **Cryo-load**

from short-bunch induced resistive heating: reduce to <1 W/m

### In-situ copper coating of RHIC stainless steel pipe



Magnetron mole for coating long narrow tubes has been designed and built.

#### **Electron cloud**

- **Beam scrubbing** is an efficient tool based on LHC experience
- Under evaluation, to reduce SEY (<1.2):</li>
  - Amorphous C coating (using the tooling developed for Cu-coating)
  - Laser-engineered grooving

#### **Required hardware upgrades:**

- New injection kickers (<12 ns rise time)</li>
- RF system upgrade (bunch splitting and compression

### State-of-the-art Polarization at RHIC

Methods to accelerate and manipulate polarized

### bunches in RHIC:

- 2 full snakes to preserve polarization during energy ramp

- 2 pairs of rotators control orientation of polarization at IP6 and IP8
- orbit and betatron tune control

State-of-the-art:

### ♦ Up to 60% polarization at 255 GeV,

1.8×10<sup>11</sup> protons/bunch to experiments,

### ♦ At 2.8×10<sup>11</sup> p/b : 66% polarization out of AGS

(charge-induced vertical emittance increase).





## Proton and <sup>3</sup>He polarization at eRHIC

- Achieve > 70% out of AGS at 2.8×10<sup>11</sup> ppb (vs. 66% today): gain from emittance preservation and higher source polarization.
- Achieve ~100% polarization transmission to 275 GeV:
- $\diamond$  Today's 100% transmission to 100 GeV and  $\sim$ 15% loss to 255 GeV indicate resonance strength threshold in 0.18  $\sim$  0.45.
- ♦ Snake efficiency is  $\propto$  N snake  $\rightarrow$  6 snakes push threshold beyond 3 × 0.18, well > 0.45.



**Figure 5.26:** Zgoubi simulation results with various snake combinations and beam emittances for intrinsic resonances at  $G\gamma = -411 + Q$  ( $\gamma \approx 91$ ) and  $G\gamma = -393 - Q$  ( $\gamma \approx 101$ )



- A 6-snake arrangement yields 100% transmission
  - of p, beyond 275 GeV
  - of <sup>3</sup>He, to 170 GeV/n region

### Polarized proton & <sup>3</sup>He<sup>2+</sup> in RHIC Injectors

- An AC dipole is under installation in Booster
  - to overcome intrinsic spin resonances.
  - This opens up possibility of raising injection energy in the AGS for improved polarization transmission, both p and 3He.
- Demonstration/AC-dipole operation with polarized protons next Fall, 2019





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### Helium-3 Source

- Requirements:
  - 2x10<sup>11</sup> <sup>3</sup>He<sup>2+</sup> in a 10 µs pulse (~4.0 mA)
  - Polarization > 70%
  - Spin flip every pulse
  - Compatibility with EBIS operation for heavy ion physics.

#### EBIS Upgrade with New Injector Solenoid for Polarized <sup>3</sup>He<sup>++</sup> ion production



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 Plan: EBIS upgrade including injector solenoid, Operation 2019-2020.

### **Current Setup of Extended EBIS Solenoids**



Extended EBIS test setup

## **Ongoing Design Studies**

### Increase IR crossing angle to 25 mrad:

- reduce magnet design challenges (no NbSn<sub>3</sub> needed; BNL Direct Wind can be used on nearly all magnets)
- more compact design (smaller electron beta-max)
- Use both RHIC rings, for
  (i) acceleration to top energy and
  (ii) storage
  - minimize store interruptions
  - increase of average luminosity even without high energy cooling
- e-storage ring vertically stacked above the hadron ring: more efficient use of the tunnel space.



## Strong Hadron Cooling R&D

Goal:  $\tau_{cool}$  < 1h at 275 GeV

#### Different methods of strong hadron cooling are being explored.

DOE funded studies are underway in different labs (ANL,BNL, JLAB, FNAL,SLAC)

#### Micro-bunched electron beam cooling

with 2 plasma amplification stages is being developed by BNL/SLAC collaboration.

Required cooling rates can be achieved with ~100 mA electron current in 150 MeV 3-turn ERL-based accelerator

### CeC with FEL amplifier PoP experiment has been carried on at RHIC.

Possible continuation of the experiment using Plasma-Cascade amplification.

### Bunched Beam Electron Cooling based on an electron storage ring also explored Ampere scale beam current is required





## High-Current ERL R&D

- The CBETA facility is under construction in Cornell University (a BNL-Cornell collaboration)
- Successful test of beam through a fractional FFA arc was performed in April-May, 2018.
- Full commissioning effort starts March 2019.





## Thank you for your attention

## Backup slides

The eRHIC Electron-Ion Collider is recognized to have the potential to realize new understanding and discoveries regarding the nature of visible matter in our universe

 The 2015 DOE/NSF Long Range Plan (LRP) for Nuclear Science
 [2] recommends an EIC as the highest priority new facility to be initiated for the field

 The 2018 National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine report, "An Assessment of U.S.-Based Electron-Ion ColliderScience" [3] states:

"In summary, the committee concludes that an EIC is timely and has the support of the nuclear science community."

# In summary: the new elements to be added to the existing RHIC complex

- A low frequency photocathode e-gun delivering 10 nC bunches, >80% polarized, at 1 Hz repetition rate
- A 400 MeV normal-conducting S-band LINAC
- A 5 to 18 GeV rapid cycling synchrotron (RCS) in the RHIC tunnel
- A high intensity, spin-transparent 5 to 18 GeV electron storage ring in the RHIC tunnel with superconducting RF cavities

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• A high luminosity interaction region that allows for a full acceptance detector and for longitudinal polarization

A second interaction region is possible and feasible

A 150 MeV CW ERL for strong hadron cooling

## **eRHIC Hadron Requirements**

- Beam parameter requirements:
  - Higher number of bunches (290; almost tripled from presently used 110)
  - Smaller bunch length (10 cm instead of present 40 cm)
  - Flat beams
  - Higher energy (275 GeV instead of present 255 GeV)
  - High polarization (70%) of protons and <sup>3</sup>He ions
- · Required ring modifications
  - Removal of DX magnets (to allow for higher energy) (WBS 6.07.05)
  - Interaction Region straights (from D6 to D6) (WBS 6.06.02)
  - Injection system upgrade (for increased number of bunches)
  - Frequency matching with electron beam (by using shorter arc for 41 GeV)
  - RF system upgrade (for shorter bunches)
  - Increase of number of Snakes (to reach required polarization)
  - Beam instrumentation upgrade (for higher peak current)
  - Copper and amorphous-Carbon beam pipe coating (for reducing cryoheat load and electron cloud effects)

### Polarized deuteron at eRHIC

- Could happen first (whereas helion is priority)
- G = -0.14
  - weak resonances,  $|\epsilon_{intr.}| < 0.002$
  - in small number,  $|G\gamma|$  range:  $1.9 \rightarrow 20.9$
- Techniques foreseen for transmission:
  - harmonic orbit correction/excitation (cf. Booster, AGS),
  - partial snake (15 T.m...), AC dipole
- Longitudinal polarization at IP: harmonic orbit, at integer Gγ (with proper phasing of y-normal spin closed orbit n<sub>0</sub>)

### **Electron Spin Rotator In Collision IRs**



 Spin matching, a set of additional constraints to the IR optical setting, is required for preserving polarization in the presence of the rotators.

### **IR Design Developments**





### Helium-3 Polarization at eRHIC

Transverse <sup>3</sup>He bunch emittance is comparable to proton's (2.5 μm)

• Resonances are stronger by  $(G_{_{3He}}/Gp)^{1.5} = 4.18 / 1.79 \approx 1.5$ , yet snakes are  $G_{_{3He}}/Gp \approx 2.3$  as strong.

- On the other hand:
- resonance spectrum is denser

- imperfection and intrinsic resonances overlap, this affects polarization (excites snake resonances)

Simulations show that

- 2 snakes do not maintain polarization upon crossing G $\gamma$  = -411 + Q<sub>y</sub> ( $\gamma \approx 91$ ) or G $\gamma$  = -393 - Q<sub>y</sub> ( $\gamma \approx 101$ ).

- a 6-snake configuration preserves polarization towards  $G\gamma = 717 + Qy$ ( $\gamma \approx 180$ ) region.



tances for intrinsic resonances at  $G\gamma = -411 + Q$  ( $\gamma \approx 91$ ) and  $G\gamma = -393 - Q$  ( $\gamma \approx 101$ )

Critical Decision CD0: based on pCDR, declare mission need for an EIC, supported by a echnical plan to realize it

CD1: based on CDR.





Ν	Nominal luminosity (hadron cooling)		Moderate Iuminosity		"Initial Iuminosity"	
Parameter	hadron	electron	hadron	electron	hadron	electron
Center-of-Mass Energy [GeV]	104.9		105		104.9	
Energy [GeV]	275	10	275	10	275	10
Number of Bunches	1320		660		290	
Particles per Bunch [10 <sup>40</sup> ]	0.6	1:51	1.05	3.0	1.02	<b>2:2</b> 0
Beam Current [A]	1.0	2.5	0.87	2.48	0.37	0.8
Horizontal Emittance [nm]	9.2	20.0	13.9	20	17.9	20.0
Vertical Emittance [nm]	1.3 <b>coo</b>	ling 1.0	8.5 No 4.9		8.5	4.2
Hor. $\beta$ -function at IP $\beta_x^*$ [cm]	90	42	90	63	90	81
Vert. $\beta$ -function at IP $\beta_y^*$ [cm]	4.0	5.0	5.9	10.4	5.9	12.1
Hor./Vert. Fractional Betatron Tunes	0.305/0.31	0.08/0.06			0.3/0.31	0.09/0.12
Horizontal Divergence $d\sigma_x^*/ds$ [mrad]	0.101	0.219	0.124	0.179	0.141	0.157
Vertical Divergence $d\sigma_y^*/ds$ [mrad]	0.179	0.143	0.380	0.216	0.380	0.186
Horizontal Beam-Beam Parameter $\xi_x$	0.013	0.064	0.015	0.1	0.0079	0.1
Vertical Beam-Beam Parameter $\xi_y$	0.007	0.1	0.005	0.083	0.0029	0.085
IBS Growth Time longitudinal/horizontal [hr]	2.19/2.06	-	10.1/9.2	-	8/18	-
Synchrotron Radiation Power [MW]	-	9.18	-	9.1	-	2.95
Bunch Length [cm]	5	1.9	7	1.9	9.9	1.9
Hourglass and Crab Reduction Factor [16]	0.8	37			0	.74
Luminosity $[10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{sec}^{-1}]$		)5	0.44		0.1	05

*"Initial luminosity"* parameters: Parameters achievable after a short time of commissioning, still satisfying the minimum requirements of the EIC physics program as described in the EIC White Paper.

### Au-e

### maximum luminosity parameters (with strong hadron cooling)

Species	Au ion	electron
Energy [GeV]	110	10
Bunch intensity [10 <sup>10</sup> ]	0.05	15.1
No. of bunches	1320	
Beam current [A]	0.65	2.5
RMS norm. emit., $h/v [\mu m]$	5.0/0.36	391/20
RMS emittance, h/v [nm]	43/3.1	20/1
β*, h/v [cm]	90/4	193/12
IP RMS beam size, $h/v [\mu m]$	197/11.1	
$K_x$	17.9	
RMS $\Delta \theta$ , h/v [ $\mu$ rad]	219/278	102/92
BB parameter, $h/v$ [10 $^{-3}$ ]	3/2	43/47
Long. bunch area [eV·sec]	0.3	
RMS bunch length [cm]	7	1.9
RMS $\Delta p / p [10^{-4}]$	6.2	5.5
Max. space charge	0.004	negl.
Piwinski angle [rad]	3.9	1.1
Long. IBS time [h]	0.30	
Transv. IBS time [h]	0.77	
Hourglass and Crab reduction factor	0.85	
e-N Luminosity [10 <sup>33</sup> cm <sup>-2</sup> sec <sup>-1</sup> ]	4.72	