# High-Performance DIRC Detector for the future EIC Detector

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#### **Outline:**

- Electron Ion Collider Three detector concepts
- hpDIRC
  Design and performance
- Focusing system Validated in particle beam and lab



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## **Electron Ion Collider**

### The EIC in the 2015 NSAC LRP and the recent NAS review



**NSAC:** "We recommend a high-energy highluminosity polarized EIC as the highest priority for new facility construction following the completion of FRIB." NAS: "The committee unanimously finds that the science that can be addressed by an EIC is compelling, fundamental, and timely."





### **EIC Location**



- Two competing locations: Jefferson Lab and Brookhaven
- CD0 and site decision expected soon
- Both concepts support 2 detectors

# **BNL EIC at RHIC**

18 GeV e (10 GeV lumi max) on 275 GeV p

JLab EIC 12 GeV e (5 GeV lumi max) on 200 GeV p







# **EIC Central Detector**

- **Two competing locations:** Jefferson Lab and Brookhaven
- Three central detector concepts: BeAST, ePHENIX, JLab central detector





**BNL BeAST EIC detector** 



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## **EIC PID Solutions**



- h-endcap: A RICH with two radiators (gas + aerogel) is needed for π/K separation up to ~50 GeV/c
- e-endcap: A compact aerogel RICH which can be projective π/K separation up to ~10 GeV/c
- barrel: A high-performance DIRC provides a compact and costeffective way to cover the area. *π/K separation up to ~6 GeV/c*
- TOF (and/or dE/dx in TPC): can cover lower momenta
- Photosensors and electronics: makes use of latest developments







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- e/π up to 1.8 GeV/c
- p/K up to 10 GeV/c







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# Initial hpDIRC Design

- Concept fast focusing DIRC
- Components:
  - Radiator bars
    - 17 x 35 x 4200 mm
    - 11 bars per box
    - 16 bar boxes, 1m from IP
  - Spherical 3-layer lens
    - 14 x 35 x 50 mm
    - radiuses: 47 mm, 29 mm
  - Compact expansion volume
    - Prism with 38° opening angle
    - 285 x 390 x 300 mm
  - Fast pixelated sensors
    - 100k pixels, each 3 mm<sup>2</sup>

# Geant4 simulation of hpDIRC detector







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# **Critical hpDIRC Components**



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- Radiator bars (Major decision between radiator has to made)
- Imaging system:
  - Expansion volume (shape)
  - **Sensors** (small pixels, fast timing, operating in magnetic field)
  - Focusing system (new materials, custom design)







### Magnet:

- superconducting solenoid
- max. field: 5.1 T at 82.8 A
- 12.7cm (5inch) diameter
  76.2cm (30inch) length bore:

#### **Test Box:**

- non-magnetic, light-tight
- allows for rotation of sensors
- LED light source (470nm)









#### **Picosecond laser added for timing studies**









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### Next: XP85122-S (10-µm Planacon with 1.6mm pixel size)

- Evaluation of gain and timing-resolution
- Comprehensive gain, timing and ion feedback studies as a function of B, HV, and sensor orientation relative to field direction
- Studies with costumed HV settings







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**3-layer lens High refractive Fused silica** material **Fused silica** 

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#### Mapping focal plane of 3-layer lens:

 Lens holder designed to rotate in two planes for the 3D mapping of the focal plane and shifts of lens in horizontal plane.

#### Laser setup to map the focal plane Red laser











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Spherical 3-layer lens prototype

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- Two radiation-hard 3-layer spherical prototype lenses currently in production, will be available fall 2019.
- Upgrade of setup will simplify the calibration and the exchange of lenses, and increase the precision and speed of the measurements!



#### Laser setup at ODU to map the focal plane Current setup:



#### Spherical and cylindrical 3-layer lens prototypes







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#### <sup>60</sup>Co irradiation setup at BNL

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#### <sup>60</sup>Co irradiation results

- Radiation damage quantified by measuring the transmission in the 190-800 nm range in a monochromator
- Transmission loss of both lanthanum crown glass materials (NLaK33 and S-YGH51) observed

<image>





S-YGH51 (NLaK33 equivalent)

#### Co<sup>60</sup> Chamber





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- First lens prototypes used lanthanum crown glass (NLaK33/S-YGH51) as the middle layer.
- Both Sapphire and PbF<sub>2</sub> are very challenging to process.
- Two vendors are building 3-layer lens with Sapphire and PbF<sub>2</sub>.



Simulated  $\pi/K$  separation for charged pions and kaons with 6 GeV/c momentum and 30° polar angle, assuming a tracking resolution of 0.5 mrad.



- Seven materials studied
- Radiation hardness of sapphire and PbF<sub>2</sub> confirmed
- Luminescence studies started





Fused

Silica

0k

Sapphire

750k

8mm

750k

PbF<sub>2</sub> PbF<sub>2</sub>

750k

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Lens

400k



Tested samples

4mm S-YGH51 S-YGH51 Fresne

100k

5k

# hpDIRC Prototype

#### Full system PANDA barrel DIRC prototype

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- Wide range measurements performed in GSI and CERN
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BARREL DIRC





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### **Test Beam Program**







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# Ultimately hpDIRC Prototype with proper geometry is needed

- Radiator choice (narrow bars vs wide plates radiators)
- Fast timing, readout electronics
- Pixel size, sensor coverage







# Summary

- High-Performance DIRC is being developed to fit all three concepts for the future EIC central detector.
- Initial design (narrow bar) based on 3-layer lens has potential to cover beyond 10 GeV/c for p/K, 6 GeV/c for π/K, and 1.8 GeV/c for e/π, pushing performance well beyond state-of-the-art.
- Optical properties of first spherical and cylindrical 3-layer lens prototypes were validated in the particle beam and on the test bench.
- Sapphire and PbF2 materials were investigated and confirmed in radiation hardness tests as alternative high refractive index material.
- The new radiation hard 3-layer lens prototypes are being finished.
- Next step: design optimization, particle beam tests





# Backup





# **EIC PID Solutions**

### Hadron kinematic at EIC



- The maximum hadron momentum in the endcaps is close to the electron and ion beam energies, respectively.
- The momentum coverage need in the central barrel depends on the desired kinematic reach, in particular in Q<sup>2</sup> – important for QCD evolution, etc.
  - Weak dependence on beam energies





### **PID** Semi-Inclusive DIS (SIDIS)



- Highly polarized electron collide with highly polarized nuclei (proton, deuteron, 3He ,etc)
- Detect scattered electron and pion at full angle and full momentum range





### **PID** 3D structure of the proton



# Efficiency

# Relative gain (solid lines) and relative efficiency (dashed and dotted lines)







### **10-µm Planacon Ion Feedback**



• *Rate* is evaluated over a range of A<sub>thr.</sub> *Rate*(A<sub>thr</sub>=Pedestal) is obtained from a linear fit to the high-A<sub>thr</sub> tail. This is the best estimate of the true ion rate, i.e. as would be obtained if there were no noise on the waveform, but only signal(s).





# **10-µm Planacon Ion Feedback**

Estimates of backscattering rate (normalized to number of signals)



- A<sub>thr</sub>- Theshold amplitude, above it signals are counted
- At all voltages the ion rate is below 2%.
- Results suggest that ion-feedback is primarily driven by HV.
- Ion-feedback rate dependence on B-field magnitude is relatively weak.
- Method established; ion rate can be monitored in experiments using calibration data.





## hpDIRC Design Decisions

- 16 section design with one prism in each as expansion volume
- Prism size has to be optimized to final detector design
- Major decision between radiator has to made



GEANT4 visualization of the designs:



### **hpDIRC** Single Photon Resolution (SPR)



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### EIC@JIab Siteplan







### **JLEIC** Performance goals

### Energy

 $\sqrt{s}$  from **15** to **65** GeV Electrons **3-10** GeV, protons **20-100** GeV, ions **12-40** GeV/u

#### Ion species

Polarized light ions: **p**, **d**, <sup>3</sup>**He**, and possibly **Li** Un-polarized light to heavy ions up to A above 200 (Au, Pb)

#### Space for at least 2 detectors

<u>Full acceptance</u> is critical for the primary detector High luminosity for the second detector

### Luminosity

10<sup>33</sup> to 10<sup>34</sup>cm<sup>-2</sup>s<sup>-1</sup> per IP in a broad CM energy range

#### **Polarization**

At IP: longitudinal for both beams, transverse for ions only **All polarizations >70%** 

### Upgrade to higher energies and luminosity possible

20 GeV electron, 250 GeV proton, and 100 GeV/u ion

**Design goals consistent with the White Paper requirements** 





### High B field tests Gain measurements of photosensors

Measurement in 2015 of Photek sensor with special voltage divider:

- Independently change the voltages cathode-MCP, across MCPs, and MCP-anode and study gain dependence
- Confirmed that voltage across the MCPs affects the gain the most
- Data at other angles are under analysis







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