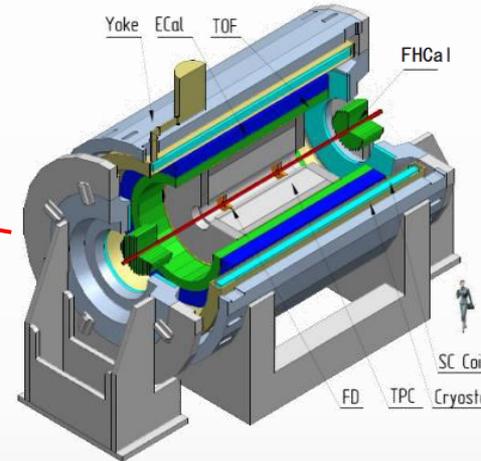


MPD Collaboration Status

V. Riabov for the MPD Collaboration



❖ One of two experiments at NICA collider to study heavy-ion collisions at $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 4-11$ GeV



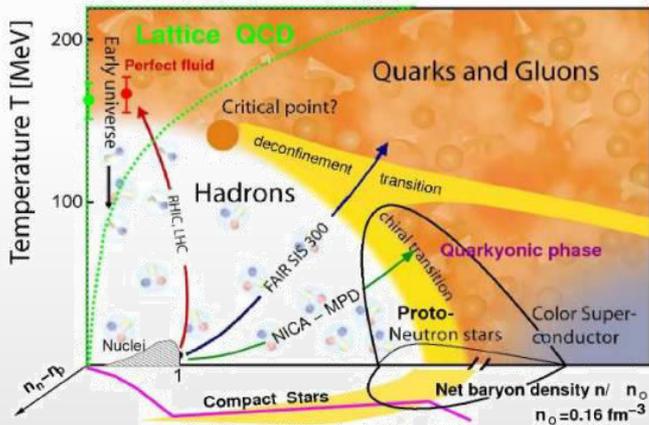
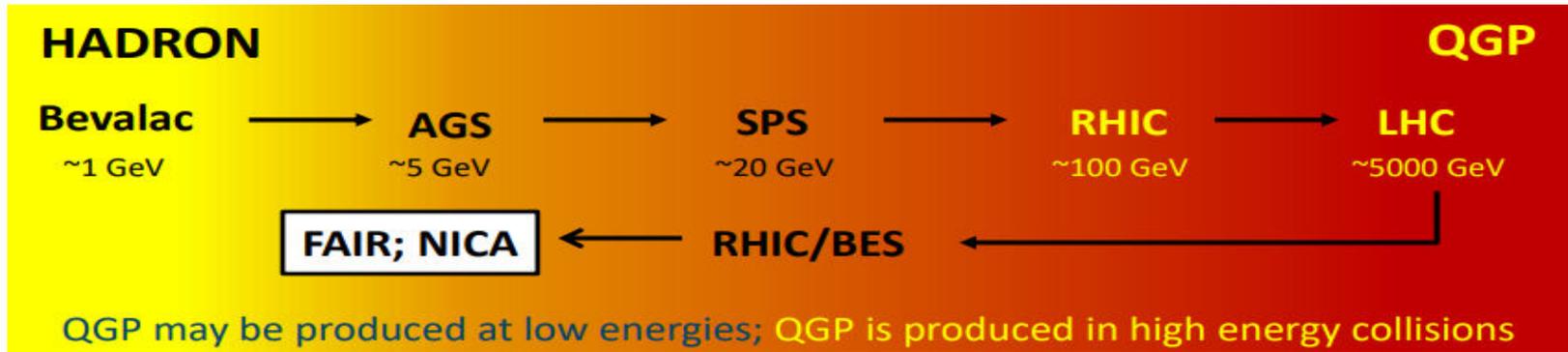
Stage- I

- TPC:** $|\Delta\phi| < 2\pi, |\eta| \leq 1.6$
- TOF, EMC:** $|\Delta\phi| < 2\pi, |\eta| \leq 1.4$
- FFD:** $|\Delta\phi| < 2\pi, 2.9 < |\eta| < 3.3$
- FHCAL:** $|\Delta\phi| < 2\pi, 2 < |\eta| < 5$

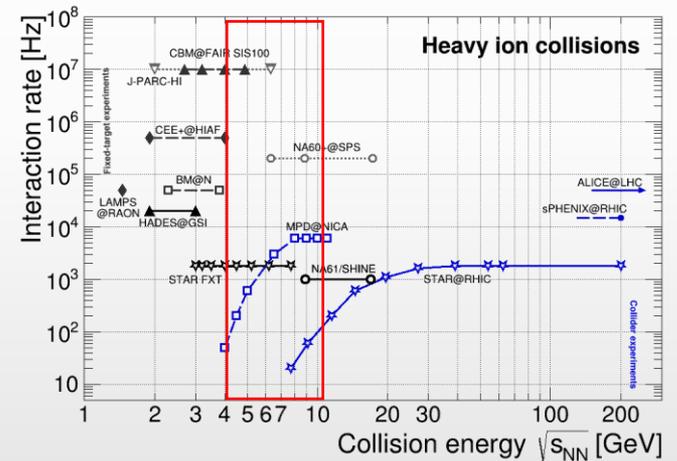
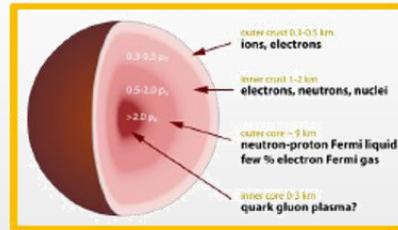
❖ Expected beam configuration in first year(s) of operation:

- ✓ not-optimal beam optics with wide z-vertex distribution, $\sigma_z \sim 50$ cm
- ✓ reduced luminosity ($\sim 10^{25}$ is the goal for 2023) \rightarrow collision rate ~ 50 Hz
- ✓ collision system available with the current sources: C (A=12), N (A=14), Ar (A=40), Fe (A=56), Kr (A=78-86), Xe (A=124-134), Bi (A=209)
- ✓ First beams: Bi+Bi @ 9.2 GeV in 2024

Relativistic heavy-ion collisions



high baryon densities
→ inner structure of compact stars



- ❖ At $\mu_B \sim 0$, smooth crossover (lattice QCD calculations + data)
- ❖ At large μ_B , 1st order phase transition is expected → QCD critical point
- ❖ BM@N and MPD will study QCD medium at extreme net baryon densities
- ❖ Many ongoing (NA61/Shine, STAR-BES) and future experiments (CBM) in ~ same energy range

Multi-Purpose Detector (MPD) Collaboration



MPD International Collaboration was established in 2018 to construct, commission and operate the detector

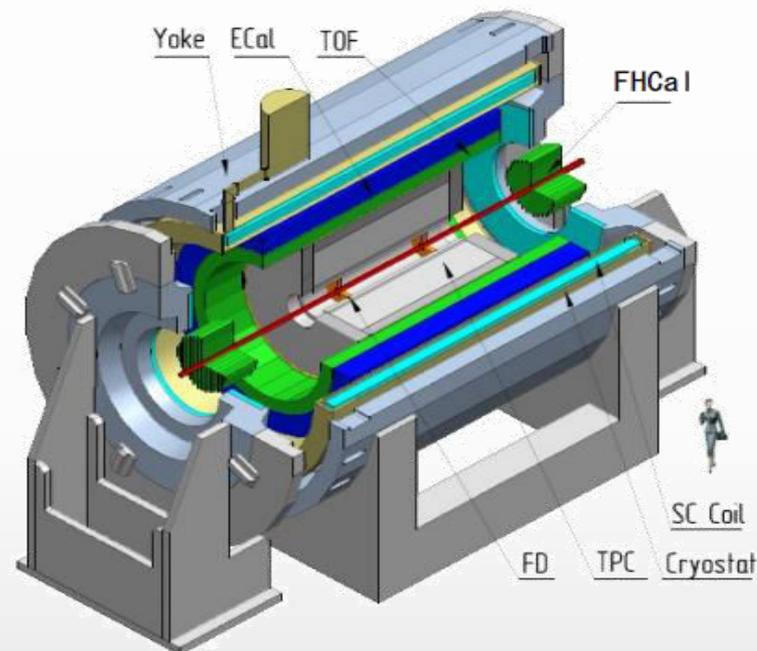
10 Countries, >450 participants, 33 Institutes and JINR

Organization

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❖ Latest estimates provided by V. Golovatyuk

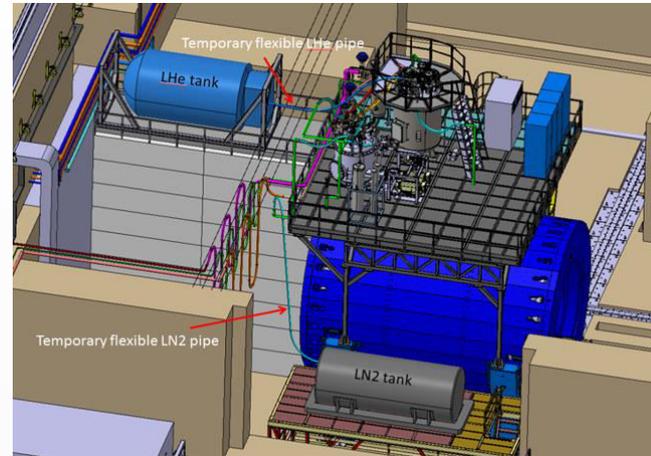
Year 2023		
12	Jan 15 - April 15th	Preparation for Vacuum test of Solenoid with Cryostat
13	April 20 May 15th	Vacuum tests
14	May 15 - June 15th	Solenoid cooling down to Liquid Nitrogen temperature (-80K)
15	June 15 – September 15	Activities in the MPD Hall stopped
16	October – December	Cooling down to the He temperature
Year 2024		
17	January. - February 15	Supplying the current to the solenoid and Correction coils
15	March - May 15	Magnetic Field measurements
15	June 1 - June 10	Support Frame installation
16	June 20 – August 30th	Installation ECal sectors, Moving Platforms mounting
17	Sept 1 – September 30 th	Installation TOF modules, FHCAL into poles
18	Oct 1st - Nov 30	TPC installation
19	Sept 18 - Nov 30	Cabling
20	Dec 4 - Dec 25	Installation of beam pipe
Year 2025		
21	Jan 10 - Feb	Move the MPD on Collider beam line, Commissioning

Schedule of the MPD-NICA is significantly affected by the current geopolitical situation (suspension of collaboration with CERN and Polish & Czech Republic member institutions, economic sanctions and problems with supplies of many components from companies).

Top platform (cryogenics, power supplies, control system)

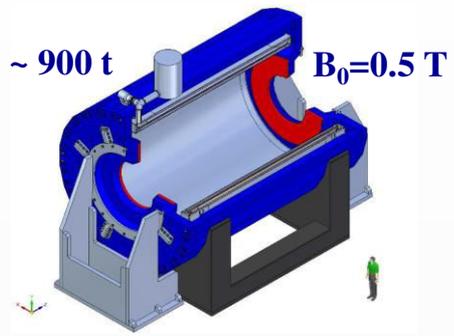


Temporary scheme of Solenoid cooling

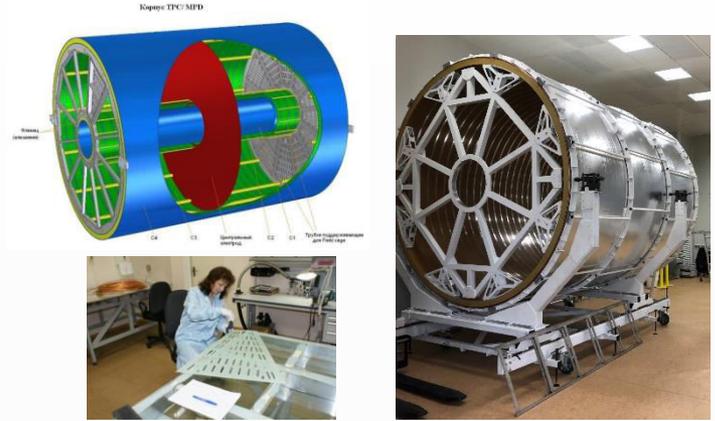


- ❖ Yoke, TRIM coils, top platform assembled
- ❖ Started assembling of the refrigerators and control Dewar
- ❖ Chimney area partly assembled, missing elements for SC cable connections ordered in Russia
- ❖ Pipes, LN2 tanks, LHe pipe, heaters and other equipment was re-ordered in Russia
- ❖ Power supplies and control system are being tested, works with cables are ongoing

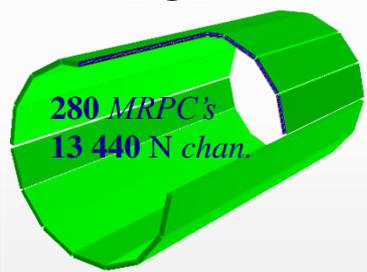
SC Solenoid + Iron Yoke



TPC – central tracking detector

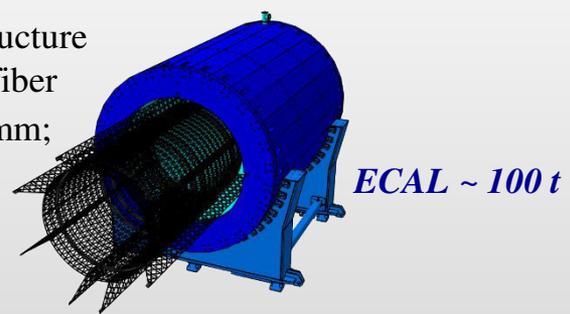


TOF



Support structure

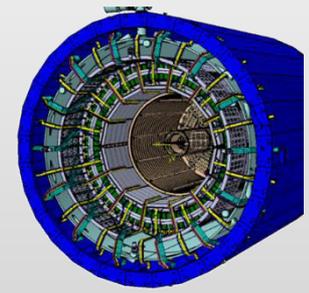
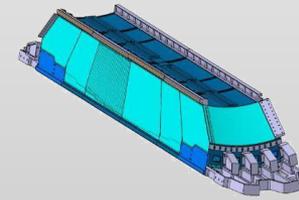
support structure
of carbon fiber
sagite ~ 5 mm;
0,13 X_0



ECAL

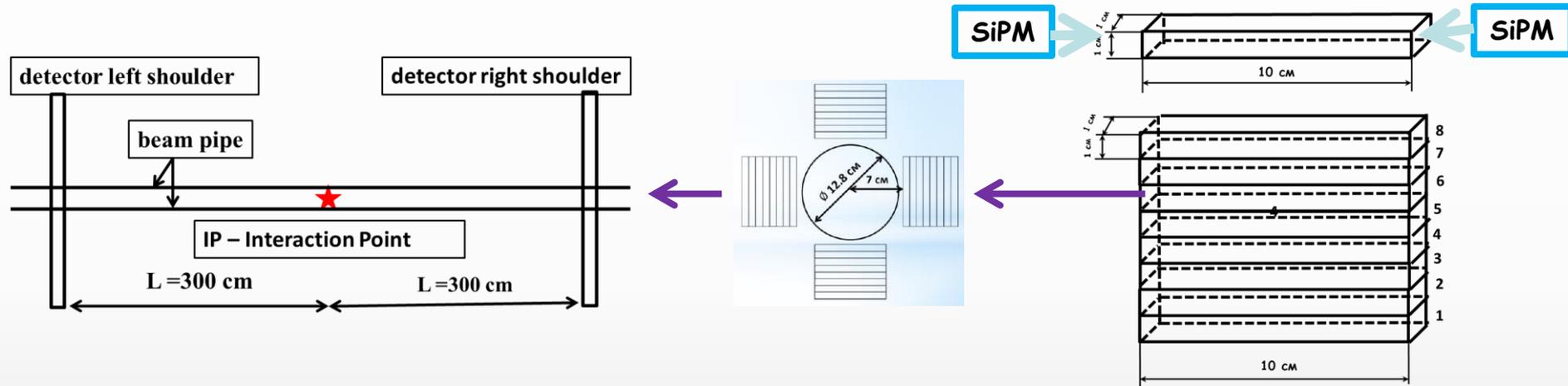
Pb+Sc “shashlyk”

38 400 towers
70% sectors in
production for Stage I



- * Excursion to the MPD Hall on Wednesday morning
- ** See subsystem reports for details

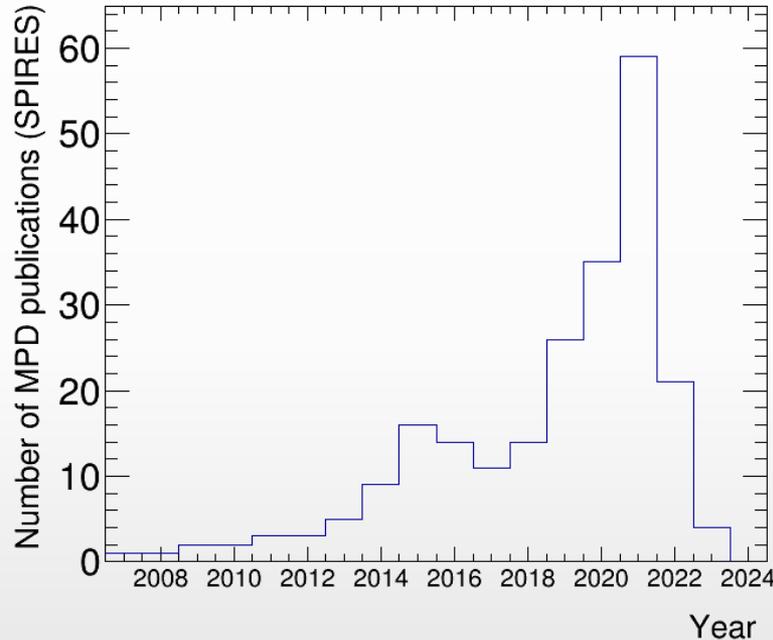
- ❖ To be used with MPD in service/working position:
 - ✓ assistance in controlling the transverse sizes of the bunches
 - ✓ assistance in setting up transvers and longitudinal convergence of bunches
 - ✓ control of the distribution of vertices in the longitudinal direction.



The detector consists of $100 \times 10 \times 10 \text{ mm}^3$ plastic scintillator strips (organic polystyrene scintillator with the addition of 1.5% p-terphenyl and 0.05% POPOP) viewed from both sides with SiPMs (HAMAMATSU S13360 6025 CS)

- ❖ Trigger: condition: $|T_L^{min} - T_R^{min}| < 10 \text{ ns}$; efficiency – 77% in AuAu@11 GeV (DCM-SMM)
- ❖ Observables & methods:
 - ✓ counting rate and z-vertex distribution ($\sigma_{z\text{-vertex}} \sim 5 \text{ cm}$ with $\delta\tau \sim 300 \text{ ps}$)
 - ✓ Van der Meer and ΔZ scans for optimization of beam optics

- ❖ Many ongoing construction works, theoretical and physics feasibility studies, see reports on hardware/software/physics topics at the collaboration meeting
- ❖ MPD publications: over 200 in total for hardware, software and physics studies:



- ❖ Support of Russian institutions in the NICA project:
 - ✓ 2019-2021: RFBR grant program, 2019-2021
 - ✓ 2022: internal JINR grants for students/PhD, 2022
 - ✓ 2023: internal JINR grants for leaders/students/PhD, 2023
 - ✓ 2023 and beyond: expect support by Russian Ministry of Science

❖ MPD presentations at conferences since last CM:

- ✓ DAE-BRNS CETHENP-2022, November 15 – 17
- ✓ XVIII Mexican Workshop on Particles and Fields (XVIII MWPF), November 21 – 25
- ✓ International Conference on Particle Physics and Astrophysics (ICPPA-2022), Nov. 29 – Dec. 2
- ✓ Infinite and Finite Nuclear Matter (INFINUM-2023), February 27 – March 3

❖ MEPHI-JINR organized International Workshop NICA-2022 (<http://indico.oris.mephi.ru/event/298>):

- ✓ 25 lectures in three days on experimental and theoretical topics
- ✓ a step towards enhancing communications between theoretical and experimental communities
- ✓ joint platform for discussion of NICA physics at BM@N and MPD

G. Feofilov, A. Aparin

Global observables

- Total event multiplicity
- Total event energy
- Centrality determination
- Total cross-section measurement
- Event plane measurement at all rapidities
- Spectator measurement

V. Kolesnikov, Xianglei Zhu

Spectra of light flavor and hypernuclei

- Light flavor spectra
- Hyperons and hypernuclei
- Total particle yields and yield ratios
- Kinematic and chemical properties of the event
- Mapping QCD Phase Diag.

K. Mikhailov, A. Taranenko

Correlations and Fluctuations

- Collective flow for hadrons
- Vorticity, Λ polarization
- E-by-E fluctuation of multiplicity, momentum and conserved quantities
- Femtoscopy
- Forward-Backward corr.
- Jet-like correlations

V. Riabov, Chi Yang

Electromagnetic probes

- Electromagnetic calorimeter meas.
- Photons in ECAL and central barrel
- Low mass dilepton spectra in-medium modification of resonances and intermediate mass region

Wangmei Zha, A. Zinchenko

Heavy flavor

- Study of open charm production
- Charmonium with ECAL and central barrel
- Charmed meson through secondary vertices in ITS and HF electrons
- Explore production at charm threshold

❖ Cross-PWG format of meetings for discussion of results and analysis techniques

- ✓ increase the attendance
- ✓ improve communication and sharing of ideas between different analysis groups

- ❖ Physics feasibility studies using centralized large-scale MC productions → consistent picture of the MPD physical capabilities with the first data sets, preparation for real data analyses
- ❖ <https://mpdforum.jinr.ru/c/mcprod/26>:
 - Request 25: General-purpose, 50M UrQMD BiBi@9.2 → **DONE**
 - Request 26: General-purpose (trigger), 1M DCM-QGSM-SMM BiBi@9.2 → **DONE**
 - Request 27: General-purpose (trigger), 1M PHQMD BiBi@9.2 → **DONE**
 - Request 28: General-purpose with reduced magnetic field, 10M UrQMD BiBi@9.2 → **DONE**
 - Request 29: General-purpose (hypernuclei), 20M PHQMD BiBi@9.2 → **DONE**
 - Request 30: General-purpose (hyperon polarization), 15M PHSD BiBi@9.2 → **DONE**
 - Request 31: General-purpose (femtoscscopy), 50 M UrQMD BiBi@9.2 with freeze-out → **QA**
 - Request 32: General purpose (flow), 15M vHLLE+UrQMD with XPT → **in preparation**
 - Request 33: General purpose (flow), 15M vHLLE+UrQMD with 1PT → **in preparation**
- ❖ Production and analysis of data sets, which are comparable in size to the first expected real data samples test the existing computing and software infrastructure
- ❖ Learn how to handle the big data sets, develop analysis methods and techniques, set priorities for different analyses, find group leaders, etc.
- ❖ Thanks to Andrey Moshkin and the whole computing/software team !!!

Handling the big data sets

- ❖ Move to a centralized Analysis Framework for access and analysis of data: (used at RHIC/LHC)
 - ✓ analogous approaches are used at RHIC/LHC, proved to be very useful
 - ✓ consistent approaches and results across collaboration, easier storage and sharing of codes and methods
 - ✓ analyses are grouped in trains and run simultaneously with a single access to data per train → reduced number of input/output operations for disks and databases, easier data storage on tapes

- ❖ Analysis manager reads event into memory and calls wagons one-by-one to modify and/or analyze data:



- ❖ Example:

- ✓ Wagon #1 – event selector – selects events to be analyzed
- ✓ Wagon #2 – centrality analyzer – returns values of centrality for all other wagons in the train
- ✓ Wagon #3 – recalibrator – redefines some DST variables that need recalibration after production
- ✓
- ✓ Wagon #4, 5, ... – physics analysis 1, 2, ...

- ❖ The Analysis manager and the first Wagons have been created
- Analysis manager in MpdRoot @ mpdroot/physics, originally committed by D. Peresunko:

MpdAnalysisEvent.cxx	MpdAnalysisManager.cxx	MpdAnalysisTask.cxx
MpdAnalysisEvent.h	MpdAnalysisManager.h	MpdAnalysisTask.h
- Analysis Wagons:
 - ✓ mpdroot/physics/evCentrality – provides **event centrality** for all mass productions using TPC multiplicity
 - ✓ mpdroot/physics/evPlane – provides **event plane** for all mass productions using FHCAL and TPC
 - ✓ mpdroot/physics/photons – example of the code for $\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$, $\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma e^+ e^-$, $\pi^0 \rightarrow e^+ e^- e^+ e^-$ analyses
 - ✓ mpdroot/physics/pairKK – example of the code for $\phi(1020) \rightarrow K^+ K^-$ analysis ← uses **event centrality** and **event plane**
- Eventually all analysis codes should be committed to MpdRoot as Wagons
- The Train will run on a group of DST files, ~ 100k events → 500 jobs for 50M production
- Will need a Train Conductor (Production manager ???) to run the jobs without quota issues
- Results for all analyses/wagons run on a big production (~ 50 M events) in a day !!!

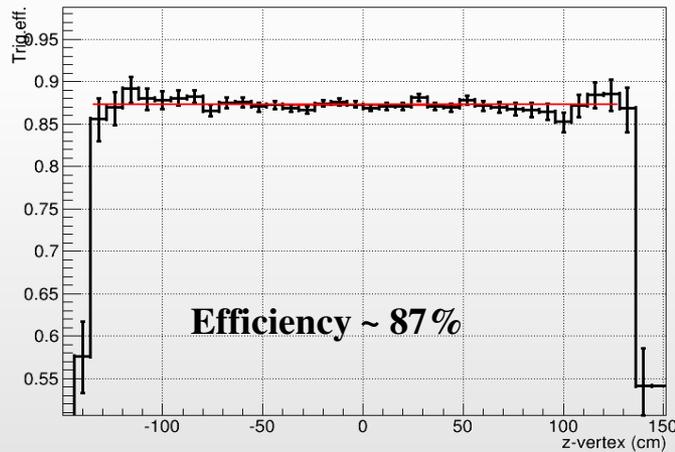
Advancements in analyses

- ❖ Trigger subsystems: FFD, FHCAL, ...
- ❖ Simulation of forward detectors requires specialized event generators: DCM-QGSM-SMM, PHQMD

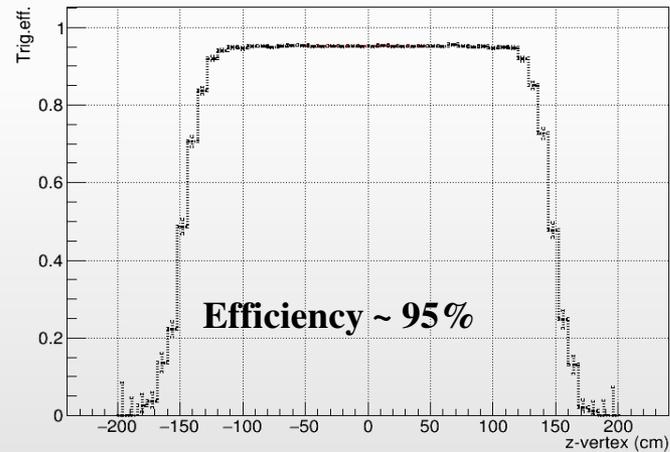
- FFD trigger definition:
 - ✓ at least one fired channel per side
 - ✓ meaningful times, $0 < \text{time}_{E,W} < 50 \text{ ns}$
 - ✓ reconstructed z-vertex, $|\text{z-vertex}| < 140 \text{ cm}$

- FHCAL trigger definition:
 - ✓ at least one fired channel per side
 - ✓ meaningful times, $0 < \text{time}_{E,W} < 50 \text{ ns}$
 - ✓ reconstructed z-vertex, $|\text{z-vertex}| < 150 \text{ cm}$

FFD trigger efficiency vs. z-vertex

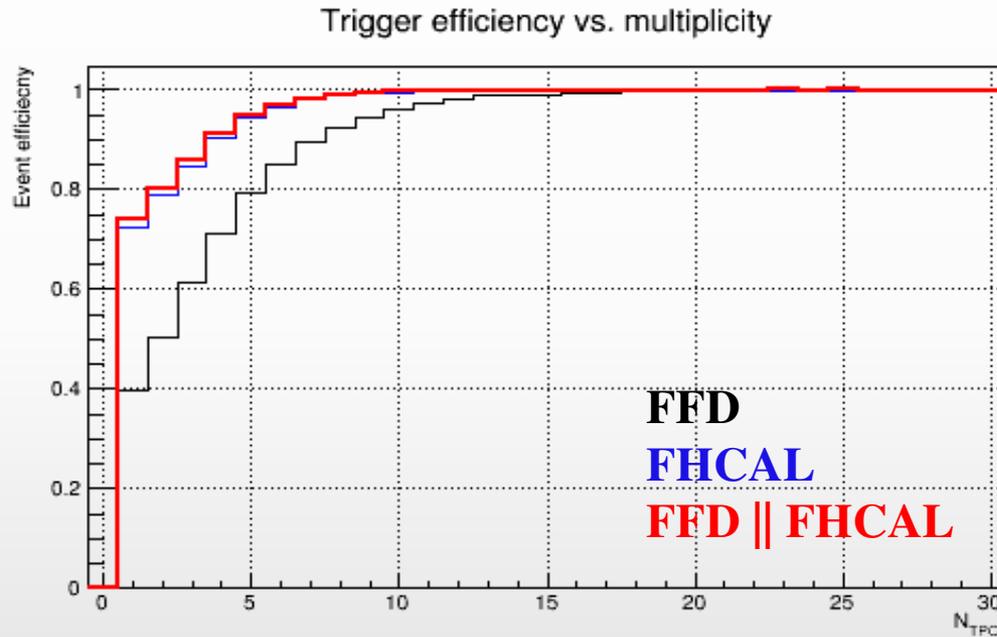


FHCAL trigger efficiency vs. z-vertex



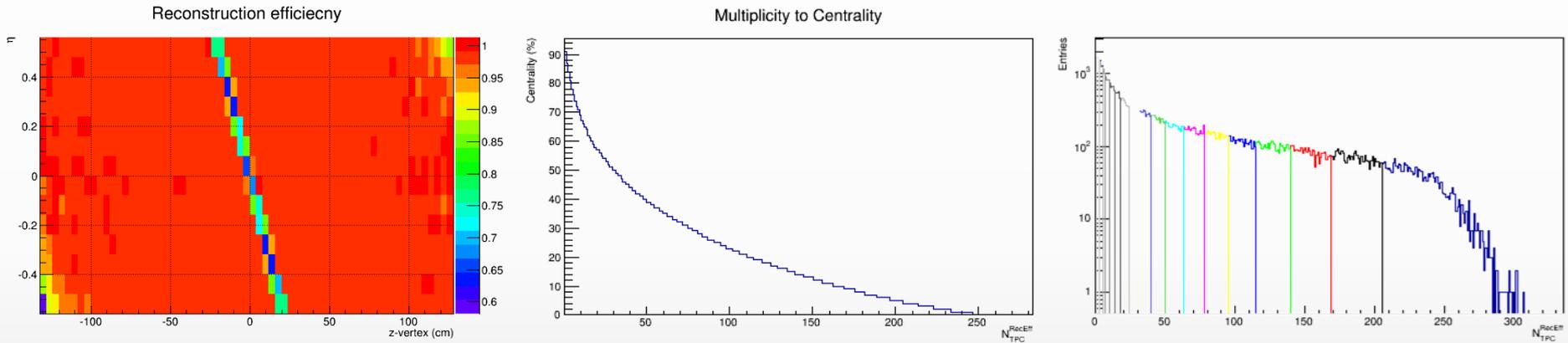
- ❖ For the mass productions, we use FFD||FHCAL trigger with trigger efficiency of 95%

- ❖ UrQMD, PHSD → simulation of trigger is meaningless
- ❖ Use TPC multiplicity as a proxy for trigger efficiency for all mass productions
- ❖ Drop a fraction of event with trigger efficiency < 1 , $\text{Rndm}() > \text{TrigEff}[N_{\text{TPC}}]$



- At $N_{\text{TPC}} > 0-10$ the trigger efficiency saturates for FFD||FHCAL option
- Evaluated trigger efficiency is applicable only for default track/event selection cuts:
 - ✓ $n_{\text{hits}} > 10$; $p_{\text{T}} > 0.1 \text{ GeV}/c$; $\text{DCA} < 2.0 \text{ cm}$; $|\eta| < 0.5$

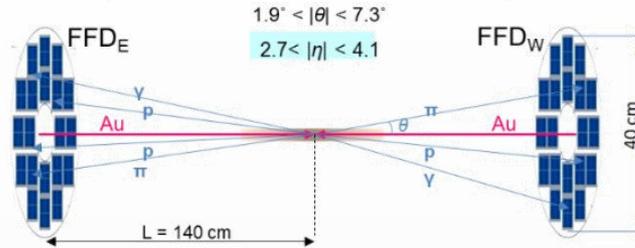
- ❖ Additional requirement, $N_{\text{TPC}} > 0 \rightarrow$ together with FFD||FHCAL sample 91% of the total cross section
- ❖ Event multiplicity is calculated using weight for each track $\sim 1/\text{RecEff}(z\text{-vertex}, \eta)$
- ❖ Centrality is defined as percentile of the total multiplicity with maximum of 91%



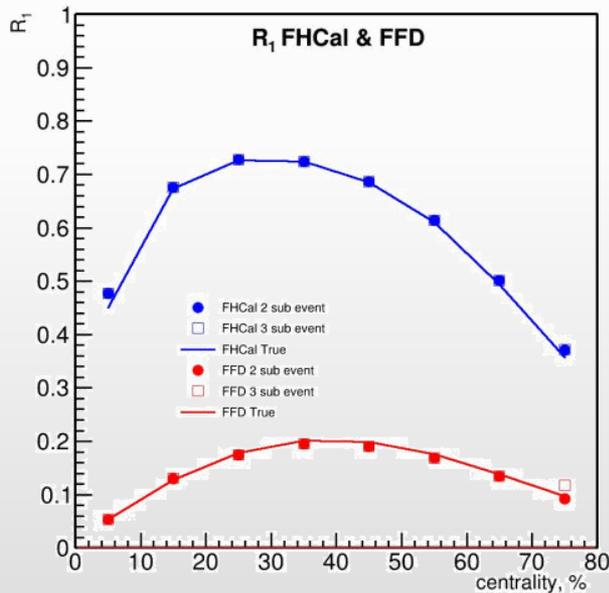
- ❖ Centrality Wagon calculates centrality for all available mass productions, including Request 28 production with the reduced magnetic field

FFD as a reaction plane detector

- ❖ Forward FFD detector – 2 arrays (40 channels each) of Cherenkov detectors

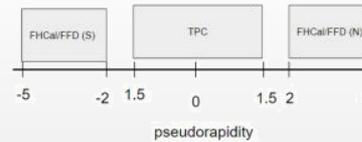


- ❖ Event plane resolution with FFD and FHCAL:



2 sub event $R_{1,i} = \sqrt{\langle Q_{1,i}^N Q_{1,i}^S \rangle}, i = x, y$

$$R_{1,i}^{True} = \langle Q_{1,i} \Psi_{RP} \rangle$$



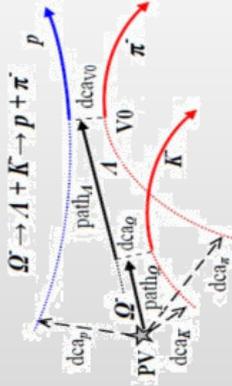
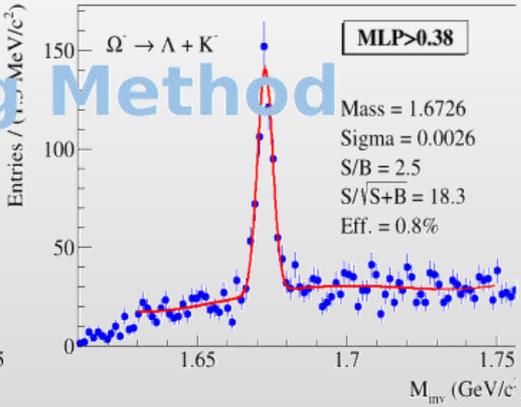
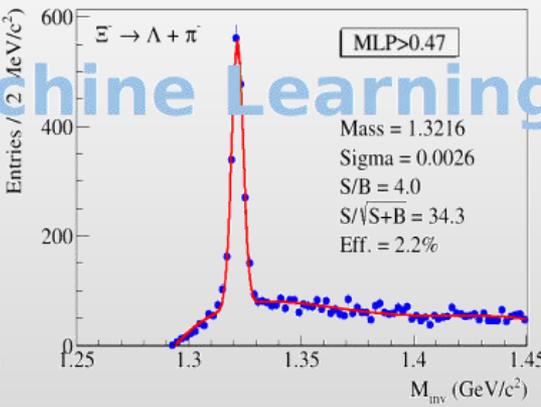
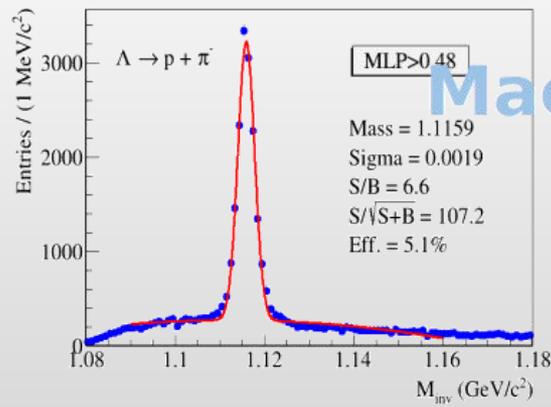
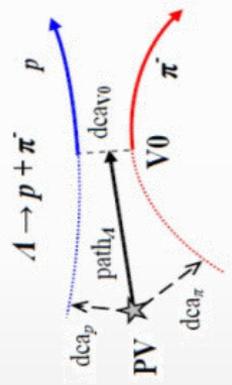
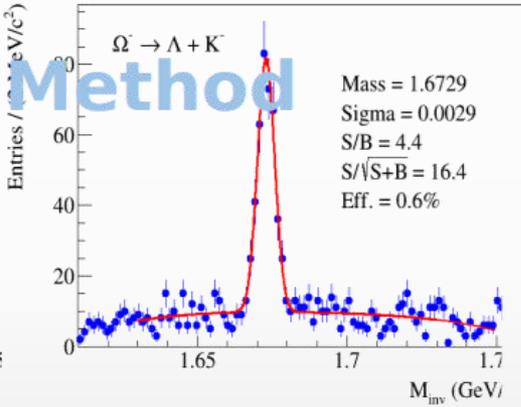
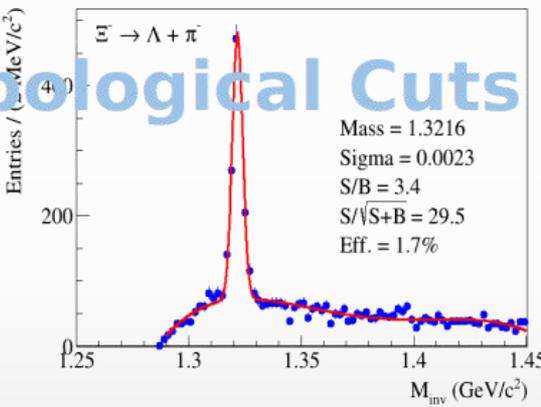
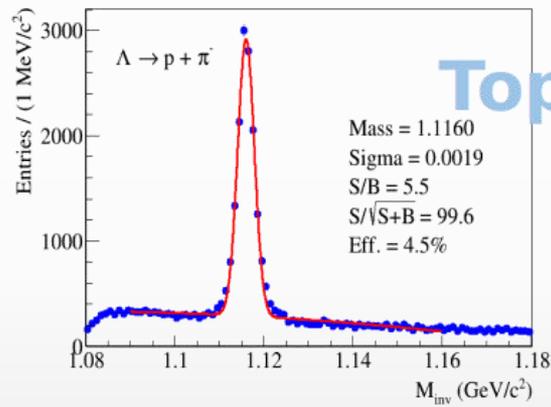
3 sub event $R_{1,i}^N = \sqrt{\frac{2 \langle Q_{1,i}^N Q_{1,i}^S \rangle \langle Q_{1,i}^S Q_{1,i}^{TPC} \rangle}{\langle Q_{1,i}^N Q_{1,i}^{TPC} \rangle}}$

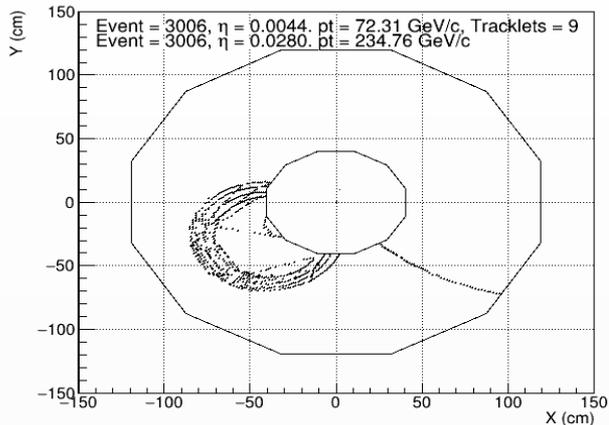
Good agreement for 2 and 3 sub event methods

- ❖ FFD resolution is much worse than that of FHCAL

- ❖ Flow measurements with FFD are possible (backup solution) but require much larger statistics

- ❖ TPC fast digitizer
- ❖ PID for TOF matched TPC tracks
- ❖ Open charm reconstruction with ITS
- ❖ Hyperon reconstruction





- ❖ With current track reconstruction algorithm, low p_T tracks are not reconstructed properly even though full hit information is available in the detector for tracks with $p_T \gtrsim 30$ MeV \rightarrow major source of CB.
- ❖ Tracks with $p_T < \sim 100$ MeV do not cross the TPC (hence don't reach TOF \rightarrow Not defined as fully reconstructed).

- ❖ Possible solutions \rightarrow higher tagging efficiency of Dalitz and conversion electrons:
 - ✓ fully reconstructed conversion and Dalitz pairs
 - ✓ Dalitz pairs reconstructed as $e\text{-}\gamma$ pairs using TPC/TOF and ECAL
 - ✓ Selection of good e -track candidates in a narrower η -range, looser e -ID/selection cuts to increase probability to find a Dalitz/conversion partner in the detector
- ❖ Running with the most realistic simulations (recent mass productions)
- ❖ p_T -integrated S/B ~ 0.05 in $0.2\text{-}1.5$ GeV/ c^2 \rightarrow expects further improvements



- ❖ Preparation of the MPD detector and experimental program is ongoing, all activities are continued
- ❖ Commissioning and start of data taking → 2025
- ❖ Further program will be driven by the physics demands and NICA capabilities

BACKUP

❖ Data taking by STAR at RHIC: $3 < \sqrt{s_{NN}} < 200$ GeV ($750 < \mu_B < 25$ MeV)

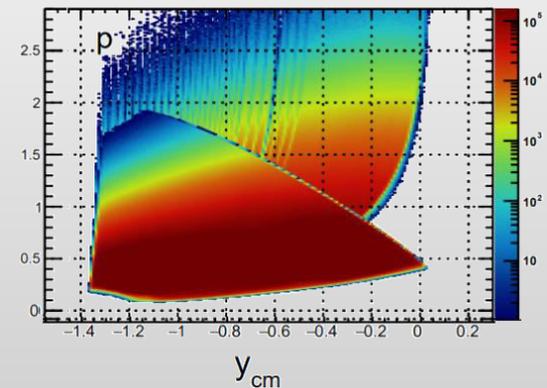
Au+Au Collisions at RHIC											
Collider Runs						Fixed-Target Runs					
	$\sqrt{s_{NN}}$ (GeV)	#Events	μ_B	y_{beam}	run		$\sqrt{s_{NN}}$ (GeV)	#Events	μ_B	y_{beam}	run
1	200	380 M	25 MeV	5.3	Run-10, 19	1	13.7 (100)	50 M	280 MeV	-2.69	Run-21
2	62.4	46 M	75 MeV		Run-10	2	11.5 (70)	50 M	320 MeV	-2.51	Run-21
3	54.4	1200 M	85 MeV		Run-17	3	9.2 (44.5)	50 M	370 MeV	-2.28	Run-21
4	39	86 M	112 MeV		Run-10	4	7.7 (31.2)	260 M	420 MeV	-2.1	Run-18, 19, 20
5	27	585 M	156 MeV	3.36	Run-11, 18	5	7.2 (26.5)	470 M	440 MeV	-2.02	Run-18, 20
6	19.6	595 M	206 MeV	3.1	Run-11, 19	6	6.2 (19.5)	120 M	490 MeV	1.87	Run-20
7	17.3	256 M	230 MeV		Run-21	7	5.2 (13.5)	100 M	540 MeV	-1.68	Run-20
8	14.6	340 M	262 MeV		Run-14, 19	8	4.5 (9.8)	110 M	590 MeV	-1.52	Run-20
9	11.5	157 M	316 MeV		Run-10, 20	9	3.9 (7.3)	120 M	633 MeV	-1.37	Run-20
10	9.2	160 M	372 MeV		Run-10, 20	10	3.5 (5.75)	120 M	670 MeV	-1.2	Run-20
11	7.7	104 M	420 MeV		Run-21	11	3.2 (4.59)	200 M	699 MeV	-1.13	Run-19
						12	3.0 (3.85)	2000 M	750 MeV	-1.05	Run-18, 21

❖ A very impressive and successful program with many collected datasets, already available and expected results

❖ Limitations:

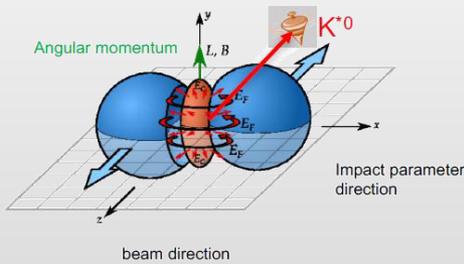
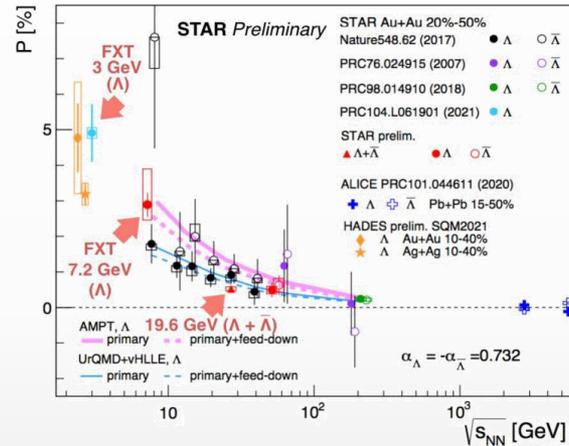
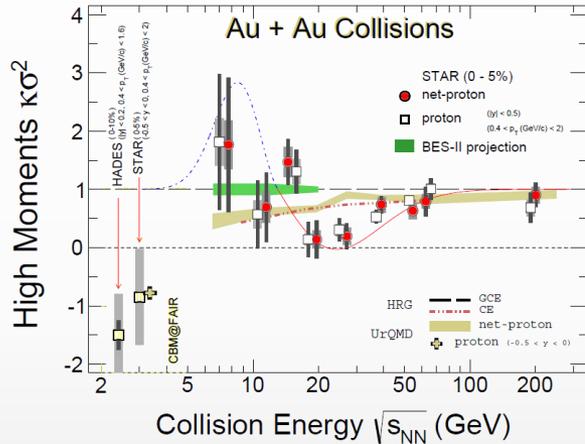
- ✓ Au+Au collisions only
- ✓ Among the fixed-target runs, only the 3 GeV data have full mid-rapidity coverage for protons ($|y| < 0.5$), which is crucial for physics observables

Au+Au @ 3.9 GeV

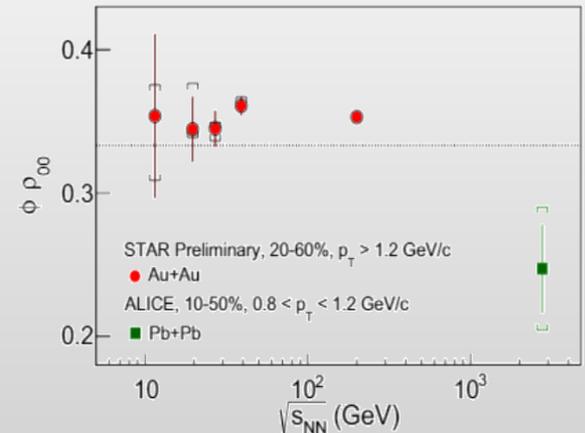
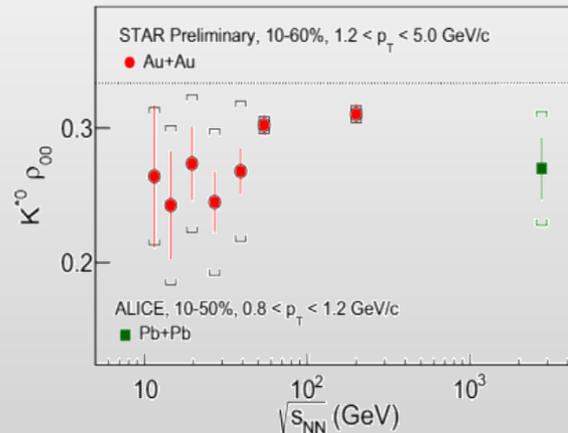


Hot topics to fill the gaps

- ❖ Critical fluctuations for (net)proton/kaon multiplicity distributions
- ❖ Global hyperon polarization in mid-central A+A collisions (Λ , Ξ , Ω)
- ❖ Spin alignment of vector mesons ($K^*(892)$, $\phi(1020)$)
- ❖ Dielectron continuum and LVMs
- ❖



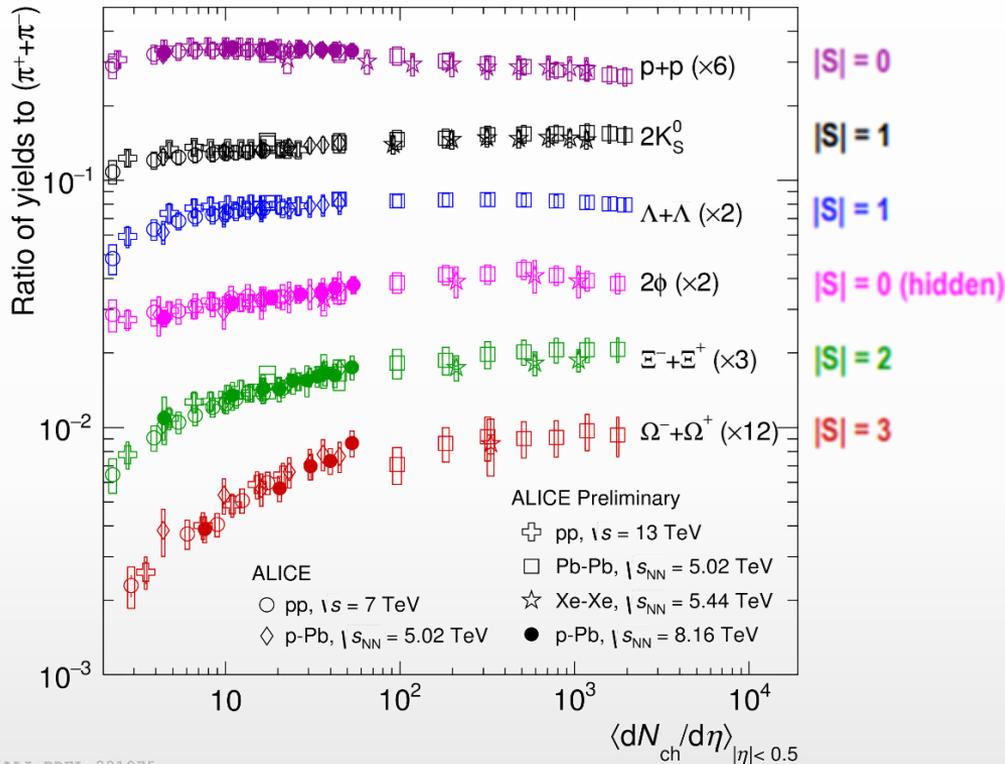
$$\frac{dN}{d\cos\theta} = N_0 [1 - \rho_{0,0} + \cos^2\theta(3\rho_{0,0} - 1)]$$



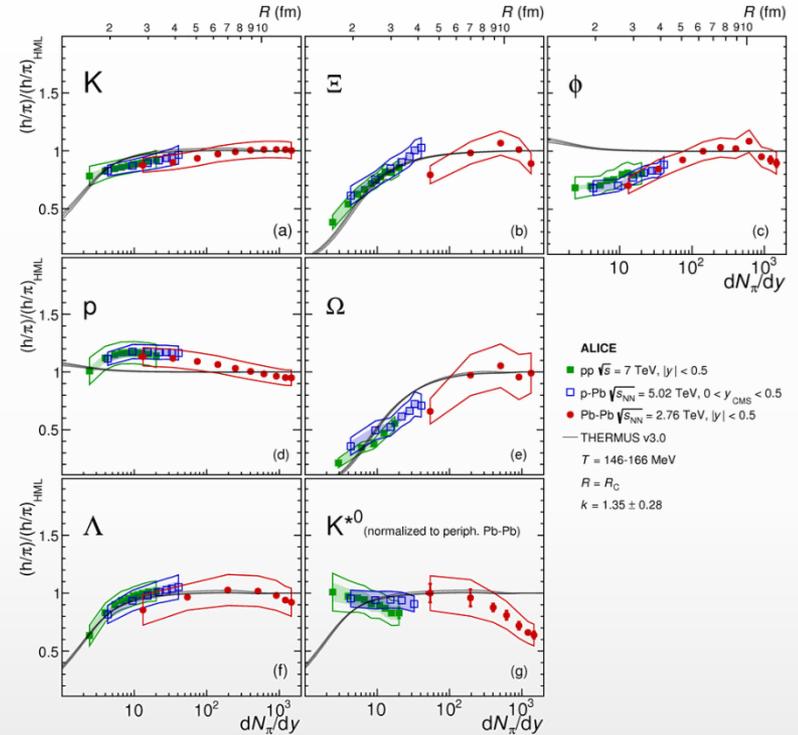
Strangeness enhancement: pp, p-A, A-A

- ❖ Predicted and experimentally observed in heavy-ion collisions at AGS, SPS, RHIC and LHC energies

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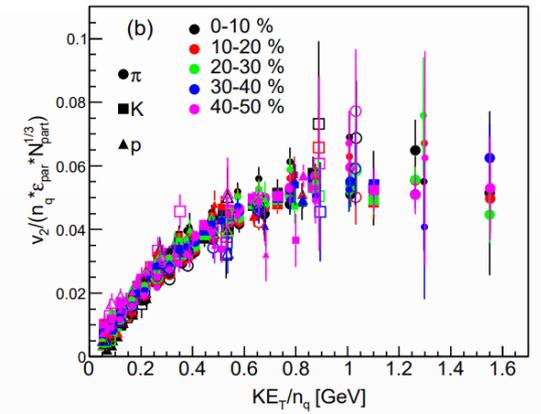
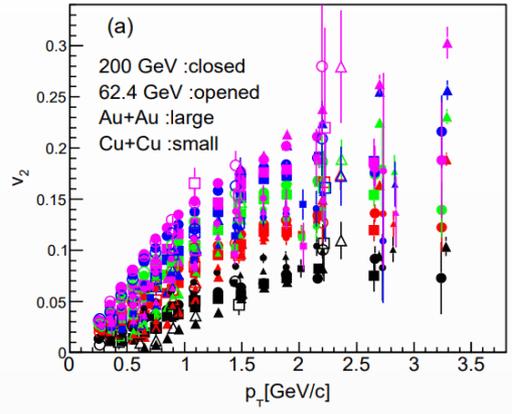
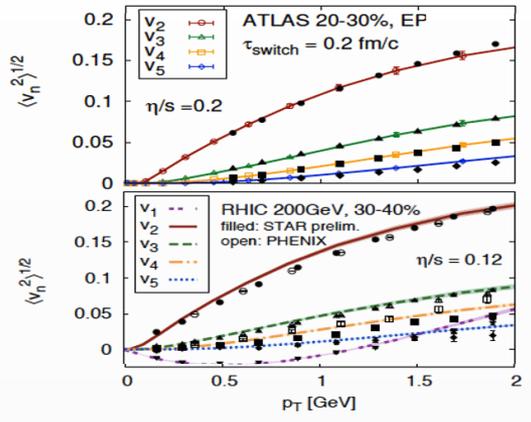


- ❖ Discovery of ALICE - smooth evolution of enhancement vs. multiplicity in pp, p-A and A-A
- ❖ Origin of the strangeness enhancement in small/large systems is still under debate:
 - ✓ strangeness enhancement in QGP contradicts with the observed collision energy dependence
 - ✓ strangeness suppression in pp within canonical suppression models reproduces most of results except for $\phi(1020)$
- ❖ System size scan for (multi)strange baryon and meson production is a key to understanding of strangeness production \rightarrow unique capability of the MPD in the NICA energy range

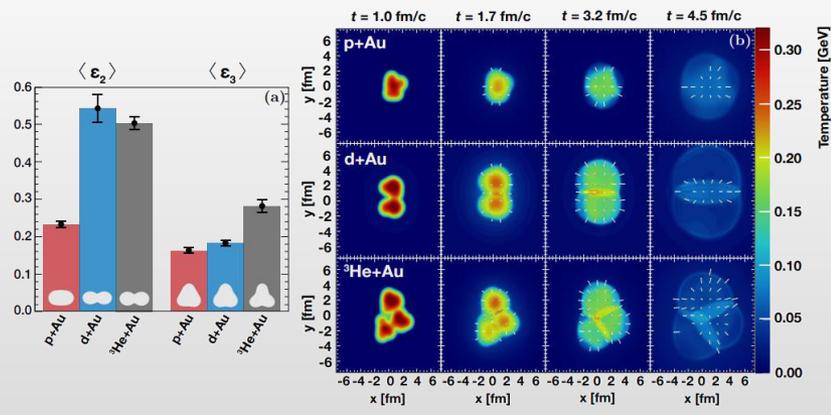
❖ A+A: initial eccentricity and its fluctuations drive v_n with specific viscous modulation

Gale, Jeon et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 110, 012302

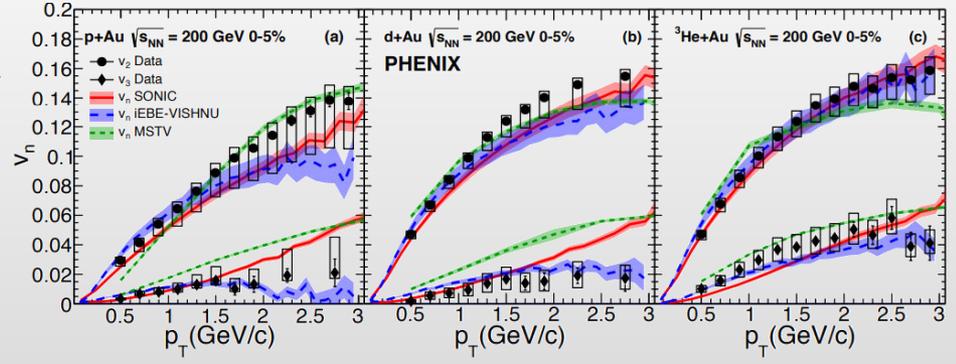
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❖ p/d/³He+A: v_n 's are correlated to the initial geometry, the only explanation is formation of short-lived QGP droplets in collisions of light and heavy nuclei

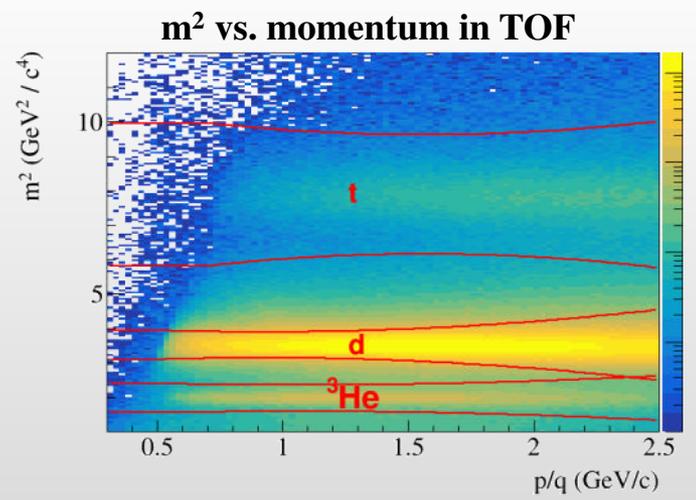
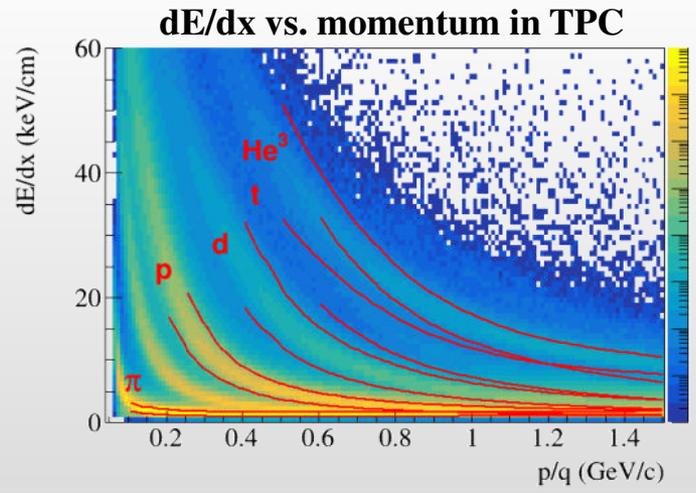


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System size scan for flow measurements is vital for understanding of the medium transport properties and onset of the phase transition → unique capability of the MPD in the NICA energy range

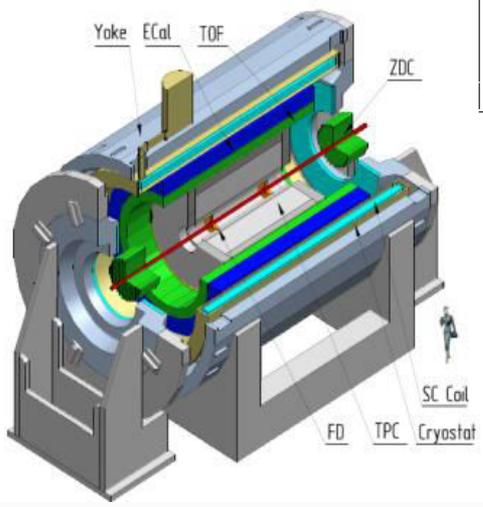
- ❖ Galactic Cosmic Rays composed of nuclei (protons, ... up to Fe) and E/A up to 50 GeV
- ❖ Cosmic rays are a serious concern to astronauts, electronics, and spacecraft.
- ❖ The damage is proportional to Z^2 , secondary production of p, d, t, ^3He , and ^4He is also significant
- ❖ Need input information for transport codes for shielding applications (Geant-4, Fluka, PHITS, etc.):
 - ✓ total, elastic/reaction cross section
 - ✓ particle multiplicities and coalescence parameters
 - ✓ outgoing particle distributions: $d^2N/dEd\Omega$
- ❖ NICA can deliver different ion beam species and energies:
 - ✓ Targets of interest (C = astronaut, Si = electronics, Al = spacecraft) + He, C, O, Si, Fe, etc.
- ❖ No data exist for projectile energies $> 3 \text{ GeV/n}$



Light fragment identification in a wide y-range \rightarrow unique capability of the MPD in the NICA range

Multi-Purpose Detector

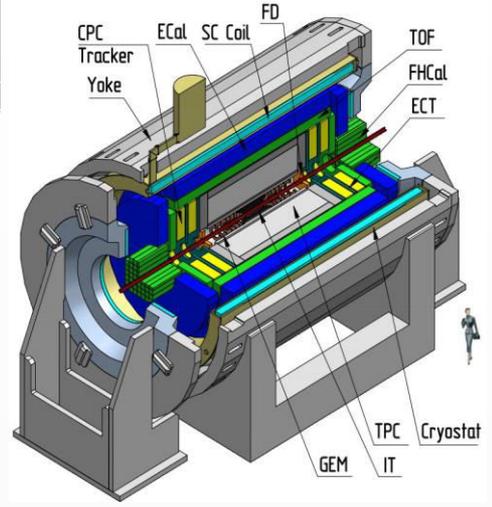
Stage- I



Length	340 cm
Vessel outer radius	140 cm
Vessel inner radius	27 cm
Default magnetic field	0.5 T
Drift gas mixture	90% Ar+10% CH ₄
Maximum event rate	7 kHz ($L = 10^{27} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$)



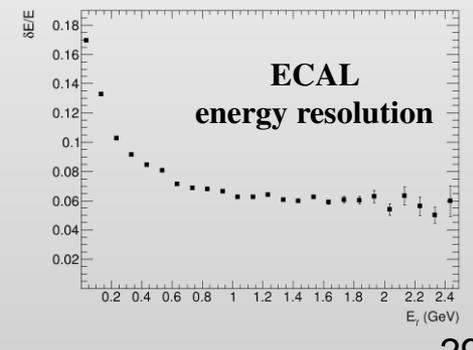
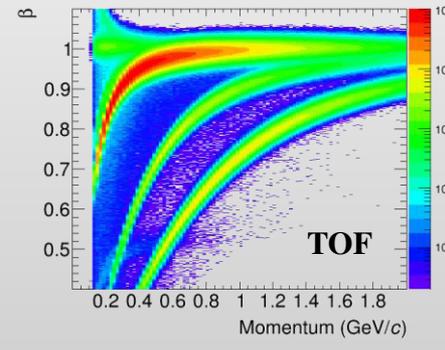
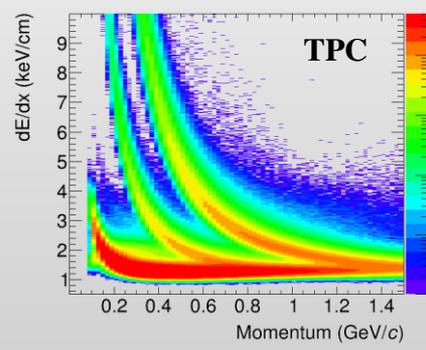
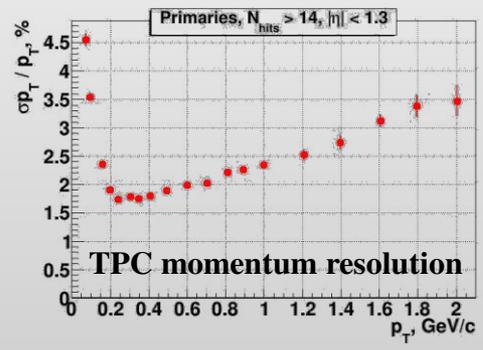
Stage- II

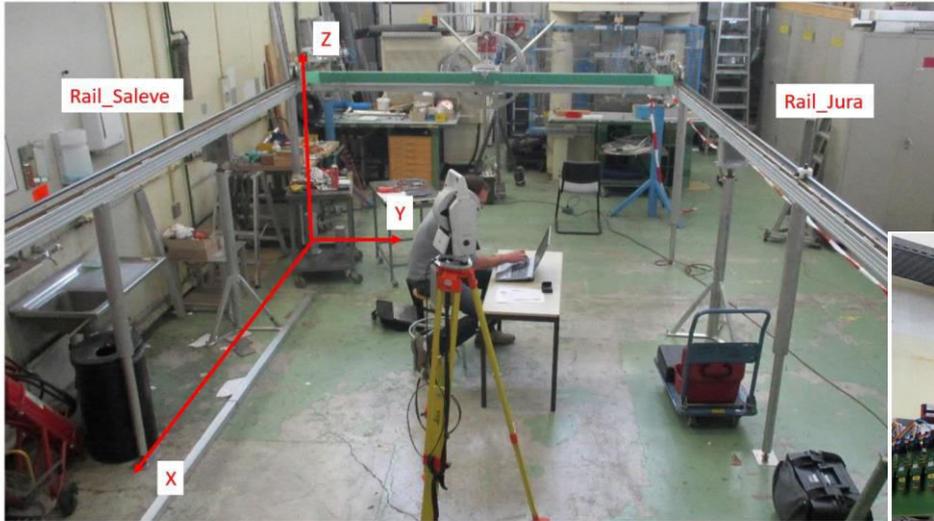


- TPC:** $|\Delta\phi| < 2\pi, |\eta| \leq 1.6$
- TOF, EMC:** $|\Delta\phi| < 2\pi, |\eta| \leq 1.4$
- FFD:** $|\Delta\phi| < 2\pi, 2.9 < |\eta| < 3.3$
- FHCAL:** $|\Delta\phi| < 2\pi, 2 < |\eta| < 5$

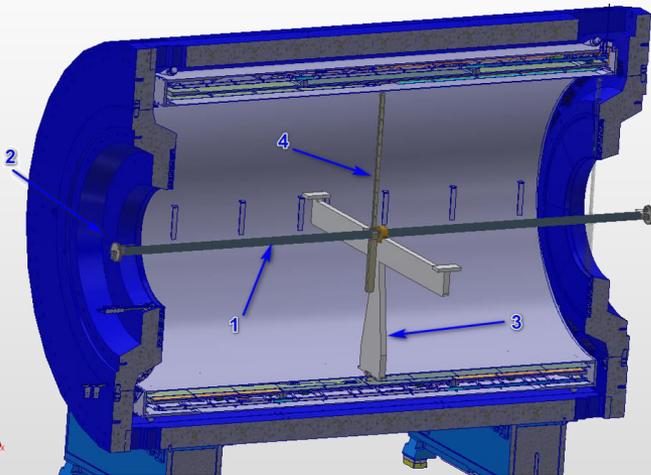
- + ITS** (heavy-flavor measurements)
- + forward spectrometers**

Au+Au @ 11 GeV (UrQMD + full chain reconstruction)





- ❖ CERN design of mapper :
 - ✓ 38 Hall probes move in z and ϕ directions
 - ✓ accuracy – 1.5-2.0 Gs
 - ✓ range of fields 0.57 -0.5 T



- ❖ Concept of Novosibirsk INP mapper:
 - ✓ 1 Hall 3D probe moves in 3 directions: z, R, ϕ
 - ✓ accuracy: 0.3 – 0.5 Gs
 - ✓ range of fields: 0.2-0.57 T

1. Aluminum (carbon fiber plastic) guiding rod
2. End cap fixation
3. Intermediate support
4. Carbon fiber plastic carriage

