

# sPHENIX & EIC Experiments

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# sPHENIX

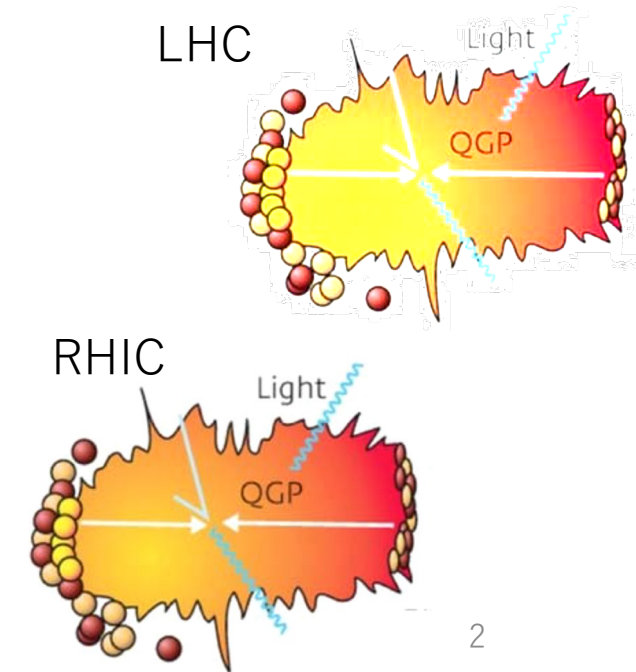
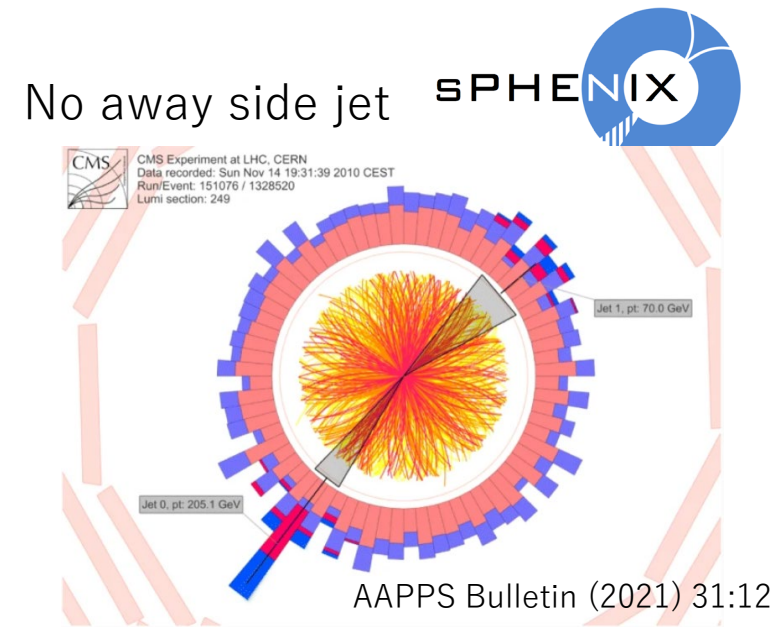
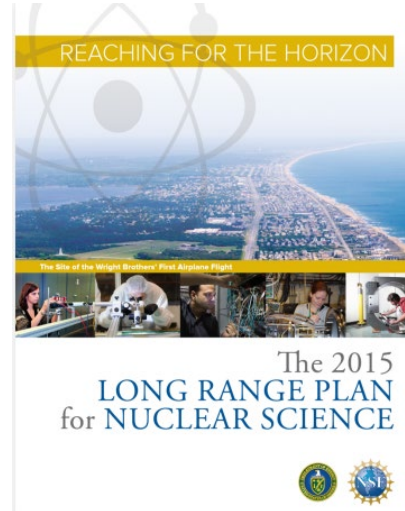
- sPHENIX is a new QGP experiment at RHIC planned after the discovery of QGP at RHIC(2000~) and its deepening at LHC (2010~)

There are two central goals of measurements planned at RHIC, as it completes its scientific mission, and at the LHC. **(1) Probe the inner workings of QGP by resolving its properties at shorter and shorter length scales. The complementarity of the two facilities is essential to this goal, as is a state-of-the-art jet detector at RHIC, called sPHENIX. (2) Map the phase diagram of QCD with experiments planned at RHIC.**

- **Comparison of RHIC and LHC** allows to study  $T$  and scale dependent QGP structure by measuring **jet modifications**
- **sPHENIX completes the QGP Physics mission at RHIC**

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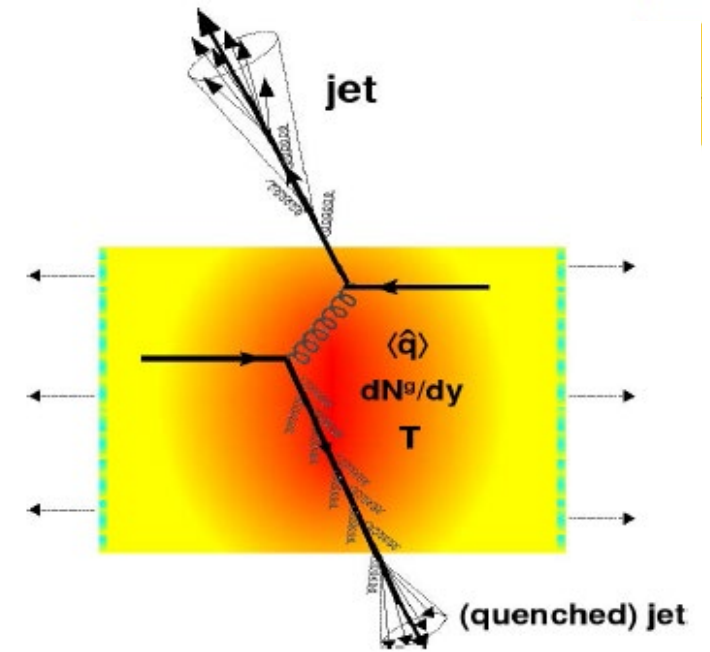
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# sPHENIX Physics Program

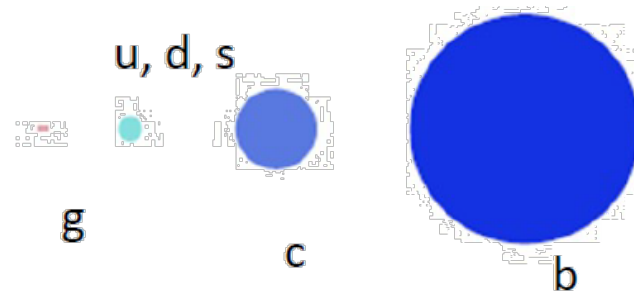
- **Energy loss by Jet**

- Jet suppression
- Jet shape modification and redistribution
- Path length dependence



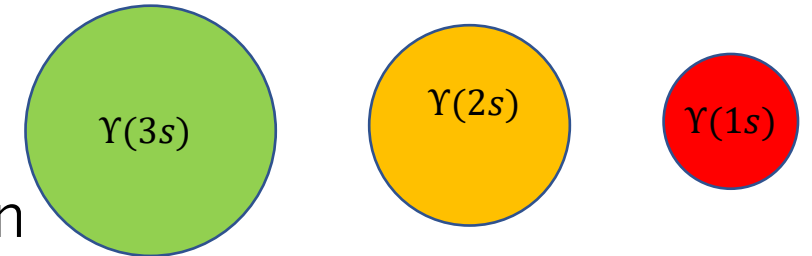
- **Flavor dependence**

- Mass dependence



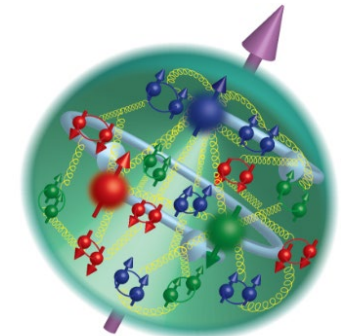
- **Upsilon (1s, 2s, 3s) spectroscopy**

- Temperature (Scale) dependence of suppression

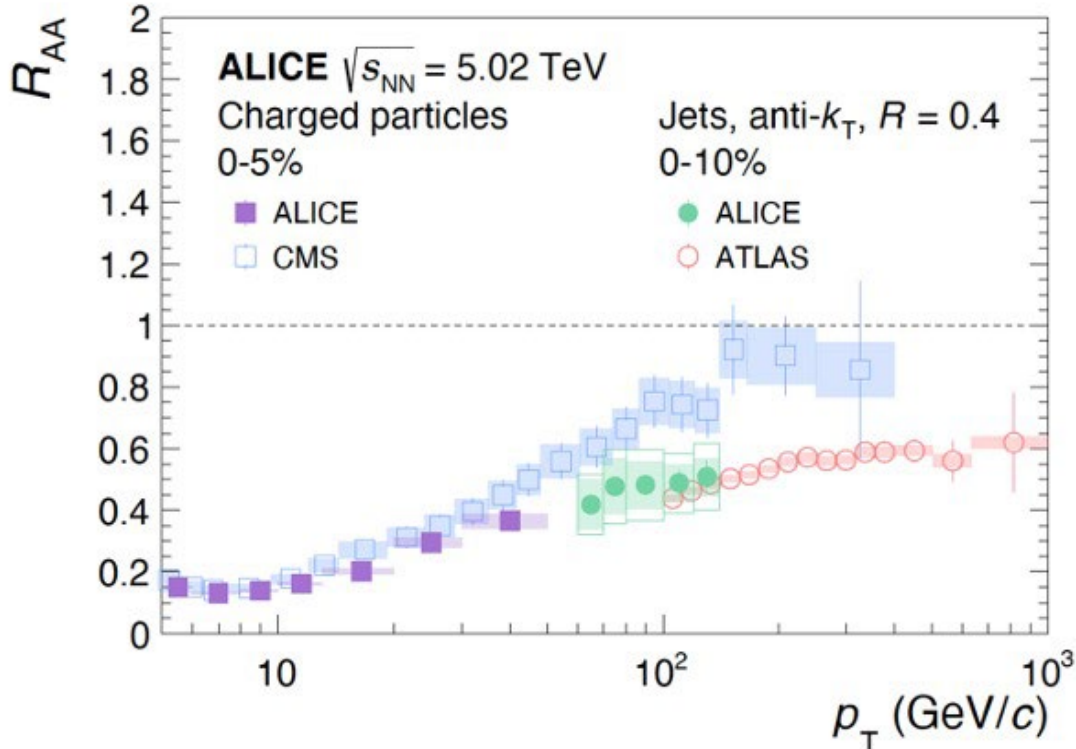


- **Cold QCD (p+p & p+A)**

- Structure of nucleon and nuclei



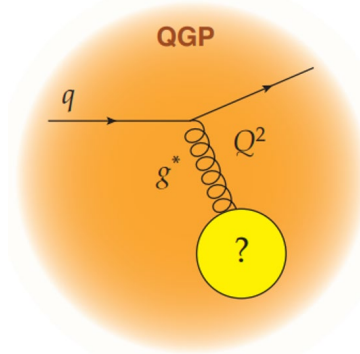
# Virtuality : Jet vs Hadron $R_{AA}$ at LHC



Jet and Hadron  $R_{AA}$  is increasing at higher  $p_T$

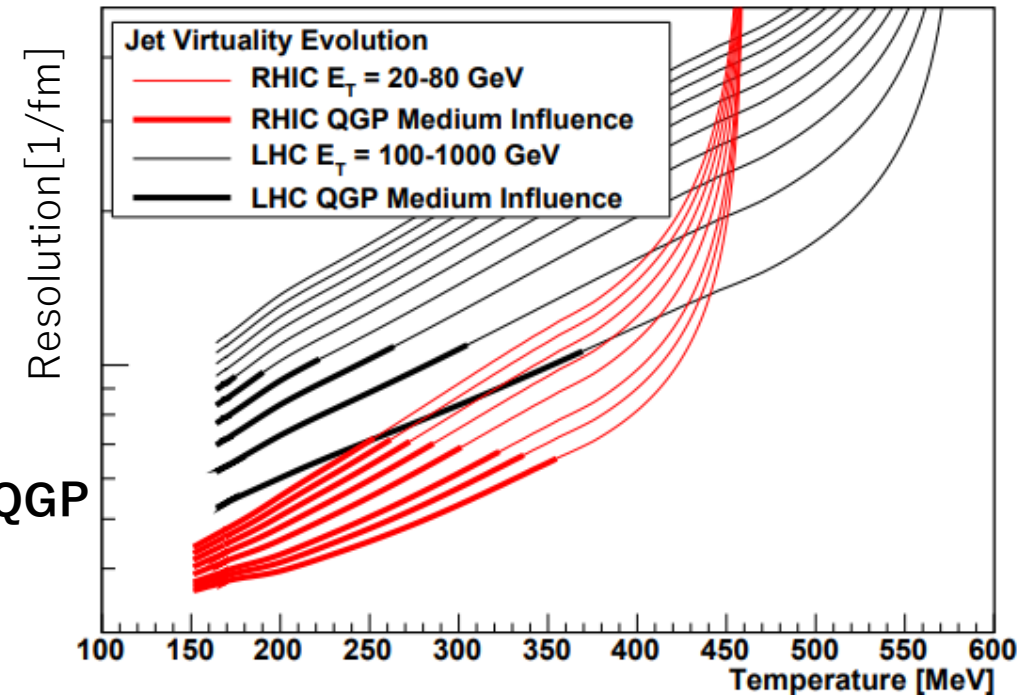
- Lower  $p_T$  is sensitive to energy loss in QGP
- Because the smaller BGs, sPHENIX accesses lower  $p_T$  Jet at RHIC

Virtuality = Resolution

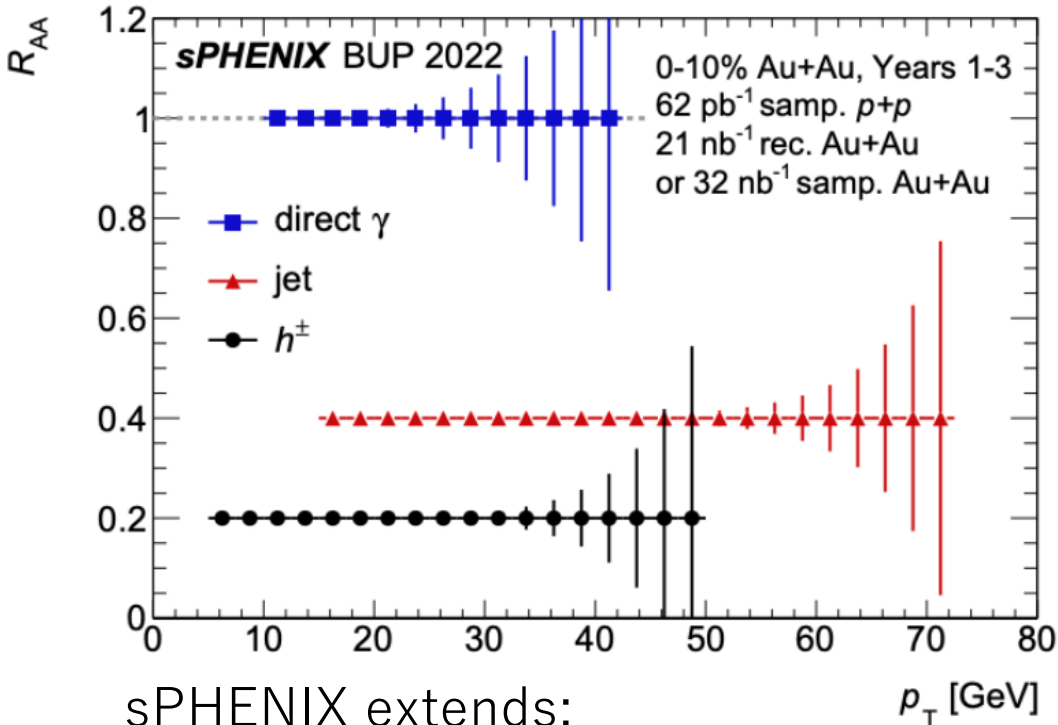


- Jet  $R_{AA}$  is smaller than hadrons at the same  $p_T$  range
  - The difference is described by the model with virtuality
- sPHENIX access lower virtuality region
  - Virtuality scan is important to understand the energy loss in QGP

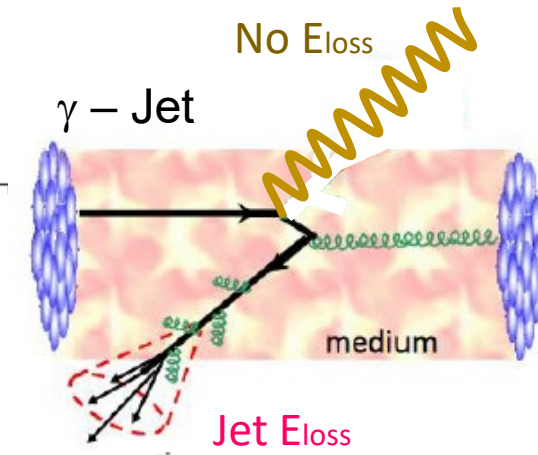
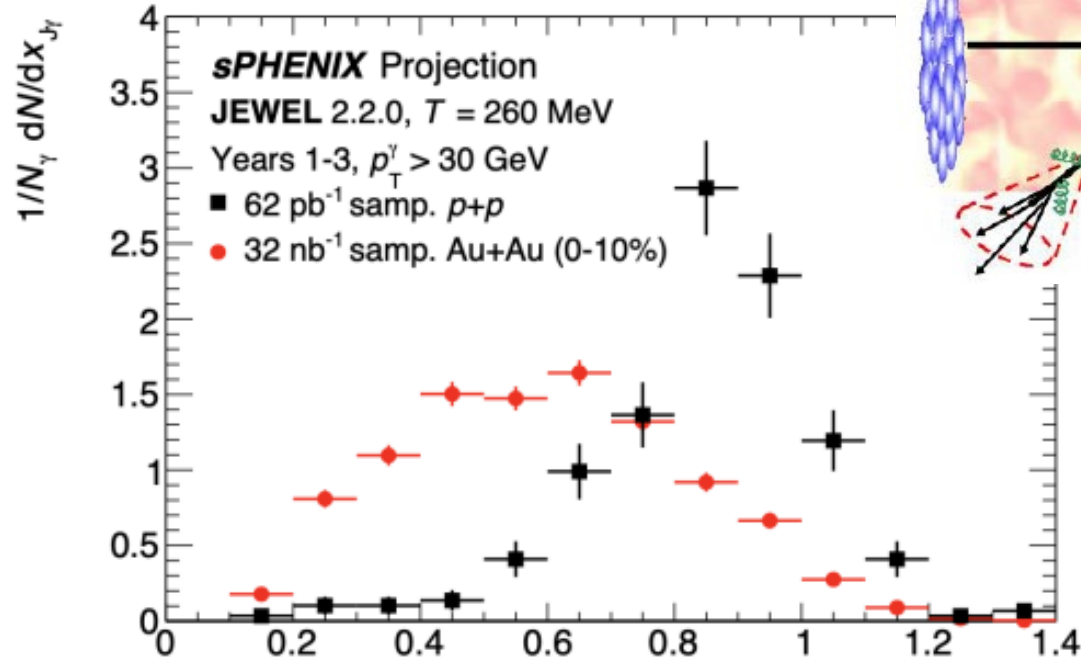
sPHENIX provides new insight of energy loss phenomena



# Jets at sPHENIX

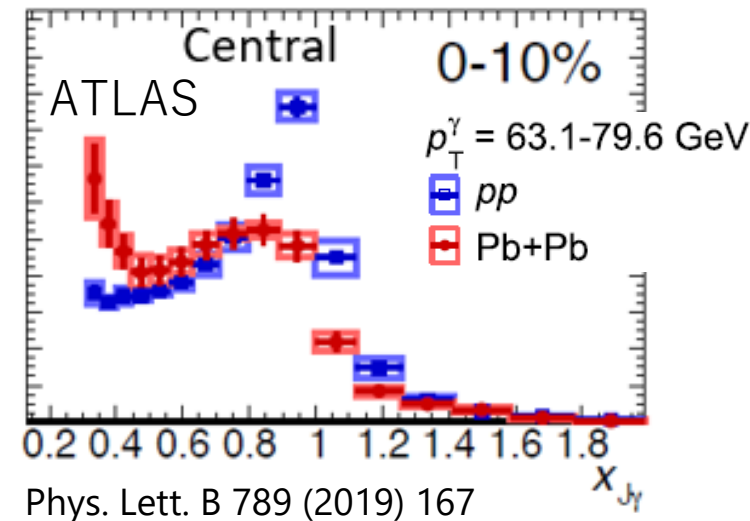


$\gamma$  - Jet imbalance

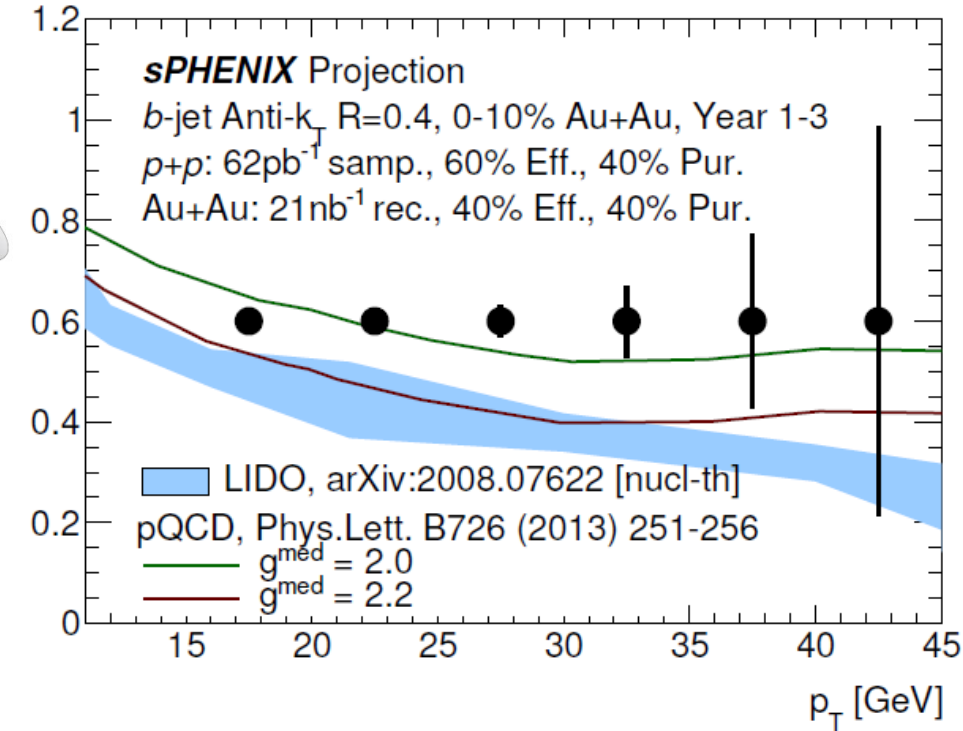
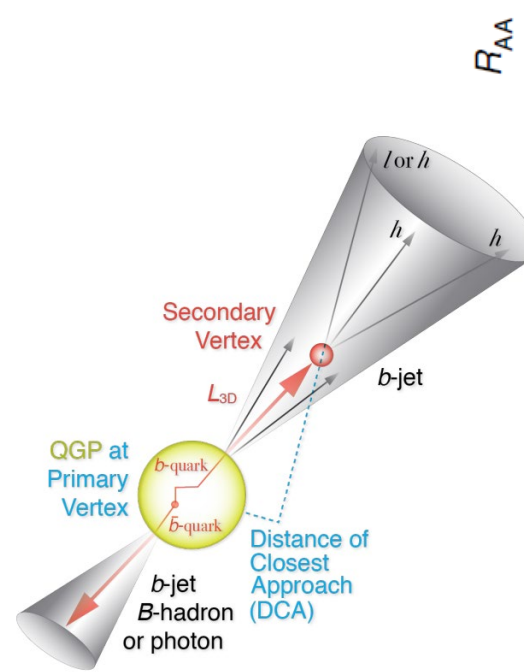
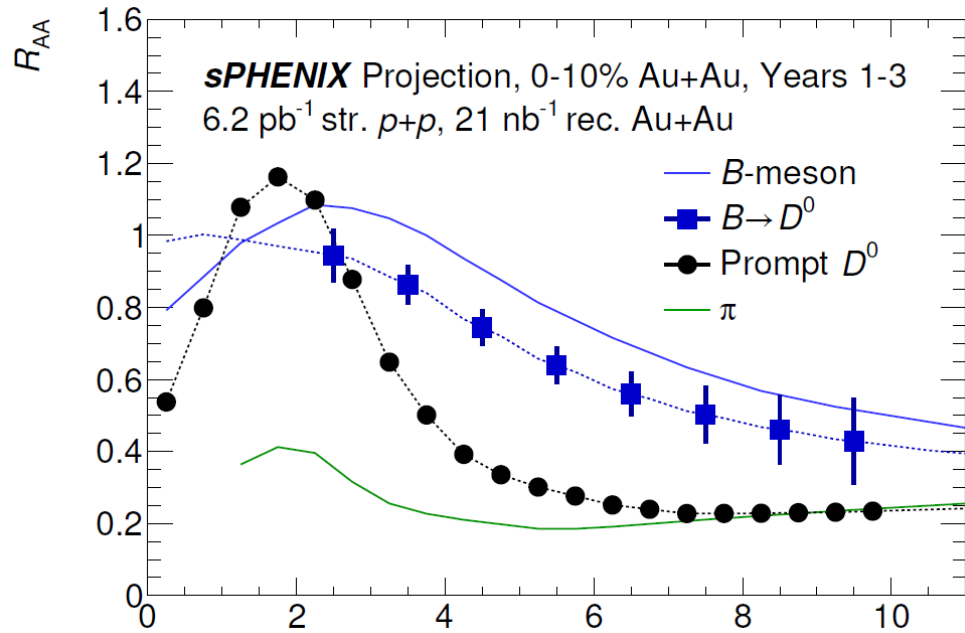


sPHENIX extends:

- Jet :  $p_T \sim 70$  GeV/c, Direct photons:  $\sim 40$  GeV/c, hadrons:  $\sim 50$  GeV/c,
- $\gamma$  - Jet : Golden channel for studying energy loss in QGP
  - Self-calibrated probe, lower  $p_T$  at RHIC
- Jet-v2, Jet substructure (R dependence), Jet grooming, etc
- kinematics overlap with LHC and lower  $p_T$

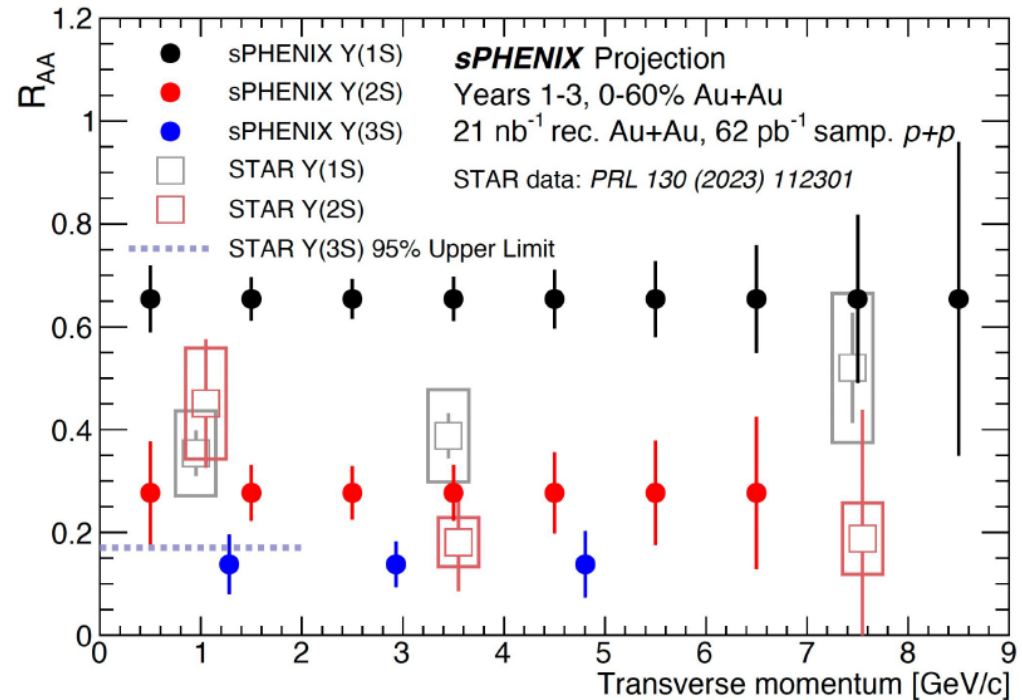
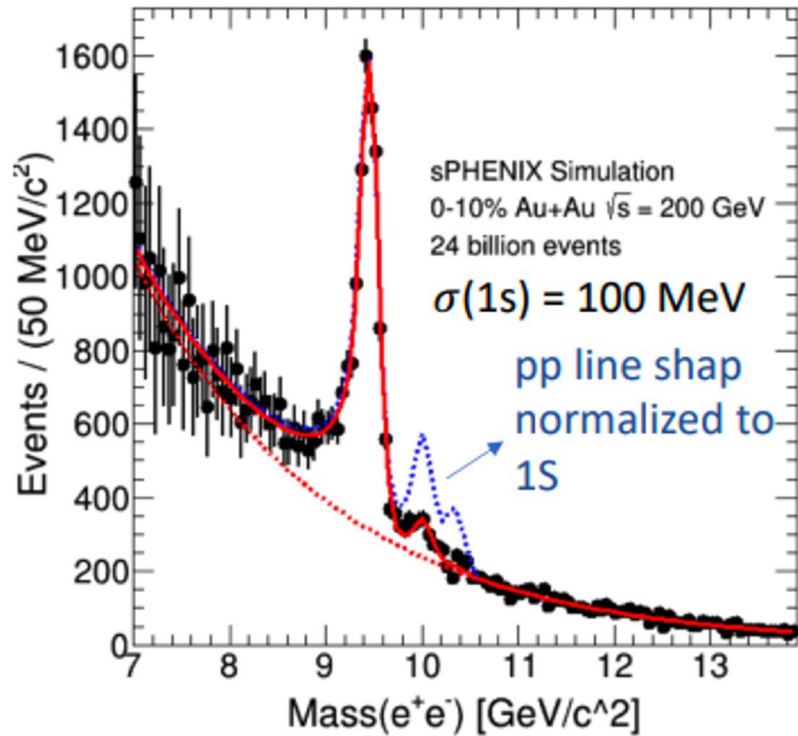


# Heavy Flavors and HF-Jets



- Study radiative and collisional energy loss w/ broad  $p_T$  range
- First *b*-tagged jets at RHIC
  - Jet + displaced vertex

# Upsilon spectroscopy



- Separate three Upsilon states (1s, 2s, 3s)
  - $\Upsilon(3s)$  is quantified if suppression is less
- Study centrality and  $p_T$  dependence
- RHIC is more clean than LHC
  - No regeneration of Upsilon at RHIC

# Run plan for three years



Year	Species	$\sqrt{s_{NN}}$ [GeV]	Cryo Weeks	Physics Weeks	Rec. Lum. $ z  < 10$ cm	Samp. Lum. $ z  < 10$ cm
2023	Au+Au	200	24 (28)	9 (13)	3.7 (5.7) nb <sup>-1</sup>	4.5 (6.9) nb <sup>-1</sup>
2024	$p^\uparrow p^\uparrow$	200	24 (28)	12 (16)	0.3 (0.4) pb <sup>-1</sup> [5 kHz] 4.5 (6.2) pb <sup>-1</sup> [10%-str]	45 (62) pb <sup>-1</sup>
2024	$p^\uparrow + \text{Au}$	200	–	5	0.003 pb <sup>-1</sup> [5 kHz] 0.01 pb <sup>-1</sup> [10%-str]	0.11 pb <sup>-1</sup>
2025	Au+Au	200	24 (28)	20.5 (24.5)	13 (15) nb <sup>-1</sup>	21 (25) nb <sup>-1</sup>

Commissioning and  
1<sup>st</sup> physics Au + Au 200 GeV

Reference p + p and p + A

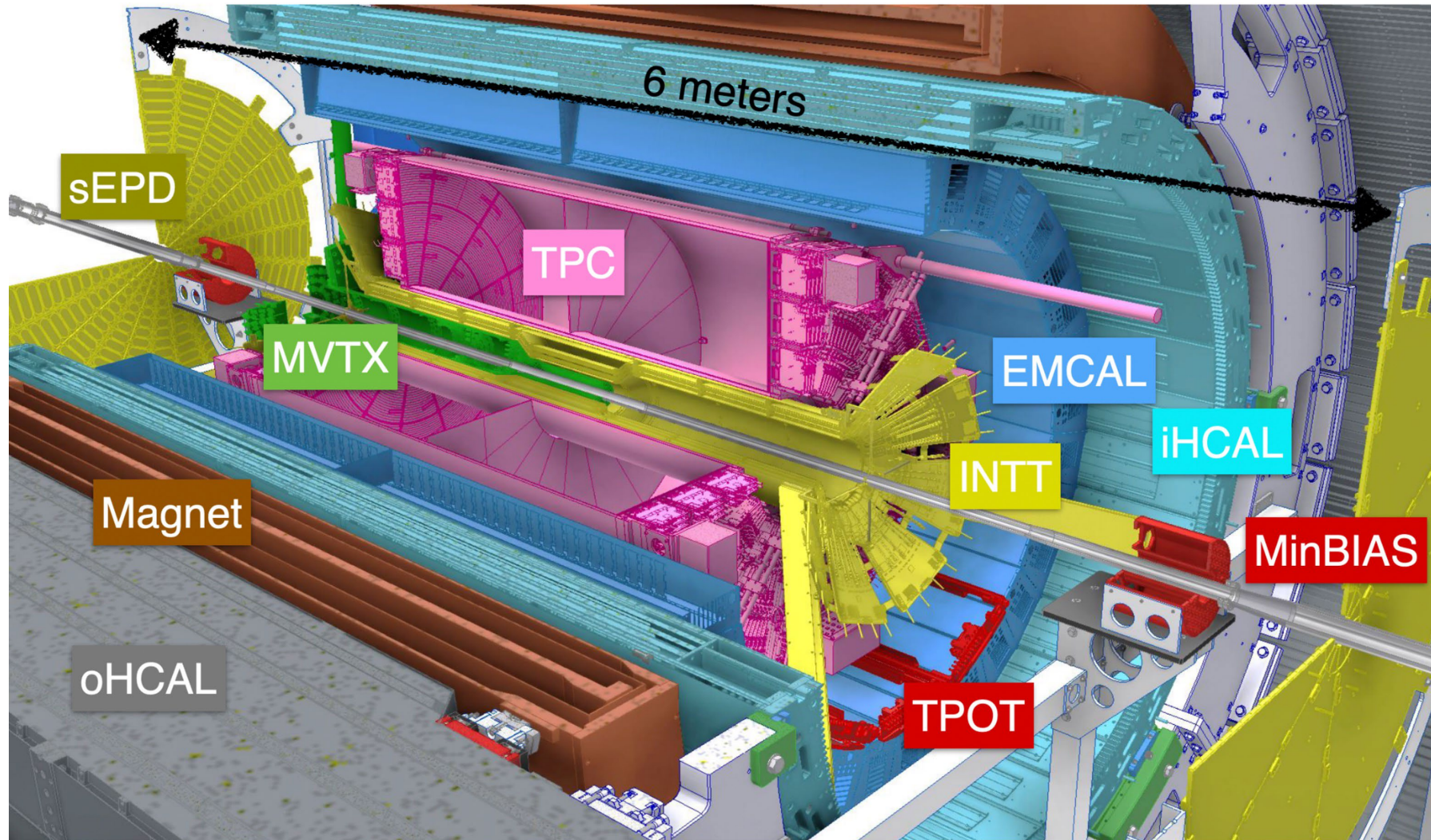
Cold QCD/small systems

High statistics Au + Au

sPHENIX data taking will start in a few weeks



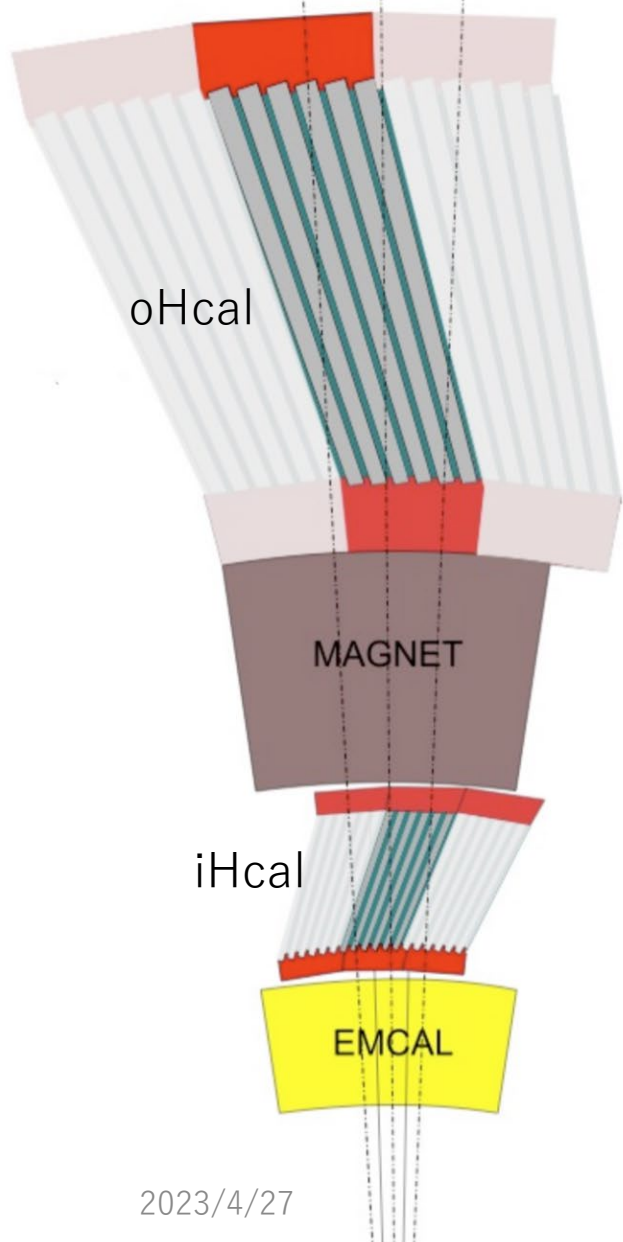
# sPHENIX Detector



- Large acceptance
  - $|\eta| < 1.1$
  - full azimuth
- HCAL + EMCAL + Tracking system allows full-jet measurement
- 15kHz DAQ and streaming readout for tracking

# Calorimeter

- Outer + Inner HCal ( $3.8$  &  $0.25 \lambda_0$ )
  - First hadronic calorimeter @ RHIC
  - Steel (Al) absorber + Scintillator tiles
  - Size :  $0.1$  &  $0.1$  in  $\phi$  and  $\eta$
  - Hadron :  $\Delta E/E \sim 14\% + 65\%/\sqrt{E}$
- EMCal ( $18 X_0$ )
  - Tungsten + Sci-fiber sampling calorimeter
  - Size :  $0.025$  &  $0.025$  in  $\phi$  and  $\eta$
  - EM:  $\Delta E/E \sim 5\% + 16\%/\sqrt{E}$



oHCal and iHCal



EMCal

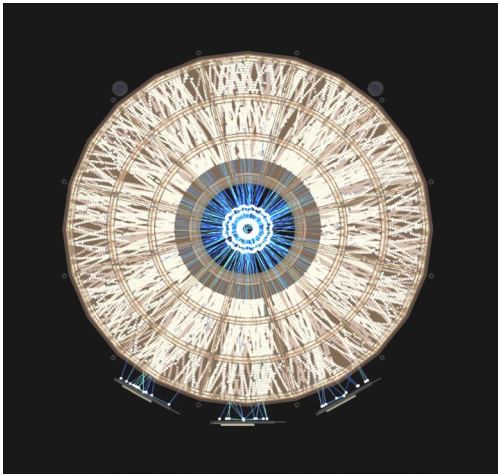
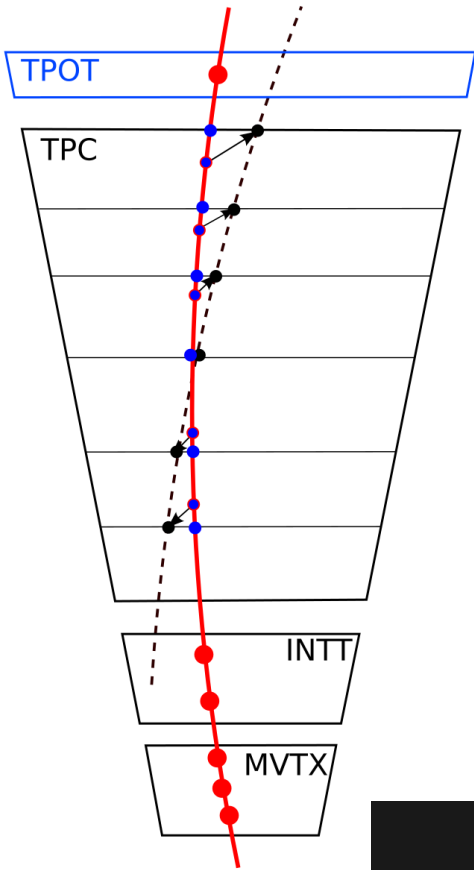
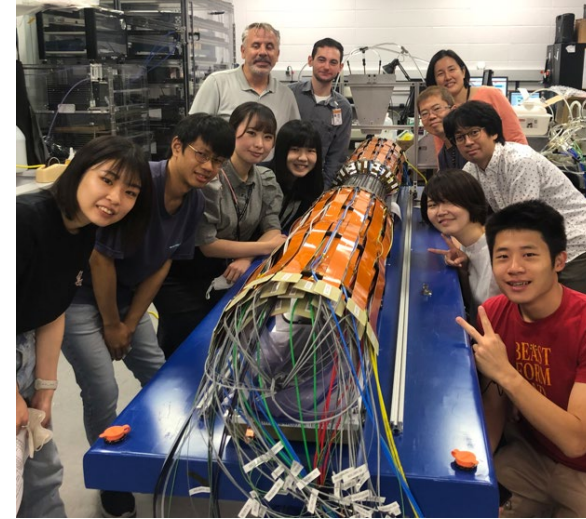


# Tracking

- TPC ( $20 < R < 78\text{cm}$ )
  - Momentum w/  $\Delta p/p \sim 1\%$  at  $5\text{ GeV}/c$
  - Gateless - continues readout
  - TPOT (TPC Outer Tracker)
    - Correct for TPC space-charge distortions
- INTT (2 layer Si-Strip w/  $6 < R < 12\text{cm}$ )
  - Good timing resolution to resolve event pile-up
- MVTX (3 layer MAPS PIXEL w/  $2 \sim 4\text{cm}$ )
  - ALICE ITS2 technology
  - Fine pitch ( $27 \times 29\text{ }\mu\text{m}$ ) for displaced vertex
- Tracking system use streaming readout



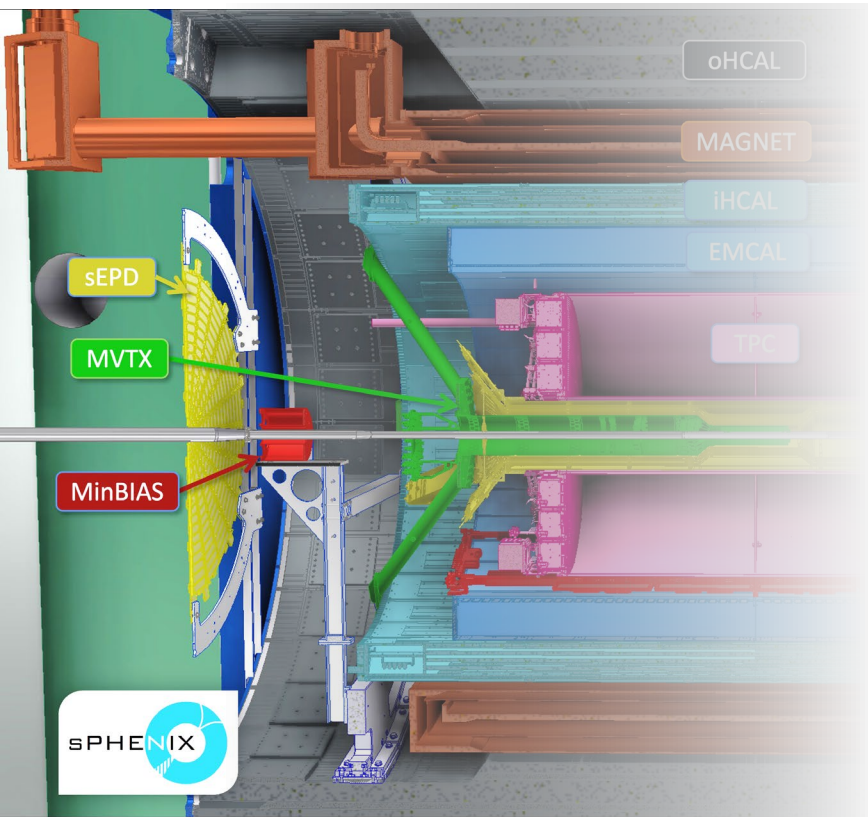
INTT assembly completed !



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T.H. TPC+TPOT+INTT+MVTX installed by March 2023

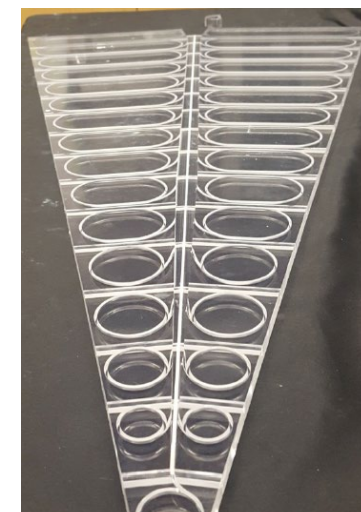
# Global Detectors MBD and sEPD



- MBD  $\eta$ : 3.5-4.6
  - Reuse PHENIX BBC
  - Provide min. bias and event characterization
- sEPD  $\eta$ : 2.0-4.9
  - Event plane at outside of mid-rapidity
  - Scintillator + fiber : similar to the STAR EPD
- ZDC



**MBD installed at Apr. 2023**



**sEPD will be installed**

# sPHENIX summary

- sPHENIX is new detector to complete the QGP missions at RHIC
  - Measure Jet, HF, Upsilon
- sPHENIX construction is completed and under final adjustment



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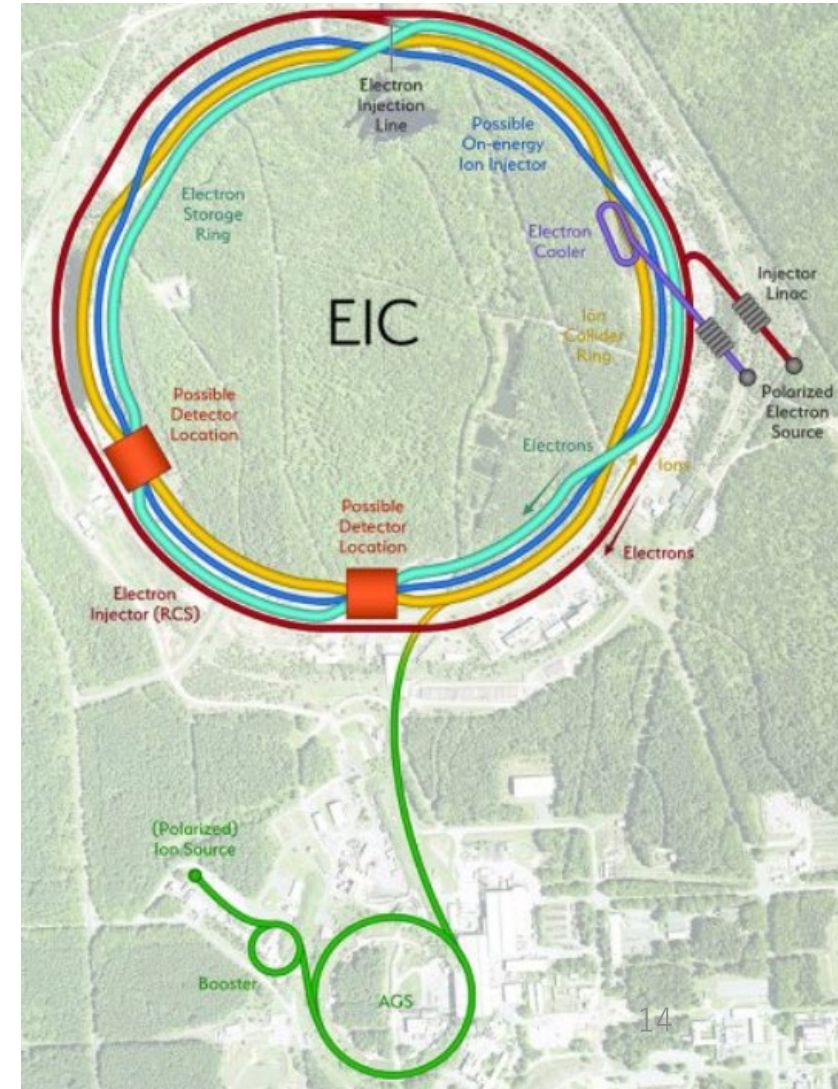
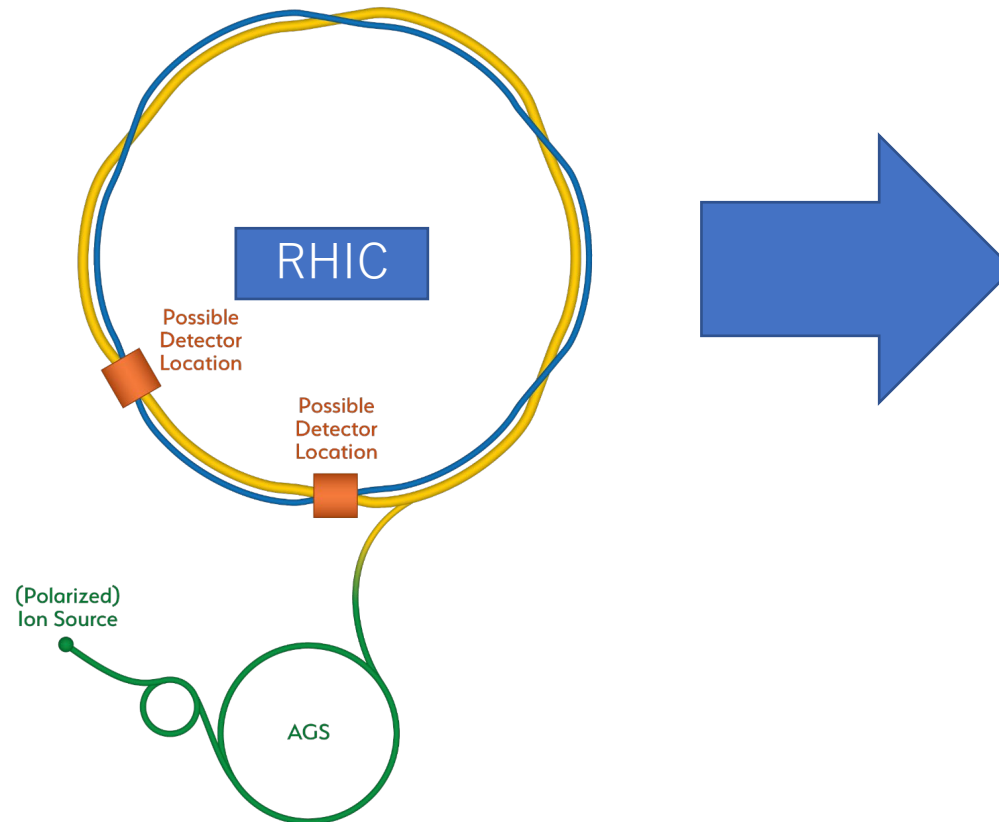
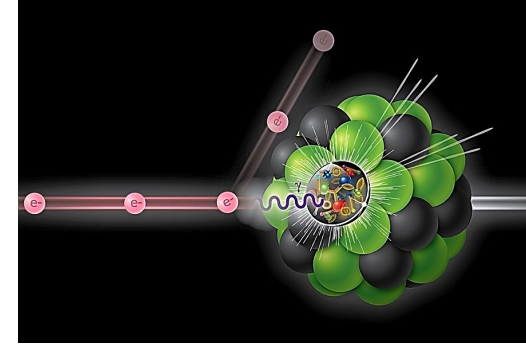
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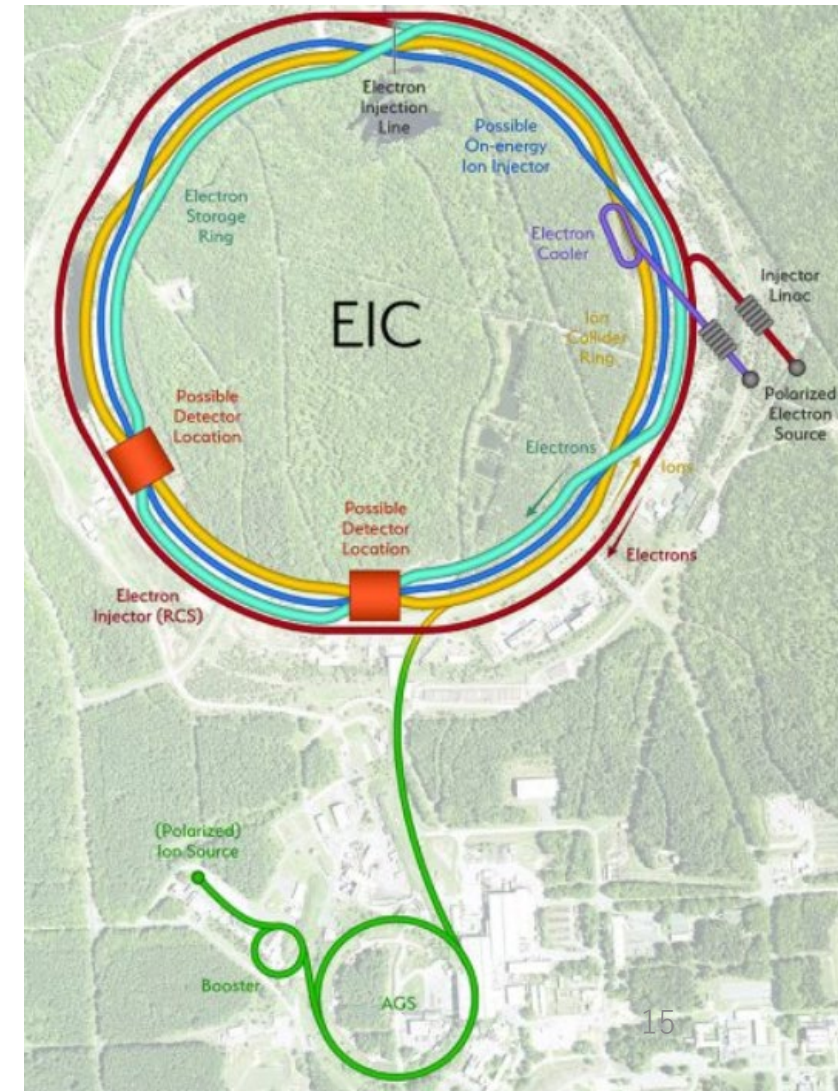
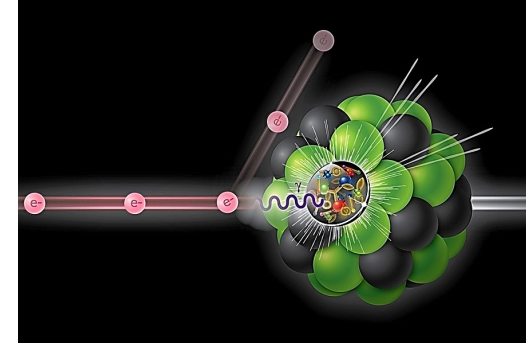
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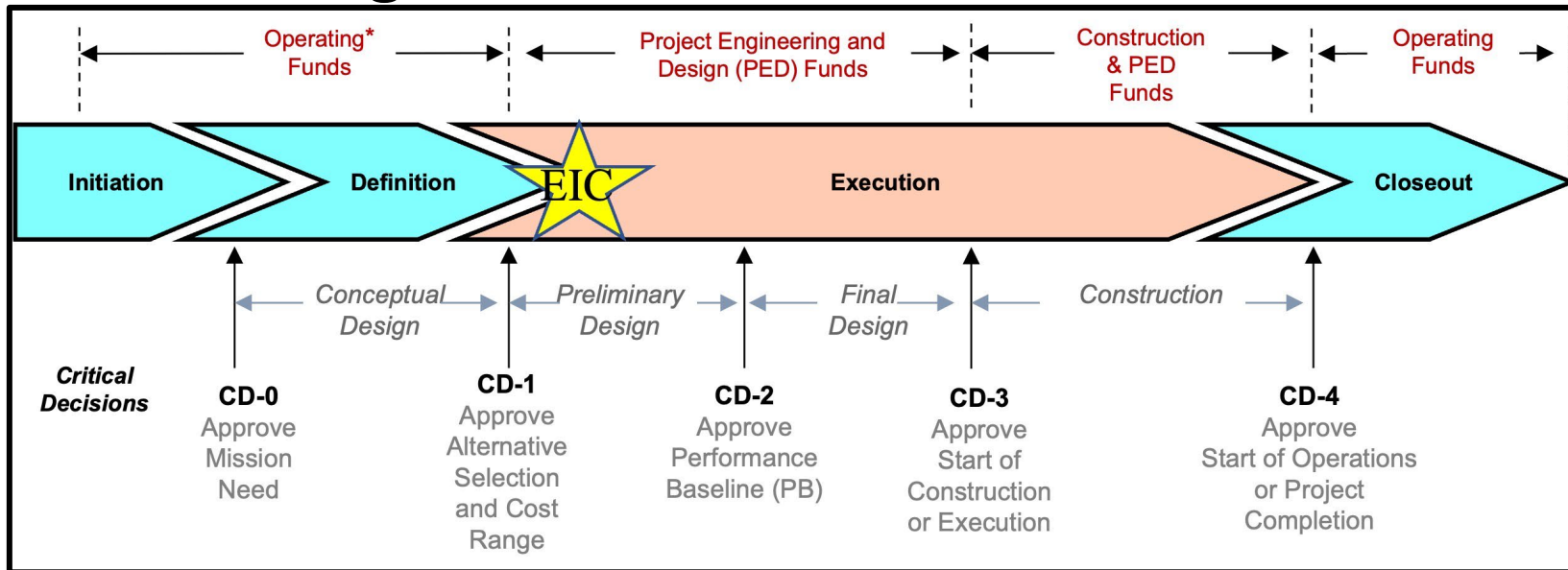
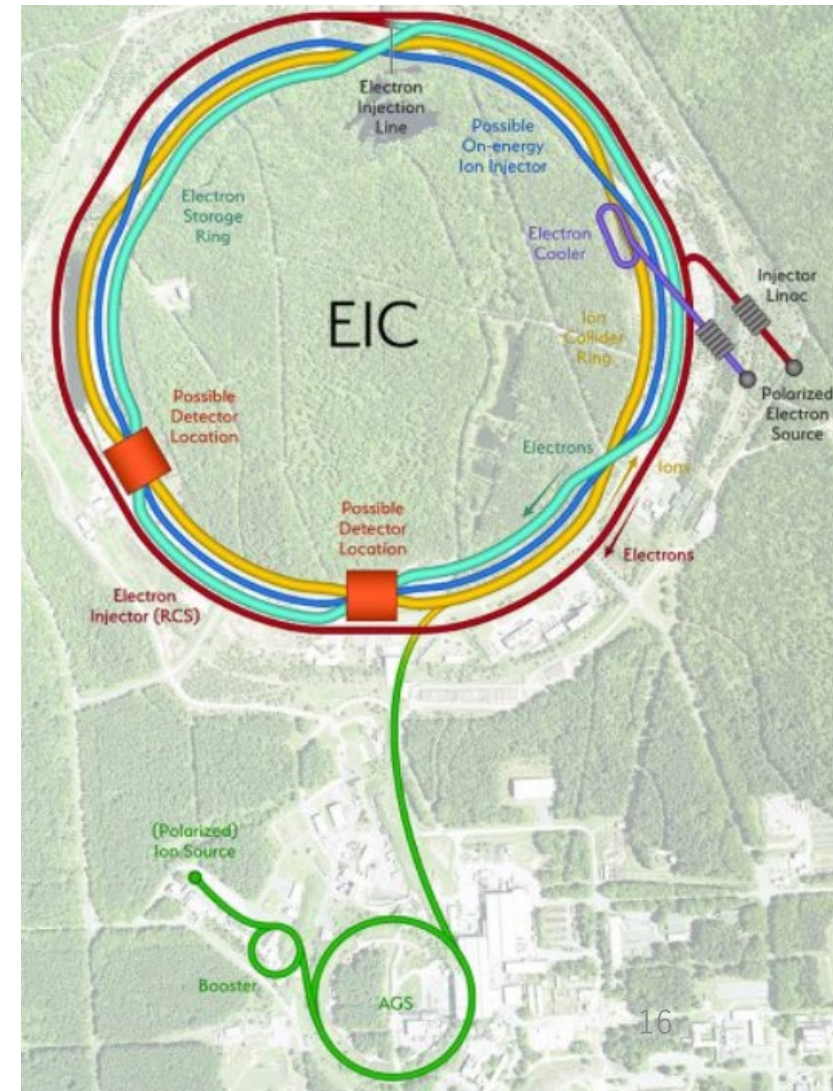
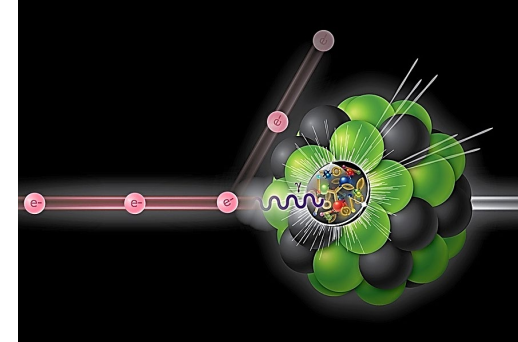
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- **World first polarized electron + ion collider**
- EIC Design Parameters
  - High luminosity :  $10^{33-34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{sec}^{-1}$ 
    - a factor of  $\sim 1000$  higher than HERA
  - Broad range of energies : 28 – 140 GeV
  - Polarized beam : electron, proton, He
  - Ion beam : p - Uranium
- EIC w/ high luminosity and polarization address fundamental questions



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2020 CD0 + BNL selected as EIC site  
 2021 CD1 approved  
 2025 EIC construction is expected to start  
 2032 CD-4A start of operation expected

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# Electron-Ion Collider

- Understanding the dynamics of **quarks and gluons** is the primary goal in high energy nuclear physics

Slide from A. Deshpande in EIC asia meeting

- Heavy-Ion-Collision

- Unique to study the dynamics in extreme condition

- **Electron-Ion-Collision**

- Precise to study the internal structure of proton by **a sharp knife**

Study of internal structure of a watermelon:



A-A (RHIC/LHC)

1) Violent collision of melons



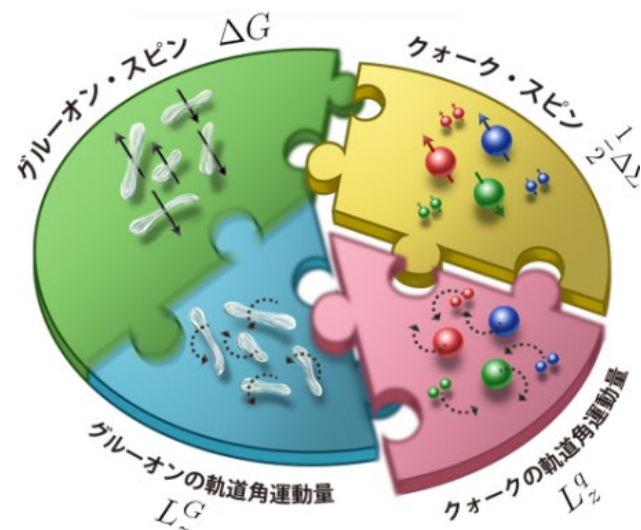
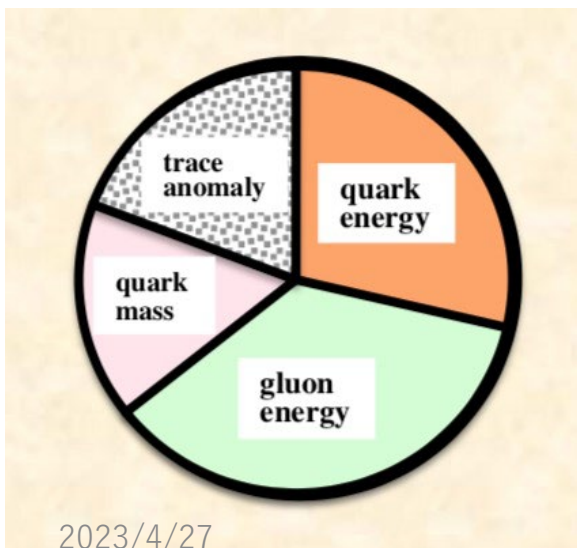
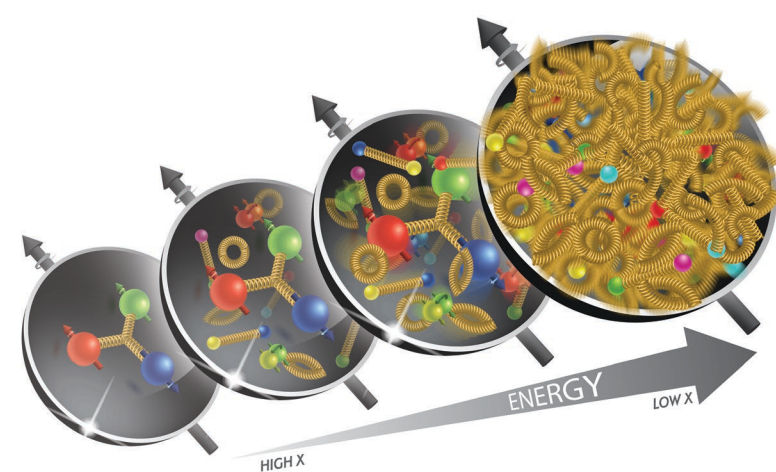
2) Cutting the watermelon with a knife

Violent DIS e-A (EIC)

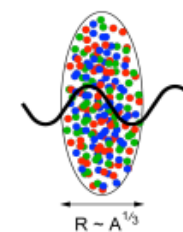
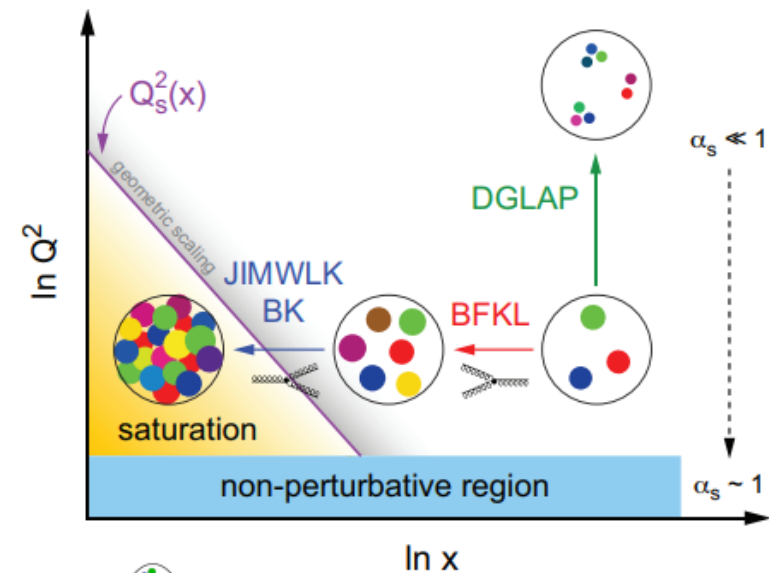
In HIC physics, the precision is improved by high statistics, EIC can achieve even more precise measurements by sharpening the probe and high statistics.

# EIC Physics

- How proton and nuclei emerge from quarks and gluons
  - Proton is simplest object but not well known
- Questions in EIC
  - 3D structure of proton and ions
  - Origin of proton mass and spin.
  - High-density gluon field (saturation) in small-x



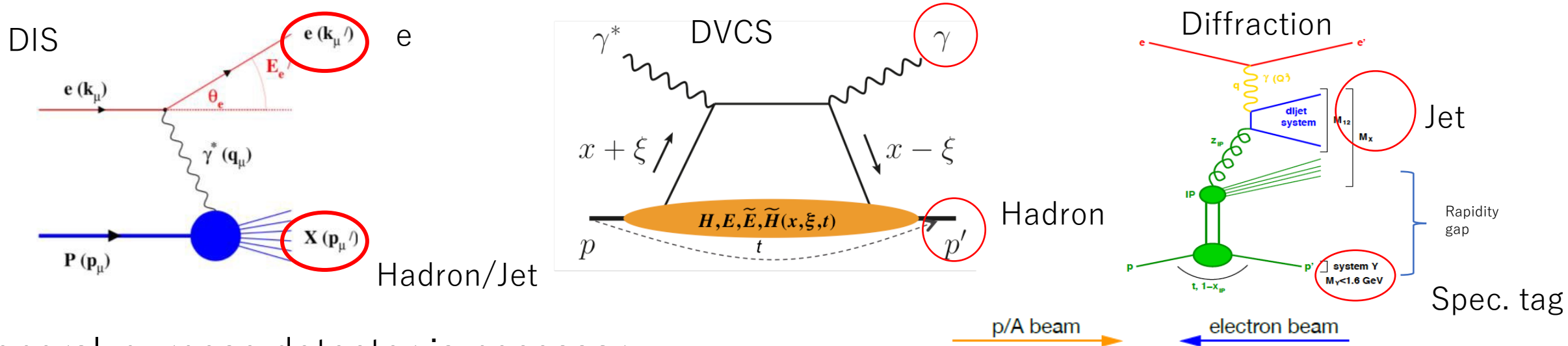
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$$(Q_s^A)^2 \approx c Q_0^2 \left( \frac{A}{x} \right)^{1/3}$$

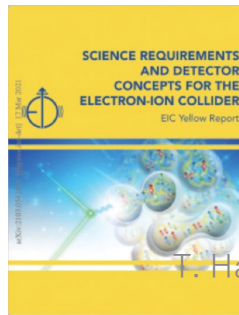
# EIC project experiment

EIC measures both inclusive and exclusive processes from DIS, DVCS and Diffraction

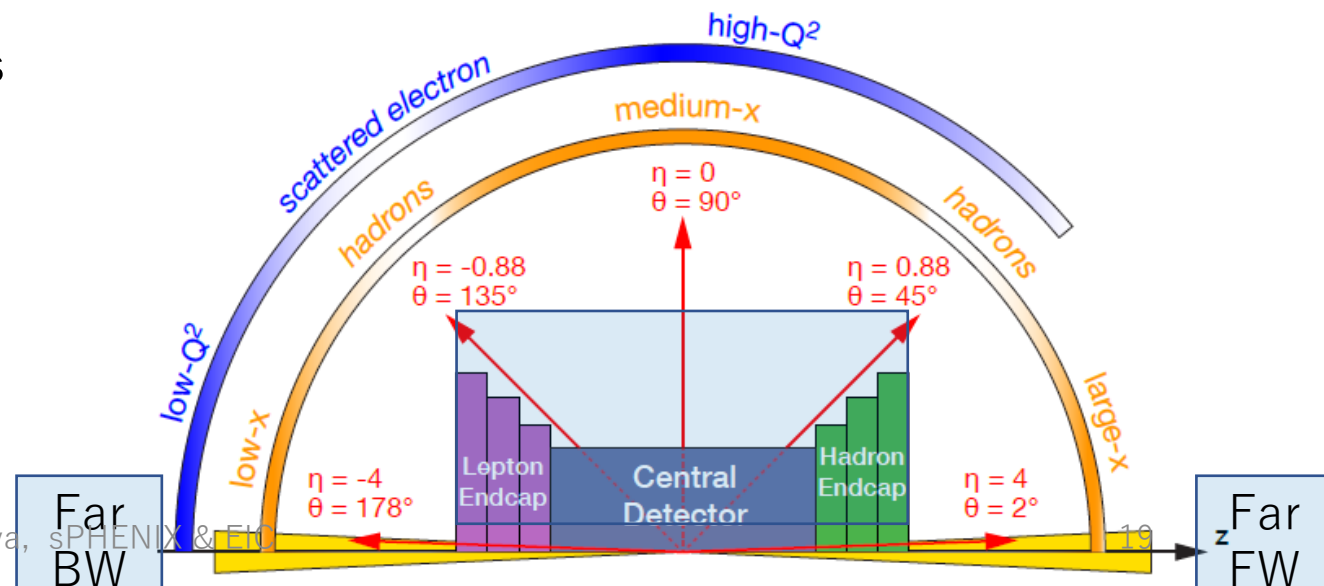


- General-purpose detector is necessary
  - Wide coverage in both electrons and hadrons
    - Scattered e :  $Q^2$  for BW(low) – FW (high)
    - Hadrons :  $x$  for BW(low) - FW (high)
  - e / hadron ID
  - Far FW & Far BW detectors
  - Requirements are summarized in EIC YR (2021)

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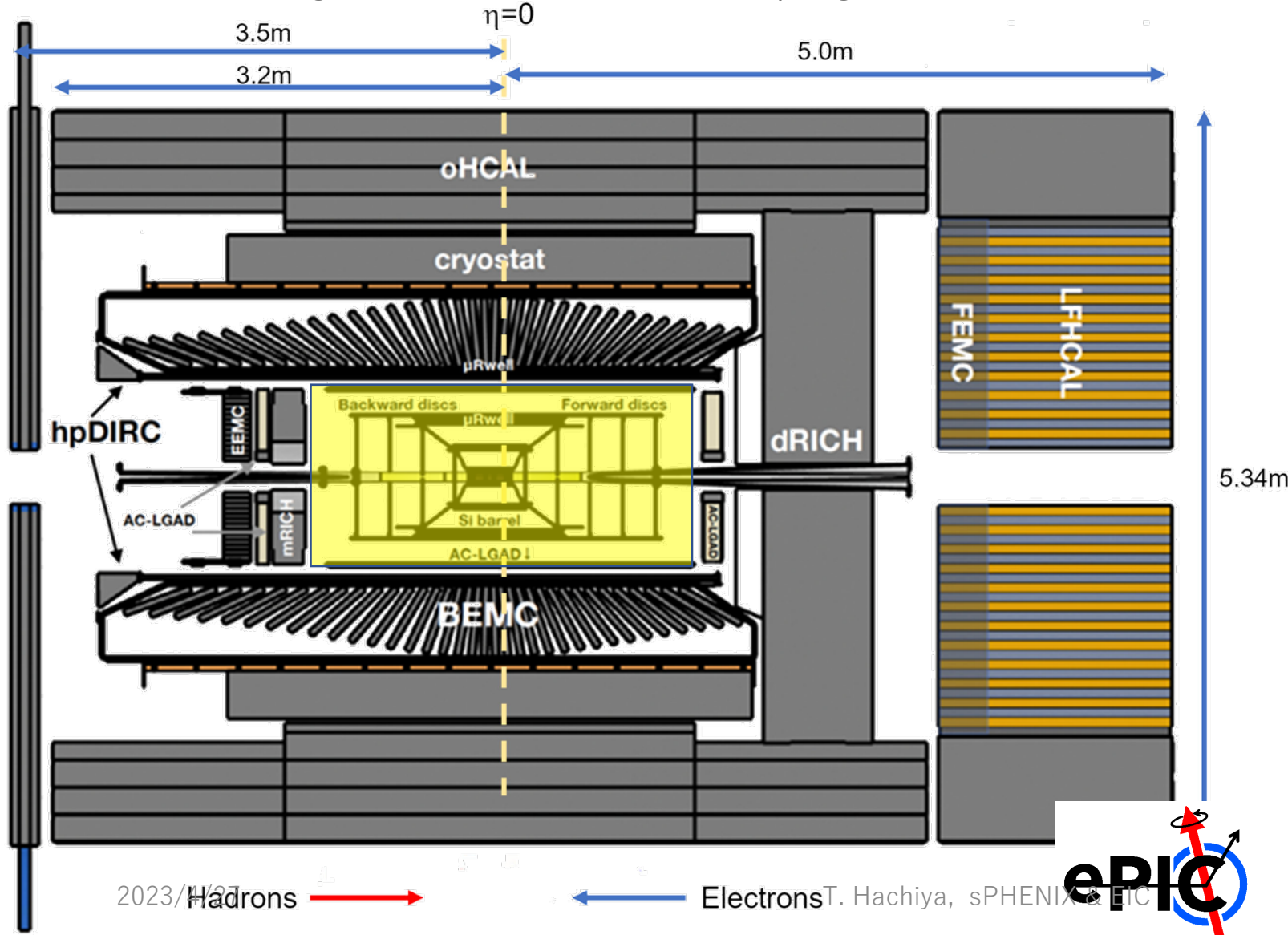
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ePIC collaboration is formed in 2022

Detailed design and detector R&D is in progress

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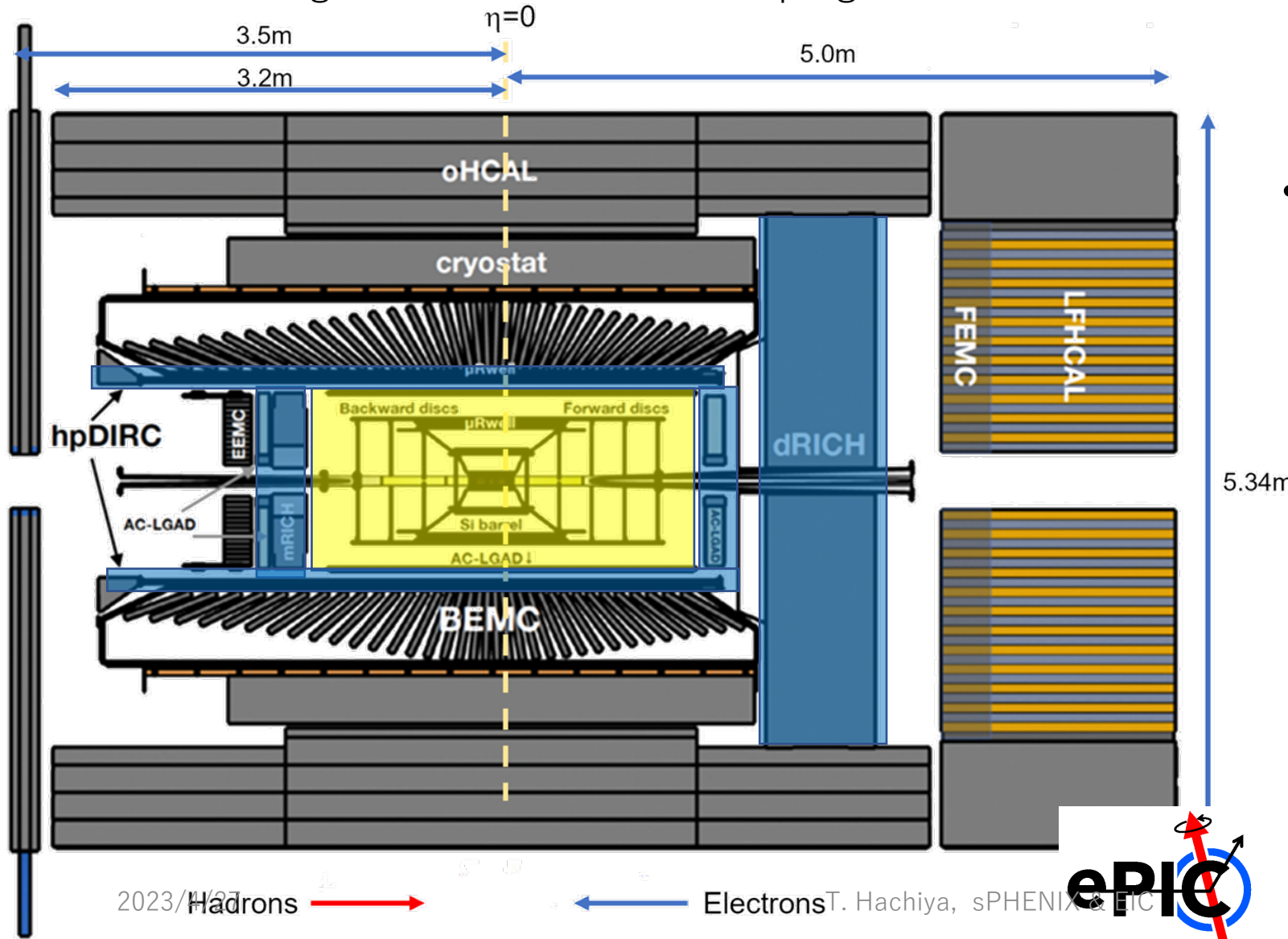
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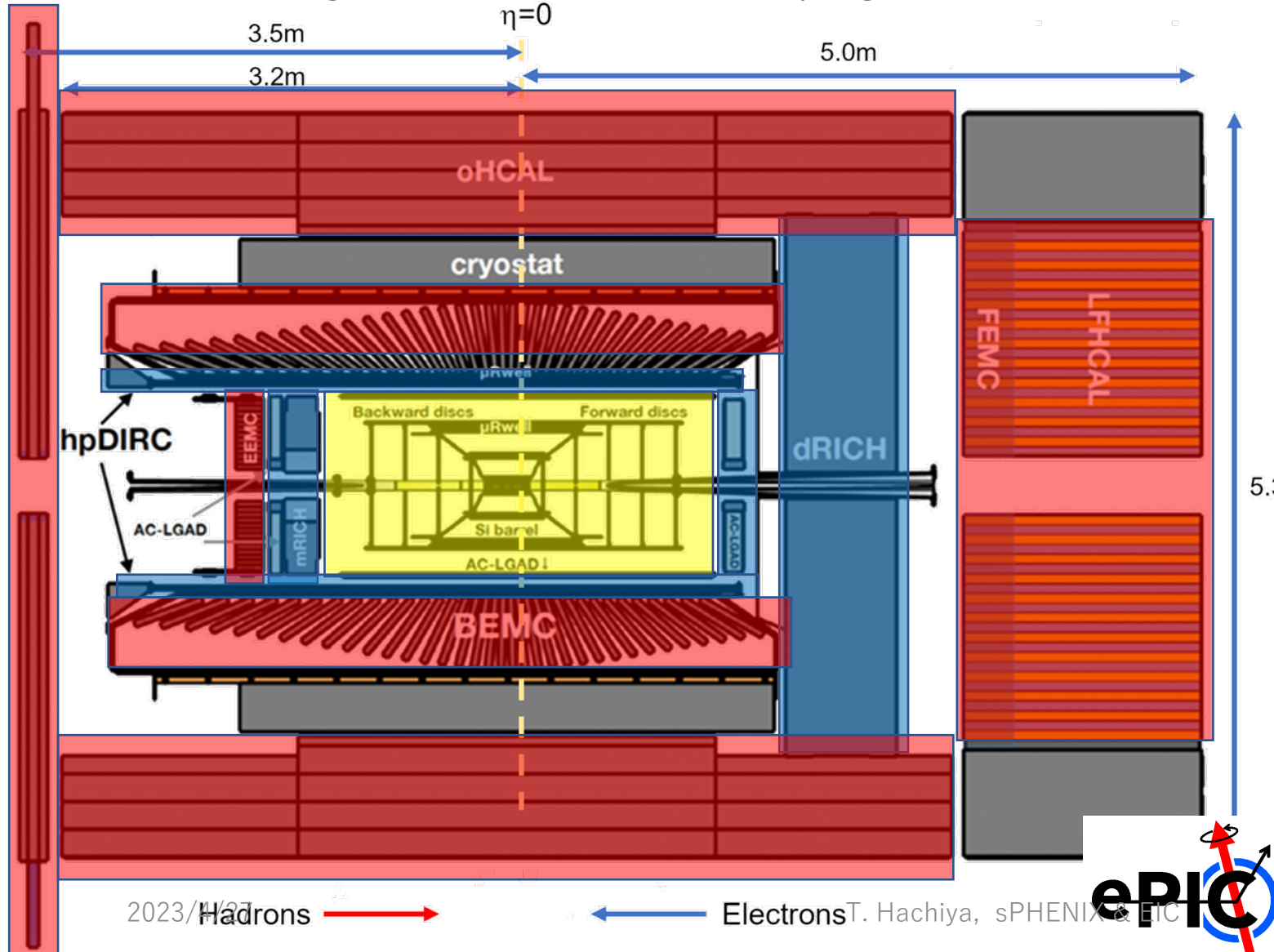
- hpDIRC (cent)
- mRICH/pfRICH (BW)
- dRICH (FW)
- Si-TOF (AC-LGAD ~30ps)



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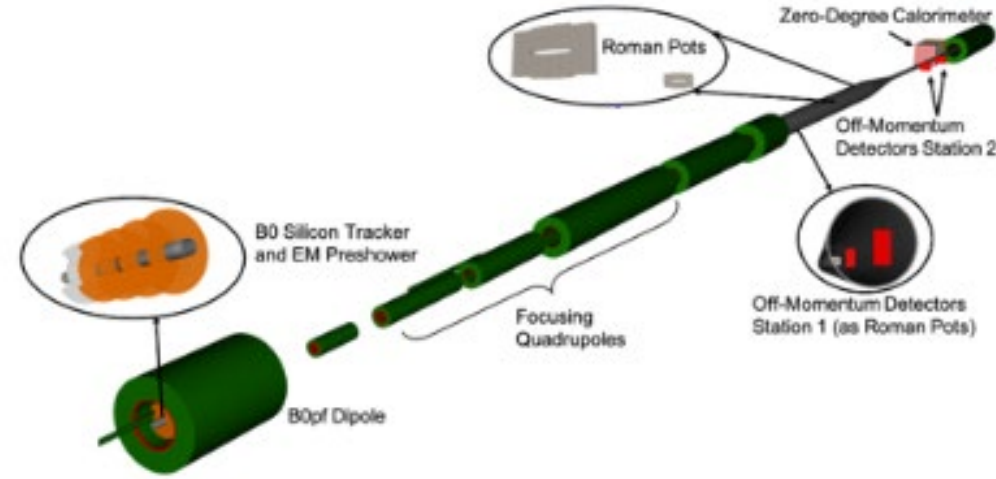
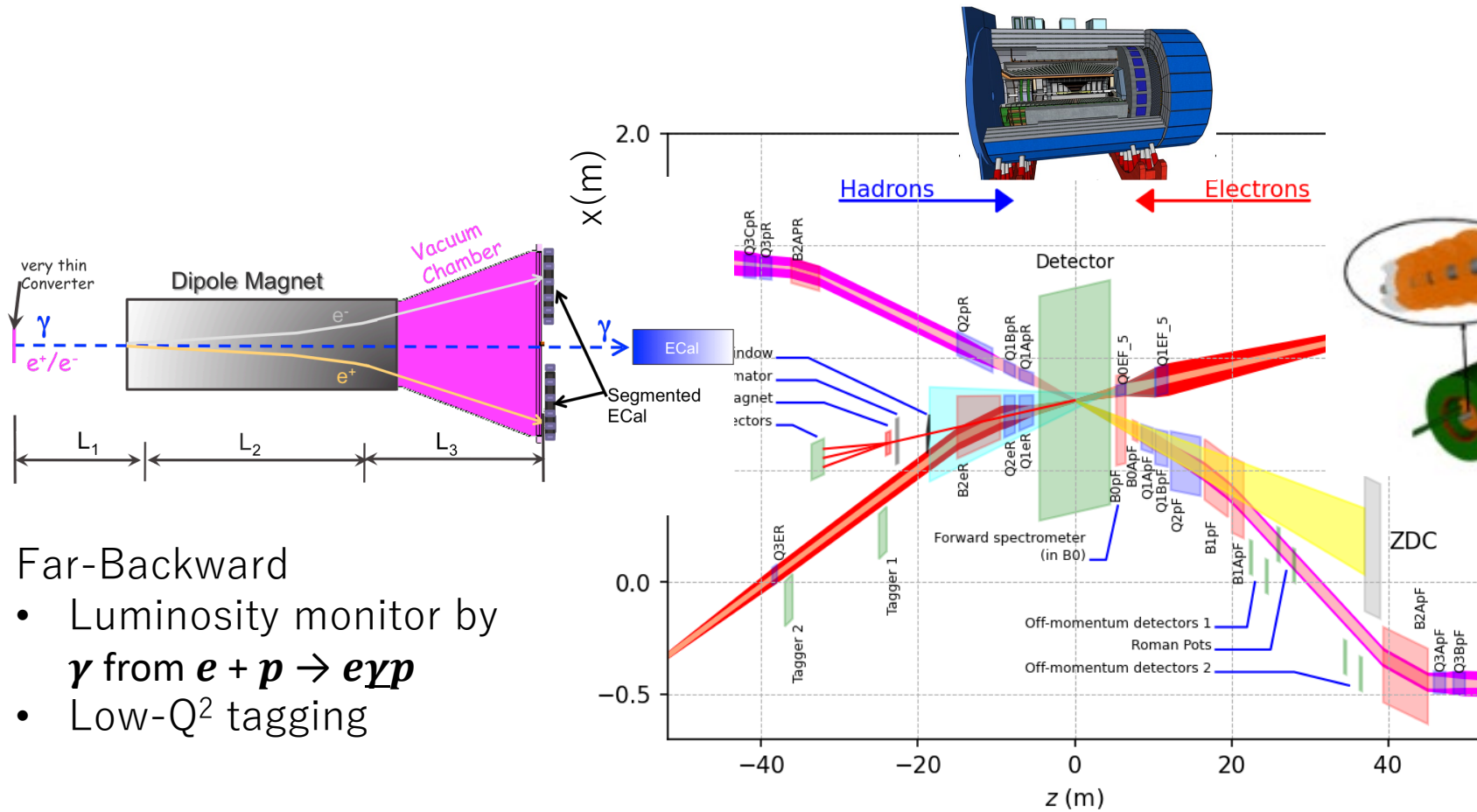
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- Calorimeters

- SciGlass/Imaging Barrel EMCAL
- OuterHCAL (from sPHENIX)
- Fine-segmented EMCAL+ HCAL in forward
- PWO EMCAL + HCAL in backward



# ePIC FW & BW detector (current design)



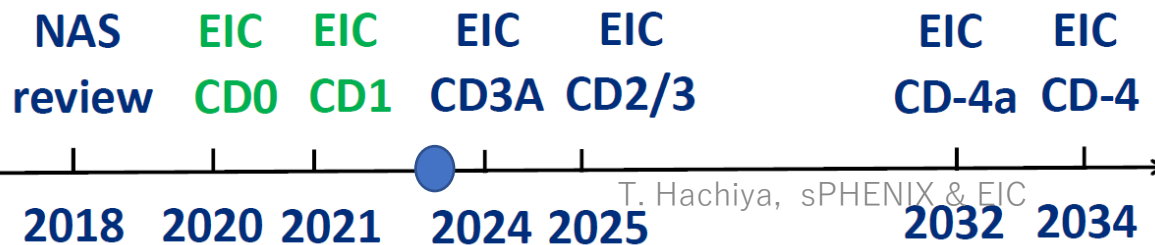
## Far-Backward

- Luminosity monitor by  $\gamma$  from  $e + p \rightarrow e\gamma p$
- Low- $Q^2$  tagging

## Far-Forward

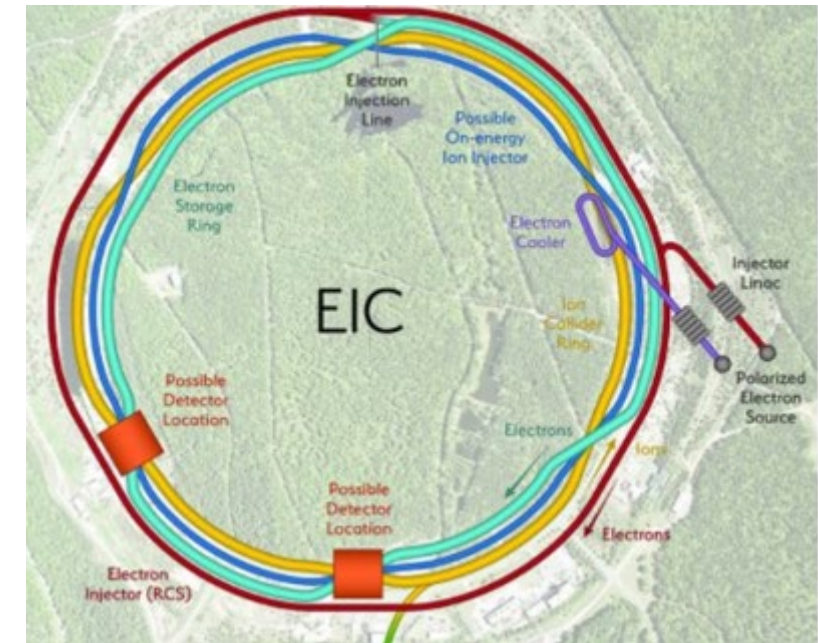
- B0 Si tracker and EMCal for tracking + neutral particles
- Off-Momentum detector for charged particles from fissions and decays
- Roman Pots for charged particles
- Zero Degree Calorimeter for neutral particles

Detailed design and detector R&D is in progress for TDR



# Summary

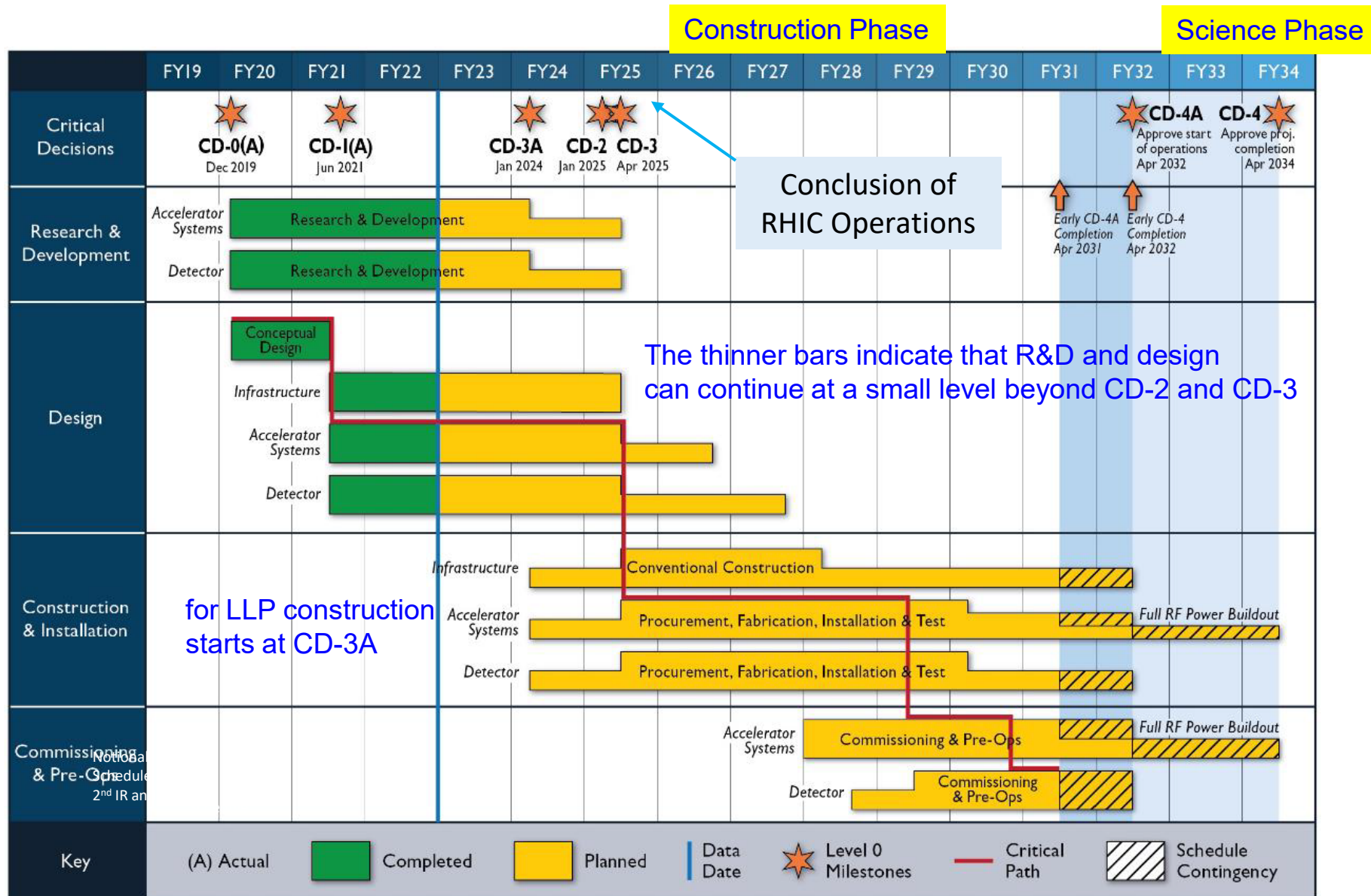
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- Provide key insight of QGP
  - Precise jet, jet imbalance and sub-structure with gamma-jets
  - First  $b$ -tagged jet at RHIC
  - Upsilon three state suppressions
- sPHENIX data taking starts in a few weeks
- EIC is a future QCD collider to address fundamental questions on NP.
  - ePIC detector design is in progress
  - Moving to the EIC construction in 2025 and data taking in 2032





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# EIC Reference Schedule



# Option beyond 3 years data taking

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2026	$p^\dagger p^\dagger$	200	28	15.5	1.0 pb <sup>-1</sup> [10 kHz] 80 pb <sup>-1</sup> [100%-str]	80 pb <sup>-1</sup>
-	O+O	200	-	2	18 nb <sup>-1</sup> 37 nb <sup>-1</sup> [100%-str]	37 nb <sup>-1</sup>
-	Ar+Ar	200	-	2	6 nb <sup>-1</sup> 12 nb <sup>-1</sup> [100%-str]	12 nb <sup>-1</sup>
2027	Au+Au	200	28	24.5	30 nb <sup>-1</sup> [100%-str / DeMux]	30 nb <sup>-1</sup>