NA61/SHINE: 2007-2018

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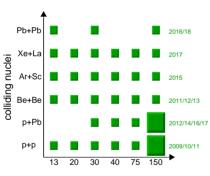
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NA61/SHINE: overview

- First data collected in 2007
- Programme involving three physics communities:
 - Study of strongly interacting matter
 - Precision measurements for neutrino experiments
 - Precision measurements for cosmic ray experiments
- Data taking requested in the proposal to be concluded on Monday
- New measurements requested in 2021–2024
- Important detector upgrades planned for LS2

Study of strongly interacting matter

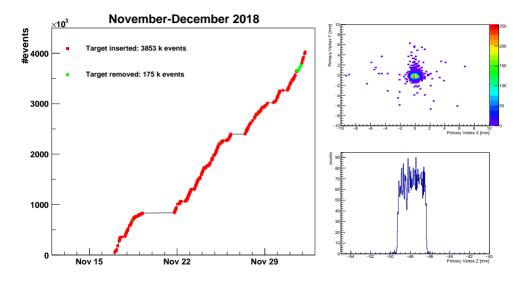
Unique two-dimensional scan in system size and collision energy



beam momentum [A GeV/c]

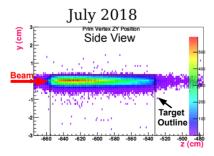
- Study of onset of deconfinement
 - p+p unexpectedly similar to Pb+Pb
 - rapid system size dependence
- Search for critical point
 - Exciting results of intermittency analysis
- Search for pentaquarks
 - ► None found so far!
- Study of high- p_T phenomena
 - Analysis in progress
- Study of open charm production
 - Pilot measurement, to be fully realised after LS2

Pb+Pb at 150A GeV/c data for open charm measurement



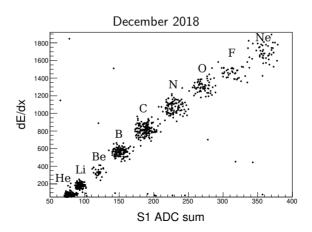
Precision measurements for neutrino experiments

- p+C and p+T2K 90 cm replica measurements
 - significant reduction of T2K systematic uncertainties
- Numerous cross section measurements for Fermilab future neutrino beams:
 - beam interactions with future targets
 - produced pion interactions with horn magnets
 - ▶ proton interactions on 130 cm NOvA target replica
- Measurements to be continued after LS2



Precision measurements for cosmic-ray experiments

- p+C and π^+ +C measurements for Pierre Auger Observatory
- Ongoing test measurements of fragmentation cross sections of galactic cosmic rays open way for physics measurements after LS2



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