



# J-PARC Heavy Ion Experiment

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### J-PARC-HI experiment : Fixed target HI Experiment at J-PARC (√sNN=2-6GeV)

- QCD phase structure is not known at large  $\mu_{\text{b}}$ 
  - Search for 1<sup>st</sup> order phase transition and critical point
- EOS of the matter
  - Possibly similar with neutron star core and their merger
- Chiral symmetry restoration

• Strangeness factory



### Experimental study at laboratory is necessary

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### Heavy Ion Collisions at J-PARC

- Collision energy :  $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 2-6 \text{GeV/c} (\sim \text{AGS})$
- Large baryon stopping : high density matter
  zero baryon density at higher energies (RHIC, LHC)
- Maximum strange production at J-PARC
  - Strange factory





## Higher baryon density by Event selection

- Baryon density can change event by event
  - Higher baryon density is achievable but rare

Baryon density distribution (JAM)



- Measure of baryon density
  - Sum p<sub>T</sub> of charged particles
    - proportional to baryon density
  - Others?



### System thermalized at J-PARC ?

- A theory group in Japan develops a UNIFIED hydro cascade model
  - Core-corona picture included
  - High density core : parton fluid
  - Low density corona : hadron (cascade)
- Data is described very well
  - Cascade only doesn't work
- This suggests that parton fluid in dense matter at J-PARC energy







## **Event by Event Fluctuation**

- E-by-E fluctuation of Conserved charge, Net baryon (proton)
  - Sensitive to critical point
    - Large fluctuation near critical point
  - RHIC-BES
    - Non-uniform at 7GeV but large uncertainty

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- Higher order fluctuation  $(4^{th} \rightarrow 6^{th} \rightarrow 8^{th})$ 
  - Sensitive to chiral transition (even for crossover)
  - 2-order more statistics required with 1-order higher fluctuation



## Di-Leptons

- No dilepton measurement at J-PARC energy
  - SPS/RHIC shows low mass enhancement
- Low mass :  $\rho/\omega/\phi$  (~10<sup>-3</sup>)
  - Sensitive to chiral symmetry restoration by spectra shape analysis with high statistics
  - Direct comparison to theoretial models to estimate quark and gluon condensate (Hayano and Hatsuda, RMP**82**, 2949)
- Intermediate mass (~10<sup>-8</sup>)
  - Thermal radiation without charm background
- High mass region : J/ $\psi$  (~10<sup>-7</sup>) \_

High-statistics enabled at J-PARC



### Scaling of low $p_T$ direct photon yield



- Low pT direct photon as thermal radiation from dense matter
- 10x more direct photon from Ncoll scaled p+p
  - Pp CuCu AuAu PbPb
  - 39 62 200 2760 GeV
  - No energy / system dependence
- Direct photon yield at small dN/dy is approaching to the scaling line
  - Seems a signal of transition to QGP

### Thermal radiation at J-PARC-HI?

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## Hyperon interactions

- Strange Factory at J-PARC-HI
- YN, YY interactions via 2p correlation
  - accessible S=-1 ( $\Lambda$ -N) to S=-6 ( $\Omega$ - $\Omega$ )
  - $\Lambda$ - $\Lambda$  correlation by STAR
    - Need more statistics
  - Lattice predicts  $\Omega\Omega$  has bound state (1.6 MeV binding energy)
- Exotic states?
  - Strangelet, Di-baryon,
  - Λ(1405)...
  - Three body system (KPP)
  - more

### Hyperon spectroscopy

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#### **MINO event (J-PARC E07)**





|1/a | (fm<sup>-1</sup>)

### J-PARC accelerator complex









### Only Linac and Booster Ring are required for Heavy Ion Collision

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## J-PARC-HI: Highest beam intensity



Highest beam rate × Fixed target = World's highest interaction =  $10^{8}$ Hz  $\rightarrow 10^{5}$  higher than AGS and SPS

1 year @ AGS =  $5 \min$  @ J-PARC-HI

This enables in one month experiment  $\rho, \omega, \phi \rightarrow ee: 10^{10} - 10^{12}$ Hypernuclei:  $10^4 - 10^{12}$ Strangelets  $1 - 10^2$ 

### Strategy for high-rate measurements

- High rate detectors
  - Silicon pixel trackers
- 10MHz DAQ system
  - Continuous readout + online data reduction
  - Online triggers (Centrality, dimuon, ....)
- Large acceptance (~4p)
  - E-by-E fluctuations, etc.

### Staging approach with increasing beam intensity

- 1. Dipole hadron spectrometer (10<sup>6</sup> Hz)
- 2. Dipole dimuon spectrometer (10<sup>7</sup> Hz)
- 3. Hypernuclear spectrometer (10<sup>8</sup> Hz)

## 1. Dipole Hadron Spectrometer

**Beam view** 

Magnet pole 41.

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### • Day-1 J-PARC-HI

- Charged particles (PID) + neutrons
- $\sim 4\pi$  acceptance
  - Track : Si-Pix( $\theta$  < 4°), TPC ( $\theta$  > 4°), GEM
  - PID : MRPC-TOF, Neutron counter
  - Centrality : Multiplicity Counter + Zero-degree CALorimeter
- Rate : < = 10<sup>6</sup> Hz interaction
- Flow, E-by-E fluctuation



ZCAL



## Expected dimuon spectrum

- $\mu^+\mu^-$  cocktail embedded into JAM events and processed using GEANT
  - U+U,  $\sqrt{s_{NN}}$ =4.5 GeV, Minimum bias JAM events
- Reconstruct tracks passing through 4  $\lambda_{\rm I}$  absorbers



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### **Project Status**

- J-PARC-HI project will be approved as "Masterplan" of Science Council of Japan (starting from 2019)
- JAEA and J-PARC are positive
- Earliest possible start is 2026
- E16 experiment as a Phase-0 J-PARC-HI in p+A
  - ee pair spectrometer at J-PARC
    - Measure in-medium mass modification in p+A
  - Phase-0 for J-PARC-HI
    - Detector R&D with high intensity
      - MPRC-TOF, Continuous readout and online tracking
    - Hadron measurements for baseline of HIC
    - Will add ZCAL and Multiplicity Counter for event selection







### Summary and Prospect

- J-PARC-HI : Unique Lab to study QCD phase structures and EOS of dense matter
  - World's highest rate HI beam of 10<sup>11</sup> Hz
  - Flow, fluctuations, dileptons, photon, multi-strangeness systems
  - Large acceptance Dipole Spectrometers at J-PARC
- Linac and Booster only needed for heavy ion acceleration

### **Prospect**

- Phase-0 p-A experiment (E16) will start 2020 Spring.
  - Baseline measurement and Detector R&D
- J-PARC HI will be approved on Masterplan of Science Council of Japan (2019)
  - Letter-Of-Intent submitted to J-PARC PAC (2016)
  - Design and R&D of Accelerator and Detectors going (2019-)

https://asrc.jaea.go.jp/soshiki/gr/hadron/jparc-hi/index.html

• Earliest possible start of the HI experiment (~2026)

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### backup

### Expected Performance- Dipole hadron spectrometer





• Changing collision energy enable to scan QCD phase structure

### Baryon density vs time : JAM



- Equilibrium time : Ttr ~ Tz
  - 6 fm/c @ 30 GeV (8@10GeV) => ~5 time higher than nuclear density



### Our staging approach & Goals



HSD calculations in FAIR Baseline Technical Report (Mar 2006) A. Andronic, PLB697 (2011) 203 P. Braun-Munzinger J.Phys.G21 (1995)L17 First step Interaction rate:  $10^5$  Hz E16 di-electron spectrometer  $\rho, \omega, \phi \rightarrow e^+e^- : 10^4$  events

Second step Interaction rate: 10<sup>6</sup> Hz Dipole hadron spectrometer Flow, event-by-event fluctuation

#### Third step

Interaction rate: 10<sup>7</sup> Hz Dipole muon spectrometer Precise low mass vector meson Heavy Flavor

#### Final step

Interaction rate: 10<sup>8</sup> Hz Rare events: Highest Density matter Hyper nuclear physics Strangelet search