ERL-BASED ELECTRON-ION COLLIDERS

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Lepton-nucleon scattering



- **Deep Inelastic Scattering (DIS)** of electron, muon and neutrino beams on nucleons (fixed targets) has been a vital scientific exploration tool for several decades.
- Experiments at SLAC (late 60s) led to the quark-parton model of nucleons, and ultimately to establishing QCD theory.
- Numerous DIS experiments in 70-80s uncovered the momentum and spin distribution of quark constituents of proton and neutron



HERA (1991-2007): first electron-proton collider

Higher CME -> reach to the momentum distribution of quark and gluons at very low momentum fraction (x)

Selection of physics results:

- precise data on details of the proton structure
- the discovery of very high density of sea quarks and gluons present in the proton at low-x
- detailed data on electro-weak electronquark interactions
- > precision tests of QCD (α_s measurements)

From HERA to future colliders

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HERA

Polarized e⁻,e⁺ (27.5 GeV) Unpolarized protons (920 GeV) Peak luminosity: 5.10³¹ cm⁻² s⁻¹ Much higher luminosity: 10³³-10³⁴ cm⁻² s⁻¹

Polarized protons and light ions (in addition to polarized electrons)



(e-)

Heavy ion beams

Different (and variable) Center-of-Mass Energy range

Major physics objectives of future electron-ion colliders



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S-dimensional imaging of the nucleons Electron-ion colliders

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Large Hadron electron Collider at CERN

60 GeV (e) x 7 TeV (p)



- Protons/ions from LHC
- 0.5 Gev injector
- A pair of SCRF linacs with energy gain 10 GeV per pass

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- Six 180° arcs, each arc 1 km radius
- Re-accelerating stations to compensate energy lost by SR
- Switching stations at the beginning and end of each linac
- Matching optics
- Extraction dump at 0.5 GeV

Large Hadron electron Collider at





eRHIC at BNL

Add an electron accelerator to the existing \$2.5B RHIC including existing RHIC tunnel, detector buildings and cryo facility



- Center-of-mass energy range: 20 145 GeV
- Full electron polarization at all energies
 Full proton and He-3 polarization with six Siberian snakes
- Any polarization direction in electron-hadron collisions:



* It is possible to increase RHIC ring energy by 10%

ERL-based eRHIC



Parameter Table

Parameters	eRHIC		LHeC	
	е	р	е	р
Energy (GeV)	15.9	250	60	7000
Bunch spacing (ns)	106		25	
Intensity, 10 ¹¹	0.07	3.0	0.01	1.7
Current (mA)	10	415	6.4	860
rms norm. emit. (mm-mrad)	23	0.2	50	3.75
β _{x/y} * (cm)	5	5	12	10
rms bunch length (cm)	0.4	5	0.06	7.6
IP rms spot size (µ m)	6.1		7.2	
Beam-beam parameter		0.004		0.0001
Disruption parameter	36		6	
Polarization, %	80	70	90	None
Luminosity, 10 ³³ cm ⁻² s ⁻¹	3.3		1.3	

Technological challenges

- High intensity (6 50 mA) polarized electron source
- High power ERL with multiple recirculations (high current SRF cavities, machine protection, MBBU, ...)
- Strong cooling of hadron beams (eRHIC)
- Low hadron β^* interaction region
- Crab-crossing (eRHIC)
- Beam-beam effects
- Techniques for intense e⁺ beam (LHeC)









Polarized e-source: BNL Gatling Gun

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Prototype has been built. Initial tests with 2 cathodes are ongoing.

Ultimate goal: 2.5 mA/cathode, 50 mA total





High current SRF cavities

LHeC: 802 MHz cavity and cryomodule development.

CERN-JLab-Mainz Collaboration



eRHIC: 422 MHz cavity Designed prototype:



Largest total beam current: 700 mA (for 9.3 GeV top electron energy)

HOM power must be effectively damped: LHeC: ~200 W eRHIC: ~8 kW (in worst case)

Multipass Beam Break-Up



Multipass beam-breakup thresholds for 16 pass operation (simulation results)

$\Delta f/f (rms)$	Current Threshold (mA)
0	53
5e-4	95
1e-3	137
3e-2	225
1e-2	329

LHeC



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time [ms]

1.5

2

1e-10

0

0.5

FFAG recirculation passes

High Energy FFAG (II)

E=21.2 GeV

E=6.6 GeV

0.0 0.5 1.0 1.5 2.0 2.5 3.0 0.0 0.5 1.0 1.5 2.0 2.5 3.0

BD

QF

Low Energy FFAG (I)

E=5.3 GeV

É=1.3 GeV

0.04

0.03

0.02

0.01

-0.03

-0.05

0.00 <u>iii</u> 0.00 <u>iii</u> -0.01 -0.02

- eRHIC uses two FFAG beamlines to do multiple recirculations. (FFAG-I: 1.3-5.4 GeV, FFAG-II: 6.6-21.2 GeV)
- All sections of a FFAG beamline is formed using a same FODO cell. Required bending in different sections is arranged by proper selection of the offsets between cell magnets (or, alternatively, with dipole field correctors).
- Permanent magnets can used for the FFAG beamline magnets (no need for power supplies/cables and cooling).



Advanced Cooling for eRHIC ion beam

High energy, high density ion beam need cooling with high band-width. **Coherent electron cooling: 10¹³-10¹⁷ Hz** PoP CeC experiment in 2016-2017 RHIC runs.



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 $E < E_h$

Beam-Beam Effect in Linac-Ring Scheme

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Using HERA and B-factories experience to resolve IR design issues:

Strong beam focusing

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Fast separation (avoiding parasitic beam-beam)
 Managing synchrotron radiation fan (absorbers, masks; precise orbit control; protection of SC magnets)

Detector integration (Large acceptance; Large magnet apertures for propagation of the collision products)

Correction of chromatic effects



- > Test facility for SCRF cavities and modules
- > Test facility for multi-pass multiple cavity ERL
- > Injector studies: DC gun or SRF gun
- > Study reliability issues, operational issues
- Vacuum studies related to FCC
- > Possible use for detector development, experiments and injector suggests ~1 GeV as final stage energy
- > Test facility for controlled SC magnet quench tests
- > Could it be foreseen as the injector to LHeC ERL and to FCC?

TARGET PARAMETER*	VALUE	*
Injection Energy [MeV]	5	
Final Beam Energy [MeV]	900	
Normalized emittance γε _{x.ν} [μm]	50	
Beam Current [mA]	10	
Bunch Spacing [ns]	25 (50)	
Passes	3	

*in few stages

Conceptual Design Study is underway



D.Pellegrini's Plenary talk

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Cornell-BNL FFAG-ERL Test Facility (Cβ)

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- NS-FFAG arcs, four passes (similar to first eRHIC loop)
- Momentum aperture of x4, as for eRHIC
- Uses Cornell DC gun, injector (ICM), dump, 70MeV SRF CW Linac
- Prototyping of essential components of eRHIC design



G.Hoffstaetter's Plenary talk

Also, possible ERL-related experiments for eRHIC are under consideration in JLab. (Sattelite meeting, Thursday morning, Lecture Hall 1)

DOE NP Facilities and possible eRHIC schedule



Summary

- ERL technology provides a pathway for a highluminosity electron-ion collider
- ERL-based EIC designs have been developed in CERN (LHeC) and BNL (eRHIC)
- Several R&D projects are underway to address the technological challenges for an ERL-based collider
- ERL test facilities are planned in order to verify related technologies

