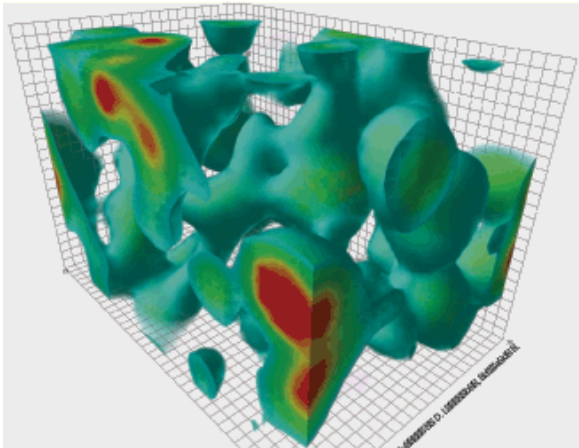


# DVCS with an Electron Ion Collider

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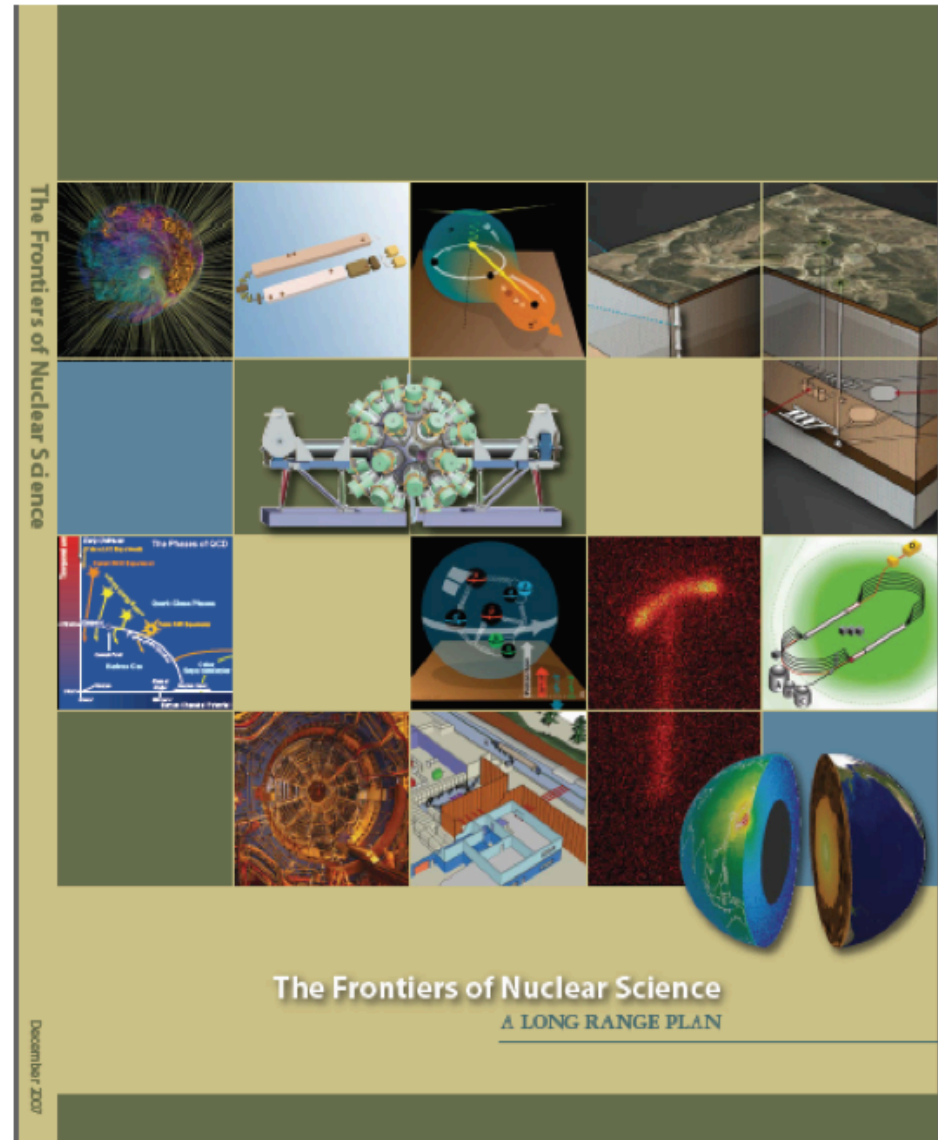
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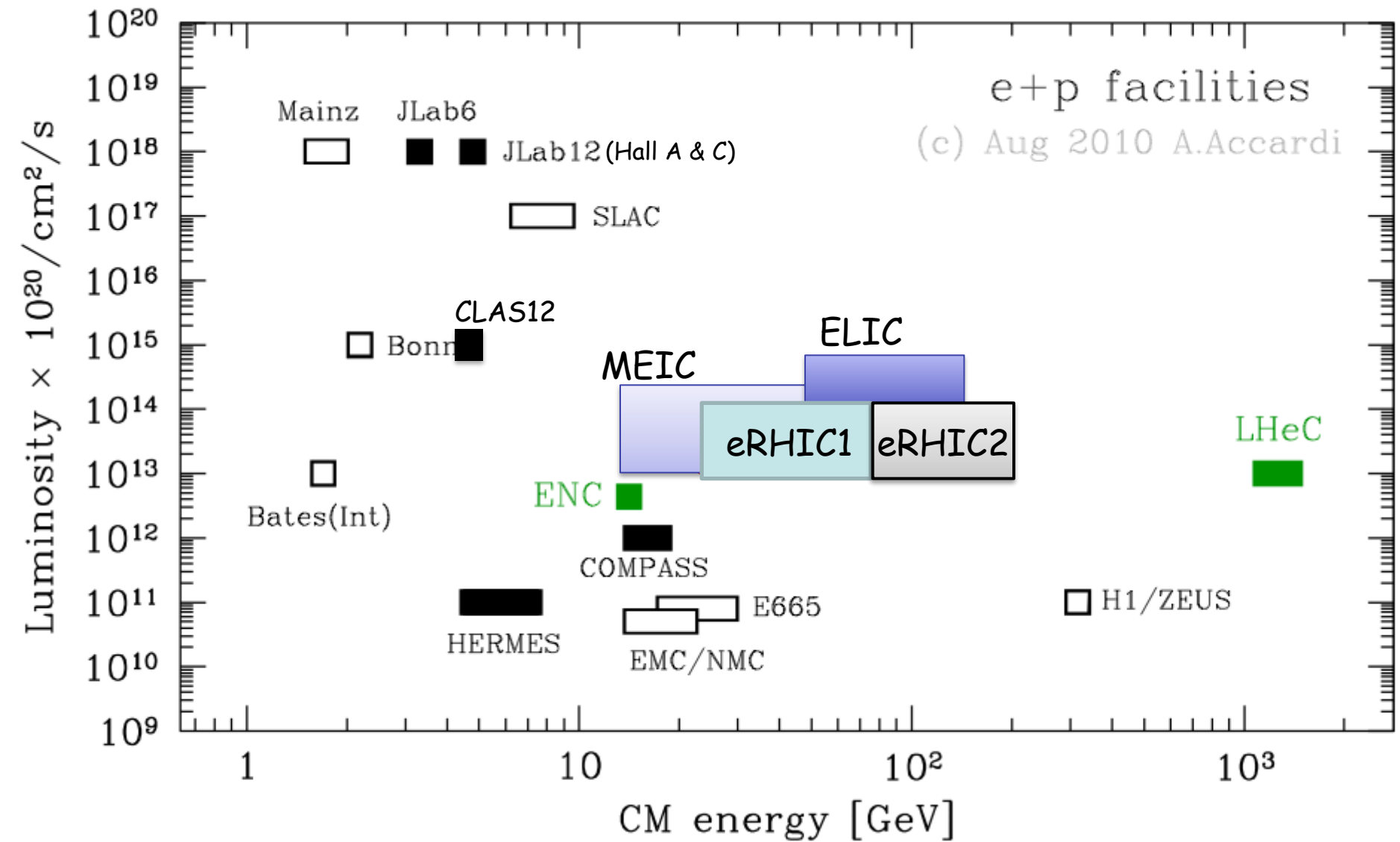
# Official start : NSAC 2007 Long Range Plan

"An **Electron-Ion Collider (EIC)** with polarized beams has been **embraced** by the **U.S.** nuclear science community as embodying the vision for **reaching the next QCD frontier**. EIC would provide unique capabilities for the study of QCD well beyond those available at existing facilities worldwide and complementary to those planned for the next generation of accelerators in Europe and Asia. In support of this new direction:

We recommend the allocation of resources to **develop accelerator and detector technology necessary** to lay the foundation for a **polarized Electron Ion Collider**. The EIC would explore the new QCD frontier of strong color fields in nuclei and **precisely image the gluons in the proton.**"



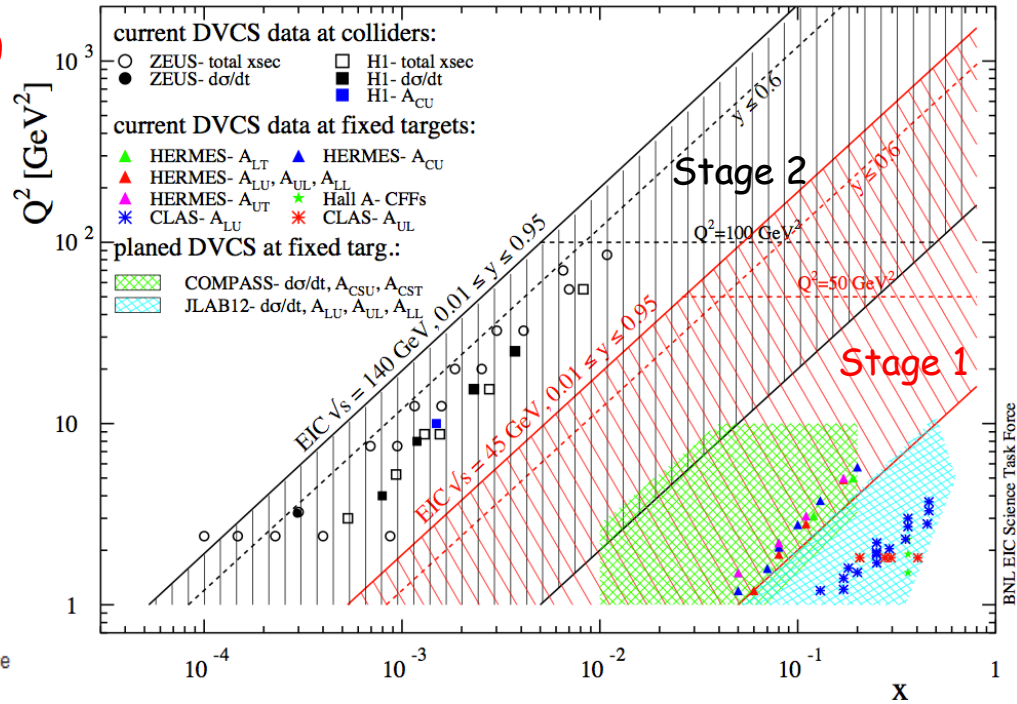
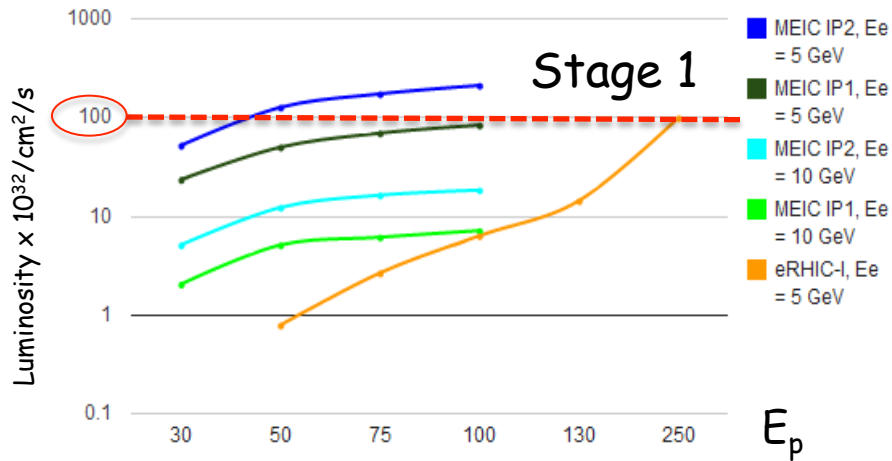
# Lepton-Proton/Ion machines world-wide



# Basic machine parameters

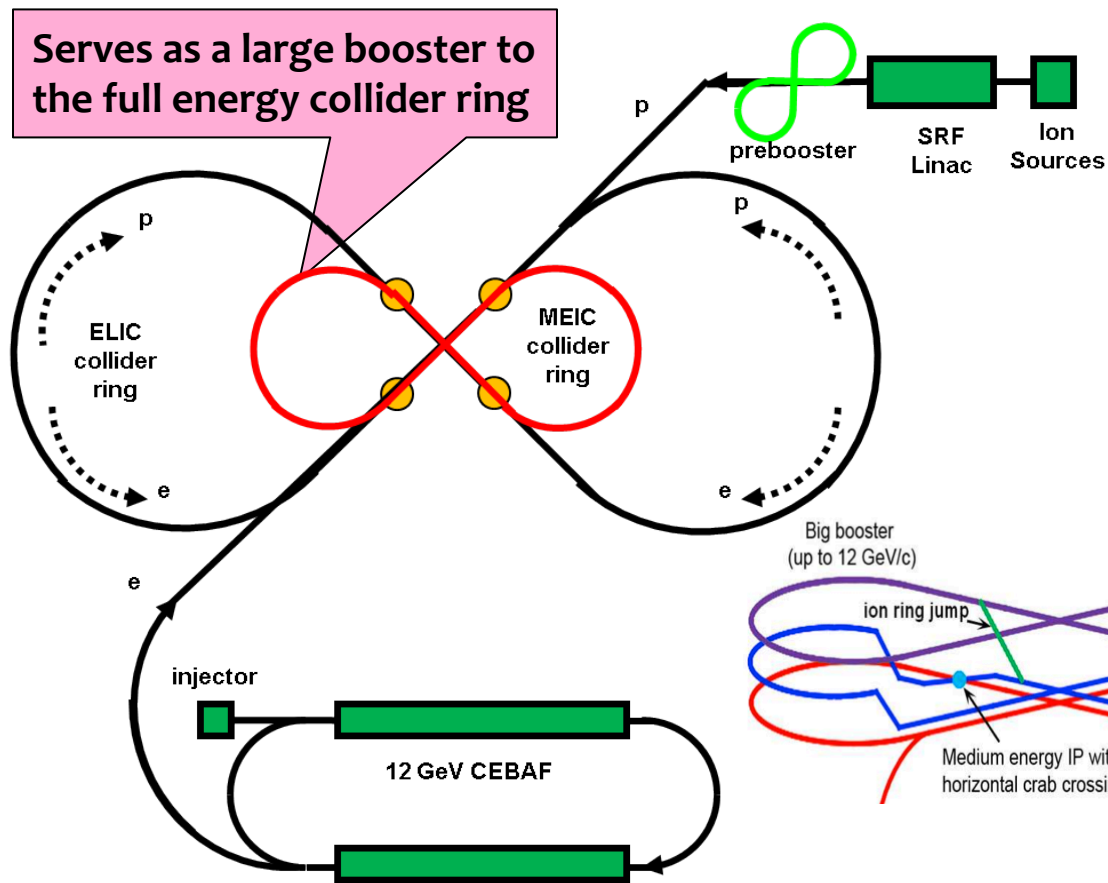
## Base EIC Requirements *per Executive Summary INT Report* :

- Range in cm energies  $\sqrt{s} \sim 20-70$  & variable
- Fully-**polarized** (>70%), longitudinal and transverse
- Ion species up to  $A \sim 200$
- High luminosity:  
**about  $10^{34}$**  e-nucleons  $\text{cm}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$
- Multiple interaction regions
- **Upgradable to higher energies**

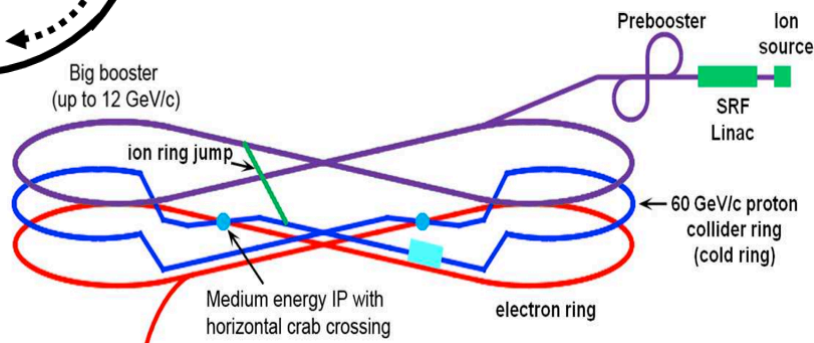
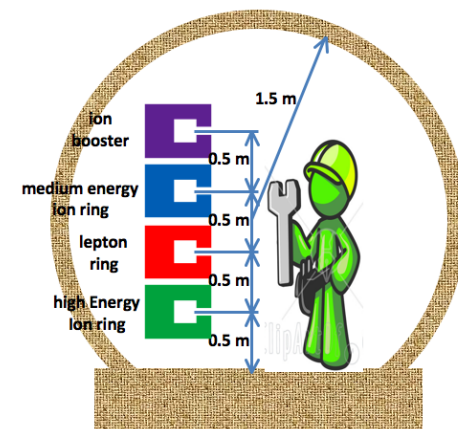


# JLab design, Stages 1 (MEIC) & 2 (ELIC)

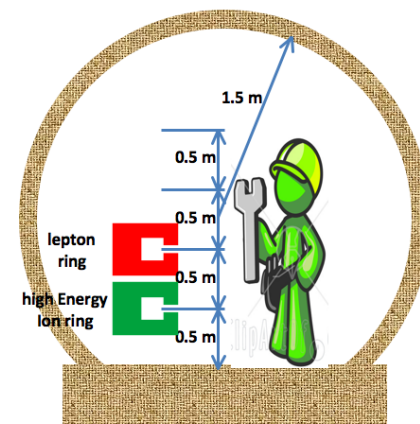
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## Straight section



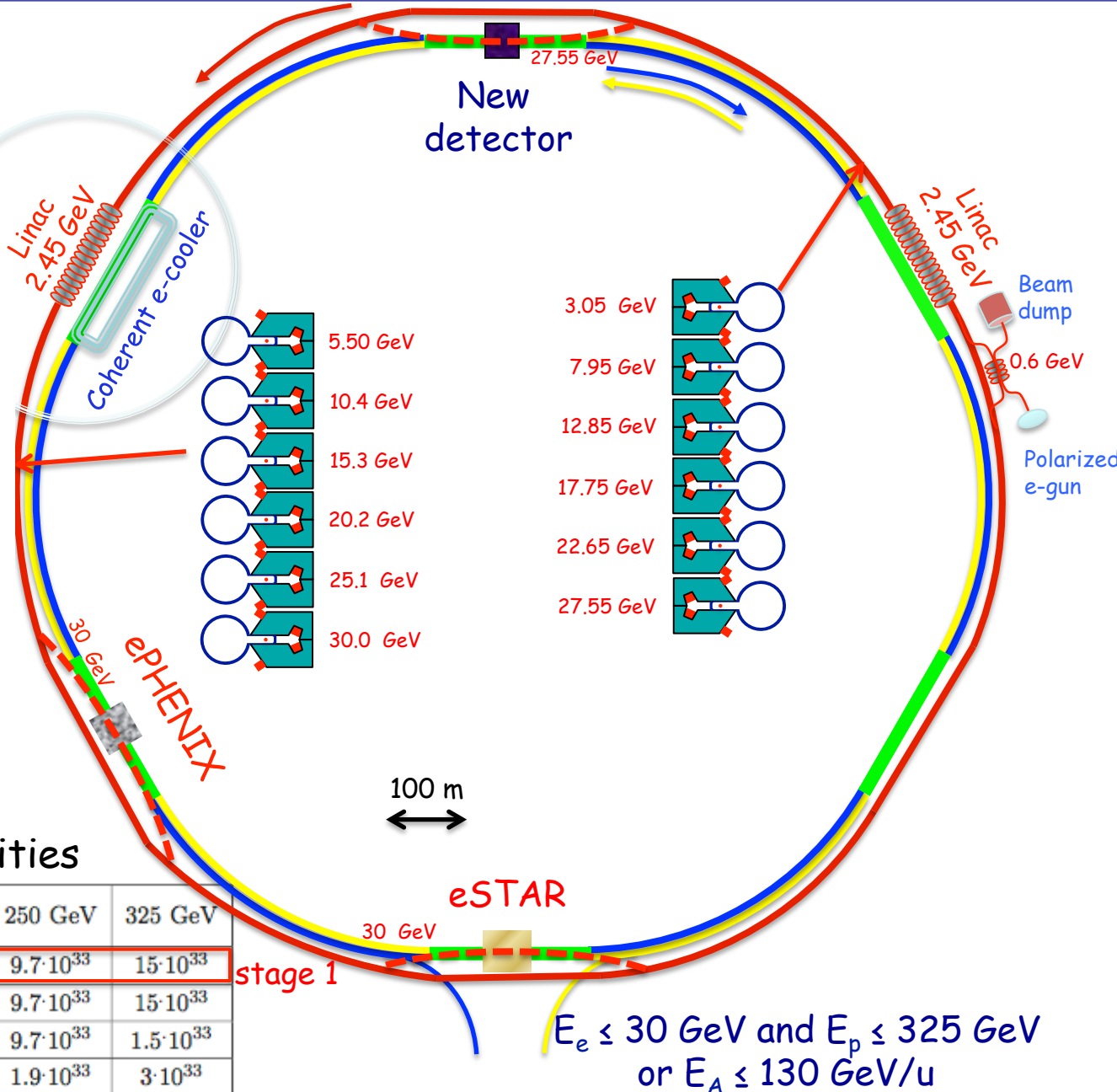
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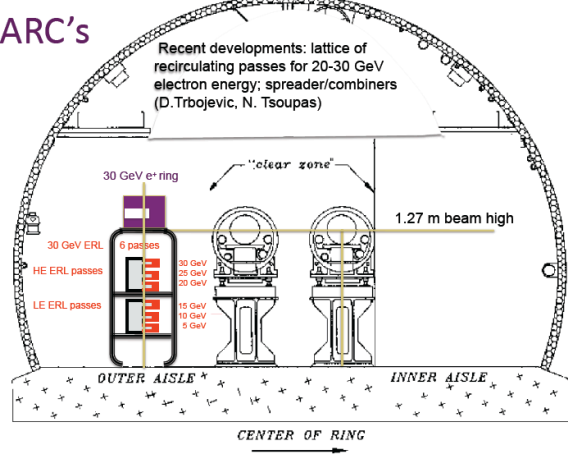
Stage	Max. Energy (GeV/c)		Ring Size (m)	Ring Type		IP #
	p	e		p	e	
Medium	96	11	1000	Cold	Warm	3
High	250	20	2500	Cold	Warm	4



# RHIC realization



Same tunnel for all beams  
ARC's



polarized e & p luminosities

Electrons	Protons			
	100 GeV	130 GeV	250 GeV	325 GeV
5 GeV	$0.62 \cdot 10^{33}$	$1.4 \cdot 10^{33}$	$9.7 \cdot 10^{33}$	$15 \cdot 10^{33}$
10 GeV	$0.62 \cdot 10^{33}$	$1.4 \cdot 10^{33}$	$9.7 \cdot 10^{33}$	$15 \cdot 10^{33}$
20 GeV	$0.62 \cdot 10^{33}$	$1.4 \cdot 10^{33}$	$9.7 \cdot 10^{33}$	$1.5 \cdot 10^{33}$
30 GeV	$0.12 \cdot 10^{33}$	$0.3 \cdot 10^{33}$	$1.9 \cdot 10^{33}$	$3 \cdot 10^{33}$

$$E_e \leq 30 \text{ GeV and } E_p \leq 325 \text{ GeV}$$

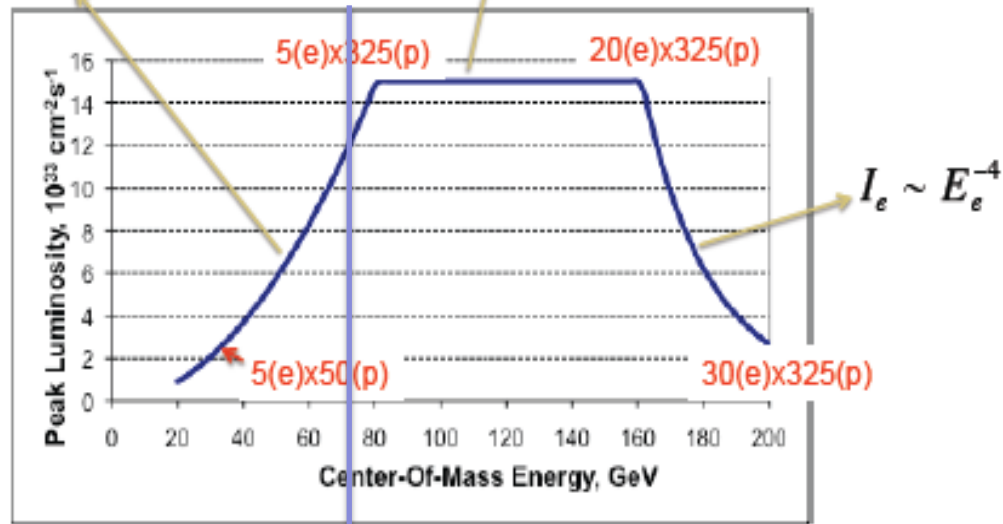
$$\text{or } E_A \leq 130 \text{ GeV/u}$$

# eRHIC staged installation

## Luminosity vs. $\sqrt{s}$

Space charge effect is under evaluation

Increased disruption (at low e energy)  
has been verified by beam-beam simulations



eRHIC1

eRHIC2

**Stage 1 eRHIC:**  
ePHENIX & eSTAR ?  
5 GeV  $e^-$  beam

**Stage 2 eRHIC:**  
Dedicated eRHIC detector  
20-30 GeV  $e^-$  beam

# EIC detector requirements

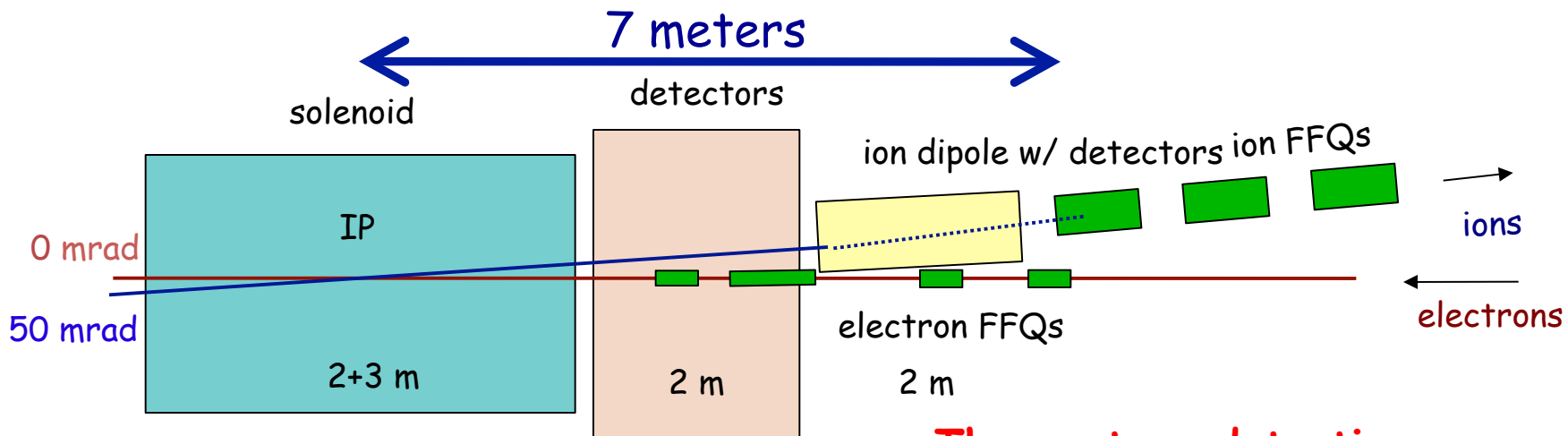
## Mostly driven by exclusive or semi-inclusive physics

- Hermeticity (also for hadronic reconstruction methods in DIS)
- Particle identification (needed for SIDIS too)
- Momentum resolution
- Forward detection of recoil baryons (also baryons from nuclei)
- Muon detection ( $J/\Psi$ )
- Photon detection (DVCS,  $\pi^0$ )
- Very forward detection (spectator tagging, diffractive mechanisms, coherent nuclear, etc)
- Vertex resolution (displaced vertex, i.e. charm)
- Hadronic calorimetry (jet)

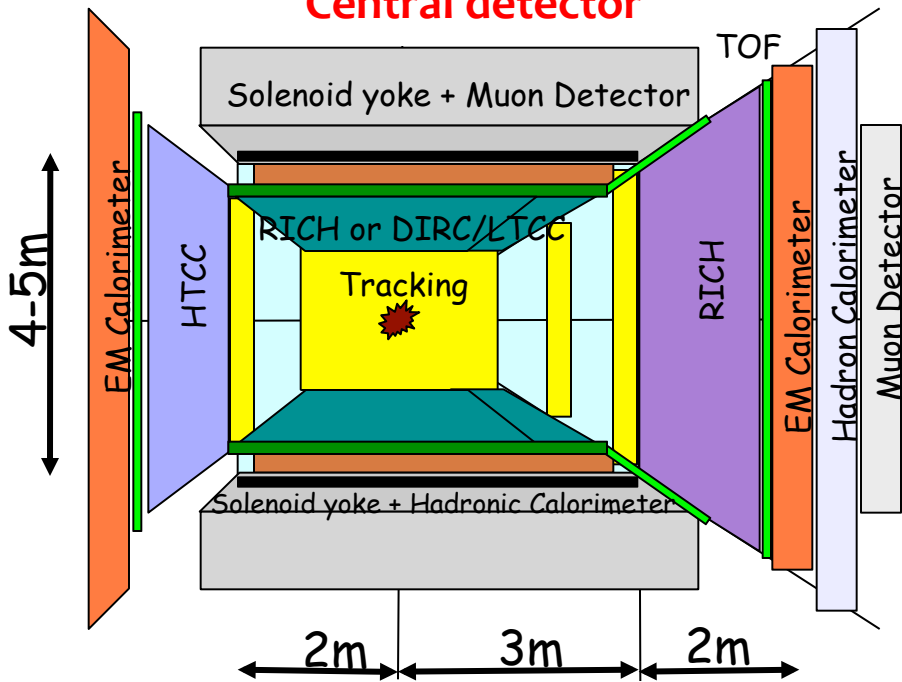
In general, e-p and even more e-A colliders have a large fraction of their science related to the detection of **what happens to the ion beam**. The struck quark remnants can be guided to go to the central detector region with  $Q^2$  cuts, but the **spectator quark or struck nucleus remnants will go in the forward (ion) direction**.



# MEIC/ELIC detector



## Central detector



## Three-stage detection

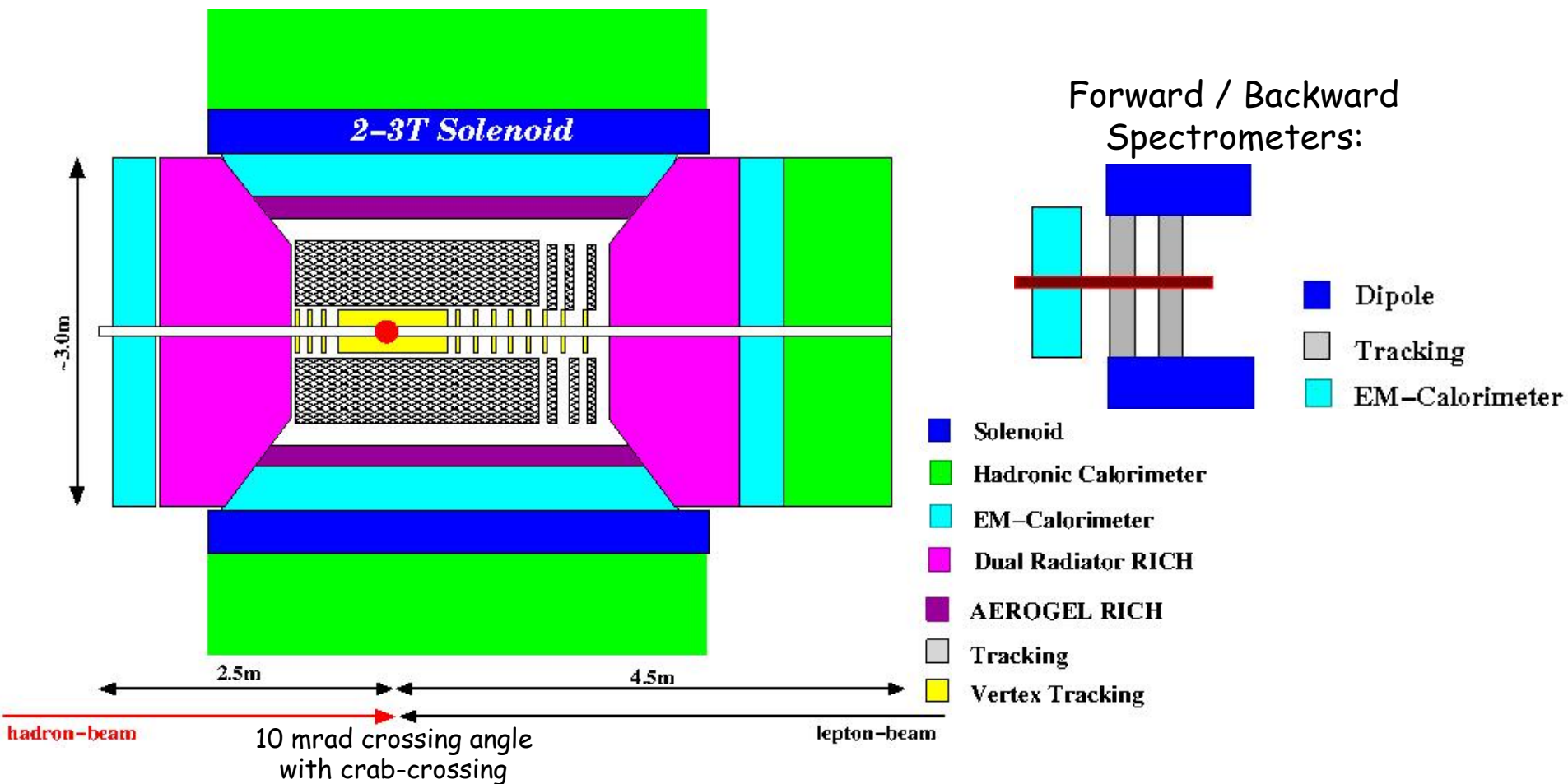
Detect particles with angles **down to  $0.5^\circ$**  before ion FFQs.  
**Need 1-2 Tm dipole.**

Detect particles with angles **below  $0.5^\circ$**  beyond ion FFQs and in arcs.  
**Need 4 m machine element free region**

## Very-forward detector

Large dipole bend @ 20 meter from IP (to correct the 50 mr ion horizontal crossing angle) allows for **very-small angle detection ( $<0.3^\circ$ )**.  
**Need 20 m machine element free region**

# New eRHIC detector



High acceptance  $-5 < \eta < 5$  central detector

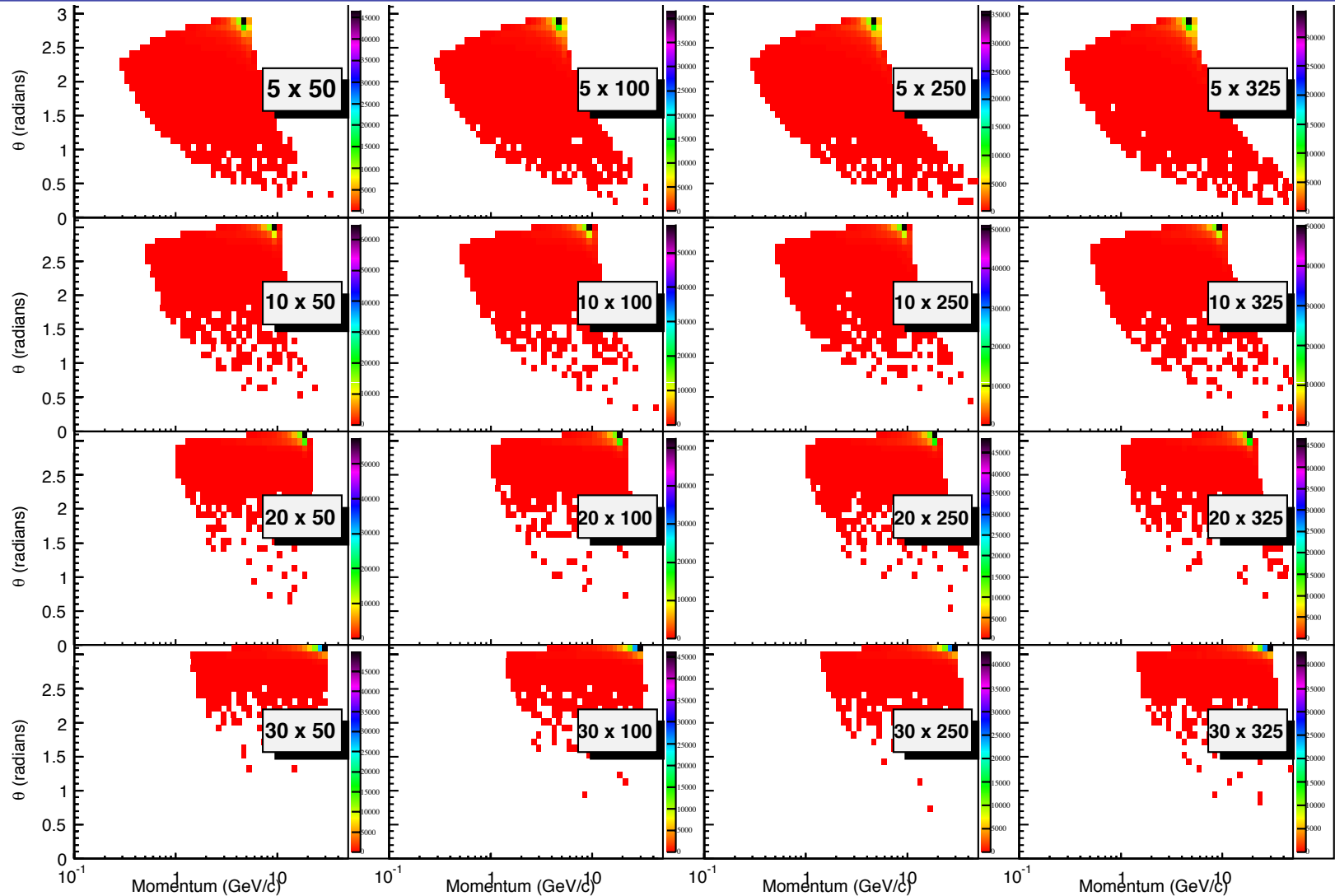
Good PID and vertex resolution

Tracking and calorimeter coverage the same  $\rightarrow$  good momentum resolution, lepton PID

Low material density  $\rightarrow$  minimal multiple scattering and bremsstrahlung

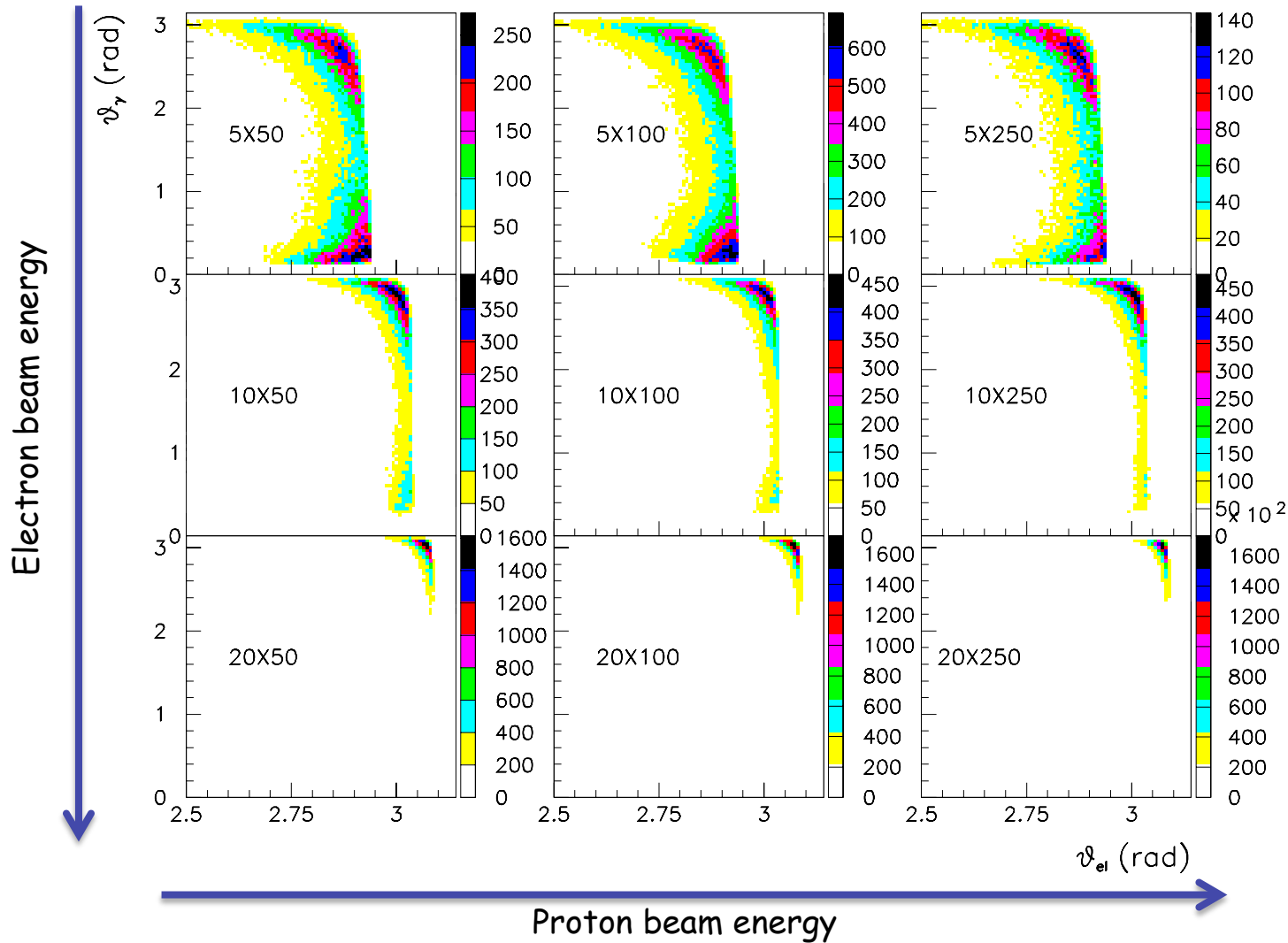
Very forward electron and proton detection  $\rightarrow$  maybe dipole spectrometers

# Detector considerations : scattered electron



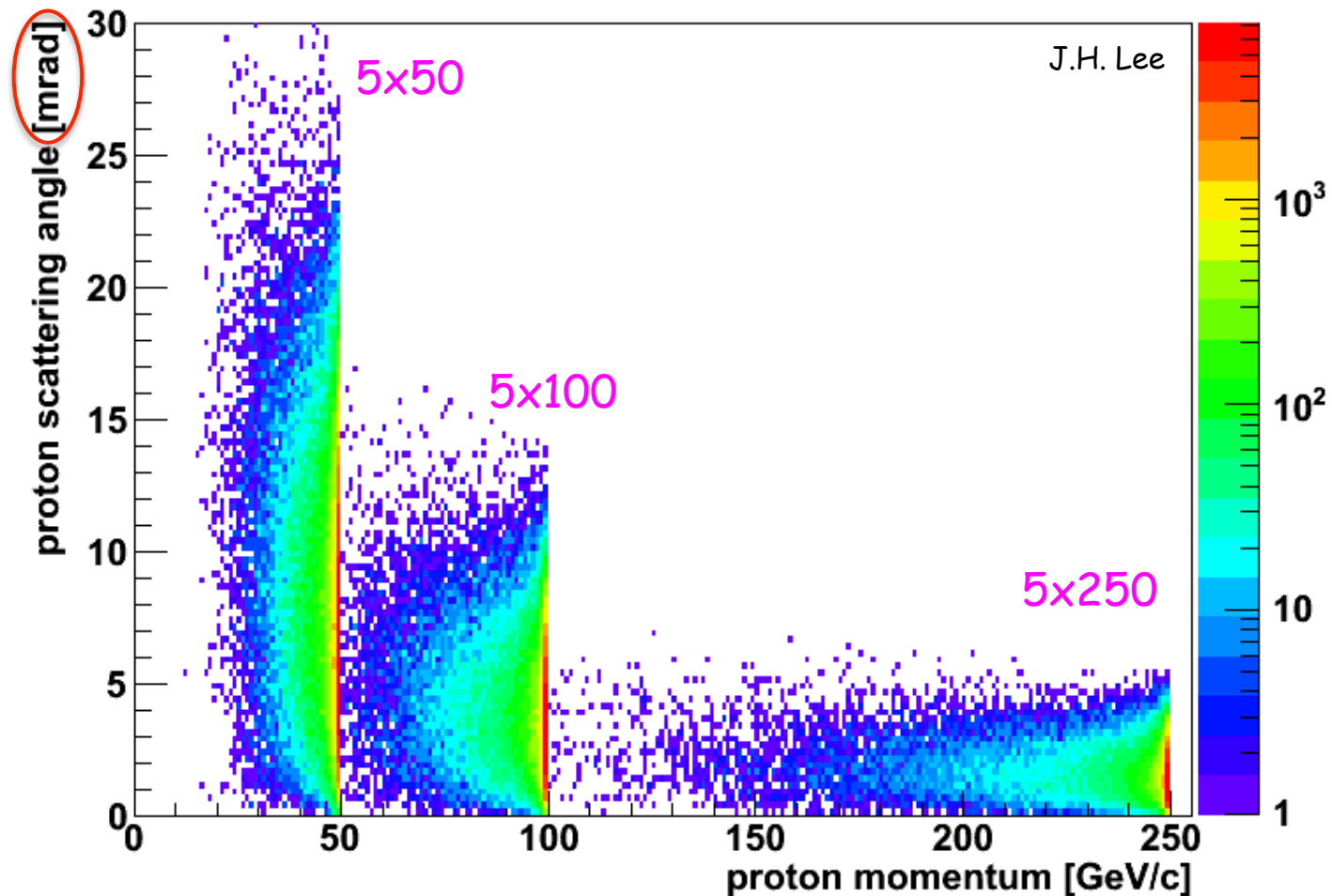
For all lepton-hadron beam energy combinations, the scattered electron goes in the direction of the original electron beam for low  $Q^2$  and more and more into a central detector acceptance for higher  $Q^2$

# Detector considerations : $\theta_\gamma$ vs. $\theta_e$



With increasing electron energy, the real photon gets closer to the electron beam

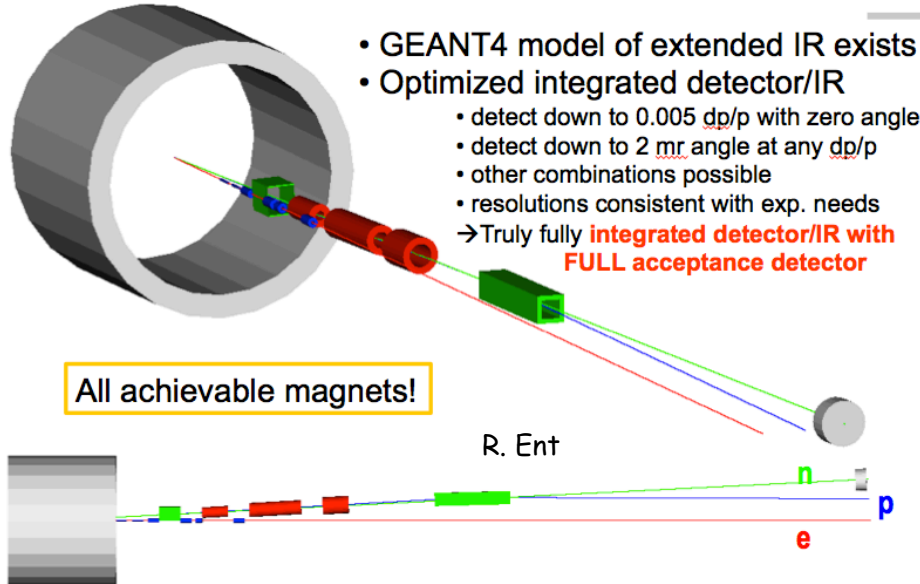
# Detector considerations : recoil proton



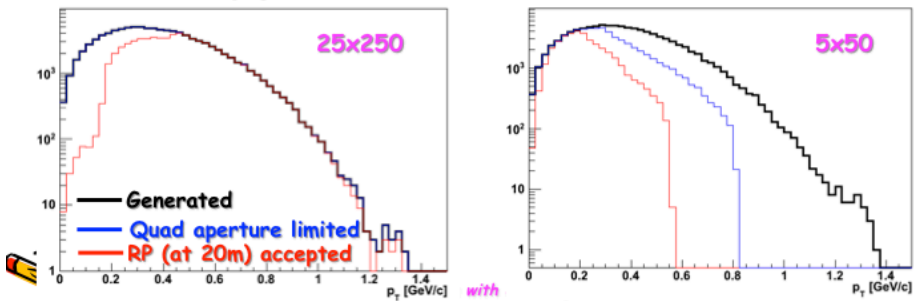
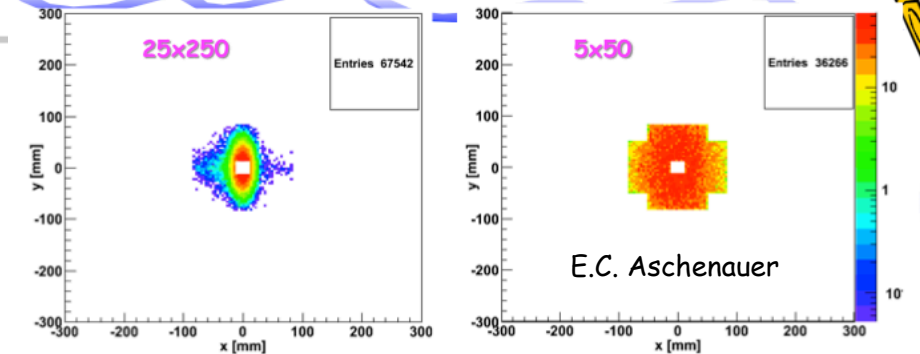
Roman pots are an essential part of the detector/IR design

# A lot of progress on simulations at JLab and BNL

## MEIC Detector & Interaction Region

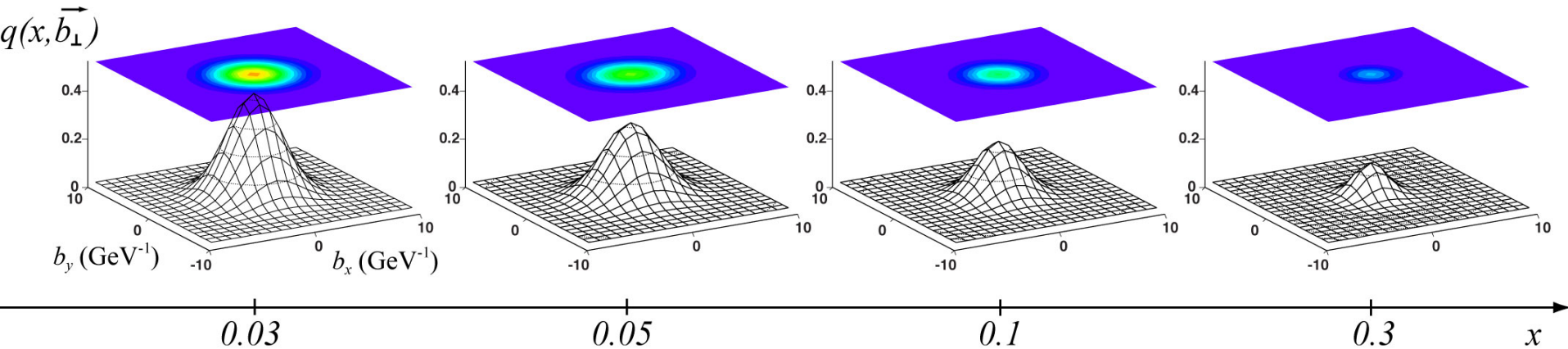


## Accepted in "Roman Pot" (example) at $s=20m$





# Parton imaging with an EIC



Preliminary work done in collaboration with :

E. C. Aschenauer, M. Diehl, S. Fazio, D. Müller and K. Kumerički

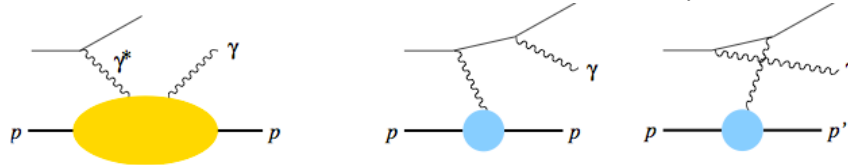
in preparation for the EIC White Paper

# Exclusive Processes for parton imaging

## Deeply Virtual Compton Scattering

- Theory is under control : up to  $\alpha_S^2$ , twist-3, target mass corrections, etc
- Sensitive to the quark combination :  $\frac{4}{9}u + \frac{1}{9}d + \frac{1}{9}s + \frac{4}{9}c$
- At EIC energies, mostly sensitive to sea quarks.
- Sensitive to gluon GPDs through  $Q^2$  evolution and at NLO or beyond.
- Direct access to the Compton amplitude through

interference with known **Bethe-Heitler** process



## Hard Meson Electroproduction

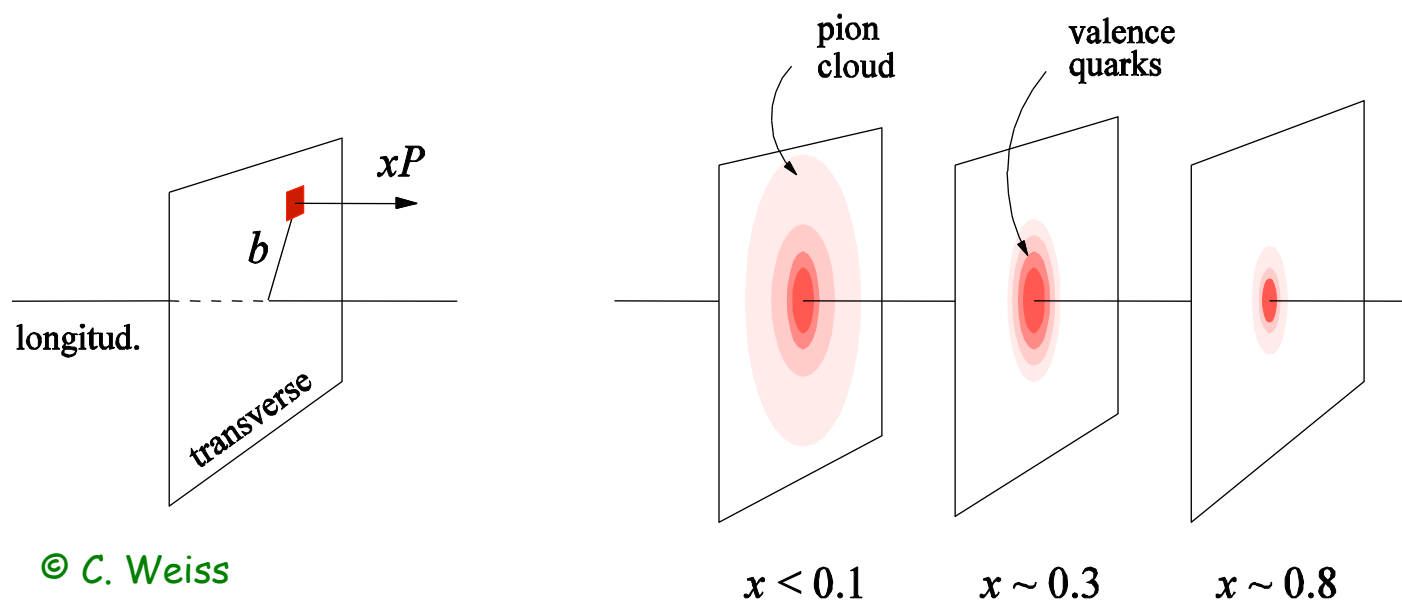
- Many channels available for flavor separation ( $\rho$ ,  $\rho^+$ ,  $\pi^0$ ,  $\pi^+$ ,  $\phi$ , ...)
- $J/\Psi$  is especially interesting to access gluon GPDs (H and even E)
- Theory less under control : convolution with (unknown) meson WF,

large power and NLO corrections

# Imaging partons with GPD H

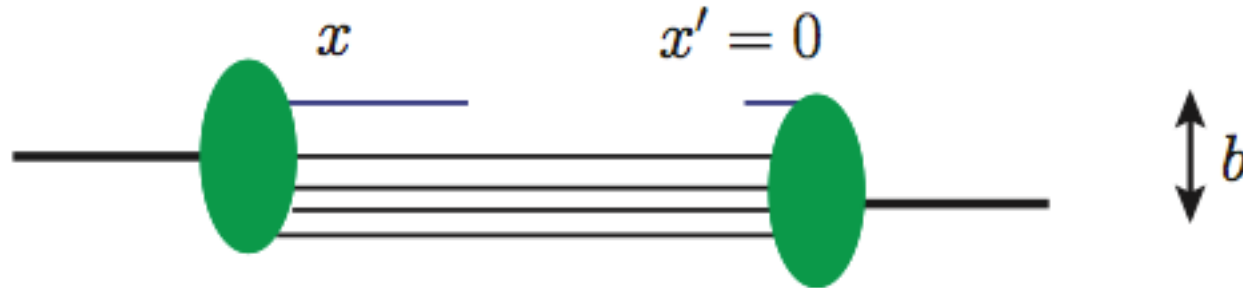
At  $\xi=0$ , a GPD is the « form factor » of partons carrying longitudinal momentum fraction  $x$

$$f(x, \vec{b}) = \int \frac{d^2 \vec{\Delta}_{\perp}}{(2\pi)^2} e^{i\vec{b} \cdot \vec{\Delta}_{\perp}} H(x, \xi = 0, -\Delta_{\perp}^2)$$



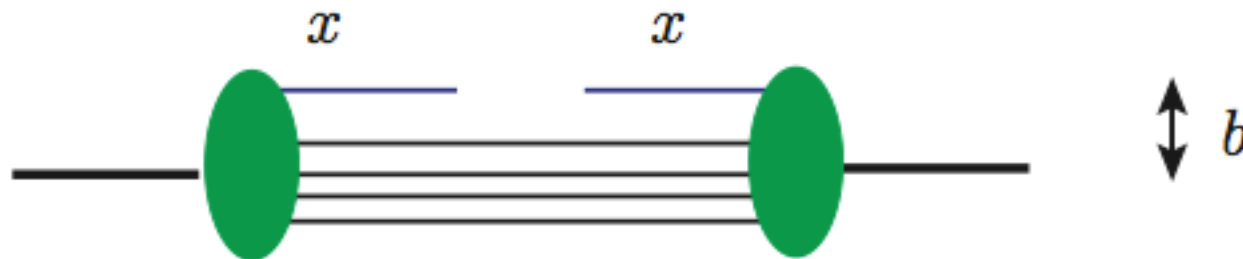
# Imaging principle

## The poor man's way



- Pros:  $GPD(x=\xi, \xi, b)$  **directly accessible experimentally** in DVCS  
 $b$  is well defined (imaginary part of Compton amplitude)
- Cons: No probability interpretation !

## The right way



- Pros: **Density interpretation**  $GPD(x, \xi=0, b)=f(x, b)$  (IP-PDF)
- Cons: Not directly accessible experimentally  $\rightarrow$  model dependent extraction  
(some hope through  $Q^2$  dependence, but experimentally difficult)  
Systematic errors due to  $\xi=0$  extrapolation remain to be studied

# Imaging partons with GPD E

Burkardt '02, '05

GPD E  $\leftrightarrow$  nucleon helicity flip

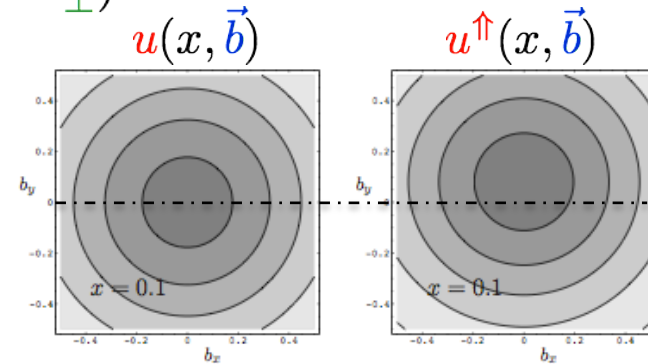
interference between wave functions with  $L_z$  and  $L_z \pm 1$

Access to GPD E via **transverse target polarization asymmetries**

Shift (*in y*) of the partons inside a polarized proton (*along x*)

$$f^{\uparrow}(x, \vec{b}) = f(x, \vec{b}) - \frac{1}{2M} \frac{\partial}{\partial b_y} \int \frac{d^2 \vec{\Delta}_{\perp}}{(2\pi)^2} e^{i\vec{b} \cdot \vec{\Delta}_{\perp}} E(x, 0, -\Delta_{\perp}^2)$$

Shift seems large for valence u and d quarks,



but *unknown* for sea and gluons : **great opportunity for EIC**

# Simulation of DVCS for EIC

Mostly the work of S. Fazio, D. Müller (BNL)

Simulated DVCS data based on a fitted model for GPD **H**  
Kumericki, Müller, Passek-Kumericki, *Nucl. Phys. B794 (2008) 244-323*  
(fair description of H1 and ZEUS low- $x_B$  DVCS data)

For GPD **E**, very simple ansatz :  $E^i(x, \xi, t) = \kappa^i(t) H^i(x, \xi, t)$

Used standard cuts for acceptance,  
> for Roman pots, assumed  $(0.175 \text{ MeV})^2 < |t| < 0.88 \text{ GeV}^2$

Kinematics were smeared according to expected resolution in  $t$ ,  $Q^2$ ,  $x_B$

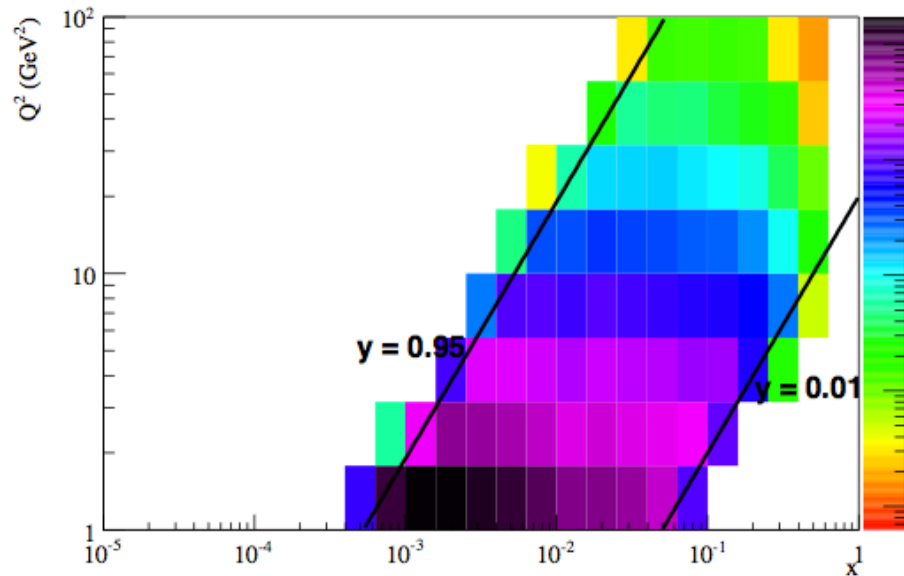
Assumed systematic errors of 5%, luminosity uncertainty *not included*



# Simulation of DVCS for EIC : counting rates

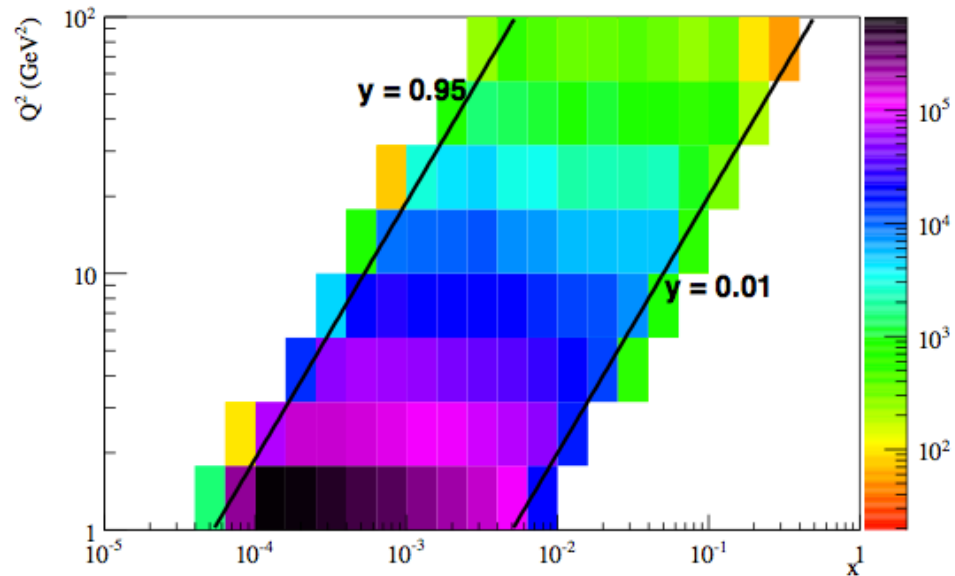
EIC stage 1

$Q^2$  vs.  $x$ ,  $10 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  at  $5 \times 100 \text{ GeV}$



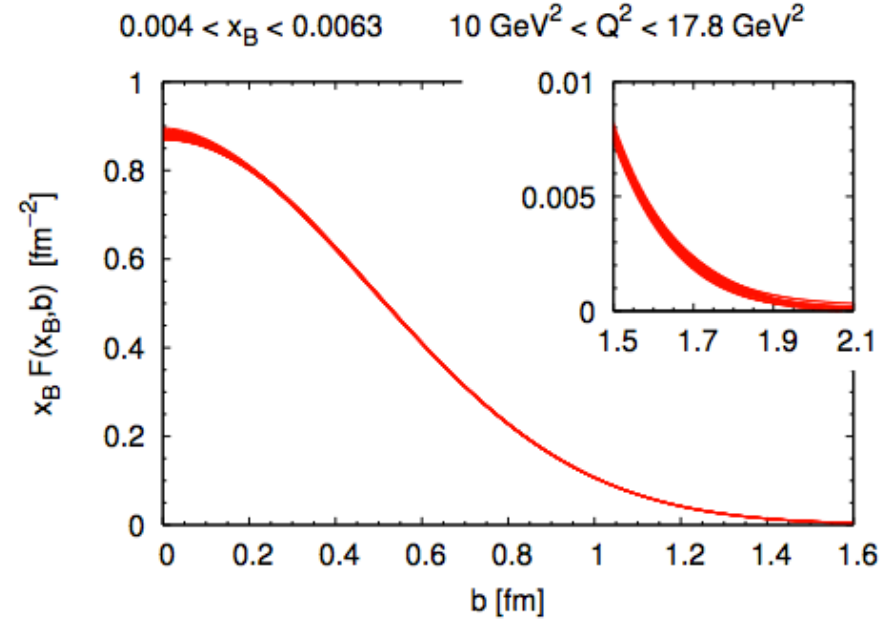
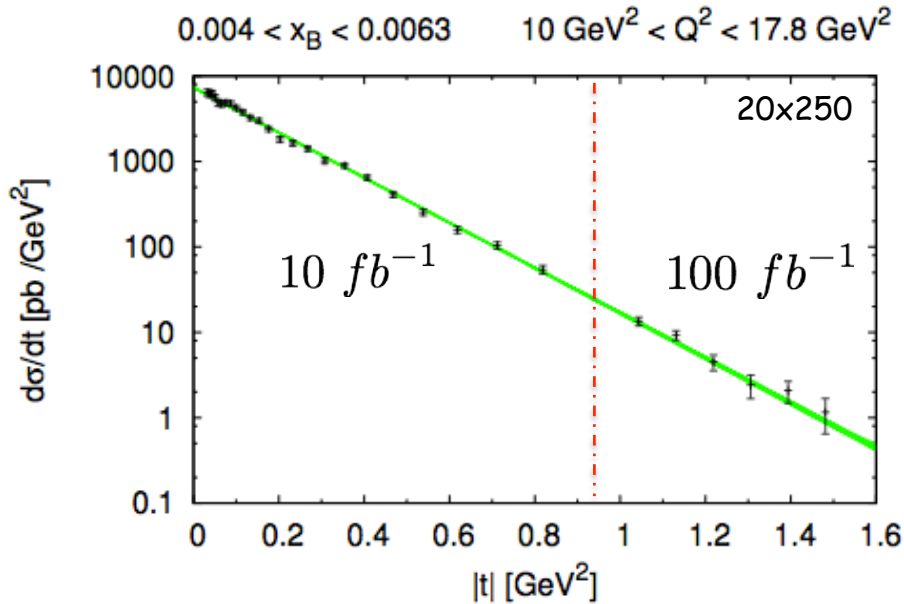
EIC stage 2

$Q^2$  vs.  $x$ ,  $10 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  at  $20 \times 250 \text{ GeV}$



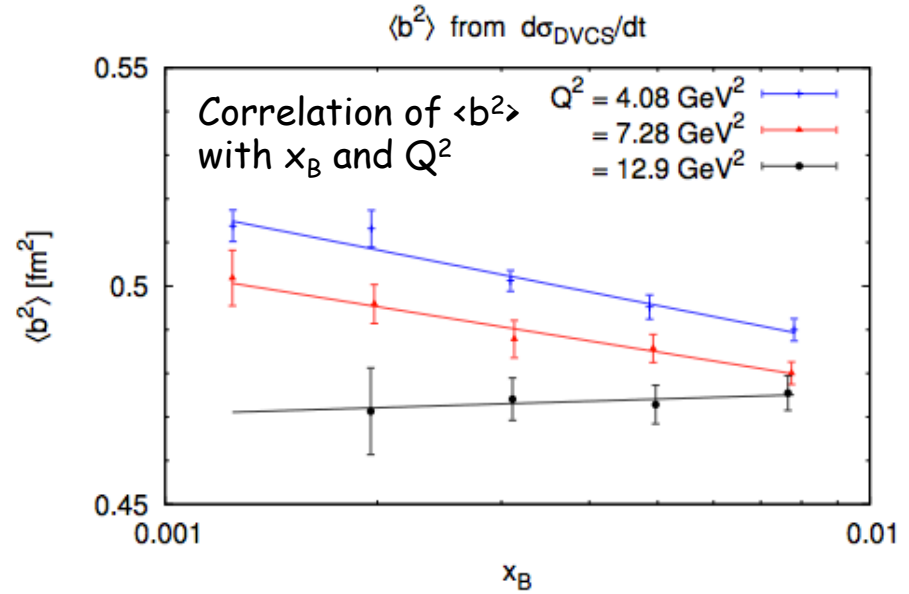
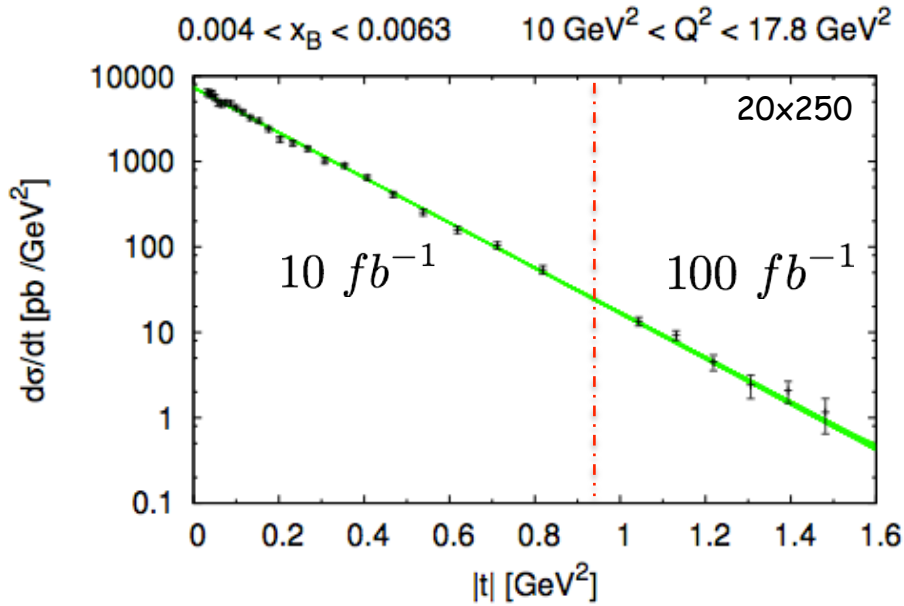
Reasonable counting rates for 4D binning ( $x_B, t, Q^2, \Phi$ )  
high- $t$  usually needs higher luminosity ( $\sim 100 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ )

# Simulation of DVCS for EIC : Imaging at $x=\xi$



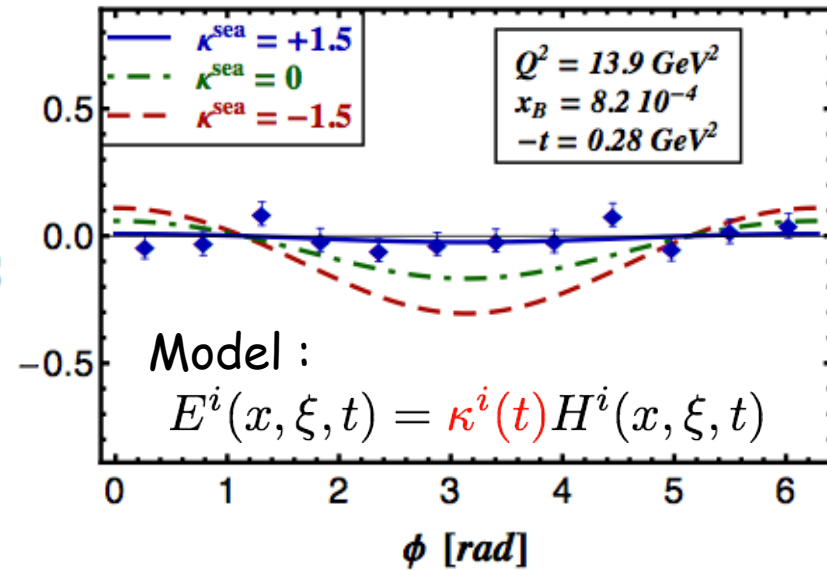
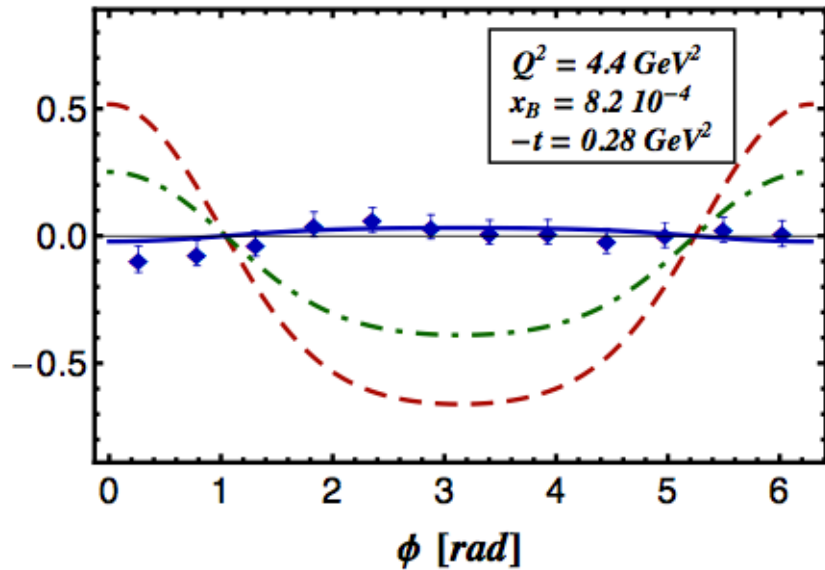
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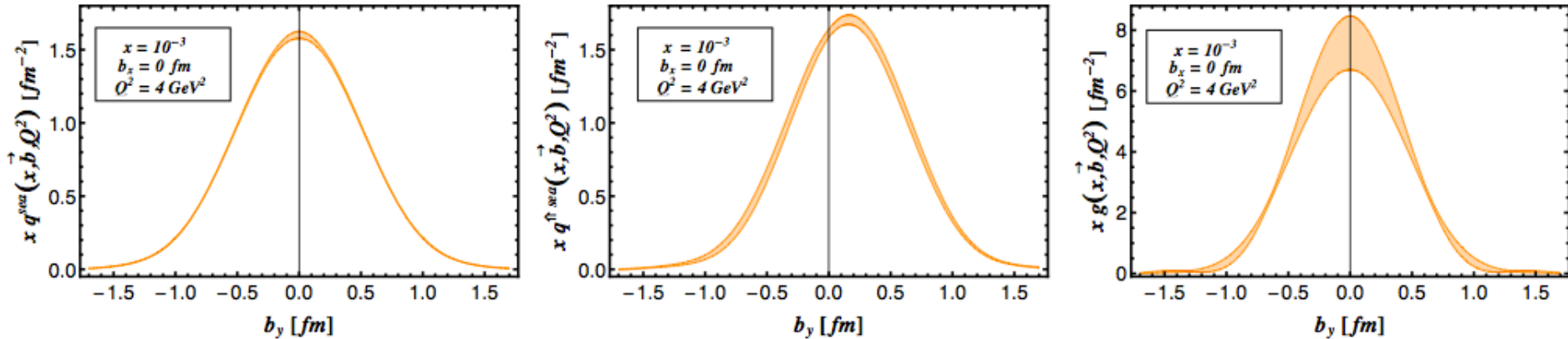
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- Assume known forward distributions for H, unknown for E

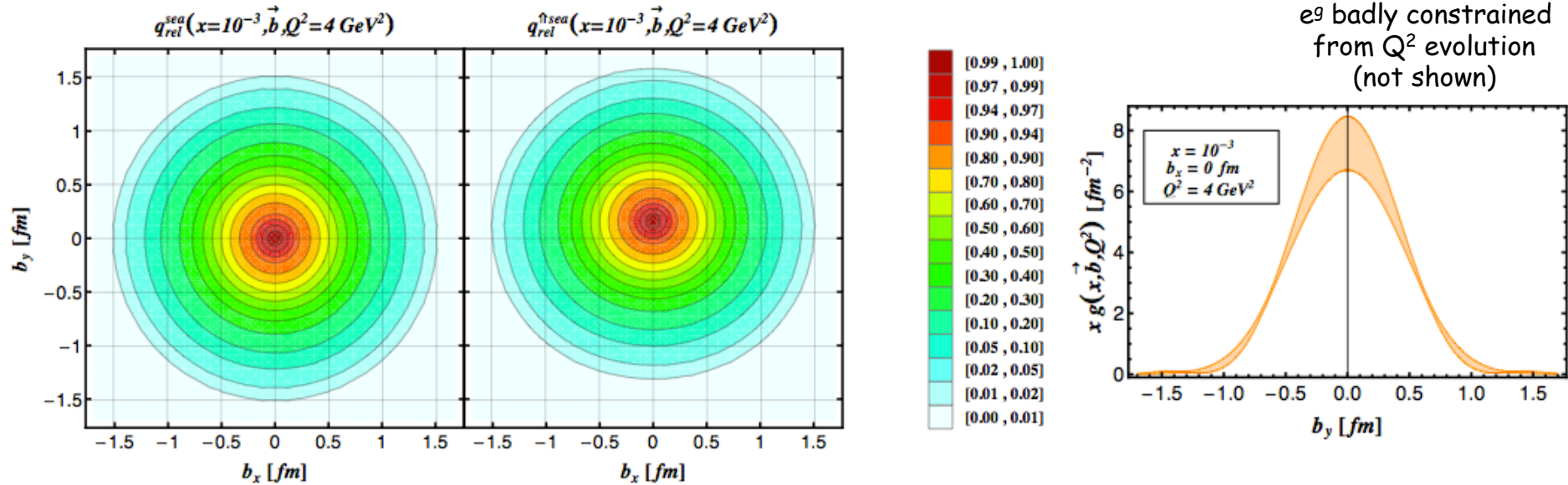
# Simulation of DVCS for EIC : Imaging at $\xi=0$

$e^9$  badly constrained  
from  $Q^2$  evolution  
(not shown)



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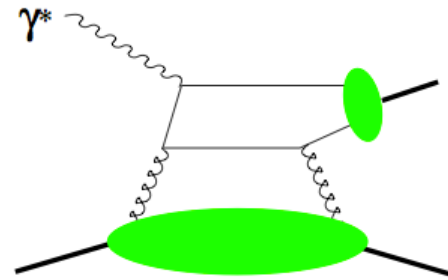


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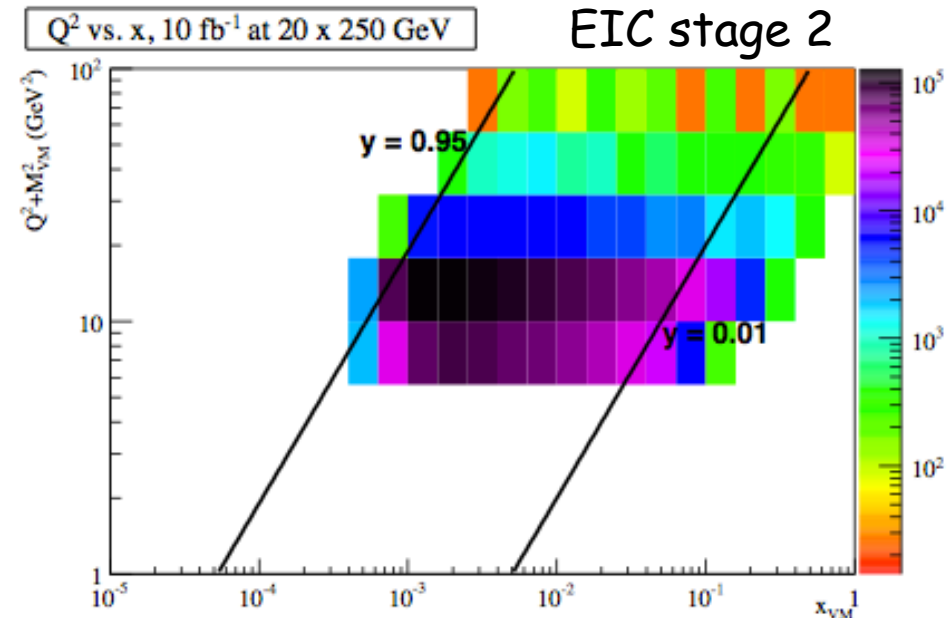
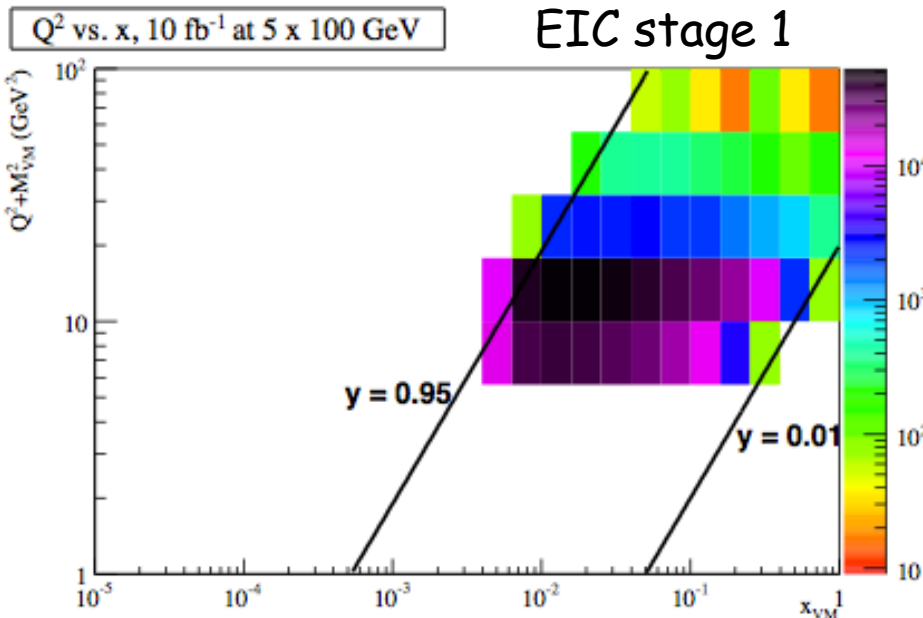


# Simulation of DVCS for EIC : Imaging gluons

- Another golden channel :  $\gamma^* p \rightarrow J/\Psi p$
- Directly sensitive to gluons
- Theory rather well in control for a meson
- The hard scale is given by  $Q^2 + M_{J/\Psi}^2$  (photoproduction possible)
- In principle, can be detected with both  $e^+e^-$  and  $\mu^+\mu^-$  decay channels
- Cross section :  $H^g$



Transverse Spin Asymmetry :  $E_g$

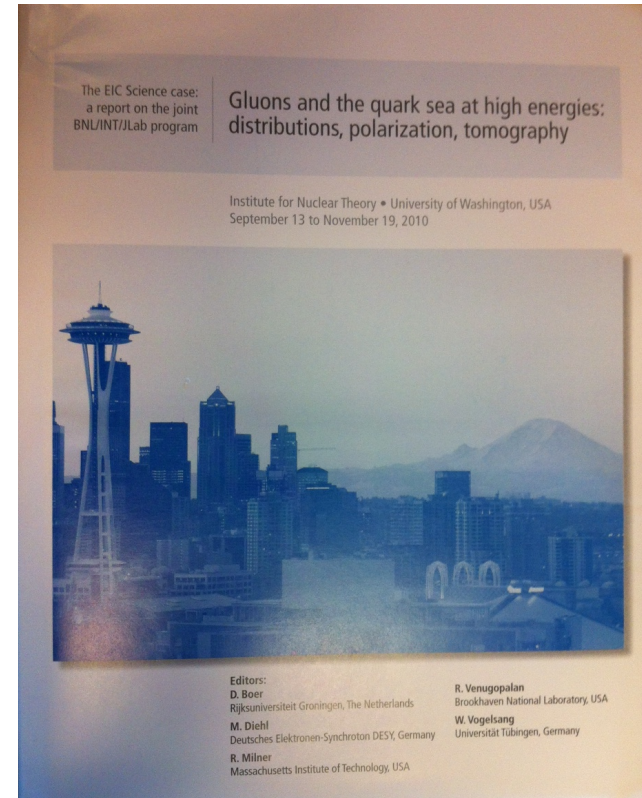


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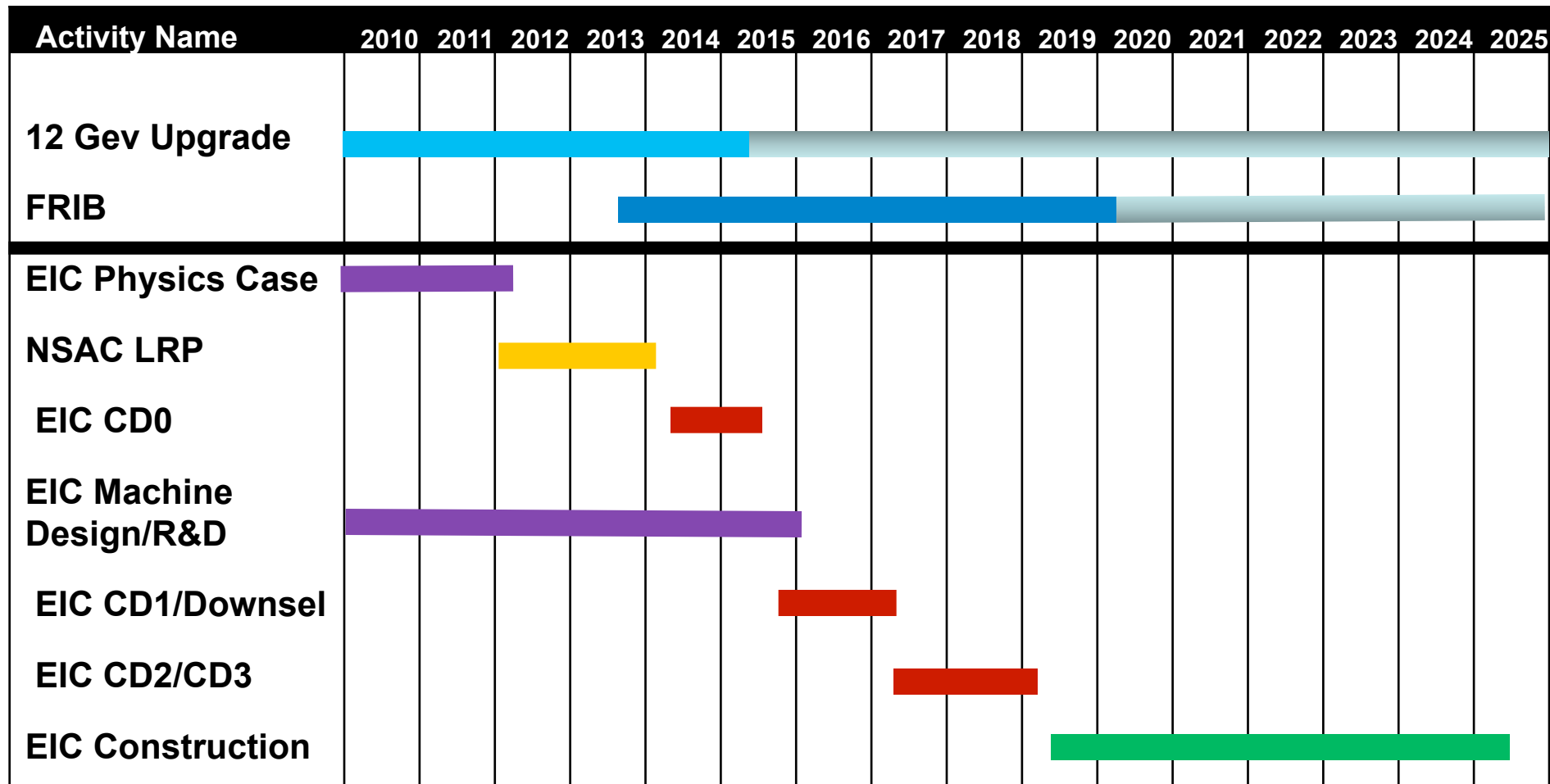
- Published INT report arXiv:1108.1713v1 (Gluons and the quarks sea at high energies: distributions, polarization, tomography)
- New R&D proposal calls at BNL in May 2012

- Currently working on EIC White Paper for NSAC Long Range Plan 2013

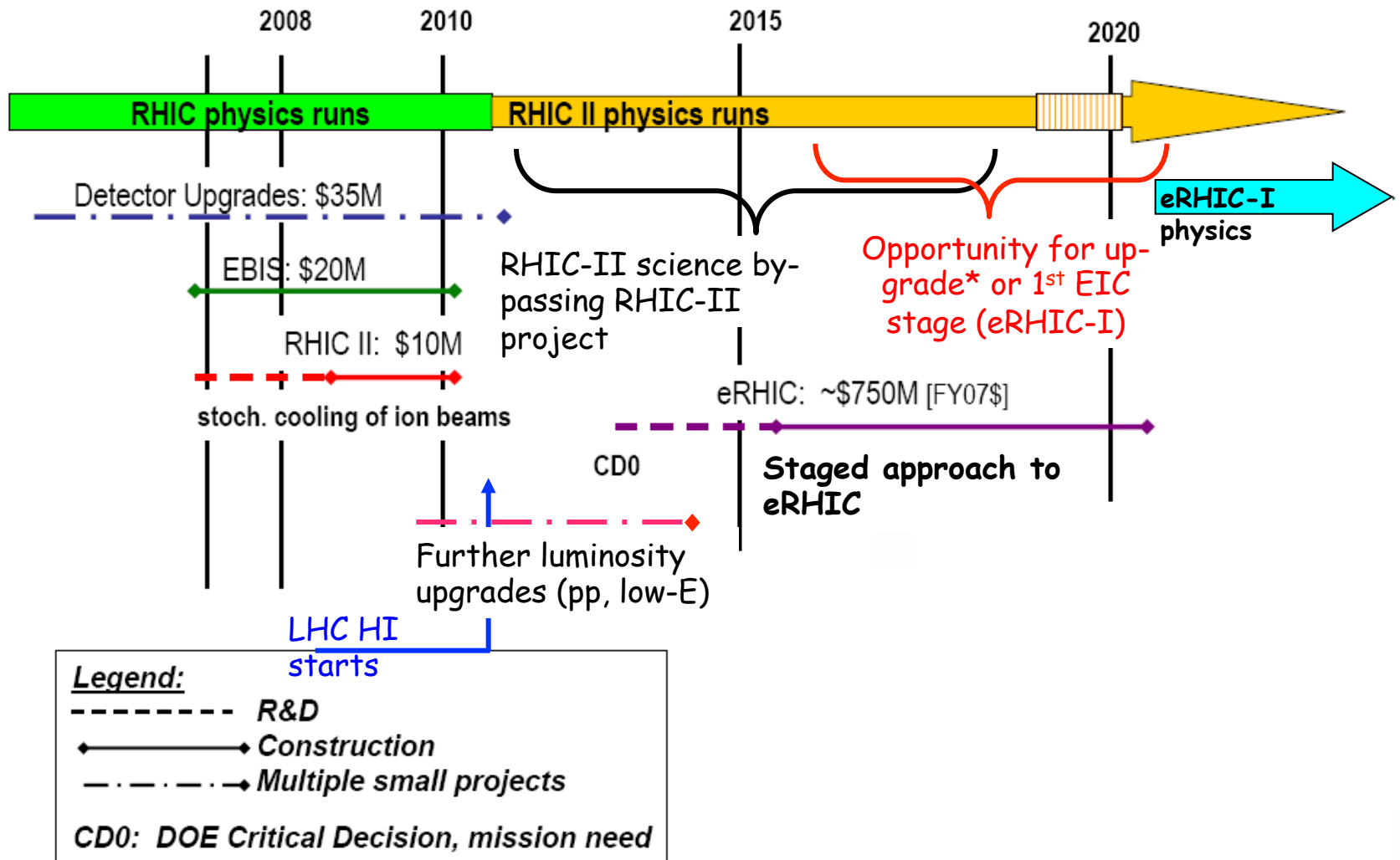
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# Realization of an EIC at JLab



# Realization of an EIC at RHIC



# Conclusion

- ❑ Hard exclusive processes offer a unique possibility to do imaging of the nucleon at the femtometer scale !
- ❑ Images are not just « pretty » but offer insight into the proton structure and parton dynamics.
- ❑ EIC is the decisive machine to study sea quarks and gluon imaging through measurement of various cross sections and asymmetries, esp. DVCS,  $J/\Psi$ .
- ❑ The current machine and detector plans match the requirements in order to deliver unique and high quality physics output from the study of hard exclusive processes.

