

FCC heavy-ion physics studies

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Summary

Future Circular Collider Study - SCOPE CDR and cost review for the next ESU (2018)

Forming an international collaboration to study:

pp-collider (*FCC-hh*)
 → defining infrastructure requirements

~16 T \Rightarrow 100 TeV *pp* in 100 km ~20 T \Rightarrow 100 TeV *pp* in 80 km

- *e*⁺*e*⁻ collider (*FCC-ee*) as potential intermediate step
- *p-e* (*FCC-he*) option
- 80-100 km infrastructure in Geneva area





Proposal for FCC Study Time Line





Organization



 A discussion group on "Ions at the FCC" started: coordinated by A.D., S. Masciocchi, C. Salgado, U. Wiedemann

- Sub-group of "FCC-h Physics, Experiments, Detectors" (Mangano, Gianotti, Ball)
- 4 meetings up now
 - https://indico.cern.ch/event/331669/ and links therein
- Goal: explore opportunities with HI at the FCC
 - Saturation (contacts: N. Armesto, M. van Leeuwen)
 - Soft physics (contact: U. Wiedemann)
 - Hard probes (contacts: A. Dainese, C. Roland, C. Salgado)
 - > γγ / UPC (contact: D. d'Enterria)

Work in progress! Just few initial ideas presented here

Timeline of future HI running at the LHC $\mathcal{U}^{\mathcal{H}}$



- ◆ Run 2 (LS1→LS2): Pb-Pb ~1/nb or more, at $\sqrt{s_{NN}}$ ~ 5.1 TeV
- LS2: major ALICE and LHCb upgrades, important upgrades for ATLAS and CMS, LHC collimator upgrades
- ◆ Run 3 + Run 4: Pb-Pb >10/nb, at $\sqrt{s_{NN}}$ ~ 5.5 TeV
- pp reference and p-Pb in both Runs 2 and 3-4



lons at FCC: energies and luminosities

Centre-of-mass energy per nucleon-nucleon collision:

 First (conservative) estimates of luminosity (in comparison with LHC): >8 larger L_{int} per month of running

	LHC Run 2 $[1]$	LHC after LS2 [1]	FHC [2]
Pb–Pb peak \mathcal{L} (cm ⁻² s ⁻¹)	10^{27}	$5 imes 10^{27}$	$13 imes 10^{27}$
Pb–Pb $L_{\rm int}$ / month (nb ⁻¹)	0.8	1	>8
p–Pb peak \mathcal{L} (cm ⁻² s ⁻¹)	10^{29}	t.b.d.	$3.5 imes 10^{30}$
p–Pb $L_{\rm int}~({\rm nb}^{-1})$	80	t.b.d.	>1800

Could (optimistically) aim for programme of 100/nb (LHC x10)

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The requirements and performance of the pre-accelerator chain for FCC are under studied.



Straw-man assumption to estimate (conservative) beam parameters and luminosity: LHC, as it is today, but cycling to 3.3 Z TeV, is assumed to be the injector for FCC-hh.



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Baseline is 8/nb/run, but could be increased with more than 1 injection from LHC, if the LHC turn-around time can be shorted







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High-density QCD in the initial state: "C Saturation at low x

 Explore new unknown regime of QCD: when gluons are numerous enough (low-x) & extended enough (low-Q²) to overlap → Saturation, Non-linear PDF evolution
 Enhanced in nuclei: more gluons per unit transverse area

Saturation
$$Q_S^2 \sim \frac{Ag(x, Q_S^2)}{\pi A^{2/3}} \sim A^{1/3}g(x, Q_S^2) \sim A^{1/3}\frac{1}{x^{\lambda}} \sim A^{1/3}\left(\sqrt{s} \ e^y\right)_{(\lambda \sim 0.3)}^{\lambda}$$

[fixed Q] DENSE REGION DILUTE REGION

Saturation affects process with $Q^2 < Q_S^2$ Explore saturation region:

 \rightarrow decrease x (larger \sqrt{s} , larger y)

 \rightarrow increase A



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Testing non-linear evolution



- Cover significant range in $(x, Q^2) \rightarrow$ next slides
- Multiple observables with sensitivity to quarks and gluons

At FCC expect significant charm contribution in sea

- Kinematics is cleanest for partonic observables: photons, Drell-Yan, W/Z bosons
 - + no interactions in the final state
- Hadronic observables potentially very interesting (e.g. forward pion+jets)
 - Validation and sensitivity will come from LHC data (including possible impact of final-state effects in pA)

Plan: quantify impact of observables on nuclear PDF fits; expect constructive overlaps with ongoing LHC studies

Example: W and Z





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Collinear factorization with nPDFs: no strong suppression even at FCC energy

CGC: significantly larger suppression than at LHC at central rapidity

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Quark-Gluon Plasma studies at FCC \mathcal{C}^{MFN}



Properties of QGP:

- QGP volume increases strongly
- QGP lifetime increases
- Collective phenomena enhanced (better tests of QGP transport)
- Initial temperature higher
- Equilibration times reduced

Quark-Gluon Plasma studies at FCC \mathcal{C}^{NFN}

Questions to be addressed in future studies include:

- ◆ Larger number of degrees of freedom in QGP at FCC energy? → g+u+d+s<u>+charm</u>?
 ◆ Changes in the guarkonium spectra? does V(1S)
 - Changes in the quarkonium spectra? does Y(1S) melt at FCC?
 - How do studies of collective flow profit from higher multiplicity and stronger expansion? More stringent constraints on transport properties such as shear viscosity or other properties not accessible at the LHC
 Hard probes are sensitive to medium properties. At FCC, longer in-medium path length and new, rarer probes become accessible. How can both features be exploited?

Higher

Temp.

Higher

energy



• •			
$dN_{\rm ch}/d\eta$ at $\eta = 0$	1600	2000	3600
Total $N_{\rm ch}$	17000	23000	50000
$dE_{\rm T}/d\eta$ at $\eta = 0$	$2 { m ~TeV}$	$2.6 { m ~TeV}$	$5.8 { m TeV}$
BE homogeneity volume	$5000~{ m fm}^3$	$6200 \ \mathrm{fm}^3$	$11000 \ {\rm fm}^3$
BE decoupling time	$10~{ m fm}/c$	$11 \; {\rm fm}/c$	$13 \; \mathrm{fm}/c$

Example: sensitivity of flow to η/s



Denicol, Luzum, Paquet



Can we measure the T-dependence of η/s ?

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Depending on $\eta/s(T)$, Vn can start to decrease at larger energies



energy density (GeV/fm3)

10³

10²

10

10⁻²



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QGP studies at the FCC: energy density \mathcal{C}^{FN}

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$$T(\tau) = \sqrt[4]{\varepsilon(\tau) \frac{30}{\pi^2 n_{d.o.f.}}}$$

 20% larger for the same time

- > E.g. 360 MeV at 1 fm/c
- Initial time (QGP formation time)?
 - Usually ~0.1 fm/c for LHC

Could be smaller at FCC

 Significantly larger initial temperature? Could reach close to 1 GeV?



Secondary/thermal charm?

- Expect abundant production of c-cbar pairs in the medium
 Example: two "pre-LHC" calculations for 5.5TeV: + 15-45% wrt hard scattering
 - However, strong dependence on initial conditions, initial temperature and formation time, c-quark mass





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C.M. Ko, Y. Liu, private communication, based on B.-W. Zhang et al. PRC77 (2008)

J/ψ regeneration

- Increase of charm (hard scattering) cross section by about x3 with respect to top LHC energy
- Regeneration of J/ψ could give R_{AA}>1 (enhancement)
- J/ψ yield could be sensitive to secondary/ thermal charm production

Braun-Munzinger et al.





Charmed QGP? Equation of state and charm deconfinement

 If charm is produced abundantly during the equilibration of the medium, this should show up in the equation of state



Y(IS) melting at the FCC

- Sequential quarkonium melting (according to binding energy), one of the most direct probes of deconfinement
- Indication of sequential melting at LHC, but...
- Y(1S) R_{AA}~0.5: consistent with suppression of higher states only
- Y(1S) expected to melt at ~350 MeV

Digal,Petrecki,Satz PRD64(2001) confirmed by recent calculations, e.g. Miao, Mócsy, Petreczky, NPA (2011)

→ May not melt at LHC

→ Full quarkonium melting at FCC



FCC: a new set of Hard Probes



 The current LHC heavy ion programme shows that it is possible to reconstruct HEP-like observables in HI collisions

> Jets, b-jets, Z⁰, W, γ -jet correlations ...

- HI performance in future detectors should reach the pp performance level of current LHC detectors
- The large cross section and luminosity of the FCC will allow tagging more complex decay topologies to isolate defined initial state parton configurations and their propagation in the medium
 - Probe the earliest phases of the collision
 - > Defined parton configurations traversing the medium

• e.g Z⁰+n-jets, top quarks in
$$t\overline{t} \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^- + b\overline{b} + E_{\pi}$$

Hard probes cross sections: LHC \rightarrow FCC \mathcal{L}^{\prime}

Computed for pp with MCFM (Campbell, Ellis, Williams, http://mcfm.fnal.gov)



Larger increases for larger masses:

➢ 80x for top

- > 20x for Z^0 + 1 Jet(p_T >50 GeV)
- > 8x for bottom or Z⁰







q-qbar with small opening angle; seen as color-singlet by the medium, no interaction expected Medium induces decoherence, opening angle increases \rightarrow energy loss of color-octet's in the medium

 \rightarrow Boosted color singlet states can be used to probe the medium opacity / density at different time scales

Armesto, Casalderrey, Iancu, Ma, Mehtar-Tani, Salgado, Tywoniuk 2010-2014





An interesting physics case: boosted color singlets in the medium

First estimation of the timescales for boosted objects in the medium

$$t\overline{t} \rightarrow b\overline{b} + \ell + 2jets + \mathcal{E}_{T_{n}}$$

time

			Pt=I TeV	Pt=500 GeV
n Ə		ttbat produced	0 fm/c	0 fm/c
		$top \rightarrow W+b$	l fm/c	0.5 fm/c
		W decay	I.6 fm/c	0.8 fm/c
		qqbar in singlet	2.3 fm/c	I.3 fm/c
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 \rightarrow Interaction with the medium starts

A tool to probe timescale of medium evolution?



Top quarks in Pb-Pb at HL-LHC and FCC \mathcal{C}^{MFN}



Estimate for observation channel in CMS (CMS PAS-FTR-2013-025)

- \rightarrow ~500 events for 10 nb⁻¹ Pb-Pb 5.5 TeV ("HL-LHC")
- ◆ FCC: with 100 nb⁻¹, x800 more wrt HL-LHC
- → FCC with CMS-like setup, ~4x10⁵ for "observation channel"
 - could be 4-5x more in the other channels (but higher background)
- \rightarrow few 10³ with p_T > 0.5 TeV
- \rightarrow few 10² with p_T > 1 TeV





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High-multiplicity events in small systems \mathcal{C}

- One of the most interesting findings of the LHC HI programme: similarity of long-range correlations (ridge) in high-mult pp, pPb as in Pb-Pb collisions
- Similar mechanism? Collectivity in small high-density systems? Initial or final state collectivity?



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γ -induced collisions at FCC (Pb-Pb)

- Electromagnetic ultra-peripheral collisions (UPC): b_{min}>R_A+R_B
- HE ions generate strong EM fields from coherent emission of Z=82 p's:



- Huge photon fluxes:
 - > $\sigma(\gamma$ -Pb) ~ Z² (~10⁴ for Pb) larger than in pp
 - > $\sigma(\gamma-\gamma) \sim Z^4$ (~5.10⁷ for PbPb) larger than in pp

Max. FCC $\gamma\gamma$, $\gamma N \sqrt{s}$ energies:

PbPb:
$$\sqrt{s_{\gamma\gamma}} \sim 1.2 \text{ TeV } \sqrt{s_{\gammaPb}} \sim 7 \text{ TeV}$$

pPb: $\sqrt{s_{\gamma\gamma}} \sim 6 \text{ TeV } \sqrt{s_{\gammap}} \sim 10 \text{ TeV}$

γ-Pb physics at FCC (Pb-Pb)

 Sensitive to <u>very</u> small x gluon density: powerful handle on saturation region with perturbative probes



Cosmic-rays MC tuning with FCC (Pb-Pb)



FCC pA and AA probe ankle-energy and provides strong constraints for hadronic Monte Carlos for UHECR (p,Fe+Air)





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Detector design ideas (pp)





1. Requirements, design drivers

Bending power: higher collision energy 14>100TeV, same tracking resolution

BL² has to be increased by factor 7!

---> higher field, in single solenoid, up to 6.0 T

$\sigma(p_T)$	_ σ(κ)	$-\frac{\sigma_x \cdot p_T}{720}$	_
p_T	<u>к</u>	$-0.3BL^2\sqrt{(N+4)}$	•)

---> higher field, longer track in inner solenoid around ID, 3.5T/3m or 2T/4m, and a toroid of 1.8T useful field and increase of tracking length.

Low angle coverage in forward direction, solenoid useless, toroid difficult since all current has to pass the inner bore

---> add a dipole for on-beam bending, some 10Tm!

HCAL depth from 10 λ to 12λ (iron) radial thickness some 3.0 m!
---> bore of big solenoid or inner radius toroid increases to 6m and length increases accordingly.

ECAL to cover low angles, move unit out, from 5 to 15 m, system gets longer.

Thus: higher field, larger bore and longer system. 3 options analyzed.

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Solenoid: 5-6 m diameter, 5-6 T, 23 m long

+ massive Iron yoke for flux return (shielding) and muon tagging.

Dipoles: 10 Tm with return yoke placed at 18 m. Practically no coupling between dipoles and solenoid. They can be designed independently at first.

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Option 2: Twin Solenoid + Dipoles



Twin Solenoid: the original 6 T, 12 m x 23 m solenoid + now with a shielding coil {concept proposed for the 4th detector @ILC, also an option for the LHeC in the case of large solenoid; and this technique is in all modern MRI magnets!}.

Gain?

- + Muon tracking space: nice new space with 3 T for muon tracking in 4 layers.
- + Very light: 2 coils + structures, ≈ 5 kt, only ≈4% of the option with iron yoke!
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- Air core Barrel Toroid with 7 x muon bending power BL².
- 2 End Cap Toroids to cover medium angle forward direction.
- 2 Dipoles to cover low-angle forward direction.
- Overall dimensions: 30 m diameter x 51 m length (36,000 m³).

Detector design: HI requirements?



- Number of experiments not yet defined: most likely 2
- In the assumption that the HI community decides to "go for it" (to be defined...):
 - probably unpractical and unnecessary to have a dedicated HI experiment
 - HI community should give inputs on HI-specific requirements for general purpose detectors
 - > Examples:
 - Possibility to reduce magnetic field for low-pT tracking
 - Particle ID (for soft physics, eg flow, and low pT charm?)
 - Forward coverage for small-x studies
 - 0...

Summary



 Discussions started on opportunities with heavy ions, within the FCC design study

Saturation physics in pA, eA and γA

➢ Higher energy and large nuclei → unique access to saturation region (down to x<10⁻⁶) with perturbative probes

QGP physics

- Larger initial temperature and volume entail potentially unique aspects, e.g. thermal production of charm
- > Larger \sqrt{s} and L_{int} > new hard observables, e.g. top, sensitive to early stages and time evolution of the medium
- Also: benefit for UHECR studies

New inputs and ideas are most welcome!



EXTRA SLIDES

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HI-HL-LHC Programme

- Jets: characterization of energy loss mechanism both as a testing ground for the multi-particle aspects of QCD and as a probe of the medium density
 - > Differential studies of jets, b-jets, di-jets, γ/Z -jet at very high p_T (focus of ATLAS and CMS)
 - Flavour-dependent in-medium fragmentation functions (focus of ALICE)
- Heavy flavour: characterization of mass dependence of energy loss, HQ inmedium thermalization and hadronization, as a probe of the medium transport properties
 - > Low- p_T production and elliptic flow of several HF hadron species (focus of ALICE)
 - B and b-jets (focus of ATLAS and CMS)
- Quarkonium: precision study of quarkonium dissociation pattern and regeneration, as probes of deconfinement and of the medium temperature
 - > Low- p_T charmonia and elliptic flow (focus of ALICE)
 - Multi-differential studies of Y states (focus of ATLAS and CMS)
- Low-mass di-leptons: thermal radiation γ (\rightarrow e⁺e⁻) to map temperature during system evolution; modification of ρ meson spectral function as a probe of the chiral symmetry restoration
 - > (Very) low- p_T and low-mass di-electrons and di-muons (ALICE)



(not exhaustive!

Saturation scale



 Onset of non-linear QCD when gluons are numerous enough (low-x) & extended enough (low-Q²) to overlap:



Explore saturation region:

 \rightarrow decrease x (larger \sqrt{s} , larger y)

→ increase A

In A

eA

ep

DILUTE REGION DENSE

REGION

Saturation: possible observables



Observable	Sensitivity		
Observable	Initial condition	Evolution	
Charged single inclusive at fixed rapidity, HF: glue	yes	p⊤ dependence	
DY, photons: sea and glue	yes	p⊤ dependence	
Rapidity/energy evolution of single inclusive	yes	yes	
Back-to-back correlations (charged, photons, jets,): central-central, forward- forward	yes	p⊤ dependence	
Back-to-back correlations: central-forward (charged, photons, jets,)	yes	yes	
Ridge	yes	???	

Hydro simulation at FCC



- Hydro-simulation (b=0, eta/s = 1/4pi, dN_{ch}/dy 3600 @ FCC) without
- initial fluctuations.
- In the simulation, the difference between FHC and LHC results from adjusting the initial temperature in the same geometry such that the final charged multiplicity increases to 3600 (instead of 1600 at LHC).
- The arrows along the curves indicate the direction and strength of flow



Y(IS) melting at the FCC



 Υ (2S) and Υ (3S) melts by $T \sim 250$ MeV and Υ (1S) melts by ~ 350 MeV

Coherence and decoherence in the antenna



Coherence for a singlet

HotLHC



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Top quark projection (FCC)

- ttbar cross section x80 from 5.5 to 39 TeV
- With L_{int}=100/nb, x800 top wrt 10/nb@LHC5.5
- → With a detector similar to CMS, we have ~4x10⁵ in the "observation (cleanest) channel"
- ◆ Top cross section drops by 2 (3.5)
 orders of magnitude at p_T = 0.5 (1) TeV
 → few 10³ with p_T > 0.5 TeV
 → few 10² with p_T > 1 TeV



M.Mangano, FHC informal meeting Nov 2013