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# Far Backwards Overview Pair Spectrometer Calorimeter Design

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- The Far Backwards Region
  - Region covers 5 m to 60 m.
  - A key goal is to determine luminosity.
  - Peak luminosity of 10<sup>34</sup> cm<sup>-2</sup> s<sup>-1</sup>.
  - Requirement of 1% uncertainty for absolute luminosity and 10<sup>-4</sup> relative uncertainty.



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z (m)

-60

-40

-20



### **Bremsstrahlung Process**

• Luminosity is determined from cross section and rate.

 Bremsstrahlung cross section is well understood.

• System is required to measure rate of photons and electrons.



## **Polarisation and Cross Section**

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Polarisation is a key science requirement for the EIC.

• Polarised beams have a negligible effect on bremsstrahlung.

 <u>Bremsstrahlung cross section with</u> <u>polarized beams for luminosity</u> <u>determination at the EIC</u>



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# Sections of the FB Region



• Direct Photon Calorimeter.

• Pair Spectrometer.

• Low Q<sup>2</sup> Tagger.



#### **Direct Photon Calorimeter**

 High resolution calorimeter to count the number of bremsstrahlung photons.

• Used successfully at HERA.

- Issues with higher rates at EIC:
- Up to 30 photons per bunch,
- Bunch spacing of 10 ns.



# Low Q<sup>2</sup> Tagger

 Detects low Q<sup>2</sup> electrons from processes including bremsstrahlung.

 Two tagging stations off the electron beamline

 Provides a second luminosity measurement as well as information on other physics.





# Pair Spectrometer

• Thin beryllium converter produces e+ e- pair from photon.

Two detectors count rate of pairs

• Less affected by high radiation.

 5σ gap between the calorimeter for the bremsstrahlung beam.



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#### Pair Spectrometer Rates

- 1% of photons converted into
  - pairs.

• Not all events will see hits in both detectors.

• Coincidence rate is high even with low conversion probability.





# PS Calorimeter Design

• Spaghetti calorimeter design, plastic scintillating fibres in tungsten powder.

Powder density approximately 11 g cm<sup>-3</sup>.

• Fibre diameter and spacing both 0.5mm.

• Volume ratio of 4:1, tungsten to fibre.







### PS Calorimeter Design

• Tiles consisting of 540 fibres will be the base construction unit.

• 3 tiles will be stacked to produce a 180 mm tall layer.

• This tile size limits the siPM size options.



# PS Calorimeter Design



 Spaghetti calorimeter design, plastic fibres in tungsten powder.

 Layers are alternated between X and Y to detector shower profile.

• Overall size of 18<sup>3</sup> cm<sup>3</sup>.

Density	9 g cm-3
Moliere Radius	15 mm

#### Pair Spectrometer Dose

• Beam angle in Y seen in dose in Y fibres.

• Energy deposition is concentrated in certain regions.

• Energy deposition is shown for one day.





#### Pair Spectrometer Dose

• Beam angle in Y seen in dose in Y fibres.

• X Fibres see a very high dose concentrated in the centre.

• No neutron dose calculations available yet.







# Sampling Fraction + ERes



• Coincidence acceptance is between 10 - 18 GeV.

• Sampling fraction is ~3%, energy resolution is ~6%.







## Sampling Fraction + ERes

• Coincidence values shown here.

 Plots show effect of ignoring outer cm of each cal.

 Negligible effect on sampling fraction, whilst energy resolution is improved to ~5%.





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• Shown for top calorimeter, x aligned fibres.

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#### SiPM Size/Readout

• Shows plots for y fibres from previous slides using 9mm SiPM.

Position resolution increase of 50%.

Greatly decreases SiPM count.







# ML Position Resolution

• Simple neural network can be used to predict impact position.

• Resolution is much greater in x direction than y.

• Y resolution comparable to conventional techniques.





Method	Conventional	ML
Energy Resolution $(\%)$	5	0.0242
X Position Resolution (mm)	3.5	0.00623
Y Position Resolution (mm)	3.5	3.54
X Angle Resolution (°)	N/A	0.00613
Y Angle Resolution (°)	N/A	0.600

## ML Assisted Design

• Machine learning can assist in detector design.

• C. Fanelli *et al* used ML algorithms for optimising dRICH design.

 Allows for multiple objectives (cost, resolutions etc.) to be optimised simultaneously.



# Summary



The far backwards region is a critical part of the ePIC detector and the scientific program of the EIC, by providing the ability to measure luminosity to a high degree of accuracy.

• The pair spectrometer allows for a complimentary measurement of luminosity, especially relevant at the high luminosities reached by the EIC.

• There is great potential for machine learning algorithms in all parts of detector design and operation.