Hyperons @ CBM @ FAIR

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CBM building at FAIR



HADES: p+p, p+A, A+A limited to low multiplicity A+A, optimized for dileptons **CBM**: p+p, p+A, A+A designed for high multiplicity, general purpose detector

Complementary operation of HADES and CBM at FAIR

CBM construction status

2019





Shell construction is progressing well

- Beam dump installed in April-May 2021
- Roofing ongoing
- CBM building ready for detector installation in 2022

drone video (September 30, 2021): https://youtu.be/Y82ZeLH1vZs

CBM physics and observables

CBM Collaboration, Eur.Phys.J. A53 (2017) no.3, 60

https://inspirehep.net/record/1474181

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NUPECC Long Range Plan 2017

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Dense Baryonic Matter

Neutron stars



Neutron star merger



GW170817

Heavy ion collisions



SIS100 energies

Temperature	T < 10 MeV	T ~ 10-100 MeV	T < 120 MeV
Nuclear density	$\rho < 10 \rho_0$	$\rho < 2 - 6 \rho_0$	$\rho < 5-15 \ \rho_0$
Lifetime / Reaction time	$t \sim infinity$	$t \sim 10 \text{ ms}$	$t\sim 10^{-23}s$

CBM physics and observables: QCD matter Equation of State (EoS) at large baryon densities



QCD matter EoS at large baryon densities; coexistence (quarkyonic) & partonic phases:

- Hadron yields, collective flow, correlations, fluctuations
- (Multi-)strange hyperons (K, Λ , Σ , Ξ , Ω)
- production at (sub)threshold energies

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(Λ -N, Λ - Λ , p- Ξ -, etc)

• Exotics, meta-stable strange states



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Heavy-ion experiments worldwide



CBM will operate at high reaction rates: 10⁵ - 10⁷ Au+Au reactions/sec

Main experimental requirements and challenges

- High statistics needs high event rates: 10⁵ 10⁷ Au+Au reactions/sec
- Particle identification: hadrons and leptons, displaced ($\sigma \approx 50 \ \mu m$) vertex reconstruction for charm measurements
- Fast, radiation hard detectors & front-end electronics
- Free-streaming readout & 4 dimensional (space+time) event reconstruction
- High speed data acquisition & performance computing farm for online event selection

CBM experiment



CBM subsystems: tracking, particle identification, event characterization



Dipole Magnet bends charged particles trajectories

STS (Silicon Tracking System) charged particle tracking

MVD (Micro-Vertex Detector) secondary vertex reconstruction

RICH (Ring Imaging Cherenkov) electron identification or MUCH (MUon CHambers) muon tracking & identification

TRD (Transition Radiation Detector) electron identification

TOF (Time of Flight detector) hadron identification

PSD (Projectile Spectator Detector) collision centrality & reaction plane

Identification of light hadrons and nuclei

CBM simulation, central Au+Au @ 10A GeV/c



Clear separation between charged protons, pions and kaons

Clear separation of light nuclei



CBM simulation, Au+Au collisions @ 12A GeV/c



 p_{π}

Example of Λ reconstruction via $\Lambda \rightarrow p\pi^{-}$

Primary vertex

Example of Λ reconstruction via $\Lambda \rightarrow p\pi^{-}$ Machine learning (XGBoost) before selection 10⁶ XGB Predictions Background 50000 Signal 105 40000 10^{4} Sounts 30000 Counts **CBM Simulation** 10³ UrQMD CBM simulation Au+Au collisions @ 12A GeV/c Au+Au @ 12A GeV/c 10² 10000 X²_{prim1} χ^2_{geo} PV DCA $\chi^2_{prim^2}$ 101 0.0 0.1 0.2 0.3 07 0.8 0.9 1.0 1.10 1.12 1.14 XGB probability $m_{p\pi}$, GeV/ c^2 π Secondary Selection criteria are optimized multi-dimensionally vertex χ²topo α and non-linearly using Machine Learning algorithms α_____ \vec{p}_{Λ} L

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(Multi)-strange hyperons: yield projections



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experiment	√s _{NN} , GeV	Run time (weeks)	R _{int} , kHz	[I]	E]	$\overline{\Omega}^+$
HADES (Ag)	2.6	4	10	2.5x10 ³		
MPD S1	11	10	5	1.5x10 ⁶	8x10 ⁴	1.5x10 ⁴
CBM	3.8	1	1000	4x10 ⁹	5x10 ⁶	3.3x10⁵

Hypernuclei: reconstruction & yield projections



Recent developments in coupling dynamical & statistical mechanisms of cluster production Botvina, Buyukcizmeci, Bleicher, <u>PRC103 (2021) 6, 064602</u>

Blue & red lines: precision of measurable yields assuming various scenario

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СВМ	√s _{nn} , GeV	Run time, weeks	eff, %	R _{int} , MHz	Duty F %	Yield
³∧H	4.7	1	19	10	50	5.5x10 ⁹
⁴ _∧ He	4.7	1	15	10	50	2.7x10 ⁸
⁶ _^ He	4.7	10	1	10	50	146

Rate estimates for 10Mhz are without MVD

Using femtoscopy to study hyperon-hyperon interaction



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- study strong interactions between (multi)-strange baryons
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FAIR Phase-0: CBM performance at high-rates with mCBM

mCBM subsystems in 2021

mCBM setup in 2021

The mCBM experiment at GSI SIS18 June 16, 2021



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 Λ hyperon yield is a benchmark CBM measurements: compare with published data (FOPI, HADES) Measure excitation function and system size dependence of sub-threshold Λ production

FAIR Phase-0: eTOF @ STAR

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Validating CBM online tools at STAR: KFParticleFinder



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FAIR Phase-0: Single- Λ hypernuclei @ STAR fixed target



- Yields vs $\sqrt{s_{NN}}$, differentially in p_{T} (m_{T}), rapidity, etc.: probing different production mechanisms
- Mass, binding energy, lifetime, branching ratios, etc.: lifetime of the ${}^4_{\Lambda}$ He differs from that of free Λ
- STAR can access 3-body decays, only single- Λ hypernuclei p to ${}^{5}_{\Lambda}$ He

Summary

CBM physics program at SIS100 is unique:

• Precision study of the QCD phase diagram in the region of extreme high net-baryon densities

Unique measurements of rare diagnostic probes with CBM:

- High-precision multi-differential measurements of hadron yield and correlations including (multi-)strange hyperons for different beam energies and collision systems
- Studies of light (multi-lambda)hypernuclei
- Extensive physics performance studies for many physics observables

CBM FAIR-Phase 0 program (HADES, STAR, BM@N, NA61/SHINE, mCBM)

- Activities are targeted towards usage and understanding of major components and their integration
- Produce physics results with CBM devices:
 - hypernuclei production at STAR FXT
 - measurement of subthreshold ∧ excitation function at mCBM

The CBM Collaboration: 55 institutions, 413 members

