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 $\propto \frac{\Delta q}{a} \frac{\Delta G}{G}$



Proton Spin Physics: Current Status and Forthcoming Results (Experiment)



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Proton spin physics—where do we stand and what measurements can we expect to see coming out in the next year or two from both the RHIC and DIS

communities?





Only possible thanks to the hard work of numerous people at C-AD and the polarimetry teams!



RHIC performance in p+p —Mei Bai

- Pachieved > Pprojected!
 - great performance of polarized source and injectors
- Successful 110 bunch operation
 - with 1.0×10¹¹ protons per bunch.
 - tests with 1.5x10¹¹ protons per bunch today!
- Substantial polarization achieved at 205 GeV!
 - Important first step toward sqrt(s) = 500 GeV running

Proton polarimetry at RHIC —Sandro Bravar

- Provide polarization measurements for RHIC accelerator
- Provide polarization measurements for experiments
- Study polarized elastic scattering \uparrow

$$p'p' \rightarrow pp$$

 $p^{\uparrow}C \rightarrow pC$







Polarimetry summary

- Fast measurements of P_{beam} using CNI polarimeters
 - Few min. (AGS)
 - 10 sec. (RHIC)!
- Polarized hydrogen (proton) gas JET target works beautifully
- Expect ~ 6 8% calibration of *pCCNI* polarimeters
 for 2005

A_N in polarized p+p elastic scattering at RHIC (pp2pp) —Wlodek Guryn

- Like polarimeters, measuring polarized elastic scattering in the Coulomb-nuclear interference (CNI) region
- Transverse single-spin asymmetry A_N expected due to interference of hadronic "non-flip" amplitude with electromagnetic "spin-flip" amplitude
 - Deviations from calculated CNI asymmetry indicate other contributions, e.g. Reggeon or Pomeron exchange



Preliminary (near-final) results



- Large asymmetries (4-5σ from 0) have been measured
- ~1σ deviation from CNI curve
- Mapping sqrt(s) and t dependence and measurement of other asymmetries will shed more light on underlying dynamics



Transverse single-spin asymmetries for π + and π - production (BRAHMS) —Flemming Videbaek



BRAHMS summary

- First preliminary result for single spin asymmetries of π^+ and π^- at 200 GeV for 0.17 < $x_{\rm F}$ < 0.32
 - Early Run-05 results confirm Run-04
- A_N for π^+ and π^- have opposite sign, consistent with lower energy results
- A_N at negative x_F for π^+ and π^- consistent with 0 (as found by STAR for π^0)
- Protons have $A_N \sim 0$



HERMES: Outlook to 2007 —Naomi Makins

Run 1: 1995 - 2000 longitudinal targets focus on quark polarization

Final HERMES ∆q measurement from semi-inclusive DIS

First 5-flavor fit to $\Delta q!$ No significant sea polarization observed



x-∆u

0.2



Run 2a: 2002 - 2005 transverse target focus on **transversity**

Statistics will double by end of 2005



COMPASS experiment status and results

—Katarzyna Kowalik

Muon beam 2002-03

- Transverse spin structure: Sivers and Collins asymmetries
- Longitudinal structure: g_1^d and gluon polarization

Hadron beam as of 2004



Collins and Sivers asymmetries for leading hadrons



Gluon polarization from high- p_T hadron pairs



COMPASS results consistent with zero

- Most precise measurement of $\Delta G/G$ for low Q^2
- Will also measure gluon pol. via open charm—expect results this summer C. Aidala, 2005 Users' Meeting

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PHENIX Run-05 p+p analysis -Kensuke Okada Cross section (A_{TT}) ALL Pi0, Charged pion С Pi0, Charged pion **Direct photon Direct photon** eta eta, Lambda Single electron ,J/psi Single electron Jet J/psi J/psi **PH**^{*}ENIX A_N



Neutron asymmetry (200,<u>400GeV</u>) Persists!

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C: with Central arm M: with Muon arm L: with Local poralimetor



PHENIX Run-05 summary

- ~4 pb⁻¹ recorded with longitudinal polarization, P~50%
 - 210 times Run-03 double-spin asym. figure of merit (P⁴L)
 - $\pi^0 A_{LL}$ will be greatly improved!
 - Other A_{LL} first measurements will be possible
- 0.16 pb⁻¹ recorded with transverse polarization
 - Limit on A_{TT} contamination to A_{LL}
 - Improved A_N measurements—9x more than Run-02 FOM (P²L)
- Will measure variety of production cross sections
- Other probes will give hints for future measurements



STAR Spin: Progress and nearterm prospects —Ernst Sichtermann

- Lead-scintillator Endcap EM calorimeter complete for 2005!
 - 1 < |η| < 2
- Barrel EM calorimeter fully installed, half instrumented for triggering
- Will allow measurement of π^0 A_{LL} over a wide range in η from 2005 data set
 - Anticipate precision to discriminate among several possibilities for Δg
- Ultimately measure prompt photon asymmetries as well

Inclusive jets: near-term prospects



Potential to *discriminate* between several of the expectations based on DIS parametrizations (not all of which are equally probable).

Preliminary Run-03/04 jet result expected in a few months

Kinematic Coverage, although still limited, where ΔG is sizable



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Concluding remarks

- Nucleon spin structure is a thriving community!
- The wealth of data from the latest RHIC run will greatly improve on some previous measurements and enable several new ones
- Complementary (and sometimes competitive!) efforts by the DIS and RHIC experiments are gradually disentangling both the longitudinal and transverse spin structure of the proton Thanks to Peter Steinberg and the

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