



# Status of PANDA Experiment

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#### **Construction Site**



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https://fair-center.eu/construction/webcam.html





#### pp-Annihilations: Gluon Rich Environment

**Production** 



#### **High Discovery Potential**

 associated production
 → access to all quantum numbers (exotic and non-exotic)

limited by detector resolution

Formation



#### **Precision Physics of Known States**

not limited to  $J^{PC} = 1^{--}$  as  $e^+e^-$  colliders direct formation of resonance  $\rightarrow$  access to qq quantum numbers high statistic

limited by momentum resolution  $\rightarrow$  precise measurement of mass and width

#### **Accessible Hadrons at PANDA**



#### **PANDA Detector**



- Target Spectrometer + Forward Spectrometer
- PANDA Detector:
  - Tracking System: MVD + STT + GEM + FT
  - Electromagnetic Calorimeter: Barrel + Forward + Backward + Shashilik type sampling
  - Particle Identification: DIRC + TOF + MUD + RICH
  - Magnet: Solenoid + Dipole
  - Target: Cluster-jet



#### **Tracking Detectors: Micro Vertex Detector**

Innermost detector, closest to primary interaction vertices Essential for precise determination of secondary decay vertices Barrel shell structure (4 layers), disk structure (6 pieces) in forward direction

Double sided silicon strip detectors, pixel detectors

time resolution	< 10 ns
pixel	28 $\mu$ m pos. res.
strips	14 $\mu$ m pos. res.
vertex resolution	$< 100 \ \mu$ m



#### **Tracking Detectors: Straw Tube Tracker**

4200 Ar/CO<sub>2</sub> (90/10) filled AI-mylar drift tubes Arranged in cylindrical volume around MVD Avalanche multiplication: gain $\approx$ 100

Inner radius	15 cm
Outer radius	42 cm
Tube diameter	10 mm
Tube length	150 cm
$ ho/\phi$ plane resolution	150 $\mu$ m
z resolution	1 mm



#### **Forward Spectrometer: Forward Tracker**

Based on 10 mm diameter straw tubes as in central tracker Momentum acceptance better than  $0.03 \times \bar{p}_{heam}$ 

- $(B_{dipole} \text{ scaled according to } \bar{p}_{beam})$
- Three pairs of planer tracking stations in front, behind and inside (for low momentum particles) magnet yoke



Coverage	$\pm~10^\circ$ horizontally	
	$\pm$ 5 $^{\circ}$ vertically	
Position		
resolution	0.1 mm / layer	
Δp/p	< 1 %	

#### **Tracking Detectors: GEMs**





Station No.	1	2	3	4
Weight [kg]	20	20	30	40
Distance to target [cm]	81	117	153	189
Outer diameter [cm]	90	90	112	148
Resolution trajectory position		< 10	)0 $\mu$ m	

#### **Particle Identification**

- Accurate PID key requirement to unveal many aspects of PANDA physics program
- Various dedicated high developed PID systems are able to classify particle species over whole kinematic range:

Cherenkov detectors: DIRCs, RICH

Time of Flight system Moun detection system







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# **Particle Identification: Barrel DIRC**

DIRC: Detection of Internally Reflected Cherenkov light Compact fused silica (quartz) bars, spherical lenses, prisms MCP-PMT read out: excellent timing, B-field performance

$n_2$ $n_1$ $n_1$	$n_1 \sin\theta > n_2 \sin 90^\circ$
$\beta > 1/n$	$\cos \Theta_C = 1/eta  n(\lambda)$
n radiator	1.47
$\pi/K$ separation	3 $\sigma$ (up tp 3.5 GeV/c)
$\gamma$ time res.	100 ps
PMT channels	10000



## **Particle Identification: Barrel TOF**

Low momentum particle PID ( <1GeV ) Excellent time resolution of about 100 ps System of scintillator tiles read out by SiPMs ( two sides ) Light weight construction



Scintillator	plastic (EJ-228 or EJ-232)
Read out	SiPM (Hamamatsu)
FEE	TOF PET ASIC (PETsys electronics)

## **Electromagnetic Calorimetry**

PANDA physics: Complete reconstruction of multi-photon and lepton-pair channels of importance Good energy and spatial resolution for photons up to 15 GeV High yield and background rejection Target spectrometer: Homogenius barrel part plus two endcaps Forward spectrometer: Sample calorimeter

Energy threshold	10 MeV	
Spacial coverage	98 % of 4 $\pi$	
Single crystal rate	up to 1 MHz	



# **Electromagnetic Calorimeter: Target calorimeter**

- 2<sup>nd</sup> generation PbWO<sub>4</sub> (PWO-II), improved light yield, radiation hardness, 15744 crystals
- Operating at -25°C (×4 light yield)
- Read out: Large area APDs (2 per crystal), vaccum photo tetrodes (inner forward endcap)

Radiation length	0.9 cm
Molière radius	2.1 cm
Crystal dimensions	20 $ imes$ $2.5$ $ imes$ $2.5$ cm <sup>3</sup>
Time resolution	$\leq$ 1 ns (> 100 MeV)
Energy res. $\frac{\sigma_E}{E}$	$1\% \oplus rac{2\%}{\sqrt{E[GeV]}}$
Spacial resolution	$\leq$ 1.5 mm





### Electromagnetic Calorimetry: Forward Calorimeter

Shashlik type sampling calorimeter: Lead absorbers, plastic scintillators, light collection by wavelength shifting fibers, PMT readout



#### **Cluster-Jet Target**

- Target thickness ρ > 2 x 10<sup>15</sup> hydrogen atoms/cm<sup>2</sup> at PANDA IP
- Well defined vertex point
- Cluster size on nanometer scale
  - homogeneous target beam with no time structure
- Target thickness continuously adjustable over magnitudes
- Non-destructive target thickness monitor system for online thickness analysis







Ideal combination of superconducting solenoid (target region) and dipole (forward spectrometer, below  $5^{\circ}/10^{\circ}$ )

	Solenoid	Dipole
Field	2 T	1 T
Diameter	inner/outer 1.9/2.3 m	1 m $ imes$ 3 m opening
Length	4.9 m	2.5 m
Weight	300 t	220 t

Solenoid:

Instrumented flux return Field inhomogeneity  $\leq 2\%$ Dipole ramping operation fully synchronous with storage ring, ramp speed 1.25%/s

# Magnets





#### **Data Aquisition**

High interaction rate, wide physics objectives: triggerless DAQ



Time distribution: SODA

Time tag / hit

Selection after event building

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Storage





#### **PANDA Schedule**





#### **PANDA Phases**

#### Phase 0

Currently PANDA detectors are being built. They will be used in other excellent experiments until the experimental hall is available. 3 Experiments Software-Development

Phase 1 First physics experiments with the PANDA start setup using antiprotons

#### Phase 2

Experiments using the full setup

Phase 3

Experiments beyond MSV (needs RESR)

# Start / Full Setup (Phase 1 & 2)



#### **Summary**



- The civil construction advances well, and HESR is also well in time line
- Installation window will be in 2022
- Detector design of PANDA experiment is presented
- The full setup of PANDA covers the broadest physics case in hadron physics.