

# Tale of coherent photon products: from UPC to HHIC

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The coherent photon-nucleus and photon-photon interactions has been studied in detail to probe the gluon distribution in nucleus and to test QED via relativistic heavy-ion collisions. These kind of interactions are traditionally thought to be only exist in ultra-peripheral collisions (UPC), where there is no hadronic interactions. Recently, significant excess of  $J/\psi$  yield and dielectron pair production at very low transverse momentum ( $p_T < 0.3$  GeV/c) were observed by the ALICE and STAR collaborations in peripheral A+A collisions, which points to evidence of coherent photon products in hadronic heavy-ion collisions (HHIC). The possible survival of photoproduced  $J/\psi$  and electron pair merits theoretical investigations, which are currently rare on the market.

In this talk, I will review on the recent experimental and theoretical progress on the coherent photon induced reactions from UPC to HHIC.

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