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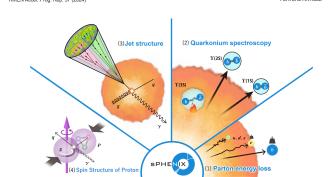
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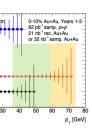
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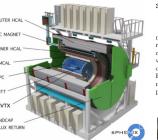
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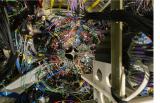






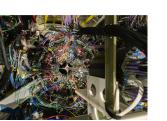


Depicted in Fig. 8 is the INTT barrel detector installed inside the TPC detector. Because the entire INTT barrel needs to be accommodated within the inner diameter of the TPC, the signal from the barrel has to be transmitted all the way outside the TPC volume because the downstream electronics, that is, ROCs will not fit within the inner diameter of the TPC. The massive raw data generated from the INTT have to be transmitted at high speed to the ROC through a curved cable path for longer than 1 m. Because no commercial cable satisfies the requirement, a novel cable, that is, the bus extender cable has been developed based on flexible printed circuits. This technology can simultaneously satisfy high-density signal lines, length,



crystal as a dielectric material to suppress losses in transmission lines. The conversion cable consists of three components: 1)  $\mu$ -coaxial cables, 2) power and ground cables, 3) connector print boards both ends. The downstream of the conversion cable is connected to the read-out card (ROC), which collects data from multiple half-ladders and transmits reformatted data further downstream to the Felix server through an optical fiber link. The ROC was reused from the FVTX detector in the PHENIX experiment<sup>9</sup>) to reduce the cost of the INTT porject.

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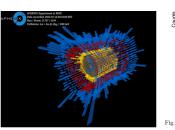
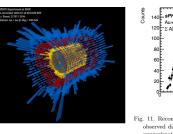
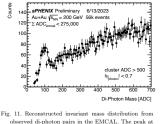


Fig. 10. Event display of the EMCAL (yellow), the Inner

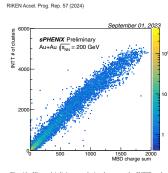


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The substitution of the total charge observed in the EMCAL is functioning proportional  $^{2}$  case to orientation in the limitipative with other tentes of hit clusters in the INTT and the total charge observed in the MBD (the total charge is proportional)



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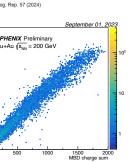
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The sPEENIX collaboration<sup>1)</sup> studies Quark-Glusn Plasma and Cold-QCD at the Relativistic Ecovy Isn Collider (EHIC) at Brookhaven National Laboratory. a MAP3-based Vertex Detector (MVTX). Intermediste Silicon Tracker (INTT), Time Projection Chamber

(TPC), and TPC Outer Tracker (TPOT).

The INTT is a two-layer barrel detector using silicon strip sensors, covering full azimuth angles and pseudo-rapidity within ±1.1. The barnel was constructed using 56 ladders equipped with efficen sensors with a sonsitive area of approximately 40 cm × 2 cm. The strips are  $78\,\mu\mathrm{m} \times 520\,\mu\mathrm{m} \times 16\,\mathrm{mm}$  or  $20\,\mathrm{mm}$  in size, and a single FPEX chip<sup>2)</sup> reads 128 strips. The INTT is lofor hit position and timing measurements for tracking The detector was installed in March 2023, and the con struction of the sPEENIX detector was completed in was conducted with Au-Au collisions with center-ofmass energy  $\sqrt{s} = 200 \,\text{GeV}$  triggered by a Minimum Bias Detector (MBD) located at the forward region. It order to measure particles in the collisions, the timing of the signal readout must be appropriately adjusted Figure 1 shows the number of hits per event measured the 1/15 region of the INTT barrel as a function of one of the delay parameters for the readout timing timing of the Au-Au collision has been matched, while the region outside the peak is considered the back-

ground, such as detector noise.

Figure 2 shows a positive correlation between the rumber of hit clusters per event for the inner (x-axis) and the cotter (y-axis) barrels. The correlation can be explained by a simple picture: particles originst-ing from the collision inside the INTT harrels poss

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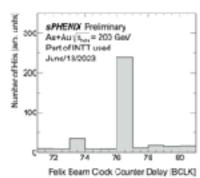
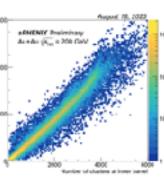


Fig. 1. Number of kits on the INTT barrel as a function of



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sel. Validation of such a simple concept is evidence of
the healthy aperation of the detector. Other correla-Advanced Science Research Center, Japan Atomic Energy — fione, such as the number of hits of INTT and other beam axis by INTT and by MBD, also showed reasonable results, i.s., ISTT behaved as expected. The chin-le-chin analysis of FPIIX also confirmed that approximately 99% of the chips were in good condition.

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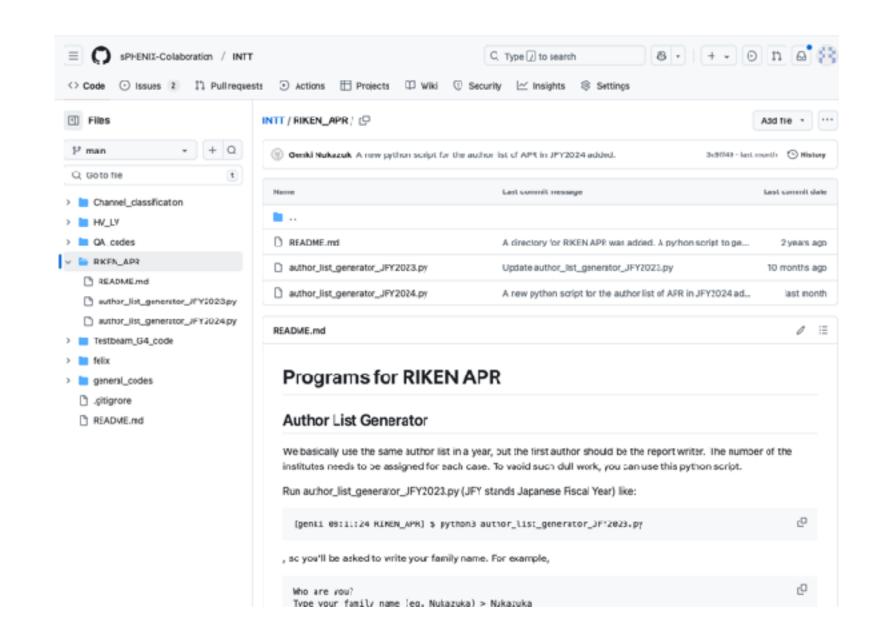
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