Tentative RHIC Run 11 Plan

> FY11 initial funding guidance for RHIC ops. \$1.6M below President's request, but still up by 4% (\cong inflation) from FY10

> Should \Rightarrow 27-28 cryoweeks of operation at projected power cost

Tentative Run Plan:

• 1.5 weeks cooldown/warmup

 3.5 weeks pp commissioning (as per Wolfram -- do we still need that much before physics start?)

• 10 weeks 500 GeV pp (includes 1-2 days with IP2 collisions)

If VTX ready for productive ops:

- 2 weeks Au+Au commissioning
- 8 weeks 200 GeV Au+Au
- I week U+U setup
- 1.5 weeks 193 GeV U+U
- 1 week 18 GeV Au+Au

Total = 28.5 cryoweeks

If VTX not ready for productive ops:

- 2 more weeks 500 GeV pp
- 3 weeks U+U commissioning
- 2 weeks 193 GeV U+U
- 0.5 weeks Au+Au setup
- 1.5 weeks 18 GeV Au+Au
- 1.0 weeks 27 GeV Au+Au
- 0.5 weeks ~6 GeV Au+Au test

Total = 25.5 cryoweeks, carry more funds forward for Run 12