¹ Measurement of angular distributions of thermal ² dielectrons in Au+Au collisions at $\sqrt{s_{\rm NN}} = 9.2$ ³ GeV

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According to lattice Quantum Chromodynamics (QCD) predictions, there 5 exists a phase transition from hadronic matter to Quark Gluon Plasma (QGP) at 6 extremely high temperatures or baryon densities. Thermal dielectrons provide 7 a unique probe to study the properties of the hot QCD medium created in 8 relativistic heavy ion collisions. They can be emitted during the entire evolution 9 of the medium and do not interact strongly with it. The thermal dilepton 10 angular distributions can provide us with more information on their production 11 mechanism. 12

The STAR experiment collected a large dataset from Au+Au collisions at $\sqrt{s_{\rm NN}} = 9.2$ GeV during the Beam Energy Scan program phase II (BES-II). In this poster, the results of the angular distributions of decay electrons in the rest frame of the dielectron in Au+Au collisions at $\sqrt{s_{\rm NN}} = 9.2$ GeV will be presented and discussed. Furthermore, the physics implications from this measurement will be discussed.