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The simulation of DIRC detector at the Electron-ion collider in China

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The Electron-ion collider in China (EicC) is a proposed future electron-ion collider with a high luminosity above $2.0 \times 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ and center-of-mass energy ranging from 15 to 20 GeV. To meet its PID requirement in the barrel region, a focusing DIRC detector is proposed, which consists of fused silica radiators, MCP-PMT photosensor array, and fast-timing readout electronics. In order to study and optimize its performance, we conducted a GEANT4 simulation including various optical transmission and focus systems, readout electronics, and image reconstruction algorithm. The simulation results demonstrate a high angular resolution of $\sim 1\text{mrad}$ and time resolution $<100\text{ps}$, achieving the 3σ Pion/Kaon separation in the momentum range of $1\text{-}6\text{GeV}/c$.

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