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# Transverse-momentum and pseudorapidity distributions of charged hadrons in $pp$ collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV

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## Abstract

Charged-hadron transverse-momentum and pseudorapidity distributions in proton-proton collisions at  $\sqrt{s} = 7$  TeV are measured with the inner tracking system of the CMS detector at the LHC. The charged-hadron yield is obtained by counting the number of reconstructed hits, hit-pairs, and fully reconstructed charged-particle tracks. The combination of the three methods gives a charged-particle multiplicity per unit of pseudorapidity  $dN_{\text{ch}}/d\eta|_{|\eta|<0.5} = 5.78 \pm 0.01$  (stat.)  $\pm 0.23$  (syst.) for non-single-diffractive events, higher than predicted by commonly used models. The relative increase in charged-particle multiplicity from  $\sqrt{s} = 0.9$  to 7 TeV is  $(66.1 \pm 1.0$  (stat.)  $\pm 4.2$  (syst.))%. The mean transverse momentum is measured to be  $0.545 \pm 0.005$  (stat.)  $\pm 0.015$  (syst.) GeV/ $c$ . The results are compared with similar measurements at lower energies.

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*Introduction.* Measurements of particle yields and kinematic distributions are an essential first step in exploring a new energy regime of particle collisions. Such studies contribute to our understanding of the physics of hadron production, including the relative roles of soft and hard scattering contributions, and help construct a solid foundation for other investigations. In the complicated environment of LHC  $pp$  collisions [1], firm knowledge of the rates and distributions of inclusive particle production is needed to distinguish rare signal events from the much larger backgrounds of soft hadronic interactions. They will also serve as points of reference for the measurement of nuclear-medium effects in Pb-Pb collisions in the LHC heavy ion program.

The bulk of the particles produced in  $pp$  collisions arise from soft interactions, which are modeled only phenomenologically. Experimental results provide the critical guidance for tuning these widely-used models and event generators. Soft collisions are commonly classified as elastic scattering, inelastic single-diffractive (SD) dissociation, double-diffractive (DD) dissociation, and inelastic non-diffractive (ND) scattering [2]. (Double-Pomeron exchange is treated as DD in this paper.) All results presented here refer to inelastic non-single-diffractive (NSD) interactions, and are based on an event selection that retains a large fraction of the ND and DD events, while disfavoring SD events.

The measurements focus on transverse-momentum  $p_T$  and pseudorapidity  $\eta$  distributions. The pseudorapidity, commonly used to characterize the direction of particle emission, is defined as  $\eta = -\ln \tan(\theta/2)$ , where  $\theta$  is the polar angle of the direction of the particle with respect to the anti-clockwise beam direction. The count of primary charged hadrons,  $N_{\text{ch}}$ , is defined to include decay products of particles with proper lifetimes less than 1 cm. Products of secondary interactions are excluded, and a per-cent-level correction is applied for prompt leptons. The measurements reported here are of  $dN_{\text{ch}}/d\eta$  and  $dN_{\text{ch}}/dp_T$  in the pseudorapidity range  $|\eta| < 2.4$  and closely follow our previous analysis of minimum-bias data at lower centre-of-mass energies of  $\sqrt{s} = 0.9$  and 2.36 TeV as reported in Ref. [3].

The data for this study are drawn from an integrated luminosity of  $1.1 \mu\text{b}^{-1}$  recorded with the Compact Muon Solenoid (CMS) experiment [4] on March 30th, 2010, during the first hour of the LHC operation at  $\sqrt{s} = 7$  TeV. These results are the highest centre-of-mass energy measurements of the  $dN_{\text{ch}}/d\eta$  and  $dN_{\text{ch}}/dp_T$  distributions conducted at a particle collider so far and complement the other recent measurements of the ALICE experiment at 7 TeV [5].

*Experimental methods.* A detailed description of the CMS experiment can be found in Ref. [4]. The detectors used for the present analysis are the pixel and silicon-strip tracker (SST), covering the region  $|\eta| < 2.5$  and immersed in a 3.8 T axial magnetic field. The pixel tracker consists of three barrel layers and two end-cap disks at each barrel end. The forward calorimeter (HF), which covers the region  $2.9 < |\eta| < 5.2$ , was also used for event selection. The detailed Monte Carlo simulation (MC) of the CMS detector response is based on Geant4 [6].

The event selection and analysis methods in this paper are identical to those used in Ref. [3], where more details can be found. The inelastic  $pp$  collision rate was about 50 Hz. At these rates, the fraction of events in the data, where two or more minimum-bias collisions occurred in the same bunch crossing, is estimated to be less than 0.3% and was neglected. Any hit in the beam scintillator counters (BSC,  $3.23 < |\eta| < 4.65$ ) coinciding with colliding proton bunches was used for triggering the data acquisition. A sample mostly populated with NSD events was selected by requiring a primary vertex (PV) to be reconstructed with the tracker, together with at least one HF tower in each end with more than 3 GeV total energy. Beam-halo and other beam-background events were rejected as described in Ref. [3]. The remaining fraction of background events in the data was found to be less than  $2 \times 10^{-5}$ . The numbers of events

Table 1: Numbers of events passing the selection cuts. The selection criteria are applied in sequence, i.e., each line includes the selection from the previous ones.

Selection	Number of events
Colliding bunches + one BSC signal	68 512
Reconstructed PV	61 551
HF coincidence	55 113
Beam-halo rejection	55 104
Other beam-background rejection	55 100

Table 2: Fractions of SD, DD, ND, and NSD processes obtained from the PYTHIA and PHOJET event generators before any selection, and the corresponding selection efficiencies determined from the MC simulation.

	PYTHIA		PHOJET	
	Frac.	Sel. eff.	Frac.	Sel. eff.
SD	19.2%	26.7%	13.8%	30.7%
DD	12.9%	33.6%	6.6%	48.3%
ND	67.9%	96.4%	79.6%	97.1%
NSD	80.8%	86.3%	86.2%	93.4%

satisfying the selection criteria are listed in Table 1.

The event selection efficiency was estimated with simulated events using the PYTHIA [7, 8] and PHOJET [9, 10] event generators. The relative event fractions of SD, DD, and ND processes and their respective event selection efficiencies are listed in Table 2. The fraction of diffractive events is predicted by the models to decrease as a function of collision energy, while the selection efficiency increases. At  $\sqrt{s} = 7$  TeV, the fraction of SD (DD) events in the selected data sample, estimated with PYTHIA and PHOJET, are 6.8% (5.8%) and 5.0% (3.8%), respectively, somewhat higher than at  $\sqrt{s} = 0.9$  and 2.36 TeV [3]. With PYTHIA, the overall correction for the selection efficiency of NSD processes and for the fraction of SD events remaining in the data sample lowers the measured charged-particle multiplicity by 6% compared with the uncorrected distribution.

The  $dN_{\text{ch}}/d\eta$  distributions were obtained, as in Ref. [3], with three methods, based on counting the following quantities: (i) reconstructed clusters in the barrel part of the pixel detector; (ii) pixel tracklets composed of pairs of clusters in different pixel barrel layers; and (iii) tracks reconstructed in the full tracker volume. The third method also allows a measurement of the  $dN_{\text{ch}}/dp_{\text{T}}$  distribution. All three methods rely on the reconstruction of a PV [11]. The PV reconstruction efficiency was found to be 98.3% (98.0%) in data (MC), evaluated after all other event selection cuts. In case of multiple PV candidates, the vertex with the largest track multiplicity was chosen. The three methods are sensitive to the measurement of particles down to  $p_{\text{T}}$  values of about 30, 50, and 100 MeV/ $c$ , respectively. Only 0.5, 1.5, and 5% of all charged particles are estimated to be produced below these  $p_{\text{T}}$  values, respectively, and these fractions were corrected for.

The measurements were corrected for the geometrical acceptance ( $\approx 2\%$ ), efficiency ( $\approx 5\text{-}10\%$ ), fake ( $< 1\%$ ) and duplicate tracks ( $< 0.5\%$ ), low- $p_{\text{T}}$  particles curling in the axial magnetic field

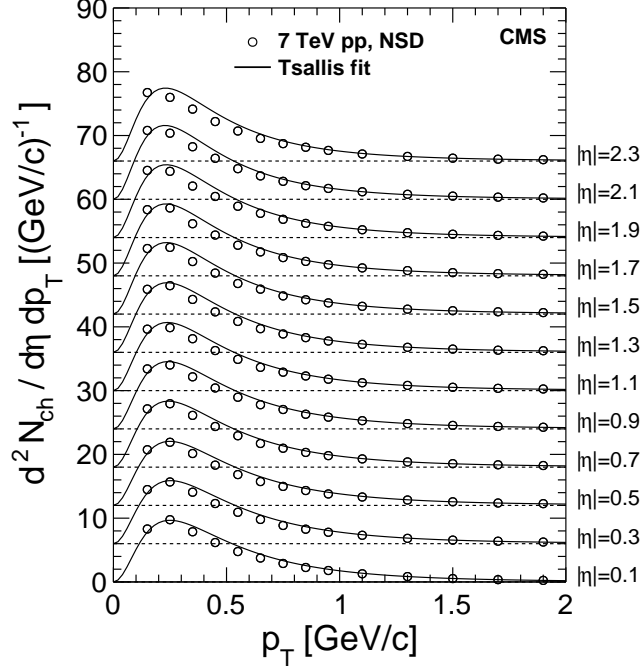


Figure 1: Differential yield of charged hadrons in the range  $|\eta| < 2.4$  in 0.2-unit-wide bins of  $|\eta|$  in NSD events. The solid curves represent fits of Eq. 1 to the data. The measurements with increasing  $\eta$  are successively shifted by six units along the vertical axis.

(<1%), decay products of long-lived hadrons (<2%) and photon conversions (<1%) and inelastic hadronic interactions in the detector material ( $\approx 1$ -2%), where the size of the corrections in parentheses refer to the tracking method. The PYTHIA parameter set from Ref. [8] was chosen to determine the corrections, because it reproduces the  $dN_{\text{ch}}/d\eta$  and charged-particle multiplicity distributions, as well as other control distributions at 7 TeV, better than other available tuning parameter sets. Although the corrections do not depend significantly on the model used, it is indeed important that the simulated data set contains a sufficient number of high-multiplicity events to determine these corrections with the desired accuracy.

*Results.* For the measurement of the  $dN_{\text{ch}}/dp_T$  distribution, charged-particle tracks with  $p_T$  in excess of 0.1 GeV/c were used in 12 different  $|\eta|$  bins, from 0 to 2.4. The average charged-hadron yields in NSD events are shown in Fig. 1 as a function of  $p_T$  and  $|\eta|$ . The Tsallis parametrization [12–14],

$$E \frac{d^3 N_{\text{ch}}}{dp^3} = \frac{1}{2\pi p_T} \frac{E}{p} \frac{d^2 N_{\text{ch}}}{d\eta dp_T} = C \frac{dN_{\text{ch}}}{dy} \left( 1 + \frac{E_T}{nT} \right)^{-n}, \quad (1)$$

where  $y = 0.5 \ln[(E + p_z)/(E - p_z)]$ ,  $E_T = \sqrt{m^2 + p_T^2} - m$ , and  $m$  is the charged pion mass, was fitted to the data. The  $p_T$  spectrum of charged hadrons,  $1/(2\pi p_T) d^2 N_{\text{ch}}/d\eta dp_T$ , measured in the range  $|\eta| < 2.4$ , is shown in Fig. 2 for data at 0.9, 2.36, and 7 TeV. The high- $p_T$  reach of the data is limited by the increase of systematic uncertainties with  $p_T$ . The fit to the data (Eq. 1) is mainly used for extrapolations to  $p_T = 0$ , but is not expected to give a good description of the data in all  $\eta$  bins with only two parameters. The parameter  $T$  and the exponent  $n$  were found to be  $T = 0.145 \pm 0.005$  (syst.) GeV and  $n = 6.6 \pm 0.2$  (syst.). The average  $p_T$ , calculated from a combination of the measured data points and the low- and high- $p_T$  contributions as

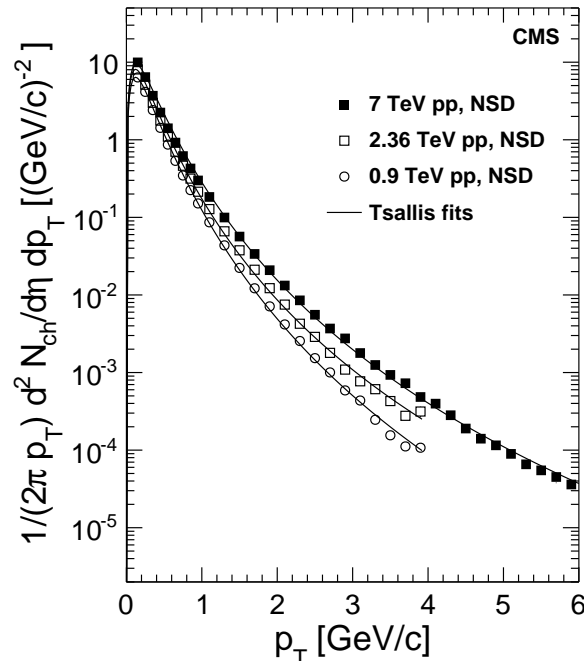


Figure 2: Charged-hadron yield in the range  $|\eta| < 2.4$  in NSD events as a function of  $p_T$ ; the systematic uncertainties are smaller than the symbols. The measurements at  $\sqrt{s} = 0.9$  and 2.36 TeV [3] are also shown. The solid lines represent fits of Eq. 1 to the data.

determined from the fit, is  $\langle p_T \rangle = 0.545 \pm 0.005$  (stat.)  $\pm 0.015$  (syst.) GeV/c.

Experimental uncertainties related to the trigger and event selection are common to all the analysis methods. The uncertainty related to the presence of SD (DD) events in the final sample was estimated to be 1.4% (1.1%), based on consistency checks between data and simulation for diffractive event candidates. The total event selection uncertainty, which also includes the selection efficiency of the BSC and HF, was found to be 3.5%. Based on studies similar to those presented in Ref. [3], additional 3% and 2% uncertainties were assigned to the tracklet and track reconstruction algorithm efficiencies, respectively. Corrections at the percent level were applied to the final results to extrapolate to  $p_T = 0$ . The uncertainty on these extrapolation corrections was found to be less than 1%. All other uncertainties are identical to those listed in Ref. [3]. The  $dN_{\text{ch}}/d\eta$  measurements were repeated on a separate data sample without any magnetic field, for which almost no  $p_T$  extrapolation is needed, and gave results consistent within 1.5%. The final systematic uncertainties for the pixel counting, tracklet, and track methods were found to be 5.7%, 4.6%, and 4.3%, respectively, and are strongly correlated.

For the  $dN_{\text{ch}}/d\eta$  measurements, the results for the three individual layers within the cluster-counting method were found to be consistent within 1.2% and were combined. The three layer-pairs in the pixel-tracklet method provided results that agreed within 0.6% and were also combined. Finally, the results from the three different measurement methods, which agree with the combined result within 1% to 4% depending on  $\eta$ , were averaged. The final  $dN_{\text{ch}}/d\eta$  distributions are shown in Fig. 3 for  $\sqrt{s} = 0.9, 2.36,$  and 7 TeV. The CMS results are compared with measurements made by other experiments. In the ATLAS Collaboration analysis [17], events and particles were selected in a different region of phase space, which makes a direct comparison difficult. Their results are therefore not included in the figure.

The results can also be compared to earlier experiments as a function of  $\sqrt{s}$ . The energy depen-

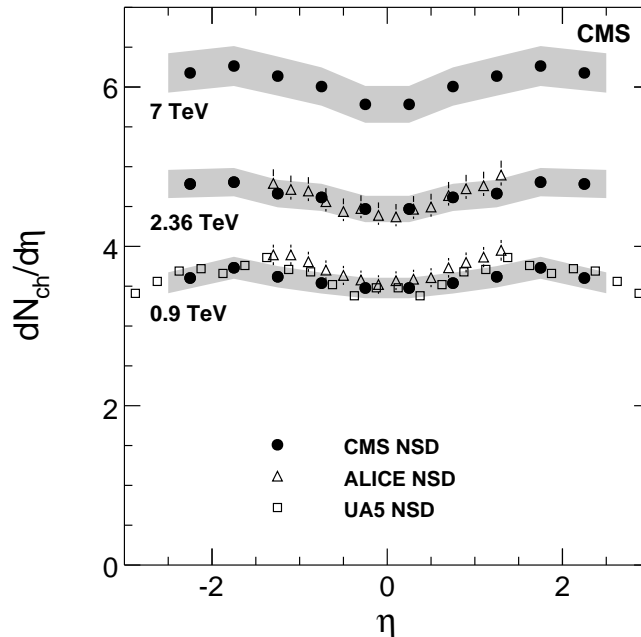


Figure 3: Distributions of  $dN_{ch}/d\eta$ , averaged over the three measurement methods and compared with data from UA5 [15] ( $p\bar{p}$ , with statistical errors only) and ALICE [16] (with systematic uncertainties). The shaded band shows systematic uncertainties of the CMS data. The CMS and UA5 data are averaged over negative and positive values of  $\eta$ .

dence of the average charged-hadron  $p_T$  can be described by a quadratic function of  $\ln s$  [18]. As shown in Fig. 4, the present measurement follows this trend. The choice of the  $|\eta|$  interval can influence the average  $p_T$  value by a few per cent.

For  $|\eta| < 0.5$ , the average charged multiplicity density is  $dN_{ch}/d\eta = 5.78 \pm 0.01$  (stat.)  $\pm 0.23$  (syst.) for NSD events. The  $\sqrt{s}$  dependence of the measured  $dN_{ch}/d\eta|_{\eta \approx 0}$  is shown in Fig. 5, which includes data from various other experiments. The  $dN_{ch}/d\eta$  results reported here show a rather steep increase between 0.9 and 7 TeV, which is measured to be  $(66.1 \pm 1.0$  (stat.)  $\pm 4.2$  (syst.))%. Using a somewhat different event selection, the ALICE collaboration has found a similar increase of  $(57.6 \pm 0.4$  (stat.)  $^{+3.6}_{-1.8}$  (syst.))% [5]. The measured charged-particle multiplicity is accurate enough to distinguish among most sets of event-generator tuning parameter values and various models. The measured value at 7 TeV significantly exceeds the prediction of 4.57 from PHOJET [9, 10], and the predictions of 3.99, 4.18, and 4.34 from the DW [22], ProQ20 [23], and Perugia0 [24] tuning parameter values of PYTHIA, respectively, while it is closer to the prediction of 5.48 from the PYTHIA parameter set from Ref. [8] and to the recent model predictions of 5.58 and 5.78 from Refs. [25] and [26]. The measured excess of the number of charged hadrons with respect to the event generators is independent of  $\eta$  and concentrated in the  $p_T < 1$  GeV/c range. These differences indicate the need for a continued model development and simulation tuning. Work on updated event generators based on LHC data is currently underway.

*Summary.* Charged-hadron transverse-momentum and pseudorapidity distributions have been measured in proton-proton collisions at  $\sqrt{s} = 7$  TeV. The numerical values of the data presented in this paper can be found in the HEPDATA database [32]. The combined result for the central pseudorapidity density, from three mutually consistent methods of measurement, is  $dN_{ch}/d\eta|_{|\eta| < 0.5} = 5.78 \pm 0.01$  (stat.)  $\pm 0.23$  (syst.) for non-single-diffractive events. This value

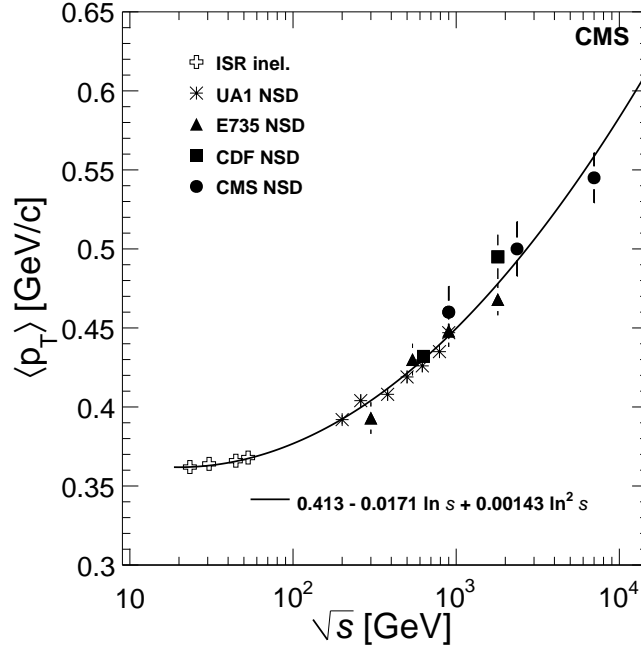


Figure 4: Average  $p_T$  of charged hadrons as a function of the centre-of-mass energy. The CMS measurements are for  $|\eta| < 2.4$ . Also shown are measurements from the ISR [19] ( $pp$ ), E735 [20] ( $p\bar{p}$ ), and CDF [21] ( $p\bar{p}$ ) for  $|\eta| < 0.5$ , and from UA1 [18] ( $p\bar{p}$ ) for  $|\eta| < 2.5$ . The solid line is a fit of the functional form  $\langle p_T \rangle = 0.413 - 0.0171 \ln s + 0.00143 \ln^2 s$  to the data. The error bars on the CMS data include the systematic uncertainties.

is higher than most predictions and provides new information to constrain ongoing improvements of soft particle production models and event generators. The mean transverse momentum has been measured to be  $0.545 \pm 0.005$  (stat.)  $\pm 0.015$  (syst.) GeV/c. These studies are the first steps in the exploration of particle production at the new centre-of-mass energy frontier, and contribute to the understanding of the dynamics in soft hadronic interactions.

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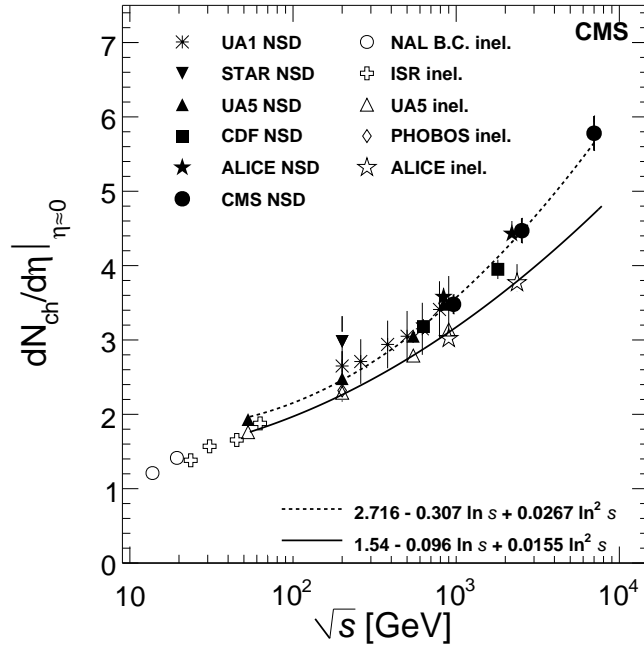


Figure 5: Average value of  $dN_{\text{ch}}/d\eta$  in the central  $\eta$  region as a function of centre-of-mass energy in  $pp$  and  $p\bar{p}$  collisions. Also shown are NSD and inelastic measurements from the NAL Bubble Chamber [27] ( $p\bar{p}$ ), ISR [28] ( $pp$ ), UA1 [18] ( $p\bar{p}$ ), UA5 [15] ( $p\bar{p}$ ), CDF [29] ( $p\bar{p}$ ), STAR [30] ( $pp$ ), PHOBOS [31] ( $pp$ ), and ALICE [16] ( $pp$ ). The curves are second-order polynomial fits for the inelastic (solid) and NSD event selections (dashed). The error bars include systematic uncertainties, when available. Data points at 0.9 and 2.36 TeV are slightly displaced horizontally for visibility.

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