

Heavy Ion Physics at the LHC with CMS experiment



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- CMS detector and heavy ion data taking
- CMS results on PbPb and pPb collisions
 - → Charge hadron multiplicity
 - → Transverse energy density
 - → Anisotropic flow
 - → Dihadron angular correlations
 - → Electroweak probes (Z and W bosons, prompt photons)
 - → High transverse momentum hadrons
 - → Jets
 - → Quarkonia
- Summary

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CMS Detector



CMS Detector SILICON TRACKER Pixels (100 x 150 µm²) ~66M channels Microstrips (80-180um) ~200m² ~9.6M channels **CRYSTAL ELECTROMAGNETIC** CALORIMETER (ECAL) ~76k scintillating PbWO, crystals PRESHOWER Silicon strips ~16m² ~137k channels ~13000 tonnes SUPERCONDUCTING SOLENOID Niobium-titanium coil carrying ~18000 A FORWARD CALORIMETER Steel + quartz fibres ~2k channels HADRON CALORIMETER (HCAL) **Total weight** : 14000 tonnes **MUON CHAMBERS** Brass + plastic scintillator **Overall diameter** : 15.0 m ~7k channels Barrel: 250 Drift Tube & 480 Resistive Plate Chambers **Overall length** : 28.7 m Endcaps: 473 Cathode Strip & 432 Resistive Plate Chambers Magnetic field : 3.8 T

• Silicon Tracker $|\eta| < 2.4$ • Electromagnetic calorimeter $|\eta| < 3.0$ • Hadron Calorimeter barrel and endcap $|\eta| < 3.0$ with HF-calorimeter up to $|\eta| < 5.2$ • Muon Chambers $|\eta| < 2.4$

+ CASTOR detector $5.2 < |\eta| < 6.6$ + Zero-degree calorimeter + TOTEM

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LHC PbPb and pPb runs (2010-2013)





Pb+Pb ($\sqrt{s_{NN}}$ =2.76 TeV)

CMS recorded in 2010 \sim 7.3 µb⁻¹

CMS recorded in 2011 \sim 150 µb⁻¹

CMS Integrated Luminosity, pPb, 2013, $\sqrt{s}=$ 5.02 TeV/nucleon



CMS also recorded pp data at $\sqrt{s}=2.76$ TeV (~5.4 pb⁻¹ in 2013 & ~240 nb⁻¹ in 2011)

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CMS Heavy Ion Public Results

23 published/submitted papers, 15 Physics Analysis Summaries (CMS PAS):

https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/CMSPublic/PhysicsResultsHIN



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Heavy ion event centrality determination



Events are classified according to the percentile of the PbPb inelastic cross section based on *total deposited energy in the forward calorimeters*

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Hadron multiplicty & energy density in PbPb



central PbPb (0-5%): $dN_{ch}/d\eta(\eta=0) \approx 1600$

(by a factor of 2.2 higher than at RHIC)

central PbPb (0-2.5%): $dE_T/d\eta (\eta=0) \approx 2.1 \text{ TeV}$ (by a factor of 3.3 higher than at RHIC); $\epsilon (\tau_0=1 \text{ fm/c}, \eta=0) \sim dE_T/dy (y=0) \approx 14 \text{ GeV/fm}^3$ (by a factor of 2.8 larger than at RHIC)

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Elliptic flow v₂ in PbPb



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Elliptic and triangular flow in pPb vs. PbPb



 $dN/d\varphi = N\{1 + \sum_{n} 2v_{n} \cos(n\varphi)\}/2\pi,$ $v_{n} = \langle \cos(n\varphi) \rangle$



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"Ridge" *(long-range azimuthal correlations)* is observed by CMS in high multiplicity pp and pPb as well as in central PbPb collisions

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- No medium effects for electroweak hard probes (Z^0 , W^{\pm} , prompt γ)
- Charged particles and jets are suppressed, suppression factors saturate at high transverse momentum
- Observation of b-quark (via secondary J/ψ 's) suppression
- B-jets (extracted using vertex info) seem suppressed on the similar level as inclusive jets

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ET2<ET1

Asymmetry of dijet energy in PbPb

0.3 - CMS

$$A_{J} = \frac{E_{T}^{j1}}{E_{T}^{j1}} + C_{T}^{j1}$$

 E_T^{j2} E_T^{j2}

A strong *increase* in the fraction of highly unbalanced dijets in central PbPb as compared with pp and peripheral PbPb, and the dijet embedded MC simulations

direct observation of jet quenching

The fraction of the energy that a jet loses increases monotonically with increasing collision centrality, and does not dramatically change with jet p_T

constant relative energy loss?

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PbPb √s... = 2.76 TeV

Ldt = 150 μb^{-1}

Anti-k₊ (PFlow), R = 0.3

p₁ > 120 GeV/c



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Dimuon mass spectrum in PbPb



 ρ , ω , ϕ , J/ ψ , ψ ', Y(1S, 2S, 3S) and Z⁰ peaks are clearly visible CMS has the best dimuon mass resolution of all LHC experiments in heavy ion collisions

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Quarkonium suppression in PbPb



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Y(2S+3S)/Y(1S) suppression in PbPb



$$\begin{split} & \left[Y(2S)/Y(1S) \right]_{PbPb} / \left[Y(2S)/Y(1S) \right]_{pp} = 0.21 \pm 0.07 \pm 0.02 \\ & \left[Y(3S)/Y(1S) \right]_{PbPb} / \left[Y(3S)/Y(1S) \right]_{pp} = 0.06 \pm 0.06 \pm 0.06 \ (<0.17, 95\% C.L.) \\ & \left[Y(2S+3S)/Y(1S) \right]_{PbPb} / \left[Y(2S+3S)/Y(1S) \right]_{pp} = 0.15 \pm 0.05 \pm 0.02 \end{split}$$

Y(nS) suppression is ordered as Y(3S) > Y(2S) > Y(1S), and increases with the centrality of the PbPb collision sequential melting of the excited Y-states in quark-gluon plasma?

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Y(2S+3S)/Y(1S) suppression in pPb



Moderate Y(nS)/Y(1S) suppression (much lesser than in PbPb) - initial or final state effect?
Y(nS)/Y(1S) decreases with event multiplicity for all systems: pp, pPb, PbPb

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Summary on CMS Heavy Ion results



PbPb collisions

- Global observables: high multilipcity and energy density, anisotropic flow, ridge
- ⇒ Strongly interacting matter with hydrodynamical properties
- *High transverse momentum hadrons and jets:* overall rate suppression, dijet and γ-jet energy asymmetry, modification of jet shapes and fragmentation function
 ⇒ Jet quenching due to partonic energy loss in hot QCD-matter
- *Quarkonia:* suppression of prompt and secondary J/ψ 's, sequential suppression of Y(nS) \Rightarrow Debye screening of color charge in QCD-matter, in-medium b-quark energy loss
- *Electroweak probes:* first measurements of Z^0, W^{\pm} bosons and prompt photons in HI \Rightarrow No medium effects for electroweak bosons, confirmation of NN binary scaling

pPb collisions (first look)

- Global observables: multi-particle correlations and ridge in high multiplicity events
 ⇒ some collectivity?
- *Jets:* no dijet asymmetry, dijet η distributions shift with event activity \Rightarrow no jet quenching? initial state effect (nuclear shadowing)?
- *Quarkonia:* moderate suppression of Y(2S,3S)/Y(1S) (stronger for higher multiplicities) ⇒ initial or final state effect?

More results are coming...

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BACKUP SLIDES

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Deconfinement of nuclear matter



Deconfinement of nuclear matter and quark-gluon matter (QGM) formation – the prediction of Lattice Quantum Chromodynamics (QCD) for systems with high enough temperature and/or baryon density

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→ new projects CBM@FAIR (GSI) and NICA (JINR)

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Study of quark-gluon matter in HI collisions



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The formation of super-dense and hot state of QCD-matter in relativistic heavy ion collisions is possible on large space-time scales (quasi-macroscopic as compared with characteristic hadronic scales).



Soft probes ($p_T \sim \Lambda_{QCD} = 200 \text{ MeV}$)

- ✓ spectra of particles with low transverse momenta, femtoscopic momentum correlations;
- $\checkmark \quad \text{flow effects;}$
- \checkmark thermal photons and dileptons;
- \checkmark strange particle yield.

hadronization



Hard probes (p_T ,M>> Λ_{OCD} =200 MeV)

- ✓ spectra of particles with high transverse momenta, their angular correlations;
- ✓ hadronic jets;
- ✓ quarkonia (dileptons);
- ✓ heavy quarks (leptons, tagged b-jets).





SPS (CERN) → RHIC (BNL) → LHC (CERN)



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Heavy ion physics at the LHC



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2010, 2011: PbPb ($\sqrt{s_{NN}}$ = 2.76 TeV); 2012/2013: pPb ($\sqrt{s_{NN}}$ = 5.02 TeV); ≥2015: PbPb ($\sqrt{s_{NN}}$ = 5.1-5.5 TeV?);...

New regime of heavy ion physics with the important role of hard QCD-processes in hot and long-lived quark-gluon medium complementary measurements from ALICE & CMS/ATLAS



ALICE (low- p_T charged particle tracking, hadron ID, central *e*, forward μ (*J*/ ψ , *Y*), γ multiplicity,...) soft probes + selected hard probes

CMS/ATLAS (high- p_T charged particle tracking, central μ (*J*/ ψ , *Y*, *Z*, W), hard γ , calorimetric jets...) hard probes + selected soft probes

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Heavy ion event centrality determination

Centrality	<i>b</i> mean (fm)	b RMS (fm)	N _{part} mean	N _{part} RMS	$N_{\rm coll}$ mean	$N_{\rm coll}$ RMS
0–10%	3.4 ± 0.1	1.2	355 ± 3	33	1484 ± 120	241
10-20%	6.0 ± 0.2	0.8	261 ± 4	30	927 ± 82	183
20–30%	7.8 ± 0.2	0.6	187 ± 5	23	562 ± 53	124
30–50%	9.9 ± 0.3	0.8	108 ± 5	27	251 ± 28	101
50-100%	13.6 ± 0.4	1.6	22 ± 2	19	30 ± 5	35

Energy density in PbPb



dE_T/dη is maximal at η = 0, shape is consistent with a Gaussian with σ_η = 3.4 ± 0.1 for central collisions (and wider for peripheral collisions) *central PbPb (0-2.5%): dE_T/dη (η=0) ≈ 2.1 TeV - by a factor of 3.3 higher than at RHIC;* ε (τ₀=1 fm/c, η=0) ~ dE_T/dy (y=0) ≈ 14 GeV/fm³ - by a factor of 2.8 larger than at RHIC
dE_T/dη /(0.5<N_{part}>) increases monotonically with centrality, <N_{part}>

• $dE_T/d\eta$ ($\sqrt{s_{_{NN}}}$) rises faster than $dN/d\eta$ (power law, logarithmic parameterization breaks down) more transverse energy per particle than at lower energies

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Proton-lead event centrality determination



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- First results using the CMS CASTOR calorimeter
- At high $|\eta|$, the ratio between the energy production in *central* and *peripheral* collisions is closer to 1 than at midrapidity

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Non-zero high Fourier coefficients (the shapes of p_{T} -dependence are similar to v_{2})

carry information about the details of the medium space-time evolution and initial state fluctuations

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Elliptic flow v_2 of neutral pions in PbPb



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Elliptic flow v_2 at high p_T in PbPb



Beyond $p_T \sim 10$ GeV/c, the observed v_2 values show a moderate decrease with p_T , being consistent with zero only above $p_T \sim 40$ GeV/c and for mid-central (30–60%) collisions connection to the initial geometry & constraints on partonic energy loss models

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Dihadron angular correlations in PbPb



"Ridge" is strongest for most central PbPb collisions and disappears in peripheral events

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also the tendency to saturation at $p_T > 50 \text{ GeV/c} \Rightarrow$ constraints on partonic energy loss models

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R_{AA}: CMS vs. ALICE, RHIC and models



- Much higher p_T than at RHIC, up to ~ 100 GeV/c, are available
- CMS and ALICE are in agreement, but CMS reaches higher p_T (due to using the jet trigger)
- $R_{AA}(p_T)$ strong constraints on partonic energy loss model (access to medium properties)

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Charged hadron p_T -spectra in pPb and R_{pA}



• Modification factor compatible with 1 at $p_T \sim 2-20$ GeV/c \Rightarrow no jet quenching?

• Enhancement at $p_T > 20 \text{ GeV/c} \Rightarrow \text{initial state effect ("antishadowing")?}$

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Pion, kaon and proton spectra in pPb



- Spectra are generally *flatter than predicted by models*
- Mean transverse momentum *rises with multiplicity at low multiplicities* (harder single NN scatterings like pp) & *saturates at high multiplicities* (multiple NN scatterings like PbPb)

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Jet-track correlation in PbPb



Relative contribution of low-p_T tracks grows with A_J & spreads at large distances to the jet axis lost energy is transferred to soft hadrons scattered far away from the jet axis?

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Jet-track correlation (missing p_T) in PbPb



Dijet momentum balance for PbPb data is covered by out-of-cone low p_{T} tracks

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Tuned HYDJET event generator reproduces jet background fluctuations, that allows us to use it as the reference for jet quenching analysis in PbPb collisions

- Use PYTHIA and N_{coll} scaling for unquenched reference
- Embed in HYDJET (underlying event)

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Angular dijet correlation in PbPb



No angular dijet decorrelation observed

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Jet fragmentation in PbPb

The modifications of *longitudinal jet profile*: excess at low p_T but high p_T is unchanged

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The modifications of *radial jet profile*: excess at large radii but core is unchanged

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Suppression of inclusive jet rates in PbPb

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Photon+jet correlation in PbPb

A significant *shift of jet-photon* p_T -*ratio* (~15%) and *reducing the fraction of isolated photons with associated partner jet* (~20%) in central PbPb collisions as compared with pp and peripheral PbPb events, and MC simulations \Rightarrow jet quenching in hot QCD-matter

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Dimuon mass spectrum in PbPb

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• Prompt J/ ψ 's are suppressed in central (peripheral) PbPb by a factor 5 (1.6) vs. pp more high-p_T suppression at LHC than at RHIC \Rightarrow melting in hotter quark-gluon matter?

- Secondary J/ψ's are suppressed in central (peripheral) PbPb by a factor of 2.5 (1.6) vs. pp not available at RHIC ⇒ first indication on medium-induced energy loss of b-quarks?
- Y's (1S) are suppressed in central PbPb by a factor 2.2 with respect to pp *suppression is comparable at RHIC and LHC* ⇒ sequential melting of only the excited states?

$\Psi(2S)$ suppression vs. centrality in PbPb

Elliptic flow of J/ψ in PbPb

CMS-PAS-HIN-12-001

Significant elliptic flow of J/ψ No centrality, transverse momentum and rapidity dependence?

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Charge asymmetry for W production

- Less W⁺ and more W⁻ in PbPb than in pp (*isospin* effect)
 - Cancels for W⁺ + W⁻
- W boosted towards the valence quark (higher rapidity)
- Spin conservation → μ⁺ (μ⁻)
 boosted back to (away from)
 midrapidity
- → A strong acceptance difference (not heavy-ion specific)

$W^{\pm} \rightarrow \mu^{\pm} \nu \text{ in PbPb}$

The different charge asymmetry $(dN(W^+) - dN(W^-)) / (dN(W^+) + dN(W^-))$ dependence with muon pseudorapidity is observed in the PbPb and the pp systems (isospin effect): $R_{AA}(W^+) \approx 0.82$, $R_{AA}(W^-) \approx 1.46$, $R_{AA}(W) = 1.04 \pm 0.07 \pm 0.12$

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Summary on PbPb results

Global observables

- Charge hadron multiplicity and transverse energy density are much higher than at RHIC
 Strong elliptic flow (momentum dependence is similar to RHIC, integral value is larger)
- Long range dihadron azimuthal correlations ("ridge")
- \Rightarrow Strongly interacting matter with hydrodynamical properties

Jets and high transverse momentum hadrons

- Large suppression of inclusive high transverse momentum hadron and jet yields
- Significant increase in the fraction of highly unbalanced dijet events
- Reducing the fraction of isolated photons with associated partner jet, γ -jet energy imbalance
- Observation of jet energy loss at low transverse momenta and large angles
- Modifications of radial and longitudinal jet profile
- Finite elliptic flow of hadrons at very high transverse momenta \Rightarrow Jet quenching due to partonic energy loss in hot QCD-matter

Quarkonia

- Strong suppression of high momentum prompt and secondary J/ψ yields
- Sequential suppression of Y(nS) states
- \Rightarrow Debye screening of color charge in QCD-matter, in-medium b-quark energy loss

Electroweak probes

• First measurements of Z^0 and W^{\pm} bosons and prompt photons in heavy ion collisions \Rightarrow No medium effects for electroweak bosons, confirmation of NN binary scaling

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Analysis of proton-lead collisions helps us to clarify the influence of initial state ("cold nuclear matter") effects on various PbPb observables

Global observables

• Ridge and multi-particle correlations are observed in high multiplicity events
 ⇒ some collectivity?

Jets

• No dijet asymmetry observed, but dijet η distributions shift with event activity \Rightarrow no jet quenching? initial state effect (nuclear shadowing)?

Quarkonia

Moderate suppression of Y(2S,3S) relatively to Y(1S), stronger for higher multiplicities
 ⇒ initial or final state effect?

More results are coming...

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Near future

- ⇒ Continutation of analysis on pPb and PbPb data
- ⇒ Preparations for future CMS HI physics

Some later future

 \Rightarrow Heavy ion studies with higher energy and luminosity (after LS1, ≥ 2015)

• Jets

- *Precision measurements:* γ +*jet,* Z+*jet,* b-*jets,* multi-*jets*
- Detailed studies of jet fragmentation functions and jet shapes
- TeV-scale jet quenching
- Quarkonium spectroscopy

Detailed studies of Y(1S, 2S, 3S) and ψ (1S, 2S), onset-behaviour

• Exotica, forward physics, ultraperipheral collisions,...

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