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## Charm production in the early phase and the charm baryon-to-meson ratios at LHC energies

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The charm quark production will be reasonably large at LHC energies, both in p+p and Pb+Pb collisions. In heavy ion collisions even quark coalescence channels will strongly influence the charmed baryon and meson production. Furthermore, the formation of an intense coherent gluon field in Pb+Pb collisions results in additional heavy quark-antiquark pairs. Thus the primary charm quark momentum distribution will be modified, as well as the final state hadron distributions and the baryon-to-meson ratios in different momentum windows. We performed calculations with time dependent strong color fields and studied the charm quark-antiquark pair production and charmed hadron production in the intermediate- and high-p<sub>T</sub> windows at LHC energies. The obtained numerical results are presented and discussed.

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