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$K^*(892)^0$ and $\phi(1020)$ production as a function of charged particle multiplicity in pp collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV

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Recent measurements in high-multiplicity proton-proton (pp) and proton-lead (p-Pb) events show some characteristics of heavy ion (Pb-Pb) collisions. Further understanding of such observations can be provided by the measurement of transverse momentum (p_T) spectra of the resonances like K^{*0} and ϕ .

The unique capability of the ALICE detector allows one to directly identify charged hadrons (i.e. pions, kaons and protons) and therefore to reconstruct K^{*0} and ϕ mesons via their hadronic decay channels. We will report on the measurement of transverse momentum spectra and $\langle p_T \rangle$ of these resonances as a function of pseudo-rapidity charged-particle density ($dN_{ch}/d\eta$) at mid-rapidity region.

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