



Minimum Bias and Underlying event studies at CMS

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Why Min Bias data?

- Typical p-p collision free of non-collision background
 - Dominated by low pt QCD processes
 - Also σ_{nd} ~2/3 σ_{tot} , = 75 mb
- At High lumi, pile up will consist of many min bias events

$$< N_{\rm int} > = L_{\rm inst} \cdot \sigma_{\rm tot} / f \approx 19$$

 Soft component superimposed on hard scatters (UE event) is <u>not</u> identical to MB but has same phenomenology



Model <u>multi-parton interactions</u> and its interplay with PDFs, parton showers, beam remnants and hadronisation <u>across</u> 2 orders of magnitude in <u>sqrt(s)</u> in combination with as <u>many different hard processes</u> and in as <u>many relevant</u> <u>observables</u> possible

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MPI Models and tunes

T. Sjöstrand and M. Van Zijl, Phys. Rev. D 36 (1987) 2019 Extensive studies by Rick Field et al. in CDF using Tevatron data http://www.phys.ufl.edu/~rfield/cdf/

- **Pedestal effect: amount of MPI increases with P_T scale of hardest scatter**
- Can not be explained by tuning up the Initial state showers
- See Model with varying impact parameter of 'cored' hadron densities works best
- $rac{}{}^{r}$ dN_{ch}/d η in UE is at least 2x that of soft min bias collision
- MPI depend sensitively on PDFs
- rightarrow UE is similar in Z, W prompt γ and dijet events

Many models and tunes agree at Tevatron energies, but diverge at 14 TeV
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LHC extrapolations



CMS min bias data

- Several level 1 (hardware trigger) strategies depending on instantaneous lumi:
 - Zero bias: beam bunch crossing time 100% efficient for all data, but not effective at startup conditions
 - Min bias HF single: single sided forward hadron calorimeter efficiency: 81% non diffractive 15% diffractive
 - Min Bias HF double: double sided forward hadron calorimeter efficiency: 47.5% non diffractive 0.6% diffractive
 - Zero bias + 1 Pixel Track: at 900GeV efficiency: 99% non diffractive ~60% diffractive
- 'Ideal data':

Average Number of Collisions per Bunch Crossing One single collision per bunch crossing (no pile-up)



Min Bias and UE at CMS

10²⁸

10

10⁻¹

10-2

10-3



HF

< 5

CMS min bias multiplicities



Extend p_t range of track reconstruction to reduce extrapolation uncertainties to low p_t Proto-tracks based on pixel detector hit triplets extend reconstructed p_t range to p_t>100 MeV More details in single and identified particle spectra in Luca Mucibello's talk!

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Energy evolution



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Underlying event

Min Bias

- Analysis strategy builds on Tevatron experience (R. Field e.a.)
- Combination of MB and jet triggers based on leading calo jet
 - P_T(calo) > 20, 60, 120 GeV/c
- Charged jets: iterative cone with R=0.5 applied on charged particles with p_t >0.5 GeV/c and $|\eta|{<}2$
 - Standard CMS track reco (pt > 0.9 GeV/c) adapted and re-optimized (50% more charged tracks)
 - Startup alignment precision taken into account
- 3 main regions of interest wrt leading charged jet: toward, transverse, away
- 2 main density observables in each region:
 - Charged particle density: dN/dηdφ
 - Scalar sum of charged p_t : d $p_t^{sum}/d\eta d\phi$



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CMS UE observables





Density ratios

- Ratio of density profiles using tracks with pt>0.9 GeV/c wrt. tracks with pt>1.5 GeV/c
- Unsensitive to identical correction factors for these subsets of tracks
- Can be used to compare with particle level generator outputs



Conclusion

- CMS had several zero bias & min bias trigger menus at hand with efficiencies ranging from 100% 48%
- CMS has approved analyses for 'standard' Min. bias and UE measurements
 - Include deep level of understanding of our tracking and track detector performance
- Will take advantage of several energy and luminosity scenarios: 900 GeV, 10 TeV and 14 TeV at 10²⁷-10³⁴ cm⁻² s⁻¹
- New complementary measurement ideas are being tested (DY, γ+3jets, correlations, ...)
- Many recent initiatives started on tuning of many models, but as T. Sjöstrand says:
 As to tunes, it feels appropriate to remind of Mark Twain's "everybody talks about the weather, but nobody does anything about it."

The Long version

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Min bias vs. underlying event

- Min bias event (MB): a typical p-p collision free of noncollision background
 - Dominated by low pt QCD processes
- Min bias trigger: trigger that samples all p-p interactions in their natural composition
 - Based on minimal hadronic activity originating from one vertex
 - Same efficiency for all non diffractive inelastic processes

 $(\sim 2/3 \sigma_{tot,} = 2/3 * 100 \text{ mb})$

 Pile up: At LHC, many MB occur in one bunch crossing

 $< N_{int} > = L_{inst} \cdot \sigma_{tot} / f \approx 19$ At nominal LHC luminosity

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Min bias vs. underlying event



Both MB and UE can be treaded consistently by a small number of tunable models Underlying event (UE): all particles that are not produced by hard scatter between two partons in one p-p collision

- Initial & Final state showers
- Beam remnants
- Multiple parton interactions

UE is not a MB event superimposed on high pt partonparton scatter

- connection between multiple parton interactions and impact parameter (or Pt scale)
 'Pedestal effect'
- correlations due to QM, momentum & flavor, rescattering

Why min bias at LHC

- Fundamental understanding of hadron-hadron interactions and multiparticle production mechanisms
 - What can be safely factorised
 - Color Flow
 - Correlations & fluctuations
 - Rescatters
 - Connection between non-diffractive, diffractive, heavy ions
- Monte Carlo modeling and tuning:
 - Many models agree equally well with some datasets
 - Some models more thoroughly tested than others
 - Large extrapolation uncertainties to 14 TeV
- As we probe smaller x, do we enter new regimes ?
 - Connections with PDF's
 - saturation
 - diffraction
- Some 'high-profile' measurements are sensitive to underlying event behavior
 - missing Et, jet veto, forward jets, rapidity gaps, ...
- As commissioning tool for our new detectors
 - Occupancy, noise, calibration, alignment

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What needs to be modeled

- P-P interaction is often (unrightfully) factorised in
 - Hard central interactions (pQCD: matrix el)
 - Parton showers (pQCD: DGLAP + P_t generation)
 - Structure functions (LO, NLO, one parton vs multi-parton)
 - Fragmentation (models, jet universality)
 - Beam remnants (pQCD + models)
 - Multiple parton interactions (models)

 Of key importance when trying to understand MB data But unmistakeably related to other bullets in this list

Level of understanding

Multiple Parton interactions

- Realisation from experiment: ISR, Tevatron, ...
 - Some p-p collisions exhibit 2 or more (semi-) hard parton-parton scatters
- Realisation from theory: below pt scale of ~2GeV the parton-parton cross section exceeds the total p-p cross section

Amount of parton-parton interactions Is Poisson process with mean

 $< N_{\rm int} > = \frac{\sigma_{\rm int}(p_{t_{\rm min}})}{-}$ $\sigma_{_{nd}}$

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Modeling MPI

Basic idea T. Sjöstrand and M. Van Zijl, Phys. Rev. D 36 (1987) 2019

- Theoretical fact: differential $2 \rightarrow 2$ cross section diverges as $p_t \rightarrow 0$
- Solution: Introduce cut-off p_{t0} to ensure finite and calculable results

Pythia MPI Model with Varying impact parameter between the colliding hadrons: hadronic matter is described by double Gaussians



Screens color and evolves with center of mass energy as s^{α}

$$\frac{d\widehat{\sigma}}{dp_t^2} \propto \frac{\alpha_s^2(p_t^2)}{p_t^4} \rightarrow \frac{\alpha_s^2(p_t^2 + p_{t0}^2)}{\left(p_t^2 + p_{t0}^2\right)^2}$$

- Independent MPI: Poisson process, with minimal 1 interaction
- Make Poisson broader by impact parameter based average number of MPI
- \bullet All generators use this model, but differ in choice of p_{t0} and subsequent showers
- \bullet Currently only way to get N_{ch} and p_{tch} correct over wide energy range

Tuning (his)tory

Tune A

- R. Field et al. Round 2002
- CDFI "Evolution of charged jets"
- Pythia 6.2 and CTEQ5L
- Tunes MI model and ISR params
- Min bias and jet data for UE
- Predicts enough particles, but too little energy in UE
- Agreed with Tevatron RUNII as well
- N_{ch}-<p_t> correlations due to color connections

Tune AW

- Round 2005, builds on A
- Problem with lower end of PT spectrum of Z bosons
- Changes in intrinsic KT and ISR parameters
- MI parameters not affected
- More 'complete' tune than A

Tune DW

- summer 2006, Builds on AW
- Includes D0 dijet $\Delta \phi$ results
- Change in one ISR param

Tune DWT

- ATLAS optimizes tune for sqrt(s) dependence
- Tune DW modified to give same energy dependence

Tune S0,S1

- New Pythia showers (6.4) ordered in p_t rather than m²
- Modified MI model that includes
 ISR showers
- Color reconnection models driven by top mass systematics studies
- tuned to agree with tune A on limited observables

Recent MI workshop in Perugia



Workshop's conclusions:

Big dichotomy in pp Physics

 \checkmark Traditional MB & UE measurements and their impact on MC/MPI Tuning (unavoidable at the LHC start-up)

✓ Conceptual progress, Ideas for a MPI factorization theorem, New MPI models with increasing level of correlation effects, double scattering and complementary $\sigma_{\rm eff}$ measurements with mini-jets.

 \checkmark Slowly moving toward a scenario where these different measurements can be used at the same time to constraint the models

HI, pp and diffractive communities clearly still speak different languages (although they often refer to the same physics processes).

Don't forget that here we should focus on MPI at the LHC...

- ✓ For example: How rapidity gap suppression connects to MPIs ?
- ✓ But this is precisely why we want to have these MPI@LHC workshops

http://www.pg.infn.it/mpi08/

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Charged particle multiplicities

P. Skands: Perugia MPI@LHC'08 workshop

- Perugia tunes of new model, using Tevatron 630/1800/1960 GeV data
 - + min/max variations
 - + LEP tuned fragmentation pars from Professor, courtesy H. Hoeth (see talk)



Need to cover

$N_{ch} vs < p_t >$





Pythia Tunes

Parameter (PVTULA v 6419±)	Δ	ATT.AS	DW	DWT	S0	i
UE parameter I PARP(83)	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	1.6	
UE parameter 2 PARP (84)	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	n/a	
UE total gg fraction PARP(86)	0.95	0.66	1.0	1.0	n/a	
ISR infrared cutoff PARP(62)	1.0	1.0	1.25	1.25	(= PARP(82))	1
ISR renormalisation scale prefactor PARP(64)	1.0	1.0	0.2	0.2	1.0	
ISR O^2 factor PARP(67)	4.0	1.0	2.5	2.5	n/a.	
FSR model MSTJ(41)	2	2	2	2	(pT - ordered)	
FSR Acco PARJ(81)	0.29	0.29	0.29	0.29	0.14	

Table 3.1: PYTHIA parameters, divided into main categories: UE (underlying event), ISR (initial state radiation), FSR (final state radiation), BR (beam remnants), and CR (colour reconnections). The UE reference energy for all models is PARP(89)=1800GeV, and all dimensionful parameters are given in units of GeV.

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