## Abstract Submitted for the APR08 Meeting of The American Physical Society

Isoscaling studies of reconstructed quasi-projectiles in <sup>24</sup>Mg, <sup>40</sup>Ca+<sup>112,124</sup>Sn reactions at **32** MeV/u STRATOS GALANOPOULOS, Cyclotron Institute, Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas 77843, G.A. SOULIOTIS, A.L. KEKSIS, M. VESELSKY, M. JANDEL, D.V. SHETTY, Z. KOHLEY, S. SOISSON, B. STEIN, S. WUENSCHEL, S.J. YENNELLO — The isotopic distribution of the reaction products are sensitive observables in the study of the charge asymmetry term in the nuclear Equation of State, (nEOS) [1]. Studies on heavy-ion reactions near Fermi-energy region showed that the yield ratio of a given fragment coming from a neutron-rich vs a neutron deficient fragmenting system follows an exponential dependence with respect to the neutron and proton number of the fragments, an effect termed isoscaling (e.g. [2]). In this work, we study the isoscaling on <sup>24</sup>Mg, <sup>40</sup>Ca + <sup>124,112</sup>Sn reacting systems from reconstructed quasi-projectile events (QP's), for the determination of the isoscaling parameter  $\alpha$ . The measurements were performed at the K500 Cyclotron accelerator of Texas A&M University using <sup>24</sup>Mg and <sup>40</sup>Ca beams at 32 MeV/u. The projectile fragments were detected by the Forward Array Using Silicon Technology (FAUST) [3]. Properties of the reconstructed QP's were also systematically investigated (e.g. velocity and  $E^*/A_{qp}$  distributions). References [1] M. Colonna et al., Eur. Phys. J. A 30, 165, (2006). [2] G. A. Souliotis et al., Phys. Rev. C 73, 024606 (2006). [3] F. Gimeno-Nogues *et al.*, Nucl. Instr. Meth. A **399**, 94 (1997).

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