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Non-Fermi liquid properties of $\text{Ni}_{1-x}\text{V}_x$ close to the disordered ferromagnetic quantum critical point MITCH POWERS, DEKRAYAT AL-MAALOL, RUIZHE WANG, SEAN PAVLAK, TED OTIENO, BRENDAN WYATT, SARA UBAID-KASSIS, ALMUT SCHROEDER, Kent State University, THOMAS VOJTA, Missouri University of Science and Technology — Resistivity and magnetization data of the d-metal alloy $\text{Ni}_{1-x}\text{V}_x$ are presented in the vicinity of the critical Vanadium concentration of $x_c \approx 11.6\%$ where the onset of long-range ferromagnetic order is suppressed to zero temperature. The resistivity (ρ) displays power laws in temperature (T) ($\rho - \rho_0 \sim T^n$) with non-Fermi liquid values of $n(x) < 2$ close to x_c . Above x_c the dependence of the magnetic susceptibility on T and magnetic field is best described by simple, non-universal, power laws with a Griffiths exponent $\alpha(x)$, indicating fluctuating magnetic clusters are still present in the paramagnetic phase. Below x_c similar $\alpha(x)$ exponents reveal clusters in the FM phase, as well. Both $\alpha(x)$ and $n(x)$ vary with x and display a minimum at x_c . These exponents observed in this disordered quantum phase transition are significantly different than the critical exponents expected for a clean ferromagnet.

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