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Isoscaling and the High Temperature Limit JORGE MUNOZ, California Institute of Technology, CLAUDIO DORSO, Universidad de Buenos Aires, HERNANDEZ CARLOS, Universidad de Colima, JORGE LOPEZ, The University of Texas at El Paso — This study shows that isoscaling, usually studied in nuclear reactions, is a phenomenon common to all cases of fair sampling. Exact expressions for the yield ratio R_{21} and approximate expressions for the isoscaling parameters α and β are obtained and compared to experimental results. It is concluded that nuclear isoscaling is bound to contain a component due to sampling and, thus, a words of caution is issued to those interested in extracting information about the nuclear equation of state from isoscaling.

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