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Nuclear EMC effect in the valence region

We discuss nuclear corrections to the DIS structure functions focusing at the region of large Bjorken x. We present a detailed comparison with recent measurements of nuclear ratios at JLab: BONUS experiment [1] (deuterium), MARATHON experiment [2] (³He and ³H targets) and Hall C [3] and CLAS collaboration [4] data. We show that the data at large x can be well described by a combined effect of nuclear momentum distribution, binding and off-shell correction [5,6]. We also discuss the implication of this approach to extract the ratio F_2 (neutron)/ F_2 (proton) from recent MARATHON measurement [2].

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