

**Erratum: Generalization of super-transition-array methods to hot dense plasmas by using optimum independent particle reference systems [Phys. Rev. E. 65, 016403 (2002)]**

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Some typographical errors remain after the publication of our work. In order to improve its clarity and accuracy, the corrections are itemized below:

Equation (5) should read:

$$e^{-\beta F} \equiv U_{\Xi} = \sum_{\vec{n} \in \Xi} G_{\vec{n}} e^{-\beta \{ \Sigma_{\alpha} n_{\alpha} (\theta_{\alpha} - \mu) + \Sigma_{\alpha} n_{\alpha} (\varepsilon_{\alpha} - \theta_{\alpha}) + (1/2) \Sigma_{\alpha, \gamma} n_{\alpha} (n_{\gamma} - \delta_{\alpha, \gamma}) \Delta_{\alpha \gamma} \}} \equiv \sum_{\vec{n} \in \Xi} G_{\vec{n}} e^{-\beta \{ K_{\vec{n}}^0 + V_{\vec{n}} \}}.$$

In Eq. (7b)  $F_0$  should be replaced by  $e^{-\beta F_0}$ .

Equation (9) should read:

$$\varepsilon_{\alpha}^{ion} = -\varepsilon_{\alpha} - \sum_{\gamma} (\langle n_{\gamma} \rangle_0 - \delta_{\alpha \gamma} / g_{\alpha}) \Delta_{\alpha \gamma}.$$

The first line in Eq. (10) should read:

$$\langle n_{\alpha} \rangle_0 = g_{\alpha} f(\theta_{\alpha}).$$