

Taylor-type power-series expansion in scattering theory:

$$k^{2\ell+1}\cot\delta_\ell(k)=\sum_{n=0}^\infty c_{\ell n}k^{2n}$$
short-range potential

Effective-range expansion



Single-channel problem

$$V(r) \xrightarrow[r o \infty]{} 0$$
 exponentially

$$\begin{bmatrix} \partial_r^2 + k^2 - \frac{\ell(\ell+1)}{r^2} \end{bmatrix} u_\ell(k,r) = V(r)u_\ell(k,r)$$

$$r \to \infty \implies \begin{bmatrix} \partial_r^2 + k^2 - \frac{\ell(\ell+1)}{r^2} \end{bmatrix} u_\ell(k,r) \simeq 0$$
Independent solutions
$$j_\ell(kr), \ y_\ell(kr), \ h_\ell^{(+)}(kr), \ h_\ell^{(-)}(kr)$$
General solution
$$u_\ell(k,r) \xrightarrow{r \to \infty} C_1 h_\ell^{(-)}(kr) + C_2 h_\ell^{(+)}(kr)$$
Incoming and outgoing spherical waves
$$h_\ell^{(-)}(kr) \xrightarrow{|kr| \to \infty} +i \exp\left(-ikr + i\frac{\ell\pi}{2}\right)$$



$${f Scattering} \ s_\ell(k) = {f_\ell^{
m (out)}(k)\over f_\ell^{
m (in)}(k)}$$

$$f_\ell^{(\mathrm{in})}(k_n)=0$$



How can we calculate the Jost functions for a given potential?

Factorization of the branching point

$$f_\ell^{
m (in)}(E)$$
 and $f_\ell^{
m (out)}(E)$ are NOT single valued functions of E because they involve ODD POWERS of $k=\pm\sqrt{rac{2mE}{\hbar^2}}$

$$egin{array}{rcl} A_\ell &=& F_\ell^{({
m in})} + F_\ell^{({
m out})} \ B_\ell &=& i \left[F_\ell^{({
m in})} - F_\ell^{({
m out})}
ight] & \longleftrightarrow & egin{array}{rcl} F_\ell^{({
m in})} &=& (A_\ell - i B_\ell)/2 \ F_\ell^{({
m out})} &=& (A_\ell + i B_\ell)/2 \ \end{array}$$

$$egin{array}{rll} \partial_r A_\ell &=& -rac{1}{k} y_\ell V \left[A_\ell j_\ell - B_\ell y_\ell
ight] \ \partial_r B_\ell &=& -rac{1}{k} j_\ell V \left[A_\ell j_\ell - B_\ell y_\ell
ight] \end{array}$$

 $egin{array}{rcl} A_\ell(E,0)&=&1\ B_\ell(E,0)&=&0 \end{array}$

Absolutely convergent power-series expansions for the

Riccati-Bessel and Riccati-Neumann functions

$$j_{\ell}(kr) = \left(\frac{kr}{2}\right)^{\ell+1} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n \sqrt{\pi}}{\Gamma(\ell+3/2+n)n!} \left(\frac{kr}{2}\right)^{2n} = k^{\ell+1} \tilde{j}_{\ell}(E,r)$$
Possible odd powers of \mathbf{k}

$$y_{\ell}(kr) = \left(\frac{2}{kr}\right)^{\ell} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+\ell+1}}{\Gamma(-\ell+1/2+n)n!} \left(\frac{kr}{2}\right)^{2n} = k^{-\ell} \tilde{y}_{\ell}(E,r)$$

$$j_{\ell}(kr) = k^{\ell+1} \tilde{j}_{\ell}(E,r)$$
 $y_{\ell}(kr) = k^{-\ell} \tilde{y}_{\ell}(E,r)$
Absolutely
convergent $\tilde{j}_{\ell}(E,r) = \left(\frac{r}{2}\right)^{\ell+1} \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n \sqrt{\pi}}{\Gamma(\ell+2)^{\ell}(2-r)^{-1}}$

series
Holomorphic
functions
$$\tilde{y}_{\ell}(E,r) = \left(\frac{2}{r}\right)^{\ell} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+\ell+1}}{\Gamma(-\ell+1/2+n)n!} \left(\frac{kr}{2}\right)^{2n}$$

 $ilde{A}_\ell(E,r)$, $ilde{B}_\ell(E,r)$

$$ilde{A}(E,r) = A_\ell(E,r)$$
 $ilde{B}(E,r) = k^{-(2\ell+1)}B_\ell(E,r)$

$$egin{array}{rll} \partial_r ilde{A}_\ell &=& - ilde{y}_\ell V \left[ilde{A}_\ell ilde{j}_\ell - ilde{B}_\ell ilde{y}_\ell
ight] \ \partial_r ilde{B}_\ell &=& - ilde{j}_\ell V \left[ilde{A}_\ell ilde{j}_\ell - ilde{B}_\ell ilde{y}_\ell
ight] \end{array}$$

Boundary conditions

 $ilde{A}_\ell(E,0)~=~1$

$$ilde{B}_\ell(E,0)~=~0$$

Poincare theorem

holomorphic functions of **E** 2n

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angle$

$$\begin{split} f_{\ell}^{(\mathrm{in})}(E) &= \lim_{r \to \infty} \frac{1}{2} \left[\tilde{A}_{\ell}(E,r) - ik^{2\ell+1} \tilde{B}_{\ell}(E,r) \right] \\ f_{\ell}^{(\mathrm{out})}(E) &= \lim_{r \to \infty} \frac{1}{2} \left[\tilde{A}_{\ell}(E,r) + ik^{2\ell+1} \tilde{B}_{\ell}(E,r) \right] \\ \tilde{a}_{\ell}(E) &= \lim_{r \to \infty} \tilde{A}_{\ell}(E,r) \\ \tilde{b}_{\ell}(E) &= \lim_{r \to \infty} \tilde{B}_{\ell}(E,r) \end{split} \begin{bmatrix} f_{\ell}^{(\mathrm{in})}(E) &= \frac{1}{2} \left[\tilde{a}_{\ell}(E) - ik^{2\ell+1} \tilde{b}_{\ell}(E) \right] \\ f_{\ell}^{(\mathrm{out})}(E) &= \frac{1}{2} \left[\tilde{a}_{\ell}(E) + ik^{2\ell+1} \tilde{b}_{\ell}(E) \right] \\ \hline \tilde{a}_{\ell}(E) &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \alpha_n (E - E_0)^n \\ \tilde{b}_{\ell}(E) &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \beta_n (E - E_0)^n \end{split}$$

$$\tilde{A}_{\ell}(E,r) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{A}_{n}(r)(E-E_{0})^{n} \qquad \tilde{j}_{\ell}(E,r) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{J}_{n}(r)(E-E_{0})^{n} \qquad \tilde{j}_{\ell}(E,r) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{J}_{n}(r)(E-E_{0})^{n} \qquad \tilde{y}_{\ell}(E,r) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{Y}_{n}(r)(E-E_{0})^{n} \qquad \tilde{y}_{\ell}$$

Standard effective-range expansion

$$E_0 = 0$$

$$egin{aligned} f_\ell^{(\mathrm{in})} &pprox & rac{1}{2}\sum\limits_{n=0}^M \left(lpha_n - ik^{2\ell+1}eta_n
ight) E^n \ f_\ell^{(\mathrm{out})} &= e^{-i\delta_\ell} \ f_\ell^{(\mathrm{out})} &= e^{+i\delta_\ell} \end{aligned}$$
 $f_\ell^{(\mathrm{out})} &pprox & rac{1}{2}\sum\limits_{n=0}^M \left(lpha_n + ik^{2\ell+1}eta_n
ight) E^n \ egin{aligned} f_\ell^{(\mathrm{out})} + f_\ell^{(\mathrm{in})} &= 2\cos\delta_\ell \ f_\ell^{(\mathrm{out})} - f_\ell^{(\mathrm{in})} &= 2i\sin\delta_\ell \end{aligned}$

$$\cot \delta_\ell = rac{lpha_0+lpha_1 E+lpha_2 E^2+\cdots}{k^{2\ell+1}(eta_0+eta_1 E+eta_2 E^2+\cdots)}$$

$$k^{2\ell+1} \cot \delta_\ell = rac{lpha_0}{eta_0} + \left(rac{lpha_1}{eta_0} - rac{lpha_0eta_1}{eta_0^2}
ight) E + \cdots$$

S-wave

$$k \cot \delta_0(k) = -rac{1}{a} + rac{1}{2} r_0 k^2 - P r_0^3 k^4 + Q r_0^5 k^6 + \cdots$$

Numerical example

 $V(r)=7.5r^2\exp(-r)$

$\hbar = m = 1$





Domain of 1% accuracy





25 terms in the expansion

Multi-channel problem

$$\left[\partial_r^2 + k_n^2 - rac{\ell_n(\ell_n+1)}{r^2}
ight] u_n(E,r) = \sum_{n'=1}^N V_{nn'}(r) u_{n'}(E,r)$$

2N linearly independent solutions; **N** of them are regular at r = 0

fundamental matrix of regular solutions (the basis)

$$\Phi(E,r) = \begin{pmatrix} \phi_{11}(E,r) & \phi_{12}(E,r) & \cdots & \phi_{1N}(E,r) \\ \phi_{21}(E,r) & \phi_{22}(E,r) & \cdots & \phi_{2N}(E,r) \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \phi_{N1}(E,r) & \phi_{N2}(E,r) & \cdots & \phi_{NN}(E,r) \end{pmatrix}$$

Physical solution

$$\begin{pmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \\ \vdots \\ u_N \end{pmatrix} = C_1 \begin{pmatrix} \phi_{11} \\ \phi_{21} \\ \vdots \\ \phi_{N1} \end{pmatrix} + C_2 \begin{pmatrix} \phi_{12} \\ \phi_{22} \\ \vdots \\ \phi_{N2} \end{pmatrix} + \dots + C_N \begin{pmatrix} \phi_{1N} \\ \phi_{2N} \\ \vdots \\ \phi_{NN} \end{pmatrix}$$

Regular at r = 0

 C_n are chosen to give certain asymptotics $r
ightarrow \infty$ (bound, resonant, scattering)

$$egin{aligned} & oldsymbol{W}^{(\mathrm{in})} = egin{pmatrix} h_{\ell_1}^{(-)}(k_1r) & 0 & \cdots & 0 \ 0 & h_{\ell_2}^{(-)}(k_2r) & \cdots & 0 \ dots & dots$$

Multi-channel spherical waves

 $\Phi(E,r) \ \mathop{\longrightarrow}\limits_{r
ightarrow \infty} \ W^{(\mathrm{in})}(E,r) f^{(\mathrm{in})}(E) + W^{(\mathrm{out})}(E,r) f^{(\mathrm{out})}(E)$

Scattering
$$S(E) = f^{(\mathrm{out})}(E) \left[f^{(\mathrm{in})}(E)
ight]^{-1}$$

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Spectral points

$$\det f^{(\mathrm{in})}(\mathcal{E}_n)=0$$

$$k_n=\pm\sqrt{rac{2\mu_n}{\hbar^2}}(E-E_n)\;,\qquad n=1,2$$

Schematically shown interconnections of the layers of the Riemann surface for a two-channel problem at three different energy intervals. The layers correspond to different combinations of the signs (indicated in brackets) of $\operatorname{Im} k_1$ and $\operatorname{Im} k_2$



In the present work, we construct the Jost matrices in such a way that in their matrix elements the dependences on odd powers of all channel momenta are factorized analytically

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Example

Two-channel model



$$V(r) = \begin{pmatrix} -1.0 & -7.5 \\ -7.5 & 7.5 \end{pmatrix} r^2 e^{-r}$$

$$\mu_1=\mu_2=\hbar c=1$$

 $E_1=0$ and $E_2=0.1$

$$\ell_1 = \ell_2 = 0$$

Γ
0
0
0
0
0.001420
1.511912
6.508332_1









First resonance

Expansion (M=5): E = **4.768178**-*i***0.000686** Exact value: E = **4.768197**-*i***0.000710**





$$\left[rac{d^2}{dr^2}+k^2-rac{\lambda(\lambda+1)}{r^2}-V(r)
ight]u_\ell(E,r)=0$$

$$u_\ell(E,r) \; \mathop{\longrightarrow}\limits_{r o \infty} \; f_\ell^{(\mathrm{in})}(E) h_{\ell-1/2}^{(-)}(kr) + f_\ell^{(\mathrm{out})}(E) h_{\ell-1/2}^{(+)}(kr)$$

$$h^{(\pm)}_\lambda(z)=j_\lambda(z)\pm i y_\lambda(z)$$
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For half-integer $\pmb{\lambda}$, the Riccati-Neumann function has logarithmic branching point

$$y_\lambda(kr) \;=\; k^{-\lambda}\sum_{n=0}^\infty k^{2n}g_n^{(\lambda)}(r) + h(k)j_\lambda(kr)$$

Half-integer
$$\lambda$$

$$h(k) \;=\; rac{2}{\pi} \ln \left(rac{kR}{2}
ight)$$

$$\begin{split} f_{\ell}^{(\mathrm{in})}(E) &\approx \; \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=0}^{N} \left\{ \alpha_{n}^{(\ell)}(E_{0}) + k^{2\lambda+1} [h(k) - i] \beta_{n}^{(\ell)}(E_{0}) \right\} (E - E_{0})^{n} \\ f_{\ell}^{(\mathrm{out})}(E) &\approx \; \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=0}^{N} \left\{ \alpha_{n}^{(\ell)}(E_{0}) + k^{2\lambda+1} [h(k) + i] \beta_{n}^{(\ell)}(E_{0}) \right\} (E - E_{0})^{n} \end{split}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f_{mn}^{(\mathrm{in})}(E) &= \frac{k_n^{\ell_n+1}}{2k_m^{\ell_m+1}} \tilde{a}_{mn}(E) - i \frac{k_m^{\ell_m} k_n^{\ell_n+1}}{2} \tilde{b}_{mn}(E) \\ f_{mn}^{(\mathrm{out})}(E) &= \frac{k_n^{\ell_n+1}}{2k_m^{\ell_m+1}} \tilde{a}_{mn}(E) + i \frac{k_m^{\ell_m} k_n^{\ell_n+1}}{2} \tilde{b}_{mn}(E) \\ \tilde{a}(E) &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \alpha_n (E - E_0)^n \\ \tilde{b}(E) &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \beta_n (E - E_0)^n \\ \tilde{b}(E) &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \beta_n (E - E_0)^n \end{aligned} \qquad \begin{aligned} \text{Possible} \\ \text{Semi-analytic expression for the S-matrix} \\ \text{Locating resonances} \end{aligned}$$

Moving a resonance to a given point E_0

Fitting experimental cross-section and thus extracting the resonance parameters from experimental data



- odd powers of the channel momenta in the Jost matrices are factorized
- for the remaining energy dependent factors, a system of differential equations is obtained
- these energy dependent functions are expanded in power series
- the expansion coefficients are determined by a system of differential equations