



Solve Eliashberg equations for finite bandwidths

— Eliashberg theory —

The linearized local Eliashberg equations for the density of states $N(\varepsilon) = N(0) \Theta(E - |\varepsilon|)$ are

$$\begin{aligned}\tilde{\omega}_n &= \omega_n + 2T \sum_m^{|\omega_m| < \omega_N} \arctan\left[\frac{E}{\tilde{\omega}_m}\right] \lambda_{n-m}, & \frac{\lambda}{\lambda_n} &= 1 + \left[\frac{v_n}{\omega_E}\right]^2, \\ \phi_n &= 2T \sum_m^{|\omega_m| < \omega_N} \arctan\left[\frac{E}{\tilde{\omega}_m}\right] \frac{\phi_m}{\tilde{\omega}_m} (\lambda_{n-m} - \mu_N^*), & \frac{1}{\mu_N^*} &= \frac{1}{\mu} + \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\frac{E}{\omega_N}} \frac{dx}{x} \arctan(x).\end{aligned}$$

where

$\omega_n = (2n + 1)\pi T [\tilde{\omega}_n]$ and $v_n = 2n\pi T$ are [renormalized] fermionic and bosonic Matsubara frequencies and ϕ_n is proportional to the order parameter at the critical point $(T, \lambda, \mu, \omega_E, E)$.

— Parameters —

T	T	K	temperature
l	λ	1	electron-phonon coupling
u	μ	1	Coulomb repulsion
w	ω_E	eV	Einstein phonon frequency
E	E	eV	half the electronic bandwidth
W	ω_N	ω_E	cutoff frequency

— Functions —

`def critical(variable='T', epsilon=1e-3, **parameters)`

solves the Eliashberg equations varying the parameter indicated by variable, which may be $T, \lambda, \mu, \omega_E$ or E , leaving the others fixed. Its given value is used as initial guess, which must not vanish, its critical value is returned. epsilon is the self-consistency threshold.

`def Tc(l, u, w, E, A=1.20, B=1.04, C=0.62, **ignore)`

returns the critical temperature according to McMillan's formula,

$$T_c = \frac{\omega_E}{A} \exp\left[\frac{-B(1 + \lambda)}{\lambda - C\lambda\mu^* - \mu^*}\right] \quad \text{with} \quad \frac{1}{\mu^*} = \frac{1}{\mu} + \log\left[\frac{E}{\omega_E}\right].$$

`def Eliashberg(T, l, u, w, E, W, rescale=True, **ignore)`

returns the maximum eigenvalue of the kernel of the equation for ϕ_n , which is less than, equal to or greater than unity in the normal, critical or superconducting state, respectively. If rescale is False, μ is used in place of μ_N^* .

`def residue(x)`

returns $1/\mu_N^* - 1/\mu$ as a function of E/ω_N .

`def eigenvalue(matrix)`

returns the maximum eigenvalue of the given matrix.