

Mathematical Quantum Mechanics

Homework Sheet 13

Exercise 1:

- Let V be a central potential given by a real-valued function $V(r)$. Prove that if $V(r)$ has an analytic continuation $V(z)$ to a sector $\{z : |\arg z| < \alpha\}$ with

$$\lim_{\substack{|z| \rightarrow \infty \\ |\arg z| < \beta}} V(z) = 0$$

and

$$\sup_{0 < |\phi| < \beta} \iint_{|x|, |x'| \leq 1} \left| V(e^{i\phi}|x|) \right| \left| V(e^{i\phi}|x'|) \right| |x - x'|^{-2} dx dx' < \infty$$

for each $\beta < \alpha$, then V is dilation analytic.

- Prove that the Coulomb potential $V(r) = r^{-1}$ is in \mathcal{F}_∞ and the Yukawa potential $V(r) = e^{-\mu r}/r$, $\mu > 0$, is in $\mathcal{F}_{\pi/2}$.

Exercise 2: Let (r, θ, ϕ) be the spherical coordinates of $x \in \mathbb{R}^3$. Prove that the resonances $E \in \mathbb{C}$ of the Schrödinger operator with a delta-shell potential of radius $a > 0$

$$H = -\Delta - c\delta(r - a) \quad \text{in } L^2(\mathbb{R}^3)$$

satisfy the equation

$$caI_{l+\frac{1}{2}}(\sqrt{-E}a)K_{l+\frac{1}{2}}(\sqrt{-E}a) = 1$$

for some $l \in \mathbb{N}_0$. Here $I_{l+\frac{1}{2}}$ and $K_{l+\frac{1}{2}}$ are the modified Bessel functions.

Hint: Use that the Green function of the Helmholtz equation can be represented as

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{e^{-\sqrt{-E}|x-x'|}}{4\pi|x-x'|} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{rr'}} \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \sum_{m=-l}^l Y_{lm}(\theta, \phi) \overline{Y_{lm}(\theta', \phi')} \begin{cases} I_{l+\frac{1}{2}}(\sqrt{-E}r)K_{l+\frac{1}{2}}(\sqrt{-E}r'), & r < r', \\ I_{l+\frac{1}{2}}(\sqrt{-E}r')K_{l+\frac{1}{2}}(\sqrt{-E}r), & r > r'; \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

where Y_{lm} are the spherical harmonics.

The solutions should be put to the box marked “Mathematical Quantum Mechanics” on the first floor by **16:00 on Tuesday, January 28**.