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Expulsion of magnetic fields, not infinite conductivity, is the key.

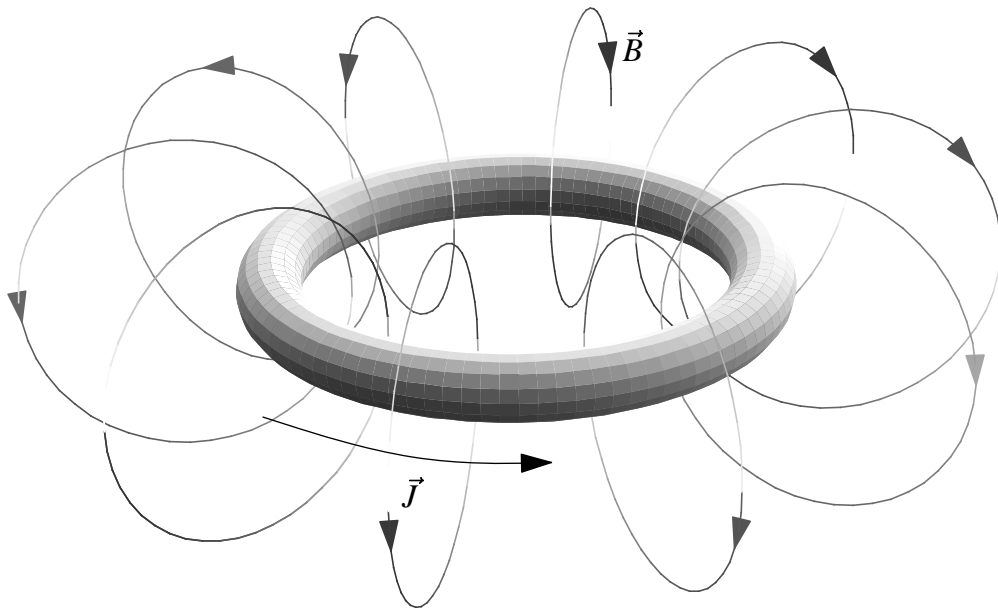


Figure 1: Flux threading a current loop

Wave function is rigid

$$m\dot{\vec{v}} = -e\vec{E} \quad (\text{L1})$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial \vec{j}}{\partial t} = \frac{ne^2}{m}\vec{E} \quad (\text{L2})$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{\nabla} \times \frac{\vec{B}}{\mu} = \frac{4\pi ne^2}{mc} \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{E} \quad (\text{L3})$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{\nabla} \times \frac{\vec{B}}{\mu} = -\frac{4\pi ne^2}{mc^2} (\vec{B} - \vec{B}_0). \quad (\text{L4})$$

$$\vec{B} + \lambda_L^2 \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{B} = 0 \quad (\text{L5})$$

$$\lambda_L = \sqrt{\frac{mc^2}{4\pi\mu ne^2}}. \quad (\text{L6})$$

$$\vec{B} + \lambda_L^2 \left(\vec{\nabla} (\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{B}) - \nabla^2 \vec{B} \right) = 0. \quad (\text{L7})$$

$$B_z = 0. \quad (\text{L8})$$

$$B_x = \lambda_L^2 \frac{\partial^2 B_x}{\partial z^2} \Rightarrow B_x \propto e^{-z/\lambda_L}. \quad (\text{L9})$$

$$\mathcal{F} = \int d\vec{r}d\vec{r}' \sum_{\alpha\beta} \frac{1}{2} A_{\alpha}(\vec{r}) G_{\alpha\beta}(\vec{r} - \vec{r}') A_{\beta}(\vec{r}') + \delta(\vec{r} - \vec{r}') \frac{1}{8\pi} \vec{B}(\vec{r}) \cdot \vec{B}(\vec{r}'). \quad (\text{L10})$$

$$[\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{\nabla} \times \frac{\vec{A}(\vec{r})}{4\pi}]_{\alpha} = - \int d\vec{r}' \sum_{\beta} G_{\alpha\beta}(\vec{r} - \vec{r}') A_{\beta}(\vec{r}') \quad (\text{L11})$$

$$\Rightarrow j_{\alpha}(\vec{r}) = \frac{c}{4\pi} [\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{B}]_{\alpha} = -c \int d\vec{r}' \sum_{\beta} G_{\alpha\beta}(\vec{r} - \vec{r}') A_{\beta}(\vec{r}'). \quad (\text{L12})$$

$$\sum_{\beta} \left\{ G_{\alpha\beta}(\vec{k}) + \frac{1}{4\pi} (k^2 \delta_{\alpha\beta} - k_{\alpha} k_{\beta}) \right\} A_{\beta} = 0. \quad (\text{L13})$$

$$G_{\alpha\beta} \rightarrow \left(\frac{1}{\mu} - 1 \right) \frac{1}{4\pi} [k^2 \delta_{\alpha\beta} - k_{\alpha} k_{\beta}]. \quad (\text{L14})$$

$$\frac{1/\mu - 1}{8\pi} \int d\vec{r} d\vec{r}' \delta(\vec{r} - \vec{r}') \vec{A} \cdot \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{A} \quad (\text{L15})$$

$$= \frac{1/\mu - 1}{8\pi} \int d\vec{r} B(\vec{r})^2. \quad (\text{L16})$$

$$\mathcal{F} = \frac{1}{8\pi\mu} \int d\vec{r} B^2(\vec{r}), \quad (\text{L17})$$

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow 0} G_{\alpha\beta} = \frac{1}{4\pi\lambda_L^2} \delta_{\alpha\beta}. \quad (\text{L18})$$

$$\frac{1}{8\pi} \int d\vec{r} \frac{1}{\lambda_L^2} A^2(\vec{r}) + |\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{A}|^2, \quad (\text{L19})$$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda_L^2} \vec{A} + \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{A} = 0. \quad (\text{L20})$$

$$\vec{B} + \lambda_L^2 \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{B} = 0, \quad (\text{L21})$$

$$\mathcal{F} = \mathcal{F}_{\text{normal}} + \frac{1}{8\pi\mu} B_c^2. \quad (\text{L22})$$

$$\tilde{\mathcal{G}} = \mathcal{F} - \vec{B} \cdot \frac{\delta \mathcal{F}}{\delta \vec{B}} = \mathcal{F}_{\text{normal}} - \frac{1}{8\pi\mu} B_c^2. \quad (\text{L23})$$

$$\Delta \mathcal{F} \equiv \mathcal{F}_{\text{normal}} - \mathcal{F}_{\text{superconducting}} = \frac{B_c^2}{8\pi\mu}. \quad (\text{L24})$$

$$\Delta \mathcal{F} = \frac{H_c^2}{8\pi}. \quad (\text{L25})$$

$$\Delta S = \frac{\partial}{\partial T} \Delta \mathcal{F} = \frac{H_c}{4\pi} \frac{\partial H_c}{\partial T}. \quad (\text{L26})$$

$$\mathcal{F} = \int \frac{d\vec{r}}{\mathcal{V}} \alpha |\Psi|^2 + \frac{\beta}{2} |\Psi|^4 + \frac{1}{8\pi} B^2 + \frac{1}{2m^*} \left| \left[\frac{\hbar}{i} \vec{\nabla} + \frac{2e}{c} \vec{A}(\vec{r}) \right] \Psi(\vec{r}) \right|^2. \quad (\text{L27})$$

$$\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{B} = \frac{4\pi}{c} \vec{j}, \quad (\text{L28})$$

$$\vec{j}(\vec{r}) = -\frac{2e\hbar}{2im^*} [\Psi^* \vec{\nabla} \Psi - \Psi \vec{\nabla} \Psi^*] - \frac{4e^2}{m^*c} \vec{A} \Psi^* \Psi. \quad (\text{L29a})$$

Minimizing with respect to Ψ^* leads to

$$0 = \left[\alpha + \beta |\Psi|^2 + \frac{1}{2m^*} \left(\frac{\hbar}{i} \vec{\nabla} + \frac{2e}{c} \vec{A} \right)^2 \right] \Psi. \quad (\text{L29b})$$

$$\hat{n} \cdot \left(\frac{\hbar}{i} \vec{\nabla} + \frac{2e}{c} \vec{A} \right) \Psi = 0. \quad (\text{L30})$$

Compare the following lengths:

$$\xi^2 = \frac{\hbar^2}{2m^*|\alpha|}. \quad (\text{L31})$$

$$\lambda_L^2 = \frac{m^*c^2\beta}{4\pi|\alpha|(2e)^2}. \quad (\text{L32})$$

Type I and Type II Superconductors

Compound	T_c (K)	H_c (G)	ξ (Å)	λ_L (Å)
Al	1.18	105	13 000–16 000	160–500
Ba ($P = 20$ GPa)	5.3			
Bi ($P = 8$ GPa)	8.55			
Ce ($P = 5$ GPa)	1.7			
Ga	1.09	58.9		
Hg	3.95	340		380–450
Ir	0.10	20.1		
Lu	0.1			
Mo	0.92	98		
P ($P = 17$ GPa)	5.8			
Pb	7.20	803	510–960	390–630
Si ($P = 12$ GPa)	7.1			
Sn	3.7	308	1 000–3 000	340–750
Te ($P = 8$ GPa)	4.3			
Th	1.37	162		
Ti	0.42	56		
Tl	2.4	180	4200	
U	1.8			
W	0.02	1.07		
Zn	0.85	52		
Zr	0.53	47		
Nb ₃ Sn	18.5	28	34	1 600
YBa ₂ Cu ₃ O _{7-x}	92	500	4–8	900–8 000
HgBa ₂ Ca ₂ Cu ₃ O _y	135			

$$|\Psi|^2 = \begin{cases} \Psi_0^2 \equiv -\frac{\alpha}{\beta} & \text{or} \\ 0. \end{cases} \quad (\text{L33})$$

$$\frac{\mathcal{F}}{\mathcal{V}} = -\frac{\alpha^2}{2\beta} \quad (\text{L34})$$

$$H_c^2 = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2}{\beta}. \quad (\text{L35})$$

$$\psi = \frac{\Psi}{\Psi_0}, \quad (\text{L36})$$

$$-\xi^2 \nabla^2 \psi - \psi + \psi|\psi|^2 = 0, \quad (\text{L37})$$

$$-\xi^2 \psi'' - \psi + \psi^3 = 0. \quad (\text{L38})$$

$$-\xi^2(\psi')^2 - \psi^2 + \frac{1}{2}\psi^4 = \text{Const.} \quad (\text{L39})$$

$$\psi' = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}\xi}(1 - \psi^2) \quad (\text{L40})$$

$$\psi = \tanh \frac{x}{\sqrt{2}\xi}. \quad (\text{L41})$$

$$\vec{j} = \frac{c}{4\pi} \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{B} = -\frac{4e^2}{m^*c} \Psi_0^2 \vec{A}. \quad (\text{L42})$$

$$\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{B} = -\frac{4\pi}{c} \frac{4e^2}{m^*c} \Psi_0^2 \vec{B} = -\lambda_L^{-2} \vec{B}. \quad (\text{L43})$$

$$\kappa = \lambda_L/\xi = \frac{m^*c}{e\hbar} \sqrt{\frac{\beta}{8\pi}} \quad (\text{L44})$$

$$\vec{a} = \frac{4e\vec{A}}{c\sqrt{2m^*|\alpha|}} \quad (\text{L45})$$

$$\psi - \psi|\psi|^2 - (-i\vec{\nabla} + \vec{a}/2)^2\psi = 0 \quad (\text{L46})$$

$$\frac{\lambda_L^2}{\xi^2} \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{a} = -\frac{1}{i}(\psi^*\vec{\nabla}\psi - \psi\vec{\nabla}\psi^*) - |\psi|^2\vec{a}. \quad (\text{L47})$$

$$\frac{1}{2m^*}(-i\hbar\vec{\nabla} + \frac{2e\vec{A}}{c})^2\Psi = -\alpha\Psi. \quad (\text{L48})$$

$$\omega_c = \frac{2eH_{c2}}{m^*c}, \quad (\text{L49})$$

$$-\alpha = |\alpha| = \frac{e\hbar H_{c2}}{m^*c}. \quad (\text{L50})$$

$$\frac{H_{c2}}{H_c} = \sqrt{2}\kappa. \quad (\text{L51})$$

$$\frac{\tilde{g}}{A} = \frac{H_c^2}{4\pi} \sqrt{2} \xi \frac{2}{3}, \quad (\text{L52})$$

$$\frac{\tilde{g}}{A} = -\frac{H_c^2}{8\pi} \lambda_L; \quad (\text{L53})$$

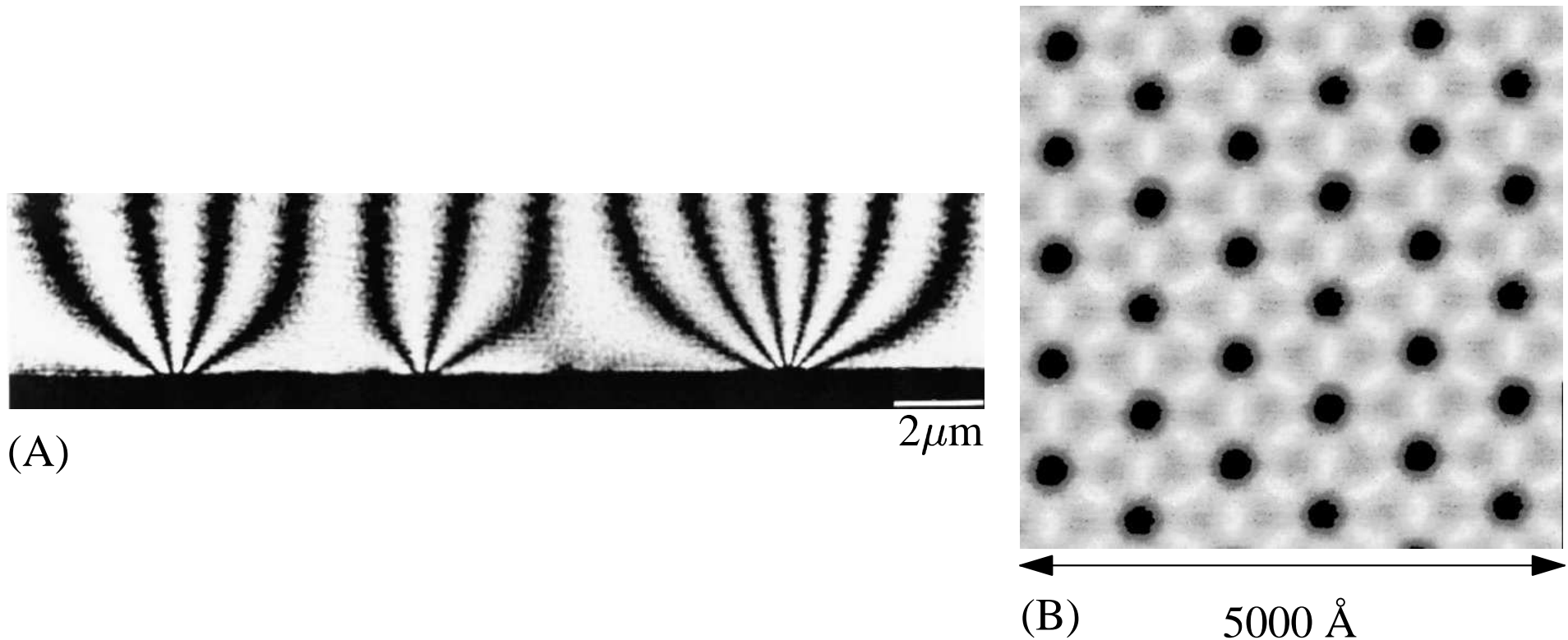


Figure 2: A Type II superconductor is unstable to the formation of flux tubes (A) Magnetic flux entering a lead film [Tonomura et al. (1986)] (B) Top view of an Abrikosov lattice of flux tubes in NbSe_2 [S. Pan and A. de Lozanne]

$$\vec{j} = -\frac{e^*\hbar}{2im^*} [\Psi^* \vec{\nabla} \Psi - \Psi \vec{\nabla} \Psi^*] - \frac{e^{*2}}{m^*c} \vec{A} \Psi^* \Psi. \quad (\text{L54})$$

$$\Psi(\vec{r}) = \Psi_0 e^{i\phi(\vec{r})} \quad (\text{L55})$$

$$\vec{j} = -\frac{\Psi_0^2}{m^*} \left(\frac{e^{*2}}{c} \vec{A} + e^* \hbar \vec{\nabla} \phi \right) \quad (\text{L56})$$

$$\Rightarrow -\vec{\nabla} \phi = \frac{1}{\hbar} \left(\frac{m^*}{e^* \Psi_0^2} \vec{j} + \frac{e^*}{c} \vec{A} \right). \quad (\text{L57})$$

$$-\int d\vec{s} \cdot \vec{\nabla} \phi = 2\pi l. \quad (\text{L58})$$

$$\int d\vec{s} \cdot \frac{1}{\hbar} \left[\frac{m^*}{e^* \Psi_0^2} \vec{j} + \frac{e^*}{c} \vec{A} \right] = 2\pi l. \quad (\text{L59})$$

$$\frac{e^*}{c\hbar} \int d\vec{s} \cdot \vec{A} = 2\pi l \quad (\text{L60})$$

$$\Rightarrow \int d^2r B_z = \Phi = \frac{2\pi l \hbar c}{e^*} = l \frac{e}{e^*} \Phi_0. \quad (\text{L61})$$

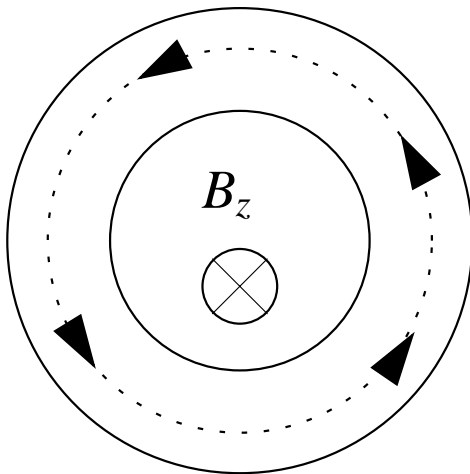


Figure 3: Magnetic flux that pierces a superconducting ring is quantized in units of $\Phi_0/2$.

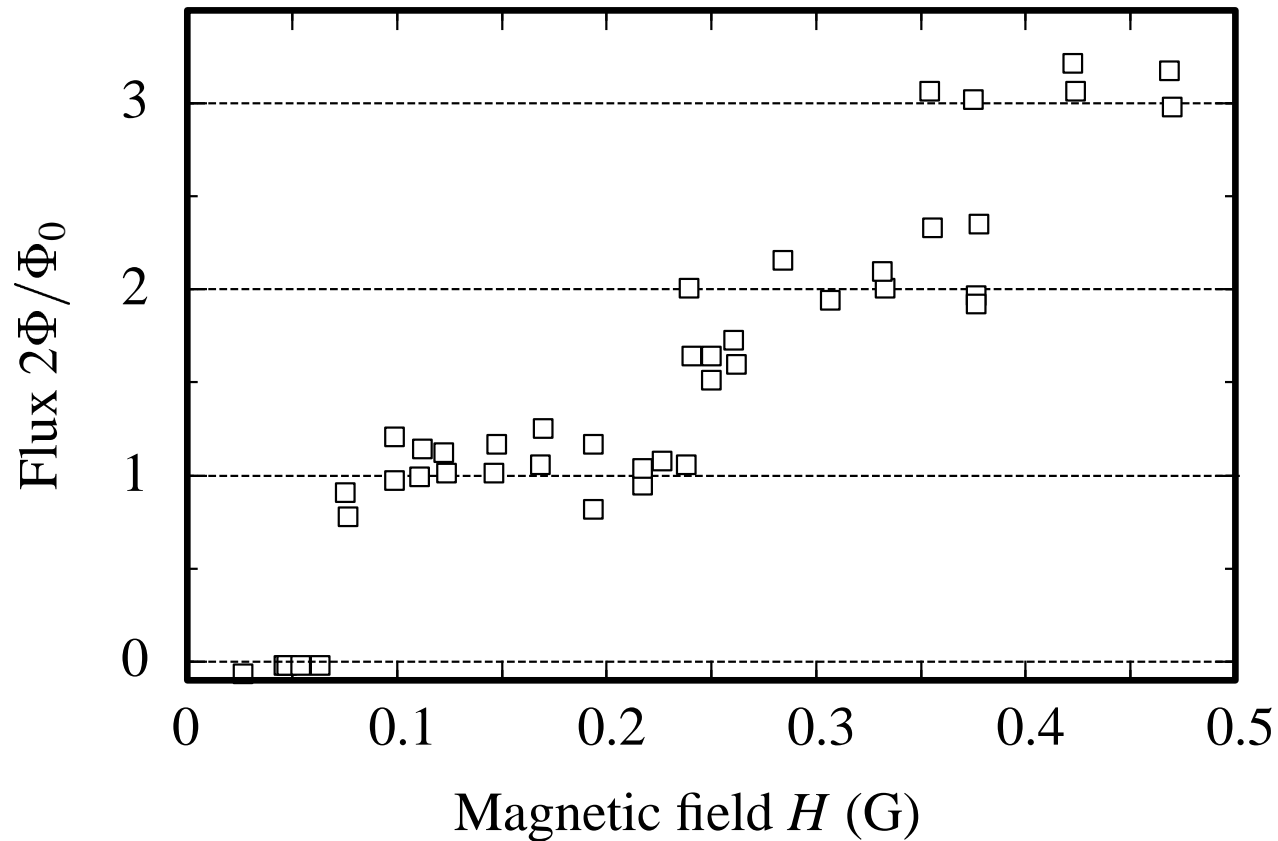


Figure 4: Trapped magnetic flux in a superconducting cylinder as a function of applied field. [Deaver and Fairbank (1961)]

$$\int d\vec{r} U(\vec{r}) (\Psi_1^*(\vec{r}) \Psi_2(\vec{r}) + \Psi_1(\vec{r}) \Psi_2^*(\vec{r})) \quad (\text{L62})$$

$$= \epsilon (\Psi_1^* \Psi_2 + \Psi_1 \Psi_2^*), \quad (\text{L63})$$

$$\frac{\partial \Psi_1}{\partial t} = \frac{-i}{\hbar} [\mathcal{E}_1 \Psi_1 + \epsilon \Psi_2] \quad (\text{L64a})$$

$$\frac{\partial \Psi_2}{\partial t} = \frac{-i}{\hbar} [\mathcal{E}_2 \Psi_2 + \epsilon \Psi_1]. \quad (\text{L64b})$$

$$\Psi_l = \sqrt{n_l} e^{i\phi_l} \quad (\text{L65})$$

$$\left(\frac{1}{2} \frac{\dot{n}_1}{\sqrt{n_1}} + i\sqrt{n_1} \dot{\phi}_1 \right) e^{i\phi_1} = \frac{-i}{\hbar} [\mathcal{E}_1 \sqrt{n_1} e^{i\phi_1} + \epsilon \sqrt{n_2} e^{i\phi_2}]. \quad (\text{L66})$$

$$\dot{n}_1 = 2 \frac{\epsilon n}{\hbar} \sin(\phi_2 - \phi_1) = -\dot{n}_2 = \frac{j}{2e} \quad (\text{L67a})$$

$$\dot{\phi}_2 - \dot{\phi}_1 = \frac{1}{\hbar} (\mathcal{E}_1 - \mathcal{E}_2) = 2e(V_2 - V_1)/\hbar. \quad (\text{L67b})$$

$$\vec{j} = \vec{j}_0 \sin\left(\phi_2 - \phi_1 + \frac{2e}{\hbar c} \int_1^2 d\vec{s} \cdot \vec{A}\right) \quad (\text{L68a})$$

$$\frac{-1}{\hbar} (\mathcal{E}_2 - \mathcal{E}_1) = 2eV/\hbar = \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left(\phi_2 - \phi_1 + \frac{2e}{\hbar c} \int_1^2 d\vec{s} \cdot \vec{A} \right). \quad (\text{L68b})$$

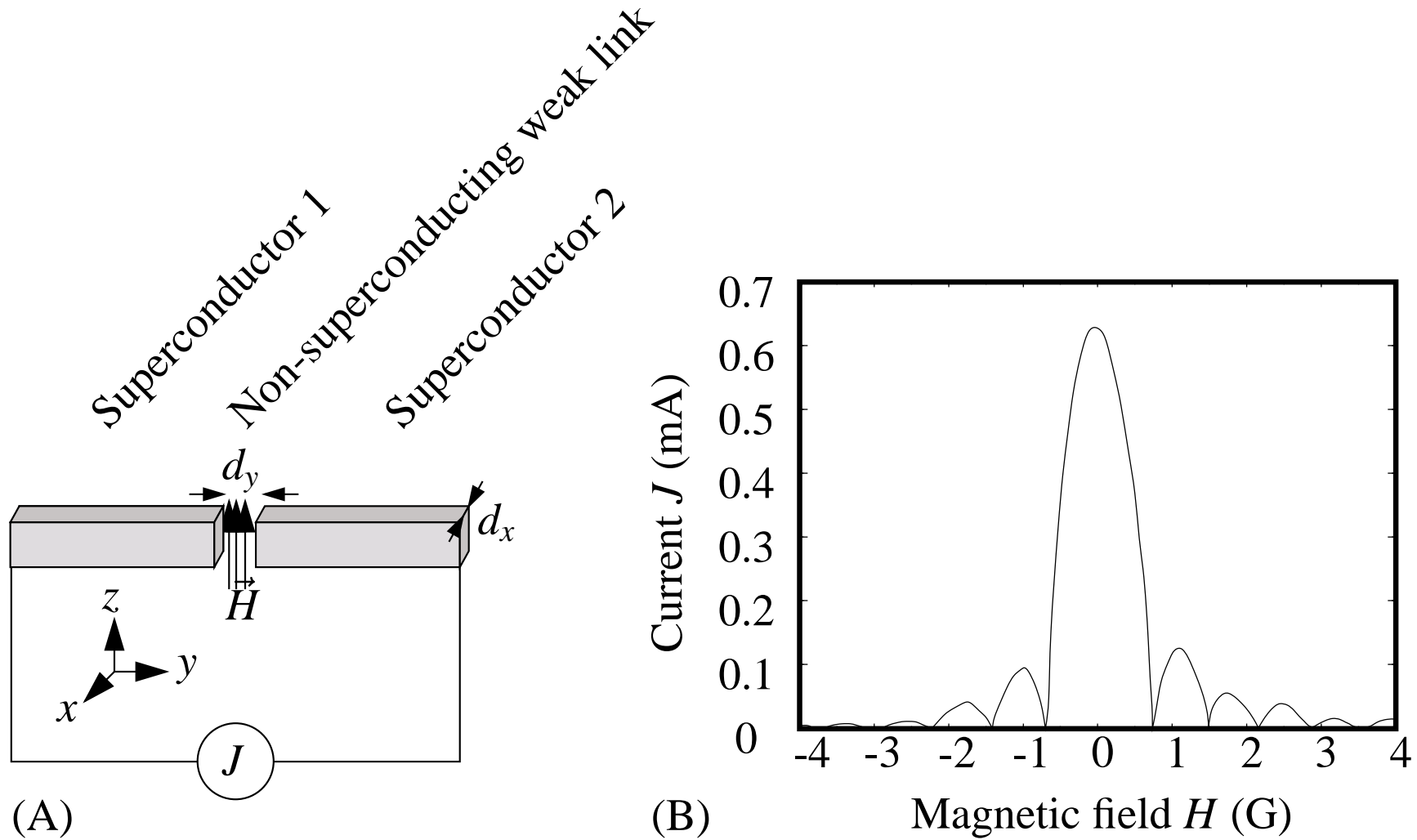


Figure 5: (A) Setting for Fraunhofer diffraction in a Josephson junction. (B) Measurement of J_c in an Sn–SnO–Sn junction at $T = 1.9$ K. [R. C Jaklevic, 1969]

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$$\frac{V}{R} + J_0 \sin \phi + C\dot{V} = J, \quad (\text{L69})$$

$$\dot{\phi} = 2eV/\hbar, \quad (\text{L70})$$

$$J = \frac{\dot{\phi}\hbar}{2eR} + J_0 \sin \phi + \frac{C\hbar}{2e} \ddot{\phi} \quad (\text{L71})$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\hbar C}{2e} \ddot{\phi} + \frac{\hbar}{2eR} \dot{\phi} = -\frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} [-\phi J - J_0 \cos \phi]. \quad (\text{L72})$$

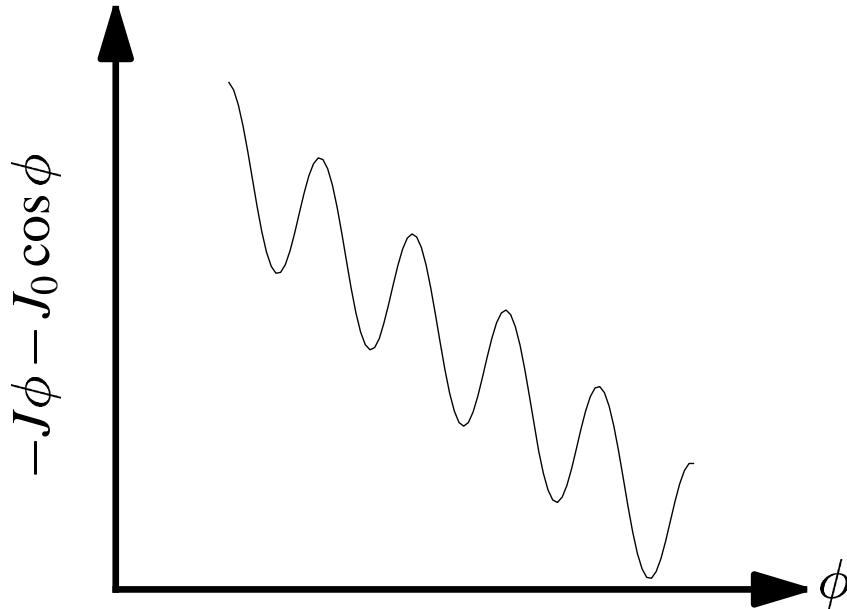


Figure 6: The washboard potential in Eq. (L72).

$$t_0 = \frac{\hbar}{2eJ_0R}, \quad (\text{L73})$$

$$\beta \ddot{\phi} + \dot{\phi} = -\frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} \left[-\phi \frac{J}{J_0} - \cos \phi \right], \quad (\text{L74})$$

$$\beta = \frac{J_0 R^2 C 2e}{\hbar}. \quad (\text{L75})$$

$$\oint d\vec{s} \cdot \vec{A} = \Phi = \int_4^1 d\vec{s} \cdot \vec{A} - \frac{\Phi_0}{4\pi} \int_1^2 d\vec{s} \cdot \vec{\nabla} \phi + \int_2^3 d\vec{s} \cdot \vec{A} - \frac{\Phi_0}{4\pi} \int_3^4 d\vec{s} \cdot \vec{\nabla} \phi \quad (\text{L76})$$

$$\Rightarrow \Phi = \frac{\Phi_0}{4\pi} (\gamma_{23} - \gamma_{14}), \quad (\text{L77})$$

where

$$\gamma_{14} = \phi_4 - \phi_1 + \frac{4\pi}{\Phi_0} \int_1^4 d\vec{s} \cdot \vec{A}. \quad (\text{L78})$$

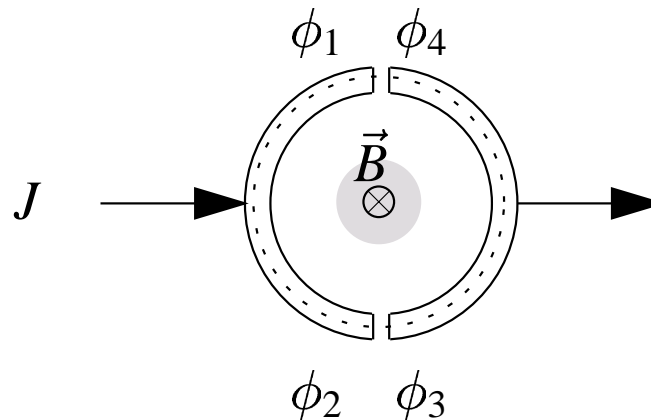


Figure 7: DC SQUID.

$$J = J_0 \sin(\gamma_{14}) + J_0 \sin(\gamma_{23}) \quad (\text{L79})$$

$$= J_0 \left[\sin(\gamma_{23} - 4\pi\Phi/\Phi_0) + \sin(\gamma_{23}) \right]. \quad (\text{L80})$$

$$\vec{j} = -\frac{|\Psi_0|^2 8\pi e\hbar}{m^* \Phi_0} \left[\frac{\Phi_0}{4\pi} \vec{\nabla} \phi + \vec{A} \right]. \quad (\text{L81})$$

$$L = \int d\vec{r} dt \mathcal{L} = \int d\vec{r} dt \left\{ \frac{E^2 - B^2}{8\pi} - G(\vec{A} + \vec{\nabla} \chi, V - \dot{\chi}/c) \right\}. \quad (\text{L82})$$

$$\vec{E} = -\vec{\nabla} V - \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \vec{A}}{\partial t}, \quad \text{and} \quad \vec{B} = \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{A}. \quad (\text{L83})$$

$$\frac{\delta L}{\delta V} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{\partial G}{\partial V} = -ne \quad (\text{L84a})$$

$$\frac{\delta L}{\delta \vec{A}} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{\partial G}{\partial \vec{A}} = -\frac{\vec{j}}{c}. \quad (\text{L84b})$$

$$\frac{\delta L}{\delta \chi} = 0 \Rightarrow \vec{\nabla} \cdot \frac{\partial G}{\partial \vec{A}} - \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial G}{\partial V} = 0 \quad (\text{L85})$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial t} [-ne] = -\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{j}. \quad (\text{L86})$$

$$\mathcal{H} = \vec{A} \cdot \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \vec{A}} + \dot{\chi} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{\chi}} - \mathcal{L}. \quad (\text{L87})$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{\chi}} = -\frac{ne}{c}. \quad (\text{L88})$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{H}}{\partial \chi} = \frac{\dot{ne}}{c} \quad (\text{L89a})$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{H}}{\partial [-ne/c]} = \dot{\chi}. \quad (\text{L89b})$$

$$\dot{\chi} = -\frac{c\mu}{e} \Rightarrow \dot{\phi} = -\frac{2\mu}{\hbar} = \frac{2eV}{\hbar}. \quad (\text{L90})$$

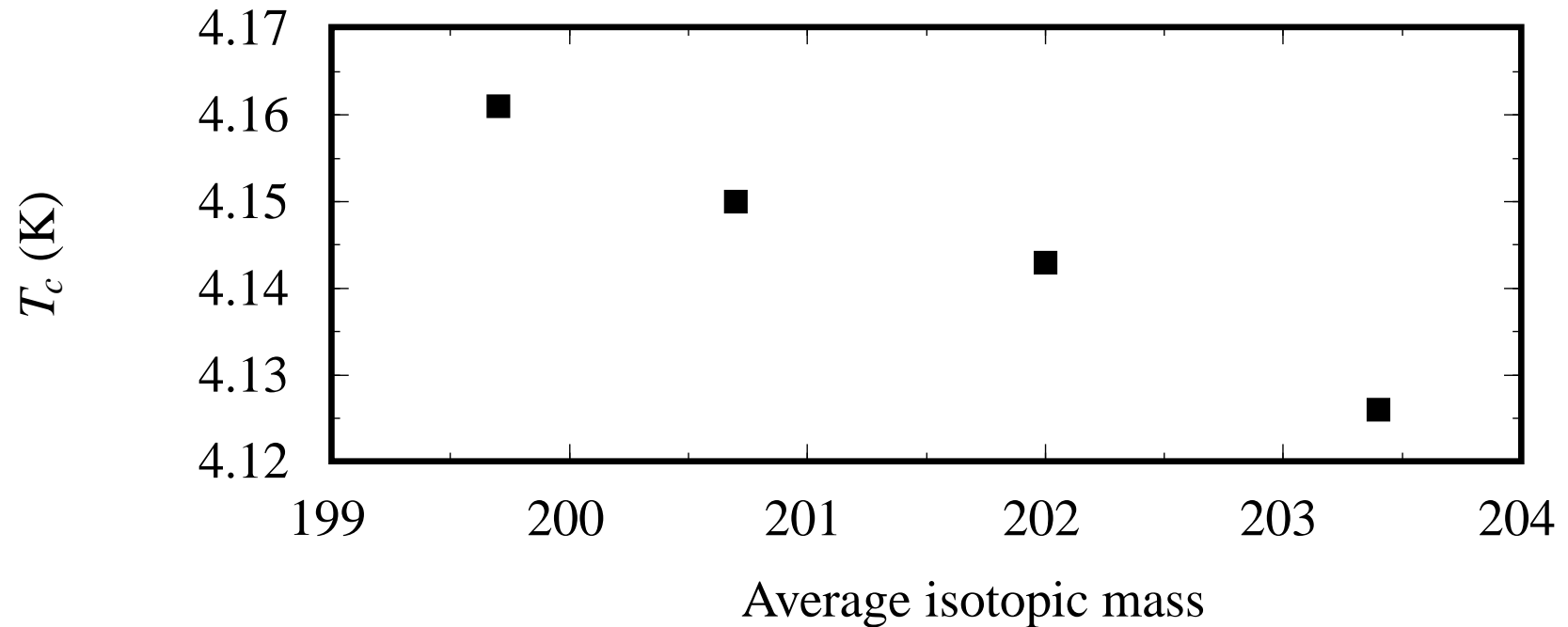


Figure 8: Superconducting transition temperature T_c versus average isotopic mass in four samples of mercury. [Reynolds et al. (1950).]

$$\sigma_{\text{el}} = \frac{i\omega\chi_c}{q^2}. \quad (\text{L91})$$

$$\chi_c = -\frac{me^2}{\pi^2\hbar^2} \frac{(4k_F^2 - q^2) \log\left(\frac{q + 2k_F}{2k_F - q}\right) + 4k_F q}{8q} \quad (\text{L92})$$

$$\chi_c = -\frac{me^2 k_F}{\pi^2\hbar^2} \equiv -\frac{\kappa_c^2}{4\pi}. \quad (\text{L93})$$

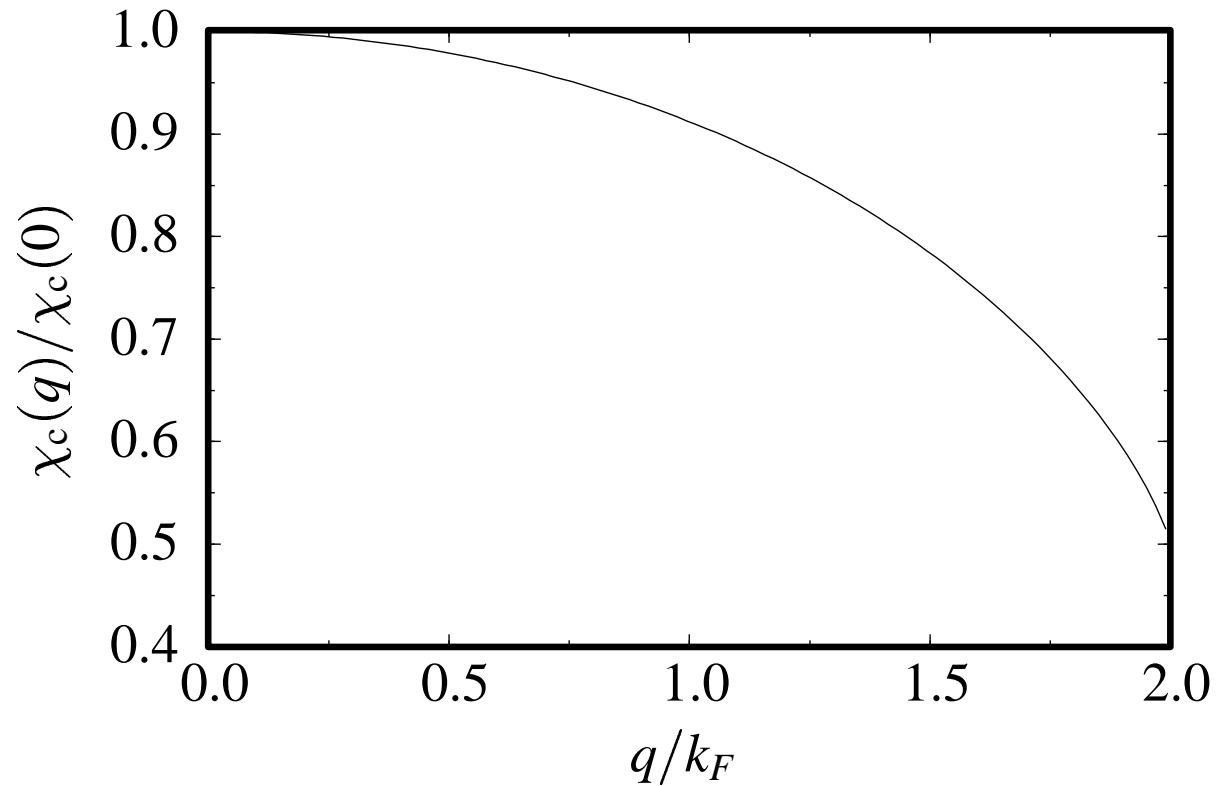


Figure 9: Charge susceptibility χ_c .

$$\sigma_{\text{el}} = \frac{\omega \kappa_c^2}{4\pi i q^2}. \quad (\text{L94})$$

$$\vec{u} = \frac{-e^* \vec{E}}{M(\omega^2 - \bar{\omega}_{\vec{q}}^2)}. \quad (\text{L95})$$

$$\vec{j}_{\text{ion}}(\vec{q}, \omega) = -i\omega n e^* \vec{u} \quad (\text{L96})$$

$$\omega_{\text{pi}}^2 = \frac{4\pi n e^{*2}}{M}, \quad (\text{L97})$$

$$\sigma_{\text{ion}} = -\frac{\omega}{4\pi i} \frac{\omega_{\text{pi}}^2}{\omega^2 - \bar{\omega}_{\vec{q}}^2}. \quad (\text{L98})$$

$$\sigma(\vec{q}, \omega) = \frac{\omega}{4\pi i} \left[\frac{\kappa_{\text{c}}^2}{q^2} - \frac{\omega_{\text{pi}}^2}{\omega^2 - \bar{\omega}_{\vec{q}}^2} \right] \quad (\text{L99})$$

$$\Rightarrow \epsilon(\vec{q}, \omega) = 1 + \frac{\kappa_{\text{c}}^2}{q^2} - \frac{\omega_{\text{pi}}^2}{\omega^2 - \bar{\omega}_{\vec{q}}^2}. \quad (\text{L100})$$

$$\omega_{\vec{q}}^2 = \bar{\omega}_{\vec{q}}^2 + \frac{q^2 \omega_{\text{pi}}^2}{q^2 + \kappa_c^2}. \quad (\text{L101})$$

$$\frac{1}{\epsilon(\vec{q}, \omega)} = \frac{q^2}{q^2 + \kappa_c^2} \left[\frac{\omega^2 - \bar{\omega}_{\vec{q}}^2}{\omega^2 - \omega_{\vec{q}}^2} \right]. \quad (\text{L102})$$

$$|\psi_1 e^{i\vec{k}_1 \cdot \vec{r} - \mathcal{E}_1 t / \hbar} + \psi_2 e^{i\vec{k}_2 \cdot \vec{r} - \mathcal{E}_2 t / \hbar}|^2 \propto \text{const.} + \cos[(\vec{k}_1 - \vec{k}_2) \cdot \vec{r} - (\mathcal{E}_1 - \mathcal{E}_2)t / \hbar]. \quad (\text{L103})$$

$$U_{\text{eff}} = \frac{4\pi e^2}{\epsilon(\vec{q}, \omega) q^2} = \frac{4\pi e^2}{q^2 + \kappa_c^2} \left[1 + \frac{\omega_{\vec{q}}^2 - \bar{\omega}_{\vec{q}}^2}{\omega^2 - \omega_{\vec{q}}^2} \right] \quad (\text{L104a})$$

with

$$\vec{q} = \vec{k}_1 - \vec{k}_2 \quad \text{and} \quad \hbar\omega = \mathcal{E}_1 - \mathcal{E}_2. \quad (\text{L104b})$$

$$\hat{U}_{\text{el-phon}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mathcal{V}}} \sum_{\substack{\vec{q}'' \vec{k} \\ \sigma}} [C_{\vec{k}}^* \hat{c}_{\vec{q}'' - \vec{k}, \sigma}^\dagger \hat{c}_{\vec{q}'', \sigma} \hat{a}_{\vec{k}}^\dagger + C_{\vec{k}} \hat{c}_{\vec{q}'' + \vec{k}, \sigma}^\dagger \hat{c}_{\vec{q}'', \sigma} \hat{a}_{\vec{k}}] \quad (\text{L105})$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mathcal{V}}} \sum_{\substack{\vec{q}' \vec{q} \\ \sigma}} C_{\vec{q}} [\hat{c}_{\vec{q}' + \vec{q}, \sigma}^\dagger \hat{c}_{\vec{q}', \sigma} \hat{a}_{-\vec{q}}^\dagger + \hat{c}_{\vec{q}' + \vec{q}, \sigma}^\dagger \hat{c}_{\vec{q}', \sigma} \hat{a}_{\vec{q}}]. \quad (\text{L106})$$

$$\epsilon_{\text{el}}(\vec{q}, \omega) = \frac{q^2 + \kappa_{\text{c}}^2}{q^2}, \quad (\text{L107})$$

$$\hat{\mathcal{H}}_{\text{screened Coulomb}} = \frac{1}{\mathcal{V}} \sum_{\substack{\vec{q}, \vec{k}, \vec{k}' \\ \sigma, \sigma'}} \frac{1}{2} \frac{4\pi e^2}{q^2 + \kappa_{\text{c}}^2} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}' - \vec{q}, \sigma'}^\dagger \hat{c}_{\vec{k} + \vec{q}, \sigma}^\dagger \hat{c}_{\vec{k}, \sigma} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}', \sigma'}. \quad (\text{L108})$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \hat{\mathcal{H}} = & \sum_{\vec{q}, \sigma} \epsilon_{\vec{q}} \hat{c}_{\vec{q}\sigma}^\dagger \hat{c}_{\vec{q}\sigma} + \frac{1}{\mathcal{V}} \sum_{\substack{\vec{q}, \vec{k}, \vec{k}' \\ \sigma, \sigma'}} \frac{1}{2} \frac{4\pi e^2}{q^2 + \kappa_c^2} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}' - \vec{q}, \sigma'}^\dagger \hat{c}_{\vec{k} + \vec{q}, \sigma}^\dagger \hat{c}_{\vec{k}, \sigma} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}', \sigma'} \\
 & + \sum_{\vec{k}} \hbar \omega_{\vec{k}} \hat{a}_{\vec{k}}^\dagger \hat{a}_{\vec{k}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mathcal{V}}} \sum_{\substack{\vec{q}, \vec{q}' \\ \sigma}} \hat{c}_{\vec{q} + \vec{q}', \sigma}^\dagger \hat{c}_{\vec{q}', \sigma} C_{\vec{q}} \left[\hat{a}_{\vec{q}} + \hat{a}_{-\vec{q}}^\dagger \right].
 \end{aligned} \tag{L109}$$

$$e^{-\hat{S}} \tilde{a}_{\vec{k}} e^{\hat{S}} = \hat{a}_{\vec{k}} \tag{L110}$$

$$e^{-\hat{S}} \tilde{c}_{\vec{k}\sigma} e^{\hat{S}} = \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\sigma}. \tag{L111}$$

$$\hat{\mathcal{H}} = e^{-\hat{S}} \tilde{\mathcal{H}} e^{\hat{S}}, \tag{L112}$$

$$e^{-\hat{S}} \tilde{\mathcal{H}} e^{\hat{S}} = \tilde{\mathcal{H}} + [\tilde{\mathcal{H}}, \hat{S}] + \frac{1}{2} [[\tilde{\mathcal{H}}, \hat{S}], \hat{S}] + \dots \tag{L113}$$

$$\hat{\mathcal{H}} \approx \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_0 + [\tilde{\mathcal{H}}_0, \hat{S}] + \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_1 + \frac{1}{2} \left[[\tilde{\mathcal{H}}_0, \hat{S}], \hat{S} \right] + [\tilde{\mathcal{H}}_1, \hat{S}] \quad (\text{L114})$$

$$= \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_0 + \frac{1}{2} [\tilde{\mathcal{H}}_1, \hat{S}], \quad (\text{L115})$$

just so long as

$$0 = [\tilde{\mathcal{H}}_0, \hat{S}] + \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_1. \quad (\text{L116})$$

$$\hat{\mathcal{H}} = \frac{1}{2\mathcal{V}} \sum_{\substack{\vec{q}\vec{k}\vec{k}' \\ \sigma\sigma'}} \left[\frac{2|C_{\vec{q}}|^2 \hbar \omega_{\vec{q}}}{(\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \epsilon_{\vec{k}+\vec{q}})^2 - \hbar^2 \omega_{\vec{q}}^2} + \frac{4\pi e^2}{q^2 + \kappa_c^2} \right] \tilde{c}_{\vec{k}'-\vec{q}\sigma'}^\dagger \tilde{c}_{\vec{k}+\vec{q}\sigma}^\dagger \tilde{c}_{\vec{k}\sigma} \tilde{c}_{\vec{k}'\sigma'}. \quad (\text{L117})$$

$$|G\rangle = \prod_{k < k_F} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}}^\dagger |\emptyset\rangle. \quad (\text{L118})$$

$$\left[\frac{-\hbar^2 \nabla_1^2}{2m} + \frac{-\hbar^2 \nabla_2^2}{2m} + U(\vec{r}_1 - \vec{r}_2) \right] \Psi(\vec{r}_1, \vec{r}_2) = \mathcal{E} \Psi(\vec{r}_1, \vec{r}_2), \quad (\text{L119})$$

$$\Psi(\vec{r}_1, \vec{r}_2) = \sum_{k' > k_F} \Psi_{\vec{k}'} e^{-i\vec{k}' \cdot (\vec{r}_1 - \vec{r}_2)}. \quad (\text{L120})$$

$$(2\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \mathcal{E}) \Psi_{\vec{k}} + \sum_{k' > k_F} U_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'} \Psi_{\vec{k}'} = 0. \quad (\text{L121})$$

$$U_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'} = -\frac{U_0}{\mathcal{V}} \theta(\hbar\omega - |\mathcal{E}_F - \epsilon_{\vec{k}}|) \theta(\hbar\omega - |\mathcal{E}_F - \epsilon_{\vec{k}'}|). \quad (\text{L122})$$

$$(2\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \mathcal{E})\Psi_{\vec{k}} = \frac{U_0}{\mathcal{V}} \sum_{k' > k_F}^{k_{\max}} \Psi_{\vec{k}'}. \quad (\text{L123})$$

$$\mathcal{E} = 2\epsilon_{k_a}, \quad (\text{L124})$$

$$\Psi_{\vec{k}_a} = -\Psi_{\vec{k}_b} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}. \quad (\text{L125})$$

$$\sum_{\vec{k} > k_F}^{k_{\max}} \Psi_{\vec{k}} = \sum_{\vec{k} > k_F}^{k_{\max}} \frac{U_0}{\mathcal{V}} \frac{1}{(2\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \mathcal{E})} \sum_{\vec{k}' > k_F}^{k_{\max}} \Psi_{\vec{k}'}. \quad (\text{L126})$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 = \sum_{\vec{k}}^{k_{\max}} \frac{U_0}{(2\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \mathcal{E})\mathcal{V}} \quad (\text{L127})$$

$$\approx \int_{\mathcal{E}_F}^{\mathcal{E}_F + \hbar\omega} d\epsilon \frac{D(\mathcal{E}_F)}{2} \frac{U_0}{2\epsilon - \mathcal{E}} \quad (\text{L128})$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 = \frac{1}{4} D(\mathcal{E}_F) U_0 \ln\left(\frac{2\mathcal{E}_F + 2\hbar\omega - \mathcal{E}}{2\mathcal{E}_F - \mathcal{E}}\right). \quad (\text{L129})$$

$$\mathcal{E} = 2\mathcal{E}_F - (2\mathcal{E}_{\max} - 2\mathcal{E}_F) \exp\left[-\frac{4}{D(\mathcal{E}_F)U_0}\right]. \quad (\text{L130})$$

$$\Psi_{\vec{k}} = \frac{U_0}{(2\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \mathcal{E})\mathcal{V}} \sum_{\vec{k}' > k_F}^{k_{\max}} \Psi_{\vec{k}'}. \quad (\text{L131})$$

$$|\Psi\rangle = \sum_{\vec{k}} \Psi_{\vec{k}} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\uparrow}^\dagger \hat{c}_{-\vec{k}\downarrow}^\dagger |G\rangle. \quad (\text{L132})$$

$$\mathcal{H} = \sum_{\vec{k}\sigma} \epsilon_{\vec{k}} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\sigma}^\dagger \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\sigma} + \frac{1}{2\mathcal{V}} \sum_{\substack{\vec{q}\vec{k}\vec{k}' \\ \sigma\sigma'}} \left[\frac{2|C_{\vec{q}}|^2 \hbar\omega_{\vec{q}}}{(\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \epsilon_{\vec{k}+\vec{q}})^2 - \hbar^2\omega_{\vec{q}}^2} + \frac{4\pi e^2}{q^2 + \kappa_c^2} \right] \hat{c}_{\vec{k}'-\vec{q}\sigma'}^\dagger \hat{c}_{\vec{k}+\vec{q}\sigma}^\dagger \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\sigma} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}'\sigma'}. \quad (\text{L133})$$

$$\langle \hat{K} \rangle = \sum_{\vec{k}_1 \vec{k}_0 \vec{q} \sigma} \Psi_{\vec{k}_1}^* \Psi_{\vec{k}_0} \langle G | \hat{c}_{-\vec{k}_1 \downarrow} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}_1 \uparrow} \epsilon_{\vec{q}} \hat{c}_{\vec{q} \sigma}^\dagger \hat{c}_{\vec{q} \sigma} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}_0 \uparrow}^\dagger \hat{c}_{-\vec{k}_0 \downarrow}^\dagger | G \rangle. \quad (\text{L134})$$

$$\vec{k}_0 = \vec{k}_1. \quad (\text{L135})$$

$$(2 \sum_{q < k_F} \epsilon_{\vec{q}}) \left(\sum_{k_0 > k_F} |\Psi_{\vec{k}_0}|^2 \right). \quad (\text{L136})$$

$$\sigma = \uparrow \quad \text{and} \quad \vec{q} = \vec{k}_0 \quad \text{or} \quad \sigma = \downarrow \quad \text{and} \quad \vec{q} = -\vec{k}_0. \quad (\text{L137})$$

$$\langle \hat{K} \rangle = (2 \sum_{q < k_F} \epsilon_{\vec{q}}) \left(\sum_{k_0 > k_F} |\Psi_{\vec{k}_0}|^2 \right) + \sum_{k_0 > k_F} 2 |\Psi_{\vec{k}_0}|^2 \epsilon_{\vec{k}_0}. \quad (\text{L138})$$

$$\hat{\mathcal{H}} = \sum_{\substack{\vec{q} \vec{k} \vec{k}' \\ \sigma \sigma'}} U_{\vec{k} \vec{k}'}^{\text{eff}} \hat{c}_{-\vec{k}' + \vec{q}, \sigma'}^\dagger \hat{c}_{\vec{k}', \sigma}^\dagger \hat{c}_{\vec{k}, \sigma} \hat{c}_{-\vec{k} + \vec{q}, \sigma'}, \quad (\text{L139})$$

$$U_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'}^{\text{eff}} = \frac{1}{2\mathcal{V}} \left[\frac{2|C_{\vec{k}-\vec{k}'}|^2 \hbar \omega_{\vec{k}-\vec{k}'}}{(\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \epsilon_{\vec{k}'})^2 - \hbar^2 \omega_{\vec{k}-\vec{k}'}^2} + \frac{4\pi e^2}{|\vec{k} - \vec{k}'|^2 + \kappa_c^2} \right]. \quad (\text{L140})$$

$$2 \sum_{kk' > k_F} U_{\vec{k},\vec{k}'}^{\text{eff}} \Psi_{\vec{k}'}^* \Psi_{\vec{k}}, \quad (\text{L141})$$

$$2 \sum_{k > k_F} \epsilon_{\vec{k}}^{\text{eff}} |\Psi_{\vec{k}}|^2 + 2 \sum_{kk' > k_F} \Psi_{\vec{k}'}^* \Psi_{\vec{k}} U_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'}^{\text{eff}}. \quad (\text{L142})$$

$$2\epsilon_{\vec{k}}^{\text{eff}} \Psi_{\vec{k}} + 2 \sum_{k' > k_F} U_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'}^{\text{eff}} \Psi_{\vec{k}'} = \mathcal{E} \Psi_{\vec{k}}. \quad (\text{L143})$$

$$\hat{\mathcal{H}}_{\text{BCS}} = \sum_{\vec{k}, \sigma} \epsilon_{\vec{k}} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\sigma}^\dagger \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\sigma} + \sum_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'} U_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\uparrow}^\dagger \hat{c}_{-\vec{k}\downarrow}^\dagger \hat{c}_{-\vec{k}'\downarrow} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}'\uparrow}. \quad (\text{L144})$$

$$|\Phi_N\rangle = \left[\sum_{\vec{k}} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\uparrow}^\dagger \hat{c}_{-\vec{k}\downarrow}^\dagger g_{\vec{k}} \right]^N |\emptyset\rangle, \quad (\text{L145})$$

$$|\Phi\rangle \equiv \sum_N \frac{1}{N!} |\Phi_N\rangle \quad (\text{L146})$$

$$= \sum_N \frac{1}{N!} \left[\sum_{\vec{k}} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\uparrow}^\dagger \hat{c}_{-\vec{k}\downarrow}^\dagger g_{\vec{k}} \right]^N |\emptyset\rangle. \quad (\text{L147})$$

$$|\Phi\rangle = \exp\left[\sum_{\vec{k}} g_{\vec{k}} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\uparrow}^\dagger \hat{c}_{-\vec{k}\downarrow}^\dagger \right] |\emptyset\rangle. \quad (\text{L148})$$

$$|\Phi\rangle = \prod_{\vec{k}} \left[1 + g_{\vec{k}} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\uparrow}^\dagger \hat{c}_{-\vec{k}\downarrow}^\dagger \right] |\emptyset\rangle \equiv \hat{\Phi} |\emptyset\rangle. \quad (\text{L149})$$

$$\langle \Phi | \Phi \rangle = \prod_{\vec{k}} (1 + |g_{\vec{k}}|^2) = \mathcal{N}^2. \quad (\text{L150})$$

$$b_{\vec{k}} = \frac{1}{\mathcal{N}^2} \langle \Phi | \hat{c}_{-\vec{k}\downarrow} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\uparrow} | \Phi \rangle = \frac{g_{\vec{k}}}{1 + |g_{\vec{k}}|^2}, \quad (\text{L151})$$

$$\frac{1}{\mathcal{N}^2} \langle \Phi | \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\uparrow}^\dagger \hat{c}_{-\vec{k}\downarrow}^\dagger \hat{c}_{-\vec{k}'\downarrow} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}'\uparrow} | \Phi \rangle = b_{\vec{k}}^* b_{\vec{k}'}. \quad (\text{L152})$$

$$\left[\sum_{\sigma} \hat{n}_{\vec{k}\sigma}, \hat{\Phi} \right] = \left[g_{\vec{k}} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\uparrow}^\dagger \hat{c}_{-\vec{k}\downarrow}^\dagger + g_{-\vec{k}} \hat{c}_{-\vec{k}\uparrow}^\dagger \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\downarrow}^\dagger \right] \hat{\Phi}. \quad (\text{L153})$$

$$\frac{1}{\mathcal{N}^2} \langle \Phi | \sum_{\sigma} \hat{n}_{\vec{k}\sigma} | \Phi \rangle = \frac{1}{\mathcal{N}^2} \langle \Phi | \left(g_{\vec{k}} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\uparrow}^\dagger \hat{c}_{-\vec{k}\downarrow}^\dagger + g_{-\vec{k}} \hat{c}_{-\vec{k}\uparrow}^\dagger \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\downarrow}^\dagger \right) | \Phi \rangle \quad (\text{L154})$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{\sigma} n_{\vec{k}\sigma} = g_{\vec{k}} b_{\vec{k}}^* + g_{-\vec{k}} b_{-\vec{k}}^*. \quad (\text{L155})$$

$$\langle \Phi | \hat{\mathcal{H}}_{\text{BCS}} - \mu N | \Phi \rangle = \sum_{\vec{k}} 2(\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \mu) g_{\vec{k}} b_{\vec{k}}^* + \sum_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'} U_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'} b_{\vec{k}}^* b_{\vec{k}'}. \quad (\text{L156})$$

$$\frac{\partial b_{\vec{k}}^*}{\partial g_{\vec{k}}^*} = \frac{1}{(1 + |g_{\vec{k}}|^2)^2}; \quad \frac{\partial b_{\vec{k}}}{\partial g_{\vec{k}}^*} = -\frac{g_{\vec{k}}^2}{(1 + |g_{\vec{k}}|^2)^2}, \quad (\text{L157})$$

$$\frac{2(\epsilon_{\vec{q}} - \mu) g_{\vec{q}}}{(1 + |g_{\vec{q}}|^2)^2} + \sum_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'} \frac{U_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'}}{(1 + |g_{\vec{q}}|^2)^2} \left[b_{\vec{k}'} \delta_{\vec{k}\vec{q}} - b_{\vec{k}}^* g_{\vec{q}}^2 \delta_{\vec{q}\vec{k}'} \right] = 0. \quad (\text{L158})$$

$$\Delta_{\vec{k}} = -\sum_{\vec{k}'} U_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'} b_{\vec{k}'}, \quad (\text{L159})$$

$$0 = 2(\epsilon_{\vec{q}} - \mu) g_{\vec{q}} - \Delta_{\vec{q}} + g_{\vec{q}}^2 \Delta_{\vec{q}}^* \quad (\text{L160})$$

$$\Rightarrow g_{\vec{k}} = \frac{\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}} - (\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \mu)}{\Delta_{\vec{k}}^*}, \quad (\text{L161})$$

with

$$\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}} = \sqrt{(\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \mu)^2 + |\Delta_{\vec{k}}|^2}. \quad (\text{L162})$$

$$b_{\vec{k}} = \frac{g_{\vec{k}}}{1 + |g_{\vec{k}}|^2} = \frac{\Delta_{\vec{k}}}{2\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}}}. \quad (\text{L163})$$

$$N = 2 \sum_{\vec{k}} \theta(\mathcal{E}_F - \epsilon_{\vec{k}}) = \int_0^{\mathcal{E}_F} d\epsilon D(\epsilon), \quad (\text{L164})$$

$$N = \sum_{\vec{k}\sigma} g_{\vec{k}}^* b_{\vec{k}} = \sum_{\vec{k}\sigma} \frac{1}{2} \left[1 - \frac{\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \mu}{\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}}} \right] \quad (\text{L165})$$

$$= \sum_{\vec{k}\sigma} \frac{1}{2} \left[1 - \frac{\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \mu}{\sqrt{(\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \mu)^2 + |\Delta|^2}} \right] \quad (\text{L166})$$

$$= \int d\epsilon \frac{D(\epsilon)}{2} \left[1 - \frac{\epsilon - \mu}{\sqrt{(\epsilon - \mu)^2 + |\Delta|^2}} \right] \quad (\text{L167})$$

$$= \int d\epsilon \left[\int^{\epsilon} d\epsilon' D(\epsilon') \right] \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial}{\partial \epsilon} \frac{\epsilon - \mu}{\sqrt{(\epsilon - \mu)^2 + |\Delta|^2}} \quad (\text{L168})$$

$$= \int d\epsilon \left[\int^{\mu} d\epsilon' D(\epsilon') \right] \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial}{\partial \epsilon} \frac{\epsilon - \mu}{\sqrt{(\epsilon - \mu)^2 + |\Delta|^2}} + \mathcal{O}(\Delta/\mathcal{E}_F)^2 \quad (\text{L169})$$

$$= \left[\int^{\mu} d\epsilon' D(\epsilon') \right] = N + D(\mathcal{E}_F)(\mu - \mathcal{E}_F) \quad (\text{L170})$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu = \mathcal{E}_F. \quad (\text{L171})$$

$$\Delta_{\vec{k}} = - \sum_{\vec{k}'} U_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'} \frac{\Delta_{\vec{k}'}}{2\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}'}}. \quad (\text{L172})$$

$$\Delta_{\vec{k}} = \theta(\hbar\omega - |\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \mathcal{E}_F|) \frac{U_0}{\mathcal{V}} \sum_{\vec{k}'} \frac{\Delta_{\vec{k}'}}{2\sqrt{(\epsilon_{\vec{k}'} - \mu)^2 + |\Delta_{\vec{k}'}|^2}}. \quad (\text{L173})$$

$$\Delta_{\vec{k}} = \Delta \theta(\hbar\omega - |\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \mathcal{E}_F|). \quad (\text{L174})$$

$$1 = \sum_{\vec{k}} \frac{1}{\mathcal{V}} \theta(\hbar\omega - |\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \mathcal{E}_F|) \frac{U_0}{2\sqrt{(\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \mu)^2 + |\Delta|^2}}. \quad (\text{L175})$$

$$= \int_{\mathcal{E}_F - \hbar\omega}^{\mathcal{E}_F + \hbar\omega} d\epsilon \frac{D(\epsilon)}{2} \frac{U_0}{2\sqrt{(\epsilon - \mathcal{E}_F)^2 + |\Delta|^2}} \quad (\text{L176})$$

$$= U_0 \int_0^{\hbar\omega/\Delta} d\zeta \frac{D(\mathcal{E}_F)}{2\sqrt{\zeta^2 + 1}} \quad (\text{L177})$$

$$= \frac{U_0 D(\mathcal{E}_F)}{2} \sinh^{-1} \frac{\hbar\omega}{\Delta} \quad (\text{L178})$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta = 2\hbar\omega \exp \left[-\frac{2}{D(\mathcal{E}_F)U_0} \right]. \quad (\text{L179})$$

$$Z_{\text{gr}} = \text{Tr} e^{-\beta[\hat{\mathcal{H}}_{\text{BCS}} - \mu\hat{N}]}, \quad (\text{L180})$$

$$\hat{c}_{-\vec{k}\downarrow}\hat{c}_{\vec{k}\uparrow} = b_{\vec{k}} + \left(\hat{c}_{-\vec{k}\downarrow}\hat{c}_{\vec{k}\uparrow} - b_{\vec{k}} \right), \quad (\text{L181})$$

$$Z_{\text{gr}} = \text{Tr} e^{-\beta[\hat{\mathcal{H}}_{\text{eff}} - \mu N]}, \quad (\text{L182})$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} & \hat{\mathcal{H}}_{\text{eff}} - \mu N \\ &= \sum_{\vec{k}\sigma} \hat{n}_{\vec{k}\sigma} (\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \mu) + \sum_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'} b_{\vec{k}'} U_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\uparrow}^\dagger \hat{c}_{-\vec{k}\downarrow}^\dagger + b_{\vec{k}}^* U_{\vec{k}'\vec{k}} \hat{c}_{-\vec{k}'\downarrow} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}'\uparrow} - b_{\vec{k}}^* b_{\vec{k}'} U_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'} \end{aligned} \quad (\text{L183})$$

$$\equiv \sum_{\vec{k}\sigma} \hat{n}_{\vec{k}\sigma} (\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \mu) - \sum_{\vec{k}} [\Delta_{\vec{k}} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\uparrow}^\dagger \hat{c}_{-\vec{k}\downarrow}^\dagger + \Delta_{\vec{k}}^* \hat{c}_{-\vec{k}\downarrow} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\uparrow}] - \sum_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'} b_{\vec{k}}^* b_{\vec{k}'} U_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'}. \quad (\text{L184})$$

$$\hat{c}_{\vec{k}\uparrow} = u_{\vec{k}} \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\uparrow} + v_{\vec{k}}^* \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\downarrow}^\dagger \quad (\text{L185a})$$

$$\hat{c}_{-\vec{k}\downarrow}^\dagger = -v_{\vec{k}} \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\uparrow} + u_{\vec{k}}^* \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\downarrow}^\dagger. \quad (\text{L185b})$$

$$|u_{\vec{k}}|^2 + |v_{\vec{k}}|^2 = 1. \quad (\text{L186})$$

$$\hat{\mathcal{H}}_{\text{eff}} - \mu N = \sum_{\vec{k}} \left[\begin{array}{l} (\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \mu) \left\{ \begin{array}{l} [u_{\vec{k}}^* \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\uparrow}^\dagger + v_{\vec{k}} \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\downarrow}] [u_{\vec{k}} \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\uparrow} + v_{\vec{k}}^* \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\downarrow}^\dagger] \\ + [-v_{\vec{k}} \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\uparrow} + u_{\vec{k}}^* \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\downarrow}^\dagger] [-v_{\vec{k}}^* \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\uparrow}^\dagger + u_{\vec{k}} \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\downarrow}] \end{array} \right\} \\ - \Delta_{\vec{k}} [u_{\vec{k}}^* \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\uparrow}^\dagger + v_{\vec{k}} \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\downarrow}] [-v_{\vec{k}} \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\uparrow} + u_{\vec{k}}^* \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\downarrow}^\dagger] \\ - \Delta_{\vec{k}}^* [-v_{\vec{k}}^* \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\uparrow}^\dagger + u_{\vec{k}} \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\downarrow}] [u_{\vec{k}} \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\uparrow} + v_{\vec{k}}^* \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\downarrow}^\dagger] \\ - \sum_{\vec{k}'} b_{\vec{k}}^* b_{\vec{k}'} U_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'} \end{array} \right] \quad (\text{L187})$$

$$2u_{\vec{k}}v_{\vec{k}}(\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \mu) + \Delta_{\vec{k}}v_{\vec{k}}^2 - \Delta_{\vec{k}}^*u_{\vec{k}}^2 = 0. \quad (\text{L188})$$

$$0 = 2\sqrt{1 - |v_{\vec{k}}|^2}v_{\vec{k}}(\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \mu) + \Delta_{\vec{k}}v_{\vec{k}}^2 - \Delta_{\vec{k}}^*(1 - |v_{\vec{k}}|^2). \quad (\text{L189})$$

$$v_{\vec{k}} = \frac{g_{\vec{k}}^*}{\sqrt{1 + |g_{\vec{k}}^*|^2}}, \quad (\text{L190})$$

$$0 = 2(\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \mu)g_{\vec{k}} - \Delta_{\vec{k}} + g_{\vec{k}}^2 \Delta_{\vec{k}}^*. \quad (\text{L191})$$

$$g_{\vec{k}} = \frac{\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}} - (\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \mu)}{\Delta_{\vec{k}}^*}. \quad (\text{L192})$$

$$|v_{\vec{k}}|^2 = \frac{\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}} - (\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \mu)}{2\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}}}, \quad |u_{\vec{k}}|^2 = \frac{\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}} + \epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \mu}{2\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}}}, \quad v_{\vec{k}}u_{\vec{k}}^* = \frac{\Delta_{\vec{k}}^*}{2\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}}}. \quad (\text{L193})$$

$$\hat{\mathcal{H}}_{\text{eff}} - \mu N = \sum_{\vec{k}} \mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}} \left[\hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\uparrow}^\dagger \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\uparrow} + \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\downarrow}^\dagger \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\downarrow} \right] + \sum_{\vec{k}} \left[\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \mu - \mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}} - \sum_{\vec{k}'} b_{\vec{k}}^* b_{\vec{k}'} U_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'} \right]. \quad (\text{L194})$$

$$b_{-\vec{k}}^* = b_{\vec{k}}^* = \left\langle \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\uparrow}^\dagger \hat{c}_{-\vec{k}\downarrow}^\dagger \right\rangle = \left\langle v_{\vec{k}} u_{\vec{k}}^* \left(\hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\downarrow} \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\downarrow}^\dagger - \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\uparrow}^\dagger \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\uparrow} \right) \right\rangle + \text{terms with } \gamma\gamma \text{ or } \gamma^\dagger \gamma^\dagger. \quad (\text{L195})$$

$$b_{\vec{k}}^* = v_{\vec{k}} u_{\vec{k}}^* (1 - 2f_{\vec{k}}), \quad (\text{L196})$$

$$f_{\vec{k}} = \frac{1}{e^{\beta \varepsilon_{\vec{k}}} + 1} \quad (\text{L197})$$

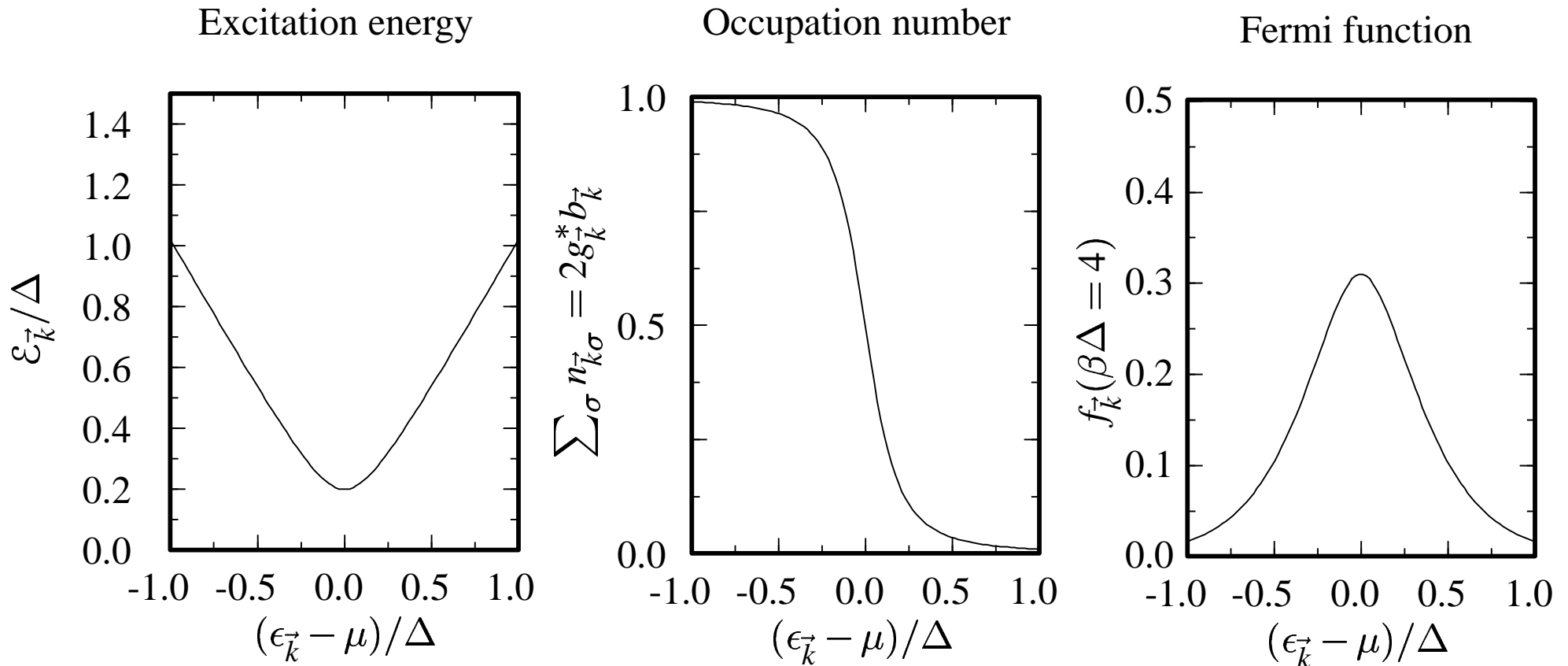


Figure 10: Sketches of the excitation energy, occupation number, and Fermi function for the BCS theory of superconductivity.

$$b_{\vec{k}} = \frac{\Delta_{\vec{k}}}{2\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}}} (1 - 2f_{\vec{k}}) \quad (\text{L198})$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{\vec{k}'} b_{\vec{k}'} U_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'} = -\Delta_{\vec{k}} = \sum_{\vec{k}'} \frac{\Delta_{\vec{k}'}}{2\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}'}} (1 - 2f_{\vec{k}'}) U_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'}, \quad (\text{L199})$$

$$\Delta = \sum_{\vec{k}} \theta(\hbar\omega - |\mathcal{E}_F - \epsilon_{\vec{k}}|) \frac{\Delta}{2|\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \mu|} \frac{U_0}{\mathcal{V}} (1 - 2f_{\vec{k}}) \quad (\text{L200})$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 = \int_0^{\beta\hbar\omega} U_0 \frac{D(\mathcal{E}_F)}{2} \frac{dx}{x} \left[1 - \frac{2}{e^x + 1} \right] \quad (\text{L201})$$

$$\approx \frac{U_0 D(\mathcal{E}_F)}{2} \left\{ \ln \beta\hbar\omega \left[1 - \frac{2}{e^{\beta\hbar\omega} + 1} \right] + 2 \int_0^{\infty} dx \ln x \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \frac{1}{e^x + 1} \right\} \quad (\text{L202})$$

$$\approx \frac{U_0 D(\mathcal{E}_F)}{2} \left\{ \ln(\beta\hbar\omega) + \ln\left(\frac{2\gamma_E}{\pi}\right) \right\}, \quad (\text{L203})$$

$$k_B T_c = \hbar\omega \frac{2\gamma_E}{\pi} \exp\left[-\frac{2}{U_0 D(\mathcal{E}_F)}\right], \quad (\text{L204})$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2\Delta(T=0)}{k_B T_c} = \frac{2\pi}{\gamma_E} = 3.53. \quad (\text{L205})$$

Element	$2\Delta/k_B T$	$(C_s - C_n)/C_n$	Element	$2\Delta/k_B T$	$(C_s - C_n)/C_n$
BCS	3.53	1.43			
Al	2.5–4.2	1.3–1.6	Pb	4.0–4.4	2.7
Cd	3.2–3.4	1.3–1.4	Sn	2.8–4.0	1.6
Ga	3.5	1.4	Ta	3.5–3.7	1.6
Hg	4.0–4.6	2.4	Tl	3.6–3.9	1.5
In	3.4–3.7	1.7	V	3.4–3.5	1.5
La	1.7–3.2	1.5	Zn	3.2–3.4	1.2–1.3
Nb	3.6–3.8	1.9–2.0			

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$$\hat{\mathcal{H}} = \sum_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'\sigma} \epsilon_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\sigma}^\dagger \hat{c}_{\vec{k}'\sigma} - \sum_{\vec{k}\vec{q}\vec{k}'} \frac{U_0}{\mathcal{V}} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\uparrow}^\dagger \hat{c}_{\vec{q}-\vec{k}\downarrow}^\dagger \hat{c}_{\vec{q}-\vec{k}'\downarrow} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}'\uparrow}. \quad (\text{L206})$$

$$\Delta_{\vec{q}} = \sum_{\vec{k}'} \frac{U_0}{\mathcal{V}} \left\langle \hat{c}_{\vec{q}-\vec{k}'\downarrow} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}'\uparrow} \right\rangle. \quad (\text{L207})$$

$$\hat{\mathcal{H}} - \mu N = \sum_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'\sigma} [\epsilon_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'} - \mu \delta_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'}] \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\sigma}^\dagger \hat{c}_{\vec{k}'\sigma} - \sum_{\vec{k}\vec{q}} [\Delta_{\vec{q}}^* \hat{c}_{\vec{q}-\vec{k}\downarrow} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\uparrow} + \Delta_{\vec{q}} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\uparrow}^\dagger \hat{c}_{\vec{q}-\vec{k}\downarrow}^\dagger]. \quad (\text{L208})$$

$$\hat{c}_{\vec{r}\sigma} = \sum_{\vec{k}} \frac{e^{-i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{r}}}{\sqrt{N_k}} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}\sigma}, \quad \Delta_{\vec{k}} = \frac{1}{N_k} \sum_{\vec{r}} e^{i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{r}} \Delta_{\vec{r}}, \quad \epsilon_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'} = \frac{1}{N_k} \sum_{\vec{r}\vec{r}'} e^{i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{r} - i\vec{k}'\cdot\vec{r}'} \epsilon_{\vec{r}\vec{r}'}. \quad (\text{L209})$$

$$\hat{\mathcal{H}} = \sum_{\vec{r}\vec{r}'\sigma} [\epsilon_{\vec{r}\vec{r}'} - \mu \delta_{\vec{r}\vec{r}'}] \hat{c}_{\vec{r}\sigma}^\dagger \hat{c}_{\vec{r}'\sigma} - \sum_{\vec{r}} [\Delta_{\vec{r}}^* \hat{c}_{\vec{r}\downarrow} \hat{c}_{\vec{r}\uparrow} + \Delta_{\vec{r}} \hat{c}_{\vec{r}\uparrow}^\dagger \hat{c}_{\vec{r}\downarrow}^\dagger]. \quad (\text{L210})$$

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$$\hat{\mathcal{H}} = \sum_l \mathcal{E}_l \left[\hat{\gamma}_{l\uparrow}^\dagger \hat{\gamma}_{l\uparrow} + \hat{\gamma}_{l\downarrow}^\dagger \hat{\gamma}_{l\downarrow} \right]. \quad (\text{L211})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{c}_{\vec{r}\uparrow} &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_k}} \sum_l u_l(\vec{r}) \hat{\gamma}_{l\uparrow} + v_l^*(\vec{r}) \hat{\gamma}_{l\downarrow}^\dagger \\ \hat{c}_{\vec{r}\downarrow} &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_k}} \sum_l u_l(\vec{r}) \hat{\gamma}_{l\downarrow} - v_l^*(\vec{r}) \hat{\gamma}_{l\uparrow}^\dagger. \end{aligned} \quad (\text{L212})$$

$$\begin{aligned} [\mathcal{H}_B, \hat{\gamma}_{l\sigma}] &= -\mathcal{E}_l \hat{\gamma}_{l\sigma} \\ [\mathcal{H}_B, \hat{\gamma}_{l\sigma}^\dagger] &= \mathcal{E}_l \hat{\gamma}_{l\sigma}^\dagger. \end{aligned} \quad (\text{L213})$$

$$[\mathcal{H}_B, \hat{c}_{\vec{r}\uparrow}^\dagger] = \sum_{\vec{r}'} [\epsilon_{\vec{r}\vec{r}'}^* - \mu \delta_{\vec{r}\vec{r}'}] \hat{c}_{\vec{r}'\uparrow}^\dagger - \Delta_{\vec{r}}^* \hat{c}_{\vec{r}\downarrow} \quad (\text{L214a})$$

$$[\mathcal{H}_B, \hat{c}_{\vec{r}\downarrow}^\dagger] = \sum_{\vec{r}'} [\epsilon_{\vec{r}\vec{r}'}^* - \mu \delta_{\vec{r}\vec{r}'}] \hat{c}_{\vec{r}'\downarrow}^\dagger + \Delta_{\vec{r}}^* \hat{c}_{\vec{r}\uparrow} \quad (\text{L214b})$$

$$[\mathcal{H}_B, \hat{c}_{\vec{r}\uparrow}] = -\sum_{\vec{r}'} [\epsilon_{\vec{r}\vec{r}'} - \mu \delta_{\vec{r}\vec{r}'}] \hat{c}_{\vec{r}'\uparrow} + \Delta_{\vec{r}} \hat{c}_{\vec{r}\downarrow}^\dagger \quad (\text{L214c})$$

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$$[\mathcal{H}_B, \hat{c}_{\vec{r}\downarrow}] = - \sum_{\vec{r}'} [\epsilon_{\vec{r}\vec{r}'} - \mu\delta_{\vec{r}\vec{r}'}] \hat{c}_{\vec{r}'\downarrow} - \Delta_{\vec{r}} \hat{c}_{\vec{r}\uparrow}^\dagger. \quad (\text{L214d})$$

$$\begin{aligned} u_l(\vec{r}) \mathcal{E}_l &= \sum_{\vec{r}'} [\epsilon_{\vec{r}\vec{r}'} - \mu\delta_{\vec{r}\vec{r}'}] u_l(\vec{r}') + v_l(\vec{r}) \Delta_{\vec{r}} \\ v_l(\vec{r}) \mathcal{E}_l &= - \sum_{\vec{r}'} [\epsilon_{\vec{r}\vec{r}'}^* - \mu\delta_{\vec{r}\vec{r}'}] v_l(\vec{r}') + u_l(\vec{r}) \Delta_{\vec{r}}^*. \end{aligned} \quad (\text{L215})$$

$$\Delta_{\vec{r}} = \frac{U_0}{\mathcal{V}} N_k \langle \hat{c}_{\vec{r}\downarrow} \hat{c}_{\vec{r}\uparrow} \rangle = \sum_l \frac{U_0}{\mathcal{V}} u_l(\vec{r}) v_l^*(\vec{r}). \quad (\text{L216})$$

$$u_{\vec{k}}^{(0)}(\vec{r}) = u_{\vec{k}} e^{-i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{r}}, \quad v_{\vec{k}}^{(0)}(\vec{r}) = v_{\vec{k}} e^{-i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{r}}. \quad (\text{L217})$$

$$u_{\vec{k}}(\vec{r}) \mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}} = \left\{ \frac{1}{2m} \left(-i\hbar\vec{\nabla} + \frac{e\vec{A}}{c} \right)^2 - \mu \right\} u_{\vec{k}}(\vec{r}) + v_{\vec{k}}(\vec{r}) \Delta_{\vec{r}} \quad (\text{L218a})$$

$$v_{\vec{k}}(\vec{r}) \mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}} = - \left\{ \frac{1}{2m} \left(i\hbar\vec{\nabla} + \frac{e\vec{A}}{c} \right)^2 - \mu \right\} v_{\vec{k}}(\vec{r}) + u_{\vec{k}}(\vec{r}) \Delta_{\vec{r}}^*. \quad (\text{L218b})$$

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$$u_{\vec{k}}(\vec{r}) = u_{\vec{k}}^{(0)}(\vec{r}) + u_{\vec{k}}^{(1)}(\vec{r}) = u_{\vec{k}} e^{-i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{r}} + \sum_{\vec{k}'} e^{-i\vec{k}'\cdot\vec{r}} u_{\vec{k}}^{(1)}(\vec{k}') \quad (\text{L219a})$$

$$v_{\vec{k}}(\vec{r}) = v_{\vec{k}}^{(0)}(\vec{r}) + v_{\vec{k}}^{(1)}(\vec{r}) = v_{\vec{k}} e^{-i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{r}} + \sum_{\vec{k}'} e^{-i\vec{k}'\cdot\vec{r}} v_{\vec{k}}^{(1)}(\vec{k}'). \quad (\text{L219b})$$

$$\left(\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}} - \frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \nabla^2 - \mu \right) v_{\vec{k}}^{(1)}(\vec{r}) - \Delta^* u_{\vec{k}}^{(1)}(\vec{r}) = -\frac{ie\hbar}{2mc} \left(\vec{A} \cdot \vec{\nabla} + \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{A} \right) v_{\vec{k}}^{(0)}(\vec{r}) \quad (\text{L220a})$$

$$\left(\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}} + \frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \nabla^2 + \mu \right) u_{\vec{k}}^{(1)}(\vec{r}) - \Delta v_{\vec{k}}^{(1)}(\vec{r}) = -\frac{ie\hbar}{2mc} \left(\vec{A} \cdot \vec{\nabla} + \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{A} \right) u_{\vec{k}}^{(0)}(\vec{r}). \quad (\text{L220b})$$

$$\left(\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}} + \zeta_{\vec{k}'} \right) v_{\vec{k}}^{(1)}(\vec{k}') - \Delta^* u_{\vec{k}}^{(1)}(\vec{k}') = F_{\vec{k}'\vec{k}} v_{\vec{k}}^{(0)} \quad (\text{L221a})$$

$$\left(\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}} - \zeta_{\vec{k}'} \right) u_{\vec{k}}^{(1)}(\vec{k}') - \Delta v_{\vec{k}}^{(1)}(\vec{k}') = F_{\vec{k}'\vec{k}} u_{\vec{k}}^{(0)}, \quad (\text{L221b})$$

$$\zeta_{\vec{k}} = \frac{\hbar^2 k^2}{2m} - \mu, \text{ so that } \mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}} = \sqrt{\zeta_{\vec{k}}^2 + |\Delta|^2}, \quad (\text{L222})$$

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$$F_{\vec{k}'\vec{k}} = -\frac{e\hbar}{2mc} \int \frac{d\vec{r}'}{\mathcal{V}} e^{i(\vec{k}' - \vec{k}) \cdot \vec{r}'} (\vec{k} + \vec{k}') \cdot \vec{A}(\vec{r}') = F_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'}^*. \quad (\text{L223})$$

$$v_{\vec{k}}^{(1)}(\vec{k}') = \frac{F_{\vec{k}'\vec{k}}}{\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}}^2 - \mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}'}^2} [(\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}} - \zeta_{\vec{k}'})v_{\vec{k}} + \Delta^* u_{\vec{k}}] \quad (\text{L224a})$$

$$u_{\vec{k}}^{(1)}(\vec{k}') = \frac{F_{\vec{k}'\vec{k}}}{\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}}^2 - \mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}'}^2} [(\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}} + \zeta_{\vec{k}'})u_{\vec{k}} + \Delta v_{\vec{k}}]. \quad (\text{L224b})$$

$$\vec{j} = -2e \frac{N_k}{\mathcal{V}} \text{Re} \left\langle \hat{c}_{\vec{r}\uparrow}^\dagger \left(\frac{\hat{P}}{m} + \frac{e\vec{A}}{mc} \right) \hat{c}_{\vec{r}\uparrow} \right\rangle \quad (\text{L225})$$

$$= \frac{-e}{\mathcal{V}} \sum_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'} \left\langle \left(u_{\vec{k}'}^*(\vec{r}) \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}'\uparrow}^\dagger + v_{\vec{k}'}(\vec{r}) \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\downarrow} \right) \left(\frac{\hat{P}}{m} + \frac{e\vec{A}}{mc} \right) \left(u_{\vec{k}}(\vec{r}) \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\uparrow} + v_{\vec{k}}^*(\vec{r}) \hat{\gamma}_{\vec{k}\downarrow}^\dagger \right) \right\rangle$$

+c.c. (L226)

$$= \frac{-e}{\mathcal{V}} \sum_{\vec{k}} v_{\vec{k}}(\vec{r}) \left[\frac{\hbar \vec{\nabla}}{im} + \frac{e\vec{A}}{mc} \right] v_{\vec{k}}^*(\vec{r}) + \text{c.c.} \quad (\text{L227})$$

$$\sum_{\vec{k}} v_{\vec{k}} v_{\vec{k}}^* = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\vec{k}} \frac{\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}} - \zeta_{\vec{k}}}{\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}}} = N/2, \quad (\text{L228})$$

$$\vec{j} = \vec{j}^1 - \frac{ne^2 \vec{A}}{mc}, \quad (\text{L229})$$

$$\vec{j}^1 = -e \frac{1}{\mathcal{V}} \sum_{\vec{k}} v_{\vec{k}} \frac{\hbar \vec{\nabla}}{im} v_{\vec{k}}^*(\vec{r}) + \text{c.c.} \quad (\text{L230})$$

$$\vec{j}^1 = -\frac{e\hbar}{m\mathcal{V}} \sum_{\vec{k}, \vec{k}'} v_{\vec{k}} v_{\vec{k}}^{(1)*}(\vec{k}') (\vec{k} + \vec{k}') e^{i(\vec{k}' - \vec{k}) \cdot \vec{r}} + v_{\vec{k}}^* v_{\vec{k}}^{(1)}(\vec{k}') (\vec{k} + \vec{k}') e^{-i(\vec{k}' - \vec{k}) \cdot \vec{r}}. \quad (\text{L231})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{j}^1 = & \frac{-e\hbar}{m\mathcal{V}} \sum_{\vec{k}, \vec{k}'} (\vec{k} + \vec{k}') e^{i(\vec{k} - \vec{k}') \cdot \vec{r}} \frac{F_{\vec{k}'\vec{k}}}{\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}}^2 - \mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}'}^2} \left[(\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}} - \zeta_{\vec{k}'}') \left(\frac{\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}} - \zeta_{\vec{k}}}{2\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}}} \right) + \frac{\Delta^* \Delta}{2\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}}} \right] \\ & + (\vec{k} + \vec{k}') e^{-i(\vec{k} - \vec{k}') \cdot \vec{r}} \frac{F_{\vec{k}'\vec{k}}^*}{\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}}^2 - \mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}'}^2} \left[(\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}} - \zeta_{\vec{k}'}') \left(\frac{\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}} - \zeta_{\vec{k}}}{2\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}}} \right) + \frac{\Delta \Delta^*}{2\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}}} \right] \end{aligned} \quad (\text{L232})$$

$$= \frac{-e\hbar}{m\mathcal{V}} \sum_{\vec{k}, \vec{k}'} (\vec{k} + \vec{k}') e^{i(\vec{k} - \vec{k}') \cdot \vec{r}} F_{\vec{k}'\vec{k}} L(\zeta_{\vec{k}}, \zeta_{\vec{k}'}'), \quad (\text{L233})$$

$$L(\zeta_{\vec{k}}, \zeta_{\vec{k}'}') = \frac{\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}} \mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}'}' - \zeta_{\vec{k}} \zeta_{\vec{k}'}' - \Delta^* \Delta}{2(\mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}} + \mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}'}') \mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}} \mathcal{E}_{\vec{k}'}'}. \quad (\text{L234})$$

$$\sigma_{\alpha\beta}(\zeta, \zeta', \vec{R}) = \frac{2\pi\hbar}{2\mathcal{V}^2} \left(\frac{e\hbar}{m} \right)^2 \sum_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'} \delta(\zeta_{\vec{k}} - \zeta) \delta(\zeta_{\vec{k}'} - \zeta') (k_{\alpha} + k'_{\alpha}) (k_{\beta} + k'_{\beta}) e^{i(\vec{k}-\vec{k}')\cdot\vec{R}}. \quad (\text{L235})$$

$$\vec{j}_{\alpha}^{\dagger}(\vec{r}) = \frac{1}{2\pi\hbar c} \sum_{\beta} \int d\vec{r}' d\zeta d\zeta' L(\zeta, \zeta') \sigma_{\alpha\beta}(\zeta, \zeta', \vec{r} - \vec{r}') A_{\beta}(\vec{r}'). \quad (\text{L236})$$

$$Q(\zeta, \vec{r}) = \frac{1}{\mathcal{V}} \sum_{\vec{k}} \delta(\zeta_{\vec{k}} - \zeta) e^{-i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{r}} \approx \frac{D(\mathcal{E}_F) \sin \sqrt{2m\zeta/\hbar^2} r}{2k_F r}, \quad (\text{L237})$$

$$\sigma_{\alpha\beta}(\zeta, \zeta', \vec{R}) = -\frac{2\pi\hbar}{2} \left(\frac{e\hbar}{m} \right)^2 \frac{\partial}{\partial a_{\alpha}} \frac{\partial}{\partial a_{\beta}} Q(\zeta, \vec{R} - \vec{a}) Q(\zeta', -(\vec{R} + \vec{a})) \Big|_{\vec{a}=0} \quad (\text{L238})$$

$$\approx e^2 \frac{v_F}{2\pi} D(\mathcal{E}_F) \frac{R_{\alpha} R_{\beta}}{R^4} \cos \left[\frac{(\zeta - \zeta') R}{\hbar v_F} \right]. \quad (\text{L239})$$

$$j_{\alpha}^1(\vec{r}) = \sum_{\beta} \int d\vec{r}' S_{\alpha\beta}^1(\vec{r} - \vec{r}') A_{\beta}(\vec{r}'), \quad (\text{L240})$$

$$S_{\alpha\beta}^1(\vec{R}) = \frac{3ne^2}{4\pi^2 m c \hbar v_F} \frac{R_{\alpha} R_{\beta}}{R^4} \int d\zeta d\zeta' L(\zeta, \zeta') \cos \left[\frac{(\zeta - \zeta')R}{\hbar v_F} \right]. \quad (\text{L241})$$

$$\xi = \frac{\hbar v_F}{\pi \Delta}. \quad (\text{L242})$$

$$j_{\alpha}(\vec{r}) = \sum_{\beta} \int d\vec{r}' S_{\alpha\beta}(\vec{r} - \vec{r}') A_{\beta}(\vec{r}') \quad (\text{L243a})$$

with

$$S_{\alpha\beta}(\vec{R}) = \frac{-3ne^2}{4\pi m c \xi} \frac{R_{\alpha} R_{\beta}}{R^4} I(R) \quad (\text{L243b})$$

and

$$I(R) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{dy'}{\cosh y'} \exp \left[-\frac{2R}{\pi\xi} \cosh y' \right]. \quad (\text{L243c})$$

$$\vec{j}(\vec{r}) = \frac{-ne^2}{mc} \vec{A}(\vec{r}). \quad (\text{L244})$$

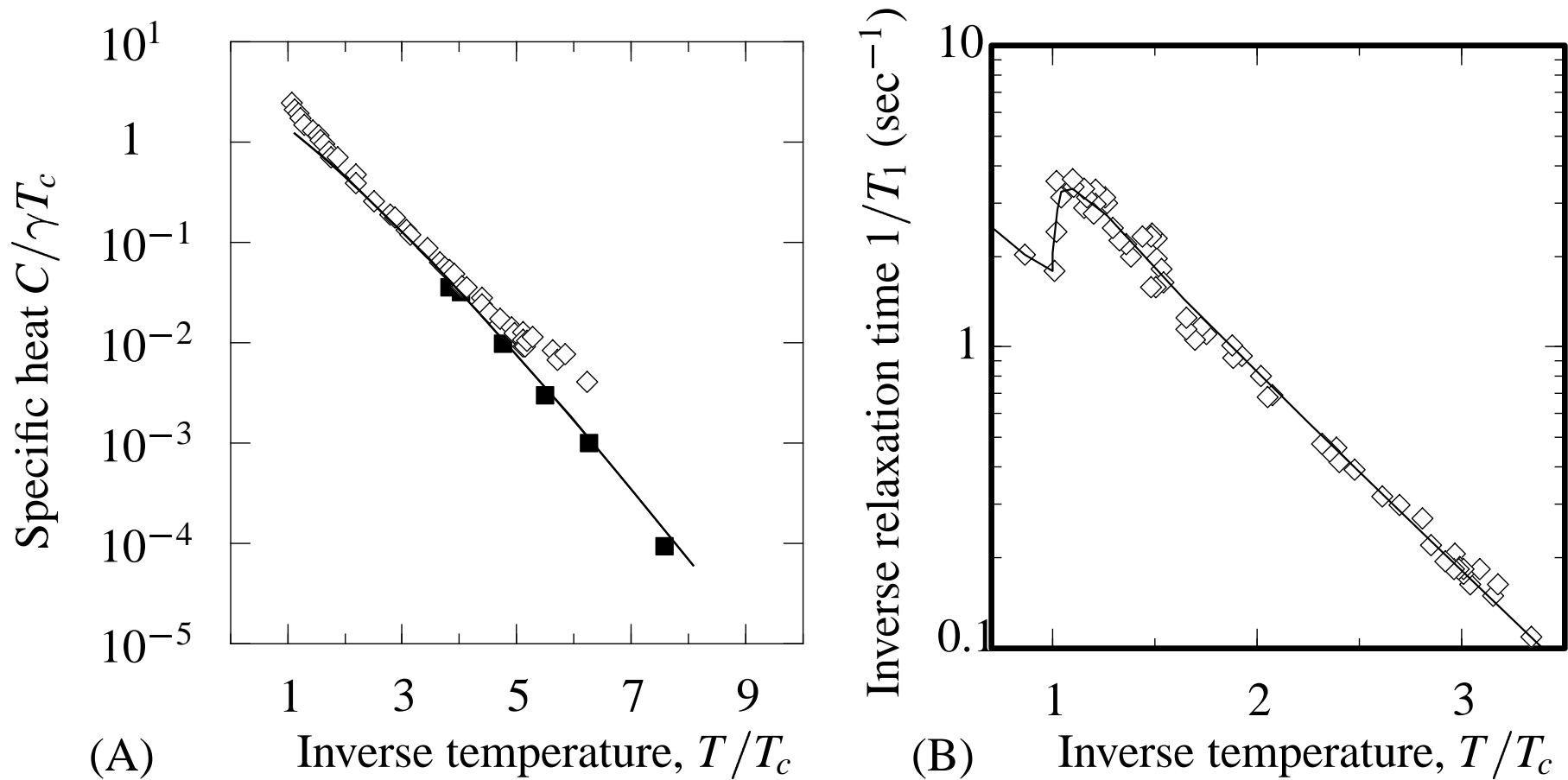


Figure 11: (A) Specific heat of aluminum and vanadium, relative to γT_c , where γ is the Sommerfeld parameter. [Boorse (1959)] (B) Inverse nuclear spin relaxation in aluminum compared with prediction of Bardeen, Cooper, and Schrieffer. [Masuda and Redfield (1962),]

$$\lambda_{\text{ep}} = -D(\mathcal{E}_F) \left\langle \frac{2|C_{\vec{k}-\vec{k}'}|^2 \hbar \omega_{\vec{k}-\vec{k}'}}{(\epsilon_{\vec{k}} - \epsilon_{\vec{k}'})^2 - \hbar^2 \omega_{\vec{k}-\vec{k}'}^2} \right\rangle, \quad \mu^* = D(\mathcal{E}_F) \left\langle \frac{4\pi e^2}{|\vec{k} - \vec{k}'|^2 + \kappa_c^2} \right\rangle. \quad (\text{L245})$$

$$T_c = \frac{\Theta_D}{1.45} \exp \left\{ - \left[\frac{(1 + \lambda_{\text{ep}})}{\lambda_{\text{ep}} - \mu^*(1 + 0.62\lambda_{\text{ep}})} \right] \right\}, \quad (\text{L246})$$

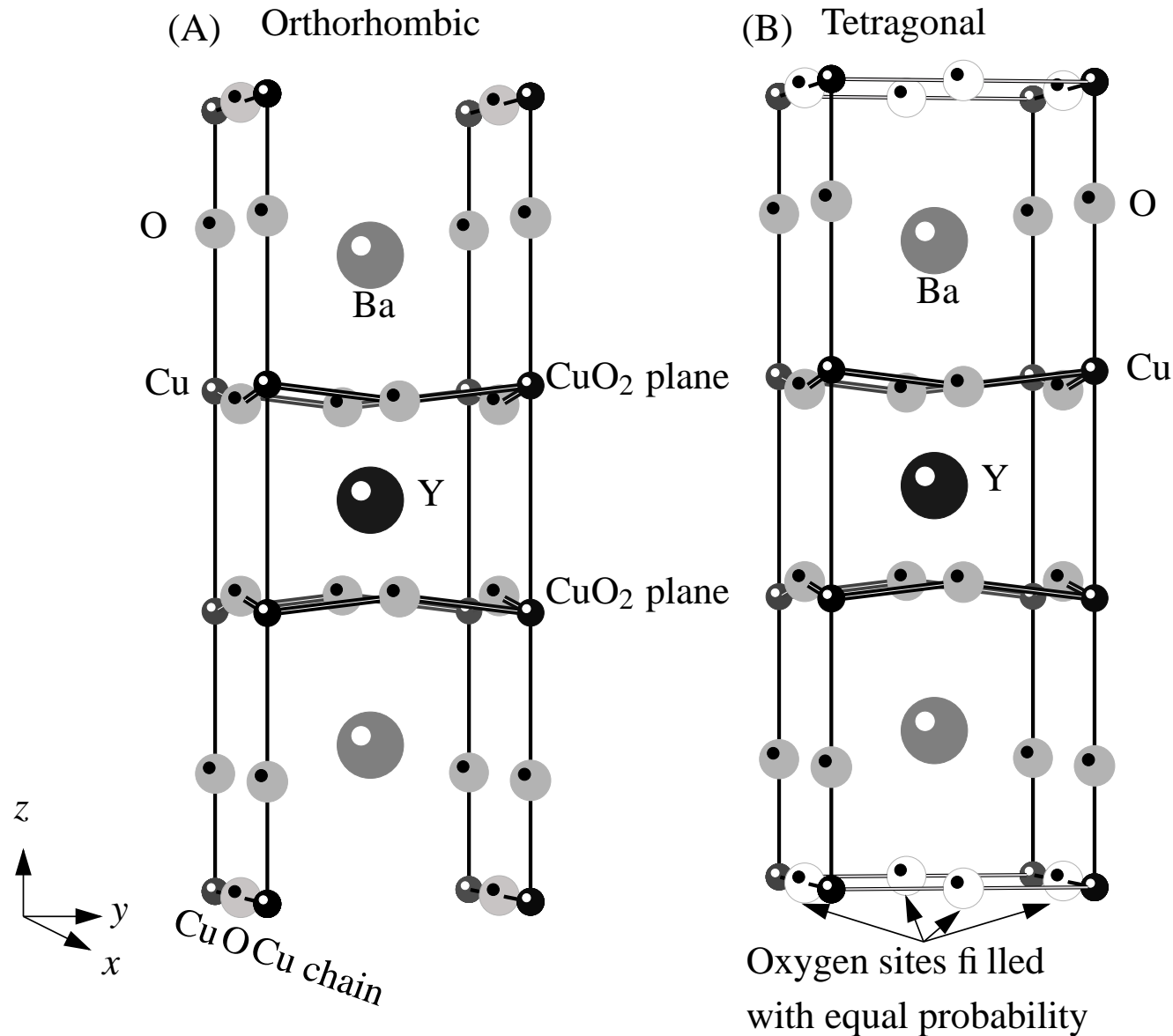


Figure 12: Structure of $\text{YBa}_2\text{Cu}_3\text{O}_x$, [Poole et al. (1988)] (A) Orthorhombic structure. (B) Tetragonal structure.

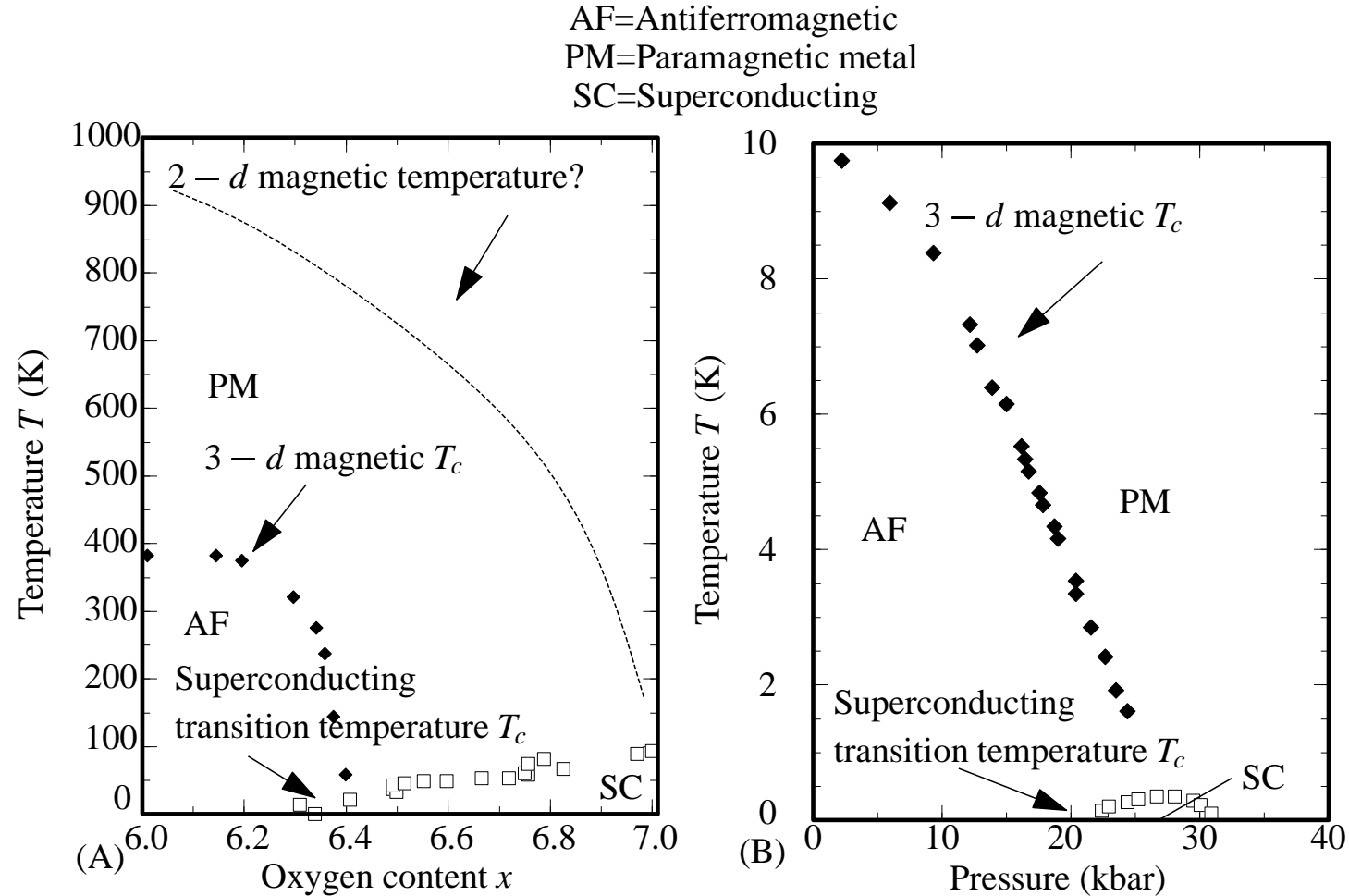


Figure 13: (A) Phase diagram for YBCO [Rossat-Mignod et al. (1990) and Greene and Bagley (1990)] (B) Heavy-fermion compound CePd₂Si₂. [Mathur et al. (1998).]

$$\vec{A} \rightarrow \vec{A} + \vec{\nabla}\chi \text{ as } \Psi \rightarrow \Psi e^{-2ie\chi/\hbar c}. \quad (\text{L247})$$

$$u_{\vec{k}}(\vec{r}) \rightarrow u_{\vec{k}}(\vec{r}) e^{-ie\chi/\hbar c}, v_{\vec{k}}(\vec{r}) \rightarrow v_{\vec{k}}(\vec{r}) e^{ie\chi/\hbar c}, \text{ and } \Delta_{\vec{r}} \rightarrow \Delta_{\vec{r}} e^{-2ie\chi/\hbar c}. \quad (\text{L248})$$

$$\Delta_{\vec{k}\vec{q}} = \sum_{\vec{k}'} \frac{U_{\vec{k}\vec{k}'}}{\mathcal{V}} \langle \hat{c}_{\vec{q}-\vec{k}'\downarrow} \hat{c}_{\vec{k}'\uparrow} \rangle. \quad (\text{L249})$$

$$\Delta_{\vec{r}\vec{r}'} = \sum_{\vec{r}''} \frac{U_{\vec{r}\vec{r}''}}{\mathcal{V}} \langle \hat{c}_{-\vec{r}'\downarrow} \hat{c}_{\vec{r}''-\vec{r}'\uparrow} \rangle. \quad (\text{L250})$$

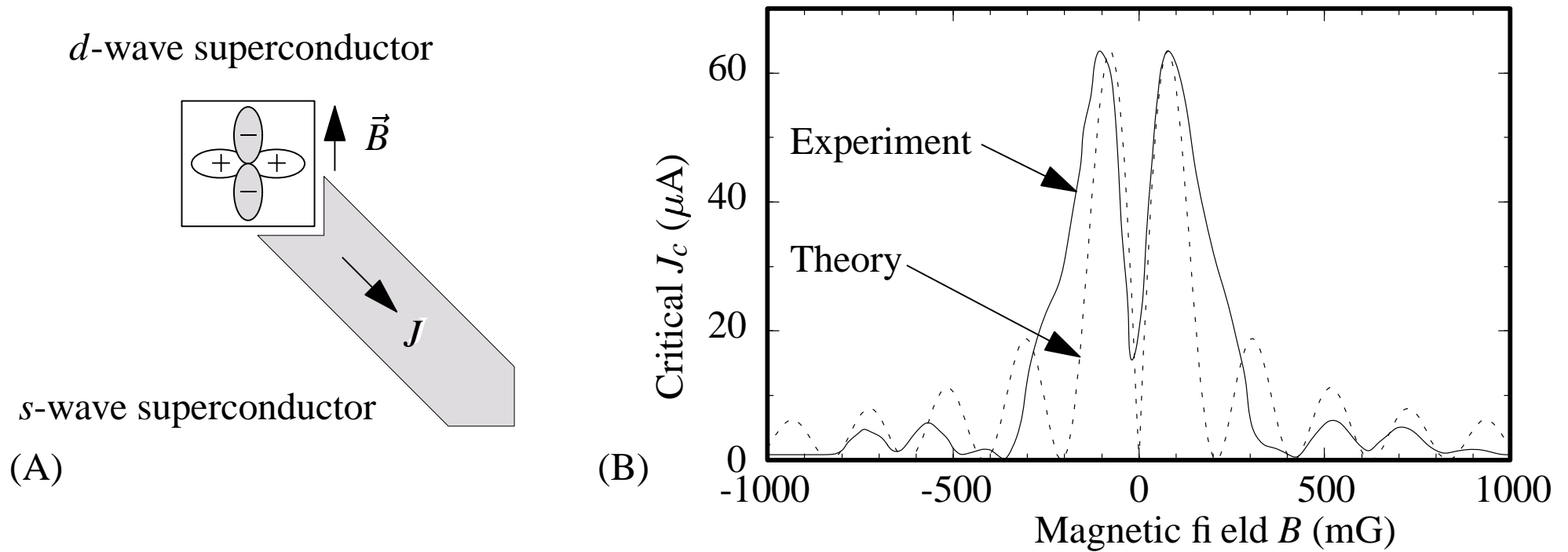


Figure 14: *d*-wave pairing. (A) Sketch of the experiment (B) Diffraction pattern.
[Wollman et al. (1995)]