Problem Set 9

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$$q = 2k\sin\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right),\tag{I.1}$$

$$800 \text{MeV} = \frac{\hbar^2 k^2}{2m}, \qquad \text{(from figure)} \tag{I.2}$$

$$k = 6.11 \text{fm}^{-1}$$
. (I.3)

$$qa = (4.49, 7.73, 10.9, ...),$$
 (I.4)

$$\theta = (7.7, 14.25, 20.95)^{\circ},$$
 (I.5)

$$a = (5.47, 5.10, 4.91)$$
fm. (I.6)

$$1.4A^{1/3} = 4.79 \text{fm}. (I.7)$$

My estimates are a bit large.

II SCATTERING OFF OF A SPHERICALLY-SYMMETRIC POTENTIAL

Α

$$f = -\frac{m}{2\pi\hbar^2} \int d^3x \, e^{-i\boldsymbol{q}\cdot\boldsymbol{x}} V_0 e^{-\frac{r^2}{2a^2}}, \tag{II.1}$$

$$= -\frac{mV_0}{2\pi\hbar^2} \left(\int dx \, e^{-iq_x x} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2a^2}} \right)^3, \tag{II.2}$$

$$= -\frac{\sqrt{2\pi}a^3mV_0}{\hbar^2}e^{-3a^2q^2/2}.$$
 (II.3)

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}\Omega} = \left|f\right|^2,\tag{II.4}$$

$$=\frac{2\pi a^6 m^2 V_0^2}{\hbar^4} e^{-3a^2q^2}. \tag{II.5}$$

В

$$\sigma = \int \frac{\mathrm{d}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}\Omega} \,\mathrm{d}\Omega\,, \tag{II.6}$$

$$= \int_0^{2\pi} d\phi \int_{-1}^1 \frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} d\cos\theta , \qquad (II.7)$$

$$=\frac{4\pi^2 a^6 m^2 V_0^2}{\hbar^4} e^{-3a^2} \int_{-1}^1 e^{q^2} \, \mathrm{d} \cos \theta \,, \tag{II.8}$$

$$= \frac{4\pi^2 a^6 m^2 V_0^2}{\hbar^4} \int_{-1}^1 e^{-6a^2 k^2 (1-\cos\theta)} d\cos\theta, \qquad (II.9)$$

$$=\frac{2\pi^2a^4m^2V_0^2(1-e^{-12a^2k^2})}{3k^2\!\hbar^4}.$$

III SCATTERING OFF OF A "SEPARABLE POTENTIAL"

A

$$T = |v\rangle\langle v| (1 + \langle v|G_0|v\rangle + \langle v|G_0|v\rangle^2 + \dots), \quad \text{(III.1)}$$

$$= |v\rangle\langle v| \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \langle v|G_0|v\rangle^n, \qquad (III.2)$$

$$= \frac{|v\rangle\langle v|}{1 - \langle v|G_0|v\rangle},\tag{III.3}$$

$$\langle v|G_0|v\rangle = \frac{2m}{\hbar^2} \int d^3q \, \frac{\left|v(\mathbf{k}')\right|^2}{k^2 - q^2 + i\epsilon}.$$
 (III.4)

$$T(\mathbf{k}', \mathbf{k}) = \frac{v(\mathbf{k}')v^*(\mathbf{k})}{1 - \langle v|G_0|v\rangle}.$$
 (III.5)

В

The Fourier transform of a constant is a dirac delta function:

$$\langle \mathbf{r}'|V|\mathbf{r}\rangle = g \int d^3\mathbf{k}' d^3\mathbf{k} \frac{e^{i\mathbf{k}'\cdot\mathbf{r}'}e^{-i\mathbf{k}\cdot\mathbf{r}}}{(2\pi)^3},$$
 (III.6)

$$= (2\pi)^3 g \delta(\mathbf{r}) \delta(\mathbf{r}'). \tag{III.7}$$

 \mathbf{C}

$$T(0,0) = a = \frac{g}{1 - \langle v | G_0 | v \rangle},$$
 (III.8)

$$g = a(1 - \langle v|G_0|v\rangle), \tag{III.9}$$

$$= a \left(1 - \frac{2m}{\hbar^2} g \int_0^{\Lambda} d^3 \boldsymbol{q} \, \frac{1}{-q^2 + i\epsilon} \right), \quad \text{(III.10)}$$

$$= a \left(1 - \frac{8\pi mg}{\hbar^2} \Lambda \right), \tag{III.11}$$

$$g(\Lambda) = \frac{a}{1 - \frac{8\pi m a \Lambda}{\hbar^2}}.$$
 (III.12)

D

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}\Lambda} \frac{1}{T(\mathbf{k}', \mathbf{k})} = -\frac{8\pi m}{\hbar^2} + \frac{8\pi m}{\hbar^2} \frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}\Lambda} \int_0^{\Lambda} \frac{q^2 \, \mathrm{d}q}{q^2 - k^2}, \quad \text{(III.13)}$$

$$= \frac{8\pi m}{\hbar^2} \frac{k^2}{\Lambda^2 - k^2}.$$
 (III.14)

For $k \ll \Lambda$, this expression goes to zero.