Staggered chemical potential and the surface bands of Sr₂ RuO₄

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In this notebook we will examine the effect of a staggered chemical potential on the dispersion of the surface bands of Sr_2 RuO₄. We will focus in particular on the M point. The staggered chemical potential breaks the lattice reflection symmetry but preserves the fourfold rotation symmetry about each Ru atom. As we will see below, this allows the two d_{xy} bands at the M point to decouple and become individually four-fold symmetric. This allows the bands to host X_9 singularities under tuning.

Loading the Library

We first load the library by executing the following:

Interpolating between the Wannier90 files

Ingredients needed for symmetrization

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ln[\cdot] := \rho = \{\{0, -1, 0\}, \{1, 0, 0\}, \{0, 0, 1\}\};
     (*The matrix part of the C_4 rotation about one of the Ru atoms.*)
     U\rho = \{\{0, -1, 0\}, \{1, 0, 0\}, \{0, 0, -1\}\};
     (*Representation of C<sub>4</sub> rotation in the d-orbital space.*)
     rxy = \{\{0, 1, 0\}, \{1, 0, 0\}, \{0, 0, 1\}\}; (*x \leftrightarrow y reflection.*)
     Urxy = \{\{-1, 0, 0\}, \{0, 1, 0\}, \{0, 0, -1\}\};
     (*Representation of the x \leftrightarrow y reflection.*)
     c\theta = \left\{\frac{1}{4}, \frac{3}{4}, \theta\right\}; (*Location of one of the Ru atoms,
     which we shall use as the centre of the C<sub>4</sub> rotation.*)
     AtomLocations =
        \big\{ \big\{ \frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4}, 0 \big\}, \big\{ \frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4}, 0 \big\}, \big\{ \frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4}, 0 \big\}, \big\{ \frac{1}{4}, \frac{3}{4}, 0 \big\}, \big\{ \frac{1}{4}, \frac{3}{4}, 0 \big\}, \big\{ \frac{1}{4}, \frac{3}{4}, 0 \big\} \big\} \big\}
     (*Location of the basis atoms in the fractional
      coordinates within the unit cell.*)
     SymmetryList = {}; (*This is a multidimensional list which we shall
      construct below. Each element is a sublist corresponding to a particular
      symmetry. First element of the sublist is real space symmetry's matrix part,
     second element is the translation part and the third element is
      its representation in the Hilbert space. Our point group is D4,
     or D<sub>8</sub> in some pepole's notation.*)
     Do[
        AppendTo[SymmetryList,
         {MatrixPower[\rho, i], (c0 - MatrixPower[\rho, i].c0) // Simplify,
           ArrayFlatten[IdentityMatrix[2]⊗MatrixPower[Uρ, i]]}];
        AppendTo[SymmetryList,
         {MatrixPower[\rho, i].rxy, (c0 - MatrixPower[\rho, i].c0) // Simplify,
           ArrayFlatten[IdentityMatrix[2]⊗MatrixPower[Uρ, i]].
            ArrayFlatten[{{0, 1}, {1, 0}}⊗Urxy]}];
        , {i, 1, 4}];
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Interpolation with symmetrization

We now interpolate between the Wannier90 data for 13 different rotations of the RuO octahedra: 0° through 12° to generate a continuously θ dependent Hamiltonian, whilst ensuring that the interpolated model has the right symmetry (for which we are feeding the list SymmetryList):

```
W90Data = LoadInterpolateTBMs[{FileLocn <> "Sr2RuO4_0deg.dat",
          FileLocn <> "Sr2Ru04_1deg.dat", FileLocn <> "Sr2Ru04_2deg.dat",
          FileLocn <> "Sr2RuO4 3deg.dat", FileLocn <> "Sr2RuO4 4deg.dat",
          FileLocn <> "Sr2Ru04_5deg.dat", FileLocn <> "Sr2Ru04_6deg.dat",
          FileLocn <> "Sr2Ru04_7deg.dat", FileLocn <> "Sr2Ru04_8deg.dat",
          FileLocn <> "Sr2Ru04_9deg.dat", FileLocn <> "Sr2Ru04_10deg.dat",
          FileLocn <> "Sr2Ru04_11deg.dat", FileLocn <> "Sr2Ru04_12deg.dat"},
         \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12\}, "Symmetries" \rightarrow SymmetryList,
         "OrbitalCentres" → AtomLocations, "ParameterSymbol" → "θ"];
     Invalid or no lattice vectors provided! Using unit vectors.
     Tight-binding data files loaded.
     Space dimension: 3
     Number of orbitals: 6
     Number of supercells: 49
     Number of models/data-files to interpolate: 13
     Number of lines in the data files:
      Interpolating between the Hamiltonians.
     Valid symmetrization scheme provided! We will symmetrize the loaded Hamiltonian.
     Number of supercells after symmetrization: 79
     Since this is largely an exploratory analysis, we will not include the overall band renormalization or
     the spin orbit term which have minimal impact on the M point. We begin by adding a staggered
     chemical potential △
ln[270] = Hamltn1[k1_, k2_, \theta_, \Delta_] = W90Data[1] + DiagonalMatrix[{\Delta, \Delta, \Delta, \Delta, -\Delta, -\Delta}];
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Tuning to a HOS with non - zero △

We begin by defining a version of the Hamiltonian suitable for series expansion (once again in the bulk Brillouin zone basis for the sake of consistency)

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ln[271]:= Ham[k_] := Hamltn1[k[1] - k[2], k[1] + k[2], k[3], k[4]]
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In[•]:= FileLocn = NotebookDirectory[] <> "unrenormalized2/";

To compute the Hessian determinant with $\delta\theta$ and $\delta\Delta$ corrections, we need to series expand the dispersion to quadratic order with corrections. To find the bands closest to Fermi level to series expand, we first calculate the eigenvalues at the M point for a small Δ =0.005 (that is 5 meV).

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ln[272] = Sort[Eigenvalues[Ham[{0, <math>\pi // N, 8, 0.005}]]]
Out[272] = \{-0.555813, -0.555813, -0.076319, -0.066319, 0.286847, 0.286847\}
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It is clear that bands 3 and 4 are the bands of interest closest to the Fermi level. We will plot these bands with orbital projection once the critical θ has been figured out.

Band 3

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In[273]:= TaylA = Chop TaylorExpandBand [Ham,
                    \{0, \pi // N, 8, 0.005\}, 3, 2, "Dimension" \rightarrow 2, "TuningDegree" \rightarrow 2,
                   "TuningSymbol" \rightarrow \{ \delta\theta'', \delta\Delta'' \}, \text{Messages} \rightarrow \text{False} [1], 10^{-8} ];
ln[277]:= Chop[Total[TaylA]] /. \{p1 \rightarrow k_x, p2 \rightarrow k_y\}
Out[277]= -0.076319 - 1.\delta \triangle + (-0.0205955 + 0.00119685\delta \theta) \delta \theta +
            (-0.014985 + 8.34065 \times 10^{-8} \delta \triangle^2 + (0.0320869 - 0.000243806 \delta \theta) \delta \theta) k_x^2 +
            (-0.014985 - 8.34065 \times 10^{-8} \delta \triangle^2 + (0.0320869 - 0.000243806 \delta \theta) \delta \theta) k_v^2
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We note that the quadratic term contains a very small $\delta\Delta$ correction. This indicates that the critical θ does not depend strongly on Δ (as long as it is non-zero and small. For large Δ , this analysis based on series expansion to quadratic order may not hold).

We can compute the Hessian determinant and solve for $\delta\theta$ by setting it to zero:

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ln[278] = HesDet = (D[TaylA[3], {p1, 2}] \times D[TaylA[3], {p2, 2}]) - (D[TaylA[3], p1, p2])^2) /.
                \{p1 \rightarrow 0, p2 \rightarrow 0, \delta\lambda \rightarrow 0, \delta\Delta \rightarrow 0\} // Simplify
          Soln1 = Solve[HesDet == 0, \delta\theta]
Out[278]= 0.000898201 - 0.00384658 \delta\theta + 0.00414751 \delta\theta^2 - 0.000062584 \delta\theta^3 + 2.37766 \times 10^{-7} \delta\theta^4
Out(279)=\{\{\delta\Theta\rightarrow 0.468682\}, \{\delta\Theta\rightarrow 0.468682\}, \{\delta\Theta\rightarrow 131.14\}, \{\delta\Theta\rightarrow 131.14\}\}\}
         The critical \theta to the first approximation is then given by
ln[280]= TaylB = Chop[TaylorExpandBand[Ham, {0, \pi // N, 8 + \delta\theta /. Soln1[1]], 0.005},
                   3, 2, "Dimension" \rightarrow 2, "TuningDegree" \rightarrow 2,
                   "TuningSymbol" \rightarrow \{ \delta\theta'', \delta\Delta'' \}, "Messages" \rightarrow \text{False}[1], 10^{-8}];
  ln[\cdot]:= Total[TaylB] /. \{p1 \rightarrow k_x, p2 \rightarrow k_y\}
 Out[*]= -0.0856538 - 1.\delta \triangle + (-0.0191726 + 0.00162093\delta \Theta)\delta \Theta +
            (0.0000166482 - 3.94981 \times 10^{-8} \delta \Delta^2 + (0.0319471 - 0.000137449 \delta \theta) \delta \theta) k_x^2 +
            (0.0000166482 + 3.94981 \times 10^{-8} \delta \triangle^2 + (0.0319471 - 0.000137449 \delta \Theta) \delta \Theta) k_{\nu}^2
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Indeed the coefficients of the quadratic terms have become quite small. We can repeat the process once again to obtain better convergence

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l_{[281]} = HesDet = (D[TaylB[3], \{p1, 2\}] \times D[TaylB[3], \{p2, 2\}]) - (D[TaylB[3], p1, p2])^2) /.
                                                                                                                                                                        \{p1 \rightarrow 0, p2 \rightarrow 0, \delta\lambda \rightarrow 0, \delta\Delta \rightarrow 0\} // Simplify
                                                                                                           Soln2 = Solve[HesDet == 0, \delta\theta]
0 \text{ut} | 381 \text{]} = 1.10864 \times 10^{-9} + 4.25488 \times 10^{-6} \ \delta\varTheta + 0.00408246 \ \delta\varTheta^2 - 0.0000351289 \ \delta\varTheta^3 + 7.55692 \times 10^{-8} \ \delta\varTheta^4 + 0.00408246 \ \delta\varTheta^2 - 0.0000351289 \ \delta\varTheta^3 + 0.00408246 \ \delta\varTheta^4 + 0.0040824 \ \delta\varTheta^4 + 0.0040824 \ \delta\varTheta^4 + 0.0040824 \ \delta\varTheta^4 + 0.0040824 
\text{Out[282]= } \{ \{ \delta \Theta \rightarrow -0.000521115 \} \,, \, \{ \delta \Theta \rightarrow -0.000521115 \} \,, \, \{ \delta \Theta \rightarrow 232.429 \} \,, \, \{ \delta \Theta \rightarrow 232.429 \} \} \} \} = \{ \{ \delta \Theta \rightarrow -0.000521115 \} \,, \, \{ \delta \Theta \rightarrow -0.000521
                                                                                                        Thus, the critical theta is given by
          ln[283] = \theta crit = 8 + (\delta \theta /. Soln1[1]) + (\delta \theta /. Soln2[1])
Out[283]= 8.46816
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Using this, we go ahead and define the Hamiltonian at the critical θ :

 $ln[284] = HamCrit[k_] := Hamltn1[k[1] - k[2], k[1] + k[2], \theta crit, 0.005]$

In[285]:= TaylC =

Chop[TaylorExpandBand[HamCrit, $\{0, \pi // N\}$, 3, 4, "Messages" \rightarrow False][1], 10^{-8}];

In[286]:= Total[TaylC] /. $\{p1 \rightarrow k_x, p2 \rightarrow k_y\}$

 $Out[286] = -0.0856438 - 0.630949 \text{ k}_{x}^{4} + 0.102619 \text{ k}_{x}^{3} \text{ k}_{y} + 0.860439 \text{ k}_{x}^{2} \text{ k}_{y}^{2} - 0.102619 \text{ k}_{x} \text{ k}_{y}^{3} - 0.630949 \text{ k}_{y}^{4} + 0.102619 \text{ k}_{y}^{2} \text{ k}_{y}^{2} + 0.860439 \text{ k}_{y}^{2} + 0.102619 \text{ k}_{y}^{2} + 0.102619 \text{ k}_{y}^{2} + 0.860439 \text{ k}_{y}^{2}$

This is obviously a singularity belonging to the X_9 class. We can confirm this explicitly

$$ln[287] = DiagnoseHOS[Total[TaylC] /. \{p1 \rightarrow k_x, p2 \rightarrow k_y\}]$$

Polynomial has corank 2. It is 5-determinate. Its determinacy is either 5 or 4 and its codimension is 8. Comparing with the known list of singularities:

Polynomial has a catastrophe belonging to the X_9 singularity class.

Out[287]=
$$\{2, 8, 5\}$$

We can also explicitly check that this satisfies the four fold rotation symmetry $(k_x, k_y) \rightarrow (k_y, -k_x)$ but not the mirror symmetry $(k_x, k_y) \rightarrow (k_y, k_x)$ since the latter is broken while the former is preserved under the staggered chemical potential Δ .

In[288]:= Chop[((TaylC /. {p1
$$\rightarrow$$
 k_x, p2 \rightarrow k_y}) - (TaylC /. {p1 \rightarrow k_y, p2 \rightarrow -k_x})) // FullSimplify,

$$10^{-6}$$
] // Total
Chop[((TaylC /. {p1 \rightarrow k_y, p2 \rightarrow k_y}) - (TaylC /. {p1 \rightarrow k_y, p2 \rightarrow k_y})) // FullSimplify,

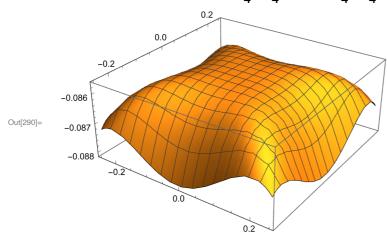
$$\text{Chop}\left[\left(\left(\text{TaylC} \ /. \ \left\{\text{p1} \rightarrow \text{k}_{\text{x}}, \ \text{p2} \rightarrow \text{k}_{\text{y}}\right\}\right) - \left(\text{TaylC} \ /. \ \left\{\text{p1} \rightarrow \text{k}_{\text{y}}, \ \text{p2} \rightarrow \text{k}_{\text{x}}\right\}\right)\right) \ // \ \text{FullSimplify,} \right. \\ \left. 10^{-6}\right] \ // \ \text{Total}$$

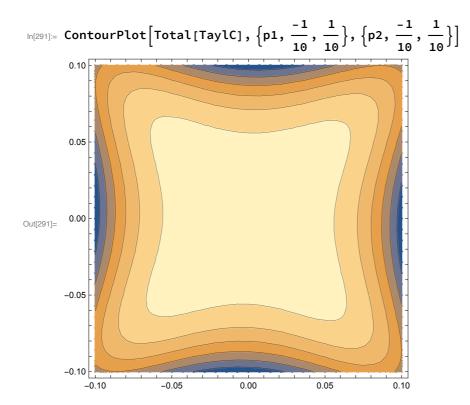
Out[288]= 0

Out[289]=
$$0.205239 \, k_x^3 \, k_y - 0.205239 \, k_x \, k_y^3$$

The 3D and surface plot of the dispersion

In[290]:= Plot3D[Total[TaylC],
$$\{p1, \frac{-1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}\}, \{p2, \frac{-1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}\}]$$





These indicate that this is a four fold maximum rather than a saddle.

Band 4

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In[292]:= TaylA2 = Chop TaylorExpandBand [Ham,
                      \{0, \pi // N, 8, 0.005\}, 4, 2, "Dimension" \rightarrow 2, "TuningDegree" \rightarrow 2,
                     "TuningSymbol" \rightarrow \{ \delta\theta'', \delta\Delta'' \}, "Messages" \rightarrow \text{False}[1], 10^{-8}];
In[293]:= Total[TaylA2] /. \{p1 \rightarrow k_x, p2 \rightarrow k_y\}
Out[293]= -0.066319 + 1.\delta \triangle + (-0.0205955 + 0.00119685\delta \theta) \delta \theta +
             \left(-0.014985 - 8.34065 \times 10^{-8} \delta \triangle^2 + (0.0320869 - 0.000243806 \delta \Theta) \delta \Theta\right) k_x^2 + (0.0320869 - 0.000243806 \delta \Theta) \delta \Theta
             \left(-0.014985 + 8.34065 \times 10^{-8} \delta \triangle^2 + (0.0320869 - 0.000243806 \delta \Theta) \delta \Theta\right) k_v^2
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We note that the quadratic term contains a very small $\delta\Delta$ correction. This indicates that the critical θ does not depend strongly on Δ (as long as it is non-zero and small. For large Δ , this analysis based on series expansion to quadratic order may not hold).

We can compute the Hessian determinant and solve for $\delta\theta$ by setting it to zero:

```
In[294]:= HesDet =
                                                                                         (D[TaylA2[3], {p1, 2}] \times D[TaylA2[3], {p2, 2}]) - (D[TaylA2[3], p1, p2])^{2} /.
                                                                                                                     \{p1 \rightarrow 0, p2 \rightarrow 0, \delta\lambda \rightarrow 0, \delta\Delta \rightarrow 0\} // Simplify
                                                                         Soln12 = Solve[HesDet == 0, \delta\theta]
\texttt{Out} \texttt{[294]= 0.000898201 - 0.00384658} \ \delta \Theta + \textbf{0.00414751} \ \delta \Theta^2 - \textbf{0.000062584} \ \delta \Theta^3 + \textbf{2.37766} \times \textbf{10}^{-7} \ \delta \Theta^4 + \textbf{0.00414751} \ \delta \Theta^2 + \textbf{0.000062584} \ \delta \Theta^3 + \textbf{0.00006259} \ \delta \Theta^3 + \textbf{0.00006259} \ \delta \Theta^3 + \textbf{0.00006259} 
\texttt{Out[295]=} \ \left\{ \left\{ \delta\theta \rightarrow \texttt{0.468682} \right\}, \ \left\{ \delta\theta \rightarrow \texttt{0.468682} \right\}, \ \left\{ \delta\theta \rightarrow \texttt{131.14} \right\}, \ \left\{ \delta\theta \rightarrow \texttt{131.14} \right\} \right\}
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The critical θ to the first approximation is then given by

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ln[296] = TaylB2 = Chop[TaylorExpandBand[Ham, {0, <math>\pi // N, 8 + \delta\theta /. Soln12[1], 0.005},
                                                 4, 2, "Dimension" → 2, "TuningDegree" → 2,
                                                 "TuningSymbol" \rightarrow \{ \delta\theta'', \delta\Delta'' \}, "Messages" \rightarrow \text{False}[1], 10^{-8}];
  In[297]:= Total[TaylB2] /. \{p1 \rightarrow k_x, p2 \rightarrow k_y\}
Out[297]= -0.0756538 + 1.\delta \triangle + (-0.0191726 + 0.00162093\delta \theta) \delta \theta +
                               (0.0000166482 - 9.02946 \times 10^{-8} \delta \Delta^2 + (0.0319471 - 0.000137449 \delta \theta) \delta \theta) k_x^2 +
                               (0.0000166482 + 9.02946 \times 10^{-8} \delta \Delta^2 + (0.0319471 - 0.000137449 \delta \theta) \delta \theta) k_{\nu}^2
                         Indeed the coefficients of the quadratic terms have become quite small. We can repeat the process
                         once again to obtain better convergence
  In[298]:= HesDet =
                             (D[TaylB2[3], {p1, 2}] \times D[TaylB2[3], {p2, 2}]) - (D[TaylB2[3], p1, p2])^{2} /.
                                        \{p1 \rightarrow 0, p2 \rightarrow 0, \delta\lambda \rightarrow 0, \delta\Delta \rightarrow 0\} // Simplify
                         Soln22 = Solve[HesDet == 0, \delta\theta]
OU(1/298) = 1.10864 \times 10^{-9} + 4.25488 \times 10^{-6} \delta\Theta + 0.00408246 \delta\Theta^2 - 0.0000351289 \delta\Theta^3 + 7.55692 \times 10^{-8} \delta\Theta^4
\mathsf{Out}[299] = \ \{ \{ \delta\Theta \to -0.000521115 \} \ , \ \{ \delta\Theta \to -0.000521115 \} \ , \ \{ \delta\Theta \to 232.429 \} \ , \ \{ \delta\Theta \to 232.429 \} \} \} \}
                        Thus, the critical theta is given by
  ln[300] = \theta crit2 = 8 + (\delta \theta /. Soln12[1]) + (\delta \theta /. Soln22[1])
Out[300]= 8.46816
                         Using this, we go ahead and define the Hamiltonian at the critical \theta:
  \label{eq:loss_loss} $$ \ln[301] = \mbox{HamCrit2[k_] := Hamltn1[k[1] - k[2], k[1] + k[2], \theta crit2, 0.005] $$ $$ $$ \mbox{loss} $$ \mbox{loss
  In[302]:= TaylC2 =
                                  Chop[TaylorExpandBand[HamCrit2, \{0, \pi // N\}, 4, 4, \text{"Messages"} \rightarrow \text{False}][1], 10^{-8}];
  In[303]:= Total[TaylC2] /. \{p1 \rightarrow k_x, p2 \rightarrow k_y\}
\text{Out} \text{[303]= } -0.0756438 + 0.201354 \text{ } k_x^4 - 0.102619 \text{ } k_x^3 \text{ } k_y - 0.804168 \text{ } k_x^2 \text{ } k_y^2 + 0.102619 \text{ } k_x \text{ } k_v^3 + 0.201354 \text{ } k_v^4 + 0.20
                        This is obviously a singularity belonging to the X_9 class. We can confirm this explicitly
 ln[304]:= DiagnoseHOS[Total[TaylC2] /. {p1 \rightarrow k<sub>x</sub>, p2 \rightarrow k<sub>y</sub>}]
                         Polynomial has corank 2. It is 5-determinate. Its determinacy is either 5 or 4
                                 and its codimension is 8. Comparing with the known list of singularities:
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We can also explicitly check that this satisfies the four fold rotation symmetry $(k_x, k_y) \rightarrow (k_y, -k_x)$ but not the mirror symmetry $(k_x, k_y) \rightarrow (k_y, k_x)$ since the latter is broken while the former is preserved under the staggered chemical potential Δ .

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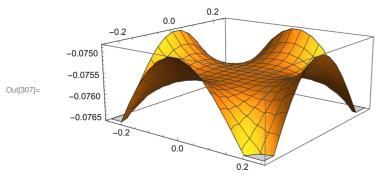
Out[304]= $\{2, 8, 5\}$

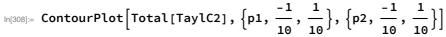
Out[305]= **0**

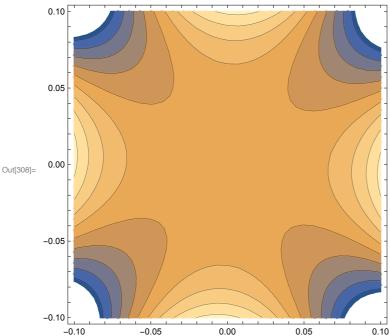
Out[306]=
$$-0.205239 k_x^3 k_y + 0.205239 k_x k_y^3$$

The 3D and surface plot of the dispersion

In[307]:= Plot3D[Total[TaylC2],
$$\left\{p1, \frac{-1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}\right\}, \left\{p2, \frac{-1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}\right\}$$
]







These confirm that this is a genuine four fold saddle.

Comparing bands 3 and 4

We can finally compare the HOS in band 3 and band 4 (recall that these bands were degenerate before the staggered chemical potential was applied)

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In[309]:= Total[TaylC] /. \{p1 \rightarrow k_x, p2 \rightarrow k_y\}
                              Total[TaylC2] /. \{p1 \rightarrow k_x, p2 \rightarrow k_y\}
Out[309] = -0.0856438 - 0.630949 \text{ } k_x^4 + 0.102619 \text{ } k_x^3 \text{ } k_y + 0.860439 \text{ } k_x^2 \text{ } k_y^2 - 0.102619 \text{ } k_x \text{ } k_y^3 - 0.630949 \text{ } k_y^4 \text{ } k_y^3 + 0.860439 \text{ } k_y^4 \text{ } k_y^2 + 0.860439 \text{ } k_y^4 \text{ } k_y^2 + 0.860439 \text{ } k_y^4 \text{ } k_y^4 + 0.860439 \text{ } k_y^4 \text{
Out[310]= -0.0756438 + 0.201354 k_x^4 - 0.102619 k_x^3 k_y - 0.804168 k_x^2 k_y^2 + 0.102619 k_x k_y^3 + 0.201354 k_y^4 + 0.20154 k
                              It is clear that while band 3 (with negative k_x^4 and k_y^4 terms) and band 4 (with positive k_x^4 and k_y^4
                              terms) disperse roughly in the opposite fashion. This is obviously an approximate qualification
                              since the k_x^2 k_y^2 terms also play a role. We now plot the band structure with orbital projections
                              \delta k = 3.869 \times 0.35;
                               \text{HSymmPts} = \left\{ \left\{ \left\{ -\delta k, \pi - \delta k \right\}, \text{"} \leftarrow -\overline{M}_1 \text{"} \right\}, \left\{ \left\{ 0, \pi \right\}, \text{"} \overline{M}_2 \text{"} \right\}, \left\{ \left\{ 0, \pi + \delta k + 0.01 \right\}, \text{"} \Gamma \rightarrow \text{"} \right\} \right\}; 
                              Bnds = GenerateBandStructure[HamCrit, HSymmPts, "OrbitalProjection" → True,
                                               "OrbitalGrouping" → {{1, 4}, {2, 5}, {3, 6}}, "TotalPoints" → 400];
  log_{[694]} PlotBandStructure Bnds, (*{-0.042,0.012}*){-0.2, 0.1}, AspectRatio \rightarrow \frac{3}{4},
                                   "yLabel" → {(*Label*)"E (eV)", (*Font Size*)13, (*Font Color*)
                                               Black, (*Font Family*) "Arial"}, "xLabel" → {13, Black, "Arial"},
                                   "yTicks" → {12, Black, "Helvetica"}, "LineThickness" → 0.008,
                                   "LineColorScheme" → {Red, Brown, Blue}, (*Dividing Lines*) "DividingLines" →
                                         {(*Dashing[..]*)0.01, (*Color*)Gray, (*Thickness*)0.004},
                                    (*, Legend*) "PlotKeyLegend" \rightarrow \{ \{ "d_{xz}", "d_{yz}", "d_{xy}" \}, \{0.25, 0.85\} \} \}
                                                 0.10
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                                                                                                                                        d_{yz}
                                                0.05
                                                 0.00
Out[694]= \underbrace{ \underbrace{ \bullet}}_{\mathbf{M}} -0.05
                                            -0.10
                                            -0.15
                                             -0.20
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 \Gamma \rightarrow
                                                                                                                                                                                \overline{M}_2
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We notice that the M point singularities arise primarily from the d_{xy} orbitals. Further the higher order saddle nature of band 4 and the higher order maximum nature of band 3 are quite apparent.

Evolution of the critical point

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In[338]:= Do
            Print["\Delta_stag = ", Round[1000 Delt], "meV"];
           Do[
             \label{eq:hamCurr} \begin{split} \mathsf{HamCurr}[k\_] &:= \mathsf{Hamltn1}[k[\![1]\!] - k[\![2]\!], \, k[\![1]\!] + k[\![2]\!], \, \theta \mathsf{Curr}, \, \mathsf{Delt}] \end{split}; \end{split}
             TaylorPoly = Chop[Total[
                   TaylorExpandBand[HamCurr, \{0, \pi // N\}, 3, 2, "Messages" \rightarrow False][1]], 10^{-5}];
             HesDet =
                (D[TaylorPoly, \{p1, 2\}] \times D[TaylorPoly, \{p2, 2\}] - (D[TaylorPoly, p1, p2])^2) /.
                   \{p1 \rightarrow 0, p2 \rightarrow 0\} // Simplify;
             Print["\t", "\theta = ", \thetaCurr, ", Tayl = ",
               Chop[NumberForm[TaylorPoly, \{4, 3\}] /. \{p1 \rightarrow k_x, p2 \rightarrow k_y\}, 10^{-3}];
             , {θCurr, 7, 12, 1}];
            , {Delt, 0.001, 0.008, 0.001}];
        \triangle_{\text{stag}} = 1 \text{meV}
              \theta = 7, Tayl = -0.052 - 0.048 \, k_x^2 - 0.048 \, k_y^2
              \theta = 8, Tayl = -0.072 - 0.015 k_x^2 - 0.015 k_y^2
              \theta = 9, Tayl = -0.091 + 0.017 k_x^2 + 0.017 k_y^2
              \theta = 10, Tayl = -0.109 + 0.047 k_x^2 + 0.047 k_y^2
              \theta = 11, Tayl = -0.137 + 0.075 k_x^2 + 0.075 k_y^2
              \theta = 12, Tayl = -0.149 + 0.096 k_x^2 + 0.096 k_y^2
        \triangle_{\text{stag}} = 2\text{meV}
              \theta = 7, Tayl = -0.053 - 0.048 \, k_x^2 - 0.048 \, k_y^2
              \theta = 8, Tayl = -0.073 - 0.015 \, k_x^2 - 0.015 \, k_y^2
              \theta = 9, Tayl = -0.092 + 0.017 \, k_x^2 + 0.017 \, k_y^2
              \theta = 10, Tayl = -0.110 + 0.047 \, k_x^2 + 0.047 \, k_y^2
              \theta = 11, Tayl = -0.138 + 0.075 k_x^2 + 0.075 k_y^2
              \theta = 12, Tayl = -0.150 + 0.096 \, k_x^2 + 0.096 \, k_y^2
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$$\Delta_{\text{stag}} = 3\text{meV}$$

$$\Theta = 7, \ \text{Tayl} = -0.054 - 0.048 \ k_x^2 - 0.048 \ k_y^2$$

$$\Theta = 8, \ \text{Tayl} = -0.074 - 0.015 \ k_x^2 - 0.015 \ k_y^2$$

$$\Theta = 9, \ \text{Tayl} = -0.093 + 0.017 \ k_x^2 + 0.017 \ k_y^2$$

$$\Theta = 10, \ \text{Tayl} = -0.111 + 0.047 \ k_x^2 + 0.047 \ k_y^2$$

$$\Theta = 11, \ \text{Tayl} = -0.139 + 0.075 \ k_x^2 + 0.075 \ k_y^2$$

$$\Theta = 12, \ \text{Tayl} = -0.151 + 0.096 \ k_x^2 + 0.096 \ k_y^2$$

$$\Delta_{\text{stag}} = 4\text{meV}$$

$$\Theta = 7, \ \text{Tayl} = -0.055 - 0.048 \ k_x^2 - 0.048 \ k_y^2$$

$$\Theta = 8, \ \text{Tayl} = -0.075 - 0.015 \ k_x^2 - 0.015 \ k_y^2$$

$$\Theta = 9, \ \text{Tayl} = -0.094 + 0.017 \ k_x^2 + 0.017 \ k_y^2$$

$$\Theta = 10, \ \text{Tayl} = -0.112 + 0.047 \ k_x^2 + 0.047 \ k_y^2$$

$$\Theta = 11, \ \text{Tayl} = -0.140 + 0.075 \ k_x^2 + 0.096 \ k_y^2$$

$$\Delta_{\text{stag}} = 5\text{meV}$$

$$\Theta = 7, \ \text{Tayl} = -0.056 - 0.048 \ k_x^2 - 0.048 \ k_y^2$$

$$\Theta = 8, \ \text{Tayl} = -0.095 + 0.017 \ k_x^2 + 0.017 \ k_y^2$$

$$\Theta = 10, \ \text{Tayl} = -0.095 + 0.017 \ k_x^2 + 0.047 \ k_y^2$$

$$\Theta = 10, \ \text{Tayl} = -0.113 + 0.047 \ k_x^2 + 0.047 \ k_y^2$$

$$\Theta = 11, \ \text{Tayl} = -0.141 + 0.075 \ k_x^2 + 0.096 \ k_y^2$$

$$\Delta_{\text{stag}} = 6\text{meV}$$

$$\Theta = 7, \ \text{Tayl} = -0.153 + 0.096 \ k_x^2 - 0.048 \ k_y^2$$

$$\Theta = 8, \ \text{Tayl} = -0.057 - 0.048 \ k_x^2 - 0.048 \ k_y^2$$

$$\Theta = 8, \ \text{Tayl} = -0.057 - 0.048 \ k_x^2 - 0.048 \ k_y^2$$

$$\Theta = 8, \ \text{Tayl} = -0.057 - 0.048 \ k_x^2 - 0.048 \ k_y^2$$

$$\Theta = 8, \ \text{Tayl} = -0.096 + 0.017 \ k_x^2 + 0.0917 \ k_y^2$$

$$\Theta = 9, \ \text{Tayl} = -0.096 + 0.017 \ k_x^2 + 0.017 \ k_y^2$$

$$\Theta = 9, \ \text{Tayl} = -0.096 + 0.017 \ k_x^2 + 0.017 \ k_y^2$$

$$\Theta = 9, \ \text{Tayl} = -0.096 + 0.017 \ k_x^2 + 0.017 \ k_y^2$$

$$\Theta = 9, \ \text{Tayl} = -0.096 + 0.017 \ k_x^2 + 0.017 \ k_y^2$$

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$$\Theta = 9, \ \text{Tayl} = -0.096 + 0.017 \ k_x^2 + 0.017 \ k_y^2$$

$$\Theta = 9, \ \text{Tayl} = -0.096 + 0.017 \ k_x^2 + 0.017 \ k_y^2$$

$$\theta$$
 = 8, Tayl = -0.077 - 0.015 k_x^2 - 0.015 k_y^2
 θ = 9, Tayl = -0.096 + 0.017 k_x^2 + 0.017 k_y^2
 θ = 10, Tayl = -0.114 + 0.047 k_x^2 + 0.047 k_y^2
 θ = 11, Tayl = -0.142 + 0.075 k_x^2 + 0.075 k_y^2
 θ = 12, Tayl = -0.154 + 0.096 k_x^2 + 0.096 k_y^2

$$\begin{array}{l} \Delta_{\text{stag}} \; = \; 7 \text{meV} \\ \\ \theta \; = \; 7 \; , \; \text{Tayl} \; = \; -0.058 - 0.048 \; k_{x}^{2} - 0.048 \; k_{y}^{2} \\ \\ \theta \; = \; 8 \; , \; \text{Tayl} \; = \; -0.078 - 0.015 \; k_{x}^{2} - 0.015 \; k_{y}^{2} \\ \\ \theta \; = \; 9 \; , \; \text{Tayl} \; = \; -0.097 + 0.017 \; k_{x}^{2} + 0.017 \; k_{y}^{2} \\ \\ \theta \; = \; 10 \; , \; \text{Tayl} \; = \; -0.115 + 0.047 \; k_{x}^{2} + 0.047 \; k_{y}^{2} \\ \\ \theta \; = \; 11 \; , \; \text{Tayl} \; = \; -0.143 + 0.075 \; k_{x}^{2} + 0.075 \; k_{y}^{2} \\ \\ \theta \; = \; 12 \; , \; \text{Tayl} \; = \; -0.155 + 0.096 \; k_{x}^{2} + 0.096 \; k_{y}^{2} \end{array}$$

 $\triangle_{\text{stag}} = 8\text{meV}$

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\theta = 7, Tayl = -0.059 - 0.048 \, k_x^2 - 0.048 \, k_y^2
\theta = 8, Tayl = -0.079 - 0.015 k_x^2 - 0.015 k_y^2
\theta = 9, Tayl = -0.098 + 0.017 k_x^2 + 0.017 k_y^2
\theta = 10, Tayl = -0.116 + 0.047 k_x^2 + 0.047 k_y^2
\theta = 11, Tayl = -0.144 + 0.075 k_x^2 + 0.075 k_y^2
\theta = 12, Tayl = -0.156 + 0.096 \, k_x^2 + 0.096 \, k_y^2
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It is clear from the signs of the k_x^2 and k_y^2 coefficients that the VHS simply transitions from an ordinary maximum to ordinary minimum (somewhere between 8° and 9°). We will find the precise location of the HOVHS below.

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In[339]:= Do
          Print["\Delta_stag = ", Round[1000 Delt], "meV"];
          Do[
           HamCurr[k_] := Hamltn1[k[1] - k[2], k[1] + k[2], \theta Curr, Delt];
           TaylorPoly = Chop[Total[
                TaylorExpandBand[HamCurr, \{0, \pi // N\}, 4, 2, "Messages" \rightarrow False][1]], 10^{-5}];
           HesDet =
             (D[TaylorPoly, \{p1, 2\}] \times D[TaylorPoly, \{p2, 2\}] - (D[TaylorPoly, p1, p2])^2)/.
                \{p1 \rightarrow 0, p2 \rightarrow 0\} // Simplify;
           Print["\t", "\theta = ", \thetaCurr, ", Tayl = ",
             Chop[NumberForm[TaylorPoly, {4, 3}] /. {p1 \rightarrow k_x, p2 \rightarrow k_y}, 10^{-3}];
           , {θCurr, 7, 12, 1}];
          , {Delt, 0.001, 0.008, 0.001}];
      \triangle_{stag} = 1meV
            \theta = 7, Tayl = -0.050 - 0.048 \, k_x^2 - 0.048 \, k_y^2
            \theta = 8, Tayl = -0.070 - 0.015 \, k_y^2 - 0.015 \, k_y^2
            \theta = 9, Tayl = -0.089 + 0.017 k_x^2 + 0.017 k_y^2
            \theta = 10, Tayl = -0.107 + 0.047 \, k_x^2 + 0.047 \, k_y^2
            \theta = 11, Tayl = -0.135 + 0.075 \, k_x^2 + 0.075 \, k_y^2
            \theta = 12, Tayl = -0.147 + 0.096 \, k_v^2 + 0.096 \, k_v^2
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 $\triangle_{\text{stag}} = 7\text{meV}$

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\theta = 7, Tayl = -0.044 - 0.048 \, k_x^2 - 0.048 \, k_y^2
      \theta = 8, Tayl = -0.064 - 0.015 \, k_x^2 - 0.015 \, k_y^2
      \theta = 9, Tayl = -0.083 + 0.017 k_x^2 + 0.017 k_y^2
      \theta = 10, Tayl = -0.101 + 0.047 k_x^2 + 0.047 k_y^2
      \theta = 11, Tayl = -0.129 + 0.075 \, k_x^2 + 0.075 \, k_y^2
      \theta = 12, Tayl = -0.141 + 0.096 \, k_x^2 + 0.096 \, k_y^2
\triangle_{\text{stag}} = 8\text{meV}
      \theta = 7, Tayl = -0.043 - 0.048 \, k_x^2 - 0.048 \, k_y^2
      \theta = 8, Tayl = -0.063 - 0.015 \, k_x^2 - 0.015 \, k_y^2
      \theta = 9, Tayl = -0.082 + 0.017 k_x^2 + 0.017 k_y^2
      \theta = 10, Tayl = -0.100 + 0.047 k_x^2 + 0.047 k_y^2
      \theta = 11, Tayl = -0.128 + 0.075 \, k_x^2 + 0.075 \, k_y^2
      \theta = 12, Tayl = -0.140 + 0.096 \,\mathrm{k}_{y}^{2} + 0.096 \,\mathrm{k}_{y}^{2}
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Here as well, the VHS simply transitions from an ordinary maximum to ordinary minimum (somewhere between 8° and 9°). We will find the precise location of the HOVHS below.

Thus we see that both the singularities transition from an ordinary maximum to an ordinary minimum probably through a HOVHS somewhere between 8° and 9°. This is not surprising since Δ_{stag} does not break the four fold rotation at the M point, so an ordinary saddle is prohibited when the bands are decoupled.

Nature of the HOS

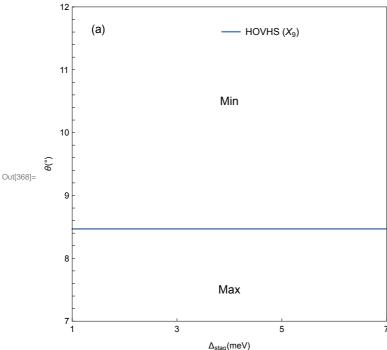
```
In[315]:= HosListBand3M = { };
     SetSharedVariable[HosListBand3M];
     ParallelDo[
      HamCurr[k_{]} := Hamltn1[k[1] - k[2], k[1] + k[2], k[3], Delt];
      \thetaCurr = 8.46;
      CurrResln = 10^{-3};
      HOSFound = False;
      NoTry = 1;
      While NoTry ≤ 4 && HOSFound == False,
        TaylorPoly =
         Chop[TaylorExpandBand[HamCurr(*The Hamiltonian*), \{0, \pi // N, \theta Curr\}
            (*the (k,t) point at which we are going to series expand.*), 3
            (*Band to series expand*), 2(*Degree of Taylor polynomial*),
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"Dimension" → 2(*k-space dimension*), "TuningDegree" → 2
     (*Degree of tuning parameter terms*),
     "TuningSymbol" \rightarrow "\delta\theta" (*Symbols for the tuning parameters*),
     "Resolution" \rightarrow 10^{-4} (*Resolution below which we shall kill terms*),
     "SampleDirection" → {0.333, 0.779, 0.1335}
     (*A sample k-vector that will be used for diagonalising symbolic
       matrices. This is not needed in principle since we will
       generate a random one in the routine if this is not provided*),
     "Messages" → False(*YesMessage*)], 10<sup>-6</sup>];
 HesDet = (D[TaylorPoly[1, 3], \{p1, 2\}] \times D[TaylorPoly[1, 3], \{p2, 2\}] -
        (D[TaylorPoly[1, 3], p1, p2])^2) /. \{p1 \rightarrow 0, p2 \rightarrow 0\} // Simplify;
 If [Chop[ReplaceAll[HesDet, \{\delta\theta \rightarrow 0\}], CurrResln] == 0,
  HOSFound = True;
 ];
 \delta\thetaSolns = Solve[HesDet == 0, \delta\theta, Reals];
 MinSoln = 1;
  If [Abs [ReplaceAll [\delta\theta, \delta\thetaSolns [[]]]] < Abs [ReplaceAll [\delta\theta, \delta\thetaSolns [MinSoln]]],
   MinSoln = l;
  , {l, 1, Length[\delta\thetaSolns]}];
 \thetaCurr = \thetaCurr + \delta\theta /. \delta\thetaSolns[MinSoln];
];
If[HOSFound == True,
 TaylorPoly =
  Chop Taylor ExpandBand HamCurr (*The Hamiltonian*), \{0, \pi // N, \theta Curr\}
     (*the (k,t) point at which we are going to series expand.*), 3
     (*Band to series expand*), 4(*Degree of Taylor polynomial*),
     "Dimension" → 2(*k-space dimension*), "TuningDegree" → 0
     (*Degree of tuning parameter terms*),
     "TuningSymbol" \rightarrow "\delta\theta" (*Symbols for the tuning parameters*),
     "Resolution" \rightarrow 10^{-4} (*Resolution below which we shall kill terms*),
     "SampleDirection" → {0.333, 0.779, 0.1335}
     (*A sample k-vector that will be used for diagonalising symbolic
       matrices. This is not needed in principle since we will
       generate a random one in the routine if this is not provided*),
     "Messages" → False(*YesMessage*)], 10<sup>-6</sup>];
 AppendTo[HosListBand3M, {Delt, θCurr, NoTry, Total[
     \label{eq:chop_ReplaceAll_TaylorPoly_II_J, {p1 \to k_x, p2 \to k_y, \delta\theta \to 0}], CurrResln]]}];
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Print[Style["No HOS found in the range!", Red]];
                    ];
                    , {Delt, 0.001, 0.008, 0.001}]
                We will have to sort the list since it was constructed using a parallelized Do loop:
In[320]:= HosListBand3M = SortBy[HosListBand3M, First];
                Using this, we can diagnose the HOS and view the \theta_{crit} and Taylor expansion for each \Delta:
In[332]:= Do
                    Print["\Delta_{stag} = ", Round[1000 hosdata[1]]],
                       "meV. Search converged after ", hosdata[3], " iterations."];
                    Print["\t" <> "\theta_{\text{crit}} = ", NumberForm[hosdata[2], {4, 2}],
                       ", Tayl = ", NumberForm[hosdata[4], {4, 3}]];
                    DiagnoseHOS[Chop[hosdata[4], 10<sup>-2</sup>]];
                    Print[
                       , {hosdata, HosListBand3M}]
                \triangle_{\text{stag}} = 1meV. Search converged after 1 iterations.
                            \theta_{\text{crit}} = 8.47, Tayl = -0.082 - 2.296 \, k_x^4 + 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y + 4.190 \, k_x^2 \, k_y^2 - 0.103 \, k_x \, k_y^3 - 2.296 \, k_y^4
                Polynomial has corank 2. It is 5-determinate. Its determinacy is either 5 or 4
                      and its codimension is 8. Comparing with the known list of singularities:
                Polynomial has a catastrophe belonging to the X_9 singularity class.
                ******************
                \triangle_{\text{stag}} = 2meV. Search converged after 1 iterations.
                            \theta_{\text{crit}} = 8.47, Tayl = -0.083 - 1.255 \, k_x^4 + 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y + 2.109 \, k_x^2 \, k_y^2 - 0.103 \, k_x \, k_y^3 - 1.255 \, k_y^4
                Polynomial has corank 2. It is 5-determinate. Its determinacy is either 5 or 4
                      and its codimension is 8. Comparing with the known list of singularities:
                Polynomial has a catastrophe belonging to the X_9 singularity class.
                ******************
                \triangle_{\text{stag}} = 3meV. Search converged after 1 iterations.
                           \theta_{\text{crit}} = 8.47, Tayl = -0.084 - 0.908 \, k_x^4 + 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y + 1.415 \, k_x^2 \, k_y^2 - 0.103 \, k_x \, k_y^3 - 0.908 \, k_y^4 + 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y + 1.415 \, k_x^2 \, k_y^2 - 0.103 \, k_x \, k_y^3 - 0.908 \, k_y^4 + 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y + 1.415 \, k_x^3 \, k_y^3 - 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y^3 - 0.103 \, k_y^3 \, k_y^3 + 
                Polynomial has corank 2. It is 5-determinate. Its determinacy is either 5 or 4
                      and its codimension is 8. Comparing with the known list of singularities:
                Polynomial has a catastrophe belonging to the X_9 singularity class.
                *****************
                \Delta_{\text{stag}} = 4meV. Search converged after 1 iterations.
                            \theta_{\text{crit}} = 8.47, Tayl = -0.085 - 0.735 \, k_x^4 + 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y + 1.069 \, k_x^2 \, k_y^2 - 0.103 \, k_x \, k_y^3 - 0.735 \, k_y^4 + 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y^4 + 0.103 \, k_x^4 \, k_y^2 - 0.103 \, k_x^4 \, k_y^3 - 0.735 \, k_y^4 + 0.103 \, k_x^4 \, k_y^4 - 0.103 \, k_x^4 \, k_y^4 + 0.103 \, k_y^4 \, k_
                Polynomial has corank 2. It is 5-determinate. Its determinacy is either 5 or 4
                      and its codimension is 8. Comparing with the known list of singularities:
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Polynomial has a catastrophe belonging to the X_9 singularity class.
*****************
\triangle_{\text{stag}} = 5meV. Search converged after 1 iterations.
             \theta_{\text{crit}} = 8.47, Tayl = -0.086 - 0.631 \, k_x^4 + 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y + 0.860 \, k_x^2 \, k_y^2 - 0.103 \, k_x \, k_y^3 - 0.631 \, k_y^4 \, k_y^3 + 0.860 \, k_x^4 \, k_y^2 - 0.103 \, k_x \, k_y^3 - 0.631 \, k_y^4 \, k_y^4 + 0.860 \, k_x^4 \, k_y^4 - 0.103 \, k_x^4 \, k_y^4 - 0.103 \, k_y^4 \, k_y^4 + 0.860 \, k_y^4 \, k_y^4 - 0.103 \, k_y^4 \, k_y^4 + 0.860 \, k_y^4 \, k_y^4 - 0.103 \, k_y^4 \, k_y^4 + 0.860 \, k_y^4 \, k_y^4 - 0.103 \, k_y^4 \, k_y^4 + 0.860 \, k_y^4 \, k_y^4 - 0.103 \, k_y^4 \, k_y^4 + 0.860 \, k_y^4 \, k_y^4 - 0.103 \, k_y^4 \, k_y^4 + 0.860 \, k_y^4 \, k_y^4 + 0.86
Polynomial has corank 2. It is 5-determinate. Its determinacy is either 5 or 4
       and its codimension is 8. Comparing with the known list of singularities:
Polynomial has a catastrophe belonging to the X<sub>9</sub> singularity class.
*****************
\triangle_{\text{stag}} = 6meV. Search converged after 1 iterations.
             \theta_{\text{crit}} = 8.47, Tayl = -0.087 - 0.562 \, k_x^4 + 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y + 0.722 \, k_x^2 \, k_y^2 - 0.103 \, k_x \, k_y^3 - 0.562 \, k_y^4
Polynomial has corank 2. It is 5-determinate. Its determinacy is either 5 or 4
      and its codimension is 8. Comparing with the known list of singularities:
Polynomial has a catastrophe belonging to the X_9 singularity class.
******************
\triangle_{\text{stag}} = 7meV. Search converged after 1 iterations.
             \theta_{\text{crit}} = 8.47, Tayl = -0.088 - 0.512 \, k_x^4 + 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y + 0.623 \, k_x^2 \, k_y^2 - 0.103 \, k_x \, k_y^3 - 0.512 \, k_y^4
Polynomial has corank 2. It is 5-determinate. Its determinacy is either 5 or 4
       and its codimension is 8. Comparing with the known list of singularities:
Polynomial has a catastrophe belonging to the X_9 singularity class.
*****************
\Delta_{\text{stag}} = 8meV. Search converged after 1 iterations.
             \theta_{\text{crit}} = 8.47, Tayl = -0.089 - 0.475 \, k_x^4 + 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y + 0.548 \, k_x^2 \, k_v^2 - 0.103 \, k_x \, k_v^3 - 0.475 \, k_v^4 + 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y + 0.548 \, k_x^4 \, k_v^2 - 0.103 \, k_x^4 \, k_v^3 - 0.475 \, k_v^4 + 0.103 \, k_x^4 \, k_v^
Polynomial has corank 2. It is 5-determinate. Its determinacy is either 5 or 4
       and its codimension is 8. Comparing with the known list of singularities:
Polynomial has a catastrophe belonging to the X_9 singularity class.
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In[367]:= FitFunc3M = Interpolation[HosListBand3M[All, 1;; 2]];
      Panel1 = Show[(*PlotBand9,*)Plot[FitFunc3M[x / 1000],
          \{x, 1, 7\}, FrameLabel \rightarrow \{ \Delta_{stag}(meV)'', \theta(\circ)'' \}, PlotLegends \rightarrow Placed[
             {Style["HOVHS (X_9)", FontFamily \rightarrow "Arial", FontSize \rightarrow 10]}, {0.6, 0.92}],
          PlotRange \rightarrow \{\{1, 7\}, \{7, 12\}\}\, Frame \rightarrow True, AspectRatio \rightarrow 1,
          FrameTicks \rightarrow {{Automatic, None}, {{1, 3, 5, 7}, None}}],
         Graphics[Text[Style["Max", FontFamily → "Arial", FontSize → 12], {4, 7.5}]],
         Graphics[Text[Style["Min", FontFamily → "Arial", FontSize → 12], {4, 10.5}]],
         Graphics[Text[Style["(a)", FontFamily \rightarrow "Arial", FontSize \rightarrow 12], {1.5, 11.65}]]
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In[340]:= HosListBand4M = {};
     SetSharedVariable[HosListBand4M];
     ParallelDo[
      HamCurr[k_{]} := Hamltn1[k[1] - k[2], k[1] + k[2], k[3], Delt];
      \thetaCurr = 8.46;
      CurrResln = 10^{-3};
      HOSFound = False;
      NoTry = 1;
      While NoTry ≤ 4 && HOSFound == False,
       TaylorPoly =
         Chop[TaylorExpandBand[HamCurr(*The Hamiltonian*), \{0, \pi // N, \theta Curr\}
            (*the (k,t) point at which we are going to series expand.*), 4
            (*Band to series expand*), 2(*Degree of Taylor polynomial*),
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"Dimension" → 2(*k-space dimension*), "TuningDegree" → 2
     (*Degree of tuning parameter terms*),
     "TuningSymbol" \rightarrow "\delta\theta" (*Symbols for the tuning parameters*),
     "Resolution" \rightarrow 10^{-4} (*Resolution below which we shall kill terms*),
     "SampleDirection" → {0.333, 0.779, 0.1335}
     (*A sample k-vector that will be used for diagonalising symbolic
       matrices. This is not needed in principle since we will
       generate a random one in the routine if this is not provided*),
     "Messages" → False(*YesMessage*)], 10<sup>-6</sup>];
 HesDet = (D[TaylorPoly[1, 3], \{p1, 2\}] \times D[TaylorPoly[1, 3], \{p2, 2\}] -
        (D[TaylorPoly[1, 3], p1, p2])^2) /. \{p1 \rightarrow 0, p2 \rightarrow 0\} // Simplify;
 If [Chop[ReplaceAll[HesDet, \{\delta\theta \rightarrow 0\}], CurrResln] == 0,
  HOSFound = True;
 ];
 \delta\thetaSolns = Solve[HesDet == 0, \delta\theta, Reals];
 MinSoln = 1;
  If [Abs [ReplaceAll [\delta\theta, \delta\thetaSolns [[]]]] < Abs [ReplaceAll [\delta\theta, \delta\thetaSolns [MinSoln]]],
   MinSoln = l;
  , {l, 1, Length[\delta\thetaSolns]}];
 \thetaCurr = \thetaCurr + \delta\theta /. \delta\thetaSolns[MinSoln];
];
If[HOSFound == True,
 TaylorPoly =
  Chop Taylor ExpandBand HamCurr (*The Hamiltonian*), \{0, \pi // N, \theta Curr\}
     (*the (k,t) point at which we are going to series expand.*), 4
     (*Band to series expand*), 4(*Degree of Taylor polynomial*),
     "Dimension" → 2(*k-space dimension*), "TuningDegree" → 0
     (*Degree of tuning parameter terms*),
     "TuningSymbol" \rightarrow "\delta\theta" (*Symbols for the tuning parameters*),
     "Resolution" \rightarrow 10^{-4} (*Resolution below which we shall kill terms*),
     "SampleDirection" → {0.333, 0.779, 0.1335}
     (*A sample k-vector that will be used for diagonalising symbolic
       matrices. This is not needed in principle since we will
       generate a random one in the routine if this is not provided*),
     "Messages" → False(*YesMessage*)], 10<sup>-6</sup>];
 AppendTo[HosListBand4M, {Delt, θCurr, NoTry, Total[
     \label{eq:chop_ReplaceAll_TaylorPoly_II_J, {p1 \to k_x, p2 \to k_y, \delta\theta \to 0}], CurrResln]]}];
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Print[Style["No HOS found in the range!", Red]];
                          ];
                          , {Delt, 0.001, 0.008, 0.001}]
                     We will have to sort the list since it was constructed using a parallelized Do loop:
In[343]:= HosListBand4M = SortBy[HosListBand4M, First];
                     Using this, we can diagnose the HOS and view the \theta_{crit} and Taylor expansion for each \Delta:
In[344]:= Do
                          Print["\Delta_{stag} = ", Round[1000 hosdata[1]]],
                              "meV. Search converged after ", hosdata[3], " iterations."];
                          Print["\t" <> "\theta_{\text{crit}} = ", NumberForm[hosdata[2], {4, 2}],
                               ", Tayl = ", NumberForm[hosdata[4], {4, 3}]];
                          DiagnoseHOS[Chop[hosdata[4], 10<sup>-2</sup>]];
                          Print[
                              , {hosdata, HosListBand4M}]
                     \triangle_{\text{stag}} = 1meV. Search converged after 1 iterations.
                                     \theta_{\text{crit}} = 8.47, Tayl = -0.080 + 1.866 \, k_x^4 - 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y - 4.133 \, k_x^2 \, k_y^2 + 0.103 \, k_x \, k_y^3 + 1.866 \, k_y^4 + 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y^2 + 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y^3 + 0.103 \, k_y^3 \, k_y^3 + 0.103 \, k_
                     Polynomial has corank 2. It is 5-determinate. Its determinacy is either 5 or 4
                             and its codimension is 8. Comparing with the known list of singularities:
                     Polynomial has a catastrophe belonging to the X_9 singularity class.
                      ******************
                     \triangle_{\text{stag}} = 2meV. Search converged after 1 iterations.
                                     \theta_{\text{crit}} = 8.47, Tayl = -0.079 + 0.826 \, k_x^4 - 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y - 2.053 \, k_x^2 \, k_y^2 + 0.103 \, k_x \, k_y^3 + 0.826 \, k_y^4
                     Polynomial has corank 2. It is 5-determinate. Its determinacy is either 5 or 4
                             and its codimension is 8. Comparing with the known list of singularities:
                     Polynomial has a catastrophe belonging to the X_9 singularity class.
                      ******************
                     \triangle_{\text{stag}} = 3meV. Search converged after 1 iterations.
                                    \theta_{\text{crit}} = 8.47, Tayl = -0.078 + 0.479 \, k_x^4 - 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y - 1.359 \, k_x^2 \, k_y^2 + 0.103 \, k_x \, k_y^3 + 0.479 \, k_y^4 + 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y^2 + 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y^3 + 0.479 \, k_y^4 + 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y^3 + 0.103 \, k_y^3 \, k_
                     Polynomial has corank 2. It is 5-determinate. Its determinacy is either 5 or 4
                             and its codimension is 8. Comparing with the known list of singularities:
                     Polynomial has a catastrophe belonging to the X_9 singularity class.
                     *****************
                     \Delta_{\text{stag}} = 4meV. Search converged after 1 iterations.
                                     \theta_{\text{crit}} = 8.47, Tayl = -0.077 + 0.305 \, k_x^4 - 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y - 1.012 \, k_x^2 \, k_y^2 + 0.103 \, k_x \, k_y^3 + 0.305 \, k_y^4 + 0.
                     Polynomial has corank 2. It is 5-determinate. Its determinacy is either 5 or 4
                             and its codimension is 8. Comparing with the known list of singularities:
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Polynomial has a catastrophe belonging to the X_9 singularity class.
 *****************
\triangle_{\text{stag}} = 5meV. Search converged after 1 iterations.
              \theta_{\text{crit}} = 8.47, Tayl = -0.076 + 0.201 \, k_x^4 - 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y - 0.804 \, k_x^2 \, k_y^2 + 0.103 \, k_x \, k_y^3 + 0.201 \, k_y^4 + 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y^2 + 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y^3 + 0.201 \, k_y^4 + 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y^3 + 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y^3 + 0.103 \, k_y^3 \, k_
Polynomial has corank 2. It is 5-determinate. Its determinacy is either 5 or 4
       and its codimension is 8. Comparing with the known list of singularities:
Polynomial has a catastrophe belonging to the X<sub>9</sub> singularity class.
*****************
\triangle_{\text{stag}} = 6meV. Search converged after 1 iterations.
              \theta_{\text{crit}} = 8.47, Tayl = -0.075 + 0.132 \, k_x^4 - 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y - 0.665 \, k_x^2 \, k_y^2 + 0.103 \, k_x \, k_y^3 + 0.132 \, k_y^4
Polynomial has corank 2. It is 5-determinate. Its determinacy is either 5 or 4
       and its codimension is 8. Comparing with the known list of singularities:
Polynomial has a catastrophe belonging to the X_9 singularity class.
 ******************
\triangle_{\text{stag}} = 7meV. Search converged after 1 iterations.
              \theta_{\text{crit}} = 8.47, Tayl = -0.074 + 0.082 \, k_x^4 - 0.103 \, k_x^3 \, k_y - 0.566 \, k_x^2 \, k_y^2 + 0.103 \, k_x \, k_y^3 + 0.082 \, k_y^4
Polynomial has corank 2. It is 5-determinate. Its determinacy is either 5 or 4
       and its codimension is 8. Comparing with the known list of singularities:
Polynomial has a catastrophe belonging to the X_9 singularity class.
 *****************
\Delta_{\text{stag}} = 8meV. Search converged after 1 iterations.
             \theta_{\text{crit}} \ = \ 8.47 \,, \ \text{Tayl} \ = \ -0.073 \,+ \, 0.045 \,\, k_x^4 \,- \, 0.103 \,\, k_x^3 \,\, k_y \,- \, 0.492 \,\, k_x^2 \,\, k_v^2 \,+ \, 0.103 \,\, k_x \,\, k_v^3 \,+ \, 0.045 \,\, k_v^4 \,\, k_v^3 \,\, k_v^2 \,+ \, 0.045 \,\, k_v^4 \,\, k_v^3 \,\, k_v^
Polynomial has corank 2. It is 5-determinate. Its determinacy is either 5 or 4
       and its codimension is 8. Comparing with the known list of singularities:
Polynomial has a catastrophe belonging to the X_9 singularity class.
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In[369]:= FitFunc4M = Interpolation[HosListBand4M[All, 1;; 2]];
       Panel2 = Show[(*PlotBand9,*)Plot[FitFunc4M[x / 1000],
           \{x, 1, 7\}, FrameLabel \rightarrow \{ \Delta_{stag}(meV)'', \theta(\circ)'' \}, PlotLegends \rightarrow Placed[
              {Style["HOVHS (X_9)", FontFamily \rightarrow "Arial", FontSize \rightarrow 10]}, {0.6, 0.92}],
           PlotRange \rightarrow \{\{1, 7\}, \{7, 12\}\}\, Frame \rightarrow True, AspectRatio \rightarrow 1,
           FrameTicks \rightarrow {{Automatic, None}, {{1, 3, 5, 7}, None}}],
          Graphics[Text[Style["Max", FontFamily → "Arial", FontSize → 12], {4, 7.5}]],
          Graphics[Text[Style["Min", FontFamily → "Arial", FontSize → 12], {4, 10.5}]],
          Graphics[Text[Style["(b)", FontFamily → "Arial", FontSize → 12], {1.5, 11.65}]]]
               (b)
                                        - HOVHS (X<sub>9</sub>)
          11
                                     Min
          10
       (°)
Out[370]=
          8
                                     Max
                                                5
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Phase Diagram

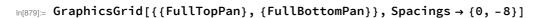
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In[855] := \Theta min = 7;
     \thetamax = 12(*9.6*);
     cm = 72 / 2.54;
     TicsFontSize = 6;
     AxesFontSize = 8;
     RegionFontColour = LightGray;
     FigLength = 3.5 cm;
     LeftPadding = 0.5 cm;
     RightPadding = 0.2 cm;
     BottomPadding = 0.5 cm;
     TopPadding = 0.15 cm;
     xTicsLabeled = {{7, "7"}, {8, "8"}, {9, "9"}, {10, "10"}, {11, "11"}, {12, "12"}};
     xTics = \{7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12\};
```

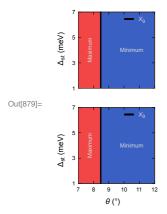
 $\Delta_{stag}(meV)$

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yTics = \{1, 3, 5, 7\};
VHsColour = \left\{ \frac{(*125*)161}{255}, \frac{(*9*)93}{255}, \frac{(*184*)216}{255}, 1(*0.65*) \right\};
MinColour = \left\{\frac{(*9*)59}{255}, \frac{(*73*)96}{255}, \frac{(*184*)196}{255}, 1(*0.65*)\right\};
MaxColour = \left\{\frac{(*207*)242}{255}, \frac{(*17*)70}{255}, \frac{(*51*)70}{255}, 1(*0.65*)\right\};
PanA = ParametricPlot[
    \{\{v \, FitFunc4M[u / 1000] + \theta min (1 - v), u\}, \{(1 - v) \, FitFunc4M[u / 1000] + \theta max \, v, u\}\},
    \{u, 1, 7\}, \{v, 0, 1\}, PlotRange \rightarrow \{\{\theta min, \theta max\}, \{1, 7\}\}, Frame \rightarrow True,
    PlotStyle → {RGBColor[MaxColour], RGBColor[MinColour]}, AspectRatio → 1,
    (*FrameTicks→{True, True}, *) (*FrameLabel→{None, Style["Δ<sub>nem</sub> (%)",
        FontFamily→"Arial", FontSize→AxesFontSize, FontColor→Black]},*)
    FrameTicksStyle → {{Directive[Black, FontFamily → "Arial", TicsFontSize],
        Directive[Black, FontOpacity → 0, FontSize → 0]},
       {Directive[Black, FontOpacity → 0, FontSize → 0],
        Directive[Black, FontOpacity → 0, FontSize → 0]}},
    FrameTicks → {{yTics, yTics}, {xTics, xTics}},
    ImagePadding → {{LeftPadding, RightPadding}, {0.6 TopPadding, TopPadding}},
    ImageSize → FigLength];
PanAp2 =
   ParametricPlot[{FitFunc4M[u/1000], u}, {u, 1, 7}, Axes → False, Frame → False,
    PlotStyle \rightarrow {Black, Thickness[0.018]}, PlotRange \rightarrow {\thetamin, \thetamax}, {1, 7}},
    PlotLegends → Placed[LineLegend[{Style["X<sub>9</sub>", FontFamily → "Arial",
           FontSize → TicsFontSize, FontColor → RegionFontColour]},
        LegendMarkerSize \rightarrow {10, 1.3}], {{0.75, 0.92}, {0.5, 0.5}}]];
FullTopPan = Labeled[
   Show[PanA, PanAp2, Graphics[Rotate[Text[Style["Maximum", FontFamily → "Arial",
         FontColor → RegionFontColour, FontSize → TicsFontSize], {7.75, 4}],
       90 Degree]], Graphics[Text[Style["Minimum", FontFamily → "Arial",
        FontColor → RegionFontColour, FontSize → TicsFontSize], {10.5, 4}]]],
   \{Style["\Delta_{st} (meV)", FontFamily \rightarrow "Arial", FontSize \rightarrow AxesFontSize, \}
     FontColor → Black], ""},
   {Left, Bottom}, Spacings → {0, 0}, RotateLabel → True]
PanB = ParametricPlot[
    \{\{v \ FitFunc3M[u / 1000] + \theta min (1 - v), u\}, \{(1 - v) \ FitFunc3M[u / 1000] + \theta max v, u\}\},
    {u, 1, 7}, {v, 0, 1}, PlotRange → {{\text{\text{Omin}, \text{\text{\text{Omin}}}}, \text{\text{1, 7}}}, Frame \rightarrow True,
    PlotStyle → {RGBColor[MaxColour], RGBColor[MinColour]}, AspectRatio → 1,
    FrameTicksStyle → {{Directive[Black, FontFamily → "Arial", TicsFontSize],
        Directive[Black, FontOpacity → 0, FontSize → 0]},
       {Directive[Black, FontFamily → "Arial", TicsFontSize],
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Directive[Black, FontOpacity → 0, FontSize → 0]}},
   FrameTicks → {{yTics, yTics}, {xTicsLabeled, xTics}},
   ImagePadding → {{LeftPadding, RightPadding}, {BottomPadding, 0.6 TopPadding}},
   ImageSize → FigLength];
PanBp2 = ParametricPlot[{FitFunc3M[u / 1000], u}, {u, 1, 7},
   Axes → False, Frame → False, PlotStyle → {Black, Thickness[0.018]},
   PlotLegends → Placed[LineLegend[{Style["X<sub>9</sub>", FontFamily → "Arial",
         FontSize → TicsFontSize, FontColor → RegionFontColour]},
       LegendMarkerSize \rightarrow {10, 1.3}], {{0.75, 0.92}, {0.5, 0.5}}]];
FullBottomPan = Labeled[
  Show[PanB, PanBp2, Graphics[Rotate[Text[Style["Maximum", FontFamily → "Arial",
        FontColor → RegionFontColour, FontSize → TicsFontSize], {7.75, 4}],
      90 Degree]], Graphics[Text[Style["Minimum", FontFamily → "Arial",
       FontColor → RegionFontColour, FontSize → TicsFontSize], {10.5, 4}]]],
  \{Style["\Delta_{st} (meV)", FontFamily \rightarrow "Arial", FontSize \rightarrow AxesFontSize, \}
    FontColor \rightarrow Black], Style["\theta (°)", FontFamily \rightarrow "Arial",
    FontSize → AxesFontSize, FontColor → Black]},
  {Left, Bottom}, Spacings → {0, 0}, RotateLabel → True]
           11
         10
       θ (°)
```

These can be labeled and assembled together into final form suitable for publications





We will generate the band structure for $\theta = 6$ °, θ_{crit} and $\theta = 10$ °.

```
ln[\cdot] := Ham1[k] := Hamltn1[k[1] - k[2], k[1] + k[2], 6, 0.005]
      Bnds1 = GenerateBandStructure[Ham1,
          HSymmPts, "OrbitalProjection" → False, "TotalPoints" → 200];
ln[732] = plt1 = PlotBandStructure[Bnds1, (*{-0.042,0.012}*){-0.2,0.1}, AspectRatio <math>\rightarrow 2,
          "yLabel" → {(*Label*)"E (eV)", (*Font Size*)AxesFontSize, (*Font Color*)
            Black, (*Font Family*)"Arial"}, "xLabel" → {AxesFontSize, Black, "Arial"},
          "yTicks" → {TicsFontSize, Black, "Helvetica"}, "LineThickness" → 0.009,
          "LineColorScheme" → {LightRed}, (*Dividing Lines*) "DividingLines" →
           {(*Dashing[..]*)0.01, (*Color*)Gray, (*Thickness*)0.004},
          "PlotKeyLegend" \rightarrow {{Style["\theta = 6°", FontSize \rightarrow TicsFontSize]}, {0.25, 0.95}}];
 log_{0} := \text{Ham2[k]} := \text{Hamltn1[k[1]]} - \text{k[2]}, \text{k[1]} + \text{k[2]}, \theta \text{crit}, 0.005]
      Bnds2 = GenerateBandStructure[Ham2,
          HSymmPts, "OrbitalProjection" → False, "TotalPoints" → 400];
ln[733]= plt2 = PlotBandStructure[Bnds2, (*\{-0.042,0.012\}*)\{-0.2,0.1\}, AspectRatio \rightarrow 2,
          "yLabel" → {(*Label*)"E (eV)", (*Font Size*)AxesFontSize, (*Font Color*)
            Black, (*Font Family*)"Arial"}, "xLabel" → {AxesFontSize, Black, "Arial"},
          "yTicks" → {TicsFontSize, Black, "Helvetica"}, "LineThickness" → 0.009,
          "LineColorScheme" → {Brown}, (*Dividing Lines*)
          "DividingLines" → { (*Dashing[..]*)0.01, (*Color*)
            Gray, (*Thickness*)0.004}, "PlotKeyLegend" →
           {{Style["\theta = 8.47^{\circ}", FontSize \rightarrow TicsFontSize]}, {0.25, 0.9}}];
 ln[n]:= Ham3[k] := Hamltn1[k[1] - k[2], k[1] + k[2], 10, 0.005]
      Bnds3 = GenerateBandStructure[HamOther2,
          HSymmPts, "OrbitalProjection" → False, "TotalPoints" → 200];
ln[738]= plt3 = PlotBandStructure[Bnds3, (*\{-0.042,0.012\}*)\{-0.2,0.1\}, AspectRatio \rightarrow 2,
          "yLabel" → {(*Label*)"E (eV)", (*Font Size*)AxesFontSize, (*Font Color*)
            Black, (*Font Family*)"Arial"}, "xLabel" → {AxesFontSize, Black, "Arial"},
          "yTicks" → {TicsFontSize, Black, "Helvetica"}, "LineThickness" → 0.009,
          "LineColorScheme" → {LightBlue}, (*Dividing Lines*)
          "DividingLines" → { (*Dashing[..]*) 0.01, (*Color*)
            Gray, (*Thickness*)0.004}, "PlotKeyLegend" →
           {\{\text{Style}["\theta = 10°", FontSize} \rightarrow \text{TicsFontSize}]\}, \{0.25, 0.85\}\}\}
In[880]:= BandsFinal = Show[plt1, plt3, plt2, ImageSize → 4.5 cm]
         0.10
         0.05
         0.00
-0.05
         -0.10
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-0.20 ← -M