

Semi-Infinite Rod, Albedo Problem, Anisotropic Scattering

This is code to accompany the book:

A Hitchhiker's Guide to Multiple Scattering

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Path Setup

Put a file at `~/hitchhikerpath` with the path to your hitchhiker repo so that these worksheets can find the MC data from the C++ simulations for verification

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In[27]:= SetDirectory[Import["~/hitchhikerpath"]]
```

Exponential Random Flight

Notation

α - single-scattering albedo

Σ_t - extinction coefficient

x - position coordinate in rod (source at $x = 0$)

g = 'mean cosine' of scattering

Analytic solutions

Half rod reflectance/albedo (R)

```
In[28]:= Clear[α, g]; R[α_, g_] := 
$$\frac{\alpha (1 - g)}{-\alpha - \alpha g + 2 \sqrt{(1 - \alpha) (1 - \alpha g)} + 2}$$

```

```
In[29]:= Series[R[α, g], {α, 0, 3}]
```

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Out[29]:= 
$$\left(\frac{1}{4} - \frac{g}{4}\right) \alpha + \left(\frac{1}{8} - \frac{g^2}{8}\right) \alpha^2 + \frac{1}{64} (5 + g - g^2 - 5 g^3) \alpha^3 + O[\alpha]^4$$

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In[30]:= R[α_, g_, n_] := α^n (SeriesCoefficient[R[A, g], {A, 0, n}] /. A → α)
```

'Radiance'

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In[31]:= LR[x_, α_, Σt_, g_] := 
$$e^{-\Sigma_t x \sqrt{(1 - \alpha) (1 - \alpha g)}}$$

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$$\text{In[32]}:= \text{LL}[\mathbf{x}_-, \alpha_-, \Sigma\mathbf{t}_-, \mathbf{g}_-] := \frac{\alpha (1 - \mathbf{g}) \mathbf{E}^{-\Sigma\mathbf{t} \cdot \sqrt{(1-\alpha)(1-\alpha\mathbf{g})}}}{-\alpha \left(2 \sqrt{\frac{1-\alpha\mathbf{g}}{1-\alpha}} + \mathbf{g} + 1 \right) + 2 \left(\sqrt{\frac{1-\alpha\mathbf{g}}{1-\alpha}} + 1 \right)}$$

Fluence

$$\text{In[33]}:= \phi[\mathbf{x}_-, \alpha_-, \Sigma\mathbf{t}_-, \mathbf{g}_-] := \text{LR}[\mathbf{x}, \alpha, \Sigma\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{g}] + \text{LL}[\mathbf{x}, \alpha, \Sigma\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{g}]$$

n-th collided fluence

$$\text{In[34]}:= \phi[\mathbf{x}_-, \alpha_-, \Sigma\mathbf{t}_-, \mathbf{g}_-, \mathbf{n}_-] := \alpha^n \left(\text{SeriesCoefficient}[\phi[\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{A}, \Sigma\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{g}], \{\mathbf{A}, 0, \mathbf{n}\}] /. \mathbf{A} \rightarrow \alpha \right)$$

moments

$$\text{In[59]}:= \phi\mathbf{m}[\alpha_-, \Sigma\mathbf{t}_-, \mathbf{k}_-, \mathbf{g}_-] := \Sigma\mathbf{t}^{-1-\mathbf{k}} ((-1 + \alpha) (-1 + \mathbf{g} \alpha))^{\frac{1}{2}(-1-\mathbf{k})} \left(1 + \frac{(-1 + \mathbf{g}) \alpha}{-2 \left(1 + \sqrt{\frac{-1+\mathbf{g}\alpha}{-1+\alpha}} \right) + \alpha \left(1 + \mathbf{g} + 2 \sqrt{\frac{-1+\mathbf{g}\alpha}{-1+\alpha}} \right)} \right) \text{Gamma}[1 + \mathbf{k}]$$

$$\text{In[61]}:= \phi\mathbf{m}[\alpha_-, \Sigma\mathbf{t}_-, \mathbf{k}_-, \mathbf{g}_-, \mathbf{n}_-] := \alpha^n \left(\text{SeriesCoefficient}[\phi\mathbf{m}[\mathbf{A}, \Sigma\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{k}, \mathbf{g}], \{\mathbf{A}, 0, \mathbf{n}\}] /. \mathbf{A} \rightarrow \alpha \right)$$

load MC data

```
In[45]:= fs = FileNames["code/rod/halfrod/albedoProblem/data/halfrod_albedoProblem_anisotropicscatter_exp*"];
```

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In[46]:= index[x_] := Module[{data, α, Σt, g},
  data = Import[x, "Table"];
  Σt = data[[1, 11]];
  α = data[[2, 3]];
  g = data[[1, -1]];
  {α, Σt, g, data};
simulations = index /@ fs;
```

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In[48]:= alphas = Union[#[[1]] & /@ simulations]
```

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Out[48]:= {0.1, 0.3, 0.5, 0.7, 0.9, 0.95, 0.98, 0.99, 0.999}
```

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In[49]:= muts = Union[#[[2]] & /@ simulations]
```

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Out[49]:= {1, 3}
```

```
In[50]:= gs = Union[#[[3]] & /@ simulations]
```

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Out[50]:= {-0.9, -0.7, -0.5, -0.3, -0.1, 0.1, 0.3, 0.5, 0.7, 0.9}
```

Monte Carlo vs Analytic

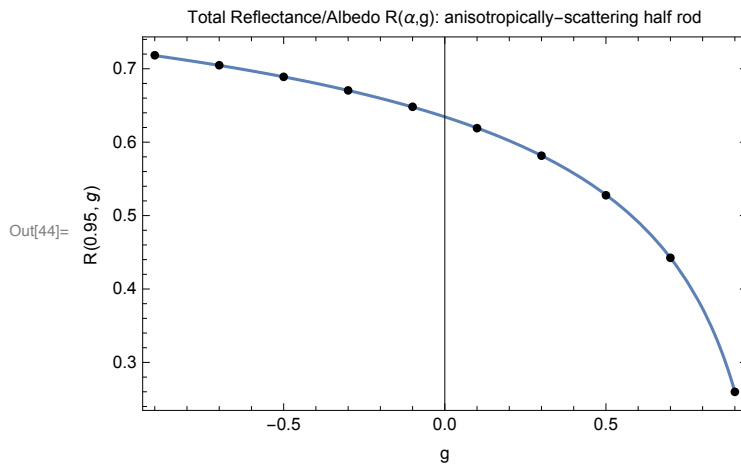
Albedo (reflectance) variation in g

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In[41]:= fsgvariation =
  FileNames["code/rod/halfrod/albedoProblem/data/halfrod_albedoProblem_anisotropicscatter_exp_c0.95_mut1.0_*"];
```

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In[42]:= RMC[filename_] := Module[{data},
  data = Import[filename, "Table"];
  {data[[1, -1]], data[[3, 3]]}
]
```

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In[43]:= gvariationpoints = Table[RMC[f], {f, fsgvariation}];
```

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In[44]:= Clear[g]; vizgvariation = Show[
  Plot[R[0.95, g], {g, -0.9, 0.9}],
  ListPlot[gvariationpoints, PlotStyle -> {PointSize[Medium], Black}],
  Frame -> True, FrameLabel -> {{R[0.95, g]}, {"g"},
    "Total Reflectance/Albedo R( $\alpha$ ,g): anisotropically-scattering half rod"}
]
```



n-th collided albedo

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In[53]:= Manipulate[
  If[Length[simulations] > 0,
    data = SelectFirst[simulations, #[[1]] ==  $\alpha$  && #[[2]] ==  $\Sigma t$  && #[[3]] ==  $g$  &][[4]];
    Rs = N[{data[[5]]}];
    ns = Table[n, {n, 0, numcollorders - 1}];
    analytic = Table[R[ $\alpha$ ,  $g$ , n], {n, ns}];
    j = Join[{ns}, {analytic}, Rs];
    TableForm[
      Join[{"n", "analytic", "MC"}, Transpose[j]]
    ]
  ,
  Text[
    "Uh oh! Couldn't find MC data. Try to evaluate this entire notebook and
      ensure the data path is setup correctly."
  ]
]
, { $\alpha$ , alphas}, { $\Sigma t$ , muts}, { $g$ , gs}]

```

Out[53]=

α	0.9	V
Σt	1	3
g	0.5	V

n	analytic	MC
0	0.	0.
1	0.1125	0.112566
2	0.0759375	0.0759619
3	0.0526816	0.0526925
4	0.0374823	0.0375206
5	0.0272828	0.0272438
6	0.0202648	0.0202852
7	0.015322	0.0152574
8	0.0117657	0.0117876
9	0.00915738	0.0091485
10	0.00721114	0.0071977
11	0.0057366	0.0057307
12	0.00460428	0.0046037
13	0.00372433	0.0037391
14	0.00303328	0.0030306
15	0.00248549	0.0024809
16	0.00204766	0.0020653
17	0.00169512	0.0017075
18	0.00140939	0.0014139
19	0.00117643	0.0011714

Internal distributions

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In[51]:= Clear[alpha,  $\Sigma$ t, g];
Manipulate[
  If[Length[simulations] > 0,
    data = SelectFirst[simulations, #[[1]] ==  $\alpha$  && #[[2]] ==  $\Sigma$ t && #[[3]] == g &][[4]];
    maxx = data[[2, 5]];
    dx = data[[2, 7]];
    numcollorders = data[[2, 11]];
    nummoments = data[[2, 13]];

    densmom = data[[11]];

    pointsCL = data[[7]];
    (* divide by  $\Sigma$ t to convert collision density into L *)
    plotpointsCL = ppoints[pointsCL, dx, maxx,  $\Sigma$ t];
    pointsCR = data[[9]];
    plotpointsCR = ppoints[pointsCR, dx, maxx,  $\Sigma$ t];
    (* divide by  $\Sigma$ t to convert collision density into fluence *)
    plotpoints $\phi$  = ppoints[pointsCL + pointsCR, dx, maxx,  $\Sigma$ t];

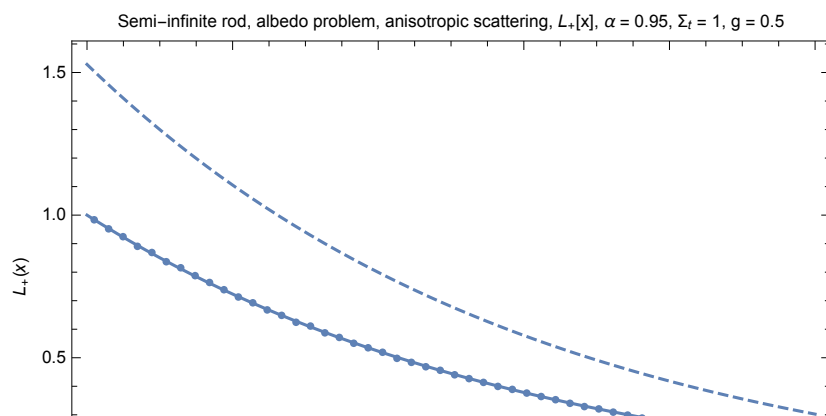
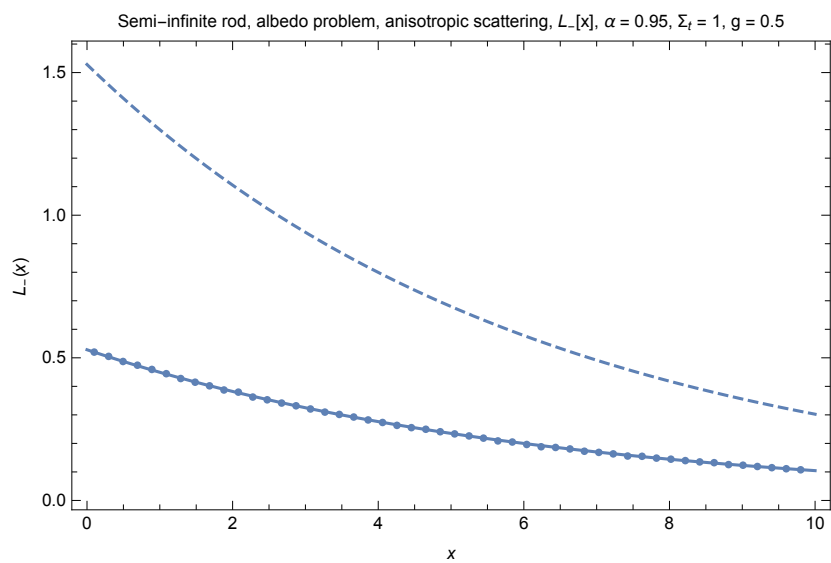
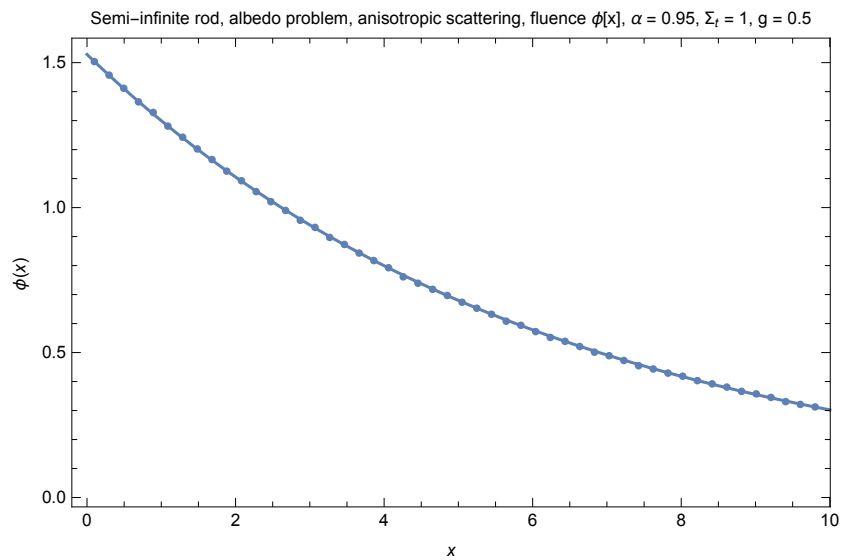
    plot $\phi$  = Show[
      ListPlot[plotpoints $\phi$ , PlotRange → All, PlotStyle → PointSize[.01]],
      Plot[ $\phi$ [x,  $\alpha$ ,  $\Sigma$ t, g], {x, 0, maxx}, PlotRange → All],
      Frame → True,
      FrameLabel ->
        {{ $\phi$ [x]}, {x, "Semi-infinite rod, albedo problem, anisotropic scattering,
          fluence  $\phi$ [x],  $\alpha$  = "<>ToString[ $\alpha$ ]<>
          ",  $\Sigma$ t = "<>ToString[ $\Sigma$ t]<> ", g = "<>ToString[g]}}
    ];

    plotLL = Show[
      ListPlot[plotpointsCL, PlotRange → All, PlotStyle → PointSize[.01]],
      Plot[LL[x,  $\alpha$ ,  $\Sigma$ t, g], {x, 0, maxx}, PlotRange → All],
      Plot[ $\phi$ [x,  $\alpha$ ,  $\Sigma$ t, g], {x, 0, maxx}, PlotRange → All, PlotStyle → Dashed],
      Frame → True,
      FrameLabel ->
        {{L[x]}, {x, "Semi-infinite rod, albedo problem, anisotropic
          scattering, L[x],  $\alpha$  = "<>ToString[ $\alpha$ ]<> ",  $\Sigma$ t = "<>
          ToString[ $\Sigma$ t]<> ", g = "<>ToString[g]}}}, PlotRange → All
    ];

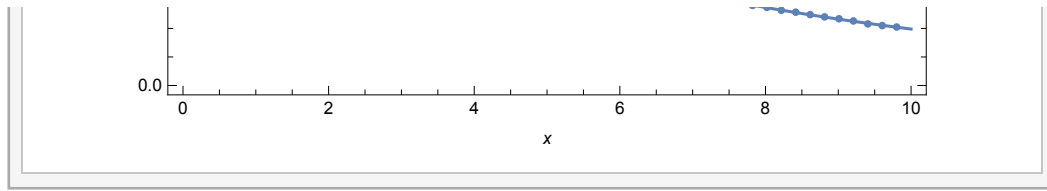
    plotLR = Show[
      ListPlot[plotpointsCR, PlotRange → All, PlotStyle → PointSize[.01]],
      Plot[LR[x,  $\alpha$ ,  $\Sigma$ t, g], {x, 0, maxx}, PlotRange → All],
      Plot[ $\phi$ [x,  $\alpha$ ,  $\Sigma$ t, g], {x, 0, maxx}, PlotRange → All, PlotStyle → Dashed],
      Frame → True,
      FrameLabel ->
        {{L+[x]}, {x, "Semi-infinite rod, albedo problem, anisotropic
          scattering, L+[x],  $\alpha$  = "<>ToString[ $\alpha$ ]<> ",  $\Sigma$ t = "<>
          ToString[ $\Sigma$ t]<> ", g = "<>ToString[g]}}}, PlotRange → All
    ];
  ];
  Show[GraphicsGrid[{{plot $\phi$ }, {plotLL}, {plotLR}}], ImageSize → 500]
  ,
  Text[
    "Uh oh! Couldn't find MC data. Try to evaluate this entire notebook and
    ensure the data path is setup correctly."
  ]
], { $\alpha$ , alphas}, { $\Sigma$ t, muts}, {g, gs}]

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α 0.95
 Σ_t
 g 0.5



Out[52]=



n-th collided radiance/angular flux

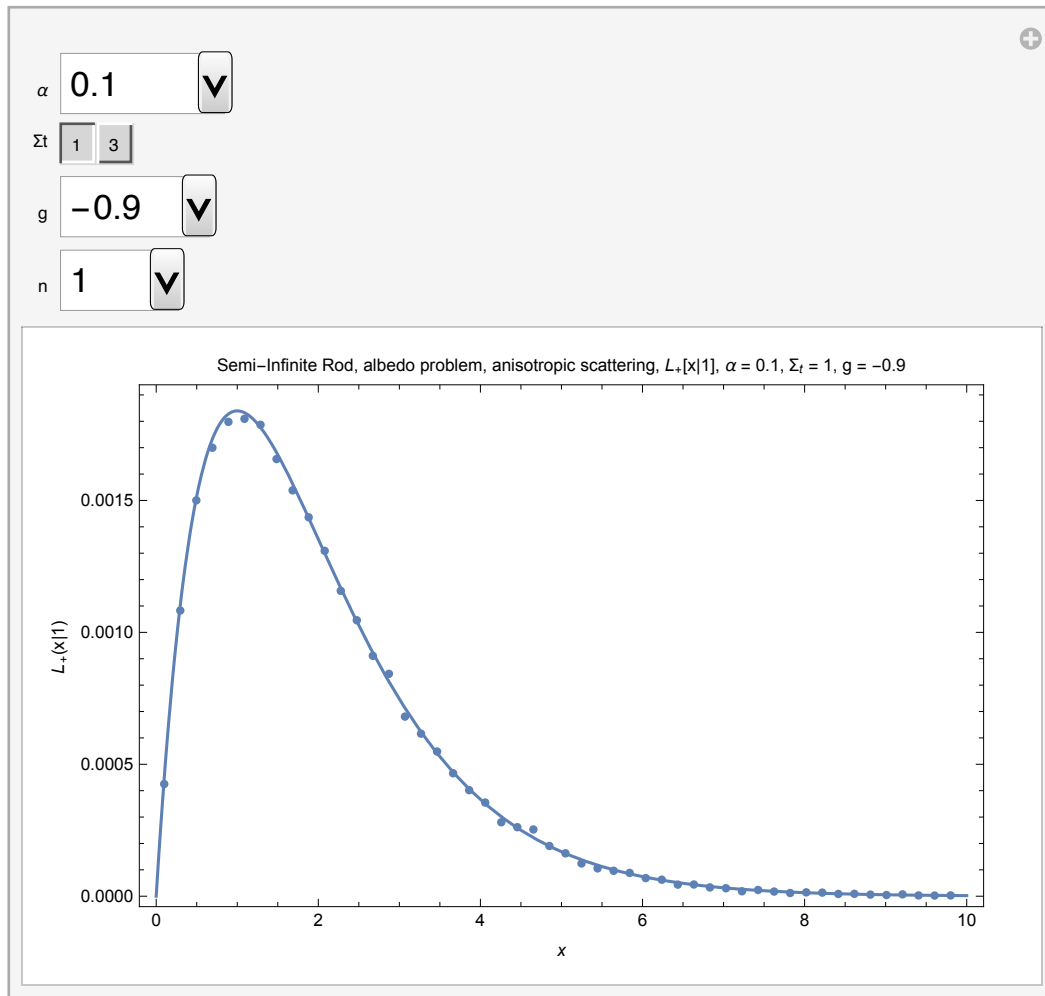
```

In[66]:= Manipulate[
  If[Length[simulations] > 0,
    data = SelectFirst[simulations, #[[1]] ==  $\alpha$  && #[[2]] ==  $\Sigma_t$  && #[[3]] ==  $g$  &][[4]];
    nthL = data[[13 + numcollorders + 1 ;; 13 + 2 numcollorders]];
    nthR = data[[13 + 2 numcollorders + 2 ;; -1]];

    Clear[c];
    LnR = FullSimplify[SeriesCoefficient[LR[x, c,  $\Sigma_t$ ,  $g$ ], {c, 0, n}]  $\alpha^n$ ;
    Show[
      ListPlot[ppoints[nthR[[n + 1]], dx, maxx,  $\Sigma_t$ ],
        PlotRange → All, PlotStyle → PointSize[.01]],
      Plot[LnR, {x, 0, maxx}, PlotRange → All]
    , Frame → True,
      FrameLabel -> {{L+["x"] <> ToString[n]},},
      {x, "Semi-Infinite Rod, albedo problem, anisotropic scattering, L+["x"] <>
        ToString[n] <> "],  $\alpha$  = " <> ToString[ $\alpha$ ] <> ",  $\Sigma_t$  = " <> ToString[ $\Sigma_t$ ] <>
        ",  $g$  = " <> ToString[ $g$ ] }}, PlotRange → All, ImageSize → 500
    ],
    Text[
      "Uh oh! Couldn't find MC data. Try to evaluate this entire notebook and
        ensure the data path is setup correctly."
    ]
  ],
  { $\alpha$ , alphas}, { $\Sigma_t$ , muts}, { $g$ , gs},
  {n, Range[If[NumberQ[numcollorders], numcollorders, 1]]}
]

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Out[66]=



N-th order Fluence / scalar flux

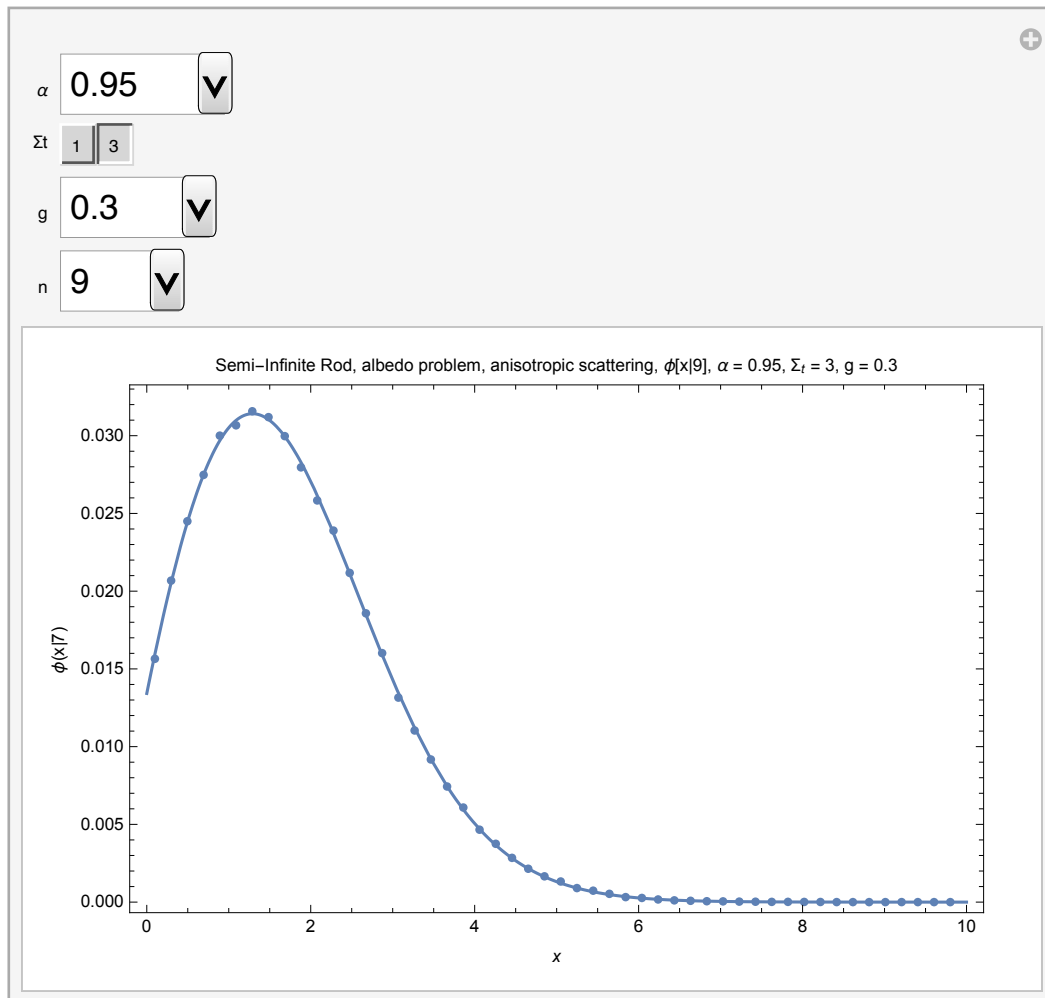
```

In[67]:= Manipulate[
  If[Length[simulations] > 0,
    data = SelectFirst[simulations, #[[1]] ==  $\alpha$  && #[[2]] ==  $\Sigma_t$  && #[[3]] ==  $g$  &][[4]];
    nthL = data[[13 + numcollorders + 1 ;; 13 + 2 numcollorders]];
    nthR = data[[13 + 2 numcollorders + 2 ;; -1]];

    Show[
      ListPlot[ppoints[nthR[[n + 1]] + nthL[[n + 1]], dx, maxx,  $\Sigma_t$ ],
      PlotRange → All, PlotStyle → PointSize[.01],
      Plot[ $\phi[x, \alpha, \Sigma_t, g, n]$ , {x, 0, maxx}, PlotRange → All],
      Frame → True, ImageSize → 500,
      FrameLabel -> {{ $\phi[x|7]$ }, {
        {x, "Semi-Infinite Rod, albedo problem, anisotropic scattering,  $\phi[x|<>$ 
          ToString[n] <> "],  $\alpha$  = " <> ToString[ $\alpha$ ] <> ",  $\Sigma_t$  = " <>
          ToString[ $\Sigma_t$ ] <> ",  $g$  = " <> ToString[ $g$ ] }}, PlotRange → All
      ],
      Text[
        "Uh oh! Couldn't find MC data. Try to evaluate this entire notebook and
        ensure the data path is setup correctly."
      ]
    ],
    { $\alpha$ , alphas}, { $\Sigma_t$ , muts}, { $g$ , gs},
    {n, Range[If[NumberQ[numcollorders], numcollorders, 1]]}]

```

Out[67]=



Compare moments of ϕ

Divide these results, which are collision density moments, by Σt to produce radiance/fluence moments:

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In[55]:= Manipulate[
  If[Length[simulations] > 0,
    data = SelectFirst[simulations, #[[1]] ==  $\alpha$  && #[[2]] ==  $\Sigma t$  && #[[3]] ==  $g$  &][[4]];
     $\phi$ moments = N[ $\frac{\text{data}[[11]]}{\Sigma t}$ ];
    ks = {Table[k, {k, 0, nummoments - 1}]};
    analytic = Table[ $\phi_m[\alpha, \Sigma t, k, g]$ , {k, ks}];
    j = Join[ks, analytic,  $\phi$ moments];
    TableForm[
      Join[{"k", "analytic", "MC"}, Transpose[j]]
    ],
    Text[
      "Uh oh! Couldn't find MC data. Try to evaluate this entire notebook and
      ensure the data path is setup correctly."
    ]
  ], { $\alpha$ , alphas}, { $\Sigma t$ , muts}, {g, gs}]
```

Out[55]=

α	0.7	V
Σt	1	3
g	0.5	V
k	analytic	MC
0	2.69692	2.6961
1	6.10731	6.10029
2	27.6607	27.5972
3	187.917	187.248
4	1702.19	1694.44
5	19273.6	19187.1
6	261876.	261277.
7	4.15123×10^6	4.16268×10^6
8	7.52055×10^7	7.59683×10^7
9	1.53276×10^9	1.55955×10^9

n-th collided moments of ϕ

```

In[63]:= Manipulate[
  If[Length[simulations] > 0,
    data = SelectFirst[simulations, #[[1]] ==  $\alpha$  && #[[2]] ==  $\Sigma t$  && #[[3]] ==  $g$  &][[4]];
     $\phi$ moments = N[ $\frac{\text{data}[[13 + n]]}{\Sigma t}$ ];
    ks = {Table[k, {k, 0, nummoments - 1}]};
    analytic = Table[Quiet[N[ $\phi$ m[ $\alpha$ ,  $\Sigma t$ , k,  $g$ , n]]], {k, ks}];
    j = Join[ks, analytic,  $\phi$ moments];
    TableForm[
      Join[{"k", "analytic", "MC"}, Transpose[j]]
    ],
    Text[
      "Uh oh! Couldn't find MC data. Try to evaluate this entire notebook and
      ensure the data path is setup correctly."
    ]
  ],
  { $\alpha$ , alphas}, { $\Sigma t$ , muts}, { $g$ , gs},
  {n, Range[If[NumberQ[numcollorders], numcollorders, 1]]}
]

```

Out[63]=

k	analytic	MC
0	0.21676	0.216829
1	0.647386	0.6475
2	2.82655	2.82672
3	15.6517	15.6511
4	103.863	103.854
5	799.736	799.75
6	6993.62	6997.56
7	68385.2	68544.5
8	738827.	743823.
9	8.73608×10^6	8.87589×10^6