

# Scattering Kernels in 3D

This is code to accompany the book:

A Hitchhiker's Guide to Multiple Scattering

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## Rayleigh Scattering

General form:

$$\text{pRayleigh}[u\_ , \gamma\_ ] := \frac{1}{4 \text{ Pi}} \frac{3}{4 (1 + 2 \gamma)} ((1 + 3 \gamma) + (1 - \gamma) u^2)$$

Common special case ( $\gamma = 0$ ):

$$\text{In[971]:= pRayleigh}[u\_ ] := (1 + u^2) \frac{3}{16 \text{ Pi}}$$

### Normalization condition

```
Integrate[2 Pi pRayleigh[u], {u, -1, 1}]
```

1

```
Integrate[2 Pi pRayleigh[u, y], {u, -1, 1}, Assumptions → y > 0] // Simplify
```

1

### Mean cosine (g)

```
Integrate[2 Pi pRayleigh[u] u, {u, -1, 1}]
```

0

```
Integrate[2 Pi pRayleigh[u, y] u, {u, -1, 1}, Assumptions → y > 0] // Simplify
```

0

### Legendre expansion coefficients

```
Integrate[  
  2 Pi (2 k + 1) pRayleigh[Cos[y]] LegendreP[k, Cos[y]] Sin[y] /. k → 0, {y, 0, Pi}]
```

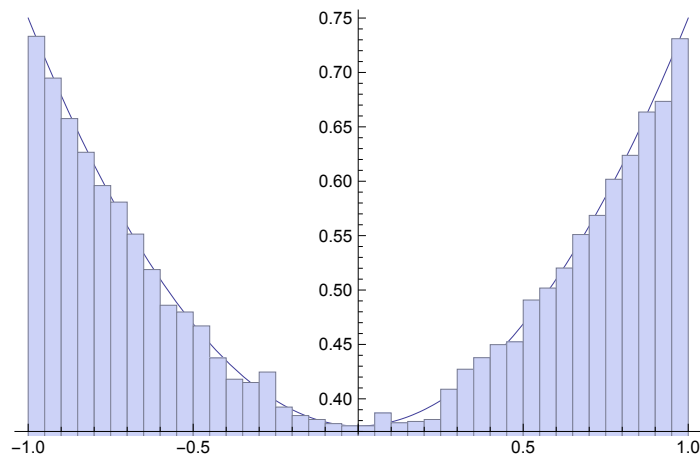
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```
Integrate[
  2 Pi (2 k + 1) pRayleigh[Cos[y]] LegendreP[k, Cos[y]] Sin[y] /. k -> 1, {y, 0, Pi}]
0
```

```
Integrate[
  2 Pi (2 k + 1) pRayleigh[Cos[y]] LegendreP[k, Cos[y]] Sin[y] /. k -> 2, {y, 0, Pi}]
1/2
```

## sampling

```
Show[
  Plot[2 Pi pRayleigh[u], {u, -1, 1}],
  Histogram[Map[ $\frac{1 - (2 - 4 \# + \sqrt{5 + 16 (-1 + \#) \#})^{2/3}}{(2 - 4 \# + \sqrt{5 + 16 (-1 + \#) \#})^{1/3}}$  &,
    Table[RandomReal[], {i, 1, 100 000}]], 50, "PDF"]
Clear[b];
```



## Adding/doubling integrals

```
In[972]:= With[{l = 0},
  2 - KroneckerDelta[l, 0]
  Pi
  Integrate[pRayleigh[mui muo +  $\sqrt{(1 - \text{mui}^2)(1 - \text{muo}^2)}$  Cos[phi]] Cos[l phi],
    {phi, 0, Pi}, Assumptions -> -1 < mui < 1 && -1 < muo < 1]
]
Out[972]=  $\frac{3 (3 - \text{muo}^2 + \text{mui}^2 (-1 + 3 \text{muo}^2))}{32 \pi}$ 
```

```
In[973]:= With[{l = 1},
  
$$\frac{2 - \text{KroneckerDelta}[l, 0]}{\pi}$$

  Integrate[pRayleigh[mui muo +  $\sqrt{(1 - \text{mui}^2)(1 - \text{muo}^2)}$  Cos[phi]] Cos[l phi],
    {phi, 0, Pi}, Assumptions  $\rightarrow -1 < \text{mui} < 1 \&\& -1 < \text{muo} < 1$ ]
]
Out[973]= 
$$\frac{3 \text{ mui muo } \sqrt{(-1 + \text{mui}^2)(-1 + \text{muo}^2)}}{8 \pi}$$

```

```
In[974]:= With[{l = 2},
  
$$\frac{2 - \text{KroneckerDelta}[l, 0]}{\pi}$$

  Integrate[pRayleigh[mui muo +  $\sqrt{(1 - \text{mui}^2)(1 - \text{muo}^2)}$  Cos[phi]] Cos[l phi],
    {phi, 0, Pi}, Assumptions  $\rightarrow -1 < \text{mui} < 1 \&\& -1 < \text{muo} < 1$ ]
]
Out[974]= 
$$\frac{3 (-1 + \text{mui}^2)(-1 + \text{muo}^2)}{32 \pi}$$

```

```
In[975]:= With[{l = 3},
  
$$\frac{2 - \text{KroneckerDelta}[l, 0]}{\pi}$$

  Integrate[pRayleigh[mui muo +  $\sqrt{(1 - \text{mui}^2)(1 - \text{muo}^2)}$  Cos[phi]] Cos[l phi],
    {phi, 0, Pi}, Assumptions  $\rightarrow -1 < \text{mui} < 1 \&\& -1 < \text{muo} < 1$ ]
]
Out[975]= 0
```