

K_0 NDF

This is code to accompany the book:

A Hitchhiker's Guide to Multiple Scattering

© 2020 Eugene d'Eon

www.eugenedeon.com/hitchhikers

notation

$$u = \mathbf{m} \cdot \mathbf{n} = \cos[\theta_m]$$

α = roughness

Definitions and derivations

$$\text{In[4508]:= } K_0'D[u_, \alpha_] := \frac{2 \text{BesselK}\left[0, \frac{2\sqrt{1-u^2}}{u\alpha}\right]}{\pi u^4 \alpha^2} \text{HeavisideTheta}[u]$$

$$\text{In[1414]:= } K_0'\sigma[u_, \alpha_] := u \left(1 + \frac{e^{-\frac{2u}{\sqrt{1-u^2}\alpha}} \sqrt{1-u^2} \alpha}{4u} \right) \text{HeavisideTheta}[u] + \text{HeavisideTheta}[-u] \frac{1}{4} e^{\frac{2u}{\sqrt{1-u^2}\alpha}} \sqrt{1-u^2} \alpha$$

$$\text{In[2650]:= } K_0'\Delta[u_, \alpha_] := \frac{e^{-\frac{2u}{\sqrt{1-u^2}\alpha}} \sqrt{1-u^2} \alpha}{4u}$$

$$\text{In[2651]:= } \text{FullSimplify}\left[K_0'\Delta\left[u, \frac{u}{\sqrt{1-u^2}x}\right], \text{Assumptions} \rightarrow 0 < u < 1 \&\& x > 0\right]$$

$$\text{Out[2651]= } \frac{e^{-2x}}{4x}$$

derivation

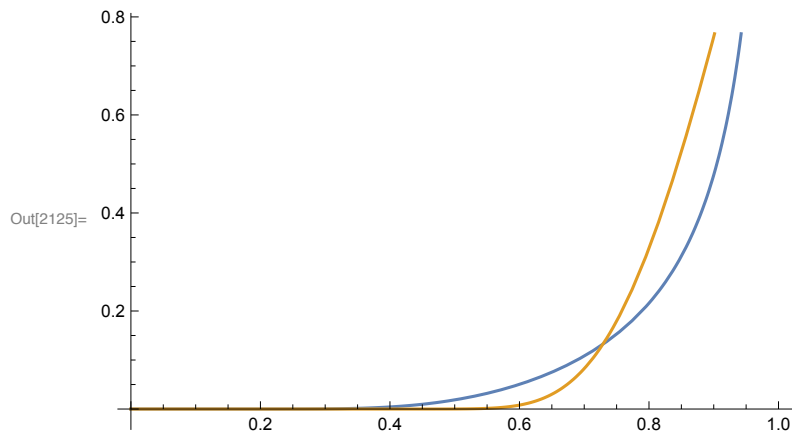
$$\text{In[2751]:= } \text{Beckmann}'D[u_, \alpha_] := \frac{e^{-1 + \frac{1}{\alpha^2 u^2}}}{\alpha^2 \pi u^4} \text{HeavisideTheta}[u]$$

$$\text{In[2752]:= } \text{Integrate}\left[\text{Beckmann}'D\left[u, \alpha \sqrt{m}\right] \text{Exp}[-m], \{m, 0, \text{Infinity}\}, \text{Assumptions} \rightarrow 0 < u < 1 \&\& \alpha > 0\right]$$

$$\text{Out[2752]= } \frac{2 \text{BesselK}\left[0, \frac{2\sqrt{1-u^2}}{u\alpha}\right]}{\pi u^4 \alpha^2}$$

```
In[2125]:= Plot[{K0`D[u, m], Beckmann`D[u, m]} /. m -> .5 // Evaluate, {u, 0, 1}]
```

... General: $\text{Exp}[-9.58482 \times 10^9]$ is too small to represent as a normalized machine number; precision may be lost.



The NDF is singular at $u = 1$ - no matter how rough you make it, it still has arbitrarily large BRDF values near the specular reflection direction and so always remains shiny.

```
In[2124]:= Limit[K0`D[u, a], u -> 1, Assumptions -> a > 0, Direction -> "FromBelow"]
```

```
Out[2124]= ∞
```

shape invariant f(x)

```
In[1373]:= FullSimplify[K0`D[u, α] u^4 α^2 /. u ->  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{1+x^2 \alpha^2}}$ ,  
Assumptions ->  $1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+x^2 \alpha^2}} > 0 \ \&\& \ x > 0 \ \&\& \ \alpha > 0$ ]
```

```
Out[1373]=  $\frac{2 \text{BesselK}[0, 2 x]}{\pi}$ 
```

height field normalization

```
In[1376]:= NIntegrate[2 Pi u K0`D[u, .6], {u, 0, 1}]
```

```
Out[1376]= 1.
```

distribution of slopes

```
In[1379]:= FullSimplify[K0`D[ $\frac{1}{\sqrt{p^2+q^2+1}}$ , α]  $\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{p^2+q^2+1}}\right)^4$ ,  
Assumptions ->  $0 < \alpha < 1 \ \&\& \ p > 0 \ \&\& \ q > 0$ ]
```

```
Out[1379]=  $\frac{2 \text{BesselK}\left[0, \frac{2\sqrt{p^2+q^2}}{\alpha}\right]}{\pi \alpha^2}$ 
```

```
In[1380]:= K0`P22[p_, q_, α_] :=  $\frac{2 \text{BesselK}\left[0, \frac{2\sqrt{p^2+q^2}}{\alpha}\right]}{\pi \alpha^2}$ 
```

```
In[1381]:= Integrate[K0`P22[p, q, α], {p, -Infinity, Infinity},
               {q, -Infinity, Infinity}, Assumptions → 0 < α < 1]
```

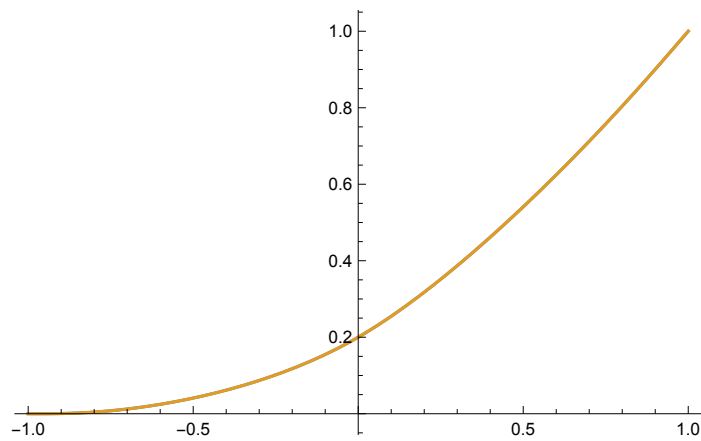
```
Out[1381]= 1
```

compare σ to delta integral:

```
In[1383]:= Delta`σ[u_, ui_] := Re[2 ( √(1 - u² - ui²) + u ui ArcCos[- (u ui) / (√(1 - u²) √(1 - ui²)) ] )]
```

```
In[1415]:= With[{α = .8},
  Plot[{
    Quiet[NIntegrate[K0`D[ui, α] × Delta`σ[u, ui], {ui, 0, 1}]],
    Quiet[K0`σ[u, α]]
  }, {u, -1, 1}]
]
```

```
Out[1415]=
```



importance sampling

```
In[4511]:= With[{α = 1.7},
  Show[
    Histogram[Table[1 /  $\left( \sqrt{1 - \left( \alpha \sqrt{-\text{Log}[\text{RandomReal}[]]} \right)^2} \text{Log}[\text{RandomReal}[]] \right)$ ],
      {i, Range[100 000]}], 200, "PDF"],
    Plot[K0`D[u, α] 2 Pi u, {u, 0, .999}, PlotRange → All]
```

