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SECTION II-A & APPENDIX B

Here we follow the reference and define the following matrix \mathbf{L} relating the current densities and the corresponding values of the chemical potential at each terminal. We are assuming here the system composed by three terminals with one of them being superconductor.

In the linear regime response, J_i is the current density which is given by Eq. (2) of the paper, reproduced below:

$$J_i = \sum_{j \neq i} \mathcal{L}_{ij,\mu} \Delta\mu_{ij} + \sum_{j \neq i} \mathcal{L}_{ij,T} \Delta T_{ij}, \quad (1)$$

with $eV_{ij} = \Delta\mu_{ij} = \delta\mu_i - \delta\mu_j$, $\Delta T_{ij} = \delta T_i - \delta T_j$. The authors assume $\vec{B} = 0$ and time-reversal symmetry which lead to the symmetry of the kinetic coefficients $\mathcal{L}_{ij,\mu} = \mathcal{L}_{ji,\mu}$ and $\mathcal{L}_{ij,T} = \mathcal{L}_{ji,T}$.

A. Isothermal conditions — step #1

In order to demonstrate some of the equations appearing in the paper, I shall start from the general expression:

$$\begin{bmatrix} J_L \\ J_S \\ J_R \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} & \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \\ \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} & 0 & \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} \\ \mathcal{L}_{RL,\mu} & \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \delta\mu_L \\ \delta\mu_S \\ \delta\mu_R \end{bmatrix}$$

where we assuming the isothermal condition, which is stated in the paper. In addition, the diagonal terms are zero since the summation is over different indexed as shown in Eq. [1] of the paper.

We need to invert such equations in order to write the chemical potential in terms of the current densities. Thus, we have:

$$\delta\vec{\mu} = \mathcal{L}_\mu^{-1} \vec{J}$$

By using the inverse of \mathcal{L}_μ , one obtains the following sought equations:

$$\delta\mu_L = \frac{1}{D_\mu} \{ [\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} (\mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu})] J_L + [\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} (\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu})] J_S + [\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} (\mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu})] J_R \} \quad (2)$$

$$\delta\mu_S = \frac{1}{D_\mu} \{ [(-\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}) \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu}] J_L + [\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} (\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu})] J_S + [(\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}) \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu}] J_R \} \quad (3)$$

$$\delta\mu_R = \frac{1}{D_\mu} \{ [\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} (\mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu}) - \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu}] J_L + [\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} (\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu})] J_S + [\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} (\mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu}) + \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} (2\mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu})] J_R \} \quad (4)$$

where we have defined $D_\mu = 2\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + 2\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + 2\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu}$ as the denominator factor appearing in the final expression for the inverse \mathcal{L}^{-1} .

In order to further simplify the calculations, the au-

thors assume the superconductor as a voltage probe, in such a way that $J_S = 0$ and, as a consequence of current conservation $J_L + J_S + J_R = 0$, we obtain: $J_L = -J_R \equiv J_{LR}$, being the flux between the L and R leads. By using this condition, we can rewrite Eqs. (2), (3) and (4) as follows:

$$\delta\mu_L = \frac{1}{D_\mu} \{ \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} \} J_{LR}, \quad (5)$$

$$\delta\mu_S = \frac{1}{D_\mu} \{ -\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} \} J_{LR}, \quad (6)$$

$$\delta\mu_R = \frac{1}{D_\mu} \{ \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} - 2\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} \} J_{LR}. \quad (7)$$

Next, we calculate the following variations:

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta\mu_{LS} = \delta\mu_L - \delta\mu_S = & \frac{1}{D_\mu} \{ \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} \} J_{LR} \\ & - \frac{1}{D_\mu} \{ -\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} \} J_{LR}\end{aligned}$$

which leads to

$$\Delta\mu_{LS} = \frac{2}{D_\mu} \{ \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} \} J_{LR}$$

or,

$$\Delta\mu_{LS} = \frac{2}{D_\mu} \{ \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} \} J_{LR}$$

and by substituting the expression for D_μ we have:

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta\mu_{LS} &= \frac{2J_{LR} \{ \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} \}}{2(\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu})}\end{aligned}$$

and we can also factorize $\mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu}$ within the denominator we have:

$$\Delta\mu_{LS} = \frac{2J_{LR} \{ \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} \}}{2\mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} (\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu})}$$

which leads to:

$$\Delta\mu_{LS} = \frac{\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}}{\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}} J_{LR}. \quad (8)$$

Next, we calculate $\Delta\mu_{RS} = \delta\mu_R - \delta\mu_S$:

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta\mu_{RS} = & \frac{1}{D_\mu} \{ \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} - 2\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} \\ & + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} \} J_{LR},\end{aligned}$$

which maybe reduced to,

$$\Delta\mu_{RS} = -\frac{2\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} J_{LR}}{2(\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu})}$$

and by noticing the common factor $2\mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu}$ we have:

$$\Delta\mu_{RS} = -\frac{\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}}{\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}} J_{LR}. \quad (9)$$

Next, we determine the expression for $\Delta\mu_{LR}$. In this way, we have:

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta\mu_{LR} = & \frac{1}{D_\mu} \{ \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} \} J_{LR} \\ & - \frac{1}{D_\mu} \{ \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} - 2\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} \} J_{LR}\end{aligned}$$

and we see some terms cancel out, and we obtain:

$$\Delta\mu_{LR} = \frac{(\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu})}{\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu}\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu}\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}} J_{LR} \quad (10)$$

By comparing Eqs. (9), (8) and (10) we notice that:

$$\Delta\mu_{LR} = \Delta\mu_{LS} - \Delta\mu_{RS}. \quad (11)$$

According to Eq. (B2) Appendix B of the paper, the resistance is defined as follows:

$$R_{LR,ij} \equiv \frac{\Delta\mu_{ij}}{eJ_{LR}}. \quad (12)$$

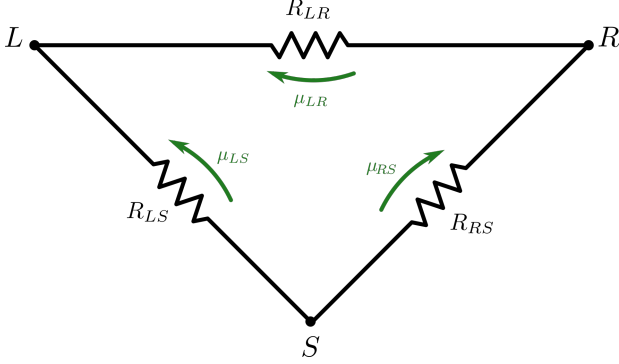


FIG. 1. A schematic resistor circuit illustrating the mapping of the three terminal nanostructure suggested by the authors.

In particular, $R_{LR,LR}$ is the local resistance which can be affected by the probe. The nonlocal resistances $R_{LR,RS} = -R_{LR,SR}$, $R_{LR,SL} = -R_{LR,LS}$ refer to the voltage between the $\{R, S\}$ or $\{S, L\}$ terminals and the current flowing between $\{L, R\}$ electrodes. Since the energy of the system is conserved, $\Delta\mu_{LR} + \Delta\mu_{RS} + \Delta\mu_{SL} = 0$, the local resistance $R_{LR,LR}$ is a linear combination of the two nonlocal resistances $R_{LR,SL}$ and $R_{LR,RS}$, $R_{LR,LR} = -R_{LR,SL} - R_{LR,RS}$. The local and nonlocal conductances are equivalent to the circuit conductances consisting of resistors $1/e\mathcal{L}_{ij,\mu}$ in a triangular geometry as illustrated in Fig. 1. In this way, the local conductance is a sum of the direct transmission between two (L and R) terminals combined with an indirect one via additional voltage probe S :

$$\mathcal{G}_{LR,LR} \equiv \frac{1}{R_{LR,LR}} = \frac{eJ_{LR}}{\Delta\mu_{LR}}$$

and using Eq. (10), we obtain:

$$\mathcal{G}_{LR,LR} = e \frac{\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu}\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu}\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}}{\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}}$$

and by dividing both numerator and denominator by $\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}$ we obtain:

$$\mathcal{G}_{LR,LR} = e \frac{\frac{\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu}\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu}\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}}{\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}}}{\frac{1}{\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}} + \frac{1}{\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}}}$$

which can be put into the form

$$\mathcal{G}_{LR,LR} = e \frac{\frac{\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu}\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}}{\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}} + \frac{\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu}\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}}{\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}} + 1}{\frac{1}{\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}} + \frac{1}{\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}}}$$

and by noticing some fractions may be simplified which leads to

$$\mathcal{G}_{LR,LR} = e \frac{\frac{\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu}}{\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}} + \frac{\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu}}{\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}} + 1}{\frac{1}{\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}} + \frac{1}{\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}}}.$$

We can factor $\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu}$ in the numerator to give:

$$\mathcal{G}_{LR,LR} = e \frac{\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \left[\frac{1}{\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}} + \frac{1}{\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}} \right] + 1}{\frac{1}{\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}} + \frac{1}{\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}}}$$

which leads to

$$\mathcal{G}_{LR,LR} = e\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} + e \frac{1}{\frac{1}{\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}} + \frac{1}{\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}}}. \quad (13)$$

Next, we determine the nonlocal conductance $\mathcal{G}_{LR,RS}$ which is given by:

$$\mathcal{G}_{LR,RS} = \frac{eJ_{LR}}{\Delta\mu_{RS}}$$

From Eq. (9) we have:

$$\mathcal{G}_{LR,RS} = -e \frac{\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu}\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu}\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}}{\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}},$$

which may expressed as

$$\mathcal{G}_{LR,RS} = -e \left[\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} + \frac{\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu}\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}}{\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}} \right]. \quad (14)$$

Next, we obtain the conductance $\mathcal{G}_{LR,LS}$, by using the definition:

$$\mathcal{G}_{LR,LS} = \frac{eJ_{LR}}{\Delta\mu_{LS}},$$

and by using Eq. (8)

$$\mathcal{G}_{LR,LS} = e \frac{\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu}\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu}\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}}{\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}}$$

which may be written as,

$$\mathcal{G}_{LR,LS} = e \left[\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} + \frac{\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu}\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}}{\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}} \right]. \quad (15)$$

B. Demonstration of Eq. (B6)

In order to determine the \mathcal{L} coefficients in terms of the resistances, we need to determine the expression for $R_{RS,LS}$ which is defined by taking the L -lead as a probe.

In this case, we set $J_L = 0$ and take $J_R = -J_S = J_{RS}$ in analogy to the previous definitions. By using Eqs. (2), (4) and (3), we can calculate the chemical potential differences among the leads, i.e., $\Delta\mu_{LS}$, $\Delta\mu_{RS}$ and $\Delta\mu_{LR}$ in a similar way we have obtained the previous calculations. By substituting $J_L = 0$, $J_R = -J_S = J_{RS}$ in Eqs. (2), (4) and (3) we have:

$$\delta_L\mu_L = \frac{1}{D_\mu} \{ \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} \} J_{RS}, \quad (16)$$

$$\delta_L\mu_S = \frac{1}{D_\mu} \{ \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} \} J_{RS}, \quad (17)$$

$$\delta_L\mu_R = \frac{1}{D_\mu} \{ \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} + 2\mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} \} J_{RS}. \quad (18)$$

Next, we calculate the chemical potential differences as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_L\mu_{LS} = \delta_L\mu_L - \delta_L\mu_S = \frac{1}{D_\mu} \{ & \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} \\ & - \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SL,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} - \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{SR,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} \} J_{RS} \end{aligned}$$

which leads to

$$\Delta_L\mu_{LS} = \frac{\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu}}{\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}} J_{RS}. \quad (19)$$

Next, we determine the resistance $R_{RS,LS}$ which is defined as follows:

$$R_{RS,LS} = \frac{\Delta\mu_{LS}}{eJ_{RS}}$$

and, by using Eq. (19), we have:

$$\Delta_L\mu_{LS} = \frac{\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu}}{\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}} J_{RS}.$$

We can express the conductance in terms of the coefficients:

$$\mathcal{G}_{RS,LS} = e \left[\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} + \frac{\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}}{\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu}} \right]. \quad (20)$$

By using Eq. (20) and the previous definitions for $\mathcal{G}_{LR,RS}$ and $\mathcal{G}_{LR,LS}$ we can form the following system of equations:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{G}_{LR,LS} &= \frac{1}{R_{LR,LS}} = +e \left[\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} + \frac{\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}}{\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}} \right], \\ \mathcal{G}_{LR,RS} &= \frac{1}{R_{LR,RS}} = -e \left[\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} + \frac{\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}}{\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}} \right], \\ \mathcal{G}_{RS,LS} &= \frac{1}{R_{RS,LS}} = +e \left[\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} + \frac{\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}}{\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu}} \right]. \end{aligned}$$

These equations may be written as follows:

$$R_{LR,LS} = \frac{\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}}{eD_L}, \quad R_{LR,RS} = -\frac{\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}}{eD_L}, \quad R_{RS,LS} = \frac{\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu}}{eD_L} \quad (21)$$

where we have defined, $D_L = \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} + \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} \mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}$.

Let's calculate the following quantity, D_R :

$$\begin{aligned} D_R &= R_{RS,LS} R_{LR,LS} - R_{LR,LS} R_{LR,RS} - R_{LR,RS} R_{RS,LS} \\ &= \frac{\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu}}{eD_L} \frac{\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}}{eD_L} + \frac{\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu}}{eD_L} \frac{\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}}{eD_L} + \frac{\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu}}{eD_L} \frac{\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu}}{eD_L} = \frac{D_L}{e^2 D_L^2} = \frac{1}{e^2 D_L} \end{aligned} \quad (22)$$

which leads to:

$$eD_R = \frac{1}{eD_L}. \quad (23)$$

Next, we replace D_L by D_R in Eqs. (21) which leads to,

$$\begin{aligned} R_{LR,LS} &= \mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} e D_R, \\ R_{LR,RS} &= -\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} e D_R \\ R_{RS,LS} &= \mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} e D_R \end{aligned}$$

resistances, which may be measured in experiments.

$$\mathcal{L}_{RS,\mu} = \frac{R_{LR,LS}}{e D_R}, \quad (24)$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{LS,\mu} = -\frac{R_{LR,RS}}{e D_R} \quad (25)$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{LR,\mu} = \frac{R_{RS,LS}}{e D_R} \quad (26)$$

which allows us to express the coefficients in terms of the