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Quantum dot as a single-electron transistor









Spin qubit





F. H. Koppens et al. Nature 442, 766 (2006)





Spin blockade









Effect of magnetic flux





Coulomb oscillation and AB oscillation



- Asymmetry of AB amplitude
- The asymmetry reflects the parity of electron number

AB amplitude for a spin-pair



H. Aikawa et al. PRL 92, 176802 (`04)

The Kondo Effect







Jun Kondo

What is happening ?

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Closed-Form Solution for the Collective Bound State due to the s-d Exchange Interaction

AKIO YOSHIMORI Institute for Solid State Physics, University of Tokyo, Tokyo, Japan (Received 6 September 1967)

$$\begin{split} \Psi &= \{ \sum_{k} \left[\Gamma_{k}^{\alpha} a_{k\downarrow}^{\dagger} \alpha + \Gamma_{k}^{\beta} a_{k\uparrow}^{\dagger} \beta \right] \longrightarrow \left(s \uparrow \rangle | d \downarrow \rangle - | s \downarrow \rangle | d \uparrow \rangle \right) \\ &+ \sum_{k_{1}k_{2}k_{3}} \left[\Gamma_{k_{1}k_{2}k_{3}}^{\alpha} a_{k_{1\downarrow}}^{\dagger} a_{k_{2\downarrow}}^{\dagger} a_{k_{3\downarrow}} \alpha + \Gamma_{k_{1}k_{2}k_{3}}^{\beta} \beta^{\dagger} a_{k_{1\uparrow}}^{\dagger} a_{k_{2\uparrow}}^{\dagger} a_{k_{3\uparrow}} \beta \\ &+ \Gamma_{k_{1}k_{2}k_{3}}^{\alpha} a_{k_{1\downarrow}}^{\dagger} a_{k_{2\uparrow}}^{\dagger} a_{k_{3\uparrow}} \alpha + \Gamma_{k_{1}k_{2}k_{3}}^{\beta} \beta^{\dagger} a_{k_{1\uparrow}}^{\dagger} a_{k_{2\downarrow}}^{\dagger} a_{k_{3\downarrow}} \beta \\ &+ \cdots \} \Psi_{v}, \quad (1) \end{split}$$
Fermi State
Magnetic impurity : Screened by a Kondo cloud

The Kondo Effect in a Quantum Dot System



The Fano-Kondo Effect in Transport

Coulomb peaks



T-coupled Quantum Dot-Wire Hybrid



- U = 0.3 0.7 meV
- *∆* = 0.3 0.5meV
- Dot diameter ~ 50nm

Spatially compact -> high coherence

Single connection point -> small dot size is available



Coupling strength dependence of anti-resonance





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"Coherent" component and the Fano-Kondo Effect



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「半導体」講義ノート

English

2013年前期,再び「半導体」の講義を担当することになりました.今回は一応半年間で,非常 導体」と全く同じではありませんが,当然オーバーラップはあります. 黒板で喋りながら書いた 間違いを見つけられた方,お教えいただくのは大歓迎です.

4/15より英語での講義となります. Broken Englishでごめんなさい. まあ, 国際会議等ではこの 英文のレジュメも用意する予定です.

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2013年度レポート問題

まだ完成版ではありませんが、レポート問題もアップしました.英文版は近々アップロード予定.

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Select two from the following eight problems and answer them.

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Attachment to email Send it to kats plus @issp.u-tokyo.ac.jp (Confirm the receipt within two days.) Papers: Intra-university mail to 勝本信吾 at 物性研究所 or drop box at administration office (物理教務)

Dead line: End of August, 2013

(i) Show that tight-binding approximation to the simple cubit lattice gives the dispersion as

$$E_n(\mathbf{k}) = E_n - \alpha_n - 2t \sum_{j=x,y,x} \cos k_j a.$$

Apply the same to the body-centered cubic and the face-centered cubit structures.

I. Fundamentals in band theory

(ii) Wavefunctions at the top of valence band (Γ -point) in sp3-bonding diamond structure semiconductors can be written to the second order of $k \cdot p$ approximation

as
Heavy hole band:
$$\left|\frac{3}{2}, \pm \frac{1}{2}\right\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \left\{ 2|z\rangle \begin{pmatrix} \alpha\\ \beta \end{pmatrix} - (|x\rangle \pm i|y\rangle) \begin{pmatrix} \beta\\ \alpha \end{pmatrix} \right\},$$

Light hole band: $\left|\frac{3}{2} \pm \frac{3}{2}\right\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|x\rangle \pm i|y\rangle) \begin{pmatrix} \alpha\\ \beta \end{pmatrix},$
Spin split-off band: $\left|\frac{1}{2}, \pm \frac{1}{2}\right\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \left\{ |z\rangle \begin{pmatrix} \alpha\\ \beta \end{pmatrix} + (|x\rangle + i|y\rangle) \begin{pmatrix} \beta\\ \alpha \end{pmatrix} \right\},$

where α and β are spin part of the wavefunction, and $|x\rangle$, $|y\rangle$, $|z\rangle$ are just showing the symmetry along the axes.

Show that these functions diagonalize the spin-orbit interaction

$$H_{\rm so} = \frac{C_{\rm so}}{r^3} (\boldsymbol{l} \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma})$$

II Si valley structure, carrier statistics, pn junction



(i) The conduction band bottom of Si consists of 6 equivalent valleys close to X-points (bit inside the first Brillouin zone). The effective transverse mass $m_t = 0.19m_0$, the effective longitudinal mass $m_l = 0.97m_0$, which were obtained from cyclotron resonance. The valence band top is at the Γ -point. It has degeneracy of heavy and light hole bands as well as strong non-parabolicity. Averaged effective mass for heavy hole is $m_{hh} = 0.49m_0$, and for light hole $m_{lh} = 0.16m_0$.

(1-a) Calculate the effective density of states N_c for the conduction band at temperature *T*. (1-b) Also obtain the effective density of states N_v for the valence band. (1-c) Calculate the *np* product (n_i^2) at 300K (the band gap at 300K is 1.1 eV).

(ii) Obtain 300K built-in potential of a Si pn diode, which is abruptly doped as $n = 1 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3}$, $p = 5 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3}$. Use the value of *np* product obtained in (1-c).

III CV characteristics of pn diodes

$V_{\rm b}~({ m V})$	$C (\mathrm{pF})$
0.0	408
-0.2	380
-0.4	350
-0.6	334
-0.8	313
-1.0	296
-1.2	283
-1.4	273

There is a GaAs (dielectric constant 13) p⁺n diode grown with molecular beam epitaxy. Doping is abrupt and uniform for both p and n layers. We have cut the grown film to a 1mm^2 area and measured the differential capacitance with applying the (negative) bias voltage V_b and obtained the results summarized in the table on the left.

Obtain the built-in potential in unit of V. The measured C contains some experimental errors.

Assume that the capacitance is dominated by the doping in the n layer and obtain the donor concentration in the n layer in unit cm⁻³.

IV Various confinement potentials

Choose the material as GaAs (electron effective mass $m^* = 0.067m_0$) and calculate energy levels for various one-dimensional confinement (along *z*).

(i) Quantum well with infinite barrier height and width a = 10nm. Obtain energy levels for ground state, 1st and 2nd excited states.

(ii) The *n*-th eigen value of triangular potential

potential $U(z) = \begin{cases} \infty & (z < 0) \\ e\mathcal{E}z & (z \ge 0) \end{cases}$

for $\mathcal{E} = 10^5$ V/cm. Refer to appendix "Eigenstates of triangular potential".

(iii) The *n*-th engenvalue of harmonic potential

$$U(z) = \frac{m^* \omega^2}{2} z^2$$

V Photoluminescence from quantum wells



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Results for *d* =5 nm, 7.5 nm, 10 nm, 15 nm.

T = 4K.

Calculated confinement energies of quantum wells.

Obtain exciton binding energies.

VI Coherent transport I

(i) Derive Landauer formula for a four terminal quantum wire with transmission coefficient *T* by using Landauer-Buettiker formalism.

(ii) Treat an AB ring as a four terminal conductor with transmission coefficients shown in the following figure.



Obtain ordinary resistance (left) and non-local resistance (right).

(i) Let M_T be a transfer matrix of a potential barrier with a complex transmission coefficient *t* and a complex reflection coefficient *r*. Show that MT can be expressed as follows.

$$M_T = \begin{pmatrix} 1/t^* & -r^*/t^* \\ -r/t & 1/t \end{pmatrix}$$

(ii) If an AB ring is a double slit system, the probability amplitude of outgoing wavefunction is written as

$$|\psi|^2 = |\psi_1|^2 + |\psi_2|^2 + 2|\psi_1||\psi_2|\cos\theta,$$

which gives if we put $|\psi_1| = |\psi_2|$ and $\theta = -\pi$, zero. The result is apparently against the requirement of unitarity. Also in $\theta = \frac{e\Phi}{\hbar} + \theta_0$, if $\theta_0 \neq 0$, Onsagar reciprocity is also broken (Φ is magnetic flux piercing through the ring). Discuss what is wrong in the above "double slit model".

VIII Electric transport through edge modes

