

Methoden moderner Röntgenphysik II: Streuung und Abbildung

Lecture 4

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Introduction

Overview, Introduction to X-ray scattering

X-ray Scattering Primer

Elements of X-ray scattering

Sources of X-rays, Synchrotron Radiation

Laboratory sources, accelerator bases sources

Reflection and Refraction

Snell's law, Fresnel equations,

Kinematical Diffraction (I)

Diffraction from an atom, molecule, liquids, glasses,..

Kinematical Diffraction (II)

Diffraction from a crystal, reciprocal lattice, structure factor,..

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Small Angle Scattering, and Soft Matter

Introduction, form factor, structure factor, applications, ..

Anomalous Diffraction

Introduction into anomalous scattering,..

Introduction into Coherence

Concept, First order coherence, ..

Coherent Scattering

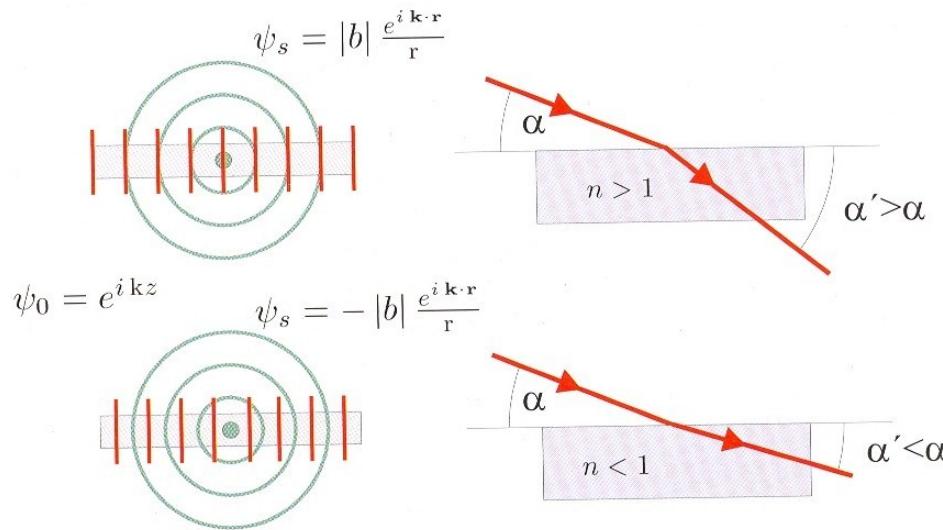
Spatial coherence, second order coherence,..

Applications of coherent Scattering

Imaging and Correlation spectroscopy,..

Refraction and Reflexion from Interfaces

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Rays of light propagating in air change direction when entering glass, water or another transparent material.

Governed by Snell's law:

$$\cos \alpha / \cos \alpha' = n \text{ (refractive index)}$$

$$n = n(\omega) \quad 1.2 < n < 2 \text{ visible light}$$

$$n < 1 \text{ X-rays } (\alpha' < \alpha)$$

$$n = 1 - \delta \quad \delta \approx 10^{-5}$$

Note: spherical wave $\exp(i\mathbf{k}'\mathbf{r})$

$$\mathbf{k}' = nk = (n/c)\omega = \omega/v$$

with $v=c/n$ phase velocity

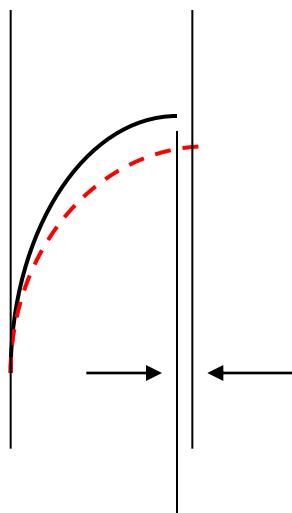
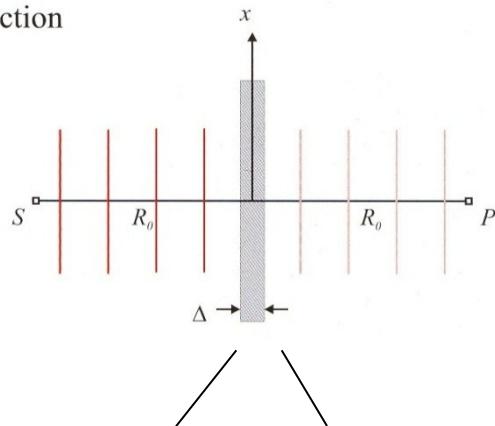
($v>c$ for $n<1$; but group velocity $d\omega/dk \leq c$)

total external reflexion:

for $\alpha < \alpha_c$ (critical angle)

▪ Refractive Index

Refraction



Phase difference

Refractive picture:

Consider plane wave impinging on a slab with thickness Δ and refractive index n . Evaluate amplitude at observation point P (compared to the situation without slab).

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{no slab: } \exp(ik\Delta) \\ \text{slab: } \exp(ink\Delta) \end{array} \right\} \text{phase difference: } \exp(i(nk-k)\Delta)$$

amplitude:

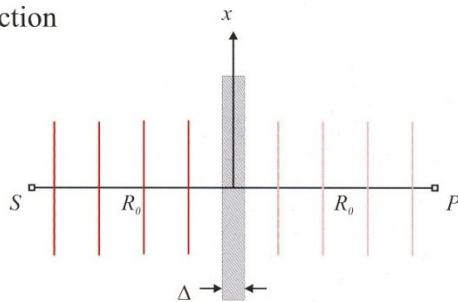
$$\begin{aligned} \Psi_{\text{tot}}^P / \Psi_0^P &= \exp(ink\Delta) / \exp(ik\Delta) \\ &= \exp(i(nk-k)\Delta) \end{aligned}$$

$$\exp(i\alpha) = \cos\alpha + i\sin\alpha \xrightarrow[\alpha \text{ small}]{\quad} 1+i\alpha$$

$$\boxed{\Psi_{\text{tot}}^P \approx \Psi_0^P [1 + i(n-1)k\Delta]} \quad (\$)$$

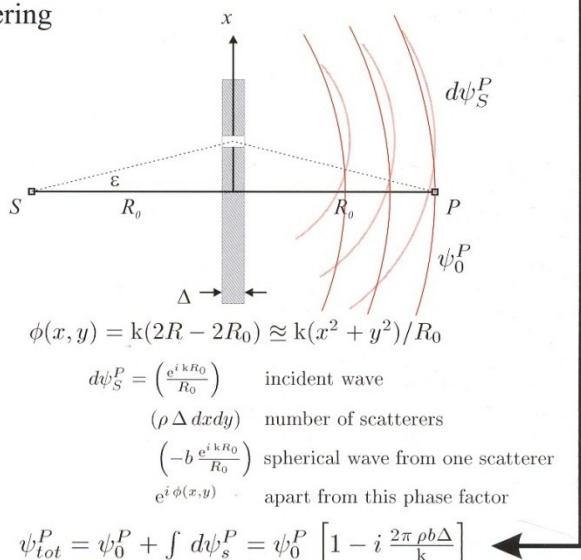
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$$\psi_{tot}^P = \psi_0^P e^{i(nk-k)\Delta} \approx \psi_0^P [1 + i(n-1)k\Delta]$$

Scattering



$$\phi(x, y) = k(2R - 2R_0) \approx k(x^2 + y^2)/R_0$$

$$d\psi_s^P = \left(\frac{e^{ikR_0}}{R_0}\right) \text{ incident wave}$$

$$(\rho \Delta dx dy) \text{ number of scatterers}$$

$$\left(-b \frac{e^{ikR_0}}{R_0}\right) \text{ spherical wave from one scatterer}$$

$$e^{i\phi(x, y)} \text{ apart from this phase factor}$$

$$\psi_{tot}^P = \psi_0^P + \int d\psi_s^P = \psi_0^P \left[1 - i \frac{2\pi \rho b \Delta}{k} \right]$$

Scattering picture:

$$R = \sqrt{R_0^2 + x^2} = \sqrt{R_0^2(1 + x^2/R_0^2)}$$

$$\approx R_0 \sqrt{1 + x^2/R_0^2 + x^4/4R_0^4}$$

$$= R_0 \sqrt{\{1 + x^2/2R_0^2\}^2} = R_0 [1 + x^2/2R_0^2]$$

phase difference ($2kR$) btw. direct rays and rays following path R ;

$$2kx^2/2R_0 = kx^2/R_0$$

include y direction:

$$\exp(i\Phi(x, y)) = \exp(i(x^2 + y^2)k/R_0)$$

amplitude at P:

phase factor

$$d\psi_s^P \approx$$

$$\exp(ikR_0/R_0) (\rho \Delta dx dy) (b \exp(ikR_0/R_0) \exp(i\Phi(x, y)))$$

incident
wave

number of scatters
in volume element
 $\rho \Delta dx dy$

scattered wave
from 1 scatterer

• Refractive Index

$$\Psi_s^P = \int d\Psi_s^P = -\rho b \Delta \{ \exp(i2kR_o) \} / R_o^2 \cdot \frac{\int \exp(i\Phi(x,y) dx dy)}{i\pi R_o/k} \quad [1]$$

iπRo/k [Ref. 1]

Amplitude at P without slab:

$$\Psi_o^P = \{ \exp(ik2R_o) \} / 2R_o \quad [2]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi_{tot}^P &= [1] + [2] = \Psi_o^P [1 - i2\pi\rho b \Delta / k] \equiv \\ &\equiv (\$) \equiv \Psi_o^P [1 + i(n-1)k\Delta] \end{aligned}$$

→ $n = 1 - 2\pi\rho b / k^2 = 1 - \delta$

$$k = 2\pi/\lambda = 4\text{\AA}^{-1}, b = ro = 2.82 \times 10^{-5}\text{\AA}, \rho = 1\text{e}^-/\text{\AA}^3: \delta \approx 10^{-5}$$

If a homogeneous electron density ρ is replaced by a plate composed of atoms:

$$\rho = \rho_a f^0(0)$$

Number density × atomic scattering factor

$$\delta = 2\pi\rho_a f^0(0)r_0/k^2$$

Total external reflexion ($\alpha' = 0$) for $\alpha = \alpha_c$:

$$\cos \alpha = n \cos \alpha'$$

$$\cos \alpha_c = 1 - \delta = 1 - \alpha_c^2/2$$

$$\alpha_c = \sqrt{2\delta} = \sqrt{4\pi\rho r_0/k^2}$$

[Ref. 1: Als-Nielsen & McMorrow p. 66]

critical angle for Si

$$\alpha_c = \sqrt{2\delta} = \sqrt{4\pi\rho r_0/k^2}$$

Silicon: $\rho = 0.699 \text{ e-}/\text{\AA}^3$, $\lambda = 1\text{\AA}$

$$\begin{aligned}\alpha_c &= \sqrt{4\pi \times 0.699 \times 2.82e-5 \times 1/(2\pi)^2} \\ &= 0.0025 \text{ rad}\end{aligned}$$

$$Q_c = (4\pi/\lambda) \sin\alpha_c = 0.032 \text{ \AA}^{-1}$$

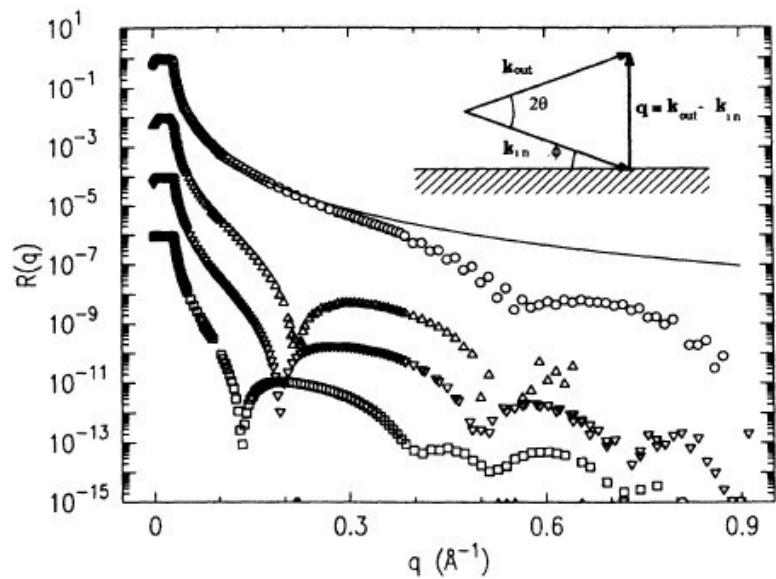
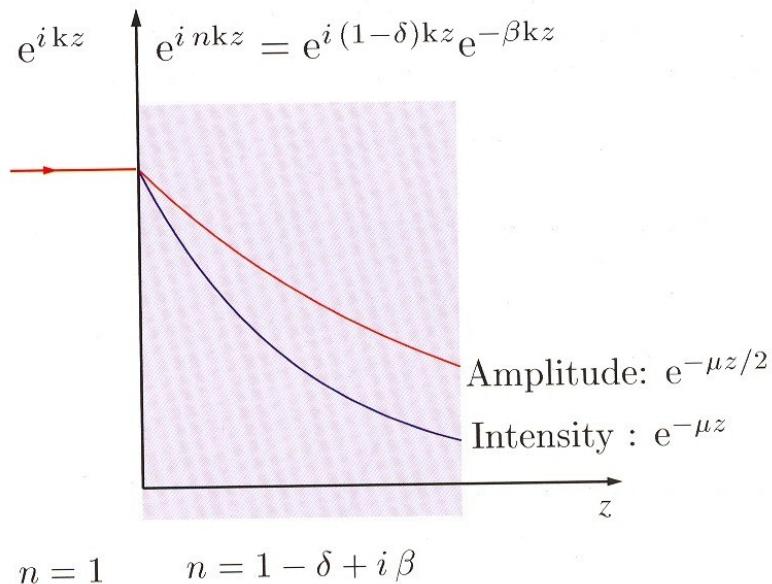


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• Refraction including absorption



$$n = 1 - \delta + i\beta$$

wave propagating in a medium:

$$\exp(inkz) = \exp(i(1-\delta)kz) \exp(-\beta kz)$$

attenuation of amplitude: $\exp(-\mu z/2)$

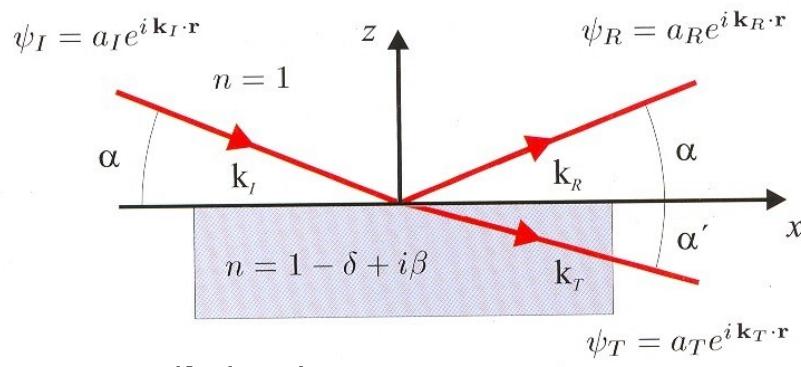
(when intensity drops according to $\exp(-\mu z)$)

$$\beta = \mu/2k$$

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$$k = |\mathbf{k}_I| = |\mathbf{k}_R|$$



$$|\mathbf{k}_T| = nk$$

Require that the wave and its derivative is continuous at the interface:

$$a_I + a_R = a_T \quad (\text{A})$$

$$a_I \mathbf{k}_I + a_R \mathbf{k}_R = a_T \mathbf{k}_T \quad (\text{B})$$

$$\parallel: a_I k \cos \alpha + a_R k \cos \alpha = a_T (nk) \cos \alpha' \quad (\text{B}')$$

$$\perp: -(a_I - a_R) k \sin \alpha = -a_T (nk) \sin \alpha' \quad (\text{B}'')$$

$$\cos \alpha = n \cos \alpha'$$

$$(\text{B}' + \text{A})$$

$$\underline{\alpha, \alpha'} \text{ small: } (\cos z = 1 - z^2/2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha^2 &= \alpha'^2 + 2\delta - 2i\beta \\ &= \alpha'^2 + \alpha_c^2 - 2i\beta \end{aligned} \quad (\text{C})$$

$$a_I - a_R / a_I + a_R = n (\sin \alpha' / \sin \alpha) \approx \alpha' / \alpha \quad (\text{B}'' + \text{A})$$

Fresnel equations:

$$r = a_R / a_I = (\alpha - \alpha') / (\alpha + \alpha')$$

$$t = a_T / a_I = 2\alpha / (\alpha + \alpha')$$

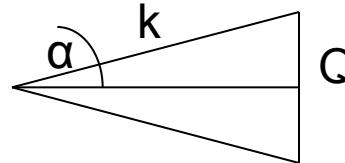
r: reflectivity t: transmittivity

• Snell's law and the Fresnel equations (2)

Note: α' is a complex number

$$\alpha' = \operatorname{Re}(\alpha') + i \operatorname{Im}(\alpha')$$

use wavevector notation:



$$\sin\alpha = (Q/2)/k$$

Consider z-component of transmitted wave:

$$= a_T \exp(ik \sin\alpha' z) \approx a_T \exp(ik\alpha' z)$$

$$= a_T \exp(ik \operatorname{Re}(\alpha') z) \cdot \exp(-k \operatorname{Im}(\alpha') z)$$



exponential damping

intensity fall-off: $\exp(-2k \operatorname{Im}(\alpha') z)$

$$Q \equiv 2ks \sin\alpha \approx 2ka$$

$$Q_c \equiv 2ks \sin\alpha_c \approx 2ka_c$$

use dimensionless units:

$$q \equiv Q/Q_c \approx (2k/Q_c)\alpha$$

$$q' \equiv Q'/Q_c \approx (2k/Q_c)\alpha'$$

$$q^2 = q'^2 + 1 - 2i b_u$$

(D)

$$\Lambda = 1 / 2k \operatorname{Im}(\alpha')$$

$$b_u = (2k/Q_c)\beta = (4k^2/Q_c^2)\mu/2k = 2k\mu/Q_c^2$$

$$Q_c = 2ka_c = 2k \sqrt{2\delta}$$

• Snell's law and the Fresnel equations (3)

use table to extract μ , ρ , f' yielding Q_c
and calculate b_u ($b_u \ll 1$):

$$b_u = 2k\mu/Q_c^2$$

use (D): $q^2 = q'^2 + 1 - 2ib_u$

	Z	Molar density (g/mole)	Mass density (g/cm ³)	ρ (e/Å ³)	Q_c (1/Å)	$\mu \times 10^6$ (1/Å)	b_μ
C	6	12.01	2.26	0.680	0.031	0.104	0.0009
Si	14	28.09	2.33	0.699	0.032	1.399	0.0115
Ge	32	72.59	5.32	1.412	0.045	3.752	0.0153
Ag	47	107.87	10.50	2.755	0.063	22.128	0.0462
W	74	183.85	19.30	4.678	0.081	33.235	0.0409
Au	79	196.97	19.32	4.666	0.081	40.108	0.0495

get:

$$r(q) = (q - q') / (q + q')$$

$$t(q) = 2q / (q + q')$$

$$\Lambda(q) = 1 / Q_c \operatorname{Im}(q')$$

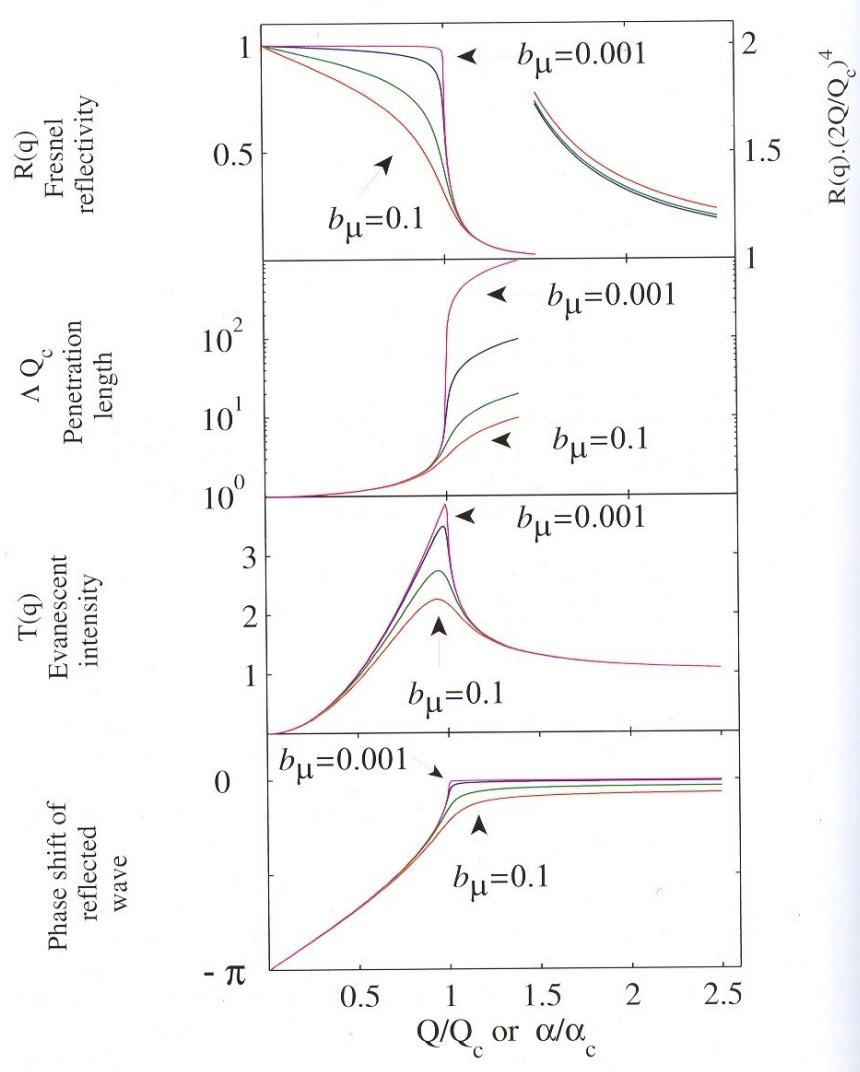
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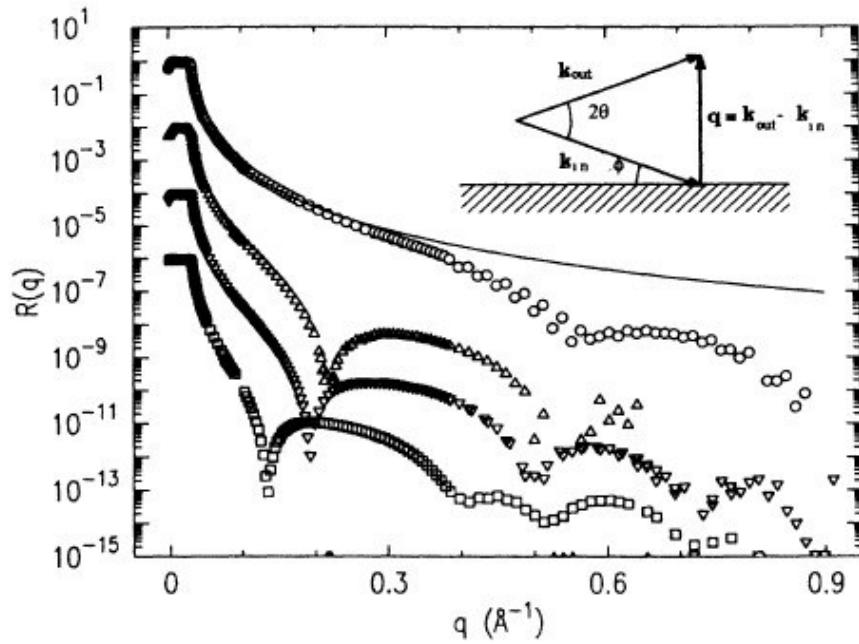
$q \gg 1$: $R(Q) \sim 1/q^4$,
 $\Lambda \approx \mu^{-1}$,
 $T \approx 1$,
no phase shift

$q \ll 1$: $R \approx 1$,
 $\Lambda \approx 1/q_c$ small,
T very small,
 $-\pi$ phase shift

$q=1$: $T(q=1) \approx 4 a_l$



Examples



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