

CHAPTER VI

CURRENT DENSITY OF S-ELECTRONS

VI.1 Green's Functions of the s-Electron

We start from the Hamiltonian (5.6)

$$\begin{aligned}
 H &= \sum_{l, \sigma'} \epsilon_l c_{l\sigma'}^+ c_{l\sigma'} + \sum_{j, \sigma'} (E_j + U \langle n_{j\sigma} \rangle) d_{j\sigma'}^+ d_{j\sigma'} \\
 &\quad - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{j, \sigma'} \Delta_g d_{j\sigma'}^+ d_{j-\sigma'}^+ - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{j, \sigma'} \Delta_g^* d_{j-\sigma'}^+ d_{j\sigma'}^+ \\
 &\quad + \sum_{j, l, \sigma'} (V_{jl} c_{l\sigma'}^+ d_{j\sigma'} + V_{lj}^* d_{j\sigma'}^+ c_{l\sigma'}) ,
 \end{aligned}$$

where ϵ_l and E_j are measured with respect to Fermi energy.

The Green's function is defined as (see Appendix A)

$$\omega \langle\langle c_{k\sigma} c_{k'\sigma'}^+ \rangle\rangle_{\omega} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \langle \{ c_{k\sigma} c_{k'\sigma'}^+ \} \rangle + \langle\langle [c_{k\sigma}, H]; c_{k'\sigma'}^+ \rangle\rangle_{\omega}$$

Since

$$[c_{k\sigma}, H] = \epsilon_k c_{k\sigma} + \sum_j V_{jk} d_{j\sigma}$$

$$[c_{k\sigma}^+, H] = -\epsilon_k c_{k\sigma}^+ - \sum_j V_{kj}^* d_{j\sigma}^+ ,$$

we get the Green's functions for s- electrons as followings

$$(\omega - \epsilon_k) \langle\langle c_{k\sigma}; c_{k'\sigma'}^+ \rangle\rangle = \frac{1}{2\pi} \delta_{kk'} \delta_{\sigma\sigma'} + \sum_j V_{jk} \langle\langle d_{j\sigma}; c_{k'\sigma'}^+ \rangle\rangle$$

$$(\omega + \epsilon_k) \langle\langle c_{-k-\sigma}^+; c_{-k'-\sigma'} \rangle\rangle = \frac{1}{2\pi} \delta_{kk'} \delta_{\sigma\sigma'} - \sum_j V_{kj}^* \langle\langle d_{j-\sigma}^+; c_{-k'-\sigma'} \rangle\rangle$$

$$(\omega - \epsilon_k) \langle\langle c_{k\sigma}; c_{-k'-\sigma'} \rangle\rangle = \sum_j V_{jk} \langle\langle d_{j\sigma}; c_{-k'-\sigma'} \rangle\rangle$$

$$(\omega + \epsilon_k) \langle\langle c_{-k-\sigma}^+; c_{k'\sigma'}^+ \rangle\rangle = - \sum_j V_{kj}^* \langle\langle d_{j-\sigma}^+; c_{k'\sigma'}^+ \rangle\rangle$$

Or in the matrix notation,

$$\begin{bmatrix} \omega - E_k & 0 \\ 0 & \omega + E_k \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \langle\langle c_{k\sigma}; c_{k'\sigma}^+ \rangle\rangle & \langle\langle c_{k\sigma}; c_{-k'\sigma} \rangle\rangle \\ \langle\langle c_{-k'\sigma}^+; c_{k\sigma}^+ \rangle\rangle & \langle\langle c_{-k'\sigma}^+; c_{-k'\sigma} \rangle\rangle \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$\frac{1}{2\pi} \begin{bmatrix} \delta_{kk} & 0 \\ 0 & \delta_{kk}^* \end{bmatrix} + \sum_j \begin{bmatrix} V_{jk} & 0 \\ 0 & -V_{kj}^* \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \langle\langle d_{j\sigma}; c_{k\sigma}^+ \rangle\rangle & \langle\langle d_{j\sigma}; c_{-k'\sigma} \rangle\rangle \\ \langle\langle d_{j\sigma}^+; c_{k\sigma}^+ \rangle\rangle & \langle\langle d_{j\sigma}^+; c_{-k'\sigma} \rangle\rangle \end{bmatrix} \quad (6.1)$$

Similarly we can get the Green's functions appearing in the last term of Eq. (6.1)

$$\begin{bmatrix} \omega - E_j - U\langle n_{j\sigma} \rangle & \Delta_g \\ \Delta_g^* & \omega + E_j + U\langle n_{j\sigma} \rangle \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \langle\langle d_{j\sigma}; c_{k\sigma}^+ \rangle\rangle & \langle\langle d_{j\sigma}; c_{-k'\sigma} \rangle\rangle \\ \langle\langle d_{j\sigma}^+; c_{k\sigma}^+ \rangle\rangle & \langle\langle d_{j\sigma}^+; c_{-k'\sigma} \rangle\rangle \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$\sum_l \begin{bmatrix} V_{lj}^* & 0 \\ 0 & -V_{jl} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \langle\langle c_{l\sigma}; c_{k\sigma}^+ \rangle\rangle & \langle\langle c_{l\sigma}; c_{-k'\sigma} \rangle\rangle \\ \langle\langle c_{-l\sigma}^+; c_{k\sigma}^+ \rangle\rangle & \langle\langle c_{-l\sigma}^+; c_{-k'\sigma} \rangle\rangle \end{bmatrix} \quad (6.2)$$

Using the notation

$$\hat{G}(c, k) = \begin{bmatrix} \langle\langle c_{l\sigma}; c_{k\sigma}^+ \rangle\rangle & \langle\langle c_{l\sigma}; c_{-k'\sigma} \rangle\rangle \\ \langle\langle c_{-l\sigma}^+; c_{k\sigma}^+ \rangle\rangle & \langle\langle c_{-l\sigma}^+; c_{-k'\sigma} \rangle\rangle \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\hat{G}_0^{-1}(k) = \begin{bmatrix} \omega - E_k & 0 \\ 0 & \omega + E_k \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\hat{V}_{(kj)} = \begin{bmatrix} V_{jk} & 0 \\ 0 & -V_{kj}^* \end{bmatrix} ; \quad \hat{\delta}_{kk'} = \begin{bmatrix} \delta_{kk'} & 0 \\ 0 & \delta_{kk'} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\hat{V}_{(kj)}^+ = \begin{bmatrix} V_{kj}^* & 0 \\ 0 & -V_{j-k} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\hat{M}_{(jk)} = \begin{bmatrix} \langle\langle d_{j\sigma}; c_{k\sigma}^+ \rangle\rangle & \langle\langle d_{j\sigma}; c_{-k'-\sigma} \rangle\rangle \\ \langle\langle d_{j-\sigma}^+; c_{k\sigma}^+ \rangle\rangle & \langle\langle d_{j-\sigma}^+; c_{-k'-\sigma} \rangle\rangle \end{bmatrix}$$

equation (6.1) becomes

$$\hat{G}_0^{-1}(k) \hat{G}(kk') = \frac{1}{2\pi} \hat{\delta}_{kk'} + \sum_j \hat{V}_{kj} \hat{M}(jk') \quad (6.3)$$

or

$$\hat{G}(kk') = \frac{1}{2\pi} \hat{G}_0(k) \hat{\delta}_{kk'} + \sum_j \hat{G}_0(k) \hat{V}_{kj} \hat{M}(jk') \quad (6.4)$$

With

$$\hat{M}_0^{-1}(j) = \begin{bmatrix} \omega - E_j - U\langle n_r \rangle & \Delta_g \\ \Delta_g^* & \omega + E_j + U\langle n_r \rangle \end{bmatrix}$$

Eq. (6.2) becomes

$$\hat{M}_0^{-1}(j) \hat{M}(jk') = \sum_l \hat{V}^+(lj) \hat{G}(lk') \quad (6.5)$$

From (6.4), change k to l

$$\hat{G}(l, k') = \frac{1}{2\pi} \hat{G}_0(l) \hat{\delta}_{lk'} + \sum_j \hat{G}_0(l) \hat{V}_{lj} \hat{M}(j, k') ;$$

and substituting this into the Eq. (6.5) we get

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{M}_0^{-1}(j) \hat{M}(j, k') &= \sum_l \hat{V}_{lj}^+ \left(\frac{1}{2\pi} \hat{G}_0(l) \hat{\delta}_{lk'} + \sum_{j'} \hat{G}_0(l) \hat{V}_{lj'} \hat{M}(j', k') \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \hat{V}_{ckj}^+ \hat{G}_0(ck') + \sum_{l, j'} \hat{V}_{clj}^+ \hat{G}_0(l) \hat{V}_{clj'} \hat{M}(j', k') . \end{aligned}$$

Because both \hat{V} and \hat{G}_0 are diagonal matrices they commute, thus we have

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{M}_0^{-1}(j) \hat{M}(j, k') &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \hat{V}_{ckj}^+ \hat{G}_0(ck') + \sum_l \hat{V}_{clj}^+ \hat{G}_0(l) \hat{V}_{clj} \hat{M}(j, k') \\ &\quad + \sum_{l, j' \neq j} \hat{V}_{clj}^+ \hat{G}_0(l) \hat{V}_{clj'} \hat{M}(j', k') \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \hat{V}_{ckj}^+ \hat{G}_0(ck') + \sum_l |\hat{V}_{clj}|^2 \hat{G}_0(l) \hat{M}(j, k') \\ &\quad + \sum_{l, j' \neq j} \hat{V}_{clj}^+ \hat{V}_{clj'} \hat{G}_0(l) \hat{M}(j', k') ; \end{aligned}$$

or

$$\begin{aligned} \left[\hat{M}_0^{-1}(j) - \sum_l |\hat{V}_{clj}|^2 \hat{G}_0(l) \right] \hat{M}(j, k') &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \hat{V}_{ckj}^+ \hat{G}_0(ck') \\ &\quad + \sum_{l, j' \neq j} \hat{V}_{clj}^+ \hat{V}_{clj'} \hat{G}_0(l) \hat{M}(j', k') . \end{aligned}$$

Define

$$\left(\hat{M}_0^{-1}(j) \right)^{-1} = \left[\hat{M}_0^{-1}(j) - \sum_l |\hat{V}_{clj}|^2 \hat{G}_0(l) \right] ,$$

then

$$\hat{M}(j, k') = \frac{1}{2\pi} \hat{M}_0^{-1}(j) \hat{V}_{ckj}^+ \hat{G}_0(ck') + \hat{M}_0^{-1}(j) \sum_{l, j' \neq j} \hat{V}_{clj}^+ \hat{V}_{clj'} \hat{G}_0(l) \hat{M}(j', k')$$



For higher order

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{M}(cjk) &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \hat{M}'_0(cj) \hat{V}^+(ckj) \hat{G}_0(ck) \\ &+ \frac{1}{2\pi} \hat{M}'_0(cj) \sum_{j' \neq j} \sum_l |V_{lj'}|^2 \hat{G}_0(cl) \hat{M}'_0(cj') \hat{V}^+(ckj) \hat{G}_0(ck) \\ &+ \left\{ \hat{M}'_0(cj) \sum_{j' \neq j} \sum_l |V_{lj'}|^2 \hat{G}_0(cl) \hat{M}'_0(cj') \right. \\ &\quad \left. \times \sum_{j'' \neq j'} \sum_h |V_{hj''}|^2 \hat{G}_0(ch) \hat{M}(cj''k) \right\} \end{aligned}$$

Substituting this into Eq. (6.4) yields

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{G}(ckk') &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \hat{G}_0(ck) \delta_{kk'} + \sum_j \hat{G}_0(ck) \hat{V}(ckj) \hat{M}(cj'k') \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \hat{G}_0(ck) \delta_{kk'} + \sum_j \hat{G}_0(ck) \hat{V}(ckj) \frac{1}{2\pi} \hat{M}'_0(cj) \hat{V}^+(ckj) \hat{G}_0(ck') \\ &+ \left\{ \sum_j \hat{G}_0(ck) \hat{V}(ckj) \frac{1}{2\pi} \hat{M}'_0(cj) \sum_{j' \neq j} \sum_l |V_{lj'}|^2 \right. \\ &\quad \left. \times \hat{G}_0(cl) \hat{M}'_0(cj') \hat{V}^+(ckj') \hat{G}_0(ck') \right\} \\ &+ \text{high order terms.} \end{aligned} \tag{ 6.6 }$$

Compare the Eq. (6.6) to the Dyson equation¹

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{G} &= \hat{G}_0 + \hat{G}_0 \Sigma \hat{G}_0 + \hat{G}_0 \Sigma \hat{G}_0 \Sigma \hat{G}_0 + \dots \\ \hat{G}^{-1} &= \hat{G}_0^{-1} - \Sigma \end{aligned} \tag{ 6.7 }$$

¹Abrikosov, A.A., L.R. Gorkov and I.Y. Dzyaloshinskii, Quantum Field Theoretical Methods In Statistical Physics, 2nd Ed., Pergamon Press, Oxford (1965), Sect.16.1 .

where $\sum =$ self energy. We see that for our case the self energy is

$$\sum_{ckk'} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sum_j \hat{V}_{ckj} \hat{M}'_{0cj} \hat{V}^+_{ck'j}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \sum_j \begin{bmatrix} V_{jk} & 0 \\ 0 & -V_{-kj}^* \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} M_{11} & M_{12} \\ M_{21} & M_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_{kj}^* & 0 \\ 0 & -V_{j-k'} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \sum_j \begin{bmatrix} |V_{kj}|^2 M_{11} & -V_{jk} V_{j-k'} M_{12} \\ -V_{-kj}^* V_{kj}^* M_{21} & |V_{j-k}|^2 M_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

Let

$$\hat{G}_{kk'}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \langle\langle C_{k\sigma}; C_{k'\sigma}^+ \rangle\rangle & \langle\langle C_{k\sigma}; C_{-k'-\sigma} \rangle\rangle \\ \langle\langle C_{-k-\sigma}^+; C_{k'\sigma}^+ \rangle\rangle & \langle\langle C_{-k-\sigma}^+; C_{-k'-\sigma} \rangle\rangle \end{bmatrix}^{-1}$$

From (6.7)

$$\hat{G}_{kk'}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \omega - \epsilon_k & 0 \\ 0 & \omega + \epsilon_k \end{bmatrix} - \frac{1}{2\pi} \sum_j \begin{bmatrix} |V_{kj}|^2 M_{11} & -V_{jk} V_{j-k} M_{12} \\ -V_{-kj}^* V_{kj}^* M_{21} & |V_{j-k}|^2 M_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

or

$$\hat{G}_{kk'}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \omega - \epsilon_k - \frac{1}{2\pi} \sum_j |V_{kj}|^2 M_{11} & \sum_j V_{jk} V_{j-k} M_{12} \frac{1}{2\pi} \\ \sum_j V_{-kj}^* V_{kj}^* M_{21} \frac{1}{2\pi} & \omega + \epsilon_k - \frac{1}{2\pi} \sum_j |V_{j-k}|^2 M_{22} \end{bmatrix} \quad (6.8)$$

Since

$$\begin{aligned}
 (\hat{M}'_0(j))^{-1} &= \left[\hat{M}'_0(j) - \sum_l |\hat{V}_{lj}|^2 G_0(l) \right] \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} \omega - E_j - U \langle n_r \rangle & \Delta g \\ \Delta g & \omega + E_j + U \langle n_r \rangle \end{bmatrix} \\
 &\quad - \sum_l \begin{bmatrix} V_{lj} & 0 \\ 0 & -V_{lj}^* \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_{lj}^* & 0 \\ 0 & -V_{lj} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\omega + E_l}{\omega^2 - E_l^2} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{\omega - E_l}{\omega^2 - E_l^2} \end{bmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} \omega - E_j - U \langle n_r \rangle - \sum_l \frac{|V_{lj}|^2}{\omega - E_l} & \Delta g \\ \Delta g^* & \omega + E_j + U \langle n_r \rangle - \sum_l \frac{|V_{lj}|^2}{\omega + E_l} \end{bmatrix}
 \end{aligned}$$

we can find its inverse matrix as following

$$\hat{M}'_0(j)^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} M_{11} & M_{12} \\ M_{21} & M_{22} \end{bmatrix}, \text{ where}$$

$$M_{11} = \left[\omega + E_j + U \langle n_r \rangle - \sum_l \frac{|V_{lj}|^2}{\omega + E_l} \right] [\text{Det } M']^{-1}$$

$$M_{12} = -\Delta g [\text{Det } M']^{-1}$$

$$M_{21} = -\Delta g^* [\text{Det } M']^{-1}$$

$$M_{22} = \left[\omega - E_j - U \langle n_r \rangle - \sum_l \frac{|V_{lj}|^2}{\omega - E_l} \right] [\text{Det } M']^{-1}$$

$$\text{and } [\text{Det } M^{-1}] = (\omega - E_j - U \langle n_{\sigma} \rangle - \sum_l \frac{|V_{lj}|^2}{\omega - \epsilon_l}) (\omega + E_j + U \langle n_{\bar{\sigma}} \rangle - \sum_l \frac{|V_{lj}|^2}{\omega + \epsilon_l}) - |\Delta g|^2 \quad (6.9)$$

Similarly we can find the inverse of \hat{G}_{kk}^{-1}

$$\hat{G}_{kk} = \begin{bmatrix} \langle\langle c_{k\sigma}; c_{k\sigma}^{\dagger} \rangle\rangle & \langle\langle c_{k\sigma}; c_{-k-\sigma} \rangle\rangle \\ \langle\langle c_{-k-\sigma}^{\dagger}; c_{k\sigma}^{\dagger} \rangle\rangle & \langle\langle c_{-k-\sigma}^{\dagger}; c_{-k-\sigma} \rangle\rangle \end{bmatrix}$$

Thus from (6.8) we have

$$\hat{G}_{kk} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\omega + \epsilon_k - \frac{1}{2\pi} \sum_j |V_{jk}|^2 M_{22}}{\text{Det } G^{-1}} & \frac{-\sum_j V_{jk} V_{-kj} M_{12}(\frac{1}{2\pi})}{\text{Det } G^{-1}} \\ \frac{-\sum_j V_{-kj}^* V_{kj}^* M_{21}(\frac{1}{2\pi})}{\text{Det } G^{-1}} & \frac{\omega - \epsilon_k - \frac{1}{2\pi} \sum_j |V_{jk}|^2 M_{11}}{\text{Det } G^{-1}} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{where } [\text{Det } G^{-1}] = (\omega - \epsilon_k - \frac{1}{2\pi} \sum_j |V_{kj}|^2 M_{11}) (\omega + \epsilon_k - \frac{1}{2\pi} \sum_j |V_{j-k}|^2 M_{22}) \quad (6.10)$$

$$- (\sum_j V_{jk} V_{j-k} M_{12} \sum_j^* V_{-kj} V_{kj}^* M_{21}) (\frac{1}{2\pi})^2 \quad (6.11)$$

\hat{G}_{kk} is the set of the Green's functions of s- electron

at $T = 0^\circ\text{K}$. For the case $T > 0^\circ\text{K}$ we only change ω in

\hat{G}_{kk} to $i\omega$.

$$\hat{G}_{kk}^T = \hat{G}_{kk} (\omega \rightarrow i\omega)$$

VI.2 The Current Density

Assume that a superconductor with a plane surface occupies the half space $z < 0$, and is situated in a constant magnetic field, directed parallel to its surface.

The Fourier component of the current density is in the form³

$$\vec{j}(k') = -\frac{N'e^2}{m} \bar{Q}(k') A(k')$$

$\bar{Q}(k')$ is the response kernel and is in the form

$$\bar{Q}(k') = 1 + \frac{3T}{4} \sum_{\omega} \int_0^{\pi} \sin^2 \theta d\theta \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\epsilon \left(\mathcal{G}_{\omega}(k_+) \mathcal{G}_{\omega}(k_-) + \mathcal{F}_{\omega}^+(k_+) \mathcal{F}_{\omega}^+(k_-) \right)$$

where

$$k_{\pm} = k \pm \frac{k' \cdot \vec{v}}{2}$$

$$\mathcal{G}_{\omega}(k) = \langle\langle c_{k\sigma}; c_{k\sigma}^+ \rangle\rangle_{i\omega}$$

$$\mathcal{F}_{\omega}^+(k) = \langle\langle c_{-k\sigma}^+; c_{k\sigma}^+ \rangle\rangle_{i\omega}$$

$$\mathcal{F}_{\omega}(k) = \langle\langle c_{k\sigma}; c_{-k\sigma} \rangle\rangle_{i\omega}$$

By adding and subtracting $\bar{Q}(k')$ for normal metal

($\Delta_g = 0$) to the response kernel we get³

$$\bar{Q}(k') = \frac{3T}{4} \sum_{\omega} \int_0^{\pi} \sin^2 \theta d\theta \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\epsilon \mathcal{F}_{\omega}^+(k_+) \mathcal{F}_{\omega}^+(k_-) \quad (6.12)$$

³Ref.1 Chapter 7

Substituting $\mathcal{L}_\omega^{\dagger}(k_-)$ and $\mathcal{L}_\omega(k_+)$ which are in the form (6.10) into the Eq. (6.12) yields

$$\bar{Q}(k) = \frac{\partial T}{4} \sum_{\omega} \int_0^{\pi} \sin^2 \theta d\theta \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\epsilon \frac{\sum_j |V_{jk}|^2 |V_{-kj}|^2 |\Delta g|^2 g_{c(\omega)}^{-2} (\frac{1}{2\pi})^2}{[\text{Det } \mathcal{G}^{-1}]_+ [\text{Det } \mathcal{G}^{-1}]_-} \quad (6.13)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} g_{c(\omega)} &= [\text{Det } M^{-1}] \\ &= \left[(\epsilon i\omega - E_j - U \langle n_s \rangle - \sum_{\ell} \frac{|V_{\ell j}|^2}{i\omega - \epsilon_{\ell}}) \right. \\ &\quad \left. \times (\epsilon i\omega + E_j + U \langle n_s \rangle - \sum_{\ell} \frac{|V_{-lj}|^2}{i\omega + \epsilon_{\ell}}) \right] - |\Delta g|^2 \\ [\text{Det } \mathcal{G}^{-1}]_{\pm} &= \left[(\epsilon i\omega - \epsilon_{k_{\pm}} - \frac{1}{2\pi} \sum_j |V_{kj}|^2 M_{1j}) \right. \\ &\quad \left. \times (\epsilon i\omega + \epsilon_{k_{\pm}} - \frac{1}{2\pi} \sum_j |V_{j-k}|^2 M_{2j}) \right] - \sum_j |V_{jk}|^2 \sum_{\ell} |V_{-k\ell}|^2 |\Delta g|^2 g_{c(\omega)}^{-2} \\ M_{1j} &= (\epsilon i\omega + E_j + U \langle n_s \rangle - \sum_{\ell} \frac{|V_{\ell j}|^2}{i\omega + \epsilon_{\ell}}) (g_{c(\omega)})^{-1} \\ M_{2j} &= (\epsilon i\omega - E_j - U \langle n_s \rangle - \sum_{\ell} \frac{|V_{\ell j}|^2}{i\omega - \epsilon_{\ell}}) (g_{c(\omega)})^{-1} \end{aligned}$$

Changing \sum_{ℓ} to $\int d\epsilon$ we get

$$\sum_{\ell} \frac{|V_{\ell j}|^2}{i\omega - \epsilon_{\ell}} = \frac{2mP_0}{(2\pi)^3} \int \frac{|V_{\ell j}|^2}{i\omega - \epsilon} d\epsilon ;$$

where P_0 is Fermi momentum of s- electron.

Since ϵ is only in the region ω_D above and below the Fermi energy (see Sect. IV.1), thus

$$\sum_{\ell} \frac{|V_{\ell j}|^2}{i\omega - \epsilon_{\ell}} = \frac{2mP_0 V}{(2\pi)^3} \left[\text{Im} \frac{\omega - \omega_D}{\omega + \omega_D} \right]$$

and

$$\sum_l \frac{|V_{lj}|^2}{i\omega + \epsilon_l} = \frac{2m P_0 V^2}{(2\pi)^3} \left[\ln \frac{\omega + \omega_D}{\omega - \omega_D} \right]$$

Assume that $|V_{lj}|^2 = |V_{-lj}|^2 = V^2$, one gets

$$\sum_l \frac{|V_{lj}|^2}{i\omega + \epsilon_l} = - \sum_l \frac{|V_{lj}|^2}{i\omega - \epsilon_l} = \text{a real number}$$

Thus

$$g(i\omega) = -(\omega^2 + B^2 + |\Delta_g|^2)$$

where

$$B = E + U\langle n_r \rangle + A$$

$$A = \sum_l |V_{lj}|^2 / (i\omega - \epsilon_l)$$

$$E_j = E; \quad E = \text{constant}$$

If we write $\frac{1}{2\pi} \sum_j |V_{kj}|^2 M_{11}$ as G_+ ; and $\frac{1}{2\pi} \sum_j |V_{j-k}|^2 M_{22}$ as G_- ; then the equation for poles of the integrand in the Eq. (6.13) is

$$\epsilon_{k\pm}^2 + \epsilon_{k\pm} (G_+ - G_-) + \omega^2 + \Delta^2 - i\omega (G_- + G_+) - G_+ G_- = 0$$

Let N be the density of lattice sites, one can find that

$$G_+ - G_- = -\frac{NV^2}{\pi} \cdot \frac{B}{(\omega^2 + B^2 + |\Delta_g|^2)} = \text{a real number}$$

$$G_+ + G_- = -\frac{NV^2}{\pi} \cdot \frac{i\omega}{(\omega^2 + B^2 + |\Delta_g|^2)} = \text{a pure imaginary number}$$

$$G_+ G_- = -\frac{NV^4}{4\pi^2} \cdot \frac{\omega^2 + B^2}{(\omega^2 + B^2 + |\Delta_g|^2)} = \text{a real number}$$

Now we find that the four poles of the integrand are located at

$$\epsilon_1 = \frac{NV^2}{2\pi} \cdot \frac{B}{\omega^2 + B^2 + \Delta_g^2} - \frac{1}{2} v k' \beta + i \sqrt{\omega^2 + \Delta'^2 + C^2}$$

$$\epsilon_2 = \frac{NV^2}{2\pi} \cdot \frac{B}{\omega^2 + B^2 + \Delta_g^2} - \frac{1}{2} v k' \beta - i \sqrt{\omega^2 + \Delta'^2 + C^2}$$

$$\epsilon_3 = \frac{NV^2}{2\pi} \cdot \frac{B}{\omega^2 + B^2 + \Delta_g^2} + \frac{1}{2} v k' \beta + i \sqrt{\omega^2 + \Delta'^2 + C^2}$$

$$\epsilon_4 = \frac{NV^2}{2\pi} \cdot \frac{B^2}{\omega^2 + B^2 + \Delta_g^2} + \frac{1}{2} v k' \beta - i \sqrt{\omega^2 + \Delta'^2 + C^2}$$

where

$$C^2 = - \left(\frac{NV^2 \omega^2}{\pi(\omega^2 + B^2 + \Delta_g^2)} - \frac{NV^4}{4\pi^2} \cdot \frac{\omega^2}{(\omega^2 + B^2 + \Delta_g^2)^2} \right)$$

$$\Delta' = \left(\frac{1}{2\pi} \right)^2 N^2 |V_{jk}|^2 |V_{-kj}|^2 |\Delta_g|^2 g^{-2}(\omega)$$

$$B = E + U \langle n \rangle + A$$

$$A = \frac{2mp_0 V^2}{(2\pi)^3} \ln \left(\frac{\omega - \omega_0}{\omega + \omega_0} \right)$$

$$v \cdot \hat{v} = v k' \cos \theta = v k' \beta$$

The ϵ integration from $-\infty$ to $+\infty$ is performed by integrating around the contour C which enclose the two poles ϵ_1 and ϵ_3 (Fig. 9)

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\epsilon \dots = 2\pi i \sum_{\epsilon_1, \epsilon_3} \text{Residue}$$

The result is

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\epsilon \frac{|\Delta'|^2}{[\text{Det } G^+] [\text{Det } G^-]} = \frac{\pi |\Delta'|^2}{2\sqrt{\omega^2 + \Delta'^2 + C^2} \left(\frac{v^2 k'^2 \beta^2}{4} + \omega^2 + \Delta'^2 + C^2 \right)}$$

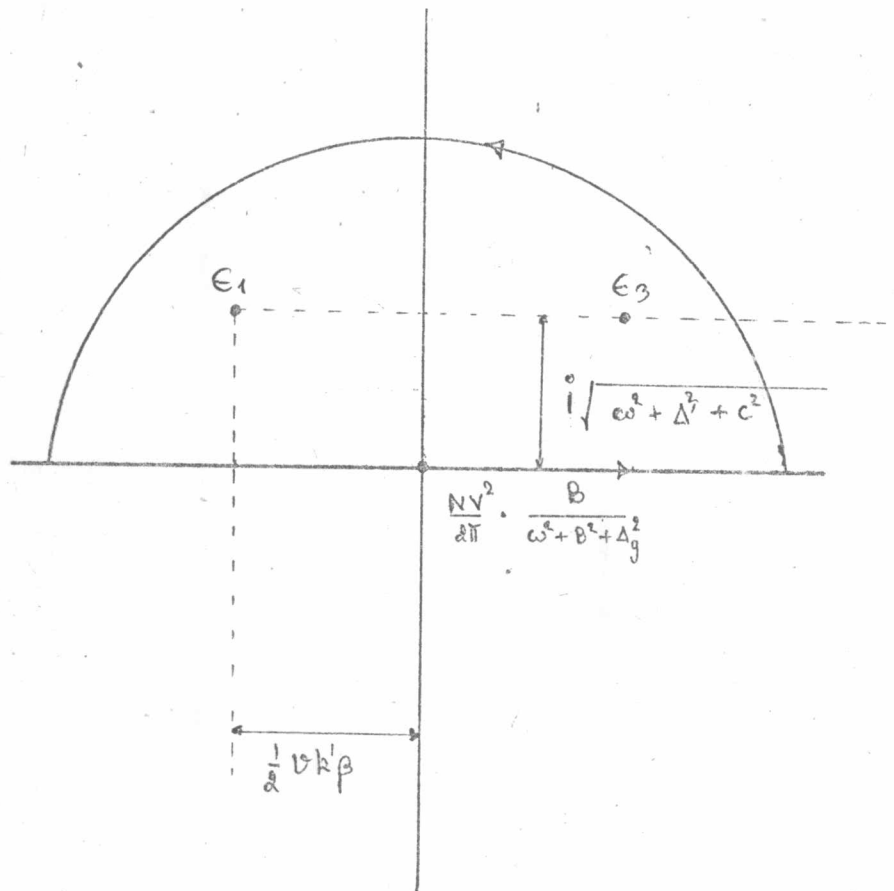


Fig. 9 The Contour for Integration of (6.13)

12
11
10
9
8
7
6
5
4
3
2
1
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Thus the response kernel (6.13) becomes

$$\tilde{Q}(k') = \frac{\pi}{2} \sum_{\omega} \frac{|\Delta'|^2}{\sqrt{\omega^2 + \Delta'^2 + C^2} (\omega^2 k'^2 \rho^2/4 + \omega^2 + \Delta'^2 + C^2)} \quad (6.14)$$

In the case of London superconductor (most of transition metal superconductors are London or type-II superconductors)

$\omega^2 k'^2 \rho^2/4$ is small compare to ω^2 and we can neglect this term,⁴ then

$$\tilde{Q}(k') = \frac{\pi}{2} \sum_{\omega} \frac{|\Delta'|^2}{C \omega^2 + \Delta'^2 + C^2} \quad (6.15)$$

⁴Ref. 1 Chapter 7

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