1. As claimed in class, finish the computation to obtain T, which is the coefficient of the outgoing wave to on in the problem of the potential step.

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$$1+R=T$$

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 $ik-ikR=ik'.T$ 
 $k(1-R)=k'T$ 
 $i-R=\frac{k'}{k}T$ 

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$$\left[-\frac{t^2}{2m}\frac{d^2}{dx^2} + V_0\right] \chi_{(20)} = E \chi_{(20)} (200)$$

$$H = \sqrt{\frac{2mE}{\pm^2}} \qquad H' = \sqrt{\frac{2m(E-V_0)}{\pm^2}}$$

$$T = \frac{2}{1 + \frac{K'}{K}} = \frac{2}{1 + \sqrt{\frac{2m(E-V_0)}{2mE}}}$$

2. Consider the Dirac delta potential given by. 
$$V(m) = -\frac{\hbar^2 n}{2ma} \delta(m),$$

where is a dimensionless positive constant. a is an arbitrary positive constant. When particles are incident from the left, compute the reflection and transmission coefficients.

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$$\frac{d^2f(x)}{dx}\bigg|_{x=0^-} - \frac{d^2f(x)}{dx}\bigg|_{x=0^+} = \frac{\lambda}{\alpha} \mathcal{Y}(x)$$

$$I-R-T=\frac{\lambda}{ika}T$$

$$= \left(2 - \frac{i\lambda}{k\alpha}\right) T$$

$$T = \frac{2}{2 - \frac{i \pi}{k a}}$$
 (  $\frac{1}{2} = 0.0102$ .  $T = 1$ )

$$R = T - 1 = \frac{2}{2 - \frac{\lambda^2}{k\alpha}} - 1$$

$$= \frac{2-2+\frac{i\lambda}{4\pi a}}{2-\frac{i\lambda}{4\pi a}} = \frac{\frac{i\lambda}{4\pi a}}{2-\frac{i\lambda}{4\pi a}}$$

$$\frac{|T|^{2}}{2 - \frac{i\lambda}{ka}} = \frac{2}{2 + \frac{i\lambda}{ka}} = \frac{4}{4 + (\frac{\lambda}{ka})^{2}}$$

$$\frac{|R|^{2}}{4 + (\frac{\lambda}{ka})^{2}} = \frac{4}{4 + (\frac{\lambda}{ka})^{2}}$$

$$|R|^2 = \frac{\left(\frac{\lambda}{\kappa a}\right)^2}{4 + \left(\frac{\lambda}{\kappa a}\right)^2}$$

$$V(x) = -\frac{1}{2ma} \left[ \frac{1}{2ma} \left[ \frac{1}{2} (x-a) + \frac{1}{2} (x+a) \right] \right],$$

where I and a are described in the previous problem. Here, also, compute the reflection and transmission coefficients.

$$\frac{dY^{(n)}}{dx}\Big|_{x=-\alpha^{-}} - \frac{dY^{(n)}}{dx}\Big|_{x=-\alpha^{+}} = \frac{\lambda}{\alpha}Y^{(-\alpha)}.$$

$$\frac{dY^{(n)}}{dx}\Big|_{x=\alpha^{-}} - \frac{dY^{(n)}}{dx}\Big|_{x=\alpha^{+}} = \frac{\lambda}{\alpha}Y^{(\alpha)}.$$

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$$-ik\left(e^{ik(-\alpha)} - Re^{-ik(-\alpha)}\right) - ik\left(Ae^{ik(-\alpha)} - Be^{-ik(-\alpha)}\right)$$

$$= \frac{\lambda}{\alpha}.\left(e^{ik(-\alpha)} + Re^{-ik(-\alpha)}\right)$$

$$ik\left(Ae^{ik\alpha} - Re^{-ik\alpha}\right) \cdot L = ik\alpha$$

(a) 
$$A - Be^{-\lambda i k a} = \left(1 + \frac{\lambda}{i k a}\right) T$$

$$\frac{0}{\sqrt{3}}$$
 
$$2-2A=\frac{\lambda}{ikq}\left(1+Re^{2ikq}\right).$$

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$$(1 + \frac{\lambda}{2ika}) Re^{2ika} = -\frac{\lambda}{2ika} + Be^{2ika}$$
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$$\left(1 + \frac{\lambda}{2ika}\right) Re^{2ika} = -\frac{\lambda}{2ika} + \left(-\frac{\lambda}{2ika} e^{2ika}\right)$$
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$$L\left(1+\frac{\lambda}{2ika}\right)e^{2ika}R+\frac{\lambda}{2ika}e^{4ika}T=-\frac{\lambda}{2ika}$$

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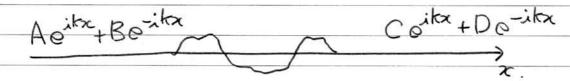
$$\frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{R}{T} \right) = \left( \frac{R}{T} \right) = \frac{2\pi i k a}{(1+17)} e^{2\pi i k a} \qquad \frac{1}{T} = \frac{\pi i k a}{T} \left( \frac{1-R}{T} \right)$$

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$$T = -\frac{e^{-2ik\alpha}}{P^2 e^{2ik\alpha} - (1+P^2 e^{-2ik\alpha})}$$

## 2. Gasiorowicz Problem 1. in Ch. 4

Consider an arbitrary potential localized on a finite part of the x-axis. The solutions of the Schrödinger equation to the left and to the right of the potential region are given by...



respectively. Show that.. if we write

that is, relate the "outgoing" waves to the "ingoing" waves by..

$$\begin{pmatrix} C \\ C \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} S_{11} & S_{12} \\ S_{21} & S_{22} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} A \\ D \end{pmatrix}$$

DATE then the following relations hold 1511 + 15,12=1. 125/3 + 1235/3 = 1  $S_{11}S_{12}^{*} + S_{21}S_{22}^{*} = 0$ Use this to show that the matrix  $S = \begin{pmatrix} S^{11} & S^{12} \\ S^{21} & S^{22} \end{pmatrix}$ and its transpose are unitary. => i) gitting and potential asset V(x) at ata. .: Schrödinger equation.  $-\frac{t^2}{2m}\frac{d^2Y(x)}{dx^2}+V(x)Y(x)=W(x)$ ात्य.. flux. 74(x) = } Aeitx + Be-itx j = to (2/4 dy - dy 4)

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$$S^{+}S = \begin{pmatrix} 2^{+} & 2^{+} & 2^{+} \\ S^{+} & 2^{+} & 2^{+} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} S_{1} & S_{12} \\ S_{21} & S_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} |S_{1}|^{2} + |S_{21}|^{2} & S_{11} + |S_{21}|^{2} \\ S_{12} & S_{22} & |S_{21}|^{2} + |S_{21}|^{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

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$$(S_{1})^{\dagger} (S_{1})^{\dagger} S_{2} = S_{1} S_{2}$$

$$= (S_{11} + S_{2})^{*} (S_{11} + S_{2})^{*}$$

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$$\frac{C_{11} = -2^{31} Z_{22}^{22}}{2^{32} + 2^{32} - 12^{32} |_{2}^{2} Z_{21}^{21}} = 6^{\frac{1}{2}} Z_{12}^{12}$$

$$+(-6y_{q}^{21})_{x}^{25}$$

$$S_{31}^{*}S_{11} + S_{4}^{22}S_{12} = (S_{11}^{11}S_{21} + S_{12}^{12}S_{22})^{*} = 0.$$

$$: (S^{\tau})^{\dagger} S^{\tau} = \begin{pmatrix} & \circ \\ & & \end{pmatrix} = 1$$

3. Gasiorowicz Problem 2 in Ch. 4. Calculate the elements of the scattering matrix, Si, So, So, and So for the potential  $\sqrt{(x)} = 0$ 7(1-9 = Vo -acxca 7 < a. and show that the general conditions proved in Problem I are indeed satisfied 1)  $k_3 = \frac{+7}{5mE}$   $k_3 = \frac{+7}{5m(E-N_0)}$ The solution. 4(21) = & Aeikx + Be-ikxc >c<-a  $Ee^{i\beta x} + Fe^{-i\beta x}$   $Ce^{ikx} + De^{-ikx}$  x > a門 ス=agl x=-a のh.. はス)2L du のは、 Ae-ika + Beika = Ee-iga + Feiga (D ik (Ae-ika - Beika) = iz (Ee-iga - Feiga) (2) Coita + De-ita = Eeisa + Fe-isa 3 (Lik (Ceika - De-ika) = ig (Eei89 - Fe-i8a)

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$$\begin{pmatrix} C \\ B \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} S_{11}(k) & S_{12}(k) \\ S_{21}(k) & S_{22}(k) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} A \\ D \end{pmatrix}$$

$$S_{1}(k) = \frac{e^{-2ik\alpha} \left[ (1+\frac{k}{2})^{2} - (1-\frac{k}{2})^{2} \right]}{\left[ (1+\frac{k}{2})^{2} e^{-2ik\alpha} - (1-\frac{k}{2})^{2} e^{2ik\alpha} \right]}$$

$$S_{33}(k) = e^{-2ik\alpha} \left[ (1+\frac{k}{8})^2 - (1-\frac{k}{8})^2 e^{-2ik\alpha} \right]$$

$$S_{33}(k) = e^{-2ik\alpha} \left[ (1+\frac{k}{8})^2 - (1-\frac{k}{8})^2 \right]$$

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	5. Gasiorowicz Problem 6. in Ch. 4.
	Consider the scattering matrix for the potential
	$\frac{\mu_3}{5m} \Lambda(x) = \frac{\sigma}{y} g(x-p) \qquad \qquad \Lambda(x) = \frac{5m\sigma}{p_3} g(x-p)$
	Show that it has the form
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	Prove that it is unitary, and that it will yield the condition for bound states when the elements of that matrix become infinite. (This will only as occur for has
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	$\frac{du}{dx}\Big _{b+\epsilon} - \frac{du}{dx}\Big _{b-\epsilon} = \frac{t^2}{2ma} \cdot \frac{2m}{t^2} \cdot \lambda u(b)$
	$= \frac{\lambda}{\alpha} (1/6)$

$$(u(b) = A e^{iktb} + B e^{-iktb} = C e^{iktb} + D e^{-iktb} \dots 0$$

$$\frac{du}{dx}|_{x=b+2} = \frac{du}{dx}|_{x=b-2} = ik (C e^{iktb} - D e^{-iktb})$$

$$-ik (A e^{iktb} - B e^{-iktb})$$

$$= \frac{\lambda}{a} \cdot (A e^{iktb} + B e^{-iktb})$$

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## Quantum Mechanics 1

## Assignment 6

Due: May 9 (Thursday), 2013

- 1. If  $|n\rangle$  is the nth harmonic oscillator eigenstate, evaluate:
  - (a)  $\langle n|a^{\dagger s}|n\rangle$ ,  $\langle n|a^{s}|n\rangle$
  - (b)  $\langle n|x|n\rangle$ ,  $\langle n|x^2|n\rangle$ ,  $\langle n|x^4|n\rangle$
  - (c)  $\langle n|p|n\rangle$ ,  $\langle n|p^2|n\rangle$ ,  $\langle n|p^4|n\rangle$
  - (d)  $\langle m|a^{\dagger s}|n\rangle$ ,  $\langle m|a^{s}|n\rangle$
  - (e)  $\langle m|x|n\rangle$ ,  $\langle m|x^2|n\rangle$
  - (f)  $\langle m|p|n\rangle$ ,  $\langle m|p^2|n\rangle$ .

Hints: (1) Work in the creation space representation and use the known orthonormality of the harmonic oscillator states. (2) Express x and p in terms of a and  $a^{\dagger}$ .

Remarks: This problem is not hard if you know and understand what you are doing. By brute force methods, it's a mess!

## 2. Coherent states

As shown in class, only the ground state of the harmonic oscillator has the minimum uncertainty  $\Delta x \Delta p = \hbar/2$ . However, we can construct the minimum uncertainty wave functions in the following way. That state is called the "coherent state" and it is defined as

$$a|\alpha\rangle = \alpha|\alpha\rangle,\tag{1}$$

that is, it is an eigenstate of an annihilation operator. Since a is not hermitian, its eigenvalue  $\alpha$  is in general complex.

- (a) Compute  $\langle x \rangle$ ,  $\langle x^2 \rangle$ ,  $\langle p \rangle$ , and  $\langle p^2 \rangle$  in the state  $|\alpha\rangle$ , and show that  $\Delta x \Delta p = \hbar/2$ .
- (b) Show that the state  $|\alpha\rangle$  can be written in the form

$$|\alpha\rangle = Ce^{\alpha a^{\dagger}}|0\rangle. \tag{2}$$

Hint: Recall the definition of the exponential of the operator given in class.

(c) Prove that if  $f(a^{\dagger})$  is any polynomial in  $a^{\dagger}$ , then

$$af(a^{\dagger})|0\rangle = \frac{df(a^{\dagger})}{da^{\dagger}}|0\rangle.$$
 (3)

Using this fact, compute C.

(d) On the other hand, since the set of the energy eigenstates  $\{|n\rangle\}$  forms a complete set, the state  $|\alpha\rangle$  can be expanded as

$$|\alpha\rangle = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n |n\rangle. \tag{4}$$

Show that the coefficients  $c_n$  are given by

$$c_n = \frac{\alpha^n}{\sqrt{n!}} c_0. (5)$$

- (e) By normalizing  $|\alpha\rangle$ , show that  $c_0 = \exp(-|\alpha|^2/2)$ .
- (f) From parts (d) and (e), you can find the probability for the state  $|\alpha\rangle$  to contain n quanta. Find it, and it is called the Poisson distribution.
- (g) Finally, compute the average number of quanta in the coherent state. That is, compute  $\langle \alpha | a^{\dagger} a | \alpha \rangle$ .
- 3. The Hamiltonian of a particle can be expressed in the form

$$H = \epsilon_1 a^{\dagger} a + \epsilon_2 (a + a^{\dagger}), \quad [a, a^{\dagger}] = 1, \tag{6}$$

where  $\epsilon_1$  and  $\epsilon_2$  are constants.

- (a) Find the energies of the eigenstates. (You are not required to find the corresponding state functions.)
- (b) The same exept that the commutator of a and  $a^{\dagger}$  is  $[a, a^{\dagger}] = q^2$ , where q is a pure number.

(Hint: Keeping the harmonic oscillator in mind, introduce new annihi9lation and creation operators b and  $b^{\dagger}$  by writing

$$b = \alpha a + \beta, \quad b^{\dagger} = \alpha a^{\dagger} + \beta,$$
 (7)

and choose the constants  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  wisely.