

731 Homework #8

Points

Due November 10th, 2006

1. A&M, problem 9.1	a) 8 pts	b) 7 pts	→ 15
2. A&M, problem 9.3	a) 8 pts	b) 7 pts	→ 15
3. A&M, problem 9.5	a) 8 pts	b) 7 pts	→ 15
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			Total = 45

Solution # 8

(1)

9.1

a) in the Bragg plane

$$E = E_{k/2}^0 + \frac{\hbar^2 k_{\perp}^2}{2m} - |U_{\vec{k}}| \quad \text{lower band}$$

$$E = E_{k/2}^0 + \frac{\hbar^2 k_{\perp}^2}{2m} + |U_{\vec{k}}| \quad \text{upper band}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} E < E_{k/2}^0 - |U_{\vec{k}}| & \text{lower band} \\ E > E_{k/2}^0 + |U_{\vec{k}}| & \text{upper band} \end{cases}$$

$$0 < \Delta < 2|U_{\vec{k}}|$$

$$E_F > E_{\text{min-lower}}$$

$$E_F < E_{\text{min-upper}}$$

\Rightarrow Fermi surface lies entirely in lower band. $k_{\perp} = \rho_1$

$$E_{k/2}^0 + \frac{\hbar^2 \rho_1^2}{2m} - |U_{\vec{k}}| = E_{k/2}^0 - |U_{\vec{k}}| + \Delta$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho_1 = \sqrt{\frac{2m\Delta}{\hbar^2}}$$

$$b) \quad \Delta > |2V_E|$$

$$E_F > E_{\min} - \text{lower} \quad \rightarrow \quad E_F \text{ lies in both bands}$$

$$E_F > E_{\min} - \text{upper}$$

$$\begin{cases} E_{k_1}^v + \frac{\hbar^2 \beta_2^2}{2m} - |V_k| = E_{k_1}^c - |V_k| + \Delta \\ E_{k_2}^v + \frac{\hbar^2 \beta_2^2}{2m} + |V_k| = E_{k_2}^c - |V_k| + \Delta \end{cases}$$

$$\rightarrow \quad \pi (\beta_2^2 - \beta_1^2) = \frac{4m |V_k|}{\hbar^2}$$

9.3

9.18 A and M text + book

$$(\varepsilon - \varepsilon_{\vec{k}-\vec{k}_i}^0) C_{\vec{k}-\vec{k}_i} = \sum_{j=1}^4 V_{\vec{k}-\vec{k}_j} C_{\vec{k}-\vec{k}_j} \quad (1)$$

$$\vec{k} = 0 \quad k_2 = \frac{2\pi}{a} (1, 1, 1) \quad k_3 = \frac{2\pi}{a} (1, 1, 1) \quad , \quad k_4 = \frac{2\pi}{a} (2, 0, 0)$$

apply to (1)

$$\begin{cases} (\varepsilon_1^0 - \varepsilon) C_{\vec{k}-\vec{k}_1} + V_{\vec{k}_2-\vec{k}_1} C_{\vec{k}-\vec{k}_2} + V_{\vec{k}_3-\vec{k}_1} C_{\vec{k}-\vec{k}_3} + V_{\vec{k}_4-\vec{k}_1} C_{\vec{k}-\vec{k}_4} = 0 \\ V_{\vec{k}_1-\vec{k}_2} C_{\vec{k}-\vec{k}_1} + (\varepsilon_2^0 - \varepsilon) C_{\vec{k}-\vec{k}_2} + V_{\vec{k}_3-\vec{k}_2} C_{\vec{k}-\vec{k}_3} + V_{\vec{k}_4-\vec{k}_2} C_{\vec{k}-\vec{k}_4} = 0 \\ V_{\vec{k}_1-\vec{k}_3} C_{\vec{k}-\vec{k}_1} + V_{\vec{k}_2-\vec{k}_3} C_{\vec{k}-\vec{k}_2} + (\varepsilon_3^0 - \varepsilon) C_{\vec{k}-\vec{k}_3} + V_{\vec{k}_4-\vec{k}_3} C_{\vec{k}-\vec{k}_4} = 0 \\ V_{\vec{k}_1-\vec{k}_4} C_{\vec{k}-\vec{k}_1} + V_{\vec{k}_2-\vec{k}_4} C_{\vec{k}-\vec{k}_2} + V_{\vec{k}_3-\vec{k}_4} C_{\vec{k}-\vec{k}_3} + (\varepsilon_4^0 - \varepsilon) C_{\vec{k}-\vec{k}_4} = 0 \end{cases}$$

By setting $U_1 \quad U_1 \quad \dots$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \epsilon_1^0 - \epsilon & U_1 & U_1 & U_2 \\ U_1 & \epsilon_2^0 - \epsilon & U_2 & U_1 \\ U_1 & U_2 & \epsilon_3^0 - \epsilon & U_1 \\ U_2 & U_1 & U_1 & \epsilon_4^0 - \epsilon \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

~~to write~~

$$\Leftrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon_w - \epsilon & \text{---} \\ 0 & \text{---} \\ 0 & \text{---} \\ 0 & \text{---} \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

We can get $\epsilon = \epsilon_w - U_2$

$$\epsilon = \epsilon_v + U_2 \pm 2U_1$$

$$b) \quad \epsilon_1^0 = \frac{\hbar^2}{2m} k^2 \quad \epsilon_2^0 = \frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \left(k - \frac{2\pi}{a} (111) \right)^2$$

$$\epsilon_3^0 = \frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \left(k' - \frac{2\pi}{a} (200) \right)^2$$

$$k_1 = 0 \quad k_2 = \frac{2\pi}{a} (111) \quad k_3 = \frac{2\pi}{a} (200)$$

apply to (4).

$$\begin{vmatrix} \epsilon_V - \epsilon & U_1 & U_2 \\ U_1 & \epsilon_V - \epsilon & U_1 \\ U_2 & U_1 & \epsilon_V - \epsilon \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \begin{vmatrix} \epsilon_V - \epsilon & U_1 & U_2 & U_2 \\ 0 & (\epsilon_V - \epsilon) - \frac{U_1^2}{\epsilon_V - \epsilon} & U_1 - \frac{U_1 U_2}{\epsilon_V - \epsilon} & U_1 - \frac{U_1 U_2}{\epsilon_V - \epsilon} \\ 0 & U_1 - \frac{\epsilon_V - \epsilon}{U_1} U_2 & \epsilon_V - \epsilon - U_2 & \epsilon_V - \epsilon - U_2 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

\Rightarrow get

$$\boxed{\begin{aligned} \epsilon &= \epsilon_V - U_2 \\ \epsilon &= \epsilon_V + \frac{U_2}{2} \pm \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{U_2^2 + 8U_1^2} \end{aligned}}$$

9.5.

F : Full

P : partially empty

E : Empty

a)

M \ Zones	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
I	P	P	P	F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F
II	E	P	P	P	P	P	F	F	F	F	F	F
III	E	E	E	P	P	P	P	F	F	F	F	F
IV	E	E	E	P	P	P	P	P	P	F	E	F
V	E	E	E	E	E	E	P	P	P	P	P	P
VI	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	P	P	P	P	P
VII	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	P	P	P

b)

$M=1$

Zones



$M=2$

Z_1



Z_2



$M=3$

Z_1



Z_2

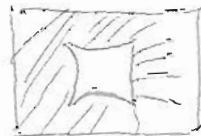


M_4

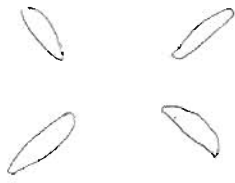
Z_1



Z_2



Z_3



Z_4



$m=5$



Z_2



Z_3



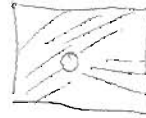
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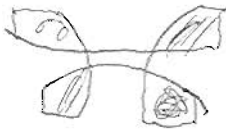
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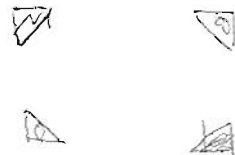
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Z_3

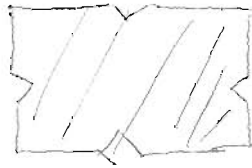


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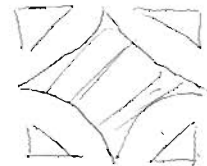


$m=7$

Z_3



Z_4



Z_5

