

# ASYMPTOTICS OF RESONANT TUNNELING IN QUANTUM WAVEGUIDES WITH SEVERAL EQUAL RESONATORS

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# Statement of the problem

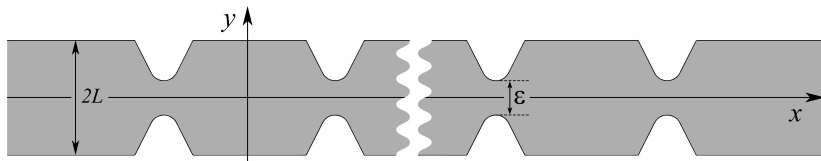


Figure: Waveguide  $G(\epsilon)$

The wave function  $u$  of a free electron of energy  $k^2$  satisfies the boundary value problem

$$\begin{aligned}(-\Delta - k^2)u(x, y; \epsilon) &= 0, \text{ in } G(\epsilon); \\ u(x, y; \epsilon) &= 0, \text{ on } \partial G(\epsilon).\end{aligned}$$

Auxiliary boundary value problem in the cross-section of the strip

$$\left( -\frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} - \lambda^2 \right) \Psi(y) = 0, \quad y \in (-L, L); \quad \left| \Rightarrow \right| \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} \lambda_q^2 = \left( \frac{\pi q}{2L} \right)^2, \\ q = 1, 2, \dots \end{array} \right.$$
$$\Psi(-L) = \Psi(L) = 0.$$

We assume that

$$\lambda_1^2 < k^2 < \lambda_2^2.$$

And set the radiation conditions

$$u(x, y; \varepsilon) = \begin{cases} e^{i\nu x} \Psi_1(y) + S_{11}(k; \varepsilon) e^{-i\nu x} \Psi_1(y) + O(e^{\delta x}), & x \rightarrow -\infty; \\ S_{12}(k; \varepsilon) e^{i\nu x} \Psi_1(y) + O(e^{-\delta x}), & x \rightarrow +\infty; \end{cases}$$

$$\delta > 0, \quad \nu = \sqrt{k^2 - \lambda_1^2}, \quad \Psi_1(y) = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2L\nu}} \cos \frac{\pi y}{2L}.$$

Reflection coefficient and transition coefficient

$$R(k; \varepsilon) = |S_{11}(k; \varepsilon)|^2, \quad T(k; \varepsilon) = |S_{12}(k; \varepsilon)|^2.$$

We have

$$R(k; \varepsilon) + T(k; \varepsilon) = 1.$$

We are interested in

- 1 The asymptotics of resonant energies  $k_r^2(\varepsilon)$  as  $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$ ;
- 2 The width  $\Upsilon(\varepsilon)$  of resonant peaks at half-height;
- 3 The heights  $T(k_r, \varepsilon)$  of resonant peaks.

# Single resonator - reference

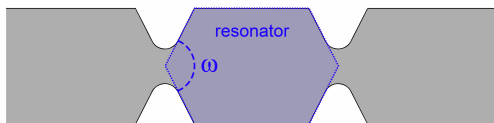


Figure: Waveguide  $G(\varepsilon)$  with a single resonator

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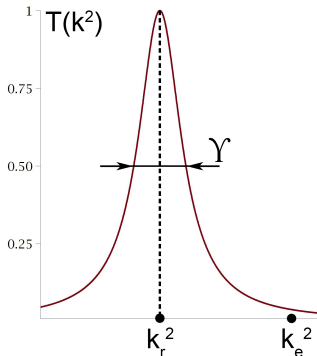
# Single resonator - results

The results obtained:

$$k_r^2(\varepsilon) = k_e^2 - Q\varepsilon^{2\pi/\omega} + O(\varepsilon^{2\pi/\omega+2-\delta}),$$

$$T(k; \varepsilon) = \frac{1}{1 + P^2 \left( \frac{k^2 - k_r^2}{\varepsilon^{4\pi/\omega}} \right)^2} \left( 1 + O(\varepsilon^{2-\delta}) \right),$$

$$\Upsilon(\varepsilon) = \frac{2}{P} \varepsilon^{4\pi/\omega} \left( 1 + O(\varepsilon^{2-\delta}) \right).$$



# n equal resonators - resonant energies

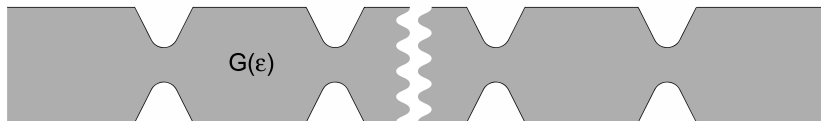
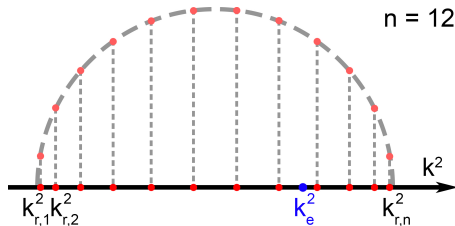


Figure: Waveguide  $G(\varepsilon)$  with  $n$  equal resonators

The resonant energies

$$k_{r,j}^2(\varepsilon) = k_e^2 - Q_j \varepsilon^{2\pi/\omega} + O(\varepsilon^{2\pi/\omega + 2 - \delta}), \quad j = 1, \dots, n;$$

$$Q_j = A + B \cos \frac{\pi j}{n+1}.$$

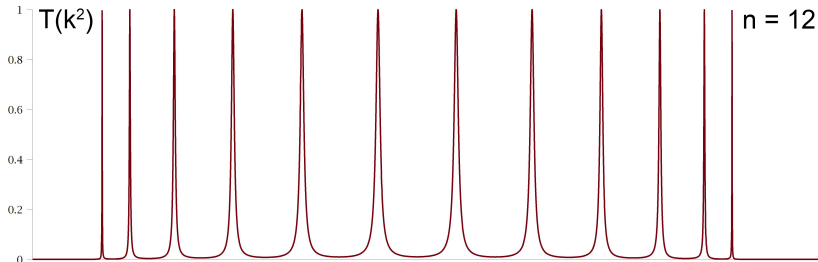


# n equal resonators - peaks

The transition coefficient and the widths of peaks

$$T(k; \varepsilon) = \frac{1}{1 + P^2 \left( \frac{\prod_{j=1}^n (k^2 - k_{r,j}^2)}{\varepsilon^{2(n+1)\pi/\omega}} \right)^2} \left( 1 + O(\varepsilon^{2-\delta}) \right),$$

$$\Upsilon_j(\varepsilon) = \frac{4}{P(n+1)} \left( \sin \frac{\pi j}{n+1} \right)^2 \varepsilon^{4\pi/\omega} \left( 1 + O(\varepsilon^{2-\delta}) \right).$$





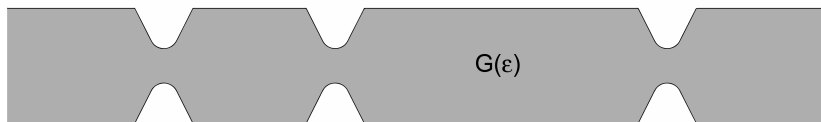


Figure: Waveguide  $G(\epsilon)$  with two different resonators

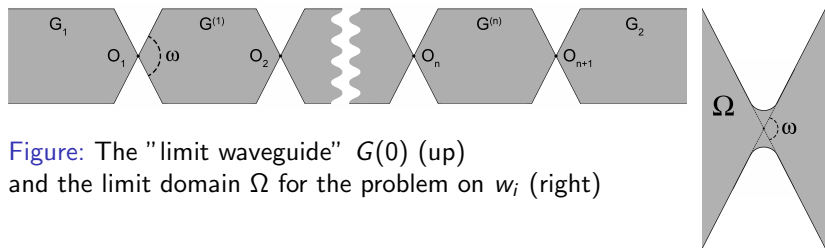
The results obtained

$$k_{r,j}^2 = k_{e,j}^2 - A_j \epsilon^{2\pi/\omega} + O(\epsilon^{2\pi/\omega+2-\delta}), \quad j = 1, 2;$$

$$T(k; \epsilon) = \frac{C_j \epsilon^{4\pi/\omega}}{1 + P_j^2 \left( \frac{k^2 - k_{r,j}^2}{\epsilon^{4\pi/\omega}} \right)^2} \left( 1 + O(\epsilon^{2-\delta}) \right);$$

$$\Upsilon_j(\epsilon) = \frac{2}{P_j} \epsilon^{4\pi/\omega} \left( 1 + O(\epsilon^{2-\delta}) \right).$$

# Asymptotic of the wave function



**Figure:** The "limit waveguide"  $G(0)$  (up)  
and the limit domain  $\Omega$  for the problem on  $w_i$  (right)

$$u(x, y; \varepsilon) = \chi_{1,\varepsilon}(x, y)v_1(x, y; \varepsilon) + \sum_{j=1}^n \chi_{\varepsilon}^{(j)}(x, y)v^{(j)}(x, y; \varepsilon) + \\ + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \theta(r_i)w_i(\varepsilon^{-1}x_i, \varepsilon^{-1}y_i; \varepsilon) + \chi_{2,\varepsilon}(x, y)v_2(x, y; \varepsilon).$$

Thank you!