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Classical Representation of a Quantum System at Equilibrium

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Overview

- Objective – exploit classical methods for description of correlations in quantum systems).
- Method – map quantum system thermodynamics and structure onto equivalent classical system.
- Approximate realization of the map – effective temperature, local chemical potential, pair potential.
- Limits of map – ideal Fermi gas; weak coupling (RPA)
- Target systems – uniform jellium correlations, shell structure of confined charges, DFT.

Can it work?

Dharma-wardana and Perrot, PRL 84, 959 (2000);
see review Dharma-wardana (2011), Arxiv: 1103.6070v1

$$T_c = \sqrt{T^2 + T_0^2}$$

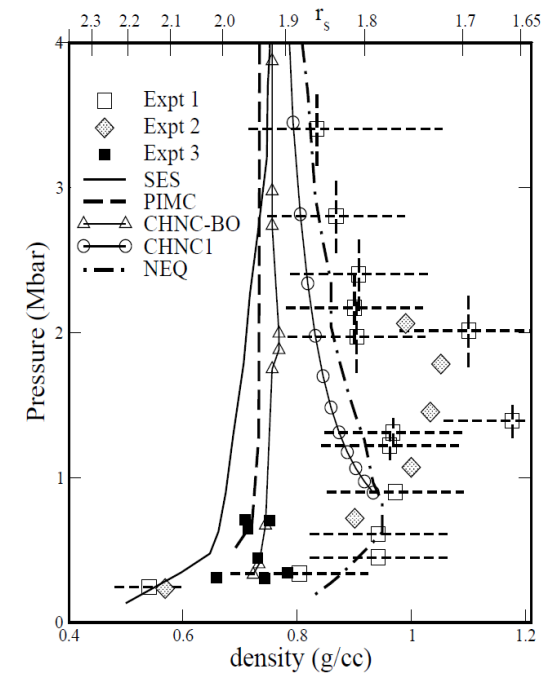
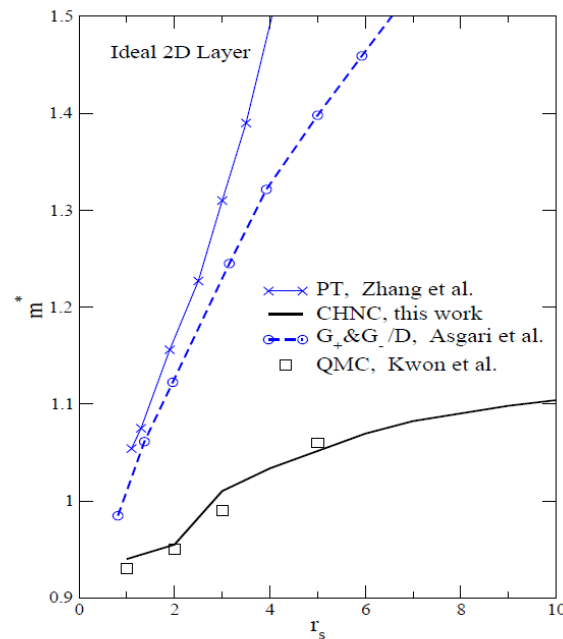
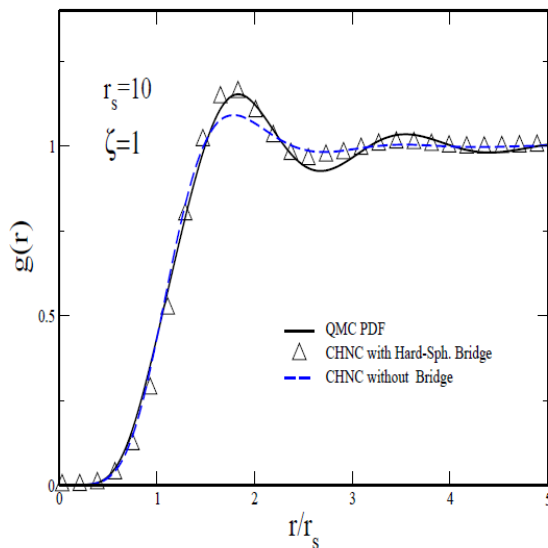
fit to T=0 xc energy

$$\phi_c(r) = \phi_c^{(0)}(r) + \frac{e^2}{r}(1 - e^{-\lambda r})$$

fit ideal gas g(r)

thermal de Broglie

Implement classical stat mech via HNC - examples



Non-uniform system thermodynamics - quantum

$$H = K + \Phi + \Phi_{ext} \qquad \Phi = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{ij} \phi(q_{ij}), \quad \Phi_{ext} = \sum_{i=1}^N \phi_{ext}(\mathbf{q}_i)$$

$$H - \mu N = K + \Phi - \int d\mathbf{r} \mu(\mathbf{r}) \hat{n}(\mathbf{r}) \qquad \hat{n}(\mathbf{r}) = \sum_{i=1}^N \delta(\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{q}_i)$$

Grand potential - quantum

$$\Omega(\beta \mid \mu) = -\beta^{-1} \ln \sum_N Tr_N e^{-\beta(K + \Phi - \int d\mathbf{r} \mu(\mathbf{r}) \hat{n}(\mathbf{r}))}$$

temperature

$$\beta = 1/K_B T$$

local chemical potential

$$\mu(\mathbf{r}) \equiv \mu - \phi_{ext}(\mathbf{r})$$

pair potential

$$\phi(q_{ij})$$

Non-uniform system thermodynamics - classical

Grand potential - classical

$$\Omega_c(\beta_c | \mu_c) = -\beta_c^{-1} \ln \sum_N \frac{1}{\lambda_c^{3N} N!} \int d\mathbf{q}_1 \dots d\mathbf{q}_N e^{-\beta_c (\Phi_c - \int dr \mu_c(r) \hat{n}(r))}$$

$$\lambda_c = (2\pi\beta_c \hbar^2 / m)^{1/2}$$

effective temperature β_c

effective local chemical potential $\mu_c(\mathbf{r}) \equiv \mu - \phi_{c,ext}(\mathbf{r})$

effective pair potential $\phi_c(q_{ij})$

Problem: how to define classical parameters to impose equivalence of thermodynamics and structure?

Definition of classical / quantum equivalence

$$\Omega_c(\beta_c \mid \mu_c) \equiv \Omega(\beta \mid \mu)$$

$$\frac{\delta \Omega_c(\beta_c \mid \mu_c)}{\delta \mu_c(\mathbf{r})} \Big|_{\beta_c, \phi_c} \equiv \frac{\delta \Omega(\beta \mid \mu)}{\delta \mu(\mathbf{r})} \Big|_{\beta} \qquad \frac{1}{\beta_c} \frac{\delta \Omega_c(\beta_c \mid \mu_c)}{\delta \phi_c(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}')} = \frac{1}{\beta} \frac{\delta \Omega(\beta \mid \mu)}{\delta \phi(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}')}$$

Interpretation (same thermodynamics and structure)

$$p_c(\beta_c \mid \mu_c) \equiv p(\beta \mid \mu)$$

$$n_c(\mathbf{r}; \beta_c \mid \mu_c) \equiv n(\mathbf{r}; \beta \mid \mu) \qquad g_c(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}'; \beta_c \mid \mu_c) \equiv g(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}'; \beta \mid \mu)$$

Problem: how to solve for

$$\beta_c = \beta_c(\beta \mid \mu), \quad \mu_c = \mu_c(\mathbf{r}; \beta \mid \mu), \quad \phi_c = \phi_c(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}'; \beta \mid \mu)$$

Relationship to density functional theory

Free energy (Legendre transform)

$$F(\beta \mid n) = \Omega(\beta \mid \mu) + \int d\mathbf{r} \mu(\mathbf{r}) n(\mathbf{r}) \qquad n(\mathbf{r}) = - \frac{\delta \Omega(\beta \mid \mu)}{\delta \mu(\mathbf{r})} \Big|_{\beta}$$

$$\frac{\delta F(\beta \mid n)}{\delta n(\mathbf{r})} \Big|_{\beta} = \mu(\mathbf{r}) \qquad \textit{Euler equation of DFT determines density}$$

$$F_c(\beta_c \mid n_c) = \Omega_c(\beta_c \mid \mu_c) + \int d\mathbf{r} \mu_c(\mathbf{r}) n_c(\mathbf{r})$$

$$\frac{\delta F_c}{\delta n_c(\mathbf{r})} = \mu_c(\mathbf{r}) \qquad \textit{Classical DFT determines same density}$$

Inversion of correspondence conditions

Classical density functional theory

$$\begin{pmatrix} n_c(\mathbf{r}) \\ g_c(\mathbf{r}) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathcal{I}(\mathbf{r} \mid \beta_c \mu_c, \beta_c \phi_c) \\ \mathcal{J}(\mathbf{r} \mid \beta_c \mu_c, \beta_c \phi_c) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \beta_c \mu_c(\mathbf{r}) \\ \beta_c \phi_c(\mathbf{r}) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathcal{I}^{-1}(\mathbf{r} \mid n, g) \\ \mathcal{J}^{-1}(\mathbf{r} \mid n, g) \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{quantum input}$$

Examples of approximate functionals $\mathcal{I}(\mathbf{r} \mid \cdot, \cdot)$ *and* $\mathcal{J}(\mathbf{r} \mid \cdot, \cdot)$

Percus-Yevick, hypernetted chain, ... better

Effective temperature – classical virial equation

$$\frac{\beta_c}{\beta} = \frac{\beta_c p_c}{\beta p} = \frac{\bar{n}}{\beta p} \left(1 - \frac{2\pi}{3} \bar{n} \int_0^\infty dr r^3 (g(r) - 1) \frac{d(\beta_c \phi_c(r))}{dr} \right)$$

quantum input

Application to Uniform Fermi Fluid

$$\beta_c \phi_c(\mathbf{r}) = \mathcal{J}^{-1}(\mathbf{r} | n, g) \rightarrow -\ln(g(\mathbf{r})) + g(\mathbf{r}) - 1 - c(\mathbf{r})$$

OZ $c(\mathbf{r}) = g(\mathbf{r}) - 1 - n \int d\mathbf{r}' (g(\mathbf{r}') - 1) c(\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}')$

HNC

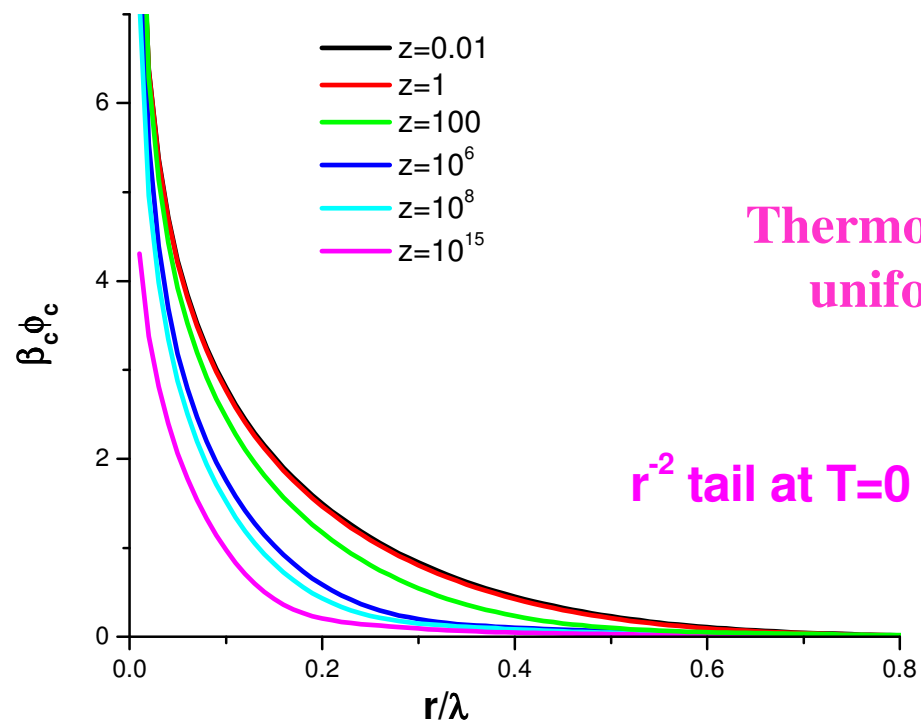
$$\frac{\beta_c}{\beta} = \frac{n}{\beta p} \left(1 - \frac{2\pi}{3} n \int_0^\infty dr r^3 (g(r) - 1) \frac{d\beta_c \phi_c(r)}{dr} \right)$$

Ideal Fermi Gas Limit

quantum input

$$g^{(0)}(r) = 1 - \frac{1}{2s+1} \left(\frac{\eta(r)}{\eta(\mathbf{0})} \right)^2, \quad \eta(r, \beta, \mu^{(0)}) = \int \frac{d\mathbf{k}}{(2\pi)^3} e^{-i\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{r}} \left(e^{\beta(\epsilon_k - \mu^{(0)})} + 1 \right)^{-1}$$

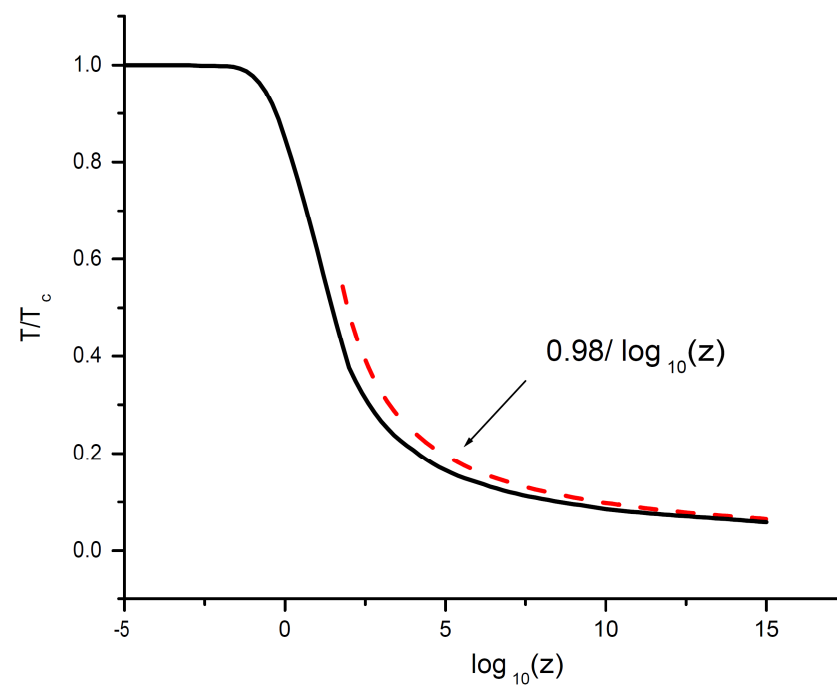
$$\beta p^{(0)}(\beta, \mu^{(0)}) = (2s+1) \int \frac{d\mathbf{k}}{(2\pi)^3} \ln \left(1 + e^{-\beta(\epsilon_k - \mu^{(0)})} \right)$$



Thermodynamics requires
uniform background

r^{-2} tail at $T=0$

$$T_C(T=0) = 1.02 T_F(n)$$



Other Ideal Fermi Gas Properties – Internal Energy

By definition:

$$p_c(\beta_c \mid \mu_c)V = -\Omega_c(\beta_c \mid \mu_c) = p(\beta \mid \mu)V = -\Omega(\beta \mid \mu)$$

By calculation:

$$E_c = \frac{\partial \beta_c p_c V}{\partial \beta_c} \Big|_{z_c, V} \neq \langle H \rangle_c$$

$$E_c \stackrel{?}{=} E = \frac{\partial \beta p V}{\partial \beta} \Big|_{z, V} = \langle \hat{H} \rangle = \frac{3}{2} p V$$

$$\begin{aligned} E_c &= \left(\frac{3}{2\beta_c} + n_c \frac{1}{2} \int d\mathbf{r} \frac{\partial \beta_c \phi_c(r)}{\partial \beta_{cl}} \Big|_{r, z_c} (g_c(r) - 1) \right) \\ &= \frac{3}{2} p_c V \end{aligned}$$

 **exact**

Coulomb regularization via diffraction, exchange

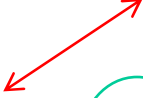
$$\beta_c \phi_c(\mathbf{r}) = (\beta_c \phi_c(\mathbf{r}))^{(0)} + \Delta(\mathbf{r})$$

Coulomb effects



weak coupling limit:

$$c(\mathbf{r}) \rightarrow c^{RPA}(\mathbf{r}) = -\beta_c \phi_c(\mathbf{r}) = c^{(0)}(0) + \Delta^{RPA}(\mathbf{r})$$


$$c^{RPA}(\mathbf{r}) = g^{RPA}(\mathbf{r}) - 1 - n \int d\mathbf{r}' (g^{RPA}(\mathbf{r}') - 1) c^{RPA}(\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}')$$

quantum input

Proposed approximate classical jellium potential

$$\begin{aligned} \beta_c \phi_c(\mathbf{r}) &\simeq (\beta_c \phi_c(\mathbf{r}))^{(0)} - (c^{RPA}(\mathbf{r}) - c^{(0)}(\mathbf{r})) \\ &= -\ln(g^{(0)}(\mathbf{r})) + g^{(0)}(\mathbf{r}) - 1 - c^{RPA}(\mathbf{r}) \end{aligned}$$

Some properties of the RPA classical potential

Large r:

$$\beta_c \phi_c(r) \rightarrow \frac{1}{\frac{\beta \hbar \omega_p}{2} \coth\left(\frac{\beta \hbar \omega_p}{2}\right)} \Gamma \frac{r_0}{r} \rightarrow \begin{cases} \Gamma \frac{r_0}{r}, & \beta \hbar \omega_p \ll 1 \\ 4 \left(\frac{\pi}{3} r_s\right)^{1/2} \frac{r_0}{r}, & \beta \hbar \omega_p \gg 1 \end{cases}$$

Weak coupling, low density

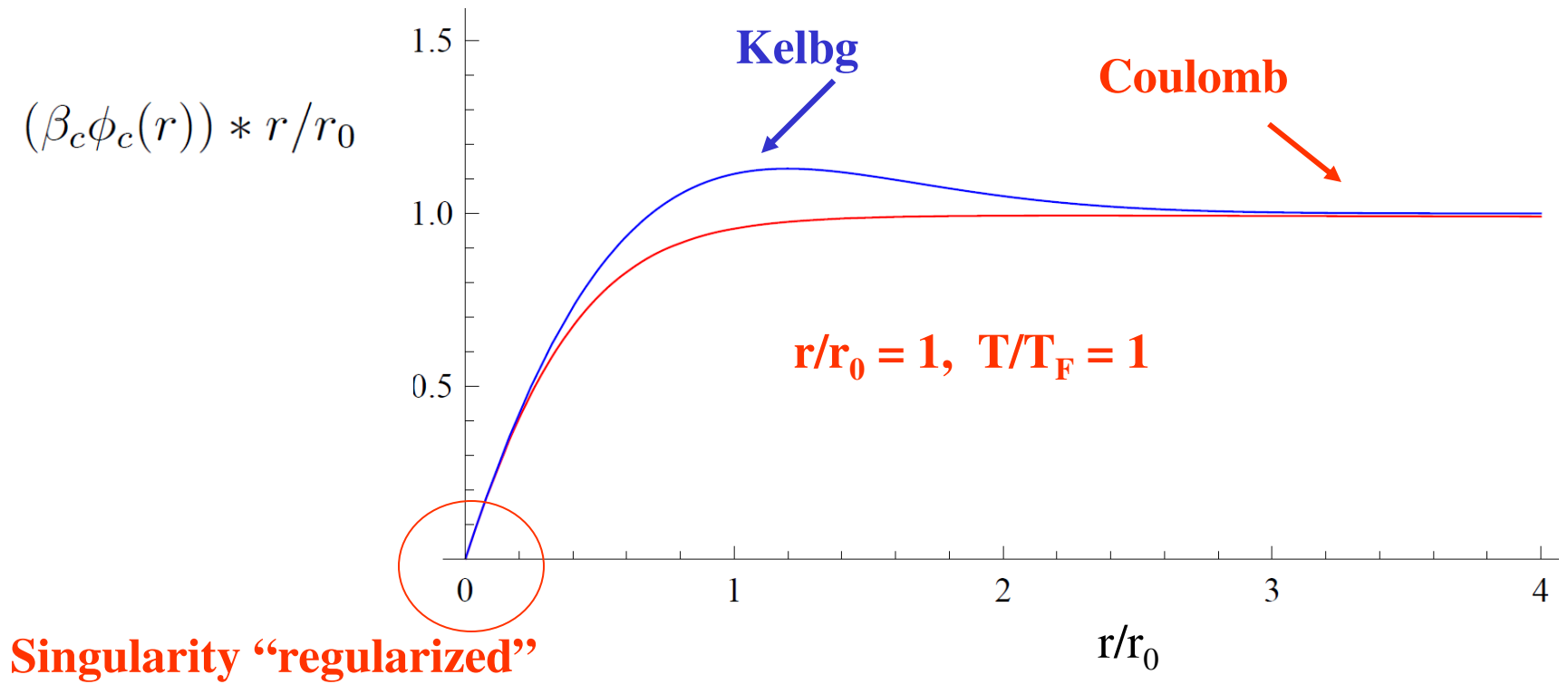
$$\beta_c \phi_c(r) \rightarrow (\beta_c \phi_c(r))^{(0)} + \int d\mathbf{r}' \phi(r') G(|\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}'|)$$

$$G(|\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}'|) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^3} \int d\mathbf{k} e^{-i\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{r}} \left(\frac{\delta}{\delta \phi(\mathbf{r}')} \frac{1}{n \tilde{S}^{RPA}(k)} \right) \Big|_{\phi=0}$$

$$\xrightarrow{z \ll 1} \text{Kelbg}$$

(diffraction, exchange)

(low density – diffraction only)



Aside: $\lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \tilde{S}(kr_0, q, t, r_s)$ non-analytic about $q = 0, T = 0$

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \tilde{S}(kr_0, q, t, r_s) \rightarrow c_1(q, t, r_s) (kr_0)^2$$

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \tilde{S}(kr_0, q = 0, T) \rightarrow c_2(t, r_s) + c_3(t, r_s) (kr_0)^2$$

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \tilde{S}(kr_0, q = 0, T = 0) \rightarrow c_4(r_2) kr_0 + c_5(r_s) (kr_0)^3$$

Application to Charges in a Trap

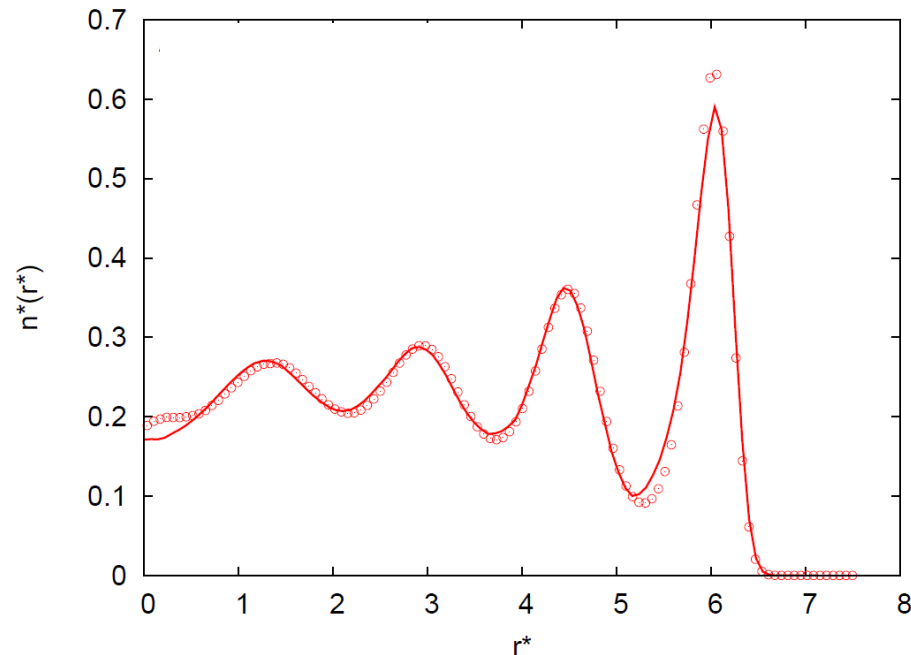
$$H = K + \Phi + \sum_{i=1}^N \phi_{ext}(q_i), \quad \phi_{ext}(q_i) = \frac{1}{2} m \omega^2 q_i^2$$

$$\ln(n_c(\mathbf{r}) \lambda_c^3) \simeq \beta_c \mu_c(\mathbf{r}) + \int d\mathbf{r}' c_c(|\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}'|) n_c(\mathbf{r}')$$

HNC

**OCP correlations (see
Wrighton poster)**

(classical – no quantum
effects)



$$\mu(\mathbf{r}) = \mu(\beta, n) - \phi_{ext}(\mathbf{r}) \xrightarrow[\text{(map)}]{\text{red arrow}} \mu_c(\mathbf{r}) = \mu_c - \phi_{ext,c}(\mathbf{r})$$

$$\beta_c \mu_c(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{3}{2} \ln \left(\frac{\beta_c}{\beta} \right) + \ln (n(\mathbf{r}) \lambda^3) + \int d\mathbf{r}' c(|\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}'|) n(\mathbf{r}')$$

↑
quantum input

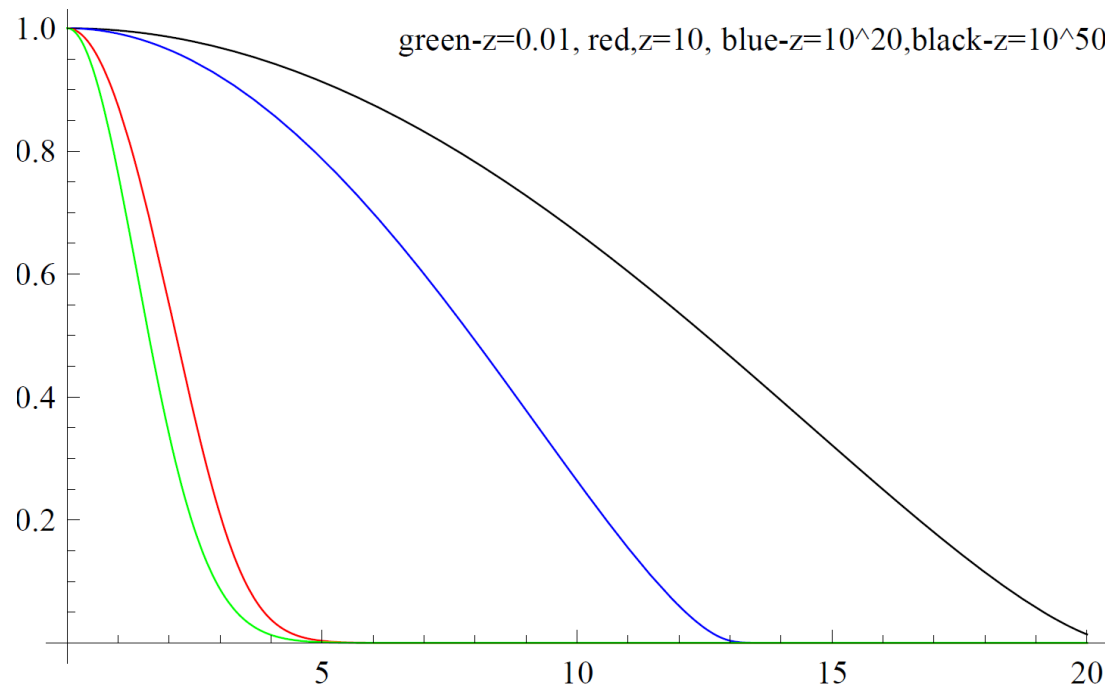
Lowest order map – inhomogeneous ideal Fermi gas

$$(\beta_c \mu_c(\mathbf{r}))^{(0)} = \frac{3}{2} \ln \left(\frac{\beta_c^{(0)}}{\beta} \right) + \ln (n^{(0)}(\mathbf{r}) \lambda^3) + \int d\mathbf{r}' c^{(0)}(|\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}'|) n^{(0)}(\mathbf{r}')$$

↑
quantum input

LDA (Thomas-Fermi) $n^{(0)}(\mathbf{r}) = \int \frac{d\mathbf{k}}{(2\pi)^3} e^{-i\mathbf{k}\cdot\mathbf{r}} \left(e^{\beta(\epsilon_k - \mu^{(0)}(r))} + 1 \right)^{-1}$

$$\frac{n^{(0)}(\mathbf{r})}{n^{(0)}(\mathbf{0})} = \frac{f_{3/2}(ze^{-\frac{1}{2}\Gamma r^2})}{f_{3/2}(z)} \rightarrow \begin{cases} \frac{z}{f_{3/2}(z)} e^{-\frac{1}{2}\Gamma r^2}, & ze^{-\frac{1}{2}\Gamma r^2} \ll 1 \\ \left(1 - \frac{1}{2\ln(z)}\Gamma r^2\right)^{3/2}, & ze^{-\frac{1}{2}\Gamma r^2} \gg 1 \end{cases}$$



How to use an approximate classical mapping?

With quantum properties embedded approximately in classical temperature, local chemical potential, and pair potential:

1. Implement classical statistical mechanics via molecular dynamics
2. Implement classical statistical mechanics via classical non-perturbative, non-local, orbital free density functional theory
3. Implement classical statistical mechanics via integral equations (“bootstrap”).

$$\begin{pmatrix} n_c(\mathbf{r}) \\ g_c(\mathbf{r}) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathcal{I}(\mathbf{r} \mid \beta_c \mu_c, \beta_c \phi_c) \\ \mathcal{J}(\mathbf{r} \mid \beta_c \mu_c, \beta_c \phi_c) \end{pmatrix}$$

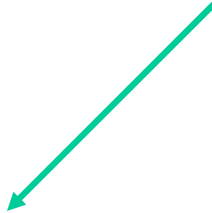
Example of bootstrap – HNC equations

Jellium:

$$g_c(\mathbf{r}) = \exp(-\beta_c \phi_c(\mathbf{r}) + g_c(\mathbf{r}) - 1 - c_c(\mathbf{r}))$$

+ Ornstein – Zernicke equation for $c_c(\mathbf{r})$

Harmonic trap:

$$n_c(\mathbf{r}) = n^{(0)}(\mathbf{r}) \left(\frac{\beta_c^{(0)}}{\beta_c} \right)^{3/2} \exp \int d\mathbf{r}' (c_c(|\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}'|) n_c(\mathbf{r}') - c^{(0)}(|\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}'|) n^{(0)}(\mathbf{r}'))$$


Results – 2013 in Kiel / Tahoe

Summary

- **Quantum – Classical map defined for thermodynamics and structure**
- **Implementation of map with two exact limits**
- **Application to jellium via HNC integral equation - in progress (need finite T simulation data for benchmark!)**
- **Application to shell structure for charges in trap – in progress**
- **Extension to orbital free density functional theory**