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ABSTRACT

By means of a variational method the TDHB equations have been derived. The Wigner representation of TDHB equations has been used for a hydrodynamic description of a nuclear system. Restricted dynamical parametrization of the TDHB theory has been considered. Various fluid models are developed and their small density oscillations have been discussed. For a comparison between hydrodynamic approach and microscopic consideration, a model for neutron matter is introduced. The numerical calculation of QPRPA and the hydrodynamical approach for phonon energies are compared.

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Chapter I

INTRODUCTION

Usually, a physicist's job is to explain naturally occurring or man-made physical phenomena by as simple means as possible. In nuclear physics, however, we are dealing with a system of a few hundred particles interacting via a strong interaction potential. Solving this system is quite complex in general. Many branches of physics help us to understand some behaviour of this system. Due to the short range of the interaction potential, many classical ideas can be applied to describe the gross property of the nuclei. Among successful models the liquid drop model should be mentioned. In the static limit, the Weizsacker-Bethe formula gives the overall trend of the binding energy of a nucleus with mass and charge numbers. The liquid model also served to explain the dynamics of the nuclei. Here one introduces collective deformation coordinates and uses classical equations of motion to treat the dynamics of the system. The choice of the collective coordinates is more or less arbitrary and is only guided by physical intuition and by the anticipation that the effect of intrinsic motion become small compared to the collective effects. Specific examples of collective coordinates

are, a) Bohr's surface parameters used in the collective model of vibration states ³, b) elongation, necking-in, and asymmetry of a strongly deformed nucleus in the hydrodynamical model of fission, ⁴⁻⁵ c) the displacements of neutrons and protons in the hydrodynamic model of giant resonance ⁶⁻⁷ and, d) the relative distance and angle between two nuclei in the classical description of heavy ion ⁸ reactions.

Behind the introduction of collective coordinates, there is an assumption that many nucleons participate in the motion, and the collective coordinate is an idealization of a general displacement. With this point of view in mind we may conclude that intrinsic motions are negligible. The dynamics of such a nuclear system follow then from the classical equations of motion, where the collective coordinates are employed as generalized coordinates. The potential energy consists in general of volume, coulomb, and surface energy contribution, now depending on generalized coordinates. The kinetic energy is derived from similar arguments. For a small change from equilibrium, it is assumed to be a quadratic expression in the generalized velocities, where the masses or inertia with respect to the coordinates have a generalized meaning and may themselves be functions of the coordinates.

Although many classical ideas are successful in describing the gross behaviour of nuclei, certainly our system for most of the considerations of nuclear physics is a non-relativistic quantal system. Many successful phenomenological models were developed over the last thirty years, the shell models and the collective models⁹ being among them. The shell model is based on the assumption¹⁰ of a large mean free nucleon path, and it describes nuclei as a collection of nucleons moving independently in well defined orbits. There are actually so many phenomenological theories of collective motion that a complete list of them would be difficult. It would be safe to describe them as quantal versions of classical collective motion

In fact the quantal system under consideration is truly a many body system, and eventually one must find a microscopic foundation for each of the successful phenomenological and hydrodynamical models. The motivation for this work is an attempt¹¹ in that direction. It has been known for decades, that the time dependent schrodinger equation for a single particle can be cast into fluid dynamical form with the phase and the square of the modulus taking the roles of velocity potential and density, respectively.

Recently, with the advent of heavy ion accelerators, evidence of hydrodynamical behaviour in nuclei has been enhanced, generating renewed interest in the advancement and development of the hydrodynamic method. Recent formulations and applications of fluid-dynamical methods are derived by different approaches. One approach is based upon the direct use of the Schrodinger equation,¹² another method utilizes the Wigner transformation,¹³ and a third approach is based on a classical interpretation of the "Lagrangian".¹⁴⁻¹⁵ All three approaches are based on assumption that the time-dependent Hartree-Fock (TDHF) equation is a valid description of nuclear motion. The present work is a continuation of the second and third approaches, and here we assume that the time dependent Hartree-Bogolyubov¹⁶ (TDHB) equations as a reasonable description of nuclear motion.

As mentioned above, the aim of this work is the exploration of the hydrodynamic approximation in a many body system. In the second chapter, a dynamical theory of pair correlations is developed. Utilizing various methods, we derive the time dependent Hartree-Bogolyubov equations in an arbitrary representation for a general two body interaction. Different limits of TDHB equations, notably the time dependent Bardeen-Cooper-Schrieffer¹⁷ and the time dependent Hartree-Fock¹⁸ are discussed. A brief derivation of the linearized TDHB equations is also included, in anticipation of the

Quasi-Particle Random-Phase-Approximation (QPRPA).

Chapter three contains the Koonin approach to the hydrodynamic interpretation in which we use the Wigner representation of the TDHB equations. We have a semiclassical interpretation for one of the TDHB equations of motion for the phase distribution function. It is easily recognizable as a quantal version of a modified Vlasov equation,¹⁹ which approaches the expected classical result in the limit $\hbar \rightarrow 0$ and where the number of particles is fixed. Also due to abandonment of a definite number of particles, we have an equation of motion for the deviation distribution function which identically vanishes for a system with a fixed number of particles.

In the fourth chapter, we discuss hydrodynamics of the system following the line of reasoning of Kerman-Koonin in the Lagrangian approach. The parametrization of the trial wave function enabled us to develop various fluid models. As a specific example, derivation of the Landau's theory of two fluid model from TDHB theory is one of our goals in this chapter. In the first method, we employ a diagonalized form of TDHB density matrix, then include dynamics of the system through time dependence of the single particle wave function. We have a two fluid model Lagrangian, and from Hamilton's procedure the equations of motion has been derived. With appropriate definition of the velocities for irrotational and normal fluids, we derive a set of equations which has some similarity with equations of motion in Landau's theory. We

have an Irrotational superfluid and a normal fluid which contains the vortex motion. The second and third models are also two fluid models: in the second model we used a general TDHB trial wave function, and in the third model our attention is focussed on coherent excitation of two particles and two holes in the trial wave function. The resemblance between these two model with Landau's theory is poor. The second approach gives a simple set of equations of motion and in the third approach, the equations of motion describing this model are a set of integro-differential equations with no resemblance with Landau's equations of motion. For each of these three models, density oscillation of fluids near their equilibrium are described, various limits of the dispersion relations are discussed, and dispersion relations for each of the models relative to the others are compared. Finally, as an application, an Irrotational fluid model similar to the Kerman-Koonin is developed.

A study of neutron matter is the subject of our discussion in the fifth chapter of this work. We assume that neutrons are interacting via soft-core potentials.²⁰ The static part of the equations of motion are solved. The energy gaps are evaluated for various densities and as a function of wave number. For evaluation of the velocity of sound in the system, we utilize the Irrotational fluid model of chapter four. The energy density as a functional of the density is approximated by its static solutions. Our numerical results for the velocity of sound in the neutron matter are reasonable, considering the results of other studies of nuclear matter.²¹ In the last section of chapter five, we derived the QPRPA utilizing the Generalized Hartree-Fock method,²² and

applied it to our model of neutron matter. The numerical calculation of the QPRPA and the hydrodynamical approach for phonon energies are compared. The agreement between two approaches is poor, for example the hydrodynamic dispersion relation was linear in terms of wave number while its corresponding in QPRPA is a hyperbola. Also, there is disagreement for the phonon energy in terms of density between two approaches. These disagreements between QPRPA and the corresponding hydrodynamics results enhanced the uncertainty in applicability of hydrodynamic approximations for the nuclear systems.

THE DYNAMICAL THEORY OF PAIR CORRELATIONS

In this chapter, we derive the time dependent Hartree-Bogolyubov (TDHB) equation for an arbitrary two body interaction. It is also shown that the TDHB, in two different limits, is identical with the time dependent Hartree-Fock (TDHF), and time dependent Bardeen-Cooper-Schrieffer (TDBCS). The TDHB approximation furnishes a computationally possible scheme for treating a system of interacting fermions, reducing the many-body problem to a set of coupled one body problems. The TDHB equations may be derived from at least two different methods. The first method is the time evolution of the expectation value of the operators $a_\alpha^\dagger a_\beta$, $a_\beta^\dagger a_\alpha^\dagger$ and $a_\alpha a_\beta$, using the Schrodinger equation for the evolution of the Hartree-Bogolyubov (HB) trial wave function. In the second approach, one could have a classical interpretation for the description of the system. Then the equation of motion are determined by a least action principle. Alternatively, the real and imaginary part of Bogolyubov matrix elements can be viewed as momentums and coordinates of a constrained system of particles and their motions are derived by Hamilton's procedure

In section (2-1) we summarize briefly the results and discussion of the static theory of pair correlation²⁴. Section (2-2) deals with the derivation of the TDHB equations. In section (2-3) we discuss some properties of the TDHB theory. A brief derivation of the linearized TDHB equations is the subject of the last section in this chapter.

2.1 The static theory of pair correlations.

The procedure of this section follows from Baranger's²⁴ treatment of the theory of pair correlations. To treat the quantum mechanics of a many-body system, it is convenient to use the techniques of second quantization.²⁵ For fermions, one introduces a creation operator a_{β}^{\dagger} which creates a particle in the single particle state denoted by β (β constitutes a complete label for a state). The hermitian adjoint of the creation operator is written as a_{α} (annihilation operator), which when acting to the right, destroys a particle in the state α . The a_{α}^{\dagger} and a_{β} satisfy the following anticommutation relation:

$$\{a_{\alpha}^{\dagger}, a_{\beta}^{\dagger}\} = \{a_{\alpha}, a_{\beta}\} = 0, \quad (2-1)$$

$$\{a_{\alpha}^{\dagger}, a_{\beta}\} = \delta_{\alpha\beta}. \quad (2-2)$$

The particle vacuum state, $|0\rangle$, is defined by the property, that it is annihilated by all the a_α :

$$a_\alpha |0\rangle = 0 \quad (2-3)$$

i.e. it contains no particles. The state of the many-body system is defined with respect to the vacuum state; for example a system with a definite number of particles may be represented as a linear combination of Slater determinant kets of the form:

$$a_\alpha^\dagger a_\beta^\dagger \dots a_\gamma^\dagger |0\rangle, \quad (2-4)$$

The second example is the BCS wave function:

$$|BCS\rangle = \prod_{\alpha} (u_{\alpha} + v_{\alpha} a_{\alpha}^{\dagger} a_{\bar{\alpha}}^{\dagger}) |0\rangle.$$

The product is over half the total number of states, the index $\bar{\alpha}$ represent the state which is paired with α . The third example

is the Blatt's ²⁶ wave function:

$$|\Phi_N\rangle = \frac{1}{N!} \left(\sum_{\alpha\beta} g_{\alpha\beta} a_{\alpha}^{\dagger} a_{\beta}^{\dagger} \right)^N |0\rangle \quad (2-6)$$

where $g_{\alpha\beta}$ is an antisymmetric second order state tensor.

To elucidate some points in the future discussion of HB and TDHB theory, it is necessary to repeat Baranger's observation about the equivalence of Blatt's and BCS trial wave functions.

We start with the Bloch and Messiah theorem, which states that for any antisymmetric second order tensor, such as $\varphi_{\alpha\beta}$, there exists a unitary transformation, U , such that the transformed φ in canonical representation has the simple form shown in figure [1]. In the new representation, $\varphi_{\alpha\beta}$ is non zero only if α and β are paired. Therefore, Blatt's wave function in the new representation can be written as

$$|\phi'_N\rangle = \frac{1}{N!} \left(\sum_{\alpha} \varphi_{\alpha} a_{\alpha}^{\dagger} a_{\alpha}^{\dagger} \right)^N |0\rangle. \quad (2-7)$$

Utilizing the Pauli principle, the above equation reduces to the following form:

$$|\phi'_N\rangle = \prod_{\alpha} \varphi_{\alpha} a_{\alpha}^{\dagger} a_{\alpha}^{\dagger} |0\rangle, \quad (2-8)$$

which is a single Slater determinate ket of N pairs. With a change of normalization, one may rewrite the BCS wave function in the following form:

$$|BCS\rangle = \prod_{\alpha} \left(1 + \frac{v_{\alpha}}{u_{\alpha}} a_{\alpha}^{\dagger} a_{\alpha}^{\dagger} \right) |0\rangle. \quad (2-9)$$

The projection of the BCS wave function, equation (2-9), on the subspace of $2N$ (N pairs) is exactly

$$\prod_{\alpha} \frac{v_{\alpha}}{u_{\alpha}} a_{\alpha}^{\dagger} a_{\alpha}^{\dagger} |0\rangle. \quad (2-10)$$

Therefore from ^{the} start one sees the equivalence of the two wave functions in the following sense. For a very large number of particles ($N \gg 1$) the projected BCS wave function on the subspace of N pairs is equivalent to the corresponding canonical Blatt's wave function, provided one sets

$$\phi_i = \frac{v_i}{u_i}. \quad (2-11)$$

Let us consider a general Hamiltonian with one body and two body terms

$$H = \sum_{\alpha\gamma} T_{\alpha\gamma} a_{\alpha}^{\dagger} a_{\gamma} + \sum_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} \frac{1}{4} V_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} a_{\alpha}^{\dagger} a_{\beta}^{\dagger} a_{\delta} a_{\gamma} \quad (2-12)$$

where, the coefficients T , V have the following symmetry properties:

$$T_{\alpha\gamma} = T_{\gamma\alpha}^* \quad (2-13)$$

$$V_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} = V_{\delta\gamma\alpha\beta}^* \quad (2-14)$$

$$V_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} = -V_{\beta\alpha\gamma\delta} = -V_{\alpha\beta\delta\gamma} = V_{\beta\alpha\delta\gamma}. \quad (2-15)$$

The antisymmetric choice of the coefficients V means that the exchange term is already included together with the direct term in the interaction. In the usual derivation of HB equations, the ground state of HB wave function $|\phi\rangle$ is defined by the property that it is annihilated by all quasi-particle annihilation operators. Where the quasi-particle operators are defined in the most general case as

linear combination of particle and hole operators. In this case from the start one no longer has a definite number of particles for the ground state, and the following expectation values are all nonzero: $\langle \psi | a_\alpha^\dagger a_\beta | \psi \rangle$, $\langle \psi | a_\alpha a_\beta | \psi \rangle$, and $\langle \psi | a_\alpha^\dagger a_\beta^\dagger | \psi \rangle$. But in Baranger's reformulation of HB theory the number of particles is kept fixed as long as possible and it is the result of mathematical approximations that things look at the end as though one had mixed the number of particles.

For a derivation of the HB equations from a variational point of view, one has to calculate the expectation value of Hamiltonian. Therefore it is necessary to calculate the expectation value of the matrix elements. Since the Blatt's trial wave function is not normalized, one has to calculate the norm, the one body and the two body matrix elements, given by

$$\langle \phi_N | \phi_N \rangle = \frac{1}{(N!)^2} \langle 0 | \left(\sum_{\alpha\beta} g_{\alpha\beta}^\dagger a_\beta a_\alpha \right)^N \left(\sum_{\gamma\delta} g_{\gamma\delta} a_\gamma^\dagger a_\delta^\dagger \right)^N | 0 \rangle \quad (2-16)$$

$$\langle \phi_N | a_\alpha^\dagger a_\beta | \phi_N \rangle = \frac{1}{(N!)^2} \langle 0 | \left(\sum_{\delta\delta} g_{\delta\delta}^\dagger a_\delta a_\delta \right)^N a_\alpha^\dagger a_\beta \left(\sum_{\mu\nu} g_{\mu\nu} a_\mu^\dagger a_\nu^\dagger \right)^N | 0 \rangle \quad (2-17)$$

$$\langle \phi_N | a_\alpha^\dagger a_\beta^\dagger a_\gamma a_\delta | \phi_N \rangle = \frac{1}{(N!)^2} \langle 0 | \left(\sum_{\mu\nu} g_{\mu\nu}^\dagger a_\nu a_\mu \right)^N \times$$

$$a_\alpha^\dagger a_\beta^\dagger a_\gamma a_\delta \left(\sum_{\eta\eta} g_{\eta\eta} a_\eta^\dagger a_\eta^\dagger \right)^N | 0 \rangle. \quad (2-18)$$

Baranger calculated the matrix element with a diagrammatic method, defining a closed chain (figure [2]) and open chains (figure [3] and figure [4]). Each chain has even number of lines, which are representative of the contraction, and their label represents the state involved. The wave function φ represented by white vertices, φ^* stand for the black vertices. For example, the contribution of the closed hexagonal chain in figure [2] is

$$- \varphi_{12} \varphi_{23}^* \varphi_{34} \varphi_{45}^* \varphi_{56} \varphi_{61}^* \quad (2-19)$$

He defined R_c as an independent closed chain C, n_c as its order, and m_c as the number of times which C occurs in the set. Then

$$\langle \phi_N | \phi_N \rangle = \sum \prod_c \left[\frac{(R_c)^{m_c}}{m_c!} \right] \equiv F(2N) \quad (2-20)$$

This being the definition of function F, the sum is over all possible set of the closed chain such that

$$\sum_c m_c n_c = 2N \quad (2-21)$$

$R_{pa}^{(i)}$ is defined as the contribution of an open chain i with n_i as its order. For example, the contribution of the chain in figure [3] would be

$$R_{pa}^{(i)} = - \varphi_{p1} \varphi_{12}^* \varphi_{23} \varphi_{34}^* \varphi_{45} \varphi_{5a}^* \quad (2-22)$$

Then, the one body matrix element is

$$\langle \phi_N | a_a^\dagger a_p | \phi_N \rangle = \sum_i R_{pa}^{(i)} F(2N - n_i) \quad (2-23)$$

where the sum is over all possible open chains starting in β with a φ and ending in α with a φ^* . For the two body matrix element, there are two open chains, with three possible ways of forming them. there are two possibilities of even chains like that of figure [3], the third possibility is that it may also be two odd chains as in figure [4]. He defined $K_{\beta\alpha}^{(i)}$ as the contribution of an odd chain i starting and ending with a φ , the complex conjugate of K would be the contribution of odd chain starting and ending with a φ^* . Thus, the two body matrix element is

$$\langle \phi_N | a_i^\dagger a_p^\dagger a_s a_r | \phi_N \rangle = \sum_{i,j} \left(R_{\beta\alpha}^i R_{\delta\beta}^j - R_{\delta\alpha}^i R_{\beta\delta}^j + K_{\beta\alpha}^{\alpha i} K_{\delta\alpha}^j \right) F(2N - n_i - n_j). \quad (2-24)$$

The main point in Baranger's argument is that the normalization of φ can be chosen in such a way that $F(2N)$ is approximately independent of N for large N . With this approximation in mind one may conclude that the F 's in equations (2-20,2-23,2-24) can be considered equal. Defining,

$$R_{\beta\alpha} = \sum_i R_{\beta\alpha}^{(i)}, \quad (2-25)$$

$$K_{\beta\alpha} = \sum_i K_{\beta\alpha}^{(i)}, \quad (2-26)$$

assuming the convergence of these series, one may derive the expectation values of one and two body operators, the result being

$$\langle \phi_N | a_i^\dagger a_\beta | \phi_N \rangle / \langle \phi_N | \phi_N \rangle = f_{\beta a} \quad (2-27)$$

$$\langle \phi_N | a_i^\dagger a_\beta^\dagger a_\delta a_\gamma | \phi_N \rangle / \langle \phi_N | \phi_N \rangle = f_{\delta a} f_{\gamma \beta} - f_{\delta a} f_{\gamma \beta} + K_{\beta a}^* K_{\delta \gamma} \quad (2-28)$$

This is identical to what one gets from other methods of HB theory. Finally to complete the equivalence of digrammatic method with other methods, one should derive supplementary condition diagrammatically, and one obtains:

$$f_{\beta a}^2 = - \sum_i \left(\frac{n_i}{2} - 1 \right) R_{\beta a}^i \quad (2-29)$$

$$(K K^*)_{\beta a} = - \sum_i \frac{n_i}{2} R_{\beta a}^i \quad (2-30)$$

$$(f K)_{\beta a} = - \sum_i \frac{1}{2} (n_i - 1) K_{\beta a}^i \quad (2-31)$$

$$(K f^*)_{\beta a} = - \sum_i \frac{1}{2} (n_i - 1) K_{\beta a}^i \quad (2-32)$$

The above equations (2-29)-(2-32) are identical with the supplementary conditions.

$$f_{\alpha \beta} = f_{\alpha \gamma} f_{\gamma \beta} - K_{\alpha \gamma} K_{\gamma \beta}^* \quad (2-33)$$

$$f_{\alpha \gamma} K_{\gamma \beta} = K_{\alpha \gamma} f_{\gamma \beta}^* \quad (2-34)$$

where we used the convention that repeated indices should be summed.

To prove the main point he rewrote the expression (2-20) for $F(2N)$ in the following form:

$$F(2N) = \left(\frac{1}{2\pi i} \right) \oint \bar{z}^{-2N-1} dz \sum \prod_c \frac{(z^{n_c} R_c)^{m_c}}{m_c!} \quad (2-35)$$

The integral is on a contour enclosing the origin. Now one may withdraw the restriction of equation (2-21), that is to say the sum includes all possible sets of closed chains. $F(2N)$ may also be written as

$$\begin{aligned} F(2N) &= (2\pi i)^{-1} \oint \bar{z}^{-2N-1} dz \exp \left(\sum_c z^{n_c} R_c \right) \\ &= (2\pi i)^{-1} \oint \bar{z}^{-1} dz \exp \left(\sum_c z^{n_c} R_c - 2N \ln z \right) \end{aligned} \quad (2-36)$$

For a slightly different number of particles we shall write the integral as

$$F(2N-n) = (2\pi i)^{-1} \oint \bar{z}^{n-1} dz \exp \left(\sum_c z^{n_c} R_c - 2N \ln z \right) \quad (2-37)$$

Since \bar{z}^{n-1} is a slowly varying function of z relative to the exponential, one may calculate $F(2N-n)$ by the steepest descent method. The saddle point z_0 can be found by setting the derivative of the exponent equal to zero

$$\sum_c n_c z_0^{n_c-1} R_c - 2N/z_0 = 0 \quad (2-38)$$

We may assume the normalization of ϕ is such that the saddle point

does occur at $z=1$. Then, one obtains

$$\sum_c \eta_c R_c = 2N \quad (2-39)$$

which is the supplementary condition equation (2-21).

For HB theory he improved the derivation along the line of Bayman's argument in reference 28. Define

$$\phi(z) = \sum_N z^N |\phi_N\rangle, \quad (2-40)$$

one can then write

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \phi(z) | \phi(z) \rangle &= \sum_N z^{2N} \langle \phi_N | \phi_N \rangle = \sum_N z^{2N} F(2N) \\ &= \exp \sum_c z^n R_c \equiv F(z). \end{aligned} \quad (2-41)$$

Similarly,

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \phi(z) | a_d^\dagger a_p^\dagger | \phi(z) \rangle &= \sum_N z^{2N} \langle \phi_N | a_d^\dagger a_p^\dagger | \phi_N \rangle = \sum_N z^{2N} R_{\beta d}^i F(2N - \eta_i) \\ &= \sum_{\eta_i} z^{2N} F(N) R_{\beta d}^i z^{\eta_i} \\ &= R_{\beta d}(z) F(z) \end{aligned} \quad (2-42)$$

where

$$R_{\beta d}(z) = \sum_{\eta_i} z^{\eta_i} R_{\beta d}^{(i)}. \quad (2-43)$$

Similar expression holds for the two body matrix element,

$$\langle \phi(z) | a_d^\dagger a_p^\dagger a_\delta a_\delta | \phi(z) \rangle = \sum_N z^{2N} \langle \phi_N | a_d^\dagger a_p^\dagger a_\delta a_\delta | \phi_N \rangle$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \sum_N z^{2N} F(2N - n_i - n_j) \left[R_{\delta\alpha}^i R_{\delta\beta}^j - R_{\delta\alpha}^j R_{\delta\beta}^i + K_{\beta\alpha}^i K_{\delta\delta}^j \right] \\
&= F(z) \left(R_{\delta\alpha}(z) R_{\delta\beta}(z) - R_{\delta\alpha}(z) R_{\delta\beta}(z) + K_{\beta\alpha}(z) K_{\delta\delta}(z) \right) \quad (2-44)
\end{aligned}$$

where

$$K_{\beta\alpha}^i(z) = \sum_{n_i} z^{n_i} k_{\beta\alpha}^i \quad (2-45)$$

By introducing $\phi(z)$ in equation (2-40), we abandon the requirement of equation (2-20) for evaluating the norm and the matrix elements. In other words the total number of different chains (closed or open) is infinite. One may assume the convergence of the above series for small $|z|$, and the analytic continuation to the saddle point without difficulty. Define

$$\chi_{\alpha\beta} = -g_{\delta\delta} g_{\beta\alpha}^{\delta} \quad (2-46)$$

then for the equation (2-46) one obtains

$$R(z) = z^2 \chi - z^4 \chi^2 + z^6 \chi^3 - \dots \quad (2-47)$$

Because, the sum involves all possible even chains built up of all possible intermediate states, equation (2-47) can also be written in matrix form:

$$R(z) = z^2 \chi (1 + z^2 \chi)^{-1} \quad (2-48)$$

And for the saddle point $z=z_c=1$, we get

$$\rho = \chi (1+\chi)^{-1} \quad (2-49)$$

From the definition of κ and ρ as sums of odd and even chains, respectively, one finds that κ is related to ρ and φ by

$$\kappa = (\rho-1)\varphi = \varphi(\rho^{\kappa}-1) \quad (2-50a)$$

$$\kappa = -(1+\chi)^{-1}\varphi = -\varphi(1+\chi^{\kappa})^{-1} \quad (2-50b)$$

Where equation (2-50-b) derived by inserting the equivalent of ρ from equation (2-49).

Let us take HB trial wave function as

$$|\phi_{HB}\rangle = \frac{|\phi(z)\rangle}{(\langle\phi(z)|\phi(z)\rangle)^{1/2}} \Big|_{z=z_c=1} \quad (2-51)$$

Then, one could easily see that, for HB theory, $\rho_{\alpha\beta}$, $\kappa_{\alpha\beta}^{\alpha}$ and $\kappa_{\alpha\beta}$ are the expectation values of the density operator, the two particle creation operator, and the two particle annihilation operator, respectively,

$$\rho_{\alpha\beta} = \langle\phi_{HB}| a_{\alpha}^{\dagger} a_{\beta} |\phi_{HB}\rangle, \quad (2-52)$$

$$\kappa_{\alpha\beta}^{\alpha} = \langle\phi_{HB}| a_{\beta}^{\dagger} a_{\alpha}^{\dagger} |\phi_{HB}\rangle, \quad (2-53)$$

$$\kappa_{\alpha\beta} = \langle\phi_{HB}| a_{\alpha} a_{\beta} |\phi_{HB}\rangle, \quad (2-54)$$

with their properties

$$f_{\alpha\beta} = f_{\beta\alpha}^* \quad (2-55)$$

$$k_{\alpha\beta} = -k_{\beta\alpha} \quad , \quad k_{\alpha\beta}^* = -k_{\beta\alpha}^* \quad (2-56)$$

Utilizing the expectation value of one body, and two body matrix elements, we may evaluate the expectation value of the Hamiltonian:

$$H_0 = \langle \phi_{HB} | H | \phi_{HB} \rangle = T_{\alpha\beta} f_{\beta\alpha} + \frac{1}{2} V_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} f_{\beta\alpha} f_{\delta\gamma} + \frac{1}{4} V_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} k_{\beta\alpha}^* k_{\gamma\delta} \quad (2-57)$$

For derivation of HB equations one may set up a variational procedure.

Then one introduces a Lagrange multiplier λ to make sure that the physical requirement [equation (2-39)] is satisfied and tries to minimize

$$H' = H_0 - \lambda T_{\alpha\beta} f_{\beta\alpha} \quad (2-58)$$

It is more convenient and elegant to utilize the Bogolyubov matrices in which each index takes twice as many values as there are states in the original formulation. In particular, define

$$R = \begin{pmatrix} f & -k \\ k^* & 1-f^* \end{pmatrix} \quad (2-59)$$

which can also be written as

$$R_{\alpha\beta}^{11} = f_{\alpha\beta} \quad , \quad R_{\alpha\beta}^{12} = -k_{\alpha\beta} \quad , \quad R_{\alpha\beta}^{21} = k_{\alpha\beta}^* \quad , \quad R_{\alpha\beta}^{22} = \delta_{\alpha\beta} - f_{\beta\alpha} \quad (2-60)$$

This matrix has the properties

$$R = R^T, \quad (2-61)$$

$$f R f = 1 - R^*, \quad (2-62)$$

where

$$f_{\alpha\beta}^{11} = f_{\alpha\beta}^{22} = 0, \quad f_{\alpha\beta}^{12} = f_{\alpha\beta}^{21} = \delta_{\alpha\beta}. \quad (2-63)$$

The supplementary conditions can be easily expressed in terms of R ; they reduce to

$$R^2 = R. \quad (2-64)$$

In similar notation, define a matrix \mathcal{V} by

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{V}_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}^{1111} &= V_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}, & \mathcal{V}_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}^{1212} &= -V_{\alpha\delta\gamma\beta}, & \mathcal{V}_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}^{1221} &= -V_{\alpha\delta\beta\gamma}, \\ \mathcal{V}_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}^{2222} &= V_{\gamma\delta\alpha\beta}, & \mathcal{V}_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}^{2121} &= -V_{\gamma\beta\alpha\delta}, & \mathcal{V}_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}^{2112} &= -V_{\beta\delta\alpha\gamma}. \end{aligned} \quad (2-65)$$

Submatrices corresponding to the ten other possible contributions of the superscripts are all set to zero. Also, define

$$T = T^T = \begin{pmatrix} T - \lambda + \frac{1}{\lambda} U & 0 \\ 0 & -T^* + \lambda - \frac{1}{\lambda} U^* \end{pmatrix}, \quad (2-66)$$

where

$$U_{\alpha\beta} = U_{\beta\alpha}^* = V_{\alpha\beta\alpha\beta} \quad (2-67)$$

Then, one can find the Hamiltonian in a simple form:

$$H'_0 = \sum_{ac} \frac{1}{2} T_{ac} R_{ca} + \sum_{abcd} \frac{1}{8} V_{abcd} R_{ca} R_{db} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\lambda} (T_{\lambda} - \lambda) + \frac{1}{8} \sum_{\alpha\beta} V_{\alpha\beta\alpha\beta}, \quad (2-68)$$

where Roman subscripts assume twice as many values as Greek

subscripts. The problem reduces to minimization of the Hamiltonian H'_0 , the variable R being restricted by supplementary condition (2-64) and the properties of matrix R (2-61), (2-62). The final result is that R must be constructed in such a way as to commute with ω

$$[R, \omega] = 0 \quad (2-69)$$

where ω is defined by:

$$\omega_{ac} = T_{ac} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{bd} V_{abcd} R_{db}. \quad (2-70)$$

2.2 Time-Dependent Hartree-Bogolyubov (TDHB).

Imagine now that the coefficient of Blatt's trial wave function is time dependent, and consequently the wave function is time dependent. However the diagrammatical method still holds as well as the supplementary conditions (2-33), (2-34). The equations of motion for p and k can be derived as follows. Consider the matrix elements of the operator $a_\alpha^\dagger a_\beta$ and $a_\alpha a_\beta$ for a non-stationary wave function $|\psi\rangle$. By virtue of the Schrodinger equation

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} |\psi\rangle = H |\psi\rangle, \quad (2-71)$$

and its hermitian conjugate, we have

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} p_{\alpha\beta} = \langle \psi | [a_\beta^\dagger a_\alpha, H] | \psi \rangle \quad (2-72)$$

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} k_{\alpha\beta} = \langle \psi | [a_\alpha a_\beta, H] | \psi \rangle. \quad (2-73)$$

The right hand side of equations (2-72), (2-73) can be easily calculated using Wick's theorem, and the result is

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} p_{\alpha\beta} = (T - \lambda + \Gamma)_{\alpha\delta} p_{\delta\beta} - p_{\alpha\delta} (T - \lambda + \Gamma)_{\delta\beta} + \Delta_{\alpha\delta} k_{\delta\beta}^\alpha - k_{\alpha\delta} \Delta_{\delta\beta}^\alpha \quad (2-74)$$

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} k_{\alpha\beta} = (T - \lambda + \Gamma)_{\alpha\delta} k_{\delta\beta} - (T - \lambda + \Gamma)_{\beta\delta} k_{\alpha\delta} - \Delta_{\alpha\beta} + p_{\alpha\delta} \Delta_{\delta\beta} + \Delta_{\alpha\delta} p_{\delta\beta}^\alpha. \quad (2-75)$$

Where Hartree potential Γ and pairing potential Δ are given by

$$\Gamma_{\alpha\delta} = \sum_{\beta\gamma} v_{\beta\gamma\alpha\delta} p_{\beta\gamma} \quad (2-76)$$

and

$$A_{\alpha\beta} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\gamma\delta} V_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} k_{\gamma\delta}. \quad (2-77)$$

The equations (2-74) and (2-75) are compatible with supplementary conditions (2-33) and (2-34).

Kerman and Koonin showed that the time dependent Hartree-Fock can be derived from a variational procedure. Then, it is natural to ask whether the TDHB equations can be derived from a variational method. To answer this question, we would follow the diagrammatic method of the last section, and define the "Lagrangian"

$$\mathcal{L} = \left(\langle \phi_N | i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} - H | \phi_N \rangle \right) / \langle \phi_N | \phi_N \rangle. \quad (2-78)$$

A more appropriate choice of the wave function would be a normalized one such as

$$|\psi\rangle = \frac{|\phi_N\rangle}{(\langle \phi_N | \phi_N \rangle)^{1/2}} \quad (2-79)$$

and a corresponding Lagrangian can be written as

$$\mathcal{L} = \langle \psi | i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} - H | \psi \rangle. \quad (2-80)$$

The difference between two definition of the Lagrangian equations (2-78) and (2-80) is a total time derivative term. Since, we accept the classical interpretation of the Lagrangian due to Kerman-Koonin, a total time derivative term in the Lagrangian will not cause any change in the equation of motion, and it may be disregarded.

For the derivation of the time dependent part of Lagrangian:

$$\langle \phi_N | i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} | \phi_N \rangle / \langle \phi_N | \phi_N \rangle, \quad (2-81)$$

we utilize the diagrammatic method of the section 2.1. One may write

$$\langle \phi_N | i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} | \phi_N \rangle = \langle 0 | \left(\sum_{\alpha\beta} q_{\alpha\beta} a_{\beta}^{\alpha} a_{\alpha} \right)^N i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left(\sum_{\delta\delta} p_{\delta\delta} a_{\delta}^{\dagger} a_{\delta} \right)^N | 0 \rangle. \quad (2-82)$$

We assume that only the coefficient, q , are time dependent, and it is easily seen that this term can be written as

$$\langle \phi_N | i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} | \phi_N \rangle = \sum_{\alpha\beta} i \frac{\partial q}{\partial t} q_{\alpha\beta} \frac{\delta}{\delta q_{\alpha\beta}} \langle \phi_N | \phi_N \rangle \quad (2-83)$$

using equation (2-20), we get

or
$$\langle \phi_N | i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} | \phi_N \rangle = \sum_{\alpha\beta} i \frac{\partial q}{\partial t} q_{\alpha\beta} \frac{\delta}{\delta q_{\alpha\beta}} \left(\sum \prod_c R_c^{n_c} / n_c! \right), \quad (2-84)$$

$$\langle \phi_N | i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} | \phi_N \rangle = \sum_{\alpha\beta} \sum_i i \frac{\partial q}{\partial t} q_{\alpha\beta} \left[(n_i+1)/2 \right] K_{\beta\alpha}^{n_i} F(2N-n_i-1). \quad (2-85)$$

Where n_i is the order of open chain $K_{\beta\alpha}^{n_i}$, and the number of ways in which one could break the closed chain R^c is

$$\frac{n_c}{2} = \frac{n_i+1}{2}.$$

Similar to the static formulation, one may improve the derivation of the time dependent part of Lagrangian. Using the Hartree-Bogolyubov tri wave function in equation (2-51). We obtain

$$\langle \phi_{HB} | i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} | \phi_{HB} \rangle = \sum_{\alpha\beta, i} i \frac{\partial q}{\partial t} q_{\alpha\beta} \left[(n_i+1)/2 \right] K_{\beta\alpha}^{n_i}. \quad (2-86)$$

Utilizing the complex conjugate of equation (2-32), the equation (2-88) reduces to the following form

$$\langle \phi_{HB} | i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} | \phi_{HB} \rangle = i \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} k_{\beta\gamma}^{\alpha} (1-\rho)_{\delta\alpha}, \quad (2-89)$$

where we used the convention that repeated indices should be summed. As we observed in section 2.1, the expectation value of the Hamiltonian has no explicit dependence on ϕ . Then, one may expect similar behaviour for the time dependent part of the Lagrangian. Therefore, one may try to eliminate ϕ in favour of k and ρ in the expression (2-89). This is done by using equations (2-50 a,b).

With some algebra, one obtains

$$\langle \phi_{HB} | i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} | \phi_{HB} \rangle = i \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} k_{\beta\delta}^{\alpha} (1-\rho)_{\delta\alpha} = \rho_{\alpha\beta}^{\alpha} i \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} \rho_{\alpha\beta} + k_{\alpha\beta}^{\alpha} i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} k_{\alpha\beta} \quad (2-90)$$

Finally, the most appropriate form for the time dependent part of Lagrangian can be given in terms of Bogolyubov matrices.

$$\langle \phi_{HB} | i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} | \phi_{HB} \rangle = \frac{1}{2} R_{ab} i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} R_{ba} + \sum_{\alpha} i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \rho_{\alpha\alpha}. \quad (2-91)$$

One may utilize the classical Hamiltonian with HB trial wave function (2-68) for the Lagrangian:

$$\mathcal{L} = \langle \phi_{HB} | i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} - H | \phi_{HB} \rangle. \quad (2-92)$$

Although, the dynamics of TDHB equations are independent of chemical potential λ , and the inclusion of λ in the classical Hamiltonian is not necessary; we include λ in order to be consistent in the static

limit of the theory. Then in section 2.3 we will prove λ independence of the TDHB equations by introducing a new phase for κ . The final result in terms of Bogolyubov matrices is

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L} = & \frac{1}{2} R_{ab}^T i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} R_{ba} - \frac{1}{2} R_{ab} T_{ba} - \frac{1}{g} R_{ab} R_{dc} V_{abcd} - \frac{1}{2} \sum_a (T_a - \lambda) \\ & - \sum_{\alpha\beta} \frac{1}{g} V_{\alpha\beta\alpha\beta} + i \sum_a \frac{\partial p}{\partial t} A_a. \end{aligned} \quad (2-93)$$

The problem reduces to finding the equation for the above Lagrangian subject to the constraint equation (2-64). Introducing $M_{\alpha\beta}^{\mu}$ as Lagrange multiplier for the supplementary condition, one obtains a constraint Lagrangian:

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2} R_{ab}^T i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} R_{ba} - \frac{1}{2} R_{ab}^T T_{bc} R_{ca} - \frac{1}{g} R_{ab}^T R_{dc}^T V_{bcfg} R_{fa} R_{gd} - \frac{1}{2} (R_{ab} - R_{ac}^T R_{cb}) M_{ba}^{\mu} \quad (2-94)$$

where, we omitted the unnecessary terms. The equations of motion can be found by requiring the restricted δ

$$\mathcal{S} = \int_{t_1}^{t_2} \mathcal{L} dt \quad (2-95)$$

to be stationary with respect to variation of the path of motion between fixed end points t_1 and t_2 . The results for the equations of motion are:

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} R_{ia} = W_{ib} R_{ba} - R_{ib} M_{ba}^{\mu}, \quad (2-96)$$

and

$$-i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} R_{\alpha\beta}^T = R_{\alpha\gamma} V_{\gamma\beta} - M_{\alpha\beta}^{\mu} R_{\beta\gamma}. \quad (2-97)$$

Multiplying equation (2-96) from the right by R_{af} and summing over a

and then multiplying equation (2-97) from the left by R_{ia} and summing over a , we obtain the following equations

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (R_{ia}) R_{af} = W_{ia} R_{af} - R_{ic} \mu_{ca} R_{af}, \quad (2-98)$$

and

$$-i R_{ia} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial t} R_{af} \right) = R_{ia} W_{af} - R_{ia} \mu_{ac} R_{cf}. \quad (2-99)$$

where we used the definition of w in equation (2-70), and supplementary condition (2-64). Subtracting equation (2-99) from (2-98), and using the supplementary condition (2-64), one obtains

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} R_{if} = W_{ia} R_{af} - R_{ia} W_{af}, \quad (2-100)$$

or, in matrix form

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} R = [W, R] \quad (2-101)$$

Comparing equation (2-100) and (2-96), the evolution of the Lagrange multiplier μ_{ab} is equal to w_{ab} . Since, the Hermitian matrices form a complete set, the inclusion of equation (2-61) as a constraint in the Lagrangian was not necessary. The similar argument holds for the matrices satisfying (2-62). One may prove the compatibility of the above line of reasoning. From the equation (2-100) one obtains

$$-i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} R^T = - [W^T, R^T], \quad (2-101)$$

using

$$W = W^T, \quad (2-102)$$

then, one obtains

$$i \frac{d}{dt} (R - R^T) = [W, R - R^T] \quad (2-103)$$

Similar argument goes through for the second restriction (2-62).

Utilizing

$$\oint W \oint = -W^{\alpha}, \quad (2-104)$$

one obtains

$$i \frac{d}{dt} (\oint R \oint - 1 + R^{\alpha}) = [W, \oint R \oint - 1 + R^{\alpha}] \quad (2-105)$$

one may insert $R - R^T = 0$, and $\oint R \oint - 1 + R^{\alpha} = 0$ as initial conditions into (2-103) and (2-105) respectively. Then, $R - R^T$, and $\oint R \oint - 1 + R^{\alpha}$ will be zero at all succeeding times. Finally it is interesting to rewrite the equations of motion (2-100) with Greek indices.

$$i \frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} \oint_{\alpha\beta} & -K_{\alpha\beta} \\ K_{\alpha\beta}^{\alpha} & \delta_{\alpha\beta} - \oint_{\alpha\beta}^{\alpha} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} (T - \lambda + \Gamma)_{\alpha\delta} & \Delta_{\alpha\delta} \\ -\Delta_{\alpha\delta}^{\alpha} & -(T - \lambda + \Gamma)_{\alpha\delta}^{\alpha} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \oint_{\gamma\beta} & -K_{\gamma\beta} \\ K_{\gamma\beta}^{\alpha} & (1 - \oint^{\alpha})_{\gamma\beta} \end{pmatrix} \\ - \begin{pmatrix} \oint_{\alpha\delta} & -K_{\alpha\delta} \\ K_{\alpha\delta}^{\alpha} & (1 - \oint^{\alpha})_{\alpha\delta} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} (T - \lambda + \Gamma)_{\delta\beta} & \Delta_{\delta\beta} \\ -\Delta_{\delta\beta}^{\alpha} & -(T - \lambda + \Gamma)_{\delta\beta}^{\alpha} \end{pmatrix}. \quad (2-106)$$

As one may expect the matrix equation (2-106) reduces to the equations (2-74) and (2-75).

2.3 Properties of the TDHB theory

With a glance at the TDHB equations, a number of ideas come to our mind for the discussion of the properties of TDHB theory. These are a) conservation laws in this theory, b) various limits of the TDHB equations, c) time evolution for the chemical potential, d) possibility of a new derivation method for the TDHB equations, e) utilization of the TDHB theory for the derivation of a collective Lagrangian, f) utilization of the TDHB equations for a hydrodynamic description of a nuclear system similar to the one Koonin has for TDHF equations.

a) Conservation laws: There are three quantities conserved by equation (2-100), and hence three corresponding constants of motion. These are:

1- Energy conservation: One defines the total energy ,E, as the expectation value of the Hamiltonian (2-57)

$$E = H_0 = \langle \phi_{HB} | H | \phi_{HB} \rangle = T_{4v} \int \delta p + \frac{1}{2} V_{\alpha\beta\delta\delta} \rho_{\alpha} \rho_{\beta} + \frac{1}{4} V_{\alpha\beta\delta\delta} K_{\rho\alpha}^2 K_{\rho\beta}^2. \quad (2-57)$$

The time derivative of the energy is

$$\frac{dE}{dt} = \langle \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \phi_{HB} \right) | \hat{H} | \phi_{HB} \rangle + \langle \phi_{HB} | \hat{H} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \phi_{HB} \right) \rangle \quad (2-107)$$

and by virtue of the Schrodinger Equation (2-18)

$$\frac{dE}{dt} = -i \langle \phi_{HB} | [\hat{H}, \hat{H}] | \phi_{HB} \rangle = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{dE}{dt} = 0. \quad (2-108)$$

Thus, the total energy, E , is a constant of motion. Also, one could prove the conservation of energy (2-108) directly by using the equations of motion (2-74), (2-75) and equation (2-57), but this method involves a little more algebra with the same result.

2) Particle number: The average number of particles is conserved. Using the equation of motion (2-74), taking α equal to β , and summing over α , we get

$$i \frac{d}{dt} \text{Tr} \rho = \text{Tr} \left[(\tau + \Gamma + \lambda) \rho - \rho (\tau + \Gamma + \lambda) + \Delta k^{\alpha} - k \Delta^{\alpha} \right].$$

Using the definition of pairing energy (2-77), one obtains

$$i \frac{d}{dt} \text{Tr} \rho = 0 \quad (2-109)$$

Thus, the average number of particles is also a constant of motion. Therefore, one should not expect any time evolution for the chemical potential.

3) Conservation of the "form":

In section 2.2 we proved that if at time $t_0 = 0$ the Bogolyubov matrix R has the properties $R = R^T$ and $\{R\} = 1 - R^{\alpha}$ then it will keep these properties at all succeeding times. Now we will prove with similar method the same result for the supplementary condition (2-64). Let us evaluate the time derivative of R^2

$$i \frac{d}{dt} R^2 = i (\dot{R} R + R \dot{R}). \quad (2-110)$$

Using the equation of motion (2-100), one obtains

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} R^2 = [W, R] R + R [W, R] \quad (2-111a)$$

or

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} R^2 = [W, R^2]. \quad (2-111b)$$

Hence

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (R^2 - R) = [W, (R^2 - R)] \quad (2-112)$$

Thus, if $R^2 - R = 0$ is inserted as an initial condition into equation (2-112) $R^2 - R$ will be zero at all succeeding times. Indeed this supplementary condition was included as a constraint in the variational derivation of the TDHB equation.

b) Various limits of the TDHB equations: First, as one may expect, the static limit of the TDHB equation coincides with Baranger's static theory of pairing. Secondly, imagine one wants to utilize the equivalence of TDHB and TDBCS. The Bloch-Messiah theorem requires

and
$$P_{\alpha\beta} = P_{\alpha\bar{\alpha}} \delta_{\alpha\beta} \quad (2-113)$$

$$K_{\alpha\beta} = K_{\alpha\bar{\alpha}} \delta_{\beta\bar{\alpha}}. \quad (2-114)$$

Where, $\bar{\alpha}$ corresponds to the pair state of α . The simplified version

of the equations of motion reduces to

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} f_{\alpha\alpha} = \Delta_{\alpha\bar{\alpha}}^* k_{\alpha\bar{\alpha}} - \Delta_{\alpha\bar{\alpha}} k_{\alpha\bar{\alpha}}^* \quad (2-115)$$

and

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} k_{\alpha\bar{\alpha}} = (2\epsilon_{\alpha} - \lambda) k_{\alpha\bar{\alpha}} + (2f_{\alpha\alpha} - 1) \Delta_{\alpha\bar{\alpha}} \quad (2-116)$$

where

$$\epsilon_{\alpha} = T_{\alpha\alpha} + \Gamma_{\alpha\alpha} \quad (2-117)$$

and, it can be understood as single particle energy. Here, in the equations (2-105), (2-116) and (2-117) the repeated indices do not constitute the summation. These equations (2-115) and (2-116) are similar to the TDBCS equations of motion according to the reference 29.

Also in the static limit equation (2-116) gives the BCS gap equation.

Finally, as we already mentioned many times the TDHB theory is not based on a definite number of particles. Now, let us limit TDHB equations to those terms which conserve the number of particles.

In other words, taking $k_{\alpha\beta} = 0$ for any state of α and β , one obtains

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} f_{\alpha\beta} = (T + \Gamma)_{\alpha\beta} f_{\alpha\beta} - f_{\alpha\beta} (T + \Gamma)_{\beta\alpha} \quad (2-118)$$

With proper choice of filled and unfilled states, one could write

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} f_{mi} = (\epsilon_m - \epsilon_i) f_{mi} + \sum_{n,j} V_{mnij} f_{nj}^* + \sum_{n,j} V_{jnmi} f_{nj} \quad (2-119)$$

where ϵ_m and ϵ_i are the single particle energy of the diagonalized

Hamiltonian, (m,n stand for unfilled states and i,j stand for filled ones). Equation (2-119) is exactly the TDHF equations according to the reference [25].

c) Time evolution of the chemical potential: Let us recall the TDHB equations (2-74) and (2-75)

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} f_{\alpha\beta} = (\tau - \lambda + \Gamma)_{\alpha\delta} f_{\gamma\beta} - f_{\alpha\delta} (\tau - \lambda + \Gamma)_{\gamma\beta} + \Delta_{\alpha\delta} k_{\delta\beta}^* - k_{\alpha\delta} \Delta_{\delta\beta}^* \quad (2-74)$$

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} k_{\alpha\beta} = (\tau - \lambda + \Gamma)_{\alpha\delta} k_{\delta\beta} - (\tau - \lambda + \Gamma)_{\beta\delta} k_{\delta\alpha} - \Delta_{\alpha\beta} + f_{\alpha\delta} \Delta_{\delta\beta} + \Delta_{\alpha\delta} f_{\delta\beta}^* \quad (2-75)$$

With a glance at the equation (2-74) one realizes that the λ dependent terms cancel each other, and thus equation (2-74) reduces to

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} f_{\alpha\beta} = (\tau + \Gamma)_{\alpha\delta} f_{\gamma\beta} - f_{\alpha\delta} (\tau + \Gamma)_{\gamma\beta} + \Delta_{\alpha\delta} k_{\delta\beta}^* - k_{\alpha\delta} \Delta_{\delta\beta}^* \quad (2-120)$$

which is independent of λ explicitly. For the second equation (2-75), one may choose a specific time dependent phase for $k_{\alpha\beta}$ as

$$k_{\alpha\beta} \equiv e^{i \int_0^t \lambda dt} k_{\alpha\beta} \quad (2-121)$$

With this choice for $k_{\alpha\beta}$, the equations of motion reduce to

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} f_{\alpha\beta} = (\tau + \Gamma)_{\alpha\delta} f_{\gamma\beta} - f_{\alpha\delta} (\tau + \Gamma)_{\gamma\beta} + \delta_{\alpha\delta} k_{\delta\beta}^* - k_{\alpha\delta} \delta_{\delta\beta}^* \quad (2-122)$$

and

$$i \dot{k}_{\alpha\beta} = (\mathcal{T} + \mathcal{V})_{\alpha\delta} k_{\delta\beta} - (\mathcal{T} + \mathcal{V})_{\beta\delta} k_{\delta\alpha} - \delta_{\alpha\beta} + \int_{\mathcal{V}} \delta_{\gamma\beta} + \delta_{\alpha\delta} \int_{\mathcal{V}}^{\alpha} \delta\beta \quad (2-123)$$

where

$$\delta_{\alpha\beta} = \frac{1}{2} V_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} k_{\gamma\delta}. \quad (2-124)$$

Equations (2-122) and (2-123) show the independence of TDHB theory in the chemical potential. Considering the equations of motion (2-74) and (2-75). In fact, any arbitrary function of time can be added to the chemical potential, λ , it would cause only a change in the phase of \mathcal{K} . It means that at any given time one has the choice of the chemical potential for the system, as one expect physically. Similar result has been indicated by Blocki and Flocard for the TDBCS equations. Therefore one does not expect any time evolution for the Lagrange multiplier λ , and may take λ as a time independent chemical potential.

d) Possibility of a new derivation method for the TDHB equations:

Let us consider the time derivative part of the Lagrangian (2-91)

$$\frac{1}{2} i R_{ba} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} R_{ab} = \frac{1}{2} i R_{ab}^* \frac{\partial}{\partial t} R_{ab}. \quad (2-125)$$

Define each Bogolyubov matrix element R_{ab} as

$$R_{ab} = P_i - i q_i \quad (2-126)$$

then, the expression (2-125) can be written as

$$\sum_i P_i \dot{q}_i \quad (2-127)$$

p_i and q_i can be considered as canonical variables for a classical system with q_i as a coordinate and p_i the momentum conjugate to the q_i coordinate. The equations (2-61) and (2-62) can be viewed as holonomic constraints. They will cause a reduction in the number of Generalized coordinates. The supplementary conditions (2-64) are nonholonomic constraints. Therefore one should introduce the Lagrange multipliers to include these constraints. Then the equation of motion can be derived by utilizing the Hamilton's principle. The final result is equal to one obtained by variational method.

e) Utilization of TDHB theory for derivation of a collective Lagrangian: One major reason for the derivation of TDHB equations from a variational point of view was the derivation of a Lagrangian which describes the system and can be utilized for a reduction in number of coordinates. In this way, we hope the reduced coordinates are good approximations to the collective coordinates in the system. In chapter 4 we will discuss this property in more detail.

f) Utilization of TDHB equations for a hydrodynamic description of a nuclear system : Koonin developed a hydrodynamic approximation for a nuclear system from TDHF equations and by utilizing the Wigner transformation. Similar procedure can be employed for the derivation

of the hydrodynamic approximation from TDHB equations. In chapter 3 we will discuss this approach to the hydrodynamic approximation in more detail.

2.4 The linearized solution to the TDHB equation.

The TDHB equations (2-100) with their constraints (2-64),(2-61) and (2-62) are formally similar to the TDHF ones. The difference lies on the much bigger dimension of the Bogolyubov matrices, and the lack of a fixed number of particles. In statistical sense, the TDHB equations, like TDHF equations, can be viewed as a deterministic theory in the sense that a given initial condition gives rise to a specific final state. The TDHB theory in comparison to the TDHF theory has some advantages, notably, its relaxation of a single determinate, and the inclusion of superconducting solutions. But the larger dimension of its matrices certainly will cause technical difficulty for a comprehensive solution to the TDHB equations.

Although there are several attempts to solve TDHF equations in the literature, ³⁰ there is not a precise behaviour of solutions to the TDHF equations for a given single determinate. Therefore it would be reasonable to assume that a general attack for solution of the TDHB equations will be for future. In the following pages we will try to

find an analogue to RPA solution in the TDHF theory.

Static solution: As we already mentioned in section 2.1, in order to find the ground state energy and the static solution to the system, one should find W and R in such a way that they commute with each other. This can be achieved by diagonalizing W and R simultaneously, and satisfying selfconsistency requirement and the supplementary conditions. Condition (2-64) says that all eigenvalues of R are zero or one, and the condition Equation (2-62) tells us that the number of eigenvectors with eigenvalue one is equal to the number of eigenvectors with zero eigenvalue. Let us recall the equation (2-104)

$$f W f = - W^* \quad (2-104)$$

this equation says that, if W has an eigenvector a_i for eigenvalue E_i , it also has an eigenvector $f a_i^*$ for eigenvalue $-E_i$. In this procedure the eigenvalue E_i has no physical significance, but with a choice of R with eigenvalue zero for each a_i eigenvector, and eigenvalue one for eigenvector $f a_i^*$, the E_i is seen to be the energy of an elementary excitation or quasi-particle excitation energy, according to reference [32]. Superficially, in analogy with Hartree-Fock theory one could interpret ground state of the HB theory as a state in which all negative

energy of the quasi-particle states are filled. The eigenvalue equations for W are the HB equations, and they can be written as

$$E_i A_{\alpha i} = \sum_{\gamma} (T_{\alpha\gamma} - \lambda \delta_{\alpha\gamma} + \Gamma_{\alpha\gamma}^*) A_{\gamma i} + \sum_{\beta} \Delta_{\alpha\beta} B_{\beta i}, \quad (2-128)$$

$$-E_i B_{\alpha i} = \sum_{\gamma} (T_{\alpha\gamma}^* - \lambda \delta_{\alpha\gamma} + \Gamma_{\alpha\gamma}^*) B_{\gamma i} + \sum_{\beta} \Delta_{\alpha\beta}^* A_{\beta i}. \quad (2-129)$$

where, we used the notation

$$(a_i)_{\alpha}^1 = A_{\alpha i}, \quad (a_i)_{\alpha}^2 = B_{\alpha i}. \quad (2-130)$$

Now let us seek a solution to the TDHB equations by linearizing in small deviation of R about the equilibrium point R^0 . Then, one could write

$$R = R^0 + \delta R = R^0 + \delta R^+ e^{i\omega t} + \delta R^- e^{-i\omega^* t} \quad (2-131)$$

with a (complex) frequency and small transition density in quasi-particle densities δR^{\pm} to be determined as an eigenvalue problem.

Hermitian condition restricts excursions to the two independent ones.

$$(\delta R^+)^T = \delta R^-. \quad (2-132)$$

The expansion of the condition (2-64) to the first order in small deviation requires that

$$\delta R^{(1)} R^0 + R^0 \delta R^{(1)} = \delta R^-. \quad (2-133)$$

Due to the choice of R^0 as a diagonal matrix, equation (2-133) requires



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that $\delta R^{(0)}$ should have only quasi-particle quasi-hole matrix elements i. e.

$$\delta R_{ij}^{(0)} = \delta R_{mn}^{(0)} = 0, \quad (2-134)$$

$$\delta R_{ni}^{\pm} = (\delta R^{\mp})_{in}^{\pm} \neq 0. \quad (2-135)$$

Where i, j are referred to occupied quasi-particle states and m, n as unoccupied ones. Inserting equation (2-131) into equation (2-100) keeping only first order term in excursions, one obtains

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \delta R = [W^0, \delta R] + \left[\frac{\delta W}{\delta R} \delta R, R^0 \right]. \quad (2-136)$$

Writing the linearized equation for each of two independent components

$$-w \delta R^+ = [W^0, \delta R^+] + \left[\frac{\delta W}{\delta R} \delta R^+, R^0 \right], \quad (2-137)$$

$$w^* \delta R^- = [W^0, \delta R^-] + \left[\frac{\delta W}{\delta R} \delta R^-, R^0 \right]. \quad (2-138)$$

Using equation (2-70) for evaluation of $\frac{\delta W}{\delta R}$, taking the (i,n) and (n,i) matrix element of these equations, and using the fact that R^0 is diagonal and vanishes for any subscript of an unoccupied state, one could obtain

$$-w (\delta R^+)_{in} = (E_i - E_n) \delta R_{in}^+ - \frac{1}{2} V_{ibnd}^+ \delta R_{db}^+ \quad (2-139a)$$

$$-w (\delta R^+)_{ni} = (E_n - E_i) \delta R_{ni}^+ - \frac{1}{2} V_{nbid}^+ \delta R_{db}^+ \quad (2-139b)$$

$$\omega^* (\delta R^-)_{in} = (E_i - E_n) \delta R^-_{in} - \frac{1}{2} v_{ibnd}^* \delta R^-_{db} \quad (2-140a)$$

$$\omega^* (\delta R^-)_{ni} = (E_n - E_i) \delta R^-_{ni} - \frac{1}{2} v_{nbid}^* \delta R^-_{db}. \quad (2-140b)$$

Using equation (2-135), then one could rewrite the linearized equation of motion in the more familiar form:

$$-\omega X_{in} = (E_i - E_n) X_{in} + \frac{1}{2} v_{injn}^* X_{jm} - \frac{1}{2} v_{nmij}^* Y_{jm}, \quad (2-141)$$

$$\omega Y_{in} = (E_i - E_n) Y_{in} + \frac{1}{2} v_{imjn}^* Y_{jm} - \frac{1}{2} v_{nmij}^* X_{jm}, \quad (2-142)$$

where

$$X_{in} = \delta R_{in}^+, \quad Y_{in} = \delta R_{ni}^+. \quad (2-143)$$

The equations (2-141) and (2-142) can be viewed as generalized form of RPA or quasi-particle RPA. In analogy to RPA, one can introduce two matrices

$$A_{in,jm} = (E_n - E_i) \delta_{ij} \delta_{nm} + \frac{1}{2} v_{imjn}^*, \quad (2-144)$$

$$B_{in,jm} = \frac{1}{2} v_{ijmn}^*. \quad (2-145)$$

In matrix notation, equations (2-141) and (2-142) can be written as

$$\omega \begin{bmatrix} X \\ Y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ -B^* & -A^* \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X \\ Y \end{bmatrix}, \quad (2-146)$$

Equation (2-146) can be considered as an eigenvalue problem for the normal modes δR , and normal frequency " ω ". If we used the

equation (2-140 a,b) instead of the equation (2-139 a, b) we would have

$$-\omega^* \begin{bmatrix} Y^* \\ X^* \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ -B^* & -A^* \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} Y^* \\ X^* \end{bmatrix}, \quad (2-147)$$

That suggests ω and $-\omega^*$ are both solutions of the eigenvalue equations. The expansion of R would be stable only if ω is real, otherwise the excursions will grow exponentially, suggesting that the stationary state is not a ground state. Diagonalization of the linearized TDHB equations (2-146), (2-147) can be viewed as equivalent to solving the problem of coupled oscillators, and ω as normal mode of the frequency in the space of quasi particle, quasi hole excitations. In analogy to the Hartree-Fock theory one could quantize these modes. Thus $E_0 + \hbar\omega$, $E_0 + 2\hbar\omega$ etc. can be viewed as collective vibrational states of the system.

Time dependent Hartree-Bogolyubov in the Wigner representation.

In this chapter we explore the Wigner representation of the TDHB equations. We show that, in this representation, TDHB equations reduce to a form easily recognizable as a quantal version of a modified Vlasov equation, which approaches the expected classical result in the limit $\hbar \rightarrow 0$ and a definite number of particles. Also, due to the abandonment of a definite number of particles, we have an equation of motion for the deviation distribution function, which identically vanishes for a system of fixed number of particles. In section 3.1, we will discuss the properties of the distribution function, and the study of TDHB equations in Wigner representation is our goal in section 3.2.

3.1 Properties of the distribution functions.

Density matrices in the coordinate representation can be written as

$$S(x, x') = \langle \phi_{HB} | a^\dagger(x') a(x) | \phi_{HB} \rangle, \quad (3-1)$$

$$K(x, x') = \langle \phi_{HB} | a(x) a^\dagger(x') | \phi_{HB} \rangle, \quad (3-2)$$

$$k(\vec{x}, x') = \langle \phi_{HB} | a^\dagger(x') a^\dagger(x) | \phi_{HB} \rangle, \quad (3-3)$$

where, as usual, X constitutes spatial \vec{r} , spin σ_s and isospin σ_I coordinates, and $a^\dagger(x)$ and $a(x)$ are the field operators. For a semi-classical interpretation of TDHB equations, we use Winger's suggestion. Let us define "phase space distribution functions" $f(R, k, \{\xi\})$ and $g(R, k, \{\xi\})$ as

$$f(R, k, \{\xi\}) = \int d\vec{s} e^{-i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{s}} \rho(\vec{R} + \vec{s}/2, \vec{R} - \vec{s}/2, \{\xi\}), \quad (3-4)$$

$$g(R, k, \{\xi\}) = \int d\vec{s} e^{-i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{s}} \kappa(\vec{R} + \vec{s}/2, \vec{R} - \vec{s}/2, \{\xi\}), \quad (3-5)$$

where the "center of mass" and "relative" coordinates are defined by

$$\vec{R} = \frac{1}{2} (\vec{r} + \vec{r}'), \quad (3-6)$$

$$\vec{s} = (\vec{r} - \vec{r}'), \quad (3-7)$$

respectively, and $\{\xi\}$ constitutes spin and isospin coordinates.

Equations (3-4) and (3-5) simply define f and $g(R, k, \{\xi\})$ as the k th component of the fourier transform of $\rho(x, x')$ and $\kappa(x, x')$ respectively. For a saturated system such as nuclear matter or an even-even nuclei with equal number of proton and neutron, one could take $\rho(x, x')$ as diagonal

in spin and isospin coordinates, and has many of the properties one would expect of a classical phase distribution. Therefore, from a semiclassical point of view, f is the probability density for finding a nucleon at position \vec{R} with momentum \vec{k} and spin-isospin label ξ .

The existence of $\kappa(x, x')$ and in turn g is due to the inclusion of the pair correlation in interaction, describing the many body system. Therefore, we do not expect a semiclassical interpretation for $g(\mathbf{R}, \mathbf{k}, \xi, \xi')$ as we had for $f(\mathbf{R}, \mathbf{k}, \xi, \xi')$. Although there is not a semiclassical interpretation for $g(\mathbf{R}, \mathbf{k}, \xi, \xi')$, we may consider the Fourier transform of the deviation function which is defined by

$$D(x, x') = -2 \kappa(x, y) \kappa^*(y, x'). \quad (3-8)$$

Again, we use the convention that repeating variables are summed (integrated over continuous variables). Then, one may define "deviation distribution function" $d(\mathbf{R}, \mathbf{k}, \xi, \xi')$ as

$$d(\mathbf{R}, \mathbf{k}, \xi, \xi') = \int d\mathbf{s} e^{-i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{s}} D(\vec{R}+\vec{s}_2, \vec{R}-\vec{s}_2, \xi, \xi') \quad (3-9)$$

Similar to the phase distribution function f , the deviation distribution function d is real and diagonal in spin-isospin coordinates. From a semiclassical point of view, d is the probability of deviation

density, which is the square of fluctuation density at position \vec{R} with momentum \vec{k} and spin-isospin label $\{\}$.

The properties of distribution functions are: a) The distribution function f and d are real. This property of f can be seen by taking the conjugate of equation (3-4), utilizing the hermiticity of the density matrix, and defining a new variable $\vec{s} \rightarrow -\vec{s}$. Then

$$\begin{aligned}
 f^*(R, k, \{\}) &= \int d\vec{s} e^{i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{s}} \rho^*(\vec{R} + \frac{\vec{s}}{2}, \vec{R} - \frac{\vec{s}}{2}, \{\}) \\
 &= \int d\vec{s} e^{i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{s}} \rho(\vec{R} - \frac{\vec{s}}{2}, \vec{R} + \frac{\vec{s}}{2}, \{\}) \\
 &= \int d\vec{s} e^{-i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{s}} \rho(\vec{R} + \frac{\vec{s}}{2}, \vec{R} - \frac{\vec{s}}{2}, \{\}) \\
 &= f(R, k, \{\}) \\
 &= f(R, k, \{\})
 \end{aligned} \tag{3-10}$$

where we have used the assumption that ρ is diagonal in spin and isospin coordinates. This property for d can also be seen by substituting in the equation (3-9) from equation (3-8), taking the conjugate of the result, utilizing antisymmetric property of κ and defining a new variable $\vec{s} \rightarrow -\vec{s}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 d^*(R, k, \{\}) &= \int d\vec{s} e^{i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{s}} D^*(\vec{R} + \frac{\vec{s}}{2}, \vec{R} - \frac{\vec{s}}{2}, \{\}) \\
 &= -2 \int d\vec{s} e^{i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{s}} \kappa^*(\vec{R} + \frac{\vec{s}}{2}, \{\}) \kappa(\vec{R} - \frac{\vec{s}}{2}, \{\})
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= -2 \int d\vec{s} e^{i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{s}} K(\vec{R}-\vec{s}/2, \{y\}) K^*(y, \vec{R}+\vec{s}/2, \{j\}) \\
&= -2 \int d\vec{s} e^{-i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{s}} K(\vec{R}+\vec{s}/2, \{y\}) K^*(y, \vec{R}-\vec{s}/2, \{j\}) \\
&= d(R, k, \{j\}) \\
&= d(R, k, \{j\}') \quad (3-11)
\end{aligned}$$

Where the last line follows from the fact that $D(x, x')$ is a diagonal matrix with respect to $\{j\}$ spin and isospin coordinates, which itself can be realized from assumption that the density matrix ρ is diagonal with respect to $\{j\}$ and $\{j'\}$, using the supplementary condition (3-12)

$$\rho(x, x') = \rho(x, y) \rho(y, x') - K(x, y) K^*(y, x'). \quad (3-12)$$

b) The function g has the property

$$g(R, k, \{j\}') = -g(R-k, \{j\}). \quad (3-13)$$

Using the definition of $g(R, k, \{j\}')$ from equation (3-5), utilizing the anti-symmetric property of K and defining a new variable $\vec{s} \rightarrow -\vec{s}$, one may write

$$\begin{aligned}
g(R, k, \{j\}') &= \int d\vec{s} e^{-i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{s}} K(\vec{R}+\vec{s}/2, \vec{R}-\vec{s}/2, \{j\}) \\
&= - \int d\vec{s} e^{-i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{s}} K(\vec{R}-\vec{s}/2, \vec{R}+\vec{s}/2, \{j\}) \\
&= - \int d\vec{s} e^{-i\vec{k}\cdot(-\vec{s})} K(\vec{R}+\vec{s}/2, \vec{R}-\vec{s}/2, \{j\}) \\
&= -g(R-k, \{j\}). \quad (3-14)
\end{aligned}$$

c) Various expectation values of one body operator are given in terms of f by their expected classical form. For a one body operator O , we may write

$$\begin{aligned}
 \langle \phi_{HB} | O | \phi_{HB} \rangle &= O(x) f(x) \\
 &= \int d^3r d^3s \cdot O(\vec{r}, \vec{s}) f(\vec{r}, \vec{s}) \\
 &= \int d^3s \int d^3R \cdot O(\vec{R} + \vec{s}_2, \vec{R} - \vec{s}_2) f(\vec{R} - \vec{s}_2, \vec{R} + \vec{s}_2) \\
 &= \int d^3s \int d^3R \cdot O(\vec{R} + \vec{s}_2, \vec{R} - \vec{s}_2) f(\vec{R}, \vec{s}) e^{-i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{s}} \\
 &= \int d^3R \frac{d^3k}{(2\pi)^3} O(\vec{R}, \vec{k}) f(\vec{R}, \vec{k}). \quad (3-15)
 \end{aligned}$$

Where in the second line, we used $f(x)$ as the inverse fourier transform of $f(\vec{R}, \vec{k})$ and in the fifth line the operator expressed in the Wigner representation is

$$O(\vec{R}, \vec{k}) = \int d^3s e^{-i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{s}} O(\vec{R} + \vec{s}_2, \vec{R} - \vec{s}_2) \quad (3-16)$$

From the last line in equation (3-15) we see that $O(\vec{R}, \vec{k})$ provides the appropriate weighting factor for the distribution function in phase space needed to compute the required expectation value. For example, the corresponding operator to the total nuclear density at the point \vec{Q} is

$$O(\vec{R}, \vec{k}) = \delta(\vec{R} - \vec{Q}) \delta(s), \quad (3-17)$$

In the Wigner representation, it takes the form:

$$O(R) = \delta(\vec{Q}-\vec{R}). \quad (3-18)$$

Thus from equation (3-15), we get

$$P(Q \{j\}') = \int \int_R \frac{d^3k}{(2\pi)^3} \delta(Q-R) f(R, \{j\}') = \int \frac{d^3k}{(2\pi)^3} f(Q, \{j\}') \quad (3-19)$$

which is the classical result. Similarly, one would get the expected classical result for the quantum mechanical current

$$\vec{J}(Q \{j\}') = \int \frac{d^3k}{(2\pi)^3} \vec{k} f(Q, \{j\}'). \quad (3-20)$$

d) The distribution function f and deviation distribution function d also have the expected form for simple system. For example, taking the BCS theory with plane wave as the single particle wave function, we obtain

$$f(R, \{j\}') = \frac{(2\pi)^3}{V} \delta_{\{j\}'} \left(\sum_{\rho} (k-k_{\rho}) f_{\rho\rho} \right) \quad (3-21)$$

and utilizing equation (-19), we get

$$P(R \{j\}') = \frac{\delta_{\{j\}'}}{V} \left(\sum_{\rho} f_{\rho\rho} \right). \quad (3-22)$$

The total number of particles with spin-isospin $\{j\}$ is given by the integral of f over space. One would get the total number of particle as sum of the occupation probabilities, as expected

$$2N = \sum_{\rho} f_{\rho\rho}. \quad (3-23)$$

For the deviation distribution function d , we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 d(R, k) &= -2 \int d\vec{s} e^{-i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{s}} k(\vec{R} + \vec{s}_2, y) k^*(y, \vec{R} - \vec{s}_2) \\
 &= \sum_{\beta} (-2) \frac{(2\pi)^3}{V} \delta_{ij} \delta(\vec{k} - \vec{k}_{\beta}) k_{\beta\bar{\beta}} k_{\bar{\beta}\beta}. \quad (3-24)
 \end{aligned}$$

One may get for the total deviation

$$\begin{aligned}
 \langle \phi_{NB} | (2\hat{N} - \langle 2\hat{N} \rangle)^2 | \phi_{NB} \rangle &= \int dR \frac{d\vec{k}}{(2\pi)^3} d(R, k) \Big|_{ij} \\
 &= \sum_{\beta} -2 k_{\beta\bar{\beta}} k_{\bar{\beta}\beta} = \sum_{\beta} 2 (v_{\beta} v_{\beta}^*)^2. \quad (3-25)
 \end{aligned}$$

Where we have used the BCS analog of $k_{\beta\bar{\beta}} = v_{\beta} v_{\beta}^*$ and $k_{\bar{\beta}\beta} = -v_{\beta} v_{\beta}^*$.

Before ending this section, it would be interesting to derive the supplementary conditions in the Wigner representation. The equation (3-12) in the Wigner representation can be written as (we may suppress the spin and isospin coordinates for convenience).

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(R, k) &= \int d\vec{s} d\vec{r}'' e^{-i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{s}} \left[f(\vec{R} + \vec{s}_2, \vec{r}'') f(\vec{r}'', \vec{R} - \vec{s}_2) - k(\vec{R} + \vec{s}_2, \vec{r}'') k^*(\vec{r}'', \vec{R} - \vec{s}_2) \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} d(R, k) + \int d\vec{s} d\vec{r}'' e^{-i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{s}} f(\vec{R} + \vec{s}_2, \vec{r}'') f(\vec{r}'', \vec{R} - \vec{s}_2) \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} d(R, k) + \int d\vec{s} d\vec{r}'' \frac{d\vec{q}}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{d\vec{z}}{(2\pi)^3} e^{i\vec{q}\cdot(\vec{R} + \vec{s}_2 - \vec{r}'')} f\left[\left(\vec{R} + \vec{s}_2 + \vec{r}''\right)/2, \vec{q}\right] \times \\
 &\quad e^{i\vec{z}\cdot(\vec{r}'' + \vec{s}_2 - \vec{R})} f\left[\left(\vec{R} + \vec{r}'' - \vec{s}_2\right)/2, \vec{z}\right] e^{-i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{s}} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} d(R, k) + \int d\vec{s} d\vec{r}'' \frac{d\vec{q}}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{d\vec{z}}{(2\pi)^3} \left[e^{-i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{s}} e^{i\left(\frac{\vec{R}}{2} - \frac{\vec{r}''}{2} - \vec{s}_2\right)\cdot\vec{q}} D_{\vec{R}}^{(1)} e^{i(\vec{r}'' - \vec{z})\cdot\vec{z}} \right]^{(1)} \\
 &\quad e^{i\left(\frac{\vec{r}''}{2} - \vec{z}\right)\cdot\vec{z}} \left[e^{i\vec{q}\cdot(\vec{R} + \vec{s}_2 - \vec{r}'')} e^{i\vec{z}\cdot(\vec{r}'' + \vec{s}_2 - \vec{R})} \right] f^{(1)}(R, \vec{q}) f^{(1)}(R, \vec{z}). \quad (3-26)
 \end{aligned}$$

Where in the third line we used \mathcal{P} as the inverse fourier transform of f , and in the fourth line we have introduced the spatial and momentum shift operators

$$\vec{D}_R = -i \vec{\nabla}_R \quad (3-27)$$

$$\vec{D}_k = -i \vec{\nabla}_k. \quad (3-28)$$

In the last line the superscripts (1) and (2) indicate which distribution function the shift operators apply to. All the integrals in the equation (3-26) are simple, so may easily done to yield:

$$f(R,t) = \frac{1}{\lambda} d(R,t) + e^{-\frac{i}{2} (\vec{D}_R^{(1)} \cdot \vec{D}_k^{(2)} - \vec{D}_k^{(1)} \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(2)})} f^{(1)}(R,t) f^{(2)}(R,t) \quad (3-29)$$

The second supplementary condition in coordinate space is

$$f(x, x') K(x'', x') = K(x, x'') f(x'', x'). \quad (3-30)$$

In Wigner representation, this has the form:

$$e^{-\frac{i}{2} (\vec{D}_R^{(1)} \cdot \vec{D}_k^{(2)} - \vec{D}_k^{(1)} \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(2)})} f^{(1)}(R,t) g^{(2)}(R,t) = e^{\frac{i}{2} (\vec{D}_k^{(2)} \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(1)} + \vec{D}_k^{(1)} \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(2)})} g^{(1)}(R,t) f^{(2)}(R,t). \quad (3-31)$$

For the derivation of equation (3-31) one could use the same method as the first supplementary condition. It is also interesting to work out $d(R,t)$ in terms of $g(R,t)$ and the manipulations are almost equivlent to those in equation (3-29). Therefore, without repeating the manipulations, we

give the result as

$$d(R, k) = -\lambda e^{\frac{i}{2} (\vec{D}_R^{(1)} \cdot \vec{D}_k^{(2)} + \vec{D}_k^{(1)} \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(2)})} f^{(1)}(R, k) g^{(2)}(R-k). \quad (3-32)$$

Thus, equation (3-29) can also be written in the form:

$$f(R, k) = e^{\frac{i}{2} (\vec{D}_R^{(1)} \cdot \vec{D}_k^{(2)} - \vec{D}_k^{(1)} \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(2)})} f^{(1)}(R, k) f^{(2)}(R, k) - e^{\frac{i}{2} (\vec{D}_R^{(1)} \cdot \vec{D}_k^{(2)} + \vec{D}_k^{(1)} \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(2)})} g^{(1)}(R, k) g^{(2)}(R-k) \quad (3-33)$$

For BCS with plane wave for the single particle wave function equation (3-33) is equivalent to the simple relation

$$v_k^2 = v_k^4 + v_k^2 u_k^2. \quad (3-34)$$

Where we used the analogy of $f(R, k) = f_{kk} = v_k^2$, $g(R-k, j) = k_{j2} = -u_k v_k$ and $g(R-k, j) = k_{j2} = -u_k v_k$. The second supplementary condition (3-32) reduces to another identity

$$v_k^2 u_k v_k = u_k v_k v_k^2 \quad (3-35)$$

for the simple BCS system.

3.2 TDHB equations in the Wigner representation.

The TDHB equations (2-74) and (2-75) in the coordinate representation assume the form

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \rho(x, x') = \eta(x, x') \rho(x'', x') - \rho(x, x'') \eta(x'', x') + \Delta(x, x'') \kappa(x'', x') - \kappa(x, x') \Delta(x'', x') \quad (3-36)$$

and

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \kappa(x, x') = \{ (X, X') \kappa(x, x') + \kappa(x, X') \mathcal{H}(x, x') - \Delta(x, x') + \mathcal{F}(x, x') \Delta(x, x') + \Delta(x, x') \mathcal{F}(x, x') \}. \quad (3-37)$$

Again, we used the convention that repeating variables are summed. We define one body thermodynamic potential density η and pairing density potential Δ as

$$\eta(x, x') = \psi_q^*(x) \left(-\frac{\nabla^2}{2} - \lambda \right) \psi_q(x') + V(x, y, x', y') \mathcal{F}(y, y'), \quad (3-38a)$$

$$\Delta(x, x') = \frac{1}{2} V(x, x', y, y') \kappa(y, y'), \quad (3-39)$$

where

$$V(x, y, x', y') = \frac{1}{2} \left(\psi_q^*(x) \psi_p^*(y) - \psi_q^*(y) \psi_p^*(x) \right) V(x, y, x', y') \left(\psi_q(x') \psi_p(y') - \psi_q(y') \psi_p(x') \right). \quad (3-40)$$

As we discussed in section 2.3, the inclusion of the chemical potential in equations (3-36) and (3-37) is not necessary. These equations can be replaced by equations (2-122) and (2-123). We keep the TDHB equations (3-36) and (3-38a) in this form in order to have appropriate limit of the static solutions. But in the following equations in this chapter the thermodynamic potential η and pairing potential Δ can be replaced by \mathcal{h} and δ respectively, without any change in the physical content of the equations. \mathcal{h} , Δ and δ are defined by equations (3-38a), (3-39) and (2-124) respectively, and \mathcal{h} can be written as

$$\mathcal{h}(x, x') = \psi_q^*(x) \left(-\frac{\nabla^2}{2} \right) \psi_q(x') + V(x, y, x', y') \mathcal{F}(y, y'). \quad (3-38b)$$

Before recasting TDHB equations in the Wigner representation, let us derive the equation of motion for the deviation distribution function in the coordinate space. Utilizing equation (3-37) and its conjugate, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (K(x, x') K^*(x', x)) &= \eta(x, y) K(y, y') K^*(y', x') - K(x, y) K^*(y, y') \eta(y', x') - \Delta(x, y) K^*(y, x') \\
 &+ K(x, y) \Delta^*(y, x') + \rho(x, y) \Delta(y, y') K^*(y', x') + \Delta(x, y) \rho^*(y, y') K^*(y', x') - K(x, y) \rho^*(y, y') \Delta^*(y', x') \\
 &- K(x, y) \Delta^*(y, y') \rho(y', x')
 \end{aligned} \tag{3-41}$$

or

$$\begin{aligned}
 i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} D(x, x') &= \eta(x, y) D(y, x') - D(x, y) \eta(y, x') + 2 \Delta(x, y) K^*(y, x') - 2 K(x, y) \Delta^*(y, x') \\
 &- 2 \rho(x, y) \Delta^*(y, y') K^*(y', x') - 2 \Delta(x, y) \rho^*(y, y') K^*(y', x') + 2 K(x, y) \rho^*(y, y') \Delta(y', x') \\
 &+ 2 K(x, y) \Delta^*(y, y') \rho(y', x')
 \end{aligned} \tag{3-42}$$

Comparing equations (3-36) and (3-42), there are some similarities between them, which we will discuss in their Wigner representation from at end of this section. We now recast the TDHB equations in coordinate space and Winger representation. Let us take the Fourier transform of equation

(3-36)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \int d\vec{s} e^{-i\vec{s} \cdot \vec{r}} \left[i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \rho(\vec{R} + \frac{\vec{s}}{2}, \vec{R} - \frac{\vec{s}}{2}) \right] &= \int d\vec{s} e^{-i\vec{s} \cdot \vec{r}} \left[\eta(\vec{R} + \frac{\vec{s}}{2}, \vec{r}'') \rho(\vec{r}'', \vec{R} - \frac{\vec{s}}{2}) \right. \\
 &- \rho(\vec{R} + \frac{\vec{s}}{2}, \vec{r}'') \eta(\vec{r}'', \vec{R} - \frac{\vec{s}}{2}) + \Delta(\vec{R} + \frac{\vec{s}}{2}, \vec{r}'') K^*(\vec{r}'', \vec{R} - \frac{\vec{s}}{2}) - K(\vec{R} + \frac{\vec{s}}{2}, \vec{r}'') \Delta^*(\vec{r}'', \vec{R} - \frac{\vec{s}}{2}) \left. \right]
 \end{aligned} \tag{3-43}$$

We may write ρ in terms of its fourier transform f , and define $\eta(\vec{r}, \vec{s})$

and Δ in analogy with equation (3-16)

$$\eta(R, k) = \int d^3s e^{-i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{s}} \eta(\vec{R} + \vec{s}_k, \vec{R} - \vec{s}_k), \quad (3-44)$$

$$\Delta(R, k) = \int d^3s e^{-i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{s}} \Delta(\vec{R} + \vec{s}_k, \vec{R} - \vec{s}_k). \quad (3-45)$$

With analogous manipulation as we had in recasting supplementary conditions, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} f(R, k) &= \left[e^{\frac{i}{2} (\vec{D}_R^{(1)} \vec{D}_k^{(2)} - \vec{D}_k^{(1)} \vec{D}_R^{(2)})} - e^{-\frac{i}{2} (\vec{D}_R^{(1)} \vec{D}_k^{(2)} - \vec{D}_k^{(1)} \vec{D}_R^{(2)})} \right] f^{(1)}(R, k) \eta^{(2)}(R, k) \\ &+ e^{\frac{i}{2} (\vec{D}_k^{(2)} \vec{D}_R^{(1)} + \vec{D}_k^{(1)} \vec{D}_R^{(2)})} \left[\Delta^{(1)}(R, k) g^{(2)}(R, k) - g^{(1)}(R, k) \Delta^{(2)}(R, k) \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (3-46)$$

Similar analysis can be applied for the second equations of motion (3-37), the result is

$$\begin{aligned} i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} g(R, k) &= -\Delta(R, k) + e^{\frac{i}{2} (\vec{D}_R^{(2)} \vec{D}_k^{(1)} - \vec{D}_k^{(2)} \vec{D}_R^{(1)})} \left[\eta^{(1)}(R, k) g^{(2)}(R, k) + f^{(1)}(R, k) \Delta^{(2)}(R, k) \right] \\ &+ e^{\frac{i}{2} (\vec{D}_k^{(1)} \vec{D}_R^{(2)} + \vec{D}_k^{(2)} \vec{D}_R^{(1)})} \left[g^{(1)}(R, k) \eta^{(2)}(R, k) + \Delta^{(1)}(R, k) f^{(2)}(R, k) \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (3-47)$$

where the shift operator are defined by equations (3-27) and (3-28).

Recasting the deviation equation (3-42) in coordinate space in the Wigner representation and utilizing equation (3-41), we may write

$$\begin{aligned}
 \int d\vec{s} e^{-i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{s}} \frac{i\partial}{\partial t} [K(\vec{R}+\vec{s}_2, \vec{r}^0) K(\vec{r}^0, \vec{R}-\vec{s}_2)] &= \int d\vec{s} e^{-i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{s}} \left[\psi(\vec{R}+\vec{s}_2, \vec{r}) K(\vec{r}, \vec{r}^0) K(\vec{r}^0, \vec{R}-\vec{s}_2) \right. \\
 &- K(\vec{R}+\vec{s}_2, r) K(\vec{r}, \vec{r}^0) \psi(\vec{r}^0, \vec{R}-\vec{s}_2) - \Delta(\vec{R}+\vec{s}_2, r) K(\vec{r}, \vec{R}-\vec{s}_2) + K(\vec{R}+\vec{s}_2, r) \Delta(\vec{r}, \vec{R}-\vec{s}_2) \\
 &+ \rho(\vec{R}+\vec{s}_2, r) \Delta(\vec{r}, \vec{r}^0) K(\vec{r}^0, \vec{R}-\vec{s}_2) + \Delta(\vec{R}+\vec{s}_2, r) \rho(\vec{r}, \vec{r}^0) K(\vec{r}, \vec{R}-\vec{s}_2) \\
 &\left. - K(\vec{R}+\vec{s}_2, r) \rho(\vec{r}, \vec{r}^0) \Delta(\vec{r}^0, \vec{R}-\vec{s}_2) - K(\vec{R}+\vec{s}_2, \vec{r}) \Delta(\vec{r}, \vec{r}^0) \rho(\vec{r}^0, \vec{R}-\vec{s}_2) \right].
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{3-48}$$

The left hand side of the above equation is just half of the partial time derivative of the deviation distribution function $d(\mathbf{R}, \mathbf{t})$. In the right hand side of the equation, the first four terms are similar to the ones in the equations of motion. Thus they are easy to be recasted in the Wigner representation. For example, let us recast one of the remaining terms, say,

$$\int d\vec{s} e^{-i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{s}} \rho(\vec{R}+\vec{s}_2, r) \Delta(\vec{r}, \vec{r}^0) K(\vec{r}^0, \vec{R}-\vec{s}_2)
 \tag{3-49}$$

writing ρ , Δ and K^x in terms of their fourier transform $f(\mathbf{R}, \mathbf{t})$, $\Delta(\mathbf{R}, \mathbf{t})$ and $g(\mathbf{R}, \mathbf{t})$, and using the shift operators (3-27) and (3-28), we obtain

$$\int d\vec{s} d\vec{r} d\vec{r}^0 \frac{d\mathbf{q}}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{d\mathbf{t}}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{d\mathbf{p}}{(2\pi)^3} e^{i\vec{q}\cdot(\vec{R}+\vec{s}_2-\vec{r})} e^{-\frac{i}{2}(\vec{r}+\vec{s}_2-\vec{R})\cdot\vec{D}_R^{(4)}} e^{i(\vec{r}-\vec{q})\cdot\vec{D}_R^{(4)}} f(\mathbf{R}, \mathbf{t}) \times$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & e^{i \vec{z} \cdot (\vec{r} - \vec{r}')} e^{-\frac{i}{2} (\vec{r} + \vec{r}' - \lambda \vec{R}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(2)}} e^{i (\vec{z} - \vec{z}') \cdot \vec{D}_k^{(2)}} \Delta(R, \lambda) e^{i \vec{z} \cdot (\vec{r} - \vec{R} + \vec{z}')/2} \\
 & e^{-\frac{i}{2} (\vec{r}' - \vec{z}'/2 - \vec{R}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(3)}} e^{i (\vec{z}' - \vec{z}) \cdot \vec{D}_k^{(3)}} f^{(3)}(R, \lambda) \quad (3-50)
 \end{aligned}$$

The integration are easy to carry out and the result is

$$e^{\frac{i}{2} [(\vec{D}_k^{(3)} - \vec{D}_k^{(1)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(1)} + (\vec{D}_k^{(1)} + \vec{D}_k^{(3)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(2)} + (\vec{D}_k^{(1)} + \vec{D}_k^{(2)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(3)}]} f^{(1)}(R, \lambda) \Delta^{(2)}(R, \lambda) g^{(3)}(R, \lambda) \quad (3-51)$$

with some manipulations similar to the sample term (3-50), the remaining terms can be derived. The result are

$$\begin{aligned}
 & e^{\frac{i}{2} [(\vec{D}_k^{(2)} + \vec{D}_k^{(1)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(1)} + (\vec{D}_k^{(1)} + \vec{D}_k^{(2)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(2)} + (\vec{D}_k^{(1)} + \vec{D}_k^{(2)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(3)}]} \Delta^{(1)}(R, \lambda) f^{(2)}(R, \lambda) g^{(3)}(R, \lambda) \quad (3-52) \\
 & e^{\frac{i}{2} [(\vec{D}_k^{(2)} + \vec{D}_k^{(3)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(1)} + (\vec{D}_k^{(1)} + \vec{D}_k^{(3)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(2)} + (\vec{D}_k^{(1)} - \vec{D}_k^{(2)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(3)}]} g^{(1)}(R, \lambda) f^{(2)}(R, \lambda) \Delta^{(3)}(R, \lambda) \quad (3-53) \\
 & e^{\frac{i}{2} [(\vec{D}_k^{(2)} - \vec{D}_k^{(3)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(1)} + (\vec{D}_k^{(1)} - \vec{D}_k^{(3)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(2)} + (\vec{D}_k^{(1)} - \vec{D}_k^{(2)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(3)}]} g^{(1)}(R, \lambda) \Delta^{(2)}(R, \lambda) f^{(3)}(R, \lambda) \quad (3-54)
 \end{aligned}$$

Collecting the various terms, the equation of motion for the deviation distribution function d in the Wigner representation is

$$\begin{aligned}
 i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} d(R, \lambda) = & \left[e^{\frac{i}{2} (\vec{D}_R^{(1)} \cdot \vec{D}_k^{(2)} - \vec{D}_k^{(1)} \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(2)})} - e^{-\frac{i}{2} (\vec{D}_R^{(1)} \cdot \vec{D}_k^{(2)} - \vec{D}_k^{(1)} \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(2)})} \right] d^{(1)}(R, \lambda) \eta^{(2)}(R, \lambda) \\
 & - \lambda e^{\frac{i}{2} (\vec{D}_k^{(2)} \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(1)} + \vec{D}_k^{(1)} \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(2)})} \left[g^{(1)}(R, \lambda) \Delta^{(2)}(R, \lambda) - \Delta^{(1)}(R, \lambda) g^{(2)}(R, \lambda) \right] \\
 & - \lambda e^{\frac{i}{2} [(\vec{D}_k^{(3)} - \vec{D}_k^{(2)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(1)} + (\vec{D}_k^{(1)} + \vec{D}_k^{(3)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(2)} + (\vec{D}_k^{(1)} + \vec{D}_k^{(2)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(3)}]} f^{(1)}(R, \lambda) \Delta^{(2)}(R, \lambda) g^{(3)}(R, \lambda)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & -2 e^{\frac{i}{\hbar} \left[(\vec{D}_k^{(1)} - \vec{D}_k^{(2)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(1)} + (\vec{D}_k^{(1)} + \vec{D}_k^{(2)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(2)} + (\vec{D}_k^{(1)} - \vec{D}_k^{(2)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(3)} \right]} \Delta^{(1)}(R, k) f^{(2)}(R-k) g^{(3)}(R-k) \\
 & + 2 e^{\frac{i}{\hbar} \left[(\vec{D}_k^{(1)} + \vec{D}_k^{(2)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(1)} + (\vec{D}_k^{(1)} + \vec{D}_k^{(2)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(2)} + (\vec{D}_k^{(1)} - \vec{D}_k^{(2)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(3)} \right]} g^{(1)}(R, k) f^{(2)}(R-k) \Delta^{(3)}(R-k) \\
 & + 2 e^{\frac{i}{\hbar} \left[(\vec{D}_k^{(1)} - \vec{D}_k^{(2)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(1)} + (\vec{D}_k^{(1)} - \vec{D}_k^{(2)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(2)} + (\vec{D}_k^{(1)} - \vec{D}_k^{(2)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(3)} \right]} f^{(1)}(R, k) \Delta^{(2)}(R-k) f^{(3)}(R-k).
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{3-55}$$

Some observations about the equations of motion: First of all, as already mentioned in the beginning, we may disregard the Lagrange multiplier λ in the dynamics. Secondly, for the one-body thermodynamic potential density in the Wigner representation (3-44), we obtain

$$h(R, k) = \frac{1}{2} k^2 - \lambda + W(R, k), \tag{3-56}$$

where

$$W(R, k) = \int d^3s e^{-i \vec{k} \cdot \vec{s}} V(\vec{R} + \frac{\vec{s}}{2}, y, \vec{R} - \frac{\vec{s}}{2}, y') f(y, y'). \tag{3-57}$$

As mentioned above, we may disregard the Lagrange multiplier λ , and hence $h(R, k)$ can be replaced by

$$h(R, k) = \frac{1}{2} k^2 + W(R, k). \tag{3-58}$$

Substituting equation (3-56) or (3-58) in equation (3-46) and carrying out some algebra, the equation of motion for the distribution function f reduces to

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial t} + \vec{k} \cdot \vec{\nabla}_k f(\vec{R}, \vec{k}) + 2 \sin \frac{1}{2} \left(\vec{\nabla}_R^{(1)} \cdot \vec{\nabla}_k^{(2)} - \vec{\nabla}_k^{(1)} \cdot \vec{\nabla}_R^{(2)} \right) f^{(1)}(R, k) W^{(2)}(R, k)$$

$$+ i e^{\frac{i}{2} (\vec{D}_z^{(2)} \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(1)} + \vec{D}_z^{(1)} \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(2)})} \left[\Delta^{(1)}(R, t) g^{(2)}(R-t) - g^{(1)}(R, t) \Delta^{(2)}(R, t) \right] = 0. \quad (3-59)$$

Note the similarity between the first three terms of equation (3-59) and the collisionless Boltzman equation for a system in an external potential

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial t} + \vec{k} \cdot \vec{\nabla}_R f(R, t) - \vec{\nabla} U \cdot \vec{\nabla}_k f(R, t) = 0. \quad (3-60)$$

The last two terms are certainly a modification due to the abandonment of a fixed number of particles, and can be considered as the collision term in Boltzman equation. Similarly, the equation of motion for the deviation distribution function reduces to

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{\partial d(R, t)}{\partial t} + \vec{k} \cdot \vec{\nabla}_R d(R, t) + 2 \sin \frac{1}{2} (\vec{\nabla}_R^{(1)} \cdot \vec{\nabla}_k^{(2)} - \vec{\nabla}_k^{(1)} \cdot \vec{\nabla}_R^{(2)}) d(R, t) W(R, t) \\ & + 2 i e^{\frac{i}{2} (\vec{D}_z^{(2)} \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(1)} + \vec{D}_z^{(1)} \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(2)})} \left[g^{(1)}(R, t) \Delta^{(2)}(R-t) - \Delta^{(1)}(R, t) g^{(2)}(R-t) \right] \\ & + 2 i e^{\frac{i}{2} [(\vec{D}_z^{(3)} - \vec{D}_z^{(2)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(1)} + (\vec{D}_z^{(1)} + \vec{D}_z^{(2)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(2)} + (\vec{D}_z^{(3)} + \vec{D}_z^{(2)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(3)}]} \\ & \quad f^{(1)}(R, t) \Delta^{(2)}(R, t) g^{(3)}(R-t) \\ & + 2 i e^{\frac{i}{2} [(\vec{D}_z^{(4)} + \vec{D}_z^{(3)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(1)} + (\vec{D}_z^{(1)} + \vec{D}_z^{(2)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(2)} + (\vec{D}_z^{(1)} - \vec{D}_z^{(2)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(3)}]} \\ & \quad \Delta^{(1)}(R, t) f^{(2)}(R-t) g^{(4)}(R-t) \\ & - 2 i e^{\frac{i}{2} [(\vec{D}_z^{(2)} + \vec{D}_z^{(3)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(1)} + (\vec{D}_z^{(1)} + \vec{D}_z^{(2)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(2)} + (\vec{D}_z^{(1)} - \vec{D}_z^{(2)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(3)}]} \\ & \quad g^{(1)}(R, t) f^{(2)}(R-t) \Delta^{(3)}(R-t) \\ & - 2 i e^{\frac{i}{2} [(\vec{D}_z^{(2)} - \vec{D}_z^{(3)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(1)} + (\vec{D}_z^{(1)} - \vec{D}_z^{(2)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(2)} + (\vec{D}_z^{(1)} - \vec{D}_z^{(2)}) \cdot \vec{D}_R^{(3)}]} \\ & \quad g^{(1)}(R, t) \Delta^{(2)}(R-t) f^{(3)}(R, t) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

This equation (3-61) is also similar to the Boltzman equation; and hence the distribution name for ρ can be justified. Thirdly, equation (3-59) and (3-61) together with equation (3-47) are a complete set of equations which describe the system. From this set of equations, it is apparent that a solution to the dynamical problem expressed in terms of the Wigner representation involves as much complexity, and therefore as much information, as does a solution in more abstract representation (2-74) and (2-75). Finally one may utilize these equations for a derivation of the semiclassical hydrodynamic equations by taking various moments of the distribution functions, similar to Koonin method for the TDHF approximation.

4 Restricted dynamical parametrization.

In section 2.2, we derived the TDHB equations from a variational point of view. It offered a classical interpretation for the equations of motion as a system of equations for an infinite number of classical particles. Although the TDHB equations give a complete description of the system, the complexity of solving these equations is a problem. Also, the interest of many physicists is more restricted to the time evolution of a few macroscopic variables describing the system (such as its quadrupole or rms radius) than the fine details of motion of each microscopic variables. Therefore a reduction in number of variables is desirable and various methods are devised to do so. We briefly review these methods (a) intuitive parametrization: One assumes, the time dependence of $R_{\nu\beta}$ is through a few number of variables u_i, v_j i.e.

$$R_{\nu\beta}(t) \longrightarrow R_{\nu\beta}(u(t)). \quad (4-1)$$

Then the Lagrangian reduces to

$$\mathcal{L} = \sum_j \dot{u}_j R_{\nu\beta}^{\nu} \frac{\partial}{\partial u_j} R_{\nu\beta}(u) - H(u). \quad (4-2)$$

One may obtain the equations of motion by using the Lagrange bracket.

The result is

$$\{u_i, u_j\} \dot{u}_j = \frac{\partial H}{\partial u_i}. \quad (4-3)$$

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Where the Lagrange bracket is defined by

$$\{u_i, u_j\} = i \left[\frac{\partial R_{\alpha\beta}^*}{\partial u_i} \frac{\partial R_{\alpha\beta}}{\partial u_j} - \frac{\partial R_{\alpha\beta}^*}{\partial u_j} \frac{\partial R_{\alpha\beta}}{\partial u_i} \right]. \quad (9-4)$$

The number of parameters is restricted only by the number of variables, and one may think of a complete description of the system by introducing as many parameters as the number of degrees of freedom. (b) The parameters in the above procedure may not be canonical in general. The choice of a canonical parametrization for u_i, u_j, \dots would result in a classical Hamiltonian $H(p_i, q_i)$ and the equations of motion reduce to Hamilton's equations. For a quantal description of these collective degrees of freedom, one may utilize this classical Hamiltonian in a "second quantization" to evaluate the spectrum of the collective energy. Although the justification of this procedure is an open question, one may obtain some useful information by comparison of this method's result with other methods describing the collective motion of the system. (c) In cases (a) and (b) the dependence on the parameters should be known a priori. One may modify these methods by introducing parameters through a constrained static calculation for the system. This method has been used in an adiabatic approach to the TDHF from a variational point of view.

In the following, after a brief review of the two fluid model, we

discuss the derivation of the two fluid model from a variational point of view. Various trial wave function has been used in the derivation of the Lagrangians describing the systems. The parameterization of the Lagrangian density is canonical for two of the models and for the third it is adiabatically canonical. Finally in the last section of this chapter, as an application an Irrotational fluid model similar to the Kerman-Koonin model is developed.

4.1 A two fluid model: First approach.

One of the successful theories for describing the peculiar behaviour of liquid helium is the two fluid model. This model, originally proposed and developed by Tisza³⁴, is an analogy to the structure of a degenerate ideal Bose gas. Landau,³⁵ with quantization of the hydrodynamic equations advanced the theory. In his paper, with a classical analogy, he reached the conclusion that there is not a continuous transition between the Irrotational portion of the quantum liquid state $\vec{\nabla} \wedge \vec{v} = 0$, and the vortex $\vec{\nabla} \wedge \vec{v} \neq 0$ part. Thus the energy spectrum of liquid can be divided into

two spectra, with a certain gap between the states of the Irrotational (phonons) and the vortex motion (roton). Feynman³⁶ with his interpretation of liquid helium as a system which exhibits quantum mechanical behaviour on a large scale, and with his approach of finding some explanation for phonon and roton excitation from first principles, put some light on the theory. BCS theory also helped us to understand some aspect of superfluidity. On the microscopic level, there is a derivation of the hydrodynamic equation starting with a time dependent BCS trial wave function.³⁷

In nuclear physics, as we already know, pair correlations are important. Thus, in analogy to liquid helium, one might expect some aspect of microscopic phenomena in nuclear physics experimentally. In astrophysics this phenomena may be important in the dynamics of neutron stars. In section 2.2 we derived the Lagrangian for a many body system with HB trial wave function, it can be written as

$$\mathcal{L} = i \int_{\alpha\beta} \rho_{\alpha\beta}^* \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \rho_{\alpha\beta} + i \int_{\alpha\beta} k_{\alpha\beta}^* \frac{\partial}{\partial t} k_{\alpha\beta} - T_{\alpha\beta} \rho_{\alpha\beta} - \frac{1}{2} V_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} \rho_{\alpha\beta} \rho_{\gamma\delta} - \frac{1}{4} V_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} k_{\alpha\beta}^* k_{\gamma\delta}. \quad (4-5)$$

As we discussed in section 2.3 the total number of particles is conserved in TDHB theory, and the TDHB equations are independent of chemical potential. Therefore the Lagrange multiplier λ need not be included in the equations (4-5). Also in section 2.1, we discussed Baranger's argument

about the equivalence between Blatt's wave function and the BCS wave function. Now let us take $\varphi_{\alpha\beta}$ in its canonical representation, i. e. taking φ as a real, paired and antisymmetric second order tensor:

$$\varphi_{\alpha\beta} = \varphi_{\alpha\bar{\alpha}} \delta_{\beta\bar{\alpha}}, \quad (4-6)$$

where $\bar{\alpha}$ represents the state which is paired with α . Thus f and k will have simpler forms. Utilizing equations (2-46), (2-49) and (2-50), we obtain

$$f_{\alpha\beta} = f_{\alpha\bar{\alpha}} \delta_{\beta\bar{\alpha}}, \quad (4-7)$$

$$k_{\alpha\beta} = k_{\alpha\bar{\alpha}} \delta_{\beta\bar{\alpha}}, \quad (4-8)$$

where

$$f_{\alpha\bar{\alpha}} = \frac{\varphi_{\alpha\bar{\alpha}}^2}{1 + \varphi_{\alpha\bar{\alpha}}^2} \quad (4-9)$$

and

$$k_{\alpha\bar{\alpha}} = \frac{\varphi_{\alpha\bar{\alpha}}}{1 + \varphi_{\alpha\bar{\alpha}}^2} \quad (4-10)$$

Now, let us assume the single particle wave function be time dependent, then the simplified version of the Lagrangian reduces to

$$\mathcal{L} = \int d^3r \psi^*(r,t) i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \psi(r,t) - \sum_{\alpha} T_{\alpha} p_{\alpha} - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\alpha\beta} V_{\alpha\beta} f_{\alpha} f_{\beta} - \frac{1}{4} \sum_{\alpha\bar{\alpha}\beta\bar{\beta}} V_{\alpha\bar{\alpha}\beta\bar{\beta}} k_{\alpha\bar{\alpha}} k_{\beta\bar{\beta}} \quad (4-11)$$

Let us write the single particle wave function as

$$\psi_{\alpha}(\vec{r}, t) = e^{i\chi_{\alpha}(\vec{r}, t)} |\psi_{\alpha}(\vec{r}, t)|, \quad (4-12)$$

where χ_{α} and $|\psi_{\alpha}|$ are real functions. One could decompose the single particle wave function in the following manner: $|\psi_{\alpha}|$ is the real wave function which corresponds to the single particle state α with respect to the rest frame of the many body system. In the classical interpretation, χ_{α} can be viewed as a momentum density of a classical field and $|\psi_{\alpha}|^2$ as a density field corresponding to the state α . One can easily see that the momentum density χ_{α} and the density field $|\psi_{\alpha}|^2$ are canonically conjugate to each other.

The corresponding Lagrangian is

$$\mathcal{L} = \int d\vec{r} \sum_{\alpha} \left[\chi_{\alpha}(\vec{r}, t) \dot{p}_{\alpha}(\vec{r}, t) - \frac{1}{2} (\nabla \chi_{\alpha}(\vec{r}, t))^2 p_{\alpha}(\vec{r}, t) \right] - \mathcal{E}(\{p_{\alpha}\}, \chi_{\alpha}). \quad (4-13)$$

Which may be obtained by adding the total time derivative

$$\sum_{\alpha} \int d\vec{r} \frac{d}{dt} \chi_{\alpha}(\vec{r}, t) p_{\alpha}(\vec{r}, t) \quad (4-14)$$

to equation (4-11), and defining functions

$$p_{\alpha}(\vec{r}, t) = |\psi_{\alpha}(\vec{r}, t)|^2 p_{\alpha}, \quad (4-15)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{E}(\{p_{\alpha}\}, \chi_{\alpha}) &= \sum_{\alpha} \int d\vec{r} |\psi_{\alpha}(\vec{r}, t)| \left(-\frac{\nabla^2}{2} \right) |\psi_{\alpha}(\vec{r}, t)| p_{\alpha} + \sum_{\alpha\beta} \frac{1}{2} V_{\alpha\beta} p_{\alpha} p_{\beta} \\ &+ \sum_{\alpha\beta} \frac{1}{4} V_{\alpha\beta} i\bar{\delta} k_{\alpha} k_{\beta}. \end{aligned} \quad (4-16)$$

In this Lagrangian (4-13), we have a large number of degrees of freedom. Thus, as we mentioned in the introduction of this chapter, a reduction in the number of canonical variables is desirable. Kerman-Koonin derived the continuity and the Euler's equation for an irrotational fluid, by taking a coherent phase for the single particle wave function in TDHF theory. Encouraged by this derivation, let us keep two phases in the Lagrangian. We may use the time independent chemical potential λ for distinguishing the two phases. We define $\varphi(\vec{r}, t)$ and $\xi(\vec{r}, t)$ such that

$$\chi_a(\vec{r}, t) = \begin{cases} \varphi(\vec{r}, t) & \epsilon_a > \lambda \\ \xi(\vec{r}, t) & \epsilon_a \leq \lambda \end{cases} \quad (4-17)$$

where ϵ_a is the single particle energy. Utilizing equation (4-17) in the Lagrangian (4-16) one obtains

$$\mathcal{L} = \int d\vec{r} \left[\varphi(\vec{r}) \dot{f}_u(\vec{r}) + \xi(\vec{r}) \dot{f}_e(\vec{r}) - \frac{1}{2} (\nabla \varphi)^2 f_u(\vec{r}) - \frac{1}{2} (\nabla \xi)^2 f_e(\vec{r}) \right] - E(\{f_u, f_e\}, g-1) \quad (4-18)$$

where

$$f_u(\vec{r}) = \sum_{\epsilon > \lambda} f_a(\vec{r}), \quad (4-19)$$

and

$$f_e(\vec{r}) = \sum_{\epsilon \leq \lambda} f_a(\vec{r}). \quad (4-20)$$

In the derivation of the Lagrangian, we used an arbitrary local two body interaction potential. Physically the choice of taking coherent phases corresponds to freezing out a large number of degrees of freedom. Thus $E(\{j\}, \{q\})$ can be viewed as the minimized energy as functionals of f_u , f_e and an explicit function of q . In other words, that means all other degrees of freedom are chosen to minimize E under the constraints of fixed $f_u^{(i\hbar)}$, $f_e^{(i\hbar)}$ and q . One could derive the equations of motion for the Lagrangian (4-18), but it is more interesting to define new variables

$$\psi = \frac{1}{2} (\{j\} - \{q\}) \quad , \quad (4-21)$$

$$\chi = \frac{1}{2} (\{j\} + \{q\}) \quad , \quad (4-22)$$

and

$$f = f_u + f_e \quad , \quad (4-23)$$

$$f_s = f_e - f_u \quad . \quad (4-24)$$

Utilizing equations (4-21)-(4-24) in the Lagrangian (4-18), we obtain

$$\mathcal{L} = \int \bar{x} r \left[\eta \dot{f} + \psi \dot{f}_s - \frac{1}{2} ((\nabla \chi)^2 + (\nabla \psi)^2) f - (\nabla \chi \cdot \nabla \psi) f_s \right] - E(\{f\}, \{f_s\}, \psi) \quad (4-25)$$

Thus, one can derive the equations of motion for the Lagrangian (4-25)

$$\frac{\delta \mathcal{L}}{\delta \eta} = 0 \Rightarrow \dot{\eta} + \vec{\nabla} \cdot (\rho \vec{\nabla} \eta + \rho_s \vec{\nabla} \psi) = 0, \quad (4-26)$$

$$\frac{\delta \mathcal{L}}{\delta \rho} = 0 \Rightarrow \dot{\eta} + \frac{1}{2} [(\vec{\nabla} \eta)^2 + (\vec{\nabla} \psi)^2] + \frac{\delta \mathcal{E}}{\delta \rho} = 0, \quad (4-27)$$

$$\frac{\delta \mathcal{L}}{\delta \psi} = 0 \Rightarrow \dot{\psi} + \vec{\nabla} \cdot (\rho \vec{\nabla} \psi + \rho_s \vec{\nabla} \eta) - \frac{\delta \mathcal{E}}{\delta \psi} = 0, \quad (4-28)$$

$$\frac{\delta \mathcal{L}}{\delta \rho_s} = 0 \Rightarrow \dot{\psi} + \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{\nabla} \psi + \frac{\delta \mathcal{E}}{\delta \rho_s} = 0. \quad (4-29)$$

Define

$$\rho_s' = \rho_s, \quad (4-30)$$

$$\rho_n = \rho - \rho_s, \quad (4-31)$$

$$\vec{\rho}_n' = \frac{\rho}{\rho_n} \vec{\nabla} \eta = \left(1 + \frac{\rho_s}{\rho_n}\right) \vec{\nabla} \eta. \quad (4-32)$$

Taking the gradient of the equations (4-27), (4-29), and utilizing equations (4-30), (4-31) and (4-32) we obtain the equations of motion for the two fluid model as

$$\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + \vec{\nabla} \cdot (\rho_n \vec{v}_n + \rho_s \vec{v}_s) = 0, \quad (4-33)$$

$$\frac{\partial \rho_s}{\partial t} + \vec{\nabla} \cdot \left(\rho_s \vec{v}_s + \frac{\rho_s \rho_n}{\rho} \vec{v}_n \right) - \frac{\delta \mathcal{E}}{\delta \psi} = 0, \quad (4-34)$$

$$\frac{\partial \vec{v}_s}{\partial t} + \vec{\nabla} \left[\frac{\rho_n}{\rho} (\vec{v}_n \cdot \vec{v}_s) + \frac{\delta \mathcal{E}}{\delta \rho_s} \right] = 0, \quad (4-35)$$

$$\frac{\partial \vec{v}_n}{\partial t} + \vec{v}_n \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left(\frac{\rho_n}{\rho} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\rho_s}{\rho_n} \vec{\nabla} \cdot \left[\left(\frac{\rho_n}{\rho} \right)^2 \vec{v}_n^2 + \vec{v}_s^2 \right] + \frac{\rho_s}{\rho_n} \vec{\nabla} \cdot \frac{\delta \mathcal{E}}{\delta \rho_s} = 0, \quad (4-36)$$

We observe that, $\vec{\nabla}_\lambda \vec{v}_s = 0$ (superfluid is irrotational), $\vec{\nabla} \wedge \vec{v}_n = \left(\vec{\nabla} \cdot \frac{\rho_s}{\rho_n} \right) \wedge \vec{v}_s$, (normal fluid contains the vortex motion). Due to the canonical behaviour of the variables, the total energy would be conserved and thus one should not expect any viscosity term in the equations of motion. We will discuss small oscillations of the densities near their equilibria in section (4-5).

4.2 A two fluid model: Second approach.

In section 4.1 we derived and discussed the two fluid model for a special case of the HB trial wave function. Therefore it would be interesting to derive the two fluid model with a more general HB trial wave function, which is our aim in this section. Let us introduce a new wave function:

$$|\phi\rangle = e^{i\psi(x)} a^\dagger(x) a(x) |\phi_{HB}\rangle \quad (4-37)$$

Where $a^{\dagger}(x)$ ($a(x)$) is the creation (destruction) field operator, X represents the spatial \vec{r} , spin σ_z and isospin σ_z coordinates; and Φ is the usual HB trial wave function in the coordinate representation. The time dependent part of the Lagrangian can be written as

$$\langle \Phi | i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} | \Phi \rangle = - \frac{\partial \phi(x)}{\partial t} \langle \Phi_{HB} | a^{\dagger}(x) a(x) | \Phi_{HB} \rangle + \langle \Phi_{HB} | i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} | \Phi_{HB} \rangle. \quad (4-38)$$

From equation (2-90) one may write

$$\langle \Phi_{HB} | i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} | \Phi_{HB} \rangle = \int f^*(x,y) i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} f(x,y) + \int k^*(x,y) i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} k(x,y). \quad (4-39)$$

We assume that the two body density matrix elements have the properties

$$f(x,y) = e^{i(\phi(x) - \phi(y))} f_r(x,y) \quad (4-40)$$

$$k(x,y) = e^{i(\phi(x) + \phi(y))} k_r(x,y), \quad (4-41)$$

and

$$f_r(x,y) = f_r(y,x), \quad (4-42)$$

$$k_r(x,y) = -k_r(y,x). \quad (4-43)$$

This form of the two body density matrix elements satisfies the supplementary conditions equations (2-33) and (2-34). Employing equations (4-40) and (4-41) for deriving the right hand side of of equation (4-39), the final result reduces to

$$\langle \phi_{HB} | i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \phi_{HB} \rangle = - \int dr \dot{\phi}(r) K(r) \quad (4-44)$$

where

$$K(r) = 2 \sum_{\sigma_3 \sigma_1} \int dr' |K_r(x, y)|^2 \quad (4-45)$$

And for the time dependent part of the Lagrangian (4-38), we have

$$\langle \Phi | i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} | \Phi \rangle = - \int dr [\dot{\phi}(r) \rho(r) + \dot{\phi}(r) K(r)] \quad (4-46)$$

where

$$\rho(r) = \sum_{\sigma_3 \sigma_1} \rho(x, y) \quad (4-47)$$

The kinetic part of the classical Hamiltonian can be written as

$$\langle \Phi | \hat{T} | \Phi \rangle = T(x, y) \langle \phi_{HB} | e^{-i\nu(x) \alpha(x)^\dagger \alpha(x)} e^{i\nu(y) \alpha(y)^\dagger \alpha(y)} | \phi_{HB} \rangle \quad (4-48)$$

We may expand the exponential coefficient of the trial wave function (4-37), then evaluate the right hand side of equation (4-48); and next expand the expectation value of the density operator (4-40). The final result for the kinetic energy (4-48) up to second order in terms ν and ν^* is

$$\langle \Phi | \hat{T} | \Phi \rangle = T(x, y) \left[1 - \frac{1}{2} (\nu(x) - \nu(y) + \nu^*(x) - \nu^*(y))^2 \right] \rho(x, y) \quad (4-49)$$

Now, let us use the explicit form of the kinetic energy operator

$$T(x, x') = -\frac{1}{2} \nabla_r^2 \delta(r-r') \delta_{\sigma_I \sigma_I} \delta_{\sigma_S \sigma_S} \quad (4-50)$$

in evaluating kinetic energy. We obtain

$$\langle \phi | \hat{T} | \phi \rangle = - \int \delta r \delta r' \delta(r-r') \nabla_r^2 \int \rho(x, x') / 2 + \frac{1}{2} \int \delta r (\nabla \mathcal{G}(r) + \nabla \mathcal{W}(r))^2 \rho(r) \quad (4-51)$$

Although we expand the kinetic energy to second order in terms of \mathcal{G} and \mathcal{W} , the final result is correct to all order of them. Finally, the potential energy term of the Hamiltonian can be obtained with a similar expansion as we had in the kinetic energy term. The result (to second order in terms of \mathcal{G} and \mathcal{W}) is

$$\langle \phi | \hat{V} | \phi \rangle = \frac{1}{4} V(x, y, x', y') \left[2 \rho_V(x, x') \rho_V(y, y') + \kappa(y, x) \kappa(y', x') \right] \left\{ 1 - \frac{1}{2} \left[(\mathcal{W}(x) + \mathcal{W}(y)) - (\mathcal{W}(x') + \mathcal{W}(y')) + (\mathcal{G}(x) + \mathcal{G}(y)) - (\mathcal{G}(x') + \mathcal{G}(y')) \right]^2 \right\} \quad (4-52)$$

In case of a local potential, the potential energy (4-52) is independent of \mathcal{G} and \mathcal{W} . Now putting together three terms of the Lagrangian, utilizing equations (4-51), (4-52) and (4-46); the Lagrangian reduces to the form

$$\mathcal{L} = - \int \delta r \left[\dot{\phi}(r) \kappa(r) + \dot{\psi}(r) \rho(r) + \frac{1}{2} (\nabla \mathcal{G} + \nabla \mathcal{W})^2 \rho(r) \right] - E(\{\rho\}, \{\kappa\}) \quad (4-53)$$

Where we assume a local potential for V , and as usual $E(\rho, \kappa)$ is the minimized energy under constraints of fixed ρ and κ . The equations of motion may be derived by Hamilton's principle.

$$\frac{\delta \mathcal{L}}{\delta \psi} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + \vec{\nabla} \cdot (\rho \vec{\nabla} \psi + \rho \vec{\nabla} \phi) = 0, \quad (4-54)$$

$$\frac{\delta \mathcal{L}}{\delta \rho} = 0 \Rightarrow \dot{\psi} + \frac{1}{2} (\nabla \rho + \nabla \psi)^2 + \frac{\delta E}{\delta \rho} = 0, \quad (4-55)$$

$$\frac{\delta \mathcal{L}}{\delta \rho} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{\partial \kappa}{\partial t} + \vec{\nabla} \cdot \rho (\vec{\nabla} \rho + \vec{\nabla} \psi) = 0, \quad (4-56)$$

$$\frac{\delta \mathcal{L}}{\delta \kappa} = 0 \Rightarrow \dot{\rho} + \frac{\delta E}{\delta \kappa} = 0, \quad (4-57)$$

The equations (4-54) through (4-57) are a simple set of equations describing the motion of the two fluid model. One of the special properties of this model is having zero roots for dispersion relation, and we will discuss that property in more detail in section 4.5

4.3 A two fluid model: Third approach.

The motivation of this section is to derive a two fluid model from

direct use of the TBCS wave function. Let us consider the trial wave function:

$$|\Phi\rangle = e^{i\hat{A}} e^{i\hat{\Phi}} |BCS\rangle \quad (4-58)$$

where

$$\hat{A} = \int d^3r \sum_{\mathbf{k}} \chi(\mathbf{r}) \frac{1}{k} \left[\psi_{\downarrow\downarrow}^*(\mathbf{r}) a_{\downarrow\downarrow}^T a_{\downarrow\downarrow}^T + \psi_{\uparrow\uparrow}^*(\mathbf{r}) a_{\uparrow\uparrow}^T a_{\uparrow\uparrow}^T + \psi_{\downarrow\uparrow}(\mathbf{r}) a_{\downarrow\uparrow} a_{\uparrow\downarrow}(\mathbf{r}) + \psi_{\uparrow\downarrow}(\mathbf{r}) a_{\uparrow\downarrow} a_{\downarrow\uparrow}(\mathbf{r}) \right], \quad (4-59)$$

$$\hat{\Phi} = \int d^3r \varphi(\mathbf{r}) \left[a_{\uparrow\uparrow}^T a_{\uparrow\uparrow} + a_{\downarrow\downarrow}^T a_{\downarrow\downarrow} \right], \quad (4-60)$$

and BCS is the usual TBCS wave function:

$$|BCS\rangle = \prod_{\mathbf{k}} (u_{\mathbf{k}} + v_{\mathbf{k}} a_{\uparrow\uparrow}^T a_{\downarrow\downarrow}^T) |0\rangle, \quad (4-61)$$

with $u_{\mathbf{k}}$ and $v_{\mathbf{k}}$ assumed to be real and time dependent.

In the adiabatic approximation to the Lagrangian, the potential velocities φ and χ are assumed to be small enough to permit an expansion of these phase operators, retaining only terms up to second order in the phases. The time dependent part of the Lagrangian can be written as

$$\langle \Phi | i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} | \Phi \rangle = - \int d^3r \left[\dot{\varphi}(\mathbf{r}) \mathcal{P}(\mathbf{r}) + \dot{\chi}(\mathbf{r}) \mathcal{K}(\mathbf{r}) \right] \quad (4-62)$$

where $\mathcal{P}(\mathbf{r})$ and $\mathcal{K}(\mathbf{r})$ are defined by

$$\mathcal{P}(\mathbf{r}) = \sum_{\mathbf{k}} \left(|\psi_{\uparrow\uparrow}(\mathbf{r})|^2 + |\psi_{\downarrow\downarrow}(\mathbf{r})|^2 \right) v_{\mathbf{k}}^2, \quad (4-63)$$

and

$$\kappa(r) = \sum_{\mathbf{k}} \lambda \left(|\psi_{\mathbf{k}\uparrow}(r)|^2 + |\psi_{\mathbf{k}\downarrow}(r)|^2 \right) u_{\mathbf{k}} v_{\mathbf{k}} f_{\mathbf{k}}. \quad (4-64)$$

χ and κ are adiabatically canonical variables as one may notice from equation (4-62), by retaining terms higher than second order in the phases. For a simple potential such as

$$\hat{V} = \sum_{\mathbf{k}\mathbf{k}'} V_{\mathbf{k}\mathbf{k}'} a_{\mathbf{k}\uparrow}^{\dagger} a_{\mathbf{k}\downarrow}^{\dagger} a_{\mathbf{k}'\downarrow} a_{\mathbf{k}'\uparrow} \quad (4-65)$$

the Hamiltonian operator can be written as

$$H = T(r,r') \left(a_{\mathbf{k}\uparrow}^{\dagger} a_{\mathbf{k}\uparrow} + a_{\mathbf{k}\downarrow}^{\dagger} a_{\mathbf{k}\downarrow} \right) + \sum_{\mathbf{k}\mathbf{k}'} V_{\mathbf{k}\mathbf{k}'} a_{\mathbf{k}\uparrow}^{\dagger} a_{\mathbf{k}\downarrow}^{\dagger} a_{\mathbf{k}'\downarrow} a_{\mathbf{k}'\uparrow}. \quad (4-66)$$

Again, we expand the phase operator in the trial wave function for evaluation of the classical Hamiltonian; the result to the second order in terms of θ and χ can be written as

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \hat{\Phi} | \hat{H} | \hat{\Phi} \rangle &= T(r,r') S(r',r) - \frac{1}{2} \langle \text{BCS} | [\hat{A}, [\hat{A}, \hat{H}]] | \text{BCS} \rangle \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2} \langle \text{BCS} | [\hat{\Phi}, [\hat{\Phi}, \hat{H}]] | \text{BCS} \rangle - \langle \text{BCS} | [\hat{\Phi}, [\hat{A}, \hat{H}]] | \text{BCS} \rangle \end{aligned} \quad (4-67)$$

where

$$S(r',r) = \sum_{\mathbf{k}} \left(\psi_{\mathbf{k}\uparrow}(r') \psi_{\mathbf{k}\uparrow}^*(r) + \psi_{\mathbf{k}\downarrow}(r') \psi_{\mathbf{k}\downarrow}^*(r) \right) v_{\mathbf{k}}^2. \quad (4-68)$$

The Lagrangian can be obtained, by evaluating the classical Hamiltonian (4-67) and subtracting it from equation (4-62). The final result is

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{L} = & - \int dr' [\dot{g}(r) p(r) + \dot{\chi}(r) k(r) + \frac{1}{2} (\nabla g)^2 f(r) + \frac{1}{2} g(r)^2 A(\{j\}, \{k\}) + \frac{1}{2} (\nabla \chi)^2 B(\{j\}, \{k\}) \\
& + \frac{1}{2} (\nabla \varphi \nabla \chi) k(r) + \frac{1}{2} (\chi(r))^2 C(\{j\}, \{k\}) + \frac{1}{2} g(r) \chi(r) D(\{j\}, \{k\})] - \int dr dr' [\\
& \chi(r) \chi(r') F(\{j\}, \{k\}) + g(r) g(r') H(\{j\}, \{k\}) + g(r) \chi(r') G(\{j\}, \{k\})] - E(\{j\}, \{k\})
\end{aligned}
\tag{4-69}$$

Where p and k are defined by equations (4-63) and (4-64) respectively. Other coefficient are defined by equation (4-70) through equation (4-76)

$$A(\{j\}, \{k\}) = -4 \sum_{kk'} v_{kk'} u_k v_k u_{k'} v_{k'} |\psi_k(r)|^2, \tag{4-70}$$

$$B(\{j\}, \{k\}) = 2 \sum_k f_k^2 u_k^2 |\psi_k(r)|^2, \tag{4-71}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
C(\{j\}, \{k\}) = & -2 \sum_k \left[f_k^2 u_k^2 \psi_k^{\mu}(r) \nabla^2 \psi_k^{\mu}(r) - \sum_{k'} f_k f_{k'} v_k^2 \psi_k^{\mu}(r) \psi_{k'}^{\mu}(r) T(r, u) \times \right. \\
& \left. \psi_k^{\mu}(r) \psi_{k'}^{\mu}(r) + 2 f_k^2 v_{kk'} u_k v_k u_{k'} v_{k'} |\psi_k(r)|^2 \right],
\end{aligned}
\tag{4-72}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
D(\{j\}, \{k\}) = & 2 \sum_k \left[f_k u_k v_k \psi_k^{\mu}(r) \nabla^2 \psi_k^{\mu}(r) + \sum_{k'} f_k u_k v_k \psi_k^{\mu}(r) \psi_{k'}^{\mu}(r) \psi_{k'}^{\mu}(r) \nabla^2 \psi_k^{\mu}(r) \right. \\
& \left. - 4 f_k v_{kk'} v_k^2 u_k v_k u_{k'} v_{k'} |\psi_k(r)|^2 \right],
\end{aligned}
\tag{4-73}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
F(\{j\}, \{k\}) = & 2 \sum_{kk'} \left[-2 f_k^2 v_{kk'}^2 \psi_k^{\mu}(r) \psi_{k'}^{\mu}(r) T(r, u) \psi_k^{\mu}(r) \psi_{k'}^{\mu}(r) + 4 f_k f_{k'} u_k^2 \psi_k^{\mu}(r) \psi_{k'}^{\mu}(r) T(r, u) \psi_k^{\mu}(r) \psi_{k'}^{\mu}(r) \right. \\
& - 2 f_k f_{k'} v_k^2 \psi_k^{\mu}(r) \psi_{k'}^{\mu}(r) T(u, r) \psi_k^{\mu}(r) \psi_{k'}^{\mu}(r) v_k^2 - 2 f_k f_{k'} |\psi_k(r)|^2 |\psi_{k'}(r)|^2 v_{kk'} (v_k^2 - v_{k'}^2) \\
& \left. + 8 f_k f_{k'} |\psi_k(r)|^2 |\psi_{k'}(r)|^2 v_{kk'} v_k^2 (2 v_k^2 - 1) \right]
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & + \sum_e 2 f_e^2 \psi_e(r) \psi_e(r') (v_{k_k} \cdot v_{k'} \cdot v_{k''} \cdot v_{e'} \psi_e(r) \psi_e(r') + v_{e'} \psi_e(r) \psi_e(r') v_{k'} v_{k''} \cdot v_{k'} \cdot v_{k''} \\
 & - v_{e'} \psi_e(r) \psi_e(r') v_{e'} v_{k'} \cdot v_{k''}) - 4 f_k f_{k'} \psi_k(r) \psi_{k'}(r') T(\omega, u) \psi_k(r) \psi_{k'}(r') \psi_e(r) \psi_e(r')^2] \quad (4-74)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 G(\{p\}, \{k\}) & = \sum_{kk'} 8 [f_k \psi_k(r) \psi_k(r') \psi_{k'}(r) \psi_{k'}(r') T(r, u) + f_{k'} \psi_{k'}(r) \psi_{k'}(r') \psi_k(r) \psi_k(r') v_{k'} \cdot v_{k'} \cdot T(k, r) \\
 & + 2 f_k |\psi_k(r)|^2 |\psi_{k'}(r')|^2 v_{k_k} \cdot v_{k'} \cdot v_{k''} - 4 f_k |\psi_k(r)|^2 |\psi_{k'}(r')|^2 v_{k_k} \cdot v_{k''} \cdot v_{k'} \cdot v_{k''} + \sum_e f_k \psi_k(r) \psi_k(r') \times \\
 & \psi_e(r) \psi_e(r') v_{k_k} \cdot v_{k''} \cdot v_{k'} \cdot v_{k''} + f_{k'} \psi_{k'}(r) \psi_{k'}(r') \psi_e(r) \psi_e(r') v_{e'} \cdot v_{k''} \cdot v_{k'} \cdot v_{k''} - f_k \psi_k(r) \psi_k(r') \psi_e(r) \times \\
 & \psi_e(r') v_{e'} \cdot v_{k''} \cdot v_{k'} \cdot v_{k''}], \quad (4-75)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 H(\{p\}, \{k\}) & = \sum_{kk'} [8 v_{k_k} \cdot v_{k'} \cdot v_{k''} \cdot v_{k'''} (\psi_k(r))^2 (\psi_{k'}(r'))^2 - [4 v_{k_k} \cdot v_{k'} \cdot v_{k''} \cdot v_{k'''} \psi_k(r) \psi_k(r') \times \\
 & \psi_{k'}(r) \psi_{k'}(r')]], \quad (4-76)
 \end{aligned}$$

where the spin coordinates label is suppressed for convenience. In deriving the classical Lagrangian we would freeze all the degrees of freedom except the two collective ones, namely φ and χ . That mean that all the dynamical variables in the trial wave function are chosen to minimize the classical Hamiltonian under the constraint of fixed φ , χ , p and k . The equations of motion can be derived by Hamilton's procedure from the Lagrangian (4-69), and we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{\delta \mathcal{L}}{\delta \varphi} = 0 \Rightarrow & \quad \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial t} + \vec{p} \cdot (\vec{p} \vec{\varphi}) - \mathcal{H} A + \frac{1}{\lambda} \nabla(k \cdot \nabla \chi) - \frac{1}{2} \chi D \\
 & - \frac{1}{\lambda} \int dr' [2 \varphi(r) \mathcal{H} + \chi(r) G] = 0 \quad (4-77)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\delta \mathcal{L}}{\delta \rho} = 0 \Rightarrow & \dot{\rho} + \frac{1}{2} (\nabla \rho)^2 + \frac{1}{2} (\rho)^2 \frac{\delta A}{\delta \rho} + \frac{1}{2} (\nabla \chi)^2 \frac{\delta G}{\delta \rho} + \frac{1}{2} \rho(r) \chi(r) \frac{\delta D}{\delta \rho} \\ & + \frac{1}{2} (\chi(r))^2 \frac{\delta G}{\delta \rho} + \frac{1}{2} \int dr' [\chi(r) \chi(r') \frac{\delta F}{\delta \rho} + \rho(r) \chi(r') \frac{\delta G}{\delta \rho} \\ & + \rho(r) \rho(r') \frac{\delta H}{\delta \rho}] + \frac{\delta E}{\delta \rho} = 0, \end{aligned} \quad (4-78)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\delta \mathcal{L}}{\delta \chi} = 0 \Rightarrow & \frac{\partial \kappa}{\partial t} + \vec{\nabla} \cdot (B \vec{\nabla} \chi) + \frac{1}{2} \vec{\nabla} \cdot (\kappa \vec{\nabla} \rho) - \frac{1}{2} \rho(r) D - \chi(r) C \\ & - \frac{1}{2} \int dr' [\chi(r) F + \rho(r') G] = 0, \end{aligned} \quad (4-79)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\delta \mathcal{L}}{\delta \kappa} = 0 \Rightarrow & \dot{\chi}(r) + \frac{1}{2} (\rho(r))^2 \frac{\delta A}{\delta \kappa} + \frac{1}{2} (\nabla \chi(r))^2 \frac{\delta B}{\delta \kappa} + \frac{1}{2} \nabla \rho \nabla \chi \\ & + \frac{1}{2} (\chi)^2 \frac{\delta G}{\delta \kappa} + \frac{1}{2} \rho(r) \chi(r) \frac{\delta D}{\delta \kappa} + \frac{1}{2} \int dr' [\chi(r) \chi(r') \frac{\delta F}{\delta \kappa} \\ & + \rho(r) \chi(r') \frac{\delta G}{\delta \kappa} + \rho(r) \rho(r') \frac{\delta H}{\delta \kappa}] + \frac{\delta E}{\delta \kappa} = 0 \end{aligned} \quad (4-80)$$

The equations of motion (4-77) through (4-80) describing the fluid model are complex and we will consider only small oscillations of the variables in an extended system near its equilibrium in the next section.

4.4 Dispersion relations for the two fluid models.

For each of the three two fluid models described in section 4.1, 4.2, and 4.3, we may consider small oscillations of the densities near their equilibria. In the first model, the equations (4-33) through (4-36) can be applied to the propagation of sound in the system. We assume the velocities are small and the densities are almost equal to their constant equilibrium values. Thus terms which are quadratic in excursion can be neglected. By differentiating equations (4-33) and (4-34) with respect to time, using equation (4-35) and (4-36) and eliminating \vec{v}_n and \vec{v}_s in favour of ρ and ρ_s , one gets

$$-\frac{\partial^2 \rho}{\partial t^2} + \rho \nabla^2 I + \rho_s \nabla^2 g = 0, \quad (4-81)$$

$$-\frac{\partial^2 \rho_s}{\partial t^2} + \rho \nabla^2 g + \rho_s \nabla^2 I - g F, \quad (4-82)$$

where

$$I \equiv \frac{\delta E}{\delta \rho}, \quad (4-83)$$

$$g \equiv \frac{\delta E}{\delta \rho_s}, \quad (4-84)$$

and

$$F = \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \frac{\delta E}{\delta q} \quad (4-85)$$

One could write f and g as functions of I and q , then equation (4-81) and (4-82) can be written as

$$\left. \frac{\partial f}{\partial I} \right|_g \frac{\partial^2 I}{\partial t^2} + \left. \frac{\partial f}{\partial q} \right|_I \frac{\partial^2 q}{\partial t^2} = f \nabla^2 I + f_g \nabla^2 q, \quad (4-86)$$

$$\left. \frac{\partial f}{\partial I} \right|_g \frac{\partial^2 I}{\partial t^2} + \left. \frac{\partial f}{\partial q} \right|_I \frac{\partial^2 q}{\partial t^2} = f_g \nabla^2 I + f \nabla^2 q - F_g, \quad (4-87)$$

For small oscillations, one may write

$$I = I_0 + \delta I e^{i(\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r} - \omega t)} \quad (4-88)$$

$$q = \delta q e^{i(\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r} - \omega t)} \quad (4-89)$$

and obtain (in matrix form)

$$\begin{pmatrix} \omega^2 \left. \frac{\partial f}{\partial I} \right|_g - f k^2 & \omega^2 \left. \frac{\partial f}{\partial q} \right|_I - f_g k^2 \\ \omega^2 \left. \frac{\partial f}{\partial I} \right|_g - f_g k^2 & \omega^2 \left. \frac{\partial f}{\partial q} \right|_I - f k^2 - F \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \delta I \\ \delta q \end{pmatrix} = 0 \quad (4-90)$$

then, the dispersion relation can be written as

$$\omega^4 \left[\left. \frac{\partial f}{\partial I} \right|_g \left. \frac{\partial f_s}{\partial g} \right|_I - \left. \frac{\partial f}{\partial g} \right|_I \left. \frac{\partial f_s}{\partial I} \right|_g \right] - \omega^2 \left[\left. \frac{\partial f}{\partial I} \right|_g (\rho k^2 + F) + \rho k^2 \left. \frac{\partial f}{\partial g} \right|_g \right. \\ \left. - \rho_s k^2 \left(\left. \frac{\partial f}{\partial g} \right|_I + \left. \frac{\partial f_s}{\partial I} \right|_g \right) \right] + \rho k^2 (\rho k^2 + F) - (\rho_s k^2)^2 = 0 \quad (4-91)$$

With some algebraic manipulation, the dispersion relation (4-91) can be written in a more simple form:

$$\omega^4 - \omega^2 \left[F + (\rho - \rho_s) k^2 \left. \frac{\partial g}{\partial f_s} \right|_g + k^2 \left(\rho \left. \frac{\partial I}{\partial f} \right|_{f_s} + \rho_s \left. \frac{\partial g}{\partial f} \right|_{f_s} \right) \right] \\ + \left[\rho k^2 (F + \rho k^2) - (\rho_s k^2)^2 \right] \left. \frac{\partial I}{\partial f} \right|_g \left. \frac{\partial g}{\partial f_s} \right|_g = 0. \quad (4-92)$$

This dispersion relation (4-92) has the appropriate limits. First:

For normal fluid $\rho_s = 0$ and $\left. \frac{\partial g}{\partial f_s} \right|_g = 0$ one gets

$$\omega^2 = 0 \quad (4-93)$$

$$\omega^2 = \rho k^2 \left. \frac{\partial I}{\partial f} \right|_g \quad (4-94)$$

This equation (4-94) is equivalent to the ordinary sound dispersion relation in the normal fluid. Second, for small ρ_s and $\left. \frac{\partial g}{\partial f_s} \right|_g$, one could make the approximation

$$\left. \frac{\partial I}{\partial f} \right|_{f_s} = \left. \frac{\partial I}{\partial f} \right|_{f_1} , \quad (4-95)$$

which is similar to the

$$\left. \frac{\partial P}{\partial f} \right|_S \approx \left. \frac{\partial P}{\partial f} \right|_T \quad (4-96)$$

approximation in the Landau theory of the two fluid model. Then the dispersion relation can be factorized to

$$\left(\omega^2 - f k^2 \left. \frac{\partial I}{\partial f} \right|_{f_s} \right) \left[\omega^2 - (F + f k^2) \left. \frac{\partial \beta}{\partial f} \right|_{f_s} \right] \approx 0 \quad (4-97)$$

or

$$\omega^2 = f k^2 \left. \frac{\partial I}{\partial f} \right|_{f_s} , \quad (4-98)$$

and

$$\omega^2 = (F + f k^2) \left. \frac{\partial \beta}{\partial f} \right|_{f_s} . \quad (4-99)$$

The dispersion relation (4-98) corresponds to normal sound in the fluids; and for the other relation (4-99), it is similar to the electron plasma oscillation dispersion relation. For a general solution to the equation (4-92), we would have

$$\omega^2 = (\alpha + \beta k^2 \pm \sqrt{(\alpha + \beta k^2)^2 - 4 k^2 (\delta + \delta k^2)}) / 2 , \quad (4-100)$$

where

$$\alpha = F \left. \frac{\partial g}{\partial p} \right|_s, \quad (4-101)$$

$$\beta = (p-p_s) \left. \frac{\partial g}{\partial p} \right|_s + p \left. \frac{\partial I}{\partial p} \right|_s + p_s \left. \frac{\partial g}{\partial p} \right|_s, \quad (4-102)$$

$$\gamma = p F \left. \frac{\partial I}{\partial p} \right|_g \left. \frac{\partial g}{\partial p} \right|_s, \quad (4-103)$$

$$\delta = (p^2 - p_s^2) \left. \frac{\partial I}{\partial p} \right|_g \left. \frac{\partial g}{\partial p} \right|_s. \quad (4-104)$$

Equations (4-100) describe the general form of the dispersion relation for the two fluid model. For small k the square-root can be expanded and one of the branches contains the effective mass, while the other would be similar to the normal sound dispersion relation.

The propagation of sound in the second fluid model can be considered similar to the first model. To avoid repetition of similar arguments, we may derive the dispersion relation by direct use of equations of motion (4-54) through (4-57). For small oscillations of the variables near their equilibria, one may write

$$p = p_s + \delta p e^{i(\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r} - \omega t)}, \quad (4-105)$$

$$k = k_s + \delta k e^{i(\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r} - \omega t)}, \quad (4-106)$$

$$\psi = \delta\psi e^{i(\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r} - \omega t)} \quad (4-107)$$

$$\varphi = \delta\varphi e^{i(\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r} - \omega t)} \quad (4-108)$$

Substituting equations (4-105)-(4-108) in equations (4-54)-(4-57), then the equations of motion reduce to (in matrix form)

$$\begin{pmatrix} -i\omega & 0 & -k_x^2 & k_x^2 \\ 0 & -i\omega & k_x^2 & -k_x^2 \\ \frac{\partial \delta E}{\partial \psi} \frac{\delta \psi}{\delta \varphi} & \frac{\partial \delta E}{\partial \varphi} \frac{\delta \psi}{\delta \varphi} & -i\omega & 0 \\ \frac{\partial \delta E}{\partial \psi} \frac{\delta \varphi}{\delta \kappa} & \frac{\partial \delta E}{\partial \varphi} \frac{\delta \varphi}{\delta \kappa} & 0 & -i\omega \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \delta \psi \\ \delta \kappa \\ \delta \psi \\ \delta \varphi \end{pmatrix} = 0 \quad (4-109)$$

The dispersion relation has two branches

$$\omega^2 = 0, \quad (4-110)$$

and

$$\omega^2 = k_x^2 \left[\frac{\partial \delta E}{\partial \psi} \frac{\delta \psi}{\delta \varphi} + \frac{\partial \delta E}{\partial \varphi} \frac{\delta \psi}{\delta \kappa} - \frac{\partial \delta E}{\partial \varphi} \frac{\delta \psi}{\delta \psi} - \frac{\partial \delta E}{\partial \psi} \frac{\delta \varphi}{\delta \kappa} \right] \quad (3-11)$$

The simple form of the dispersion relation is due to our choice of local potential interaction. If we use a general form of potential, the dispersion relation will be modified to

$$\omega^4 - \omega^2 \left[(k^2 \rho - \eta) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} \frac{\delta E}{\delta \rho} + \frac{\partial}{\partial \kappa} \frac{\delta E}{\delta \kappa} \right) - (k^2 \rho + \eta) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} \frac{\delta E}{\delta \kappa} + \frac{\partial}{\partial \kappa} \frac{\delta E}{\delta \rho} \right) \right] \\ + 4 k^2 \rho \eta \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial \kappa} \frac{\delta E}{\delta \rho} \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} \frac{\delta E}{\delta \kappa} - \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} \frac{\delta E}{\delta \rho} \frac{\partial}{\partial \kappa} \frac{\delta E}{\delta \kappa} \right) = 0, \quad (4-112)$$

where

$$\eta = \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} \frac{\delta V}{\delta \rho}. \quad (4-113)$$

The dispersion relation equation (4-112) has the appropriate limit.

for $\frac{\delta E}{\delta \kappa} = 0$ we obtain

$$\omega^2 = 0, \quad (4-114)$$

and

$$\omega^2 = (k^2 - \eta) \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} \frac{\delta E}{\delta \rho}. \quad (4-115)$$

For $\eta = 0$ the equation (4-112) reduces to the equation (4-110) and (4-111).

For the third model, let us consider the linearized form of equations of motion

$$\frac{\partial \rho^{(1)}}{\partial t} + \rho \nabla^2 \phi^{(1)} - A(\rho, \kappa) \phi^{(1)} + \frac{1}{2} \kappa \nabla^2 \chi^{(1)} - \frac{1}{2} D(\rho, \kappa) \chi^{(1)} \\ - \frac{1}{2} \int dr' [2 \phi^{(1)}(r') H(\rho, \kappa) + \chi^{(1)}(r') G(\rho, \kappa)] = 0, \quad (4-116)$$

$$\frac{\partial \phi^{(1)}}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} \frac{\delta E}{\delta \rho} \rho^{(1)} + \frac{\partial}{\partial \kappa} \frac{\delta E}{\delta \rho} \kappa^{(1)} = 0, \quad (4-117)$$

$$\frac{\partial \kappa^{(1)}}{\partial t} + B(\rho, \kappa) \nabla^2 \chi^{(1)} + \frac{1}{2} \kappa \nabla^2 \phi^{(1)} - \frac{1}{2} D(\rho, \kappa) \phi^{(1)} - C(\rho, \kappa) \chi^{(1)} \\ - \frac{1}{2} \int dr' [2 \chi^{(1)}(r') F(\rho, \kappa) + \phi^{(1)}(r') G(\rho, \kappa)] = 0, \quad (4-118)$$

$$\frac{\partial \chi^{(1)}}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial \delta E}{\partial \rho} \frac{\delta E}{\delta \rho} \rho^{(1)} + \frac{\partial \delta E}{\partial k} \frac{\delta E}{\delta \rho} \rho^{(1)} + \frac{\partial \delta E}{\partial k \delta k} \kappa^{(1)} = 0. \quad (4-119)$$

For small oscillations, we may write

$$\rho^{(1)} = \delta \rho e^{i(\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r} - \omega t)} \quad (4-120)$$

$$\rho^{(1)} = \delta \rho e^{i(\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r} - \omega t)} \quad (4-121)$$

$$\kappa^{(1)} = \delta \kappa e^{i(\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r} - \omega t)} \quad (4-122)$$

$$\chi^{(1)} = \delta \chi e^{i(\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r} - \omega t)} \quad (4-123)$$

Substituting equations (4-120) through (4-123) in the equations of motion (4-116)-(4-119), writing the results in the matrix form, then the dispersion relation can be obtained by evaluating the determinate of the matrix. The final result is

$$\omega^4 - \omega^2 \left[\frac{\partial \delta E}{\partial k \delta k} (B(\rho, k) k^2 + C(\rho, k) + FF(\rho, k, \epsilon) + \frac{\partial \delta E}{\partial \rho} \frac{\delta E}{\delta \rho} (\rho k^2 + A(\rho, k) + \frac{1}{2} FH(\rho, k, \epsilon))) \right] + \left(\frac{\partial \delta E}{\partial \rho} \frac{\delta E}{\delta \rho} \cdot \frac{\partial \delta E}{\partial k \delta k} + \frac{\partial \delta E}{\partial \rho} \frac{\delta E}{\delta k} \cdot \frac{\partial \delta E}{\partial k \delta \rho} \right) \left[(\rho k^2 + A(\rho, k) + \frac{1}{2} FH(\rho, k, \epsilon)) \right]$$

$$\left(B(\rho, k) k^2 + C(\rho, k) + FF(\rho, k, \epsilon) - \frac{1}{4} (k k^2 + D(\rho, k) + FG(\rho, k, \epsilon))^2 \right) = 0$$

(4-124)

where

$$FF(\rho, k, \epsilon) = \int dr' \frac{-i \epsilon(r-r')}{c} F(\rho, k) \quad (4-125)$$

$$FG(\rho, \kappa, \ell) = \int dr e^{-i\vec{k}\cdot(\vec{r}-\vec{r}')} G(\rho, \kappa), \quad (4-126)$$

$$FH(\rho, \kappa, \ell) = \int dr e^{-i\vec{k}\cdot(\vec{r}-\vec{r}')} H(\rho, \kappa). \quad (4-127)$$

Let us consider the limits of the dispersion relation (4-124). For

$\delta E / \delta \kappa$ we would get the usual

$$\omega^2 = 0, \quad (4-128)$$

and

$$\omega^2 = \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} \frac{\delta E}{\delta \rho} \left[\rho k^2 + A(\rho, \kappa) + \frac{1}{2} FH(\rho, \kappa, \ell) \right] \quad (4-129)$$

for the dispersion relation equations. The equation (4-129) is the modified version of normal fluid dispersion relation, the extra term A and $1/2FH$ are due to nonlocality in the two body potential (4-65). In the region in which the term

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} \frac{\delta E}{\delta \rho} \frac{\partial}{\partial \kappa} \frac{\delta E}{\delta \rho} \left[(\rho k^2 + A(\rho, \kappa) + \frac{1}{2} FH(\rho, \kappa, \ell)) (B(\rho, \kappa) k^2 + C(\rho, \kappa) + FF(\rho, \kappa, \ell)) \right. \\ & \left. - \frac{1}{4} (k^2 + D(\rho, \kappa) + FG(\rho, \kappa, \ell))^2 \right] - \frac{1}{4} \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} \frac{\delta E}{\delta \rho} \frac{\partial}{\partial \kappa} \frac{\delta E}{\delta \kappa} (k^2 + D(\rho, \kappa) + FG(\rho, \kappa, \ell))^2 \end{aligned} \quad (4-130)$$

is small, one may factorize the dispersion relation (4-124), the results being

$$\omega^2 = \frac{\partial}{\partial p} \frac{\delta E}{\delta p} \left(p k^2 + A(p, k) + \frac{1}{2} FH(p, k, k) \right) \quad (4-131)$$

and

$$\omega^2 = \frac{\partial}{\partial k} \frac{\delta E}{\delta k} \left(B(p, k) k^2 + C(p, k) + FF(p, k, k) \right). \quad (4-132)$$

For small k one may expand FH and FF in equations (4-131) and (4-132), respectively. Then the result reduces to a familiar form, except in this case both branches of the dispersion relation have a finite mass. In general we could solve the quadratic expression of the dispersion relation, the result is

$$\omega^2 = \alpha \pm \sqrt{\alpha^2 - \beta} \quad (4-133)$$

where

$$\alpha = \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial k} \left(\frac{\delta E}{\delta k} \right) \left(B(p, k) k^2 + C(p, k) + FF(p, k, k) \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial p} \frac{\delta E}{\delta p} \left(p k^2 + A(p, k) + \frac{1}{2} FH(p, k, k) \right) \right] \quad (4-134)$$

and

$$\beta = \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial p} \frac{\delta E}{\delta p} \frac{\partial}{\partial k} \frac{\delta E}{\delta k} + \frac{\partial}{\partial p} \frac{\delta E}{\delta k} \frac{\partial}{\partial k} \frac{\delta E}{\delta p} \right] \left[\left(p k^2 + A(p, k) + \frac{1}{2} FH(p, k, k) \right) \left(B(p, k) k^2 + C(p, k) + FF(p, k, k) \right) - \frac{1}{4} \left(k k^2 + B(p, k) + FG(p, k, k) \right)^2 \right]. \quad (4-135)$$

Let us summarize the discussion of the dispersion relations for these three different approaches. For each model we had a quadratic

expression in terms of ω^2 which has been solved. For the first model, we have two branches with appropriate limits. For a reasonable approximation, one branch is similar to the normal sound dispersion relation and the other contains an extra zero effective mass. For the second approach one branch is $\omega = 0$ and the second branch contains an extra effective mass in the normal sound dispersion relation. In the case of the third model, the dispersion relations are more complicated, and usually both of the branches have the effective mass. Also their dependence on the wave number is more complicated than in the normal sound dispersion relation.

4.5 An Irrotational fluid model.

In sections 4.1, 4.2 and 4.3 we developed the two fluid models first from a special HB, and secondly from a general HB, and a TDBCS trial wave function respectively. But the development and carrying out of the calculations for those models was complex and time consuming. It would be more attractive to develop a simple model with a restricted trial wave function. Therefore in this section we begin with time dependent BCS trial wave function and construct a simple Irrotational fluid model. This model will be used in chapter five for the calculation

of sound in neutron stars.

Let us consider the trial wave function:

$$|\Phi\rangle = e^{i\phi(r) [a^\dagger(r) a(r) + a^\dagger(r') a(r')]} |BCS\rangle \quad (4-136)$$

where as usual $a^\dagger(r)$ and $a(r)$ are creation and destruction field operators respectively and BCS correspond to the time dependent BCS wave function (4-61). The time dependent part of the Lagrangian reduces to

$$\langle \Phi | i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} | \Phi \rangle = - \int dr \dot{\phi}(r) \rho(r), \quad (4-137)$$

where $\rho(r)$ is defined by equation (4-63). Corresponding to the Hamiltonian:

$$H = T(r) (a^\dagger(r) a(r) + a^\dagger(r') a(r')) + V(x' y') a^\dagger(x) a^\dagger(x') a(y) a(y') \quad (4-138)$$

we obtain the classical Hamiltonian,

$$\langle \Phi | H | \Phi \rangle = \int dr \frac{1}{2} (\nabla \phi)^2 \rho(r) + E(\rho) \quad (4-139)$$

Where, as usual, $E(\rho)$ is the minimized energy as a functional of $\rho(r)$ and in the case of a local two body potential $E(\rho)$ is independent of ϕ .

The Lagrangian can be written as

$$\mathcal{L} = - \int dr \left(\dot{\phi}^2 + \frac{1}{2} (\nabla \phi)^2 \right) \rho(r) - E(\rho). \quad (4-140)$$

This Lagrangian is similar to the Irrotational fluid model of Kerman-Koonin, the only difference being the inclusion of the pair approximation in deriving the classical Hamiltonian. Using Lagrangian (4-140) one may obtain equations of motion:

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial t} + \vec{\nabla} \cdot (\rho \vec{\nabla} \varphi) = 0, \quad (4-141)$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{2} (\nabla \varphi)^2 + \frac{\delta E}{\delta \rho} = 0. \quad (4-142)$$

Where (4-141) can be considered as the continuity equation and (4-142) as Euler's equation. For small oscillations near equilibrium we may write

$$\rho = \rho_0 + \delta \rho e^{i(\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r} - \omega t)} \quad (4-143)$$

$$\varphi = \delta \varphi e^{i(\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r} - \omega t)} \quad (4-144)$$

Substituting equations (4-143) and (4-144) in equations (4-141) and (4-142), writing equations of motion in the matrix form, and evaluating the determinate of the matrix, we obtain the dispersion relation as:

$$\omega^2 = \int \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} \left(\frac{\delta E}{\delta \rho} \right) k^2 \quad (4-145)$$

and the velocity of sound in the system will be

$$\frac{\omega^2}{k^2} = u^2 = \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} \frac{\partial}{\partial s} E(\rho, s) \quad (4-146)$$

Chapter V

A study of neutron matter.

In this chapter, we study the effect of pairing on the dynamical properties of neutron matter. Neutron matter is a hypothetical system of neutrons in equal spin populations. It is assumed to fill all space with uniform density of neutron ρ . Although this system will not be bound by itself, the interior of a neutron star would be a very good approximation of the system in nature. Usually, parallel to the study of nuclear matter, the neutron matter is also discussed. Specifically, the superfluidity of neutrons in the neutron star has been reviewed by Baym and Pethick.⁴⁰

In section 5.1, first a static study of pairing in the neutron matter has been considered. We assume that neutrons are interacting via soft core potentials. The energy gap equation has been solved. Then we treat the description of sound waves (small amplitude oscillations) in the system, utilizing the Irrotational fluid model of section 3.5. In section 5.2 we derive the QPRPA utilizing the Generalized Hartree-Fock method, and apply it to our model of neutron matter. The numerical calculations of the QPRPA and the hydrodynamical approach for phonon energies are compared.

5.1 Sound in neutron matter.

As mentioned above the study of sound waves in neutron matter is our aim in this section. One of our assumptions is that neutrons are interacting via soft core potentials. The potentials adopted in this section and the next are taken from reference [20]. The potential consists of three parts of gaussian shape

$$V = \sum_{\alpha=1}^3 V_{\alpha} \exp \left[-\left(r/a_{\alpha} \right)^2 \right]. \quad (5-1)$$

The values of V_{α} and a_{α} are given in table [1]. The term ($\alpha=1$) is adjusted to the OPEP and the term ($\alpha=2$) to the strong attractive part in the intermediate region in the singlet even state. The third term ($\alpha=3$) represents the repulsive soft-core and is confined to the region $r \leq 0.7 \text{ f}$. V_3 and a_3 are determined by the singlet scattering length and effective range.

Now, we solve the static part of the equation of motion. Utilizing equation (2-75) in its static form, we may write

$$\lambda (\epsilon_{\alpha} - \lambda) k_{\alpha} + \Delta_{\alpha} (2f_{\alpha} - 1) = 0. \quad (5-2)$$

In solving equation (5-2) we use the effective mass approximation for the single particle excitation energy λ (which is relative to the chemical potential λ)

$$\xi_d = (\epsilon_d - \mu) \cong \frac{1}{2m^*} (k_d^2 - k_f^2). \quad (5-3)$$

Using equations (5-2), (5-3) and the supplementary condition (2-33), we obtain BCS gap equation which is a non linear integral equation for the gap equation

$$\Delta_d = -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{\mathbf{p}} \langle \beta - \beta' | \nu | \alpha - \alpha' \rangle \frac{\Delta_{\beta}}{(\xi_{\beta}^2 + \Delta_{\beta}^2)^{1/2}}. \quad (5-4)$$

Integration of equation (5-4) over the angles is performed and the final result is

$$\Delta_X = - \sum_{\alpha} \nu_{\alpha} \int dX' \frac{X'}{2X} \left\{ \exp -\mu_{\alpha}^2 (X-X')^2 - \exp -\mu_{\alpha}^2 (X+X')^2 \right\} \times \Delta X' / \left[\left(\frac{m}{m^*} \right)^2 (X'^2 - 1)^2 + \Delta_X^2 \right]^{1/2}, \quad (5-5)$$

where

$$X = k/k_f, \quad \Delta_X = \Delta_k / ((k_f k_f) / 2m), \quad \nu_{\alpha} = V_{\alpha} \left(\frac{m a_{\alpha}}{\sqrt{\pi} k_f} \right), \quad \mu_{\alpha} = a_{\alpha} k_f / 2 \quad (5-6)$$

The iteration method is used in solving equation (5-5); the input of $\Delta_X / \left[\left(\frac{m}{m^*} \right)^2 (X'^2 - 1)^2 + \Delta_X^2 \right]^{1/2}$ is $\exp - (X-1)^2$, and the convergence condition is

$$M_{\Delta X} \left| \frac{\Delta_X^n - \Delta_X^{n-1}}{\Delta_X^{n-1}} \right| < 0.01 \quad (5-7)$$

where n is the number of times the iteration is carried out. The region and the mesh size of the integration are [0.0, 7.5] and 0.15 respectively.

The ordinary iteration method is modified by relaxation method, which makes convergence more rapid. Numerical results are given graphically. A_k is positive and decreasing uniformly for $k < k_f$, but becomes negative for $k > k_f$ due to the repulsive core as shown in figures [5, 6]. Figures [7, 8] show the dependence of the gap energy at the fermi momentum on the density of neutron matter for various effective masses. As we see from figures [5-8], the calculated energy gap are reasonable when compared with the experimental values in heavy nuclei.

In the second part of this section, we use the formalism of the Irrotational fluid model of chapter three to evaluate the sound velocity in neutron matter. Besides the effective mass approximation we used in the above calculation, we assume that the introduction of the phase φ in the trial wave function (3-136) does not change $E\{\varphi\}$ from its ground state values. Equation (5-8) show $E\{\varphi\}$ as a function of density

$$\begin{aligned}
 E\{\varphi\} &= \sum_k \frac{k^2}{m^*} v_k^2 + \sum_{k,k'} \langle k-k' | v | k'-k \rangle u_k v_k u_{k'} v_{k'} \\
 &= \sum_k \frac{k^2}{m^*} v_k^2 + \sum_k \Delta_k u_k v_k \\
 &= \sum_k \frac{k^2}{m^*} v_k^2 + \sum_k \frac{\Delta_k^2}{2(\frac{1}{2}k^2 + \Delta_k^2)^{1/2}} \quad (5-8)
 \end{aligned}$$

where we have used the definition of gap energy (5-9) and the static value

of $u_k v_k$ (5-10)

$$A_k = \sum_{k'} \langle k-k' | 0 | k'-k' \rangle u_k v_{k'} \quad (5-9)$$

and

$$u_k v_k = \frac{\Delta_k}{2(\xi_k^2 + \Delta_k^2)^{1/2}} \quad (5-10)$$

Equation (4-146) gives the velocity of sound in neutron matter

$$u^2 = \rho \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial \rho} \frac{\partial E(\rho)}{\partial \rho} \quad (4-146)$$

Utilizing equation (5-8) one may obtain $\frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} \frac{\partial E(\rho)}{\partial \rho}$:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} \frac{\partial E(\rho)}{\partial \rho} = & \int \frac{d^3k}{(2\pi)^3} \left\{ \frac{k^2}{m^* (\xi_k^2 + \Delta_k^2)^{5/2}} \left[\frac{\partial^2 \lambda}{\partial \rho^2} \Delta_k^2 (\xi_k^2 + \Delta_k^2) + 3 \left(\frac{\partial \lambda}{\partial \rho} \right)^2 \xi_k \Delta_k^2 \right. \right. \\ & + \frac{\partial \lambda}{\partial \rho} \frac{\partial \Delta_k}{\partial \rho} (2 \Delta_k \xi_k^2 - \Delta_k^3) + \frac{\partial^2 \Delta_k}{\partial \rho^2} (\xi_k^3 \Delta_k + \xi_k \Delta_k^3) + \left. \left(\frac{\partial \Delta_k}{\partial \rho} \right)^2 (\xi_k^3 - 2 \Delta_k^2 \xi_k) \right] \\ & + \frac{1}{2 (\xi_k^2 + \Delta_k^2)^{5/2}} \left[\frac{\partial^2 \lambda}{\partial \rho^2} \xi_k \Delta_k^2 (\xi_k^2 + \Delta_k^2) + \left(\frac{\partial \lambda}{\partial \rho} \right)^2 (2 \xi_k^2 \Delta_k^2 - \Delta_k^4) + 2 \frac{\partial \lambda}{\partial \rho} \frac{\partial \Delta_k}{\partial \rho} (2 \xi_k^3 \Delta_k \right. \\ & \left. - \Delta_k^3 \xi_k) + \frac{\partial^2 \Delta_k}{\partial \rho^2} (2 \xi_k^2 \Delta_k + \Delta_k^3) + \left. \left(\frac{\partial \Delta_k}{\partial \rho} \right)^2 (2 \xi_k^4 - \Delta_k^2 \xi_k^2) \right] \right\} \quad (5-11) \end{aligned}$$

In our numerical calculation, the region and the mesh size of differentiation are $[0.50 \bar{f}^{-1}, 0.95 \bar{f}^{-1}]$ and $0.05 \bar{f}^{-1}$ respectively (for the corresponding fermi momenta). The region and mesh size of the integration are $[0.0, 7.5]$ and 0.15 respectively. Figures [9, 10] show the dependence of velocity of sound in neutron matter on the density for various effective masses. The dependence of the velocity on the effective mass is shown in figure

[11] for various densities. As we can see from figures [9-11], the numerical results for the velocity of sound in neutron matter are reasonable, considering the result of other studies of nuclear matter.

5.2 Quasi Particle Random Phase Approximation.

The aim of this section is the derivation of QPRPA and its application to our model of neutron matter. Besides the variational derivation of Baranger, there are other methods for the derivation of Hartree-Bogolyubov equations. One among them is the Generalized Hartree Fock method developed by Kerman and Klein. This method has been devised to describe the excited states of system in equal footing with the ground state. It is based upon the assumption that off-diagonal matrix elements of certain one particle operators are of the same order of magnitude as the diagonal elements, and the two body matrix element can be factorized similar to the RPA, with a simple generalization to include the collective states. Although this method is used mainly for the description of excited states in Hartree-Fock approximation, it is equally capable to describe system in the Hartree-Bogolyubov approximation by retaining the expectation values of the pairing matrix elements. In the following we utilize this method for the derivation of HB equations. As usual, we consider the Hamiltonian:

$$H = T(x, y) a^\dagger(x) a(y) + \frac{1}{4} v(x, y, x', y') a^\dagger(x) a^\dagger(y) a(y') a(x'). \quad (5-12)$$

We begin with the operator equations of motion which follow from the Hamiltonian equation (5-12)

$$[a(x), H] = T(x, y) a(y) + \frac{1}{2} v(x, y, x', y') a^\dagger(y) a(y') a(x'), \quad (5-13)$$

$$[a^\dagger(x), H] = -T(x, y) a^\dagger(y) - \frac{1}{2} v(x, y, x', y') a^\dagger(x') a^\dagger(y') a(y), \quad (5-14)$$

We study the matrix element $\langle i | a(x) | BCS \rangle$ connecting the $| BCS \rangle$ state of the system with one of the eigenstates $| i \rangle$ of the system:

$$\psi_i(x) = \langle i | a(x) | BCS \rangle. \quad (5-15)$$

Then, the equation of motion can be derived utilizing equation (5-13)

$$\begin{aligned} i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \langle i | a(x) | BCS \rangle &= i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \psi_i(x) = \langle i | [a(x), H] | BCS \rangle \\ &= T(x, y) \psi_i(y) + \frac{1}{2} v(x, y, x', y') \langle i | a^\dagger(y) a(y') a(x') | BCS \rangle \end{aligned} \quad (5-16)$$

We may follow the same procedure for the matrix element $\langle i | a^\dagger(x) | BCS \rangle$.

Then we obtain:

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \phi_i^\dagger(x) = -T(x, y) \phi_i^\dagger(y) - \frac{1}{2} v(x, y, x', y') \langle i | a^\dagger(x) a^\dagger(y') a(y) | BCS \rangle, \quad (5-17)$$

where

$$\phi_i^\dagger(x) = \langle i | a^\dagger(x) | BCS \rangle. \quad (5-18)$$

To arrive at the HB approximation, we set

$$V(x,y,x'y') \langle i | a^\dagger(y) a(y') a(x) | BCS \rangle \cong V(x,y,x'y') [2 \langle BCS | a^\dagger(y) a(y') | BCS \rangle * \\ \langle i | a(x') | BCS \rangle + \langle i | a^\dagger(y) | BCS \rangle \langle BCS | a(y) a(x') | BCS \rangle]. \quad (5-19)$$

Substituting HB approximation (5-19) in the equation of motion (5-16) and (5-17), the TDHB equations can be written as

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \psi_i(x) = T(x,y) \psi_i(y) + \frac{1}{2} V(x,y,x'y') [2 f(y,y) \psi_i(x) + k(y,x') \psi_i(y)], \quad (5-20)$$

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \psi_i^*(x) = -T(x,y) \psi_i^*(y) - \frac{1}{2} V(x,y,x'y') [2 f(y,y) \psi_i^*(x) + k(y,x') \psi_i^*(y)]. \quad (5-21)$$

where $f(y,y)$ and $k(y,x')$ can be written as

$$\text{and } f(y,y) = \sum_i \psi_i^*(y) \psi_i(y), \quad (5-22)$$

$$k(y,x') = \sum_i \psi_i(x) \psi_i^*(y'). \quad (5-23)$$

For zero order solution to the equations of motion, we may write single particle wave function as

$$\text{and } \psi_i^{(0)}(x,t) = e^{iE_i t + i\vec{k}_i \cdot \vec{r}} v_i \quad (5-24)$$

$$\psi_i^{*(0)}(x,t) = e^{iE_i t + i\vec{k}_i \cdot \vec{r}} u_i. \quad (5-25)$$

Using equation (5-20), (5-21), (5-24) and (5-25) we obtain for zero order approximation to the equations of motion

$$-E_i v_i = \xi_i v_i - \Delta_i u_i, \quad (5-26)$$

$$E_i u_i = \xi_i u_i + \Delta_i v_i. \quad (5-27)$$

Where u_i , v_i , and ξ_i are the usual BCS values as defined in chapter three, and E_i is the single quasi-particle energy as defined by equation (5-28).

$$E_i = (\xi_i^2 + \Delta_i^2)^{1/2} \quad (5-28)$$

One may easily derive the gap equation from equations (5-26) and (5-27), the result is

$$2 \xi_i u_i v_i = \Delta_i (u_i^2 - v_i^2). \quad (5-29)$$

For the linearized equations of motion, let us consider the equations of motion and their conjugates

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \psi_i(x) = T(x, y) \psi_i(y) + \frac{1}{2} V(x, y, x', y') [2 f(y', y) \psi_i(x') + k(y', x') \phi_i^*(y)], \quad (5-30)$$

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \phi_i^*(x) = T(x, y)^* \phi_i^*(y) + \frac{1}{2} V(x, y, x', y')^* [2 f(y', y)^* \phi_i^*(x') + k(y', x')^* \psi_i(y)], \quad (5-31)$$

$$-i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \psi_i^*(x) = T(x, y) \psi_i^*(y) + \frac{1}{2} V(x, y, x', y')^* [2 f(y', y) \psi_i^*(x') + k(y', x') \phi_i^*(y)], \quad (5-32)$$

$$-i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \phi_i(x) = -T(x, y) \phi_i(y) - \frac{1}{2} V(x, y, x', y') [2 f(y', y) \phi_i(x') + k(y', x') \psi_i^*(y)]. \quad (5-33)$$

The linearized equations of motion follow directly from equations (5-30), (5-31), (5-32) and (5-33) upon neglect of the third and fourth order

terms:

$$\begin{aligned} i\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \delta\psi(x) &= T(x,y) \delta\psi(y) + \frac{1}{2} V(x,y,x'y') [2p(y'y) \delta\psi(x') + \kappa(y'x') \delta\psi(y) \\ &\quad + 2\psi(x') \delta p(y'y) + \psi(y) \delta \kappa(y'x')], \end{aligned} \quad (5-34)$$

$$\begin{aligned} i\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \delta\psi(x) &= -T(x,y) \delta\psi(y) - \frac{1}{2} V(x,y,x'y') [2p(y'y) \delta\psi(x') + \kappa(y'x') \delta\psi(y) \\ &\quad + 2\psi(x') \delta p(y'y) + \psi(y) \delta \kappa(y'x')], \end{aligned} \quad (5-35)$$

$$\begin{aligned} -i\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \delta\psi(x) &= T(x,y) \delta\psi(y) + \frac{1}{2} V(x,y,x'y') [2p(y'y) \delta\psi(x') + \kappa(y'x') \delta\psi(y) \\ &\quad + 2\psi(x') \delta p(y'y) + \psi(y) \delta \kappa(y'x')], \end{aligned} \quad (5-36)$$

$$\begin{aligned} -i\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \delta\psi(x) &= -T(x,y) \delta\psi(y) - \frac{1}{2} V(x,y,x'y') [2p(y'y) \delta\psi(x') + \kappa(y'x') \delta\psi(y) \\ &\quad + 2\psi(x') \delta p(y'y) + \psi(y) \delta \kappa(y'x')]. \end{aligned} \quad (5-37)$$

Let us define new variables $\delta\tilde{\psi}(x)$ and $\delta\tilde{\psi}(x)$ in terms of old variables $\delta\psi(x)$

and $\delta\psi(x)$:

$$\delta\psi(x) = e^{i(\tilde{E}_i t + \tilde{k}_i \cdot \tilde{r})} \delta\tilde{\psi}(r) \quad (5-38)$$

$$\delta\psi(x) = e^{i(\tilde{E}_i t + \tilde{k}_i \cdot \tilde{r})} \delta\tilde{\psi}(r) \quad (5-39)$$

We may use the effective mass approximation as it has been used in section 5.1 for the single particle energy. Utilizing equation (5-38), (5-39) and zero order approximation to the wave function, equations (5-24) and (5-25) in the equations of motion; the final results are:

$$-E_i \delta\tilde{\psi}(r) + i\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \delta\tilde{\psi}(r) = \tilde{\xi}_i \delta\tilde{\psi}(r) - i\tilde{k}_i \frac{\nabla}{m^*} \delta\tilde{\psi}(r) - \frac{\nabla^2}{2m^*} \delta\tilde{\psi}(r) + 2 \sum_j \int dr' V(r-r') \times$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 u_i v_j \delta \tilde{\psi}_j^{(1)}(\vec{r}') &= \sum_j \int dr' e^{i(\vec{k}_i - \vec{k}_j)(\vec{r}' - \vec{r})} v(r-r') v_i v_j \delta \tilde{\psi}_j^{(1)}(r) + \frac{1}{2} \int_j \int dr' e^{i(\vec{k}_i - \vec{k}_j)(\vec{r}' - \vec{r})} v(r-r') \lambda \\
 u_i v_j \delta \tilde{\psi}_j^{(1)}(\vec{r}) &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_j \int dr' e^{i(\vec{k}_i - \vec{k}_j)(r-r')} v(r-r') u_i u_j \delta \tilde{\psi}_j^{(1)}(r) + \sum_j \int dr' e^{i(\vec{k}_i - \vec{k}_j)(r-r')} v(r-r') u_j v_j \delta \tilde{\psi}_j^{(1)}(r) \\
 + 2 \sum_j \int dr' v(r-r') v_i v_j \delta \tilde{\psi}_j^{(1)}(r) &= \sum_j \int dr' e^{i(\vec{k}_i - \vec{k}_j)(\vec{r}' - \vec{r})} v_i v_j \delta \tilde{\psi}_j^{(1)}(r) + \sum_j \int dr' \frac{1}{2} e^{i(\vec{k}_i - \vec{k}_j)(r-r')} \\
 v(r-r') u_i v_j \delta \tilde{\psi}_j^{(1)}(r) &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_j \int dr' e^{i(\vec{k}_i - \vec{k}_j)(\vec{r}' - \vec{r})} v(r-r') u_i v_j \delta \tilde{\psi}_j^{(1)}(r). \tag{5-40}
 \end{aligned}$$

with three similar equations for $\delta \tilde{\psi}_i^x$, $\delta \tilde{\psi}_i^y$ and $\delta \tilde{\psi}_i^z$. Solution to the equations of motion can be derived by introducing

$$\delta \tilde{\psi}_i(r) = \delta \psi_{i q} e^{-i(\vec{q}\vec{r} - \omega_q t)} + \delta \psi_{i i}^x e^{i(\vec{q}\vec{r} - \omega_q t)} \tag{5-41}$$

and similar equation for $\delta \tilde{\psi}_i^x$. Then we may rewrite the equations of motion as

$$\begin{aligned}
 \left(E_i - \omega_q + \gamma_i + \frac{\vec{k}_i \cdot \vec{r}}{m} + \frac{q^2}{2m} \right) \delta \psi_{i q} + \sum_j \int dr' v(r-r') &\left\{ \left[\lambda e^{i\vec{q}(\vec{r}' - \vec{r})} v_i v_j - e^{i(\vec{k}_i - \vec{k}_j)(r-r')} v_i v_j \right. \right. \\
 + \frac{1}{2} e^{i(\vec{k}_i - \vec{k}_j)(r-r')} u_i u_j &- \left. \left. \frac{1}{2} e^{i(\vec{k}_i - \vec{k}_j + \vec{q})(\vec{r}' - \vec{r})} \right] \delta \psi_{j q} + e^{i(\vec{k}_i - \vec{k}_j + \vec{q})(\vec{r}' - \vec{r})} u_j v_j \delta \psi_{j q}^x \right. \\
 + \left[e^{i\vec{q}(\vec{r}' - \vec{r})} v_i v_j - e^{i(\vec{k}_i - \vec{k}_j + \vec{q})(\vec{r}' - \vec{r})} v_i v_j \right] \delta \psi_{j q}^x &+ \left[\frac{1}{2} e^{i(\vec{k}_i - \vec{k}_j + \vec{q})(\vec{r}' - \vec{r})} u_i v_j \right. \\
 - \left. e^{i(\vec{k}_i - \vec{k}_j)(\vec{r}' - \vec{r})} u_i v_j \right] \delta \psi_{j q} &= 0 \tag{5-42}
 \end{aligned}$$

with three similar equations for $\delta \psi_{i q}^x$, $\delta \psi_{i q}^y$ and $\delta \psi_{i q}^z$.

For solution to the equations of motion, we may expand the variables in the Legendre polynomial, such as

$$\delta \psi_{i q} = \delta \psi_{i q}^{(0)} + P_1(\cos \theta_{i q}) \delta \psi_{i q}^{(1)} + \dots \tag{5-43}$$

where θ_{iq} is the angle between \vec{k}_i and \vec{q} . Substituting the expanded variables in the equation of motion, and keeping only the first term in those expansions, and taking average over angle θ_{iq} ; the final result can be written as

$$\text{where } \begin{pmatrix} A_{ij} & B_{ij} & C_{ij} & D_{ij} \\ -B_{ij} & -A_{ij} & -D_{ij} & -C_{ij} \\ E_{ij} & F_{ij} & G_{ij} & H_{ij} \\ -F_{ij} & -E_{ij} & -H_{ij} & -G_{ij} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \delta\psi_{j1} \\ \delta\psi_{j1}^* \\ \delta\phi_{j1} \\ \delta\phi_{j1}^* \end{pmatrix} = \omega_q \begin{pmatrix} \delta\psi_{i1} \\ \delta\psi_{i1}^* \\ \delta\phi_{i1} \\ \delta\phi_{i1}^* \end{pmatrix} \quad (5-44)$$

$$A_{ij} = (E_i + \xi_i + q^2/2m^2) \delta_{ij} + 2 [V(q) - V(k_i - k_j)] v_i v_j + \frac{1}{2} (2V(k_i - k_j) - V(k_i - k_j, q)) u_i u_j, \quad (5-45)$$

$$B_{ij} = [2V(q) - V(k_i - k_j, q)] v_i v_j, \quad (5-46)$$

$$C_{ij} = \frac{1}{2} [V(k_i - k_j, q) - V(k_i - k_j)] u_i u_j, \quad (5-47)$$

$$E_{ij} = (2V(q) - V(k_i - k_j)) u_i u_j + \frac{1}{2} [V(k_i - k_j, q) - V(k_i - k_j)] u_i u_j, \quad (5-48)$$

$$D_{ij} = \left[\sum_e V(k_i - k_e, q) u_e k_e \right] \delta_{ij}, \quad (5-49)$$

$$F_{ij} = (2V(q) - V(k_i - k_j, q)) u_i v_j - \left(\sum_e V(k_i - k_e, q) u_e k_e \right) \delta_{ij}, \quad (5-50)$$

$$G_{ij} = (-E_i + \xi_i + q^2/2m^2) \delta_{ij} + \frac{1}{2} (V(k_i - k_j) - V(k_i - k_j, q)) v_i v_j, \quad (5-51)$$

$$K_{ij} = 0, \quad (5-52)$$

and

$$V(q) = \int dr e^{i\vec{q}\cdot\vec{r}} v(\vec{r}) \quad (5-53)$$

$$V(k_i, k_j, q) = \int d\Omega_{\vec{k}_i} \int dr e^{i(\vec{k}_i - \vec{k}_j + \vec{q})\cdot\vec{r}} v(r) \quad (5-54)$$

As one may expect, the equation (5-44) reduces to the ordinary RPA when one sets $\delta \rho_{j0} = 0$. As in the RPA the solution to the equation (5-44) has the property that if $(\omega, \delta\psi, \delta\psi^*, \delta\varphi, \delta\varphi^*)$ is a solution, $(-\omega^*, \delta\psi^*, \delta\psi, \delta\varphi^*, \delta\varphi)$ is also a solution.

For the derivation of the excited state energy for the neutron matter, we use the potential (5-1) introduced in section 5.1. The three dimension sum over j is simplified by the usual interchange to the integral form:

$$\sum_j \Rightarrow \int \frac{d^3k}{(2\pi)^3}$$

then integral over radial dimension $\int dk_r$ is interchanged by sum over k_r . The final result is similar to equation (5-44) with sum over radial dimension in the momentum space (k_r). In numerical calculations the region and the mesh size are $[0.0, 3]$ and 0.15 respectively. The corresponding matrices of 80×80 dimension are diagonalized, using the EIPAC subroutines (Eigen system subroutine package). Figures [12-17] show the dispersion relation of the system for a given density and effective mass. For modes with large energy gap the excitation energy

is a function of square of wave number as shown in figure [12]. Figures [13-15] show some modes in which interaction traces are apparent in the long wave length region. The upper and lower modes of a band of dispersion are shown in figure [16]. The modes in this band are also hyperbolas in terms of wave number. Finally the unstable mode of dispersion relation is shown in figure [17]. These figures show similar dependence on wave number between QPRPA and RPA in short wave length region, as one may expect physically. The numerical calculation supports the hyperbola shape for some of these modes in the long wave length region.

Now, consider the comparison between fluid model and the corresponding QPRPA results. Figure [18] shows the dependence of phonon energy in fluid model for a given effective mass and propagation wave number, and dashed lines are the corresponding QPRPA values. This figure shows the QPRPA excitation energy is an increasing function on density, and the corresponding fluid model is smaller in the region $[0.5, 0.7 \bar{f}^{-1}]$, higher in the region $[0.7, 0.9 \bar{f}^{-1}]$ and difference in the excitation energies is sharply widening for high densities. The dependence in the phonon energy on effective mass is shown in figure [19] for a given density and propagation wave number, and dashed lines are the corresponding QPRPA values. As we see from this figure, the QPRPA excitation energy is a slow decreasing function on effective mass, and the corresponding fluid model also is a decreasing function on it with a much higher slope.

Finally figure [20] compares the dispersion relation between the fluid model and the QPRPA for a given density and effective mass.

Actually, the fact that for a contact interaction in the long wave length region the RPA coincides with its corresponding hydrodynamic model provided the impetus for a similar comparison between QPRPA and the fluid model in the TDHB theory. But as figures [18-20] show there are some disagreements for the solution of the linearized TDHB equations and the corresponding hydrodynamic approach. Figure [20] shows that the hydrodynamic dispersion relation is a linear function of wave number while the QPRPA dispersion relation is a hyperbola in terms of wave number. Similarly, there is disagreement for the phonon energy in terms of density between the two approaches. These disagreements between QPRPA and the corresponding hydrodynamic results enhance the uncertainty in applicability of hydrodynamic approximations for a nuclear system.

Chapter VI

Conclusion.

This work has explored the hydrodynamic approximation to the Hartree-Bogolyubov theory. From a variational point of view TDHB equations were derived, and various limits and properties of these equations have been discussed. The TDHB equations were utilized for a hydrodynamic description of a nuclear system. For this purpose, the Koonin approach to the hydrodynamic interpretation has been employed in which the Wigner representation of the TDHB equations is used. Similar to the Koonin result, we also had a semiclassical interpretation for one of the TDHB equations as the equation of motion for the phase distribution function. It was shown that the distribution function satisfies a quantal version of a modified Valasov equation, which approaches the classical result in the limit $\hbar \rightarrow 0$ and where the number of particles is fixed. Although, the fourier transform of the expectation value of two particles (holes) field did not have a semiclassical interpretation, we did find the deviation distribution function with interesting semiclassical interpretation. It was shown that the deviation function satisfies Valasov's equation similar to the phase distribution function, and classically it is the square of fluctuation density. It was possible to utilize the Wigner representation of the equations of motion for a derivation of the semiclassical hydrodynamics by taking various moments of the distribution functions, but we did not expect any physical gain to follow in this path.

Actually, derivation of TDHB equations from a variational point of view enabled us to have a Lagrangian which not only describes the system in its microscopic level, it can also be utilized for description of collective motion of the system. For this purpose, we assumed all variables in the system are changing through a few variables, and hoped these variables are good approximation to the collective coordinates in the system. For a specific example in this line of reasoning, we considered the two fluid model as our goal. With various form of parametrization for the trial wave function, equation of motion for the two fluid model were derived. In the first method, we employed a diagonalized form of TDHB density matrix, then included dynamics of the system through time dependence of the single particle wave function. The phases of single particle wave functions are divided by two coherent groups, and the chemical potential was used for the division of each category. We had a two fluid model Lagrangian, and from Hamilton's procedure the equations of motion were derived with appropriate definition of velocities for rotational and normal fluids, we derived a set of equations which had some resemblance to the equations of motion in Landau's theory of the two fluid model. Small oscillations of the densities near their equilibria for this model were considered. The dispersion relation were derived and its various limits have been discussed. Similar approximation as one had in the Landau theory was employed for factorization of the dispersion relation. One branch of the dispersion relation corresponds to the normal sound, and the second one was similar to the electron plasma oscillation disper-

sion relation. In the second approach, we utilized a general HB trial wave function for the derivation of Lagrangian density. Of the two velocity potentials, one was derived from the expectation values of density and two particle field operators and the other one was introduced through a general phase factor in the trial wave function; the corresponding conjugate variables to these phase velocities were the deviation density and density, respectively. Due to the fact that kinetic energy is a one body operator, the result of the kinetic part of the classical Lagrangian was independent of the deviation density. This independence is the reason for the simplicity of the second approach, and subsequently it was responsible for poor resemblance of the model with the Landau theory. In the third approach our attention was focussed on coherent excitation of the two particles and two holes in the trial wave function. One of the phase velocities and its corresponding density were only adiabatically canonical conjugates. The equations of motion describing this model were a set of integro-differential equations which did not have any similarity with Landau's equations. In both the second and third model density oscillation was considered to derive the dispersion relations. The dispersion relation for the second approach was simple; one of its branches had zero roots and the second branch had a simple normal fluid dispersion relation. For the third approach the dispersion relation was more complicated. And for small wave numbers, both branches of the dispersion relation had a finite effective mass.

In derivation of the restricted Lagrangian, the assumption that the trial wave function changing through only a few variables at best is questionable, the difficulty will not end at this point. One must find the energy density as functional of densities and an honest calculation of this energy density will be as cumbersome as solving the whole microscopic equations of motion. However an intelligent guess for the energy density as functional of densities may help to understand the dynamics of the system. For this purpose, an Irrotational fluid model was developed from a TDBCS trial wave function. For a contact interaction with the TDHF equations as microscopic solution to a many body system it can easily be seen that the microscopic energy for the phonon in the small wave number region coincides with the corresponding hydrodynamic approximation, where static solution of HF theory is approximated for the energy density as a functional of density. This fact was an impetus for studying similar comparison for TDHB theory results and their hydrodynamic counterpart. For this purpose, a study of sound in neutron matter was considered, and a model has been developed. It was assumed that neutrons are interacting via soft-core potentials. The velocity of sound was calculated, and the numerical results for the velocity of sound were reasonable considering the result of other studies of nuclear matter. Finally in the last section, the time dependent BCS equations of motion were derived, utilizing the Generalized Hartree-Fock method of Kerman-Klein. These equations of motion were linearized in the anticipation of

QPRPA solutions. Due to the nonseparability of the linearized equations of motion, a reduction in number of excursions amplitudes could not be achieved. For example, it was not possible to find a schematic potential in which deviation of density could be the only arbitrary parameter. Therefore, the linearized Hartree-Bogolyubov equations were solved microscopically, and the closest mode in QPRPA to the hydrodynamic approximation has been chosen for comparison with the fluid model dispersion relation. The numerical calculation for the neutron matter was carried out, and the phonon energies were compared with the corresponding hydrodynamical approach. The agreement between the two approaches was rather a poor one, for example the hydrodynamic dispersion relation was linear in terms of wave number, but in QPRPA it was a hyperbola. Also there was disagreement for the phonon energy in terms of density in the two approaches. These disagreements between QPRPA and the corresponding hydrodynamics results enhanced the uncertainty in the applicability of hydrodynamic approximations for the nuclear systems. In other words, the nuclear system can not be told to choose only a few parameters for its time evolution, and a microscopic solution, often a complicated one, gives a better understanding for this system.

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FIGURE CAPTIONS

Figure 1

Canonical form of a two fermion wave function according to reference 24

Figure 2

A particular set of closed chains arising on the right-hand side of equation (2-16), according to reference 24

Figure 3

An open chain, which arises together with a set of closed chain in each term of the right-hand side of equation (2-17), according to reference 24

Figure 4

Two odd open chains together with a set of closed chains, form one of three possibilities for a term in the expansion of a two body matrix element according to reference 24.

Figures 5-6

These figures show the dependence of gap energy on wave number for the neutron matter model.

Figure 7-8

These figures show the dependence of the gap energy at the fermi momentum on the density of neutron matter for various effective masses.

Figures 9-10

These figures show the dependence of velocity of sound in neutron matter on the density for various effective masses

Figure 11

This figure shows the dependence of the velocity on the effective mass for various densities.

Figures 12-17

These figures show various modes of dispersion relation of the system for a given density and effective mass.

Figure 18

This figure shows the dependence of phonon energy in fluid model for a given effective mass and propagation wave number, and dashed lines are the corresponding QPRPA values.

Figure 19

The dependence in the phonon energy on effective mass is shown in this figure for a given density and propagation wave number, and dashed lines are the corresponding QPRPA values.

Figure 20

This figure compares the dispersion relation between fluid model and the QPRPA for a given density and effective mass.

Table (1)

V_{α} in Mev	a_{α} in fm
$V_1 = -7.2$	$a_1 = 1.876$
$V_2 = -279$	$a_2 = 0.9427$
$V_3 = 1000$	$a_3 = 0.533$

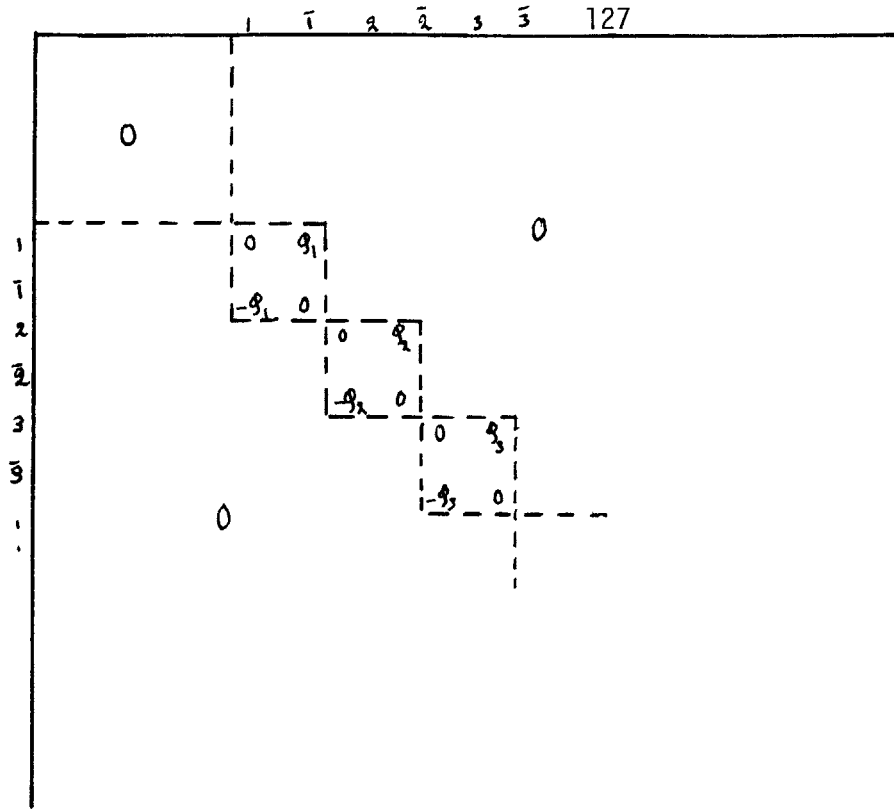


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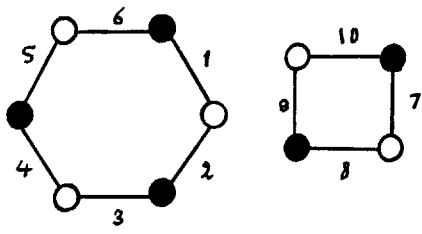


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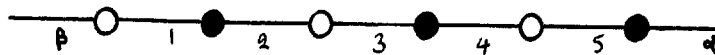


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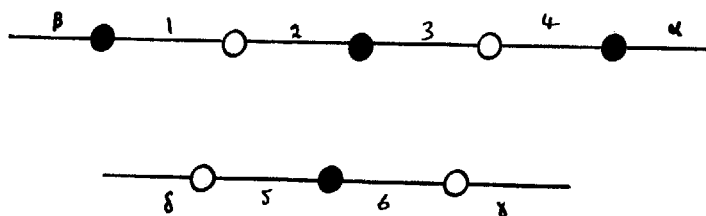


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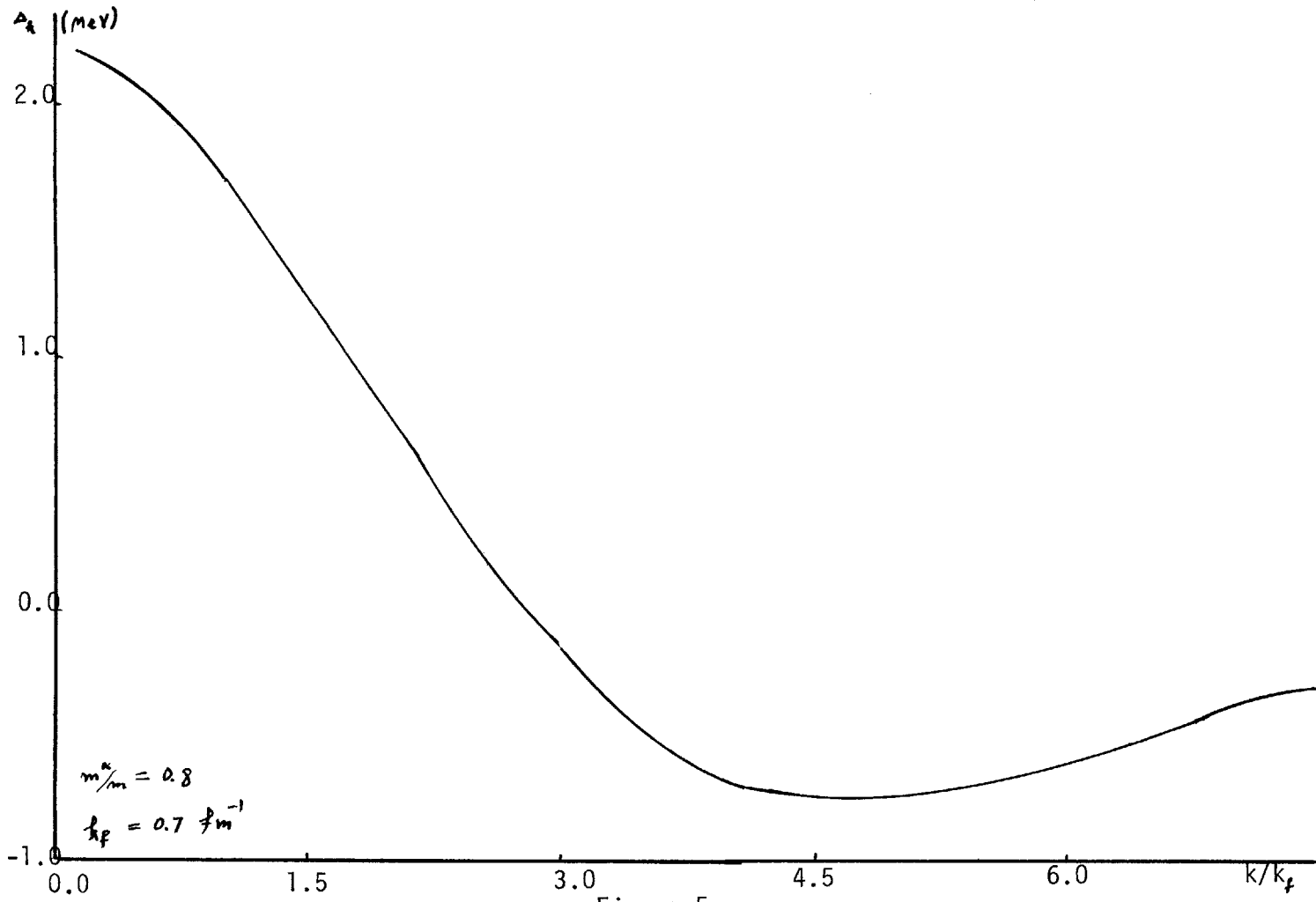


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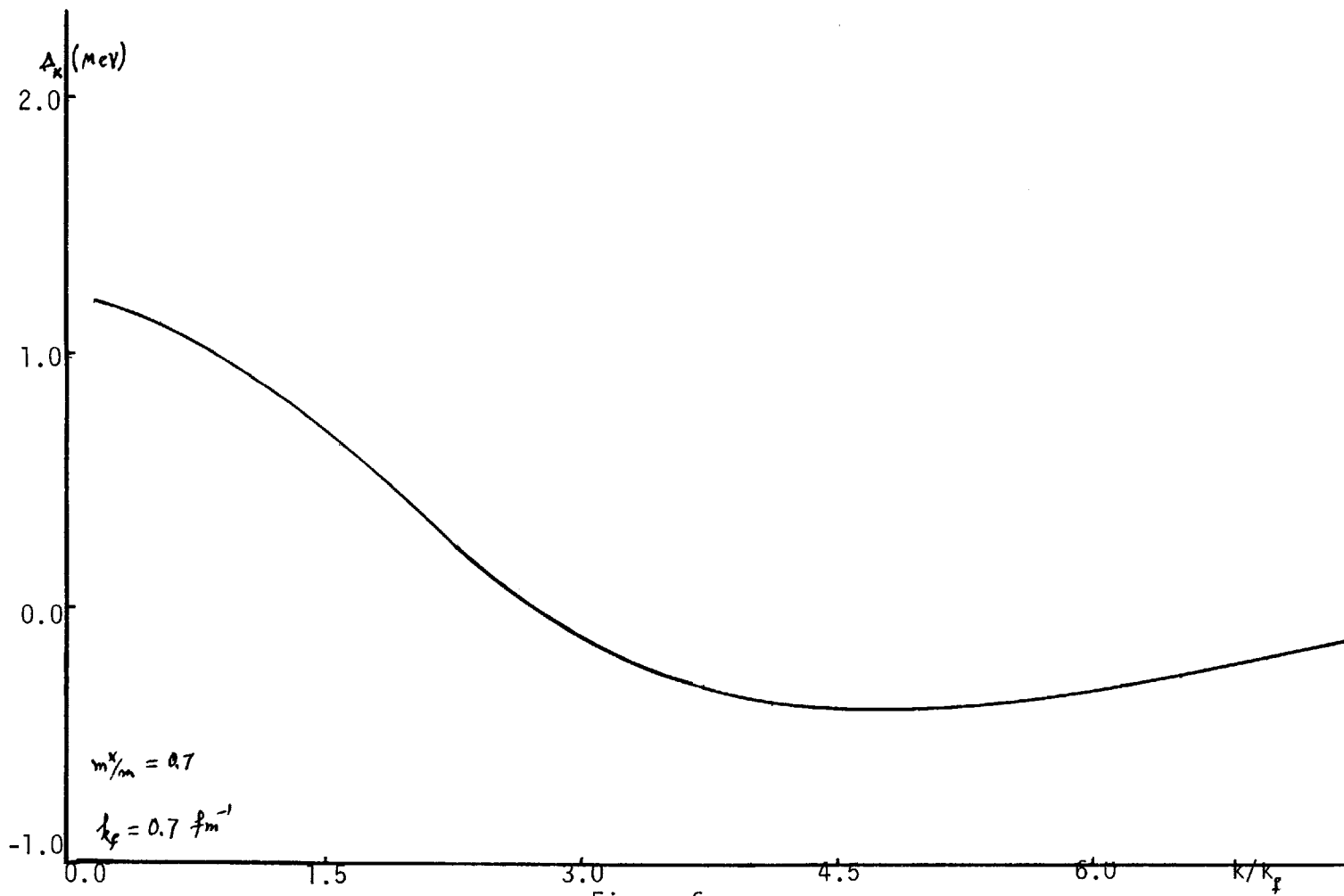


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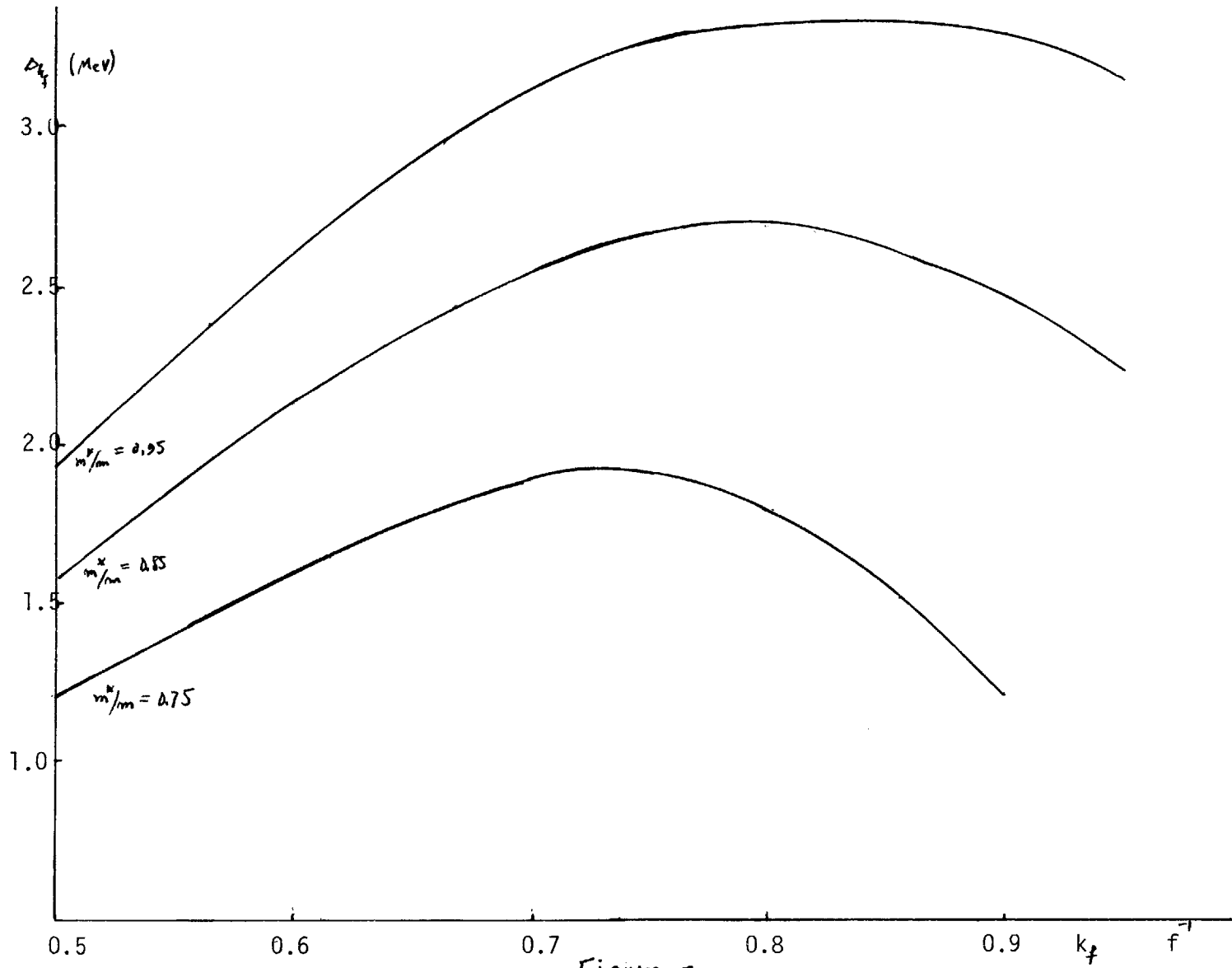


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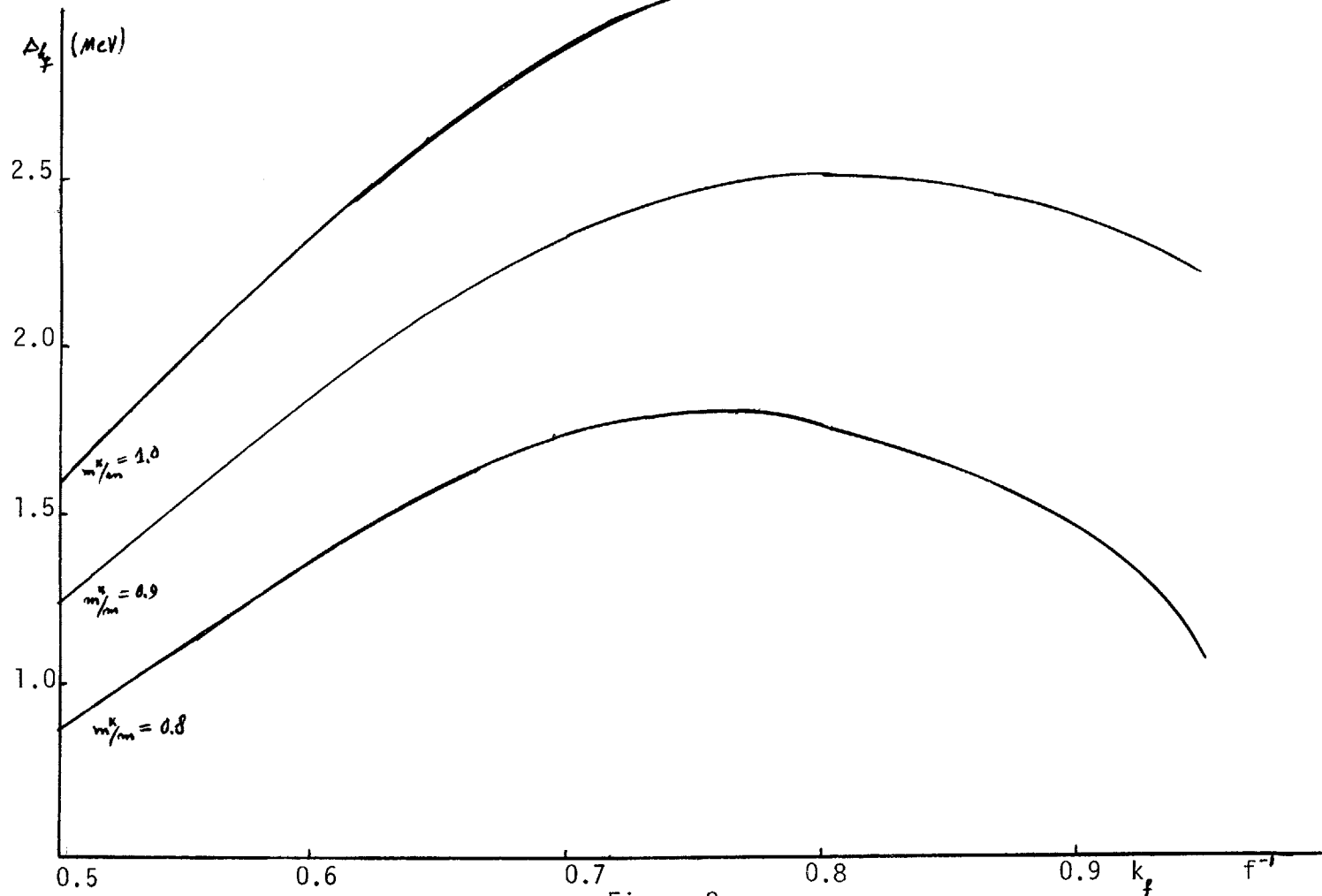


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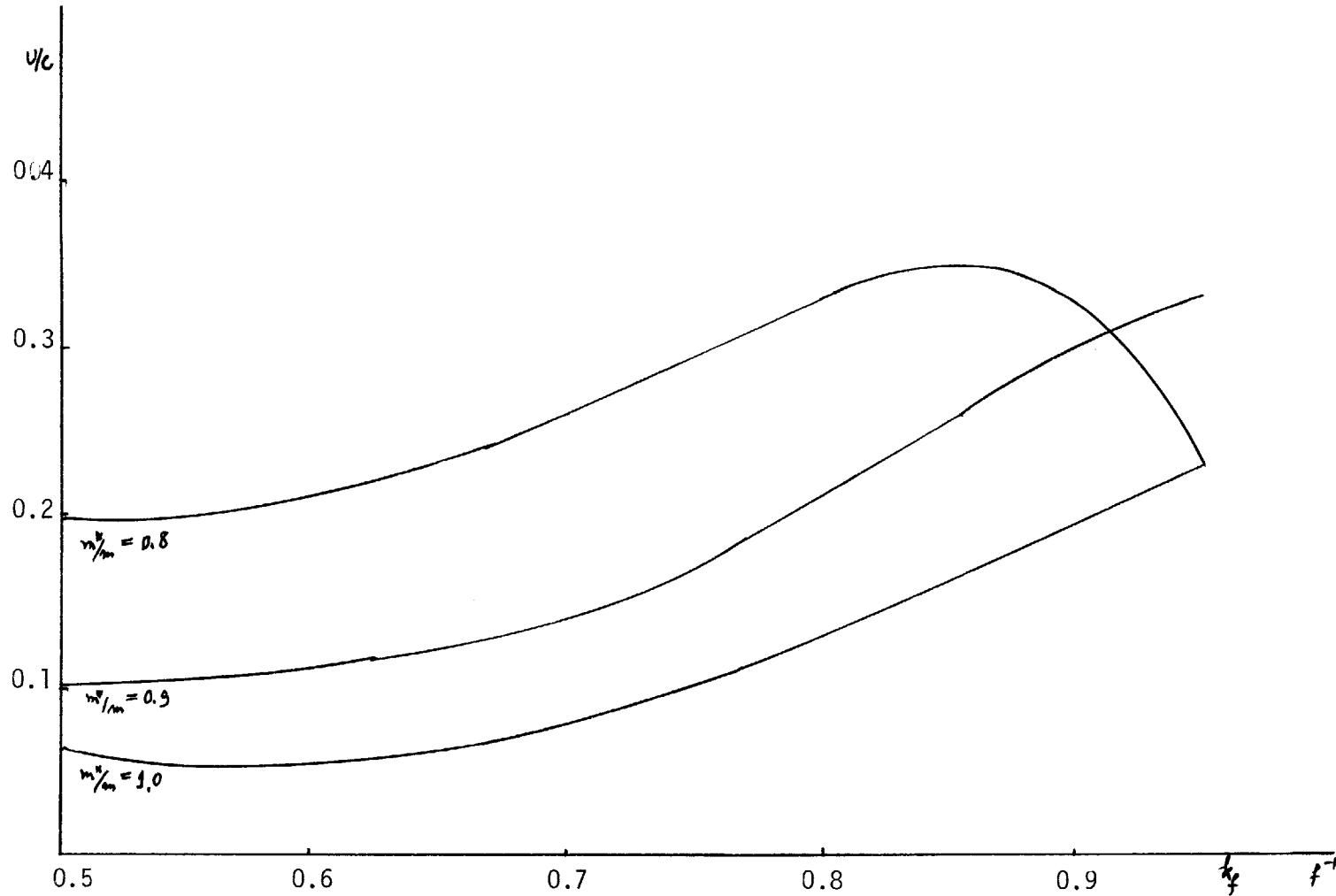


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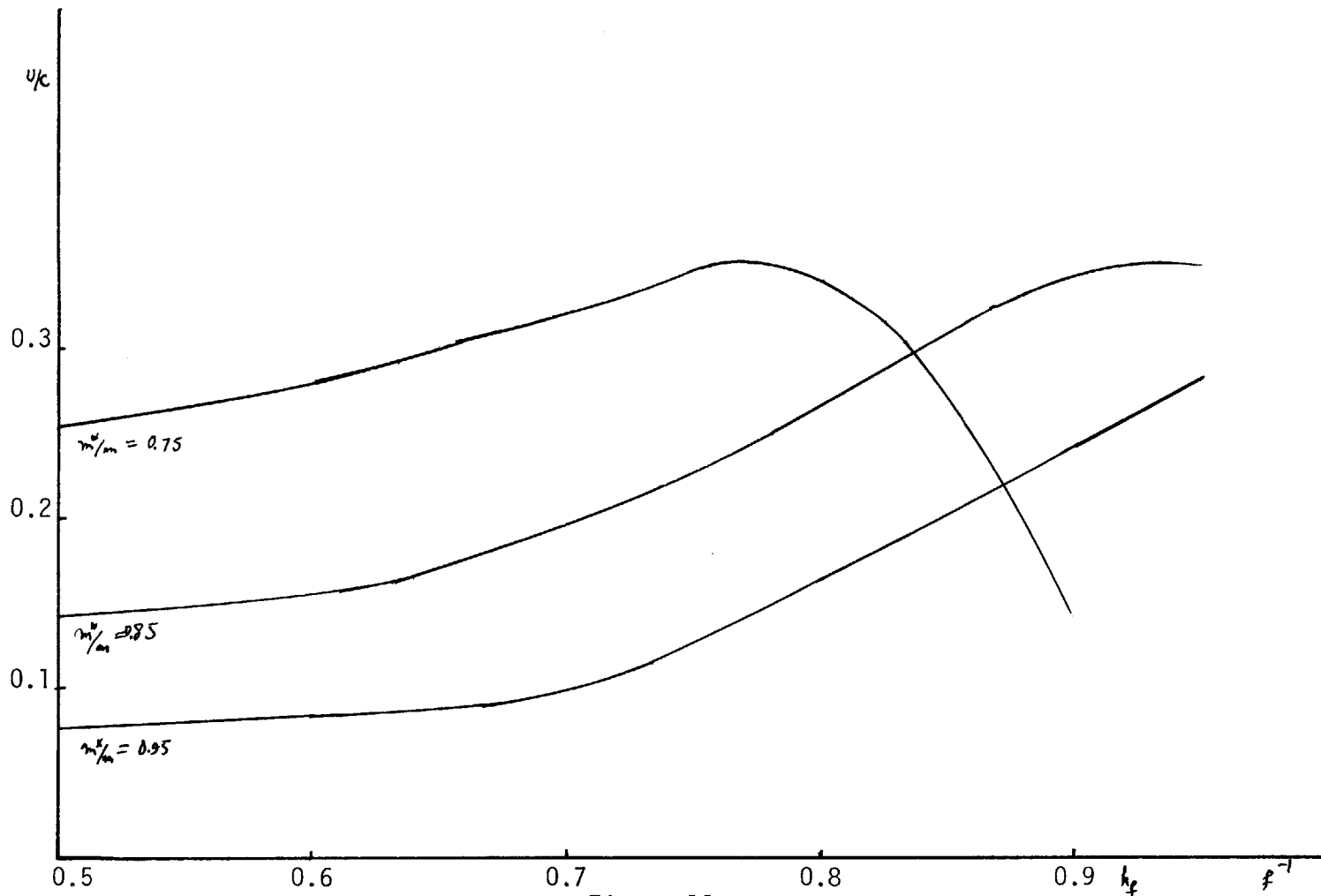


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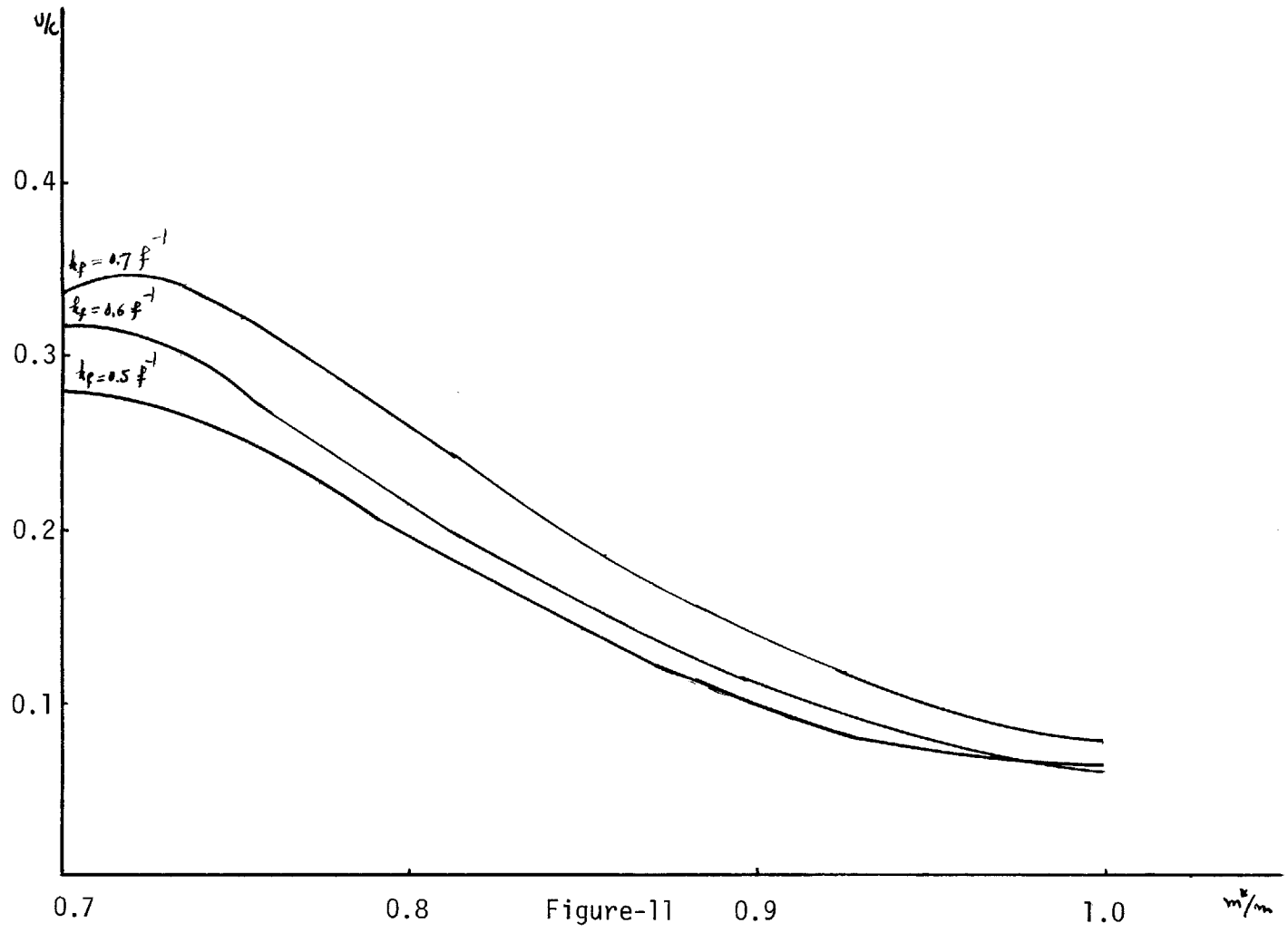


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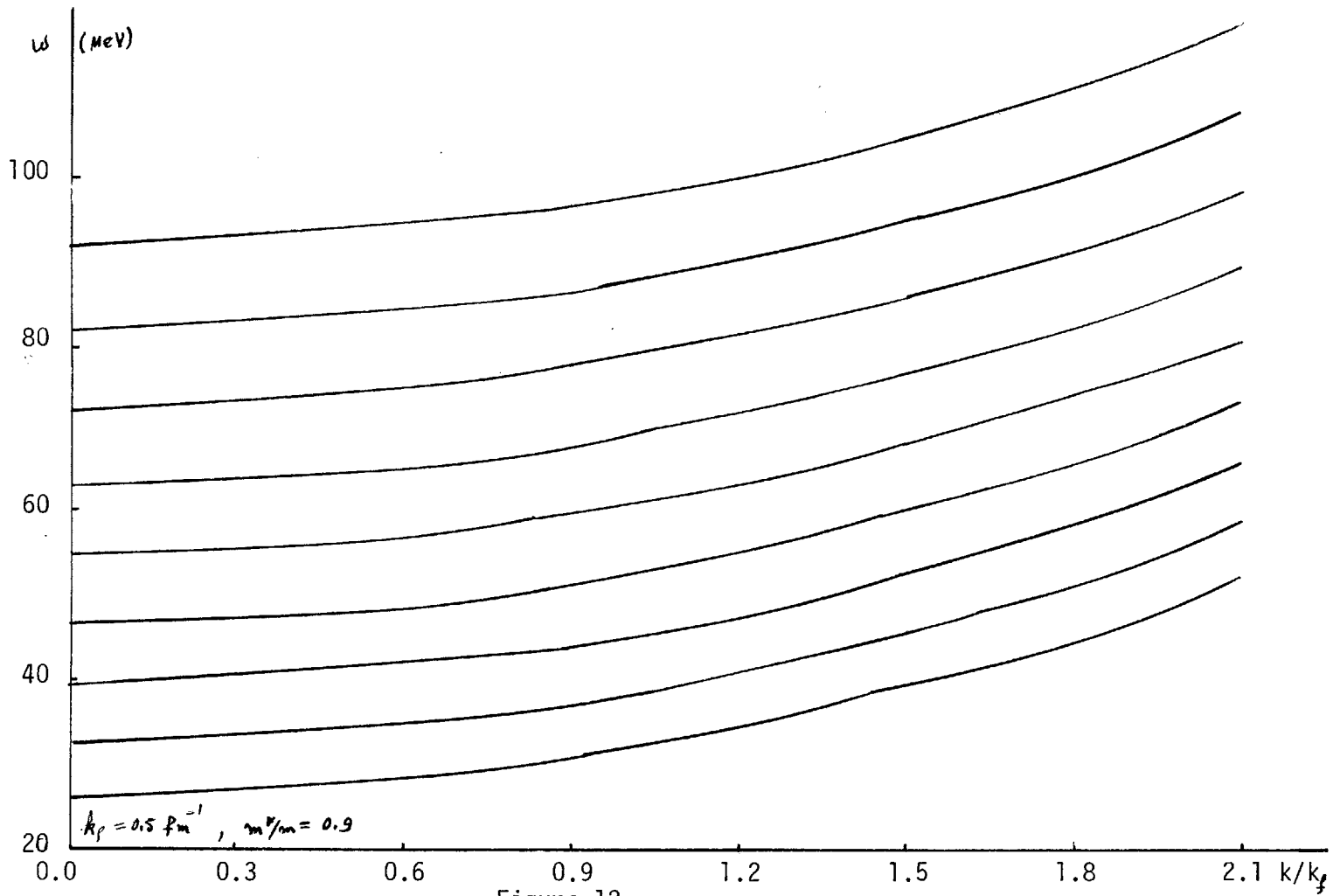


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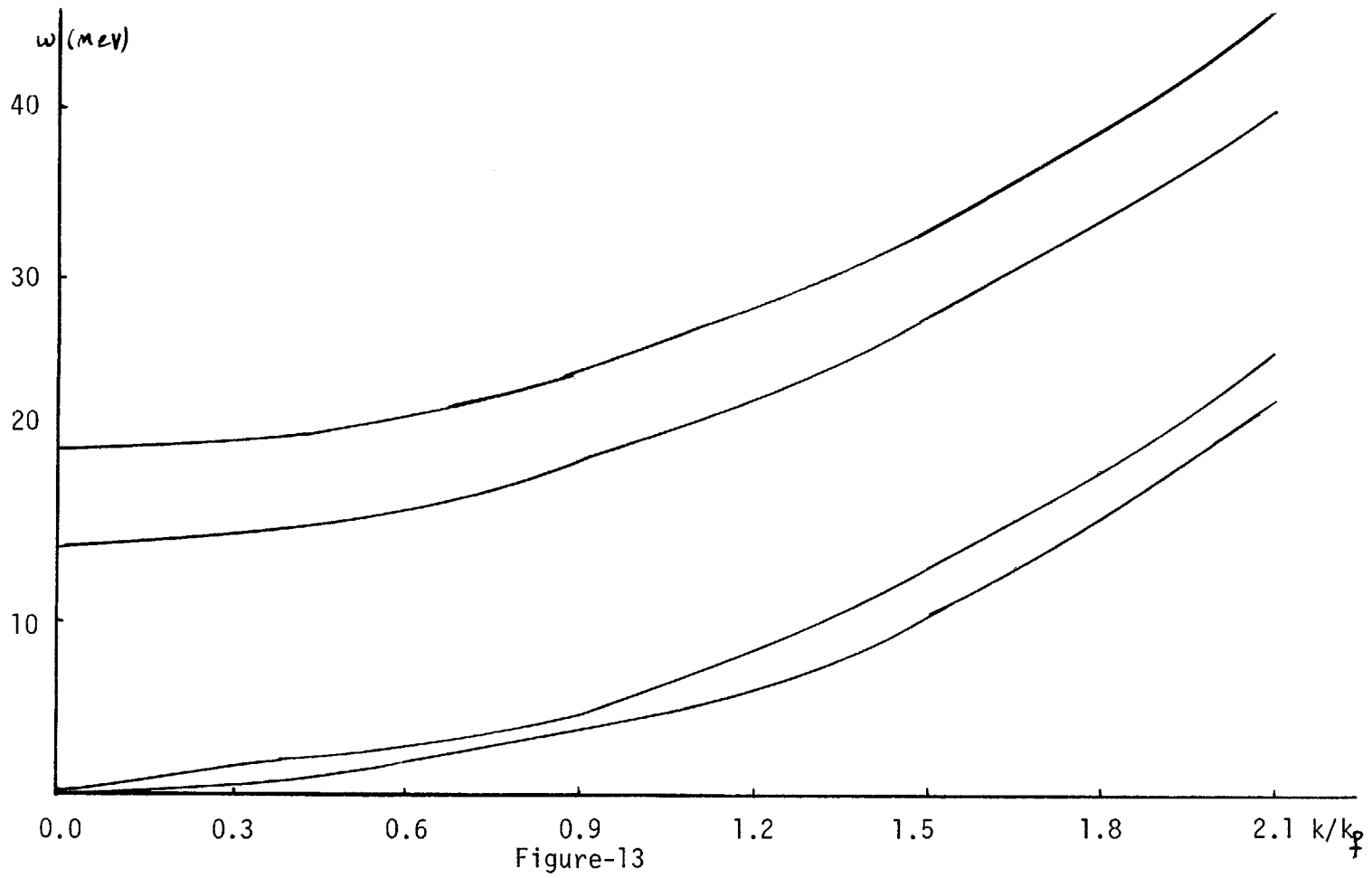
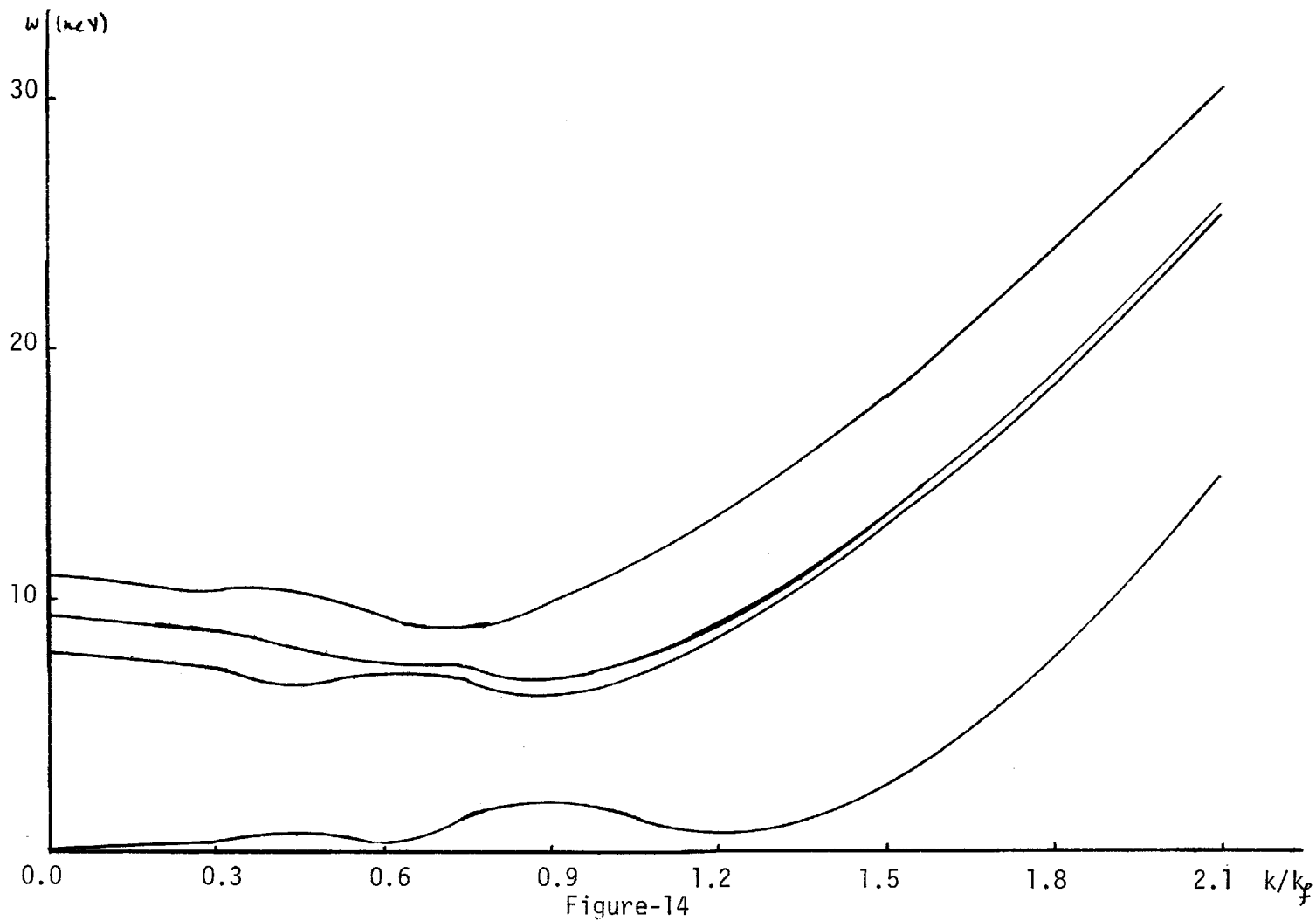


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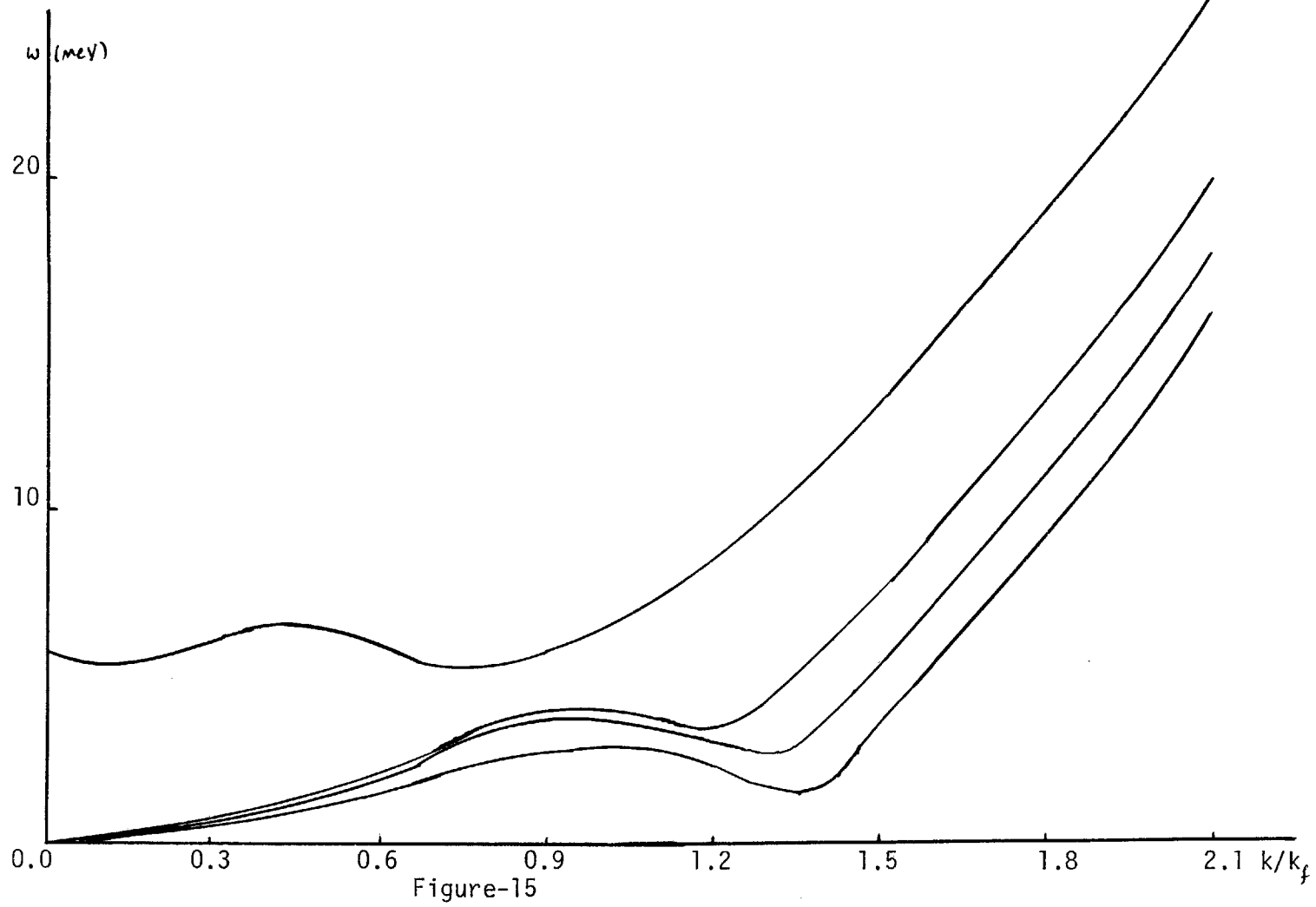


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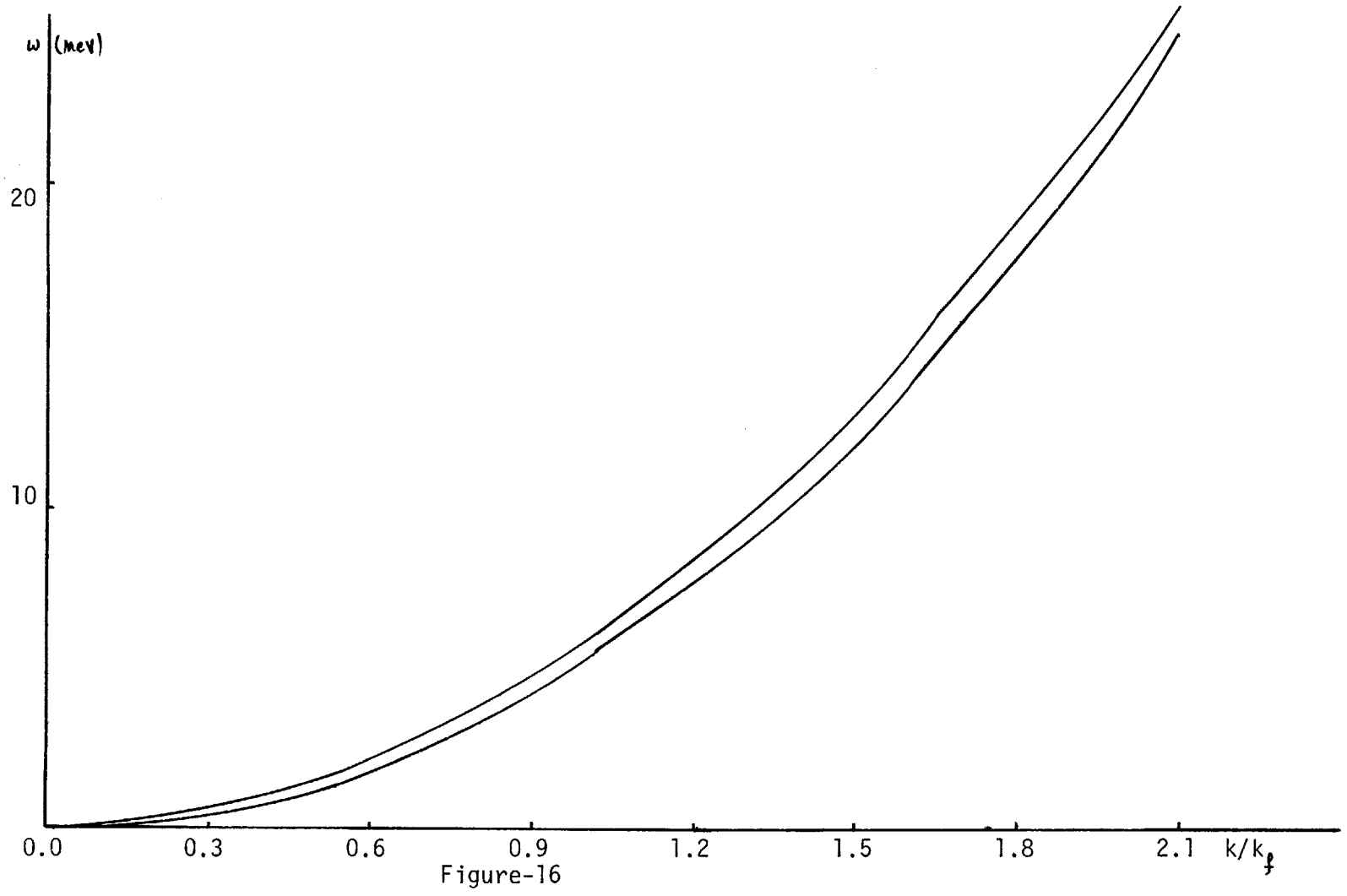


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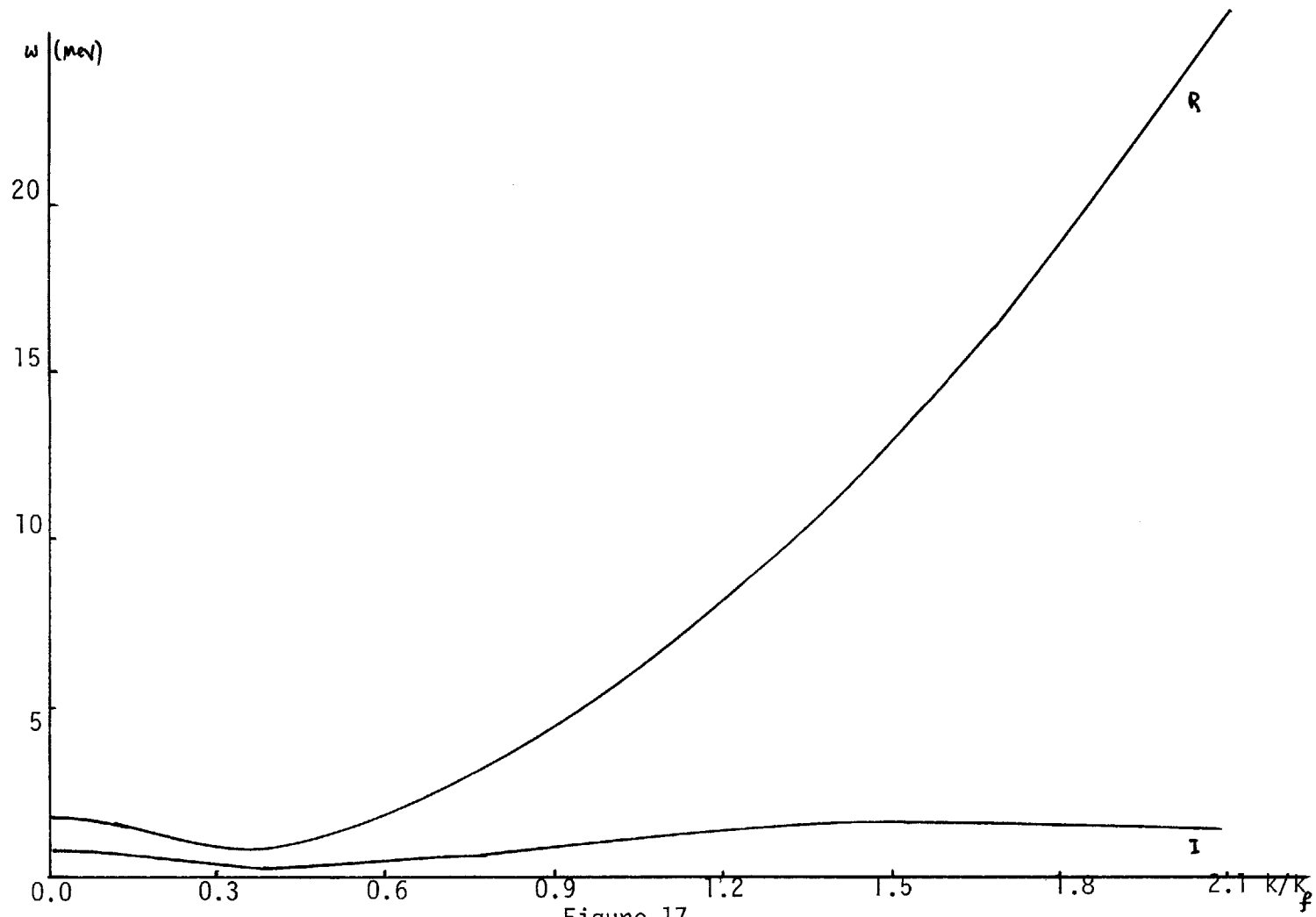


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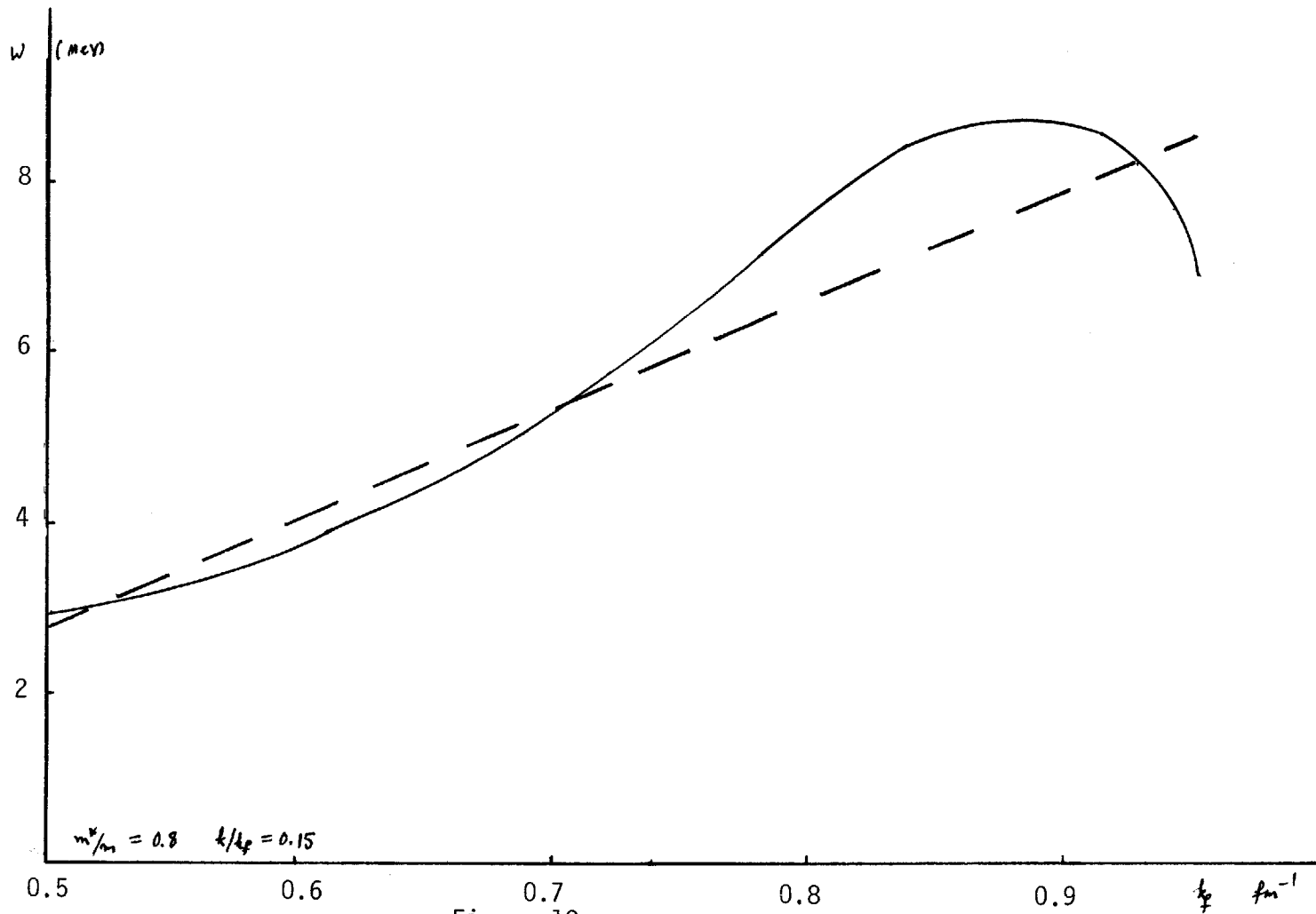


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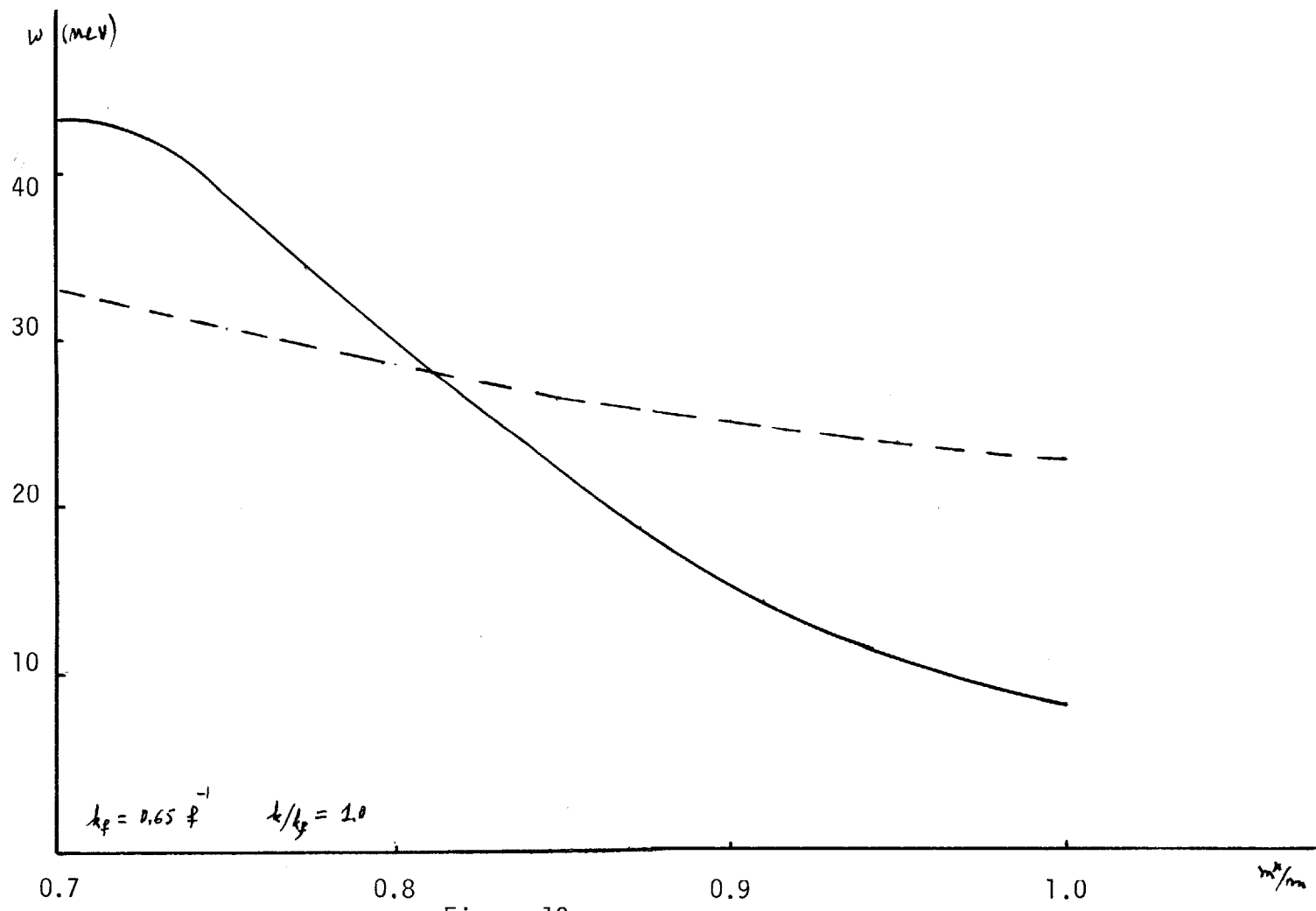


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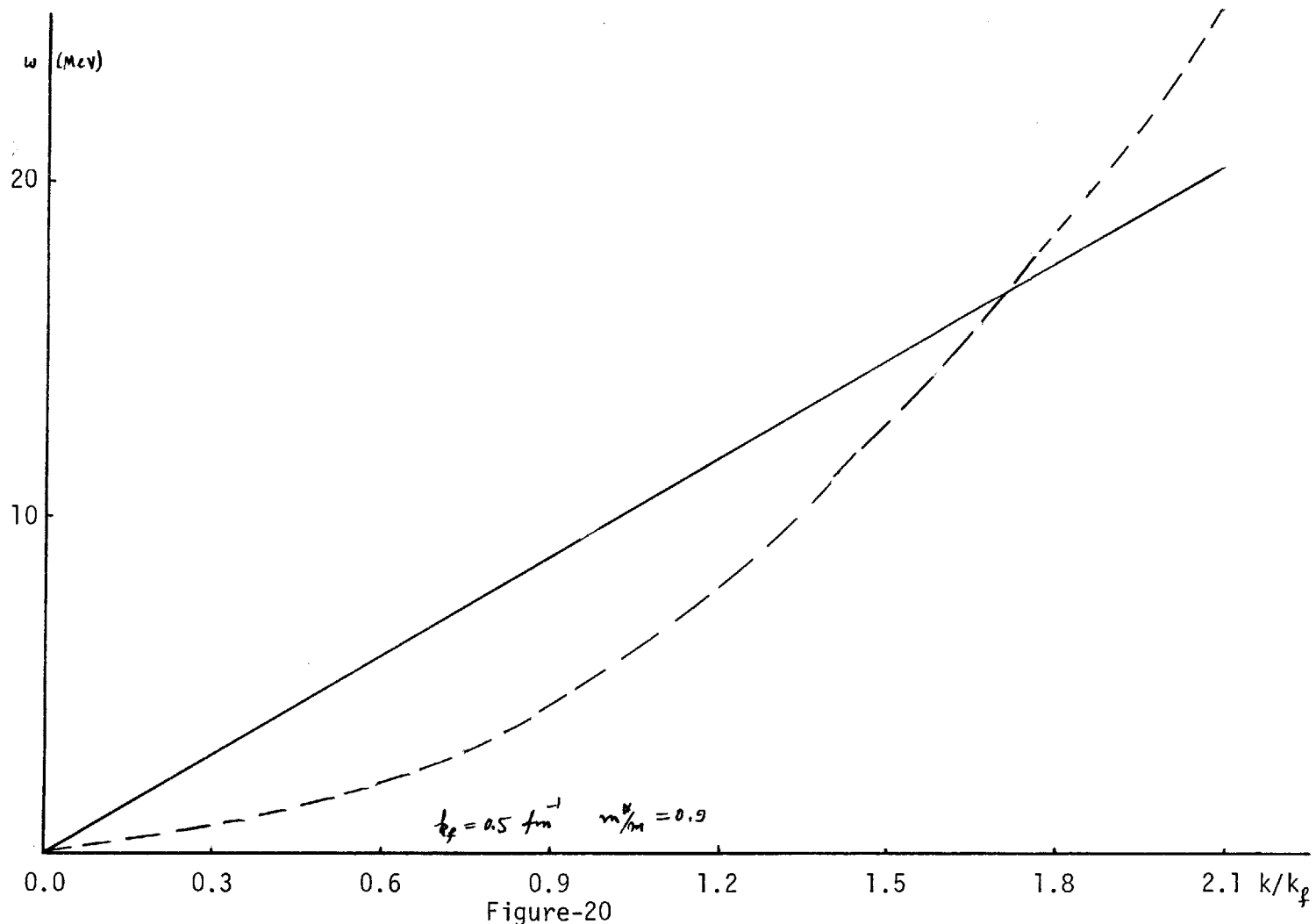


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