



# Quantum Ulm Sparrow

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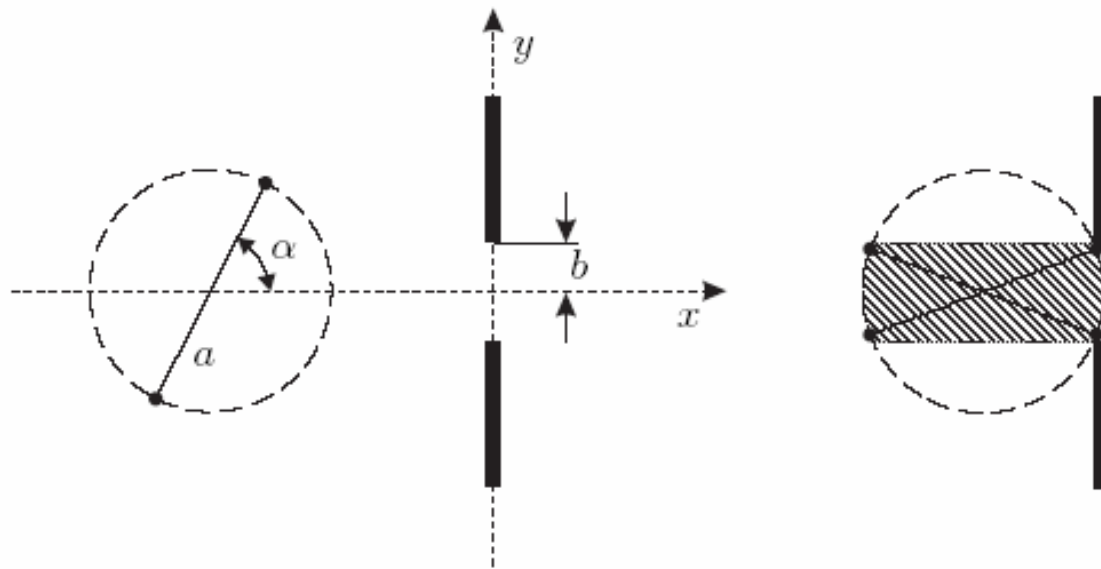
# Classical Ulm Sparrow

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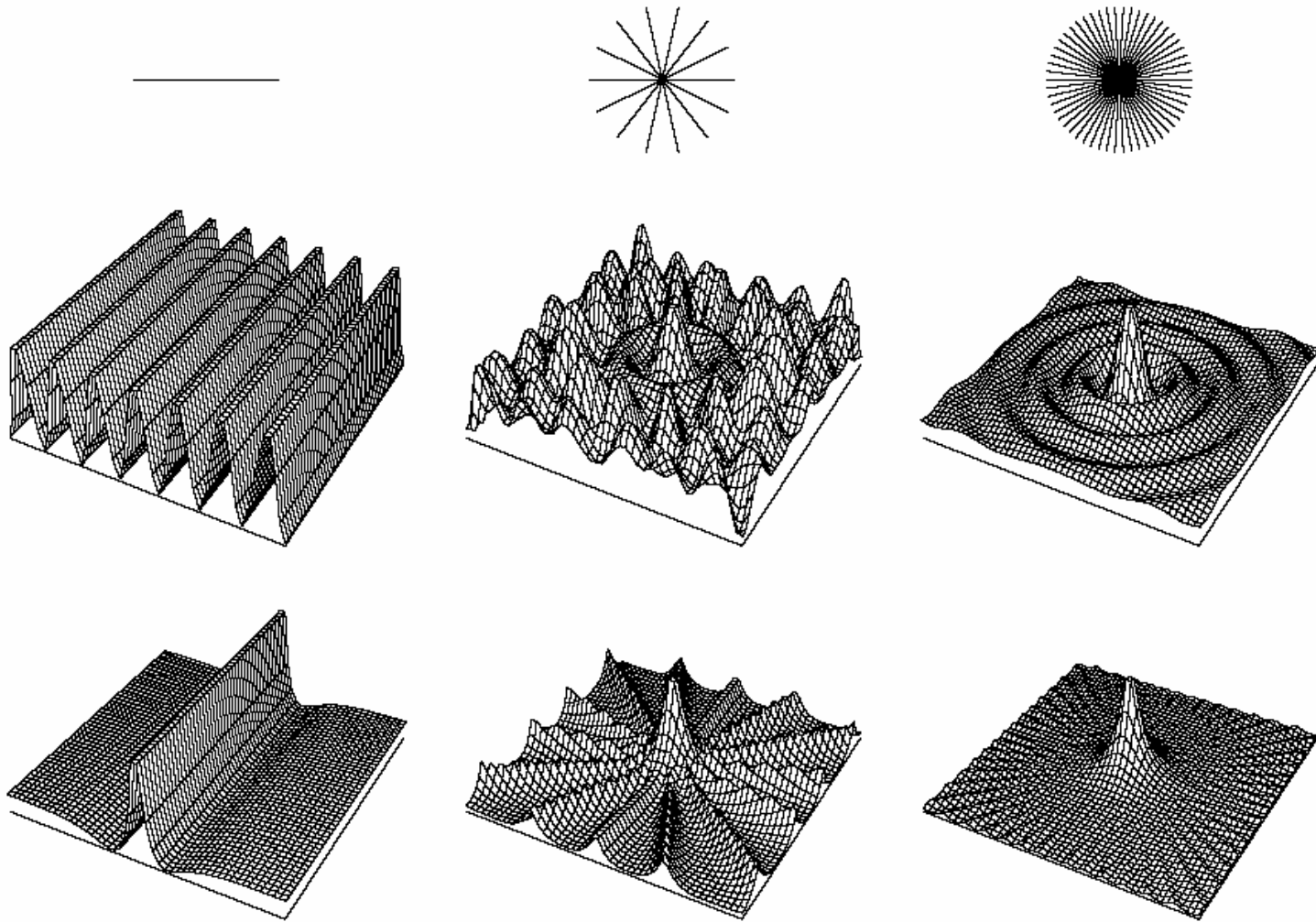
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# s-waves: free particle and hydrogen

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# Overview

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- Formulation of problem
- Scattering of particles with structure
- Potentials from boundary conditions
- Quantum Ulm Sparrow
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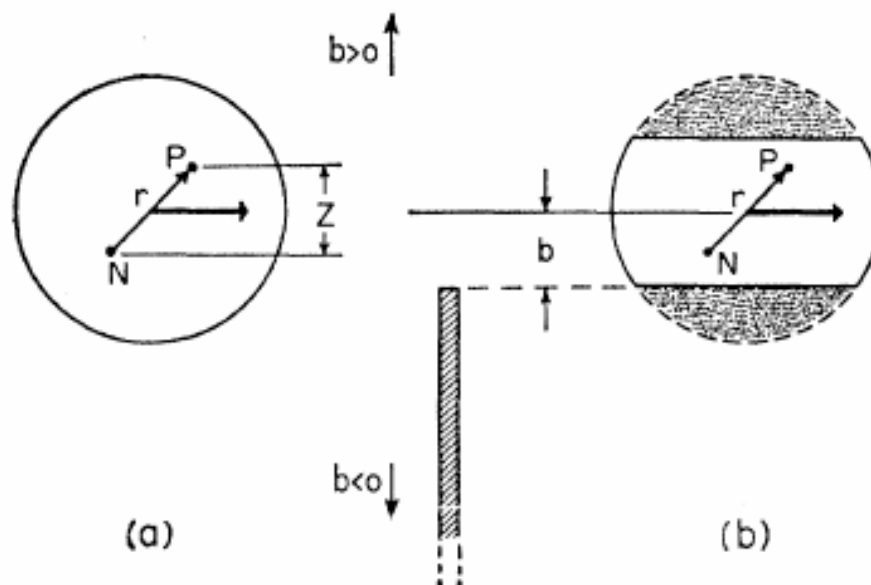
## Deuteron Stripping Processes at High Energies

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The processes which lead to the formation of stripped particle beams in encounters of high-energy deuterons with heavy nuclei are discussed. It is shown that a significant role is played by a previously unnoticed dissociation process arising from diffractive effects in which, from a classical standpoint, the particles suffer no collisions.

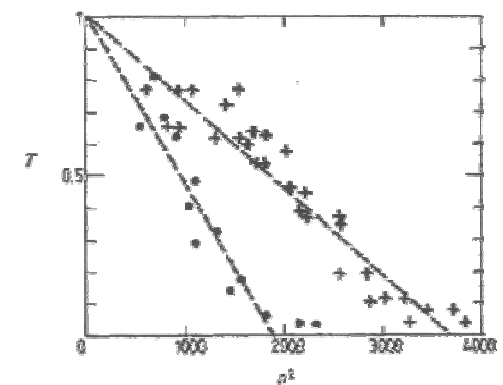
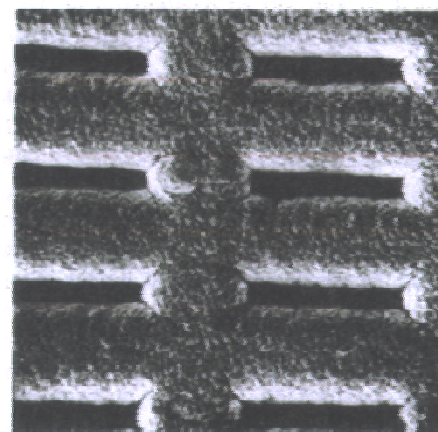
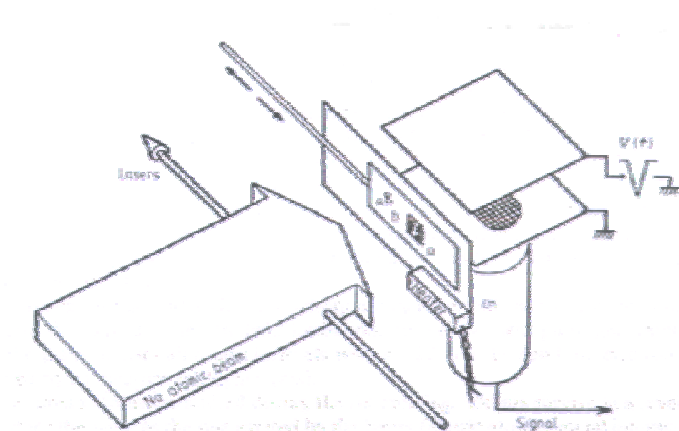


**LETTER TO THE EDITOR**

**Measuring atomic dimensions by transmission of Rydberg atoms through micrometre size slits**

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## Wave Nature of Biomolecules and Fluorofullerenes

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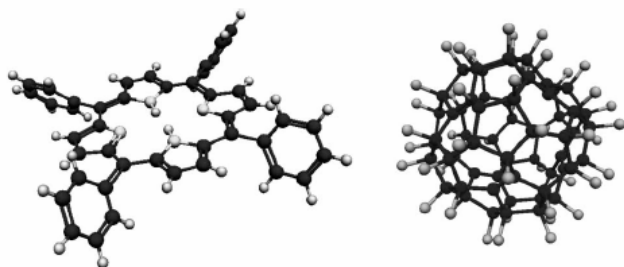


FIG. 1. 3D structure of tetraphenylporphyrin (TPP)  $C_{44}H_{30}N_4$  (left) and the fluorofullerene  $C_{60}F_{48}$  (right) [10]. TPP ( $m = 614$  amu) is composed of four tilted phenyl rings attached to a planar porphyrin structure. The fluorofullerene ( $m = 1632$  amu) is a deformed  $C_{60}$  cage surrounded by a shell of 48 fluorine atoms. Only an isomer with  $D_3$  symmetry is drawn here.

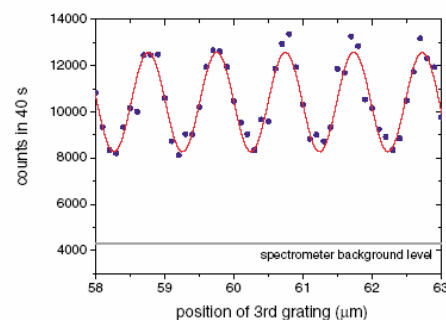
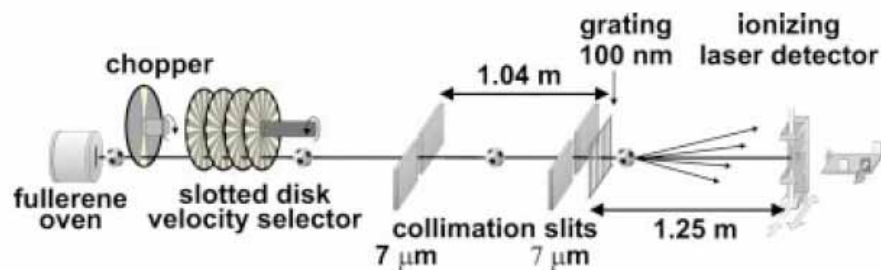


FIG. 2 (color online). De Broglie near-field interference fringes of meso-tetraphenylporphyrin (TPP)

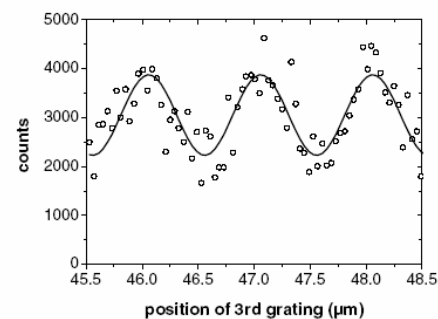


FIG. 4. Quantum interference fringes of  $C_{60}F_{48}$ . The beam

# Determination of the Bond Length and Binding Energy of the Helium Dimer by Diffraction from a Transmission Grating

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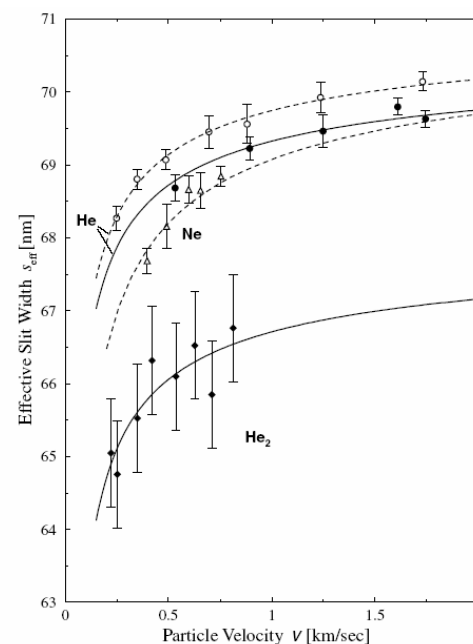
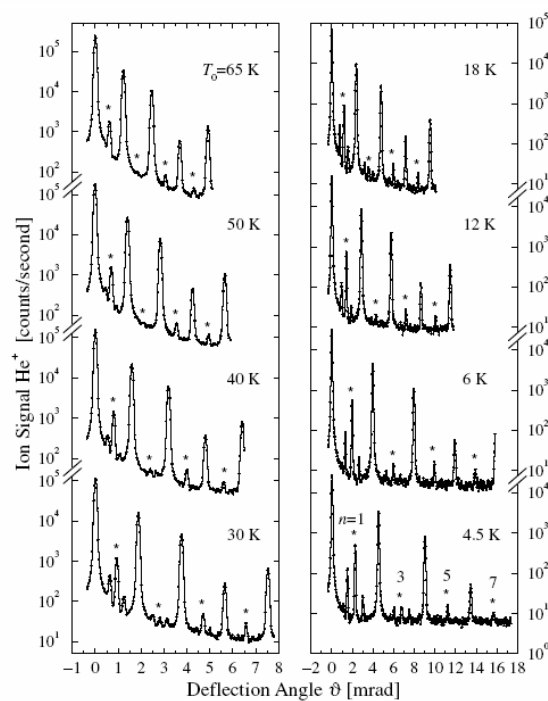
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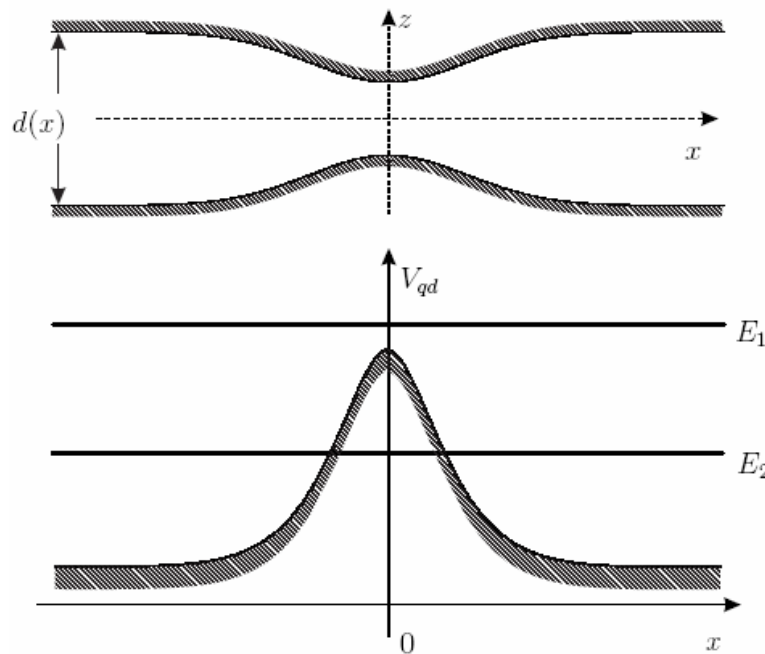
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A molecular beam consisting of small helium clusters is diffracted from a 100 nm period transmission grating. The relative dimer intensities have been measured out to the 7th order and are used to determine the reduction of the effective slit width resulting from the finite size of the dimer. From a theoretical analysis of the data which also takes into account the van der Waals interaction with the grating bars, the bond length (mean internuclear distance) and the binding energy are found to be  $\langle r \rangle = 52 \pm 4 \text{ \AA}$  and  $|E_b| = 1.1 + 0.3 / - 0.2 \text{ mK}$ .



# Narrowing wave guide



$$\left( \frac{\hat{p}_x^2}{2M} + \frac{\hat{p}_z^2}{2M} \right) v(x, z) = E v(x, z)$$

$$v(x, z) = \cos \left( \frac{\pi z}{d(x)} \right) \chi(x)$$

$$\left( \frac{\hat{p}_x^2}{2M} + V_{qb}(x) \right) \chi(x) = E \chi(x)$$

$$V_{qb}(x) \equiv \frac{h^2 \pi^2}{2M d(x)^2}$$

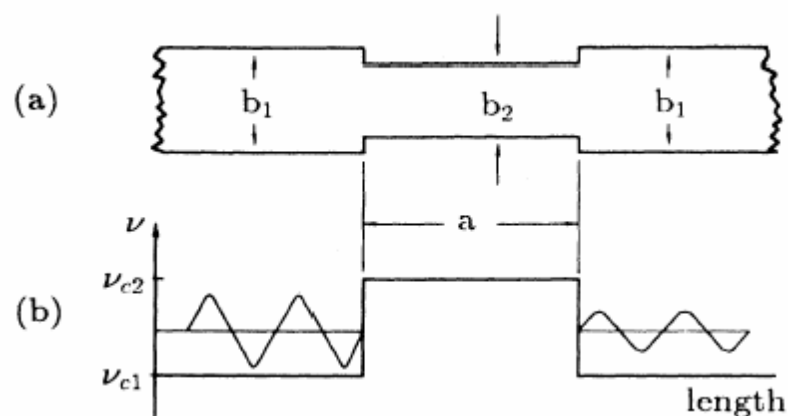
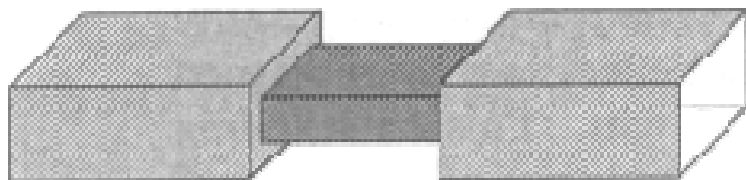
# Evanescent-mode propagation and quantum tunneling

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The tunneling of particles is in direct analogy with the transmission of evanescent electromagnetic waveguide modes as has been shown quite recently. We compare experimental data of an electromagnetic wave packet traversing an evanescent waveguide region with theoretical values derived for particle tunneling through a rectangular potential barrier. The transmission time was deduced by transformation of the experimental frequency data to the time domain. The data are in agreement and reveal superluminal wave-packet velocities for opaque evanescent regions.



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## A NEW NON-LOCAL EFFECT IN QUANTUM MECHANICS

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The Aharonov–Bohm effect affords a beautiful insight into the non-local nature of quantum theory. Unfortunately, because of the topological aspects to that effect, which are quite fascinating in their own right, there is an unfortunate tendency to connect these two independent elements. The present effect exhibits the non-locality, free of topological considerations, although it is related to the Berry phase, another much-discussed recent phenomenon. The effect consists of keeping a particle confined to a small region of a box with infinite walls. If the wall of the box is moved, then even though the particle is nowhere near the wall, it will experience a phase shift, which in principle is subject to experimental verification.

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## A GEOMETRICAL QUANTUM PHASE EFFECT ☆

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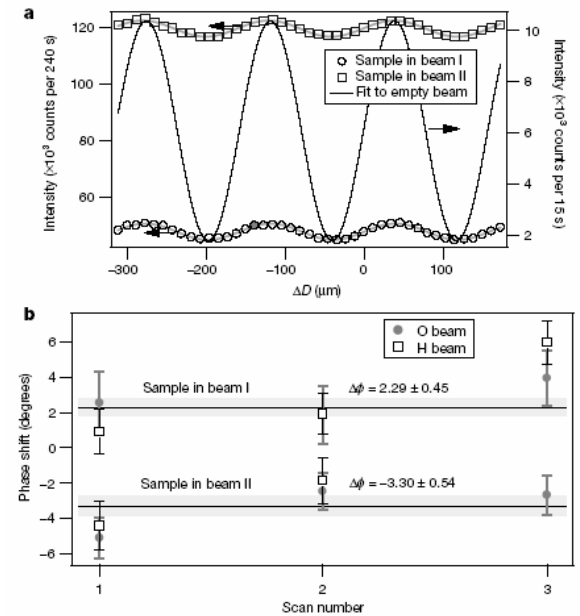
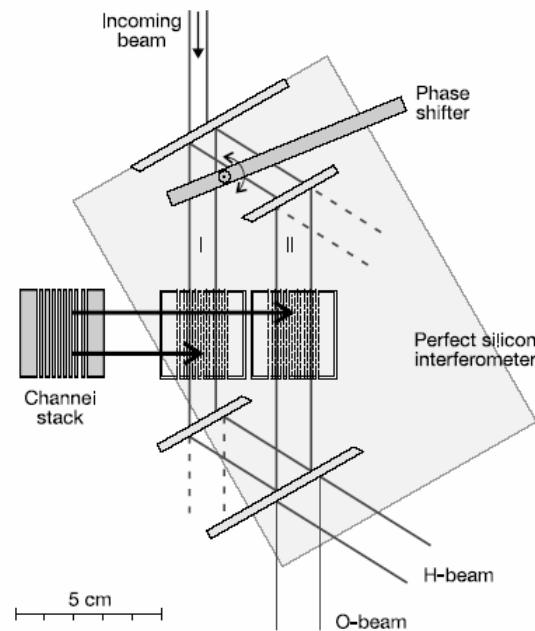
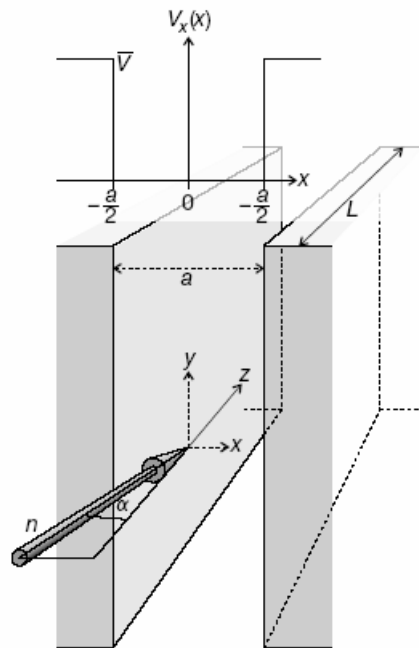
A localized change in the spatial boundary conditions of a propagating quanton is shown to modify the phase of its outgoing wavefunction. This elementary effect is in principle observable by neutron interferometry, and gives rise to a purely geometrical analog of the Aharonov–Bohm effect, which puts into full light the nonlocal character of quantum behaviour.

# Measurement of a confinement induced neutron phase

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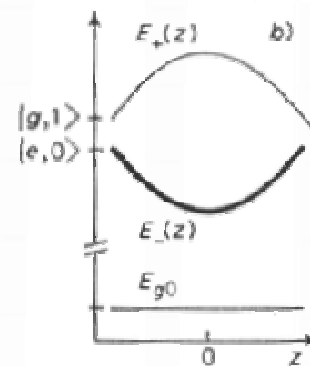
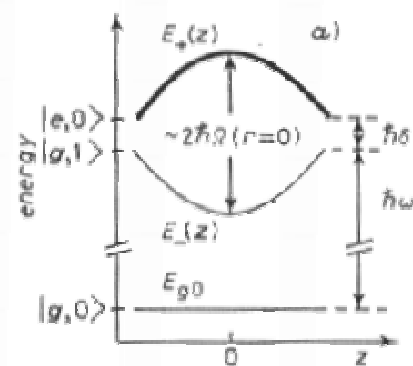
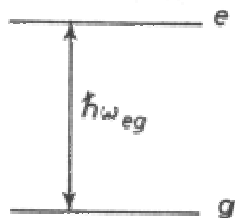
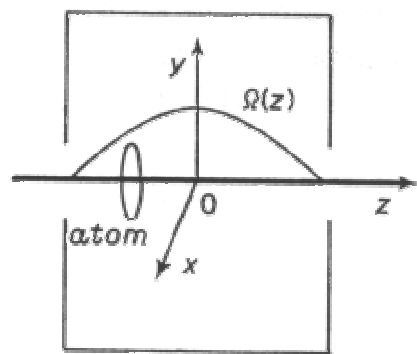
## Trapping Atoms by the Vacuum Field in a Cavity.

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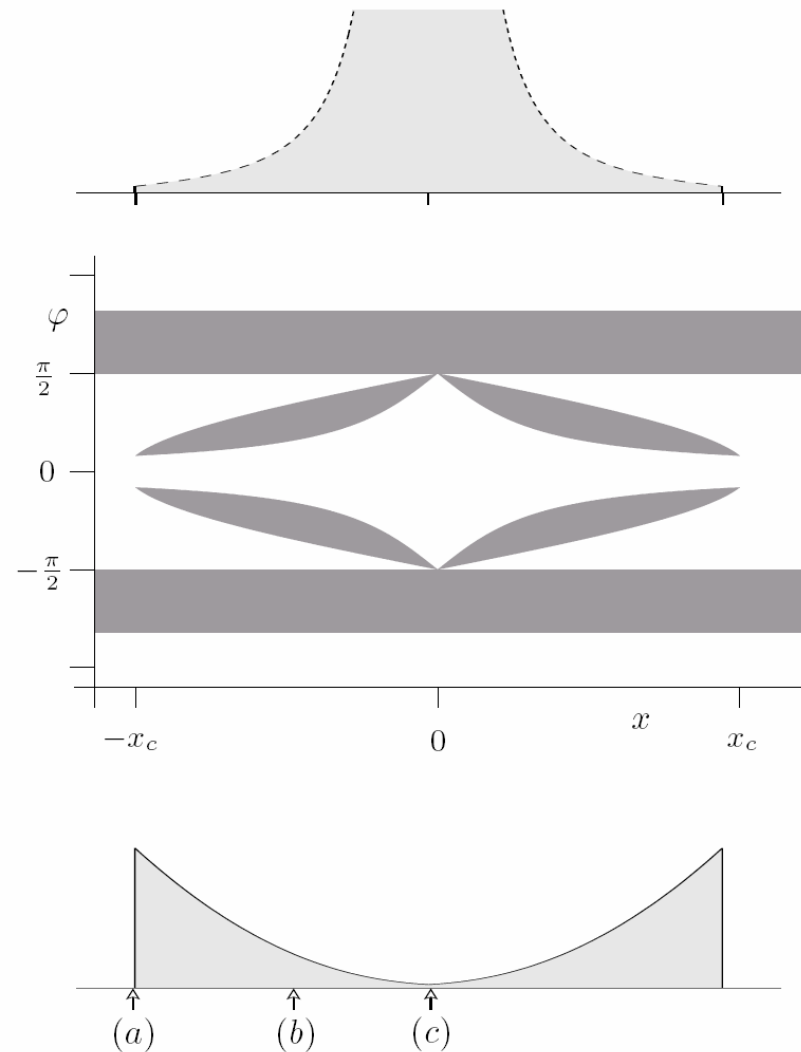
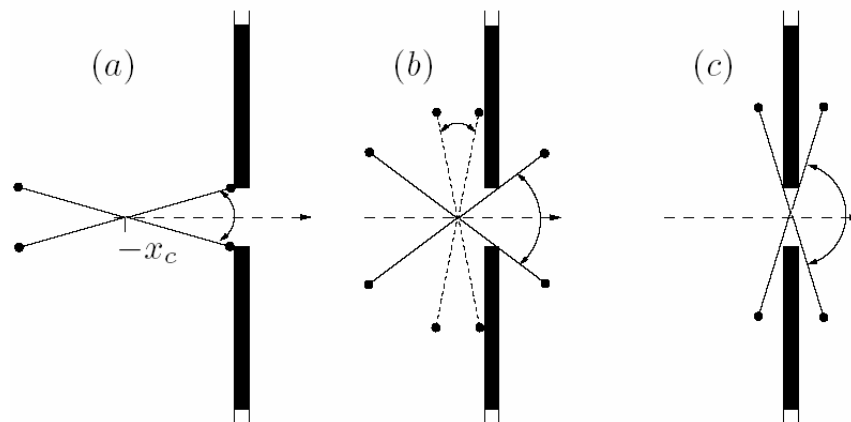
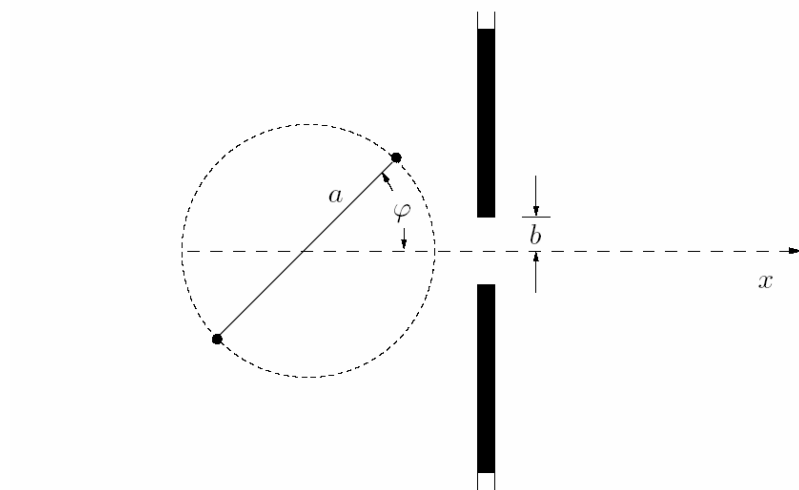
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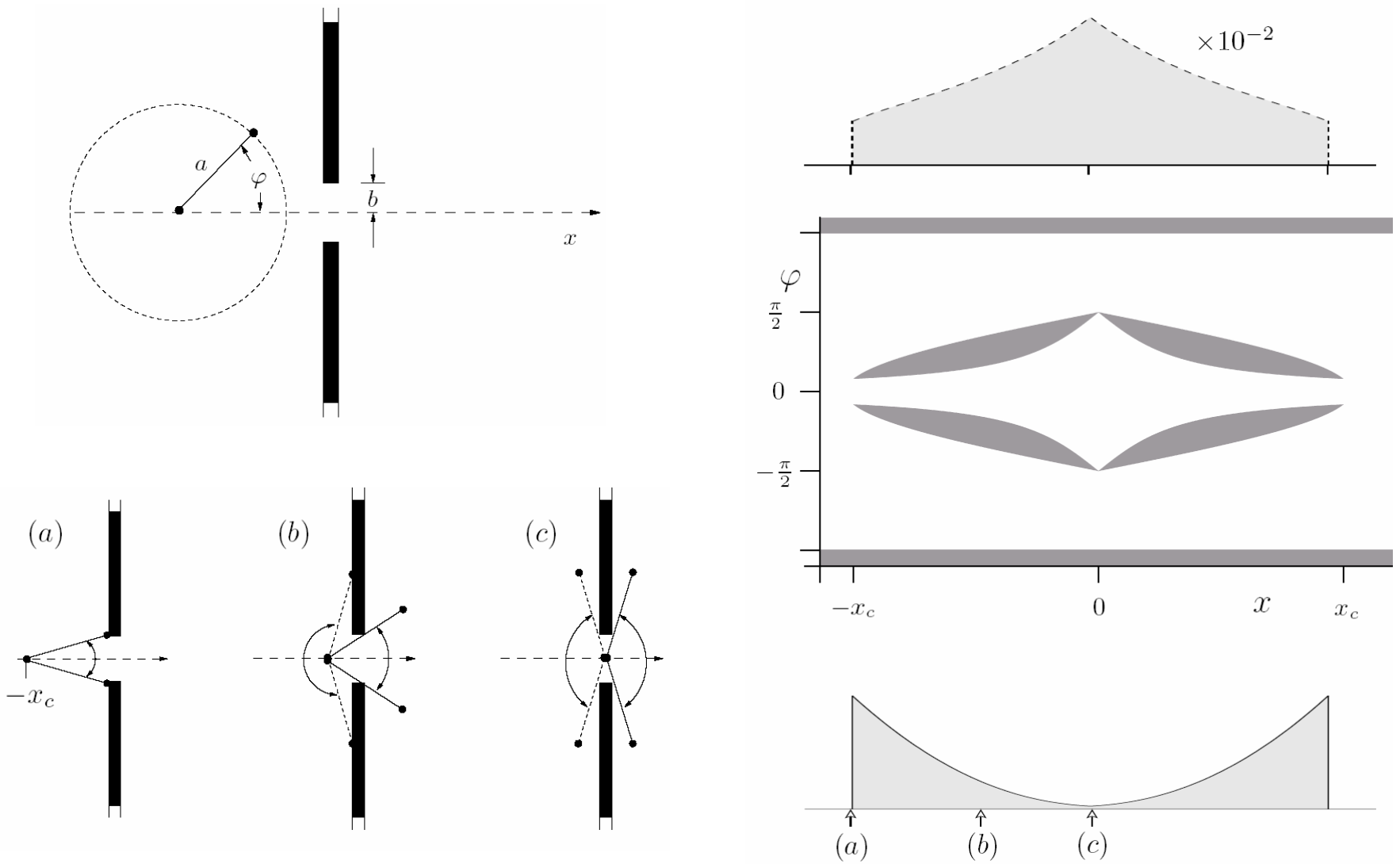


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# Scattering of symmetric rotor

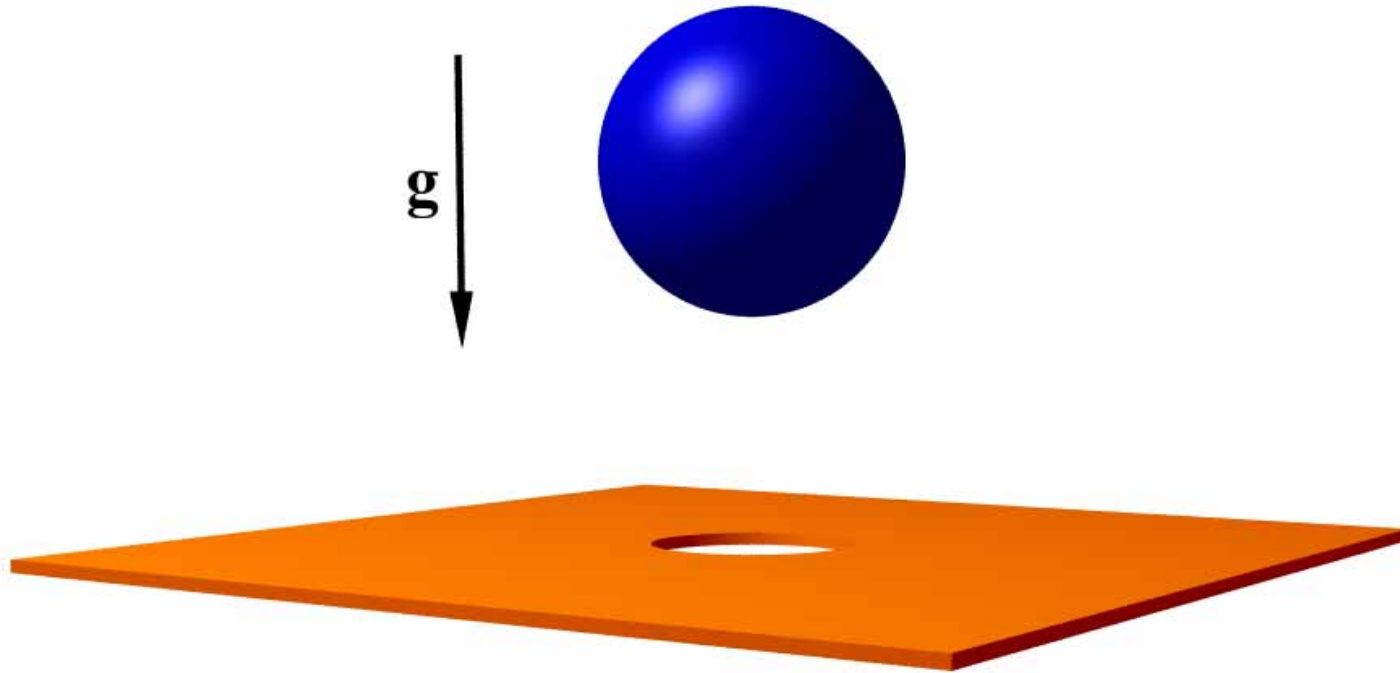


# Scattering of asymmetric rotor



# Levitation of a BEC

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## Letters to the Editor

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### On the Einstein Condensation Phenomenon\*

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IN a recent paper, L. Goldstein<sup>1</sup> has discussed the behavior of an ideal Bose-Einstein gas in the presence of an external force field.

If instead, one considers the discrete character of the energy spectrum for the lowest states in the potential field present, one finds that the condensed phase is all to be found in the lowest quantum state for the vertical motion, and that the thickness of the layer on the floor is of the order

$$t = 1.8(\hbar^2/m^2g)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

(as may be estimated with sufficient accuracy by the WKB method) where  $g$  is the acceleration due to gravity,  $m$  is the mass of the atom. It is assumed here that the height of the box is large compared with  $t$ . For helium in the earth's gravitational field, one finds  $t = 5.5 \times 10^{-3}$  cm, a small but not microscopic distance. At a height  $z > t_g$ , the density falls off proportionally to  $\exp -4.8[(z-t)/t]^{\frac{1}{2}}$ .

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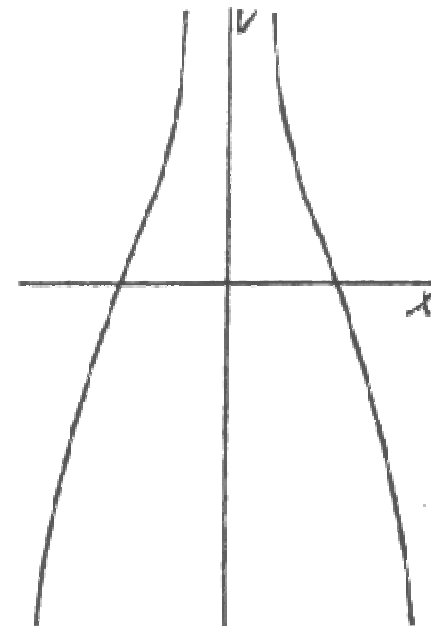
J. v. Neumann u. E. Wigner,  
Über das Verhalten von Eigenwerten bei adiabatischen Prozessen. S. 467.

$$-\frac{h^2}{8\pi^2m}\Delta\psi + (V(r) - E)\psi = 0$$

$$V = \frac{h^2}{8\pi^2m} \left( \frac{\psi''}{\psi} + \frac{2\psi'}{r\psi} \right)$$

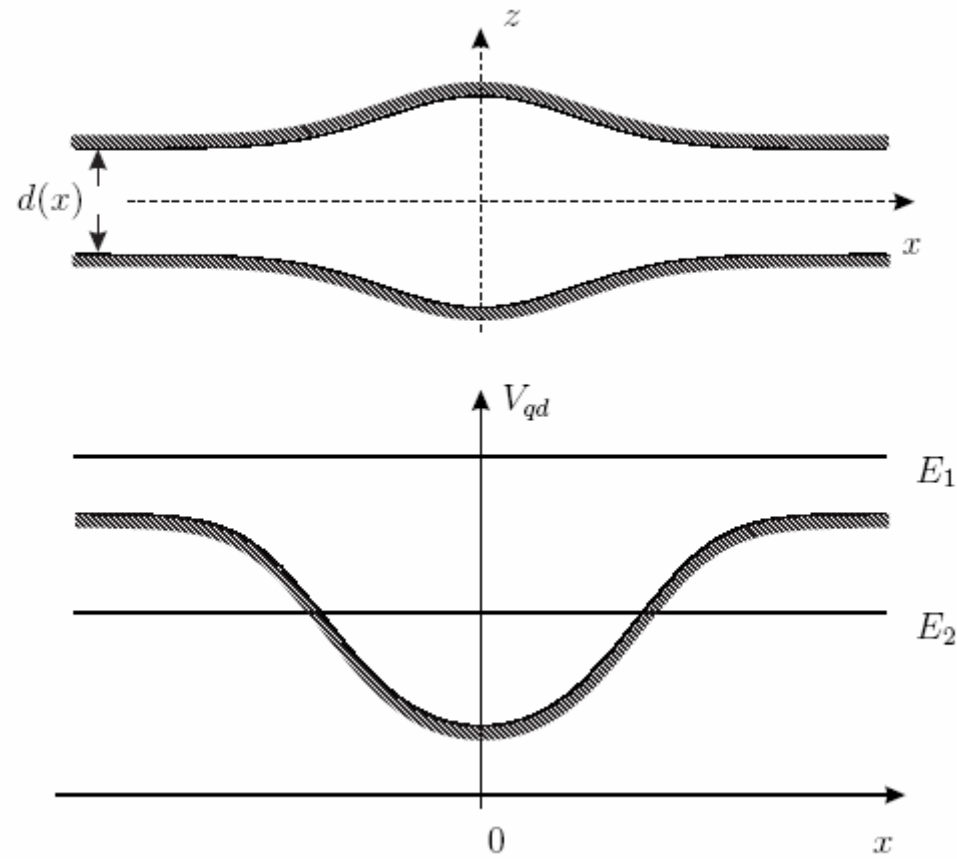
$$\psi = \frac{\sin(r^3)}{r^2}$$

$$V = 2r^{-2} - 9r^4$$



# Widening wave guide

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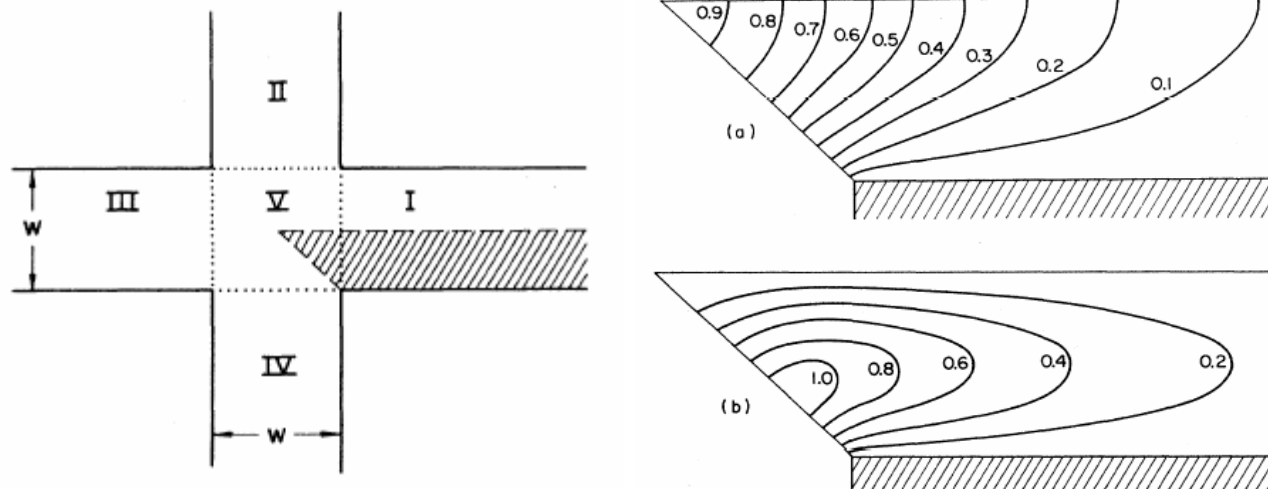
# Quantum bound states in a classically unbound system of crossed wires

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We have computed the energy and the wave function for an electron caught at the intersection of two narrow channels. There are two bound energies for the case with fourfold rotational symmetry. For impenetrable walls the energies are  $E_1 = 0.66E_t$  and  $E_2 = 3.72E_t$ , where the threshold for propagation of electrons in one channel is  $E_t = \hbar^2 \pi^2 / 2m^* w^2$  and  $w$  is the width of the channel. The state at  $E_2$  is bound only because it has odd parity and thus cannot decay into the even-parity propagating wave at the same energy. (The odd-parity propagation threshold is at  $4E_t$ .) We have also computed the transmission and reflection probabilities in the propagating case for a range of energies up to slightly above the odd-parity threshold.

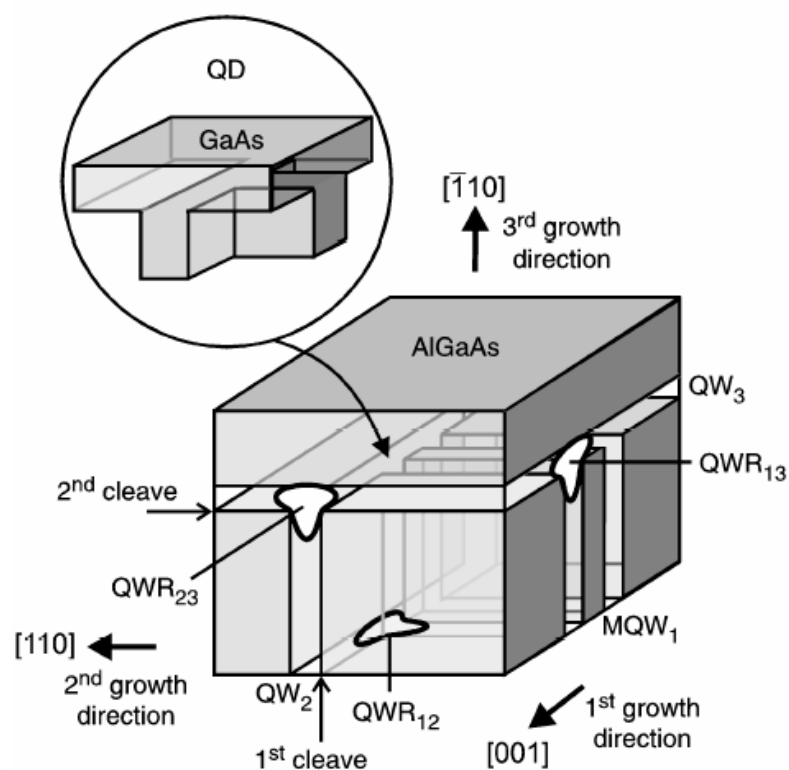


## Atomically Precise GaAs/AlGaAs Quantum Dots Fabricated by Twofold Cleaved Edge Overgrowth

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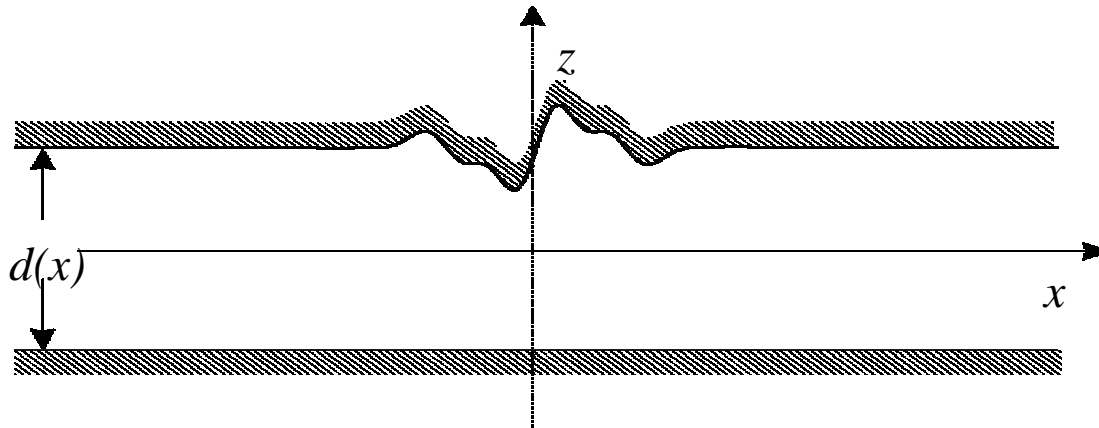
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# Modulated boundary

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# Unusual Bound or Localized States

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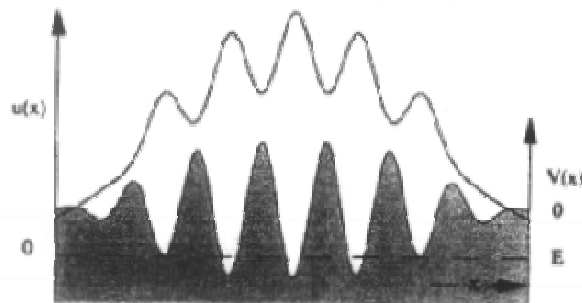
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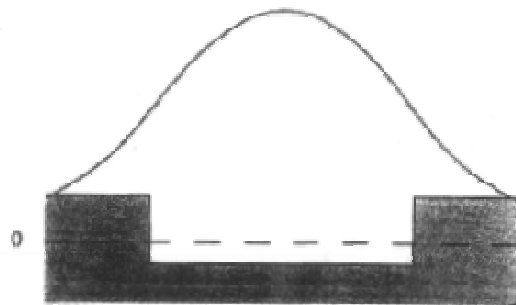
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$$\frac{d^2\varphi(t)}{dt^2} + [\xi_0 + \xi(t)] \varphi(t) = 0$$



$$\frac{d^2u(x)}{dx^2} + \frac{2M}{\hbar^2} [E - V(x)] u(x) = 0$$

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