

Determination of the Green's function for the one-dimensional Dirac operator with regular potential using the SPSS method

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- Determination of the Green function for the one-dimensional Dirac operator with a singular potential
- Spectral parameter power series method (SPPS) for Dirac equation
- Green's function associated with the Dirac operator written in terms of the SPPS method

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Consider the one-dimensional Dirac equation free of units for particles spin- $\frac{1}{2}$ -with mass m expressed as

$$\mathfrak{D}_Q \psi := J \frac{d\psi}{dx} + Q\psi = \lambda\psi. \quad (1)$$

Where J and Q are 2×2 matrices

$$J = \frac{1}{i}\sigma_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad Q = \begin{pmatrix} p_1(x) & q(x) \\ q(x) & p_2(x) \end{pmatrix}$$

and $q(x), p_1(x), p_2(x)$ are functions that define electromagnetic and scalar interactions

[1] V.Barrera-Figueroa, V.S Rabinovich, S-A.C. Loredó-Ramírez On the calculation of the discrete spectra of one-dimensional Dirac operators. Math Meth Appl Sci. 2022

$$p_1(x) = q_{el}(x) + (m + q_{sc}(x)),$$

$$p_2(x) = q_{el}(x) - (m + q_{sc}(x)), \quad q(x) = q_{am}(x).$$

Where q_{el} is an electrostatic potential, q_{am} is anomalous magnetic moment, q_{sc} is a scalar potential and $m > 0$ is the mass for spin- $\frac{1}{2}$.

The solutions to the Dirac equation are of the form

$\psi = \begin{pmatrix} \psi_1 & \psi_2 \end{pmatrix}^T$ which represents a 2-spinor, and λ has the physical meaning of the particle's energy.

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Now we are going to consider a rotation in two dimensions. The transformation matrix is

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \varphi(x) & \sin \varphi(x) \\ -\sin \varphi(x) & \cos \varphi(x) \end{pmatrix}$$

Note that the product of the matrices A and J is commutative, if we write a $\psi(x) = Az$ where z is $z(x) = \begin{pmatrix} z_1 & z_2 \end{pmatrix}^T$ and substituting in the equation 1 We obtain the following expression

$$J \frac{d}{dx} Az + QAz = \lambda Az$$

By doing some operations we obtain the following expression

$$J \frac{d}{dx} z + \left(A^{-1} J \frac{dA}{dx} + A^{-1} Q A \right) z = \lambda z$$

The expression placed in parentheses is called Q

$$J \frac{d}{dx} z + Qz = \lambda z$$

such that we can write a new form of the Dirac equation. Where

$$Q = \begin{pmatrix} P_1(x) & q(x) \\ q(x) & P_2(x) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$P_1(x) = p_1(x) \cos^2 \varphi(x) - q(x) \sin 2\varphi(x) + p_2(x) \sin^2 \varphi(x)$$

$$P_2(x) = p_1(x) \sin^2 \varphi(x) + p_2(x) \cos^2 \varphi(x) + q(x) \sin 2\varphi(x)$$

$$q(x) = q(x) \cos 2\varphi(x) + \frac{1}{2} (p_1(x) - p_2(x)) \sin 2\varphi(x)$$

[2] V.Barrera-Figueroa, V.S Rabinovich, S-A.C. Loredó-Ramírez On the calculation of the discrete spectra of one-dimensional Dirac operators. Math Meth Appl Sci. 2022

We can find a function $\varphi(x)$ such that the trace of the matrix is equal zero such that we can arrive at what is known as the canonical form of the operator

$$\varphi(x) = -\frac{1}{2} \int (p_1 + p_2) dx$$

$$J \frac{d}{dx} z + \begin{pmatrix} P_1(x) & q(x) \\ q(x) & -P_1(x) \end{pmatrix} z = \lambda z$$

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Let us consider the eigenvalue equation considering a surce term for the one-Dimensional Dirac operator with a regular potential

$$(\mathfrak{D}_Q - \lambda \mathbb{I}) u = f$$

formally the solution to the adove equation can be written as

$$u = (\mathfrak{D}_Q - \lambda \mathbb{I})^{-1} f = \mathfrak{R}_\lambda f$$

Where

$$\mathfrak{R}_\lambda = (\mathfrak{D}_Q - \lambda \mathbb{I})^{-1}$$

is the resolvent operator associeted with the one-dimensional Dirac operator with regular potential.

The set of point $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$ where the operator exist is called the resolvent set and is denoted by ρ_λ besides

$$\sigma \cup \rho = \mathbb{C}$$

For this reason, the study of the resolvent operator is relevant, as it gives us information outside of sigma. It is also associated with the Green's function with this expression.

$$\mathfrak{R}_\lambda = \int G(x, y) f(y) dy$$

To this system of equations we place boundary conditions in an interval $[a, b]$ and with α and β arbitrary numbers

$$z_1(a) \sin \alpha + z_2(a) \cos \alpha = 0$$

$$z_1(b) \sin \beta + z_2(b) \cos \beta = 0$$

Now let $\varphi(x, \lambda)$ be a solution of the homogeneous system that satisfies boundary conditions at the point a

$$\varphi_1(a, \lambda) = \cos \alpha, \quad \varphi_2(a, \lambda) = -\sin \alpha$$

and let $\psi(x, \lambda)$ be a solution of the homogeneous system but now it meets boundary conditions at point b

$$\psi_1(b, \lambda) = \cos \beta, \quad \psi_2(b, \lambda) = -\sin \beta$$

It can be shown that $\varphi(x, \lambda)$ and $\psi(x, \lambda)$ are linearly independent solutions, i.e. the Wronskian does not vanish on the interval $[a, b]$

$$W\{\varphi, \psi\} = \begin{vmatrix} \varphi_1(x, \lambda) & \psi_1(x, \lambda) \\ \varphi_2(x, \lambda) & \psi_2(x, \lambda) \end{vmatrix} \neq 0, \quad x \in (a, b)$$

Therefore we can write the Green function in the following way

$$G(x, y; \lambda) = \frac{1}{w(\lambda)} \begin{cases} \psi(x, \lambda) \varphi^T(y, \lambda) & x < y \\ \varphi(x, \lambda) \psi^T(y, \lambda) & y < x \end{cases}$$

[3] A Svinarenko, AV Glushkov, AV Loboda, DE Sukharev, Yu. V. Dubrovskaya, NV Mudraya. Green's Function of the Dirac Equation with Complex Energy and Non-singular Central Nuclear Potential. AIP Conference Proceedings 1232,259 (2010)

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- The spectral parameter power series (SPPS) representation for solutions to second-order linear differential equations has proven to be an effective tool for the (analytical and numerical) resolution and study of various problems.
- The SPPS method starts from a nonzero solution of the equation for a fixed value of the spectral parameter and, through a series of recursive integrations, generates Taylor series coefficients of the solution with respect to the spectral parameter.
- Dr. Kravchenko's result was subsequently extended to solve systems such as the Dirac system.

[4] Vladislav V. Kravchenko . Dirac and Inverse Sturm- Liouville Problems. Birkhäuser Frontiers in Mathematics.

The power series method of the spectral parameter for Dirac systems considers an expression

$$\mathfrak{D}_Q Y := J \frac{dY}{dx} + QY = \lambda Y$$

Let us suppose that the homogeneous system

$$J \frac{dY}{dx} + QY = 0$$

has a solution $Y = (f_1, f_2)^T$ such that f_1 and f_2 do not vanish in the interval $[a, b]$. Let x_0 be a point on the segment $[a, b]$. Let us consider the following system of functions defined by the recursive relations

$$X^{(0)}(x) = f_1(x_0) f_2(x_0) \int_{x_0}^x \frac{p_2(s)}{f^2(s)} ds$$

$$Y^{(0)}(x) = 1 + f_1(x_0) f_2(x_0) \int_{x_0}^x \frac{p_1(s)}{g^2(s)} ds$$

$$X^{(n+1)}(x) = (n+1) \int_{x_0}^x \left(-Y^{(n)}(s) + \frac{p_2(s)}{f_1^2(s)} Z^{(n)}(s) \right) ds$$

$$Y^{(n+1)} = (n+1) \int_{x_0}^x \left(\frac{f_1(s)}{g(s)} X^{(n)}(s) + \frac{p_1(s)}{f_2^2(s)} Z^{(n)}(s) \right) ds$$

Let us observe that from the seed equations we know all the terms. And from it, we can find the rest of the recursive equations

similarly

$$\tilde{X}^{(0)}(x) = 1 - f_1(x_0) f_2(x_0) \int_{x_0}^x \frac{p_2(s)}{f_1^2(s)} ds$$

$$\tilde{Y}^{(0)}(x) = -f_1(x_0) f_2(x_0) \int_{x_0}^x \frac{p_1(s)}{f_2^2(s)} ds$$

$$\tilde{Z}^{(n)}(x) = \int_{x_0}^x \left(\tilde{X}^{(n)}(s) f_1^2(s) + \tilde{Y}^{(n)}(s) f_2^2(s) \right) ds$$

$$\tilde{X}^{(n+1)}(x) = (n+1) \int_{x_0}^x \left(-\tilde{Y}^{(n)}(s) + \frac{p_2(s)}{f_1^2(s)} \tilde{Z}^{(n)}(s) \right) ds$$

$$\tilde{Y}^{(n+1)} = (n+1) \int_{x_0}^x \left(\frac{f(s)}{g(s)} \tilde{X}^{(n)}(s) + \frac{p_1(s)}{f_2^2(s)} \tilde{Z}^{(n)}(s) \right) ds$$

Theorem

Suppose that the homogeneous system has a solution $\psi_0 = (f_1, f_2)^T$ where f_1 and f_2 do not vanish on the interval $[a, b]$. A general solution of the system 1 has the form

$$\psi = c_1 \phi_1 + c_2 \phi_2 = c_1 \begin{pmatrix} u_1 \\ v_1 \end{pmatrix} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} u_2 \\ v_2 \end{pmatrix},$$

where c_1 and c_2 are arbitrary complex constants. and

$$\begin{pmatrix} u_1 \\ v_1 \end{pmatrix} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\lambda^n}{n!} \begin{pmatrix} f_1 \tilde{X}^{(n)} \\ f_2 \tilde{Y}^{(n)} \end{pmatrix}, \quad \begin{pmatrix} u_2 \\ v_2 \end{pmatrix} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\lambda^n}{n!} \begin{pmatrix} f_1 X^{(n)} \\ f_2 Y^{(n)} \end{pmatrix}$$

Here the formal powers $X^{(n)}, Y^{(n)}, \tilde{X}^{(n)}, \tilde{Y}^{(n)}$

[5] Gutiérrez Jiménez Nelson, Torba Sergii M. Spectral parameter power series representation for solutions of linear system of two first order differential equations. Applied Mathematics and Computation. 2020;370:124911

In our work we show that these terms are those of the Green function,

$$\psi(x, \lambda) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\lambda^n}{n!} \begin{pmatrix} f_1 \tilde{X}^{(n)} \\ f_2 \tilde{Y}^{(n)} \end{pmatrix} \quad \varphi(x, \lambda) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\lambda^n}{n!} \begin{pmatrix} f_1 X^{(n)} \\ f_2 Y^{(n)} \end{pmatrix}$$

therefore the Wronskian written in terms of these power series

$$\begin{aligned} W\{\varphi, \psi\} &= \begin{vmatrix} \varphi_1(x, \lambda) & \psi_1(x, \lambda) \\ \varphi_2(x, \lambda) & \psi_2(x, \lambda) \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \begin{vmatrix} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\lambda^n}{n!} f_1 X^{(n)} & \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\lambda^n}{n!} f_1 \tilde{X}^{(n)} \\ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\lambda^n}{n!} f_2 Y^{(n)} & \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\lambda^n}{n!} f_2 \tilde{Y}^{(n)} \end{vmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

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Theorem

Let \mathfrak{D} be the one-dimensional Dirac operator in its canonical representation and $G(x, y; \lambda)$ be the Green's function associated to the operator \mathfrak{D} on an interval $[a, b]$. Let $\varphi(x, \lambda)$ and $\psi(x, \lambda)$ be linearly independent solutions of the homogeneous equation of the Dirac operator where $\varphi(x, \lambda)$ satisfies boundary conditions at point a and $\psi(x, \lambda)$ satisfies the boundary conditions at point b and let $W\{\varphi, \psi\}$ be the Wronskian of these solutions. Then the Green's function admits the following representation in terms of power series

$$G(x, y; \lambda) = \frac{1}{W\{\varphi, \psi\}} \sum_{n=0}^n \lambda^n g_n(x, y; \lambda)$$

Where $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$ is the spectral parameter and $g_n(x, y, \lambda)$ is determined by the following expression:

$$g_{n(x,y,\lambda)} = \sum_{k=0}^n \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \left(\begin{array}{l} f_1(x) f_1(y) \tilde{X}^{(k)}(x) X^{(n-k)}(y) h_1(y) + f_1(x) f_2(y) \tilde{X}^{(k)}(x) Y^{(n-k)}(y) h_2(y) \\ f_2(x) f_1(y) \tilde{Y}^{(k)}(x) X^{(n-k)}(y) h_1(y) + f_2(x) f_2(y) \tilde{Y}^{(k)}(x) Y^{(n-k)}(y) h_2(y) \end{array} \right) \\ \left(\begin{array}{l} f_1(y) f_1(x) \tilde{X}^{(k)}(y) X^{(n-k)}(x) h_1(y) + f_1(y) f_2(x) \tilde{X}^{(k)}(y) Y^{(n-k)}(x) h_2(y) \\ f_2(y) f_1(x) \tilde{Y}^{(k)}(y) X^{(n-k)}(x) h_1(y) + f_2(y) f_2(x) \tilde{Y}^{(k)}(y) Y^{(n-k)}(x) h_2(y) \end{array} \right) \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} x < y \\ y < x \end{array}$$

which is calculated from the functions $X^{(n)}, \tilde{X}^{(n)}, Y^{(n)}, \tilde{Y}^{(n)}$ that satisfy the recurrence relations written in the equations.

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- The explicit form of the Green's function for the one-dimensional Dirac operator was determined by associating it with the resolvent operator, which allows for the analysis of the operator's spectrum.
- The fundamental relationship between the Green's function of the Dirac operator and the Spectral Parameter Power Series (SPPS) method was established and proven.
- As the main contribution, a novel representation of the Green's function was derived, expressed in terms of the polynomials generated by the SPPS method.

