

Absolutely continuous and pure point spectra of discrete operators with sparse potentials

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Abstract

We consider the discrete Schrödinger operator $H = -\Delta + V$ with a sparse potential V and find conditions guaranteeing either existence of wave operators for the pair H and $H_0 = -\Delta$, or presence of dense purely point spectrum of the operator H on some interval $[\lambda_0, 0]$ with $\lambda_0 < 0$.

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