

Master equation theory applied to the redistribution of polarized radiation in the weak radiation field limit

V. The two-term atom (Corrigendum)

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A sign factor was lacking in the expressions of the redistribution matrix in the case of incomplete Paschen-Back effect, Eqs. (A.1) and (A.6) of Bommier (2017). This sign factor is unity in the absence of incomplete Paschen-Back effect. A $(2I + 1)$ denominator was also missing in Eqs. (A.6) and (40), and some typos occurred in Eq. (A.6). The correct formulæ are provided below. The corrected Eq. (A.1) is:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{R}_{ij}(v, v_1, \mathbf{\Omega}, \mathbf{\Omega}_1; \mathbf{B}) = & \sum_{J_u \bar{J}_u J'_u M_u J'_u \bar{J}'_u J''_u M''_u J'_\ell \bar{J}'_\ell J''_\ell M''_\ell J'_\ell \bar{J}'_\ell J''_\ell M''_\ell} \int f(v) d^3v (-1)^{Q} \mathcal{T}_{-Q}^{K'}(j, \mathbf{\Omega}_1) \mathcal{T}_Q^K(i, \mathbf{\Omega}) \\
 & \times 3 \frac{2L_u + 1}{2S + 1} \sqrt{(2K + 1)(2K' + 1)} (-1)^{M_\ell - M'_\ell} (-1)^{J_u + \bar{J}_u + J'_u + \bar{J}'_u} (-1)^{J'_\ell + \bar{J}'_\ell + J''_\ell + \bar{J}''_\ell} \\
 & \times \sqrt{(2J_u + 1)(2\bar{J}_u + 1)(2J'_u + 1)(2\bar{J}'_u + 1)(2J_\ell + 1)(2\bar{J}_\ell + 1)(2J'_\ell + 1)(2\bar{J}'_\ell + 1)} \\
 & \times C_{J'_u M_u}^{J_u} (B) C_{J''_u M''_u}^{\bar{J}_u} (B) C_{J'_u M_u}^{J'_u} (B) C_{J''_u M''_u}^{\bar{J}'_u} (B) C_{J'_\ell M_\ell}^{J'_\ell} (B) C_{J''_\ell M''_\ell}^{\bar{J}'_\ell} (B) C_{J'_\ell M_\ell}^{J'_\ell} (B) C_{J''_\ell M''_\ell}^{\bar{J}''_\ell} (B) \\
 & \times \begin{Bmatrix} J_u & 1 & J_\ell \\ L_u & S & L_u \end{Bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} J'_u & 1 & \bar{J}_\ell \\ L_u & S & L_u \end{Bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} \bar{J}_u & 1 & J'_\ell \\ L_u & S & L_u \end{Bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} \bar{J}'_u & 1 & \bar{J}'_\ell \\ L_u & S & L_u \end{Bmatrix} \\
 & \times \begin{pmatrix} J_u & 1 & J_\ell \\ -M_u & p & M_\ell \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} J'_u & 1 & \bar{J}_\ell \\ -M'_u & p' & M_\ell \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{J}_u & 1 & J'_\ell \\ -M_u & p''' & M'_\ell \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{J}'_u & 1 & \bar{J}'_\ell \\ -M'_u & p'' & M'_\ell \end{pmatrix} \\
 & \times \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & K' \\ -p & p' & Q \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & K \\ -p''' & p'' & Q \end{pmatrix} \\
 & \times \left[\frac{\Gamma_R}{\Gamma_R + \Gamma_I + \Gamma_E + \frac{i\Delta E_{M_u M'_u}}{\hbar}} \delta(\tilde{\nu} - \tilde{\nu}_1 - \nu_{M_u M'_u}) \left[\frac{1}{2} \Phi_{ba}(\nu_{M_u M'_u} - \tilde{\nu}_1) + \frac{1}{2} \Phi_{ba}^*(\nu_{M_u M'_u} - \tilde{\nu}_1) \right] \right. \\
 & \left. + \left[\frac{\Gamma_R}{\Gamma_R + \Gamma_I + \frac{i\Delta E_{M_u M'_u}}{\hbar}} - \frac{\Gamma_R}{\Gamma_R + \Gamma_I + \Gamma_E + \frac{i\Delta E_{M_u M'_u}}{\hbar}} \right] \right. \\
 & \left. \times \left[\frac{1}{2} \Phi_{ba}(\nu_{M'_u M'_\ell} - \tilde{\nu}_1) + \frac{1}{2} \Phi_{ba}^*(\nu_{M_u M'_\ell} - \tilde{\nu}_1) \right] \left[\frac{1}{2} \Phi_{ba}(\nu_{M'_u M'_\ell} - \tilde{\nu}) + \frac{1}{2} \Phi_{ba}^*(\nu_{M_u M'_\ell} - \tilde{\nu}) \right] \right]
 \end{aligned} \tag{A.1}$$

The corrected Eq. (A.6) is:

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{R}_{ij}(\nu, \nu_1, \mathbf{\Omega}, \mathbf{\Omega}_1; \mathbf{B}) = & \sum_{J_u \bar{J}_u J'_u \bar{F}_u \bar{F}'_u M_u \bar{J}'_u \bar{J}_u J''_u \bar{F}'_u \bar{F}''_u M'_u \bar{J}'_u \bar{J}_u J'''_u \bar{F}'_u \bar{F}'''_u M''_u \bar{J}'_u \bar{J}_u J''''_u \bar{F}'_u \bar{F}''''_u M'''_u \bar{J}'_u \bar{J}_u} \\
& \times \int f(\mathbf{v}) d^3 \mathbf{v} (-1)^Q \mathcal{T}_{-Q}^{K'}(j, \mathbf{\Omega}_1) \mathcal{T}_Q^K(i, \mathbf{\Omega}) \\
& \times 3 \frac{2L_u + 1}{(2I + 1)(2S + 1)} \sqrt{(2K + 1)(2K' + 1)} (-1)^{M_\ell - M'_\ell} \\
& \times (-1)^{J_u + \bar{J}_u + J'_u + \bar{J}'_u} (-1)^{J_\ell + \bar{J}_\ell + J'_\ell + \bar{J}'_\ell} (-1)^{F_u + \bar{F}_u + F'_u + \bar{F}'_u} (-1)^{F_\ell + \bar{F}_\ell + F'_\ell + \bar{F}'_\ell} \\
& \times \sqrt{(2J_u + 1)(2\bar{J}_u + 1)(2J'_u + 1)(2\bar{J}'_u + 1)(2J_\ell + 1)(2\bar{J}_\ell + 1)(2J'_\ell + 1)(2\bar{J}'_\ell + 1)} \\
& \times \sqrt{(2F_u + 1)(2\bar{F}_u + 1)(2F'_u + 1)(2\bar{F}'_u + 1)(2F_\ell + 1)(2\bar{F}_\ell + 1)(2F'_\ell + 1)(2\bar{F}'_\ell + 1)} \\
& \times C_{J_u M_u (F_u M_u)}^{J_u}(\mathbf{B}) C_{\bar{J}_u M_u (F_u M_u)}^{\bar{J}_u}(\mathbf{B}) C_{J'_u M'_u (F'_u M'_u)}^{J'_u}(\mathbf{B}) C_{\bar{J}'_u M'_u (F'_u M'_u)}^{\bar{J}'_u}(\mathbf{B}) \\
& \times C_{J''_u M''_u (F''_u M''_u)}^{J''_u}(\mathbf{B}) C_{\bar{J}''_u M''_u (F''_u M''_u)}^{\bar{J}''_u}(\mathbf{B}) C_{J'''_u M'''_u (F'''_u M'''_u)}^{J'''_u}(\mathbf{B}) C_{\bar{J}'''_u M'''_u (F'''_u M'''_u)}^{\bar{J}'''_u}(\mathbf{B}) \\
& \times C_{F_u M_u (J_u M_u)}^{F_u}(\mathbf{B}) C_{\bar{F}_u M_u (J_u M_u)}^{\bar{F}_u}(\mathbf{B}) C_{F'_u M'_u (J'_u M'_u)}^{F'_u}(\mathbf{B}) C_{\bar{F}'_u M'_u (J'_u M'_u)}^{\bar{F}'_u}(\mathbf{B}) \\
& \times C_{F_\ell M_\ell (J_\ell M_\ell)}^{F_\ell}(\mathbf{B}) C_{\bar{F}_\ell M_\ell (J_\ell M_\ell)}^{\bar{F}_\ell}(\mathbf{B}) C_{F'_\ell M'_\ell (J'_\ell M'_\ell)}^{F'_\ell}(\mathbf{B}) C_{\bar{F}'_\ell M'_\ell (J'_\ell M'_\ell)}^{\bar{F}'_\ell}(\mathbf{B}) \\
& \times \begin{Bmatrix} J_u & 1 & J_\ell \\ L_\ell & S & L_u \end{Bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} J'_u & 1 & \bar{J}_\ell \\ L_\ell & S & L_u \end{Bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} \bar{J}_u & 1 & J'_\ell \\ L_\ell & S & L_u \end{Bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} \bar{J}'_u & 1 & \bar{J}'_\ell \\ L_\ell & S & L_u \end{Bmatrix} \\
& \times \begin{Bmatrix} F_u & 1 & F_\ell \\ J_\ell & I & J_u \end{Bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} F'_u & 1 & \bar{F}_\ell \\ \bar{J}_\ell & I & J_u \end{Bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} \bar{F}_u & 1 & F'_\ell \\ J_\ell & I & \bar{J}_u \end{Bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} \bar{F}'_u & 1 & \bar{F}'_\ell \\ \bar{J}_\ell & I & \bar{J}_u \end{Bmatrix} \\
& \times \begin{pmatrix} F_u & 1 & F_\ell \\ -M_u & p & M_\ell \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} F'_u & 1 & \bar{F}_\ell \\ -M'_u & p' & M_\ell \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{F}_u & 1 & F'_\ell \\ -M_u & p''' & M'_\ell \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{F}'_u & 1 & \bar{F}'_\ell \\ -M'_u & p'' & M'_\ell \end{pmatrix} \\
& \times \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & K' \\ -p & p' & Q \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & K \\ -p''' & p'' & Q \end{pmatrix} \\
& \times \left[\frac{\Gamma_R}{\Gamma_R + \Gamma_I + \Gamma_E + \frac{i\Delta E_{M_u M'_u}}{\hbar}} \delta(\tilde{\nu} - \tilde{\nu}_1 - \nu_{M_\ell M'_\ell}) \left[\frac{1}{2} \Phi_{ba}(\nu_{M'_u M_\ell} - \tilde{\nu}_1) + \frac{1}{2} \Phi_{ba}^*(\nu_{M_u M_\ell} - \tilde{\nu}_1) \right] \right. \\
& + \left. \frac{\Gamma_R}{\Gamma_R + \Gamma_I + \frac{i\Delta E_{M_u M'_u}}{\hbar}} - \frac{\Gamma_R}{\Gamma_R + \Gamma_I + \Gamma_E + \frac{i\Delta E_{M_u M'_u}}{\hbar}} \right] \\
& \times \left[\frac{1}{2} \Phi_{ba}(\nu_{M'_u M_\ell} - \tilde{\nu}_1) + \frac{1}{2} \Phi_{ba}^*(\nu_{M_u M_\ell} - \tilde{\nu}_1) \right] \left[\frac{1}{2} \Phi_{ba}(\nu_{M'_u M'_\ell} - \tilde{\nu}) + \frac{1}{2} \Phi_{ba}^*(\nu_{M_u M'_\ell} - \tilde{\nu}) \right]
\end{aligned} \tag{A.6}$$

This equation is in excellent agreement as for the Racah algebra with Eq. (30) of Casini et al. (2014). The product of two coefficients $C_{J^* M_J (F^* M)}^J(\mathbf{B}) C_{F^{**} (J M) M}^F(\mathbf{B})$ is equal to the coefficient $C_{\mu}^{JF}(M)$ of Casini et al. (2014), because these coefficients all result from matrix diagonalization, performed in one step (FS + HFS) in Casini et al. (2014) and in two steps (FS and HFS) in our case. A similar coefficient is visible in Eq. (3.58) of Landi Degl'Innocenti & Landolfi (2004).

The following equation replaces Eq. (40) of [Bommier \(2017\)](#), by introducing the $(2I + 1)$ denominator

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{R}_{ij}(\nu, \nu_1, \mathbf{\Omega}, \mathbf{\Omega}_1; \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{0}) &= \sum_{J_u F_u J'_u F'_u J_\ell F_\ell J'_\ell F'_\ell K Q} \int f(\nu) d^3 v (-1)^Q \mathcal{T}_{-Q}^K(j, \mathbf{\Omega}_1) \mathcal{T}_Q^K(i, \mathbf{\Omega}) \\
&\times 3 \frac{2L_u + 1}{(2I + 1)(2S + 1)} (2J_u + 1)(2J'_u + 1)(2J_\ell + 1)(2J'_\ell + 1)(2F_u + 1)(2F'_u + 1)(2F_\ell + 1)(2F'_\ell + 1) (-1)^{F_\ell - F'_\ell} \\
&\times \left\{ \begin{matrix} J_u & 1 & J_\ell \\ L_\ell & S & L_u \end{matrix} \right\} \left\{ \begin{matrix} J'_u & 1 & J_\ell \\ L_\ell & S & L_u \end{matrix} \right\} \left\{ \begin{matrix} J_u & 1 & J'_\ell \\ L_\ell & S & L_u \end{matrix} \right\} \left\{ \begin{matrix} J'_u & 1 & J'_\ell \\ L_\ell & S & L_u \end{matrix} \right\} \\
&\times \left\{ \begin{matrix} F_u & 1 & F_\ell \\ J_\ell & I & J_u \end{matrix} \right\} \left\{ \begin{matrix} F'_u & 1 & F_\ell \\ J_\ell & I & J'_u \end{matrix} \right\} \left\{ \begin{matrix} F_u & 1 & F'_\ell \\ J_\ell & I & J_u \end{matrix} \right\} \left\{ \begin{matrix} F'_u & 1 & F'_\ell \\ J_\ell & I & J'_u \end{matrix} \right\} \\
&\times \left\{ \begin{matrix} K & F_u & F'_u \\ F_\ell & 1 & 1 \end{matrix} \right\} \left\{ \begin{matrix} K & F_u & F'_u \\ F'_\ell & 1 & 1 \end{matrix} \right\} \\
&\times \left[\frac{\Gamma_R}{\Gamma_R + \Gamma_I + \Gamma_E + \frac{i\Delta E_{F_u F'_u}}{\hbar}} \delta(\tilde{\nu} - \tilde{\nu}_1 - \nu_{F_\ell F'_\ell}) \left[\frac{1}{2} \Phi_{ba}(\nu_{F'_\ell F_\ell} - \tilde{\nu}_1) + \frac{1}{2} \Phi_{ba}^*(\nu_{F_u F_\ell} - \tilde{\nu}_1) \right] \right. \\
&+ \left. \frac{\Gamma_R}{\Gamma_R + \Gamma_I + \frac{1}{2} [D^{(K)}(\alpha_u F_u) + D^{(K)}(\alpha_u F'_u)] + \frac{i\Delta E_{F_u F'_u}}{\hbar}} - \frac{\Gamma_R}{\Gamma_R + \Gamma_I + \Gamma_E + \frac{i\Delta E_{F_u F'_u}}{\hbar}} \right] \\
&\times \left[\frac{1}{2} \Phi_{ba}(\nu_{F'_\ell F_\ell} - \tilde{\nu}_1) + \frac{1}{2} \Phi_{ba}^*(\nu_{F_u F_\ell} - \tilde{\nu}_1) \right] \left[\frac{1}{2} \Phi_{ba}(\nu_{F'_\ell F_\ell} - \tilde{\nu}) + \frac{1}{2} \Phi_{ba}^*(\nu_{F_u F_\ell} - \tilde{\nu}) \right] \Big\}
\end{aligned} \tag{40}$$

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