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Electronic Structure with Muffin-tins

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Abstract:

The Exact Muffin-tin Orbitals (EMTO) theory was developed by O.K. Andersen and collaborators starting from the 90s [1]. This method was implemented by L. Vitos [2] of KTH Stockholm and was the first to allow Dynamical Mean-Field Theory (DMFT) formulation within the multiple scattering approach [3]. With a DMFT solver formulated on the Matsubara energies, this method suffers due to the analytic continuation inserted into the iteration steps [4]. We reformulated the LDA+DMFT scheme for the EMTO basis set without the need of analytic continuation [5]. This was recently extended to include on-site disorder within the Coherent Potential Approximation, in addition to DMFT [6]. Even more recently we have succeeded to implement an ab-initio typical medium theory [7].

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