

Supplementary Material to the article “On thermal Hall effect in boson systems”

In this part we provide a detailed derivation of our result for the quantity $M_1^{\mu\nu}$ in (20). We note that our index n in Eq. (15) corresponds to both the wave-vector in the Brillouin zone and the spin wave band number n in notation of [1]. The identification of our Υ_n with the matrix $T_{\mathbf{k}}$ shows the equivalence of the first line in our (20) with Eq. (D3) in [1].

We consider the quantity

$$M_1^{\mu\nu} = -\frac{1}{2} \langle \hat{\mathcal{H}} \sigma_3 r^\nu \hat{V}^\mu + \hat{V}^\mu r^\nu \sigma_3 \hat{\mathcal{H}} \rangle_0, \quad (\text{S1})$$

whose average may be written as

$$\begin{aligned} M_1^{\mu\nu} &= -\frac{1}{2} \sum_n \text{Tr} \left[\begin{pmatrix} N(\varepsilon_n), & 0 \\ 0, & N(\varepsilon_n) + 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot (\hat{\mathcal{H}} \sigma_3 r^\nu \hat{V}^\mu + \hat{V}^\mu r^\nu \sigma_3 \hat{\mathcal{H}})_{nn} \right] \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} \sum_n \text{Tr} \left[\varepsilon_n \begin{pmatrix} N(\varepsilon_n), & 0 \\ 0, & N(-\varepsilon_n) \end{pmatrix} \cdot (r^\nu \hat{V}^\mu + \hat{V}^\mu r^\nu)_{nn} \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (\text{S2})$$

The 2×2 matrix $(\dots)_{nn}$ here may be represented as follows

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{C}_{nn} &\equiv \left(\hat{\mathcal{H}} \sigma_3 r^\nu \hat{V}^\mu + \hat{V}^\mu r^\nu \sigma_3 \hat{\mathcal{H}} \right)_{nn} = \int d\mathbf{r} \ \Upsilon_n^\dagger \left(\hat{\mathcal{H}} \sigma_3 r^\nu \hat{V}^\mu + \hat{V}^\mu r^\nu \sigma_3 \hat{\mathcal{H}} \right) \Upsilon_n \\ &= \varepsilon_n \sum_m \left[\sigma_3 \int d\mathbf{r} \left(\Upsilon_n^\dagger r^\nu \sigma_3 \Upsilon_m \right) \sigma_3 \int d\mathbf{r}' \left(\Upsilon_m^\dagger \hat{V}^\mu \Upsilon_n \right) + \int d\mathbf{r}' \left(\Upsilon_n^\dagger \hat{V}^\mu \Upsilon_m \right) \sigma_3 \int d\mathbf{r} \left(\Upsilon_m^\dagger \sigma_3 r^\nu \Upsilon_n \right) \sigma_3 \right] \\ &= \varepsilon_n \sum_m \left[\sigma_3 (\sigma_3 r^\nu)_{nm} \sigma_3 (\hat{V}^\mu)_{mn} + (\hat{V}^\mu)_{nm} \sigma_3 (\sigma_3 r^\nu)_{mn} \sigma_3 \right] \end{aligned} \quad (\text{S3})$$

Now using Eq. (11) we express $(\sigma_3 r^\nu)_{nm}$ in terms of the matrix elements of $\hat{V}^\nu$

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_3 (\sigma_3 r^\nu)_{nm} \sigma_3 &= \frac{-i}{\varepsilon_n^2 - \varepsilon_m^2} \left[\varepsilon_n (\hat{V}^\nu)_{nm} \sigma_3 + \sigma_3 (\hat{V}^\nu)_{nm} \varepsilon_m \right], \\ \sigma_3 (\sigma_3 r^\nu)_{mn} \sigma_3 &= \frac{i}{\varepsilon_n^2 - \varepsilon_m^2} \left[\varepsilon_n \sigma_3 (\hat{V}^\nu)_{mn} + \varepsilon_m (\hat{V}^\nu)_{mn} \sigma_3 \right], \end{aligned} \quad (\text{S4})$$

so that Eq. (S3) becomes

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{C}_{nn} &= \sum_m \frac{i \varepsilon_n}{\varepsilon_n^2 - \varepsilon_m^2} \left[-(\varepsilon_n (\hat{V}^\nu)_{nm} \sigma_3 + \sigma_3 (\hat{V}^\nu)_{nm} \varepsilon_m) (\hat{V}^\mu)_{mn} + (\hat{V}^\mu)_{nm} (\varepsilon_n \sigma_3 (\hat{V}^\nu)_{mn} + \varepsilon_m (\hat{V}^\nu)_{mn} \sigma_3) \right] \\ &= \sum_m \frac{i \varepsilon_n}{\varepsilon_n^2 - \varepsilon_m^2} \left[\varepsilon_n ((\hat{V}^\mu)_{nm} \sigma_3 (\hat{V}^\nu)_{mn} - (\hat{V}^\nu)_{nm} \sigma_3 (\hat{V}^\mu)_{mn}) + \varepsilon_m (\sigma_3 (\hat{V}^\mu)_{nm} (\hat{V}^\nu)_{mn} - (\hat{V}^\nu)_{nm} (\hat{V}^\mu)_{mn} \sigma_3) \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (\text{S5})$$

Using a formula similar to (24), we represent $\begin{pmatrix} N(\varepsilon_n), & 0 \\ 0, & N(\varepsilon_n) + 1 \end{pmatrix} = (N(\varepsilon_n) + \frac{1}{2}) \sigma_0 - \frac{1}{2} \sigma_3$. The structure of matrices $(\hat{V}^\mu)_{nm}$, Eq. (13), results in $\text{Tr}[\mathcal{C}_{nn} \sigma_3] = 0$. We obtain at this stage

$$M_1^{\mu\nu} = -\frac{1}{2} \sum_n \left(N(\varepsilon_n) + \frac{1}{2} \right) \text{Tr}(\mathcal{C}_{nn}) \quad (\text{S6})$$

Simple calculation shows that

$$\begin{aligned} i \text{Tr} \left((\hat{V}^\mu)_{nm} \sigma_3 (\hat{V}^\nu)_{mn} - (\hat{V}^\nu)_{nm} \sigma_3 (\hat{V}^\mu)_{mn} \right) &= 2 \left[X_{a,nm}^{\mu\nu} + X_{b,nm}^{\mu\nu} \right], \\ i \text{Tr} \left(\sigma_3 (\hat{V}^\mu)_{nm} (\hat{V}^\nu)_{mn} - (\hat{V}^\nu)_{nm} (\hat{V}^\mu)_{mn} \sigma_3 \right) &= 2 \left[X_{a,nm}^{\mu\nu} - X_{b,nm}^{\mu\nu} \right], \end{aligned} \quad (\text{S7})$$

with combinations $X_{c,nm}^{\mu\nu}$ introduced in (16). Finally, we obtain

$$M_1^{\mu\nu} = - \sum_{n,m} \left(N(\varepsilon_n) + \frac{1}{2} \right) \varepsilon_n \left[\frac{X_{a,nm}^{\mu\nu}}{\varepsilon_n - \varepsilon_m} + \frac{X_{b,nm}^{\mu\nu}}{\varepsilon_n + \varepsilon_m} \right], \quad (\text{S8})$$

which is Eq. (20) in the main text. It looks different from Eq. (D13) in [1].

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