The matrix equation

$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2}(-i\nabla + \vec{k})^2 + V(\vec{r}) \\ u_{n,\mathbf{k}}(\vec{r}) \end{pmatrix} = E_n(\mathbf{k}) |u_{n,\mathbf{k}}(\vec{r})|$$

$$u_{n,\mathbf{k}}(\vec{r}) \rangle = \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} C(\vec{G}_l) e^{i\vec{G}_l \cdot \vec{r}} , \quad V(\vec{r}) = V_{ext}(\vec{r}) + V_{Hxc}[\rho(\vec{r})] = \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} V(\vec{G}_l) e^{i\vec{G}_l \cdot \vec{r}}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} H_{11} & H_{12} & H_{13} & \dots \\ H_{21} & H_{22} & H_{23} & \dots \\ H_{31} & H_{32} & H_{33} & \dots \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} C_1 \\ C_2 \\ C_3 \\ \dots \end{pmatrix} = E_n(\mathbf{k}) \begin{pmatrix} C_1 \\ C_2 \\ C_3 \\ \dots \end{pmatrix}$$

• We don't want to play with the $\infty \times \infty$ dimension of the matrix.

The matrix equation, finite dimension

$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2}(-i\nabla + \vec{k})^2 + V(\vec{r}) \\ |u_{n,\mathbf{k}}(\vec{r})\rangle = E_n(\mathbf{k}) |u_{n,\mathbf{k}}(\vec{r})\rangle \\ |u_{n,\mathbf{k}}(\vec{r})\rangle = \sum_{l=1}^{N_G} C(\vec{G}_l) e^{i\vec{G}_l \cdot \vec{r}} , V(\vec{r}) = V_{ext}(\vec{r}) + V_{Hxc}[\rho(\vec{r})] = \sum_{l=1}^{2N_G} V(\vec{G}_l) e^{i\vec{G}_l \cdot \vec{r}} \\ \begin{pmatrix} H_{11} & H_{12} & H_{13} & \dots H_{1N} \\ H_{21} & H_{22} & H_{23} & \dots H_{2N} \\ H_{31} & H_{32} & H_{33} & \dots H_{3N} \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ H_{N1} & H_{N2} & H_{N2} & H_{NN} \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} C_1 \\ C_2 \\ C_3 \\ \dots \\ C_N \end{pmatrix} = E_n(\mathbf{k}) \begin{pmatrix} C_1 \\ C_2 \\ C_3 \\ \dots \\ C_N \end{pmatrix}$$

• How can we make the matrix finite ?.

The matrix equation, finite dimension

$$\left|u_{n,\mathbf{k}}(\vec{r})\right\rangle = \sum_{l=1}^{N_{G}} C(\vec{G}_{l}) e^{i\vec{G}_{l}\cdot\vec{r}} , \quad V(\vec{r}) = V_{ext}(\vec{r}) + V_{Hxc}[\rho(\vec{r})] = \sum_{l=1}^{2N_{G}} V(\vec{G}_{l}) e^{i\vec{G}_{l}\cdot\vec{r}}$$

• The Fourier basis waves are generated/provided within the energy cutoff, E_{cut}

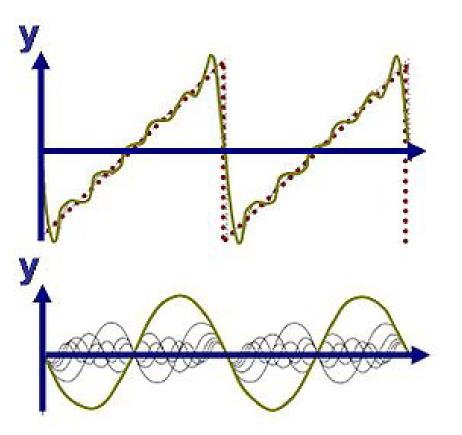
$$\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \left| \vec{G} \right|^2 \le E_{cut} \quad , \quad G_{\max} = \sqrt{2E_{cut}}$$

• Which factor of the system determine E_{cut} or G_{max} ??

Convergence of Fourier series

$$\left|u_{n,\mathbf{k}}(\vec{r})\right\rangle = \sum_{l=1}^{N_{G}} C(\vec{G}_{l}) e^{i\vec{G}_{l}\cdot\vec{r}} , \quad V(\vec{r}) = V_{ext}(\vec{r}) + V_{Hxc}[\rho(\vec{r})] = \sum_{l=1}^{2N_{G}} V(\vec{G}_{l}) e^{i\vec{G}_{l}\cdot\vec{r}}$$

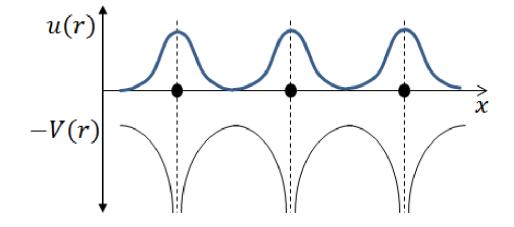
- Low-*G* component \rightarrow Long-range behavior, overall shape. For example, the component *G* = 0 ?
- High-G component → For the kink, sink of the potential



The matrix equation, finite dimension

$$\left|u_{n,\mathbf{k}}(\vec{r})\right\rangle = \sum_{l=1}^{N_G} C(\vec{G}_l) e^{i\vec{G}_l \cdot \vec{r}} , \quad V(\vec{r}) = V_{ext}(\vec{r}) + V_{Hxc}[\rho(\vec{r})] = \sum_{l=1}^{2N_G} V(\vec{G}_l) e^{i\vec{G}_l \cdot \vec{r}}$$

Which factor of the system determine E_{cut} or G_{max} ??



How to do with the infinite depth of the potential ???