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Efimov states embedded in the continuum¹ SETH T. RITTEN-HOUSE, N.P. MEHTA, J.P. D'INCAO, CHRIS H. GREENE, JILA and the Department of Physics, University of Colorado, Boulder CO — By considering a multichannel generalization of the Fermi pseudopotential, we calculate the adiabatic hyperspherical potential curves for three interacting bosons. The resulting energy landscape has a rich and complex structure showing multiple length scales and internal symmetries. Our model indicates the existence of a universal diabatic potential curve which supports a series of quasistable Efimov states embedded in the threebody continuum. These states are energetically far removed from the scattering threshold, and can be accessed using spectroscopic methods, opening experimental possibilities for the exploration of a new realm of Efimov physics

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