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An investigation of resonances in e^+ -H scattering embedded in Debye plasmas¹ YE NING, Z.-C. YAN, University of New Brunswick, Y.K. HO, Institute of Atomic and Molecular Sciences — We have carried out calculations for S-wave and P-wave resonances in e^+ -H scattering in weakly coupled Debye plasmas in which the interacting potential between two charge particles is represented by a screened Coulomb potential. We have employed the complex-scaling method [1] with Hylleraas-type wave functions to take into account of the correlation effects. In the complex-scaling treatment of the screened Coulomb potential, we first performed a Taylor series expansion for the exponential function that contains the " r_{ii} " factor into a polynomial with various powers $(r_{ij})^n$. Then complex transformation with $r_{ij} \rightarrow$ $r_{ii} exp(i\theta)$ for such a series was subsequently carried out, and resonance complex eigenvalues were deduced from their stabilization with respect to the changes of rotational angles θ , and with respect to the changes of some parameters in the wave functions (see [2] for more details). For S-wave resonances, reasonably good agreement has been found with earlier calculations using different methods [3, 4]. Some new results for the *P*-wave resonances will be presented at the meeting.

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