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A Strategy for Fitting a Three Parameter Model of Charge Transport in Ferromagnetic/Superconductor Point Contacts CHARLES W. SMITH, University of Maine, PAUL J. DOLAN, JR., Northeastern Illinois University — We study charge transport in ferromagnet/superconductor point contacts that exhibit effects of spin polarization (P), interface elastic scattering (Z), and bulk inelastic scattering (Γ). We demonstrate a strategy to extract values for P, Z and Γ from conductance data, as a function of temperature. The resulting parameter set can then be used to fit a model that describes charge transport in this type of point contact. Experimental examples will be presented.

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