

# Finite difference Operator derivation 1

$$\bar{\pi} = -i \frac{d}{d\theta}$$

$$\bar{\pi} = -i \frac{d}{d\theta} \quad \bar{\pi}^2 = -\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2}$$

Need to replace this with an operator  
 first need to get expression of  
 2nd order derivative; taylor expand

$$\psi(\theta + \delta\theta) \text{ and } \psi(\theta - \delta\theta)$$

$$\psi(\theta + \delta\theta) = \psi(\theta) - \delta\theta \psi'(\theta) + \frac{\delta\theta^2}{2!} \psi''(\theta) - \frac{\delta\theta^3}{3!} \psi'''(\theta)$$

$$\psi(\theta + \delta\theta) = \psi(\theta) + \delta\theta \psi'(\theta) + \frac{\delta\theta^2}{2!} \psi''(\theta) + \frac{\delta\theta^3}{3!} \psi'''(\theta)$$

$$\psi(\theta - \delta\theta) + \psi(\theta + \delta\theta) = 2\psi(\theta) + \delta\theta^2 \psi''(\theta) + O(\delta\theta^3)$$

$$\psi''(\theta) = \frac{\psi(\theta - \delta\theta) + \psi(\theta + \delta\theta) - 2\psi(\theta)}{\delta\theta^2}$$

$$\psi''(\theta_n) = (\psi(\theta_{n-1}) + \psi(\theta_{n+1}) - 2\psi(\theta_n)) / \delta\theta^2$$

$$\therefore \langle \psi_n | \pi^2 | \psi_m \rangle$$

$$= \langle \psi_n | -\psi_{m-1} - \psi_{m+1} + 2\psi_m | \psi_m \rangle = M_{nm}$$

$$\text{for } n = m-1 \Rightarrow M_{nm} = -1$$

$$n = m+1 \Rightarrow M_{nm} = -1$$

$$n = m \Rightarrow M_{nm} = 2$$

$$n \neq m, m+1, m-1 \Rightarrow M_{nm} = 0$$

$$\therefore \langle \Psi | \Pi^2 | \Psi \rangle = \frac{1}{\delta \theta^2} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 & 0 & 0 & \dots & -1 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 & 0 & 0 & \dots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & -1 & 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & \dots & -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A(\cos \theta) + B(\sin \theta) (\cos \theta) + C(\sin \theta) (\sin \theta) = (\cos \theta)^2$$

$$A = \sqrt{1 + \frac{1}{4} \sin^2 \theta + \frac{1}{4} \cos^2 \theta} = \sqrt{1 + \frac{1}{4} \sin^2 \theta}$$

$$1 - z = A \sin \theta, \quad 1 - \alpha = 0 = 0$$

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$$0 = A \sin \theta + 1 - \alpha = A \sin \theta + 1 - \alpha$$