Modern Quantum Chemistry, Szabo & Ostlund
HW

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2.2.1 Spin Orbitals and Spatial Orbitals

Ex 2.1 Consider $\langle \chi_k \,|\, \chi_m \rangle$. If $k = m$,

$$\langle \chi_{2i-1} \,|\, \chi_{2i-1} \rangle = \langle \psi_i^\alpha \,|\, \psi_i^\alpha \rangle \langle \alpha \,|\, \alpha \rangle = 1 \tag{2.2.1}$$

$$\langle \chi_{2i} \,|\, \chi_{2i} \rangle = \left\langle \psi_i^\beta \,\middle|\, \psi_i^\beta \right\rangle \langle \alpha \,|\, \alpha \rangle = 1 \tag{2.2.2}$$

thus

$$\langle \chi_k \,|\, \chi_k \rangle = 1 \tag{2.2.3}$$

If $k \neq m$, three cases may occur as below

$$\langle \chi_{2i-1} \,|\, \chi_{2j-1} \rangle = \left\langle \psi_i^\alpha \,\middle|\, \psi_j^\alpha \right\rangle \langle \alpha \,|\, \alpha \rangle = 0 \cdot 1 = 0 \qquad (i \neq j) \tag{2.2.4}$$

$$\langle \chi_{2i-1} \,|\, \chi_{2j} \rangle = \left\langle \psi_i^\alpha \,\middle|\, \psi_j^\beta \right\rangle \langle \alpha \,|\, \beta \rangle = S_{ij} \cdot 0 = 0 \tag{2.2.5}$$

$$\langle \chi_{2i} \,|\, \chi_{2j} \rangle = \left\langle \psi_i^\beta \,\middle|\, \psi_j^\beta \right\rangle \langle \beta \,|\, \beta \rangle = 0 \cdot 1 = 0 \qquad (i \neq j) \tag{2.2.6}$$

thus

$$\langle \chi_k \,|\, \chi_m \rangle = 0 \qquad (k \neq m) \tag{2.2.7}$$

Overall,

$$\langle \chi_k \,|\, \chi_m \rangle = \delta_{km} \tag{2.2.8}$$

2.2.2 Hartree Products

Ex 2.2

$$\begin{aligned} \mathscr{H}\Psi^{HP} &= \sum_{i=1}^{N} h(i)\chi_i(\mathbf{x}_1)\chi_j(\mathbf{x}_2)\cdots\chi_k(\mathbf{x}_N) \\ &= \varepsilon_i\chi_i(\mathbf{x}_1)\chi_j(\mathbf{x}_2)\cdots\chi_k(\mathbf{x}_N) + \chi_i(\mathbf{x}_1)[\varepsilon_j\chi_j(\mathbf{x}_2)]\cdots\chi_k(\mathbf{x}_N) + \cdots + \chi_i(\mathbf{x}_1)\chi_j(\mathbf{x}_2)\cdots[\varepsilon_k\chi_k(\mathbf{x}_N)] \\ &= (\varepsilon_i + \varepsilon_j + \cdots + \varepsilon_k)\Psi^{HP} \end{aligned} \tag{2.2.9}$$

2.2.3 Slater Determinants

Ex 2.3

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \Psi \,|\, \Psi \rangle &= \frac{1}{2}(\langle \chi_i \,|\, \chi_i \rangle \langle \chi_j \,|\, \chi_j \rangle - \langle \chi_i \,|\, \chi_j \rangle \langle \chi_j \,|\, \chi_i \rangle - \langle \chi_j \,|\, \chi_i \rangle \langle \chi_i \,|\, \chi_j \rangle + \langle \chi_j \,|\, \chi_j \rangle \langle \chi_i \,|\, \chi_i \rangle) \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(1 + 0 + 0 + 1) = 1 \end{aligned} \tag{2.2.10}$$

Ex 2.4