《量子信息基础》2024.4.11 随堂作业:

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- 1. (Text book* Problem 5.4)
 - (a) If ψ_a and ψ_b are orthogonal, and both are normalized, what is the constant A in Equation 5.17 ?
 - (b) If $\psi_a = \psi_b$ (and it is normalized), what is A? (This case, of course, occurs only for bosons.)

(a)
$$\psi_{\pm}(r_1, r_2) = A[\psi_a(r_1)\psi_b(r_2) \pm \psi_b(r_1)\psi_a(r_2)]$$

$$\begin{split} & \int \left| \psi_{\pm}(r_{1}, r_{2}) \right|^{2} dr_{1} dr_{2} \\ &= \left| A \right|^{2} \int \left[\psi_{a}(r_{1}) \psi_{b}(r_{2}) \pm \psi_{b}(r_{1}) \psi_{a}(r_{2}) \right]^{*} \left[\psi_{a}(r_{1}) \psi_{b}(r_{2}) \pm \psi_{b}(r_{1}) \psi_{a}(r_{2}) \right] dr_{1} dr_{2} \\ &= \left| A \right|^{2} \left[\int \left| \psi_{a}(r_{1}) \right|^{2} dr_{1} \int \left| \psi_{b}(r_{2}) \right|^{2} dr_{2} \pm \int \psi_{b}^{*}(r_{1}) \psi_{a}(r_{1}) dr_{1} \int \psi_{a}^{*}(r_{2}) \psi_{b}(r_{2}) dr_{2} \right. \\ & \left. \pm \int \psi_{a}^{*}(r_{1}) \psi_{b}(r_{1}) dr_{1} \int \psi_{b}^{*}(r_{2}) \psi_{a}(r_{2}) dr_{2} + \int \left| \psi_{b}(r_{1}) \right|^{2} dr_{1} \int \left| \psi_{a}(r_{2}) \right|^{2} dr_{2} \right] \\ &= \left| A \right|^{2} (1 \pm 0 \pm 0 + 1) = 2 |A|^{2} = 1 \end{split}$$

$$A = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

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(b) If
$$\psi_a = \psi_b$$

$$\psi_+(r_1, r_2) = 2A\psi_a(r_1)\psi_b(r_2)$$

$$\int |\psi_+(r_1, r_2)|^2 dr_1 dr_2 = |A|^2 \int [2\psi_a(r_1)\psi_b(r_2)]^* [2\psi_a(r_1)\psi_b(r_2)] dr_1 dr_2$$

$$= 4|A|^2 \int |\psi_a(r_1)|^2 dr_1 \int |\psi_b(r_2)|^2 dr_2 = 4|A|^2 = 1$$

$$A = \frac{1}{2}$$

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- 2. (Text book* Problem 5.23, 注意是教材的第二版)
 - Support you had three (non-interacting) particles, in thermal equilibrium, in a one-dimensional harmonic potential, with a total energy $E=(9/2)\hbar\omega$
 - (c) If they are distinguishable particles (but all with the same mass), what are the possible occupation-number configurations, and how many distinct (three particle) states are there for each one? What is the most probable configuration? If you picked a particle at random and measured its energy, what values might you get, and what is the probability of each one? What is the most probable energy?

- (d) Do the same for the case of identical fermions (ignoring spin).
- (e) Do the same for the case of identical bosons (ignoring spin).

The total energy of the three particles is

$$E = \left(n_1 + n_2 + n_3 + \frac{3}{2}\right)\hbar\omega = \frac{9}{2}\hbar\omega$$
$$n_1 + n_2 + n_3 = 3$$

The possible combinations of (n_1, n_2, n_3) are

$$(1,1,1)$$
 $(0,0,3),(0,3,0),(3,0,0)$
 $(0,1,2),(0,2,1),(1,2,0),(2,1,0),(1,0,2),(2,0,1)$

(a) If particles are distinguishable

Configuration 1 is $(0, 3, 0, 0, 0, \dots)$, 1 distinct state, Q=1/10;

Configuration 2 is (2, 0, 0, 1, 0, ...), 3 distinct states, Q=3/10;

Configuration 3 is (1, 1, 1, 0, 0, ...), 6 distinct states, Q=6/10;

Configuration 3 is the most probable configuration.

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For
$$E_0=\frac{1}{2}\hbar\omega$$
, $P_0=\frac{3}{10}\times\frac{2}{3}+\frac{6}{10}\times\frac{1}{3}=\frac{4}{10};$
For $E_1=\frac{3}{2}\hbar\omega$, $P_1=\frac{1}{10}\times1+\frac{6}{10}\times\frac{1}{3}=\frac{3}{10};$
For $E_2=\frac{5}{2}\hbar\omega$, $P_2=\frac{6}{10}\times\frac{1}{3}=\frac{2}{10};$
For $E_3=\frac{7}{2}\hbar\omega$, $P_3=\frac{3}{10}\times\frac{1}{3}=\frac{1}{10}.$

 E_0 is the most probable energy, with probability of 4/10.

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(b) If particles are fermions 全同粒子,不可区分,费米子一个一态 Configuration 1 and 2 are forbidden. Only one configuration left which is $(1,1,1,0,0,\dots)$

This is the most probable configuration.

For
$$E_0 = \frac{1}{2}\hbar\omega$$
, $P_0 = \frac{1}{3}$;
For $E_1 = \frac{3}{2}\hbar\omega$, $P_1 = \frac{1}{3}$;
For $E_2 = \frac{5}{2}\hbar\omega$, $P_2 = \frac{1}{3}$.

All three energies are the most probable energy.

(c) If particles are bosons 玻色子,不可区分,可共态 Configuration 1 is (0, 3, 0, 0, 0, ...), 1 distinct state, Q=1/3; Configuration 2 is (2, 0, 0, 1, 0, ...), 1 distinct states, Q=1/3; Configuration 3 is (1, 1, 1, 0, 0, ...), 1 distinct states, Q=1/3; All three configurations are the most probable configuration.

For
$$E_0=\frac{1}{2}\hbar\omega$$
, $P_0=\frac{1}{3}\times\frac{2}{3}+\frac{1}{3}\times\frac{1}{3}=\frac{1}{3};$
For $E_1=\frac{3}{2}\hbar\omega$, $P_1=\frac{1}{3}\times1+\frac{1}{3}\times\frac{1}{3}=\frac{4}{9};$
For $E_2=\frac{5}{2}\hbar\omega$, $P_2=\frac{1}{3}\times\frac{1}{3}=\frac{1}{9};$
For $E_3=\frac{7}{2}\hbar\omega$, $P_3=\frac{1}{3}\times\frac{1}{3}=\frac{1}{9}.$

 E_1 is the most probable energy, with probability of 4/9.

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3. Put 10 distinguishable particles into 4 different quantum states to let the final configuration to be (4,3,2,1) as the macrostate. Calculate the number of microstates in this configuration.

$$P = C_{10}^4 C_6^3 C_3^2 C_1^1 = 12600$$

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^{*} David J. Griffiths, and Darrell F. Schroeter, Introduction to Quantum Mechanics (3rd Edition), Cambridge University Press (2018).