

《量子信息基础》2024.5.23 随堂作业：

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二阶关联函数在光子数表象下为 $g^{(2)}(\tau) = \frac{\langle n_1(t)n_2(t+\tau) \rangle}{\langle n_1(t) \rangle \langle n_2(t+\tau) \rangle}$

1. Show that, in terms of the intensity fluctuations defined by $\Delta I(t) = I(t) - \langle I(t) \rangle$, the second order correlation function $g^{(2)}(\tau)$ can be written in the form:

$$g^{(2)}(\tau) = 1 + \frac{\langle \Delta I(t) \Delta I(t + \tau) \rangle}{\langle I(t) \rangle \langle I(t + \tau) \rangle}$$

Hence prove that $g^{(2)}(0) \geq 1$ for classical light.

$$\Delta I(t) = I(t) - \langle I(t) \rangle$$

$$I(t) = \Delta I(t) + \langle I(t) \rangle$$

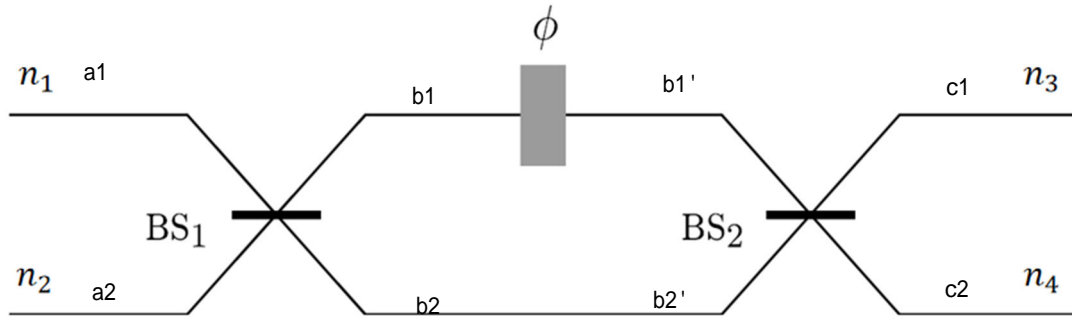
$$I(t + \tau) = \Delta I(t + \tau) + \langle I(t + \tau) \rangle$$

$$g^{(2)}(\tau) = \frac{(\langle \Delta I(t) + \langle I(t) \rangle \rangle)(\langle I(t + \tau) \rangle + \Delta I(t + \tau))}{\langle I(t) \rangle \langle I(t + \tau) \rangle} = 1 + \frac{\langle \Delta I(t) \Delta I(t + \tau) \rangle}{\langle I(t) \rangle \langle I(t + \tau) \rangle}$$

For classical light sources: $g^{(2)}(0) = 1 + \frac{\langle (\Delta I(t))^2 \rangle}{\langle \Delta I(t) \rangle^2} \geq 1$

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2. In the Mach-Zehnder interferometer shown below, drive the analytical relation between the output photon number n_3, n_4 and the input photon number n_1, n_2 .



$$\begin{cases} \hat{b}_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\hat{a}_1 + \hat{a}_2) \\ \hat{b}_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\hat{a}_1 - \hat{a}_2) \end{cases}, \quad \therefore \begin{pmatrix} \hat{b}_1 \\ \hat{b}_2 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \hat{a}_1 \\ \hat{a}_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{cases} \hat{b}'_1 = \hat{b}_1 \cdot e^{i\phi} \\ \hat{b}'_2 = \hat{b}_2 \end{cases}, \quad \therefore \begin{pmatrix} \hat{b}'_1 \\ \hat{b}'_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} e^{i\phi} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \hat{b}_1 \\ \hat{b}_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{cases} \hat{c}_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\hat{b}'_1 + \hat{b}'_2) \\ \hat{c}_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\hat{b}'_1 - \hat{b}'_2) \end{cases}, \quad \therefore \begin{pmatrix} \hat{c}_1 \\ \hat{c}_2 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \hat{b}'_1 \\ \hat{b}'_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\therefore \begin{pmatrix} \hat{c}_1 \\ \hat{c}_2 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} e^{i\phi} + 1 & e^{i\phi} - 1 \\ e^{i\phi} - 1 & e^{i\phi} + 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \hat{a}_1 \\ \hat{a}_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{cases} n_3 = \hat{c}_1^\dagger \hat{c}_1 \\ n_4 = \hat{c}_2^\dagger \hat{c}_2 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore n_3 &= \frac{1}{2} [\hat{a}_1(e^{-i\phi} + 1) + \hat{a}_2(e^{-i\phi} - 1)] \cdot \frac{1}{2} [\hat{a}_1(e^{i\phi} + 1) + \hat{a}_2(e^{i\phi} - 1)] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} n_1(1 + \cos\phi) + \frac{1}{2} n_2(1 - \cos\phi) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{For the same reason, } n_4 = \frac{1}{2} n_1(1 - \cos\phi) + \frac{1}{2} n_2(1 + \cos\phi)$$

三个中间步骤推导正确给 40 分，答案正确给 20 分

$$\begin{aligned} g^2(\tau) &= \frac{\langle I(t)I(t+\tau) \rangle}{\langle I(t) \rangle \langle I(t+\tau) \rangle} \\ &= \frac{\langle (\Delta I(t) + \langle I(t) \rangle) (\Delta I(t+\tau) + \langle I(t+\tau) \rangle) \rangle}{\langle I(t) \rangle \langle I(t+\tau) \rangle} \\ &= \frac{\langle \Delta I(t) \Delta I(t+\tau) + \Delta I(t) \langle I(t+\tau) \rangle + \langle I(t) \rangle \Delta I(t+\tau) + \langle I(t) \rangle \langle I(t+\tau) \rangle \rangle}{\langle I(t) \rangle \langle I(t+\tau) \rangle} \\ &= \frac{\langle \Delta I(t) \Delta I(t+\tau) \rangle + \langle \Delta I(t) \rangle \langle I(t+\tau) \rangle + \langle \langle I(t) \rangle \Delta I(t+\tau) \rangle + \langle \langle I(t) \rangle \rangle \langle I(t+\tau) \rangle \rangle}{\langle I(t) \rangle \langle I(t+\tau) \rangle} \\ &= \frac{\langle \Delta I(t) \Delta I(t+\tau) \rangle + \langle \Delta I(t) \rangle \langle I(t+\tau) \rangle + \langle \Delta I(t+\tau) \rangle \langle I(t) \rangle + \langle I(t) \rangle \langle I(t+\tau) \rangle}{\langle I(t) \rangle \langle I(t+\tau) \rangle} \\ &= \frac{\langle \Delta I(t) \Delta I(t+\tau) \rangle + 0 \cdot \langle I(t+\tau) \rangle + 0 \cdot \langle I(t) \rangle + \langle I(t) \rangle \langle I(t+\tau) \rangle}{\langle I(t) \rangle \langle I(t+\tau) \rangle} \\ &= 1 + \frac{\langle \Delta I(t) \Delta I(t+\tau) \rangle}{\langle I(t) \rangle \langle I(t+\tau) \rangle} \end{aligned}$$