

第 1 题 得分: _____. 求单模热光场的平均光子数.

解: 单模热光场的平均光子数为

$$\begin{aligned}\langle N \rangle &= \text{Tr}(\rho a^\dagger a) \\ &= \sum_m \langle m | \left[1 - \exp\left(-\frac{\hbar\omega}{kT}\right) \right] \sum_n \exp\left(-n\frac{\hbar\omega}{kT}\right) |n\rangle \langle n| a^\dagger a |m\rangle \\ &= \left[1 - \exp\left(-\frac{\hbar\omega}{kT}\right) \right] \sum_{m,n} \exp\left(-n\frac{\hbar\omega}{kT}\right) \langle m|n\rangle \langle n| a^\dagger a |m\rangle \\ &= \left[1 - \exp\left(-\frac{\hbar\omega}{kT}\right) \right] \sum_n \exp\left(-n\frac{\hbar\omega}{kT}\right) \langle n| a^\dagger a |n\rangle \\ &= \left[1 - \exp\left(-\frac{\hbar\omega}{kT}\right) \right] \sum_n \exp\left(-n\frac{\hbar\omega}{kT}\right) n \\ &= \frac{\exp\left(-\frac{\hbar\omega}{kT}\right)}{1 - \exp\left(-\frac{\hbar\omega}{kT}\right)}.\end{aligned}$$

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第 2 题 得分: _____. 证明平移算符的性质:

$$D^\dagger = D(-\alpha) = [D(\alpha)]^{-1},$$

$$D^{-1}(\alpha) a D(\alpha) = a + \alpha.$$

证: 位移算符

$$D(\alpha) = e^{\alpha a^\dagger - \alpha^* a} = e^{\alpha a^\dagger} e^{-\alpha^* a} e^{-|\alpha|^2/2}. \quad (1)$$

先证第一个等式: 由于

$$D^\dagger(\alpha) = e^{\alpha^* a - \alpha a^\dagger}, \quad (2)$$

$$D(-\alpha) = e^{-\alpha a^\dagger + \alpha^* a}, \quad (3)$$

$$[D(\alpha)]^{-1} = e^{-\alpha a^\dagger + \alpha^* a}, \quad (4)$$

故

$$D^\dagger(\alpha) = D(-\alpha) = [D(\alpha)]^{-1}. \quad (5)$$

再证第二个等式: 由于 $[a, [a, a^\dagger]] = [a^\dagger, [a, a^\dagger]] = 0$, 利用 Baker-Hansdoff 公式, 有

$$D^{-1}(\alpha) = e^{\alpha^* a - \alpha a^\dagger} = e^{\alpha^* a} e^{-\alpha a^\dagger} e^{-[\alpha^* a, \alpha a^\dagger]/2} = e^{\alpha^* a} e^{-\alpha a^\dagger} e^{|\alpha|^2/2}, \quad (6)$$

从而

$$D^{-1}(\alpha) a D(\alpha) = e^{\alpha^* a} e^{-\alpha a^\dagger} e^{|\alpha|^2/2} a e^{\alpha a^\dagger} e^{-\alpha^* a} e^{-|\alpha|^2/2} = e^{\alpha^* a} e^{-\alpha a^\dagger} a e^{\alpha a^\dagger} e^{-\alpha^* a}, \quad (7)$$

利用 $e^{-xa^\dagger} a e^{xa^\dagger} = a + x$ 得

$$D^{-1}(\alpha) a D(\alpha) = e^{\alpha^* a} (a + \alpha) e^{-\alpha^* a} = a + \alpha. \quad (8)$$

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第 3 题 得分: _____. 证明:

$$a^\dagger|\alpha\rangle\langle\alpha| = (\alpha^* + \frac{\partial}{\partial\alpha})|\alpha\rangle\langle\alpha|,$$

$$|\alpha\rangle\langle\alpha|a = (\alpha + \frac{\partial}{\partial\alpha^*})|\alpha\rangle\langle\alpha|.$$

证: 相干态

$$|\alpha\rangle = e^{-|\alpha|^2/2} \sum_n \frac{\alpha^n}{\sqrt{n!}} |n\rangle, \quad (9)$$

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$$|\alpha\rangle\langle\alpha| = e^{-|\alpha|^2} \sum_{n,m} \frac{\alpha^n}{\sqrt{n!}} \frac{(\alpha^*)^m}{\sqrt{m!}} |n\rangle\langle m|. \quad (10)$$

第一个等式左边:

$$\begin{aligned} a^\dagger|\alpha\rangle\langle\alpha| &= a^\dagger e^{-|\alpha|^2} \sum_{n,m} \frac{\alpha^n}{\sqrt{n!}} \frac{(\alpha^*)^m}{\sqrt{m!}} |n\rangle\langle m| \\ &= e^{-|\alpha|^2} \sum_{n,m} \frac{\alpha^n}{\sqrt{n!}} \frac{(\alpha^*)^m}{\sqrt{m!}} \sqrt{n+1} |n+1\rangle\langle m| \\ &= e^{-|\alpha|^2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha^{n-1}}{\sqrt{(n-1)!}} \frac{(\alpha^*)^m}{\sqrt{m!}} \sqrt{n} |n\rangle\langle m| \end{aligned} \quad (11)$$

第一个等式右边:

$$\begin{aligned} &(\alpha^* + \frac{\partial}{\partial\alpha})|\alpha\rangle\langle\alpha| \\ &= (\alpha^* + \frac{\partial}{\partial\alpha}) e^{-|\alpha|^2} \sum_{n,m} \frac{\alpha^n}{\sqrt{n!}} \frac{(\alpha^*)^m}{\sqrt{m!}} |n\rangle\langle m| \\ &= \alpha^* e^{-|\alpha|^2} \sum_{n,m} \frac{\alpha^n}{\sqrt{n!}} \frac{(\alpha^*)^m}{\sqrt{m!}} |n\rangle\langle m| - \alpha^* e^{-|\alpha|^2} \sum_{n,m} \frac{\alpha^n}{\sqrt{n!}} \frac{(\alpha^*)^m}{\sqrt{m!}} |n\rangle\langle m| + e^{-|\alpha|^2} \sum_{n,m} \sqrt{n} \frac{\alpha^{n-1}}{\sqrt{(n-1)!}} \frac{(\alpha^*)^m}{\sqrt{m!}} |n\rangle\langle m| \\ &= e^{-|\alpha|^2} \sum_{n,m} \sqrt{n} \frac{\alpha^{n-1}}{\sqrt{(n-1)!}} \frac{(\alpha^*)^m}{\sqrt{m!}} |n\rangle\langle m| \\ &= e^{-|\alpha|^2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \sqrt{n} \frac{\alpha^{n-1}}{\sqrt{(n-1)!}} \frac{(\alpha^*)^m}{\sqrt{m!}} |n\rangle\langle m|, \end{aligned} \quad (12)$$

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$$a^\dagger|\alpha\rangle\langle\alpha| = (\alpha^* + \frac{\partial}{\partial\alpha})|\alpha\rangle\langle\alpha|. \quad (14)$$

同理, 第二个等式左边:

$$\begin{aligned} |\alpha\rangle\langle\alpha|a &= e^{-|\alpha|^2} \sum_{n,m} \frac{\alpha^n}{\sqrt{n!}} \frac{(\alpha^*)^m}{\sqrt{m!}} |n\rangle\langle m|a \\ &= e^{-|\alpha|^2} \sum_{n,m} \sqrt{m+1} \frac{\alpha^n}{\sqrt{n!}} \frac{(\alpha^*)^m}{\sqrt{m!}} |n\rangle\langle m+1| \\ &= e^{-|\alpha|^2} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \sqrt{m} \frac{\alpha^n}{\sqrt{n!}} \frac{(\alpha^*)^{m-1}}{\sqrt{(m-1)!}} |n\rangle\langle m| \end{aligned}$$

第二个等式右边:

$$(\alpha + \frac{\partial}{\partial\alpha^*})|\alpha\rangle\langle\alpha|$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= (\alpha + \frac{\partial}{\partial \alpha^*}) e^{-|\alpha|^2} \sum_{n,m} \frac{\alpha^n}{\sqrt{n!}} \frac{(\alpha^*)^m}{\sqrt{m!}} |n\rangle \langle m| \\
&= \alpha e^{-|\alpha|^2} \sum_{n,m} \frac{\alpha^n}{\sqrt{n!}} \frac{(\alpha^*)^m}{\sqrt{m!}} |n\rangle \langle m| - \alpha e^{-|\alpha|^2} \sum_{n,m} \frac{\alpha^n}{\sqrt{n!}} \frac{(\alpha^*)^m}{\sqrt{m!}} |n\rangle \langle m| + e^{-|\alpha|^2} \sum_{n,m} \frac{\alpha^n}{\sqrt{n!}} \sqrt{m} \frac{(\alpha^*)^{m-1}}{\sqrt{(m-1)!}} |n\rangle \langle m| \\
&= e^{-|\alpha|^2} \sum_{n,m} \frac{\alpha^n}{\sqrt{n!}} \sqrt{m} \frac{(\alpha^*)^{m-1}}{\sqrt{(m-1)!}} |n\rangle \langle m| \\
&= e^{-|\alpha|^2} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha^n}{\sqrt{n!}} \sqrt{m} \frac{(\alpha^*)^{m-1}}{\sqrt{(m-1)!}} |n\rangle \langle m|, \tag{15}
\end{aligned}$$

故

$$|\alpha\rangle \langle \alpha| a = (\alpha + \frac{\partial}{\partial \alpha^*}) |\alpha\rangle \langle \alpha|. \tag{16}$$

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