

$$1. (a) \frac{d}{dt} \langle \hat{A} \rangle = \langle \frac{\partial \hat{A}}{\partial t} \rangle + \frac{1}{i\hbar} \langle [\hat{A}, \hat{H}] \rangle$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \langle XP \rangle = \frac{1}{i\hbar} \langle [\hat{X}\hat{P}, \hat{H}] \rangle \quad \hat{H} = \frac{\hat{P}^2}{2m} + V(X)$$

$$[\hat{X}\hat{P}, \frac{\hat{P}^2}{2m}] + [\hat{X}\hat{P}, V(X)]$$

$$= [\hat{X}, \frac{\hat{P}^2}{2m}] \hat{P} + \hat{X} [\hat{P}, V(X)] \quad -i\hbar \frac{dV}{dX}$$

$$\frac{1}{2m} [\hat{P}^2, \hat{X}] = -\frac{1}{2m} (\hat{P} [\hat{P}, \hat{X}] + [\hat{P}, \hat{X}] \hat{P}) = \frac{i\hbar}{m} \hat{P}$$

$$\therefore \frac{d}{dt} \langle XP \rangle = \langle \frac{1}{i\hbar} (\frac{i\hbar}{m} \hat{P}^2 - i\hbar \hat{X} \frac{dV}{dX}) \rangle \quad \frac{\hat{P}^2}{2m} = T$$

$$= 2\langle T \rangle - \langle X \frac{dV}{dX} \rangle$$

$$(b) \text{ For an energy eigenstate } \langle x, t | \psi_n \rangle = \psi_n(x) e^{-\frac{iE_n t}{\hbar}},$$

$$\langle XP \rangle = \int dx \psi_n^*(x) x (-i\hbar \frac{d}{dx}) \psi_n(x) \text{ indep. of time}$$

$$\therefore \frac{d}{dt} \langle XP \rangle = 0 \Rightarrow 2\langle T \rangle = \langle X \frac{dV}{dX} \rangle$$

$$(c) \text{ In 3-D } 2\langle T \rangle = \langle \vec{r} \cdot \vec{\nabla} V \rangle$$

$$\text{For a Coulomb potential } V = \frac{q_1 q_2}{r}; \quad q_1, q_2 = \text{charges}$$

$$\vec{r} \cdot \vec{\nabla} V = -r \cdot \frac{q_1 q_2}{r^2} = -\frac{q_1 q_2}{r} = -V$$

$$\therefore 2\langle T \rangle = -\langle V \rangle \Rightarrow \langle T \rangle = -\frac{1}{2} \langle V \rangle$$

1. (d) Since  $\langle T \rangle = -\frac{1}{2}\langle V \rangle$  and  $E = T + V$ ,  
 (2) then  $\mathcal{O}(E) = \mathcal{O}(T)$  ( $\mathcal{O}$ : order of magnitude)

For ground-state  $|E| \sim \alpha^2 c^2 m_e \sim m_e v^2$  (kinetic energy)

$\therefore \frac{v}{c} \sim \alpha = \frac{1}{137}$  The classical path is circular motion with constant speed.

traveling distance  $\sim \langle r \rangle \sim \mathcal{O}(10^{-10} \text{ m})$  (size of H-atom)

time  $\sim \frac{l}{v} = \frac{l}{\alpha c}$   $S \sim \int_0^t m v^2 dt$   $\leftarrow$  I only care about the order of magnitude so I drop constants that are  $\mathcal{O}(1)$ .

$$S \sim m v^2 t \sim m_e \alpha^2 c^2 \frac{l}{\alpha c}$$

$$m_e \sim 10^{-30} \text{ kg}$$

$$S \sim 10^{-30} \cdot \frac{1}{137} \cdot 3 \times 10^8 \cdot 10^{-10} \sim 10^{-34} \sim \hbar$$

$\therefore$  One must use QM to treat its motion.

$$\Psi = \frac{1}{5} (|100\rangle + 4i|210\rangle - 2\sqrt{2}|21-1\rangle)$$

$$2. (a) \int \Psi^* \Psi d^3\vec{r} = \int d^3\vec{r} |\Psi|^2 (\Psi_{100}^* - 4i\Psi_{210}^* - 2\sqrt{2}\Psi_{21-1}^*)$$

$$(\Psi_{100} + 4i\Psi_{210} - 2\sqrt{2}\Psi_{21-1})$$

$$\therefore \int \Psi_{n\ell m}^* \Psi_{n'\ell'm'} d^3\vec{r} = \delta_{nn'} \delta_{\ell\ell'} \delta_{mm'}$$

$$\therefore \int \Psi^* \Psi d^3\vec{r} = |\Psi|^2 (1 + |4i|^2 + (2\sqrt{2})^2) = |\Psi|^2 (1 + 16 + 8)$$

$$= 25|\Psi|^2 = 1 \Rightarrow |\Psi|^2 = \frac{1}{25}, \text{ can take } \Psi = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$(b) E_n = \frac{E_1}{n^2} \text{ for Hydrogen-like atoms (Coulomb potential)}$$

$$\therefore \langle E \rangle = \left(\frac{1}{5}\right)^2 E_1 + |4i|^2 E_2 + \left(\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{5}\right)^2 E_2$$

$$= \frac{1}{25} E_1 + \frac{24}{25} E_2 = \frac{1}{25} E_1 + \frac{24}{25} \cdot \frac{E_1}{4}$$

$$= \frac{7}{25} E_1$$

$$(c) \langle L_z \rangle = \left(\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{5}\right)^2 (-\hbar) = -\frac{8}{25} \hbar$$

$$\hat{L}_x = \frac{1}{2} (\hat{L}_+ + \hat{L}_-) \quad |\Psi\rangle = \frac{1}{5} (|10,0\rangle + 4i|11,0\rangle - 2\sqrt{2}|11,-1\rangle)$$

$\approx |2, m\rangle, \text{ omitting } n$

$$\langle L_x \rangle = \langle \Psi | \hat{L}_x | \Psi \rangle = \frac{1}{2} (\langle L_+ \rangle + \langle L_- \rangle)$$

$$\langle L_+ \rangle = \left(\frac{1}{5}\right)^2 (-4i)(-2\sqrt{2}) \langle 1,0 | \hat{L}_+ | 1,-1 \rangle = \frac{16}{25} i \hbar$$

$$\langle L_- \rangle = \left(\frac{1}{5}\right)^2 (4i)(2\sqrt{2}) \langle 1,-1 | \hat{L}_- | 1,0 \rangle = -\frac{16}{25} i \hbar$$

$$\therefore \langle L_x \rangle = 0$$

2. (d) With the additional term  $[\hat{H}, \hat{L}_z] = 0$  still holds,  
 (and  $[\hat{H}, \hat{L}^2] = 0$ )  $\nearrow$

$\therefore |n, l, m\rangle$  still eigenstates of  $\hat{H}$

$\langle L_z \rangle$  is a const. of motion ( $\frac{d}{dt} \langle L_z \rangle = 0$ )

$\therefore \langle L_z \rangle = -\frac{8}{25} \hbar$  for any time.

$$|\psi(t)\rangle = \frac{1}{5} \left( e^{-\frac{i E_1 t}{\hbar}} |0, 0, 0\rangle - 4i e^{-\frac{i E_2 t}{\hbar}} |2, 1, 0\rangle - 2\sqrt{2} e^{-\frac{i E_2 t}{\hbar}} e^{+i\omega_0 t} |2, 1, -1\rangle \right)$$

$\uparrow m(L_z) = -\hbar$

$$\langle L_+ \rangle(t) = \frac{16}{25} i \hbar e^{i\omega_0 t}, \quad \langle L_- \rangle(t) = \frac{16}{25} -i \hbar e^{-i\omega_0 t}$$

$$\langle L_x \rangle = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{16}{25} i \hbar \cdot 2i \sin(\omega_0 t) = -\frac{16\hbar}{25} \sin(\omega_0 t)$$

3. (a) Since  $\hat{H}_{\text{SHO}}$  is invariant under parity ( $[\hat{H}, \hat{\Pi}] = 0$ ) and 1-D SHO have non-degenerate spectra,  $|n\rangle$  is also an eigenstate of  $\hat{H}$ .

(b)  $\hat{a}^\dagger = \sqrt{\frac{m\omega}{2\hbar}} \left( \hat{x} - \frac{i}{m\omega} \hat{p}_x \right)$ , since  $\hat{\Pi} \hat{x} \hat{\Pi} = -\hat{x}$  and  $\hat{\Pi} \hat{p}_x \hat{\Pi} = -\hat{p}_x$ ,  $\hat{\Pi} \hat{a}^\dagger \hat{\Pi} = -\hat{a}^\dagger$ .

(c)  $\hat{a}|0\rangle = 0 \Rightarrow \left[ x + \frac{i}{m\omega} \left( \hbar \frac{d}{dx} \right) \right] \psi_0(x) = 0$

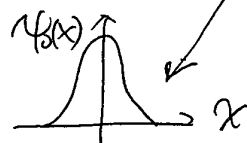
$\psi_0(x) \equiv \langle x|0\rangle$

$$x\psi_0 = -\frac{\hbar}{m\omega} \frac{d}{dx} \psi_0 \quad -\frac{m\omega}{\hbar} x dx = \frac{d\psi_0}{\psi_0}$$

$$\ln \psi_0 = -a^2 x^2 + C \quad (a, C = \text{some constants})$$

$$\therefore \psi_0 = C' e^{-ax^2} \quad (C' = \text{some const.}) \Rightarrow \text{a Gaussian.}$$

(d)  $\hat{\Pi}|0\rangle = |0\rangle$  (parity-even) from (c)



$n=1$ :  $|1\rangle = \hat{a}^\dagger |0\rangle$   $\hat{\Pi}|1\rangle = \hat{\Pi} \hat{a}^\dagger |0\rangle = -\hat{a}^\dagger \hat{\Pi}|0\rangle$   
 $= -\hat{a}^\dagger |0\rangle = -|1\rangle$  (from (b)) (parity-odd)

By induction (歸納法) you can prove that

$|n+1\rangle \propto \hat{a}^\dagger |n\rangle$  has opposite parity than  $|n\rangle$

$\therefore$  The parity of  $|n\rangle$  is  $(-1)^n$  or  $\hat{\Pi}|n\rangle = (-1)^n |n\rangle$ .

4. (a)  $\psi'$  and  $\psi$  differ by a (local) phase, so probability ( $\propto |\psi|^2$ ) distributions remain the same. As long as physical observables (something we can measure) the expectation values of are Gauge-Invariant, we don't need to worry that  $\psi(\vec{r}, t)$  depends on the gauge.

(b)  $\hat{H} = \frac{1}{2}m (\hat{v}_x^2 + \hat{v}_y^2 + \hat{v}_z^2) + q\phi$   
 $\uparrow$  the "real" kinetic energy.

(c)  $\langle \hat{p}_{Gi} \rangle = \int \psi^* (-i\hbar \vec{\nabla}) \psi d^3\vec{r}$

$\langle \hat{p}_{Gi} \rangle' = \int e^{+i\frac{q}{\hbar c}f} \psi^* (-i\hbar \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i}) e^{-i\frac{q}{\hbar c}f} \psi d^3\vec{r}$

$= \int \psi^* (-i\hbar \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i}) \psi d^3\vec{r} + \int \psi^* \psi (-\frac{q}{c} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i}) d^3\vec{r} \neq \langle \hat{p}_{Gi} \rangle$

$\therefore$  Not Gauge-Invariant.

$\langle \hat{v}_i \rangle = \frac{1}{m} \langle \hat{p}_{Gi} \rangle - \frac{q}{mc} \langle A_i \rangle$   $\vec{A}' = \vec{A} - \nabla f$

$\langle \hat{v}_i \rangle' = \frac{1}{m} \langle \hat{p}_{Gi} \rangle - \frac{q}{mc} \int \psi^* \psi (\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i}) d^3\vec{r}$   
 $- \frac{q}{mc} \langle A_i \rangle + \frac{q}{mc} \int \psi^* \psi (\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i}) d^3\vec{r} = \langle \hat{v}_i \rangle$

$\therefore$  Gauge-Invariant.

(1 point if you can tell  $v_i$  corresponds to kinetic momentum and thus should be gauge-invariant.)

$$4. (d) \vec{B} = \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{A} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{x} & \hat{y} & \hat{z} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ -\frac{1}{2}B_0 y & \frac{1}{2}B_0 x & 0 \end{vmatrix} = B_0 \hat{z}, \quad \vec{E} = -\vec{\nabla}\phi - \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \vec{A}}{\partial t} = 0$$

(or b/c  $\vec{B}$  is const.)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(e)} \quad [\hat{V}_x, \hat{V}_y] &= \left[ \frac{1}{m} \left( \hat{P}_x - \frac{q}{c} A_x \right), \frac{1}{m} \left( \hat{P}_y - \frac{q}{c} A_y \right) \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{m^2} \left( -\frac{q}{2c} [\hat{P}_x, B_0 \hat{x}] + \frac{q}{2c} [B_0 \hat{y}, \hat{P}_y] \right) \\ &= \frac{q B_0}{2m^2 c} \cdot 2i\hbar = \frac{i\hbar \omega_L}{m} \quad \text{with } \omega_L = \frac{q B_0}{m c} \end{aligned}$$

$$(f) \quad \hat{v}_x = \sqrt{\frac{\hbar \omega_L}{2m}} (\hat{a}^\dagger + \hat{a}), \quad \hat{v}_y = i \sqrt{\frac{\hbar \omega_L}{2m}} (\hat{a}^\dagger - \hat{a})$$

$$\hat{H} = \frac{1}{2}m(\hat{V}_x^2 + \hat{V}_y^2) = \frac{i}{2}m\left(\frac{\hbar\omega_L}{2m}\right) \left[ \underbrace{(\hat{a}^\dagger + \hat{a})^2 - (\hat{a}^\dagger - \hat{a})^2}_{//} \right]$$

$$= \hbar \omega_L \cdot \frac{1}{4} \cdot 2(\hat{a}^\dagger \hat{a} + \hat{a} \hat{a}^\dagger) \quad [\hat{a}, \hat{a}^\dagger] = 1 \quad (*)$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{a} \hat{a}^\dagger = \hat{a}^\dagger \hat{a} + 1$$

$$= \hbar \omega \cdot \frac{1}{2} (2 \hat{a}^\dagger \hat{a} + 1) = \hbar \omega \left( \hat{a}^\dagger \hat{a} + \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

→ A (1-D!!) SHO!  $E_n = (n + \frac{1}{2}) \hbar \omega_L$   $n=0, 1, 2, \dots$

$$\begin{aligned} (*) [\hat{a}, \hat{a}^\dagger] &= \frac{m}{2\hbar\omega_L} [\hat{p}_x + i\hat{p}_y, \hat{p}_x - i\hat{p}_y] = \frac{m}{2\hbar\omega_L} (-i[\hat{p}_x, \hat{p}_y] + i[\hat{p}_y, \hat{p}_x]) \\ &= \frac{m}{2\hbar\omega_L} \cdot -2i[\hat{p}_x, \hat{p}_y] = \frac{m}{2\hbar\omega_L} \cdot (-2i) \frac{i\hbar\omega_L}{m} = 1 \end{aligned}$$