

# Cold atoms experiment: $^{133}\text{Cs}$

? Why  $^{133}\text{Cs}$ ?

→ Alkali (cold atoms ✓)

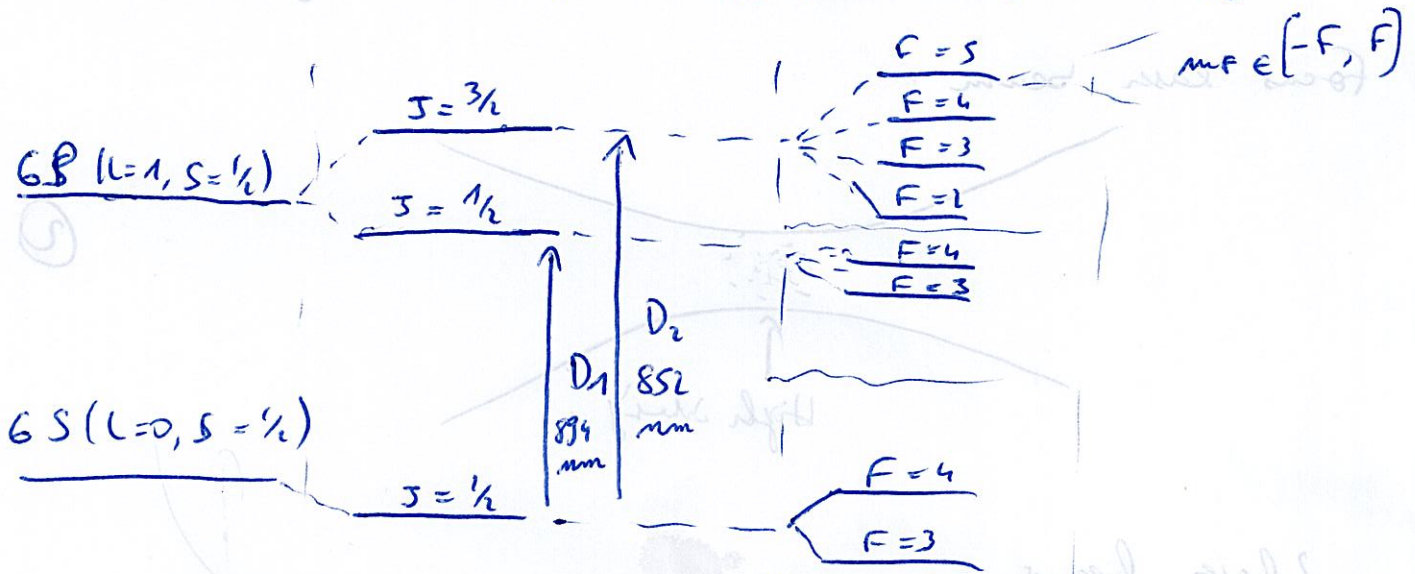
→ Bosons! (No Pauli exclusion, we can perform the exp w/ 1000 non-int. atoms in each micro well).

① Nat: 55  $\rightarrow 133 - 55 = 78$  neutrons  
- real isotope is 160% nat, won't radiate.

? Electronic structure?

Notation spectro:  $n^{2s+1}L_J$

For  $^{133}\text{Cs}$ :  $n=6$ ,  $S=1/2$  (alkali),  $J=7/2$



Fine structure

$$\propto \vec{L} \cdot \vec{S}$$

$$\vec{J} = \vec{L} + \vec{S}$$

$$\Rightarrow J \in [L-S, L+S]$$

$$m_J \in -J, J$$

$$\vec{L} \cdot \vec{S} = \frac{1}{2} (\vec{J}^2 - \vec{L}^2 - \vec{S}^2)$$

HF structure

$$\propto \vec{I} \cdot \vec{J}$$

$$\vec{F} = \vec{I} + \vec{J}$$

idem

Zeman

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \sum_{n=1}^N f(x_n) \Delta x$$

# 1 Dipole trap?

Polarizability of the external  $e^-$  :

$$\vec{d} = q \vec{r}$$

$$\vec{d} = \alpha \vec{E}$$

$\vec{E}$  oscillating :  $\vec{d}(\omega) = \alpha(\omega) \vec{E}(\omega)$

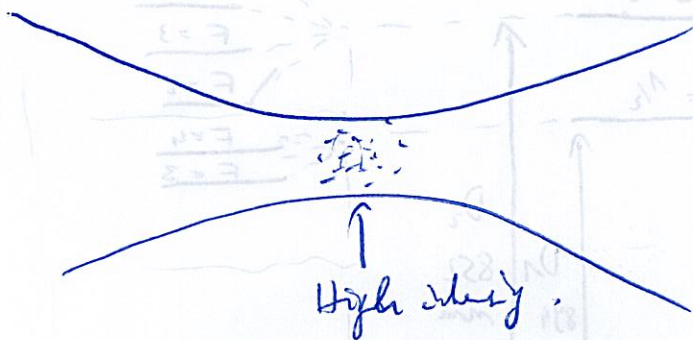
$$E_{\text{dipole}} = -\frac{1}{2} \alpha(\omega) \langle \vec{E}^2 \rangle$$

LRT (lin resp th)

$$I(\vec{r})$$

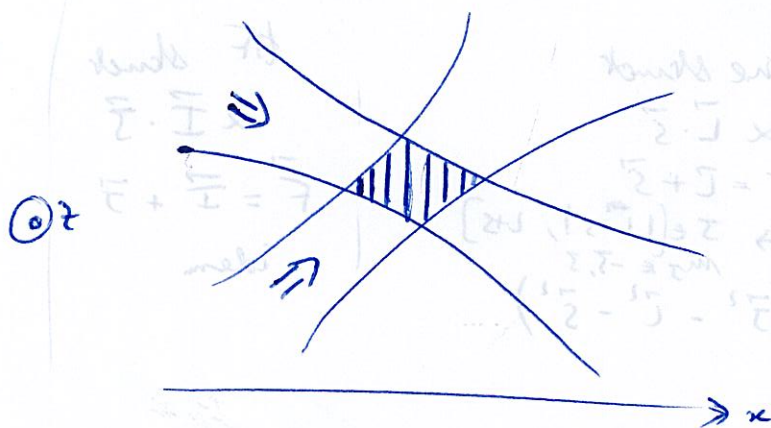
can be  $> 0$  laser intensity

Focus laser beam :

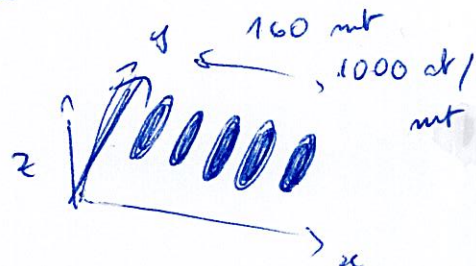
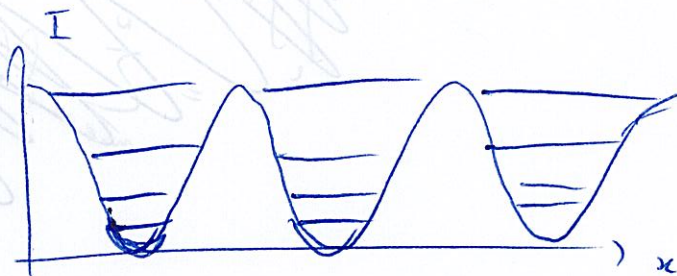


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2 laser beams



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? 1 For squeezed / coherent states, what do we need to have?

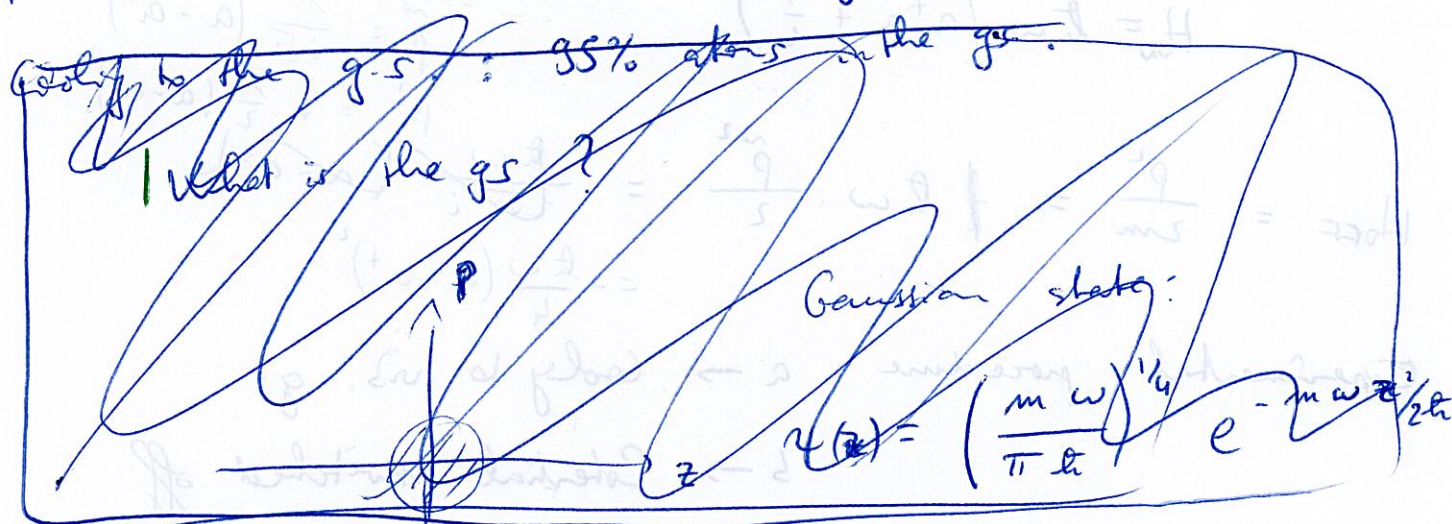
- Harmonic oscillator! Mandatory. → Harmonicity of the trap → equal spacing of levels
- Non interacting atoms
  - ↳ each of them in the same state
  - ↳ we do single-atom & w/ a large n° of single atoms.

Sideband cooling?



T low = HO regime.

HO 3D: we consider oscillator along z.



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Now: no more cold atoms, just QHO physics.

2 relevant Hamiltonians in the problem:

$$H_{\text{off}} = \frac{p^2}{2m}$$

$$H_{\text{on}} = \frac{p^2}{2m} + \frac{1}{2} m \omega^2 z^2$$

Using @ convenient units:

Abs in g.  
 Pot switched off:  
 $n(\vec{r}) \propto \left| \tilde{\Psi}(\vec{p} = \frac{\vec{r} - \vec{r}_{\text{trap}}}{18\epsilon}) \right|^2$

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$$\vec{p} = m\vec{v} \quad \vec{r}t = \vec{r}$$



$$\tilde{H}_{\text{osc}} = \frac{H_{\text{osc}}}{\hbar\omega} = \frac{1}{2m\hbar\omega} p^2 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{m\omega}{\hbar} z^2 \quad (4)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (\tilde{p}^2 + \tilde{z}^2)$$

$$\omega / \quad \tilde{p} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{m\hbar\omega}} p, \quad \tilde{z} = \sqrt{\frac{m\omega}{\hbar}} z.$$

Obtain the  $\sim$  in the following.

Def

$$a = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\tilde{x} + i\tilde{p}), \quad a^\dagger = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\tilde{x} - i\tilde{p})$$

$$\hookrightarrow \tilde{H}_{\text{osc}} = a^\dagger a + \frac{1}{2}$$

$$H_{\text{osc}} = \hbar\omega \cdot (a^\dagger a + \frac{1}{2})$$

~~$$\begin{cases} \tilde{x} = a + a^\dagger \\ \tilde{p} = i(a^\dagger - a) \end{cases}$$~~

$$H_{\text{OFF}} = \frac{p^2}{2m} = \frac{1}{2} \hbar\omega \frac{\tilde{p}^2}{\hbar\omega} = \frac{\hbar\omega}{2} (a - a^\dagger)^2$$

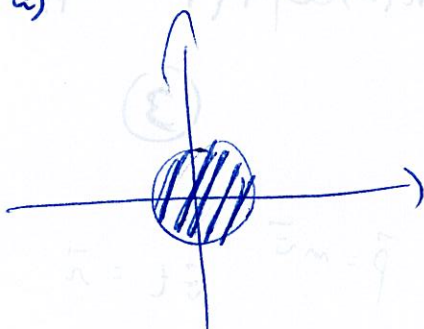
$$= -\frac{\hbar\omega}{4} (a - a^\dagger)^2$$

Experimental procedure: a  $\rightarrow$  Cool to vib. gs

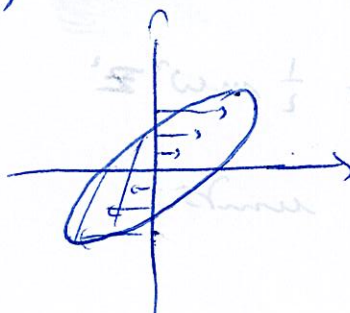
b  $\rightarrow$  Potential switched off for  $\tau_1$

c  $\rightarrow$  Potential switched back on for  $\tau_2$ .

a)  $H_{\text{osc}}$ , eig state



b)  $H_{\text{OFF}}$ , and:



c)  $H_{\text{osc}}$



@  $t=0$ :  $a|0\rangle = 0 \Rightarrow \left(\tilde{z} + \frac{\hbar}{m\omega} \frac{d}{d\tilde{z}}\right) \psi_0(\tilde{z}) = 0$

$a = \frac{\tilde{z} + i\tilde{p}}{\sqrt{\hbar}}$  so:  $\left(\tilde{z} + \frac{\hbar}{m\omega} \frac{d}{d\tilde{z}}\right) \psi_0(\tilde{z}) = 0$

~~Solve:~~

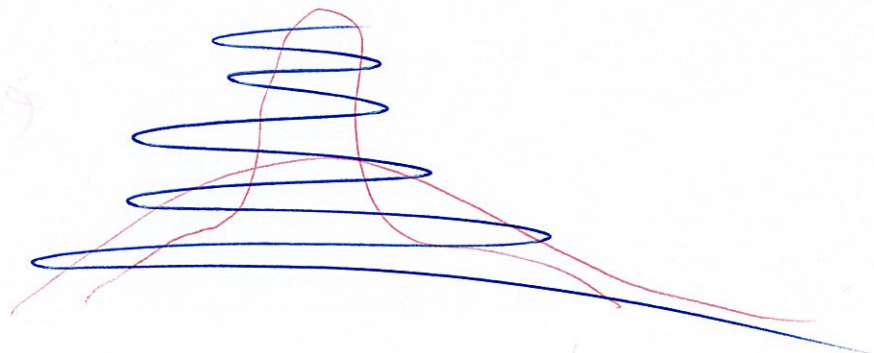
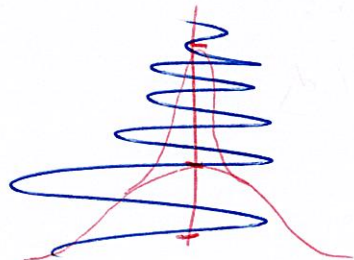
So  $a = \xi \tilde{z} + \xi \tilde{p}$  w/  $\xi = \frac{1}{\hbar}$ ,  $\xi = \frac{i}{\hbar}$

Hence:  $(i \xi \tilde{p} + \xi \tilde{p}) \psi_0(\tilde{p}) = 0$

Solve:  $\psi_0(p) = \gamma e^{i \frac{\xi}{\hbar} \tilde{p}}$   
 $\gamma e^{i \frac{\xi}{\hbar} \tilde{p}^2/2}$

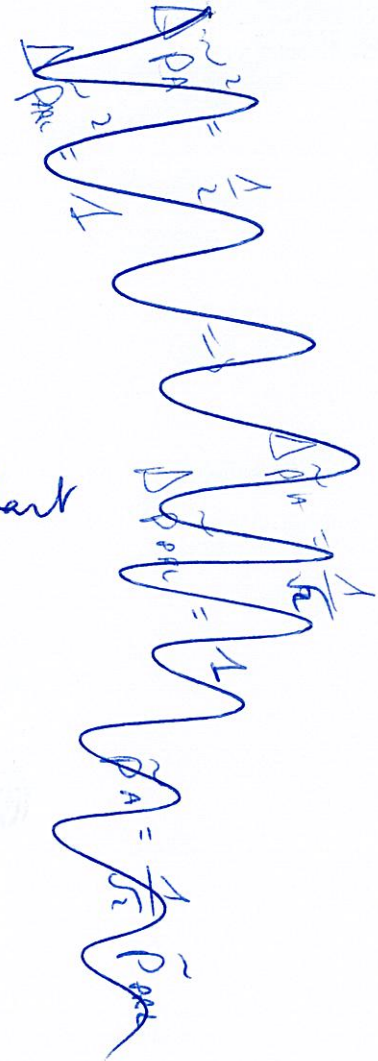
$= \gamma e^{-\tilde{p}^2/2}$

Gaussian w/ variance  $\sigma^2 = 1$  in  $\tilde{p}$



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Good start





We want to compute  $\Psi_f(p)$ .

Introduce  $a' = U a U^\dagger$

We have  $a' |\Psi_f\rangle = U a \underbrace{U^\dagger U}_{\mathbb{1}} |\Phi\rangle$

$$= U \underbrace{a|0\rangle}_0$$

$$= 0$$

So if we compute  $a'$  we have a differential equation for  $\Psi_f(p)$  ! ( $a'|\Psi_f\rangle = 0$ ) !

$$U = U_2 U_1 \quad \text{with:} \quad U_1 = e^{-i \frac{H_{\text{OFF}}}{\hbar} \tau_1}$$

$$U_2 = e^{-i \frac{H_{\text{ON}}}{\hbar} \tau_2}$$

$$a' = U_2 U_1 a U_1^\dagger U_2^\dagger$$

$$U_1 a U_1^\dagger = e^{-i \frac{\omega}{2} \tilde{p}^2 \tau_1} a e^{i \frac{\omega}{2} \tilde{p}^2 \tau_1}$$

$$\text{2nd eq:} \quad a = x \pi p, \quad \text{or } p^2 = \left(\frac{a - a^\dagger}{i}\right)^2$$

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$$\tilde{p}^2 = \hbar \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}i} (a - a^\dagger) \right)^2$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} (a - a^\dagger)^2$$

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$$U_1 a U_1^\dagger = e^{i \frac{\omega}{4} (a - a^\dagger)^2 \tau_1} a e^{-i \frac{\omega}{4} (a - a^\dagger)^2 \tau_1}$$

$$\text{BH lemma} \\ = a + i \frac{\omega \tau_1}{4} [(a - a^\dagger)^2, a] + \frac{\left( \frac{i \omega \tau_1}{4} \right)^2}{2!} [(a - a^\dagger)^2, [(a - a^\dagger)^2, a]] + \dots$$

$$[(a - a^\dagger)^2, a] = (a - a^\dagger) [a - a^\dagger, a] + [a - a^\dagger, a] (a - a^\dagger)$$

$$= \underline{2(a - a^\dagger)}$$

$$U_1 a U_1^\dagger = a + i \frac{\omega \tau_1}{2} (a - a^\dagger)$$

$$= a \left( 1 + i \frac{\omega \tau_1}{2} \right) - i \frac{\omega \tau_1}{2} a^\dagger$$

BH lemma:

$$e^B A e^{-B} = A + [B, A] + \frac{1}{2!} [B, [B, A]] + \dots$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 U a U^\dagger &= U_2 (U_1 a U_1^\dagger) U_2^\dagger \\
 &= e^{-i\omega a^\dagger a \tau_1} \left[ a \left(1 + i \frac{\omega \tau_1}{2}\right) - i \frac{\omega \tau_1}{2} a^\dagger \right] e^{i\omega a^\dagger a \tau_1}
 \end{aligned}$$

Now calculate  $e^{-i\omega a^\dagger a \tau_1} a e^{i\omega a^\dagger a \tau_1}$

(, BH lemma! ~~possible~~!

~~On the free evolution:~~

$$\begin{aligned}
 e^{-i\omega a^\dagger a \tau_1} a e^{i\omega a^\dagger a \tau_1} &= a + (-i\omega \tau_1) [a^\dagger a, a] \\
 &\quad + \frac{(-i\omega \tau_1)^2}{2!} [a^\dagger a, [a^\dagger a, a]] + \dots
 \end{aligned}$$

$$[a^\dagger a, a] = a^\dagger [\cancel{a}, a] + [a^\dagger, a] a$$

$$= -a$$

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$$[a^\dagger a, [a^\dagger a, a]] = [a^\dagger a, -a] = a.$$

$$e^{-i\omega a^\dagger a \tau_1} a e^{-i\omega a^\dagger a \tau_1} = a + (-i\omega \tau_1) a + \frac{(-i\omega \tau_1)^2}{2!} a$$

$$+ \frac{(-i\omega \tau_1)^3}{3!} a + \dots$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= a \left[ \left( 1 - \frac{(\omega \tau_1)^2}{2} + \frac{(\omega \tau_1)^4}{4} - \dots \right) \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + i \left( \omega \tau_1 - \frac{(\omega \tau_1)^3}{3!} + \dots \right) \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= a (\cos(\omega \tau_1) + i \sinh(\omega \tau_1))$$

$$= a e^{i\omega \tau_1}$$



Naturally,  $e^{-i\omega\tau_1} a^\dagger e^{i\omega\tau_1} = a^\dagger e^{-i\omega\tau_2}$

Hence:

$$a' = \cancel{a e^{i\omega\tau_1}} (1 + i \frac{\omega\tau_1}{2}) - i \frac{\omega\tau_1}{2} a^\dagger e^{-i\omega\tau_2}$$

$\swarrow$   
 $a e^{i\omega\tau_2}$

Replace  $a, a^\dagger$  by  $\frac{\tilde{z} \pm i\tilde{p}}{\sqrt{2}}$ :

$$a' = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( (1 + i \frac{\omega\tau_1}{2}) e^{i\omega\tau_2} - \cancel{i} \frac{\omega\tau_1}{2} e^{-i\omega\tau_2} \right) \tilde{z} + \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \left( (1 + i \frac{\omega\tau_1}{2}) e^{i\omega\tau_2} + i \frac{\omega\tau_1}{2} e^{-i\omega\tau_2} \right) \tilde{p}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( e^{i\omega\tau_2} + i \frac{\omega\tau_1}{2} (e^{i\omega\tau_2} - e^{-i\omega\tau_2}) \right) \tilde{z} + \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \left( e^{i\omega\tau_2} + i \frac{\omega\tau_1}{2} (e^{i\omega\tau_2} + e^{-i\omega\tau_2}) \right) \tilde{p}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( e^{i\omega\tau_2} + i \frac{\omega\tau_1}{2} \sin(\omega\tau_2) \right) \tilde{z} + \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \left( e^{i\omega\tau_2} - \omega\tau_1 \cos(\omega\tau_2) \right) \tilde{p}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( \cos(\omega\tau_2) + (i - \omega\tau_1) \sin(\omega\tau_2) \right) \tilde{z} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( -\sin(\omega\tau_2) + (i - \omega\tau_1) \cos(\omega\tau_2) \right) \tilde{p}$$

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Remember  $\hat{a}' |\psi_p\rangle = 0$

$$\text{So } \psi_p(p) = \gamma e^{-\alpha \tilde{p}^2/2}$$

$$\omega/\alpha = -i \frac{\omega}{\omega_0}$$

Momentum uncertainty:

$$|\psi_p(p)|^2 = \gamma |e^{-\alpha \tilde{p}^2/2}|^2$$

$$= \gamma e^{-\text{Re}(\alpha) \tilde{p}^2} |e^{-i \text{Im}(\alpha) \tilde{p}^2/2}|^2$$

Gaussian w/ width:  $\sigma' = \frac{1}{2 \text{Re}(\alpha)}$

$$\sigma' = \frac{1}{2}$$

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$$\text{Re}(\alpha) = \text{Re}\left(-i \frac{\omega}{\omega_0}\right)$$

$$= \text{Re}\left(-i \frac{-\sin(\omega\tau_1) + (i - \omega\tau_1) \cos(\omega\tau_1)}{\cos(\omega\tau_1) + (i - \omega\tau_1) \sin(\omega\tau_1)}\right)$$

$$= \text{Re}\left(-i \frac{-\sin(\omega\tau_1) + (i - \omega\tau_1) \cos(\omega\tau_1)}{\cos(\omega\tau_1) + (i - \omega\tau_1) \sin(\omega\tau_1)}\right)$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 & \cancel{i \sinh(\omega \tau_1)} \\
 & \operatorname{Re} \left( \frac{i \sinh(\omega \tau_1) + \cosh(\omega \tau_1) + i \omega \tau_1 \cosh(\omega \tau_1)}{\cosh(\omega \tau_1) + i \sinh(\omega \tau_1) - \omega \tau_1 \sinh(\omega \tau_1)} \right) \\
 & = \operatorname{Re} \left( \frac{(i \sinh(\omega \tau_1) + \cosh(\omega \tau_1) + i \omega \tau_1 \cosh(\omega \tau_1)) ((\cosh(\omega \tau_1) - i \sinh(\omega \tau_1) - \omega \tau_1 \sinh(\omega \tau_1)))}{(\cosh(\omega \tau_1) - \omega \tau_1 \sinh(\omega \tau_1))^2 + \sinh^2(\omega \tau_1)} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$


$$= \frac{\sinh^2(\omega \tau_1) + \cosh^2(\omega \tau_1) - \omega \tau_1 \cosh(\omega \tau_1) \sinh(\omega \tau_1) + \omega \tau_1 \cosh(\omega \tau_1) \sinh(\omega \tau_1)}{(\cosh(\omega \tau_1) - \omega \tau_1 \sinh(\omega \tau_1))^2 + \sinh^2(\omega \tau_1)}$$

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$$= \frac{1}{\cosh^2(\omega \tau_1) + (\omega \tau_1)^2 \sinh^2(\omega \tau_1) - 2 \omega \tau_1 \cosh(\omega \tau_1) \sinh(\omega \tau_1) + \sinh^2(\omega \tau_1)}$$

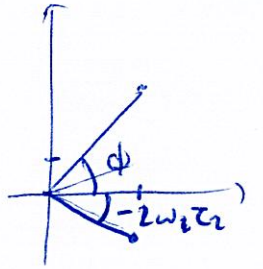
$$\frac{1}{\operatorname{Re}(x)} = 1 + (\omega \tau_1)^2 \sinh^2(\omega \tau_1) - 2 \omega \tau_1 \cosh(\omega \tau_1) \sinh(\omega \tau_1)$$

$$= 1 + \omega \tau_1 \left[ \omega \tau_1 \sinh^2(\omega \tau_1) - 2 \cosh(\omega \tau_1) \sinh(\omega \tau_1) \right]$$

$\cosh x \sinh x = \frac{1}{2} \sinh(2x)$   
  
 $\sinh'(u) = \frac{1 - \cosh 2u}{2}$

$$\frac{1}{\operatorname{Re}(k)} = 1 + (\omega \tau_1)^2 \frac{1 - \cos(2\omega \tau_2)}{2} - \omega \tau_1 \sin(2\omega \tau_2)$$

$$= 1 + \frac{(\omega \tau_1)^2}{2} - \omega \tau_1 \left[ \frac{\omega \tau_1}{2} \cos(2\omega \tau_2) - \sin(2\omega \tau_2) \right]$$



$$\omega / \sin(\omega \tau_1) =$$

$$\frac{\omega \tau_1}{2} \cos(2\omega \tau_2) - \sin(2\omega \tau_2) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\omega \tau_1}{2} \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} \cos(2\omega \tau_2) \\ -\sin(2\omega \tau_2) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{\omega \tau_1}{2}\right)^2} \cos(\underbrace{2\omega \tau_2 - \phi}_{\text{phase of angles}})$$

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