

Mecánica Cuántica

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1 Problema 4

Problem 4

Use Equations 1, 2, and 3, to construct Y_0^0 and Y_2^1 . Check that they are normalized and orthogonal.

$$P_l^m(x) = (-1)^m (1-x^2)^{m/2} \left(\frac{d}{dx} \right)^m P_l(x) \quad (1)$$

$$P_l(x) = \frac{1}{2^l l!} \left(\frac{d}{dx} \right)^l (x^2 - 1)^l \quad (2)$$

$$Y_l^m(\theta, \phi) = \sqrt{\frac{(2l+1)}{4\pi} \frac{(l-m)!}{(l+m)!}} e^{im\phi} P_l^m(\cos\theta) \quad (3)$$

Solución: Usando la formula $Y_l^m(\theta, \phi) = \sqrt{\frac{(2l+1)}{4\pi} \frac{(l-m)!}{(l+m)!}} e^{im\phi} P_l^m(\cos\theta)$

$$\begin{aligned} Y_0^0(\theta, \phi) &= \sqrt{\frac{(2 \cdot 0 + 1)}{4\pi} \frac{(0-0)!}{(0+0)!}} e^{i \cdot 0 \phi} P_0^0(\cos\theta) \\ P_0^0(x) &= (-1)^0 (1-x^2)^{0/2} \left(\frac{d}{dx} \right)^0 P_0(x) \\ P_0(x) &= \frac{1}{2^0 \cdot 0!} \left(\frac{d}{dx} \right)^0 (x^2 - 1)^0 = 1 \Rightarrow P_0^0 = 1 \cdot 1 \cdot 1 = 1 \\ Y_0^0(\theta, \phi) &= \sqrt{\frac{1}{4\pi} \cdot 1 \cdot 1 \cdot 1} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{4\pi}} \end{aligned}$$

Verificamos que esté normalizada

$$\int_0^\pi \int_0^{2\pi} \left(\sqrt{\frac{1}{4\pi}} \sqrt{\frac{1}{4\pi}} \sin\theta \right) d\theta d\phi = \frac{1}{4\pi} \int_0^\pi \int_0^{2\pi} \sin\theta d\theta d\phi = \frac{4\pi}{4\pi} = 1$$

Para el siguiente usamos la misma formula

$$\begin{aligned} Y_2^1(\theta, \phi) &= \sqrt{\frac{(2 \cdot 2 + 1)}{4\pi} \frac{(2-1)!}{(2+1)!}} e^{i\phi} P_2^1(\cos\theta) \\ P_2^1(x) &= (-1)^1 (1-x^2)^{1/2} \left(\frac{d}{dx} \right) P_2(x) \\ P_2(x) &= \frac{1}{2^2 \cdot 2!} \left(\frac{d}{dx} \right)^2 (x^2 - 1)^2 = \frac{1}{2} (3x^2 - 1) \Rightarrow P_2^1(x) = -(1-x^2)^{1/2} \frac{d}{dx} \frac{1}{2} (3x^2 - 1) = -3x \sqrt{1-x^2} \\ Y_2^1(\theta, \phi) &= \sqrt{\frac{5}{4\pi} \frac{1}{6}} e^{i\phi} (-3 \cos\theta \sqrt{1 - \cos^2\theta}) = -\sqrt{\frac{15}{8\pi}} e^{i\phi} \cos\theta \sin\theta \end{aligned}$$

Verificamos que este normalizada

$$\begin{aligned}
& \int_0^\pi \int_0^{2\pi} (-\sqrt{\frac{15}{8\pi}} e^{-i\phi} \cos\theta \sin\theta) (-\sqrt{\frac{15}{8\pi}} e^{i\phi} \cos\theta \sin\theta) \sin\theta d\theta d\phi \\
&= \frac{15}{8\pi} \int_0^\pi \int_0^{2\pi} \sin^3\theta \cos^2\theta d\phi d\theta = \frac{15}{8\pi} 2\pi \int_0^\pi \sin^3\theta \cos^2\theta d\theta \\
&= \frac{15}{4} \int_0^\pi \sin^3\theta (1 - \sin^2\theta) d\theta = \frac{15}{4} \left(\int_0^\pi \sin^3\theta d\theta - \int_0^\pi \sin^5\theta d\theta \right) \\
&= \frac{15}{4} \left(\frac{\cos^3\theta}{3} - \cos\theta + \frac{5\cos^5\theta}{5} - \frac{2\cos^3\theta}{3} + \cos\theta \right) \Big|_0^\pi = \frac{15}{4} \frac{4}{15} = 1
\end{aligned}$$

Ahora verificamos que sean ortogonales entre si

$$\begin{aligned}
& - \int_0^\pi \int_0^{2\pi} \left(\sqrt{\frac{1}{4\pi}} \sqrt{\frac{15}{8\pi}} e^{i\phi} \cos\theta \sin\theta \sin\theta \right) d\theta d\phi = - \sqrt{\frac{15}{32\pi^2}} \int_0^{2\pi} e^{i\phi} d\phi \int_0^\pi \sin^2\theta \cos\theta d\theta \\
&= - \sqrt{\frac{15}{32\pi^2}} (-ie^{i\phi}) \Big|_0^{2\pi} \left(\frac{\sin^3\theta}{3} \right) \Big|_0^\pi = - \sqrt{\frac{15}{32\pi^2}} \cdot 0 \cdot 0 = 0
\end{aligned}$$

Lo que demuestra que son ortogonales entre si

2 Problema 5

Problem 5

Show that

$$\Theta(\theta) = A \ln[\tan(\theta/2)]$$

satisfies the θ equation (Equation 4), for . This is the unacceptable “second solution”—what’s wrong with it?

$$\sin\theta \frac{d}{d\theta} \left(\sin\theta \frac{d\Theta}{d\theta} \right) + [l(l+1)\sin^2\theta - m^2]\Theta = 0 \quad (4)$$

Solución: La ecuación 4 para $l = m = 0$ es

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sin\theta \frac{d}{d\theta} \left(\sin\theta \frac{d\Theta}{d\theta} \right) + (0 \cdot (0+1)\sin^2\theta - 0^2)\Theta = \sin\theta \frac{d}{d\theta} \left(\sin\theta \frac{d\Theta}{d\theta} \right) \\
& \frac{d\Theta}{d\theta} = A \frac{\sec^2(\theta/2)}{2\tan(\theta/2)} = \frac{A}{2} \frac{1}{\cos^2(\theta/2)} \frac{\cos(\theta/2)}{\sin(\theta/2)} \\
&= \frac{A}{2} \frac{1}{\cos(\theta/2)\sin(\theta/2)} = \frac{A}{2 \frac{\sin\theta}{2}} = \frac{A}{\sin\theta} \\
& \sin\theta \frac{d}{d\theta} \left(\sin\theta \frac{d\Theta}{d\theta} \right) = \sin\theta \frac{d}{d\theta} \left(\sin\theta \frac{A}{\sin\theta} \right) = \sin\theta \frac{dA}{d\theta} = 0
\end{aligned}$$

Lo que cumple la ecuación 4, sin embargo podemos ver que Θ diverge tanto en 0 como en π , por lo que no es una solución aceptable

3 Problema 6

Problem 6

Using Equation 5 and footnote 5, show that

$$Y_l^{-m}(\theta, \phi) = (-1)^m (Y_l^m)^*$$

$$Y_l^m(\theta, \phi) = \sqrt{\frac{(2l+1)(l-m)!}{4\pi(l+m)!}} e^{im\phi} P_l^m(\cos\theta) \quad (5)$$

$$P_l^m(x) = (-1)^m (1-x^2)^{m/2} \left(\frac{d}{dx} \right)^m P_l(x) \quad (6)$$

Footnote 5 : Some books (including earlier editions of this one) do not include the factor $(-1)^m$ in the definition of P_l^m . Equation 6 assumes that $m \geq 0$; for negative values we define

$$P_l^{-m}(x) = (-1)^m \frac{(l-m)!}{(l+m)!} P_l^m(x)$$

Solución:

La ecuación (5) nos dice que :

$$Y_l^m(\theta, \phi) = \sqrt{\frac{(2l+1)(l-m)!}{4\pi(l+m)!}} e^{im\phi} P_l^m(\cos\theta),$$

y el pie de nota 5 nos dice que para valores negativos $(-m)$ tenemos:

$$P_l^{-m}(x) = (-1)^m \frac{(l-m)!}{(l+m)!} P_l^m(x). \quad (7)$$

Veamos la ecuación (5) para valores $(-m)$:

$$Y_l^{-m}(\theta, \phi) = \sqrt{\frac{(2l+1)(l-(-m))!}{4\pi(l+(-m))!}} e^{i(-m)\phi} P_l^{-m}(\cos\theta),$$

pero de acuerdo a la ecuación (7) tenemos que:

$$P_l^{-m}(\cos\theta) = (-1)^m \frac{(l-m)!}{(l+m)!} P_l^m(\cos\theta).$$

Por lo que:

$$Y_l^{-m}(\theta, \phi) = \sqrt{\frac{(2l+1)(l+m)!}{4\pi(l-m)!}} e^{i(-m)\phi} (-1)^m \frac{(l-m)!}{(l+m)!} P_l^m(\cos\theta),$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\Rightarrow Y_l^{-m}(\theta, \phi) &= (-1)^m \sqrt{\frac{(2l+1)(l+m)!}{4\pi(l-m)!}} e^{-im\phi} \sqrt{\frac{((l-m)!)^2}{((l+m)!)^2}} P_l^m(\cos\theta) \\
\Rightarrow Y_l^{-m}(\theta, \phi) &= (-1)^m \sqrt{\frac{(2l+1)(l+m)!((l-m)!)^2}{4\pi(l-m)!((l+m)!)^2}} e^{-im\phi} P_l^m(\cos\theta) \\
\Rightarrow Y_l^{-m}(\theta, \phi) &= (-1)^m \sqrt{\frac{(2l+1)(l+m)! \cancel{(l-m)!} (l-m)!}{4\pi \cancel{(l-m)!} \cancel{(l+m)!} (l+m)!}} e^{-im\phi} P_l^m(\cos\theta) \\
\Rightarrow Y_l^{-m}(\theta, \phi) &= (-1)^m \sqrt{\frac{(2l+1)(l-m)!}{4\pi(l+m)!}} e^{-im\phi} P_l^m(\cos\theta), \tag{8}
\end{aligned}$$

Ahora notemos lo siguiente:

$$(e^{im\phi})^* = e^{-im\phi}$$

por otra parte, $P_l^m(\cos\theta)$ es una función real por lo que:

$$(P_l^m(\cos\theta))^* = P_l^m(\cos\theta),$$

y como sabemos que l es un entero no negativo entonces tenemos que $\frac{(2l+1)}{4\pi}$ es un número real y $\frac{(l-m)!}{(l+m)!}$ es el cociente de dos factoriales, los cuales son siempre números reales. Por lo que si:

$$Y_l^m = \sqrt{\frac{(2l+1)(l-m)!}{4\pi(l+m)!}} e^{im\phi} P_l^m(\cos\theta) \Rightarrow (Y_l^m)^* = \sqrt{\frac{(2l+1)(l-m)!}{4\pi(l+m)!}} e^{-im\phi} P_l^m(\cos\theta)$$

Sustituimos esto en la ecuación (8):

$$Y_l^{-m}(\theta, \phi) = (-1)^m \sqrt{\frac{(2l+1)(l-m)!}{4\pi(l+m)!}} e^{-im\phi} P_l^m(\cos\theta) = (-1)^m (Y_l^m)^*$$

por lo tanto concluimos que:

$$\boxed{Y_l^{-m}(\theta, \phi) = (-1)^m (Y_l^m)^*}$$

4 Problema 7

Problem 7

Using Equation 9, find $Y_l^l(\theta, \phi)$ and $Y_3^2(\theta, \phi)$. (You can take P_3^2 from Table 4.2, but you'll have to work P_l^l out from Equations 10 and 11.) Check that they satisfy the angular equation (Equation 12), for the appropriate values of l and m .

$$Y_l^m(\theta, \phi) = \sqrt{\frac{(2l+1)(l-m)!}{4\pi(l+m)!}} e^{im\phi} P_l^m(\cos\theta) \quad (9)$$

$$P_l^m(x) = (-1)^m (1-x^2)^{m/2} \left(\frac{d}{dx}\right)^m P_l(x) \quad (10)$$

$$P_l(x) = \frac{1}{2^l l!} \left(\frac{d}{dx}\right)^l (x^2-1)^l \quad (11)$$

$$\sin\theta \frac{\partial}{\partial\theta} \left(\sin\theta \frac{\partial Y}{\partial\theta} \right) + \frac{\partial^2 Y}{\partial\phi^2} = -l(l+1) \sin^2\theta Y \quad (12)$$

Solución:

Usando la ecuación 9

$$Y_l^l(\theta, \phi) = \sqrt{\frac{(2l+1)(l-l)!}{4\pi(l+l)!}} e^{il\phi} P_l^l(\cos\theta) = \sqrt{\frac{(2l+1)}{4\pi(2l)!}} e^{il\phi} P_l^l(\cos\theta)$$

En donde al usar la Ecuación 10

$$P_l^l(x) = (-1)^l (1-x^2)^{l/2} \left(\frac{d}{dx}\right)^l P_l(x) = (-1)^l (1-x^2)^{l/2} \left(\frac{d}{dx}\right)^l \left[\frac{1}{2^l l!} \left(\frac{d}{dx}\right)^l (x^2-1)^l \right]$$

$$P_l^l(x) = (-1)^l (1-x^2)^{l/2} \frac{1}{2^l l!} \left(\frac{d}{dx}\right)^{2l} \left[(x^2-1)^l \right]$$

Veamos como se comporta esta derivada

$$\begin{aligned}
l = 0 & ; \left(\frac{d}{dx} \right)^0 (x^2 - 1)^0 = (2(0))! \\
l = 1 & ; \frac{d^2}{dx^2} (x^2 - 1) = 2 = (2(1))! \\
l = 2 & ; \frac{d^4}{dx^4} (x^2 - 1)^2 = 24 = (2(2))! \\
l = 3 & ; \frac{d^6}{dx^6} (x^2 - 1)^3 = 720 = (2(3))!
\end{aligned}$$

Así

$$\frac{d^{2l}}{dx^{2l}} (x^2 - 1)^l = (2l)!$$

Por lo tanto

$$P_l^l(x) = (-1)^l (1 - x^2)^{l/2} \frac{1}{2^l l!} (2l)!$$

Hemos calculado que

$$\begin{aligned}
Y_l^l(\theta, \phi) &= \sqrt{\frac{(2l+1)}{4\pi(2l)!}} e^{il\phi} (-1)^l (1 - \cos^2\theta)^{l/2} \frac{(2l)!}{2^l l!} = \frac{(-1)^l}{2^l l!} \sqrt{\frac{(2l+1)(2l)!}{4\pi}} e^{il\phi} (\sin^2\theta)^{l/2} \\
Y_l^l(\theta, \phi) &= \frac{(-1)^l}{2^l l!} \sqrt{\frac{(2l+1)!}{4\pi}} e^{il\phi} \sin^l\theta = B e^{il\phi} \sin^l\theta
\end{aligned}$$

En donde

$$B = \frac{(-1)^l}{2^l l!} \sqrt{\frac{(2l+1)!}{4\pi}}$$

Veamos que cumple la ecuación angular, calcularemos las derivadas:

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} Y_l^l &= B \sin^l\theta (il) e^{il\phi} \implies \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \phi^2} Y_l^l = (il)^2 Y_l^l \\
\sin\theta \frac{\partial Y_l^l}{\partial \theta} &= l \cos\theta \sin\theta B e^{il\phi} \sin^{l-1}\theta = \cos\theta l B e^{il\phi} \sin^l\theta = l \cos\theta Y_l^l \\
\implies \sin\theta \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \left(\sin\theta \frac{\partial Y_l^l}{\partial \theta} \right) &= \sin\theta \left[l \cos\theta \frac{\partial Y_l^l}{\partial \theta} - l Y_1^1 \sin\theta \right] = \left[l \cos\theta \sin\theta \frac{\partial Y_l^l}{\partial \theta} - l Y_1^1 \sin^2\theta \right] \\
\implies \sin\theta \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \left(\sin\theta \frac{\partial Y_1^1}{\partial \theta} \right) &= \left[l^2 \cos^2\theta - l \sin^2\theta \right] Y_1^1
\end{aligned}$$

Sustituimos los valores en la ecuación:

$$\left[l^2 \cos^2\theta - l \sin^2\theta \right] Y_l^l - l^2 Y_l^l = Y_l^l \left[l^2 (\cos^2\theta - 1) - l \sin^2\theta \right]$$

$$Y_1^1 \left[-l^2 \sin^2 \theta - l \sin^2 \theta \right] = -Y_1^1 \sin^2 \theta (l^2 + l) = -l(l+1) \sin^2 \theta Y_1^1$$

Por lo tanto, vemos que sí es solución de la ecuación angular

$$\sin \theta \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \left(\sin \theta \frac{\partial Y_1^1}{\partial \theta} \right) + \frac{\partial^2 Y_1^1}{\partial \phi^2} = -l(l+1) \sin^2 \theta Y_1^1$$

Ahora, vamos a calcular $Y_3^2(\theta, \phi)$ y veremos que se satisfaga la ecuación angular.

$$Y_3^2(\theta, \phi) = \sqrt{\frac{(2(3)+1)(3-2)!}{4\pi(3+2)!}} e^{i2\phi} P_3^2(\cos \theta) = \sqrt{\frac{7}{4\pi} \frac{1}{5!}} e^{i2\phi} P_3^2(\cos \theta)$$

$$Y_3^2(\theta, \phi) = \sqrt{\frac{7}{480\pi}} e^{i2\phi} P_3^2(\cos \theta)$$

Calculamos $P_3^2(\cos \theta)$

$$P_3^2(\cos \theta) = (-1)^2 (1 - \cos^2 \theta)^{2/2} \frac{d^2}{d\theta^2} P_3(\cos \theta) = (1 - \cos^2 \theta) \frac{d^2}{d\theta^2} [P_3(\cos \theta)]$$

En donde $P_3(\cos \theta)$ se calcula como sigue:

$$P_3(\cos \theta) = \frac{1}{2^3 3!} \frac{d^3}{d\theta^3} (\cos^2 \theta - 1)^3 = \frac{1}{2^3 3!} \frac{d^3}{d\theta^3} ((1 - \sin^2 \theta) - 1)^3 = -\frac{1}{2^3 3!} \frac{d^3}{d\theta^3} \sin^6 \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow P_3(\cos \theta) = -\frac{1}{2^3 3!} \frac{d^2}{d\theta^2} (6 \sin^5 \theta \cos \theta) = -\frac{6}{2^3 3!} \frac{d}{d\theta} (-\sin^6 \theta + 5 \sin^4 \theta \cos^2 \theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow P_3(\cos \theta) = -\frac{6}{2^3 3!} [-6 \sin^5 \theta \cos \theta + 5(4 \sin^3 \theta \cos^3 \theta - 2 \cos \theta \sin^5 \theta)]$$

$$\Rightarrow P_3(\cos \theta) = -\frac{6}{2^3 3!} [-16 \sin^5 \theta \cos \theta + 20 \sin^3 \theta \cos^3 \theta]$$

$$\Rightarrow P_3(\cos \theta) = -\frac{6}{8(6)} [-16 \sin^5 \theta \cos \theta + 20 \sin^3 \theta \cos^3 \theta] = 2 \sin^5 \theta \cos \theta - \frac{10}{4} \sin^3 \theta \cos^3 \theta$$

Así, sustituimos en la siguiente ecuación:

$$P_3^2(\cos \theta) = (1 - \cos^2 \theta) \frac{d^2}{d\theta^2} [P_3(\cos \theta)] = \sin^2 \theta \frac{d^2}{d\theta^2} [2 \sin^5 \theta \cos \theta - \frac{10}{4} \sin^3 \theta \cos^3 \theta]$$

$$\Rightarrow P_3^2(\cos \theta) = \sin^2 \theta \frac{d}{d\theta} [2(5 \sin^4 \theta \cos^2 \theta - \sin^6 \theta) - \frac{10}{4} (3 \sin^2 \theta \cos^4 \theta - 3 \sin^4 \theta \cos^2 \theta)]$$

$$\Rightarrow P_3^2(\cos \theta) = \sin^2 \theta \frac{d}{d\theta} [10 \sin^4 \theta \cos^2 \theta - 2 \sin^6 \theta - \frac{30}{4} \sin^2 \theta \cos^4 \theta + \frac{30}{4} \sin^4 \theta \cos^2 \theta]$$

$$\Rightarrow P_3^2(\cos \theta) = \sin^2 \theta \frac{d}{d\theta} \left[\frac{70}{4} \sin^4 \theta \cos^2 \theta - 2 \sin^6 \theta - \frac{30}{4} \sin^2 \theta \cos^4 \theta \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \implies P_3^2(\cos\theta) = \sin^2\theta & \left[\frac{70}{4}(4\sin^3\theta\cos^3\theta - 2\cos\theta\sin^5\theta) + 12\sin^5\theta\cos\theta \right. \\ & \left. - \frac{30}{4}(4\cos^3\theta\sin^3\theta - 2\sin\theta\cos^5\theta) \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$P_3^2(\cos\theta) = \sin^2\theta \left[40\sin^5\theta\cos^3\theta - 23\cos\theta\sin^7\theta + 15\sin\theta\cos^5\theta \right]$$

$$P_3^2(\cos\theta) = 40\sin^5\theta\cos^3\theta - 23\sin^7\theta\cos\theta + 15\sin^3\theta\cos^5\theta$$

Así finalmente, el armónico esférico resulta ser:

$$Y_3^2(\theta, \phi) = \sqrt{\frac{7}{480\pi}} e^{i2\phi} P_3^2(\cos\theta)$$

$$\implies Y_3^2(\theta, \phi) = \sqrt{\frac{7}{480\pi}} e^{i2\phi} [40\sin^5\theta\cos^3\theta - 23\sin^7\theta\cos\theta + 15\sin^3\theta\cos^5\theta]$$

$$Y_3^2(\theta, \phi) = B[40\sin^5\theta\cos^3\theta - 23\sin^7\theta\cos\theta + 15\sin^3\theta\cos^5\theta]$$

En donde

$$B = \sqrt{\frac{7}{480\pi}} e^{i2\phi}$$

Ahora, vamos a corroborar que satisface la ecuación de ángulo.

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial\phi} Y_3^2 = 2iY_3^2$$

$$\implies \frac{\partial^2}{\partial\phi^2} Y_3^2 = 2i \frac{\partial}{\partial\phi} Y_3^2 = 2i(2iY_3^2) = -4Y_3^2$$

Calculamos la derivada con respecto a θ

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial}{\partial\theta} Y_3^2 = B[40(5\sin^4\theta\cos^4\theta - 3\cos^2\theta\sin^6\theta) - 23(7\sin^6\theta\cos^2\theta - \sin^8\theta) \\ + 15(3\sin^2\theta\cos^6\theta - 5\cos^4\theta\sin^4\theta)] \end{aligned}$$

$$\implies \frac{\partial}{\partial\theta} Y_3^2 = B[125\sin^4\theta\cos^4\theta - 281\cos^2\theta\sin^6\theta + 23\sin^8\theta + 45\sin^2\theta\cos^6\theta]$$

$$\implies \frac{\partial}{\partial\theta} Y_3^2 = B[125\sin^4\theta\cos^4\theta - 281\cos^2\theta\sin^6\theta + 23\sin^8\theta + 45\sin^2\theta\cos^6\theta]$$

Usando que $\sin^2\theta + \cos^2\theta = 1 \implies \cos^2\theta = 1 - \sin^2\theta$

$$\implies \frac{\partial}{\partial\theta} Y_3^2 = B[125\sin^4\theta(\cos^2\theta)^2 - 281\cos^2\theta\sin^6\theta + 23\sin^8\theta + 45\sin^2\theta(\cos^2\theta)^3]$$

$$\implies \frac{\partial}{\partial\theta} Y_3^2 = B[125\sin^4\theta(1 - \sin^2\theta)^2 - 281(1 - \sin^2\theta)\sin^6\theta + 23\sin^8\theta]$$

$$+45\text{sen}^2\theta(1 - \text{sen}^2\theta)^3]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial\theta}Y_3^2 = B[125\text{sen}^4\theta(1 - 2\text{sen}^2\theta + \text{sen}^4\theta) - 281(1 - \text{sen}^2\theta)\text{sen}^6\theta + 23\text{sen}^8\theta$$

$$+45\text{sen}^2\theta(1 - 3\text{sen}^2\theta + 3\text{sen}^4\theta - \text{sen}^6\theta)]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial\theta}Y_3^2 = B(45\sin^2\theta - 10\sin^4\theta - 396\sin^6\theta + 384\sin^8\theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{sen}\theta \frac{\partial}{\partial\theta}Y_3^2 = B(45\sin^3\theta - 10\sin^5\theta - 396\sin^7\theta + 384\sin^9\theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial\theta}\left(\text{sen}\theta \frac{\partial}{\partial\theta}Y_3^2\right) = B(135\sin^2\theta - 50\sin^4\theta - 2583\sin^6\theta + 3456\sin^8\theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{sen}\theta \frac{\partial}{\partial\theta}\left(\text{sen}\theta \frac{\partial}{\partial\theta}Y_3^2\right) = B(135\sin^3\theta - 50\sin^5\theta - 2583\sin^7\theta + 3456\sin^9\theta)$$

Con todo esto, podemos sustituir

$$\text{sen}\theta \frac{\partial}{\partial\theta}\left(\text{sen}\theta \frac{\partial}{\partial\theta}Y_3^2\right) + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial\phi^2}Y_3^2 = \text{sen}\theta \frac{\partial}{\partial\theta}\left(\text{sen}\theta \frac{\partial}{\partial\theta}Y_3^2\right) - 4Y_3^2$$

Ahora, como:

$$Y_3^2 = B[40\text{sen}^5\theta\cos^3\theta - 23\text{sen}^7\theta\cos\theta + 15\text{sen}^3\theta\cos^5\theta]$$

$$\Rightarrow Y_3^3 = [40\text{sen}^5\theta\cos^3\theta - 23\text{sen}^7\theta\cos\theta + 15\text{sen}^3\theta\cos^5\theta]$$

5 Problema 8

Problem 8

Starting from the Rodrigues formula, derive the orthonormality condition for Legendre polynomials:

$$\int_{-1}^1 P_l(x)P_{l'}(x)dx = \left(\frac{2}{2l+1}\right)\delta_{ll'}$$

Hint: Use integration by parts

Solución:

6 Problema 9

Problem 9

- a) From the definition (Equation 13), construct $n_1(x)$ and $n_2(x)$.
- b) Expand the sines and cosines to obtain approximate formulas for $n_1(x)$ and $n_2(x)$, valid when $x \ll 1$. Confirm that they blow up at the origin.

$$j_l(x) = (-x)^l \left(\frac{1}{x} \frac{d}{dx} \right) \frac{\sin x}{x} ; n_l(x) = -(-x)^l \left(\frac{1}{x} \frac{d}{dx} \right)^l \frac{\cos x}{x} \quad (13)$$

Solución:

Inciso a)

Usando la ecuación 13 calculamos $n_1(x)$

$$\begin{aligned} n_1(x) &= -(-x)^1 \left(\frac{1}{x} \frac{d}{dx} \right)^1 \frac{\cos x}{x} \\ n_1(x) &= x \frac{1}{x} \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{\cos x}{x} \right) = \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{\cos x}{x} \right) \\ n_1(x) &= \frac{-x \sin x - \cos x}{x^2} \end{aligned}$$

Ahora, calculamos $n_2(x)$

$$\begin{aligned} n_2(x) &= -(-x)^2 \left(\frac{1}{x} \frac{d}{dx} \right)^2 \frac{\cos x}{x} \\ n_2(x) &= -x^2 \frac{1}{x^2} \frac{d^2}{dx^2} \left(\frac{\cos x}{x} \right) = -\frac{d}{dx} \left[\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{\cos x}{x} \right) \right] \\ n_2(x) &= -\frac{d}{dx} \left[\frac{-x \sin x - \cos x}{x^2} \right] \\ n_2(x) &= -\frac{(-x \cos x)x^2 - 2x(-x \sin x - \cos x)}{x^4} \\ n_2(x) &= \frac{x^3 \cos x - 2x^2 \sin x - 2x \cos x}{x^4} \\ n_2(x) &= \frac{x^2 \cos x - 2x \sin x - 2 \cos x}{x^3} \end{aligned}$$

Inciso b)

Sabemos que la expansión del coseno, resulta ser

$$\cos(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k x^{2k}}{(2k)!}$$

Así

$$\frac{\cos(x)}{x} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k x^{2k-1}}{(2k)!}$$

Con esto, podemos calcular $n_1(x)$ y $n_2(x)$

$$\begin{aligned} n_1(x) &= -(-x)^1 \left(\frac{1}{x} \frac{d}{dx} \right)^1 \frac{\cos x}{x} = \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{\cos x}{x} \right) = \frac{d}{dx} \left(\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k x^{2k-1}}{(2k)!} \right) \\ n_1(x) &= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (2k-1) \frac{(-1)^k x^{2k-2}}{(2k)!} \\ n_2(x) &= -(-x)^2 \left(\frac{1}{x} \frac{d}{dx} \right)^2 \frac{\cos x}{x} = -\frac{d^2}{dx^2} \left(\frac{\cos x}{x} \right) = -\frac{d^2}{dx^2} \left(\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k x^{2k-1}}{(2k)!} \right) \\ n_2(x) &= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (1-2k)(2k-2) \frac{(-1)^k x^{2k-3}}{(2k)!} \end{aligned}$$

Expandiendo la serie, tenemos lo siguiente:

$$\begin{aligned} n_1(x) &\approx (-1) \frac{x^{-2}}{0!} + (1) \frac{(-1)^1 x^0}{2!} + (3) \frac{(-1)^2 x^2}{4!} + (5) \frac{(-1)^3 x^4}{6!} + (7) \frac{(-1)^4 x^6}{8!} \\ n_1(x) &\approx -\frac{1}{x^2} - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{3x^2}{24} - \frac{5x^4}{720} + \frac{7x^6}{40320} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} n_2(x) &\approx (1)(-2) \frac{(-1)^0 x^{-3}}{0!} + (-3)(2) \frac{(-1)^2 x^1}{4!} + (-5)(4) \frac{(-1)^3 x^3}{6!} + (-7)(6) \frac{(-1)^4 x^5}{8!} \\ n_2(x) &\approx -\frac{2}{x^3} - \frac{6x}{24} + \frac{20x^3}{720} - \frac{42x^5}{40320} \end{aligned}$$

Puesto que $x \ll 1$, los términos que van a dominar en la aproximación resultan ser:

$$\begin{aligned} n_1(x) &\approx -\frac{1}{x^2} - \frac{1}{2} \implies \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} n_1(x) = -\infty \\ n_2(x) &\approx -\frac{2}{x^3} \implies \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} n_2(x) = -\infty \end{aligned}$$

7 Problema 10

Problem 10

- a) Check that $Arj_1(kr)$ satisfies the radial equation with $V(r) = 0$ and $l = 1$.
- b) Determine graphically the allowed energies for the infinite spherical well, when $l = 1$. Show that for large N , $E_{N1} \approx (\hbar^2\pi^2/2ma^2)(N + 1/2)^2$. Hint: First show that $j_1(x) = 0 \implies x = \tan x$. Plot x and $\tan x$ on the same graph, and locate the points of intersection.

Solución:

Inciso a)

Tenemos que la función para $l = 1$

$$u_1 = Arj_1(x) = Ar(-x)^1 \left(\frac{1}{x} \frac{d}{dx} \right)^1 \frac{\text{sen}(x)}{x} = (-Ar) \frac{\cos(x)x - \text{sen}(x)}{(x)^2} = Ar \frac{\text{sen}(x) - x\cos(x)}{x^2}$$

Tomamos $x = kr$

$$u_1 = Ar \frac{\text{sen}(kr) - kr\cos(kr)}{(kr)^2} = A \left[\frac{\text{sen}(kr)}{k^2r} - \frac{\cos(kr)}{k} \right] = \frac{A}{kr} \left[\frac{\text{sen}(kr)}{k} - \cos(kr)r \right]$$

La ecuación radial para $V(r) = 0$ es

$$\frac{d^2u_1}{dr^2} + \left[k^2 - \frac{l(l+1)}{r^2} \right] u_1 = 0$$

Calculamos las derivadas

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{du_1}{dr} &= -\frac{A}{kr^2} \left[\frac{\text{sen}(kr)}{k} - \cos(kr)r \right] + A \left[\text{sen}(kr) \right] \\ \frac{d^2u_1}{dr^2} &= -\frac{A}{kr^2} \left[\text{sen}(kr)kr \right] + \frac{2A}{kr^3} \left[\frac{\text{sen}(kr)}{k} - \cos(kr)r \right] + A\cos(kr)k \\ \frac{d^2u_1}{dr^2} &= \frac{A}{kr} \left[-\text{sen}(kr)k + k^2r\cos(kr) \right] + \frac{2A}{kr^3} \left[\frac{\text{sen}(kr)}{k} - \cos(kr)r \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\left[k^2 - \frac{l(l+1)}{r^2} \right] u_1 = \frac{Ak}{r} \left[\frac{\text{sen}(kr)}{k} - \cos(kr)r \right] - \frac{l(l+1)}{r^2} \frac{A}{kr} \left[\frac{\text{sen}(kr)}{k} - \cos(kr)r \right]$$

Como estamos en el caso en que $l = 1$

$$\left[k^2 - \frac{l(l+1)}{r^2} \right] u_1 = \frac{A}{kr} \left[\text{sen}(kr)k - \cos(kr)k^2r \right] - \frac{2A}{kr^3} \left[\frac{\text{sen}(kr)}{k} - \cos(kr)r \right]$$

Así, sustituyendo las derivadas en la ecuación

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d^2 u_1}{dr^2} + \left[k^2 - \frac{l(l+1)}{r^2} \right] u_1 &= \frac{A}{kr} \left[-\text{sen}(kr)k + k^2 r \cos(kr) \right] + \frac{2A}{kr^3} \left[\frac{\text{sen}(kr)}{k} - \cos(kr)r \right] \\ &+ \frac{A}{kr} \left[\text{sen}(kr)k - \cos(kr)k^2 r \right] - \frac{2A}{kr^3} \left[\frac{\text{sen}(kr)}{k} - \cos(kr)r \right] = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Por lo tanto se comprueba que la función es solución a la ecuación radial con $V(r) = 0$ y $l = 1$

Inciso b)

Sabemos que: $A a j_1(ka) = 0 \implies j_1(ka) = 0$

$$\implies \frac{\text{sen}(ka) - (ka)\cos(ka)}{(ka)^2} = 0$$

$$\implies \tan(ka) - ka = 0$$

$$\implies \tan(ka) = ka$$

o bien, como $x = ka$. Llegamos a la ecuación trascendental

$$\tan(x) = x$$

La cual graficamos en la siguiente Figura ??:

Notamos que para valores grandes de N , los valores en donde la función $\tan(x)$ y la función x son iguales, estos se aproximan a $x = \frac{\pi}{2} + N\pi$ que es donde la función $\tan(x)$ diverge.

Ahora como $x = ka$, para que la ecuación trascendental sea válida, se tiene que

$$ka = \frac{\pi}{2} + N\pi$$

$$a\sqrt{\frac{2mE_N}{\hbar^2}} = \frac{\pi}{2} + N\pi$$

$$\frac{2mE_N}{\hbar^2} = a^{-2}\pi^2(N + 1/2)^2$$

$$E_N = \frac{\hbar^2\pi^2}{2ma^2}(N + 1/2)^2$$

8 Problema 11

Problem 11

A particle of mass m is placed in a finite spherical well:

$V(r) = \begin{cases} -V_0. & r \leq a; \\ 0. & r > a \end{cases}$ Find the ground state, by solving the radial equation with $l = 0$. Show that there is no bound state if $V_0 a^2 < \pi^2 \hbar^2 / 8m$.

Solución: