

Application to the pairing model:

In order to make sense of the equation written so far, we will start solving the Dyson Eq. for our pairing model.

To do this, we will exploit perturbation theory to calculate the self-energy. Thus, we start from our unperturbed solution for the ground state:

$$|\Phi_0\rangle \equiv \left| \begin{array}{c} \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \uparrow \downarrow \\ \uparrow \downarrow \end{array} \right\rangle = \hat{P}_{p=1}^\dagger \hat{P}_{p=0}^\dagger |0\rangle$$

...starting from here, we will develop the static and dynamic contributions to the self-energy. For now we will do the first at 1st order and the latter at 2nd order.

Green's function theory is a particle attached/particle removed theory, so we will be looking at 3-body and 5-body states. This means that the total spin of the intermediate states $|A-1\rangle$ and $|A+1\rangle$ is non zero and there will be one unpaired particle. We will only look at cases when all other nucleons are paired.

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To calculate the self energy at first order in perturbations theory we can simply take the expectation value among the :

$$|\Phi^a; \uparrow\rangle \equiv \left| \begin{array}{c} \text{---} \uparrow \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \uparrow \downarrow \\ \text{---} \uparrow \downarrow \end{array} \right\rangle = a_{a\uparrow}^\dagger |\Phi_0\rangle = a_{a\uparrow}^\dagger \hat{P}_1^\dagger \hat{P}_0^\dagger |0\rangle$$

$$|\Phi^j; \uparrow\rangle \equiv \left| \begin{array}{c} \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \uparrow \times \\ \text{---} \uparrow \downarrow \end{array} \right\rangle = a_{j\downarrow} |\Phi_0\rangle = a_{j\downarrow} \hat{P}_1^\dagger \hat{P}_0^\dagger |0\rangle$$

The 1st order self-energy $\Sigma_{\alpha\beta}^{(1)}$ (with $\alpha = i, j, k, \dots, a, b, \dots = 0\uparrow, 0\downarrow, 1\uparrow, 1\downarrow, 2\uparrow, \dots$) is simply the perturbing interaction H_1 :

$$\Sigma_{ab}^{(1)} = \langle \Phi^a; S_z | H_1 | \Phi^b; S'_z \rangle ,$$

$$\Sigma_{aj}^{(1)} = \langle \Phi^a; S_z | H_1 | \Phi^j; S'_z \rangle , \text{ etc....}$$

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The $\Sigma_{\alpha\beta}^{(1)}$ is **static**, i.e. **energy independent**. It will have other contributions at higher orders in perturbation theory. But we don't worry about this because we can calculate the exact one (i.e. no PT at all). We will see this later, for now let's just stick to $\Sigma_{\alpha\beta}^{(1)}$ here, which is the first contribution. This is good enough for now.

At **second order**, the interaction H_1 can create/annihilate additional extra pairs, leading to an **energy dependent** contribution to the self energy. For this we will need 2p1h/2h1p intermediate states as follows:

$$|\Phi_i^{ab}; \uparrow\rangle \equiv | \begin{array}{c} \text{Diagram 1: 2p1h state} \end{array} \rangle = a_i a_a^\dagger a_b^\dagger |\Phi_0\rangle = a_{i\downarrow} \hat{P}_{a=b}^\dagger \hat{P}_1^\dagger \hat{P}_0^\dagger |0\rangle$$

$$|\Phi_{ij}^a \uparrow\rangle \equiv | \begin{array}{c} \text{Diagram 2: 2h1p state} \end{array} \rangle = a_a^\dagger a_i a_j |\Phi_0\rangle = a_{a\uparrow}^\dagger \hat{P}_{i=j} \hat{P}_1^\dagger \hat{P}_0^\dagger |0\rangle$$

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The energy dependent second order self-energy is then as follows as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}\Sigma_{\alpha\beta}^{(2)}(\omega) = & \sum_{a b i} \langle \Phi^\alpha | H_1 | \Phi_i^{ab} \rangle \frac{1}{\omega - (\varepsilon_a^{(0)+} + \varepsilon_b^{(0)+} - \varepsilon_j^{(0)-}) + i\eta} \langle \Phi_i^{ab} | H_1 | \Phi^\beta \rangle \\ & + \sum_{a i j} \langle \Phi^\alpha | H_1 | \Phi_{ij}^a \rangle \frac{1}{\omega - (\varepsilon_i^{(0)-} + \varepsilon_j^{(0)-} - \varepsilon_a^{(0)+}) - i\eta} \langle \Phi_{ij}^a | H_1 | \Phi^\beta \rangle\end{aligned}$$

The above equations define a first approximation of the self energy:

$$\Sigma_{\alpha\beta}^*(\omega) = \Sigma_{\alpha\beta}^{(1)} + \Sigma_{\alpha\beta}^{(2)}(\omega)$$

The dyson equation in energy domain is then written as follows (with implicit summations):

$$g_{\alpha\beta}(\omega) = g_{\alpha\beta}^{(0)}(\omega) + g_{\alpha\gamma}^{(0)}(\omega) \Sigma_{\gamma\delta}^*(\omega) g_{\delta\beta}(\omega)$$