







# Subgroup Chains

$SO(3)$  only partitions spaces into  $2\ell + 1$ -dimensional subspaces, with *rotational index*  $\ell$ , labeling the  $SO(3)$  irrep as which it transforms.

$$\{Y^\ell\}$$

The additional  $m$  of  $Y_m^\ell$  is the *azimuthal index* resulting from a labeling according to  $SO(2)$  irreps, conventionally chosen to align with the  $x, y$  plane in Cartesian space.

$$SO(3) \subset SO(2)$$

$$\ell \quad m$$

This compound labeling is thus according to some *subgroup chain*.

# Subgroup Chains (cont.)

## Example: $O(3)$ Harmonics

Consider the subgroup chain

$$O(3) \subset O(2) \subset C_i$$

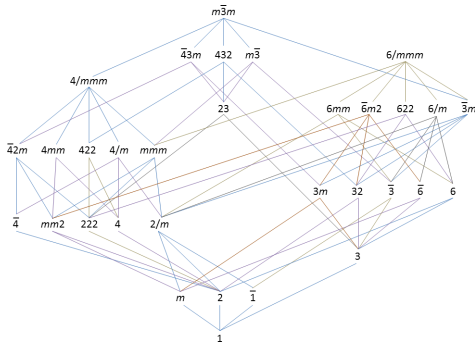
where  $C_i$  is the group of order two containing the inversion operation. In this case, we can label harmonics along an additional index  $p$  for parity,

$$Y_\ell^{mp}$$

This denotes the irrep of  $C_i$  which the harmonic transforms as.

# Point Group Labels

This compound labeling can be applied to point groups, which are always subgroups of  $O(3)$ .



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These provide a convenient labeling scheme for states and properties of physical systems with such symmetries.

[1] [https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Group-subgroup\\_relationship\\_%283D%29.png](https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Group-subgroup_relationship_%283D%29.png)

# Wigner-D Matrices

The different irrep-labeled subspaces of some vector space transform independent of one another under the representation of such group elements.

$$H(Rx) = \sum_{\ell} \mathcal{D}^{\ell}(R) H^{\ell}(x)$$

For the point groups, these are the Wigner-D matrices  $\mathcal{D}^{\ell}$ , which are block-diagonal in PG bases for their group operations.

$$\mathcal{D}^{\ell}(g)_{\mu_i \nu_j} \propto \delta_{\mu \nu} \quad \text{for } g \in PG$$

These can be gotten from the usual  $m$ -component instantiations with  $U$ .

$$D_{\mu_i \nu_j}^{(\ell)} = U_{m \nu_j} D_{mn}^{(\ell)} U_{n \mu_i}^*$$

# Wigner-Eckhart Theorem

The Wigner Eckhart Theorem states that the resultant state of an operator of some irrep label depends on the irrep label of the state of the vector on which it acts.

$$\langle j \ m | T_q^{(k)} | j' \ m' \rangle = \langle j' \ m' \ k \ q | j \ m \rangle \langle j || T^{(k)} || j' \rangle$$

These relations allow us to reduce the number of free components of operators into a minimal set of *irreducible tensor components*.

**Example: Tight-Binding Hamiltonians** In symmetric systems, the Hamiltonian must transform as the trivial irrep  $A_1$ :

$$\langle \ell \Gamma d | H_{A_1}^{(k)} | \ell' \Gamma' d' \rangle = \delta_{\Gamma, \Gamma'} \delta_{d, d'} \langle \ell \Gamma d, k A_1 | \ell' \Gamma' d' \rangle \langle \ell || H^{(k)} || \ell' \rangle$$



- ▶ Self-interaction:

$$V_{acm}^{\ell} \rightarrow \sum_c W_{c'c}^{\ell} V_{acm}^{\ell}$$

- Convolution:

$$V_{acm_i}^{\ell_i} \rightarrow \sum_{m_f, m_i} c_{\ell_i m_i \ell_f m_f}^{\ell_o m_o} \sum_b F_{cm_f}^{\ell_f \ell_i}(r_{ab}) V_{bcm_i}^{\ell_i} Y_{m_f}^{\ell_f}(\hat{r}_{ab})$$

- ▶ Non-linearities:

$$V_{acA_1}^{\ell=0} \rightarrow \sigma(V_{acA_1}^{\ell=0})$$

- Steering:

$$V_{acm_i}^{\ell_i} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}_{m'_i m_i}^{\ell_i} V_{acm_i}^{\ell_i}$$

- Pooling:

$$\text{AGG}_a(\{V_{acm}^\ell\})$$

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Handled with `core/harmonic.py`

- Class ScalarPGH can be used to evaluate scalar harmonics
- Calling ScalarPGH returns a set of all scalar harmonics for some  $\mathbb{R}^3$  vector
- Used to evaluate edge harmonics through convolution



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# Equivariant Model

Handled with torch/model.py

- Self-interaction
- Radial functions
- Convolution





# Induced Representations

An induced representation is conceptually the opposite of a 'reduced representation'

Use subgroup  $G$  representation  $\tilde{\rho}$  to form representation  $\rho$  of parent  $H$ :

$$\rho_{\alpha i, \beta j}(h) = \begin{cases} \tilde{\rho}(g)_{ij} & \text{if } h_{\alpha}^{-1} h h_{\beta} = g \in G \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

where  $\alpha$  indexes a coset decomposition of  $H$  into  $G \subset H$ .

## Example: Induced Representation of $S_2$

Take trivial group  $E$  with representation  $\tilde{\rho}(E) = 1$ . Induced rep. of  $S_2$  then is:

$$\rho_{S_2}(\mathbb{I}) = \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{\rho}(\mathbb{I}) & \tilde{\rho}([12]) \\ \tilde{\rho}([12]) & \tilde{\rho}([12][12]) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\rho_{S_2}([12]) = \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{\rho}([12]) & \tilde{\rho}([12][12]) \\ \tilde{\rho}([12][12]) & \tilde{\rho}([12][12][12]) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

What's really interesting is the basis on which these band representations act.

$$\rho_{PG\uparrow SG}(Tg)W_{i\alpha}(r-t) = \sum_j^{d_\rho} [\rho(g)]_{ji} W_{j\beta}(r-Rt-t_{\beta\alpha})$$

This basis represents exponentially-localized Wannier functions [1].

However, not all bands admit a band representation! Those that do not are considered topological bands.

[1] <https://arxiv.org/pdf/2006.04890>



A latex document detailing the set up of new cluster nodes is available at:

<https://github.com/qmatyanlab/ComputationalResources/>

- tex
- slurm
  - sbatch-example
- ansible-playbooks
  - openmx-setup

This contains ansible-playbooks for the automated setup and an example sbatch file.

These effects are tabulated for instance, on bilbao or in certain Julia packages (SymmetricTB.jl).