

## I. POTENTIAL MATRIX

From Kohn-Sham equations, we can write the Kohn-Sham potential matrix as the following equation.

$$\underline{\underline{v}}^{\text{KS}}(\mathbf{r}) = \sum_{j=0}^3 \sigma_j V_j^{\text{KS}}(\mathbf{r}) \quad (1)$$

Defining  $V_j^{\text{KS}}$  as a vector made up of the potentials in the system,  $B_x$ ,  $B_y$ , and  $B_z$ , we can find the  $\underline{\underline{v}}_j^{\text{KS}}$  by carrying out our multiplication of the Pauli matrices on  $V_j^{\text{KS}}$ .

$$\underline{\underline{v}}^{\text{KS}}(\mathbf{r}) = \sigma_0 V_0^{\text{KS}} + \sigma_1 V_1^{\text{KS}} + \sigma_2 V_2^{\text{KS}} + \sigma_3 V_3^{\text{KS}}$$

$$\underline{\underline{v}}^{\text{KS}}(\mathbf{r}) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} V_0^{\text{KS}} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} V_1^{\text{KS}} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i \\ i & 0 \end{pmatrix} V_2^{\text{KS}} + \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} V_3^{\text{KS}}$$

Then we combine them altogether, replacing our  $V_j$  potentials with the actual potentials.

$$\underline{\underline{v}}^{\text{KS}}(\mathbf{r}) = \begin{pmatrix} V + B_z & B_x - iB_y \\ B_x + iB_y & V - B_z \end{pmatrix}$$

Now, we need to determine the derivatives of our wavefunctions with respect to  $V_j$ .

$$|\delta\phi_n\rangle = \sum_{k \neq j} \frac{\langle \phi_k | \delta V | \phi_n \rangle}{E_n^{(0)} - E_k^{(0)}} |\phi_k\rangle \quad (2)$$

Using our spinor notation, we can reorganize our equation to get our perturbation equation with equation.

$$\begin{pmatrix} \delta\phi_{i\uparrow} \\ \delta\phi_{i\downarrow} \end{pmatrix} = \sum_n \sum_{j \neq i} \frac{(\phi_{j\uparrow}^* \ \phi_{j\downarrow}^*) \underline{\underline{v}}^{\text{KS}} \begin{pmatrix} \phi_{i\uparrow} \\ \phi_{i\downarrow} \end{pmatrix}}{E_i - E_j} \begin{pmatrix} \phi_{j\uparrow} \\ \phi_{j\downarrow} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \delta\phi_{i\uparrow} \\ \delta\phi_{i\downarrow} \end{pmatrix} = \sum_n \sum_{j \neq i} \frac{(\phi_{j\uparrow}^* \ \phi_{j\downarrow}^*) \begin{pmatrix} V + B_z & B_x - iB_y \\ B_x + iB_y & V - B_z \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \phi_{i\uparrow} \\ \phi_{i\downarrow} \end{pmatrix}}{E_i - E_j} \begin{pmatrix} \phi_{j\uparrow} \\ \phi_{j\downarrow} \end{pmatrix} \quad (3)$$

Multiplying this matrix equation out, we can explicitly define the variables we are deriving with respect to.

$$\begin{pmatrix} \delta\phi_{i\uparrow} \\ \delta\phi_{i\downarrow} \end{pmatrix} = \sum_{j \neq i} \left\{ \left( [V_0 + V_3] \phi_{i\uparrow} + [V_1 + iV_2] \phi_{i\downarrow} \right) \phi_{j\uparrow} + \left( [V_1 + iV_2] \phi_{i\uparrow} + [V_0 - iV_3] \phi_{i\downarrow} \right) \phi_{j\downarrow} \right\} \begin{pmatrix} \phi_{j\uparrow} \\ \phi_{j\downarrow} \end{pmatrix} \quad (4)$$

Having  $\delta\phi$ , we can now look at how we can formulate our density functional derivative. We need  $\frac{\delta n}{\delta v_j}$ , where  $\delta v_j$  is the derivative with respect to the  $j$ -th potential as defined by the discretization of the system. That means we have a  $j$ -length gradient of our density, with the differential density of each step being found as:

$$\frac{\delta n_i}{\delta v_j} = \frac{\delta \Psi_i}{\delta v_j} \Psi_i^\dagger + \Psi_i \frac{\delta \Psi_i^\dagger}{\delta v_j} \quad (5)$$

This leads to the differential density matrix  $\delta n$ .

$$\delta n = \begin{pmatrix} \delta\psi_\uparrow \psi_\uparrow^* + \psi_\uparrow \delta\psi_\uparrow^* & \delta\psi_\uparrow \psi_\downarrow^* + \psi_\uparrow \delta\psi_\downarrow^* \\ \delta\psi_\downarrow \psi_\uparrow^* + \psi_\downarrow \delta\psi_\uparrow^* & \delta\psi_\downarrow \psi_\downarrow^* + \psi_\downarrow \delta\psi_\downarrow^* \end{pmatrix} \quad (6)$$

Having established the potentials and the derivative method, we can formulate the 'density' vector that we will be calculating. Each potential has a 1-to-1 correspondence with the various density and magnetization quantities.

$$\begin{pmatrix} n_a \\ n_b \\ m_{xa} \\ m_{xb} \\ m_{ya} \\ m_{yb} \\ m_{za} \\ m_{zb} \end{pmatrix} \longleftrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} V_a \\ V_b \\ B_{xa} \\ B_{xb} \\ B_{ya} \\ B_{yb} \\ B_{za} \\ B_{zb} \end{pmatrix} \quad (7)$$

We can define  $n_a$  and  $n_b$  from the spin density matrix that are generated as a function of the spinor wavefunctions. Explicitly, we can define the spin-density matrix below.

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{n}(\mathbf{r}) &= \sum_i^N \Psi_i(\mathbf{r}) \Psi_i^\dagger(\mathbf{r}) \\ &\equiv \begin{pmatrix} n_{\uparrow\uparrow}(\mathbf{r}) & n_{\uparrow\downarrow}(\mathbf{r}) \\ n_{\downarrow\uparrow}(\mathbf{r}) & n_{\downarrow\downarrow}(\mathbf{r}) \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Having defined our spin-density array, we can calculate the total density  $n(\mathbf{r}) \equiv m_0(\mathbf{r})$  where we can define the magnetization vector by using the spin-density matrix and the Pauli matrices.

$$m_i(\mathbf{r}) = \text{Tr}\{\sigma_i \underline{n}(\mathbf{r})\} \quad (8)$$

Here,  $i$  runs over the  $x$ ,  $y$ , and  $z$  components, respectively. The relationship then allows us to calculate the magnetization from spin-density matrix calculated from our Hamiltonian.

$$\vec{m}(\mathbf{r}) = \begin{pmatrix} m_0(\mathbf{r}) \\ m_1(\mathbf{r}) \\ m_2(\mathbf{r}) \\ m_3(\mathbf{r}) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} n_{\uparrow\uparrow}(\mathbf{r}) + n_{\downarrow\downarrow}(\mathbf{r}) \\ n_{\uparrow\downarrow}(\mathbf{r}) + n_{\downarrow\uparrow}(\mathbf{r}) \\ i(n_{\uparrow\downarrow}(\mathbf{r}) - n_{\downarrow\uparrow}(\mathbf{r})) \\ n_{\uparrow\uparrow}(\mathbf{r}) - n_{\downarrow\downarrow}(\mathbf{r}) \end{pmatrix} \quad (9)$$

This means we now have a prescription to calculate the derivative with respect to  $\delta v_j$  for all measurable values.

$$\delta \vec{m}(\mathbf{r}) = \begin{pmatrix} (\delta \psi_\uparrow \psi_\uparrow^* + \psi_\uparrow \delta \psi_\uparrow^*) + (\delta \psi_\downarrow \psi_\downarrow^* + \psi_\downarrow \delta \psi_\downarrow^*) \\ (\delta \psi_\uparrow \psi_\downarrow^* + \psi_\uparrow \delta \psi_\downarrow^*) + (\delta \psi_\downarrow \psi_\uparrow^* + \psi_\downarrow \delta \psi_\uparrow^*) \\ i((\delta \psi_\uparrow \psi_\downarrow^* + \psi_\uparrow \delta \psi_\downarrow^*) - (\delta \psi_\downarrow \psi_\uparrow^* + \psi_\downarrow \delta \psi_\uparrow^*)) \\ (\delta \psi_\uparrow \psi_\uparrow^* + \psi_\uparrow \delta \psi_\uparrow^*) - (\delta \psi_\downarrow \psi_\downarrow^* + \psi_\downarrow \delta \psi_\downarrow^*) \end{pmatrix} \quad (10)$$