

课堂练习

练习1: 证明如下等式: (1) $[\hat{A}, \hat{B}\hat{C}] = [\hat{A}, \hat{B}]\hat{C} + \hat{B}[\hat{A}, \hat{C}]$; (2) $[\hat{A}\hat{B}, \hat{C}] = \hat{A}[\hat{B}, \hat{C}] + [\hat{A}, \hat{C}]\hat{B}$

证明: 因为:

$$[\hat{A}, \hat{B}\hat{C}] = \hat{A}(\hat{B}\hat{C}) - (\hat{B}\hat{C})\hat{A} = \hat{A}\hat{B}\hat{C} - \hat{B}\hat{C}\hat{A} + \hat{B}\hat{A}\hat{C} - \hat{B}\hat{A}\hat{C} = (\hat{A}\hat{B}\hat{C} - \hat{B}\hat{A}\hat{C}) + (-\hat{B}\hat{C}\hat{A} + \hat{B}\hat{A}\hat{C}) \\ = (\hat{A}\hat{B} - \hat{B}\hat{A})\hat{C} + \hat{B}(\hat{A}\hat{C} - \hat{C}\hat{A}) = [\hat{A}, \hat{B}]\hat{C} + \hat{B}[\hat{A}, \hat{C}]$$

$$[\hat{A}\hat{B}, \hat{C}] = (\hat{A}\hat{B})\hat{C} - \hat{C}(\hat{A}\hat{B}) = \hat{A}\hat{B}\hat{C} - \hat{C}\hat{A}\hat{B} + \hat{A}\hat{C}\hat{B} - \hat{A}\hat{C}\hat{B} = (\hat{A}\hat{B}\hat{C} - \hat{A}\hat{C}\hat{B}) + (-\hat{C}\hat{A}\hat{B} + \hat{A}\hat{C}\hat{B}) \\ = \hat{A}(\hat{B}\hat{C} - \hat{C}\hat{B}) + (\hat{A}\hat{C} - \hat{C}\hat{A})\hat{B} = \hat{A}[\hat{B}, \hat{C}] + [\hat{A}, \hat{C}]\hat{B}$$

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练习2: 以 $|s_x+\rangle$ 和 $|s_x-\rangle$ 为基矢来表示 $|s_z\pm\rangle$ 和 $|s_y\pm\rangle$

解: 我们知道 $|s_x+\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|s_z+\rangle + |s_z-\rangle)$, $|s_x-\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|s_z+\rangle - |s_z-\rangle)$, 因此两式相加得

$$|s_x+\rangle + |s_x-\rangle = \sqrt{2}|s_z+\rangle, \text{ 即 } |s_z+\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|s_x+\rangle + |s_x-\rangle); \text{ 两式相减得}$$

$$|s_x+\rangle - |s_x-\rangle = \sqrt{2}|s_z-\rangle, \text{ 即 } |s_z-\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|s_x+\rangle - |s_x-\rangle). \text{ 因此, } |s_z\pm\rangle \text{ 的表达式为}$$

$$|s_z\pm\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|s_x+\rangle \pm |s_x-\rangle).$$

我们再来看看 $|s_y\pm\rangle$, 由于 $|s_y\pm\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|s_z+\rangle \pm i|s_z-\rangle)$, 因此将上述的 $|s_z\pm\rangle$ 的表达式代入, 得

$$|s_y+\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|s_z+\rangle + i|s_z-\rangle) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\left[\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|s_x+\rangle + |s_x-\rangle) + \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}}(|s_x+\rangle - |s_x-\rangle)\right] = \frac{1+i}{2}|s_x+\rangle + \frac{1-i}{2}|s_x-\rangle$$

$$|s_y-\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|s_z+\rangle - i|s_z-\rangle) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\left[\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|s_x+\rangle + |s_x-\rangle) - \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}}(|s_x+\rangle - |s_x-\rangle)\right] = \frac{1-i}{2}|s_x+\rangle + \frac{1+i}{2}|s_x-\rangle$$

$$\text{从而 } |s_y\pm\rangle = \frac{1\pm i}{2}|s_x+\rangle + \frac{1\mp i}{2}|s_x-\rangle$$

练习3: 根据狄拉克 δ 函数的定义 $\delta(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & (x \neq 0) \\ \infty & (x = 0) \end{cases}$, 以及相应的推论

$$\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \delta(x)dx = \int_{-\varepsilon}^{+\varepsilon} \delta(x)dx = 1, \text{ 证明 } \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} f(x)\delta(x)dx = f(0)$$

证明: 利用狄拉克 δ 函数的定义可得 $\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} f(x)\delta(x)dx = \int_{-\varepsilon}^{+\varepsilon} f(x)\delta(x)dx$, 对于连续有界函数 $f(x)$, 根据积分第一中值定理, 有 $\int_{-\varepsilon}^{+\varepsilon} f(x)\delta(x)dx = f(x_0) \int_{-\varepsilon}^{+\varepsilon} \delta(x)dx$, 其中 $-\varepsilon \leq x_0 \leq +\varepsilon$, 该式对任意 ε 成立, 因此当 $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$ 时, 有 $f(x_0) \rightarrow f(0)$; 又根据狄拉克 δ 函数的推论, 有 $\int_{-\varepsilon}^{+\varepsilon} \delta(x)dx = 1$, 因此 $\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} f(x)\delta(x)dx = f(x_0) \int_{-\varepsilon}^{+\varepsilon} \delta(x)dx = f(0) \cdot 1 = f(0)$, 证毕

练习4: 坐标本征态 $|x\rangle$ 在坐标表象中的表达式是什么?

解: 将坐标本征态在坐标表象中展开, 得 $|x\rangle = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} |x'\rangle \langle x'|x\rangle dx' = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \delta(x' - x)|x'\rangle dx'$, 因此坐标本征态 $|x\rangle$ 在坐标表象中的表达式恰好为 $\delta(x' - x)$

练习5: 试问 $\delta(x)$ 是否为平方可积的函数, 并给出理由

解: $\delta(x)$ 不是平方可积的函数, 因为 $\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \delta^2(x)dx = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \delta(x) \cdot \delta(x-0)dx = \delta(0) = \infty$, 故 $\delta(x)$ 不是平方可积的函数

练习6: 验证 $\hat{x}|\mathbf{x}\rangle = \mathbf{x}|\mathbf{x}\rangle$, 其中 $\hat{x} = \hat{x}e_x + \hat{y}e_y + \hat{z}e_z = \sum_{i=1}^3 \hat{x}_i e_i$, 表示一个“矢量”算符, $|\mathbf{x}\rangle = |x\rangle \otimes |y\rangle \otimes |z\rangle$, 表示线性空间中三个不同方向的矢量的直积

解: $\hat{x}|\mathbf{x}\rangle = (\hat{x}e_x + \hat{y}e_y + \hat{z}e_z)|x\rangle \otimes |y\rangle \otimes |z\rangle = (xe_x + ye_y + ze_z)|x\rangle \otimes |y\rangle \otimes |z\rangle = \mathbf{x}|\mathbf{x}\rangle$

练习7: 证明 $\hat{D}^{-1}(ds)\hat{x}\hat{D}(ds) = \hat{x} + ds$

证明: 取任意位置态矢 $|\mathbf{x}\rangle$, 有:

$$\begin{aligned} [\hat{D}^{-1}(ds)\hat{x}\hat{D}(ds)]|\mathbf{x}\rangle &= \hat{D}^{-1}(ds)\hat{x}[\hat{D}(ds)|\mathbf{x}\rangle] = \hat{D}^{-1}(ds)\hat{x}|\mathbf{x} + ds\rangle = \hat{D}^{-1}(ds)(\hat{x}|\mathbf{x} + ds\rangle) = \hat{D}^{-1}(ds)[(\mathbf{x} + ds)|\mathbf{x} + ds\rangle] \\ &= (\mathbf{x} + ds)\hat{D}^{-1}(ds)|\mathbf{x} + ds\rangle = (\mathbf{x} + ds)\hat{D}(-ds)|\mathbf{x} + ds\rangle = (\mathbf{x} + ds)|\mathbf{x}\rangle \end{aligned}$$

而 $(\hat{x} + ds)|\mathbf{x}\rangle = \hat{x}|\mathbf{x}\rangle + ds|\mathbf{x}\rangle = \mathbf{x}|\mathbf{x}\rangle + ds|\mathbf{x}\rangle = (\mathbf{x} + ds)|\mathbf{x}\rangle$, 因此

$[\hat{D}^{-1}(ds)\hat{x}\hat{D}(ds)]|\mathbf{x}\rangle = (\hat{x} + ds)|\mathbf{x}\rangle$, 从而算符相等, 即 $\hat{D}^{-1}(ds)\hat{x}\hat{D}(ds) = \hat{x} + ds$, 证毕