

AQP Formula Sheet

In SI units, the expressions for μ have no c .

$$\begin{aligned}\mu &= IA = \frac{q}{2mc}L \\ \vec{\mu} &= \frac{q\mathbf{a}}{2mc}\vec{S} \\ F_z &= \vec{\mu} \cdot \frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial z} \approx \mu_z \frac{\partial B_z}{\partial z} \\ \sigma_A &= \Delta A \\ \Delta f^2 &= \sum \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \right)^2 \Delta x^2\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\langle A \rangle &= \sum_i a_i |c_i|^2 = \langle \psi | \hat{A} | \psi \rangle \\ \Delta A &= \sqrt{\langle A^2 \rangle - \langle A \rangle^2} \\ \hat{R}(\mathrm{d}\phi \hat{k}) &= 1 - \frac{i}{\hbar} \hat{J}_z \mathrm{d}\phi \\ \hat{R}(\phi \hat{k}) &= \exp[-i \hat{J}_z \phi / \hbar] \\ \hat{R}(\phi \hat{k}) | \pm z \rangle &= e^{\mp i \phi / 2} | \pm z \rangle\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{P}^2 &= \hat{P} \\ \sum_i \hat{P}_i &= \mathbb{1} \\ \mathbb{1} &= \sum_i |i\rangle \langle i| \\ A_{ij} |i\rangle \langle j| &= |i\rangle \langle i| \hat{A} |j\rangle \langle j| \\ [\hat{J}_x, \hat{J}_y] &= i\hbar \hat{J}_z\end{aligned}$$

Useful Representations

$$\begin{aligned}|\pm x\rangle &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}|+z\rangle \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}|-z\rangle \\ |\pm y\rangle &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}|+z\rangle \pm \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}}|-z\rangle \\ | + n \rangle &= \cos \frac{\theta}{2} | + z \rangle + e^{i\phi} \sin \frac{\theta}{2} | - z \rangle \\ | - n \rangle &= \sin \frac{\theta}{2} | + z \rangle - e^{i\phi} \cos \frac{\theta}{2} | - z \rangle \\ |R\rangle &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|x\rangle + i|y\rangle) \\ |L\rangle &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|x\rangle - i|y\rangle)\end{aligned}$$

Angular Momentum

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{R}(\Delta\phi\hat{k}) &= \exp\left[-i\Delta\phi\hat{J}_z/\hbar\right] \\ \hat{J}^2|j,m\rangle &= j(j+1)\hbar^2|j,m\rangle \implies \|J\| = \hbar\sqrt{j(j+1)} \\ \hat{J}_z|j,m\rangle &= m\hbar|j,m\rangle \\ \sigma_x = \sigma_1 &= \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ \hat{S}_+ &= \hbar\sqrt{2} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \hat{S}_- = \hbar\sqrt{2} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ \hat{J}_{\pm} &= \hat{J}_x \pm i\hat{J}_y \\ \hat{J}_x &= \frac{1}{2}(\hat{J}_+ + \hat{J}_-) \\ \hat{J}_y &= \frac{1}{2i}(\hat{J}_+ - \hat{J}_-) \\ \sigma_y = \sigma_2 &= \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i \\ i & 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ \hat{S}_x &= \frac{\hbar}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \hat{S}_y = \frac{\hbar}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -i \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \hat{S}_z = \hbar \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \\ \Delta\hat{J}_x\Delta\hat{J}_y &\geq \frac{1}{2}|\langle[\hat{J}_x, \hat{J}_y]\rangle| = \frac{\hbar}{2}|\langle\hat{J}_z\rangle| \\ \sigma_z = \sigma_3 &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}\end{aligned}$$

Time Dependence

$$\begin{aligned}U(t) &= \exp\left[i\hat{H}t/\hbar\right] \\ i\hbar\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}t}\hat{U}(t)|\psi(0)\rangle &= \hat{H}\hat{U}(t)|\psi(0)\rangle \quad \frac{\mathrm{d}\langle A \rangle}{\mathrm{d}t} = \frac{i}{\hbar}\langle\psi(t)|[\hat{H}, \hat{A}]|\psi(t)\rangle + \langle\psi(t)|\frac{\partial\hat{A}}{\partial t}|\psi(t)\rangle \\ \hat{H}|E\rangle &= E|E\rangle \\ U(t)|E\rangle &= \exp[-iEt/\hbar]|E\rangle \\ \Delta E\Delta t &\gtrsim \frac{\hbar}{2} \\ \omega_i &\equiv -\frac{gqB_{i+1}}{2mc} \\ \hat{H}_{\vec{\mu}} &= -\vec{\hat{\mu}} \cdot \vec{\hat{B}} = \omega_0 S_z \\ \hat{H}_{mr} &= \hat{H}_{\vec{\mu}} - \omega_1 \cos(\omega t) \hat{S}_x \\ \hat{H}_{\mathrm{NH}_3} &= E_0 \sigma_z - A \sigma_x\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}|\langle -z | \psi_{mr}(t) \rangle|^2 &= \frac{\omega_1^2/4}{(\omega_0 - \omega)^2 + \omega_1^2/4} \sin^2 \frac{\sqrt{(\omega_0 - \omega)^2 + \omega_1^2/4}}{2} t \\ |\langle I | \psi_{\mathrm{NH}_3}(t) \rangle|^2 &= \frac{(\mu_e E_1)^2}{(2A - \hbar\omega)^2 + (\mu_e E_1)^2} \sin^2 \frac{\sqrt{(2A - \hbar\omega)^2 + (\mu_e E_1)^2}}{2\hbar} t\end{aligned}$$