

## 0.1 A module for QSE-based calculations of IPs and Green's function

Given a Hamiltonian,  $\hat{H}$ , and a quantum circuit describing a preliminary VQE calculation for a system of  $N$  particles, we can compute excited states in the  $N - 1$  particle sector formulating the following Ansatz

$$|\Psi_\mu\rangle = \sum_I c_{I\mu} \hat{E}_I |\Psi_{\text{vqe}}\rangle \quad . \quad (1)$$

Here, the operators  $\hat{E}_I$  have the form

$$\hat{E}_I \in \{\hat{a}_{p\sigma}\}_{p\sigma} \quad , \quad \hat{E}_I \in \{\hat{a}_{p\sigma} \left[ \sum_\tau \hat{a}_{r\tau}^\dagger \hat{a}_{s\tau} \right]\}_{prs,\sigma} \quad \text{undressed/dressed} \quad (2)$$

and the coefficients  $c$  are determined solving the eigenvalue equation

$$H c = \varepsilon S c \quad , \quad (3)$$

with

$$S_{IJ} = \langle \Psi_{\text{vqe}} | \hat{E}_J^\dagger \hat{E}_I | \Psi_{\text{vqe}} \rangle \quad , \quad H_{IJ} = \langle \Psi_{\text{vqe}} | \hat{E}_J^\dagger \hat{H} \hat{E}_I | \Psi_{\text{vqe}} \rangle \quad . \quad (4)$$

### 0.1.1 Green's functions

Green's functions in real-time are defined as

$$C_{AB}(t) = \langle \Psi_{\text{vqe}} | A(t) B | \Psi_{\text{vqe}} \rangle \simeq \langle \Psi_{\text{vqe}} | A e^{-it(H-E_{\text{vqe}})} B | \Psi_{\text{vqe}} \rangle \quad (5)$$

The Lehmann representation is

$$C_{AB}(t) \simeq \sum_\mu \langle \Psi_{\text{vqe}} | A | \Psi_\mu \rangle e^{-it(\varepsilon_\mu - E_{\text{vqe}})} \langle \Psi_\mu | B | \Psi_{\text{vqe}} \rangle \quad (6)$$

or equivalently

$$C_{AB}(t) \simeq \sum_\mu \langle \Psi_\mu | A^\dagger | \Psi_{\text{vqe}} \rangle^* e^{-it(\varepsilon_\mu - E_{\text{vqe}})} \langle \Psi_\mu | B | \Psi_{\text{vqe}} \rangle \quad (7)$$

and depends on matrix elements of the form

$$X_\mu = \langle \Psi_\mu | B | \Psi_{\text{vqe}} \rangle = \sum_I c_{I\mu}^* \langle \Psi_{\text{vqe}} | \hat{E}_I^\dagger B | \Psi_{\text{vqe}} \rangle \quad (8)$$