

《量子信息基础》2021.4.22 随堂作业:

1. (Text book\* Problem 5.4)

(a) If  $\psi_a$  and  $\psi_b$  are orthogonal, and both are normalized, what is the constant A in Equation 5.17?

(b) If  $\psi_a = \psi_b$  (and it is normalized), what is A? (This case, of course, occurs only for bosons.)

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$$(a) \psi_{\pm}(\mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_2) = A[\psi_a(\mathbf{r}_1)\psi_b(\mathbf{r}_2) \pm \psi_b(\mathbf{r}_1)\psi_a(\mathbf{r}_2)] \quad (5.17)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \int |\psi_{\pm}(\mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_2)|^2 d\mathbf{r}_1 d\mathbf{r}_2 \\ &= |A|^2 \int [\psi_a(\mathbf{r}_1)\psi_b(\mathbf{r}_2) \pm \psi_b(\mathbf{r}_1)\psi_a(\mathbf{r}_2)]^* [\psi_a(\mathbf{r}_1)\psi_b(\mathbf{r}_2) \pm \psi_b(\mathbf{r}_1)\psi_a(\mathbf{r}_2)] d\mathbf{r}_1 d\mathbf{r}_2 \\ &= |A|^2 \left[ \int |\psi_a(\mathbf{r}_1)|^2 d\mathbf{r}_1 \int |\psi_b(\mathbf{r}_2)|^2 d\mathbf{r}_2 \pm \int \psi_b^*(\mathbf{r}_1)\psi_a(\mathbf{r}_1) d\mathbf{r}_1 \int \psi_a^*(\mathbf{r}_2)\psi_b(\mathbf{r}_2) d\mathbf{r}_2 \right. \\ & \quad \left. \pm \int \psi_a^*(\mathbf{r}_1)\psi_b(\mathbf{r}_1) d\mathbf{r}_1 \int \psi_b^*(\mathbf{r}_2)\psi_a(\mathbf{r}_2) d\mathbf{r}_2 + \int |\psi_b(\mathbf{r}_1)|^2 d\mathbf{r}_1 \int |\psi_a(\mathbf{r}_2)|^2 d\mathbf{r}_2 \right] \\ &= |A|^2 (1 \pm 0 \pm 0 + 1) = 2|A|^2 = 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$A = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

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(b) If  $\psi_a = \psi_b$

$$\begin{aligned} \psi_+(\mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_2) &= 2A\psi_a(\mathbf{r}_1)\psi_b(\mathbf{r}_2) \\ \int |\psi_+(\mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_2)|^2 d\mathbf{r}_1 d\mathbf{r}_2 &= |A|^2 \int [2\psi_a(\mathbf{r}_1)\psi_b(\mathbf{r}_2)]^* [2\psi_a(\mathbf{r}_1)\psi_b(\mathbf{r}_2)] d\mathbf{r}_1 d\mathbf{r}_2 \\ &= 4|A|^2 \int |\psi_a(\mathbf{r}_1)|^2 d\mathbf{r}_1 \int |\psi_b(\mathbf{r}_2)|^2 d\mathbf{r}_2 = 4|A|^2 = 1 \\ A &= \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

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2. (Text book\* Problem 5.6)

Imagine two non-interacting particles, each of mass  $m$ , in the infinite square well. If

one is in the state  $\psi_n$  ( $\psi_n(x) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{a}} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{a}x\right)$ ), and the other in state  $\psi_l$  ( $l \neq n$ ),

calculate  $\langle (x_1 - x_2)^2 \rangle$ , assuming (a) they are distinguishable particles, (b) they are identical bosons, and (c) they are identical fermions.

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The wave functions are

$$\psi_n(x) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{a}} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{a}x\right)$$

两个不相互作用的粒子，质量为  $m$ ，告知了状态，分三种情况求  $x_1-x_2$  平方的均值

$$\psi_l(x) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{a}} \sin\left(\frac{l\pi}{a}x\right)$$

(a)

If the two particles are distinguishable

$$\langle (x_1 - x_2)^2 \rangle = \langle x^2 \rangle_n + \langle x^2 \rangle_l - 2\langle x \rangle_n \langle x \rangle_l$$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle x^2 \rangle_n &= \frac{2}{a} \int_0^a x^2 \sin^2\left(\frac{n\pi}{a}x\right) dx = \frac{2}{a} \int_0^a x^2 \frac{1 - \cos(2n\pi x/a)}{2} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{a} \int_0^a x^2 dx - \frac{1}{a} \int_0^a x^2 \cos\left(\frac{2n\pi}{a}x\right) dx = \frac{a^2}{3} - \frac{a^2}{2(n\pi)^2} \\ \langle x^2 \rangle_l &= \frac{a^2}{3} - \frac{a^2}{2(l\pi)^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle x \rangle_n &= \frac{2}{a} \int_0^a x \sin^2\left(\frac{n\pi}{a}x\right) dx = \frac{1}{a} \int_0^a x \left(1 - \cos\left(\frac{2n\pi}{a}x\right)\right) dx = \frac{a}{2} \\ \langle x \rangle_l &= \frac{a}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \langle (x_1 - x_2)^2 \rangle = \langle x^2 \rangle_n + \langle x^2 \rangle_l - 2\langle x \rangle_n \langle x \rangle_l = a^2 \left[ \frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{2\pi^2} \left( \frac{1}{n^2} + \frac{1}{l^2} \right) \right]$$

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(b)

If the two particles are indistinguishable bosons

$$\langle (x_1 - x_2)^2 \rangle = \langle x^2 \rangle_n + \langle x^2 \rangle_l - 2\langle x \rangle_n \langle x \rangle_l - 2|\langle x \rangle_{nl}|^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle x \rangle_{nl} &= \frac{2}{a} \int_0^a x \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{a}x\right) \sin\left(\frac{l\pi}{a}x\right) dx \\ &= \frac{1}{a} \int_0^a x \left[ \cos\left(\frac{(n-l)\pi}{a}x\right) - \cos\left(\frac{(n+l)\pi}{a}x\right) \right] dx \\ &= \frac{1}{a} \left[ \frac{a}{(n-l)\pi} \cos\left(\frac{(n-l)\pi}{a}x\right) + \frac{ax}{(n-l)\pi} \sin\left(\frac{(n-l)\pi}{a}x\right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \left[ \frac{a}{(n+l)\pi} \cos\left(\frac{(n+l)\pi}{a}x\right) - \frac{ax}{(n+l)\pi} \sin\left(\frac{(n+l)\pi}{a}x\right) \right] \right]_0^a \\ &= \frac{1}{a} \left\{ \left[ \frac{a}{(n-l)\pi} \right]^2 (\cos[(n-l)\pi] - 1) \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \left[ \frac{a}{(n+l)\pi} \right]^2 (\cos[(n+l)\pi] - 1) \right\} \\ &= \frac{a}{\pi^2} [(-1)^{n+l} - 1] \left[ \frac{1}{(n-l)^2} - \frac{1}{(n+l)^2} \right] \\ &= \begin{cases} \frac{-8nla}{\pi^2(n^2 - l^2)^2} & \text{when } n+l = 2m+1, \text{ } m \text{ is an integer} \\ 0 & \text{when } n+l = 2m \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

when  $n+l = 2m$

$$\langle (x_1 - x_2)^2 \rangle = a^2 \left[ \frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{2\pi^2} \left( \frac{1}{n^2} + \frac{1}{l^2} \right) \right]$$

when  $n + l = 2m + 1$

$$\langle (x_1 - x_2)^2 \rangle = a^2 \left[ \frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{2\pi^2} \left( \frac{1}{n^2} + \frac{1}{l^2} \right) \right] - \frac{128n^2 l^2 a^2}{\pi^4 (n^2 - l^2)^4}$$

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(c)

If the two particles are indistinguishable fermions

$$\langle (x_1 - x_2)^2 \rangle = \langle x^2 \rangle_n + \langle x^2 \rangle_l - 2\langle x \rangle_n \langle x \rangle_l + 2|\langle x \rangle_{nl}|^2$$

when  $n + l = 2m$

$$\langle (x_1 - x_2)^2 \rangle = a^2 \left[ \frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{2\pi^2} \left( \frac{1}{n^2} + \frac{1}{l^2} \right) \right]$$

when  $n + l = 2m + 1$

$$\langle (x_1 - x_2)^2 \rangle = a^2 \left[ \frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{2\pi^2} \left( \frac{1}{n^2} + \frac{1}{l^2} \right) \right] + \frac{128n^2 l^2 a^2}{\pi^4 (n^2 - l^2)^4}$$

理解，并且会算这四个积分就算成功

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\* David J. Griffiths, and Darrell F. Schroeter, Introduction to Quantum Mechanics (3rd Edition), Cambridge University Press (2018).