

高等量子力学第三次作业

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习题 1.21

在相干态表象下求 \hat{a} 和 $\hat{a}^\dagger \hat{a}$ 的本征值和本征态。

可以计算：

$$\hat{a} |\bar{\alpha}\rangle = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha^n}{\sqrt{n!}} \hat{a} |n\rangle + \hat{a} |0\rangle = \alpha \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha^{n-1}}{\sqrt{(n-1)!}} |n-1\rangle = \alpha \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha^n}{\sqrt{n!}} |n\rangle = \alpha |\bar{\alpha}\rangle.$$

将 $\hat{a}^\dagger \hat{a}$ 本征态记作 $|\psi\rangle$ ，本征值记作 λ ，在相干态表象下本征值方程为：

$$\langle \bar{\alpha} | \hat{a}^\dagger \hat{a} | \psi \rangle = \alpha^* \frac{\partial}{\partial \alpha^*} \langle \bar{\alpha} | \psi \rangle = \lambda \langle \bar{\alpha} | \psi \rangle.$$

不难注意到，当 $\langle \bar{\alpha} | \psi \rangle = c_n (\alpha^*)^n$ 时，上述本征值方程为：

$$\alpha^* \frac{\partial}{\partial \alpha^*} c_n (\alpha^*)^n = n c_n (\alpha^*)^n = \lambda c_n (\alpha^*)^n.$$

即 $\lambda = n$ ，由归一化条件 $\langle \psi | \psi \rangle = \int d\mu(\alpha) \langle \psi | \bar{\alpha} \rangle \langle \bar{\alpha} | \psi \rangle = 1$ 可以计算 $c_n = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n!}}$ ，即 $\hat{a}^\dagger \hat{a}$ 的本征态 $|\psi\rangle$ 满足 $\langle \bar{\alpha} | \psi \rangle = \frac{(\alpha^*)^n}{\sqrt{n!}}$ 本征值为 n 。

注意到 $\langle \bar{\alpha} | = \sum_n \frac{(\alpha^*)^n}{\sqrt{n!}} \langle n |$ ，则 $\hat{a}^\dagger \hat{a}$ 的本征态为 $|\psi\rangle = |n\rangle$ 。

习题 1.22

证明任意密度矩阵算符满足

$$\text{Tr}(\hat{\rho}^2) \leq 1.$$

当且仅当

$$\text{Tr}(\hat{\rho}^2) = 1.$$

体系处于纯态。

对于任意密度矩阵算符 $\hat{\rho} = \sum_i p_i |\psi_i\rangle \langle \psi_i|$ ，可以计算：

$$\hat{\rho}^2 = \sum_{i,j} p_i p_j |\psi_i\rangle \langle \psi_i | \psi_j\rangle \langle \psi_j|.$$

则可以计算：

$$\text{Tr}(\hat{\rho}^2) = \sum_{i,j} p_i p_j \langle \psi_j | \psi_i \rangle \langle \psi_i | \psi_j \rangle = \sum_{i,j} p_i p_j |\langle \psi_i | \psi_j \rangle|^2 \leq \sum_{i,j} p_i p_j = \left(\sum_i p_i \right) \left(\sum_j p_j \right) = 1.$$

对于纯态，密度矩阵算符可以写作 $\hat{\rho} = |\psi\rangle \langle \psi|$ ，则容易计算：

$$\text{Tr}(\hat{\rho}^2) = \text{Tr}(\hat{\rho}) = 1.$$

对于任意密度矩阵算符 $\hat{\rho} = \sum_i p_i |\psi_i\rangle \langle \psi_i|$, 因为其为厄米算符, 所以总可以选取一个表象, 使得密度矩阵算符对角化, 记作 $\hat{\rho} = \sum_j p'_j |\phi_j\rangle \langle \phi_j|$, 其中 $\langle \phi_i | \phi_j \rangle = \delta_{ij}$. 则可以计算:

$$\text{Tr}(\hat{\rho}^2) = \sum_{i,j} p'_i p'_j |\langle \phi_i | \phi_j \rangle|^2 = \sum_i p_i'^2 \leq \left(\sum_i p'_i \right)^2 = 1.$$

等号成立的条件为只存在唯一一个 $p' = 1$. 即此时密度矩阵算符为:

$$\hat{\rho} = |\phi\rangle \langle \phi|.$$

即体系处于纯态。

综上所述, 密度矩阵算符满足 $\text{Tr}(\hat{\rho}^2) \leq 1$, 当且仅当 $\text{Tr}(\hat{\rho}^2) = 1$ 时体系处于纯态。

习题 1.23

证明二能级系统的密度算符矩阵可以写作

$$\hat{\rho} = \frac{\mathbf{I} + \vec{r} \cdot \vec{\sigma}}{2}$$

其中 $\vec{\sigma} = \sigma_x \vec{e}_x + \sigma_y \vec{e}_y + \sigma_z \vec{e}_z$, $\sigma_x, \sigma_y, \sigma_z$ 为 Pauli 矩阵, $\vec{e}_x, \vec{e}_y, \vec{e}_z$ 为 x, y, z 方向的单位矢量。矢量 \vec{r} 满足:

$$|\vec{r}| = r \leq 1.$$

当且仅当 $r = 1$ 时, 体系处于纯态。

二能级系统的密度算符矩阵可以写作:

$$\hat{\rho} = p |\psi_1\rangle \langle \psi_1| + (1-p) |\psi_2\rangle \langle \psi_2|.$$

考虑这个算符在 $\{|u_1\rangle, |u_2\rangle\}$ 表象下的矩阵元可以计算得:

$$\langle u_1 | \hat{\rho} | u_1 \rangle = p \alpha_1 \alpha_1^* + (1-p) \beta_1 \beta_1^*;$$

$$\langle u_1 | \hat{\rho} | u_2 \rangle = p \alpha_1 \alpha_2^* + (1-p) \beta_1 \beta_2^*;$$

$$\langle u_2 | \hat{\rho} | u_1 \rangle = p \alpha_2 \alpha_1^* + (1-p) \beta_2 \beta_1^*;$$

$$\langle u_2 | \hat{\rho} | u_2 \rangle = p \alpha_2 \alpha_2^* + (1-p) \beta_2 \beta_2^*.$$

其中:

$$\alpha_1 = \langle u_1 | \psi_1 \rangle, \alpha_2 = \langle u_2 | \psi_1 \rangle, \beta_1 = \langle u_1 | \psi_2 \rangle, \beta_2 = \langle u_2 | \psi_2 \rangle.$$

则不难注意到:

$$|\alpha_1|^2 + |\alpha_2|^2 = 1, |\beta_1|^2 + |\beta_2|^2 = 1, |\alpha_1|^2 + |\beta_1|^2 = 1, |\alpha_2|^2 + |\beta_2|^2 = 1.$$

可以计算:

$$\langle u_1 | \hat{\rho} | u_1 \rangle + \langle u_2 | \hat{\rho} | u_2 \rangle = 1.$$

同时, 令:

$$x = \langle u_1 | \hat{\rho} | u_2 \rangle + \langle u_2 | \hat{\rho} | u_1 \rangle = p(\alpha_1 \alpha_2^* + \alpha_2 \alpha_1^*) + (1-p)(\beta_1 \beta_2^* + \beta_2 \beta_1^*);$$

$$iy = \langle u_1 | \hat{\rho} | u_2 \rangle - \langle u_2 | \hat{\rho} | u_1 \rangle = p(\alpha_1 \alpha_2^* - \alpha_2 \alpha_1^*) + (1-p)(\beta_1 \beta_2^* - \beta_2 \beta_1^*);$$

$$z = \langle u_1 | \hat{\rho} | u_1 \rangle - \langle u_2 | \hat{\rho} | u_2 \rangle = p(\alpha_1 \alpha_1^* - \alpha_2 \alpha_2^*) + (1-p)(\beta_1 \beta_1^* - \beta_2 \beta_2^*).$$

则密度矩阵算符的矩阵表示可以写作:

$$\rho = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} + \frac{z}{2} & \frac{x}{2} + \frac{iy}{2} \\ \frac{x}{2} - \frac{iy}{2} & \frac{1}{2} - \frac{z}{2} \end{pmatrix} = \frac{\mathbf{I} + \vec{r} \cdot \vec{\sigma}}{2}$$

可以计算:

$$\begin{aligned} |\vec{r}|^2 &= |x|^2 + |y|^2 + |z|^2 \\ &= p^2 + (1-p)^2 + 2p(1-p)(4\text{Re}(\alpha_1 \alpha_2^* \beta_1^* \beta_2) - (1-2|\alpha_1|^2)^2) \\ &\leq p^2 + (1-p)^2 + 2p(1-p)(4|\alpha_1|^2 - 4|\alpha_1|^4 - (1-2|\alpha_1|^2)^2) \\ &= p^2 + (1-p)^2 + 2p(1-p) - 4p(1-p)(2|\alpha_1|^2 - 1)^2 \\ &= 1 - 4p(1-p)(2|\alpha_1|^2 - 1)^2 \\ &\leq 1. \end{aligned}$$

则有:

$$|\vec{r}| = r \leq 1.$$

当 $r = 1$ 时, 有: $p = 0$ 或 $p = 1$, 显然此时有 $\hat{\rho}^2 = \hat{\rho}$, 体系处于纯态。

当体系处于纯态时, 有 $\hat{\rho}^2 = \hat{\rho}$, 则可以计算:

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\rho}^2 &= \frac{1}{4}(\mathbf{I} + \vec{r} \cdot \vec{\sigma})^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{4}(\mathbf{I} + 2\vec{r} \cdot \vec{\sigma} + (\vec{r} \cdot \vec{\sigma})^2) \\ &= \frac{1}{4}((1 + r^2)\mathbf{I} + 2\vec{r} \cdot \vec{\sigma}) \\ &= \hat{\rho}. \end{aligned}$$

则有 $|\vec{r}| = r = 1$ 。

综上所述, 二能级系统的密度算符矩阵可以写作:

$$\hat{\rho} = \frac{\mathbf{I} + \vec{r} \cdot \vec{\sigma}}{2}$$

当且仅当 $r = 1$ 时, 体系处于纯态。

习题 1.24

证明 $\hat{\rho}_1 = \text{Tr}_2(|\psi\rangle_{12} \langle\psi|)$ 为密度矩阵算符, 并且 $\hat{\rho}_1$ 为纯态的充要条件为 $|\psi\rangle_{12}$ 为直积态。

可以计算:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Tr}(\hat{\rho}_1) &= \text{Tr}_1(\text{Tr}_2(|\psi\rangle_{12} \langle\psi|)) = \text{Tr}_{12}(|\psi\rangle_{12} \langle\psi|) = 1. \\ \hat{\rho}_1^\dagger &= [\text{Tr}_2(|\psi\rangle_{12} \langle\psi|)]^\dagger = \text{Tr}_2(|\psi\rangle_{12} \langle\psi|) = \hat{\rho}_1 \end{aligned}$$

对于任意态矢量 $|a\rangle = \sum \alpha_m |m\rangle$, 可以计算:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \langle a | \hat{\rho}_1 | a \rangle &= \langle a | \mathbf{Tr}_2(|\psi\rangle_{12} {}_{12}\langle\psi|) | a \rangle \\
 &= \mathbf{Tr}_1(|a\rangle \langle a| \mathbf{Tr}_2(|\psi\rangle_{12} {}_{12}\langle\psi|)) \\
 &= \mathbf{Tr}_{12}(|a\rangle \langle a| \otimes \mathbf{1}_2)(|\psi\rangle_{12} {}_{12}\langle\psi|) \\
 &= {}_{12}\langle\psi| (|a\rangle \langle a| \otimes \mathbf{1}_2) |\psi\rangle_{12} \\
 &= \sum_{m,n} c_{mn}^* \langle m | \otimes {}_2\langle n | (|a\rangle \langle a| \otimes \mathbf{1}_2) \sum_{m',n'} c_{m'n'} |m'\rangle_1 \otimes |n'\rangle_2 \\
 &= \sum_{m,m',n} c_{mn}^* c_{m'n} \langle m | a \rangle \langle a | m' \rangle \\
 &= \sum_n \left(\sum_m c_{mn}^* \langle m | a \rangle \right) \left(\sum_m c_{mn} \langle a | m \rangle \right) \\
 &\geq 0.
 \end{aligned}$$

若 $|\psi\rangle_{12} = |\phi\rangle_1 \otimes |\chi\rangle_2$, 则有:

$$\hat{\rho}_1 = \mathbf{Tr}_2(|\psi\rangle_{12} {}_{12}\langle\psi|) = {}_2\langle\chi| \chi\rangle_2 |\phi\rangle_1 {}_1\langle\phi| = |\phi\rangle_1 {}_1\langle\phi| = |\phi\rangle \langle\phi|.$$

则有:

$$\hat{\rho}_1^2 = |\phi\rangle \langle\phi| |\phi\rangle \langle\phi| = |\phi\rangle \langle\phi| = \hat{\rho}_1.$$

若 $\hat{\rho}_1$ 为纯态, 即 $\hat{\rho}_1^2 = \hat{\rho}_1$. 可以计算:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \hat{\rho}_1 &= \mathbf{Tr}_2\left(\sum_{m,n} c_{mn} |m\rangle \otimes |n\rangle \sum_{m',n'} c_{m'n'}^* \langle m' | \langle n' | \right) \\
 &= \sum_{m,n,m',n'} c_{mn} c_{m'n'}^* |m\rangle \langle m' | \langle n' | n \rangle \\
 &= \sum_{m,m',n} c_{mn} c_{m'n}^* |m\rangle \langle m' | \\
 \hat{\rho}_1^2 &= \sum_{m_1,m_2,m_3,m_4,n_1,n_2} c_{m_1,n_1} c_{m_2,n_1}^* c_{m_3,n_2} c_{m_4,n_2}^* |m_1\rangle \langle m_2 | m_3 \rangle \langle m_4 | \\
 &= \sum_{m,m',n} c_{mn} c_{m'n}^* |m\rangle \langle m' | = \hat{\rho}_1
 \end{aligned}$$

当且仅当满足 $c_{mn} = \alpha_m \beta_n$ 时上式成立。此时可以计算:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \hat{\rho}_1 &= \mathbf{Tr}_2\left(\sum_{m,n} \alpha_m \beta_n |m\rangle \otimes |n\rangle \sum_{m',n'} \alpha_{m'}^* \beta_{n'}^* \langle m' | \langle n' | \right) \\
 &= \sum_{m,n,m',n'} \alpha_m \beta_n \alpha_{m'}^* \beta_{n'}^* |m\rangle \langle m' | \langle n' | n \rangle \\
 &= \sum_{m,m'} \alpha_m \alpha_{m'}^* |m\rangle \langle m' |
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{\rho}_1^2 &= \sum_{m_1, m_2, m_3, m_4} \alpha_{m_1} \alpha_{m_2}^* \alpha_{m_3} \alpha_{m_4}^* |m_1\rangle \langle m_2| m_3\rangle \langle m_4| \\ &= \sum_{m, m'} \alpha_m \alpha_{m'}^* |m\rangle \langle m'|.\end{aligned}$$

当 $c_{mn} = \alpha_m \beta_n$ 时, 则有:

$$|\psi\rangle = \sum_{mn} \alpha_m \beta_n |m\rangle \otimes |n\rangle = \left(\sum_m \alpha_m |m\rangle \right) \otimes \left(\sum_n \beta_n |n\rangle \right).$$

即 $|\psi\rangle_{12}$ 可以写作直积态。

综上所述, $\hat{\rho}_1$ 为纯态的充要条件为 $|\psi\rangle_{12}$ 为直积态。

习题 1.25

证明对于量子态

$$|B\rangle = \frac{|00\rangle + |11\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}$$

可以选择 $\vec{n}_1, \vec{n}_2, \vec{n}_3, \vec{n}_4$, 使得 $|\langle \hat{B} \rangle| = 2\sqrt{2}$

选取四个向量分别为:

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{n}_1 &= (1/\sqrt{2} \quad 0 \quad 1/\sqrt{2}); & \vec{n}_2 &= (1 \quad 0 \quad 0); \\ \vec{n}_3 &= (1/\sqrt{2} \quad 0 \quad -1/\sqrt{2}); & \vec{n}_4 &= (0 \quad 0 \quad 1).\end{aligned}$$

可以计算:

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{\sigma}_1 \cdot \vec{n}_1 &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sigma_x + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sigma_z = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}; \\ \vec{\sigma}_2 \cdot (\vec{n}_2 + \vec{n}_4) &= \sigma_x + \sigma_z = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}; \\ \vec{\sigma}_1 \cdot \vec{n}_3 &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sigma_x - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sigma_z = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}; \\ \vec{\sigma}_2 \cdot (\vec{n}_2 - \vec{n}_4) &= \sigma_x - \sigma_z = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}.\end{aligned}$$

则可以计算:

$$\hat{B} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{2} & 0 & 0 & \sqrt{2} \\ 0 & -\sqrt{2} & \sqrt{2} & 0 \\ 0 & \sqrt{2} & -\sqrt{2} & 0 \\ \sqrt{2} & 0 & 0 & \sqrt{2} \end{pmatrix}.$$

则可以计算:

$$\langle B | \hat{B} | B \rangle = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{2} & 0 & 0 & \sqrt{2} \\ 0 & -\sqrt{2} & \sqrt{2} & 0 \\ 0 & \sqrt{2} & -\sqrt{2} & 0 \\ \sqrt{2} & 0 & 0 & \sqrt{2} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix} = 2\sqrt{2}.$$

习题 1.26

证明

$$\hat{\rho} = \frac{e^{-\beta \hat{H}}}{\text{Tr}(e^{-\beta \hat{H}})}$$

为密度算符。其中 $\beta = k_B T$, k_B 为玻尔兹曼常数, T 为温度。

因为 $\hat{H}^\dagger = \hat{H}$, 则有:

$$\hat{\rho}^\dagger = \frac{1}{\text{Tr}(e^{-\beta \hat{H}})} \left(\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-\beta \hat{H})^n}{n!} \right)^\dagger = \frac{1}{\text{Tr}(e^{-\beta \hat{H}})} \left(\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-\beta \hat{H})^n}{n!} \right) = \frac{e^{-\beta \hat{H}}}{\text{Tr}(e^{-\beta \hat{H}})} = \hat{\rho}.$$

可以计算:

$$\text{Tr}(\hat{\rho}) = \frac{\text{Tr}(e^{-\beta \hat{H}})}{\text{Tr}(e^{-\beta \hat{H}})} = 1.$$

由于指数函数的正定性, 即对于任意量子态 $|\psi\rangle$, 都有:

$$\langle \psi | e^{-\beta \hat{H}} | \psi \rangle > 0.$$

则有 $\hat{\rho} \geq 0$.

综上所述, $\hat{\rho} = \frac{e^{-\beta \hat{H}}}{\text{Tr}(e^{-\beta \hat{H}})}$ 为密度算符。

习题 1.27

证明下列关系式:

$$e^{\hat{A}} \hat{B} e^{-\hat{A}} = \hat{B} + \frac{1}{1!} [\hat{A}, \hat{B}] + \frac{1}{2!} [\hat{A}, [\hat{A}, \hat{B}]] + \dots$$

如果算符 \hat{A} 存在对角化

$$\hat{A} = \sum_a |a\rangle a \langle a|$$

其中 $\langle a | a' \rangle = \delta_{a,a'}$, 那么我们定义对任意函数 $f(x)$

$$f(\hat{A}) = \sum_a |a\rangle f(a) \langle a|$$

可以证明当函数 $f(x)$ 可泰勒展开时, 上述定义与定义 (1.210) 一致。

对于在区域 D 上解析的函数 $f(z)$, 如果算符 \hat{A} 的本征值在 D 内, 那么算符函数

$$f(\hat{A}) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\Gamma} dz f(z) \frac{1}{z - \hat{A}}$$

其中 Γ 为区域 D 中包含所有 \hat{A} 的本征值的任意正向闭合路径。可以证明该定义与定义 (1.225) 的一致性。

$$(\hat{A}\hat{B})^{-1} = \hat{B}^{-1}\hat{A}^{-1}, \quad (\hat{A} + \hat{B})^{-1} = \hat{A}^{-1} - \hat{A}^{-1}\hat{B}(\hat{A} + \hat{B})^{-1}$$

对于 $e^{\hat{A}}$ 进行 Taylor 展开有:

$$e^{\hat{A}} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \hat{A}^n = \left(1 + \hat{A} + \frac{1}{2!} \hat{A}^2 + \cdots \right).$$

则展开 $e^{\hat{A}}\hat{B}e^{-\hat{A}}$, 可得:

$$e^{\hat{A}}\hat{B}e^{-\hat{A}} = \left(1 + \hat{A} + \frac{1}{2!} \hat{A}^2 + \cdots \right) \hat{B} \left(1 - \hat{A} + \frac{1}{2!} \hat{A}^2 + \cdots \right).$$

其中, 可以计算 \hat{A} 的零阶项为 \hat{B} , \hat{A} 的一阶项为 $\hat{A}\hat{B} - \hat{B}\hat{A} = [\hat{A}, \hat{B}]$, \hat{A} 的二阶项为 $\frac{1}{2!} \hat{A}^2 \hat{B} - \hat{A} \hat{B} \hat{A} + \frac{1}{2!} \hat{B} \hat{A}^2 = \frac{1}{2!} [\hat{A}, [\hat{A}, \hat{B}]]$, 以此类推, 可得:

$$e^{\hat{A}}\hat{B}e^{-\hat{A}} = \hat{B} + \frac{1}{1!} [\hat{A}, \hat{B}] + \frac{1}{2!} [\hat{A}, [\hat{A}, \hat{B}]] + \cdots$$

可以计算:

$$\hat{A}^n = \sum_{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n} \prod_{i=1}^n a_i |a_1\rangle \langle a_1| a_2\rangle \langle a_2| \cdots |a_n\rangle \langle a_n| = \sum_a a^n |a\rangle \langle a|.$$

则有:

$$\begin{aligned} f(\hat{A}) &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} f^{(n)}(0) \hat{A}^n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} f^{(n)}(0) \sum_a a^n |a\rangle \langle a| \\ &= \sum_a |a\rangle \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} f^{(n)}(0) a^n \langle a| = \sum_a |a\rangle f(a) \langle a|. \end{aligned}$$

令 $g(\hat{A}) = \frac{1}{z - \hat{A}}$, 则有:

$$g(\hat{A}) = \sum_a |a\rangle g(a) \langle a| = \sum_a |a\rangle \frac{1}{z - a} \langle a|.$$

从而可以计算算符函数:

$$f(\hat{A}) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\Gamma} dz f(z) g(\hat{A}) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \sum_a |a\rangle \int_{\Gamma} dz f(z) \frac{1}{z - a} \langle a| = \sum_a |a\rangle f(a) \langle a|.$$

可以计算:

$$(\hat{A}\hat{B})^{-1}(\hat{A}\hat{B}) = \hat{B}^{-1}\hat{A}^{-1}\hat{A}\hat{B} = \hat{B}^{-1}\hat{B} = \mathbf{1}.$$

$$(\hat{A} + \hat{B})^{-1}(\hat{A} + \hat{B}) = (\hat{A}^{-1} - \hat{A}^{-1}\hat{B}(\hat{A} + \hat{B})^{-1})(\hat{A} + \hat{B}) = \mathbf{1} + \hat{A}^{-1}\hat{B} - \hat{A}^{-1}\hat{B} = \mathbf{1}.$$

其中利用了 $(\hat{A} + \hat{B})^{-1}(\hat{A} + \hat{B}) = \mathbf{1}$ 。

综上所述, 有:

$$(\hat{A}\hat{B})^{-1} = \hat{B}^{-1}\hat{A}^{-1}, \quad (\hat{A} + \hat{B})^{-1} = \hat{A}^{-1} - \hat{A}^{-1}\hat{B}(\hat{A} + \hat{B})^{-1}.$$