

Basis, Matrix, ExpressionFor

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In[*]:= << Q3`
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Basis

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In[*]:= Let[Qubit, S]
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```
In[*]:= bs = Basis[{S[1, $], S[2, $]}]
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Out[*]= { |0S10S2⟩, |0S11S2⟩, |1S10S2⟩, |1S11S2⟩ }
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Shorthand expressions

```
In[*]:= Basis@{S[1, $], S[2, $]}
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Out[*]= { |0S10S2⟩, |0S11S2⟩, |1S10S2⟩, |1S11S2⟩ }
```

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In[*]:= Basis@S[{1, 2}, $]
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```
Out[*]= { |0S10S2⟩, |0S11S2⟩, |1S10S2⟩, |1S11S2⟩ }
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```
In[*]:= Basis@S@{1, 2}
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```
Out[*]= { |0S10S2⟩, |0S11S2⟩, |1S10S2⟩, |1S11S2⟩ }
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In[*]:= new = Basis@S@{2, 1}
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```
Out[*]= { |0S10S2⟩, |1S10S2⟩, |0S11S2⟩, |1S11S2⟩ }
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In[*]:= tbl = Transpose@{bb = Row /@ Tuples[{0, 1}, 2], bs, bb, new} // KetRegulate;  
TableForm[tbl,
```

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TableHeadings → {Range[4], {Row@S[{1, 2}, $], ""}, Row@S[{2, 1}, $], ""}]
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Out[*]//TableForm=
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	S ₁ S ₂		S ₂ S ₁	
1	00	0 _{S₁} 0 _{S₂} ⟩	00	0 _{S₁} 0 _{S₂} ⟩
2	01	0 _{S₁} 1 _{S₂} ⟩	01	1 _{S₁} 0 _{S₂} ⟩
3	10	1 _{S₁} 0 _{S₂} ⟩	10	0 _{S₁} 1 _{S₂} ⟩
4	11	1 _{S₁} 1 _{S₂} ⟩	11	1 _{S₁} 1 _{S₂} ⟩

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In[*]:= Let[Boson, c]
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In[*]:= bs = Basis[c, S@{1, 2}]
```

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Out[*]=
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$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} |0_c 0_{S_1} 0_{S_2}\rangle, |0_c 0_{S_1} 1_{S_2}\rangle, |0_c 1_{S_1} 0_{S_2}\rangle, |0_c 1_{S_1} 1_{S_2}\rangle, |1_c 0_{S_1} 0_{S_2}\rangle, |1_c 0_{S_1} 1_{S_2}\rangle, \\ |1_c 1_{S_1} 0_{S_2}\rangle, |1_c 1_{S_1} 1_{S_2}\rangle, |2_c 0_{S_1} 0_{S_2}\rangle, |2_c 0_{S_1} 1_{S_2}\rangle, |2_c 1_{S_1} 0_{S_2}\rangle, |2_c 1_{S_1} 1_{S_2}\rangle, \\ |3_c 0_{S_1} 0_{S_2}\rangle, |3_c 0_{S_1} 1_{S_2}\rangle, |3_c 1_{S_1} 0_{S_2}\rangle, |3_c 1_{S_1} 1_{S_2}\rangle, |4_c 0_{S_1} 0_{S_2}\rangle, |4_c 0_{S_1} 1_{S_2}\rangle, \\ |4_c 1_{S_1} 0_{S_2}\rangle, |4_c 1_{S_1} 1_{S_2}\rangle, |5_c 0_{S_1} 0_{S_2}\rangle, |5_c 0_{S_1} 1_{S_2}\rangle, |5_c 1_{S_1} 0_{S_2}\rangle, |5_c 1_{S_1} 1_{S_2}\rangle \end{array} \right\}$$

Matrix vs ExpressionFor

```
In[*]:= Let[Qubit, S]
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Matrix Representation of Vectors

Consider a typical initialization state.

```
In[*]:= in = Ket[S@{1, 2} -> 0]
```

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Out[*]=
```

$$|0_{S_1} 0_{S_2}\rangle$$

Construct a superposition state by applying the Hadamard operator on each qubit.

```
In[*]:= v = S[1, 6] ** S[2, 6] ** in
```


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Out[*]=
```

$$\frac{1}{2} |0_{S_1} 0_{S_2}\rangle + \frac{1}{2} |0_{S_1} 1_{S_2}\rangle + \frac{1}{2} |1_{S_1} 0_{S_2}\rangle + \frac{1}{2} |1_{S_1} 1_{S_2}\rangle$$

Represent the state vector in a matrix form.

```
In[*]:= col = Matrix[v, S[{1, 2}], $]
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Out[*]=
```

SparseArray[ Specified elements: 4
Dimensions: {4}]

```
In[*]:= col // MatrixForm
```

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Out[*]//MatrixForm=
```

$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

Shorthand expressions

```
In[*]:= Matrix[v, S[{1, 2}]] // Normal
```

```
Out[*]=
```

$$\left\{ \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \right\}$$

```
In[*]:= Matrix[v, S@{1, 2}] // Normal
Out[*]=
```

$$\left\{ \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \right\}$$

Convert it back to the state expression form.

```
In[*]:= new = ExpressionFor[col, S[{1, 2}, $]]
Out[*]=
```

$$\frac{1}{2} |0_{S_1} 0_{S_2}\rangle + \frac{1}{2} |0_{S_1} 1_{S_2}\rangle + \frac{1}{2} |1_{S_1} 0_{S_2}\rangle + \frac{1}{2} |1_{S_1} 1_{S_2}\rangle$$

```
In[*]:= new - v
Out[*]=
```

$$0$$

Shorthand expressions

```
In[*]:= ExpressionFor[col, S[{1, 2}]]
Out[*]=
```

$$\frac{1}{2} |0_{S_1} 0_{S_2}\rangle + \frac{1}{2} |0_{S_1} 1_{S_2}\rangle + \frac{1}{2} |1_{S_1} 0_{S_2}\rangle + \frac{1}{2} |1_{S_1} 1_{S_2}\rangle$$

```
In[*]:= ExpressionFor[col, S@{1, 2}]
Out[*]=
```

$$\frac{1}{2} |0_{S_1} 0_{S_2}\rangle + \frac{1}{2} |0_{S_1} 1_{S_2}\rangle + \frac{1}{2} |1_{S_1} 0_{S_2}\rangle + \frac{1}{2} |1_{S_1} 1_{S_2}\rangle$$

Matrix Representation of Operators


Consider a typical two-qubit Hamiltonian. For your information, this is the famous Heisenberg model of interacting spins.

```
In[*]:= H = Total[S[1, All] ** S[2, All]]
Out[*]=
```

$$S_1^x S_2^x + S_1^y S_2^y + S_1^z S_2^z$$

Represent it in a matrix form.

```
In[*]:= mat = Matrix[H, S@{1, 2}]
Out[*]=
```

SparseArray[ Specified elements: 8
Dimensions: {4, 4}]

```
In[*]:= MatrixForm[mat]
Out[*]//MatrixForm=
```

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Convert it back to an operator expression.

```
In[*]:= op = ExpressionFor[mat, S@{1, 2}]
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Out[*]=
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$$S_1^Z S_2^Z + 2 S_1^+ S_2^- + 2 S_1^- S_2^+$$

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In[*]:= PauliForm[op]
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Out[*]=
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$$Z \otimes Z + 2 X^- \otimes X^+ + 2 X^+ \otimes X^-$$

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In[*]:= new = Elaborate[op]
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Out[*]=
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$$S_1^X S_2^X + S_1^Y S_2^Y + S_1^Z S_2^Z$$

```
In[*]:= PauliForm[new]
```

```
Out[*]=
```

$$X \otimes X + Y \otimes Y + Z \otimes Z$$

Application: Eigenvalue Problem

Suppose you want to calculate the eigenvalues and corresponding eigenvectors of the following operator.

```
In[*]:= H = Total[S[1, All] ** S[2, All]]
```

```
Out[*]=
```

$$S_1^X S_2^X + S_1^Y S_2^Y + S_1^Z S_2^Z$$

First, calculate the matrix representation of the operator.

```
In[*]:= mat = Matrix[H, S@{1, 2}];
```

```
mat // MatrixForm
```

```
Out[*]//MatrixForm=
```

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Calculate the eigenvalues.

```
In[*]:= Eigenvalues[mat]
```

```
Out[*]=
```

$$\{-3, 1, 1, 1\}$$

Calculate the corresponding eigenvectors.

```
In[*]:= vv = Eigenvectors[mat]
```

```
Out[*]=
```

$$\{\{0, -1, 1, 0\}, \{0, 0, 0, 1\}, \{0, 1, 1, 0\}, \{1, 0, 0, 0\}\}$$

In the result above, there are four eigenvectors that are represented in the column-vector form.

Convert the eigenvectors into the state expression form.

```
In[*]:= vec = Map[ExpressionFor[#, S@{1, 2}] &, vv]
Out[*]=

$$\left\{ -\left| 0_{S_1} 1_{S_2} \right\rangle + \left| 1_{S_1} 0_{S_2} \right\rangle, \left| 1_{S_1} 1_{S_2} \right\rangle, \left| 0_{S_1} 1_{S_2} \right\rangle + \left| 1_{S_1} 0_{S_2} \right\rangle, \left| 0_{S_1} 0_{S_2} \right\rangle \right\}$$

In[*]:= ExpressionFor[#, S@{1, 2}] & /@ vv
Out[*]=

$$\left\{ -\left| 0_{S_1} 1_{S_2} \right\rangle + \left| 1_{S_1} 0_{S_2} \right\rangle, \left| 1_{S_1} 1_{S_2} \right\rangle, \left| 0_{S_1} 1_{S_2} \right\rangle + \left| 1_{S_1} 0_{S_2} \right\rangle, \left| 0_{S_1} 0_{S_2} \right\rangle \right\}$$

```

You can get the eigenvalues and corresponding eigenvectors at once.

```
In[*]:= Eigensystem[mat]
Out[*]=

$$\{ \{-3, 1, 1, 1\}, \{ \{0, -1, 1, 0\}, \{0, 0, 0, 1\}, \{0, 1, 1, 0\}, \{1, 0, 0, 0\} \} \}$$

In[*]:= {val, vec} = Eigensystem[mat]
Out[*]=

$$\{ \{-3, 1, 1, 1\}, \{ \{0, -1, 1, 0\}, \{0, 0, 0, 1\}, \{0, 1, 1, 0\}, \{1, 0, 0, 0\} \} \}$$

```

Check the eigenvalues.

```
In[*]:= val
Out[*]=

$$\{-3, 1, 1, 1\}$$

```

Check the eigenvectors.

```
In[*]:= vec
Out[*]=

$$\{ \{0, -1, 1, 0\}, \{0, 0, 0, 1\}, \{0, 1, 1, 0\}, \{1, 0, 0, 0\} \}$$

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Converting an operator to matrix and then back to state expression is boring.

```
In[*]:= H = Total[S[1, All] ** S[2, All]]
Out[*]=

$$S_1^x S_2^x + S_1^y S_2^y + S_1^z S_2^z$$

In[*]:= ProperValues[H]
Out[*]=

$$\{-3, 1, 1, 1\}$$

In[*]:= ProperStates[H]
Out[*]=

$$\left\{ -\left| 0_{S_1} 1_{S_2} \right\rangle + \left| 1_{S_1} 0_{S_2} \right\rangle, \left| 1_{S_1} 1_{S_2} \right\rangle, \left| 0_{S_1} 1_{S_2} \right\rangle + \left| 1_{S_1} 0_{S_2} \right\rangle, \left| 0_{S_1} 0_{S_2} \right\rangle \right\}$$

In[*]:= {val, vec} = ProperSystem[H]
Out[*]=

$$\{ \{-3, 1, 1, 1\}, \left\{ -\left| 0_{S_1} 1_{S_2} \right\rangle + \left| 1_{S_1} 0_{S_2} \right\rangle, \left| 1_{S_1} 1_{S_2} \right\rangle, \left| 0_{S_1} 1_{S_2} \right\rangle + \left| 1_{S_1} 0_{S_2} \right\rangle, \left| 0_{S_1} 0_{S_2} \right\rangle \right\} \}$$

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```
In[*]:= val
Out[*]=
{-3, 1, 1, 1}
```

```
In[*]:= vec
Out[*]=
 $\left\{ -\left| 0_{S_1} 1_{S_2} \right\rangle + \left| 1_{S_1} 0_{S_2} \right\rangle, \left| 1_{S_1} 1_{S_2} \right\rangle, \left| 0_{S_1} 1_{S_2} \right\rangle + \left| 1_{S_1} 0_{S_2} \right\rangle, \left| 0_{S_1} 0_{S_2} \right\rangle \right\}$ 
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Summary

Functions

- **Basis**
- **Matrix**
- **ExpressionFor**
- **Eigenvalues, Eigenvectors, Eigensystem**
- **ProperValues, ProperStates, ProperSystem**

Related Links

- S. Wolfram (2017), “An Elementary Introduction to Wolfram Language,” 2nd edition (2017).
- The Wolfram Language: Fast Introduction for Math Students
- The Wolfram Language: Fast Introduction for Programmers