

Excited-to-excited transition dipoles

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By neglecting the response of the XC kernel and the Hartree XC kernel, the element of the first hyperpolarizability tensor in the sTD-DFT framework are:

$$\beta_{\zeta\sigma\tau}(\omega_\zeta; \omega_1, \omega_2) = -\langle\langle \hat{\mu}_\zeta; \hat{\mu}_\sigma, \hat{\mu}_\tau \rangle\rangle_{\omega_1, \omega_2} = \mathcal{A}_{\zeta\sigma\tau}(\omega_\zeta; \omega_1, \omega_2) - \mathcal{B}_{\zeta\sigma\tau}(\omega_\zeta; \omega_1, \omega_2), \quad (1)$$

with $\omega_\zeta = -\omega_1 - \omega_2$, and:

$$\mathcal{A}_{\zeta\sigma\tau}(\omega_\zeta; \omega_1, \omega_2) = \sum_{\mathcal{P}} \sum_{ia, ja} x_{ia, \zeta}(\omega_\zeta) [-\mu_{ij, \sigma}] y_{ja, \tau}(\omega_2), \quad (2)$$

$$\mathcal{B}_{\zeta\sigma\tau}(\omega_\zeta; \omega_1, \omega_2) = \sum_{\mathcal{P}} \sum_{ia, ib} x_{ia, \zeta}(\omega_\zeta) [-\mu_{ab, \sigma}] y_{ib, \tau}(\omega_2), \quad (3)$$

where $\sum_{\mathcal{P}}$ is the sum over the sequence of permutations of the pairs of components and energies, $\{(\zeta, \omega_\zeta), (\sigma, \omega_1), (\tau, \omega_2)\}$. For example,

$$\mathcal{A}_{\zeta\sigma\tau}(\omega_\zeta; \omega_1, \omega_2) = \sum_{ia, ja} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} x_{ia, \zeta}(\omega_\zeta) [-\mu_{ij, \sigma}] y_{ja, \tau}(\omega_2) + x_{ia, \zeta}(\omega_\zeta) [-\mu_{ij, \tau}] y_{ja, \sigma}(\omega_1) \\ + x_{ia, \sigma}(\omega_1) [-\mu_{ij, \zeta}] y_{ja, \tau}(\omega_2) + x_{ia, \sigma}(\omega_1) [-\mu_{ij, \tau}] y_{ja, \zeta}(\omega_\zeta) \\ + x_{ia, \tau}(\omega_2) [-\mu_{ij, \zeta}] y_{ja, \sigma}(\omega_1) + x_{ia, \tau}(\omega_2) [-\mu_{ij, \sigma}] y_{ja, \zeta}(\omega_\zeta) \end{array} \right\},$$

and the same goes for \mathcal{B} .

The spectra representation of linear response vectors $\mathbf{x}_\zeta(\omega)$ and $\mathbf{y}_\zeta(\omega)$ is given by:

$$\begin{aligned} x_{ia, \zeta}(\omega) &= \sum_{|m\rangle} \mu_{ia, \zeta} (x_{ia}^m + y_{ia}^m) \left[\frac{x_{ia}^m}{\omega - \omega_m} - \frac{y_{ia}^m}{\omega + \omega_m} \right], \\ y_{ia, \zeta}(\omega) &= \sum_{|m\rangle} \mu_{ia, \zeta} (x_{ia}^m + y_{ia}^m) \left[\frac{y_{ia}^m}{\omega - \omega_m} - \frac{x_{ia}^m}{\omega + \omega_m} \right], \end{aligned}$$

where \mathbf{x}^m and \mathbf{y}^m are the amplitude vectors associated to excited state $|m\rangle$. Thus, the “residue” of the linear response vectors are:

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{\omega_1 \rightarrow -\omega_m} (\omega_1 + \omega_m) x_{ia, \zeta}(\omega_1) &= \mu_{ia, \zeta} (x_{ia}^m + y_{ia}^m) (-y_{ia}^m), \\ \lim_{\omega_1 \rightarrow -\omega_m} (\omega_1 + \omega_m) y_{ia, \zeta}(\omega_1) &= \mu_{ia, \zeta} (x_{ia}^m + y_{ia}^m) (-x_{ia}^m), \\ \lim_{\omega_2 \rightarrow \omega_n} (\omega_2 - \omega_n) x_{ia, \zeta}(\omega_2) &= \mu_{ia, \zeta} (x_{ia}^n + y_{ia}^n) (x_{ia}^n), \\ \lim_{\omega_2 \rightarrow \omega_n} (\omega_2 - \omega_n) y_{ia, \zeta}(\omega_2) &= \mu_{ia, \zeta} (x_{ia}^n + y_{ia}^n) (y_{ia}^n). \end{aligned}$$

Now, the double residue of the quadratic response function is:

$$\begin{aligned} &\lim_{\omega_1 \rightarrow -\omega_m} \lim_{\omega_2 \rightarrow \omega_n} (\omega_1 + \omega_m) (\omega_2 - \omega_n) \langle\langle \hat{\mu}_\zeta; \hat{\mu}_\sigma, \hat{\mu}_\tau \rangle\rangle_{\omega_1, \omega_2} \\ &= \langle 0 | \hat{\mu}_\zeta | m \rangle \langle m | \hat{\mu}_\sigma - \delta_{mn} \langle 0 | \hat{\mu}_\sigma | 0 \rangle | n \rangle \langle n | \hat{\mu}_\tau | 0 \rangle \end{aligned} \quad (4)$$

$$= \lim_{\omega_1 \rightarrow -\omega_m} \lim_{\omega_2 \rightarrow \omega_n} (\omega_1 + \omega_m) (\omega_2 - \omega_n) [\mathcal{B}_{\zeta\sigma\tau}(\omega_\zeta; \omega_1, \omega_2) - \mathcal{A}_{\zeta\sigma\tau}(\omega_\zeta; \omega_1, \omega_2)]. \quad (5)$$

In particular, from Eq. (2):

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{\omega_1 \rightarrow -\omega_m} \lim_{\omega_2 \rightarrow \omega_n} (\omega_1 + \omega_m) (\omega_2 - \omega_n) \mathcal{A}_{\zeta\sigma\tau}(\omega_\zeta; \omega_1, \omega_2) \\ &= \sum_{ia,ja} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \mu_{ia,\zeta} (x_{ia}^m + y_{ia}^m) (-y_{ia}^m) [-\mu_{ij,\zeta}] \mu_{ja,\tau} (x_{ja}^n + y_{ja}^n) (y_{ja}^n) \\ + \mu_{ia,\tau} (x_{ia}^n + y_{ia}^n) (x_{ia}^n) [-\mu_{ij,\zeta}] \mu_{ja,\zeta} (x_{ja}^m + y_{ja}^m) (-x_{ja}^m) \end{array} \right\}, \end{aligned}$$

and, from Eq. (3),

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{\omega_1 \rightarrow -\omega_m} \lim_{\omega_2 \rightarrow \omega_n} (\omega_1 + \omega_m) (\omega_2 - \omega_n) \mathcal{B}_{\zeta\sigma\tau}(\omega_\zeta; \omega_1, \omega_2) \\ &= \sum_{ia,ib} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \mu_{ia,\zeta} (x_{ia}^m + y_{ia}^m) (-y_{ia}^m) [-\mu_{ab,\zeta}] \mu_{ib,\tau} (x_{ib}^n + y_{ib}^n) (y_{ib}^n) \\ + \mu_{ia,\tau} (x_{ia}^n + y_{ia}^n) (x_{ia}^n) [-\mu_{ab,\zeta}] \mu_{ib,\zeta} (x_{ib}^m + y_{ib}^m) (-x_{ib}^m) \end{array} \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Since,

$$\langle 0 | \hat{\mu}_\zeta | m \rangle = \sqrt{2} \sum_{ia} \vec{\mu}_{ia,\zeta} (x_{ia}^m + y_{ia}^m),$$

equating Eqs. (4) and (5) results in:

$$\langle m | \hat{\mu}_\zeta - \delta_{mn} \langle 0 | \hat{\mu}_\zeta | 0 \rangle | n \rangle = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \sum_{ia,ib} \mu_{ab,\zeta} [x_{ia}^n x_{ib}^m + y_{ia}^m y_{ib}^n] - \sum_{ia,ja} \mu_{ij,\zeta} [x_{ia}^n x_{ja}^m + y_{ia}^m y_{ja}^n] \right\}. \quad (6)$$