

Representación de interacción

Ecuación de Schrödinger en presencia de una “perturbación”:

$$i\hbar \frac{d|\psi, t\rangle}{dt} = (H_0 + V(t)) |\psi, t\rangle$$

Transformamos kets y operadores via $U(t) = e^{\frac{i}{\hbar}H_0 t}$:

$$|\psi', t\rangle = U(t)|\psi, t\rangle \quad V'(t) = U(t) V(t) U^\dagger(t)$$

Evolución de kets:

$$\begin{aligned} i\hbar \frac{d|\psi', t\rangle}{dt} &= i\hbar \frac{dU(t)}{dt} |\psi, t\rangle + U(t) i\hbar \frac{d|\psi, t\rangle}{dt} \\ &= -H_0 U(t) |\psi, t\rangle + U(t)(H_0 + V(t)) |\psi, t\rangle \\ &= U(t) V(t) |\psi, t\rangle = U(t) V(t) U^\dagger(t) U(t) |\psi, t\rangle \\ i\hbar \frac{d|\psi', t\rangle}{dt} &= V'(t)|\psi', t\rangle \end{aligned}$$

Evolución de operadores:

$$A'(t) = U(t)A(t) U^\dagger(t) \quad \longrightarrow \quad \frac{dA'}{dt} = \frac{1}{i\hbar} [A'(t), H_0] + \left[\frac{\partial A}{\partial t} \right]'$$

El operador evolución en la representación de interacción

Remplazando $|\psi', t\rangle = T'(t) |\psi', 0\rangle$ en $i\hbar \frac{d|\psi', t\rangle}{dt} = V'(t)|\psi', t\rangle$:

$$\boxed{i\hbar \frac{dT'}{dt} = V'(t) T'(t)} \quad \longrightarrow \quad T'(t) = 1 - \frac{i}{\hbar} \int_0^t V'(t_1) T'(t_1) dt_1$$

Solución iterativa:

$$T'(t) = 1 + \left(-\frac{i}{\hbar}\right) \int_0^t dt_1 V'(t_1) T'(t_1)$$

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Serie de Dyson:
$$T'(t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\lambda^n}{(i\hbar)^n} \int_0^t dt_1 \int_0^{t_1} dt_2 \cdots \int_0^{t_{n-1}} dt_n V'(t_1) V'(t_2) \cdots V'(t_n)$$

Transiciones a primer orden entre autoestados de H_0

$$P_{if}(t) = |\langle f | T'(t) | i \rangle|^2 \quad \text{con} \quad T'(t) = 1 - \frac{i}{\hbar} \int_0^t V'(t_1) dt_1$$

$$\langle f | T'(t) | i \rangle = -\frac{i}{\hbar} \int_0^t \langle f | V'(t_1) | i \rangle dt_1 = -\frac{i}{\hbar} \int_0^t \langle f | V(t_1) | i \rangle e^{i\omega_{fi}t_1} dt_1 \quad \text{con} \quad \omega_{fi} \equiv \frac{E_f - E_i}{\hbar}$$

pues $\langle f | V'(t) | i \rangle = \langle f | e^{\frac{i}{\hbar}H_0t} V(t) e^{-\frac{i}{\hbar}H_0t} | i \rangle = \langle f | e^{\frac{i}{\hbar}E_f t} V(t) e^{-\frac{i}{\hbar}E_i t} | i \rangle = \langle f | V(t) | i \rangle e^{i\omega_{fi}t}$

$$P_{if}(t) = \frac{1}{\hbar^2} \left| \int_0^t \langle f | V(t') | i \rangle e^{i\omega_{fi}t'} dt' \right|^2$$

Perturbación sinusoidal

$$V(t) = V \cos \omega t = V \frac{1}{2} (e^{+i\omega t} + e^{-i\omega t})$$

$$P_{if}(t) = \frac{|\langle f | V | i \rangle|^2}{4\hbar^2} \left| \int_0^t \left(e^{i(\omega_{fi} + \omega)t'} + e^{i(\omega_{fi} - \omega)t'} \right) dt' \right|^2$$

$$P_{if}(t) = \frac{|\langle f | V | i \rangle|^2}{4\hbar^2} \left| \frac{1 - e^{i(\omega_{fi} + \omega)t}}{\omega_{fi} + \omega} + \frac{1 - e^{i(\omega_{fi} - \omega)t}}{\omega_{fi} - \omega} \right|^2$$

Si $\omega = 0 \rightarrow V(t) = V \rightarrow P_{if}(t) = \frac{|\langle f | V | i \rangle|^2}{\hbar^2} \left| \frac{1 - e^{i\omega_{fi}t}}{\omega_{fi}} \right|^2 = \frac{|\langle f | V | i \rangle|^2}{\hbar^2} F(t, \omega_{fi})$

con $F(t, \omega_{fi}) \equiv \left| \frac{1 - e^{i\omega_{fi}t}}{\omega_{fi}} \right|^2 = \left| \frac{e^{i\omega_{fi}t/2} - e^{-i\omega_{fi}t/2}}{2i \omega_{fi}/2} \right|^2 = \left[\frac{\sin(\omega_{fi}t/2)}{\omega_{fi}/2} \right]^2$

$$P_{if}(t) = \frac{|\langle f | V | i \rangle|^2}{\hbar^2} \left[\frac{\sin(\omega_{fi}t/2)}{\omega_{fi}/2} \right]^2$$