

Representations of Recursion Method [nl81]

Object of interest: time-dependent correlation function $\langle A(t)A \rangle$.

Recursive part of method: orthogonal expansion of carrier of time evolution.

Heisenberg picture:

- time evolution prescribed by Heisenberg (or Hamilton) equation,
- time evolution carried by dynamical variable,
- Liouvillian operator generates new directions.

Schrödinger picture:

- time evolution prescribed by Schrödinger equation,
- time evolution carried by wave function,
- Hamiltonian operator generates new directions.

Liouvillian representation	Hamiltonian representation
$\frac{d}{dt}A(t) = \iota L_{\text{qu}}A(t) = \frac{\iota}{\hbar}[\mathcal{H}, A(t)]$ $\frac{d}{dt}A(t) = \iota L_{\text{cl}}A(t) = -\{\mathcal{H}, A(t)\}$	$\iota\hbar\frac{d}{dt} \psi(t)\rangle = \mathcal{H} \psi(t)\rangle$
$A(t) = e^{\iota Lt}A(0) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} C_k(t) f_k\rangle$	$ \psi(t)\rangle = e^{-\iota\mathcal{H}t/\hbar} \psi(0)\rangle = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} D_k(t) f_k\rangle$
$ f_0\rangle = A(0), \quad f_{k+1}\rangle = \iota L f_k\rangle - \dots$	$ f_0\rangle = \psi(0)\rangle = A \phi_0\rangle, \quad f_{k+1}\rangle = \mathcal{H} f_k\rangle - \dots$
$\tilde{\Phi}(t) = \langle [A(t), A(0)]_+ \rangle - \langle A \rangle^2$	$\tilde{S}(t) = \langle A(t)A(0) \rangle - \langle A \rangle^2$
$\text{Tr} \left[e^{-\beta\mathcal{H}} \underbrace{e^{\iota\mathcal{H}t/\hbar} A e^{-\iota\mathcal{H}t/\hbar}}_{A(t)} A \right]$	$e^{\iota E_0 t/\hbar} \langle \phi_0 A \underbrace{e^{-\iota\mathcal{H}t/\hbar} A}_{ \psi(t)\rangle} \phi_0 \rangle$