



On the completeness of RPA solutions

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I. Introduction

RPA — a standard method in quantum many-body theory

- constructing eigenmodes in vicinity of MF state
→ excited states, linear response, *etc.*
- extensions ... QRPA, rel.-RPA, 2nd RPA, extended RPA, *etc.*
- small amp. limit of TDMF (& TDDFT)

RPA eq. $S \mathbf{x}_\nu = \omega_\nu N \mathbf{x}_\nu$ $(\omega_\nu, \mathbf{x}_\nu)$: solution

$$S := \begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ B^* & A^* \end{pmatrix} \quad (\text{with } A = A^\dagger, B = B^T), \quad N := \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

- generalized eigenvalue problem = *e.g.* eigenvalue problem of NS
⇒ general properties of solutions — non-trivial
completeness of solutions ? — questionable
- normalization: $\mathbf{x}_\nu^\dagger N \mathbf{x}_\nu = 1$ ⇒ “normalizability”: $\mathbf{x}_\nu^\dagger N \mathbf{x}_\nu > 0$
... not necessarily guaranteed, a key to solvability

Mathematical properties of RPA solutions

solutions at and in vicinity of stability
— studied by D.J. Thouless in '60s

Thouless, N.P.A 21, 225; 22, 78

Thouless & Valatin, N.P.A 31, 221



Nobel prize in physics, 2016
(from APS Journal website)

complete picture? (\leftrightarrow coding)

cf. SSB in MF solution (*e.g.* translation, rotation)

→ sitting near the borderline of stability

→ sometimes diving into instability due to numerical errors

or to additional approximations

II. Dualities

Properties of stability matrix S (*i.e.* RPA Hamiltonian)

$$S = S^\dagger, \quad \Sigma_x S^* \Sigma_x = S; \quad \Sigma_x := \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \Rightarrow \text{2 types of "dualities"}$$

★ Dualities for RPA solutions

- **UL-duality**

$$S \mathbf{x}_\nu = \omega_\nu N \mathbf{x}_\nu \quad \rightarrow \quad S (\Sigma_x \mathbf{x}_\nu^*) = -\omega_\nu^* N (\Sigma_x \mathbf{x}_\nu^*)$$

$$\text{i.e. solution } (\omega_\nu, \mathbf{x}_\nu) \quad \rightarrow \quad (-\omega_\nu^*, \Sigma_x \mathbf{x}_\nu^*)$$

- **LR-duality**

$$\begin{cases} N S \mathbf{x}_\nu = \omega_\nu \mathbf{x}_\nu & \text{(right eigenvalue problem of } NS) \\ S N (N \mathbf{x}_\nu) = \omega_\nu (N \mathbf{x}_\nu) \\ \rightarrow (\mathbf{x}_\nu^\dagger N) N S = (\mathbf{x}_\nu^\dagger N) \omega_\nu^* & \text{(left eigenvalue problem of } NS) \end{cases}$$

$$\text{i.e. right eigensolution } (\omega_\nu, \mathbf{x}_\nu) \quad \rightarrow \quad \text{left eigensolution } (\omega_\nu^*, \mathbf{x}_\nu^\dagger N)$$

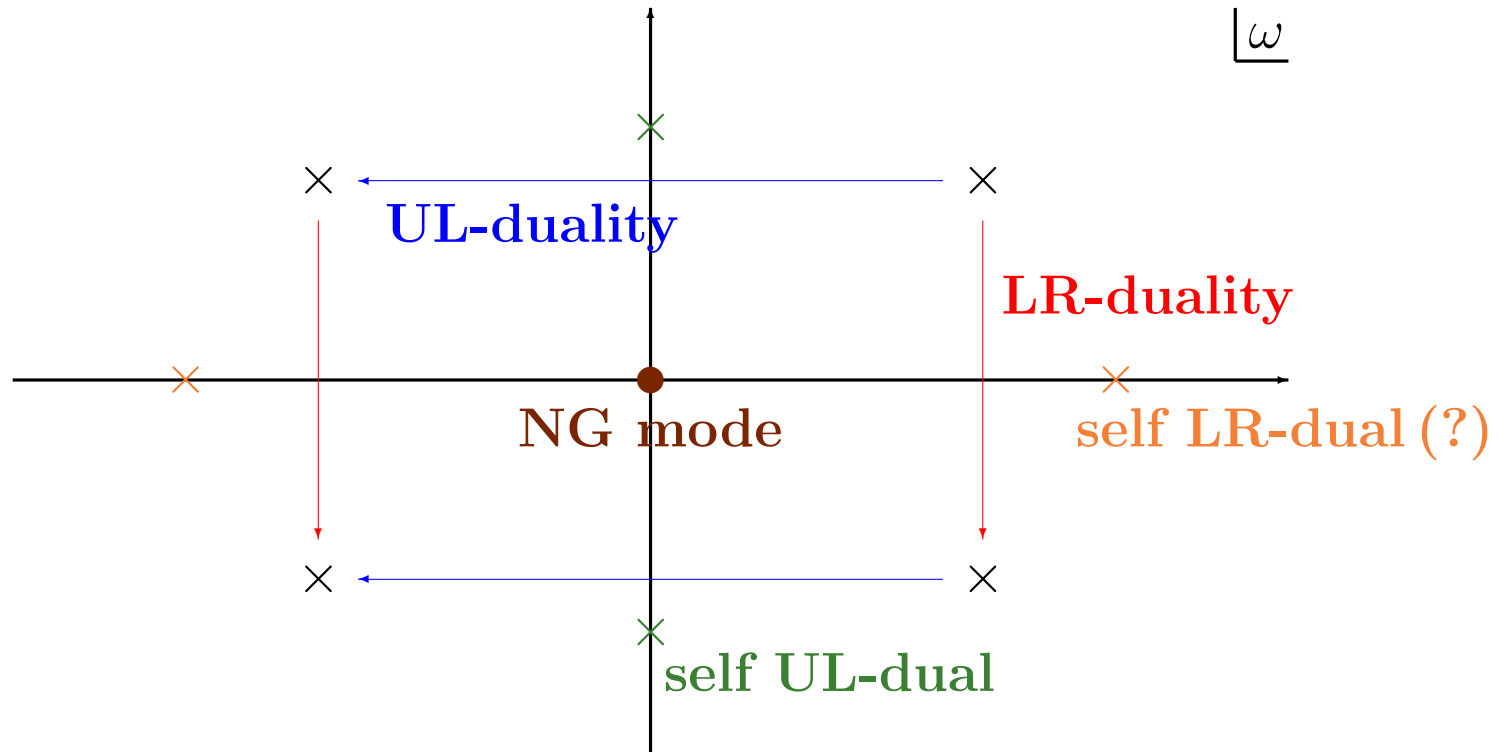
★ Complete classification of RPA solutions

- (i) $\omega_\nu > 0$ with a normalizable eigenvector \mathbf{x}_ν ,
in association with another eigensolution $(-\omega_\nu, \sum_x \mathbf{x}_\nu^*)$.
- (ii) $\omega_\nu > 0$ with an unnormalizable eigenvector, in association with
an eigenvalue $-\omega_\nu$ that could be normalizable.
- (iii) a pair of pure imaginary eigenvalues $\pm\omega_\nu$
with $\text{Re}(\omega_\nu) = 0, \text{Im}(\omega_\nu) \neq 0$.
- (iv) a quartet of complex eigenvalues $\pm\omega_\nu, \pm\omega_\nu^*$
with $\text{Re}(\omega_\nu) \neq 0, \text{Im}(\omega_\nu) \neq 0$.
- (v) a null eigenvalue.

(no other possibilities)

- (i) ... physical solution
- (v) ... NG-mode solution
- (ii–iv) ... unphysical

RPA solutions & dualities



★ Dualities in full RPA space

“RPA solutions” — not always cover the whole vector space

∴ NS may form **Jordan blocks!** cf. NG mode

⇒ dualities including Jordan bases (→ completeness)

$$\xi_1^{(\nu)} := \mathbf{x}_\nu, \quad S \xi_{k+1}^{(\nu)} = \omega_\nu N \xi_{k+1}^{(\nu)} + i c_k^{(\nu)} N \xi_k^{(\nu)} \quad (k = 1, \dots, d_\nu - 1)$$

$$\rightarrow \text{Jordan block} \begin{pmatrix} \omega_\nu & i c_1^{(\nu)} & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & \omega_\nu & i c_2^{(\nu)} & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \dots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & & i c_{d_\nu-1}^{(\nu)} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & \omega_\nu \end{pmatrix}$$

• UL-duality

$$S \sum_x \xi_{k+1}^{(\nu)*} = -\omega_\nu^* N \sum_x \xi_{k+1}^{(\nu)*} + i c_k^{(\nu)*} N \sum_x \xi_k^{(\nu)*}$$

$$\text{Jordan basis } (\omega_\nu, \xi_k^{(\nu)}; i c_k^{(\nu)}) \rightarrow (-\omega_\nu^*, \sum_x \xi_k^{(\nu)*}; i c_k^{(\nu)*})$$

- **LR-duality**

Jordan block $\rightarrow (\mathbf{N} \bar{\xi}_k^{(\nu)})^\dagger$: left Jordan basis of NS for ω_ν

$\leftrightarrow \mathbf{N} \bar{\xi}_k^{(\nu)}$: right Jordan basis of SN for ω_ν^*

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choose so that $|\bar{\xi}_k^{(\nu)\dagger} \mathbf{N} \xi_{k'}^{(\nu')}| = \delta_{\nu\nu'} \delta_{kk'}$

$$\rightarrow S \bar{\xi}_{k-1}^{(\nu)} = \omega_\nu^* \mathbf{N} \bar{\xi}_{k-1}^{(\nu)} - i c_{k-1}^{(\nu)*} \frac{\xi_{k-1}^{(\nu)\dagger} \mathbf{N} \bar{\xi}_{k-1}^{(\nu)}}{\xi_k^{(\nu)\dagger} \mathbf{N} \bar{\xi}_k^{(\nu)}} \mathbf{N} \bar{\xi}_k^{(\nu)}$$

$$\text{Jordan basis } (\omega_\nu, \bar{\xi}_k^{(\nu)}; i c_k^{(\nu)}) \rightarrow \left(\omega_\nu^*, \bar{\xi}_k^{(\nu)}; -i c_k^{(\nu)*} \frac{\xi_k^{(\nu)\dagger} \mathbf{N} \bar{\xi}_k^{(\nu)}}{\xi_{k+1}^{(\nu)\dagger} \mathbf{N} \bar{\xi}_{k+1}^{(\nu)}} \right)$$

with $k = d_\nu, d_\nu - 1, \dots, 1$

cf. solution — $(\omega_\nu^*, \bar{\xi}_{d_\nu}^{(\nu)})$

\Rightarrow **2 types of dualities disclosed in entire RPA space !**

(— in deep relevance to most mathematical properties of RPA)

III. Decomposition of RPA space

$\nu \rightarrow$ index of Jordan block

$$\text{RPA space } \mathcal{V} = \bigoplus_{\nu} \mathcal{W}_{\nu}; \quad \mathcal{W}_{\nu} := \left\{ \sum_{k=1}^{d_{\nu}} a_k \boldsymbol{\xi}_k^{(\nu)}; a_k \in \mathbf{C} \right\}$$

$$\text{subspace } \mathcal{W}_{\nu} \leftrightarrow \text{projector } \Lambda_{\nu} := \sum_{k=1}^{d_{\nu}} \frac{\boldsymbol{\xi}_k^{(\nu)} \bar{\boldsymbol{\xi}}_k^{(\nu)\dagger} \mathbf{N}}{\bar{\boldsymbol{\xi}}_k^{(\nu)\dagger} \mathbf{N} \boldsymbol{\xi}_k^{(\nu)}}$$

$$\Lambda_{\nu} \mathcal{W}_{\nu'} = \delta_{\nu\nu'} \mathcal{W}_{\nu}$$

$$\rightarrow \sum_{\nu} \Lambda_{\nu} = 1 \text{ (completeness)}$$

\hookrightarrow respecting dualities

$$\mathcal{W}_{[\nu]} := \mathcal{W}_{\nu} \oplus \Sigma_x \mathcal{W}_{\nu}^* \oplus \bar{\mathcal{W}}_{\nu} \oplus \Sigma_x \bar{\mathcal{W}}_{\nu}^* \quad (\text{cf. self dualities})$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \Lambda_{[\nu]} \propto \Lambda_{\nu} + \Sigma_x \Lambda_{\nu}^* \Sigma_x + \mathbf{N} \Lambda_{\nu}^{\dagger} \mathbf{N} + \Sigma_x \mathbf{N} \Lambda_{\nu}^T \mathbf{N} \Sigma_x$$

$$(\Lambda_{[\nu]} = \Sigma_x \Lambda_{[\nu]}^* \Sigma_x = \mathbf{N} \Lambda_{[\nu]}^{\dagger} \mathbf{N}, \quad \Lambda_{[\nu]} \Lambda_{[\nu']} = \delta_{[\nu],[\nu']} \Lambda_{[\nu]})$$

○ $d_{[\nu]} := \dim \mathcal{W}_{[\nu]} = \text{even}$ (including self dual cases)

$$\circ \Lambda_{[\nu]}^{\dagger} \mathbf{S} \Lambda_{[\nu']} = \delta_{[\nu],[\nu']} \mathbf{S}_{[\nu]} \rightarrow \mathbf{S} = \sum_{[\nu]} \mathbf{S}_{[\nu]}$$

($\mathbf{S}_{[\nu]} := \Lambda_{[\nu]}^{\dagger} \mathbf{S} \Lambda_{[\nu]} \dots$ inherits dualities)

IV. Self dualities, Nambu-Goldstone mode

★ Self dualities

- **Self UL-duality**: $\xi_k^{(\nu)} = -\sum_x \xi_k^{(\nu)*} = \begin{pmatrix} \Xi^{(\nu,k)} \\ -\Xi^{(\nu,k)*} \end{pmatrix}$

$\text{Re}(\omega_\nu) = 0$ — **necessary & sufficient**

- **Self LR-duality**: $\xi_k^{(\nu)} = \bar{\xi}_k^{(\nu)}$

$\text{Im}(\omega_\nu) = 0$ & $d_\nu = 1$ — **necessary** ($\because \bar{\xi}_1^{(\nu)}$ must be an eigenvector)

‘normalizable’ \subset ‘self LR-dual’

$$(x_\nu^\dagger N x_\nu > 0) \quad (x_\nu^\dagger N x_\nu \neq 0)$$

\hookrightarrow **self LR-dual Jordan block**: $\xi_k^{(\nu)} = \bar{\xi}_{d_\nu+1-k}^{(\nu)} \quad \dots \quad d_\nu > 1$ allowed

- **Double self duality** \dots intersection of both self dualities

$\omega_\nu = 0 \leftrightarrow$ **Nambu-Goldstone mode**

- doubly self dual vector? — impossible ($\leftrightarrow d_{[\nu]} = \text{even} \neq 1$)

- doubly self dual Jordan block? — possible only if $d_\nu = \text{even}$

★ **NG mode & canonical variables** from the duality viewpoint

textbook formulae

(*e.g.* Ring-Schuck)

$$\begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ B^* & A^* \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} P \\ -P^* \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

$$\rightarrow S \mathbf{x}_\nu = 0 \quad \text{with } \mathbf{x}_\nu = -\sum_x \mathbf{x}_\nu^*$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ B^* & A^* \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} Q \\ -Q^* \end{pmatrix} = -\frac{i\hbar}{M} \begin{pmatrix} P \\ P^* \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow S \boldsymbol{\xi}_2^{(\nu)} = i c_1^{(\nu)} N \mathbf{x}_\nu$$

with $\boldsymbol{\xi}_2^{(\nu)} = -\sum_x \boldsymbol{\xi}_2^{(\nu)*}$

$$\begin{pmatrix} P^* & P \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} Q \\ -Q^* \end{pmatrix} = \frac{\hbar}{i}$$

$$\rightarrow \mathbf{x}_\nu^\dagger N \boldsymbol{\xi}_2^{(\nu)} = -i \quad (\rightarrow \boldsymbol{\xi}_2^{(\nu)} = \bar{\mathbf{x}}_\nu)$$

— **applicable only for $d_\nu = 2$ doubly self dual Jordan block!**

... not always satisfied

(*e.g.* a pair of $d_\nu = 1$ solutions, a $d_\nu = 4$ Jordan block)

V. Properties specific to positive-semidefinite stability matrix

MFA in self bound system \rightarrow SSB unavoidable (c.m. motion)

\rightarrow best-case scenario: **positive-semidefinite S** (i.e. $\omega_\nu \geq 0$ for $\forall \nu$)

★ If S is positive-semidefinite

\Rightarrow $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{physical solutions} \\ d_\nu \leq 2 \text{ NG modes,} \\ \& d_\nu = 2 \text{ Jordan blocks must be doubly self dual} \end{array} \right.$

\therefore) $\circ \mathbf{x}_\nu \in \text{Ker}(S) \Leftrightarrow S \mathbf{x}_\nu = 0 \Leftrightarrow \mathbf{x}_\nu$ is a NG-mode solution

\circ if \mathbf{x}_ν is a solution of RPA eq. $\& \mathbf{x}_\nu \notin \text{Ker}(S)$

$\rightarrow \mathbf{x}_\nu^\dagger S \mathbf{x}_\nu = \omega_\nu (\mathbf{x}_\nu^\dagger N \mathbf{x}_\nu) > 0 \rightarrow$ physical solution

($\mathbf{x}_\nu^\dagger N \mathbf{x}_\nu > 0$ for $\omega_\nu > 0$)

\circ if \mathbf{x}_ν is a NG-mode solution associating with a Jordan block

$\rightarrow \exists \mathbf{y}_\nu (\notin \text{Ker}(S)), \exists c_1^{(\nu)} (\neq 0) \quad S \mathbf{y}_\nu = i c_1^{(\nu)} N \mathbf{x}_\nu$

$\rightarrow \mathbf{y}_\nu^\dagger S \mathbf{y}_\nu = i c_1^{(\nu)} (\mathbf{y}_\nu^\dagger N \mathbf{x}_\nu) > 0 \rightarrow \mathbf{y}_\nu^\dagger N \mathbf{x}_\nu \neq 0$

$\rightarrow d_\nu = 2 \&$ doubly self dual

q.e.d.

\hookrightarrow “canonical variables” can be constituted (first complete proof?)

★ **Energy-weighted sum of excitation strengths**

exact theory :
$$\sum_{\nu} (E_{\nu} - E_0) |\langle \Psi_{\nu} | \hat{T} | \Psi_0 \rangle|^2 = \frac{1}{2} \langle \Psi_0 | [\hat{T}, [\hat{H}, \hat{T}]] | \Psi_0 \rangle$$

$$\hat{T} (= \hat{T}^{\dagger}) = \sum_{kl} t_{kl} a_k^{\dagger} a_l : \text{transition op.}$$

RPA with positive definite S :

$$\Sigma_1 := \sum_{\nu} \omega_{\nu} |\langle \Phi_{\nu} | \hat{T} | \Phi_0 \rangle|^2 = \frac{1}{2} \langle \Phi_0 | [\hat{T}, [\hat{H}, \hat{T}]] | \Phi_0 \rangle$$

($|\Phi_0\rangle$: MF state, $\langle \Phi_{\nu} | \hat{T} | \Phi_0 \rangle$: transition amp. in RPA)

↪ influence of NG modes ?

• Revisiting proof for positive-definite case

$$SX = NXN\Omega, \quad X^{\dagger}NX = N;$$

$$X := \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{x}_1 & \mathbf{x}_2 & \cdots & \mathbf{x}_D & \Sigma_x \mathbf{x}_1^* & \Sigma_x \mathbf{x}_2^* & \cdots & \Sigma_x \mathbf{x}_D^* \end{pmatrix}, \quad \Omega := \begin{pmatrix} \text{diag}(\omega_{\nu}) & 0 \\ 0 & \text{diag}(\omega_{\nu}) \end{pmatrix}$$

→ $NSN = X\Omega X^{\dagger} \quad (\because XNX^{\dagger} = N)$

→
$$\sum_{\nu} \omega_{\nu} |\langle \Phi_{\nu} | \hat{T} | \Phi_0 \rangle|^2 = \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{t}^{\dagger} X\Omega X^{\dagger} \mathbf{t} = \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{t}^{\dagger} NSN \mathbf{t} = \frac{1}{2} \langle \Phi_0 | [\hat{T}, [\hat{H}, \hat{T}]] | \Phi_0 \rangle$$

$\mathbf{t} := \begin{pmatrix} t_{mi} & t_{mi}^* \end{pmatrix}^T$

- A pair of $d_\nu = 1$ solutions \rightarrow trivial (no contribution to EWS)
- A $d_\nu = 2$ doubly self dual Jordan block

$$S \mathbf{p}_1 = 0, \quad S \mathbf{q}_1 = -i\zeta_1 N \mathbf{p}_1, \quad \mathbf{q}_1^\dagger N \mathbf{p}_1 = i \quad (\mathbf{x}_1 \rightarrow \mathbf{p}_1, \quad \boldsymbol{\xi}_2^{(1)} \rightarrow \mathbf{q}_1, \quad c_1^{(1)} \rightarrow -\zeta_1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \quad \Lambda_{[1]} = \Lambda_1 = i(\mathbf{q}_1 \mathbf{p}_1^\dagger - \mathbf{p}_1 \mathbf{q}_1^\dagger) N$$

$$S X' = N X'' N \Omega', \quad X'^\dagger N X'' = N;$$

$$X' := \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{p}_1 & \mathbf{x}_2 & \cdots & \mathbf{x}_D & \mathbf{q}_1 & \Sigma_x \mathbf{x}_2^* & \cdots & \Sigma_x \mathbf{x}_D^* \end{pmatrix},$$

$$X'' := \begin{pmatrix} i\mathbf{q}_1 & \mathbf{x}_2 & \cdots & \mathbf{x}_D & i\mathbf{p}_1 & \Sigma_x \mathbf{x}_2^* & \cdots & \Sigma_x \mathbf{x}_D^* \end{pmatrix},$$

$$\Omega' := \begin{pmatrix} 0 & & & & & & & & \\ & \text{diag}(\omega_\nu) & & & & & & & \\ & & \zeta_1 & & & & & & \\ & & & \text{diag}(\omega_\nu) & & & & & \end{pmatrix} \quad (\nu = 2, 3, \dots, D)$$

$$\rightarrow \quad N S N = X'' \Omega' X''^\dagger \quad (\because X'' N X'^\dagger = X' N X''^\dagger = N)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\rightarrow \Sigma_1^{(+)} &:= \sum_{\nu \geq 2} \omega_\nu |\langle \Phi_\nu | \hat{T} | \Phi_0 \rangle|^2 = \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{t}^\dagger (1 - \Lambda_1) \mathbf{X}'' \Omega' \mathbf{X}''^\dagger (1 - \Lambda_1^\dagger) \mathbf{t} \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{t}^\dagger \mathbf{N} (1 - \Lambda_1^\dagger) \mathbf{S} (1 - \Lambda_1) \mathbf{N} \mathbf{t}, \\
\Sigma_1^{(0)} &:= \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{t}^\dagger \Lambda_1 \mathbf{X}'' \Omega' \mathbf{X}''^\dagger \Lambda_1^\dagger \mathbf{t} = \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{t}^\dagger \mathbf{N} \Lambda_1^\dagger \mathbf{S} \Lambda_1 \mathbf{N} \mathbf{t} \\
\Sigma_1^{(0)} + \Sigma_1^{(+)} &= \frac{1}{2} \langle \Phi_0 | [\hat{T}, [\hat{H}, \hat{T}]] | \Phi_0 \rangle
\end{aligned}$$

expansion of $\mathbf{N} \mathbf{t}$ by a complete set $\{\mathbf{p}_1, \mathbf{q}_1, \mathbf{x}_\nu, \Sigma_x \mathbf{x}_\nu^*\}$

$$\mathbf{N} \mathbf{t} = \alpha_p \mathbf{p}_1 + \alpha_q \mathbf{q}_1 + \sum_{\nu \geq 2} (\alpha_\nu \mathbf{x}_\nu - \alpha_\nu^* \Sigma_x \mathbf{x}_\nu^*)$$

$$\rightarrow \Sigma_1^{(0)} = \frac{1}{2} \zeta_1 \alpha_q^2 = \frac{1}{2} \zeta_1 |\mathbf{p}_1^\dagger \mathbf{t}|^2 = \frac{1}{2} \zeta_1 |\langle \Phi_0 | [\hat{P}_1, \hat{T}] | \Phi_0 \rangle|^2$$

case of plural NG modes ($\# := K$) $\rightarrow \Sigma_1^{(0)} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\nu=1}^K \zeta_\nu |\langle \Phi_0 | [\hat{P}_\nu, \hat{T}] | \Phi_0 \rangle|^2$

cf. I. Stetcu and C.W. Johnson, P.R.C 67, 044315

equivalent formula, but not in terms of exp. value

(\rightarrow not so easy to apply)

- Application to TRK sum rule

translational SSB — $\hat{P}_\nu = \mathbf{P}$, $\zeta_\nu^{-1} = AM$

- $\hat{T}^{(E1)} = \frac{ZN}{A} (\mathbf{R}_p - \mathbf{R}_n)$... with c.m. correction

- $[\mathbf{P}, \hat{T}^{(E1)}] = 0$ → $\Sigma_1^{(0)} = 0$

- $\Sigma_1^{(+)} = \frac{1}{2} \langle \Phi_0 | [\hat{T}^{(E1)}, [\hat{K}, \hat{T}^{(E1)}]] | \Phi_0 \rangle = \frac{ZN}{2AM}$

(discarding non-locality in charge-exchange int.)

- $\hat{T}^{(E1)'} = Z \mathbf{R}_p$... without c.m. correction

- $[\mathbf{P}, \hat{T}^{(E1)'}] = -iZ$ → $\Sigma_1^{(0)} = Z^2/2AM$

- $\Sigma_1^{(+)} = \frac{1}{2} \langle \Phi_0 | [\hat{T}^{(E1)'}, [\hat{K}, \hat{T}^{(E1)'}]] | \Phi_0 \rangle - \Sigma_1^{(0)} = \frac{ZN}{2AM}$

$\Sigma_1^{(0)}$ — indeed carrying NG-mode contribution to EWS

- Application to rotational excitation in axially deformed nuclei
rotational SSB (under axial sym.) — $\hat{P}_\nu = J_x, J_y, \quad \zeta_\nu^{-1} = \mathcal{I}$

$\hat{T}^{(X\lambda)}$ (λ : rank, X : additional label *e.g.* E/M)

$$\rightarrow [J_{x,y}, \hat{T}_\mu^{(X\lambda)}] \propto \sqrt{\lambda(\lambda+1)} \delta_{|\mu|,1} \hat{T}_{\mu=0}^{(X\lambda)}$$

$$\rightarrow \Sigma_1^{(0)} = \frac{\lambda(\lambda+1)}{2\mathcal{I}} |\langle \Phi_0 | \hat{T}_{\mu=0}^{(X\lambda)} | \Phi_0 \rangle|^2$$

— generalization of Hamamoto, N.P.A 177, 484
& Kurasawa, P.T.P. 64, 2055

$$= \sum_{J'} \frac{J'(J'+1) - J(J+1)}{2\mathcal{I}} |\langle \Phi_0 | \hat{T}_{\mu=0}^{(X\lambda)} | \Phi_0 \rangle|^2 (J 0 \lambda 0 | J' 0)^2$$

rotational energy

transition strength

- simple algebra, transparent result
- not constrained to $E2$ cf. Hamamoto, Kurasawa
- not constrained to $J = 0$ initial state

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \Sigma_1^{(0)} \text{ — intra-band EWS} \\ \Sigma_1^{(+)} \text{ — inter-band EWS} \end{array} \right. \quad (\Sigma_1^{(0)} + \Sigma_1^{(+)} \text{ — full EWS})$$

VI. Summary

Two types of “dualities” in the RPA space have been disclosed

⇒ complete analysis of RPA space H.N., PTEP 2016, 063D02

- Complete classification of RPA solutions
- Decomposition of RPA space via duality-preserving projectors
- Self dualities — what they indicate, *etc.*

Properties specific to positive-semidefinite stability matrix:

- (physical + NG-mode) solutions only, $d_\nu \leq 2$

$d_\nu = 2$ Jordan block — doubly self dual H.N., PTEP 2016, 099101

→ guaranteeing presence of canonical variable (first complete proof?)

- influence of NG modes on EWS of excitation strengths

→ general formula in terms of exp. value of commutator at MF state

applications ○ TRK sum rule

○ rotational excitations (cf. Hamamoto, Kurasawa)

⇒ reinforcing theoretical consistency of RPA framework!

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