

QUANTUM FLUCTUATION RELATIONS

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λ_0

eq.

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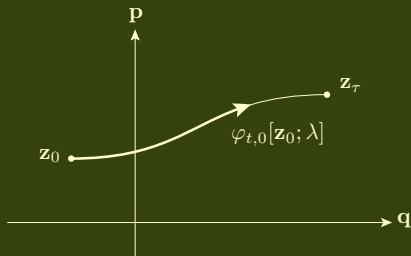
non-eq

$$\rho_\tau(\mathbf{z}) \neq \frac{e^{-\beta H(\mathbf{z}, \lambda_\tau)}}{Z(\lambda_\tau)}$$

$\lambda : [0, \tau] \rightarrow R$ protocol

$t \rightarrow \lambda_t$

CLASSICAL WORK



$$W[\mathbf{z}_0; \lambda] = H(\mathbf{z}_T, \lambda_T) - H(\mathbf{z}_0, \lambda_0) = \int dt \dot{\lambda}_t \frac{\partial H(\varphi_{t,0}[\mathbf{z}_0; \lambda], \lambda_t)}{\partial \lambda_t}$$

$$p[W; \lambda] = \int d\mathbf{z}_0 \rho_0(\mathbf{z}_0) \delta[W - H(\mathbf{z}_T, \lambda_T) + H(\mathbf{z}_0, \lambda_0)]$$

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Since exp is convex, then

$$\langle W \rangle \geq \Delta F \quad \text{Second Law}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} W_0 &= \int \lambda dQ \\ &= H_0(\mathbf{z}_\tau) - H_0(\mathbf{z}_0) \quad \Rightarrow \quad \langle e^{-\beta W_0} \rangle = 1 \end{aligned}$$

G.N. Bochkov and Yu. E. Kuzovlev JETP **45**, 125 (1977)

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$$\langle e^{-\beta W'} \rangle = e^{-\beta \Delta F'} \iff \langle e^{-\beta W} \rangle = e^{-\beta \Delta F}$$

The fluctuation theorem is gauge invariant !

Gauge:

irrelevant for dynamics

crucial for ENERGY-HAMILTONIAN connection

[see also D.H. Kobe AJP 49, 581 (1981)]

QUANTUM WORK FLUCTUATION RELATIONS

$$H(\mathbf{z}, \lambda_t) \longrightarrow \mathcal{H}(\lambda_t)$$

$$\rho(\mathbf{z}, \lambda_t) \longrightarrow \varrho(\lambda_t) = \frac{e^{-\beta\mathcal{H}(\lambda_t)}}{\mathcal{Z}(\lambda_t)}$$

$$Z(\lambda_t) \longrightarrow \mathcal{Z}(\lambda_t) = \text{Tre}^{-\beta\mathcal{H}(\lambda_t)}$$

$$\varphi_{t,0}[\mathbf{z}_0; \lambda] \longrightarrow U_{t,0}[\lambda] = \mathcal{T} \exp \left[-\frac{i}{\hbar} \int_0^t ds \mathcal{H}(\lambda_s) \right]$$

$$W[\mathbf{z}_0; \lambda] \longrightarrow ?$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{W}[\lambda] &= U_{t,0}^\dagger[\lambda]\mathcal{H}(\lambda_t)U_{t,0}[\lambda] - \mathcal{H}(\lambda_0) \\ &= \mathcal{H}_t^H(\lambda_t) - \mathcal{H}(\lambda_0) \\ &= \int_0^t dt \dot{\lambda}_t \frac{\partial \mathcal{H}_t^H(\lambda_t)}{\partial \lambda_t}\end{aligned}$$

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Right definition of quantum work:

$$W[\mathbf{z}_0; \lambda] \longrightarrow w = E_m^{\lambda_\tau} - E_n^{\lambda_0} \quad \text{two-measurements}$$

$$E_n^{\lambda_t} = \text{instantaneous eigenvalue: } \mathcal{H}(\lambda_t) |\psi_{n,\gamma}^{\lambda_t}\rangle = E_n^{\lambda_t} |\psi_{n,\gamma}^{\lambda_t}\rangle$$

PROBABILITY OF WORK

$$p[w; \lambda] = \sum_{n,m} \delta(w - [E_m^{\lambda\tau} - E_n^{\lambda_0}]) p_{m|n}[\lambda] p_n$$

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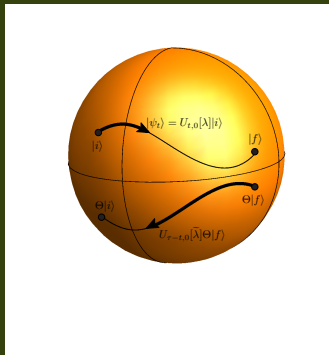
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MICROREVERSIBILITY OF QUANTUM NON-AUTONOMOUS SYSTEMS



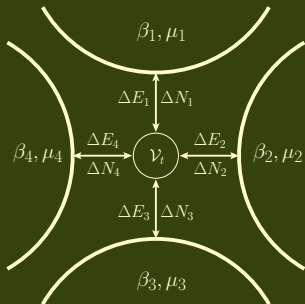
$$\Theta \mathcal{H}(\lambda_t) = \mathcal{H}(\lambda_t) \Theta$$
$$\Rightarrow U_{t,\tau}[\lambda] = \Theta^\dagger U_{\tau-t,0}[\tilde{\lambda}] \Theta$$

$$\tilde{\lambda} : [0, \tau] \rightarrow R$$

$$t \rightarrow \tilde{\lambda}_t = \lambda_{\tau-t}$$

$$\text{Microreversibility} + \text{Gibbs distribution} \Rightarrow \frac{\rho[w; \lambda]}{\rho[-w; \tilde{\lambda}]} = e^{\beta(w - \Delta F)}$$

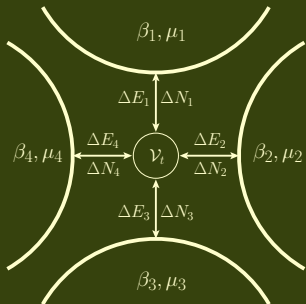
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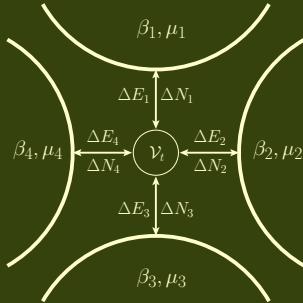


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PROBLEM

Projective quantum measurement of:

$\Delta E =$ TOTAL energy

$\Delta N =$ TOTAL number of particles

in MACROSCOPIC systems !!!

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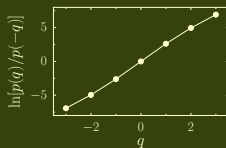
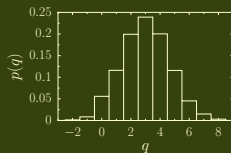
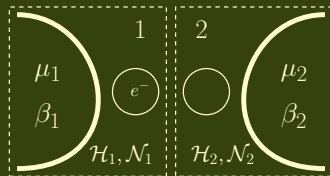
$$p_1(m|n) = \sum_r p(m|r|n) \quad \text{doubly stochastic}$$

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EXPERIMENTS: EXCHANGE FLUCTUATION RELATION

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$$\frac{p(q)}{p(-q)} = e^{\beta(\mu_1 - \mu_2)q}$$

Continuous monitoring of FLUX