

$$S=1$$

$$m = -1, 0, 1$$

$$|1, 1\rangle$$

$$|1, 0\rangle$$

$$|1, -1\rangle$$

$$\vec{S}_z \xrightarrow{S_z \text{ basis}} \begin{pmatrix} \langle 1, 1 | \hat{S}_z | 1, 1 \rangle & \langle 1, 1 | \hat{S}_z | 1, 0 \rangle & \langle 1, 1 | \hat{S}_z | 1, -1 \rangle \\ \langle 1, 0 | \hat{S}_z | 1, 1 \rangle & \langle 1, 0 | \hat{S}_z | 1, 0 \rangle & \langle 1, 0 | \hat{S}_z | 1, -1 \rangle \\ \langle 1, -1 | \hat{S}_z | 1, 1 \rangle & \langle 1, -1 | \hat{S}_z | 1, 0 \rangle & \langle 1, -1 | \hat{S}_z | 1, -1 \rangle \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \hbar & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -\hbar \end{pmatrix} = \hbar \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\vec{S}_+ \xrightarrow{S_z \text{ basis}} \begin{pmatrix} \langle 1, 1 | \hat{S}_+ | 1, 1 \rangle & \langle 1, 1 | \hat{S}_+ | 1, 0 \rangle & \langle 1, 1 | \hat{S}_+ | 1, -1 \rangle \\ \langle 1, 0 | \hat{S}_+ | 1, 1 \rangle & \langle 1, 0 | \hat{S}_+ | 1, 0 \rangle & \langle 1, 0 | \hat{S}_+ | 1, -1 \rangle \\ \langle 1, -1 | \hat{S}_+ | 1, 1 \rangle & \langle 1, -1 | \hat{S}_+ | 1, 0 \rangle & \langle 1, -1 | \hat{S}_+ | 1, -1 \rangle \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\hat{S}_+ |1, 1\rangle = 0 \quad \hat{S}_+ |1, 0\rangle = \sqrt{1(1+1) - 0(0+1)} \hbar |1, 1\rangle = \sqrt{2} \hbar |1, 1\rangle$$

$$\hat{S}_+ |1, -1\rangle = \sqrt{1(1+1) - (-1)(-1+1)} \hbar |1, 0\rangle = \sqrt{2} \hbar |1, 0\rangle$$

$$\langle 1, 0 | \hat{S}_+ |1, -1\rangle = \sqrt{2} \hbar \langle 1, 0 | 1, 0\rangle = \sqrt{2} \hbar$$

$$\langle 1, 1 | \hat{S}_+ |1, 0\rangle = \sqrt{2} \hbar \langle 1, 1 | 1, 1\rangle = \sqrt{2} \hbar$$

$$\vec{S}_+ \xrightarrow{S_z \text{ basis}} \begin{pmatrix} \langle 1, 1 | \hat{S}_+ |1, 1\rangle & \langle 1, 1 | \hat{S}_+ |1, 0\rangle & \langle 1, 1 | \hat{S}_+ |1, -1\rangle \\ \langle 1, 0 | \hat{S}_+ |1, 1\rangle & \langle 1, 0 | \hat{S}_+ |1, 0\rangle & \langle 1, 0 | \hat{S}_+ |1, -1\rangle \\ \langle 1, -1 | \hat{S}_+ |1, 1\rangle & \langle 1, -1 | \hat{S}_+ |1, 0\rangle & \langle 1, -1 | \hat{S}_+ |1, -1\rangle \end{pmatrix} = \hbar \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \sqrt{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \sqrt{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\vec{S}_- = \hat{S}_+^\dagger = \hbar \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \sqrt{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \sqrt{2} & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\hat{S}_+ \xrightarrow{S_z \text{ basis}} \hbar \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \sqrt{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \sqrt{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\hat{S}_- \xrightarrow{S_z \text{ basis}} \hbar \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \sqrt{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \sqrt{2} & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\hat{S}_x = \frac{1}{2} (\hat{S}_+ + \hat{S}_-)$$

$$\hat{S}_y = \frac{1}{2i} (\hat{S}_+ - \hat{S}_-)$$

$$\hat{S}_x \xrightarrow{S_z \text{ basis}} \frac{\hbar}{2} \left[\begin{pmatrix} 0 & \sqrt{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \sqrt{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \sqrt{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \sqrt{2} & 0 \end{pmatrix} \right] = \frac{\hbar}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\hat{S}_y \xrightarrow{S_z \text{ basis}} \frac{\hbar}{2i} \left[\begin{pmatrix} 0 & \sqrt{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \sqrt{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \sqrt{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \sqrt{2} & 0 \end{pmatrix} \right] = \frac{\hbar}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & i & 0 \\ i & 0 & -i \\ 0 & i & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\hat{S}_x \xrightarrow{S_z \text{ basis}} \frac{\hbar}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Finding eigenvalues, eigenvectors:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TQvxWaQnrqI&t>

$$\det \begin{vmatrix} -\lambda & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & -\lambda & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -\lambda \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= -\lambda^3 + 0 + 0 - 0 + \lambda + \lambda = 0$$

$$\lambda^3 - 2\lambda = 0$$

$$\lambda(\lambda^2 - 2) = 0$$

$$\lambda = 0, \pm\sqrt{2}$$

Eigenvalues: $0, \pm\hbar$

Finding eigen vectors:

$|1, 1\rangle_x$

Eigenvalue: $S_x = \hbar$

$\lambda = \sqrt{2}$

$$\begin{pmatrix} -\sqrt{2} & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & -\sqrt{2} & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -\sqrt{2} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \\ X_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$-\sqrt{2} X_1 + X_2 = 0 \Rightarrow X_1 = \frac{X_2}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$X_2 - \sqrt{2} X_3 = 0 \Rightarrow X_3 = \frac{X_2}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$|1, 1\rangle_x \xrightarrow{S_2 \text{ basis}} \begin{pmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \\ X_3 \end{pmatrix} = X_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \sqrt{2} \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\langle 1, 1 | 1, 1 \rangle_x = 1 = X_2^* (1, \sqrt{2}, 1) X_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \sqrt{2} \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = |X_2|^2 (1+2+1)$$

$$|X_2|^2 = \frac{1}{4} \quad X_2 = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$|1, 1\rangle_x \xrightarrow{S_2 \text{ basis}} \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \sqrt{2} \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$|1,0\rangle_x$

Eigenvalue: $S_x = 0$

$\lambda = 0$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \\ X_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X_2 = 0 \Rightarrow X_2 = 0$$

$$X_1 + X_3 = 0 \Rightarrow X_1 = -X_3$$

$$|1,0\rangle_x \xrightarrow{S_z \text{ basis}} \begin{pmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \\ X_3 \end{pmatrix} = X_3 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\langle 1,0 | 1,0 \rangle_x = 1 = X_3^* (1, 0, 1) X_3 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = |X_3|^2 (1 + 1)$$

$$|X_3|^2 = \frac{1}{2} \quad X_3 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$|1,0\rangle_x \xrightarrow{S_z \text{ basis}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|1,-1\rangle_x \xrightarrow{S_z \text{ basis}} \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -\sqrt{2} \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Time Evolution

$$\hat{U}(t) |\psi(0)\rangle = |\psi(t)\rangle$$

$$\langle \psi(0) | \hat{U}^\dagger(t) = \langle \psi(t) |$$

$$\langle \psi(t) | \psi(t) \rangle = \langle \psi(0) | \underbrace{\hat{U}^\dagger(t) \hat{U}(t)}_{\hat{1}} | \psi(0) \rangle = \langle \psi(0) | \psi(0) \rangle = 1$$

$$\hat{U}^\dagger(t) \hat{U}(t) = \hat{1}$$

$$\hat{U}(dt) = 1 - \frac{i}{\hbar} \hat{H} dt$$

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$$\hat{U}(t+dt) = \hat{U}(dt) \hat{U}(t) = \left(1 - \frac{i}{\hbar} \hat{H} dt\right) \hat{U}(t)$$

$$\hat{U}(t+dt) - \hat{U}(t) = -\frac{idt}{\hbar} \hat{H} \hat{U}(t)$$

$$\frac{\hat{U}(t+dt) - \hat{U}(t)}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt} \hat{U}(t) = -\frac{i}{\hbar} \hat{H} \hat{U}(t)$$

$$i\hbar \frac{d}{dt} \hat{U}(t) |\psi(0)\rangle = \hat{H} \hat{U}(t) |\psi(0)\rangle$$

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$$\hat{U}(dt) = 1 - \frac{i}{\hbar} \hat{H} dt$$

$$\hat{U}(t) = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 - \frac{i \hat{H} t}{\hbar N} \right)^N = e^{-\frac{i \hat{H} t}{\hbar}}$$

$$|\psi(t)\rangle = e^{-\frac{i \hat{H} t}{\hbar}} |\psi(0)\rangle$$

$$\langle \psi(t) | \hat{H} | \psi(t) \rangle = \langle \psi(0) | \hat{U}^\dagger(t) \hat{H} \hat{U}(t) | \psi(0) \rangle = \langle \psi(0) | \hat{H} \hat{U}^\dagger(t) \hat{U}(t) | \psi(0) \rangle = \langle \psi(0) | \hat{H} | \psi(0) \rangle$$



Erwin Schrödinger