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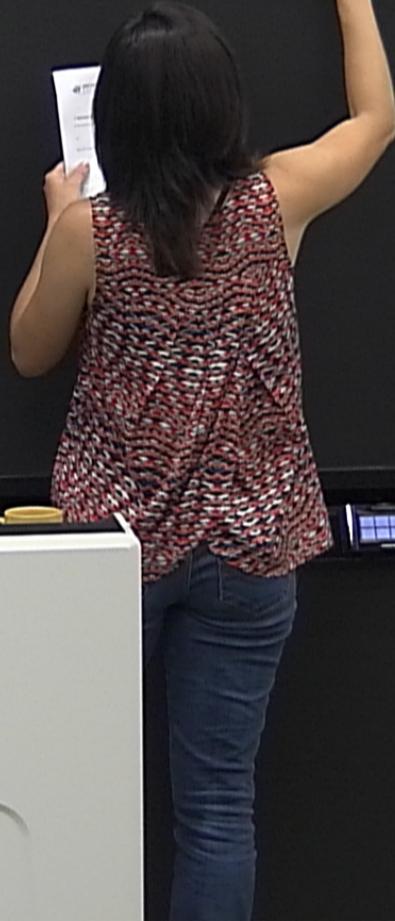
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Abstract:



$$\frac{1}{\theta} \left[\sin \theta \frac{d}{d\theta} (\sin \theta) \right]$$

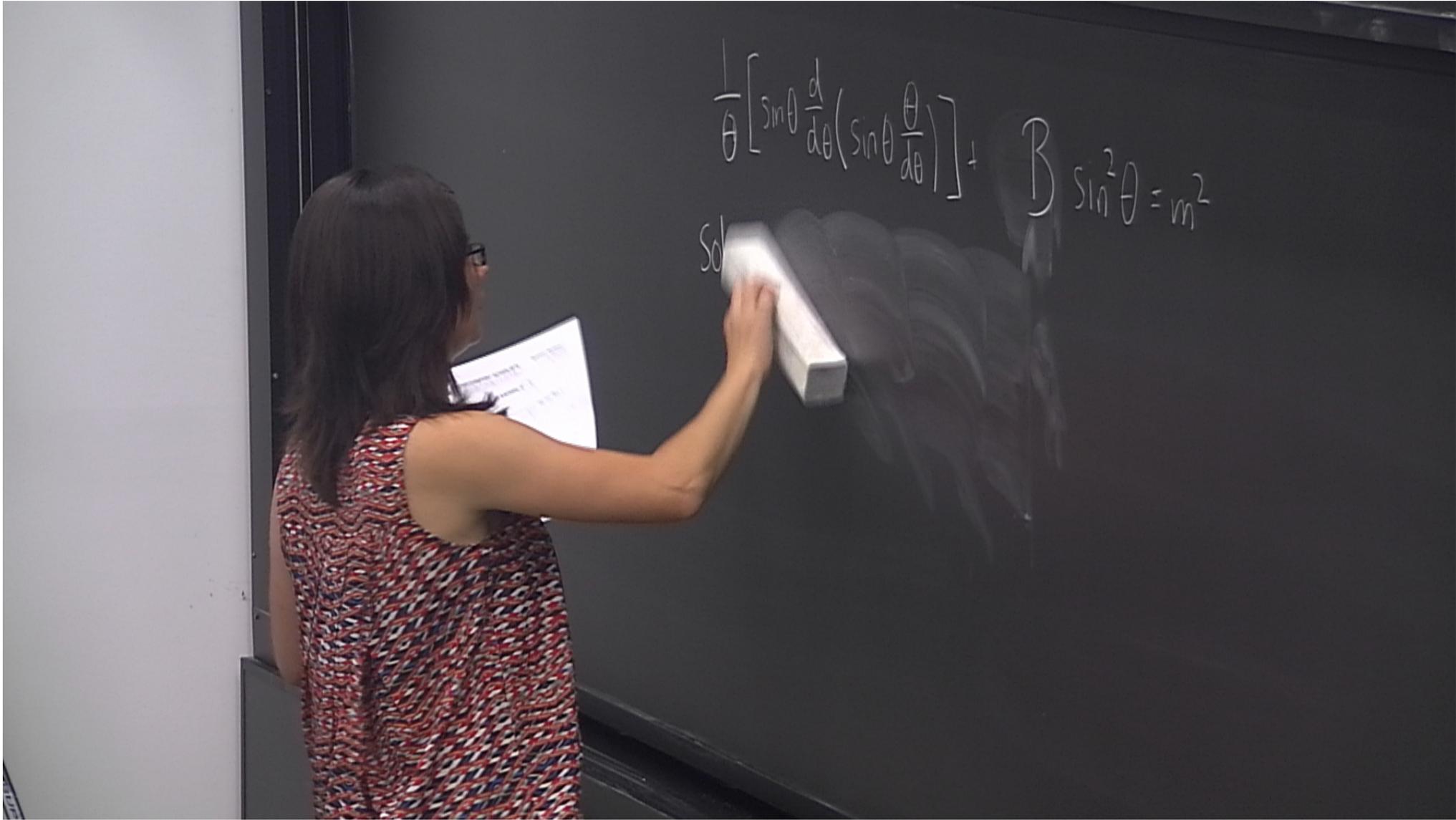


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Soln \rightarrow

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Soln $\Theta(\theta) = A P_\ell^m(\cos \theta)$

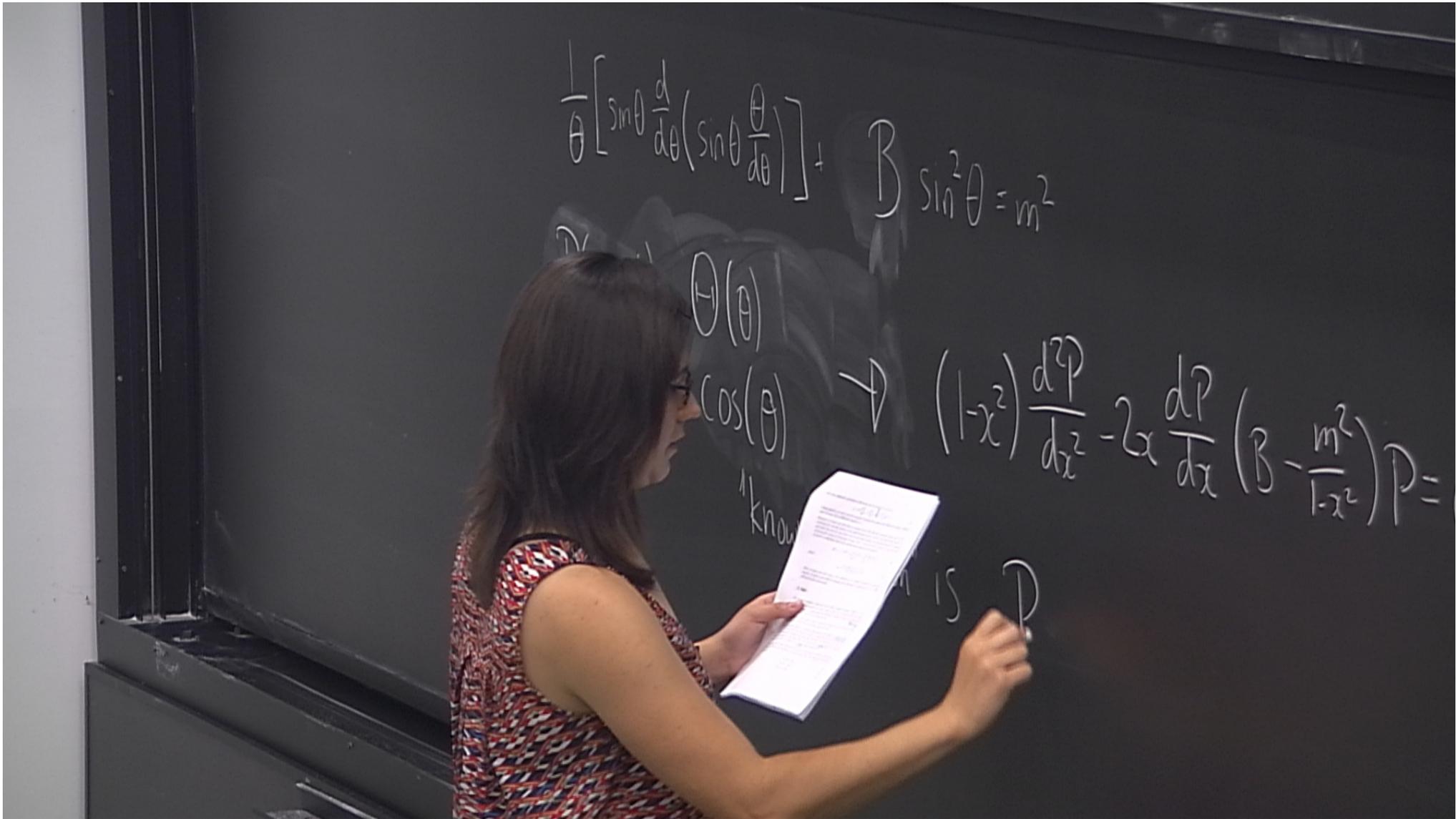


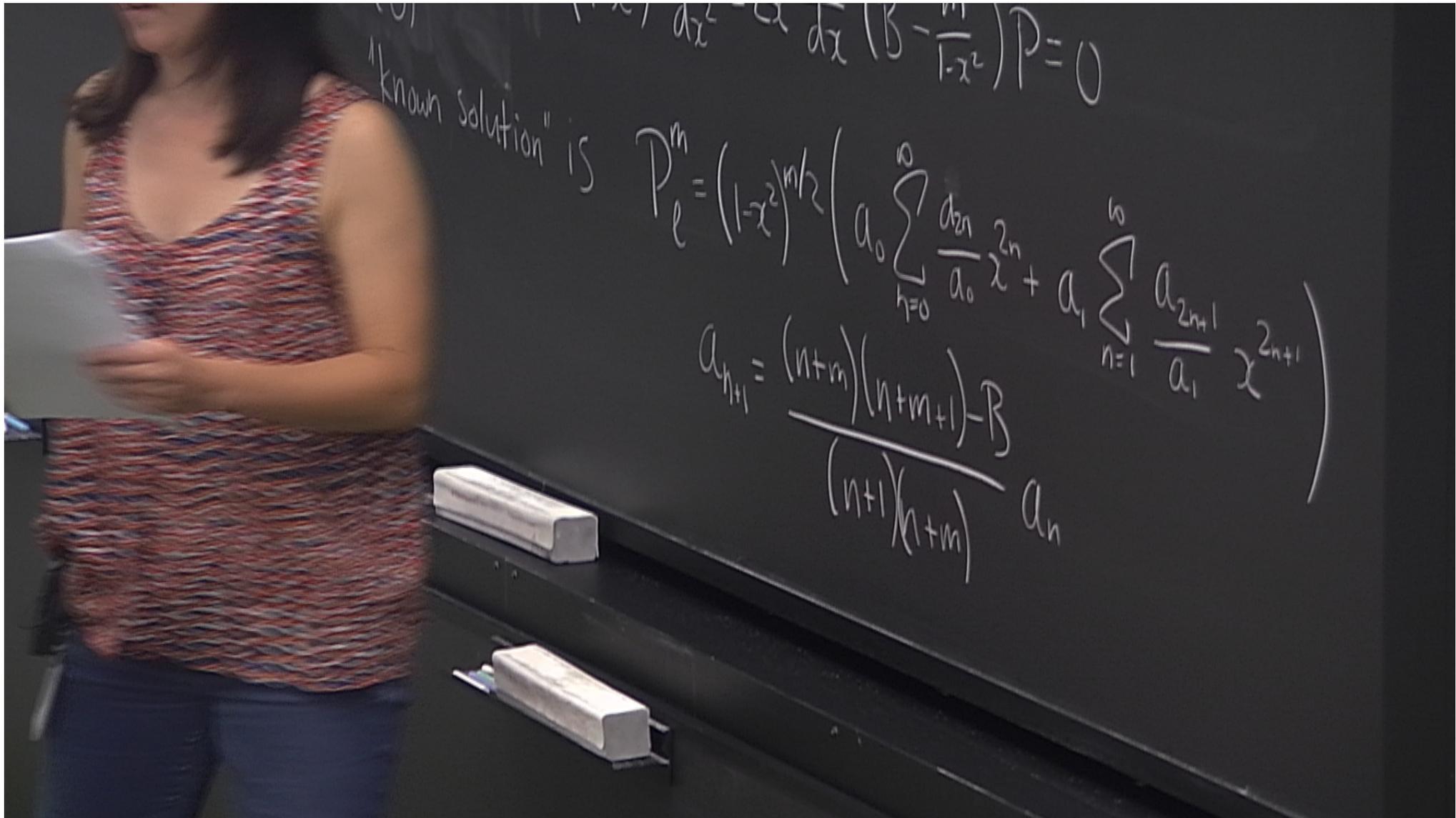
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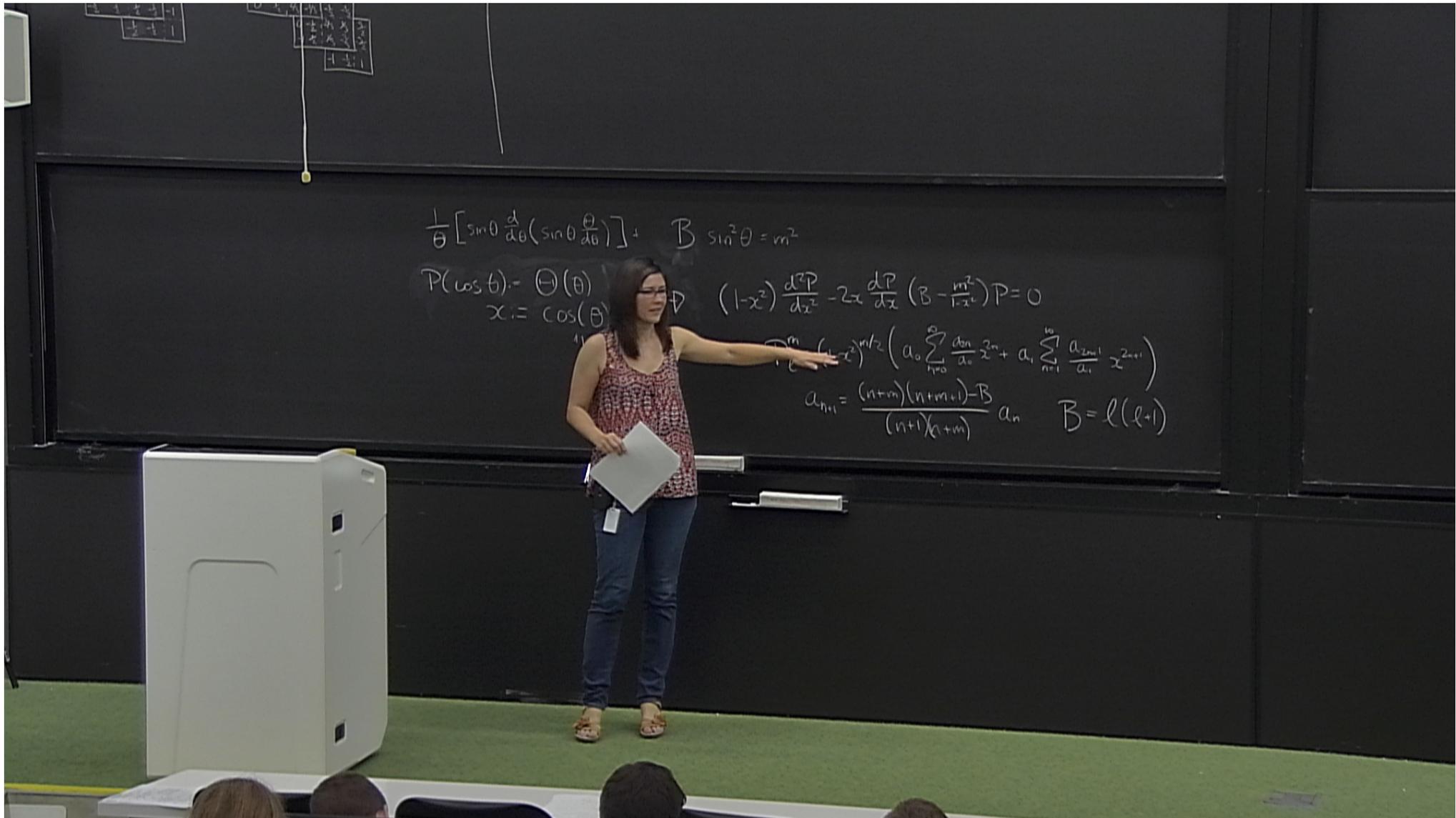
$$P(\cos \theta) := \Theta(\theta)$$

$$x := \cos(\theta)$$

$$\rightarrow (1-x^2) \frac{d^2 P}{dx^2} - 2x \frac{dP}{dx} - \left(\frac{m^2}{x^2} \right) P = 0$$







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$$(1-x^2) \frac{d^2 P}{dx^2} - 2x \frac{dP}{dx} (B - \frac{m^2}{1-x^2}) P = 0$$

$$P = (1-x^2)^{m/2} \left(a_0 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{a_n}{a_0} x^{2n} + a_1 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{a_{2n+1}}{a_1} x^{2n+1} \right)$$

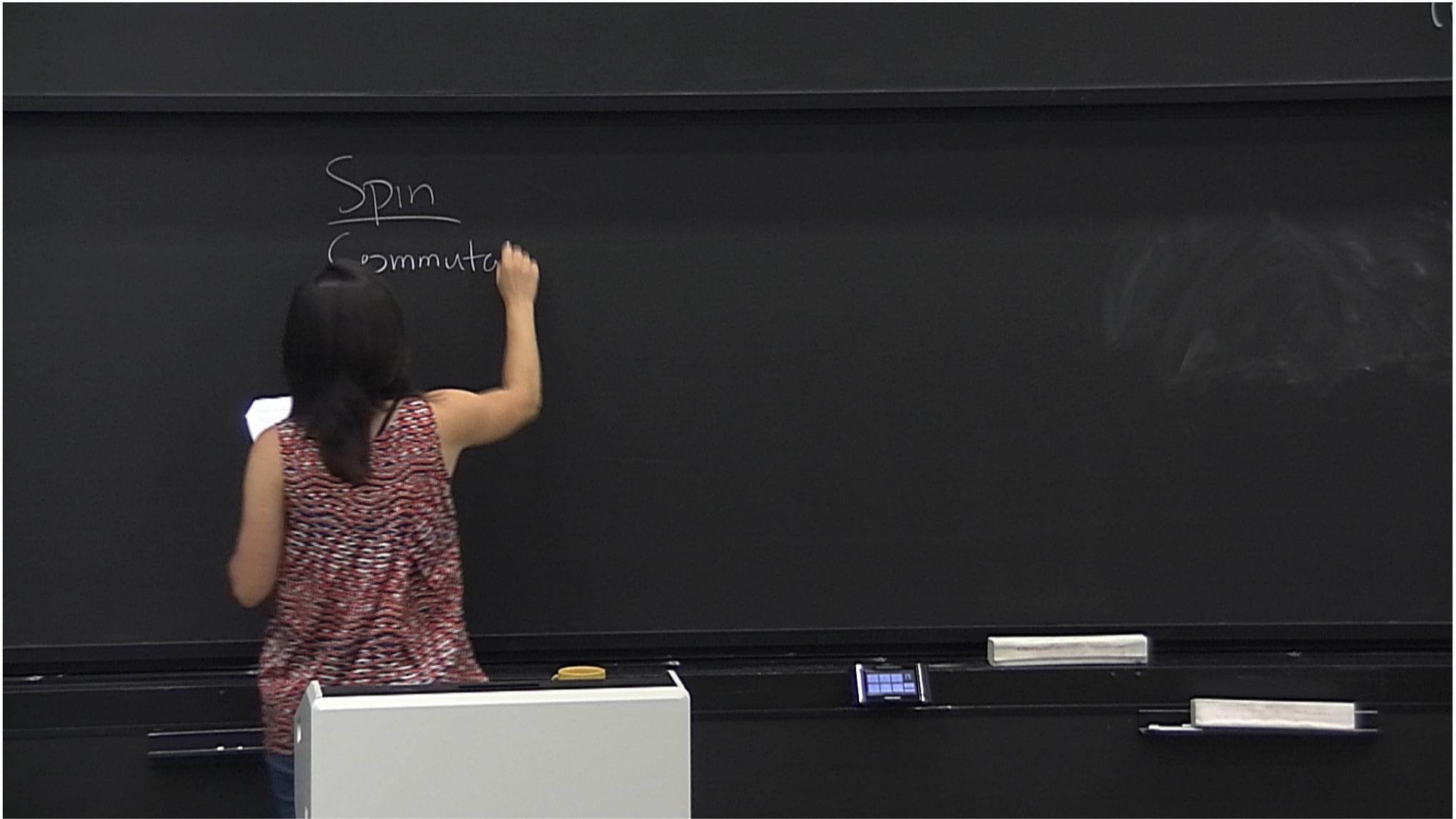
$$a_{n+1} = \frac{(n+m)(n+m+1) - B}{(n+1)(n+1+m)} a_n \quad B = \ell(\ell+1)$$

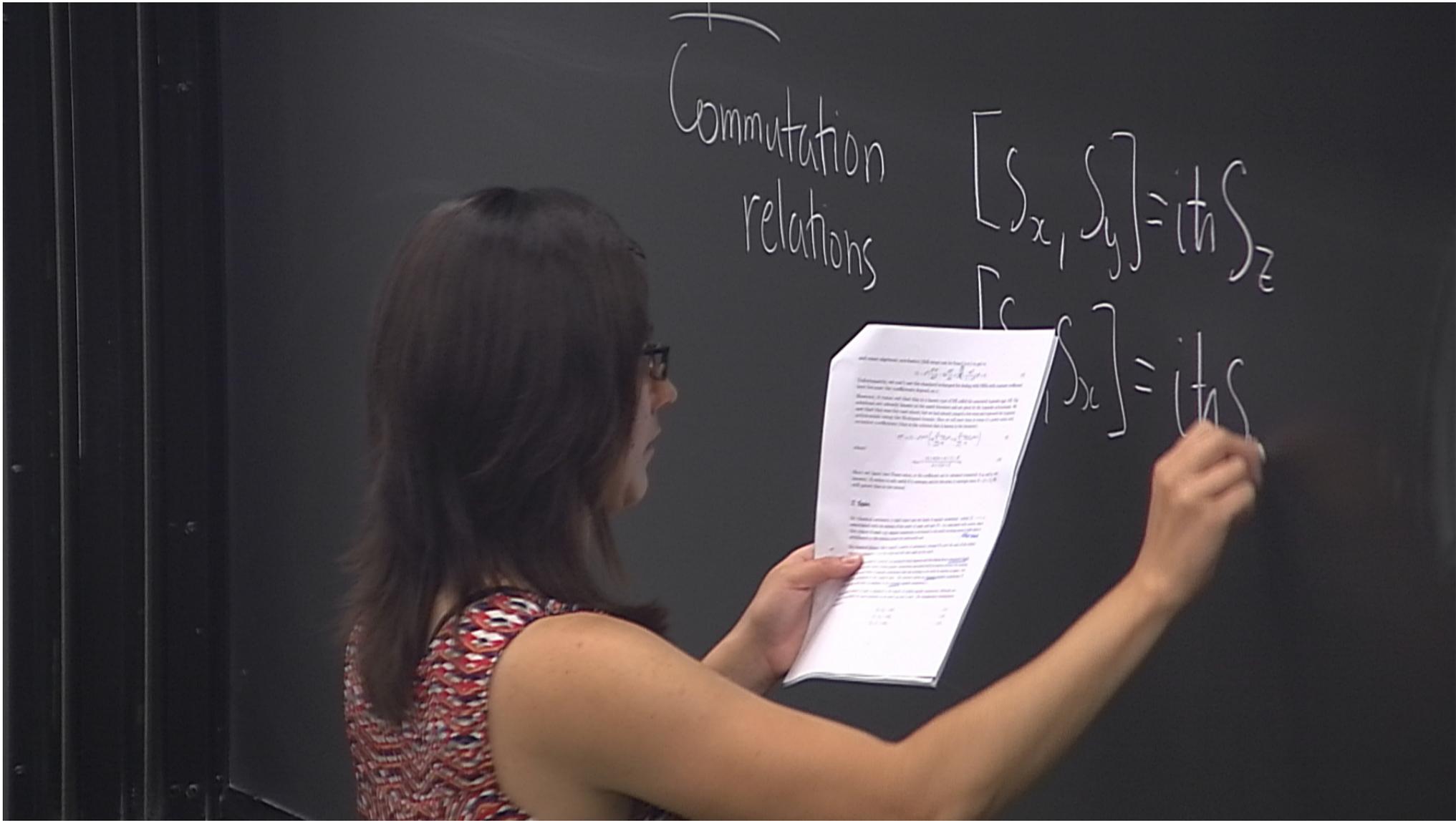
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"k" is $P_e^m = (1-x^2)^{m/2} \left(a_0 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{a_{2n}}{a_0} x^{2n} + a_1 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{a_{2n-1}}{a_1} x^{2n-1} \right)$

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$(n+1)(n+m)$

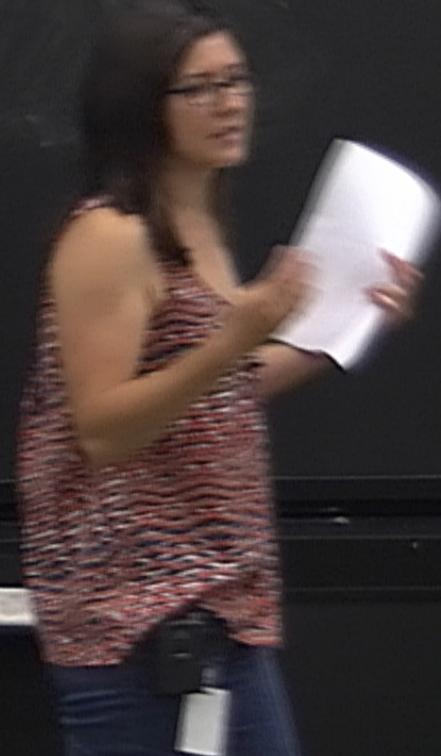
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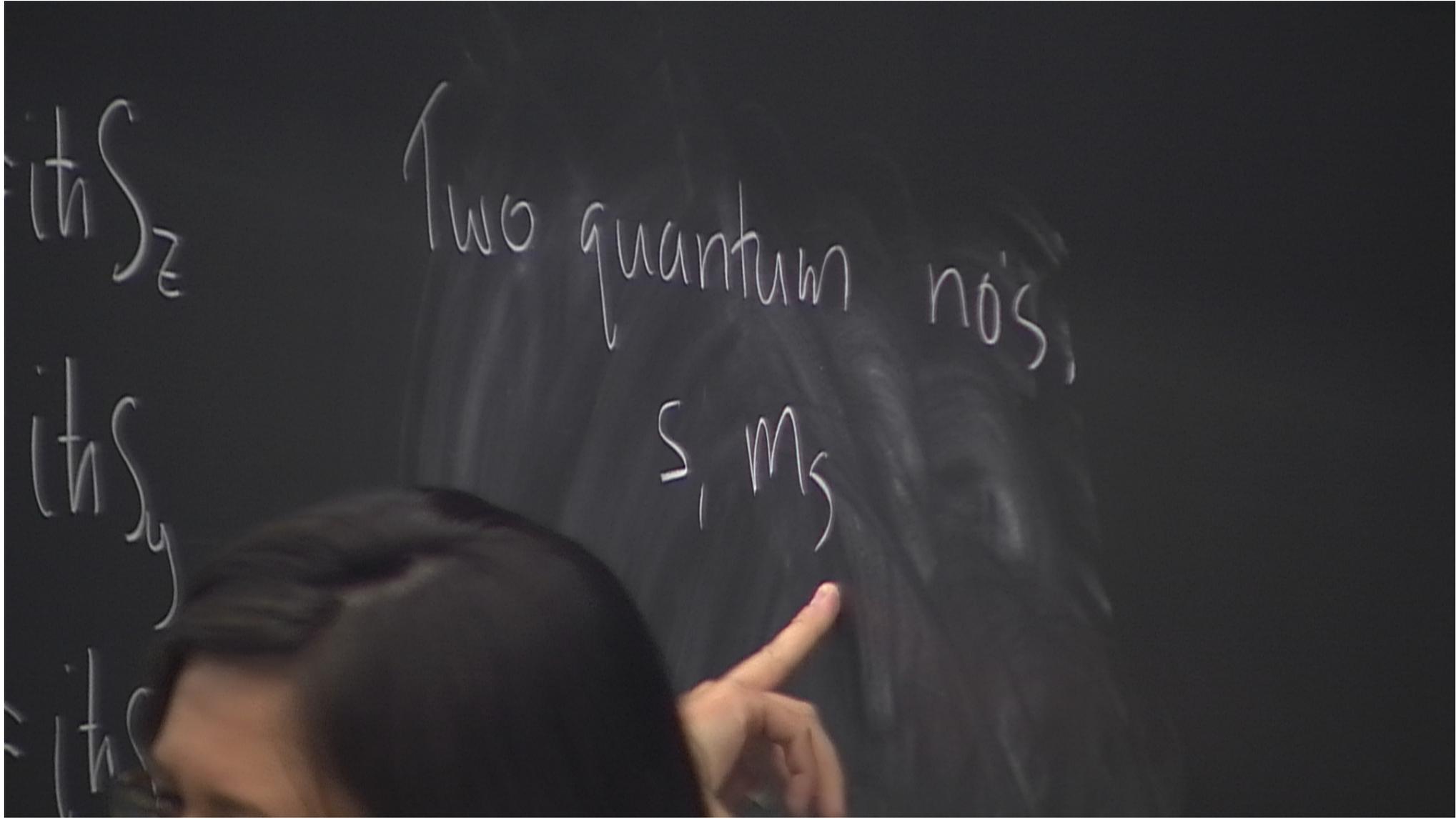
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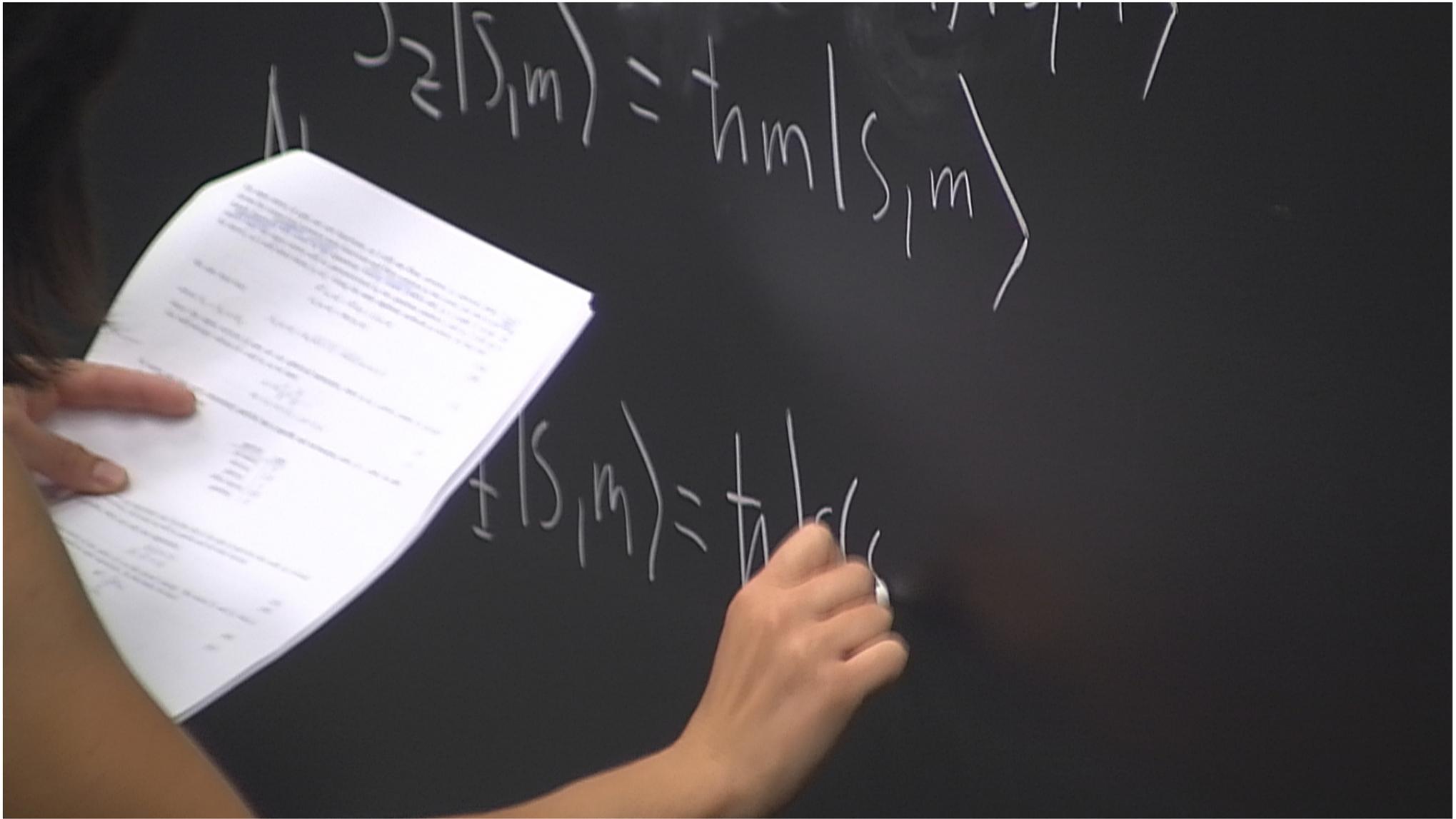
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Two quantum no's,

$|s, m\rangle$

$$S^2 |S, m\rangle = \hbar^2 s(s+1) |S, m\rangle$$
$$S_z |S, m\rangle = \hbar m |S, m\rangle$$



$$x := \cos(\theta) \rightarrow (1-x^2)^{-1/2} \frac{d}{dx} - \ell x \frac{d}{dx} \rightarrow (1-x^2)^{-1/2} \frac{d}{dx} - \ell x \frac{d}{dx}$$

"known solution" is $P_\ell^m = (1-x^2)^{m/2} \left(a_0 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{a_n}{a_0} x^n + a_1 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{a_{2n-1}}{a_1} x^{2n-1} \right)$

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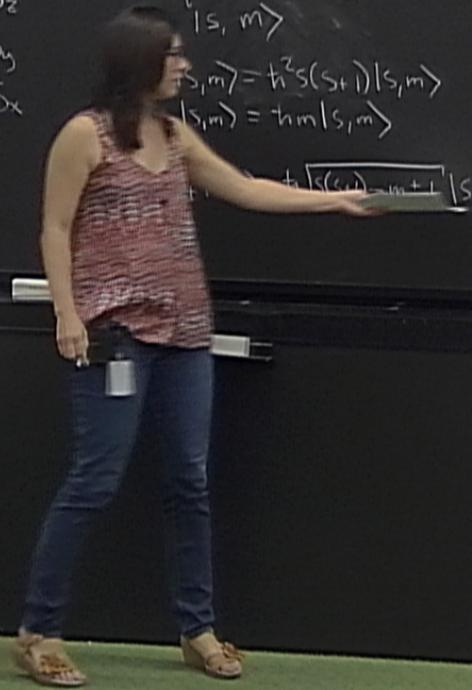
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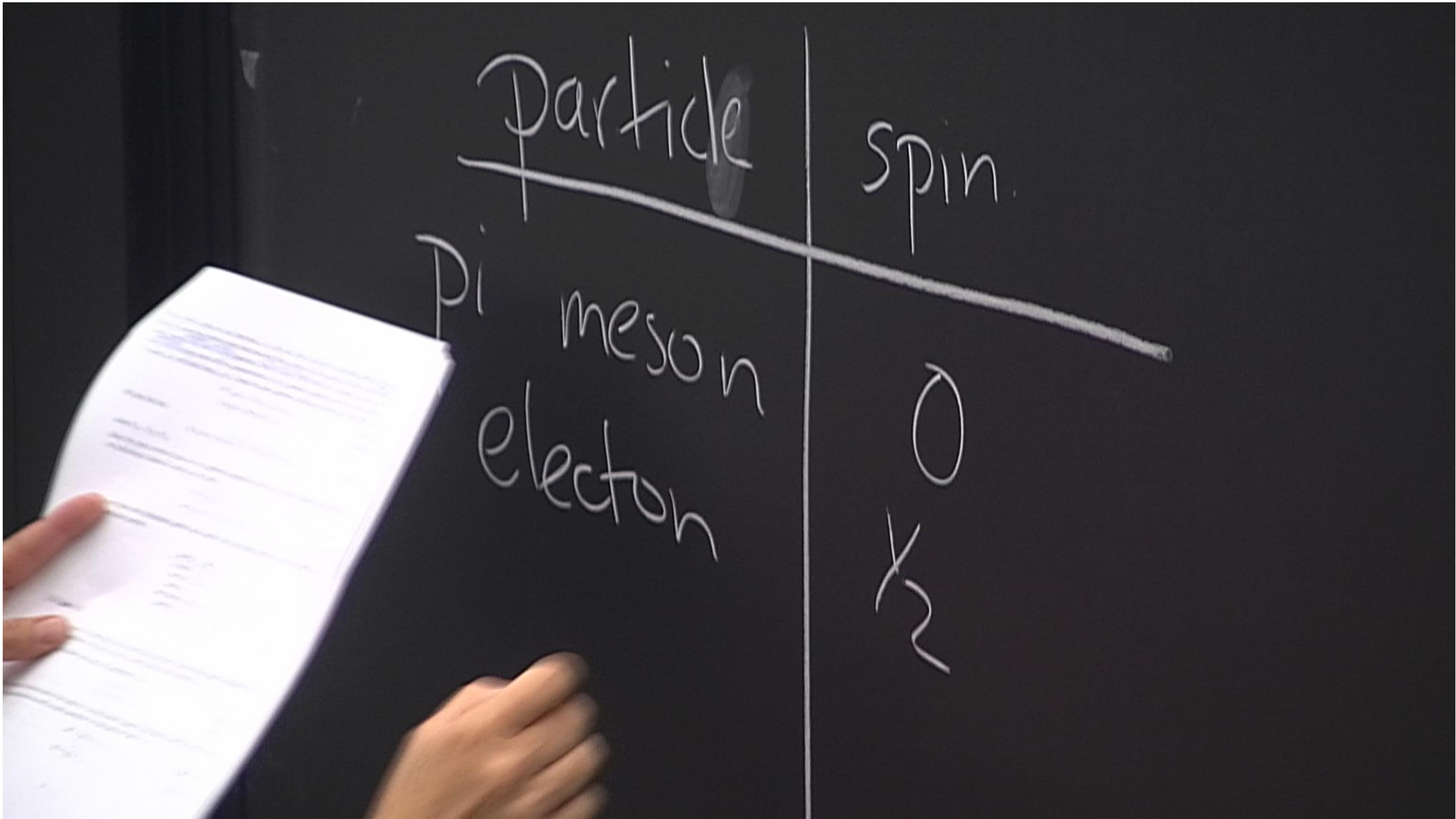
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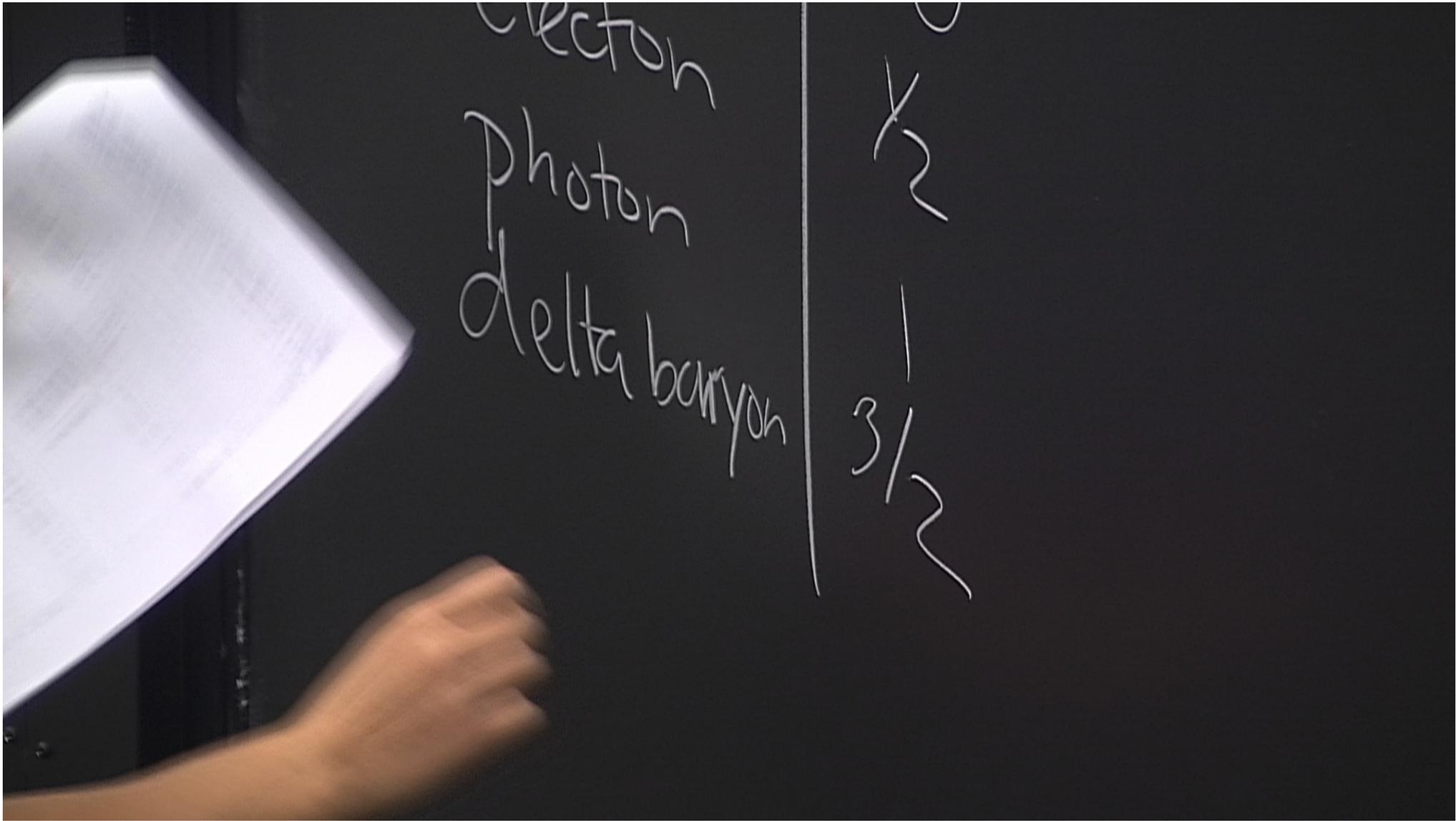
$$S_+ |s, m\rangle = \hbar \sqrt{s(s+1) - m(m+1)} |s, m+1\rangle$$

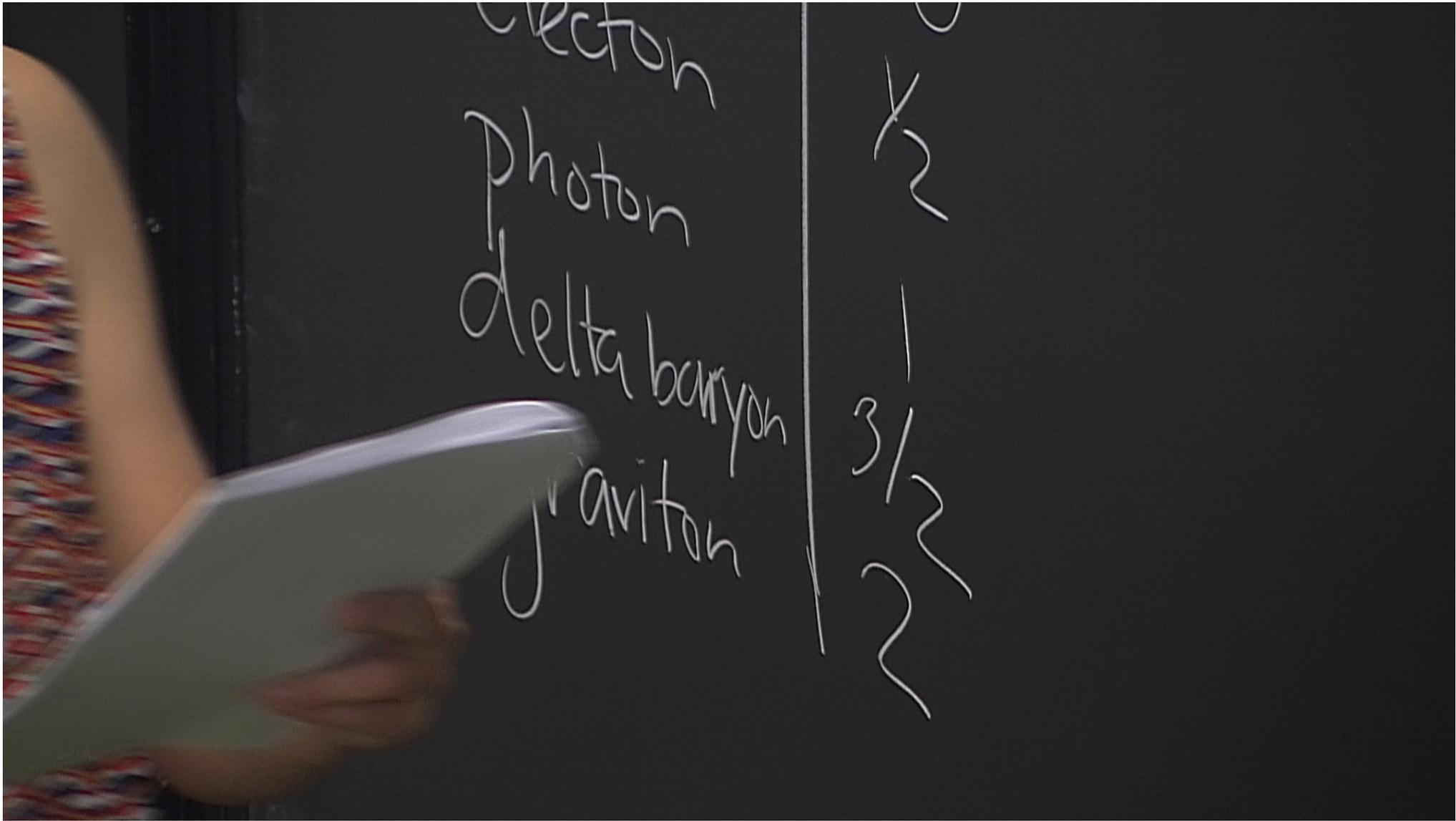


$m = -s, -s+1, \dots, s-1, s$

Particle	spin
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$\frac{1}{2}, 1, \frac{3}{2}, \dots$
 $-S+1, \dots, S-1, S$

Spin $\frac{1}{2}$

$S = \frac{1}{2}$

$m = -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}$

particle	spin
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meson	0
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$$S = 0, \frac{1}{2}, 1, \frac{3}{2}, \dots$$

$$m = -S, -S+1, \dots, S-1, S$$

particle	spin
pi meson	0
electron	$\frac{1}{2}$
photon	1
delta baryon	$\frac{3}{2}$
graviton	2

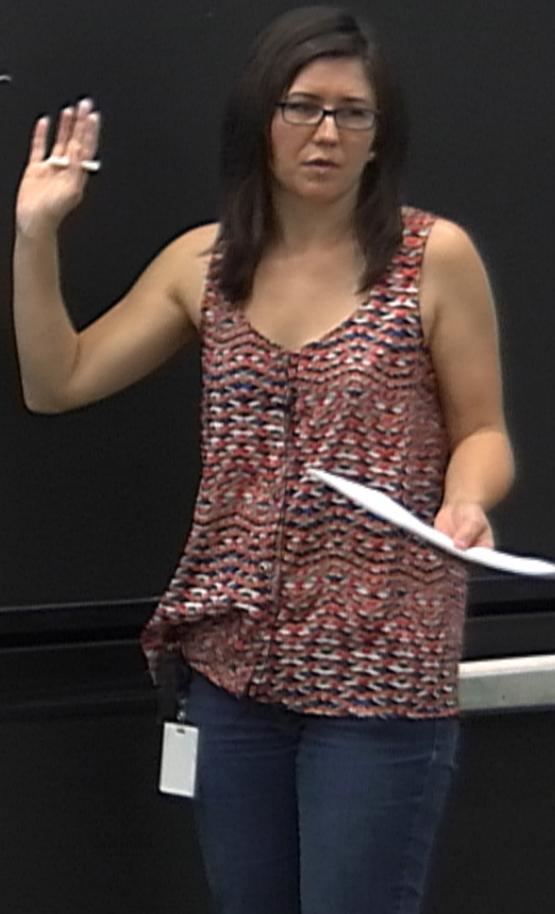
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$$|\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle$$

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this basis;

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$$\sum_{m=-l}^l \frac{a_{2m}}{a_1} r^{2m+1}$$

$$B = l(l+1)$$

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$$\left. \begin{aligned} |\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle &= |\uparrow\rangle \\ |\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\rangle &= |\downarrow\rangle \end{aligned} \right\} \text{basis states}$$

In this basis:

$$S^2 = \frac{3}{4} \hbar^2 \sigma_0$$

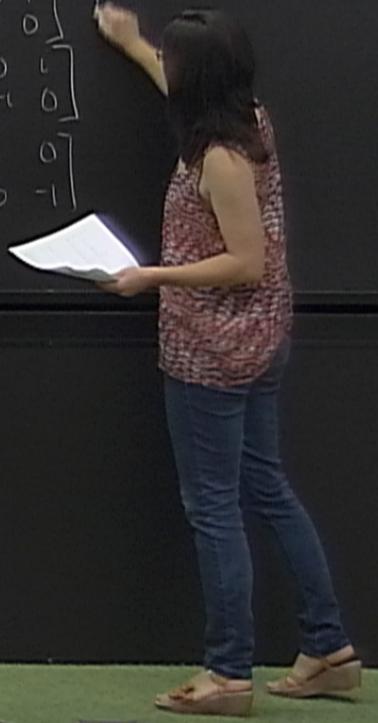
$$S_x = \frac{\hbar}{2} \sigma_x$$

$$\sigma_0 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\sigma_x = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\sigma_y = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & i \\ -i & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\sigma_z = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

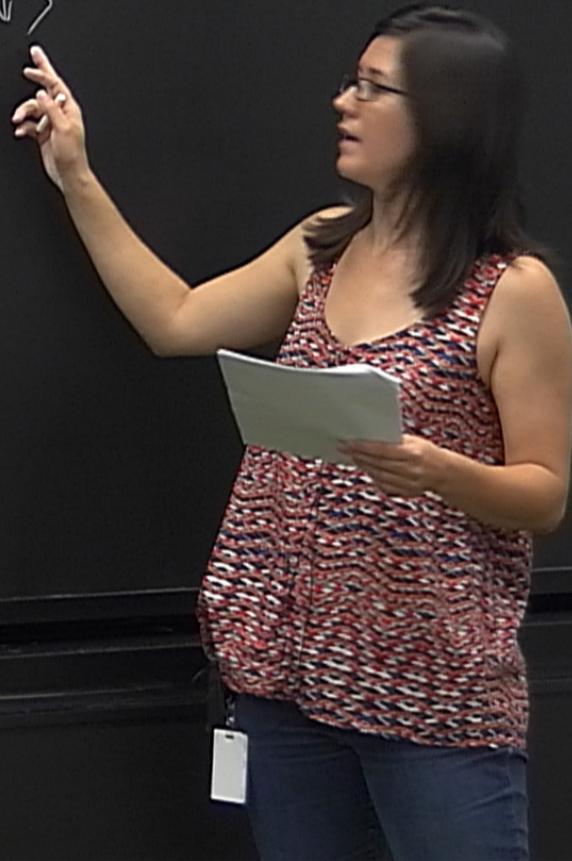


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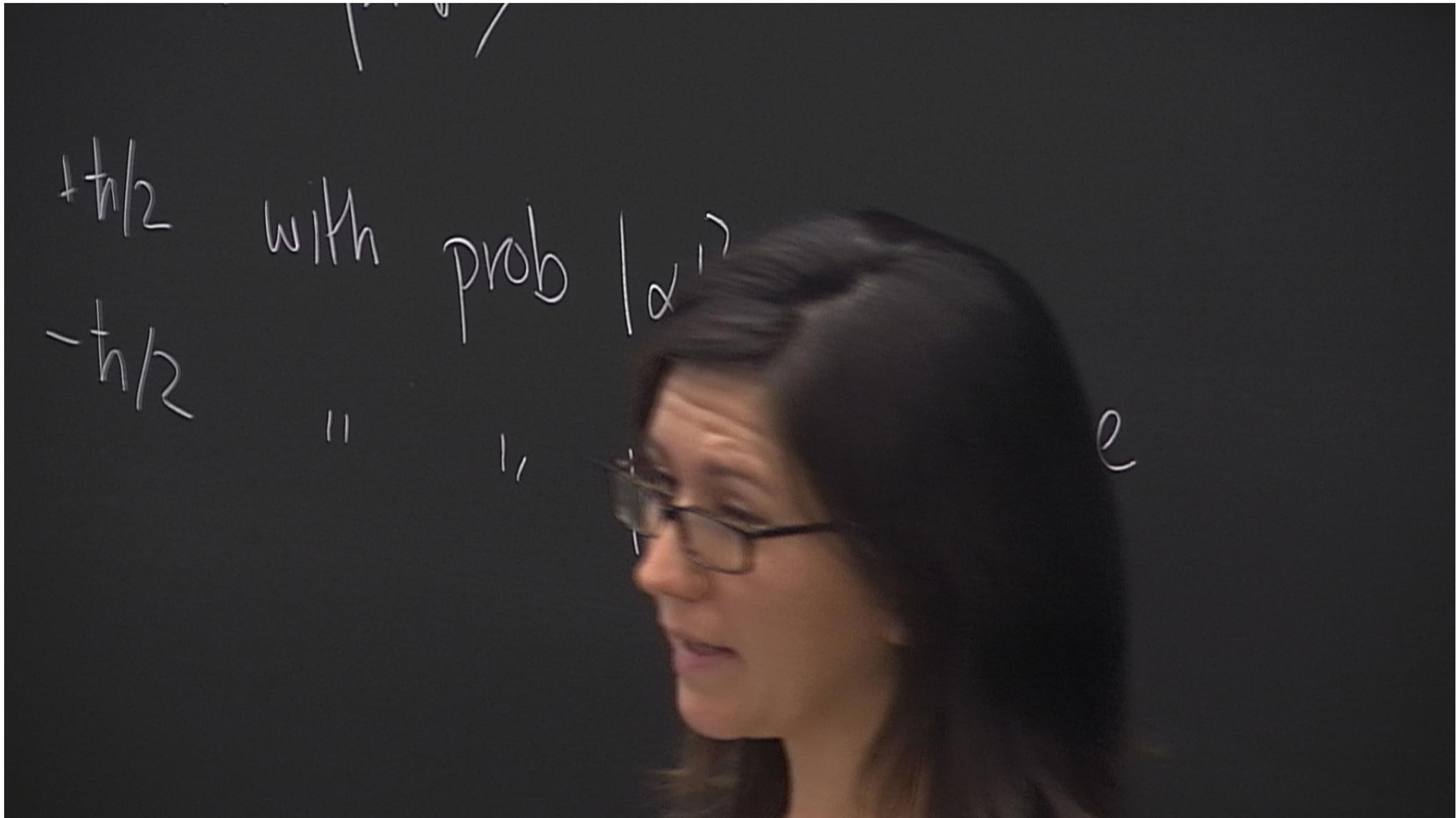
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$\hbar/2$ with



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$$= \left(\frac{\alpha + \beta}{\sqrt{2}} \right) |+\rangle + \left(\frac{\alpha - \beta}{\sqrt{2}} \right) |-\rangle$$

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result $+\hbar/2$ with prob $|\alpha|^2$
" $-\hbar/2$ " " $|\beta|^2$

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$$\Rightarrow |\psi\rangle = \left(\frac{\alpha+\beta}{\sqrt{2}}\right)|+\rangle + \left(\frac{\alpha-\beta}{\sqrt{2}}\right)|-\rangle$$

$$|-\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|\uparrow\rangle - |\downarrow\rangle)$$

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$$\frac{1}{2}|\alpha + \beta|^2$$

$$\frac{1}{2}|\alpha - \beta|^2$$

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$$= (s_1 + s_2), (s_1 + s_2 - 1)$$

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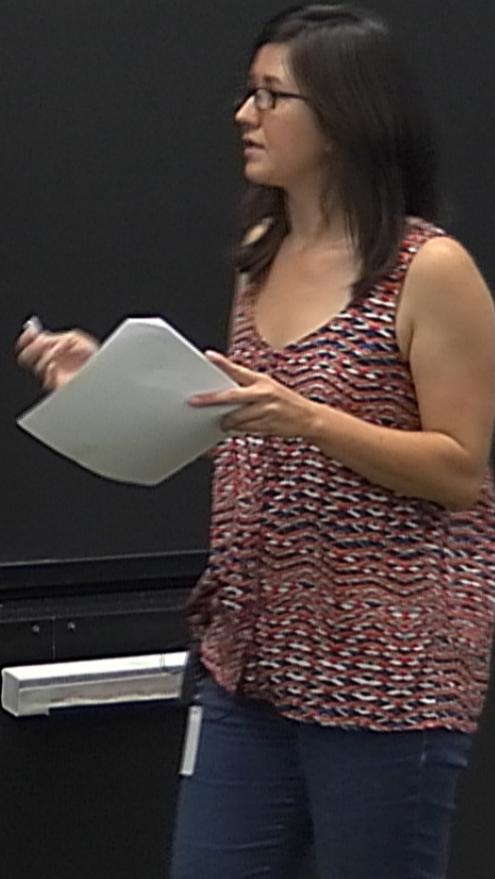
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$(S_1+S_2-1), (S_1+S_2-2), \dots, |S_1-S_2|$

z-component

$-S_1, -S_1+1, \dots, S-1, S$

$$|S, m\rangle = \sum$$



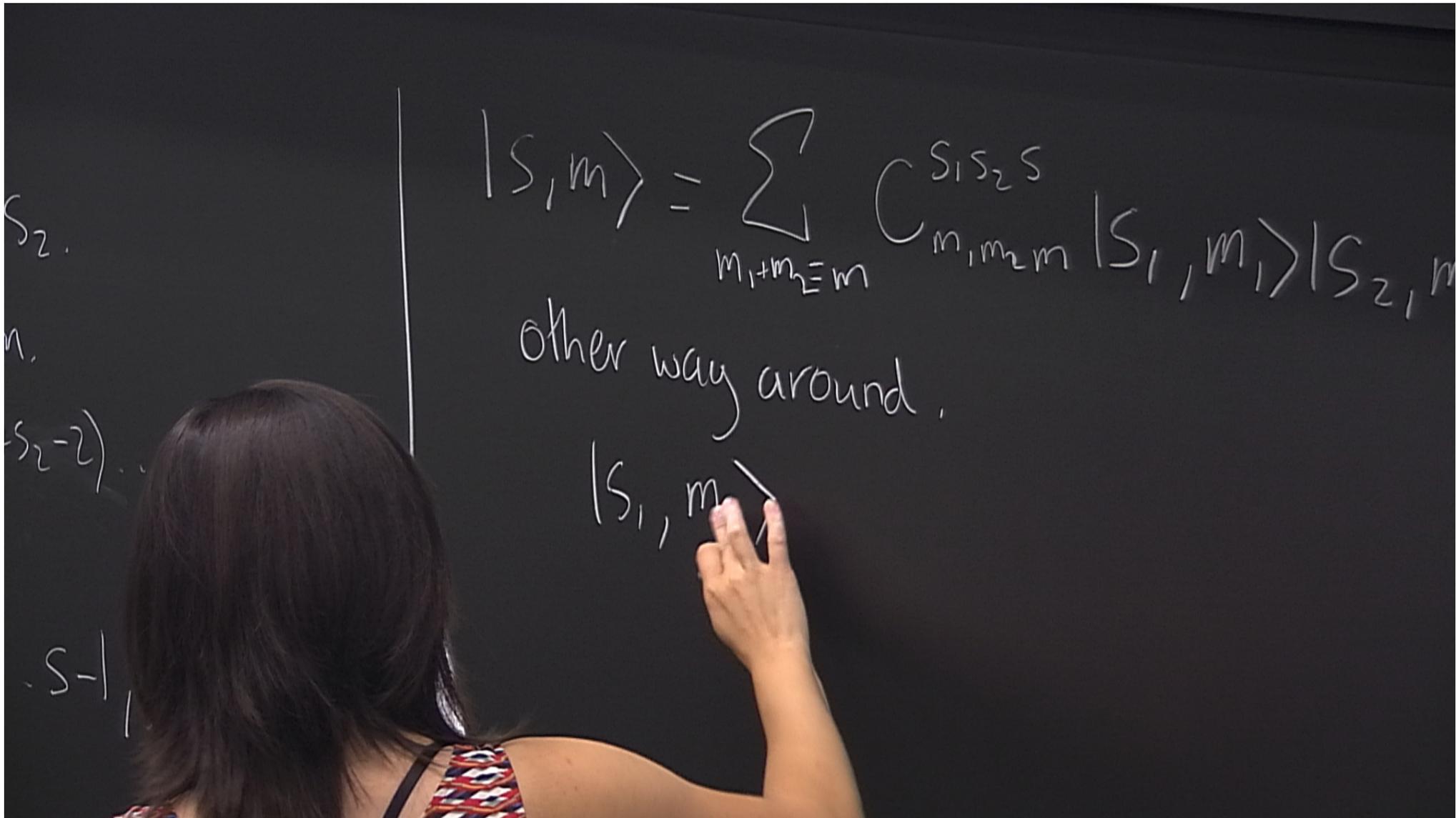
S_2 .

n .

$|S_2 - 2\rangle \dots |S_1 - S_2\rangle$

$|S - 1\rangle$

$$|S, m\rangle = \sum_{m_1 + m_2 = m} C_{m_1 m_2 m}^{S_1 S_2 S} |S_1, m_1\rangle |S_2, m_2\rangle$$



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two spin $\frac{1}{2}$ particles;

$$S_1 = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$S_2 = \frac{1}{2}$$

basis states:

$$|\uparrow\rangle|\uparrow\rangle$$

$$|\uparrow\rangle|\downarrow\rangle$$

$$|\downarrow\rangle|\uparrow\rangle$$

$$|\downarrow\rangle|\downarrow\rangle$$

$|S, m\rangle$

$$|1, 1\rangle = |\uparrow\rangle|\uparrow\rangle$$

$$|1, 0\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|\uparrow\rangle|\downarrow\rangle + |\downarrow\rangle|\uparrow\rangle)$$

$$|1, -1\rangle = |\downarrow\rangle|\downarrow\rangle$$

$$|0, 0\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|\uparrow\rangle|\downarrow\rangle - |\downarrow\rangle|\uparrow\rangle)$$

Triplet

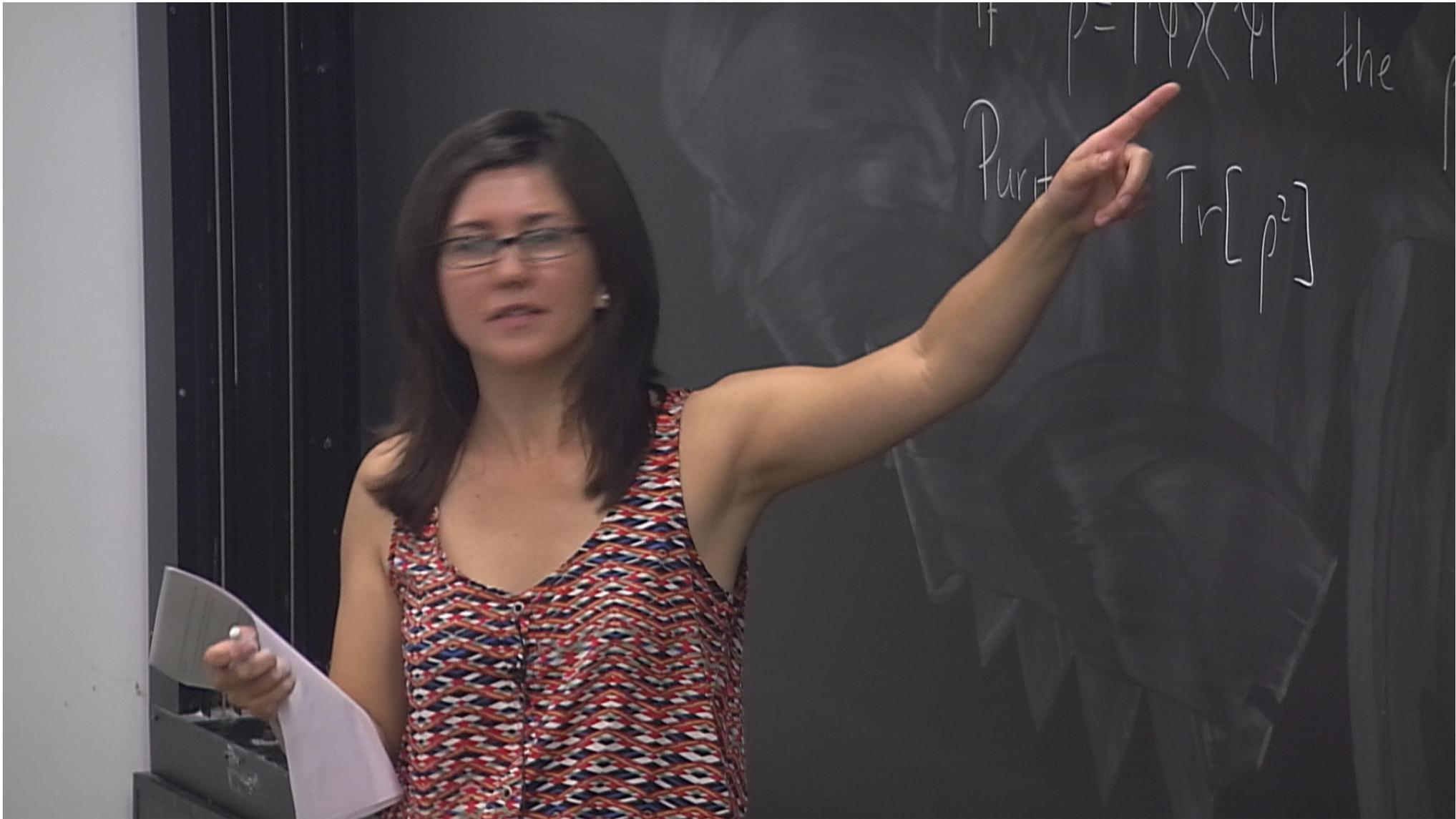
Singlet

Spin 1 & 0

$$|\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|\uparrow\rangle|\downarrow\rangle - |\downarrow\rangle|\uparrow\rangle)$$

If $\rho = |\psi\rangle\langle\psi|$ the ρ is "pure"

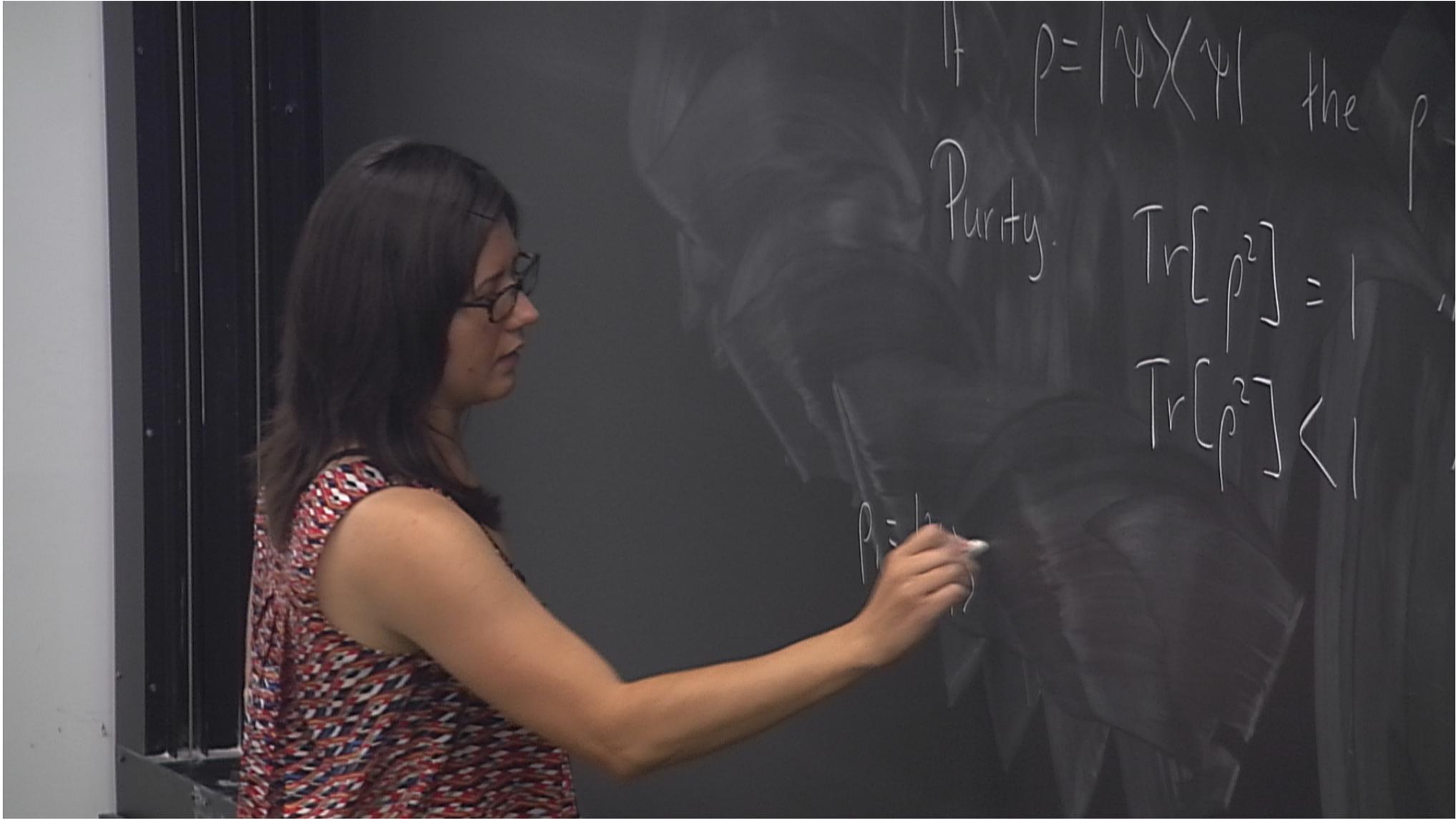
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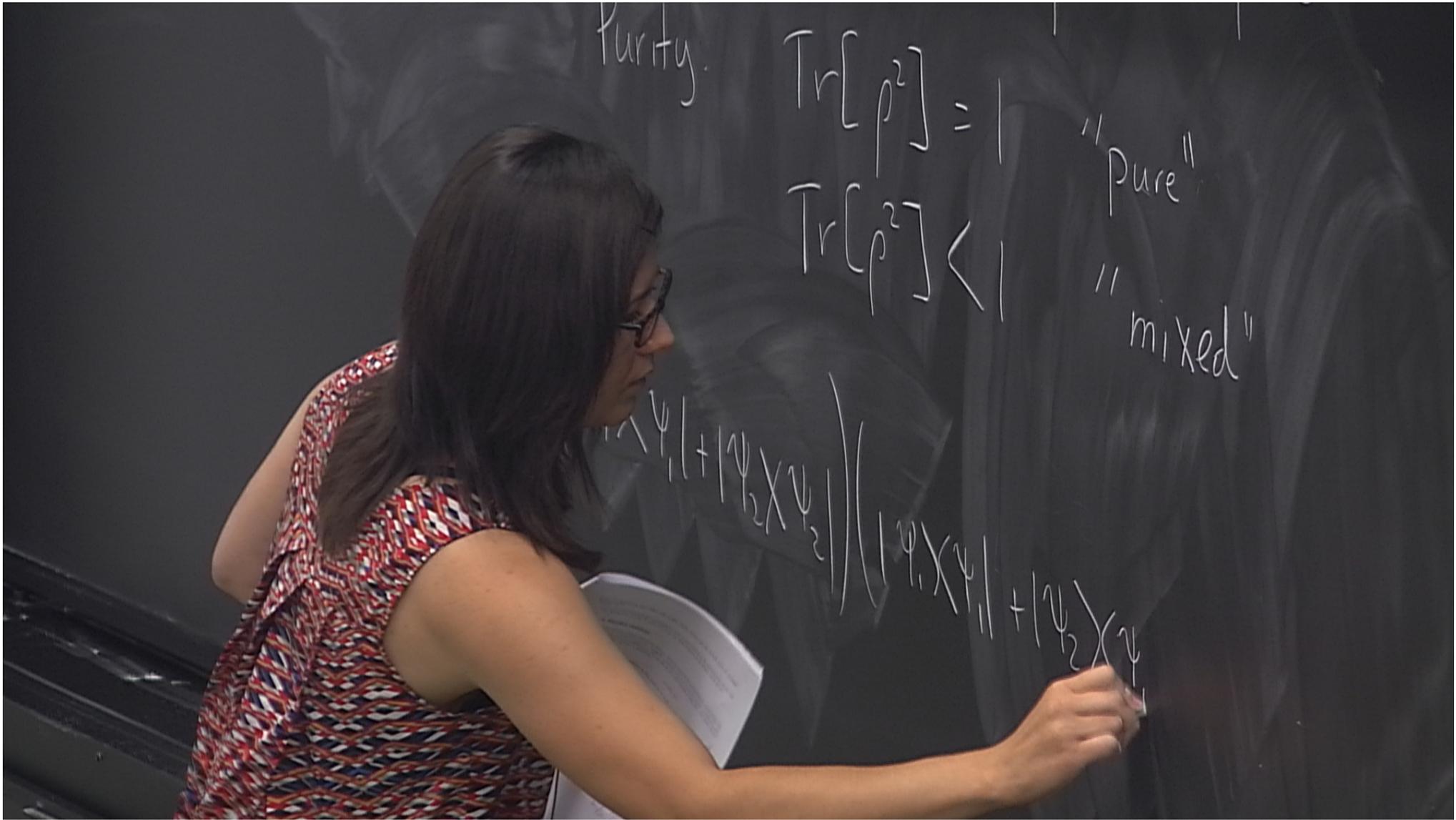


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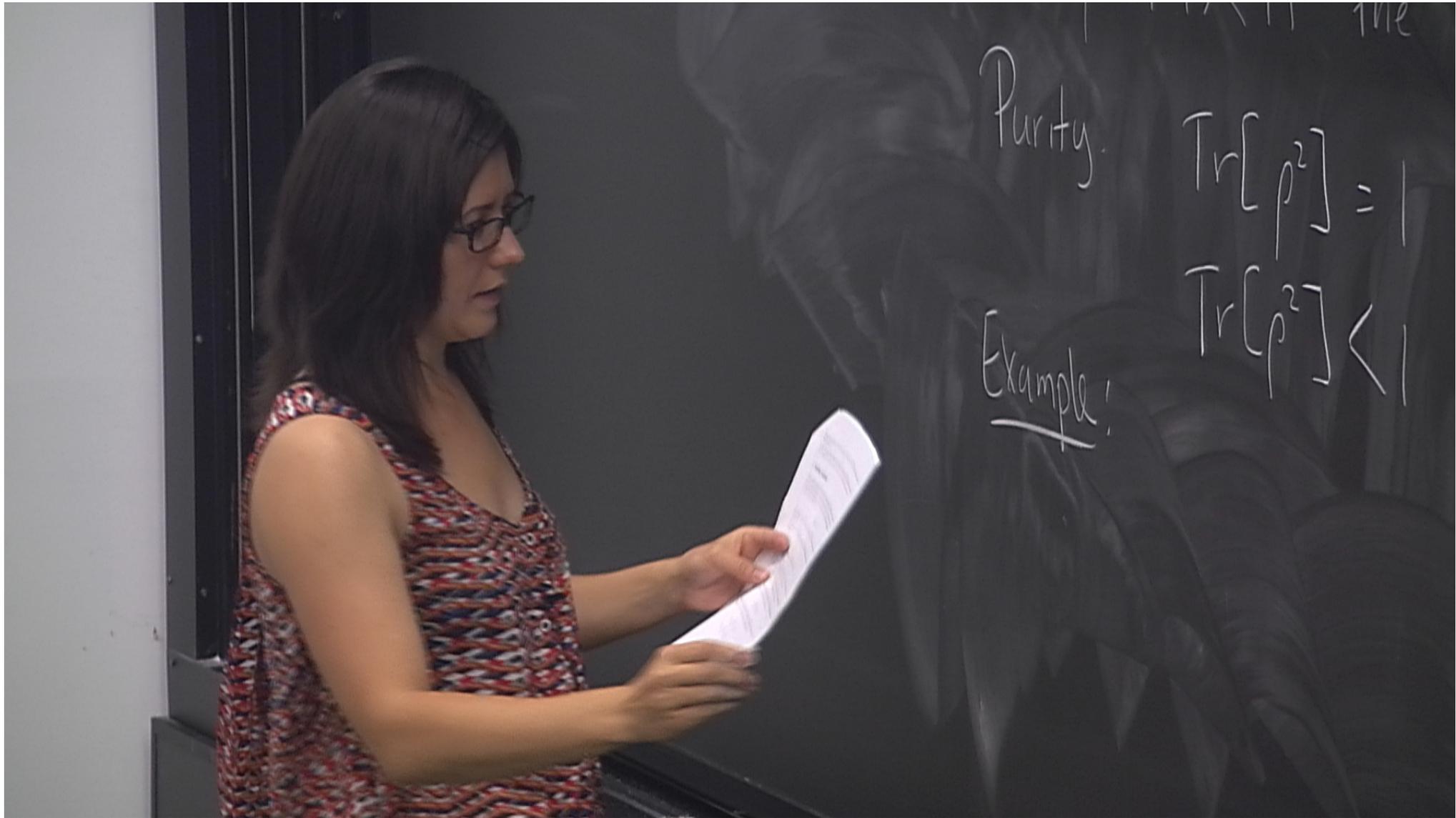


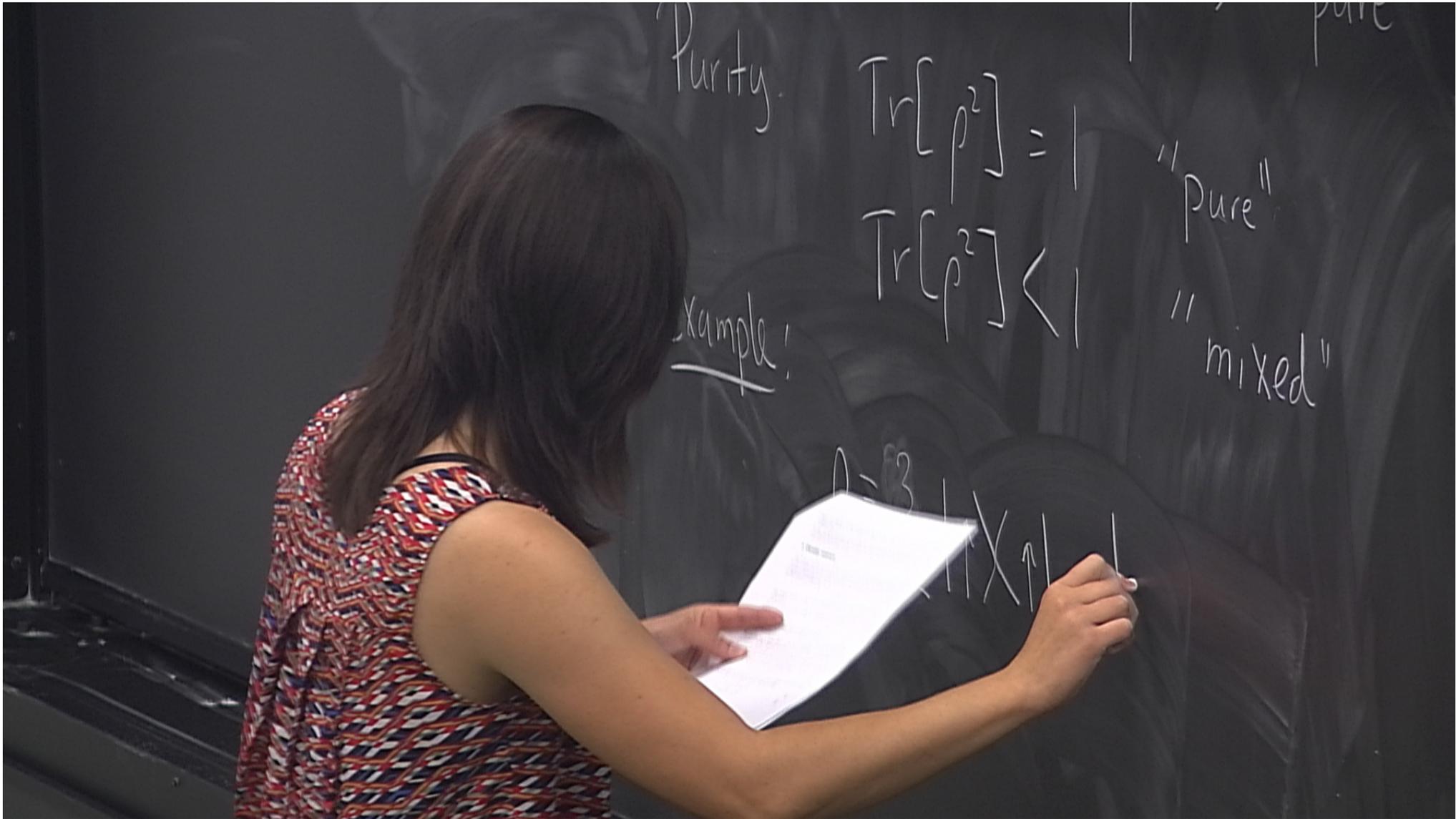
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$$\left(|\psi_1\rangle\langle\psi_1| + |\psi_2\rangle\langle\psi_2| \right) \left(|\psi_1\rangle\langle\psi_1| + |\psi_2\rangle\langle\psi_2| \right)$$





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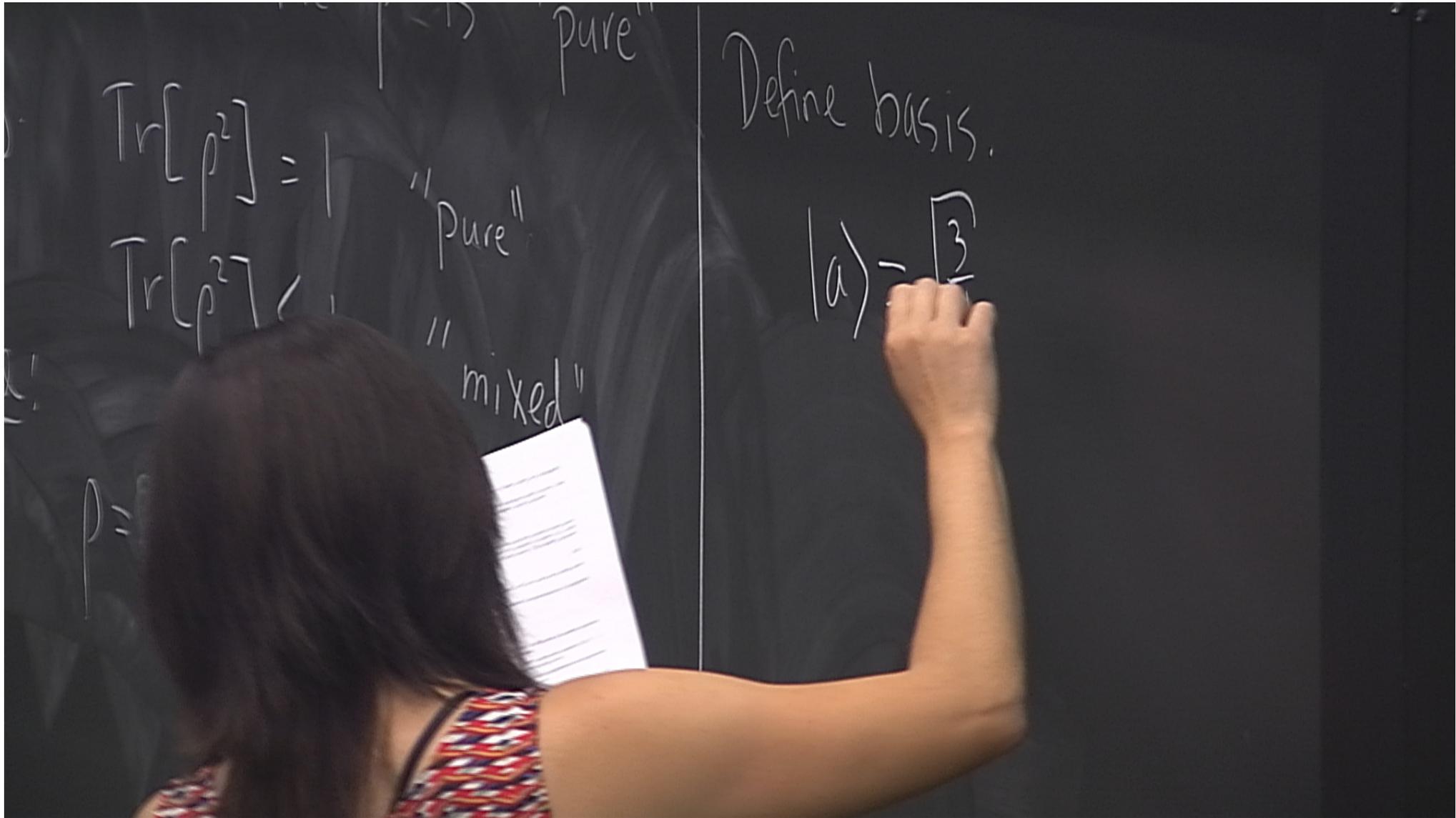
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"mixed"

Example:

$$\rho = \frac{3}{4} |\uparrow\uparrow\rangle\langle\uparrow\uparrow| + \frac{1}{4} |\downarrow\downarrow\rangle\langle\downarrow\downarrow|$$



$$\text{Tr}[\rho^2] = 1$$

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"pure"

"mixed"

$$\rho = \frac{3}{4}$$

Define basis.

$$|a\rangle = \sqrt{\frac{3}{4}} |\uparrow\rangle + \sqrt{\frac{1}{4}} |\downarrow\rangle$$

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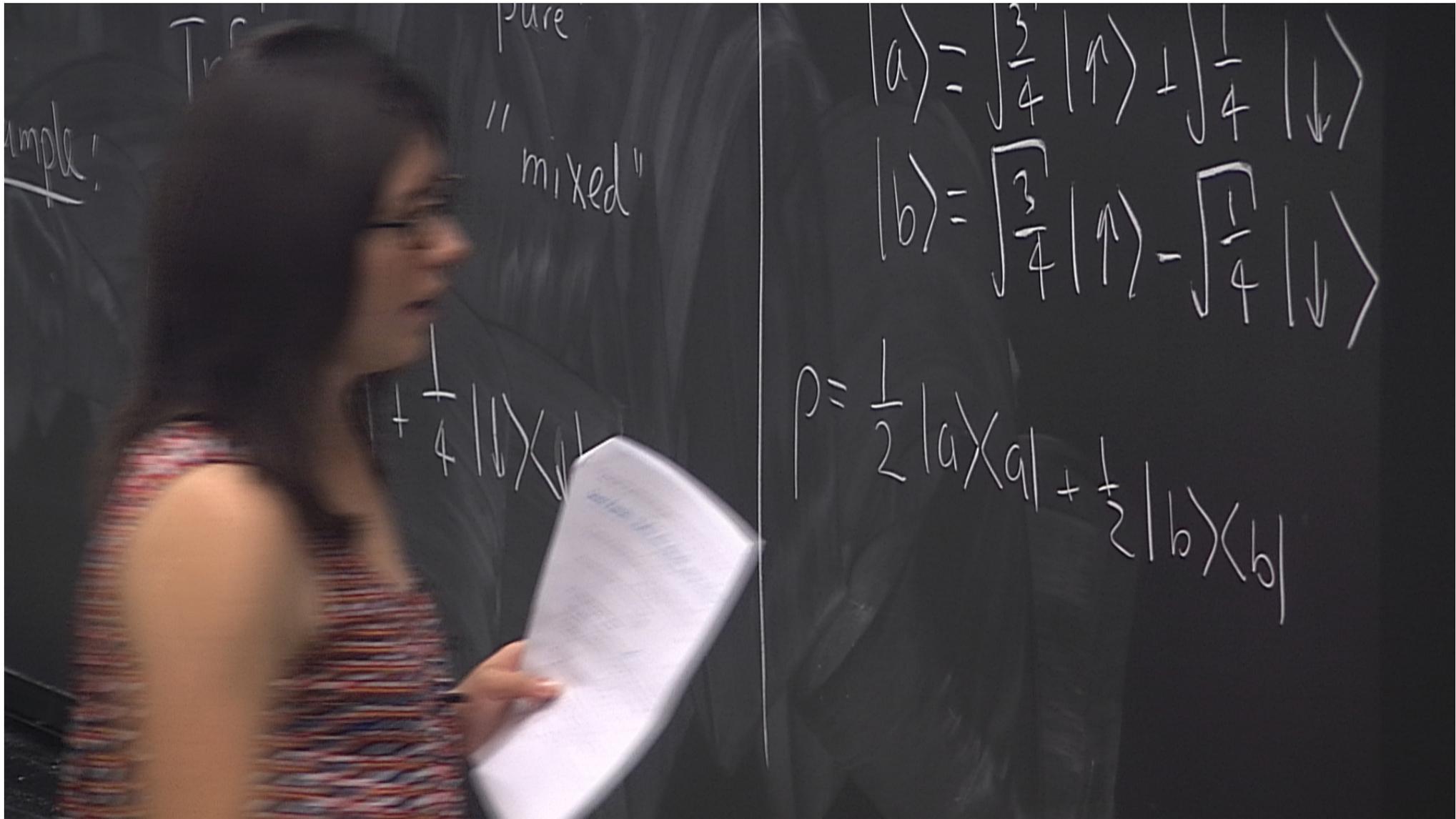
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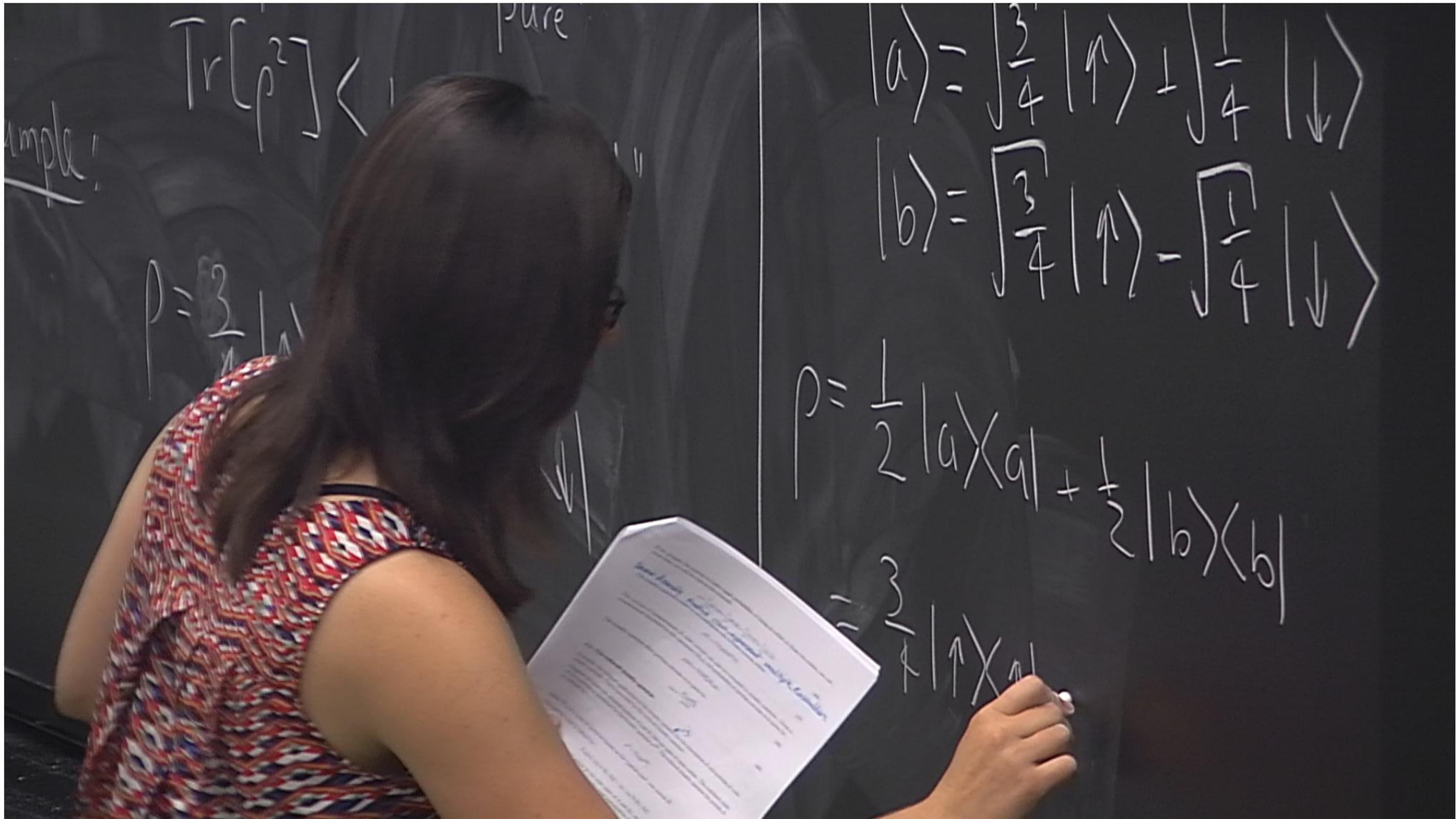


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$$\rho = \frac{1}{2}|a\rangle\langle a| + \frac{1}{2}|b\rangle\langle b|$$

$$+\frac{1}{4}|b\rangle\langle b|$$



unitary
evolution

$\rho(t)$

unitary
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$$\rho(t) = U(t) \rho(0) U^\dagger(t)$$

Pure
state

$$U(t) |\psi(0)\rangle \langle \psi(0)|$$

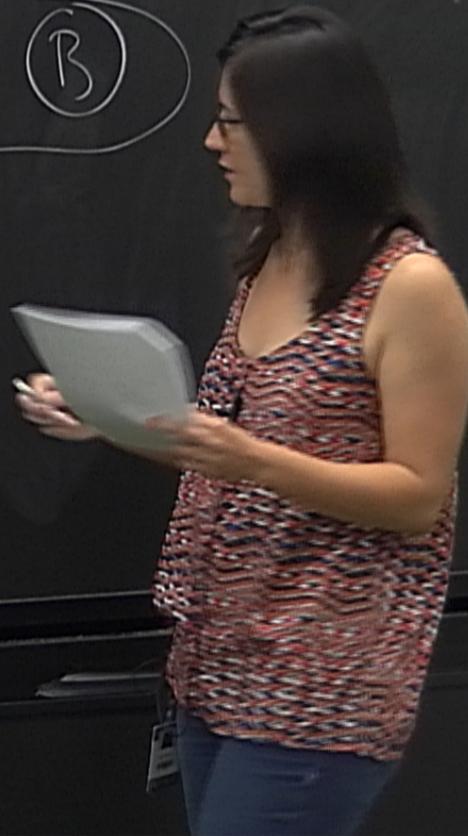
Reduced density operator.

ρ_A

Reduced density operator.



$$\rho^{AB} =$$

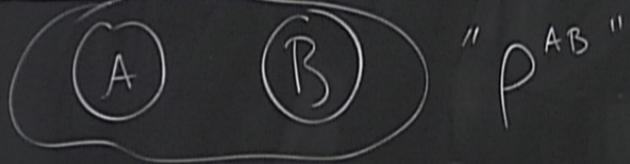


Reduced density operator.



density matrix

Reduced density operator.

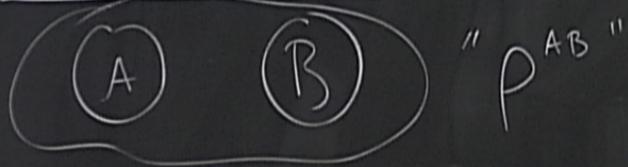


density matrix for "A"

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define partial tr

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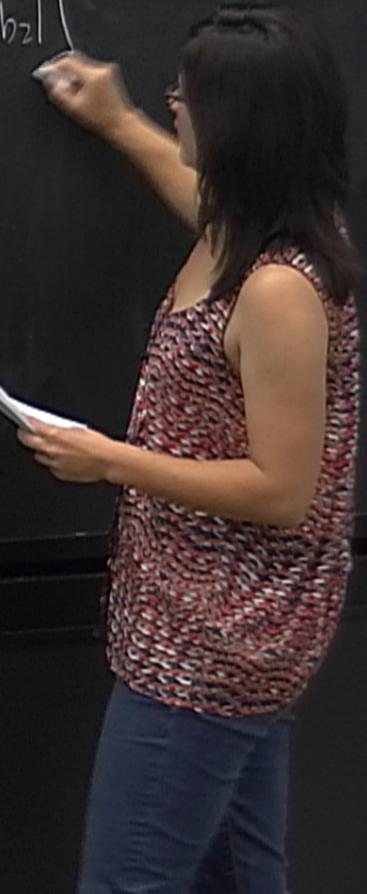
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$\sum |\alpha - \beta|$

partial trace:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Tr}_B[|a_1\rangle\langle a_2| \otimes |b_1\rangle\langle b_2|] &= |a_1\rangle\langle a_2| \text{Tr}[|b_1\rangle\langle b_2|] \\ &= |a_1\rangle\langle a_2| \langle b_2|b_1\rangle \end{aligned}$$

entangled triplet state

$$\rho^{AB} = |1,0\rangle\langle 1,0|$$

$$|\uparrow\downarrow X \downarrow\uparrow\rangle = |\uparrow X \downarrow\rangle \otimes |\downarrow X \uparrow\rangle$$

$$|\uparrow\downarrow X \downarrow\uparrow\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|\uparrow\downarrow\rangle + |\downarrow\uparrow\rangle)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \rho^A &= \text{Tr}_B[\rho^{AB}] \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \text{Tr}_B[|\uparrow\downarrow\rangle\langle\uparrow\downarrow|] + \text{Tr}_B[|\downarrow\uparrow\rangle\langle\downarrow\uparrow|] + \text{Tr}_B[|\uparrow\downarrow\rangle\langle\downarrow\uparrow|] \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + \text{Tr}_B[|\downarrow\uparrow\rangle\langle\uparrow\downarrow|] \right\}
 \end{aligned}$$

