

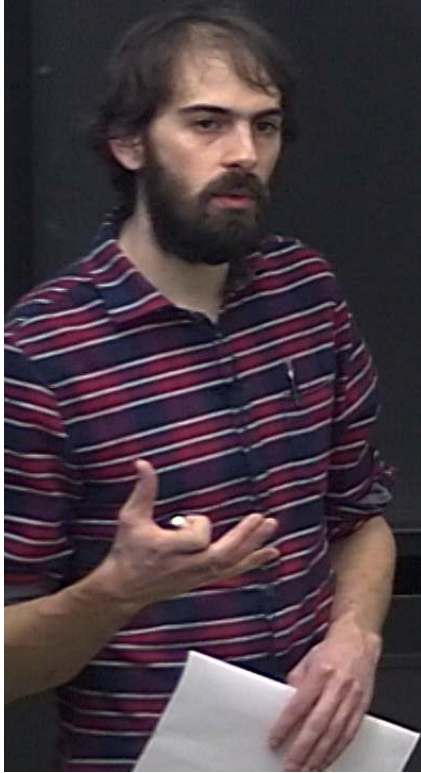
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Abstract:

Control of Quantum Systems



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"Quadrature Control"

Additional Considerations:

Power limit: $\|\vec{\alpha}(t)\| \leq A \quad t \in [0, T]$

Bandwidth limit: $\left\| \frac{d\vec{\alpha}}{dt} \right\| \leq B \quad \forall t \in [0, T]$

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$$\begin{aligned}
 U(\vec{\alpha}) &= T \exp\left(-i \int_0^T \left(0 + \frac{\pi}{T} \frac{1}{2} \sigma_x + 0\right) dt\right) \\
 &= \exp\left(-i \frac{\pi}{2} \sigma_x\right) = \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) \mathbb{I} - i \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) \sigma_x \\
 &= -i \sigma_x
 \end{aligned}$$

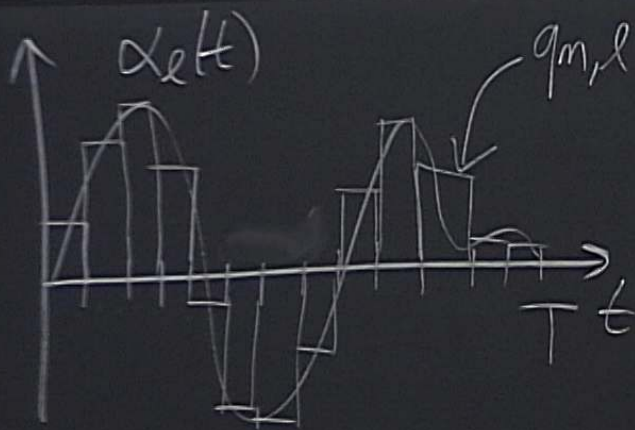
Numerical Optimal Control

Finding $\vec{\alpha}(t)$ which results in $U_{desired}$ is hard.

Thus we resort to numerics.

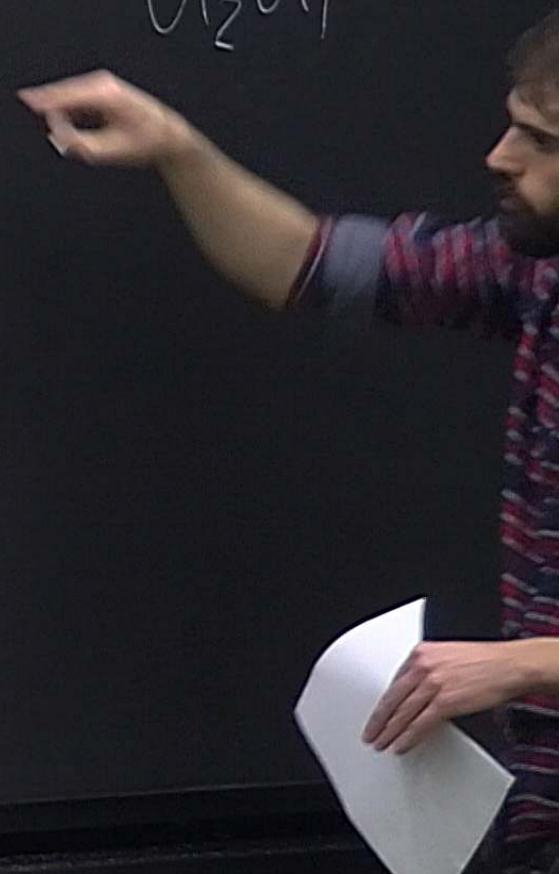
Discretize time domain $[0, T]$ into M steps length Δt .

Write $g_m = \alpha(t_m)$
for $(m-1)\delta t < t_m \leq m\delta t$.



$$U(\vec{\alpha}) \approx \prod_{m=1}^M \exp[-i \delta t (H_0 + \sum_{l=1}^L q_{ml} H_l)]$$

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$\underbrace{\hspace{15em}}_{U_m}$

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U_M

$\vec{\alpha}$
 $T \in$

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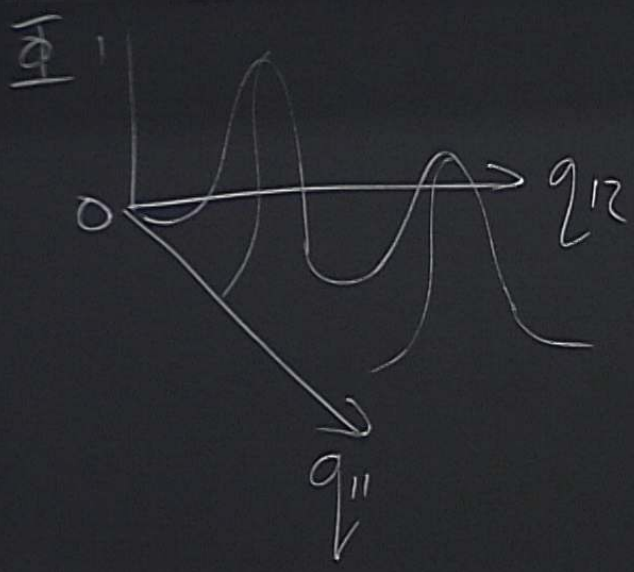
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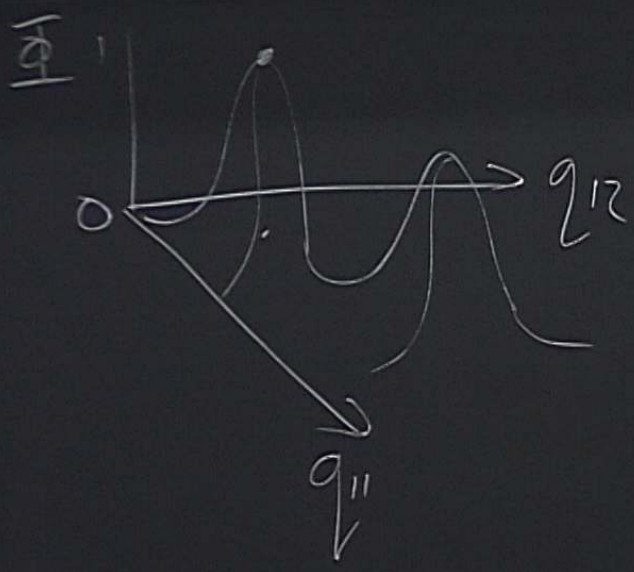
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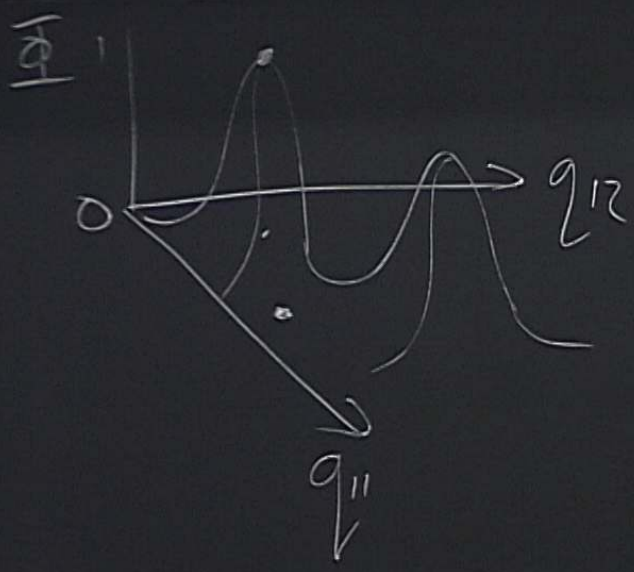
$$\Phi(\vec{q}) = \left| \frac{\text{Tr } U_{\text{desired}} U(\vec{q})}{d^k} \right| \in [0, 1] \quad \Phi(\vec{q}) = 1$$

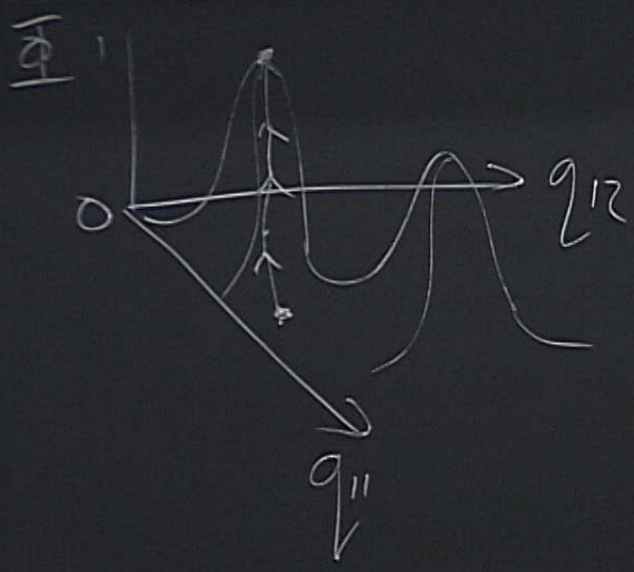
$$+ \sum_{l=1}^M g_{ml} \psi_l = U_M \dots U_2 U_1 = U(\vec{q})$$

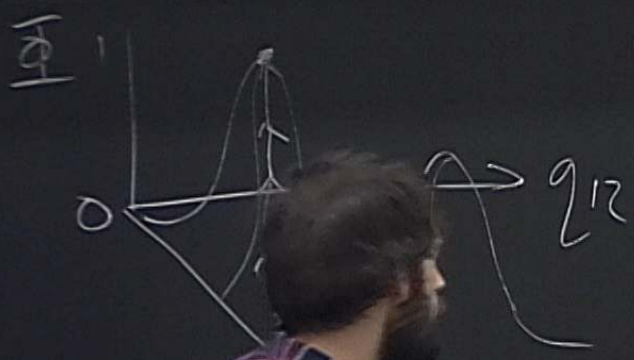
$$\Rightarrow \Phi(\vec{q}) = 1 \text{ iff } U(\vec{q}) = e^{i\phi} U_{\text{direct}}$$







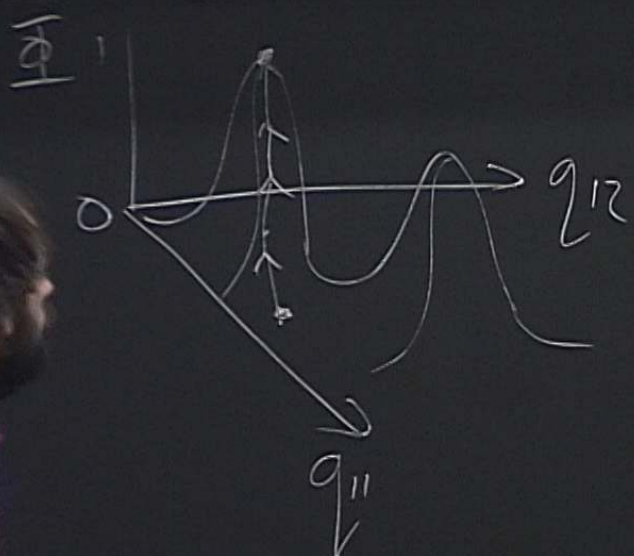




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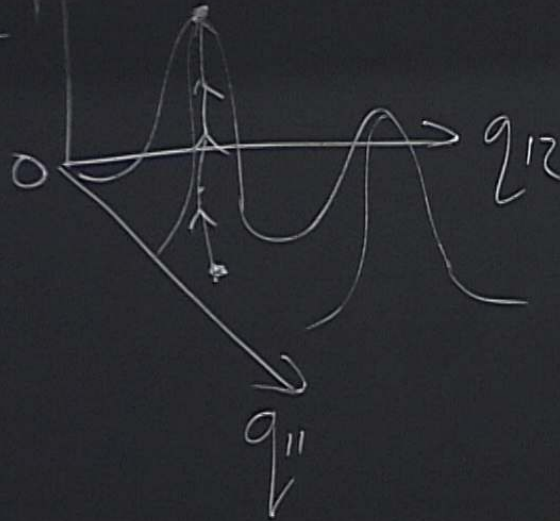
Set $\vec{q}_{k+1} = \vec{q}_k$



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$$\vec{\nabla} \Phi = \left(\frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial q_{ml}} \right)_{m=1, l=1}^{M, L}$$

For any m, l we can write

Sol'n Set $\alpha(t) = \left(\frac{\pi}{T}, 0\right)$ on $t \in [0, T]$

$$\begin{aligned}\Phi(\vec{q}) &= \frac{|\text{Tr } U_d^\dagger U(\vec{q})|^2}{d^2} = \frac{1}{d^2} \left| \text{Tr} \underbrace{U_d^\dagger U_M U_{M-1} + \dots + U_{m+1} U_m + \dots + U_2 U_1}_{P_m^\dagger X_m} \right|^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{d^2} (\text{Tr } P_m^\dagger X_m) (\text{Tr } X_m^\dagger P_m)\end{aligned}$$

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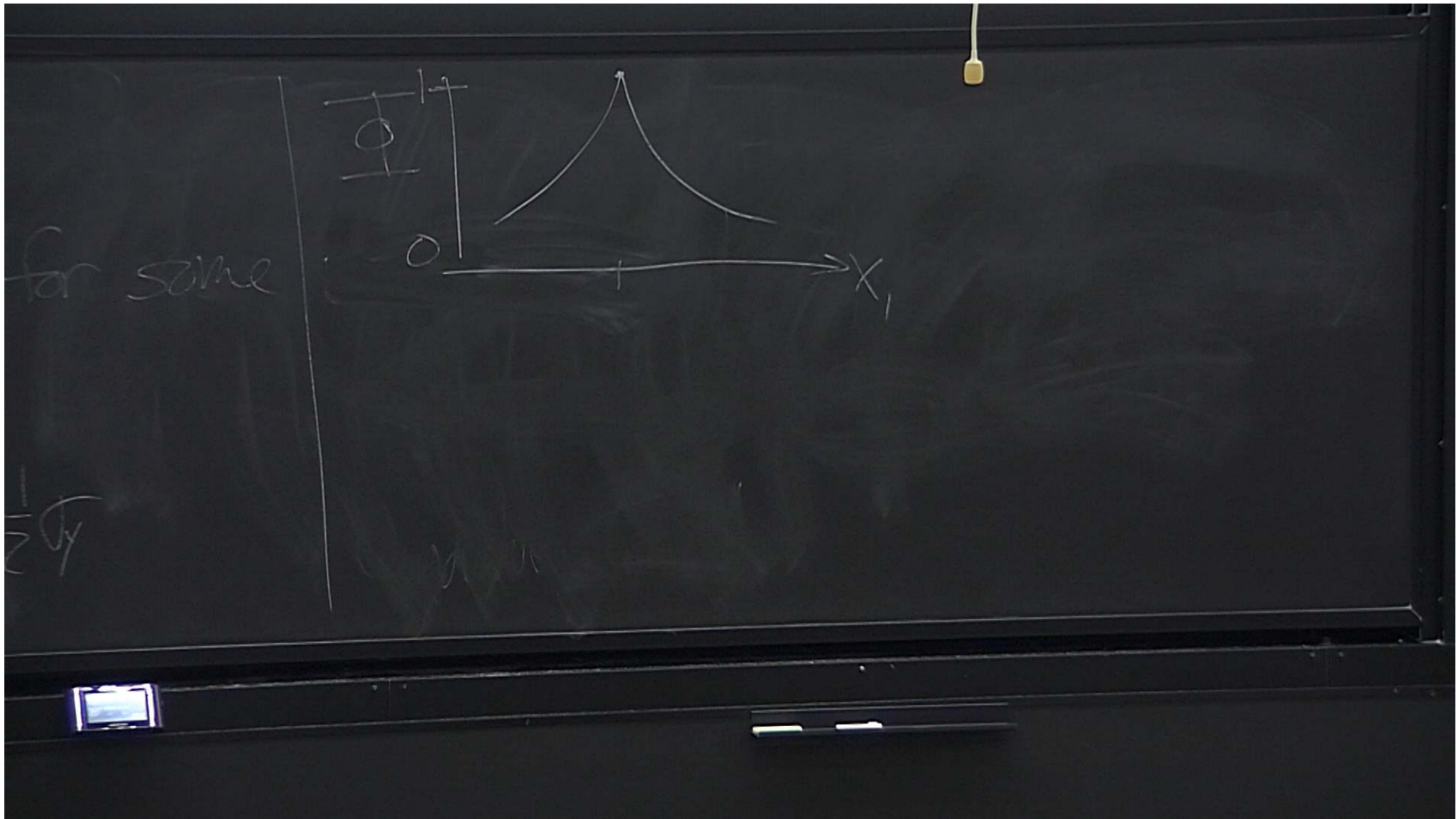
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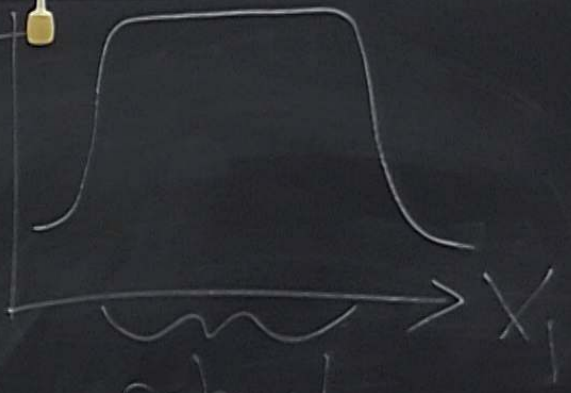
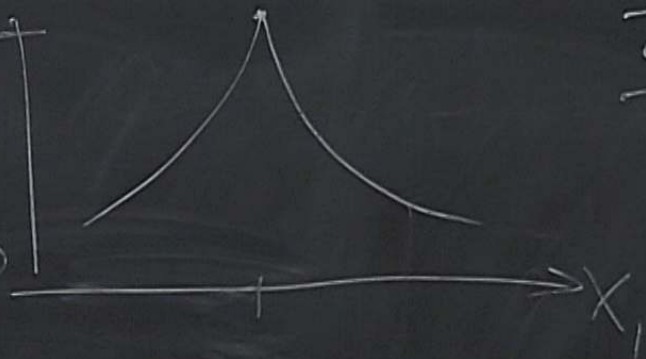
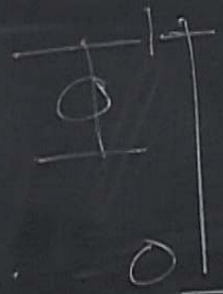
Robustness of Control

Suppose $H_l = H_l(\vec{x})$ $l=0, \dots, L$ for some vector of parameters \vec{x}

Ex $\vec{x} = (\delta w)$ $H_0 = \delta w \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$ $H_1 = \frac{1}{2} \sigma_x$ $H_2 = \frac{1}{2} \sigma_y$



for some



robustness
region

Encode our belief about the physical distribution
of \vec{x} as $Pr(\vec{x})$.

$$U(\vec{q}, \vec{x}) = \prod \exp$$

$$\text{Set } \Phi(\vec{q}, \vec{x}) = \frac{|\text{Tr} U_d^\dagger U(\vec{q}, \vec{x})|}{d^z}$$

distribution

$$p(\vec{x}) = \prod \exp(-i \delta t (H_0(\vec{x}) + \sum q_m e H_m(\vec{x})))$$

sical distribution

$$U(\vec{q}, \vec{x}) = T \exp(-i\beta(H_0(\vec{x}) + \sum q_m x_m H_c(\vec{x})))$$

$$\text{Set } \Phi(\vec{q}) = \mathbb{E}_{\vec{x}}[\Phi(\vec{q}, \vec{x})]$$

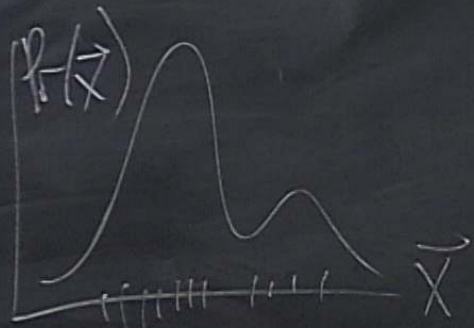
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