

High-order resummation of Bogoliubov many-body perturbation theory

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Ab initio approach to nuclear structure



Pushing ab initio requires computationally affordable many-body methods

→ What about perturbation theory (PT)?



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- Perturbation theory and its potential pitfalls
- Closed-shell many-body perturbation theory (MBPT)
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 - $_{\circ}~$ High-order behaviour
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No meaning in absolute *→* Perturbative with respect to what **starting point**?

Perturbation

$$\uparrow$$
Partitioning: $H = H_0 + H_1$
 \downarrow
Unperturbed problem
 \downarrow solvable, i.e., $H_0 |\Phi_n^{(0)}\rangle = E_n^{(0)} |\Phi_n^{(0)}\rangle$

" Can one find an approviate H_0 such that the eigenstate of H can be obtained from a perturbative expansion in powers of H_1 ?"

Two potential sources of non-perturbativeness



Infra-red (IR)

- Low energy ↔ long range
- Around Fermi surface
- Interaction: large scattering lengths

Ultra-violet (UV)

- High energy \leftrightarrow short range
- Low-to-high momentum coupling
- Interaction: hard core

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(Near) degenerate reference state



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Two potential sources of non-perturbativeness

(a,b)

Fermi surface IR Infra-red (IR) (i, j)Low energy \leftrightarrow long range Around Fermi surface $H^{[4]}$ UV Interaction: large scattering lengths [1] k'2 (fm-2) (Near) degenerate reference state 6 8 10 0 2 4 6 8 10 2 4 k² (fm⁻²) $\Delta E_{\rm F}$ **p**3/2 k² (fm⁻²) 2 Non-degenerate Near degenerate Degenerate 10 [1] (Closed shell) (Open shell)

Alter H_0 to account for static corralations

Ultra-violet (UV)

High energy \leftrightarrow short range

k² (fm⁻²)

 $\lambda = 3.0 \text{ fm}$

 $\lambda = 1.0 \text{ fm}^{-1}$

0.8

0.6 0.4 0.2 0 (fm)

-0.2

-0.4 -0.6

-0.8

[2]

- Low-to-high momentum coupling
- Interaction: hard core

 $\lambda = 2.0 \text{ fm}^{-1}$

Tamed by preprocessing $H \rightarrow SRG$ transformation

[1] A. Tichai et al., Front. Phys. 8:164 (2020) S. K. Bogner et al., Phys. Rev. C 75 (2007) [2]





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Formal perturbation theory

Partitioning

$$H = H_0 + H_1$$

$$\downarrow \text{ solvable, i.e., } H_0 |\Phi_n^{(0)}\rangle = E_n^{(0)} |\Phi_n^{(0)}\rangle$$

$$\downarrow \text{ Lowest: reference state } |\Phi\rangle$$

• Perturbative expansion is a **powers series** in H_1

$$|\Psi\rangle = |\Phi\rangle + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (RH_1)^k |\Phi\rangle_{\rm C}$$
$$E = \langle \Phi | H | \Psi \rangle = \langle \Phi | H | \Phi \rangle + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \langle \Phi | H_1 (RH_1)^k | \Phi \rangle_{\rm C}$$

where R is the **resolvent**. In Rayleigh-Schrödinger PT

$$R \equiv \sum_{n \neq 0} \frac{|\Phi_n^{(0)}\rangle \langle \Phi_n^{(0)}|}{E^{(0)} - E_n^{(0)}}$$

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MBPT formalism

Slater determinant reference state

$$|\Phi\rangle \equiv \prod_{i}^{A} c_{i}^{\dagger} |0\rangle$$

• **Partitioning** of *H* in normal-order wrt. $|\Phi\rangle$

$$\begin{split} H_0 &\equiv H^{0B} + \sum_p e_p : c_p^{\dagger} c_p : \\ H_1 &\equiv H^{1B} - \sum_p e_p : c_p^{\dagger} c_p : + H^{2B} \end{split}$$

• np-nh excitations of $|\Phi\rangle$ form **eigenbasis** of H_0

$$H_0|\Phi_{ij\cdots}^{ab\cdots}\rangle = H^{0B} + (e_a + e_b + \dots - e_i - e_j - \dots)|\Phi_{ij\cdots}^{ab\cdots}\rangle$$

• E.g. MBPT energy correction at second order

$$E^{(2)} = -\sum_{ai} \frac{H_{ai}H_{ia}}{e_a - e_i} - \frac{1}{4}\sum_{abij} \frac{H_{abij}H_{ijab}}{e_a + e_b - e_i - e_j}$$

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Convergence of MBPT: IR

• High-order obtained by iterative scheme restricted to small model space → exact diagonalization (NCSM) feasible



Adapting H_0 enabled to overcome IR divergence

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Convergence of MBPT: UV



• H_0 = Hartree-Fock

- → Faster convergence for softer interactions
- ➔ Oscillatory behaviour for hard interactions

Optimized H_0 combined with sufficient SRG softening \rightarrow well-controlled PT for closed-shell nuclei

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Extending MBPT for open-shell

• MBPT at second order



- More general class of H_0 to lift degeneracy
 - 1. Multi-reference
 - Multi-configurational perturbation theory (MCPT) ^[4]
 - Projected generator coordinate method with PT (PGCM-PT) ^[5]
 - 2. Symmetry breaking

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- Singly-open shell: particle-number symmetry, U(1) → Bogoliubov vacuum state
- Doubly-open shell: rotational symmetry, SU(2) -> Deformed Slater determinant / Bogoliubov vacuum

[1] A. Tichai et al., Front. Phys. 8:164 (2020)
[4] Z. Rolik et al., J. Chem. Phys. 119 (2003)
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Bogoliubov vacuum state

Quasi-particle operators defined via unitary Bogoliubov transformation

$$\beta_k = \sum_p U_{pk}^* c_p + V_{pk}^* c_p^\dagger$$

Bogoliubov vacuum

$$|\Phi\rangle \equiv \mathcal{C} \prod_k \beta_k |0\rangle$$

• Breaks particle-number symmetry

$$\hat{A}|\Phi\rangle \neq A|\Phi\rangle$$

• Grand potential operator Ω normal ordered wrt. $|\Phi\rangle$

$$\Omega \equiv H - \lambda A = \Omega^{00} + \Omega^{20} + \Omega^{11} + \Omega^{02} + \Omega^{40} + \Omega^{31} + \dots + \Omega^{60} + \dots$$

where e.g.

$$\Omega^{31} \equiv \frac{1}{3! \ 1!} \sum_{k_1 k_2 k_3 k_4} \Omega^{31}_{k_1 k_2 k_3 k_4} \beta^{\dagger}_{k_1} \beta^{\dagger}_{k_2} \beta^{\dagger}_{k_3} \beta^{\dagger}_{k_3} \beta_{k_4}$$



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Hartree-Fock-Bogoliubov

- Hartree-Fock-Bogoliubov extends HF and minimizes energy over manifold of Bogoliubov states
- Minimization under **constraint** of $\langle \Phi | A | \Phi \rangle = A_0$

$$\frac{\delta}{\delta |\Phi\rangle} \left(\frac{\langle \Phi | H | \Phi \rangle}{\langle \Phi | \Phi \rangle} - \lambda \frac{\langle \Phi | (A - A_0) | \Phi \rangle}{\langle \Phi | \Phi \rangle} \right) = 0$$

• Boils down to self-consistent diagonalization of HFB Hamiltonian matrix

HF field
$$\begin{pmatrix} h-\lambda & \Delta \\ -\Delta^* & -(h-\lambda)^* \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} U_k \\ V_k \end{pmatrix} = E_k \begin{pmatrix} U_k \\ V_k \end{pmatrix}$$

pairing field Quasi-particle energies: $E_k \ge \Delta_F > 0$

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Bogoliubov many-body perturbation theory [6,7]

Partitioning

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$$\Omega_0 \equiv \Omega^{00} + \sum_k E_k \beta_k^{\dagger} \beta_k$$

$$\Omega_1 \equiv \Omega^{20} + (\Omega^{11} - \sum_k E_k \beta_k^{\dagger} \beta_k) + \Omega^{02} + \Omega^{40} + \Omega^{31} + \cdots$$

• 2n-quasiparticle excitations of $|\Phi\rangle$ form **eigenbasis** of Ω_0

$$\Omega_0 |\Phi^{k_1 k_2 \dots}\rangle = \Omega^{00} + (E_{k_1} + E_{k_2} + \dots) |\Phi^{k_1 k_2 \dots}\rangle$$

• E.g. **BMBPT** at second order

$$E^{(2)} = -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{k_1 k_2} \frac{\Omega_{k_1 k_2}^{20} \Omega_{k_1 k_2}^{02}}{E_{k_1} + E_{k_2}} - \frac{1}{24} \sum_{k_1 k_2 k_3 k_4} \frac{\Omega_{k_1 k_2 k_3 k_4}^{40} \Omega_{k_1 k_2 k_3 k_4}^{04}}{E_{k_1} + E_{k_2} + E_{k_3} + E_{k_4}} \longrightarrow 0$$

- Perturbative expansion under **constraint** $\langle A \rangle = A_0$ at each order
 - Similar in spirit to MBPT-based orbital-dependent DFT^[8]
 - Different strategies to implement this constraint, e.g. redefinition of $|\Phi\rangle$ and/or λ at each order in PT ^[9,10]
 - No correction at BMBPT(2) when using HFB reference state

[7] P. Arthuis et al., Comput. Phys. Commun. 240 (2019)

9) [10] PD, A.Tichai, T. Duguet (2023), to be submitted **KU LEUVEN**





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Low-order BMBPT results

- BMBPT(2) compared to non-perturbative many-body methods
 - VS-IMSRG(2)
 - BCCSD
- BMBPT(2) in very good agreement at fraction of the cost
- Low-order BMBPT great workhorse for sufficiently soft interactions
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High-order BMBPT

- Investigate high-order behaviour in small model space
 → allowing exact diagonalization (BCI)
- Use all tricks of closed-shell MBPT
 - o SRG-softening to tackle UV
 - o HFB partitioning to treat IR
- Particle number constrained at each order
- Closed shell (BMBPT → MBPT) convergent behaviour
- Open shell, Taylor series diverges
- First idea, Padé resummation



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Padé resummation

- Based on rational function approximation instead of simple polynomial
- Can incorporate poles in complex plane \rightarrow larger domain of convergence

Taylor: $f(x) = \sum_{i=0}^{P} c_i x^i + O(x^{P+1})$

Padé:
$$f(x)$$

$$f(x) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{M} p_i x^i}{1 + \sum_{i=1}^{N} q_i x^i} + O(x^{M+N})$$





Padé resummation

- Padé approximants show erratic behavior
 - Due to particle number constraint
 - $\circ~$ Eventually do approach the exact limit when $P\sim 30$
 - Rely on some a priori analytic knowledge of underlying expansion



Padé resummation not reliably applicable in this BMBPT context





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Resumming PT with EC [12,13]

Parameter-dependent partitioning

 $H(c) \equiv H_0 + c H_1$

- There exists a regime $0 \le c \le c_e < 1$ where solving the many-body problem is easier than at c = 1
- The eigenvectors of H(c) visit a low-dimensional subspace when varying $\,c\,$

1) Solve for $N_{\rm EC}$ auxiliary states (training points) $|\Psi(c_i)\rangle, i=0,\ldots,N_{\rm EC}$ associated with $H(c_i), c_i \in [0,c_e]$

2) Construct and compute eigenstates of $N_{\rm EC} \times N_{\rm EC}$ matrix $\langle \Psi(c_j) | H(1) | \Psi(c_i) \rangle$

• State associated to $H(c_i)$ at order P in PT

$$|\Psi_P(c_i)\rangle \equiv \sum_{p=0}^P c_i{}^p |\Phi^{(p)}\rangle$$

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Linear transformation

$$\begin{pmatrix} |\Psi_{P}(c_{1})\rangle \\ |\Psi_{P}(c_{2})\rangle \\ \vdots \\ |\Psi_{P}(c_{N_{\mathrm{EC}}})\rangle \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & c_{1} & c_{1}^{2} & \cdots & c_{1}^{P} \\ 1 & c_{2} & c_{2}^{2} & \cdots & c_{2}^{P} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & c_{N_{\mathrm{EC}}} & c_{N_{\mathrm{EC}}}^{2} & \cdots & c_{N_{\mathrm{EC}}}^{P} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} |\Phi^{(0)}\rangle \\ |\Phi^{(1)}\rangle \\ |\Phi^{(2)}\rangle \\ \vdots \\ |\Phi^{(P)}\rangle \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\operatorname{span}\{|\Psi_P(c_i)\rangle; i=1,\cdots,N_{\mathrm{EC}}\}=\operatorname{span}\{|\Phi^{(p)}\rangle; p=0,\cdots,P\}$$

• Construct and compute eigenstates $(P+1) \times (P+1)$ matrix $\langle \Phi^{(p)} | H | \Phi^{(q)} \rangle$

 \rightarrow Access to excited states^[14] \rightarrow Talk by Margarida tomorrow



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EC-resumed BMBPT

- EC yields rapidly convergent BMBPT expansion
- EC is variational → monotonic convergence from above



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→ Does EC improve also closed-shell MBPT?

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EC-resumed closed-shell MBPT

- Note: very different scale !
- EC accelerates convergence significantly, outperforming Padé

→ Is EC capable resumming divergent closed-shell MBPT?







EC-resumed MBPT: ³H



- HO partitioning
- No SRG softening (left panels)

- → EC is able to overcome both IR and UV sources of divergence
- ➔ Padé performs as well as EC



Conclusion

- Perturbative expansions may face IR and UV sources of divergence
- Closed-shell MBPT
 - IR tackled by using the HF reference state
 - UV treated by SRG softening
 - EC overcomes both UV & IR and delivers rapid convergence
- Open-shell BMBPT
 - Low-orders give reliable results
 - High-orders diverge, even with SRG & HFB tricks
 - o EC elegantly achieves convergence
- Outlook
 - EC for excited states → talk by Margarida
 - EC-BMBPT in realistic model spaces?
 - All tools available



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Padé approximants



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Particle number constraint

• Method used in this study: counteract particle-number shift by compansating with the reference state



• Other strategies are possible

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