MP 1: Quantum Mechanics

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MP 1.1 Di 8:30 JUR H

Linear phase-space representations of quantum mechanics with minimal uncertainty in position — \bullet Edmund Menge¹ and Hajo Leschke² — ¹Uni Mainz — ²Uni Erlangen

Quantum mechanics with a non-zero uncertainty in position can be generated by a one-parameter generalisation of the canonical commutation relation of ordinary quantum mechanics. This generalisation may be, for example, used in "Quantum Loop Gravity". For such a quantum mechanics with non-zero uncertainty in position a class of linear phase-space representations is defined, covering the well known phase space representation of Weyl, Wigner and Moyal as a limiting case. Applying the Lie-Trotter formula, these representations lead to a transcription of the new Schrödinger-Semigroup as a sequence of finitedimensional integrals. These integrals can be informally be interpreted as a phase-space path integral.

MP 1.2 Di 8:55 JUR H

Lower bounds for atomic ground state energies via the Feynman-Kac formula — •HANS KONRAD KNÖRR¹ and HAJO LESCHKE² — ¹Universität Mainz, Germany — ²Universität Erlangen, Germany

We consider a system of an atomic nucleus and electrons which are coupled by a pure Coulomb interaction. The ground state energy of this system can be calculated as a low temperature limit of a term that is written as a (conditioned) Wiener integral via the Feynman-Kac formula. Using this as a starting point we follow an idea of A. Debiard and B. Gaveau (Math. Phys. An. Geom. 3, 91-100 (2000)) to derive a lower bound to the energy spectrum. The supremum of the integrand of the Wiener integral can be estimated by applying some methods from Stochastic Analysis, e.g. the Birkhoff-Chintchine ergodic theorem. The obtained lower bound to the ground state energy is very precise for small electron numbers.