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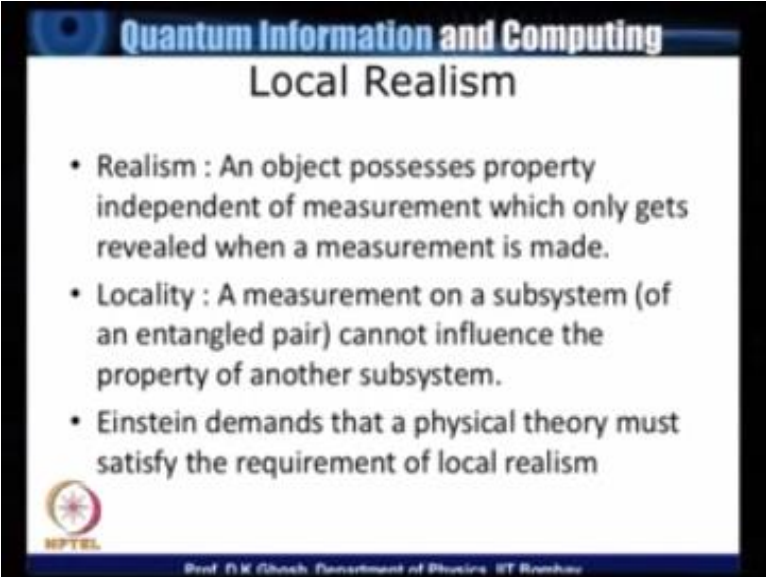
**Modul No.07**

**Lecture No.39**

**EPR and Bell's Inequalities=II**


In the last lecture we introduced you to what is known as Einstein Podolsky and Rosen paradox in short the EPR paradox and just to give you take you back to the last lecture.

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**Local Realism**

- **Realism** : An object possesses property independent of measurement which only gets revealed when a measurement is made.
- **Locality** : A measurement on a subsystem (of an entangled pair) cannot influence the property of another subsystem.
- Einstein demands that a physical theory must satisfy the requirement of local realism

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We said the Einstein insisted that an object must possess a property independent on the process of measurement while the quantum mechanics is said that it is during a measurement that the particle acquire a property there were two elements 1) realism and the second one is locality so we said that a measurement on a part of a system for instance in our case the entangled pair cannot influence the property of another system another subsystem if they are well separated physical and Einstein demands that any acceptable physical theory.

Must satisfy the requirement of this dual property of locality and reality we then introduced a person due to David Bohm which talked about a particle of spin zero disintegrating into two spin half particles and then of course because of conservation of angular momentum the state of the particle must be that of a singlet.

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**Bohm's version of EPR**

- A composite system which has spin zero which decays into two spin half particles.

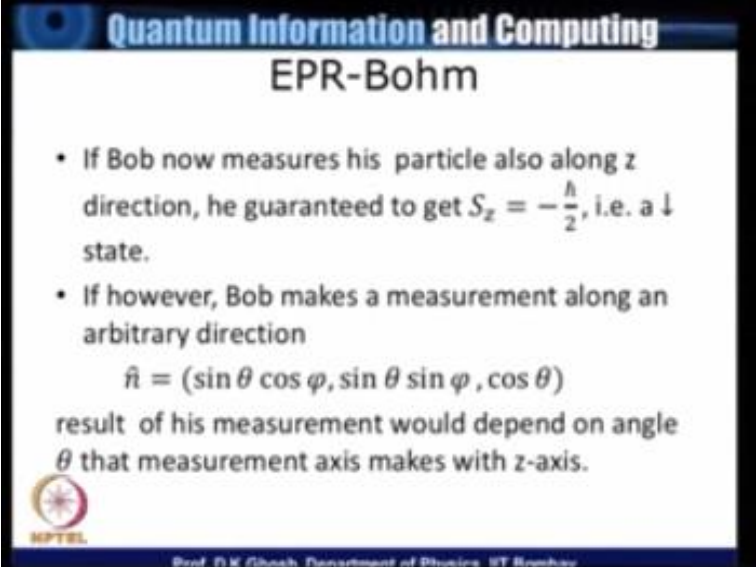
Since the angular momentum is conserved, the two particles would be in a singlet state ( $S=0$ ) after decay

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

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And that is given by  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$  up down minus down up which is another way of writing  $|01\rangle - |10\rangle$  in our qubit model.

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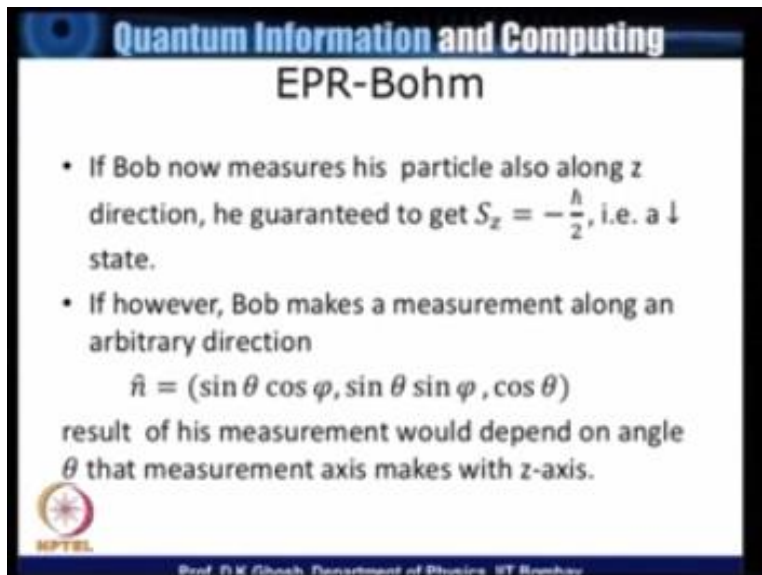
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**EPR-Bohm**

- If Bob now measures his particle also along z direction, he guaranteed to get  $S_z = -\frac{\hbar}{2}$ , i.e. a  $\downarrow$  state.
- If however, Bob makes a measurement along an arbitrary direction  
 $\hat{n} = (\sin \theta \cos \varphi, \sin \theta \sin \varphi, \cos \theta)$   
result of his measurement would depend on angle  $\theta$  that measurement axis makes with z-axis.

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Then we said that if bob is to measure the particle also along z direction if Ali's had measure her particle that is particle number 1 along the direction and got as the difficult to  $\hbar/2$  bob is guaranteed to get is an equal to minus  $\hbar$  cross wait that is a down state in other words there is perfect anti correlation between LSS measurement and Bob's measurement even though that to our measuring on two different particular now let us look at what happens in Bob instead of measuring along the z direction decides to make a measurement along and arbitrary angle  $\theta$  ith the red access the usual  $\theta\varphi$  coordinate in the spherical coordinate system.

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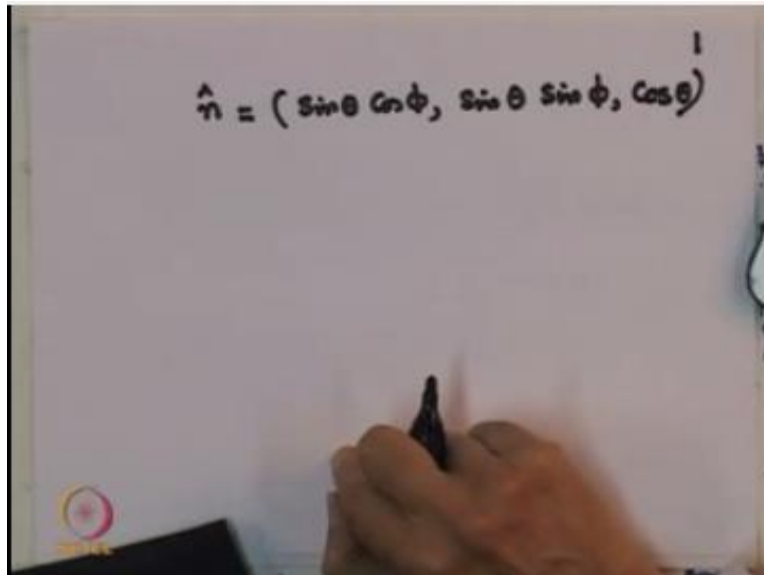
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So we have an n arbitrary direction n.

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$$\hat{n} = (\sin\theta \cos\phi, \sin\theta \sin\phi, \cos\theta)$$

Which is given by the Cartesian component  $\sin\theta \cos\phi$ ,  $\sin\theta \sin\phi$  and  $\cos\theta$  now we will show that though the anti correlation that exists now is not perfect in the sense if I got +1 Bob would get minus 1 and vice versa there is still some correlation between the two measurements and in order to do that.

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**EPR - Bohm's version**

- $|n, +\rangle = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \frac{\theta}{2} \\ e^{i\varphi} \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \end{pmatrix}, |n, -\rangle = \begin{pmatrix} \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \\ -e^{i\varphi} \cos \frac{\theta}{2} \end{pmatrix}$
- $|z, -\rangle = \sin \frac{\theta}{2} |n, +\rangle - \cos \frac{\theta}{2} |n, -\rangle$
- Bob will measure  $S_z = -\hbar/2$  with a probability  $\cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2}$ .

 The measurements are still correlated!

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Recall that if Bob's measurement is taken along the arbitrary n direction.

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$$\hat{n} = (\sin\theta \cos\phi, \sin\theta \sin\phi, \cos\theta)$$

$$|\hat{n}, +\rangle = e^{i\phi/2} \begin{pmatrix} \cos\frac{\theta}{2} e^{-i\phi/2} \\ \sin\frac{\theta}{2} e^{i\phi/2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|\hat{n}, -\rangle = e^{i\phi/2} \begin{pmatrix} \sin\frac{\theta}{2} e^{-i\phi/2} \\ -\cos\frac{\theta}{2} e^{i\phi/2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|\hat{z}, -1\rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \sin\frac{\theta}{2} |\hat{n}, +\rangle - \cos\frac{\theta}{2} |\hat{n}, -\rangle$$

Then the eigen state of sigma n having an eigen value + 1 is given by as we wrote down  $e^{i\phi/2} \cos\theta/2 \times e^{-i\phi/2}$  this is a symmetric way of writing and we will always ignore this overall global factor  $\sin\theta/2 e^{i\phi/2}$  and the eigenvector corresponding to - 1 eigen value is given by  $e^{i\phi/2} \sin\theta/2 e^{-i\phi/2}$  and  $\cos\theta/2$  which  $e^{i\phi/2}$  now notice my Sigma z if I am looking at the eigen value of Sigma z corresponding to  $z = -1$  Sigma z the eigen value corresponding to -1 along the z direction let me indicate it by like this.


Now that is we have seen is 0 1 state now since we said that if bob had to measure it is along the z direction he would get - 1 so he would get this state now you can it is a trivial algebra to show that this happens to be  $\sin\theta/2 |n, +\rangle - \cos\theta/2 |n, -\rangle$  mine now you can immediately see what it tells me that is Bob will measure the  $SZ = -\hbar/2$  with the probability  $\cos^2$  then other words the measurements are still coil it.

Though there is no perfect anti correlation as would be the case if Bob were to make his measurement also along the z direction.

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### Rival points of view

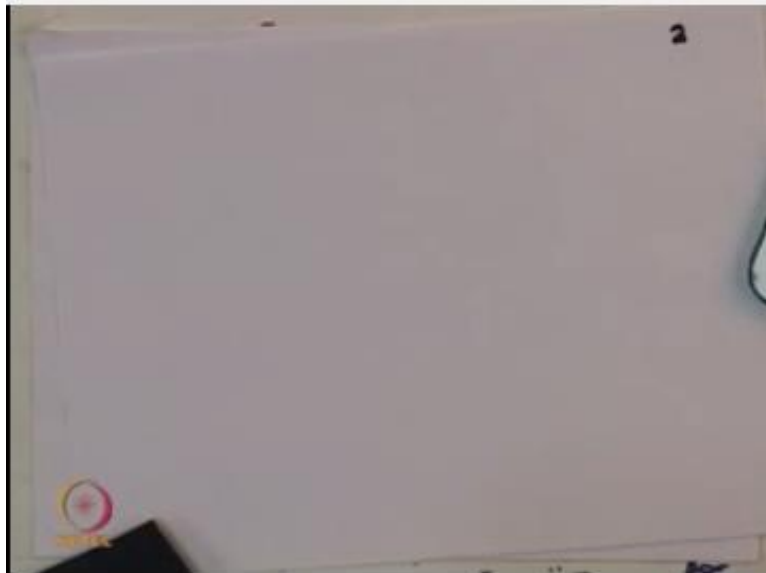
- Quantum Mechanics : A particle does not have properties independent of observation, quantum mechanics gives probabilities.
- Hidden Variables : The property of the system, though revealed during a measurement was pre-ordained as it was encoded in some hidden variables.

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So we had seen the conflicting point of view which is summarized in this slide but since I had discussed it earlier i am not going to go through it.

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Now we said.

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### Bell's (gedanken) Experiment

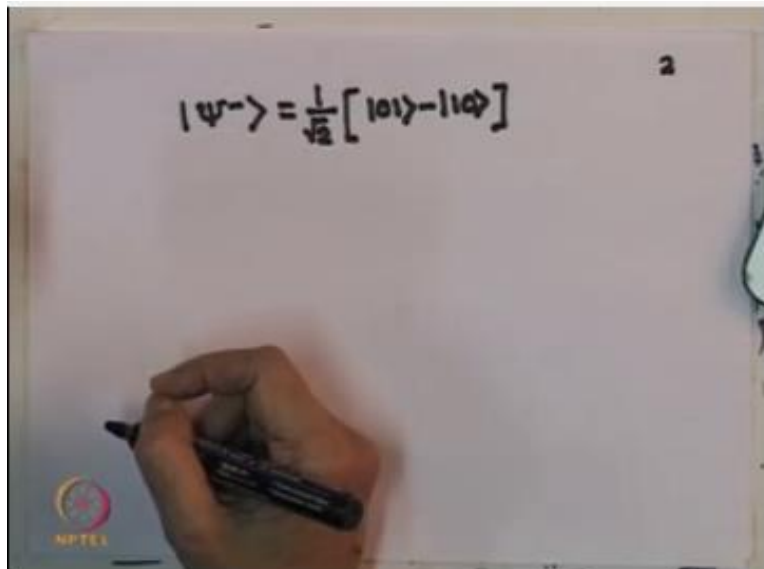
- Consider Bell state :  $|\psi^-\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|01\rangle - |10\rangle)$
- It can be verified that  $(\sigma_i^A + \sigma_i^B)|\psi^-\rangle = 0$  so that one can replace  $\sigma_i^B$  acting on particle 2 by  $-\sigma_i^A$  acting on particle 1.

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That bells made a gate and connection and for that let us consider the same stage only thing is I will not write as up down-down up but I will write this as.

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$$|\Psi^{-}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [ |01\rangle - |10\rangle ]$$


The state  $\Psi - 1$  of the four Bell States which is equal to  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|01\rangle - |10\rangle)$  now I proved it last time that if Alice is to make a measurement on particle number one and bob is to make a measurement on particle number two.

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### Bell's (gedanken) Experiment

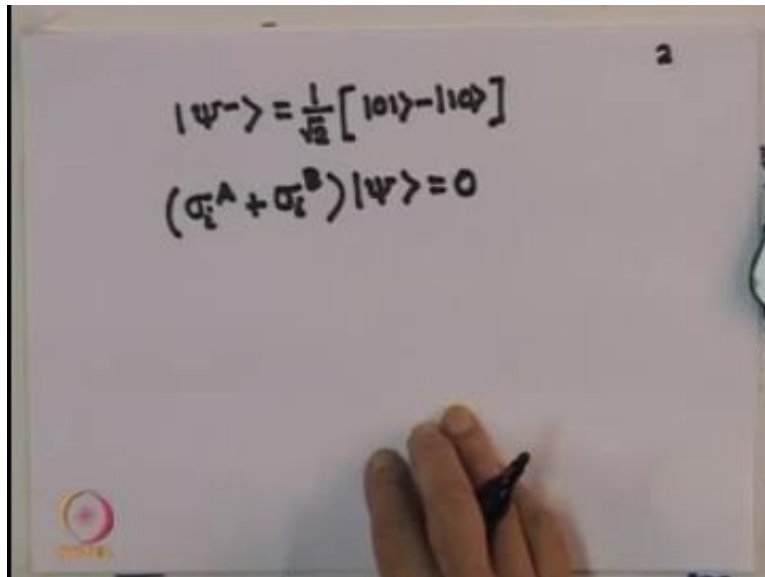
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Then as long as they make a measurement along the same direction it does not have to be that direction along any direction then this quantity.

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$$|\Psi^-\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [ |01\rangle - |10\rangle ]$$
$$(\sigma_i^A + \sigma_i^B) |\Psi\rangle = 0$$


$\sigma_i^A + \sigma_i^B$  acting on the state side gives me you which means that  $\sigma_i^A$  active on  $\Psi$  is the same as  $\sigma_i^B$  acting on side now what does it actually mean it means that if I have an operator  $\sigma_i^B$  and which is acting on particle number two I can equivalently replace it with  $\sigma_i^A$  on particle number one and that is what is shown in this slide.

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### Bell's (gedanken) Experiment

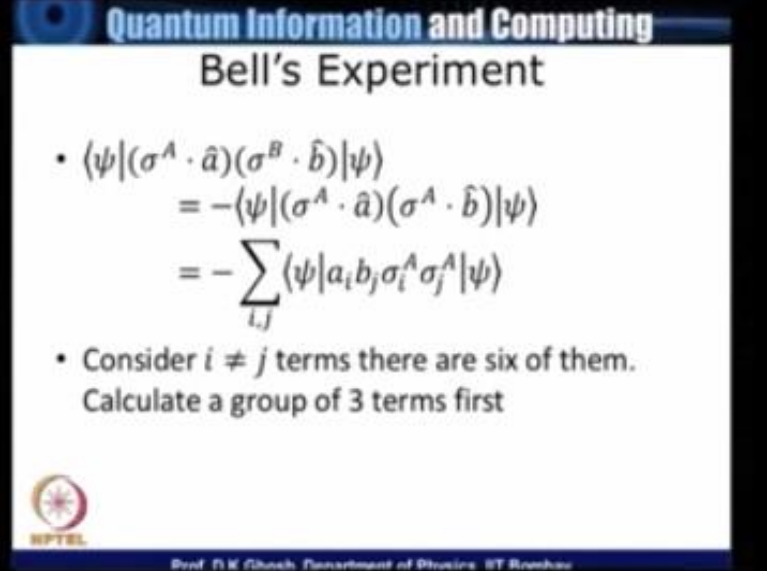
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Now let us look at.

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**Bell's Experiment**

- $\langle \psi | (\sigma^A \cdot \hat{a}) (\sigma^B \cdot \hat{b}) | \psi \rangle$   
=  $-\langle \psi | (\sigma^A \cdot \hat{a}) (\sigma^A \cdot \hat{b}) | \psi \rangle$   
=  $-\sum_{i,j} \langle \psi | a_i b_j \sigma_i^A \sigma_j^A | \psi \rangle$
- Consider  $i \neq j$  terms there are six of them.  
Calculate a group of 3 terms first

  
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This quantity so we are looking at.



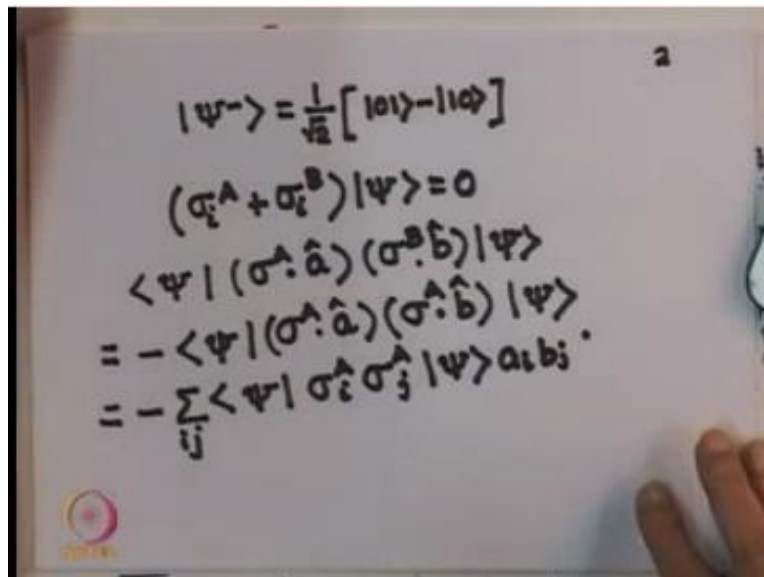
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$$\begin{aligned}
 |\psi^-\rangle &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [ |01\rangle - |10\rangle ] \\
 (\sigma_i^A + \sigma_i^B) |\psi^-\rangle &= 0 \\
 \langle \psi^- | (\sigma^A \cdot \hat{a}) (\sigma^B \cdot \hat{b}) | \psi^- \rangle & \\
 &= - \langle \psi^- | (\sigma^A \cdot \hat{a}) (\sigma^A \cdot \hat{b}) | \psi^- \rangle \\
 &= - \sum_{ij} \langle \psi^- | \sigma_i^A \sigma_j^A | \psi^- \rangle a_i b_j .
 \end{aligned}$$

What is the expectation value of  $\Psi$  inside in the state  $\Psi$  if Alice is to make her measurement along an arbitrary direction  $\hat{a}$  and Bob is to make his measurement along a unit vector direction  $\hat{b}$ . What is this quantity now according to what we said just now this is equal to  $-\sum_{ij} \langle \Psi | \sigma_i^A \sigma_j^A | \Psi \rangle a_i b_j$ .

So I do not refer to Bob any longer now expressing the dot products I get this as  $\sum_{ij} \langle \Psi | \sigma_i^A \sigma_j^A | \Psi \rangle a_i b_j$  and of course multiplied with  $a_i b_j$  this is my quantity that I get now let us actually take a bit of a time in calculating this quantity what is this but first there are several terms.

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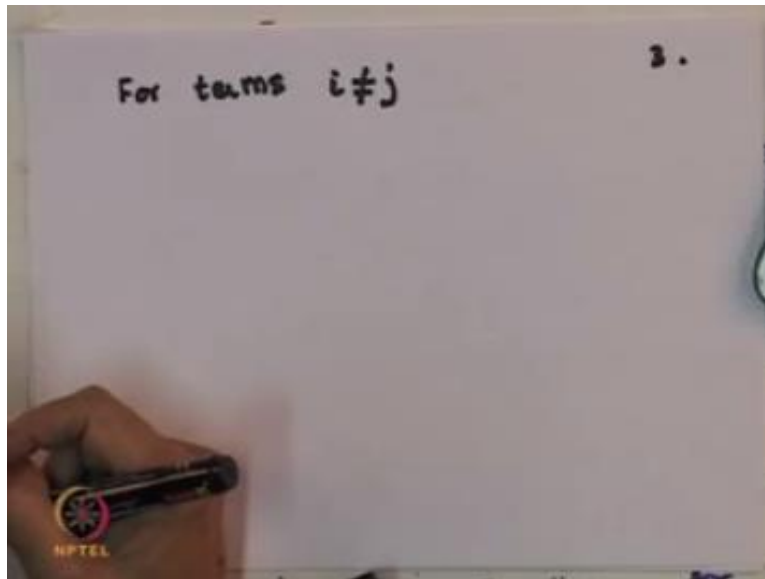


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$$= - \langle \psi | (\sigma^A \cdot \hat{a}) (\sigma^A \cdot \hat{b}) | \psi \rangle$$
$$= - \sum_{ij} \langle \psi | \sigma_i^A \sigma_j^A | \psi \rangle a_i b_j$$

Here but let me try to see to be precise there are nine terms there let me see what are the off diagonal government namely terms for which I is not equal.

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So for terms  $i$  not equal to there are six terms now I would like to group them into two pairs of three terms each so let me look at.

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For terms  $i \neq j$  3.

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \leftarrow \psi = | \langle \sigma_x^A \sigma_y^A + \sigma_x^B \sigma_y^B \rangle \\
 & - \langle \psi | \sigma_x^A \sigma_y^A + \sigma_x^A \sigma_z^A + \sigma_y^A \sigma_z^A | \psi \rangle \\
 & = - \left[ \langle 01 | - \langle 10 | \rangle \sigma_x^A \sigma_y^A (| 10 \rangle - | 10 \rangle) \right. \\
 & \quad + \langle 01 | - \langle 10 | \rangle \sigma_x^A \sigma_z^A (| 10 \rangle - | 10 \rangle) \\
 & \quad \left. + \langle 01 | - \langle 10 | \rangle \sigma_y^A \sigma_z^A (| 10 \rangle - | 10 \rangle) \right].
 \end{aligned}$$

The following quantity  $\sigma_x^A \sigma_y^A + \sigma_x^B \sigma_y^B$  sorry this is  $\sigma_y$  let me cut this out  $\sigma_x^A \sigma_y^A + \sigma_x^A \sigma_z^A + \sigma_y^A \sigma_z^A$  all of them refer to a because we have replaced it with the  $-\Psi$  now let us look at this calculation not all that time consuming calculation so this is - so I had  $01 - 10$  this is the bra and so let us take this term so I get  $\sigma_x^A \sigma_y^A$  acting on  $01 - 10 +$  the same bra  $\sigma_x^A \sigma_z^A$  yes mid a get me down there is nothing being done other than routine algebra now look at that remember what  $\sigma_x$  does  $\sigma_x$  simply manages to flip 0 to 1 and 1 to 0.  $\sigma_y$  does essentially the same so but  $\sigma_y$  acting on a 0.

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For terms  $i \neq j$  3.

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \langle \psi | (\sigma_x^A \sigma_y^A + \sigma_y^B \sigma_x^B) | \psi \rangle \\
 &= - \langle \psi | \sigma_x^A \sigma_y^A + \sigma_x^A \sigma_z^A + \sigma_y^A \sigma_z^A | \psi \rangle \\
 &= - \left[ (\langle 01 | - \langle 10 |) \sigma_x^A \sigma_y^A (|01\rangle - |10\rangle) \right. \\
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 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sigma_y |0\rangle &= i |1\rangle \\
 \sigma_y |1\rangle &= -i |0\rangle
 \end{aligned}$$

$\sigma_y$  acting on a 0 gives you  $i$  times 1 there is a phase factor there and  $\sigma_y$  acting on a 1 you have to be careful it is  $-i$  times. Now that tells me that this term that is there.

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For terms  $i \neq j$

$$\langle \Psi | \sigma_x^A \sigma_y^A + \sigma_x^B \sigma_y^B + \sigma_x^A \sigma_z^A + \sigma_y^A \sigma_z^A | \Psi \rangle$$

$$= - [ (\langle 01 | - \langle 10 |) \sigma_x^A \sigma_z^A (|01\rangle - |10\rangle) + (\langle 01 | - \langle 10 |) \sigma_y^A \sigma_z^A (|01\rangle - |10\rangle) ]$$

$$= - [ (\langle 01 | - \langle 10 |) (i|01\rangle + i|10\rangle) \sigma_y^A |0\rangle = i|i\rangle + i|-i|0\rangle + \dots ] = 0$$

So notice what is happening here  $\sigma_Y$  remember all of them are acting on the first particle and I have to put them in the order in which they appear so in this case the  $\sigma_Y^A$  acting on 0 gives me i times 1,  $\sigma_X$  flips it back so therefore other than for this state flipping from 0 to 1 back to 0 I have simply collected a factor i. Now let us look at this, here also the same thing happen, so look at what am I getting here, so I get again the  $\sigma_Y^A$  acting on this state and so this will give me -sign is already there.

$[(\langle 01 | - \langle 10 |)$  into as we said  $(i|01\rangle + i|10\rangle)$  because that was the  $-i|0\rangle$  okay, now look at what this actually is this state 01 is of course the same as this state 01, so I get a factor i but 10 is orthogonal to 01 so I get 0. But this, this state is the same as this state but there is a -sign here so i get a  $-i$ , so  $i - i$  I get 0. Now these states are much more straightforward, in his case so this is I will write down the second and the third term earlier so this term as we have seen is  $i - i$  so that is equal to.

Now if you look at this term  $\sigma_z$  acting on 0 does nothing to it, but  $\sigma_x$  acting on 0 after that changes this 0 to 1, so instead of 01 I will have a 11. Now similar is the situation here  $\sigma_z$  acting on 1 gives me -1, so this -sign will become +sign, but then  $\sigma_x$  acting on that 1 will give me 0, so

at the state that I will get here will be 11- 00 which is of course orthogonal to the state, so therefore I have my second term is 0.

The third term similarly gives you 0 because it is very similar to this term where I got 00+11 here also I will get very similar thing but because it is not if a Y operator rather than X operator there would be some i's coming in, but never the less the resulting term will be orthogonal to this so therefore, this will also be 0 so the result is 0. Now this is what happens to the non diagonal term there are three motto but then it does not matter because there will be  $\sigma_Y^A \sigma_X^A$ ,  $\sigma_Y^A \sigma_Z^A$ ,  $\sigma_Z^A \sigma_Y^A$  and identically those three terms will also turn out visit. So what I am I left with I am left with only the diagonal terms, so I have.

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The image shows a handwritten derivation on a whiteboard. The first line is  $\sum_i \langle \psi | a_i b_i \sigma_i^A \sigma_i^A | \psi \rangle$ . A bracket under  $\sigma_i^A \sigma_i^A$  is labeled  $\sigma_i^2 = 1$ . The second line is  $= -\sum_i a_i b_i \langle \psi | \psi \rangle$ . The third line is  $= -\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = -\cos \theta$ .

$\psi$  I get  $a_i b_i$  because only  $i=j$  term I will sum of course over  $i$  then  $\sigma_i^A \sigma_i^A$  again  $|\psi\rangle$  -sign has taken care of the fact that there was a  $\sigma_i^B$  there but I now have written to  $\sigma_i^2=1$  so therefore this quantity is  $-\sum_i a_i b_i \langle \psi | \psi \rangle$  and of course the state  $\psi$  is normalized so therefore I have this as  $-\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}$  and which we have said is nothing but  $-\cos\theta$  because Bob is making a measurement along an axis which is making an angle  $\theta$  with that of Alice's axis. So you notice again we have a

reiterated using explicit calculation that if Alice is to make a measurement along one direction  $a$  and Bob is to make a measurement along a second direction which is  $b$  then the

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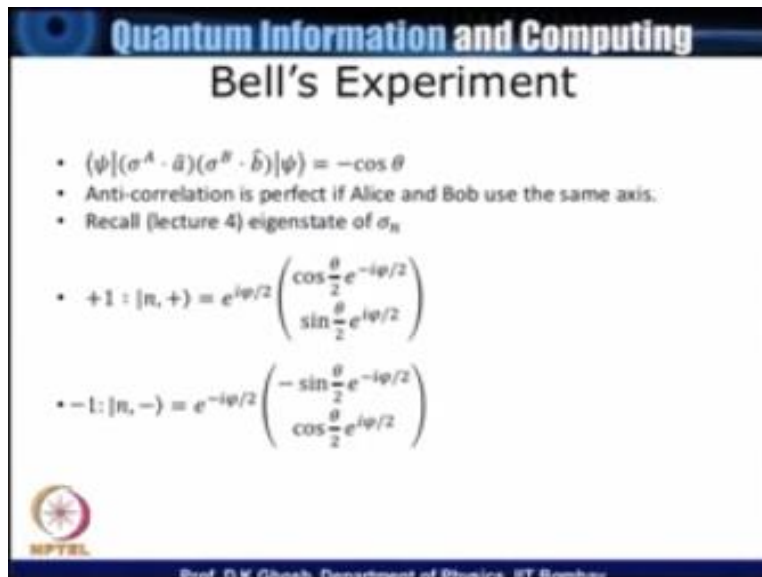
There is a bracket under  $\sigma_i^A \sigma_i^B$  with the note  $\sigma_i^2 = 1$  written below it.

$$= -\sum_i a_i b_i \langle \psi | \psi \rangle$$
$$= -\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = -\cos \theta$$

Their results of Bob making that measurement of his spin Alice is making a measurement of her spin is given by what is  $\cos \theta$ , so there is still a correlation.




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**Bell's Experiment**

- $\langle \psi | (\sigma^A \cdot \hat{a})(\sigma^B \cdot \hat{b}) | \psi \rangle = -\cos \theta$
- Anti-correlation is perfect if Alice and Bob use the same axis.
- Recall (lecture 4) eigenstate of  $\sigma_n$

- $+1 : |n, +\rangle = e^{i\varphi/2} \begin{pmatrix} \cos \frac{\theta}{2} e^{-i\varphi/2} \\ \sin \frac{\theta}{2} e^{i\varphi/2} \end{pmatrix}$
- $-1 : |n, -\rangle = e^{-i\varphi/2} \begin{pmatrix} -\sin \frac{\theta}{2} e^{-i\varphi/2} \\ \cos \frac{\theta}{2} e^{i\varphi/2} \end{pmatrix}$

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Now it is this correlation that we will consider in the further discussion of what it means in terms of quantum mechanics. Now this slide simply reminds you which I have talked about a few minutes back that the eigen state of Pauli operator along an arbitrary direction  $n$  are given by these matrices.

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### Projection Operators

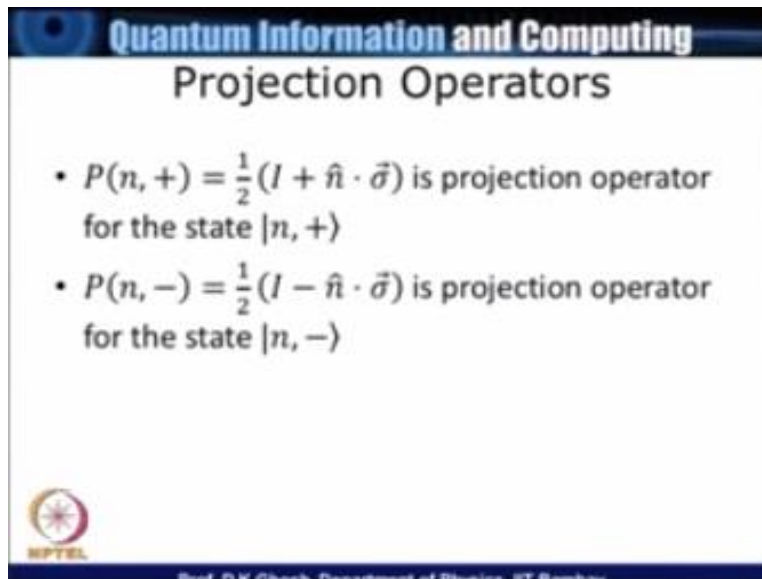
- $P(n, +) = \frac{1}{2}(I + \hat{n} \cdot \vec{\sigma})$  is projection operator for the state  $|n, +\rangle$
- $P(n, -) = \frac{1}{2}(I - \hat{n} \cdot \vec{\sigma})$  is projection operator for the state  $|n, -\rangle$

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Now suppose Alice is making a measurement along a particular direction and gets a particular value supposing she gets a +, now what I might actually doing, I am projecting out the N equal to if  $\psi_{x+1}$  I am projecting out the eigen state n having an eigen value plus. Now you can check it immediately which I will indicate.


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### Projection Operators

- $P(n, +) = \frac{1}{2}(I + \hat{n} \cdot \vec{\sigma})$  is projection operator for the state  $|n, +\rangle$
- $P(n, -) = \frac{1}{2}(I - \hat{n} \cdot \vec{\sigma})$  is projection operator for the state  $|n, -\rangle$

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How it is done that this quantity half of  $I + \hat{n} \cdot \sigma$  is a projection operator for the state  $n+$  and identically half of identity operator  $- \hat{n} \cdot \sigma$  is the projection operator for the state  $-$ .

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Now this is easy to work out but let us do this, I will briefly do this algebra for one of the relations and then I will sort of urge you to do the calculation for the others and see that that is coming.

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$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{I + \hat{n} \cdot \sigma}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{1}{2} [n_x \sigma_x + n_y \sigma_y + n_z \sigma_z] \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{1}{2} n_x \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{1}{2} n_y \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i \\ i & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{1}{2} n_z \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

So suppose we are saying  $I + n \cdot \sigma$  acting divided by 2 of course acting on let us say up this is  $z=+1$   $\sigma_z$  eigen value  $+1$ , so what does it give me. So since this is an  $I$ , I get simply  $\frac{1}{2}(10)$  let us expand this out, so I have  $n_x \sigma_x + n_y \sigma_y + n_z \sigma_z$  acting on the same state  $(10)$ . Now what do I get here, so firstly let me keep this  $n_x$  operator as it is  $\sigma_x$   $n_x$  direction as it is the component Cartesian direction.

$\sigma$  is separating on  $10$  I know just inverts it that is flips the qubit, then I have  $\frac{1}{2} n_y$  now  $\sigma_y$  acting on  $10$  also flips it but there is a factor of  $i$  there and as before  $\sigma_z$  does nothing so therefore it  $10$ . Now remember this term will pick up a- sign if it were to act on the  $01$  state.

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The whiteboard shows the following derivation:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{I + \hat{n} \cdot \sigma}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \\
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 &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 + \cos \theta & \sin \theta \cos \phi + i \sin \theta \sin \phi \\ \sin \theta \cos \phi - i \sin \theta \sin \phi & 1 - \cos \theta \end{pmatrix} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 + \cos \theta & \sin \theta e^{i\phi} \\ \sin \theta e^{-i\phi} & 1 - \cos \theta \end{pmatrix} = e^{i\phi/2} \begin{pmatrix} \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} & \sin \theta \cos \frac{\theta}{2} \\ -\sin \theta \cos \frac{\theta}{2} & \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \end{pmatrix}
 \end{aligned}$$

Side notes on the whiteboard include:  $n_x = \sin \theta \cos \phi$ ,  $n_y = \sin \theta \sin \phi$ , and  $n_z = \cos \theta$ .

Now let us write it as a single matrix, so look at what am I having I have a half there I have 1, now recall that my  $n_x$  is  $\sin \theta \cos \phi$ ,  $n_y$  is  $\sin \theta \sin \phi$  and  $n_z$  is  $\cos \theta$  so I bought 1 and only a term coming from  $n_z$  so it is  $1 + \cos \theta$  the other element is there is nothing from here there is a  $n_x$  here so let me write it as  $\sin \theta \cos \phi + i \sin \theta \sin \phi$ . But then this is equal to  $1 + \cos \theta$  if you take  $\sin \theta$  common here I get  $\cos \phi + i \sin \phi$  which is nothing but  $e^{i\phi}$  which is other than for a global factor which I can pull out  $e^{i\phi/2}$  so which is remember that  $1 + \cos \theta / 2$  is  $\cos^2 \theta / 2$ .


So this is if I pull out  $e^{i\phi/2}$  I have  $\cos^2 \theta / 2 e^{-i\phi/2}$  and this is I have got  $\sin \theta / 2$  so if I write down here  $\sin \theta$ . Now remember  $\sin \theta$  there is a half there so let me keep that  $\sin \sigma / 2$  remember that  $\sin \sigma$  can be written as  $2 \sin \sigma / 2 \times \cos \sigma / 2$  so that this 2 and that 2 will cancel out and I will be pulling out a factor  $\cos \sigma / 2$  and I will be left with a  $\cos \sigma / 2$  this is shown in the slide.

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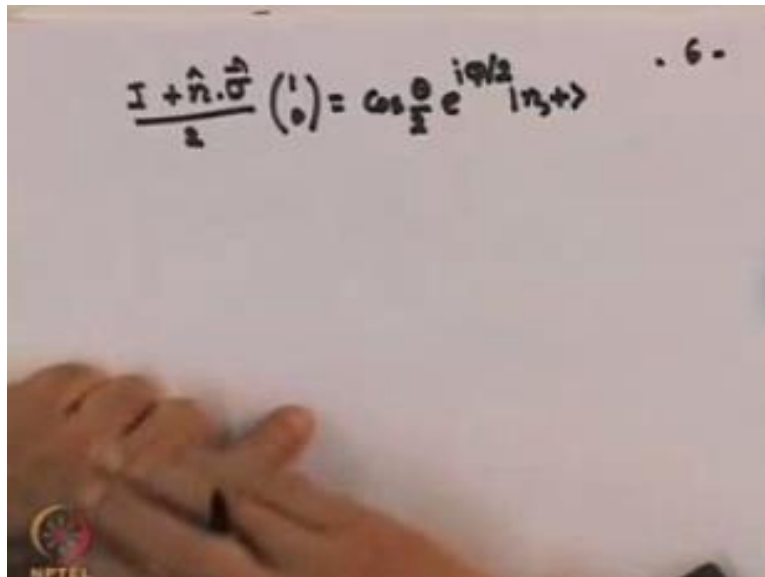
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$\cos \sigma/2 e^{i\pi/2}$  which I have taken out and the remaining thing which is there is nothing but the Eigen state along n direction with an Eigen value the remaining relationship are also as shown there, so what we have shown is that.

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$$\frac{I + \hat{n} \cdot \hat{\sigma}}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \cos \frac{\theta}{2} e^{i\phi/2} |n, +\rangle \quad . 6 .$$

$\frac{I + \hat{n} \cdot \hat{\sigma}}{2}$  is a projection operator for the state  $n$ , with an Eigen value plus and this acting on for example the state  $|0\rangle$  we have shown he gives me  $\cos \frac{\theta}{2} e^{i\phi/2}$  an immaterial phase factor and envious the, the slide shows the other.




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Possibilities that what happens when the same operator acts on the state  $\sigma_z = -1$  you find that it gives you essentially the same state but with a factor of  $\sin\theta/2$  and  $1 - \hat{n} \cdot \theta/2$  is a projection operator for the Eigen state  $n^-$  and acting on state  $-1$  gives you this and that is as written in the slide. But then let us look at what this quantity gives.



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Expectation value of projectors

$$P^A(\hat{n}, +)P^B(\hat{m}, +)|\psi^-\rangle$$
$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sin\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) |\hat{n}, +, \hat{m}, +\rangle$$
$$P^A(\hat{n}, +)P^B(\hat{m}, -)|\psi^-\rangle$$
$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) |\hat{n}, +, \hat{m}, +\rangle$$



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Which are tabulated in these slides, so therefore if we now decide that Alice and Bob decide to make their measurement along direction  $n$  and  $m$  respectively then.

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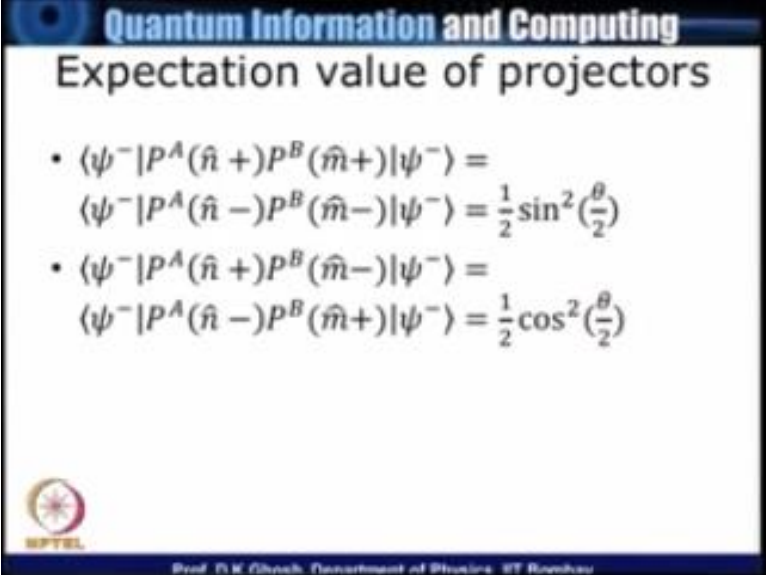
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We can calculate.


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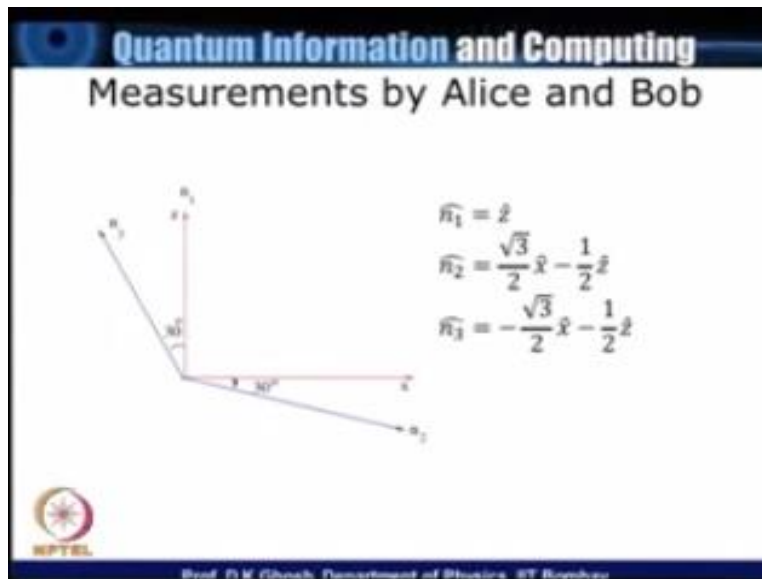
### Expectation value of projectors

- $\langle \psi^- | P^A(\hat{n}+) P^B(\hat{m}+) | \psi^- \rangle =$   
 $\langle \psi^- | P^A(\hat{n}-) P^B(\hat{m}-) | \psi^- \rangle = \frac{1}{2} \sin^2\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)$
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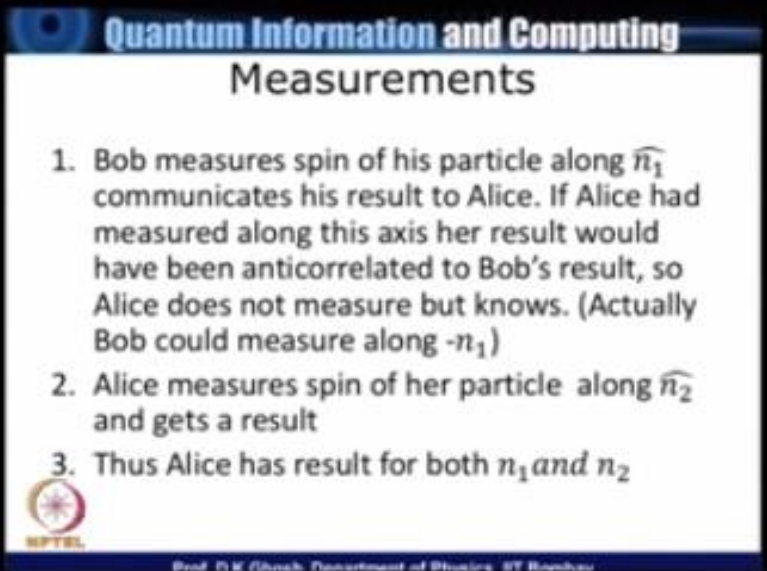
What is the expectation value of let us say  $T a n + P b m+$  remember that they all that I need to calculate this is to realize the projection operator squares our projection operators themselves so I can write this  $P^A$  as  $P^A$  square  $P^B$  as  $P^B$  square and I can make one pair act on the ket 1 pair act on the bra and get these relations as have been written up. So you notice that when they get  $P^A$  plus, plus that is  $P^A$  plus  $P^B$  also gives me plus they or minus, minus my probability is  $1/2 \sin^2 \theta/2$  and when they are dissimilar it happens to be cross particularly.

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Now what is suggested now is we have not said what these directions let me take choose direction  $n_1$  to be the z-axis  $n_2$  to be a direction which is in the fourth quadrant making an angle of 30degrees with the positive axis x axis and  $n_3$  in the second quadrant making an angle of 30 degrees with the z-axis the respective unit vectors are written down there.

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**Measurements**

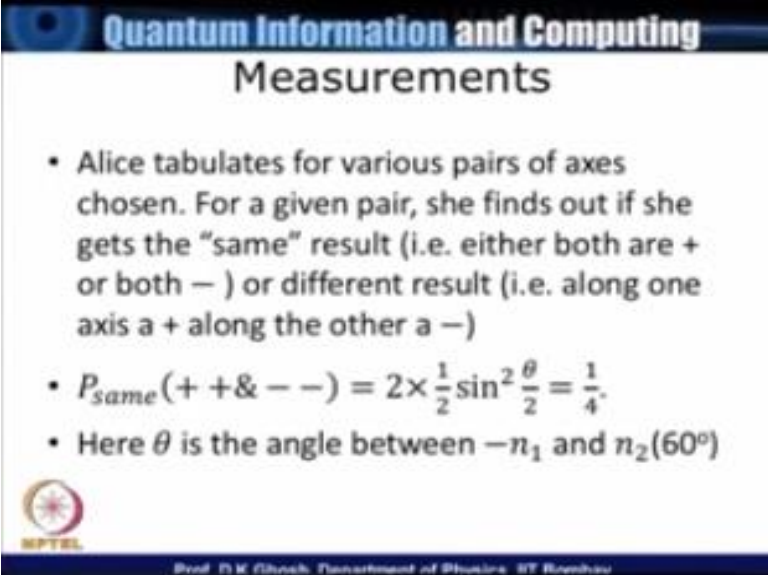
1. Bob measures spin of his particle along  $\hat{n}_1$  communicates his result to Alice. If Alice had measured along this axis her result would have been anticorrelated to Bob's result, so Alice does not measure but knows. (Actually Bob could measure along  $-\hat{n}_1$ )
2. Alice measures spin of her particle along  $\hat{n}_2$  and gets a result
3. Thus Alice has result for both  $n_1$  and  $n_2$

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Now what happens is this Bob measures the spin of his particle along in one direction actually what Bob would do is to measure it really a long- and one direction so that Alice does not have to worry about changing that minus one Bob will make the directive measurement along minus one direction communicated to ask Alice, now you see when Alice makes a measurement along on her particle along and two directly see is no longer able to find out what the her result would have been hand she made a measurement along then one direction.


But Bob's information lets us know that so therefore Alice can have the information about the result that you would get on a pair of direction at the same time  $n_1$   $n_2$   $n^1$  and 3 and  $n_2$  so what she does is the same.

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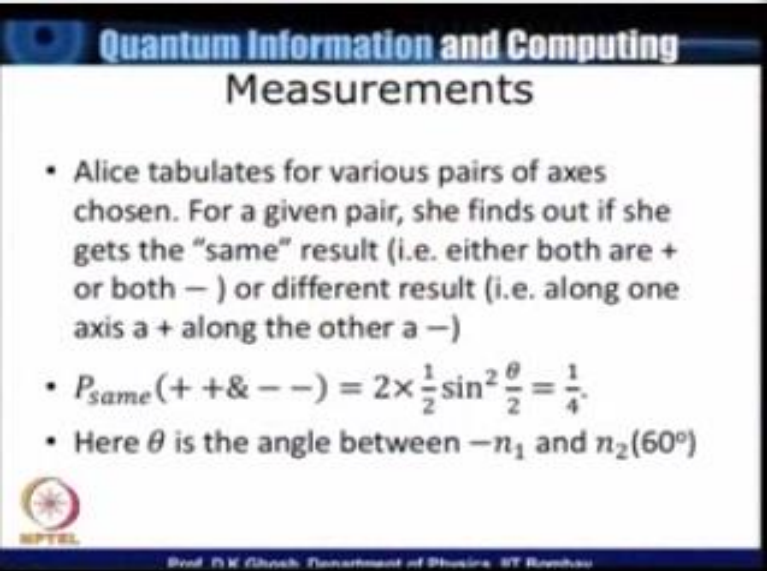
- Alice tabulates for various pairs of axes chosen. For a given pair, she finds out if she gets the “same” result (i.e. either both are + or both –) or different result (i.e. along one axis a + along the other a –)
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That looks at that for a given pair of axis does he get the same result by same I mean that is he get ++ or -- so concentrating on only the same results the probabilities would be because there are two possible is also  $2 \times \frac{1}{2} \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}$  and that works out to be equal to  $\frac{1}{4}$  because of the choice of dangle that we have taken.




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Because  $\sin \sigma$  is  $1/2$  for  $30$  degrees now with this we conclude that if she only concentrates on getting the probabilities of having the same level when she does measurements along  $n_1, n_2, n_3$  or  $n_1$  &  $n_3$  & sums of the probability for the same result the result must be equal to  $3/4$  which is less than.

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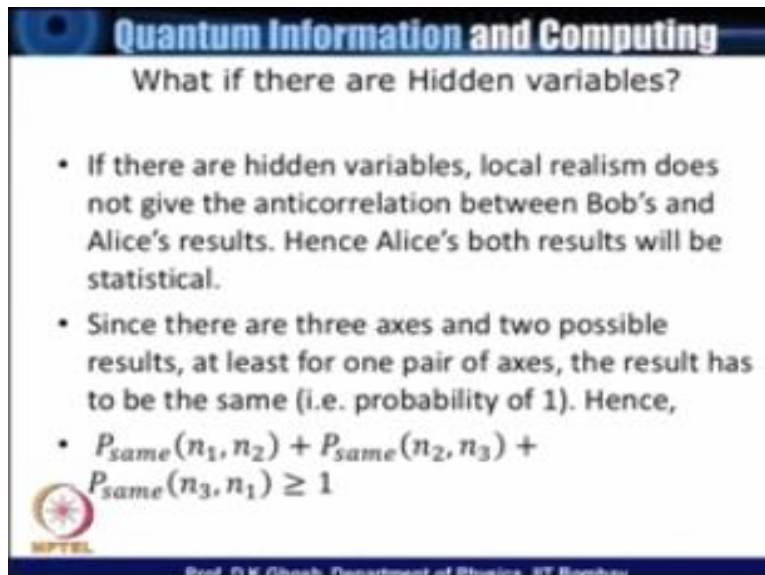
## Measurements

- Alice and Bob make measurements using other two pairs and discard results if the results do not match, keeping only those pairs for which the results are same
- $P_{same}(n_1, n_2) + P_{same}(n_2, n_3) + P_{same}(n_3, n_1) = \frac{3}{4} < 1$



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What if there are Hidden variables?

- If there are hidden variables, local realism does not give the anticorrelation between Bob's and Alice's results. Hence Alice's both results will be statistical.
- Since there are three axes and two possible results, at least for one pair of axes, the result has to be the same (i.e. probability of 1). Hence,
- $P_{\text{same}}(n_1, n_2) + P_{\text{same}}(n_2, n_3) + P_{\text{same}}(n_3, n_1) \geq 1$

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Now what happens if there were hidden variables in the problem now local realism does not give any anti correlation between Bob's and a Alice brother so therefore Bob scene forming Alice that this is the result I got it is totally made up, but then Alex can make the measurement along the plexus because there is no nothing which is there is no collapse of the way form now so therefore we recalculate P is same for  $n_1 n_2 n_2 n_3$  and  $n_3 m$  but remember I have only three possible result + I can have the ++, -- or +- and -+ whatever happens one of those results is guaranteed to give me the same.

Because it could be ++ or - I do not care we could have ++, +- , -+ or --, +- , -+ this is s this version but then one of those events has the probability of one and then this tells me that the probability of the same result.

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It greater than or equal to 1 because at least one of them terms is 1 so this provides a test for which one is right one of them says it is less than one the other one says it is greater than one and if invariable theory of slides you should get greater than or equal to one if quantum mechanics is correct you should get less than one and that is what will determine if one can do this experimentally that you want to determine by the quantum mechanics is correct or the invariable theories.

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