#### Multi-Reference Coupled Cluster Method

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#### Overview:

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#### Motivation

Given the electronic Schrödinger equation

$$H\Psi = E\Psi$$

the wave function  $\Psi$  can be approximated

- ▶ by a possible nonlinear parametrization, e.g. as tensor network (matrix product) states  $\Psi \in \mathcal{M} \Rightarrow \mathsf{DMRG}$
- or nonlinear parametrization, e.g. single reference coupled cluster CC  $\Psi = e^T \Phi_0$ ,  $\Phi_0$  reference Slater determinant.
- multi-reference CC ansatz

$$\Psi \in \text{span}\{e^{T_j}\Phi_j : \Phi_j \in \mathscr{H}_{cas}, j = 0, \dots, n-1\}$$

where  $\mathcal{H}_{cas}$  is a possibly not too large subspace generated by Slater determinants (Full CI Space)

▶ here we are interested in the first n Eigenfunctions for  $E_0, \ldots, E_{n-1}$ 

# Motivation - single reference Coupled Cluster (CC)

We try to replace  $H:\mathcal{H}\to\mathcal{H}$  by a model operator  $\overline{H}_0:\mathcal{V}\to\mathcal{V}$  where  $\mathcal{V}\subset\mathcal{H}$  is a suitable subspace of  $\mathcal{H}$ . We are searching a transformation  $\varphi:\mathcal{H}\to\mathcal{H}$  and consider

$$\overline{H}_0 := P_0 \overline{H} P_0 = := P_0 \varphi^{-1} \circ H \circ \varphi P_0 \ : \ \mathscr{V} \to \mathscr{V}$$

where  $P_0: \mathscr{H} \to \mathscr{V}$ . For example the CC ansatz

$$\Psi = e^T \Phi \in \mathscr{H} \text{ where } \Phi \in \mathscr{V}$$

$$\overline{H} := \varphi^{-1} \circ H \circ \varphi = e^{-T} H e^{T}, \ \mathscr{H} \to \mathscr{H}$$

Notice that  $\bar{H}$  is NOT Hermitean (or symmetric)! Example:  $\mathscr{V}:=\operatorname{span}\{\phi_0\}$  where  $\phi_0$  is a single Slater determinant e.g HF determinant: standard CC

$$\overline{H}_0\phi_0=E_{CC}\phi_0$$

#### State Universal CC with CASCC

Manifold of *oblique n*-dimensional projectors:

$$\mathscr{P}_n:=\left\{P=P^2\mid \mathit{Trace}P=n
ight\}\subset \mathscr{L}(\mathscr{H} o\mathscr{H})\;,$$
  $P\in\mathscr{P}_n$ 

if and only if there are biorthogonal sets  $\tilde{B} = \{\tilde{\psi}_i\}_{i=1}^n \subset \mathcal{H}$  and  $B = \{\psi_i\}_{i=1}^n \subset \mathcal{H}$  such that

$$u \mapsto Pu = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \psi_i \langle \tilde{\psi}_i, u \rangle , \ P = \sum_{i=1}^{n} |\psi_i \rangle \langle \tilde{\psi}_i | , \ \langle \tilde{\psi}_i, \psi_j \rangle = \delta_{i,j}$$

- ▶ For any pair of n-dimensional non-orthogonal subspaces  $\mathscr{V} \subset \mathscr{H}$  and  $\tilde{\mathscr{V}} \subset \mathscr{H}$ , there is a unique projector P with these spaces as left/right ranges.
- P density matrix

#### State Universal CC Bivariational principle

Consider the functional  $S: \mathscr{P}_n \to \mathbb{C}$  given by

$$S(P) = Tr(HP) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \langle \tilde{\psi}_i, H\psi_i \rangle$$

Problem: find  $P_* \in \mathscr{P}_n$  such that  $S'(P_*) = 0$  are stationary, is equivalent to the *two-sided Bloch equation* 

$$(I - P_*)HP_* = 0, P_*H(I - P_*) = 0$$

Equivalently,  $\mathscr{V}=P_*\mathscr{H}$  is a right invariant subspace and  $\mathscr{\tilde{V}}=P_*^{\dagger}\mathscr{H}$  is a left invariant subspace, simultaneously. The projected effective Hamiltonian  $H_{\mathrm{eff}}=P_*HP_*$  has n exact eigenvalues  $E_i$  of H, and that  $S(P_*)=\sum_{i=1}^n E_i$ .

- ▶ In the literature, only the right Bloch equation is usually considered when developing SU-MRCC theories. This is a major component of the novelty here.
- The bivariational principle given here is a search for invariant spaces not individual eigenvectors.

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# Single Reference Coupled Cluster - revisited

# IIb State Specific MR Coupled Cluster

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#### Second quantization - revisited

Second quantization: annihilation operators:

$$a_j \Psi[j, 1, \dots, N] := \Psi[1, \dots, N]$$

and := 0 if j not apparent in  $\Psi[\ldots]$ .

The adjoint of  $a_b$  is a creation operator v

$$a_{\boldsymbol{b}}^{\dagger}\Psi[1,\ldots,N]=\Psi[\boldsymbol{b},1,\ldots,N]=(-1)^{N}\Psi[1,\ldots,N,\boldsymbol{b}]$$

#### Theorem (Slater-Condon Rules)

$$H: \mathscr{H} \to \mathscr{H} \ resp. \ H: \mathscr{H}_{FCI} \to \mathscr{H}_{FCI} \ reads \ as \ (basis \ dependent)$$
 
$$H = F + \frac{U}{V} = \sum_{p,q} f_r^p a_p^{\dagger} a_r + \sum_{p,q,r,s} \frac{u_{rs}^{pq} a_q^{\dagger} a_p^{\dagger} a_r a_s}{u_{rs}^{pq} a_p^{\dagger} a_r^{\dagger} a_s}$$

#### **Excitation operators**

Single excitation operator , Let  $\Psi_0=\Psi[1,\dots,N]$  be a reference determinant then e.g.

$$X_1^{\mathbf{k}}\Psi_0 := a_{\mathbf{k}}^{\dagger} a_1 \Psi_0$$

$$(-1)^{-p}\Psi_1^k = \Psi[k, 2, \dots, N] = X_1^k \Psi_0 = X_j^k \Psi[1, \dots, N] = a_k^{\dagger} a_1 \Psi_0$$
  
higher excitation operators

$$X_{\mu} := X_{l_1, \dots, l_k}^{b_1, \dots, b_k} = \prod_{i=1}^k X_{l_i}^{b_i} \ , \ 1 \le l_i < l_{i+1} \le N \ , \ N < b_i < b_{i+1} \ .$$

A CI solution  $\Psi = c_0 \Psi_0 + \sum_{\mu \in \mathcal{J}} c_\mu \Psi_\mu$  can be written by

$$\Psi = \left(c_0 + \sum_{\mu \in \mathcal{J}} c_\mu X_\mu 
ight) \Psi_0 \;,\; c_0, c_\mu \in \mathbb{R} \;.$$

Intermediate normalization:  $c_0 := 1$  i.e.  $\langle \Psi.\Psi_0 \rangle = 1$  and

$$[X_{\mu},X_{\nu}]=0$$

#### (Multi-Reference) Coupled-Cluster Ansatz

▷ One-particle basis, complete active space (CAS)

$$B_{\textit{cas}} = \{\underbrace{\psi_1,...,\psi_N}_{\text{occupied}}, \underbrace{\psi_{N+1},...,\psi_d}_{\text{CAS-unoccupied}}\},$$
 
$$B_K = \{\underbrace{\psi_1,...,\psi_N,\psi_{N+1},...,\psi_d}_{\text{CAS}}, \underbrace{\psi_{d+1},...,\psi_K}_{\text{external}}\},$$

ightharpoonup Replacement of occupied by unoccupied orbitals in reference  $\Psi_0$ ,

$$\Psi[1,\ldots,i_1,..,i_k,..,N] \stackrel{\text{``excitation''}}{\longrightarrow} \Psi_{\alpha} = \Psi[1,.,\emph{i}_{1},..,\emph{i}_{k},..,\emph{a}_{1},..,\emph{a}_{k}],$$

gives 
$$\mathbb{B}_{\mathcal{K}} = \{\Psi_0\} \cup \{\Psi_\alpha \mid \alpha \in \mathcal{I}_{\mathcal{K}}\}.$$

Indices:  $i,j:=1,\dots,N$  -occupied ;  $a,b:=N+1,\dots,d$  - (unocc.) CAS ;  $u,v=d+1,\dots,K$  - external,

$$\emph{z} = \emph{K} + 1 \ldots, \infty$$
 virtual

# Coupled-Cluster Ansatz

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: cluster operator  $T=:T(\mathbf{t})=\sum_{\mu\in\mathcal{J}}t_\mu X_\mu$  such that 
$$\Psi=e^{T(\mathbf{t})}\Psi_0,$$

$$\langle X_{\mu}\Psi_{0}, He^{T(\mathbf{t})}\Psi_{0}\rangle \quad = \quad E\langle X_{\mu}\Psi_{0}, e^{T(\mathbf{t})}\Psi_{0}\rangle \quad \ \forall \ \ \mu \in \mathcal{J} \cup \{0\}.$$

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# Coupled Cluster Method - Exponential-ansatz

Theorem (S. 06)

Let  $\Phi_0$  be a reference Slater determinant, e.g.  $\Phi_0 = \Psi_{HF}$  and  $\Psi \in \mathscr{H}_{FCI}$ ,  $(\mathscr{H})$ , satisfying

$$\langle \Psi, \Phi_0 \rangle = 1$$
 intermediate normalization .

Then there exists an excitation operator  $(T_1 - single-, T_2 - double-, \dots excitation operators)$ 

$$T = \sum_{i=1}^N T_i = \sum_{\mu \in \mathcal{J}} t_\mu X_\mu$$
 such that

$$\boxed{\Psi = e^T \Phi_0} = \Pi_{\mu} (I + t_{\mu} X_{\mu}) \Phi_0 .$$

Key observations: for analytic functions:

$$f(T) = \sum_{k=0}^{N} a_k T^k \text{ since } [X_{\mu}, X_{\nu}] = 0 , X_{\mu}^2 = 0 , T^N = 0 .$$

#### IIb

# **State Specific MR Coupled Cluster**

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## State Specific Multi-Reference Coupled Cluster Method

(Adamovicz, Piecuch et al. (2000) - A MR CC keeping all elegance of SR CC Ansatz: Given FCl solution  $\Psi_{cas}(\approx \Psi_{DMRG}$  for example)

$$\Psi = \Psi_K = e^{T^{ext} + T^{cas}} \Phi_0 := e^{T^{ext}} \Psi_{cas},$$

with allowed (external) excitations  $T^{ext}$  (only single /doubles)

$$X_i^{lpha}=a_{lpha}^{\dagger}a_i$$
 ,  $lpha=N+1,\ldots K$  (unoccupied) ,  $i=1,\ldots,N$  (occupied)

$$T^{ext} := T_1^{ext} + T_2^{ext}$$

 $T_1^{ext} = \sum t_i^v X_i^v$ ,  $v = d+1, \ldots, K$  external,  $T_2^{ext}$  contains only  $\mu \notin \mathcal{I}_{cas}$ , which are of form

$$X_\mu=X_{i,j}^{{m u},{m v}}=X_i^{{m u}}X_j^{{m v}},X_{i,j}^{{m a},{m v}}=X_i^{{m a}}X_j^{{m v}}$$
 ,i.e.  $\Psi_\mu=X_{i,j}^{{m a},{m v}}\Psi_0\perp \mathscr{H}_{cas}$ 

$$\Psi := e^{\frac{T_1^{ext} + T_2^{ext}}{1}} e^{(\frac{T_1^{cas} + T_2^{cas} + T_3^{cas} + T_4^{cas} + \dots}{1})} \Psi_0 := e^{\frac{T_1^{ext} + T_2^{ext}}{1}} \Psi_{cas}$$

# State Specific (CAS) Coupled Cluster Method

We introduce the non symmetric CAS Hamiltonian  $\overline{H}^{cas} = \overline{H}^{cas}(\mathbf{t})$  on the CAS space

$$\overline{H}^{cas}(\mathbf{t}) = P_{\mathscr{H}_{cas}} e^{-T^{ext}(\mathbf{t})} H e^{T^{ext}(\mathbf{t})} P_{\mathscr{H}_{cas}}$$

We us consider the linked (external) CC equations

$$0 = \mathbf{f}_{\mu}(\mathbf{t}) := \langle X_{\mu} \phi_0, e^{-T^{\text{ext}}(\mathbf{t})} H e^{T^{\text{ext}}(\mathbf{t})} \Phi_{\text{cas}} \rangle \ , \ \forall \mu \in \mathcal{I}_{\text{ext}}$$

together with

$$\overline{H}^{cas}(\mathbf{t})\Phi_{cas} = E\Phi_{cas}$$

Then the total (CC) energy  $E \approx E_{cc}$  is an eigenvalue of  $\overline{H}^{cas}$  with right eigenvector  $\Phi_{cas}$  i.e.

$$\overline{H}^{cas}\Phi_{cas}=E\Phi_{cas}$$

 $\overline{H}^{cas}$  is considered as our model operator acting on  $\mathscr{H}_{cas}$ 

#### State Universal CC

We consider n first m (approximate) eigenstates (e.g. the (ground) state is degenerate), (with a positive spectral gap to the next)

$$H\Psi_i = E\Psi_i$$
,  $i = 1, ..., n$ ,  $E = E_0$ ,  $\langle \Psi_i, \Psi_i \rangle = \delta_{i,i}$ 

Consider

we impose (bi-) orthogonality

$$\langle \tilde{\Psi}_i, \Psi_j \rangle = \delta_{i,j}$$

$$\begin{split} \delta_{i,j} &= \langle \tilde{\Psi}_i, \Psi_j \rangle &= \langle \tilde{\Phi}_i, e^{T_j - T_i} \Phi_j \rangle + \langle \Lambda_i \phi_0, e^{T_j - T_i} \Phi_j \rangle \\ &= \langle \tilde{\Phi}_i, \Phi_j \rangle + \sum \lambda_{i,\mu} \langle X_\mu \phi_0, e^{T_j - T_i} \Phi_j \rangle \end{split}$$

# IIa Bivariational Principle

A state-specific multi-reference coupled- cluster method based on the bivariational principle J. Chem. Phys. 153, 024106 (2020); Tilmann Bodenstein and Simen Kvaal

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#### CAS Coupled Cluster Method - Bivariational Formulation

We consider the bivariational energy functional using  $\langle \psi_0, \Phi_{\text{CaS}} \rangle := 1$ 

optimize

$$\mathcal{E}( ilde{\Phi},\Phi,\mathbf{t}) := rac{\langle ilde{\Phi}, \overline{H}^{\it cas}(\mathbf{t})\Phi 
angle}{\langle ilde{\Phi},\Phi 
angle}$$

subordinated to the linked amplitude equation

$$0 = \mathbf{f}(\mu) := \langle X_{\mu} \phi_0, e^{-T(\mathbf{t})} H e^{T(\mathbf{t})} \Phi \rangle \forall \mu \in \mathcal{I}_{\mathsf{ext}}$$

(constraint optimization)

Following S. Kvaal, let us introduce the Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L}(\tilde{\Phi}, \Phi, \mathbf{t}, \lambda) := \mathcal{E}(\tilde{\Phi}, \Phi, \mathbf{t}) + \frac{1}{\langle \tilde{\Phi}, \Phi \rangle} \lambda^{T} \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{t})$$

We are looking for the stationary points  $(\tilde{\Phi}, \Phi, \mathbf{t}, \lambda)^*$  of  $\mathcal{L}$ , then  $\mathcal{L}((\tilde{\Phi}, \Phi, \mathbf{t}, \lambda)^*)$  are (approximate) eigenvalues of the original H

#### CAS Coupled Cluster Method - Bivariational Formulation

Equivalently we can use the Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L}(\tilde{\Phi}, \Phi, \mathbf{t}, \Lambda, E) \ := \ \langle \tilde{\Phi}, \overline{H}^{cas}(\mathbf{t}) \Phi \rangle + \boldsymbol{\lambda}^T \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{t}) + E(1 - \langle \tilde{\Phi}, \Phi \rangle)$$

Working equations for  $E, \Phi_{cas} \in \mathscr{H}_{cas}$  and external amplitudes  $\mathbf{t}$  are given by differentiation of  $\mathcal{L}$  w.r.t.  $\tilde{\Phi}, \lambda$ ,  $\Phi$  and  $\mathbf{t}$ :

$$\begin{array}{rcl} \langle \delta \tilde{\Phi}, (\overline{H}^{cas}(\mathbf{t}) - E) \Phi_{cas} \rangle & = & 0 \ \forall \delta \tilde{\Phi} \in \mathscr{H}_{cas} \\ \langle X_{\mu} \phi_{0}, e^{-T^{ext}(\mathbf{t})} H e^{T^{ext}(\mathbf{t})} \Phi_{cas} \rangle & = & 0 \ \forall \mu \in \mathcal{I}_{ext} \\ \langle \delta \Phi, (\overline{H}^{cas}(\mathbf{t}) - E)^{\dagger} \tilde{\Phi}_{cas} \rangle & = & \langle \delta \Phi, \sum_{\mu} \lambda_{\mu} X_{\mu} \phi_{0} \rangle \ \forall \delta \Phi \in \mathscr{H}_{cas} \\ & (D\mathbf{f})_{\mathbf{t}} \lambda & = & \partial_{\mathbf{t}} \mathcal{L} = \partial_{\mathbf{t}} E(\mathbf{t}) \\ & \text{where } (D\mathbf{f})_{\nu,\mu} & := & \langle X_{\mu} \phi_{0}, e^{-T^{ext}} [H, X_{\nu}] e^{T^{ext}} \Phi_{cas} \rangle \end{array}$$

denotes the CC Jacobian In Bodenstein & Kvaal they considered  $\tilde{\Psi}:=e^{-\mathcal{T}^\dagger}(\tilde{\Phi}+\sum_{\mu}\lambda_{\mu}X_{\mu}\tilde{\Phi})$ 

#### State Universal CC with CASCC

We consider n first eigenstates (e.g. the (ground) state  $E_1$  is degenerate), (with a positive spectral gap to the next)

$$H\Psi_i = E_i \Psi_i \ , \ i=1,\ldots,n \ , \ \langle \Psi_i, \Psi_j \rangle = \delta_{i,j}$$

Consider

$$\Psi_j := \mathrm{e}^{T_j(\mathbf{t})} \Phi_j \; , \; T_j = (\mathbf{t}_\mu) \; , \; \mu \in \mathcal{I}_{\mathsf{ext}} \; , \; \Lambda_j = \sum_\mu \lambda_{j,\mu} X_\mu$$

$$ilde{\Psi}_j \;\; := \;\; e^{-T_j^\dagger} ig( ilde{\Phi}_j + \mathsf{\Lambda}_j \phi_0 ig) \;, \; ilde{\Phi}_j, \Phi_j \in \mathscr{H}_0 := \mathscr{H}_{\mathsf{cas}}$$

we impose (bi-) orthogonality

$$\langle \tilde{\Psi}_i, \Psi_i \rangle = \delta_{i,i}$$

where  $\phi_0$  e.g is the HF determinant.

$$\delta_{i,j} = \langle \tilde{\Psi}_i, \Psi_j \rangle = \langle \tilde{\Phi}_i, e^{T_j - T_i} \Phi_j \rangle + \langle \Lambda_i \phi_0, e^{T_j - T_i} \Phi_j \rangle$$
$$= \langle \tilde{\Phi}_i, \Phi_j \rangle + \sum_{\mu} \lambda_{i,\mu} \langle X_{\mu} \phi_0, e^{T_j - T_i} \Phi_j \rangle$$

## State Universal Lagrangian

We modify the Lagrangian to enforce bi-orthogonality.Let us introduce the vector valued functions

$$\Phi := (\Phi_i)_{i=1,\dots,n} \,, \; \tilde{\Phi} := (\tilde{\Phi}_i)_{i=1,\dots,n}, \; T := (T_i)_{i=1,\dots,n} \,, \; \Lambda_i = (\sum_{\mu} \lambda_{i,\mu} X_{\mu})$$

together with a new Lagrange multiplier  $\Sigma = (\Sigma_{i,j})$ 

$$\mathcal{L}(\Phi, \tilde{\Phi}, T, \Lambda) := \sum_{i,j=1}^{n} \left( \langle \tilde{\Phi}_{i}, e^{-T_{i}} H e^{T_{j}} \Phi_{j} \rangle + \langle \Lambda_{i} \phi_{0}, e^{-T_{i}} H e^{T_{j}} \Phi_{j} \rangle \right)$$
 
$$+ \sum_{i,j=1}^{n} \Sigma_{i,j} \left( \delta_{i,j} - \langle \Lambda_{i} \phi_{0}, e^{T_{j} - T_{i}} \Phi_{j} \rangle - \langle \tilde{\Phi}_{i}, \Phi_{j} \rangle \right)$$
 where 
$$e^{-T_{j}} H e^{T_{j}} \text{ is non symmetric! and depends on } j$$

#### State Universal Lagrangian -Coupled equations

The stationary points of the Lagrangian (1st order conditions) are given in weak form by

$$\begin{split} \frac{\partial J}{\partial \tilde{\Phi}} (\delta \tilde{\Phi}_i) &= \sum_{j=1}^n \left( \langle \delta \tilde{\Phi}_i, e^{-T_i} H e^{T_j} \Phi_j \rangle - \langle \delta \tilde{\Phi}_i, \Phi_j \rangle \right) = 0 \ \, \forall \delta \tilde{\Phi} \in \mathscr{H}_{\text{cas}} \;, \; i = 1, \dots, n \\ \\ \frac{\partial J}{\partial \Lambda_i} &= \sum_{j=1}^n \left( \langle \phi_0, e^{-T_i} H e^{T_j} \Phi_j \rangle - \Sigma_{i,j} \langle \phi_0, e^{T_j - T_i} \Phi_j \rangle \right) = 0 \; \; \forall \; i = 1, \dots, n \\ \\ \frac{\partial J}{\partial \Phi_j} (\delta \Phi) &= \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \langle \tilde{\Phi}_i, e^{-T_i} H e^{T_j} \delta \Phi \rangle + \langle \Lambda_i \phi_0, e^{-T_i} H e^{T_j} \delta \Phi \rangle \right) \\ &- \sum_{i=1}^n \Sigma_{i,j} \left( \langle \Lambda_i \phi_0, e^{T_j - T_i} \delta \Phi \rangle + \langle \tilde{\Phi}_i, \delta \Phi \rangle \right) \; \forall \; \delta \Phi \in \mathscr{H}_{\text{cas}} \; j = 1, \dots, n \\ \\ \frac{\partial J}{\partial T} (T_i) &= \cdots \; \; \forall i = 1, \dots, n \end{split}$$

Complicated set of 4n coupled equations!!! Can it be decoupled?

#### State Universal Lagrangian

Let us consider a Lagrange to be diagonal

$$\Sigma = \operatorname{diag}(\delta_{i,j}) \Rightarrow \Sigma = \operatorname{diag}(E_j)$$

Then model equations becomes decoupled We differentiate w.r.t.  $\tilde{\phi}_j \in \mathscr{H}_{cas}, \Lambda_j$  and  $T_j = T(\mathbf{t}_j)$  and obtain 1st order conditions

$$\begin{array}{rcl} \text{we set } \bar{H}_j &:=& e^{-T_j} H e^{T_j} \;,\; E_j := \frac{\langle \tilde{\Psi}_j, H \Psi_j \rangle}{\langle \tilde{\Psi}_j, \Psi_j \rangle} \\ \\ \langle \delta \tilde{\Phi}, (\bar{H}_j - E_j) \phi_j \rangle &=& 0 \; \forall \delta \tilde{\phi} \in \mathscr{H}_{cas} \\ f_{\mu}(\mathbf{t}_j) := \langle X_{\mu} \phi_0, \bar{H}_j \phi_j \rangle &=& 0 \; \forall \mu \in \mathcal{I}_{ext} \\ \sum_{\mu} \lambda_{\mu} \langle X_{\mu} \phi_0, [\bar{H}_j, X_{\nu}] \phi_j \rangle &=& \textit{rhs}_j(\nu) \end{array}$$

There is another set of equations for the dual solutions  $\tilde{\Phi}_i$ !

# State Universal Lagrangian - Dual Equations

Let us consider a diagonal  $\Sigma = \text{diag }(E_j)$ In order to compute  $\tilde{\phi}_j$ , we introduce  $\mathscr{S} := \text{span } \phi_j : j = 1, \ldots, n$ } and we  $\mathscr{W} \perp \mathscr{S}$  s.t.  $\mathscr{H}_{\textit{cas}} = \mathscr{S} \oplus \mathscr{W}$  and decompose

$$ilde{\phi}_j := \phi_i' + \chi_j \; \; ext{where} \; \chi_j \in \mathscr{W} \; , \; \phi_i' \in \mathscr{S}$$

In order to compute  $\chi_i \in \mathcal{W}$  we consider

$$\langle \delta \phi, (\bar{H}_j - E_j)^{\dagger} (\tilde{\phi}_j + \Lambda_j \phi_0) \rangle = 0 \ \forall \delta \phi \in \mathcal{W}$$
$$\langle \delta \phi, (\bar{H}_j - E_j)^{\dagger} \chi_j \rangle = \langle \delta \phi, E_j \Lambda_j \phi_0 - \bar{H}_j^{\mathsf{T}} \phi_j' \rangle$$

the unknown  $\phi_j'=\sum_\ell c_{j,\ell}\phi_\ell\in\mathscr{S}$  can be computed applying bi-orthogonality

$$\delta_{i,j} = \langle \Lambda_i \phi_0, e^{T_j - T_i} \phi_j \rangle + \langle \phi_i', \phi_j \rangle = \langle \Lambda_i \phi_0, e^{T_j - T_i} \phi_j \rangle + \sum_{\ell} c_{i,\ell} \langle \phi_\ell, \phi_j \rangle$$

$$I = R + CM \Rightarrow C = (I - R)M^{-1}$$
 where  $m_{i,j} = \langle \phi_i, \phi_j \rangle$ 

# Density Matrix

In order to check the previous results, we compute the matrix entries

$$\begin{split} \langle \tilde{\psi}_{k}, H \psi_{j} \rangle &= \langle \tilde{\phi}_{k}, e^{-T_{k}} H e^{T_{j}} \phi_{j} \rangle + \langle \Lambda_{k} \phi_{0}, e^{-T_{k}} H e^{T_{j}} \phi_{j} \rangle \\ &= E_{j} (\langle \phi'_{k}, \phi_{j} \rangle + \langle \chi_{k}, \phi_{j} \rangle) + E_{j} \langle \Lambda_{k} \phi_{0}, e^{T_{j} - T_{k}} \phi_{j} \rangle \\ &= E_{j} (\langle \phi'_{k}, \phi_{j} \rangle + \langle \Lambda_{k} \phi_{0}, e^{T_{j} - T_{k}} \phi_{j} \rangle) = E_{j} \delta_{k,j} \end{split}$$

Here we have used

$$\langle \delta, \bar{H}_j \phi_j \rangle = E_j \langle \delta, \phi_j \rangle$$
 for all  $\delta \in \mathscr{H}_{cas}$ 

since

$$\langle X_{\mu}\phi_0, e^{-T_j}He^{T_j}\phi_i \rangle = 0$$
 for all  $\mu \in \mathcal{I}_{\mathsf{ext}}$ .

This shows that

$$P = \sum_{j=1}^{n} |\psi_j\rangle \langle \tilde{\psi}_j|$$

is the desired projection (density matrix). Moreover it is of diagonal form.

Remarks: CC Energy.

Let us suppress the index j = 1, ... n. Let  $T^{ext} = T_1 + T_2$ (CCSD), due to normalization  $\langle \phi_0, \Psi \rangle = \langle \phi_0, \Phi \rangle := 1$ .

$$\begin{split} E(\mathbf{t}) &= \langle \tilde{\Phi} + \Lambda \phi_0, e^{-T} H e^T \Phi \rangle = \langle \phi_0, H \Phi \rangle + E_{\text{ext}} \\ &=: \quad E_{\text{cas}} + \langle \phi_0, H (I + T_1 + T_2 + \frac{1}{2} (T_1)^2 + T_1^{\text{cas}} T_1) \phi_0 \rangle \\ \text{if } T_1^{\text{ext}} &= T_1 \quad := \quad 0 \text{ terms in brown are } 0 \end{split}$$

We frequently choose  $T_1^{ext} := 0$ .

#### Remarks: Projected CAS Coupled Cluster Method

Let  $T(\mathbf{t}) := T^{\text{ext}} = \sum_{\mu \in \mathcal{I}_{\text{ext}}} t_{\mu} X_{\mu}$ ,  $0 \neq \mu \in \mathcal{I}_{\text{ext}} \subset \mathcal{J}$ The unlinked projected Coupled Cluster formulation

$$|0=\langle X_{\mu}\phi_0,(H-E(\mathbf{t}))\mathrm{e}^{T(\mathbf{t})+T^{cas}}\phi_0
angle=:g_{\mu}(\mathbf{t}),\mathbf{t}=(t_{
u})_{
u\in\mathcal{I}_{\mathsf{ext}}},\mu\in\mathcal{I}_{\mathsf{ext}}$$

The linked projected Coupled Cluster formulation consists in

$$0 = \langle X_{\mu}\phi_0, e^{-T(\mathbf{t})}He^{T(\mathbf{t})}\Phi \rangle =: f_{\mu}(\mathbf{t}) , \mathbf{t} = (t_{\nu})_{\nu \in \mathcal{I}_{\mathsf{ext}}}, \ \mu \in \mathcal{I}_{\mathsf{ext}}$$

In the sequel, we suppress (neglect)  $\mathcal{T}_1^{\textit{ext}}$  terms

#### **Theorem**

(S.& Faulstich & Laestadius ) If  $T_1^{\text{ext}}=0$ , the both methods are equivalent

$$\Psi^{CC}_{\textit{linked}} = \Psi^{CC}_{\textit{unlinked}}$$

This needs not to hold if  $T_1^{ext} \neq 0$ !

#### Projected CAS - Coupled Cluster Method

Let us consider the linked CC equations

$$0 = \mathbf{f}(t_{\mu}) := \langle X_{\mu} \phi_0, e^{-T(\mathbf{t})} H e^{T(\mathbf{t})} \Phi \rangle \quad , \quad \forall \mu \in \mathcal{I}_{\mathsf{ext}}$$

#### **Theorem**

The solution does not depend on  $T_k^{cas}$ ,  $S_k^{cas}$ , for k > 3 (!), in particular, we obtain the equations

$$0 = \mathbf{f}(t_{\mu}) = \langle X_{\mu}\phi_{0}, e^{-T}He^{T}\Phi \rangle = \langle X_{\mu}\phi_{0}, (I - T_{2})H(I + T_{2} + \frac{1}{2}(\hat{T}_{2})^{2})\Phi \rangle$$

for all  $\mu \in \mathcal{I}_{\mathsf{ext}}$ .

Solving this problem is not essentially more expensive than single reference CC!

Here we have dropped the index j since the equations decouple The problem is to solve the FCI CAS equations, for large CAS space.

## CAS Eigenvalue Problem

For external excitations  $T=T_2=\sum_{\mu\in\mathcal{I}_{ext}}t_\mu X_\mu$  we obtain (we neglect  $T_1$  in the sequel)

#### Lemma

$$\begin{split} \overline{H}^{cas}(\mathbf{t}) &= P_{\mathcal{H}_{cas}} e^{-T(\mathbf{t})} H e^{T(\mathbf{t})} P_{\mathcal{H}_{cas}} \\ &= P_{\mathcal{H}_{cas}} H P_{\mathcal{H}_{cas}} + P_{\mathcal{H}_{cas}} H T_2 P_{\mathcal{H}_{cas}} + \frac{1}{2} P_{\mathcal{H}_{cas}} H \hat{T}_2^2 P_{\mathcal{H}_{cas}} \\ &= P_{\mathcal{H}_{cas}} H (I + T_2 + \frac{1}{2} \hat{T}_2^2) P_{\mathcal{H}_{cas}} \end{split}$$

 $T_2= ilde{T}_2+\hat{T}_2$  where  $\hat{T}_2$  contains the mixed excitation terms  $u_{i,j}^{a,v}X_i^aX_j^v$ , and  $\tilde{T}_2$  no mixed terms .

#### Numerical Solution of FCI Problem

Remark:

$$P_{\mathscr{H}_{cas}}H(I+T_2+rac{1}{2}\hat{T}_2^2)P_{\mathscr{H}_{cas}}$$

involves 3-particle operators!

We recommend to use an approximate FCI solver either

- ▶ QC-DMRG (tensor trains ≃ matrix product states) or
- ► Monte Carlo FCI (Alavi et al.)

#### Simplifications: Tailored CC

 $\Phi \approx \Phi_{cas}$ 

$$\langle \delta ilde{\Phi}, (H-E_{cas}) \Phi_{cas} 
angle = 0 \,\, orall \delta ilde{\Phi} \in \mathscr{H}_{cas}$$

 $\Rightarrow \Phi_{cas}$  and  $E_{cas}$  do NOT depend on  $\mathbf{t}!$ 

#### Numerical results for TCC-DMRG

L. Veis, A. Antalik, J. Brabec, F. Neese, Ö. Legeza, and J. Pittner, *Coupled Cluster Method with Single and Double Excitations Tailored by Matrix Product State Wave Functions*, J. Phys. Chem. Lett., 2016, 7 (20), pp 4072 - 4078 In their approach the  $T_3^{cas}$  amplitudes are neglected!!!

Table: TCCSD Energies (E+2086 in au) of the  $Cr_2Molecule(r = 1.5 \text{ Å})$ 

| Method       | E + 2086 | ΔΕ    |
|--------------|----------|-------|
| DMRG(12,12)  | 0.071746 | 0.373 |
| TCCSD(12,12) | 0.424826 | 0.020 |
| DMRG(12,21)  | 0.252552 | 0.192 |
| TCCSD(12,21) | 0.437171 | 0.007 |
| CCSD         | 0.344277 | 0.100 |
| CCSD(T)(45)  | 0.422229 | 0.022 |
| CCSDTQ(45)   | 0.430244 | 0.014 |
| DMRG(48,42)  | 0.444784 | -     |

Table: Spectroscopic paramet.  $N_2$ , calculated by cc-pVTZ Basis

|              | $\omega$ (cm $^{-1}$ ) | $\Delta\omega$ | $\omega$ (cm $^{-1}$ ) | $\Delta\omega$ | $r_0$ (Å) | $\Delta r_0$ |
|--------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------------|----------------|-----------|--------------|
| CCSD         | 2423.3                 | 64.7           | 12.75                  | 1.57           | 1.0967    | 0.0010       |
| TCCSD(6,6)   | 2376.3                 | 17.7           | 13.57                  | 0.75           | 1.1009    | 0.0032       |
| DMRG(10,19)  | 2298.8                 | 59.8           | 13.72                  | 0.60           | 1.1112    | 0.0135       |
| TCCSD(10,19) | 2347.3                 | 11.3           | 13.91                  | 0.41           | 1.1036    | 0.0059       |
| experiment   | 2358.57                | -              | 14.324                 | -              | 1.09768   | -            |

#### Early Numerical Experiments - TCC

Error  $N_2$  ground state energies at bond length r=2.118 equilibrium.  $\frac{K}{2}=28$ , d=2k size of CAS basis set.

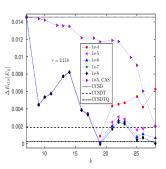
FCI Reference solution computed by CCSDTQVH

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#### Theoretical Results

The previous results from tailored CC can be extended to CAS-CC and improved. (work in progress ) Numerical and theoretical aspects of the DMRG-TCC method exemplified by the nitrogen dimer,
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Analysis of the tailored coupled-cluster method in quantum chemistry, SIAM Journal on Numerical Analysis, 57 (2019), pp. 2579 – 2607 F. M. Faulstich, A. Laestadius, O. Legeza, R. Schneider, and S. Kvaal,

work in progress

The use of (large) spaces  $\mathcal{H}_{cas}$  improves the stability (inf-sup constant) of the amplitude equations

#### Conclusions

- CAS CC avoids most problems of single reference CCSD, without compromising the elegant numerical treatment of single reference formalism
- excited states can be treated well, great improvement compared to equation of motion (EOM)
- ▶ Tailored CC is more a perturbational approach for improving a reference solution  $\Psi_{cas}$ , 1st iteration.
- ▶ Analysis is only local, i.e.  $T^{ext}$  small, but it shows
  - importance of quality of reference solution  $\Psi_{cas}$
  - ▶ importance of of stability
  - degenerate and quasi-degenerate ground state can be computed as well
- computational cost: CCSD (+ DMRG (for FCI) )
- ▶ the CAS space must be sufficiently large (DMRG or MCFCI)!
- ▶ the solution is (only) slightly biased by the choice of reference determinant  $\Psi_{0}$ , i.e. the choice of the occupied space.

#### Bi-variational Formulation and Expectation Values

Why we are interested in the dual solution  $\tilde{\Psi}$ ? However: approximating expectation values of an operator  $O: \mathscr{H} \to \mathscr{H}$ ,  $\langle O \rangle := \langle \Psi, O\Psi \rangle$ , let  $\langle \tilde{\Psi}, \Psi \rangle := 1$ .

- $\langle \tilde{\Phi}, (e^T)^{\dagger} O e^T \Phi \rangle \approx \langle \Psi, O \Psi \rangle$  is not computable!
- ▶ alternative:  $\langle (\tilde{\Phi} + \Lambda \phi_0), e^{-T} O e^T \Phi \rangle = \langle \tilde{\Psi}, O \Psi_{cc} \rangle \approx \langle \Psi, O \Psi \rangle$

We may estimate

$$|\langle \tilde{\Psi}, Oe^T \Phi \rangle - \langle \Psi, O\Psi \rangle| \le c_1 \|\Psi - \tilde{\Psi}\| + c_2 \|\Psi - e^T \Phi\|$$

Note that  $e^{-T^{\dagger}}$  is a de-excitation operator and  $e^{-T^{\dagger}}\mathcal{H}_{cas}=\mathcal{H}_{cas}$ . Thus the first term  $\|\Psi-e^{-T^{\dagger}}\tilde{\Phi}\|$  is relatively large!!! (In the single reference case  $\tilde{\Phi}=\phi_0$ !) But  $\tilde{\Psi}$  is a poor approximation of  $\Psi$  This shows the importance of computing  $\tilde{\Psi}$ !!!

to be extended in future!!! - work in progress

## Appendix - Two Lagrangian

Better: Consider the CC Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L}(\Phi, ilde{\Phi}, \mathcal{T}, \Lambda) := rac{\langle ilde{\Phi}, \mathcal{L}\Phi 
angle}{\langle ilde{\Phi}, \Phi 
angle} + rac{1}{\langle ilde{\Phi}, \Phi 
angle} \langle \Lambda \phi_0, \mathcal{L}\Phi 
angle$$

we differentiate w.r.t.  $\tilde{\Phi}$ ,  $\Lambda$  and  $\Phi$  and  $T = T(\mathbf{t})$ 

$$L = L(\mathbf{t}) := e^{-T} H e^{T} , E := \frac{\langle \Phi, L \Phi \rangle}{\langle \tilde{\Phi}, \Phi \rangle}$$

$$\langle \delta \tilde{\Phi}, (L - E) \Phi \rangle = 0 \ \forall \delta \tilde{\Phi} \in Y_{h}$$

$$f_{\mu}(\mathbf{t}) = \langle X_{\mu} \phi_{0}, L \Phi \rangle = 0 \ \forall \mu \in \mathcal{I}_{ext}$$

$$\sum_{\mu} \langle \tilde{\Phi} + \Lambda_{\mu} \phi_{0}, [L, X_{\nu}] \Phi \rangle = 0 \ \forall \nu \in \mathcal{I}_{ext}$$

$$\langle (L^{\dagger} - E) \tilde{\Phi}, \delta \Phi \rangle = -\langle \Lambda \phi_{0}, L \delta \Phi \rangle \ \forall \delta \Phi \in X_{h}(!!!)$$

here  $\tilde{\Psi} \in V_{cas} \oplus \operatorname{span} \left\{ X_{\mu} \phi_0 : \mu \in \mathcal{I}_{\mathsf{ext}} \right\}$ 

## Projection Methods - Petrov Galerkin Methods

Alternative (Bodenstein & Kvaal) Consider the CC Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L}(\Phi, ilde{\Phi}, \mathcal{T}, \Lambda) := rac{\langle ilde{\Phi}, L\Phi 
angle}{\langle ilde{\Phi}, \Phi 
angle} + rac{1}{\langle ilde{\Phi}, \Phi 
angle} \langle \Lambda ilde{\Phi}, L\Phi 
angle$$

we differentiate w.r.t.  $\tilde{\Phi}, \Lambda$  and  $\Phi$  and  $T = T(\mathbf{t}), \langle \tilde{\Phi}, \Phi \rangle := 1$ ,

$$L = L(\mathbf{t}) := e^{-T} H e^{T}$$

$$\langle \delta \tilde{\Phi}, (L - E) \Phi \rangle = 0 \ \forall \delta \tilde{\Phi} \in Y_{h}$$

$$f(\mathbf{t}) = \langle X_{\mu} \tilde{\Phi}, L \Phi \rangle = 0 \ \forall \mu \in \mathcal{I}_{ext}$$

$$\langle (L^{\dagger} - E) \tilde{\Phi}, \delta \Phi \rangle + \langle \Lambda \tilde{\Phi}, L \delta \Phi \rangle = 0 \ \forall \delta \Phi \in X_{h}(!!!)$$

$$\sum_{\mu} \langle \tilde{\Phi} + \Lambda_{\mu} \tilde{\Phi}, [L, X_{\nu}] \Phi \rangle = 0 \ \forall \nu \in \mathcal{I}_{ext}$$

$$ilde{\Psi} \in V_{cas} \oplus \mathsf{span} \; \{ X_{\mu} ilde{\Phi} : \mu \in \mathcal{I}_{\mathsf{ext}} \}$$