Higher roots of the Schrödinger equation

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General overview of our research group



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Selected CI or how to create new methods with new acronyms

"SCI+PT2 methods provide near full CI (FCI) quality energies with only a small fraction of the determinants of the FCI space"

- CIPSI (Malrieu, Evangelisti, Angeli, Spiegelman, Giner, Caffarel, Scemama, etc)
- Semistochastic Heat-bath CI (Sharma & Umrigar)
- Adaptive sampling CI (Evangelista & Tubman)
- Incremental CI (Zimmerman)
- Iterative CI (Liu & Hoffmann)
- FCIQMC (Alavi & Booth)

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One selected CI (SCI) algorithm to rule them all

CIPSI = CI using a Perturbative Selection made Iteratively

- Developed in Toulouse many (many) years ago Huron, Malrieu & Rancurel, JCP 58 (1973) 5745
- Based on old idea by Bender and Davidson, and Whitten and Hackmeyer Bender & Davidson, Phys. Rev. 183 (1969) 23 Whitten & Hackmeyer, JCP 51 (1969) 5584
- CIPSI (and SCI methods in general) has been recently resurrected! Giner, Scemama & Caffarel, CJC 91 (2013) 879 Giner, Scemama & Caffarel, JCP 142 (2015) 044115
- CIPSI ≈ deterministic version of FCIQMC Caffarel et al., Recent Progress in Quantum Monte Carlo (2016) Chap. 2, 15-46.

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Selected CI methods

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"Quantum Package 2.0: An Open-Source Determinant-Driven Suite of Programs", Garniron et al., JCTC 15 (2019) 3591

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The Benzene Blind Challenge: Frozen-core correlation energy (cc-pVDZ)



Eriksen et al. JPCL 11 (2020) 8922

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Performance of CIPSI for C_6H_6/cc -pVDZ (1)



Loos, Damour & Scemama JCP 153 (2020) 176101

Performance of CIPSI for C_6H_6/cc -pVDZ (2)



Loos, Damour & Scemama JCP 153 (2020) 176101

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Orbital-optimized CIPSI for C₆H₆/cc-pVDZ (and many others)





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See also Scemama et al. JCP 153 (2021) 174107 for a range-separated approach in molecules

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 Is Externally Corrected Coupled Cluster Always Better Than the Underlying Truncated Configuration Interaction?

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Highly-accurate excitation energies: The QUEST project (1)

"The aim of the QUEST project is to provide to the community a large set of highly-accurate excitation energies for various types of excited states"







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Highly-accurate excitation energies: The QUEST project (2)



Véril et al. WIREs Comput. Mol. Sci. 11 (2021) e1517

https://lcpq.github.io/QUESTDB_website/

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Coupled-cluster theory for excited states





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Coupled-cluster theory

• Coupled-cluster (CC) wave function

$$\Psi_{\rm CC} = e^{\tilde{T}} \Psi_0$$
 where Ψ_0 is a reference wave function (1)

• Excitation operator

$$\hat{T} = \hat{T}_1 + \hat{T}_2 + \ldots + \hat{T}_n$$
 where *n* is the number of electrons (2)

• Exponential *ansatz*

$$e^{\hat{T}} = \hat{I} + \hat{T} + \frac{1}{2!}\hat{T}^{2} + \frac{1}{3!}\hat{T}^{3} + \dots$$

$$= \hat{I} + \hat{T}_{1} + \left(\underbrace{\hat{T}_{2}}_{\text{connected}} + \frac{1}{2}\underbrace{\hat{T}_{1}^{2}}_{\text{disconnected}}\right) + \left(\hat{T}_{3} + \hat{T}_{2}\hat{T}_{1} + \frac{1}{6}\hat{T}_{3}\right)$$

$$+ \left(\hat{T}_{4} + \hat{T}_{3}\hat{T}_{1} + \frac{1}{2}\underbrace{\hat{T}_{2}^{2}}_{\text{two pairs of electrons}} + \frac{1}{2}\hat{T}_{2}\hat{T}_{1}^{2} + \frac{1}{24}\underbrace{\hat{T}_{4}}_{\text{four electrons}}\right) + \dots$$
(3)

Excitation operators

Singles

$$\hat{T}_{1}\Psi_{0} = \sum_{i} \sum_{a} \underbrace{t_{i}^{a}}_{\text{amplitudes}} \Psi_{i}^{a} \tag{4}$$

Doubles

$$\hat{T}_2 \Psi_0 = \sum_{i < j} \sum_{a < b} t_{ij}^{ab} \underbrace{\Psi_{ij}^{ab}}_{\text{excited determinants}}$$
(5)

• FCI wave function

$$\Psi_{\rm CI} = (\hat{l} + \hat{T})\Psi_0 = (\hat{l} + \hat{T}_1 + \hat{T}_2 + \ldots + \hat{T}_n)\Psi_0 \tag{6}$$

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Schrödinger equation

$$\hat{\mathcal{H}} |\Psi_{\rm CC}\rangle = \mathcal{E}_{\rm CC} |\Psi_{\rm CC}\rangle \Rightarrow \hat{\mathcal{H}} e^{\hat{\mathcal{T}}} |\Psi_0\rangle = \mathcal{E}_{\rm CC} e^{\hat{\mathcal{T}}} |\Psi_0\rangle \Rightarrow \underbrace{e^{-\hat{\mathcal{T}}} \hat{\mathcal{H}} e^{\hat{\mathcal{T}}}}_{\bar{\mathcal{H}} = \text{ similarity transform}} |\Psi_0\rangle = \mathcal{E}_{\rm CC} |\Psi_0\rangle \tag{7}$$

• (Projected) Traditional CC energy (polynomial complexity)

$$E_{\text{TCC}} = \langle \Psi_0 | \bar{H} | \Psi_0 \rangle = \frac{\langle \Psi_0 | e^{-\hat{\tau}} \hat{H} e^{\hat{\tau}} | \Psi_0 \rangle}{\langle \Psi_0 | e^{-\hat{\tau}} e^{\hat{\tau}} | \Psi_0 \rangle} = \langle \Psi_0 | e^{-\hat{\tau}} \hat{H} e^{\hat{\tau}} | \Psi_0 \rangle$$
(8)

• Variational CC energy (factorial complexity)

$$\mathbf{\textit{E}_{VCC}} = \frac{\langle \Psi_{CC} | \hat{\mathcal{H}} | \Psi_{CC} \rangle}{\langle \Psi_{CC} | \Psi_{CC} \rangle} = \frac{\langle \Psi_{0} | e^{\hat{\tau}^{\dagger}} \hat{\mathcal{H}} e^{\hat{\tau}} | \Psi_{0} \rangle}{\langle \Psi_{0} | e^{\hat{\tau}^{\dagger}} e^{\hat{\tau}} | \Psi_{0} \rangle} \ge \mathbf{\textit{E}_{FCI}}$$

Van Voorhis & Head-Gordon, JCP 113 (2000) 8873

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• Amplitude equations for single amplitudes

$$\underbrace{r_i^a}_{\text{residual}} = \langle \Psi_i^a | \bar{H} | \Psi_0 \rangle = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad t_i^a \tag{10}$$

• Amplitude equations for double amplitudes

$$r_{ij}^{ab} = \langle \Psi_{ij}^{ab} | \bar{H} | \Psi_0 \rangle = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad t_{ij}^{ab}$$

$$\tag{11}$$

• Amplitude equations for *k*-tuple amplitudes

$$r_{ij\ldots}^{ab\ldots} = \langle \Psi_{ij\ldots}^{ab\ldots} | \bar{H} | \Psi_0 \rangle = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad t_{ij\ldots}^{ab\ldots}$$
(12)

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Traditional pair CCD (TpCCD)

• We set $\hat{T} = \hat{T}_2$ (CCD) and we restrict the excitation manifold to electron pairs (p)

$$\hat{T} |\Psi_0\rangle = \sum_{ia} t_{i\bar{i}}^{a\bar{a}} |\Psi_{\bar{i}\bar{i}}^{a\bar{a}}\rangle = \sum_{ia} t_i^a |\Psi_{\bar{i}\bar{i}}^{a\bar{a}}\rangle$$
(13)

• TpCCD energy

$$E_{\rm TpCCD} = \langle \Psi_0 | \hat{H} | \Psi_0 \rangle + \sum_{ia} t_i^a \langle ii | aa \rangle$$
⁽¹⁴⁾

• TpCCD residual

$$\begin{aligned} r_{i}^{a} &= \langle ii|aa \rangle + 2(f_{a}^{a} - f_{i}^{j})t_{i}^{a} - 2\sum_{j} \langle jj|aa \rangle t_{j}^{a}t_{i}^{a} - 2\sum_{b} \langle ii|bb \rangle t_{i}^{b}t_{i}^{a} \\ &- 2(2 \langle ia|ia \rangle - \langle ia|ai \rangle)t_{i}^{a} + 2 \langle ii|aa \rangle t_{i}^{a}t_{i}^{a} \\ &+ \sum_{b} \langle aa|bb \rangle t_{i}^{b} + \sum_{j} \langle ii|jj \rangle t_{j}^{a} + \sum_{jb} \langle jj|bb \rangle t_{j}^{a}t_{i}^{b} \end{aligned}$$
(15)

• Update amplitudes

$$t_i^a \leftarrow t_i^a - \frac{r_i^a}{2f_a^a - 2f_i^i}$$
 quasi-Newton algorithm (16)

Henderson et al. JCP 141 (2014) 244104; Limacher et al. JCTC 9 (2013) 1394

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TpCCD vs DOCI: Ground state with HF reference [Henderson et al. JCP 141 (2014) 244104]



FIG. 3. Dissociation of equally spaced hydrogen chains. Top panel: Differences between DOCI and pCCD energies (ΔE , defined in Eq. (27)) per electron pair. Bottom panel: Deviations in the overlap (1 – *S*, with *S* defined in Eq. (28)) per electron pair.



FIG. 4. Dissociation of equally spaced hydrogen chains in the canonical RHF basis rather than the pCCD-optimized basis used elsewhere. Top panel: Differences between DOCI and pCCD energies (ΔE , defined in Eq. (27)). Bottom panel: Deviations in the overlap (1 – 5, with S defined in Eq. (28)).

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Targeting excited states at the CC level

Does the similarity between TpCCD and DOCI still hold for excited states?

Equation-of-motion (EOM) formalism

$$\bar{\boldsymbol{H}} = \begin{pmatrix} \boldsymbol{E}_{\mathrm{CC}} & \langle \boldsymbol{\Psi}_0 | \bar{\boldsymbol{H}} | \boldsymbol{\Psi}_i^a \rangle & \langle \boldsymbol{\Psi}_0 | \bar{\boldsymbol{H}} | \boldsymbol{\Psi}_{ij}^a \rangle \\ \boldsymbol{0} & \langle \boldsymbol{\Psi}_i^a | \bar{\boldsymbol{H}} | \boldsymbol{\Psi}_i^a \rangle & \langle \boldsymbol{\Psi}_i^a | \bar{\boldsymbol{H}} | \boldsymbol{\Psi}_{ij}^a \rangle \\ \boldsymbol{0} & \langle \boldsymbol{\Psi}_{ij}^{ab} | \bar{\boldsymbol{H}} | \boldsymbol{\Psi}_i^a \rangle & \langle \boldsymbol{\Psi}_{ij}^{ab} | \bar{\boldsymbol{H}} | \boldsymbol{\Psi}_{ij}^{ab} \rangle \end{pmatrix}$$

Krylov, Annu Rev Phys 59 (2008) 433

"Ground state" formalism

There is more than one solution!!

$$r_i^a = \langle \Psi_i^a | \bar{H} | \Psi_0
angle = 0$$

 $r_{ij}^{ab} = \langle \Psi_{ij}^{ab} | \bar{H} | \Psi_0
angle = 0$

Piecuch & Kowalski, in Computational Chemistry: Reviews of Current Trends, Vol. 5 (2000) 1

Example: TpCCD for He/6-31G with h = HOMO and l = LUMO



Newton-Raphson algorithm to target excited states

$$t_i^a \leftarrow t_i^a - \sum_{jb} (J^{-1})_{ia,jb} r_j^b$$
 Newton-Raphson algorithm

Elements of the exact Jacobian matrix for TpCCD

$$J_{ia,jb} = \frac{\partial r_i^a}{\partial t_j^b} = \left[2f_a^a - 2f_i^j - 4 \langle ia|ia \rangle + 2 \langle ia|ai \rangle \right] \delta_{ij}\delta_{ab} + \left[\langle aa|bb \rangle - \langle jj|aa \rangle t_i^a + (1 - 2\delta_{ab}) \sum_{k \neq i} \langle kk|bb \rangle t_k^a \right] \delta_{ij} + \left[\langle ii|jj \rangle - \langle ii|bb \rangle t_i^a + (1 - 2\delta_{ij}) \sum_{c \neq a} \langle jj|cc \rangle t_i^c \right] \delta_{ab}.$$

$$(20)$$

Kossoski, Marie, Scemama, Caffarel & Loos JCTC 17 (2021) 4756

NB: Same strategy works for VCC [Marie, Kossoski & Loos JCP 155 (2021) 104105]

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Orbital optimization

Orbital rotations via unitary transformation

$$\tilde{E}(\hat{T},\hat{\kappa}) = \langle \Psi_0 | \underbrace{(\hat{I}+\hat{Z})}_{\text{de-excitation operator}} e^{-\hat{T}} e^{-\hat{\kappa}} \hat{H} e^{\hat{\kappa}} e^{\hat{T}} | \Psi_0 \rangle$$
(21)

NB: pCCD is not invariant wrt orbital rotations...

Updating the orbital coefficients

$$\tilde{E}(\boldsymbol{\kappa}) \approx \tilde{E}(\mathbf{0}) + \boldsymbol{g} \cdot \boldsymbol{\kappa} + \frac{1}{2}\boldsymbol{\kappa}^{\dagger} \cdot \boldsymbol{H} \cdot \boldsymbol{\kappa} \quad \Rightarrow \qquad \underbrace{\mathbf{C}}_{\text{new coefficients!}} \leftarrow \mathbf{C} \cdot e^{\boldsymbol{\kappa}} \quad \text{with} \quad \boldsymbol{\kappa} = -\boldsymbol{H}^{-1} \cdot \boldsymbol{g} \qquad (22)$$
Density matrices $\boldsymbol{\gamma} \& \boldsymbol{\Gamma} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \underbrace{g_{pq}}_{\text{gradient}} = \frac{\partial \tilde{E}(\boldsymbol{\kappa})}{\partial \kappa_{pq}}\Big|_{\boldsymbol{\kappa}=\mathbf{0}} \qquad \underbrace{H_{pq,rs}}_{\text{Hessian}} = \frac{\partial^{2} \tilde{E}(\boldsymbol{\kappa})}{\partial \kappa_{pq} \partial \kappa_{rs}}\Big|_{\boldsymbol{\kappa}=\mathbf{0}} \qquad (23)$
et al. JCP 141 (2014) 244104

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State-specific orbital-optimized TpCCD (oo-TpCCD) for excited states



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Lowest doubly-excited state of CH⁺

molecule	method	ΔE (eV)	$\Delta\Delta E$ (eV)
CH ⁺¹	Δoo-TpCCD	8.36	-0.19
	FCI ²	8.55	0
	EOM-CCSDT ³	8.62	+0.07
	EOM-CCSDt ³	8.64	+0.09
	EOM-oo-pCCD-LCCSD ⁴	8.84	+0.29
	EOM-pCCD-LCCSD ⁴	7.61	-0.94
	CC3 ⁵	8.78	+0.23

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¹Basis set and geometry taken from Olsen et al. CPL 154 (1989) 380

²Results from Olsen et al. CPL 154 (1989) 380

³Results from Kowalski & Piecuch, CPL 347(2001) 237

⁴Results from Boguslawski, JCTC 15 (2019) 18

⁵Results from Christiansen et al. JCP 103 (1995) 7429

More doubly-excited states for molecules $(6-31+G^*)$...

molecule	method	ΔE (eV)	$\Delta\Delta E$ (eV)
BH	∆oo-TpCCD	7.35	+0.24
	FCI	7.11	0
	EOM-CCSDTQ	7.12	+0.01
	EOM-CCSDT	7.15	+0.04
	CC3	7.30	+0.19
HNO	Δ oo-TpCCD	4.49	-0.02
	FCI ¹	4.51	0
	EOM-CCSDTQ ¹	4.54	+0.03
	EOM-CCSDT ¹	4.81	+0.30
	CC3 ¹	5.28	+0.77
H ₃ C – NO	Δ oo-TpCCD	4.66	-0.20
	FCI ¹	4.86	0
	EOM-CCSDT ¹	5.26	+0.40
	CC3 ¹	5.73	+0.87
$H_2C = O$	∆oo-TpCCD	11.26	+0.40
	FCI ¹	10.86	0
	EOM-CCSDTQ ¹	10.87	+0.01
	EOM-CCSDT ¹	11.10	+0.24
	CC3 ¹	11.49	+0.63

¹Results and geometries from Loos et al. JCTC 15 (2019) 1939

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Quantum Package 2.0: https://github.com/QuantumPackage/qp2



"Quantum Package 2.0: An Open-Source Determinant-Driven Suite of Programs", Garniron et al., JCTC 15 (2019) 3591

Fábris' repo: https://github.com/kossoski/qp_plugins_kossoski

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