

33. Show that $|00\rangle$ and $|10\rangle$ eigenstates of angular momentum operators are orthogonal.

$$\langle 00 | 10 \rangle = 0 \quad Y_{\ell, m}(\theta, \varphi) = \frac{(-1)^m}{2^\ell \ell!} \sqrt{\frac{2\ell+1}{4\pi}} \sqrt{\frac{(\ell+m)!}{(2\ell)!(\ell-m)!}} e^{im\varphi} \sin^m \theta \left(\frac{d}{d\cos\theta}\right)^{\ell-m} \sin^{2\ell} \theta$$

$$\text{So: } Y_{00} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi}} \quad Y_{10} = \sqrt{\frac{3}{4\pi}} \cos\theta$$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle 00 | 10 \rangle &= \int Y_{00}^* Y_{10} d\tau = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^\pi Y_{00}^* Y_{10} \sin\theta d\theta d\varphi \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^\pi \frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi}} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{3}{4\pi}} \cos\theta \sin\theta d\theta d\varphi \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4\pi} (2\pi) \int_0^\pi \cos\theta \sin\theta d\theta \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \int_{-1}^1 u du \quad \text{where } u = \cos\theta \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \frac{1}{2} u^2 \Big|_{-1}^1 = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} (1 - 1) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$\langle 00 | 10 \rangle = 0$, therefore they are orthogonal.