

On the Existence and Uniqueness of the Current-Density to Vector-Potential Mapping in Time-Dependent Current-Density Functional Theory a Global Fixed-Point Proof

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with momentum stress tensor, and acceleration

$$\hat{\mathcal{T}}_{\nu\mu}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \frac{1}{4} \sum_i \left\{ \left\{ \delta(\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}_i), \hat{\mathbf{v}}_{i\nu}(t) \right\}, \hat{\mathbf{v}}_{i\mu}(t) \right\}$$

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Key Operators

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{T}, \hat{\mathbf{f}}_W \rightarrow \hat{\mathbf{f}} \\ \hat{n}, \hat{\mathbf{j}}, \mathbf{E}, \mathbf{B} \end{aligned}$$

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- Internal force density $\mathbf{f} = -\nabla \cdot \mathcal{T} + \mathbf{f}_W$
- All properties depend on (v, \mathbf{A}) , with gauge invariance!
- Establish direct relation between $(v, \mathbf{A})_\Lambda$ and $(n, \mathbf{j})_P$

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Define $\Delta w(r) = w(r) - w'(r)$, then

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Separate Hartree term, using $n_\lambda \rightarrow n'$,

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→ first order in λ

$$\hat{V}_{h,\lambda}(t) - \hat{V}'_h(t) = \int d\mathbf{r} \hat{n}'(\mathbf{r})(u_\lambda(\mathbf{r}, t) - u'(\mathbf{r}, t)) \rightarrow \lambda \int d\mathbf{r} \hat{n}'(\mathbf{r}) \Delta u(\mathbf{r}, t)$$

Include in apparent scalar potential

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$$\langle \hat{o}(\mathbf{r}, t) \rangle_{\lambda} - \langle \hat{o}(\mathbf{r}, t) \rangle' = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \lambda^n \left\{ \sum_{p=1}^n \frac{(-i)^p}{p!} \lim_{\eta \rightarrow 0} \int_C dt_1 f_{\eta}(t_1) \dots \int_C dt_p f_{\eta}(t_p) \right. \\ \left. \times \sum_{\{n_1 \dots n_p\}} \langle \Psi'_0 | T_C \Delta \hat{o}(\mathbf{r}, t) \Delta \hat{h}_{n_1}(t_1) \dots \Delta \hat{h}_{n_p}(t_p) | \Psi'_0 \rangle \right\}.$$

with $1 \leq n_i \leq n - p + 1$ and $\sum_i n_i = n \Rightarrow$ highest $n_1 = n$ only for $p = 1$

Optimized Potential Method (x-only...)

To all orders $n_\lambda(\mathbf{r}, t) = n'(\mathbf{r}, t)$ and $\mathbf{j}_\lambda(\mathbf{r}, t) = \mathbf{j}'(\mathbf{r}, t)$

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with response functions

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and inhomogeneous part ($n = 1$)

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Consider norm

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$$\Rightarrow \|\mathbf{a}_i - \mathbf{a}_j\|_{\alpha} \leq \frac{1}{\alpha - \bar{s}_{\max}} \left\| \frac{1}{n} \right\| \cdot \|\mathbf{f}_i - \mathbf{f}_j\|_{\alpha}$$

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Diamagnetic contribution to $\hat{\mathbf{j}}$

$$\hat{\mathbf{j}} = \hat{\mathbf{j}}' + \hat{n}'\mathbf{a} \left. \vphantom{\hat{\mathbf{j}}} \right\} \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} n = n' + \sum_n \langle\langle T_C \Delta \hat{n}' \Delta \hat{H}_1^n \rangle\rangle' \\ \mathbf{j} = \mathbf{j}' + \sum_n \langle\langle T_C \Delta \hat{\mathbf{j}}' \Delta \hat{H}_1^n \rangle\rangle' + n\mathbf{a} \end{array} \right.$$

and similarly for $\hat{\mathcal{T}}$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\mathcal{T}}_{\mu\nu} &= \hat{\mathcal{T}}'_{\mu\nu} + \hat{n}'\mathbf{a}_\mu\mathbf{a}_\nu + \hat{\mathbf{j}}'_\mu\mathbf{a}_\nu + \mathbf{a}_\mu\hat{\mathbf{j}}'_\nu \\ \Rightarrow \mathcal{T} &= \mathcal{T}' + \sum_n \langle\langle T_C \Delta \hat{\mathcal{T}}' \Delta \hat{H}_1^n \rangle\rangle' + \mathbf{j}\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{a}\mathbf{j} - n\mathbf{a}\mathbf{a} \end{aligned}$$

Two particle interaction $\omega = w - w'$

$$\hat{\mathbf{f}}_W = \hat{\mathbf{f}}'_W - \underbrace{\sum_{i,j \neq i} \delta(\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}_i) \nabla \omega(\mathbf{r}_i - \mathbf{r}_j)}_{\hat{\mathbf{f}}_\omega}$$

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$$\mathbf{a} \rightarrow \nu = \lambda - \mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{a} \rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \hat{H}'[\nu', \mathbf{A}'] \rightarrow \Psi'(t) \rightarrow \mathcal{T}', \mathbf{f}'_W \\ \hat{H}_1[\nu, \mathbf{a}] \rightarrow \mathcal{T}, \mathbf{f}_W \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow \mathbf{f}$$

Consider a change

$$\mathbf{a} \rightarrow \mathbf{a} + \delta\mathbf{a}, \nu \rightarrow \nu + \delta\nu = \nu - \mathbf{v} \cdot \delta\mathbf{a}$$

Then unchanged unprimed system,

$$\hat{H}[\nu, \mathbf{A}] = \hat{H}'[\nu' - \delta\nu, \mathbf{A}' - \delta\mathbf{a}] + \hat{H}_1[\nu + \delta\nu, \mathbf{a} + \delta\mathbf{a}] \rightarrow \mathcal{T}, \mathbf{f}_W$$

But modified primed system

$$\hat{H}'[\nu' - \delta\nu, \mathbf{A}' - \delta\mathbf{a}] = \hat{H}'[\nu', \mathbf{A}'] + \int d\mathbf{r} [(\hat{\mathbf{j}}' - \hat{n}'\mathbf{v}) \cdot \delta\mathbf{a} + \frac{1}{2}\hat{n}'|\delta\mathbf{a}|^2]$$

Perturbation theory yields

$$\mathbf{f} \rightarrow \mathbf{f} + \delta\mathbf{f} = \mathbf{f} + \delta\{\nabla \cdot \mathcal{T}' - \mathbf{f}'_W\}$$

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Response formulation

$$\delta \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \int_{t_0}^t dt' \int d\mathbf{r}' \chi_{\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{j}-n\mathbf{v})}(\mathbf{r}, t; \mathbf{r}', t') \cdot \delta \mathbf{a}(\mathbf{r}', t')$$

with integrated intermediate response functions

$$\chi_{\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{j}-n\mathbf{v})}(\mathbf{r}, t; \mathbf{r}', t') = -i \int_0^1 d\lambda \langle \Psi'_0 | T_C \Delta_\lambda \hat{\mathbf{f}}(\mathbf{r}, t) \Delta_\lambda (\hat{\mathbf{j}} - \mathbf{v}\hat{n})(\mathbf{r}'t') | \Psi'_0 \rangle$$

Leading to α -norm

$$\Rightarrow \|\delta \mathbf{f}\|_\alpha \leq \frac{\chi_{max}}{\alpha} \|\delta \mathbf{a}\|_\alpha$$

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Discussion and Conclusions

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