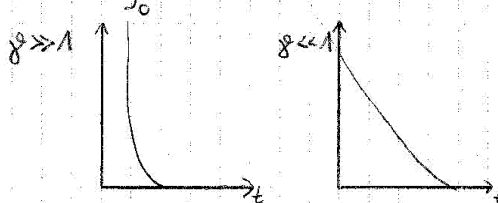


2 Übungslblatt Atom- und Molekülphysik


2.1

$$\overline{A(t)A(0)} \propto \int_0^{\infty} A(\tau)A(t+\tau) d\tau$$

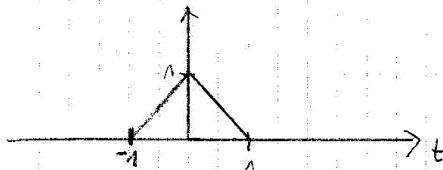
a) $\int_0^{\infty} e^{-\gamma\tau} \cdot e^{-\gamma(t+\tau)} d\tau = e^{-\gamma t} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-2\gamma\tau} d\tau = e^{-\gamma t} \left[-\frac{1}{2\gamma} e^{-2\gamma\tau} \right]_0^{\infty} = \frac{1}{2\gamma} e^{-\gamma t}$



b) We can express the given function with the help of unit step functions.

$$\Rightarrow A(\tau) = \Theta(\tau) - \Theta(\tau-1)$$


$$\int_0^{\infty} (\Theta(\tau) - \Theta(\tau-1))(\Theta(\tau+t) - \Theta(\tau+t-1)) d\tau = 2t \Theta(-t) - (1+t)\Theta(-1-t) - (t-1)\Theta(t) \stackrel{\uparrow}{=} 1-t$$



The second way is the old fashioned one without Heaviside's help.

$$A(\tau) = \begin{cases} 1, & 0 \leq \tau \leq 1 \\ 0, & \tau > 1 \end{cases}$$

We get a 0 for the integrand, if either $A(\tau)$ or $A(\tau+t)$ equals 0. This means that both of them have to be $\neq 0$. This is only possible for:

$0 \leq \tau \leq 1$ and $0 \leq \tau+t \leq 1$; for $t > 1$ or $t < -1$ this isn't possible.
($-t \leq \tau \leq 1-t$)

First case: $0 \leq t \leq 1$: $\overline{A(t)A(0)} = \int_0^{1-t} 1 d\tau = 1-t,$

Second case: $-1 \leq t \leq 0$: $\overline{A(t)A(0)} = \int_{-t}^1 1 d\tau = [\tau]_{-t}^1 = 1+t.$

That means we receive:

$$A(t) = \begin{cases} 1-t, & 0 \leq t \leq 1 \\ 1+t, & -1 \leq t \leq 0 \\ 0, & \text{in all other cases} \end{cases}$$

The graph is the same (for sure) like the one above for the treatment of the problem with unit step functions.



2.2

Lorentzian: $f(\omega) = \frac{\Gamma_{\text{hom}}}{\Gamma_{\text{hom}}^2 + (\omega - \omega_0)^2} = \frac{1}{\Gamma_{\text{hom}}} \frac{1}{1 + \left(\frac{\omega - \omega_0}{\Gamma_{\text{hom}}}\right)^2} = \frac{1}{\Gamma_{\text{hom}}} \frac{1}{1 + x^2}$

with $x = \left(\frac{\omega - \omega_0}{\Gamma_{\text{hom}}}\right)^2$

Gaussian: $g(\omega) = \exp(-\ln 2 \cdot \left(\frac{2\omega}{\Gamma_{\text{inh}}}\right)^2) = e^{-\omega^2} \cdot \text{const}$, with $a = \frac{4 \ln 2}{\Gamma_{\text{inh}}^2}$

$F(t)G(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-i\omega t} f(\omega - \omega_0) g(\omega) d\omega$ (wrong definition on task paper)

with $F(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-i\omega t} f(\omega) d\omega$ and $G(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-i\omega t} g(\omega) d\omega$

a) $F(t)G(t)$ is meant to be calculated.

$$F(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-i\omega t} \frac{1}{\Gamma_{\text{hom}}} \frac{1}{1 + \left(\frac{\omega - \omega_0}{\Gamma_{\text{hom}}}\right)^2} d\omega = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-i(\Gamma_{\text{hom}} x + \omega_0)t} \frac{1}{1 + x^2} dx$$

$x = \frac{\omega - \omega_0}{\Gamma_{\text{hom}}} \Leftrightarrow dx \Gamma_{\text{hom}} = d\omega$

$$= e^{-i\omega_0 t} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\cos(\Gamma_{\text{hom}} t x)}{1 + x^2} dx - i e^{-i\omega_0 t} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\sin(\Gamma_{\text{hom}} t x)}{1 + x^2} dx$$

$e^{-ix} = (\cos x - i \sin x)$

Broskein (21.15 with $a = \Gamma_{\text{hom}} t$), factor 2 for symmetric function from 0 to infinity

symmetric borders antisymmetric function
= 0

$$= 2 e^{-i\omega_0 t} \frac{\pi}{2} e^{-|\Gamma_{\text{hom}} t|} = \pi e^{-i\omega_0 t - |\Gamma_{\text{hom}} t|}$$

oscillation damping

$$G(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-i\omega t} e^{-\ln 2 \left(\frac{2\omega}{\Gamma_{\text{inh}}}\right)^2} d\omega = 2 \int_0^{\infty} \cos(\omega t) e^{-\omega^2} d\omega - i \int_0^{\infty} \sin(\omega t) e^{-\omega^2} d\omega$$

$a = \frac{4 \ln 2}{\Gamma_{\text{inh}}^2}$

Broskein (21.27) (antisymmetric) = 0

$$\Rightarrow F(t)G(t) = \frac{\pi^{\frac{3}{2}}}{4 \sqrt{\ln 2}} e^{-i\omega_0 t - |\Gamma_{\text{hom}} t| - \frac{\Gamma_{\text{inh}}^2 t^2}{16 \ln 2}} \cdot \Gamma_{\text{inh}}$$

b)

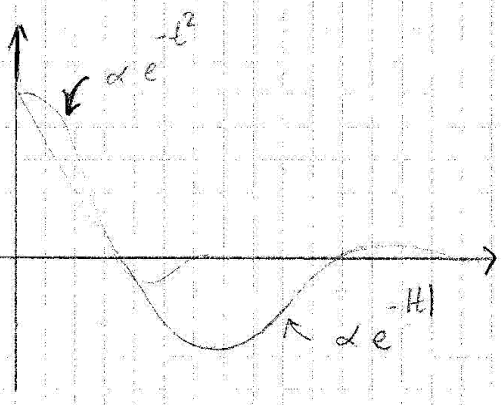
I) $\Gamma_{\text{hom}} \gg \Gamma_{\text{inh}} \Rightarrow F(t)G(t) \propto e^{-|t|}$

II) $\Gamma_{\text{hom}} \ll \Gamma_{\text{inh}} \Rightarrow F(t)G(t) \propto e^{-t^2}$

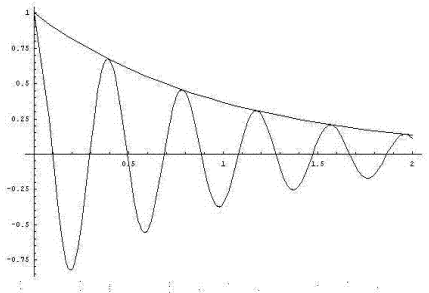
We get undamped oscillation in both cases, while the speed till it is damped differs. The inhomogeneous damping is of higher order than the homogeneous damping.

2.2

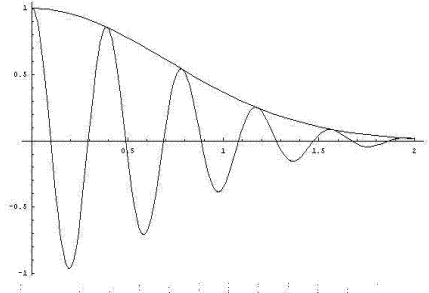
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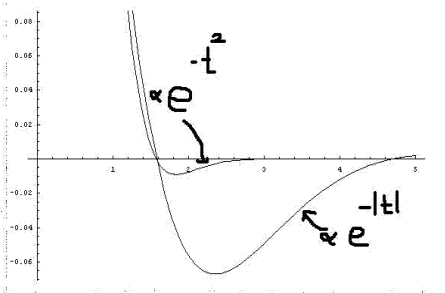
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2.3

a) normalized Lorentzian (1.160): $g(\nu)_{\text{LN}} = \frac{(2/\pi \Delta\nu)}{1 + [(2\nu - \nu_0)/\Delta\nu]^2}$.

This can be rewritten into: $g(\omega) = \frac{2}{\pi} \frac{a}{a^2 + \omega^2}$ using $\Delta\nu = a$ and $2(\nu - \nu_0) = \omega$. This one is well known from the script (1.136), only a factor differs for the FT, which is given with $g(t) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} e^{-at}$.

Using the property of convolutions from task 2, we can write for the convolution of two normalized Lorentzians:

$$S(t) = G^2(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-i\omega t} g(\omega - \omega_0) g(\omega) d\omega, \text{ with}$$

$$G(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-i\omega t} g(\omega) d\omega, \text{ this means we receive}$$

$$\Rightarrow S(t) = \left(\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-i\omega t} g(\omega) d\omega \right)^2 \stackrel{(1.136)}{=} \left(\sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} e^{-at} \right)^2 = \frac{2}{\pi} e^{-2at}.$$

We need $S(\omega)$ which is the FT of $S(t)$, with:

$$S(\omega) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dt e^{i\omega t} \frac{2}{\pi} e^{-2at} = \frac{1}{\pi^2} \left(\sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{2a}{4a^2 + \omega^2} \right).$$

(1.136) with $a \rightarrow 2a$ and a factor

The maximum can be found at $\omega = 0$, which is $S(\omega)_{\text{max}} = \sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{1}{2\pi a}$. This leads to a half maximum of $\sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{1}{4\pi a}$. So we get a FWHM of:

$$\sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{1}{4\pi^2 a} = \frac{1}{\pi^2} \sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{2a}{4a^2 + \omega^2}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow 4a^2 + \omega^2 = 8a^2$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \omega = \pm 2a,$$

which means we get $\Delta\omega = 4a$. For the normalized Lorentzian without the convolution we get a max at $\omega = 0$ with $g(\omega)_{\text{max}} = \frac{2}{\pi a}$, leading to half max of $\frac{1}{\pi a}$. So the FWHM is

$$\frac{1}{\pi a} = \frac{2}{\pi} \frac{a}{a^2 + \omega^2}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow a^2 + \omega^2 = 2a^2$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \omega = \pm a$$

which means we get $\Delta\omega = 2a$, which is the half of what we got for the convolution.

b) With the knowledge of part a) we already know, that the convolution of the Lorentzians gives us a doubled FWHM. While holeburning we produce this Lorentzian shaped curve by "destroying" some of the ~~atoms~~ atoms, which are ~~absorber~~ resonant to the λ of the laser. Afterwards they aren't there to absorb λ anymore and that's why we get less absorption.

2.4

to show: $\langle SA(t)SA(0) \rangle_c = \langle A(t)A(0) \rangle_c - \langle A \rangle_c^2$

with $SA(t) = A(t) - \langle A(t) \rangle_c$ and $\langle A(t) \rangle_c = \langle A(0) \rangle_c = \langle A \rangle_c$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \langle SA(t)SA(0) \rangle_c &= \langle (A(t) - \langle A(t) \rangle_c)(A(0) - \langle A(0) \rangle_c) \rangle_c \\ &= \langle A(t)A(0) - A(t)\langle A \rangle_c - A(0)\langle A \rangle_c + \langle A \rangle_c^2 \rangle_c \\ &= \langle A(t)A(0) \rangle_c - \underbrace{\langle A(t) \rangle_c \langle A \rangle_c}_{\langle A \rangle_c^2} - \underbrace{\langle A(0) \rangle_c \langle A \rangle_c}_{\langle A \rangle_c^2} + \langle A \rangle_c^2 \\ &= \langle A(t)A(0) \rangle_c - \langle A \rangle_c^2 \quad \square \end{aligned}$$