

PHYS 4380 Quantum Mechanics I

Homework Assignment 06

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Mandatory problems: 2 & 5

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1. Townsend 3.2
2. Townsend 3.3
3. Townsend 3.4, Townsend 3.14
4. , Townsend 3.17, Townsend 3.20
5. For $j = 3/2$
 - (a) Determine all the basis states (i.e. the angular momentum eigenstates).
 - (b) Determine the matrix representation of \hat{J}_z , \hat{J}_+ , and \hat{J}_- using the corresponding basis states.
 - (c) Use the result \hat{J}_+ , and \hat{J}_- in part (b) and find the matrix representation for \hat{J}_x , and \hat{J}_y
 - (d) Solve the eigenvalue equation for \hat{J}_y .