

Appendix: Theoretical calculation of the multimode $g^{(2)}(T)$

Collett and Gardiner [2] calculate the Bogoliubov transformation that the annihilation and creation operators undergo while passing through the double-ended cavity containing nonlinear crystal (Fig. 1) that has only one resonance. The result cannot be directly applied in case the cavity has multiple resonances, therefore here we derive a Bogoliubov transformation for the cavity that has infinite number of equally spaced spectral modes. Next we present a calculation of the $g^{(2)}(T)$ correlation function for the multimode cavity that bases on the definition 2 in the thesis and the obtained Bogoliubov transformation.

1. Bogoliubov transformations for a multi-resonance cavity

Let us consider a two-sided ring cavity as in Fig. 1 (A). Amplitude transmission and reflection coefficients are t_1 , t_2 , r_1 and r_2 . Cavity roundtrip time is denoted by τ . Intracavity field annihilation operator just before exiting the cavity is denoted as a , the input fields are a_{in} and b_{in} and the output field a_{out} . For an empty cavity we have the following relations:

$$\begin{aligned} a(t) &= r_1 r_2 a(t - \tau) + t_1 r_2 a_{in}(t - \tau) + t_2 b_{in}(t - \tau) \\ a_{out}(t) &= r_1 a_{in}(t) + t_1 a(t) \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

Including the transformation of the operators due to squeezing inside the cavity (r is squeezing amplitude for the single pass through the crystal):

$$\begin{aligned} a(t) &= r_1 r_2 \cosh(r) a(t - \tau) + r_1 r_2 \sinh(r) a^\dagger(t - \tau) + \\ &+ t_1 r_2 \cosh(r) a_{in}(t - \tau) + t_1 r_2 \sinh(r) a_{in}^\dagger(t - \tau) + \\ &+ t_2 \cosh(r) b_{in}(t - \tau) + t_2 \sinh(r) b_{in}^\dagger(t - \tau) \end{aligned}$$

This yields the Bogoliubov transformation:

$$a_{out}(\omega) = A(\omega) a_{in}(\omega) + B(\omega) a_{in}^\dagger(-\omega) + C(\omega) b_{in}(\omega) + D(\omega) b_{in}^\dagger(-\omega) \quad (2)$$

Where:

$$\begin{aligned} A(\omega) &= d(\omega)(t_1^2 r_2 (e^{-i\omega\tau} \cosh(r) - r_1 r_2) + r_1 d(\omega)^{-1}) \\ B(\omega) &= d(\omega)(\sinh(r) t_1^2 r_2 e^{i\omega\tau}) \\ C(\omega) &= d(\omega)(t_2 t_1 (e^{-i\omega\tau} \cosh(r) - r_1 r_2)) \\ D(\omega) &= d(\omega)(\sinh(r) t_2 t_1 e^{i\omega\tau}) \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

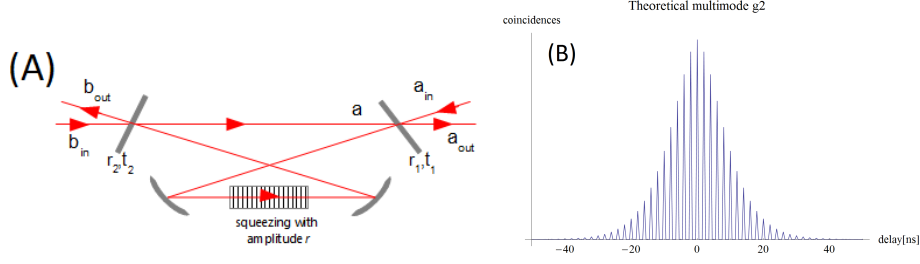


Figure 1. (A); Input, output and intracavity field operators for double-sided cavity with a nonlinear crystal inside. Operator a denotes intracavity field annihilation operator just before exiting the cavity. (B): $g^{(2)}(T)$ plotted from eq. 5

The pre-factor:

$$d(\omega) = \frac{1}{1 - 2r_1 r_2 \cos(\omega\tau) \cosh(r) + r_1^2 r_2^2}$$

2. Multimode $g^{(2)}(T)$

The objective is to calculate $g^{(2)}(T)$ of the output field (for the vacuum inputs in both modes) which after expressing the electric field operator in eq.?? in terms of creation and annihilation operators reduces to:

$$g^{(2)}(T) = {}_{b_{in}} \langle 0 | {}_{a_{in}} \langle 0 | a_{out}^\dagger(t) a_{out}^\dagger(t+T) a_{out}(t+T) a_{out}(t) | 0 \rangle_{a_{in}} | 0 \rangle_{b_{in}} \quad (4)$$

Knowing that:

$$a(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} a(\omega) e^{-i\omega t} d\omega$$

$$a^\dagger(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} a^\dagger(-\omega) e^{-i\omega t} d\omega$$

We can use the operators in the Fourier domain:

$$g^{(2)}(T) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\omega_1 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\omega_2 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\omega_3 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\omega_4 e^{-i(\omega_2+\omega_3)(t+T)} e^{-i(\omega_1+\omega_4)t}$$

$$\times {}_{b_{in}} \langle 0 | {}_{a_{in}} \langle 0 | a_{out}^\dagger(-\omega_1) a_{out}^\dagger(-\omega_2) a_{out}(\omega_3) a_{out}(\omega_4) | 0 \rangle_{a_{in}} | 0 \rangle_{b_{in}}$$

After the reduction of the operators we find:

$${}_{b_{in}} \langle vac | {}_{a_{in}} \langle vac | a_{out}^\dagger(\omega_1) a_{out}^\dagger(\omega_2) a_{out}(\omega_3) a_{out}(\omega_4) | vac \rangle_{a_{in}} | vac \rangle_{b_{in}} =$$

$$= \delta(\omega_1 + \omega_2) \delta(\omega_3 + \omega_4) [C^*(\omega_1) A^*(\omega_2) + D^*(\omega_1) B^*(\omega_2)] [A(\omega_3) C(\omega_4) + B(\omega_3) D(\omega_4)]$$

$$+ \delta(\omega_2 + \omega_3) \delta(\omega_1 + \omega_4) [C^*(\omega_1) C(\omega_4) + D^*(\omega_1) D(\omega_4)] [C^*(\omega_2) C(\omega_3) + D^*(\omega_2) D(\omega_3)]$$

$$+ \delta(\omega_1 + \omega_3) \delta(\omega_2 + \omega_4) [C^*(\omega_1) C(\omega_3) + D^*(\omega_2) D(\omega_3)] [C^*(\omega_2) C(\omega_4) + D^*(\omega_2) D(\omega_4)]$$

This yields:

$$g^{(2)}(T) = \mathcal{F}[A(\omega)C(-\omega) + D(-\omega)B(\omega)](T) \mathcal{F}[A(\omega)C(-\omega) + D(-\omega)B(\omega)](-T)$$

$$+ (\mathcal{F}[C^*(\omega)C(\omega) + D^*(\omega)D(\omega)](0))^2 + (\mathcal{F}[C^*(\omega)C(\omega) + D^*(\omega)D(\omega)](T))^2$$

Let us express the pre-factor as a sum of Dirac delta functions:

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{F}[d(\omega)^2](T) &= \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(T - k\tau) F(k) \\ F(k) &= \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2r_1 r_2 \cosh(r)}{1 + r_1^2 r_2^2 + \sqrt{(1 + r_1^2 r_2^2)^2 - (2r_1 r_2 \cosh(r))^2}} \right)^{|k-m|} \\ &\times \left(\frac{2r_1 r_2 \cosh(r)}{1 + r_1^2 r_2^2 + \sqrt{(1 + r_1^2 r_2^2)^2 - (2r_1 r_2 \cosh(r))^2}} \right)^{|m|} ((1 + r_1^2 r_2^2)^2 - (2r_1 r_2 \cosh(r))^2)^{-1}\end{aligned}$$

Therefore the final expression:

$$g^{(2)}(T) = f_1^2(0) + \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(T - k\tau) [f_1^2(k) + f_2(k) f_2(-k)] \quad (5)$$

Where

$$\begin{aligned}f_1(k) &= t_1^2 t_2^2 ([-r_1 r_2 \cosh(r)] F(k+1) + [-r_1 r_2 \cosh(r)] F(k-1) + \\ &+ [r_1^2 r_2^2 + \cosh(2r)] F(k)) \\ f_2(k) &= t_1 t_2 ([-r_1^2 r_2 \cosh(r)^2] F(k-2) + \\ &+ [r_1(1 + r_2^2(3r_1^2 - 1)) \cosh(r)] F(k-1) + [-\frac{1}{2} r_2(r_1^2(3 + 2r_2^2(2r_1^2 - 1)) + \\ &+ (3r_1^2 - 2) \cosh(2r)] F(k) + [r_1 r_2^2(2r_1^2 - 1) \cosh(r)] F(k+1))\end{aligned}$$

The $g^{(2)}(T)$ of the multimode cavity output has an envelope of the shape of double falling exponential and peaks approximately every cavity roundtrip time (plotted for our experimental conditions on Fig. 1 (B)), resulting from the interference between the modes. As opposed to that, the single mode $g^{(2)}(T)$ should also have the shape of double exponential decay (Fourier transform of a single Lorentzian peak being the power spectral density)[1].

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