Methoden moderner Röntgenphysik I

Coherence based techniques III

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## Outline

18.12. 2008 Introduction to Coherence

8.01. 2009 Structure determination techniques

15.01.2009 Correlation Spectroscopy







#### Time and frequency dependent correlation functions

$$\rho(r,t) = e^{iHt/\hbar} \rho(r,0) e^{-iHt/\hbar}$$

Time dependence in the Heisenberg represantion H - Hamilton operator of the system

$$\rho(r,t) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-i\omega t} \rho(r,\omega)$$

time and frequency dependent electron densities are conjugate quantities connected via Fourier Transform

$$\rho(r,\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{i\omega t} \rho(r,t)$$

C

$$(r,t,r',t') = \left\langle \rho(r,t)\rho(r',t') \right\rangle$$
 +

time dependent correlation function

#### Time and frequency dependent correlation functions

system spatially homogenous and temporal stationary

$$C(r_1, t_1, r_2, t_2) = \left\langle \rho(r_1, t_1) \rho(r_2, t_2) \right\rangle = \left\langle \rho(r_1 - r_2, t_1 - t_2) \rho(0, 0) \right\rangle = C(r, t)$$

$$r = r_1 - r_2$$
, and  $t = t_1 - t_2$ 

Intermediate scattering function  $S(q,t) = \iint dr_1 dr_2 \left\langle \rho(r_1,0)\rho(r_2,t) \right\rangle e^{iq(r_1-r_2)} = \left\langle \rho(-q,0)\rho(q,t) \right\rangle = \tilde{C}(q,t)$ 

Dyanmic scattering function

$$S(q,\omega) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\omega e^{-i\omega t} S(q,t) = \widetilde{C}(q,\omega)$$

Static scattering function

$$S(q,t=0) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\omega S(q,\omega)$$

How to calculate the dynamic correlation functions? 1. Linear response theory

 $H = \int dr \ F(r,t)\rho(r,t) \qquad \begin{array}{l} \text{H interaction Hamiltonian} \\ \text{F Force} \end{array}$ 

$$\rho(r,t) = \iint dr' dt' \chi(r,r',t-t')F(r',t')$$

$$\rho(r,\omega) = \int dr' \chi(r,r',\omega)F(r',\omega)$$
response function  $\chi$ 

Fluctuation Dissipation Theorem

$$S(q, \omega) = \frac{2k_B T}{\omega} \operatorname{Im} \chi(q, \omega)$$

valid for thermal equilibrium

#### Fluctuation Dissipation Theorem

Example : the driven, damped harmonic oscillator

equation of motion  $\ddot{x} + \omega_0^2 x + \gamma \dot{x} = f / m$ 

frequency dependent 
$$\chi(\omega) = \frac{x(\omega)}{f(\omega)} = \frac{1}{m} \frac{1}{-\omega^2 + \omega_0^2 - i\omega\gamma}$$
  
Im  $\chi(\omega) = \frac{1}{2m\omega_1} \left[ \frac{\gamma/2}{(\omega - \omega_1)^2 + (\gamma/2)^2} - \frac{\gamma/2}{(\omega + \omega_1)^2 + (\gamma/2)^2} \right]$ 
$$\omega_1 = \sqrt{\omega_0^2 - \frac{\gamma^2}{4}}, \quad \tau^{-1} = \frac{1}{2}\gamma \left[ 1 - (1 - 4\omega_0^2\gamma^{-2})^{1/2} \right]$$

(a)  $w_1$  is real -> Lorentzian lines, centered at  $w_1$  with HWHM  $\gamma/2$ (b)  $w_1$  is imag -> Lorentzian line, centered at 0 with HWHM  $\tau$ 



How to calculate the dynamic correlation functions? 2. Differential equations of correlation functions

Example : Fick's law of diffusion

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t}C(R,t) = D\nabla^2 C(R,t) \quad (1)$$

Spatial Fourier transform of Eq. (1)

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t}S(q,t) = -Dq^2S(q,t) \quad (2)$$

Intermediate Scattering function for free diffusion

$$S(q,t) = \exp(-Dq^{2}t) \quad (3)$$
  
Dynamic Scattering function for free diffusion 
$$D = \frac{k_{B}T}{6\pi\eta R}$$

$$S(q,\omega) = \frac{Dq^2}{\omega^2 + (Dq^2)^2} \quad (4)$$





#### Measuring in frequency or time domain? equilibrium processes

typical frequency of X-rays hv = 8 keV  $h = 4.14 \cdot 10^{-15} eVs$ 





## Time domain

- + cover a very large time window 1000 seconds -> 1e-12 seconds (XFEL)
- + sensitive to non-equilibrium processes

-photon hungry



XPCS is a "Photon-Hungry" Method ....

## X-ray Photon Correlation Spectroscopy



## Fluctuating Speckle Pattern



## Intensity Autocorrelation Function



$$< I(q,0)I(q,\tau) >= \frac{1}{T} \int_{0}^{T} I(q,t)I(q,t+\tau)$$

remember  $I(q,t) = \langle \rho(q,t)\rho(-q,t) \rangle$ 

$$\left\langle I(q,t_1)I(q,t_2)\right\rangle = \left\langle \rho(q,t_1)\rho(-q,t_1)\rho(q,t_2)\rho(-q,t_2)\right\rangle$$

Gaussian momentum theorem and Siegert relation

$$\langle \rho(q,t_1)\rho(-q,t_1)\rho(q,t_2)\rho(-q,t_2) \rangle = \langle \rho(q,t_1)\rho(-q,t_1) \rangle \langle \rho(q,t_2)\rho(-q,t_2) \rangle + \langle \rho(q,t_1)\rho(q,t_2) \rangle \langle \rho(-q,t_1)\rho(-q,t_2) \rangle + \langle \rho(q,t_1)\rho(-q,t_2) \rangle \langle \rho(q,t_1)\rho(-q,t_2) \rangle = 0$$

 $\left\langle \rho(q,t_1)\rho(-q,t_1)\rho(q,t_2)\rho(-q,t_2) \right\rangle = \left\langle \rho(q,t_1)\rho(-q,t_1) \right\rangle \left\langle \rho(q,t_2)\rho(-q,t_2) \right\rangle$  $+ \left\langle \rho(q,t_1)\rho(-q,t_2) \right\rangle \left\langle \rho(q,t_1)\rho(-q,t_2) \right\rangle$ 

 $= \left\langle \rho(q,0)\rho(-q,0) \right\rangle \left\langle \rho(q,0)\rho(-q,0) \right\rangle + \left\langle \rho(q,0)\rho(-q,\tau) \right\rangle \left\langle \rho(q,0)\rho(-q,\tau) \right\rangle$ 

$$\langle I(q,0)I(q,\tau)\rangle = \langle S(q,0)\rangle^2 + |\langle S(q,\tau)\rangle|^2$$

phase information lost, if S is complex (QM)  $k_BT \ll \hbar\omega$ 

#### Effects of partial coherence



Heterodyne mixing in XPCS

analogue to Holography – built in a reference source  $\rho(q,t) = \rho_0 + \rho(q,t)$ 

$$\frac{\langle I(q,0)I(q,\tau)\rangle \sim 2I_{s}I_{r}\langle S(q,\tau)\rangle + I_{s}^{2} |\langle S(q,\tau)\rangle|^{2}}{field\ \text{correlation\ function}}$$

$$I_{s} = \left\langle \rho(q,t)\rho(-q,t) \right\rangle, I_{r} = \left\langle \rho_{0}\rho_{o}^{*} \right\rangle$$

By choosing a strong reference signal the intensity autocorrelation function is dominated by S(q,t) - on the expense of signal to noise ratio.

## Examples

Surface fluctuations

Heterodyne mixing Transition propagating - overdamped behavior

Bulk fluctuations

Colloidal diffusion Domain dynamics in Chromium



## Fluctuating Interfaces: Capillary Waves



## **Scattering Geometry & Notation**





## **Electron Density: Surface Scattering**



### Capillary waves on liquid water



#### **Correlation functions of surface fluctuations**



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## Spectral features of damped capillary waves



#### Mixtures of liquid water and glycerol tuning the viscosity (damping) as a function of temperature



## Measurement



#### Diffusion in Colloidal Suspensions



Free diffusion is valid for large length scales. What is happening when the probed length scales becomes comparable to particle size?



#### Diffusion in Colloidal Suspensions



## Hydrodynamic function H(q)

indirect hydrodynamic interactions mediated by the solvent medium

$$H(q) = \frac{D(q)}{D_0} S(q)$$

H(q) < 1

indirect hydrodynamic interactions slow down the dynamics



#### Antiferromagnetic Domain fluctuations in Chromium



Charge density wave satellite peaks (CDW)

O.G. Sphyrko et al. Nature 447, 68 (2007)

#### Intensity Autocorrelation Function





non Arrhenius behavior

CDW satellite peak

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Electron bunch trains (with up to 3250 bunches à 1 nC)



## XPCS at XFEL



# Sequential technique $g_{2}(\tau) = \frac{\langle I(t)I(t+\tau) \rangle}{\langle I(t) \rangle^{2}} = 1 + \beta |f(\tau)|^{2}$

## Split-Pulse technique

$$S(\tau) = I(t) + I(t + \tau)$$

$$c_2(\tau) = \frac{\left\langle S(\tau)^2 \right\rangle - \left\langle S(\tau) \right\rangle^2}{\left\langle S(\tau) \right\rangle^2} = \frac{\beta}{2} \left( 1 + \left| f(\tau) \right|^2 \right)$$



## X-ray Split and Delay Unit



Development of an X-ray delay unit for correlation spectroscopy and pump - probe experiments

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## First XFEL light in Stanford 2009



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