Quiz #14 (Vector Spaces, Operators and Matrices)

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Prob.1(2)

Determine what each of following expressions corresponds to: column vector, row vector, matrix, or complex number. Assume bra and ket vectors have dimension of N, and the matrix has dimension of NxN.

 $(a) < f | \hat{A}$ $(b) | f \rangle \langle g |$ $(c) \hat{A} | f \rangle \langle g |$ $(d) \hat{A}^{+} | f \rangle (| f \rangle)^{+}$

Prob. 2(2)

Consider a particle having mass M in a quantum well with length L having infinite barriers. Determine the expression for the Hamiltonian operator *matrix* using the basis $|\psi_n\rangle$, the eigen state for above quantum well.