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Time-dependent studies of photon-induced processes in He S. X. HU, J. COLGAN, L. A. COLLINS, Los Alamos National Laboratory — The fully three-dimensional Schrödinger equation for two-electron systems, such as He exposed to intense laser pulses, has been numerically solved within the time-dependent closecoupling scheme. The Real-Space Product Formula (RSPF) has been implemented in our calculations in the time propagation and is found to have advantages over other propagators. The resulting cross-sections of two-photon double ionization and the decay rates for autoionization states are in very good agreement with those obtained in experiments and by other methods. In addition, the time-dependent method enables us to examine the detailed dynamics of these processes.

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