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In[2]:= SetDirectory["~/KappaLib/"];
<< kappaLib-1.2.m
<< helper.m
Loading KappaLib v1.2
Loading helper.m..
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In this notebook we define a medium kappa such that:

- 1) kappa is algebraically decomposable**
- 2) beta^2-alpha gamma = 0**
- 3) the Fresnel polynomial always has a linear factor, but it does not factorise into a product of two second order polynomials**

■ Define medium

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In[5]:= kappa = emMatrixToKappa[ $\begin{pmatrix} -3 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ ];
(* kappa is invertible *)
FullSimplify[emDet[kappa]]

(* kappa has no axion component *)
Simplify[emTrace[kappa]]

(* Since this does not simplify to {0}, kappa has a skewon component *)
Union[Flatten[kappa - emPoincare[kappa]]]

(* Since this does not simplify to {0}, kappa has a principal component *)
Union[Flatten[kappa + emPoincare[kappa]]]

Out[6]= 1
Out[7]= 0
Out[8]= {-4, -1, 0, 1, 4}
Out[9]= {-2, -1, 0, 1, 2}
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■ Define constants alpha, beta, gamma and bivectors A and B:

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In[10]:= alpha = 1;
beta = -1;
gamma = 1;
rho = 1/2;

Abivector = 
$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix};$$


Bbivector = 
$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -4 & 1 & 1 \\ 4 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix};$$

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■ Note these satisfy $\beta^2 - \alpha\gamma = 0$

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In[16]:= beta^2 - alpha gamma
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Out[16]= 0
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■ Verify that kappa is algebraically decomposable:

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In[17]:= LHS = alpha emIdentityKappa[] +
beta (kappa + emPoincare[kappa]) + gamma emCompose[emPoincare[kappa], kappa];
RHS = emBiProduct[rho, Abivector, Bbivector] + emBiProduct[rho, Bbivector, Abivector];
Union[Simplify[Flatten[(LHS - RHS)]]]
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Out[19]= {0}
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■ Compute Fresnel polynomial

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In[20]:= coords = {xi0, xi1, xi2, xi3};
fresnel = FullSimplify[emKappaToFresnel[kappa, coords]]
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Out[21]= xi2 (xi0 (xi1 (xi0 + xi1) + 2 (xi0 + 3 xi1) xi2 + xi2^2) -
(xi1^2 + xi1 xi2 + xi2 (3 xi0 + xi2)) xi3 + xi2 xi3^2)
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■ Fresnel polynomial is product of linear factor and 3rd order factor

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In[22]:= factor1 = xi2;
factor2 = (xi0 (xi1 (xi0 + xi1) + 2 (xi0 + 3 xi1) xi2 + xi2^2) -
(xi1^2 + xi1 xi2 + xi2 (3 xi0 + xi2)) xi3 + xi2 xi3^2);
Simplify[fresnel - factor1 factor2]
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Out[24]= 0
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■ Show that the Fresnel polynomial does not factor into a product of two second order polynomials

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In[25]:= gPlus = emMatrix["g", 4, Structure -> "Symmetric"];
gMinus = emMatrix["h", 4, Structure -> "Symmetric"];
gPlus // MatrixForm
gMinus // MatrixForm
factorised = (coords.gPlus.coords) (coords.gMinus.coords);
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Out[27]//MatrixForm=
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$$\begin{pmatrix} g_{11} & g_{12} & g_{13} & g_{14} \\ g_{12} & g_{22} & g_{23} & g_{24} \\ g_{13} & g_{23} & g_{33} & g_{34} \\ g_{14} & g_{24} & g_{34} & g_{44} \end{pmatrix}$$

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Out[28]//MatrixForm=
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$$\begin{pmatrix} h_{11} & h_{12} & h_{13} & h_{14} \\ h_{12} & h_{22} & h_{23} & h_{24} \\ h_{13} & h_{23} & h_{33} & h_{34} \\ h_{14} & h_{24} & h_{34} & h_{44} \end{pmatrix}$$

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In[30]:= constraints = Union[Flatten[CoefficientList[factorised - fresnel, coords]]];
constraints = simp[constraints];
show[constraints]

Out[32]//MatrixForm=
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1 :	0
2 :	$g_{11} h_{11}$
3 :	$g_{22} h_{22}$
4 :	$g_{33} h_{33}$
5 :	$g_{44} h_{44}$
6 :	$2 (g_{12} h_{11} + g_{11} h_{12})$
7 :	$2 (g_{13} h_{11} + g_{11} h_{13})$
8 :	$2 (g_{14} h_{11} + g_{11} h_{14})$
9 :	$2 (g_{22} h_{12} + g_{12} h_{22})$
10 :	$2 (g_{23} h_{22} + g_{22} h_{23})$
11 :	$2 (g_{24} h_{22} + g_{22} h_{24})$
12 :	$2 (g_{33} h_{23} + g_{23} h_{33})$
13 :	$2 (g_{44} h_{14} + g_{14} h_{44})$
14 :	$2 (g_{44} h_{24} + g_{24} h_{44})$
15 :	$2 (g_{44} h_{34} + g_{34} h_{44})$
16 :	$1 + 2 g_{34} h_{33} + 2 g_{33} h_{34}$
17 :	$-1 + 2 g_{33} h_{13} + 2 g_{13} h_{33}$
18 :	$g_{22} h_{11} + 4 g_{12} h_{12} + g_{11} h_{22}$
19 :	$g_{33} h_{22} + 4 g_{23} h_{23} + g_{22} h_{33}$
20 :	$g_{44} h_{11} + 4 g_{14} h_{14} + g_{11} h_{44}$
21 :	$g_{44} h_{22} + 4 g_{24} h_{24} + g_{22} h_{44}$
22 :	$-2 + g_{33} h_{11} + 4 g_{13} h_{13} + g_{11} h_{33}$
23 :	$-1 + g_{44} h_{33} + 4 g_{34} h_{34} + g_{33} h_{44}$
24 :	$2 (g_{24} h_{11} + 2 g_{14} h_{12} + 2 g_{12} h_{14} + g_{11} h_{24})$
25 :	$2 (2 g_{24} h_{12} + g_{22} h_{14} + g_{14} h_{22} + 2 g_{12} h_{24})$
26 :	$2 (g_{34} h_{11} + 2 g_{14} h_{13} + 2 g_{13} h_{14} + g_{11} h_{34})$
27 :	$2 (g_{44} h_{12} + 2 g_{24} h_{14} + 2 g_{14} h_{24} + g_{12} h_{44})$
28 :	$2 (g_{44} h_{13} + 2 g_{34} h_{14} + 2 g_{14} h_{34} + g_{13} h_{44})$
29 :	$2 (g_{44} h_{23} + 2 g_{34} h_{24} + 2 g_{24} h_{34} + g_{23} h_{44})$
30 :	$3 + 4 g_{34} h_{13} + 2 g_{33} h_{14} + 2 g_{14} h_{33} + 4 g_{13} h_{34}$
31 :	$1 + 2 g_{34} h_{22} + 4 g_{24} h_{23} + 4 g_{23} h_{24} + 2 g_{22} h_{34}$
32 :	$1 + 4 g_{34} h_{23} + 2 g_{33} h_{24} + 2 g_{24} h_{33} + 4 g_{23} h_{34}$
33 :	$-1 + 2 g_{23} h_{11} + 4 g_{13} h_{12} + 4 g_{12} h_{13} + 2 g_{11} h_{23}$
34 :	$-1 + 4 g_{23} h_{12} + 2 g_{22} h_{13} + 2 g_{13} h_{22} + 4 g_{12} h_{23}$
35 :	$2 (-3 + g_{33} h_{12} + 2 g_{23} h_{13} + 2 g_{13} h_{23} + g_{12} h_{33})$
36 :	$4 (g_{34} h_{12} + g_{24} h_{13} + g_{23} h_{14} + g_{14} h_{23} + g_{13} h_{24} + g_{12} h_{34})$

- If the Fresnel polynomial factorises the above equations must have a solution g_{ij} and h_{ij} .
- By D.Cox, J.Little, D.O'Shea "Ideals, Varieties, and Algorithms" we know that a system of polynomial equations do not have have a solution (in the complex domain) if a Gröbner basis for the equations is {1}. This is the case here:

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In[33]:= gb = GroebnerBasis[constraints, Variables[constraints]]; // Timing

Out[33]= {0.920789, Null}

In[34]:= gb

Out[34]= {1}
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- Thus equations ‘constraints’ have no solution for h_{ij} and g_{ij} and there is no factorisation for the Fresnel surface of κ into quadratic forms.

Show that $D=A$ satisfies the equation

$$D(\kappa + \beta \text{Id}) = 1/2 \text{ trace}(\bar{\rho} D \otimes D) A + B.$$

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In[35]:= (*
 * If D=1/2 D^ij d/dx^i /\ d/dx^j is a bivector we represent
 * the coefficients by the anti-symmetric matrix with coefficients
 * of (D^ij)_ij. If kappa is an antisymmetric (2,2)-tensor,
 * then this routine returns coefficients of bivector D (\kappa).
 *)
contract[biv_,\kappa_]:=Table[
 1/2 Sum[biv[[i]][[j]]emReadNormal[\kappa,a,b,i,j]
  ,
  {i, 1, 4},{j, 1, 4}
 ]
 ,
 {a, 1, 4}, {b, 1, 4}
]

In[36]:= Dbivector = Abivector;
dLHS = contract[Dbivector, \kappa + \beta emIdentityKappa[]];
dRHS = 1/2 emTrace[emBiProduct[\rho, Dbivector, Dbivector]] Abivector + Bbivector;
deqs = Union[Flatten[Simplify[dLHS - dRHS]]]

Out[39]= {0}
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