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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 1-parameter class of mediums:

1) each kappa is algebraically decomposable

2) $\beta^2 - \alpha \gamma = 0$

3) the Fresnel polynomial always has four linear factors

■ Define medium

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In[5]:= kappa = emMatrixToKappa [
  (
    1 1 1 0 0 0
    1 0 0 0 0 0
    2 1 0 0 0 0
    0 0 0 0 -k65 -1
    1 1 0 0 -1 0
    0 0 0 -1 k65 0
  )
];

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In[6]:= (* kappa is invertible *)
FullSimplify[emDet[kappa]]

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

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

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

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Out[6]= 1
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Out[7]= 0
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Out[8]= {-3, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, 3, -k65, 1 + k65}
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Out[9]= {-2, -1, 0, 1, 1 - k65, -1 + k65, -k65, k65}
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■ Kappa depends on 1-variable

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In[10]:= Variables[kappa]

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Out[10]= {k65}
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■ Define constants alpha, beta, gamma and bivectors A and B:

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In[11]:= alpha = 1;
         beta = 1;
         gamma = 1;
         rho = 1;
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$$\text{Abivector} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & 0 \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix};$$

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

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In[17]:= beta ^ 2 - alpha gamma
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Out[17]= 0
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■ Verify that kappa is algebraically decomposable

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In[18]:= 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[20]= {0}
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■ Compute Fresnel polynomial

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In[21]:= coords = {xi0, xi1, xi2, xi3};
         fresnel = FullSimplify[emKappaToFresnel[kappa, coords]];
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■ Fresnel polynomial is product of linear factor and 3rd order factor

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In[23]:= fresnel
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Out[23]= -(-1 + k65) xi0 (xi1 - xi3)^2 (xi1 + xi3)
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■ Note:

- The Fresnel polynomial has four linear factors
- When $k65 = 1$, the Fresnel polynomial is the zero polynomial

Show that

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

has a solution for D

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In[24]:= (*
         * 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}
         ]
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In[25]= **Dbivector** =
$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix};$$

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dLHS = contract[Dbivector, kappa + beta emIdentityKappa[]];
dRHS = 1 / 2 emTrace[emBiProduct[rho, Dbivector, Dbivector]] Abivector + Bbivector;
deqs = Union[Flatten[Simplify[dLHS - dRHS]]]
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Out[28]= {0}