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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 3-parameter class of medium tensors κ such that:

- 1) each κ is algebraically decomposable.
 - 2) $\beta^2 - \alpha \gamma = 0$.
 - 3) the Fresnel polynomial always has exactly two linear factors.
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■ Define medium

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In[5]:= kappa = emMatrixToKappa [

$$\begin{pmatrix} -2 & 0 & k13 & k14 & k15 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 5 & 1 & \frac{3}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix};$$


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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]=  $\{-2, -1, -\frac{1}{2}, 0, \frac{1}{2}, 1, 2, -k13, k13, 5 - k15\}$ 
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Out[9]=  $\{-\frac{5}{2}, -2, -1, -\frac{1}{2}, 0, 1, 2, \frac{5}{2}, k13, 2 k14, -5 - k15, 5 + k15\}$ 
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■ Kappa depends on 3 variables

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In[10]:= Variables[kappa]

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Out[10]= {k13, k14, k15}
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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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$$\mathbf{Abivector} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \frac{3}{2} & 0 & -\frac{k13}{2} \\ -\frac{3}{2} & 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{16} (24 + 8 k15) \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & \frac{1}{64} (160 - 32 k14) \\ \frac{k13}{2} & \frac{1}{16} (-24 - 8 k15) & \frac{1}{64} (-160 + 32 k14) & 0 \end{pmatrix};$$

$$\mathbf{Bbivector} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix};$$

■ 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 quadratic form

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In[23]:= linFactor1 = \frac{1}{2} (xi0 - xi1 + 2 xi2 - 5 xi3);
         linFactor2 = (3 xi1 - k13 xi3);
         quadraticForm = ((xi1 - xi2) xi2 - xi1 xi3 + 2 xi3^2);

         Simplify[fresnel - linFactor1 linFactor2 quadraticForm]
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Out[26]= 0
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■ Show that the quadratic factor is irreducible in the complex polynomials

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In[27]:= v = {v0, v1, v2, v3};
         w = {w0, w1, w2, w3};
         delta = quadraticForm - (coords.v) (coords.w);
         eqs = Union[Flatten[CoefficientList[delta, coords]]];
         GroebnerBasis[eqs, Variables[eqs]]
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Out[31]= {1}
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Show that equation

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

has a solution for D

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In[32]:= (*
* 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[33]:= Dbivector = 
$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix};$$

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

Out[36]:= {0}
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