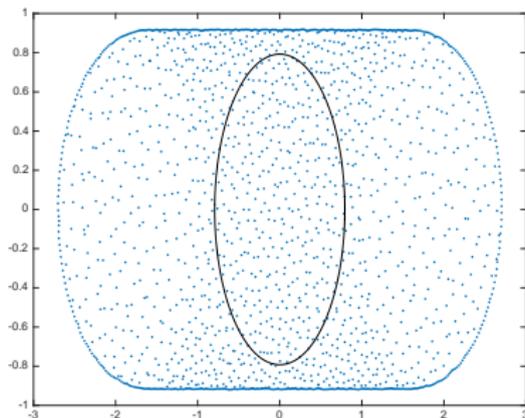


# Random perturbations of nonselfadjoint operators, and the Gaussian Analytic Function

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## Outline

- nonselfadjoint operators: spectral instability, pseudospectrum, quasimodes
- semiclassical nonselfadjoint (pseudo)differential: pseudospectrum vs. classical spectrum
- perturbation by a small random (Gaussian) operator: probabilistic Weyl's law
- can spectral correlations reveal more details of the symbol?
- simplest model in 1D: spectral correlations ( $k$ -point functions) lead to the Gaussian Analytic Function point process. Sketch of proof: effective Hamiltonian (Grushin method)
- more general models  $\rightsquigarrow$  less elementary processes, still involving the GAF.

## Pseudospectrum of nonselfadjoint operators

$P : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathcal{H}$  **selfadjoint**:  $\|(P - z)^{-1}\| = \text{dist}(z, \text{Spec}(P))^{-1}$

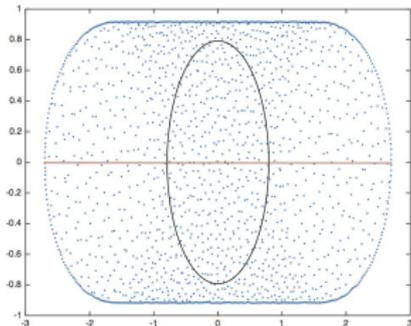
$P$  *not* selfadjoint:  $\|(P - z)^{-1}\|$  may be **very large** far from  $\text{Spec}(P)$ :  
**pseudospectral effect**.

$\leadsto \text{Spec}_\epsilon(P) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \{z \in \mathbb{C}, \|(P - z)^{-1}\| \geq \epsilon^{-1}\}$   $\epsilon$ -**pseudospectrum**.

$\iff$  **instability of  $\text{Spec}(P)$  w.r.t. perturbations**  $\iff$  **quasimodes**:

$$\begin{aligned} z \in \text{Spec}_\epsilon(P) &\iff \exists B \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}), \|B\| \leq 1, z \in \text{Spec}(P + \epsilon B) \\ &\iff \exists e_z \in \mathcal{H}, \|(P - z)e_z\| \leq \epsilon \|e_z\|. \end{aligned}$$

**Ex: semiclassical** (pseudo)differential operator  $P_h = \text{Op}_h(p)$ , with  $p(x, \xi)$  **complex-valued**. [DENCKER-SJÖSTRAND-ZWORSKI'04]



**Red**: spectrum of  $P_h = -ih\partial_x + e^{2i\pi x}$  on  $L^2(S^1)$ ,  $h = 10^{-3}$ :  **$\text{Spec } P_h = 2\pi h\mathbb{Z}$** .

**Blue**: spectrum of  $P_h^\delta = P_h + \delta Q$ , with  $\|Q\| \approx 1$ ,  $\delta = 10^{-9}$ .

(the spectra are truncated horizontally)

## A simple model nonselfadjoint operator

Model [HAGER'06]:  $P_h = -ih\partial_x + g(x)$  on  $L^2(S^1)$ , with  $g \in C^\infty(S^1, \mathbb{C})$ .  
Classical "symbol"  $p(x, \xi) = \xi + g(x)$  on  $T^*S^1$ . Elliptic  $\implies$  purely discrete spectrum.

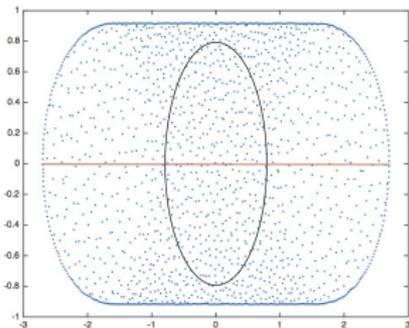
Where is the  $h^N$ -pseudospectrum of  $P_h$ ?

Define the classical spectrum  $\Sigma \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \overline{p(T^*S^1)} = \mathbb{R} + i[\min \text{Im } g, \max \text{Im } g]$ .

•  $z \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \Sigma$  fixed  $\implies \|(P_h - z)^{-1}\| \leq C$  uniform when  $h \in (0, h_0]$

Hence, if we perturb  $P_h$  by a perturbation  $\delta Q$  of size  $\delta \sim h^N$ , then  
 $\text{Spec}(P_h + \delta Q) \subset \Sigma + o(1)$ .

For this model  $\text{Spec } P_h = 2\pi h\mathbb{Z} + \bar{g}$  lies **on a line**.



Main observation: for a **generic** perturbation  $\delta Q$ ,  $\text{Spec}(P_h + \delta Q)$  **fills the whole of  $\Sigma$** .

The same phenomenon occurs for more general operators.

Ex: 1D Schrödinger operator  
 $P_h = -h^2\partial_x^2 + g(x)$  on  $S^1$  (or  $\mathbb{R}$ ), with a **complex-valued potential  $g(x)$** .

## Localized Quasimodes

To identify the  $h^N$ -pseudospectrum of  $P_h = \text{Op}_h(p)$ , we construct  $h^N$ -quasimodes.

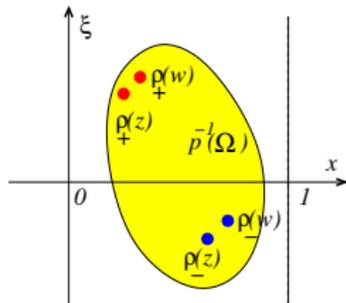
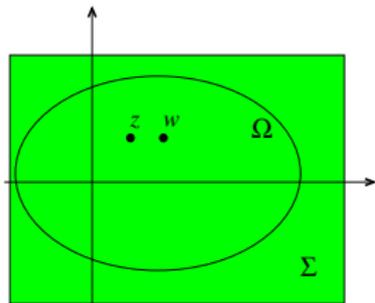
Assumption on  $p(x, \xi)$ : for any  $z \in \Omega \Subset \overset{\circ}{\Sigma}$ , the "energy shell"

$p^{-1}(z) = \{\rho = (x, \xi) \in T^*S^1, p(x, \xi) = z\}$  consists in a **finite set of points**  $\rho^j = \rho^j(z) \in T^*S^1$ , satisfying  $\{\text{Re } p, \text{Im } p\}(\rho^j) \neq 0$ .

Call  $\rho = \rho_+$  if  $\{\text{Re } p, \text{Im } p\}(\rho) < 0$  (resp.  $\rho = \rho_-$  if  $\{\text{Re } p, \text{Im } p\}(\rho) > 0$ ).

Then:

- for each  $\rho_+(z)$ , one can construct a  $h^\infty$ -quasimode  $e_+(z; h)$  of  $(P_h - z)$  (that is,  $\|(P_h - z)e_+(z; h)\| = \mathcal{O}(h^\infty)$ ), which is **microlocalized on  $\rho_+(z)$** .
- for each  $\rho_-(z)$ , one can construct a  $h^\infty$ -quasimode  $e_-(z; h)$  of  $(P_h - z)^*$ , microlocalized on  $\rho_-(z)$ .



## Localized quasimodes: a "linear normal form"

What do the quasimodes  $e_+(z, h)$  look like?

- If we linearize  $p(\rho)$  near  $\rho_+$ , we are lead (after a symplectic transformation) to a function of the type  $a(x, \xi) = \xi - ix$ : this is the classical symbol of the **annihilation operator**  $A_h = -ih\partial_x - ix$ .

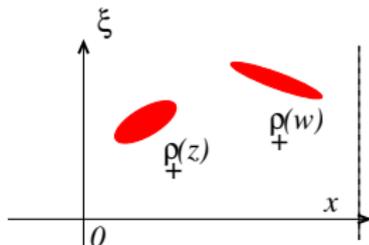
The symbol  $a(x, \xi) = \xi - ix$  has classical spectrum  $\Sigma = \mathbb{C}$ .

For each  $z = \Xi - iX \in \mathbb{C}$ , the "energy shell"  $a^{-1}(z) = \{\rho_+(z) = (X, \Xi)\}$ , and satisfies  $\{\text{Re } a, \text{Im } a\}(\rho_+) = -1$ .

$\implies$  one can construct quasimodes  $e_+(z; h)$  of  $(A_h - z)$  for all  $z \in \mathbb{C}$ .

Actually, for all  $z = \Xi - iX \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $(A_h - z)$  admits an *eigenstate*, the **coherent state** at  $(X, \Xi)$ ,  $\eta(x; z, h) = (\pi h)^{-1/4} e^{-(x-X)^2/2h + ix\Xi/h}$ .

- For a general  $p(x, \xi)$  and  $\rho_+ \in p^{-1}(z)$ , the quasimode  $e_+(z, h)$  is approximately a **squeezed coherent state** centered at the point  $\rho_+$ ; its **shape** depends on the linearization  $dp(\rho_+)$ .



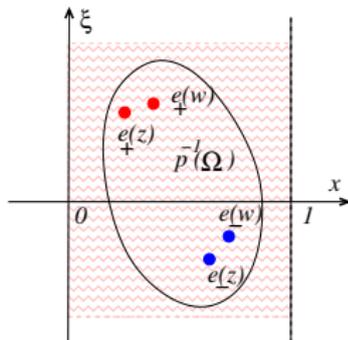
## Gaussian random perturbations: probabilistic Weyl's law

- These quasimodes show that for any  $z \in \Omega$ , for  $h < h_0$ , **there exists** an operator  $Q$ ,  $\|Q\| \sim 1$ , such that  $z \in \text{Spec}(P_h + \delta Q)$ , where  $\delta = h^N$ .

*What does the spectrum of  $P_h + \delta Q$  look like globally, for a **typical** perturbation  $\delta Q$ ?*

- To construct a **typical** perturbation  $Q$ , consider an **orthonormal system**  $(\varphi_k)$  **microlocally filling a nbhd of  $p^{-1}(\Omega)$** .

Ex: take  $(\varphi_k(x) = e^{2i\pi kx})_{|k| \leq C/h}$   
 $(\varphi_k$  is localized on  $\{(x, \xi = kh)\}$ ).



Then define the **Gaussian random operator**

$$Q = \sum_{k,k'} \alpha_{kk'} \varphi_k \otimes \varphi_{k'}^*, \quad \text{with the } \alpha_{kk'} \text{ i.i.d. } \mathcal{N}_{\mathbb{C}}(0, 1) \text{ variables.}$$

$Q$  belongs to the **Ginibre ensemble**. With high probability  $\|Q\|_{HS} \leq \tilde{C}/h$ .

- We then consider the randomly perturbed operator  $P_h^\delta = P_h + \delta Q$ , with a perturbation strength  $\delta = h^N$  ( $N \gg 1$ ).

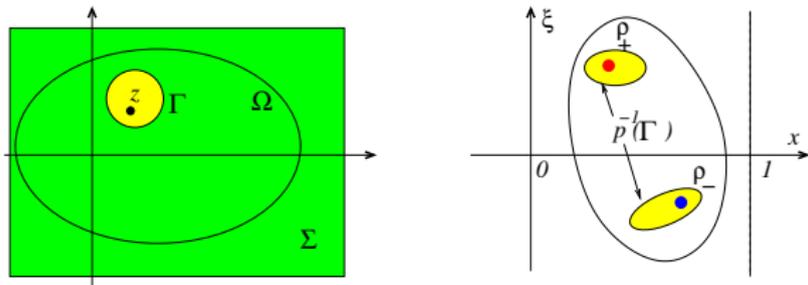
## Gaussian random perturbations: probabilistic Weyl's law

Theorem (HAGER'06, HAGER-SJÖSTRAND'07)

With probability  $\geq 1 - h^M$ , the spectrum of  $P_h^\delta = P_h + \delta Q$  satisfies a **Weyl's law**: for any smooth domain  $\Gamma \subset \Omega$ ,

$$\#(\text{Spec}(P_h^\delta) \cap \Gamma) = \frac{\text{Vol}(p^{-1}(\Gamma))}{2\pi h} + o(h^{-1}), \quad \text{when } h \searrow 0.$$

In particular, w.h.p. the spectrum fills up  $\Omega$ .



This **probabilistic Weyl's law** can be expressed in terms of the **average spectral density**:  $D_h(z) = (2\pi h)^{-1} D(z) + o(h^{-1})$ , with the "classical" density  $D(z) dz = p^*(dx \wedge d\xi)$ .

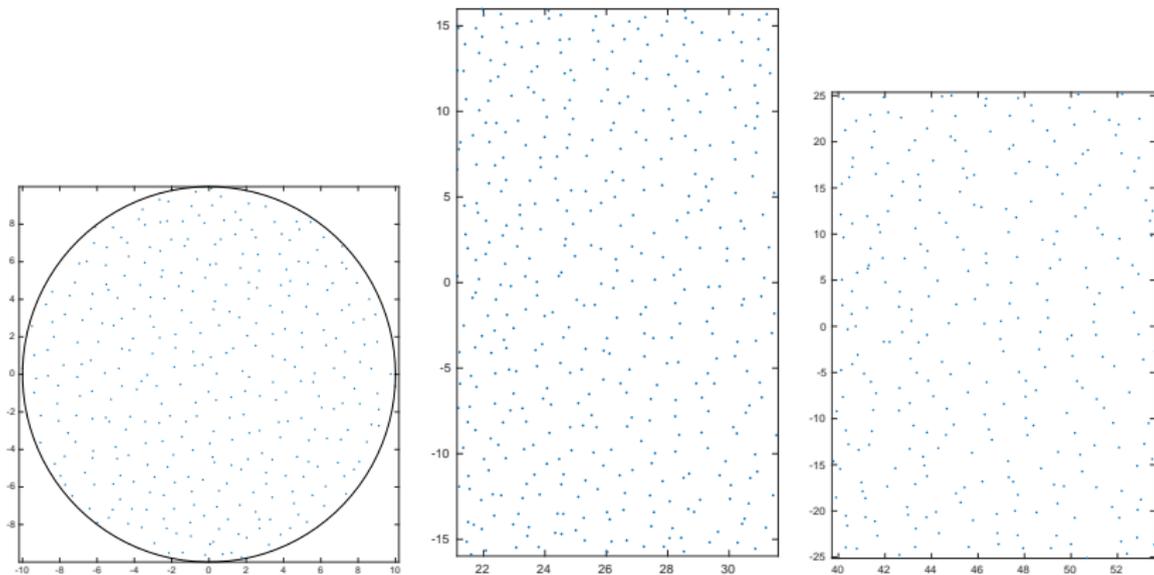
## Probabilistic Weyl's law: various settings

$$\#(\text{Spec}(P_h^\delta) \cap \Gamma) = \frac{\text{Vol}(p^{-1}(\Gamma))}{2\pi h} + o(h^{-1})$$

This probabilistic Weyl's law has been proved in more and more settings:

- [HAGER'06]:  $P_h = -ih\partial_x + g(x)$  on  $S^1$ , such that  $g^{-1}(z) = \{\rho_+, \rho_-\}$  for any  $z \in \overset{\circ}{\Sigma}$ . Perturbation = Gaussian random operator  $Q$ .
- [HAGER-SJÖSTRAND'08]:  $P_h = \text{Op}_h(p)$  on  $\mathbb{R}^n$ .
- [HAGER'06B]:  $P = \text{Op}_h(p)$  on  $\mathbb{R}^1$ , with **symmetry**  $p(x, \xi) = p(x, -\xi)$  (+some assumptions).  
**Multiplicative** perturbation: **random potential**  $V(x) = \sum_{k \leq C/h} \alpha_k \varphi_k(x)$ , with  $\alpha_k$  i.i.d.  $\mathcal{N}_{\mathbb{C}}(0, 1)$ .  
Ex:  $P_h = -h^2 \partial_x^2 + g(x) + \delta V(x)$ ,  $g(x)$  complex-valued.
- [SJÖSTRAND'08, ...]: Same on  $\mathbb{R}^n$  or  $M$  compact Riemannian mfold.
- [BORDEAUX-MONTRIEUX'10]:  $P$  a (nonsemiclassical) differential operator.

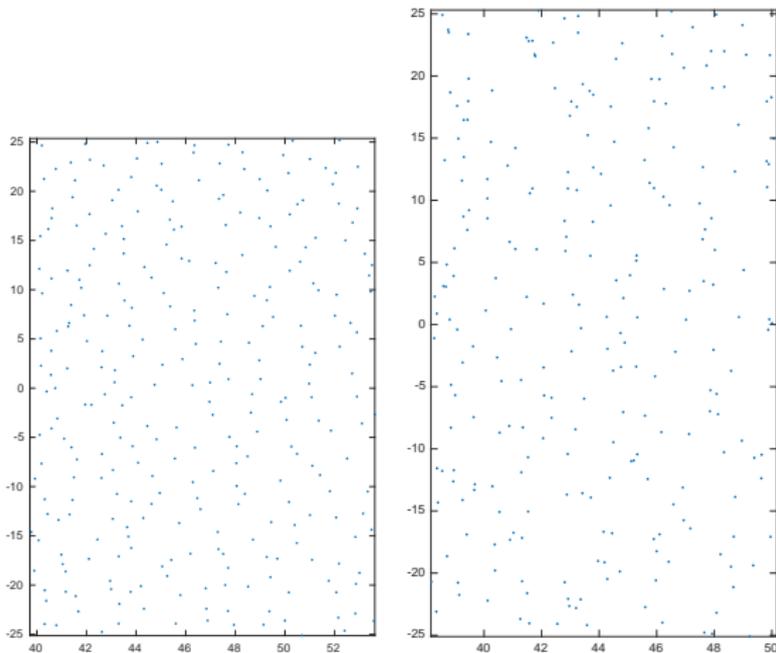
## Gaussian random perturbations: experiments



Spectrum (inside some  $\Gamma$ ) for various operators on  $S^1$ , perturbed by  $\delta Q$ :

$$P_1 = -ih\partial_x + e^{2i\pi x}, P_2 = -h^2\partial_x^2 + e^{2i\pi x}, P_3 = -h^2\partial_x^2 + e^{6i\pi x}$$

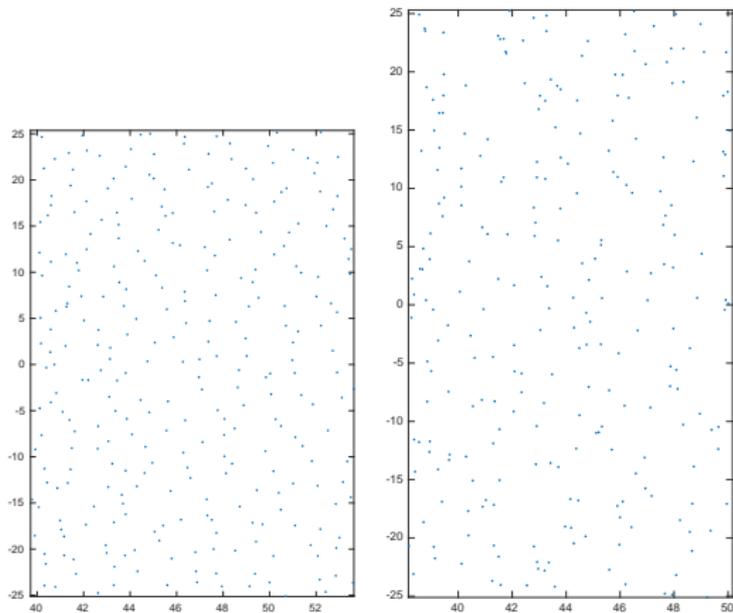
## Gaussian random perturbations: experiments



Operator  $P_3 = -h^2 \partial_x^2 + e^{6i\pi x}$  on  $S^1$ , two types of perturbations: random operator  $\delta Q$  (left) vs. random potential  $\delta V$  (right).

*Do you see any difference?*

## $Q$ vs. $V$ perturbation: spectral correlations



*Answer:* There are differences in the **correlations between the eigenvalues**.

$Q$ : the eigenvalues seem to "repel" each other on the scale of the mean level spacing, while for  $V$  they can present "clusters".

## Spectral correlations: $k$ -point functions

The spectrum of  $P_h^\delta$  defines a **random point process on  $\mathbb{C}$** , represented by the (locally finite) **random measure** on  $\mathbb{C}$

$$\mathcal{Z}_h^\delta = \sum_{z_i \in \text{Spec } P_h^\delta} \delta_{z_i}.$$

**1-point density** = average spectral density  $D_h(z)$

$$\forall \varphi \in C_c^\infty(\mathbb{C}), \quad \int_{\mathbb{C}} \varphi(z) D_h(z) dz = \mathbb{E}[\mathcal{Z}_h^\delta(\varphi)]$$

For any  $k \geq 1$ , the  **$k$ -point density** of this process is defined (outside the diagonal  $\Delta = \{z_i = z_j \text{ for some } i \neq j\}$ ) as:

$$\begin{aligned} \forall \varphi \in C_c^\infty(\mathbb{C}^k \setminus \Delta), \quad \int_{\mathbb{C}^k} \varphi(\vec{z}) D_h^k(\vec{z}) d\vec{z} &= \mathbb{E} \left[ \sum_{z_1, \dots, z_k \in \text{Spec } P_h^\delta} \varphi(z_1, \dots, z_k) \right] \\ &= \mathbb{E}[(\mathcal{Z}_h^\delta)^{\otimes k}(\varphi)]. \end{aligned}$$

**$k$ -point correlation function**: normalize the  $k$ -point density by the local average densities:

$$\forall (z_1, \dots, z_k) \in \mathbb{C}^k \setminus \Delta, \quad K_h^k(z_1, \dots, z_k) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \frac{D_h^k(z_1, \dots, z_k)}{D_h(z_1) \cdots D_h(z_k)}.$$

## 2-point function for Hager's model

Given  $P_h$  and random perturbation  $Q, V$ , can we compute the  $k$ -point correlations of  $\text{Spec } P_h^\delta$ ?

⊕ [VOGEL'14] computed  $K_h^2(z_1, z_2)$  for the operator  $P_h^\delta = -ih\partial_x + g(x) + \delta Q$ , in the case where  $p^{-1}(z) = \{\rho_+(z), \rho_-(z)\}$  for each  $z \in \Omega$ .

His formula suggests to rescale to the **local mean spacing** between nearby eigenvalues, namely  $D_h(z)^{-1/2} \approx \ell_z h^{1/2}$ ,  $\ell_z = (2\pi/D(z))^{1/2}$ .

**Theorem (VOGEL'14)**

*Assume  $p^{-1}(z) = \{\rho_+(z), \rho_-(z)\}$  for all  $z \in \Omega$ .*

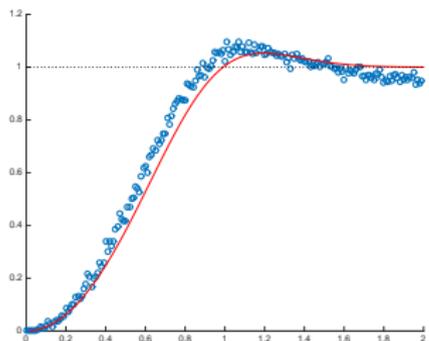
*For any  $z_0 \in \Omega$  and any  $u_1 \neq u_2 \in \mathbb{C}$ , we have a **scaling limit***

$$K_h^2(z_0 + u_1 \ell_{z_0} h^{1/2}, z_0 + u_2 \ell_{z_0} h^{1/2}) \xrightarrow{h \rightarrow 0} \tilde{K}^2(u_1, u_2),$$

with  $\tilde{K}^2(u_1, u_2) = \kappa\left(\frac{\pi}{2}|u_1 - u_2|^2\right)$ ,  $\kappa(t) = \frac{(\sinh^2 t + t^2) \cosh t - 2t \sinh t}{\sinh^3 t}$ .

- the limit is uniform for  $(u_1, u_2) \in K \Subset \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C} \setminus \Delta$
- the scaling limit is **universal** (dep. of  $g$  and  $z_0$  only through  $D(z_0)$ ).
- **quadratic repulsion** at short rescaled distance:  $\kappa(t) = t + \mathcal{O}(t^2)$ ,  $t \rightarrow 0$ .
- decorrelation at large rescaled distance:  $\kappa(t) = 1 + \mathcal{O}(t^2 e^{-2t})$ ,  $t \rightarrow \infty$ .

## $\tilde{K}^2(u_1, u_2)$ and the Gaussian Analytic Function



**Red line:**  $r \mapsto \kappa(r^2)$ , where  
 $\tilde{K}^2(u_1, u_2) = k\left(\frac{\pi}{2}|u_1 - u_2|^2\right)$ .

**Blue circles:** numerical data for  $P_1 + \delta Q$ , using 200 realizations of  $Q$ .

⊖  $\tilde{K}^2$  differs from the case of the **Ginibre ensemble** (= spectrum  $Q$  alone):  
 $\tilde{K}_{Gin}^2(u_1, u_2) = 1 - e^{-\pi|u_1 - u_2|^2}$ .

⊕  $\tilde{K}^2$  is the 2-point function for **the zeros of the Gaussian Analytic Function**:

$$G(u) = \sum_{n \geq 0} \beta_j \frac{\pi^{j/2} u^j}{\sqrt{j!}}, \quad u \in \mathbb{C}, \quad \beta_j \text{ i.i.d. random variables } \mathcal{N}_{\mathbb{C}}(0, 1).$$

[HANNAY'96]

- The zero set of  $G(u)$  will be denoted by  $\tilde{\mathcal{Z}}_G$ , it is a well-studied random point process on  $\mathbb{C}$  [NAZAROV-SODIN'10]

## GAF: $k$ -point densities from the covariance function

$\tilde{\mathcal{Z}}_G$  the zero process of the GAF  $G(u) = \sum_{n \geq 0} \beta_j \frac{\pi^{j/2} u^j}{\sqrt{j!}}$ .

To compute the  $k$ -point density  $D_G^k(\vec{u})$  of this process, the essential ingredient is the **covariance function**

$$C(u, \bar{v}) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \mathbb{E}[G(u)\overline{G(\bar{v})}] = \exp(\pi u \bar{v}).$$

Indeed, the identity between distributions

$$\tilde{\mathcal{Z}}_G(u) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \sum_{u_i: G(u_i)=0} \delta(u - z_i) = |G'(u)|^2 \delta(G(u)),$$

leads to the **Kac-Rice-Hammersley formula**:

$$D_G^k(\vec{u}) = \mathbb{E} \tilde{\mathcal{Z}}_G(u_1) \cdots \mathcal{Z}_G(u_k) = \mathbb{E} |G'(u_1)|^2 \delta(G(u_1)) \cdots |G'(u_k)|^2 \delta(G(u_k)).$$

The RHS only depends on the **joint distribution** of the Gaussian vector  $\{G(u_1), \dots, G(u_k), G'(u_1), \dots, G'(u_k)\}$ , encoded in the  $2k \times 2k$  **covariance matrix**

$$\begin{pmatrix} \mathbb{E} G(u_i) \overline{G(u_j)} & \mathbb{E} G'(u_i) \overline{G'(u_j)} \\ \mathbb{E} G(u_i) \overline{G'(u_j)} & \mathbb{E} G'(u_i) \overline{G'(u_j)} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} C(u_i, \bar{u}_j) & \partial_{u_i} C(u_i, \bar{u}_j) \\ \partial_{\bar{u}_j} C(u_i, \bar{u}_j) & \partial_{u_i} \partial_{\bar{u}_j} C(u_i, \bar{u}_j) \end{pmatrix}.$$

## The rescaled spectrum has the statistics of the GAF

Vogel's result for the spectrum of  $P_h^\delta = -ih\partial_x + g(x) + \delta Q$  extends to all  $k$ -point functions.

### Theorem (N-VOGEL'16)

Assume  $p^{-1}(z) = \{\rho_+(z), \rho_-(z)\}$  for each  $z \in \Omega$ . Take  $\delta = h^N$ ,  $N > 5/2$ .

For any  $k \geq 2$ , the  $k$ -point correlation function for the eigenvalues of  $P_h + \delta Q$  satisfy, near any  $z_0 \in \overset{\circ}{\Sigma}$ , the scaling limit

$$\forall \vec{u} \in \mathbb{C}^k \setminus \Delta, \quad K_h^k(z_0 + \vec{u} \ell_{z_0} h^{1/2}) \xrightarrow{h \rightarrow 0} \tilde{K}^k(\vec{u}),$$

where  $\tilde{K}^k(\vec{u})$  is the  $k$ -point function of the GAF.

In other words, the **rescaled spectral measure** centered at  $z_0$ ,

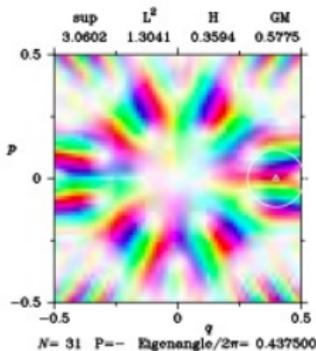
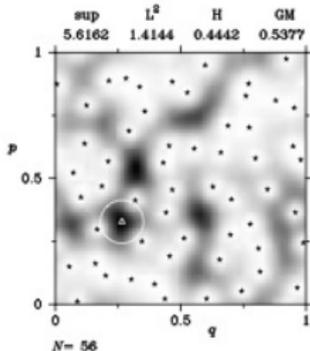
$$\tilde{\mathcal{Z}}_{h, z_0}^\delta = \sum_{z_i \in \text{Spec } P_h^\delta} \delta_{u_i = \frac{z_i - z_0}{\ell_{z_0} h^{1/2}}},$$

**converges in distribution** to the point process  $\tilde{\mathcal{Z}}_G$  when  $h \searrow 0$ .

## History: the GAF as a "holomorphic random wave"

The GAF has been used as a model for:

- eigenfunctions (in Bargmann representation) of 1D quantized chaotic maps [LEBOEUF-VOROS'91, BOGOMOLNY-BOHIGAS-LEBOEUF'96, HANNAY'96, PROSEN'96, N-VOROS'98]:  $\mathcal{B}_j(z) = \langle \tilde{\eta}(z), \psi_j \rangle$ , with  $\tilde{\eta}(z)$  holom. coh. st.



Left: random Bargmann function on  $\mathbb{T}^2$  (Husimi).

Right: Bargmann eigenfunction of a chaotic quantum map on  $\mathbb{T}^2$ .

- [BLEHER-SCHIFFMAN-ZELDITCH'00]:  $M$  compact Kähler mfold,  $L$  positive line bundle: study random holomorphic sections  $s(z)$  on  $L^{\otimes N}$ , in the limit  $N \rightarrow \infty$  ( $N \sim h^{-1}$ ).  
Covariance  $\mathbb{E}s(z)\overline{s(w)} = \Pi_N(z, w)$  Bergman kernel, rescale by  $N^{-1/2}$   
 $\leadsto$  universal scaling limit  $C(u, \bar{v})$  [TIAN, CATLIN, ZELDITCH'98, ...]  
 $\dim_{\mathbb{C}} M = 1$ : at each  $z_0 \in M$ , the rescaled zero process  $\tilde{\mathcal{Z}}_{s, z_0} \xrightarrow{N \rightarrow \infty} \tilde{\mathcal{Z}}_G$ .
- In the present work, the GAF mimicks an effective spectral determinant.

## How to study $\mathcal{Z}_h^\delta$ ? Use an effective Hamiltonian

Heuristics: the spectrum of  $P_h^\delta$  near  $z$  is governed by the action of  $P_h^\delta$ , resp.  $P_h^{\delta*}$  in the  $\sqrt{h}$ -neighbourhood of  $\rho_\pm(z) \rightsquigarrow$  involves the quasimodes  $e_\pm(z)$ .

- Idea: construct a **Grushin problem**: extend  $(P_h - z)$  by "filling" its approximate **kernel** and **cokernel**  $\rightsquigarrow$  **invertible** operator

$$\mathcal{P}(z) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \begin{pmatrix} P_h - z & R_-(z) \\ R_+(z) & 0 \end{pmatrix} : \mathcal{H} \oplus \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{H} \oplus \mathbb{C}.$$

Auxiliary operators  $R_+(z)u = \langle e_+(z), u \rangle$ ,  $R_-(z)u_- = u_- e_-(z)$ .

$$\text{Call } \mathcal{P}(z)^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} E(z) & E_+(z) \\ E_-(z) & E_{-+}(z) \end{pmatrix}.$$

- Schur's complement formula  $\implies z \in \text{Spec}(P_h) \iff E_{-+}(z) = 0$ .  
 $E_{-+}(z)$  is an **effective Hamiltonian** for  $P_h$ .
- $e_\pm(z)$  are  $h^\infty$ -quasimodes  $\implies E_{-+}(z) = \mathcal{O}(h^\infty)$ ,  $\forall z \in \Omega$ .

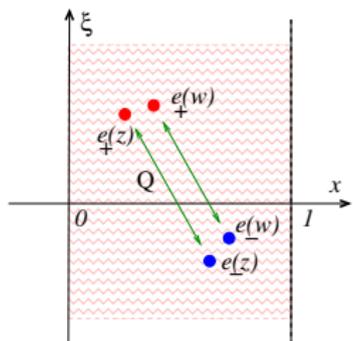
- use same Grushin extension for  $P_h^\delta \rightsquigarrow$  **randomly perturbed eff. Hamil.**

$$E_{-+}^\delta(z) = E_{-+}(z) + \delta F(z) + \mathcal{O}(\delta^2 h^{-1/2}), \quad \text{with } F(z) = -\langle Q e_+(z), e_-(z) \rangle.$$

$\oplus$  w.h.proba.,  $Q$  **couple**  $e_+(z)$  to  $e_-(z)$ , so that  $F(z) \asymp 1$ .

$\implies E_{-+}^\delta(z) \approx \delta F(z)$  a **Gaussian random function** of  $z$ .

## Computing the covariance of $F(z)$



$F(z) = -\langle Qe_+(z), e_-(z) \rangle$  can couple  $e_+$  to  $e_-$ , because the **phase space spanned by  $Q$**  contains  $\rho_+, \rho_-$ .

We need to study the zeros of the function  $\langle Qe_+(z), e_-(z) \rangle + \text{small} \rightsquigarrow$  compute its **covariance**:

$$\mathbb{E} \langle Qe_+(z), e_-(z) \rangle \overline{\langle Qe_+(w), e_-(w) \rangle} = \langle e_+(z), e_+(w) \rangle \langle e_-(w), e_-(z) \rangle + \mathcal{O}(h^\infty)$$

The quasimode  $e_+(z)$  is microlocalized in a  $\sqrt{h}$ -nbhd of  $\rho_+(z)$ .

For  $|z - w| > h^{1/2 - \epsilon}$ ,  $\langle e_+(z), e_+(w) \rangle = \mathcal{O}(h^\infty)$ . If  $z, w = z_0 + \mathcal{O}(\sqrt{h})$ ,

$$\langle e_+(z_0 + \sqrt{h}u), e_+(z_0 + \sqrt{h}v) \rangle = \exp(\sigma_+ u \bar{v} + \phi_+(u) + \overline{\phi_+(v)} + \mathcal{O}(\sqrt{h})),$$

Similar for  $\langle e_-(\bullet), e_-(\bullet) \rangle \implies$  up to a **change of gauge**, we get  $e^{(\sigma_+ + \sigma_-)u \bar{v}}$ .

One shows that  $\sigma_+ + \sigma_- = D(z_0)/2$ , so rescaling  $u, v$  by  $\ell_{z_0}$  we obtain the covariance  $e^{\pi u \bar{v}} = C(u, \bar{v})$  in the limit  $h \rightarrow 0$ .

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## 1D operators with $J$ quasimodes

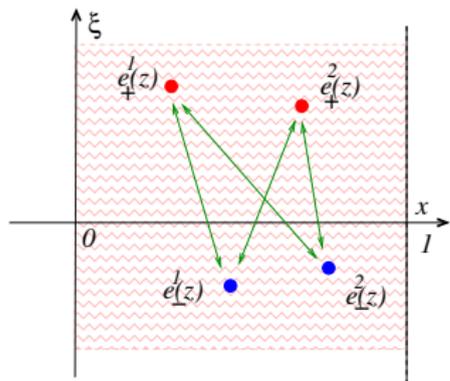
Let us now assume that for any  $z \in \Omega$ , the "energy shell"

$p^{-1}(z) = \{\rho_+^1(z), \dots, \rho_+^J(z), \rho_-^1(z), \dots, \rho_-^J(z)\}$ . Ex:  $p(x, \xi) = \xi + e^{2iJ\pi x}$ .

$(P_h - z)$  and  $(P_h - z)^*$  have  $J$  quasimodes  $e_{\pm}^j(z)$  microlocalized on  $\rho_{\pm}^j(z)$ .

The effective Hamiltonian  $E_{-+}^{\delta}(z)$  is now a  $J \times J$  matrix, and

$z \in \text{Spec}(P_h^{\delta}) \iff \det E_{-+}^{\delta}(z) = 0$ .



We get  $E_{-+}^{\delta}(z)^{ij} = -\delta \langle Qe_+^i(z), e_-^j(z) \rangle + \text{small}$

W.h.p.,  $E_{-+}^{\delta}(z)$  is dominated by the  $J \times J$  matrix  $F(z)$  of entries  $F_{ij}(z) = \langle Qe_+^i(z), e_-^j(z) \rangle$ .

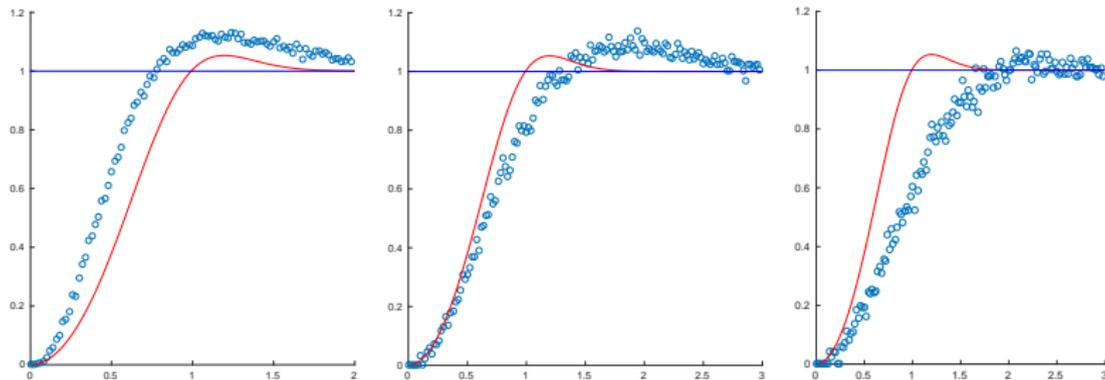
- each  $F_{ij}(z)$  is a GAF with rescaled (and re-gauged) covariance  $\exp((\sigma_{+i} + \sigma_{-j})u\bar{v})$ .
- the  $F_{ij}(z)$  are independent e.o. when  $h \rightarrow 0$ .

### Theorem (N-VOGEL'16)

After rescaling by  $h^{1/2}$  near  $z_0$ ,  $\tilde{z}_{h,z_0}^{\delta}$  converges to the zero process of the random holomorphic function  $G^J(u) = \det(G_{ij}(u))$ , where  $(G_{ij}(u))$  is a matrix of  $J \times J$  independent GAFs with variances  $e^{(\sigma_{+i} + \sigma_{-j})u\bar{v}}$ .

**Qu:** can we compute the  $k$ -correlations of the zeros of  $G^J(u)$ ?

## Operators with $J$ quasimodes



Blue circles: numerics for the rescaled 2-point function for operators  $P_J = -\hbar^2 \partial_x^2 + e^{2i\pi J/2x}$ ,  $J = 2, 6, 10$ . In the spectral region we consider,  $(P_J - z)$  admits  $J$  quasimodes.

Red: for comparison, the function  $\tilde{K}^2(u, v)$  as a function of  $|u - v|$ .

### Conjecture

*For any  $J \geq 1$ , the zeros of  $G^J(u)$  repel each other quadratically.*

(weak form of universality).

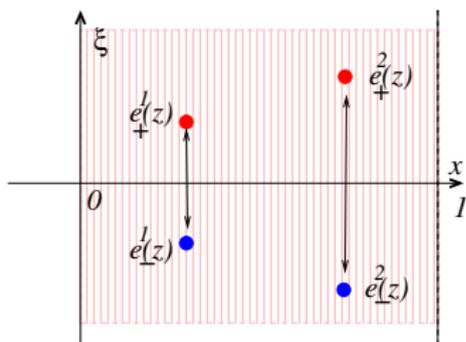
## Operators with $J$ quasimodes – multiplicative perturbation

Replace the perturbation  $\delta Q$  by the multiplicative perturbation  $\delta V(x)$ , with

$$V(x) = \sum_{|k| \leq C/h} \alpha_k \varphi_k(x).$$

The effective Hamiltonian is the  $J \times J$  matrix with entries

$$E_{-+}^\delta(z)^{ij} = -\delta \langle V e_+^i(z), e_-^j(z) \rangle + \text{small}.$$



The coupling of  $V$  is *local*:

$\langle V e_+(z), e_-(z) \rangle = \int V e_+ \bar{e}_- dx$ . Hence  $V$  can couple  $e_+(z)$  with  $e_-(z)$  **only provided**  $x_+ = x_-$ .

$\implies$  consider symmetric symbols  $p(x, -\xi) = p(x, \xi)$ : then each  $\rho_+^i = (x_+^i, \xi_+^i)$  is associated with  $\rho_-^i = (x_+^i, -\xi_+^i)$ .

Quasimodes are related by  $e_-^i(z) = \overline{e_+^i(z)}$ .

The Gaussian function  $F_{ii}(z) = \int V e_+^i(z)^2 dx$  has covariance  $\mathbb{E}[F_{ii}(z) \overline{F_{ii}(w)}] = \langle e_+^i(z)^2, e_+^i(w)^2 \rangle$ .

After  $h^{1/2}$ -rescaling, this covariance  $\approx e^{2\sigma_i u \bar{v}}$ .

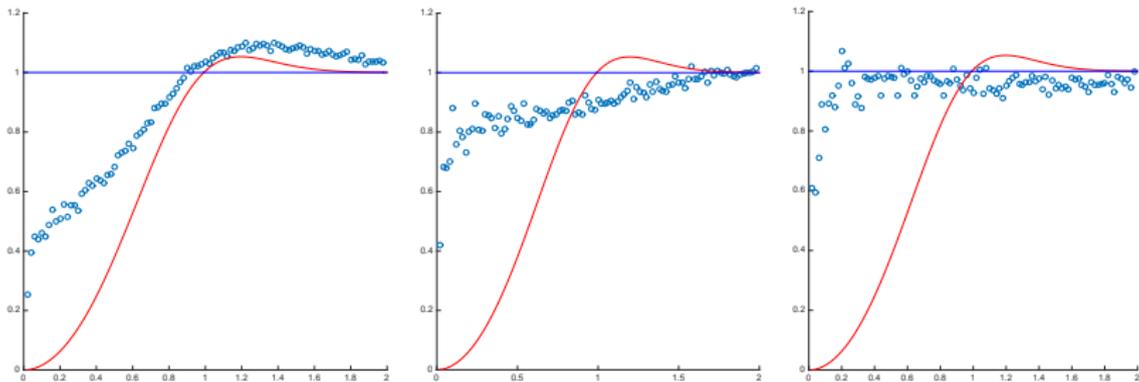
The matrix  $F_{ij}(z)$  is then **approximately diagonal**, so that

$$\det E_{-+}^\delta(z) = (-\delta)^J \prod_{j=1}^J F_{ii}(z) + \text{small}.$$

### Theorem (N-VOGEL'16)

Around  $z_0$ , the  $h^{1/2}$ -rescaled spectrum of  $P_h^\delta$  converges to the superposition of  $J$  independent GAF processes, with respective variances  $e^{2\sigma_i u \bar{v}}$ .

## Operators with $J$ quasimodes –multiplicative perturbation



Blue circles: numerics of the rescaled 2-point correlation function for operators  $P_J = -\hbar^2 \partial_x^2 + e^{2i\pi J/2x}$ ,  $J = 2, 4, 6$ , and perturbation  $\delta V$ .

Observe the absence of quadratic repulsion at the origin, due to the presence of  $J$  independent processes, allowing clusters of  $\leq J$  eigenvalues.

TO DO: Compute explicitly the  $k$ -point densities by superposing the  $J$  independent processes.

## Conclusion

Small perturbations of nonselfadjoint 1D (pseudo)differential operators lead to interesting spectral phenomena

- ubiquity of Weyl's law
- ubiquity of the Gaussian Analytic Function, and **partial universality**
- if the law of the perturbation parameters  $\alpha_{ij}$  is **not Gaussian** but sufficiently regular, we expect the same result (CLT)
- spectral correlations are sensitive to the structure (cardinal) of  $p^{-1}(z)$ , symmetry  $\xi \rightarrow -\xi$  of the symbol, and type of random perturbation  $\implies$  probabilistic spectral information on  $p(x, \xi)$ .
- can we compute the  $k$ -point functions for the zeros of  $\det(G_{ij}(u))$ ?
- nonselfadjoint operators in dimension  $n > 1$ : energy shell is a codimension 2 submanifold  $\implies$  quasimodes form a subspace of dimension  $\sim h^{-n+1} \implies E_{-+}^\delta(z)$  is a large random matrix. What can be said about spectral correlations?