

***Solutions of the Helmholtz
equation in a periodic waveguide :
asymptotic behaviour and radiation
condition.***

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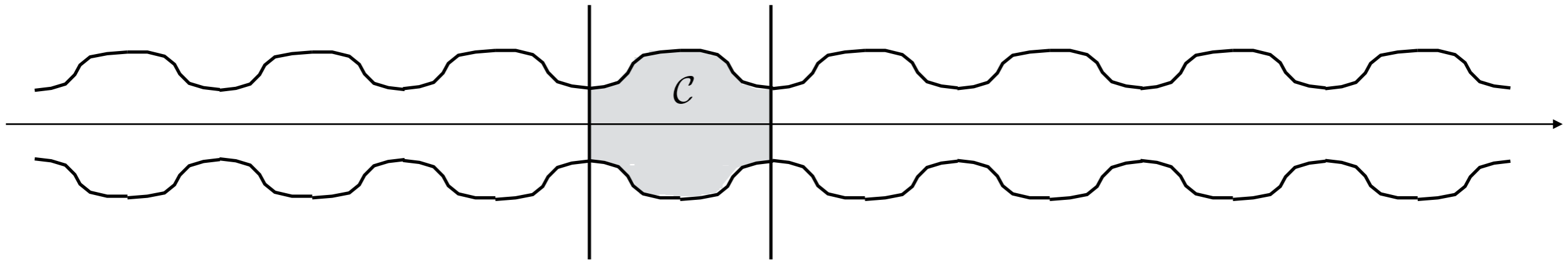
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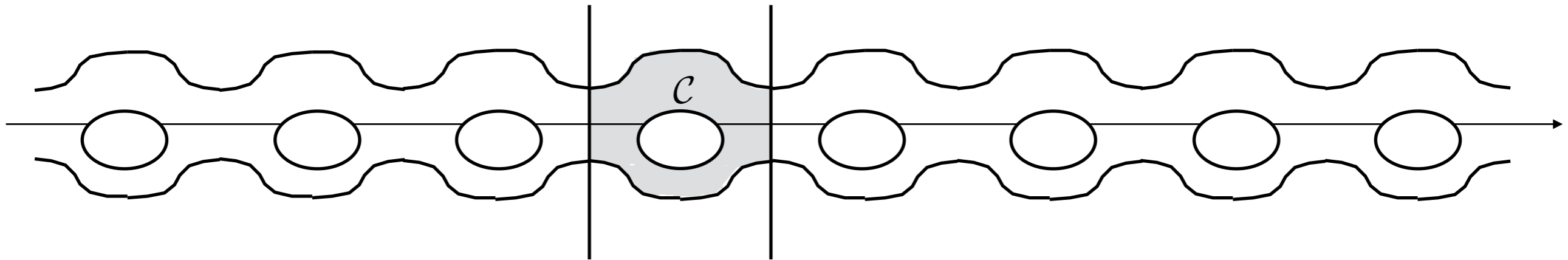
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A particular case : the perfect waveguide $\Omega = \mathbb{R} \times S$



A periodic waveguide : governing equations

By analogy with electromagnetism, we assume that the **material** properties of the propagation medium are reduced to a periodic **index of refraction**

$$0 < n_- < n(x_1, x_T) < n_+ < +\infty \quad n(x_1 + 1, x_T) = n(x_1, x_T)$$

We assume that the unknown $U(x, t) : \Omega \times \mathbb{R} \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}$ satisfies the scalar **wave equation**

$$n^2 \partial_t^2 U - \Delta U = F(x, t)$$

where $F(x, t)$ is the **source** term. Assuming that this source term is **time harmonic**

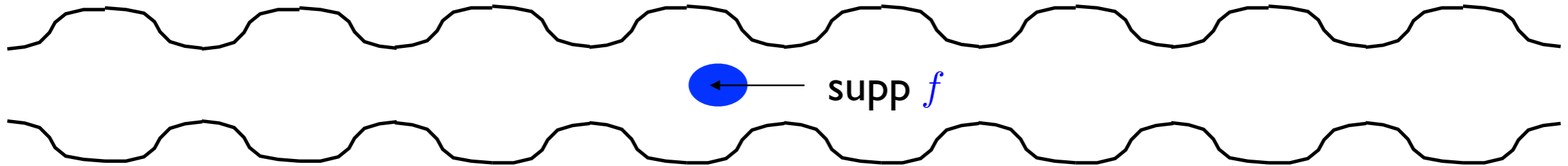
$$F(x, t) = f(x) e^{-i\omega t} \quad f(x) \in L^2(\Omega) \text{ (compactly supported)} \quad \omega > 0 \text{ given frequency}$$

we look for a time harmonic solution $U(x, t) = u(x) e^{-i\omega t}$ which leads to

$$-\Delta u - n^2 \omega^2 u = f \quad \text{Helmholtz equation}$$

Objective of the course

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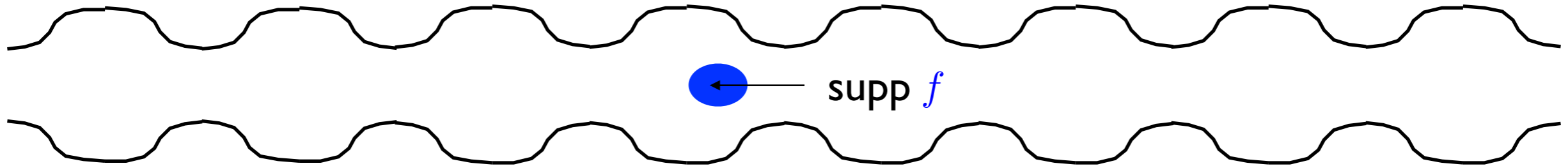


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In the Hilbert space $L^2(\Omega, n^2 dx)$, with scalar product $(u, v)_{n^2} := \int_{\Omega} u \bar{v} n^2 dx$ we consider the unbounded operator defined by

$$D(A) = \{v \in H^1(\Omega) / \Delta v \in L^2(\Omega), \partial_\nu v = 0 \text{ on } \partial\Omega\} \quad Av = -n^{-2} \Delta v$$

Even though it is not necessary, for technical simplicity, we shall assume that $\partial\Omega$ is smooth enough in order that

$$D(A) = \{v \in H^2(\Omega) / \partial_\nu v = 0 \text{ on } \partial\Omega\}$$

Theorem : A is a **positive selfadjoint** operator. Thus $\sigma(A) \subset \mathbb{R}^+$.

The Helmholtz equation writes formally $Au - \omega^2 u = f/n^2$

The existence of a solution in $D(A)$ can only occur when : $\omega^2 \notin \sigma(A)$

When $\omega^2 \in \sigma(A)$, we need to look for a solution in another framework.

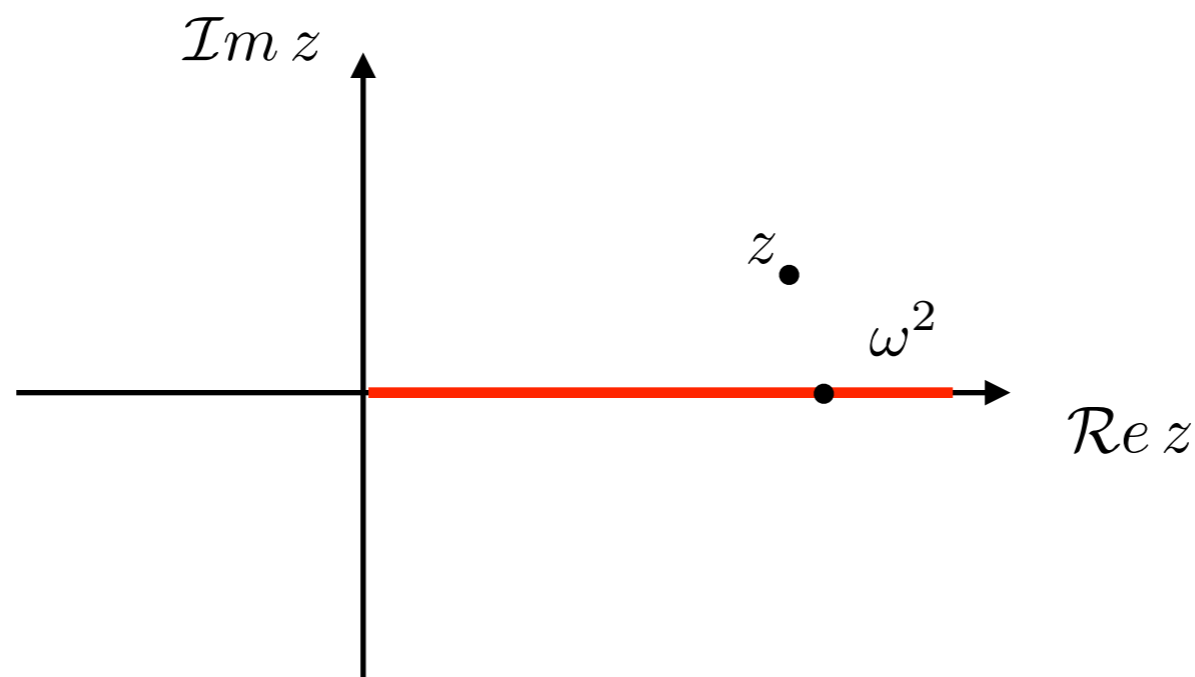
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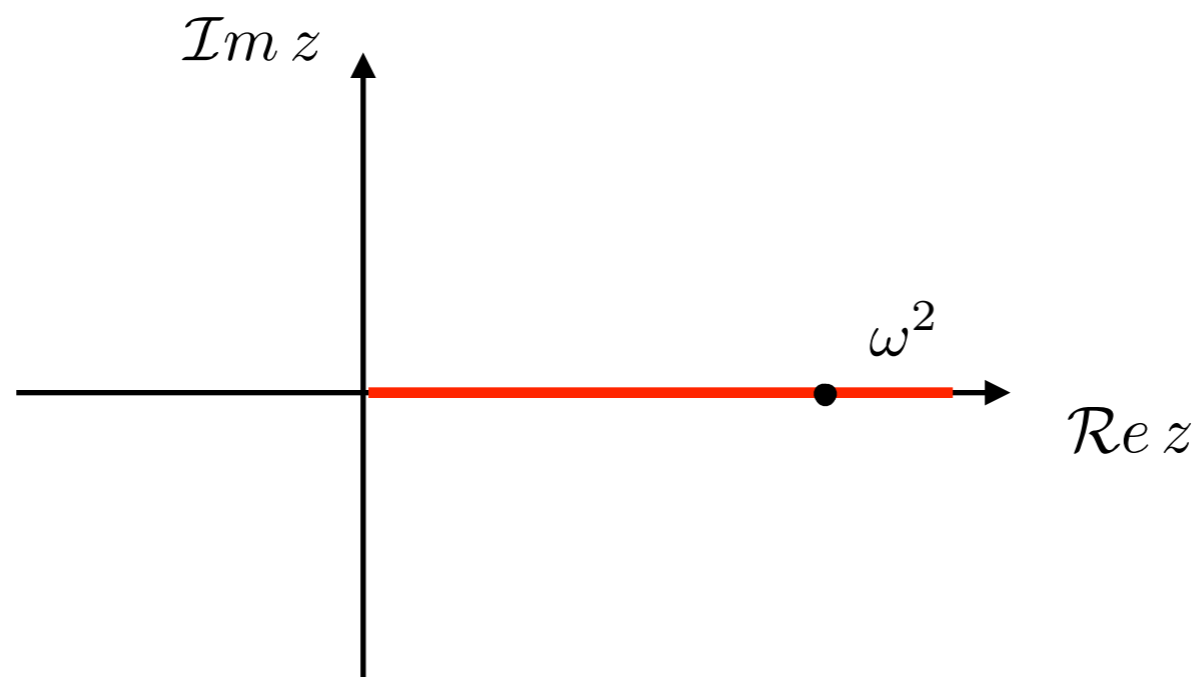
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This is not sufficient : two different limits may exist depending on the sign of $\text{Im } z$



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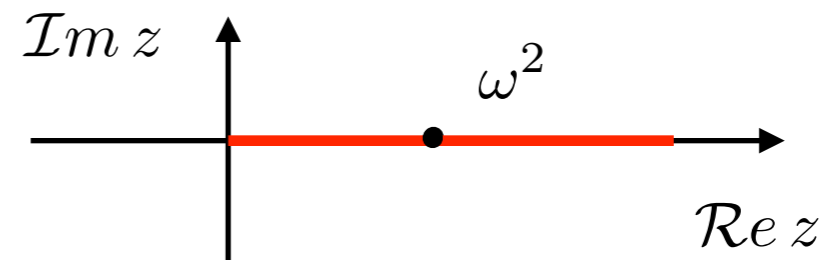
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and to look at the limit when $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$



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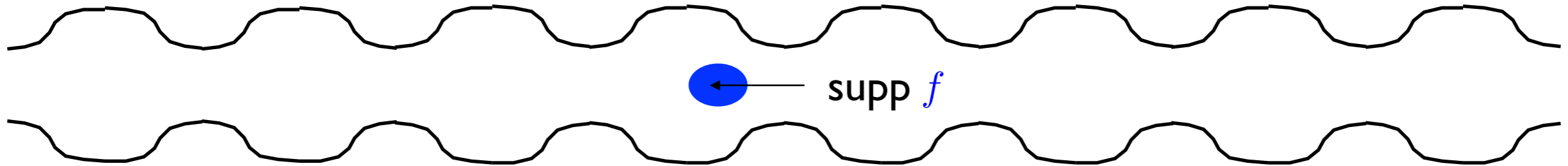
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This leads to the Helmholtz equation with absorption

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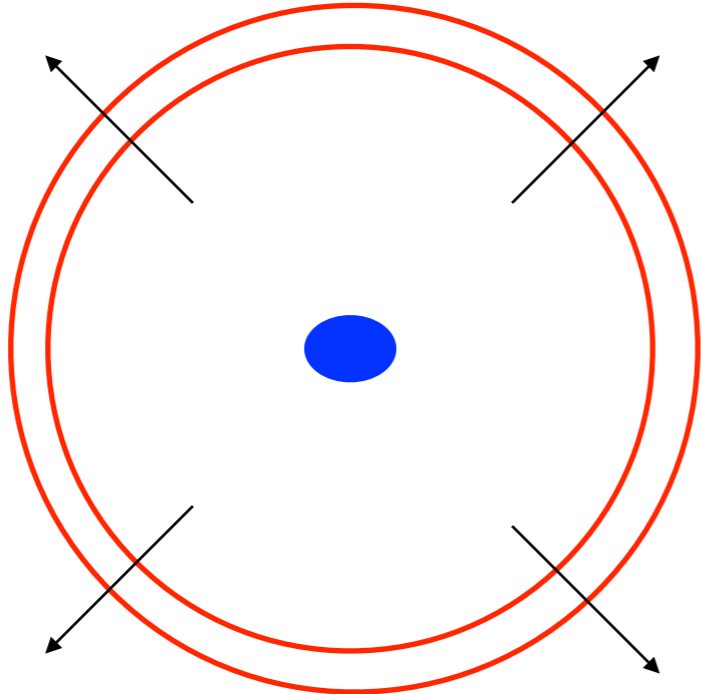


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Homogeneous free space



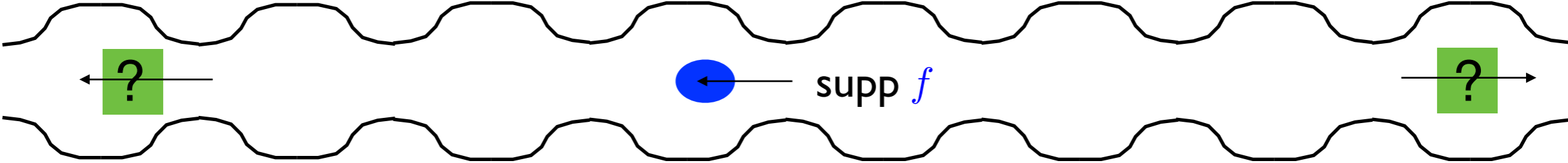
Data for the **inverse** problem

$$u(r, \Theta) \underset{r \rightarrow +\infty}{\sim} A(\Theta) \frac{e^{i\omega r}}{r^{\frac{d-1}{2}}}$$

$$\partial_r u + i\omega u = O(r^{-2})$$

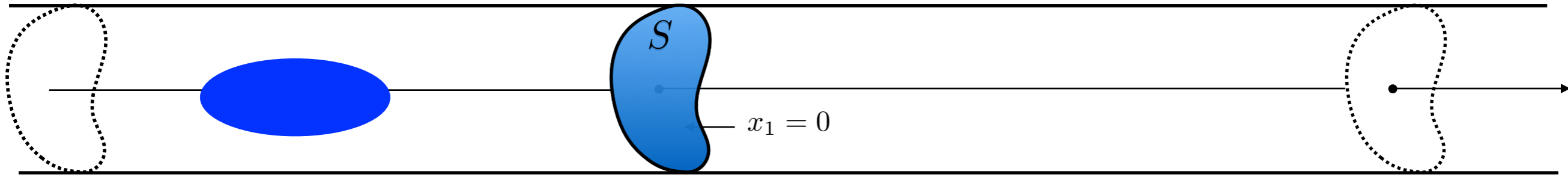
Sommerfeld condition

Waveguide



Behaviour at infinity and radiation conditions

The case of the perfect waveguide



Here, we assume that **index of refraction** only depends on the transverse variable

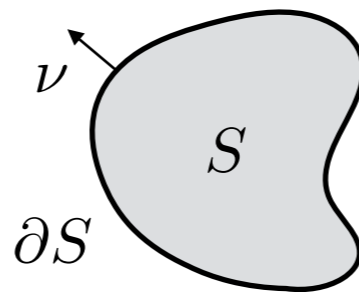
$$n(x_1, x_T) = n(x_T)$$

$$-\Delta_T u^\varepsilon - \partial_{x_1}^2 u^\varepsilon - n(x_T)^2 (\omega^2 + i\varepsilon\omega) u^\varepsilon = f$$

We use **separation of variables by** introducing the eigenfunctions of the transverse operator

$$-\Delta_T \theta_n = \lambda_n n^2 \theta_n \quad \text{in } S$$

$$\partial_\nu \theta_n = 0 \quad \text{on } \partial S$$

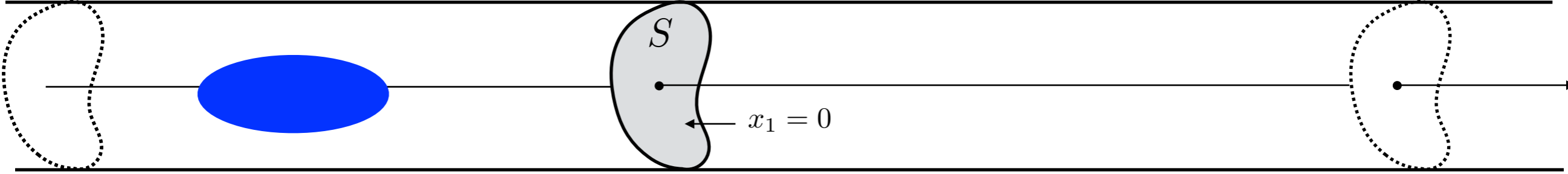


$$\lambda_n > 0, \quad \lambda_n \longrightarrow +\infty$$

We look for the solution in the form $u^\varepsilon(x_1, x_T) = \sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} u_n^\varepsilon(x_1) \theta_n(x_T)$

$$\implies -\left(u_n^\varepsilon\right)'' + \left(\lambda_n - (\omega^2 + i\varepsilon\omega)\right) u_n^\varepsilon = 0, \quad x_1 > 0$$

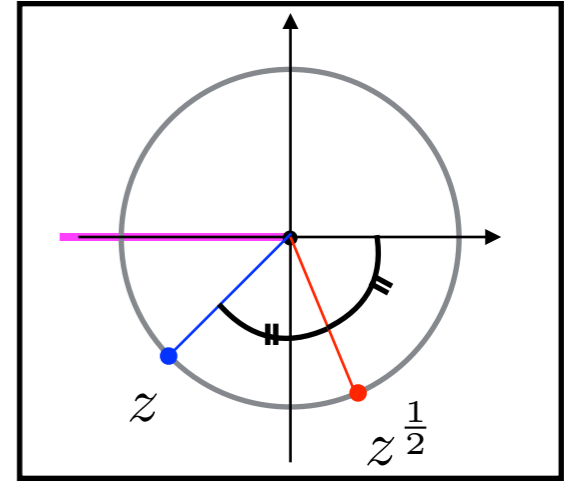
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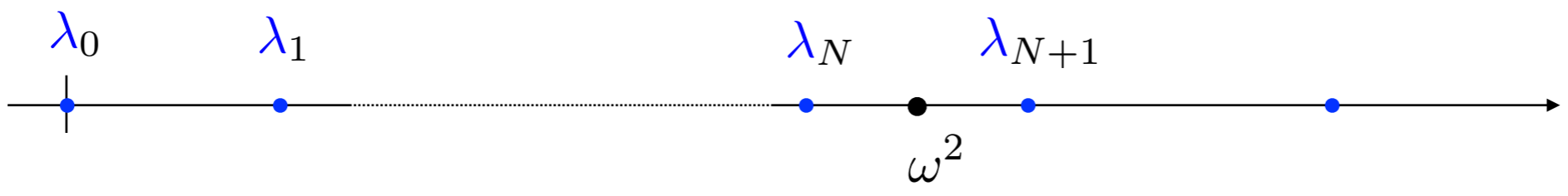
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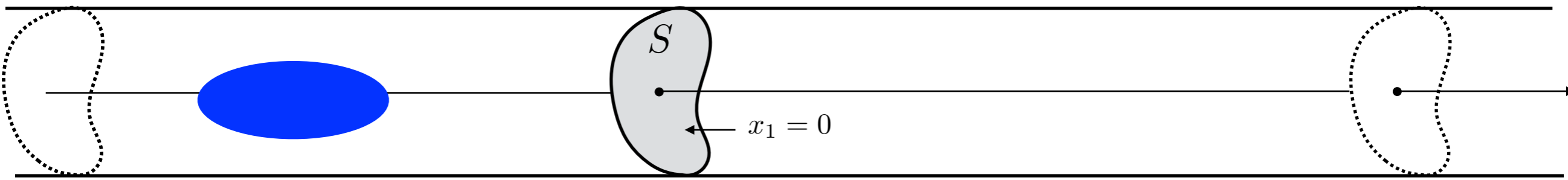
Introducing $\zeta_n^\varepsilon := (\lambda_n - (\omega^2 + i\varepsilon\omega))^{\frac{1}{2}}$ with $\text{Re } z^{\frac{1}{2}} > 0$



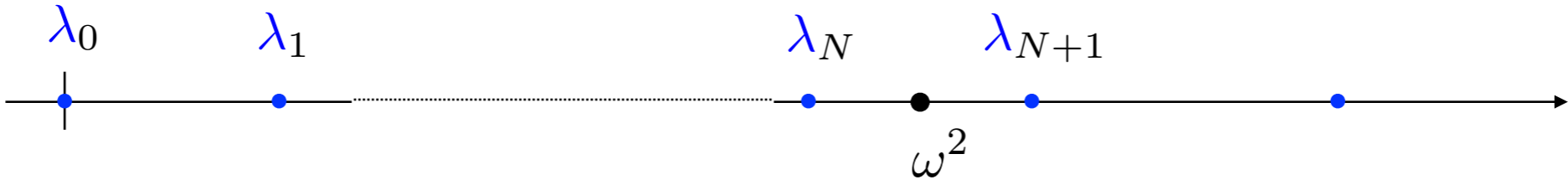
Since we look for $u^\varepsilon \in L^2(\Omega)$, $u^\varepsilon(x_1, x_T) = \sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} u_n^\varepsilon(0) \theta_n(x_T) e^{-\zeta_n^\varepsilon x_1}$



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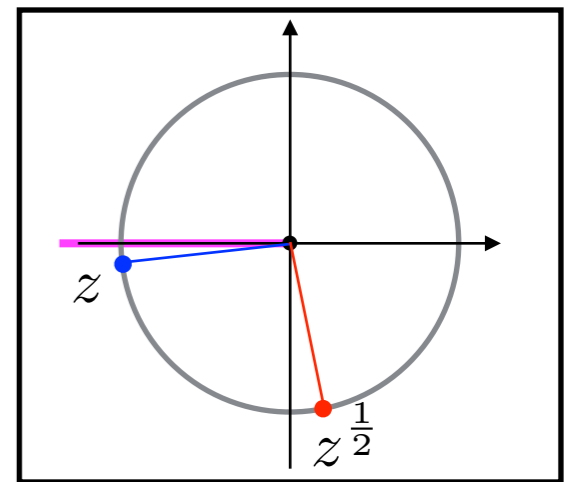
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Passage to the limit when $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$

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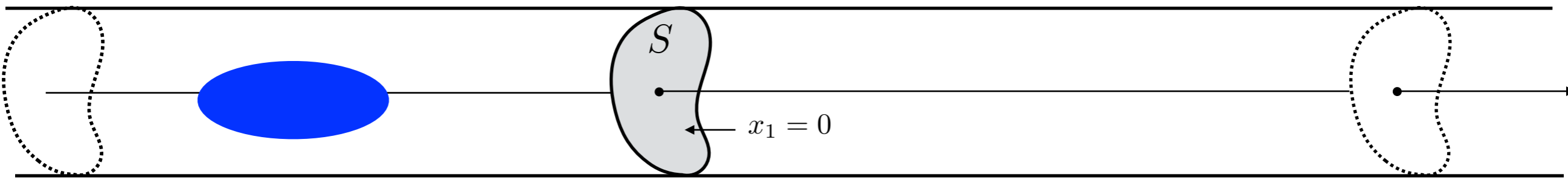
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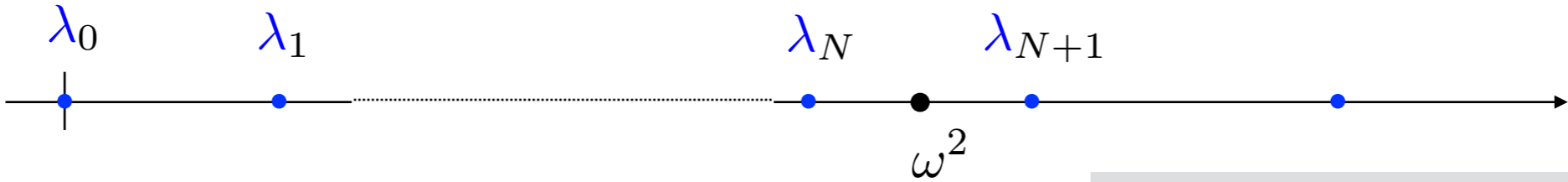
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evanescent modes

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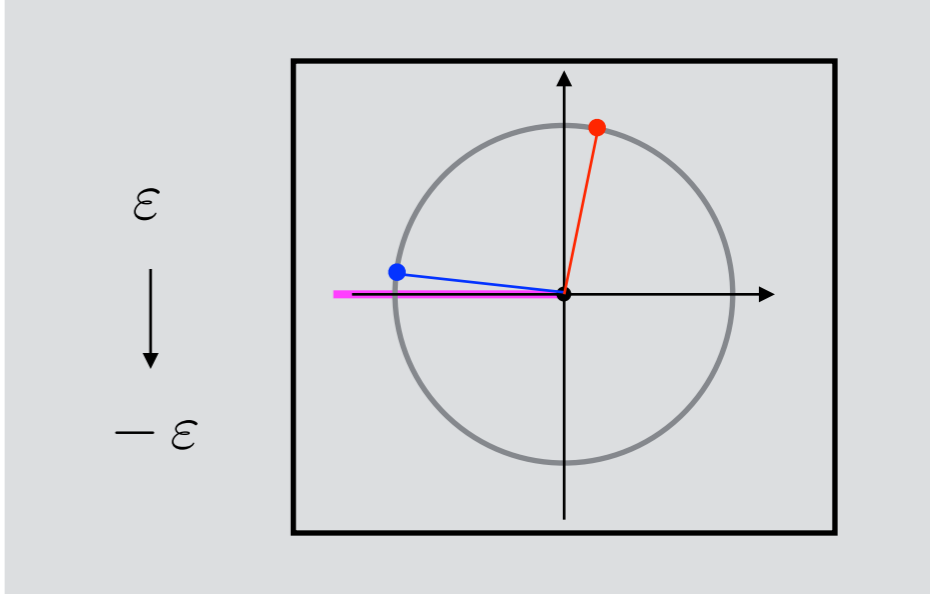
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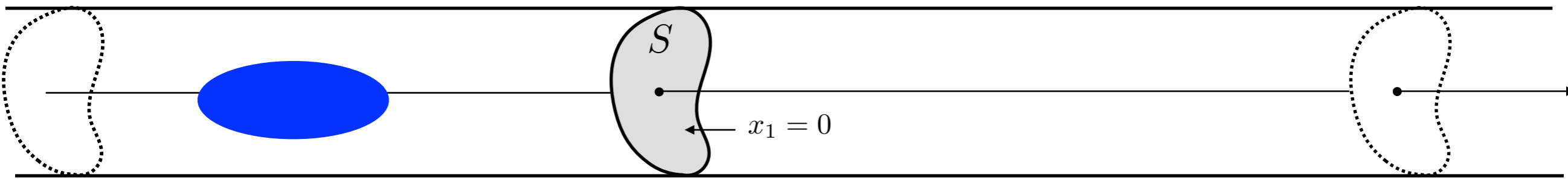
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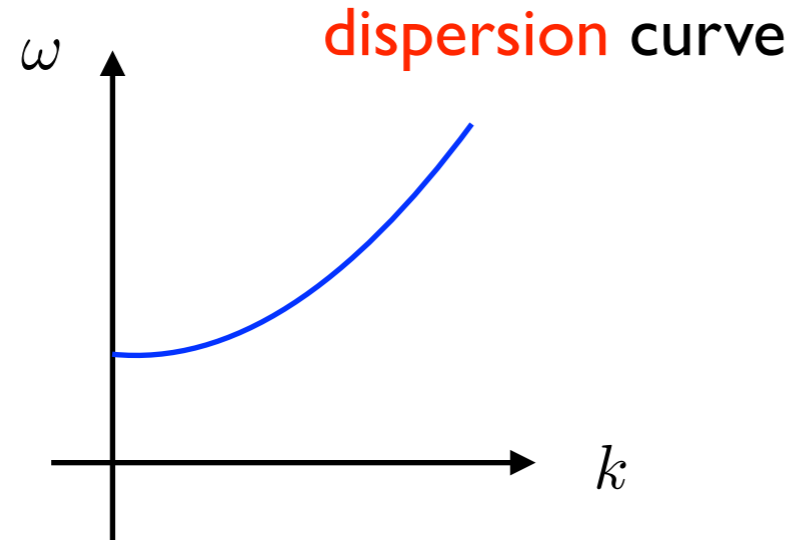
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The propagative modes are **outgoing** : they propagate in the direction $x_1 > 0$

$$e^{i \sqrt{\omega^2 - \lambda_n} x_1} e^{-i \omega t} = \exp i (k x_1 - \omega t) \quad k = \sqrt{\omega^2 - \lambda_n} \quad \iff \quad \omega = \sqrt{k^2 + \lambda_n}$$

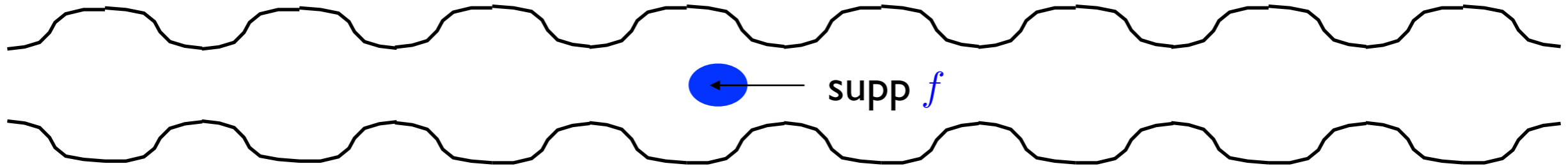
dispersion relation



group velocity : $\partial_k \omega > 0$

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In **periodic waveguides**, the result is **more complex** and the analysis very **technical**.

Construction of the outgoing solution

Consider the (unique) solution of the Helmholtz equation with absorption

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Find an appropriate **representation** (decomposition) of this solution

Technical tool : the **Floquet-Bloch** transform

Use this representation to **pass to the limit** when $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$

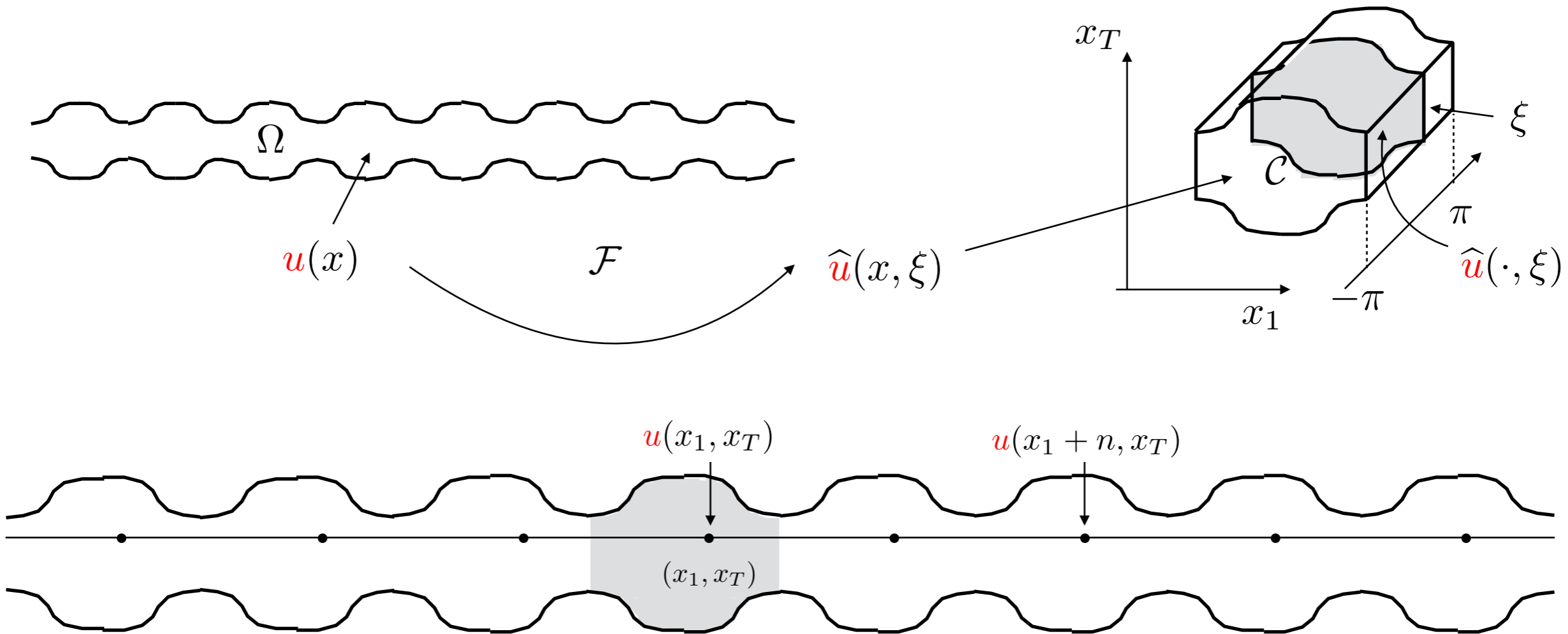
Technical tool : the **Plemelj-Privalov** theorem



P. Kuchment. Floquet theory for partial differential equations, *Operator theory : Advances and Applications*, Birkhäuser Verlag, (1993)

The Floquet-Bloch transform

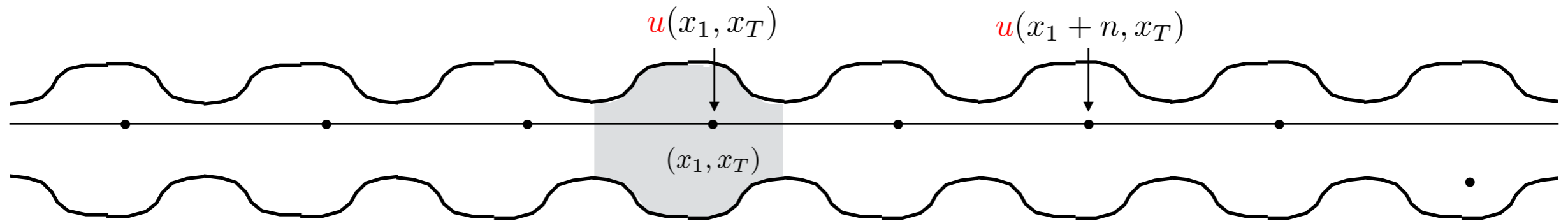
This is a unitary transform between $L^2(\Omega)$ and $L^2(\mathcal{C} \times]-\pi, \pi[)$ that can be seen as an adequate version of the Fourier transform in the x_1 variable.



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$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |\hat{u}(x_1, x_T, \xi)|^2 d\xi = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} |u(x_1 + n, x_T)|^2$$

and after integration over \mathcal{C}

FB Plancherel theorem

$$\int_{\mathcal{C}} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |\hat{u}(x_1, x_T, \xi)|^2 d\xi dx = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} \int_{\mathcal{C}} |u(x_1 + n, x_T)|^2 dx \equiv \int_{\Omega} |u(x)|^2 dx$$

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We have thus shown that $\forall u \in \mathcal{D}(\Omega), \quad \|\widehat{u}\|_{L^2(\mathcal{C} \times]-\pi, \pi[)} = \|u\|_{L^2(\Omega)}$

As a consequence, the map $\mathcal{F} : u \longrightarrow \widehat{u}$ extends continuously into an **isometry** from $L^2(\Omega)$ into $L^2(\mathcal{C} \times]-\pi, \pi[)$ also defined by

$$\widehat{u}(\cdot, \xi) = \lim_{N \rightarrow 0} (2\pi)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \sum_{|n| \leq N} u(\cdot + n e_1) e^{-in\xi} \quad \text{in } L^2(\mathcal{C})$$

The transformation $\mathcal{F} : u \longrightarrow \widehat{u}$ is **one to one** with the **reconstruction** formula :

$$\forall x \in \mathcal{C}, \quad u(x_1 + n, x_T) = (2\pi)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \widehat{u}(x_1, x_T, \xi) e^{in\xi} d\xi$$

Remark : the same proof as in the previous slide shows that the **isometry** result remains valid with **weighted** L^2 spaces provided that the weight is a **periodic** function.

$$\int_{\mathcal{C}} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |\widehat{u}(x_1, x_T, \xi)|^2 n(x)^2 d\xi dx = \int_{\Omega} |u(x)|^2 n(x)^2 dx$$

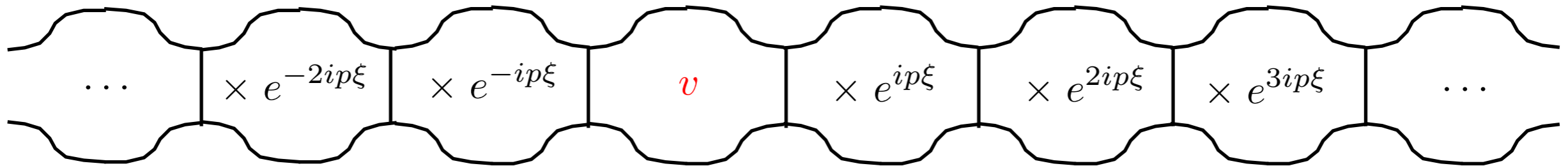
Quasiperiodic functions

By definition, a function $v : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ is said to be ξ -**quasiperiodic** if and only if

$$v(x_1 + 1, x_T) = e^{i\xi} v(x_1, x_T)$$

Given $v : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, one defines its ξ -**quasiperiodic** extension to Ω , $E_\xi v$, by

$$E_\xi v(x_1 + n, x_T) = e^{in\xi} v(x_1 + n, x_T) \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{Z}$$



Link with the Floquet-Bloch transform

$$(1) \quad \widehat{u}(x_1, x_T, \xi) = (2\pi)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} u(x_1 + n, x_T) e^{-in\xi}$$

Extending formula (1) to any $(x_1, x_T) \in \Omega$, $\widehat{u}(\cdot, \xi)$ is ξ -**quasiperiodic**

The Floquet-Bloch transform : properties

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$$\forall u \in H^1(\Omega), \forall \xi \in (-\pi, \pi), \quad \mathcal{F} \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial x_i} \right) (\cdot; \xi) = \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} (\mathcal{F}u(\cdot; \xi))$$

2. The Floquet-Bloch transform commutes with multiplication with periodic functions

$$\forall u \in L^2(\Omega), \forall \xi \in (-\pi, \pi), \quad \mathcal{F} (n^2 u) (\cdot; \xi) = n^2 (\mathcal{F}u(\cdot; \xi))$$

3. The Floquet-Bloch transform diagonalizes the translations

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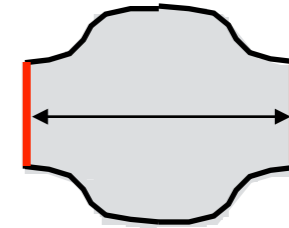
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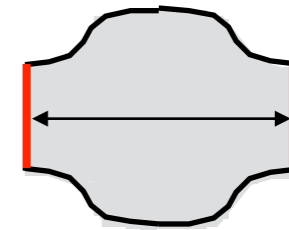
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ξ – quasi-periodic boundary conditions

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Accordingly, we define

$$H_{qp}^s(\mathcal{C} \times]-\pi, \pi[) := \{u \in L^2(-\pi, \pi; H^s(\mathcal{C})) / \text{a. e. } \xi \in]-\pi, \pi[, u(\cdot, \xi) \in H_\xi^s(\mathcal{C})\}$$

Theorem : The Floquet-Bloch transform \mathcal{F} defines an **isomorphism** between

$$H^s(\Omega) \quad \text{and} \quad H_{qp}^s(\mathcal{C} \times]-\pi, \pi[)$$

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5. Decay properties in x_1 / Sobolev regularity in ξ

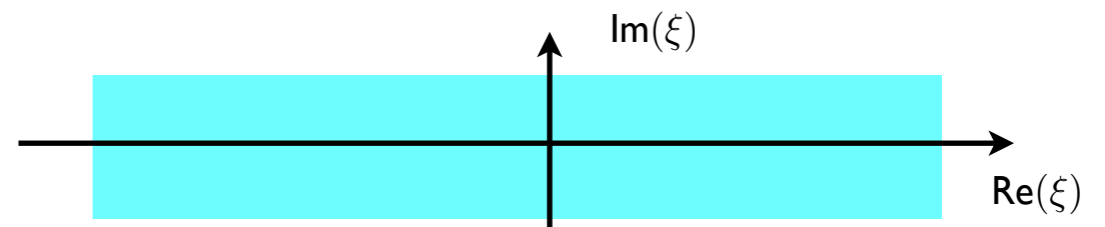
$$L_s^2(\Omega) := \{u \in L^2(\Omega) / (1 + x_1^2)^{\frac{s}{2}} u \in L^2(\Omega)\} \quad s > 0$$

$$u \in L_s^2(\Omega) \implies \widehat{u} := \mathcal{F}u \in H^s(-\pi, \pi; L^2(\mathbb{C}))$$

6. Analyticity properties of Floquet-Bloch transforms

Assume that, for some $\alpha > 0$, $e^{\alpha\sqrt{1+x_1^2}} u \in H^s(\Omega)$, then the function $\xi \mapsto \widehat{u}(\cdot, \xi)$ can be **extended** to **complex** values of ξ in the strip

$$B_\alpha = \{ \xi / |\operatorname{Im} \xi| < \alpha \}$$



as an **analytic** function from B_α with values in $H^s(\mathbb{C})$. Moreover $\widehat{u}(\cdot, \xi)$ is 2π periodic in B_α .

In particular, if u is **compactly** supported, $\xi \mapsto \widehat{u}(\cdot, \xi)$ is an **entire** function in \mathbb{C} .

Computation of the solution with absorption

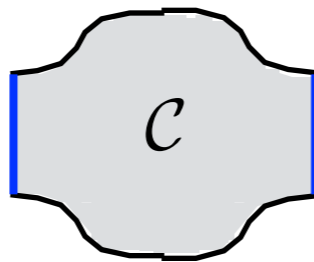
$$(\mathcal{P}_\varepsilon) \quad -\Delta u^\varepsilon - n^2 (\omega^2 + i\varepsilon\omega) u^\varepsilon = f \quad \text{in } \Omega \quad \partial_\nu u^\varepsilon = 0 \quad \text{on } \partial\Omega \quad \boxed{u^\varepsilon \in H^2(\Omega)}$$

Let us denote $\hat{u}^\varepsilon(x, \xi)$ the FB-transform of $u^\varepsilon(x)$ and applying \mathcal{F} to $(\mathcal{P}_\varepsilon)$, we deduce that, for each $\xi \in]-\pi, \pi[$, $\hat{u}^\varepsilon(\cdot, \xi)$ satisfies

$$-\Delta \hat{u}^\varepsilon(\cdot, \xi) - n^2 (\omega^2 + i\varepsilon\omega) \hat{u}^\varepsilon(\cdot, \xi) = \hat{f}(\cdot, \xi) \quad \text{in } \mathcal{C}$$

$$\partial_\nu \hat{u}^\varepsilon(\cdot, \xi) = 0 \quad \text{on } \partial\Omega \cap \partial\mathcal{C}$$

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Boundary value problem in \mathcal{C} , in which ξ plays the role of a **parameter**

The reduced cell operators

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$$\mathcal{C} \text{ bounded} \implies H_\xi^2(\mathcal{C}) \subset L^2(\mathcal{C}) \text{ compact}$$

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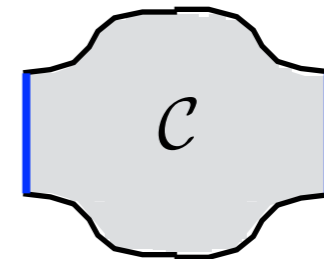
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Green's formula



$$= \int_{\mathcal{C}} \nabla u \nabla \bar{v} dx + \int \partial_{x_1} u(1, x_T) \bar{v}(1, x_T) dx_T - \int \partial_{x_1} u(0, x_T) \bar{v}(0, x_T) dx_T$$

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Analytic families of unbounded operators

For our purpose, we shall use the theory of (possibly unbounded) **operators** depending **analytically** of one scalar **complex parameter** (denoted ξ here)

$$A(\xi) : D(A(\xi)) \subset H \longrightarrow H \quad H : \text{Hilbert space}$$

For **bounded** operators, one says that $A(\xi)$ is **bounded analytic** if

$$\xi \mapsto A(\xi) \text{ is analytic from } \mathbb{C} \text{ into } \mathcal{L}(H)$$

In the case where $D(A(\xi)) = D$ (independent of ξ), one says that $A(\xi)$ is **analytic of type (A)** if

$$\forall v \in D, \quad \xi \mapsto A(\xi)v \text{ is analytic from } \mathbb{C} \text{ into } H$$

In the case where the domain depends on ξ , $A(\xi)$ is **analytic of class (B)** if it is analytically equivalent to an analytic family of class (A), i. e.

There exists (S_ξ, S_ξ^{-1}) bounded analytic and $\tilde{A}(\xi)$ analytic of class (A) such that

$$D(A(\xi)) = S_\xi D \quad A(\xi) = S_\xi \tilde{A}(\xi) S_\xi^{-1}$$

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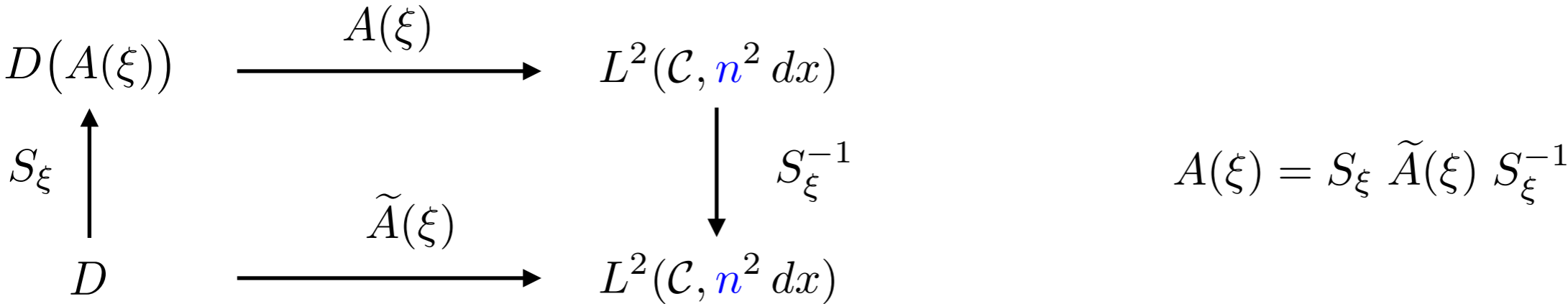
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Let us introduce $S_\xi \in \mathcal{L}(L^2(\mathcal{C}, n^2 dx))$ such that $S_\xi v(x) = e^{i\xi x_1} v(x)$. Each S_ξ is an **isomorphism**, $S_\xi^{-1} = S_{-\xi}$, **unitary** for **real** ξ .

$$\xi \in \mathbb{C} \longrightarrow S_\xi \in \mathcal{L}(L^2(\mathcal{C}, n^2 dx)) \text{ is } \mathbf{bounded\ analytic}$$

$$S_\xi v \in H_\xi^2(\mathcal{C}) \iff v \in H_{per}^2(\mathcal{C}) \quad H_{per}^2(\mathcal{C}) = H_{\xi=0}^2(\mathcal{C})$$

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$$A(\xi) = S_\xi \tilde{A}(\xi) S_\xi^{-1} \quad \tilde{A}(\xi)v = -n^{-2} (\Delta v + 2i\xi \partial_{x_1} v - \xi^2 v)$$

Since for any $v \in D$, $\xi \longrightarrow \tilde{A}(\xi)v \in L^2(\mathcal{C}, n^2 dx)$ is **analytic**, $\tilde{A}(\xi)$ is **analytic of class (A)**

Thus, $A(\xi)$ is **analytic of class (B)**.

Since we already know that in addition the operators $A(\xi)$ have a **compact resolvent** and are **selfadjoint** for real ξ , we can apply very useful theorems from perturbation theory for linear operators.



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There exists a sequence D_n of complex **neighborhoods** of the **real axis** and two sequences of **analytic** functions

$$\mu_n(\xi) : D_n \longrightarrow \mathbb{C} \quad \psi_n(\cdot, \xi) : D_n \longrightarrow H^2(\mathcal{C})$$

which coincide for **real** ξ to the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of $A(\xi)$

$$\{\mu_n(\xi), n \in \mathbb{N}\} \equiv \{\lambda_n(\xi), n \in \mathbb{N}\} \quad \{\psi_n(\cdot, \xi), n \in \mathbb{N}\} \equiv \{\varphi_n(\cdot, \xi), n \in \mathbb{N}\}$$

$$A(\xi) \psi_n(\cdot, \xi) = \mu_n(\xi) \psi_n(\cdot, \xi) \quad (\psi_n(\cdot, \xi), \psi_m(\cdot, \xi))_{n^2} = \delta_{mn}$$

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The reduced cell operators : analyticity properties

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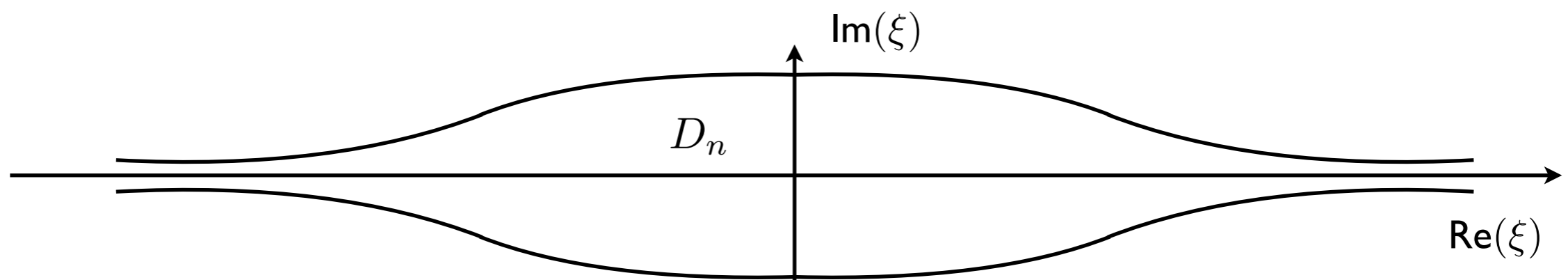
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By definition the (smooth) curves $\xi \longrightarrow \mu_n(\xi)$ are the **dispersion curves** of the periodic medium

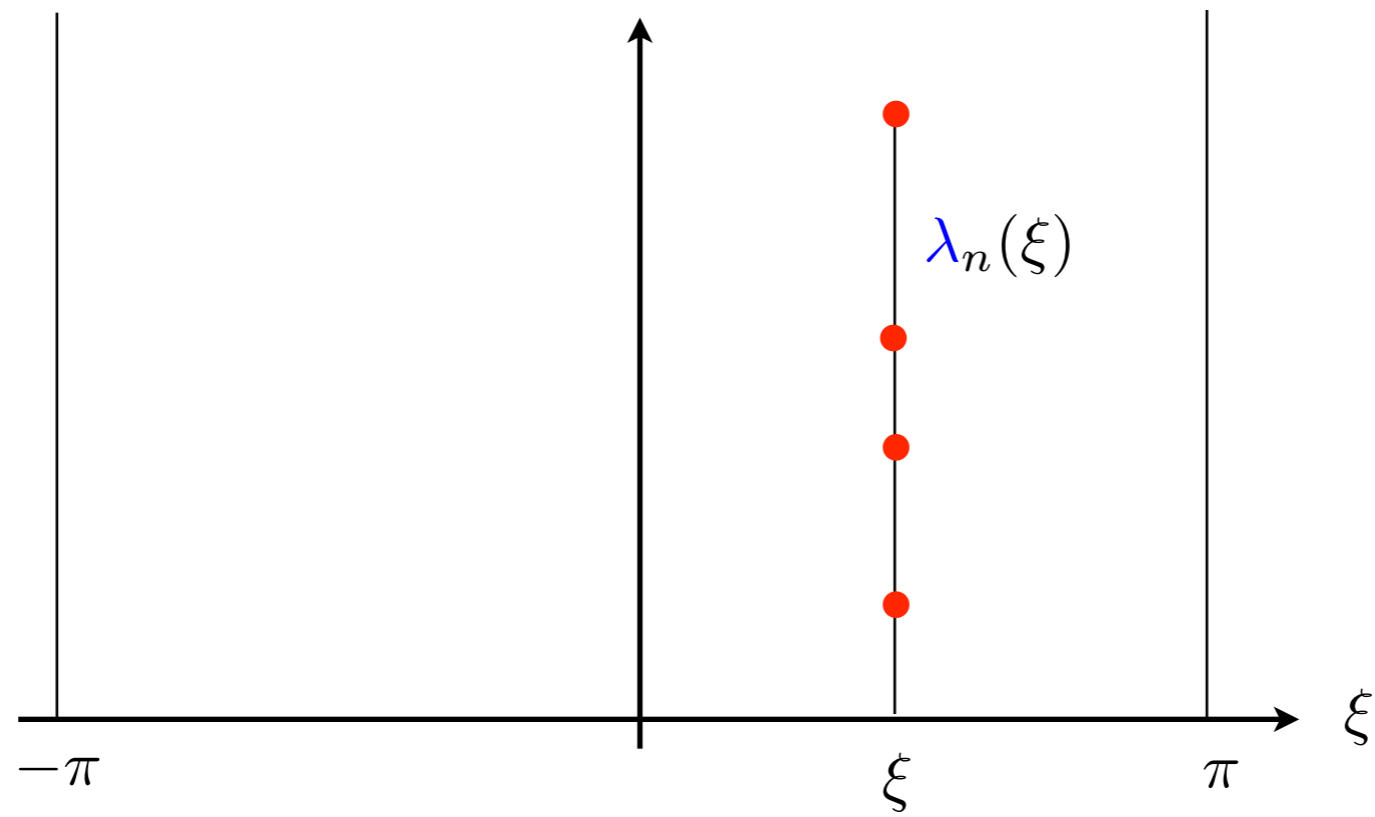
As already seen, for fixed ξ , the set $\{\mu_n(\xi), n \in \mathbb{N}\}$ is simply a **rearrangement** of the set $\{\lambda_n(\xi), n \in \mathbb{N}\}$. Seen as functions of ξ , the two sets only differ due to **crossing points** between different dispersion curves.

Using the relationships between the μ_n 's and the λ_n 's, one can prove that

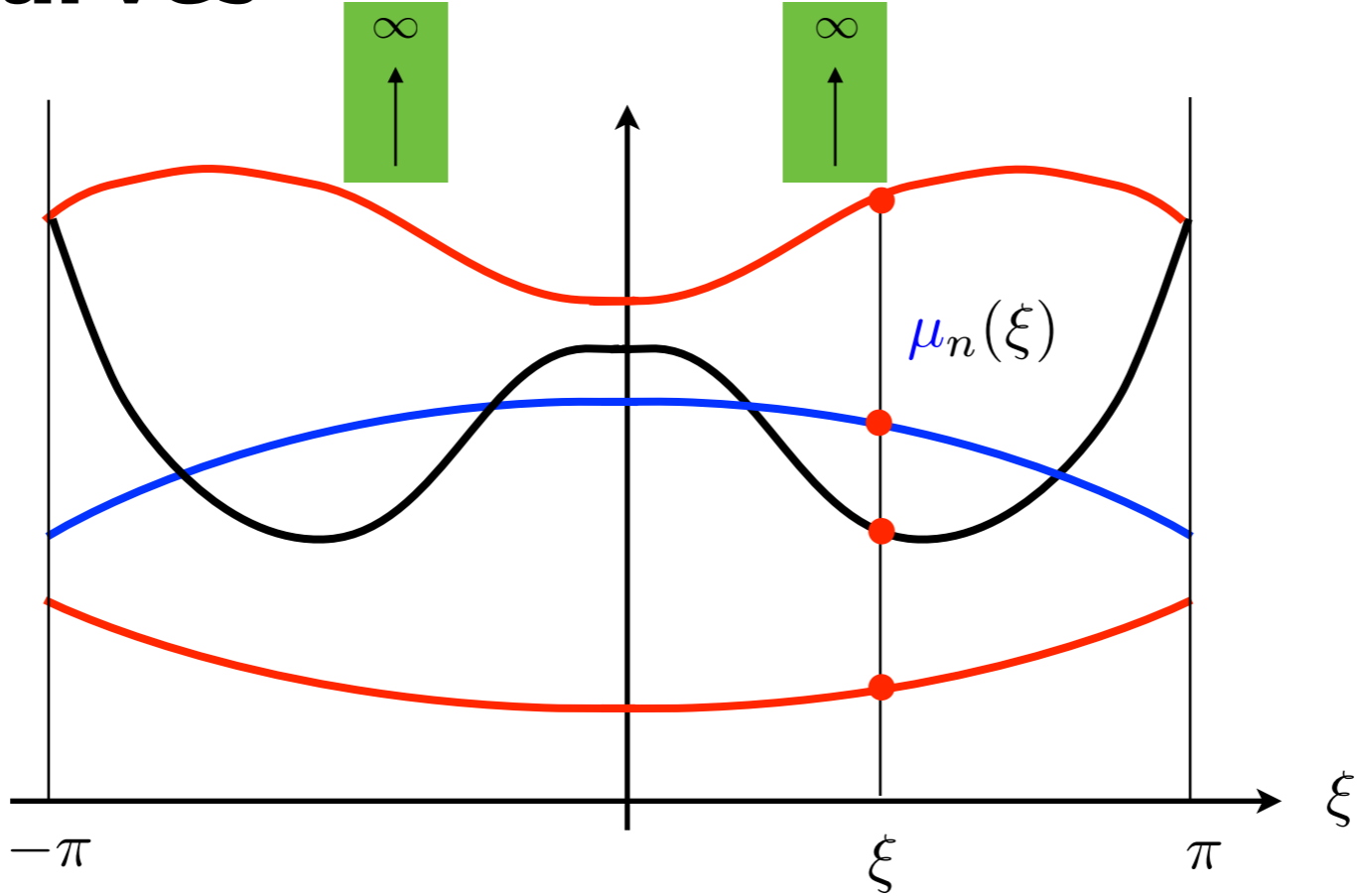
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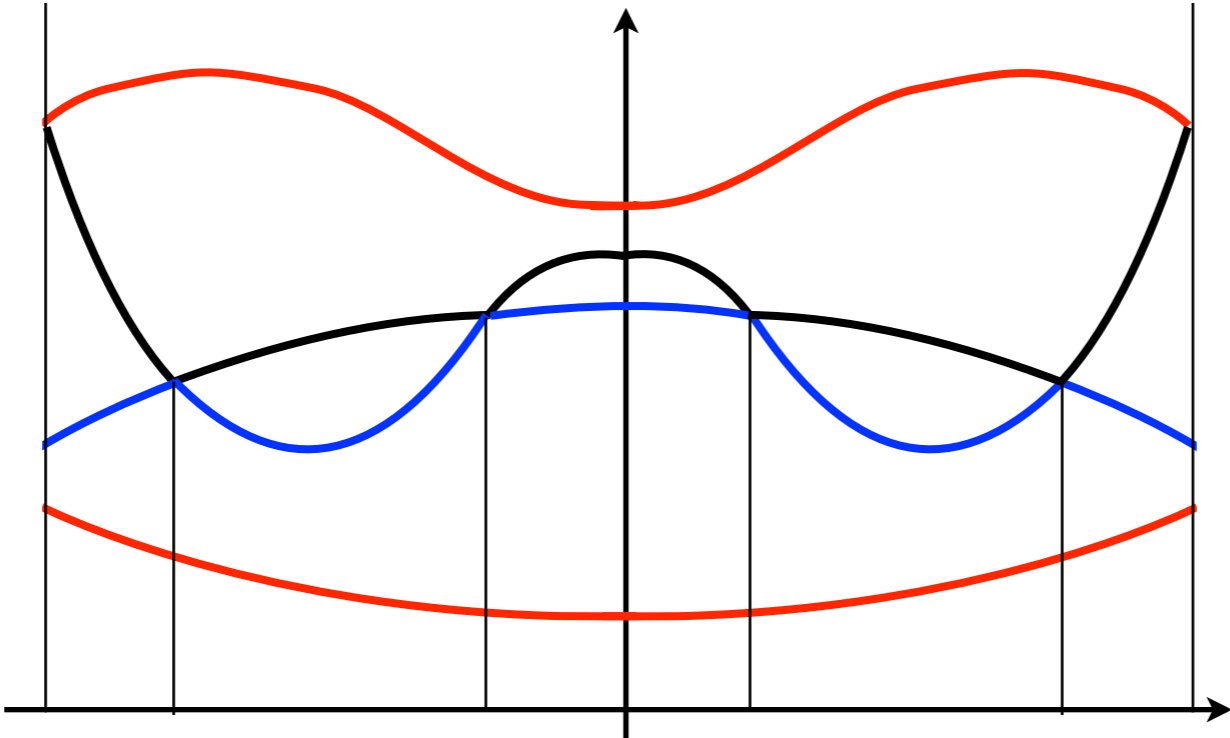
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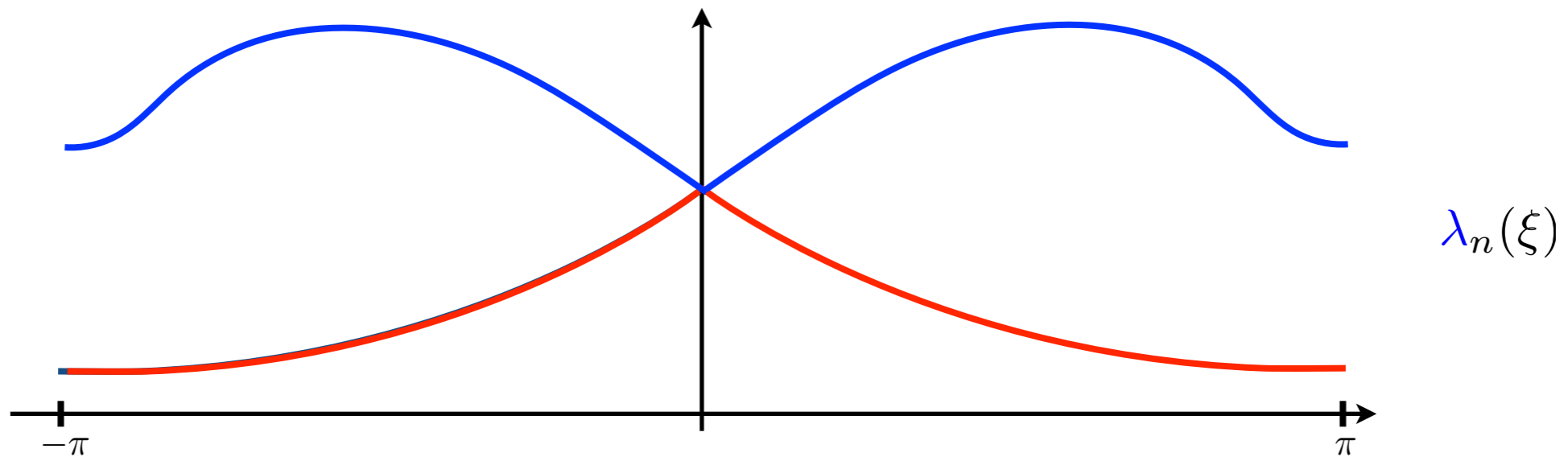
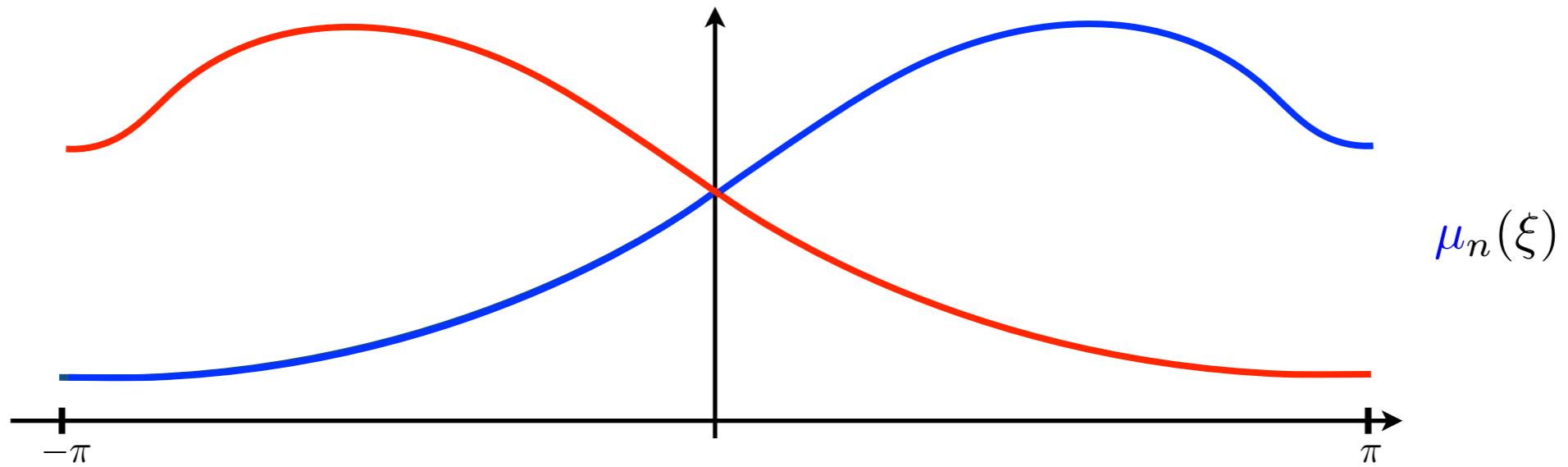
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For each n , $] -\pi, \pi [$ is decomposed in a finite number of intervals along which λ_n coincides with one function μ_m : λ_n is **piecewise analytic** .



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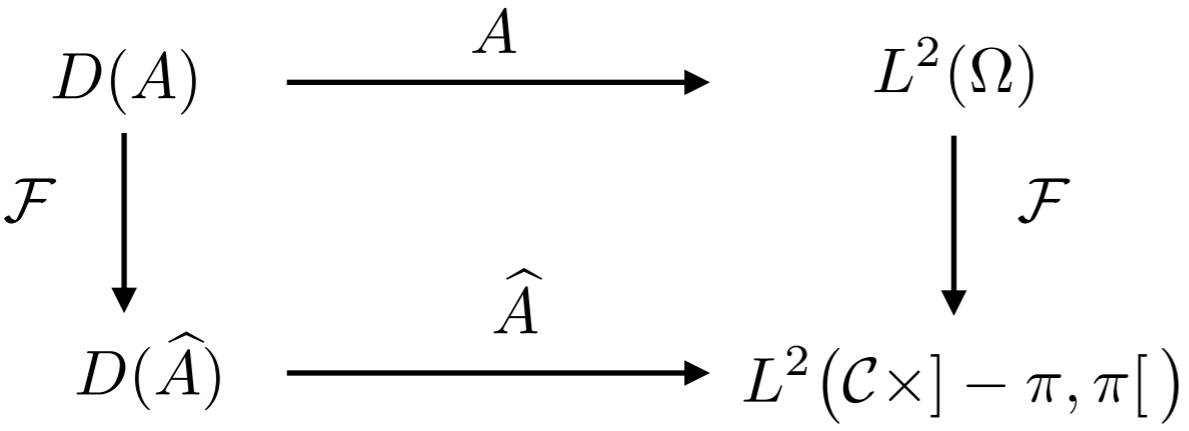


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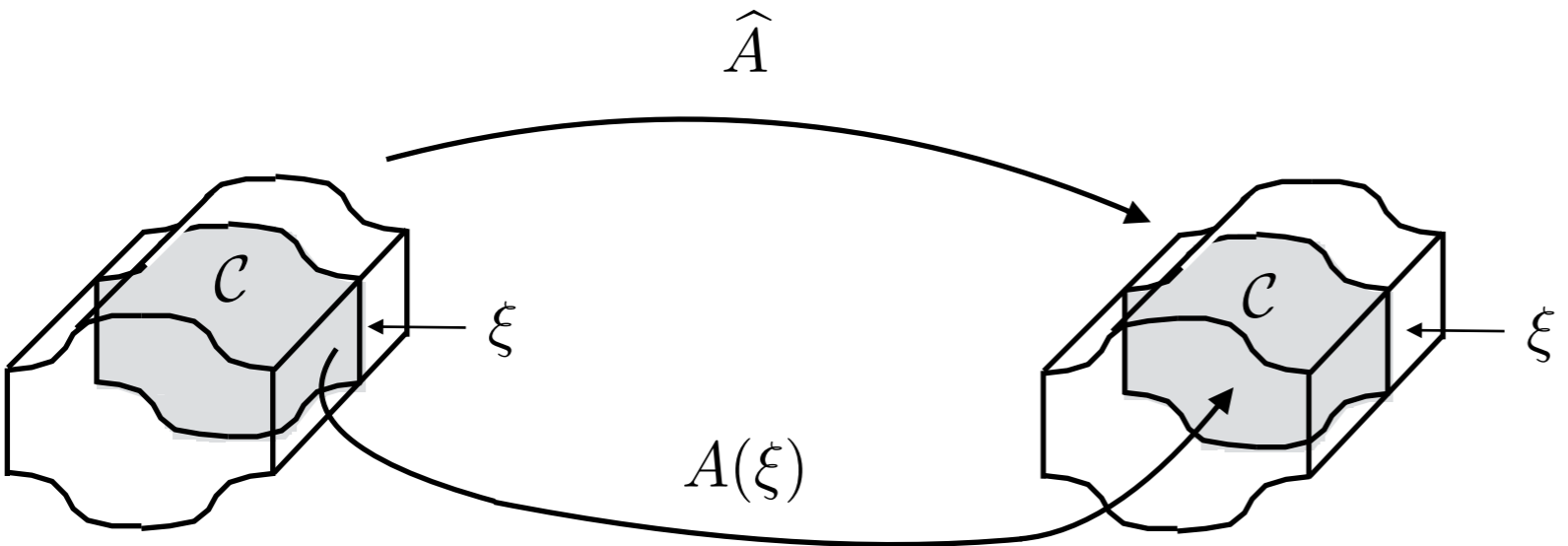
The fibered structure of the operator A

The link between the operator A and the reduced operators $A(\xi)$ is

$$u \in D(A) \iff \hat{u}(\xi) \in D(A(\xi)), \text{ a. e. } \xi \qquad \hat{A}u(\xi) = A(\xi)\hat{u}(\xi)$$



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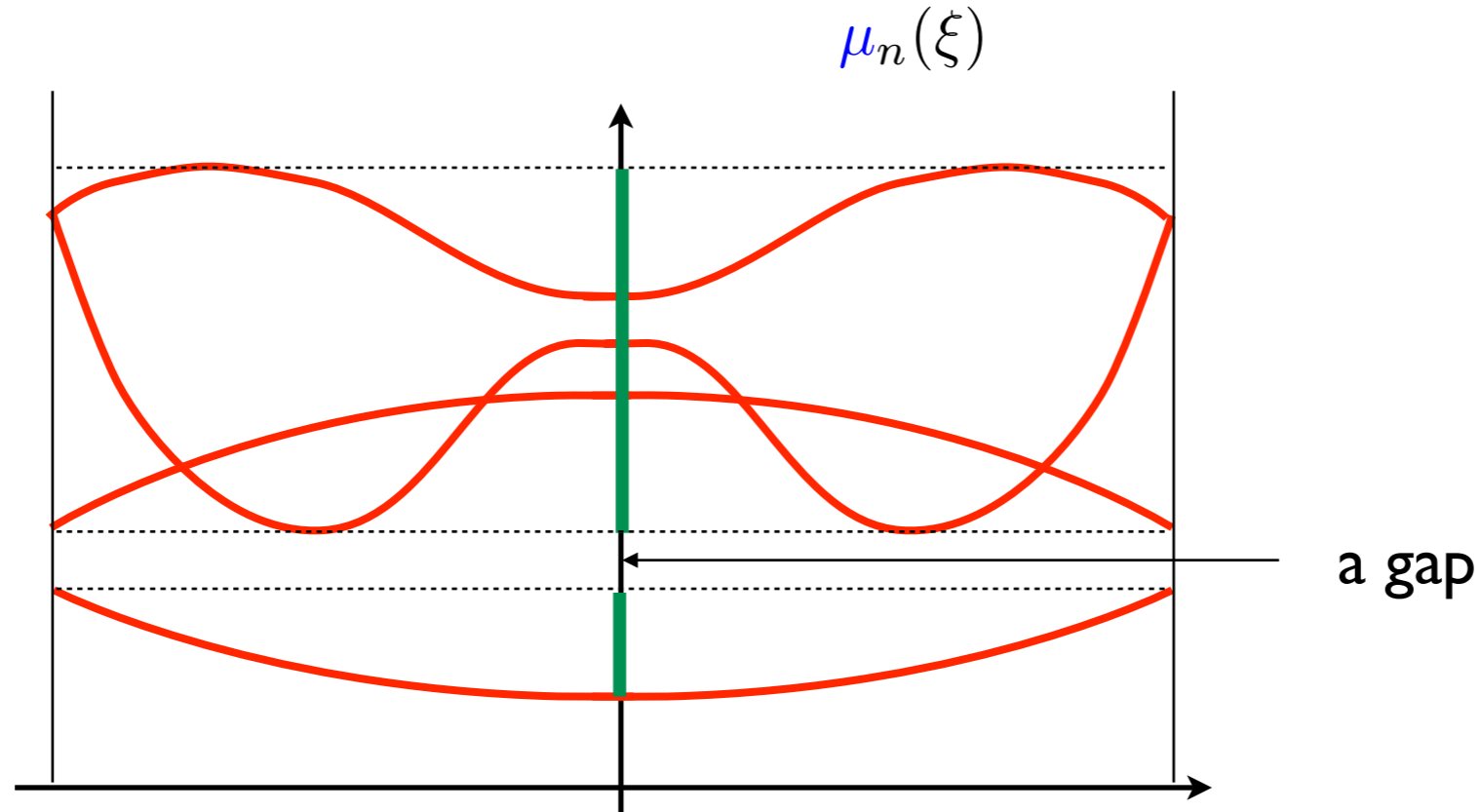
$$\hat{A} = \int^{\oplus} \hat{A}(\xi) d\xi$$

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$$\mu \in \sigma_p(A) \quad \Longleftrightarrow \quad \exists n \geq 0 / \mu_n(\xi) = \mu, \quad \xi \in]-\pi, \pi[$$

i. e., the existence of eigenvalues is linked to the existence of flat dispersion curves

Theorem (Sobolev, Walthoe (2002), Suslina (2002))

When $d = 1$, $\sigma_p(A) = \emptyset$ i. e. the spectrum of A is absolutely **continuous**.

Conjecture : The above result is true whatever is d .

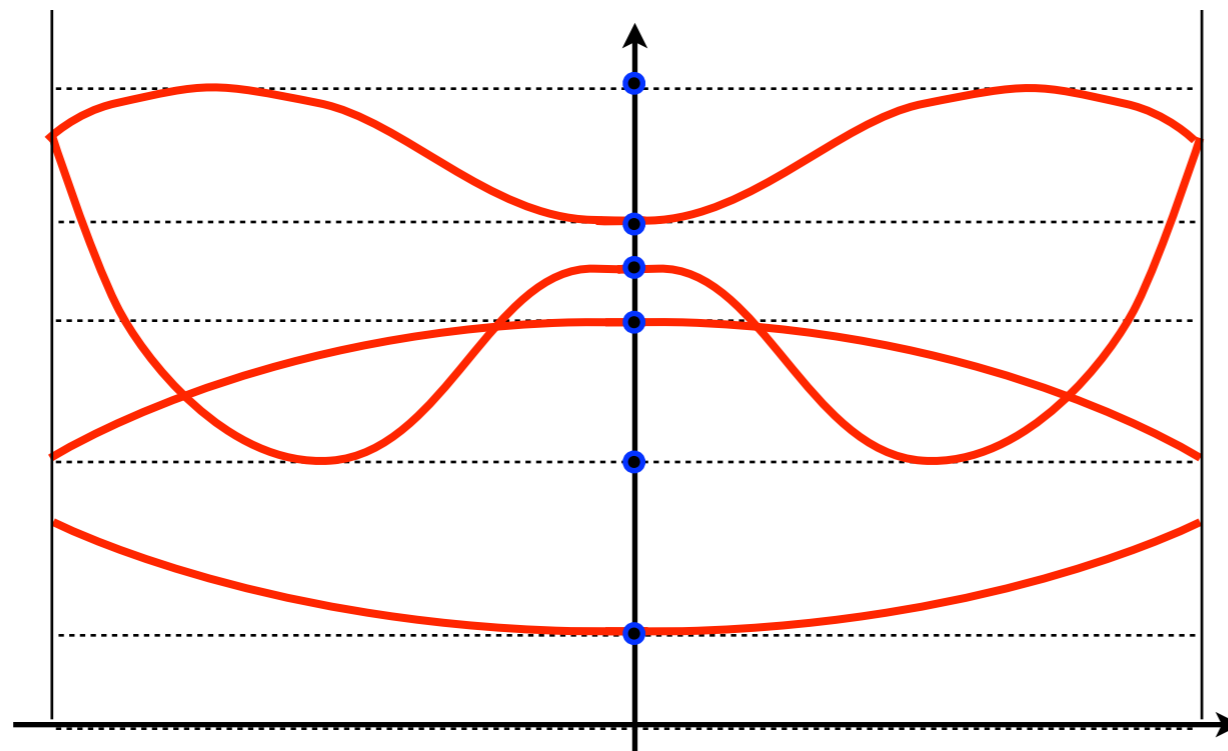
The forbidden frequencies

Definition : A **forbidden** frequency is a frequency ω such that there exists $n \geq 0$ and $\xi \in [-\pi, \pi]$ satisfying :

$$\mu_n(\xi) = \omega^2 \quad \text{and} \quad \mu'_n(\xi) = 0$$

$\sigma_0 := \{\omega^2 / \omega \text{ is a forbidden frequency}\}$ set of **thresholds** of the spectrum

Theorem : σ_0 is a discrete subset of \mathbb{R}^+



$$\sigma_0 = \{\bullet\}$$

The limiting absorption principle will hold only if ω is not a **forbidden** frequency.

Computation of the solution with absorption

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$$A(\xi) \hat{u}^\varepsilon(\cdot, \xi) - (\omega^2 + i\varepsilon\omega) \hat{u}^\varepsilon(\cdot, \xi) = \hat{f}(\cdot, \xi) / n^2$$

To exploit the diagonalization of $A(\xi)$, we write $\hat{u}^\varepsilon(\cdot, \xi) = \sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} \hat{u}_n^\varepsilon(\xi) \psi_n(\cdot, \xi)$ that we substitute into the above equation to obtain

$$[\mu_n(\xi) - (\omega^2 + i\varepsilon\omega)] \hat{u}_n^\varepsilon(\xi) = \hat{f}_n(\xi) \quad \hat{f}_n(\xi) := \int_{\mathcal{C}} \hat{f}(\cdot, \xi) \overline{\psi_n(\cdot, \xi)} dx$$

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where the series converges in $H^2(\mathcal{C})$. By inverse FB-transform, we get

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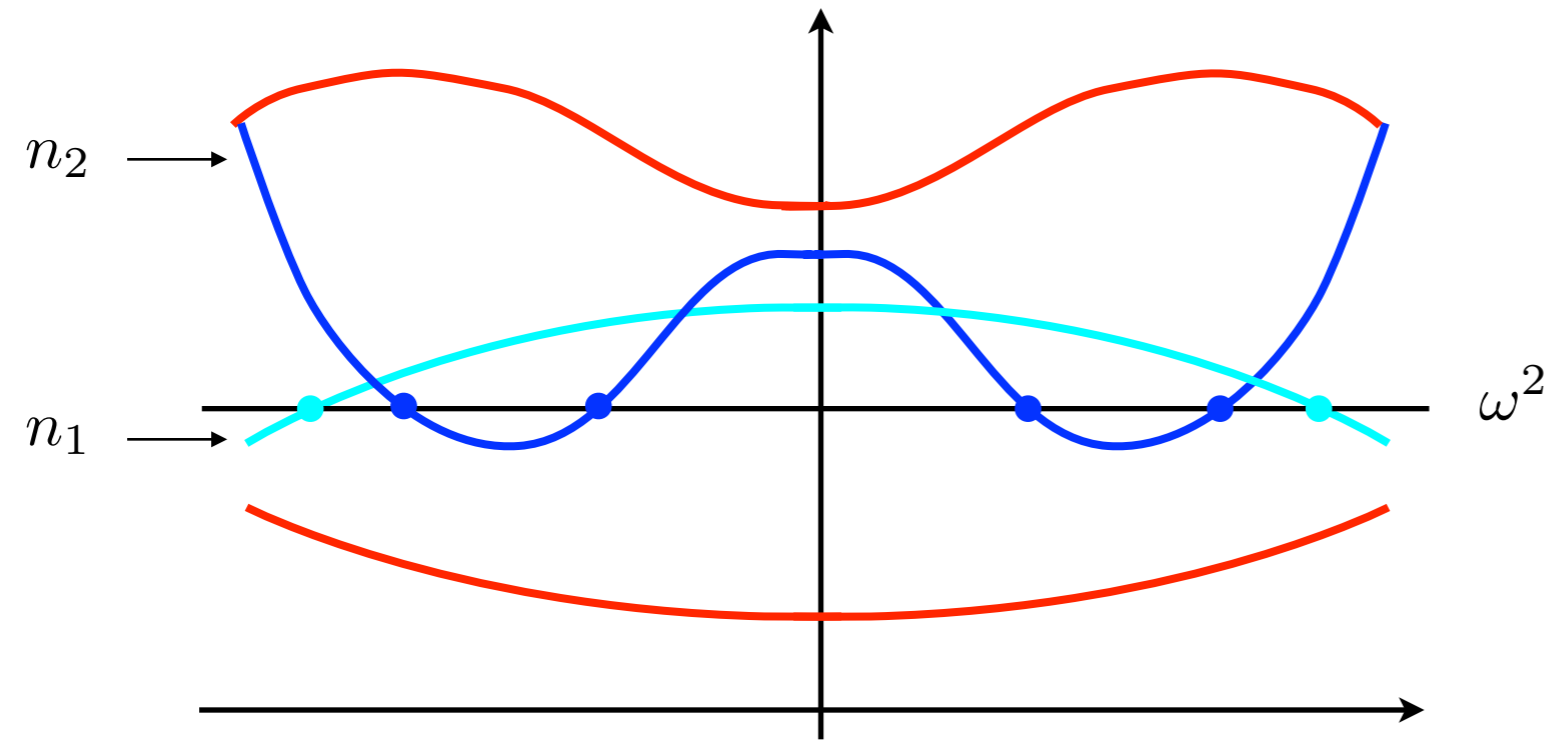
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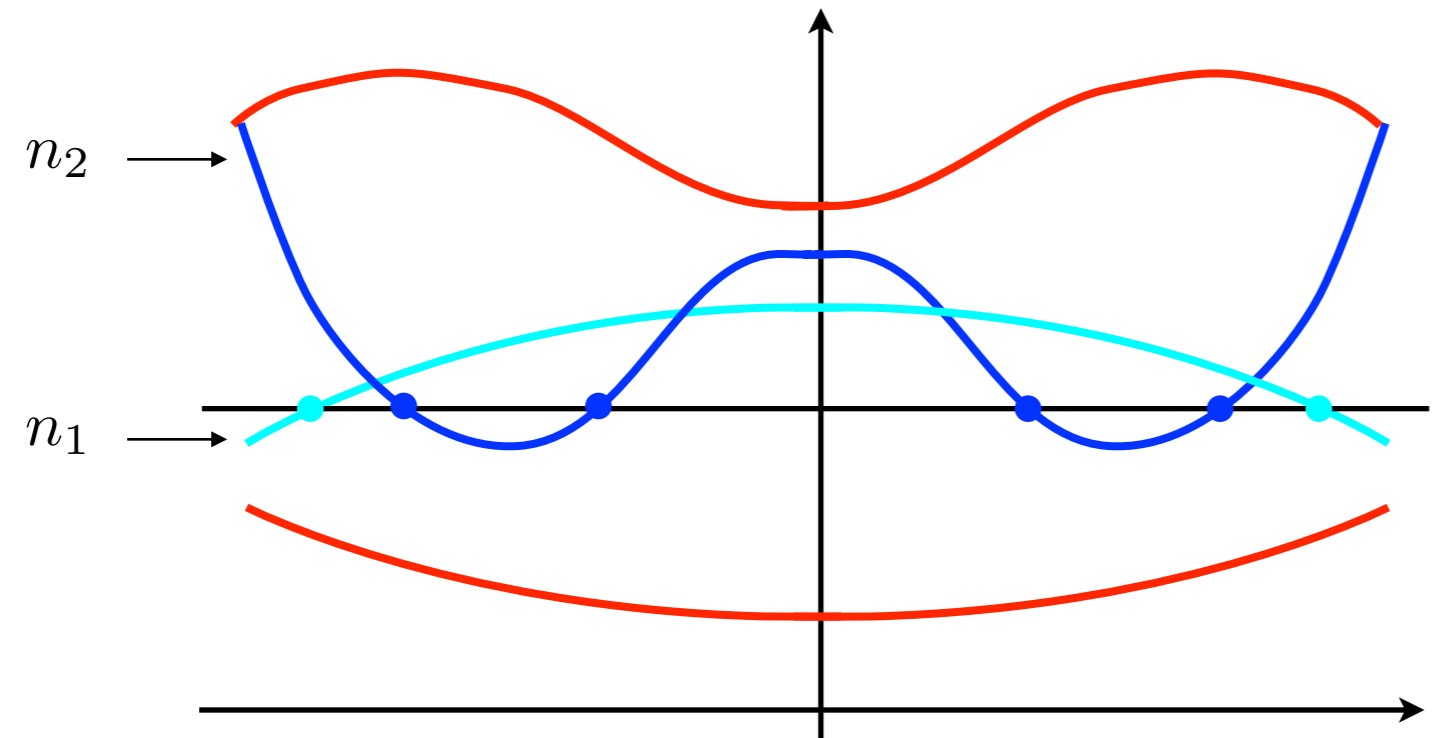
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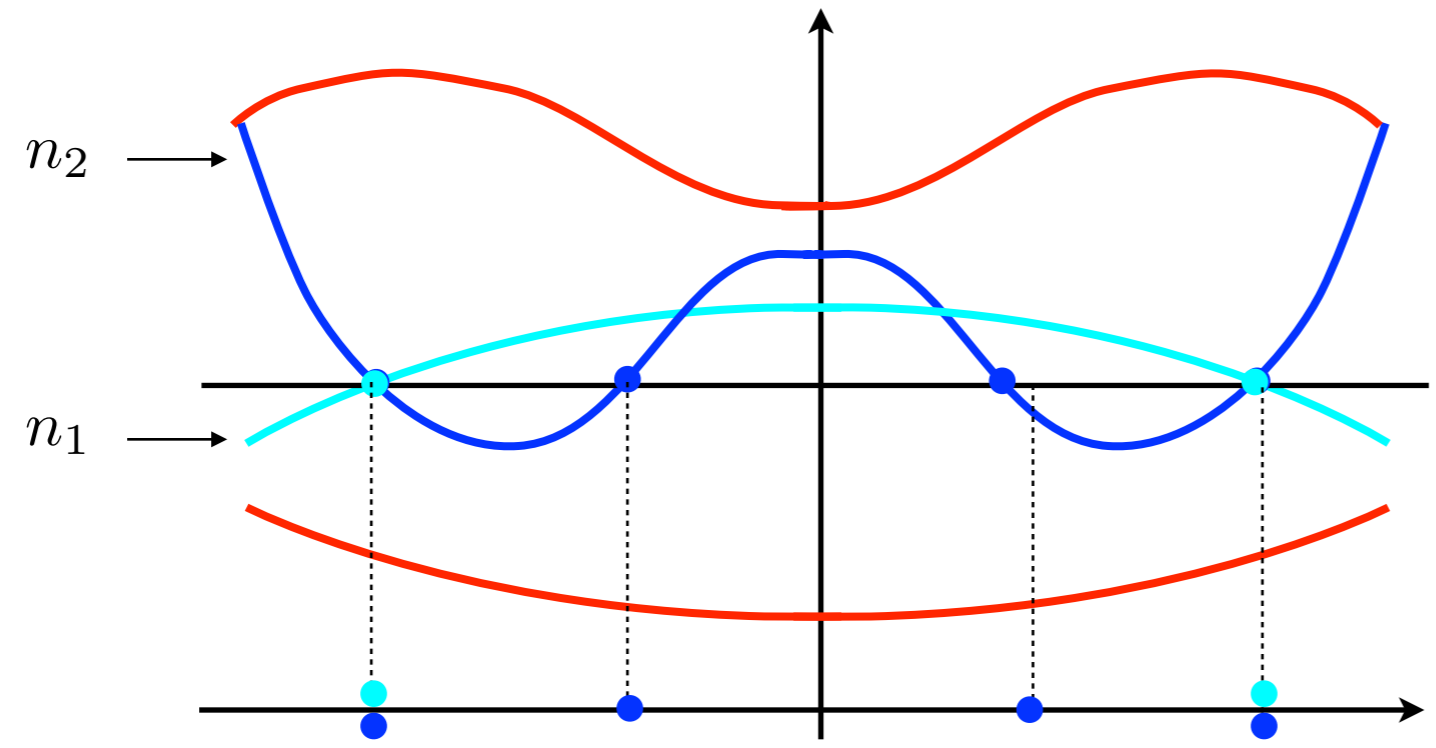
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$$u^\varepsilon = u_{\text{evan}}^\varepsilon + u_{\text{prop}}^\varepsilon \quad u_{\text{evan}}^\varepsilon = \sum_{n \notin I(\omega)} \dots \quad u_{\text{prop}}^\varepsilon = \sum_{n \in I(\omega)} \dots$$

For $n \notin I(\omega)$, one can define $u_{\text{evan}} \in H^2(\Omega)$, cell by cell, as

$$u_{\text{evan}}(\cdot + p e_1) := (2\pi)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \sum_{n \notin I(\omega)} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{\widehat{f}_n(\xi) \psi_n(\cdot, \xi)}{\mu_n(\xi) - \omega^2} e^{ip\xi} d\xi$$

and one can prove that

$$\|u_{\text{evan}}^\varepsilon - u_{\text{evan}}\|_{H^2(\Omega)} \leq C \varepsilon$$

Key argument : $\inf_{n \notin I(\omega)} \inf_{\xi \in [-\pi, \pi]} |\mu_n(\xi) - \omega^2| > 0$

$$\underline{\text{Im } \mu_n} \quad n \notin I(\omega)$$



Convergence : the evanescent part

Proof of the L^2 estimate : we use FB-Plancherel's theorem

$$\|u_{evan}^\varepsilon - u_{evan}\|_{n^2}^2 = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \|(\widehat{u}_{evan}^\varepsilon - \widehat{u}_{evan})(\cdot, \xi)\|_{n^2}^2 \quad \text{where by definition}$$

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so that $\|[\widehat{u}_{evan}^\varepsilon - \widehat{u}_{evan}](\cdot, \xi)\|_{n^2}^2 = \sum_{n \notin I(\omega)} |d_n^\varepsilon(\xi)|^2 |\widehat{f}_n(\xi)|^2$ where we have set

$$\widehat{d}_n^\varepsilon(\xi) := (\mu_n(\xi) - (\omega^2 + i\varepsilon\omega))^{-1} - (\mu_n(\xi) - \omega^2)^{-1} = \frac{i\varepsilon\omega}{(\mu_n(\xi) - (\omega^2 + i\varepsilon\omega))(\mu_n(\xi) - \omega^2)}$$

In particular $|d_n^\varepsilon(\xi)| \leq \frac{\varepsilon\omega}{|\mu_n(\xi) - \omega^2|^2} \leq C\varepsilon$ since $\inf_{n \notin I(\omega)} \inf_{\xi \in [-\pi, \pi]} |\mu_n(\xi) - \omega^2| > 0$

$$\|[\widehat{u}_{evan}^\varepsilon - \widehat{u}_{evan}](\cdot, \xi)\|_{n^2}^2 \leq C^2 \varepsilon^2 \sum_{n \notin I(\omega)} |\widehat{f}_n(\xi)|^2 \leq C^2 \varepsilon^2 \|\widehat{f}(\cdot, \xi)\|_{n^2}^2$$

After integration in ξ , we get (Plancherel)

$$\|u_{evan}^\varepsilon - u_{evan}\|_{n^2}^2 \leq C^2 \varepsilon^2 \|f\|^2$$

Convergence : the propagative part

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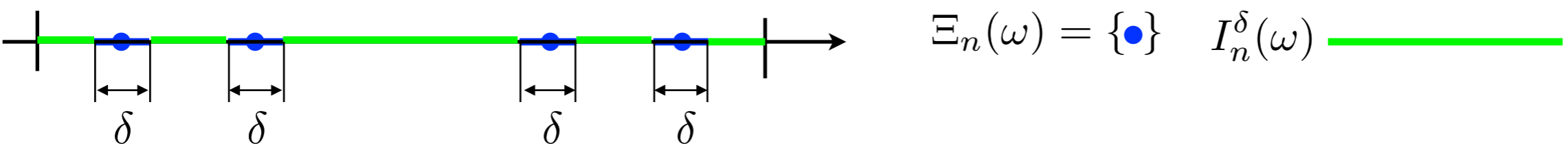
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For $n \in I(\omega)$, $\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{\widehat{f}_n(\xi) \psi_n(\cdot, \xi)}{\mu_n(\xi) - \omega^2} e^{ip\xi} d\xi$ does not exist but we can define

$$p.v. \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{\widehat{f}_n(\xi) \psi_n(\cdot, \xi)}{\mu_n(\xi) - \omega^2} e^{ip\xi} d\xi = \lim_{\delta \downarrow 0} \int_{I_n^\delta(\omega)} \frac{\widehat{f}_n(\xi) \psi_n(\cdot, \xi)}{\mu_n(\xi) - \omega^2} e^{ip\xi} d\xi \in H^2(\mathcal{C})$$

where by definition $I_n^\delta(\omega) =]-\pi, \pi[\setminus \bigcup_{\xi^* \in \Xi_n(\omega)}]\xi^* - \delta, \xi^* + \delta[$



Key point : $\mu'_n(\xi^*) \neq 0, \quad \forall \xi^* \in \Xi_n(\omega) \quad (\omega^2 \notin \sigma_0)$

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where by definition $\|V\|_{C^r(I, X)} := \sup_{t \in I} \|V(t)\| + \sup_{(t, t') \in I} \frac{\|V(t) - V(t')\|}{|t - t'|^r}$

Remark : Hölder regularity and $\varepsilon > 0$ are important. For $\varepsilon < 0$

$$+ i\pi V(0) \quad \longrightarrow \quad - i\pi V(0)$$

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Corollary : if $V \in H^s(I; X)$, $s > 1/2$ ($H^s(I, X) \subset C^{s-\frac{1}{2}}(I, X)$)

$$\left\| \int_I \frac{V(t)}{t - i\varepsilon} dt - \left(p.v. \int_I \frac{V(t)}{t} dt + i\pi V(0) \right) \right\| \leq C \varepsilon^{s-\frac{1}{2}} \|V\|_{H^s(I, X)}$$

Proof of the theorem : without ant loss of generality $I =] - a, a [$

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$$\int_{-a}^a \frac{t V(t)}{t^2 + \varepsilon^2} dt - p.v. \int_{-a}^a \frac{V(t)}{t} dt = \int_{-a}^a \frac{t (V(t) - V(0))}{t^2 + \varepsilon^2} dt - \int_{-a}^a \frac{V(t) - V(0)}{t} dt$$

We compute that $|t/(t^2 + \varepsilon^2) - 1/t| = |t|^{-1} [\varepsilon^2/(t^2 + \varepsilon^2)]$ which implies

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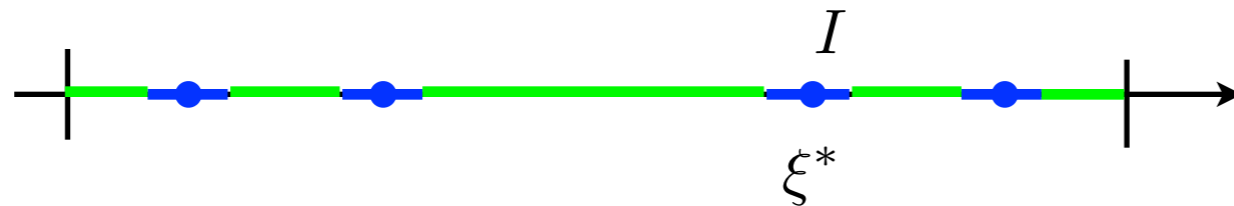
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The problems only come from the points ξ^* in the set

$$\Xi_n(\omega) = \{ \xi \in [-\pi, \pi[\mid \mu_n(\xi) = \omega^2 \}$$

One decomposes the integral into integrals over **small neighborhoods** of such ξ^* plus the rest that does not pose any difficulty



In the neighborhood I of ξ^* , $\mu_n(\xi) - \omega^2 \sim \mu'_n(\xi^*) (\xi - \xi^*)$

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$$\widehat{f}(\cdot, \xi) \in H^s(-\pi, \pi; L^2(\mathcal{C}))$$

According to the properties of the Floquet-Bloch transform, this is guaranteed if

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The rigorous proof uses the **change of variable**

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The convergence of u_n^ε towards u_n only holds in $H_{loc}^2(\Omega)$.

We shall see later that u_n does not belong to $L^2(\Omega)$.

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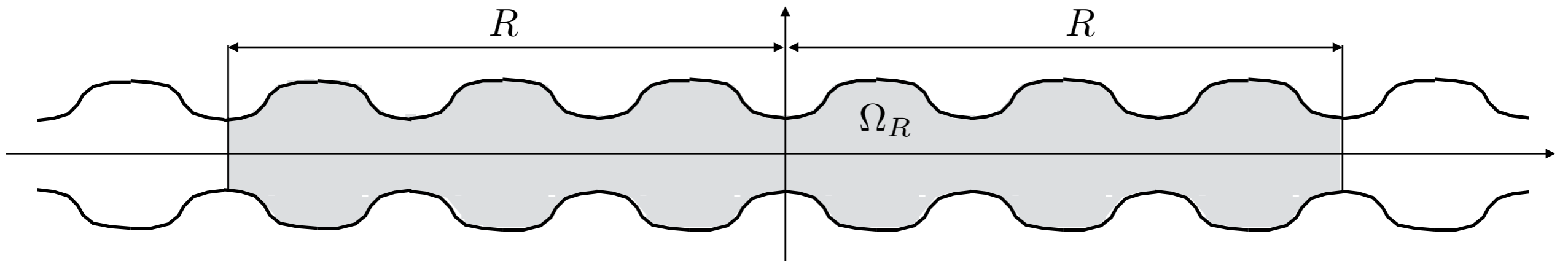
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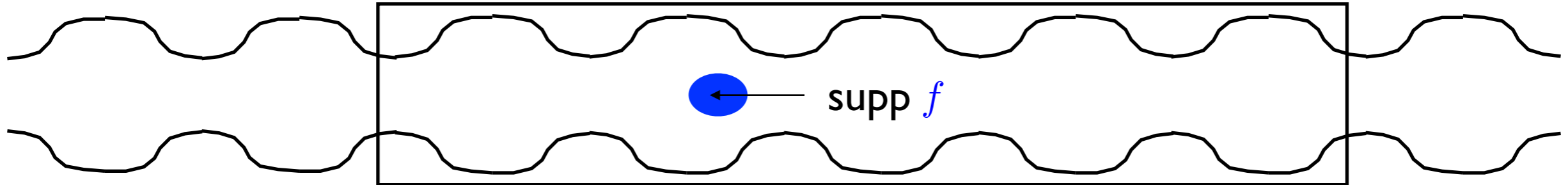
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Objective of the course

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$$0 < n_- < n(x_1, x_T) < n_+ < +\infty \quad n(x_1 + 1, x_T) = n(x_1, x_T)$$

1. Define and construct properly the good solution of (\mathcal{P})

Floquet-Bloch transform, **Plemelj-Privalov** theorem

2. Describe the properties of this solution, in particular its behaviour at infinity

Complex variable methods, **contour** integrals

3. Find radiations condition at infinity that characterize this solution

Energy like arguments

The propagative wave numbers

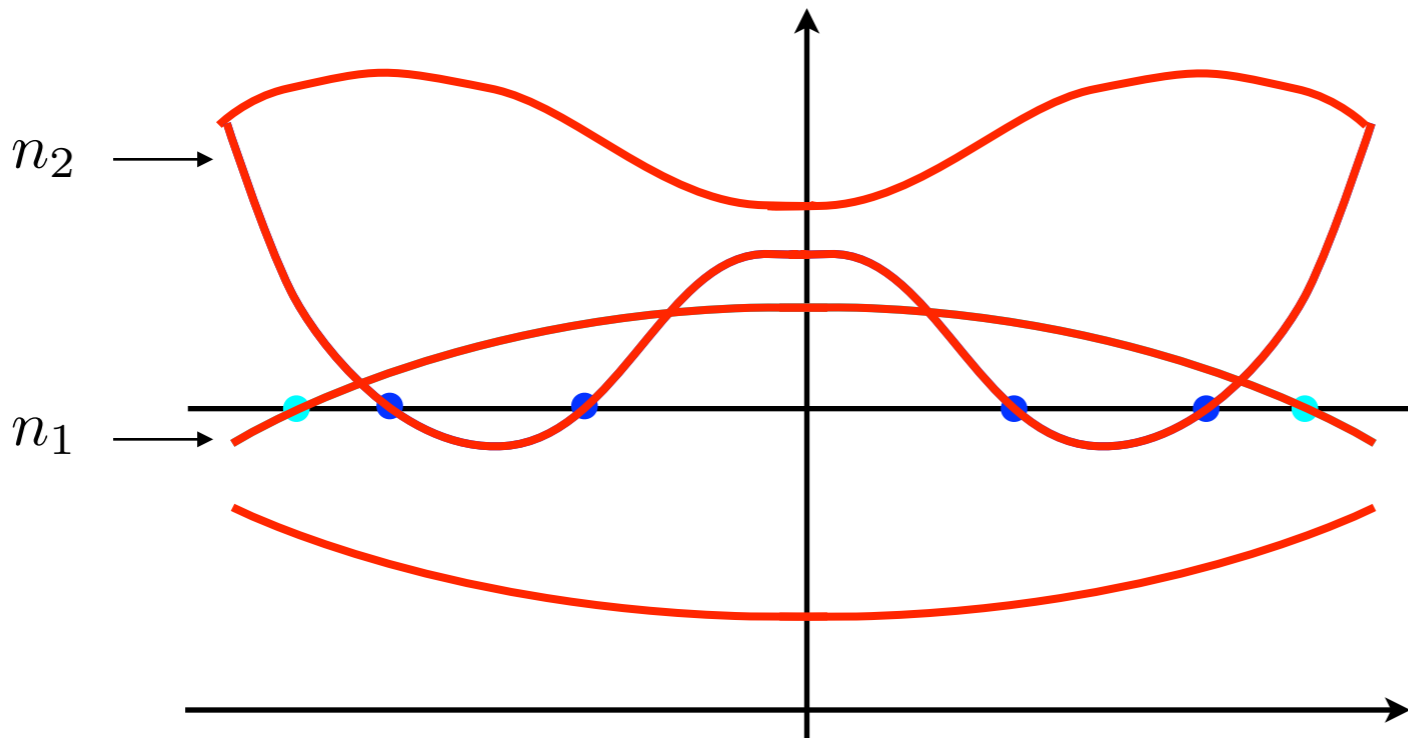
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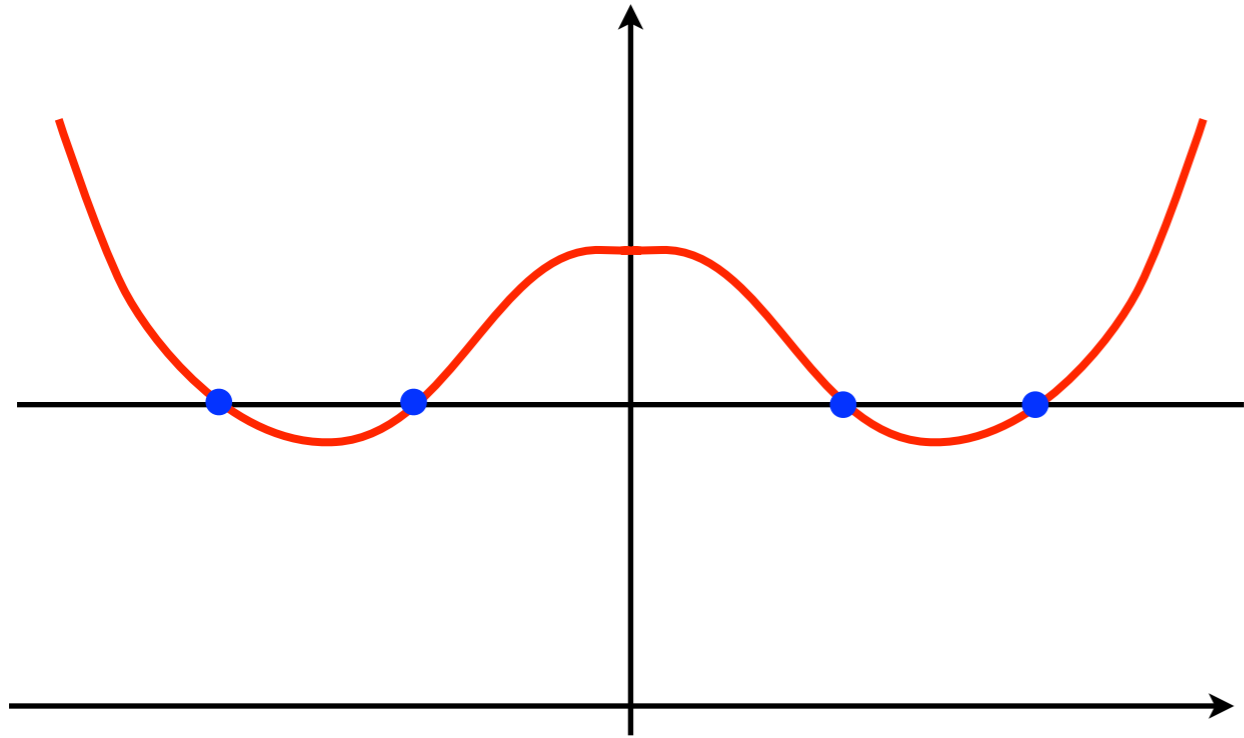
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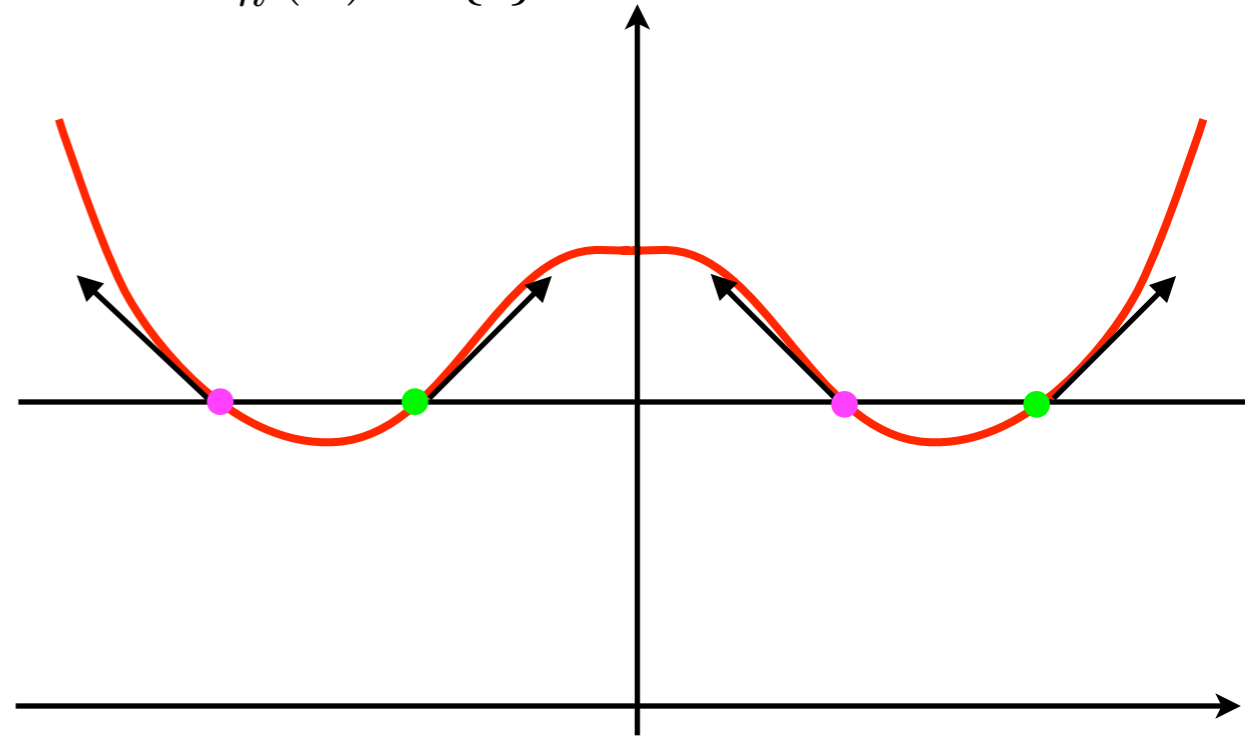
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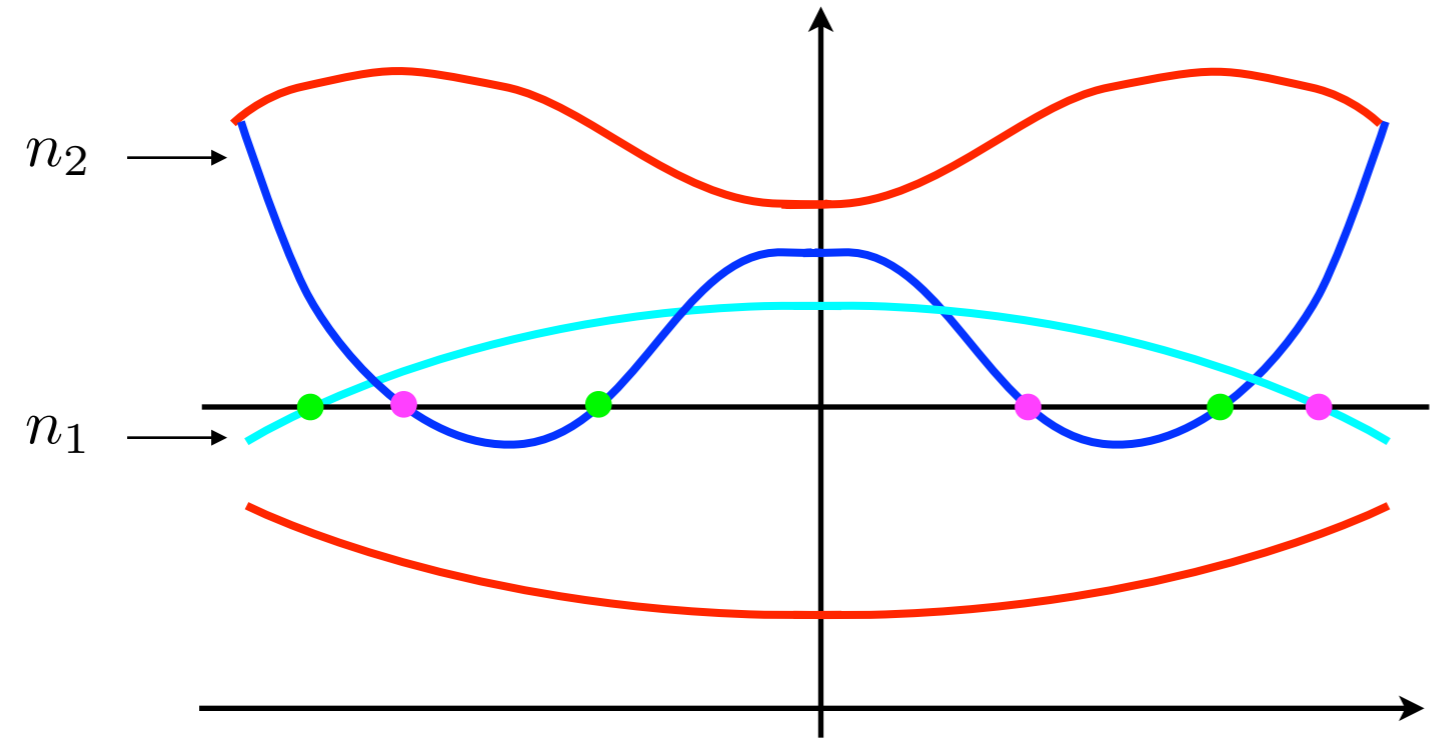


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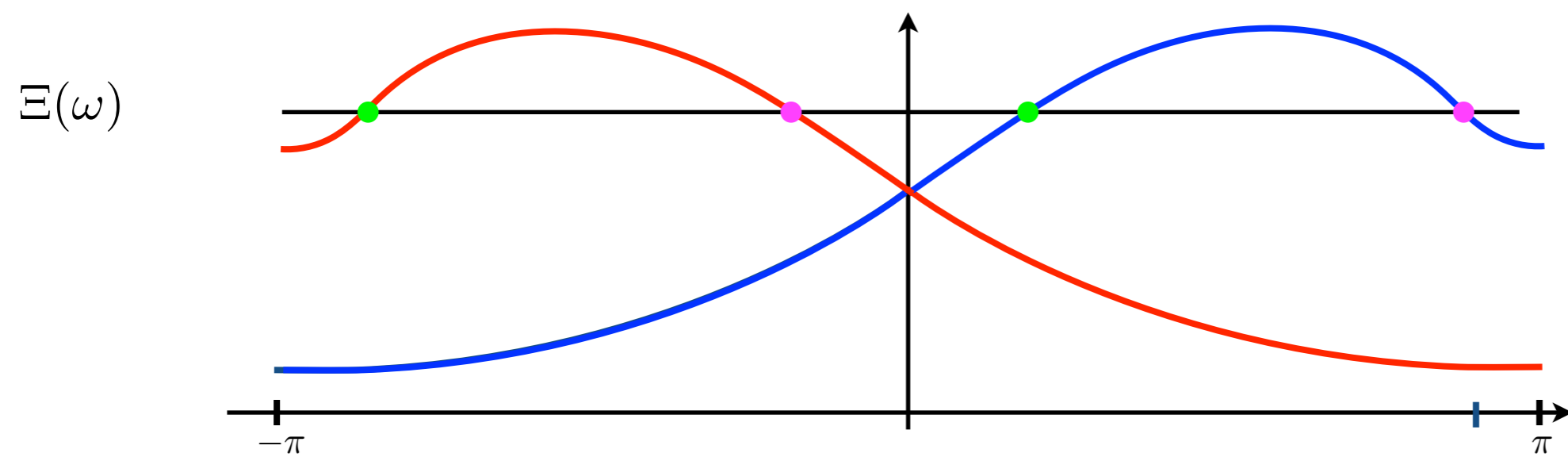
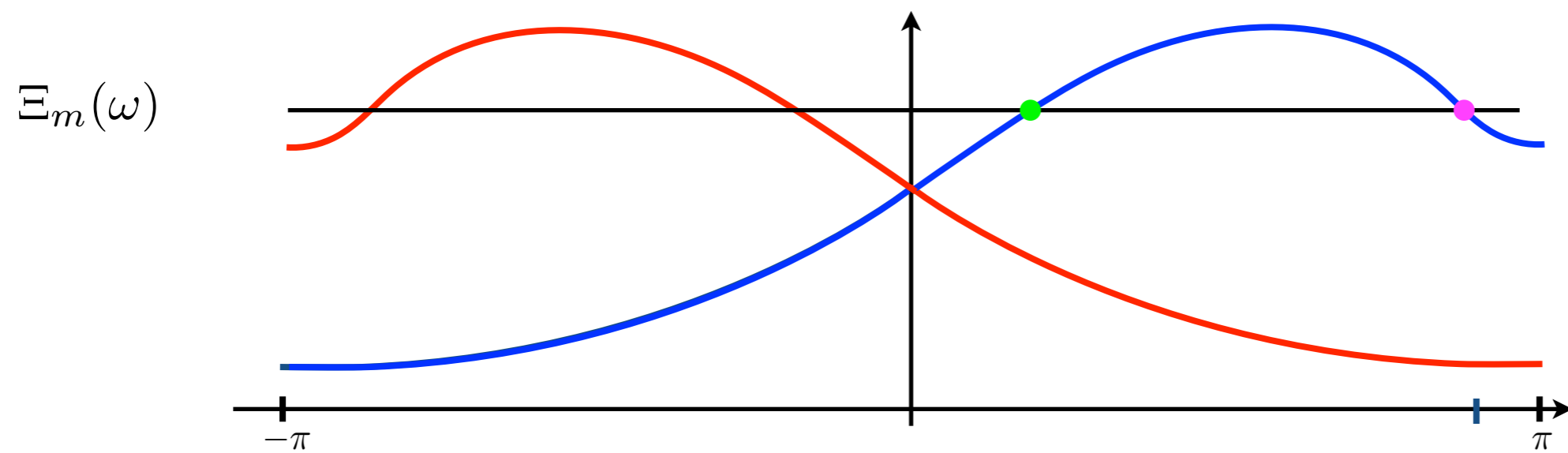
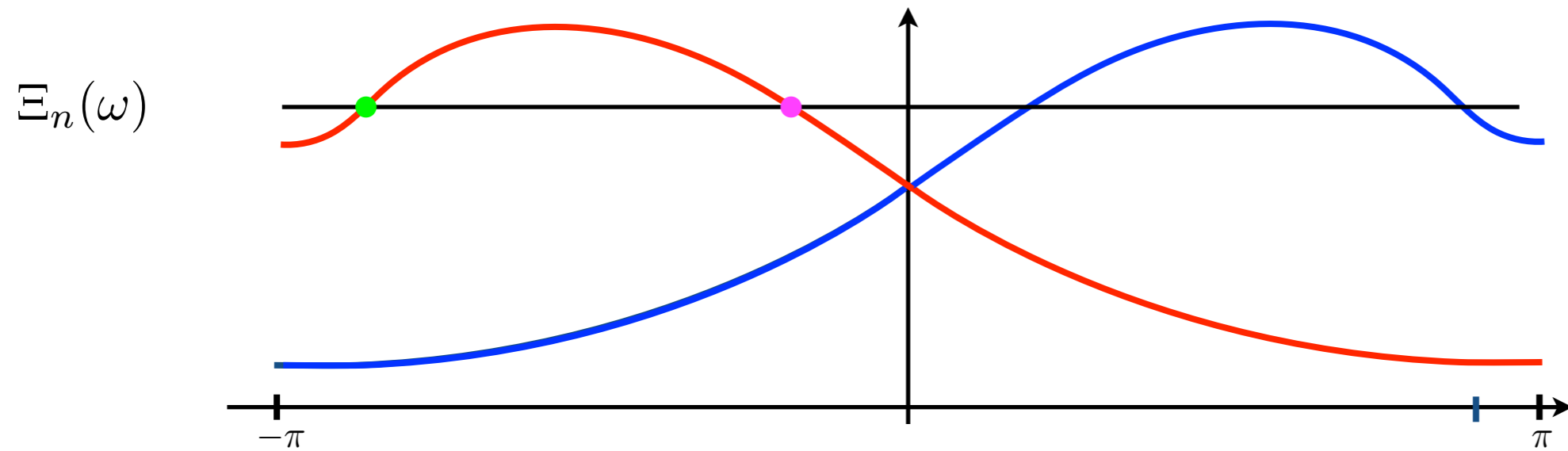
Proof : use the λ_n 's instead of the μ_n 's and the evenness of $\lambda_n(\xi)$

$$\lambda_n(\xi) = \omega^2 \quad \text{and} \quad \lambda'_n(\xi) > 0 \quad \lambda_n(-\xi) = \omega^2 \quad \text{and} \quad \lambda'_n(-\xi) < 0$$

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The propagative wave numbers

$$I(\omega) = \{\underline{n}, \underline{m}\}$$



Asymptotic behaviour at infinity

Theorem : Assume that $\omega^2 \notin \sigma_0$ and $e^{\alpha|x_1|} f \in L^2(\Omega)$, $\alpha > 0$.

Asymptotic behaviour at $+\infty$:

$$u(\cdot + p e_1) = i (2\pi)^{\frac{1}{2}} \sum_{n \in I(\omega)} \sum_{\xi^* \in \Xi_n^+(\omega)} \frac{\widehat{f}_n(\xi^*) \psi_n(\cdot, \xi^*)}{|\mu'_n(\xi^*)|} e^{ip\xi^*} + w^+(\cdot + p e_1)$$

where $w^+ \in H_{loc}^2(\mathcal{C})$ is exponentially decaying at $+\infty$ in the sense that

$$\exists 0 < \beta < \alpha \quad \text{such that} \quad \|w^+(\cdot + p e_1)\|_{H^2(\mathcal{C})} \leq C e^{-\beta|p|}, \quad \forall p > 0.$$

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Asymptotic behaviour at infinity

Proof when $\omega^2 \notin \sigma(A)$: we have to prove that u is exponentially decreasing at $\pm\infty$

Since $I(\omega) = \emptyset$, we have

$$u(\cdot + p e_1) = (2\pi)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{\widehat{f}_n(\xi) \psi_n(\cdot, \xi)}{\mu_n(\xi) - \omega^2} e^{ip\xi} d\xi$$

which can be rewritten in an abstract way

$$u(\cdot + p e_1) = (2\pi)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (A(\xi) - \omega^2)^{-1} \widehat{f}(\cdot, \xi) e^{ip\xi} d\xi$$

We shall use again results from the theory of analytic families of operators



T. Kato. Perturbation theory for linear operators.
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For the proof, we shall make the (inessential) **technical assumption** that

$$-\pi \notin \Xi(\omega) \quad \text{and} \quad \pi \notin \Xi(\omega)$$

Fredholm analytic theory

Let $\mathcal{A}(\xi)$ denote an analytic family of operators (of class (B)) in H

Theorem 1 : Assume that

- $\mathcal{A}(\xi_0)$ is **invertible** $\iff 0 \notin \sigma(\mathcal{A}(\xi_0))$
- $\mathcal{A}(\xi)$ has a **compact resolvent** for all ξ

Then, there exists a **complex neighborhood** $\mathcal{V}(\xi_0)$ of ξ_0 such that

- $\mathcal{A}(\xi)$ is **invertible** for all $\xi \in \mathcal{V}(\xi_0)$
- $\xi \mapsto \mathcal{A}(\xi)^{-1}$ is **bounded analytic** in $\mathcal{V}(\xi_0)$

Corollary 1 : Assume that $\mathcal{A}(\xi_0)$ is **invertible** for all ξ_0 in K , compact $\subset \mathbb{C}$, then there exists a **complex neighborhood** $\mathcal{V}(K)$ of K such that

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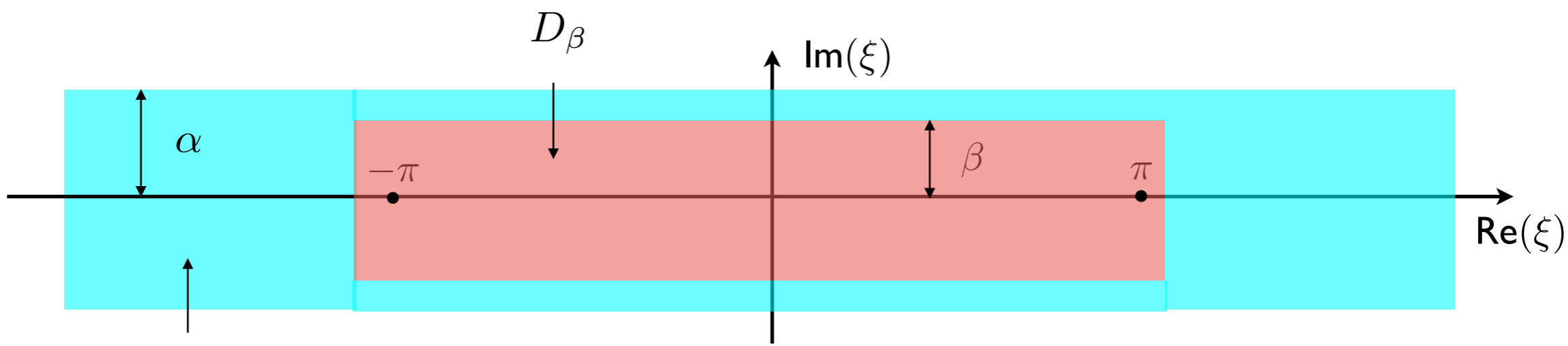
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$$u(\cdot + p e_1) = (2\pi)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (A(\xi) - \omega^2)^{-1} \widehat{f}(\cdot, \xi) e^{ip\xi} d\xi$$

Applying the corollary with $H := L^2(\mathcal{C}; n^2 dx)$, $\mathcal{A}(\xi) := A(\xi) - \omega^2$, and $K = [-\pi, \pi]$

$$\xi \mapsto (A(\xi) - \omega^2)^{-1} \widehat{f}(\cdot, \xi) e^{ip\xi} \text{ is analytic in } D_\beta$$

and is, in addition, 2π - periodic



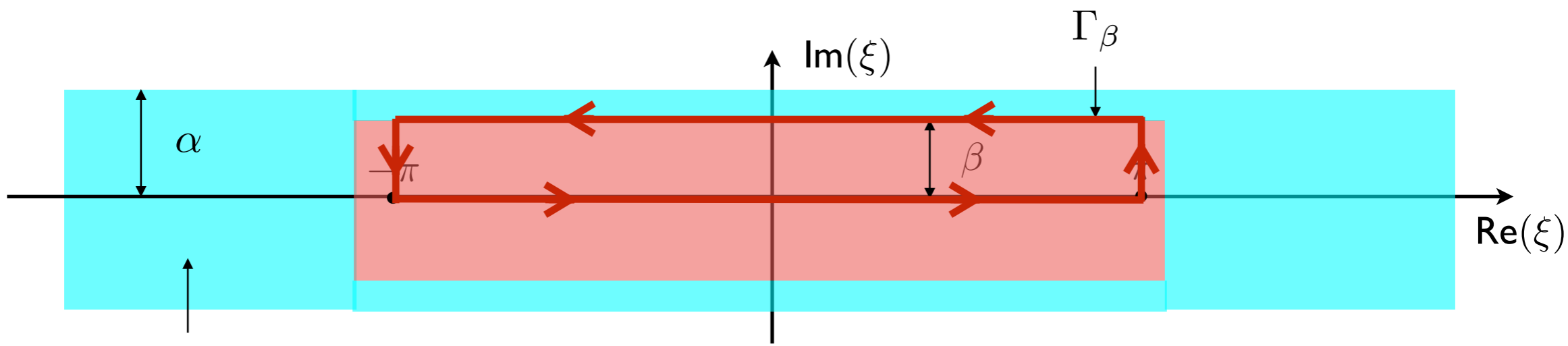
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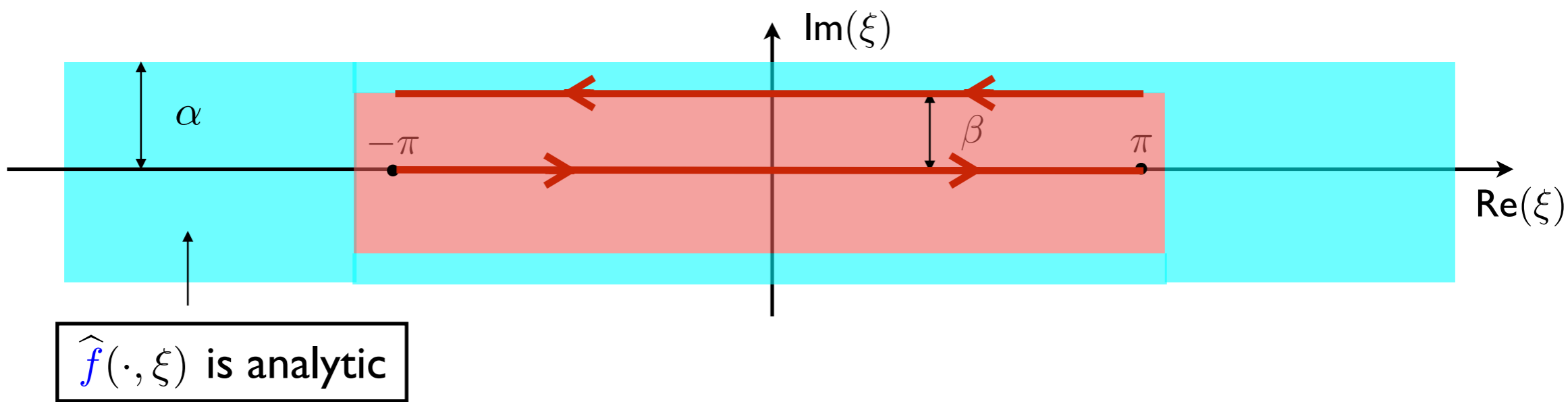
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One concludes noticing that along $\text{Im } z = \beta$: $|e^{ipz}| \leq e^{-\beta |p|}$

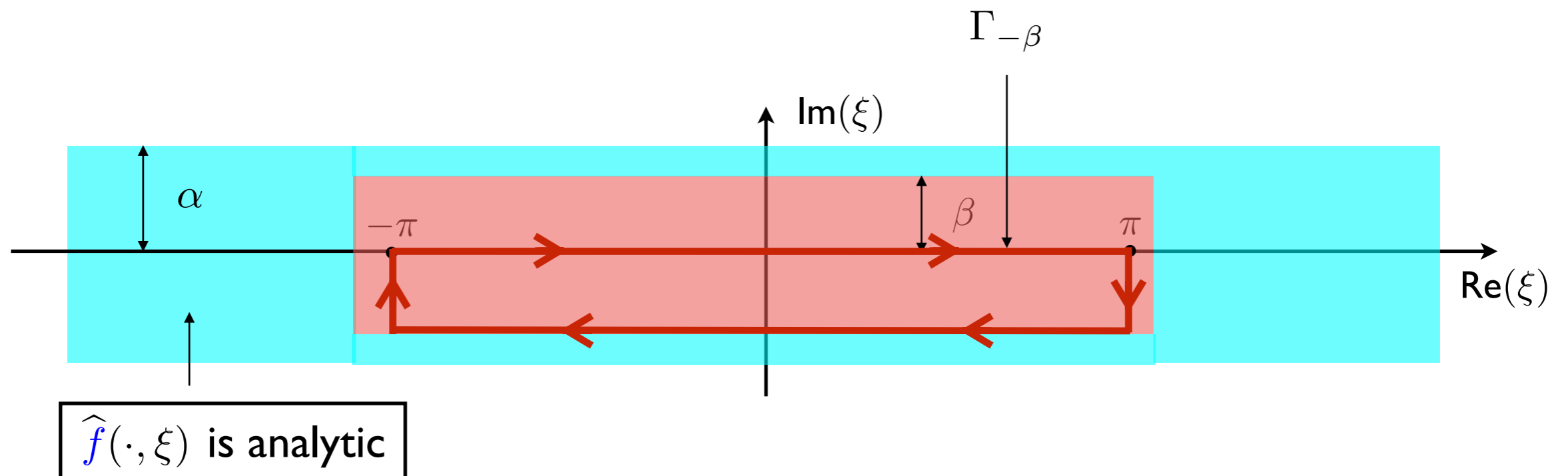


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We simply have to change the contour $\Gamma_{\beta} \longrightarrow \Gamma_{-\beta}$



Asymptotic behaviour at infinity

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By construction of $\mathbb{Q}(\xi)$

$$0 \notin \sigma(A(\xi)\mathbb{Q}(\xi) - \omega^2) = \{\mu_n(\xi) - \omega^2, n \notin I(\omega)\} \cup \{-\omega^2\}$$

and we can write

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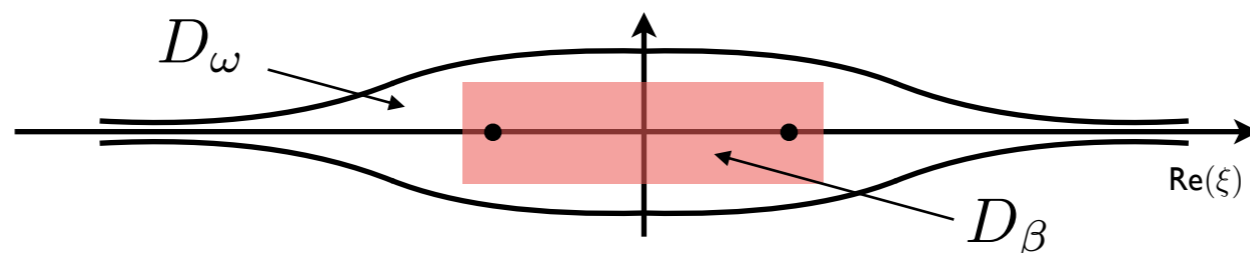
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Moreover $\mathbb{P}(\xi)$ and $\mathbb{Q}(\xi)$ **are not** 2π - periodic.

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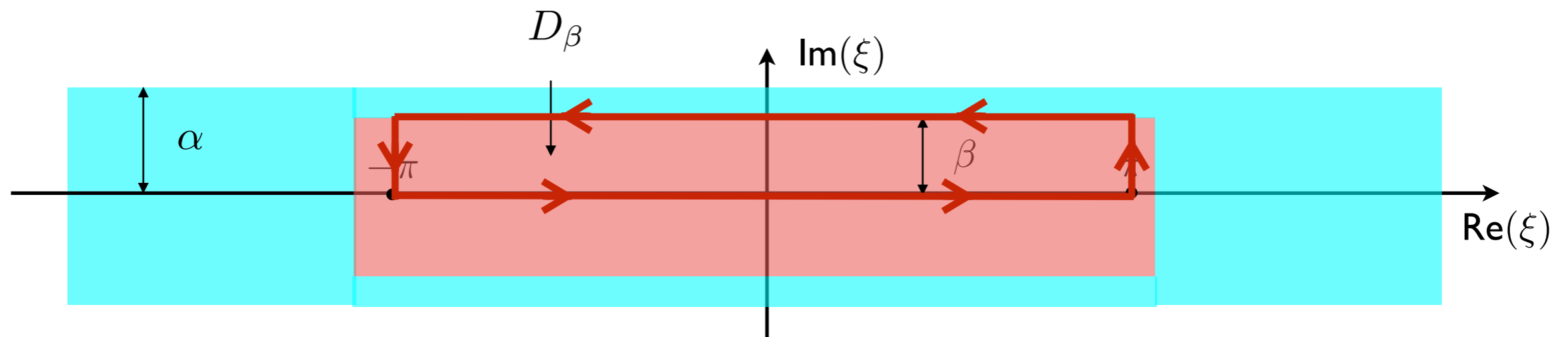
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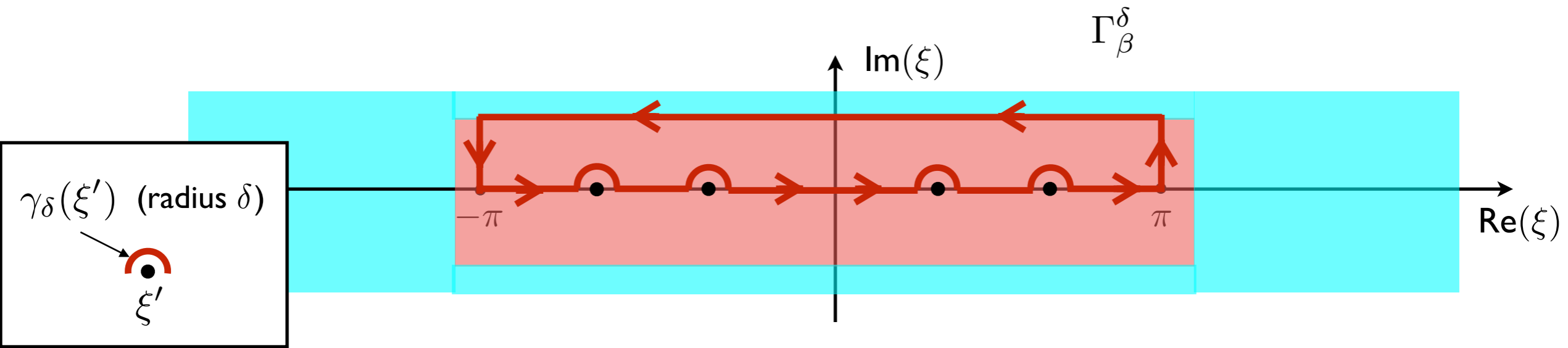


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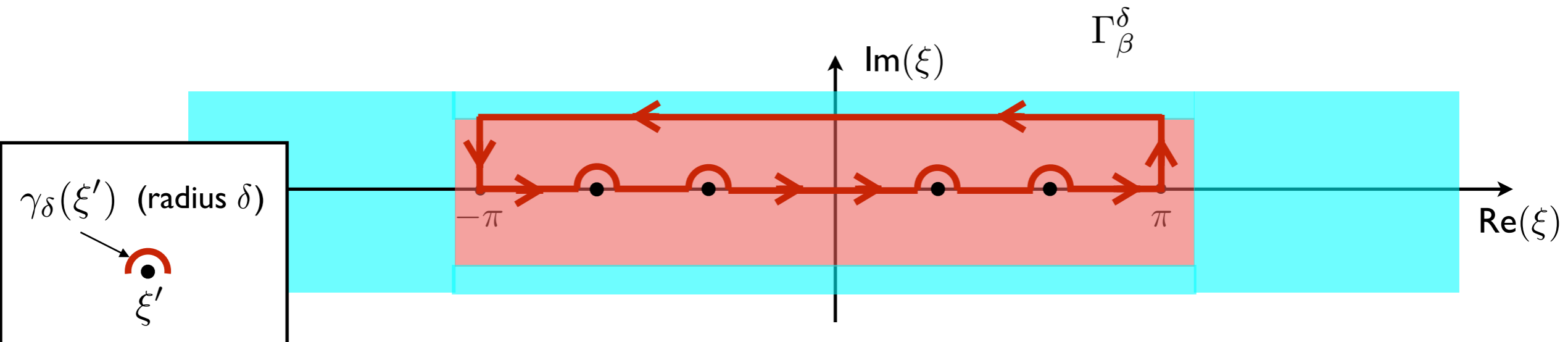
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Lemma : if $g(\xi)$ has a simple pole at ξ' , $\lim_{\delta \rightarrow 0} \int_{\gamma_\delta(\xi')} g(\xi) d\xi = i\pi \lim_{\xi \rightarrow \xi'} (\xi - \xi') g(\xi)$

Corollary : $\lim_{\delta \rightarrow 0} \int_{\gamma_\delta(\xi')} \frac{\widehat{f}_n(\xi) \psi_n(\cdot, \xi)}{\mu_n(\xi) - \omega^2} e^{ip\xi} d\xi = i\pi \frac{\widehat{f}_n(\xi') \psi_n(\cdot, \xi')}{\mu'_n(\xi')} e^{ip\xi'}$

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exponentially decaying at $+\infty$

Asymptotic behaviour at infinity

Proof when $\omega^2 \in \sigma(A)$:

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By periodicity of $\xi \mapsto A(\xi)$, $(A(i\lambda + \pi) - \omega^2)^{-1} = (A(i\lambda - \pi) - \omega^2)^{-1}$ for $|\lambda| \leq \beta$

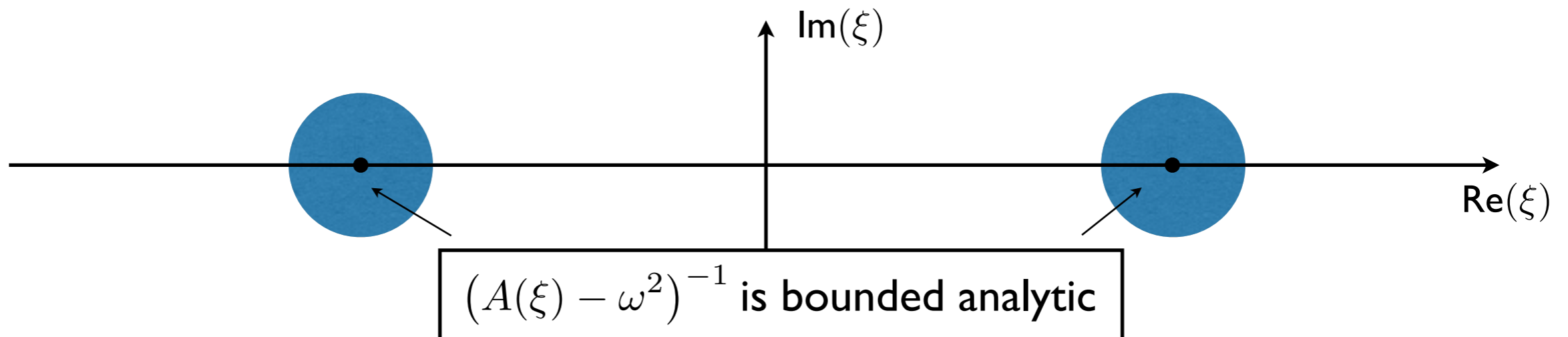
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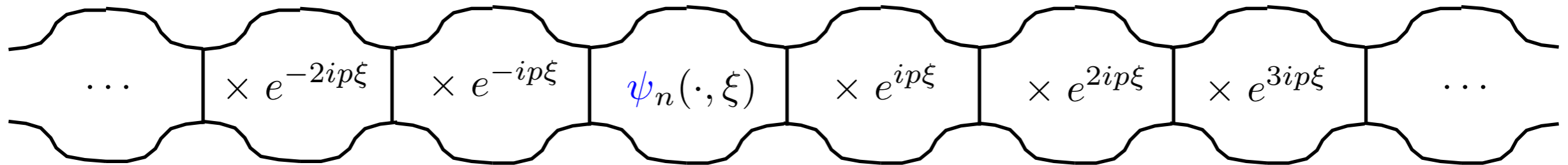


The identity (ii) holds along the **red real segments** : applied to $\psi_n(\cdot, \xi)$ both left and right hand sides give $(\mu_n(\xi) - \omega^2)^{-1} \psi_n(\cdot, \xi)$

By **analyticity**, (ii) also holds inside the two balls

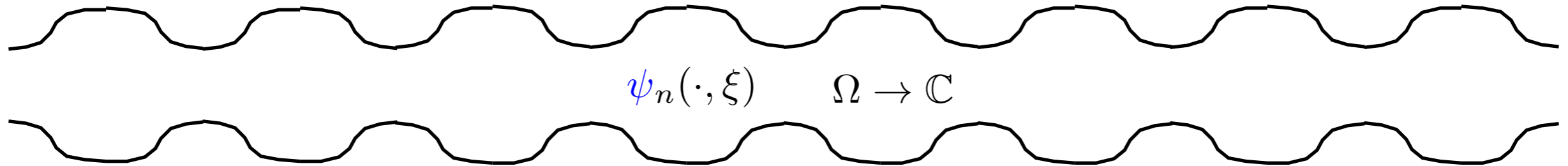
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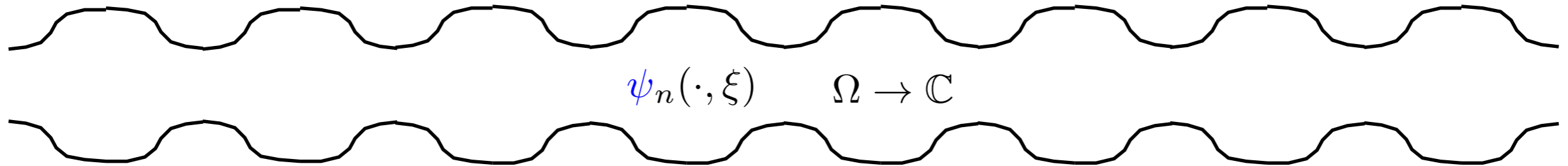
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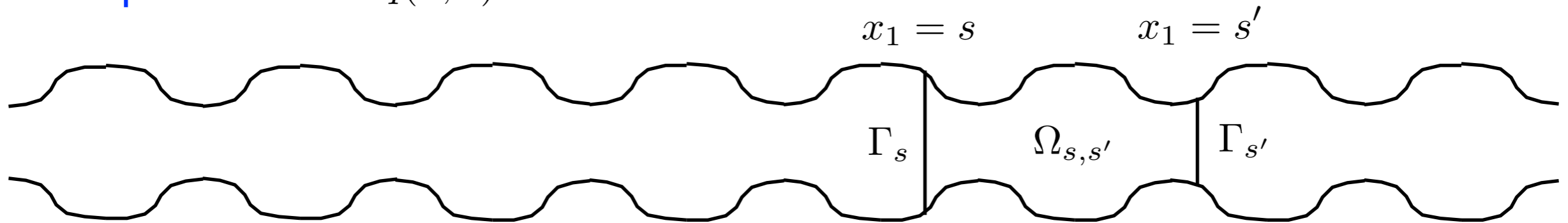
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The sesquilinear form $q(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v})$



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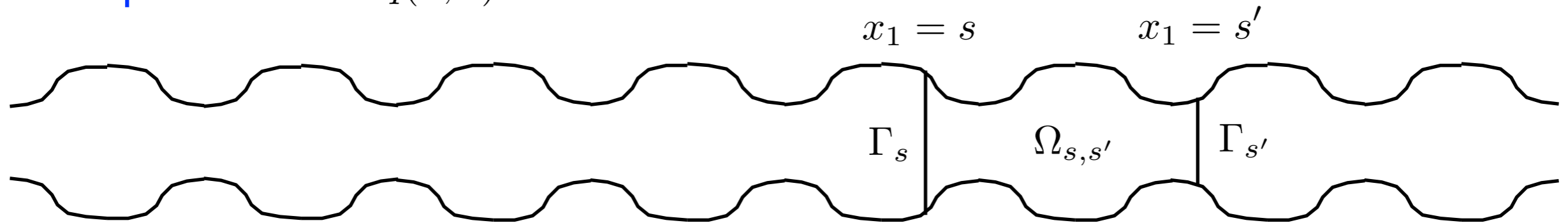
Lemma : For $(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}) \in \mathcal{V}(\omega)$, $q(s; \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}) = q(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v})$ is independent of s .

Proof : Using **Green's** formula

$$\begin{aligned} q(s'; \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}) - q(s; \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}) &= \int_{\Omega_{s,s'}} (\Delta \mathbf{u} \bar{\mathbf{v}} - \Delta \bar{\mathbf{v}} \mathbf{u}) dx \\ &= \int_{\Omega_{s,s'}} (n^2 \omega^2 \mathbf{u} \bar{\mathbf{v}} - n^2 \omega^2 \bar{\mathbf{v}} \mathbf{u}) dx = 0 \end{aligned}$$

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The sesquilinear form $q(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v})$ "orthogonalizes" the propagative Floquet modes :

Theorem : Let $(n, m) \in I(\omega)$, $\xi \in \Xi_n(\omega)$, $\xi' \in \Xi_m(\omega)$

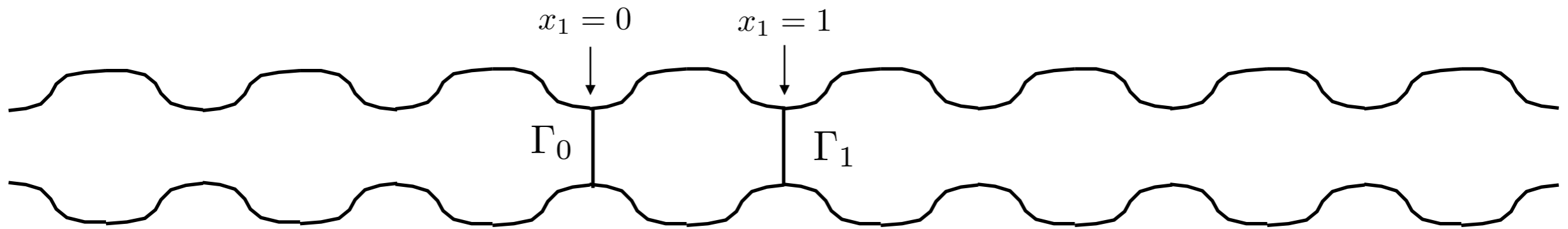
$$\text{If } n \neq m \text{ or } \xi \neq \xi', \quad q(\psi_n(\cdot, \xi), \psi_m(\cdot, \xi')) = 0$$

$$\text{Otherwise,} \quad q(\psi_n(\cdot, \xi), \psi_n(\cdot, \xi)) = i \mu'_n(\cdot, \xi)$$

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Proof of the theorem (I)

According to the lemma, $q(\psi_n(\cdot, \xi), \psi_m(\cdot, \xi'))$ is given indifferently by one of the following two expressions



$$\int \left(\partial_{x_1} \psi_n(1, x_T, \xi) \bar{\psi}_m(1, x_T, \xi') - \partial_{x_1} \bar{\psi}_m(1, x_T, \xi) \bar{\psi}_n(1, x_T, \xi') \right) dx_T$$

$$= \int \left(\partial_{x_1} \psi_n(0, x_T, \xi) \bar{\psi}_m(0, x_T, \xi') - \partial_{x_1} \bar{\psi}_m(0, x_T, \xi) \psi_n(0, x_T, \xi') \right) dx_T$$

$$\implies (e^{\xi - \xi'} - 1) q(\psi_n(\cdot, \xi), \psi_m(\cdot, \xi')) = 0$$

which proves $q(\psi_n(\cdot, \xi), \psi_m(\cdot, \xi')) = 0$ for $\xi \neq \xi'$

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Proof of the theorem (2)

The idea is to differentiate in ξ the equations in $\psi_n(\cdot, \xi)$ $\Psi_n(\cdot, \xi) := \partial_\xi \psi_n(\cdot, \xi)$

$$-\Delta \psi_n(\cdot, \xi) = \mu_n(\xi) n^2 \psi_n(\cdot, \xi) \quad \partial_\nu \psi_n(\cdot, \xi) = 0$$

$$\partial_{x_1} \psi_n(\cdot, \xi)|_{\Gamma_1} = e^{i\xi} \partial_{x_1} \psi_n(\cdot, \xi)|_{\Gamma_0}$$

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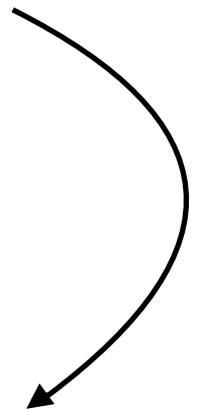
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$$q(1; \Psi_n(\cdot, \xi), \psi_m(\cdot, \xi)) - q(0; \Psi_n(\cdot, \xi), \psi_m(\cdot, \xi)) = \text{Green's formula}$$

$$= \int_{\mathcal{C}} (\Delta \Psi_n(\cdot, \xi) \bar{\psi}_m(\cdot, \xi) - \Delta \bar{\psi}_m(\cdot, \xi) \Psi_n(\cdot, \xi)) dx$$

$$= \mu'_n(\xi) \int_{\mathcal{C}} \psi_n(\cdot, \xi) \bar{\psi}_m(\cdot, \xi) n^2 dx = \mu'_n(\xi) \delta_{nm}$$



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To conclude it suffices to observe that we also have

$$q(1; \Psi_n(\cdot, \xi), \psi_m(\cdot, \xi)) - q(0; \Psi_n(\cdot, \xi), \psi_m(\cdot, \xi)) = -i q(\psi_n(\cdot, \xi), \psi_m(\cdot, \xi))$$

which results from a direct computation using

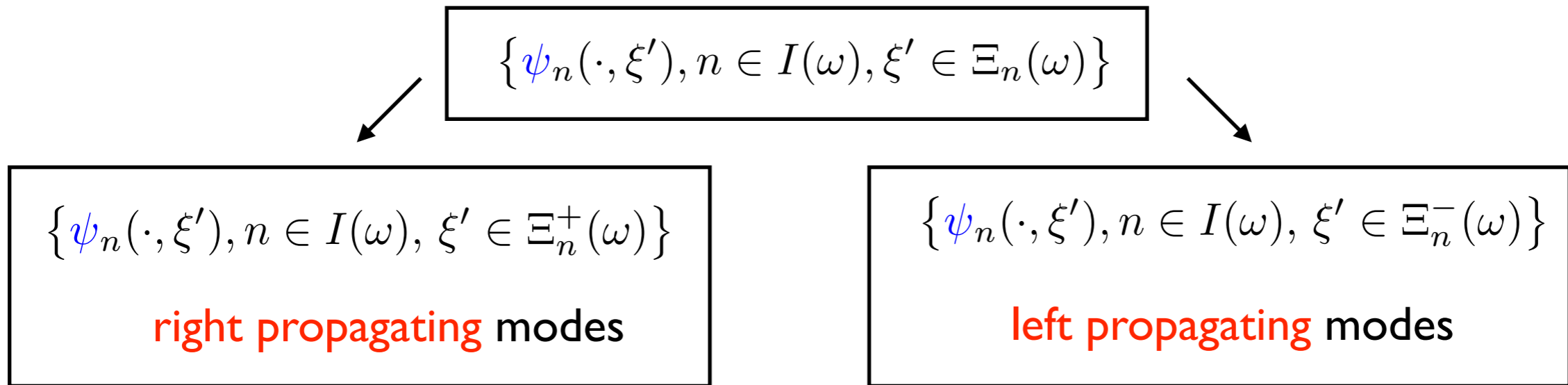
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New notation

Using the fact that

$$\Xi^+(\omega) = \bigcup_{n \in I(\omega)} \Xi_n^+(\omega) = \{\xi_1^+, \xi_2^+, \dots, \xi_N^+\}$$

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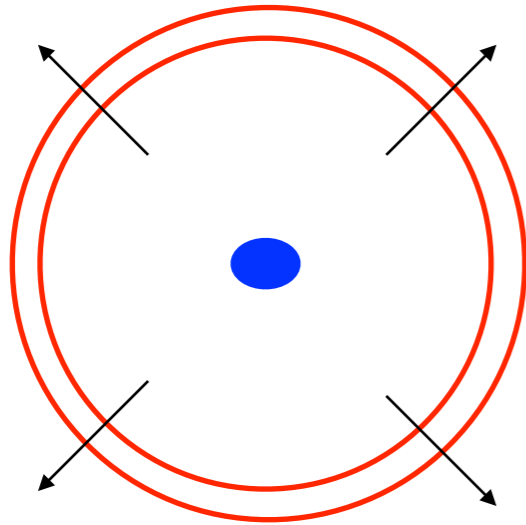
we can write accordingly

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The radiation condition

Homogeneous free space



There exists $A(\Theta)$, $|\Theta| = 1$, such that

$$u(r\Theta) = A(\Theta) \frac{e^{i\omega r}}{r^{\frac{d-1}{2}}} \left(1 + O\left(\frac{1}{r}\right)\right)$$

\iff

$$\partial_r u + i\omega u = O(r^{-2})$$

shows that the outgoing solution u satisfies the outgoing radiation conditions

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The uniqueness result

Theorem : Assume that $\omega^2 \notin \sigma_0$, $e^{\alpha|x_1|} f \in L^2(\Omega)$, $\alpha > 0$ and $\sigma_p(A) = \emptyset$.

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as well as the two outgoing radiation conditions (CR-) and (CR+)

Proof : The existence result has been proven by construction (by limiting absorption). Only the uniqueness result remains to be shown.

Assuming $f = 0$ means $u \in \mathcal{V}(\omega)$ so that for any integer $N \geq 0$

$$q(N; u, u) = q(-N; u, u) \quad q(s; u, v) := \int_{\Gamma_s} (\partial_{x_1} u \bar{v} - \partial_{x_1} \bar{v} u) dx_T$$

Using $u = \sum a_\ell^+ \Phi_\ell^+ + w^+$ and $u = \sum a_\ell^- \Phi_\ell^- + w^-$, we deduce that

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thus $u \equiv w^+ \equiv w^-$ is exponentially decreasing at both $\pm\infty$, which implies $u \in D(A)$.

If u were not identically 0, u would be an eigenvector of A (for the eigenvalue ω^2)

This is impossible since $\sigma_p(A) = \emptyset$. Thus $u = 0$, which concludes the proof.