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THE SEMI CLASSICAL MAUPERTUIS-JACOBI CORRESPONDANCE FOR QUASI-PERIODIC HAMILTONIAN FLOWS

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Abstract: We extend to the semi-classical setting the Maupertuis-Jacobi correspondance for a pair of hamiltonians $(H(x, hD_x), \mathcal{H}(x, hD_x))$. If $\mathcal{H}(p, x)$ is completely integrable, or has merely an invariant diohantine torus Λ in energy surface \mathcal{E} , then we can construct a family of quasi-modes for $H(x, hD_x)$ at the corresponding energy E . This applies in particular to the theory of water-waves in shallow water, and determines trapped modes by an island, from the knowledge of Liouville metrics.

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1. Introduction.

Let M be a d dimensional Riemannian manifold, with metric tensor $ds^2 = \sum_{1 \leq i, j \leq d} g_{ij}(x) dx_i \otimes dx_j$ and consider a particle of unit mass moving along geodesics of M with kinetic energy $T = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{ds}{d\tau} \right)^2$. Suppose we are now given a potential $V(x)$. There is a relation between the geodesic flow and the Hamiltonian flow parametrized by $t \in \mathbf{R}$, for Hamiltonian $H(p, x) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{1 \leq i, j \leq d} g^{ij}(x) p_i p_j + V(x)$ on the energy surface E . To find the dependence $(P(t), X(t))$ on the new time t one has to solve the equation $dt = (2(E - V))^{-1/2} ds$ which we call Maupertuis principle (see [Ar2]). Then the particle moves along the geodesic flow on M relative to the metric $d\rho = (E - V)^{1/2} ds$, and we say that both flows (and metrics) are *conformally equivalent*.

We shall consider in this paper the following stronger variant. Maupertuis Jacobi correspondance for the pair (H, \mathcal{H}) , $\mathcal{H}(p, x) = \frac{1}{2(E - V)} \sum_{1 \leq i, j \leq d} g^{ij}(x) p_i p_j$, ensuring that both systems have the *same* trajectories $(P(t), X(t))$ and $(\mathcal{X}(\tau), \mathcal{P}(\tau))$ at energies $(E, 1)$, is given by $d\tau = (E - V) dt$. This principle was used for instance by T. Levi-Cevita in relation with Kepler problem, cf. [Ts], [HieGrDoRa] and references therein ; see also [EasMat] for the case of *projective equivalence* of metric connexions. Among interesting situations of application of Maupertuis-Jacobi correspondance is the case, when the functions $(\mathcal{X}(\tau), \mathcal{P}(\tau))$ are

τ -quasiperiodic : $(\mathcal{P}(\tau), \mathcal{X}(\tau)) = (\mathcal{P}(\omega\tau + \varphi^0), \mathcal{X}(\omega\tau + \varphi^0))$. Here ω is a vector of periods and $(\mathcal{P}(\tau), \mathcal{X}(\tau))$ are 2π -periodic functions with respect to each phase.

This occurs when \mathcal{H} is completely integrable, and Λ are compact, connected leaves of maximal dimension d (i.e. lagrangian) in the fibration of T^*M by the momentum map m , that we assume to be non singular at $\Lambda = \Lambda_0$. Then Arnold-Mineur-Liouville theorem states [Ar2] that in a suitable action-angle coordinate system, Λ are diffeomorphic to the torus $\mathbf{T}^d = \mathbf{R}^d/2\pi\mathbf{Z}^d$, and parametrized by the action variables $I \in \mathbf{R}_+^d$. The non-criticality of m implies that all components I_j of I are non zero in a neighborhood of Λ_0 .

In general the new hamiltonian H has no reason to be integrable. Nevertheless, in a neighborhood of Λ_0 , there are action-angle coordinates (J, φ) giving a full family of tori Λ^J which are almost invariant for the hamiltonian vector field X_H . Under some diophantine condition, it is possible to improve these tori, so that they become invariant within an arbitrary accuracy.

This is actually the case, for using a generalization of Birkhoff transformations (better known near a stationary point of X_H ,) in the symplectic coordinates given by Darboux-Weinstein theorem, H can be brought to a normal form, we call the Birkhoff normal form (BNF). This was carried out by M.Hitrik, J.Sjöstrand and S.Vu-Ngoc [HiSjVu].

An alternative, and more pragmatic way to our opinion, was devised in [BeDoMa], and consists in providing directly suitable action-angle coordinates (J, φ) , without resorting to Darboux-Weinstein theorem. We believe it has the advantage of being easily implemented numerically in some concrete applications.

Once the classical Hamiltonian is taken to BNF, we may address the problem of finding quasi-modes supported on the Λ^J , with a suitable accuracy. A necessary condition for Λ^J is to satisfy Maslov quantization condition. A similar problem arises in an attempt of quantizing the so-called KAM tori. Quoting J.J. Duistermaat [Du1,p.231], while slightly changing notations :

“...there is no reason why the tori on which [Maslov quantization condition] holds for some $h > 0$ should persist. For most [invariant embedded lagrangian manifolds $\iota : \Lambda \rightarrow T^*M$] one can expect that $h \mapsto \frac{1}{h} \cdot \theta$ [the cohomology class of the closed 1-form $\iota^*(pdx)$] is dense in $H^1(\Lambda; \mathbf{R})/H^1(\Lambda; \mathbf{Z})$. Extracting a subsequence $\frac{1}{h} = \tau_{n_k}$, from $\tau_n = \tau_0 + n\sigma_0, n \in \mathbf{Z}$ [which ensures Maslov quantization condition to hold], such that $\tau_n \cdot \theta$ converges to $-\alpha/4$ [Maslov class] in $H^1(\Lambda; \mathbf{R})/H^1(\Lambda; \mathbf{Z})$, one can still obtain some asymptotic estimates for the spectrum of H but in general the convergence of $\tau_n \cdot \theta$ to $-\alpha/4$ is expected to be slow and the asymptotic estimates for the spectrum are correspondingly weak.”

This observation was made more precise by Y.Colin de Verdière [CdV,Prop.7.5] : namely, if $H^1(\Lambda; \mathbf{R})$ is of dimension 2 (i.e. for a 2-d torus Λ), then the extraction above can be made,

provided θ , expressed in a basis of entire classes, is irrational.

A different point of view consists in selecting among the family Λ^J suitable tori on which Maslov quantization condition holds, i.e. a sequence $J = J_k(h)$, $k \in \mathbf{Z}$, $|k|h \leq h^\delta$. This allows to produce an almost “full” (or “density 1”) spectral sequence for H , in some suitable sense.

The first route, followed in [HiSjVu], consists, through h -Pseudo Differential Calculus, in quantizing the BNF microlocally near the Λ^J , and this can be achieved for corrections to all orders in h . (See also [CdV1], [Laz], [Po], and [Vu] for the case of a family of d commuting h -PDO.)

This is a rather remarkable result, since quantization of manifolds is in general impossible beyond first order. It relies essentially on the fact, observed a long time ago by Colin de Verdière [CdV], and used later by G.Popov [Po], that the action of H on semi-densities on tori verifying Maslov quantization condition, reduces to the action of another h -PDO, obtained by conjugating H by a Fourier Integral Operator (FIO) quantizing the BNF, to microlocally defined functions on the flat torus \mathbf{T}^d . These functions satisfy Floquet periodicity condition :

$$(0.3) \quad u(x - \nu) = e^{2i\pi\langle I + \alpha h/4, \nu \rangle/h} u(x), \quad \nu \in \mathbf{Z}^2$$

Here $I = (I_1, \dots, I_d)$ are the classical actions parametrizing the torus Λ (stated otherwise, I is a representant of Liouville class θ in $H^1(\Lambda; \mathbf{R})$), so that $u(x - \nu) = u(x)$ for all integer ν whenever $\theta/h + \alpha/4 = 0 \pmod{\mathbf{Z}^2}$.

Here we have chosen another route, consisting simply in using the almost invariant tori Λ^J to construct quasi-modes for operator $H(x, hD_x)$ near energy 0. This can be done by adjusting the new action variable J so to satisfy Maslov quantization condition, and solving the transport equations for H to first order along Λ^J . We believe again that these constructions are simpler from a pragmatic point of view, especially when H assumes the form $H = -h^2\Delta + V$. In more complex situations however where (see Section 4.d) we have to resort to FIO's implementing the change of variables that takes our operator to the normal form, passing for instance from a general conformal metric to a model one, but the constructions are very similar.

We could also include isotropic tori, corresponding to the gaps in the foliation of the energy surface by lagrangean manifolds when the system is no longer integrable, or consider critical points of the moment map, which leads to introduce so-called harmonic oscillator coordinates (in the elliptic case).

The paper goes as follows. In Sect.1 we recall from [BeDoMa] the construction of action-angle coordinates in the neighborhood of a torus Λ invariant for the hamiltonian flow X_H , leading to existence of a family of tori $\Lambda^{J',N}$ in the neighborhood of Λ which, if Λ is diophantine, are quasi-invariant over arbitrarily long times. Thus we get a variant of BNF.

In Sect.2 we quantize some of these $\Lambda^{J',N}$, so that they satisfy Bohr-Sommerfeld-Maslov quantization condition, and support quasi-modes for H with a suitable accuracy.

In Sect.3 we apply these considerations to semi-classical Jacobi-Maupertuis correspondance : assuming that \mathcal{H} is completely integrable, or simply has an invariant torus Λ in some energy surface, we show how to construct quasi-modes for H . We show that the frequencies $\tilde{\omega}$ (resp. ω) of the quasi-invariant flows for \mathcal{H} (resp. H) are simply related by $\omega = \langle g \rangle \tilde{\omega}$. This implies partial isospectrality of both hamiltonians.

In Sect.4 we give various applications of construction of action-angle variables, and examples for semi-classical Jacobi-Maupertuis correspondance, including the shallow-water waves theory. Namely we show how to select profiles of the basin, corresponding to a family of Liouville 2-D integrable metrics, which give raise to trapped modes of a given wavelength. This could be easily implemented on a computer program, and consists actually in the main “practical” result of that paper.

In Appendix, we give a short account for Maslov theory and WKB constructions as needed in the main text.

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1. Action-angle variables for a family of almost invariant tori.

First we recall the main result of [BeDoMa]. Consider a smooth Lagrangian torus $\Lambda_0 = \{(p, x) = (P^0(\varphi), X^0(\varphi)), \varphi = (\varphi_1, \dots, \varphi_d) \in \mathbf{T}^d\}$, $\mathbf{T}^d = (\mathbf{R}/2\pi\mathbf{Z})^d$ embedded in $T^*\mathbf{R}^d$, and let $I^0 = (I_1^0, \dots, I_d^0)$,

$$(1.1) \quad I_j^0 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \oint_{\gamma_j^0} P^0 dX^0$$

be the corresponding actions computed along the basis of cycles $(\gamma_1^0, \dots, \gamma_d^0)$ on Λ_0 . We denote by $Y^0(\varphi)$ the $2d$ vector function ${}^t(P^0, X^0)$. Although it is possible to take degeneracies into account, we shall assume here that the moment map is non singular near Λ_0 , i.e. $I_j^0 \neq 0$ for all j .

We may also assume that Λ_0 belongs to a ℓ -parameter family of tori Λ^s , s varying in an open set of \mathbf{R}^ℓ , $1 \leq \ell \leq d$. This is the case, by Arnold-Liouville-Mineur theorem, if these tori arise from an integrable, or semi-integrable Hamiltonian system. If $\ell = 1$ we can think of $s = E$ as the energy of the system, but more generally, the family can be parametrized (possibly after renumbering variables,) by the first ℓ action variables (I_1, \dots, I_ℓ) . However,

tori of the family Λ^s are not necessarily preserved by the transformations below, so to avoid technical difficulties we shall here take simply $\ell = 0$, and consider a single torus Λ_0 .

Introduce the $2d \times d$ matrix Y_φ^0 with columns $(Y_{\varphi_1}^0, \dots, Y_{\varphi_d}^0)$, and the $d \times d$ symmetric matrix $M = -({}^t Y_\varphi^0 Y_\varphi^0)^{-1}$ (we denote often partial derivatives by a subscript.) Let also \mathcal{J} be the standard symplectic matrix $\mathcal{J} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -\text{Id}_d \\ \text{Id}_d & 0 \end{pmatrix}$, where Id_d is the $d \times d$ unit matrix. We put

$$(1.2) \quad Y^J = \begin{pmatrix} P^J(\varphi) \\ X^J(\varphi) \end{pmatrix} = \mathcal{J} Y_\varphi^0 M$$

The $2d \times d$ matrices Y_φ^0 and Y^J satisfy the conditions

$$(1.4) \quad {}^t Y_\varphi^0 \mathcal{J} Y_\varphi^0 = 0, \quad {}^t Y^J \mathcal{J} Y_\varphi^0 = -\text{Id}_d, \quad {}^t Y^J \mathcal{J} Y^J = 0,$$

the last two being implied by (1.2) and the first one, which precisely express that Λ_0 is a Lagrangian torus. This is proved in Appendix of [BeDoMa] by a direct computation.

In the notation Y^J , index J refers to new action variables we are constructing below, for which Y^J enjoys the same symplectic properties as $\frac{\partial Y}{\partial I_j}$ for an integrable system. All these matrices are periodic with respect to $\varphi \in \mathbf{T}^d$.

Now we introduce precisely the new action-angle coordinates $(J, \varphi) \in \text{neigh}(I^0, \mathbf{R}^d) \times (\mathbf{R}/2\pi\mathbf{Z})^d$, so that $y' = Y(J, \varphi) = \begin{pmatrix} P(J, \varphi) \\ X(J, \varphi) \end{pmatrix}$ are canonical coordinates defined in a neighborhood of Λ_0 . As is shown in [BeDoMa] this can be achieved by taking

$$(1.5) \quad Y(J, \varphi) = Y^0(\varphi) + Y^J(\varphi)G(J, \varphi)$$

where the real d -vector $G = {}^t(G_1, \dots, G_d)$ is obtained by solving the system of the quadratic equations :

$$(1.6)_j \quad G_j - \frac{1}{2} \langle G, {}^t Y^J \mathcal{J} Y_{\varphi_j}^J G \rangle = \iota_j, \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, d$$

with data $\iota = (\iota_1, \dots, \iota_d) = J - I^0$. We fix the root of this equation by the requirement $G(J, \varphi) = \iota + \mathcal{O}(\iota^2)$ as $\iota \rightarrow 0$. Equations (1.6) can be solved with the help of a fixed point theorem, and G depends smoothly and periodically in φ , analytically in J (or ι). For completeness we recall the following :

Lemma 1.1 [BeDoMa]: Coordinates $y' = (p', x') = y + \mathcal{O}(\iota)$ are symplectic, i.e. they verify

$$(1.7) \quad \langle y'_{\varphi_j}, \mathcal{J} y'_{\varphi_k} \rangle = \langle y'_{J_j}, \mathcal{J} y'_{J_k} \rangle = 0, \quad \langle y'_{J_j}, \mathcal{J} y'_{\varphi_k} \rangle = -\delta_{jk}, \quad j = 1, \dots, d$$

Proof: Consider first $\langle y'_{J_j}, \mathcal{J}y'_{J_k} \rangle$. Differentiating (1.5) w.r.t. J and making use of the last relation (1.4) we find $\langle y'_{J_j}, \mathcal{J}y'_{J_k} \rangle = \langle G_{J_j}, {}^tY^J \mathcal{J}Y^J G_{J_k} \rangle = 0$.

Consider next $A_{jk} = \langle y'_{J_j}, \mathcal{J}y'_{\varphi_k} \rangle$. Differentiating (1.5) w.r.t. φ_k and J_j , then making use of the second relation (1.4) in the form ${}^tY^J \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_k}^0 = -e_k$, e_k being the k :th unit vector of \mathbf{R}^d , and of the last relation (1.4), we find

$$A_{jk} = -G_{kJ_j} + \langle G_{J_j}, {}^tY^J \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_k}^J G \rangle$$

Then differentiating (1.6) _{j} w.r.t. J_k , and making use of the relation ${}^tY^J \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_j}^J = -{}^tY_{\varphi_j}^J \mathcal{J}Y^J$ which follows from the last equation (1.4), gives $A_{jk} = -\delta_{jk}$ as stated.

At last, consider $B_{kj} = \langle y'_{\varphi_k}, \mathcal{J}y'_{\varphi_j} \rangle$, which by (1.5) again gives

$$(1.8) \quad B_{kj} = \langle \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_j}^0 + \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_j}^J G + \mathcal{J}Y^J G_{\varphi_j}, Y_{\varphi_k}^0 + Y_{\varphi_k}^J G + Y^J G_{\varphi_k} \rangle$$

Differentiating (1.6) _{j} w.r.t. φ_k , then (1.6) _{k} w.r.t. to φ_j , and forming the difference, the mixed derivatives $Y_{\varphi_k \varphi_j}^J$ cancel out, which gives :

$$\begin{aligned} & -G_{j\varphi_k} + G_{k\varphi_j} + \frac{1}{2} \langle G_{\varphi_k}, {}^tY^J \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_j}^J G \rangle - \frac{1}{2} \langle G_{\varphi_j}, {}^tY^J \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_k}^J G \rangle + \\ & \frac{1}{2} \langle G, ({}^tY_{\varphi_k}^J \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_j}^J - {}^tY_{\varphi_j}^J \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_k}^J) G \rangle + \frac{1}{2} \langle G, {}^tY^J \mathcal{J} (Y_{\varphi_j}^J G_{\varphi_k} - Y_{\varphi_k}^J G_{\varphi_j}) \rangle = 0 \end{aligned}$$

We have ${}^tY_{\varphi_k}^J \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_j}^J - {}^tY_{\varphi_j}^J \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_k}^J = 2{}^tY_{\varphi_k}^J \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_j}^J$, and $\langle G, {}^tY^J \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_j}^J G_{\varphi_k} \rangle = \langle G_{\varphi_k}, {}^tY^J \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_j}^J G \rangle$, so

$$-G_{j\varphi_k} + G_{k\varphi_j} + \langle G_{\varphi_k}, {}^tY^J \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_j}^J G \rangle - \langle G_{\varphi_j}, {}^tY^J \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_k}^J G \rangle + \langle G, {}^tY_{\varphi_k}^J \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_j}^J G \rangle = 0$$

Replacing the term $\langle G, {}^tY_{\varphi_k}^J \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_j}^J G \rangle$ in (1.8) by its expression, we see that $\langle G_{\varphi_j}, {}^tY^J \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_k}^J G \rangle$ cancels out with $\langle {}^tY_{\varphi_k}^J \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_j}^J G, G \rangle$, $\langle G_{\varphi_k}, {}^tY^J \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_j}^J G \rangle$ cancels out with $\langle {}^tY^J \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_j}^J G, G_{\varphi_k} \rangle$, while $\langle {}^tY^J \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_j}^J G_{\varphi_k}, G_{\varphi_k} \rangle = \langle \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_j}^0, Y_{\varphi_k}^0 \rangle = 0$ by (1.4). So (1.8) simplifies into

$$B_{kj} = G_{j\varphi_k} - G_{k\varphi_j} + \langle \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_j}^J G, Y_{\varphi_k}^0 \rangle + \langle \mathcal{J}Y^J G_{\varphi_j}, Y_{\varphi_k}^0 \rangle + \langle {}^tY_{\varphi_k}^J \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_j}^0, G \rangle + \langle {}^tY^J \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_j}^0, G_{\varphi_k} \rangle$$

and because again of ${}^tY^J \mathcal{J}Y_{\varphi_k}^0 = -e_k$, $B_{kj} = 0$. The Lemma is proved. \clubsuit .

In other words, the transformation $\kappa : (J, \varphi) \mapsto y' = \kappa(J, \varphi)$ is canonical. This yields a d -parameter family of tori Λ^J , by choosing $J = I^0 + \iota = \text{Const.}$, and $\Lambda^J = \Lambda_0 + \mathcal{O}(\iota)$ in the C^∞ topology.

Remark: Actually we know, by Darboux-Weinstein theorem (see [BaWe, Corollary 4.20]) that if $\Lambda \subset T^*\mathbf{R}^d$ is a lagrangian submanifold, then a tubular neighborhood of Λ in $T^*\mathbf{R}^d$ is symplectomorphic to a neighborhood of the zero section $Z \approx \Lambda$ in $T^*\Lambda$, by a map which is

the identity on Λ . The construction above specializes and provides a simple proof to Darboux-Weinstein theorem in the case where Λ is a torus given by $J = I^0$ in action-angle coordinates, so that neighborhoods of Z in $T^*\Lambda$ can be identified with $\text{neigh}(I^0; \mathbf{R}_+^d) \times \mathbf{T}^d$. In other words, given the lagrangian immersion $\iota : \Lambda \rightarrow T^*M$, we have constructed a symplectic immersion \mathcal{I} of a neighborhood of Z into T^*M , such that $\mathcal{I} = \iota \circ \pi_\Lambda$ on Z , where $\pi_\Lambda : T^*\Lambda \rightarrow \Lambda$ is the natural projection.

We still denote by γ_j the basic cycles on Λ^J , which are obtained by a continuous deformation of those on Λ , because of the nondegeneracy condition. So we have

$$(1.10) \quad J_j = \frac{1}{2\pi} \oint_{\gamma_j} p' dx'$$

Assume now that Λ_0 is an integral manifold for Hamiltonian $H(p, x)$, i.e. $p = P^0(\varphi + \omega t)$, $x = X^0(\varphi + \omega t)$ is a quasi-periodic solution of the hamiltonian system $(\dot{p}, \dot{x}) = X_H(p, x)$ on Λ_0 with rationally independent frequencies ω , we try to construct a normal form for H near Λ_0 . Here notation $X_H(p, x)$ stands for the Hamiltonian vector field of $H(p, x)$. By a Taylor expansion in coordinates y' as above, we have :

$$(1.11) \quad H \circ \kappa(J, \varphi) = H(Y^0(\varphi) + Y^J(\varphi)G(J, \varphi)) = H(Y^0(\varphi)) + \langle H'(Y^0(\varphi)), Y^J(\varphi)G(J, \varphi) \rangle + \mathcal{O}(\iota^2)$$

with $H'(Y^0(\varphi)) = -\mathcal{J}\dot{y} = -\mathcal{J}\langle \omega, \frac{\partial}{\partial \varphi} \rangle Y^0(\varphi)$. So

$$\langle H'(Y^0(\varphi)), Y^J(\varphi)G(J, \varphi) \rangle = \sum_{j,m} \omega_j Y_j^0(\varphi) Y_m^J(\varphi) G_m(J, \varphi)$$

which by (1.4) and the relation $G(J, \varphi) = \iota + \mathcal{O}(\iota^2)$ gives

$$(1.12) \quad H(y') = H_0 + \langle \omega, \iota \rangle + \mathcal{O}(\iota^2), \quad H_0 = H|_{\Lambda_0}$$

so the Λ^J are invariant at first order in ι under the flow of $H \circ \kappa$.

Assuming further a diophantine condition on ω , we can extend this normal form as follows, using a finite order KAM procedure. We look for a generating function $S(J', \varphi)$ such that $J = \partial_\varphi S(J', \varphi)$, $\varphi' = \partial_{J'} S(J', \varphi)$, where $J' = I^0 + \iota'$. We find that $S(J', \varphi) = \langle J', \varphi \rangle + \Phi(\iota', \varphi)$ is defined as a Fourier series in $\varphi \in \mathbf{T}^d$, with vanishing zero mode, and coefficients $\Phi_k(\iota') = \mathcal{O}(\iota'^2)$. Push Taylor expansion (1.11) to next order in $\iota = \iota' + \partial_\varphi \Phi(\iota', \varphi)$, we find after averaging over φ the quadratic terms in ι'

$$(1.13) \quad H(P(J, \varphi), X(J, \varphi)) = H_0 + \langle \omega, \iota \rangle + A(\iota') + B(\iota', \varphi) + \langle \omega, \partial_\varphi \Phi(\iota', \varphi) \rangle + \mathcal{O}(\iota'^3)$$

where $A(\iota'), B(\iota', \varphi) = \mathcal{O}(\iota'^2)$ are given smooth functions defined in a neighborhood of Λ_0 , and $\langle B(\iota', \cdot) \rangle = 0$ (average over \mathbf{T}^d .) Since ω is diophantine, and $B(\iota', \varphi)$ smooth in φ , we

can determine the quadratic part of Φ in ι' by solving $B(\iota', \varphi) + \langle \omega, \partial_\varphi \Phi(\iota', \varphi) \rangle = 0$ up to $\mathcal{O}(\iota'^3)$ terms. This process easily carries out at any given order, yielding the following :

Theorem 1.2 [BeDoMa]: Let H be as above, and assume the frequency vector ω satisfies a diophantine condition. Then for any $N = 1, 2, \dots$, there is a smooth canonical map $\kappa_N : (J', \varphi') \mapsto (J, \varphi)$ defined for J' in a neighborhood of I and $\varphi' \in \mathbf{T}^d$, and a polynomial $H_N(\iota')$ of degree N , with $H_N(\iota') = H_0 + \langle \omega, \iota' \rangle + \mathcal{O}(\iota'^2)$, $H_0 = \langle \omega, I \rangle$ such that

$$(1.15) \quad H \circ \kappa \circ \kappa_N(J', \varphi') = H_N(\iota') + \mathcal{O}(\iota'^{N+1})$$

This is precisely a Birkhoff normal form for H in a neighborhood of Λ_0 (see also [HiSjVu].) Assuming analyticity on H , these estimates could certainly be sharpened to give a remainder $\mathcal{O}(e^{-\iota'^{-\beta}/C})$ as in Nekhoroshev theorem, $0 < \beta < 1$ being related to the diophantine condition, and $C > 0$ (see e.g. [Po2].)

To conclude this Section, we make a few remarks concerning quantization in action-angle variables, following [BeDoMa]. Recall [BaWe, Definition 5.33] that a linear map ρ from the space $C^\infty(T^*M)$ of smooth functions, to the algebra \mathcal{A} generated by self-adjoint operators on some complex Hilbert space \mathcal{H} , and endowed with the Lie algebra structure defined by $[A, B]_h = \frac{i}{h}(AB - BA)$, is called a *quantization* provided it satisfies so-called Dirac axioms : (1) $\rho(1) = \text{Id}$, (2) $\rho(\{f, g\}) = [\rho(f), \rho(g)]_h$, (3) for some complete set of functions f_1, \dots, f_n in involution, the operators $\rho(f_1), \dots, \rho(f_n)$ form a complete commuting set. We know this set of axioms is in general too stringent, in the sense that a quantization of all classical observables doesn't exist, although the symbolic calculus of h -Fourier integral operators, or Maslov canonical operators, provides a fairly good approximation of this classical-quantum correspondence.

Quantization deformation occurs already in the simple case of a completely integrable hamiltonian system on T^*M , with hamiltonian $H(p, x)$, which admits a family of lagrangian tori Λ^I . Namely, trying to quantize the corresponding action-angle variables (I, φ) , considered as classical observables, in a neighborhood of the Λ^I 's, we require that $\rho(I) = \widehat{I}, \rho(\varphi) = \widehat{\varphi}$ would satisfy

$$(1.17) \quad [\widehat{I}_j, \widehat{I}_k] = 0, \quad [\widehat{\varphi}_j, \widehat{I}_k]_h = \delta_{jk}, \quad [\widehat{\varphi}_j, \widehat{\varphi}_k]_h = 0$$

and moreover, that the semi-classical hamiltonian $\widehat{H}(x, hD_x)$ associated with $H(x, p)$ via usual Weyl h -quantization, would be a function of $(\widehat{\varphi}, \widehat{I})$. The naive answer would consist in choosing $\widehat{\varphi}$ as multiplication by φ , and $\widehat{I} = hD_\varphi$. But then if we try to recover the canonical operators $\widehat{x}_j = X_j(\widehat{\varphi}, \widehat{I}), \widehat{p}_k = P_k(\widehat{\varphi}, \widehat{I})$ by symbolic calculus, it turns out that the canonical commutation relations $[\widehat{p}_k, \widehat{x}_j]_h = \delta_{jk}$ are only satisfied modulo $\mathcal{O}(h)$. (This can be easily

checked also when H is the harmonic oscillator, and $x = \sqrt{I} \cos \varphi, x = \sqrt{I} \sin \varphi, H(p, x) = p^2 + x^2 = I$.) Therefore one should in general also include quantum corrections and seek for canonical variables as $\widehat{x}_j = X_j(\widehat{\varphi}, \widehat{I}) + hX_j^{(1)}(\widehat{\varphi}, \widehat{I}) + \dots$. This in turn affects the full symbol of hamiltonian H , expressed in action-angle variables, by a quantity $\mathcal{O}(h^2)$, and $H(p, x, h) = H_0(I) + h^2 H_1(I, \varphi) + \dots$ depends again on angle-variables. But introducing $\varepsilon = h^2$ as another small parameter, we can apply a KAM procedure, under some non-resonance condition, to replace (I, φ) by new symplectic coordinates (I', φ') and thus get rid of angle dependence in the $\mathcal{O}(h^2)$ term, which yields $H(p, x, h) = H_0(I) + h^2 \widetilde{H}_1(I) + \dots$. See [CdV2], [Vu] for the case of commuting h -PDO's.

For a quasi-integrable system, we can combine the BNF (at the level of principal symbol) with the procedure above.

In our case however, mostly because we content with the principal and subprincipal symbol of H , we have no real need to recover the canonical variables (p, x) from (I, φ) , or (J, φ) , nor to quantize action-angle variables.

2. WKB solutions along perturbed tori.

In this section, we carry out WKB constructions associated to the family of perturbed tori Λ^J . We start from tori Λ^J on which H verifies (1.12), and then extend the argument for tori obtained as in Theorem 1.2, which are closer to be invariant by the hamiltonian flow. We use essentially known results on geometry of tori that we have recalled in Appendix.

a) Action integrals.

We first compute the action integrals on the lagrangian tori $\Lambda^J \subset T^*M$, constructed from Λ with $J = I + \iota$, in terms of the action-angle variables (J, φ) . We denote by \mathcal{F} the set of focal points, that projects onto the caustics \mathcal{C} (see Appendix A.)

To start with, consider $a, b \in M$ be away from \mathcal{C} . Assume $y = (p(b), b) \in \Lambda$ is not a focal point, i.e. $\frac{\partial X^0}{\partial \varphi} \Big|_{\varphi=\varphi^I(b)}$ is not singular ; here $\varphi^I(b)$ is the angle-coordinate of b on Λ . For $J \in \text{neigh}(I)$, let $\iota_J : \mathbf{T}^d \rightarrow T^*M$ be the lagrangian embedding with image Λ^J (the context prevents from confusing the map ι_J with the action variables ι), $d\phi^J = \iota_J^*(pdx)$ the 1-form parametrizing Λ^J near b , and $\varphi^J(x)$ the angle-coordinate of $x \in \text{neigh}(b)$ on Λ^J .

Let $\gamma \subset \Lambda$ have its x -projection contained in the domain of definition of the ϕ^J . We want to compare $\int_\gamma pdx$ with $\int_{\gamma'} p'dx'$ on $\gamma' \subset \Lambda^J$, where $y' = (p', x') = Y(J, \varphi)$ are symplectic coordinates as in (1.5), the x -projection of these paths joining a to b . So γ and γ' are parametrized by φ , the action variable being held constant. Along γ , $x = X^0(\varphi), p = P^0(\varphi)$, while along γ' , $x' = X^0(\varphi) + X^J(\varphi)\iota + \mathcal{O}(\iota^2)$, and $p' = P^0(\varphi) + P^J(\varphi)\iota + \mathcal{O}(\iota^2)$, with $X^J(\varphi)$

and $P^J(\varphi)$ as in (1.2). Substituting these values into $\int_{\gamma'} p' dx'$ we get

$$(2.1) \quad \begin{aligned} \int_{\gamma'} p' dx' &= \int_{\gamma'} \langle P^0(\varphi), dX^0(\varphi) \rangle + \int_{\gamma'} d\langle P^0(\varphi), X^J(\varphi)\iota \rangle \\ &+ \int_{\gamma'} \langle P^J(\varphi)\iota, dX^0(\varphi) \rangle - \langle dP^0(\varphi), X^J(\varphi)\iota \rangle + \mathcal{O}(\iota^2) \end{aligned}$$

We choose the origin of angular coordinates such that $\varphi^J(a) = 0$. Because Λ^J is lagrangian, $\int_{\gamma'} p' dx'$ only depends on the end-points of γ' . We have

$$(2.2) \quad \int_{\gamma'} d\langle P^0(\varphi), X^J(\varphi)\iota \rangle = \langle P^0(\varphi), X^J(\varphi)\iota \rangle|_0^{\varphi^J(b)}$$

Next we want to replace the path γ' in $\int_{\gamma'} \langle P^0(\varphi), dX^0(\varphi) \rangle$ by γ , which we complete into a 1-cycle in the φ -space as $\gamma' = \gamma''' + \gamma + \gamma''$, with γ''' between 0 and $\varphi^I(a)$, γ'' between $\varphi^I(b)$ and $\varphi^J(b)$. By Stokes' formula and since $dP^0(\varphi) \wedge dX^0(\varphi) = 0$:

$$(2.3) \quad \int_{\gamma'} \langle P^0(\varphi), dX^0(\varphi) \rangle = \left(\int_{\gamma} + \int_{\gamma''} + \int_{\gamma'''} \right) \langle P^0(\varphi), dX^0(\varphi) \rangle$$

We express the fact that $b = X(\varphi^J(b)) = X^0(\varphi^I(b))$ as

$$(2.4) \quad \left\langle \int_0^1 \frac{\partial X^0}{\partial \varphi}(\varphi(s)) ds, \varphi^J(b) - \varphi^I(b) \right\rangle = -X^J(\varphi^J(b))G(J, \varphi^J(b))$$

where $\varphi(s) = \varphi^I(b) + s(\varphi^J(b) - \varphi^I(b))$ is a straight line. By continuity, $\varphi(s) \rightarrow \varphi^I(b)$ uniformly on $s \in [0, 1]$ as $\iota \rightarrow 0$. Since b is not a focal point on Λ , $\frac{\partial X^0}{\partial \varphi}(\varphi^I(b))$ is not singular, and the same holds for $\int_0^1 \frac{\partial X^0}{\partial \varphi}(\varphi(s)) ds$ when ι is small enough, so (2.4) gives $\varphi^J(b) - \varphi^I(b) = \mathcal{O}(\iota)$. Using also $\int_0^1 \frac{\partial X^0}{\partial \varphi}(\varphi(s)) ds - \frac{\partial X^0}{\partial \varphi}(\varphi(t)) = \mathcal{O}(\iota)$ uniformly on $t \in [0, 1]$ and $\int_0^1 P^0(\varphi(t)) dt - P^0(\varphi^J(b)) = \mathcal{O}(\iota)$ we find

$$\int_{\gamma''} \langle P^0(\varphi), dX^0(\varphi) \rangle + \langle P^0(\varphi), X^J(\varphi)\iota \rangle|_{\varphi=\varphi^J(b)} = \mathcal{O}(\iota^2)$$

The same holds for the contribution of γ''' since we may always assume, a being fixed, that it is not a focal point, so these estimates shows with (2.2) that

$$(2.5) \quad \int_{\gamma'} d\langle P^0(\varphi), X^J(\varphi)\iota \rangle + \left(\int_{\gamma''} + \int_{\gamma'''} \right) \langle P^0(\varphi), dX^0(\varphi) \rangle = \mathcal{O}(\iota^2)$$

On the other hand, using the canonical relations (1.7) for coordinates y' , and the estimate $G(J, \varphi) = \iota + \mathcal{O}(\iota^2)$ in C^1 -topology, one readily verifies that

$$\langle P^J(\varphi)\iota, dX^0(\varphi) \rangle - \langle dP^0(\varphi), X^J(\varphi)\iota \rangle = \langle \iota + \mathcal{O}(\iota^2), d\varphi \rangle$$

Integrating this 1-form along γ' , where ι is constant, and inserting in (2.1) together with (2.5) we have :

$$(2.6) \quad \int_{\gamma'} p' dx' = \int_{\gamma} p dx + \langle \varphi^J(b) - \varphi^J(a), \iota \rangle + \mathcal{O}(\iota^2)$$

More generally, for $N = 2, 3 \dots, \kappa_N$ as in Theorem 1.2 and $J' \in \text{neigh}(I)$, consider the lagrangian embedding $\iota_{J',N} = \iota \circ \kappa_N : \mathbf{T}^d \rightarrow T^*M$, with image $\Lambda^{J',N}$. Let again $d\phi^{J',N} = \iota_{J',N}^*(pdx)$ parametrize $\Lambda^{J',N}$ near b . Using the estimates $\varphi' = \varphi + \mathcal{O}(\iota'^2)$, $J = J' + \mathcal{O}(\iota'^2)$, one can readily extend (2.6) to the tori $\Lambda^{J',N}$, so we get :

Proposition 2.1: Let a be away from the caustics of Λ and $y = (p(b), b) \in \Lambda$ is not a focal point, and assume a and b can be joined by a path $\gamma \subset \Lambda$ contained in the domain where Λ is projectable (i.e. the x -projection of γ is contained in the domain of definition of ϕ^I , where the 1-form $d\phi^I = \iota_I^*(pdx)$ is a local parametrisation of Λ .) Then for any $N = 1, 2, \dots$, and ι' small enough, for all tori $\Lambda^{J',N}$ as above, we have :

$$(2.7) \quad \phi^{J',N}(b) - \phi^{J',N}(a) = \phi^I(b) - \phi^I(a) + \langle \varphi^{J',N}(b) - \varphi^{J',N}(a), \iota' \rangle + \mathcal{O}(\iota'^2)$$

Note that (2.7) can be written at the infinitesimal level as $\iota_{J',N}^*(pdx) = \iota_I^*(pdx) + \iota' d\varphi + \mathcal{O}(\iota'^2)$.

Next we consider the case where $y = (p(b), b) \in \Lambda$ is a focal point, but $y \notin \mathcal{F}_0$ [which we recall from Appendix A], so that $\frac{\partial P^0}{\partial \varphi}|_{\varphi=\varphi^I(b)}$, (i.e. $d\pi_p : \Lambda \rightarrow \mathbf{R}_p^d$) is non singular. For small ι , the ‘‘alternate’’ action is now $\int_{\gamma} -x dp$ and the new generating function $d\psi^I = \iota_I^*(-x dp)$. At points y where $d\pi_x^I$ and $d\pi_p^I$ are non singular (i.e. where Λ^I is bi-projectable) ψ^I and ϕ^I are related by Legendre transformation $\phi^I(x) = \langle -p, \nabla \psi^I(p) \rangle + \psi^I(p)|_{p=p(x)}$, so $\phi^I = \psi^I + \iota_I^*(xp)$, up to a constant. We pick again a away from the caustics, and write $y = (\beta, x(\beta))$, $(p(a), a) = (\alpha, x(\alpha))$. For sufficiently small ι this holds for the neighboring tori Λ^J and also for the $\Lambda^{J',N}$.

So we need just repeat the former argument, comparing $\int_{\tilde{\gamma}'} -x' dp'$ with $\int_{\tilde{\gamma}} -x dp$, where the first integral is computed along a path $\tilde{\gamma}'$ joining (the lift of) α with β on Λ^J , and the second one along a path $\tilde{\gamma}$ joining α with β on Λ , and contained in the domain of definition of ψ^I . Thus we get :

Proposition 2.2: Assume $y = (p(b), b) = (\beta, x(\beta)) \in \Lambda$ is a focal point, but $y \notin \mathcal{F}_0$. If a and b can be joined by a path contained in the domain of definition of ψ^I , then for any $N = 1, 2, \dots$, and ι' small enough, for all tori $\Lambda^{J',N}$ as above we have :

$$(2.8) \quad \psi^{J',N}(\beta) - \psi^{J',N}(\alpha) = \psi^I(\beta) - \psi^I(\alpha) + \langle \varphi^{J',N}(b) - \varphi^{J',N}(a), \iota' \rangle + \mathcal{O}(\iota'^2)$$

with notations as in Proposition 2.1, and where $d\psi^{J',N} = \iota_{J',N}^*(-x dp)$ is the 1-form parametrizing $\Lambda^{J',N}$ near b .

Note also that (2.8) can be written at the infinitesimal level as $\iota_{J',N}^*(-x dp) = \iota_I^*(-x dp) + \iota' d\varphi + \mathcal{O}(\iota'^2)$.

Then we consider the general case, to take in account the possible exceptional set \mathcal{F}_0 defined in Appendix A so we assume that $d\pi|_\Lambda(y)$ is of rank $k \leq d - 1$. So Λ can be parametrized by a Morse function $S(x, \theta)$ defined near $\iota_I^{-1}(y)$, and by the discussion leading to (b.27), we may assume $S(x, \theta)$ is of the form $T(x_1, p_2) + \langle x_2, p_2 \rangle$ and $\Lambda = \Lambda_T$.

Take a base point $A = (\alpha_2, a_1) \in \mathbf{R}^k \times \mathbf{R}^{d-k}$ that we identify with its lift through $\tilde{\pi} : \Lambda \rightarrow \mathbf{R}^d, (p, x) \mapsto (p_2, x_1)$ with $A \in \Lambda_T$, we assume that A is non singular. The variable point near y , with the same abuse of notations is now $B = (\beta_2, b_1) \in \Lambda_T$. We deform Λ into Λ^J , and the generating function T to T^J . We shall always work in the domains where T^J are well defined, and drop the subscript T^J from $\Lambda_{T^J}^J$. So let $\gamma \subset \Lambda$ be a path between (the lift of) A and B , $\gamma = \gamma_1 + \gamma_2$ such that $p_2 = \beta_2$ along γ_1 , and $x_1 = a_1$ along γ_2 . Using (b.27), we find $\int_{\gamma_1} p_1 dx_1 = \int^{x_1} \frac{\partial T}{\partial x_1}(x_1, p_2) dx_1|_{p_2=\beta_2}$ and $\int_{\gamma_2} -x_2 dp_2 = \int^{p_2} \frac{\partial T}{\partial p_2}(x_1, p_2) dp_2|_{x_1=a_1}$, so

$$(2.10) \quad (T(x_1, p_2) + \langle x_2, p_2 \rangle)|_A^B = \int_{\gamma_1} p_1 dx_1 + \int_{\gamma_2} -x_2 dp_2$$

In the same way, we let $\gamma' \subset \Lambda^J$ be a path between A and B , $\gamma' = \gamma'_1 + \gamma'_2$ such that $p_2 = \beta_2$ along γ'_1 , and $x_1 = a_1$ along γ'_2 , so denoting T' for T^J we have :

$$(2.11) \quad T'(x'_1, p'_2) + \langle x'_2, p'_2 \rangle|_A^B = \int_{\gamma'_1} p'_1 dx'_1 + \int_{\gamma'_2} -x'_2 dp'_2$$

We parametrize Λ^I and Λ^J by φ , so that $x = (x_1, x_2) = X^0(\varphi) = (X_1^0(\varphi), X_2^0(\varphi))$, along γ , and $x' = (x'_1, x'_2) = X(\varphi) = (X_1(\varphi), X_2(\varphi))$, along γ' , where as above, $X(\varphi) = X^0(\varphi) + X^J(\varphi)\iota + \mathcal{O}(\iota^2)$, and $P(\varphi) = P^0(\varphi) + P^J(\varphi)\iota + \mathcal{O}(\iota^2)$. Possibly after renumbering the variables φ , we may assume that we have a partition of the coordinates $\varphi = (\varphi_1, \varphi_2)$ adapted to the projection $\tilde{\pi} : \Lambda \rightarrow \mathbf{R}^k \times \mathbf{R}^{d-k}$, i.e. such that $\frac{\partial X_1^0}{\partial \varphi_1}$ and $\frac{\partial P_2^0}{\partial \varphi_2}$ are non singular. Then the argument of Propositions 2.1 and 2.2 carries over to the present situation, working separately on γ_1 and γ'_1 with the x_1 and x'_1 coordinates, then on γ_2 and γ'_2 with the p_2 and p'_2 coordinates. So we proved the following generalization of Propositions 2.1 and 2.2 :

Proposition 2.3: Assume $y = (p(b), b) \in \Lambda$ is a general focal point, let $\Lambda = \Lambda^I$ is parametrized as in (b.27), and pick a non singular point $A \in \Lambda$ near y . Then for ι small enough and B near y ,

$$(2.12) \quad (T^J(x'_1, p'_2) + \langle x'_2, p'_2 \rangle)|_A^B = (T^I(x_1, p_2) + \langle x_2, p_2 \rangle)|_A^B + \langle \varphi^J(b) - \varphi^J(a), \iota \rangle + \mathcal{O}(\iota^2)$$

Here $d(T^J(x'_1, p'_2) + \langle x'_2, p'_2 \rangle) = \iota_J^*(-x dp) = \iota_J^*(p dx)$ is the 1-form parametrizing Λ_J near B where it is bi-projectable, and $\varphi^J(B) \in \mathbf{T}^d$ the angle coordinate of B . More generally, let $N = 2, 3, \dots$, and ι' small enough, for all tori $\Lambda^{J', N}$ as above we have with obvious notations :

(2.13)

$$(T^{J', N}(x'_1, p'_2) + \langle x'_2, p'_2 \rangle)|_A^B = (T^I(x_1, p_2) + \langle x_2, p_2 \rangle)|_A^B + \langle \varphi^{J', N}(b) - \varphi^{J', N}(a), \iota' \rangle + \mathcal{O}(\iota'^2)$$

b) WKB solutions.

The constructions are recalled for completeness in Appendix A in case of a Schrödinger operator $-h^2\Delta + V(x)$, but the result holds for more general h -PDO. The local WKB solution near point $x_0 \in M$ depends again on the structure of Λ above x_0 .

First we describe locally the quasi-mode associated with Λ^I in term of $(P^0(\varphi), X^0(\varphi))$. In the simplest case described in Proposition 2.1, i.e. where Λ is projectable, the phase function restricted to Λ equals $\phi^I(\varphi)$, it verifies $P^0(\varphi) = \nabla\phi^I(\varphi)$ and solves Hamilton-Jacobi equation $H(\nabla\phi^I(\varphi), X^0(\varphi)) = H_0 = E$. Recall from (b.4) that the solution to the transport equation verifies $a_0(x; E)|_{x=X^0(\varphi)} = \text{Const.} |\det \frac{\partial X^0}{\partial \varphi}|^{-1/2}$.

Denote for short by $\int^x p dx$ a solution of Hamilton-Jacobi equation with data on Λ , and let $u(x; E, h) = a_0(x; E) e^{i(\int^x p dx)/h}$. Then u solves $(H(x, hD_x) - E)u = \mathcal{O}(h^2)$. Here $H(x, hD_x)$ denotes any “reasonable” h -quantization of $H(p, x)$, e.g. Weyl quantization ; note that as usual, we first quantize the variables (p, x) , then restrict to the torus. Moreover $u(x; E, h)|_{x=X^0(\varphi)} = \text{Const.} |\det \frac{\partial X^0}{\partial \varphi}|^{-1/2} e^{i\phi^I(X^0(\varphi))/h}$.

For $N = 2, 3 \dots$ let us then consider, for small ι'

$$(2.15) \quad u(x; \iota', h)|_{x=X(J', \varphi')} = \text{Const.} |\det \frac{\partial X(J', \varphi')}{\partial \varphi'}|^{-1/2} e^{i\phi^{J', N}(X(J', \varphi'))/h}, \quad \varphi' \in \mathbf{T}^d$$

Clearly, $u(x; \iota', h)|_{x=X(J', \varphi')}$ is a lagrangian distribution supported on $\Lambda^{J', N}$, and

$$[H(x, hD_x)u(x; \iota', h)]|_{x=X(J', \varphi')}$$

is obtained by restricting $H(x, hD_x)[a_0(x; E) e^{i(\int^x p dx)/h}]$ to $x = X(J', \varphi')$, and $p = P(J', \varphi')$. Let also $E_N = H_N(\iota')$. At the level of the eikonal equation we have by (1.15)

$$(2.16) \quad (H(p, x) - E_N)|_{y=(P(J', \varphi'), X(J', \varphi'))} = \mathcal{O}(\iota'^{N+1})$$

Now we consider the transport equation and compute, according to (b.3), (b.4)

$$(2.17) \quad \mathcal{L}_{X_H|_{\Lambda^{J', N}}}(a_0(x, E)|dx|^{1/2}) = \mathcal{L}_{X_H|_{\Lambda^{J', N}}}(|d\varphi|^{1/2})$$

Here \mathcal{L}_{X_H} denotes the Lie derivative of Hamilton vector field X_H acting on half-densities, X_H is no longer tangent to $\Lambda^{J',N}$, but it follows again from (1.15) that $\mathcal{L}_{X_H}|_{\Lambda^{J',N}}(|d\varphi|^{1/2}) = \mathcal{O}(\iota'^{N+1})$. So if we choose N such that $\iota'^{N+1} = \mathcal{O}(h^2)$, we get

$$(2.18) \quad [(H(x, hD_x) - E_N)u(x; \iota', h)]|_{x=X(J', \varphi')} = \mathcal{O}(h^2)$$

Now we turn to the case described in Proposition 2.2, i.e. near a focal point $y_0 = (p_0, x_0)$ where Λ is π_p -projectable. The phase function restricted to Λ equals $\psi^I(\varphi)$, it verifies $X^0(\varphi) = \nabla\psi^I(\varphi)$ and solves Hamilton-Jacobi equation $H(\nabla\psi^I(\varphi), P^0(\varphi)) = H_0 = E$. The quasi-mode restricted to Λ near x_0 is then given by (b.5), with phase ψ^I , and principal symbol $b_0(p, E) = C|\det \frac{\partial P^0}{\partial \varphi}|^{-1/2}$ that verifies (b.15).

So for $N = 2, 3, \dots$, and ι' small enough, let $\chi \in C_0^\infty$ is a cut-off equal to 1 near the angle-coordinate of p_0 , substitute as above $(P(J', \varphi'), X(J', \varphi'))$ for (p, x) in (b.5), and define

$$(2.19) \quad v(x; \iota', h)|_{x=X(J', \varphi')} = (2\pi h)^{-d/2} \int_{\mathbf{T}^d} e^{i(\langle x, P(J', \theta) \rangle + \psi^{J', N}(P(J', \theta)))/h} \chi(\theta) |\det \frac{\partial P(J', \theta)}{\partial \theta}|^{1/2} d\theta$$

Following the proof of Theorem b.1 leading to (b.15) we see that $v(x; \iota', h)|_{x=X(J', \varphi')}$ also verifies (2.18), with the same energy $E_N = H_N(\iota')$ that depends only on $\Lambda^{J', N}$.

At last, we can consider the general focal point y_0 described in Proposition 2.3, and use the general representation of the quasi-mode supported on Λ in a neighborhood of x_0 given by (b.17), i.e. $w(x; E, h) = (2\pi h)^{-d/2} \int e^{iS(x, \theta)/h} a(x, \theta, E, h) dx$, where we have chosen the number of phase variables equal to d . It is suitable to express $w(x; E, h)$ in the mixed representation described after Theorem b.1, so take (x_1, p_2) as local coordinates on Λ , $\varphi = \varphi(x_1, p_2)$. For the unperturbed torus Λ , we have

$$(2.20) \quad \begin{aligned} w(x, h)|_{x=X(\varphi)} &= (2\pi h)^{-d/2} \int e^{i\langle x_2, p_2 \rangle/h} \\ &\times \exp[i(\int^y \langle P, dX \rangle - \langle P_2(x_1, p_2), X_2(x_1, p_2) \rangle)/h] \Big|_{y=(P(x_1, p_2), X(x_1, p_2))} \\ &\times \chi(\varphi(x_1, p_2)) |\det \frac{\partial (X_1(\varphi), P_2(\varphi))}{\partial \varphi}|^{-1/2} dp_2 \end{aligned}$$

Then we argue as before, replacing (I, φ) by (J', φ') in (2.20), and verify it satisfies (2.18) when $\iota'^{N+1} = \mathcal{O}(h^2)$. To get a quasi-mode we need to glue different lagrangian distributions expressed locally as u, v, w and take care of Maslov indices as is explained in Appendix C. There we notice that the embedding (Λ, ι) is topologically stable if we exclude some exceptional lagrangian singularities in Λ , and so Maslov indices for the $\Lambda^{J', N}$ remain the same.

On the other hand, Propositions 2.1-3 and implicit functions theorem show that, given $\delta > 0$, it is indeed possible to “match” ι' with values of the actions and Maslov indices α along the fundamental cycles as in (1.10) so to satisfy Maslov quantization condition $\frac{1}{h} \cdot J' + \alpha/4 = 0 \pmod{H^1(\Lambda; \mathbf{Z}) = H^1(\Lambda^{J', N}; \mathbf{Z})}$, for a sequence $J' = J'_k(h)$. So let us summarize our main result in the

Theorem 2.4: Let (Λ, ι) as before such that Λ is invariant under the Hamiltonian flow of H and this flow has diophantine frequencies ω , $H|_\Lambda = H_0 = E$. Assume Λ is free of exceptional lagrangian singularities so that $H^1(\Lambda; \mathbf{R})$ is stable under small perturbations. Let also $\delta > 0$. Then there is a sequence of tori $\Lambda^{J', N}$, for $J' = J'_k(h)$ satisfying $|k|h \leq h^\delta$, such that H has quasi-modes $(u_k(x, h), E_k(h))$, $|E_k(h) - E| = \mathcal{O}(h^\delta)$, in the sense $(H(x, hD_x) - E_k(h))u_k(x, h) = \mathcal{O}(h^2)$. Moreover, these quasi-modes are of maximal density, in a h^δ -neighborhood of Λ .

Remark 2.5: In the case H contains a subprincipal symbol and equation (b.29) holds, the subprincipal form makes sense on Λ , only when it is invariant by X_H . But again, the diophantine condition and our special action-angle variables allow to extend these constructions to the case where X_H is no longer tangent to Λ , provided we solve (b.29) as in (b.31) instead of (b.25), and modify Maslov quantization condition as in (c.4).

3. Jacobi-Maupertuis correspondance.

We will apply the constructions above to Hamiltonian $H(p, x) = p^2 + V(x)$ near energy $E = 0$, where $V(x) = -\mathcal{E}/g(x)$. The “reference Hamiltonian” $\mathcal{H} = g(x)p^2$ denotes an (covariant) metric on T^*M , for which $\Lambda \subset \{\mathcal{H} = \mathcal{E}\}$ is an integral lagrangian torus with irrationnal frequencies $\tilde{\omega}$. The Hamilton vector fields are related by $X_{\mathcal{H}} = g(x)X_H$, so that if τ parametrizes the integral curves of $X_{\mathcal{H}}$ and t (the new time) those of X_H , we have the relation $dt = g(X^0(\tau))d\tau$. This is Maupertuis-Jacobi correspondance.

a) Construction of quasi-modes.

First we show that, assuming a diophantine condition on $\tilde{\omega}$, the flow on Λ for H is again quasi-periodic. Expand $g \in C^\infty$ as a Fourier series on $\Lambda \approx \mathbf{R}^d/2\pi\mathbf{Z}^d$, $g(X^0(\varphi)) = \langle g \rangle + \sum_{n \in \mathbf{Z}^d \setminus 0} c_n e^{in\varphi}$, c_n rapidly decreasing, we have :

Proposition 3.1: Assume a diophantine condition on $\tilde{\omega}$. Then Maupertuis-Jacobi correspondance induces a reparametrization of Λ by

$$\Phi : \varphi_0 \mapsto \varphi = \Phi(\varphi_0) = \varphi_0 + \tilde{\omega}f(\varphi_0)$$

where f is a smooth, scalar periodic function with $\langle f \rangle = 0$. The motion on Λ induced by this reparametrization is quasi-periodic with frequency vector $\omega = \tilde{\omega}/\langle g \rangle$, and (for simplicity we

denoted $g \circ X^0$ by g) :

$$(3.1) \quad \det \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial \varphi_0}(\varphi_0) = \frac{\langle g \rangle}{g}$$

Proof: Integrating $dt = g(\tilde{\omega}\tau + \varphi_0)d\tau$ we get

$$t = t_0 + \langle g \rangle \tau + F(\tilde{\omega}\tau + \varphi_0) - F(\varphi_0)$$

where F is obtained by integrating g term by term, and t_0 is an arbitrary constant. We have $\langle F \rangle = 0$, and F is again smooth due to the diophantine condition. Choose $t_0 = F(\varphi_0)$, and change variable $z = \tau - t/\langle g \rangle$. With the new frequency $\omega = \tilde{\omega}/\langle g \rangle$, the latter equation rewrites as

$$(3.2) \quad h(z, \psi_t) = z + F(\psi_t + \tilde{\omega}z)/\langle g \rangle = 0$$

where we have set $\psi_t = \varphi_0 + \omega t$. Equation (3.1) holds when $z = z_0 = -t_0/\langle g \rangle$, $\psi_t = \psi_{t_0} = \varphi_0 + \omega t_0$, and moreover $\frac{\partial h}{\partial z} = g(\psi_t + \tilde{\omega}z)/\langle g \rangle > 0$. So implicit function theorem shows that the solution to (3.2) is of the form $z = f(\psi_t)$, $\psi_t \in \Lambda$, where f is periodic and $\langle f \rangle = 0$. So far we have shown that Maupertuis-Jacobi correspondance can be written as $\varphi_0 + \tilde{\omega}\tau = \varphi_0 + \omega t + \omega f(\varphi_0 + \omega t)$. To get the Proposition, it suffices to observe that the trajectory $t \mapsto \varphi_0 + \omega t$ is everywhere dense in Λ , since ω is again irrational, and moreover $\frac{\partial}{\partial \varphi}(\varphi + \tilde{\omega}f(\varphi)) = I + \tilde{\omega}f'(\varphi)$ is of maximal rank, because

$$\det(I + \tilde{\omega}f'(\varphi)) = \frac{\langle g \rangle}{g}$$

which brings the proof to an end. ♣

Note that ω and $\tilde{\omega}$ are simultaneously diophantine. We can now construct quasi-modes for H supported near Λ using the procedure set up in Sect.2. On Λ , Maupertuis-Jacobi correspondance will only induce by (3.2) a change in the densities, namely

$$(3.3) \quad \det \frac{\partial X^0}{\partial \varphi} = \frac{\langle g \rangle}{g} \det \frac{\partial X^0}{\partial \varphi_0}, \quad \det \frac{\partial P^0}{\partial \varphi} = \frac{\langle g \rangle}{g} \det \frac{\partial P^0}{\partial \varphi_0}$$

and also in the mixed representation.

On neighboring tori $\Lambda^{J', N}$, we have $(J', \varphi') = \kappa_N^{-1}(J, \varphi) = \kappa_N^{-1}(J, \Phi(\varphi_0))$, so that we can still consider φ' , for given J , as a function of φ_0 alone. Let us summarize our result so far in the :

Theorem 3.2: Let $\mathcal{H} = g(x)p^2$ be a (not necessarily integrable) covariant metric on T^*M have an invariant torus Λ with $\mathcal{H}|_\Lambda = \mathcal{E}$, and I be the actions as in (1.1). Assume that

on Λ the Hamiltonian flow of \mathcal{H} has diophantine frequencies $\tilde{\omega}$, and moreover Λ is free of exceptional lagrangian singularities so that $H^1(\Lambda; \mathbf{R})$ is stable under small perturbations.

On the other hand let $H(p, x) = p^2 + V(x)$, where $V(x) = -\mathcal{E}/g(x)$, be the hamiltonian on T^*M given by Maupertuis-Jacobi correspondance. Let also $\delta > 0$. Then there is a sequence of tori $\Lambda^{J'}$, for $J' = J'_k(h)$ satisfying $|k|h \leq h^\delta$, such that H near energy $E = 0$ has quasi-modes $(u_k(x, h), E_k(h))$, $|E_k(h) - E| = \mathcal{O}(h^\delta)$, supported on $\Lambda^{J', N}$, in the sense $(H(x, hD_x) - E_k(h))u_k(x, h) = \mathcal{O}(h^2)$. Moreover, these quasi-modes are of maximal density, in a h^δ -neighborhood of Λ . The quasi-eigenfunctions $u(x, \iota', h) = u_k(x, h)$ can be expressed in term of ‘‘Maslov canonical operator’’, with the help of formulas (2.15), (2.19), (2.20). In particular where Λ is projectable, we have :

(3.4)

$$u(x; \iota', h)|_{x=X(J', \varphi')} = \text{Const.} \left| \det \frac{\partial X(J', \varphi')}{\partial \varphi'} \right|^{-1/2} e^{i\phi^{J', N}(X(J', \varphi'))/h} \Big|_{(J', \varphi') = \kappa_N^{-1}(J, \Phi(\varphi_0))}$$

where $\varphi_0 \in \mathbf{T}^d$. So the half-density $\left| \det \frac{\partial X(J', \varphi')}{\partial \varphi'} \right|^{-1/2}$, for given J' , can be written as a function of φ_0 alone.

Instead of $H(x, hD_x) = -\Delta^2 + V(x)$ we may consider a h -PDO with symbol $H(p, x; h) = p^2 + V(x) + hH_1(p, x) + \dots$. The introduction of a sub-principal symbol can be handled similarly, due to Remark 2.5. It modifies $\left| \det \frac{\partial X(J', \varphi')}{\partial \varphi'} \right|^{-1/2}$ by a factor

$$\exp[-iG(\varphi')] \Big|_{(J', \varphi') = \kappa_N^{-1}(J, \Phi(\varphi_0))}$$

as in (b.31), and Maslov index by the vector $\langle \sigma_H \rangle|_{\Lambda^{J', N}}(1, \dots, 1)$ as in (c.4).

More generally, this procedure may be applied whenever Maupertuis-Jacobi correspondance relates the flows of two classical Hamiltonians \mathcal{H} and H on a lagrangian manifold Λ , H not necessarily of the form $p^2 - 1/g(x)$, as is the case for the shallow water waves dispersion relation of Sect.4.d. Actually, all what we need is to construct an oscillating principal symbol for lagrangian distributions microlocalized on the family $\Lambda^{J', N}$, and this can be done following the standard procedure we recall in Appendix b.

b) Remarks on isospectrality.

There naturally arises the question of comparing the quasi-modes microlocalized near Λ of the Schrödinger operator $H = -h^2\Delta - E/g(x)$, as given in Theorem 3.2, with those of the Laplacian $\mathcal{H}(x, hD_x)hD_xg(x)hD_x$ on M , in other words : does Jacobi-Maupertuis correspondance imply (partial) isospectrality ? Theorem 3.2 gives all quasi-modes of H supported in a microlocal neighborhood of an invariant torus Λ for \mathcal{H} . Here we address the converse problem, i.e. how to construct quasi-modes for the Laplace operator associated with \mathcal{H} (that we may write in a symmetric form as $\mathcal{H}(x, hD) = \langle hD_x, g(x)hD_x \rangle$ see e.g. [Mat],) with quasi-eigenvalues close to the $E_k(h)$?

We shall assume here that $\mathcal{H} = g(x)p^2$ is integrable, so that in global action-angle variables, $\mathcal{H} = \mathcal{H}(I) = \langle \tilde{\omega}(I), I \rangle$, where I are as in (1.1), and $\tilde{\omega}(I) = \frac{\partial \mathcal{H}}{\partial I}$. Choose $I = I_0$ as a base point for the action-angle coordinates (J', φ') we have constructed so far for H , and consider $\mathcal{H}(J') = \langle \tilde{\omega}(J'), J' \rangle$. Under some generic non degeneracy condition, the integral manifolds of $\mathcal{H}(J')$ are close to those of $\mathcal{H}(I)$, for small enough ι' . By definition, the action integrals on the lagrangian tori $\tilde{\Lambda}^{J'}$ (integral manifolds for \mathcal{H}) verify (1.1), and the $\tilde{\Lambda}^{J'}$ are close enough to the $\Lambda^{J', N}$ (integral manifolds for H), although in general $\tilde{\Lambda}^{J'} \neq \Lambda^{J', N}$ if $\iota' \neq 0$. It is still possible to compare the action $\int p dx$ along Λ with the action $\int p dx$ along $\tilde{\Lambda}^{J'}$ as in Propositions 2.1-3. We can also extend the WKB constructions leading to Theorem 2.4 in the case of the Schrödinger operator H to the Laplace operator $\mathcal{H}(x, hD)$, and the fact that $X_{\mathcal{H}}$ is tangent to $\tilde{\Lambda}^{J'}$ makes them easier. To get Maslov quantization condition on $\tilde{\Lambda}^{J'}$ it suffices to choose $J' = \tilde{J}'_k(h)$ (instead of $J' = J'_k(h)$). Since $\tilde{J}'_k(h) = J'_k(h)(1 + \mathcal{O}(h))$, this gives easily the required (approximate) isospectrality result.

4. Some applications

We start by examining the simple case of a conformal, radially symmetric metric. Then both geodesic flow and hamiltonian flow (with potential) are integrable, and the constructions above are not truly necessary, but this can help to understand more complicated situations, which we consider next. Finally we study the Hamiltonian associated with the dispersion relation that arises in the shallow water waves theory.

a) Radial potential and related Zeeman effect.

The metric in cotangent space $T^*\mathbf{R}^2$ we consider is given by $\mathcal{H}(p, x) = p^2 g(|x|)$. In polar coordinates $x = (r, \theta)$ with dual variables $p = (\rho, \psi)$, the kinetic energy reads $p^2 = \rho^2 + \frac{\psi^2}{r^2}$ and Hamilton equations take the form

$$(4.1) \quad \begin{aligned} \dot{r} &= 2\rho g(r), & \dot{\rho} &= -g'(r)\left(\rho^2 + \frac{\psi^2}{r^2}\right) + 2\frac{g(r)}{r^3}\psi^2 \\ \dot{\theta} &= 2\psi \frac{g(r)}{r^2}, & \dot{\psi} &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

(Because of the radial symmetry, this is equivalent to consider the Hamiltonian with potential.) This example is of course well known (see [Ze], [HiSjVu] and references therein) but we want here to give an explicit parametrization for (r, θ) in action-angle variables, from which we deduce the configuration of caustics. We assume the energy surface $\Sigma_{\mathcal{E}}$

$$(4.2) \quad g(r)\left(\rho^2 + \frac{\psi^2}{r^2}\right) = \mathcal{E}$$

to be compact, and look for the lagrangian foliation of $\Sigma_{\mathcal{E}}$. The last equation (4.1) shows that $\psi = \psi_0$ is a constant of the motion, so the moment map is of the form $m = \left(g(r)\left(\rho^2 + \frac{\psi^2}{r^2}\right), \psi\right)$.

Let us find the actions variables and the fundamental frequencies $\omega = (\omega_1, \omega_2)$ on the torus $\Lambda = \{m = (\mathcal{E}, \psi_0)\}$. We have

$$(4.3) \quad \langle P, dX \rangle = \rho dr + \psi d\theta$$

Assume there is $r_0 > 0$ such that $\psi_0^2 \frac{g(r_0)}{r_0^2} = \mathcal{E}$. Then $\mathcal{C} = \{r = r_0\}$ is a caustic of Λ (turning surface) and for $r = r_0$, $\rho = 0$. For a general Morse function $g(r)$, there are several turning surfaces, delimiting annuli of radius $r_1 < \dots < r_n$ in the x -space. Choose an annulus $D = \{r_1 < r < r_2\}$ in the classically allowed region, and call Λ the connected component of the integral manifold lying above D . As a first fundamental cycle γ_1 in Λ , we take $r = r_0$, ($r_0 = r_1$ or r_2), $\psi = \psi_0$. Integrating (4.3) along γ_1 , we find the first action variable $I_1 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\gamma_1} \langle P, dx \rangle = \psi_0$ (angular momentum). Let γ_2 the second fundamental cycle be given by $\theta = \theta_0$, $r_1 \leq r \leq r_2$, this yields Clairaut integral

$$I_2 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\gamma_2} \langle P, dx \rangle = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{r_1}^{r_2} \rho dr = \int_{r_1}^{r_2} \left(\frac{\mathcal{E}}{g(r)} - \frac{\psi_0^2}{r^2} \right)^{1/2} dr$$

Substituting $\psi_0 = I_1$, since the turning points r_1, r_2 depend also on I_1 , we find that I_2 is of the form $I_2 = f(I_1)$ where f is a smooth function (recall that \mathcal{E} is held fixed.) The hamiltonian reduces to $\mathcal{H}(I_1, f(I_1)) = \mathcal{E}$, and differentiating this relation we get the rotation (or winding) number

$$\frac{\omega_1}{\omega_2}(\psi_0) = \frac{\partial_{I_1} \mathcal{H}}{\partial_{I_2} \mathcal{H}} = -f'(I_1)$$

Next we notice that the 2 first equations (4.1) relative to the (r, ρ) -projection of motion are decoupled from the other equations for the θ -projection. So integrating these and using that Λ is a torus of periods 2π , we find that

$$(4.4) \quad r = r(\omega_2 t + \varphi_2^0), \quad \rho = \rho(\omega_2 t + \varphi_2^0)$$

for some constant φ_2^0 . Now we use the third equation (4.1) which can be integrated as $\theta(t) = 2\psi_0 \int^t \frac{g(r)}{r^2} |_{r=r(\omega_2 s + \varphi_2^0)} ds$. We expand $\frac{g(r)}{r^2}$ as a Fourier series in $\omega_2 s + \varphi_2^0$, and integrate term by term, which gives

$$(4.5) \quad \theta = \tilde{\theta}(\omega_2 t + \varphi_2^0) + \omega_1 t + \varphi_1^0$$

Here φ_1^0 is a constant, and $\omega_1 = 2\psi_0 \langle \frac{g(r)}{r^2} \rangle$, the 0:th order Fourier coefficient, ($\langle \cdot \rangle$ denotes the time average over $[0, 2\pi]$.)

We look now at the caustic and determine the focal points. Note that because of conservation of momentum, to any x inside the annulus, correspond exactly 2 values of p . We have

$$C = \frac{\partial X}{\partial \varphi} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial r}{\partial \varphi_2} \cos \theta - r \sin \theta \frac{\partial \tilde{\theta}}{\partial \varphi_2} & -r \sin \theta \\ \frac{\partial r}{\partial \varphi_2} \sin \theta + r \cos \theta \frac{\partial \tilde{\theta}}{\partial \varphi_2} & r \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}, \quad B = \frac{\partial P}{\partial \varphi} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial \varphi_2} \cos \psi & 0 \\ \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial \varphi_2} \sin \psi & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

From (4.1) and the relation $\frac{d}{dt} = \omega_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial \varphi_1} + \omega_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial \varphi_2}$ on the torus Λ , we recover the fact that the focal points are given by $\frac{\partial r}{\partial \varphi_2} = 0$, i.e. $\rho = 0$. Moreover, the condition that (C, B) is everywhere of rank 2 (see Lemma a.1) yields $\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial \varphi_2} \neq 0$ when $\rho = 0$. The caustic $r = r_0$ consists here only in points of \mathcal{F}_0 , and the degeneracy is due to the radial symmetry of the metric. A particular case, with zero angular momentum, was studied in [O-de-AlHa].

Remark: It is known that due to the positive homogeneity of \mathcal{H} with respect to the action variables, Euler formula gives $\omega_1 I_1 + \omega_2 I_2 = \mathcal{E}$ (see [Ze]). Let us give another simple proof of this. Considering the Lagrangian formulation associated with \mathcal{H} , we see that the energy of the (unit mass) particle moving along the geodesic flow is

$$\mathcal{E} = \oint \langle \dot{x}, p \rangle dt$$

where \oint denotes $\lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T$. Substituting $\dot{x} = \langle \omega, \partial_\varphi \rangle x$, we get $\mathcal{E} = \sum_j \omega_j \oint \langle \frac{\partial x}{\partial \varphi_j}, p \rangle dt$. Now if the frequencies are rationally independent we can replace the time average by the average over angles variables, so that by the definition of I_j :

$$\mathcal{E} = \sum_j \omega_j (2\pi)^{-d} \int_{\mathbf{T}^d} \langle \frac{\partial x}{\partial \varphi_j} x, p \rangle d\varphi = \sum_j \omega_j I_j$$

Consider now Maupertuis-Jacobi correspondance allowing to switch from \mathcal{H} to the hamiltonian $H = p^2 - \frac{1}{g(r)}$. As a semiclassical example, we consider the Schrödinger operator with potential $-u(r)$:

$$H = -\frac{\hbar^2}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} r \frac{\partial}{\partial r} - \frac{\hbar^2}{r^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2} - u(r)$$

We separate variables expanding as a Fourier series in θ , and rescale by \sqrt{r} , which leads to a family of 1-d semi-classical channel operators of the form $H_n = -\hbar^2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial r^2} + V_n(r)$ with effective potential $V_n(r) = \hbar^2 \frac{n^2 + 1/4}{r^2} - u(r)$. Thus the angular momenta are given by $\psi = \psi_n = \hbar(n^2 + 1/4)^{1/2}$, and the turning surfaces $r = r_0$ at energy E by $r^2(E + u(r)) = \psi_0^2$. So because of the centrifugal barrier, the energy shell for H_n can have a bounded component $0 < r_1 \leq r \leq r_2$ in configuration space, and another unbounded component $r \geq r_3$ (consider e.g. $u(r) = 1/r + r > 0$ and $E = 0$.) A torus Λ corresponding to the angular momentum ψ_n in the compact component of the energy surface, carries a quasi-mode for suitable $E = E(h)$, and $E(h)$ turns in general into a resonance for hamiltonian H , whose imaginary part has to be computed.

A famous example is given by the dynamics in \mathbf{R}^3 of an electron in a Coulomb potential $-1/r$, and interacting with a small, constant magnetic field of strenght B (the constructions

above should be extended to the 3-D case). In suitable units, and cylindrical coordinates (ρ, θ, z) , with dual variables (p_ρ, p_θ, p_z) the Hamiltonian takes the form :

$$H = \left(p_\rho^2 + p_z^2 + \frac{p_\theta^2}{\rho^2} \right) + B\rho^2 - (\rho^2 + z^2)^{-1/2}$$

The Coulomb singularity can be removed by introducing Jacobi or “parabolic” coordinates, see e.g. [Ts]. The Rayleigh-Schrödinger series for resonances near $E = 1/4$ is Borel summable and can be computed perturbatively around $B = 0$ (Zeeman effect). This (non semiclassical) problem has been completely solved in [HeSj], and lies far beyond the scope of our analysis. Nevertheless, we would like to point out that resonances arise from connecting real tori (one of them is actually a cylinder, and lies over an annulus of the form $\Omega = \{r_3 < \rho < +\infty\}$,) through tunnel cycles in the classically forbidden region, see [DoSh] for a related problem.

b) The Kerr-Newman space time.

We give another example of a metric for which we can find some invariant (degenerate) tori and reparametrize the natural phase space variables with action-angle variables by the procedure above. Namely, consider the geodesic flow associated with a simplified Kerr-Newman metric (see e.g. [Ch], or [Hä] and references therein,) for which the black-hole angular momentum per unit mass is $a = 0$ (Reissner-Nordström space-time), M its mass and Q its charge. The Hamiltonian reads :

$$\mathcal{H} = \frac{1}{2r^2} \left(\frac{r^4 \tau^2}{\Delta} - \frac{\varphi^{*2}}{\sin^2 \theta} - \Delta \rho^2 - \theta^{*2} \right)$$

The variables $(t, \tau, r, \rho, \theta, \theta^*, \varphi, \varphi^*) \in T^*\mathbf{R}^{1+3}$ are denoted collectively by (P, X) , and $\Delta = \Delta(r) = r^2 - 2Mr + Q^2$, is a second order polynomial with constant coefficients having 2 real and positive roots $r_1 < r_2$. The region $r_1 \leq r \leq r_2$ is called Boyer-Lindquist block B_{II} . The equations of motion are of the form

$$(4.7) \quad \begin{aligned} \dot{t} &= \frac{r^2}{\Delta} \tau, \quad \dot{\tau} = 0, & \dot{r} &= -\frac{\Delta}{r^2} \rho, & \dot{\rho} &= -\frac{\partial \mathcal{H}}{\partial r} \\ \dot{\theta} &= -\frac{\theta^*}{r^2}, & \dot{\theta}^* &= \frac{1}{2r^2} \partial_\theta \frac{\varphi^{*2}}{\sin^2 \theta}, & \dot{\varphi} &= -\frac{1}{r^2 \sin^2 \theta} \varphi^*, & \dot{\varphi}^* &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

It is known that there are 4 integrals of motion, given by

$$p = 2\mathcal{H}, E = \tau, L = -\varphi^*, \mathcal{K} = \theta^{*2} + \frac{L^2}{\sin^2 \theta} = \frac{r^4 \tau^2}{\Delta} - \Delta \rho^2 - p r^2$$

The energy surface is of course non bounded, but has some bounded connected components in the space-like region $t = t_0, \tau = 0$, we can call “unphysical”. The moment map restricted

to $\tau = 0$ is of the form $m = (p, L, \mathcal{K})$. Let us find the actions variables and the fundamental frequencies $\omega = (\omega_1, \omega_2, \omega_3)$ on the corresponding torus Λ . We have $\langle P, dX \rangle = \tau dt + \rho dr + \theta^* d\theta + \varphi^* d\varphi$.

As a first fundamental cycle γ_1 in Λ , we take $r = r_0 \in \{r_1, r_2\}$, $\varphi^* = -L$. Integrating (4.7) along γ_1 , we find that $d\varphi$ and $d\theta$ are related by $d\varphi = \frac{\varphi^*}{\theta^* \sin^2 \theta} d\theta$ so the first action variable takes the form :

$$I_1 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\gamma_1} \langle P, dX \rangle = \frac{\mathcal{K}}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \left(\mathcal{K} - \frac{L^2}{\sin^2 \theta} \right)^{-1/2} d\theta$$

which makes sense only if $L = 0$. So the dimension of Λ is 2, and $I_1 = \sqrt{\mathcal{K}}$.

Let γ_2 the second fundamental cycle be given by $\theta = \theta_0$, $r_1 \leq r \leq r_2$, this yields another Clairaut type integral

$$I_2 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\gamma_2} \langle P, dX \rangle = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{r_1}^{r_2} \rho dr = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{r_1}^{r_2} \left(\frac{\mathcal{K} + pr^2}{-\Delta} \right)^{1/2} dr$$

where we have made use of $E = 0$.

The last components of the degenerate (3+1)-torus in $t = t_0$ is then $I_3 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \varphi^* d\varphi = 0$, and ω_3 is undefined. It is then clear from the Hamilton equations (4.7) that the description above of the motion for the geodesic flow with a radial metric extends to this case without change. In particular, formulae corresponding to (4.4) and (4.5) hold. We shall not investigate further the case of degenerate tori (see [BeDoMa] for a general discussion.) Other ‘‘solvable models’’ are considered in [DuFoNo,Chap.7].

c) Liouville metrics.

These metric have been extensively studied ([Fo], [BNe], [Se], [Mat], ...) for their nice property of being square integrable, in the sense that the geodesic flow has another quadratic integral, i.e. a quadratic polynomial in p .

We call *Liouville metric* on a domain $\Omega \subset \mathbf{R}^2$ a conformal metric given in $T^*\Omega$ by the hamiltonian $\mathcal{H}(x, p) = g(x)p^2$ with a quadratic (in momentum) second integral.

We call *model Liouville metric* on Ω the Liouville metric where

$$(4.8) \quad g(x) = (u(x_1) + v(x_2))^{-1}$$

It is straightforward to check that, besides $\mathcal{H}(x, p) = E$, an additional integral of the motion is given by

$$(4.9) \quad f(p, x) = \frac{v(x_2)p_1^2 - u(x_1)p_2^2}{u(x_1) + v(x_2)} = F$$

A classical result of Birkhoff (see [Fo,p.291]) says that in certain appropriate coordinates any 2-D Riemannian metric whose geodesic flow has a additional integral quadratic in momenta is (locally) a model Liouville metric.

An interesting case is when g is globally of the form (4.8) on Ω . Thus the hamiltonian system decouples completely into two 1-d hamiltonians with a potential $p_1^2 = u(x_1)E + F$, $p_2^2 = v(x_2)E - F$, and moment map $m = (E, F)$. The corresponding semiclassical Schrödinger operator is also completely integrable, in the sense that the spectral problem reduces in finding the joint spectrum of 2 commuting 1-D Schrödinger operators, see e.g. [KMS] for a study of the spectra of Laplace-Beltrami operators on a Liouville surface, and also [DoSh] for tunneling effects.

Moreover, square integrable conformal metrics when Ω is an annulus, are globally, conformally equivalent to model Liouville metrics in the following sense :

Proposition 4.1 [Mat]: Let $\mathcal{H}(x, p) = g(x)p^2$ be a smooth conformal square integrable metric on a compact domain Ω of the x -plane diffeomorphic to an annulus, and $\Lambda \subset T^*\Omega$ be an integral lagrangian manifold for the hamiltonian flow such that $\pi : \Lambda \rightarrow \Omega$ is surjective (Λ has no “holes”, i.e. there is no forbidden region above Ω .) Then there exists a bijective conformal map $\alpha : \Omega \rightarrow \tilde{\Omega}$ (depending on Λ) where $\tilde{\Omega}$ is an annulus of the x -plane, and such that the image of \mathcal{H} through α becomes a model Liouville metric.

One can also compute action integrals I and corresponding frequencies ω as in Part a). In particular we have the relation $\omega_1 I_1 + \omega_2 I_2 = 2E$. At the level of operators, we use Weyl h -quantization of the form $\mathcal{H}(x, hD) = hD_x g(x) hD_x$, so that the diffeomorphism α takes $\mathcal{H}(x, hD)$, denoting by y the new space coordinates, to $\tilde{\mathcal{H}}(y, hD) = hD|\nabla\alpha|^2 g \circ \alpha(y) hD$. This operator is of special interest in the theory of surface water waves captured by coasts and bottom relief irregularities.

Consider now the following semiclassical “Maupertuis problem” : let $\mathcal{H}(x, p) = g(x)p^2$ and $\Lambda \subset T^*\Omega$ be as in Proposition 4.1, with $\mathcal{H}|_\Lambda = 1$. Let $H = -h^2\Delta - 1/g(x)$, and $A = A(x)$ be the unitary Fourier Integral Operator (FIO) on $L^2(\Omega)$ implementing α (suitably extended to the whole space). Then $\tilde{H} = A^* H A$ is a self-adjoint h -PDO on $L^2(\tilde{\Omega}, |\nabla\alpha|^2 dy)$ with principal symbol $\tilde{H}_0(y, p) = p^2 - 1/\tilde{g}(y)$ (here $\tilde{g} = g \circ \alpha$ is the model Liouville metric on $\tilde{\Omega}$ given in Proposition 4.1.) There is no sub-principal symbol. Moreover, Λ is an invariant lagrangian manifold for $X_{\tilde{H}}$. So we may apply Theorem 3.2 to construct quasi-modes for \tilde{H} . In the following subsection we shall introduce another Maupertuis correspondance for this geodesic flow.

d) The shallow water waves.

Let $\Omega \subset \mathbf{R}^2$ (the “basin”) be the complement of a bounded set (the “island”), so that

Ω is diffeomorphic to an (unbounded) annulus. In the shallow water waves theory [DoZh] one constructs a h -PDO with symbol $L(p, x; h) = L_0(p, x) + hL_1(p, x) + \dots$. The principal symbol of L (dispersion relation) on $T^*\Omega$ reads :

$$(4.10) \quad L_0(p, x) = |p|(1 + \mu p^2) \tanh(D(x)|p|)$$

where D is a smooth positive function, describing the depth of the basin, and $\mu > 0$ a small parameter. Quasi-modes of L represent the waves trapped by the island. By a Maupertuis-Jacobi correspondance, we shall construct trapped modes for L at energy E from lagrangian tori of Liouville metrics as above, by choosing the depth profile in an appropriate way. Since Liouville metrics are actually generic among metrics with a quadratic second integral [BeN], this result could be of practical interest.

For simplicity we shall assume $\mu = 0$, but it is not hard to see that our constructions may be carried out perturbatively, due to implicit functions theorem, for $\mu > 0$ small enough. Note that, if $D(x)$ is positively homogeneous of degree 1, then integrability of $L_0(p, x) = |p| \tanh(D(x)|p|)$ at energy 1 implies integrability at all energies $E > 0$ (make the symplectic change of coordinates $(x', p') = (Ex, E^{-1}p)$.) In general case however, $L_0(x, p)$ has no reason for being integrable at any energy E , but finding suitable profiles that give raise to invariant tori can be achieved by the following Maupertuis correspondance.

Namely, multiply relation $L_0(p, x) = E$ (for $\mu = 0$) by $D(x)$, and set $z = |p|D(x)$, $\phi(z^2) = z \tanh z$. We denote by $\psi : \mathbf{R}_+ \rightarrow \mathbf{R}_+$ the inverse of $\phi(z^2)$, which is a smooth increasing function, so that (4.10) can be rewritten as

$$(4.11) \quad \mathcal{H}(x, p) = g(x, E)p^2 = 1, \quad g(x, E) = \frac{D^2(x)}{\psi(ED(x))}$$

We have the elementary :

Lemma 4.2: On the energy surface $\mathcal{H}(x, p) = 1$, the Hamilton vector fields X_{L_0} and $X_{\mathcal{H}}$ are related by $X_{\mathcal{H}} = \frac{\psi(ED(x))}{D(x)\psi'(ED(x))} X_{L_0}$, and this induces a reparametrization of the integral curves of $X_{L_0}(X(t), P(t))$ given by Maupertuis-Jacobi correspondance

$$(4.12) \quad dt = \frac{\psi(ED(x))}{D(x)\psi'(ED(x))} d\tau$$

So we need look for depth profiles $D(x)$ (depending also on E ,) for which $g(x, E)p^2$ is integrable. Clearly the function $G : \mathbf{R}_+ \rightarrow [0, 1[$ defined by $G(D) = \frac{D^2}{\psi(D)}$ is a smooth increasing function, satisfying $G(D) = D(1 - \frac{1}{3}D + \dots)$ as $D \rightarrow 0$, and $\lim_{D \rightarrow \infty} G(D) = 1$, so the depth profile $D(x) = D(x, E)$ can be chosen as the solution of $g(x, E) = g(x) =$

$E^{-2}G(ED(x, E))$, where $g(x)$ is one of the square integrable metrics given in Proposition 4.1.

Now if the geodesic flow $\mathcal{H}(x, p) = g(x, E)p^2$ is integrable and admits invariant tori, the procedure set up in Sect.3 can be extended to construct quasi-modes for Weyl h -quantization $L^w(x, hD)$ of hamiltonian $L(x, p; h)$, for which eigenfunctions, or quasi-modes, describe again trapped waves near energy E . Note however that L is a h -PDO of more general type than a Schrödinger operator, but all our constructions, and in particular the results of Appendix, apply to this setting, as we pointed out after Theorem 3.2. Thus we can state our main result as :

Theorem 4.3: Consider the h -PDO with symbol $L(p, x; h) = L_0(p, x) + hL_1(p, x) + \dots$ with L_0 as in (4.10) defined on an open set $\Omega \subset \mathbf{R}^2$ diffeomorphic to an annulus. For all $E > 0$, and all smooth Liouville metric $\mathcal{H}(x, p) = g(x, E)p^2$ on $T^*\Omega$, there exists a “depth profile” $D(x) = D(x, E)$ on Ω , such that the pair of Hamiltonians (L_0, \mathcal{H}) have the same trajectories at energies $(E, 1)$, both parametrizations being related by (4.12). In particular, $\mathcal{H}(x, p)$ being integrable, (L_0, \mathcal{H}) have a common family of lagrangian tori Λ for energies $(E, 1)$, and Theorem 3.2 allows to construct a sequence of quasi-modes for $L(x, hD_x; h)$ near energy E .

Appendix : Regular WKB constructions and Maslov theory

In this Section we recall some well known facts about semi-classical quantization by standard Maslov theory ; we refer to [Ar1,2], [So], [CdV1], [Hö1,2], [Laz], [Le], [Li], [Du1,2], [GuSt], [Iv], [We], [MeSj], [BaWe], [DoZh], [deG]... for more details. In Part A we give a rather superficial account for singularities of a lagrangian manifold diffeomorphic to a torus, and parameterized globally by angle variables $\varphi \in \mathbf{T}^d$ (essentially when $d = 2$) ; then we derive a simple formula for Maslov index. In Part B we recall some known facts about WKB theory, when the tangent space to the lagrangian manifold contains X_H , as a preliminary step to Sect.3 for the perturbative case. In Part C we combine these results to get Bohr-Sommerefeld-Maslov quantization condition.

A. Maslov index and singularities for a lagrangian immersion of the torus.

Let M be a smooth Riemannian manifold, (we shall think essentially of $M = \mathbf{R}^d$ or the flat torus $M = \mathbf{T}^d$ in the case of the geodesic flow on a Liouville surface,) and $\iota : \mathbf{T}^d \rightarrow T^*M$ a smooth lagrangian immersion, we parametrize $\Lambda = \iota(\mathbf{T}^d)$ by $p = P(\varphi), x = X(\varphi)$. To comply with usual notations, we identify already \mathbf{T}^d with its image through ι , so that the Lagrangian immersion reads now $\iota : \Lambda \rightarrow T^*M$.

We begin with a short description of lagrangian immersions. Contrary to local lagrangian singularities, the global geometry of lagrangian tori, especially those arising from

integrable systems is not so commonly discussed (see however [O-de-AlHa], [DoZh] and references therein.) We call *focal point* a point $y \in \Lambda$ where $\pi_* : T\Lambda \rightarrow TM$ is singular, and *caustics* the projection \mathcal{C} of the set of focal points onto M . We introduce the jacobian matrices $B = \frac{\partial P}{\partial \varphi}$ and $C = \frac{\partial X}{\partial \varphi}$, and recall the following standard result (see e.g. [DoZh])

Lemma a.1: With the notations above, we have :

- 1) the matrix (B, C) is of rank d .
- 2) the matrices tCB , BC^{-1} and CB^{-1} are symmetric (whenever well defined, otherwise replace e.g. B^{-1} by $\det(B)B^{-1}$.)
- 3) $C \pm iB$ is non degenerate.

Proof: The 2 first statements easily follow from the definition of a Lagrangian manifold, and the 3:rd one from computing the hermitian scalar product $(\xi | ({}^tBC - {}^tCB)\xi)$ when ξ belongs to the kernel of $C \pm iB$. ♣

Taking variations, we see that tangent vectors $(\delta X, \delta P) \in T\Lambda$ are given by $\delta P = B(y)\delta\varphi$, $\delta X = C(y)\delta\varphi$, so $\delta P = BC^{-1}(y)\delta X$ when $T_y\Lambda$ is transverse to the fiber, or $\delta X = CB^{-1}(y)\delta P$ when $T_y\Lambda$ is transverse to the zero section of T^*M . So $\phi''(x) = BC^{-1}(y)$, when Λ is parametrized by the 1-form $d\phi = \iota^*(pdx)$, while $\psi''(p) = CB^{-1}(y)$, when Λ is parametrized by the 1-form $d\psi = \iota^*(-xdp)$.

For simplicity restrict now to the 2-d case, and let y be a focal point. By property 1) of the Lemma, either $B(y)$ is of maximal rank, or both $C(y)$ and $B(y)$ are of rank 1.

In the first case, either $C(y)$ is of rank 1 (which, under some transversality condition, is the generic case, and corresponds to the simple *fold* A_2 ,) and Λ near y intersects (tangentially) the fiber VM (the vertical space of T^*M) along a line, so \mathcal{C} is of codimension 1, or Λ is tangent to the fiber of T^*M at y , and we call y an *umbilic*. The set of umbilics denoted by \mathcal{F}_1 is generically discrete, and thus does not contribute to Maslov index.

In the second case there are $\lambda, \mu \in \mathbf{R} \setminus 0$ such that $\frac{\partial X}{\partial \varphi_2} = \lambda \frac{\partial X}{\partial \varphi_1}$ and $\frac{\partial P}{\partial \varphi_2} = \mu \frac{\partial P}{\partial \varphi_1}$ at y . Identifying the off-diagonal terms of tBC , which is symmetric by property 2) of the Lemma, we find that either $\lambda = \mu$ or $\frac{\partial X}{\partial \varphi_1} \perp \frac{\partial P}{\partial \varphi_1}$ (in the sense of the euclidean structure on T^*M , since M is flat.) But $\lambda \neq \mu$ since otherwise the complex matrices $C \pm iB$ would be degenerate, which violates property 3) of the Lemma. So $\frac{\partial X}{\partial \varphi_1}$ and $\frac{\partial X}{\partial \varphi_2}$ are colinear, and orthogonal to both $\frac{\partial P}{\partial \varphi_1}$ and $\frac{\partial P}{\partial \varphi_2}$.

We call y a *cuspl*. The corresponding lagrangian singularity is generically the Whitney crease A_3 , and we denote the set of cusps by \mathcal{F}_0 .

Assume now $\Lambda \subset \Sigma_E$ where Σ_E is a level set for an Hamiltonian of the form $H = p^2 + V(x)$. Differentiating, we get $2\langle P, \frac{\partial P}{\partial \varphi_j} \rangle + \langle \nabla V, \frac{\partial X}{\partial \varphi_j} \rangle = 0$ on Λ at y , $j = 1, 2$, and since $\lambda \neq \mu$, these relations imply $\frac{\partial X}{\partial \varphi_j} \perp \nabla V(X)$ and $P \perp \frac{\partial P}{\partial \varphi_j}$, $j = 1, 2$. So if both $C(y)$ and $B(y)$

are of rank 1, the vectors P , $\frac{\partial X}{\partial \varphi_1}$ and $\frac{\partial X}{\partial \varphi_2}$ are colinear, and all orthogonal to ∇V , $\frac{\partial P}{\partial \varphi_1}$ and $\frac{\partial P}{\partial \varphi_2}$.

Generically (i.e. without additionnal symmetries) the set \mathcal{F}_0 of such focal points y is discrete, or even empty, and like umbilics, do not contribute to Maslov index. The same argument applies if $H = p^2 g(x)$ (geodesic flow) or $H = (p_1 - x_2)^2 + (p_2 + x_1)^2 + V(x)$. See however Sect.4 for the case of rotational symmetry.

Example a.1: The harmonic oscillator $H = p^2 + V_0(x)$, $V_0(x) = \omega_1^2 x_1^2 + \omega_2^2 x_2^2$. Although standard action-angle variables are singular at energy $E = 0$, they are often best suited for describing the singularities at caustics. For all $E > 0$, there are 4 (hyperbolic) umbilics, located at the vertices of the caustics (a rectangle). For small energies $E > 0$, these umbilics are stable under perturbations of the form $V(x) = V_0(x) + \mathcal{O}(|x|^3)$.

Example a.2: The magnetic hamiltonian in \mathbf{R}^2 of the form $H_A = (p - A(x))^2 + V(x)$ (written in the minimal coupling setting) with V as above, and $A(x) = \mathcal{O}(|x|^2)$ near $x = 0$. Then umbilics (when $A(x) \equiv 0$) metamorphose into cusps, and singularities are precisely Whitney creases, see [KaRo]. For more general magnetic hamiltonians in T^*M , $M = \mathbf{R}^3$, it is convenient to change the minimal coupling formulation, and introduce the non-degenerate (magnetic) 2-form $\sigma_B = \sigma - B(x)$ with $B(x) = dA(x)$, which makes of T^*M a new symplectic manifold. When $V(x) = \sum_j V_j(x_j)$, for smooth potentials $V_j(x_j)$, it is easy to see that $I_j = (p_j - A_j(x))^2 + V_j(x_j)$ Poisson commute for σ_B , and thus can be chosen as action-variables.

Example a.3: A radially symmetric metric $\mathcal{H} = g(|x|)p^2$ on an annulus $0 < r_1 \leq r \leq r_2$. In general, the whole caustics lies in \mathcal{F}_0 (see again Sect.4). (This emphasizes the peculiarity of the harmonic oscillator among integrable systems.)

Example a.4: The geodesic flow on an ellipsoid is conformally equivalent, in the upper-half space, to a Liouville metric $\mathcal{H} = g(x)p^2$ on a rectangle $R =]0, T_1[\times]0, T_2[$. There are 4 umbilics going to the vertices of R , and the induced metric near an umbilic takes the form, in local coordinates $1/g(x) = G(x_1^2) - G(-x_2^2) = (x_1^2 + x_2^2)A(x_1^2 - x_2^2, 2x_1x_2)$, where $A(0, 0) > 0$ (see [CdVVu, Sect.3] and references therein.)

Now we can pass to Maslov theory and consider first the linear situation. Recall the real phase space $T^*\mathbf{R}^d$, in addition with its symplectic and euclidean structures, is endowed with the complex structure $\mathcal{J}(p, x) = (-x, p)$, ; we identify $T^*\mathbf{R}^d$ with \mathbf{C}^d and its zero section $\mathbf{R}_p^d \oplus 0$ with the totally real subspace \mathbf{R}_p^d .

Let $\mathcal{L}(2d)$ be the lagrangian grassmannian of $T^*\mathbf{R}^d$, we know that $U(d)$ (the unitary group on \mathbf{C}^d) preserves all these structures and acts transitively on $\mathcal{L}(2d)$. We can identify $\mathcal{L}(2d)$ with $U(d)/O(d)$, $O(d)$ (the orthogonal group on \mathbf{R}^d) being the stabilizer of a given $\mathbf{R}^d \approx \Lambda \in \mathcal{L}(2d)$ under the action of $U(d)$. Equivalently, if $\Lambda = \mathcal{U}_1(\mathbf{R}^d) = \mathcal{U}_2(\mathbf{R}^d)$ (with

the identification above of the zero section,) $\mathcal{U}_j \in U(d)$, then $\mathcal{U}_2 = \mathcal{U}_1 \mathcal{O}$, $\mathcal{O} \in O(d)$. Since $\det^2 \mathcal{O} = 1$, $\det^2 \mathcal{U}_1 = \det^2 \mathcal{U}_2$ only depends on Λ . The map $\det^2 : U(d) \rightarrow \mathbf{S}^1$ induces a fibration $\mathcal{L}(2d) \rightarrow \mathbf{S}^1$, with 1-connected fiber $SU(d)/SO(d)$, giving an isomorphism of fundamental groups : $\pi_1(\mathcal{L}(2d)) \approx \pi_1(\mathbf{S}^1) \approx \mathbf{Z}$. Passing to homology and dualizing, we obtain a natural homomorphism : $H^1(\mathbf{S}^1; \mathbf{Z}) \rightarrow H^1(\mathcal{L}(2d); \mathbf{Z})$. The image $\mu = \mu_d$ of the canonical generator of $H^1(\mathbf{S}^1; \mathbf{Z})$ under this map is called the universal Maslov class. Explicitely, along the path $\mathbf{S}^1 \rightarrow \mathcal{L}(2d), t \mapsto \Lambda_t = \mathcal{U}_t(\mathbf{R}^d), \mathcal{U}_t \in U(d)$, we have

$$(a.3) \quad d\mu(\Lambda_t) = d\mu_t = \frac{1}{2\pi} d(\arg \det \mathcal{U}_t^2)$$

Consider now the symplectic vector bundle $\pi : T^*M \rightarrow M$ over a manifold M , with a lagrangian subbundle $\Lambda \rightarrow T^*M$. In general, the automorphism group of T^*M does not act transitively on the lagrangian subbundles, but a pair of transverse lagrangian subbundles can be related as follows. Let $\iota : \Lambda \rightarrow T^*M$ be a lagrangian immersion, then the symplectic vector bundle $\iota^*T(T^*M)$ over Λ has 2 lagrangian subbundles $L = \iota_*T\Lambda$ and $L_2 = \iota^*VM$ (the “vertical” subbundle). The same consideration holds when replacing L_2 by the zero-section L_1 of T^*M . Maslov class $\alpha = \mu_{\Lambda, \iota}$ of (Λ, ι) is defined as $\mu_{\iota, \Lambda} = \mu(L, L_2) \in H^1(\Lambda; \mathbf{Z})$, which is the pull-back of the universal Maslov class μ by Gauss map $G : \Lambda \rightarrow \mathcal{L}(2d), y \mapsto G(y) = \iota_*T_y\Lambda$.

For $y \in \Lambda$, let $\mathcal{U}(y)$ be the unitary transform generating the lagrangian plane $T_y\Lambda$. Possibly after changing $d\mu_t$ into $-d\mu_t$ in (a.3) it is clear that, at least for $d = 1$, $\mathcal{U}^2(y)$ is given globally by Cayley transformation

$$(a.4) \quad \mathcal{U}^2(y) = (C + iB)(C - iB)^{-1}(y), \quad d = 1$$

Example a.5: In case Λ is the product of d circles $p_j^2 + x_j^2 = E_j$ parametrized by $(p_j, x_j) = (\sqrt{E_j} \sin \varphi_j, \sqrt{E_j} \cos \varphi_j)$, (a.3) and (a.4) give by integration Maslov index $\alpha = \mu(L, L_2) = (2, \dots, 2)$.

We still show below how (a.4) holds “at the infinitesimal level” and allows to compute the jump of Maslov index $\mu(L, L_2) \in H^1(\Lambda, \mathbf{R})$ passing a caustics. See also [Ma2], [DoZh] for another and more explicit derivation of $\mu(L, L_2)$.

Moreover, from the discussion after Lemma a.1, the RHS of (a.4) equals $(I + iBC^{-1})(I - iBC^{-1})^{-1}(y)$ when Λ is transverse at y to L_2 , and $-(I - iCB^{-1})(I + iCB^{-1})^{-1}(y)$ when Λ is transverse at y to L_1 . Thus, because $BC^{-1}(y)$ and $CB^{-1}(y)$ are symmetric, except perhaps on an exceptional set which we identified with \mathcal{F}_0 in the 2-d case, the RHS of (a.4) is well defined as a unitary matrix acting on lagrangian planes, i.e. the fibers of $T\Lambda$. So we are in the situation of [Hö2,p.156], up to the sign in front of $-(I - iCB^{-1})(I + iCB^{-1})^{-1}(y)$, which we may ignore if d is even (since only $\det \mathcal{U}^2(y)$ matters), or if we forget about orientation. So we write $\mathcal{U}^2(y) = (I + iBC^{-1})(I - iBC^{-1})^{-1}(y)$ (resp. $\mathcal{U}^2(y) = (I - iCB^{-1})(I + iCB^{-1})^{-1}(y)$).

Following [So] (see also [GuSt]) we shall identify these unitary matrices with the lagrangian planes on which they act, and introduce also the covering space $\widetilde{T\Lambda}$ of $T\Lambda$ by adding a new (angular) variable θ which stands for $\arg \det \mathcal{U}$. So in $\widetilde{T\Lambda}$ we have the freedom to consider a path of “fictitious” lagrangean planes $(\widetilde{L}_t)_{0 \leq t \leq 1}$ which are not tangent to Λ , except for $t = 0, 1$. A similar argument, consisting in interpolating between $C + i\varepsilon B$ and $C - i\varepsilon B$, was used in [DoZh]. Now we argue as in [Hö2], and to start with, restrict to the case where \mathcal{C}_{y_0} has codimension 1 in Λ and $B(y)$ is of maximal rank d near y_0 .

Consider first a path $(\gamma_1(t), \dot{\gamma}_1(t)) \in T\Lambda$, $-\epsilon_0 \leq t \leq \epsilon_0$, with $\dot{\gamma}_1(t) \in T_{\gamma_1(t)}\Lambda = \tau(t)$, and such that $\dot{\gamma}_1(0)$ belongs to the fiber. So in the terminology of [GuSt,p.120], $\tau(-\epsilon_0)$ and $\tau(\epsilon_0)$, lie in different components of the projective lines \mathcal{L}_{L_2} (corresponding to the fiber L_2) and \mathcal{L}_{L_1} (corresponding to the zero-section L_1). We lift the path $(\gamma_1, \dot{\gamma}_1)$ in $\widetilde{T\Lambda}$ as $(\widetilde{\gamma}_1, \widetilde{\dot{\gamma}}_1)$. Then along this path, $B(y)|_{y=\gamma_1(t)}$ is always invertible, and $\mathcal{U}^2(y) = (I - iCB^{-1})(I + iCB^{-1})^{-1}(y)$. The square of the determinant of \mathcal{U}_t is $\prod_j (1 - i\beta_j(t))(1 + i\beta_j(t))^{-1}$ where $\beta_j(t)$ are the real eigenvalues of CB^{-1} . Since $\arg(1 - i\beta_j(t)) = -\arg(1 + i\beta_j(t))$ (we choose $\arg z$ so that it vanishes for $z > 0$) we get $\int_{\widetilde{\gamma}_1} d\mu_t = \frac{1}{\pi} \sum_j \arg(1 - i\beta_j(\epsilon_0)) - \arg(1 - i\beta_j(-\epsilon_0))$.

Choose next a path $(\widetilde{\gamma}_2(t), \widetilde{\dot{\gamma}}_2(t)) \in \widetilde{T\Lambda}$, with θ between $\arg \det \mathcal{U}(\gamma(\epsilon_0))$ and $\arg \det \mathcal{U}(\gamma(-\epsilon_0))$, and whose projection starts at $\tau(\epsilon_0)$ and ends at $\tau(-\epsilon_0)$. We use instead $\mathcal{U}_t^2(y) = (I + iBC^{-1})(I - iBC^{-1})^{-1}(y)$. The square of the determinant of \mathcal{U}_t is now $\prod_j (1 + i/\beta_j(t))(1 - i/\beta_j(t))^{-1}$, and $\int_{\widetilde{\gamma}_2} \mu_t = \frac{1}{\pi} \sum_j \arg(1 + i/\beta_j(1)) - \arg(1 - i/\beta_j(0))$. Since for real $\beta \neq 0$, $\arg(1 - i\beta) - \arg(1 + i/\beta) = -\pi/2$ if $\beta > 0$, $= \pi/2$ if $\beta < 0$, we find :

$$\oint d\mu_t = \left(\int_{\widetilde{\gamma}_1} + \int_{\widetilde{\gamma}_2} \right) d\mu_t = \frac{1}{2} (\operatorname{sgn}(BC^{-1})(\epsilon_0) - \operatorname{sgn}(BC^{-1})(-\epsilon_0))$$

Here \oint denotes the integral over the loop $\widetilde{\gamma} = \widetilde{\gamma}_1 \vee \widetilde{\gamma}_2$ in $\widetilde{T\Lambda}$, and we have used that for $t \neq 0$, BC^{-1} and CB^{-1} are well defined and $\operatorname{sgn} BC^{-1} = -\operatorname{sgn} CB^{-1}$. This gives the required formula

$$(a.6) \quad \langle \widetilde{\gamma}, \alpha \rangle = \frac{1}{2} (\operatorname{sgn}(BC^{-1})(\epsilon_0) - \operatorname{sgn}(BC^{-1})(-\epsilon_0))$$

When \mathcal{F}_0 is a discrete set it doesn't contribute to Maslov index, so formula (a.6) gives generically the jump of Maslov index passing a caustic. But in some cases as the radial symmetric potentials in $d = 2$ considered in Sect.4, there are caustic sets where both $B(y)$ and $C(y)$ have rank 1, and the constructions above fail. The argument of [DoZh] covers most of these exceptional cases, but we can still adapt this one as follows.

Actually, since we can construct a subbundle transversal to both $L_2 = \iota^*VM$ and $L = \iota_*T\Lambda$, we know that near any $y_0 = (p_0, x_0) \in \Lambda$, there is a local diffeomorphism χ (in the

variable x alone), such that Λ is parametrized by a non-degenerate phase function of the type $S(p, x) = \langle p, x \rangle + H(p)$, i.e. $\Lambda = \{(p, x) : d_p S(p, x) = 0, p \in \text{neigh}(p_0)\}$. Moreover, $H''(p)$ is symmetric and invertible.

Example a.6: Let $\Lambda \subset T^*\mathbf{R}$ be the circle $y^2 + \eta^2 = 1$, after the symplectic change of coordinates $y = \chi(x) = e^x - 1, \eta = {}^t(\chi'(x))^{-1}\xi = e^{-x}\xi$ near $(y, \eta) = (0, 1)$, Λ rewrites as $x = \xi - 1 + \frac{5}{6}(\xi - 1)^3 + \mathcal{O}((\xi - 1)^4)$.

When Λ is of the form $(P(\varphi), X(\varphi))$, $\varphi \in \mathbf{T}^2$, one can locally use p as local coordinates, and make a symplectic transformation of the form $(p, x) \mapsto (p + ((H''(p))^{-1}x, x)$. The tangent space to Λ is of the form $(\delta p - (H''(p))^{-1}\delta x, \delta x)$ so we are reduced to replace (C, B) above by $(C, B - (H''(p))^{-1}C)|_{p=P(\varphi)}$, and so BC^{-1} by $BC^{-1} - (H'')^{-1}$. By (a.6)

$$\langle \tilde{\gamma}, \alpha \rangle = \frac{1}{2}(\text{sgn}(BC^{-1} - (H'')^{-1})(\epsilon_0) - \text{sgn}(BC^{-1} - (H'')^{-1})(-\epsilon_0))$$

and as in [Hö2] this formula rewrites

$$(a.7) \quad \langle \tilde{\gamma}, \alpha \rangle = \frac{1}{2}(\text{sgn} \begin{pmatrix} -H''(-\epsilon_0) & \text{Id} \\ \text{Id} & -BC^{-1}(-\epsilon_0) \end{pmatrix} - \text{sgn} \begin{pmatrix} -H''(\epsilon_0) & \text{Id} \\ \text{Id} & -BC^{-1}(\epsilon_0) \end{pmatrix})$$

This formula remains valid by continuity even if H'' fails to be invertible, provided the matrices are non singular, i.e. so long $T_{y(\pm\epsilon_0)}\Lambda$ is tranverse to the fiber and zero-section of T^*M .

B. The oscillating principal symbol and invariant densities.

Here we review the construction of the principal symbol of asymptotic eigenfunctions of H , microlocalized on the invariant lagrangian manifold Λ , parametrized (globally) by $(p, x) = (P(\varphi), X(\varphi))$, $\varphi \in \mathbf{T}^d$. For a comprehensive treatment, in the framework of Fourier Integral Operators calculus, we refer for instance the reader to the first Chapter of the book [Iv] by V.Ivrii which, together with the Lecture Notes [BaWe] by S.Bates and A.Weinstein, we took as a first guide to this exposition. See also [DoZh].

So let $H(x, hD_x)$ be the semi-classical quantization of $H(p, x)$, $\iota : \Lambda \rightarrow T^*M$ a lagrangian immersion in $H(p, x) = E$; we look for an approximate solution mod $\mathcal{O}(h^2)$ of $H(x, hD_x)u = E(h)u$ with $E(h) = E + \mathcal{O}(h)$. For simplicity, we shall explicit the computations by assuming $H(p, x) = p^2 + V(x)$ so that $H(x, hD_x) = -h^2\Delta + V(x)$ is a Schrödinger operator, but everything carries over to more general h -PDO, as in the case of linear water waves with dispersion relation given by (4.10). For the moment however, we shall assume that H has no sub-principal symbol.

Near $x_0 \notin \mathcal{C}$, we try a solution of simple WKB type, of the form $u(x, h) = a_0(x, E, h)e^{i\phi(x)/h}$, where ϕ solves Hamilton-Jacobi equation $H(x, \nabla\phi(x)) = E$, i.e. $\phi(x) = \int_{x_0}^x p dx$, or

$d\phi = \iota^*(pdx)$. This can be done so long Λ is projectable. To determine $a(x, h) = a_0(x, E) + ha_1(x, E) + \dots$ we begin with the first transport equation

$$(b.2) \quad \sum_j \phi'_j(x) \partial_{x_j} a_0(x, E) + \frac{1}{2} \Delta \phi(x) a_0(x, E) = 0$$

which expresses that $a_0^2 \pi_{x*}(X_H)$ (the x -projection of the Hamiltonian vector field of H) is divergence-free for the canonical density $|dx|$ on \mathbf{R}^d , but which we write more invariantly as

$$(b.3) \quad \mathcal{L}_{X_H|_\Lambda}(a_0(x, E)|dx|^{1/2}) = 0$$

Here $\mathcal{L}_{X_H|_\Lambda}$ denotes the Lie derivative acting on half-densities. As X_H is tangent to Λ , and the Lie derivative invariant under diffeomorphism, this equation is satisfied iff the pull-back of $a_0(x, E)|dx|^{1/2}$ via the projection π is invariant under the flow of X_H . When the hamiltonian flow is quasi-periodic on Λ , and $y = (p, x) = (P^0(\varphi), X^0(\varphi))$ it is readily seen that the solutions of (b.3) are of the form

$$(b.4) \quad a_0(x, E) = \text{Const.} \left| \det \frac{\partial X^0}{\partial \varphi} \right|^{-1/2}$$

Next we analyze the situation near a focal point y , and begin with the other extreme, i.e. rank $d\pi_p(y) = d$. Near y , Λ has a simple fold and the caustic is a line ; if $d = 2$, then $y \notin \mathcal{F}_0$ where \mathcal{F}_0 was defined in (a.2). We make a h -Fourier transform, which takes formally $H(x, hD_x) = -h^2 \Delta + V(x)$ to $\tilde{H}(p, -hD_p) = p^2 + V(-hD_p)$. The action is now $\psi(p) = \int^p -x dp$, i.e. $d\psi = \iota^*(-x dp)$, and solves Hamilton-Jacobi equation $p^2 + V(-\nabla \psi(p)) = E$. So we look for $u(x, h)$ of the form

$$(b.5) \quad I(b, \psi)(x, h) = (2\pi h)^{-d/2} \int e^{i(xp + \psi(p))/h} b(p, E, h) dp$$

and formally $(H(x, hD_x) - E)u(x, h) = \int e^{i(xp + \psi(p))/h} (p^2 + V(x)) b(p, E, h) dp$. Using Hamilton-Jacobi equation, Taylor formula gives

$$(b.6) \quad p^2 + V(x) - E = \sum_j \lambda_j(x, p, E) (x_j + \partial_{p_j} \psi(p))$$

where $\lambda_j(x, p, E)$ are smooth functions near $x + \partial_p \psi(p) = 0$, and because we work near a simple fold, we can assume, possibly after a rearrangement of coordinates, that $\lambda_1|_{x + \partial_p \psi(p) = 0} \neq 0$. We look for a symbol $b(p, E, h) = b_0(p, E) + hb_1(p, E) + \dots$ such that there are amplitudes $a^{(j)}(x, p, E, h) = a_0^{(j)}(x, p, E) + ha_1^{(j)}(x, p, E) + \dots$ verifying

$$(b.7) \quad e^{i(xp + \psi(p))/h} (p^2 + V(x) - E) b(p, E, h) = \sum_j h D_{p_j} (e^{i(xp + \psi(p))/h} a^{(j)}(x, p, E, h))$$

At zeroth and first order in h , we find respectively

$$(b.8) \quad \begin{aligned} (p^2 + V(x) - E)b_0(p, E) &= \sum_j (x_j + \partial_{p_j}\psi(p))a_0^{(j)}(x, p, E) \\ (p^2 + V(x) - E)b_1(p, E) &= \sum_j (x_j + \partial_{p_j}\psi(p))a_1^{(j)}(x, p, E) + \frac{1}{i} \frac{\partial a_0^{(j)}}{\partial p_j} \end{aligned}$$

The first equation (b.8) yields $a_0^{(j)}(x, p, E) = b_0(p, E)\lambda_j(x, p, E)$ and the second one can be solved iff

$$(b.9) \quad \sum_j \lambda_j(-\partial_p\psi(p), p) \frac{\partial b_0}{\partial p_j}(p) + \frac{\partial \lambda_j}{\partial p_j}(-\partial_p\psi(p), p) b_0(p) = 0$$

where we have dropped parameter E from the notations. Taking derivative of (b.6) with respect to x_k yields

$$(b.10) \quad \partial_{x_k} V(x) = \sum_j \partial_{x_k} \lambda_j(x, p, E)(x_j + \partial_{p_j}\psi(p)) + \lambda_k(x, p, E)$$

and evaluating at $x + \partial_p(\psi) = 0$,

$$(b.11) \quad \lambda_k(-\partial_p\psi, p) = \partial_{x_k} V(-\partial_p\psi)$$

We differentiate again (b.10) with respect to x_ℓ , and evaluate at $x + \partial_p(\psi) = 0$, so we get :

$$(b.13) \quad \partial_{x_k} \lambda_\ell(-\partial_p\psi, p) + \partial_{x_\ell} \lambda_k(-\partial_p\psi, p) = \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial x_k \partial x_\ell}(-\partial_p\psi)$$

At last, we take derivative of (b.10) with respect to p_ℓ , and evaluate at $k = \ell$, $x + \partial_p(\psi) = 0$, to obtain :

$$0 = \partial_{p_k} \lambda_k(-\partial_p\psi, p) + \sum_j \partial_{x_k} \lambda_j(-\partial_p\psi, p) \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial p_k \partial p_j}(p)$$

so summing over k and using (b.13) gives

$$0 = \partial_{p_k} \lambda_k(-\partial_p\psi, p) + \sum_{j,k} \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial p_k \partial p_j}(p) \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial x_k \partial x_j}(-\partial_p\psi)$$

which we insert into (b.9) and using (b.11) we get again :

$$(b.14) \quad \frac{1}{2} \sum_j \frac{\partial V}{\partial x_j}(-\partial_p\psi) \frac{\partial b_0}{\partial p_j}(p) - \left[\sum_{j < k} \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial p_k \partial p_j} \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial x_k \partial x_j} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_k \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial p_k^2} \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial x_k^2} \right] b_0(p) = 0$$

This can be compared with (b.2) and again be written in an invariant form as

$$(b.15) \quad \mathcal{L}_{X_H|_\Lambda}(b_0(p, E)|dp|^{1/2}) = 0$$

Since $\frac{\partial V}{\partial x_1}(x_0) \neq 0$, this transport equation can be solved with arbitrary initial condition at $p = p_0$. Again, since X_H is tangent to Λ , and the Lie derivative invariant under diffeomorphism, this equation holds iff the pullback of $b_0(p, E)|dp|^{1/2}$ via the projection π_p is invariant under the flow of X_H . (Here, given a lagrangian immersion $\iota : \Lambda \rightarrow T^*M$, identifying locally T^*M with $\mathbf{R}_{(x,p)}^d$, we denote by π_p the projection on \mathbf{R}_p^d .)

Once we have determined $b_0(p, E)$, we can solve the first equation (b.8), and so (b.7) holds up to first order terms in h . Introducing a cutoff in (b.5) around p_0 , and integrating (b.7) over p in the neighborhood of p_0 , we find $(H(x, hD_x) - E)u(x, E, h) = \mathcal{O}(h^2)$.

Now we pass to the general situation where $\text{rank } d\pi_x(y_0) \leq d - 1$ and $d\pi_p(y_0) \leq d - 1$. Then Λ can have a more complicated singularity, e.g. a Whitney crease at $y_0 \in \mathcal{F}_0$ when $d = 2$, or a critical point of the moment map (which we have excluded in our special problem, but occurs when looking for instance at the critical energy of an harmonic oscillator, see e.g. [KaRo], or more general critical points [Vu], [CdVVu], ...) From now on we drop for simplicity energy parameter E , and remember that everything could depend on one or several parameters.

Recall from the discussion before Example a.6 that Λ can be parametrized near y_0 by a non-degenerate phase function $S(p, x) = \langle p, x \rangle + H(p)$. More generally Λ can be parametrized by a Morse function. By this we mean a smooth function $S(x, \theta)$, defined near $(x_0, \theta_0) \in \mathbf{R}^d \times \mathbf{R}^\ell$ (for some ℓ which is not necessarily the number d of phase variables, but we can choose $\ell \leq d$) with $p_0 = dS(x_0, \theta_0)$, $d_{(x,\theta)}S(x_0, \theta_0) \neq 0$, and $dS'_{\theta_1} \cdots, dS'_{\theta_\ell}$ linearly independant on the critical set $C_S = \{(x, \theta) \in \mathbf{R}^d \times \mathbf{R}^\ell : d_\theta S = 0\}$, such that the lagrangian immersions $\iota : \Lambda \rightarrow T^*M$ and $\iota_S : C_S \rightarrow T^*M$, $(x, \theta) \mapsto (x, d_x S(x, \theta))$ have the same image near (x_0, p_0) , which we identify naturally with Λ . We set $\Sigma_S = \{(x, d_x S(x, \theta)) : (x, \theta) \in C_S\} \subset \Lambda$. Such a phase $S(x, \theta)$ satisfies $\det d_{(x,\theta)}^2 S \neq 0$, and we set $d_{(x,\theta)}^2 S(x, \theta) = S''(x, \theta)$ (all derivatives). For an amplitude with compact support $a(x, \theta, h)$, we define as in (b.5) the lagrangian distribution

$$(b.17) \quad I(a, S)(x, h) = (2\pi h)^{-\ell/2} \int e^{iS(x,\theta)/h} a(x, \theta, h) d\theta$$

and consider the h -Fourier transformation

$$\mathcal{F}_h I(a, S)(\xi, h) = (2\pi h)^{-(d+\ell)/2} \int \int e^{i(S(x,\theta) - x\xi)/h} a(x, \theta, h) dx d\theta$$

For ξ near p_0 we may expand $\mathcal{F}_h I(a, S)(\xi, h)$ by stationary phase, since the critical point $(x(\xi), \theta(\xi))$, with $(x(\xi_0), \theta(\xi_0)) = (x_0, \theta_0)$ is non degenerate. The critical value equals

$$(b.18) \quad \Phi_S(\xi) = S(x(\xi), \theta(\xi)) - x(\xi)\xi$$

and we find :

$$(b.19) \quad \mathcal{F}_h I(a, S)(\xi, h) = e^{i\Phi_S(\xi)/h} |\det S''|^{-1/2} e^{i\pi(\operatorname{sgn} S'')/4} (a_0(x(\xi), \theta(\xi)) + \mathcal{O}(h))$$

It is also well known that $\mathcal{F}_h I(a, S)(\xi, h)$ does only depends on Λ near (x_0, p_0) and not on the particular choice of S realizing the embedding $\iota : \Lambda \rightarrow T^*M$. More precisely, if $\tilde{S}(x, \tilde{\theta})$ is another phase function as above, such that $p_0 = d_x \tilde{S}(x_0, \tilde{\theta}_0)$, there exists an amplitude $\tilde{a}(x, \theta, h)$ such that formally (i.e. microlocally near (x_0, p_0) ,) $I(a, S)(x, h) = I(\tilde{a}, \tilde{S})(x, h)$. The convenient framework to express this invariance is described in term of the frequency set, see [GuSt], [Iv], ... but we can (roughly) understand this by thinking of an equality between asymptotic sums in h , or even at the first order in h . See e.g. [BaWe, Theorem 4.18] for a proof of equivalence among the Morse family ; from this follows actually Darboux-Weinstein Theorem, that we recalled in Sect.1. We also call $S(x, \theta)$ a non-degenerate phase function in the sense of Hörmander.

Choose $\xi = (\xi_1, \dots, \xi_d)$ as local coordinates on Λ and define a half density in the local charts (C_S, ι_S) near (x_0, p_0) by $\sqrt{\delta_S} = |\det S''|^{-1/2} |d\xi|^{1/2}$. We notice that if $I(a, S)(x, h) \equiv I(\tilde{a}, \tilde{S})(x, h)$ microlocally near (x_0, p_0) , then

$$(b.22) \quad e^{i\tilde{\Phi}_{\tilde{S}}(\xi)/h} \tilde{a}_0(x(\xi), \theta(\xi)) \sqrt{\delta_{\tilde{S}}} = e^{i\Phi_S(\xi)/h} a_0 e^{i\pi(\operatorname{sgn} S'' - \operatorname{sgn} \tilde{S}'')/4} \sqrt{\delta_S}$$

Let $\Lambda_S = \iota_S(C_S) \subset \Lambda$ be the image of the chart (C_S, ι_S) . The (oscillating) principal symbol of u in Λ_S is then defined as

$$(b.23) \quad e^{i\Phi_S(\xi)/h} A_0(\xi) = e^{i\Phi_S(\xi)/h} e^{i\pi \operatorname{sgn} S''/4} a_0(x(\xi), \theta(\xi)) \sqrt{\delta_S}$$

To determine the principal symbol $a_0(x(\xi), \theta(\xi))$, we proceed essentially as above, computing $H(x, hD_x) u(x, h)$ by inverse Fourier transform. So if the lagrangian distribution u has (oscillating) principal symbol $e^{i\Phi_S(\xi)/h} A_0(\xi)$, then $H(x, hD_x)u(x, h)$, which can be computed as in (b.14), has (oscillating) principal symbol $e^{i\Phi_S(\xi)/h} \frac{1}{i} \mathcal{L}_{X_H|_\Lambda} A_0(\xi)$. (See [DuHö] for the case of a classical PDO, and also [Iv] that takes care of specific details relative to the semi-classical framework.) To have $H(x, hD_x)u(x, h) = 0 \bmod \mathcal{O}(h^2)$, it suffices to solve

$$(b.25) \quad e^{i\Phi_S(\xi)/h} \frac{1}{i} \mathcal{L}_{X_H|_\Lambda} A_0(\xi) |d\xi|^{1/2} = 0$$

and still in the case where Λ is an integral manifold of H , this equation is satisfied whenever the pullback of the half-density $A_0(\xi)$ in the chart (C_S, ι_S) is invariant under the flow of X_H . Let us summarize our review in the :

Theorem b.1: Let Λ as above be an integral manifold of $H(p, x)$ in energy surface $H(p, x) = E$. Assume $H(p, x) = p^2 + V(x)$ so that $H(x, hD_x) = -h^2 \Delta + V(x)$, or else $H(x, hD_x, h)$

is the h -Weyl quantization of a symbol of the form $H(x, p, h) = H(p, x) + h^2 H(p, x)$ (i.e. without subprincipal symbol $H_1(p, x)$.) Then near any $y_0 = (p_0, x_0) \in \Lambda$ there is a local chart (C_S, ι_S) and a half density $\sqrt{\delta_S}$ as above such that the lagrangian distribution u in (b.17) with (oscillating) principal part $e^{i\Phi_S(\xi)/h} A_0(\xi)$ given by (b.23) solves $(H(x, hD_x, h) - E)u(x, h) = \mathcal{O}(h^2)$.

In particular, let $y \in \Lambda$ be such that $\text{rank } d\pi|_\Lambda(y) = k \leq d - 1$ is locally constant, then because Λ is lagrangian, there is a partition of variables (possibly after reenumeration of coordinates) $x = (x_1, x_2) \in \mathbf{R}^k \times \mathbf{R}^{d-k}$, and $p = (p_1, p_2) \in \mathbf{R}^k \times \mathbf{R}^{d-k}$, such that $\text{rank } d\tilde{\pi} = d$, where $\tilde{\pi} : \Lambda \rightarrow \mathbf{R}^d$, $(x, p) \mapsto (x_1, p_2)$. Then it is well known that $u(x, h)$ in (b.17) can be rewritten in the same form with θ replaced by p_2 and $S \circ \iota^{-1} \circ \tilde{\pi}(x_1, p_2) = T(x_1, p_2) + \langle x_2, p_2 \rangle$. In particular, near y ,

$$(b.27) \quad \Lambda = \Lambda_T = \left\{ (x, p) : x_2 = -\frac{\partial T}{\partial p_2}(x_1, p_2), p_1 = \frac{\partial T}{\partial x_1}(x_1, p_2) \right\}$$

and the number ℓ of phase variables can be reduced to $d - k$. We interpret $T(x_1, p_2)$ as a partial Legendre transformation of $\phi(x)$ or $\psi(p)$. See [Iv, Prop.1.2.5], [DoZh], ... If we content computing Maslov indices, one could restrain to such phase functions as we shall explain below.

Now we want to extend the previous procedure to more general h -PDO's, in particular for (Weyl quantization of) $H(x, hD_x, h) = H_0(x, hD_x) + hH_1(x, hD_x) + \dots$, in this case $\sigma_H(x, p) = H_1(x, p)$ is called the sub-principal symbol of H . Of course, we need not assume the particular form $-h^2\Delta + V(x)$ for H_0 . When $H(x, hD_x, h)$ is the Weyl quantization of symbol $H(x, p) = H_0(x, p) + hH_1(x, p) + \dots$, then $\sigma_H(x, p) = H_1(x, p)$, and there are formulas relating subprincipal symbols for different quantizations, see e.g. [Iv]. Note that the sub-principal symbol, together with the principal symbol, are invariantly defined.

Now if u is a lagrangian distribution as above, then in the chart (C_S, ι_S) , the distribution $H(x, hD_x, h)u(x, h)$ has (oscillating) principal symbol

$$e^{i\Phi_S(\xi)/h} \left(\frac{1}{i} \mathcal{L}_{X_{H_0}|_\Lambda} + \sigma_H(x(\xi), p(\xi)) \right) A_0(\xi)$$

and again equation

$$(b.29) \quad \left(\frac{1}{i} \mathcal{L}_{X_{H_0}|_\Lambda} + \sigma_H(x(\xi), p(\xi)) \right) A_0(\xi) |d\xi|^{1/2} = 0$$

can be solved along the integral curves of $X_{H_0}|_\Lambda$. Where Λ is projectable on M , we can take x as local coordinates on Λ , and this equation takes the form

$$\frac{1}{2i} \sum_j \frac{\partial H_0}{\partial p_j} \Big|_\Lambda \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} A_0^2(x) + (\sigma_H|_\Lambda) A_0^2(x) = 0$$

but near a simple fold, it can be computed as in (b.14), and more generally using the procedure leading to Theorem b.1. This gives on Λ :

$$(b.30) \quad A_0(\xi) = \text{Const.} \left| \det \frac{\partial \xi}{\partial \varphi} \right|^{-1/2} \exp \left[-i \int^t \sigma_H(p(\xi)x(\xi)) ds \right]$$

Assume now that Λ is a torus with quasi-periodic flow of frequencies ω satisfying some diophantine condition we give (b.30) a simpler form. Namely expand $\sigma_H(p(\xi), x(\xi)) \circ (\omega s + \varphi)$ as a Fourier series, and integrate term by term which gives $\int^t \sigma_H(p(\xi), x(\xi)) \circ (\omega s + \varphi) ds = \langle \sigma_H \rangle t + G(\varphi)$, where G is a smooth periodic function on the torus, satisfying $\langle G \rangle = 0$, and $\langle \sigma_H \rangle$, again, is the spatial average of σ_H over Λ . Of course, this is also the time average over the almost periodic orbit. In (b.30) we can factor out the periodic part, which is the same as the solution of (b.25), multiplied by $e^{-iG(\varphi)}$. This will give the invariant density (since its Liouville class is zero.) The other factor, $e^{-i\langle \sigma_H \rangle t}$ is multivalued. So far we rewrite (b.30) as

$$(b.31) \quad A_0(\xi(\omega t + \varphi)) = \text{Const.} \left| \det \frac{\partial \xi}{\partial \varphi} \right|^{-1/2} \exp[-iG(\omega t + \varphi)] \exp[-i\langle \sigma_H \rangle t]$$

This expression is computed along the integral curves of X_{H_0} ; of course it assumes a particularly simple form when $\langle \sigma_H \rangle = 0$.

C. Maslov quantization condition for a lagragian immersion of the torus.

At last we investigate the global properties of the lagrangian distribution $u(x, h)$ we have so far constructed locally. Choose $\xi = (\xi_1, \dots, \xi_d)$ as local coordinates on Λ and define a half density in the local charts (C_S, ι_S) near (p_0, x_0) by $\delta_S = |\det S''|^{-1} |d\xi|$. We notice that if $I(a, S)(x, h) = I(\tilde{a}, \tilde{S})(x, h)$ microlocally near (p_0, x_0) , then

$$(c.1) \quad e^{i\Phi_{\tilde{S}}(\xi)/h} \tilde{a}_0 \sqrt{\delta_{\tilde{S}}} = e^{i\Phi_S(\xi)/h} a_0 \sqrt{\delta_S} e^{i\pi(\text{sgn } S'' - \text{sgn } \tilde{S}'')/4}$$

Let $\Lambda_S = \iota_S(C_S)$ be the image of the chart (C_S, ι_S) . We denote by $\Omega_{1/2}$ the bundle of half-densities on Λ with transition functions $\exp i\pi(\text{sgn } S''_{(x,\theta),(x,\theta)} - \text{sgn } S''_{(x',\theta),(x',\theta)})/4$ for change of coordinates $x \mapsto x'$ in Λ_S . We denote also by \mathbf{L} Maslov bundle on Λ with transition functions $\exp i\pi(\text{sgn } S'' - \text{sgn } \tilde{S}'')/4$ for changes of function S in $\Lambda_S \cap \Lambda_{\tilde{S}}$. With $I(a, S)$ we associate the section of $\Omega_{1/2} \otimes \mathbf{L}$ of the form

$$(c.2) \quad e^{i\Phi_S(\xi)/h} A_0(\xi) = e^{i\Phi_S(\xi)/h} e^{i\pi \text{sgn } S''/4} a_0(x(\xi), \theta(\xi)) \sqrt{\delta_S}$$

by a partition of unity subordinated to the covering of Λ by the local charts Λ_S .

Maslov canonical operator is defined as the inverse Fourier transform which to any section $e^{i\Phi_S(\xi)/h} A(\xi, h)$ of $\Omega_{1/2} \otimes \mathbf{L}$ as in (c.2), assigns a lagrangian distribution $u(x, h)$. We call

$e^{i\Phi_S(\xi)/h}A(\xi, h)$ the (oscillating) principal symbol of u . The interesting case is when Λ is a compact manifold. Namely, if the open sets Λ_S cover Λ , then the functions $\Phi_{S, \tilde{S}}(\xi) = \Phi_S(\xi) - \Phi_{\tilde{S}}(\xi) = S(x_0, \theta_0) - \tilde{S}(x_0, \theta'_0)$, for $\iota_S(x_0, \theta_0) = \iota_{\tilde{S}}(x_0, \theta'_0) = (x_0, p_0) \in \Lambda_S \cap \Lambda_{\tilde{S}}$, are necessarily constant on $\Lambda_S \cap \Lambda_{\tilde{S}}$, defining an element $\Phi \in H^1(\Lambda; \mathbf{R})$. Actually, by De Rham isomorphism, $\Phi \approx \iota^*(pdx)$. In the same way, if the covering Λ_S is sufficiently smooth, the transition functions $\sigma_{S, \tilde{S}} = e^{i\pi(\text{sgn } S'' - \text{sgn } \tilde{S}'')/4}$ are constant on $\Lambda_S \cap \Lambda_{\tilde{S}}$, defining an element $\alpha \in H^1(\Lambda; \mathbf{Z})$, and $\alpha = \mu(L, L_2)$ is Maslov class of (Λ, ι) . Of course, these transition functions are nothing but those we computed in Part B. Maslov quantization condition expresses the fact that

$$(\Phi_S(\xi) - \Phi_{\tilde{S}}(\xi))/h \equiv \pi(\text{sgn } S'' - \text{sgn } \tilde{S}'')/4 \pmod{2\pi} \text{ on } \Lambda_S \cap \Lambda_{\tilde{S}}$$

which we write as a condition on $\Omega_{1/2} \otimes \mathbf{L}$:

$$(c.3) \quad \Phi/(2\pi h) + \alpha/4 = 0 \pmod{H^1(\Lambda; \mathbf{Z})}$$

The values of h satisfying (c.3) are generally of the form $\frac{1}{h} = an + b, n \in \mathbf{Z}$, and Maslov index $\alpha = (2, \dots, 2)$ for a torus. Global topological properties of 2-d tori are considered in [O-de-AlHa]. In particular, we can have $\alpha = (2, 0)$ in 2-d.

At last, we point out how to correct Maslov quantization condition when H has a sub-principal symbol, and the frequencies of the torus are diophantine. In (b.31) $e^{-i\langle \sigma_H \rangle t}$ is multivalued, and contributes to Maslov condition by a constant term. So in case of a sub-principal symbol, we need to modify (c.3) as :

$$(c.4) \quad \Phi/(2\pi h) + \alpha/4 + \langle \sigma_H \rangle(1, \dots, 1) = 0 \pmod{H^1(\Lambda; \mathbf{Z})}$$

This situation is of course well-known, and related to the sub-principal form for an integrable system (see [Vu] and references therein.)

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