

Spectral Geometry Processing with Manifold Harmonics

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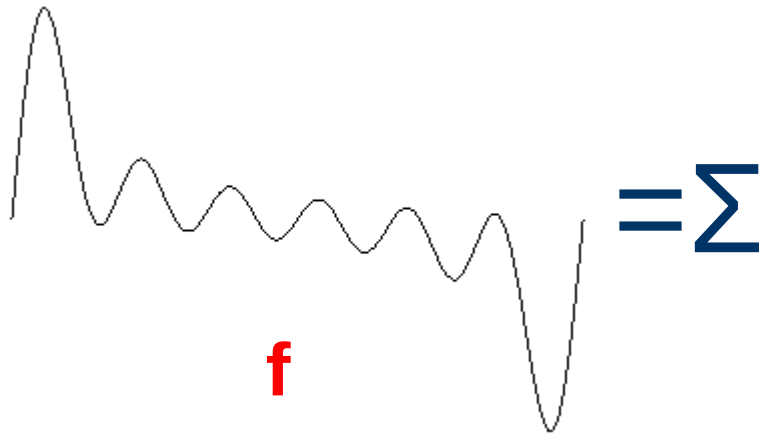
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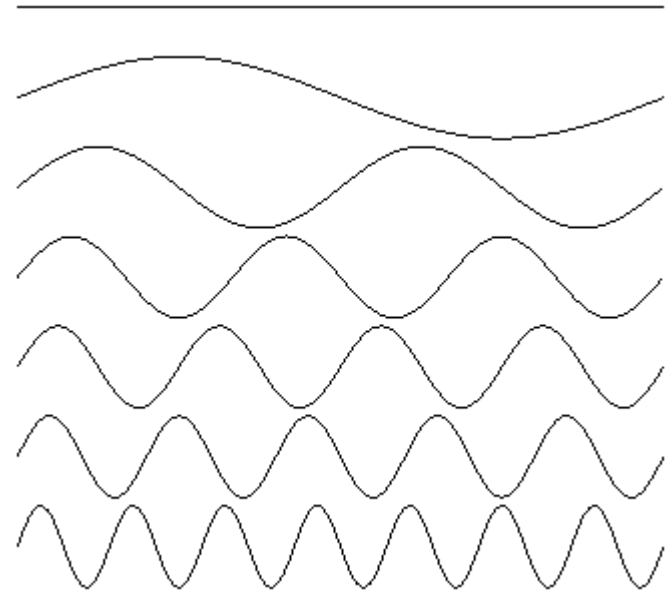
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Fourier transform



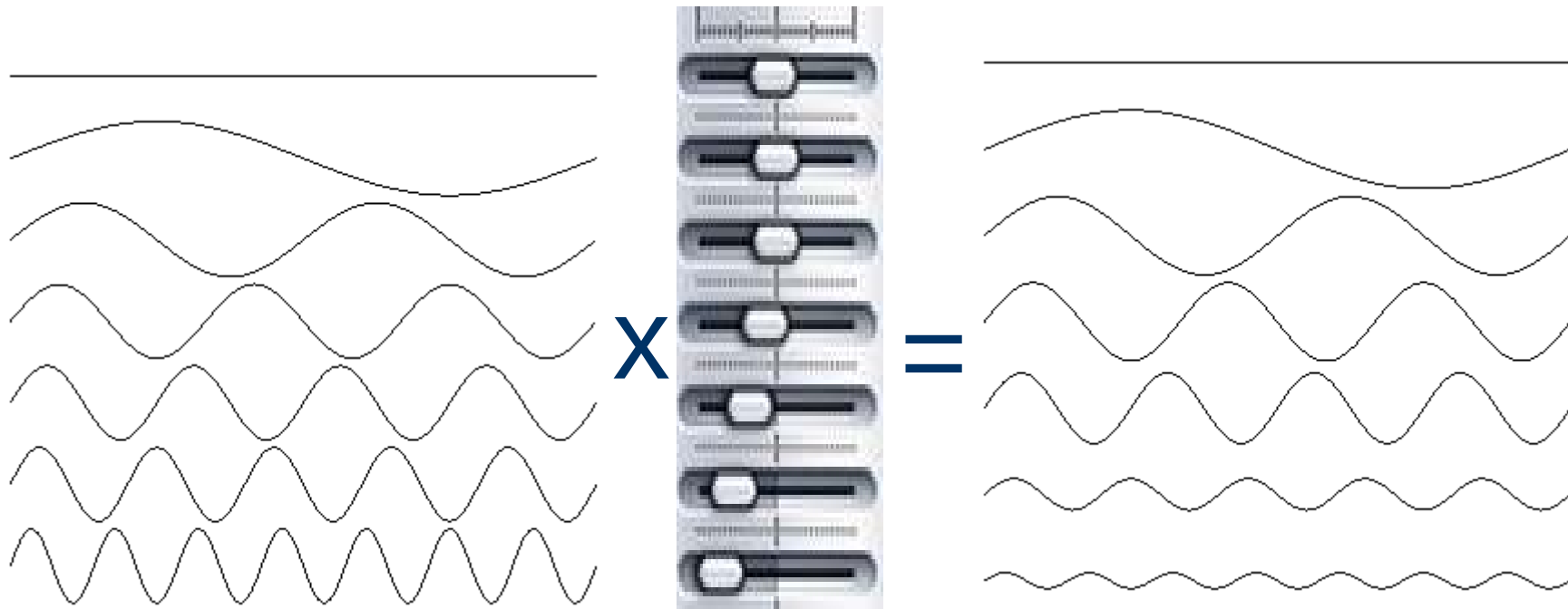
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$\sin(kx)$

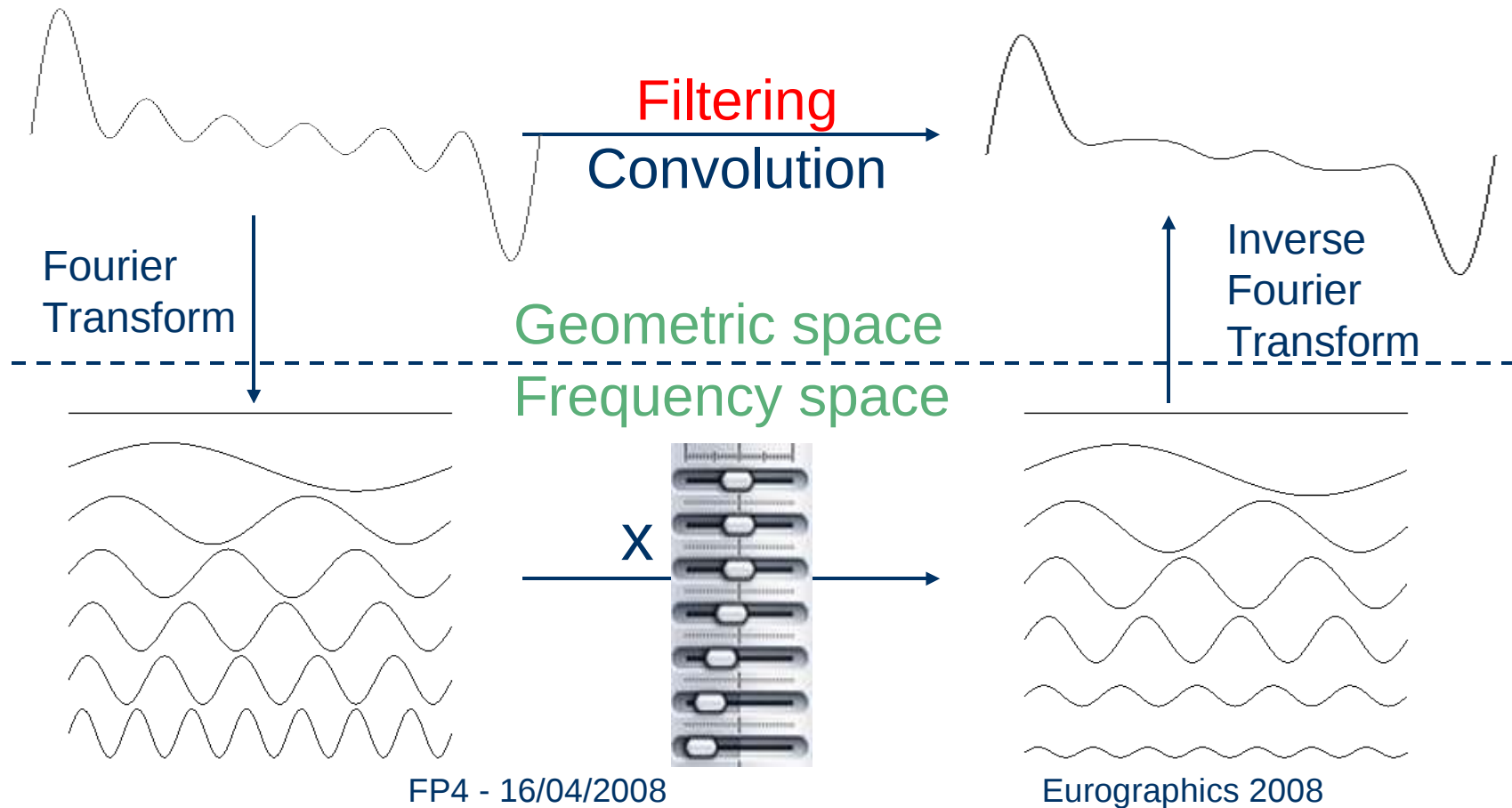
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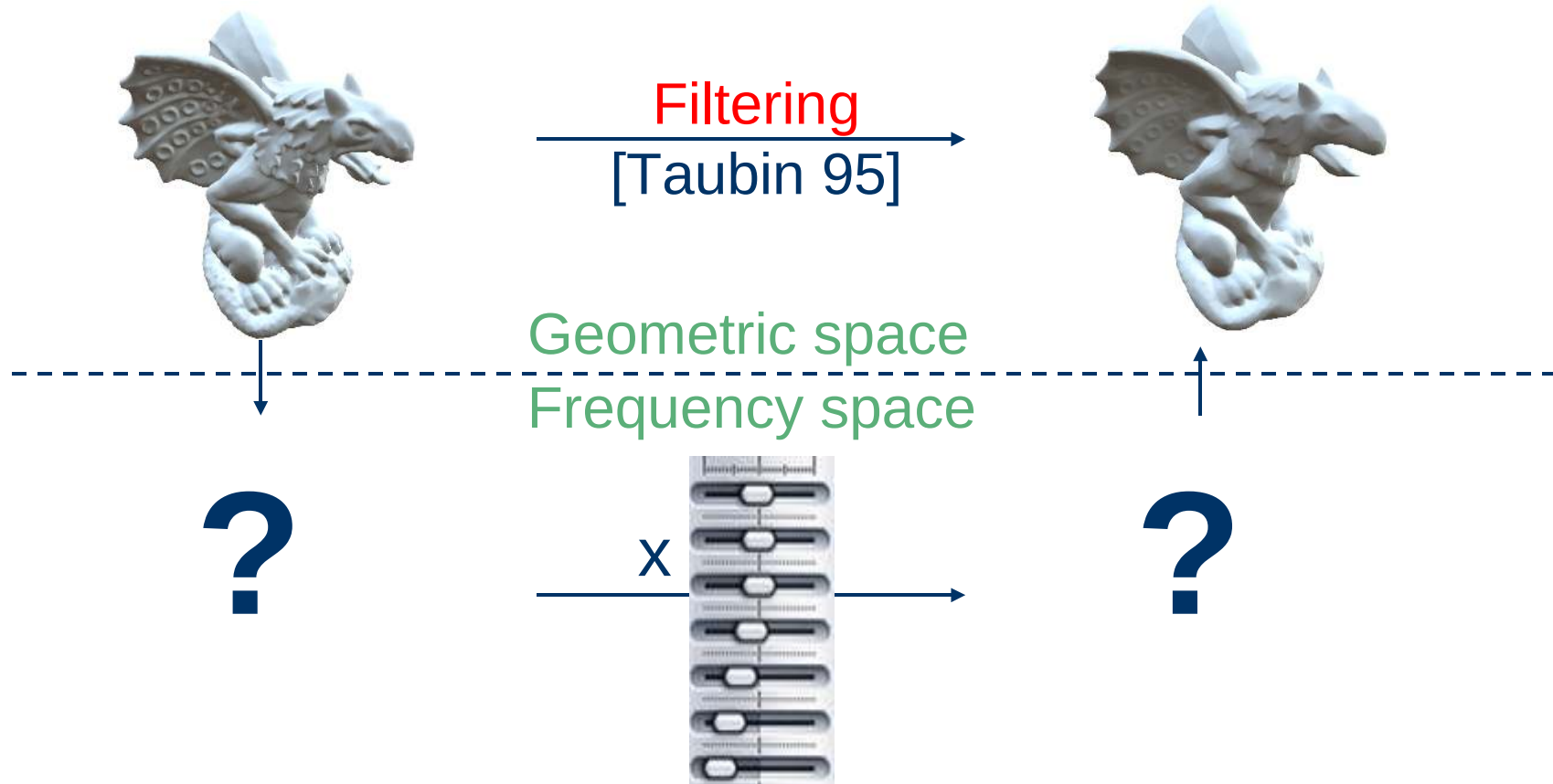
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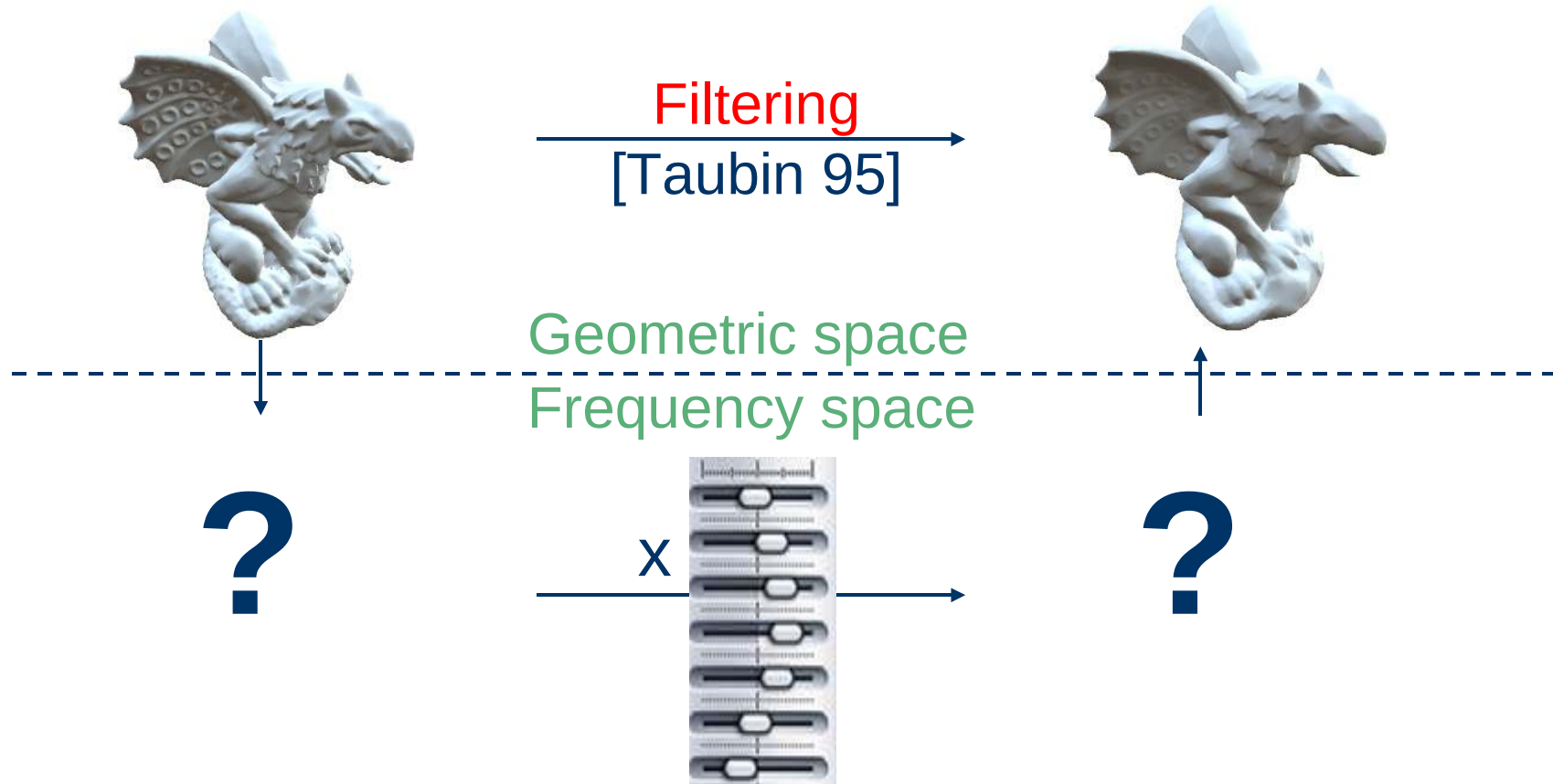
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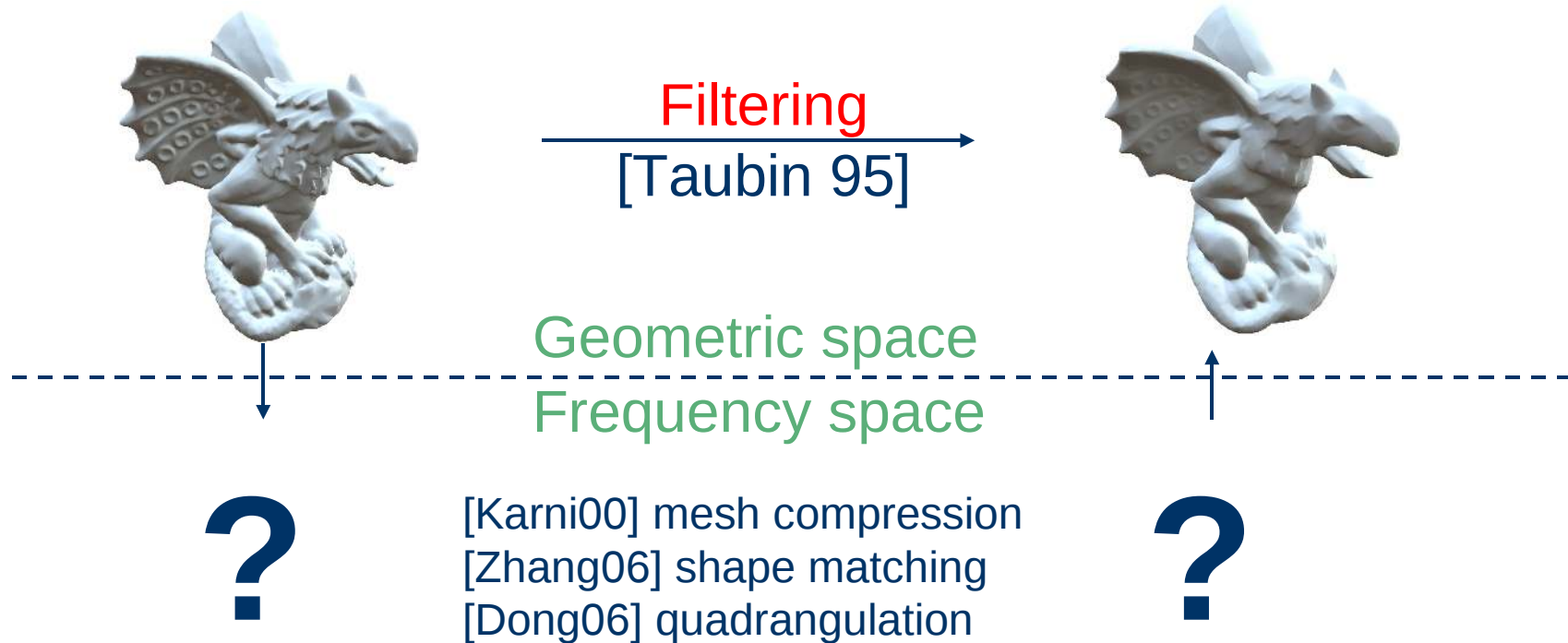
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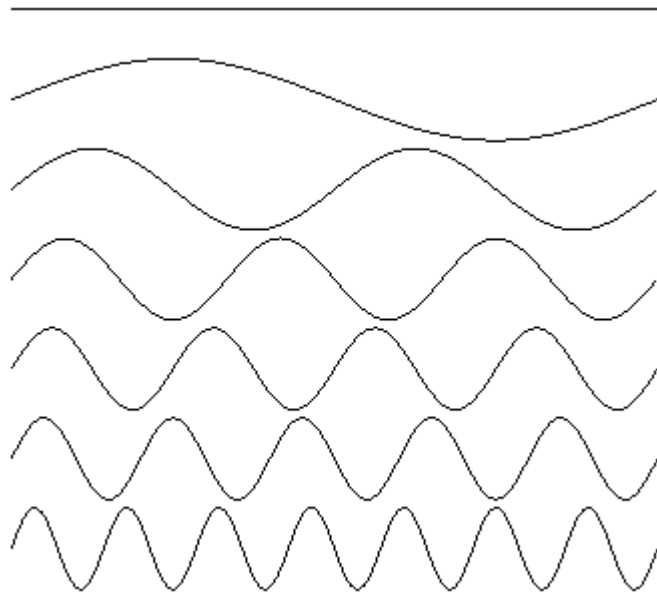
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Question



$\sin(kx)$

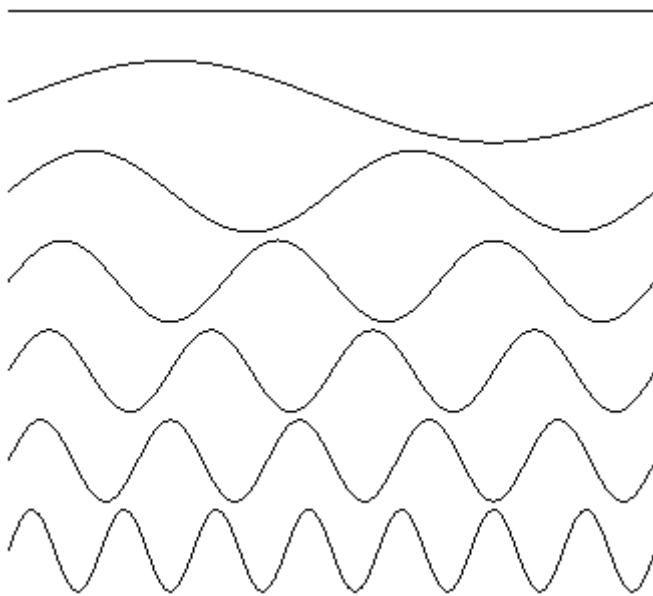
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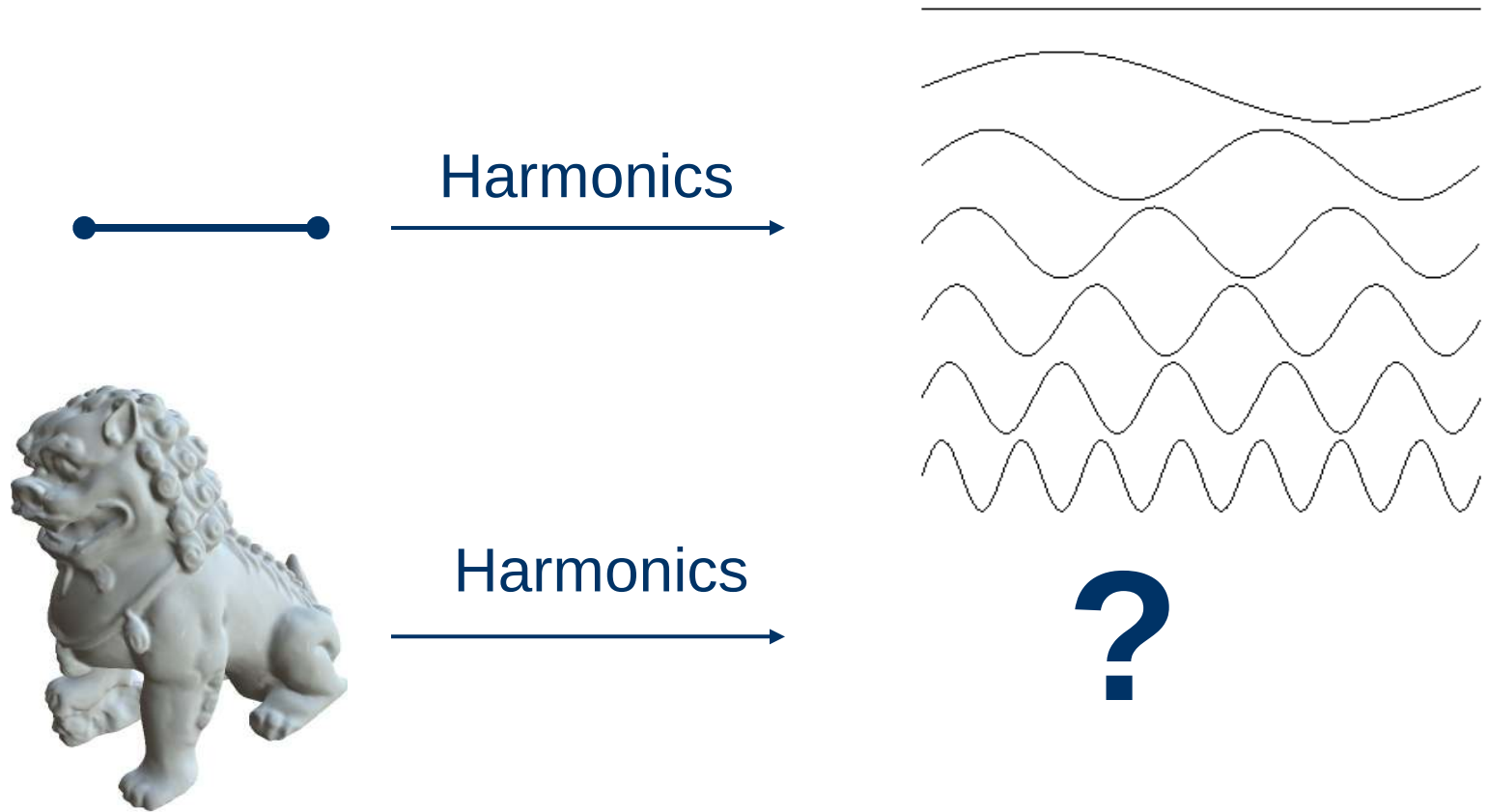
Harmonics and vibrations



$\sin(kx)$ are the stationary vibrating modes = **harmonics** of a string

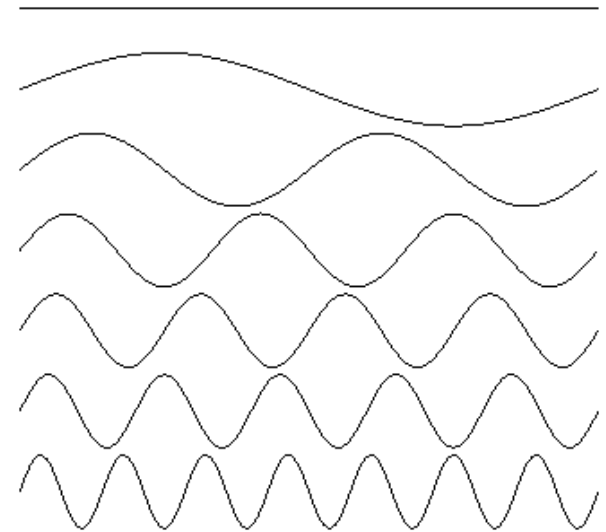
I Harmonics

Manifold Harmonics



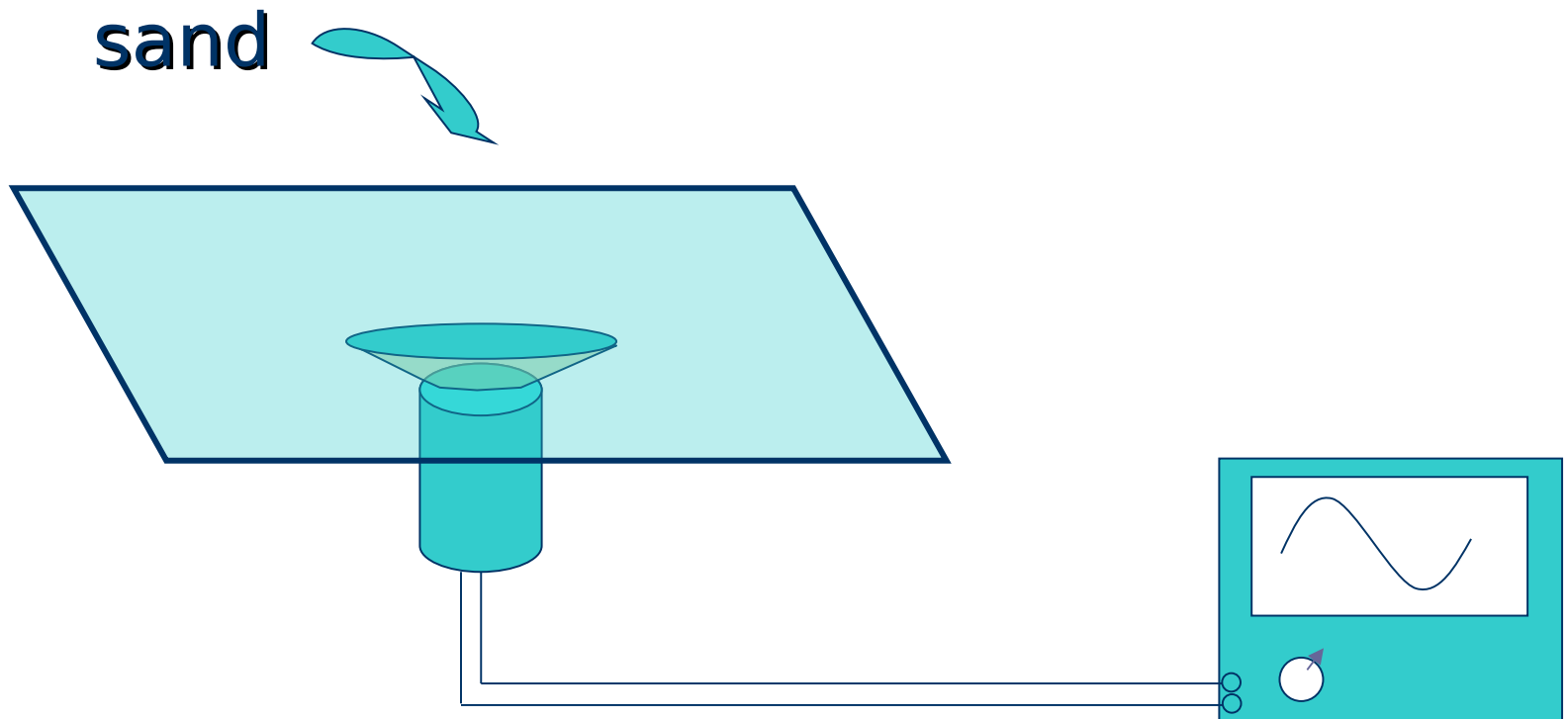
I Harmonics

Square Harmonics



I Harmonics

Chladni plates



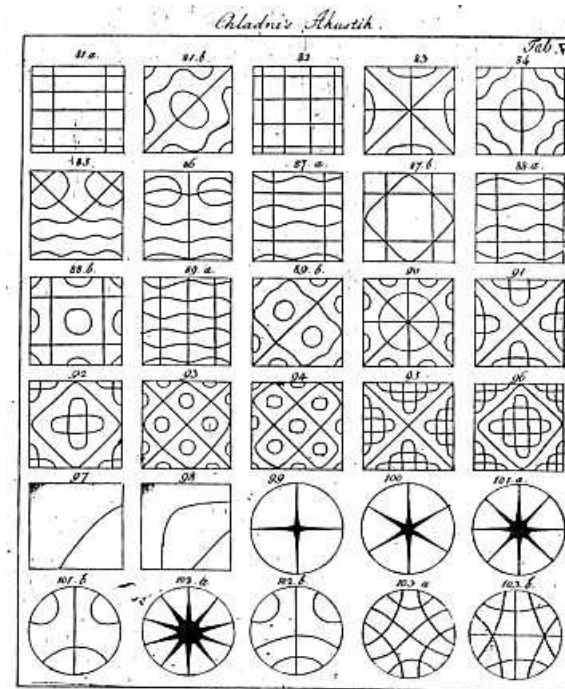
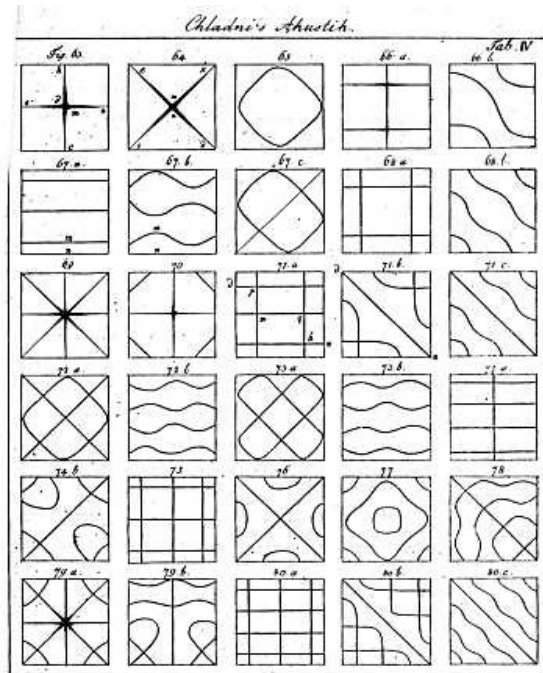
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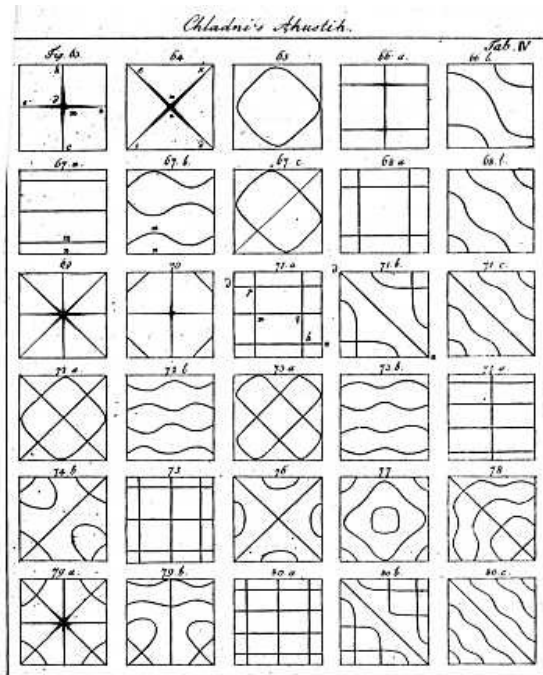
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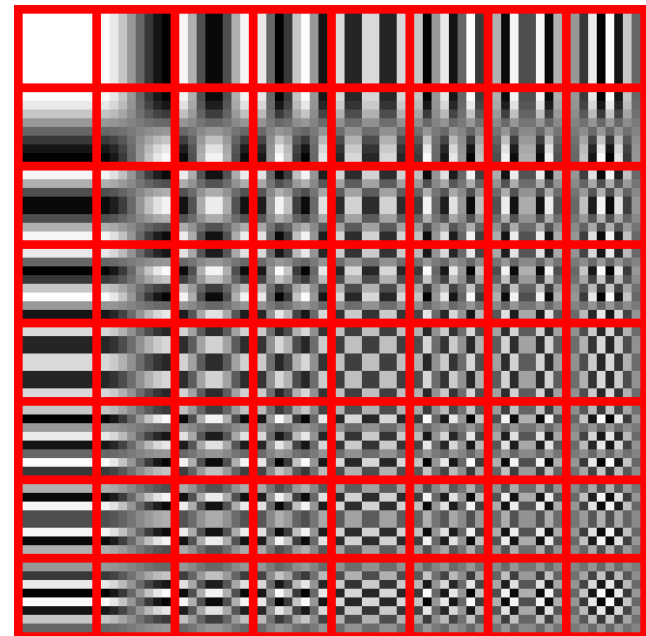
Discoveries concerning the theory of music, Chladni, 1787

I Harmonics

Chladni plates and jpeg



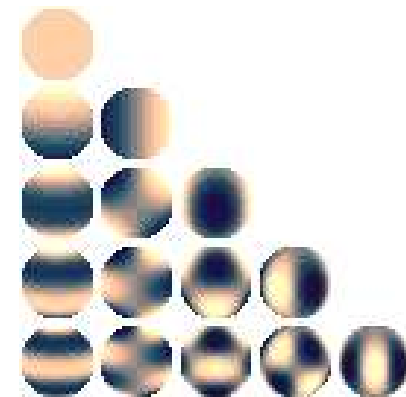
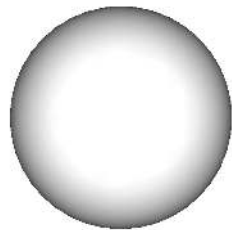
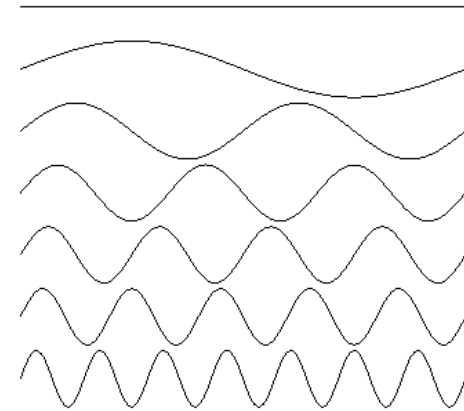
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Discrete cosine transform (jpeg)

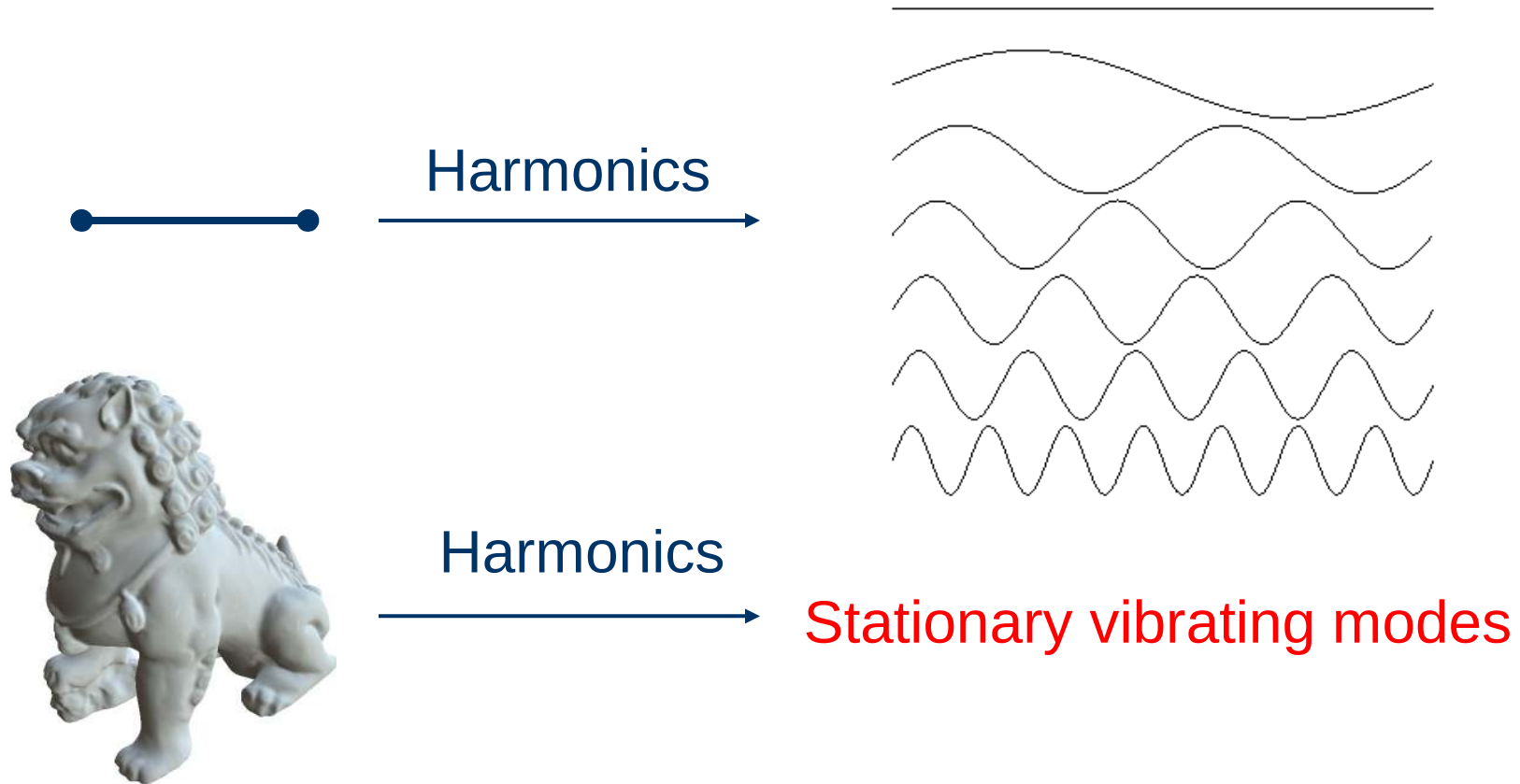
I Harmonics

Spherical Harmonics



I Harmonics

Manifold Harmonics



I Harmonics

Harmonics and vibrations

- **Wave equation:**

$$T \frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial x^2} = \mu \frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial t^2}$$

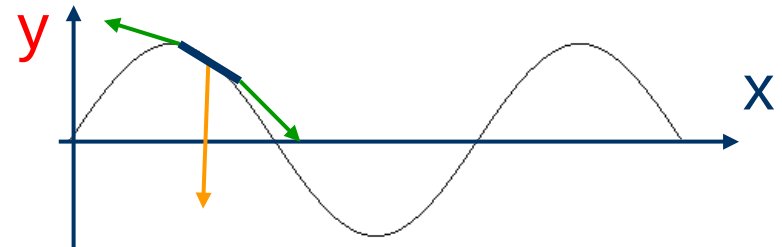
T: stiffness μ : mass

- **Stationary modes:**

$$y(x,t) = y(x)\sin(\omega t)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial x^2} = -\mu\omega^2/T y$$

eigenfunctions of $\frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2}$



I Harmonics

I Harmonics : recap

- Harmonics are **eigenfunctions** of $\partial^2/\partial x^2$
- On a mesh, $\partial^2/\partial x^2$ is the Laplacian Δ
- We need the **eigenfunctions** of Δ
- Let's use **DEC**

II DEC formulation

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II DEC formulation

Discrete Exterior Calculus (DEC)

Discretize equations on a mesh

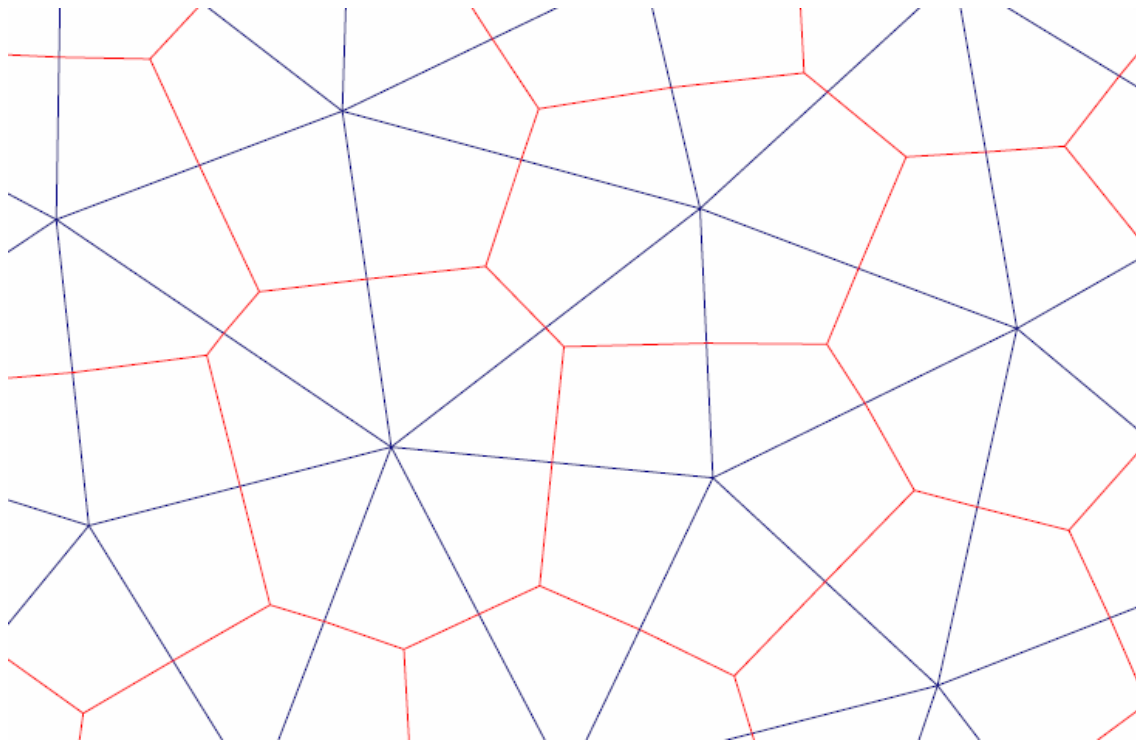
- Simple
- Rigorous

[Mercat], [Hirani], [Arnold], [Desbrun]

Based on k-forms

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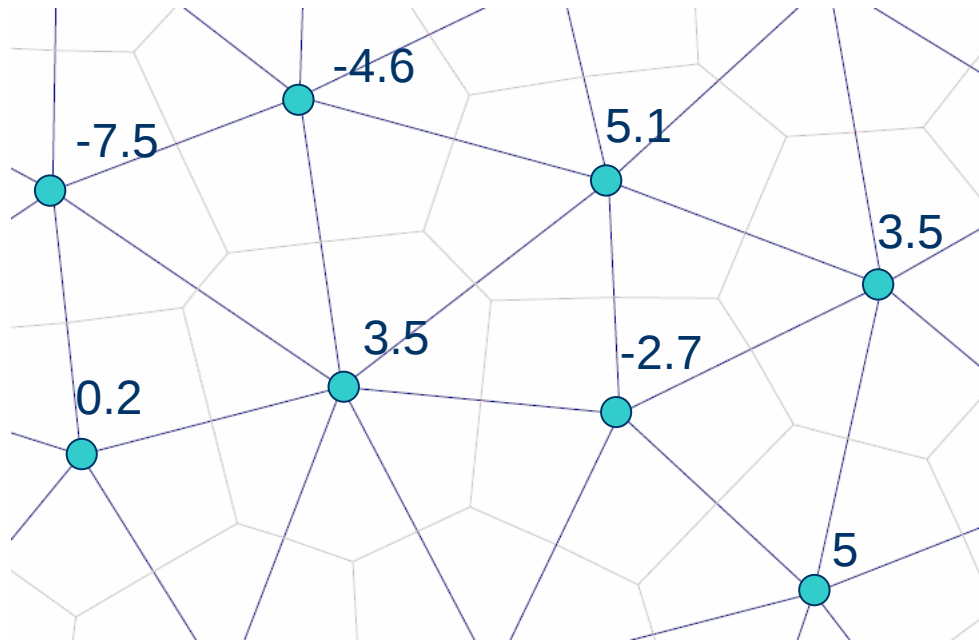
k-forms



mesh
dual mesh

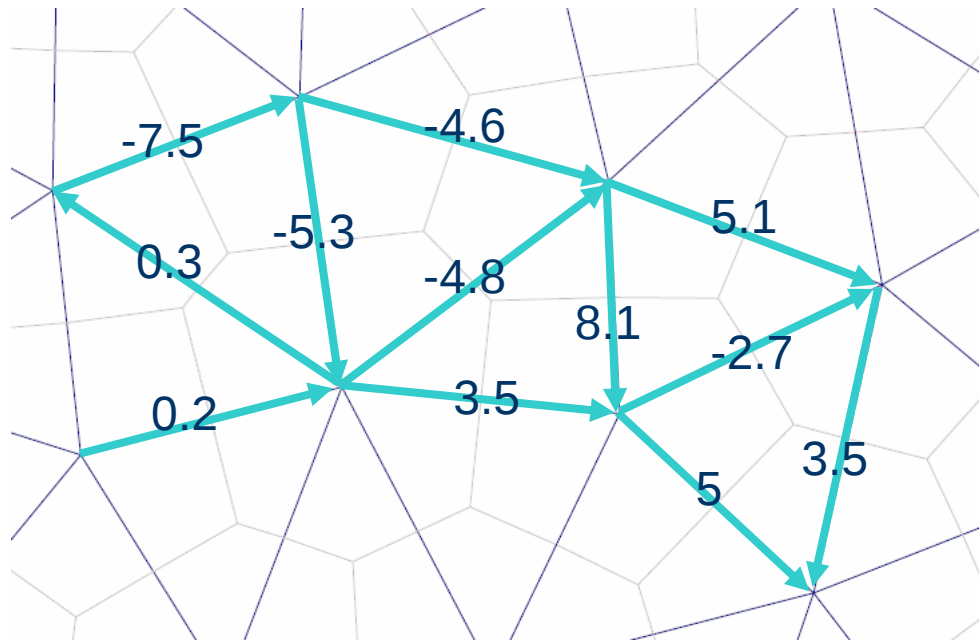
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0-forms



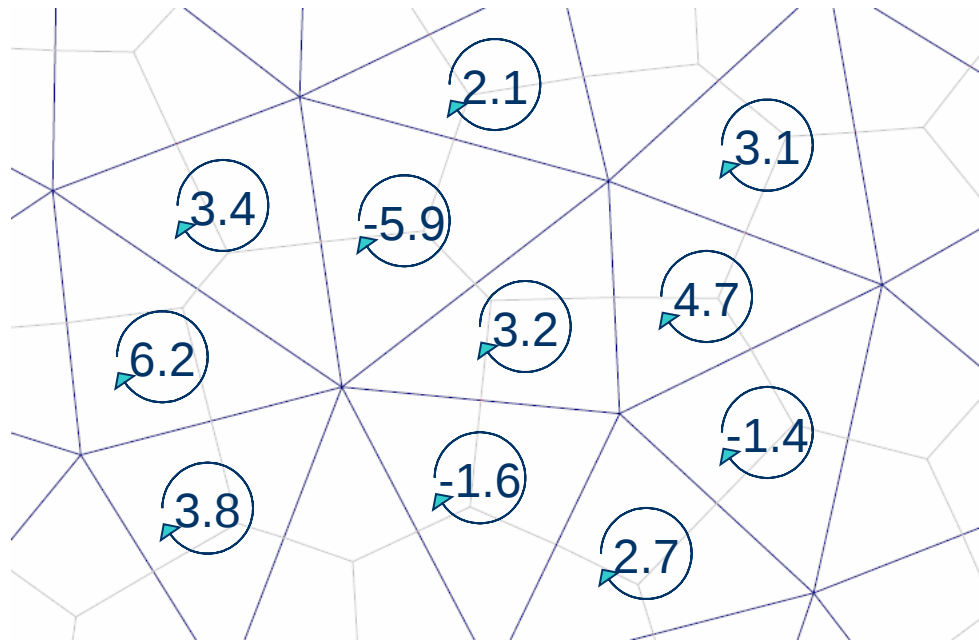
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1-forms



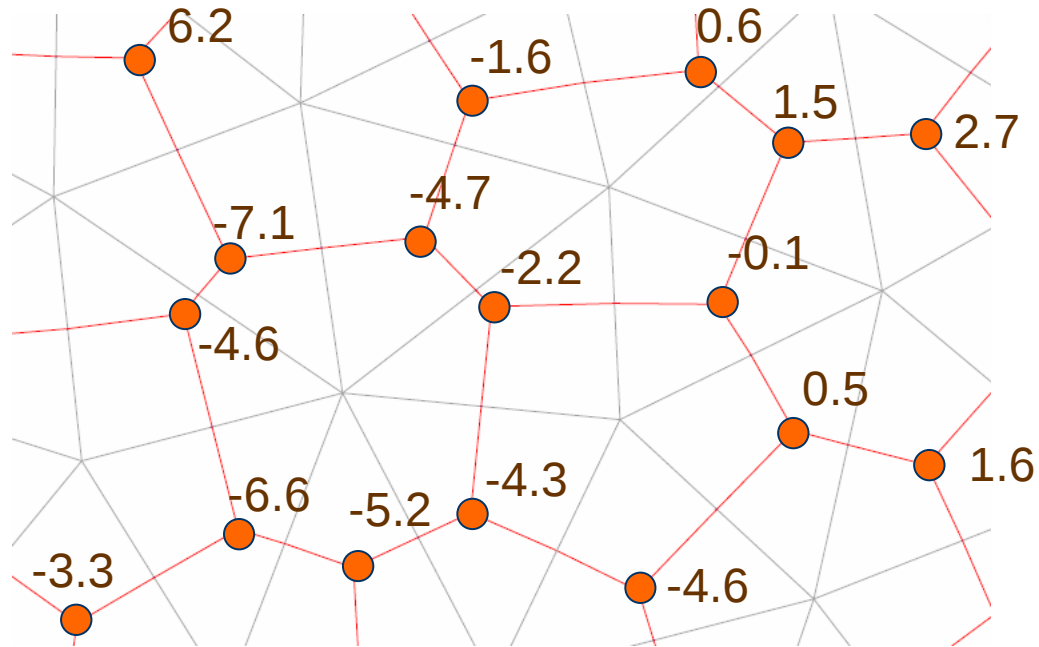
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2-forms



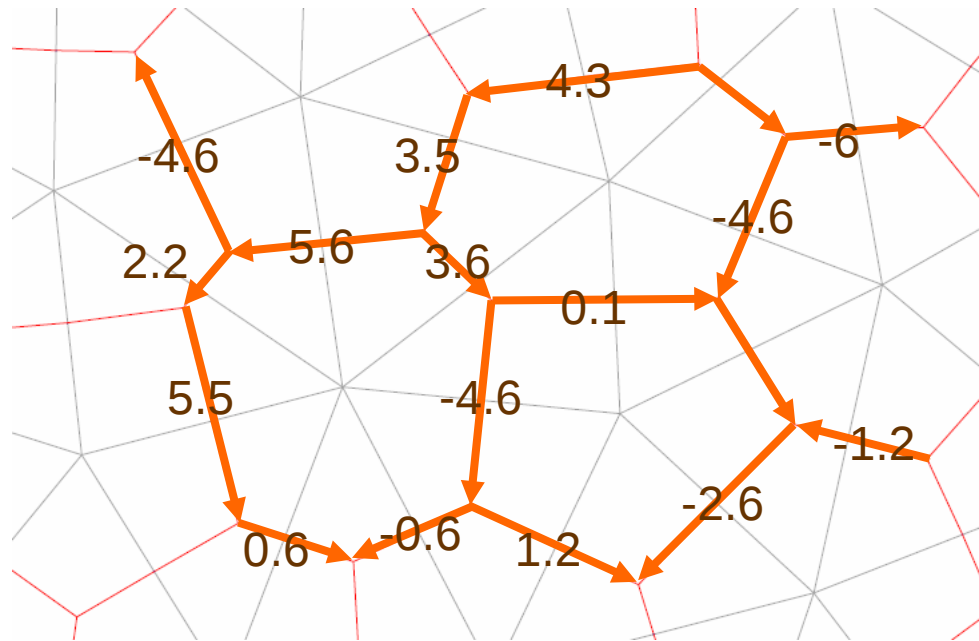
II DEC formulation

dual 0-forms



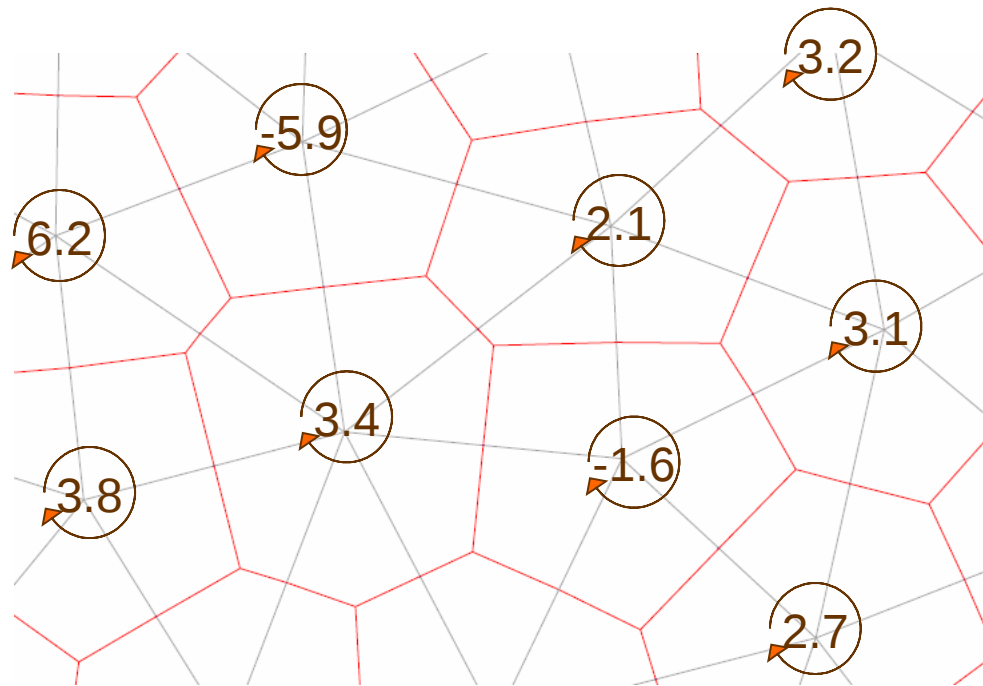
II DEC formulation

dual 1-forms



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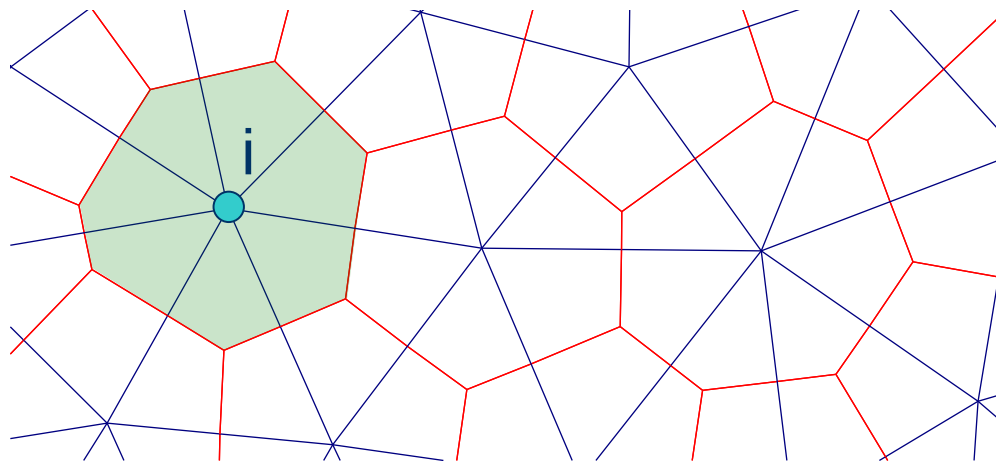
dual 2-forms



II DEC formulation

Hodge star \star_0

from	to	term
0-forms	dual 2-forms	$ *i $

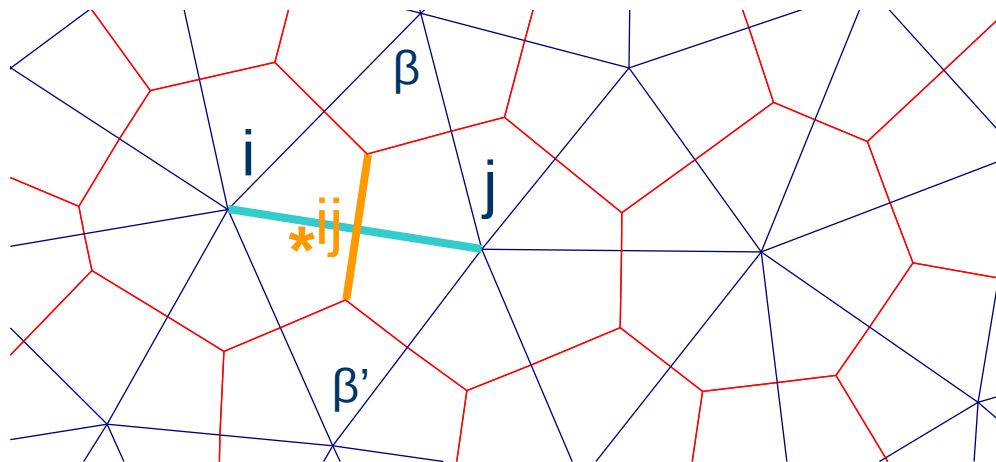


mesh
dual mesh

II DEC formulation

Hodge star \star_1

from	to	term
1-forms	dual 1-forms	$ \star ij / ij = \cot(\beta) + \cot(\beta')$



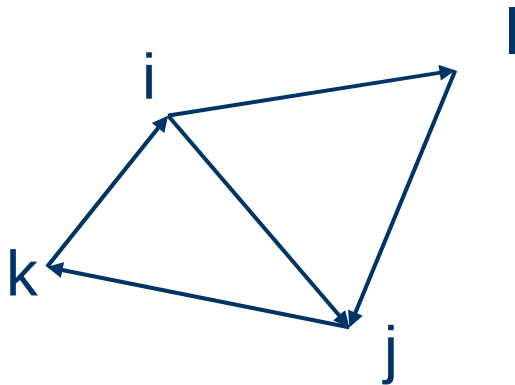
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Exterior derivative d

from	to	term
0-forms	1-forms	$df(ij) = f_i - f_j$

Oriented connectivity
of the mesh:



d	i	j	k	l	f
ij	-1	+1	0	0	f_i
jk	0	-1	+1	0	f_j
ki	+1	0	-1	0	f_k
il	-1	0	0	+1	f_l
lj	0	+1	0	-1	

II DEC formulation

DEC Laplacian

In DEC the Laplacian is $*_0^{-1} d^T *_1 d$

0-form (function) **f**

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DEC Laplacian

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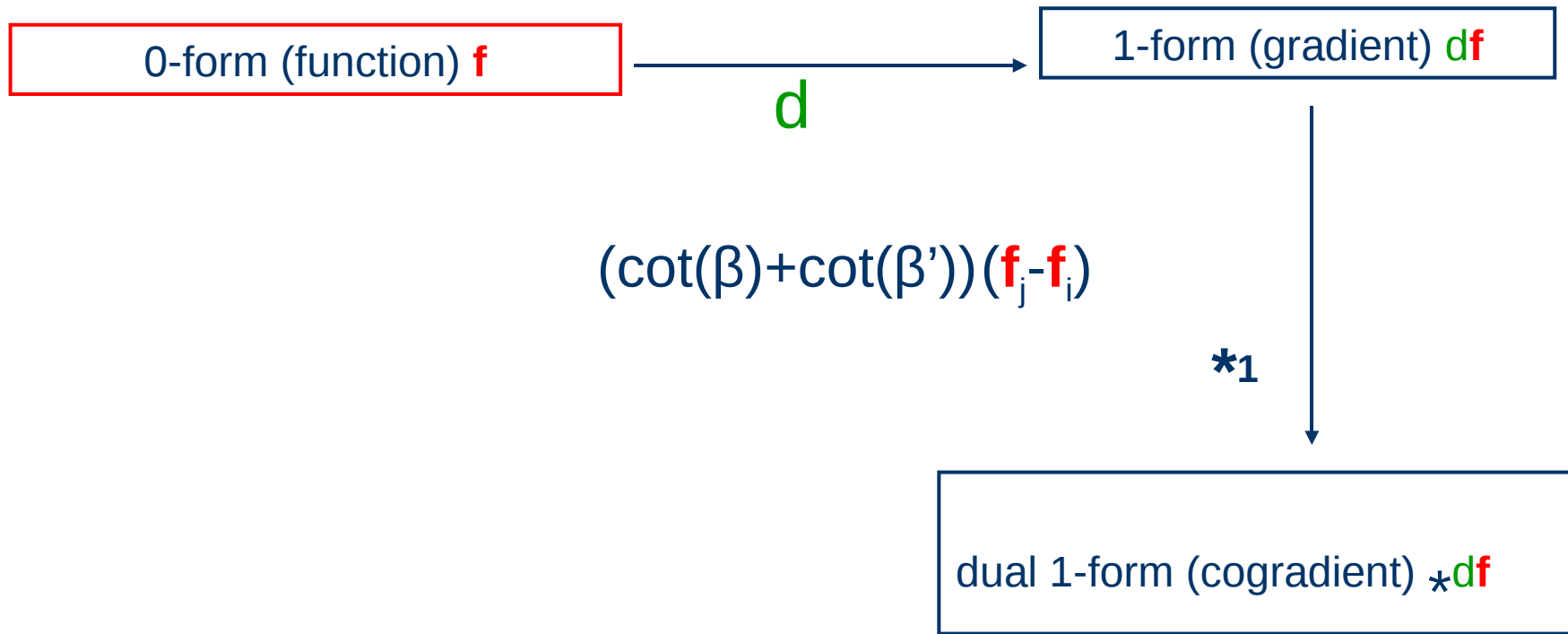


$$(f_j - f_i)$$

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DEC Laplacian

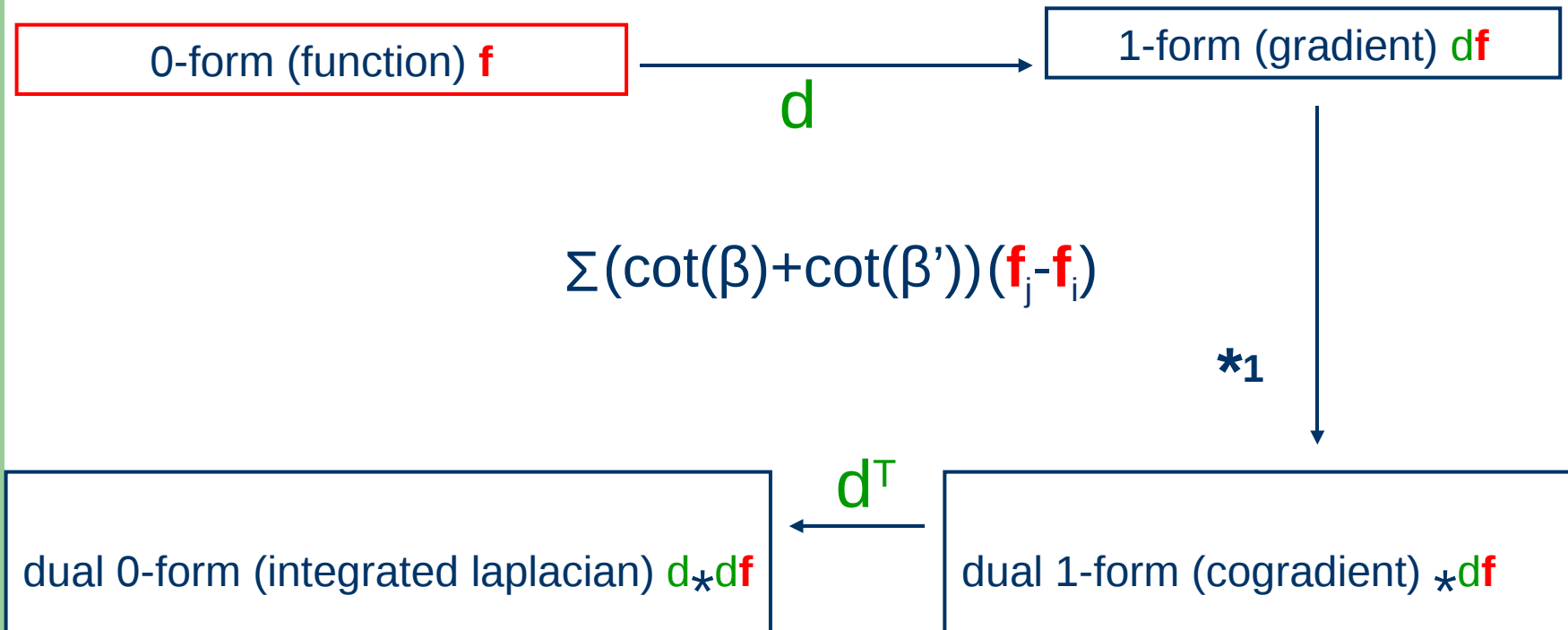
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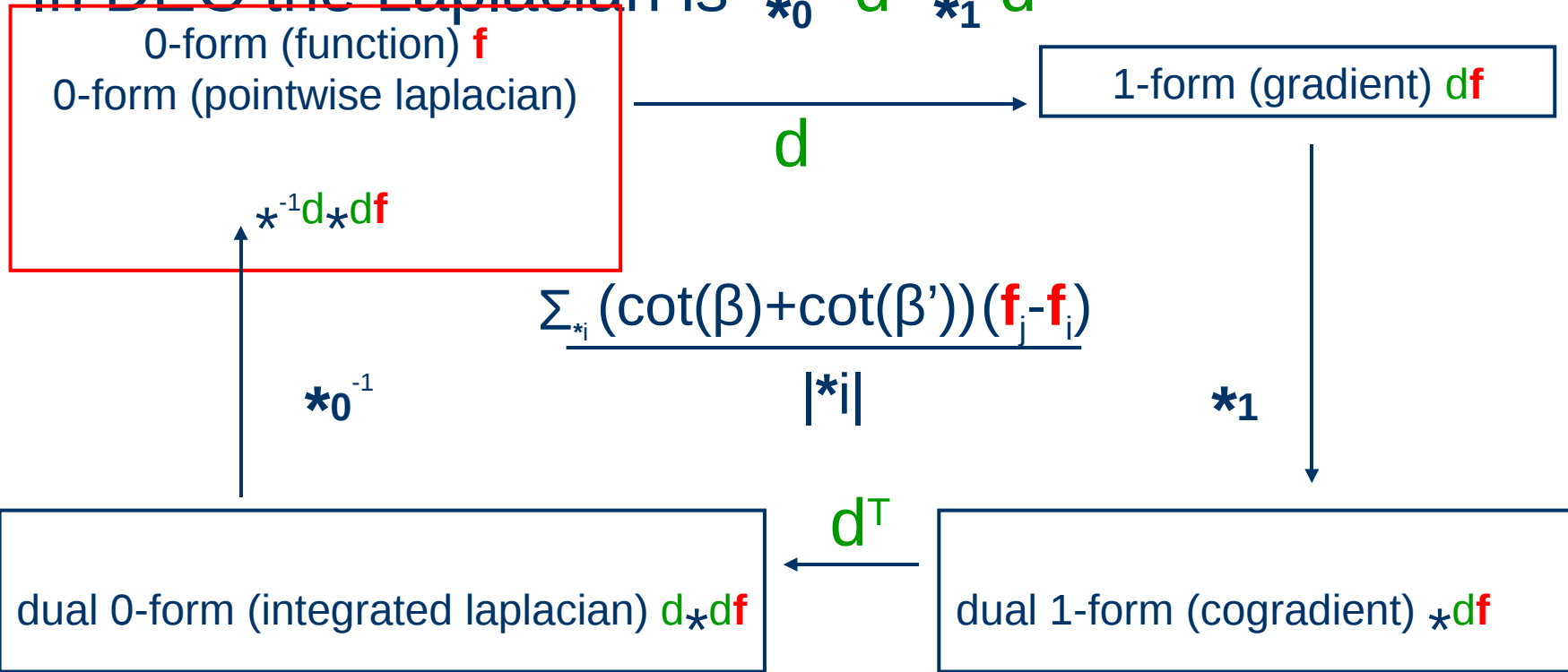


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Manifold Harmonics Basis (MHB)

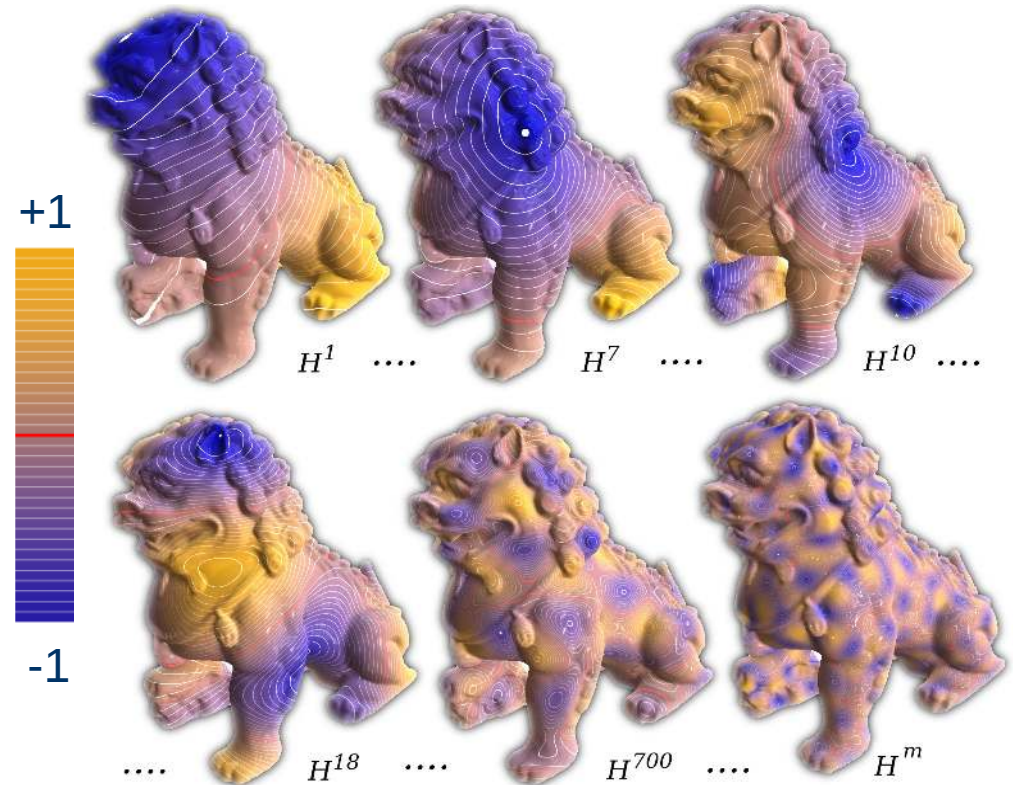
Eigenfunctions of
operator Δ



DEC

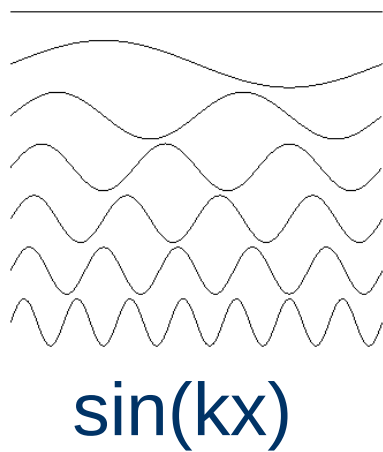
Eigenvectors of

matrix $*_0^{-1}d^T*_1d$



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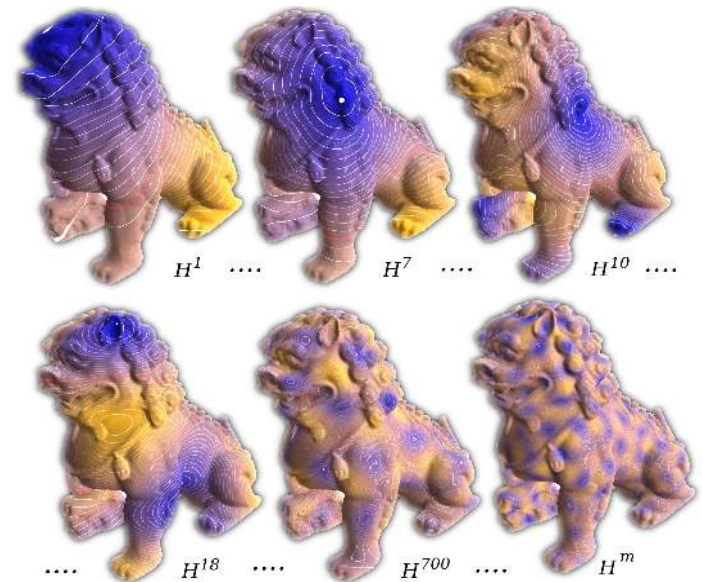
II DEC formulation : recap



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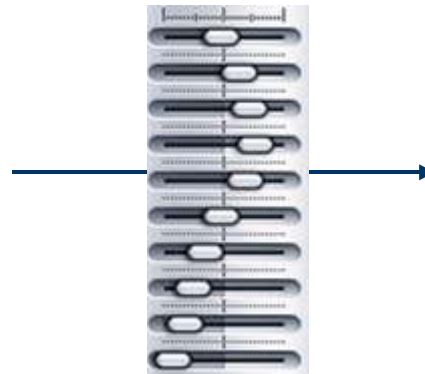
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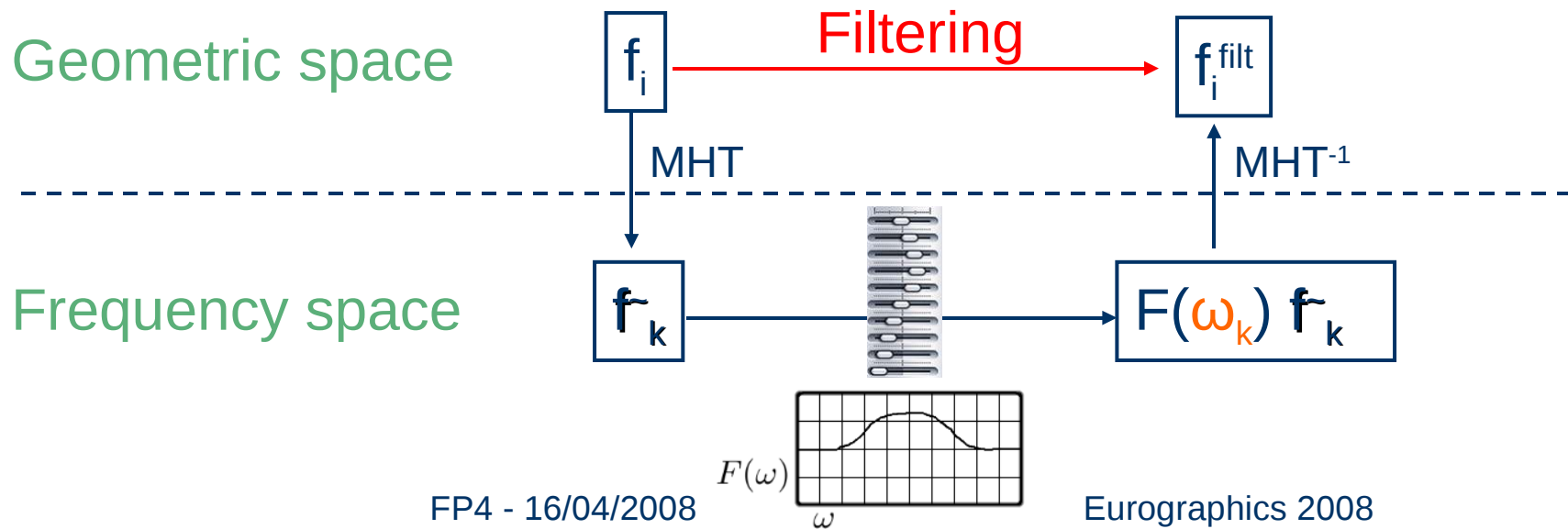
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Spectral Filtering

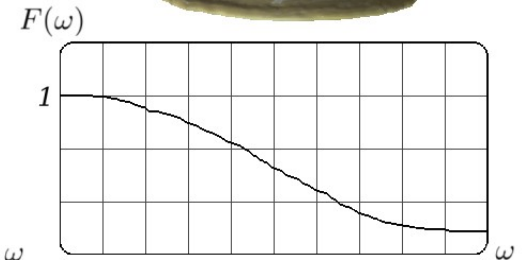
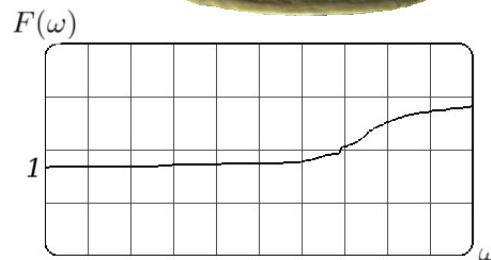
- The Manifold Harmonics H^k come with an eigenvalue λ_k
- The $\lambda_k = \omega_k^2$ is a squared spatial frequency
- A filter is a transfer function $F(\omega)$



III Filtering

Color Filtering

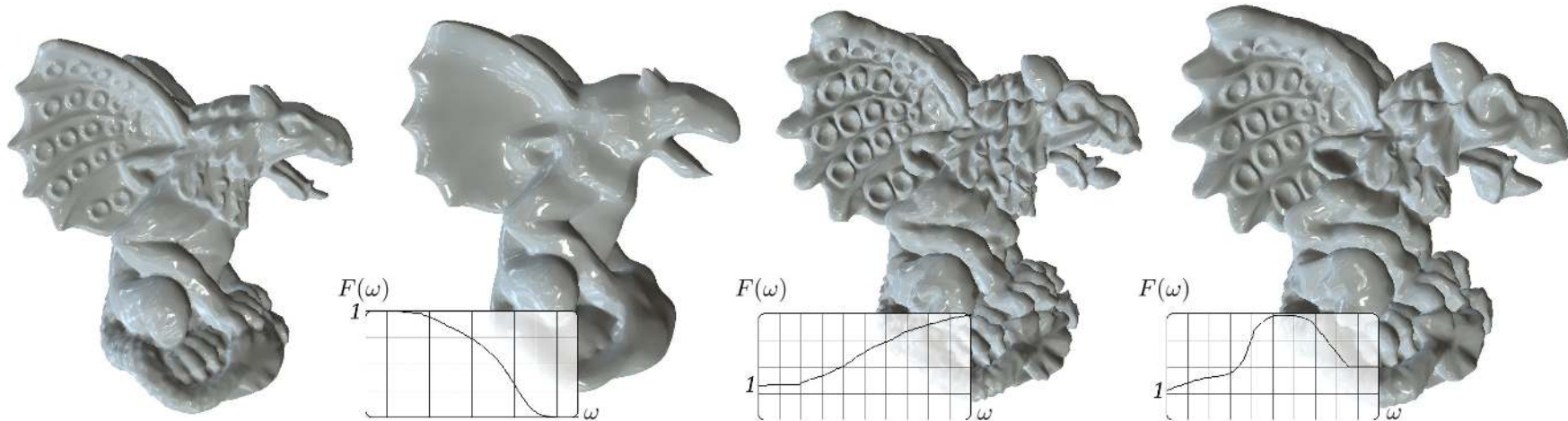
Take $\mathbf{f} = (r, g, b)$



III Filtering

Geometry Filtering

Take $\mathbf{f} = (x, y, z)$



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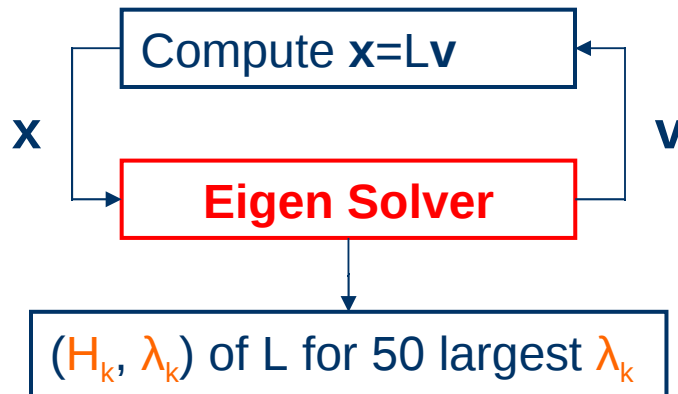
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Eigenvalues

- Compute the eigenpairs (H_k, λ_k) of $L = *_0^{-1}d^T *_1 d$
- Solver returns eigenvectors of **highest** eigenvalue



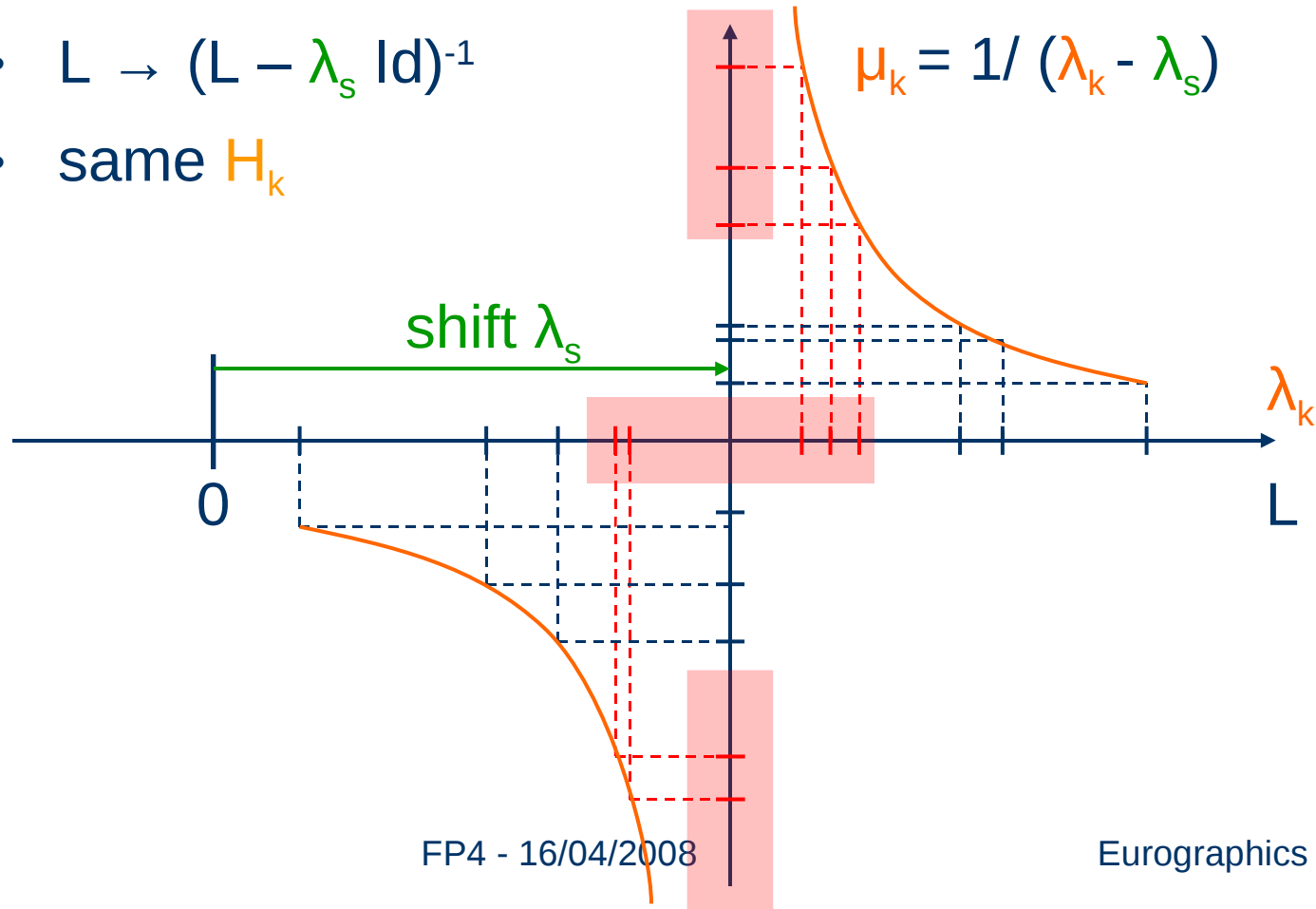
Problem:

- We want smallest λ_k
- We want more than 50

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Shift Invert

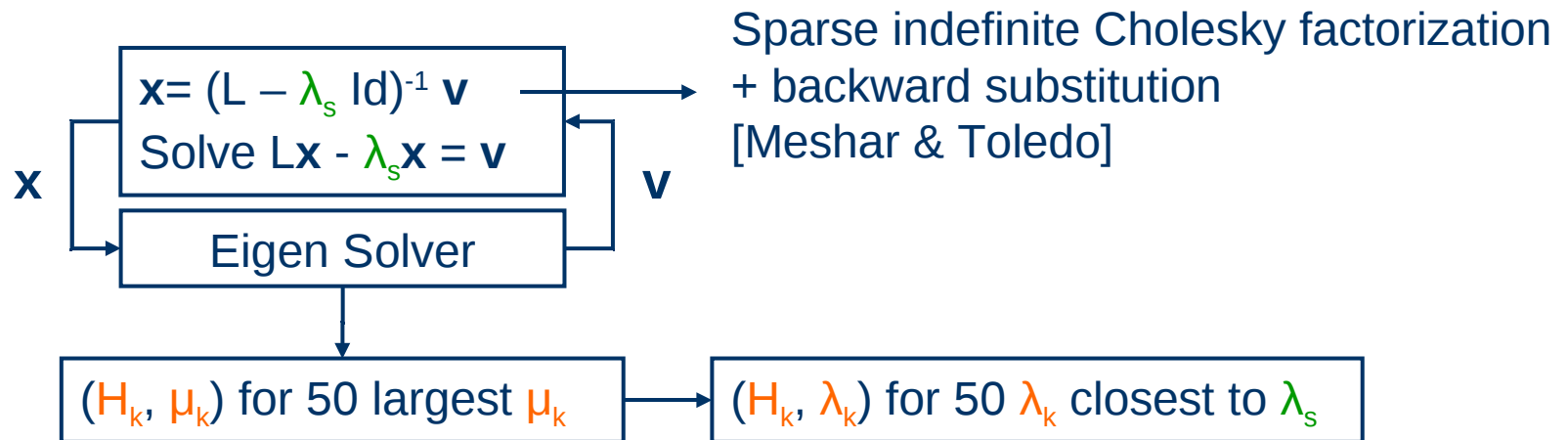
- $L \rightarrow (L - \lambda_s \text{Id})^{-1}$
- same H_k



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Eigen solver

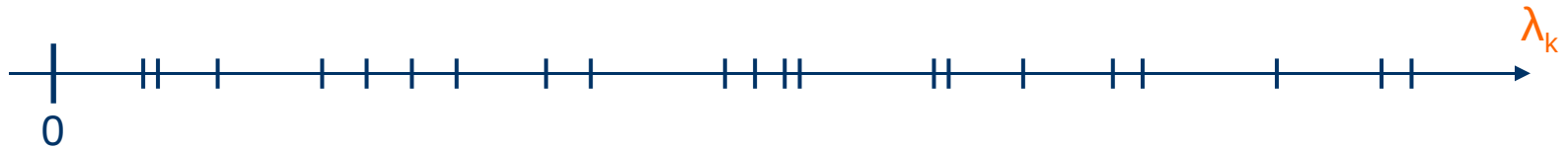
Compute a **band** of eigenpairs (H^k, λ^k) around λ_s



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Band by band algorithm

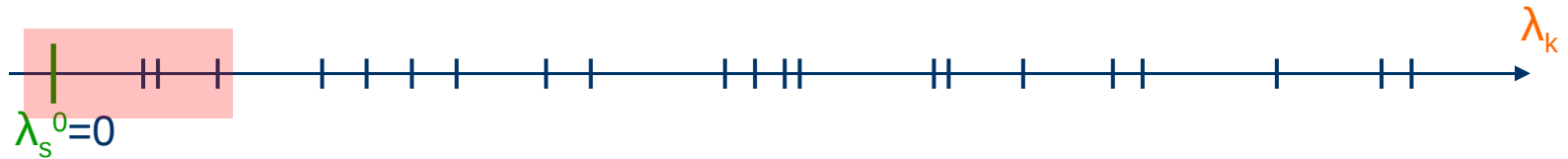
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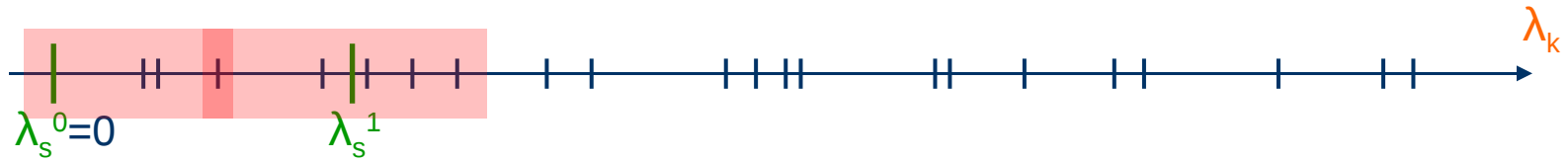
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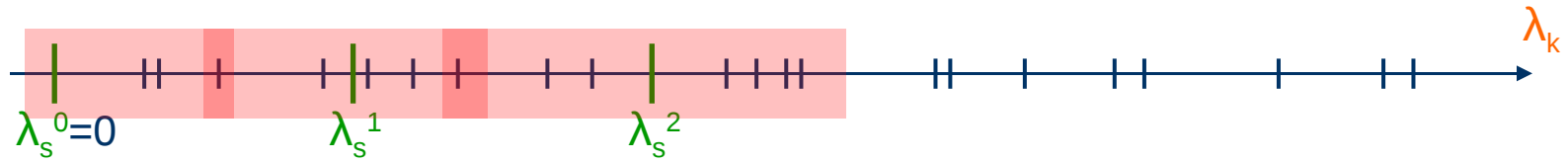
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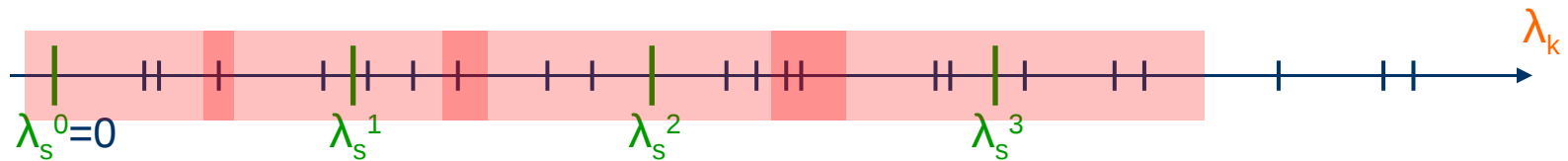
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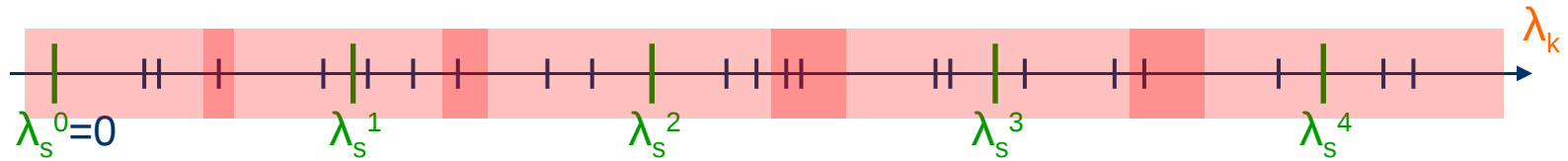
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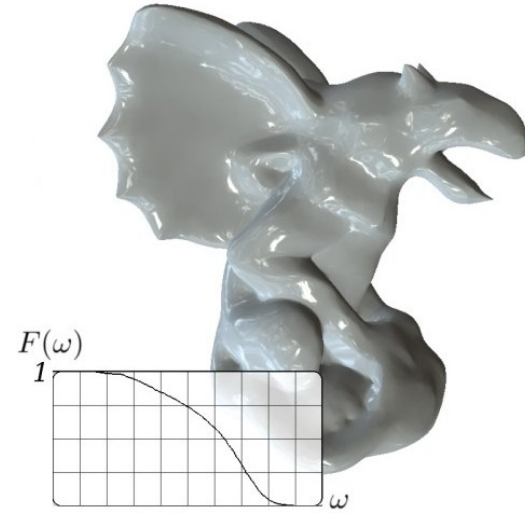
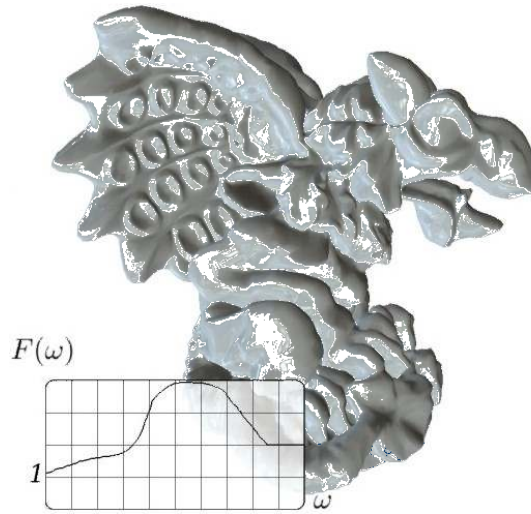
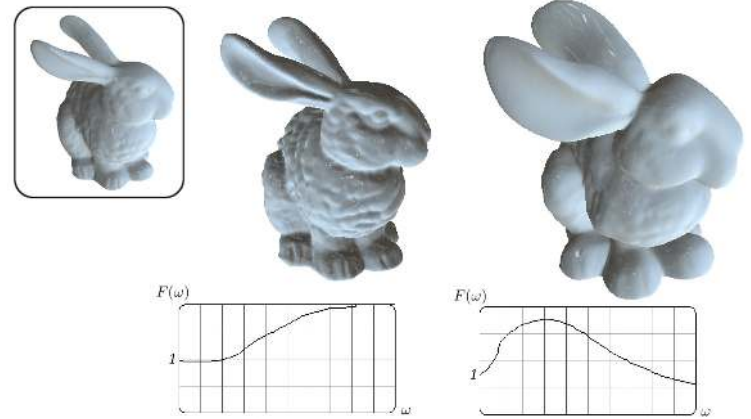
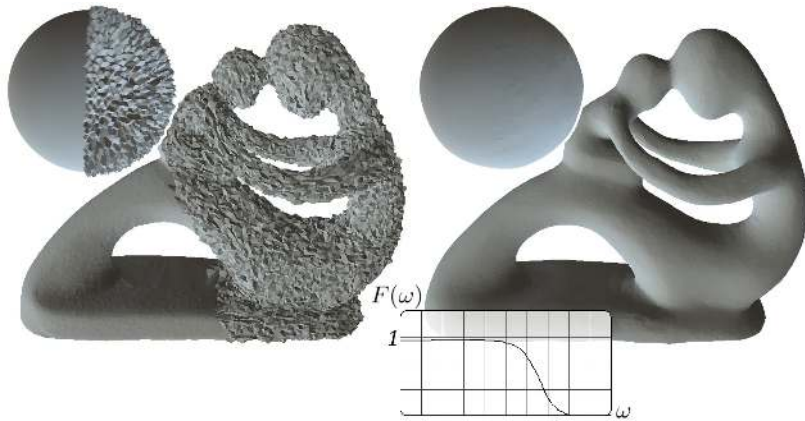
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Conclusion

We make explicit Fourier Analysis and Filtering tractable

Time to compute MHB \sim Time to compute a filter
(5 minutes for 300k vertices)

Time to update filter \sim real time

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Questions ?

