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This paper deals with classical and semiclassical nonvanishing magnetic fields on a Riemannian manifold of arbitrary dimension. We assume that the magnetic field $B = dA$ has constant rank and admits a discrete well. On the classical part, we exhibit a harmonic oscillator for the Hamiltonian $H = |p - A(q)|^2$ near the zero-energy surface: the cyclotron motion. On the semiclassical part, we describe the semiexcited spectrum of the magnetic Laplacian $\mathcal{L}_h = (i\hbar d + A)^*(i\hbar d + A)$. We construct a semiclassical Birkhoff normal form for \mathcal{L}_h and deduce new asymptotic expansions of the smallest eigenvalues in powers of $\hbar^{1/2}$ in the limit $\hbar \rightarrow 0$. In particular we see the influence of the kernel of B on the spectrum: it raises the energies at order $\hbar^{3/2}$.

1. Introduction

1A. Context. We consider the semiclassical magnetic Laplacian with Dirichlet boundary conditions

$$\mathcal{L}_h = (i\hbar d + A)^*(i\hbar d + A)$$

on a d -dimensional oriented Riemannian manifold (M, g) , which is either compact with boundary, or the Euclidean \mathbb{R}^d . A denotes a smooth 1-form on M , the magnetic potential. The magnetic field is the 2-form $B = dA$.

The spectral theory of the magnetic Laplacian has given rise to many investigations, and appeared to have very various behaviors according to the variations of B and the geometry of M . We refer to the books and review [Helffer and Kordyukov 2014; Fournais and Helffer 2010; Raymond 2017] for a description of these works. Here we focus on the Dirichlet realization of \mathcal{L}_h , and we give a description of semiexcited states, eigenvalues of order $\mathcal{O}(\hbar)$ in the semiclassical limit $\hbar \rightarrow 0$. As explained in the above references, the *magnetic intensity* has a great influence on these eigenvalues, and one can define it in the following way.

Using the isomorphism $T_q M \simeq T_q M^*$ given by the metric, one can define the following skew-symmetric operator $\mathbf{B}(q) : T_q M \rightarrow T_q M$ by

$$B_q(X, Y) = g_q(X, \mathbf{B}(q)Y) \quad \text{for all } X, Y \in T_q M, \text{ for all } q \in M. \quad (1-1)$$

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Since the operator $\mathbf{B}(q)$ is skew-symmetric with respect to the scalar product g_q , its eigenvalues are purely imaginary and symmetric with respect to the real axis. We denote these repeated eigenvalues by

$$\pm i\beta_1(q), \dots, \pm i\beta_s(q), 0,$$

with $\beta_j(q) > 0$. In particular, the rank of $\mathbf{B}(q)$ is $2s$ and may depend on q . However, we will focus on the constant-rank case. We denote by k the dimension of the kernel of $\mathbf{B}(q)$, so that $d = 2s + k$. The magnetic intensity (or “trace+”) is the scalar-valued function

$$b(q) = \sum_{j=1}^s \beta_j(q).$$

The function b is continuous on M , but nonsmooth in general. We are interested in discrete magnetic wells and nonvanishing magnetic fields.

Assumption 1. We assume that:

- The magnetic intensity is nonvanishing and admits a unique global minimum $b_0 > 0$ at $q_0 \in M \setminus \partial M$.
- The rank of $\mathbf{B}(q)$ is constant equal to $2s > 0$ on a neighborhood Ω of q_0 .
- $\beta_i(q_0) \neq \beta_j(q_0)$ for every $1 \leq i < j \leq s$, and the minimum of b is nondegenerate.
- In the noncompact case $M = \mathbb{R}^d$,

$$b_\infty := \liminf_{|q| \rightarrow +\infty} b(q) > b_0$$

and there exists a $C > 0$ such that

$$|\partial_\ell \mathbf{B}_{ij}(q)| \leq C(1 + |\mathbf{B}(q)|) \quad \text{for all } \ell, i, j, \text{ for all } q \in \mathbb{R}^d.$$

Remark 1.1. Since the nonzero eigenvalues of \mathbf{B} are simple at q_0 , the function b is smooth on a neighborhood of q_0 . In particular, it is meaningful to say that the minimum of b is nondegenerate.

Under Assumption 1, the following useful inequality was proven in [Helffer and Mohamed 1996]. There is a $C_0 > 0$ such that, for \hbar small enough,

$$(1 + \hbar^{1/4} C_0) \langle \mathcal{L}_\hbar u, u \rangle \geq \int_M \hbar(b(q) - \hbar^{1/4} C_0) |u(q)|^2 dq \quad \text{for all } u \in \text{Dom}(\mathcal{L}_\hbar). \quad (1-2)$$

Remark 1.2. Actually, one has the better inequality obtained replacing $\hbar^{1/4}$ by \hbar . This was proved in [Guillemin and Uribe 1988] in the case of a nondegenerate B , in [Borthwick and Uribe 1996] in the constant rank case, and in [Ma and Marinescu 2002] in a more general setting.

Remark 1.3. Using this inequality, one can prove Agmon-like estimates for the eigenfunctions of \mathcal{L}_\hbar . Namely, the eigenfunctions associated to an eigenvalue $< b_1 \hbar$ are exponentially small outside $K_{b_1} = \{q : b(q) \leq b_1\}$. We will use this result to localize our analysis to the neighborhood Ω of q_0 . In particular, the greater b_1 is, the larger Ω must be.

Under Assumption 1, estimates on the ground states of \mathcal{L}_\hbar in the semiclassical limit $\hbar \rightarrow 0$ were proven in several works, especially in dimensions $d = 2, 3$.

On $M = \mathbb{R}^2$, asymptotics for the j -th eigenvalue of \mathcal{L}_{\hbar}

$$\lambda_j(\mathcal{L}_{\hbar}) = b_0\hbar + (\alpha(2j-1) + c_1)\hbar^2 + o(\hbar^2) \quad (1-3)$$

with explicit $\alpha, c_1 \in \mathbb{R}$ were proven in [Helffer and Morame 2001] (for $j = 1$) and [Helffer and Kordyukov 2011] ($j \geq 1$). Actually, this second paper contains a description of some higher eigenvalues. They proved that, for any integers $n, j \in \mathbb{N}$, there exist $\hbar_{jn} > 0$ and for $\hbar \in (0, \hbar_{jn})$ an eigenvalue $\lambda_{n,j}(\hbar) \in \text{sp}(\mathcal{L}_{\hbar})$ such that

$$\lambda_{n,j}(\hbar) = (2n-1)(b_0\hbar + ((2j-1)\alpha + c_n)\hbar^2) + o(\hbar^2)$$

for another explicit constant c_n . In particular, it gives a description of *some* semiexcited states (of order $(2n-1)b_0\hbar$). Finally, [Raymond and Vũ Ngọc 2015] (and [Helffer and Kordyukov 2015]) gives a description of the whole spectrum below $b_1\hbar$, for any fixed $b_1 \in (b_0, b_{\infty})$. More precisely, they proved that this part of the spectrum is given by a family of effective operators $\mathcal{N}_{\hbar}^{[n]}$ ($n \in \mathbb{N}$) modulo $\mathcal{O}(\hbar^{\infty})$. These effective operators are \hbar -pseudodifferential operators with principal symbol given by the function $\hbar(2n-1)b$. More interestingly, they explained why the two quantum oscillators

$$(2n-1)b_0\hbar \quad \text{and} \quad (2j-1)\alpha\hbar^2$$

appearing in the eigenvalue asymptotics correspond to two oscillatory motions in classical dynamics: the cyclotron motion and a rotation around the minimum point of b . The results of Raymond and Vũ Ngọc were generalized to an arbitrary d -dimensional Riemannian manifold in [Morin 2022b], under the assumption $k = 0$ ($\mathbf{B}(q)$ has full rank), proving in particular similar estimates (1-3) in a general setting. Actually, these eigenvalue estimates were proven simultaneously in [Kordyukov 2019] in the context of the Bochner Laplacian.

We are interested on the influence of the kernel of \mathbf{B} ($k > 0$). Since the rank of \mathbf{B} is even, this kernel always exists in odd dimensions: if $d = 3$, the kernel directions correspond to the usual field lines. On $M = \mathbb{R}^3$, Helffer and Kordyukov [2013] proved the existence of $\lambda_{nmj}(\hbar) \in \text{sp}(\mathcal{L}_{\hbar})$ such that

$$\lambda_{nmj}(\hbar) = (2n-1)b_0\hbar + (2n-1)^{1/2}(2m-1)\nu_0\hbar^{3/2} + ((2n-1)(2j-1)\alpha + c_{nm})\hbar^2 + \mathcal{O}(\hbar^{9/4})$$

for some $\nu_0 > 0$ and $\alpha, c_{nm} \in \mathbb{R}$. Motivated by this result and the 2-dimensional case, Helffer, Kordyukov, Raymond and Vũ Ngọc [Helffer et al. 2016] gave a description of the whole spectrum below $b_1\hbar$, proving in particular the eigenvalue estimates

$$\lambda_j(\mathcal{L}_{\hbar}) = b_0\hbar + \nu_0\hbar^{3/2} + \alpha(2j-1)\hbar^2 + \mathcal{O}(\hbar^{5/2}). \quad (1-4)$$

Their results exhibit a new classical oscillatory motion in the directions of the field lines, corresponding to the quantum oscillator $(2m-1)\nu_0\hbar^{3/2}$.

The aim of this paper is to generalize the results of [Helffer et al. 2016] to an arbitrary Riemannian manifold M , under Assumption 1. In particular we describe the influence of the kernel of \mathbf{B} in a general geometric and dimensional setting. Their approach, which we adapt, is based on a *semiclassical Birkhoff normal form*. The *classical* Birkhoff normal form has a long story in physics and goes back to [Delaunay 1860; Lindstedt 1883]. This formal normal form was the starting point of a lot of studies on stability near equilibrium, and KAM theory (after [Kolmogorov 1954; Arnold 1963; Moser 1962]). The name of this normal form comes from [Birkhoff 1927; Gustavson 1966]. We refer to the books [Moser 1968; Hofer and

Zehnder 1994] for precise statements. Our approach here relies on a quantization. Physicists and quantum chemists already noticed in the 1980s that a quantum analogue of the Birkhoff normal form could be used to compute energies of molecules [Delos et al. 1983; Jaffé and Reinhardt 1982; Marcus 1985; Shirts and Reinhardt 1982]. Joyeux and Sugny [2002] also used such techniques to describe the dynamics of excited states. Sjöstrand [1992] constructed a semiclassical Birkhoff normal form for a Schrödinger operator $-\hbar^2 \Delta + V$ using the Weyl quantization, to make a mathematical study of semiexcited states. Raymond and Vũ Ngọc [2015] had the idea to adapt this method for \mathcal{L}_\hbar on \mathbb{R}^2 , and with Helffer and Kordyukov on \mathbb{R}^3 [Helffer et al. 2016]. This method is reminiscent of Ivrii's approach [2019].

1B. Main results. The first idea is to link the classical dynamics of a particle in the magnetic field B with the spectrum of \mathcal{L}_\hbar using pseudodifferential calculus. Indeed, \mathcal{L}_\hbar is an \hbar -pseudodifferential operator with principal symbol

$$H(q, p) = |p - A_q|^2 \quad \text{for all } p \in T_q M^*, \text{ for all } q \in M,$$

and H is the classical Hamiltonian associated to the magnetic field B . One can use this property to prove that, in the phase space T^*M , the eigenfunctions (with eigenvalue $< b_1 \hbar$) are microlocalized on an arbitrarily small neighborhood of

$$\Sigma = H^{-1}(0) \cap T^*\Omega = \{(q, p) \in T^*\Omega : p = A_q\}.$$

Hence, the second main idea is to find a normal form for H on a neighborhood of Σ . Namely, we find canonical coordinates near Σ in which H has a “simple” form. The symplectic structure of Σ as a submanifold of T^*M is thus of great interest. One can see that the restriction of the canonical symplectic form $dp \wedge dq$ on T^*M to Σ is given by B (Lemma 2.1), and when B has constant rank, one can find Darboux coordinates $\varphi : \Omega' \subset \mathbb{R}_{(y, \eta, t)}^{2s+k} \rightarrow \Omega$ such that

$$\varphi^* B = d\eta \wedge dy,$$

up to shrinking Ω . We will start from these coordinates to get the following normal form for H .

Theorem 1.4. *Under Assumption 1, there exists a diffeomorphism*

$$\Phi_1 : U'_1 \subset \mathbb{R}^{4s+2k} \rightarrow U_1 \subset T^*M$$

between neighborhoods U'_1 of 0 and U_1 of Σ such that

$$\widehat{H}(x, \xi, y, \eta, t, \tau) := H \circ \Phi_1(x, \xi, y, \eta, t, \tau)$$

satisfies (with the notation $\hat{\beta}_j = \beta_j \circ \varphi$)

$$\widehat{H} = \langle M(y, \eta, t)\tau, \tau \rangle + \sum_{j=1}^s \hat{\beta}_j(y, \eta, t)(\xi_j^2 + x_j^2) + \mathcal{O}((x, \xi, \tau)^3)$$

uniformly with respect to (y, η, t) for some (y, η, t) -dependent positive definite matrix $M(y, \eta, t)$. Moreover,

$$\Phi_1^*(dp \wedge dq) = d\xi \wedge dx + d\eta \wedge dy + d\tau \wedge dt.$$

Remark 1.5. We will use the following notation for our canonical coordinates:

$$z = (x, \xi) \in \mathbb{R}^{2s}, \quad w = (y, \eta) \in \mathbb{R}^{2s}, \quad \tau = (t, \tau) \in \mathbb{R}^{2k}.$$

This theorem gives the Taylor expansion of H on a neighborhood of Σ . In particular $(x, \xi, \tau) \in \mathbb{R}^d$ measures the distance to Σ , whereas $(y, \eta, t) \in \mathbb{R}^d$ are canonical coordinates on Σ .

Remark 1.6. This theorem exhibits the harmonic oscillator $\xi_j^2 + x_j^2$ in the expansion of H . This oscillator, which is due to the nonvanishing magnetic field, corresponds to the well-known cyclotron motion.

Actually, one can use the *Birkhoff normal form* algorithm to improve the remainder. Using this algorithm, we can change the $\mathcal{O}((x, \xi)^3)$ remainder into an explicit function of $\xi_j^2 + x_j^2$, plus some smaller remainders $\mathcal{O}((x, \xi)^r)$. This remainder power r is restricted by resonances between the coefficients β_j . Thus, we take an integer $r_1 \in \mathbb{N}$ such that,

$$\text{for all } \alpha \in \mathbb{Z}^s, \quad 0 < |\alpha| < r_1 \implies \sum_{j=1}^s \alpha_j \beta_j(q_0) \neq 0. \quad (1-5)$$

Here, $|\alpha| = \sum_j |\alpha_j|$. Moreover, we can use the pseudodifferential calculus to apply the Birkhoff algorithm to \mathcal{L}_h , changing the classical oscillator $\xi_j^2 + x_j^2$ into the quantum harmonic oscillator

$$\mathcal{I}_h^{(j)} = -\hbar^2 \partial_{x_j}^2 + x_j^2,$$

whose spectrum consists of the simple eigenvalues $(2n - 1)\hbar$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Following this idea we construct a normal form for \mathcal{L}_h in Theorem 3.4. We also deduce a description of its spectrum.

Theorem 1.7. Let $\varepsilon > 0$. Under Assumption 1, there exist $b_1 \in (b_0, b_\infty)$, an integer $N_{\max} > 0$ and a compactly supported function $f_1^* \in \mathcal{C}^\infty(\mathbb{R}^{2s+2k} \times \mathbb{R}^s \times [0, 1))$ such that

$$|f_1^*(y, \eta, t, \tau, I, \hbar)| \lesssim ((|I| + \hbar)^2 + |\tau|(|I| + \hbar) + |\tau|^3)$$

satisfying the following properties. For $n \in \mathbb{N}^s$, denote by $\mathcal{N}_h^{[n]}$ the \hbar -pseudodifferential operator in (y, t) with symbol

$$N_h^{[n]} = \langle M(y, \eta, t) \tau, \tau \rangle + \sum_{j=1}^s \hat{\beta}_j(y, \eta, t) (2n_j - 1)\hbar + f_1^*(y, \eta, t, \tau, (2n - 1)\hbar, \hbar).$$

For $\hbar \ll 1$, there exists a bijection

$$\Lambda_h : \text{sp}(\mathcal{L}_h) \cap (-\infty, b_1 \hbar) \rightarrow \bigcup_{|n| \leq N_{\max}} \text{sp}(\mathcal{N}_h^{[n]}) \cap (-\infty, b_1 \hbar)$$

such that $\Lambda_h(\lambda) = \lambda + \mathcal{O}(\hbar^{r_1/2-\varepsilon})$ uniformly with respect to λ .

Remark 1.8. In this theorem $\text{sp}(\mathcal{A})$ denotes the *repeated* eigenvalues of an operator \mathcal{A} , so that there might be some multiple eigenvalues, but Λ_h preserves this multiplicity. We only consider self-adjoint operators with discrete spectrum.

Remark 1.9. One should care of how large b_1 can be. As mentioned above, the eigenfunctions of energy $< b_1 \hbar$ are exponentially small outside $K_{b_1} = \{q \in M : b(q) \leq b_1\}$. Thus, we will chose b_1 such that $K_{b_1} \subset \Omega$, where Ω is some neighborhood of q_0 . Hence the larger Ω is, the greater b_1 can be. However, there are three restrictions on the size of Ω :

- The rank of $\mathbf{B}(q)$ is constant on Ω .
- There exist canonical coordinates φ on Ω (i.e., such that $\varphi^* B = d\eta \wedge dy$).
- There is no resonance in Ω :

$$\text{for all } q \in \Omega, \text{ for all } \alpha \in \mathbb{Z}^s, \quad 0 < |\alpha| < r_1 \quad \implies \quad \sum_{j=1}^s \alpha_j \beta_j(q) \neq 0.$$

Of course the last condition is the most restrictive. However, if we forget the second condition, which is of global geometric nature, given a magnetic field and an r_1 one can estimate an associated b_1 satisfying the third condition. In particular we can construct simple examples on \mathbb{R}^d such that the threshold $b_1 \hbar$ includes several Landau levels.

Remark 1.10. If $k = 0$ we recover the result of [Morin 2022b]. Here we want to study the influence of a nonzero kernel $k > 0$. This result generalizes the result of [Helffer et al. 2016], which corresponds to $d = 3$, $s = k = 1$ on the Euclidean \mathbb{R}^3 . However, this generalization is not straightforward since the magnetic geometry is much more complicated in higher dimensions, in particular if $k > 1$. Moreover, there is a new phenomena in higher dimensions: resonances between the functions β_j (as in [Morin 2022b]).

The spectrum of \mathcal{L}_\hbar in $(-\infty, b_1 \hbar)$ is given by the operators $\mathcal{N}_\hbar^{[n]}$. Actually if we choose b_1 small enough, it is only given by the first operator $\mathcal{N}_\hbar^{[1]}$ (here we denote the multi-integer $1 = (1, \dots, 1) \in \mathbb{N}^s$). Hence in the second part of this paper, we study the spectrum $\mathcal{N}_\hbar^{[1]}$ using a second Birkhoff normal form. Indeed, the symbol of $\mathcal{N}_\hbar^{[1]}$ is

$$N_\hbar^{[1]}(w, t, \tau) = \langle M(w, t) \tau, \tau \rangle + \hbar \hat{b}(w, t) + \mathcal{O}(\hbar^2) + \mathcal{O}(\tau \hbar) + \mathcal{O}(\tau^3),$$

so if we denote by $s(w)$ the minimum point of $t \mapsto \hat{b}(w, t)$ (which is unique on a neighborhood of 0), we get the expansion

$$N_\hbar^{[1]}(w, t, \tau) = \langle M(w, s(w)) \tau, \tau \rangle + \frac{\hbar}{2} \left\langle \frac{\partial^2 \hat{b}}{\partial t^2}(w, s(w)) \cdot (t - s(w)), t - s(w) \right\rangle + \dots, \quad (1-6)$$

where we will show that the remaining terms are only perturbations. As explained in Section 5, in (1-6) we can recognize a harmonic oscillator with frequencies $\sqrt{\hbar} v_j(w)$ ($1 \leq j \leq k$), where $(v_j^2(w))_{1 \leq j \leq k}$ are the eigenvalues of the symmetric matrix

$$M(w, s(w))^{1/2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \partial_t^2 \hat{b}(w, s(w)) \cdot M(w, s(w))^{1/2}.$$

These frequencies are smooth nonvanishing functions of w on a neighborhood of 0, as soon as we assume that they are simple.

Assumption 2. For indices $1 \leq i < j \leq k$, we have $v_i(0) \neq v_j(0)$.

We fix an integer $r_2 \in \mathbb{N}$ such that,

$$\text{for all } \alpha \in \mathbb{Z}^k, \quad 0 < |\alpha| < r_2 \quad \implies \quad \sum_{j=1}^k \alpha_j v_j(0) \neq 0,$$

and we construct a normal form for $\mathcal{N}_\hbar^{[1]}$ in Theorem 5.4. Again, we deduce a description of its spectrum.

Theorem 1.11. *Let $c > 0$ and $\delta \in (0, \frac{1}{2})$. Under Assumptions 1 and 2, with $k > 0$, there exists a compactly supported function $f_2^* \in \mathcal{C}^\infty(\mathbb{R}^{2s} \times \mathbb{R}^k \times [0, 1))$ such that*

$$|f_2^*(y, \eta, J, \sqrt{\hbar})| \lesssim (|J| + \sqrt{\hbar})^2$$

satisfying the following properties. For $n \in \mathbb{N}^k$, denote by $\mathcal{M}_\hbar^{[n]}$ the \hbar -pseudodifferential operator in y with symbol

$$M_\hbar^{[n]}(y, \eta) = \hat{b}(y, \eta, s(y, \eta)) + \sqrt{\hbar} \sum_{j=1}^k v_j(y, \eta)(2n_j - 1) + f_2^*(y, \eta, (2n - 1)\sqrt{\hbar}, \sqrt{\hbar}).$$

For $\hbar \ll 1$, there exists a bijection

$$\Lambda_\hbar : \text{sp}(\mathcal{N}_\hbar^{[1]}) \cap (-\infty, (b_0 + c\hbar^\delta)\hbar) \rightarrow \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}^k} \text{sp}(\hbar \mathcal{M}_\hbar^{[n]}) \cap (-\infty, (b_0 + c\hbar^\delta)\hbar)$$

such that $\Lambda_\hbar(\lambda) = \lambda + \mathcal{O}(\hbar^{1+\delta r_2/2})$ uniformly with respect to λ .

Remark 1.12. The threshold $b_0 + c\hbar^\delta$ is needed to get microlocalization of the eigenfunctions of $\mathcal{N}_\hbar^{[1]}$ in an arbitrarily small neighborhood of $\tau = 0$.

Remark 1.13. This second harmonic oscillator (in variables (t, τ)) corresponds to a classical oscillation in the directions of the field lines. We see that this new motion, due to the kernel of \mathbf{B} , induces powers of $\sqrt{\hbar}$ in the spectrum.

As a corollary, we get a description of the low-lying eigenvalues of \mathcal{L}_\hbar by the effective operator $\hbar \mathcal{M}_\hbar^{[1]}$.

Corollary 1.14. *Let $\varepsilon > 0$ and $c \in (0, \min_j v_j(0))$. Define $v(0) = \sum_j v_j(0)$ and $r = \min(2r_1, r_2 + 4)$. Under Assumptions 1 and 2, with $k > 0$, there exists a bijection*

$$\Lambda_\hbar : \text{sp}(\mathcal{L}_\hbar) \cap (-\infty, \hbar b_0 + \hbar^{3/2}(v(0) + 2c)) \rightarrow \text{sp}(\hbar \mathcal{M}_\hbar^{[1]}) \cap (-\infty, \hbar b_0 + \hbar^{3/2}(v(0) + 2c))$$

such that $\Lambda_\hbar(\lambda) = \lambda + \mathcal{O}(\hbar^{r/4-\varepsilon})$ uniformly with respect to λ .

We deduce the following eigenvalue asymptotics.

Corollary 1.15. *Under the assumptions of Corollary 1.14, for $j \in \mathbb{N}$, the j -th eigenvalue of \mathcal{L}_\hbar admits an expansion*

$$\lambda_j(\mathcal{L}_\hbar) = \hbar \sum_{\ell=0}^{\lfloor r/2 \rfloor - 2} \alpha_{j\ell} \hbar^{\ell/2} + \mathcal{O}(\hbar^{r/4-\varepsilon}),$$

with coefficients $\alpha_{j\ell} \in \mathbb{R}$ such that

$$\alpha_{j,0} = b_0, \quad \alpha_{j,1} = \sum_{j=1}^k v_j(0), \quad \alpha_{j,2} = E_j + c_0,$$

where $c_0 \in \mathbb{R}$ and $\hbar E_j$ is the j -th eigenvalue of an s -dimensional harmonic oscillator.

Remark 1.16. Note $\hbar E_j$ is the j -th eigenvalue of a harmonic oscillator whose symbol is given by the Hessian at $w = 0$ of $\hat{b}(w, s(w))$. Hence, it corresponds to a third classical oscillatory motion: a rotation in the space of field lines.

Remark 1.17. The asymptotics

$$\lambda_j(\mathcal{L}_\hbar) = b_0 \hbar + v(0) \hbar^{3/2} + (E_j + c_0) \hbar^2 + o(\hbar^2)$$

were unknown before, except in the special 3-dimensional case $M = \mathbb{R}^3$ in [Helffer et al. 2016].

1C. Related questions and perspectives. In this paper, we are restricted to energies $\lambda < b_1 \hbar$, and as mentioned in Remark 1.9, the threshold $b_1 > b_0$ is limited by three conditions, including the nonresonance one:

$$\text{for all } q \in \Omega, \text{ for all } \alpha \in \mathbb{Z}^s, \quad 0 < |\alpha| < r_1 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \sum_{j=1}^s \alpha_j \beta_j(q) \neq 0.$$

It would be interesting to study the influence of resonances between the functions β_j on the spectrum of \mathcal{L}_\hbar . Maybe the Grushin techniques could help, as in [Helffer and Kordyukov 2015] for instance. A Birkhoff normal form was given in [Charles and Vũ Ngọc 2008] for a Schrödinger operator $-\hbar^2 \Delta + V$ with resonances, but the situation is somehow simpler, since the analogues of $\beta_j(q)$ are independent of q in this context.

We are also restricted by the existence of Darboux coordinates φ on (Σ, B) such that $\varphi^* B = d\eta \wedge dy$. Indeed, the coordinates (y, η) on Σ are necessary to use the Weyl quantization. To study the influence of the global geometry of B , one should consider another quantization method for the presymplectic manifold (Σ, B) . In the symplectic case, for instance in dimension $d = 2$, a Toeplitz quantization may be useful. This quantization is linked to the complex structure induced by B on Σ , and the operator \mathcal{L}_\hbar can be linked with this structure in the following way:

$$\mathcal{L}_\hbar = 4\hbar^2 \left(\bar{\partial} + \frac{i}{2\hbar} A \right)^* \left(\bar{\partial} + \frac{i}{2\hbar} A \right) + \hbar B = 4\hbar^2 \bar{\partial}_A^* \bar{\partial}_A + \hbar B,$$

with

$$A = A_1 + iA_2, \quad B = \partial_1 A_2 - \partial_2 A_1, \quad 2\bar{\partial} = \partial_1 + i\partial_2.$$

In [Tejero Prieto 2006], this is used to compute the spectrum of \mathcal{L}_\hbar on a bidimensional Riemann surface M with constant curvature and constant magnetic field. See also [Charles 2020; Kordyukov 2022], where semiexcited states for constant magnetic fields in higher dimensions are considered.

If the 2-form B is not exact, we usually consider a Bochner Laplacian on the p -th tensor product of a complex line bundle L over M , with curvature B . This Bochner Laplacian Δ_p depends on $p \in \mathbb{N}$, and the limit $p \rightarrow +\infty$ is interpreted as the semiclassical limit. The Bochner Laplacian Δ_p is a good generalization of the magnetic Laplacian because *locally* it can be written $(1/\hbar^2)(i\hbar \nabla + A)^2$, where the potential A is a local primitive of B , and $\hbar = p^{-1}$. For details, we refer to [Kordyukov 2019; 2020; Marinescu and Savale 2018]. Kordyukov [2019] constructed quasimodes for Δ_p in the case of a symplectic B and discrete wells. He proved expansions

$$\lambda_j(\Delta_p) \sim \sum_{\ell \geq 0} \alpha_{j\ell} p^{-\ell/2}.$$

Our work also gives such expansions for Δ_p as explained in [Morin 2022a].

In this paper, we only mention the study of the eigenvalues of \mathcal{L}_h : what about the eigenfunctions? WKB expansions for the j -th eigenfunction were constructed on \mathbb{R}^2 in [Bonthonneau and Raymond 2020] and on a 2-dimensional Riemannian manifold in [Bonthonneau et al. 2021a]. We do not know how to construct magnetic WKB solutions in higher dimensions. This article suggests that the directions corresponding to the kernel of B could play a specific role.

Another related question is the decreasing of the real eigenfunctions. Agmon estimates only give a $\mathcal{O}(e^{-c/\sqrt{h}})$ decay outside any neighborhood of q_0 , but the 2-dimensional WKB suggests a $\mathcal{O}(e^{-c/h})$ decay. Recently Bonthonneau, Raymond and Vũ Ngọc [Bonthonneau et al. 2021b] proved this on \mathbb{R}^2 using the FBI transform to work on the phase space $T^*\mathbb{R}^2$. This kind of question is motivated by the study of the tunneling effect: the exponentially small interaction between two magnetic wells for example.

Finally, we only have investigated the spectral theory of the stationary Schrödinger equation with a pure magnetic field; it would be interesting to describe the long-time dynamics of the full Schrödinger evolution, as was done in the Euclidean 2-dimensional case in [Boil and Vũ Ngọc 2021].

1D. Structure of the paper. In Section 2 we prove Theorem 1.4, describing the symbol H of \mathcal{L}_h on a neighborhood of $\Sigma = H^{-1}(0)$. In Section 3 we construct the normal form, first in a space of formal series (Section 3B) and then the quantized version \mathcal{N}_h (Section 3C). In Section 4 we prove Theorem 1.7. For this we describe the spectrum of \mathcal{N}_h (Section 4A), then we prove microlocalization properties on the eigenfunctions of \mathcal{L}_h and \mathcal{N}_h (Section 4B), and finally we compare the spectra of \mathcal{L}_h and \mathcal{N}_h (Section 4C).

In Section 5 we focus on Theorem 1.11 which describes the spectrum of the effective operator $\mathcal{N}_h^{[1]}$. In Section 5A we study its symbol, in Section 5B we construct a second formal Birkhoff normal form, and in Section 5C the quantized version \mathcal{M}_h . In Section 5D we compare the spectra of $\mathcal{N}_h^{[1]}$ and \mathcal{M}_h .

Finally, Sections 6 and 7 are dedicated to the proofs of Corollaries 1.14 and 1.15 respectively.

2. Geometry of the classical Hamiltonian

2A. Notation. \mathcal{L}_h is an h -pseudodifferential operator on M with principal symbol H :

$$H(q, p) = |p - A_q|_{g_q^*}^2, \quad p \in T_q^*M, \quad q \in M.$$

Here, T^*M denotes the cotangent bundle of M , and $p \in T_q^*M$ is a linear form on T_qM . The scalar product g_q on T_qM induces a scalar product g_q^* on T_q^*M , and $|\cdot|_{g_q^*}$ denotes the associated norm. In this section we prove Theorem 1.4, thus describing H on a neighborhood of its minimum:

$$\Sigma = \{(q, p) \in T^*M : q \in \Omega, \quad p = A_q\}.$$

Recall that Ω is a small neighborhood of $q_0 \in M \setminus \partial M$. We will construct canonical coordinates $(z, w, v) \in \mathbb{R}^{2d}$ on Ω , with

$$z = (x, \xi) \in \mathbb{R}^{2s}, \quad w = (y, \eta) \in \mathbb{R}^{2s}, \quad v = (t, \tau) \in \mathbb{R}^{2k}.$$

\mathbb{R}^{2d} is endowed with the canonical symplectic form

$$\omega_0 = d\xi \wedge dx + d\eta \wedge dy + d\tau \wedge dt.$$

We will identify Σ with

$$\Sigma' = \{(x, \xi, y, \eta, t, \tau) \in \mathbb{R}^{2d} : x = \xi = 0, \tau = 0\} = \mathbb{R}_{(y, \eta, t)}^{2s+k} \times \{0\}.$$

We will use several lemmas to prove Theorem 1.4. Before constructing the diffeomorphism Φ_1^{-1} on a neighborhood U_1 of Σ , we will first define it on Σ . Thus we need to understand the structure of Σ induced by the symplectic structure on T^*M (Section 2B). Then we will construct Φ_1 and finally prove Theorem 1.4 (Section 2C).

2B. Structure of Σ . Recall that on T^*M we have the Liouville 1-form α defined by

$$\alpha_{(q,p)}(\mathcal{V}) = p((d\pi)_{(q,p)}\mathcal{V}) \quad \text{for all } (q, p) \in T^*M, \mathcal{V} \in T_{(q,p)}(T^*M),$$

where $\pi : T^*M \rightarrow M$ is the canonical projection: $\pi(q, p) = q$, and $d\pi$ is its differential. T^*M is endowed with the symplectic form $\omega = d\alpha$. Σ is a d -dimensional submanifold of T^*M which can be identified with Ω using

$$j : q \in \Omega \mapsto (q, A_q) \in \Sigma$$

and its inverse, which is π .

Lemma 2.1. *The restriction of ω to Σ is $\omega_\Sigma = \pi^*B$.*

Proof. Fix $q \in \Omega$ and $Q \in T_qM$. Then

$$(j^*\alpha)_q(Q) = \alpha_{j(q)}((dj)Q) = A_q((d\pi) \circ (dj)Q) = A_q(Q),$$

because $\pi \circ j = \text{Id}$. Thus $j^*\alpha = A$ and $\alpha_\Sigma = \pi^*j^*\alpha = \pi^*A$. Taking the exterior derivative we get

$$\omega_\Sigma = d\alpha_\Sigma = \pi^*(dA) = \pi^*B. \quad \square$$

Since B is a closed 2-form with constant rank equal to $2s$, (Σ, π^*B) is a presymplectic manifold. It is equivalent to (Ω, B) , using j . We recall the Darboux lemma, which states that such a manifold is locally equivalent to $(\mathbb{R}^{2s+k}, d\eta \wedge dy)$.

Lemma 2.2. *Up to shrinking Ω , there exists an open subset Σ' of $\mathbb{R}_{(y, \eta, t)}^{2s+k}$ and a diffeomorphism $\varphi : \Sigma' \rightarrow \Omega$ such that $\varphi^*B = d\eta \wedge dy$.*

One can always take any coordinate system on Ω . Up to working in these coordinates, it is enough to consider the case $M = \mathbb{R}^d$ with

$$H(q, p) = \sum_{k, \ell=1}^d g^{k\ell}(q)(p_k - A_k(q))(p_\ell - A_\ell(q)), \quad (q, p) \in T^*\mathbb{R}^d \simeq \mathbb{R}^{2d},$$

to prove Theorem 1.4. This is what we will do. In coordinates, ω is given by

$$\omega = dp \wedge dq = \sum_{j=1}^d dp_j \wedge dq_j$$

and Σ is the submanifold

$$\Sigma = \{(q, A(q)) : q \in \Omega\} \subset \mathbb{R}^{2d},$$

and $j \circ \varphi : \Sigma' \rightarrow \Sigma$.

In order to extend $j \circ \varphi$ to a neighborhood of Σ' in \mathbb{R}^{2d} in a symplectic way, it is convenient to split the tangent space $T_{j(q)}(\mathbb{R}^{2d})$ according to tangent and normal directions to Σ . This is the purpose of the following two lemmas.

Lemma 2.3. *Fix $j(q) = (q, A(q)) \in \Sigma$. Then the tangent space to Σ is*

$$T_{j(q)}\Sigma = \{(Q, P) \in \mathbb{R}^{2d} : P = \nabla_q A \cdot Q\}.$$

Moreover, the ω -orthogonal $T_{j(q)}\Sigma^\perp$ is

$$T_{j(q)}\Sigma^\perp = \{(Q, P) \in \mathbb{R}^{2d} : P = (\nabla_q A)^T \cdot Q\}.$$

Finally,

$$T_{j(q)}\Sigma \cap T_{j(q)}\Sigma^\perp = \text{Ker}(\pi^*B).$$

Proof. Since Σ is the graph of $q \mapsto A(q)$, its tangent space is the graph of the differential $Q \mapsto (\nabla_q A) \cdot Q$. In order to characterize $T\Sigma^\perp$, note that the symplectic form $\omega = dp \wedge dq$ is defined by

$$\omega_{(q,p)}((Q_1, P_1), (Q_2, P_2)) = \langle P_2, Q_1 \rangle - \langle P_1, Q_2 \rangle, \quad (2-1)$$

where $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$ denotes the Euclidean scalar product on \mathbb{R}^d . Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} (Q, P) \in T_{j(q)}\Sigma^\perp &\iff \omega_{j(q)}((Q_0, \nabla_q A \cdot Q_0), (Q, P)) = 0 \quad \text{for all } Q_0 \in \mathbb{R}^d \\ &\iff \langle P, Q_0 \rangle - \langle (\nabla_q A) \cdot Q_0, Q \rangle = 0 \quad \text{for all } Q_0 \in \mathbb{R}^d \\ &\iff \langle P - (\nabla_q A)^T \cdot Q, Q_0 \rangle = 0 \quad \text{for all } Q_0 \in \mathbb{R}^d \\ &\iff P = (\nabla_q A)^T \cdot Q. \end{aligned}$$

Finally, with Lemma 2.1 we know that the restriction of ω to $T\Sigma$ is given by π^*B . Hence, $T_{j(q)}\Sigma \cap T_{j(q)}\Sigma^\perp$ is the set of $(Q, P) \in T_{j(q)}\Sigma$ such that

$$\pi^*B((Q, P), (Q_0, P_0)) = 0 \quad \text{for all } (Q_0, P_0) \in T_{j(q)}\Sigma.$$

It is the kernel of π^*B . □

Now we define specific basis of $T_{j(q)}\Sigma$ and its orthogonal. Since $B(q)$ is skew-symmetric with respect to g , there exist orthonormal vectors

$$\mathbf{u}_1(q), \mathbf{v}_1(q), \dots, \mathbf{u}_s(q), \mathbf{v}_s(q), \mathbf{w}_1(q), \dots, \mathbf{w}_k(q) \in \mathbb{R}^d$$

such that

$$\begin{cases} B\mathbf{u}_j = -\beta_j \mathbf{v}_j, & 1 \leq j \leq s, \\ B\mathbf{v}_j = \beta_j \mathbf{u}_j, & 1 \leq j \leq s, \\ B\mathbf{w}_j = 0, & 1 \leq j \leq k. \end{cases} \quad (2-2)$$

These vectors are smooth functions of q because the nonzero eigenvalues $\pm i\beta_j(q)$ are simple. They define a basis of \mathbb{R}^d . Define the following ω -orthogonal vectors to $T\Sigma$:

$$\begin{cases} f_j(q) := (1/\sqrt{\beta_j(q)})(\mathbf{u}_j(q), (\nabla_q A)^T \cdot \mathbf{u}_j(q)), & 1 \leq j \leq s, \\ f'_j(q) := (1/\sqrt{\beta_j(q)})(\mathbf{v}_j(q), (\nabla_q A)^T \cdot \mathbf{v}_j(q)), & 1 \leq j \leq s. \end{cases} \quad (2-3)$$

These vectors are linearly independent and

$$T_{j(q)}\Sigma^\perp = K \oplus F,$$

with

$$K = \text{Ker}(\pi^*B), \quad F = \text{span}(f_1, f'_1, \dots, f_s, f'_s).$$

Similarly, the tangent space $T_{j(q)}\Sigma$ admits a decomposition

$$T_{j(q)}\Sigma = E \oplus K$$

defined as follows. The map $j \circ \varphi : \Sigma' \rightarrow \Sigma$ from Lemma 2.2 satisfies $(j \circ \varphi)^*(\pi^*B) = d\eta \wedge dy$. Thus its differential $d(j \circ \varphi)$ maps the kernel of $d\eta \wedge dy$ on the kernel of π^*B :

$$K = \{d(j \circ \varphi)_q(0, T) : T \in \mathbb{R}^k\}. \quad (2-4)$$

A complementary space of K in $T\Sigma$ is given by

$$E := \{d(j \circ \varphi)_q(W, 0) : W \in \mathbb{R}^{2s}\}. \quad (2-5)$$

From all these considerations we deduce:

Lemma 2.4. *Fix $j(q) = (q, A(q)) \in \Sigma$. Then we have the decomposition*

$$T_{j(q)}(\mathbb{R}^{2d}) = \underbrace{E \oplus K}_{T\Sigma} \oplus \overbrace{F}^{T\Sigma^\perp} \oplus L,$$

where L is any Lagrangian complement of K in $(E \oplus F)^\perp$.

Proof. We have $T\Sigma + T\Sigma^\perp = E \oplus K \oplus F$, and the restriction of $\omega = dp \wedge dq$ to this space has kernel $K = T\Sigma \cap T\Sigma^\perp$. Hence, the restriction $\omega_{E \oplus F}$ of ω to $E \oplus F$ is nondegenerate and its orthogonal $(E \oplus F)^\perp$ as well. Moreover $(E \oplus F)^\perp$ has dimension $2d - 4s = 2k$, and we have

$$T_{j(q)}\mathbb{R}^{2d} = (E \oplus F) \oplus (E \oplus F)^\perp.$$

K is a Lagrangian subspace of $(E \oplus F)^\perp$. Therefore it admits a complementary Lagrangian: a subspace L of $(E \oplus F)^\perp$ with dimension k such that $\omega_L = 0$ and $(E \oplus F)^\perp = K \oplus L$. \square

Remark 2.5. From now on, we fix any choice of Lagrangian complement L . With this choice, we define a basis (ℓ_j) of L as follows. First note that the decomposition $(E \oplus F)^\perp = K \oplus L$ yields a bijection between L and the dual K^* , which is $\ell \mapsto \omega(\ell, \cdot)$. We emphasize that this bijection *depends on the choice of L* . Using this bijection, we define ℓ_j to be the unique vector in L satisfying

$$\omega(\ell_j, d(j \circ \varphi)(0, T)) = T_j \quad \text{for all } T \in \mathbb{R}^k. \quad (2-6)$$

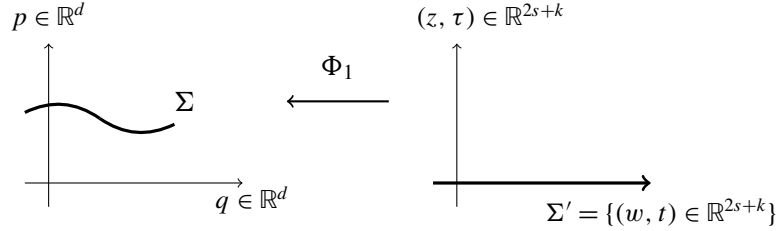


Figure 1. Using the canonical coordinates (w, t, τ, z) , we identify Σ with Σ' .

2C. Construction of Φ_1 and proof of Theorem 1.4. We identified the “curved” manifold Σ with an open subset Σ' of \mathbb{R}^{2s+k} using $j \circ \varphi$. Moreover, we did this in such a way that $(j \circ \varphi)^* \pi^* B = d\eta \wedge dy$. In this section we prove that we can identify a whole neighborhood of Σ in $\mathbb{R}_{(q,p)}^{2d}$ with a neighborhood of Σ' in $\mathbb{R}_{(z,w,v)}^{4s+2k}$, via a symplectomorphism Φ_1 . See Figure 1.

Lemma 2.6. *There exists a diffeomorphism*

$$\Phi_1 : U'_1 \subset \mathbb{R}_{(w,t,\tau,z)}^{2s+2k+2s} \rightarrow U_1 \subset \mathbb{R}_{(q,p)}^{2d}$$

between neighborhoods U_1 of Σ and U'_1 of Σ' such that $\Phi_1^* \omega = \omega_0$ and $\Phi_1(w, t, 0, 0) = j \circ \varphi(w, t)$. Moreover its differential at $(w, t, \tau = 0, z = 0) \in \Sigma'$ is

$$d\Phi_1(W, T, \mathcal{T}, Z) = d_{(w,t)} j \circ \varphi(W, T) + \sum_{j=1}^k \mathcal{T}_j \hat{\ell}_j(w, t) + \sum_{j=1}^s X_j \hat{f}_j(w, t) + \Xi_j \hat{f}'_j(w, t).$$

Remark 2.7. In this lemma we used the notation $Z = (X, \Xi)$ and $\hat{\ell}_j = \ell_j \circ \varphi$, $\hat{f}_j = f_j \circ \varphi$, and $\hat{f}'_j = f'_j \circ \varphi$.

Proof. We will first construct Φ such that $\Phi^* \omega|_{\Sigma'} = \omega_0|_{\Sigma'}$ only on $\Sigma' = \Phi^{-1}(\Sigma)$. Then, we will use the Theorem B.2 to slightly change Φ into Φ_1 such that $\Phi_1^* \omega = \omega_0$ on a neighborhood of Σ' .

We define Φ by

$$\Phi(w, t, \tau, z) = j \circ \varphi(w, t) + \sum_{j=1}^k \tau_j \hat{\ell}_j(w, t) + \sum_{j=1}^s x_j \hat{f}_j(w, t) + \xi_j \hat{f}'_j(w, t). \quad (2-7)$$

Its differential at $(w, t, 0, 0)$ has the desired form. Let us fix a point $(w, t, 0, 0) \in \Sigma'$ and compute $\Phi^* \omega$ at this point. By definition,

$$\Phi^* \omega_{(w,t,0,0)}(\cdot, \cdot) = \omega_{j(q)}((d\Phi) \cdot, (d\Phi) \cdot),$$

where $q = \varphi(w, t)$. Computing this 2-form in the canonical basis of \mathbb{R}^{4s+2k} amounts to computing ω on the vectors ℓ_j, f_j, f'_j and $d(j \circ \varphi)(W, T)$. By (2-3) and (2-1) we have

$$\begin{aligned} \omega(f_i, f_j) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{\beta_i \beta_j}} (\langle (\nabla_q A)^\perp \cdot u_j, u_i \rangle - \langle (\nabla_q A)^\perp \cdot u_i, u_j \rangle) \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{\beta_i \beta_j}} \langle (\nabla_q A)^\perp - (\nabla_q A), u_j, u_i \rangle \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{\beta_i \beta_j}} B(u_j, u_i) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\beta_i \beta_j}} g(u_j, Bu_i) = 0, \end{aligned}$$

because $\mathbf{B}u_i = -\beta_i v_i$ is orthogonal to u_j . Similarly we find

$$\omega(f_i, f'_j) = \delta_{ij}, \quad \omega(f'_i, f'_j) = 0.$$

Moreover, $\ell_i \in L \subset F^\perp$ so

$$\omega(\ell_i, f_j) = \omega(\ell_i, f'_j) = 0.$$

Since L is Lagrangian we also have $\omega(\ell_i, \ell_j) = 0$. The vector $d(j \circ \varphi)(W, T)$ is tangent to Σ and $f_j, f'_j \in T\Sigma^\perp$ so

$$\omega(f_j, d(j \circ \varphi)(W, T)) = \omega(f'_j, d(j \circ \varphi)(W, T)) = 0.$$

Since $\ell_i \in L \subset E^\perp$ and using (2-6), we have

$$\omega(\ell_j, d(j \circ \varphi)(W, T)) = \omega(\ell_j, d(j \circ \varphi)(0, T)) = T_j.$$

Finally, $(j \circ \varphi)^* \omega = \varphi^* B = d\eta \wedge dy$ so that

$$\omega(d(j \circ \varphi)(W, T), d(j \circ \varphi)(W', T')) = d\eta \wedge dy((W, T), (W', T')).$$

All these computations show that $(\Phi^* \omega)_{(w,t,0,0)}$ coincide with $\omega_0 = d\xi \wedge dx + d\eta \wedge dy + d\tau \wedge dt$. Thus $\Phi^* \omega = \omega_0$ on Σ . With Theorem B.2, we can change Φ into $\Phi_1(w, t, \tau, z) = \Phi(w, t, \tau, z) + \mathcal{O}((z, \tau)^2)$ such that $\Phi_1^* \omega = \omega_0$ on a neighborhood U'_1 of Σ' . In particular, the differential of Φ_1 at $(w, t, 0, 0)$ coincides with the differential of Φ . \square

Finally, the following lemma concludes the proof of Theorem 1.4.

Lemma 2.8. *The Hamiltonian $\widehat{H} = H \circ \Phi_1$ has the Taylor expansion*

$$\widehat{H}(w, t, \tau, x, \xi) = \frac{1}{2} \langle \partial_\tau^2 \widehat{H}(w, t, 0) \tau, \tau \rangle + \sum_{j=1}^s \hat{\beta}_j(w, t) (\xi_j^2 + x_j^2) + \mathcal{O}((\tau, x, \xi)^3).$$

Proof. Let us compute the differential and Hessian of

$$H(q, p) = \sum_{k,\ell=1}^d g^{k\ell}(q) (p_k - A_k(q))(p_\ell - A_\ell(q))$$

at a point $(q, A(q)) \in \Sigma$. First,

$$\nabla_{(q,p)} H \cdot (Q, P) = \sum_{k,\ell=1}^d 2g^{k\ell}(q) (p_k - A_k(q))(P_\ell - \nabla_q A_\ell \cdot Q) + (p_k - A_k(q))(p_\ell - A_\ell(q)) \nabla_q g \cdot Q, \quad (2-8)$$

and at $p = A(q)$ the Hessian is

$$\langle \nabla_{j(q)}^2 H \cdot (Q, P), (Q', P') \rangle = 2 \sum_{k,\ell=1}^d g^{k\ell}(q) (P_k - \nabla_q A_k \cdot Q) (P'_\ell - \nabla_q A_\ell \cdot Q'). \quad (2-9)$$

We can deduce a Taylor expansion of $\widehat{H}(w, t, \tau, z)$ with respect to (τ, z) (with fixed $q = \varphi(w, t)$). First,

$$\widehat{H}(w, t, 0, 0) = H(q, A(q)) = 0.$$

Then we can compute the partial differential using Lemma 2.6,

$$\partial_{\tau,z} \widehat{H}(w, t, 0, 0) \cdot (W, T) = \nabla_{j(q)} H \cdot \partial_{\tau,z} \Phi_1(w, t, 0, 0) \cdot (W, T) = \nabla_{j(q)} H \cdot d(j \circ \varphi)(W, T) = 0,$$

because $d(j \circ \varphi)(W, T) \in T_{j(q)} \Sigma$. The Taylor expansion of \widehat{H} is thus

$$\widehat{H}(w, t, \tau, z) = \frac{1}{2} \langle \partial_{\tau,z}^2 \widehat{H}(w, t, 0) \cdot (\tau, z), (\tau, z) \rangle + \mathcal{O}((\tau, z)^3),$$

where $\partial_{\tau,z}^2 \widehat{H}$ is the partial Hessian with respect to (τ, z) . We have

$$\partial_{\tau,z}^2 \widehat{H} = (\partial_{(\tau,z)} \Phi_1)^T \cdot \nabla_{j(q)}^2 H \cdot (\partial_{(\tau,z)} \Phi_1),$$

and computing the Hessian matrix amounts to computing $\nabla_{j(q)}^2 H$ on the vectors \mathbf{g}_j , \mathbf{f}_j , and \mathbf{f}'_j . If $(Q, P) \in T_{j(q)} \Sigma^\perp$, then $P = (\nabla_q A)^\perp \cdot Q$ so that, with (2-9),

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{j(q)}^2 H((Q, P), (Q', P')) &= \sum_{k,\ell,i,j=1}^d g^{k\ell}(q) (\partial_k A_j Q_j - \partial_j A_k Q_j) (\partial_\ell A_i Q'_i - \partial_i A_\ell Q'_i) \\ &= \sum_{k,\ell,i,j} g^{k\ell}(q) B_{kj} Q_j B_{\ell i} Q'_i. \end{aligned}$$

But $\sum_k g^{k\ell} B_{kj} = \mathbf{B}_{\ell j}$ (by (1-1)) so

$$\frac{1}{2} \nabla_{j(q)}^2 H((Q, P), (Q', P')) = \sum_{i,j,\ell} B_{\ell i} (\mathbf{B}_{\ell j} Q_j) Q'_i = \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{B} \cdot Q, Q').$$

In the special case $(Q, P) = \mathbf{f}_j$ we have

$$\frac{1}{2} \nabla_{j(q)}^2 H(\mathbf{f}_i, \mathbf{f}_j) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\beta_i \beta_j}} \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{B} \mathbf{u}_i, \mathbf{u}_j) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\beta_i \beta_j}} g(\mathbf{B} \mathbf{u}_i, \mathbf{B} \mathbf{u}_j) = \sqrt{\beta_i \beta_j} g(\mathbf{v}_i, \mathbf{v}_j) = \sqrt{\beta_i \beta_j} \delta_{ij},$$

and similarly

$$\frac{1}{2} \nabla_{j(q)}^2 H(\mathbf{f}'_i, \mathbf{f}'_j) = \sqrt{\beta_i \beta_j} \delta_{ij}, \quad \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{j(q)}^2 H(\mathbf{f}_i, \mathbf{f}'_j) = 0.$$

Finally, it remains to prove

$$\nabla_{j(q)}^2 H(\ell_i, \mathbf{f}_j) = \nabla_{j(q)}^2 H(\ell_i, \mathbf{f}'_j) = 0 \tag{2-10}$$

to conclude that the Hessian of \widehat{H} is

$$\frac{1}{2} \partial_{\tau,z}^2 \widehat{H}(w, t, 0, 0) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \partial_\tau^2 \widehat{H}(w, t, 0, 0) & & & & \\ & \beta_1 & & & \\ & & \beta_1 & & \\ & & & \ddots & \\ & & & & \beta_s \\ & & & & & \beta_s \end{pmatrix}.$$

Actually, (2-10) follows from the identity

$$L \subset F^\perp = (T\Sigma^\perp)^{\perp H}, \tag{2-11}$$

where $\perp H$ denotes the orthogonal with respect to the quadratic form $\nabla^2 H$ (which is different from the symplectic orthogonal \perp). Indeed, to prove (2-11) note that

$$\begin{aligned}
(Q, P) \in (T\Sigma^\perp)^{\perp H} &\Rightarrow \nabla^2 H((Q, P), (Q', (\nabla_q A)^T \cdot Q')) = 0 \quad \text{for all } Q' \in \mathbb{R}^d \\
&\Rightarrow \sum_{k, \ell, j} g^{k\ell} (P_k - \nabla_q A_k \cdot Q) B_{\ell j} Q'_j = 0 \quad \text{for all } Q' \in \mathbb{R}^d \\
&\Rightarrow \sum_{k, j} (P_k - \nabla_q A_k \cdot Q) B_{kj} Q'_j = 0 \quad \text{for all } Q' \in \mathbb{R}^d \\
&\Rightarrow \langle P - \nabla_q A \cdot Q, B Q' \rangle = 0 \quad \text{for all } Q' \in \mathbb{R}^d \\
&\Rightarrow \langle P, B Q' \rangle - \langle Q, (\nabla_q A)^T \cdot B Q' \rangle = 0 \quad \text{for all } Q' \in \mathbb{R}^d \\
&\Rightarrow \omega((Q, P), (B Q', (\nabla_q A)^T \cdot B Q')) = 0 \quad \text{for all } Q' \in \mathbb{R}^d,
\end{aligned}$$

and we have

$$\begin{aligned}
F &= \{(V : (\nabla_q A)^T V), V \in \text{span}(\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{v}_1, \dots, \mathbf{u}_s, \mathbf{v}_s)\} \\
&= \{(B Q : (\nabla_q A)^T B Q), Q \in \mathbb{R}^d\},
\end{aligned}$$

because the vectors $\mathbf{u}_j, \mathbf{v}_j$ span the range of B . Hence we find

$$(Q, P) \in (T\Sigma^\perp)^{\perp H} \iff (Q, P) \in F^\perp. \quad \square$$

3. Construction of the normal form \mathcal{N}_\hbar

3A. Formal series. Define $U = U'_1 \cap \Sigma' \subset \mathbb{R}_{(w,t)}^{2s+k} \times \{0\}$. We construct the Birkhoff normal form in the space

$$\mathcal{E}_1 = \mathcal{C}^\infty(U)[[x, \xi, \tau, \hbar]].$$

It is a space of formal series in (x, ξ, τ, \hbar) with coefficients smoothly depending on (w, t) . We see these formal series as Taylor series of symbols, which we quantize using the Weyl quantization. Given an \hbar -pseudodifferential operator $\mathcal{A}_\hbar = \text{Op}_\hbar^w a_\hbar$ (with symbol a_\hbar admitting an expansion in powers of \hbar in some standard class), we denote by $[a_\hbar]$ or $\sigma^T(\mathcal{A}_\hbar)$ the Taylor series of a_\hbar with respect to (x, ξ, τ) at $(x, \xi, \tau) = 0$. Conversely, given a formal series $\rho \in \mathcal{E}_1$, we can find a bounded symbol a_\hbar such that $[a_\hbar] = \rho$. This symbol is not uniquely defined, but any two such symbols differ by $\mathcal{O}((x, \xi, \hbar)^\infty)$, uniformly with respect to $(w, t) \in U$.

Remark 3.1. We prove below that the eigenfunctions of \mathcal{L}_\hbar are microlocalized, where $(w, t) \in U$ and $|(x, \xi)| \lesssim \hbar^{1/2}$, so that the remainders $\mathcal{O}((x, \xi, \hbar)^\infty)$ are negligible.

• In order to make operations on Taylor series compatible with the Weyl quantization, we endow \mathcal{E}_1 with the Weyl–Moyal product \star , defined by $\text{Op}_\hbar^w(a) \text{Op}_\hbar^w(b) = \text{Op}_\hbar^w(a \star b)$. This product satisfies

$$a_1 \star a_2 = \sum_{k=0}^N \frac{1}{k!} \left(\frac{\hbar}{2i} \square \right)^k a_1(w, t, \tau, z) a_2(w', t', \tau', z')|_{w'=w, t'=t, \tau'=\tau, z'=z} + \mathcal{O}(\hbar^N),$$

where

$$\square = \sum_{j=1}^s (\partial_{\eta_j} \partial_{y'_j} - \partial_{y_j} \partial_{\eta'_j}) + \sum_{j=1}^s (\partial_{\xi_j} \partial_{x'_j} - \partial_{x_j} \partial_{\xi'_j}) + \sum_{j=1}^k (\partial_{\tau_j} \partial_{t'_j} - \partial_{t_j} \partial_{\tau'_j}).$$

Note that to define such a product it is necessary to assume that our formal series depend smoothly on (w, t) .

- The degree of a monomial is

$$\deg(x^\alpha \xi^{\alpha'} \tau^{\alpha''} \hbar^\ell) = |\alpha| + |\alpha'| + |\alpha''| + 2\ell. \quad (3-1)$$

We denote by \mathcal{D}_N the $\mathcal{C}^\infty(U)$ -module spanned by monomials of degree N , and

$$\mathcal{O}_N = \bigoplus_{n \geq N} \mathcal{D}_n, \quad (3-2)$$

which satisfies

$$\mathcal{O}_{N_1} \star \mathcal{O}_{N_2} \subset \mathcal{O}_{N_1+N_2}.$$

If $\rho_1, \rho_2 \in \mathcal{E}_1$, we denote their commutator by

$$[\rho_1, \rho_2] = \text{ad}_{\rho_1} \rho_2 = \rho_1 \star \rho_2 - \rho_2 \star \rho_1,$$

and we have the formula

$$[\rho_1, \rho_2] = 2 \sinh\left(\frac{\hbar}{2i} \square\right) \rho_1 \rho_2. \quad (3-3)$$

In particular,

$$\text{for all } \rho_1 \in \mathcal{O}_{N_1}, \text{ for all } \rho_2 \in \mathcal{O}_{N_2}, \quad \frac{i}{\hbar} [\rho_1, \rho_2] \in \mathcal{O}_{N_1+N_2-2},$$

and $(i/\hbar)[\rho_1, \rho_2] = \{\rho_1, \rho_2\} + \mathcal{O}(\hbar^2)$. The Birkhoff normal form algorithm is based on the following lemma. We recall the definition (1-5) of r_1 .

Lemma 3.2. *For $1 \leq j \leq s$, define $z_j = x_j + i\xi_j$ and $|z_j|^2 = x_j^2 + \xi_j^2$.*

- (1) *Every series $\rho \in \mathcal{E}_1$ satisfies*

$$\frac{i}{\hbar} \text{ad}_{|z_j|^2} \rho = \{|z_j|^2, \rho\}.$$

- (2) *Let $0 \leq N < r_1$. For every $R_N \in \mathcal{D}_N$, there exist $\rho_N, K_N \in \mathcal{D}_N$ such that*

$$R_N = K_N + \sum_{j=1}^s \hat{\beta}_j(w, t) \frac{i}{\hbar} \text{ad}_{|z_j|^2} \rho_N$$

and $[K_N, |z_j|^2] = 0$ for $1 \leq j \leq s$.

- (3) *If $K \in \mathcal{E}_1$, then $[K, |z_j|^2] = 0$ for all $1 \leq j \leq s$ if and only if there exists a formal series $F \in \mathcal{C}^\infty(U)[[I_1, \dots, I_s, \tau, \hbar]]$ such that*

$$K = F(|z_1|^2, \dots, |z_s|^2, \tau, \hbar).$$

Proof. The first statement is a simple computation. For the second and the third, it suffices to consider monomials $R_N = c(w, t) z^\alpha \bar{z}^{\alpha'} \tau^{\alpha''} \hbar^\ell$. Note that

$$\text{ad}_{|z_j|^2}(c(w, t) z^\alpha \bar{z}^{\alpha'} \tau^{\alpha''} \hbar^\ell) = (\alpha'_j - \alpha_j) c(w, t) z^\alpha \bar{z}^{\alpha'} \tau^{\alpha''} \hbar^\ell,$$

so that R_N commutes with every $|z_j|^2$ ($1 \leq j \leq s$) if and only if $\alpha = \alpha'$, which amounts to saying that R_N is a function of $|z_j|^2$ and proves (3). Moreover,

$$\sum_j \hat{\beta}_j \operatorname{ad}_{|z_j|^2} (z^\alpha \bar{z}^{\alpha'} \tau^{\alpha''} \hbar^\ell) = \langle \alpha' - \alpha, \hat{\beta} \rangle z^\alpha \bar{z}^{\alpha'} \tau^{\alpha''} \hbar^\ell,$$

where $\langle \gamma, \hat{\beta} \rangle = \sum_{j=1}^s \gamma_j \hat{\beta}_j(w, t)$. Under the assumption $|\alpha| + |\alpha'| + |\alpha''| + 2\ell < r_1$, we have $|\alpha - \alpha'| < r_1$ and by the definition of r_1 the function $\langle \alpha' - \alpha, \hat{\beta}(w, t) \rangle$ cannot vanish for $(w, t) \in U$, unless $\alpha = \alpha'$. If $\alpha = \alpha'$, we choose $\rho_N = 0$ and $R_N = K_N$ commutes with $|z_j|^2$. If $\alpha \neq \alpha'$, we choose $K_N = 0$ and

$$\rho_N = \frac{c(w, t)}{\langle \alpha' - \alpha, \hat{\beta}(w, t) \rangle} z^\alpha \bar{z}^{\alpha'} \tau^{\alpha''} \hbar^\ell,$$

and this proves (2). \square

3B. Formal Birkhoff normal form. In this section we construct the Birkhoff normal form at a formal level. We will work with the Taylor series of the symbol H of \mathcal{L}_\hbar , in the new coordinates Φ_1 . According to Theorem 1.4, $\hat{H} = H \circ \Phi_1$ defines a formal series

$$[\hat{H}] = H_2 + \sum_{k \geq 3} H_k,$$

where $H_k \in \mathcal{D}_k$ and

$$H_2 = \langle M(w, t) \tau, \tau \rangle + \sum_{j=1}^s \hat{\beta}_j(w, t) |z_j|^2. \quad (3-4)$$

At a formal level, the normal form can be stated as follows.

Theorem 3.3. *For every $\gamma \in \mathcal{O}_3$, there are $\kappa, \rho \in \mathcal{O}_3$ such that*

$$e^{(i/\hbar) \operatorname{ad}_\rho} (H_2 + \gamma) = H_2 + \kappa + \mathcal{O}_{r_1},$$

where κ is a function of harmonic oscillators:

$$\kappa = F(|z_1|^2, \dots, |z_s|^2, \tau, \hbar), \quad \text{with some } F \in \mathcal{C}^\infty(U)[[I_1, \dots, I_s, \tau, \hbar]].$$

Moreover, if γ has real-valued coefficients, then so do ρ, κ and the remainder \mathcal{O}_{r_1} .

Proof. We prove this by induction on an integer $N \geq 3$. Assume that we found $\rho_{N-1}, K_3, \dots, K_{N-1} \in \mathcal{O}_3$, with $[K_i, |z_j|^2] = 0$ for every (i, j) and $K_i \in \mathcal{D}_i$ such that

$$e^{(i/\hbar) \operatorname{ad}_{\rho_{N-1}}} (H_2 + \gamma) = H_2 + K_3 + \dots + K_{N-1} + \mathcal{O}_N.$$

Rewriting the remainder as $R_N + \mathcal{O}_{N+1}$, with $R_N \in \mathcal{D}_N$, we have

$$e^{(i/\hbar) \operatorname{ad}_{\rho_{N-1}}} (H_2 + \gamma) = H_2 + K_3 + \dots + K_{N-1} + R_N + \mathcal{O}_{N+1}.$$

We are looking for a $\rho' \in \mathcal{O}_N$. For such a ρ' we apply $e^{(i/\hbar) \operatorname{ad}_{\rho'}}$:

$$e^{(i/\hbar) \operatorname{ad}_{\rho_{N-1} + \rho'}} (H_2 + \gamma) = e^{(i/\hbar) \operatorname{ad}_{\rho'}} (H_2 + K_3 + \dots + K_{N-1} + R_N + \mathcal{O}_{N+1}).$$

Since $(i/\hbar) \operatorname{ad}_{\rho'} : \mathcal{O}_k \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{k+N-2}$ we have

$$e^{(i/\hbar) \operatorname{ad}_{\rho_{N-1}+\rho'}}(H_2 + \gamma) = H_2 + K_3 + \cdots + K_{N-1} + R_N + \frac{i}{\hbar} \operatorname{ad}_{\rho'}(H_2) + \mathcal{O}_{N+1}. \quad (3-5)$$

The new term $(i/\hbar) \operatorname{ad}_{\rho'}(H_2) = -(i/\hbar) \operatorname{ad}_{H_2}(\rho')$ can still be simplified. Indeed by (3-4),

$$\frac{i}{\hbar} \operatorname{ad}_{H_2}(\rho') = \frac{i}{\hbar} [\langle M(w, t)\tau, \tau \rangle, \rho'] + \sum_{j=1}^s \left(\hat{\beta}_j \frac{i}{\hbar} [|z_j|^2, \rho'] + |z_j|^2 \frac{i}{\hbar} [\hat{\beta}_j, \rho'] \right), \quad (3-6)$$

with

$$\frac{i}{\hbar} [\hat{\beta}_j, \rho'] = \sum_{i=1}^s \left(\frac{\partial \hat{\beta}_j}{\partial y_i} \frac{\partial \rho'}{\partial \eta_i} - \frac{\partial \hat{\beta}_j}{\partial \eta_i} \frac{\partial \rho'}{\partial y_i} \right) + \sum_{i=1}^k \frac{\partial \hat{\beta}_j}{\partial t_i} \frac{\partial \rho'}{\partial \tau_i} + \mathcal{O}_{N-1} = \mathcal{O}_{N-1},$$

because a derivation with respect to (y, η, t) does not decrease the degree. Similarly,

$$\frac{i}{\hbar} [\langle M(w, t)\tau, \tau \rangle, \rho'] = \sum_{j=1}^k \left(\langle \partial_{t_j} M(w, t)\tau, \tau \rangle \frac{\partial \rho'}{\partial \tau_j} - \frac{\partial \langle M(w, t)\tau, \tau \rangle}{\partial \tau_j} \frac{\partial \rho'}{\partial t_j} \right) + \mathcal{O}_{N+1} = \mathcal{O}_{N+1},$$

and thus (3-6) becomes

$$\frac{i}{\hbar} \operatorname{ad}_{H_2}(\rho') = \sum_{j=1}^s \left(\hat{\beta}_j \frac{i}{\hbar} \operatorname{ad}_{|z_j|^2}(\rho') \right) + \mathcal{O}_{N+1}.$$

Using this formula in (3-5) we get

$$e^{(i/\hbar) \operatorname{ad}_{\rho_{N-1}+\rho'}}(H_2 + \gamma) = H_2 + K_3 + \cdots + K_{N-1} + R_N - \sum_{j=1}^s \hat{\beta}_j \frac{i}{\hbar} \operatorname{ad}_{|z_j|^2}(\rho') + \mathcal{O}_{N+1}.$$

Thus, we are looking for $K_N, \rho' \in \mathcal{D}_N$ such that

$$R_N = K_N + \sum_{j=1}^s \hat{\beta}_j \frac{i}{\hbar} \operatorname{ad}_{|z_j|^2}(\rho'),$$

with $[K_N, |z_j|^2] = 0$. By Lemma 3.2, we can solve this equation provided $N < r_1$, and this concludes the proof. Moreover, $(i/\hbar) \operatorname{ad}_{|z_j|^2}$ is a real endomorphism, so we can solve this equation on \mathbb{R} . \square

3C. Quantizing the normal form. We now construct the normal form \mathcal{N}_\hbar , quantizing Theorems 1.4 and 3.3. We denote by $\mathcal{I}_\hbar^{(j)}$ the harmonic oscillator with respect to x_j , defined by

$$\mathcal{I}_\hbar^{(j)} = \operatorname{Op}_\hbar^w(\xi_j^2 + x_j^2) = -\hbar^2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x_j^2} + x_j^2.$$

We prove the following theorem.

Theorem 3.4. *There exist*

- (1) *a microlocally unitary operator $U_\hbar : L^2(\mathbb{R}_{x,y,t}^d) \rightarrow L^2(M)$ quantizing a symplectomorphism $\tilde{\Phi}_1 = \Phi_1 + \mathcal{O}((x, \xi, \tau)^2)$, microlocally on $U'_1 \times U_1$,*
- (2) *a function $f_1^\star : \mathbb{R}_{y,\eta,t,\tau}^{2s+2k} \times \mathbb{R}_I^s \times [0, 1]$ which is \mathcal{C}^∞ with compact support such that*

$$f_1^\star(y, \eta, t, \tau, I, \hbar) \leq C((|I| + \hbar)^2 + |\tau|(|I| + \hbar) + |\tau|^3),$$

- (3) *an \hbar -pseudodifferential operator \mathcal{R}_\hbar , whose symbol is $\mathcal{O}((x, \xi, \tau, \hbar^{1/2})^{r_1})$ on U'_1 ,*

such that

$$U_h^* \mathcal{L}_h U_h = \mathcal{N}_h + \mathcal{R}_h,$$

with

$$\mathcal{N}_h = \text{Op}_h^w \langle M(w, t) \tau, \tau \rangle + \sum_{j=1}^s \mathcal{I}_h^{(j)} \text{Op}_h^w \hat{\beta}_j(w, t) + \text{Op}_h^w f_1^*(y, \eta, t, \tau, \mathcal{I}_h^{(j)}, \dots, \mathcal{I}_h^{(s)}, \hbar).$$

Remark 3.5. U_h is a Fourier integral operator quantizing the symplectomorphism $\tilde{\Phi}_1$; see [Martinez 2002; Zworski 2012]. In particular, if \mathcal{A}_h is a pseudodifferential operator on M with symbol $a_h = a_0 + \mathcal{O}(\hbar^2)$, then $U_h^* \mathcal{A}_h U_h$ is a pseudodifferential operator on \mathbb{R}^d with symbol

$$\sigma_h = a_0 \circ \tilde{\Phi}_1 + \mathcal{O}(\hbar^2) \quad \text{on } U'_1.$$

Remark 3.6. Due to the parameters (y, η, t, τ) in the formal normal form, an additional quantization is needed, hence the $\text{Op}_h^w f_1^*$ -term. It is a quantization with respect to (y, η, t, τ) of an operator-valued symbol $f_1^*(y, \eta, t, \tau, \mathcal{I}_h^{(1)}, \dots, \mathcal{I}_h^{(s)})$. Actually, this operator symbol is simple since one can diagonalize it explicitly. Denoting by $h_{n_j}^j(x_j)$ the n_j -th eigenfunction of $\mathcal{I}_h^{(j)}$, associated to the eigenvalue $(2n_j - 1)\hbar$, we have for all $n \in \mathbb{N}^s$

$$f_1^*(y, \eta, t, \tau, \mathcal{I}_h^{(1)}, \dots, \mathcal{I}_h^{(s)}, \hbar) h_n(x) = f_1^*(y, \eta, \tau, (2n - 1)\hbar, \hbar) h_n(x),$$

where $h_n(x) = h_{n_1}^1(x_1) \cdots h_{n_s}^s(x_s)$. Thus the operator $\text{Op}_h^w f_1^*$ satisfies, for $u \in L^2(\mathbb{R}_{(y,t)}^{s+k})$,

$$(\text{Op}_h^w f_1^*)u \otimes h_n = (\text{Op}_h^w f_1^*(y, \eta, t, \tau, (2n - 1)\hbar, \hbar)u) \otimes h_n.$$

Proof. In order to prove Theorem 3.4, we first quantize Theorem 1.4. Using the Egorov theorem, there exists a microlocally unitary operator $V_h : L^2(\mathbb{R}^d) \rightarrow L^2(M)$ quantizing the symplectomorphism $\Phi_1 : U'_1 \rightarrow U_1$. Thus,

$$V_h^* \mathcal{L}_h V_h = \text{Op}_h^w(\sigma_h)$$

for some symbol σ_h such that

$$\sigma_h = \hat{H} + \mathcal{O}(\hbar^2) \quad \text{on } U'_1.$$

Then we use the following lemma to quantize the formal normal form and conclude. □

Lemma 3.7. *There exists a bounded pseudodifferential operator \mathcal{Q}_h with compactly supported symbol such that*

$$e^{(i/\hbar)\mathcal{Q}_h} \text{Op}_h^w(\sigma_h) e^{-(i/\hbar)\mathcal{Q}_h} = \mathcal{N}_h + \mathcal{R}_h,$$

where \mathcal{N}_h and \mathcal{R}_h satisfy the properties stated in Theorem 3.4.

Remark 3.8. As explained below, the principal symbol Q of \mathcal{Q}_h is $\mathcal{O}((x, \xi, \tau)^3)$. Thus, the symplectic flow φ_t associated to the Hamiltonian Q is $\varphi_t(x, \xi, \tau) = (x, \xi, \tau) + \mathcal{O}((x, \xi, \tau)^2)$. Moreover, the Egorov theorem implies that $e^{-(i/\hbar)\mathcal{Q}_h}$ quantizes the symplectomorphism φ_1 . Hence, $V_h e^{-(i/\hbar)\mathcal{Q}_h}$ quantizes the symplectomorphism $\tilde{\Phi}_1 = \Phi_1 \circ \varphi_1 = \Phi_1 + \mathcal{O}((x, \xi, \tau)^2)$.

Proof. The proof of this lemma follows the exact same lines as in the case $k = 0$ [Morin 2022b, Theorem 4.1]. Let us recall the main arguments. The symbol σ_h is equal to $\widehat{H} + \mathcal{O}(\hbar^2)$ on U'_1 . Thus, its associated formal series is $[\sigma_h] = H_2 + \gamma$ for some $\gamma \in \mathcal{O}_3$. Using the Birkhoff normal form algorithm (Theorem 3.3), we get $\kappa, \rho \in \mathcal{O}_3$ such that

$$e^{(i/\hbar)\text{ad}_\rho}(H_2 + \gamma) = H_2 + \kappa + \mathcal{O}_{r_1}.$$

If Q_h is a smooth compactly supported symbol with Taylor series $[Q_h] = \rho$, then by the Egorov theorem the operator

$$e^{i\hbar^{-1}\text{Op}_h^w Q_h} \text{Op}_h^w(\sigma_h) e^{-i\hbar^{-1}\text{Op}_h^w Q_h} \quad (3-7)$$

has a symbol with Taylor series $H_2 + \kappa + \mathcal{O}_{r_1}$. Since κ commutes with the oscillator $|z_j|^2$, it can be written as

$$\kappa = \sum_{2|\alpha|+|\alpha'|+2\ell \geq 3} c_{\alpha\alpha'\ell}(w, t) |z_1|^{2\alpha_1} \dots |z_s|^{2\alpha_s} \tau_1^{\alpha'_1} \dots \tau_k^{\alpha'_k} \hbar^\ell.$$

We can reorder this formal series using the monomials $(|z_j|^2)^{\star\alpha_j} = |z_j|^2 \star \dots \star |z_j|^2$:

$$\kappa = \sum_{2|\alpha|+|\alpha'|+2\ell \geq 3} c_{\alpha\alpha'\ell}^\star(w, t) (|z_1|^2)^{\star\alpha_1} \dots (|z_s|^2)^{\star\alpha_s} \tau_1^{\alpha'_1} \dots \tau_k^{\alpha'_k} \hbar^\ell.$$

If f_1^\star is a smooth compactly supported function with Taylor series

$$[f_1^\star] = \sum_{2|\alpha|+|\alpha'|+2\ell \geq 3} c_{\alpha\alpha'\ell}^\star(w, t) I_1^{\alpha_1} \dots I_s^{\alpha_s} \tau_1^{\alpha'_1} \dots \tau_k^{\alpha'_k} \hbar^\ell,$$

then the operator (3-7) is equal to

$$\mathcal{N}_h = \text{Op}_h^w H_2 + \text{Op}_h^w f_1^\star(y, \eta, t, \tau, \mathcal{I}_h^{(1)}, \dots, \mathcal{I}_h^{(s)}, \hbar)$$

modulo \mathcal{O}_{r_1} . □

4. Comparing the spectra of \mathcal{L}_h and \mathcal{N}_h

4A. Spectrum of \mathcal{N}_h . In this section we describe the spectral properties of \mathcal{N}_h . We can use the properties of harmonic oscillators to diagonalize it in the following way. For $1 \leq j \leq s$ and $n_j \geq 1$, we recall that the n_j -th Hermite function $h_{n_j}^j(x_j)$ is an eigenfunction of $\mathcal{I}_h^{(j)}$,

$$\mathcal{I}_h^{(j)} h_{n_j}^j = \hbar(2n_j - 1) h_{n_j}^j,$$

and the functions $(h_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^s}$ defined by

$$h_n(x) = h_{n_1}^1 \otimes \dots \otimes h_{n_s}^s(x) = h_{n_1}^1(x_1) \dots h_{n_s}^s(x_s)$$

form a Hilbertian basis of $L^2(\mathbb{R}_x^s)$. Thus, we can use this basis to decompose the space $L^2(\mathbb{R}_{x,y,t}^{2s+k})$ on which \mathcal{N}_h acts:

$$L^2(\mathbb{R}^{2s+k}) = \bigoplus_{n \in \mathbb{N}^s} (L^2(\mathbb{R}_{y,t}^{s+k}) \otimes h_n).$$

\mathcal{N}_h preserves this decomposition and

$$\mathcal{N}_h = \bigoplus_{n \in \mathbb{N}^s} \mathcal{N}_h^{[n]},$$

where $\mathcal{N}_h^{[n]}$ is the pseudodifferential operator with symbol

$$N_h^{[n]} = \langle M(w, t)\tau, \tau \rangle + \sum_{j=1}^s \hat{\beta}_j(w, t)(2n_j + 1)\hbar + f_1^*(w, t, \tau, (2n - 1)\hbar, \hbar). \quad (4-1)$$

In particular, the spectrum of \mathcal{N}_h is given by

$$\text{sp}(\mathcal{N}_h) = \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}^s} \text{sp}(\mathcal{N}_h^{[n]}).$$

Moreover, as in the $k = 0$ case, for any $b_1 > 0$ there is an $N_{\max} > 0$ (independent of \hbar) such that

$$\text{sp}(\mathcal{N}_h) \cap (-\infty, b_1\hbar) = \bigcup_{|n| \leq N_{\max}} \text{sp}(\mathcal{N}_h^{[n]}) \cap (-\infty, b_1\hbar).$$

The reason is that the symbol $N_h^{[n]}$ is greater than $b_1\hbar$ for n large enough. Finally, to prove our main result, Theorem 1.7, it remains to compare the spectra of \mathcal{L}_h and \mathcal{N}_h .

4B. Microlocalization of the eigenfunctions. Here we prove microlocalization results for the eigenfunctions of \mathcal{L}_h and \mathcal{N}_h . These results are needed to show that the remainders $\mathcal{O}((x, \xi, \tau)^{r_1})$ we got are small. More precisely, for each operator we need to prove that the eigenfunctions are microlocalized

- inside Ω (space localization),
- where $|(x, \xi, \tau)| \lesssim \hbar^\delta$ for $\delta \in (0, \frac{1}{2})$ (i.e., close to Σ).

Fix \tilde{b}_1 such that

$$K_{\tilde{b}_1} = \{q \in M : b(q) \leq \tilde{b}_1\} \Subset \Omega.$$

Lemma 4.1 (space localization for \mathcal{L}_h). *Let $b_1 \in (b_0, \tilde{b}_1)$ and $\chi_0 \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(M)$ be a cutoff function such that $\chi_0 = 1$ on $K_{\tilde{b}_1}$. Then every normalized eigenfunction ψ_h of \mathcal{L}_h associated with an eigenvalue $\lambda_h \leq b_1\hbar$ satisfies*

$$\psi_h = \chi_0 \psi_h + \mathcal{O}(\hbar^\infty),$$

where the $\mathcal{O}(\hbar^\infty)$ is independent of (λ_h, ψ_h) .

Proof. This follows from the Agmon estimates,

$$\|e^{d(q, K_{\tilde{b}_1})\hbar^{-1/4}} \psi_h\| \leq C \|\psi_h\|^2, \quad (4-2)$$

as in the $k = 0$ case (in [Morin 2022b]). Indeed, from (4-2) we deduce

$$\|(1 - \chi_0)\psi\| \leq C e^{-\varepsilon\hbar^{-1/4}} \|\psi_h\|,$$

as soon as $\chi_0 = 1$ on an ε -neighborhood of $K_{\tilde{b}_1}$. □

Lemma 4.2 (microlocalization near Σ for \mathcal{L}_h). *Let $\delta \in (0, \frac{1}{2})$, $b_1 \in (b_0, \tilde{b}_1)$ and $\chi_1 \in \mathcal{C}^\infty(T^*M)$ be a cutoff function equal to 1 on a neighborhood of Σ . Then every eigenfunction ψ_h of \mathcal{L}_h associated with an eigenvalue $\lambda_h \leq b_1 h$ satisfies*

$$\psi_h = \text{Op}_h^w \chi_1(\hbar^{-\delta}(q, p)) \psi_h + \mathcal{O}(\hbar^\infty) \psi_h,$$

where the $\mathcal{O}(\hbar^\infty)$ is in the space of bounded operators $\mathcal{L}(\mathbf{L}^2, \mathbf{L}^2)$ and independent of (λ_h, ψ_h) .

Proof. Let $g_h \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R})$ be such that

$$g_h(\lambda) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \lambda \leq b_1 h, \\ 0 & \text{if } \lambda \geq \tilde{b}_1 h. \end{cases}$$

Then the eigenfunction ψ_h satisfies

$$\psi_h = g_h(\lambda_h) \psi_h = g_h(\mathcal{L}_h) \psi_h.$$

With the notation $\chi = 1 - \chi_1$, we will prove that

$$\|\text{Op}_h^w \chi(\hbar^{-\delta}(q, p)) g_h(\mathcal{L}_h)\|_{\mathcal{L}(\mathbf{L}^2, \mathbf{L}^2)} = \mathcal{O}(\hbar^\infty), \quad (4-3)$$

from which will follow $\psi_h = \text{Op}_h^w \chi_1(\hbar^{-\delta}(q, p)) \psi_h + \mathcal{O}(\hbar^\infty) \psi_h$, uniformly with respect to (λ_h, ψ_h) .

To lighten the notation, we define $\chi^w := \text{Op}_h^w \chi(\hbar^{-\delta}(q, p))$. For every $\psi \in \mathbf{L}^2(M)$ we define $\varphi = g_h(\mathcal{L}_h) \psi$. Then,

$$\langle \mathcal{L}_h \chi^w \varphi, \chi^w \varphi \rangle = \langle \chi^w \mathcal{L}_h \varphi, \chi^w \varphi \rangle + \langle [\mathcal{L}_h, \chi^w] \varphi, \chi^w \varphi \rangle. \quad (4-4)$$

We will bound from above the right-hand side, and from below the left-hand side. First, since $g_h(\lambda)$ is supported where $\lambda \leq \tilde{b}_1 h$, we have

$$\langle \chi^w \mathcal{L}_h \varphi, \chi^w \varphi \rangle \leq \tilde{b}_1 h \|\chi^w \varphi\|^2. \quad (4-5)$$

Moreover, the commutator $[\mathcal{L}_h, \chi^w]$ is a pseudodifferential operator of order \hbar , with symbol supported on $\text{supp } \chi$. Hence, if $\underline{\chi}$ is a cutoff function having the same general properties of χ , such that $\underline{\chi} = 1$ on $\text{supp } \chi$, we have

$$\langle [\mathcal{L}_h, \chi^w] \varphi, \chi^w \varphi \rangle \leq C \hbar \|\underline{\chi}^w \varphi\| \|\chi^w \varphi\|. \quad (4-6)$$

Finally, the symbol of χ^w is equal to 0 on an \hbar^δ -neighborhood of Σ , and thus the symbol $|p - A(q)|^2$ of \mathcal{L}_h is $\geq c \hbar^{2\delta}$ on the support of χ^w . Hence the Gårding inequality yields

$$\langle \mathcal{L}_h \chi^w \varphi, \chi^w \varphi \rangle \geq c \hbar^{2\delta} \|\chi^w \varphi\|^2. \quad (4-7)$$

Using this last inequality in (4-4), and bounding the right-hand side with (4-5) and (4-6) we find

$$c \hbar^{2\delta} \|\chi^w \varphi\|^2 \leq \tilde{b}_1 h \|\chi^w \varphi\|^2 + C \hbar \|\underline{\chi}^w \varphi\| \|\chi^w \varphi\|,$$

and we deduce that

$$\|\chi^w \varphi\| \leq C \hbar^{1-2\delta} \|\underline{\chi}^w \varphi\|.$$

Iterating with $\underline{\chi}$ instead of χ , we finally get, for arbitrarily large $N > 0$,

$$\|\chi^w \varphi\| \leq C_N \hbar^N \|\varphi\|.$$

This is true for every ψ , with $\varphi = g_h(\mathcal{L}_h) \psi$, and thus $\|\chi^w g_h(\mathcal{L}_h)\| = \mathcal{O}(\hbar^\infty)$. \square

Lemma 4.3 (microlocalization near Σ for \mathcal{N}_h). *Let $\delta \in (0, \frac{1}{2})$, $b_1 \in (b_0, \tilde{b}_1)$ and $\chi_1 \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}_{x,\xi,\tau}^{2s+k})$ be a cutoff function equal to 1 on a neighborhood of 0. Then every eigenfunction ψ_h of \mathcal{N}_h associated with an eigenvalue $\lambda_h \leq b_1 h$ satisfies*

$$\psi_h = \text{Op}_h^w \chi_1(\hbar^{-\delta}(x, \xi, \tau)) + \mathcal{O}(\hbar^\infty) \psi_h,$$

where the $\mathcal{O}(\hbar^\infty)$ is in $\mathcal{L}(L^2, L^2)$ and independent of (λ_h, ψ_h) .

Proof. Just as in the previous lemma, it is enough to show that

$$\|\chi^w g_h(\mathcal{N}_h)\| = \mathcal{O}(\hbar^\infty),$$

where $\chi^w = \text{Op}_h^w(1 - \chi_1(\hbar^{-\delta}(x, \xi, \tau)))$. We prove this using the same method. If $\psi \in L^2(\mathbb{R}^d)$ and $\varphi = g_h(\mathcal{N}_h)\psi$,

$$\langle \mathcal{N}_h \chi^w \varphi, \chi^w \varphi \rangle = \langle \chi^w \mathcal{N}_h \varphi, \chi^w \varphi \rangle + \langle [\mathcal{N}_h, \chi^w] \varphi, \chi^w \varphi \rangle. \quad (4-8)$$

The right-hand side can be bounded from above as before. On the left-hand side we find $\varepsilon > 0$ such that

$$\langle \mathcal{N}_h \chi^w \varphi, \chi^w \varphi \rangle \geq (1 - \varepsilon) \langle \mathcal{H}_2 \chi^w \varphi, \chi^w \varphi \rangle, \quad (4-9)$$

with $\mathcal{H}_2 = \text{Op}_h^w(\langle M(w, t)\tau, \tau \rangle + \sum \hat{\beta}_j(w, t)|z_j|^2)$. The symbol of χ^w vanishes on an \hbar^δ -neighborhood of $x = \xi = \tau = 0$. Thus we can bound from below the symbol of \mathcal{H}_2 and use the Gårding inequality:

$$\langle \mathcal{H}_2 \chi^w \varphi, \chi^w \varphi \rangle \geq c \hbar^{2\delta} \|\chi^w \varphi\|^2.$$

We conclude the proof as in Lemma 4.2. □

Lemma 4.4 (space localization for \mathcal{N}_h). *Let $b_1 \in (b_0, \tilde{b}_1)$ and $\chi_0 \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}_{y,\eta,t}^{2s+k})$ be a cutoff function equal to 1 on a neighborhood of $\{\hat{b}(y, \eta, t) \leq \tilde{b}_1\}$. Then every eigenfunction ψ_h of \mathcal{N}_h associated with an eigenvalue $\lambda_h \leq b_1 h$ satisfies*

$$\psi_h = \text{Op}_h^w \chi_0(w, t) \psi_h + \mathcal{O}(\hbar^\infty) \psi_h,$$

where the $\mathcal{O}(\hbar^\infty)$ is in $\mathcal{L}(L^2, L^2)$ and independent of (λ_h, ψ_h) .

Proof. Every eigenfunction of \mathcal{N}_h is given by $\psi_h(x, y, t) = u_h(y, t) h_n(x)$ for some Hermite function h_n with $|n| \leq N_{\max}$ and some eigenfunction u_h of $\mathcal{N}_h^{[n]}$. Thus, it is enough to prove the lemma for the eigenfunctions of $\mathcal{N}_h^{[n]}$. If u_h is such an eigenfunction, associated with an eigenvalue $\lambda_h \leq b_1 h$, then

$$u_h = g_h(\mathcal{N}_h^{[n]}) u_h.$$

We will prove that $\|\chi^w g_h(\mathcal{N}_h^{[n]})\| = \mathcal{O}(\hbar^\infty)$, with $\chi^w = \text{Op}_h^w(1 - \chi_0)$, which is enough to conclude. If $u \in L^2(\mathbb{R}_{y,t}^{k+s})$ and $\varphi = g_h(\mathcal{N}_h^{[n]})u$, then

$$\langle \mathcal{N}_h^{[n]} \chi^w \varphi, \chi^w \varphi \rangle = \langle \chi^w \mathcal{N}_h^{[n]} \varphi, \chi^w \varphi \rangle + \langle [\mathcal{N}_h^{[n]}, \chi^w] \varphi, \chi^w \varphi \rangle. \quad (4-10)$$

We first have the bound

$$\langle \chi^w \mathcal{N}_h^{[n]} \varphi, \chi^w \varphi \rangle \leq \tilde{b}_1 h \|\chi^w \varphi\|^2. \quad (4-11)$$

The commutator $[\mathcal{N}_h^{[n]}, \chi^w]$ is a pseudodifferential operator of order \hbar with symbol supported on $\text{supp } \chi$. Moreover, its principal symbol is $\{N_h^{[n]}, \chi\}$. From the definition of $N_h^{[n]}$ we deduce

$$\langle [\mathcal{N}_h^{[n]}, \chi^w] \varphi, \chi^w \varphi \rangle \leq C\hbar \langle \underline{\chi}^w |\tau|^w \varphi, \chi^w \varphi \rangle,$$

where $\underline{\chi}$ has the same general properties as χ , and is equal to 1 on $\text{supp } \chi$. By Lemma 4.3, we can find a cutoff where $|\tau| \lesssim \hbar^\delta$ and we get

$$\langle [\mathcal{N}_h^{[n]}, \chi^w] \varphi, \chi^w \varphi \rangle \leq C\hbar^{1+\delta} \|\underline{\chi}^w \varphi\| \|\chi^w \varphi\|. \quad (4-12)$$

Finally for $\varepsilon > 0$ small enough we have the lower bound

$$\langle \mathcal{N}_h^{[n]} \chi^w \varphi, \chi^w \varphi \rangle \geq \hbar(\tilde{b}_1 + \varepsilon) \|\chi^w \varphi\|^2,$$

because $N_h^{[n]}(w, t) \geq \hbar \hat{b}(w, t)$ and χ vanishes on a neighborhood of $\{\hat{b}(w, t) \leq \tilde{b}_1\}$. Using this lower bound in (4-10), and bounding the right-hand side with (4-11) and (4-12) we get

$$\hbar(\tilde{b}_1 + \varepsilon) \|\chi^w \varphi\|^2 \leq \hbar \tilde{b}_1 \|\chi^w \varphi\|^2 + C\hbar^{1+\delta} \|\underline{\chi}^w \varphi\| \|\chi^w \varphi\|. \quad (4-13)$$

Thus

$$\varepsilon \|\chi^w \varphi\| \leq C\hbar^\delta \|\underline{\chi}^w \varphi\|,$$

and we can iterate with $\underline{\chi}$ instead of χ to conclude. \square

4C. Proof of Theorem 1.7. To conclude the proof of Theorem 1.7, it remains to show that

$$\lambda_n(\mathcal{L}_\hbar) = \lambda_n(\mathcal{N}_\hbar) + \mathcal{O}(\hbar^{r_1/2-\varepsilon})$$

uniformly with respect to $n \in [1, N_h^{\max}]$ with

$$N_h^{\max} = \max\{n \in \mathbb{N} : \lambda_n(\mathcal{L}_\hbar) \leq b_1 \hbar\}.$$

Here $\lambda_n(\mathcal{A})$ denotes the n -th eigenvalue of the self-adjoint operator \mathcal{A} , repeated with multiplicities.

Lemma 4.5. *One has*

$$\lambda_n(\mathcal{L}_\hbar) = \lambda_n(\mathcal{N}_\hbar) + \mathcal{O}(\hbar^{r_1/2-\varepsilon})$$

uniformly with respect to $n \in [1, N_h^{\max}]$.

Proof. Let us focus on the “ \leq ” inequality. For $n \in [1, N_h^{\max}]$, denote by ψ_n^\hbar the normalized eigenfunction of \mathcal{N}_\hbar associated with $\lambda_n(\mathcal{N}_\hbar)$, and

$$\varphi_n^\hbar = U_\hbar \psi_n^\hbar,$$

where U_\hbar is given by Theorem 3.4. We will use φ_n^\hbar as quasimode for \mathcal{L}_\hbar . Let $N \in [1, N_h^{\max}]$ and

$$V_N^\hbar = \text{span}\{\varphi_n^\hbar : 1 \leq n \leq N\}.$$

For $\varphi \in V_N^\hbar$ we use the notation $\psi = U_\hbar^{-1} \varphi$. By Theorem 3.4, we have

$$\langle \mathcal{L}_\hbar \varphi, \varphi \rangle = \langle \mathcal{N}_\hbar \psi, \psi \rangle + \langle \mathcal{R}_\hbar \psi, \psi \rangle \leq \lambda_N(\mathcal{N}_\hbar) \|\psi\|^2 + \langle \mathcal{R}_\hbar \psi, \psi \rangle. \quad (4-14)$$

According to Lemmas 4.3 and 4.4, ψ is microlocalized, where $(w, t) \in \{\hat{b}(w, t) \leq \tilde{b}_1\} \subset U$ and $|(x, \xi, \tau)| \leq \hbar^\delta$. But the symbol of \mathcal{R}_\hbar is such that $R_\hbar = \mathcal{O}((x, \xi, \tau, \hbar^{1/2})^{r_1})$ for $(w, t) \in U$, so

$$\langle \mathcal{R}_\hbar \psi, \psi \rangle = \mathcal{O}(\hbar^{\delta r_1}) = \mathcal{O}(\hbar^{r_1/2-\varepsilon}) \quad (4-15)$$

for suitable $\delta \in (0, \frac{1}{2})$. By (4-14) and (4-15) we have

$$\langle \mathcal{L}_\hbar \varphi, \varphi \rangle \leq (\lambda_N(\mathcal{N}_\hbar) + C\hbar^{r_1/2-\varepsilon}) \|\varphi\|^2 \quad \text{for all } \varphi \in V_N^\hbar.$$

Since V_N^\hbar is N -dimensional, the minimax principle implies that

$$\lambda_N(\mathcal{L}_\hbar) \leq \lambda_N(\mathcal{N}_\hbar) + C\hbar^{r_1/2-\varepsilon}. \quad (4-16)$$

The reversed inequality is proved in the same way: we take the eigenfunctions of \mathcal{L}_\hbar as quasimodes for \mathcal{N}_\hbar , and we use the microlocalization lemma, Lemma 4.2. \square

5. A second normal form in the case $k > 0$

In the previous sections, we compared the spectrum of \mathcal{L}_\hbar and the spectrum of the normal form \mathcal{N}_\hbar . Moreover, if $b_1 > b_0$ is sufficiently close to b_0 the spectrum of \mathcal{N}_\hbar in $(-\infty, b_1\hbar)$ is given by the spectrum of $\mathcal{N}_\hbar^{[1]}$, an \hbar -pseudodifferential operator on $\mathbb{R}_{(y,t)}^{s+k}$ with symbol

$$N_\hbar^{[1]} = \langle M(y, \eta, t)\tau, \tau \rangle + \hbar \hat{b}(y, \eta, t) + f_1^*(y, \eta, t, \tau, \hbar). \quad (5-1)$$

In this section, we will construct a Birkhoff normal form again, to describe the spectrum of $\mathcal{N}_\hbar^{[1]}$ by an effective operator \mathcal{M}_\hbar on \mathbb{R}_y^s . For that purpose, in Section 5A we will find new canonical variables $(\hat{t}, \hat{\tau})$ in which $N_\hbar^{[1]}$ is the perturbation of a harmonic oscillator. In Sections 5B and 5C we will construct the semiclassical Birkhoff normal form \mathcal{M}_\hbar . In Section 5D we will prove that the spectrum of $\mathcal{N}_\hbar^{[1]}$ is given by the spectrum of \mathcal{M}_\hbar .

Under Assumption 1 we know that $t \mapsto \hat{b}(w, t)$ admits a nondegenerate minimum at $s(w)$ for w in a neighborhood of 0, and we denote by $(v_1^2(w), \dots, v_k^2(w))$ the eigenvalues of the positive symmetric matrix

$$M(w, s(w))^{1/2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \partial_t^2 \hat{b}(w, s(w)) \cdot M(w, s(w))^{1/2}.$$

The maps v_1, \dots, v_k are smooth nonvanishing functions in a neighborhood of $w = 0$.

5A. Geometry of the symbol $\mathcal{N}_\hbar^{[1]}$. We prove the following lemma.

Lemma 5.1. *There exists a canonical (symplectic) transformation $\Phi_2 : U_2 \rightarrow V_2$ between neighborhoods U_2, V_2 of $0 \in \mathbb{R}_{(y,\eta,t,\tau)}^{2s+2k}$ such that*

$$\hat{N}_\hbar := N_\hbar^{[1]} \circ \Phi_2 = \hbar \hat{b}(w, s(w)) + \sum_{j=1}^k v_j(w) (\tau_j^2 + \hbar t_j^2) + \mathcal{O}(|t|^3 |\tau|^2 + |t|^3 \hbar + \hbar^2 + \hbar |\tau| + |\tau|^3 + |t| |\tau|^2).$$

Proof. We want to expand $\mathcal{N}_\hbar^{[1]}$ near its minimum with respect to the variables $v = (t, \tau)$. First, from the Taylor expansion of f_1^* we deduce

$$N_\hbar^{[1]} = \langle M(w, t)\tau, \tau \rangle + \hbar \hat{b}(w, t) + \mathcal{O}(\hbar^2 + \tau \hbar + \tau^3).$$

We will Taylor-expand $t \mapsto \hat{b}(w, t)$ on a neighborhood of its minimum point $s(w)$. For that purpose, we define new variables $(\tilde{y}, \tilde{\eta}, \tilde{t}, \tilde{\tau}) = \tilde{\varphi}(y, \eta, t, \tau)$ by

$$\begin{cases} \tilde{y} = y - \sum_{j=1}^k \tau_j \nabla_{\eta} s_j(y, \eta), \\ \tilde{\eta} = \eta + \sum_{j=1}^k \tau_j \nabla_y s_j(y, \eta), \\ \tilde{t} = t - s(y, \eta), \\ \tilde{\tau} = \tau. \end{cases}$$

Then $\tilde{\varphi}^* \omega_0 = \omega_0 + \mathcal{O}(\tau)$. Using Theorem B.2, we can make $\tilde{\varphi}$ symplectic on a neighborhood of 0, up to a change of order $\mathcal{O}(\tau^2)$. In these new variables, the symbol $\tilde{N}_h := N_h^{[1]} \circ \tilde{\varphi}^{-1}$ is

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{N}_h &= \langle M[\tilde{w} + \mathcal{O}(\tilde{\tau}), \tilde{t} + s(\tilde{w} + \mathcal{O}(\tilde{\tau}))] \tilde{\tau}, \tilde{\tau} \rangle + \hbar \hat{b}[\tilde{y} + \mathcal{O}(\tilde{\tau}), \tilde{\eta} + \mathcal{O}(\tilde{\tau}), s(\tilde{y}, \tilde{\eta}) + \tilde{t} + \mathcal{O}(\tilde{\tau})] \\ &\quad + \mathcal{O}(\hbar^2 + \hbar \tilde{\tau} + \tilde{\tau}^3) \\ &= \langle M(\tilde{w}, \tilde{t} + s(\tilde{w})) \tilde{\tau}, \tilde{\tau} \rangle + \hbar \hat{b}[\tilde{y}, \tilde{\eta}, s(\tilde{y}, \tilde{\eta}) + \tilde{t}] + \mathcal{O}(\hbar^2 + \hbar \tilde{\tau} + \tilde{\tau}^3). \end{aligned}$$

Then we remove the tildes and expand this symbol in powers of t, τ, \hbar . We find

$$\tilde{N}_h = \langle M(w, s(w)) \tau, \tau \rangle + \hbar \hat{b}(w, s(w)) + \frac{\hbar}{2} (\partial_t^2 \hat{b}(w, s(w)) t, t) + \mathcal{O}(|t|^3 \hbar + \hbar^2 + \hbar |\tau| + |\tau|^3 + |t| |\tau|^2).$$

Now, we want to diagonalize the positive quadratic forms $M(w, s(w))$ and $\frac{1}{2} \partial_t^2 \hat{b}[w, s(w)]$. The diagonalization of quadratic forms in orthonormal coordinates implies that there exists a matrix $P(w)$ such that

$${}^t P M^{-1} P = I \quad \text{and} \quad {}^t P \frac{1}{2} \partial_t^2 \hat{b} P = \text{diag}(v_1^2, \dots, v_k^2).$$

We define the new coordinates $(\check{y}, \check{\eta}, \check{t}, \check{\tau}) = \check{\varphi}(y, \eta, t, \tau)$ by

$$\begin{cases} \check{t} = P(w)^{-1} t, \\ \check{\tau} = {}^t P(w) \tau, \\ \check{y} = y + {}^t [\nabla_{\eta}(P^{-1} t)] \cdot {}^t P \tau, \\ \check{\eta} = \eta - {}^t [\nabla_y(P^{-1} t)] \cdot {}^t P \tau, \end{cases}$$

so that $\check{\varphi}^* \omega_0 - \omega_0 = \mathcal{O}(|t|^2 + |\tau|)$. Again, we can make it symplectic up to a change of order $\mathcal{O}(|t|^3 + |\tau|^2)$ by Theorem B.2. In these new variables, the symbol becomes (after removing the “checks”)

$$\check{N}_h = \hbar \hat{b}(w, s(w)) + \sum_{j=1}^k (\tau_j^2 + \hbar v_j(w)^2 t_j^2) + \mathcal{O}(|t|^3 |\tau|^2 + |t|^3 \hbar + \hbar^2 + \hbar |\tau| + |\tau|^3 + |t| |\tau|^2).$$

The last change of coordinates $(\hat{y}, \hat{\eta}, \hat{t}, \hat{\tau}) = \hat{\varphi}(y, \eta, t, \tau)$, defined by

$$\begin{cases} \hat{t}_j = v_j(w)^{1/2} t_j, \\ \hat{\tau}_j = v_j(w)^{-1/2} \tau_j, \\ \hat{y}_j = y_j + \sum_{i=1}^k v_i^{-1/2} \tau_i \partial_{\eta_j} v_i^{1/2} t_i, \\ \hat{\eta} = \eta - \sum_{i=1}^k v_i^{-1/2} \tau_i \partial_{y_j} v_i^{1/2} t_i, \end{cases}$$

is such that $\hat{\varphi}^* \omega_0 = \omega_0 + \mathcal{O}(\tau)$, so it can be corrected modulo $\mathcal{O}(|\tau|^2)$ to be symplectic, and we get the new symbol

$$\hat{N}_h = \hbar \hat{b}(w, s(w)) + \sum_{j=1}^k v_j(w) (\tau_j^2 + \hbar t_j^2) + \mathcal{O}(|t|^3 |\tau|^2 + |t|^3 \hbar + \hbar^2 + \hbar |\tau| + |\tau|^3 + |t| |\tau|^2),$$

which concludes the proof. \square

5B. Second formal normal form. The harmonic oscillators appearing in \widehat{N}_h are

$$\mathcal{J}_h^{(j)} = \text{Op}_h^w(\hbar^{-1}\tau_j^2 + t_j^2), \quad 1 \leq j \leq k.$$

If we define

$$h = \sqrt{\hbar},$$

the symbol of $\mathcal{J}_h^{(j)}$ for the h -quantization is $\tilde{\tau}_j^2 + t_j^2$. This is why we use the mixed quantization

$$\text{Op}_\#^w(a)u(y_0, t_0) = \frac{1}{(2\pi\hbar)^{n-k}(2\pi\sqrt{\hbar})^k} \int e^{(i/\hbar)\langle y_0 - y, \eta \rangle} e^{(i/\sqrt{\hbar})\langle t_0 - t, \tilde{\tau} \rangle} a(\sqrt{\hbar}, y, \eta, t, \tilde{\tau}) dy d\eta dt d\tilde{\tau}. \quad (5-2)$$

It is related to the \hbar -quantization by the relation

$$\tau = h\tilde{\tau}, \quad h = \sqrt{\hbar}.$$

In other words, if a is a symbol in some standard class $S(m)$, and if we define

$$a(h, y, \eta, t, \tilde{\tau}) = a(h^2, y, \eta, t, h\tilde{\tau}),$$

then we have

$$\text{Op}_\#^w(a) = \text{Op}_h^w(a).$$

However, if we take $a \in S(m)$, then $\text{Op}_\#^w(a)$ is not necessarily an \hbar -pseudodifferential operator, since the associated a may not be bounded with respect to \hbar , and thus it does not belong to any standard class. For instance, we have

$$\partial_\tau a = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\hbar}} \partial_{\tilde{\tau}} a.$$

But still $\text{Op}_\#^w(a)$ is an h -pseudodifferential operator, with symbol

$$a(h, y, \tilde{\eta}, t, \tilde{\tau}) = a(h, y, h\tilde{\eta}, t, \tilde{\tau}).$$

With this notation

$$\text{Op}_\#^w(a) = \text{Op}_h^w(a).$$

Thus, in this sense, we can use the properties of \hbar -pseudodifferential and h -pseudodifferential operators to deal with our mixed quantization.

Remark 5.2. Operators of the form (5-2) are just special cases of the usual h -pseudodifferential operators for which the reader can refer to [Martinez 2002; Zworski 2012]. Moreover, our mixed quantization could be interpreted as a $\sqrt{\hbar}$ -quantization with operator-valued symbols for which we refer to [Keraval 2018; Martinez 2007]. Indeed we can write

$$\text{Op}_\#^w(a) = \text{Op}_h^w(\text{Op}_h^w a), \quad (5-3)$$

where we first quantize with respect to (y, η) so that $\text{Op}_h^w a$ is an operator-valued symbol which depends on $(t, \tilde{\tau})$. In the following we could have used this formalism, thus dealing with operator-valued symbols in $(t, \tilde{\tau})$ instead of real-valued symbols and mixed quantization.

In our case, we have

$$\text{Op}_\#^w(N_h) = \text{Op}_h^w(\widehat{N}_h),$$

with

$$N_h = h^2 \hat{b}(w, s(w)) + h^2 \sum_{j=1}^k v_j(w) (\tilde{\tau}_j^2 + t_j^2) + \mathcal{O}(h^2 |t|^3 + h^4 + h^3 |\tilde{\tau}| + h^2 |t| |\tilde{\tau}|^2).$$

Let us construct a semiclassical Birkhoff normal form with respect to this quantization. We will work in the space of formal series

$$\mathcal{E}_2 := \mathcal{C}^\infty(U)[[t, \tilde{\tau}, h]], \quad (5-4)$$

where $U = U_2 \cap \mathbb{R}_w^{2s} \times \{0\}$. This space is endowed with the star product \star adapted to our mixed quantization. In other words

$$\text{Op}_\#^w(a \star b) = \text{Op}_\#^w(a) \text{Op}_\#^w(b).$$

The change of variable $\tau = h \tilde{\tau}$ between the usual \hbar -quantization and our mixed quantization yields the following formula for the star product:

$$a \star b = \sum_{k \geq 0} \frac{1}{k!} \left(\frac{h}{2i} \right)^k A_h(\partial)^k (a(h, y_1, \eta_1, t_1, \tilde{\tau}_1) b(h, y_2, \eta_2, t_2, \tilde{\tau}_2))|_{(t_1, \tau_1, y_1, \eta_1) = (t_2, \tau_2, y_2, \eta_2)}, \quad (5-5)$$

with

$$A_h(\partial) = \sum_{j=1}^k \frac{\partial}{\partial t_{1j}} \frac{\partial}{\partial \tilde{\tau}_{2j}} - \frac{\partial}{\partial t_{2j}} \frac{\partial}{\partial \tilde{\tau}_{1j}} + h \sum_{j=1}^s \frac{\partial}{\partial y_{1j}} \frac{\partial}{\partial \eta_{2j}} - \frac{\partial}{\partial y_{2j}} \frac{\partial}{\partial \eta_{1j}}.$$

The degree function on \mathcal{E}_2 is defined by

$$\deg(t^{\alpha_1} \tilde{\tau}^{\alpha_2} h^\ell) = |\alpha_1| + |\alpha_2| + 2\ell.$$

We denote by \mathcal{D}_N the $\mathcal{C}^\infty(U)$ -module spanned by monomials of degree N , and

$$\mathcal{O}_N = \bigoplus_{n \geq N} \mathcal{D}_n.$$

For $\tau_1, \tau_2 \in \mathcal{E}_2$, we define

$$\text{ad}_{\tau_1}(\tau_2) = [\tau_1, \tau_2] = \tau_1 \star \tau_2 - \tau_2 \star \tau_1,$$

and if $\tau_1 \in \mathcal{O}_{N_1}$ and $\tau_2 \in \mathcal{O}_{N_2}$,

$$\frac{i}{h} \text{ad}_{\tau_1}(\tau_2) \in \mathcal{O}_{N_1+N_2-2}.$$

We define

$$N_0 = \hat{b}(w, s(w)) \in \mathcal{D}_0 \quad \text{and} \quad N_2 = \sum_{j=1}^k v_j(w) |\tilde{v}_j|^2 \in \mathcal{D}_2,$$

with the notation $\tilde{v}_j = t_j + i \tilde{\tau}_j$, so that

$$\frac{1}{h^2} N_h = N_0 + N_2 + \mathcal{O}_3.$$

Now we construct the following normal form. Recall that r_2 is an integer chosen such that,

$$\text{for all } \alpha \in \mathbb{Z}^k, \quad 0 < |\alpha| < r_2, \quad \sum_{j=1}^s \alpha_j v_j(0) \neq 0.$$

Moreover, this nonresonance relation at $w = 0$ can be extended to a small neighborhood of 0.

Lemma 5.3. *For any $\gamma \in \mathcal{O}_3$, there exist $\kappa, \tau \in \mathcal{O}_3$ and $\rho \in \mathcal{O}_{r_2}$ such that*

$$e^{(i/h)\text{ad}_\tau}(N_0 + N_2 + \gamma) = N_0 + N_2 + \kappa + \rho, \quad (5-6)$$

and $[\kappa, |\tilde{v}_j|^2] = 0$ for $1 \leq j \leq k$.

Proof. We prove this result by induction. Assume that we have, for some $N > 0$, a $\tau \in \mathcal{O}_3$ such that

$$e^{(i/h)\text{ad}_\tau}(N_0 + N_2 + \gamma) = N_0 + N_2 + K_3 + \cdots + K_{N-1} + R_N + \mathcal{O}_{N+1},$$

with $R_N \in \mathcal{D}_N$ and $K_i \in \mathcal{D}_i$ such that $[K_i, |\tilde{v}_j|^2] = 0$. We are looking for a $\tau_N \in \mathcal{D}_N$. For such a τ_N , $(i/h)\text{ad}_{\tau_N} : \mathcal{O}_j \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{N+j-2}$ so

$$e^{(i/h)\text{ad}_{\tau+\tau_N}}(N_0 + N_2 + \gamma) = N_0 + N_2 + K_3 + \cdots + K_{N-1} + R_N + \frac{i}{h}\text{ad}_{\tau_N}(N_0 + N_2) + \mathcal{O}_{N+1}.$$

Moreover N_0 does not depend on (t, τ) so the expansion (5-5) yields

$$\frac{i}{h}\text{ad}_{\tau_N}(N_0) = h \sum_{j=1}^s \left(\frac{\partial \tau_N}{\partial y_j} \frac{\partial N_0}{\partial \eta_j} - \frac{\partial \tau_N}{\partial \eta_j} \frac{\partial N_0}{\partial y_j} \right) + \mathcal{O}_{N+6} = \mathcal{O}_{N+2},$$

and thus

$$e^{(i/h)\text{ad}_{\tau+\tau_N}}(N_0 + N_2 + \gamma) = N_0 + N_2 + K_3 + \cdots + K_{N-1} + R_N + \frac{i}{h}\text{ad}_{\tau_N}(N_2) + \mathcal{O}_{N+1}.$$

So we are looking for $\tau_N, K_N \in \mathcal{D}_N$ solving the equation

$$R_N = K_N + \frac{i}{h}\text{ad}_{N_2} \tau_N + \mathcal{O}_{N+1}. \quad (5-7)$$

To solve this equation, we study the operator $(i/h)\text{ad}_{N_2} : \mathcal{O}_N \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_N$,

$$\frac{i}{h}\text{ad}_{N_2}(\tau_N) = \sum_{j=1}^k \left(v_j(w) \frac{i}{h}\text{ad}_{|\tilde{v}_j|^2}(\tau_N) + \frac{i}{h}\text{ad}_{v_j}(\tau_N) |\tilde{v}_j|^2 \right),$$

and since v only depends on w , expansion (5-5) yields

$$\frac{i}{h}\text{ad}_{v_i}(\tau_N) = \sum_{j=1}^s h \left(\frac{\partial v_i}{\partial y_j} \frac{\partial \tau_N}{\partial \eta_j} - \frac{\partial v_i}{\partial \eta_j} \frac{\partial \tau_N}{\partial y_j} \right) + \mathcal{O}_{N+6} = \mathcal{O}_{N+2}.$$

Hence,

$$\frac{i}{h}\text{ad}_{N_2}(\tau_N) = \sum_{j=1}^k v_j(w) \frac{i}{h}\text{ad}_{|\tilde{v}_j|^2}(\tau_N) + \mathcal{O}_{N+2},$$

and (5-7) becomes

$$R_N = K_N + \sum_{j=1}^k v_j(w) \frac{i}{h}\text{ad}_{|\tilde{v}_j|^2}(\tau_N) + \mathcal{O}_{N+1}. \quad (5-8)$$

Moreover, $(i/h) \operatorname{ad}_{|\tilde{v}_j|^2}$ acts as

$$\sum_{j=1}^k v_j(w) \frac{i}{h} \operatorname{ad}_{|\tilde{v}_j|^2} (v^{\alpha_1} \bar{v}^{\alpha_2} h^\ell) = \langle v(w), \alpha_2 - \alpha_1 \rangle v^{\alpha_1} \bar{v}^{\alpha_2} h^\ell.$$

The definition of r_2 ensures that $\langle v(w), \alpha_2 - \alpha_1 \rangle$ does not vanish on a neighborhood of $w = 0$ if $N = |\alpha_1| + |\alpha_2| + 2\ell < r_2$ and $\alpha_1 \neq \alpha_2$. Hence we can decompose every R_N as in (5-8), where K_N contains the terms with $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2$. These terms are exactly the ones commuting with $|\tilde{v}_j|^2$ for $1 \leq j \leq k$. \square

5C. Second quantized normal form. Now we can quantize Lemmas 5.1 and 5.3 to prove the following theorem.

Theorem 5.4. *There exist*

(1) *a unitary operator $U_{2,h} : L^2(\mathbb{R}_{(y,t)}^{s+k}) \rightarrow L^2(\mathbb{R}_{(y,t)}^{s+k})$ quantizing a symplectomorphism $\tilde{\Phi}_2 = \Phi_2 + \mathcal{O}((t, \tau)^2)$ microlocally near 0,*

(2) *a function $f_2^* : \mathbb{R}_w^{2s} \times \mathbb{R}_J^k \times [0, 1) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ which is C^∞ with compact support such that*

$$|f_2^*(w, J_1, \dots, J_k, \sqrt{h})| \leq C(|J| + \sqrt{h})^2,$$

(3) *a \sqrt{h} -pseudodifferential operator $\mathcal{R}_{2,h}$ with symbol $\mathcal{O}((t, \tilde{\tau}, h^{1/4})^{r_2})$ on a neighborhood of 0 such that*

$$U_{2,h}^* \mathcal{N}_h^{[1]} U_{2,h} = \hbar \mathcal{M}_h + \hbar \mathcal{R}_{2,h},$$

where \mathcal{M}_h is the \hbar -pseudodifferential operator

$$\mathcal{M}_h = \operatorname{Op}_h^w \hat{b}(w, s(w)) + \sum_{j=1}^k \mathcal{J}_h^{(j)} \operatorname{Op}_h^w v_j + \operatorname{Op}_h^w f_2^*(w, \mathcal{J}_h^{(1)}, \dots, \mathcal{J}_h^{(k)}, \sqrt{h}).$$

Proof. Lemma 5.1 provides us with a symplectomorphism Φ_2 such that

$$N_h^{[1]} \circ \Phi_2 = \hbar \hat{b}(w, s(w)) + \sum_{j=1}^k v_j(w) (\tau_j^2 + \hbar t_j^2) + \mathcal{O}(|t|^3 |\tau|^2 + |t|^3 \hbar + \hbar^2 + \hbar |\tau| + |\tau|^3 + |t| |\tau|^2).$$

We can apply the Egorov theorem to get a Fourier integral operator $V_{2,h}$ such that

$$V_{2,h}^* \operatorname{Op}_h^w (N_h^{[1]}) V_{2,h} = \operatorname{Op}_h^w (\hat{N}_h),$$

with $\hat{N}_h = N_h^{[1]} \circ \Phi_2 + \mathcal{O}(\hbar^2)$ on a neighborhood of $w = 0$. We define

$$N_h(y, \eta, t, \tilde{\tau}) = \hat{N}_h(y, \eta, t, h\tilde{\tau}),$$

and following the notation of Section 5B, we have the associated formal series

$$\frac{1}{h^2} N_h = N_0 + N_2 + \gamma, \quad \gamma \in \mathcal{O}_3.$$

We apply Lemma 5.3 and we get formal series κ, ρ such that

$$e^{(i/h) \operatorname{ad}_\rho} (N_0 + N_2 + \gamma) = N_0 + N_2 + \kappa + \mathcal{O}_{r_2}.$$

We take a compactly supported symbol $a(h, w, t, \tilde{\tau})$ with Taylor series ρ . Then the operator

$$e^{ih^{-1} \text{Op}_\#^w(a)} \text{Op}_\#^w(h^{-2} N_h) e^{-ih^{-1} \text{Op}_\#^w(a)} \quad (5-9)$$

has a symbol with Taylor series $N_0 + N_2 + \kappa + \mathcal{O}_{r_2}$. Since $\kappa \in \mathcal{O}_3$ commutes with $|\tilde{v}_j|^2$, it can be written

$$\kappa = \sum_{2|\alpha|+2\ell \geq 3} c_{\alpha\ell}^*(w) (|\tilde{v}_1|^2)^{\alpha_1} \dots (|\tilde{v}_k|^2)^{\alpha_k} h^\ell.$$

If we take $f_2^*(h, w, J_1, \dots, J_k)$ a smooth compactly supported function with Taylor series

$$[f_2^*] = \sum_{2|\alpha|+2\ell \geq 3} c_{\alpha\ell}^*(w) J_1^{\alpha_1} \dots J_k^{\alpha_k} h^\ell,$$

then the operator (5-9) is equal to

$$\text{Op}_\#^w N_0 + \text{Op}_\#^w N_2 + \text{Op}_h^w f_2^*(h, w, \mathcal{J}_h^{(1)}, \dots, \mathcal{J}_h^{(k)})$$

modulo \mathcal{O}_{r_2} . Multiplying by h^2 , and getting back to the \hbar -quantization, we get

$$e^{ih^{-1} \text{Op}_\#^w(a)} \text{Op}_h^w(\widehat{N}_h) e^{-ih^{-1} \text{Op}_\#^w(a)} = \hbar \mathcal{M}_h + \hbar \mathcal{R}_h,$$

with

$$\mathcal{M}_h = \text{Op}_h^w \hat{b}(w, s(w)) + \sum_{j=1}^k \text{Op}_h^w v_j(w) \mathcal{J}_h^{(j)} + \text{Op}_h^w f_2^*(\sqrt{\hbar}, w, \mathcal{J}_h^{(1)}, \dots, \mathcal{J}_h^{(k)}),$$

and \mathcal{R}_h a $\sqrt{\hbar}$ -pseudodifferential operator with symbol \mathcal{O}_{r_2} . Note that \mathcal{M}_h is an \hbar -pseudodifferential operator whose symbol admits an expansion in powers of $\sqrt{\hbar}$. \square

5D. Proof of Theorem 1.11. In order to prove Theorem 1.11, we need the following microlocalization lemma.

Lemma 5.5. *Let $\delta \in (0, \frac{1}{2})$ and $c > 0$. Let $\chi_0 \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}_{(y,\eta)}^{2s})$ and $\chi_1 \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}_{(t,\tilde{\tau})}^{2k})$ both equal to 1 on a neighborhood of 0. Then every eigenfunction ψ_h of \mathcal{N}_h or $\hbar \mathcal{M}_h$ associated to an eigenvalue $\lambda_h \leq \hbar(b_0 + c\hbar^\delta)$ satisfies*

$$\psi_h = \text{Op}_{\sqrt{\hbar}}^w \chi_0(\sqrt{\hbar}^{-\delta}(t, \tilde{\tau})) \text{Op}_h^w \chi_1(y, \eta) \psi_h + \mathcal{O}(\hbar^\infty) \psi_h.$$

Proof. Using the mixed quantization and $h = \sqrt{\hbar}$, we have $\mathcal{N}_h^{[1]} = \text{Op}_\#^w N_h^{[1]}$, with

$$N_h^{[1]}(y, \eta, t, \tilde{\tau}) = h^2 \langle M(y, \eta, t) \tilde{\tau}, \tilde{\tau} \rangle + h^2 \hat{b}(w, t) + f_1^*(y, \eta, t, h\tilde{\tau}, h^2).$$

The principal part of $N_h^{[1]}$ is of order h^2 , and implies a microlocalization of the eigenfunctions, where

$$h^2 \langle M(w, t) \tilde{\tau}, \tilde{\tau} \rangle + h^2 \hat{b}(w, t) \leq \lambda_h \leq h^2(b_0 + c\hbar^{2\delta}).$$

Since \hat{b} admits a unique and nondegenerate minimum b_0 at 0, this implies that w lies in an arbitrarily small neighborhood of 0, and that

$$|t|^2 \leq Ch^{2\delta}, \quad |\tilde{\tau}|^2 \leq Ch^{2\delta}.$$

The technical details follow the same ideas of Lemmas 4.2, 4.3 and 4.4. Now we can focus on \mathcal{M}_h , whose principal symbol with respect to the Op_h^w -quantization is

$$\mathbf{M}_0(y, \eta, t, \tilde{\tau}) = \hat{b}(y, \eta, s(y, \eta)) + \sum_{j=1}^k v_j(y, \eta)(\tilde{\tau}_j^2 + t_j^2).$$

Hence its eigenfunctions are microlocalized where

$$\hat{b}(y, \eta, s(y, \eta)) + \sum_{j=1}^k v_j(y, \eta)(\tilde{\tau}_j^2 + t_j^2) \leq b_0 + ch^{2\delta},$$

which implies again that w lies in an arbitrarily small neighborhood of 0 and that

$$|t|^2 \leq Ch^{2\delta}, \quad |\tilde{\tau}|^2 \leq Ch^{2\delta}. \quad \square$$

Using the same method as before, we deduce from Theorem 5.4 and Lemma 5.5 a comparison of the spectra of $\mathcal{N}_h^{[1]}$ and \mathcal{M}_h . With the notation

$$N_h^{\max}(c, \delta) = \max\{n \in \mathbb{N} : \lambda_n(\mathcal{N}_h^{[1]}) \leq \hbar(b_0 + c\hbar^\delta)\},$$

the following lemma concludes the proof of Theorem 1.11.

Lemma 5.6. *Let $\delta \in (0, \frac{1}{2})$ and $c > 0$. We have*

$$\lambda_n(\mathcal{N}_h^{[1]}) = \hbar \lambda_n(\mathcal{M}_h) + \mathcal{O}(\hbar^{1+\delta r_2/2}),$$

uniformly with respect to $n \in [1, N_h^{\max}(c, \delta)]$.

Proof. We use the same method as before (see Lemma 4.5). The remainder $\mathcal{R}_{2,h}$ is $\mathcal{O}((t, \tilde{\tau}, \sqrt{h})^{r_2})$ and the eigenfunctions are microlocalized where $|t| + |\tilde{\tau}| \leq Ch^{\delta/2}$. Hence the $\hbar \mathcal{R}_{2,h}$ term yields an error in $\hbar^{1+\delta r_2/2}$. \square

6. Proof of Corollary 1.14

In this section we prove that the spectrum of \mathcal{L}_h below $\hbar b_0 + \hbar^{3/2}(v(0) + 2c)$ is given by the spectrum of $\hbar \mathcal{M}_h^{[1]}$, up to $\mathcal{O}(\hbar^{r/4-\varepsilon})$. We recall that $c \in (0, \min_j v_j(0))$ and $r = \min(2r_1, r_2 + 4)$.

We can apply Theorem 1.7 for $b_1 > b_0$ arbitrarily close to b_0 . Thus the spectrum of \mathcal{L}_h in $(-\infty, b_1 \hbar)$ is given by the spectrum of $\bigoplus_{n \in \mathbb{N}^s} \mathcal{N}_h^{[n]}$ modulo $\mathcal{O}(\hbar^{r_1/2-\varepsilon}) = \mathcal{O}(\hbar^{r/4-\varepsilon})$. Moreover, the symbol of $\mathcal{N}_h^{[n]}$ for $n \neq (1, \dots, 1)$ satisfies

$$N_h^{[n]}(y, \eta, t, \tau) \geq \hbar(b_0 + 2 \min \beta_j - C\hbar),$$

and we deduce from the Gårding inequality that

$$\langle \mathcal{N}_h^{[n]} \psi, \psi \rangle \geq \hbar b_1 \|\psi\|^2 \quad \text{for all } \psi \in L^2(\mathbb{R}^{s+k}),$$

if b_1 is close enough to b_0 . Hence the spectrum of \mathcal{L}_h below $b_1 \hbar$ is given by the spectrum of $\mathcal{N}_h^{[1]}$. Then, we apply Theorem 1.11 for δ close enough to $\frac{1}{2}$, and we see that the spectrum of $\mathcal{N}_h^{[1]}$ below $(b_0 + \hbar^\delta) \hbar$

is given by the spectrum of $\bigoplus_{n \in \mathbb{N}^k} \hbar \mathcal{M}_\hbar^{[n]}$ modulo $\mathcal{O}(\hbar^{1+r_2/4-\varepsilon}) = \mathcal{O}(\hbar^{r/4-\varepsilon})$. The symbol of $\mathcal{M}_\hbar^{[n]}$ for $n \neq 1$ satisfies

$$\mathcal{M}_\hbar^{[n]}(y, \eta) \geq b_0 + \hbar^{1/2} \sum_{j=1}^k v_j(y, \eta)(2n_j - 1) - C\hbar,$$

and the eigenfunctions of $\mathcal{M}_\hbar^{[n]}$ are microlocalized in an arbitrarily small neighborhood of $(y, \eta) = 0$ (Lemma 5.5), and $\mathcal{M}_\hbar^{[n]}$ satisfies in this neighborhood

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{M}_\hbar^{[n]}(y, \eta) &\geq b_0 + \hbar^{1/2} \sum_{j=1}^k v_j(0)(2n_j - 1) - \hbar^{1/2}\varepsilon - C\hbar \\ &\geq b_0 + \hbar^{1/2}(\nu(0) + 2 \min_j v_j(0) - \varepsilon) - C\hbar. \end{aligned}$$

Using the Gårding inequality, the spectrum of $\mathcal{M}_\hbar^{[n]}$ ($n \neq 1$) is thus $\geq b_0 + \hbar^{1/2}(\nu(0) + 2c)$ for ε and \hbar small enough. It follows that the spectrum of $\mathcal{N}_\hbar^{[1]}$ below $\hbar b_0 + \hbar^{3/2}(\nu(0) + 2c)$ is given by the spectrum of $\hbar \mathcal{M}_\hbar^{[1]}$.

7. Proof of Corollary 1.15

We explain here where the asymptotics for $\lambda_j(\mathcal{L}_\hbar)$ come from. First we use Corollary 1.14 so that the spectrum of \mathcal{L}_\hbar below $\hbar b_0 + \hbar^{3/2}(\nu(0) + 2c)$ is given by $\mathcal{M}_\hbar^{[1]}$, modulo $\mathcal{O}(\hbar^{r/4-\varepsilon})$. The symbol of $\mathcal{M}_\hbar^{[1]}$ has the expansion

$$M_\hbar^{[1]}(w) = \hat{b}(w, s(w)) + \hbar^{1/2}\nu(0) + \hbar^{1/2}\nabla\nu(0) \cdot w + \hbar\tilde{c}_0 + \mathcal{O}(\hbar w + \hbar^{3/2} + \hbar^{1/2}w^2),$$

with $\nu(w) = \sum_{j=1}^k v_j(w)$. The principal part admits a unique minimum at 0, which is nondegenerate. The asymptotics of the first eigenvalues of such an operator are well known. First one can make a linear change of canonical coordinates diagonalizing the Hessian of \hat{b} and get a symbol of the form

$$\widehat{M}_\hbar^{[1]}(w) = b_0 + \sum_{j=1}^s \mu_j(\eta_j^2 + y_j^2) + \hbar^{1/2}\nu(0) + \hbar^{1/2}\nabla\nu(0) \cdot w + \hbar\tilde{c}_0 + \mathcal{O}(w^3 + \hbar w + \hbar^{3/2} + \hbar^{1/2}w^2).$$

One can factor the $\nabla\nu(0) \cdot w$ term to get

$$\widehat{M}_\hbar^{[1]}(w) = b_0 + \sum_{j=1}^s \mu_j \left(\left(\eta_j + \frac{\partial_{\eta_j}\nu(0)}{2\mu_j} \hbar^{1/2} \right)^2 + \left(y_j + \frac{\partial_{y_j}\nu(0)}{2\mu_j} \hbar^{1/2} \right)^2 \right) + \hbar^{1/2}\nu(0) + \hbar c_0 + \mathcal{O}(w^3 + \hbar w + \hbar^{3/2} + \hbar^{1/2}w^2),$$

with a new $c_0 \in \mathbb{R}$. Conjugating $\text{Op}_\hbar^w \widehat{M}_\hbar^{[1]}$ by the unitary operator U_\hbar ,

$$U_\hbar v(x) = \exp\left(\frac{i}{\sqrt{\hbar}} \sum_{j=1}^s \frac{\partial_{\eta_j}\nu(0)}{2\mu_j} y_j\right) v\left(x - \sum_{j=1}^s \frac{\partial_{y_j}\nu(0)}{2\mu_j} \hbar^{1/2}\right),$$

amounts to making a phase-space translation and changes the symbol into

$$\widetilde{M}_\hbar^{[1]}(w) = b_0 + \sum_{j=1}^s \mu_j(\eta_j^2 + y_j^2) + \hbar^{1/2}\nu(0) + \hbar c_0 + \mathcal{O}(w^3 + \hbar w + \hbar^{3/2} + \hbar^{1/2}w^2).$$

For an operator with such symbol (i.e., harmonic oscillator + remainders) one can apply the results of [Charles and Vũ Ngọc 2008, Theorem 4.7] or [Helffer and Sjöstrand 1984] and deduce that the j -th eigenvalue $\lambda_j(\mathcal{M}_h^{[1]})$ admits an asymptotic expansion in powers of $\hbar^{1/2}$ such that

$$\lambda_j(\mathcal{M}_h^{[1]}) = b_0 + \hbar^{1/2}v(0) + \hbar(c_0 + E_j) + \hbar^{3/2} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \alpha_{j,m} \hbar^{m/2},$$

where $\hbar E_j$ is the j -th repeated eigenvalue of the harmonic oscillator with symbol $\sum_{j=1}^s \mu_j(\eta_j^2 + y_j^2)$.

Appendix A: Local coordinates

If we choose local coordinates $q = (q_1, \dots, q_d)$ on M , we get the corresponding vector field basis $(\partial_{q_1}, \dots, \partial_{q_d})$ on $T_q M$, and the dual basis (dq_1, \dots, dq_d) on $T_q M^*$. In these bases, g_q can be identified with a symmetric matrix $(g_{ij}(q))$ with determinant $|g|$, and g_q^* is associated with the inverse matrix $(g^{ij}(q))$. We can write the 1-form A and the 2-form B in the coordinates:

$$A \equiv A_1 dq_1 + \dots + A_d dq_d, \quad B = \sum_{i < j} B_{ij} dq_i \wedge dq_j,$$

with $A = (A_j)_{1 \leq j \leq d} \in C^\infty(\mathbb{R}^d, \mathbb{R}^d)$ and

$$B_{ij} = \partial_i A_j - \partial_j A_i = ({}^t dA - dA)_{ij}. \quad (\text{A-1})$$

Let us denote by $(\mathbf{B}_{ij}(q))_{1 \leq i, j \leq d}$ the matrix of the operator $\mathbf{B}(q) : T_q M \rightarrow T_q M$ in the basis $(\partial_{q_1}, \dots, \partial_{q_d})$. With this notation, (1-1) relating \mathbf{B} to B can be rewritten,

$$\text{for all } Q, \tilde{Q} \in \mathbb{R}^d, \quad \sum_{ijk} g_{kj} \mathbf{B}_{ki} Q_i \tilde{Q}_j = \sum_{ij} B_{ij} Q_i \tilde{Q}_j,$$

which means that,

$$\text{for all } i, j, \quad B_{ij} = \sum_k g_{kj} \mathbf{B}_{ki}. \quad (\text{A-2})$$

Finally, in the coordinates, H is given by

$$H(q, p) = \sum_{i,j} g^{ij}(q)(p_i - A_i(q))(p_j - A_j(q)), \quad (\text{A-3})$$

and \mathcal{L}_h acts as the differential operator:

$$\mathcal{L}_h^{\text{coord}} = \sum_{k,l=1}^d |g|^{-1/2} (i\hbar \partial_k + A_k) g^{kl} |g|^{1/2} (i\hbar \partial_l + A_l). \quad (\text{A-4})$$

Appendix B: Darboux-Weinstein lemmas

We used the following presymplectic Darboux lemma.

Theorem B.1. *Let M be a d -dimensional manifold endowed with a closed constant-rank-2 form ω . We denote by $2s$ the rank of ω and by k the dimension of its kernel. For every $q_0 \in M$, there exist a*

neighborhood V of q_0 , a neighborhood U of $0 \in \mathbb{R}_{(y,\eta,t)}^{2s+k}$, and a diffeomorphism

$$\varphi : U \rightarrow V$$

such that

$$\varphi^* \omega = d\eta \wedge dy.$$

We also used the following Weinstein result; see [Weinstein 1971]. We follow the proof given in [Raymond and Vũ Ngọc 2015].

Theorem B.2. *Let ω_0 and ω_1 be two 2-forms on \mathbb{R}^d which are closed and nondegenerate. Let us split \mathbb{R}^d into $\mathbb{R}_x^k \times \mathbb{R}_y^{d-k}$. We assume that $\omega_0 = \omega_1 + \mathcal{O}(|x|^\alpha)$ for some $\alpha \geq 1$. Then there exists a neighborhood of $0 \in \mathbb{R}^d$ and a change of coordinates ψ on this neighborhood such that*

$$\psi^* \omega_1 = \omega_0 \quad \text{and} \quad \psi = \text{Id} + \mathcal{O}(|x|^{\alpha+1}).$$

Proof. First we recall how to find a 1-form σ on a neighborhood of $x = 0$ such that

$$\tau := \omega_1 - \omega_0 = d\sigma \quad \text{and} \quad \sigma = \mathcal{O}(|x|^{\alpha+1}).$$

We define the family $(\phi_t)_{0 \leq t \leq 1}$ by

$$\phi_t(x, y) = (tx, y).$$

We have

$$\phi_0^* \tau = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \phi_1^* \tau = \tau. \tag{B-1}$$

Let us denote by X_t the vector field associated with ϕ_t ,

$$X_t = \frac{d\phi_t}{dt} \circ \phi_t^{-1} = t^{-1}(x, 0).$$

The Lie derivative of τ along X_t is given by $\phi_t^* \mathcal{L}_{X_t} \tau = (d/dt) \phi_t^* \tau$. From the Cartan formula we have

$$\mathcal{L}_{X_t} \tau = \iota(X_t) d\tau + d(\iota(X_t) \tau).$$

Since τ is closed, $d\tau = 0$, and

$$\frac{d}{dt} \phi_t^* \tau = d(\phi_t^* \iota(X_t) \tau). \tag{B-2}$$

We choose the following 1-form (where (e_j) denotes the canonical basis of \mathbb{R}^d):

$$\sigma_t := \phi_t^* \iota(X_t) \tau = \sum_{j=1}^k x_j \tau_{\phi_t(x,y)}(e_j, \nabla \phi_t(\cdot)) = \mathcal{O}(|x|^{\alpha+1}).$$

Equation (B-2) shows that $t \mapsto \phi_t^* \tau$ is smooth on $[0, 1]$. Thus, we can define $\sigma = \int_0^1 \sigma_t dt$. From (B-2) and (B-1) we deduce

$$\frac{d}{dt} \phi_t^* \tau = d\sigma_t \quad \text{and} \quad \tau = d\sigma.$$

Then we use the Moser deformation argument. For $t \in [0, 1]$, we let $\omega_t = \omega_0 + t(\omega_1 - \omega_0)$. The 2-form ω_t is closed and nondegenerate on a small neighborhood of $x = 0$. We look for ψ_t such that

$$\psi_t^* \omega_t = \omega_0.$$

For that purpose, let us determine the associated vector field Y_t ,

$$\frac{d}{dt}\psi_t = Y_t(\psi_t).$$

The Cartan formula yields

$$0 = \frac{d}{dt}\psi_t^*\omega_t = \psi_t^*\left(\frac{d}{dt}\omega_t + \iota(Y_t)d\omega_t + d(\iota(Y_t)\omega_t)\right).$$

So

$$\omega_0 - \omega_1 = d(\iota(Y_t)\omega_t),$$

and we are led to solve

$$\iota(Y_t)\omega_t = -\sigma.$$

By the nondegeneracy of ω_t , this determines Y_t . We know ψ_t exists until time $t = 1$ on a small enough neighborhood of $x = 0$, and $\psi_t^*\omega_t = \omega_0$. Thus $\psi = \psi_1$ is the desired diffeomorphism. Since $\sigma = \mathcal{O}(|x|^{\alpha+1})$, we get $\psi = \text{Id} + \mathcal{O}(|x|^{\alpha+1})$. \square

Appendix C: Pseudodifferential operators

We refer to [Zworski 2012; Martinez 2002] for the general theory of \hbar -pseudodifferential operators. If $m \in \mathbb{Z}$, we denote by

$$S^m(\mathbb{R}^{2d}) = \{a \in \mathcal{C}^\infty(\mathbb{R}^{2d}) : |\partial_x^\alpha \partial_\xi^\beta a| \leq C_{\alpha\beta} \langle \xi \rangle^{m-|\beta|} \text{ for all } \alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{N}^d\}$$

the class of Kohn–Nirenberg symbols. If a depends on the semiclassical parameter \hbar , we require that the coefficients $C_{\alpha\beta}$ are uniform with respect to $\hbar \in (0, \hbar_0]$. For $a_\hbar \in S^m(\mathbb{R}^{2d})$, we define its associated Weyl quantization $\text{Op}_\hbar^w(a_\hbar)$ by the oscillatory integral

$$\mathcal{A}_\hbar u(x) = \text{Op}_\hbar^w(a_\hbar)u(x) = \frac{1}{(2\pi\hbar)^d} \int_{\mathbb{R}^{2d}} e^{(i/\hbar)\langle x-y, \xi \rangle} a_\hbar\left(\frac{x+y}{2}, \xi\right) u(y) dy d\xi,$$

and we define

$$a_\hbar = \sigma_\hbar(\mathcal{A}_\hbar).$$

If M is a compact manifold, a pseudodifferential operator \mathcal{A}_\hbar on $L^2(M)$ is an operator acting as a pseudodifferential operator in coordinates. Then the principal symbol of \mathcal{A}_\hbar (and its Kohn–Nirenberg class) does not depend on the coordinates, and we denote it by $\sigma_0(\mathcal{A}_\hbar)$. The subprincipal symbol $\sigma_1(\mathcal{A}_\hbar)$ is also well-defined, up to imposing that the charts be volume-preserving (in other words, if we see \mathcal{A}_\hbar as acting on half-densities, its subprincipal symbol is well-defined). In the case where M is a compact manifold, \mathcal{L}_\hbar is a pseudodifferential operator, and its principal and subprincipal symbols are

$$\sigma_0(\mathcal{L}_\hbar) = H, \quad \sigma_1(\mathcal{L}_\hbar) = 0.$$

If $M = \mathbb{R}^d$ and m is an order function on \mathbb{R}^{2d} , we denote by

$$S(m) = \{a \in \mathcal{C}^\infty(\mathbb{R}^{2d}) : |\partial_x^\alpha \partial_\xi^\beta a| \leq C_{\alpha\beta} m(x, \xi) \text{ for all } \alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{N}^d\}$$

the class of standard symbols, and we similarly define the operator $\text{Op}_\hbar^w(a)$ for such symbols. In this case, we assume that B belongs to some standard class. This is equivalent to assuming that H belongs to some (other) standard class. Then, \mathcal{L}_\hbar is a pseudodifferential operator with total symbol H .

Appendix D: Egorov theorem

In this paper, we used several versions of the Egorov theorem. See for example [Robert 1987; Zworski 2012; Helffer et al. 2016].

Theorem D.1. *Let P and Q be \hbar -pseudodifferential operators on \mathbb{R}^d , with symbols $p \in S(m)$, $q \in S(m')$, where m and m' are order functions such that*

$$m' = \mathcal{O}(1), \quad mm' = \mathcal{O}'(1).$$

Then the operator $e^{(i/\hbar)Q} P e^{-(i/\hbar)Q}$ is a pseudodifferential operator whose symbol is in $S(m)$, and its symbol is

$$p \circ \kappa + \hbar S(1),$$

where the canonical transformation κ is the time-1 Hamiltonian flow associated with q .

We can use this result with the $\sqrt{\hbar}$ -quantization to get an Egorov theorem for our mixed quantization $\text{Op}_\#^w$.

Theorem D.2. *Let P be an \hbar -pseudodifferential operator on \mathbb{R}^d , and $a \in C_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^{2d})$. Then*

$$e^{(i/\hbar)\text{Op}_\#^w(a)} P e^{-(i/\hbar)\text{Op}_\#^w(a)}$$

is an \hbar -pseudodifferential operator on \mathbb{R}^d .

Proof. $\text{Op}_\#^w(a)$ is an \hbar -pseudodifferential operator. Thus, we can apply the Egorov theorem, and we deduce that $e^{(i/\hbar)\text{Op}_\#^w(a)} P e^{-(i/\hbar)\text{Op}_\#^w(a)}$ is an \hbar -pseudodifferential operator on \mathbb{R}^d . \square

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
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