

# Lefschetz trace formulas for flows on foliated manifolds

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# The setting

- $M$  a closed manifold,  $\dim M = n$ .
- $\mathcal{F}$  a codimension one foliation on  $M$ .
- $\phi^t : M \rightarrow M, t \in \mathbb{R}$  a foliated flow (i.e.,  $\phi^t$  takes each leaf to a leaf).

A Lefschetz number of the flow  $\phi$ :

$$L(\phi) = \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} (-1)^j \text{Tr} (\phi^* : H^j \rightarrow H^j)$$

$H^j$  is some cohomology theory associated to  $\mathcal{F}$ ,  $\text{Tr}$  is some trace.

The corresponding Lefschetz trace formula:

$L(\phi) =$  a contribution of closed orbits and fixed points of the flow.

# Simple flows

## Definition

A closed orbit  $c$  of period  $l$  (not necessarily minimal) of the flow  $\phi$  is called **simple**, if

$$\det(\text{id} - \phi_*^l : T_x \mathcal{F} \rightarrow T_x \mathcal{F}) \neq 0, \quad x \in c.$$

## Definition

A fixed point  $x$  of the flow  $\phi$  is called **simple** if

$$\det(\text{id} - \phi_*^t : T_x M \rightarrow T_x M) \neq 0, \quad t \neq 0.$$

# Simple flows

- $\text{Fix}(\phi)$  the fixed point set of  $\phi$  (closed in  $M$ ).
- $M^0$  the  $\mathcal{F}$ -saturation of  $\text{Fix}(\phi)$  (the union of leaves with fixed points).  
Observe that  $M^0$  is  $\phi$ -invariant.
- $M^1 = M \setminus M^0$  the transitive point set.

## Definition

The foliated flow  $\phi$  is **simple**, i.e.:

- all of its fixed points and closed orbits are simple,
- its orbits in  $M^1$  are transverse to the leaves:

$$T_x M = \mathbb{R} Z(x) \oplus T_x \mathcal{F}, \quad x \in M^1,$$

where  $Z$  is the infinitesimal generator of  $\phi$  (a vector field on  $M$ ).

# Guillemin-Sternberg formula

There is a canonical expression for the right-hand side of the Lefschetz trace formula, which follows from [the Guillemin-Sternberg formula](#).

In  $\mathcal{D}'(\mathbb{R}^+)$ ,

$$L(\phi) = \sum_{\mathbf{c}} I(\mathbf{c}) \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \varepsilon_{kl(\mathbf{c})}(\mathbf{c}) \delta_{kl(\mathbf{c})} + \sum_p \varepsilon_p |1 - e^{\varkappa_p t}|^{-1},$$

$\mathbf{c}$  runs over all closed orbits and  $p$  over all fixed points of  $\phi$ :

- $I(\mathbf{c})$  the minimal period of  $\mathbf{c}$ ,
- $\varepsilon_l(\mathbf{c}) := \text{sign det}(\text{id} - \phi_*^l : T_x \mathcal{F} \rightarrow T_x \mathcal{F})$ ,  $x \in \mathbf{c}$ .
- $\varepsilon_p := \text{sign det}(\text{id} - \phi_*^t : T_p \mathcal{F} \rightarrow T_p \mathcal{F})$ ,  $t > 0$ .
- $\varkappa_p \neq 0$  is a real number such that

$$\bar{\phi}_*^t : T_p M / T_p \mathcal{F} \rightarrow T_p M / T_p \mathcal{F}, \quad x \mapsto e^{\varkappa_p t} x.$$

# Problems

## Problem

To define a Lefschetz number of the flow  $\phi$ :

$$L(\phi) = \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} (-1)^j \text{Tr} (\phi^* : H^j \rightarrow H^j)$$

- $H^j$  is some cohomology theory associated with  $\mathcal{F}$ ,
- $\text{Tr}$  is a trace,

in such a way that the above Guillemin-Sternberg formula holds.

## Motivation:

Deninger's program to study zeta- and L-functions for algebraic schemes over the integers, in particular, the Riemann zeta-function (Berlin, ICM, 1998).

# Nonsingular flows

## ASSUMPTIONS:

- $M$  a closed manifold,  $\dim M = n$ .
- $\mathcal{F}$  a codimension one foliation on  $M$ .
- $\phi^t : M \rightarrow M, t \in \mathbb{R}$  a simple foliated flow.
- $\phi$  has no fixed points:
  - all the closed orbits are simple,
  - all the orbits in  $M$  are transverse to the leaves.

# Leafwise de Rham complex

$(\Omega(\mathcal{F}), d_{\mathcal{F}})$  the leafwise de Rham complex of  $\mathcal{F}$ :

- $\Omega^k(\mathcal{F}) = C^\infty(M, \wedge^k T^*\mathcal{F})$  smooth leafwise differential forms;
- $d_{\mathcal{F}} : \Omega^k(\mathcal{F}) \rightarrow \Omega^{k+1}(\mathcal{F})$  the leafwise de Rham differential.

In a foliated chart with coordinates  $(x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}, y) \in \mathbb{R}^{n-1} \times \mathbb{R}$  such that leaves are given by  $y = c$ , a  $p$ -form  $\omega \in \Omega^p(\mathcal{F})$  is written as

$$\omega = \sum_{\alpha_1 < \alpha_2 < \dots < \alpha_p} a_\alpha(x, y) dx_{\alpha_1} \wedge \dots \wedge dx_{\alpha_p}$$

and  $d_{\mathcal{F}}\omega \in \Omega^{p+1}(\mathcal{F})$  is given by

$$d_{\mathcal{F}}\omega = \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} \sum_{\alpha_1 < \alpha_2 < \dots < \alpha_p} \frac{\partial a_\alpha}{\partial x_j}(x, y) dx_j \wedge dx_{\alpha_1} \wedge \dots \wedge dx_{\alpha_p}$$



# Leafwise de Rham cohomology

- The reduced leafwise de Rham cohomology of  $\mathcal{F}$ :

$$\overline{H}(\mathcal{F}) = \ker d_{\mathcal{F}} / \overline{\operatorname{im} d_{\mathcal{F}}},$$

the closure is in  $C^\infty$ -topology.

- $\phi$  is a foliated flow  $\implies d_{\mathcal{F}} \circ \phi^t = \phi^t \circ d_{\mathcal{F}}$ .  
The induced action:

$$\phi^{t*} : \overline{H}(\mathcal{F}) \rightarrow \overline{H}(\mathcal{F}).$$

## Question

The trace of  $\phi^{t*} : \overline{H}(\mathcal{F}) \rightarrow \overline{H}(\mathcal{F})$ ?

# The leafwise Hodge decomposition

- $g$  the Riemannian metric on  $M$  such that the infinitesimal generator  $Z$  of the flow  $\phi$  is of length one and is orthogonal to the leaves — a bundle-like metric (so  $\mathcal{F}$  is a Riemannian foliation.).
- $\Delta_{\mathcal{F}} = d_{\mathcal{F}}\delta_{\mathcal{F}} + \delta_{\mathcal{F}}d_{\mathcal{F}}$  the leafwise Laplacian on  $\Omega(\mathcal{F})$  (a second order tangentially elliptic differential operator on  $M$ ).
- $\mathcal{H}(\mathcal{F})$  the space of leafwise harmonic forms on  $M$ :

$$\mathcal{H}(\mathcal{F}) = \{\omega \in \Omega(\mathcal{F}) : \Delta_{\mathcal{F}}\omega = 0\}.$$

Theorem (Alvarez Lopez - Yu. K)

*The Hodge isomorphism*

$$\overline{H}(\mathcal{F}) \cong \mathcal{H}(\mathcal{F}).$$

# The Lefschetz distribution

For any  $f \in C_c^\infty(\mathbb{R})$ , define

$$A_f = \int_{\mathbb{R}} \phi^{t*} \cdot f(t) dt \circ \Pi : L^2\Omega(\mathcal{F}) \rightarrow L^2\Omega(\mathcal{F}),$$

where  $\Pi : L^2\Omega(\mathcal{F}) \rightarrow L^2\mathcal{H}(\mathcal{F})$  is the orthogonal projection.

$A_f$  is a smoothing operator:

The Schwartz kernel  $K_{A_f} = K_{A_f}(x, y)|dy|$  of  $A_f$  is smooth:

$$A_f u(x) = \int_M K_{A_f}(x, y)u(y)|dy|.$$

In particular,  $A_f$  is of trace class and

$$\text{Tr } A_f = \int_M \text{tr } K_{A_f}(x, x)|dx|.$$

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The Lefschetz distribution  $L(\phi) \in \mathcal{D}'(\mathbb{R})$ :

$$\langle L(\phi), f \rangle = \text{Tr}^s A_f := \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} (-1)^j \text{Tr} A_f^{(j)}, \quad f \in C_c^\infty(\mathbb{R}),$$

where  $A_f^{(j)}$  is the restriction of  $A_f$  to  $\Omega^j(\mathcal{F})$ .

# The Lefschetz formula

## Theorem (Alvarez Lopez - Y.K.)

Assume that  $\phi$  is simple and has no fixed points.

- On  $\mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$

$$L(\phi) = \sum_c I(c) \sum_{k \neq 0} \varepsilon_{kl(c)}(c) \delta_{kl(c)},$$

when  $c$  runs over all closed orbits of  $\phi$  and  $I(c)$  denotes the minimal period of  $c$ .

- In some neighborhood of 0 in  $\mathbb{R}$ :

$$L(\phi) = \chi_\Lambda(\mathcal{F}) \cdot \delta_0.$$

$\chi_\Lambda(\mathcal{F})$  the  $\Lambda$ -Euler characteristic of  $\mathcal{F}$  given by the holonomy invariant transverse measure  $\Lambda$  (Connes, 1979).

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# Difficulties

$\mathcal{F}$  is a foliation almost without holonomy:

If  $\phi$  is simple, then:

- $M^0$  is a finite union of compact leaves,
- only the leaves in  $M^0$  may have non-trivial holonomy groups.

In particular,  $\mathcal{F}$  is not a Riemannian foliation.

- The leafwise Laplacian  $\Delta_{\mathcal{F}}$  is transversally elliptic only on the transitive point set  $M^1$ , **not** on  $M^0$ .
- As a consequence, the operator

$$A_f = \int_{\mathbb{R}} \phi^{t*} \cdot f(t) dt \circ \Pi : L^2\Omega(\mathcal{F}) \rightarrow L^2\Omega(\mathcal{F})$$

is not a smoothing operator. Its Schwartz kernel is smooth on  $M^1 \times M^1$  and **singular** near  $M^0 \times M^0$ .

So its trace is not well-defined.

# The transitive point set and its blow-up

- $M_l^1$ ,  $l = 1, \dots, r$ , the connected components of  $M^1 (= M \setminus M^0)$ :

$$(M^1, \mathcal{F}^1) = \bigsqcup_l (M_l^1, \mathcal{F}_l^1).$$

- $M^l$  is the closure of  $M_l^1$ :

$$M^l = \overline{M_l^1}.$$

Thus,  $M_l$  is a connected compact manifold with boundary, endowed with a smooth foliation  $\mathcal{F}_l$  tangent to the boundary.

- Put

$$M^c := \bigsqcup_l M_l, \quad \mathcal{F}^c := \bigsqcup_l \mathcal{F}_l.$$

- The flow lifts to a simple foliated flow  $\phi^{c,t}$  of  $\mathcal{F}^c$  tangent to  $\partial M^c$ .



# Riemannian metric on the transitive point set

There exists a Riemannian metric  $g^1$  on  $M^1$ :

- $M^1$  equipped with  $g_I := g^1|_{M^1}$  is a manifold of bounded geometry;
- $g^1$  is bundle-like for  $\mathcal{F}^1$ ;
- $\mathcal{F}^1$  a Riemannian foliation of bounded geometry;
- $\phi_I^t$  a flow of bounded geometry.

Remarks:

- $g^1$  is singular at  $M^0$ .
- Each  $(M^1, g^1)$  is a Riemannian manifold with cylindrical ends.

# Local model for $g^1$ near a compact leaf

Take a compact leaf  $L \subset M^0$ . Then, by the local stability theorem,

- a tubular nbhd  $V$  of  $L$  in  $M$  is diffeomorphic to a tubular nbhd  $V_L$  of  $L$  in the suspension foliated manifold ( $M_L = \tilde{L} \times_{\Gamma} \mathbb{R}, \mathcal{F}_L$ ):

$$V \subset M \equiv V_L \subset M_L = \tilde{L} \times_{\Gamma} \mathbb{R},$$

- the flow  $\phi^t$  on  $V \equiv V_L$ :

$$\phi^t([\tilde{y}, x]) = [\phi_x^t(\tilde{y}), e^{xL}x], \quad [\tilde{y}, x] \in V_L \subset M_L = \tilde{L} \times_{\Gamma} \mathbb{R},$$

- the Riemannian metric  $g^1$  on  $M^1 \equiv M_L \setminus L = \tilde{L} \times_{\Gamma} (\mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\})$ :

$$g^1 = g_{\mathcal{F}_L} + \frac{dx^2}{x^2}, \quad [\tilde{y}, x] \in \tilde{L} \times_{\Gamma} (\mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}),$$

where  $g_{\mathcal{F}_L}$  is a leafwise Riemannian metric on  $(M_L, \mathcal{F}_L)$ .

# Differential operators on the blow-up

- The blow up of the transitive point set  $M^1$ :

$$M^c = \bigsqcup_I M_I, \quad \mathcal{F}^c = \bigsqcup_I \mathcal{F}_I,$$

$M_I$  a connected compact manifold with boundary,  
 $\mathcal{F}_I$  a smooth foliation tangent to the boundary:

$$\mathring{M}_I \equiv M_I^1, \quad \mathring{\mathcal{F}}_I \equiv \mathcal{F}_I^1.$$

- We transfer the Riemannian metric  $g^1$  to  $\mathring{M}_I$ . Then  $\mathring{M}_I$  is a manifold of bounded geometry and  $\mathring{\mathcal{F}}_I$  is a Riemannian foliation of bounded geometry.
- $d_{\mathring{\mathcal{F}}_I}$  the leafwise de Rham differential on  $\Omega(\mathring{\mathcal{F}}_I)$ .
- $\delta_{\mathring{\mathcal{F}}_I}$  the leafwise de Rham codifferential on  $\Omega(\mathring{\mathcal{F}}_I)$ .
- $D_{\mathring{\mathcal{F}}_I} = d_{\mathring{\mathcal{F}}_I} + \delta_{\mathring{\mathcal{F}}_I}$ .

# Smoothing operators

## Definition

Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be the Fréchet algebra of functions  $\psi : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  such that the Fourier transform  $\hat{\psi}$  satisfies that, for every  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ , there is some  $A_k > 0$  such that, for all  $\xi \in \mathbb{R}$ ,

$$|\hat{\psi}(\xi)| \leq A_k e^{-k|\xi|}.$$

$\mathcal{A}$  contains all functions with compactly supported Fourier transform, as well as the Gaussians  $x \mapsto e^{-tx^2}$  with  $t > 0$ .

## Definition

For any  $\psi \in \mathcal{A}$ ,  $f \in C_c^\infty(\mathbb{R})$  and  $I$ , the operator

$$\mathring{P}_I = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \phi^{t*} \cdot f(t) dt \circ \psi(D_{\mathring{F}_I})$$

is a smoothing operator on  $\mathring{M}_I$ , but its kernel is singular near  $\partial\mathring{M}_I$ .

## b-calculus (R. Melrose)

Theorem (Alvarez Lopez, Yu.K., Leichtnam)

$\dot{P}_I = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \phi^{t*} \cdot f(t) dt \circ \psi(D_{\dot{F}_I})$  gives rise to  $P_I \in \Psi_b^{-\infty}(M_I; \wedge T\mathcal{F}_I^*)$ .

- The Schwartz kernel  $K_{P_I}$  is smooth in the interior  $\mathring{M}_I \times \mathring{M}_I$ .
- $K_{P_I}$  has a  $C^\infty$  extension to  $M_I \times M_I \setminus \partial M_I \times \partial M_I$  that vanishes to all orders at  $(\partial M_I \times M_I) \cup (M_I \times \partial M_I)$ .
- Consider a tubular neighborhood of  $L \subset \pi_0(\partial M_I)$  with coordinates  $(\rho, y), \rho \in (0, \infty), y \in L$ .

Then  $K_{P_I} = K_{P_I}(\rho, y, \rho', y') u(\rho', y') |d\rho'| |dy'|$  has the form

$$K_{P_I}(\rho, y, \rho', y') = \frac{1}{\rho'} \kappa_{P_I}(\rho, y, \frac{\rho'}{\rho}, y'),$$

where  $\kappa_{P_I}(\rho, y, s, y')$  is smooth up to  $L$  (that is, up to  $\rho = 0$ ).

## b-trace

In a tubular neighborhood of  $L$  with coordinates  $\rho \in (0, \epsilon_0)$ ,  $y \in L$ ,

$$P_I u(\rho, y) = \int K_{P_I}(\rho, y, \rho', y') u(\rho', y') |d\rho'| |dy'|,$$

$$K_{P_I}(\rho, y, \rho', y') = \frac{1}{\rho'} \kappa_{P_I}(\rho, y, \frac{\rho'}{\rho}, y'),$$

and  $\kappa_{P_I}(\rho, y, s, y')$  is smooth up to  $L$  (that is, up to  $\rho = 0$ ).

## Definition

$${}^b\text{Tr} (P_I) = \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \left( \int_{\rho > \epsilon} K_{P_I}(\rho, y, \rho, y) |d\rho| |dy| + \ln \epsilon \int \kappa_{P_I}(0, y, 1, y) |dy| \right).$$

## Key fact

The functional  ${}^b\text{Tr}$  doesn't have trace property, but  ${}^b\text{Tr} [P, P']$  is expressed in terms of traces of some explicit integral operators on  $\partial M_I$ .

# Operators on the transitive point set

Since  $M^c = \bigsqcup_I M_I$ ,  $\mathcal{F}^c = \bigsqcup_I \mathcal{F}_I$ , we get the operator

$$P \equiv \bigoplus_I P_I = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \phi^{t*} \cdot f(t) dt \circ \psi(D_{\mathcal{F}^c})$$

$$\in \Psi_b^{-\infty}(M^c; \wedge T\mathcal{F}^{c*}) \equiv \bigoplus_I \Psi_b^{-\infty}(M_I; \wedge T\mathcal{F}_I^*).$$

In particular, its b-trace  ${}^b\text{Tr}(P)$  is well-defined.

The b-supertrace of  $P$ :

$${}^b\text{Tr}^s(P) = \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} (-1)^j {}^b\text{Tr}(P^{(j)}),$$

where  $P^{(j)}$  is the restriction to  $j$ -forms.

# Derivative of the b-supertrace

We follow the heat kernel approach to index theory:

Fix an even  $\psi \in \mathcal{A}$  and  $f \in C_c^\infty(\mathbb{R})$ .

For  $u > 0$ , let

$$P_{\psi_u, f} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \phi^{t*} \cdot f(t) dt \circ \psi(uD_{\mathcal{F}^c})$$

Since the b-trace is not a trace,  $\frac{d}{du} \text{bTr}^s(P_{\psi_u, f}) \neq 0$ .

## Theorem

$$\frac{d}{du} \text{bTr}^s(P_{\psi_u, f}) = \sum_{L \in \pi_0(M^0)} \frac{2}{|\mathcal{X}_L|} \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma_L} \text{Tr}_{\Gamma_L}^s \left( T_\gamma^* \tilde{R}_{L, u, t_{L, \gamma}} \right) f(t_{L, \gamma}).$$



# Notation

## Theorem

$$\frac{d}{du} \text{bTr}^s(P_{\psi_u, f}) = \sum_{L \in \pi_0(M^0)} \frac{2}{|\mathcal{Z}_L|} \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma_L} \text{Tr}_{\Gamma_L}^s \left( T_\gamma^* \tilde{R}_{L, u, t_L, \gamma} \right) f(t_{L, \gamma}),$$

- $\tilde{L}$  the universal covering of  $L$ ,  $\Gamma_L := \pi_1 \tilde{L}$ .
- $T_\gamma^*$  the induced action of  $\gamma \in \Gamma_L$  on  $\Gamma_L$ -invariant operators on  $\tilde{L}$ .
- $\text{Tr}_{\Gamma_L}$  the  $\Gamma_L$ -trace on  $\Gamma_L$ -invariant operators on  $\tilde{L}$ .
- $\tilde{R}_{L, u, t} = u \tilde{\eta} \wedge \tilde{\phi}_L^{t*} \psi'(u D_{\tilde{L}})$ .
- $\tilde{\eta}$  a closed one-form on  $\tilde{L}$ , the lift of a closed one-form  $\eta$  on  $L$ .  
If we consider  $\eta$  as a closed leafwise 1-form on the suspension manifold  $M_L = \tilde{L} \times_{\Gamma} \mathbb{R}$ , then there exists a 1-form  $\omega$  on  $M_L$  satisfying  $T\mathcal{F}_L = \ker \omega$  such that  $d\omega = \eta \wedge \omega$ .
- $\phi_L^t : L \rightarrow L$  the restriction of the flow to  $L$ .

## More notation

## Theorem

$$\frac{d}{du} \text{bTr}^s(P_{\psi_u, f}) = \sum_{L \in \pi_0(M^0)} \frac{2}{|\mathcal{X}_L|} \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma_L} \text{Tr}_{\Gamma_L}^s \left( T_{\gamma}^* \tilde{R}_{L, u, t_{L, \gamma}} \right) f(t_{L, \gamma}),$$

- $\varkappa_L \neq 0$  a real number such that, for  $p \in L$ ,

$$\bar{\phi}_*^t : N_p \mathcal{F} \rightarrow N_p \mathcal{F}, \quad x \rightarrow e^{\varkappa_L t} x.$$

- $t_{L, \gamma} = -\varkappa_L^{-1} \log a_{L, \gamma}$  relative periods, where a homomorphism  $\gamma \in \Gamma_L \mapsto a_{L, \gamma} \in \mathbb{R}^+$  is given by the holonomy homomorphism

$$\gamma \in \Gamma_L \mapsto \bar{h}_{L, \gamma} \in \text{Diffeo}_+(\mathbb{R}, 0), \quad \bar{h}_{L, \gamma}(x) = a_{L, \gamma} x.$$

## Variation of the b-supertrace and Lefschetz distribution

For  $u, v > 0$ ,

$${}^b\text{Tr}^s(P_{\psi_v, f}) - {}^b\text{Tr}^s(P_{\psi_u, f}) = \sum_{L \in \pi_0(M^0)} \frac{2}{|\mathcal{X}_L|} \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma_L} \text{Tr}_{\Gamma_L}^s \left( T_\gamma^* \tilde{\mathcal{S}}_{L, u, v, t_{L, \gamma}} \right) f(t_{L, \gamma}),$$

$$\tilde{\mathcal{S}}_{L, u, v, t} = \int_u^v \tilde{R}_{L, w, t} dw = \tilde{\eta} \wedge \tilde{\phi}_L^{t*} \frac{\psi(vD_{\tilde{L}}) - \psi(uD_{\tilde{L}})}{D_{\tilde{L}}}.$$

## Definition

The Lefschetz distribution

$$\langle L(\phi), f \rangle = {}^b\text{Tr}^s(P_{\psi_v, f}) - \lim_{u \rightarrow 0} \sum_{L \in \pi_0(M^0)} \frac{2}{|\mathcal{X}_L|} \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma_L} \text{Tr}_{\Gamma_L}^s \left( T_\gamma^* \tilde{\mathcal{S}}_{L, u, v, t_{L, \gamma}} \right) f(t_{L, \gamma}).$$

Here the right-hand side is independent of  $v$ .

## Trace formula

## Theorem

$L(\phi)$  is a well-defined distribution on  $\mathbb{R}_+$  given by

$$L(\phi) = \sum_c I(c) \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \varepsilon_{kl(c)}(c) \cdot \delta_{kl(c)}$$

on  $\mathbb{R}_+$ , where  $c$  runs over all closed orbits of  $\phi^t$ ,  $I(c)$  denotes the minimal period of  $c$ , and  $x$  is an arbitrary point of  $c$ .

# Concluding remarks

## Remark

*The next problem is to give a cohomological interpretation of the limit as  $v \rightarrow +\infty$  of*

$${}^b\mathrm{Tr}^s(P_{\psi_v, f}) - \lim_{u \rightarrow 0} \sum_{L \in \pi_0(M^0)} \frac{2}{|\mathcal{L}_L|} \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma_L} \mathrm{Tr}_{\Gamma_L}^s(T_\gamma^* \tilde{\mathcal{S}}_{L, u, v, t_{L, \gamma}}) f(t_{L, \gamma}).$$

## Remark

*Contribution of fixed points as in the Guillemin-Sternberg formula.*