

Analytic seminar of Chebyshev Laboratory

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On spectra of hyperbolic surfaces without thin handles

Let X be a hyperbolic surface of genus $g \ge 2$. It is known that first 2g - 2 eigenvalues of Laplace–Beltrami operator $-\Delta$ on X may turn to be arbitrarily small. In fact, such situation is related to the existence of thin handles on X, that is, to degenerateness of injectivity radius R_{inj} of X. We prove a lower eigenvalue estimate under assumption on R_{inj} :

$$\lambda_{\lceil \varepsilon g \rceil} \ge c(R_{\rm inj}) \cdot \varepsilon^2$$

for any $\varepsilon \leq 2$.

The argument is based on Buser's theorem on triangulation of controlled size.