

# Equivalence of smoothness spaces by means of frames of discrete shearlets on the cone and curvelets

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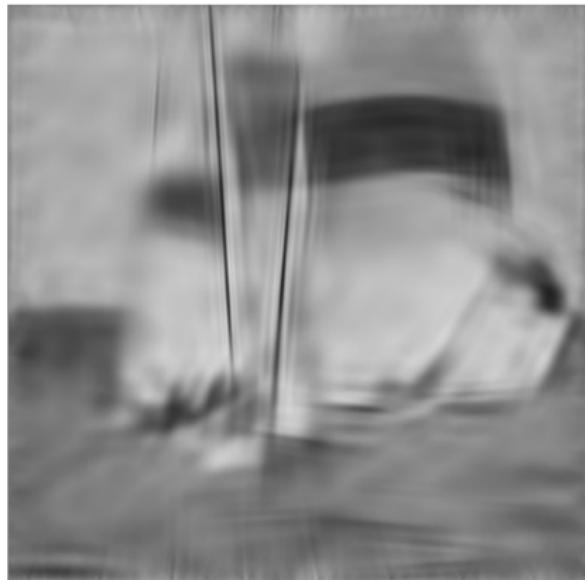
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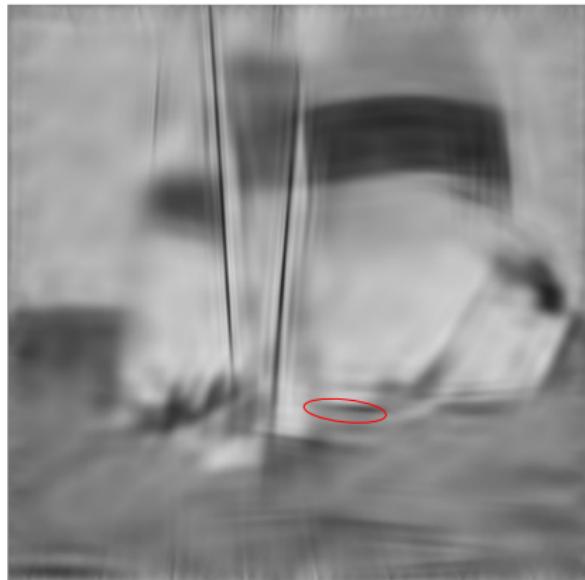
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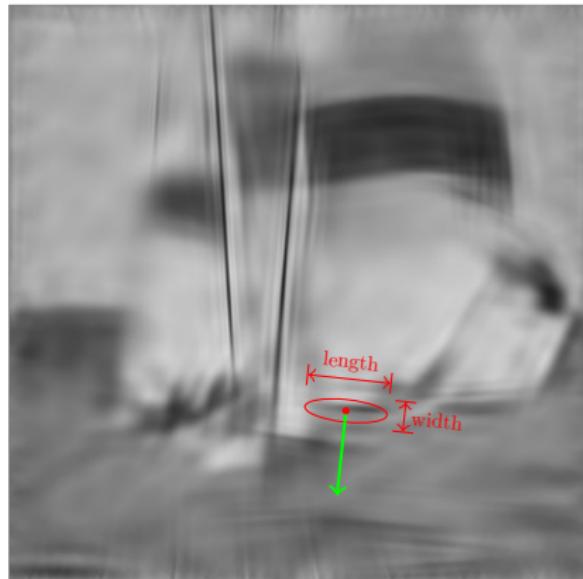
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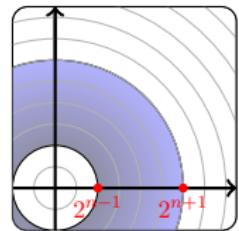
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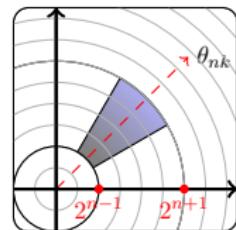


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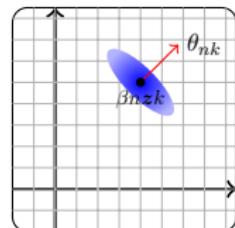


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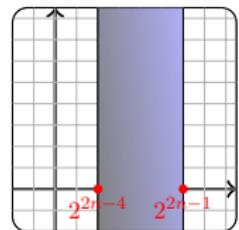
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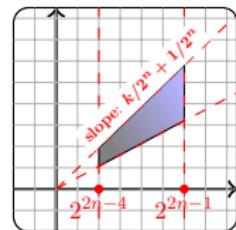


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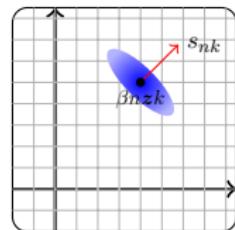


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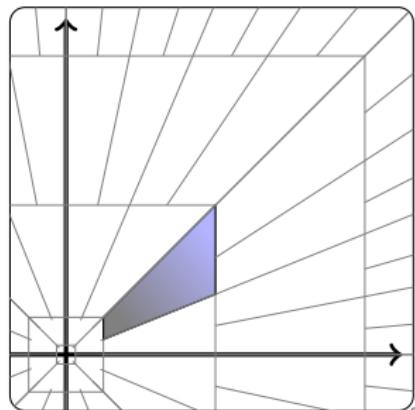
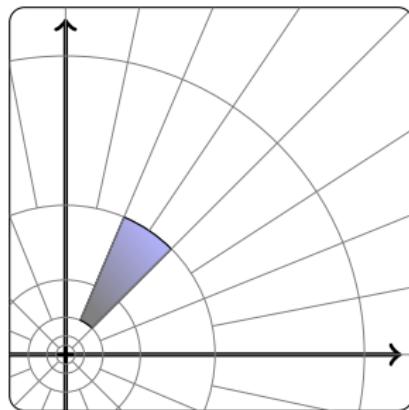
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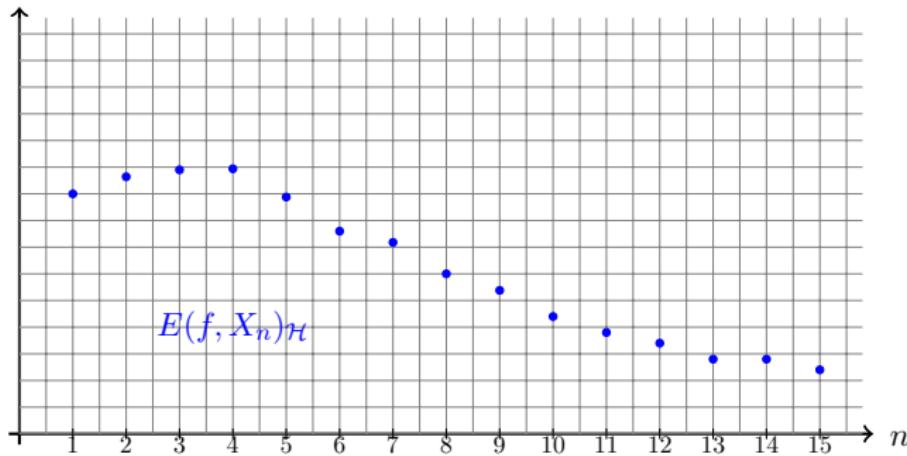
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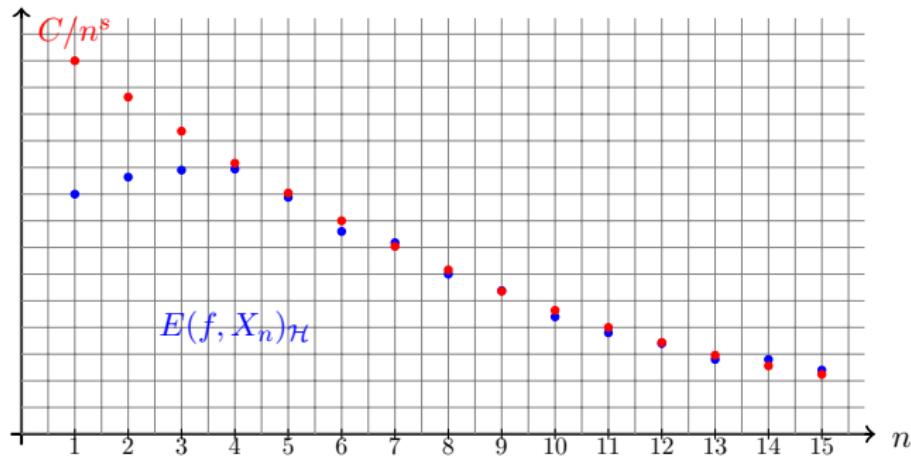
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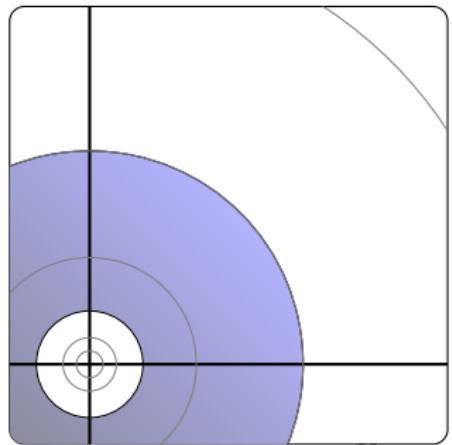
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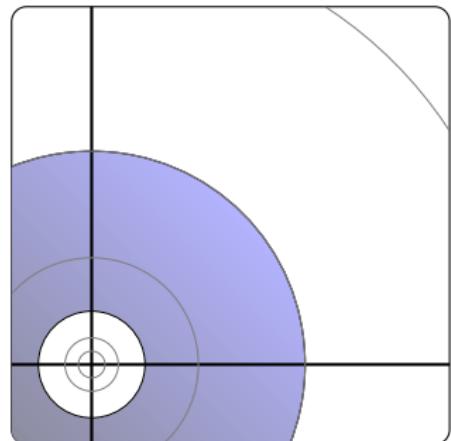
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$$f \in B_q^s(L_p(\mathbb{R}^2)) \text{ iff } \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} \left( \int_{\mathbb{R}^2} (1 + 2^{sn})^p |\mathcal{D}_n f(x)|^p dx \right)^{q/p} < \infty$$

- ▶ Atoms  $(\mathcal{D}_n f) \widehat{\phantom{f}}(\xi) = \psi_n(\xi) \widehat{f}(\xi)$ ,  
where  
 $\text{supp } \psi_n = \{2^{n-1} \leq |\xi| \leq 2^{n+1}\}$ ,  
 $\sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} \psi_n(\xi) = 1$ .
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- ▶  $\Lambda = \mathbb{Z}$ .
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 $Q_n = \{2^{n-1} < |\xi| < 2^{n+1}\}$ .
- ▶ **Partition of Unity:**  $\psi_n$  radially symmetric,  $\sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} \psi_n(\xi) = 1$  for all  $\xi \in \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{\mathbf{0}\}$ .
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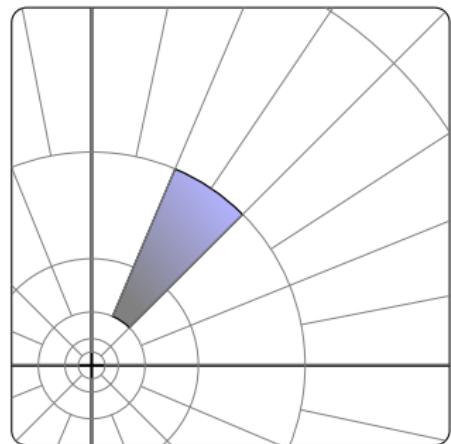
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# Curvelet Decomposition Spaces

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 $Q_{nk} = \text{supp } \phi_{n0k}.$
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## Theorem (B-S '09)

Define  $\psi_{nk} = |\phi_{n\mathbf{0}k}|^2$ ,  $Q_{nk} = \text{supp } \psi_{nk}$ ,  $\Lambda = \{(n, k)\}$ . Then, for the same moderate weight  $\omega$ ,

$$\mathfrak{D}\left(\{Q_{nk}^{\text{curv}}\}_{\Lambda}, \{\psi_{nk}^{\text{curv}}\}_{\Lambda}\right)_{L_p(\mathbb{R}^2)}^{\ell_q(\Lambda, \omega)} = \mathfrak{D}\left(\{Q_{nk}^{\text{shear}}\}_{\Lambda}, \{\psi_{nk}^{\text{shear}}\}_{\Lambda}\right)_{L_p(\mathbb{R}^2)}^{\ell_q(\Lambda, \omega)}$$

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- ▶ Under these conditions, a Theorem by Feichtinger and Groebner (1985) states that **the corresponding decomposition spaces must be equal, with equivalent norms.**

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