

Rigorous construction and Hadamard property of the Unruh state in Schwarzschild spacetime

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Abstract

The discovery of the radiation properties of black holes prompted the search for a natural candidate quantum ground state for a massless scalar field theory on Schwarzschild spacetime, here considered in the Eddington–Finkelstein representation. Among the several available proposals in the literature, an important physical role is played by the so-called Unruh state, which is supposed to be appropriate to capture the physics of a black hole formed by spherically symmetric collapsing matter. Within this respect, we shall consider a massless Klein–Gordon

field and we shall rigorously and globally construct such state, that is on the algebra of Weyl observables localised in the union of the static external region, the future event horizon and the non-static black hole region. Eventually, out of a careful use of microlocal techniques, we prove that the built state fulfils, where defined, the so-called Hadamard condition; hence, it is perturbatively stable, in other words realizing the natural candidate with which one could study purely quantum phenomena such as the role of the back reaction of Hawking's radiation.

From a geometrical point of view, we shall make a profitable use of a bulk-to-boundary reconstruction technique which carefully exploits the Killing horizon structure as well as the conformal asymptotic behaviour of the underlying background. From an analytical point of view, our tools will range from Hörmander's theorem on propagation of singularities, results on the role of passive states, and a detailed use of the recently discovered peeling behaviour of the solutions of the wave equation in Schwarzschild spacetime.

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1 Introduction

In the wake of Hawking's discovery of the radiating properties of black holes [28], several investigations on the assumptions leading to such result were prompted. In between them, that of Unruh [54] caught the attention of the scientific community, since he first emphasized the need to identify a physically sensible candidate quantum state, which could be called the vacuum for a quantum massless scalar field theory on the Schwarzschild spacetime. This is especially true when such spacetime is viewed as that of a real black hole obtained out of the collapse of spherically symmetric matter.

If we adopt the standard notation (e.g., see [57]), this spacetime can be identified with the union of the regions I and III in the Kruskal manifold including the future horizon, though we must omit the remaining two regions together with their boundaries [56, 57]. To the date, in the literature, three candidate background states are available, going under the name of *Boulware* (for the external region), *Hartle–Hawking* (for the complete Kruskal manifold) and *Unruh* state (for the union of both the external and black hole region, including the future event horizon). The goal of this paper is to focus on the latter, mostly due to its remarkable physical properties. As a matter of fact, earlier works (see for example [2, 3, 13]) showed that such a state could be employed to compute the expectation value of the regularized stress-energy tensor for a massless scalar field in the physical region of Schwarzschild spacetime, above pointed out. The outcome is a regular expression on the future event horizon while, at future null infinity, it appears an outgoing flux of radiation compatible with that of a blackbody

at the black hole temperature. As pre-announced, this result, together with Birkhoff's theorem, lead to the conjecture that the very same Unruh state, say ω_U , as well as its smooth perturbations, is the natural candidate to be used in the description of the gravitational collapse of a spherically symmetric star. However, to this avail, one is also lead to assume that ω_U fulfils the so-called *Hadamard property* [38, 57], a prerequisite for states on curved background to be indicated as physically reasonable. As a matter of fact, in between the many properties, it is noteworthy to emphasise that such condition assures the existence of a well-behaved averaged stress energy tensor [57]. Therefore, from a heuristic point of view, this condition is tantamount to require that the ultraviolet behaviour mimics that of the Minkowski vacuum, leading to a physically clear prescription on how to remove the singularities of the averaged stress-energy tensor; this comes at hand whenever one needs to compute the back-reaction of the quantum matter on the gravitational background through Einstein's equations.

The relevance of the Hadamard condition is further borne out by the analysis in [25], where the description of the gravitational collapse of a spherically symmetric star is discussed and, under the assumption of the existence of suitable algebraic states of Hadamard form, it is shown that the appearance of the Hawking radiation, brought, at large times, by any of the said states, is precisely related to the scaling-limit behaviour of the underlying two-point function of the state computed on the 2-sphere determined by the locus where the star radius crosses the Schwarzschild one.

It is therefore manifest the utmost importance to verify whether ω_U satisfies or not the Hadamard property, a condition which appears reasonable to assume at least in the static region of Schwarzschild spacetime also in view both of the former analysis in [13] and of the general results achieved in [49] applied to those in [23]. Indeed such a check is one of the main purposes to write this paper. Our goals are, however, broader, as we shall make a novel use of the Killing and conformal structure of Schwarzschild spacetime in order to construct rigorously and unambiguously the Unruh state, contemporary in the static region, inside the internal region and on the future event horizon. To this avail, we shall exploit some techniques which in the recent past have been successfully applied to manifolds with Killing horizons, asymptotically flat spacetimes (see also the recent [53]) as well as cosmological backgrounds [14, 15, 20–22, 41–43]. Within this respect, it is also important to mention that, although, for different physical goals, a mathematically similar technology was employed in [31] including a proof of the Hadamard property of the relevant states.

That mathematical technology also relies upon some ideas essentially due to Ashtekar [59] and that have also received attention for applications to

electrodynamics [60, 61] in asymptotically flat spacetimes. Finally, a mathematically similar procedure was employed in [31] to prove the Hadamard property of some relevant states in a different physical context.

From the perspective of this manuscript, the above cited papers are most notable for their underlying common “philosophy”. To wit, as a first step, one always identifies a preferred codimension 1 null submanifold of the background, one is interested in. Afterwards, the classical solutions of the bulk dynamical system, one wishes to consider, are projected on a suitable function set living on the chosen submanifold. The most notable property of this set is that one can associate to it a Weyl algebra of observables, which carries a corresponding distinguished quantum algebraic state, which can be pulled-back to bulk via the above projection map. On the one hand this procedure induces a state for the bulk algebra of observables and, on the other hand, such new state enjoys several important physical properties, related both with the symmetries of the spacetime and with suitable notions of uniqueness and energy positivity.

Particularly, although at a very first glance, one would be tempted to conclude that the Hadamard property is automatically satisfied as a consequence of the construction itself and of the known results for the microlocal composition of the wave front sets, actually we face a harsher reality. To wit, this feature has to be verified via a not so tantalising case by case analysis since it is strictly intertwined to the geometrical details of the background. Unfortunately the case, we analyse in this paper, is no exception and, thus, we shall be forced to use a novel different procedure along the lines below outlines.

As a starting point, we shall remark that, in the Schwarzschild background, the role of the distinguished null codimension one hypersurface, on which to encode the bulk data, will be played by the union of the complete Killing past horizon and of null past infinity. Afterwards, as far as the state is concerned, it will be then defined on the selected hypersurfaces just following the original recipe due to Unruh: a vacuum defined with respect to the affine parameter of the null geodesics forming the horizon and a vacuum with respect to the Schwarzschild Killing vector ∂_t at past null infinity. At a level of two-point function, the end point of our construction takes a rather distinguished shape whenever restricted to the subalgebra smeared by compactly supported functions, which coincides with the one already noticed in [23, 38, 48]. Nonetheless, from our perspective, the most difficult technical step will consist of the extension of the methods employed in our previous papers, the reason being that the full algebra both on the horizon and on null infinity is subject to severe constraints whose origin can be traced back

to some notable recent achievements by Dafermos and Rodnianski [18]. To make things worse, a similar problem will appear for the state constructed for the algebra at the null infinity. Nonetheless we shall display a way to overcome both potential obstructions and the full procedure will ultimately lead to the implementation of a fully mathematically coherent Unruh state, ω_U for the spacetime under analysis.

Despite these hard problems, the bright side of the approach, we advocate, lies in the possibility to develop a global definition for ω_U for the spacetime which encompasses the future horizon, the external as well as the internal region. Furthermore our approach will be advantageous since it allows to avoid most of the technical cumbersomeness, encountered in the earlier approaches, the most remarkable in [23] (see also [35]), where the Unruh state was defined via an S-matrix out of the solutions of the corresponding field equation of motion in asymptotic Minkowski spacetimes. Alas, the definition was established only for the static region and the Hadamard condition was not checked, hence leaving open several important physical questions.

Differently, our boundary-to-bulk construction, as pre-announced, will allow us to make a full use of the powerful techniques of microlocal analysis, thus leading to a verification of the Hadamard condition using the global microlocal characterisation discovered by Radzikowski [45, 46] and fruitfully exploited in all the subsequent literature (see also [11]). Differently from the proofs of the Hadamard property presented in [42] and [22] here we shall adopt a more indirect procedure, which has the further net advantage to avoid potentially complicated issues related to the null geodesics reaching i^- from the interior of the Schwarzschild region. The Hadamard property will be first established in the static region making use of an extension of the formalism and the results presented in [49] valid for *passive states*. The black hole region together with the future horizon will be finally encompassed by a profitable use of the Hörmander's propagation of singularity theorem joined with a direct computation of the relevant remaining part of wavefront set of the involved distributions, all in view of well-established results of microlocal analysis.

From a mathematical point of view, it is certainly worth acknowledging that the results we present in this paper are obtainable thanks to several remarkable achievements presented in a recent series of papers due to Dafermos and Rodnianski [16–19], who discussed in great details the behaviour of a solution φ of the Klein–Gordon equation in Schwarzschild spacetime improving a classical result of Kay and Wald [37]. Particularly we shall benefit from the obtained peeling estimates for φ both on the horizons and at null infinity, thus proving the long-standing conjecture known as Price law [16].

In detail, the paper will be divided as follows.

In Section 2.1, we recall the geometric properties of Schwarzschild spherically symmetric solution of Einstein's equations. Particularly, we shall introduce, characterise and discuss all the different regions of the background which will play a distinguished role in the paper.

Subsequently, in Sections 2.2 and 2.3, we shall define the relevant Weyl C^* -algebras of observables respectively in the bulk and in the codimension 1 submanifolds, we are interested in, namely the past horizon and null infinity.

Eventually, in Section 2.4, we shall relate bulk and boundary data by means of an certain isometric $*$ -homomorphism whose existence will be asserted and, then, discussed in detail.

Section 3 will be instead devoted to a detailed analysis on the relation between bulk and boundary states. Particularly we shall focus on the state defined by Kay and Wald for a (smaller) algebra associated with the past horizon \mathcal{H} [38], showing that that state can be extended to the (larger) algebra relevant for our purposes.

The core of our results will be in Section 4 where we shall first define the Unruh state and, then, we will prove that it fulfils the Hadamard property. Eventually we draw some conclusions.

Appendix A contains further geometric details on the conformal structure of Schwarzschild spacetime, while Appendix C encompasses the proofs of most propositions. At the same time Appendix B is noteworthy because it summarises several different definitions of the KMS condition and their mutual relation is briefly sketched.

1.1 Notation, mathematical conventions

Throughout, $A \subset B$ (or $A \supset B$) includes the case $A = B$, moreover $\mathbb{R}_+ \doteq [0, +\infty)$, $\mathbb{R}_+^* \doteq (0, +\infty)$, $\mathbb{R}_- \doteq (-\infty, 0]$, $\mathbb{R}_-^* \doteq (-\infty, 0)$ and $\mathbb{N} \doteq \{1, 2, \dots\}$. For smooth manifolds \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{N} , $C^\infty(\mathcal{M}; \mathcal{N})$ is the space of smooth functions $f: \mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{N}$. $C_0^\infty(\mathcal{M}; \mathcal{N}) \subset C^\infty(\mathcal{M}; \mathcal{N})$ is the subspace of compactly-supported functions. If $\chi: \mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{N}$ is a diffeomorphism, χ^* is the natural extension to tensor bundles (counter-, co-variant and mixed) from \mathcal{M} to \mathcal{N} (Appendix C in [56]). A **spacetime** (\mathcal{M}, g) is a Hausdorff, second-countable, smooth, four-dimensional connected manifold \mathcal{M} , whose smooth metric has signature $-+++$. We shall also assume that a spacetime is *oriented* and *time oriented*. The symbol \square_g denotes the standard **D'Alembert operator** associated with the unique metric, torsion free, affine connection

$\nabla_{(g)}$ constructed out of the metric g . \square_g is locally individuated by $g_{ab}\nabla_{(g)}^a\nabla_{(g)}^b$. We adopt definitions and results about causal structures as in [44, 56], but we take recent results [8, 9] into account, too. If (\mathcal{M}, g) and (\mathcal{M}', g') are spacetimes and $S \subset \mathcal{M} \cap \mathcal{M}'$, then $J^\pm(S; \mathcal{M})$ ($I^\pm(S; \mathcal{M})$) and $J^\pm(S; \mathcal{M}')$ ($I^\pm(S; \mathcal{M}')$) indicate the **causal** (resp. **chronological**) sets generated by S in the spacetime \mathcal{M} or \mathcal{M}' , respectively. An (anti)symmetric bilinear map over a real vector space $\sigma : V \times V \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is **non-degenerate** when $\sigma(u, v) = 0$ for all $v \in V$ entails $u = 0$.

2 Quantum Field theories — bulk to boundary relations

2.1 Schwarzschild–Kruskal spacetime

In this paper, we will be interested in the analysis of a Klein–Gordon scalar massless field theory on Schwarzschild spacetime and, therefore, we shall first recall the main geometric properties of the background we shall work with. Within this respect, we shall follow Section 6.4 of [56] and we will focus on the *physical region* \mathcal{M} of the full Kruskal manifold \mathcal{K} (represented in Figure 2 in the appendix), associated with a black hole of mass $m > 0$.

\mathcal{M} is made of the union of three pairwise disjoint parts, \mathcal{W} , \mathcal{B} and \mathcal{H}_{ev} which we shall proceed to describe. According to Figure 1 (and Figure 2 in the appendix), we individuate \mathcal{W} as the (open) **Schwarzschild wedge**, the (open) **black hole** region is denoted by \mathcal{B} while their common boundary, the **event horizon**, is indicated by \mathcal{H}_{ev} .

The underlying metric is easily described if we make use of the standard **Schwarzschild coordinates** t, r, θ, ϕ , where $t \in \mathbb{R}$, $r \in (r_S, +\infty)$, $(\theta, \phi) \in$

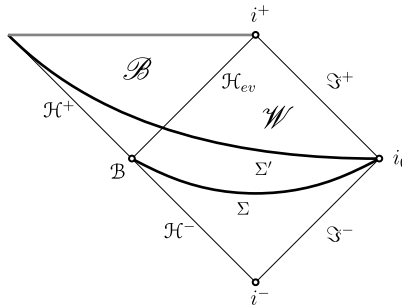


Figure 1: The overall picture represents \mathcal{M} . The regions \mathcal{W} and \mathcal{B} respectively correspond to regions I and III in Figure 2. The thick horizontal line denotes the metric singularity at $r = 0$, Σ is a spacelike Cauchy surface for \mathcal{M} while Σ' is a spacelike Cauchy surface for \mathcal{W} .

\mathbb{S}^2 in \mathcal{W} , whereas $t \in \mathbb{R}$, $r \in (0, r_S)$, $(\theta, \phi) \in \mathbb{S}^2$ in \mathcal{B} . Within this respect the metric in both \mathcal{W} and \mathcal{B} assumes the standard Schwarzschild form:

$$-\left(1 - \frac{2m}{r}\right) dt \otimes dt + \left(1 - \frac{2m}{r}\right)^{-1} dr \otimes dr + r^2 h_{\mathbb{S}^2}(\theta, \phi), \quad (2.1)$$

where $h_{\mathbb{S}^2}$ is the standard metric on the unit 2-sphere. Here, per direct inspection, one can recognise that the locus $r = 0$ corresponds to proper metrical singularity of this spacetime, whereas $r = r_S = 2m$ individuates the apparent singularity on the event horizon.

It is also convenient to work with the **Schwarzschild light** or **Eddington–Finkelstein coordinates** [38, 57] u, v, θ, ϕ which cover \mathcal{W} and \mathcal{B} separately, such that $(u, v) \in \mathbb{R}^2$, $(\theta, \phi) \in \mathbb{S}^2$ and

$$\begin{aligned} u &\doteq t - r^* \text{ in } \mathcal{W}, & u &\doteq -t - r^* \text{ in } \mathcal{B}, \\ v &\doteq t + r^* \text{ in } \mathcal{W}, & v &\doteq t - r^* \text{ in } \mathcal{B}, \\ r^* &\doteq r + 2m \ln \left| \frac{r}{2m} - 1 \right| \in \mathbb{R}. \end{aligned}$$

A third convenient set of **global null coordinates** U, V, θ, ϕ can be introduced on the whole Kruskal spacetime [56]:

$$U = -e^{-u/(4m)}, \quad V = e^{v/(4m)} \quad \text{in } \mathcal{W}, \quad (2.2)$$

$$U = e^{u/(4m)}, \quad V = e^{v/(4m)} \quad \text{in } \mathcal{B}. \quad (2.3)$$

In this frame,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{W} &\equiv \{(U, V, \theta, \phi) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \times \mathbb{S}^2 \mid U < 0, V > 0\}, \\ \mathcal{B} &\equiv \{(U, V, \theta, \phi) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \times \mathbb{S}^2 \mid UV < 1, U, V > 0\}, \\ \mathcal{M} &\doteq \mathcal{W} \cup \mathcal{B} \cup \mathcal{H}_{\text{ev}} \equiv \{(U, V, \theta, \phi) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \times \mathbb{S}^2 \mid UV < 1, V > 0\}. \end{aligned}$$

Each of the three mentioned regions, seen as independent spacetimes, is globally hyperbolic.

The event horizon of \mathcal{W} , \mathcal{H}_{ev} is one of the two horizons we shall consider. The other is the complete **past horizon** of \mathcal{M} , \mathcal{H} which is part of the boundary of \mathcal{M} in the Kruskal manifold. These horizons are respectively individuated by:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{H}_{\text{ev}} &\equiv \{(U, V, \theta, \phi) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \times \mathbb{S}^2 \mid U = 0, V > 0\}, \\ \mathcal{H} &\equiv \{(U, V, \theta, \phi) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \times \mathbb{S}^2 \mid V = 0, U \in \mathbb{R}\}. \end{aligned}$$

For future convenience, we decompose \mathcal{H} into the *disjoint* union $\mathcal{H} = \mathcal{H}^- \cup \mathcal{B} \cup \mathcal{H}^+$ where \mathcal{H}^\pm are defined according to $U > 0$ or $U < 0$ while \mathcal{B} is the

bifurcation surface at $U = 0$, i.e., the spacelike 2-sphere with radius r_s where \mathcal{H} meets the closure of \mathcal{H}_{ev} .

The metric on \mathcal{M} (and in the whole Kruskal manifold) takes the form:

$$g = -\frac{16m^3}{r} e^{-\frac{r}{2m}} (dU \otimes dV + dV \otimes dU) + r^2 h_{\mathbb{S}^2}(\theta, \phi), \quad (2.4)$$

where the apparent Schwarzschild-coordinate singularity on both \mathcal{H} and \mathcal{H}_{ev} has disappeared. It coincides with the radial Schwarzschild coordinate in both \mathcal{W} and \mathcal{B} , hence taking the constant value r_s on $\mathcal{H}_{\text{ev}} \cup \mathcal{B}$; at the same time, the metric singularity, located at $r = 0$, corresponds to $UV = 1$.

Let us now focus on the Killing vectors structure. Per direct inspection of either (2.1) or (2.4), one realizes that there exists a space of Killing vectors generated both by all the complete Killing fields associated with the spherical symmetry — ∂_ϕ for every choice of the polar axis z — and by a further smooth Killing field X . It coincides with ∂_t in both \mathcal{W} and \mathcal{B} , although it is timelike and complete in the former static region, while it is spacelike in the latter. Moreover X becomes light-like and tangent to \mathcal{H} and \mathcal{H}_{ev} (as well as to the whole completion of \mathcal{H}_{ev} in the Kruskal manifold) while it vanishes exactly on \mathcal{B} , giving rise to the structure of a *bifurcate Killing horizon* [38]. It is finally useful to remark that the coordinates u and v are respectively well defined on both \mathcal{H}_{ev} and \mathcal{H}^\pm where it turns out that:

$$X = \mp \partial_u \text{ on } \mathcal{H}^\pm, \quad X = \partial_v \text{ on } \mathcal{H}_{\text{ev}}.$$

To conclude this short digression on the geometry of Kruskal–Schwarzschild spacetime, we notice that, by means of a conformal completion procedure, outlined in Appendix A, one can coherently introduce the notion of future and past **null infinity** \mathfrak{S}^\pm . Along the same lines (see again Figures 1 and 2 in the appendix), we also shall refer to the formal *points at infinity* i^\pm, i^0 , often known as **future**, **past** and **spatial infinity**, respectively.

2.2 The Algebra of field observables of the spacetime

We are interested in the quantisation of the free massless scalar field φ [38,57] on the globally hyperbolic spacetime (\mathcal{N}, g) . The real field φ is supposed to be smooth and to satisfy the massless **Klein–Gordon** equation in (\mathcal{N}, g) :

$$P_g \varphi = 0, \quad P_g \doteq -\square_g + \frac{1}{6} R_g. \quad (2.5)$$

Since we would like to use conformal techniques, we have made explicit the conformal coupling with the metric, even if it has no net effect for the

case $\mathcal{N} = \mathcal{M}$, since the curvature R_g vanishes therein. Nonetheless, this allows us to make a profitable use of the discussion in Appendix A when $\mathcal{N} = \mathcal{M}$ and $\widetilde{\mathcal{M}} \supset \mathcal{M}$. Here $\widetilde{\mathcal{M}}$ stands for the conformal extension (see also Figure 2 in the appendix) of the previously introduced physical part of Kruskal spacetime \mathcal{M} , equipped with the metric \widetilde{g} which coincides with g/r^2 in \mathcal{M} . In such case, if the smooth real function $\widetilde{\varphi}$ solves the Klein–Gordon equation in $\widetilde{\mathcal{M}}$ (where now $R_{\widetilde{g}} \neq 0$):

$$P_{\widetilde{g}}\widetilde{\varphi} = 0, \quad P_{\widetilde{g}} \doteq -\square_{\widetilde{g}} + \frac{1}{6}R_{\widetilde{g}}, \tag{2.6}$$

$\varphi \doteq \frac{1}{r}\widetilde{\varphi}|_{\mathcal{N}}$ solves (2.5) in \mathcal{M} .

Generally we shall focus our attention to the class $\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{N})$ of real smooth solutions of (2.5) which have compact support when restricted on a (and thus on every) spacelike smooth Cauchy surface of a globally hyperbolic spacetime (\mathcal{N}, g) . This real vector space becomes a symplectic one $(\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{N}), \sigma_{\mathcal{N}})$ when equipped with the non-degenerate, Σ -independent, symplectic form [4, 38, 57], for $\varphi_1, \varphi_2 \in \mathbf{S}(\mathcal{N})$,

$$\sigma_{\mathcal{N}}(\varphi_1, \varphi_2) \doteq \int_{\Sigma_{\mathcal{N}}} (\varphi_2 \nabla_n \varphi_1 - \varphi_1 \nabla_n \varphi_2) d\mu_g(\Sigma_{\mathcal{N}}). \tag{2.7}$$

Here $\Sigma_{\mathcal{N}}$ is any spacelike smooth Cauchy surface of \mathcal{N} with the metric induced measure $\mu_g(\Sigma_{\mathcal{N}})$ and future-directed normal unit vector n .

Furthermore, for any $\mathcal{N}' \subset \mathcal{N}$ such that $(\mathcal{N}', g|_{\mathcal{N}'})$ is globally hyperbolic, the following inclusion of symplectic subspaces holds

$$(\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{N}'), \sigma_{\mathcal{N}'}) \subset (\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{N}), \sigma_{\mathcal{N}}).$$

Such statement can be proved out of both (2.7) and the independence from the used smooth spacelike Cauchy surface. To this avail, it is crucial that every compact portion of a spacelike Cauchy surface of \mathcal{N}' can be viewed as that of a second smooth spacelike, hence acausal, Cauchy surface of \mathcal{N} as shown in [9] (though, for acausality, one should also refer to Lemma 42 in Chap. 14 of [44]).

The quantisation procedure within the algebraic approach goes along the guidelines given in [38, 57] as follows: the elementary observables associated with the field φ are the (self-adjoint) elements of the **Weyl** (C^* -) **algebra** $\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{N}))$ [6, 27, 38, 57] whose generators will be denoted by $W_{\mathcal{N}}(\varphi)$, $\varphi \in \mathbf{S}(\mathcal{N})$, as discussed in the Appendix B.

In order to interpret the elements in $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{N}))$ as *local observables* smeared with functions of $C_0^\infty(\mathcal{N}; \mathbb{R})$, we introduce some further technology. Generally, globally hyperbolicity of the underlying spacetime, as in the case of (\mathcal{N}, g) , entails the existence of the **causal propagator**, $E_{P_g} : A_{P_g} - R_{P_g} : C_0^\infty(\mathcal{N}; \mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{N})$ associated to P_g and defined as the difference of the advanced and retarded fundamental solution [4, 57]. Furthermore $E_{P_g} : C_0^\infty(\mathcal{N}; \mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{N})$ is linear, surjective with $\text{Ker} E_{P_g} = P_g(C_0^\infty(\mathcal{N}; \mathbb{R}))$ and it is continuous with respect to the natural topologies of both $C_0^\infty(\mathcal{N}; \mathbb{R})$ and $C^\infty(\mathcal{N}; \mathbb{R})$. Finally, given $\psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{N})$ and any open neighbourhood \mathcal{N}' of any fixed smooth spacelike Cauchy surface of \mathcal{N} , there exists $f_\psi \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{N}'; \mathbb{R})$ with $E_{P_g} f_\psi = \psi$. Consequently, $\text{supp } \psi \subset J^+(\text{supp } f_\psi; \mathcal{N}) \cup J^-(\text{supp } f_\psi; \mathcal{N})$.

The standard Hilbert space picture, where the generators $W_{\mathcal{N}}(E_{P_g} f)$ are interpreted as exponentials of standard field operators, $e^{i\Phi(f)}$, can be introduced in the *GNS representation*, $(\mathfrak{H}_\omega, \Pi_\omega, \Psi_\omega)$, of any fixed algebraic state $\omega : \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{N})) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ [27, 57], such that the unitary one-parameter group $\mathbb{R} \ni t \mapsto \Pi_\omega(W_{\mathcal{N}}(tE_{\mathcal{N}} f))$ is strongly continuous. The **field operators** $\Phi_\omega(f)$ which arise as the self-adjoint generators of those unitary one-parameter groups, $\Pi_\omega(W_{\mathcal{N}}(E_{\mathcal{N}} t f)) = \exp\{it\Phi_\omega(f)\}$, enjoy all the standard properties of usual quantisation procedure of Klein–Gordon scalar field based on CCR [38, 57]. A different but equivalent definition is presented in the Appendix B. A physically important point, which would deserve particular attention, is the choice of physically meaningful states, but we shall just come back later to such issue.

2.3 Algebras on \mathcal{H} and \mathfrak{S}^\pm

Let us consider the case $\mathcal{N} = \mathcal{M}$, the latter being the physical part of Kruskal spacetime beforehand introduced. The null 3-surfaces \mathcal{H} , \mathfrak{S}^\pm , as well as, with a certain difference, \mathcal{H}_{ev} and \mathcal{H}^\pm , can be equipped with a Weyl algebra of observables along the guidelines given in [21] and references therein. These play a central role in defining physically interesting states for $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{M}))$ in the bulk. To keep the paper sufficiently self-contained, we briefly sketch the construction. Let \mathcal{N} be any 3-submanifold of a spacetime — either (\mathcal{M}, g) or its conformal completion $(\widetilde{\mathcal{M}}, \widetilde{g})$ —, whose metric, when restricted to \mathcal{N} , takes the **complete Bondi form**:

$$c_{\mathcal{N}}(-d\Omega \otimes d\ell - d\ell \otimes d\Omega + h_{\mathbb{S}^2}(\theta, \phi)) \tag{2.8}$$

where $c_{\mathcal{N}}$ is a non-vanishing constant, while $(\ell, \Omega, \theta, \phi)$ defines a coordinate patch in a neighbourhood of \mathcal{N} seen as the locus $\Omega = 0$ though such that $d\Omega|_{\mathcal{N}} \neq 0$. Out of this last condition, we select $\ell \in \mathbb{R}$ as a complete parameter

along the integral lines of $(d\Omega)^a$ and, in view of the given hypotheses, \mathcal{N} turns out to be a null embedded codimension 1-submanifold diffeomorphic to $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2$.¹ It is possible to construct a symplectic space $(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{N}), \sigma_{\mathcal{N}})$, where $\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{N})$ is a real linear space of smooth real-valued functions on \mathcal{N} which includes $C_0^\infty(\mathcal{N}; \mathbb{R})$ and such that the right-hand side of

$$\sigma_{\mathcal{N}}(\psi, \psi') \doteq c_{\mathcal{N}} \int_{\mathcal{N}} \left(\psi' \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial \ell} - \psi \frac{\partial \psi'}{\partial \ell} \right) d\ell \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2, \quad \psi, \psi' \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{N}) \quad (2.9)$$

can be interpreted in the sense of $L^1(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2; d\ell \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$, where $d\mathbb{S}^2$ is the standard volume form on \mathbb{S}^2 . Similarly to what it has been done in the bulk, since the only structure of symplectic space is necessary, one may define the Weyl algebra $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{N}))$, since the assumption that $C_0^\infty(\mathcal{N}; \mathbb{R}) \subset \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{N})$ entails that $\sigma_{\mathcal{N}}$ is non-degenerate, hence $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{N}))$ is well defined.

An interpretation of $\sigma_{\mathcal{N}}$ can be given thinking of ψ, ψ' as boundary values of fields $\varphi, \varphi' \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{M})$. The right-hand side of (2.9) can then be seen as the integral over \mathcal{N} of the 3-form $\eta[\varphi, \varphi']$ associated with $\varphi, \varphi' \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{K})$

$$\eta[\varphi, \varphi'] \doteq \frac{1}{6} (\varphi \nabla^a \varphi' - \varphi' \nabla^a \varphi) \sqrt{-g} \epsilon_{abcd} dx^b \wedge dx^c \wedge dx^d, \quad (2.10)$$

where ϵ_{abcd} is totally antisymmetric with $\epsilon_{1234} = 1$ and where $\psi \doteq \varphi|_{\mathcal{N}}$, $\psi' \doteq \varphi'|_{\mathcal{N}}$. Furthermore, in order to give a sense to the integration of $\eta[\varphi, \varphi']$ over \mathcal{N} , we assume that \mathcal{N} is positively oriented with respect to its future-directed normal vector. The crucial observation is now that, integrating $\eta[\varphi, \varphi']$ over a spacelike Cauchy surface $\Sigma \subset \mathcal{M}$, one gets exactly the standard symplectic form $\sigma_{\mathcal{M}}(\varphi, \varphi')$ in (2.7) (or that appropriate for the globally hyperbolic spacetime containing \mathcal{N}). In view of the validity of the Klein–Gordon equation both for φ and φ' , the form $\eta[\varphi, \varphi']$ satisfies $d\eta[\varphi, \varphi'] = 0$. Therefore one expects that, as a consequence of Stokes–Poincaré theorem it can happen that $\sigma_{\mathcal{M}}(\varphi, \varphi') = \sigma_{\mathcal{N}}(\varphi|_{\mathcal{N}}, \varphi'|_{\mathcal{N}})$. If this result is valid, it implies the existence of an identification of $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{M}))$ (or some relevant sub algebra) and $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{N}))$. This is nothing but the idea we want to implement shortly with some generalizations.

In the present case, we shall consider the following manifolds \mathcal{N} equipped with the Bondi metric and thus the associated symplectic spaces $(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{N}), \sigma_{\mathcal{N}})$:

- (a) \mathcal{H} with $\ell \doteq U$ where $c_{\mathcal{N}} = r_{\mathcal{S}}^2$, $r_{\mathcal{S}}$ being the Schwarzschild radius,

¹In [20, 21, 41, 42] it was, more strongly, assumed and used the **geodetically complete Bondi form** of the metric, i.e., the integral lines of $(d\Omega)^a$ forming \mathcal{N} are complete null geodesics with $\ell \in \mathbb{R}$ as an affine parameter. It happens if and only if, in the considered coordinates, $\partial_{\Omega} g_{\ell\ell}|_{\mathcal{N}} = 0$ for all $\ell \in \mathbb{R}$ and $(\phi, \theta) \in \mathbb{S}^2$. This stronger requirement holds here for \mathcal{H} and \mathfrak{S}^{\pm} .

- (b) \mathfrak{S}^\pm with $\ell \doteq u$ or, respectively, $\ell \doteq v$ where $c_{\mathcal{N}} = 1$.

In the cases (b), the metric restricted to \mathcal{N} with Bondi form is the conformally rescaled and extended Kruskal metric \tilde{g} , with $\tilde{g}|_{\mathcal{M}} = g/r^2$, defined in the conformal completion $\tilde{\mathcal{M}}$ of \mathcal{M} , as discussed in the Appendix A.

It is worth stressing that ℓ in Equation (2.9) can be replaced, without affecting the left-hand side of (2.9), by any other coordinate $\ell' = f(\ell)$, where $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow (a, b) \subset \mathbb{R}$ is any smooth diffeomorphism. This allows us to consider the further case of symplectic spaces $(\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{N}), \sigma_{\mathcal{N}})$ where \mathcal{N} is:

- (c) \mathcal{H}^\pm with $\ell \doteq u$ and $c_{\mathcal{N}} = r_{\mathfrak{S}}^2$,

independently from the fact that, in the considered coordinates, the metric g over \mathcal{H}^\pm does not take the Bondi form.

2.4 Injective isometric *-homomorphism between the Weyl algebras

To conclude this section, as promised in the introduction, we establish the existence of some injective (isometric) *-homomorphisms which map the Weyl algebras in the bulk into Weyl subalgebras defined on appropriate subsets of the piecewise smooth null 3-surfaces $\mathfrak{S}^- \cup \mathcal{H}$. To this end we have to specify the definition of $\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H})$, $\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H}^\pm)$ and $\mathbf{S}(\mathfrak{S}^\pm)$. From now on, referring to the definition of the preferred coordinate ℓ as pointed out in the above-mentioned list and with the identification of \mathcal{H} , \mathcal{H}_{ev} , \mathcal{H}^\pm and \mathfrak{S}^\pm with $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2$ as appropriate:

$$\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H}) \doteq \left\{ \psi \in C^\infty(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2; \mathbb{R}) \mid \exists \exists M_\psi > 1, C_\psi, C'_\psi \geq 0 \text{ with } |\psi(\ell, \theta, \phi)| < \frac{C_\psi}{\ln|\ell|}, |\partial_\ell \psi(\ell, \theta, \phi)| < \frac{C'_\psi}{|\ell| \ln|\ell|} \text{ if } |\ell| > M_\psi, (\theta, \phi) \in \mathbb{S}^2 \right\}, \tag{2.11}$$

where $\ell = U$ on \mathcal{H} , and

$$\mathbf{S}(\mathfrak{S}^\pm) \doteq \left\{ \psi \in C^\infty(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2; \mathbb{R}) \mid \psi(\ell) = 0 \text{ in a neighbourhood of } i^0 \text{ and } \exists \exists C_\psi, C'_\psi \geq 0 \text{ with } |\psi(\ell, \theta, \phi)| < \frac{C_\psi}{\sqrt{1+|\ell|}}, |\partial_\ell \psi(\ell, \theta, \phi)| < \frac{C'_\psi}{1+|\ell|}, (\ell, \theta, \phi) \in \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2 \right\}, \tag{2.12}$$

where $\ell = u$ on \mathfrak{S}^+ or $\ell = v$ on \mathfrak{S}^- , and, finally,

$$\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}_{\text{ev}}), \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^\pm) \doteq \left\{ \psi \in C^\infty(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2; \mathbb{R}) \mid \psi(\ell) = 0 \text{ in a neighbourhood of } \mathcal{B} \right. \\ \left. \text{and } \exists \exists C_\psi, C'_\psi \geq 0 \text{ with } |\psi(\ell, \theta, \phi)| < \frac{C_\psi}{1 + |\ell|}, \right. \\ \left. |\partial_\ell \psi(\ell, \theta, \phi)| < \frac{C'_\psi}{1 + |\ell|}, \quad (\ell, \theta, \phi) \in \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2 \right\}, \quad (2.13)$$

where $\ell = v$ on \mathcal{H}_{ev} and $\ell = u$ on \mathcal{H}^\pm .

It is a trivial task to verify that the above defined sets are real vector spaces; they include $C_0^\infty(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2; \mathbb{R})$ and, if ψ belongs to one of them, $\psi \partial_\ell \psi \in L^1(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, d\ell \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$ as requested. Furthermore the above definitions rely upon the fact that the restrictions of the wavefunctions of $\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{M})$ to the relevant boundaries of \mathcal{M} satisfy the fall-off conditions in (2.11), (2.12), (2.13) while approaching i^\pm , a fact which will shortly play a crucial role.

To go on, notice that, given two real symplectic spaces (with nondegenerate symplectic forms) $(\mathcal{S}_1, \sigma_1)$ and $(\mathcal{S}_2, \sigma_2)$, we can define the direct sum of them, as the real symplectic space $(\mathcal{S}_1 \oplus \mathcal{S}_1, \sigma_1 \oplus \sigma_2)$, where the nondegenerate symplectic form $\sigma_1 \oplus \sigma_2 : (\mathcal{S}_1 \oplus \mathcal{S}_2) \times (\mathcal{S}_1 \oplus \mathcal{S}_2) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is

$$\sigma_1 \oplus \sigma_2((f, g), (f', g')) \\ \doteq \sigma_1(f, f') + \sigma_2(g, g'), \quad \text{for all } f, f' \in \mathcal{S}_1 \text{ and } g, g' \in \mathcal{S}_2. \quad (2.14)$$

If we focus on the Weyl algebras $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}_1)$, $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}_2)$, $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}_1 \oplus \mathcal{S}_2)$, it is natural to identify the C^* -algebra $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}_1 \oplus \mathcal{S}_2)$ with $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}_1) \otimes \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}_2)$ providing, in this way, the algebraic tensor product of the two C^* -algebras with a natural C^* -norm (there is no canonical C^* -norm for the tensor product of two generic C^* -algebras). This identification is such that $W_{\mathcal{S}_1 \oplus \mathcal{S}_2}((f_1, f_2))$ corresponds to $W_{\mathcal{S}_1}(f_1) \otimes W_{\mathcal{S}_2}(f_2)$ for all $f_1 \in \mathcal{S}_1$ and $f_2 \in \mathcal{S}_2$.

We are now in a position to state and to prove the main theorems of this section, making profitable use of the results achieved in [19]. Most notably, we are going to show that $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{M}))$ is isomorphic to a sub C^* -algebra of $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})) \otimes \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-))$. As a starting point, let us notice that, if φ and φ' are solutions of the Klein–Gordon equation with compact support on any spacelike Cauchy surface Σ of \mathcal{M} , the value of $\sigma_{\mathcal{M}}(\varphi, \varphi')$ is independent on the used Σ and, therefore, we can deform it preserving the value of $\sigma_{\mathcal{M}}(\varphi, \varphi')$. A tricky issue arises if one performs a limit deformation where

the final surface tends to $\mathcal{H} \cup \mathfrak{S}^-$ since

$$\sigma_{\mathcal{M}}(\varphi, \varphi') = \sigma_{\mathcal{H}}(\varphi_{\mathcal{H}}, \varphi'_{\mathcal{H}}) + \sigma_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}, \varphi'_{\mathfrak{S}^-}), \tag{2.15}$$

where the arguments of the symplectic forms in the right-hand side (which turns out to belong to the appropriate spaces (2.11), (2.12)) are obtained either as restrictions to \mathcal{H} or as (suitably rescaled) limit values towards \mathfrak{S}^- of both φ and φ' . As the map $\varphi \mapsto (\varphi_{\mathcal{H}}, \varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-})$ is linear and the sum of the above symplectic forms is the symplectic form σ on $\mathbf{S} \doteq \mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H}) \oplus \mathbf{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$, this entails that we have built up a symplectomorphism from $\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{M})$ to \mathbf{S} , $\varphi \mapsto (\varphi_{\mathcal{H}}, \varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-})$ which must be injective. In view of known theorems [6], this entails the existence of an isometric $*$ -homomorphism $\iota : \mathcal{W}(\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{M})) \rightarrow \mathcal{W}(\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H})) \otimes \mathcal{W}(\mathbf{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-))$. Our goal now is to formally state and to prove the result displayed in (2.15).

Theorem 2.1. *For every $\varphi \in \mathbf{S}(\mathcal{M})$, let us define*

$$\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \doteq \lim_{\rightarrow \mathfrak{S}^-} r\varphi, \quad \text{and} \quad \varphi_{\mathcal{H}} \doteq \varphi \upharpoonright_{\mathcal{H}}.$$

Then the following facts hold.

(a) *The linear map*

$$\Gamma : \mathbf{S}(\mathcal{M}) \ni \varphi \mapsto (\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}, \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}),$$

is an injective symplectomorphism of $\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{M})$ into $\mathbf{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-) \oplus \mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H})$ equipped with the symplectic form, such that, for $\varphi, \varphi' \in \mathbf{S}(\mathcal{M})$:

$$\sigma_{\mathcal{M}}(\varphi, \varphi') \doteq \sigma_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}, \varphi'_{\mathfrak{S}^-}) + \sigma_{\mathfrak{S}^{\mathcal{H}}}(\varphi_{\mathcal{H}}, \varphi'_{\mathcal{H}}). \tag{2.16}$$

(b) *There exists a corresponding injective isometric $*$ -homomorphism*

$$\iota : \mathcal{W}(\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{M})) \rightarrow \mathcal{W}(\mathbf{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)) \otimes \mathcal{W}(\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H})),$$

which is unambiguously individuated by

$$\iota(W_{\mathcal{M}}(\varphi)) = W_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}) \otimes W_{\mathcal{H}}(\varphi_{\mathcal{H}}).$$

Proof. Let us start from point (a). If $\varphi \in \mathbf{S}(\mathcal{M})$, we can think of it as a restriction to \mathcal{M} of a solution φ' of the Klein–Gordon equation in the whole Kruskal manifold. To this end one should also notice that the initial data of φ on a spacelike Cauchy surface of \mathcal{M} can also be seen as initial data on a spacelike Cauchy surface of the whole Kruskal manifold. This is a direct application of the results in [9] and [44]. Therefore, $\varphi_{\mathcal{H}} \doteq \varphi' \upharpoonright_{\mathcal{H}}$ is

well-defined and smooth. Similarly, the functions $\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \doteq \lim_{\rightarrow \mathfrak{S}^-} r\varphi$ are well defined, smooth and vanish in a neighbourhood of the relevant i^0 in view of the following lemma whose proof is sketched in Appendix C. \square

Lemma 2.1. *If $\varphi \in \mathbf{S}(\mathcal{M})$, $r\varphi$ uniquely extends to a smooth function $\tilde{\varphi}$ defined in \mathcal{M} joined with open neighbourhoods of \mathfrak{S}^+ and \mathfrak{S}^- included in the conformal extension $\tilde{\mathcal{M}}$ of \mathcal{M} discussed in the Appendix A. Furthermore, there are constants $v^{(\varphi)}, u^{(\varphi)} \in (-\infty, \infty)$ such that $\tilde{\varphi}$ vanishes in \mathcal{W} if $u < u^{(\varphi)}, v > v^{(\varphi)}$ and thus, per continuity, it vanishes in the corresponding limit regions on $\mathfrak{S}^+ \cup \mathfrak{S}^-$.*

Since the map Γ is linear by construction, it remains to prove that (i) $\varphi_{\mathcal{H}} \in \mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H})$ and $\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^\pm} \in \mathbf{S}(\mathfrak{S}^\pm)$ as defined in (2.11) and (2.12), and that (ii) Γ preserves the symplectic forms, i.e.,

$$\sigma_{\mathcal{M}}(\varphi_1, \varphi_2) = \sigma_{\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H}) \oplus \mathbf{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)}(\Gamma\varphi_1, \Gamma\varphi_2). \quad (2.17)$$

Notice that, since $\sigma_{\mathcal{M}}$ is nondegenerate, the above identity implies that the linear map Γ is injective. Let us tackle point (i): since the behaviour of $\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$ in a neighbourhood of i^0 is harmless, we only need to establish the vanishing of both $\varphi_{\mathcal{H}}$ and $\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$ as they approach i^- , with a peeling-off rate consistent with that of definitions (2.11) and (2.12). Such a result is a consequence of the following proposition whose proof, in Appendix C, enjoys a lot from [19].

Proposition 2.1. *Let us fix $\hat{R} > r_{\mathfrak{S}}$, then the following facts hold:*

- (a) *If $\varphi \in \mathbf{S}(\mathcal{M})$ and $\tilde{\varphi}$ extends $r\varphi$ across \mathfrak{S}^\pm as stated in Lemma 2.1, there exist constants $C_1, C_2 \geq 0$ depending on both φ and C_3, C_4 depending on φ and \hat{R} , such that the following pointwise bounds hold in both $\mathcal{W} \cup \mathcal{H}_{\text{ev}}$ and $\mathcal{W} \cup \mathcal{H}^-$:*

$$|\varphi| \leq \frac{C_1}{\max\{2, v\}}, \quad |X(\varphi)| \leq \frac{C_2}{\max\{2, v\}}, \quad (2.18)$$

and, respectively,

$$|\varphi| \leq \frac{C_1}{\max\{2, -u\}}, \quad |X(\varphi)| \leq \frac{C_2}{\max\{2, -u\}}. \quad (2.19)$$

Similarly, if one assumes also $r \geq \hat{R}$ and $t > 0$ (including the points on \mathfrak{S}^+),

$$|\tilde{\varphi}| \leq \frac{C_3}{\sqrt{1+|u|}}, \quad |X(\tilde{\varphi})| \leq \frac{C_4}{1+|u|}, \quad (2.20)$$

or, if $r \geq \hat{R}$ but $t < 0$ (including the points on \mathfrak{S}^-),

$$|\tilde{\varphi}| \leq \frac{C_3}{\sqrt{1+|v|}}, \quad |X(\tilde{\varphi})| \leq \frac{C_4}{1+|v|}.$$

X is the smooth Killing vector field on the conformally extended Kruskal spacetime with $X = \partial_t$ in \mathcal{W} , $X = \partial_v$ on \mathcal{H}_{ev} , $X = \partial_u$ on \mathcal{H}^- , $X = \partial_u$ on \mathfrak{S}^+ and $X = \partial_v$ on \mathfrak{S}^- .

- (b) If the Cauchy data $(\varphi|_{\Sigma}, \nabla_n \varphi|_{\Sigma})$ on $\Sigma \hookrightarrow \mathcal{K}$ of φ tend to 0 in the sense of the test function (product) topology on $C_0^\infty(\Sigma; \mathbb{R})$, then the associated constants C_i tend to 0, for $i = 1, 3$.

If the Cauchy data $(\varphi'|_{\Sigma}, \nabla_n \varphi'|_{\Sigma})$ on $\Sigma \hookrightarrow \mathcal{K}$ of $\varphi' \doteq X(\varphi)$ tend to 0 in the sense of the test function (product) topology on $C_0^\infty(\Sigma; \mathbb{R})$, then the associated constants C_i tend to 0, for $i = 2, 4$.

It is noteworthy to emphasise that, during the final stages of the realization of this paper, a new result on the peeling-off behaviour of the solutions of the wave equation in Schwarzschild black-hole was made public [39]. Particularly the decay rate on the horizon has been improved; nonetheless, to our purposes, the original one obtained by Dafermos and Rodnianski suffice.

Since φ and $\tilde{\varphi}$ are smooth, $X(\varphi) = \partial_u \varphi$ on \mathcal{H}^- and $X(\tilde{\varphi}) = \partial_v \tilde{\varphi}$ on \mathfrak{S}^- , it comes out, per direct inspection, that $\varphi_{\mathcal{H}^-} \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^-)$ and $\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \in \mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$ since the definitions (2.11) and (2.12) are fulfilled, for $\ell = U$ and $\ell = v$ respectively; furthermore, in view of the last statement of the above proposition, it holds $\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^+} \in \mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^+)$.

In order to conclude, let us finally prove item (ii), that is (2.17), making use once more of Proposition 2.1. Let us consider $\varphi, \varphi' \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{M})$ and a spacelike Cauchy surface $\Sigma_{\mathcal{M}}$ of \mathcal{M} so that,

$$\sigma_{\mathcal{M}}(\varphi, \varphi') = \int_{\Sigma_{\mathcal{M}}} (\varphi' \nabla_n \varphi - \varphi \nabla_n \varphi') d\mu_g(\Sigma_{\mathcal{M}}),$$

where n is the unit normal to the surface $\Sigma_{\mathcal{M}}$ and $\mu_g(\Sigma_{\mathcal{M}})$ is the metric induced measure on $\Sigma_{\mathcal{M}}$ and, in the following, we shall write $d\mu_g$ in place of $d\mu_g(\Sigma_{\mathcal{M}})$ and Σ in place of $\Sigma_{\mathcal{M}}$. Since both φ and φ' vanish for sufficiently large U , we can use the surface Σ , defined as the locus $t = 0$ in \mathcal{W} , and, out of the Poincaré theorem (employing the 3-form η as discussed in Section 2.3), we can write

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_{\mathcal{M}}(\varphi, \varphi') &= \int_{\Sigma \cap \mathcal{W}} \varphi' X(\varphi) - \varphi X(\varphi') d\mu_g \\ &\quad + r_S^2 \int_{\mathcal{H}^+} (\varphi' \partial_U \varphi - \varphi \partial_U \varphi') dU \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2, \end{aligned} \tag{2.21}$$

where we have used the fact that $\mathcal{B} \cap \Sigma$ has measure zero. We shall prove that, if one restricts the integration to \mathcal{W} ,

$$\int_{\Sigma \cap \mathcal{W}} \varphi' X(\varphi) - \varphi X(\varphi') d\mu_g = r_S^2 \int_{\mathcal{H}^-} (\varphi' \partial_U \varphi - \varphi \partial_U \varphi') dU \wedge dS^2 + \int_{\mathfrak{S}^-} (\tilde{\varphi}' \partial_v \tilde{\varphi} - \tilde{\varphi} \partial_v \tilde{\varphi}') du \wedge dS^2. \tag{2.22}$$

Since, with the same procedure, one gets an analogous statement for the portion of the initial integration taken in \mathcal{W} , though with the integration in dU extended over \mathbb{R}^- and the remaining one on \mathfrak{S}^- , this will conclude the proof.

In order to prove the identity (2.22), we notice at first that:

$$\int_{\Sigma \cap \mathcal{W}} \varphi' X(\varphi) - \varphi X(\varphi') d\mu_g = \int_{[r_S, +\infty) \times \mathbb{S}^2} \frac{r^2 (\varphi' X(\varphi) - \varphi X(\varphi'))}{1 - 2m/r} \Big|_{(t=0, r, \theta, \phi)} dr \wedge dS^2(\theta, \phi).$$

Afterwards, we break the integral on the right-hand side into two pieces with respect to the coordinate r^* :

$$\int_{[r_S, +\infty) \times \mathbb{S}^2} \frac{r^2 (\varphi' X(\varphi) - \varphi X(\varphi'))}{1 - 2m/r} \Big|_{(t=0, r, \theta, \phi)} dr \wedge dS^2 = \int_{(-\infty, \hat{R}^*) \times \mathbb{S}^2} r^2 (\varphi' X(\varphi) - \varphi X(\varphi')) \Big|_{(t=0, r^*, \theta, \phi)} dr^* \wedge dS^2 + \int_{[\hat{R}^*, +\infty) \times \mathbb{S}^2} (r\varphi' X(r\varphi) - r\varphi X(r\varphi')) \Big|_{(t=0, r^*, \theta, \phi)} dr^* \wedge dS^2.$$

We started assuming Σ as the surface $t = 0$ in (2.21); however, the value of t is immaterial, since we can work, with a different surface Σ_t obtained by evolving Σ along the flux of the Killing vector X . We remind that $X = \partial_t$ in \mathcal{W} and $X = 0$ exactly on \mathcal{B} , which, as a consequence, is a fixed submanifold of the flux. Furthermore we also know that the symplectic form $\sigma_{\mathcal{M}}(\varphi, \varphi')$ is constructed in such a way that its value does not change varying t , by construction.

Since \mathcal{B} is fixed under the flux of X , per direct application of Stokes-Poincaré theorem, one sees that this invariance holds also for the integration

restricted to \mathscr{W} . In other words, for every $t > 0$:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\Sigma \cap \mathscr{W}} \varphi' X(\varphi) - \varphi X(\varphi') d\mu_g &= \int_{\Sigma_t \cap \mathscr{W}} \varphi' X(\varphi) - \varphi X(\varphi') d\mu_g \\ &= \int_{(u_0(t), +\infty) \times \mathbb{S}^2} r^2 (\varphi' X(\varphi) - \varphi X(\varphi')) \Big|_{(t, t-u, \theta, \phi)} du \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2 \\ &\quad + \int_{[v_0(t), +\infty) \times \mathbb{S}^2} (\tilde{\varphi}' X(\tilde{\varphi}) - \tilde{\varphi} X(\tilde{\varphi}')) \Big|_{(t, v-t, \theta, \phi)} dv \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2, \end{aligned}$$

where we have also changed the variables of integration from r^* either to $v = t + r^*$ or to $u = t - r^*$ and both $u_0(t) \doteq t - \hat{R}^*$ and $v_0(t) \doteq t + \hat{R}^*$ are functions of t . Hence

$$\begin{aligned} &\int_{\Sigma \cap \mathscr{W}} \varphi' X(\varphi) - \varphi X(\varphi') d\mu_g \\ &= \lim_{t \rightarrow -\infty} \int_{(u_0(t), +\infty) \times \mathbb{S}^2} r^2 (\varphi' X(\varphi) - \varphi X(\varphi')) \Big|_{(t, t-u, \theta, \phi)} du \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2 \\ &\quad + \lim_{t \rightarrow -\infty} \int_{[v_0(t), +\infty) \times \mathbb{S}^2} (\tilde{\varphi}' X(\tilde{\varphi}) - \tilde{\varphi} X(\tilde{\varphi}')) \Big|_{(t, v-t, \theta, \phi)} dv \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2. \quad (2.23) \end{aligned}$$

The former limit should give rise to an integral over \mathcal{H}^- , whereas the latter to an analogous one over \mathfrak{S}^- . Let us examine them separately and we start from the latter.

To start with we notice that, in view of (a) in Lemma 2.1, the integration in v can be performed in $(-\infty, v_1]$ for some constant $v_1 \in \mathbb{R}$, without affecting the integral for every $t < 0$. Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} &\lim_{t \rightarrow -\infty} \int_{[v_0(t), +\infty) \times \mathbb{S}^2} (\tilde{\varphi}' X(\tilde{\varphi}) - \tilde{\varphi} X(\tilde{\varphi}')) \Big|_{(t, v-t, \theta, \phi)} dv \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2 \\ &= \lim_{t \rightarrow -\infty} \int_{(-\infty, v_1] \times \mathbb{S}^2} \chi_{[v_0(t), +\infty)}(v) (\tilde{\varphi}' X(\tilde{\varphi}) - \tilde{\varphi} X(\tilde{\varphi}')) \Big|_{(t, v-t, \theta, \phi)} dv \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2, \end{aligned}$$

where χ_I is the characteristic function of $I \subset \mathbb{R}$. In view of the uniform bounds, associated with the constants C_3 and C_4 , given by v -integrable functions in $(-\infty, v_1]$, as stated in Proposition 2.1, we can now apply Lebesgue's dominated convergence theorem to the limit in the right-hand side:

$$\begin{aligned} &\lim_{t \rightarrow -\infty} \int_{\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2} \chi_{[v_0(t), +\infty)}(v) (\tilde{\varphi}' X(\tilde{\varphi}) - \tilde{\varphi} X(\tilde{\varphi}')) \Big|_{(t, v-t, \theta, \phi)} dv \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2 \\ &= \int_{\mathfrak{S}^-} (\tilde{\varphi}' \partial_v \tilde{\varphi} - \tilde{\varphi} \partial_v \tilde{\varphi}') dv \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2. \quad (2.24) \end{aligned}$$

Let us now consider the remaining integral on the right-hand side of (2.23). Fix $u_1 - \hat{R}^* \in \mathbb{R}$ and the following decomposition

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{(u_0(t), +\infty) \times \mathbb{S}^2} r^2 (\varphi' X(\varphi) - \varphi X(\varphi'))|_{(t, t-u, \theta, \phi)} du \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2 \\ &= \int_{\Sigma_t^{(u_1)}} \varphi' X(\varphi) - \varphi X(\varphi') d\mu_g \\ &+ \int_{(u_0(t), u_1] \times \mathbb{S}^2} r^2 (\varphi' X(\varphi) + -\varphi X(\varphi'))|_{(t, t-u, \theta, \phi)} du \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2. \end{aligned}$$

Here we have used the initial expression for the first integral, which is performed over the compact subregion $\Sigma_t^{(u_1)}$ of $\Sigma_t \cap \mathcal{M}$ which contains the points with null coordinate U included in $[-\exp\{-u_1/(4m)\}, 0]$. It is noteworthy that such integral is indeed the one of the smooth 3-form $\eta \doteq \eta[\varphi, \varphi']$ defined in (2.10) and, furthermore, in view of Klein-Gordon equation, $d\eta = 0$. Thus, by means of an appropriate use of the Stokes-Poincaré theorem, this integral can be re-written as an integral of η over two regions. The first is a compact subregion of \mathcal{H}^+ which can be constructed as the points with coordinate $U \in [U_1, 0]$, where $U_1 \doteq -e^{-u_1/(4m)}$; the second, instead is the compact null 3-surface $S_t^{(u_1)}$ formed by the points in \mathcal{M} with $U = U_1$ and lying between Σ_t and \mathcal{H}^- . To summarise:

$$\int_{\Sigma_t^{(u_1)}} \varphi' X(\varphi) - \varphi X(\varphi') d\mu_g = \int_{\mathcal{H}^- \cap \{U_1 \leq U \leq 0\}} \eta + \int_{S_t^{(u_1)}} \eta.$$

If we adopt coordinates U, V, θ, ϕ , the direct evaluation of the first integral on the right-hand side produces:

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\Sigma_t^{(u_1)}} \varphi' X(\varphi) - \varphi X(\varphi') d\mu_g \\ &= r_S^2 \int_{\mathcal{H}^- \cap \{U_1 \leq U \leq 0\}} (\varphi' \partial_U \varphi - \varphi \partial_U \varphi') dU \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2 + \int_{S_t^{(u_1)}} \eta. \end{aligned}$$

We have obtained

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{t \rightarrow -\infty} \int_{(u_1, +\infty) \times \mathbb{S}^2} r^2 (\varphi' X(\varphi) - \varphi X(\varphi'))|_{(t, t-u, \theta, \phi)} du \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2 \\ &= r_S^2 \int_{\mathcal{H}_R^+ \cap \{U_1 \leq U \leq 0\}} (\varphi' \partial_U \varphi - \varphi \partial_U \varphi') dU \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2 + \lim_{t \rightarrow -\infty} \int_{S_t^{(u_1)}} \eta \\ &+ \lim_{t \rightarrow -\infty} \int_{(u_0(t), u_1] \times \mathbb{S}^2} r^2 (\varphi' X(\varphi) - \varphi X(\varphi'))|_{(t, t-u, \theta, \phi)} du \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2. \quad (2.25) \end{aligned}$$

If we perform the limit as $t \rightarrow -\infty$, one has $\int_{S_t^{(u_1)}} \eta \rightarrow 0$, because it is the integral of a smooth form over a vanishing surface (as $t \rightarrow -\infty$), whereas

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{t \rightarrow -\infty} \int_{(u_0(t), u_1] \times \mathbb{S}^2} r^2 (\varphi' X(\varphi) - \varphi X(\varphi')) \Big|_{(t, t-u, \theta, \phi)} du \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2 \\ &= \int_{\mathcal{H}^- \cap \{u_1 \geq u\}} \chi_{(u_0(t), +\infty)}(u) r_S^2 (\varphi' \partial_u \varphi - \varphi \partial_u \varphi') du \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2 \\ &= r_S^2 \int_{\mathcal{H}^- \cap \{U_1 \geq U\}} (\varphi' \partial_U \varphi - \varphi \partial_U \varphi') dU \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2, \end{aligned}$$

where we stress that the final integrals are evaluated over \mathcal{H}^- and we have used again Lebesgue’s dominated convergence theorem thanks to the estimates associated with the constants C_1 and C_2 in Proposition 2.1. Inserting the achieved results in the right-hand side of (2.25), we find that:

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{t \rightarrow -\infty} \int_{\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2} r^2 (\varphi' X(\varphi) - \varphi X(\varphi')) \Big|_{(t, t-u, \theta, \phi)} du \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2 \\ &= r_S^2 \int_{\mathcal{H}^-} (\varphi' \partial_U \varphi - \varphi \partial_U \varphi') dU \wedge d\mathbb{S}_S^2. \end{aligned}$$

Such identity, brought in (2.23), yields, together with (2.24), (2.22), hence concluding the proof of (a).

Item (b) can be proved as follows. In the following $\mathbb{S} \doteq \mathbb{S}(\mathcal{H}) \oplus \mathbb{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$ and σ is the natural symplectic form on such space. Let us consider the closure of the sub $*$ -algebra generated by all the generators $W_{\mathbb{S}}(\Gamma\varphi) \in \mathcal{W}(\mathbb{S})$ for all $\varphi \in \mathbb{S}(\mathcal{M})$. This is still a C^* -algebra which, in turn, defines a realization of $\mathcal{W}(\mathbb{S}(\mathcal{M}))$ because Γ is an isomorphism of the symplectic space $(\mathbb{S}(\mathcal{M}), \sigma_{\mathcal{M}})$ onto the symplectic space $(\Gamma(\mathbb{S}(\mathcal{M})), \sigma \upharpoonright_{\Gamma(\mathbb{S}(\mathcal{M})) \times \Gamma(\mathbb{S}(\mathcal{M}))})$. As a consequence of Theorem 5.2.8 in [6], there is a $*$ -isomorphism, hence isometric, between $\mathcal{W}(\mathbb{S}(\mathcal{M}))$ and the other, just found, realization of the same Weyl algebra, unambiguously individuated by the requirement $\iota_{\mathcal{M}}(W_{\mathcal{M}})(\varphi) \doteq W_{\mathbb{S}}(\Gamma\varphi)$. This isometric $*$ -isomorphism individuates an injective $*$ -homomorphism of $\mathcal{W}(\mathbb{S}(\mathcal{M}))$ into $\mathcal{W}(\mathbb{S}, \sigma) \equiv \mathcal{W}(\mathbb{S}(\mathcal{H})) \otimes \mathcal{W}(\mathbb{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-))$. \square

As a byproduct and a straightforward generalisation, the proof of the above theorem also establishes the following:

Theorem 2.2. *With the same definitions as in Theorem 2.1 and defining, for $\varphi \in \mathbb{S}(\mathcal{W})$, $\varphi_{\mathcal{H}^-} \doteq \lim_{\rightarrow \mathcal{H}^-} \varphi$ and $\varphi_{\mathcal{H}_{\text{ev}}} \doteq \lim_{\rightarrow \mathcal{H}_{\text{ev}}} \varphi$, the linear maps*

$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma_- : \mathbb{S}(\mathcal{W}) \ni \varphi &\mapsto (\varphi_{\mathcal{H}^-}, \varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}) \in \mathbb{S}(\mathcal{H}^-) \oplus \mathbb{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-), \\ \Gamma_+ : \mathbb{S}(\mathcal{W}) \ni \varphi &\mapsto (\varphi_{\mathcal{H}_{\text{ev}}}, \varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^+}) \in \mathbb{S}(\mathcal{H}_{\text{ev}}) \oplus \mathbb{S}(\mathfrak{S}^+) \end{aligned}$$

are well-defined injective symplectomorphisms. As a consequence, there exists two corresponding injective isometric $*$ -homomorphisms:

$$\begin{aligned} \iota^- &: \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{W})) \rightarrow \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^-)) \otimes \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)), \\ \iota^+ &: \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{W})) \rightarrow \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}_{\text{ev}})) \otimes \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^+)), \end{aligned}$$

which are respectively unambiguously individuated by the requirements for $\varphi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{W})$

$$\begin{aligned} \iota^- (W_{\mathcal{W}}(\varphi)) &= W_{\mathcal{H}^-}(\varphi_{\mathcal{H}^-}) \otimes W_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}), \\ \iota^+ (W_{\mathcal{W}}(\varphi)) &= W_{\mathcal{H}_{\text{ev}}}(\varphi_{\mathcal{H}_{\text{ev}}}) \otimes W_{\mathfrak{S}^+}(\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^+}). \end{aligned}$$

Before the conclusion of the present section, we would like to stress that a result similar to the one presented in Theorems 2.1 and 2.2 can be obtained for the algebra of observables defined on the whole Kruskal extension \mathcal{K} of the Schwarzschild spacetime. In such case, an injective isometric $*$ -homomorphisms $\iota_{\mathcal{K}} : \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{K})) \rightarrow \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}_L^+)) \otimes \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})) \otimes \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-))$ can be constructed out of the projection $\Gamma_{\mathcal{K}} : \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{K}) \ni \varphi \mapsto (\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}_L^+}, \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}, \varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}) \in \mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}_L^+) \oplus \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}) \oplus \mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$ from the requirement $\iota_{\mathcal{K}} (W_{\mathcal{K}}(\varphi)) = W_{\mathfrak{S}_L^+}(\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}_L^+}) \otimes W_{\mathcal{H}}(\varphi_{\mathcal{H}}) \otimes W_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-})$ where \mathfrak{S}_L^+ stands for the future null infinity of the left Schwarzschild wedge in the Kruskal spacetime \mathcal{K} .

3 Interplay of bulk states and boundary states

3.1 Bulk states induced form boundary states by means of the pullback of ι and ι^-

In this section, we construct the mathematical technology to induce algebraic states (see Appendix B) on the algebras $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{M}))$ and $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{W}))$ from those defined, respectively, on $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})) \otimes \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-))$ and $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^-)) \otimes \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-))$. A bit improperly, we shall call **bulk states** those with respect to $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{M}))$ and on the other subalgebra defined above while **boundary states** will be called those on $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})) \otimes \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-))$. To this end, the main tools are Theorems 2.1 and 2.2. Let us consider the case of $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{M}))$ as an example. If the linear functional $\omega : \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})) \otimes \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ is an algebraic state, the isometric $*$ -homomorphism ι constructed in Theorem 2.1 gives rise to $\omega_{\mathcal{M}} : \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{M})) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ defined as

$$\omega_{\mathcal{M}} \doteq \iota^*(\omega), \quad \text{where } (\iota^*(\omega))(a) \doteq \omega(\iota(a)), \quad \text{for every } a \in \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{M})). \tag{3.1}$$

A similar conclusion can be drawn using ι^- for the corresponding algebra. The situation will now be specialised to *quasifree states* and, as discussed in Appendix B, one of these can be unambiguously defined on $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})) \otimes \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-))$, just requiring that

$$\omega_\mu(W_{\mathcal{H} \cup \mathfrak{S}^-}(\psi)) = e^{-\mu(\psi, \psi)/2}, \quad \text{for all } \psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}) \oplus \mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-),$$

where $\mu : (\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}) \oplus \mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)) \times (\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}) \oplus \mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a real scalar product satisfying (B.1). Furthermore the “quasi-free”-property is stable under pull-back, i.e., if (3.1) is quasifree, then $\omega_{\mathcal{M}}$ is such. Therefore, we can simply turn our attention to quasifree states defined on the boundaries $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^\pm))$, $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}))$, and on the possible *composition* of such states in view of the following proposition.

Proposition 3.1. *Let $(\mathcal{S}_1, \sigma_1)$, $(\mathcal{S}_2, \sigma_2)$ be symplectic spaces and ω_1, ω_2 be two quasifree algebraic states on $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}_1, \sigma_1)$ and $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}_2, \sigma_2)$, induced respectively by the real scalar products $\mu_1 : \mathcal{S}_1 \times \mathcal{S}_1 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $\mu_2 : \mathcal{S}_2 \times \mathcal{S}_2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$. Then the scalar product $\mu_1 \oplus \mu_2 : (\mathcal{S}_1 \oplus \mathcal{S}_2) \times (\mathcal{S}_1 \oplus \mathcal{S}_2) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ defined by:*

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_{\mathcal{S}_1 \oplus \mathcal{S}_2}((\psi_1, \psi_2), (\psi'_1, \psi'_2)) &\doteq \mu_1(\psi_1, \psi'_1) + \mu_2(\psi_2, \psi'_2), \\ &\text{for all } (\psi_1, \psi_2), (\psi'_1, \psi'_2) \in \mathcal{S}_1 \oplus \mathcal{S}_2, \end{aligned}$$

uniquely individuates a quasifree state $\omega_1 \otimes \omega_2$ on $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}_1) \otimes \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}_2)$ as

$$\begin{aligned} \omega_1 \otimes \omega_2 (W_{\mathcal{S}_1}(\psi_1) \otimes W_{\mathcal{S}_2}(\psi_2)) &= e^{-\mu_1 \oplus \mu_2((\psi_1, \psi_2), (\psi'_1, \psi'_2))/2}, \\ &\text{for all } (\psi_1, \psi_2) \in \mathcal{S}_1 \oplus \mathcal{S}_2. \end{aligned}$$

Proof. Only the validity of (B.1) for $\mu_1 \oplus \mu_2$ has to be proved with respect to $\sigma_1 \oplus \sigma_2$ defined in (2.14). This fact immediately follows from the definition of $\mu_1 \oplus \mu_2$ and making use of (2) in remark B.1. □

We can iterate the procedure in order to consider the composition of three (or more) states on corresponding three (or more) Weyl algebras. Hence, in view of the established proposition we may study separately the quasifree states on the Weyl algebras $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{N}))$ associated to the null surfaces \mathcal{N} (a)–(c) listed in Section 2.3.

3.2 The Kay–Wald quasifree state on $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{H})$

We remind the reader that, if μ individuates a quasifree state over $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}, \sigma)$, its **two-point function** is defined as $\lambda_\mu(\psi_1, \psi_2) \doteq \mu(\psi_1, \psi_2) - \frac{i}{2}\sigma(\psi_1, \psi_2)$ (see Appendix B). When one focuses on the one-particle space structure

(K_μ, H_μ) (see Appendix B) one has $\lambda_\mu(\psi_1, \psi_2) = \langle K_\mu \psi_1, K_\mu \psi_2 \rangle_\mu$, where $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_\mu$ is the scalar product in H_μ . The two-point function of a quasifree state on a given Weyl algebra brings in the same information as the scalar product μ itself since the symplectic form is known a priori; thus the two-point function individuates the state completely.

In [38], some properties are discussed for a particular state on $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{K}))$, where \mathcal{K} is the whole Kruskal extension of the Schwarzschild spacetime. If existent, such state was proved to be unique with respect to certain algebras of observables and to satisfy the KMS property when one works on a suitable algebra of observables in \mathcal{W} . From a physical perspective, this is nothing but the celebrated Hartle-Hawking state when the background is the whole Kruskal spacetime. It is important to remark that, in [38], general globally-hyperbolic spacetimes with bifurcate Killing horizon are considered, whereas our work only focuses on \mathcal{M} . As an intermediate step, Kay and Wald also showed that the two-point function λ_{KW} of the state has a very particular form when restricted to the horizon \mathcal{H} , more precisely

$$\begin{aligned}
 \lambda_{\text{KW}}(\varphi_1, \varphi_2) = \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0^+} & -\frac{r_{\text{S}}^2}{\pi} \int_{\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2} \frac{\varphi_1|_{\mathcal{H}}(U_1, \theta, \phi) \varphi_2|_{\mathcal{H}}(U_2, \theta, \phi)}{(U_1 - U_2 - i\epsilon)^2} \\
 & \times dU_1 \wedge dU_2 \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2.
 \end{aligned} \tag{3.2}$$

provided that $\varphi_1|_{\mathcal{H}}, \varphi_2|_{\mathcal{H}} \in C_0^\infty(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2; \mathbb{R})$. It is important to stress that the above expression is valid when $\varphi_1|_{\mathcal{H}}$ and $\varphi_2|_{\mathcal{H}}$ have compact support on \mathcal{H} . Actually, the same two-point function was already found both in [48], while discussing the physical consequences of the Bisognano–Wichmann theorem, and in [23], while analysing the various states in the right Schwarzschild wedge \mathcal{W} of the Kruskal manifold with an *S-matrix* point of view. In the latter paper, the two-point function in (3.2) was referred to the Killing horizon in the *two-dimensional Minkowski spacetime rather than Kruskal one*. In such a case there are smooth solutions of the Klein–Gordon equation, for $m \geq 0$, and with compactly supported Cauchy data, which intersect the horizon in a compact set. These solutions of the *characteristic Cauchy problem* can be used in the right-hand side of (3.2) when the discussion is referred to Minkowski spacetime instead of the Kruskal one. These “Minkowskian solutions”, at least in the case $m = 0$ where asymptotic completeness was proved to hold, are related to the corresponding solutions (i.e., φ_1, φ_2) in Schwarzschild spacetime by means of a relevant Møller operator. Unfortunately, in the proper Schwarzschild space, the wavefunctions φ_1 and φ_2 with compact support on \mathcal{H} fail to be smooth in general, since they are *weak solutions* of the characteristic problem [23], hence they do *not* belong to the space $\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{K})$ in general, making difficult the direct use of λ_{KW} . This is a potential issue in [38] which has minor consequences for the validity of the

KMS property discussed below (see also the *Note added in proof* in [38] for more details).

We shall now prove that, actually, such form of the two-point function can be extended in order to work on elements of $\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})$ and, with this extension, it defines a quasifree state on $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}))$. This result is by no means trivial, because the space $\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})$ contains the restrictions to the horizon of the various elements of $\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{K})$, that is all the smooth wavefunctions with compact support on spacelike Cauchy surfaces. Our result, which is valid for the particular case of the Kruskal spacetime and for $m = 0$, is obtained thanks to the achievements recently presented in [19]. At the same time the space $\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})$ is just the one used in the hypotheses of Theorem 2.1, which assures the existence of the $*$ -homomorphism ι . As remarked at the end of the previous section, the procedure can be generalised in order to individuate an injective $*$ -homomorphism from the algebra of observables on the whole Kruskal space to the algebras on \mathfrak{S}_L^+ , \mathcal{H} and \mathfrak{S}^- , that is $\iota_{\mathcal{K}} : \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{K})) \rightarrow \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}_L^+)) \otimes \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})) \otimes \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-))$. Therefore, the state on $\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{K})$ could be used, together with a couple of states on $\mathcal{W}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$ and on $\mathcal{W}(\mathfrak{S}_L^+)$ to induce a further one on the whole algebra of observables $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{K}))$. This should provide an *existence theorem* for the Hartle–Hawking state on the whole Kruskal manifold \mathcal{K} . However we shall not attempt to give such an existence proof here and we rather focus attention on another physically interesting state, the so called *Unruh vacuum* defined only in the submanifold \mathcal{M} . Nevertheless, even in this case we have to tackle the problem of the extension of the two-point function (3.2) to the whole space $\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})$. We shall prove the existence of such an extension that individuates, moreover, a pure quasifree state on $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}))$, and which turns out to be KMS at inverse Hawking’s temperature when restricting on a half-horizon $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^\pm))$ with respect to the Killing displacements given by $X|_{\mathcal{H}}$. The way we follow goes on through several steps. As a first step we introduce a relevant Hilbert space which we show later to be the one-particle space of the quasifree state we wish to define on $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}))$. The proof of the following proposition is in Appendix C. From now on,

$$\mathcal{F}(\psi)(K, \theta, \phi) \doteq \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{e^{iKU}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \psi(U, \theta, \phi) dU,$$

indicates the U -Fourier transform of ψ , also in the L^2 (Fourier–Plancherel) sense or even in distributional sense if appropriate. For all practical purposes, the properties are essentially the same as for the standard Fourier transform.²

²For some general properties, see Appendix C of [42] with the caveat that, in this cited paper, \mathcal{F} was indicated by \mathcal{F}_+ and the angular coordinates (θ, ϕ) on the sphere were substituted by the complex ones (z, \bar{z}) obtained out of stereographic projection.

Proposition 3.2. *Let $\overline{(C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{C}), \lambda_{\text{KW}})}$ be the Hilbert completion of the complex vector space $C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{C})$ equipped with the Hermitian scalar product:*

$$\lambda_{\text{KW}}(\psi_1, \psi_2) \doteq \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0^+} -\frac{r_{\mathbb{S}}^2}{\pi} \int_{\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2} \frac{\overline{\psi_1(U_1, \theta, \phi)} \psi_2(U_2, \theta, \phi)}{(U_1 - U_2 - i\epsilon)^2} dU_1 \wedge dU_2 \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2. \quad (3.3)$$

where $\mathcal{H} \equiv \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2$ adopting the coordinate (U, θ, ϕ) over \mathcal{H} . Denote by $\widehat{\psi}_+ \doteq \mathcal{F}(\psi)|_{\{K \geq 0, \theta, \phi \in \mathbb{S}^2\}}$ the restriction to positive values of K of the U -Fourier transform of $\psi \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{C})$. The following facts hold.

(a) *The linear map*

$$C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{C}) \ni \psi \mapsto \widehat{\psi}_+(K, \theta, \phi) \in L^2(\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2, 2K dK \wedge r_{\mathbb{S}}^2 d\mathbb{S}^2) \doteq \mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}$$

is isometric and uniquely extends, by linearity and continuity, to a Hilbert space isomorphism of

$$F_{(U)} : \overline{(C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{C}), \lambda_{\text{KW}})} \rightarrow \mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}.$$

(b) *If one switches to \mathbb{R} in place of \mathbb{C}*

$$\overline{F_{(U)}(C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{R}))} = \mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}.$$

As a second step we should prove that there is a natural way to densely embed $\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H})$ into the Hilbert space $\overline{(C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{C}), \lambda_{\text{KW}})}$, that is into $\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}$, as the definition of quasifree state requires. However, this is rather delicate because the most straightforward way, computing the U -Fourier transform of $\psi \in \mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H})$ and checking that it belongs to $L^2(\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2, 2K dK \wedge r_{\mathbb{S}}^2 d\mathbb{S}^2) = \mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}$, does not work. The ultimate reason lies in the too slow decay of ψ as $|U| \rightarrow +\infty$ obtained in [19] and embodied in the definition of $\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H})$ itself. As a matter of fact, the idea we intend to exploit is, first, to decompose every $\psi \in \mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H})$ as a sum of three functions, one compactly supported and the remaining ones supported in \mathcal{H}^+ and \mathcal{H}^- respectively and, then, to consider each function separately. The following proposition, whose proof is in Appendix C, analyses the features of the last two functions. It also introduces some results, which will be very useful later when dealing with the KMS property of the state λ_{KW} .

In the following $H^1(\mathcal{H}^\pm)_u$ are the Sobolev spaces of the functions $\psi : \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, referred to the coordinate $(u, \theta, \phi) \in \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2$ on \mathcal{H}^\pm , which lie in $L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, du \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$ together with their first (distributional) u derivative. If one follows the same proof as that valid for $C_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}; \mathbb{C})$ and $H^1(\mathbb{R})$ along the line of Theorem VIII.6 in [7] (employing sequences of regularising functions

which are constant in the angular variables), one establishes that $C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}^\pm; \mathbb{C})$ is dense in $H^1(\mathcal{H}^\pm)_u$. Every $\psi \in \mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H}^\pm)$ is an element of $H^1(\mathcal{H}^\pm)_u$ as it follows immediately from the definition of $\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H}^\pm)$.

Proposition 3.3. *The following facts hold, where $u \doteq 2r_S \ln(U) \in \mathbb{R}$ and $u \doteq -2r_S \ln(-U) \in \mathbb{R}$ are the natural global coordinate covering \mathcal{H}^+ and \mathcal{H}^- , respectively, while $\mu(k)$ is the positive measure on \mathbb{R} :*

$$d\mu(k) \doteq 2r_S^2 \frac{ke^{2\pi r_S k}}{e^{2\pi r_S k} - e^{-2\pi r_S k}} dk.$$

- (a) *If $\tilde{\psi} = (\mathcal{F}(\psi))(k, \theta, \phi) = \tilde{\psi}(k, \theta, \phi)$ denotes the u -Fourier transform of either $\psi \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}^+; \mathbb{C})$ or $\psi \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}^-; \mathbb{C})$ the maps*

$$C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}^\pm; \mathbb{C}) \ni \psi \mapsto \tilde{\psi} \in L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, d\mu(k) \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$$

are isometric when $C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}^\pm; \mathbb{C})$ is equipped with the scalar product λ_{KW} . It uniquely extends, per continuity, to the Hilbert space isomorphisms:

$$F_{(u)}^{(\pm)} : \overline{C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}^\pm; \mathbb{C})} \rightarrow L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, d\mu(k) \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2), \tag{3.4}$$

where $\overline{C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}^\pm; \mathbb{C})}$ are viewed as Hilbert subspaces of $\overline{(C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{C}), \lambda_{\text{KW}})}$.

- (b) *The spaces $\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H}^\pm)$ are naturally identified with real subspaces of $\overline{C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{C})}$ in view of the following.*

If either $\{\psi_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}, \{\psi'_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}^+; \mathbb{R})$ or $\{\psi_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}, \{\psi'_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}^-; \mathbb{R})$ and, according to the case, both sequences $\{\psi_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}, \{\psi'_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ converge to the same $\psi \in \mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H}^\pm)$ in $H^1(\mathcal{H}^\pm)$, then both sequences are of Cauchy type in $\overline{(C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{C}), \lambda_{\text{KW}})}$ and $\psi_n - \psi'_n \rightarrow 0$ in $\overline{(C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{C}), \lambda_{\text{KW}})}$.

The subsequent identification of $\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H}^\pm)$ with real subspaces of $\overline{C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{C})}$ is such that:

$$F_{(u)}^{(\pm)} \upharpoonright_{\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H}^\pm)} = \mathcal{F} \upharpoonright_{\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H}^\pm)}, \tag{3.5}$$

where $\mathcal{F} : L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, du \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2) \rightarrow L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, dk \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$ stands for the standard u -Fourier-Plancherel transform.

We are finally in a position to specify how $\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H})$ is embedded in $\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}$. Let us consider a compactly supported smooth function $\chi \in C^\infty(\mathcal{H})$, such that

$\chi = 1$ in a neighbourhood of the bifurcation sphere $\mathcal{B} \in \mathcal{H}$. Every $\psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})$ can now be decomposed as the sum of three functions:

$$\begin{aligned} \psi &= \psi_- + \psi_0 + \psi_+, \quad \text{with } \psi_{\pm} = (1 - \chi)\psi \upharpoonright_{\mathcal{J}\mathcal{C}^{\pm}} \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^{\pm}) \quad \text{and} \\ \psi_0 &= \chi\psi \in C_0^{\infty}(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{R}), \end{aligned} \tag{3.6}$$

Now let us define the map $\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}} : \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}) \rightarrow \mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}} = L^2(\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2, dK \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$ as

$$\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}} : \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}) \ni \psi \mapsto F_{(U)}(\psi_-) + F_{(U)}(\psi_0) + F_{(U)}(\psi_+) \in \mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}, \tag{3.7}$$

where $F_{(U)}(\psi_{\pm})$ makes sense in view of the identification of $\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})$ with a real subspace of $(C_0^{\infty}(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{C}), \lambda_{\text{KW}})$ as established in (b) of Proposition 3.3. The following proposition yields that $\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}$, in particular, is well-defined and injective and, thus, it identifies $\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})$ with a subspace of $\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}$. Such identification enjoys a nice interplay with the symplectic form $\sigma_{\mathcal{H}}$. Furthermore we prove that, $\mathbf{K} : \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}) \rightarrow \mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}$ is continuous if viewing $\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})$ as a normed space equipped with the norm

$$\|\psi\|_{\mathcal{H}}^{\chi} = \|(1 - \chi)\psi\|_{H^1(\mathcal{J}\mathcal{C}^-)_u} + \|\chi\psi\|_{H^1(\mathcal{J}\mathcal{C})_U} + \|(1 - \chi)\psi\|_{H^1(\mathcal{J}\mathcal{C}^+)_u} \tag{3.8}$$

where $\|\cdot\|_{H^1(\mathcal{J}\mathcal{C}^{\pm})_u}$ and $\|\cdot\|_{H^1(\mathcal{J}\mathcal{C})_U}$ are the norms of the Sobolev spaces $H^1(\mathcal{J}\mathcal{C}^{\pm})_u$ and $H^1(\mathcal{J}\mathcal{C})_U$ respectively.

Notice that, $\|\cdot\|_{\mathcal{H}}^{\chi}$ and $\|\cdot\|_{\mathcal{H}}^{\chi'}$, defined with respect of different decompositions generated by χ and χ' , are equivalent, in the sense that there are two positive real numbers C_1 and C_2 such that $C_1\|\psi\|_{\mathcal{H}}^{\chi} \leq \|\psi\|_{\mathcal{H}}^{\chi'} \leq C_2\|\psi\|_{\mathcal{H}}^{\chi}$ for all $\psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})$. The proof of such an equivalence is based on the decomposition of the various integrals appearing in the mentioned norms with respect to both the partitions of the unit $\chi, 1 - \chi$ and $\chi', 1 - \chi'$. Afterwards one employs iteratively the triangular inequality and the fact that the norms $\|\cdot\|_{H^1(\mathcal{J}\mathcal{C}^{\pm})_u}$ and $\|\cdot\|_{H^1(\mathcal{J}\mathcal{C})_U}$ are equivalent when evaluated on smooth functions whose support is compact and does not include zero, because the Jacobian of the change of coordinates in the lone variable U is strictly positive and bounded. To conclude the proof one should notice that $(\chi - \chi')$ is a compactly supported smooth function on the disjoint union of a pair of fixed compact sets $J \times \mathbb{S}^2 \subset \mathcal{H}$, that do not contain 0. Due to such an equivalence, we will often write $\|\psi\|_{\mathcal{H}}$ in place of $\|\psi\|_{\mathcal{H}}^{\chi}$.

Proposition 3.4. *The linear map $\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}} : \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}) \rightarrow \mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}$ in (3.7) verifies the following properties:*

- (a) *it is independent from the choice of the function χ used in the decomposition (3.6) of $\psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})$;*

- (b) it reduces to $F_{(U)}$ when restricting to $C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{R})$;
- (c) it satisfies

$$\sigma_{\mathcal{H}}(\psi, \psi') = -2\text{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}(\psi), \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}(\psi') \rangle_{\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}}, \quad \text{if } \psi, \psi' \in \mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H}); \quad (3.9)$$

- (d) it is injective;
- (e) it holds $\overline{\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}(\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H}))} = \mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}$;
- (f) it is continuous with respect to the norm $\|\cdot\|_{\mathcal{H}}$ defined in (3.8) for every choice of the function χ . Consequently, there exists $C > 0$ such that

$$|\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}(\psi), \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}(\psi') \rangle_{\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}}| \leq C^2 \|\psi\|_{\mathcal{H}} \cdot \|\psi'\|_{\mathcal{H}} \quad \text{if } \psi, \psi' \in \mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H}).$$

The proof is in Appendix C. Collecting all the achievements and presenting some further result, we can now conclude stating the theorem about the state individuated by λ_{KW} .

Theorem 3.1. *The following facts hold referring to $(\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}, \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}})$.*

- (a) *The pair $(\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}, \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}})$ is the one-particle structure for a quasi-free pure state $\omega_{\mathcal{H}}$ on $\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H}))$ uniquely individuated by the requirement that its two-point function coincides to the right-hand side of (3.3) under restriction to $C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{R})$.*
- (b) *The state $\omega_{\mathcal{H}}$ is invariant under the natural action of the one-parameter group of $*$ -automorphisms generated by $X \upharpoonright_{\mathcal{H}}$ and of those generated by the Killing vectors of \mathbb{S}^2 .*
- (c) *The restriction of $\omega_{\mathcal{H}}$ to $\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H}^\pm))$ is a quasifree state $\omega_{\mathcal{H}^\pm}^{\beta_H}$ individuated by the one particle structure $(\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}^\pm}^{\beta_H}, \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}^\pm}^{\beta_H})$ with:*

$$\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}^\pm}^{\beta_H} \doteq L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, d\mu(k) \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2) \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}^\pm}^{\beta_H} \doteq \mathcal{F} \upharpoonright_{\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H}^\pm)} = F_{(u)}^{(\pm)} \upharpoonright_{\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H}^\pm)}.$$

- (d) *The states $\omega_{\mathcal{H}^\pm}^{\beta_H}$ satisfy the KMS condition with respect to one-parameter group of $*$ -automorphisms generated by, respectively, $\mp X \upharpoonright_{\mathcal{H}}$, with Hawking's inverse temperature $\beta_H = 4\pi r_S$.*
- (e) *If $\{\beta_\tau^{(X)}\}_{\tau \in \mathbb{R}}$ denotes the pull-back action on $\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H}^-)$ of the one-parameter group generated by $X \upharpoonright_{\mathcal{H}}$, that is $(\beta_\tau(\psi))(u, \omega) = \psi(u - \tau, \omega)$, for every $\tau \in \mathbb{R}$ and every $\psi \in \mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H}^-)$ it holds:*

$$\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}^-}^{\beta_H} \beta_\tau^{(X)}(\psi) = e^{i\tau \hat{k}} \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}^-}^{\beta_H} \psi$$

where \hat{k} is the k -multiplicative self-adjoint operator on $L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, d\mu(k) \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$. An analogous statement holds for \mathcal{H}^+ .

Proof. (a) In view of Proposition B.1 (and Lemma B.1), the wanted state is the one uniquely associated with the real scalar product over $\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})$

$$\mu_{\mathcal{H}}(\psi, \psi') \doteq \operatorname{Re}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi, \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi' \rangle_{\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}}, \tag{3.10}$$

and the one-particle structure is just $(\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}, \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}})$. This holds true provided two conditions are fulfilled, as required in Proposition B.1. The first one asks for

$$|\sigma_{\mathcal{H}}(\psi, \psi')|^2 \leq 4\mu_{\mathcal{H}}(\psi, \psi)\mu_{\mathcal{H}}(\psi', \psi'). \tag{3.11}$$

This fact is an immediate consequence of (c) in Proposition 3.4. The second condition to be satisfied is that $\overline{\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}))} + i\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})) = \mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}$ and, actually, a stronger fact holds: $\overline{\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}))} = \mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}$, because of (e) in Proposition 3.4. As a consequence, the state $\omega_{\mathcal{H}}$ is pure for (d) in Proposition B.1.

(b) We only consider the case of \mathcal{H}^+ , the other case being analogous. The state $\omega_{\mathcal{H}^+}^{\beta_H}$, which is the restriction of $\omega_{\mathcal{H}}$ to $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^+))$, is by definition completely individuated out of the requirement that

$$\omega_{\mathcal{H}^+}^{\beta_H}(\mathcal{W}_{\mathcal{H}^+}(\psi)) = e^{-\mu_{\mathcal{H}}(\psi, \psi)/2}, \quad \text{for } \psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^+).$$

One can also prove the following three facts. (i) If $\psi, \psi' \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^+)$, then:

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_{\mathcal{H}}(\psi, \psi') &= \operatorname{Re}\lambda_{\text{KW}}(\psi, \psi') = \operatorname{Re}\langle F_{(u)}^{(+)}\psi, F_{(u)}^{(+)}\psi' \rangle_{\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}^+}^{\beta_H}} \\ &= \operatorname{Re}\langle \tilde{\psi}, \tilde{\psi}' \rangle_{L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, d\mu(k) \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)} \\ &= \operatorname{Re}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}^+}^{\beta_H}\psi, \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}^+}^{\beta_H}\psi' \rangle_{\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}^+}^{\beta_H}}, \end{aligned}$$

due to (a) and (b) in Proposition 3.3. (ii) Condition (3.11) is valid also under restriction to $\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^+)$ if one notices that $\sigma_{\mathcal{H}^+} = \sigma_{\mathcal{H}}|_{\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^+) \times \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^+)}$. (iii) One has $\overline{\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}^+}^{\beta_H}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^+))} + i\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}^+}^{\beta_H}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^+)) = \mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}^+}^{\beta_H}$ by (a) and (b) of Proposition 3.3, if one bears in mind that $\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^+) + i\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^+) \supset C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}^+; \mathbb{C})$. This concludes the proof because (i), (ii) and (iii) entail that $(\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}^+}^{\beta_H}, \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}^+}^{\beta_H})$ is the one-particle structure of $\omega_{\mathcal{H}^+}^{\beta_H}$ in view of Proposition B.1 (and Lemma B.1).

(c) If $\psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})$, the 1-parameter group of symplectomorphisms $\beta_\tau^{(X)}$ generated by X individuates $\beta_\tau^{(X)}(\psi) \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})$ such that $\beta_\tau^{(X)}(\psi)(U, \theta, \phi) = (\psi)(e^{\tau/(4m)}U, \theta, \phi)$. This is an obvious consequence of $X = -\partial_u$ on \mathcal{H}^+ , $X = \partial_u$ on \mathcal{H}^- and $X = 0$ on the bifurcation at $U = 0$. Since $\beta^{(X)}$ preserves the symplectic form $\sigma_{\mathcal{H}}$, there must be a representation $\alpha^{(X)}$ of $\beta^{(X)}$,

in terms of $*$ -automorphisms of $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}))$. We do not need now the explicit form of $\alpha^{(X)}$, rather let us focus on $\beta^{(X)}$ again. If $\psi \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{R})$, one has immediately, from the definition of $F_{(U)}$, which coincides with that of $\mathcal{K}_{\mathcal{H}}$ in the considered case, that $\mathcal{K}_{\mathcal{H}}(\beta_\tau^{(X)}(\psi))(K, \theta, \phi) = e^{-\tau/(4m)} \mathcal{K}_{\mathcal{H}}(\psi)(e^{-\tau/(4m)} K, \theta, \phi)$. This result generalises to the case where $\psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})$ has support in the set $U > 0$ (or $U < 0$) as it can be proved along the lines of the proof of (b) of Proposition 3.3. Here, if one employs a sequence of smooth functions ψ_n supported in $U > 0$ (resp. $U < 0$) which converges to ψ in the Sobolev topology of $H^1(\mathcal{H}^\pm, du)$ (see the mentioned proof), and uses the fact that $\beta_\tau^{(X)}(\psi_n)$ converges to $\beta_\tau^{(X)}(\psi)$ in the same topology. Summing up, from definition (3.7), one gets that $\mathcal{K}_{\mathcal{H}}(\beta_\tau^{(X)}(\psi))(K, \theta, \phi) = \left(U_\tau^{(X)} \psi \right) (U, \theta, \phi) \doteq e^{-\tau/(4m)} \mathcal{K}_{\mathcal{H}}(\psi)(e^{-\tau/(4m)} K, \theta, \phi)$ for every $\psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})$ without further restrictions. Since $U_\tau^{(X)}$ is an isometry of $L^2(\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2, KdK \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$, in view of the definition of $\omega_{\mathcal{H}}$ it yields that $\omega_{\mathcal{H}}(W_{\mathcal{H}}(\beta_\tau^{(X)}\psi)) = \omega_{\mathcal{H}}(W_{\mathcal{H}}(\psi))$ for all $\psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})$, and, per continuity and linearity, this suffices to conclude that ω is invariant under the action of the group of $*$ -automorphisms $\alpha^{(X)}$ induced by X . The proof for the Killing vectors of \mathbb{S}^2 is similar.

(d) and (e) In $\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^-)$, the natural action of the one parameter group of isometries generated by $X \upharpoonright_{\mathcal{H}^-}$ is $\beta_\tau^{(X)} : \psi \mapsto \beta_\tau^{(X)}(\psi)$ with $\beta_\tau^{(X)}(\psi)(u, \theta, \phi) \doteq \psi(u - \tau, \theta, \phi)$, for all $u, \tau, \in \mathbb{R}$, $(\theta, \phi) \in \mathbb{S}^2$ and for every $\psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^-)$. As previously, this is an obvious consequence of $X = \partial_u$ on \mathcal{H}^- . Since $\beta^{(X)}$ preserves the symplectic form $\sigma_{\mathcal{H}^-}$, there must be a representation $\alpha^{(X)}$ of $\beta^{(X)}$, in terms of $*$ -automorphisms of $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^-))$. Let us prove that $\alpha^{(X)}$ is unitarily implemented in the GNS representation of $\omega_{\mathcal{H}^-}^{\beta_H}$. To this end, we notice that β is unitarily implemented in $\mathcal{H}_{\mathcal{H}^-}$, the one-particle space of $\omega_{\mathcal{H}^-}^{\beta_H}$ out of the strongly-continuous one-parameter group of unitary operators V_τ such that $\left(V_\tau \tilde{\psi} \right) (k, \theta, \phi) = e^{ik\tau} \tilde{\psi}(k, \theta, \phi)$. This describes the time displacements with respect to the Killing vector ∂_u . Thus the self-adjoint generator of V is $h : \text{Dom}(\hat{k}) \subset L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, d\mu(k) \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2) \rightarrow L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, d\mu(k) \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$ with $\hat{k}(\phi)(k, \theta, \phi) = k\phi(k, \theta, \phi)$ and

$$\text{Dom}(\hat{k}) \doteq \left\{ \phi \in L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, d\mu(k) \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2) \mid \int_{\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2} |k\phi(k, \theta, \phi)|^2 d\mu(k) \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2 < +\infty \right\}.$$

Per direct inspection, if one employs the found form for V and exploits

$$\omega_{\mathcal{H}^-}^{\beta_H} (W_{\mathcal{H}^-}(\psi)) = e^{-\frac{1}{2} \langle \tilde{\psi}, \tilde{\psi} \rangle_{L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, d\mu(k) \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)} ,$$

one sees that $\omega_{\mathcal{H}^-}^{\beta_H}$ is invariant under $\alpha^{(X)}$, so that it must admit a unitary implementation [1]. In order to establish that the $\alpha^{(X)}$ -invariant quasifree state $\omega_{\mathcal{H}^-}^{\beta_H}$ over the Weyl algebra $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^-))$ is a KMS state with inverse temperature $\beta_H = 4\pi r_S$ with respect to $\alpha^{(X)}$ which, in turn, is unitarily implemented by $V = \{\exp\{i\tau\hat{k}\}\}_{\tau \in \mathbb{R}}$ in the one particle space $\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}^-}^{\beta_H}$, one can use Proposition B.3 in the appendix and prove that $\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}^-}^{\beta_H}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^-)) \subset \text{Dom}\left(e^{-\frac{1}{2}\beta_H\hat{k}}\right)$ while $\langle e^{i\tau\hat{k}}\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}^-}^{\beta_H}\psi, \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}^-}^{\beta_H}\psi' \rangle = \langle e^{-\beta_H\hat{k}/2}\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}^-}^{\beta_H}\psi', e^{-\beta_H\hat{k}/2}e^{i\tau\hat{k}}\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}^-}^{\beta_H}\psi \rangle$. Luckily these requirements hold per direct inspection since $\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}^-}^{\beta_H}(\psi) = \tilde{\psi} \in L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, d\mu(k) \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$. Here we used the explicit form of the measure $\mu(k)$ and the identity $\tilde{\psi}(-k, \omega) = \tilde{\psi}(k, \omega)$ if $\psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^-)$ because ψ is real-valued. The case of \mathcal{H}^+ is strongly analogous, the only difference being $X|_{\mathcal{H}^+} = -\partial_u$. \square

We conclude stating without proof (straightforward in this case) the following proposition which concerns the natural X -invariant vacuum states of \mathcal{H}^- and \mathcal{H}_{ev} (actually, a *quasifree regular ground states* in the sense of [38]).

Proposition 3.5. *If $\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}^-} : \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^-) \rightarrow \mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}^-} \doteq L^2(\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2, 2kdk \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$ denotes the standard u -Fourier-Plancherel transform, followed by the restriction to $\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2$, the following facts hold.*

- (a) *The pair $(\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}^-}, \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}^-})$ is the one-particle structure for a quasi-free pure state $\omega_{\mathcal{H}^-}$ on $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^-))$.*
- (b) *The state $\omega_{\mathcal{H}^-}$ is invariant under the natural action of the one-parameter group of $*$ -automorphisms generated by $X|_{\mathcal{H}^-}$ and those generated by the Killing vectors of \mathbb{S}^2 .*

If one replaces the u -Fourier-Plancherel transform with the v -Fourier-Plancherel one, an analogous state $\omega_{\mathcal{H}_{\text{ev}}}$ can be defined, which is invariant under the natural action of the one-parameter group of $$ -automorphisms generated by $X|_{\mathcal{H}_{\text{ev}}}$ and those generated by the Killing vectors of \mathbb{S}^2 .*

3.3 The vacuum state $\omega_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$ on $\mathcal{W}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$

We now introduce a relevant vacuum state $\omega_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$ on $\mathcal{W}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$ which is invariant with respect to u -displacements and under the isometries of \mathbb{S}^2 . The idea is, in principle, the same as for $\omega_{\mathcal{H}}$, i.e., one starts from a two-point function similar to λ_{KW} , with the important difference that the coordinate U is now replaced by v . As a starting point we state the following proposition whose proof is, *mutatis mutandis*, identical to that of Proposition 3.2.

Proposition 3.6. *Consider the Hilbert completion $\overline{(C_0^\infty(\mathfrak{S}^-; \mathbb{C}), \lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-})}$ of the complex vector space $C_0^\infty(\mathfrak{S}^-; \mathbb{C})$ equipped with the Hermitian scalar product:*

$$\lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(\psi_1, \psi_2) \doteq \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0^+} -\frac{1}{\pi} \int_{\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2} \frac{\overline{\psi_1(v_1, \theta, \phi)} \psi_2(v_2, \theta, \phi)}{(v_1 - v_2 - i\epsilon)^2} dv_1 \wedge dv_2 \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2, \tag{3.12}$$

where $\mathfrak{S}^- \equiv \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2$ adopting the coordinate (v, θ, ϕ) over \mathfrak{S}^- . The following facts hold.

- (a) If $\widehat{\psi}_+(k, \theta, \phi) \doteq \mathcal{F}(\psi)|_{\{k \geq 0, (\theta, \phi) \in \mathbb{S}^2\}}(k, \theta, \phi)$ denotes the v -Fourier transform of $\psi \in C_0^\infty(\mathfrak{S}^-; \mathbb{C})$ restricted to $k \in \mathbb{R}_+$ (see the Appendix C in [42]), the map

$$C_0^\infty(\mathfrak{S}^-; \mathbb{C}) \ni \psi \mapsto \widehat{\psi}_+(k, \theta, \phi) \in L^2(\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2, 2kdk \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2) =: \mathbf{H}_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$$

is isometric and it uniquely extends, per continuity, to a Hilbert space isomorphism of

$$F_{(v)} : \overline{(C_0^\infty(\mathfrak{S}^-; \mathbb{C}), \lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-})} \rightarrow \mathbf{H}_{\mathfrak{S}^-}. \tag{3.13}$$

- (b) If one replaces \mathbb{C} with \mathbb{R} :

$$\overline{(C_0^\infty(\mathfrak{S}^-; \mathbb{R}))} = \mathbf{H}_{\mathfrak{S}^-}. \tag{3.14}$$

We have now to state and to prove the corresponding of the Proposition 3.4, which establishes that there exists a state $\omega_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$, which is completely determined by $\lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$ and it is such that the one-particle space coincides with $\mathbf{H}_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$. The delicate point is to construct the corresponding of the \mathbb{R} -linear map $\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}$, which now has to be thought of as $\mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} : \mathbf{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-) \rightarrow \mathbf{H}_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$. Let us notice that $\mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$ cannot be defined as the v -Fourier transform (neither the Fourier–Plancherel transform), since the elements of $\mathbf{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$ do not decay rapidly enough. Similarly to what done before, a suitable extension with respect to the topology of $\overline{(C_0^\infty(\mathfrak{S}^-; \mathbb{C}), \lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-})}$ is necessary. To this end, we are going to prove that the real subspace of the functions of $\mathbf{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$ supported in the region $v > 0$ can be naturally identified with a real subspace of $\overline{(C_0^\infty(\mathfrak{S}^-; \mathbb{C}), \lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-})}$. This is stated in the following proposition whose proof is in Appendix C. In the following, we pass to the coordinate over \mathbb{R} defined by $x \doteq \sqrt{v}$ if $v \geq 0$ and $x \doteq -\sqrt{-v}$ if $v \leq 0$. Then, if we adopt the coordinate x over the factor \mathbb{R} of $\mathfrak{S}^- \equiv \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2$, the Sobolev space $H^1(\mathfrak{S}^-)_x$, is that of the functions which belong to $L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, dx \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$ with their (distributional) first x derivative. Notice that, in view of the very definition of $\mathbf{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$, if ψ is supported in the subset of \mathfrak{S}^- with $v < 0$ (i.e., $x < 0$) and $\psi \in \mathbf{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$, then $\psi \in H^1(\mathfrak{S}^-)_x$.

Proposition 3.7. *If $\psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$ and $\text{supp}(\psi) \subset \mathbb{R}_-^* \times \mathbb{S}^2$ (where $\mathbb{R}_-^* \doteq (-\infty, 0)$), the following holds.*

- (a) *Every sequence $\{\psi_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset C_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}_-^* \times \mathbb{S}^2; \mathbb{R})$ such $\psi_n \rightarrow \psi$ as $n \rightarrow +\infty$ in $H^1(\mathfrak{S}^-)_x$ is necessarily of Cauchy type in $\overline{(C_0^\infty(\mathfrak{S}^-; \mathbb{C}), \lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-})}$.*
- (b) *There is $\{\psi_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset C_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}_-^* \times \mathbb{S}^2; \mathbb{R})$ such $\psi_n \rightarrow \psi$ as $n \rightarrow +\infty$ in $H^1(\mathfrak{S}^-)_x$ and, if $\{\psi'_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset C_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}_-^* \times \mathbb{S}^2; \mathbb{R})$ converges to the same ψ in $H^1(\mathfrak{S}^-)_x$, then $\psi'_n - \psi_n \rightarrow 0$ in $\overline{(C_0^\infty(\mathfrak{S}^-; \mathbb{C}), \lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-})}$.*

As a consequence every $\psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$ with $\text{supp}(\psi) \subset \mathbb{R}_+^ \times \mathbb{S}^2$ can be naturally identified with a corresponding element of $\overline{(C_0^\infty(\mathfrak{S}^-; \mathbb{C}), \lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-})}$, which we indicate with the same symbol ψ .*

With this identification it holds

$$F_{(v)} \upharpoonright_{\mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)} = \Theta \cdot \mathcal{F} \upharpoonright_{\mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)}, \quad (3.15)$$

and, for $\psi, \psi' \in \mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$,

$$\lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(\psi, \psi') = \int_{\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2} \left(\overline{\mathcal{F}(\psi')} (I + C) \mathcal{F}(\psi) \right) (h, \omega) 2h dh \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2(\omega), \quad (3.16)$$

where, $\Theta(h) = 0$ if $h \leq 0$ and $\Theta(h) = 1$ otherwise. Here $\mathcal{F} : L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, dx \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2) \rightarrow L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, dh \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$ is the x -Fourier-Plancherel transform ($x \doteq -\sqrt{-v}$ if $v \leq 0$ and $x \doteq \sqrt{v}$ if $v \geq 0$) while C stands for the standard complex conjugation.

We are in a position to define the map $\mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$ along the lines followed for $\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{J}\mathcal{C}}$. Let χ be a non-negative smooth function on \mathfrak{S}^- whose support is contained in $\mathbb{R}_-^* \times \mathbb{S}^2$, and such that $\eta(v, \theta, \phi) = 1$ for $v < v_0 < 0$. Consider $\psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$ and decompose it as:

$$\psi = \psi_0 + \psi_-, \text{ where } \psi_0 = (1 - \eta)\psi \text{ and } \psi_- = \eta\psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-) \quad (3.17)$$

Obviously, $\psi_0 \in C_0^\infty(\mathfrak{S}^-; \mathbb{R})$ and $\text{supp}(\psi_-) \subset \mathbb{R}_-^* \times \mathbb{S}^2$, where \mathbb{R}_-^* is referred to the coordinate v on \mathbb{R} . Finally, let us define

$$\mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^+}(\psi) \doteq F_{(v)}(\psi_0) + F_{(v)}(\psi_-), \quad \forall \psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-), \quad (3.18)$$

where, ψ_- in the second term is considered an element of $\overline{(C_0^\infty(\mathfrak{S}^-; \mathbb{C}), \lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-})}$ in view of Proposition 3.7. The map $\mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^+} : \mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-) \rightarrow \mathbf{H}_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$ is continuous when

the domain is equipped with the norm

$$\|\psi\|_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^\eta = \|\psi_-\|_{H^1(\mathfrak{S}^-)_x} + \|\psi_0\|_{H^1(\mathfrak{S}^-)_v} \tag{3.19}$$

where $\|\cdot\|_{H^1(\mathfrak{S}^-)_x}$ and $\|\cdot\|_{H^1(\mathfrak{S}^-)_v}$ are the norms of the Sobolev spaces $H^1(\mathfrak{S}^-)_x$ and $H^1(\mathfrak{S}^-)_v$ respectively, the latter hence with respect to the v -coordinate. Let us remark that, as before, different η and η' produce equivalent norms $\|\cdot\|_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^\eta$ and $\|\cdot\|_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^{\eta'}$; for this reason we shall drop the index η in $\|\cdot\|_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^\eta$ if not strictly necessary. The following proposition states that the definition of $\mathsf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$, given above, is meaningful; its proof, which will be discussed in Appendix C, relies on Propositions 3.6 and 3.7 and it is very similar to that of Proposition 3.4.

Proposition 3.8. *The linear map $\mathsf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} : \mathsf{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-) \rightarrow \mathsf{H}_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$ in (3.18) enjoys the following properties:*

- (a) *it is well-defined, i.e., it is independent from the chosen decomposition (3.17) for a fixed $\psi \in \mathsf{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$;*
- (b) *it reduces to $F_{(v)}$ when restricting to $C_0^\infty(\mathfrak{S}^-; \mathbb{R})$;*
- (c) *it satisfies:*

$$\sigma_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(\psi, \psi') = -2\text{Im}\langle \mathsf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(\psi), \mathsf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(\psi') \rangle_{\mathsf{H}_{\mathfrak{S}^-}}, \quad \text{if } \psi, \psi' \in \mathsf{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-);$$

- (d) *it is injective;*
- (e) *it holds $\overline{\mathsf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(\mathsf{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-))} = \mathsf{H}_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$;*
- (f) *it is continuous with respect to the norm $\|\cdot\|_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$ defined in (3.19) for every choice of the function η . Consequently, there exists a constant $C > 0$ such that:*

$$|\langle \mathsf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(\psi), \mathsf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(\psi') \rangle_{\mathsf{H}_{\mathfrak{S}^-}}| \leq C^2 \|\psi\|_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \cdot \|\psi'\|_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \quad \text{if } \psi, \psi' \in \mathsf{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-).$$

We can now define the state $\omega_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$ collecting all the achieved results.

Theorem 3.2. *The following facts hold referring to $(\mathsf{H}_{\mathfrak{S}^-}, \mathsf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-})$.*

- (a) *The pair $(\mathsf{H}_{\mathfrak{S}^-}, \mathsf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-})$ is the one-particle structure for a quasi-free pure state $\omega_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$ on $\mathcal{W}(\mathsf{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-))$ which is uniquely determined by the requirement that its two-point function coincides with the right-hand side of (3.12) under the restriction to $C_0^\infty(\mathfrak{S}^-; \mathbb{R})$.*
- (b) *The state $\omega_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$ is invariant under the natural action of the one-parameter group of $*$ -automorphisms generated both by $X \upharpoonright_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$ and by the Killing vectors of \mathbb{S}^2 .*

- (c) If $\{\beta_\tau^{(X)}\}_{\tau \in \mathbb{R}}$ denotes the pull-back action on $\mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$ of the one-parameter group generated by $X \upharpoonright_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$ that is $(\beta_\tau(\psi))(v, \omega) = \psi(v - \tau, \omega)$, for every $\tau \in \mathbb{R}$ and every $\psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$ it holds:

$$\mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \beta_\tau^{(X)}(\psi) = e^{i\tau \hat{h}} \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \psi$$

where \hat{h} is the h -multiplicative self-adjoint operator on $\mathbf{H}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} = L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, 2h \, dh \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$.

Analogous statements hold for $\mathcal{W}(\mathfrak{S}_L^\pm)$ and for $\mathcal{W}(\mathfrak{S}^+)$, hence there exists the corresponding states $\omega_{\mathfrak{S}_L^\pm}$ and $\omega_{\mathfrak{S}^+}$ exist.

Proof. The proof of (a) and (b) is essentially identical to that of the corresponding items in Theorem 3.1. Particularly, the proof of item (b) is a trivial consequence of Lemma C.3. \square

4 The extended Unruh state $\omega_{\mathbf{U}}$

When a spherically-symmetric black hole forms, the metric of the space-time outside the event horizon, as well as that inside the region containing the singularity away from the collapsing matter, must be of Schwarzschild type due to the Birkhoff theorem (see [57, 58] for a more mathematically detailed discussion). A model of this spacetime can be realized selecting a relevant subregion of \mathcal{M} in the Kruskal manifold, i.e., the so called regions I and II of the Kruskal diagram as depicted in chapter 6.4 of [56]. A quantum state that accounts for Hawking's radiation in such background was heuristically defined by Unruh in \mathcal{M} , who employed a mode decomposition approach [13, 54, 57]. A rigorous, though indirect, definition of $\omega_{\mathbf{U}}$, restricted to \mathcal{W} , has been subsequently proposed by Kay and Dimock in terms of an S -matrix interpretation, though under the assumption of asymptotic completeness, which was proved to hold in the massless case [23]. It is imperative to stress that, in the last cited papers, the restriction to the static region \mathcal{W} was crucial to employ the mathematical techniques used to describe the scattering in stationary spacetimes and, as a byproduct, the algebras $\mathcal{W}(\mathfrak{H})$ and $\mathcal{W}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$ were introduced and used with some differences with respect to our approach.

4.1 The states $\omega_{\mathbf{U}}$, $\omega_{\mathbf{B}}$ and their basic properties

We are in a position to give a rigorous definition of the Unruh state by means of the technology previously introduced. Our definition is valid for

the whole region \mathcal{M} and it does not require any S -matrix interpretation, nor formal manipulation of distributional modes as in the more traditional presentations (see [13]). Our prescription is a possible rigorous version of Unruh original idea according to which the state is made of thermal modes propagating in \mathcal{M} from the white hole and of vacuum modes entering \mathcal{M} from \mathfrak{S}^- . Together the Unruh state ω_U on $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{M}))$ we also define the *Boulware vacuum*, ω_B on $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{W}))$, since it will be useful later.

Definition 4.1. Consider the states $\omega_{\mathfrak{S}^+}$, $\omega_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$, $\omega_{\mathcal{H}}$ and $\omega_{\mathcal{H}_{\text{ev}}}$ as in Theorem 3.2, Theorem 3.1, Proposition 3.5. The **Unruh state** is the unique one $\omega_U : \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{M})) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ such that:

$$\omega_U(W_{\mathcal{M}}(\varphi)) = \omega_{\mathcal{H}}(W_{\mathcal{H}}(\varphi_{\mathcal{H}}))\omega_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(W_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-})) \quad \text{for all } \varphi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{M}). \quad (4.1)$$

The **Boulware vacuum** is the unique state $\omega_B : \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{W})) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ such that:

$$\omega_B(W_{\mathcal{W}}(\varphi)) = \omega_{\mathcal{H}_{\text{ev}}}(W_{\mathcal{H}_{\text{ev}}}(\varphi_{\mathcal{H}_{\text{ev}}}))\omega_{\mathfrak{S}^+}(W_{\mathfrak{S}^+}(\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^+})) \quad \text{for all } \varphi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{W}). \quad (4.2)$$

In other words $\omega_U \doteq (\iota)^*(\omega_{\mathcal{H}} \otimes \omega_{\mathfrak{S}^-})$ and $\omega_B \doteq (\iota^+)^*(\omega_{\mathcal{H}^+} \otimes \omega_{\mathfrak{S}^-})$.

We study now the interplay between ω_U , ω_B and the action of X . The Killing field X individuates a one-parameter group of (active) symplectomorphisms $\{\beta_t^{(X)}\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ on $\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{M})$ which leaves $\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{M})$ and $\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{W})$ invariant. As X is defined on the whole manifold $\widetilde{\mathcal{M}}$, similarly, a one-parameter group of (active) symplectomorphisms are induced on $\mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^\pm)$, $\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})$, $\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^-)$, $\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}_{\text{ev}})$ and, henceforth, we shall use the same symbol $\{\beta_t^{(X)}\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ for all these groups. In turn, $\{\beta_t^{(X)}\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ induces a one-parameter group of $*$ -automorphisms, $\{\alpha_t^{(X)}\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$, on $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{M})$ unambiguously individuated by the requirement:

$$\alpha_t^{(X)}(W_{\mathcal{M}}(\varphi)) \doteq W_{\mathcal{M}}(\beta_t^{(X)}(\varphi)), \quad \text{for all } \varphi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{M}). \quad (4.3)$$

Whenever $\{\alpha_t^{(X)}\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ acts on $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{M}))$ and $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{W}))$, it leaves these algebras fixed and the second one in particular represents the time-evolution, with respect to the Schwarzschild time, of the observables therein. Analogous one-parameter groups of $*$ -automorphisms, indicated with the same symbol, are defined on $\mathcal{W}(\mathfrak{S}^\pm)$, $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{H})$, $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{H}^-)$, $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{H}_{\text{ev}})$ by X . The following relations hold true, for all $t \in \mathbb{R}$ and $\varphi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{M})$:

$$\Gamma(\beta_t^{(X)}(\varphi)) = (\beta_t^{(X)}(\varphi_{\mathcal{H}}), \beta_t^{(X)}(\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-})). \quad (4.4)$$

The same result is valid if one replaces \mathcal{M} with \mathcal{W} , \mathcal{H} with \mathcal{H}^- or \mathcal{H}_{ev} and, in the second case, \mathfrak{S}^- with \mathfrak{S}^+ , so that Γ is substituted by Γ_- or Γ_+ respectively, while ι by ι^- or ι^+ correspondingly. The proof is a consequence of

the invariance of the Klein–Gordon equation under $\beta^{(X)}$. Similar identities hold concerning the remaining Killing S^2 -symmetries of both \mathcal{M} and \mathcal{W} .

Proposition 4.1. *The following facts hold,*

- (a) ω_U and ω_B are invariant under the action of $\{\alpha_t^{(X)}\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ and under that of the remaining Killing S^2 -symmetries of the metric of \mathcal{M} and \mathcal{W} respectively.
- (b) ω_B is a **regular quasifree ground state**, i.e., the unitary one-parameter groups which implements $\{\alpha_t\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ are strongly continuous and the self-adjoint generators have positive spectrum with no zero eigenvalues in the one-particle spaces. Hence it coincides to the analogous vacuum state defined with respect to the past null boundary of \mathcal{W} , i.e., $\omega_B = (i^-)^*(\omega_{\mathcal{H}^-} \otimes \omega_{\mathcal{S}^-})$.

Proof. (a) If one bears in mind the same statement for the region \mathcal{W} , the one under analysis follows from (4.3), (4.4) together with the definitions (4.1) and (4.2). One must also take into account that the states $\omega_{\mathcal{H}}$, $\omega_{\mathcal{S}^-}$, $\omega_{\mathcal{H}^{\text{ev}}}$, $\omega_{\mathcal{S}^+}$, are invariant under the action of both $\{\alpha_t^{(X)}\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ and the remaining Killing symmetries, as established in Theorems 3.1, 3.2 and Proposition 3.5. (b) By direct inspection one sees that, in the GNS representation space of the quasifree states, ω_B and $(i^-)^*(\omega_{\mathcal{H}^-} \otimes \omega_{\mathcal{S}^-})$ are quasifree regular ground states with respect to $\{\alpha_t\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$. Thus *Kay's uniqueness theorem* [34] implies that $\omega_B = (i^-)^*(\omega_{\mathcal{H}^-} \otimes \omega_{\mathcal{S}^-})$. \square

If $\varphi, \varphi' \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{W})$, the function $F_{\varphi, \varphi'}(t) \doteq \omega_U \left(W_{\mathcal{W}}(\varphi) \alpha_t^{(X)} (W_{\mathcal{W}}(\varphi')) \right)$ decomposes in a product

$$F_{\varphi, \varphi'}(t) = F_{\varphi, \varphi'}^{(\beta_H)}(t) F_{\varphi, \varphi'}^{(\infty)}(t).$$

If one refers to the Schwarzschild-time evolution, the first factor fulfils the KMS requirements (see Definition B.2), whereas the second factor enjoys the properties of a ground state two-point function: it can be extended to an analytic functions for $\text{Im} t > 0$ which is continuous and bounded in $\text{Im} t \geq 0$ and tends to 1 as $\mathbb{R} \ni t \rightarrow \pm\infty$. The term $F_{\varphi, \varphi'}^{(\beta_H)}(t)$, which evaluates only the part $\varphi_{\mathcal{H}^-}$ and $\varphi'_{\mathcal{H}^-}$ of the wavefunctions, represents the components of the wavefunction which brings the thermal radiation entering \mathcal{W} through the white hole. The latter, which evaluates only the components $\varphi_{\mathcal{S}^-}$ and $\varphi'_{\mathcal{S}^-}$ of the wavefunctions, represents the part of the wavefunction associated with the Boulware vacuum.

4.2 On the Hadamard property

Let us consider a quasifree state ω on the Weyl algebra of the real Klein–Gordon scalar field $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{N})$ for a globally hyperbolic spacetime (\mathcal{N}, g) and let $(\mathbf{H}_\omega, \mathbf{K}_\omega)$ be its one-particle structure which determines the Fock GNS representation $(\mathfrak{H}_\omega, \Pi_\omega, \Psi_\omega)$ of ω . Finally introduce the field operators $\Phi_\omega(f)$ as discussed in Section 2.2. The **two-point function** of ω is the bilinear form $\lambda : \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{N}) \times \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{N}) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ where $\lambda_\omega(\psi, \psi') \doteq \langle \mathbf{K}_\omega \psi, \mathbf{K}_\omega \psi' \rangle_{\mathbf{H}_\omega}$. Equivalently, if one follows Section 2.2 and Appendix B, it turns out that

$$\lambda_\omega(\psi, \psi') = \langle \Psi_\omega, \Phi_\omega(f)\Phi_\omega(f')\Psi_\omega \rangle, \quad \psi = E_{P_g}f, \quad \psi' = E_{P_g}f',$$

where the expectation value of the product of two field operators $\Phi_\omega(f)$ and $\Phi_\omega(f')$ is computed with respect to the cyclic vector Ψ_ω of the GNS representation of ω and where $E_{P_g} : C_0^\infty(\mathcal{N}; \mathbb{C}) \rightarrow \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{N})$ is the causal propagator. Therefore a **smearred two-point function** can equivalently be defined as a bilinear map $\Lambda_\omega : C^\infty(\mathcal{N}; \mathbb{R}) \times C^\infty(\mathcal{N}; \mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ associated with the formal integral kernel $\Lambda_\omega(x, x')$ with

$$\Lambda_\omega(f, g) \doteq \int_{\mathcal{N} \times \mathcal{N}} \Lambda_\omega(x, x') f(x) g(x') d\mu_g(x) d\mu_g(x') \doteq \langle \Psi_\omega, \Phi_\omega(f)\Phi_\omega(g)\Psi_\omega \rangle.$$

Furthermore

$$\Lambda_\omega(f, g) = \lambda_\omega(E_{P_g}f, E_{P_g}g) \quad \text{if } f, g \in C^\infty(\mathcal{N}; \mathbb{R}).$$

In this framework, the state ω is said to satisfy the local **Hadamard property** when, in a geodetically convex neighbourhood of any point the two-point (Wightmann) function $\omega(x, x')$ of the state has the structure

$$\Lambda_\omega(x, x') = \frac{\Delta(x, x')}{\sigma(x, x')} + V(x, x') \ln \sigma(x, x') + w(x, x'),$$

where $\Delta(x, x')$ and $V(x, x')$ are determined by the local geometry, $\sigma(x, x')$ is the signed squared geodetical distance of x and x' , while w is a smooth function determining the quasifree state. The precise definition, also at global level and up to the specification of the regularisation procedure enclosed in the definition of σ , was stated in [38]. The knowledge of the singular part of the two-point function and, thus, of all n -point functions in view of Wick expansion procedure, allows the definition of a suitable renormalization procedure of several physically interesting quantities such as the stress energy tensor, to quote just one of the many examples [30, 40, 56]. It has thus been the starting point of a full renormalization procedure in curved spacetime as

well as other very important developments of the general theory [10–12, 29]. A relevant technical achievement was obtained by Radzikowski [45, 46] who, among other results, proved the following: if one refers to the Klein–Gordon scalar field, the global Hadamard condition for a quasifree state ω whose two-point function is a distribution $\Lambda_\omega \in \mathcal{D}'(\mathcal{N} \times \mathcal{N})$, where (\mathcal{N}, g) is globally hyperbolic and time-oriented, is equivalent to the following constraint on the *wavefront set* [32] of Λ_ω .

$$WF(\Lambda_\omega) = \{(x, y, k_x, k_y) \in T^*(\mathcal{N} \times \mathcal{N}) \setminus \{0\} \mid (x, k_x) \sim (y, -k_y), k_x \triangleright 0\}, \quad (4.5)$$

that is usually referred to **microlocal spectrum condition** — see [51] for recent developments —. One should notice that, above, 0 denotes the null section of $T^*(\mathcal{N} \times \mathcal{N})$ and $(x, k_x) \sim (z, k_z)$ means that there exists a light-like geodesic γ connecting x to z with k_x and k_z as (co)tangent vectors of γ respectively at x and at z . Particularly if $x = z$, it must hold that $k_x = k_z$, k_z being of null type. The symbol \triangleright indicates that k_x must lie in the future-oriented light cone.

The aim of this subsection is to prove that the two-point function associated to the state (4.1) on $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{M})$ fulfils the Hadamard property by means of the microlocal approach based on condition (4.5). To this avail, the general strategy, we shall follow, consists of combining in a new non-trivial way the results presented in [49] and in [22, 42]. Since we interpret the two-point function as a map from $C_0^\infty(\mathcal{M}; \mathbb{C}) \times C_0^\infty(\mathcal{M}; \mathbb{C}) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ a useful tool is the map $\Gamma : \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{M}) \rightarrow \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}) \oplus \mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$ introduced in the statement of Theorem 2.1. We shall combine it with the causal propagator to obtain

$$(\varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^f, \varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^f) \doteq \Gamma E_{P_g} f. \quad (4.6)$$

We can now state the following proposition, whose ultimate credit is to allow us to check microlocal spectrum condition (4.5) since the two-point function of ω_U determines a proper distribution of $\mathcal{D}'(\mathcal{M} \times \mathcal{M})$.

Proposition 4.2. *The smeared two-point function $\Lambda_U : C_0^\infty(\mathcal{M}; \mathbb{R}) \times C_0^\infty(\mathcal{M}; \mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ of the Unruh state ω_U can be written as the sum*

$$\Lambda_U = \Lambda_{\mathcal{H}} + \Lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}, \quad (4.7)$$

with $\Lambda_{\mathcal{H}}$ and $\Lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$ defined out of the following relations for $\lambda_{\mathcal{H}}$ and $\lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$ as in (3.3) and (3.12):

$$\begin{aligned} \Lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(f, g) &\doteq \lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^f, \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^g), & \Lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(f, g) &\doteq \lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^f, \varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^g), \\ & & &\text{for every } f, g \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{M}; \mathbb{R}), \end{aligned}$$

Separately, $\Lambda_{\mathcal{H}}$, $\Lambda_{\mathcal{S}^-}$ and $\Lambda_{\mathcal{U}}$ individuate elements of $\mathcal{D}'(\mathcal{M} \times \mathcal{M})$ that we shall indicate with the symbols $\Lambda_{\mathcal{H}}$, $\Lambda_{\mathcal{S}^-}$ and $\Lambda_{\mathcal{U}}$. These are uniquely individuated by \mathbb{C} -linearity and continuity under the assumption (4.7) as

$$\Lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(f \otimes g) \doteq \lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^f, \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^g), \quad \Lambda_{\mathcal{S}^-}(f \otimes g) \doteq \lambda_{\mathcal{S}^-}(\varphi_{\mathcal{S}^-}^f, \varphi_{\mathcal{S}^-}^g),$$

for every $f, g \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{M}; \mathbb{R})$. (4.8)

The proof is in Appendix C.

In the remaining part of this section we shall prove one of the main theorems of this paper, namely that $\Lambda_{\mathcal{U}}$ satisfies the microlocal spectral condition (4.5) and thus $\omega_{\mathcal{U}}$ is Hadamard.

Theorem 4.1. *The two-point function $\Lambda_{\mathcal{U}} \in \mathcal{D}'(\mathcal{M} \times \mathcal{M})$ associated with the Unruh state $\omega_{\mathcal{U}}$ satisfies the microlocal spectral condition:*

$$WF(\Lambda_{\mathcal{U}}) = \{(x, y, k_x, k_y) \in T^*(\mathcal{M} \times \mathcal{M}) \setminus \{0\}, (x, k_x) \sim (y, -k_y), k_x \triangleright 0\},$$

(4.9)

consequently $\omega_{\mathcal{U}}$ is of Hadamard type.

Proof. As it is often the case with identities of the form (4.9), the best approach, to prove them, is to show that two inclusions \supset and \subset hold separately, hence yielding the desired equality. Nonetheless, in this case, we should keep in mind that $\Lambda_{\mathcal{U}}$ is a two-point function, hence it satisfies in a weak sense the equation of motion (2.5) with respect to P_g , a properly supported, homogeneous of degree 2, hyperbolic operator of real principal part and the antisymmetric part of $\Lambda_{\mathcal{U}}$ must correspond to the causal propagator E_{P_g} introduced in Section 2.2. In this framework, all the hypothesis to apply the theorem of propagation of singularities (PST), as in Theorem 6.1.1 in [24], are met. Hence one has all the ingredients necessary to proceed as in the proof of Theorem 5.8 in [50], to conclude that the inclusion \supset holds true once \subset has been established. Therefore, in order to prove (4.9), it is enough to establish only the inclusion \subset . This will be the goal of the remaining part of the proof and we shall divide our reasoning in two different sequential logical steps. In the first part, below indicated as *part 1*, we shall prove that the microlocal spectrum condition is fulfilled in the static region \mathcal{W} . In the second, displayed as *part 2*, we apply this result extending it to the full \mathcal{M} , mostly by means of the PST which strongly constraints the form of $WF(\Lambda_{\mathcal{U}})$ in the full background. The left-over terms, which are not fulfilling (4.9), are eventually excluded by means of a case-by-case analysis. □

Part 1. In order to establish the validity of the microlocal spectral condition in \mathscr{W} , our overall idea is to restrict Λ_U to a distribution in $\mathscr{D}'(\mathscr{W} \times \mathscr{W})$ and to apply/adapt to our case the result on the wave-front set of the two-point function of passive quantum states, as devised in [49].

As a starting point, let us remind that \mathscr{W} is a static spacetime with respect to the Schwarzschild Killing vector X , and that the state Λ_U is invariant under the associated time translation, as established in Proposition 4.1. However, despite this set-up, Λ_U is not passive in the strict sense given in [49] and, hence, we cannot directly conclude that the Hadamard property is fulfilled in \mathscr{W} , i.e., in other words, Theorem 5.1 in [49] does not straightforwardly go through. Nonetheless, luckily enough, a closer look at the proof of the mentioned statement reveals that it can be repeated slavishly with the due exception of the step 2) in which the passivity condition is explicitly employed. Yet, this property is not used to its fullest extent and, actually, a weaker one suffice to get the wanted result; in other words, the mentioned “step 2)”, or more precisely formula (5.2) in the last mentioned paper, can be recast as the following lemma for Λ_U .

Lemma 4.1. *The wave front set of the restriction to $\mathscr{D}(\mathscr{W} \times \mathscr{W})$ of Λ_U , satisfies the following inclusion*

$$WF(\Lambda_U \upharpoonright_{\mathscr{D}(\mathscr{W} \times \mathscr{W})}) \subset \{(x, y, k_x, k_y) \in T^*(\mathscr{W} \times \mathscr{W}) \setminus \{0\}, k_x(X) + k_y(X) = 0, k_y(X) \geq 0\},$$

where X is the generator of the Killing time translation.

Proof. As a first step we recall the invariance of Λ_U , as well as of $\Lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$ and $\Lambda_{\mathcal{H}}$, under the action of X , an assertion which arises out of part (b) of both Theorems 3.1 and 3.2. Furthermore, out of (4.8), it is manifest that both $\Lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$ and $\Lambda_{\mathcal{H}}$ satisfy in a weak sense and in both entries the equation of motion, since they are constructed out of the causal propagator (4.8). Yet their antisymmetric part does not correspond to the causal propagator and this lies at the heart of the impossibility to directly apply the proof of Theorem 5.1 as it appears in [49].

Nevertheless, if we still indicate by $\beta_t^{(X)}$ ($t \in \mathbb{R}$) the pull-back action of one-parameter group of isometries generated by X on elements in $C_0^\infty(\mathscr{W}; \mathbb{R})$, we can employ (4.8), as well as the definition of both $\lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$ and $\lambda_{\mathcal{H}}$, to infer the following: $\Lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$, which we shall refer as **vacuum like**, fulfils formula (A1) in [49]:

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}} \widehat{f}(t) \Lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(h_1 \otimes \beta_t^{(X)}(h_2)) dt = 0, \quad h_1, h_2 \in C_0^\infty(\mathscr{W}; \mathbb{R})$$

for all $\widehat{f}(t) \doteq \int_{\mathbb{R}} e^{-ikt} f(k) dk$ such that $f \in C_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}_+^*; \mathbb{C})$. At the same time $\Lambda_{\mathcal{H}}$ fulfils formula (A2) in the same mentioned paper, which implies that it is **KMS like** at inverse temperature β_H , i.e.,

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\mathbb{R}} \widehat{f}(t) \Lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(h_1 \otimes \beta_t^{(X)}(h_2)) dt \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} \widehat{f}(t + i\beta_H) \Lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\beta_t^{(X)}(h_2) \otimes h_1) dt, \quad h_1, h_2 \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{W}; \mathbb{R}), \end{aligned}$$

for every $f \in C_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}; \mathbb{R})$. The former identity arises out of the Fubini–Tonelli’s theorem and of basic properties of the Fourier–Plancherel transform. To wit, if one bears in mind the definition of $\Lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$, $\omega_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$, the explicit expression of $\mathbf{H}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} = L^2(\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2; 2kdk \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$ as well as part (c) of Theorem 3.2:

$$\Lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(h_1 \otimes \beta_t^{(X)}(h_2)) = \int_{\mathbb{S}^2} d\mathbb{S}^2(\omega) \int_0^{+\infty} \overline{\psi_1(k, \omega)} e^{itk} \psi_2(k, \omega) 2kdk,$$

for suitable functions ψ_1 and $\psi_2 \in L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2; 2kdk \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$ which corresponds to h_1 and h_2 . We also stress that the k integration is only extended to the *positive real axis*, whereas the support of f is contained in \mathbb{R}_- . If one notices that, if $h \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{W}; \mathbb{R})$, then $\varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^h \in \mathfrak{S}(\mathcal{H}^-)$, then the second identity follows similarly from Theorem 3.1. Here the key ingredients are the definition of $\Lambda_{\mathcal{H}}$, $\omega_{\mathcal{H}^-}^{\beta_H}$ and the explicit expression of the measure $\mu(k)$ in $\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}^-}^{\beta_H} = L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2; \mu(k) \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$, and point (e) of Theorem 3.1.

The validity of this pair of identities suffices to establish the statement of Proposition 2.1 in [49], whose proof can be slavishly repeated with our slightly weaker assumptions, though one should mind the different conventions in our definition of the Fourier transform. From this point onwards, one can follow, in our framework and step by step, the calculations leading to the second point in the proof of Theorem 5.1 in [49], which is nothing but the statement of our lemma. We shall not reproduce all the details here, since it would lead to no benefit for the reader. □

Equipped with the proved lemma, and following the remaining steps of the proof of Theorem 5.1 in [49] the last statement in the thesis of Theorem 5.1 in [49] can be achieved in our case, too. As remarked immediately after the proof of the mentioned theorem in [49], that statement entails the validity of the microlocal spectrum condition for the considered two-point function. Thus we can claim that

Proposition 4.3. *The two-point function $\Lambda_U \in \mathcal{D}'(\mathcal{M} \times \mathcal{M})$ of the Unruh state, restricted on $C_0^\infty(\mathcal{W} \times \mathcal{W}; \mathbb{C})$, satisfies the microlocal spectral condition (4.5) with $\mathcal{N} = \mathcal{W}$ and thus $\omega_U \upharpoonright_{\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{W})}$ is a Hadamard state.*

Part 2. Our goal is now to establish that the microlocal spectrum condition for $\Lambda_U(x, x')$ holds true also considering pairs $(x, x') \in \mathcal{M} \times \mathcal{M}$ which do not belong to $\mathcal{W} \times \mathcal{W}$. The overall strategy, we shall employ, mainly consists of a careful use of the propagation of singularity theorem, which shall allow us to divide our analysis in simpler specific subcases.

To this avail, we introduce the following bundle of null cones $\mathcal{N}_g \subset T^*\mathcal{M} \setminus \{0\}$ constructed out of the principal symbol of P_g , as in (2.5):

$$\mathcal{N}_g \doteq \{(x, k_x) \in T^*\mathcal{M} \setminus \{0\}, \quad g^{\mu\nu}(x)(k_x)_\mu(k_x)_\nu = 0\}.$$

We define the **bicharacteristic strips** generated by $(x, k_x) \in \mathcal{N}_g$

$$B(x, k_x) \doteq \{(x', k'_x) \in \mathcal{N}_g \mid (x', k'_x) \sim (x, k_x)\},$$

where \sim was introduced in (4.5). The operator P_g is such that we can apply to the weak-bisolution Λ_U the theorem of propagation of singularities (PST), as devised in Theorem 6.1.1 of [24]. This guarantees that, on the one hand:

$$WF(\Lambda_U) \subset (\{0\} \cup \mathcal{N}_g) \times (\{0\} \cup \mathcal{N}_g), \quad (4.10)$$

while, on the other hand,

$$\text{if } (x, y, k_x, k_y) \in WF(\Lambda_U) \text{ then } B(x, k_x) \times B(y, k_y) \subset WF(\Lambda_U). \quad (4.11)$$

A pair of technical results, we shall profitably use in the proof, are given by the following lemma and proposition whose proofs can be found in Appendix C.

The proposition characterizes the decay property, with respect to $p \in T_x^*\mathcal{M}$, of the distributional Fourier transforms even though one should notice that in [32] the opposite convention concerning the sign in front of $i\langle p, \cdot \rangle$ is adopted:

$$\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^{f_p} \doteq \lim_{\rightarrow \mathfrak{S}^-} E_{P_g}(f e^{i\langle p, \cdot \rangle}), \quad \varphi_{\mathcal{I}_C}^{f_p} \doteq E_{P_g}(f e^{i\langle p, \cdot \rangle}) \upharpoonright_{\mathcal{I}_C},$$

where we have used the complexified version of causal propagator, which enjoys the same causal and topological properties as those of the real one. Henceforth $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$ denotes the standard scalar product in \mathbb{R}^4 and $|\cdot|$ the associated norm, computed after the choice of normal coordinates. From now

on we also shall assume to fix a coordinate patch whenever necessary, all the results being independent from such a choice, as discussed after Theorem 8.2.4 in [32]. We remind the reader that, given a function $F : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, an element $k \in \mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{0\}$ is said to be of **rapid decrease** for F if there exists an open conical set V_k , i.e., an open set such that, if $p \in V_k$ then $\lambda p \in V_k$ for all $\lambda > 0$, such that, $V_k \ni k$ and, for every $n = 1, 2, \dots$, there exists $C_n \geq 0$ with $|F(p)| \leq C_n/(1 + |p|^n)$ for all $p \in V_k$.

Proposition 4.4. *Let us take $(x, k_x) \in \mathcal{N}_g$ such that (i) $x \in \mathcal{M} \setminus \mathcal{W}$ and (ii) the unique inextensible geodesic γ (co-)tangent to k_x at x intersects \mathcal{H} in a point whose U coordinate is non-negative. Let us also fix $\chi' \in C^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{R})$ with $\chi' = 1$ in $U \in (-\infty, U_0]$ and $\chi' = 0$ if $U \in [U_1, +\infty)$ for a constant value of $U_0 < U_1 < 0$.*

For any $f \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{M})$ with $f(x) = 1$ and sufficiently small support, k_x is a direction of rapid decrease for both $p \mapsto \|\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^{f_p}\|_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$ and $p \mapsto \|\chi' \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{f_p}\|_{\mathcal{H}}$.

The pre-announced lemma has a statement which closely mimics an important step in the analysis of the Hadamard form of two-point functions, first discussed in [50]. It establishes the the right-hand side of (4.10) can be further restricted.

Lemma 4.2. *Isolated singularities do not enter the wave-front set of Λ_U , namely*

$$(x, y, k_x, 0) \notin WF(\Lambda_U), \quad (x, y, 0, k_y) \notin WF(\Lambda_U)$$

$$\text{if } x, y \in \mathcal{M}, k_x \in T_x^* \mathcal{M}, k_y \in T_y^* \mathcal{M}.$$

Thus, as a consequence of (4.10), it holds

$$WF(\Lambda_U) \subset \mathcal{N}_g \times \mathcal{N}_g.$$

The next step in our proof consists of the analysis of $WF(\Lambda_U)$, in order to establish the validity of (4.9) with $=$ replaced by \subset . We shall tackle the cases which are left untreated by the statement of Proposition 4.3 in particular. As previously discussed, this suffices to conclude the proof of the Hadamard property for ω_U .

The remaining cases amount to the points in $WF(\Lambda_U)$ such that, in view of Lemma 4.2, $(x, y, k_x, k_y) \in \mathcal{N}_g \times \mathcal{N}_g$ with either x , either y or both in $\mathcal{M} \setminus \mathcal{W}$. Therefore, we shall divide the forthcoming analysis in two parts, **case A**, where only one point is in $\mathcal{M} \setminus \mathcal{W}$, and **case B**, where both lie in $\mathcal{M} \setminus \mathcal{W}$.

Case A. Let us consider an arbitrary $(x, y, k_x, k_y) \in \mathcal{N}_g \times \mathcal{N}_g$ which belongs to $WF(\Lambda_U)$ and such that $x \in \mathcal{M} \setminus \mathcal{W}$ and $y \in \mathcal{W}$, the symmetric case being treated analogously. If a representative of the equivalence class $B(x, k_x)$ has its basepoint in \mathcal{W} , (4.11) entails that the portion of $B(x, k_x) \times B(y, k_y)$ enclosed in $T^*(\mathcal{W} \times \mathcal{W})$ must belong to $WF(\Lambda_U|_{C_0^\infty(\mathcal{W} \times \mathcal{W}; \mathbb{C})})$ and, thus, it must have the shape stated in Proposition 4.3. Thanks to the uniqueness of a geodesic which passes through a point with a given (co-)tangent vector, it implies that $(x, k_x) \sim (y, -k_y)$ and $k_x \triangleright 0$ as wanted.

Let us consider the remaining subcase where no representative of $B(x, k_x)$ has a basepoint in \mathcal{W} . Our goal is to prove that, in this case, $(x, y, k_x, k_y) \notin WF(\Lambda_U)$ for every k_y . This will be established showing that there are two compactly supported smooth functions f and g with $f(x) = 1$ and $g(y) = 1$ such that (k_x, k_y) individuate directions of rapid decrease of $(p_x, p_y) \mapsto \Lambda_U((f e^{i\langle p_x, \cdot \rangle} \otimes h e^{i\langle p_y, \cdot \rangle})$.

If $B(x, k_k)$ does not meet \mathcal{W} , there must exist $(q, k_q) \in B(x, k_x)$, such that $q \in \mathcal{H}$ and the Kruskal null coordinate $U = U_q$ is non-negative. Let us consider, then, the two-point function

$$\Lambda_U(f \otimes h) = \Lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(f \otimes h) + \Lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(f \otimes h), \quad f, h \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{M}; \mathbb{R}),$$

where $\Lambda_{\mathcal{H}}$ and $\Lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$ are as in (4.8). If the supports of the chosen f and h are sufficiently small, we can always engineer a function $\chi \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H})$ in such a way that $\chi(U_q, \theta, \phi) = 1$ for all $(\theta, \phi) \in \mathbb{S}^2$ and $\chi = 0$ on $J^-(\text{supp } h)$ and \mathcal{H} . Furthermore, if we use a coordinate patch which identifies an open neighbourhood of $\text{supp}(f)$ with \mathbb{R}^4 and we set $\chi' \doteq 1 - \chi$, we can arrange a conical neighbourhood $\Gamma_{k_x} \in \mathbb{R}^4 \setminus \{0\}$ of k_x such that all the bicharacteristics $B(s, k_s)$ with $s \in \text{supp}(f)$ and $k_s \in \Gamma_{k_x}$ do not meet any point of $\text{supp}\chi'$ on \mathcal{H} . If we refer to (4.6), we can now divide $\Lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(f \otimes h)$ as:

$$\Lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(f \otimes h) = \lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\chi \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^f, \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^h) + \lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\chi' \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^f, \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^h),$$

and we separately analyse the behaviour of the following three contributions at large (k_x, k_y) :

$$\lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\chi \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{f_{k_x}}, \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{h_{k_y}}), \quad \lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\chi' \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{f_{k_x}}, \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{h_{k_y}}) \quad \text{and} \quad \lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^{f_{k_x}}, \varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^{h_{k_y}}). \tag{4.12}$$

Each of these should be seen as the action of a corresponding distribution in $\mathcal{D}'(\mathcal{M} \times \mathcal{M})$. The scenario, we face, is less complicated than it looks at first glance since we know that neither $(x, y, k_x, 0)$ nor $(x, y, 0, k_y)$ can be contained in $WF(\Lambda_U)$, as Lemma 4.2 yields. Hence this implies that, in

the splitting we are considering in (4.12), we can focus only on the points (x, y, k_x, k_y) where both k_x and k_y are not zero. If we were able to prove that these points are not contained in the wave front set of any of the three distributions (4.12), we could conclude that they cannot be contained in the wave front set of their sum Λ_U , because the wave front set of the sum of distributions is contained in the union of the wave front set of the single component. At the same time, the second and third distribution in the right-hand side of (4.12) turn out to be dominated by $C\|\chi'\varphi_{\mathcal{H}^+}^{f-k_x}\|_{\mathcal{H}^+}\|\varphi_{\mathcal{H}^+}^{h_{k_y}}\|_{\mathcal{H}^+}$ and $C'\|\varphi_{\mathcal{S}^-}^{f-k_x}\|_{\mathcal{S}^-}\|\varphi_{\mathcal{S}^-}^{h_{k_y}}\|_{\mathcal{S}^-}$, respectively, C and C' being suitable positive constants, whereas $\|\cdot\|_{\mathcal{H}^+}$ and $\|\cdot\|_{\mathcal{S}^-}$ stand for the norm (3.8) and (3.19). This is a by-product of the continuity property presented in points (f) of both Propositions 3.4 and 3.8, here adapted for complex functions, too. Furthermore, per Proposition 4.4, both $\|\chi'\varphi_{\mathcal{H}^+}^{f-k_x}\|_{\mathcal{H}^+}$ and $\|\varphi_{\mathcal{S}^-}^{f-k_x}\|_{\mathcal{S}^-}$ are rapidly decreasing in $k_x \in T^*\mathcal{M} \setminus \{0\}$ for an f with sufficiently small support and if k_x is in a open conical neighbourhood of any null direction. The remaining two terms $\|\varphi_{\mathcal{H}^+}^{h_{k_y}}\|_{\mathcal{H}^+}$ and $\|\varphi_{\mathcal{S}^-}^{h_{k_y}}\|_{\mathcal{S}^-}$, in (4.12), can at most grow polynomially in k_y . The last property can be proved as follows: if one starts from the bounds for the behaviour of the wavefunctions restricted to on \mathcal{H}^- and \mathcal{S}^- , as per Proposition 2.1, one can estimate the norms $\|\varphi_{\mathcal{S}^-}^{h_{k_y}}\|_{\mathcal{S}^-}$, $\|\varphi_{\mathcal{H}^+}^{h_{k_y}}\|_{\mathcal{H}^+}$ embodying the dependence on k_y in the explicit expression of the coefficients C_i which appear in Proposition 2.1. Then, out of an argument similar to the one exploited in the proof of Proposition 4.4, for fixed k_y and h , those coefficients can be bounded by $C\sqrt{|\tilde{E}_5(\varphi^{h_{k_y}})|}$ as in (C.20), where $\tilde{E}_5(\varphi^{h_{k_y}})$ is the integral of a polynomial of derivatives of $\varphi^{h_{k_y}}$ on a suitable Cauchy surface $\Sigma \subset \mathcal{W}$. Notice that $\varphi^{h_{k_y}}(z) = (E_{P_g}(h_{k_y}))(z)$ is smooth, has compact support when restricted on a Cauchy surface, and together with the compact supports of its derivatives are contained in a common compact subset $K \subset \Sigma$. One can exploit the continuity of the causal propagator E_{P_g} , to conclude that, for every fixed multi-index α , $\sup_K |\partial^\alpha E_{P_g}(h_{k_y})|$ is bounded by a corresponding polynomial in the absolute values of the components of k_y . The coefficients are the supremum of derivatives of $h \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{M}; \mathbb{R})$ up to a certain order. This implies immediately that $\tilde{E}_5(\varphi^{h_{k_y}})$, as well as $\|\varphi_{\mathcal{S}^-}^{h_{k_y}}\|_{\mathcal{S}^-}$, $\|\varphi_{\mathcal{H}^+}^{h_{k_y}}\|_{\mathcal{H}^+}$ are polynomially bounded in k_y , also because the computation of $\tilde{E}_5(\varphi^{h_{k_y}})$ has to be performed on a compact set $K \subset \Sigma$.

We now remind the reader that we have identified $\mathcal{K} \times \mathcal{K}$ with $\mathbb{R}^4 \times \mathbb{R}^4$ by means of a suitable pair of coordinate frames. Hence cotangent vectors at different points x and y can be thought of as elements of the same \mathbb{R}^4 and, hence, compared. This allows us to define the following open cone in

\mathbb{R}^4 , $\Gamma \subset \mathbb{R}^4 \times \mathbb{R}^4$, i.e., with $0 < \epsilon < 1$,

$$\Gamma_{k_x} = \left\{ (p_x, p_y) \in \mathbb{R}^4 \times \mathbb{R}^4 \mid \epsilon |p_x| < |p_y| < \frac{1}{\epsilon} |p_x|, -p_x \in U_{-k_x} \right\}, \quad (4.13)$$

where U_{k_x} is an open cone around the null vector $k_x \neq 0$ where $p \mapsto \|\chi' \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{f_{p_x}}\|_{\mathcal{H}^-}^\eta$ and $p \mapsto \|\varphi_{\mathbb{S}^-}^{f_{p_x}}\|_{\mathbb{S}^-}$ decrease rapidly. Hence, per construction, for any direction (k_x, k_y) with both $k_x \neq 0$ and $k_y \neq 0$ of null type, there is a cone Γ_{k_x} containing it. Moreover, all the directions contained in Γ_{k_x} are of rapid decrease for both $\lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\chi \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{f_{k_x}}, \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{h_{k_y}})$ and $\lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\chi' \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{f_{k_x}}, \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{h_{k_y}})$ because, just in view of the shape of Γ_{k_x} , the rapid decrease of $\|\chi' \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{f_{-p_x}}\|_{\mathcal{H}}$ and $\|\varphi_{\mathbb{S}^-}^{f_{-p_x}}\|_{\mathbb{S}^-}$ controls the polynomial growth in $|p_y|$ of $\|\varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{h_{p_y}}\|_{\mathcal{H}}$ and $\|\varphi_{\mathbb{S}^-}^{h_{p_y}}\|_{\mathbb{S}^-}$, respectively.

We are thus left off only with the first term in (4.12) and, also in this case, if the support of f and h are chosen sufficiently small, $\lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\chi \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{f_{k_x}}, \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{h_{k_y}})$ can be shown to be rapidly decreasing in both k_x and k_y . To this end, let us thus choose $\chi'' \in C^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{R})$ such that both $\chi''(p) = 1$ for every p in $\text{supp}(\varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{h_{k_y}})$ (also for every k_y) and $\chi'' \cap \chi = \emptyset$. We can write

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\chi \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{f_{k_x}}, \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{h_{k_y}}) &= \int_{\mathcal{H} \times \mathcal{H}} \chi(x') (E_{P_g}(f_{k_x}))(x') T(x', y') \chi''(y') \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{h_{k_y}}(y') \\ &\quad \times dU_{x'} d\mathbb{S}^2(\theta_{x'}, \phi_{x'}) dU_{y'} d\mathbb{S}^2(\theta_{y'}, \phi_{y'}) \end{aligned}$$

Theorem 8.2.14 of [32] guarantees us that

$$(x', y', k_{x'}, k_{y'}) \notin WF((T\chi'') \circ (\chi E_{P_g} \upharpoonright_{\mathcal{H}})) \quad \forall (y', k_{y'}) \in T^* \mathcal{M},$$

where T is the integral kernel of $\lambda_{\mathcal{H}}$ seen as a distribution on $\mathcal{D}'(\mathcal{H} \times \mathcal{H})$, while \circ stands for the composition on \mathcal{H} with E_{P_g} on the left of T . Finally $E_{P_g} \upharpoonright_{\mathcal{H}}$ means that the left entry of the causal propagator has been restricted on the horizon \mathcal{H} , an allowed operation thanks to Theorem 8.2.4 in [32]. One can convince himself, out of a direct construction, that the set of normals associated to the map embedding \mathcal{H} in \mathcal{M} does not intersect the wave front set of E_{P_g} . The integral kernel of $(\chi T \chi'')(x', y')$, with the entry x' restricted on the support of χ and the entry y' restricted on that of χ'' , moreover, is always smooth and, if one keeps x' fixed, it is dominated by a smooth function whose H^1 -norm in y' is, uniformly in x' , finite. This also yields that, the $H^1(\mathcal{H})_{\cup}$ -norm of $\|(T\chi'') \circ \chi E_{P_g} f_{k_x}\|_{H^1(\mathcal{H})_{\cup}}$ is dominated by the product of two integrals one over x' and one over y' . The presence of the compactly supported function χ and the absence of points of the form $(x, y, k_x, 0)$ and

$(y, x, 0, k_y)$ in $WF(E_{P_g})$ assures that the integral kernel of $\chi T \chi''$ is rapidly decreasing in k_x . Summing up we have that

$$|\lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\chi \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{f_{k_x}}, \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{h_{k_y}})| \leq C \|((T \chi'') \circ (\chi E_{P_g})) (f_{-k_x})\|_{H^1(\mathcal{H} \cap U)} \|\varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{h_{k_y}}\|_{\mathcal{H}}, \quad (4.14)$$

where the second norm in the right-hand side is given in (3.8). This bound proves that, for a fixed k_y , $k_x \rightarrow \lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\chi \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{f_{k_x}}, \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{h_{k_y}})$ is rapidly decreasing.

To conclude, if we look again at (4.14) and if we introduce a cone as in (4.13), out of Lemma 4.2, we can control the (at most) polynomial growth of $\|\varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{h_{k_y}}\|_{\mathcal{H}}$ using the rapidly decreasing map $k_x \mapsto \|((T \chi'') \circ (\chi E_{P_g})) (f_{-k_x})\|_{H^1(\mathcal{H} \cap U)}$. Hence we establish that (k_x, k_y) is a direction of fast decreasing of $\lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\chi \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{f_{k_x}}, \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{h_{k_y}})$.

Case B. We shall now tackle the case in which we consider an arbitrary but fixed $(x, y, k_x, k_y) \in \mathcal{N}_g \times \mathcal{N}_g$, with both x and y lying $\mathcal{M} \setminus \mathcal{W}$.

If one assumes that $(x, y, k_x, k_y) \in WF(\Lambda_U)$ we have to prove that both $(x, k_x) \sim (y, -k_y)$ and $k_x \triangleright 0$ have to be valid. If $B(x, k_x)$ and $B(y, k_y)$ are such that both admit representatives in \mathcal{W} , we make use of both (4.11) and of the fact that elements in the wavefront set of the restriction of Λ_U to \mathcal{W} fulfils $(x', k'_{x'}) \sim (y', -k'_{y'})$ and $k'_{x'} \triangleright 0$. Hence one extends this property to (x, y, k_x, k_y) following the same reasoning as the one at the beginning of the *Case A*. If, instead, only one representative, either of $B(x, k_x)$ or of $B(y, k_y)$ lies in \mathcal{W} , then we fall back in *Case A* studied above again thanks to (4.11). Thus, we need only to establish the wanted behaviour of the wave front set when it is possible to find representatives of both $B(x, k_x)$ and $B(y, k_y)$ which intersect \mathcal{H} at a non-negative value of U . We shall follow a procedure similar to the one already employed in [42].

In this framework, let us consider the following decomposition of $\Lambda_U(\varphi^{f_{k_x}} \otimes \varphi^{h_{k_y}})$:

$$\lambda_U(\varphi^{f_{k_x}}, \varphi^{h_{k_y}}) = \lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\varphi^{f_{k_x}}, \varphi^{h_{k_y}}) + \lambda_{\mathcal{S}^-}(\varphi^{f_{k_x}}, \varphi^{h_{k_y}}),$$

where $f, h \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{M})$ and they attain the value 1 respectively at the point x and y .

As before, we start decomposing the first term in the preceding expression by means of a partition of unit χ, χ' on \mathcal{H} , where $\chi, \chi' \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H})$ satisfy $\chi + \chi' = 1 : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$. We obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(f_{k_x}, h_{k_y}) &= \lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\chi \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{f_{k_x}}, \chi \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{h_{k_y}}) + \lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\chi' \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{f_{k_x}}, \chi \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{h_{k_y}}) \\ &\quad + \lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\chi \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{f_{k_x}}, \chi' \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{h_{k_y}}) + \lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\chi' \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{f_{k_x}}, \chi' \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{h_{k_y}}). \end{aligned} \quad (4.15)$$

Furthermore, the above functions χ, χ' can be engineered in such a way that the inextensible null geodesics γ_x and γ_y , which starts respectively at x and y with cotangent vectors k_x and k_y , intersect \mathcal{H} in u_x and u_y (possibly $u_x = u_y$), respectively, included in two corresponding open neighbourhoods O_x and O_y (possibly $O_x = O_y$) where χ' vanishes. Let us start from the first term in the right-hand side of (4.15) and, particularly, we shall focus on the wave front set of the unique extension of $f \otimes g \mapsto \lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\chi\varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^f, \chi\varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^h)$ to a distribution in $\mathcal{D}'(\mathcal{M} \times \mathcal{M})$. If we indicate as T the integral kernel of $\lambda_{\mathcal{H}}$, interpreted as distribution of $\mathcal{D}'(\mathcal{H} \times \mathcal{H})$, we notice that, as an element in $\mathcal{D}'(\mathcal{M} \times \mathcal{M})$, $\lambda_{\mathcal{H}}$ can be written as:

$$\lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\chi\varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^f, \chi\varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^h) \doteq \chi T \chi (E_{P_g} \upharpoonright_{\mathcal{H}} \otimes E_{P_g} \upharpoonright_{\mathcal{H}} (f \otimes h)),$$

where $E_{P_g} \upharpoonright_{\mathcal{H}}$ is the causal propagator with one entry restricted on the horizon \mathcal{H} and $\chi T \chi \in \mathcal{E}'(\mathcal{H} \times \mathcal{H})$. Thanks to the insertion of the compactly supported smooth functions χ , and with the knowledge that $WF(E_{P_g} \otimes E_{P_g})_{\mathcal{H} \times \mathcal{H}} = \emptyset$ (see [42]), we can make sense of the previous expression as an application of Theorem 8.2.13 in [32], of which we also employ the notation. The wave front set of T has been already explicitly written in Lemma 4.4 of [42] and, hence, still Theorem 8.2.13 in [32] guarantees us that if (x, y, k_x, k_y) is contained in the wave front set of the resulting distribution then $(x, k_x) \sim (y, -k_y)$ and $k_x \triangleright 0$ hold.

If we come back to the remaining terms in (4.15), it is possible to show that all of them, together with $\lambda_{\mathbb{S}^-}$ are rapidly decreasing in both k_x and k_y , provided that f and h have sufficiently small support. Hence they give no contribution to $WF(\Lambda_U)$.

Here we analyse in details only the second term in (4.15) since the others can be treated exactly in the same way. To start with, notice that, due to (f) in proposition 3.4 $|\lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\chi' \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{fk_x}, \chi \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{hk_y})|$ is bounded by $C \|\chi' \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{fk_x}\|_{\mathcal{H}^-} \|\chi \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{hk_y}\|_{\mathcal{H}}$, where $\|\cdot\|_{\mathcal{H}}$ is the norm introduced in (3.8) and $C > 0$ is a constant. Due to Proposition 4.4, $\|\chi' \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{fk_x}\|_{\mathcal{H}}$ is rapidly decreasing in k_x for some f with sufficiently small support. Finally, the rapid decrease of $\|\chi \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{f-k_x}\|_{\mathcal{H}}$ can control the at-most polynomial growth of $\|\chi \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{hk_y}\|_{\mathcal{H}}$, as discussed above in the analysis of (4.12) using the fact that $(x, y, k_x, 0)$ and $(x, y, 0, k_y)$ cannot be contained in the wave front set of Λ_U ; this leads to the construction of the open cone Γ_{k_x} .

If we collect all the pieces of information we have got about the shape of Λ_U , we can state that:

$$WF(\Lambda_U) \subset \{(x, y, k_x, k_y) \in T^*(\mathcal{M} \times \mathcal{M}) \setminus \{0\}, (x, k_x) \sim (y, -k_y), k_x \triangleright 0\}$$

and this concludes the proof.

To conclude this section we have an important remark on the physical interpretation of ω_U , that arises if one combines the results presented above, on the Hadamard property fulfilled by ω_U in the *full region* \mathcal{M} , together with the known achievements due to Fredenhagen and Haag [25] (see also the discussion Section VIII.3 in [27]). In such paper the authors showed that, whenever a state ω' is vacuum like far away from the black hole, its two-point function $\Lambda'(x, x')$ tends to zero when the spatial separation between x and x' tends to infinity and whenever it is of Hadamard form in a neighbourhood of \mathcal{H}_{ev} , then, towards future infinity, the Hawking radiation appears. More precisely, if h is a compactly supported smooth function supported far away from the black hole, they show that, for positive large values of T , the expectation value of $\Lambda'(\beta_T^X(h), \beta_T^X(h))$, interpreted as the response of a detector, is composed by two contributions. One relates the signals received by outward directed detectors (looking away from the collapsed star) and such contribution is completely due to the Boulware vacuum. The other one takes, instead, the approximated form

$$\sum_{l,m} \int_{\mathbb{R}} d\epsilon \frac{|D_\ell(\epsilon)|^2}{\epsilon(e^{\epsilon\beta_H} - 1)} |\tilde{h}_{lm}(\epsilon)|^2 \quad (4.16)$$

valid at positive large T and assuming that the support of h stays in a region $r \gg R > 0$. Above $|D_\ell(\epsilon)|^2$ is the (gravitational) barrier penetration factor at energy ϵ . Furthermore $|\tilde{h}_{lm}(\epsilon)|^2$ is the sensitivity of the detector to quanta of energy ϵ and to angular momentum individuated by the quantum numbers l and m , found employing an approximated mode decomposition as displayed in equation (VIII.3.45) of [27]. Formula (4.16) shows that the asymptotic counting rate is the one produced by an outgoing flux of radiation at temperature $1/\beta_H$ modified by the barrier penetration effect.

We stress that, as ω_U is of Hadamard form on \mathcal{M} , the Fredenhagen–Haag’s result can be applied to the Unruh state, proving that it describes the appearance of the Hawking radiation near \mathfrak{S}^+ as described in (4.16). Here, the splitting of $\Lambda_U(\beta_T^{(X)}(h), \beta_T^{(X)}(h))$ in the two contributions $\Lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\beta_T^{(X)}(h), \beta_T^{(X)}(h))$, due to \mathcal{H} and $\Lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(\beta_T^{(X)}(h), \beta_T^{(X)}(h))$ due to \mathfrak{S}^- is already embodied in the very construction of ω_U as $\omega_{\mathcal{H}} \otimes \omega_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$. Furthermore, they coincide separately with the two terms surviving in the limit $T \rightarrow +\infty$ according to the analysis given in [25]. This last extent can be shown by invariance of ω_U under $\beta^{(X)}$, hence moving towards the past the Cauchy surface used in [25], instead of moving the support of h towards the future. In the limit $T \rightarrow +\infty$, the contribution due to \mathcal{H} , gives rise to the expression (4.13) in [25] in particular. Finally, one can follow almost slavishly the very steps of [25], which are based on the asymptotic behaviour of the solutions of the Klein–Gordon equation in \mathcal{W} , to get (4.16).

As a last comment, we emphasize that this result is stable under perturbations of the state ω_U that involve only modification of $\omega_{\mathcal{H}}$ in such a way that its integral kernel, seen as an hermitian map on $\mathbb{S}(\mathcal{H})$, differs from the one of $\lambda_{\mathcal{H}}$ in (3.3) by a smooth function on $\mathcal{H} \times \mathcal{H}$, integrable in the product measure $(dU \wedge dS^2) \wedge (dU' \wedge dS'^2)$. Let us indicate by ω'' the perturbed state and by Λ'' its two-point function, which is supposed to be a well defined distribution in $\mathcal{D}'(\mathcal{M} \times \mathcal{M})$; per direct application of Lebesgue's dominated convergence theorem, one finds that the contribution due to the perturbation vanishes at large T under the action of $\beta_T^{(X)}$, so that:

$$\lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \Lambda''(\beta_T^{(X)} f \otimes \beta_T^{(X)} h) = \Lambda_U(f \otimes h), \quad f, h \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{W}).$$

This is tantamount to claim that, for large positive values of T , ω'' tends weakly to the Unruh state. In other words, far in the future, the effects seen in ω'' coincide with those shown in ω_U , hence the Hawking radiation also appears in the perturbed state.

5 Conclusions

In this paper we employed a bulk-to-boundary reconstruction procedure to rigorously and unambiguously construct and characterise on \mathcal{M} (i.e., the static joined with the black hole region of Schwarzschild spacetime, event horizon included) the so-called Unruh state ω_U . Such state plays the role of natural candidate to be used in the quantum description of the radiation arising during a stellar collapse. Furthermore we proved that ω_U fulfils the so-called Hadamard condition, hence it can be considered a genuine ground state for a massless scalar field theory living on the considered background. Overall, the achieved result can be seen as a novel combination of earlier approaches [20–22, 42] with the theorems proved in [49] as well as with the powerful results obtained by Rodnianski and Dafermos in [16, 17, 19].

Therefore we can safely claim that it is now possible to employ the Unruh vacuum in order to use the analysis in [25] as a starting point, to study quantum effects such as the role of the back reaction of Hawking's radiation, a phenomenon that was almost always discarded as negligible.

At the same time it would be certainly interesting to try to enhance the results of this paper since, as one can readily infer from the main body of the manuscript, ω_U has been here constructed only on \mathcal{M} . It is worth stressing that it is, however, possible to extend ω_U to the whole Kruskal manifold following our induction procedure, defining a further part of the state on \mathbb{S}_L^+ . The obtained state on the whole Weyl algebra $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{K})$ would be invariant

under the group of Killing isometries generated by X and without zero modes, if one refers to the one-parameter group of isometries. The problem with this extension is related with the Hadamard constraint. Indeed, we do not expect that this extension is of Hadamard form on \mathcal{H} , due to a theoretical obstruction beyond Candelas' remarks [13]. In view of the uniqueness and KMS-property theorem proved in [38] for a large class of spacetimes including the Kruskal one, the validity of the Hadamard property on the whole spacetime together with the invariance under X and the absence of zero-modes imply that the state is unique on a certain enlarged algebra of observables \mathcal{A} on \mathcal{H} . Furthermore it coincides with a KMS state with respect to the Killing vector X at the Hawking temperature, *i.e.* it must be the Hartle–Hawking state for a certain subalgebra of observables $\mathcal{A}_{0I} \subset \mathcal{A}$ supported in the wedge \mathcal{W} . These algebras are obtained out of a two steps approach. At first one enlarges $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{H})$ to \mathcal{A} , whose Weyl generators are smeared with both the standard solutions of KG equation with compactly supported Cauchy data in \mathcal{H} and a certain class of weak solutions of the same equation. Afterwards one restricts this enlarged algebra to a certain subalgebra of observables \mathcal{A}_{0I} supported in \mathcal{W} , in a suitable sense related with the properties of the supports of the smearing distributions across the Killing horizon. With respect to our state we know that the KMS property is not verified in a neighbourhood of \mathfrak{S}^- , so we do not expect that any extension of that state satisfies there the KMS property. Nonetheless the issue is not completely clear since the extension we are discussing and the failure of the KMS condition are both referred to $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{W})$ rather than \mathcal{A}_{0I} . Hence further investigations in such direction would be desirable.

A further and certainly enticing possible line of research consists of using the very same approach discussed in this paper in order both to rigorously define the very Hartle–Hawking state and to prove its Hadamard property; although, from a physical perspective, this is certainly a very interesting problem, from a mathematical perspective, it amounts to an enhancement of the peeling behaviours for the solutions of the Klein–Gordon equation discussed by Rodnianski and Dafermos, also beyond what recently achieved in [39]. Although there is no proof that the obtained ones are sharp conditions, the high degree of mathematical specialisation, needed to obtain the present results, certainly makes the proposed programme a challenging line of research, which we hope to tackle in future papers.

As an overall final remark, it is important stress that all our results are only valid for the massless case, since the massive one suffers of a potential sever obstruction which is the same as the one pointed out in [20]. To wit it appears impossible to directly project on null infinity a solution of the massive wave equation and, hence, the problem must be circumvented with

alternative means, as it has been done, for example, in Minkowski spacetime in [14]. A potential solution of this puzzle in the Schwarzschild background would be certainly desirable.

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Appendix A Further details on the geometric setup

In this paper, the extension of the underlying background to include null infinities as well as a region beyond them, plays a pivotal role and we shall now dwell into a few more details. To this end, one purely follows [52] and rescales the global metric g in (2.4) by a factor $1/r^2$ after which one can notice that the obtained manifold $(\mathcal{M}, g/r^2)$ admits a smooth larger extension $(\widetilde{\mathcal{M}}, \widetilde{g})$. We have to notice that, in this case, the singularity present at $r = 0$ in (\mathcal{M}, g) is pushed at infinity in the sense that the non-null geodesics takes an infinite amount of affine parameter to reach a point situated at $r = 0$. The extension of $(\widetilde{\mathcal{M}}, \widetilde{g})$ obtained in this way does not cover the sets indicated as i^\pm and i_0 in Figures 1 and 2, though it includes the boundaries \mathfrak{S}^\pm , called **future** and **past null infinity**, respectively. These represent subsets of $\widetilde{\mathcal{M}}$ which are null 3-submanifold of $\widetilde{\mathcal{M}}$ formally localised at $r = +\infty$.

Let us now examine the form of the rescaled extended metric restricted to the Killing horizon \mathcal{H} as well as to the null infinities \mathfrak{S}^\pm . Per direct inspection, one finds that, if one fixes $\Omega \doteq 2V$, which vanishes on \mathcal{H} ,

$$\widetilde{g}|_{\mathcal{H}} = r_{\mathfrak{S}}^2 (-d\Omega \otimes dU - dU \otimes d\Omega + h_{\mathfrak{S}^2}(\theta, \phi)).$$

In this case $V \in \mathbb{R}$ is the complete affine parameter of the null \widetilde{g} -geodesics generating \mathcal{H} and \mathcal{H} itself is obtained setting $U = 0$. This form of the metric is called **geodetically complete Bondi form**.

The same structure occurs on \mathfrak{S}^+ , formally individuated by $v = +\infty$ and on \mathfrak{S}^- , formally individuated by $u = -\infty$, where the metric \widetilde{g} has still a

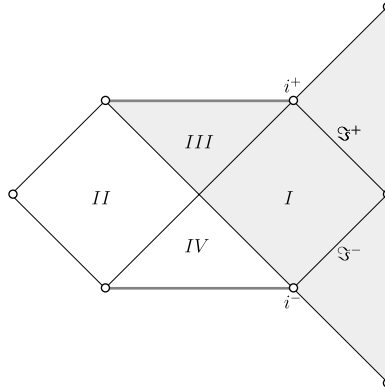


Figure 2: The Kruskal spacetime \mathcal{K} is the union of the open regions I , II , III and IV including their common boundaries. \mathcal{M} is the union of I and III including the common boundary \mathcal{H}_{ev} . The conformal extension $\tilde{\mathcal{M}}$ of \mathcal{M} beyond \mathfrak{S}^+ and \mathfrak{S}^- is the grey region. The thick lines denote the metric singularities at $r = 0$.

geodetically complete Bondi form, namely

$$\tilde{g}|_{\mathfrak{S}^+} = -d\Omega \otimes du - du \otimes d\Omega + h_{\mathbb{S}^2}(\theta, \phi),$$

where $\Omega \doteq -2/v$ individuates \mathfrak{S}^+ for $\Omega = 0$. Similarly

$$\tilde{g}|_{\mathfrak{S}^-} = -d\Omega \otimes dv - dv \otimes d\Omega + h_{\mathbb{S}^2}(\theta, \phi),$$

where $\Omega \doteq -2/u$ individuates \mathfrak{S}^+ for $\Omega = 0$

$$X = \partial_u \text{ on } \mathfrak{S}^+, \quad X = \partial_v \text{ on } \mathfrak{S}^-.$$

In both cases the coordinates u and v are well defined and they coincide with the complete affine parameters of the null \tilde{g} -geodesics forming \mathfrak{S}^+ and \mathfrak{S}^- respectively.

With respect to Killing symmetries, we notice that the g -Killing vector X is also a Killing vector for \tilde{g} and it extends to a \tilde{g} -Killing vector X defined on $\tilde{\mathcal{M}}$. Particularly, in $\partial\tilde{\mathcal{M}}$ it satisfies

$$X = \partial_u \text{ on } \mathfrak{S}^+, \quad X = \partial_v \text{ on } \mathfrak{S}^-.$$

Appendix B Weyl algebras, quasifree states, KMS condition

A C^* -algebra $\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{S})$ is called **Weyl algebra** associated with a (real) symplectic space (\mathbf{S}, σ) (the symplectic form σ being non-degenerate) if it contains a class of non-vanishing elements $W(\psi)$ for all $\psi \in \mathbf{S}$, called **Weyl generators**, which satisfy **Weyl relations**³:

$$(W1) \ W(-\psi) = W(\psi)^*, \quad (W2) \ W(\psi)W(\psi') = e^{i\sigma(\psi, \psi')/2}W(\psi + \psi').$$

$\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{S})$ coincides with the closure of the $*$ -algebra (finitely) generated by Weyl generators. As a consequence of (W1) and (W2), one gets: $W(0) = \mathbb{I}$ (the unit element), $W(\psi)^* = W(\psi)^{-1}$, $\|W(\psi)\| = 1$ and, out of the non-degenerateness of σ , $W(\psi) = W(\psi')$ iff $\psi = \psi'$.

$\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{S})$ is *uniquely* determined by (\mathbf{S}, σ) (theorem 5.2.8 in [6]): Two different realizations admit a unique $*$ -isomorphism which transform the former into the latter, preserving Weyl generators, and the norm on $\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{S})$ is unique, since $*$ isomorphisms of C^* -algebras are isometric. This result implies that every GNS $*$ -representation of a Weyl algebra is always faithful and isometric. It is also worth mentioning that, per construction, any GNS $*$ -representation of a Weyl algebra is such that the generators are always represented by unitary operators, but it is not the case for other $*$ -representations in Hilbert spaces.

$\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{S})$ can always be realized in terms of bounded operators on $\ell^2(\mathbf{S})$, viewing \mathbf{S} as a Abelian group and defining the generators as $(W(\psi)F)(\psi') \doteq e^{-i\sigma(\psi, \psi')/2}F(\psi + \psi')$ for every $F \in \ell^2(\mathbf{S})$. In this realization (and thus in every realization) it turns out that the generators $W(\psi)$ are *linearly independent*. A state ω on $\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{S})$, with GNS triple $(\mathfrak{H}_\omega, \Pi_\omega, \Omega_\omega)$, is called **regular** if the maps $\mathbb{R} \ni t \mapsto \Pi_\omega(W(t\psi))$ are strongly continuous. In general, strong continuity of the unitary group implementing a $*$ -automorphism representation β of a topological group $G \ni g \mapsto \beta_g$ for a β -invariant state ω on a Weyl algebra $\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{S})$, is equivalent to $\lim_{g \rightarrow \mathbb{I}} \omega(W(-\psi)\beta_g W(\psi)) = 1$ for all $\psi \in \mathbf{S}$. The proof follows immediately from $\|\Pi_\omega(\beta_{g'} W(\psi))\Omega_\omega - \Pi_\omega(\beta_g W(\psi))\Omega_\omega\|^2 = 2 - \omega(W(-\psi)\beta_{g'-1_g} W(\psi)) - \omega(W(-\psi)\beta_{g-1_{g'}} W(\psi))$ and $\overline{\Pi_\omega(\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{S}))\Omega_\omega} = \mathfrak{H}_\omega$.

If ω is regular, in accordance with Stone theorem, one can write $\Pi_\omega(W(\psi)) = e^{i\sigma(\psi, \Phi_\omega)}$, $\sigma(\psi, \Phi_\omega)$ being the (self-adjoint) **field operator symplectically-smearred** with ψ .

³Notice that in [38] a different convention for the sign of σ in (W2) is employed.

When $\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{S}) = \mathcal{W}(\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{N}))$ is the Weyl algebra on the space of Klein-Gordon equation solutions as in Section 2.2, the field operator $\Phi_\omega(f)$ introduced in that section, smeared with smooth compactly supported functions $f \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{N}; \mathbb{R})$, is related with $\sigma(\psi, \Phi_\omega)$ by

$$\Phi_\omega(f) \doteq \sigma(E_{P_g}(f), \Phi_\omega) \quad \text{for all } f \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{N}; \mathbb{R}),$$

where we exploit the notations used in Section 2.2. In this way, the field operators enter the theory in the Weyl algebra scenario. At a formal level, Stone theorem together with (W2) imply both \mathbb{R} -linearity and the standard CCR:

$$\begin{aligned} (L) \quad & \sigma(a\psi + b\psi', \Phi_\omega) = a\sigma(\psi, \Phi_\omega) + b\sigma(\psi', \Phi_\omega), \\ (CCR) \quad & [\sigma(\psi, \Phi_\omega), \sigma(\psi', \Phi_\omega)] = -i\sigma(\psi, \psi')I, \end{aligned}$$

for $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ and $\psi, \psi' \in \mathbf{S}$. Actually (L) and (CCR) hold rigorously in an invariant dense set of analytic vectors by Lemma 5.2.12 in [6] (it holds if ω is quasifree by Proposition B.1).

In the standard approach of QFT, based on bosonic real scalar field operators Φ , either a vector or a density matrix state are *quasifree* if the associated n -point functions satisfy (i) $\langle \sigma(\psi, \Phi) \rangle = 0$ for all $\psi \in \mathbf{S}$ and (ii) the n -point functions $\langle \sigma(\psi_1, \Phi) \cdots \sigma(\psi_n, \Phi) \rangle$ are determined from the functions $\langle \sigma(\psi_i, \Phi) \sigma(\psi_j, \Phi) \rangle$, with $i, j = 1, 2, \dots, n$, using standard Wick's expansion. A technically different but substantially equivalent definition, completely based on the Weyl algebra was presented in [38]. It relies on the following three observations: (a) if one works formally with (i) and (ii), one finds that it holds $\langle e^{i\sigma(\psi, \Phi)} \rangle = e^{-\langle \sigma(\psi, \Phi) \sigma(\psi, \Phi) \rangle / 2}$. In turn, at least formally, such identity determines the n -point functions by Stone theorem and (W2). (b) From (CCR) it holds $\langle \sigma(\psi, \Phi) \sigma(\psi', \Phi) \rangle = \mu(\psi, \psi') - (i/2)\sigma(\psi, \psi')$, where $\mu(\psi, \psi')$ is the symmetrised two-point function $(1/2)(\langle \sigma(\psi, \Phi) \sigma(\psi', \Phi) \rangle + \langle \sigma(\psi', \Phi) \sigma(\psi, \Phi) \rangle)$ which defines a symmetric positive-semidefined bilinear form on \mathbf{S} . (c) $\langle A^\dagger A \rangle \geq 0$ for elements $A \doteq [e^{i\sigma(\psi, \Phi)} - I] + i[e^{i\sigma(\psi, \Phi)} - I]$ entails:

$$|\sigma(\psi, \psi')|^2 \leq 4 \mu(\psi, \psi) \mu(\psi', \psi'), \quad \text{for every } \psi, \psi' \in \mathbf{S}, \quad (\text{B.1})$$

which, in turn, implies that μ is *strictly positive defined* because σ is non-degenerate. If one reverses the procedure, the general definition of quasifree states on Weyl algebras is the following.

Definition B.1. Let $\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{S})$ be a Weyl algebra and μ a real scalar product on \mathbf{S} satisfying (B.1). A state ω_μ on $\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{S})$ is called the **quasifree state**

associated with μ if

$$\omega_\mu(W(\psi)) \doteq e^{-\mu(\psi,\psi)/2}, \quad \text{for all } \psi \in \mathbf{S}.$$

The following technical lemma is useful to illustrate the GNS triple of a quasifree state as established in the subsequent theorem. The last statement in the lemma arises out of the Cauchy–Schwarz inequality and the remaining part out of Proposition 3.1 in [38].

Lemma B.1. *Let \mathbf{S} be a real symplectic space with σ non-degenerate and μ a real scalar product on \mathbf{S} fulfilling (B.1). There exists a complex Hilbert space \mathbf{H}_μ and a map $K_\mu : \mathbf{S} \rightarrow \mathbf{H}_\mu$ with:*

- (i) K_μ is \mathbb{R} -linear with dense complexified range, i.e. $\overline{K_\mu(\mathbf{S}) + iK_\mu(\mathbf{S})} = \mathbf{H}_\mu$,
- (ii) for all $\psi, \psi' \in \mathbf{S}$, $\langle K_\mu\psi, K_\mu\psi' \rangle = \mu(\psi, \psi') - (i/2)\sigma(\psi, \psi')$.

Conversely, if the pair (\mathbf{H}, K) satisfies (i) and $\sigma(\psi, \psi') = -2\text{Im}\langle K\psi, K\psi' \rangle_{\mathbf{H}}$, with $\psi, \psi' \in \mathbf{S}$, the unique real scalar product μ on \mathbf{S} satisfying (ii) verifies (B.1).

An existence theorem for quasifree states can be proved using the lemma above with the following proposition relying on Lemma A.2, Proposition 3.1 and a comment on p.77 in [38]).

Proposition B.1. *For every μ as in Definition B.1 the following hold.*

- (a) *There exists a unique quasifree state ω_μ associated with μ and it is regular.*
- (b) *The GNS triple $(\mathfrak{H}_{\omega_\mu}, \Pi_{\omega_\mu}, \Omega_{\omega_\mu})$ is determined as follows with respect to (\mathbf{H}_μ, K_μ) as in Lemma B.1. (i) $\mathfrak{H}_{\omega_\mu}$ is the symmetric Fock space with one-particle space \mathbf{H}_μ . (ii) The cyclic vector Ω_{ω_μ} is the vacuum vector of $\mathfrak{H}_{\omega_\mu}$. (iii) Π_{ω_μ} is determined by $\Pi_{\omega_\mu}(W(\psi)) = e^{i\overline{\sigma(\psi, \Phi_{\omega_\mu})}}$, the bar denoting the closure, where⁴*

$$\sigma(\psi, \Phi_{\omega_\mu}) \doteq ia(K_\mu\psi) - ia^\dagger(K_\mu\psi), \quad \text{for all } \psi \in \mathbf{S}$$

$a(\phi)$ and $a^\dagger(\phi)$, $\phi \in \mathbf{H}_\mu$, being the usual annihilation (antilinear in ϕ) and creation operators defined in the dense linear manifold spanned by the states with finite number of particles.

⁴The field operator $\Phi(f)$, with f in the complex Hilbert space \mathfrak{h} , used in [6] in Propositions 5.2.3 and 5.2.4 is related to $\sigma(\psi, \Phi)$ by means of $\sigma(\psi, \Phi) = \sqrt{2}\Phi(iK_\mu\psi)$ assuming $\mathbf{H} \doteq \mathfrak{h}$.

- (c) A pair $(H, K) \neq (H_\mu, K_\mu)$ satisfies (i) and (ii) in Lemma B.1 for μ , thus determining the same quasifree state ω_μ , if and only if there is a unitary operator $U : H_\mu \rightarrow H$ such that $UK_\mu = K$.
- (d) ω_μ is pure, i.e., its GNS representation is irreducible if and only if $\overline{K_\mu(S)} = H_\mu$. In turn, this is equivalent to $4\mu(\psi', \psi') = \sup_{\psi \in S \setminus \{0\}} |\sigma(\psi, \psi')| / \mu(\psi, \psi)$ for every $\psi' \in S$.

Remark B.1.

- (1) K_μ is always injective due to (ii) and non-degenerateness of σ .
- (2) Consider the real Hilbert space obtained by taking the completion of S with respect to μ . The requirement (B.1) is equivalent to the fact that there is a bounded operator S everywhere defined over the mentioned Hilbert space, with $S = -S^*$, $\|S\| \leq 1$ and such that $\frac{1}{2}\sigma(\psi, \psi') = \mu(\psi, S\psi')$, for all $\psi, \psi' \in S$.
- (3) The pair (H_μ, K_μ) is called the **one-particle structure** of the quasifree state ω_μ .

Let us pass to discuss the KMS condition [6, 27, 33]. KMS state are the algebraic counterpart, for infinitely extended systems, of thermal states of standard statistic mechanics. There are several different equivalent definitions of KMS states, see [6] for a list of various equivalent definitions. While bearing in mind Definition 5.3.1 and Proposition 5.3.7 in [6], we adopt the following one:

Definition B.2. A state ω on a C^* -algebra \mathcal{A} is said to be a **KMS state at inverse temperature** $\beta \in \mathbb{R}$ with respect to a one-parameter group of $*$ -automorphisms $\{\alpha_t\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ which represents, from the algebraic point of view, some notion of time-evolution if, for every pair $A, B \in \mathcal{A}$, and with respect to the function $\mathbb{R} \ni t \mapsto \omega(A\alpha_t(B)) =: F_{A,B}^{(\omega)}(t)$, the following facts hold.

- (a) $F_{A,B}^{(\omega)}$ extends to a continuous complex function $F_{A,B}^{(\omega)} = F_{A,B}^{(\omega)}(z)$ with domain

$$\overline{D_\beta} \doteq \{z \in \mathbb{C} \mid 0 \leq \text{Im}z \leq \beta\} \quad \text{if } \beta \geq 0, \text{ or}$$

$$\overline{D_\beta} \doteq \{z \in \mathbb{C} \mid \beta \leq \text{Im}z \leq 0\} \quad \text{if } \beta \leq 0,$$

- (b) $F_{A,B}^{(\omega)} = F_{A,B}^{(\omega)}(z)$ is analytic in the interior of $\overline{D_\beta}$;
- (c) it holds, and this identity is — a bit improperly — called the **KMS condition**:

$$F_{A,B}^{(\omega)}(t + i\beta) = \omega(\alpha_t(B)A), \quad \text{for all } t \in \mathbb{R}.$$

With the given definition, an $\{\alpha_t\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ -KMS state ω turns out to be invariant under $\{\alpha_t\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ [6]; the function $\overline{D}_\beta \ni z \mapsto F_{A,B}^{(\omega)}(z)$ is uniquely determined by its restriction to real values of z (by the “edge of the wedge theorem”) and $\sup_{\overline{D}_\beta} |F_{A,B}^{(\omega)}| = \sup_{\partial D_\beta} |F_{A,B}^{(\omega)}|$ (by the “three lines theorem”) [6].

Equivalent definitions of KMS states are obtained by the following propositions, the second for quasifree states, due to Kay [36,38] and relying upon earlier results by Hugenholtz [33]. We sketch the proofs since they are very spread in the literature.

Proposition B.2. *An algebraic state ω , on the C^* -algebra \mathcal{A} , which is invariant under the one-parameter group of $*$ -automorphisms $\{\alpha_t\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ is a KMS state at the inverse temperature $\beta \in \mathbb{R}$ if and only if its GNS triple $(\mathcal{H}_\omega, \Pi_\omega, \Omega_\omega)$ satisfies the following three requirements.*

- (1) *The unique unitary group $\mathbb{R} \ni t \mapsto U_t$ which leaves Ω_ω invariant and implements $\{\alpha_t\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ — i.e. $\Pi_\omega(\alpha_t(A)) = U_t \Pi_\omega(A) U_t^*$ for all $A \in \mathcal{A}$ and $t \in \mathbb{R}$ — is strongly continuous, so that $U_t = e^{itH}$ for some self-adjoint operator H on \mathcal{H}_ω .*
- (2) $\Pi_\omega(\mathcal{A})\Omega_\omega \subset \text{Dom}(e^{-\beta H/2})$.
- (3) *There exists an antilinear operator $J : \mathcal{H}_\omega \rightarrow \mathcal{H}_\omega$ with $JJ = I$ such that:*

$$\begin{aligned}
 J e^{-itH} &= e^{-itH} J \quad \text{for all } t \in \mathbb{R}, \text{ and } e^{-\beta H/2} \Pi_\omega(A) \Omega_\omega \\
 &= J \Pi_\omega(A^*) \Omega_\omega, \quad \text{for all } A \in \mathcal{A}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Proof. A $\{\alpha_t\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ -KMS state with inverse temperature β is $\{\alpha_t\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ -invariant and fulfils the conditions (1), (2) and (3) due to Theorem 6.1 in [33]. Conversely, consider an $\{\alpha_t\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ -invariant state ω on \mathcal{A} , which fulfils the conditions (1), (2) and (3). When A and B are entire analytic elements of \mathcal{A} (see [6]), $\mathbb{R} \ni t \mapsto F_{A,B}^{(\omega)}(t)$ uniquely extends to an analytic function on the whole \mathbb{C} and thus (a) and (b) in Definition B.2 are true. (1), (2), (3) and $e^{zH}\Omega_\omega = \Omega_\omega$, for all $z \in \overline{D}_\beta$ (following from (2) and (3)) also entail (c):

$$\begin{aligned}
 \omega(\alpha_t(B)A) &= \langle \Omega_\omega, U_t \Pi_\omega(B) U_t^* \Pi_\omega(A) \Omega_\omega \rangle = \langle \Pi_\omega(B^*) \Omega_\omega, U_t^* \Pi_\omega(A) \Omega_\omega \rangle \\
 &= \langle J U_t^* \Pi_\omega(A) \Omega_\omega, J \Pi_\omega(B^*) \Omega_\omega \rangle \\
 &= \langle U_t^* e^{-\beta H/2} \Pi_\omega(A^*) \Omega_\omega, e^{-\beta H/2} \Pi_\omega(B) \Omega_\omega \rangle \\
 &= \langle \Omega_\omega, \Pi_\omega(A) e^{i(t+i\beta)H} \Pi_\omega(B) e^{-i(t+i\beta)H} \Omega_\omega \rangle = F_{A,B}^{(\omega)}(t + i\beta).
 \end{aligned}$$

The validity of conditions (a), (b) and (c) for entire analytic elements $A, B \in \mathcal{A}$ implies the validity for all $A, B \in \mathcal{A}$, as established in [6] (compare Definition 5.3.1 and Proposition 5.3.7 therein). \square

Proposition B.3. *Consider a quasifree algebraic state ω_μ on the Weyl-algebra $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{S})$, with one-particle structure $(\mathbb{H}_\mu, \mathbb{K}_\mu)$. Assume that (i) ω_μ is invariant under the one-parameter group of $*$ -automorphisms $\{\alpha_t\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ and that (ii) $\{\alpha_t\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ is implemented by a strongly continuous unitary one-parameter group $\{U_t\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ in the GNS Hilbert Fock space, leaving fixed the vacuum vector, and obtained by tensorialization of a unitary one-parameter group $\{V_t = e^{i\tau h}\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$ in \mathbb{H}_μ . The following facts are equivalent.*

- (a) ω_μ is a KMS state at the inverse temperature $\beta \in \mathbb{R}$ with respect to $\{\alpha_t\}_{t \in \mathbb{R}}$.
- (b) There is an anti-unitary operator $j : \mathbb{H}_\mu \rightarrow \mathbb{H}_\mu$ with $jj = I$ and the following facts hold:
 - (i) $\mathbb{K}_\mu(\mathcal{S}) \subset \text{Dom} \left(e^{-\frac{1}{2}\beta h} \right)$, (ii) $[j, V_t] = 0$ for all $t \in \mathbb{R}$, (iii) $e^{-\frac{1}{2}\beta h} \mathbb{K}_\mu \psi = -j \mathbb{K}_\mu \psi$ for all $\psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}_\mu)$.
- (c) $\mathbb{K}_\mu(\mathcal{S}) \subset \text{Dom} \left(e^{-\frac{1}{2}\beta h} \right)$ and $\langle e^{-ith} x, y \rangle = \langle e^{-\beta h/2} y, e^{-ith} e^{-\beta h/2} x \rangle$ if $x, y \in \mathbb{K}_\mu(\mathcal{S})$ and $t \in \mathbb{R}$.

Proof. (a) is equivalent to (b) as proved on pages 80-81 in [38]. (b) entails (c) straightforwardly. If one assumes (c) and exploits (i) of Lemma B.1, $j : \mathbb{H}_\mu \rightarrow \mathbb{H}_\mu$, which fulfils (b), is completely individuated by continuity and anti-linearity under the request that $j \mathbb{K}_\mu \psi = -e^{-\frac{1}{2}\beta h} \mathbb{K}_\mu \psi$ when $\psi \in \mathcal{S}$. \square

Appendix C Proofs of some propositions

Proof of Lemma 2.1. As in Appendix A, let us consider the conformal extension $(\widetilde{\mathcal{M}}, \widetilde{g})$ of the spacetime (\mathcal{M}, g) determined in [52] where $\widetilde{g} = g/r^2$ in \mathcal{M} (see Figure 2). In view of the previously illustrated properties of E_{P_g} , if $\varphi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{M})$, there is a smooth function f_φ with support contained in \mathcal{M} and such that $\varphi = E_{P_g} f_\varphi$, and $\text{supp} \varphi \in J^+(\text{supp} f_\varphi; \mathcal{M}) \cup J^-(\text{supp} f_\varphi; \mathcal{M})$. Since $J^\pm(\text{supp} f_\varphi; \mathcal{M}) \subset J^\pm(\text{supp} f_\varphi; \widetilde{\mathcal{M}})$, the very structure of $\widetilde{\mathcal{M}}$ (see Figure 2) guarantees that, if the smooth extension $\widetilde{\varphi}$ of $r\varphi$ in a neighbourhood of $\mathfrak{S}^\pm \subset \widetilde{\mathcal{M}}$ exists, it must have support bounded by constants $v^{(\varphi)}, u^{(\varphi)} \in (-\infty, \infty)$. Here we adopt the relevant null coordinates in the considered neighbourhood: $(\Omega, u, \theta, \phi)$ or $(\Omega, v, \theta, \phi)$ respectively, where $\Omega = 1/r$ in \mathcal{W} . Furthermore, in view of the shape of $J^\pm(\text{supp} f_\varphi; \widetilde{\mathcal{M}})$, the analogous property holds true for the support of φ in \mathcal{W} . The existence of $\widetilde{\varphi}$ can be established examining the various possible cases. To start with, let

us assume that $\text{supp}f_\varphi \subset \mathcal{W}$. Let $p \in \mathcal{W}$ be in the chronological past of $\text{supp}f_\varphi$ sufficiently close to i^- . Afterwards, let us consider a second point q beyond \mathfrak{S}^+ , though sufficiently close to \mathfrak{S}^+ so that the closure of $\mathcal{N}_{p,q} \doteq I^+(p; \widetilde{\mathcal{M}}) \cap I^-(q; \widetilde{\mathcal{M}})$ does not meet the timelike singularity in the conformal extension of \mathcal{M} on the right of \mathfrak{S}^+ . Let us consider $\mathcal{N}_{p,q}$ as a spacetime equipped with the metric \tilde{g} . It is globally hyperbolic since, per direct inspection, one verifies that the diamonds $J^+(r; \mathcal{N}_{p,q}) \cap J^-(s; \mathcal{N}_{p,q})$ are empty or compact for $r, s \in \mathcal{N}_{p,q}$ while the spacetime itself is causal. Hence $E_{P_{\tilde{g}}}$ is well defined and individuates a solution $\tilde{\varphi} \doteq E_{P_{\tilde{g}}}f_\varphi$ of the Klein–Gordon equation associated with $P_{\tilde{g}}$, as in (2.6), with $\tilde{g} = g/r^2$. Thanks to the properties of the Klein–Gordon equation under conformal rescaling [56], one has $\tilde{\varphi} = r\varphi$ in \mathcal{M} because $\tilde{g} = g/r^2$ therein. If we keep p fixed while moving q in a parallel way to \mathfrak{S}^+ towards i^+ , one obtains an increasing class of larger globally hyperbolic spacetimes $\mathcal{N}_{p,q}$ and, correspondingly, a class of analogous extensions $\tilde{\varphi}$ on corresponding $\mathcal{N}_{p,q}$. Furthermore, if one considers two of these extensions, they coincide in the intersections of their domains (see Figure 3). In order to draw these conclusions, we exploited of the uniqueness of the solution of a Cauchy problem as well as the property according to which any compact portion of a spacelike Cauchy surface of a globally hyperbolic spacetime can be extended to a smooth spacelike Cauchy surface of any larger globally hyperbolic spacetime [9]. Hence the initial data can be read on the larger spacelike Cauchy surface, also thanks to its acausal structure (Lemma 42 from Chap. 14 in [44]). Accordingly, a smooth extension of $r\varphi$ turns out to be defined in a neighbourhood of \mathfrak{S}^+ and an almost slavish procedure yields the analogous extension on \mathfrak{S}^- . Let us now suppose that $\text{supp}f_\varphi \subset \mathcal{B}$. In such case φ cannot reach \mathfrak{S}^+ and, thus, the only extension of $r\varphi$ concerns \mathfrak{S}^- . The employed procedure is similar to the one above, though the class of globally hyperbolic spacetime is constructed as follows. Let us take a point p beyond \mathfrak{S}^- sufficiently close to i^- and let us consider the intersection $\mathcal{N}_p \doteq I^+(p; \widetilde{\mathcal{M}}) \cap I^-(\mathcal{M}; \widetilde{\mathcal{M}})$. If one moves p parallelly to \mathfrak{S}^- drawing closer to i^- , one obtains an increasing class of globally hyperbolic spacetimes. Equipped with the metric $\tilde{g} = g/r^2$, and, correspondingly, a class of solutions of the rescaled Klein–Gordon equation. These define the smooth extension $\tilde{\varphi}$ of $r\varphi$ in an open neighbourhood of \mathfrak{S}^- . Let us now consider the case where $\text{supp}f_\varphi$ is concentrated in an arbitrarily shrunk open neighbourhood of \mathcal{H}_{ev} . While the behaviour of φ in a neighbourhood of \mathfrak{S}^- , mimics the previously examined one, that around \mathfrak{S}^+ deserves a closer look mostly with reference to the construction of the relevant globally hyperbolic spacetimes. To this end, let us fix a point $p \in \mathcal{W}$ in the chronological past of $\text{supp}f_\varphi$ sufficiently close to \mathcal{H} . Afterwards, let us consider a smooth spacelike surface Σ in the chronological future of $\text{supp}f_\varphi$, which lies in the past of i^+ in $\widetilde{\mathcal{M}}$ and it intersects \mathfrak{S}^+ for some $u = u_\Sigma$. The relevant class of globally hyperbolic spacetimes is now made of the

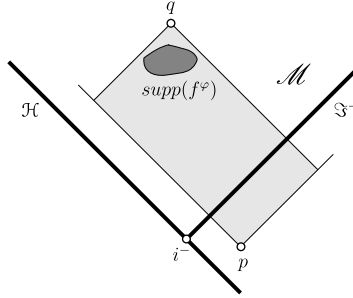


Figure 3: The grey region indicates the globally hyperbolic subspacetime $\mathcal{N}_{p,q}$ of $\widetilde{\mathcal{M}}$, the point p eventually tends to i^- .

sets $\mathcal{N}_{p,\Sigma} \doteq J^-(\Sigma; \widetilde{\mathcal{M}}) \cap J^+(p; \widetilde{\mathcal{M}})$ when Σ moves towards i^+ . It remains to consider the case where $\text{supp}f_\varphi$ intersect \mathcal{H}_{ev} , but it is not confined in a small neighbourhood of \mathcal{H}_{ev} . In this case, if one takes into account the linearity of both the causal propagator and P_g , we can reduce ourselves to a combination of the three above considered cases. If one decomposes the constant function 1 in \mathcal{W} as the sum of three non-negative smooth functions $1 = f_1 + f_2 + f_3$, with f_1 supported in \mathcal{B} , f_2 supported in \mathcal{W} and f_3 supported in an arbitrarily shrunk open neighbourhood of \mathcal{H}_{ev} , we have $f_\varphi = f_\varphi \cdot f_1 + f_\varphi \cdot f_2 + f_\varphi \cdot f_3$. If we fix $r\varphi_i \doteq rE_{P_g}(f_\varphi \cdot f_i)$, $i = 1, 2, 3$, each wavefunction can be treated separately as discussed above, hence yielding corresponding extensions $\tilde{\varphi}_i$ to \mathfrak{S}^+ . The sum of these extensions is, per construction, the wanted one $\tilde{\varphi}$ of $r\varphi$. The same procedure applies to the case of \mathfrak{S}^- . \square

Proof of Proposition 2.1. (a) We consider the proof for the case of $t > 0$, i.e., the behaviour of the wavefunctions about \mathcal{H}_{ev} and \mathfrak{S}^+ only), the remaining case being then an immediate consequence of the symmetry $X \rightarrow -X$ of the Kruskal geometry.

To start with, it is worth noticing that each of our coordinates u, v amounts to twice the corresponding one defined in [19] and the difference of our r^* and that defined in [19] is $3m + 2m \ln m$.

The bounds concerning the constants C_1 and C_3 are proved in Theorem 1.1 of [19]. Here, sufficiently regular solutions of the massless Klein–Gordon equation are considered and initial data are assigned on a smooth complete spacelike Cauchy surfaces of the full Kruskal extension of \mathcal{M} , which is asymptotically flat at spatial infinity. Furthermore it is imperative that the said data vanish fast enough at space infinity. In our case these requirements are fulfilled because the elements of $\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{M})$ are smooth and have compact support on every smooth spacelike, hence acausal, Cauchy surface of \mathcal{M} ;

therefore we can employ the results in [9] to view these as Cauchy data on a smooth spacelike Cauchy surface of the full Kruskal extension. The bound that concerns C_2 has the same proof as that for C_1 because, when $\varphi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{M})$, $X(\varphi) \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{M})$, X itself being a smooth Killing vector field. To conclude the proof, it is enough to show the last bound, related with the constant C_4 . To this end, let us fix $\varphi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{M})$ and re-define, if necessary, the origin of the killing time t in \mathcal{W} in order that $u^{(\varphi)} \geq 2$, where $u^{(\varphi)}$ is the constant defined in Lemma 2.1. Now we focus on the proof contained in Section 13.2 of [19] and particularly on the part called “decay in $r \geq \hat{R}$ ” which concerns the bound associated with C_3 . We want to adapt such proof to our case, replacing the solution ϕ there considered with our $X(\varphi)$, so that also $r\phi$ is replaced by $rX(\varphi) = \tilde{X}(r\varphi)$ in \mathcal{W} . Furthermore it smoothly extends to $X(\tilde{\varphi})$ on $\mathcal{W} \cup \mathfrak{S}^+$. It is remarkable that it suffices to prove the bound in the region $\{r > \hat{R}\} \cap \{t > 0\}$ in \mathcal{W} , since it would then hold on \mathfrak{S}^+ per continuity.

One should notice that only the region $\{r \geq \hat{R}\} \cap \{t > 0\} \cap \{u \geq 2\}$ has to be considered. Indeed, in the set $\{u < 2\} \cap \{v > v_0^{(\varphi)}\}$ for some $v_0^{(\varphi)} \in \mathbb{R}$, $X(\tilde{\varphi})$ vanishes due to Lemma 2.1. Hence $X(\tilde{\varphi})$ vanishes in $\{r \geq \hat{R}\} \cap \{t > 0\} \cap \{u < 2\} \cap \{v > v_0^{(\varphi)}\}$, trivially satisfying the wanted bound. The region individuated by $\{r \geq \hat{R}\} \cap \{t \geq 0\} \cap \{u \leq 2\} \cap \{v \leq v_0^{(\varphi)}\}$ is, moreover, compact thus $X(\tilde{\varphi})$ is bounded therein and it also satisfies the looked-for bound.

In the region $\{r \geq \hat{R}\} \cap \{t > 0\} \cap \{u \geq 2\}$, along the lines of p. 916–917 in [19], though with ϕ replaced by $\varphi' \doteq \tilde{X}(\varphi)$, we achieve, out of a Sobolev inequality on the sphere

$$\begin{aligned} r^2 |\varphi'(u, v, \theta, \phi)|^2 &\leq C \int_{\mathbb{S}^2} r^2 |\varphi'|^2 d\mathbb{S}^2 + C \int_{\mathbb{S}^2} |r \nabla \varphi'|^2 r^2 d\mathbb{S}^2 \\ &\quad + C \int_{\mathbb{S}^2} |r^2 \nabla \nabla \varphi'|^2 r^2 d\mathbb{S}^2, \end{aligned}$$

where ∇ denotes the covariant derivative with respect to metric induced on the sphere of radius r , while $d\mathbb{S}^2$ is the volume form on the unit sphere. If the squared angular momentum operator is denoted as $\Omega^2 \doteq r^2 \nabla \nabla$ the above inequality can be re-written as:

$$\begin{aligned} r^2 |\varphi'(u, v, \theta, \phi)|^2 &\leq C \int_{\mathbb{S}^2} |\Omega^0 \varphi'|^2 r^2 d\mathbb{S}^2 + C \int_{\mathbb{S}^2} |\Omega^0 \varphi'| |\Omega^1 \varphi'| r^2 d\mathbb{S}^2 \\ &\quad + C \int_{\mathbb{S}^2} |\Omega^2 \varphi'|^2 r^2 d\mathbb{S}^2. \end{aligned} \tag{C.1}$$

To conclude it is sufficient to prove that, for $k = 0, 1, 2$ and if $r \geq \hat{R}$, $u \geq 2$, $t > 0$:

$$\int_{\mathbb{S}^2} \left| \Omega^k \varphi' \right|^2 r^2 d\mathbb{S}^2 \leq B_k / u^2, \tag{C.2}$$

for some constants $B_k \geq 0$. Let us notice that, in view of Cauchy-Schwartz inequality, the second integral in the right-hand side of (C.1) is bounded by the product of the square root of the integrals with $k = 0$ and $k = 1$ in the left-hand side of (C.2). If we follow [19] and if we pass to the coordinates (t, r^*, θ, ϕ) (see Section A), and for some constant $D \geq 0$:

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\mathbb{S}^2} \left| \Omega^k \varphi' \right|^2 r^2(t, r^*, \theta, \phi) d\mathbb{S}^2 \\ & \leq \int_{\mathbb{S}^2} \left| \Omega^k \varphi' \right|^2 r^2(t, \tilde{r}^*, \theta, \phi) d\mathbb{S}^2 + D \int_{\tilde{r}^*}^{r^*} \int_{\mathbb{S}^2} |\partial_\rho \Omega^k \varphi'| |\Omega^k \varphi'| \\ & \quad \times r^2(t, \rho, \theta, \phi) d\rho d\mathbb{S}^2 + D \int_{\tilde{r}^*}^{r^*} \int_{\mathbb{S}^2} |\Omega^k \varphi'|^2 r(t, \rho, \theta, \phi) d\rho d\mathbb{S}^2. \end{aligned} \tag{C.3}$$

If we stick to [19], the parameter $\tilde{r}^* \geq \hat{R}^*$ can be fixed so that the first integral in the right-hand side satisfies

$$\int_{\mathbb{S}^2} \left| \Omega^k \varphi' \right|^2 r^2(t, \tilde{r}^*, \theta, \phi) d\mathbb{S}^2 \leq \bar{E}_2 / t^2 \leq \bar{E}_2 / u^2, \tag{C.4}$$

where the constant \bar{E}_2 was defined in [19] and it depends on $\Omega^k \varphi' \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{M})$. Here we have also used the fact that $u = t - r^* \geq 2$ with $r^* > 0$ and $t > 0$; hence that $u \leq t$. From now on, our procedure departs from that followed in [19]. With respect to the third integral in the right-hand side of (C.3), it can be re-written

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\tilde{r}^*}^{r^*} \int_{\mathbb{S}^2} (\partial_t \Omega^k \varphi)^2 r(t, \rho, \theta, \phi) d\rho d\mathbb{S}^2 \\ & \leq \text{const.} \int_{\tilde{r}^*}^{r^*} \int_{\mathbb{S}^2} (\partial_t \Omega^k \varphi)^2 r^2(t, \rho, \theta, \phi) d\rho d\mathbb{S}^2 \leq F(\mathcal{S}), \end{aligned}$$

where \mathcal{S} is the achronal hypersurface individuated by the fixed time t , the interval $[\tilde{r}^*, r^*]$ and the coordinates (θ, ϕ) which vary over \mathbb{S}^2 . $F(\mathcal{S})$ is then the flux of energy through \mathcal{S} associated with the Klein–Gordon field $\Omega^k \varphi$. Theorem 1.1 in [19] assures now that, for some constant C' , which depends on φ ,

$$F(\mathcal{S}) \leq C' / v_+(\mathcal{S})^2 + C' / u_+(\mathcal{S})^2,$$

where $v_+(\mathcal{S}) = \max\{\inf_{\mathcal{S}} v, 2\}$ and $u_+(\mathcal{S}) = \max\{\inf_{\mathcal{S}} u, 2\}$. In our case, per construction, we have $\max\{\inf_{\mathcal{S}} v, 2\} \geq t + \hat{R}^*$ and $\max\{\inf_{\mathcal{S}} u, 2\} = u(t, r^*$,

ϕ, θ). For $t > 0, r \geq \hat{R}, u > 2$, one can conclude:

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\tilde{r}^*}^{r^*} \int_{\mathbb{S}^2} |\Omega^k \varphi'|^2 r(t, \rho, \theta, \phi) \, d\rho \, d\mathbb{S}^2 \\ & \leq \frac{C'}{(t + \hat{R}^*)^2} + \frac{C'}{u^2} = \frac{C'}{(u + r^* + \hat{R}^*)^2} + \frac{C'}{u^2} \leq \frac{2C'}{u^2}, \end{aligned}$$

and thus

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\tilde{r}^*}^{r^*} \int_{\mathbb{S}^2} |\Omega^k \varphi'|^2 r(t, \rho, \theta, \phi) \, d\rho \, d\mathbb{S}^2 \\ & \leq \text{const.} \int_{\tilde{r}^*}^{r^*} \int_{\mathbb{S}^2} |\Omega^k \varphi'|^2 r(t, \rho, \theta, \phi)^2 \, d\rho \, d\mathbb{S}^2 \leq \frac{K}{u^2}. \end{aligned} \tag{C.5}$$

Let us finally consider the second integral in the right-hand side of (C.3). We notice that

$$\int_{\tilde{r}^*}^{r^*} \int_{\mathbb{S}^2} |\partial_\rho \Omega^k \varphi'|^2 r(t, \rho, \theta, \phi)^2 \, d\rho \, d\mathbb{S}^2 \leq F'(\mathcal{S}),$$

where $F'(\mathcal{S})$ is the flux of energy through \mathcal{S} associated with the Klein–Gordon field $\Omega^k \varphi'$. If we deal with it as before, we obtain the bound

$$\int_{\tilde{r}^*}^{r^*} \int_{\mathbb{S}^2} |\partial_\rho \Omega^k \varphi'|^2 r(t, \rho, \theta, \phi)^2 \, d\rho \, d\mathbb{S}^2 \leq \frac{K'}{u^2}. \tag{C.6}$$

The Cauchy–Schwartz inequality, together with (C.5) and (C.6), leads to

$$\int_{\tilde{r}^*}^{r^*} \int_{\mathbb{S}^2} |\partial_\rho \Omega^k \varphi'| |\Omega^k \varphi'| r(t, \rho, \theta, \phi)^2 \, d\rho \, d\mathbb{S}^2 \leq \frac{K''}{u^2}. \tag{C.7}$$

If one puts all together in the right-hand side of (C.3), the bounds (C.4), (C.5) and (C.7) yield (C.2).

(b) Let us fix Σ as any smooth spacelike Cauchy surface of \mathcal{M} . Notice that if the sequence of initial data converge to zero in the test function topology on Σ , there is a compact set $C \subset \Sigma$ which, per definition, contains all the supports of the initial data of the sequence. In view of [9], we can construct a smooth spacelike Cauchy surface Σ' of the complete Kruskal manifold \mathcal{K} , which includes that compact. Thus, the sequence of initial data tends to 0 in the test function topology of Σ' as well. Such data on Σ can be read on Σ' since the supports of the solutions cannot further intersect Σ' as it is acausal. From standard results of continuous dependence from compactly

supported initial data of the smooth solutions of hyperbolic equations in globally hyperbolic spacetimes (see Theorem 3.2.12 in [4]), if the initial data on a fixed spacelike Cauchy surface Σ' tend to 0 in the test function topology, then also the solution tends to 0 in the topology of $C^\infty(\mathcal{K}; \mathbb{R})$. At the same time, as one can prove out of standard results on the topology of causal sets (e.g., see [56] and particularly Theorems 8.3.11 and 8.3.12 in combination with the fact that the open double cones form a base of the topology) $J^+(C; \mathcal{K}) \cup J^-(C; \mathcal{K})$ has compact intersection with every spacelike Cauchy surface of \mathcal{K} , since C is compact in Σ' . So all initial data on Σ'' of the considered sequence of solutions are contained in a compact, too. From these results we conclude that, if the initial data tend to 0 in the test function topology on Σ' , the associated solution, whenever restricted on any other Cauchy surface $\Sigma'' \subset \mathcal{K}$ yields, per restriction, new initial data, which also tend to 0. For convenience, we fix Σ'' as an extension of the spacelike Cauchy surface of \mathcal{W} (whose closure intersects \mathcal{B}) individuated in \mathcal{W} as the locus $t = 1$. If we refer to (a), one sees that the coefficients C_i are obtained as the product of universal constants and integrals of derivatives of the compactly supported Cauchy data of both φ , and, where appropriate, $X(\varphi)$ over $\Sigma'' \cap \overline{\mathcal{W}}$. This is explained in Theorem 1.1, Theorem 7.1 as well as in the formulae appearing in Section 4 of [19], though one should reformulate them with respect both to r^* and to the global coordinates U and V instead of u, v and r). From these formulas it follows immediately that the constants C_i vanish provided that the Cauchy data tend to 0 in the test function topology on Σ'' , and this requirement is valid in our hypotheses. \square

Proof of Proposition 3.2. (a) To start with, we notice that, by direct inspection, as shown in [38] and [42], though the angular coordinates (θ, ϕ) substituted by the complex ones (z, \bar{z}) obtained out of stereographic projection, it turns out that:

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \widehat{\psi}_+, \widehat{\psi}'_+ \rangle_{\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}} &\doteq \int_{\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2} \overline{\widehat{\psi}_+(K, \theta, \phi)} \widehat{\psi}'_+(K, \theta, \phi) 2K dK \wedge r_{\mathbb{S}}^2 d\mathbb{S}^2 \\ &= \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0^+} -\frac{r_{\mathbb{S}}^2}{\pi} \int_{\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2} \frac{\overline{\psi(U_1, \theta, \phi)} \psi'(U_2, \omega)}{(U_1 - U_2 - i\epsilon)^2} dU_1 \wedge dU_2 \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2, \end{aligned}$$

for $\psi, \psi' \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{C})$.

As a consequence we have obtained that the map $M : C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{C}) \ni \psi \mapsto \widehat{\psi}_+(K, \omega) \in \mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}$ is isometric and thus, per continuity, it uniquely extends to a Hilbert space isomorphism $F_{(U)}$ of $(C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{C}), \lambda_{\text{KW}})$ onto the closed Hilbert space $\overline{M(C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{C}))} \subset \mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}$. To conclude the proof of the first statement in

(a), it is enough to establish that $\overline{M(C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{C}))} = H_{\mathcal{H}\mathbb{C}}$. This immediately follows from the two lemma proved below.

Lemma C.1. $\overline{M(C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{C}))}$ includes the space \mathcal{S}_0 whose elements $f = f(K, \omega)$ are the restrictions to $\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2$ of the functions in $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2)$ and they vanish in a neighbourhood of $K = 0$ depending on f .

Above and henceforth $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2)$ denotes the complex **Schwartz space** on $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2$, i.e. the space of complex-valued smooth functions on $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2$ which vanish, with all their K -derivatives of every order, as $|K| \rightarrow +\infty$ uniformly in the angles and faster than every inverse power of $|K|$. This space can be equipped with the usual topology induced by seminorms (see Appendix C of [42]).

Lemma C.2. \mathcal{S}_0 is dense in $H_{\mathcal{H}\mathbb{C}}$.

Concerning (b), we notice that, if $f \in \mathcal{S}_0$, $if \in \mathcal{S}_0$ and that both vanish in a neighbourhood of $K = 0$. Therefore, it is possible to arrange two *real* functions in $\mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})$, g_1 and g_2 such that $\widehat{g}_{1+} = f$ and $\widehat{g}_{2+} = if$. With the same proof of Lemma C.1 one can establish that g_i are the the limits, in the topology of λ_{KW} , of sequences $\{f_{(i)n}\} \subset C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{R})$. We have obtained that every complex element of the dense subspace $\mathcal{S}_0 \subset H_{\mathcal{H}\mathbb{C}}$ is the limit of elements of $F_{(U)}(C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{R}))$. □

Proof of Lemma C.1. Let us take $f \in \mathcal{S}_0$. As a consequence, it can be written as the restriction to $\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2$ of $F \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2)$. In turn, $F = \mathcal{F}_+(g)$ for some $g \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2)$, since the Fourier transform is bijective from $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2)$ onto $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2)$ (see Appendix C of [42]). Since $C_0^\infty(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2; \mathbb{C})$ is dense in $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2)$ in the topology of the latter, there is a sequence $\{g_n\} \subset C_0^\infty(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2; \mathbb{C})$ with $g_n \rightarrow g$ in the sense of $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2)$. Since the Fourier transform is continuous with respect to that topology, we conclude that $\mathcal{F}_+(g_n) \rightarrow F$ in the sense of $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2)$. By direct inspection one finds that the achieved result implies that $\mathcal{F}_+(g_n) \upharpoonright_{\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2} \rightarrow F \upharpoonright_{\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2}$ in the topology of every $L^2(\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2, cK^n dK \wedge r_S^2 d\mathbb{S}^2)$ for every power $n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ and $c > 0$. Particularly it happens for $n = c = 2$. We have found that, for every $f \in \mathcal{S}_0$, there is a sequence in $M(C_0^\infty(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2; \mathbb{C}))$ which tends to f in the topology of $H_{\mathcal{H}\mathbb{C}\mathbb{R}}$ and thus $\mathcal{S}_0 \subset \overline{M(C_0^\infty(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2; \mathbb{C}))}$. □

Proof of Lemma C.2. In this proof $\mathbb{R}_+^* \doteq (0, +\infty)$ and $\mathbb{N}^* = \{1, 2, \dots\}$. A well-known result is that $C_0^\infty((a, b); \mathbb{C})$ is dense in $L^2((a, b), dx)$ so that, particularly, $C_0^\infty((1/n, n); \mathbb{C})$ is dense in $L^2((1/n, n), dx)$, and, thus, if we introduce the new variable $K = \sqrt{x}$, it turns out that the space $C_0^\infty((1/\sqrt{n}, \sqrt{n}); \mathbb{C})$ is dense in $L^2((1/\sqrt{n}, \sqrt{n}), 2KdK)$.

Since, in the sense of the Hilbertian direct sum, $\oplus_{n \in \mathbb{N}} L^2((1/\sqrt{n}, \sqrt{n}), 2KdK) = L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^*, 2KdK)$ (for instance making use of Lebesgue's dominated convergence theorem), we conclude that $C_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}_+^*; \mathbb{C}) = \cup_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*} C_0^\infty((1/n, n); \mathbb{C})$ is dense in $L^2(\mathbb{R}_+^*, 2KdK) = L^2(\mathbb{R}_+, 2KdK)$ and, thus, there must exist a Hilbert base $\{f_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset C_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}_+^*; \mathbb{C})$.

By standard theorems on Hilbert spaces with product measure, we know that a Hilbert base of the space $L^2(\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2, 2KdK \wedge r_\mathbb{S}^2 d\mathbb{S}^2)$ is $\{f_n Y_m\}_{n,m \in \mathbb{N}}$, provided that $\{Y_m\}_{m \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{f_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ are respectively one for $L^2(\mathbb{S}^2, r_\mathbb{S}^2 d\mathbb{S}^2)$ and for $L^2(\mathbb{R}_+, 2KdK)$. The elements Y_m can be chosen as harmonic functions so that they are smooth and compactly supported. Therefore, if $\{f_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset C_0^\infty((0, +\infty); \mathbb{C})$, it holds that $\{f_n Y_m\}_{n,m \in \mathbb{N}} \subset C_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}_+^* \times \mathbb{S}^2; \mathbb{C})$ and, thus, trivially, the space $C_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}_+^* \times \mathbb{S}^2; \mathbb{C})$ is dense in $L^2(\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2, 2KdK \wedge r_\mathbb{S}^2 d\mathbb{S}^2)$. Since it holds $C_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}_+^* \times \mathbb{S}^2; \mathbb{C}) \subset \mathcal{S}_0$, the achieved result proves the thesis. \square

Proof of Proposition 3.3. We only consider the case of \mathcal{H}^+ , the proof for \mathcal{H}^- being identical.

(a) If $\psi_1, \psi_2 \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}^+; \mathbb{C})$, then:

$$\lambda_{KW}(\psi_1, \psi_2) = \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0^+} -\frac{1}{4\pi} \int_{\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2} \frac{\overline{\psi_1(u_1, \theta, \phi)} \psi_2(u_2, \theta, \phi)}{\left[\sinh\left(\frac{u_1 - u_2}{4r_S}\right) - i\epsilon \right]^2} du_1 \wedge du_2 \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2. \tag{C.8}$$

That identity follows from the expression of λ_{KW} given in (3.2), passing to the coordinates u_1, u_2 and making an appropriate use of Sokhotskys formula $1/(x - i0^+)^2 = 1/x^2 - i\delta'(x)$ (where $1/x^2$ is the derivative of the distribution $-1/x$ interpreted in the sense of the principal value). Actually, passing to coordinates u_1, u_2 from the initial ones U_1, U_2 , a bounded strictly positive factor arises in front of ϵ , but it can safely be replaced by the constant 1, as it can be easily proved (especially taking into account that the used test functions have compact support). In spite of the different relation between the coordinate U and u , the same result arises referring to \mathcal{H}^- instead of \mathcal{H}^+ . We notice that the u -Fourier transform of the distribution $-\frac{1}{4\pi} \frac{1}{\left[\sinh\left(\frac{u}{4r_S}\right) - i0^+ \right]^2}$ turns out to be just $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \frac{d\mu(k)}{dk}$. Hence, the limit as $\epsilon \rightarrow 0^+$ of the integral in the right-hand side of (C.8) can be interpreted as the $L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, dv \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$ scalar product of ψ_1 and the the $L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, dk \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$ function obtained by the u -convolution of the Schwartz distribution $const./\left[\sinh\left(\frac{u}{4r_S}\right) - i0^+ \right]$ with the compactly-supported function ψ_2 . The convolution makes sense

if one interprets ψ_2 as a distribution with compact support; it produces a distribution which is the antitransform of $\widetilde{\psi}_2 d\mu/dk$ which, in turn, belongs to the Schwartz space by construction. Hence, up to an antitransformation, the said convolution has to be an element of $L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, du \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$ as previously stated. In this sense we can apply first the convolution theorem for Fourier transforms and, afterwards, the fact that the Fourier transform is an isometry, achieving:

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0^+} -\frac{1}{4\pi} \int_{\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2} \frac{\overline{\psi_1(u_1, \theta, \phi)} \psi_2(u_2, \theta, \phi)}{\left[\sinh\left(\frac{u_1 - u_2}{4r_S}\right) - i\epsilon \right]^2} du_1 \wedge du_2 \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2 \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2} \overline{\widetilde{\psi}(k, \theta, \phi)} \widetilde{\psi}(k, \theta, \phi) \frac{d\mu}{dk} dk \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2, \end{aligned}$$

which implies that the map $C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}^+; \mathbb{C}) \ni \psi \mapsto \widetilde{\psi} \in L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, d\mu(k) \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$ is isometric, when the domain is equipped with the scalar product λ_{KW} . The fact that this map extends to a Hilbert space isomorphism $F_{(u)}^{(+)} : \overline{C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}^+; \mathbb{C})} \rightarrow L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, d\mu(k) \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$ is very similar to the proof of the analogue for $F_{(U)}$ and the details are left to the reader.

(b) Let us indicate by $\widetilde{\psi} \equiv \mathcal{F}(\psi)$ the Fourier–Plancherel transform of ψ , computed with respect to the coordinate u . Per definition, if $\psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^+)$, one has $\psi, \partial_u \psi \in L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, du \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$, so that ψ belongs to the Sobolev space $H^1(\mathcal{H}^+)_u$ and, equivalently, $\widetilde{\psi} \in L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, dk \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2) \cap L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, k^2 dk \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$. The last inclusions also implies that $\widetilde{\psi}$ belongs to $L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^1, |k| dk \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$ and $L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^1, d\mu \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$. Since $C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}^+; \mathbb{C})$ is dense in $H^1(\mathcal{H}^+)_u$, if $\psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^+)$, there is a sequence of functions $\psi_n \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}^+; \mathbb{R})$ with $F_{(u)}^{(+)}(\psi_n) = \mathcal{F}(\psi_n) \rightarrow \widetilde{\psi}$, in the topology of both $L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, dk \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$ and $L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, k^2 dk \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$. In turn this implies the convergence in the topology of $L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, d\mu \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$. Since $L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^1, d\mu \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$ is isometric to $\overline{C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}^+; \mathbb{C})}$, the sequence $\{\psi_n\}$ is of Cauchy type in $(\overline{C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}^+; \mathbb{C})}, \lambda_{\text{KW}})$. For the same reason, any other $\{\psi'_n\} \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}^+; \mathbb{R})$ which converges to the same ψ , is such that $\psi_n - \psi'_n \rightarrow 0$ in $(\overline{C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}^+; \mathbb{C})}, \lambda_{\text{KW}})$. Therefore ψ is naturally identified with an element of $\overline{C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}^+; \mathbb{C})}$, which we shall denote with the same symbol ψ . With this identification, for $\psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^+)$, the fact that $F_{(u)}^{(+)}(\psi_n) \rightarrow \widetilde{\psi} = \mathcal{F}(\psi)$ in the topology of $L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, k dk \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$ implies that $F_{(u)}^{(+)}(\psi) = \mathcal{F}(\psi)$ by continuity of $F_{(u)}$. □

Proof of Proposition 3.4. The map $K_{\mathcal{H}}$ is per construction linear. Let us prove that (a) is valid, i.e., $K_{\mathcal{H}}$ does not depend on the particular decomposition (3.6) for a fixed $\psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})$. Consider a different analogous decomposition $\psi = \psi'_- + \psi'_0 + \psi'_+$. We have that the two definitions of $K_{\mathcal{H}}\psi$ coincides because their difference is:

$$\begin{aligned} & F_{(U)}(\psi_-) - F_{(U)}(\psi'_-) + F_{(U)}(\psi_0) - F_{(U)}(\psi'_0) + F_{(U)}(\psi_+) - F_{(U)}(\psi'_+) \\ &= F_{(U)}(\psi_- - \psi'_-) + F_{(U)}(\psi_0 - \psi'_0) + F_{(U)}(\psi_+ - \psi'_+) \\ &= \widehat{\psi_- - \psi'_-} + \widehat{\psi_0 - \psi'_0} + \widehat{\psi_+ - \psi'_+} \\ &= \widehat{\psi - \psi} = 0, \end{aligned}$$

Here we have used the fact that, per construction, $\psi_{\pm} - \psi'_{\pm}$ and $\psi_0 - \psi'_0$ belongs to $C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{R})$ and thus $F_{(U)}$, acting on each of them, produces the standard U -Fourier transform indicated by $\widehat{\cdot}$.

(b) The statement is valid per definition of $K_{\mathcal{H}}$. Let us thus prove (c). From now on we write σ instead of $\sigma_{\mathcal{H}}$. Let us take $\psi, \psi' \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})$ and decompose them as $\psi = \psi_1 + \psi_2 + \psi_3$ and as $\psi' = \psi'_1 + \psi'_2 + \psi'_3$ where $\psi_1, \psi'_1 \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^+)$, $\psi_2, \psi'_2 \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{R})$ and $\psi_3, \psi'_3 \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}_R^-)$. In this way we have:

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma(\psi, \psi') &= \sigma(\psi_1, \psi'_1) + \sigma(\psi_2, \psi'_2) + \sigma(\psi_3, \psi'_3) + \sigma(\psi_1, \psi'_2) + \sigma(\psi_1, \psi'_3) \\ &\quad + \sigma(\psi_2, \psi'_1) + \sigma(\psi_2, \psi'_3) + \sigma(\psi_3, \psi'_1) + \sigma(\psi_3, \psi'_2). \end{aligned}$$

Let us examine each term separately. Consider $\sigma(\psi_1, \psi'_1)$. From now on $\widetilde{\psi} \equiv \mathcal{F}(\psi)$ is the Fourier–Plancherel transform of ψ , computed with respect to the coordinate u . Notice that $\widetilde{\psi}_1(-k, \theta, \phi) = \widetilde{\psi}_1(k, \theta, \phi)$ since ψ_1 and ψ'_1 are real. By direct inspection, if one uses these ingredients and the definition of $d\mu(k)$, one gets immediately the first identity:

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma(\psi_1, \psi'_1) &= -2\text{Im}\langle \widetilde{\psi}_1, \widetilde{\psi}'_1 \rangle_{L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^1, d\mu \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)} = -2\text{Im}\langle F_{(U)} \circ (F_{(u)}^{(+)})^{-1} \\ &\quad \times (\widetilde{\psi}_1), F_{(u)} \circ (F_{(u)}^{(+)})^{-1}(\widetilde{\psi}'_1) \rangle_{L^2(\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^1, dK \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)} \\ &= -2\text{Im}\langle K_{\mathcal{H}}\psi_1, K_{\mathcal{H}}\psi'_1 \rangle_{\mathcal{H}_{\mathcal{H}}}, \end{aligned} \tag{C.9}$$

The second identity arises form the fact that $F_{(U)} \circ (F_{(u)}^{(+)})^{-1}$ is an isometry as follows from (b) in Proposition 3.3 and (a) in Proposition 3.2. The last identity is nothing but the definition of $K_{\mathcal{H}}$. With the same procedure we

similarly have

$$\sigma(\psi_3, \psi'_3) = -2\text{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi_1, \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi'_1 \rangle_{\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}}$$

If we refer to $\sigma(\psi_2, \psi'_2)$, we can employ the coordinate U taking into account that the support of those smooth functions is compact when referred to the coordinates (U, θ, ϕ) over \mathcal{H} .

Hence, $\psi_2, \psi'_2, \partial_U\psi_2, \partial_U\psi'_2 \in L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, dU \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$ so that, at a level of U -Fourier transforms, it holds $\widehat{\psi}_{2+}, \widehat{\psi}'_{2+} \in L^2(\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2, dK \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2) \cap L^2(\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2, KdK \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$. Finally, in the considered case, directly by the definition, $\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi'_2 = \widehat{\psi}'_{2+}$ and $\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi_2 = \widehat{\psi}_{2+}$. If one uses the fact that $\widehat{\psi}_2(-K, \theta, \phi) = \widehat{\psi}_2(K, \theta, \phi)$ since ψ_2 and ψ'_2 are real, one straightforwardly achieves the first identity:

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma(\psi_2, \psi'_2) &= -2\text{Im}\langle \widehat{\psi}_{2+}, \widehat{\psi}'_{2+} \rangle_{L^2(\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2, 2KdK \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)} \\ &= -2\text{Im}\langle F_{(U)}\psi_{2+}, F_{(U)}\psi'_{2+} \rangle_{L^2(\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2, 2KdK \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)} \\ &= -2\text{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi_2, \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi'_2 \rangle_{\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}} \end{aligned}$$

The remaining identities follow from the definition of $F_{(U)}$ and $\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}$. As a further step we notice that

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma(\psi_1, \psi'_3) &= 0 = -2\text{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi_1, \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi'_3 \rangle_{\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}} \\ \sigma(\psi_3, \psi'_1) &= 0 = -2\text{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi_3, \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi'_1 \rangle_{\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}} \end{aligned}$$

Let us focus on the first identity, the second being analogous; it holds true because the functions have disjoint supports, whereas $\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi_3, \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi'_1 \rangle_{\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}} = 0$ since, per direct application of (b) in Proposition 3.3, $\psi_1 \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^+)$ is the limit of a sequence of real smooth functions $f_n^{(1)}$ with support in \mathcal{H}^+ whereas $\psi'_3 \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^+)$ is the limit of a sequence of real smooth functions $f_n^{(3)}$ with support in \mathcal{H}^- . Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}f_n^{(1)}, \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}f_m^{(2)} \rangle_{\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}} &= \text{Im}\lambda_{\text{KW}}(f_m^{(1)}, f_n^{(2)}) \\ &= -\frac{r_{\mathbb{S}}^2}{\pi} \text{Im} \int_{\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2} \frac{f_n^{(1)}(U_1, \theta, \phi) f_m^{(2)}(U_2, \theta, \phi)}{(U_1 - U_2 - i0^+)^2} dU_1 \wedge dU_2 \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2(\theta, \phi) \\ &= -\frac{r_{\mathbb{S}}^2}{\pi} \text{Im} \int_{\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2} \frac{\partial_{U_1} f_n^{(1)}(U_1, \theta, \phi) f_m^{(2)}(U_2, \theta, \phi)}{U_1 - U_2 - i0^+} dU_1 \wedge dU_2 \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2(\theta, \phi) \\ &= -r_{\mathbb{S}}^2 \int_{\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2} \partial_{U_1} f_n^{(1)}(U_1, \theta, \phi) f_m^{(2)}(U_2, \theta, \phi) \delta(U_1 - U_2) dU_1 \\ &\quad \wedge dU_2 \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2(\theta, \phi) = 0, \end{aligned}$$

since $f_n^{(1)}$ and $f_m^{(2)}$ have disjoint support. Let us examine the term $\sigma(\psi_1, \psi'_2)$: in this case we decompose $\psi_1 = f_1 + g_1$ where $f_1 \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}^+; \mathbb{R})$ and $g_1 \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H}^+)$, but $\text{supp}(g_1) \cap \text{supp}(\psi'_2) = \emptyset$. We have:

$$\sigma(\psi_1, \psi'_2) = \sigma(f_1, \psi'_2) + \sigma(g_1, \psi'_2).$$

At the end of this proof we shall also prove that:

$$\sigma(\psi_1, \psi'_2) = 0 = -2\text{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi_1, \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi'_2 \rangle_{\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}}. \tag{C.10}$$

Conversely $\sigma(f_1, \psi'_2) = -2\text{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}f_1, \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi'_2 \rangle_{\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}}$, exactly as in the case $\sigma(\psi_2, \psi'_2)$ examined above. If we sum up, per \mathbb{R} -linearity:

$$\sigma(\psi_1, \psi'_2) = -2\text{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi_1, \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi'_2 \rangle_{\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}}.$$

With an analogous procedure we also achieve:

$$\sigma(\psi_2, \psi'_1) = -2\text{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi_1, \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi'_2 \rangle_{\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}} \quad \sigma(\psi_2, \psi'_3) = -2\text{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi_2, \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi'_3 \rangle_{\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}},$$

and

$$\sigma(\psi_3, \psi'_2) = -2\text{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi_3, \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi'_2 \rangle_{\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}}. \tag{C.11}$$

The identities (C.9)–(C.11), per \mathbb{R} -linearity, yield the thesis:

$$\sigma(\psi, \psi') = -2\text{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi, \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi' \rangle_{\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}}.$$

The proof ends provided we demonstrate (C.10). We only sketch the argument leaving the details to the reader. The proof is based on the following result. If $\psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})$ and $T \in \mathbb{R}$, let us denote by $\psi_T \in \mathcal{S}(\mathcal{H})$ the function such that $\psi_T(U, \theta, \phi) \doteq \psi(U - T, \theta, \phi)$. It is possible to prove that

$$(\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}(\psi_T))(K, \theta, \phi) = e^{-iKT} (\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}(\psi))(K, \theta, \phi). \tag{C.12}$$

The proof of (C.12) is straightforward when $\psi \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{R})$, since, in such case $\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}$ is the positive frequency part of the U -Fourier transform of ψ . If $\psi \notin C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{R})$, we can decompose it as $\psi_- + \psi_0 + \psi_+$, as in the definition of $\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}$, fixing ψ_- and ψ_+ in order that $(\psi_\pm)_T$ are still supported in $(-\infty, 0)$ and $(0, +\infty)$ respectively if $|T'| \leq T$. If one uses the fact, which can be proved by inspection, that — up to a re-definition of the initially taken $\psi_n - C_0(\mathcal{H}^+; \mathbb{R}) \ni (\psi_n)_T \rightarrow (\psi_+)_T$ in $H^1(\mathcal{H}^+)_u$ if $C_0(\mathcal{H}^+; \mathbb{R}) \ni \psi_n \rightarrow \psi_+$, one gets that (C.12) is valid for ψ_+ . The very same argument applies also ψ_- .

The very definition of $\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}$ entails the validity of (C.12) for every $\psi \in \mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H})$, which, in turn, yields (C.10) immediately, because, in the examined case,

$$\sigma(\psi_1, \psi'_2) = 0 = -2\mathrm{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi_1, \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi'_2 \rangle_{\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}}.$$

The left hand side vanishes as ψ_1, ψ'_2 have disjoint supports, whereas the right-hand side can be re-written as:

$$\begin{aligned} & -2\mathrm{Im} \int_{\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2} \overline{e^{-iT\mathbf{K}}(\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}g_1)(K, \theta, \phi)} e^{-iT\mathbf{K}}(\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi'_2)(K, \theta, \phi) 2KdK \\ & \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2(\theta, \phi) = -2\mathrm{Im} \langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}((g_1)_T), \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}((\psi'_2)_T) \rangle. \end{aligned}$$

Such term is also vanishing, because we can fix T so that $\mathrm{supp}((g_1)_T) \subset \mathcal{H}^-$ and $\mathrm{supp}((\psi'_2)_T) \subset \mathcal{H}^+$, hence reducing to the case $\sigma(\psi_1, \psi'_3) = 0 = -2\mathrm{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi_1, \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi'_3 \rangle_{\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}}$ examined beforehand.

(d) is a trivial consequence of (c) : if $\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi = 0$, then $\mathrm{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi, \mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}\psi' \rangle = 0$ and thus $\sigma_{\mathcal{H}}(\psi, \psi') = 0$ for every $\psi' \in \mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H})$. Since $\sigma_{\mathcal{H}}$ is nondegenerate, it implies $\psi = 0$. Let us prove (e). As $C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{R}) \subset \mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H})$,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}} &= \overline{F_{(U)}(C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{R}))} = \overline{\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}(C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{R}))} \subset \overline{\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}(\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H}))} \subset \mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}} \\ &\text{and thus } \overline{\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}(\mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H}))} = \mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}. \end{aligned}$$

The first identity arises out of (a) in Proposition 3.2, the second out of (b) in Proposition 3.4.

We can now conclude proving (f). The continuity of $\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}$ with respect to the considered norm holds for the following reason. If $\{\psi_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H})$ and $\|\psi_n\|_{\mathcal{H}}^{\chi} \rightarrow 0$, then, if we decompose $\psi_n = \psi_{0n} + \psi_{+n} + \psi_{-n}$, separately, ψ_{0n} and $\psi_{\pm n} \rightarrow 0$ in the respective Sobolev topologies. In turn $\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}(\psi_{0n}) = F_U(\psi_{0n}) \rightarrow 0$ because the Sobolev topology is stronger than that of $L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2; dU \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$ and $\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}(\psi_{\pm n}) \rightarrow 0$ for (b) in Proposition 3.3. Per definition of $\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}$, it hence holds $\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}(\psi_n) \rightarrow 0$. Thus the linear map $\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}} : \mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H}) \rightarrow s\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}$ is continuous it being continuous in 0. Particularly, we conclude, that there exists $C_\chi > 0$ (the value 0 is not allowed since $\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}$ cannot be null function) with $\|\mathbf{K}_{\mathcal{H}}(\psi)\|_{\mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{H}}} \leq C_\chi \|\psi\|_{\mathcal{H}}^{\chi}$ for every $\psi \in \mathbf{S}(\mathcal{H})$. The Cauchy–Schwartz inequality implies the one displayed in (f). \square

Proof of Proposition 3.7. Let us define $v = x^2$ if $x \geq 0$ and $v = -x^2$ if $v < 0$. Per direct inspection one sees that, if $\psi, \psi' \in C_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}_* \times \mathbb{S}^2; \mathbb{R})$,

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\mathbb{R}^2 \times \mathbb{S}^2} \frac{\psi(v, \theta, \phi) \psi'(v', \theta, \phi)}{(v - v' - i0^+)^2} dv \wedge dv' \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2(\theta, \phi) \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^2 \times \mathbb{S}^2} \frac{\psi(v(x), \theta, \phi) \psi'(v(x'), \theta, \phi)}{(x' - x - i0^+)^2} dx \wedge dx' \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2(\theta, \phi) \\ &+ \int_{\mathbb{R}^2 \times \mathbb{S}^2} \frac{\psi(v(x), \theta, \phi) \psi'(v(-x'), \theta, \phi)}{(x' - x - i0^+)^2} dx \wedge dx' \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2(\theta, \phi). \end{aligned} \tag{C.13}$$

At a level of x -Fourier transform, let us denote as $\dot{\psi} = \dot{\psi}(h, \theta, \phi)$, with $h \in \mathbb{R}$ and $(\theta, \phi) \in \mathbb{S}^2$ the x -Fourier transform of $\psi(v(x))$. Let us also define $\dot{\psi}_+ \doteq \dot{\psi}|_{\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2}$, then, out of the fact that if ϕ is real valued, as it happens for ψ and ψ' , then $\overline{\dot{\phi}_+(h, \theta, \phi)}$ is the x Fourier transform of $x \mapsto \phi(-x, \theta, \phi)$, (C.13) can be re-written as

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^+}(\psi, \psi') &= \int_{\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2} \overline{\dot{\psi}'_+(h, \theta, \phi)} \dot{\psi}_+(h, \theta, \phi) 2h dh \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2 \\ &+ \int_{\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2} \overline{\dot{\psi}'_+(h, \theta, \phi)} (C\dot{\psi}_+)(h, \theta, \phi) 2h dh \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2, \end{aligned} \tag{C.14}$$

where the operator $C : L^2(\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2, 2h dh) \rightarrow L^2(\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2, 2h dh)$ is anti-unitary and it is nothing but the complex conjugation. Now let us take $\psi \in \mathfrak{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$ which is completely supported in $\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2$. Per definition of $\mathfrak{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$, the function $\psi = \psi(v(x))$ and its x -derivative belong to $L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, dx \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$ and, thus, ψ belongs to $H^1(\mathfrak{S}^+)_x$. A sequence of functions $\psi_n \in C^\infty(\mathbb{R}_* \times \mathbb{S}^2; \mathbb{R})$ which converges to ψ in $H^1(\mathfrak{S}^-)_x$ can be constructed as $\psi_n = \chi_n \cdot \psi$, where $\chi_n(x) \doteq \chi(x/n) \geq 0$ with $\chi(x) = 1$ if $x \in (-1, +\infty)$ and $\chi(x) = 0$ for $x \leq -2$. Per direct inspection and thanks to Lebesgue's dominated convergence theorem, one achieves that $C^\infty(\mathbb{R}_* \times \mathbb{S}^2; \mathbb{R}) \ni \psi_n \rightarrow \psi$ in $H^1(\mathfrak{S}^-)_x$ as $n \rightarrow +\infty$. Consequently $\dot{\psi}_n \rightarrow \dot{\psi}$ both in $L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2, dh)$ and in $L^2(\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2, h^2 dh)$. Therefore $\dot{\psi}_{n+} \rightarrow \dot{\psi}_+$ in the topology of $L^2(\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2, 2h dh)$. Finally, in view of (C.14) and on account of the continuity of C , the sequence $\{\psi_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ is of Cauchy type with respect to $\lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$. The same argument shows that, if $C^\infty(\mathbb{R}_* \times \mathbb{S}^2; \mathbb{R}) \ni \psi'_n \rightarrow \psi$ in $H^1(\mathfrak{S}^-)$ as $n \rightarrow +\infty$, then $\lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(\psi_n - \psi'_n, \psi_n - \psi'_n) \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow +\infty$. Hence (3.15) and (3.16) are trivial consequences of what proved, which is tantamount to verify (a) and (b). \square

Proof of Proposition 3.8. The proofs of items (a),(b),(d),(e) as well as (f) are very similar to those of the corresponding items in Proposition 3.4,

so they will be omitted. We instead focus our attention on (c), whose proof is similar to the same point (c) of Proposition 3.4, though with some relevant differences. Let us take $\psi, \psi' \in \mathcal{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$ and let us decompose them as $\psi = \psi_0 + \psi_1$, $\psi' = \psi'_0 + \psi'_1$ where $\psi_0, \psi_1 \in C_0^\infty(\mathfrak{S}^-; \mathbb{R})$ while ψ'_0, ψ'_1 are supported in $(0, +\infty) \times \mathbb{S}^2$. Since $\sigma \doteq \sigma_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$ and $\langle, \rangle = \langle, \rangle_{\mathfrak{S}^+}$, it holds

$$\sigma(\psi, \psi') = \sigma(\psi_0, \psi'_0) + \sigma(\psi_0, \psi'_1) + \sigma(\psi_1, \psi'_0) + \sigma(\psi_1, \psi'_1).$$

Exactly as in (c) of the Proposition 3.4, we conclude that

$$\sigma(\psi_0, \psi'_0) = -2\text{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \psi_0, \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \psi'_0 \rangle. \tag{C.15}$$

With reference to $\sigma(\psi_1, \psi'_1)$, we have instead:

$$-2\text{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \psi_1, \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \psi'_1 \rangle = -2\text{Im}\langle F_{(v)}(\psi_1), F_{(v)}(\psi'_1) \rangle = -2\text{Im}\lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(\psi_1, \psi'_1).$$

If we make both use of (3.16), and of the fact that the above identity can be used for ψ_1, ψ'_1 as established in (b) of Proposition 3.6, we have

$$\begin{aligned} -2\text{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \psi_1, \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \psi'_1 \rangle &= -2\text{Im} \int_{\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2} \overline{\dot{\psi}_1} \dot{\psi}'_1 2h \, dh \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2 \\ &\quad - 2\text{Im} \int_{\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2} \overline{\dot{\psi}_1 \dot{\psi}'_1} 2h \, dh \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2, \end{aligned}$$

where $\dot{\psi}(h, \theta, \phi)$ is the x -Fourier–Plancherel transform of $\psi = \psi(v(x), \theta, \phi)$. The last term in the right-hand side can be omitted for the following reason. If we look at (C.13), we see that $-i0^+$ can be replaced by $+i0^+$ without altering the result, since the functions in the numerator have disjoint supports. This is equivalent to say that, in the right-hand side of (C.14), the last term can be replaced with its complex conjugation without affecting the final result. Finally, this means that the identity written above can be equivalently recast as

$$\begin{aligned} -2\text{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^+} \psi_1, \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \psi'_1 \rangle &= -2\text{Im} \int_{\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2} \overline{\dot{\psi}_1} \dot{\psi}'_1 2h \, dh \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2 \\ &\quad - 2\text{Im} \int_{\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2} \overline{\dot{\psi}_1 \dot{\psi}'_1} 2h \, dh \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2. \end{aligned}$$

As a consequence the last term can be dropped, so that:

$$\begin{aligned} -2\text{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^+} \psi_1, \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \psi'_1 \rangle &= -4\text{Im} \int_{\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2} \overline{\dot{\psi}_1} h \dot{\psi}'_1 \, dh \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2 \\ &= 2i \int_{\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2} \overline{\dot{\psi}_1} h \dot{\psi}'_1 \, dh \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2 = \sigma(\psi_1, \psi'_1). \tag{C.16} \end{aligned}$$

In the last passage we have used that $-ih\dot{\psi}'_1$ is the x -Fourier transform of $\partial_x \psi'_1$, and that the integration in $\sigma(\psi_1, \psi'_1)$ can be performed in the variable x since the singularity of the coordinates at $x = 0$ is irrelevant, the supports of ψ_1 and ψ'_1 being away from there. One should also notice that these functions are real so that $\overline{\dot{\psi}_i(h, \theta, \phi)} = \dot{\psi}_i(-h, \theta, \phi)$. Let us consider the term $\sigma(\psi_0, \psi'_1)$ the other, $\sigma(\psi_1, \psi'_0)$ can be treated similarly. To this end, let us decompose $\psi'_1 = \phi'_0 + \phi'_1$ in order that $\phi'_0 \in C_0^\infty(\mathfrak{S}^-; \mathbb{R})$ and the support of ϕ'_1 is disjoint from that of ψ_0 . Therefore: $\sigma(\psi_0, \psi'_1) = \sigma(\psi_0, \phi'_0) + \sigma(\psi_0, \phi'_1) = -2\text{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^+} \psi_1, \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \phi'_1 \rangle + \sigma(\psi_0, \phi'_1)$. Since we shall prove that:

$$\sigma(\psi_0, \phi'_1) = 0 = -2\text{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \psi_0, \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^+} \phi'_1 \rangle, \tag{C.17}$$

we also have that

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma(\psi_0, \psi'_1) &= -2\text{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \psi_0, \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \psi'_1 \rangle, \quad \text{and similarly,} \\ \sigma(\psi_1, \psi'_0) &= -2\text{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \psi_1, \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \psi'_0 \rangle, \end{aligned}$$

which, together (C.15) and (C.16) implies the validity of (c) by bi-linearity:

$$\sigma(\psi, \psi') = -2\text{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \psi, \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \psi' \rangle.$$

To conclude, it is enough to prove (C.17). The left-hand side vanishes since the supports of the functions ψ_0, ϕ'_1 are disjoint by construction. Hence, it remains to verify that $\text{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^+} \psi_0, \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \phi'_1 \rangle = 0$. If it were $\text{supp}(\psi_0) \subset (-\infty, 0) \times \mathbb{S}^2$ and $\text{supp}(\phi'_1) \subset (0, +\infty) \times \mathbb{S}^2$, one would achieve $\text{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \psi_0, \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \phi'_1 \rangle = 0$ through the same argument used in the corresponding case (that of $\sigma(\psi_1, \psi'_3)$) in the proof of (c) of the Proposition 3.4. To wit, one should employ a sequence of real smooth functions which tends to ϕ'_1 in the topology of $\lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$ and with compact supports all enclosed in $(0, +\infty) \times \mathbb{S}^2$. Such a sequence exists in view of Proposition 3.6. As a matter of fact, we can focus our attention to the lone case $\text{supp}(\psi_0) \subset (-\infty, 0) \times \mathbb{S}^2$ and $\text{supp}(\phi'_1) \subset (0, +\infty) \times \mathbb{S}^2$, thanks to the following lemma which will also play a pivotal role in the proof of (b) of Theorem 3.2.

Lemma C.3. *For $\psi \in \mathfrak{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$ and $L \in \mathbb{R}$, let $\psi_L \in \mathfrak{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$ denote the function with $\psi_L(v, \theta, \phi) \doteq \psi(v - L, \theta, \phi)$ for all $v \in \mathbb{R}$ and $\theta, \phi \in \mathbb{S}^2$. With the given definition for $\mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} : \mathfrak{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-) \rightarrow \mathbf{H}_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$, it holds:*

$$(\mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \psi_L)(k, \theta, \phi) = e^{-iLk} (\mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \psi)(k, \theta, \phi), \quad \forall (k, \theta, \phi) \in \mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2. \tag{C.18}$$

Proof of Lemma C.3. Per definition, if $\psi \in \mathfrak{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$ is fixed, $\mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \psi = F_{(v)} \psi_0 + F_{(v)} \psi_-$, where $\psi = \psi_0 + \psi_-$ with $\psi_0 \in C_0^\infty(\mathfrak{S}^-; \mathbb{R})$ and $\psi_- \in \mathfrak{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$ with

$\text{supp}(\psi_-) \subset (-\infty, 0) \times \mathbb{S}^2$. Let us fix $L \in \mathbb{R}$ and let us notice that, the very definition of $F_{(v)}$ on $C_0^\infty(\mathfrak{S}^-; \mathbb{R})$ yields

$$F_{(v)}(\psi_0)_L = e^{-iLk} F_{(v)}\psi_0.$$

To conclude it is sufficient to establish that it also holds:

$$F_{(v)}(\psi_-)_L = e^{-iLk} F_{(v)}\psi_-. \tag{C.19}$$

Since the definition of $\mathcal{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-}\psi$ does not depend on the chosen decomposition $\psi = \psi_0 + \psi_-$, we can fix ψ_0 and ψ_- such that the support of $(\psi_-)_L$ is still included in $(-\infty, 0)$. This holds true for every ψ_- if $L \leq 0$, but it is not straightforward for $L > 0$ and, in this case, the support of ψ_- has to be fixed sufficiently far from 0). To establish (C.19), let us use the coordinate $x = -\sqrt{-v}$ for $v < 0$. The singularity at $v = 0$ does not affect the procedure since the supports of all the involved functions do not include it. We know, thanks to the proof of Proposition 3.6, that there exists a sequence $C_0^\infty(\mathfrak{S}^-; \mathbb{R}) \ni \psi_n \rightarrow \psi_-$, all supported in $\text{supp}(\psi_-) \subset (-\infty, 0) \times \mathbb{S}^2$; the convergence is here meant both in the topology of $H^1(\mathfrak{S}^-)$ and in that of $\lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$. Per direct inspection, one sees that, for the above-mentioned sequence it holds $\text{supp}(\psi_n)_L \subset \text{supp}(\psi_n) \subset (0, +\infty) \times \mathbb{S}^2$ and $\psi_n \rightarrow \psi_-$ entails $(\psi_n)_L \rightarrow (\psi_-)_L$ for $n \rightarrow +\infty$ in the topology of $H^1(\mathfrak{S}^-)_x$. According to (b) in Proposition 3.6, this also implies that the convergence holds in the topology of $\lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$. Since $F_{(v)}$ is continuous with respect to the last mentioned topology, we get, as $n \rightarrow +\infty$:

$$e^{-iLk} F_{(v)}\psi_n = F_{(v)}(\psi_n)_L \rightarrow F_{(v)}(\psi_-)_L.$$

On the other hand, since $F_{(v)}\psi_n \rightarrow F_{(v)}\psi_-$ in $L^2(\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{S}^2, kdk \wedge d\mathbb{S}^2)$, it trivially holds as $n \rightarrow +\infty$:

$$e^{-iLk} F_{(v)}\psi_n \rightarrow e^{-iLk} F_{(v)}\psi_-,$$

and thus

$$e^{-iLk} F_{(v)}\psi = F_{(v)}(\psi_-)_L,$$

which implies (C.19), concluding the proof. □

To conclude the proof of (c), we note that, in view of (C.18), it must hold $-2\text{Im}\langle \mathcal{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-}\psi_0, \mathcal{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^+}\phi'_1 \rangle = -2\text{Im}\langle \mathcal{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(\psi_0)_L, \mathcal{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(\phi'_1)_L \rangle$ for every $L \in \mathbb{R}$.

Therefore, we can fix L so that $\text{supp}(\psi_0)_L \subset (-\infty, 0) \times \mathbb{S}^2$ and $\text{supp}((\phi'_1)_L) \subset (0, +\infty) \times \mathbb{S}^2$, obtaining, as said before,

$$-2\text{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \psi_0, \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} \phi'_1 \rangle = -2\text{Im}\langle \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} (\psi_0)_L, \mathbf{K}_{\mathfrak{S}^-} (\phi'_1)_L \rangle = 0.$$

This implies (C.17) and, hence, (c). □

Proof of Proposition 4.2. The first assertion arises per direct inspection of Definition 4.1 and, thus, we need only to prove that the (complexified) functionals on $C_0^\infty(\mathcal{M}; \mathbb{C}) \times C_0^\infty(\mathcal{M}; \mathbb{C})$, $\Lambda_{\mathcal{H}}$ and $\Lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$ are separately distributions in $\mathcal{D}'(\mathcal{M} \times \mathcal{M})$. To this end, it suffices to show that the maps $f \mapsto \Lambda_i(f, \cdot)$ and $g \mapsto \Lambda_i(\cdot, g)$ are weakly continuous, *i.e.*, they tend to 0 when tested with any sequence of functions $h_j \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{M}; \mathbb{C})$ which converges to 0 in the topology of test functions. Here and hereafter the subscript i stands either for \mathcal{H} or for \mathfrak{S}^- . According to Theorem 2.1.4 of [32], such statement entails that both $\Lambda_i(f, \cdot)$ and $\Lambda_i(\cdot, g)$ are distributions in $\mathcal{D}'(\mathcal{M})$, hence they are sequentially continuous. Once established, one can, therefore, invoke the Schwartz' integral kernel theorem to conclude that $\Lambda_i \in \mathcal{D}'(\mathcal{M} \times \mathcal{M})$. In view of the complexification procedure, it is sufficient to consider only the case of real valued test functions.

Let us start with \mathfrak{S}^- ; in this case $\lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$ has the explicit form (3.16) in Proposition 3.7 and, thus, one can take into account a generic decomposition (3.17) generated by a smooth function η supported on $\mathbb{R}_- \times \mathbb{S}^2$ and equal to one for $v < v_0 < 0$. Due to the continuity property, discussed at point (f) of Proposition 3.4,

$$|\Lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(f, h)| = |\lambda_{\mathfrak{S}^-}(\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^f, \varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^h)| \leq C \|\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^f\|_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^\eta \|\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^h\|_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^\eta.$$

We recall that, for every $\varphi \in \mathfrak{S}(\mathfrak{S}^-)$, $\|\varphi\|_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^\eta$ is defined in (3.19) as the sum

$$\|\varphi\|_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^\eta = \|\eta\varphi\|_{H^1(\mathfrak{S}^-)_x} + \|(1 - \eta)\varphi\|_{H^1(\mathfrak{S}^-)_v}.$$

Continuity is tantamount to show that, for $f, g \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{M}; \mathbb{R})$, if $f \rightarrow 0$ with a fixed g (or $g \rightarrow 0$ with a fixed f) in the topology of $C_0^\infty(\mathcal{M}; \mathbb{C})$, both Sobolev norms, above written, tend to zero. Let us start from the second one. For a given compact $K \subset \mathcal{M}$, as in the proof of Lemma 2.1, let us fix a sufficiently large globally hyperbolic spacetime $\mathcal{N} \subset \widetilde{\mathcal{M}}$ which is equipped with the metric \tilde{g} and which extends \mathcal{M} partly around \mathfrak{S}^- . Furthermore \mathcal{N} must include K and $\mathcal{N} \cap \mathfrak{S}^-$ should encompass all the points with $v \geq v_0$, reached by the closure in $\mathcal{M} \cup \mathfrak{S}^-$ of $J^-(K; \mathcal{M})$. If we notice that the causal propagator $E_{P_{\tilde{g}}}$ is a continuous map from $C_0^\infty(\mathcal{M}; \mathbb{R}) \rightarrow C^\infty(\mathcal{N}; \mathbb{R})$, one has that $(1 - \eta)\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^f$ and all the v -derivatives uniformly vanishes as $f \rightarrow 0$

in the topology of $C_0^\infty(\mathcal{M}; \mathbb{C})$. Since, per constriction, all the functions $(1 - \eta)\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^f$ have support in a common compact of $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^2$ determined by η and $J^-(K; \mathcal{M})$, also $\|(1 - \eta)\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^f\|_{H^1(\mathfrak{S}^-)_v}$ tends to zero in view of the integral expression of the Sobolev norm.

To conclude, in order to deal with the contribution $\|\eta\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^f\|_{H^1(\mathfrak{S}^-)_x}$, let us notice that, according to Proposition 2.1 (point (b) in particular), the restriction of a solution of the D'Alembert wave equation on \mathfrak{S}^- decays on null infinity, for $|v|$ greater than a certain $|v_0|$, as $\frac{C_f}{\sqrt{1+|v|}}$, while its v -derivative as $\frac{C_f}{1+|v|}$, where C_f tends to 0 as $f \rightarrow 0$ in the topology of $C_0^\infty(\mathcal{M}; \mathbb{C})$. Hence per direct inspection, if we work with the coordinate x , also $\|\eta\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^f\|_{H^1(\mathfrak{S}^-)_x}$ vanishes as f tends to zero in the topology of $C_0^\infty(\mathcal{M}; \mathbb{C})$.

The case of \mathcal{H} can be dealt with in the same way using the continuity presented in point (f) of Proposition 3.4 and the appropriate decay estimates of the wave functions presented in Proposition 2.1. As before, one can reach the conclusion that both $\Lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(f, \cdot)$ and $\Lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\cdot, g)$ lie in $\mathcal{D}'(\mathcal{M})$. □

Proof of Proposition 4.4. Let us start considering $\|\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^{f_p}\|_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$ as defined in (3.19) for some generic decomposition based on the choice of the function η). Here $f \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{M})$ and p lie in a conic neighbourhood V_{k_x} of k_x , we are going to specify. The procedure we shall employ can be similarly used also for $\|\chi' \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{f_p}\|_{\mathcal{H}^-}$ to show that it is rapidly decreasing in p . Furthermore we recall that $f_p \doteq f e^{i(p, \cdot)}$, while $\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^{f_p}$ is the smooth limit towards of \mathfrak{S}^- of $E_{P_g} f_p$, where E_{P_g} is the causal propagator of P_g as in (2.5). Furthermore $\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^{f_p}$, together with its derivative along the global null coordinate v is known to decay at $-\infty$ according to the estimates (2.20) in Proposition 2.1, in turn based on the work of [19], i.e.,

$$|\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^{f_p}| \leq \frac{C_3}{\sqrt{1+|v|}}, \quad |X(\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^{f_p})| \leq \frac{C_4}{1+|v|}.$$

Here X still stands for the smooth Killing vector field on the conformally extended Kruskal spacetime, coinciding with ∂_v on \mathfrak{S}^- . They yields that the norm $\|\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^{f_p}\|_{\mathfrak{S}^-}$, defined as in (3.19), is controlled by the above coefficients C_3 and C_4 which depend on φ^{f_p} , since the norms of the remaining universal functions smoothed about i^- are finite. Hence, we shall analyse them explicitly and we notice that all the relevant results in 2.1 can be straightforwardly extended to the complex case. Our goal is to establish that the coefficients C_3 and C_4 are rapidly decreasing in p when computed for φ^{f_p} in the given hypotheses about x and k_x .

As a starting point, let us consider the case in which $x \in I^+(\mathcal{B}; \mathcal{M})$, \mathcal{B} being the bifurcation. In order to study this, as well as all other scenarios, we make use of the results and of the techniques available in [19] of which we shall adopt nomenclatures and conventions. In this last cited paper it is manifest, that, up to a term depending on the support of initial data, the dependence on the wave function in C_3 and C_4 is factorised in the square root of the so-called coefficient \tilde{E}_5 , namely formula (5.4) in [19]. After few formal manipulations, the relevant expression can be (re)written as an integral over the constant time surface $\Sigma_1 \subset \mathcal{W}$, unambiguously individuated, in the coordinates (t, r, θ, ϕ) , as the locus $t = -1$. Here we consider $t = -1$ because we are interested in the decay property in a neighbourhood of i^- . Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{E}_5(\varphi) = & \sum_{i=1..2} \int_{\Sigma_1} T_{\mu\nu}(\Omega^i \varphi) n^\mu n^\nu d\mu(\Sigma_1) + \sum_{i=1..4} \int_{\Sigma_1} T_{\mu\nu}(\Omega^i \varphi) K^\mu n^\nu d\mu(\Sigma_1) \\ & + \sum_{i=1..5} \int_{\Sigma_1} T_{\mu\nu}(\Omega^i \varphi) X^\mu n^\nu d\mu(\Sigma_1), \end{aligned} \tag{C.20}$$

where n is the vector orthogonal to Σ_1 , pointing towards the past, and normalised as $g^{\mu\nu} n_\mu n_\nu = -1$, $K \doteq v^2 \frac{\partial}{\partial v} + u^2 \frac{\partial}{\partial u}$ is the so-called *Morawetz vector field*, X is the timelike Killing vector field $\frac{\partial}{\partial t}$, whereas $d\mu(\Sigma_1)$ is the metric induced measure on Σ_1 . Furthermore,

$$T_{\mu\nu}(\varphi) = \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \bar{\varphi} \partial_\nu \varphi + \partial_\nu \bar{\varphi} \partial_\mu \varphi) - \frac{1}{2} g_{\mu\nu} (\partial_\lambda \bar{\varphi} \partial^\lambda \varphi),$$

stands for the stress-energy tensor computed with respect of the solution φ , while $\Omega^2 \doteq r^2 \nabla \nabla$ is the squared angular momentum operator, ∇ , being the covariant derivative induced by the metric (2.4), normalised with $r = 1$, on the orbits of $SO(3)$ isomorphic to \mathbb{S}^2 . We remark both that the above expression can be found in Theorem 4.1 in [18] and, more important to our purposes, that the integrand is a (Hermitian) quadratic combination of a finite number of derivatives of φ^{f_p} on Σ_1 . Furthermore, since $J^-(\text{supp}(f_p); \mathcal{M}) \cap \Sigma_1$ is compact, the integrand in (C.20) does not vanish at most on a compact set and, thus, the overall integral can be bounded by a linear combination of products of the sup of the absolute value of derivatives of φ^{f_p} up to a certain order, all evaluated on Σ_1 . Let us notice that, all the remaining functions in the integrand which define \tilde{E}_5 , barring the said products of derivatives, are continuous and, thus, bounded on the compact set where φ^{f_p} does not vanish on Σ_1 .

Let us thus focus on φ^{f_p} itself as well as on both the initially chosen $x \in I^+(\mathcal{B}; \mathcal{M})$ and k_x . If one uses global coordinates, we identify an open relatively compact set \mathcal{O} which contains both the support of f and that

of the function ρ we shall introduce in \mathbb{R}^4 by means of a local coordinate patch. In this way every vector $p \in \mathbb{R}^4$ can be viewed as an element of the cotangent space at any point in that set. It is also always possible to select $f \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{M}; \mathbb{R})$ with $f(x) = 1$ and with a sufficiently small support, such that every inextensible geodesic starting from $\text{supp}(f)$, with cotangent vector equal to k_x , intersects \mathcal{H} in a point with coordinate $U > 0$. Hence, we can always fix $\rho \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{X}; \mathbb{R})$ such that (i) $\rho = 1$ on $J^-(\text{supp}(f); \mathcal{M}) \cap \Sigma_1$ and (ii) the null geodesics emanating from $\text{supp}(f)$ with k_x as cotangent vector do not meet the support of ρ . Furthermore, on account of the form of the wave front set of $E_{P_g}(z, z')$, now thought of in the whole Kruskal spacetime \mathcal{K} , whose elements $(z, z', k_z, k_{z'})$ have always to fulfil $(z, k_z) \sim (z', -k_{z'})$, we realize that, with (x, k_x) fixed as above and with the given definitions of f and ρ ,

$$\{(x_1, x_2, k_1, k_x) \in T^*(\mathcal{M} \times \mathcal{M}) \mid x_1 \in \text{supp}(\rho), x_2 \in \text{supp}(f), k_1 \in \mathbb{R}^4\} \cap WF(E) = \emptyset.$$

If we employ this result and if we remember the definition of wavefront set we can use Lemma 8.1.1 in [32], though working in the coordinate frame initially fixed on the compact $\bar{\mathcal{O}}$, to further adjust ρ, f while preserving the constraints already stated. In this way there exists an open conical neighbourhood V_{k_x} of k_x in $T_x^*\mathcal{M}$ such that for all $n, n' = 1, 2, \dots$, one can find two non-negative constants C_n and C'_n which fulfil

$$|\widehat{\rho E f}(k_1, p)| \leq \frac{C_n}{1 + |k_1|^n} \frac{C'_{n'}}{1 + |p|^{n'}}, \tag{C.21}$$

uniformly for $(k_1, p) \in (\mathbb{R}^4 \setminus \{0\}) \times V_{k_x}$. The searched bounds on the behaviour at large $|p|$ for C_3 and C_4 , computed for φ^{f_p} with p in a open conical neighbourhood of k_x , arise in term of corresponding bounds of the derivatives $|\partial_x^a \overline{\varphi^{f_p}}(x) \partial_x^b \varphi^{f_p}(x)|$. One must take into account the explicit expression of both C_3 and C_4 as integrals over the relevant portion of Σ_1 , which has finite measure because it is compact. Each factor $\partial_x^a \varphi^{f_p}(x)$ coincides with the inverse k_1 -Fourier transform of $\widehat{\rho E f}(k_1, p)$ multiplied with powers of the components of k_1 up to a finite order which depends on the considered degree of the derivative. As a last step, to get rid of the k_1 dependence, one needs to integrate the absolute value over k_1 , but the right-hand side of (C.21) grants us that the overall procedure yields that the supremum of the integrand in (C.20) is of rapid decrease in p for all $p \in V_{k_x}$.

Nonetheless, the result is not yet conclusive since we still need to analyse the case in which the point x lies in $\partial J^+(\mathcal{B}; \mathcal{K}) \cap \mathcal{M}$, that is $x \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ev}}$. In such case, for every open cone $\Gamma \in T_x^*\mathcal{M}$ containing k_x , there exists $p \in \Gamma$

such that the inextensible geodesic which starts from x and it is tangent to p , meets the closure of Σ_1 , hence reaching \mathcal{B} . Therefore, in order to apply the same argument as before, we need to modify the form of Σ_1 in the computation of (C.20) in a neighbourhood of \mathcal{B} . Therefore we need a slightly more refined estimate of the decay-rate of the solutions of (2.5) on \mathfrak{S}^- . This can be achieved if we adapt the proof of Theorem 1.1 in [19] under the assumption that we modify the form of Σ_1 , used to compute (C.20) into that of another spacelike hypersurface, say Σ'_1 , contained in \mathscr{W} and such that it intersects \mathcal{H} at some negative value of the Kruskal null coordinate U . Hence it differs from Σ_1 only in a neighbourhood of \mathcal{B} .

In the forthcoming discussion, we shall briefly review the arguments given in [19] in order to show that it is really possible to deform the initial surface Σ_1 on which the value of \tilde{E}_5 is computed, preserving at the same time the decay estimates presented above as well as in (2.20). To this end we shall follow the discussion and the notation introduced in [19] in order to obtain the decay estimates in the neighbourhood of i^+ . The desired estimates towards i^- could be obtained out of the time reversal symmetry. Let us start noticing that a central role in the analysis performed in [19] is played by the flux generated by the Morawetz vector field $K = v^2 \frac{\partial}{\partial v} + u^2 \frac{\partial}{\partial u}$. Moreover, as explained in Section 9 of [19], the crucial estimates, are obtained out of the divergence, *a.k.a.*, Stokes-Poincaré theorem, applied to the current $J_\mu^K(\varphi)$:

$$J_\mu^K(\varphi) = K^\nu T_{\mu\nu}(\varphi) + |\varphi|^2 \nabla_\mu \psi - \psi \nabla_\mu |\varphi|^2, \quad \psi = \frac{tr^*}{4r} \left(1 - \frac{2m}{r} \right)$$

which is generated by K though with a modification due to total derivatives. If we follow such way of reasoning, we can compute the mentioned flux between two spacelike smooth surfaces Σ_1 and Σ_2 in \mathscr{W} , identified respectively as the loci with fixed time coordinate $\{t = t_1\}$ and $\{t = t_2\}$, though with $t_2 > t_1$. The end point is

$$\hat{E}_\varphi^K(t_2) = \hat{E}_\varphi^K(t_1) + \hat{I}_\varphi^K(\mathcal{P}),$$

where $\hat{E}_\varphi^K(t_2)$ is the boundary term computed on Σ_2 and $\hat{I}_\varphi^K(\mathcal{P})$ is the the volume term computed in the region $\mathcal{P} \doteq J^+(\Sigma_1) \cap J^-(\Sigma_2)$. Let us notice that the integrand of the boundary terms $\hat{E}_\varphi^K(t_1)$ are everywhere positive, while, as it can be seen from Proposition 10.7 of [19], the one of the volume element $\hat{I}_\varphi^K(\mathcal{P})$ is negative everywhere, but in the region $\mathcal{P} \cap \{r_0 < r < R\}$ where the constant r_0 and R (with $2m < r_0 < 3m < R$) are defined in Section 6 of [19]. For our later purposes, since we would like to eventually deform both Σ_1 and Σ_2 in a neighbourhood of \mathcal{B} , one should notice that the integrand is negative on such a neighbourhood if chosen in the region $r < r_0$.

Since the pointwise decay estimate towards i^+ on \mathfrak{S}^+ can be obtained from $\hat{E}_\varphi^K(t)$, the problem boils down to control the bad positive volume term in $\hat{I}_\varphi^K(\mathcal{P})$. Luckily enough, the positive part of $\hat{I}_\varphi^K(\mathcal{P})$ can be tamed by t_2 times $\hat{I}_\varphi^{\mathbf{X}}(\mathcal{P}) + \hat{I}_{\Omega\varphi}^{\mathbf{X}}(\mathcal{P})$ where $\hat{I}_\varphi^{\mathbf{X}}(\mathcal{P})$ is the sum of the volume terms. These arise out of the divergence theorem applied to the modified current generated by vectors like $X_\ell = f_\ell(r^*) \frac{\partial}{\partial r^*}$ acting separately on an angular mode decomposition⁵. We refer to Section 7 of [19] for further details on the construction of $\hat{I}_\varphi^{\mathbf{X}}(\mathcal{P})$ and to [17] for recent results that do not require a decomposition in modes.

Notice that, as discussed in proposition 10.2 of [19] the boundary terms $|E_\varphi^{\mathbf{X}}(t)|$ are always smaller then a constant C times the conserved flux of energy $E_\varphi(t)$, with respect to the Killing time $\frac{\partial}{\partial t}$. Hence, if we collect all these results, it is possible to write

$$\hat{E}_\varphi^K(t) \leq \hat{E}_\varphi^K(t_1) + (t - t_1)C (E_{\varphi^\chi}(t_1) + E_{\Omega\varphi^\chi}(t_1)), \tag{C.22}$$

where Ω is the square root of the angular momentum while φ^χ is a solution of the equation of motion coinciding with φ on $(t_1, t) \times (r_0, R) \times \mathbb{S}^2$. This vanishes in a neighbourhood of \mathcal{B} , as the one constructed in the proof of Proposition 10.12 in [19]. More precisely, for t sufficiently close to t_1 , φ^χ can be chosen as the solution generated by the following compactly supported Cauchy data on Σ_{t_1} : $\varphi^\chi(t_1, r^*) = \chi(2r^*/t_1)\varphi(t_1, r^*)$ and $\partial_t\varphi^\chi(t_1 r^*) = \chi(2r^*/t_1)\partial_t\varphi(t_1, r^*)$, where χ is a compactly supported smooth function on \mathbb{R} equal to 1 on $[-1, 1]$ and vanishing outside $[-1.5, 1.5]$.

As explained in Section 12.1 of [19], it can be shown that, if $t_2 = 1.1t_1$ and t_1 is sufficiently large, then $E_{\varphi^\chi}(t_2) \leq C t_2^{-2} \hat{E}_\varphi^K(t_2)$ and this allows to obtain a better estimate then (C.22), namely it yields

$$t_2 \hat{I}_\varphi^{\mathbf{X}}(\mathcal{P}) \leq \frac{C}{t_2} \hat{E}_\varphi^K(t_1) + C (E_{\varphi^\chi}(t_1) + E_{\Omega\varphi^\chi}(t_1)), \tag{C.23}$$

which is valid for $t_2 = 1.1t_1$ in particular. The estimate for a generic interval $t - t_1$ can be obtained, along the lines of Section 12.1 of [19], dividing $t - t_1$ in sub interval $t_{i+1} = 1.1t_i$ and eventually summing the estimates (C.23) over i . In such a way it is possible to obtain

$$t \hat{I}_\varphi^{\mathbf{X}}(\mathcal{P}) \leq C \hat{E}_\varphi^K(t_1) + C \log(t) (E_{\varphi^\chi}(t_1) + E_{\Omega\varphi^\chi}(t_1)),$$

for a generic interval. As a final step, if we apply the same reasoning for $t \hat{I}_{\Omega\varphi}^{\mathbf{X}}(\mathcal{P})$ and if we use both of them to control \hat{I}_φ^K , we obtain a better estimate

⁵Here $\ell(\ell + 1)$ is the eigenvalue of the angular momentum operator.

for \hat{E}^K then the one (C.22), namely

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{E}_\varphi^K(t) &= C\hat{E}_\varphi^K(t_1) + C\hat{E}_{\Omega\varphi}^K(t_1) + C\log(t)(E_{\varphi^x}(t_1) \\ &\quad + E_{\Omega\varphi^x}(t_1) + E_{\Omega\Omega\varphi^x}(t_1)), \end{aligned} \tag{C.24}$$

where t in (C.22) is substituted by $\log(t)$, the price to pay in order to consider higher angular derivatives.

The $\log(t)$ can eventually be removed once again out of the same line of reasoning, using (C.24) in place of (C.22) to improve (C.23). The end point is

$$\hat{E}_\varphi^K(t_2) \leq C \left(\sum_{n=0..3} \hat{E}_{\Omega^n\varphi}(t_1) + \sum_{n=0..2} \hat{E}_{\Omega^n\varphi}^K(t_1) \right) \leq \tilde{E}_5(\Sigma_1).$$

We would like to stress that, since the integrand $I_\varphi^K(\mathcal{O})$ is positive whenever \mathcal{O} is a small neighbourhood of \mathcal{B} , the very same results can be obtained out of a modification of the surfaces Σ_1 and Σ_2 in such a way that they are still spacelike while they intersect the horizon \mathcal{H}_{ev} at positive V equal to V_0 ; in this new framework the form of $\tilde{E}_5(\Sigma'_1)$ is left unaltered with respect to (C.20), though it is computed on a modified surface Σ'_1 . The decay estimate towards i^+ on \mathfrak{S}^+ can eventually be obtained as in Section 13.2 of [19]. At this point, out of time reversal, we can employ a similar argument as before in order to get the rapid decrease in p of $\|\varphi_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^f\|_{\mathfrak{S}^-}^\eta$.

The horizon case can be dealt in a similar way and, in such case, the pointwise decay on \mathcal{H}^- can be shown to be controlled by an integral similar to the one defining \tilde{E}_5 , though here it is again computed on the modified surface. In order to establish the mentioned peeling off rate, it is, however, necessary to consider another flux, namely that generated by a vector field Y which approaches $\frac{1}{1-\frac{2m}{r}}\partial_u$ on the horizon \mathcal{H} , as described in Section 8 of [19].

In this framework, even if the integrand of the volume term \hat{I}_φ^Y , associated with Y , is negative in a region formed by the compact interval $[\hat{r}_0, R]$, it can be controlled in a similar way as previously discussed for \hat{I}_φ^X . \square

Proof of Lemma 4.2. As a starting point, let us recall that Λ_U is a weak-bisolution of (2.5), whose antisymmetric part is nothing but the causal propagator E_{P_g} in \mathcal{M} . The wave-front set of E_{P_g} is well-known [45] and it contains only pair of non-vanishing light-like covectors, so that:

$$(x, y, k_x, 0) \notin WF(E_{P_g}), \quad (x, y, 0, k_y) \notin WF(E_{P_g}).$$

Therefore, whenever $(x, y, k_x, 0) \in WF(\Lambda_U)$, also $(y, x, 0, k_x)$ must lie in $WF(\Lambda_U)$ and *vice versa*; otherwise the wavefront set of the antisymmetric part of Λ_U , which is nothing but E_{P_g} , would contain a forbidden element $(x, y, k_x, 0)$. This allow us to focus only on an arbitrary, but fixed $(x, y, k_x, 0) \in T^*(\mathcal{M} \times \mathcal{M}) \setminus \{0\}$ and we need to show that it does not lie in $WF(\Lambda_U)$. Furthermore we know, thanks to *Part 1* of the proof of Theorem 4.1, that Λ_U is of Hadamard form in \mathscr{W} and, thus, the statement of this lemma holds if $x, y \in \mathscr{W}$. We shall hence focus on the case of $x \in \mathcal{M} \setminus \mathscr{W}$ and $y \in \mathscr{W}$, the remaining ones will be treated later. In this scenario, it suffices to consider only those k_x such that there are no representatives of $B(x, k_x)$ lying in \mathscr{W} , otherwise we would be falling in the already discussed case using a propagation of singularities argument. This restriction yields, however, that a representative $(q, k_q) \in B(x, k_x)$ exists such that $q \in \mathcal{H}^+ \cup \mathcal{B}$. Summarising, we are going to prove that $(x, y, k_x, 0)$ is a direction of rapid decreasing for $\Lambda_U(f_{k_x}, h)$, for some functions $f, g \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{M}; \mathbb{R})$ with $f(x) = h(y) = 1$, provided that both $x \in \mathcal{M} \setminus \mathscr{W}$, $y \in \mathscr{W}$ and a representative $(q, k_q) \in B(x, k_x)$ exists such that $q \in \mathcal{H}^+ \cup \mathcal{B}$. As before, $f_{k_x} \doteq f e^{i(k_x, \cdot)}$ and $\varphi^h \doteq E h$.

In this scenario, let us pick a partition of unit $\chi + \chi' = 1 : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ where $\chi \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{H}; \mathbb{R})$ and $\chi = 1$ in a neighbourhood of q . Hence

$$\Lambda_U(f_{k_x}, h) = \lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\chi \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{f_{k_x}}, \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^h) + \lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\chi' \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{f_{k_x}}, \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^h) + \lambda_{\mathcal{S}^-}(\varphi_{\mathcal{S}^-}^{f_{k_x}}, \varphi_{\mathcal{S}^-}^h). \quad (\text{C.25})$$

The second and third terms are rapidly decreasing in k_x because they are respectively dominated by $C \|\chi' \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{f_{k_x}}\|_{\mathcal{H}^-} \cdot \|\varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^h\|_{\mathcal{H}^-}$ and $C' \|\varphi_{\mathcal{S}^-}^{f_{k_x}}\|_{\mathcal{S}^-} \cdot \|\varphi_{\mathcal{S}^-}^h\|_{\mathcal{S}^-}$, C and C' being positive constants, which, in turn, are rapidly decreasing in k_x due to Proposition 4.4. The norms $\|\cdot\|_{\mathcal{H}}$ and $\|\cdot\|_{\mathcal{S}^-}$ are those respectively defined in (3.8) and in (3.19). Therefore, we need only to establish that k_x is of rapid decreasing for $\lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\chi \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{f_{k_x}}, \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^h)$. This can be done by the same procedure as that used at the end of the **case A** in the proof of Theorem 4.1 leading to (4.14), to prove the rapid decrease of $k_x \mapsto \lambda_{\mathcal{H}}(\chi \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{f_{k_x}}, \varphi_{\mathcal{H}}^{h_{k_y}})$ for a fixed k_y and assuming $k_y = 0$ there (that part of the proof is independent form the lemma we are proving here, while this lemma is used elsewhere therein).

Let us now treat the case $y \in \mathcal{M} \setminus \mathscr{W}$ and $x \in \mathscr{W}$, and let us prove that $(x, y, k_x, 0) \notin WF(\Lambda_U)$ following procedures analogous to those exploited in [49]. To this end we adopt an overall frame where a coordinate, indicated by t , is tangent to X and the remaining three coordinates are denoted as \bar{x} . In this setting, the pull-back action of the one-parameter group generated by X acts trivially as $(\beta_\tau f)(t, \bar{x}) = f(t - \tau, \bar{x})$. To start with, let us notice that, due to the restriction (4.10), the cases of k_x spacelike or timelike can

be immediately ruled out, so we are left to consider $k_x \in T_x^*(\mathcal{M} \setminus \mathcal{W}) \equiv \mathbb{R}^4$ of null type. Hence we can exploit the splitting $k_x = (k_{xt}, \bar{k}_x)$, where we have isolated the t -component from the three remaining ones \bar{k}_x .

For k_x as before, let us consider the two non-null and non-vanishing covectors $q = (0, \bar{k}_x)$ and $q' = (-k_{xt}, 0)$. In view of (4.10) $(x, y, q, q') \notin WF(\Lambda_U)$, hence, out of (c) of Proposition 2.1 of [55], there exists an open neighbourhood V' of (q, q') , as well as a function $\psi' \in C_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^4 \times \mathbb{R}^4; \mathbb{C})$ with $\psi'(0, 0) = 1$, such that for all $n \geq 1$,

$$\sup_{k, k' \in V'} \left| \int d\tau d\tau' d\bar{x}' d\bar{y}' \psi'(x', y') e^{i\lambda^{-1}(k_t\tau + \bar{k}\bar{x}')} e^{i\lambda^{-1}(k'_t\tau' + \bar{k}'\bar{y}')} \Lambda_U(\beta_\tau \otimes \beta_{\tau'}(F_{(\bar{x}', \bar{y}'), \lambda}^{(p)})) \right| \leq C_n \lambda^n, \tag{C.26}$$

which holds for every $0 < \lambda < \lambda_n$, where both $C_n \geq 0$ and $\lambda_n > 0$ are suitable constants. In the preceding expression we have employed the notation $x' = (\tau, \bar{x}')$, and $y' = (\tau', \bar{y}')$ where we have highlighted the t -component. Moreover $F_{(\bar{x}', \bar{y}'), \lambda}^{(p)}(z, u)$ is defined as follows

$$F_{(\bar{x}', \bar{y}'), \lambda}^{(p)}(z, u) \doteq F(x + \lambda^{-p}(z - \bar{x}' - x), y + \lambda^{-p}(u - \bar{y}' - y)),$$

$$F \in C_0^\infty(\mathcal{M} \times \mathcal{M}; \mathbb{C}), \quad \widehat{F}(0, 0) = 1,$$

\widehat{F} being the standard Fourier transform. At this point we can make a clever use of the translation invariance of Λ_U under the action of $\beta_{-\tau-\tau'} \otimes \beta_{-\tau-\tau'}$ in order to infer that $\Lambda_U(\beta_\tau \otimes \beta_{\tau'}(F_{(\bar{x}', \bar{y}'), \lambda}^{(p)}))$ is equal to $\Lambda_U(\beta_{-\tau'} \otimes \beta_{-\tau}(F_{(\bar{x}', \bar{y}'), \lambda}^{(p)}))$. Hence, from (C.26), it arises that, for all $p \geq 1$:

$$\sup_{k, k' \in V} \left| \int d\tau d\tau' d\bar{x}' d\bar{y}' \psi'(x', y') e^{i\lambda^{-1}(k_t\tau + \bar{k}\bar{x}')} e^{i\lambda^{-1}(k'_t\tau' + \bar{k}'\bar{y}')} \right.$$

$$\left. \times \Lambda_U(\beta_{-\tau'} \otimes \beta_{-\tau}(F_{(\bar{x}', \bar{y}'), \lambda}^{(p)})) \right| \leq C_n \lambda^n,$$

if $0 < \lambda < \lambda_n$. The found result implies that (C.26) also holds if one replaces (i) ψ' with $\psi(x', y') \doteq \psi((\tau', \bar{x}'), (\tau, \bar{y}'))$ and (ii) V' with $V = \{(-k'_t, \bar{k}), (-k_t, \bar{k}') \in \mathbb{R}^4 \times \mathbb{R}^4 \mid ((k_t, \bar{k}), (k'_t, \bar{k}')) \in V'\}$. This is an open neighbourhood of $(k_x, 0)$ as one can immediately verify since $V' \ni (q, q')$, so that both $V \ni (k_x, 0)$, and the map $\mathbb{R}^4 \times \mathbb{R}^4 \ni ((k_t, \bar{k}), (k'_t, \bar{k}')) \mapsto (-k'_t, \bar{k}), (-k_t, \bar{k}') \in \mathbb{R}^4 \times \mathbb{R}^4$ is a homeomorphism, it being linear and bijective. If one exploit once more Proposition 2.1 of [55], it yields that $(x, y, k_x, 0) \notin WF(\Lambda_U)$ as desired.

In order to conclude the proof, we need to analyse the last possible case, namely both $x, y \in \mathcal{M} \setminus \mathcal{W}$. If a representative of either $B(x, k_x)$ or $B(y, k_y)$ lies in $T^*\mathcal{W}$, we fall back in the previous analysis. Hence, we need only to focus on the scenario where no representatives of both $B(x, k_x)$ and $B(y, k_y)$ lies in $T^*\mathcal{W}$. In this case, we can make use of an argument substantially identically to the one used in the analysis above, i.e., if we introduce a partition of unit on \mathcal{H} for both variables. In this way we have a decomposition like (C.25) with two more terms which can be analysed exactly as the others, thus leading to the wanted statement. \square

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