# Averages of Laplace eigenfunctions 

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Obs. If $H=\{x\}$ we get info on $\phi_{\lambda}(x)$.

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In addition, if $x \in M$ is not self-conjugate with maximal multiplicity,

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