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Invariants of exact Lagrangian cobordisms

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Abstract

We give constructions of exact Lagrangian cobordisms between two Legendrian knots in the symplectization of the standard contact \mathbb{R}^3 , and discuss invariants arising from Legendrian contact homology and Khovanov homology.

This is joint work with Tobias Ekholm and Tamas Kalman.