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Dean Baskin* (dbaskin@math.northwestern.edu). *Wave decay on conic manifolds.*

We consider manifolds with conic singularities that are isometric to \mathbb{R}^n outside a compact set. Under natural geometric assumptions on the cone points, we prove the existence of a logarithmic resonance-free region for the cut-off resolvent. The estimate also applies to the exterior domains of non-trapping polygons via a doubling process.

The proof of the resolvent estimate relies on the propagation of singularities theorems of Melrose and Wunsch to establish a “very weak” Huygens’ principle.

As applications of the estimate, we obtain an exponential local energy decay and a resonance wave expansion in odd dimensions, as well as a lossless local smoothing estimate for the Schrödinger equation. We also obtain Strichartz estimates for the Schrödinger equation on non-trapping exterior polygonal domains.

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