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## The Möbius function and distal flows

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## Abstract

Recently Peter Sarnak proposed a conjecture concerning the orthogonality of the Möbius function to zero-entropy flows. Distal flows form a relatively large class of zero-entropy flows. In this talk I will report a joint work with Peter Sarnak that his conjecture is true for various distal flows.

All are welcome