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Applying Gerschrogin's theorem we obtain much better localization:

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Equivalently the statement says: $\forall \epsilon > 0, \exists n_0 \in \mathbb{N}, \forall n \ge n_0$, one has

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Let's take a look on pictures...



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where $\omega_{a,b}$ is the absolutely continuous measure supported on [b-2a,b+2a] with density

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The circle

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The butterfly

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Except few very special examples, all these questions remain open

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An example (7-diagonal Toeplitz)



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