

Week 9 - Classical Mechanics

→ Deriving Hamiltonian / canonical equations of Motion

We know that $\dot{q} = \frac{\partial H}{\partial p}$ and $\dot{p} = -\frac{\partial H}{\partial q}$, but why?

$$dH = \frac{\partial H}{\partial q} dq + \frac{\partial H}{\partial p} dp \text{ since } H \text{ is a function of } p \text{ & } q.$$

$$H = \dot{q}(q, p)p - L(q, \dot{q}(q, p)) \text{ by definition.}$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$dH = \left[\frac{\partial \dot{q}}{\partial q} dq + \frac{\partial \dot{q}}{\partial p} dp \right] p + \dot{q} dp$$

$$= \frac{\partial L}{\partial q} dq - \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}} \left[\frac{\partial \dot{q}}{\partial q} dq + \frac{\partial \dot{q}}{\partial p} dp \right]$$

$$\text{Since } \frac{\partial L}{\partial q} = \dot{p} \text{ and } \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}} = p$$

$$dH = \dot{q} dp - \dot{p} dq$$

$$\text{so } \dot{q} dp - \dot{p} dq = \frac{\partial H}{\partial q} dq + \frac{\partial H}{\partial p} dp \Rightarrow \dot{q} = \frac{\partial H}{\partial p}, \dot{p} = -\frac{\partial H}{\partial q}$$

→ Poisson Brackets

• In general,

$$\frac{d(f(x))}{dx} = g(x) \longleftrightarrow f(x) + dx g(x) + O(dx^2) = f(x+dx)$$

(first order Taylor Expansion)

So, for an infinitesimal time interval dt ,

$$\begin{cases} q \mapsto q' = q + dt \frac{\partial H}{\partial p} + O(dt^2) \\ p \mapsto p' = p - dt \frac{\partial H}{\partial q} + O(dt^2) \end{cases}$$

$$\text{e.g. } \frac{dq}{dt} = \dot{q} = \frac{\partial H}{\partial p}, \text{ so "f(x)" = } q, \text{ "x" = } t, \text{ } g(x) = \frac{\partial H}{\partial p}$$

$$\text{so } q(t+dt) = q + dt \frac{\partial H}{\partial p} + O(dt^2) = q'$$

(We're saying this is how q & p are different after time dt has passed...)

• If we have some $A(q, p) \mapsto A(q', p') = A(q + dt \frac{\partial H}{\partial p}, p - dt \frac{\partial H}{\partial q})$ we can use the same expansion:

$$A(q(t)+dq, p(t)+dp) = A(q(t), p(t)) + dt \frac{dA}{dt} + O(dt^2)$$

where:

$$\frac{dA}{dt} = \frac{\partial A}{\partial q} \left(q, p - dt \frac{\partial H}{\partial q} \right) \frac{\partial H}{\partial p} - \frac{\partial H}{\partial q} \frac{\partial A}{\partial p} \left(q + dt \frac{\partial H}{\partial p}, p \right)$$

since generally $dA = \frac{\partial A}{\partial q} dq + \frac{\partial A}{\partial p} dp$ since A is a function of q and p ,

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dA}{dt} &= \frac{\partial A}{\partial q} \frac{dq}{dt} + \frac{\partial A}{\partial p} \frac{dp}{dt} = \frac{\partial A}{\partial q} \dot{q} + \frac{\partial A}{\partial p} \dot{p} \\ &= \frac{\partial A}{\partial q} \frac{\partial H}{\partial p} - \frac{\partial A}{\partial p} \frac{\partial H}{\partial q}\end{aligned}$$

If we only care about orders under dt^2 :

$$A(q', p') = A(q, p) + dt \left(\frac{\partial A}{\partial q} \frac{\partial H}{\partial p} - \frac{\partial A}{\partial p} \frac{\partial H}{\partial q} \right)$$

which is similar to the form:

$$f(x+dx) = f(x) + dx g(x) + o(dt^2), \text{ which tells us:}$$

$$\begin{aligned}"g(x)" &= \frac{\partial A}{\partial q} \frac{\partial H}{\partial p} - \frac{\partial A}{\partial p} \frac{\partial H}{\partial q} = \frac{df}{dx} = \frac{dA(q, p)}{dt} \\ &= \{A, H\}_{PB}\end{aligned}$$

This is the poisson bracket in 1 DOF.

For n degrees of freedom,

$$\{A_i, B_j\}_{PB} = \sum_{i=1}^{n \text{ DOF}} \frac{\partial A_i}{\partial q_i} \frac{\partial B_j}{\partial p_i} - \frac{\partial A_i}{\partial p_i} \frac{\partial B_j}{\partial q_i}$$

Properties of the Poisson bracket:

$$1. \{A_i, B_j\} = -\{B_j, A_i\} \quad (\text{so } \{A_i, A_i\} = 0)$$

$$2. \{\alpha A + \beta B, C\} = \alpha \{A, C\} + \beta \{B, C\} \quad (\text{also linear in 2nd arg.})$$

$$3. \{A_i, \{B_j, C_k\}\} + \{B_j, \{C_k, A_i\}\} + \{C_k, \{A_i, B_j\}\} = 0 \quad (\text{Jacobi})$$

These are also true for the QM commutator!

$$\{q_i, q_j\} = \{p_i, p_j\} = 0$$

$$\text{and } \{q_i, p_j\} = \sum_K \frac{\partial q_i}{\partial q_K} \frac{\partial p_j}{\partial p_K} - \frac{\partial q_i}{\partial p_K} \frac{\partial p_j}{\partial q_K} = \delta_{ij}$$

are the canonical Poisson brackets.

(For our purposes, we pick coordinate q so the Hamiltonian is total energy, so we're always using canonical coordinates?)

The implication of this is:

$$\begin{aligned}\{q', p'\} &= \{q + dt \partial_p H, p - dt \partial_q H\} \\ &= \{q, p\} + dt \left[\{ \partial_p H, p \} - \{ q, \partial_q H \} \right] + o(dt^2) \\ &= \{q, p\} + dt \left[\frac{\partial^2 H}{\partial q \partial p} \frac{\partial p}{\partial p} - \frac{\partial^2 H}{\partial p \partial q} \frac{\partial q}{\partial q} - \frac{\partial^2 H}{\partial p \partial q} \frac{\partial p}{\partial q} - \frac{\partial^2 H}{\partial q \partial p} \frac{\partial q}{\partial p} \dots \right] + o(dt^2) \\ &= \{q, p\} + dt [0] + o(dt^2) \\ &= \{q, p\}\end{aligned}$$

so, $\{q'_i, p'_j\}$ where q' and p' are defined as @ the very beginning is equal to $\{q_i, p_j\}$

∴ Infinitesimal time translations preserve the canonical Poisson bracket.

(Note we assume H is continuous here, so $\frac{\partial^2 H}{\partial q \partial p} - \frac{\partial^2 H}{\partial p \partial q} = 0 \dots$)

• This is a significant result because it means we can define a canonical transformation:

$$\begin{cases} q \rightarrow Q(q, p) \text{ satisfies } \{Q_i, P_j\} = \{q_i, p_j\} = \delta_{ij} \\ p \rightarrow P(q, p) \text{ and } \{Q_i, Q_j\} = \{P_i, P_j\} = 0 \end{cases}$$

where you can define a Hamiltonian K for Q and P where equations of motion are preserved:

$$K(Q, P) = H(q(Q, P), p(Q, P)), \quad \begin{cases} \dot{Q}_i = \partial_{P_i} K \\ \dot{P}_i = -\partial_{Q_i} K \end{cases}$$

(not taking time as a changing variable...?)

→ Canonical Transformations

$$\begin{cases} q \mapsto q' = q + dt \frac{\partial H}{\partial p} + O(dt^2) \\ p \mapsto p' = p - dt \frac{\partial H}{\partial q} + O(dt^2) \end{cases} \text{ is a canonical transformation}$$

called Hamiltonian Flow.

• We can actually generalize this to:

$$\begin{cases} q \mapsto q' = q + d\alpha \frac{\partial G(q, p)}{\partial p} \\ p \mapsto p' = p - d\alpha \frac{\partial G(q, p)}{\partial q} \end{cases} \quad \text{The generic infinitesimal transformation,}$$

where we call $G(q, p)$ the infinitesimal generator of the canonical transformation, where

$$\frac{dq}{d\alpha} = \frac{\partial G}{\partial p} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{dp}{d\alpha} = -\frac{\partial G}{\partial q}$$

• Again say we have some $A(q, p) \rightarrow A(q', p')$.

$$A(q', p') = A\left(q + d\alpha \frac{\partial G}{\partial p}, p - d\alpha \frac{\partial G}{\partial q}\right)$$

$$= A(q, p) + d\alpha \left(\frac{\partial A}{\partial q} \frac{\partial G}{\partial p} - \frac{\partial A}{\partial p} \frac{\partial G}{\partial q} \right)$$

$$= A(q, p) + d\alpha \{A, G\}_{PB} \rightarrow \frac{dA}{d\alpha} = \{A, G\}_{PB}$$

(as expected): If $G = H$ as in our previous formulation, and $\{A, H\}_{PB}^{\text{infinitesimal}} = 0$, then $\frac{dA}{dt} = 0$, and A is preserved under time translations, or A is time invariant.

(Here, H is the generator of time translation defined at the beginning of this section...)

We can "reverse" this and use A as the infinitesimal generator to get: $\frac{dH}{d\alpha} = \{H, A\}_{PB}^{\text{infinitesimal}} = 0$ (if $\{A, H\}_{PB}^{\text{infinitesimal}} = 0$), so the

Hamiltonian is invariant w.r.t. transformation A over $d\alpha$ also.

• Other canonical transformations

- Space translations

$$\begin{cases} q \mapsto q + d\alpha \\ p \mapsto p \end{cases} \text{ is canonical if } \exists G \text{ so } \begin{cases} q' = q + d\alpha \frac{\partial G}{\partial p} \\ p' = p - d\alpha \frac{\partial G}{\partial q} \end{cases}$$

we want $\frac{\partial G}{\partial q} = 0$ and $\frac{\partial G}{\partial p} = 1$ (α is some small distance)

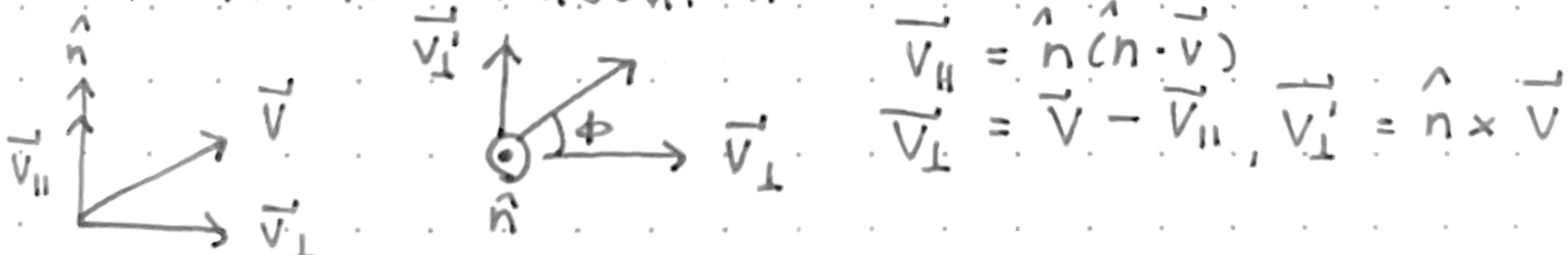
Does such a G exist? Yes. $G = p$.

So it is canonical and p is the infinitesimal generator of space translations.

- Momentum boosts (translations)

$$\begin{cases} q \mapsto q \\ p \mapsto p + dp \end{cases} \text{ is canonical with } G = -q \text{ (note negative sign as change of frame of reference)}$$

- Rotations \hat{n} about \hat{n}



$$\begin{aligned} \vec{V}_{||} &= \hat{n}(\hat{n} \cdot \vec{v}) \\ \vec{V}_{\perp} &= \vec{v} - \vec{V}_{||}, \quad \vec{V}'_{\perp} = \hat{n} \times \vec{v} \end{aligned}$$

$$\hat{R}_n(\phi) \vec{v} = \hat{R}_{\hat{n}}(\phi) \vec{V}_{||} + \hat{R}_{\hat{n}}(\phi) \vec{V}_{\perp}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \vec{V}_{||} + \cos \phi \vec{V}_{\perp} + \sin \phi \vec{V}'_{\perp} \\ &= \hat{n}(\hat{n} \cdot \vec{v})(1 - \cos \phi) + \cos \phi \vec{v} + \sin \phi (\hat{n} \times \vec{v}) \end{aligned}$$

using small angle approx:

$$\hat{R}_{\hat{n}} = \vec{v} + d\phi (\hat{n} \times \vec{v}) + O(d\phi^2)$$

Now, $\hat{R}_{\hat{n}}(d\phi)\tilde{\vec{r}} = \tilde{\vec{r}} + d\phi(\hat{n} \times \tilde{\vec{r}})$, $\hat{R}_{\hat{n}}(d\phi)\tilde{\vec{p}} = \tilde{\vec{p}} + d\phi(\hat{n} \times \tilde{\vec{p}})$

or, $\begin{cases} \tilde{\vec{r}} \mapsto \tilde{\vec{r}}' = \tilde{\vec{r}} + d\phi(\hat{n} \times \tilde{\vec{r}}) \\ \tilde{\vec{p}} \mapsto \tilde{\vec{p}}' = \tilde{\vec{p}} + d\phi(\hat{n} \times \tilde{\vec{p}}) \end{cases}$

if this is canonical: $\begin{cases} \tilde{\vec{r}} \mapsto \tilde{\vec{r}} + d\alpha \tilde{\nabla}_p G(\tilde{\vec{r}}, \tilde{\vec{p}}) \\ \tilde{\vec{p}} \mapsto \tilde{\vec{p}} + d\alpha \tilde{\nabla}_q G(\tilde{\vec{r}}, \tilde{\vec{p}}) \end{cases}$

for some G :

$$\tilde{\nabla}_p G(\tilde{\vec{r}}, \tilde{\vec{p}}) = \hat{n} \times \tilde{\vec{r}} \text{ so } G = (\hat{n} \times \tilde{\vec{r}}) \cdot \tilde{\vec{p}}$$

since $\tilde{\nabla}_{\tilde{\vec{r}}} f = \tilde{\vec{q}}$ means f is linear in $\tilde{\vec{r}}$ (we're working in multiple dimensions now!)

so, $G = (\hat{n} \times \tilde{\vec{r}}) \cdot \tilde{\vec{p}} = \hat{n} \cdot (\tilde{\vec{r}} \times \tilde{\vec{p}}) = \hat{n} \cdot \tilde{\vec{L}}$, where

orbital angular momentum $\tilde{\vec{L}} = \tilde{\vec{r}} \times \tilde{\vec{p}}$

From our previous generic demonstration:

$$\frac{dA}{d\alpha} = \{A, G\}_{PB} \rightarrow \frac{dA}{d\phi} = \{A, \hat{n} \cdot \tilde{\vec{L}}\}_{PB}$$

if $\frac{dA}{d\phi} = 0$, or A is invariant upon rotation, we call it a scalar, and for every vector, $\{A, \tilde{\vec{L}}\}_{PB} = 0$.

if instead, $\frac{dA}{d\phi} = \hat{n} \times \tilde{\vec{A}} = \{A, \hat{n} \cdot \tilde{\vec{L}}\}_{PB}$, and:

$$\begin{aligned} \{A_i, n_j \cdot \tilde{\vec{L}}_j\} &= \sum_k \epsilon_{ijk} n_j A_k \\ \{A_i, \tilde{\vec{L}}_j\} &= \sum_k \epsilon_{ijk} A_k \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{since this is true for} \\ \text{any } n_j. \end{array} \right.$$

and if $A = \tilde{\vec{L}}$, $\{\tilde{\vec{L}}_i, \tilde{\vec{L}}_j\} = \sum_k \epsilon_{ijk} \tilde{\vec{L}}_k$

but, if not, we still know $\{\tilde{\vec{A}}_i, \tilde{\vec{L}}_j\} = \epsilon_{ijk} \tilde{\vec{A}}_k$ for any vector $\tilde{\vec{A}}_i$

- Connecting classical x and p to \hat{x} and \hat{p}
- $\hat{x}|x\rangle = x|x\rangle$ and under the spectral theorem, $\langle x|x'\rangle = \delta(x-x')$
- and $\hat{I} = \int dx |x\rangle \langle x|$ also.
- What is the physical meaning of p w.r.t. x ?
- Classically, p is the infinitesimal generator of space translation.
- In QM, we have a space translation operator $\hat{T}_{\Delta x}$ (week 8)
- Via Stone's thm,

$$\hat{T}_{\Delta x} = e^{-i\Delta x \hat{O}}, \quad \hat{O} = \hat{O}^t$$

For an infinitesimal translation, we can use the Taylor expansion
for $e^A = 1 + A + \frac{A^2}{2!} + \frac{A^3}{3!} + \dots$
we're only interested in up to order Δx , so:

$$\hat{T}_{\Delta x} = e^{-i\Delta x \hat{O}} = 1 - i\Delta x \hat{O} + O(\Delta x^2)$$

We assume $\hat{O} \propto \hat{p}$ because of classical mechanics, but $\hat{1}$ is dimensionless so \hat{O} has units $1/\text{length}$ (Δx has units of length).

$$\text{Then: } \hat{O} = \hat{p}/\beta, \quad [\beta] = [\text{ACTION}] = [L] [MLT^{-1}]$$

- By experiment, $\beta = \hbar = \frac{h}{2\pi}$. Now we can use $\hat{T}_{\Delta x}$ to learn about \hat{p} :

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{T}_{\Delta x} \hat{x} \hat{T}_{-\Delta x} |x\rangle &= \hat{T}_{\Delta x} \hat{x} |x - \Delta x\rangle \\ &= \hat{T}_{\Delta x} (x - \Delta x) |x - \Delta x\rangle \\ &= (x - \Delta x) |x\rangle = x|x\rangle - \Delta x|x\rangle = \hat{x}|x\rangle - \Delta x|x\rangle \\ &= (\hat{x} - \Delta x)|x\rangle \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{T}_{\Delta x} \hat{x} \hat{T}_{-\Delta x} &= \hat{x} - \Delta x \\ &= -i\Delta x \hat{p}/\hbar + i\Delta x \hat{p}/\hbar \\ &= e^{-i\Delta x \hat{p}/\hbar} \hat{x} e^{i\Delta x \hat{p}/\hbar} \\ &= (\hat{1} - i\Delta x \hat{p}/\hbar + O(\Delta x^2)) \hat{x} (\hat{1} + i\Delta x \hat{p}/\hbar + O(\Delta x^2)) \end{aligned}$$

$$\hat{x} - \Delta x = \hat{x} + i\Delta x/\hbar \hat{x} \hat{p} - i\Delta x/\hbar \hat{p} \hat{x} + O(\Delta x^2)$$

When we match by order, $O(\Delta x^2) = 0$ because there is no Δx^2 on LHS,
 \hat{x} cancels, and

$$-\Delta x = i\Delta x/\hbar (\hat{x}\hat{p} - \hat{p}\hat{x}) = i\Delta x/\hbar [\hat{x}, \hat{p}]$$

$$-1 = i/\hbar [\hat{x}, \hat{p}]$$

$$[\hat{x}, \hat{p}] = i\hbar$$

- We can also start with $\Psi(x) = \langle x|\Psi\rangle$ to get a different result

$\langle \hat{x} | \hat{T}_{\Delta x} | \Psi \rangle$ shifts $|\Psi\rangle$, then evaluates at a specific x .

$$= \langle \hat{\tau}_{\Delta x}^+ \hat{x} | \Psi \rangle = \langle \hat{T}_{-\Delta x} \hat{x} | \Psi \rangle$$

$$= \langle \hat{x} - \Delta x | \Psi \rangle$$

$$= -\Delta x \frac{d}{dx} \langle \hat{x} | \Psi \rangle + O(\Delta x^2) + \langle \hat{x} | \Psi \rangle$$

We can alternatively do:

$$\langle \hat{x} | \hat{T}_{\Delta x} | \Psi \rangle = \langle \hat{x} | \hat{1} - i\Delta x \hat{p}/\hbar + O(\Delta x^2) | \Psi \rangle$$

$$= \langle \hat{x} | \Psi \rangle - i\Delta x/\hbar \langle \hat{x} | \hat{p} | \Psi \rangle + O(\Delta x^2)$$

so:

$$\underbrace{\langle \hat{x} | \Psi \rangle - \Delta x \frac{d}{dx} \langle \hat{x} | \Psi \rangle + O(\Delta x^2)}_{-\Delta x \frac{d}{dx} \langle \hat{x} | \Psi \rangle} = \underbrace{\langle \hat{x} | \Psi \rangle - i\Delta x/\hbar \langle \hat{x} | \hat{p} | \Psi \rangle + O(\Delta x^2)}_{-i\Delta x/\hbar \langle \hat{x} | \hat{p} | \Psi \rangle}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \langle \hat{x} | \Psi \rangle = i/\hbar \langle \hat{x} | \hat{p} | \Psi \rangle$$

$$-i\hbar \frac{d}{dx} \langle \hat{x} | \Psi \rangle = \langle \hat{x} | \hat{p} | \Psi \rangle$$

We now know what \hat{p} is on $\langle \hat{x} | \Psi \rangle = \Psi(x)$:

$$\langle \hat{x} | \hat{p} = -i\hbar \frac{d}{dx} \langle \hat{x} |$$

- We can do even more! In more than 1D:

$$\begin{cases} \vec{x} \rightarrow \vec{x}' = \vec{x} + \vec{a} \\ \vec{p} \rightarrow \vec{p}' \end{cases} \quad \text{has generator } \vec{a} \cdot \hat{p}, \text{ which can form a one-param group (param = length of } \vec{a}).$$

So, $\hat{T}_{\vec{a}} = e^{-i\vec{a} \cdot \hat{p}/\hbar}$ is this translation. We want to enforce that

$\{\hat{T}_{\vec{a}}\}$ is an abelian group. $\hat{T}_{\vec{a}} \hat{T}_{\vec{b}} = \hat{T}_{\vec{b}} \hat{T}_{\vec{a}}$ for two different vectors: $\vec{a} = a \cdot \vec{e}_i, \vec{b} = b \cdot \vec{e}_j$. (\vec{e}_i is some unit vector)

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{T}_{\vec{a}} \hat{T}_{\vec{b}} &= (\hat{1} - i\vec{a} \cdot \hat{p}/\hbar + O(a^2)) (\hat{1} - i\vec{b} \cdot \hat{p}/\hbar + O(b^2)) \\ &= (\hat{1} - ib p_j/\hbar + O(b^2)) (\hat{1} - ia p_i/\hbar + O(a^2)) = \hat{T}_{\vec{b}} \hat{T}_{\vec{a}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\hat{1} - iap_i/\hbar - ibp_j/\hbar - ab \hat{p}_i \hat{p}_j / \hbar^2 + O(b^2) + O(a^2)$$

$$= \hat{1} - iap_i/\hbar - ibp_j/\hbar - ab \hat{p}_j \hat{p}_i / \hbar^2 + O(b^2) + O(a^2)$$

$$\hat{p}_i \hat{p}_j = \hat{p}_j \hat{p}_i$$

which tells us that $[\hat{p}_i, \hat{p}_j] = 0$.

(We can do the same for momentum boost and $\hat{B}_{\vec{q}}$ to find that $[\hat{x}_i, \hat{x}_j] = 0$ and $\langle \hat{p}_i | \hat{x}_j = i\hbar \frac{d}{dp} \langle \hat{p}_i |$ for \hat{x} wrt to \hat{p} !)

- What about $[\hat{x}_i, \hat{p}_j]$?

We know $\langle \hat{x} | \hat{p} = -i\hbar \frac{d}{dx} \langle \hat{x} |$, so let's do:

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \vec{x} | [\hat{x}_i, \hat{p}_j] &= \langle \vec{x} | \hat{x}_i \hat{p}_j - \langle \vec{x} | \hat{p}_j \hat{x}_i \\ &= x_i \langle \vec{x} | \hat{p}_j + i\hbar \frac{d}{dx} \langle \vec{x} | \hat{x}_i \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \vec{x}_i | [\hat{x}_i, \hat{p}_j] &= x_i (-i\hbar \frac{d}{dx_j}) |\vec{x}_i| + i\hbar \frac{d}{dx_j} x_i |\vec{x}_i| \\ &= -i\hbar x_i \frac{d}{dx_j} |\vec{x}_i| + i\hbar (x_i \frac{d}{dx_j} |\vec{x}_i| + \delta_{ij} |\vec{x}_i|) \\ &= i\hbar \delta_{ij} |\vec{x}_i| \end{aligned}$$

$\langle \vec{x}_i | [\hat{x}_i, \hat{p}_j] = i\hbar \delta_{ij}$

so $\hbar |\vec{x}\rangle, \langle \vec{x}| [\hat{x}_i, \hat{p}_j] = i\hbar \delta_{ij} \langle \vec{x}|$

- Finally: In general we have:

$$\begin{cases} q \rightarrow q' = q + d\alpha \frac{\partial G}{\partial p} \\ p \rightarrow p' = p - d\alpha \frac{\partial G}{\partial q} \end{cases} \quad \text{and } A \mapsto A' = A + d\alpha \{A, G\}_{PB}$$

If we call this canonical transformation $\hat{U}_{d\alpha}$, so $\hat{U}_{d\alpha}|\Psi\rangle = |\Psi'\rangle$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \hat{A} \rangle_\Psi &\mapsto \langle \Psi' | \hat{A}' | \Psi' \rangle = \langle \hat{A}' \rangle_{\Psi'} \\ &= \langle \hat{U}_{d\alpha} \Psi | \hat{A}' | \hat{U}_{d\alpha} \Psi \rangle = \langle \Psi | \hat{U}_{d\alpha}^\dagger \hat{A}' \hat{U}_{d\alpha} | \Psi \rangle \end{aligned}$$

since we can write:

$$\hat{U}_{d\alpha} = \hat{1} - i d\alpha \frac{\hat{G}}{\hbar}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \hat{A} \rangle_{\Psi'} &= \langle \Psi | (\hat{1} + i d\alpha \frac{\hat{G}}{\hbar}) \hat{A} (\hat{1} - i d\alpha \frac{\hat{G}}{\hbar}) | \Psi \rangle \\ &= \langle \hat{A} \rangle_\Psi + i \frac{d\alpha}{\hbar} \langle \Psi | [\hat{G}, \hat{A}] | \Psi \rangle + o(d\alpha^2) \end{aligned}$$

Knowing $A' = A + d\alpha \{A, G\}_{PB}$, we can say expectation value $\langle \hat{A} \rangle_{\Psi'} = \langle \hat{A} \rangle_\Psi + d\alpha \{A, G\}_{PB}$, implying that

$$i \frac{d\alpha}{\hbar} \langle \Psi | [\hat{G}, \hat{A}] | \Psi \rangle = d\alpha \{A, G\}_{PB}$$

$$\frac{i}{\hbar} \langle \Psi | [\hat{G}, \hat{A}] | \Psi \rangle = - \{G, A\}_{PB}$$

$$\frac{i}{\hbar} \langle \Psi | [\hat{G}, \hat{A}] | \Psi \rangle = \{G, A\}_{PB}$$

telling us that the "operator of $\{G, A\}_{PB}$ ", $\{G, A\}_{PB}$ is $\frac{[\hat{G}, \hat{A}]}{i\hbar}$