

Look for a general coordinate map:

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} q \rightarrow Q(q, p) \\ p \rightarrow P(q, p) \\ H \rightarrow \tilde{H}(Q, P) \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \text{We want a change of variable} \\ \text{to have the same form of EOM} \\ \dot{Q} = \frac{\partial \tilde{H}}{\partial P} \quad \dot{P} = -\frac{\partial \tilde{H}}{\partial Q} \end{array}$$

let :

$$Z = \begin{pmatrix} q^1 \\ q^2 \\ q^3 \\ \vdots \\ p_1 \\ p_2 \\ p_3 \\ \vdots \end{pmatrix} \leftarrow 2n \text{ dimension.}$$

then:

$$\frac{dz^i}{dt} = J^i_j \tilde{H} \frac{\partial \tilde{H}}{\partial z^j} \quad \text{where} \quad \left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ -1 & -1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\text{i.e.} \quad \begin{pmatrix} \frac{dq}{dt} \\ \frac{dp}{dt} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial \tilde{H}}{\partial q} \\ \frac{\partial \tilde{H}}{\partial p} \end{pmatrix}$$

Need to do transformation:

$$z^i \Rightarrow y^i$$

where  $y^i = \begin{pmatrix} q_i \\ p_i \\ \vdots \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \frac{dy^i}{dt} = \underbrace{\frac{dy^i}{dz^j}}_{\text{Jacobian, } M^i_j} \frac{dz^j}{dt} = M^i_j \frac{dz^j}{dt}$

we know  $\frac{dz^j}{dt} = J^{jl} \frac{\partial \tilde{H}}{\partial z^l}$

then  $\frac{dy^i}{dt} = M^i_j J^{jl} \frac{\partial \tilde{H}}{\partial z^l}$   
 $\stackrel{!}{=} M^i_j J^{jl} \frac{\partial \tilde{H}}{\partial y^k} \frac{dy^k}{dz^l} \Rightarrow M^l_k = (M^T)^k_l$   
 $\stackrel{!}{=} (M J M^T)^{jk} \frac{\partial \tilde{H}}{\partial y^k}$

but for canonical transformation:

$$\frac{dy^i}{dt} = J^{ik} \frac{\partial \tilde{H}}{\partial y^k}$$

so  $\boxed{(M J M^T)^{ik} = J^{ik}}$  For canonical transformation

Therefore, we want  $z^i \rightarrow y^i$ , and  $y^i$  to satisfy the same Hamiltonian form:

$$\frac{dy^i}{dt} = J^{ij} \frac{\partial \tilde{H}}{\partial y^j} = (M J M^T)^{ij} \frac{\partial \tilde{H}}{\partial y^j}$$

so a transform is canonical iff:

↖ Transformed variable

$$J = M J M^T \quad \text{where } M = \frac{dI}{dz} \leftarrow \text{original variable}$$

Consider Infinitesimal Transform:

for  $\lambda \ll 1$

$$q \rightarrow Q(q, p) = q + \dot{Q}(q, p) \lambda$$

$$p \rightarrow P(q, p) = p + \dot{P}(q, p) \lambda$$

$$\text{for } \dot{Q} = \frac{dQ(q, p)}{d\lambda} = \Delta q$$

$$\text{for } \dot{P} = \frac{dP}{d\lambda} = \Delta p$$

$$\text{then the Jacobian: } M^i_j = \frac{\partial(Q, P)}{\partial(q, p)} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial Q}{\partial q} & \frac{\partial Q}{\partial p} \\ \frac{\partial P}{\partial q} & \frac{\partial P}{\partial p} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial Q}{\partial q} & \frac{\partial Q}{\partial p} \\ \frac{\partial P}{\partial q} & \frac{\partial P}{\partial p} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 + \frac{\partial \dot{Q}}{\partial q} \lambda & \frac{\partial \dot{Q}}{\partial p} \lambda \\ \frac{\partial \dot{P}}{\partial q} \lambda & 1 + \frac{\partial \dot{P}}{\partial p} \lambda \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{Need } J = M J M^T \quad \text{where } M = 1 + M^{(1)}$$

$$J = (1 + M^{(1)}) J (1 + M^{(1)T}) \quad \text{for } M^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial \dot{Q}}{\partial q} & \frac{\partial \dot{Q}}{\partial p} \\ \frac{\partial \dot{P}}{\partial q} & \frac{\partial \dot{P}}{\partial p} \end{pmatrix}$$

To Zeroth order

$$J = J$$

To First order:

$$M^{(1)T} J + J M^{(1)} = 0$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial(\Delta q)}{\partial q} & \frac{\partial(\Delta q)}{\partial p} \\ \frac{\partial(\Delta p)}{\partial q} & \frac{\partial(\Delta p)}{\partial p} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \left[ \frac{\partial(\Delta q)}{\partial q} \right]^T & \left( \frac{\partial(\Delta p)}{\partial q} \right)^T \\ \left( \frac{\partial(\Delta q)}{\partial p} \right)^T & \left( \frac{\partial(\Delta p)}{\partial p} \right)^T \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow & \cancel{-\frac{\partial(\Delta q)}{\partial p}} + \left( \frac{\partial(\Delta q)}{\partial p} \right)^T & \frac{\partial(\Delta q)}{\partial q} + \left( \frac{\partial(\Delta p)}{\partial p} \right)^T \\ & -\frac{\partial(\Delta p)}{\partial p} + \left( \frac{\partial(\Delta q)}{\partial q} \right)^T & \frac{\partial(\Delta p)}{\partial q} - \left( \frac{\partial(\Delta p)}{\partial q} \right)^T \end{aligned}$$

With a constraint?

$$\frac{\partial(\Delta q)}{\partial q} + \frac{\partial(\Delta p)}{\partial p} = 0 \quad \leftarrow \text{curl-free.}$$

$$\text{or } \frac{\partial v_x}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial v_y}{\partial x} = 0$$

Suppose we have  $G(q, p)$

such that  $\boxed{\Delta q = \frac{\partial G}{\partial p} \quad \text{and} \quad \Delta p = -\frac{\partial G}{\partial q}}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{then } & \frac{\partial(\Delta q)}{\partial q} + \frac{\partial(\Delta p)}{\partial p} \\ & = \frac{\partial^2 G}{\partial q \partial p} - \frac{\partial^2 G}{\partial q \partial p} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $G(q, p)$  is a generator of transformation

Now, all transformation:

$$\begin{aligned} q &\rightarrow Q(q,p) = q + \frac{\partial G}{\partial p} \lambda \\ p &\rightarrow P(q,p) = p - \frac{\partial G}{\partial q} \lambda \end{aligned}$$

Noether Theorem:

$$H(q,p) \rightarrow H(q+\delta q, p+\delta p) = H(Q,P)$$

$$\delta H = \frac{\partial H}{\partial q} \delta q + \frac{\partial H}{\partial p} \delta p = 0$$

$$\stackrel{!}{=} \frac{\partial H}{\partial q} \frac{\partial G}{\partial p} \lambda - \frac{\partial H}{\partial p} \frac{\partial G}{\partial q} \lambda$$

$$\stackrel{!}{=} \underbrace{\{H, G\}}_{=0} \lambda = 0$$

$$\text{If } \{G, H\} = \frac{dG}{dt} = 0$$

$\hookrightarrow$   $G$  is conserved if the canonical transformation from  $G$  leaves  $H$  invariant.

Note:  $\tilde{H}(Q,P) = H(q,p) \leftarrow \text{always true}$

but for invariant?

$$\tilde{H}(Q, P) = H(Q, P) = H(q, p)$$

$$\text{so } H(Q, P) - H(q, p) = 0$$

Example: For  $H = \frac{p^2}{2m}$

clearly,  $H$  is invariant under:

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} q \rightarrow Q = q + \lambda \\ p \rightarrow P = p \end{array} \right\} \text{ since } H \text{ doesn't depend on } q.$$

$$\text{then } H(q, p) = \frac{p^2}{2m} = H(Q, P) = \frac{P^2}{2m} = \frac{p^2}{2m}$$

$$\text{Then } \Delta q = \frac{\partial G}{\partial p} = 1 \quad \text{and} \quad \Delta p = \frac{-\partial G}{\partial q} = 0$$

$$\text{so } G(q, p) = 1$$

Since  $H$  is invariant

$G = p$  is conserved.

Ex 2: Consider infinitesimal rotation.

$$X = x + y \delta \theta$$

$$Y = y - x \delta \theta$$

$$P_x = p_x + p_y \delta \theta$$

$$P_y = p_y - p_x \delta \theta$$

\* First find whether transformation is canonical,

$$\text{check: } \frac{\partial(\Delta q_i)}{\partial q_j} + \frac{\partial(\Delta p_j)}{\partial p_i} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial(\gamma \delta \theta)}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial(\beta \delta \theta)}{\partial p_x} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial(-x \delta \theta)}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial(-p_x \delta \theta)}{\partial p_y} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial(\gamma \delta \theta)}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial(-p_x \delta \theta)}{\partial p_x} = \delta \theta - \delta \theta = 0$$

Then find the generator,  $G(q, p)$ :

$$\frac{\partial G}{\partial p_x} = \Delta x = \gamma$$

$$-\frac{\partial G}{\partial x} = \Delta p = \beta$$

$$\frac{\partial G}{\partial p_y} = \Delta y = -x$$

$$-\frac{\partial G}{\partial y} = \Delta p = -p_x$$

$$G = -\beta x + p_x \gamma = -L_z$$

$$= -(x p_y - y p_x)$$