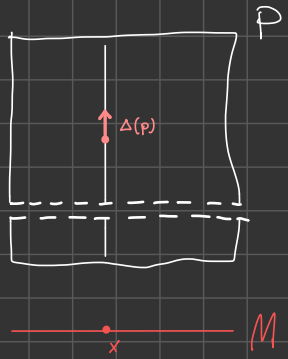


SUMMARY OF THE FIRST LECTURE

- A CONTACT MANIFOLD is a MANIFOLD M TOGETHER WITH A CORANK 1, MAXIMALLY NONINTEGRABLE DISTRIBUTION \mathcal{C}
- LOCALLY \mathcal{C} IS OF THE FORM $\left\langle \frac{\partial}{\partial q^i} + p_i \frac{\partial}{\partial z}, \frac{\partial}{\partial p_i} \right\rangle_{i=1 \dots n}$
- LOCALLY $\mathcal{C} = \ker \eta$, $\eta \wedge (d\eta)^n \neq 0$ $\eta = dz - p_i dq^i$
- NATURAL EXAMPLES - CARTAN DISTRIBUTION ON JET SPACES
- A SYMPLECTIC \mathbb{R}^x -PRINCIPAL BUNDLE IS AN \mathbb{R}^x -PRINCIPAL BUNDLE $\mathcal{P} \rightarrow M$ WITH A SYMPLECTIC FORM ω ON \mathcal{P} SUCH THAT $h_s^* \omega = s\omega$
 $(\mathcal{P}, M, \tau, h, \omega)$
- EVERY CONTACT STRUCTURE DEFINES A SYMPLECTIC \mathbb{R}^x -PRINCIPAL BUNDLE $\mathcal{P} = (\mathbb{C}^0)^x \subset T^*M$, $\tau = \bar{\tau}_M|_{\mathcal{P}}$, $h_s(\alpha) = s\alpha$ $\omega = \omega_M|_{\mathcal{P}}$

EVERY (P, M, τ, h, ω) DEFINES (M, C)

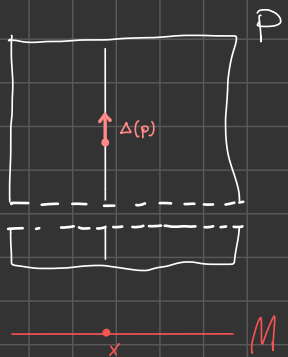


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VERTICAL AND
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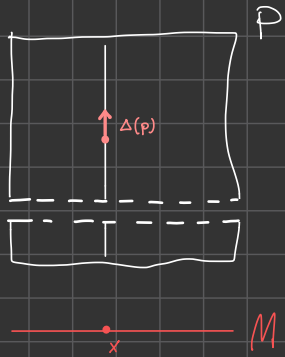
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Labels: HOMOGENEOUS (pointing to θ), INVARIANT (pointing to ∇)

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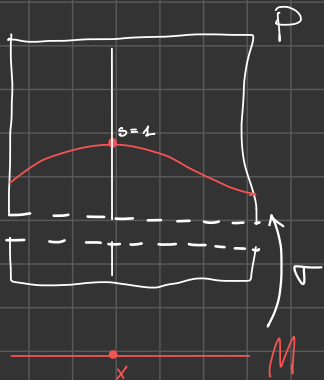
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AND A COORDINATE s

INVARIANT i.e. BASIC

- $\frac{1}{s} \theta = \tau^* \eta$

SOME LOCAL FORM ON M

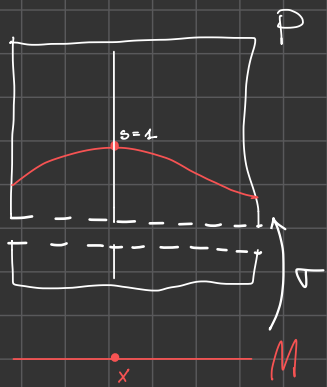
$$\mathbb{R}^x \times M \ni (s, x) \xrightarrow{I_{\sigma}} s\sigma(x) \in P$$

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ω SYMPLECTIC $\rightarrow \eta$ CONTACT

- $C = \ker \eta$

DOES NOT DEPEND ON THE CHOICE OF σ
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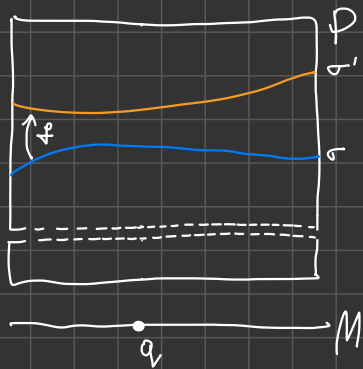


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$$\Theta = \sigma \tau^* \eta = \sigma' \tau^* \eta' \quad f \sigma' \tau^* \eta = \sigma' \tau^* \eta'$$

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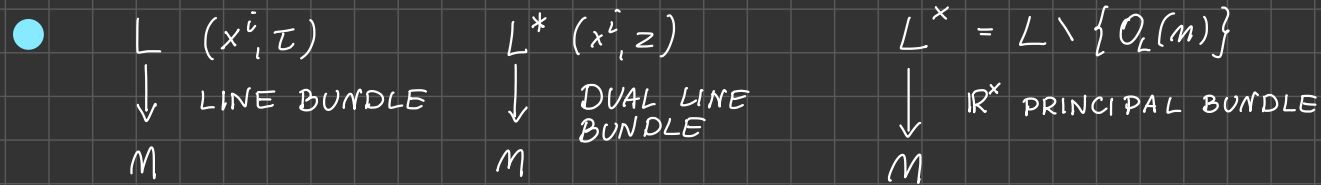
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- $T^*Q \longrightarrow \mathbb{P}T^*Q$ PROBABLY THE SIMPLEST WAY TO INTRODUCE CONTACT STRUCTURE ON THE PROJECTIVE COTANGENT BUNDLE

HOMEWORK: FIND A COORDINATE EXPRESSION FOR \mathcal{C} ON $\mathbb{P}T^*Q$

EXAMPLES

- $T^*Q \longrightarrow PT^*Q$ PROBABLY THE SIMPLEST WAY TO INTRODUCE CONTACT STRUCTURE ON THE PROJECTIVE COTANGENT BUNDLE



IT IS AN \mathbb{R}^x -PRINCIPAL BUNDLE WITH THE LIFTED ACTION $d_{T^*}h_s$

$$(x^i, \tau, p_i, z)$$

$$(T_{h_s})^*(x^i, \tau, p_i, z) = (x^i, \frac{\tau}{s}, p_i, sz)$$

$$(T_{h_{\frac{1}{s}}})^*(x^i, \tau, p_i, z) = (x^i, s\tau, p_i, \frac{z}{s})$$

$$d_{T^*}h_s(x^i, \tau, p_i, z) = (x^i, s\tau, sp_i, z)$$

$$d_{T^*}h_s = s(T_{h_{\frac{1}{s}}})^*$$

T^*L^x

IT IS A SYMPLECTIC MANIFOLD

$$\tilde{\omega}_{L^x} = dp_i \wedge dx^i + dz \wedge d\tau \quad (d_{T^*}h_s)^* \tilde{\omega}_{L^x} = d(sp_i) \wedge dx^i + dz \wedge d(s\tau) = s\tilde{\omega}_{L^x}$$

$(T^*L^x, \tilde{\omega}_{L^x}, d_{T^*}h_s)$ SYMPLECTIC PRINCIPAL \mathbb{R}^x -BUNDLE

$$\frac{T^*L^x}{\mathbb{R}^x} = ?$$

$$(T^*L^x, \tau, \omega, d_{T^*}h_s, \tilde{\omega}_{L^x})$$

SYMPLECTIC PRINCIPAL \mathbb{R}^x -BUNDLE

$$T^*L^x / \mathbb{R}^x = ?$$

THERE IS A CORRESPONDENCE BETWEEN



HOMOGENEOUS FUNCTIONS

$$f: L^x \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$f_\sigma(l) = \langle \sigma(x), l \rangle$$

JETS OF SECTIONS

$$j^1_{\sigma_1}(x) = j^1_{\sigma_2}(x)$$

$$\sigma_1(x) = \lambda \sigma_2(x)$$

$$\lambda(x) = 1 \quad d\lambda(x) = 0$$

DIFFERENTIALS OF FUNCTIONS

$$f_{\sigma_1} = \lambda f_{\sigma_2}$$

$$df_{\sigma_1}(l) = d(\lambda f_{\sigma_2}) = \lambda(x) df_{\sigma_2} + f_{\sigma_2} d\lambda(x)$$

AT l OVER x

$$df_{\sigma_1} = df_{\sigma_2}$$

$$T^*L^x / \mathbb{R}^x = J^1L^*$$

MOREOVER:

$$d_{T^*}h_s(df_\sigma(l)) = df_\sigma(h_s(l))$$

EVERY COVECTOR IS A DIFFERENTIAL OF SOME HOMOGENEOUS FUNCTION

$$\alpha_i dx^i + \alpha d\tau = df(x_0^i, \tau_0) \quad f(x^i, \tau) = \tau \left[\frac{\alpha_i}{\tau_0} (x^i - x_0^i) + \alpha \right]$$

THE CANONICAL CONTACT STRUCTURE OF J^1L^* CORRESPONDS TO THE \mathbb{R}^x -PRINCIPAL SYMPLECTIC BUNDLE

$$(T^*L^x, J^1L^*, \tau, d_{T^*}h, \tilde{\omega}_{L^x})$$



APPLICATIONS:

- CONTACT HAMILTONIAN SYSTEMS
- CONTACT HAMILTON-JACOBI THEOREMS
- CONTACT LAGRANGIAN MECHANICS
- CONTACT REDUCTIONS
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CONTACT HAMILTONIAN VECTOR FIELDS

IN THE LITERATURE, CONTACT HAMILTONIAN DYNAMICS IS FORMULATED IN TERMS OF CONTACT FORM:

(M, η) R_η - REEB VECTOR FIELD, $H : M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ HAMILTONIAN

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$$X_H^c : \quad X_H^c \lrcorner \eta = -H \quad X_H^c \lrcorner d\eta = dH - R_\eta(H)\eta$$

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$$\eta = dz - p_i dq^i$$

$$Z - p_i Q^i = -H$$

$$X_H^C = Q^i \frac{\partial}{\partial q^i} + P_j \frac{\partial}{\partial p_j} + Z \frac{\partial}{\partial z}$$

$$-P_j dq^j + Q^i dp_i = \frac{\partial H}{\partial q^i} dq^i + \frac{\partial H}{\partial p_j} dp^j + \frac{\partial H}{\partial z} dz - \frac{\partial H}{\partial z} (dz - p_i dq^i)$$

$$Z = p_i \frac{\partial H}{\partial p_i} - H$$

$$-P_j = \frac{\partial H}{\partial q^j} + p_i \frac{\partial H}{\partial z} \quad Q^i = \frac{\partial H}{\partial p_i}$$

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ONE CAN CHECK THAT FOR A FIXED HAMILTONIAN $H: M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ AND DIFFERENT $\tilde{\eta} = f\eta$ WE GET DIFFERENT $\tilde{X}_H^c \neq X_H^c$

NO GLOBAL $\eta \equiv$ NO GLOBAL DYNAMICS

(FOR A GIVEN $H: M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$)

$$Z = p_i \frac{\partial H}{\partial p_i} - H$$

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CONTACT HAMILTONIAN VECTOR FIELDS

$$\bullet \quad \mathcal{L}_{X_H^c} \eta = d(\underbrace{\langle \eta, X_H^c \rangle}_{-H}) + \underbrace{X_H^c \lrcorner d\eta}_{dH - R_\eta(H)\eta} = -dH + dH - R_\eta(H)\eta = -R_\eta(H)\eta$$

$$\bullet \quad X_H^c(H) = \langle dH, X_H^c \rangle = -R_\eta(H)H$$

$$dH = X_H^c \lrcorner d\eta + R_\eta(H)\eta$$

CONTACT HAMILTONIAN VECTOR
FIELD DOES NOT PRESERVE
 η NOR H

CONTACT HAMILTONIAN VECTOR FIELD PRESERVES \mathcal{C}

$$Y \in \text{Sec } \mathcal{C} \quad \langle \eta, Y \rangle = 0$$

$$0 = X_H^c \langle \eta, Y \rangle = \underbrace{\langle \mathcal{L}_{X_H^c} \eta, Y \rangle}_{\sim \eta} + \langle \eta, [X_H^c, Y] \rangle \Rightarrow [X_H^c, Y] \in \ker \eta = \mathcal{C}$$

$$(M, C) \longleftrightarrow (P, M, \tau, h, \omega)$$

$$\mathcal{H} : P \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

HOMOGENEOUS: $\mathcal{H}(h_s(p)) = s\mathcal{H}(p)$

$$\omega(X_{\mathcal{H}}, \cdot) = d\mathcal{H}$$

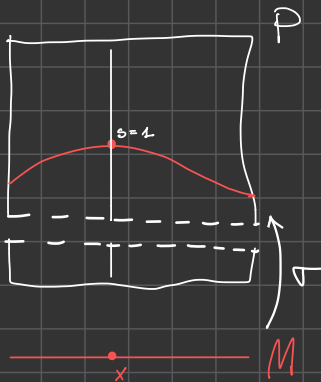
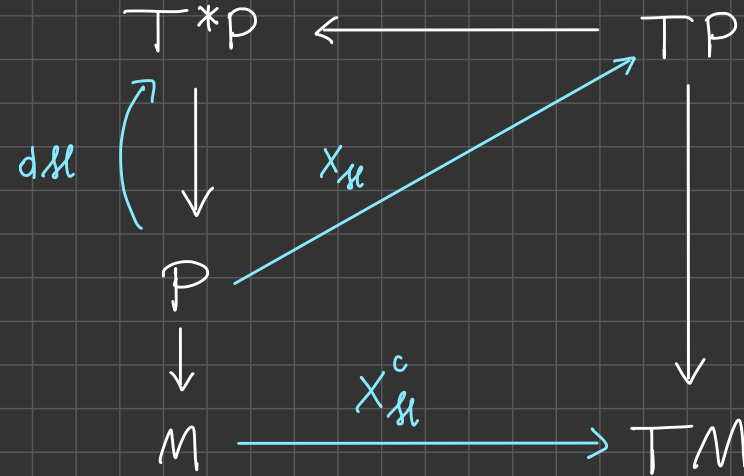
HOMOGENEOUS (pointing to ω)

HOMOGENEOUS (pointing to $X_{\mathcal{H}}$)

INVARIANT!

AN INVARIANT VECTOR FIELD ON P IS PROJECTABLE TO M

$$X_{\mathcal{H}}^C = T\tau(X_{\mathcal{H}})$$



$$P \cong M \times \mathbb{R}^x$$

$$\mathcal{H}(x, s) = s\mathcal{H}(\tau(x)) = sH(x)$$

$$\omega = ds \wedge \eta + s d\eta$$

$$X_{\mathcal{H}} \text{ INVARIANT : } X_{\mathcal{H}} = s \cdot F(x) \frac{\partial}{\partial s} + X_{\mathcal{H}}^C$$

$$d\mathcal{H} = H ds + s dH = \omega(X_{\mathcal{H}}, \cdot) = sF(x)\eta - \langle \eta, X_{\mathcal{H}}^C \rangle ds + s X_{\mathcal{H}}^C \lrcorner d\eta$$

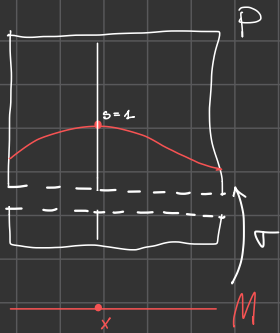
$$X_{\mathcal{H}}^C \lrcorner \eta = -H$$

$$dH = F(x)\eta + X_{\mathcal{H}}^C \lrcorner d\eta$$

CONTRACTING WITH R_{η} WE GET $F(x) = R_{\eta}(H)$

$$dH - R_{\eta}(H)\eta = X_{\mathcal{H}}^C \lrcorner d\eta$$





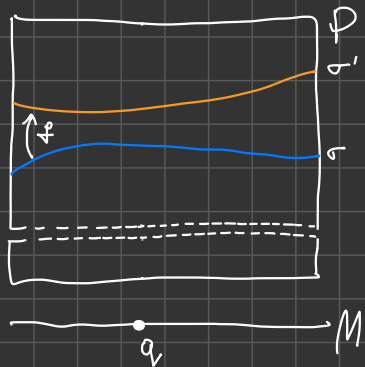
$$\mathcal{P} \simeq M \times \mathbb{R}^x$$

$$\mathcal{H}(x, s) = s \mathcal{H}(\sigma(x)) = s H(x)$$

$$\tilde{\omega} = ds \wedge \eta + s d\eta$$

FOR $\sigma' = f \sigma$ WE GET

$$H' = f H \quad \eta' = f \eta \quad \text{AND THE SAME} \quad X_{fH}^C = X_{\mathcal{H}}$$



$$\sigma' = f \sigma(x)$$

$$f s' = s$$

$$\eta' = f \eta$$

$$\mathcal{H}(p) = \mathcal{H}(s' \sigma'(x)) = \mathcal{H}(s \sigma(x))$$

$$s' H'(x) = s H(x)$$

$$H'(x) = f s' H(x)$$

$$H' = f H$$

IF WE CHANGE η TO $f \eta$ AND WANT TO KEEP $X = X_H^C$
WE HAVE TO REPLACE H WITH $f H$

CONTACT HAMILTONIAN VECTOR FIELD CORRESPONDS TO
A HOMOGENEOUS FUNCTION ON \mathcal{P}

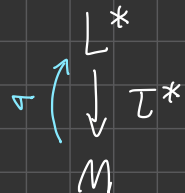
CONTACT HAMILTONIAN VECTOR FIELD CORRESPONDS TO A HOMOGENEOUS FUNCTION ON \mathcal{P}

IF WE NEED A HAMILTONIAN-LIKE OBJECT ON M NOT ON \mathcal{P} IT HAS TO BE A SECTION OF CERTAIN LINE BUNDLE NOT A FUNCTION.

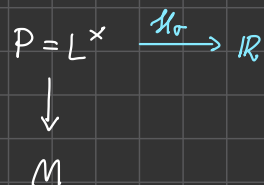
LINE BUNDLE



DUAL LINE BUNDLE



\mathbb{R}^x PRINCIPAL BUNDLE



SECTIONS OF L^* CORRESPOND TO HOMOGENEOUS FUNCTIONS ON $\mathcal{P} = L^x$

\mathbb{R}^x PRINCIPAL BUNDLE



$$\mathcal{P} = L_{\mathcal{P}}^x$$

LINE BUNDLE

$$L_{\mathcal{P}} = \mathcal{P} \times \mathbb{R} / \mathbb{R}^x$$

$$(p, r) \sim (sp, \frac{r}{s})$$

DUAL LINE BUNDLE

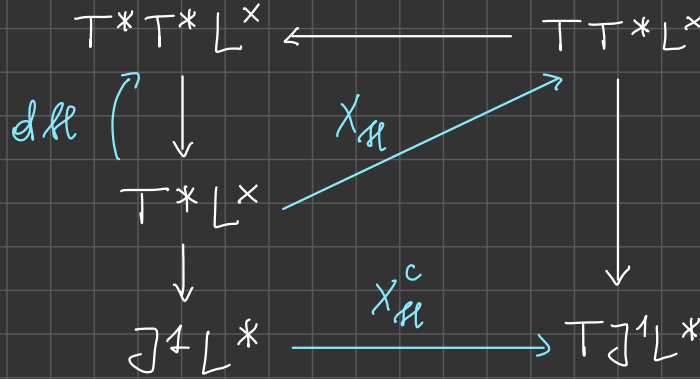
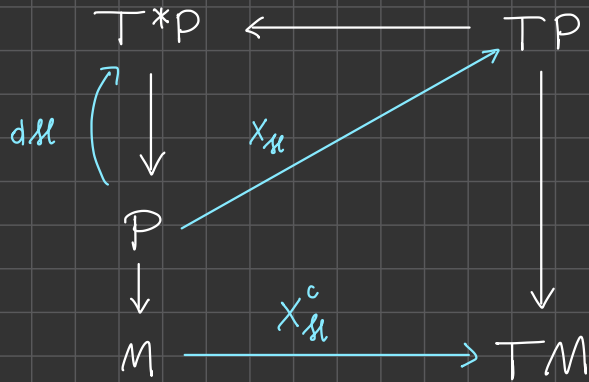
$$L_{\mathcal{P}}^* = \mathcal{P} \times \mathbb{R}^* / \mathbb{R}^x$$

$$(p, r) \sim (sp, sr)$$

HOMOGENEOUS FUNCTIONS ON \mathcal{P} CORRESPOND TO SECTIONS OF $L_{\mathcal{P}}^*$

APPLICATION

IN CASE $M = J^1 L^*$ ($M = T^*Q \times \mathbb{R}$)



$M = T^*Q \times \mathbb{R}$

$$L = Q \times \mathbb{R} \quad (q_j^i, \tau) \quad L^x = Q \times \mathbb{R}^x \quad \tau \neq 0$$

$$L^* = Q \times \mathbb{R} \quad (q_j^i, z)$$

$$T^*L^x = T^*(Q \times \mathbb{R}^x) \simeq T^*Q \times \mathbb{R}^x \times \mathbb{R} \quad (q_j^i, \bar{p}_j, \bar{\tau}, z)$$

$$J^1 L^* \simeq T^*Q \times \mathbb{R} \quad (q_j^i, p_j, z)$$

$$T^*L^x \simeq (q_j^i, \bar{p}_j, \bar{\tau}, z) \longmapsto (q_j^i, \frac{\bar{p}_j}{\bar{\tau}}, z)$$

STARTING FROM $H: T^*Q \times \mathbb{R} \ni (q_j^i, p_j, z) \longrightarrow H(q_j^i, p_j, z) \in \mathbb{R}$

WE CAN DEFINE $\mathcal{H}: T^*Q \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \ni (q_j^i, \bar{p}_j, \bar{\tau}, z) \longrightarrow \bar{\tau} H(q_j^i, \frac{\bar{p}_j}{\bar{\tau}}, z) = \bar{\tau} [H_0(q_j^i, \frac{\bar{p}_j}{\bar{\tau}}) - \lambda z] \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\begin{aligned} \omega_{L^x} &= d\bar{p}_i \wedge dq_j^i + dz \wedge d\bar{\tau} = \\ &= d(\bar{\tau} p_i) \wedge dq_j^i + dz \wedge d\bar{\tau} = \\ &= \bar{\tau} dp_i \wedge dq_j^i + p_i d\bar{\tau} \wedge dq_j^i + dz \wedge d\bar{\tau} \\ &= \underbrace{(dz - p_i dq_j^i)}_{\eta} \wedge d\bar{\tau} + \underbrace{\bar{\tau} dp_i \wedge dq_j^i}_{d\eta} \end{aligned}$$

THIS ADDS VISCOSITY-LIKE FORCE TO THE USUAL MECHANICAL HAMILTONIAN SYSTEM



COORDINATE EXPRESSIONS

$$H(x^i, \tau, \bar{q}_j, z) = \tau H\left(x^i, \frac{\bar{q}_j}{\tau}, z\right) \quad \leftarrow p_j$$

ON P

$$X_H = \frac{\partial H}{\partial p_i} \frac{\partial}{\partial q^i} + \tau \frac{\partial H}{\partial z} \frac{\partial}{\partial \tau} - \tau \frac{\partial H}{\partial q^j} \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{q}_j} + \left(\frac{\bar{q}_k}{\tau} \frac{\partial H}{\partial p_k} - H \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial z}$$

OR M

$$X_H^c = \frac{\partial H}{\partial p_i} \frac{\partial}{\partial q^i} - \left(\frac{\partial H}{\partial q^j} + p_j \frac{\partial H}{\partial z} \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial p_j} + \left(p_k \frac{\partial H}{\partial p_k} - H \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial z}$$



THANK YOU!