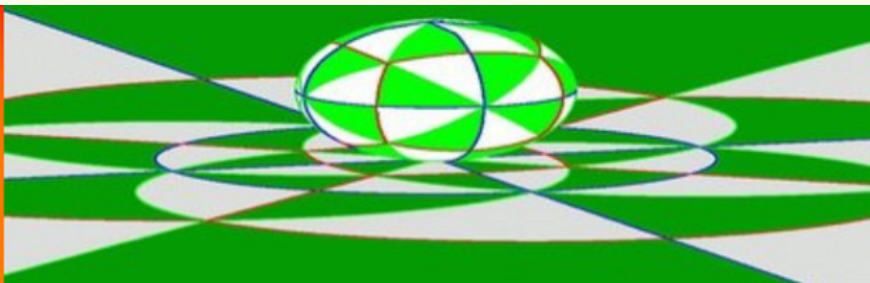


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ROUTH REDUCTION AS AN EXAMPLE OF LAGRANGIAN REDUCTION

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Edward John Routh
1831-1907

CALCULATIONS IN COORDINATES

$$\mathbb{R}^{n+m} \ni (q, x, \dot{q}, \dot{x}) \longmapsto L(q, x, \dot{q}, \dot{x}) \in \mathbb{R}$$

cyclic variables: $\frac{\partial L}{\partial q} = 0$

$$\mathcal{R}(q, x, p, \dot{x}) = p\dot{q} - L(q, x, \dot{q}, \dot{x}) \quad \frac{\partial \mathcal{R}}{\partial q} = 0$$

$$\dot{p} = -\frac{\partial \mathcal{R}}{\partial x} = 0 \quad \dot{q} = \frac{\partial \mathcal{R}}{\partial p} \quad \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial \mathcal{R}}{\partial \dot{x}} \right) - \frac{\partial \mathcal{R}}{\partial x} = 0$$

$$\Downarrow \\ p = a$$

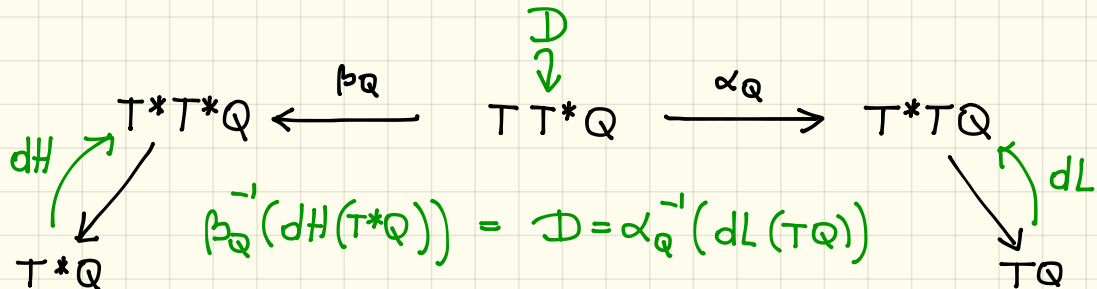
$$\mathcal{R}_a(x, \dot{x}) = a\dot{q}(a) - L(x, \dot{q}(a), \dot{x})$$

Routhian \nearrow depends only on (x, \dot{x})

WHAT IS GEOMETRIC PICTURE BEHIND THESE CALCULATIONS ?

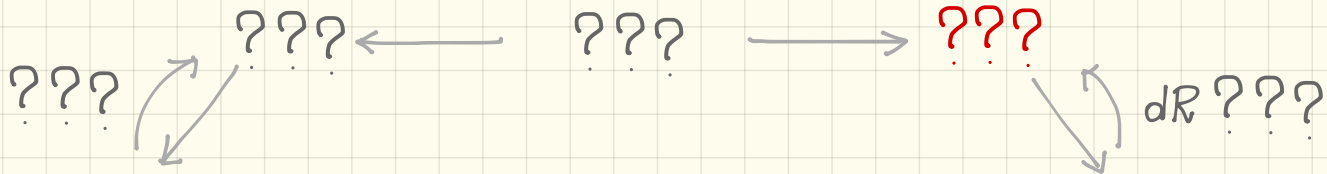
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WHY DO IT AGAIN ?



EASY \rightarrow $\left. \begin{array}{c} \text{ } \\ \text{ } \\ \text{ } \end{array} \right\}$

INTERESTING \rightarrow $\left. \begin{array}{c} \text{ } \\ \text{ } \\ \text{ } \end{array} \right\}$ ROUTH REDUCTION RELATION



TOOLS:

→ SYMPLECTIC GEOMETRY: SYMPLECTIC REDUCTIONS, LAGRANGIAN SUBMANIFOLDS, GENERATING OBJECTS:

GENERATING FUNCTION

$$f: Q \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$df^p(Q) \subset T^*Q$$

LAGRANGIAN
SUBMANIFOLD

FUNCTION ON

A SUBMANIFOLD

$$Q \hookrightarrow C \xrightarrow{f} \mathbb{R}$$

$$\{\varphi \in T^*Q : \forall v \in TC \langle df, v \rangle = \langle \varphi, v \rangle\} \subset T^*Q$$

GENERATING
FAMILY

$$\begin{array}{ccc} M & \xrightarrow{f} & \mathbb{R} \\ \rho \downarrow & & \\ Q & & \end{array}$$

$$C = \{m \in M : d^v f(m) = 0\}$$

$$\{\varphi \in T^*Q : \rho^* \varphi(m) = df^p(m)\}$$

SYMPLECTIC RELATIONS ARE LAGRANGIAN
SUBMANIFOLDS

$$\rho: P_1 \rightarrow P_2$$

$$\text{graph}(\rho) \subset (P_1 \times P_2, \omega_1 - \omega_2)$$



IF P_1, P_2 ARE COTANGENT BUNDLES
WE CAN GENERATE THE GRAPH

COMPOSING SYMPLECTIC RELATIONS
MEANS ADDING GENERATING OBJECTS

EXAMPLE

$$L: TQ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$T^*TQ \xrightarrow{\gamma_Q} T^*T^*Q \quad \text{SYMPLECTOMORPHISM
GENERATED BY}$$

$$dL(TQ) \subset T^*TQ$$

$$TQ \times T^*Q \supset TQ \times_Q T^*Q \ni (v, p) \mapsto -\langle p, v \rangle \in \mathbb{R}$$

↑
LAGRANGIAN
SUBMANIFOLD

WHAT GENERATES $\gamma_Q(dL(TQ))$?

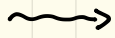
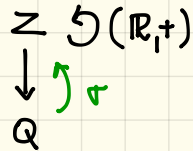
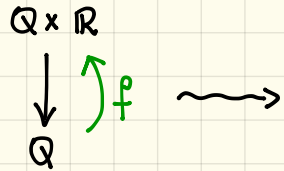
$$TQ \times_Q T^*Q \ni (v, p) \mapsto \underline{\underline{L(v) - \langle p, v \rangle \in \mathbb{R}}}$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$T^*Q$$

TOOLS:

→ GEOMETRY OF AFFINE VALUES: AV-BUNDLES, AFFINE PHASE SPACES



AFFINE PHASE SPACE:

$$(\sigma_1, q) \sim (\sigma_2, q) \Leftrightarrow d(\sigma_2 - \sigma_1)(q) = 0$$

$$d\sigma(q) := [(\sigma, q)]$$

$$PZ = \{d\sigma(q)\} \leftarrow \text{AFFINE BUNDLE OVER } Q$$

SYMPLECTIC
MANIFOLD

$$\omega_Z = \Sigma^* \omega_Q$$

$$\Sigma: PZ \rightarrow T^*Q$$

MODELED ON T^*Q

$$\text{ATIYAH ALGEBROID } \tilde{T}Z = TZ / \mathbb{R}$$

VECTOR BUNDLE OVER Q

$\tilde{T}Z \rightarrow TQ$ IS A BUNDLE
OF AFFINE VALUES

ROUTH REDUCTION RELATION

Q - CONFIGURATION MANIFOLD

X - VECTOR FIELD ON Q - SYMMETRY

$$L: TQ \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad \underbrace{(d_T X \cdot L = 0)}$$

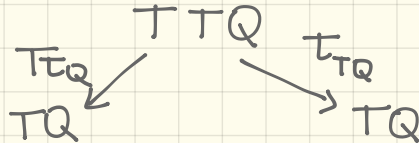
GEOMETRIC VERSION
OF A LAGRANGIAN WITH
CYCLIC VARIABLE



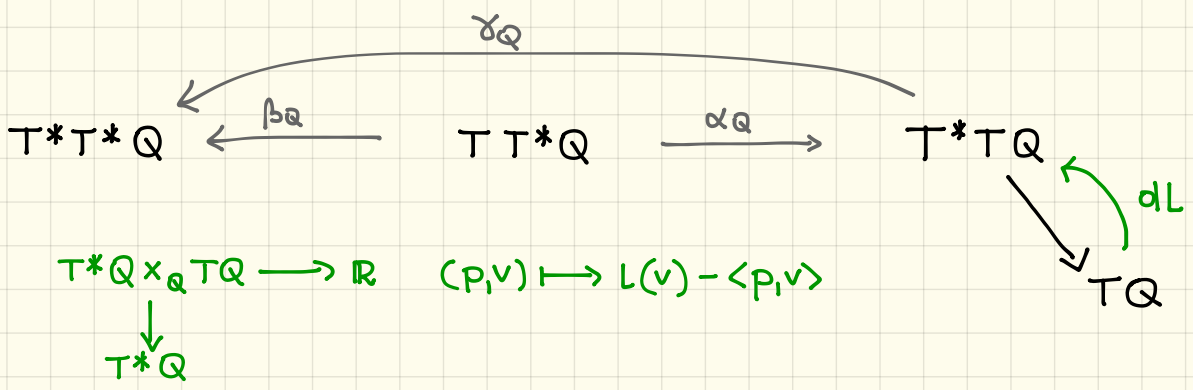
IN FACT, WHAT IS IMPORTANT IS THE DISTRIBUTION

$$\Delta_X = \langle d_T X \rangle$$

IT IS ONE DIMENSIONAL DISTRIBUTION, DOUBLE
VECTOR SUBBUNDLE OF



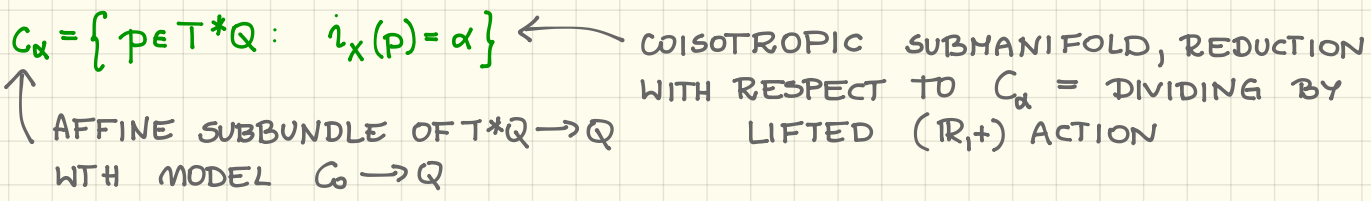
ROUTH REDUCTION RELATION VIA HAMILTONIAN MECHANICS



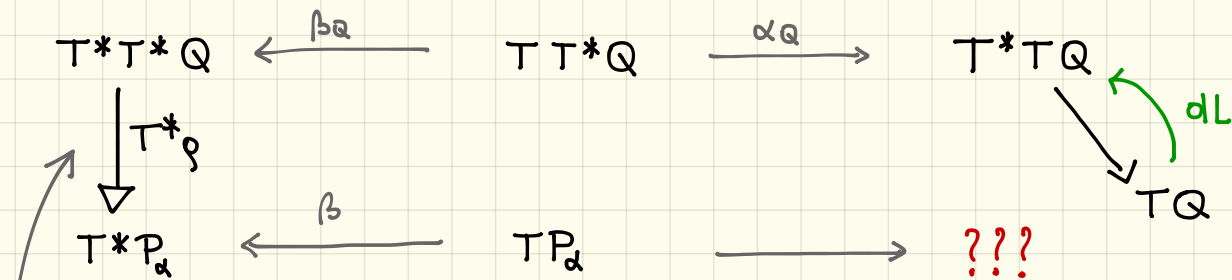
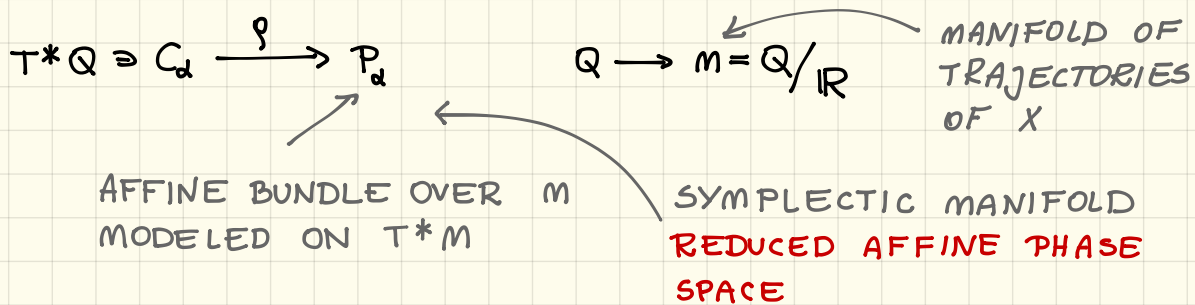
→ IN HAMILTONIAN MECHANICS SYMMETRY IS GIVEN BY



→ PHASE TRAJECTORIES LIE IN LEVEL SETS OF i_X



ROUTH REDUCTION RELATION VIA HAMILTONIAN MECHANICS



SYMPLECTIC RELATION GENERATED BY A FUNCTION EQUAL ZERO ON

$$T^*Q \times P_\alpha \supset C_\alpha \times P_\alpha$$

$$C_\alpha \times_Q TQ \longrightarrow R$$

$$\downarrow P_\alpha$$

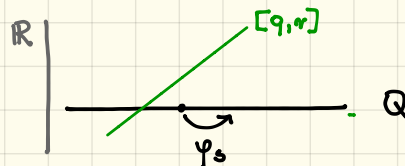
$$(p_1 v) \mapsto L(v) - \langle p_1, v \rangle$$

ROUTH REDUCTION RELATION VIA HAMILTONIAN MECHANICS

HERE COMES AV-GEOMETRY!

$$Q \times \mathbb{R} : (q, r) \sim (\psi_s(q), r + s\alpha)$$

FLOW OF X



$$Z_\alpha \cong Q \times \mathbb{R} / \sim \quad Z_\alpha \rightarrow M$$

$$[q, r] + t := [q, r + t] = [\psi_s(q), r + t + s\alpha]$$

$$P_\alpha \cong PZ_\alpha$$

$$T^*P_\alpha \xleftarrow{\beta} TP_\alpha \xrightarrow{\quad} P\tilde{T}Z_\alpha$$

WHAT IS IT??

$$\tilde{T}Z_\alpha = TZ_\alpha / (\mathbb{R}_+)$$

ATIYAH ALGEBROID

$$TZ_\alpha \longrightarrow TM \quad \text{AV-BUNDLE}$$

$$w \in TZ_\alpha$$

$$[w] + s = [w + s\xi]$$

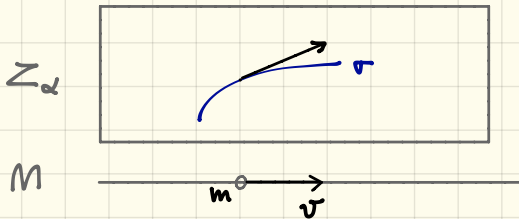
FUNDAMENTAL VECTOR
FIELD OF \mathbb{R} -ACTION
ON Z_α

$\mathcal{P}\tilde{T}Z_\alpha$ - AFFINE DIFFERENTIALS OF SECTIONS OF $\tilde{T}Z_\alpha \rightarrow TM$

ROUTHIAN IS NOT A FUNCTION ON TM BUT A SECTION
OF AN AV-BUNDLE

AFFINE ANALOG OF A MAP $T^*Q \times_Q TQ \ni (p, v) \longmapsto \langle p, v \rangle \in \mathbb{R}$

$\mathcal{P}Z_\alpha \times_M TM \ni (p, v) \longmapsto \langle p, v \rangle \in \tilde{T}Z_\alpha$



$$p = d\tau(m) \quad \langle p, v \rangle = [T\tau(v)]$$

$$T^*PZ_\alpha \xleftarrow{\beta} TPZ_\alpha \xrightarrow{\alpha} P\tilde{T}Z_\alpha$$

$$\curvearrowright \gamma$$

$$T^*PZ_\alpha \simeq P\tilde{T}Z_\alpha$$

↑
SYMPLECTOMORPHISM GENERATED BY A SECTION OVER A SUBMANIFOLD

$$PZ_\alpha \times TM \supset PZ_\alpha \times_m TM \longrightarrow \tilde{T}Z_\alpha \quad (p_\alpha, w) \mapsto \langle p_\alpha, w \rangle$$

$$C_\alpha \times_Q TQ \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$\downarrow P_\alpha$$

$$(p, v) \mapsto L(v) - \langle p, v \rangle$$

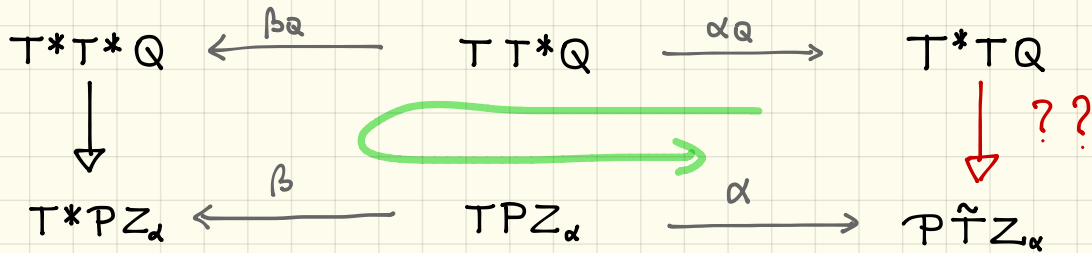
$$TM \times_m C_\alpha \times_Q TQ \longrightarrow \tilde{T}Z_\alpha$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$TM \quad (w, p, v) \mapsto L(v) - \langle p, v \rangle + \langle p_\alpha, w \rangle$$

$$\uparrow \uparrow$$

GENERATING FAMILY
WITH PARAMETERS p, v



QUESTIONS:

1. IS IT POSSIBLE TO SIMPLIFY

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 T^m \times_m C_\alpha \times_q TQ & \longrightarrow & \tilde{Z}_\alpha \\
 \downarrow & & \\
 T^m & (w, p, v) \mapsto & L(v) - \langle p, v \rangle + \langle p_\alpha, w \rangle
 \end{array}$$

YES, BUT NOT ALWAYS TO ONE ROUTHIAN SECTION → EXAMPLE

2. IS IT POSSIBLE TO GO DIRECTLY FROM T*TQ TO PZ̃_α?

YES, BUT YOU HAVE TO INCLUDE VALUES OF GENERATING OBJECTS

↳ LAGRANGIAN REDUCTION

ANSWER TO QUESTION 1 WITH AN EXAMPLE:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 T_m \times_m C_\alpha \times_Q TQ & \longrightarrow & \tilde{T}Z_\alpha \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 TM & (w, p, v) \mapsto & L(v) - \langle p, v \rangle + \langle p_\alpha, w \rangle
 \end{array}$$



$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 TQ & \longrightarrow & \tilde{T}Z_\alpha \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 TM & v \mapsto & L(v) - \langle p, v \rangle + \langle p_\alpha, w \rangle
 \end{array}$$

$$TQ \ni v \mapsto w \in TM$$

FORMULA DOES NOT DEPEND ON p ,
ANY $p \in C_\alpha$ OVER $\tau_Q(v)$ IS OK!

EXAMPLE:

$$Q = \mathbb{R}^2 \ni (x, y) \quad L: TQ \ni (x, y, \dot{x}, \dot{y}) \mapsto \dot{x}\dot{y} - \dot{y}^2 \in \mathbb{R} \quad M = \mathbb{R} \ni (y)$$

$$X = \frac{\partial}{\partial x}$$

↓ PARAMETER

$$\text{ROUTHIAN FAMILY READS } (y, \dot{x}, \dot{y}) \mapsto \dot{x}\dot{y} - \dot{y}^2 - \alpha \dot{x} \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$T^*TM = \{ (y, \dot{y}, a, b) : \dot{y} = \alpha, a = -2\dot{y} \}$$

$$TT^*M = \{ (y, p, \dot{y}, \dot{p}) : \dot{y} = \alpha, \dot{p} = -2\dot{y} \}$$

$$X_h(y, p) = \alpha \frac{\partial}{\partial y} - 2\dot{y} \frac{\partial}{\partial p}$$

$$h(y, p) = \alpha p + y^2$$

ANSWER TO QUESTION 2

THE RELATION $T^*TQ \xrightarrow{\mathbb{R}} P\tilde{T}Z_\alpha$ IS THE AFFINE PHASE LIFT OF THE REDUCED TANGENT RELATION $\tilde{T}(Q \times \mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \tilde{T}Z_\alpha$ OF THE PROJECTION

$$Q \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow Z_\alpha$$

$$Q \times \mathbb{R} \xrightarrow{\zeta_\alpha} Z_\alpha \quad (q, r) \mapsto [q, r] = \{(\psi_s(q), r + s\alpha)\} \quad \text{AV-BUNDLE MORPHISM}$$

$$\tilde{T}(Q \times \mathbb{R}) = TQ \times \mathbb{R} \xrightarrow{T\zeta_\alpha} \tilde{T}Z_\alpha \quad (v, t) \mapsto [v, t] = \{(T\psi_s(v) + sX(q), t + \alpha s)\}$$

AV-BUNDLE MORPHISM

ROUTH REDUCTION \mathcal{R} IS $P\tilde{T}\zeta_\alpha$. IT IS GENERATED BY NONTRIVIAL SECTION OF CERTAIN AV-BUNDLE

$$T^*T^*Q \longrightarrow T^*PZ_\alpha$$

$$T^*Q \supset C_\alpha \longrightarrow PZ_\alpha \longleftarrow \begin{array}{l} \text{PHASE LIFT GENERATED} \\ \text{BY FUNCTION ZERO ON } C_\alpha \times_m PZ_\alpha \end{array}$$

FINAL COMMENT ON (NOT REALLY) A GENERALISATION

LAGRANGIAN WITH SYMMETRY $d_T X \cdot L = 0$

$$d_T X \rightsquigarrow \Delta_x^\perp \langle d_T X \rangle \quad dL(TQ) \subset \Delta_x^\circ$$

ONE DIMENSIONAL LINEAR DISTRIBUTION ON TQ ,
DOUBLE VECTOR SUBBUNDLE OF TTQ

→ ONE CAN SHOW THAT IT DEFINES X UP TO
MULTIPLICATION BY NUMBERS

NO DISTINGUISHED PARAMETERIZATION OF $\{C_\alpha\}$ BY $\alpha \dots$