

# LIFTING – A method for constructing consistent kinetic theories with electromagnetic interaction

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**Definition:** Given a set of ordinary differential equations for ‘orbits’ of some kind of charged entities in given ‘electromagnetic’ fields  $\mathbf{E}, \mathbf{B}$ , lifting is a prescription for building a consistent Hamiltonian kinetic theory.

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# Orbits

Whence the orbits?

- Perturbation theory yield guiding center, gyrocenter, oscillation center, .... ODEs in given  $\mathbf{E}, \mathbf{B}$  with small parameters.
- A priori modeling of matter with magnetization and polarization properties.

# Orbit Theory Ingredients

Particle Hamiltonian/energy  $\Rightarrow$  orbits:

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{E} &= \bar{\mathcal{K}}(\mathbf{p} - e\mathbf{A}/c, w, \mathbf{E}, \mathbf{B}, \nabla\mathbf{E}, \nabla\mathbf{B}, \dots) + e\phi, \\ &= \mathcal{K}(\mathbf{v}, w; \mathbf{E}, \mathbf{B}, \nabla\mathbf{E}, \nabla\mathbf{B}, \dots) + e\phi(\mathbf{x}),\end{aligned}$$

Poisson Bracket:

$$[, ] : C^\infty(\mathcal{Z}) \times C^\infty(\mathcal{Z}) \rightarrow C^\infty(\mathcal{Z}) \quad \text{where } z = (\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{v}, w) \in \mathcal{Z}$$

Comments:

- Special form that gives rise to gauge invariant variational principles, e.g., Hamiltonian-Jacobi type of Pfirsich and pjm (1984, 1985, 1991), phase space action, etc.
- Any functional dependence on  $\mathbf{E}, \mathbf{B}$  allowed.
- Can be written in terms of a canonical momentum  $\mathbf{p}$  or kinetic momentum  $m\mathbf{v}$ .
- Can have 'internal' degrees of freedom, e.g., spin or angular momentum via  $w$ .

# I. ODEs

## Orbits From Actions

# Action Principle

Hero of Alexandria (75 AD)  $\longrightarrow$  Fermat (1600's)  $\longrightarrow$

Hamilton's Principle (1800's)

The Procedure:

• Configuration Space:  $q^i(t)$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, N$   $\longleftarrow$  #DOF

• Kinetic & Potential:  $L = T - V$   $\longleftarrow$  Kinetic Potential

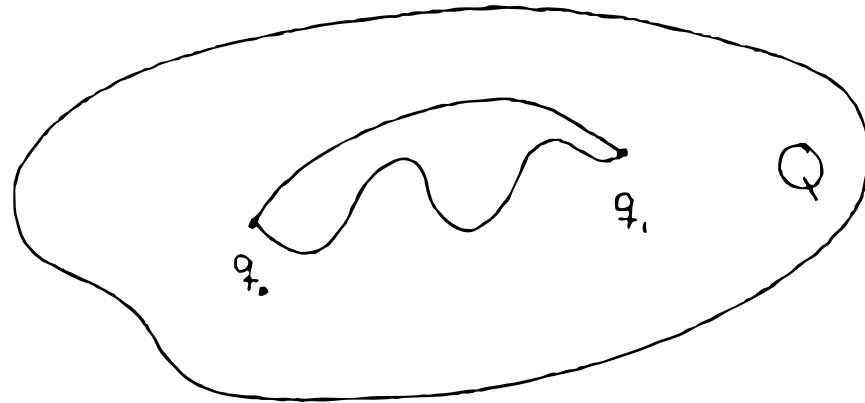
• Action Functional:

$$S[q] = \int_{t_0}^{t_1} L(q, \dot{q}, t) dt, \quad \delta q(t_0) = \delta q(t_1) = 0$$

Extremal path  $\implies$  Lagrange's equations

# Variation Over Paths

$$S[q_{\text{path}}] = \text{number}$$



Functional Derivative:

$$\frac{\delta S[q]}{\delta q^i} = 0 \quad \Rightarrow$$

Lagrange's Equations:

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial q^i} - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}^i} = 0.$$

# Hamilton's Equations

Canonical Momentum:  $p_i = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}^i}$

Legendre Transform:  $H(q, p) = p_i \dot{q}^i - L$

$$\dot{p}_i = -\frac{\partial H}{\partial q^i}, \quad \dot{q}^i = \frac{\partial H}{\partial p_i},$$

Phase Space Coordinates:  $z = (q, p)$

$$\dot{z}^i = J_c^{ij} \frac{\partial H}{\partial z^j} = [z^i, H], \quad (J_c^{ij}) = \begin{pmatrix} 0_N & I_N \\ -I_N & 0_N \end{pmatrix},$$

symplectic 2-form = (cosymplectic form)<sup>-1</sup>:  $\omega_{ij}^c J_c^{jk} = \delta_i^k,$



# Phase-Space Action

Gives Hamilton's equations directly

$$S[q, p] = \int_{t_0}^{t_1} dt \left( p_i \dot{q}^i - H(q, p) \right)$$

Defined on paths  $\gamma$  in phase space  $\mathcal{P}$  (e.g.  $T^*Q$ ) parameterized by time,  $t$ , i.e.,  $z_\gamma(t) = (q_\gamma(t), p_\gamma(t))$ . Then  $S : \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ . Domain of  $S$  any smooth path  $\gamma \in \mathcal{P}$ .

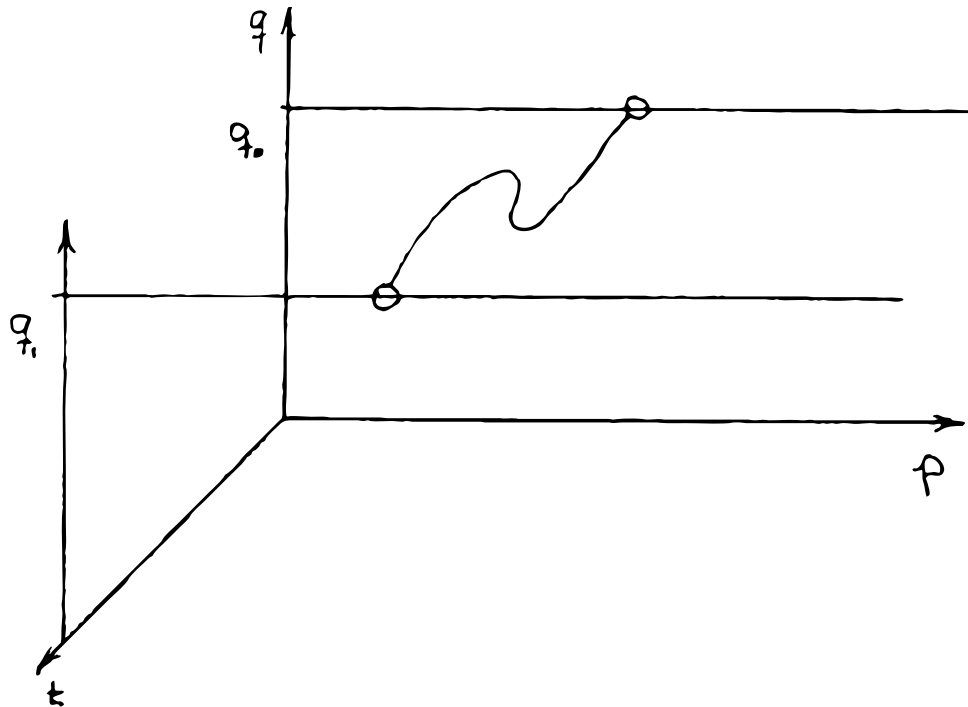
Law of nature, set Fréchet or functional derivative, to zero. Varying  $S$  by perturbing path,  $\delta z_\gamma(t)$ , gives

$$\delta S[z_\gamma; \delta z_\gamma] = \int_{t_0}^{t_1} dt \left[ \delta p_i \left( \dot{q}^i - \frac{\partial H}{\partial p_i} \right) - \delta q^i \left( \dot{p}_i + \frac{\partial H}{\partial q^i} \right) + \frac{d}{dt} (p_i \delta q^i) \right].$$

Under the assumption  $\delta q(t_0) = \delta q(t_1) \equiv 0$ , with no restriction on  $\delta p$ , boundary term vanishes.

Admissible paths in  $\mathcal{P}$  have 'clothesline' boundary conditions.

## Phase-Space Action Continued



$$\delta S \equiv 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \dot{q}^i = \frac{\partial H}{\partial p_i} \quad \text{and} \quad \dot{p}_i = -\frac{\partial H}{\partial q^i}, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, N,$$

Thus, extremal paths satisfy Hamilton's equations.

## Alternatives

Rewrite action  $S$  as follows:

$$S[z] = \int_{t_0}^{t_1} dt \left( \frac{1}{2} \omega_{\alpha\beta}^c z^\alpha \dot{z}^\beta - H(z) \right) =: \int_{\gamma} (d\theta - H dt)$$

where  $d\theta$  is a differential one-form.

Particle motion in given electromagnetic field  $\mathbf{B} = \nabla \times \mathbf{A}$  and  $\mathbf{E} = -\nabla\phi - \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \mathbf{A}}{\partial t}$

$$S[\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{p}] = \int_{t_0}^{t_1} dt \left[ \mathbf{p} \cdot \dot{\mathbf{r}} - \frac{1}{2m} \left| \mathbf{p} - \frac{e}{c} \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{r}, t) \right|^2 - e\phi(\mathbf{r}, t) \right].$$

The Lorentz force law arises from  $S$ . **Generalize this to**  $\rightarrow$

$$S[\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{p}] = \int_{t_0}^{t_1} dt \left[ \mathbf{p} \cdot \dot{\mathbf{r}} - \bar{\mathcal{K}}(\mathbf{p} - e\mathbf{A}/c, w, \mathbf{E}, \mathbf{B}, \nabla\mathbf{E}, \nabla\mathbf{B}, \dots) - e\phi \right].$$

Orbit dynamics that describes matter (plasma) arises from  $S$ .

# Generalized Hamiltonian Structure

Sophus Lie (1890)  $\rightarrow$  PJM (1980)....

Noncanonical Coordinates:

$$\dot{z}^i = J^{ij} \frac{\partial H}{\partial z^j} = [z^i, H], \quad [A, B] = \frac{\partial A}{\partial z^i} J^{ij}(z) \frac{\partial B}{\partial z^j}$$

Poisson Bracket Properties:

antisymmetry  $\rightarrow [A, B] = -[B, A],$

Jacobi identity  $\rightarrow [A, [B, C]] + [B, [C, A]] + [C, [A, B]] = 0$

G. Darboux:  $\det J \neq 0 \implies J \rightarrow J_c$  Canonical Coordinates

Sophus Lie:  $\det J = 0 \implies$  Canonical Coordinates plus Casimirs

Matter models in Eulerian variables:  $J^{ij} = c_k^{ij} z^k \leftarrow$  Lie – Poisson Brackets

Finite dimensions to infinite dimensions!

## Flow on Poisson Manifold

**Definition.** A Poisson manifold  $\mathcal{P}$  is differentiable manifold with bracket  $[\cdot, \cdot] : C^\infty(\mathcal{P}) \times C^\infty(\mathcal{P}) \rightarrow C^\infty(\mathcal{P})$  st  $C^\infty(\mathcal{P})$  with  $[\cdot, \cdot]$  is a Lie algebra realization, i.e., is i) bilinear, ii) antisymmetric, iii) Jacobi, and iv) consider only Leibniz, i.e., acts as a derivation.

Flows are integral curves of noncanonical Hamiltonian vector fields,  $JdH$ .

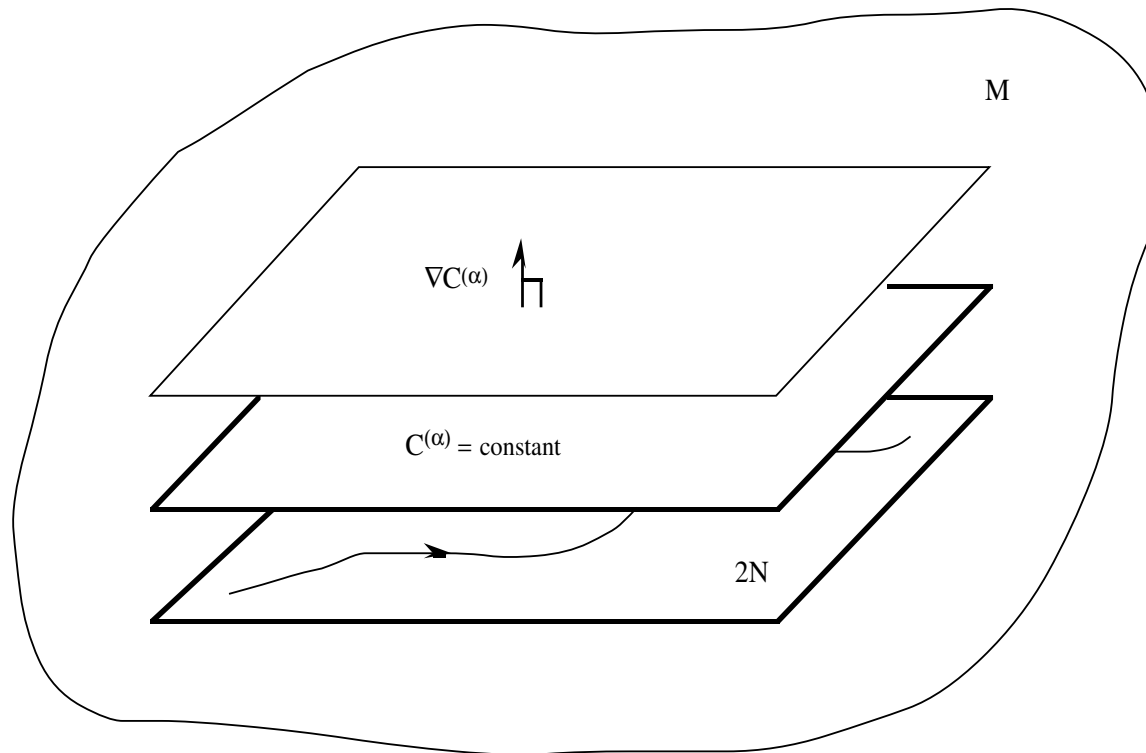
Because of degeneracy,  $\exists$  functions  $C$  st  $[f, C] = 0$  for all  $f \in C^\infty(\mathcal{P})$ . Called Casimir invariants (Lie's distinguished functions.)

# Poisson Manifold $\mathcal{P}$ Cartoon

Degeneracy in  $J \Rightarrow$  Casimirs:

$$[f, C] = 0 \quad \forall f : \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

Lie-Darboux Foliation by Casimir (symplectic) leaves:



Leaves are symplectic rearrangements in infinite dimensions.

## II. PDEs

### Lifting Orbits:

Hamiltonian Matter & Field Theory

# The Field Theory

Desiderata:

- Kinetic Theory/ transport equation
- Sources for Maxwell's equations

Provided by:

- Hamiltonian Functional.
- Noncanonical (field theory) Poisson bracket.



# Example: Vlasov-Poisson Hamiltonian Structure

Noncanonical Poisson Bracket (pjm 1980):

$$\{F, G\} = \int f \left[ \frac{\delta F}{\delta f}, \frac{\delta G}{\delta f} \right] dx dv$$

$F$  and  $G$  are functionals. VP  $\iff$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial t} = \{f, H\} = \left[ f, \mathcal{E} = \frac{\delta H}{\delta f} \right].$$

where  $\mathcal{E} = mv^2/2 + e\phi$  and

$$[f, \mathcal{E}] = \frac{1}{m} \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial \mathcal{E}}{\partial v} - \frac{\partial \mathcal{E}}{\partial x} \frac{\partial f}{\partial v} \right)$$

Casimir Invariants;

$$C[f] = \int C(f) dx dv$$

Organizes: VP, Euler, QG, Defect Dyn, Benny-Dirac, ....

# Orbit Theory as Matter Model

Examples:

- Linear materials:

$$\mathcal{K}(\mathbf{v}, w, \mathbf{E}, \mathbf{B}) = h(\mathbf{v}, w, \mathbf{B}) + \mathcal{P}(\mathbf{v}, w, \mathbf{B}) \cdot \mathbf{E} + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{E} \cdot \underline{\underline{k}}(\mathbf{v}, w, \mathbf{B}) \cdot \mathbf{E},$$

giving rise to  $\mathbf{D} = \underline{\underline{\epsilon}} \cdot \mathbf{E}$ , which is  $\underline{\underline{\epsilon}}$  constant, in elementary electromagnetism.

- Lorentzian dynamics  $\mathcal{K} = m|v|^2/2 \rightarrow$  Maxwell-Vlasov theory.
- More interesting  $\mathcal{K}$ s are for guiding center or gyrokinetic theories.

# Sources

$K$ -functional:

$$K[\mathbf{E}, \mathbf{B}, f] := \int d\mathbf{x} d\mathbf{v} d\omega \mathcal{K} f ,$$

Polarization and Magnetization:

$$\mathbf{P}(\mathbf{x}, t) = -\frac{\delta K}{\delta \mathbf{E}} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{M}(\mathbf{x}, t) = -\frac{\delta K}{\delta \mathbf{B}}$$

Sources:

$$\begin{aligned} \rho(\mathbf{x}, t) &= e \int d\mathbf{v} d\omega f - \nabla \cdot \frac{\delta K}{\delta \mathbf{E}} \\ \mathbf{J}(\mathbf{x}, t) &= e \int d\mathbf{v} d\omega \frac{\partial \mathcal{K}}{\partial \mathbf{v}} f + \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \frac{\delta K}{\delta \mathbf{E}} + c \nabla \times \frac{\delta K}{\delta \mathbf{B}} \end{aligned}$$

Generalization of Pfirsch & pjm (1984,1985,1991) in pjm (2013)

# Constitutive Relations

General:

$$\mathbf{D}[\mathbf{E}, \mathbf{B}; f] = \mathbf{E} + 4\pi\mathbf{P}[\mathbf{E}, \mathbf{B}; f] \quad \leftarrow \text{operator}$$

Inverse:

$$\mathbf{E} = \mathbf{D}^{-1}[\mathbf{D}, \mathbf{B}; f] = \mathbf{E}[\mathbf{D}, \mathbf{B}; f]$$

Similarly,

$$\mathbf{H} = \mathbf{H}[\mathbf{B}, \mathbf{E}; f] = \mathbf{B} - 4\pi\mathbf{M}[\mathbf{B}, \mathbf{E}; f]$$

Inverse:

$$\mathbf{B} = \mathbf{B}[\mathbf{H}, \mathbf{E}; f] = \mathbf{H} + 4\pi\mathbf{M}[\mathbf{H}, \mathbf{E}; f]$$

Permittivity Operator:

$$\delta\mathbf{D} = \left( \underline{\underline{I}} - 4\pi \frac{\delta^2 K}{\delta\mathbf{E}\delta\mathbf{E}} \right) \cdot \delta\mathbf{E} =: \underline{\underline{\epsilon}} \cdot \delta\mathbf{E} = \frac{\delta\mathbf{D}}{\delta\mathbf{E}} \cdot \delta\mathbf{E} = \mathbf{D}_{\mathbf{E}} \cdot \delta\mathbf{E}$$

# Hamiltonian and Bracket

Hamiltonian:

$$\begin{aligned} H[f, \mathbf{E}, \mathbf{B}] &= K - \int d\mathbf{x} \mathbf{E} \cdot \frac{\delta K}{\delta \mathbf{E}} + \frac{1}{8\pi} \int d\mathbf{x} (|\mathbf{E}|^2 + |\mathbf{B}|^2) \\ &= K + \int d\mathbf{x} \mathbf{E} \cdot \mathbf{P} + \frac{1}{8\pi} \int d\mathbf{x} (|\mathbf{E}|^2 + |\mathbf{B}|^2) \end{aligned}$$

Poisson Bracket:

$$\begin{aligned} \{F, G\} &= \int d\mathbf{x} d\mathbf{v} d\mathbf{w} f \left[ F_f + \mathbf{E}_f^\dagger \cdot F_{\mathbf{E}}, G_f + \mathbf{E}_f^\dagger \cdot G_{\mathbf{E}} \right] \\ &+ \frac{4\pi e}{m} \int d\mathbf{x} d\mathbf{v} d\mathbf{w} f \left( (\mathbf{E}_D^\dagger \cdot G_{\mathbf{E}}) \cdot \partial_{\mathbf{v}} (F_f + \mathbf{E}_f^\dagger \cdot F_{\mathbf{E}}) \right. \\ &\quad \left. - (\mathbf{E}_D^\dagger \cdot F_{\mathbf{E}}) \cdot \partial_{\mathbf{v}} (G_f + \mathbf{E}_f^\dagger \cdot G_{\mathbf{E}}) \right) \\ &\quad + 4\pi c \int d\mathbf{x} \left( (\mathbf{E}_D^\dagger \cdot F_{\mathbf{E}}) \cdot \nabla \times (G_{\mathbf{B}} + \mathbf{E}_B^\dagger \cdot G_{\mathbf{E}}) \right. \\ &\quad \left. - (\mathbf{E}_D^\dagger \cdot G_{\mathbf{E}}) \cdot \nabla \times (F_{\mathbf{B}} + \mathbf{E}_B^\dagger \cdot F_{\mathbf{E}}) \right) \end{aligned}$$

Equations of Motion:

$$f_t = \{f, H\}, \quad \mathbf{B}_t = \{\mathbf{B}, H\}, \quad \mathbf{E}_t = \{\mathbf{E}, H\}$$

Significant generalization of MV bracket:

pjm (1980,1982); Marsden & Weinstein (1982)

## Conclusion/ Summary

1. Described lifting in general terms for matter description
2. Origin of Orbits via Action Principle
3. Described noncanonical Poisson brackets, finite  $\rightarrow$  infinite
4. Consistent Theory with Polarization and Magnetization formulas