

MAU34403: Quantum Mechanics I
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Problem 1

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} &= \frac{\partial(\sqrt{\rho})}{\partial t} \exp\left(\frac{iS}{\hbar}\right) + \sqrt{\rho} \exp\left(\frac{iS}{\hbar}\right) \frac{i}{\hbar} \frac{\partial S}{\partial t} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}} \frac{\partial(\sqrt{\rho})}{\partial t} \sqrt{\rho} \exp\left(\frac{iS}{\hbar}\right) + \frac{i}{\hbar} \frac{\partial S}{\partial t} \sqrt{\rho} \exp\left(\frac{iS}{\hbar}\right) \\ &= \frac{\partial \log \sqrt{\rho}}{\partial t} \psi + \frac{i}{\hbar} \frac{\partial S}{\partial t} \psi\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla^2 \psi &= \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{\nabla}(\psi) \\ &= \vec{\nabla} \cdot \left(\vec{\nabla}(\sqrt{\rho}) \exp\left(\frac{iS}{\hbar}\right) + \sqrt{\rho} \vec{\nabla}\left(\exp\left(\frac{iS}{\hbar}\right)\right) \right) \\ &= \nabla^2(\sqrt{\rho}) \exp\left(\frac{iS}{\hbar}\right) + \vec{\nabla}(\sqrt{\rho}) \cdot \vec{\nabla}\left(\exp\left(\frac{iS}{\hbar}\right)\right) + \vec{\nabla}(\sqrt{\rho}) \cdot \vec{\nabla}\left(\exp\left(\frac{iS}{\hbar}\right)\right) + \sqrt{\rho} \nabla^2\left(\exp\left(\frac{iS}{\hbar}\right)\right) \\ &= \frac{\nabla^2(\sqrt{\rho})}{\sqrt{\rho}} \sqrt{\rho} \exp\left(\frac{iS}{\hbar}\right) + \left(2\vec{\nabla}(\sqrt{\rho})\right) \cdot \left(\frac{i}{\hbar} \vec{\nabla}(S) \exp\left(\frac{iS}{\hbar}\right)\right) + \sqrt{\rho} \vec{\nabla} \cdot \left(\frac{i}{\hbar} \vec{\nabla}(S) \exp\left(\frac{iS}{\hbar}\right)\right) \\ &= \frac{\nabla^2(\sqrt{\rho})}{\sqrt{\rho}} \psi + \frac{2i}{\hbar} \frac{\vec{\nabla}(\sqrt{\rho})}{\sqrt{\rho}} \cdot \vec{\nabla}(S) \sqrt{\rho} \exp\left(\frac{iS}{\hbar}\right) + \sqrt{\rho} \left(\frac{i}{\hbar} \nabla^2(S) \exp\left(\frac{iS}{\hbar}\right) + \frac{i}{\hbar} \vec{\nabla}(S) \cdot \vec{\nabla}\left(\exp\left(\frac{iS}{\hbar}\right)\right)\right) \\ &= \frac{\nabla^2(\sqrt{\rho})}{\sqrt{\rho}} \psi + \frac{2i}{\hbar} \vec{\nabla}(\log \sqrt{\rho}) \cdot \vec{\nabla}(S) \psi + \frac{i}{\hbar} \nabla^2(S) \sqrt{\rho} \exp\left(\frac{iS}{\hbar}\right) + \sqrt{\rho} \frac{i}{\hbar} \vec{\nabla}(S) \cdot \vec{\nabla}\left(\exp\left(\frac{iS}{\hbar}\right)\right) \\ &= \frac{\nabla^2(\sqrt{\rho})}{\sqrt{\rho}} \psi + \frac{2i}{\hbar} \vec{\nabla}(\log \sqrt{\rho}) \cdot \vec{\nabla}(S) \psi + \frac{i}{\hbar} \nabla^2(S) \psi - \frac{1}{\hbar^2} \vec{\nabla}(S) \cdot \vec{\nabla}(S) \psi\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}i\hbar \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} &= -\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \nabla^2(\psi) + V \psi \\ i\hbar \left(\frac{\partial \log \sqrt{\rho}}{\partial t} \psi + \frac{i}{\hbar} \frac{\partial S}{\partial t} \psi \right) &= -\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \left(\frac{\nabla^2(\sqrt{\rho})}{\sqrt{\rho}} \psi + \frac{2i}{\hbar} \vec{\nabla}(\log \sqrt{\rho}) \cdot \vec{\nabla}(S) \psi + \frac{i}{\hbar} \nabla^2(S) \psi - \frac{1}{\hbar^2} \vec{\nabla}(S) \cdot \vec{\nabla}(S) \psi \right) \\ \left(-\frac{\partial S}{\partial t} + i \left(\hbar \frac{\partial \log \sqrt{\rho}}{\partial t} \right) \right) \psi &= \left(-\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \frac{\nabla^2(\sqrt{\rho})}{\sqrt{\rho}} + \frac{1}{2m} \vec{\nabla}(S) \cdot \vec{\nabla}(S) + V + i \left(-\frac{\hbar}{m} \vec{\nabla}(\log \sqrt{\rho}) \cdot \vec{\nabla}(S) - \frac{\hbar}{2m} \nabla^2(S) \right) \right) \psi\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\hbar \frac{\partial \log \sqrt{\rho}}{\partial t} &= -\frac{\hbar}{m} \vec{\nabla}(\log \sqrt{\rho}) \cdot \vec{\nabla}(S) - \frac{\hbar}{2m} \nabla^2(S) & -\frac{\partial S}{\partial t} &= -\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \frac{\nabla^2(\sqrt{\rho})}{\sqrt{\rho}} + \frac{1}{2m} \vec{\nabla}(S) \cdot \vec{\nabla}(S) \\ \implies \frac{\partial \log \sqrt{\rho}}{\partial t} &= -\frac{1}{2m} \left(\nabla^2(S) + 2\vec{\nabla}(\log \sqrt{\rho}) \cdot \vec{\nabla}(S) \right) & 0 &= \frac{\partial S}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{2m} \vec{\nabla}(S) \cdot \vec{\nabla}(S) + V - \frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \frac{\nabla^2(\sqrt{\rho})}{\sqrt{\rho}},\end{aligned}$$

as required.

$$\begin{aligned}
-\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{J} &= -\vec{\nabla} \cdot \frac{i\hbar}{2m} \left(\vec{\nabla}(\psi^*) \psi - \psi^* \vec{\nabla}(\psi) \right) \\
&= -\frac{i\hbar}{2m} \left(\nabla^2(\psi^*) \psi + \vec{\nabla}(\psi^*) \vec{\nabla}(\psi) - \vec{\nabla}(\psi^*) \vec{\nabla}(\psi) - \psi^* \nabla^2(\psi) \right) \\
&= -\frac{i\hbar}{2m} \left(\nabla^2(\psi^*) \psi - \psi^* \nabla^2(\psi) \right) \\
&= -\frac{i\hbar}{2m} \left(\left(\frac{\nabla^2(\sqrt{\rho})}{\sqrt{\rho}} \psi - \frac{2i}{\hbar} \vec{\nabla}(\log \sqrt{\rho}) \vec{\nabla}(S) \psi - \frac{i}{\hbar} \nabla^2(S) \psi - \frac{1}{\hbar^2} \vec{\nabla}(S) \vec{\nabla}(S) \psi \right) \psi^* \psi \right. \\
&\quad \left. - \psi^* \left(\frac{\nabla^2(\sqrt{\rho})}{\sqrt{\rho}} \psi + \frac{2i}{\hbar} \vec{\nabla}(\log \sqrt{\rho}) \vec{\nabla}(S) \psi + \frac{i}{\hbar} \nabla^2(S) \psi - \frac{1}{\hbar^2} \vec{\nabla}(S) \vec{\nabla}(S) \psi \right) \psi \right) \\
&= -\frac{i\hbar}{2m} \left(-\frac{4i}{\hbar} \vec{\nabla}(\log \sqrt{\rho}) \vec{\nabla}(S) - \frac{2i}{\hbar} \nabla^2(S) \right) \sqrt{\rho} \exp\left(-\frac{iS}{\hbar}\right) \sqrt{\rho} \exp\left(\frac{iS}{\hbar}\right) \\
&= -\frac{\rho}{m} \left(2\vec{\nabla}(\log \sqrt{\rho}) \vec{\nabla}(S) + \nabla^2(S) \right)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{\partial \log \sqrt{\rho}}{\partial t} &= \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} \frac{\partial \log \sqrt{\rho}}{\partial \rho} = \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho}} \frac{1}{2\sqrt{\rho}} = \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} \frac{1}{2\rho} \\
\implies \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} &= 2\rho \left(-\frac{1}{2m} \left(\nabla^2(S) + 2\vec{\nabla}(\log \sqrt{\rho}) \vec{\nabla}(S) \right) \right) \\
&= -\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{J},
\end{aligned}$$

and so the first equation is analogous to the continuity equation.

Problem 2

$$\begin{aligned}
\hat{F}(\alpha) &\equiv -e^{\alpha \hat{A}} \frac{d}{dt} e^{-\alpha \hat{A}} \\
-e^{\hat{A}} \frac{d}{dt} e^{-\hat{A}} &= \hat{F}(1) \\
&= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\hat{F}^{(n)}(\beta)}{n!} (\alpha - \beta)^n \Big|_{\alpha=1} \\
&= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\hat{F}^{(n)}(0)}{n!} \quad (\text{expanding about } \beta = 0)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\hat{F}(\alpha) &= -e^{\alpha \hat{A}} \frac{d}{dt} e^{-\alpha \hat{A}} & \hat{F}'(\alpha) &= \frac{d}{d\alpha} \left(-e^{\alpha \hat{A}} \frac{d}{dt} e^{-\alpha \hat{A}} \right) \\
\hat{F}(0) &= -1 \frac{d}{dt} (1) & &= -e^{\alpha \hat{A}} \hat{A} \frac{d}{dt} e^{-\alpha \hat{A}} + e^{\alpha \hat{A}} \frac{d}{dt} \hat{A} e^{-\alpha \hat{A}} \\
&= 0 & \hat{F}'(0) &= -\hat{A} \frac{d}{dt} (1) + \frac{d}{dt} \hat{A} \\
& & &= \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\hat{F}''(\alpha) &= \frac{d}{d\alpha} \left(-e^{\alpha\hat{A}} \hat{A} \frac{d}{dt} e^{-\alpha\hat{A}} + e^{\alpha\hat{A}} \frac{d}{dt} \hat{A} e^{-\alpha\hat{A}} \right) \\
&= -e^{\alpha\hat{A}} \hat{A}^2 \frac{d}{dt} e^{-\alpha\hat{A}} + e^{\alpha\hat{A}} \hat{A} \frac{d}{dt} \hat{A} e^{-\alpha\hat{A}} + e^{\alpha\hat{A}} \hat{A} \frac{d}{dt} \hat{A} e^{-\alpha\hat{A}} - e^{\alpha\hat{A}} \frac{d}{dt} \hat{A}^2 e^{-\alpha\hat{A}} \\
&= -e^{\alpha\hat{A}} \hat{A}^2 \frac{d}{dt} e^{-\alpha\hat{A}} + 2e^{\alpha\hat{A}} \hat{A} \frac{d}{dt} \hat{A} e^{-\alpha\hat{A}} - e^{\alpha\hat{A}} \frac{d}{dt} \hat{A}^2 e^{-\alpha\hat{A}} \\
\hat{F}''(0) &= -\hat{A}^2 \frac{d}{dt} (1) + 2\hat{A} \frac{d}{dt} \hat{A} - \frac{d}{dt} \hat{A}^2 \\
&= 2\hat{A} \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} - \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} \hat{A} - \hat{A} \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} \\
&= \hat{A} \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} - \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} \hat{A} \\
&= \left[\hat{A}, \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} \right]
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\hat{F}'''(\alpha) &= \frac{d}{d\alpha} \left(-e^{\alpha\hat{A}} \hat{A}^2 \frac{d}{dt} e^{-\alpha\hat{A}} + 2e^{\alpha\hat{A}} \hat{A} \frac{d}{dt} \hat{A} e^{-\alpha\hat{A}} - e^{\alpha\hat{A}} \frac{d}{dt} \hat{A}^2 e^{-\alpha\hat{A}} \right) \\
&= -e^{\alpha\hat{A}} \hat{A}^3 \frac{d}{dt} e^{-\alpha\hat{A}} + e^{\alpha\hat{A}} \hat{A}^2 \frac{d}{dt} \hat{A} e^{-\alpha\hat{A}} + 2e^{\alpha\hat{A}} \hat{A}^2 \frac{d}{dt} \hat{A} e^{-\alpha\hat{A}} - 2e^{\alpha\hat{A}} \hat{A} \frac{d}{dt} \hat{A}^2 e^{-\alpha\hat{A}} - e^{\alpha\hat{A}} \hat{A} \frac{d}{dt} \hat{A}^2 e^{-\alpha\hat{A}} + e^{\alpha\hat{A}} \frac{d}{dt} \hat{A}^3 e^{-\alpha\hat{A}} \\
&= -e^{\alpha\hat{A}} \hat{A}^3 \frac{d}{dt} e^{-\alpha\hat{A}} + 3e^{\alpha\hat{A}} \hat{A}^2 \frac{d}{dt} \hat{A} e^{-\alpha\hat{A}} - 3e^{\alpha\hat{A}} \hat{A} \frac{d}{dt} \hat{A}^2 e^{-\alpha\hat{A}} + e^{\alpha\hat{A}} \frac{d}{dt} \hat{A}^3 e^{-\alpha\hat{A}} \\
\hat{F}'''(0) &= -\hat{A}^3 \frac{d}{dt} (1) + 3\hat{A}^2 \frac{d}{dt} \hat{A} - 3\hat{A} \frac{d}{dt} \hat{A}^2 + \frac{d}{dt} \hat{A}^3 \\
&= 0 + 3\hat{A}^2 \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} - 3\hat{A} \left(\frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} \hat{A} + \hat{A} \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} \right) + \frac{d(\hat{A}^2)}{dt} \hat{A} + \hat{A}^2 \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} \\
&= -3\hat{A} \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} \hat{A} + \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} \hat{A}^2 + \hat{A} \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} \hat{A} + \hat{A}^2 \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} \\
&= \hat{A}^2 \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} - 2\hat{A} \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} \hat{A} + \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} \hat{A}^2 \\
&= \hat{A} \left(\hat{A} \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} - \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} \hat{A} \right) - \left(\hat{A} \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} - \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} \hat{A} \right) \hat{A} \\
&= \hat{A} \left[\hat{A}, \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} \right] - \left[\hat{A}, \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} \right] \hat{A} \\
&= \left[\hat{A}, \left[\hat{A}, \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} \right] \right]
\end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{F}^{(n)}(0) = \begin{cases} 0, & n = 0 \\ \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt}, & n = 1 \\ \underbrace{\left[\hat{A}, \left[\hat{A}, \dots \left[\hat{A}, \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} \right] \right] \right]}_{n-1}, & n \geq 2 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
-e^{\hat{A}} \frac{d}{dt} e^{-\hat{A}} &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\hat{F}^{(n)}(0)}{n!} \\
&= 0 + \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \underbrace{\left[\hat{A}, \left[\hat{A}, \dots \left[\hat{A}, \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} \right] \right] \right]}_{n-1} \\
&= \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(n+1)!} \underbrace{\left[\hat{A}, \left[\hat{A}, \dots \left[\hat{A}, \frac{d\hat{A}}{dt} \right] \right] \right]}_n
\end{aligned}$$

Problem 3

1.

$$\begin{aligned}
[L^{\vec{m}}, L^{\vec{n}}] &= \left[\sum_{\alpha} m^{\alpha} L^{\alpha}, \sum_{\beta} n^{\beta} L^{\beta} \right] & [L^{\vec{n}}, \vec{X}] &= \left[\sum_{\alpha} n^{\alpha} L^{\alpha}, \sum_{\beta} X^{\beta} \hat{e}_{\beta} \right] & [L^{\vec{n}}, \vec{P}] &= \left[\sum_{\alpha} n^{\alpha} L^{\alpha}, \sum_{\beta} P^{\beta} \hat{e}_{\beta} \right] \\
&= \sum_{\alpha, \beta} m^{\alpha} n^{\beta} [L^{\alpha}, L^{\beta}] & &= \sum_{\alpha, \beta} n^{\alpha} \hat{e}_{\beta} [L^{\alpha}, X^{\beta}] & &= \sum_{\alpha, \beta} n^{\alpha} \hat{e}_{\beta} [L^{\alpha}, P^{\beta}] \\
&= \sum_{\alpha, \beta} m^{\alpha} n^{\beta} \sum_{\gamma} i \hbar \epsilon^{\alpha\beta\gamma} L^{\gamma} & &= \sum_{\alpha, \beta} n^{\alpha} \hat{e}_{\beta} \sum_{\gamma} i \hbar \epsilon^{\alpha\beta\gamma} X^{\gamma} & &= \sum_{\alpha, \beta} n^{\alpha} \hat{e}_{\beta} \sum_{\gamma} i \hbar \epsilon^{\alpha\beta\gamma} P^{\gamma} \\
&= i \hbar \sum_{\alpha, \beta, \gamma} \epsilon^{\alpha\beta\gamma} m^{\alpha} n^{\beta} L^{\gamma} & &= i \hbar \sum_{\alpha, \beta, \gamma} \epsilon^{\alpha\beta\gamma} n^{\alpha} \hat{e}_{\beta} X^{\gamma} & &= i \hbar \sum_{\alpha, \beta, \gamma} \epsilon^{\alpha\beta\gamma} n^{\alpha} \hat{e}_{\beta} P^{\gamma} \\
&= i \hbar (\vec{m} \times \vec{n}) \cdot \vec{L} & &= i \hbar \sum_{\alpha, \beta, \gamma} \epsilon^{\alpha\beta\gamma} X^{\alpha} n^{\beta} \hat{e}_{\gamma} & &= i \hbar \sum_{\alpha, \beta, \gamma} \epsilon^{\alpha\beta\gamma} P^{\alpha} n^{\beta} \hat{e}_{\gamma} \\
&= i \hbar \vec{L}^{\vec{m} \times \vec{n}} & &= i \hbar \vec{X} \times \vec{n} & &= i \hbar \vec{P} \times \vec{n}
\end{aligned}$$

2.

$$\begin{aligned}
\vec{X}(\vec{\vartheta}) &= R^{\dagger}(\vec{\vartheta}) \vec{X} R(\vec{\vartheta}) \\
&= \exp\left(\frac{i\vartheta}{\hbar} L^{\vec{n}}\right) \vec{X} \exp\left(-\frac{i\vartheta}{\hbar} L^{\vec{n}}\right) \\
&= \vec{X} + \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m!} \underbrace{\left[\frac{i\vartheta}{\hbar} L^{\vec{n}}, \left[\frac{i\vartheta}{\hbar} L^{\vec{n}}, \dots \left[\frac{i\vartheta}{\hbar} L^{\vec{n}}, \vec{X} \right] \right] \right]}_m
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\left[\frac{i\vartheta}{\hbar} L^{\vec{n}}, \vec{X} \right] &= \frac{i\vartheta}{\hbar} [L^{\vec{n}}, \vec{X}] \\
&= -\vartheta \vec{X} \times \vec{n}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\left[\frac{i\vartheta}{\hbar} L^{\vec{n}}, \left[\frac{i\vartheta}{\hbar} L^{\vec{n}}, \vec{X} \right] \right] &= -\frac{i\vartheta^2}{\hbar} \left[L^{\vec{n}}, \vec{X} \times \vec{n} \right] \\
&= -\frac{i\vartheta^2}{\hbar} \left[\sum_{\alpha} n^{\alpha} L^{\alpha}, \sum_{\beta, \gamma, \lambda} \epsilon^{\beta\gamma\delta} X^{\beta} n^{\gamma} \hat{e}_{\lambda} \right] \\
&= -\frac{i\vartheta^2}{\hbar} \sum_{\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \lambda} \epsilon^{\beta\gamma\delta} n^{\alpha} n^{\gamma} \hat{e}_{\lambda} [L^{\alpha}, X^{\beta}] \\
&= -\frac{i\vartheta^2}{\hbar} \sum_{\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \lambda} \epsilon^{\beta\gamma\delta} n^{\alpha} n^{\gamma} \hat{e}_{\lambda} \sum_{\mu} i\hbar \epsilon^{\alpha\beta\mu} X^{\mu} \\
&= \vartheta^2 \sum_{\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \lambda, \mu} \epsilon^{\alpha\beta\mu} \epsilon^{\beta\gamma\delta} n^{\alpha} n^{\gamma} \hat{e}_{\lambda} X^{\mu} \\
&= \vartheta^2 \sum_{\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \lambda, \mu} \epsilon^{\beta\mu\alpha} \epsilon^{\beta\gamma\delta} n^{\alpha} n^{\gamma} \hat{e}_{\lambda} X^{\mu} \\
&= \sum_{\alpha, \gamma, \lambda, \mu} (\delta^{\mu\gamma} \delta^{\alpha\lambda} - \delta^{\mu\lambda} \delta^{\alpha\gamma}) n^{\alpha} n^{\gamma} \hat{e}_{\lambda} X^{\mu} \\
&= \sum_{\alpha, \mu} (n^{\alpha} n^{\mu} \hat{e}_{\alpha} X^{\mu} - n^{\alpha} n^{\alpha} \hat{e}_{\mu} X^{\mu}) \\
&= -\vartheta^2 \left(\vec{X} - (\vec{X} \cdot \vec{n}) \vec{n} \right)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\left[\frac{i\vartheta}{\hbar} L^{\vec{n}}, \left[\frac{i\vartheta}{\hbar} L^{\vec{n}}, \left[\frac{i\vartheta}{\hbar} L^{\vec{n}}, \vec{X} \right] \right] \right] &= -\frac{i\vartheta^3}{\hbar} \left([L^{\vec{n}}, \vec{X}] - [L^{\vec{n}}, (\vec{X} \cdot \vec{n}) \vec{n}] \right) \\
&= -\frac{i\vartheta^3}{\hbar} \left(i\hbar \vec{X} \times \vec{n} - \left[\sum_{\alpha} n^{\alpha} L^{\alpha}, \sum_{\beta, \gamma} X^{\beta} n^{\beta} n^{\gamma} \hat{e}_{\gamma} \right] \right) \\
&= \vartheta^3 \vec{X} \times \vec{n} + \frac{i\vartheta^3}{\hbar} \sum_{\alpha, \beta, \gamma} n^{\alpha} n^{\beta} n^{\gamma} \hat{e}_{\gamma} [L^{\alpha}, X^{\beta}] \\
&= \vartheta^3 \vec{X} \times \vec{n} + \frac{i\vartheta^3}{\hbar} \sum_{\alpha, \beta, \gamma} n^{\alpha} n^{\beta} n^{\gamma} \hat{e}_{\gamma} \sum_{\lambda} i\hbar \epsilon^{\alpha\beta\lambda} X^{\lambda} \\
&= \vartheta^3 \vec{X} \times \vec{n} - \vartheta^3 \sum_{\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \lambda} \epsilon^{\alpha\beta\lambda} n^{\alpha} n^{\beta} X^{\lambda} n^{\gamma} \hat{e}_{\gamma} \\
&= \vartheta^3 \vec{X} \times \vec{n} - \vartheta^3 \left((\vec{n} \times \vec{n}) \cdot \vec{X} \right) \vec{n} \\
&= \vartheta^3 \vec{X} \times \vec{n}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\left[\frac{i\vartheta}{\hbar} L^{\vec{n}}, \left[\frac{i\vartheta}{\hbar} L^{\vec{n}}, \left[\frac{i\vartheta}{\hbar} L^{\vec{n}}, \left[\frac{i\vartheta}{\hbar} L^{\vec{n}}, \vec{X} \right] \right] \right] \right] &= \frac{i\vartheta^4}{\hbar} [L^{\vec{n}}, \vec{X} \times \vec{n}] \\
&= -\vartheta^2 \left(-\frac{i\vartheta^2}{\hbar} [L^{\vec{n}}, \vec{X} \times \vec{n}] \right) \\
&= \vartheta^4 \left(\vec{X} - (\vec{X} \cdot \vec{n}) \vec{n} \right)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\underbrace{\left[\frac{i\vartheta}{\hbar} L^{\vec{n}}, \left[\frac{i\vartheta}{\hbar} L^{\vec{n}}, \dots \left[\frac{i\vartheta}{\hbar} L^{\vec{n}}, \vec{X} \right] \right] \right]}_m &= \begin{cases} (-1)^{\frac{m}{2}} \vartheta^m \left(\vec{X} - (\vec{X} \cdot \vec{n}) \vec{n} \right), & m \text{ even} \\ (-1)^{\frac{m+1}{2}} \vartheta^m \vec{X} \times \vec{n}, & m \text{ odd} \end{cases} \\
&= \begin{cases} (-1)^{\frac{m}{2}} \vartheta^m \vec{X}^\perp, & m \text{ even} \\ (-1)^{\frac{m+1}{2}} \vartheta^m \vec{X}^\perp \times \vec{n}, & m \text{ odd} \end{cases} \\
&\text{(since } \vec{X} - \vec{X}^\parallel = \vec{X}^\perp \text{ and } \vec{X} \times \vec{n} = \vec{X}^\perp \times \vec{n} + \vec{X}^\parallel \times \vec{n} = \vec{X}^\perp \times \vec{n})
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\vec{X}(\vec{\vartheta}) &= \vec{X}^\parallel + \vec{X}^\perp + \sum_{\substack{m=2 \\ m \text{ even}}}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m!} (-1)^{\frac{m}{2}} \vartheta^m \vec{X}^\perp + \sum_{\substack{m=1 \\ m \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m!} (-1)^{\frac{m+1}{2}} \vartheta^m \vec{X}^\perp \times \vec{n} \\
&= \vec{X}^\parallel + \sum_{\substack{m=0 \\ m \text{ even}}}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m!} (-1)^{\frac{m}{2}} \vartheta^m \vec{X}^\perp + \sum_{\substack{m=1 \\ m \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m!} (-1)^{\frac{m+1}{2}} \vartheta^m \vec{X}^\perp \times \vec{n} \\
&= \vec{X}^\parallel + \vec{X}^\perp \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2m)!} (-1)^m \vartheta^{2m} + \vec{X}^\perp \times \vec{n} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2m+1)!} (-1)^{m+1} \vartheta^{2m+1} \\
&= \vec{X}^\parallel + \vec{X}^\perp \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2m)!} (-1)^m \vartheta^{2m} - \vec{X}^\perp \times \vec{n} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2m+1)!} (-1)^m \vartheta^{2m+1} \\
&= \vec{X}^\parallel + \vec{X}^\perp \cos \vartheta - \vec{X}^\perp \times \vec{n} \sin \vartheta
\end{aligned}$$