

A class of Stochastic PDEs in \mathcal{S}' driven by Lévy noise

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A restatement of the Itô formula

If $\{B_t\}$ is a one-dimensional standard Brownian motion, then for any smooth function $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$$\underbrace{f(B_t)}_{\langle \delta_{B_t}, f \rangle} = f(B_0) + \int_0^t \underbrace{f'(B_s)}_{\langle -\partial \delta_{B_s}, f \rangle} dB_s + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^t f''(B_s) ds.$$

Formally, we may write

$$\delta_{B_t} = \delta_{B_0} - \int_0^t \partial \delta_{B_s} dB_s + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^t \partial^2 \delta_{B_s} ds.$$

If $x \in \mathbb{R}$, then $\delta_x \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R})$ – a tempered distribution. Therefore, $\{\delta_{B_t}\}$ is an $\mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R})$ valued process and the above relation gives a stochastic PDE in $\mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R})$.

Recall that $\tau_x \delta_0 = \delta_x$. This allows us to write the previous stochastic PDE in the following form.

$$\tau_{B_t} \delta_0 = \delta_0 - \int_0^t \partial \tau_{B_s} \delta_0 dB_s + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^t \partial^2 \tau_{B_s} \delta_0 ds, t \geq 0.$$

Since $\delta_{B_t(\omega)}$ is a compactly supported distribution for each t and ω , we may consider the convolution $T * \delta_{B_t}$ for any tempered distribution T .

Theorem (Üstünel 1982)

We have the following equality in $\mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^d)$,^a

$$T * \delta_{B_t} = T * \delta_{B_0} - \int_0^t \nabla(T * \delta_{B_s}) \cdot dB_s + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^t \Delta(T * \delta_{B_s}) ds.$$

^aA. S. Üstünel. *A generalization of Itô's formula*, J. Functional Analysis, vol. 47, no. 2, pp. 143–152, 1982.

Note that $\langle T * \delta_x, \phi \rangle = \langle T, \tau_x \phi \rangle$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}^d, \phi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^d)$.

Let $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, (\mathcal{F}_t), \mathbb{P})$ be a complete filtered probability space, satisfying the usual conditions.

We have the following Itô formula (follows from Theorem 2.3 of (Rajeev 2001)¹).

Theorem

Let $p \in \mathbb{R}$ and $\phi \in \mathcal{S}_{-p}(\mathbb{R}^d)$. Let $X = (X^1, \dots, X^d)$ be an \mathbb{R}^d valued continuous (\mathcal{F}_t) adapted semimartingale. Then we have the following equality in $\mathcal{S}_{-p-1}(\mathbb{R}^d)$, a.s.

$$\tau_{X_t} \phi = \tau_{X_0} \phi - \sum_{i=1}^d \int_0^t \partial_i \tau_{X_s} \phi dX_s^i + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j=1}^d \int_0^t \partial_{ij}^2 \tau_{X_s} \phi d[X^i, X^j]_s, \forall t \geq 0.$$

¹B. Rajeev, *From Tanaka's formula to Ito's formula: distributions, tensor products and local times*, Séminaire de Probabilités, XXXV, Lecture Notes in Math., vol. 1755, Springer, Berlin, 2001, pp. 371–389

A description of the problem

We have some Hilbert spaces \mathbb{H} (Hermite-Sobolev spaces) with $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^d) \subset \mathbb{H} \subset \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^d)$.

- Is there some Itô formula for right continuous semimartingales X , e.g. when X solves some SDE driven by a Lévy noise? This identification should be in some appropriate Hilbert space \mathbb{H} , preferably in some Hermite Sobolev space.
- If the answer to the previous question is yes, then observe that the Itô formula actually reformulates the SDE of X into a stochastic PDE in \mathbb{H} (contained in \mathcal{S}'). If we start from the stochastic PDE, then the Itô formula actually implies the existence of a strong solution to the stochastic PDE.
- Check the uniqueness of strong solutions to the stochastic PDE observed above.

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Spaces of Distributions

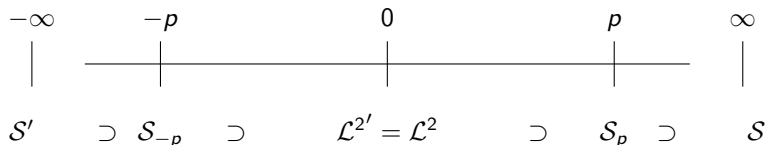
- Let \mathcal{E}' denote the dual of smooth functions on \mathbb{R}^d . Elements of \mathcal{E}' are called distributions with compact support.
- Let \mathcal{S} denote the space of real valued rapidly decreasing smooth functions on \mathbb{R}^d (Schwartz class) with dual \mathcal{S}' , the space of tempered distributions.
- For $p \in \mathbb{R}$, consider the increasing norms $\|\cdot\|_p$, defined by the inner products

$$\langle f, g \rangle_p := \sum_{|k|=0}^{\infty} (2|k| + d)^{2p} \langle f, h_k \rangle \langle g, h_k \rangle, \quad f, g \in \mathcal{S}.$$

Here, $\{h_k\}_{|k|=0}^{\infty}$ is an orthonormal basis for $\mathcal{L}^2(\mathbb{R}^d, dx)$ given by Hermite functions (for $d = 1$, $h_k(t) = (2^k k! \sqrt{\pi})^{-1/2} \exp\{-t^2/2\} H_k(t)$, where H_k are the Hermite polynomials).

Hermite-Sobolev spaces

The Hermite-Sobolev spaces² $\mathcal{S}_p, p \in \mathbb{R}$ are defined to be the completion of \mathcal{S} in $\|\cdot\|_p$. It can be shown that $(\mathcal{S}_{-p}, \|\cdot\|_{-p})$ is isometrically isomorphic to the dual of $(\mathcal{S}_p, \|\cdot\|_p)$ for $p \geq 0$.



²Kiyosi Itô, *Foundations of stochastic differential equations in infinite-dimensional spaces*, volume 47 of *CBMS-NSF Regional Conference Series in Applied Mathematics*, Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics (SIAM), Philadelphia, PA, 1984.

Derivative operator

- Given a tempered distribution $\psi \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^d)$, the partial derivatives of ψ are defined via the following relation

$$\langle \partial_i \psi, \phi \rangle := - \langle \psi, \partial_i \phi \rangle, \forall \phi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^d).$$

- $\partial_i : \mathcal{S}_p(\mathbb{R}^d) \rightarrow \mathcal{S}_{p-\frac{1}{2}}(\mathbb{R}^d)$ is a bounded linear operator. So the Laplacian $\Delta = \sum_{i=1}^d \partial_i^2$ is a bounded linear operator from $\mathcal{S}_p(\mathbb{R}^d)$ to $\mathcal{S}_{p-1}(\mathbb{R}^d)$.

Translation operator

- For $x \in \mathbb{R}^d$, define translation operators on $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^d)$ by

$$(\tau_x \phi)(y) := \phi(y - x), \forall y \in \mathbb{R}^d.$$

We can extend this operator to $\tau_x : \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^d) \rightarrow \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^d)$ by

$$\langle \tau_x \phi, \psi \rangle := \langle \phi, \tau_{-x} \psi \rangle, \forall \phi \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^d), \psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^d).$$

- $\tau_x : \mathcal{S}_p(\mathbb{R}^d) \rightarrow \mathcal{S}_p(\mathbb{R}^d)$ is a bounded linear operator.

Properties of Dirac distribution

Proposition (Rajeev and Thangavelu 2008)

The Dirac distributions $\delta_x \in \mathcal{S}_{-p}(\mathbb{R}^d)$ for $p > \frac{d}{4}$ and there exists a constant $C = C(p)$ such that $\|\delta_x\|_{-p} \leq C, \forall x \in \mathbb{R}^d$.^a

^aB. Rajeev and S. Thangavelu. *Probabilistic representations of solutions of the forward equations*, Potential Anal., vol. 28, no. 2, pp. 139–162, 2008.

Remark

Note that $\tau_x \delta_0 = \delta_x, x \in \mathbb{R}^d$.

We may use the notation \mathcal{S}_p instead of $\mathcal{S}_p(\mathbb{R}^d)$, when the dimension of the underlying Euclidean space \mathbb{R}^d is clear from the context.

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Recall: Results from the Diffusion case

Consider the stochastic PDE in \mathcal{S}_{-p}

$$Y_t = y + \int_0^t \sum_{j=1}^d A_j(Y_s) dB_s^j + \int_0^t L(Y_s) ds, t \geq 0$$

with $y \in \mathcal{S}_{-p}$ and $A = (A_1, \dots, A_d)$ with

$A_j : \mathcal{S}_{-p} \rightarrow \mathcal{S}_{-p-\frac{1}{2}} \subset \mathcal{S}_{-p-1}, j = 1, 2, \dots, d$ and $L : \mathcal{S}_{-p} \rightarrow \mathcal{S}_{-p-1}$ are defined as follows, for $\rho \in \mathcal{S}_{-p}$

$$A_j \rho := - \sum_{i=1}^d \langle \sigma, \rho \rangle_{ij} \partial_i \rho,$$

$$L \rho := \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j=1}^d (\langle \sigma, \rho \rangle \langle \sigma, \rho \rangle^t)_{ij} \partial_{ij}^2 \rho - \sum_{i=1}^d \langle b, \rho \rangle_i \partial_i \rho.$$

and $\sigma = (\sigma_{ij})_{d \times d}$, $b = (b_1, \dots, b_d)$ with $\sigma_{ij}, b_j \in \mathcal{S}_p$,

$$\langle \sigma, \rho \rangle_{ij} := \langle \sigma_{ij}, \rho \rangle, \forall \rho \in \mathcal{S}_{-p}$$

etc.

Theorem (Rajeev 2013)

Suppose that the functions $x \mapsto \langle \sigma_{ij}, \tau_x y \rangle$ and $x \mapsto \langle b_j, \tau_x y \rangle$ are locally Lipschitz for the given initial condition $y \in \mathcal{S}_{-p}$. Then^a the stochastic PDE has a unique strong solution.

^aB. Rajeev, *Translation invariant diffusion in the space of tempered distributions*, Indian J. Pure Appl. Math. **44** (2013), no. 2, 231–258.

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Theorem (B., 2017)

Let $p > 0$ and $\phi \in \mathcal{S}_{-p}(\mathbb{R}^d)$. Let $X = (X^1, \dots, X^d)$ be a \mathbb{R}^d valued (\mathcal{F}_t) semimartingale. Let ΔX_s^i denote the jump of X_s^i . Then $\{\tau_{X_t}\phi\}_t$ is an $\mathcal{S}_{-p}(\mathbb{R}^d)$ valued semimartingale and^a

$$\sum_{s \leq t} \left[\tau_{X_s}\phi - \tau_{X_{s-}}\phi + \sum_{i=1}^d (\Delta X_s^i \partial_i \tau_{X_{s-}}\phi) \right]$$

is a $\mathcal{S}_{-p-1}(\mathbb{R}^d)$ valued process of finite variation and we have the following equality in $\mathcal{S}_{-p-1}(\mathbb{R}^d)$, a.s.

$$\begin{aligned} \tau_{X_t}\phi &= \tau_{X_0}\phi - \sum_{i=1}^d \int_0^t \partial_i \tau_{X_{s-}}\phi dX_s^i + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j=1}^d \int_0^t \partial_{ij}^2 \tau_{X_{s-}}\phi d[X^i, X^j]_s^c \\ &+ \sum_{s \leq t} \left[\tau_{X_s}\phi - \tau_{X_{s-}}\phi + \sum_{i=1}^d (\Delta X_s^i \partial_i \tau_{X_{s-}}\phi) \right], \quad t \geq 0. \end{aligned}$$

^aSuprio Bhar. *An Itô formula in the space of tempered distributions*, J. Theoret. Probab. **30** (2017), no. 2, 510–528.

Remark

Using standard arguments, we can replace the deterministic initial condition $\phi \in \mathcal{S}_p$ with an \mathcal{S}_p valued random variable ϕ , which is \mathcal{F}_0 measurable.

SDE

Let $\{B_t\}_t$ be a d -dimensional standard Brownian motion, N be an independent Poisson random measure driven by a Lévy measure ν and \tilde{N} be the compensated Poisson random measure. We consider an SDE in \mathbb{R}^d , of the form

$$U_t = \kappa + \int_0^t \bar{b}(U_{s-}; \xi) ds + \int_0^t \bar{\sigma}(U_{s-}; \xi) \cdot dB_s \\ + \int_0^t \int_{(0 < |x| < 1)} \bar{F}(U_{s-}, x; \xi) \tilde{N}(ds dx) + \int_0^t \int_{(|x| \geq 1)} \bar{G}(U_{s-}, x; \xi) N(ds dx),$$

for $t \geq 0$ and

Stochastic PDE

a stochastic PDE in the space of tempered distributions \mathcal{S}' , (more specifically, in a Hermite-Sobolev space \mathcal{S}_{-p}) viz.

$$\begin{aligned} Y_t &= \xi + \int_0^t A(Y_{s-}) \cdot dB_s + \int_0^t \tilde{L}(Y_{s-}) ds \\ &+ \int_0^t \int_{(0 < |x| < 1)} (\tau_{F(Y_{s-}, x)} - Id) Y_{s-} \tilde{N}(dsdx) \\ &+ \int_0^t \int_{(|x| \geq 1)} (\tau_{G(Y_{s-}, x)} - Id) Y_{s-} N(dsdx) \end{aligned}$$

where ξ and κ are \mathcal{F}_0 -measurable random variables taking values in \mathcal{S}_{-p} and \mathbb{R}^d respectively. We also assume that ξ, κ, B and N are independent and that the filtration (\mathcal{F}_t) is generated by these random variables.

Differential and Integro-differential Operators

$A = (A_1, \dots, A_d)$ with $A_j : \mathcal{S}_{-p} \rightarrow \mathcal{S}_{-p-\frac{1}{2}} \subset \mathcal{S}_{-p-1}, j = 1, 2, \dots, d$ and $L, \tilde{L} : \mathcal{S}_{-p} \rightarrow \mathcal{S}_{-p-1}$ are defined as follows, for $\rho \in \mathcal{S}_{-p}$

$$A_j \rho := - \sum_{i=1}^d \langle \sigma, \rho \rangle_{ij} \partial_i \rho,$$

$$\tilde{L}(\rho) := L\rho + \int_{(0 < |x| < 1)} \left(\tau_{F(\rho, x)} - Id + \sum_{i=1}^d F^i(\rho, x) \partial_i \right) \rho \nu(dx),$$

$$L\rho := \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j=1}^d (\langle \sigma, \rho \rangle \langle \sigma, \rho \rangle^t)_{ij} \partial_{ij}^2 \rho - \sum_{i=1}^d \langle b, \rho \rangle_i \partial_i \rho.$$

Conditions on the 'diffusion' and 'drift' coefficients

- Let $p > 0$.
- Let $\sigma = (\sigma_{ij})_{d \times d}$, $b = (b_1, \dots, b_d)^t$ be such that $\sigma_{ij}, b_i : \Omega \rightarrow \mathcal{S}_p$ are \mathcal{F}_0 measurable and

$$\beta := \sup\{\|\sigma_{ij}(\omega)\|_p, \|b_i(\omega)\|_p : \omega \in \Omega, 1 \leq i, j \leq d\} < \infty. \quad (\mathbf{\sigma b})$$

- Define $\bar{\sigma} : \Omega \times \mathbb{R}^d \times \mathcal{S}_{-p} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{d \times d}$ and $\bar{b} : \Omega \times \mathbb{R}^d \times \mathcal{S}_{-p} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^d$ by $\bar{\sigma}(\omega, z; y) := \langle \sigma(\omega), \tau_z y \rangle$ and $\bar{b}(\omega, z; y) := \langle b(\omega), \tau_z y \rangle$, where

$$(\langle \sigma(\omega), \tau_z y \rangle)_{ij} := \langle \sigma_{ij}(\omega), \tau_z y \rangle, \quad (\langle b(\omega), \tau_z y \rangle)_i := \langle b_i(\omega), \tau_z y \rangle.$$

- (locally Lipschitz in z , locally in y) for every bounded set \mathcal{K} in \mathcal{S}_{-p} and positive integer n there exists a constant $C(\mathcal{K}, n) > 0$ such that for all $z_1, z_2 \in \mathcal{O}(0, n)$, $y \in \mathcal{K}$ and $\omega \in \Omega$

$$|\bar{b}(\omega, z_1; y) - \bar{b}(\omega, z_2; y)|^2 + |\bar{\sigma}(\omega, z_1; y) - \bar{\sigma}(\omega, z_2; y)|^2 \leq C(\mathcal{K}, n) |z_1 - z_2|^2.$$

Conditions on the 'small jump' coefficients

Take $\mathcal{O}(0, r) := \{x \in \mathbb{R}^d : |x| < r\}$, for all $r > 0$.

- Let $F : \Omega \times \mathcal{S}_{-p} \times \mathcal{O}(0, 1) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^d$ be $\mathcal{F}_0 \otimes \mathcal{B}(\mathcal{S}_p) \otimes \mathcal{B}(\mathcal{O}(0, 1)) / \mathcal{B}(\mathbb{R}^d)$ measurable. Here $\mathcal{B}(\cdot)$ denotes the Borel σ -fields.
- Define $\bar{F} : \Omega \times \mathbb{R}^d \times \mathcal{O}(0, 1) \times \mathcal{S}_{-p} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^d$ by $\bar{F}(\omega, z, x; y) := F(\omega, \tau_z y, x)$.

Assumptions on F

- For all $\omega \in \Omega$ and $x \in \mathcal{O}(0, 1)$, there exists a constant $C_x \geq 0$ s.t.

$$|F(\omega, y_1, x) - F(\omega, y_2, x)| \leq C_x \|y_1 - y_2\|_{-p-\frac{1}{2}}, \forall y_1, y_2 \in \mathcal{S}_{-p}. \quad (\text{F-lip})$$

We assume C_x to depend only on x and independent of ω .

Conditions on the 'small jump' coefficients – Continued

Assumptions on F

- The constant C_x mentioned above has the following properties, viz.

$$\sup_{|x|<1} C_x < \infty, \quad \int_{(0<|x|<1)} C_x^2 \nu(dx) < \infty. \quad (\text{F-intg})$$

- Both $\sup_{\omega \in \Omega, |x|<1} |F(\omega, 0, x)|$ and $\sup_{\omega \in \Omega} \int_{(0<|x|<1)} |F(\omega, 0, x)|^2 \nu(dx)$ are finite.
- (locally Lipschitz in z , locally in y) for every bounded set \mathcal{K} in \mathcal{S}_{-p} and positive integer n there exists a constant $C(\mathcal{K}, n) > 0$ such that for all $z_1, z_2 \in \mathcal{O}(0, n)$, $y \in \mathcal{K}$ and $\omega \in \Omega$

$$\int_{(0<|x|<1)} |\bar{F}(\omega, z_1, x; y) - \bar{F}(\omega, z_2, x; y)|^2 \nu(dx) \leq C(\mathcal{K}, n) |z_1 - z_2|^2.$$

Conditions on the 'large jump' coefficients

- Let $G : \Omega \times \mathcal{S}_{-p} \times \mathcal{O}(0, 1)^c \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^d$ be $\mathcal{F}_0 \otimes \mathcal{B}(\mathcal{S}_p) \otimes \mathcal{B}(\mathcal{O}(0, 1)^c) / \mathcal{B}(\mathbb{R}^d)$ measurable.
- Define $\bar{G} : \Omega \times \mathbb{R}^d \times \mathcal{O}(0, 1)^c \times \mathcal{S}_{-p} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^d$ by $\bar{G}(\omega, z, x; y) := G(\omega, \tau_z y, x)$.

Assumptions on G

- The mapping $y \rightarrow G(\omega, y, x)$ is continuous for all $x \in \mathcal{O}(0, 1)^c$ and $\omega \in \Omega$.
- For every bounded set \mathcal{K} in \mathcal{S}_{-p} , $\sup_{\substack{\omega \in \Omega, y \in \mathcal{K}, \\ x \in \mathcal{O}(0, 1)^c}} |G(\omega, y, x)|$ is finite.

Existence of solutions of the SDE

For the SDE, we have the following existence and uniqueness result.

Theorem (B., Sarkar 2018)

Let the above assumptions hold. Then^a there exists an (\mathcal{F}_t) stopping time η and an (\mathcal{F}_t) adapted process $\{X_t\}_t$ with rcll paths such that $\{X_t\}_t$ solves the SDE upto time η and $X_t = \infty$ for $t \geq \eta$.

Further η can be identified as follows: $\eta = \lim_m \theta_m$ where $\{\theta_m\}$ is a sequence of $(\mathcal{F}_t)_t$ stopping times defined by $\theta_m := \inf\{t \geq 0 : |X_t| \geq m\}$. In particular, a.s. $\eta > 0$. This is also pathwise unique in this sense: if $(\{X'_t\}_t, \eta')$ is another such solution, then $P(X_t = X'_t, 0 \leq t < \eta \wedge \eta') = 1$.

^aSuprio Bhar and Barun Sarkar, *Parametric family of SDEs driven by Lévy noise*, Commun. Stoch. Anal. **12** (2018), no. 2, Art. 4, 157–173.

Notion of strong solutions for the stochastic PDE

Let δ be an arbitrary state, viewed as an isolated point of $\hat{\mathcal{S}}_{-\rho} := \mathcal{S}_{-\rho} \cup \{\delta\}$.

Definition (Local Strong solution)

By an $\hat{\mathcal{S}}_{-\rho}$ valued local strong solution of the stochastic PDE, we mean a pair $(\{Y_t\}, \eta)$ where η is an (\mathcal{F}_t) stopping time, $\eta > 0$ and $\{Y_t\}$ an $\hat{\mathcal{S}}_{-\rho}$ valued (\mathcal{F}_t) adapted rcll process such that

- 1 for all $\omega \in \Omega$, the map $Y_{\cdot}(\omega) : [0, \eta(\omega)) \rightarrow \mathcal{S}_{-\rho}$ is well-defined and $Y_t(\omega) = \delta$, $t \geq \eta(\omega)$.
- 2 a.s. the equation holds in $\mathcal{S}_{-\rho-1}$ for $0 \leq t < \eta$.

Definition (Uniqueness)

We say local strong solutions of Stochastic PDE are unique or pathwise unique, if given any two $\hat{\mathcal{S}}_{\rho}(\mathbb{R}^d)$ valued strong solutions $(\{Y_t^1\}, \eta^1)$ and $(\{Y_t^2\}, \eta^2)$, we have $P(Y_t^1 = Y_t^2, 0 \leq t < \eta^1 \wedge \eta^2) = 1$.

Theorem (B., Bhaskaran, Sarkar 2020)

Let the stated assumptions hold. Consider the SDE with $\kappa = 0$ and let $(\{U_t\}_t, \eta)$ denote the unique local strong solution. Then^a the \mathcal{S}_{-p} valued process $\{Y_t\}_t$ defined by $Y_t := \tau_{U_t}\xi, t < \eta$ solves the stochastic PDE. We set $Y_t := \delta, t \geq \eta$ so that $(\{Y_t\}_t, \eta)$ is a local strong solution of the stochastic PDE.

^aSuprio Bhar, Rajeev Bhaskaran, and Barun Sarkar, *Stochastic PDEs in \mathcal{S}' for SDEs driven by Lévy noise*, Random Oper. Stoch. Equ. **28** (2020), no. 3, 217–226.

Sketch of proof

Step 1. Let $(\{Y_t\}_t, \eta)$ be a local strong solution. Set $V_t := Y_t - \tau_{Z_t}\xi, \forall t < \eta$, where

$$\begin{aligned} Z_t := & \int_0^t \langle b, Y_{s-} \rangle ds + \int_0^t \langle \sigma, Y_{s-} \rangle \cdot dB_s \\ & + \int_0^t \int_{(0 < |x| < 1)} F(Y_{s-}, x) \tilde{N}(dsdx) + \int_0^t \int_{(|x| \geq 1)} G(Y_{s-}, x) N(dsdx), \end{aligned}$$

for $0 \leq t < \eta$.

We claim that a.s. $Y_t = \tau_{Z_t}\xi, t < \eta$, i.e. $V_t = 0, t < \eta$.

Proof Continued

The following equation is obtained using Itô formula for the norm $\|\cdot\|_{-p-1}^2$. We also use that fact that a.s. V has (at most) countably many jumps.

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}\|V_{t \wedge \pi_n}\|_{-p-1}^2 &= \mathbb{E} \int_0^{t \wedge \pi_n} \left[2 \langle V_s, \bar{L}(s) V_s \rangle_{-p-1} + \sum_{j=1}^d \|\bar{A}_j(s) V_{s-}\|_{-p-1}^2 \right] ds \\ &+ \mathbb{E} \int_0^{t \wedge \pi_n} \int_{(0 < |x| < 1)} \left[\|\tau_{F(Y_{s-}, x)} V_s\|_{-p-1}^2 - \|V_s\|_{-p-1}^2 \right. \\ &\quad \left. + 2 \sum_{i=1}^d \langle V_s, F^i(Y_{s-}, x) \partial_i V_s \rangle_{-p-1} \right] \nu(dx) ds \\ &+ \mathbb{E} \int_0^{t \wedge \pi_n} \int_{(|x| \geq 1)} \left[\|\tau_G(Y_{s-}, x) V_s\|_{-p-1}^2 - \|V_s\|_{-p-1}^2 \right] \nu(dx) ds \\ &= \text{Term 1} + \text{Term 2} + \text{Term 3}, \end{aligned}$$

where $\pi_n := \inf\{t : \max\{\|Y_t\|_{-p}, |Z_t|\} \geq n\} \wedge n \wedge \eta$

Proof Continued

and $\bar{A}_i : \mathcal{S}_{-p} \rightarrow \mathcal{S}_{-p-\frac{1}{2}}$, $i = 1, \dots, d$ and $\bar{L} : \mathcal{S}_{-p} \rightarrow \mathcal{S}_{-p-1}$ are defined as follows, for $\rho \in \mathcal{S}_{-p}$

$$\bar{A}_j(s, \omega)\rho := - \sum_{i=1}^d \langle \sigma(\omega), Y_{s-}(\omega) \rangle_{ij} \partial_i \rho, \quad j = 1, \dots, d,$$

$$\bar{L}(s, \omega)\rho := \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j=1}^d (\langle \sigma(\omega), Y_{s-}(\omega) \rangle \langle \sigma(\omega), Y_{s-}(\omega) \rangle^t)_{ij} \partial_{ij}^2 \rho$$

$$- \sum_{i=1}^d \langle b(\omega), Y_{s-}(\omega) \rangle_i \partial_i \rho.$$

Proof Continued

Applying the Monotonicity inequality Theorem 2.1 and Remark 3.1 of (Gawarecki, Mandrekar, Rajeev 2009)³, we have

$$\text{Term 1} \leq C \mathbb{E} \int_0^{t \wedge \pi_n} \|V_s\|_{-p-1}^2 ds$$

for some positive constant C . Using the 'boundedness' properties of τ_x and G , we have a similar estimate for Term 3.

³L. Gawarecki, V. Mandrekar, and B. Rajeev, *The monotonicity inequality for linear stochastic partial differential equations*, *Infin. Dimens. Anal. Quantum Probab. Relat. Top.* **12** (2009), no. 4, 575–591.

Proof Continued: estimate for Term 2

Expand the integrand in Term 2 in the basis of Hermite functions and observe that

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \| \tau_{F(Y_{s-}, x)} V_s \|_{-p-1}^2 - \| V_s \|_{-p-1}^2 + 2 \sum_{i=1}^d \langle V_s, F^i(Y_{s-}, x) \partial_i V_s \rangle_{-p-1} \\
 &= \sum_{m \in \mathbb{Z}_+^d} (2|m| + d)^{-2(p+1)} \left[f(1; F(Y_{s-}, x), V_s, m) - f(0; F(Y_{s-}, x), V_s, m) \right. \\
 & \quad \left. - f'(0; F(Y_{s-}, x), V_s, m) \right] \\
 &= \sum_{m \in \mathbb{Z}_+^d} (2|m| + d)^{-2(p+1)} \int_0^1 \int_0^r f''(v; F(Y_{s-}, x), V_s, m) dv dr
 \end{aligned}$$

where $f(v; z, \psi, m) := \langle \tau_{vz} \psi, h_m \rangle^2$, $\forall v \in [0, 1]$ is a C^2 function for parameters $z \in \mathbb{R}^d$, $\psi \in \mathcal{S}_{-p}$ and multi-indices m . Here, h_m 's are the Hermite functions.

Proof Continued: estimate for Term 2

However, for $v \in [0, 1]$

$$f''(v; z, \psi, m) = 2 \sum_{i,j} z_i z_j \left[\langle \partial_i \tau_{vz} \psi, h_m \rangle \langle \partial_j \tau_{vz} \psi, h_m \rangle + \langle \tau_{vz} \psi, h_m \rangle \langle \partial_{ij}^2 \tau_{vz} \psi, h_m \rangle \right].$$

By the Monotonicity inequality Theorem 2.5 and Lemma 2.6 of (B., Rajeev 2015)⁴, we get the required estimate for Term 2.

Combining all the estimates and then applying the Gronwall's inequality, we arrive at the claim that a.s. $Y_t = \tau_{Z_t} \xi$, $t < \eta$, i.e. $V_t = 0$, $t < \eta$.

⁴Suprio Bhar and B. Rajeev, *Differential operators on Hermite Sobolev spaces*, Proc. Indian Acad. Sci. Math. Sci. **125** (2015), no. 1, 113–125.

End of proof and the final result

Step 2. Given two solutions $(\{Y_t^1\}_t, \eta^1)$ and $(\{Y_t^2\}_t, \eta^2)$, find corresponding $\{Z_t^i\}_{t < \eta^i}$. Now, observe that $Z^i, i = 1, 2$ solve our SDE with the same initial condition $\kappa = 0$. Uniqueness for Y now follows from the uniqueness of Z .

Theorem (B., Bhaskaran, Sarkar 2020)

Under the assumptions stated earlier, there exists a unique local strong solution to the SPDE.

Example (B., Bhaskaran, Sarkar 2020)

Consider $F \equiv G \equiv 0$, with deterministic initial condition $\xi = \phi \in \mathcal{S}_{-p}$. We can choose σ, b such that $\bar{\sigma}(\omega, z; y) := \langle \sigma, \tau_z \phi \rangle$ and $\bar{b}(\omega, z; y) := \langle b, \tau_z \phi \rangle$ the local Lipschitz condition. Applying our result, we obtain Theorem 3.4 of (Rajeev 2013)^a.

^aB. Rajeev, *Translation invariant diffusion in the space of tempered distributions*, Indian J. Pure Appl. Math. **44** (2013), no. 2, 231–258.

Example (B., Bhaskaran, Sarkar 2020)

We consider $\sigma \equiv b \equiv G \equiv 0$. Let $F : \mathcal{S}_{-p} \times \mathcal{O}(0, 1) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^d$, defined by $F(y, x) := x$. Then we have the existence and uniqueness of the following SPDE

$$\begin{aligned}
 Y_t = & \xi + \int_0^t \int_{(0 < |x| < 1)} \left(\tau_x - Id + \sum_{i=1}^d x_i \partial_i \right) Y_{s-} \nu(dx) ds \\
 & + \int_0^t \int_{(0 < |x| < 1)} (\tau_x - Id) Y_{s-} \tilde{N}(ds dx).
 \end{aligned}$$

Thank You