

Stochastic Integration for non-Martingales Stationary Increment Processes

Multi-color noise approach

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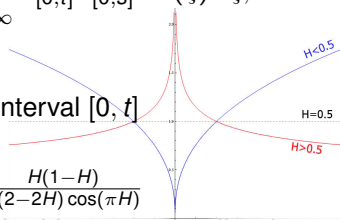
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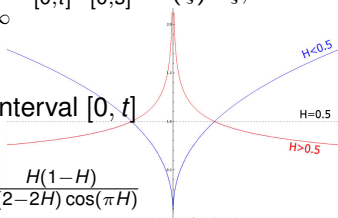
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Lemma

[Jorgensen] T_m as an operator from $\mathcal{S} \subset L_2(\mathbb{R})$, endowed with the Frèchet topology, into $L_2(\mathbb{R})$ is continuous.

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- For $t \geq 0$ we may define the stochastic process $B_m : \Omega \times [0, \infty] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ by

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Examples

Example (Standard Brownian Motion)

Take $m \equiv 1$, then $T_m = id_{L_2(\mathbb{R})}$ and

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- We wish to define a Wick-Itô-Skorohod stochastic integral based on the process $\{B_m\}_{t \geq 0}$.
- Recall that the Itô-Hitsuda integral in the white noise space is defined by

$$\int_0^\Delta X(t) dB(t) \triangleq \int_0^\Delta X(t) \diamond \frac{d}{dt} B_m(t) dt,$$

where

- $\{X(t)\}_{0 \leq t \leq \Delta}$ is a stochastic process
- $\frac{d}{dt} B_m(t)$ is the time derivative (in the sense of distributions) of the Brownian motion.
- \diamond is the Wick product.
- We need a Wiener-Itô Chaos decomposition of the white noise space.

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Any $X \in L_2(\Omega, \mathcal{B}, P_m)$ can be represented as

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Such basis for $L_2(\Omega, \mathcal{B}(\mathcal{S}'), P_m)$ depends explicitly on $m(\xi)$.

In order to keep our construction as general as possible, we take an \mathcal{S} -transform approach for the Wick-Itô-Skhorhod integral.

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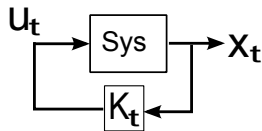
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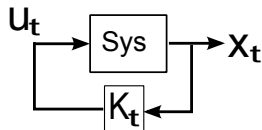
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Riccati Equation

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If $\frac{d}{dt} \|T_m \mathbf{1}_{[0,t]} C(\cdot)\|^2$ is bounded in $(0, \Delta)$, then the optimal linear feedback gain \tilde{K}_t is given by

$$\tilde{K}_t = -\frac{F_t}{R_t} p_t. \quad (3)$$

where $\{p_t, t \in [0, \Delta]\}$ is the unique positive solution of the Riccati equation

$$\begin{cases} \dot{p}_t + 2p_t \left[A_t + \frac{d}{dt} \|T_m \mathbf{1}_{[0,t]} C(\cdot)\|^2 \right] + Q_t - \frac{F_t^2}{R_t} p_t^2 = 0 \\ p_\Delta = G \end{cases} \quad (4)$$

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Idea of Proof

Proof.

Using Itô's formula with:

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$$\begin{aligned} p_\Delta x_\Delta^2 &= p_0 x_0^2 + 2 \int_0^\Delta x_t^2 C_t p_t dB_m(t) \\ &\quad + \int_0^\Delta x_t^2 \left[\dot{p}_t + 2p_t (A_t + F_t K_t) + 2p_t \frac{d}{dt} \|T_m \mathbf{1}_t\|^2 \right] dt. \end{aligned}$$

Taking the expectation of both sides and substituting the Riccati equation (4) yields

$$J(x_0, K(\cdot)) = p_0 x_0^2 + \mathbb{E} \int_0^\Delta \left(K_t + \frac{B_t}{R_t} p_t \right)^2 dt,$$

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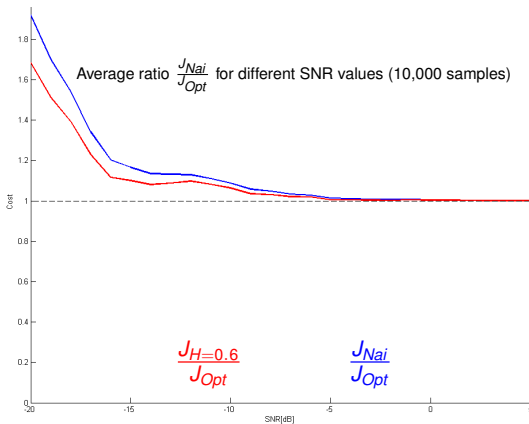
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