

Strong regularization by noise for a class of kinetic SDEs

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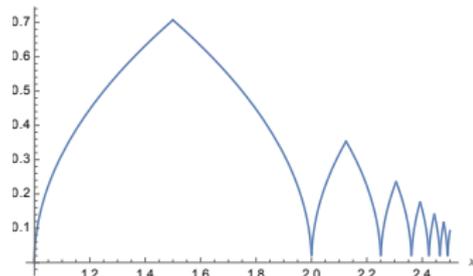
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$(X_t)_{t \in [0, T]}$, $(X'_t)_{t \in [0, T]}$ solutions on $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, (\mathcal{F}_t)_{t \in [0, T]}, \mathbb{P})$
 $X_0 = X'_0$ \mathbb{P} -almost surely.

$$\begin{aligned} X_T - X'_T &= \int_0^T F(t, X_t) dt - \int_0^T F(t, X'_t) dt \\ &= \int_0^T \nabla_x u_\varepsilon(t, X_t) (F^{(\varepsilon)}(t, X_t) - F(t, X_t)) dt \\ &\quad + \int_0^T (F(t, X_t) - F^{(\varepsilon)}(t, X_t)) dt \\ &\quad + \int_0^T \nabla_x u_\varepsilon(t, X'_t) (F^{(\varepsilon)}(t, X'_t) - F(t, X'_t)) dt \\ &\quad + \int_0^T (F(t, X'_t) - F^{(\varepsilon)}(t, X'_t)) dt \end{aligned}$$

First order Zvonkin transform technique (4)

By Hölder inequality: ($p^{-1} + q^{-1} = 1$)

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbb{E}[|X_\tau - X'_\tau|] &\leq \int_0^\tau \mathbb{E}[|\nabla_x u_\varepsilon(t, X_t)|^q]^{\frac{1}{q}} \times \mathbb{E}[|F^{(\varepsilon)}(t, X_t) - F(t, X_t)|^p]^{\frac{1}{p}} dt \\ &\quad + \int_0^\tau \mathbb{E}[|\nabla_x u_\varepsilon(t, X'_t)|^q]^{\frac{1}{q}} \times \mathbb{E}[|F^{(\varepsilon)}(t, X'_t) - F(t, X'_t)|^p]^{\frac{1}{p}} dt \\ &\quad + \int_0^\tau \mathbb{E}[|F^{(\varepsilon)}(t, X_t) - F(t, X_t)|] dt \\ &\quad + \int_0^\tau \mathbb{E}[|F^{(\varepsilon)}(t, X'_t) - F(t, X'_t)|] dt\end{aligned}$$

Density estimate for the ODE

$$\mathbb{E}[|\nabla_x u_\varepsilon(t, X_t)|^q] + \mathbb{E}[|\nabla_x u_\varepsilon(t, X'_t)|^q] \leq C_{T,q}, \quad t \in [0, \tau], \quad \varepsilon > 0$$

Main result: strong well-posedness in 2-dimensional setting

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