# Quadratic Stiffness Benchmarks

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# 1 Quadratic Stiffness

In this notebook we will explore the quadratic stiffness problem. References:

The composite Euler method for stiff stochastic differential equations

Kevin Burrage, Tianhai Tian

And

S-ROCK: CHEBYSHEV METHODS FOR STIFF STOCHASTIC DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS

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This is a scalar SDE with two arguments. The first controls the deterministic stiffness and the later controls the diffusion stiffness.

```
using DiffEqProblemLibrary, StochasticDiffEq, DiffEqDevTools
```

```
Error: ArgumentError: Package DiffEqProblemLibrary not found in current path.
```

- Run `import Pkg; Pkg.add("DiffEqProblemLibrary")` to install the DiffEqProblemLibrary package.

```
using DiffEqProblemLibrary.SDEProblemLibrary: importsdeproblems; importsdeproblems()
```

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import DiffEqProblemLibrary.SDEProblemLibrary: prob\_sde\_stiffquadito

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using Plots; gr()
```

```
Error: ArgumentError: Package Plots not found in current path:
- Run `import Pkg; Pkg.add("Plots")` to install the Plots package.
```

```
const N = 10
```

```
10
```

```
prob = remake(prob_sde_stiffquadito,p=(50.0,1.0))
Error: UndefVarError: remake not defined
sol = solve(prob,SRIW1())
Error: UndefVarError: SRIW1 not defined
plot(sol)
Error: UndefVarError: plot not defined
prob = remake(prob_sde_stiffquadito,p=(500.0,1.0))
Error: UndefVarError: remake not defined
sol = solve(prob,SRIW1())
Error: UndefVarError: SRIW1 not defined
plot(sol)
Error: UndefVarError: plot not defined
```

### 1.1 Top dts

Let's first determine the maximum dts which are allowed. Anything higher is mostly unstable.

#### 1.1.1 Deterministic Stiffness Mild

```
prob = remake(prob_sde_stiffquadito,p=(50.0,1.0))
Error: UndefVarError: remake not defined

@time sol = solve(prob,SRIW1())
Error: UndefVarError: SRIW1 not defined

@time sol = solve(prob,SRIW1(),adaptive=false,dt=0.01)
Error: UndefVarError: SRIW1 not defined

@time sol = solve(prob,ImplicitRKMil(),dt=0.005)
Error: UndefVarError: ImplicitRKMil not defined

@time sol = solve(prob,EM(),dt=0.01);
Error: UndefVarError: EM not defined

1.1.2 Deterministic Stiffness High

prob = remake(prob_sde_stiffquadito,p=(500.0,1.0))
```

```
Error: UndefVarError: remake not defined
@time sol = solve(prob,SRIW1())
Error: UndefVarError: SRIW1 not defined
@time sol = solve(prob,SRIW1(),adaptive=false,dt=0.002)
Error: UndefVarError: SRIW1 not defined
@time sol = solve(prob,ImplicitRKMil(),dt=0.001)
Error: UndefVarError: ImplicitRKMil not defined
@time sol = solve(prob,EM(),dt=0.002);
Error: UndefVarError: EM not defined
1.1.3 Mixed Stiffness
prob = remake(prob_sde_stiffquadito,p=(5000.0,70.0))
Error: UndefVarError: remake not defined
@time sol = solve(prob, SRIW1(), dt=0.0001)
Error: UndefVarError: SRIW1 not defined
@time sol = solve(prob,SRIW1(),adaptive=false,dt=0.00001)
Error: UndefVarError: SRIW1 not defined
@time sol = solve(prob,ImplicitRKMil(),dt=0.00001)
Error: UndefVarError: ImplicitRKMil not defined
@time sol = solve(prob,EM(),dt=0.00001);
Error: UndefVarError: EM not defined
```

Notice that in this problem, the stiffness in the noise term still prevents the semi-implicit integrator to do well. In that case, the advantage of implicitness does not take effect, and thus explicit methods do well. When we don't care about the error, Euler-Maruyama is fastest. When there's mixed stiffness, the adaptive algorithm is unstable.

## 1.2 Work-Precision Diagrams

```
Error: UndefVarError: SRIW1 not defined
names = ["SRIW1","EM","SRIW1 Fixed"] #"RKMil",
WorkPrecisionSet(prob,abstols,reltols,setups;numruns=N,names=names,error_estimate=:12)
Error: UndefVarError: WorkPrecisionSet not defined
plot(wp)
Error: UndefVarError: plot not defined
prob = remake(prob_sde_stiffquadito,p=(500.0,1.0))
Error: UndefVarError: remake not defined
reltols = 1.0 . / 10.0 .^{(3:5)}
abstols = reltols#[0.0 for i in eachindex(reltols)]
setups = [Dict(:alg=>SRIW1()),
          Dict(:alg=>EM(),:dts=>1.0./8.0.^((1:length(reltols)) .+ 2)),
          Dict(:alg=>SRIW1(),:dts=>1.0./8.0.^((1:length(reltols)) .+ 2),:adaptive=>false)
          \#Dict(:alg=>RKMil(),:dts=>1.0./8.0.^{((1:length(reltols))}.+
2),:adaptive=>false),
Error: UndefVarError: SRIW1 not defined
names = ["SRIW1","EM","SRIW1 Fixed"] #"RKMil",
wp =
{\tt WorkPrecisionSet}({\tt prob,abstols,reltols,setups;numruns=N,names=names,error\_estimate=:12,print\_names=true})
Error: UndefVarError: WorkPrecisionSet not defined
plot(wp)
Error: UndefVarError: plot not defined
```

#### 1.3 Conclusion

Noise stiffness is tough. Right now the best solution is to run an explicit integrator with a low enough dt. Adaptivity does have a cost in this case, likely due to memory management.

```
using DiffEqBenchmarks
DiffEqBenchmarks.bench_footer(WEAVE_ARGS[:folder],WEAVE_ARGS[:file])
```

# 1.4 Appendix

These benchmarks are a part of the DiffEqBenchmarks.jl repository, found at: https://github.com/JuliaDenchmarks.jl repository,

```
using DiffEqBenchmarks
DiffEqBenchmarks.weave_file("StiffSDE","QuadraticStiffness.jmd")
```

Computer Information:

```
Julia Version 1.4.2
Commit 44fa15b150* (2020-05-23 18:35 UTC)
Platform Info:
    OS: Linux (x86_64-pc-linux-gnu)
    CPU: Intel(R) Core(TM) i7-9700K CPU @ 3.60GHz
    WORD_SIZE: 64
    LIBM: libopenlibm
    LLVM: libLLVM-8.0.1 (ORCJIT, skylake)
Environment:
    JULIA_DEPOT_PATH = /builds/JuliaGPU/DiffEqBenchmarks.jl/.julia
    JULIA_CUDA_MEMORY_LIMIT = 2147483648
    JULIA_PROJECT = @.
    JULIA_NUM_THREADS = 4
```

### Package Information:

```
Status: `/builds/JuliaGPU/DiffEqBenchmarks.jl/Project.toml`
[7073ff75-c697-5162-941a-fcdaad2a7d2a] IJulia 1.21.2
[44d3d7a6-8a23-5bf8-98c5-b353f8df5ec9] Weave 0.10.2
[b77e0a4c-d291-57a0-90e8-8db25a27a240] InteractiveUtils
[d6f4376e-aef5-505a-96c1-9c027394607a] Markdown
[44cfe95a-1eb2-52ea-b672-e2afdf69b78f] Pkg
```