

# Paper review: Statistical analysis and simulation of random shocks in stochastic Burgers equation

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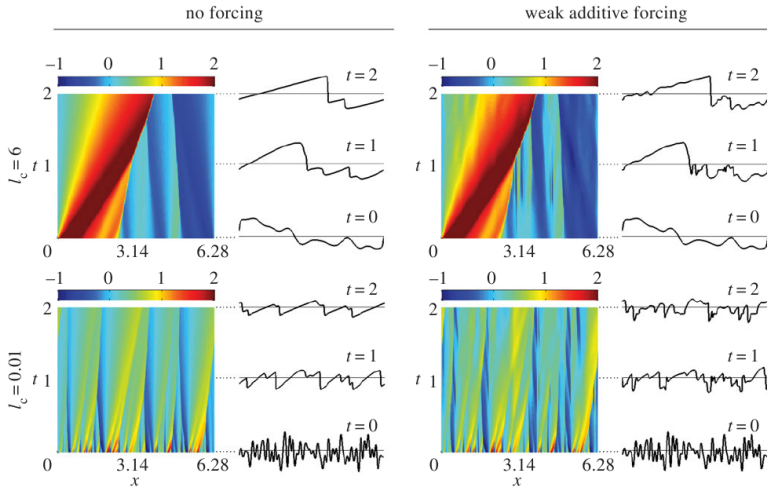
# Motivation

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + u \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \nu \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \sigma f(x, t; \omega), \quad x \in [0, 2\pi] \quad t \geq 0,$$

$$u(x, 0; \omega) = u_0(x; \omega)$$

$$u(0, t; \omega) = u(2\pi, t; \omega),$$

- ▶ Burger's equation is a very important equation, and is used as a case study for a variety of different stochastic methods.
- ▶ It has nonlinear term (advection term)
- ▶ It has a laplacian term (diffusion term)
- ▶ it has source term
- ▶ Depend on which term is dominant this equation could have different behavior.
- ▶ It can be considered as simple 1D Navier-Stokes equations



**Figure 1.** Sample solutions of the Burgers problem (2.1) in the inviscid limit  $\nu \rightarrow 0$ . Here, we consider two initial conditions with different correlation lengths randomly sampled from (3.6) and a realization of the random forcing term (3.5). It is seen that at  $t = 2$  the velocity field already developed the triangular-shaped shock structure that is characteristic of the Burgers turbulence regime. Note that even weak additive forcing ( $\sigma = 0.05$ ) can influence the solution, especially for rough initial conditions ( $l_c = 0.01$ ). (Online version in colour.)

# Assumptions

## Assumptions:

- ▶ For sake of simplicity, they considered just 1D Burger's equation.
- ▶ To be able to find an analytical answer, they neglect the diffusion effect, so it can be thought of a formulation for inviscid flow.
- ▶ They assumed that the initial condition and source term are square integrable random fields. (previous picture shows their effect on the problem).

# Assumptions Cont.

- ▶ They further consider  $f$  as a smooth noise.
- ▶ Under these assumptions one can write  $f(x, t; \omega)$  and  $u_0(x; \omega)$  in terms of series expansions involving proper sets of random variables.

$$u_0(x; \eta) = \sum_{k=1}^l \eta_k(\omega) \phi_k(x), \quad f(x, t; \xi) = \sum_{j=1}^m \xi_j(\omega) \psi_j(x, t).$$

And then the solution can be written in form of:

$$u(x, t; \omega) = U(x, t; \eta(\omega), \xi(\omega)).$$

# Approach

- ▶ They use the modeling of probability density function(pdf) itself in the deterministic sens.
- ▶ They use the Mori–Zwanzig (MZ) formalism which relies on deriving reduced-order kinetic equations for the stochastic velocity field in the limits of small viscosity and small perturbations.
- ▶ They combine this approach with the adaptive discontinuous Galerkin (DG)



# Toward pdf

The authors in their previous work, showed that under these assumptions, Burger's equation admit the following joint pdf:

$$p(x, t; a, \mathbf{b}) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \cdots \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(a - U(x, t; A_0, \mathbf{B})) \delta(\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{B}) q(A_0, \mathbf{B}) dA_0 d\mathbf{B},$$

where  $a \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $\mathbf{b} \in \mathbb{R}^m$ ,  $A_0 \in \mathbb{R}^l$ ,  $\mathbf{B} \in \mathbb{R}^m$ ,  $q(A_0, \mathbf{B})$  denotes the (possibly compactly supported) joint PDF of the random vectors  $\boldsymbol{\eta}$  and  $\boldsymbol{\xi}$ , and  $\delta(\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{B})$  is a multi-dimensional Dirac delta function, i.e.

$$\delta(\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{B}) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \prod_{k=1}^m \delta(b_k - B_k).$$

## Toward pdf Cont.

Putting the above relation into the PDE results:

$$\frac{\partial p(t)}{\partial t} + \int_{-\infty}^a \frac{\partial p(t)}{\partial x} da' + a \frac{\partial p(t)}{\partial x} = -\sigma f(x, t; \mathbf{b}) \frac{\partial p(t)}{\partial a} - \nu \frac{\partial}{\partial a} \left\langle \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} \delta(a - u(x, t)) \right\rangle,$$

$$\left\langle \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} \delta(a - u(x, t)) \right\rangle \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \cdots \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\partial^2 U}{\partial x^2} \delta(a - U(x, t; A_0, B)) \\ \times \delta(\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{B}) q(A_0, B) dA_0 dB,$$

Solving the above relation requires further assumptions, for more simplicity they just neglect the last term and solve it for inviscid flow.

# Reduced-order PDF equations: MZ approach

We can write the pde of pdf in form of:

$$\frac{\partial p(t)}{\partial t} = [\mathcal{L}_0 + \sigma \mathcal{L}_1(t)]p(t),$$

where

$$\mathcal{L}_0 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} - \int_{-\infty}^a da' \frac{\partial}{\partial x} - a \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathcal{L}_1(t) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} -f(x, t; b) \frac{\partial}{\partial a}.$$

by using the following transformation,

$$w(t) = e^{-t\mathcal{L}_0} p(t),$$

we can simplify it more in form of:

$$\frac{dw(t)}{dt} = \sigma \mathcal{N}(t)w(t), \quad \mathcal{N}(t) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} e^{-t\mathcal{L}_0} \mathcal{L}_1(t) e^{t\mathcal{L}_0}.$$

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