

Convergence rate of numerical solutions to SDEs with distributional drifts in Besov spaces

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1 What is this?

An adaptation of [1, Proposition 3.1] for the case of SDEs with drift in a Besov space of negative order similar to the ones proposed in [2] and [3]. The proof builds on a number of results presented in the sections below.

EL: add result about convergence of the scheme. This is done in two parts, $X^N \rightarrow X$ done in Russo Issoglio, and $X^{N,m} \rightarrow X^N$ Euler scheme convergence from De Angelis Germain Issoglio. Attention that the rate of convergence of Euler scheme depends of the smoothness of b^N .

2 Some useful definitions, results and setting of the problem

2.1 Function spaces we use

2.2 Some assumptions

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Assumption 1. Let $0 < \beta < 1/2$ and $b \in C_T \mathcal{C}^{-\beta}$.

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Assumption 2. There exists a sequence $(b^N)_N \in C_T \mathcal{C}^{-\beta}$ such that for each N , $b^N(t, \cdot) \in C_b^\infty(\mathbb{R})$ for all $t \in [0, T]$ and such that $b^N \rightarrow b$ as $N \rightarrow \infty$.

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Assumption 3. Let

2.3 Some results and definitions

Here we present some results and definitions to refer on the text.

Definition 1. Let us consider the SDE

$$X_t = X_0 + \int_0^t b(t, X_s) dt + W_t \quad (1) \quad \{\text{eq:sde}\}$$

where $b \in C_T \mathcal{S}'$, and W_t is a Brownian motion.

In particular we care about $b \in C_T \mathcal{C}^{-\beta}$, but it is useful to consider the above equation in the most general case, since we have some definitions in \mathcal{S}' .

Definition 2. For any real-valued continuous semi-martingale Z , the local time at zero $L_t^0(\bar{Y})$ is defined as

$$L_t^0(Z) = \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{2\epsilon} \int_0^t \mathbb{1}_{\{|Z| \leq \epsilon\}} d\langle Z \rangle_s, \mathbb{P}\text{-a.s.} \quad (2)$$

For all $t \geq 0$.

The lemma below is from [de angelis numerical 2020] and its proof can be found in [de angelis numerical 2020, Lemma 5.1]. We include the statement here for ease of reading.

Lemma 1. For any $\epsilon \in (0, 1)$ and any real-valued, continuous semi-martingale Z we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}[L_t^0(Z_s)] &\leq 4\epsilon - 2\mathbb{E}\left[\int_0^t \left(\mathbb{1}_{\{Z_s \in (0, \epsilon)\}} + \mathbb{1}_{\{Z_s \geq \epsilon\}} e^{1-Z_s/\epsilon}\right) dZ_s\right] \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{\epsilon} \mathbb{E}\left[\int_0^t \mathbb{1}_{\{Z_s > \epsilon\}} e^{1-Z_s/\epsilon} d\langle Z \rangle_s\right]. \end{aligned}$$

Let us introduce the original and regularised Kolmogorov equations. To shorten notation we will denote the spaces $C_T \mathcal{C}^\gamma(\mathbb{R})$ as $C_T \mathcal{C}^\gamma$.

LM: add Feynmann-Kac formula

Definition 3. For $\beta \in (0, 1/2)$ let $b \in C_T \mathcal{C}^{-\beta}$, $u, u^N \in C_T \mathcal{C}^{(1+\beta)+}$, and $b^N \rightarrow b$ as $N \rightarrow \infty$ in $C_T \mathcal{C}^{-\beta}$. The equations

$$\begin{cases} \partial_t u_i + \frac{1}{2} \Delta u_i + b_i \nabla u_i = \lambda u_i - b_i \\ u_i(T) = 0, \end{cases} \quad (3) \quad \{\text{eq:kolmo}\}$$

$$\begin{cases} \partial_t u_i^N + \frac{1}{2} \Delta u_i^N + b_i^N \nabla u_i^N = \lambda u_i^N - b_i^N \\ u_i^N(T) = 0. \end{cases} \quad (4) \quad \{\text{eq:kolmo}\}$$

are called Kolmogorov and regularised Kolmogorov equations. Here written component wise.

Lemma 2. Let u, u^N be the solutions to the Kolmogorov equations (3) (4) in $C_T \mathcal{C}^{1+\alpha}$ respectively. We have

$$\sup_{(t,x) \in [0,T] \times \mathbb{R}} |\nabla u(t,x)| \leq \frac{1}{2}, \quad (5)$$

and

$$\sup_{(t,x) \in [0,T] \times \mathbb{R}} |\nabla u^N(t,x)| \leq \frac{1}{2}. \quad (6)$$

Definition 4. The following function is called heat kernel

$$p_f = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi f}} e^{-\frac{|x-y|^2}{4f}}. \quad (7) \quad \{\text{eq:heat}\}$$

This is the fundamental solution to the heat equation.

The convolution of the heat kernel with a (generalised) function, is called heat semigroup:

$$(P_f g)(y) = (p_f * g)(y) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} p_f(x) g(y-x) dx \quad (8) \quad \{\text{eq:heat}\}$$

The following definition is from [2, Definition 3.2].

Definition 5. Let $b, u : [0, T] \rightarrow \mathcal{C}^{-\beta}$, we say that u is a mild solution of (3) if it satisfies

$$v(t) = P_{T-t} v_T + \int_t^T P_{s-t} (\nabla v(s) b(s)) ds - \int_t^T P_{s-t} (G(v)(s)) ds, \quad (9)$$

for all $t \in [0, T]$

The uniqueness is given too in [2, Theorem 3.7].

Theorem 1. Let b satisfy Assumption 1, and u_T satisfy Assumption 3. LM: add the proper assumption on u . Then there exists a mild solution to (3) in $C_T C^{(-\beta)^+}$ which is unique in $C_T C^{\beta^+}$.

LM: it might seem the comments below have been addressed, but not really, we are in a space that is different
LM: add the definition of mild solution for the Kolmogorov eqns

LM: theorem: exists a unique mild solution $u \in C_T C^{1+\alpha}$ for all $\alpha \in (\beta, 1-\beta)$ cite Issoglio & Russo PDE Martingale problem

LM: from that theorem it follows that $\nabla u \in C_T C^\alpha$, thus is α -Holder continuous

Remark 1. LM: write this remark well Thanks to the above theorem, as $u \in C_T C^{1+\alpha}$, we have that $\nabla u \in C_T C^\alpha$. Thus, ∇u is indeed α -Holder continuous.

Lemma 3. Given a function $f \in \mathcal{C}^\gamma$ for some $\gamma \in \mathbb{R}$, then for any $\theta \geq 0$ there exists a constant c such that

$$\|P_t f\|_{\gamma+2\theta} \leq c t^{-\theta} \|f\|_\gamma. \quad (10)$$

Moreover, for $f \in \mathcal{C}^\gamma$ and any $\theta \in (0, 1)$ we have

$$\|P_t f - f\|_\gamma \leq c t^\theta \|f\|_{\gamma+2\theta}. \quad (11)$$

Lemma 4. Given a function $f \in \mathcal{C}^\gamma$ for some $\gamma \in \mathbb{R}$, there exists a constant $c > 0$ such that

$$\|\nabla g\|_\gamma \leq c \|g\|_{\gamma+1}. \quad (12)$$

3 Bounds for the difference of solutions to the Kolmogorov equations

We need a bound for $u - u^N$ and $\nabla u - \nabla u^N$ in L_∞ for the case in which $u \in C_T C^{1+\alpha}$ for some $\alpha \in (\beta, 1-\beta)$ which is an adaptation of [1, Lemma 5.2].

The result builds on top of the following result:

Proposition 1. Let u, u^N be (mild) solutions to the Kolmogorov equations from Definition 3 then as $N \rightarrow \infty$

$$\|u_i - u_i^N\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}}^{(\rho)} \leq \frac{c T^{\frac{1-\beta-\alpha}{2}} \|b_i - b_i^N\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} (\|u_i\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}} - 1)}{1 - c \rho^{\frac{\alpha+\beta-1}{2}} (\|b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} + \lambda)} \quad (13)$$

for $\rho \geq \rho_0$, where

$$\rho_0 = 2c(\|b_i\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}} + \lambda)^{\frac{2}{\alpha+\beta+1}} \quad (14)$$

and $\lambda > 0$.

Proof. See that $u^N(T) = u(T) = 0$, and in [2], set g^N, g as b^N, b respectively. See that $b^N \rightarrow b$. Then let us reformulate the rest of the aforementioned result for $\lambda \neq 0$. As u^N, u are mild solutions, we have

$$\begin{aligned} u_i(t) - u_i^N(t) &= P_{T-t}(u_i(T) - u_i^N(T)) + \int_t^T P_{s-t}(\nabla u_i b_i - \nabla u_i^N b_i^N) ds \\ &\quad - \int_t^T P_{s-t}(\lambda u_i + b_i - \lambda u_i^N + b_i^N) ds \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \int_t^T P_{s-t}(\nabla u_i b_i - \nabla u_i^N b_i^N) ds - \lambda \int_t^T P_{s-t}(u_i - u_i^N) ds - \int_t^T P_{s-t}(b_i - b_i^N) ds \\
&= \int_t^T P_{s-t}[(\nabla u_i b_i - \nabla u_i^N b_i^N) + (\nabla u_i^N b_i^N - \nabla u_i^N b_i^N)] ds \\
&\quad - \lambda \int_t^T P_{s-t}(u_i - u_i^N) ds - \int_t^T P_{s-t}(b_i - b_i^N) ds \\
&= \int_t^T P_{s-t}(\nabla u_i b_i - \nabla u_i^N b_i^N) ds + \int_t^T P_{s-t}(\nabla u_i^N b_i^N - \nabla u_i^N b_i^N) ds \\
&\quad - \lambda \int_t^T P_{s-t}(u_i - u_i^N) ds - \int_t^T P_{s-t}(b_i - b_i^N) ds
\end{aligned}$$

Now let us compute the ρ -equivalent norm of $u - u^N$, for some $\alpha > \beta$

$$\begin{aligned}
\|u_i - u_i^N\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}}^{(\rho)} &= \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} e^{-\rho(T-t)} \|u(t) - u^N(t)\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}} \\
&\leq \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} e^{-\rho(T-t)} \left[\left\| \int_t^T P_{s-t}(\nabla u_i b_i - \nabla u_i^N b_i^N) ds \right\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}} \right. \\
&\quad + \left\| \int_t^T P_{s-t}(\nabla u_i^N b_i^N - \nabla u_i^N b_i^N) ds \right\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}} \\
&\quad - \left\| \lambda \int_t^T P_{s-t}(u_i - u_i^N) ds \right\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}} \\
&\quad \left. - \left\| \int_t^T P_{s-t}(b_i - b_i^N) ds \right\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}} \right].
\end{aligned}$$

Let us take each term from the right hand side of the inequality and bound them.

LM: change this sentence accoring to the addition of Schauder estimates

Using $\text{For the first term, using } \gamma + 2\theta = 1 + \alpha, \gamma = -\beta, \theta = \frac{1+\alpha+\beta}{2}, \|P_t f\|_{\gamma+2\theta} \leq c t^{-\theta} \|f\|_\gamma \text{ and } \|\nabla g\|_\xi \leq c \|g\|_{\xi+1}$

$$\begin{aligned}
&\sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} e^{-\rho(T-t)} \left\| \int_t^T P_{s-t}(\nabla u_i b_i - \nabla u_i^N b_i^N) ds \right\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}} \\
&\leq \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} e^{-\rho(T-t)} \int_t^T (s-t)^{-\theta} \|\nabla u_i\|_{C_T C^\alpha} \|b_i - b_i^N\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} ds \\
&\leq c \|u_i\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}} \|b_i - b_i^N\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} e^{-\rho(T-t)} (T-t)^{\frac{1-\beta-\alpha}{2}} \\
&\leq c T^{\frac{1-\beta-\alpha}{2}} \|u_i\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}} \|b_i - b_i^N\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}
\end{aligned}$$

For the second term, see that for $N \rightarrow \infty$, we have $\|b^N\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} \leq 2 \|b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}$

$$\begin{aligned}
&\sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} e^{-\rho(T-t)} \left\| \int_t^T P_{s-t} b_i^N (\nabla u_i - \nabla u_i^N) ds \right\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}} \\
&\leq c \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} \int_t^T (s-t)^{-\theta} e^{-\rho(T-t)} 2 \|b_i\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} \|\nabla u_i - \nabla u_i^N\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}} ds \\
&\leq c \|b_i\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} \|u_i - u_i^N\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{(\rho)} \int_t^T (s-t)^{-\theta} e^{-\rho(T-t)} ds \\
&\leq c \|b_i\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} \|u_i - u_i^N\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{(\rho)} \rho^{\frac{\alpha+\beta-1}{2}}
\end{aligned}$$

For the third term, which is the one that difers from the proof in [2] we need to use that $\|P_t f\|_{\gamma+2\theta} \leq c t^{-\theta} \|f\|_\gamma$, and in this case we have $\gamma + 2\theta = 1 + \alpha$ and $\gamma = 1 + \alpha$, so that $\theta = 0$ because $u, u^N \in C_T C^{1+\alpha}$, so we will have

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} e^{-\rho(T-t)} \left\| \lambda \int_t^T P_{s-t}(u_i - u_i^N) ds \right\|_{1+\alpha} \\
& \leq c \lambda \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} e^{-\rho(T-t)} \int_t^T (s-t)^{-0} \|u_i - u_i^N\|_{1+\alpha} ds \\
& = c \lambda \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} e^{-\rho(T-t)} \int_t^T e^{-\rho(T-s)} \sup_{0 \leq s \leq T} e^{-\rho(T-s)} \|u_i - u_i^N\|_{1+\alpha} ds \\
& = c \lambda \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} \|u_i - u_i^N\|_{C_T C_{1+\alpha}}^{(\rho)} \int_t^T e^{-\rho(T-s)} e^{-\rho(T-t)} ds \\
& = c \lambda \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} \|u_i - u_i^N\|_{C_T C_{1+\alpha}}^{(\rho)} \int_t^T e^{-\rho(s-t)} ds \\
& = c \lambda \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} \|u_i - u_i^N\|_{C_T C_{1+\alpha}}^{(\rho)} \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} \rho^{-1} [1 - e^{-\rho(T-t)}] \\
& \leq c \lambda \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} \|u_i - u_i^N\|_{C_T C_{1+\alpha}}^{(\rho)} \rho^{-1} \\
& \leq c \lambda \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} \|u_i - u_i^N\|_{C_T C_{1+\alpha}}^{(\rho)} \rho^{\frac{\alpha+\beta-1}{2}}
\end{aligned}$$

And for the last term

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} e^{-\rho(T-t)} \left\| \int_t^T P_{T-s}(b_i - b_i^N) ds \right\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}} \\
& \leq c \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} e^{-\rho(T-t)} \int_t^T (s-t)^{-\frac{\alpha+\beta-1}{2}} \|b_i - b_i^N\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} ds \\
& \leq c \|b_i - b_i^N\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} e^{-\rho(T-t)} (s-t)^{-\frac{\alpha+\beta-1}{2}} \\
& \leq c T^{\frac{1-\beta-\alpha}{2}} \|b_i - b_i^N\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}
\end{aligned}$$

Putting everything together

$$\begin{aligned}
\|u_i - u_i^N\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{(\rho)} & \leq c T^{\frac{1-\beta-\alpha}{2}} \|u_i\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}} \|b_i - b_i^N\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} \\
& + c \|b_i\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} \|u_i - u_i^N\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{(\rho)} \rho^{\frac{\alpha+\beta-1}{2}} \\
& - c \lambda \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} \|u_i - u_i^N\|_{C_T C_{1+\alpha}}^{(\rho)} \rho^{\frac{\alpha+\beta-1}{2}} \\
& - c T^{\frac{1-\beta-\alpha}{2}} \|b_i - b_i^N\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}},
\end{aligned}$$

and finally,

$$\begin{aligned}
& \|u_i - u_i^N\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}}^{(\rho)} (1 - c \rho^{\frac{\alpha+\beta-1}{2}} [\|b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} + \lambda]) \\
& \leq c T^{\frac{1-\beta-\alpha}{2}} \|b_i - b_i^N\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} (\|u_i\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}} - 1) \\
\|u_i - u_i^N\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}}^{(\rho)} & \leq \frac{c T^{\frac{1-\beta-\alpha}{2}} \|b_i - b_i^N\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} (\|u_i\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}} - 1)}{(1 - c \rho^{\frac{\alpha+\beta-1}{2}} [\|b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} + \lambda])}
\end{aligned}$$

As required. \square

Note that in the above we can represent the right hand side of the inequality as

$$\|u_i - u_i^N\|_{C_T \mathcal{C}^{1+\alpha}}^{(\rho)} \leq \frac{c T^{\frac{1-\beta-\alpha}{2}} (\|u_i\|_{C_T \mathcal{C}^{1+\alpha}} - 1)}{(1 - c \rho^{\frac{\alpha+\beta-1}{2}} [\|b\|_{C_T \mathcal{C}^{-\beta}} + \lambda])} \|b_i - b_i^N\|_{C_T \mathcal{C}^{-\beta}} \quad (15)$$

$$\|u_i - u_i^N\|_{C_T \mathcal{C}^{1+\alpha}}^{(\rho)} \leq c(\rho) \|b_i - b_i^N\|_{C_T \mathcal{C}^{-\beta}} \quad (16)$$

Here is the adaptation of [1, Lemma 5.2].

Proposition 2. *Let $\beta \in (0, 1/2)$ and $b \in C_T \mathcal{C}^{-\beta}$. Let $u, u^N \in C_T \mathcal{C}^{(1+\beta)+}$ be (mild) solutions to the Kolmogorov equations from Definition 3.*

Assume, by Proposition 1, that for some $\alpha > \beta$

$$\|u - u^N\|_{C_T \mathcal{C}^{1+\alpha}}^{(\rho)} \leq c(\rho) \|b - b^N\|_{C_T \mathcal{C}^{-\beta}}. \quad (17)$$

With $c(\rho)$ as in Proposition 1 and ρ_0 is large enough such that $c(\rho) > 0$ for all $\rho > \rho_0$.

Then for all $t \in [0, T]$

$$\|u^N(t) - u(t)\|_{L^\infty} \leq \kappa_\rho \|b - b^N\|_{C_T \mathcal{C}^{-\beta}} \quad (18)$$

$$\|\nabla u^N(t) - \nabla u(t)\|_{L^\infty} \leq \kappa_\rho \|b - b^N\|_{C_T \mathcal{C}^{-\beta}} \quad (19)$$

with $\kappa_\rho = c \cdot c(\rho) \cdot e^{\rho T}$.

Proof. First let us prove (18).

Let $t \in [0, T]$, and see that since $u, u^N \in C_T \mathcal{C}^{(1+\beta)+}$ there exists $\alpha > \beta$ such that $u, u^N \in C_T \mathcal{C}^{1+\alpha}$, then for any $f \in \mathcal{C}^{1+\alpha}$ we have

$$\|f\|_{C^{1+\alpha}} \leq c \left(\sup_{x \in \mathbb{R}^d} |f(x)| + \sup_{x \neq y \in \mathbb{R}^d} \frac{|\nabla f(x) - \nabla f(y)|}{|x - y|^\alpha} \right) \quad (20)$$

so we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|u^N(t) - u(t)\|_{L^\infty} &= \sup_{x \in \mathbb{R}^d} |u^N(t, x) - u(t, x)| \\ &\leq c \|u^N(t) - u(t)\|_{\mathcal{C}^{\alpha+1}} \end{aligned} \quad (21)$$

Moreover, using the (ρ) -equivalent norm

$$\|f\|_{\mathcal{C}^{1+\alpha}} = \sup_{t \in [0, T]} e^{-\rho(T-t)} \|f(t)\|_{\mathcal{C}^{1+\alpha}}, \quad (22)$$

and (22) we see that

$$\begin{aligned} \|u^N - u\|_{C_T \mathcal{C}^{1+\alpha}} &= \sup_{t \in [0, T]} \|u^N - u\|_{\mathcal{C}^{1+\alpha}} \\ &= \sup_{t \in [0, T]} e^{\rho(T-t)} e^{-\rho(T-t)} \|u^N - u\|_{\mathcal{C}^{1+\alpha}} \\ &\leq e^{\rho T} \sup_{t \in [0, T]} e^{-\rho(T-t)} \|u^N - u\|_{\mathcal{C}^{1+\alpha}} \\ &= e^{\rho T} \|u^N - u\|_{C_T \mathcal{C}^{1+\alpha}}^{(\rho)}. \end{aligned} \quad (23)$$

Plugging (23) into (21)

$$\begin{aligned} \|u^N(t) - u(t)\|_{L^\infty} &\leq c \|u^N(t) - u(t)\|_{\mathcal{C}^{\alpha+1}} \\ &\leq \sup_{t \in [0, T]} c \|u^N(t) - u(t)\|_{\mathcal{C}^{\alpha+1}} \\ &= c \|u^N - u\|_{C_T \mathcal{C}^{\alpha+1}} \\ &\leq c e^{\rho T} \|u^N - u\|_{C_T \mathcal{C}^{\alpha+1}}^{(\rho)}. \end{aligned} \quad (24)$$

And finally by (17)

$$\|u^N(t) - u(t)\|_{L^\infty} \leq c \cdot c(\rho) \cdot e^{\rho T} \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} \quad (25)$$

which proves (18).

For (19) recall that if $f \in C^{1+\alpha}$ then $\nabla f \in C^\alpha$. Also, by Bernstein inequality (12)

$$\|\nabla f\|_\alpha \leq c \|f\|_{1+\alpha}. \quad (26)$$

Using the equivalent norm

$$\|f\|_{C^{1+\alpha}} \leq c \left(\sup_{x \in \mathbb{R}^d} |f(x)| + \sup_{x \in \mathbb{R}^d} |\nabla f(x)| + \sup_{x \neq y \in \mathbb{R}^d} \frac{|\nabla f(x) - \nabla f(y)|}{|x - y|^\alpha} \right) \quad (27)$$

we can see that

$$\|\nabla u^N(t) - \nabla u(t)\|_{L^\infty} \leq c \|u^N(t) - u(t)\|_{C^{1+\alpha}}. \quad (28)$$

And usign the same bounds that we used above for $c \|u^N(t) - u(t)\|_{C^{1+\alpha}}$ this point follows. \square

4 Bound for the difference of the auxiliay functions

This is the adaptation of result [de angelis numerical 2020, Lemma 5.3].

Proposition 3. Take $\rho > \rho_0$ as in Proposition 1, $N \rightarrow \infty$, κ_ρ from Proposition 2, and $\beta \in (0, 1/2)$, then we have

$$\sup_{(t,x) \in [0,T] \times \mathbb{R}} \|\psi(t,x) - \psi^N(t,x)\| \leq 2\kappa_\rho \|b - b^N\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} \quad (29)$$

Proof. Recall the definition of $\psi, \phi \in C_T C^1$

$$\phi(t,x) := x + u(t,x) \quad (30)$$

$$\psi(t,\cdot) = \phi^{-1}(t,\cdot). \quad (31)$$

Note that

$$u(y) = \int_0^1 \nabla u(\alpha y) y d\alpha + u(0). \quad (32)$$

From there we have

$$u(t,y) - u(t,y') = \int_0^1 \nabla u(t, \alpha(y-y')) (y-y') d\alpha \quad (33)$$

and therefore

$$\|u(t,y) - u(t,y')\| \geq \left(\int_0^1 \|\nabla u(t, \alpha(y-y'))\|^2 d\alpha \right)^{1/2} \|y-y'\|, \quad (34)$$

and by Lemma 2 we finally have

$$\begin{aligned} \|u(t,y) - u(t,y')\| &\leq \left(\frac{1}{4} \int_0^1 d\alpha \right)^{1/2} \|y-y'\| \\ \|u(t,y) - u(t,y')\|^2 &\leq \frac{1}{4} \|y-y'\|^2 \end{aligned} \quad (35)$$

LM: continue from page three in notes

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5 Bound for the local time at zero of the solution to the SDEs

LM: Here I still need to mention how we define $Y_t = \psi(t, X_t)$, because eventually I need to use that $X_t = \psi(t, Y_t)$, probably just need to mention without defining the whole Y_t as in the paper.

We need a bound for $\mathbb{E}[L_t^0(Y^N - Y)]$, for Sobolev spaces, this is result [de angelis numerical 2020, Proposition 5.4] we present it here for the solutions to the SDE belonging to the appropriate Besov spaces.

First let us state the following useful result.

LM: check that the statement makes sense and has all the necessary assumptions

Lemma 5. Let u, u^N be solutions to the Kolmogorov equations (3) (4) then the following bound is satisfied:

$$\|u^N(s, \psi^N(s, Y_s^N)) - u(s, \psi(s, Y_s))\| \leq 2\kappa_\rho \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} + \|Y_s^N - Y_s\|. \quad (36)$$

Proof. Adding and subtracting terms, using triangle inequality and noting that for any a, b , we have $a - b \leq \|a - b\|$, then

$$\begin{aligned} \|u^N(s, \psi^N(s, Y_s^N)) - u(s, \psi(s, Y_s))\| &\leq \|u^N(s, \psi^N(s, Y_s^N)) - u(s, \psi^N(s, Y_s^N))\| \\ &\quad + \|u(s, \psi^N(s, Y_s^N)) - u(s, \psi(s, Y_s^N))\| \\ &\quad + \|u(s, \psi(s, Y_s^N)) - u(s, \psi(s, Y_s))\|. \end{aligned} \quad (37)$$

The terms in the right hand side will be bounded as follows:

- For the first term, by Proposition 2

$$\|u^N(s, \psi^N(s, Y_s^N)) - u(s, \psi^N(s, Y_s^N))\| \leq \|u^N(s) - u(s)\|_{L^\infty} \leq \kappa_\rho \|b - b^N\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}, \quad (38)$$

- for the second term, observe that u, u^N are $\frac{1}{2}$ -Lipschitz and by Proposition 3 we get

$$\begin{aligned} \|u(s, \psi^N(s, Y_s^N)) - u(s, \psi(s, Y_s^N))\| &\leq \frac{1}{2} \|\psi^N(s, Y_s^N) - \psi(s, Y_s^N)\| \\ &\leq \kappa_\rho \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}, \end{aligned} \quad (39)$$

- and for the final term, note that ψ, ψ^N are 2-Lipschitz

so that

$$\|u(s, \psi(s, Y_s^N)) - u(s, \psi(s, Y_s))\| \leq \frac{1}{2} \|\psi(s, Y_s^N) - \psi(s, Y_s)\| \leq \|Y_s^N - Y_s\|. \quad (40)$$

So that the following bound holds

$$\|u^N(s, \psi^N(s, Y_s^N)) - u(s, \psi(s, Y_s))\| \leq 2\kappa_\rho \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} + \|Y_s^N - Y_s\|, \quad (41)$$

as required. \square

Proposition 4. Let A, B be constants, $b \in C_T C^{-\beta}$ and $b^N \rightarrow b$ in $C_T C^{-\beta}$ as $N \rightarrow \infty$ for $\beta \in (0, \frac{1}{4})$ and for any $\alpha \in (\beta, 1 - \beta)$

$$\mathbb{E}[L_t^0(Y^N - Y)] \leq o\left(\|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{2\alpha-1}\right) + A\mathbb{E}\left(\int_0^t \|Y^N - Y\| ds\right) + B\|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{2\alpha-1}. \quad (42)$$

Proof. Recall that Y^N, Y are solutions to the SDEs

$$Y_t = y_0 + \lambda \int_0^t u(s, \psi(s, Y_s)) ds + \int_0^t (\nabla u(s, \psi(s, Y_t)) + 1) dW_s \quad (43)$$

and

$$Y_t^N = y_0^N + \lambda \int_0^t u^N(s, \psi^N(s, Y_s^N)) ds + \int_0^t (\nabla u^N(s, \psi^N(s, Y_t^N)) + 1) dW_s \quad (44)$$

so that the difference $Y^N - Y$ is

$$\begin{aligned} Y_t^N - Y_t &= \left(y_0^N + \lambda \int_0^t u^N(s, \psi^N(s, Y_s^N)) ds + \int_0^t (\nabla u^N(s, \psi^N(s, Y_t^N)) + 1) dW_s \right) \\ &\quad - \left(y_0 + \lambda \int_0^t u(s, \psi(s, Y_s)) ds + \int_0^t (\nabla u(s, \psi(s, Y_t)) + 1) dW_s \right) \\ &= (y_0^N - y_0) + \lambda \int_0^t (u^N(s, \psi^N(s, Y_s^N)) - u(s, \psi(s, Y_s))) ds \\ &\quad + \int_0^t (\nabla u^N(s, \psi^N(s, Y_s^N)) - \nabla u(s, \psi(s, Y_s))) dW_s, \end{aligned} \tag{45}$$

and using Lemma [Lemma : local-time-at-0](#) we have the following bound

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}[L_t^0(Y^N - Y)] &\leq 4\epsilon \\ -2\lambda\mathbb{E}\left[\int_0^t \left(\mathbb{1}_{\{Y_s^N - Y_s \in (0, \epsilon)\}} + \mathbb{1}_{\{Y_s^N - Y_s \geq \epsilon\}} e^{1-\frac{Y_s^N - Y_s}{\epsilon}}\right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. (u^N(s, \psi^N(s, Y_s^N)) - u(s, \psi(s, Y_s))) ds\right] \end{aligned} \tag{46} \quad \{\text{eq:local}\}$$

$$+ \frac{1}{\epsilon} \mathbb{E}\left[\int_0^t \mathbb{1}_{\{Y_s^N - Y_s > \epsilon\}} e^{1-\frac{Y_s^N - Y_s}{\epsilon}} (\nabla u^N(s, \psi^N(s, Y_s^N)) - \nabla u(s, \psi(s, Y_s)))^2 ds\right]. \tag{47} \quad \{\text{eq:local}\}$$

LM: add the explanation of why to drop the diffusion term

First, for [\(46\)](#), we find a bound for the factor involving the difference of u^N and u in Lemma [Lemma : uN-n_bound_for_integral](#). Therefore

$$\|u^N(s, \psi^N(s, Y_s^N)) - u(s, \psi(s, Y_s))\| \leq 2\kappa_\rho \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} + \|Y_s^N - Y^N\|. \tag{48}$$

Now we need to bound the result of the local time of the difference $Y_s^N - Y_s$. First notice that $Y_s^N - Y_s \geq \epsilon$, then $e^{1-\frac{Y_s^N - Y_s}{\epsilon}} \leq 1$, also it is clear that $\mathbb{1}_{\{Y_s^N - Y_s \in (0, \epsilon)\}}$ and $\mathbb{1}_{\{Y_s^N - Y_s \geq \epsilon\}}$ are bounded by 1, therefore $\mathbb{1}_{\{Y_s^N - Y_s \geq \epsilon\}} e^{1-\frac{Y_s^N - Y_s}{\epsilon}} \leq 1$. Using the previous arguments and [\(36\)](#) lead to have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}\left[\int_0^t \left(2\kappa_\rho \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} + \|Y_s^N - Y^N\|\right) ds\right] &\leq 2\lambda\mathbb{E}\left[\int_0^t \left(2\kappa_\rho \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} + \|Y_s^N - Y^N\|\right) ds\right] \\ &\leq 4\lambda \left(2\kappa_\rho \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} t + \mathbb{E}\left[\int_0^t \|Y_s^N - Y^N\| ds\right]\right). \end{aligned} \tag{49} \quad \{\text{eq:bound}\}$$

Now for [\(47\)](#), we use similar arguments as the ones in Lemma [Lemma : uN-n_bound_for_integral](#) above, and we get the following:

$$\begin{aligned} \|\nabla u^N(s, \psi^N(s, Y_s^N)) - \nabla u(s, \psi(s, Y_s))\| &\leq \|\nabla u^N(s, \psi^N(s, Y_s^N)) - \nabla u(s, \psi^N(s, Y_s^N))\| \\ &\quad + \|\nabla u(s, \psi^N(s, Y_s^N)) - \nabla u(s, \psi(s, Y_s^N))\| \\ &\quad + \|\nabla u(s, \psi(s, Y_s^N)) - \nabla u(s, \psi(s, Y_s))\|, \end{aligned} \tag{50}$$

where the terms on the right hand side will be bounded as follows:

- For the first term we use Proposition [prop:diff_uN_graduN](#) and we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|\nabla u^N(s, \psi^N(s, Y_s^N)) - \nabla u(s, \psi^N(s, Y_s^N))\| &\leq \|\nabla u^N(s) - \nabla u(s)\|_{L^\infty} \\ &\leq \kappa_\rho \|b - b^N\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}, \end{aligned} \tag{51}$$

for the second term see that $\nabla u, \nabla u^N$ are α -Hölder continuous and using Proposition [prop:bound_psi-psin](#) we have

LM: mention for which alpha this is possible and refer to the remark we have to add above

$$\begin{aligned} \|\nabla u(s, \psi^N(s, Y_s^N)) - \nabla u(s, \psi(s, Y_s^N))\| &\leq \|\psi^N(s, Y_s^N) - \psi(s, Y_s^N)\|^\alpha \|u\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}} \\ &\leq (2\kappa_\rho \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}})^\alpha \|u\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}}. \end{aligned} \tag{52}$$

Therefore we get the bound

$$\begin{aligned} \|\nabla u^N(s, \psi^N(s, Y_s^N)) - \nabla u(s, \psi(s, Y_s))\| &\leq \kappa_\rho \|b - b^N\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} \\ &\quad + \alpha \kappa_\rho^\alpha \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^\alpha \|u\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}} \\ &\quad + \|\nabla u(s, \psi(s, Y_s^N)) - \nabla u(s, \psi(s, Y_s))\|. \end{aligned} \tag{53} \quad \boxed{\text{eq:bound}}$$

Here we can also notice that $\mathbb{1}_{\{Y_s^N - Y_s < \epsilon\}} e^{1 - \frac{Y_s^N - Y_s}{\epsilon}} < 1$, then using (53) and the inequality

$$(x_1 + \dots + x_k)^2 \leq k(x_1^2 + \dots + x_k^2), \tag{54}$$

for $k = 3$, we can get the bound

$$\begin{aligned} (47) &\leq \frac{1}{\epsilon} \mathbb{E} \int_0^t \left(3\kappa_\rho^2 \|b - b^N\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^2 + 3 \cdot 2^{2\alpha} \kappa_\rho^{2\alpha} \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{2\alpha} \|u\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}}^2 \right) ds \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{\epsilon} \mathbb{E} \int_0^t 3 \mathbb{1}_{\{Y_s^N - Y_s > \epsilon\}} e^{1 - \frac{Y_s^N - Y_s}{\epsilon}} \|\nabla u(s, \psi(s, Y_s^N)) - \nabla u(s, \psi(s, Y_s))\|^2 ds \\ &\leq \frac{1}{\epsilon} 3t \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} \left(\kappa_\rho^2 \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} + (2\kappa_\rho)^{2\alpha} \|u\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}}^2 \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{2\alpha-1} \right) \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{\epsilon} 3 \mathbb{E} \left(\int_0^t \mathbb{1}_{\{Y_s^N - Y_s > \epsilon\}} e^{1 - \frac{Y_s^N - Y_s}{\epsilon}} |\nabla u(s, \psi(s, Y_s^N)) - \nabla u(s, \psi(s, Y_s))|^2 ds \right) \end{aligned} \tag{55} \quad \boxed{\text{eq:bound}}$$

Now let us denote the last term in (55) by $I_t^{N,\epsilon}$. Pick $\zeta \in (0, 1)$ such that $\alpha\zeta > \frac{1}{2}$, and since $\epsilon \in (0, 1)$ we have $\epsilon^\zeta > \epsilon$. Then split the indicator function $\mathbb{1}_{\{Y_s^N - Y_s > \epsilon\}}$ into $\mathbb{1}_{\{\epsilon < Y_s^N - Y_s \leq \epsilon^\zeta\}} + \mathbb{1}_{\{Y_s^N - Y_s > \epsilon^\zeta\}}$. Leading to the integral

$$I_t^{N,\epsilon} = \frac{1}{\epsilon} 3 \mathbb{E} \left(\int_0^t \left(\mathbb{1}_{\{\epsilon < Y_s^N - Y_s \leq \epsilon^\zeta\}} + \mathbb{1}_{\{Y_s^N - Y_s > \epsilon^\zeta\}} \right) e^{1 - \frac{Y_s^N - Y_s}{\epsilon}} \right. \\ \left. |\nabla u(s, \psi(s, Y_s^N)) - \nabla u(s, \psi(s, Y_s))|^2 ds \right) \tag{56} \quad \boxed{\text{eq:INeps}}$$

For the first term of (56) we use the fact that ∇u is α -Hölder continuous uniformly in $s \in [0, T]$ with constant $\|u\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}}$ and that ψ is 2-Lipschitz

$$\begin{aligned} \|\nabla u(s, \psi(s, Y_s^N)) - \nabla u(s, \psi(s, Y_s))\|^2 &\leq \|\psi(s, Y_s^N) - \psi(s, Y_s)\|^\alpha \|u\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}}^2 \\ &\leq 2^\alpha \|Y_s^N - Y_s\|^\alpha \|u\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}}^2 \\ &= 2^{2\alpha} \|u\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}}^2 \|Y_s^N - Y_s\|^{2\alpha} \end{aligned} \tag{57}$$

For the other term we need another way to bound it, because even though the event when $\|Y^N - Y\| > \epsilon^\zeta$ is small, we can potentially have a quantity that blows up for the bound. **E: the explanation needs adjusting - speak to Elena** In order to solve this problem, we can use the fact that ∇u is uniformly bounded by $1/2$ thanks to Lemma 2, and then we can bound the difference of the gradients as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \|\nabla u(s, \psi(s, Y_s^N)) - \nabla u(s, \psi(s, Y_s))\|^2 &\leq \|\nabla u(s, \psi(s, Y_s^N)) + \nabla u(s, \psi(s, Y_s))\|^2 \\ &\leq \sup_{(s,x) \in [0,T] \times \mathbb{R}} \|\nabla u(s, \psi(s, Y_s^N)) + \nabla u(s, \psi(s, Y_s))\|^2 \\ &= \|2\nabla u\|_{L_\infty}^2. \end{aligned} \tag{58}$$

Therefore we have that for all $t \in [0, T]$ LM: check where else I need to say this

$$\begin{aligned}
I_t^{N,\epsilon} &\leq \frac{1}{\epsilon} 3\mathbb{E} \left(\int_0^t (\mathbb{1}_{\{\epsilon < Y_s^N - Y_s \leq \epsilon^\zeta\}}) e^{1-\frac{Y_s^N - Y_s}{\epsilon}} 2^{2\alpha} \|u\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}}^2 \|Y_s^N - Y_s\|^{2\alpha} ds \right) \\
&\quad + \frac{1}{\epsilon} 3\mathbb{E} \left(\int_0^t \mathbb{1}_{\{Y_s^N - Y_s > \epsilon^\zeta\}} e^{1-\frac{Y_s^N - Y_s}{\epsilon}} \|2\nabla u\|_{L_\infty}^2 ds \right) \\
&\leq \frac{1}{\epsilon} 3\mathbb{E} \left(2^{2\alpha} \|u\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}}^2 \|\epsilon^\zeta\|^{2\alpha} t \right) + \frac{1}{\epsilon} 3\mathbb{E} \left(4e^{1-\epsilon^{\zeta-1}} \|\nabla u\|_{L_\infty}^2 t \right) \\
&\leq \sup_{t \in [0, T]} \frac{3}{\epsilon} \left(2^{2\alpha} \|u\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}}^2 \epsilon^{2\alpha\zeta} + 4e^{1-\epsilon^{\zeta-1}} \|\nabla u\|_{L_\infty}^2 \right) t \\
&= \frac{3}{\epsilon} \left(2^{2\alpha} \|u\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}}^2 \epsilon^{2\alpha\zeta} + 4e^{1-\epsilon^{\zeta-1}} \|\nabla u\|_{L_\infty}^2 \right) T.
\end{aligned} \tag{59} \quad \boxed{\text{eq:INeps}}$$

Now by combining (49), (55) and (59), and taking the sup over $[0, T]$ we will get

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbb{E}[L_t^0(Y^N - Y)] &\leq 4\epsilon \\
&\quad + 4\lambda 2\kappa_\rho T \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} \\
&\quad + 4\lambda \mathbb{E} \left[\int_0^t \|Y_s^N - Y^N\| ds \right] \\
&\quad + \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} \frac{1}{\epsilon} 3T \kappa_\rho^2 \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} \\
&\quad + \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} \frac{1}{\epsilon} 3T (2\kappa_\rho)^{2\alpha} \|u\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}}^2 \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{2\alpha-1} \\
&\quad + \frac{3}{\epsilon} 2^{2\alpha} \|u\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}}^2 T \epsilon^{2\alpha\zeta} \\
&\quad + \frac{3}{\epsilon} 4 \|\nabla u\|_{L_\infty}^2 T e^{1-\epsilon^{\zeta-1}}
\end{aligned} \tag{60}$$

then we take $\epsilon = \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}$ and we get

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbb{E}[L_t^0(Y^N - Y)] &\leq 4 \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} \\
&\quad + 4\lambda 2\kappa_\rho T \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} \\
&\quad + 4\lambda \mathbb{E} \left[\int_0^t \|Y_s^N - Y^N\| ds \right] \\
&\quad + 3T \kappa_\rho^2 \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} \\
&\quad + 3T (2\kappa_\rho)^{2\alpha} \|u\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}}^2 \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{2\alpha-1} \\
&\quad + 2^{2\alpha} \|u\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}}^2 T \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{2\alpha\zeta-1} \\
&\quad + 4 \|\nabla u\|_{L_\infty}^2 T \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{-1} \exp \left(1 - \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{\zeta-1} \right)
\end{aligned} \tag{61}$$

which can be written as

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbb{E}[L_t^0(Y^N - Y)] &\leq c_1 \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} + c_2 \mathbb{E} \left[\int_0^t \|Y_s^N - Y^N\| ds \right] \\
&\quad + c_3 \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{2\alpha-1} + c_4 \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{2\alpha\zeta-1} \\
&\quad + c_5 \exp \left(1 - \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{\zeta-1} \right)
\end{aligned} \tag{62} \quad \boxed{\text{eq:bound}}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
c_1 &= 4 + 4\lambda 2\kappa_\rho T + 3\kappa_\rho^2 T \\
c_2 &= 4\lambda \\
c_3 &= 3(2\kappa_\rho)^{2\alpha} \|u\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}}^2 T \\
c_4 &= 2^{2\alpha} \|u\|_{C_T C^{1+\alpha}}^2 T \\
c_5 &= 4 \|\nabla u\|_{L_\infty}^2 \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{-1} T
\end{aligned} \tag{63} \quad \{\text{eq:const}\}$$

Finally, observe that since $\zeta \in (0, 1)$, the term $\exp\left(1 - \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{\zeta-1}\right)$ decays faster than any polynomial, thus controlling c_5 , and the last term in (62) goes to zero. Also $\alpha\zeta$ is arbitrarily close to α , and $\|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{2\alpha-1}$ controls $\|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}$ therefore we can create the bound (42)

Question: is this clear enough? Am I making sense if I am taking α fixed? EI: no if α was fixed you could not do this. But $\alpha > \beta$ in your statement, hence it works. You need to explain the details however. Maybe at this stage you could introduce $\alpha' = \alpha\zeta$ to explain, that the result works for α' but since ζ can be chosen arbitrarily close to 1 then α' is arbitrarily close to α and α was chosen such that $\alpha > \beta$ which means the result is valid for all $\alpha' > \beta$. For simplicity we write α in place of α' in the statement.

Also it is better to explain the meaning of $o()$ and what terms go in there.

$$\mathbb{E}[L_t^0(Y^N - Y)] \leq o\left(\|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{2\alpha-1}\right) + c_2 \mathbb{E}\left(\int_0^t \|Y^N - Y\| ds\right) + c_4 \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{2\alpha-1} \tag{64}$$

□

6 Convergence rate of the solution to the regularised SDE and the original

In this section we present a bound for $\mathbb{E}[X^N - X]$ in terms of $\|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}$.

original **Proposition 5.** Let assumptions as ab. iN converges in ctcb hold, then for any $\alpha \in (1/2, 1 - \beta)$ there is a constant C_α such that

$$\mathbb{E}[X^N - X] \leq C_\alpha \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{2\alpha-1}, \tag{65} \quad \{\text{eq:EXN-X}\}$$

as $N \rightarrow \infty$.

Proof. Note that by definition of ψ, ψ^N we have

$$\begin{aligned}
|X_t^N - X_t| &= |\psi^N(t, \phi^N(t, X_t^N)) - \psi(t, \phi(t, X_t))| \\
&= |\psi^N(t, Y_t^N) - \psi(t, Y_t)|,
\end{aligned} \tag{66}$$

then adding and subtracting, and using the triangle inequality we get

$$|X_t^N - X_t| \leq |\psi^N(t, Y_t^N) - \psi(t, Y_t^N)| + |\psi(t, Y_t^N) - \psi(t, Y_t)|. \tag{67}$$

Where the first term is bounded by $2\kappa \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}$ (Proposition 3) and since ψ is 2-Lipschitz uniformly in $t \in [0, T]$ the second term is bounded by $2|Y^N - Y|$, therefore

$$|X^N - X| \leq 2\kappa \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} + 2|Y^N - Y|. \tag{68} \quad \{\text{eq:XN-X}\}$$

By assumption the first term above goes to zero as $N \rightarrow \infty$, then we only need a bound for the second term.

By Itô-Tanaka's formula

$$|Y^N - Y| = |y_0^N - y_0| + \frac{1}{2} L_t^0(Y^N - Y) + \int_0^t \operatorname{sgn}(Y^N - Y) d(Y^N - Y), \tag{69} \quad \{\text{eq:YNY_i}\}$$

by taking expectation and using the definitions of Y^N, Y we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbb{E}|Y^N - Y| &= \mathbb{E}|y_0^N - y_0| + \mathbb{E}\frac{1}{2} L_t^0(Y^N - Y) \\
&\quad + \lambda \mathbb{E} \int_0^t \operatorname{sgn}(Y^N - Y) (u^N(s, \psi^N(s, Y_s^N)) - u(s, \psi(s, Y_s))) ds,
\end{aligned} \tag{70} \quad \{\text{eq:EYNY}\}$$

then observe that the first term above is a constant, for the second we have a bound in Proposition [prop:bound_local_time_sde](#) and for the third we use Lemma [5](#), and the fact that $\text{sgn}(x) \leq 1$ therefore

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbb{E}|Y^N - Y| &\leq |u^N(0, x) - u(0, x)| \\
&+ \frac{1}{2} \left[o\left(\|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{2\alpha-1}\right) + A \mathbb{E}\left(\int_0^t \|Y^N - Y\| ds\right) + B \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{2\alpha-1} \right] \\
&+ \mathbb{E}\left[\int_0^t \left(2\kappa_\rho \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} + \|Y_s^N - Y^N\|\right) ds\right] \\
&\leq |u^N(0, x) - u(0, x)| \\
&+ \frac{1}{2} \left[o\left(\|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{2\alpha-1}\right) + A \mathbb{E}\left(\int_0^t \|Y^N - Y\| ds\right) + B \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{2\alpha-1} \right] \\
&+ \lambda 2\kappa_\rho \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} t + \lambda \mathbb{E}\left(\int_0^t \|Y_s^N - Y^N\| ds\right),
\end{aligned} \tag{71}$$

Note that the terms in orange are controlled by $o\left(\|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{2\alpha-1}\right)$, so after merging those terms and the two involving $\mathbb{E}\left(\int_0^t \|Y_s^N - Y^N\| ds\right)$ we get

$$\mathbb{E}|Y^N - Y| \leq B \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{2\alpha-1} + (A + \lambda) \mathbb{E}\left(\int_0^t \|Y_s^N - Y^N\| ds\right) + o\left(\|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{2\alpha-1}\right). \tag{72}$$

From there, using Gronwall's lemma we get the following bound

$$\mathbb{E}|Y^N - Y| \leq B \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{2\alpha-1} T e^{(A+\lambda)T} + o\left(\|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{2\alpha-1}\right). \tag{73}$$

Now we use [\(73\)](#) to bound [\(68\)](#), and as the small-o term controls the second term in [\(68\)](#) we obtain

$$\mathbb{E}[|X^N - X|] \leq B \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{2\alpha-1} T e^{(A+\lambda)T} + o\left(\|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{2\alpha-1}\right) \tag{74}$$

□

7 Small comment about convergence rate of Euler scheme to regularized equation

It works just like in [\[de_angelis_numerical_2020\]](#) LM: make all the comment

8 Convergence rate of Euler scheme

LM: check assumptions, maybe put them into the assumptions above or smth

Theorem 2. Let X_t be the solution to the SDE [\(1\)](#) with drift coefficient $b \in C_T C^{-\beta}$, and X_t^{Nm} be the Euler approximation of the solution with m time steps. Let also $\beta \in (0, 1/4)$, then it holds that

$$\sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} \mathbb{E}[|X_t^{Nm} - X_t|] \leq c m^{-\frac{1}{2} + \mu + \epsilon}, \tag{75}$$

where

$$\mu = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{\beta}{(1/2 - \beta)(1 - 2\beta) + \beta}, \tag{76}$$

for any $\epsilon > 0$.

Proof. First, by triangle inequality we have

$$\otimes := \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} \mathbb{E}[|X_t^{Nm} - X_t|] \leq \mathbb{E}[|X_t^{Nm} - X_t^N|] + \mathbb{E}[|X_t^N - X_t|]. \tag{77}$$

the first term in the right hand side is bounded by [de angelis numerical 2020] and the second one by Proposition 5, so that putting those results together we get

$$\begin{aligned} \otimes &\leq A_N m^{-1} + B_N m^{-1/2} + c \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{2\alpha-1} \\ &\leq c \left[\|b^N\|_{\infty, L^\infty} \left(1 + \|\nabla b^N\|_{\infty, L^\infty} \right) m^{-1} + \left(\|\nabla b^N\|_{\infty, L^\infty} + [b^N]_{1/2, L^\infty} \right) m^{-1/2} + \|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\hat{\beta}}}^{2\alpha-1} \right], \end{aligned} \quad (78) \quad \{\text{eq:er_co}\}$$

for any $\alpha \in (1/2, 1 - \beta)$ and $\hat{\beta} \in (0, 1/2)$.

We require to find some bounds for the L^∞ (semi) norms, so that we use Schauder estimates (10) and Bernstein inequality (12), this is possible thanks to the definition of $b^N := p_{f_m} * b$, where $f_m \rightarrow 0$ when $m \rightarrow \infty$, and also consider the definition of the norm

$$\|g\|_{C_T C^\delta} = \|b^N\|_{L^\infty} + \sup_{x \neq y} \frac{|b^N(x) - b^N(y)|}{|x - y|^\delta},$$

and the seminorm

$$[g]_{1/2, L^\infty} = \sup_{t \neq s, t, s \in [0, T]} \frac{\|g(t) - g(s)\|_{L^\infty}}{|t - s|^{1/2}}.$$

We have the following bounds:

$$\|b^N\|_{L^\infty} \leq \|b^N\|_{C_T C^\epsilon} \leq c f_m^{-\frac{\epsilon+\beta}{2}} \|b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}, \quad (79) \quad \{\text{eq:er02}\}$$

$$\|\nabla b^N\|_{L^\infty} \leq \|\nabla b^N\|_{C_T C^\epsilon} \leq c \|b^N\|_{C_T C^{\epsilon+1}} \leq c f_m^{-\frac{\epsilon+\beta+1}{2}} \|b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}, \quad (80) \quad \{\text{eq:er03}\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} [b^N]_{1/2, L^\infty} &\leq \sup_{t \neq s} \frac{\|b^N(t) - b^N(s)\|_{C_T C^\epsilon}}{|t - s|^{1/2}} \\ &\leq \sup_{t \neq s} c f_m^{-\frac{\epsilon+\beta}{2}} \frac{\|b(t) - b(s)\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}}{|t - s|^{1/2}} \\ &= c f_m^{-\frac{\epsilon+\beta}{2}} [b]_{1/2, C_T C^{-\beta}}. \end{aligned} \quad (81) \quad \{\text{eq:er04}\}$$

Plugging that into (78) we get

$$\begin{aligned} \otimes &\leq c \left[\|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}}^{2\alpha-1} + \|b^N\|_{\infty, L^\infty} \left(1 + \|\nabla b^N\|_{\infty, L^\infty} \right) m^{-1} + \left(\|\nabla b^N\|_{\infty, L^\infty} + [b^N]_{1/2, L^\infty} \right) m^{-1/2} \right] \\ &\leq c \left[\|b^N - b\|_{C_T C^{-\hat{\beta}}}^{2\alpha-1} + f_m^{-\frac{\epsilon+\beta}{2}} \|b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} \left(1 + f_m^{-\frac{\epsilon+\beta+1}{2}} \|b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} \right) m^{-1} + \left(f_m^{-\frac{\epsilon+\beta+1}{2}} \|b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} + f_m^{-\frac{\epsilon+\beta}{2}} [b]_{1/2, C_T C^{-\beta}} \right) m^{-1/2} \right] \\ &\leq c \left[\left(f_m^{\nu/2} \|b\|_{C_T C^{-\hat{\beta}+\nu}} \right)^{2\alpha-1} + f_m^{-\frac{\epsilon+\beta}{2}} \|b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} \left(1 + f_m^{-\frac{\epsilon+\beta+1}{2}} \|b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} \right) m^{-1} + \left(f_m^{-\frac{\epsilon+\beta+1}{2}} \|b\|_{C_T C^{-\beta}} + f_m^{-\frac{\epsilon+\beta}{2}} [b]_{1/2, C_T C^{-\beta}} \right) m^{-1/2} \right] \end{aligned} \quad (82) \quad \{\text{eq:er_bo}\}$$

Where the first term in the last inequality comes from Schauder estimates (11) by taking $\nu := \hat{\beta} - \beta$. Also, since the norms are finite they can be absorbed by a constant and we have:

$$\otimes \leq c \left[f_m^{\frac{\nu}{2}(2\alpha-1)} + \left(f_m^{-\frac{\epsilon+\beta}{2}} + f_m^{-\frac{2\epsilon+2\beta+1}{2}} \right) m^{-1} + \left(f_m^{-\frac{\epsilon+\beta+1}{2}} + f_m^{-\frac{\epsilon+\beta}{2}} \right) m^{-1/2} \right]. \quad (83) \quad \{\text{eq:er_al}\}$$

Considering only the slowest terms in (83) and substituting ν we get

$$\otimes \leq f_m^{\frac{\beta-\beta}{2}(2\alpha-1)} + m^{-1/2} f_m^{-\frac{\epsilon+\beta}{2}} \quad (84) \quad \{\text{eq:er_sl}\}$$

The optimal of this quantity is when the two terms on the left hand side are equal, this is

$$\begin{aligned} m^{-1/2} &= f_m^{\frac{(2\alpha-1)(\beta-\beta)+\epsilon+\beta}{2}} \\ f_m &= m^{-\frac{1}{(2\alpha-1)(\beta-\beta)+\epsilon+\beta}} \end{aligned} \quad (85) \quad \{\text{eq:er_eq}\}$$

So, if we plug it into the rate (any of the two terms in (84)), we get

$$\otimes \leq cm^{-\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\beta+\epsilon}{(2\alpha-1)(\beta-\beta)+\beta+\epsilon}} \quad (86) \quad \{\text{eq:er_ra}\}$$

Note that in order to attain the best rate we require to minimize the second term of the exponent of (86), i.e:

$$\inf_{\substack{\alpha \in (1/2, 1 - \beta_0) \\ \beta \in (\beta_0, 1/2) \\ \epsilon > 0}} \left\{ \frac{\beta + \epsilon}{\beta + \epsilon + (2\alpha - 1)(\beta - \beta)} \right\} = \frac{\beta_0}{(1/2 - \beta_0)(1 - 2\beta_0) + \beta_0 + \epsilon}.$$

Therefore, we have

$$\mathbb{E}[|X_t^{Nm} - X_t|] \leq m^{-\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{\beta_0}{(1/2 - \beta_0)(1 - 2\beta_0) + \beta_0} + \epsilon}, \quad (87) \quad \{\text{eq:er_fi}\}$$

as required. \square

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