

# On Nonconvex SVGD

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## 1 Setup

$$F = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n f_i, \quad \pi \sim e^{-F}$$

$$f_n = \frac{1}{n_0} \sum_{i \in I} f_i, \quad \#I = n_0, \quad \sigma_n \sim e^{-f_n}$$

$$\phi_t(x) = \left( I - tP_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n} \right) \right) (x), \quad \mu_t = (\phi_t)_\# \mu_n$$

$$\varphi(t) = \int \log \left( \frac{\mu_t}{\pi} \right) d\mu_t$$

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We define the update rule as:

$$S_{\mu_{n+1}} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_{n+1}}{\sigma_{n+1}} \right) = \begin{cases} S_{\mu_{n+1}} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_{n+1}}{\pi} \right) & p, \\ S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n} \right) + S_{\mu_{n+1}} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_{n+1}}{\sigma_{I'}} \right) - S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_{I'}} \right) & 1-p, \end{cases}$$

where  $\sigma_{I'} \sim \exp^{-f_{I'}}$ ,  $f_{I'} = \frac{1}{b'} \sum_{i \in I'} f_i$ .

## 3 Main Proof

$$\phi(\gamma) \leq \phi(0) + \gamma \left\langle S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \frac{\mu_n}{\pi}, S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n} \right) \right\rangle_H + \frac{C \cdot \gamma^2}{2} \left\langle S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n}, S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n} \right) \right\rangle_H$$

then by similar calculation as in PAGE, we have,

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi(\gamma) &\leq \varphi(0) - \frac{\gamma}{2} \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\pi} \right) \right\|_H^2 - \left( \frac{1}{2\gamma} - \frac{c}{2} \right) \cdot \gamma^2 \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n} \right) \right\|_H^2 \\ &\quad + \frac{\gamma}{2} \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\pi} \right) - S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n} \right) \right\|_H^2 \end{aligned}$$

Let

$$G_{n+1} := \mathbf{E} \left[ \left\| S_{\mu_{n+1}} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_{n+1}}{\pi} \right) - S_{\mu_{n+1}} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_{n+1}}{\sigma_{n+1}} \right) \right\|_H^2 \right]$$

Then a direct calculation now reveals that

$$\begin{aligned}
G_{n+1} &= p \cdot 0 + (1-p) \cdot \mathbb{E} \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n} \right) + S_{\mu_{n+1}} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_{n+1}}{\sigma_{I'}} \right) - S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_{I'}} \right) - S_{\mu_{n+1}} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_{n+1}}{\pi} \right) \right\|_H^2 \\
&= (1-p) \cdot \mathbb{E} \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n} \right) + S_{\mu_{n+1}} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_{n+1}}{\sigma_{I'}} \right) - S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_{I'}} \right) - S_{\mu_{n+1}} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_{n+1}}{\pi} \right) + S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\pi} \right) \right\|_H^2 \\
&\quad + (1-p) \cdot \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\pi} \right) - S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_{I'}} \right) \right\|_H^2.
\end{aligned}$$

## 4 Key Inequality

We need to estimate

$$\left\| S_{\mu_{n+1}} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_{n+1}}{\pi} \right) - S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\pi} \right) \right\|_H^2$$

and

$$\left\| S_{\mu_{n+1}} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_{n+1}}{\sigma_{I'}} \right) - S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_{I'}} \right) \right\|_H^2$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&S_{\mu_{n+1}} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_{n+1}}{\pi} \right) - S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\pi} \right) \\
&= \int k(y, \cdot) \nabla \log(\mu_{n+1}(y)) \mu_{n+1}(y) dy - \int k(\phi_\gamma(x), \cdot) \nabla \log(\mu_n(x)) \mu_n(x) dx \\
&\quad + \int k(\phi_\gamma(x), \cdot) \nabla \log(\pi(x)) \mu_n(x) dx - \int k(y, \cdot) \nabla \log(\pi(y)) \mu_{n+1}(y) dy + \int k(\phi_\gamma(x), \cdot) \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n(x)}{\pi(x)} \right) \mu_n(x) dx - \\
&\int k(x, \cdot) \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n(x)}{\pi(x)} \right) \mu_n(x) dx = I + II + III \\
&\|II\|_H^2 = \int \int k(\phi_\gamma(x), \phi_\gamma(x')) (\nabla \log(x) - \nabla \log(\pi(\phi_\gamma(x)))) (\nabla \log(x') - \nabla \log(\pi(\phi_\gamma(x')))) \mu(x) \mu(x') dx dx'
\end{aligned}$$

since F is L-smooth, so

$$|\nabla \log(x') - \nabla \log(\pi(\phi_\gamma(x')))| \leq L \cdot |x - \phi_\gamma(x)| = L \cdot \gamma \cdot |P_{\mu_\gamma} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n(x)}{\sigma_n(x)} \right)| \leq C \cdot \gamma \cdot \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n} \right) \right\|_H$$

then by Cauchy-Schwartz inequality and  $\mu_n$  is weekly compact(will see this in the end), we derive

$$\|II\|_H^2 \leq C \cdot \gamma^2 \cdot \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n} \right) \right\|_H^2$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\|I\|_H^2 &= \left\| \int k(y, \cdot) \nabla \log(\mu_{n+1}(y)) \mu_{n+1}(y) dy - \int k(\phi_\gamma(x), \cdot) \nabla \log(\mu_n(x)) \mu_n(x) dx \right\|_H^2 \\
&= \int \int k(y, y') \nabla \log(\mu_{n+1}(y)) \nabla \log(\mu_{n+1}(y')) \mu_{n+1}(y) \mu_{n+1}(y') dy dy' \\
&\quad - \int \int k(y, \phi_\gamma(x)) \nabla \log(\mu_{n+1}(y)) \nabla \log(\mu_n(x')) \mu_{n+1}(y) \mu_n(x') dy dx' \\
&\quad - \int \int k(\phi_\gamma(x), y') \nabla \log(\mu_{n+1}(y')) \nabla \log(\mu_n(x)) \mu_{n+1}(y') \mu_n(x) dy' dx \\
&\quad + \int \int k(\phi_\gamma(x), \phi_\gamma(x')) \nabla \log(\mu_n(x)) \nabla \log(\mu_n(x')) \mu_n(x) \mu_n(x') dx dx' \\
&= \int \int tr(\nabla_{1,2}^2 k(y, y') \mu_{n+1}(y) \mu_{n+1}(y')) dy dy' \\
&\quad - \int \int tr(\nabla_{1,2}^2 k(y, \phi_\gamma(x')) J \phi_\gamma(x')) \mu_{n+1}(y) \mu_n(x') dy dx' \\
&\quad - \int \int tr(\nabla_{1,2}^2 k(\phi_\gamma(x), y') J \phi_\gamma(x)) \mu_n(x) \mu_{n+1}(y') dx dy' \\
&\quad + \int \int tr(\nabla_{1,2}^2 K(\phi_\gamma(x), \phi_\gamma(x')) J \phi_\gamma(x) J \phi_\gamma(x')) \mu_n(x) \mu_n(x') dx dx' \\
&= \int \int tr(\nabla_{1,2}^2 K(\phi_\gamma(x), \phi_\gamma(x')) (I - J \phi_\gamma(x)) (I - J \phi_\gamma(x')))) \mu_n(x) \mu_n(x') dx dx'
\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{assume } |\nabla_{1,2}^2 K(\cdot, \cdot)| \leq C, \text{ then } tr(\nabla_{1,2}^2 K(\phi_\gamma(x), \phi_\gamma(x')) (I - J \phi_\gamma(x)) (I - J \phi_\gamma(x')))) \leq C \cdot \gamma^2 \cdot \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n} \right) \right\|_H^2$$

$$\text{so } \|I\|_H^2 \leq C \cdot \gamma^2 \cdot \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n} \right) \right\|_H^2$$

$$\|III\|_H^2 = \int \int (k(\phi_\gamma(x), \phi_\gamma(x')) - k(\phi_\gamma(x), x') - k(x, \phi_\gamma(x')) + k(x, x')) \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n(x)}{\pi(x)} \right) \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n(x')}{\pi(x')} \right) \mu_n(x) \mu_n(x') dx dx'.$$

$$\text{denote } F(x, x') := k(\phi_\gamma(x), \phi_\gamma(x')) - k(\phi_\gamma(x), x') - k(x, \phi_\gamma(x')) + k(x, x')$$

then by integration by part, we have

$$\|III\|_H^2 = \int \int (tr(\nabla_{1,2}^2 F(x, x')) + \nabla_2 F(x, x') \nabla \log(\pi(x)) + \nabla_1 F(x, x') \nabla \log(\pi(x')) + F(x, x') \nabla \log(\pi(x)) \nabla \log(\pi(x')))) \mu_n(x) \mu_n(x')$$

We need to know the order of  $F(x, x')$ ,  $\nabla_1 F(x, x')$ ,  $\nabla_2 F(x, x')$ ,  $\nabla_{1,2}^2 F(x, x')$

in the following we assume supremum norm the second, third and fourth order derivatives of k are finite, and we miss  $O(|\phi_\gamma(x) - x|^2)$  and  $O(|\phi_\gamma(x') - x'|^2)$  in the derivation.

$$\begin{aligned}
|F(x, x')| &= | \langle \phi_\gamma(x' - x'), \nabla_2 k(\phi_\gamma(x), x') \rangle + \langle x' - \phi_\gamma(x'), \nabla_2 k(x, x') \rangle | \\
&\leq |\nabla_{1,2}^2 k(x, x')(\phi_\gamma(x) - x)(\phi_\gamma(x') - x')| \leq C \cdot \gamma^2 \cdot \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n}\right) \right\|_H^2 \\
|\nabla_1 F(x, x')| &= |\nabla_1 k(\phi_\gamma(x), \phi_\gamma(x')) J \phi_\gamma(x) - \nabla_1 k(\phi_\gamma(x), x') J \phi_\gamma(x) - \nabla_1 k(x, \phi_\gamma(x')) + \nabla_1 k(x, x')| \\
&= |\nabla_{1,2}^2 k(\phi_\gamma(x), x')(\phi_\gamma(x') - x') J \phi_\gamma(x) - \nabla_{1,2}^2 k(x, x')(\phi_\gamma(x') - x')| \\
&= |\nabla_{11,2}^3 k(x, x')(\phi_\gamma(x') - x')(\phi_\gamma(x) - x) + \nabla_{1,2}^2 k(\phi_\gamma(x), x)(\phi_\gamma(x') - x')(J \phi_\gamma(x) - I)| \leq C \cdot \gamma^2 \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n}\right) \right\|_H^2 \\
&\text{similarly } |\nabla_2 F(x, x')| \leq C \cdot \gamma^2 \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n}\right) \right\|_H^2 \\
tr \nabla_{1,2}^2 F(x, x') &= tr(J \phi_\gamma(x) \nabla_{1,2}^2 k(\phi_\gamma(x), \phi_\gamma(x')) J \phi_\gamma(x') - J \phi_\gamma(x) \nabla_{1,2}^2 k(\phi_\gamma(x), x') - \nabla_{1,2}^2 k(x, \phi_\gamma(x')) J \phi_\gamma(x') + \\
&\nabla_{1,2}^2 k(x, x')), \\
&\text{denote } J \phi_\gamma(x') = I - \gamma J P_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n}\right)(x') = I - \gamma P', J \phi_\gamma(x) = I - \gamma J P_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n}\right)(x) = I - \gamma P \\
&\text{then} \\
tr \nabla_{1,2}^2 F(x, x') &= tr((I - \gamma P) \nabla_{1,22}^3 k(\phi_\gamma(x), x')(\phi_\gamma(x') - x') - (I - \gamma P) \nabla_{1,2}^2 k(\phi_\gamma(x), \phi_\gamma(x'))(\gamma P') \\
&- \nabla_{1,22}^3 k(x, x')(\phi_\gamma(x') - x') + (\gamma P') \nabla_{1,2}^2 k(x, \phi_\gamma(x')))) \\
&= tr(\nabla_{11,22}^4 k(x, x')(\phi_\gamma(x) - x)(\phi_\gamma(x') - x') - (\gamma P') \nabla_{11,2}^3 k(x, \phi_\gamma(x'))(\phi_\gamma(x) - x) - (\gamma P) \nabla_{1,22}^3 k(\phi_\gamma(x), x')(\phi_\gamma(x') - \\
&x') + (\gamma P) \nabla_{1,2}^2 k(x, x')(\gamma P'))
\end{aligned}$$

$$|tr \nabla_{1,2}^2 F(x, x')| \leq C \cdot \gamma^2 \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n}\right) \right\|_H^2$$

then by weak compactness, we know,

$$\|III\|_H^2 \leq C \cdot \gamma^2 \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n}\right) \right\|_H^2$$

similarly, since the set of  $\{\sigma_{I'}\}$  is finite and have similar property with  $\pi$ , so

$$\left\| S_{\mu_{n+1}} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_{n+1}}{\sigma_{I'}}\right) - S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_{I'}}\right) \right\|_H^2 \leq C \cdot \gamma^2 \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n}\right) \right\|_H^2$$

Finally,

$$\mathbf{E} \left\| S_{\mu_{n+1}} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_{n+1}}{\pi}\right) - S_{\mu_{n+1}} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_{n+1}}{\sigma_{n+1}}\right) \right\|_H^2 \leq (1-p) \cdot \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\pi}\right) - S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n}\right) \right\|_H^2 + C \cdot \gamma^2 \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n}\right) \right\|_H^2$$

So if  $\gamma$  is small enough (depend on constant  $C$ ), then

$$\mathbf{E}(\Phi_{n+1}) \leq \mathbf{E}(\Phi_n) - \frac{\gamma}{2} \mathbf{E} \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\pi}\right) \right\|_H^2,$$

where

$$\Phi_n := KL(\mu_n | \pi) + \frac{\gamma}{2p} \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\pi}\right) - S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n}\right) \right\|_H^2$$

(you see  $\Phi_n$  is decreasing, so  $KL(\mu_n | \pi) \leq C$ , so  $\{\mu_n\}$  is weakly compact)

Problem: is  $\int |x|^2 \mu_n(x) dx$  weakly continuous?

If we cannot prove this, then we need more assumption on  $\pi$ , that is : there exists a constant  $a > 0$  and a point  $x_0$  such that  $\int e^{ad(x_0, x)^2} \pi(dx) < +\infty$ , then by a theorem from Vilani's book "optimal transport

old and new" page 592. we have  $T_1$  inequality  $W_p(\mu, \nu) \leq \sqrt{\frac{2H_\nu(\mu)}{\lambda}}$ ,  $p = 1, \lambda$  is some constant. So we have  $W_1(\mu_n, \pi) \leq C$ , by L-smoothness of  $F$  we have  $\int |\nabla \log(\pi(x))| \mu_n(x) dx \leq C \cdot \int |x| \mu_n(x) dx \leq C$

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## 5 Setup

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where  $\sigma_{I'} \sim \exp^{-f_{I'}}$ ,  $f_{I'} = \frac{1}{b'} \sum_{i \in I'} f_i$ .

## 7 Main Proof

$$\phi(\gamma) \leq \phi(0) + \gamma \left\langle S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \frac{\mu_n}{\pi}, S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n} \right) \right\rangle_H + \frac{C \cdot \gamma^2}{2} \left\langle S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n}, S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n} \right) \right\rangle_H$$

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Let

$$G_{n+1} := \mathbf{E} \left[ \left\| S_{\mu_{n+1}} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_{n+1}}{\pi} \right) - S_{\mu_{n+1}} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_{n+1}}{\sigma_{n+1}} \right) \right\|_H^2 \right]$$

Then a direct calculation now reveals that

$$\begin{aligned} G_{n+1} &= p \cdot 0 + (1-p) \cdot \mathbf{E} \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n} \right) + S_{\mu_{n+1}} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_{n+1}}{\sigma_{I'}} \right) - S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_{I'}} \right) - S_{\mu_{n+1}} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_{n+1}}{\pi} \right) \right\|_H^2 \\ &= (1-p) \cdot \mathbf{E} \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n} \right) + S_{\mu_{n+1}} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_{n+1}}{\sigma_{I'}} \right) - S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_{I'}} \right) - S_{\mu_{n+1}} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_{n+1}}{\pi} \right) + S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\pi} \right) \right\|_H^2 \\ &\quad + (1-p) \cdot \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\pi} \right) - S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log \left( \frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_I} \right) \right\|_H^2 \end{aligned}$$

## 8 Key Inequality

There exists stepsize  $\gamma_n$  (in the following for simplicity we write as  $\gamma$ ) only depending on  $\int |\nabla \log(\pi(x))\mu_n(x)dx|$  and  $\int |\nabla \log(\sigma_{I'}(x))\mu_n(x)dx|$ , such that  $\mathbf{E}(\Phi_{n+1}) \leq \mathbf{E}(\Phi_n) - \frac{\gamma}{2} \mathbf{E} \|S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log(\frac{\mu_n}{\pi})\|_H^2$ ,

where

$$\Phi_n := KL(\mu_n|\pi) + \frac{\gamma}{2p} \|S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log(\frac{\mu_n}{\pi}) - S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n})\|_H^2$$

We need to estimate

$$\|S_{\mu_{n+1}} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_{n+1}}{\pi}\right) - S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\pi}\right)\|_H^2$$

and

$$\left\|S_{\mu_{n+1}} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_{n+1}}{\sigma_{I'}}\right) - S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_{I'}}\right)\right\|_H^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} & S_{\mu_{n+1}} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_{n+1}}{\pi}\right) - S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\pi}\right) \\ &= \int k(y, \cdot) \nabla \log(\mu_{n+1}(y)) \mu_{n+1}(y) dy - \int k(\phi_\gamma(x), \cdot) \nabla \log(\mu_n(x)) \mu_n(x) dx \\ &+ \int k(\phi_\gamma(x), \cdot) \nabla \log(\pi(x)) \mu_n(x) dx - \int k(y, \cdot) \nabla \log(\pi(y)) \mu_{n+1}(y) dy + \int k(\phi_\gamma(x), \cdot) \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n(x)}{\pi(x)}\right) \mu_n(x) dx - \\ &\int k(x, \cdot) \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n(x)}{\pi(x)}\right) \mu_n(x) dx = I + II + III \end{aligned}$$

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since  $F$  is  $L$ -smooth, so

$$|\nabla \log(x') - \nabla \log(\pi(\phi_\gamma(x')))| \leq L \cdot |x - \phi_\gamma(x)| = L \cdot \gamma \cdot |P_{\mu_\gamma} \nabla \log(\frac{\mu_n(x)}{\sigma_n(x)})| \leq C \cdot \gamma \cdot \|S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n})\|_H$$

then by Cauchy-Schwartz inequality and  $k(x, x)$  is bounded, we derive

$$\|II\|_H^2 \leq C \cdot \gamma^2 \cdot \|S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n})\|_H^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \|I\|_H^2 &= \left\| \int k(y, \cdot) \nabla \log(\mu_{n+1}(y)) \mu_{n+1}(y) dy - \int k(\phi_\gamma(x), \cdot) \nabla \log(\mu_n(x)) \mu_n(x) dx \right\|_H^2 \\ &= \int \int k(y, y') \nabla \log(\mu_{n+1}(y)) \nabla \log(\mu_{n+1}(y')) \mu_{n+1}(y) \mu_{n+1}(y') dy dy' \\ &- \int \int k(y, \phi_\gamma(x)) \nabla \log(\mu_{n+1}(y)) \nabla \log(\mu_n(x')) \mu_{n+1}(y) \mu_n(x') dy dx' \\ &- \int \int k(\phi_\gamma(x), y') \nabla \log(\mu_{n+1}(y')) \nabla \log(\mu_n(x)) \mu_{n+1}(y') \mu_n(x) dy' dx \\ &+ \int \int k(\phi_\gamma(x), \phi_\gamma(x')) \nabla \log(\mu_n(x)) \nabla \log(\mu_n(x')) \mu_n(x) \mu_n(x') dx dx' \\ &= \int \int \text{tr}(\nabla_{1,2}^2 k(y, y') \mu_{n+1}(y) \mu_{n+1}(y')) dy dy' \\ &- \int \int \text{tr}(\nabla_{1,2}^2 k(y, \phi_\gamma(x')) J \phi_\gamma(x')) \mu_{n+1}(y) \mu_n(x') dy dx' \\ &- \int \int \text{tr}(\nabla_{1,2}^2 k(\phi_\gamma(x), y') J \phi_\gamma(x)) \mu_n(x) \mu_{n+1}(y') dx dy' \\ &+ \int \int \text{tr}(\nabla_{1,2}^2 K(\phi_\gamma(x), \phi_\gamma(x')) J \phi_\gamma(x) J \phi_\gamma(x')) \mu_n(x) \mu_n(x') dx dx' \\ &= \int \int \text{tr}(\nabla_{1,2}^2 K(\phi_\gamma(x), \phi_\gamma(x')) (I - J \phi_\gamma(x)) (I - J \phi_\gamma(x'))) \mu_n(x) \mu_n(x') dx dx' \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{assume } |\nabla_{1,2}^2 K(\cdot, \cdot)| \leq C, \text{ then } \text{tr}(\nabla_{1,2}^2 K(\phi_\gamma(x), \phi_\gamma(x')) (I - J \phi_\gamma(x)) (I - J \phi_\gamma(x'))) \leq C \cdot \gamma^2 \cdot \|S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n})\|_H^2$$

$$\text{so } \|I\|_H^2 \leq C \cdot \gamma^2 \cdot \|S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n})\|_H^2$$

$$\|III\|_H^2 = \int \int (k(\phi_\gamma(x), \phi_\gamma(x')) - k(\phi_\gamma(x), x') - k(x, \phi_\gamma(x')) + k(x, x')) \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n(x)}{\pi(x)}\right) \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n(x')}{\pi(x')}\right) \mu_n(x) \mu_n(x') dx dx'.$$

$$\text{denote } F(x, x') := k(\phi_\gamma(x), \phi_\gamma(x')) - k(\phi_\gamma(x), x') - k(x, \phi_\gamma(x')) + k(x, x')$$

then by integration by part, we have

$$\|III\|_H^2 = \int \int (\text{tr}(\nabla_{1,2}^2 F(x, x')) + \nabla_2 F(x, x') \nabla \log(\pi(x)) + \nabla_1 F(x, x') \nabla \log(\pi(x')) + F(x, x') \nabla \log(\pi(x)) \nabla \log(\pi(x')))) \mu_n(x) \mu_n(x')$$

We need to know the order of  $F(x, x')$ ,  $\nabla_1 F(x, x')$ ,  $\nabla_2 F(x, x')$ ,  $\nabla_{1,2}^2 F(x, x')$

in the following we assume supremum norm the second, third and fourth order derivatives of  $k$  are finite, and we miss  $O(|\phi_\gamma(x) - x|^2)$  and  $O(|\phi_\gamma(x') - x'|^2)$  in the derivation.

$$|F(x, x')| = |\langle \phi_\gamma(x') - x', \nabla_2 k(\phi_\gamma(x), x') \rangle + \langle x' - \phi_\gamma(x'), \nabla_2 k(x, x') \rangle|$$

$$\leq |\nabla_{1,2}^2 k(x, x') (\phi_\gamma(x) - x) (\phi_\gamma(x') - x')| \leq C \cdot \gamma^2 \cdot \|S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n})\|_H^2$$

$$\begin{aligned}
|\nabla_1 F(x, x')| &= |\nabla_1 k(\phi_\gamma(x), \phi_\gamma(x')) J\phi_\gamma(x) - \nabla_1 k(\phi_\gamma(x), x') J\phi_\gamma(x) - \nabla_1 k(x, \phi_\gamma(x')) + \nabla_1 k(x, x')| \\
&= |\nabla_{1,2}^2 k(\phi_\gamma(x), x')(\phi_\gamma(x') - x') J\phi_\gamma(x) - \nabla_{1,2}^2 k(x, x')(\phi_\gamma(x') - x')| \\
&= |\nabla_{11,2}^3 k(x, x')(\phi_\gamma(x') - x')(\phi_\gamma(x) - x) + \nabla_{1,2}^2 k(\phi_\gamma(x), x)(\phi_\gamma(x') - x')(J\phi_\gamma(x) - I)| \leq C \cdot \gamma^2 \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n}\right) \right\|_H^2 \\
&\text{similarly } |\nabla_2 F(x, x')| \leq C \cdot \gamma^2 \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n}\right) \right\|_H^2 \\
&\text{tr} \nabla_{1,2}^2 F(x, x') = \text{tr}(J\phi_\gamma(x) \nabla_{1,2}^2 k(\phi_\gamma(x), \phi_\gamma(x')) J\phi_\gamma(x') - J\phi_\gamma(x) \nabla_{1,2}^2 k(\phi_\gamma(x), x') - \nabla_{1,2}^2 k(x, \phi_\gamma(x')) J\phi_\gamma(x') + \nabla_{1,2}^2 k(x, x')) \\
&\text{denote } J\phi_\gamma(x') = I - \gamma J P_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n}\right)(x') = I - \gamma P', J\phi_\gamma(x) = I - \gamma J P_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n}\right)(x) = I - \gamma P \\
&\text{then} \\
&\text{tr} \nabla_{1,2}^2 F(x, x') = \text{tr}((I - \gamma P) \nabla_{1,22}^3 k(\phi_\gamma(x), x')(\phi_\gamma(x') - x') - (I - \gamma P) \nabla_{1,2}^2 k(\phi_\gamma(x), \phi_\gamma(x'))(\gamma P') \\
&\quad - \nabla_{1,22}^3 k(x, x')(\phi_\gamma(x') - x') + (\gamma P') \nabla_{1,2}^2 k(x, \phi_\gamma(x')))) \\
&= \text{tr}(\nabla_{11,22}^4 k(x, x')(\phi_\gamma(x) - x)(\phi_\gamma(x') - x') - (\gamma P') \nabla_{11,2}^3 k(x, \phi_\gamma(x'))(\phi_\gamma(x) - x) - (\gamma P) \nabla_{1,22}^3 k(\phi_\gamma(x), x')(\phi_\gamma(x') - x') \\
&\quad + (\gamma P) \nabla_{1,2}^2 k(x, x')(\gamma P')) \\
&|\text{tr} \nabla_{1,2}^2 F(x, x')| \leq C \cdot \gamma^2 \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n}\right) \right\|_H^2 \\
&\text{then, we know,} \\
&\|III\|_H^2 \leq (C_1 + C_2 \cdot \int |\nabla \log(\pi(x))| \mu_n(x) dx + C_3 \cdot (\int |\nabla \log(\pi(x))| \mu_n(x) dx)^2) \cdot \gamma^2 \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n}\right) \right\|_H^2 \\
&\text{similarly, since the set of } \{\sigma_{I'}\} \text{ is finite and have similar property with } \pi, \text{ so} \\
&\left\| S_{\mu_{n+1}} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_{n+1}}{\sigma_{I'}}\right) - S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_{I'}}\right) \right\|_H^2 \leq (C'_1 + C'_2 \cdot \int |\nabla \log(\sigma_{I'}(x))| \mu_n(x) dx + C'_3 \cdot (\int |\nabla \log(\sigma_{I'}(x))| \mu_n(x) dx)^2) \cdot \\
&\gamma^2 \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n}\right) \right\|_H^2 \\
&\text{Finally,} \\
&\mathbf{E} \left\| S_{\mu_{n+1}} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_{n+1}}{\pi}\right) - S_{\mu_{n+1}} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_{n+1}}{\sigma_{n+1}}\right) \right\|_H^2 \leq (1 - p) \cdot \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\pi}\right) - S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n}\right) \right\|_H^2 + (C_1 + C_2 \cdot \\
&\int |\nabla \log(\pi(x))| \mu_n(x) dx + C_3 \cdot (\int |\nabla \log(\pi(x))| \mu_n(x) dx)^2 + C'_1 + C'_2 \cdot \int |\nabla \log(\sigma_{I'}(x))| \mu_n(x) dx + C'_3 \cdot (\int |\nabla \log(\sigma_{I'}(x))| \mu_n(x) dx)^2) \cdot \\
&\gamma^2 \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n}\right) \right\|_H^2 \\
&\text{So if } \gamma \text{ is small enough, s.t. } \frac{\gamma}{2p} \cdot (C_1 + C_2 \cdot \int |\nabla \log(\pi(x))| \mu_n(x) dx + C_3 \cdot (\int |\nabla \log(\pi(x))| \mu_n(x) dx)^2 + C'_1 + \\
&C'_2 \cdot \int |\nabla \log(\sigma_{I'}(x))| \mu_n(x) dx + C'_3 \cdot (\int |\nabla \log(\sigma_{I'}(x))| \mu_n(x) dx)^2) - (\frac{1}{2\gamma} - \frac{C}{2}) \leq 0, \text{ then} \\
&\mathbf{E}(\Phi_{n+1}) \leq \mathbf{E}(\Phi_n) - \frac{\gamma}{2} \mathbf{E} \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\pi}\right) \right\|_H^2, \\
&\text{where} \\
&\Phi_n := KL(\mu_n | \pi) + \frac{\gamma}{2p} \left\| S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\pi}\right) - S_{\mu_n} \nabla \log\left(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n}\right) \right\|_H^2 \\
&\text{If there exists a constant } a > 0 \text{ and a point } x_0 \text{ such that } \int e^{ad(x_0, x)^2} \pi(dx) < +\infty, \text{ then we have we have} \\
&T_1 \text{ inequality} \\
&W_1(\mu, \pi) \leq C \cdot \sqrt{KL(\mu | \pi)}
\end{aligned}$$

see "optimal transport old and new" page 592.

We assume there exists a constant  $a > 0$  and a point  $x_0$  such that  $\int e^{ad(x_0, x)^2} \pi(dx) < +\infty$ , so the last lemma holds.

if we have  $\Phi_n \leq C$ , then we have  $\int |\nabla \log(\pi(x))| \mu_n(x) dx \leq \tilde{C}$   $KL(\mu_n | \pi) \leq \Phi_n \leq C$ , so  $W_1(\mu_n, \pi) \leq C \cdot \sqrt{KL(\mu_n, \pi)} \leq C_1$ , so by L-smoothness of  $F$ , we have  $\int |\nabla \log(\pi(x))| \mu_n(x) dx \leq C \int |x| \mu_n(x) dx = CW_1(\mu_n, \delta_0) \leq C(W_1(\mu_n, \pi) + W_1(\pi, \delta)) \leq \tilde{C}$

if  $\Phi_n \leq A$ , then we can choose  $\gamma_n \geq \gamma_0$ , where  $\gamma_0$  depend on  $A$  (as you see in proof of the main theorem, it depends on  $\int |\nabla \log(\pi)| \mu_n dx$ , as you see in the last lemma,  $\int |\nabla \log(\pi)| \mu_n dx$  depends on  $\Phi_n$ ), such that  $\Phi_{n+1} \leq A$

(note  $\mu_{n+1} = (I - \gamma_n P_{\mu_n} \nabla \log(\frac{\mu_n}{\sigma_n}))_{\#} \mu_n$ , so you see  $\mu_n$  is independent of  $\gamma_n$ , but depend on  $\gamma_{n-1}$ ). from the last lemma we can choose  $\gamma_n \geq \gamma_0$ , such that  $\Phi_{n+1} \leq \Phi_n - \frac{\gamma_n}{2} I_{stein}^2(\mu_n | \pi)$ , so  $KL(\mu_{n+1} | \pi) \leq \Phi_{n+1} \leq \Phi_n \leq A$

if we set a constant  $A$ , s.t  $\Phi_0 \leq A$ , then we can set  $\gamma_n = \gamma_0$ , for all  $n$ , such that,

$$\Phi_{n+1} \leq \Phi_n - \frac{\gamma_0}{2} I_{Stein}^2(\mu_n|\pi)$$

we can use the last lemma recursively, so finish the proof.