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## 1 Overview

1.1. This appendix provides some omitted details and proofs.

We consider two algorithms: RMSProp and Adam, and two versions of each algorithm (with the numerical stability  $\varepsilon$  parameter inside and outside of the square root in the denominator). This means there are four main theorems: [Theorem 2.4](#), [Theorem 3.4](#), [Theorem 4.4](#) and [Theorem 5.4](#), each residing in the section completely devoted to one algorithm. The simple induction argument taken from ([Ghosh, Lyu, Xitong Zhang, and Wang 2023](#)), essentially the same for each of these theorems, is based on an auxiliary result whose corresponding versions are [Theorem 2.3](#), [Theorem 3.3](#), [Theorem 4.3](#) and [Theorem 5.3](#). The proof of this result is also elementary but long, and it is done by a series of lemmas in [Section 6](#) and [Section 7](#), culminating in [Section 7.4](#). Out of these four, we only prove [Theorem 2.3](#) since the other three results are proven in the same way with obvious changes.

[Section 8](#) contains some details about the numerical experiments.

**1.2 Notation.** We denote the loss of the  $k$ th minibatch as a function of the network parameters  $\boldsymbol{\theta} \in \mathbb{R}^p$  by  $E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})$ , and in the full-batch setting we omit the index and write  $E(\boldsymbol{\theta})$ . As usual,  $\nabla E$  means the gradient of  $E$ , and nabla with indices means partial derivatives, e. g.  $\nabla_{ijs}E$  is a shortcut for  $\frac{\partial^3 E}{\partial \theta_i \partial \theta_j \partial \theta_s}$ .

The letter  $T > 0$  will always denote a finite time horizon of the ODEs,  $h$  will always denote the training step size, and we will replace  $nh$  with  $t_n$  when convenient, where  $n \in \{0, 1, \dots\}$  is the step number. We will use the same notation for the iteration of the discrete algorithm  $\{\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)}\}_{k \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}}$ , the piecewise ODE solution  $\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)$  and some auxiliary terms for each of the four algorithms: see [Definition 2.1](#), [Definition 3.1](#), [Definition 4.1](#), [Definition 5.1](#). This way, we avoid cluttering the notation significantly. We are careful to reference the relevant definition in all theorem statements.

## 2 RMSProp with $\varepsilon$ outside the square root

**Definition 2.1.** In this section, for some  $\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(0)} \in \mathbb{R}^p$ ,  $\nu^{(0)} = \mathbf{0} \in \mathbb{R}^p$ ,  $\rho \in (0, 1)$ , let the sequence of  $p$ -vectors  $\{\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)}\}_{k \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}}$  be defined for  $n \geq 0$  by

$$\begin{aligned} \nu_j^{(n+1)} &= \rho \nu_j^{(n)} + (1 - \rho) \left( \nabla_j E_n(\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(n)}) \right)^2, \\ \theta_j^{(n+1)} &= \theta_j^{(n)} - \frac{h}{\sqrt{\nu_j^{(n+1)}} + \varepsilon} \nabla_j E_n(\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(n)}). \end{aligned} \quad (2.1) \quad \text{\texttt{(eq:rmsprop-iteration)}}$$

Let  $\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)$  be defined as a continuous solution to the piecewise ODE

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{\tilde{\theta}}_j(t) &= - \frac{\nabla_j E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))}{R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)) + \varepsilon} \\ &+ h \left( \frac{\nabla_j E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)) \left( 2P_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)) + \bar{P}_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)) \right)}{2 \left( R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)) + \varepsilon \right)^2 R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))} - \frac{\sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)) \frac{\nabla_i E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))}{R_i^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)) + \varepsilon}}{2 \left( R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)) + \varepsilon \right)} \right) \end{aligned} \quad (2.2) \quad \text{\texttt{(eq: nth-step-modified-equation)}}$$

with the initial condition  $\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(0) = \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(0)}$ , where  $\mathbf{R}^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})$ ,  $\mathbf{P}^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})$  and  $\bar{\mathbf{P}}^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})$  are  $p$ -dimensional functions with components

$$\begin{aligned} R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &:= \sqrt{\sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1 - \rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \right)^2}, \\ P_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &:= \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1 - \rho) \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E_l(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_i^{(l)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon}, \\ \bar{P}_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &:= \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1 - \rho) \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \frac{\nabla_i E_n(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_i^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon}. \end{aligned}$$

**Assumption 2.2.**

1. For some positive constants  $M_1, M_2, M_3, M_4$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_i \sup_k \sup_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} |\nabla_i E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})| &\leq M_1, \\ \sup_{i,j} \sup_k \sup_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} |\nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})| &\leq M_2, \\ \sup_{i,j,s} \sup_k \sup_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} |\nabla_{ijs} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})| &\leq M_3, \\ \sup_{i,j,s,r} \sup_k \sup_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} |\nabla_{ijsr} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})| &\leq M_4. \end{aligned}$$

2. For some  $R > 0$  we have for all  $n \in \{0, 1, \dots, \lfloor T/h \rfloor\}$

$$R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) \geq R, \quad \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1 - \rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right) \right)^2 \geq R^2,$$

where  $\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)$  is defined in [Definition 2.1](#).

**Theorem 2.3** (RMSProp with  $\varepsilon$  outside: local error bound). *Suppose [Assumption 2.2](#) holds. Then for all  $n \in \{0, 1, \dots, \lfloor T/h \rfloor\}$*

$$\left| \tilde{\theta}_j(t_{n+1}) - \tilde{\theta}_j(t_n) + h \frac{\nabla_j E_n \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)}{\sqrt{\sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1 - \rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right) \right)^2 + \varepsilon}} \right| \leq C_1 h^3$$

for a positive constant  $C_1$  depending on  $\rho$ .

The proof of [Theorem 2.3](#) is conceptually simple but very technical, and we delay it until [Section 7](#). For now assuming it as given and combining it with a simple induction argument gives a global error bound which follows.

**Theorem 2.4** (RMSProp with  $\varepsilon$  outside: global error bound). *Suppose [Assumption 2.2](#) holds, and*

$$\sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1 - \rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k \left( \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)} \right) \right)^2 \geq R^2$$

for  $\{\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)}\}_{k \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}}$  defined in [Definition 2.1](#). Then there exist positive constants  $d_1, d_2, d_3$  such that for all  $n \in \{0, 1, \dots, \lfloor T/h \rfloor\}$

$$\|\mathbf{e}_n\| \leq d_1 e^{d_2 n h} h^2 \quad \text{and} \quad \|\mathbf{e}_{n+1} - \mathbf{e}_n\| \leq d_3 e^{d_2 n h} h^3,$$

where  $\mathbf{e}_n := \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) - \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(n)}$ . The constants can be defined as

$$\begin{aligned} d_1 &:= C_1, \\ d_2 &:= \left[ 1 + \frac{M_2 \sqrt{p}}{R + \varepsilon} \left( \frac{M_1^2}{R(R + \varepsilon)} + 1 \right) d_1 \right] \sqrt{p}, \\ d_3 &:= C_1 d_2. \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* We will show this by induction over  $n$ , the same way an analogous bound is shown in ([Ghosh, Lyu, Xitong Zhang, and Wang 2023](#)).

The base case is  $n = 0$ . Indeed,  $\mathbf{e}_0 = \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(0) - \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(0)} = \mathbf{0}$ . Then the  $j$ th component of  $\mathbf{e}_1 - \mathbf{e}_0$  is

$$\begin{aligned} [\mathbf{e}_1 - \mathbf{e}_0]_j &= [\mathbf{e}_1]_j = \tilde{\theta}_j(t_1) - \theta_j^{(0)} + \frac{h \nabla_j E_0 \left( \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(0)} \right)}{\sqrt{(1 - \rho) \left( \nabla_j E_0 \left( \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(0)} \right) \right)^2 + \varepsilon}} \\ &= \tilde{\theta}_j(t_1) - \tilde{\theta}_j(t_0) + \frac{h \nabla_j E_0 \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_0) \right)}{\sqrt{(1 - \rho) \left( \nabla_j E_0 \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_0) \right) \right)^2 + \varepsilon}}. \end{aligned}$$

By [Theorem 2.3](#), the absolute value of the right-hand side does not exceed  $C_1 h^3$ , which means  $\|\mathbf{e}_1 - \mathbf{e}_0\| \leq C_1 h^3 \sqrt{p}$ . Since  $C_1 \sqrt{p} \leq d_3$ , the base case is proven.

Now suppose that for all  $k = 0, 1, \dots, n - 1$  the claim

$$\|\mathbf{e}_k\| \leq d_1 e^{d_2 k h} h^2 \quad \text{and} \quad \|\mathbf{e}_{k+1} - \mathbf{e}_k\| \leq d_3 e^{d_2 k h} h^3$$

is proven. Then

$$\begin{aligned}
\|\mathbf{e}_n\| &\stackrel{(a)}{\leq} \|\mathbf{e}_{n-1}\| + \|\mathbf{e}_n - \mathbf{e}_{n-1}\| \leq d_1 e^{d_2(n-1)h} h^2 + d_3 e^{d_2(n-1)h} h^3 \\
&= d_1 e^{d_2(n-1)h} h^2 \left(1 + \frac{d_3}{d_1} h\right) \stackrel{(b)}{\leq} d_1 e^{d_2(n-1)h} h^2 (1 + d_2 h) \\
&\stackrel{(c)}{\leq} d_1 e^{d_2(n-1)h} h^2 \cdot e^{d_2 h} = d_1 e^{d_2 n h} h^2,
\end{aligned}$$

where (a) is by the triangle inequality, (b) is by  $d_3/d_1 \leq d_2$ , in (c) we used  $1 + x \leq e^x$  for all  $x \geq 0$ .

Next, combining Theorem 2.3 with (2.1), we have

$$\left| [\mathbf{e}_{n+1} - \mathbf{e}_n]_j \right| \leq C_1 h^3 + h \left| \frac{\nabla_j E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))}{\sqrt{A} + \varepsilon} - \frac{\nabla_j E_n(\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(n)})}{\sqrt{B} + \varepsilon} \right|, \quad (2.3)$$

where to simplify notation we put

$$\begin{aligned}
A &:= \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1 - \rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k)) \right)^2, \\
B &:= \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1 - \rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)}) \right)^2.
\end{aligned}$$

Using  $A \geq R^2$ ,  $B \geq R^2$ , we have

$$\left| \frac{1}{\sqrt{A} + \varepsilon} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{B} + \varepsilon} \right| = \frac{|A - B|}{(\sqrt{A} + \varepsilon)(\sqrt{B} + \varepsilon)(\sqrt{A} + \sqrt{B})} \leq \frac{|A - B|}{2R(R + \varepsilon)^2}. \quad (2.4)$$

But since

$$\begin{aligned}
&\left| \left( \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k)) \right)^2 - \left( \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)}) \right)^2 \right| \\
&= \left| \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k)) - \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)}) \right| \cdot \left| \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k)) + \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)}) \right| \\
&\leq 2M_1 \left| \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k)) - \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)}) \right| \leq 2M_1 M_2 \sqrt{p} \left\| \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) - \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)} \right\|,
\end{aligned}$$

we have

$$|A - B| \leq 2M_1 M_2 \sqrt{p} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1 - \rho) \left\| \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) - \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)} \right\|. \quad (2.5)$$

Combining (2.4) and (2.5), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
&\left| \frac{\nabla_j E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))}{\sqrt{A} + \varepsilon} - \frac{\nabla_j E_n(\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(n)})}{\sqrt{B} + \varepsilon} \right| \\
&\leq \left| \nabla_j E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) \right| \cdot \left| \frac{1}{\sqrt{A} + \varepsilon} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{B} + \varepsilon} \right| + \frac{\left| \nabla_j E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) - \nabla_j E_n(\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(n)}) \right|}{\sqrt{B} + \varepsilon} \\
&\leq M_1 \cdot \frac{2M_1 M_2 \sqrt{p} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1 - \rho) \left\| \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) - \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)} \right\|}{2R(R + \varepsilon)^2} + \frac{M_2 \sqrt{p} \left\| \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) - \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(n)} \right\|}{R + \varepsilon} \\
&= \frac{M_1^2 M_2 \sqrt{p}}{R(R + \varepsilon)^2} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1 - \rho) \left\| \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) - \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)} \right\| + \frac{M_2 \sqrt{p}}{R + \varepsilon} \left\| \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) - \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(n)} \right\|
\end{aligned}$$

$$\stackrel{(a)}{\leq} \frac{M_1^2 M_2 \sqrt{p}}{R(R+\varepsilon)^2} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) d_1 e^{d_2 k h} h^2 + \frac{M_2 \sqrt{p}}{R+\varepsilon} d_1 e^{d_2 n h} h^2, \quad (2.6) \quad \{\text{(eq:global-big-frac-dif-stop-point)}\}$$

where in (a) we used the induction hypothesis and that the bound on  $\|\mathbf{e}_n\|$  is already proven.

Now note that since  $0 < \rho e^{-d_2 h} \leq \rho$ , we have  $\sum_{k=0}^n (\rho e^{-d_2 h})^k \leq \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \rho^k = \frac{1}{1-\rho}$ , which is rewritten as

$$\sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) e^{d_2 k h} \leq e^{d_2 n h}.$$

Then we can continue (2.6):

$$\left| \frac{\nabla_j E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))}{\sqrt{A} + \varepsilon} - \frac{\nabla_j E_n(\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(n)})}{\sqrt{B} + \varepsilon} \right| \leq \frac{M_2 \sqrt{p}}{R+\varepsilon} \left( \frac{M_1^2}{R(R+\varepsilon)} + 1 \right) d_1 e^{d_2 n h} h^2 \quad (2.7) \quad \{\text{(eq:global-big-frac-dif-final-bound)}\}$$

Again using  $1 \leq e^{d_2 n h}$ , we conclude from (2.3) and (2.7) that

$$\|\mathbf{e}_{n+1} - \mathbf{e}_n\| \leq \underbrace{\left( C_1 + \frac{M_2 \sqrt{p}}{R+\varepsilon} \left( \frac{M_1^2}{R(R+\varepsilon)} + 1 \right) d_1 \right)}_{\leq d_3} \sqrt{p} e^{d_2 n h} h^3,$$

finishing the induction step.  $\square$

**2.5 RMSProp with  $\varepsilon$  outside: full-batch.** In the full-batch setting  $E_k \equiv E$ , the terms in (2.2) simplify to

$$\begin{aligned} R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &= |\nabla_j E(\boldsymbol{\theta})| \sqrt{1 - \rho^{n+1}}, \\ P_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &= \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \nabla_j E(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{|\nabla_i E(\boldsymbol{\theta})| \sqrt{1 - \rho^{l+1}} + \varepsilon}, \\ \bar{P}_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &= (1 - \rho^{n+1}) \nabla_j E(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \frac{\nabla_i E(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{|\nabla_i E(\boldsymbol{\theta})| \sqrt{1 - \rho^{n+1}} + \varepsilon}. \end{aligned}$$

If  $\varepsilon$  is small and the iteration number  $n$  is large, (2.2) simplifies to

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}}_j(t) &= -\text{sign} \nabla_j E(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)) + h \frac{\rho}{1-\rho} \cdot \frac{\sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)) \text{sign} \nabla_i E(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))}{|\nabla_j E(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))|} \\ &= \left| \nabla_j E(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)) \right|^{-1} \left[ -\nabla_j E(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)) + h \frac{\rho}{1-\rho} \nabla_j \left\| \nabla E(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)) \right\|_1 \right]. \end{aligned}$$

### 3 RMSProp with $\varepsilon$ inside the square root

**Definition 3.1.** In this section, for some  $\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(0)} \in \mathbb{R}^p$ ,  $\nu^{(0)} = \mathbf{0} \in \mathbb{R}^p$ ,  $\rho \in (0, 1)$ , let the sequence of  $p$ -vectors  $\{\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)}\}_{k \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}}$  be defined for  $n \geq 0$  by

$$\begin{aligned} \nu_j^{(n+1)} &= \rho \nu_j^{(n)} + (1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_n(\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(n)}) \right)^2, \\ \theta_j^{(n+1)} &= \theta_j^{(n)} - \frac{h}{\sqrt{\nu_j^{(n+1)} + \varepsilon}} \nabla_j E_n(\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(n)}). \end{aligned} \quad (3.1) \quad \{\text{(eq:mod-rmsprop-iteration)}\}$$

Let  $\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)$  be defined as a continuous solution to the piecewise ODE

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{\tilde{\theta}}_j(t) = & -\frac{\nabla_j E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))}{R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))} \\ & + h \left( \frac{\nabla_j E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)) \left( 2P_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)) + \bar{P}_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)) \right)}{2R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))^3} - \frac{\sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)) \frac{\nabla_i E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))}{R_i^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))}}{2R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))} \right). \end{aligned} \quad (3.2) \quad \{\text{(eq:mod-nth-step-modified-equation)}\}$$

with the initial condition  $\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(0) = \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(0)}$ , where  $\mathbf{R}^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})$ ,  $\mathbf{P}^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})$  and  $\bar{\mathbf{P}}^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})$  are  $p$ -dimensional functions with components

$$\begin{aligned} R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &:= \sqrt{\sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k}(1-\rho) (\nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}))^2 + \varepsilon}, \\ P_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &:= \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k}(1-\rho) \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E_l(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_i^{(l)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}, \\ \bar{P}_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &:= \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k}(1-\rho) \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \frac{\nabla_i E_n(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_i^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}. \end{aligned} \quad (3.3) \quad \{\text{(eq:r-p-modified-rmsprop)}\}$$

**Assumption 3.2.** For some positive constants  $M_1, M_2, M_3, M_4$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_i \sup_k \sup_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} |\nabla_i E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})| &\leq M_1, \\ \sup_{i,j} \sup_k \sup_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} |\nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})| &\leq M_2, \\ \sup_{i,j,s} \sup_k \sup_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} |\nabla_{ijs} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})| &\leq M_3, \\ \sup_{i,j,s,r} \sup_k \sup_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} |\nabla_{ijsr} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})| &\leq M_4. \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 3.3** (RMSProp with  $\varepsilon$  inside: local error bound). *Suppose [Assumption 3.2](#) holds. Then for all  $n \in \{0, 1, \dots, \lfloor T/h \rfloor\}$*

$$\left| \tilde{\theta}_j(t_{n+1}) - \tilde{\theta}_j(t_n) + h \frac{\nabla_j E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))}{\sqrt{\sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k}(1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k)) \right)^2 + \varepsilon}} \right| \leq C_2 h^3$$

for a positive constant  $C_2$  depending on  $\rho$ , where  $\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)$  is defined in [Definition 3.1](#).

We omit the proof since it is essentially the same argument as for [Theorem 2.3](#).

**Theorem 3.4** (RMSProp with  $\varepsilon$  inside: global error bound). *Suppose [Assumption 3.2](#) holds. Then there exist positive constants  $d_4, d_5, d_6$  such that for all  $n \in \{0, 1, \dots, \lfloor T/h \rfloor\}$*

$$\|\mathbf{e}_n\| \leq d_4 e^{d_5 n h} h^2 \quad \text{and} \quad \|\mathbf{e}_{n+1} - \mathbf{e}_n\| \leq d_6 e^{d_5 n h} h^3,$$

where  $\mathbf{e}_n := \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) - \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(n)}$ ;  $\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)$  and  $\{\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)}\}_{k \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}}$  are defined in [Definition 3.1](#). The constants can be defined as

$$\begin{aligned} d_4 &:= C_2, \\ d_5 &:= \left[ 1 + \frac{M_2 \sqrt{p}}{\sqrt{\varepsilon}} \left( \frac{M_1^2}{\varepsilon} + 1 \right) d_4 \right] \sqrt{p}, \\ d_6 &:= C_2 d_5. \end{aligned}$$

We omit the proof since it is essentially the same argument as for [Theorem 2.4](#).

## 4 Adam with $\varepsilon$ outside the square root

**Definition 4.1.** In this section, for some  $\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(0)} \in \mathbb{R}^p$ ,  $\nu^{(0)} = \mathbf{0} \in \mathbb{R}^p$ ,  $\beta, \rho \in (0, 1)$ , let the sequence of  $p$ -vectors  $\{\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)}\}_{k \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}}$  be defined for  $n \geq 0$  by

$$\begin{aligned}\nu_j^{(n+1)} &= \rho \nu_j^{(n)} + (1 - \rho) \left( \nabla_j E_n \left( \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(n)} \right) \right)^2, \\ m_j^{(n+1)} &= \beta m_j^{(n)} + (1 - \beta) \nabla_j E_n \left( \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(n)} \right), \\ \theta_j^{(n+1)} &= \theta_j^{(n)} - h \frac{m_j^{(n+1)} / (1 - \beta^{n+1})}{\sqrt{\nu_j^{(n+1)} / (1 - \rho^{n+1})} + \varepsilon}\end{aligned}$$

or, rewriting,

$$\theta_j^{(n+1)} = \theta_j^{(n)} - h \frac{\frac{1}{1-\beta^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \beta^{n-k} (1 - \beta) \nabla_j E_k \left( \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)} \right)}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{1-\rho^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1 - \rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k \left( \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)} \right) \right)^2} + \varepsilon}. \quad (4.1) \quad \text{\texttt{\{eq:adam-iteration\}}}$$

Let  $\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)$  be defined as a continuous solution to the piecewise ODE

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{\tilde{\theta}}_j(t) &= - \frac{M_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t) \right)}{R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t) \right) + \varepsilon} \\ &+ h \left( \frac{M_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t) \right) \left( 2P_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t) \right) + \bar{P}_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t) \right) \right)}{2 \left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t) \right) + \varepsilon \right)^2 R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t) \right)} - \frac{2L_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t) \right) + \bar{L}_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t) \right)}{2 \left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t) \right) + \varepsilon \right)} \right).\end{aligned} \quad (4.2) \quad \text{\texttt{\{eq:adam-nth-step-modified-equation\}}}$$

with the initial condition  $\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(0) = \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(0)}$ , where  $\mathbf{R}^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})$ ,  $\mathbf{P}^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})$ ,  $\bar{\mathbf{P}}^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})$ ,  $\mathbf{M}^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})$ ,  $\mathbf{L}^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})$ ,  $\bar{\mathbf{L}}^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})$  are  $p$ -dimensional functions with components

$$\begin{aligned}R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &:= \sqrt{\sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1 - \rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \right)^2 / (1 - \rho^{n+1})}, \\ M_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &:= \frac{1}{1 - \beta^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \beta^{n-k} (1 - \beta) \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}), \\ L_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &:= \frac{1}{1 - \beta^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \beta^{n-k} (1 - \beta) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{M_i^{(l)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_i^{(l)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon}, \\ \bar{L}_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &:= \frac{1}{1 - \beta^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \beta^{n-k} (1 - \beta) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \frac{M_i^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_i^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon}, \\ P_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &:= \frac{1}{1 - \rho^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1 - \rho) \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{M_i^{(l)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_i^{(l)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon}, \\ \bar{P}_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &:= \frac{1}{1 - \rho^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1 - \rho) \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \frac{M_i^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_i^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon}.\end{aligned} \quad (4.3) \quad \text{\texttt{\{eq:r-p-adam\}}}$$

**Assumption 4.2.**

1. For some positive constants  $M_1, M_2, M_3, M_4$  we have

$$\sup_i \sup_k \sup_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} |\nabla_i E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})| \leq M_1,$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\sup_{i,j} \sup_k \sup_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} |\nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})| &\leq M_2, \\
\sup_{i,j,s} \sup_k \sup_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} |\nabla_{ijs} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})| &\leq M_3, \\
\sup_{i,j,s,r} \sup_k \sup_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} |\nabla_{ijsr} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})| &\leq M_4.
\end{aligned}$$

2. For some  $R > 0$  we have for all  $n \in \{0, 1, \dots, \lfloor T/h \rfloor\}$

$$R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) \geq R, \quad \frac{1}{1-\rho^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k)) \right)^2 \geq R^2,$$

where  $\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)$  is defined in [Definition 4.1](#).

**Theorem 4.3** (Adam with  $\varepsilon$  outside: local error bound). *Suppose [Assumption 4.2](#) holds. Then for all  $n \in \{0, 1, \dots, \lfloor T/h \rfloor\}$*

{th:adam-local-error-bound}

$$\left| \tilde{\theta}_j(t_{n+1}) - \tilde{\theta}_j(t_n) + h \frac{\frac{1}{1-\beta^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \beta^{n-k} (1-\beta) \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k))}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{1-\rho^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k)) \right)^2} + \varepsilon} \right| \leq C_3 h^3$$

for a positive constant  $C_3$  depending on  $\beta$  and  $\rho$ .

We omit the proof since it is essentially the same argument as for [Theorem 2.3](#).

**Theorem 4.4** (Adam with  $\varepsilon$  outside: global error bound). *Suppose [Assumption 4.2](#) holds, and*

{th:adam-global-error-bound}

$$\frac{1}{1-\rho^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)}) \right)^2 \geq R^2$$

for  $\{\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)}\}_{k \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}}$  defined in [Definition 4.1](#). Then there exist positive constants  $d_7, d_8, d_9$  such that for all  $n \in \{0, 1, \dots, \lfloor T/h \rfloor\}$

$$\|\mathbf{e}_n\| \leq d_7 e^{d_8 n h} h^2 \quad \text{and} \quad \|\mathbf{e}_{n+1} - \mathbf{e}_n\| \leq d_9 e^{d_8 n h} h^3,$$

where  $\mathbf{e}_n := \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) - \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(n)}$ . The constants<sup>1</sup> can be defined as

$$\begin{aligned}
d_7 &:= C_3, \\
d_8 &:= \left[ 1 + \frac{M_2 \sqrt{p}}{R + \varepsilon} \left( \frac{M_1^2}{R(R + \varepsilon)} + 1 \right) d_7 \right] \sqrt{p}, \\
d_9 &:= C_3 d_8.
\end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* Analogously to [Theorem 2.4](#), we will prove this by induction over  $n$ .

The base case is  $n = 0$ . Indeed,  $\mathbf{e}_0 = \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(0) - \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(0)} = \mathbf{0}$ . Then the  $j$ th component of  $\mathbf{e}_1 - \mathbf{e}_0$  is

$$\begin{aligned}
[\mathbf{e}_1 - \mathbf{e}_0]_j &= [\mathbf{e}_1]_j = \tilde{\theta}_j(t_1) - \theta_j^{(0)} + \frac{h \nabla_j E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(0)})}{\left| \nabla_j E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(0)}) \right| + \varepsilon} \\
&= \tilde{\theta}_j(t_1) - \tilde{\theta}_j(t_0) + \frac{h \nabla_j E_0(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_0))}{\sqrt{\left( \nabla_j E_0(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_0)) \right)^2} + \varepsilon}.
\end{aligned}$$

<sup>1</sup>Maybe number d's consecutively



By [Theorem 4.3](#), the absolute value of the right-hand side does not exceed  $C_3 h^3$ , which means  $\|\mathbf{e}_1 - \mathbf{e}_0\| \leq C_3 h^3 \sqrt{p}$ . Since  $C_3 \sqrt{p} \leq d_9$ , the base case is proven.

Now suppose that for all  $k = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$  the claim

$$\|\mathbf{e}_k\| \leq d_7 e^{d_8 k h} h^2 \quad \text{and} \quad \|\mathbf{e}_{k+1} - \mathbf{e}_k\| \leq d_9 e^{d_8 k h} h^3$$

is proven. Then

$$\begin{aligned} \|\mathbf{e}_n\| &\stackrel{(a)}{\leq} \|\mathbf{e}_{n-1}\| + \|\mathbf{e}_n - \mathbf{e}_{n-1}\| \leq d_7 e^{d_8(n-1)h} h^2 + d_9 e^{d_8(n-1)h} h^3 \\ &= d_7 e^{d_8(n-1)h} h^2 \left(1 + \frac{d_9}{d_7} h\right) \stackrel{(b)}{\leq} d_7 e^{d_8(n-1)h} h^2 (1 + d_8 h) \\ &\stackrel{(c)}{\leq} d_7 e^{d_8(n-1)h} h^2 \cdot e^{d_8 h} = d_7 e^{d_8 n h} h^2, \end{aligned}$$

where (a) is by the triangle inequality, (b) is by  $d_9/d_7 \leq d_8$ , in (c) we used  $1 + x \leq e^x$  for all  $x \geq 0$ .

Next, combining [Theorem 4.3](#) with (4.1), we have

$$\left| [\mathbf{e}_{n+1} - \mathbf{e}_n]_j \right| \leq C_3 h^3 + h \left| \frac{N'}{\sqrt{D'} + \varepsilon} - \frac{N''}{\sqrt{D''} + \varepsilon} \right|, \quad (4.4) \quad \{\text{(eq:adan-global-start-bounding-e-n-p1}}\}$$

where to simplify notation we put

$$\begin{aligned} N' &:= \frac{1}{1 - \beta^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \beta^{n-k} (1 - \beta) \nabla_j E_k \left( \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)} \right), \\ N'' &:= \frac{1}{1 - \beta^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \beta^{n-k} (1 - \beta) \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right), \\ D' &:= \frac{1}{1 - \rho^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1 - \rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k \left( \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)} \right) \right)^2, \\ D'' &:= \frac{1}{1 - \rho^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1 - \rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right) \right)^2. \end{aligned}$$

Using  $D' \geq R^2$ ,  $D'' \geq R^2$ , we have

$$\left| \frac{1}{\sqrt{D'} + \varepsilon} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{D''} + \varepsilon} \right| = \frac{|D' - D''|}{(\sqrt{D'} + \varepsilon)(\sqrt{D''} + \varepsilon)(\sqrt{D'} + \sqrt{D''})} \leq \frac{|D' - D''|}{2R(R + \varepsilon)^2}. \quad (4.5) \quad \{\text{(eq:adan-global-diff-of-frac-bound}}\}$$

But since

$$\begin{aligned} &\left| \left( \nabla_j E_k \left( \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)} \right) \right)^2 - \left( \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right) \right)^2 \right| \\ &= \left| \nabla_j E_k \left( \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)} \right) - \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right) \right| \cdot \left| \nabla_j E_k \left( \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)} \right) + \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right) \right| \\ &\leq 2M_1 \left| \nabla_j E_k \left( \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)} \right) - \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right) \right| \leq 2M_1 M_2 \sqrt{p} \left\| \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)} - \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right\|, \end{aligned}$$

we have

$$|D' - D''| \leq \frac{2M_1 M_2 \sqrt{p}}{1 - \rho^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1 - \rho) \left\| \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)} - \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right\|. \quad (4.6) \quad \{\text{(eq:adan-d-diff-bound}}\}$$

Similarly,

$$\begin{aligned} |N' - N''| &\leq \frac{1}{1 - \beta^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \beta^{n-k} (1 - \beta) \left| \nabla_j E_k \left( \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)} \right) - \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right) \right| \\ &\leq \frac{1}{1 - \beta^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \beta^{n-k} (1 - \beta) M_2 \sqrt{p} \left\| \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)} - \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right\|. \end{aligned} \quad (4.7) \quad \{\text{(eq:adan-n-diff-bound}}\}$$

Combining (4.5), (4.6) and (4.7), we get

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left| \frac{N'}{\sqrt{D'} + \varepsilon} - \frac{N''}{\sqrt{D''} + \varepsilon} \right| \leq |N'| \cdot \left| \frac{1}{\sqrt{D'} + \varepsilon} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{D''} + \varepsilon} \right| + \frac{|N' - N''|}{\sqrt{D''} + \varepsilon} \\
& \leq \frac{1}{1 - \beta^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \beta^{n-k} (1 - \beta) M_1 \cdot \frac{2M_1 M_2 \sqrt{p}}{2R(R + \varepsilon)^2 (1 - \rho^{n+1})} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1 - \rho) \left\| \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)} - \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right\| \\
& \quad + \frac{M_2 \sqrt{p}}{(R + \varepsilon) (1 - \beta^{n+1})} \sum_{k=0}^n \beta^{n-k} (1 - \beta) \left\| \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)} - \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right\| \\
& = \frac{M_1^2 M_2 \sqrt{p}}{R(R + \varepsilon)^2 (1 - \rho^{n+1})} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1 - \rho) \left\| \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)} - \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right\| \\
& \quad + \frac{M_2 \sqrt{p}}{(R + \varepsilon) (1 - \beta^{n+1})} \sum_{k=0}^n \beta^{n-k} (1 - \beta) \left\| \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)} - \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right\| \\
& \stackrel{(a)}{\leq} \frac{M_1^2 M_2 \sqrt{p}}{R(R + \varepsilon)^2 (1 - \rho^{n+1})} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1 - \rho) d_7 e^{d_8 k h} h^2 \\
& \quad + \frac{M_2 \sqrt{p}}{(R + \varepsilon) (1 - \beta^{n+1})} \sum_{k=0}^n \beta^{n-k} (1 - \beta) d_7 e^{d_8 k h} h^2, \tag{4.8}
\end{aligned}$$

where in (a) we used the induction hypothesis and that the bound on  $\|\mathbf{e}_n\|$  is already proven.

Now note that since  $0 < \rho e^{-d_8 h} < \rho$ , we have  $\sum_{k=0}^n (\rho e^{-d_8 h})^k \leq \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^k = (1 - \rho^{n+1}) / (1 - \rho)$ , which is rewritten as

$$\frac{1}{1 - \rho^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1 - \rho) e^{d_8 k h} \leq e^{d_8 n h}.$$

By the same logic,

$$\frac{1}{1 - \beta^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \beta^{n-k} (1 - \beta) e^{d_8 k h} \leq e^{d_8 n h}.$$

Then we can continue (4.8):

$$\left| \frac{N'}{\sqrt{D'} + \varepsilon} - \frac{N''}{\sqrt{D''} + \varepsilon} \right| \leq \frac{M_2 \sqrt{p}}{R + \varepsilon} \left( \frac{M_1^2}{R(R + \varepsilon)} + 1 \right) d_7 e^{d_8 n h} h^2 \tag{4.9}$$

Again using  $1 \leq e^{d_8 n h}$ , we conclude from (4.4) and (4.9) that

$$\|\mathbf{e}_{n+1} - \mathbf{e}_n\| \leq \underbrace{\left( C_3 + \frac{M_2 \sqrt{p}}{R + \varepsilon} \left( \frac{M_1^2}{R(R + \varepsilon)} + 1 \right) d_7 \right)}_{\leq d_9} \sqrt{p} e^{d_8 n h} h^3,$$

finishing the induction step.  $\square$

## 5 Adam with $\varepsilon$ inside the square root

**Definition 5.1.** In this section, for some  $\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(0)} \in \mathbb{R}^p$ ,  $\nu^{(0)} = \mathbf{0} \in \mathbb{R}^p$ ,  $\beta, \rho \in (0, 1)$ , let the sequence of  $p$ -vectors  $\{\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)}\}_{k \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}}$  be defined for  $n \geq 0$  by

$$\begin{aligned}
\nu_j^{(n+1)} &= \rho \nu_j^{(n)} + (1 - \rho) \left( \nabla_j E_n \left( \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(n)} \right) \right)^2, \\
m_j^{(n+1)} &= \beta m_j^{(n)} + (1 - \beta) \nabla_j E_n \left( \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(n)} \right), \\
\theta_j^{(n+1)} &= \theta_j^{(n)} - h \frac{m_j^{(n+1)} / (1 - \beta^{n+1})}{\sqrt{\nu_j^{(n+1)} / (1 - \rho^{n+1}) + \varepsilon}}.
\end{aligned} \tag{5.1}$$

Let  $\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)$  be defined as a continuous solution to the piecewise ODE

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{\tilde{\theta}}_j(t) = & -\frac{M_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))}{R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))} \\ & + h \left( \frac{M_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)) \left( 2P_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)) + \bar{P}_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)) \right)}{2R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))^3} - \frac{2L_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)) + \bar{L}_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))}{2R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))} \right). \end{aligned} \quad (5.2)$$

with the initial condition  $\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(0) = \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(0)}$ , where  $\mathbf{R}^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})$ ,  $\mathbf{P}^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})$ ,  $\bar{\mathbf{P}}^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})$ ,  $\mathbf{M}^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})$ ,  $\mathbf{L}^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})$ ,  $\bar{\mathbf{L}}^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})$  are  $p$ -dimensional functions with components

$$\begin{aligned} R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &:= \sqrt{\sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) (\nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}))^2 / (1-\rho^{n+1}) + \varepsilon}, \\ M_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &:= \frac{1}{1-\beta^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \beta^{n-k} (1-\beta) \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}), \\ L_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &:= \frac{1}{1-\beta^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \beta^{n-k} (1-\beta) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{M_i^{(l)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_i^{(l)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}, \\ \bar{L}_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &:= \frac{1}{1-\beta^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \beta^{n-k} (1-\beta) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \frac{M_i^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_i^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}, \\ P_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &:= \frac{1}{1-\rho^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{M_i^{(l)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_i^{(l)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}, \\ \bar{P}_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &:= \frac{1}{1-\rho^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \frac{M_i^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_i^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}. \end{aligned} \quad (5.3)$$

**Assumption 5.2.** For some positive constants  $M_1, M_2, M_3, M_4$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_i \sup_k \sup_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} |\nabla_i E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})| &\leq M_1, \\ \sup_{i,j} \sup_k \sup_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} |\nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})| &\leq M_2, \\ \sup_{i,j,s} \sup_k \sup_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} |\nabla_{ijs} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})| &\leq M_3, \\ \sup_{i,j,s,r} \sup_k \sup_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} |\nabla_{ij sr} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})| &\leq M_4. \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 5.3** (Adam with  $\varepsilon$  inside: local error bound). Suppose [Assumption 5.2](#) holds. Then for all  $n \in \{0, 1, \dots, \lfloor T/h \rfloor\}$

$$\left| \tilde{\theta}_j(t_{n+1}) - \tilde{\theta}_j(t_n) + h \frac{\frac{1}{1-\beta^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \beta^{n-k} (1-\beta) \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k))}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{1-\rho^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) (\nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k)))^2 + \varepsilon}} \right| \leq C_4 h^3$$

for a positive constant  $C_4$  depending on  $\beta$  and  $\rho$ .

We omit the proof since it is essentially the same argument as for [Theorem 2.3](#).

**Theorem 5.4** (Adam with  $\varepsilon$  inside: global error bound). Suppose [Assumption 5.2](#) holds for  $\{\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)}\}_{k \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}}$  defined in [Definition 5.1](#). Then there exist positive constants  $d_{10}, d_{11}, d_{12}$  such that for all  $n \in \{0, 1, \dots, \lfloor T/h \rfloor\}$

$$\|\mathbf{e}_n\| \leq d_{10} e^{d_{11} n h} h^2 \quad \text{and} \quad \|\mathbf{e}_{n+1} - \mathbf{e}_n\| \leq d_{12} e^{d_{11} n h} h^3,$$

where  $\mathbf{e}_n := \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) - \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(n)}$ . The constants can be defined as

$$\begin{aligned} d_{10} &:= C_4, \\ d_{11} &:= \left[ 1 + \frac{M_2 \sqrt{p}}{\sqrt{\varepsilon}} \left( \frac{M_1^2}{\varepsilon} + 1 \right) d_{10} \right] \sqrt{p}, \\ d_{12} &:= C_4 d_{11}. \end{aligned}$$

## 6 Technical bounding lemmas

We will need the following lemmas to prove [Theorem 2.3](#). {sec:technical-bounding-lemmas}

**Lemma 6.1.** Suppose [Assumption 2.2](#) holds. Then

$$\sup_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} \left| P_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \right| \leq C_5, \quad (6.1) \quad \{\text{eq:p-bound}\}$$

$$\sup_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} \left| \bar{P}_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \right| \leq C_6, \quad (6.2) \quad \{\text{eq:p-bar-bound}\}$$

with constants  $C_5, C_6$  defined as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} C_5 &:= p \frac{M_1^2 M_2}{R + \varepsilon} \cdot \frac{\rho}{1 - \rho}, \\ C_6 &:= p \frac{M_1^2 M_2}{R + \varepsilon}. \end{aligned}$$

*Proof of (6.1).* This bound is straightforward:

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} \left| P_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \right| &= \sup_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} \left| \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1 - \rho) \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E_l(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_i^{(l)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon} \right| \\ &\leq p \frac{M_1^2 M_2}{R + \varepsilon} (1 - \rho) \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (n - k) \leq p \frac{M_1^2 M_2}{R + \varepsilon} (1 - \rho) \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \rho^k k = C_5. \end{aligned} \quad \square$$

*Proof of (6.2).* This bound is straightforward:

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} \left| \bar{P}_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \right| &= \sup_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} \left| \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1 - \rho) \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \frac{\nabla_i E_n(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_i^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon} \right| \\ &\leq p \frac{M_1^2 M_2}{R + \varepsilon} (1 - \rho) \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} \leq p \frac{M_1^2 M_2}{R + \varepsilon} = C_6. \end{aligned} \quad \square$$

**Lemma 6.2.** Suppose [Assumption 2.2](#) holds. Then the first derivative of  $t \mapsto \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_j(t)$  is uniformly over  $j$  and  $t \in [0, T]$  bounded in absolute value by some positive constant, say  $D_1$ .

*Proof.* This follows immediately from  $h \leq T$ , (6.1), (6.2) and the definition of  $\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)$  given in (2.2). □

**Lemma 6.3.** Suppose [Assumption 2.2](#) holds. Then {lem:first-derivatives}

$$\sup_{t \in [0, T]} \sup_j \left| \left( \nabla_j E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)) \right) \right| \leq C_7, \quad (6.3) \quad \{\text{eq:e-first-der-bound}\}$$

$$\sup_{n, k} \sup_{t \in [t_n, t_{n+1}]} \left| \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)) \left[ \dot{\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}}_i(t) + \frac{\nabla_i E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))}{R_i^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)) + \varepsilon} \right] \right| \leq C_8 h, \quad (6.4) \quad \{\text{eq:sol-der-first-order}\}$$

$$\sup_{k \leq n} \sup_{t \in [0, T]} \left| \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon} \right| \leq (n-k) C_9, \quad (6.5) \quad \{\text{eq:second-first-grad-over-r-partial-}\}$$

$$\left| \left( P_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \right) \right| \leq C_{10} + C_{14}, \quad (6.6) \quad \{\text{eq:der-p-bound}\}$$

$$\left| \left( \bar{P}_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \right) \right| \leq C_{15}, \quad (6.7) \quad \{\text{eq:der-p-bar-bound}\}$$

$$\left| \left( \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \frac{\nabla_i E_n \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)}{R_i^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon} \right) \right| \leq C_{13}, \quad (6.8) \quad \{\text{eq:nabla-two-nabla-one-over-r-eps}\}$$

$$\left| \left( \frac{\nabla_j E_n \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \left( 2 P_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \bar{P}_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \right)}{2 \left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon \right)^2 R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)} \right) \right| \leq C_{17}, \quad (6.9) \quad \{\text{eq:der-huge-func-first-term-bound}\}$$

$$\left| \left( \frac{\sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_n \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \frac{\nabla_i E_n \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)}{R_i^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon}}{2 \left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon \right)} \right) \right| \leq C_{18}, \quad (6.10) \quad \{\text{eq:der-huge-func-second-term-bound}\}$$

with constants  $C_7, C_8, C_9, C_{10}, C_{11}, C_{12}, C_{13}, C_{14}, C_{15}, C_{16}, C_{17}, C_{18}$  defined as follows:

$$C_7 := p M_2 D_1,$$

$$C_8 := p M_2 \left[ \frac{M_1 (2C_5 + C_6)}{2(R + \varepsilon)^2 R} + \frac{p M_1 M_2}{2(R + \varepsilon)^2} \right],$$

$$C_9 := p \frac{M_1 M_2}{R + \varepsilon},$$

$$C_{10} := D_1 p^2 \frac{M_1 M_2^2}{R + \varepsilon} \cdot \frac{\rho}{1 - \rho},$$

$$C_{11} := \frac{D_1 p M_1 M_2}{R},$$

$$C_{12} := D_1 p^2 \frac{M_1 M_3}{R + \varepsilon},$$

$$\begin{aligned} C_{13} &:= C_{12} + p M_2 \left( \frac{D_1 p M_2}{R + \varepsilon} + \frac{M_1}{(R + \varepsilon)^2} C_{11} \right) \\ &= \frac{D_1 p^2}{R + \varepsilon} \left( M_1 M_3 + M_2^2 + \frac{M_1^2 M_2^2}{(R + \varepsilon) R} \right), \end{aligned}$$

$$C_{14} := M_1 C_{13} \frac{\rho}{1 - \rho},$$

$$C_{15} := \frac{D_1 p^2 M_1 M_2^2}{R + \varepsilon} + \frac{D_1 p^2 M_1^2 M_3}{R + \varepsilon} + \frac{D_1 p^2 M_1 M_2^2}{R + \varepsilon} + \frac{p M_1^2 M_2 C_{11}}{(R + \varepsilon)^2},$$

$$C_{16} := \frac{2C_{11}}{R(R + \varepsilon)^3} + \frac{C_{11}}{(R + \varepsilon)^4},$$

$$C_{17} := \frac{D_1 p M_2 \cdot (2C_5 + C_6)}{2(R + \varepsilon)^2 R} + \frac{M_1 (2(C_{10} + C_{14}) + C_{15})}{2(R + \varepsilon)^2 R} + \frac{M_1 (2C_5 + C_6) C_{16}}{2},$$

$$C_{18} := \frac{1}{2(R + \varepsilon)} \left( \frac{p^2 D_1 M_1 M_3}{R + \varepsilon} + \frac{p^2 D_1 M_2^2}{R + \varepsilon} + \frac{p M_1 M_2 C_{11}}{(R + \varepsilon)^2} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{p M_1 M_2}{R + \varepsilon} \cdot \frac{C_{11}}{(R + \varepsilon)^2}.$$

*Proof of (6.3).* This bound is straightforward:

$$\left| \left( \nabla_j E_n \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \right)^\cdot \right| = \left| \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_n \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \dot{\theta}_i(t) \right| \leq C_7. \quad \square$$

*Proof of (6.4).* By (2.2) we have for  $t = t_{n+1}^-$

$$\left| \dot{\theta}_j(t) + \frac{\nabla_j E_n \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)}{R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon} \right| \leq h \left[ \frac{M_1 (2C_5 + C_6)}{2(R + \varepsilon)^2 R} + \frac{pM_1 M_2}{2(R + \varepsilon)^2} \right],$$

giving (6.4) immediately.  $\square$

*Proof of (6.5).* This bound follows from the assumptions immediately.  $\square$

*Proof of (6.6).* We will prove this by bounding the two terms in the expression

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{d}{dt} P_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \\ &= \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1 - \rho) \sum_{u=1}^p \nabla_{ju} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \dot{\theta}_u(t) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon} \\ &+ \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1 - \rho) \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \sum_{i=1}^p \frac{d}{dt} \left\{ \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon} \right\}. \end{aligned} \quad (6.11) \quad \{\text{eq:der-p-into-two-terms}\}$$

It is easily shown that the first term in (6.11) is bounded in absolute value by  $C_{10}$ :

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1 - \rho) \sum_{u=1}^p \nabla_{ju} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \dot{\theta}_u(t) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon} \right| \\ & \leq D_1 p^2 \frac{M_1 M_2^2}{R + \varepsilon} (1 - \rho) \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^k k \\ & \leq D_1 p^2 \frac{M_1 M_2^2}{R + \varepsilon} (1 - \rho) \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \rho^k k \\ & = C_{10}. \end{aligned}$$

For the proof of (6.6), it is left to show that the second term in (6.11) is bounded in absolute value by  $C_{14}$ .

To bound  $\sum_{i=1}^p \frac{d}{dt} \left\{ \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon} \right\}$ , we can use

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \sum_{i=1}^p \frac{d}{dt} \left\{ \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon} \right\} \right| \\ & \leq \left| \sum_{i=1}^p \frac{d}{dt} \left\{ \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \right\} \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon} \right| \\ & + \left| \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{d}{dt} \left\{ \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon} \right\} \right| \end{aligned}$$

By the Cauchy-Schwarz inequality applied twice,

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left| \sum_{i=1}^p \frac{d}{dt} \left\{ \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \right\} \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon} \right| \\
& \leq \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^p \sum_{s=1}^p \left( \nabla_{ijs} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \right)^2} \sqrt{\sum_{u=1}^p \dot{\theta}_u(t)^2} \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^p \left| \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon} \right|^2} \\
& \leq M_3 p \cdot D_1 \sqrt{p} \cdot \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^p \left| \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon} \right|^2} \leq (n-k) C_{12}.
\end{aligned}$$

Next, for any  $n$  and  $j$

$$\begin{aligned}
\left| \frac{d}{dt} R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \right| &= \frac{1}{R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)} \left| \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \dot{\theta}_i(t) \right| \\
&\leq \frac{1}{R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)} D_1 p M_1 M_2 \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \leq C_{11}.
\end{aligned} \tag{6.12}$$

This gives

$$\begin{aligned}
\left| \frac{d}{dt} \left\{ \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon} \right\} \right| &\leq \frac{\left| \sum_{s=1}^p \nabla_{is} E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \dot{\theta}_s(t) \right|}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon} + \frac{\left| \nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \right| \cdot \left| \frac{d}{dt} R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \right|}{\left( R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon \right)^2} \\
&\leq \frac{D_1 p M_2}{R + \varepsilon} + \frac{M_1}{(R + \varepsilon)^2} C_{11}.
\end{aligned}$$

We have obtained

$$\left| \sum_{i=1}^p \frac{d}{dt} \left\{ \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon} \right\} \right| \leq (n-k) C_{13}. \tag{6.13}$$

This gives a bound on the second term in (6.11):

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left| \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \sum_{i=1}^p \frac{d}{dt} \left\{ \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon} \right\} \right| \\
& \leq M_1 \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) (n-k) C_{13} \leq C_{14},
\end{aligned}$$

concluding the proof of (6.6).  $\square$

*Proof of (6.7).* We will prove this by bounding the four terms in the expression

$$\begin{aligned}
& \frac{d}{dt} \left\{ \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \frac{\nabla_i E_n \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)}{R_i^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon} \right\} \\
& = \text{Term1} + \text{Term2} + \text{Term3} + \text{Term4},
\end{aligned}$$

where

Term1

$$:= \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \frac{d}{dt} \left\{ \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \right\} \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \frac{\nabla_i E_n \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)}{R_i^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon},$$

Term2

$$:= \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \sum_{i=1}^p \frac{d}{dt} \left\{ \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \right\} \frac{\nabla_i E_n \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)}{R_i^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon},$$

Term3

$$:= \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \frac{\frac{d}{dt} \left\{ \nabla_i E_n \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \right\}}{R_i^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon},$$

Term4

$$:= - \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \frac{\nabla_i E_n \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \frac{d}{dt} R_i^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)}{\left( R_i^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon \right)^2}.$$

To bound Term1, use  $\left| \frac{d}{dt} \left\{ \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \right\} \right| \leq D_1 p M_2$ , giving

$$|\text{Term1}| \leq \frac{D_1 p^2 M_1 M_2^2}{R + \varepsilon} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \leq \frac{D_1 p^2 M_1 M_2^2}{R + \varepsilon}.$$

To bound Term2, use  $\left| \frac{d}{dt} \left\{ \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \right\} \right| \leq D_1 p M_3$ , giving

$$|\text{Term2}| \leq \frac{D_1 p^2 M_1^2 M_3}{R + \varepsilon} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \leq \frac{D_1 p^2 M_1^2 M_3}{R + \varepsilon}.$$

To bound Term3, use  $\left| \frac{d}{dt} \left\{ \nabla_i E_n \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \right\} \right| \leq D_1 p M_2$ , giving

$$|\text{Term3}| \leq \frac{D_1 p^2 M_1 M_2^2}{R + \varepsilon} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \leq \frac{D_1 p^2 M_1 M_2^2}{R + \varepsilon}.$$

To bound Term4, use (6.12), giving

$$|\text{Term4}| \leq \frac{p M_1^2 M_2 C_{11}}{(R + \varepsilon)^2} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \leq \frac{p M_1^2 M_2 C_{11}}{(R + \varepsilon)^2}. \quad \square$$

*Proof of (6.8).* This is proven in (6.13).  $\square$

*Proof of (6.9).* (6.12) gives

$$\left| \frac{d}{dt} \left\{ \frac{1}{R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)} \right\} \right| = \frac{\left| \frac{d}{dt} R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \right|}{R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)^2} \leq \frac{C_{11}}{R^2}, \quad (6.14) \quad \{\text{eq:der-r-inverse-bound}\}$$



$$\left| \frac{d}{dt} \left\{ \frac{1}{R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) + \varepsilon} \right\} \right| = \frac{\left| \frac{d}{dt} R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) \right|}{\left( R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) + \varepsilon \right)^2} \leq \frac{C_{11}}{(R + \varepsilon)^2}, \quad (6.15)$$

$$\left| \frac{d}{dt} \left\{ \frac{1}{\left( R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) + \varepsilon \right)^2} \right\} \right| = \frac{2 \left| \frac{d}{dt} R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) \right|}{\left( R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) + \varepsilon \right)^3} \leq \frac{2C_{11}}{(R + \varepsilon)^3}. \quad (6.16)$$

Combining two bounds above, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \frac{d}{dt} \left\{ \left( R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) + \varepsilon \right)^{-2} R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t))^{-1} \right\} \right| \\ & \leq \frac{\left| \frac{d}{dt} \left\{ \left( R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) + \varepsilon \right)^{-2} \right\} \right|}{R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t))} + \frac{\left| \frac{d}{dt} \left\{ R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t))^{-1} \right\} \right|}{\left( R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) + \varepsilon \right)^2} \leq C_{16}. \end{aligned}$$

We are ready to bound

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \left( \frac{\nabla_j E_n(\tilde{\theta}(t)) \left( 2P_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) + \bar{P}_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) \right)}{2 \left( R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) + \varepsilon \right)^2 R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t))} \right)^\cdot \right| \\ & \leq \left| \frac{\left( \nabla_j E_n(\tilde{\theta}(t)) \right)^\cdot \left( 2P_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) + \bar{P}_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) \right)}{2 \left( R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) + \varepsilon \right)^2 R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t))} \right| + \\ & \quad + \left| \frac{\nabla_j E_n(\tilde{\theta}(t)) \left( 2P_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) + \bar{P}_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) \right)^\cdot}{2 \left( R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) + \varepsilon \right)^2 R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t))} \right| \\ & \quad + \left| \frac{\nabla_j E_n(\tilde{\theta}(t)) \left( 2P_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) + \bar{P}_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) \right)}{2} \right| \\ & \quad \times \left| \left( \left( R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) + \varepsilon \right)^{-2} R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t))^{-1} \right)^\cdot \right| \leq C_{17}. \quad \square \end{aligned}$$

*Proof of (6.10).* Since

$$\left| \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_n(\tilde{\theta}(t)) \frac{\nabla_i E_n(\tilde{\theta}(t))}{R_i^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) + \varepsilon} \right| \leq \frac{pM_1M_2}{R + \varepsilon}$$

and, as we have already seen in the argument for (6.7),

$$\left| \left( \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_n(\tilde{\theta}(t)) \frac{\nabla_i E_n(\tilde{\theta}(t))}{R_i^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) + \varepsilon} \right) \right| \leq \frac{p^2 D_1 M_1 M_3}{R + \varepsilon} + \frac{p^2 D_1 M_2^2}{R + \varepsilon} + \frac{p M_1 M_2 C_{11}}{(R + \varepsilon)^2},$$

we are ready to bound

$$\left| \left( \frac{\sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_n(\tilde{\theta}(t)) \frac{\nabla_i E_n(\tilde{\theta}(t))}{R_i^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) + \varepsilon}}{2(R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) + \varepsilon)} \right) \right| \leq C_{18}. \quad \square$$

**Lemma 6.4.** Suppose [Assumption 2.2](#) holds. Then the second derivative of  $t \mapsto \tilde{\theta}_j(t)$  is uniformly over  $j$  and  $t \in [0, T]$  bounded in absolute value by some positive constant, say  $D_2$ .

*Proof.* This follows from the definition of  $\tilde{\theta}(t)$  given in (2.2),  $h \leq T$  and that the first derivatives of all three terms in (2.2) are bounded by [Lemma 6.3](#).  $\square$

**Lemma 6.5.** Suppose [Assumption 2.2](#) holds. Then

$$\left| \left( \nabla_j E_n(\tilde{\theta}(t)) \right)'' \right| \leq C_{19}, \quad (6.17) \quad \{\text{(eq:e-second-der-bound)}\}$$

$$\left| \left( R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) \right)'' \right| \leq C_{20}, \quad (6.18) \quad \{\text{(eq:der-der-r)}\}$$

$$\left| \left( \left( R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) + \varepsilon \right)^{-2} \right)'' \right| \leq C_{21}, \quad (6.19) \quad \{\text{(eq:der-der-r-inv-sq)}\}$$

$$\left| \left( R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t))^{-1} \right)'' \right| \leq C_{22}, \quad (6.20) \quad \{\text{(eq:der-der-r-inv)}\}$$

$$\left| \left( \left( R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) + \varepsilon \right)^{-2} R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\theta}(t))^{-1} \right)'' \right| \leq C_{23}, \quad (6.21) \quad \{\text{(eq:der-der-r-sq-r-inv)}\}$$

$$\left| \left( \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k(\tilde{\theta}(t)) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E_l(\tilde{\theta}(t))}{R_i^{(l)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) + \varepsilon} \right)'' \right| \leq (n-k) C_{24}, \quad (6.22) \quad \{\text{(eq:der-der-second-first-grad-over-r)}\}$$

with constants  $C_{19}, C_{20}, C_{21}, C_{22}, C_{23}, C_{24}$  defined as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} C_{19} &:= p^2 M_3 D_1^2 + p M_2 D_2, \\ C_{20} &:= \frac{C_{11}}{R^2} p M_1 M_2 D_1 + \frac{1}{R} p^2 M_2^2 D_1^2 + \frac{1}{R} p^2 M_1 M_3 D_1^2 + \frac{1}{R} p M_1 M_2 D_2, \\ C_{21} &:= \frac{6C_{11}^2}{(R + \varepsilon)^4} + \frac{2C_{20}}{(R + \varepsilon)^3}, \\ C_{22} &:= \frac{2C_{11}^2}{R^3} + \frac{C_{20}}{R^2}, \\ C_{23} &:= \frac{C_{21}}{R} + \frac{4C_{11}^2}{R^2(R + \varepsilon)^3} + \frac{C_{22}}{(R + \varepsilon)^2}, \\ C_{24} &:= p \left[ \frac{2C_{11}(D_1 M_2^2 p + D_1 M_1 M_3 p)}{(R + \varepsilon)^2} + M_1 M_2 \left( \frac{2C_{11}^2}{(R + \varepsilon)^3} + \frac{C_{20}}{(R + \varepsilon)^2} \right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{2D_1^2 M_2 M_3 p^2 + M_2(D_1^2 M_3 p^2 + D_2 M_2 p) + M_1(D_1^2 M_4 p^2 + D_2 M_3 p)}{R + \varepsilon} \right]. \end{aligned}$$

*Proof of (6.17).* This bound is also straightforward:

$$\left| \left( \nabla_j E_n \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \right)^{\cdot\cdot} \right| = \left| \sum_{i=1}^p \sum_{s=1}^p \nabla_{ijs} E_n \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \dot{\tilde{\theta}}_s(t) \dot{\tilde{\theta}}_i(t) + \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_n \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \ddot{\tilde{\theta}}_i(t) \right| \leq C_{19}. \quad \square$$

*Proof of (6.18).* Note that

$$\begin{aligned} \left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \right)^{\cdot\cdot} &= \left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)^{-1} \right)^{\cdot} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \dot{\tilde{\theta}}_i(t) \\ &\quad + R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)^{-1} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \right)^{\cdot} \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \dot{\tilde{\theta}}_i(t) \\ &\quad + R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)^{-1} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \sum_{i=1}^p \left( \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \right)^{\cdot} \dot{\tilde{\theta}}_i(t) \\ &\quad + R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)^{-1} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \ddot{\tilde{\theta}}_i(t), \end{aligned}$$

giving by (6.14)

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \right)^{\cdot\cdot} \right| &\leq \frac{C_{11}}{R^2} p M_1 M_2 D_1 \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) + \frac{1}{R} p^2 M_2^2 D_1^2 \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{R} p^2 M_1 M_3 D_1^2 \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) + \frac{1}{R} p M_1 M_2 D_2 \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \\ &\leq C_{20}. \end{aligned} \quad \square$$

*Proof of (6.19).* Note that

$$\left( \left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon \right)^{-2} \right)^{\cdot\cdot} = \frac{6 \left( \left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \right)^{\cdot} \right)^2}{\left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon \right)^4} - \frac{2 \left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \right)^{\cdot\cdot}}{\left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon \right)^3},$$

giving by (6.12) and (6.18)

$$\left| \left( \left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon \right)^{-2} \right)^{\cdot\cdot} \right| \leq C_{21}. \quad \square$$

*Proof of (6.20).* The bound follows from (6.12), (6.18) and

$$\left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)^{-1} \right)^{\cdot\cdot} = \frac{2 \left( \left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \right)^{\cdot} \right)^2}{R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)^3} - \frac{\left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \right)^{\cdot\cdot}}{R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)^2}. \quad \square$$

*Proof of (6.21).* Putting  $a := \left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon \right)^{-2}$ ,  $b := R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)^{-1}$ , use

$$\begin{aligned} |a| &\leq \frac{1}{(R+\varepsilon)^2}, \quad |b| \leq \frac{1}{R}, \\ |\dot{a}| &\leq \frac{2C_{11}}{(R+\varepsilon)^3}, \quad |\dot{b}| \leq \frac{C_{11}}{R^2}, \\ |\ddot{a}| &\leq C_{21}, \quad |\ddot{b}| \leq C_{22}, \end{aligned}$$

and

$$(ab)^{\cdot\cdot} = \ddot{a}b + 2\dot{a}\dot{b} + a\ddot{b}. \quad \square$$

Proof of (6.22). Putting

$$\begin{aligned} a &:= \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right), \\ b &:= \nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right), \\ c &:= \left( R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon \right)^{-1}, \end{aligned}$$

we have

$$\begin{aligned} |a| &\leq M_2, \quad |\dot{a}| \leq pM_3D_1, \quad |\ddot{a}| \leq p^2M_4D_1^2 + pM_3D_2, \\ |b| &\leq M_1, \quad |\dot{b}| \leq pM_2D_1, \quad |\ddot{b}| \leq p^2M_3D_1^2 + pM_2D_2, \\ |c| &\leq \frac{1}{R + \varepsilon}, \quad |\dot{c}| \leq \frac{C_{11}}{(R + \varepsilon)^2}, \quad |\ddot{c}| \leq \frac{2C_{11}^2}{(R + \varepsilon)^3} + \frac{C_{20}}{(R + \varepsilon)^2}. \end{aligned}$$

The result follows.  $\square$

**Lemma 6.6.** Suppose Assumption 2.2 holds. Then the third derivative of  $t \mapsto \tilde{\theta}_j(t)$  is uniformly over  $j$  and  $t \in [0, T]$  bounded in absolute value by some positive constant, say  $D_3$ .

Proof. By (6.5), (6.13) and (6.22)

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon} \right| &\leq (n-k)C_9, \\ \left| \left( \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon} \right) \cdot \right| &\leq (n-k)C_{13}, \\ \left| \left( \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon} \right)'' \right| &\leq (n-k)C_{24}. \end{aligned}$$

From the definition of  $t \mapsto P_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)$ , it means that its derivatives up to order two are bounded. Similarly, the same is true for  $t \mapsto \bar{P}_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)$ .

It follows from (6.19) and its proof that the derivatives up to order two of

$$t \mapsto \left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon \right)^{-2} R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)^{-1}$$

are also bounded.

These considerations give the boundedness of the second derivative of the term

$$t \mapsto \frac{\nabla_j E_n \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \left( 2P_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \bar{P}_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) \right)}{2 \left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right) + \varepsilon \right)^2 R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)}$$

in (2.2). The boundedness of the second derivatives of the other two terms is shown analogously. By (2.2) and since  $h \leq T$ , this means

$$\sup_j \sup_{t \in [0, T]} \left| \ddot{\tilde{\theta}}_j(t) \right| \leq D_3$$

for some positive constant  $D_3$ .  $\square$

## 7 Proof of Theorem 2.3

**Lemma 7.1.** Suppose [Assumption 2.2](#) holds. Then for all  $n \in \{0, 1, \dots, \lfloor T/h \rfloor\}$ ,  $k \in \{0, 1, \dots, n-1\}$  we have

$$\left| \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_k) \right) - \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_n) \right) \right| \leq C_7(n-k)h \quad (7.1)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_k) \right) - \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_n) \right) - h \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_n) \right) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_n) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_n) \right) + \varepsilon} \right| \\ & \leq \left( (n-k)(C_{19}/2 + C_8) + \frac{(n-k)(n-k-1)}{2} C_{13} \right) h^2. \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* Fix  $n \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$ .

(7.1) follows from the mean value theorem applied  $n-k$  times. We turn to the proof of the second assertion.

*Claim 1.* For any  $l \in \{k, k+1, \dots, n-1\}$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_l) \right) - \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_{l+1}) \right) - h \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_n) \right) \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_n) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_n) \right) + \varepsilon} \right| \\ & \leq (C_{19}/2 + C_8 + (n-l-1)C_{13}) h^2. \end{aligned}$$

*Proof of Claim 1.* By the Taylor expansion of  $t \mapsto \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t) \right)$  on the segment  $[t_l, t_{l+1}]$  at  $t_{l+1}$  on the left

$$\left| \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_l) \right) - \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_{l+1}) \right) + h \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_{l+1}) \right) \dot{\tilde{\theta}}_i \left( t_{l+1}^- \right) \right| \leq \frac{C_{19}}{2} h^2.$$

Combining this with (6.4) gives

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_l) \right) - \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_{l+1}) \right) - h \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_{l+1}) \right) \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_{l+1}) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_{l+1}) \right) + \varepsilon} \right| \\ & \leq (C_{19}/2 + C_8) h^2. \end{aligned} \quad (7.2)$$

Now applying the mean-value theorem  $n-l-1$  times, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_{l+1}) \right) \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_{l+1}) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_{l+1}) \right) + \varepsilon} - \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_{l+2}) \right) \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_{l+2}) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_{l+2}) \right) + \varepsilon} \right| \leq C_{13} h, \\ & \dots \\ & \left| \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_{n-1}) \right) \frac{\nabla_i E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_{n-1}) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_{n-1}) \right) + \varepsilon} - \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_n) \right) \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_n) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_n) \right) + \varepsilon} \right| \leq C_{13} h, \end{aligned}$$

and in particular

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_{l+1}) \right) \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_{l+1}) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_{l+1}) \right) + \varepsilon} - \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_n) \right) \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_n) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_n) \right) + \varepsilon} \right| \\ & \leq (n-l-1)C_{13}h. \end{aligned}$$

Combining this with (7.2), we conclude the proof of Claim 1.  $\square$

Note that

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left| \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right) - \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) - h \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) + \varepsilon} \right| \\
&= \left| \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \left\{ \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_l) \right) - \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_{l+1}) \right) - h \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) + \varepsilon} \right\} \right| \\
&\leq \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \left| \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_l) \right) - \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_{l+1}) \right) - h \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) + \varepsilon} \right| \\
&\stackrel{(a)}{\leq} \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} (C_{19}/2 + C_8 + (n-l-1)C_{13}) h^2 = \left( (n-k)(C_{19}/2 + C_8) + \frac{(n-k)(n-k-1)}{2} C_{13} \right) h^2,
\end{aligned}$$

where (a) is by Claim 1

□

**Lemma 7.2.** Suppose Assumption 2.2 holds. Then for all  $n \in \{0, 1, \dots, \lfloor T/h \rfloor\}$

$$\left| \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right) \right)^2 - R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)^2 \right| \leq C_{25} h \quad (7.3)$$

and

$$\left| \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right) \right)^2 - R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)^2 - 2h P_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) \right| \leq C_{26} h^2 \quad (7.4)$$

with  $C_{25}$  and  $C_{26}$  defined as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
C_{25}(\rho) &:= 2M_1 C_7 \frac{\rho}{1-\rho}, \\
C_{26}(\rho) &:= M_1 |C_{19} + 2C_8 - C_{13}| \frac{\rho}{1-\rho} \\
&\quad + \left( M_1 C_{13} + |C_{19} + 2C_8 - C_{13}| C_9 + \frac{(C_{19} + 2C_8 - C_{13})^2}{4} \right) \frac{\rho(1+\rho)}{(1-\rho)^2} \\
&\quad + \left( C_{13} C_9 + \frac{C_{13}}{2} |C_{19} + 2C_8 - C_{13}| \right) \frac{\rho(1+4\rho+\rho^2)}{(1-\rho)^3} + \frac{C_{13}^2}{4} \cdot \frac{\rho(1+11\rho+11\rho^2+\rho^3)}{(1-\rho)^4}.
\end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* Note that

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left| \left( \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right) \right)^2 - \left( \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) \right)^2 \right| \\
&\leq \left| \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right) - \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) \right| \cdot \left| \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right) + \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) \right| \\
&\stackrel{(a)}{\leq} C_7 (n-k) h \cdot 2M_1,
\end{aligned}$$

where (a) is by (7.1). Using the triangle inequality, we can conclude

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left| \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right) \right)^2 - R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)^2 \right| \\
&\leq 2M_1 C_7 h (1-\rho) \sum_{k=0}^n (n-k) \rho^{n-k} = 2M_1 C_7 h (1-\rho) \sum_{k=0}^n k \rho^k = 2M_1 C_7 \frac{\rho}{1-\rho} h.
\end{aligned}$$

(7.3) is proven.

We continue by showing

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left| \left( \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right) \right)^2 - \left( \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) \right)^2 \right. \\
& \quad \left. - 2 \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) h \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) + \varepsilon} \right| \\
& \leq 2M_1 \left( (n-k)(C_{19}/2 + C_8) + \frac{(n-k)(n-k-1)}{2} C_{13} \right) h^2 \\
& \quad + 2(n-k)C_9 \left( (n-k)(C_{19}/2 + C_8) + \frac{(n-k)(n-k-1)}{2} C_{13} \right) h^3 \\
& \quad + \left( (n-k)(C_{19}/2 + C_8) + \frac{(n-k)(n-k-1)}{2} C_{13} \right)^2 h^4.
\end{aligned} \tag{7.5} \quad \{\text{eq:diff-of-squared-norms}\}$$

To prove this, use

$$|a^2 - b^2 - 2bKh| \leq 2|b| \cdot |a - b - Kh| + 2|K| \cdot h \cdot |a - b - Kh| + (a - b - Kh)^2$$

with

$$a := \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right), \quad b := \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right), \quad K := \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E_l \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) + \varepsilon},$$

and bounding

$$\begin{aligned}
|a - b - Kh| & \stackrel{(a)}{\leq} \left( (n-k)(C_{19}/2 + C_8) + \frac{(n-k)(n-k-1)}{2} C_{13} \right) h^2, \\
|b| & \leq M_1, \quad |K| \leq (n-k)C_9,
\end{aligned}$$

where (a) is by Lemma 7.1. (7.5) is proven.

We turn to the proof of (7.4). By (7.5) and the triangle inequality

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left| \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right) \right)^2 - R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)^2 - 2hP_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) \right| \\
& \leq (1-\rho) \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} \left( \text{Poly}_1(n-k)h^2 + \text{Poly}_2(n-k)h^3 + \text{Poly}_3(n-k)h^4 \right) \\
& = (1-\rho) \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^k \left( \text{Poly}_1(k)h^2 + \text{Poly}_2(k)h^3 + \text{Poly}_3(k)h^4 \right),
\end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Poly}_1(k) &:= 2M_1 \left( k(C_{19}/2 + C_8) + \frac{k(k-1)}{2} C_{13} \right) = M_1 C_{13} k^2 + M_1 (C_{19} + 2C_8 - C_{13})k, \\
\text{Poly}_2(k) &:= 2kC_9 \left( k(C_{19}/2 + C_8) + \frac{k(k-1)}{2} C_{13} \right) = C_{13} C_9 k^3 + (C_{19} + 2C_8 - C_{13}) C_9 k^2, \\
\text{Poly}_3(k) &:= \left( k(C_{19}/2 + C_8) + \frac{k(k-1)}{2} C_{13} \right)^2 \\
&= \frac{C_{13}^2}{4} k^4 + \frac{C_{13}}{2} (C_{19} + 2C_8 - C_{13}) k^3 + \frac{1}{4} (C_{19} + 2C_8 - C_{13})^2 k^2.
\end{aligned}$$

It is left to combine this with

$$\begin{aligned}
\sum_{k=0}^n k\rho^k &\leq \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} k\rho^k = \frac{\rho}{(1-\rho)^2}, \\
\sum_{k=0}^n k^2\rho^k &\leq \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} k^2\rho^k = \frac{\rho(1+\rho)}{(1-\rho)^3}, \\
\sum_{k=0}^n k^3\rho^k &\leq \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} k^3\rho^k = \frac{\rho(1+4\rho+\rho^2)}{(1-\rho)^4}, \\
\sum_{k=0}^n k^4\rho^k &\leq \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} k^4\rho^k = \frac{\rho(1+11\rho+11\rho^2+\rho^3)}{(1-\rho)^5}.
\end{aligned}$$

This gives

$$\begin{aligned}
&\left| \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k}(1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_k) \right) \right)^2 - R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_n) \right)^2 - 2hP_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_n) \right) \right| \\
&\leq \left( M_1 C_{13} \frac{\rho(1+\rho)}{(1-\rho)^2} + M_1 |C_{19} + 2C_8 - C_{13}| \frac{\rho}{1-\rho} \right) h^2 \\
&\quad + \left( C_{13} C_9 \frac{\rho(1+4\rho+\rho^2)}{(1-\rho)^3} + |C_{19} + 2C_8 - C_{13}| C_9 \frac{\rho(1+\rho)}{(1-\rho)^2} \right) h^3 \\
&\quad + \left( \frac{C_{13}^2}{4} \cdot \frac{\rho(1+11\rho+11\rho^2+\rho^3)}{(1-\rho)^4} + \frac{C_{13}}{2} |C_{19} + 2C_8 - C_{13}| \frac{\rho(1+4\rho+\rho^2)}{(1-\rho)^3} \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \frac{1}{4} (C_{19} + 2C_8 - C_{13})^2 \frac{\rho(1+\rho)}{(1-\rho)^2} \right) h^4 \\
&\stackrel{(a)}{\leq} \left[ M_1 |C_{19} + 2C_8 - C_{13}| \frac{\rho}{1-\rho} \right. \\
&\quad + \left( M_1 C_{13} + |C_{19} + 2C_8 - C_{13}| C_9 + \frac{(C_{19} + 2C_8 - C_{13})^2}{4} \right) \frac{\rho(1+\rho)}{(1-\rho)^2} \\
&\quad + \left( C_{13} C_9 + \frac{C_{13}}{2} |C_{19} + 2C_8 - C_{13}| \right) \frac{\rho(1+4\rho+\rho^2)}{(1-\rho)^3} \\
&\quad \left. + \frac{C_{13}^2}{4} \cdot \frac{\rho(1+11\rho+11\rho^2+\rho^3)}{(1-\rho)^4} \right] h^2,
\end{aligned}$$

where in (a) we used that  $h < 1$  (7.4) is proven. □

**Lemma 7.3.** Suppose [Assumption 2.2](#) holds. Then

$$\begin{aligned}
&\left| \left( \sqrt{\sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k}(1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_k) \right) \right)^2} + \varepsilon \right)^{-1} - \left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_n) \right) + \varepsilon \right)^{-1} \right. \\
&\quad \left. + h \frac{P_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_n) \right)}{\left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_n) \right) + \varepsilon \right)^2 R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(t_n) \right)} \right| \leq \frac{C_{25}(\rho)^2 + R^2 C_{26}(\rho)}{2R^3(R+\varepsilon)^2} h^2.
\end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* Note that if  $a \geq R^2$ ,  $b \geq R^2$ , we have

$$\left| \frac{1}{\sqrt{a} + \varepsilon} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{b} + \varepsilon} + \frac{a-b}{2(\sqrt{b} + \varepsilon)^2 \sqrt{b}} \right|$$



$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{(a-b)^2}{2\sqrt{b}(\sqrt{b}+\varepsilon)(\sqrt{a}+\varepsilon)(\sqrt{a}+\sqrt{b})} \underbrace{\left\{ \frac{1}{\sqrt{b}+\varepsilon} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{a}+\sqrt{b}} \right\}}_{\leq 2/R} \\
&\leq \frac{(a-b)^2}{2R^3(R+\varepsilon)^2}.
\end{aligned}$$

By the triangle inequality,

$$\begin{aligned}
&\left| \frac{1}{\sqrt{a}+\varepsilon} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{b}+\varepsilon} + \frac{c}{2(\sqrt{b}+\varepsilon)^2\sqrt{b}} \right| \leq \frac{(a-b)^2}{2R^3(R+\varepsilon)^2} + \frac{|a-b-c|}{2(\sqrt{b}+\varepsilon)^2\sqrt{b}} \\
&\leq \frac{(a-b)^2}{2R^3(R+\varepsilon)^2} + \frac{|a-b-c|}{2R(R+\varepsilon)^2}
\end{aligned}$$

Apply this with

$$\begin{aligned}
a &:= \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k}(1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right) \right)^2, \\
b &:= R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)^2, \\
c &:= 2hP_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)
\end{aligned}$$

and use bounds

$$|a-b| \leq 2M_1 C_7 \frac{\rho}{1-\rho} h, \quad |a-b-c| \leq C_{26}(\rho) h^2$$

by Lemma 7.2. □

**7.4.** We are finally ready to prove Theorem 2.3.

*Proof of Theorem 2.3.* By (6.9) and (6.10), the first derivative of the function

$$t \mapsto \left( \frac{\nabla_j E_n \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t) \right) \left( 2P_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t) \right) + \bar{P}_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t) \right) \right)}{2 \left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t) \right) + \varepsilon \right)^2 R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t) \right)} - \frac{\sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_n \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t) \right) \frac{\nabla_i E_n \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t) \right)}{R_i^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t) \right) + \varepsilon}}{2 \left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t) \right) + \varepsilon \right)} \right)$$

is bounded in absolute value by a positive constant  $C_{27} = C_{17} + C_{18}$ . By (2.2), this means

$$\left| \ddot{\theta}_j(t) + \frac{d}{dt} \left( \frac{\nabla_j E_n \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t) \right)}{R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t) \right) + \varepsilon} \right) \right| \leq C_{27} h.$$

Combining this with

$$\left| \tilde{\theta}_j(t_{n+1}) - \tilde{\theta}_j(t_n) - \dot{\tilde{\theta}}_j(t_n^+) h - \frac{\ddot{\tilde{\theta}}_j(t_n^+)}{2} h^2 \right| \leq \frac{D_3}{6}$$

by Taylor expansion, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
&\left| \tilde{\theta}_j(t_{n+1}) - \tilde{\theta}_j(t_n) - \dot{\tilde{\theta}}_j(t_n^+) h + \frac{h^2}{2} \cdot \frac{d}{dt} \left( \frac{\nabla_j E_n \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t) \right)}{R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t) \right) + \varepsilon} \right) \Big|_{t=t_n^+} \right| \\
&\leq \left( \frac{D_3}{6} + \frac{C_{27}}{2} \right) h^3.
\end{aligned} \tag{7.6}$$

Using

$$\left| \dot{\tilde{\theta}}_j(t_n) + \frac{\nabla_j E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))}{R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) + \varepsilon} \right| \leq C_{28}h$$

with  $C_{28}$  defined as

$$C_{28} := \frac{M_1(2C_5 + C_6)}{2(R + \varepsilon)^2 R} + \frac{pM_1M_2}{2(R + \varepsilon)^2}$$

by (2.2), and calculating the derivative, it is easy to show

$$\left| \frac{d}{dt} \left( \frac{\nabla_j E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))}{R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)) + \varepsilon} \right) \right|_{t=t_n^+} - \text{FrDer} \right| \leq C_{29}h \quad (7.7) \quad \{\text{eq:local-error-fr-der-bound}\}$$

for a positive constant  $C_{29}$ , where

$$\begin{aligned} \text{FrDer} &:= \frac{\text{FrDerNum}}{\left( R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) + \varepsilon \right)^2 R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))} \\ \text{FrDerNum} &:= \nabla_j E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) \bar{P}_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) \\ &\quad - \left( R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) + \varepsilon \right) R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) \frac{\nabla_i E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))}{R_i^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) + \varepsilon}, \\ C_{29} &:= \left\{ \frac{pM_2}{R + \varepsilon} + \frac{M_1^2 M_2 p}{(R + \varepsilon)^2 R} \right\} C_{28}. \end{aligned}$$

From (7.6) and (7.7), by the triangle inequality

$$\left| \tilde{\theta}_j(t_{n+1}) - \tilde{\theta}_j(t_n) - \dot{\tilde{\theta}}_j(t_n^+) h + \frac{h^2}{2} \text{FrDer} \right| \leq \left( \frac{D_3}{6} + \frac{C_{27} + C_{29}}{2} \right) h^3,$$

which, using (2.2), is rewritten as

$$\begin{aligned} &\left| \tilde{\theta}_j(t_{n+1}) - \tilde{\theta}_j(t_n) + h \frac{\nabla_j E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))}{R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) + \varepsilon} - h^2 \frac{\nabla_j E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) \bar{P}_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))}{\left( R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) + \varepsilon \right)^2 R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))} \right| \\ &\leq \left( \frac{D_3}{6} + \frac{C_{27} + C_{29}}{2} \right) h^3. \end{aligned}$$

It is left to combine this with Lemma 7.3, giving the assertion of the theorem with

$$C_1 = \frac{D_3}{6} + \frac{C_{27} + C_{29}}{2} + M_1 \frac{C_{25}^2 + R^2 C_{26}}{2R^3(R + \varepsilon)^2}. \quad \square$$

## 8 Numerical experiments

**8.1 Models.** We use small modifications of default Keras Resnet-50 and Resnet-101 architectures<sup>2</sup> for training on CIFAR-10 and CIFAR-100 (since image sizes are not the same as Imagenet), after verifying their correctness. The first convolution layer `conv1` has  $3 \times 3$  kernel, stride 1 and “same” padding. Then comes batch normalization, and relu. Max pooling is removed, and otherwise `conv2_x` to `conv5_x` are as

<sup>2</sup><https://github.com/keras-team/keras/blob/v2.13.1/keras/applications/resnet.py>

described in (He, Xiangyu Zhang, Ren, and Sun 2016), see Table 1 there (downsampling is performed by the first convolution of each bottleneck block, same as in this original paper, not the middle one as in version 1.5<sup>3</sup>; all convolution layers have learned biases). After `conv5` there is global average pooling, 10 or 100-way fully connected layer (for CIFAR-10 and CIFAR-100 respectively), and softmax.

**8.2 Data augmentation.** We subtract the per-pixel mean and divide by standard deviation, and we use the data augmentation scheme from (Lee, Xie, Gallagher, Z. Zhang, and Tu 2015), following (He, Xiangyu Zhang, Ren, and Sun 2016), section 4.2. We take inspiration and some code snippets from (Yuan 2021) (though we do not use their models). During each pass over the training dataset, each  $32 \times 32$  initial image is padded evenly with zeros so that it becomes  $36 \times 36$ , then random crop is applied so that the picture becomes  $32 \times 32$  again, and finally random (probability 0.5) horizontal (left to right) flip is used.

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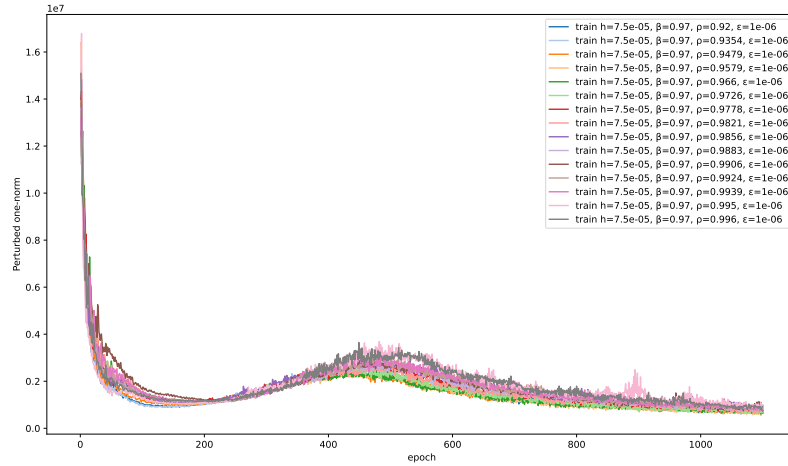


Figure 1: Resnet-101 trained on CIFAR-100 with full-batch Adam. We plot  $\|\nabla E\|_{1,\varepsilon}$  after each epoch. Hyperparameters:  $h = 7.5 \cdot 10^{-5}$ ,  $\beta = 0.97$ ,  $\varepsilon \approx 6.54 \cdot 10^{-12}$  after dividing by 391<sup>2</sup>. Second half of Exp14.

## 9 Some examples (to delete)

**Example 9.1** (Linear regression). Let the loss be defined

$$E(\theta) := \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \theta^\top \mathbf{x}_i)^2 = \|\mathbf{Y} - \mathbf{X}\theta\|^2,$$

its gradient

$$\nabla E(\theta) = 2\mathbf{X}^\top (\mathbf{X}\theta - \mathbf{Y}) = 2\mathbf{X}^\top \mathbf{X} (\theta - \hat{\theta}),$$

where  $\hat{\theta}$  is any vector satisfying  $\mathbf{X}^\top \mathbf{X} \hat{\theta} = \mathbf{X}^\top \mathbf{Y}$ .

Then the regularization term of gradient descent (Barrett and Dherin 2021) is given by

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{h}{4} \|\nabla E(\theta)\|^2 &= h \{\mathbf{X}^\top (\mathbf{X}\theta - \mathbf{Y})\}^\top \{\mathbf{X}^\top (\mathbf{X}\theta - \mathbf{Y})\} \\ &= h (\mathbf{X}\theta - \mathbf{Y})^\top \mathbf{X} \mathbf{X}^\top (\mathbf{X}\theta - \mathbf{Y}) = h (\theta - \hat{\theta})^\top (\mathbf{X}^\top \mathbf{X})^2 (\theta - \hat{\theta}). \end{aligned}$$

From orthogonality of the vectors  $\mathbf{X}\hat{\theta} - \mathbf{Y}$  and  $\mathbf{X}(\hat{\theta} - \theta)$  we can conclude

$$E(\theta) + \frac{h}{4} \|\nabla E(\theta)\|^2 = \|\mathbf{X}\theta - \mathbf{Y}\|^2 + h (\theta - \hat{\theta})^\top (\mathbf{X}^\top \mathbf{X})^2 (\theta - \hat{\theta})$$

<sup>3</sup>[https://catalog.ngc.nvidia.com/orgs/nvidia/resources/resnet\\_50\\_v1\\_5\\_for\\_pytorch](https://catalog.ngc.nvidia.com/orgs/nvidia/resources/resnet_50_v1_5_for_pytorch)

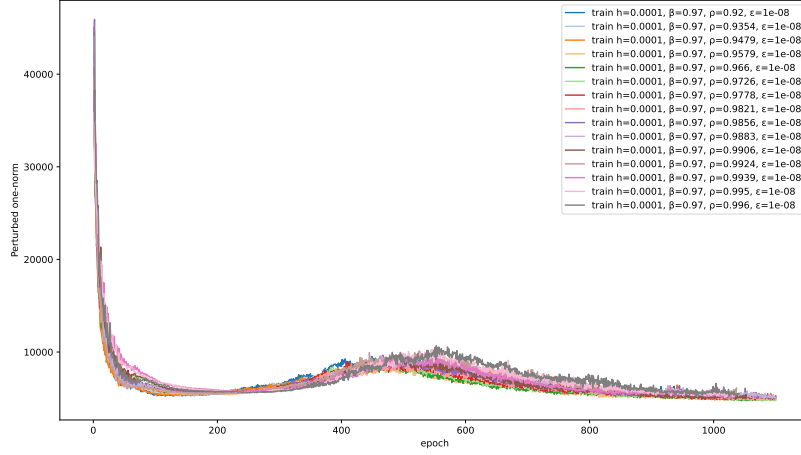


Figure 2: fig=resnet-101-on-cifar-100-rho-increase-norm-hist Resnet-101 trained on CIFAR-100 with full-batch Adam. We plot  $\|\nabla E\|_{1,\varepsilon}$  after each epoch. Hyperparameters:  $h = 10^{-4}$ ,  $\beta = 0.97$ ,  $\varepsilon = 10^{-8}$ . **Second half of Exp19**

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \|\mathbf{X}\hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}} - \mathbf{Y}\|^2 + (\boldsymbol{\theta} - \hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}})^\top \mathbf{X}^\top \mathbf{X} (\boldsymbol{\theta} - \hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}) + h (\boldsymbol{\theta} - \hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}})^\top (\mathbf{X}^\top \mathbf{X})^2 (\boldsymbol{\theta} - \hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}) \\
&= \|\mathbf{X}\hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}} - \mathbf{Y}\|^2 + h (\boldsymbol{\theta} - \hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}})^\top \mathbf{X}^\top (\mathbf{X}\mathbf{X}^\top + h^{-1}\mathbf{I}) \mathbf{X} (\boldsymbol{\theta} - \hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}).
\end{aligned}$$

Alternatively, we can write

$$\begin{aligned}
E(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \frac{h}{4} \|\nabla E(\boldsymbol{\theta})\|^2 &= (\mathbf{X}\boldsymbol{\theta} - \mathbf{Y})^\top (\mathbf{X}\boldsymbol{\theta} - \mathbf{Y}) + h (\mathbf{X}\boldsymbol{\theta} - \mathbf{Y})^\top \mathbf{X}\mathbf{X}^\top (\mathbf{X}\boldsymbol{\theta} - \mathbf{Y}) \\
&= h (\mathbf{X}\boldsymbol{\theta} - \mathbf{Y})^\top (\mathbf{X}\mathbf{X}^\top + h^{-1}\mathbf{I}) (\mathbf{X}\boldsymbol{\theta} - \mathbf{Y}).
\end{aligned}$$

**Example 9.2** (2D Linear Model). Assume the parameter  $\boldsymbol{\theta} = (\theta_1, \theta_2)$  is 2-dimensional, and the loss is given by  $E(\boldsymbol{\theta}) := 1/2 (y - \theta_1 \theta_2 x)^2$ . This is the same example as in (Barrett and Dherin 2021) and (Ghosh, Lyu, Xitong Zhang, and Wang 2023). The form of the gradients is as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
\nabla_1 E(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &= \theta_2 x (\theta_1 \theta_2 x - y), \\
\nabla_2 E(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &= \theta_1 x (\theta_1 \theta_2 x - y), \\
\nabla_{11} E(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &= \theta_2^2 x^2, \\
\nabla_{12} E(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &= x (2\theta_1 \theta_2 x - y) = \nabla_{21} E(\boldsymbol{\theta}), \\
\nabla_{22} E(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &= \theta_1^2 x^2.
\end{aligned}$$

The iteration of the modified RMSProp (3.1) in this case is written as

$$\begin{aligned}
\theta_1^{(n+1)} &= \theta_1^{(n)} - h \frac{\theta_2^{(n)} x (\theta_1^{(n)} \theta_2^{(n)} x - y)}{\sqrt{\sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \left( \theta_2^{(k)} x (\theta_1^{(k)} \theta_2^{(k)} x - y) \right)^2 + \varepsilon}}, \\
\theta_2^{(n+1)} &= \theta_2^{(n)} - h \frac{\theta_1^{(n)} x (\theta_1^{(n)} \theta_2^{(n)} x - y)}{\sqrt{\sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \left( \theta_1^{(k)} x (\theta_1^{(k)} \theta_2^{(k)} x - y) \right)^2 + \varepsilon}}.
\end{aligned}$$

## 10 RMSProp Analysis (to delete)

**Lemma 10.1.** For  $0 \leq t < h$ , the modified equation is

{lem:first-step}

$$\dot{\tilde{\theta}}_j(t) = -\frac{\nabla_j E_0(\tilde{\theta}(t))}{R_j^{(0)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) + \varepsilon} - \frac{h}{2} \sum_{i=1}^p \frac{\varepsilon \nabla_{ij} E_0(\tilde{\theta}(t)) \nabla_i E_0(\tilde{\theta}(t))}{\left(R_j^{(0)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) + \varepsilon\right)^2 \left(R_i^{(0)}(\tilde{\theta}(t)) + \varepsilon\right)}, \quad j \in \{1, \dots, p\}.$$

*Proof.* Note that  $\nu_j^{(1)} = R_j^{(0)}(\theta^{(0)})^2$ , therefore

$$\theta_j^{(1)} = \theta_j^{(0)} - h \frac{\nabla_j E_0(\theta^{(0)})}{R_j^{(0)}(\theta^{(0)}) + \varepsilon}. \quad (10.1) \quad \{\text{eq:params-first-step}\}$$

Assume that the modified flow for  $0 \leq t < h$  satisfies  $\dot{\tilde{\theta}} = \tilde{\mathbf{f}}(\tilde{\theta}(t))$  where

$$\tilde{\mathbf{f}}(\theta) = \mathbf{f}(\theta) + h \mathbf{f}_1(\theta) + O(h^2).$$

By Taylor expansion, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{\theta}(h) &= \tilde{\theta}(0) + h \dot{\tilde{\theta}}(0^+) + \frac{h^2}{2} \ddot{\tilde{\theta}}(0^+) + O(h^3) \\ &= \tilde{\theta}(0) + h \left[ \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\theta}(0)) + h \mathbf{f}_1(\tilde{\theta}(0)) + O(h^2) \right] \\ &\quad + \frac{h^2}{2} \left[ \nabla \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\theta}(0)) \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\theta}(0)) + O(h) \right] + O(h^3) \\ &= \tilde{\theta}(0) + h \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\theta}(0)) + h^2 \left[ \mathbf{f}_1(\tilde{\theta}(0)) + \frac{\nabla \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\theta}(0)) \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\theta}(0))}{2} \right] + O(h^3). \end{aligned} \quad (10.2) \quad \{\text{eq:first-step-taylor-expansion}\}$$

Identifying  $\theta^{(0)} = \tilde{\theta}(0)$ ,  $\theta^{(1)} = \tilde{\theta}(h)$  and equating the terms before the corresponding powers of  $h$  in (10.1) and (10.2), we obtain

$$f_j(\theta) = -\frac{\nabla_j E_0(\theta)}{R_j^{(0)}(\theta) + \varepsilon}, \quad f_{1,j}(\theta) = -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_i f_j(\theta) f_i(\theta).$$

Using

$$\nabla_i R_j^{(0)}(\theta) = \frac{(1-\rho) \nabla_{ij} E_0(\theta) \nabla_j E_0(\theta)}{R_j^{(0)}(\theta)},$$

we have

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla_i f_j(\theta) &= -\frac{\nabla_{ij} E_0(\theta) \left( R_j^{(0)}(\theta) + \varepsilon \right) - \nabla_j E_0(\theta) \nabla_i R_j^{(0)}(\theta)}{\left( R_j^{(0)}(\theta) + \varepsilon \right)^2} \\ &= -\frac{\nabla_{ij} E_0(\theta) \left( R_j^{(0)}(\theta) + \varepsilon \right) R_j^{(0)}(\theta) - (1-\rho) \nabla_{ij} E_0(\theta) \left( \nabla_j E_0(\theta) \right)^2}{\left( R_j^{(0)}(\theta) + \varepsilon \right)^2 R_j^{(0)}(\theta)} \\ &= -\frac{\varepsilon \nabla_{ij} E_0(\theta) R_j^{(0)}(\theta)}{\left( R_j^{(0)}(\theta) + \varepsilon \right)^2 R_j^{(0)}(\theta)} = -\frac{\varepsilon \nabla_{ij} E_0(\theta)}{\left( R_j^{(0)}(\theta) + \varepsilon \right)^2}, \end{aligned}$$

so we can conclude

$$f_{1,j}(\theta) = -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^p \frac{\varepsilon \nabla_{ij} E_0(\theta) \nabla_i E_0(\theta)}{\left( R_j^{(0)}(\theta) + \varepsilon \right)^2 \left( R_i^{(0)}(\theta) + \varepsilon \right)}.$$

□

**Lemma 10.2.** For  $h \leq t < 2h$ , the modified equation is

*Proof.* First, we prove the following claim.

*Claim 1.* We have for  $j \in \{1, \dots, p\}$

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{\theta}_j(2h) &= \tilde{\theta}_j(h) - h \frac{\nabla_j E_1(\tilde{\theta}(h))}{R_j^{(1)}(\tilde{\theta}(h)) + \varepsilon} \\ &+ h^2 \frac{\rho(1-\rho) \nabla_j E_0(\tilde{\theta}(h)) \nabla_j E_1(\tilde{\theta}(h))}{\left(R_j^{(1)}(\tilde{\theta}(h)) + \varepsilon\right)^2 R_j^{(1)}(\tilde{\theta}(h))} \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_0(\tilde{\theta}(h)) \frac{\nabla_i E_0(\tilde{\theta}(h))}{R_i^{(0)}(\tilde{\theta}(h)) + \varepsilon} + O(h^3). \end{aligned} \quad (10.3)$$

*Proof of Claim 1.* Note that

$$\theta_j^{(2)} = \theta_j^{(1)} - h \frac{\nabla_j E_1(\theta^{(1)})}{\sqrt{\rho(1-\rho) \left(\nabla_j E_0(\theta^{(0)})\right)^2 + (1-\rho) \left(\nabla_j E_1(\theta^{(1)})\right)^2} + \varepsilon}. \quad (10.4)$$

Define

$$a_j(t) := \frac{1}{b_j(t) + \varepsilon}, \quad b_j(t) := \sqrt{\rho(1-\rho) \left(\nabla_j E_0(\tilde{\theta}(t))\right)^2 + (1-\rho) \left(\nabla_j E_1(\tilde{\theta}(h))\right)^2}.$$

By the Taylor expansion at  $h$ , we have

$$a_j(t) = a_j(h) + (t-h) \frac{da_j}{dt}(h) + O\left((t-h)^2\right), \quad (10.5)$$

where

$$\frac{da_j}{dt}(t) = - \frac{\rho(1-\rho) \nabla_j E_0(\tilde{\theta}(t)) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_0(\tilde{\theta}(t)) \dot{\tilde{\theta}}_i(t)}{(b_j(t) + \varepsilon)^2 b_j(t)}$$

Inserting this into (10.5) and noting  $b_j(h) = R_j^{(1)}(\tilde{\theta}(h))$ , we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} a_j(0) &= a_j(h) + h \frac{\rho(1-\rho) \nabla_j E_0(\tilde{\theta}(h))}{\left(R_j^{(1)}(\tilde{\theta}(h)) + \varepsilon\right)^2 R_j^{(1)}(\tilde{\theta}(h))} \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_0(\tilde{\theta}(h)) \dot{\tilde{\theta}}_i(h^-) + O(h^2) \\ &\stackrel{(a)}{=} a_j(h) - h \frac{\rho(1-\rho) \nabla_j E_0(\tilde{\theta}(h))}{\left(R_j^{(1)}(\tilde{\theta}(h)) + \varepsilon\right)^2 R_j^{(1)}(\tilde{\theta}(h))} \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_0(\tilde{\theta}(h)) \frac{\nabla_i E_0(\tilde{\theta}(h))}{R_i^{(0)}(\tilde{\theta}(h)) + \varepsilon} + O(h^2), \end{aligned}$$

where in (a) we used  $\dot{\tilde{\theta}}_i(h^-) = -\frac{\nabla_i E_0(\tilde{\theta}(h))}{R_i^{(0)}(\tilde{\theta}(h)) + \varepsilon} + O(h)$  by Lemma 10.1. Inserting this into (10.4) and identifying  $\theta^{(n)} = \tilde{\theta}(nh)$ , we have (10.3).  $\square$

Assume that the modified flow for  $h \leq t < 2h$  satisfies  $\dot{\tilde{\theta}} = \tilde{\mathbf{f}}(\tilde{\theta}(t))$  where

$$\tilde{\mathbf{f}}(\theta) = \mathbf{f}(\theta) + h \mathbf{f}_1(\theta) + O(h^2).$$

By Taylor expansion, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\tilde{\theta}(2h) &= \tilde{\theta}(h) + h\dot{\tilde{\theta}}(h^+) + \frac{h^2}{2}\ddot{\tilde{\theta}}(h^+) + O(h^3) \\
&= \tilde{\theta}(0) + h \left[ \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\theta}(h^+)) + h\mathbf{f}_1(\tilde{\theta}(h^+)) + O(h^2) \right] \\
&\quad + \frac{h^2}{2} \left[ \nabla \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\theta}(h)) \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\theta}(h)) + O(h) \right] + O(h^3) \\
&= \tilde{\theta}(h) + h\mathbf{f}(\tilde{\theta}(h)) + h^2 \left[ \mathbf{f}_1(\tilde{\theta}(h)) + \frac{\nabla \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\theta}(h)) \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\theta}(h))}{2} \right] + O(h^3).
\end{aligned} \tag{10.6}$$

Equating the terms before the corresponding powers of  $h$  in (10.3) and (10.6), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
f_j(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &= -\frac{\nabla_j E_1(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_j^{(1)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon}, \\
f_{1,j}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &= -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_i f_j(\boldsymbol{\theta}) f_i(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \\
&\quad + \frac{\rho(1-\rho) \nabla_j E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_j E_1(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{\left(R_j^{(1)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon\right)^2 R_j^{(1)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})} \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \frac{\nabla_i E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_i^{(0)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon}.
\end{aligned}$$

Using

$$\nabla_i R_j^{(1)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = \frac{\rho(1-\rho) \nabla_{ij} E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_j E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + (1-\rho) \nabla_{ij} E_1(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_j E_1(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_j^{(1)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})},$$

we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\nabla_i f_j(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &= -\frac{\nabla_{ij} E_1(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \left(R_j^{(1)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon\right) - \nabla_j E_1(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_i R_j^{(1)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{\left(R_j^{(1)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon\right)^2} \\
&= -\frac{1}{\left(R_j^{(1)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon\right)^2 R_j^{(1)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})} \left[ \nabla_{ij} E_1(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \left(R_j^{(1)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon\right) R_j^{(1)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \right. \\
&\quad \left. - \nabla_j E_1(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \left(\rho(1-\rho) \nabla_{ij} E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_j E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + (1-\rho) \nabla_{ij} E_1(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_j E_1(\boldsymbol{\theta})\right) \right] \\
&= -\frac{1}{\left(R_j^{(1)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon\right)^2 R_j^{(1)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})} \left[ \varepsilon \nabla_{ij} E_1(\boldsymbol{\theta}) R_j^{(1)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \rho(1-\rho) \nabla_{ij} E_1(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \left(\nabla_j E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta})\right)^2 - \rho(1-\rho) \nabla_{ij} E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_j E_1(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_j E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \right],
\end{aligned}$$

so we can conclude

$$\begin{aligned}
f_{1,j}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &= -\frac{1}{2 \left(R_j^{(1)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon\right)^2 R_j^{(1)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})} \sum_{i=1}^p \left[ \varepsilon \nabla_{ij} E_1(\boldsymbol{\theta}) R_j^{(1)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \rho(1-\rho) \nabla_{ij} E_1(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \left(\nabla_j E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta})\right)^2 - \rho(1-\rho) \nabla_{ij} E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_j E_1(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_j E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \right] \frac{\nabla_i E_1(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_i^{(1)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon} \\
&\quad + \frac{\rho(1-\rho) \nabla_j E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_j E_1(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{\left(R_j^{(1)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon\right)^2 R_j^{(1)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})} \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \frac{\nabla_i E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_i^{(0)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon}
\end{aligned}$$

Next,

$$\nabla_j E_0(\tilde{\theta}(0)) = \nabla_j E_0(\tilde{\theta}(h)) - h \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_0(\tilde{\theta}(h)) \dot{\tilde{\theta}}_i(h^-) + O(h^2)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \nabla_j E_0 \left( \tilde{\theta}(h) \right) + h \sum_{i=1}^p \frac{\nabla_{ij} E_0 \left( \tilde{\theta}(h) \right) \nabla_i E_0 \left( \tilde{\theta}(h) \right)}{R_i^{(0)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(h) \right) + \varepsilon} + O \left( h^2 \right) \\
&= \nabla_j E_0 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) - h \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_0 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) \dot{\theta}_i(2h^-) \\
&\quad + h \left( \sum_{i=1}^p \frac{\nabla_{ij} E_0 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) \nabla_i E_0 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right)}{R_i^{(0)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) + \varepsilon} + O(h) \right) + O \left( h^2 \right) \\
&= \nabla_j E_0 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) + h \sum_{i=1}^p \frac{\nabla_{ij} E_0 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) \nabla_i E_1 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right)}{R_i^{(1)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) + \varepsilon} \\
&\quad + h \sum_{i=1}^p \frac{\nabla_{ij} E_0 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) \nabla_i E_0 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right)}{R_i^{(0)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) + \varepsilon} + O \left( h^2 \right) \\
&= \nabla_j E_0 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) + h \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_0 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) \left( \frac{\nabla_i E_1 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right)}{R_i^{(1)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) + \varepsilon} + \frac{\nabla_i E_0 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right)}{R_i^{(0)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) + \varepsilon} \right) + O \left( h^2 \right),
\end{aligned}$$

and then

$$\begin{aligned}
&\left( \nabla_j E_0 \left( \tilde{\theta}(0) \right) \right)^2 = \left( \nabla_j E_0 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) \right)^2 \\
&\quad + h \cdot 2 \nabla_j E_0 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_0 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) \left( \frac{\nabla_i E_1 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right)}{R_i^{(1)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) + \varepsilon} + \frac{\nabla_i E_0 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right)}{R_i^{(0)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) + \varepsilon} \right) + O \left( h^2 \right).
\end{aligned}$$

Also,

$$\begin{aligned}
&\nabla_j E_1 \left( \tilde{\theta}(h) \right) = \nabla_j E_1 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) - h \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_1 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) \dot{\theta}_i(2h^-) + O \left( h^2 \right) \\
&= \nabla_j E_1 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) + h \sum_{i=1}^p \frac{\nabla_{ij} E_1 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) \nabla_i E_1 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right)}{R_i^{(1)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) + \varepsilon} + O \left( h^2 \right),
\end{aligned}$$

and then

$$\begin{aligned}
&\left( \nabla_j E_1 \left( \tilde{\theta}(h) \right) \right)^2 = \left( \nabla_j E_1 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) \right)^2 \\
&\quad + h \cdot 2 \nabla_j E_1 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) \sum_{i=1}^p \frac{\nabla_{ij} E_1 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) \nabla_i E_1 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right)}{R_i^{(1)} \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) + \varepsilon} + O \left( h^2 \right).
\end{aligned}$$

Combining, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
&\rho^2(1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_0 \left( \tilde{\theta}(0) \right) \right)^2 + \rho(1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_1 \left( \tilde{\theta}(h) \right) \right)^2 + (1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_2 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) \right)^2 \\
&= \gamma_0 + h\gamma_1 + O \left( h^2 \right),
\end{aligned}$$

where

$$\gamma_0 = \rho^2(1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_0 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) \right)^2 + \rho(1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_1 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) \right)^2 + (1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_2 \left( \tilde{\theta}(2h) \right) \right)^2,$$



$$\begin{aligned}\gamma_1 &= 2\rho^2(1-\rho)\nabla_j E_0\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_0\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right) \left( \frac{\nabla_i E_1\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right)}{R_i^{(1)}\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right) + \varepsilon} + \frac{\nabla_i E_0\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right)}{R_i^{(0)}\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right) + \varepsilon} \right) \\ &\quad + 2\rho(1-\rho)\nabla_j E_1\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right) \sum_{i=1}^p \frac{\nabla_{ij} E_1\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right) \nabla_i E_1\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right)}{R_i^{(1)}\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right) + \varepsilon}.\end{aligned}$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned}&\left( \sqrt{\rho^2(1-\rho)\left(\nabla_j E_0\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(0)\right)\right)^2 + \rho(1-\rho)\left(\nabla_j E_1\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(h)\right)\right)^2 + (1-\rho)\left(\nabla_j E_2\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right)\right)^2 + \varepsilon} \right)^{-1} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma_0} + \varepsilon} - h \frac{\gamma_1}{2(\sqrt{\gamma_0} + \varepsilon)^2 \sqrt{\gamma_0}} + O(h^2) \\ &= \frac{1}{R_j^{(2)}\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right) + \varepsilon} - \frac{h}{\left(R_j^{(2)}\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right) + \varepsilon\right)^2 R_j^{(2)}\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right)} \\ &\quad \times \left( \rho^2(1-\rho)\nabla_j E_0\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_0\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right) \left( \frac{\nabla_i E_1\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right)}{R_i^{(1)}\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right) + \varepsilon} + \frac{\nabla_i E_0\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right)}{R_i^{(0)}\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right) + \varepsilon} \right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \rho(1-\rho)\nabla_j E_1\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right) \sum_{i=1}^p \frac{\nabla_{ij} E_1\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right) \nabla_i E_1\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right)}{R_i^{(1)}\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right) + \varepsilon} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{R_j^{(2)}\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right) + \varepsilon} - \frac{h P_j^{(2)}\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right)}{\left(R_j^{(2)}\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right) + \varepsilon\right)^2 R_j^{(2)}\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(2h)\right)} + O(h^2).\end{aligned}$$

□

{len:params-c-nth-step-complete}

**Lemma 10.3.** For  $n \in \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}$  we have

$$\begin{aligned}\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_j((n+1)h) &= \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_j(nh) \\ &\quad - h \frac{\nabla_j E_n\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)\right)}{R_j^{(n)}\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)\right) + \varepsilon} + h^2 \frac{\nabla_j E_n\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)\right) P_j^{(n)}\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)\right)}{\left(R_j^{(n)}\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)\right) + \varepsilon\right)^2 R_j^{(n)}\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)\right)} + O(h^3).\end{aligned}\tag{10.7}$$

{eq:params-nth-step-complete}

*Proof.* For  $n \in \{0, 1, \dots\}$ ,  $k \in \{0, \dots, n-1\}$  we have

$$\begin{aligned}&\nabla_j E_k\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(kh)\right) \\ &= \nabla_j E_k\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)\right) + h \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)\right) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E_l\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)\right)}{R_i^{(l)}\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)\right) + \varepsilon} + O(h^2),\end{aligned}$$

and then

$$\begin{aligned}&\rho^{n-k}(1-\rho)\left(\nabla_j E_k\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(kh)\right)\right)^2 = \rho^{n-k}(1-\rho)\left(\nabla_j E_k\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)\right)\right)^2 \\ &\quad + h \cdot 2\rho^{n-k}(1-\rho)\nabla_j E_k\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)\right) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)\right) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E_l\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)\right)}{R_i^{(l)}\left(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)\right) + \varepsilon} + O(h^2).\end{aligned}$$

Then we have

$$\sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(kh) \right) \right)^2 = R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh) \right)^2 + h \cdot 2P_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh) \right) + O(h^2),$$

and therefore

$$\begin{aligned} & \left( \sqrt{\sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(kh) \right) \right)^2} + \varepsilon \right)^{-1} \\ &= \frac{1}{R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh) \right) + \varepsilon} - h \frac{P_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh) \right)}{\left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh) \right) + \varepsilon \right)^2 R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh) \right)} + O(h^2). \end{aligned}$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_j((n+1)h) &= \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_j(nh) - h \nabla_j E_n \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh) \right) \\ &\times \left( \frac{1}{R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh) \right) + \varepsilon} - h \frac{P_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh) \right)}{\left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh) \right) + \varepsilon \right)^2 R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh) \right)} + O(h^2) \right) + O(h^3) \\ &= \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_j(nh) - h \frac{\nabla_j E_n \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh) \right)}{R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh) \right) + \varepsilon} + h^2 \frac{\nabla_j E_n \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh) \right) P_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh) \right)}{\left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh) \right) + \varepsilon \right)^2 R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh) \right)} + O(h^3). \end{aligned}$$

□

{lem: nth-step-modified-equation}

**Lemma 10.4.** For  $nh \leq t < (n+1)h$ , the modified equation is (2.2).

*Proof.* Assume that the modified flow for  $nh \leq t < (n+1)h$  satisfies  $\dot{\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}} = \tilde{\mathbf{f}}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))$  where

$$\tilde{\mathbf{f}}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = \mathbf{f}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + h \mathbf{f}_1(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + O(h^2).$$

By Taylor expansion, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}((n+1)h) &= \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh) + h \dot{\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}}(nh^+) + \frac{h^2}{2} \ddot{\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}}(nh^+) + O(h^3) \\ &= \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh) + h \left[ \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)) + h \mathbf{f}_1(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)) + O(h^2) \right] \\ &\quad + \frac{h^2}{2} \left[ \nabla \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)) \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)) + O(h) \right] + O(h^3) \\ &= \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh) + h \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)) + h^2 \left[ \mathbf{f}_1(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)) + \frac{\nabla \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)) \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh))}{2} \right] + O(h^3). \end{aligned} \tag{10.8}$$

{eq: nth-step-taylor-expansion}

Using Lemma 10.3 and equating the terms before the corresponding powers of  $h$  in (10.7) and (10.8), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} f_j(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &= -\frac{\nabla_j E_n(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon}, \\ f_{1,j}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &= -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_i f_j(\boldsymbol{\theta}) f_i(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \frac{\nabla_j E_n(\boldsymbol{\theta}) P_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{\left( R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon \right)^2 R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}. \end{aligned} \tag{10.9}$$

{eq: nth-step-f-breakdown}

It is left to find  $\nabla_i f_j(\boldsymbol{\theta})$ . Using

$$\nabla_i R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = \frac{\sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})},$$

we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \nabla_i \left( -\frac{\nabla_j E_n(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon} \right) \\ &= -\frac{\nabla_{ij} E_n(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \left( R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon \right) R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) - \nabla_j E_n(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{\left( R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon \right)^2 R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})} \\ &= -\frac{1}{\left( R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon \right)^2 R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})} \\ &\quad \times \left( \varepsilon \nabla_{ij} E_n(\boldsymbol{\theta}) R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \left[ \nabla_{ij} E_n(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) - \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_j E_n(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \right] \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \right). \end{aligned}$$

Inserting this into (10.9) concludes the proof.  $\square$

## 11 Modified RMSProp Analysis (to delete)

**Lemma 11.1.** *For  $0 \leq t < h$ , the modified equation is*

{lem:mod-first-step}

$$\dot{\tilde{\theta}}_j(t) = -\frac{\nabla_j E_0(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))}{R_j^{(0)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))} - \frac{h}{2} \sum_{i=1}^p \frac{\varepsilon \nabla_{ij} E_0(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t)) \nabla_i E_0(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))}{R_j^{(0)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))^3 R_i^{(0)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))}, \quad j \in \{1, \dots, p\}.$$

*Proof.* Note that  $\nu_j^{(1)} = R_j^{(0)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(0)})^2$ , therefore

$$\theta_j^{(1)} = \theta_j^{(0)} - h \frac{\nabla_j E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(0)})}{R_j^{(0)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(0)})}. \quad (11.1) \quad \text{{(eq:mod-paramc-first-step)}}$$

Assume that the modified flow for  $0 \leq t < h$  satisfies  $\dot{\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}} = \tilde{\mathbf{f}}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))$  where

$$\tilde{\mathbf{f}}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = \mathbf{f}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + h \mathbf{f}_1(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + O(h^2).$$

By Taylor expansion, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(h) &= \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(0) + h \dot{\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}}(0^+) + \frac{h^2}{2} \ddot{\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}}(0^+) + O(h^3) \\ &= \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(0) + h \left[ \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(0)) + h \mathbf{f}_1(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(0)) + O(h^2) \right] \\ &\quad + \frac{h^2}{2} \left[ \nabla \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(0)) \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(0)) + O(h) \right] + O(h^3) \\ &= \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(0) + h \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(0)) + h^2 \left[ \mathbf{f}_1(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(0)) + \frac{\nabla \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(0)) \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(0))}{2} \right] + O(h^3). \end{aligned} \quad (11.2) \quad \text{{(eq:mod-first-step-taylor-expansion)}}$$

Identifying  $\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(0)} = \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(0)$ ,  $\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(1)} = \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(h)$  and equating the terms before the corresponding powers of  $h$  in (11.1) and (11.2), we obtain

$$f_j(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = -\frac{\nabla_j E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_j^{(0)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}, \quad f_{1,j}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_i f_j(\boldsymbol{\theta}) f_i(\boldsymbol{\theta}).$$

Using

$$\nabla_i R_j^{(0)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = \frac{(1-\rho) \nabla_{ij} E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_j E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_j^{(0)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})},$$

we have

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla_i f_j(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &= -\frac{\nabla_{ij} E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta}) R_j^{(0)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) - \nabla_j E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_i R_j^{(0)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_j^{(0)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})^2} \\ &= -\frac{\nabla_{ij} E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta}) R_j^{(0)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})^2 - (1-\rho) \nabla_{ij} E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta}) (\nabla_j E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta}))^2}{R_j^{(0)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})^3} \\ &= -\frac{\varepsilon \nabla_{ij} E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_j^{(0)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})^3}, \end{aligned}$$

so we can conclude

$$f_{1,j}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^p \frac{\varepsilon \nabla_{ij} E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_i E_0(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_j^{(0)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})^3 R_i^{(0)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}. \quad \square$$

**Lemma 11.2.** For  $n \in \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{\theta}_j((n+1)h) &= \tilde{\theta}_j(nh) \\ &\quad - h \frac{\nabla_j E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh))}{R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh))} + h^2 \frac{\nabla_j E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)) P_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh))}{R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh))^3} + O(h^3). \end{aligned} \quad (11.3)$$

*Proof.* For  $n \in \{0, 1, \dots\}$ ,  $k \in \{0, \dots, n-1\}$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(kh)) \\ = \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)) + h \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E_l(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh))}{R_i^{(l)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh))} + O(h^2), \end{aligned}$$

and then

$$\begin{aligned} \rho^{n-k}(1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(kh)) \right)^2 &= \rho^{n-k}(1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)) \right)^2 \\ &\quad + h \cdot 2\rho^{n-k}(1-\rho) \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{\nabla_i E_l(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh))}{R_i^{(l)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh))} + O(h^2). \end{aligned}$$

Then we have

$$\sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k}(1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(kh)) \right)^2 + \varepsilon = R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh))^2 + h \cdot 2P_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)) + O(h^2),$$

and therefore

$$\left( \sqrt{\sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k}(1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(kh)) \right)^2 + \varepsilon} \right)^{-1}$$

$$= \frac{1}{R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh))} - h \frac{P_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh))}{R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh))^3} + O(h^2).$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{\theta}_j((n+1)h) &= \tilde{\theta}_j(nh) - h \nabla_j E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)) \\ &\quad \times \left( \frac{1}{R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh))} - h \frac{P_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh))}{R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh))^3} + O(h^2) \right) + O(h^3) \\ &= \tilde{\theta}_j(nh) - h \frac{\nabla_j E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh))}{R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh))} + h^2 \frac{\nabla_j E_n(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)) P_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh))}{R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh))^3} + O(h^3). \end{aligned}$$

□

**Lemma 11.3.** For  $nh \leq t < (n+1)h$ , the modified equation is (3.2).

{lem:mod-nth-step-modified-equation}

*Proof.* Assume that the modified flow for  $nh \leq t < (n+1)h$  satisfies  $\dot{\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}} = \tilde{\mathbf{f}}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))$  where

$$\tilde{\mathbf{f}}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = \mathbf{f}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + h \mathbf{f}_1(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + O(h^2).$$

By Taylor expansion, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}((n+1)h) &= \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh) + h \dot{\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}}(nh^+) + \frac{h^2}{2} \ddot{\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}}(nh^+) + O(h^3) \\ &= \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh) + h \left[ \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)) + h \mathbf{f}_1(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)) + O(h^2) \right] \\ &\quad + \frac{h^2}{2} \left[ \nabla \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)) \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)) + O(h) \right] + O(h^3) \\ &= \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh) + h \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)) + h^2 \left[ \mathbf{f}_1(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)) + \frac{\nabla \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh)) \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(nh))}{2} \right] + O(h^3). \end{aligned} \tag{11.4}$$

{eq:mod-nth-step-taylor-expansion}

Using Lemma 11.2 and equating the terms before the corresponding powers of  $h$  in (11.3) and (11.4), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} f_j(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &= -\frac{\nabla_j E_n(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}, \\ f_{1,j}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &= -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_i f_j(\boldsymbol{\theta}) f_i(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \frac{\nabla_j E_n(\boldsymbol{\theta}) P_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})^3}. \end{aligned} \tag{11.5}$$

{eq:mod-nth-step-f-breakdown}

It is left to find  $\nabla_i f_j(\boldsymbol{\theta})$ . Using

$$\nabla_i R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = \frac{\sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})},$$

we have

$$\begin{aligned} &\nabla_i \left( -\frac{\nabla_j E_n(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})} \right) \\ &= -\frac{\nabla_{ij} E_n(\boldsymbol{\theta}) R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})^2 - \nabla_j E_n(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})^3} \\ &= -\frac{1}{R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})^3} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \times \left( \varepsilon \nabla_{ij} E_n(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \right. \\ & \left. + \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \left[ \nabla_{ij} E_n(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) - \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_j E_n(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \right] \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \right). \end{aligned}$$

Inserting this into (11.5) concludes the proof.  $\square$

## 12 Adam Analysis (to delete)

We will use Definition 4.1 in this section.

**Lemma 12.1.** For  $n \in \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{\theta}_j(t_{n+1}) &= \tilde{\theta}_j(t_n) - h \frac{M_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))}{R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) + \varepsilon} \\ &+ h^2 \left( \frac{M_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) P_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))}{\left(R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) + \varepsilon\right)^2 R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))} - \frac{L_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))}{R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) + \varepsilon} \right) + O(h^3). \end{aligned} \quad (12.1)$$

*Proof.* For  $n \in \{0, 1, \dots\}$ ,  $k \in \{0, \dots, n-1\}$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k)) \\ &= \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) + h \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{M_i^{(l)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))}{R_i^{(l)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) + \varepsilon} + O(h^2), \end{aligned}$$

hence, taking the square of this formal power series,

$$\begin{aligned} & \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k)) \right)^2 = \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) \right)^2 \\ & + h \cdot 2\rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{M_i^{(l)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))}{R_i^{(l)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) + \varepsilon} + O(h^2). \end{aligned}$$

Summing up over  $k$ , we have

$$\frac{1}{1-\rho^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k)) \right)^2 = R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))^2 + 2h P_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) + O(h^2),$$

which, using the expression for the function  $\left( \sqrt{\sum_{r=0}^{\infty} a_r h^r} + \varepsilon \right)^{-1}$  of a formal power series  $\sum_{r=0}^{\infty} a_r h^r$ , gives us

$$\begin{aligned} & \left( \sqrt{\frac{1}{1-\rho^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k)) \right)^2} + \varepsilon \right)^{-1} \\ &= \frac{1}{R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) + \varepsilon} - h \frac{P_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))}{\left(R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) + \varepsilon\right)^2 R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))} + O(h^2). \end{aligned}$$

Similarly,

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{1}{1 - \beta^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n (1 - \beta) \beta^{n-k} \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right) &= \frac{1}{1 - \beta^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n (1 - \beta) \beta^{n-k} \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) \\
&+ \frac{h}{1 - \beta^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n (1 - \beta) \beta^{n-k} \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{M_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) + \varepsilon} + O \left( h^2 \right) \\
&= M_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) + h L_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) + O \left( h^2 \right).
\end{aligned}$$

We conclude

$$\begin{aligned}
\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_j(t_{n+1}) &= \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_j(t_n) - h \left( M_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) + h L_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) + O \left( h^2 \right) \right) \\
&\times \left( \frac{1}{R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) + \varepsilon} - h \frac{P_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)}{\left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) + \varepsilon \right)^2 R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)} + O \left( h^2 \right) \right) + O \left( h^3 \right) \\
&= \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_j(t_n) - h \frac{M_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)}{R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) + \varepsilon} \\
&+ h^2 \left( \frac{M_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) P_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)}{\left( R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) + \varepsilon \right)^2 R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)} - \frac{L_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)}{R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) + \varepsilon} \right) + O \left( h^3 \right). \quad \square
\end{aligned}$$

{(lem:adan-nth-step-modified-equation)}

**Lemma 12.2.** For  $t_n \leq t < t_{n+1}$ , the modified equation is (4.2).

*Proof.* Assume that the modified flow for  $t_n \leq t < t_{n+1}$  satisfies  $\dot{\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}} = \tilde{\mathbf{f}}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))$  where

$$\tilde{\mathbf{f}}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = \mathbf{f}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + h \mathbf{f}_1(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + O \left( h^2 \right).$$

By Taylor expansion, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_{n+1}) &= \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) + h \dot{\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}}(t_n^+) + \frac{h^2}{2} \ddot{\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}}(t_n^+) + O \left( h^3 \right) \\
&= \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) + h \left[ \mathbf{f} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) + h \mathbf{f}_1 \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) + O \left( h^2 \right) \right] \\
&+ \frac{h^2}{2} \left[ \nabla \mathbf{f} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) \mathbf{f} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) + O(h) \right] + O \left( h^3 \right) \\
&= \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) + h \mathbf{f} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) + h^2 \left[ \mathbf{f}_1 \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) + \frac{\nabla \mathbf{f} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) \mathbf{f} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)}{2} \right] + O \left( h^3 \right).
\end{aligned} \tag{12.2}$$

{{(eq:adan-nth-step-taylor-expansion)}}

Using Lemma 12.1 and equating the terms before the corresponding powers of  $h$  in (12.1) and (12.2), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
f_j(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &= - \frac{M_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon}, \\
f_{1,j}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &= - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_i f_j(\boldsymbol{\theta}) f_i(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \frac{M_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) P_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{\left( R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon \right)^2 R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})} - \frac{L_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon}.
\end{aligned} \tag{12.3}$$

{{(eq:adan-nth-step-f-breakdown)}}

It is left to find  $\nabla_i f_j(\boldsymbol{\theta})$ . Using

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla_i R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &= \frac{\sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{(1-\rho^{n+1}) R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}, \\ \nabla_i M_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &= \frac{\sum_{k=0}^n \beta^{n-k} (1-\beta) \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{1-\beta^{n+1}}\end{aligned}$$

we have

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla_i \left( -\frac{M_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon} \right) \\ = -\frac{\frac{R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) (R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon)}{1-\beta^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \beta^{n-k} (1-\beta) \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) - \frac{M_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{1-\rho^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{\left( R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon \right)^2 R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})} \\ = -\frac{\sum_{k=0}^n \beta^{n-k} (1-\beta) \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{(1-\beta^{n+1}) \left( R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon \right)} + \frac{M_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{(1-\rho^{n+1}) \left( R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \varepsilon \right)^2 R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}\end{aligned}$$

Inserting this into (12.3) concludes the proof.  $\square$

### 13 Modified Adam Analysis (to delete)

**Lemma 13.1.** *For  $n \in \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}$  we have*

$$\begin{aligned}\tilde{\theta}_j(t_{n+1}) &= \tilde{\theta}_j(t_n) - h \frac{M_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))}{R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))} \\ &\quad + h^2 \left( \frac{M_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) P_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))}{R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))^3} - \frac{L_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))}{R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))} \right) + O(h^3).\end{aligned}\tag{13.1}$$

*Proof.* For  $n \in \{0, 1, \dots\}$ ,  $k \in \{0, \dots, n-1\}$  we have

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k)) \\ = \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) + h \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{M_i^{(l)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))}{R_i^{(l)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))} + O(h^2),\end{aligned}$$

hence, taking the square of this formal power series,

$$\begin{aligned}\rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k)) \right)^2 &= \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) \right)^2 \\ &\quad + h \cdot 2\rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{M_i^{(l)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))}{R_i^{(l)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))} + O(h^2).\end{aligned}$$

Summing up over  $k$ , we have

$$\frac{1}{1-\rho^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k)) \right)^2 + \varepsilon = R_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))^2 + 2h P_j^{(n)}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) + O(h^2),$$



which, using the expression for the inverse square root  $(\sum_{r=0}^{\infty} a_r h^r)^{-1/2}$  of a formal power series  $\sum_{r=0}^{\infty} a_r h^r$ , gives us

$$\begin{aligned} & \left( \sqrt{\frac{1}{1-\rho^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \left( \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right) \right)^2} + \varepsilon \right)^{-1} \\ &= \frac{1}{R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)} - h \frac{P_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)}{R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)^3} + O(h^2). \end{aligned}$$

Similarly,

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{1-\beta^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n (1-\beta) \beta^{n-k} \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_k) \right) = \frac{1}{1-\beta^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n (1-\beta) \beta^{n-k} \nabla_j E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) \\ &+ \frac{h}{1-\beta^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n (1-\beta) \beta^{n-k} \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_{ij} E_k \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) \sum_{l=k}^{n-1} \frac{M_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)}{R_i^{(l)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)} + O(h^2) \\ &= M_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) + h L_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) + O(h^2). \end{aligned}$$

We conclude

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_j(t_{n+1}) &= \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_j(t_n) - h \left( M_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) + h L_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) + O(h^2) \right) \\ &\times \left( \frac{1}{R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)} - h \frac{P_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)}{R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)^3} + O(h^2) \right) + O(h^3) \\ &= \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_j(t_n) - h \frac{M_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)}{R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)} \\ &+ h^2 \left( \frac{M_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right) P_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)}{R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)^3} - \frac{L_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)}{R_j^{(n)} \left( \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) \right)} \right) + O(h^3). \end{aligned} \quad \square$$

**Lemma 13.2.** For  $t_n \leq t < t_{n+1}$ , the modified equation is (5.2).

*Proof.* Assume that the modified flow for  $t_n \leq t < t_{n+1}$  satisfies  $\dot{\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}} = \tilde{\mathbf{f}}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t))$  where

$$\tilde{\mathbf{f}}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = \mathbf{f}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + h \mathbf{f}_1(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + O(h^2).$$

By Taylor expansion, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_{n+1}) &= \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) + h \dot{\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}}(t_n^+) + \frac{h^2}{2} \ddot{\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}}(t_n^+) + O(h^3) \\ &= \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) + h \left[ \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) + h \mathbf{f}_1(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) + O(h^2) \right] \\ &+ \frac{h^2}{2} \left[ \nabla \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) + O(h) \right] + O(h^3) \\ &= \tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n) + h \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) + h^2 \left[ \mathbf{f}_1(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) + \frac{\nabla \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n)) \mathbf{f}(\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(t_n))}{2} \right] + O(h^3). \end{aligned} \quad (13.2)$$

Using Lemma 13.1 and equating the terms before the corresponding powers of  $h$  in (13.1) and (13.2), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} f_j(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &= -\frac{M_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}, \\ f_{1,j}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &= -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^p \nabla_i f_j(\boldsymbol{\theta}) f_i(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \frac{M_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) P_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})^3} - \frac{L_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}. \end{aligned} \quad (13.3)$$

It is left to find  $\nabla_i f_j(\boldsymbol{\theta})$ . Using

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla_i R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &= \frac{\sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{(1-\rho^{n+1}) R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}, \\ \nabla_i M_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) &= \frac{\sum_{k=0}^n \beta^{n-k} (1-\beta) \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{1-\beta^{n+1}} \end{aligned}$$

we have

$$\begin{aligned} &\nabla_i \left( -\frac{M_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})} \right) \\ &= -\frac{\frac{R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})^2}{1-\beta^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \beta^{n-k} (1-\beta) \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) - \frac{M_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{1-\rho^{n+1}} \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})^3} \\ &= -\frac{\sum_{k=0}^n \beta^{n-k} (1-\beta) \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{(1-\beta^{n+1}) R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})} + \frac{M_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \sum_{k=0}^n \rho^{n-k} (1-\rho) \nabla_{ij} E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \nabla_j E_k(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{(1-\rho^{n+1}) R_j^{(n)}(\boldsymbol{\theta})^3} \end{aligned}$$

Inserting this into (13.3) concludes the proof.  $\square$

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