# STRUCTURE PRESERVING EQUIVALENT MARTINGALE MEASURES FOR $\mathfrak{H}\text{-}\mathrm{SII}$ MODELS

#### DAVID CRIENS

ABSTRACT. In this article we relate the set of structure preserving equivalent martingale measures  $\mathcal{M}^{\mathrm{sp}}$  for financial models driven by semimartingales with conditionally independent increments to a set of measurable and integrable functions  $\mathcal{Y}$ . More precisely, we prove that  $\mathcal{M}^{\mathrm{sp}} \neq \emptyset$  if, and only if,  $\mathcal{Y} \neq \emptyset$ , and connect the sets  $\mathcal{M}^{\mathrm{sp}}$  and  $\mathcal{Y}$  to the semimartingale characteristics of the driving process. As examples we consider integrated Lévy models with independent stochastic factors and time-changed Lévy models and derive mild conditions for  $\mathcal{M}^{\mathrm{sp}} \neq \emptyset$ .

#### 1. Introduction

A class of stochastic models which reflects many statistical observations and yet has good analytical properties is the class of so-called  $\mathcal{H}$ -SII models. The stock price process S is defined by  $S = \exp(X)$ , where X is a semimartingale with  $\mathcal{H}$ -conditionally independent increments ( $\mathcal{H}$ -SII). Examples of  $\mathcal{H}$ -SII models are exponential Lévy models and the stochastic volatility models suggested by [1, 5, 9, 22].

We highlight that for pure-jump exponential Lévy models Eberlein and Jacod [6] established a precise description of the set  $\mathcal{M}^{sp}$  of SPEMMs in terms of a set of deterministic functions. This result is mathematically sharp and engages through its simple deterministic nature.

We show that such a result also holds for  $\mathcal{H}$ -SII models. More precisely, we prove that there exists a set of measurable and integrable functions  $\mathcal{Y}$  such that for each element in  $\mathcal{Y}$  there exists a corresponding measure in  $\mathcal{M}^{\mathrm{sp}}$  and vise versa.

To the best of our current knowledge, for  $\mathcal{H}$ -SII models the set  $\mathcal{M}^{\mathrm{sp}}$  was only studied for individual models, cf., e.g., [10, 18, 20, 21], and not from a general perspective. We stress that some key techniques of previous approaches to do not apply to a general setting. For example, in the discussion of  $\mathcal{M}^{\mathrm{sp}}$  for the Barndorf-Nielson and Shephard model in [20], the following fact is used: If  $\xi$  is a process independent of a Brownian motion W, then conditioned on  $\xi$  the random variable  $\int_0^T \xi_s \, \mathrm{d}W_s$  is Gaussian distributed. This claim relies on the fact that W stays a Brownian motion under the enlarged filtration which includes all informations on  $\xi$ , cf. Appendix B. Using that  $\int_0^T \xi_s \, \mathrm{d}W_s$  is Gaussian, the martingale property of a candidate density process for an element of  $\mathcal{M}^{\mathrm{sp}}$  can be computed directly. In more general situations one cannot hope to perform that kind of computations. Hence, a more robust argumentation is necessary.

At the core of the proof of Eberlein and Jacod [6] is the fact that an exponential Lévy process is a martingale if, and only if, it is a local martingale. This observation is also true in the case of  $\mathcal{H}$ -SIIs with absolutely continuous characteristics, cf. [16]. By reducing the claim to

Date: February 25, 2018.

<sup>2010</sup> Mathematics Subject Classification. 60G44, 60G48, 60G51, 91B70, 60G22.

Key words and phrases. equivalent martingale measure, conditionally independent increments, stochastic volatility model.

D. Criens - Technical University of Munich, Department of Mathematics, Germany, david.criens@tum.de.

semimartingales with independent increments (SIIs), for which the result was proven by Kallsen and Muhle-Karbe [15] exploiting a technique based on a change of measure, we generalize this observation to general  $\mathcal{H}$ -SIIs. In order to use this fact to construct a density processes of a measure in  $\mathcal{M}^{sp}$ , one has to show that the logarithm of a candidate density process is an  $\mathcal{H}$ -SII. This, however, requires in depth measurability considerations, cf. Appendix A. On the other hand, to obtain necessary conditions for  $\mathcal{M}^{sp} \neq \emptyset$ , we benefit from Girsanov's theorem and deep results on local absolute continuity of laws of semimartingales as given in [12].

Let us shortly summarize the structure of the article. In Section 2.1 we introduce our mathematical setting. Our main result is given in Section 2.2. We discuss the simplified situation of a quasi-left continuous driving process with continuous local martingale part in Section 2.3. In Section 3 we present examples such as a Black-Scholes-type model with independent stochastic volatility and an exponential Lévy model with independent stochastic time-change. The proof of our main result is given in Section 4.

# 2. STRUCTURE PRESERVING EQUIVALENT MARTINGALE MEASURES

Let T > 0 be a finite time horizon. All processes in this article are indexed on [0, T]. We fix a not-necessarily right-continuous filtration  $(\mathcal{F}_t^o)_{t \in [0,T]}$  on a measurable space  $(\Omega, \mathcal{F})$  and set  $\mathcal{F}_t \triangleq \mathcal{F}_{t+}^o$ . Throughout the entire article let  $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbf{F} \triangleq (\mathcal{F}_t)_{t \in [0,T]}, P)$  be the underlying filtered probability space. Note that we do not assume the *usual conditions*. For a careful discussion of the general theory of stochastic processes without assuming the usual conditions we refer to the monographs [8, 11].

Let  $\mathcal{H} \subseteq \mathcal{F}$  and consider the enlarged filtration  $\mathbf{G} \triangleq (\mathcal{G}_t)_{t \in [0,T]}$  given by  $\mathcal{G}_t \triangleq \mathcal{G}_{t+}^o$ , where  $\mathcal{G}_t^o \triangleq \mathcal{F}_t^o \vee \mathcal{H}$ . We impose the following assumption on the underlying filtered space.

**Standing Assumption 1.** The space  $\Omega$  is Polish and  $\mathcal{F}$  is its topological Borel  $\sigma$ -field. Moreover, for all  $t \in [0,T]$  the  $\sigma$ -fields  $\mathcal{H}$  and  $\mathcal{F}_t^o$  are countably generated.

The following lemma shows that many  $\sigma$ -fields are countably generated.

**Lemma 2.1.** Let  $(Y_t)_{t\geq 0}$  be a right- or left-continuous process with values in a Polish space. Then for  $t\in [0,T]$  the  $\sigma$ -field  $\sigma(Y_s,s\in [0,t])$  is countably generated.

*Proof:* It suffices to note that 
$$\sigma(Y_s, s \in [0, t]) = \sigma(Y_{s \wedge t}, s \in \mathbb{Q}_+).$$

An important consequence of Standing Assumption 1 is the existence of a regular conditional probability  $P(\cdot|\mathcal{H})(\cdot)$  from  $(\Omega,\mathcal{H})$  to  $(\Omega,\mathcal{F})$ , cf., e.g., [23, Theorem 9.2.1]. More precisely,  $P(\cdot|\mathcal{H})(\cdot)$  satisfies the following:

- (i) For all  $\omega \in \Omega$ ,  $A \mapsto P(A|\mathcal{H})(\omega)$  is a probability measure on  $(\Omega, \mathcal{F})$ .
- (ii) For all  $A \in \mathcal{F}$ ,  $\omega \mapsto P(A|\mathcal{H})(\omega)$  is  $\mathcal{H}$ -measurable.
- (iii) For all  $A \in \mathcal{F}$  the random variable  $P(A|\mathcal{H})$  is a P-version of  $E[\mathbf{1}_A|\mathcal{H}]$ .
- (iv) There exists a P-null set  $N \in \mathcal{H}$  such that for all  $\omega \in \mathcal{C}N$  and all  $G \in \mathcal{H}$  we have

(2.1) 
$$P(G|\mathcal{H})(\omega) = \mathbf{1}_G(\omega).$$

Part (iv) uses the assumption that the  $\sigma$ -field  $\mathcal H$  is countably generated. Let us shortly note two elementary observations.

**Remark 2.2.** (i) For all  $\mathcal{F}$ -measurable functions  $Y: \Omega \to \mathbb{R}^+$  the random variable  $\int Y(\omega)P(d\omega|\mathcal{H})$  is a P-version of the conditional expectation  $E[Y|\mathcal{H}]$ .

- (ii) For all P-a.s. events  $A \in \mathcal{F}$  there exists a P-null set  $N_A \in \mathcal{H}$  such that for all  $\omega \in \mathcal{C}N_A$  we have  $P(A|\mathcal{H})(\omega) = 1$ .
- 2.1. Semimartingales with  $\mathcal{H}$ -Conditionally Independent Increments. As observed by Grigelionis [7] semimartingales with  $\mathcal{H}$ -conditionally independent increments ( $\mathcal{H}$ -SIIs) can be characterized by measurability properties of their characteristics. Before we give a precise statement let us clarify some terminology. We say that  $B \in \mathcal{V}$  has an  $\mathcal{H}$ -measurable version, if for each  $t \in [0,T]$  the random variable  $B_t$  has an  $\mathcal{H}$ -measurable version. Denote by  $\mathcal{I}$  the set of all Borel functions  $g \colon \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$  with  $|g(x)| \leq 1 \wedge |x|^2$ . We say that a compensator  $\nu$  of a random measure of jumps has an  $\mathcal{H}$ -measurable version, if for all  $t \in [0,T]$  and all  $g \in \mathcal{I}$  the random variable  $\nu([0,t] \times g)$  has an  $\mathcal{H}$ -measurable version.

In this article we will fix a truncation function  $h: \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$ . Whenever we talk about (semi-martingale) characteristics, we refer to the characteristics corresponding to h.

**Definition 2.3.** We call a real-valued  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ -semimartingale which starts at zero an  $(\mathfrak{H}, \mathbf{F}, P)$ SII if its  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ -characteristics have an  $\mathfrak{H}$ -measurable P-version.

The following lemma can be used to deduce claims concerning  $\mathcal{H}$ -SIIs from results concerning semimartingales with independent increments. It is a consequence of [11, Lemma II.6.13, Corollary II.6.15].

- **Lemma 2.4.** A process Y is an  $(\mathfrak{H}, \mathbf{F}, P)$ -SII if and only if there exists a P-null set  $N \in \mathfrak{F}$  such that for all  $\omega \in \mathfrak{C}N$  the process Y is a  $(\{\Omega,\emptyset\}, \mathbf{G}, P(\cdot|\mathfrak{H})(\omega))$ -SII. In this case, the  $(\mathbf{G}, P(\cdot|\mathfrak{H})(\omega))$ -characteristics of Y coincide with the  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ -characteristics.
- 2.2. Structure Preserving Equivalent Martingale Measures. Let us now describe the class of financial models considered in this article.

**Standing Assumption 2.** The process X is an  $(\mathcal{H}, \mathbf{F}, P)$ -SII and also an  $(\mathbf{F}, P)$ -semimartingale whose  $(\mathbf{F}, P)$ - and  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ -characteristics coincide.

We discuss Standing Assumption 2 in Appendix B and give examples. The characteristics of X are denoted by  $(B^X, C^X, \nu^X)$ . Thanks to [11, Proposition II.2.9] we may w.l.o.g. assume that

(2.2) 
$$\{a \le 1\} = \Omega \times [0, T], \text{ where } a_t \triangleq \nu^X(\{t\} \times \mathbb{R}).$$

The stock price process S of an  $\mathcal{H}$ -SII model is given by

$$S_t \triangleq e^{X_t}, \quad t \in [0, T].$$

Clearly, the assumption  $S_0 = 1$  is no restriction and serves only the purpose of notational convenience. Let us now define our key objects of interest.

**Definition 2.5.** We denote by  $\mathfrak{M}^{\mathrm{sp}}$  the set of structure preserving equivalent martingale measures, i.e. all probability measure Q on  $(\Omega, \mathfrak{F})$  such that the following holds:

- (i)  $Q \sim P$ .
- (ii) S is an  $(\mathbf{F}, Q)$ -martingale.
- (iii) X is an  $(\mathcal{H}, \mathbf{F}, Q)$ -SII.
- (iv) The  $(\mathbf{F}, Q)$  and  $(\mathbf{G}, Q)$ -characteristics of X coincide.

In our setting we do not need to distinguish between structure preserving equivalent true, local or sigma martingale measures, since all exponential  $\mathcal{H}$ -SIIs which are sigma martingales are martingales, cf. Lemma 4.1 below.

**Definition 2.6.** We define  $\forall$  to be the set of all tuple  $(\beta, U)$  which satisfy the following:  $\beta$  is a real-valued  $\mathbf{F}$ -predictable process and U is a  $[0, \infty)$ -valued  $\mathfrak{P}(\mathbf{F}) \otimes \mathfrak{B}$ -measurable function such that

- (i)  $\{U > 0\} = \{a' \le 1\} = \Omega \times [0, T] \text{ and } \{a = 1\} = \{a' = 1\}, \text{ where } a'_t \triangleq \int_{\mathbb{R}} U(t, x) \nu^X(\{t\} \times dx).$
- (ii) P-a.s. it holds that  $|h(x)(U-1)| \star \nu_T^X < \infty$  and

(2.3) 
$$H_T \triangleq \beta^2 \cdot C_T^X + \left(1 - \sqrt{U}\right)^2 \star \nu_T^X + \sum_{s \in [0,T]} \left(\sqrt{1 - a_s} - \sqrt{1 - a_s'}\right)^2 < \infty.$$

(iii) P-a.s. it holds that  $(e^x-1)U\mathbf{1}_{\{x>1\}}\star \nu_T^X<\infty$  and that for all  $t\in[0,T]$ 

(2.4) 
$$B_t^X + \left(\beta + \frac{1}{2}\right) \cdot C_t^X + \left((e^x - 1)U - h(x)\right) \star \nu_t^X + \sum_{s \in [0,t]} \left(\log(1 + \widetilde{V}_s) - \widetilde{V}_s\right) = 0,$$

where  $\widetilde{V}_t \triangleq \int_{\mathbb{R}} (e^x - 1) U(t, x) \nu^X(\{t\} \times dx).$ 

(iv) the modified characteristics

$$(2.5) B \triangleq B^X + \beta \cdot C^X + h(x)(U-1) \star \nu^X, C \triangleq C^X, \nu \triangleq U \cdot \nu^X,$$

have a P-version which is H-measurable.

Motivated by Girsanov's theorem [11, Theorem III.3.24], the elements in  $\mathcal{Y}$  are called Girsanov quantities. The function U is used to influence the jump structure of X and both U and  $\beta$  change the drift of X. If U is given by  $U(t,x) = \frac{e^{\beta_t x}}{1+\widehat{W}_t}$ , where  $\widehat{W}_t \triangleq \int_{\mathbb{R}} \left(e^{\beta_t x} - 1\right) \nu^X(\{t\} \times dx)$ , then  $(\beta, U)$  correspond to the famous Esscher measure, cf., e.g., [17]. The equation (2.4) is often called market price of risk equation (MPRE).

The set  $\{a > 0\}$  is thin. Consequently, as a section of a thin set,  $\{t \in [0, T]: a_t(\omega) > 0\}$  is at most countable and the sums in Definition 2.6 (ii) and (iii) are well-defined. Part (ii) of Definition 2.6 implies that  $B \in \mathcal{V}(\mathbf{F}, P)$ . Note that

$$(1\wedge|x|^2)U\star\nu_t^X\leq 4(1\wedge|x|^2)\star\nu_t^X+4\left(1-\sqrt{U}\right)^2\star\nu_t^X.$$

Hence,  $U \cdot \nu^X$  makes sense as a candidate for a compensator.

Now, we are in the position to state our main result, which generalizes [6, Proposition 1] to  $\mathcal{H}$ -SII models. For a detailed proof we refer to Section 4 below.

# Theorem 2.7. We have

$$y \neq \emptyset \iff \mathcal{M}^{sp} \neq \emptyset.$$

Moreover, the following holds:

- (i) For each  $(\beta, U) \in \mathcal{Y}$  there exists a  $Q \in \mathcal{M}^{sp}$  such that the  $(\mathbf{F}, Q)$  and  $(\mathbf{G}, Q)$ characteristics of X are given by (2.5).
- (ii) For each  $Q \in \mathcal{M}^{sp}$  there exists a pair  $(\beta, U) \in \mathcal{Y}$  such that X has  $(\mathbf{F}, Q)$  and  $(\mathbf{G}, Q)$ characteristics given by (2.5).

We stress that the integrability assumptions in the definition of y have an almost sure character in contrast to classical exponential moment conditions of Novikov-type, which are typically imposed to guarantee the existence of an EMM.

We give a short outline of the proof of Theorem 2.7. For given Girsanov quantities  $(\beta, U)$  we may define the candidate density process

$$(2.6) Z \triangleq \mathcal{E}\left(\beta \cdot X^c + \left\{U - 1 + \frac{a' - a}{1 - a} \mathbf{1}_{\{a < 1\}}\right\} \star \left(\mu^X - \nu^X\right)\right).$$

We show in Lemma 4.2 below that (i), (ii) and (iv) of Definition 2.6 imply that Z is a positive martingale. The proof is based on the observation that  $\log Z$  is an  $\mathcal{H}$ -SII and that exponential  $\mathcal{H}$ -SIIs are martingales if they are local martingales. Now, we define a candidate measure Q for  $\mathcal{M}^{\text{sp}}$  by  $Q(G) = E_P[Z_T \mathbf{1}_G]$  for  $G \in \mathcal{F}$ .

On the infinite time horizon Z may not be a uniformly integrable martingale. This is the only point where the proof of sufficiency depends on the finite time horizon. However, when we consider an infinite time horizon, we can define the consistent family  $(\mathcal{F}_t, Q_t)_{t\geq 0}$  by  $Q_t(G) = E^P[Z_t \mathbf{1}_G]$  for  $G \in \mathcal{F}_t$ . Now, if the filtered space  $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbf{F})$  allows extensions of consistent families, there exists a probability measure Q on  $(\Omega, \mathcal{F})$  such that  $Q = Q_t$  on  $\mathcal{F}_t$  for all  $t \in [0, \infty)$ . Since Z is positive, this implies that Q and P are locally equivalent. These considerations lead to a local version of Theorem 2.7. We stress that classical path spaces allow the extension of consistent families, cf. [3, Proposition 3.9.17].

Checking that Q satisfies (ii) and (iii) of Definition 2.5 is identical for the finite and the infinite time horizon.

Let us also comment on the converse direction. If  $Q \in \mathcal{M}^{\mathrm{sp}}$ , then Girsanov's theorem yields the existence of candidate Girsanov quantities  $(\beta, U)$ . The integrability conditions follow from general results on absolute continuity of laws of semimartingales and the equivalence of P and Q allows a modification of  $(\beta, U)$  such that Definition 2.6 (i) is satisfied. These results can be applied irrespective of a finite or an infinite time horizon.

2.3.  $\mathcal{H}$ -SII Models with Continuous Local Martingale Part. Let us shortly discuss a simplified situation in which X has a non-trivial continuous local martingale part.

It is well-known that the  $(\mathbf{F}, P)$ -characteristics of X have a decomposition

$$B^X = b^X \cdot A^X$$
,  $C^X = c^X \cdot A^X$ ,  $\nu^X = F^X \otimes A^X$ ,

cf. [11, Proposition II.2.9]. Here,  $A^X$  is an **F**-predictable process in  $\mathcal{A}^+_{loc}(\mathbf{F},P)$ ,  $b^X$  is an **F**-predictable process,  $c^X$  is an **F**-predictable non-negative process and  $F^X_{\omega,t}(\mathrm{d}x)$  is a transition kernel from  $(\Omega \times [0,T], \mathcal{P}(\mathbf{F}))$  to  $(\mathbb{R},\mathcal{B})$ . We call  $(b^X,c^X,F^X;A^X)$  local  $(\mathbf{F},P)$ -characteristics of X. Thanks to Standing Assumption 2,  $(b^X,c^X,F^X;A^X)$  are also local  $(\mathbf{G},P)$ -characteristics of X.

**Corollary 2.8.** Suppose that  $\nu^X(\{t\} \times \mathbb{R}) = 0$  for all  $t \in [0,T]$ , that  $c^X \neq 0$  and that there exists an  $\mathcal{H} \otimes \mathcal{B}([0,T]) \otimes \mathcal{B}$ - and  $\mathcal{P}(\mathbf{F}) \otimes \mathcal{B}$ -measurable positive function U such that P-a.s.

$$|h(x)(U-1)| \star \nu_T^X + |e^x - 1|U\mathbf{1}_{\{x>1\}} \star \nu_T^X + \beta^2 \cdot C_T^X + \left(1 - \sqrt{U}\right)^2 \star \nu_T^X < \infty,$$

where

(2.7) 
$$\beta \triangleq -\frac{1}{c^X} \left( \frac{1}{2} c^X + b^X + \int_{\mathbb{R}} \left( (e^x - 1) U(\cdot, x) - h(x) \right) F^X(\mathrm{d}x) \right),$$

then  $\mathfrak{M}^{\mathrm{sp}} \neq \emptyset$ . Moreover, there exists a  $Q \in \mathfrak{M}^{\mathrm{sp}}$  such that X has local  $(\mathbf{F}, Q)$ - and local  $(\mathbf{G}, Q)$ -characteristics  $(b^{Q,X}, c^X, F^{Q,X}; A^X)$ , where

$$b^{Q,X} = -\left(\frac{1}{2}c^X + \int_{\mathbb{R}} \left(e^x - 1 - h(x)\right)U(\cdot, x)F^X(\mathrm{d}x)\right)$$

and  $F^{Q,X}(\mathrm{d}x) = U(\cdot, x)F^X(\mathrm{d}x)$ .

*Proof:* If  $(\beta, U) \in \mathcal{Y}$ , then Theorem 2.7 implies the claims. It is assumed that  $(\beta, U)$  satisfies (i), (ii) and (iii) of Definition 2.6. Moreover,  $(\beta, U)$  also satisfies (iv) thanks to Lemma A.2 (i) in Appendix A. This concludes the proof.

If we may choose U=1 there exists a measure  $Q\in \mathcal{M}^{\mathrm{sp}}$  which does not change the jump structure of X.

#### 3. Examples

In this section we discuss two examples. Firstly, we investigate a generalization of the Nobel Prize winning model of Black and Scholes [4], introducing an additional independent stochastic factor, which for instance may be a fractional Brownian motion. Secondly, we consider a time-changed Lévy model as introduced by Carr, Geman, Madan and Yor [5].

3.1. A Generalized Black-Scholes Model with Independent Factor. Let  $\mathbf{F}, \mathcal{H}, Y$  and  $V \triangleq (I, W)$  be as in Example B.2 in Appendix B. Here, we denote  $I_t = t$ . Then Standing Assumption 1 holds. We assume that W is a Brownian motion which is P-independent of Y. Moreover, let  $\gamma \colon \mathbb{D}^m \times [0, T] \to \mathbb{R}$  and  $\sigma \colon \mathbb{D}^m \times [0, T] \to (0, \infty)$  be such that  $\gamma(Y), \sigma(Y)$  are  $\mathbf{F}^Y$ -predictable and

(3.1) 
$$P\left(\int_0^T |\gamma(Y,s)| \, \mathrm{d}s + \int_0^T \sigma(Y,s)^2 \, \mathrm{d}s < \infty\right) = 1.$$

We now set

$$X \triangleq \int_0^{\cdot} \gamma(Y, s) \, \mathrm{d}s + \sigma(Y) \cdot W.$$

Standing Assumption 2 holds thanks to Corollary B.4 in Appendix B. We obtain very mild sufficient and necessary conditions for  $\mathcal{M}^{sp} \neq \emptyset$ .

Corollary 3.1.  $\mathcal{M}^{sp} \neq \emptyset$  if, and only if,

(3.2) 
$$P\left(\int_0^T \left(\frac{\gamma(Y,s)}{\sigma(Y,s)}\right)^2 \mathrm{d}s < \infty\right) = 1.$$

Proof: The implication  $\Leftarrow$  follows from Corollary 2.8 and (3.1). If  $\mathbb{M}^{\mathrm{sp}} \neq \emptyset$ , then Theorem 2.7 yields that the MPRE (2.4) has a solution  $\beta$  such that P-a.s.  $\beta^2 \cdot C_T^X < \infty$ . We obtain that  $\beta \sigma^2(Y) = -\gamma(Y) - \sigma^2(Y)/2$  up to a  $P \otimes \mathrm{d}t$ -null set. Hence, we deduce (3.2) from (3.1) together with P-a.s.  $\beta^2 \cdot C_T^X < \infty$ .

3.2. CGMY-Model with Independent Stochastic Volatility. We pose ourselves in the setting introduced in Example B.5 in Appendix B. Let Y be an Ornstein-Uhlenbeck process driven by a Lévy subordinator L with constant initial value  $Y_0 > 0$  and parameter  $\lambda > 0$ . More precisely, we assume that

$$Y_t \triangleq Y_0 e^{-\lambda t} + e^{-\lambda(t-s)} \cdot L_t, \quad t \in [0, T].$$

From this definition we immediately deduce that for all  $t \in [0, T]$ 

$$(3.3) Y_t > Y_0 e^{-\lambda t} > Y_0 e^{-\lambda T} > 0.$$

Let V be a one-dimensional Lévy process with Lévy-Khinchine triplet  $(b^V, c^V, F^V)$  and that  $h(x) = x \mathbf{1}_{\{|x| \le 1\}}$ . Then, we set

$$X_t \triangleq \mu t + V_{\int_0^t Y_{s-} ds}, \quad t \in [0, T].$$

Note that both Standing Assumptions 1 and 2 hold.

**Proposition 3.2.** Assume that  $\int_{\mathbb{R}} (1 \wedge |x|) F^V(dx) < \infty$ . Then  $\mathfrak{M}^{sp} \neq \emptyset$  if at least one of the following conditions hold:

- (i)  $c^V \neq 0$ .
- (ii)  $F^V((-\infty, -1)) > 0$  and  $F^V((1, \infty)) > 0$ .

*Proof:* (i). The local characteristics of X are given as in Lemma B.6 in Appendix B. We choose

$$U(\omega, t, x) \triangleq \frac{1}{1 - e^x} \mathbf{1}_{\{x < -1\}} + \frac{x}{e^x - 1} \mathbf{1}_{\{|x| \le 1\} \setminus \{0\}} + \mathbf{1}_{\{0\}} + \frac{1}{e^x - 1} \mathbf{1}_{\{x > 1\}},$$
$$\beta_t \triangleq \frac{-\mu}{c^V Y_{t-}} - \frac{1}{c^V} \left( b^V + \int_{\mathbb{P}} \left( \mathbf{1}_{\{x > 1\}} - \mathbf{1}_{\{x < -1\}} \right) F^V(\mathrm{d}x) \right) - \frac{1}{2}.$$

Obviously, U is positive and  $\mathcal{H} \otimes \mathcal{B}([0,T]) \otimes \mathcal{B}$ - and  $\mathcal{P}(\mathbf{F}) \otimes \mathcal{B}$ -measurable. Taylor's theorem yields the existence of a non-negative constant K such that

$$|h(x)(U(x)-1)| + \left(1 - \sqrt{U(x)}\right)^2 + (e^x - 1)U\mathbf{1}_{\{x>1\}} \le K(1 \wedge |x|).$$

The assumption that  $1 \wedge |x|$  is  $F^V$ -integrable and the bound (3.3) yield that the integrability condition of Corollary 2.8, and hence the claim, holds.

(ii). W.l.o.g. we may assume that  $c^V = 0$ . We set  $\beta \triangleq 0$  and

$$\begin{split} U(t,x) &\triangleq & \left(\frac{b^V \mathbf{1}_{\{b^V \geq 0\}} + Y_{t-}^{-1} \mu \mathbf{1}_{\{\mu \geq 0\}}}{(1-e^x)F^V((-\infty,-1))} + \frac{F^V((1,\infty))}{1-e^x}\right) \mathbf{1}_{\{x<-1\}} \\ & + \left(\frac{-b^V \mathbf{1}_{\{b^V < 0\}} - Y_{t-}^{-1} \mu \mathbf{1}_{\{\mu < 0\}}}{(e^x-1)F^V((1,\infty))} + \frac{F^V((-\infty,-1))}{e^x-1}\right) \mathbf{1}_{\{x>1\}} \\ & + \frac{x}{e^x-1} \mathbf{1}_{\{|x| \leq 1\} \setminus \{0\}} + \mathbf{1}_{\{0\}}. \end{split}$$

Part (i) of Definition 2.6 trivially holds and it is routine to check that (iii) is satisfied. Part (ii) follows by Taylor's theorem as above. Since U is  $\mathcal{H} \otimes \mathcal{B}([0,T]) \otimes \mathcal{B}$ -measurable, Lemma A.2 in Appendix A yields part (iv). Hence  $(0,U) \in \mathcal{Y}$  and the claim follows from Theorem 2.7.

# 4. Proof of Theorem 2.7

4.1. Martingale Property of Exponential  $\mathcal{H}$ -SII Processes. The following lemma generalizes [16, Lemma A.1] to arbitrary  $\mathcal{H}$ -SIIs.

**Lemma 4.1.** Let Y be an  $(\mathfrak{H}, \mathbf{F}, P)$ -SII with  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ -characteristics  $(B^Y, C^Y, \nu^Y)$ .

- (i) The following are equivalent:
  - (I)  $e^Y$  is an  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ -martingale.
  - (II)  $e^Y$  is a local ( $\mathbf{G}, P$ )-martingale.
  - (III)  $e^Y$  is a sigma  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ -martingale.
  - (IV) We have  $e^x \mathbf{1}_{\{x>1\}} \star \nu^Y \in \mathcal{V}(\mathbf{G}, P)$  and P-a.s.

(4.1) 
$$B^{Y} + \frac{1}{2}C^{Y} + (e^{x} - 1 - h(x)) \star \nu^{Y} + \sum_{s \in [0, \cdot]} \left( \log(1 + \widehat{Y}_{s}) - \widehat{Y}_{s} \right) = 0,$$

$$where \ \widehat{Y}_{t} \triangleq \int_{\mathbb{R}} (e^{x} - 1) \nu^{Y}(\{t\} \times dx).$$

(ii) In addition, if Y is an  $(\mathbf{F}, P)$ -semimartingale and its  $(\mathbf{F}, P)$ -characteristics coincide with  $(B^Y, C^Y, \nu^Y)$ , then  $(I) \iff (II) \iff (IV)$  where (I) - (IV) are given as in (i) with  $\mathbf{G}$  replaced by  $\mathbf{F}$ .

Proof: (i). The implication (I)  $\Longrightarrow$  (II) is trivial and the implication (II)  $\Longrightarrow$  (III) holds due to [11, Proposition III.6.34]. The implication (III)  $\Longrightarrow$  (II) follows from the fact that non-negative sigma martingales are local martingales, cf. [11, p. 216]. An exponential semimartingale is a local martingale if, and only if, it is exponentially special and its exponential compensator vanishes, cf. [17, Lemma 2.15]. Hence, the equivalence (II)  $\iff$  (IV) follows from [17, Lemma 2.13, Theorem 2.18, Theorem 2.19]. It is left to prove the implication (IV)  $\implies$  (I). Thanks to the equivalence (III)  $\iff$  (IV) and [14, Proposition 3.1], the process  $e^Y$  is a non-negative ( $\mathbf{G}, P$ )-supermartingale. Thus, we have to show that  $E_P[e^{Y_T}] = 1$ . Thanks to Remark 2.2 (ii), Lemma 2.4 and [17, Lemma 2.13, Theorem 2.18, Theorem 2.19] P-a.s. the process Y is a ( $\{\Omega,\emptyset\}$ ,  $\mathbf{G}, P(\cdot|\mathcal{H})$ )-SII and  $e^Y$  is P-a.s. a local ( $\mathbf{G}, P(\cdot|\mathcal{H})$ )-martingale. Hence, using [15, Proposition 3.12], the process  $e^Y$  is P-a.s. a ( $\mathbf{G}, P(\cdot|\mathcal{H})$ )-martingale. This implies that P-a.s.  $\int_{\Omega} e^{Y_T(\omega')} P(\mathrm{d}\omega'|\mathcal{H}) = 1$ . Taking P-expectation finishes the proof.

- (ii). (I)  $\Longrightarrow$  (II)  $\Longleftrightarrow$  (III)  $\Longleftrightarrow$  (IV) follow as in (i). Thanks to (i), (IV) implies  $E_P[e^{Y_T}] = 1$ . Hence, we can also conclude (IV)  $\Longrightarrow$  (I).
- 4.2. A Candidate Density Process. Standing Assumption 2 and [11, Theorem II.2.34] imply that the continuous local  $(\mathbf{F}, P)$  and  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ -martingale parts of X coincide. We denote them by  $X^c$ .

**Lemma 4.2.** Let  $(\beta, U) \in \mathcal{Y}$ , then the process Z as given by (2.6) is a positive  $(\mathbf{F}, P)$ - and  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ -martingale.

Proof: Let us start by showing that Z is a positive local  $(\mathbf{F},P)$ - and  $(\mathbf{G},P)$ -martingale. We have  $\mathbf{F} \subseteq \mathbf{G}$ , i.e.  $\mathcal{F}_t \subseteq \mathcal{G}_t$  for all  $t \in [0,T]$ . Since  $\beta$  is  $\mathbf{F}$ -predictable,  $\mathbf{F} \subseteq \mathbf{G}$  implies that  $\beta$  is  $\mathbf{G}$ -predictable. Now, P-a.s.  $\beta^2 \cdot C_T^X < \infty$  yields that  $\beta \cdot X^c$  is a local  $(\mathbf{F},P)$ - and  $(\mathbf{G},P)$ -martingale. We denote

$$V(t,x) \triangleq U(t,x) - 1 + \frac{a'_t - a_t}{1 - a_t} \mathbf{1}_{\{a_t < 1\}},$$

$$\widehat{V}(t,x) \triangleq \int_{\mathbb{R}} V(t,x) \nu^X(\{t\} \times dx) = \frac{a'_t - a_t}{1 - a_t} \mathbf{1}_{\{a_t < 1\}},$$

where we use that  $\{a=1\} = \{a'=1\}$ . Recalling  $\mathbf{F} \subseteq \mathbf{G}$ , we obtain that V is  $\mathcal{P}(\mathbf{F}) \otimes \mathcal{B}$ - and  $\mathcal{P}(\mathbf{G}) \otimes \mathcal{B}$ -measurable. Moreover, we have

(4.2) 
$$\widetilde{V}_t \triangleq V(t, \Delta X_t) \mathbf{1}_{\{\Delta X_t \neq 0\}} - \widehat{V}_t = \begin{cases} U(t, \Delta X_t) - 1, & \text{on } \{\Delta X_t \neq 0\}, \\ -\frac{a'_t - a_t}{1 - a_t} \mathbf{1}_{\{a_t < 1\}}, & \text{on } \{\Delta X_t = 0\}. \end{cases}$$

Since  $\{U>0\} = \Omega \times [0,T]$  and  $\{a'<1\} = \{a<1\}$ , we have  $\{\widetilde{V}>-1\} = \Omega \times [0,T]$ . Now, [11, Theorem II.1.33 d)] yields that  $V \star (\mu^X - \nu^X)$  is a local  $(\mathbf{F},P)$ - and  $(\mathbf{G},P)$ -martingale if P-a.s.

$$K_T \triangleq \left(1 + \sqrt{1 + V - \hat{V}}\right)^2 \star \nu_T^X + \sum_{s \in [0, T]} \left(1 - a_s\right) \left(1 - \sqrt{1 - \hat{V}_s^2}\right)^2 < \infty.$$

This holds since  $K_T \leq H_T$  and P-a.s.  $H_T < \infty$ , cf. (2.3) for the definition of  $H_T$ . Therefore, Z is a local  $(\mathbf{F}, P)$ - and  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ -martingale, which is positive due to the fact that  $\{\widetilde{V} > -1\} = \Omega \times [0, T]$  together with [11, Theorem I.4.61 c)].

Using Lemma 4.1, Z is a  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ -martingale if  $\log Z$  is an  $(\mathcal{H}, \mathbf{F}, P)$ -SII. Since Z is an  $(\mathbf{F}, P)$ -supermartingale, this also yields that Z is an  $(\mathbf{F}, P)$ -martingale. We proceed in two steps: Firstly, we compute the  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ -characteristics of  $\log Z$ . Secondly, we show that they have  $\mathcal{H}$ -measurable P-versions. We define the local  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ -martingale  $N \triangleq \beta \cdot X^c + V \star (\mu^X - \nu^X)$  and denote its  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ -characteristics by  $(B^N, C^N, \nu^N)$ . The continuous local  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ -martingale part of N is given by  $\beta \cdot X^c$  and hence  $C^N = \beta^2 \cdot C^X$ . Similarly as in [13], it follows that the  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ -compensator  $\nu^N$  of  $\mu^N$  is given by

(4.3) 
$$\mathbf{1}_{G} \star \nu^{N} = \mathbf{1}_{G} (U - 1) \star \nu^{X} + \sum_{t \in [0, \cdot]} \mathbf{1}_{\{a_{t} > 0\}} \mathbf{1}_{G} \left( -\frac{a'_{t} - a_{t}}{1 - a_{t}} \right) (1 - a_{t}),$$

for  $G \in \mathcal{B}, 0 \notin G$ . Since N is a local  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ -martingale, [11, Proposition II.2.29] yields that  $B^N(h') = -(x - h'(x)) \star \nu^N$ . Since identically  $\Delta N = \tilde{V} > -1$ , [11, Theorem II.8.10] yields that  $\log Z$  has  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ -characteristics given by

$$(4.4) B^{\log Z} = B^N - \frac{1}{2}C^N + \left(h(\log(1+x)) - h(x)\right) \star \nu^N,$$
$$C^{\log Z} = C^N, \quad \mathbf{1}_A \star \nu^{\log Z} = \mathbf{1}_A(\log(1+x)) \star \nu^N, \quad A \in \mathcal{B}, 0 \notin A.$$

Since  $\nu^X$  and  $U \cdot \nu^X$  have  $\mathcal{H}$ -measurable P-versions and P-a.s.  $|h(x)(U-1)| \star \nu_T^X < \infty$ , Lemma A.2 (i) in Appendix A yields that  $h(x)(U-1) \star \nu^X$  has an  $\mathcal{H}$ -measurable P-version. Hence, since  $B^X$  and  $B^X + \beta \cdot C^X + h(x)(U-1) \star \nu^X$  have  $\mathcal{H}$ -measurable P-versions, so does  $\beta \cdot C^X$ . Now Lemma A.3 in Appendix A implies that  $C^N$  has an  $\mathcal{H}$ -measurable P-version. Recalling (4.3), Lemma A.2 (i) and (ii) yield that  $\nu^N$  has an  $\mathcal{H}$ -measurable P-version. For all  $g \in \mathcal{I}$  we have  $|g(\log(1+x))| \leq 3(1 \wedge |x|^2)$ . Moreover, P-a.s.  $(|x-h'(x)| + |h(\log(1+x)) - h(x)|) \star \nu_T^N < \infty$  follows from P-a.s.  $(|x| \wedge |x|^2) \star \nu_T^N < \infty$ , cf. [11, Proposition II.2.29]. Therefore, since  $\nu^N$  has an  $\mathcal{H}$ -measurable P-version, Lemma A.2 (i) implies that  $B^{\log Z}(h)$  and  $\nu^{\log Z}$  also have  $\mathcal{H}$ -measurable P-versions. This concludes the proof.

**Remark 4.3.** The statement of Lemma 4.2 stays true if the pair  $(\beta, U)$  only satisfies (i), (ii) and (iv) in Definition 2.6.

4.3. **Proof of Theorem 2.7.** Let  $(\beta, U) \in \mathcal{Y}$  and Z as in (2.6). Thanks to Lemma 4.2, Z is a positive  $(\mathbf{F}, P)$ - and  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ -martingale. Define Q by  $Q(A) = E^P[Z_T \mathbf{1}_A]$  for  $A \in \mathcal{F}$ . Since P-a.s.  $Z_T > 0$ , it holds that  $Q \sim P$ . Thanks to the martingale property of Z,  $Q(A) = E^P[Z_t \mathbf{1}_A]$  for  $A \in \mathcal{G}_t$  and  $t \in [0, T]$ . From (4.2) it follows that P-a.s.  $\langle Z^c, X^c \rangle^{P, \mathbf{K}} = Z_- \beta \cdot C^X$  and  $M_{\mu X}^P(Z|\mathcal{P}(\mathbf{K}) \otimes \mathcal{B}) = Z_- U$  for  $\mathbf{K} \in \{\mathbf{F}, \mathbf{G}\}$ . Now, using Girsanov's theorem [11, Theorem III.3.24], X is an  $(\mathbf{F}, Q)$ - and  $(\mathbf{G}, Q)$ -semimartingale with  $(\mathbf{F}, Q)$ - and  $(\mathbf{G}, Q)$ -characteristics given by (2.5). Since  $(\beta, U) \in \mathcal{Y}$  and  $Q \sim P$ , these characteristics have an  $\mathcal{H}$ -measurable Q-version, i.e. X is an  $(\mathcal{H}, \mathbf{F}, Q)$ -SII. Moreover, since the MPRE (2.4) holds, S is an  $(\mathbf{F}, Q)$ -martingale by Lemma 4.1. Therefore, we have shown that (i) holds and  $\mathcal{Y} \neq \emptyset \Longrightarrow \mathcal{M}^{\mathrm{sp}} \neq \emptyset$ .

Next, we prove (ii) and  $\mathcal{M}^{\mathrm{sp}} \neq \emptyset \Longrightarrow \mathcal{Y} \neq \emptyset$ . Take  $Q \in \mathcal{M}^{\mathrm{sp}}$  and denote the **F**-density process of Q w.r.t. P by  $Z^*$ . For all  $t \in [0,T]$  we have  $Q(Z_t^* = 0) = E_P[Z_t^* \mathbf{1}_{\{Z_t^* = 0\}}] = 0$ . In view of [11, Proposition I.2.4, Theorem III.3.4], we also have  $Q(Z_{t-}^* = 0) = E^P[Z_{t-}^* \mathbf{1}_{\{Z_{t-}^* = 0\}}] = 0$ . Hence,  $Q \sim P$  and [11, Lemma III.3.6] yields P-a.s.  $Z_t^* > 0$  and  $Z_{t-}^* > 0$  for all  $t \in [0,T]$ . Denote  $\Lambda \triangleq \{M_{\mu^X}^P(Z^* | \mathcal{P}(\mathbf{F}) \otimes \mathcal{B}) > 0\} \cap \{Z_-^* > 0\} \times \mathbb{R}$  and

$$U^*(\omega, t, x) \triangleq \begin{cases} \frac{1}{Z_{t-}^*(\omega)} M_{\mu^X}^P(Z^* | \mathcal{P}(\mathbf{F}) \otimes \mathcal{B})(\omega, t, x), \text{ on } \Lambda, \\ 1, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Girsanov's theorem [11, Theorem III.3.24] yields the existence of an **F**-predictable process  $\beta$ such that the  $(\mathbf{F}, Q)$ -characteristics of X are given by (2.5) with U replaced by  $U^*$ . Moreover, since X is an  $(\mathcal{H}, \mathbf{F}, Q)$ -SII and its  $(\mathbf{F}, Q)$ -characteristics coincide with its  $(\mathbf{G}, Q)$ -characteristics, there exists an  $\mathcal{H}$ -measurable Q-version of these characteristics. Since  $P \sim Q$ , there also exists an  $\mathcal{H}$ -measurable P-version. Using again Girsanov's theorem and  $Q \sim P$ , we obtain that P-a.s.  $|h(x)(U^*-1)| \star \nu_T^X < \infty$ . Since  $e^X$  is an  $(\mathbf{F}, Q)$ -martingale and  $Q \sim P$ , [17, Lemma 2.13, Theorem 2.19] imply that P-a.s.  $(e^x - 1)\mathbf{1}_{\{x>1\}}U^* \star \nu_T^X < \infty$  and that the MPRE (2.4) holds P-a.s. for all  $t \in [0,T]$  with U replayed by  $U^*$ . Denote by  $H^*$  the process H with U replaced by  $U^*$ . Since  $Q \sim P$ , we deduce from [12, Theorem 1\*\*], that P-a.s.  $H_T^* < \infty$ . We now show that there exists a  $\mathcal{P}(\mathbf{F}) \otimes \mathcal{B}$ -measurable function U and a P-evanescence set  $\Lambda'$  such that  $U=U^*$  on  $\Omega' \times \mathbb{R}$ ,  $\{U>0\}=\{a'\leq 1\}=\Omega\times [0,T]$  and  $\{a=1\}=\emptyset$  $\{a'=1\}$ . The properties of  $U^*$  then readily extend to U and  $(\beta,U)\in\mathcal{Y}$  follows. Denote  $a_t^* \triangleq (U^* \cdot \nu^X)(\{t\} \times \mathbb{R})$ . Due to the fact that subsets of thin sets are itself thin, cf. [8, Theorem 3.19], the set  $\{a=1\}\subseteq\{a>0\}$  is thin. Hence, [11, Lemma I.2.23] yields the existence of a sequence of **F**-predictable times  $(\tau_n)_{n\in\mathbb{N}}$  such that  $\{a=1\}=\bigcup_{n\in\mathbb{N}}[\![\tau_n]\!]$  up to *P*-evanescence. Using [11, Proposition II.1.17] similarly as in the proof of [11, Theorem III.3.17], we obtain that  $Q(a_{\tau_n}^* = 1, \tau_n < \infty) = 1$ . By the equivalence  $Q \sim P$  it also holds that  $P(a_{\tau_n}^* = 1, \tau_n < \infty) = 1$ . Hence,  $\{a=1\}\subseteq \{a^*=1\}$  up to P-evanescence. For the converse direction we slightly modify the argument. Since also  $\{a^*=1\}\subseteq\{a>0\}$ , there exists a sequence of **F**-predictable times  $(\rho_n)_{n\in\mathbb{N}}$  such that  $\{a^*=1\}=\bigcup_{n\in\mathbb{N}}[\rho_n]$  up to P-evanescence. Set  $D\triangleq\{\Delta X\neq 0\}$ . Now [11, Proposition II.1.17] yields that  $Q(\rho_n \in D|\mathcal{F}_{\rho_n}) = a_{\rho_n}^*$  on  $\{\rho_n < \infty\}$  for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Hence, we deduce from [11, Theorem III.3.4] that  $Q(\rho_n \notin D, \rho_n < \infty) = E_P[Z_{\rho_n}(1 - a_{\rho_n}^*)\mathbf{1}_{\{\rho_n < \infty\}}] = 0$ , which implies  $P(\rho_n \notin D, \rho_n < \infty) = 0$  since  $Q \sim P$ . Using [11, Proposition II.1.17] yields that  $P(a_{\rho_n}=1,\rho_n<\infty)=1$  for each  $n\in\mathbb{N}$ . This proves that  $\{a^*=1\}\subseteq\{a=1\}$ up to P-evanescence. It follows as in the proof of [19, Lemma 3.3.1] that  $\{a^* > 1\}$  is a Qevanescence set. Again, since  $Q \sim P$ ,  $\{a^* > 1\}$  is also a P-evanescence set. Define  $\Lambda' \triangleq$  $\{(\omega,t)\in\Omega\times[0,T]:(a_t(\omega)=1\text{ and }a_t^*(\omega)\neq1)\text{ or }(a_t(\omega)\neq1\text{ and }a_t^*(\omega)=1)\text{ or }a_t^*(\omega)>1\}$ and

$$U(\omega, t, x) \triangleq \begin{cases} 1, & \text{on } \Lambda' \times \mathbb{R}, \\ U^*(\omega, t, x), & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

which is a  $\mathcal{P}(\mathbf{F}) \otimes \mathcal{B}$ -measurable function. Recalling (2.2), we obtain that  $\{U > 0\} = \{a' \le 1\} = \Omega \times [0, T]$  and that  $\{a = 1\} = \{a' = 1\}$ . This finishes the proof.

### ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

The author thanks the referees and the associate editor for their time and effort devoted to the evaluation of the manuscript and for their very useful remarks.

# APPENDIX A. MEASURABILITY LEMMATA

In this Appendix we collect some measurability results which are used in the proof of Lemma 4.2. We start with an elementary observation.

**Lemma A.1.** A non-negative random variable Y has an  $\mathcal{H}$ -measurable P-version if, and only if, there exists a P-null set  $N \in \mathcal{F}$  such that for all  $\omega \in \mathcal{C}N$  we have  $P(Y = Y(\omega)|\mathcal{H})(\omega) = 1$ .

*Proof:* Firstly, we show the implication  $\Leftarrow$ . Thanks to Remark 2.2 (i), for all  $A \in \mathcal{F}$  we have  $E[\mathbf{1}_A E[Y|\mathcal{H}]] = E[\mathbf{1}_A \int Y(\omega')P(\mathrm{d}\omega'|\mathcal{H})] = E[\mathbf{1}_A Y]$ . Hence,  $E[Y|\mathcal{H}]$  is an  $\mathcal{H}$ -measurable P-version of Y.

Secondly, assume that Y has an  $\mathcal{H}$ -measurable P-version K. In view of Remark 2.2 (ii) and (2.1), there exists a P-null set  $N \in \mathcal{F}$  such that for all  $\omega \in \mathbb{C}N$  it holds that  $P(Y = Y(\omega)|\mathcal{H})(\omega) = P(K = K(\omega)|\mathcal{H})(\omega) = \mathbf{1}_{\{K(\omega) = K(\omega)\}} = 1$ .

Next, we study measurability of integrals w.r.t. random measures.

**Lemma A.2.** Assume that  $\nu$  is a  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ -compensator of a random measure of jumps with an  $\mathcal{H}$ -measurable P-version. Let  $U: \Omega \times [0, T] \times \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}^+$  be  $\mathcal{P}(\mathbf{G}) \otimes \mathcal{B}$ -measurable such that P-a.s.  $(1 \wedge |x|^2)U \star \nu_T < \infty$  and  $U \cdot \nu$  has an  $\mathcal{H}$ -measurable P-version.

- (i) Let  $g: \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$  be a Borel function such that P-a.s.  $|g(x,U)| \star \nu_T < \infty$ , then  $g(x,U) \star \nu$  has an  $\mathcal{H}$ -measurable P-version.
- (ii) Let  $f: \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$  be a Borel function such that f(0,y) = 0 for all  $y \in \mathbb{R}$  and denote  $a_t \triangleq \nu(\{t\} \times \mathbb{R})$  and  $a'_t \triangleq \int_{\mathbb{R}} U(t,x)\nu(\{t\} \times dx)$ . Suppose that  $a'_t \leq 1$  for all  $t \in [0,T]$  and P-a.s.  $\sum_{s \in [0,T]} |f(a_s,a'_s)| < \infty$ . The process  $\sum_{s \in [0,T]} f(a_s,a'_s)$  has an  $\mathcal{H}$ -measurable P-version.

Proof: Denote  $B_n \triangleq \{x \in \mathbb{R}: |x| < 1/n\}$  and take  $0 \leq r \leq s \leq T$  and  $G \in \mathcal{B}$ . There exists a constant K such that  $\mathbf{1}_{\complement B_n}(x) \leq K(1 \wedge |x|^2)$ . Thus, since  $\nu$  and  $U \cdot \nu$  have  $\mathcal{H}$ -measurable P-versions, the random variables  $\nu((r,s] \times G \cap \complement B_n)$  and  $(U \cdot \nu)((r,s] \times G \cap \complement B_n)$  have also  $\mathcal{H}$ -measurable P-versions. By Remark 2.2 (ii) and Lemma A.1, there exists a P-null set  $N \in \mathcal{F}$  such that for all  $\omega \in \complement N$  there is a  $P(\cdot|\mathcal{H})(\omega)$ -null set P such that for all P such that for all P such that for all P such that

$$(\mathbf{1}_{\complement B_{n}}U \star \nu_{T})(\omega) + (\mathbf{1}_{\complement B_{n}}U \star \nu_{T})(\omega^{*}) + (|g(x,U)| \star \nu_{T})(\omega) + (|g(x,U)| \star \nu_{T})(\omega^{*}) + \sum_{s \in [0,T]} |f(a_{s}(\omega), a'_{s}(\omega))| + \sum_{s \in [0,T]} |f(a_{s}(\omega^{*}), a'_{s}(\omega^{*}))| < \infty$$

and

(A.1) 
$$(\mathbf{1}_{G} \mathbf{1}_{\complement B_{n}} \star \nu_{T})(\omega^{*}) = \int_{0}^{T} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \mathbf{1}_{G}(\omega^{*}, s, x) \mathbf{1}_{\complement B_{n}}(x) \nu(\omega, \mathrm{d}s \times \mathrm{d}x),$$

$$(\mathbf{1}_{G} \mathbf{1}_{\complement B_{n}} \star (U \cdot \nu)_{T})(\omega^{*}) = \int_{0}^{T} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \mathbf{1}_{G}(\omega^{*}, s, x) \mathbf{1}_{\complement B_{n}}(x) U(\omega, s, x) \nu(\omega, \mathrm{d}s \times \mathrm{d}x)$$

for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $G = \Omega \times [0, T] \times \mathbb{R}$  and  $G = A \times (r, s] \times (c, d]$  with  $A \in \mathcal{F}$ ,  $r, s, c, d \in \mathbb{Q}$ ,  $0 \le r \le s \le T$  and  $c \le d$ . By a monotone class argument, (A.1) holds for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $G \in \mathcal{F} \otimes \mathcal{B}([0, T]) \otimes \mathcal{B}$ . Letting  $n \to \infty$  and using the monotone convergence theorem yields that

$$(\mathbf{1}_{G} \star \nu_{T})(\omega^{*}) = \int_{0}^{T} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \mathbf{1}_{G}(\omega^{*}, s, x) \nu(\omega, ds \times dx),$$
$$(\mathbf{1}_{G} \star (U \cdot \nu)_{T})(\omega^{*}) = \int_{0}^{T} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \mathbf{1}_{G}(\omega^{*}, s, x) U(\omega, s, x) \nu(\omega, ds \times dx)$$

for all  $G \in \mathcal{F} \otimes \mathcal{B}([0,T]) \otimes \mathcal{B}$ .

Therefore, for all  $t \in [0,T]$  we have  $a_t(\omega^*) = a_t(\omega)$  and  $a_t'(\omega^*) = a_t'(\omega)$ , which implies

$$\sum_{s \in [0,t]} f(a_s(\omega^*), a_s'(\omega^*)) = \sum_{s \in [0,t]} f(a_s(\omega), a_s'(\omega)).$$

By Lemma A.1, this proves the claim of (ii).

Since each non-negative  $\mathcal{F} \otimes \mathcal{B}([0,T]) \otimes \mathcal{B}$ -measurable function can be approximated from below by simple non-negative  $\mathcal{F} \otimes \mathcal{B}([0,T]) \otimes \mathcal{B}$ -measurable functions, we have

$$(g(x,U) \star \nu_t)(\omega^*) = \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}} g(x,U(\omega^*,s,x))\nu(\omega,\mathrm{d}s \times \mathrm{d}x)$$

and

$$\int_0^T \int_{\mathbb{R}} \mathbf{1}_G(s, x) U(\omega^*, s, x) \nu(\omega, ds \times dx) = \int_0^T \int_{\mathbb{R}} \mathbf{1}_G(s, x) U(\omega, s, x) \nu(\omega, ds \times dx)$$

for all  $t \in [0,T]$  and  $G \in \mathcal{B}([0,T]) \otimes \mathcal{B}$ . Thus,  $\nu(\omega, \mathrm{d}s \times \mathrm{d}x)$ -a.e.  $U(\omega^*,\cdot,\cdot) = U(\omega,\cdot,\cdot)$ . We conclude that for all  $t \in [0,T]$ 

$$(g(x,U) \star \nu_t)(\omega^*) = \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}} g(x,U(\omega^*,s,x))\nu(\omega,\mathrm{d}s \times \mathrm{d}x) = (g(x,U) \star \nu_t)(\omega).$$

Now, (i) follows again from Lemma A.1.

The same arguments as in the proof of Lemma A.2 yield the following

**Lemma A.3.** Let  $k: \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}^+$  be a Borel function,  $\gamma: \Omega \times [0,T] \to \mathbb{R}$  be  $\mathfrak{F} \otimes \mathfrak{B}([0,T])$ -measurable,  $C \in \mathcal{V}^+$  and assume that P-a.s.  $|\gamma| \cdot C_T < \infty$ . If C and  $\gamma \cdot C$  have  $\mathfrak{H}$ -measurable P-versions, then so does  $k(\gamma) \cdot C$ .

#### APPENDIX B. THE SCOPE OF STANDING ASSUMPTION 2

We give examples for situations where an  $(\mathbf{F}, P)$ -semimartingale is also a  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ -semimartingale.

**Example B.1** (SIIs). If  $\mathcal{H} \triangleq \{\Omega, \emptyset\}$ , then  $\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{G}$  and the  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ - and  $(\mathbf{F}, P)$ -characteristics of X coincide.

**Example B.2** (Independent Integrands). Let Y be an  $\mathbb{R}^m$ -valued càdlàg process and V be an  $\mathbb{R}^n$ -valued càdlàg process which are P-independent. Define  $\mathfrak{F}^o_t \triangleq \sigma(Y_s, V_s, s \in [0, t]), \mathfrak{F}^V_t \triangleq \sigma(V_s, s \in [0, t]), \mathbf{F}^V \triangleq (\mathfrak{F}^V_{t+})_{t \in [0, T]}, \mathbf{F}^Y$  analogously, and  $\mathfrak{H} \triangleq \sigma(Y_s, s \in [0, T])$ . Lemma 2.1 yields that the  $\sigma$ -fields  $\mathfrak{F}^o_t$  and  $\mathfrak{H}$  are countably generated. Assume that V is an  $(\mathbf{F}^V, P)$ -semimartingale whose  $(\mathbf{F}^V, P)$ -characteristics are denoted by  $(B^V(h), C^V, \nu^V)$ . Let  $\mu \colon \mathbb{D}^m \times \mathbb{R}^+ \to \mathbb{R}^d \otimes \mathbb{R}^n$  be such that  $\mu(\cdot, Y) \triangleq \mu(Y) \in L(V, \mathbf{F}^Y, P)$ . Next, we generalizes [16, Lemma 2.3] to processes without absolutely continuous characteristics.

**Lemma B.3.** The process  $X \triangleq \mu(Y) \cdot V$  is an  $\mathbb{R}^d$ -valued  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ - and  $(\mathbf{F}, P)$ -semimartingale and its  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ - and  $(\mathbf{F}, P)$ -characteristics  $(B(\tilde{h}), C, \nu)$  associated to a truncation function  $\tilde{h}$  are given by

$$B(\tilde{h})^{i} = \sum_{k \leq n} \mu(Y)^{i,k} \cdot B^{V}(h)^{k} + \left(\tilde{h}^{i}(\mu(Y)x) - \sum_{k \leq n} \mu(Y)^{i,k}h^{k}(x)\right) \star \nu^{V},$$

$$(B.1) \qquad C^{i,j} = \sum_{k,l \leq n} \left(\mu(Y)^{i,k}\mu(Y)^{j,l}\right) \cdot C^{V,k,l},$$

$$\nu(\mathrm{d}t \times G) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^{n}} \mathbf{1}_{G}(\mu(Y)x)\nu^{V}(\mathrm{d}t \times \mathrm{d}x),$$

for  $i, j \leq d, G \in \mathbb{B}^d, 0 \notin G$ .

Proof: Thanks to the inclusions  $\mathbf{F}^V \subseteq \mathbf{F} \subseteq \mathbf{G}$ , we deduce from [11, Theorem II.2.42], [2, Satz 15.5] and the tower rule that V is an  $(\mathbf{F}, P)$ - and  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ -semimartingale which  $(\mathbf{F}, P)$ - and  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ -characteristics are given by  $(B^V(h), C^V, \nu^V)$ . It follows from the inclusions  $\mathbf{F}^Y \subseteq \mathbf{F} \subseteq \mathbf{G}$  and [11, Theorem III.6.30] that  $\mu(Y) \in L(V, \mathbf{F}, P) \cap L(V, \mathbf{G}, P)$ . Hence  $\mu(Y) \cdot V$  is an  $(\mathbf{F}, P)$ - and  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ -semimartingale, whose  $(\mathbf{F}, P)$ - and  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ -characteristics are given by  $(\mathbf{B}.1)$ , cf. [11, Proposition IX.5.3].

Recalling that  $\mu(Y)$  is  $\mathbf{F}^{Y}$ -predictable, we obtain the following

Corollary B.4. If  $(B^V(h), C^V, \nu^V)$  are deterministic, then  $X = \mu(Y) \cdot V$  is an  $(\mathcal{H}, \mathbf{F}, P)$ -SII and an  $(\mathbf{F}, P)$ -semimartingale whose  $(\mathbf{F}, P)$ - and  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ -characteristics coincide and are given by (B.1).

Corollary B.4 implies that the financial models suggested by [1, 9, 22] are exponential H-SII models as defined in Section 2.2.

**Example B.5** (Time-changed Lévy Models). We assume that V, Y and  $\mathcal{H}$  are given as in Example B.2 and that Y is  $\mathbb{R}^+$ -valued. Let  $\mu \colon \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}^d$  be a Borel function such that P-a.s.  $|\mu(Y)| \cdot I_T < \infty$ , where  $\mu(Y)_t \triangleq \mu(Y_t)$ . Then we set  $X \triangleq \mu(Y_-) \cdot I + V_{Y_- \cdot I}$  and  $\mathcal{F}_t^o \triangleq \sigma(X_s, Y_s, s \in [0,t])$ . Lemma 2.1 yields that  $\mathcal{F}_t^o$  is countably generated. Let V be an  $(\mathbf{F},P)$ -Lévy process with  $(\mathbf{F},P)$ -Lévy-Khinchine triplet  $(b^V(h),c^V,F^V)$ . The following lemma is a restatement of [15, Lemma 2.4]. It shows that the time-changed Lévy model proposed by [5] is an exponential  $\mathcal{H}$ -SII model as defined in Section 2.2.

**Lemma B.6.** The process X is an  $(\mathfrak{H}, \mathbf{F}, P)$ -SII and an  $(\mathbf{F}, P)$ -semimartingale whose  $(\mathbf{G}, P)$ -and  $(\mathbf{F}, P)$ -characteristics coincide and are given by

(B.2) 
$$B(h) = (\mu(Y_{-}) + b^{V}(h)Y_{-}) \cdot I,$$
$$C = c^{V}Y_{-} \cdot I,$$
$$\nu(\mathrm{d}t \times \mathrm{d}x) = Y_{t-} \, \mathrm{d}t F^{V}(\mathrm{d}x).$$

## References

- [1] Barndorff-Nielsen, O. and Shephard, N. [2001], 'Non-Gaussian Ornstein-Uhlenbeck-based models and some of their uses in financial economics', *Journal of the Royal Statistical Society: Series B (Statistical Methodology)* **63**(2), 167–241.
- [2] Bauer, H. [2002], Wahrscheinlichkeitstheorie, De Gruyter.
- [3] Bichteler, K. [2002], Stochastic Integration with Jumps, Cambridge University Press.
- [4] Black, F. and Scholes, M. [1973], 'The pricing of options and corporate liabilities', *Journal of Political Economy* **81**(3), pp. 637–654.
- [5] Carr, P., Geman, H., Madan, D. and Yor, M. [2003], 'Stochastic volatility for Lévy processes', *Mathematical Finance* 13, 345–382.
- [6] Eberlein, E. and Jacod, J. [1997], 'On the range of options prices', Finance and Stochastics 1(2), 131–140.
- [7] Grigelionis, B. [1975], 'Characterization of stochastic processes with conditionally independent increments', *Lithuanian Mathematical Journal* **15**(4), 562–567.
- [8] He, S., Wang, J. and Yan, J. [1992], Semimartingale Theory and Stochastic Calculus, Science Press.

- [9] Heston, S. [1993], 'A closed-form solution for options with stochastic volatility with applications to bond and currency options', *Review of Financial Studies* **6**(2), 327–343.
- [10] Hubalek, F. and Sgarra, C. [2006], 'Esscher transforms and the minimal entropy martingale measure for exponential Lévy models', *Quantitative Finance* **6**(2), 125–145.
- [11] Jacod, J. and Shiryaev, A. [2003], *Limit Theorems for Stochastic Processes*, 2nd edn, Springer.
- [12] Kabanov, Y., Liptser, R. and Shiryaev, A. [1979], 'Absolute continuity and singularity of locally absolutely continuous probability distributions. i', *Mathematics of the USSR-Sbornik* **35**(5), 631–680.
- [13] Kabanov, Y., Liptser, R. and Shiryaev, A. [1981], 'On the representation of integral-valued random measures and local martingales by means of random measures with deterministic compensators.', *Mathematics of the USSR-Sbornik* **39**, 267–280.
- [14] Kallsen, J. [2004], ' $\sigma$ -localization and  $\sigma$ -martingales', Theory of Probability & Its Applications 48(1), 152–163.
- [15] Kallsen, J. and Muhle-Karbe, J. [2010a], 'Exponentially affine martingales, affine measure changes and exponential moments of affine processes', *Stochastic Processes and their Applications* **120**(2), 163–181.
- [16] Kallsen, J. and Muhle-Karbe, J. [2010b], 'Utility maximization in models with conditionally independent increments', *The Annals of Applied Probability* **20**(6), 2162–2177.
- [17] Kallsen, J. and Shiryaev, A. [2002], 'The cumulant process and Esscher's change of measure', Finance and Stochastics 6, 397–428.
- [18] Kassberger, S. and Liebmann, T. [2010], 'Minimal q-entropy martingale measures for exponential time-changed Lévy processes', *Finance and Stochastics* **15**(1), 117–140.
- [19] Liptser, R. and Shiryaev, A. [1989], Theory of Martingales, Springer.
- [20] Nicolato, E. and Venardos, E. [2003], 'Option pricing in stochastic volatility models of the Ornstein-Uhlenbeck type', *Mathematical Finance* **13**(4), 445–466.
- [21] Selivanov, A. [2005], 'On the martingale measures in exponential Lévy models', *Theory of Probability & Its Applications* **49**(2), 261–274.
- [22] Stein, E. and Stein, J. [1991], 'Stock price distributions with stochastic volatility: an analytic approach', *Review of Financial Studies* 4(4), 727–752.
- [23] Stroock, D. [2010], *Probability Theory: An Analytic View*, 2. edn, Cambridge University Press.

D. CRIENS - TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF MUNICH, DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS, GERMANY  $E\text{-}mail\ address$ : david.criens@tum.de