

## Project-3

Please submit all work including computer program.

1. (40 points) Compute the stochastic Taylor-Green system below to model particle motion in the ocean and atmosphere:

$$d p = - \sin (q) dt + \sigma d W_1, \quad d q = \sin (p) dt + \sigma d W_2$$

over the time interval  $[0, T]$ ,  $T=5000$ , with initial data  $(p, q)(0) = (0,0)$ , by the following methods at time step  $h=0.05$ . Calculate effective diffusivity:

$$D_E := \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} E [ p^2(t) ] / (2t) \approx E[ p^2(T) ] / (2T)$$

where  $E[\bullet]$  is approximated by empirical mean over 5000 independent realizations, at  $\sigma = 1.e-1, 1.e-2, 1.e-3, 1.e-4, 1.e-5, 1.e-6$ .

- a) (17 pts) Euler-Maruyama (EM) method:

$$\begin{aligned} p_{n+1} &= p_n - h \sin (q_n) + \sigma \Delta W_1 \\ q_{n+1} &= q_n + h \sin (p_n) + \sigma \Delta W_2 \end{aligned}$$

- b) (17 pts) Symplectic Splitting (SS) method:

$$\begin{aligned} p_{n+1} &= p_n - h \sin (q_n) + \sigma \Delta W_1 \\ q_{n+1} &= q_n + h \sin (p_n - h \sin (q_n)) + \sigma \Delta W_2 \end{aligned}$$

where  $\Delta W_1, \Delta W_2$  are independent random variables of the form  $h^{1/2} N(0,1)$ .

- c) (6 pts) Plot  $D_E$  vs.  $\sigma$  on log-log scale, and compare with theoretical result  $D_E = O(\sigma)$ , or  $\log D_E = \log \sigma + \text{const.}$  Comment on the methods above. Note that without the drift velocity (or currents in the ocean or atmosphere),  $p = \sigma W_1$ , and  $D_E = \sigma^2 / 2$ .