

# Flow Selection

Denote  $S_{s,t} := \{ \mu \text{ weekly dist. p.m. } \mid \mu$

$NLFPE$  with  $(a,b)$ . notation  $\leq$  from  $t=s\}$ .

Next, we want to know:

Is there  $\mu^{s,t} \in S_{s,t}$ , s.t.  $\mu^{s,t}$  satisfies flow property. i.e.  $\mu^t = \mu^r \cdot \mu^{s,r}$  for  $s \leq r \leq t$ .

(called solution flow) and for  $\forall g \in \mathcal{P}$ ?

(1) Crandall-Liggett Semigroup method:

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This is a way to construct  $\mu^{s,t}$  explicitly.

Def:  $(X, \|\cdot\|)$  is Banach space.

i)  $A : D(A) \subseteq X \rightarrow X$  is accretive if

$$\|x-y\| \leq \|(\lambda A + I)(x) - (\lambda A + I)(y)\| \text{ for } \lambda > 0.$$

$\Leftrightarrow \lambda > 0. \quad \forall x, y \in D(A).$

$$x-y \xrightarrow{\quad} \lambda(Ax-Ay)$$

Rmt: i)  $(A, D(A))$  is accretive  $\Leftrightarrow$  it holds for some  $\lambda > 0$ .

ii) We have  $I + \lambda A$  is injective

$$\& (I + \lambda A)^{-1} : R(I + \lambda A) \rightarrow D(A)$$

satisfies Lipschitz cond.

iii) Accretive is some kind of  
mon. property in Banach space.

ii) Accretive op.  $A$  is called m-acrc.

if  $R(I + \lambda A) = X$ . for  $\forall \lambda > 0$ .

Def: m-acrc.  $\Leftrightarrow$  accrc. &  $R(I + \lambda A)$

$= X$  for some  $\lambda > 0$ .

iii)  $(A, D(A))$  is called w-quasi m-acrc.

if  $(A + wJ, D(A))$  is m-acrc.

iv)  $(A, D(A))$  is dissipate / m-dissipate /  
quasi-m-dissip. if  $-A$  is accrc / m-...

Recall Cauchy problems  $y'(t) = Ay(t), y(0) = y_0$ .

which is understand in Banach space. &  
Solve it pointwise. This is theory of strong  
solutions. Next we intro another view:

Def: i)  $\Sigma$ -discretization of  $[0, T]$  is partition  
 $P^\Sigma(t_0, \dots, t_N)$ .  $0 = t_0 \leq \dots \leq t_N = T$ . s.t.  $t_i - t_{i-1} \leq \Sigma$   
ii) A  $P^\Sigma(t_0, \dots, t_N)$  solution to Cauchy problem above on  $[0, T]$  is piecewise const  
func.  $Z^\Sigma: [0, t_N] \rightarrow X$ . s.t. value  $Z_i^\Sigma$  on  
 $(t_{i-1}, t_i]$  is def recursively:  $Z_0^\Sigma = y_0$   
 $Z_i^\Sigma = (t_i - t_{i-1}) A Z_i + Z_{i-1}^\Sigma$ .  $1 \leq i \leq N$

Prop: It discretizes the differential.

iii) Set of  $\Sigma$ -approx. solution contains all  $P^\Sigma(t_0, \dots, t_N)$  solutions.

Def: A mild solution to the Cauchy problem above on  $[0, \infty)$  is  $z \in C([0, \infty), X)$   
s.t.  $\forall \Sigma > 0$ .  $\forall T > 0$ .  $\exists \Sigma$ -approx soln.  
 $z_\Sigma$  on  $[0, T]$ . s.t.  $\sup_{[0, T]} |z - z_\Sigma| \leq \Sigma$ .

Thm. (Crank-Nicolson-Liggett)

$(A, D(A))$  is  $w$ -quasi-m dissipative,  $y_0 \in \overline{D(A)}$ . Then the Cauchy problem has unique mild solution  $y_t(y_0)$  on  $\mathbb{R}^{>0}$ .

given by  $\gamma_t(\eta_0) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (I - \frac{t}{n}A)^{-n} \eta_0$ .

where the limit is locally uniform on  $t$ .

Lr.  $S(t, \eta_0) := \gamma_t(\eta_0) = e^{-tA} \eta_0$  is

a semigroup. Satisfies  $S_{t+s}(\eta_0)$

$$= S_t \cdot S_s(\eta_0). \text{ i.e. flow property.}$$

Ex. generalized PME:  $\partial_t u = A\beta(u) - \lambda \operatorname{div}(D\beta(u)u)$

under  $\beta \in C^1(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .  $D, B$  lnd.

Let  $A_0 : D(A_0) \subset L^1(\mathbb{R}^n) \rightarrow L^1(\mathbb{R}^n)$ , defined by

$$A_0\eta = A\beta(\eta) - \lambda \operatorname{div}(D\beta(\eta)\eta),$$

$$\Rightarrow D(A_0) = \{\eta \in L^1(\mathbb{R}^n) \mid \beta(\eta) \in L^1_{loc}\}.$$

$$(A\beta(\eta) - \lambda \operatorname{div}(D\beta(\eta)\eta)) \subset L^1(\mathbb{R}^n)$$

We can prove:

$$i) R \subset I - \lambda A_0 = L^1(\mathbb{R}^n), \quad \forall \lambda > 0$$

ii)  $\exists$  restriction  $(A, D(A))$ . s.t.  $D(A) \subset D(A_0)$

and  $A$  is dissipative on  $L^1(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .

$$iii) \widehat{D(A)} = L^1(\mathbb{R}^n)$$

Now applying the Thm above. we have:

$\exists$  unique mild solution  $u(t; u_0)$ . for that

$$u'(t) = A u(t), \quad u(0) = u_0 \quad \text{for } \forall u_0 \in L^{\infty},$$

which has flow property in  $L^{\infty}$ .

Remark: i) We can also show in this case:

$t \mapsto u(t, x)$  is weakly contin. sol.

$\rightarrow$  Nemytskii-type NLFPE and

$$\|u_t\|_{L'} = \|u_0\|_{L'}. \quad \forall t > 0$$

ii)  $u(t; u_0)$  isn't necessary solution for  
 $Au = u'(t)$ . Since we restrict  $A$ .

iii) Uniqueness is in sense of "mild".

(2) Flow Selection:

Definition: i)  $S\mathcal{P}_{S, S} := \{ \mu \text{ is s.p. m., vaguely comp. |}$

$\mu$  solve NLFPE (a.b) with datum  $(s, g')$

$$\text{ii)} S\mathcal{P}_S := \bigcup S\mathcal{P}_{S, S}, S \in S\mathcal{P}$$

Def. A family  $\{A_{S, S}\}_{S, S \in S\mathcal{P}}$ .  $A_{S, S} \subset S\mathcal{P}_S$ . is

flow admissible if:

i)  $(\mu_t)_{t \geq r} \in \text{Arg} \Rightarrow (\mu_t)_{t \geq s} \in \text{As}_{s, \mu_s}, s \geq r.$

ii)  $(\mu_t)_{t \geq r} \in \text{Arg} \quad (\eta_t)_{t \geq s} \in \text{As}_{s, \mu_s} \Rightarrow$

$$(\mu \circ \eta)_t := \begin{cases} \mu_t & r \leq t \leq s \\ \eta_t & t \geq s \end{cases} \in \text{Arg}$$

Next, we know  $\text{As} := \{s \in \mathbb{R}^1 \mid \text{As}_s \neq \emptyset\}$

and call  $(s, s)$  is admissible if  $s \in \text{As}$

Eg. i)  $\text{As}_s = \text{SP}_{s, s}$

ii)  $\text{As}_s = \begin{cases} \emptyset, & \text{if } s \notin \mathcal{P} \\ S_{s, s}, & \text{if } s \in \mathcal{P} \end{cases}$

iii) Let  $\text{SP}^{<<}_{s, s} := \{(\mu_t)_{t \geq s} \in \text{SP}_{s, s} \mid \mu \ll \lambda\}$

Then for  $\text{SP}^{<<} \subseteq M = \text{SP}$ . We set

$$\text{As}_s = \begin{cases} \text{SP}^{<<}_{s, s}, & s \in M \\ \emptyset, & s \notin M \end{cases}$$

$\Rightarrow$  i), ii), iii) are all flow admissible.

Ex: i) From ii), we know that if  $|S_{s, s}| = 1$ , for  $\mu \in S_{s, s}$  admissible. and  $s \in \mathcal{P}$ . Then  $\mu^{s, s} \in S_{s, s}$  has flow prop. from prop. i). Since  $(\mu^{s, s})_{t \geq r}$

will be a new element otherwise.

And it doesn't hold if  $\alpha, \beta$  lie one not only on  $C_{\text{pre}, X}$  but  $(C_{\text{pre}, X})^*$

i) Case ii) is common in Nemyski:

Next, set  $Z_V$  is vaguely converges to  $p_0$  on  $SP$  while  $Z_{pt}$  is point-wise to  $p_0$ .

Theorem:  $(H, z)$  is Neustroff.  $\Leftrightarrow H \cong SP$ .  $z \geq z_V$

Assume  $\{A_{s,j}\}_{s=0}^{s=0}$  is flow admissible.

If  $A_{s,j}$  is opt in  $(C_s H, \tilde{z})$ .  $\tilde{z} \geq z_{pt}$

Then  $\exists$  solution flow to NLFPE in  $\{A_{s,j}\}$

def: i)  $\leq : \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{Q}^{>0} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}_0$  is one ordering

ii) For  $s=0$ .  $(m'_k)_{k \in \mathbb{N}_0} \leq m_0$  is the enumeration of  $\mathbb{N}_0 \times \mathbb{Q}^{>s}$ . w.r.t  $\leq$ .

i.e.  $m'_k = \langle n', k' \rangle$ , where  $(n', k')$  is the  $k+1$ -th element in  $\mathbb{N}_0 \times \mathbb{Q}^{>s}$ .

Rmk:  $(m'_k)_k = (m''_k)_k$  for  $s=r$ .

Lemma:  $\Rightarrow H$  is Neus.  $\Rightarrow (C_s H, z_{pt})$  is Neus

ii)  $\exists$  countable measure-separating family

$$(f_k)_{k \geq 0} \leq C_C \cdot k^{\alpha}, \text{ i.e. for } \mu \in \mathcal{M}_b^+,$$

$$\mu' \neq \mu'' (\Rightarrow \exists k. \text{ s.t. } \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} f_k d\mu' \neq \int f_k d\mu'').$$

If ii)  $\{\vec{a}, \vec{b}\}_{a, b \in Q}$  is basis of  $\mathbb{R}^n$ .

We choose  $(f_{\vec{a}, \vec{b}}^k) \rightarrow \mathcal{I}_{(\vec{a}, \vec{b})}$

And collect all such function.

If of Thm:

                  

Set  $\mathcal{H} := \{\mu_n\}$  the countable separ. family.

$\prec$  is an ordering. let  $(s, j)$  is admissible.

$$\text{Set } h_0^{s, j} : C_N \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+, (\mu_t)_{t \geq 1} \mapsto \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} h_{\mu_m} t \mu_{2m}.$$

$$h_0^{s, j} = \sup_{A(s, j)} h_0^{s, j}(\mu).$$

$$\mu_0^{s, j} = (h_0^{s, j})^{-1}(h_0^{s, j}) \cap A(s, j).$$

Note  $A(s, j)$  is cpt by asspt. and nonempty

$\Rightarrow \mu_0^{s, j}$  is cpt. nonempty in  $C_N$ .

Iteratively, replace "0" by " $k+1$ " and

$A(s, j)$  by  $\mu_k^{s, j}$  above. We get a nested

Suppose  $\{\mu_k^{s,s}\}_{k \geq 0}$ . Since  $C_N$  is Hausdorff  
 $\Rightarrow \bigcap_k \mu_k^{s,s} := \mu^{s,s} \neq \emptyset$ .

For  $(\mu^{(i)}) \in \mu^{s,s}$ .  $\Rightarrow \int_{X^N} h_n \mu_{n,k}^{s,s} \mu_{2,n,k}^{(i)} = \square^{(i)}$

Note  $\{(\mu_k^{s,s}, \mu_{2,n,k}^{(i)})\}_{k \geq 0} = N \times \mathbb{Q}^{>0}$ . So:

$\int h_n \mu \mu_2^{(i)} = \square^{(i)}$ . If  $n \cdot 2 \in \mu \times \mathbb{Q}^{>0}$ .

$\Rightarrow \mu_2^{(i)} = \mu_2^{(j)}$ .  $\forall i, j \in \mathbb{Q}^{>0}$ . from chose of  $N$

So:  $\mu^{(i)} = \mu^{(j)}$  since they're comp. i.e.

$\mu^{s,s} = \{\mu_k^{s,s}\}$  is singleton.

Next, we show  $\{\mu_k^{s,s}\}$  has flow prop.

For  $0 < r < 1$ . Set  $M^{r \cdot \mu_r^{s,s}} = \{y_t\}_{t \geq r}$ .

prove:  $y_t = \mu_t^{s,s}$ .  $\forall t \geq r$ .

Let  $y = \mu^{s,s}$  or  $y \in A.s.s$ .

We want to prove:  $\int h_{n,k} h \mu_{2,n,k}^{s,s} = \int h \circ$

$A_y \mu_{2,n,k}^{s,s}$  as above -

For  $k=0$ . " $\geq$ " is from max property of  $\mu^{s,s}$

" $\leq$ " is by arguing  $\exists n_0 \in (s, r)$  or  $\exists n_0 \geq r$

(then  $\mathbb{E} m_0^s = \mathbb{E} m_0^r$ ). which uses max property  
of  $\gamma$  in  $A_{r,\mu r}$ .

for  $n=k$ . Consider  $\mathbb{E} m_k^s \in [s,r]$  for  $s \leq r$   
and  $\mathbb{E} m_k^r \geq r$ .  $\mathbb{E} m_{k+1}^s \in [s,r]$  (then  $m_k^s = m_{k+1}^r$ )

or  $\mathbb{E} m_{k+1}^s \geq r$  (then  $m_k^s = m_k^r$ .  $m_{k+1}^s = m_{k+1}^r$ )

for another side  $\geq$ , using max of  $\gamma$ .

Prop. Under the conditions above. i)  $\Leftrightarrow$  ii) :

i)  $\exists$  at most one solution flow to

NLFPE in  $\{\mathcal{A}_{s,g}\}_{s \geq 0, g \in \mathcal{S}^P}$

ii)  $|\mathcal{A}_{s,g}| \leq 1$ .  $\forall s \geq 0, g \in \mathcal{S}^P$ .

Pf.: ii)  $\Rightarrow$  i) is trivial. For i)  $\Rightarrow$  ii) :

If  $\exists$  ad.  $(s',g') \in [0,T] \times \mathcal{S}^P$ . st.

$|\mathcal{A}_{s',g'}| \geq 2$ . Assume  $\{\mu^{s,g}\}$  is the  
solution flow on all ad.  $(s,g)$  w.r.t.  
enumeration  $\mathcal{S}$  and separa family

$\mathcal{H} = \{\mu_n\}$ . st.  $\mathcal{H} = -\mathcal{H}$ . It means :

$\exists \gamma + \mu^{s,g}$ .  $\gamma \in \mathcal{A}_{s,g}$ .

$S_1 = \exists \mathcal{L} \in \mathcal{C}^{(k^3)} \text{ s.t. } \mu_2^{S:1} \neq \ell_2.$

By max prop. of  $M^{S:1}$ .  $\exists h \in \mathcal{N}$ . s.t.

$$\int h \lambda \mu_2^{S:1} > \int h \lambda \ell_2.$$

Next, we want another enumeration

$S'$  to index  $-h$  as same as  $k$

so reverse the inequ. to contradict.

$$\text{i.e. } \langle h \lambda \mu_{m'_0}, \mathcal{Z}_{m'_0} \rangle = \langle -h, \ell_2 \rangle.$$

$S_0 = \exists \text{ flow } (\eta^{S:1}) \text{ w.r.t } \mathcal{N} \text{ and } S'.$

with max prop. of  $\eta^{S:1}$  in  $A_{S:1}$ .

$$\Rightarrow \int -h \lambda \eta_2^{S:1} = \int -h \lambda \ell_2.$$

But with inequ. above.  $\eta^{S:1} \neq \mu^{S:1}$ . both  
flow to NLFPE. contradict!

## ② Application:

Point  $x_{\infty}$  is opt-open top. on  $C(X, Y)$ .

generated by  $\{\sum f_k(x, y) \mid f_k(x) < 0\}$ .  $K^{\text{opt}}$   
and  $O^{\text{open}}\}$

prop (Arzela - Ascoli)

$I$  is interval.  $(Y, \tau)$  is metric space.

$\mathcal{G} \subseteq C(I, Y)$  is relatively cpt w.r.t.

$Z_{\mathcal{G}}$   $\Leftrightarrow$   $\{f(t) | f \in \mathcal{G}\}$  is relatively cpt  
in  $Y$  and  $\mathcal{G}$  is equicontin.

Remark: Under  $Y$  is metrizable.

i)  $Z_{\mathcal{G}}$ , locally uniform topo. equi.

with  $Z_{\mathcal{G}}$  on  $C(Y)$ . So it's  
indept. of choice of compatible  
metric on  $Y$ .

ii) Equicontin. of  $\mathcal{G} \subset C(Y)$  usually  
depends on choice of metric of  $Y$ .

But Ascoli asserts equicontin. of  
pointwise relat-cpt set is indept  
of choice of compatible metric.

(Since (K), (CK) are unrelated!)

i) Linear FPE:

Consider  $\partial_t \mu_t = \sum_i (a_{ij}(t, x) \mu_t) - \delta_i(b_i(t, x) \mu_t)$

Assumpt :

A<sub>1</sub>)  $\int_0^T \sup_x |a_{ij}| + |b_i| dt < \infty \text{ for all } i, j.$

A<sub>2</sub>)  $x \mapsto a_{ij}, b_i$  are conti. for  $kt$ . a.e.

Prop. Under A<sub>1</sub>, A<sub>2</sub>. If  $s_{P,S} \neq \emptyset$  and  $S \geq 0$

and  $y \in S$ . Then  $\exists$  solution flow to  
the FPE in  $A_{S,y} = SP_S$ .

Rmk: Recall for  $z \in S$ . we have  $s_{P,z}$   
is actually  $S_{S,z}$ .

Pf: Let  $(N, z) = (SP, z_0)$

Next, we want to prove  $A_{S,y}$  is  
opt in  $C(SN, Z_N)$ . i.e. it's closed  
pointwise relative opt & eqmpti.

i) Pointwise relatively opt is from  
 $(SP, z_V)$  is opt. metrizable.

2) Closedness: (Then by i)  $\Rightarrow$  opt.)

Note by Rmk i) above.  $(SP, z_V)$   
 $= (SP, z_N)$ . So for  $z_N$ -eqmpt.

$\text{Sup } (\mu^{(n)}) \subset \text{Ass.} \rightarrow \mu \in \text{CS.P.}$

We prove  $\mu \in \text{Ass}$

It follows from A1) and DCT:

$$\int_S^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} L_{ab} Q_k \mu_r dt \xrightarrow{\text{con.}} \Gamma \quad (\text{Also with } \mu_r^{(n)} \xrightarrow{*} \mu_r)$$

3) Equivariance:

By Rmk ii). We can choose  $\lambda$  is  $\mathbb{Z}_r$ -congruible metric on  $S^P$ .

$$L_\nu(g_1 - g_2) := \sum_k 2^{-k} |\int f_k dg_1 - \int f_k$$

$\wedge g_2| \wedge 1$ . where  $g := [f_k]_k \leq C_c^{-1}$   
fixed and  $\bar{Q}^{2n} \supseteq C_c^{-1} \mathbb{R}^n$

By A1). use inf of solution to

$$\text{FPE: } L_\nu(\mu_{t_1}, \mu_{t_2}) = \sum 2^{-k}.$$

$$\int_{t_1}^{t_2} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} L_{ab} f_k(t) |k \mu_r| dt \wedge 1$$

$\approx |t_1 - t_2|$ . indeg of  $\mu$ .

Rmk: The final estimate also indeg

of  $\gamma \in S^P$ . So  $U_{S^P} \text{Ass}$  is  
also relatively opt in CSY. 21a

## ii) Nonlinear FPE:

### Assumpt.

A<sub>i</sub>)  $a_{ij}, b_i$  are bdd on  $(0, T) \times SP \times \mathbb{R}^d$ ,  $T > 0$

A<sub>i</sub>')  $x \mapsto a_{ij}, b_i$  are conti.  $\forall j \in SP$ . st. a.e.

A<sub>j</sub>) If  $J_n \xrightarrow{v} J$  in SP. then  $a_{ij}(t, J_n, x), b_i(\cdot, \cdot)$   
 $\rightarrow a_{ij}(t, J, x), b_i(t, J, x)$ . local unif on  $x$ .

Remark: i)  $Z_t$  pays more price (A<sub>j</sub>)) for the nonlinearity

ii) A<sub>i</sub>') excludes the Nemyskii case:

Since  $\mu \mapsto a_{ij}(t, \mu, x) = \widehat{a}_{ij}(t, \frac{\partial \mu}{\partial x}$

$(x', x)$  isn't conti. on  $Z_r$  or  $Z_w$ .

Since  $(\mu, Z_r/w) \mapsto \frac{\partial \mu}{\partial x}$  isn't conti.

(i.e. weak/vague convergence  $\not\Rightarrow$  converg.

of density func.)

iii) Under A<sub>i</sub>) - A<sub>j</sub>) above,  $S_{P,g} = S_{S,g}$   
for  $g \in \mathcal{G}$ .

Next, replace A<sub>i</sub>) with A<sub>i</sub>') above and

Consider in NLFPE. We prove Evolution flow for NLFPE in  $\{f_{S,S} = S \rho_{S,S}\}_{S \in \mathcal{S}, S \in \mathcal{P}}$ .

Pf:  $(N, \nu) = (S \rho, \nu)$ . Pointwise relatively opt and equivalent. are identical as above. from  $A'_i$ ).

For closedness: if  $\langle \mu^{(n)} \rangle \subset A_{S,S} \xrightarrow{\text{weak}} (\mu) \in CSSP$ .

prove:  $\int_S^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} L_{a,b} \mu_r^{(n)} \varphi d\mu_r dr \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} \square$ .

Since  $\int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \langle L_{a,b} \mu_r^{(n)} \varphi \rangle d\mu_r^{(n)} = \langle L_{a,b} \mu_t^{(n)} \varphi(t), \mu_t^{(n)} \rangle$

$\mu_t^{(n)} \xrightarrow{\omega} \mu_t$ . And  $L_{a,b} \mu_t^{(n)} \varphi(t) \rightarrow \square$  in

$(C_c \cap C_b^k, \| \cdot \|_\infty)$  from  $A'_2$ ,  $A'_3$ .

$\int_S^t: \langle \square^{(n)}, \mu_t^{(n)} \rangle \rightarrow \langle \square, \mu_t \rangle$

Apply DCT and  $A'_1$  again. We obtain the conclusion.

Rmk: Under suitable conditions on  $a_{ij}, b_i$ .

It can also be applied in Nemyskii case.