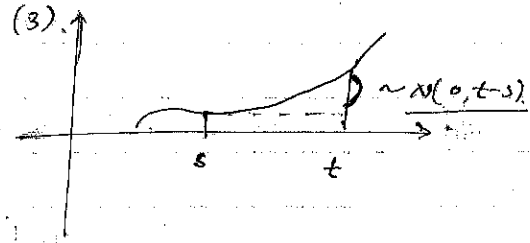


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Brownian motion.

$\{B_t, t \geq 0\}$: collection of random variables with

- 1) $B_0 = 0$
- 2) B_t has independent increments.
- 3) $B_t - B_s$ ($t > s$) are Gaussian $\sim N(0, t-s)$



Consequence) B.M. is continuous but not differentiable.

(2) $t=0, t_1, \dots, t_n$
 $\{B_{t_{k+1}} - B_{t_k}\} \quad k=0, 1, \dots, n-1$
 are independent random variable!
 $\Rightarrow B$ is not differentiable

Q) What determines a continuous time stochastic process $X_t, t \geq 0$ ($0 \leq t \leq T$)

A) It means, $t_0=0, t_1, \dots, t_n=T$
 Joint probability of $X_{t_0}, X_{t_1}, \dots, X_{t_n}$ is given.

$\Leftrightarrow X_{t_0}, X_{t_1} - X_{t_0}, X_{t_2} - X_{t_1}, \dots$

F.D.D.
 Finite dimension distribution

Martingales.

(Ω, \mathcal{F}) \mathcal{F} is σ -algebra of subset of Ω

$P : (\Omega, \mathcal{F})$ are assignments of $A \in \mathcal{F} \rightarrow 0 \leq P(A) \leq 1$

if $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n \dots \in \mathcal{F}$, and $A_i \cap A_j = \emptyset$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{j=1}^n P(A_j) = P\left(\bigcup_{j=1}^n A_j\right)$$

if we have $X : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, $F_x(x) = P(\omega \in \Omega \mid X(\omega) \leq x)$ $x \in \mathbb{R}$

Question: Given a consistent set of probabilistic distribution of process $X_t, 0 \leq t \leq T$
 Does there exist Ω and \mathcal{F} and function $X_t(\omega) : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^d, 0 \leq t \leq T$
 such that F.D.D. of X_t (by Kolmogorov continuity \sim)

\rightarrow We need that the F.D.D. has stochastic continuity.

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} P(|X_{t+h} - X_t| > \delta) = 0 \text{ for all } \delta > 0 \Leftrightarrow \text{Continuity "in probability"}$$

• Discrete time Martingale.

$$\{X_n(\omega)\} \quad n=0, 1, \dots, \quad \omega \in \Omega$$

$$E[X_n] = \int_{\Omega} X_n(\omega) dP(\omega) \quad / \quad \mathcal{F}_n \subset \mathcal{F}, \quad \mathcal{F}_n \subset \mathcal{F}_{n+1}, \quad \mathcal{F}_n = \sigma\{X_0, X_1, \dots, X_n\}$$

$$E[X_n | \mathcal{F}_{n-1}] = X_{n-1} \quad n=1, 2, \dots$$

↳ information up to $n-1$ (given)

E.g.) suppose $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n, \dots$ ind. dist. and $E[X_j] = 0$

assume $S_n = X_1 + \dots + X_n$

$$\Rightarrow E[S_n | \mathcal{F}_{n-1}] = E[X_1 + \dots + X_n | X_0, X_1, \dots, X_{n-1}]$$

$$= X_1 + \dots + X_{n-1} + E[X_n | X_0, \dots, X_{n-1}]$$

$$= X_1 + \dots + X_{n-1} + E[X_n]$$

$$= X_1 + \dots + X_{n-1} = S_{n-1} \Rightarrow E[S_n | \mathcal{F}_{n-1}] = S_{n-1}$$

Ex ① Note that $B_t = (B_{t_0} - B_{t_0-1}) + (B_{t_1} - B_{t_0-2}) + \dots + (B_t - B_{t-1})$

Clearly, B_t is ① sum of independent ② expectations of zero.

$\Rightarrow B_t$ is Martingale

Ex ② What about $B_t^2 - t \rightarrow$ show that $E[(B_t^2 - t) | \mathcal{F}_s] = B_s^2 - s$

\Rightarrow show $E[B_t^2 - B_s^2 | \mathcal{F}_s] = t - s$

$$B_t^2 - B_s^2 = (B_t - B_s)^2 + 2B_t \cdot B_s - B_s^2 - B_s^2 = (B_t - B_s)^2 + 2(B_t - B_s) \cdot B_s$$

$$\Rightarrow E[B_t^2 - B_s^2 | \mathcal{F}_s] = E[(B_t - B_s)^2 | \mathcal{F}_s] + 2E[(B_t - B_s)B_s | \mathcal{F}_s]$$

$$= \text{Variance} = t - s$$

$$= 2 \cdot E[(B_t - B_s) | \mathcal{F}_s] \cdot B_s$$

$$= t - s$$

Ex ③ $e^{\alpha\beta t - \alpha^2 t/2} = M_t^{(\alpha)} = \text{Martingale.}$

• Brownian motion - quadratic

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$$\{B_t, t \geq 0\} \rightarrow \begin{cases} 1. B_0 = 0 \\ 2. B_t \text{ has ind. increments} \\ 3. B_t - B_s \sim N(0, t-s) \end{cases} \quad (b) \text{ Can we define on continuous functions?}$$

⇒ "Continuity" of B_t is implied in 1, 2, 3.

• B_t is a Martingale.

Suppose (Ω, \mathcal{F}) is prob. space, $B_t \sim B_t(\omega)$, $\omega \in \Omega$ is defined.

$$B_t(\omega) : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, t \geq 0$$

$$\{\omega \mid B_t(\omega) \leq x\} \in \mathcal{F}_t \subset \mathcal{F}$$

↳ σ -algebra (information) involving path up to t

Note: \mathcal{F}_t is generated by events $\{\omega \in \Omega \mid B_{t_1}(\omega) \leq x_1, \dots, B_{t_n}(\omega) \leq x_n\}$
 (with $0 \leq t_1 < t_2 < \dots < t_n \leq t$)
 (and $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n \in \mathbb{R}$)

Hence, Martingale property of $B_t, t \geq 0 \Rightarrow \underline{E[B_t | \mathcal{F}_s]} = B_s \quad \text{--- (1)}$

Why? (1) $\equiv E[B_t - B_s | \mathcal{F}_s] = 0$ (True, since $B_t - B_s \sim N(0, t-s)$ Gaussian).

$$\text{E.g. 1) } E[|B_t|] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{e^{-x^2/2t}}{\sqrt{2\pi t}} dx < \infty \quad (\text{finite})$$

$$2) E[B_t^p] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^p \frac{e^{-x^2/2t}}{\sqrt{2\pi t}} dx < \infty \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{for all } p \\ \text{even} \end{array} \right) (\text{finite})$$

$$= 0 \quad (p \text{ is odd})$$

$$3) E[e^{\alpha B_t}] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{\alpha x} \frac{e^{-x^2/2t}}{\sqrt{2\pi t}} dx = e^{\alpha^2 t / 2}$$

⇒ We conclude $e^{\alpha B_t - \alpha^2 t / 2}$ is a Martingale.
 " M_t^α

show $\Rightarrow E[M_t^\alpha | \mathcal{F}_s] = M_s^\alpha \Rightarrow E[e^{\alpha B_t - \alpha^2 t / 2} | \mathcal{F}_s] = e^{\alpha B_s - \alpha^2 s / 2}$ Random.

⇔ $E[e^{\alpha B_t - \alpha B_s} | \mathcal{F}_s] = E[e^{\alpha(B_t - B_s)} | \mathcal{F}_s] = e^{\alpha^2(t-s)/2}$ ($B_t - B_s$) is Gaussian Variable

$$\Rightarrow E[e^{\alpha(A_t - B_t)} | \mathcal{F}_s] = e^{\alpha^2(t-s)/2}$$

\Rightarrow We can get rid of \mathcal{F}_s \because independent increments.

• Total Variation / Quadratic Variation.

$f(t)$, $0 \leq t \leq T$ is a given function.



Partitions $(t_0 \sim t_N)$ is called Π_N

$\Rightarrow \Pi_N: \max |t_{j+1} - t_j| \rightarrow 0$ as $N \rightarrow \infty$

Define $TV_T(f) = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \sup_{\Pi_N} \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} |f(t_{j+1}) - f(t_j)|$

\Rightarrow Any f such that $\max_t |f'(t)| < \infty \Leftrightarrow TV_T(f) \leq \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \sup_{\Pi_N} \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} f'(t_j) |t_{j+1} - t_j|$

$\Rightarrow TV_T(f) \leq \max |f'(t)| \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \sup_{\Pi_N} T = \max |f'(t)| T$

\Rightarrow If it's differentiable, $\rightarrow TV_T(f) < \infty$ (finite).

However, if f is piecewise monotone (increasing),

$$TV_T(f) = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \sup_{\Pi_N} \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} (f(t_{j+1}) - f(t_j)) = f(T) - f(0) < \infty$$

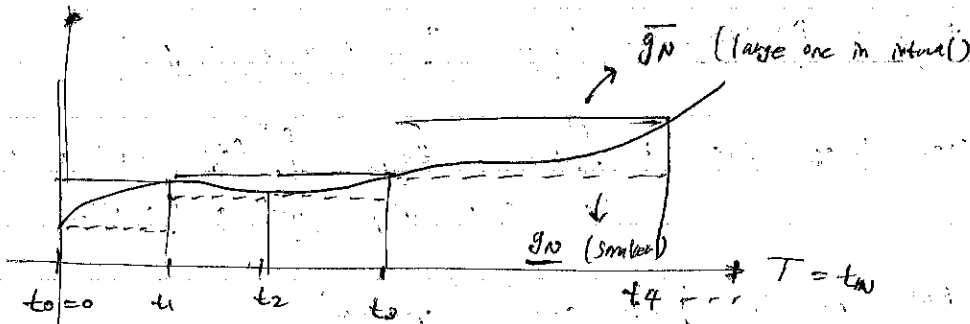
Riemann integrals.

$$\int_0^T g(s) df(s) = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \sup_{\Pi_N} \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} g(t_j^*) \{F(t_{j+1}) - F(t_j)\}$$

\downarrow \downarrow
 Bounded Bounded
 Continuous total variation (BV)
 (BC)

$t_j^* \in (t_j; t_{j+1})$

$$\left| \int_0^T g(s) df(s) \right| \leq \max_{0 \leq s \leq T} |g(s)| TV_T(f) \quad \text{Hint: if continuous} \rightarrow \text{expressible in step function.}$$



$$\Rightarrow \underline{g}_N(t) < g(t) \leq \overline{g}_N(t) \Rightarrow \limsup_{N \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^T |\overline{g}_N(t) - \underline{g}_N(t)| dt = 0$$

Difference goes to zero.

for g step function w.r. v. t , Π_N .

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^T g df = \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} g(t_j^*) (F(t_{j+1}) - F(t_j))$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \underline{g}(t_j^*) |F(t_{j+1}) - F(t_j)| \leq \int_0^T g df \leq \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \overline{g}(t_j^*) |F(t_{j+1}) - F(t_j)|$$

\rightarrow Sandwiched!

BUT, $TV_T(B_t) = +\infty$ (w.p. 1) Brownian motion...

Note

$$E \left[\sum_{j=0}^{N-1} |B_{t_{j+1}} - B_{t_j}| \right] = \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} E \left[|B_{t_{j+1}} - B_{t_j}| \right]$$

$$\hookrightarrow \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |x| \frac{e^{-x^2(t_{j+1}-t_j)}}{\sqrt{2\pi(t_{j+1}-t_j)}} dx$$

$$\rightarrow = c \cdot \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \sqrt{t_{j+1}-t_j}$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |y| \frac{e^{-y^2}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} dy \cdot \sqrt{t_{j+1}-t_j} = c$$

Suppose π_N is even partition $\rightarrow t_{j+1} - t_j = \Delta t$; $N\Delta t = T$
 (Just show divergence for partition case)

$$\rightarrow c \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \sqrt{t_{j+1} - t_j} = cN\sqrt{\Delta t} = cT \frac{1}{\Delta t} \rightarrow \infty$$

Using Borel - Cantelli (B.C.) lemma, we show that:
 $TV_T(B_t) = +\infty$ w.p.1.

Conclusion: $\int_0^T f(B_s) dB_s$ "cannot be" a Riemann integral.

→ New theory (Ito): $\int_0^T g df = gf|_0^T - \int_0^T f dg$ will this work?
 → No! since (B) is not differentiable.

But, B_t has finite quadratic variation
 $\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \sup_{\pi_N} \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} |B_{t_{j+1}} - B_{t_j}|^2 = T$ mean square

$$E \left\{ \frac{\sum_{j=0}^{N-1} (B_{t_{j+1}} - B_{t_j})^2}{N} - \frac{T}{N} \right\}^2 \xrightarrow[N \rightarrow \infty]{\text{by CLT}} 0 \quad (\text{it's what mean square means})$$

$$E \left\{ \frac{\sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \left[(B_{t_{j+1}} - B_{t_j})^2 - (t_{j+1} - t_j) \right]}{N} \right\}^2 = E \left(\frac{\sum_{j=0}^{N-1} [\text{---}]^2}{N} \right)$$

Random Variables and mean = 0

Note: no cross terms survive (\because independent)

$$= \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} E \left\{ (B_{t_{j+1}} - B_{t_j})^4 - 2(B_{t_{j+1}} - B_{t_j})^2(t_{j+1} - t_j) + (t_{j+1} - t_j)^2 \right\}$$

(Fact: if X is Gaussian \rightarrow mean = 0, $E[X^4] = 3(E[X^2])^2$)

$$= \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \left[3(t_{j+1} - t_j)^2 - 2(t_{j+1} - t_j)^2 + (t_{j+1} - t_j)^2 \right]$$

$$= 2 \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} (t_{j+1} - t_j)^2 \leq 2 \cdot \max_j (t_{j+1} - t_j) \cdot T \xrightarrow[N \rightarrow \infty]{} 0$$

$$\therefore \underline{QV_T(B) = T}$$

$$\sum_{j=0}^{N-1} (B_{t_{j+1}} - B_{t_j})^2 \approx T$$

for sample $N \Delta t = T$, $\frac{1}{\sqrt{\Delta t}} \{QV_T^N(B) - T\} \rightarrow N(0, 2T)$ #

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• Kolmogorov continuity. (B_t is continuous w.p.1)

$$\Omega = C([0, T]; \mathbb{R}) \quad \mathcal{F}_T = \sigma\text{-algebra generated by cylinder set.}$$

$$\rightarrow 0 \leq t \leq T \quad \mathcal{F}_t = \sigma\{B_s, s \leq t\}$$

$$\text{cylinder set: } \{w \in \Omega \mid B_{t_1}(w) \leq x_1, \dots, B_{t_n}(w) \leq x_n\}$$

\hookrightarrow depends on $\pi(w, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$

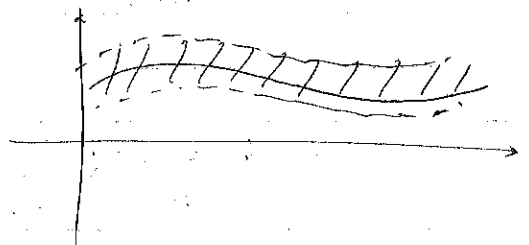
\langle Note: $w \in \Omega, w(t) = B_t(w) \rangle$

\hookrightarrow Path of Brownian motion at time t .

$(\Omega, \mathcal{F}_{0 \leq t \leq T}, P) \rightarrow P$ makes paths to follow rules of Brownian motion.

Ω is also a metric space. $\therefore \text{dist}(w_1, w_2) = \max_{0 \leq t \leq T} \|w_1(t) - w_2(t)\|$

Define open set: $\mathcal{O}_\delta = \{w_i \mid d(w_i, w_i) < \delta\} \Rightarrow$



Elementary def. of B.M. provides a prob. law on any cylinder sets of Ω .

\Rightarrow if $A \in \mathcal{F}_T$ and is a cylinder set, then $P(A)$ is defined.

Since joint law of $B_{t_0}(w), B_{t_1}(w), \dots, B_{t_n}(w)$ is Gaussian

$B_{t_0} = 0, B_{t_1} - B_{t_0}, \dots, B_{t_n} - B_{t_{n-1}}$ are independent Gaussian

$$\text{E.g.) } B_{t_2} = \underbrace{(B_{t_2} - B_{t_1})}_{\text{sum of Gaussians}} + \underbrace{(B_{t_1} - B_{t_0})}_{\text{sum of Gaussians}} = B_{t_2}$$

sum of Gaussians.

~~(*)~~

• Kolmogorov continuity. (K.C.)

\Rightarrow Suppose P (or P on $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}_{0 \leq t \leq T})$) has property that there exist α, β, C positive.

$$E^P \left\{ |X_t(\omega) - X_s(\omega)|^\alpha \right\} \leq C |t-s|^{\frac{1+\beta}{H}} \quad \underline{0 \leq s < t \leq T}$$

then, P extends to prob. law on all of (Ω, \mathcal{F}_T)

Logic: Cylinder set (satisfies) $\xrightarrow{\text{K.C.}}$ all set (satisfies)

For B.M.,

$$E\{|B_t - B_s|^\alpha\} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |x|^\alpha \frac{e^{-\frac{x^2}{2(t-s)}}}{\sqrt{2\pi(t-s)}} dx \quad \left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{t-s}} = y \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow E\{|B_t - B_s|^\alpha\} = C_\alpha (t-s)^{\alpha/2} \rightarrow \alpha/2 > 1 \quad (\text{Kolmogorov criterion})$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha > 2$$

$\alpha = 4, \beta = 4 \rightarrow$ Kolmogorov criterion works.

< Inequality > (not continuous in general)

Suppose $f(t)$ $0 \leq t \leq 1$, s.t. $\int_0^1 \int_0^1 \frac{|f(x) - f(y)|^p}{|x-y|^{\alpha p + 1}} dx dy < \infty$ ($\alpha p > 1$)

Then, GRR (1972) $\Rightarrow |f(t) - f(s)| \leq C_{\alpha,p} |t-s|^{\alpha - \frac{1}{p}} \left(\int_0^1 \int_0^1 \frac{|f(x) - f(y)|^p}{|x-y|^{\alpha p + 1}} dx dy \right)^{1/p}$ — (1)

$\left(\frac{\alpha p - 1}{p} > 0 \right)$ (Hölder exponents)

Intuitively as $x \rightarrow y$ $f(x) \approx f(y)$ to make (1) integrable.

\rightarrow so it kind of implies the continuity.

\Rightarrow Apply this inequality (1) with Kolmogorov criterion.

\rightarrow let $u(h, \omega) = \max_{|t-s| \leq h} |X_t(\omega) - X_s(\omega)|$ a decreasing function of h .

GRR $\Rightarrow u(h, \omega) \leq C_{\alpha,p} h^{\alpha - 1/p} \tilde{B}(\omega)^{1/p}$ where $\tilde{B}(\omega) = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 \frac{|X_t(\omega) - X_s(\omega)|^p}{|t-s|^{\alpha p + 1}} dt ds$

By K.C., $E(\tilde{B}(\omega)) < \infty$ (finite)

Recall K.C. $E(|X_t - X_s|^p) \leq |t-s|^{1+p\beta} \Rightarrow \frac{1+\beta - (\alpha p + 1)}{p} < \#$ ($\because \int \frac{1}{x^p}$ converges $p > 1$)

suitable parameters.

$P(\omega \in \Omega \mid \tilde{B}(\omega) < \infty) = 1$

\rightarrow P extends to whole (K.C.)

$$(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \text{ostst}, P), \Omega = C([0, T]; \mathbb{R}) \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} P - \text{B.M. law} \\ B_t(\omega) \sim \text{B.M.} \end{array} \right)$$

$$\text{and } \forall \omega \in \Omega \quad f(t, \omega) : [0, T] \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{define } \int_0^T f(s, \omega) dB_s(\omega) \sim (?)$$

$$\bullet f \text{ is non-anticipating} : \{ \omega \in \Omega \mid f(t, \omega) \in A \} \in \mathcal{F}_t \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{ostst} \\ A \subset \mathbb{R} \end{array} \right)$$

$$\bullet \mathbb{E}^P \int_0^T f^2(s, \omega) ds < \infty : \text{Ito integral. } \int_0^T f(s, \omega) dB_s(\omega) \stackrel{N-1}{=} \lim_{N \uparrow \infty} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} f(t_k, \omega) \cdot \underbrace{(B_{t_{k+1}}(\omega) - B_{t_k}(\omega))}_{\text{increasing increments}}$$

(This is a direction of time) ← (increasing increments)

$$\text{Any situation} = \text{Forward int.} + \text{Backward int.}$$

E.g.) $X_t(\omega) \rightarrow$ Martingale (continuous function of ω)

$$X_t^2(\omega) - \int_0^t g_s^2(\omega) ds \text{ is Martingale, then, } X_t(\omega) = \int_0^t g_s(\omega) dB_s(\omega)$$

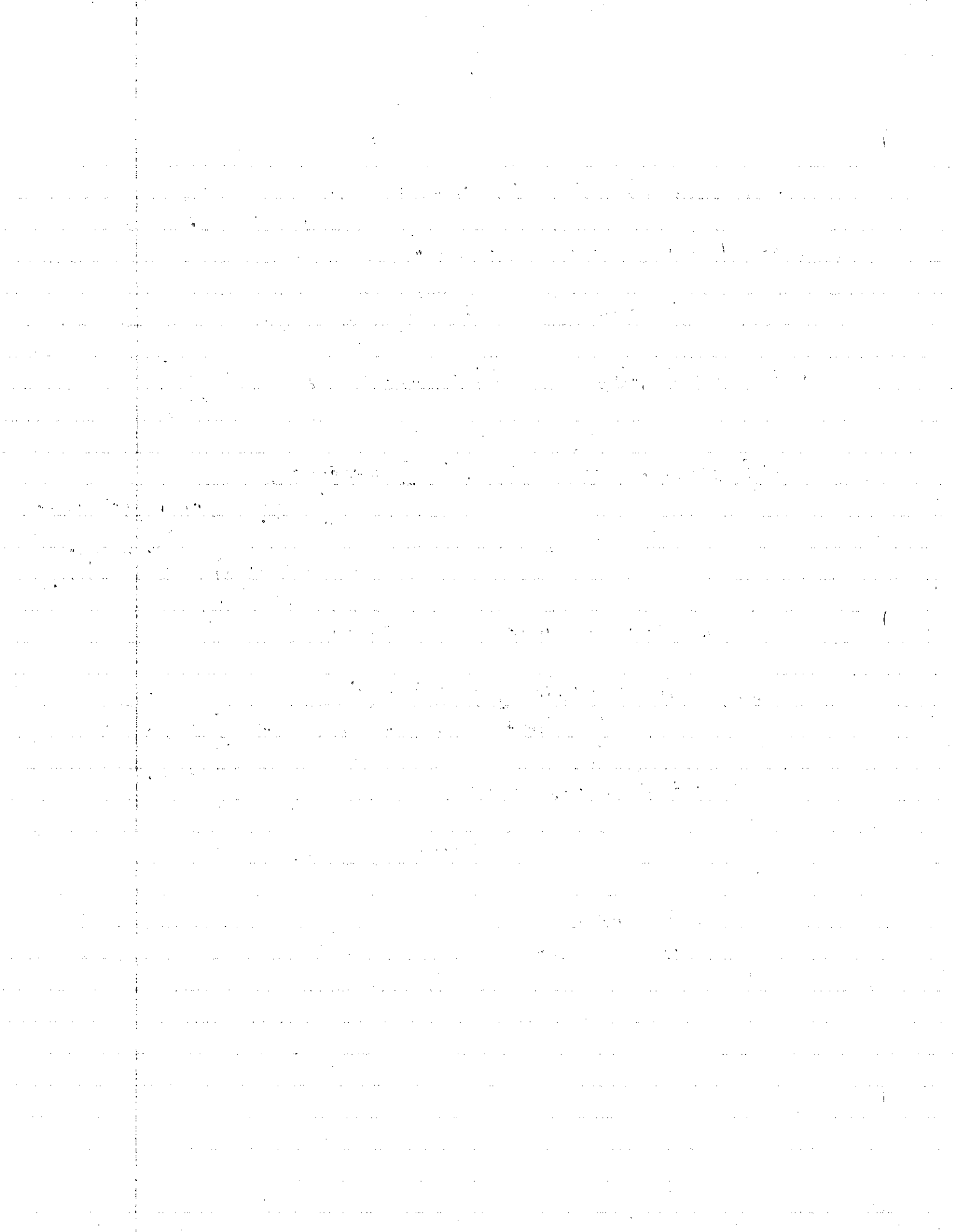
Ito stochastic integral.

⇒ Holds for arbitrary functions!

→ Preview Chapter 3.

$$B_t(\omega) = \text{mart.}$$

$$B_t^2(\omega) - t = \text{mart.}$$



Stochastic integrals.

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Brief review.

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \Omega = C([0, T] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}) : \text{continuous} \\ \omega_1, \omega_2 \in \Omega : \text{paths} \\ d(\omega_1, \omega_2) = \max_{0 \leq t \leq T} |\omega_1(t) - \omega_2(t)| \end{array} \right.$$

for $0 \leq t \leq T$ $\mathcal{F}_t = \sigma$ -algebra generated by $B_s(\omega)$ $0 \leq s \leq t$

Notation: $B_t(\omega) = \omega(t)$. In general, $f: [0, T] \times \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \Rightarrow f(t, \omega)$

with this notation, $\theta(t, \omega) = B_t(\omega) = \omega(t)$. ——— (*)

→ In general, Ω can be considered as subspace of set of all functions on $[0, T]$

E.g.) $\tilde{\Omega} = \text{set of real value functions on } [0, T] \rightarrow \Omega \subset \tilde{\Omega}$

\mathcal{F}_t can be defined on $\tilde{\Omega}$ as well.

Given a set of finite dimension distribution, $F_{t_1, \dots, t_n}(x_1, \dots, x_n)$
 $0 \leq t_1 < \dots < t_n \leq T$.

$\Rightarrow P(B_{t_1}(\omega) \leq x_1, \dots, B_{t_n}(\omega) \leq x_n)$ can be associated uniquely

with a probability law on $\tilde{\Omega}$ assuming only that they are consistent

(*) How to assign prob on $\sup_{0 \leq s \leq t} B_s(\omega) = M_t(\omega) \rightarrow$ we don't know

if however, P is stochastic continuous, $\sup_{0 \leq s \leq t} P(|B_t(\omega) - B_s(\omega)| > \epsilon) \rightarrow 0$ as $t \rightarrow s$,
 (for any $\epsilon > 0$)

Then, any countable dense set in $[0, T]$ determines probabilities on $[0, T]$

We can also define what we mean $f(t, \omega)$ $\omega \in \Omega$ $t \in [0, T]$ being integrable.

Suppose Kolmogorov continuity holds (K.C.) : $E[|B_t(\cdot) - B_s(\cdot)|^\alpha] \leq C_T |t-s|^{1+\beta}$

Then, with probability 1, the continuous function in $\tilde{\Omega}$, that is, $\alpha, \beta, C_T > 0$
 the set $\Omega \subset \tilde{\Omega}$ have probability 1, $P(\Omega) = 1$.

(Drop $\tilde{\Omega}$ completely!)

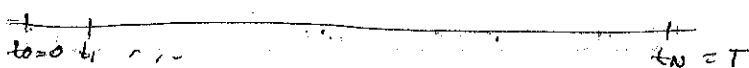
Stochastic integrals. $\{ \Omega = C([0, T]; \mathbb{R}), \mathcal{F}_t, 0 \leq t \leq T, P = \text{Brownian motion law} \}$

→ If $f(t, \omega) : [0, T] \times \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, we assume that,

① $E \int_0^T f^2(t, \omega) dt < \infty$

② non-anticipating $\rightarrow \{ \omega \in \Omega \mid f(t, \omega) \in A \} \in \mathcal{F}_t \quad (A \subset \mathbb{R})$ for all $0 \leq t \leq T$

→ Partition:



Define: $\int_0^T f(t, \omega) dB_t(\omega) = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} f(t_j, \omega) \cdot (B_{t_{j+1}}(\omega) - B_{t_j}(\omega))$
Martingale square

Note: Increment is always forward.

⇒ Use approx. of $f(t, \omega)$ called simple function.

$f(t, \omega) = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} e_k(\omega) \chi_{[t_k, t_{k+1})}(t) \quad e_k(\omega) \in \mathcal{F}_{t_k}$

$I_T(f) = \int_0^T f(s, \omega) dB_s(\omega) = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} e_k(\omega) [B_{t_{k+1}}(\omega) - B_{t_k}(\omega)]$

For simple function following prop hold ⇒ ① Additivity: $\int_0^T f dB = \int_0^T f dB + \int_{t_1}^T f dB$ ($0 \leq t_1 \leq T$)

② Linearity: $\int_0^T (f+g) dB = \int_0^T f dB + \int_0^T g dB$

⊗ Iterative conditional expectation.

③ $E[\int_0^T f dB] = 0$
 $= E[\sum_{k=0}^{N-1} e_k(\omega) (B_{t_{k+1}}(\omega) - B_{t_k}(\omega))]$

$= \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} E[e_k(\omega) (B_{t_{k+1}} - B_{t_k})(\omega)]$

$= \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} E\{ E[e_k (B_{t_{k+1}} - B_{t_k}) \mid \mathcal{F}_{t_k}] \}$

$= \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} E\{ e_k E[e_k (B_{t_{k+1}} - B_{t_k}) \mid \mathcal{F}_{t_k}] \}$

$= \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} E\{ e_k E\{ B_{t_{k+1}} - B_{t_k} \mid \mathcal{F}_{t_k} \} \} = 0$

= 0 (independent)

⊗

Property (4): Ito isometry: $E[I_T^2(f)] = \int_0^T E\{f^2(t, \cdot)\} dt < \infty$

$$E\{I_T(\omega)^2\} = E\left\{\sum_{k=0}^{N-1} e_k (B_{t_{k+1}} - B_{t_k})\right\}^2$$

$$= E\left[\sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \sum_{k'=0}^{N-1} e_k e_{k'} (B_{t_{k+1}} - B_{t_k})(B_{t_{k'+1}} - B_{t_{k'}})\right]$$

$$= \sum_k \sum_{k'} E\{e_k e_{k'} (B_{t_{k+1}} - B_{t_k})(B_{t_{k'+1}} - B_{t_{k'}})\}$$

$$= \sum_k \sum_{k'} E\left\{E\left[\frac{\quad}{\quad} \mid \mathcal{F}_{t_{k'}}\right]\right\}$$

(assume: $k \leq k'$)

↳ highest one. ($\because k \leq k'$)

$$= \sum_k \sum_{k'} E\{e_k e_{k'} E\left[\frac{\quad}{\quad} \mid \mathcal{F}_{t_{k'}}\right]\}$$

if $k \neq k' \rightarrow$ this term is zero \rightarrow diagonal terms survive.

$$\Rightarrow \sum_k E[e_k^2 (B_{t_{k+1}} - B_{t_k})^2] = \sum_k E[e_k^2] (t_{k+1} - t_k) \quad (\because \text{indep. prod.})$$

$$= \int_0^T E\{f^2(t, \omega)\} dt$$

$$f(t, \omega) = \begin{cases} e_k(\omega) & (t_k \leq t \leq t_{k+1}) \\ 0 & (\text{otherwise}) \end{cases}$$

Property (5): For f simple $\int_0^T f dB$ is an \mathcal{F}_t martingale in $0 \leq t \leq T$

that is continuous in t .

$$\left(E[I_t | \mathcal{F}_0] = I_0 = 0 \right. \\ \left. \sim \text{similar to P3} \right)$$

$$\text{if } I_t(\omega) = \int_0^t f(s, \omega) dB_s(\omega) \Rightarrow E[I_t | \mathcal{F}_s] = I_s$$

Summary: $I_t(\omega)$ is continuous and square integrable martingale.

$$\text{since, } E[I_t^2] = \int_0^t E[f^2(s, \cdot)] ds.$$

Q) Given property 1-5 \rightarrow How to complete the theory?

• Lemma (Oksendal).

Suppose $f: [0, T] \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, non-anticipating and square integrable.

Without non-anticipating property, we know that there always exists a sequence of simple $f_n(t, \omega)$ s.t. $E \int_0^T (f(t, \omega) - f_n(t, \omega))^2 dt \rightarrow 0$

\rightarrow If also f is non-anticipating then $f_n(t, \omega)$ can also be chosen to be non-anticipating. (intuitive).

\downarrow

Suppose this is known \rightarrow How to complete?

\rightarrow How do we extend property 5 to any f that is non-anticipating and square integrable.

$\int_0^t f_n(s, \omega) ds = I_{t, t_n}^n(\omega)$ is a continuous square integrable Ft

Review convergence

- (1) X_n R.V. $n=1, 2, \dots$, $X_n \rightarrow X$ in Mean square, if $E(X_n - X)^2 \rightarrow 0$
- (2) $X_n \rightarrow X$ in probability if $P(|X_n - X| > \delta) \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$ for $\delta > 0$
- (3) $X_n \rightarrow X$ a.s. if $X_n(\omega) \rightarrow X(\omega)$ for a set of $\omega \in \Omega$ that has prob 1.

\rightarrow Suppose we show that $P \left\{ \max_{0 \leq s < t \leq T} |I_n(t, \omega) - I_m(t, \omega)| > \delta \right\} \rightarrow 0$

as $n, m \rightarrow \infty$ for any $\delta > 0$.

(In words, $I_n(t, \omega)$ is a Cauchy-sequence, uniformly in t , $0 \leq t \leq T$ in probability with respect to (ω, \mathcal{F}_t) (w)).

Suppose X_n is Cauchy in μ, s, prob $\rightarrow X$ conv. prob exists
 " X_n " " " " μ, s, prob
 conv. in prob. $\equiv E \left(\frac{|X_n - X|}{|X_n - X| + 1} \right) \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$

$\Rightarrow I_n(t, \omega) \xrightarrow{\text{is Cauchy}} \text{uniformly continuous}$

$P \left\{ \sup_{0 \leq s < t \leq T} |I_n(t, \omega) - I_m(t, \omega)| > \delta \right\} \rightarrow 0$ as $n, m \rightarrow \infty$

\rightarrow (Continuous!)

The stochastic integral

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→ Main fact: $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Integrand } f(t, \omega) : [0, T] \times \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, \Omega = C([0, T]; \mathbb{R}) \\ \mathcal{F}_t, 0 \leq t \leq T, P: \text{ makes path B.M.} \end{array} \right.$

→ Notation: $w(t), 0 \leq t \leq T$ is decided by $B_t(w) = w(t)$.

→ Properties: $E \int_0^T f(s, \cdot) ds < \infty$

• Non-anticipating $\{ \omega \in \Omega \mid f(t, \omega) \in A \} \in \mathcal{F}_t, 0 \leq t \leq T, A \subset \mathbb{R}$

• Simple functions:

$$f(t, \omega) = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} e_k(\omega) \chi_{[t_k, t_{k+1})}$$

$$e_k(\cdot) \in \mathcal{F}_{t_k}$$

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$$\{ \omega \in \Omega \mid e_k(\omega) \leq x \} \in \mathcal{F}_{t_k}, \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$$

→ For simple f , $\int_0^T f(s, \omega) dB_s(\omega) = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} f_k(\omega) \{ \underbrace{B_t(\omega) - B_{t_k}(\omega)}_{k+1} \}$

Adding ahead (forward).

① Additivity

② Linearity

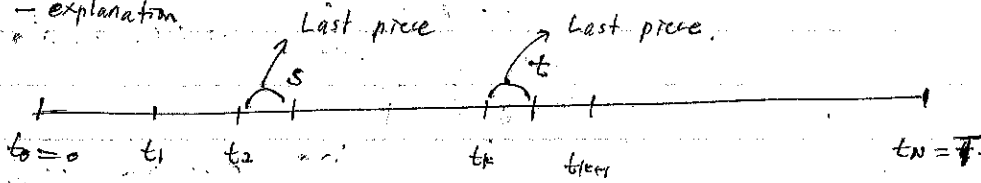
③ $E \left(\int_0^T f dB \right) = 0$

④ $E \left[\left(\int_0^T f dB \right)^2 \right] = E \int_0^T f^2 ds$

⑤ $I_t(w) = I(t, w) = \int_0^t f(s, w) dB_s(w) \left(= \int_0^T \chi_{[0, t)} f(s, w) dB_s(w) \right)$

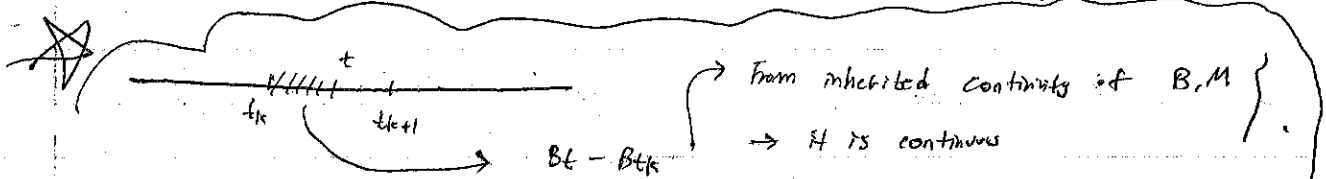
$I_t(w)$ is continuous in t , square integrable, \mathcal{F}_t martingale. ($E[I_t | \mathcal{F}_s] = I_s$)
 $0 \leq s \leq t \leq T$

⑤ - explanation



$$I_s = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} e_k (B_{t_{k+1}} - B_{t_k}) + e_{N-1} (B_s - B_{t_{N-1}})$$

$$I_t = \dots + e_{N-1} (B_t - B_{t_{N-1}})$$



Pass the limit from simple f to general f .

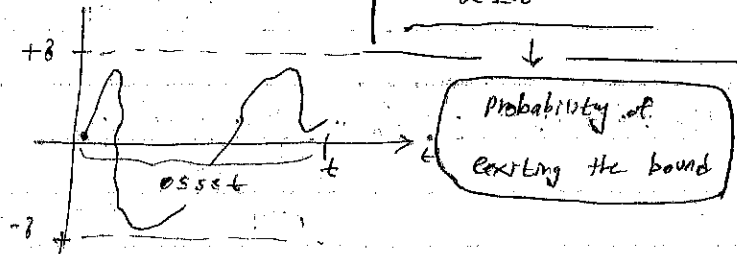
Oksendal Lemma

General approximation theorem.

$f(t, \omega)$ sq. int. $E \int_0^T f^2(s, \cdot) ds < \infty \Rightarrow \exists f_n(t, \omega)$ simple s.t. $E \int_0^T (f - f_n)^2 \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$
 < Additionally, f_n is non-anticipating >

Doob's inequality \rightarrow let M_t be integrable martingale $\Rightarrow E\{|M_t|^p\} < \infty \quad 1 \leq p < \infty$
 $E[|M_t| | \mathcal{F}_s] = M_s$

assume M_t continuous, then $P\{\max_{0 \leq s \leq t} |M_s| > \delta\} \leq \frac{1}{\delta^p} E\{|M_t|^p\}$



\rightarrow Apply!

let $I_n(t, \omega) = \int_0^t f(t, \omega) dB_s(\omega) \quad (T, \cdot)$

$\Rightarrow P\left\{\max_{0 \leq t \leq T} |I_n(t, \omega) - I_m(t, \omega)| > \delta\right\} \leq \frac{1}{\delta^2} E\left\{(I_n(T, \omega) - I_m(T, \omega))^2\right\}$
 $= \frac{1}{\delta^2} E\left\{\int_0^T (f_n(s, \cdot) - f_m(s, \cdot))^2 ds\right\}$
 $= \frac{1}{\delta^2} E\left[\int_0^T (f_n(s, \cdot) - f_m(s, \cdot))^2 ds\right]$
 Ito's Isometry
 $\rightarrow 0 \quad n, m \rightarrow \infty \quad \therefore f_n \rightarrow f \text{ in M.S.E.}$

Conclusion: $I_n(t, \omega)$ is a continuous stoch. process.

\hookrightarrow It has unique limit $I(t, \omega)$ s.t. $P\left\{\max_{0 \leq t \leq T} |I_n(t, \omega) - I(t, \omega)| > \delta\right\} \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$

\rightarrow we can prove using Borel-Cantelli Lemma \rightarrow find subsequence $I_{n_k}(t, \omega)$ s.t. $I_{n_k}(t, \omega) \rightarrow I(t, \omega)$ as $n_k \rightarrow \infty$ uniquely w.p. 1

We now have stochastic integral.

$$I(t, \omega) = \int_0^t f(s, \omega) d B_s(\omega)$$

with all 5 properties of the S.I. for simple f .

- ① Additivity
- ② Linearity
- ③ Mean zero.
- ④ Ito Isometry
- ⑤ $I(t, \omega)$ is a cont. sq. mart. Mart.

(1) Note: $I(t, \omega) = \int_0^t f(s, \omega) d B_s(\omega)$ $0 \leq t \leq T$ on $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbb{P})$
 is cont. sq. integrable Martingale.

(1) Converse: Every cont. sq. int. Martingale is a Brownian stochastic integral.

(2) Small converse: If M_t is ^{cont.} sq. int. Mart. s.t. its quadratic variation is t

then M_t is a Brownian motion. Doesn't have to be original!

↳ why? → show by converse

$$M_t(\omega) = \int_0^t f(s, \omega) d B_s(\omega) \quad \text{But } E(M_t^2) = E \int_0^t f^2 ds = t$$

In addition, for any S-integral $I(t, \omega) = \int_0^t f(s, \omega) d B_s(\omega)$

$$\Rightarrow QV(I) = \int_0^t f^2(s, \omega) ds \quad (\text{Ito isometry})$$

↳ so $QV_t(M) = t \quad (0 \leq t \leq T) \Rightarrow \int_0^t f^2(s, \omega) ds = t \Rightarrow \int_0^t f^2 = 1$

Comment) Let $X(t, \omega) = \int_0^t f(s, \omega) d B_s(\omega)$ and suppose $|f^2(s, \omega)| \geq 1 \quad (0 \leq t \leq T)$

$\Rightarrow X(t, \omega)$ is ⓐ Brownian motion that's not B(t, \omega)

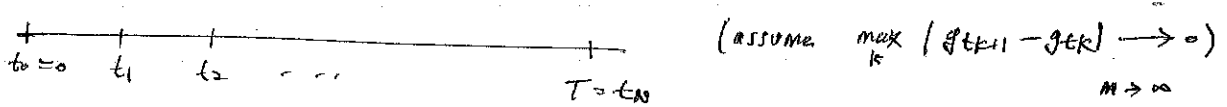
↳ Small converse is proved!

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QV. proofs.

Ito's formula. (p24~p.25 in lecture notes.)

$g(x) : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ $g(x), g'(x), g''(x)$ are bounded.
 Then, $g(B_t) - g(B_s) = \int_s^t g'(B_u) dB_u + \frac{1}{2} \int_s^t g''(B_u) du$.
 Ito term.



$$g(B_T) - g(B_0) = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \{g(B_{t_{k+1}}) - g(B_{t_k})\}$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} g'(B_{t_k}) (B_{t_{k+1}} - B_{t_k}) \quad \text{(Taylor's expansion)}$$

$$+ \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \frac{1}{2} g''(B_{t_k}) (B_{t_{k+1}} - B_{t_k})^2 \quad \text{(assume } g''' \text{ exists)}$$

$$+ \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \frac{1}{6} g'''(B_{t_k^*}) (B_{t_{k+1}} - B_{t_k})^3 \quad \text{(mean value thm)}$$

① $\rightarrow \int_0^T g'(B_s) dB_s$ ② $\rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \int_0^T g''(B_s) ds$ ③ $\rightarrow 0$
 why?

$$\left| \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} g'''(t_k^*) (B_{t_{k+1}} - B_{t_k})^3 \right| \leq \max_x |g'''(x)| \max_k |B_{t_{k+1}} - B_{t_k}| \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} (B_{t_{k+1}} - B_{t_k})^2$$

$\underbrace{\max_k |B_{t_{k+1}} - B_{t_k}|}_{=0 \text{ w.p.1}} \quad \underbrace{\sum_{k=0}^{N-1} (B_{t_{k+1}} - B_{t_k})^2}_{\text{bounded w.p.1}}$

(Brownian continuity)
 \rightarrow uniform continuity.
 \therefore ③ $\rightarrow 0$

$\therefore g(B_t) - g(B_s) = \int_s^t g'(B_u) dB_u + \frac{1}{2} \int_s^t g''(B_u) du$.

Q) How to generalize? \rightarrow continued...

$\therefore g(B_T) - g(B_0) = \int_0^T g'(B_s) dB_s + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^T g''(B_s) ds$

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K.I. \Rightarrow Stopping times.

K.I. in discrete time.

$$\begin{cases} M_n, n \geq 0 \text{ Martingale. at } (\Omega, \mathcal{F}_n, 0 \leq n \leq N, P) \\ E[|M_n|^p] < \infty \quad 1 \leq p < \infty \\ E[M_n | \mathcal{F}_k] = M_k \quad 0 \leq k < n < \infty \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow P\left\{ \max_{0 \leq k \leq n} |M_k| > \lambda \right\} = \frac{1}{\lambda^p} E[|M_n|^p] \quad (\text{K.I.})$$

\rightarrow last index

In continuous case,

$$P\left\{ \max_{0 \leq s \leq t} |M_s| > \lambda \right\} \leq \frac{1}{\lambda^p} E[|M_t|^p] \quad (\text{K.I. in cont.})$$

Define

$$\begin{cases} A_0 = \{ \omega \in \Omega \mid |M_0| > \lambda \} & (\text{get out from initial}) \\ A_1 = \{ \omega \in \Omega \mid |M_1| > \lambda, |M_0| \leq \lambda \} & (\text{get out after initial}). \\ A_2 = \{ \omega \in \Omega \mid |M_2| > \lambda, |M_1| \leq \lambda, |M_0| \leq \lambda \} \\ \vdots \\ A_i = \{ \omega \in \Omega \mid |M_i| > \lambda, |M_{i-1}| \leq \lambda, \dots, |M_0| \leq \lambda \} \end{cases}$$

clearly, $A_i \cap A_j = \emptyset$ ($i \neq j$) and $\left\{ \omega \in \Omega \mid \max_{0 \leq k \leq n} |M_k| > \lambda \right\} = \bigcup_{k=0}^n A_k$

A_k is a set of path that escapes at time k . (exit time = k)

$$\Rightarrow P\left\{ \max_{0 \leq k \leq n} |M_k| > \lambda \right\} = \sum_{k=0}^n P(A_k) = \sum_{k=0}^n E\{ \chi_{A_k} \} \leq \sum_{k=0}^n E\left[\frac{|M_k|^p}{\lambda^p} \chi_{A_k} \right] \quad (1 \leq p)$$

By Martingale, $|M_k| = |E[M_n | \mathcal{F}_k]| \leq E\{|M_n| | \mathcal{F}_k\}$
 $\leq E\{|M_n|^p | \mathcal{F}_k\}^{1/p}$ (Hölder inequality).

therefore, $P\left\{ \max_{0 \leq k \leq n} |M_k| > \lambda \right\} \leq \sum_{k=0}^n E\left[E\left\{ \frac{|M_n|^p}{\lambda^p} \chi_{A_k} \mid \mathcal{F}_k \right\} \right]$

$$\begin{aligned} &\leq \sum_{k=0}^n E\left[E\left\{ \frac{|M_n|^p}{\lambda^p} \mid \mathcal{F}_k \right\} \chi_{A_k} \right] = \\ &= \sum_{k=0}^n E\left[E\left\{ \frac{|M_n|^p}{\lambda^p} \chi_{A_k} \mid \mathcal{F}_k \right\} \right] = \sum_{k=0}^n E\left\{ \frac{|M_n|^p}{\lambda^p} \chi_{A_k} \right\} = \frac{1}{\lambda^p} E\left[|M_n|^p \sum_{k=0}^n \chi_{A_k} \right] \end{aligned}$$

Also, note that $\sum_{k=1}^n X_{kT}$ (sum of evens) ≤ 1

$$\Rightarrow \dots \leq \frac{1}{\lambda P} E\{|M_n|^P\} \quad \#.$$

$$\therefore P \left\{ \max_{0 \leq k \leq n} |M_k| > \lambda \right\} \leq \frac{1}{\lambda^P} E\{|M_n|^P\}$$

Quadratic variation (QV).

$$QV_T(I) = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} (I_{t_{k+1}}(\omega) - I_{t_k}(\omega))^2 \quad \langle \text{USQ} \rangle \quad \max_k (t_{k+1} - t_k) \rightarrow 0, N \rightarrow \infty$$

$$QV_T(I) = \int_0^T f^2(s, \omega) ds \quad I_T(\omega) = \int_0^T f(s, \omega) dB_s(\omega)$$

$$\text{clearly } \begin{cases} I_T(\omega) = B_T(\omega) & \text{if } f(t, \omega) = 1 \quad (0 \leq t \leq T) \\ QV_T(B) = T \end{cases} \quad \text{[Every limit} \rightarrow \text{Mean square limit]}$$

Fact (pg 24 in Notes)

$$\text{Suppose } I(t, \omega) = \int_0^t \sigma(s, \omega) dB_s(\omega) \quad \text{and } |\sigma(s, \omega)| \leq C \quad 0 \leq s \leq T$$

(uniformly bounded).

Then, $I^2(t, \omega) - \int_0^t \sigma^2(s, \omega) ds$ is a F_t Martingale

$$\text{In fact } I^2(t) - \int_0^t \sigma^2 ds = \int_0^t I(s) \sigma(s) dB_s \quad \text{[~~is a martingale~~]}$$

$$\text{By Ito isometry } E\left(\int_0^t I \sigma dB_s\right)^2 = E\int_0^t I^2 \sigma^2 ds$$

$$\text{Recall } E\{I^2(t)\} = E\int_0^t \sigma^2(s) ds.$$

$$I^2(t) - \int_0^t \sigma^2 ds \sim \text{sq. int.}$$

Return to Ito's formula,

Suppose $f(t, x) : [0, T] \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$. f, f_t, f_x, f_{xx} are bounded.

$$\text{Then, } f(t, B_t(\omega)) = f(0, 0) + \int_0^t f_t(s, B_s(\omega)) ds + \int_0^t f_x(s, B_s(\omega)) dB_s(\omega) + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^t f_{xx}(s, B_s(\omega)) ds$$

If $f = f(x)$, $f_t = 0$ first term drops out.

Ito term

Q.V.

$$df(t, B_t) = f_t(t, B_t) dt + f_x(t, B_t) dB_t + \frac{1}{2} f_{xx}(t, B_t) d\langle B_t \rangle$$

where $\langle B_t \rangle = QV_t(B) = t$.

$\Rightarrow d\langle B_t \rangle = dQV_t(B) = dt$.

so

$$df(t, B_t) = \left\{ f_t(t, B_t) + \frac{1}{2} f_{xx}(t, B_t) \right\} dt + f_x(t, B_t) dB_t$$

* Recall that $t_0=0, t_1, t_2, \dots, t_{N-1}, t_N=T$ $f(B_t) = f(B_0) + \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} (f(B_{t_{k+1}}) - f(B_{t_k}))$

\Rightarrow Taylor expansion $\Rightarrow \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} f_x(B_{t_k})(B_{t_{k+1}} - B_{t_k}) + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} f_{xx}(B_{t_k}^*) \Delta t_k^2$

(for $f(x)$ with $|f_{xxx}(x)| \leq C$) continuous.

\downarrow $f_{xx}(B_{t_k}^*) \Delta t_k^2 \rightarrow 0$ w.p.1

$\Rightarrow (*)$ becomes $= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} f_{xx}(B_{t_k}^*) \{ (B_{t_{k+1}} - B_{t_k})^2 - (t_{k+1} - t_k) \} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} f_{xx}(B_{t_k}^*) (t_{k+1} - t_k)$

\rightarrow (M.S.R) $= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^T f_{xx}(B_s) ds$ (N.T. ∞)
 How to show? (sub-division) not the full two terms
 \rightarrow show it goes to zero
 Riemann Integral

• Full strength Ito's formula

$f(t, x) : [0, T] \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$
 $\rightarrow f_t(t, x), f_x(t, x), f_{xx}(t, x)$ bounded, cont.

let $I(t, w) = \int_0^t \sigma(s, w) dB_s(w)$, $E \left[\int_0^t \sigma^2(s, w) ds \right] < \infty$

Then, $f(T, I(T)) - f(0, I(0)) = \int_0^T f_t(s, I(s)) ds + \int_0^T f_x(s, I(s)) dB_s$
 $+ \frac{1}{2} \int_0^T f_{xx}(s, I(s)) d\langle I_s \rangle$

$(dI_s = \sigma(s) dB_s, d\langle I_s \rangle = \sigma^2(s) ds)$

Rewrite in diff. form

$$df(t, I(t)) = f_t(t, I(t)) dt + f_x(t, I(t)) \underbrace{\sigma(t) dB_t}_{(= dI_t)} + \frac{1}{2} f_{xx}(t, I(t)) \underbrace{\sigma^2(t) dt}_{(= d\langle I_t \rangle)}$$

(Integrability)

When Ito fails \rightarrow we need a stopping time.

- stopping times
- optimal stopping thm.

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Stopping theorem (Ito)

$$I(t, \omega) = \int_0^t \sigma(s, \omega) dB_s(\omega) \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \omega \in \Omega \quad \Omega = C([0, T]; \mathbb{R}) \\ (\Omega, \mathcal{F}_t, 0 \leq t \leq T, P) \quad P = B.M. \end{array} \right.$$

$\sigma(t, \omega) : [0, T] \times \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$
 $E \int_0^T \sigma^2(t, \cdot) dt < \infty$ (non-anticipating)

From Ito's formula,

$$E [I(t, \cdot)^2] = E \int_0^t \sigma^2(s, \cdot) ds$$

$$\text{Also, } dI(t, \omega) = \sigma(t, \omega) dB_t(\omega) \quad (I(0, \omega) = 0)$$

Moreover, $I(t, \omega)$ is continuous and $E [I(t, \cdot) | \mathcal{F}_s] = I(s, \cdot)$ (Martingale).

Let $f(t, x) : [0, T] \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ with f_t, f_x, f_{xx} bounded.

Let $Y(t, \omega) = f(t, I(t, \omega))$.

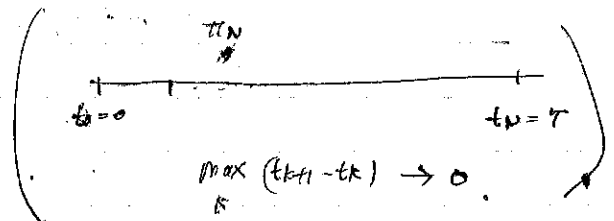
$$\text{then, } dY(t, \omega) = f_t(t, I(t, \omega)) dt + f_x(t, I(t, \omega)) dI(t, \omega) + \frac{1}{2} f_{xx}(t, I(t, \omega)) d\langle I(t, \omega) \rangle$$

(*) Note: $QV_t(I) = \langle I_t(t, \omega) \rangle = \int_0^t \sigma^2(s, \omega) ds$

$\frac{d\langle I(t, \omega) \rangle}{dt} = \sigma^2(t, \omega)$ (*)

pf) Heuristic proof.

$$QV_T(I) = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \sup_{\pi_N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} (I(t_{k+1}) - I(t_k))^2$$



$$\sum_{k=0}^{N-1} (I(t_{k+1}) - I(t_k))^2 = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \left(\int_{t_k}^{t_{k+1}} \sigma(s, \omega) dB_s(\omega) \right)^2$$

$$\approx \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \sigma(t_k, \omega)^2 \left\{ B_{t_{k+1}}(\omega) - B_{t_k}(\omega) \right\}^2 \quad (\because \text{stochastic integral})$$

$$\approx \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \sigma(t_k, \omega)^2 (t_{k+1} - t_k) \quad (\because QV \text{ of BM})$$

To be more specific,

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \sigma^2(t_k, \omega) \cdot \left\{ \underbrace{(\beta_{t_{k+1}} - \beta_{t_k})}_{\text{goes to zero}} - (t_{k+1} - t_k) \right\} + \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \sigma^2(t_k, \omega) (t_{k+1} - t_k)$$

It's formula,
$$Y(t, \omega) = Y(0, \omega) + \int_0^t f(t, I(t, \omega)) dt + \int_0^t f_x(t, I(t, \omega)) \sigma(t, \omega) dB_t(\omega) + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^t f_{xx}(t, I(t, \omega)) \sigma^2(t, \omega) dt$$

How to prove?
$$Y(T, \omega) - Y(0, \omega) = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} (Y(t_{k+1}, \omega) - Y(t_k, \omega))$$

→ Taylor expansion. **DIY**

Example. (application)

Assume $|\sigma(t, \omega)| \leq C$

$$E[I^{2p}(t, \cdot)] = E\left\{ \left(\int_0^t \sigma(s, \omega) dB_s(\omega) \right)^{2p} \right\}$$

(Itô) with $f(x) = x^{2p}$ $f_x = 2p x^{2p-1}$ $f_{xx} = 2p(2p-1) x^{2p-2}$

$$\Rightarrow I^{2p}(t) = \int_0^t \underbrace{2p I^{2p-1}(s) \sigma(s)}_{\downarrow} dB_s + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^t 2p(2p-1) I^{2p-2}(s) \sigma^2(s) ds$$

we need a guarantee that $E \int_0^t I^{4p-2}(s) < \infty$ to integrate

but, as $p \uparrow$, $4p-2$ is getting too large.

→ why don't we **argue** that $E[\cdot]$ goes to **zero** we need stopping time.

Then
$$E(I^{2p}(t)) = p(2p-1) \int_0^t E(I^{2p-2}(s) \sigma^2(s) ds)$$

$$\leq p(2p-1) C^2 \int_0^t E(I^{2p-2}) ds$$

if p is real value, use Holder inequality

① $p=1$

$$E(I^2(t)) \leq C^2 t$$

② $p=2$

$$E(I^4(t)) \leq 2 \cdot 3 \cdot C^2 \int_0^t C^2 s ds = 3 C^4 t^2$$

(if Gaussian, $C=1$) $(E(I^{2p}(x)) = 3 \cdot 5 \cdot \dots \cdot C^p t^p)$

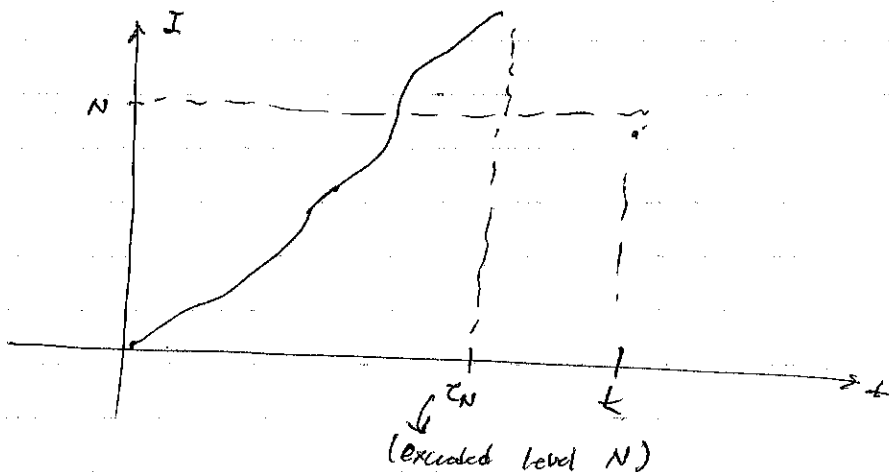
Stopping time, (*) - Simple and Essential

$\tau(\omega) : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$ is a stopping time if for any $t \geq 0$,

$$\{\omega \in \Omega \mid \tau(\omega) \leq t\} \in \mathcal{F}_t.$$

Example: $\tau_N = \inf \{t \mid I(t; \omega) \geq N\}$ = first time I exceeds 'N'

$$\{\tau_N \leq t\} = \left\{ \max_{0 \leq s \leq t} I(s; \omega) \geq N \right\} \in \mathcal{F}_t.$$

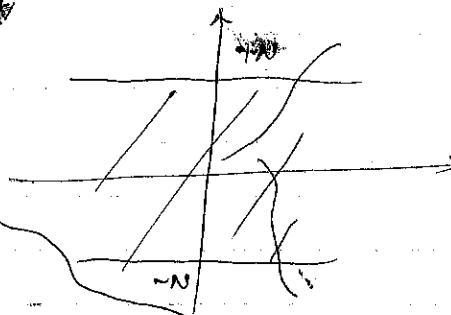


$\therefore \tau_N$ is the first exit time of I from $[-\infty, N]$.

Define $t \wedge \tau_N = \min(t, \tau_N)$ and $\tau_N = \inf \{t \mid |I(t; \omega)| \geq N\}$

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} 2^p I^{2p-1}(s) \sigma(s) dB_s \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$= \int_0^t \chi_{\{\tau_N \leq s\}} 2^p I^{2p-1}(s) dB_s$$



Note: optimal stopping theorem

Suppose $M(t)$ is \mathcal{F}_t Mart. $E\{|M(t)|\} < \infty$

and at $0 \leq p \leq \infty$ p, T bounded, stopping times,

$$\text{then, } E\{M(\tau) \mid \mathcal{F}_p\} = M(p)$$

so, we say (1) = $\int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} (2^p I^{2p-1}) \cdot \sigma(s) dB_s$

$\sigma(s)$ gone!

Also define $I_N(t) = I(t) \chi_{\{|N(t)| \leq N\}}$ (truncated)

up to time τ_N , $I_N(t) = I(t)$ but after τ_N , $I_N(t) = 0 \neq I(t)$

thus, when $|\sigma(t, \omega)| \leq C \Rightarrow \tau_N(\omega) \rightarrow \infty$

$$\text{why?} \Rightarrow P\{\tau_N \leq t\} = P\left\{\max_{0 \leq s \leq t} |I(s)| \geq N\right\} \leq \frac{1}{N^2} E(I^2(t)) \leq \frac{C^2 t}{N^2} \quad (\text{K. 2.})$$

Stopping times.

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Recall Ito's formula,

$$\begin{cases} I(t, \omega) = \int_0^t \sigma(s, \omega) dB_s(\omega) & 0 \leq t \leq T & \text{--- (1)} \\ \sigma(t, \omega) =: [0, T] \times \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R} & & \text{well-defined} \\ E \int_0^T \sigma^2(s, \cdot) ds < \infty & & \text{(non-anticipating)} \end{cases}$$

$$f(t, x) : [0, T] \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, \quad f_t, f_x, f_{xx} \text{ bounded.}$$

$$\Rightarrow df(t, I(t, \omega)) = f_t(t, I(t, \omega)) dt + f_x(t, I(t, \omega)) dI(t, \omega) + \frac{1}{2} f_{xx}(t, I(t, \omega)) \langle I(t, \omega) \rangle$$

where $\langle I(t, \omega) \rangle = \int_0^t \sigma^2(s, \omega) ds = QV_t(I)$

Let $Y(t, \omega)$ itself a stochastic integral + deterministic integral.

$$Y(t, \omega) = Y(0, \omega) + \int_0^t f_t(s, I(s, \omega)) ds + \int_0^t \underbrace{f_x(s, I(s, \omega))}_{\text{bounded } \checkmark} \underbrace{\sigma(s, \omega)}_{\text{sq. integrable } \checkmark} dB_s(\omega) + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^t \underbrace{f_{xx}(s, I(s, \omega))}_{\text{bounded } \checkmark} \underbrace{\sigma^2(s, \omega)}_{\text{sq. integrable } \checkmark} ds$$

Example: How to calculate f (functions) that are not bounded using stopping times.

$$f(x) = x^{2p}$$

Calculate $E \left(\left(\int_0^t \sigma(s, \cdot) dB_s(\cdot) \right)^{2p} \right)$ ($|\sigma(t, \omega)| \leq c$ is needed with suffice.)

< Ito >

$$dI(t)^{2p} = 2p I(t)^{2p-1} dI(t) + \frac{1}{2} \cdot 2p(2p-1) I(t)^{2p-2} \sigma^2(t) dt.$$

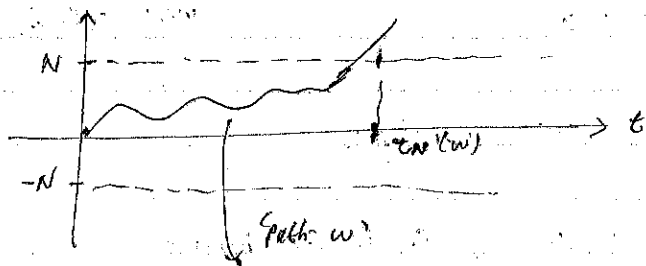
$$= 2p I(t)^{2p-1} \sigma(t) dB_t + p(2p-1) I^{2p-2} \sigma^2(t) dt \quad (\text{is } \textcircled{1})$$

Need $(I^{2p-1})^2 = I^{4p-2}$ is integrable. $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} p=2 \text{ (4th moment)} \\ \downarrow \\ \text{6th moment of } I \text{ needed.} \end{array} \right.$

• Stopping time comes in...

$$\tau(\omega) : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+ \quad \{\omega \in \Omega \mid \tau(\omega) \leq t\} \in \mathcal{F}_t \quad (0 \leq t \leq T)$$

Ex) $\tau_N(\omega) = \inf \{t \mid |I(t, \omega)| \geq N\}$



• Stopping
||| (In some sense...)
Exit

clearly, $\{\tau(\omega) \leq t\} = \left\{ \max_{0 \leq s \leq t} |I(s)| \geq N \right\}$ (completely equivalent) $\in \mathcal{F}_t$ (usual)

$$P(\tau_N \leq t) = P\left(\max_{0 \leq s \leq t} |I(s)| \geq N\right) \leq \frac{1}{N^2} E\left[\int_0^t \sigma^2(s, \cdot) ds\right] \xrightarrow{\text{(K.I.)}} \text{stochastic integral are continuous Martingale} \leq \frac{C^2 t}{N^2} \quad (2)$$

Consider $P\left(\bigcap_{N=1}^{\infty} \bigcup_{n=N}^{\infty} (\tau_n \leq t)\right) = 0$ implies that

"some" "all"

"For some N and any n > N, τ_n ≤ t doesn't happen"

$$= \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} P\left(\bigcup_{n=N}^{\infty} [\tau_n \leq t]\right) \leq \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{n=N}^{\infty} P(\tau_n \leq t) \leq \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} C^2 t \sum_{n=N}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2} = 0 \quad (2)$$

$$\therefore P\left(\bigcap_{N=1}^{\infty} \bigcup_{n=N}^{\infty} (\tau_n \leq t)\right) = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad P\left(\bigcap_{N=1}^{\infty} \bigcup_{n=N}^{\infty} (\tau_n > t)\right) = 1 \quad (3)$$

③ means, for some $N_0(\omega)$ and for all $n > N_0(\omega)$ then, $\tau_n(\omega) > t$ probability = 1

↳ In short, $\tau_N(\omega) \rightarrow \infty$ (w.p.1.)

$$A \wedge B = \min(A, B)$$

Use stopping time for moments.

$$\tau_N = \inf \{ t \mid |I(t)| \geq N \}$$

→ Itô's formula up to $\tau_N \wedge t$ is valid. (until then I is bounded by N)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Ex)} \quad I(t)^{2p} &= \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} 2p I^{2p-1}(s) \sigma(s) dB_s + \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} p(2p-1) I^{2p-2}(s) \sigma^2(s) ds \\ &= \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} 2p I^{2p-1}(s) \chi_{\{|I(s)| \leq N\}} \sigma(s) dB_s + \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} p(2p-1) I^{2p-2}(s) \sigma^2(s) ds \end{aligned}$$

($\chi_{\{|I(s)| \leq N\}} = 1$ ($|I(s)| \leq N$))

$$M(t) = \int_0^t 2p I^{2p-1}(s) \chi_{\{|I(s)| \leq N\}} \sigma(s) dB_s \quad E(M(t)) = 0 \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{well-defined} \\ \text{Martingale} \end{array} \right)$$

($\tau_N \wedge t \leq t$ is bounded stopping time) \Rightarrow by optional stopping time (OST)

$$\Rightarrow E[M(t \wedge \tau_N)] = 0 = \text{also, } E[M(t \wedge \tau_N) | \mathcal{F}_0] = M_0 = 0$$

\Rightarrow Using this,

$$E[I^{2p}(t \wedge \tau_N)] = E \left[\int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} p(2p-1) I^{2p-2}(s) \sigma^2(s) ds \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow E[I^{2p}(t \wedge \tau_N)] \leq p(2p-1) c^2 E \left[\int_0^t I^{2p-2}(s) ds \right]$$

and also, $\tau_N \rightarrow \infty$ w.p.1 as $N \rightarrow \infty$
 so that $\tau_N \wedge t \Rightarrow t$ w.p.1 as $N \rightarrow \infty$

$$|\sigma(t, \omega)| \leq c$$

($t \wedge \tau_N \uparrow t$ as $N \rightarrow \infty$)

By Fatou's lemma, (p. 34)

$$E \left[\liminf_{N \rightarrow \infty} I^{2p}(t \wedge \tau_N) \right] \leq \liminf_{N \rightarrow \infty} E \left[I^{2p}(t \wedge \tau_N) \right] \leq p(2p-1) c^2 E \left[\int_0^t I^{2p-2}(s) ds \right]$$

||

$$E[I^{2p}(t)]$$

(w.p.1, as $N \rightarrow \infty$).

p=1) $E[I^2] \leq c^2 t$

p=2) $E[I^4] \leq 2 \cdot 3 \cdot c^2 \int_0^t c^2 s ds = 3c^4 t^2$

$$E[I^{2p}] = 3 \cdot 5 \cdot \dots \cdot (2p-1) \cdot (c^2 t)^p$$

Ex) Exponential Martingale

$$M_\alpha(t) = \exp\left(\alpha I(t) - \frac{\alpha^2}{2} \int_0^t \sigma^2(s) ds\right), \quad (\alpha \in \mathbb{R})$$

$M_\alpha(t)$ is an \mathcal{F}_t ($0 \leq t \leq T$) sq. integrable Martingale.

$$\text{and } dM_\alpha(t, \omega) = \alpha \sigma(t, \omega) M_\alpha(t, \omega) dB_s(\omega)$$

< Linear, scalar, stoch. Diff. Eq. >

solution

To have solution, $\alpha \sigma(t, \omega) M_\alpha(t, \omega)$ should be square integrable.

$$M_\alpha(0, \omega) = 1$$

< Proof of Optional Stopping Theorem > O.S.T.

Define: $(\mathcal{F}_t, 0 \leq t \leq T)$ Let $\tau \leq T$ be a stopping time.

\mathcal{F}_τ is the σ -algebra generated by events of the form

$$A \cap \{\tau \leq t\} \in \mathcal{F}_t, \quad A \in \mathcal{F}_T \quad (0 \leq t \leq T)$$

$\Rightarrow \mathcal{F}_\tau \sim$ collection of events that depend on path up to time τ .

O.S.T. Suppose $M(t)$ is a continuous Martingale s.t. $E\{|M(t)|\} < \infty \quad 0 \leq t \leq T$

and if ρ and τ are stop functions s.t.

$$0 \leq \rho(\omega) \leq \tau(\omega) \leq T < \infty$$

then $\Rightarrow E\{M(\tau) | \mathcal{F}_\rho\} = M(\rho)$ (Martingale property is preserved)

Ex) $M(t) = B(t) = B, M \quad B(0) = 0$

$$\text{Let } \tau = \inf\{t \mid B(t) = k\}$$

Apply O.S.T,

$$E\{B(\tau) | \mathcal{F}_0\} = B(0) = 0$$

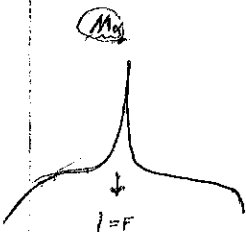
O.S.T does not apply, since

$$\tau < \infty \text{ w.p.1 but } E\{\tau\} = +\infty$$

so that there is no

$$T < \infty \text{ s.t. } 0 \leq \tau(\omega) \leq T$$

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O.S.T. holds when ρ and τ are bdd. $\Rightarrow E[M_\tau | F_\rho] = M_\rho$
 (* Martingale property holds for M_t)

6) $E[M_{t+\tau} | F_0] = E[M_{t+\tau}]$? $[a, b]^c$ meaning ?

• Proof of OST \rightarrow Good practice for conditional expectation (p. 36)

SDE

$$M_\alpha(t) = \exp\left(\alpha I(t) - \frac{\alpha^2}{2} \int_0^t \sigma^2(s) ds\right) \quad I(t) = \int_0^t \sigma(s) ds$$

$$\Rightarrow dM_\alpha(t) = \alpha \sigma(t, \omega) M_\alpha(t) dB_t \quad (\text{Ito's})$$

$$\Rightarrow M(t, \omega) = 1 + \alpha \int_0^t \sigma(s, \omega) M_\alpha(s, \omega) dB_s(\omega) \rightarrow \text{SDE with explicit solution}$$

SDE

Let $B(t, x), \sigma(t, x) : [0, T] \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$.

• $|B(t, x)| + \sigma(t, x) \leq C(1 + |x|)$ for $0 \leq t \leq T, x \in \mathbb{R}$: Linear growth cond. (Ito's condition)

• $|B(t, x) - B(t, y)| + |\sigma(t, x) - \sigma(t, y)| \leq C(|x - y|)$: Globally Lipschitz cond.

We want to show that the SDE:

$$X_t(\omega) = x + \int_0^t B(s, X_s(\omega)) ds + \int_0^t \sigma(s, X_s(\omega)) dB_s(\omega)$$

has a unique non-anticipating square integrable solution,

$$X_t \in F_t \text{ and } E[X_t^2] < \infty \quad 0 \leq t \leq T \text{ is continuous in } t$$

Then under Ito's condition it is true.

Note: $X_t(\omega) \sim X_t(\omega, x)$ $x \in \mathbb{R}$. $X_t(\omega, x)$ is continuous in x in probability

- Comments:
- ① The case $\sigma \equiv 0$ is included, so all of deterministic ODE is included here.
 - ② The fact that we deal with scalar case is for simplicity only.
 - ③ The linear growth condition is essential in global existence.

Ex) $dx_t = x_t^2 dt \quad x_0 = 1 \Rightarrow x_t = \frac{1}{1-t} \rightarrow \infty$ as $t \rightarrow 1$

• Lipschitz condition (not for global) is essential for uniqueness.

c.f.) $dx_t = x_t^{2/3} dt$ $x_0 = 0$

we have two solutions: $x_t = 0$, $x_t = t^3/27$

this is because we don't have Lipschitz property!

* Gronwall inequality.

If $w(t) \geq 0$ satisfies $w(t) \leq A + B \int_0^t w(s) ds$

$A, B > 0$, then $w(t) \leq Ae^{Bt}$

p.f.) Define $v(t) = \int_0^t w(s) ds$ Then $v(0) = 0$, $dv/dt = w$

so that $dv/dt = A + Bv$ and $dv/dt - Bv \leq A$

$\Rightarrow e^{-Bt} d/dt (e^{-Bt} v) \leq A$

$\Rightarrow d/dt (e^{-Bt} v) \leq A \Rightarrow e^{-Bt} v(t) \leq A \int_0^t e^{-Bs} ds \Rightarrow v(t) \leq \underline{A/B (e^{Bt} - 1)}$

so that, $w(t) \leq A + Bv(t) \leq \underline{Ae^{Bt}}$ $\#$

(1). Uniqueness

Let $x_t^{(1)}$, $x_t^{(2)}$ be two solutions, then,

$$x_t^{(1)} - x_t^{(2)} = \int_0^t \underbrace{\left\{ B(s, x_s^{(1)}) - B(s, x_s^{(2)}) \right\}}_{\Delta B} ds + \int_0^t \underbrace{\left(\sigma(s, x_s^{(1)}) - \sigma(s, x_s^{(2)}) \right)}_{\Delta \sigma} dB_s$$

Use $(a+b)^2 \leq 2a^2 + 2b^2 \Rightarrow (x_t^{(1)} - x_t^{(2)})^2 \leq 2 \left(\int_0^t \Delta B ds \right)^2 + 2 \left(\int_0^t \Delta \sigma dB \right)^2$

$\Rightarrow w(t) = E \left(x_t^{(1)} - x_t^{(2)} \right)^2 \leq 2E \left(\int_0^t \Delta B ds \right)^2 + 2E \left(\int_0^t \Delta \sigma dB \right)^2$

By global Lipschitz condition, $|\Delta B| \leq C |x_s^{(1)} - x_s^{(2)}|$

$|\Delta \sigma| \leq C |x_s^{(1)} - x_s^{(2)}|$

$\Rightarrow w(t) \leq 2E \left\{ t \int_0^t (\Delta B)^2 ds \right\} + 2E \left(\int_0^t (\Delta \sigma)^2 ds \right)$

Schwartz ineq.

Itô isometry

$\leq 2(T+1) \int_0^t E \left\{ C^2 |x_s^{(1)} - x_s^{(2)}|^2 \right\} ds$

$= 2C^2(T+1) \int_0^t \underbrace{E \left\{ |x_s^{(1)} - x_s^{(2)}|^2 \right\}}_{w(s)} ds$

$$w(t) = \frac{2c^2(T-t)}{\beta} \int_0^t w(s) ds \quad A=0 \Rightarrow E[(x_t^{(1)} - x_t^{(2)})^2] = 0.$$

$$\Rightarrow |x_t^{(1)} - x_t^{(2)}| = 0 \text{ w.p.1 } (0 \leq t \leq T)$$

By continuity, $x_t^{(1)} = x_t^{(2)}$, $0 \leq t \leq T$ (w.p.1)

Since $w(t) \leq 2c^2(T-t) \int_0^t w(s) ds$, we use Gronwall's inequality.

where $A=0$, $B=2c^2(T-t)$.

$$\Rightarrow w(t) \leq 0 \Rightarrow \boxed{w(t) = 0}$$

$$\Rightarrow E[|x_t^{(1)} - x_t^{(2)}|^2] = 0 \Rightarrow |x_t^{(1)} - x_t^{(2)}| = 0 \text{ w.p.1 } (0 \leq t \leq T)$$

$M_t = \exp(\alpha B_t - \alpha^2 t/2)$ is Martingale.

$E[M_t | \mathcal{F}_s] = M_s$ ←

O.S.T states that,

$E[M(\tau) | \mathcal{F}_t] = M(t)$

for $0 \leq t \leq \tau \leq T < \infty$.

Let $t = 0$, $E[M(\tau) | \mathcal{F}_0] = M_0 = 1$

\mathcal{F}_0 contains up to.

$E[M_t | \mathcal{F}_0]$

$E[|(M_{t+1} - M_t)| | \mathcal{F}_t] \leq c$

$= E[|\exp(\alpha B_{t+1} - \alpha^2(t+1)/2) - \exp(\alpha B_t - \alpha^2 t/2)| | \mathcal{F}_t]$

$= E$

$E[M_{\tau_N}] = E[M_0] = E[1] = 1$

||

$E[\exp(\alpha B_{\tau_N} - \alpha^2 \tau_N/2)]$

$= E[\exp(\alpha B_{\tau_N})] E[-\alpha^2 \tau_N/2]$

($\alpha^2/2 = \gamma$) why?

$= E[\exp(\sqrt{2\alpha} B_{\tau_N})]$

→ $E[\exp(-\gamma \tau_N)]$

$E[\exp(-\gamma \tau_N)] =$

How to find

$\frac{E[\exp(\alpha B_{\tau_N})] \cdot \exp(-\alpha^2 \tau_N/2)}{\exp(\alpha N)} = 1$?

why?

$$u(X_{t+\tau}) = u(x) + \int_0^{\tau} u'(X_s) dX_s + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\tau} u''(X_s) ds.$$

~~opt.~~

$$\frac{1}{e^{t-a} - e^{a-b}} (e^{x-a} - e^{a-x})$$

pb3. Start from $e^{-rs} u(X_s)$

$$C_1 \cosh + C_2 \rightarrow \text{use } u(a) = 1$$

$$u(b) = 1$$

pb4.

$u(X_{t+\tau})$ is Martingale.

Basics - applications of Ito's formula.

Say we want to evaluate $X(t) = \int_0^t W(s) dW(s)$.

By Ito's formula, by taking appropriate $f(x) = x^2/2$.

$$f(W(t)) = f(0) + \int_0^t f'(W(s)) dW(s) + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^t f''(W(s)) ds.$$

$$\Rightarrow W(t)^2/2 = 0 + \int_0^t W(s) dW(s) + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^t 1 \cdot ds$$

$$\therefore X(t) = \int_0^t W(s) dW(s) = \underline{W(t)^2/2 - t/2}$$

• Existence of SDE solutions.

$$B(t, x), \sigma(t, x) : [0, T] \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}.$$

Ito's conditions. (recall)

- $|B(t, x)| + |\sigma(t, x)| \leq c(1 + |x|)$ (growth)
- $|B(t, x) - B(t, y)| + |\sigma(t, x) - \sigma(t, y)| \leq c|x - y|$ (Lipschitz) $\forall t \in [0, T], \leq N$ for any N .

(In time indep. coeffs, the linear growth & local Lipschitz \rightarrow global Lipschitz)

Given B, σ , and $x \in \mathbb{R}$ we want to find $X(t, \omega, x)$ precisely, $\Rightarrow [0, T] \times \Omega \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

s.t. $X(t, \omega, x)$ is non-anticipating

- $E\{(X(t, \cdot, x))^2\} < \infty \quad 0 \leq t \leq T, x \in \mathbb{R}.$
- $X(t, \omega, x)$ is continuous w.p.1

and

$$X(t, \omega, x) = X + \int_0^t B(s, X(s, \omega, x)) ds + \int_0^t \sigma(s, X(s, \omega, x)) dB_s.$$

($0 \leq t \leq T, x \in \mathbb{R}$ w.p.1)

in short form, $\Rightarrow \underline{dX(t) = B(t, X(t)) dt + \sigma(t, X(t)) dB_t}$

$X(0) = x$

E.g. $\{ \omega \in \Omega \mid X(t, \omega, x) \leq y \} \in \mathcal{F}_t \quad \{ \Omega = C([0, T]; \mathbb{R}), \mathcal{F}_t, 0 \leq t \leq T, P \}$
 \hookrightarrow True but requires proof.
 \Rightarrow we need info. upto time t so that X is non-anticipating.
 (not time over t).

\rightarrow we already stated that if we do have a solution then it should be unique

(by using Ito isometry / global Lipschitz / Gronwall Ineq. , Cont. of X_t , S.I. mt.)

Next: Square integrability and existence of continuous

\rightarrow Introduce the Peano (1890's) iterates.

$$Y_t^{(0)}(\omega) = x \text{ and for } k=1, 2, 3, \dots$$

$$Y_t^{(k+1)}(\omega) = x + \int_0^t B(s, X_s^{(k)}(\omega)) ds + \int_0^t \sigma(s, X_s^{(k)}(\omega)) dB_s(\omega).$$

\rightarrow continued.

Use $(a+b)^2 \leq 2(a^2+b^2)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 E[(X_t^{(k+1)})^2] &\leq 4X^2 + 4E\left[\left(\int_0^t B(s, Y_s^{(k)}) ds\right)^2\right] + 4E\left[\left(\int_0^t \sigma(s, Y_s^{(k)}) dB_s\right)^2\right] \\
 &\leq 4X^2 + 4T E\int_0^t \underbrace{B^2(s, Y_s^{(k)})}_{B^2 \leq C^2(1+|x|^2)} ds + 4E\int_0^t \underbrace{\sigma^2(s, Y_s^{(k)})}_{\text{Ito's isometry}} ds \\
 &\leq \underbrace{A}_{\text{const}}(T, x) + B(T) \int_0^t E\{(Y_s^{(k)})^2\} ds.
 \end{aligned}$$

Apply Gronwall's inequality,

$$E[(Y_t^{(k)})^2] \leq A(T, x) \cdot e^{B(T)t} \quad (0 \leq t \leq T, k=0,1,2,\dots)$$

(uniform in k - bound of second moment.)

Consider the difference (to show convergence)

$$Y_t^{(k+1)} - Y_t^{(k)} = \int_0^t [B(s, Y_s^{(k)}) - B(s, Y_s^{(k-1)})] ds + \int_0^t [\sigma(s, X_s^{(k)}) - \sigma(s, X_s^{(k-1)})] dB_s$$

$$\text{Let } V^{(k+1)}(t) = E\{(Y_t^{(k+1)} - Y_t^{(k)})^2\}$$

$$V^{(k+1)}(t) \leq 2C^2 \underbrace{(T+1)}_B \int_0^t E\{|Y_s^{(k)} - Y_s^{(k-1)}|^2\} ds = B \cdot \int_0^t V^{(k)}(s) ds.$$

term term

Start from $k=0$

$$V^{(1)}(t) \leq 2C^2 (1+T) (1+|x|^0) t$$

$$V^{(2)}(t) \leq B \int_0^t A s ds = B A t^2/2 \leq (\tilde{A}t)^2/2.$$

$$V^{(k+1)}(t) = E\{Y_t^{(k+1)} - Y_t^{(k)}\} \leq \frac{(\tilde{A}t)^{k+1}}{(k+1)!}$$

claim $Y_t^{(k)}(\omega) \rightarrow X_t(\omega)$ as $k \rightarrow \infty$ uniformly in $0 \leq t \leq T$ w.p.1 in ω .

$$\Rightarrow Y_t^{(k)}(\omega) = Y_t^{(0)}(\omega) + \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} (Y_t^{(k+1)}(\omega) - Y_t^{(k)}(\omega))$$

show this converges uniformly w.p.1

$$\left| \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} (Y_t^{(k+1)} - Y_t^{(k)}) \right| \leq \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \max_{0 \leq t \leq T} |Y_t^{(k+1)} - Y_t^{(k)}|$$

$$\text{Let } G^{(k)} = \{ \omega \in \Omega \mid \max_{0 \leq t \leq T} |Y_t^{(k+1)} - Y_t^{(k)}| > 1/2^k \}$$

Suppose we can show that (proof is in p. 44 notes, \rightarrow use Kolmogorov inequality)

$$P(G^{(k)}) \leq (\tilde{A}T)^{k+1} / (k+1)! \quad \text{then by Borell - Cantelli Lemma,}$$

$$P(G^{(k)}, i.o.) = 0 \rightarrow \text{means } = \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} \bigcup_{j=n}^{\infty} G^{(j)} \text{ occurs } \emptyset$$

$$\underbrace{L \equiv P\left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} \bigcap_{j=n}^{\infty} G^{(j)}\right)}_{=} = 0$$

$$\rightarrow \text{This is } \underbrace{k \geq N(\omega)}_{\text{all } 0 \leq t \leq T}, \quad \max_{0 \leq t \leq T} |Y_t^{(k+1)} - Y_t^{(k)}| \leq 1/2^k \text{ w.p.1.}$$

Using this, $\sum (Y_t^{(k+1)} - Y_t^{(k)})$ converges in $0 \leq t \leq T$ w.p.1.

$$\Rightarrow Y_t^{(n)}(\omega) - x \text{ converges to } X_t(\omega) \leftarrow \text{limit of the sum}$$

\Rightarrow By uniform convergence, X_t is cont. in t w.p.1.

$$\text{b2 } E\{[Y_t^{(n)}]^2\} \leq C \text{ indep. of } t \text{ (} 0 \leq t \leq T \text{)}$$

$$\text{we concluded that we } \Rightarrow \underbrace{E\{X_t^2\}}_{\leq C}$$

$$\text{Note: } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} E\{[Y_t^{(n)}]^2\} \geq E\{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (Y_t^{(n)})^2\} \quad (\text{by Fatou's lemma})$$

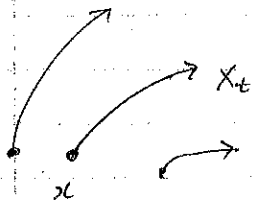
$$\downarrow \text{Bounded} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \left(\text{Bounded} \leq \text{①} \leq \text{Bounded} \right) \quad \text{idea.}$$

\therefore We have the existence & uniqueness of

$$X_t(w, x) = x + \int_0^t \mu(s, X_s(w, x)) ds + \int_0^t \sigma(s, X_s(w, x)) dB_s$$

we have shown: $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{sq. mt.} \\ \text{non-anticipating} \\ \text{cont. mt} \end{array} \right.$

\Rightarrow Show $X_t(w, x)$ is cont. in probability in x (HW 3)



$$\begin{aligned} X &: \Omega \rightarrow \Omega \quad \text{for each } X \\ X &: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad \text{for each } t \end{aligned}$$

↳ This is important concept (dependent on what?)

This is a "Flow"

Next: Markov! $X(t, \omega, x)$ is Markov!

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What we have done: 1) Completed SDE (ch5).

• Review SDE basics/briefly. [Basics]

$b(t,x), \sigma(t,x) : [0, T] \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$. we have.

Its condition.

- $|b(t,x)| + |\sigma(t,x)| \leq C(1+|x|)$ ($0 \leq t \leq T < \infty, x \in \mathbb{R}$.)
- $|b(t,x) - b(t,y)| + |\sigma(t,x) - \sigma(t,y)| \leq C|x-y|$ ($0 \leq t \leq T, x, y \in \mathbb{R}$.)

→ There exists a unique $X_t(w, x)$ that (a) non-anticipating / continuous in t w.p.1
 (b) $E\{X_t^2\} \leq C$ ($0 \leq t \leq T, C = C(T, x)$)

and
$$X_t(w, x) = x + \int_0^t b(s, X_s(w, x)) ds + \int_0^t \sigma(s, X_s(w, s)) dB_s(w)$$

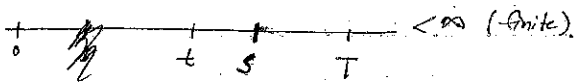
Also, $X_t(w, x)$ is also Lipschitz in

$$\Rightarrow E\{|X_t(\cdot, x) - X_t(\cdot, y)|\} \leq C|x-y|$$

∴ In fact, $X_t(w, x)$ is continuous w.p.1 in both t and x .

↳ Uses Kolmogorov inequality and Burkholder-Gundy inequality.

• Notation



$X_{[s, t]}(w, x)$ is a solution of SDE starting at s from x

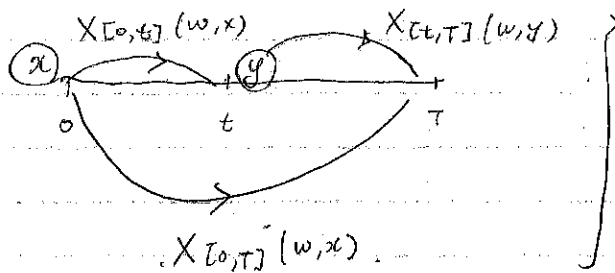
~~$$X_{[s, t]}(w, x) = x + \int_s^t b(t) dt$$~~

$$X_{[t, T]}(w, x) = x + \int_t^T b(s, X_{[t, s]}(w, x)) ds + \int_t^T \sigma(s, X_{[t, s]}(w, x)) dB_s(w)$$

Note that $\{w \in \Omega \mid X_{[t, T]}(w, x) \in A\} \in \mathcal{F}_{[t, T]}$

$$\mathcal{F}_{[t, T]} = \sigma\{B_s - B_t, (t \leq s \leq T)\}$$
 σ -algebra

$$X_{[0,T]}(\omega, x) = X_{[t,T]}(\omega, X_{[0,t]}(\omega, x))$$



$X_{[t,T]}(\omega, y) \in \mathcal{F}_{[t,T]}$ with y fixed
 \rightarrow depends on information of $[t,T]$.

key

- 1) Dynamic composition law of ODE.
- 2) Stochastic dependence of Brownian path.

Markov property

Suppose $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ bdd.

$$E\{f(X_{[0,T]}) \mid \mathcal{F}_t\} = E\{f(X_{[t,T]}(\cdot, X_{[0,t]}(\cdot, x))) \mid \mathcal{F}_t\}$$

$(0 \leq t \leq T < \omega)$ \swarrow
 * Composition law

$$= E\{f(X_{[t,T]}(\cdot, X_{[0,t]}(\cdot, x))) \mid X_{[0,t]}\}$$

\hookrightarrow (only need to know whole I. ended at time $= t$.)

{ That is conditional expectation upto time t is }
 { a point function of the path at time t }

More generally, $f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $0 < t < t_1 < t_2 \dots < t_n < \omega$

$$E[f(X_{t_n}, X_{t_{n-1}}, \dots, X_t) \mid \mathcal{F}_t] = E[f(X_{t_n}, X_{t_{n-1}}, \dots, X_t) \mid X_t]$$

* They are point functions.

* More notation.

$$E[f(X_{[t,T]}) | X_{t_0} = x] = E_{t,x} \{ f(X_T) \} \quad (t < T)$$

Assume $f(t,x)$, $[0, T] \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, with f_t, f_x, f_{xx} bdd.

From Ito's formula,

$$\begin{aligned} df(t, X_t) &= f_t dt + f_x dX_t + \frac{1}{2} f_{xx} (dX_t)^2 \\ &= f_t dt + f_x (b dt + \sigma dB) + \frac{1}{2} f_{xx} \sigma^2 dt \\ &= \left(f_t + \frac{1}{2} \sigma^2 f_{xx} + b f_x \right) dt + \sigma f_x dB \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \text{Integration} \Rightarrow f(T, X_T) - f(t, X_t) &= \int_t^T \left(f_s + \frac{1}{2} \sigma^2 f_{xx} + b f_x \right) (s, X_s) ds \\ &\quad + \int_t^T \sigma f_x (s, X_s) dB_s \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Let } \mathcal{L}_t = \frac{1}{2} \sigma^2(t, x) \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + b(t, x) \frac{\partial}{\partial x}$$

$$E[f(T, X_T) | \mathcal{F}_t] - f(t, X_t) = E \left[\int_t^T (\mathcal{L}_s + \underline{L}_s) f(s, X_s) ds \mid \mathcal{F}_t \right]$$

Suppose $f(t,x)$ is such that $\mathcal{L}_t f(t,x) + \underline{L}_t f(t,x) = 0 \quad t < T$.

$f(T,x) = g(T,x)$ is given

↳ Backward K.E.

When $\underline{L}_t = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2}$ B.M. then, $f(t,x) = \int \mathbb{P}(T-t, x-y) g(T,y) dy$

$$p(t,x) = \frac{e^{-x^2/2t}}{\sqrt{2\pi t}}$$

Assume that this $f(t,x)$ is such that f_t, f_x, f_{xx} are bounded.

If so, then, $f(t,x) = E \{ g(T, X_T) | \mathcal{F}_t \} = E_{t,x} \{ g(T, X_T) \}$

Markov property

Two ways.

- 1) f "solve" the PDE $\Leftrightarrow f$ defined by the expectation solves the PDE.
- 2) The solution $f(t,x)$ of the PDE can be represented ("solved") probabilistically as an expectation of the solution of SDE.

Indicator function

$$\text{Let } P(t, x, T, A) = E_{t, x} \{ X_A(X_T) \}, \quad A \subset \mathbb{R}$$

$$= P_{t, x} \{ X_T \in A \}$$

Which is condition X starts from x and reaches A

* **BKE** is a PDE in $P(t, x, T, A)$ as a function of (t, x) .

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} (\partial/\partial t + \mathcal{L}_t) P(t, x, T, A) = 0 \quad (t < T, x \in \mathbb{R}) \\ P(t, x, T, A) = X_A(x) \end{array} \right. \quad \left(\mathcal{L}_t = \frac{1}{2} \sigma^2(t, x) \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + b(t, x) \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \right)$$

If $P(x, t, T, A) = \int p(t, x, T, y) X_A(y) dy$
↳ density.

Q) Does $p(t, x, T, y)$ density satisfy a PDE in (T, y) ?

Yes, \rightarrow This is **FKE**

Let $\phi(t, x)$ be a test function. $\phi(0, x) = \phi(T, x) = 0$

Apply Itô to $\phi(t, x_t)$

$$\phi(T, X_T) = \phi(t, X_t) + \int_t^T (\partial_s + \mathcal{L}_s) \phi ds + \int_t^T (\text{noise}) ds$$

\parallel \parallel
 0 0

$$\Rightarrow E_{t, x} \left\{ \int_t^T (\partial_s + \mathcal{L}_s) \phi(s, X_s) ds \right\} = 0 = \int dy \int_t^T ds \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial s} + \mathcal{L}_s \right) \phi(s, y) p(t, x, s, y)$$

$$= \int dy \int_t^T ds \cdot p(t, x, s, y) \left\{ \frac{\partial}{\partial s} + \mathcal{L}_s \right\} \phi(s, y) = 0.$$

Assume $\phi(s, y)$ is differentiable and integrable by parts.

$$0 = \int dy \int_t^T ds \phi(s, y) \left[-\partial/\partial s + \mathcal{L}_s^* \right] p(t, x, s, y) \quad (\text{integrate by parts})$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(-\partial/\partial T + \mathcal{L}_T^* \right) p(t, x, T, y) = 0 \quad \text{for } T > t \quad \text{and} \quad \underline{p(t, x, t, y) = \delta(x - y)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{\mathcal{L}_T^* = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} \left(\sigma^2(T, y) \cdot \cdot \right) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(b(T, y) \cdot \cdot \right)}$$

Therefore, FKE,

$$\partial P / \partial T = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} (\sigma^2 P) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (bP), \quad (\tau > t)$$

$$= \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left\{ \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (\sigma^2 P) - bP \right\}$$

Higher dimensions, $\partial P / \partial T = \frac{1}{2} \nabla \cdot \left(\frac{1}{2} \nabla (\sigma^2 P) - bP \right)$

Probability flux = drift

$$\left(= \frac{1}{2} \nabla \cdot \left\{ \sigma^2 \nabla P + 2 \left(\nabla \sigma^2 - b \right) P \right\} \right)$$

~~*~~
Diffusion - Convection
Equation

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• Markov property (BKE, FKE) + Girsanov Trans.

→ Quick review.

$$b(t, x), \sigma(t, x) : [0, T] \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

< Ito condition >

$$\bullet |b(t, x)| + |\sigma(t, x)| \leq C(1 + |x|)$$

$$\bullet |b(t, x) - b(t, y)| + |\sigma(t, x) - \sigma(t, y)| \leq C|x - y|$$

• $0 \leq t \leq T, x \in \mathbb{R}$ there exists a "unique process" $X_t(\omega, x)$

non-anticipating, continuous to w.p.1. sq. int. $E\{X_t^2\} \leq C$ ($0 \leq t \leq T$) and s.t.

$$X_t(\omega, x) = x + \int_0^t b(s, X_s(\omega, x)) ds + \int_0^t \sigma(s, X_s(\omega, x)) dB_s(\omega)$$

Define $X_{[t, T]}(\omega, x)$ process starting from x at time t and going up to time T .

$$X_{[t, T]}(\omega, x) \in \mathcal{F}_{[t, T]} = \sigma\{B_s - B_t, t \leq s \leq T\}$$

$$\text{Moreover, } E\{|X_t(\cdot, x) - X_t(\cdot, y)|^2\} \leq C|x - y|^2$$

Markov property for any $f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ bdd. and any $(0 \leq t < t_1 < t_2 < \dots < t_n \leq T)$

$$E\{f(X_{t_1}, \dots, X_{t_n}) | \mathcal{F}_t\} = E\{f(X_{t_1}, \dots, X_{t_n}) | X_t\}$$

$$\text{Notation: } P(s, T, X, A) = E\{X_A(X_T) | X_s = x\} = P\{X_T \in A | X_s = x\} \quad (\text{for } A \subset \mathbb{R})$$

↳ Reaching region A .

BKE says that, $P(t, x, T, A)$

function of t, x .

↳ Terminal value.

$$\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial t} + L_t \right) P = 0, \quad t < T \quad P(T, x, T, A) = X_A \quad (\text{indicator})$$

$$\text{where } L_t = \frac{1}{2} \sigma^2(t, x) \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + b(t, x) \frac{\partial}{\partial x}$$

This is just Ito's formula applied to $P(t, X_t, T, A)$

$$\Rightarrow dP = \underbrace{(\frac{\partial}{\partial t} + L_t) P}_{=0} dt + \sigma(t, X_t) \frac{\partial}{\partial x} P(t, X_t, T, A) dB_t \quad (\text{zero because we assume solution of BKE})$$

$$\Rightarrow (\text{Integration}) \quad P(T, X_T, T, A) - P(t, x, T, A) = \int_t^T \sigma(s, X_s) \frac{\partial}{\partial x} P(s, X_s, T, A) dB_s$$

$$\Rightarrow P(t, x, T, A) = E_{t, x} \{ X_A(X_T) \}$$

< Logic > Assume P solves the BKE \rightarrow then $P(t, x, T, A) = P_{t, x}(X_T \in A)$

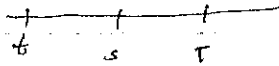
Q) can we do reverse way? \rightarrow HW3. Answer: To go backwards, that is to show that

$P(t, x, T, A)$ solves the PDE.

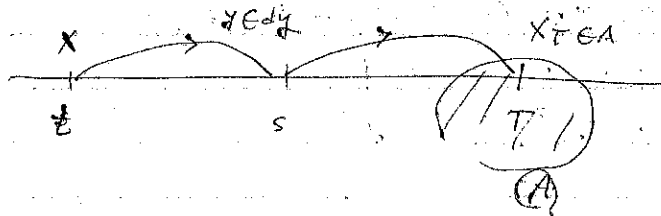
classical way: ① \rightarrow Confirmed.

Q) How to know cond. prob $P(x, t; T, A)$ satisfies B&E PDE?

A)



$$\begin{aligned}
 P(t, x, T, A) &= E\{X_A(X_T) | X_t = x\} \\
 &= E\{E\{X_A(X_T) | \mathcal{F}_s\} | X_t = x\} && \text{Iterative Cond. Expect.} \\
 &= E\{E\{X_A(X_T) | X_s\} | X_t = x\} && \text{Markov prop.} \\
 &= E_{t,x}\{E_{s,X_s}\{X_A(X_T)\}\} && \text{Notation} \\
 &= \int P(t, x, s, dy) P(s, y, T, A) = P(t, x, T, A) \quad (\text{Chapman-Kolmogorov equation})
 \end{aligned}$$



$$= E_{t,x}\{P(s, X_s, T, A)\} \quad (\because P(s, X_s, T, A) = E_{s, X_s}\{X_A(X_T)\})$$

↳ Indicator

$\{P(t, x, T, A) \sim \text{family of prob. laws on the real line depending on } (t, x, T)\}$
 satisfying the C-K equation.

Question: Given $P(t, x, T, A)$ family of laws on the real line satisfy C.K eq.

Does there exist P^X on $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbb{P}, \text{subst. } P)$, $\Omega = C([0, T], \mathbb{R})$

Ans. ~~$P(t, x, T, A) = P(\omega \in A | \omega(t) = x)$~~

Set $P(t, x, T, A) = P^X\{\omega(T) \in A | \omega(t) = x\}$

* Comment: Ito map $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{F}, \text{subst. } P)$ is the canonical space with $B_t(\omega) = \omega(t)$ being B.M. with P law then by the Ito theory there is a map.

$X_0(\omega; x) : \Omega \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$
 for $0 \leq t \leq T$, $X_t(\omega(t); x) \in \mathcal{A}$
 $\omega(t) \rightarrow X_t(\omega) < \text{Ito transformation}>$

$P^X(X_0 \in \mathcal{A}) = P\{\omega \in \Omega | X_0(\omega) \in \mathcal{A}\}$

In the question above, we use for a law P^X that transformation $P(t, x, T, A)$
 Finite distribution of the X_t , $\begin{matrix} t=0 \\ | \\ \dots \\ t=T \end{matrix}$ $P^X(X_{t_0} \in A_0, t_0+1 \in A_1, \dots, t_n \in A_n)$

For finite dimension distribution,

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{so, } P^X (X_{t_N} \in A_N, X_{t_{N-1}} \in A_{N-1}, \dots, X_{t_0} \in A_0) \\
 &= \int \int \int \int_{A_0 \times \dots \times A_N} P_0(dx_0) (P(t_0, x_0, t_1, dx_1), P(t_1, x_1, t_2, dx_2), \dots, P(t_{N-1}, x_{N-1}, t_N, dx_N))
 \end{aligned}$$

Assume that $P(t, x, T, A)$ satisfies

$$1) \lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\Delta t} \int_{|x-y| > \delta} P(t, x, t+\Delta t, dy) = 0 \quad \text{uniform in } x \text{ and in } t. \quad \forall \delta > 0$$

→ Implies path continuity.

$$2) \lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\Delta t} \int_{\mathbb{R}} (y-x) P(t, x, t+\Delta t, dy) = b(t, x)$$

→ The speed is $b(t, x) \equiv$ Integrated speed is $b(t, x)$.

$$3) \lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\Delta t} \int_{\mathbb{R}} (y-x)^2 P(t, x, t+\Delta t, dy) = \sigma^2(t, x)$$

→ Variance of the motion

∴ Higher moments are not needed (negligible) due to (1).

1), 2), 3) implies that $P(t, x, T, A)$ satisfies **BRE**

where $\partial P / \partial t + \mathcal{L}_t P = 0, \quad t < T, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\mathcal{L}_t = \frac{1}{2} \sigma^2(t, x) \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + b(t, x) \frac{\partial}{\partial x}$$

(i) classical : Derivation from C.F.

(ii) Ito's version : The stochastic calculus implies the BRE. (1), (2), (3)

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Girsanov theorem.

Time homogeneous X s.t.

$$dX_t = b(X_t) dt + \sigma(X_t) dB_t, \quad X_0 = x.$$

($b(x), \sigma(x)$ satisfies Ito's condition.)

$$\mathcal{L}_X = \frac{1}{2} \sigma^2(x) \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + b(x) \frac{\partial}{\partial x}$$

Let $c(x)$ also satisfies Ito's condition, and assume $|\frac{c(x)}{\sigma(x)}| \leq c$.

$$\text{so that } M_t = \exp\left(\int_0^t \frac{c(X_s)}{\sigma(X_s)} dB_s - \frac{1}{2} \int_0^t \left(\frac{c(X_s)}{\sigma(X_s)}\right)^2 ds\right)$$

Q) How to prove? \rightarrow HW3 p6-9.

and M_t is a \mathbb{F}_t non-negative Martingale by Ito?

$$\Rightarrow dM_t = \frac{c}{\sigma} M_t dB_t + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{c}{\sigma}\right)^2 M_t dt - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{c}{\sigma}\right)^2 M_t dt$$

$$\therefore M_t = 1 + \int_0^t \frac{c(X_s)}{\sigma(X_s)} M_s dB_s.$$

bdd \rightarrow well-defined.

In particular, $M_t \geq 0$ and $E\{M_t\} = 1$, we can use M_t to change P on $\Omega, \mathbb{F}_t, 0 \leq t \leq T$.

How? we can define p^* on Ω by

$$\left. \frac{dp^*}{dp} \right|_{\mathbb{F}_t} = M_t. \quad \text{If } A \in \mathbb{F}_T, \text{ then}$$

$$E^{p^*}\{X_A\} = p^*(A) = E^p\{M_T X_A\}. \quad (\text{note: } p^*(\Omega) = E^p\{M_T X_A\} = E^p\{M_T\} = 1)$$

Moreover, if $A \in \mathbb{F}_t$, then $p^*(A) = E^p\{M_T X_A\} = E^p\{E^p\{M_T X_A | \mathbb{F}_t\}\}$

$$= E^p\{X_A \underbrace{E^p\{M_T | \mathbb{F}_t\}}_{= M_t}\} = \underbrace{E^p\{X_A M_t\}}_{= M_t}$$

$$\therefore \left. \frac{dp^*}{dp} \right|_{\mathbb{F}_t} = M_t$$

Note that if $p(A) = 0, A \in \mathbb{F}_t$, then $p^*(A) = 0$.

$p^*(A) = 0$ then $p(A) = 0 \rightarrow p^*$ and p are equivalent

but we need Girsanov theorem, \equiv states 0 probability.

we

$$D = \mathbb{R}$$



Girsanov thm.

X under P^* has same law as Y under P , where

$$dY_t = (b(Y_t) + c(Y_t))dt + \sigma(Y_t) d\tilde{B}_t$$

(where \tilde{B}_t is another B.M.)

$$B_t(w) = w(t) \rightarrow \tilde{B}_t(w) = \int_0^t \sigma_s(w) dB_s(w)$$

where $\sigma_t(w)$ is non-anticipating, and $|\sigma(t, w)| = 1 \quad 0 \leq t \leq T$

Follows by Levy characterization since $\langle \tilde{B}_t \rangle = \int_0^t |\sigma_s|^2 ds = t$

$\Rightarrow X$ under $P^* \sim Y$ under P (Girsanov)

Essential calculation

$$dX_t = b(X_t)dt + \sigma(X_t)dB_t = (b(X_t) + c(X_t))dt + \underbrace{\left(\frac{-c(X_t)}{\sigma(X_t)}dt + dB_t\right)}_{\text{addition and subtraction}} \sigma(X_t)$$

(addition and subtraction)

For Girsanov to hold, we must have $\frac{-c(X_t)}{\sigma(X_t)}dt + dB_t = d\tilde{B}_t^*$

is a B.M. under P^*

$$P_t \rightarrow \tilde{P}_t^*$$

* Brownian with drift is also a Brownian in different P^*

\Rightarrow Matter of perspective (P and P^*)

Variante - Importance sampling

consider X under P and change $X \rightarrow Y$ by adding (replacing) b by $b+c$,
as well as P by P^* where $\frac{dP^*}{dP} \Big|_{F_t} = M_t$ with $M_t = \exp\left(-\int_0^t \frac{c(Y_s)}{\sigma(Y_s)} dB_s\right)$

$$- \frac{1}{2} \int_0^t \left(\frac{c(Y_s)}{\sigma(Y_s)}\right)^2 ds$$

Then Y under P^* is the same as X under P

↳ Brownian bridge.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{pf)} \cdot d(f(t, X_t) \cdot M_t) &= M_t df + f dM + df dM \\ &= M_t \left((f_t + f_x f) dt + \sigma f_x dB \right) + f \left(\frac{c}{\sigma} M dB \right) + \sigma f_x \frac{c}{\sigma} M dt \\ &= M_t \left(\underbrace{f_t + f_x f}_{L_x f} + c f_x \right) dt + \left(f \frac{c}{\sigma} + \sigma f_x \right) M dB \end{aligned}$$

$$= M_t (f_t + L_x f) dt + \left(f \frac{c}{\sigma} + \sigma f_x \right) M_t dB_t$$

$$E \left\{ f_M \Big|_t^T \mid F_t \right\} = E \left\{ \int_t^T M_t (f_t + L_x f) dt \mid F_t \right\}$$

Suppose $\begin{cases} L_t + L_y f = 0 & (t < T) \\ f(T, y) = g(y) \end{cases}$ BKE

Then $f(t, X_t) M_t = E_{t, X} \{ g(Y_T) M_T \}$

$$\Rightarrow f(t, X) = E_{t, X} \left\{ \frac{M_T}{M_t} \cdot g(Y_T) \right\} = \underline{\underline{E_{t, X}^{P^*} (g(Y_T))}}$$

∴ Y_t under P^* has the law associated with SDE,

$$\underline{\underline{dY(t) = (b Y_t + c Y_t) dt + \sigma(Y_t) dB_t}}$$

Used importantly that the BKE uniquely determines the law of probability.

x paths / set of paths

$$P(X_0 \in A) = P(\omega \in \Omega \mid X_0(\omega) \in A) \equiv P^X(A)$$

P^X is a new prob law on $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}_t, 0 \leq t \leq T)$

$\Rightarrow X \sim P$ means the law P^X

$$dX = b dt + \sigma dB = (b+c) dt + \sigma \underbrace{(-\frac{c}{\sigma} dt + dB)}_{d\tilde{B}}$$

B^* is B.M under P^* $\Leftrightarrow Y \sim P^*$ is the law of $dY = (b+c) dt + \sigma d\tilde{B}$

* Martingale Representation Theorem $\star \leftarrow$

Girsanov theorem continued.

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Show that $B_t^* = B_t - \int_0^t \frac{c(X_s)}{\sigma(X_s)} ds$ is B.M. under P^*

$$E^{P^*} \{ (B_t^*)^2 - t \mid \mathcal{F}_s \} = (B_s^*)^2 - s \quad (\text{show this})$$

$$\Rightarrow E^{P^*} \{ (B_t^{*2} - P_s^{*2}) \mid \mathcal{F}_s \} = t - s$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow E^{P^*} \{ (B_t^* - B_s^*)^2 - 2B_s^{*2} + 2B_t^* B_s^* \mid \mathcal{F}_s \} \\ = E^{P^*} \{ (B_t^* - B_s^*)^2 \mid \mathcal{F}_s \} = E^P \left[\frac{M_t}{M_s} \cdot \left[(B_t - B_s) - \int_s^t \frac{c}{\sigma} ds' \right]^2 \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Use Itô's formula, } M_{\alpha,t} = \exp \left\{ \alpha B_t - \frac{\alpha^2}{2} t \right\}$$

Show $N_{\alpha,t}$ is a P^* martingale

$$\begin{aligned} d(N_{\alpha} M) &= N_{\alpha} dM + M dN_{\alpha} + dN_{\alpha} dM = N_{\alpha} \left(\frac{c}{\sigma} M \right) dB \\ &\quad + M \left(\alpha N_{\alpha} dB^* - \frac{\alpha^2}{2} N_{\alpha} dt \right) \\ &\quad + dN_{\alpha} dM. \end{aligned}$$

$$= N_{\alpha} \frac{c}{\sigma} M dB + M \left(\alpha N_{\alpha} (dB - \frac{c}{\sigma} dt) + \frac{\alpha^2}{2} N_{\alpha} dt \right)$$

$$dM = \frac{c}{\sigma} M dB$$

$$dN_{\alpha} = d e^{\alpha(B_t - \int_0^t \frac{c}{\sigma} ds)} - \frac{\alpha^2}{2} t = \alpha N_{\alpha} dB_t + \frac{1}{2} \alpha^2 N_{\alpha} dt - \frac{\alpha c}{\sigma} N_{\alpha} dt - \frac{\alpha^2}{2} N_{\alpha} dt$$

$$= \frac{c}{\sigma} M dB N_{\alpha} + M \left(\alpha N_{\alpha} dB_t - \frac{\alpha c}{\sigma} N_{\alpha} dt \right) + \frac{c}{\sigma} M_{\alpha} M dt$$

$$\cong \frac{c}{\sigma} M N_{\alpha} dB + \alpha M N_{\alpha} dt$$

messy calculations

$$= M N_{\alpha} (\alpha + \frac{c}{\sigma}) dt = \text{martingale}$$

$$\Rightarrow E^{P^*} \{ N_{\alpha,T} \mid \mathcal{F}_t \} = N_{\alpha,t} \quad \alpha \in \mathbb{R}$$

• Brownian bridge,

Define a new p^* ($0 < s \leq t \leq T$)

$$dp^*/dp = \frac{u(t, x_t, T)}{u(s, x_s, T)} \rightarrow M_t$$

$$d \log(u(t, x_t)) = \frac{1}{u} u_x dx_t + \frac{1}{u} u_t dt - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{u^2} u_x^2 \right) dt + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{u} u_x \right)^2 (dx_t)^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{u} u_x dx_t + \frac{1}{u} u_t dt - \dots$$

$$= \frac{1}{u} u_x (b dt + \sigma dB) + \frac{u_t}{u} dt + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{u_{xx}}{u} - \frac{u_x^2}{u^2} \right) \sigma^2 dt$$

$$\Rightarrow d \log(u(t, x_t)) = \left(\frac{u_t}{u} \sigma \right) dB + \left[-\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\sigma u_x}{u} \right)^2 dt \right]$$

$$\log \left(\frac{u(t, x_t)}{u(s, x_s)} \right) = \int_s^t \text{...} dt$$

By Girsanov,

X under p^* is like Y under \tilde{P} . where Y is: $dY = (b + \frac{u_x \sigma^2}{u}) dt + d\tilde{B}$

$\beta \cdot \beta$ $b=0, \sigma=1, dX = dB$ (B.M.)

$$\Rightarrow u(t, x, T) = \frac{\exp(-x^2/2(T-t))}{\sqrt{2\pi(T-t)}} \Rightarrow \frac{u_x}{u} = -\frac{x-z}{T-t}$$

Y SDE

$$\Rightarrow dY_t = -\frac{(Y_t - z)}{T-t} dt + d\tilde{B}, \quad Y_T = z$$

$Y_t \leq s \leq t \leq T$ \rightarrow Singular O.V. process. $Y_T = z$

- 4의 단점 :
1. 질문하기 (오답률 ...)
 2. Paper 잘 쓰기
 3. MD 잘 쓰기

$$E^P\{\cdot\} = E^P\{M_t \cdot\} \quad \text{where } M_t = \exp(\dots) \text{ in the notes.}$$

$$k(i \rightarrow i+1) = \exp\left(-\frac{E(i+1) - E(i)}{2k\sigma T}\right)$$

$$I(i+1)/I(i) = \exp\left(-\frac{E_b(i+1) - E_b(i)}{2k\sigma T}\right) \rightarrow k'(i \rightarrow i+1) = \exp\left(-\frac{E_{tot}(i+1) - E_{tot}(i)}{2k\sigma T}\right)$$

$$dY_t = Y_t - z$$



Eq. O.V. process

$$dX_t = -\alpha X_t dt + \sigma dB_t$$

$$X_0 = 1$$

$$dX_t + \alpha X_t dt = \sigma dB_t$$

$$\Rightarrow \underbrace{e^{-\alpha t} d(e^{\alpha t} X_t)}_{\text{Integ. factor}} = \sigma dB_t$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{\alpha t} X_t \Big|_t^T = \sigma \int_t^T e^{\alpha s} dB_s$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_t^T e^{\alpha s} dB_s$$

$$e^{\alpha T} X_T - e^{\alpha t} X_t = \sigma \int_t^T e^{\alpha s} dB_s$$

$$\therefore X_T = \underbrace{e^{-\alpha(T-t)} X_t}_{\text{mean}} + \sigma \int_t^T e^{-\alpha(T-s)} dB_s$$

$$X_T \sim N\left(e^{-\alpha(T-t)} X_t, \sigma^2 \int_t^T e^{-2\alpha(T-s)} ds\right)$$

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$$\text{Var}(X_T) = \sigma^2 E\left\{\left(\int_t^T e^{-\alpha(T-s)} dB_s\right)^2\right\}$$

$$= \sigma^2 \int_t^T e^{-2\alpha(T-s)} ds \quad \langle \text{It\^o - isometry} \rangle$$

$$= \frac{\sigma^2}{2\alpha} (1 - e^{-2\alpha(T-t)})$$

$$\text{Var} = (\sigma X_T)^2$$

Brownian bridge.

$$dX_t = -\frac{X_t - z}{T-t} dt + \sigma dB_t$$

$$\underline{X_t - z \rightarrow X_t}$$

$$\Rightarrow dX_t = -\frac{X_t}{T-t} dt + \sigma dB_t$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(dX_t + \frac{X_t}{T-t} dt \right) = \sigma dB_t$$

↓ Int. Fac.

$$(T-t) d\left(\frac{1}{T-t} X_t\right) = \sigma dB_t$$

$$\mathbb{E}\left(\frac{1}{T-t} X_t\right) \Big|_s^t = \int_s^t \left(\frac{1}{T-s'}\right) \sigma dB_{s'}$$

$$\Rightarrow X_t = \frac{T-t}{T-s} X_s + \left(\sigma \int_s^t \frac{1}{T-s'} dB_{s'} \right) (T-t)$$

$$\Rightarrow X_t = z + \frac{T-t}{T-s} X_s + \sigma(T-t) \int_s^t \frac{1}{T-s'} dB_{s'}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} X_s = X \\ X_T = z \end{pmatrix}$$

• Maximum likelihood.

$$dY_t = b(Y_t) dt + \sigma(Y_t) dB_t \quad Y_0 = x$$

$$dx_t = \sigma(x_t) dB_t \quad x_0 = z$$

SDE

In discrete time,

$$\begin{cases} Y_{k+1} = Y_k + b(Y_k) \cdot \Delta t + \sigma(Y_k) \Delta B_{k+1} \\ X_{k+1} = X_k + \sigma(X_k) \Delta B_{k+1} \end{cases} \quad \text{S diff Eq.}$$

→ one step forward = Euler

$$\Delta B_{k+1} = B_{(k+1)\Delta t} - B_{k\Delta t}$$

Approximation thm. $P(\max_{0 \leq k \leq n} |Y_{k\Delta t} - Y_k| > \delta) \rightarrow 0$

↓ ↓
From SDE From S diff. Eq.

for all $\delta > 0$ as $\Delta t \rightarrow 0$ $n\Delta t = T$ $n \rightarrow \infty$

This is called Euler expression of SDE.

For R.M.

$$P^*(Y_{k+1} | Y_k) = N\left((Y_k + b(Y_k) \Delta t), \sigma^2(Y_k) \Delta t\right)$$

$$= \exp\left(-\frac{(Y_{k+1} - Y_k - b(Y_k) \Delta t)^2}{2\sigma^2(Y_k) \Delta t}\right) / \sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2(Y_k) \Delta t}$$

How about path?

$$P^*(Y_0, Y_1, \dots, Y_n | Y_0) \stackrel{\text{Markov prop}}{=} \prod_{k=0}^{n-1} P^*(Y_{k+1} | Y_k)$$

$$M_n(x_1, \dots, x_n, x_0) = \frac{P^*(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, x_0)}{P(x_1, \dots, x_n, x_0)} = \prod_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{P^*(x_{k+1}, x_k)}{P(x_{k+1}, x_k)}$$

$$\Rightarrow E^P(M_n | x_0, \dots, x_{n-1}) = M_{n-1}$$

So M_n is P martingale.

$$E^P \left\{ \prod_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{P^*(X_{k+1}|X_k)}{P(X_{k+1}|X_k)} \middle| X_0, \dots, X_{n-1} \right\}$$

$$= \prod_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{P^*(X_{k+1}|X_k)}{P(X_{k+1}|X_k)} \int \frac{P^*(X_u|X_{u-1})}{P(X_u|X_{u-1})} P(X_u|X_{u-1}) dx_u$$

$$= M_{n-1}(X_0 \sim X_{n-1})$$

Summing

$$E^P(M_n) = 1$$

$$E^{P^*}(f(X_n, \dots, X_0)) = E^P(f(X_n, \dots, X_0) M_n)$$

Recall what M_n is,

$$M_n(X_n, X_{n-1}, \dots, X_0) = \prod_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{P^*(X_{k+1}|X_k)}{P(X_{k+1}|X_k)}$$

$$= \prod_{k=0}^{n-1} \exp \left(- \frac{(X_{k+1} - X_k - b(X_k) \Delta t)^2 - (X_{k+1} - X_k)^2}{2\sigma^2(X_k) \Delta t} \right)$$

$$= \prod_{k=0}^{n-1} \exp \left(- \frac{1}{2\sigma^2(X_k) \Delta t} \left[\text{??} \right] \right)$$

$$= \prod_{k=0}^{n-1} \exp \left(+ \frac{(X_{k+1} - X_k) b(X_k)}{\sigma^2(X_k)} - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{b(X_k)}{\sigma(X_k)} \right)^2 \Delta t \right)$$

$$\text{note } X_{k+1} - X_k = \sigma(X_k) \Delta B_{k+1}$$

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Max. Like. Thm.

$P^*(Y_{k+1} | Y_k) \rightarrow$ likelihood (observation)

$$P^*(Y_{1:n} | Y_0) = \prod_{i=0}^{n-1} P^*(Y_{i+1} | Y_i)$$

prod

$$\ln P^*(X_{k+1} | X_k) = \underbrace{\exp(A(X_{k+1} - X_k))}_{\text{Stock. Int.}} + \underbrace{B \Delta t}_{\text{Risk-Int.}}$$

\rightarrow square terms are gone!

$\ln(x, b, \sigma)$; observe X , unknown b, σ .

Good estimate of $(b, \sigma) \rightarrow$ maximizes \ln \rightarrow This is martingale.

\rightarrow * This estimator is inconsistent and gets accurate as $t \rightarrow \infty$ ($n \rightarrow \infty$)

Mean reversion \rightarrow asset price will converge to its average

Evaluated.

• Monte Carlo.

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X, Y uniform and

$$R(X^2 + Y^2) = R$$

$$\Theta = \tan^{-1}(X/\sqrt{X^2 + Y^2})$$

Then, $(R \cos \Theta$ and $R \sin \Theta)$ are Gaussian:

$$U^N(t, x) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N g(X_t^{(n)}) \quad (X_t \text{ is solution of SDE})$$

$$E\{U^N(t, x)\} = E\left\{\frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N g(X_t^{(n)})\right\} = E\{g(X_t)\} = \underline{u(t, x)}$$

∴ $U^N(t, x)$ is unbiased respect to $u(t, x)$.

$$\Rightarrow \text{Var}(U^N) = E\left\{\left(\frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N (g(X_t^{(n)}) - u(t, x))\right)^2\right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{N^2} \left[\sum_{n=1}^N E\{g(X_t^{(n)} - u(t, x))^2\} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{N} E\{g(X_t) - u(t, x)\}^2 = \underline{O(1/N)}$$

∴ Std goes down like $\frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \rightarrow$ accuracy

Question 1) Calculate $E\{g(X_t) - u(t, x)\}^2$ by Monte-Carlo.

" 2) Can this factor reduced.

Let $V(t, x)$ solve $\begin{cases} V_t = \mathcal{L}V, & t > 0 \\ V(0, x) = g^2(x) \end{cases}$ Recall that $\begin{cases} u_t = \mathcal{L}u, & t > 0 \\ u(0, x) = g(x) \end{cases}$

Apply Itô's formula,

$$d\{V(t-s, X_s) - u^2(t-s, X_s)\} = [(-V_s + 2V)ds + \sigma V_x dB] - [2u u_s ds + 2u u_x dX + \underbrace{(u u_x)_x (dX)^2}_{u u_{xx} + u_x^2}]$$

$$\Rightarrow \sigma V_x dB - 2u u_x \sigma dB + [-2u(-u_s + \mathcal{L}u)ds + u_x^2 \sigma^2 ds]$$

$$= -\sigma^2 u_x^2 ds - (2u u_x \sigma - \sigma V_x) dB$$

Integrate $s \rightarrow [0, t]$

Integrate $s \rightarrow [0, t]$

$$E_x \left\{ v(t-s; x_s) - u^2(t-s, x_s) \right\}_0^t = -E_x \int_0^t \sigma v x^2 ds$$

$$\Rightarrow E_x \left\{ v(t, x) - u^2(t, x) \right\} = -E_x \int_0^t \sigma^2 u x^2 ds$$

$$N \text{Var}(u^N) = v(t, x) - u^2(t, x) = E_x \int_0^t \sigma^2(x_s) u^2(t-s, x_s) ds$$

• why do this? \rightarrow Error can be computed recursively

• Cannot do $u_x(t, x) \xrightarrow{N} (u^N(t, x))_N$
 \hookrightarrow you should not differentiate in numerical SMM

Good way \rightarrow $X_t = x(t, x) = x + \int_0^t b(x_s) ds + \int_0^t \sigma(x_s) dB_s$

Assuming regularity of coefficients, (b, σ) .

$$Z_t = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} X(t, x), \quad Z_t = 1 + \int_0^t b_x(x_s) Z_s ds + \int_0^t \sigma_x(x_s) Z_s dB_s$$

(chain rule)

Jointly (X_t, Z_t) are a Markov process.

$$\Rightarrow d \begin{pmatrix} X_t \\ Z_t \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} b(X_t) \\ b_x(X_t) Z_t \end{pmatrix} dt + \begin{pmatrix} \sigma(X_t) \\ \sigma_x(X_t) Z_t \end{pmatrix} dB_t, \quad \begin{pmatrix} X_0 \\ Z_0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

M.C. \rightarrow generate jointly $(X_t^{(n)}, Z_t^{(n)})$

$$\text{Then, } \begin{cases} u^N(t, x) = \frac{1}{N} \sum g(X_t^{(n)}) \\ u_x^N(t, x) = \frac{1}{N} \sum g_x(X_t^{(n)}) \cdot Z_t^{(n)} \end{cases}$$

$$N \text{Var}(u^N) \sim \frac{1}{N} \sum \int_0^t \sigma^2(x_s^{(n)}) \mathbb{E} x^N |t=s, x_s^{(n)} ds$$

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Variance reduction.

$$dX_t = b(X_t) dt + \sigma(X_t) dB_t. \quad (X_0 = x)$$

Introduce operator $\mathcal{L}_c = \frac{1}{2} \sigma^2(x) \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + \{b(x) + c(x)\} \frac{\partial}{\partial x}$ $\left(\left| \frac{c(x)}{\sigma(x)} \right| \leq c \right)$

Let
where

$$M_{c,t} = \exp \left(- \int_0^t \frac{c(X_s)}{\sigma(X_s)} dB_s - \frac{1}{2} \int_0^t \left(\frac{c(X_s)}{\sigma(X_s)} \right)^2 ds \right)$$

$$dY_t = \{b(Y_t) + c(Y_t)\} dt + \sigma(Y_t) dB_t$$

By Girsanov, (Variate).

law (X_t, \mathcal{L}_0, P) is same as $(Y_t, \mathcal{L}_c, P^*)$ where $\left. \frac{dP^*}{dP} \right|_{\mathcal{F}_t} = M_{c,t}$

$$\text{So } u(t, x) = E_x^P \{ g(X_t) \} = E_x^{P^*} \{ g(Y_t) \}$$

$$= E_x^P \{ g(Y_t) M_{c,t} \}$$

Now, $c = c(t, x)$ to be chosen to reduce the variance of $u^N(t, x)$

$$\text{But, } u^N(t, x) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N g(Y_t^{(n)}) M_{c,t}^{(n)}$$

\rightarrow n^{th} indep. path of process (Y)

$$\text{clearly } E \{ u^N(t, x) \} = u(t, x) \quad (\text{unbiased})$$

What about $\text{var}(u^N)$ (?)

$$N \cdot \text{var}(u^N) = E_x^P \left\{ \int_0^t \left[\sigma(Y_s) u_x(t-s, Y_s) \right]^2 - \left(u(t-s, Y_s) \sigma(t-s, Y_s) / \sigma(Y_s) \right)^2 \right\} M_{c,s}^2 ds$$

Best c \rightarrow Makes variance zero

$$c(t, y) = \frac{\sigma^2(y) \cdot u_x(t, y)}{u(t, y)} = \sigma^2(y) \cdot \ln(u(t, y)) \Big|_y$$

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$u(t, x) = E\{g(X_t)\}$ solves B.K.E. (PDE)

→ Run M.C. simulation to get $E\{g\}$ value.

$b(X_t)$ $\sigma(X_t)$ are not known exactly (eg. $\sigma \sim N(0, \Delta t)$)

→ Use M.C. simulation (accuracy is $O(1/\sqrt{n})$ very low)

→ Probabilistic & large dimension → M.C. simulation.

$u_t = \mathcal{L}u$ $u|_{t=0} = g$ (start from here)

start from $u(0)$

→ calculate $\sigma^2 u_x / u = c(x)$

→ $u(x) \rightarrow c(x)$

→ ... (repeat)

$c^{(n)}$ reduces the variance of M.C. estimates.

$q(x)$ satisfies BKE

③ $X, Y = re^{-(d-1/2)t} (\cos Bt, \sin Bt)$

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① $X, Y = (R \cos z_t, R \sin z_t)$

$dX = -R \sin z dz - \frac{1}{2} r \cos z dt dz$ (z_t)

$= -\frac{1}{2} Y \|dz\|^2 + (-Y dz)$

$dY = -\frac{1}{2} X \|dz\|^2 + X dz_t$

② $\tan^{-1}(Y/X) = \theta$
 $z_t = \tan^{-1}(Y_t/X_t)$

→ Itô's → z_t is PE

$$\textcircled{1} \rightarrow (X, P, L) \xrightarrow[b \rightarrow b+c]{\textcircled{2}} (Y, \dots, Lc)$$

$$\textcircled{2} \rightarrow M_c = \int_0^t$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad dP^*/dP = M_c$$

$$dY = (b+c)dt + \sigma dB_t$$

$\rightarrow U$