

Forward Integral and Fractional Stochastic Differential Equations

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The stochastic integral is [the Forward integral](#) introduced by Russo and Vallois.

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We consider a subspace of functions included in \mathcal{H} via an isometry. This is the space $|\mathcal{H}|$ of all measurable functions $\varphi : [0, T] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ such that

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$$\begin{aligned} &\|\varphi\|_{|\mathcal{H}| \otimes |\mathcal{H}|}^2 \\ &= [H(2H - 1)]^2 \int_{[0, T]^4} |\varphi_{\textcolor{red}{r}, \theta}| |\varphi_{\textcolor{blue}{u}, \eta}| |r - u|^{2H-2} |\theta - \eta|^{2H-2} dr du d\theta d\eta \\ &< \infty. \end{aligned}$$

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Set $D^k F = \sum_{i=1}^n D^k F_i \otimes v_i$. We define the space $\mathbb{D}^{k,p}(V)$ as the completion of \mathcal{S}_V with respect to the norm

$$\|F\|_{k,p,V}^p = E(\|F\|_V^p) + \sum_{i=1}^k E(\|D^i F\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\otimes i} \otimes V}^p).$$

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Theorem (Alòs and Nualart)

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$$\begin{aligned} & E \left(\sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} \left| \int_0^t u_s \delta B_s \right|^2 \right) \\ & \leq C \left\{ \left(\int_0^T |E(u_s)|^{\frac{1}{H-\varepsilon}} ds \right)^{2(H-\varepsilon)} \right. \\ & \quad \left. + E \left(\int_0^T \left(\int_0^T |D_s u_r|^{\frac{1}{H}} dr \right)^{\frac{H}{H-\varepsilon}} ds \right)^{2(H-\varepsilon)} \right\}, \end{aligned}$$

where $C = C(\varepsilon, H, T)$.

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Forward integral

Definition (Russo and Vallois)

Let $\{u_t\}_{t \in [0, T]}$ be a process with integrable paths. We say that u is *forward integrable with respect to B* (or $u \in \text{Dom}\delta^-$) if the stochastic process

$$\left\{ \varepsilon^{-1} \int_0^t u_s (B_{(s+\varepsilon) \wedge T} - B_s) ds \right\}_{t \in [0, T]}$$

converges uniformly on $[0, T]$ in probability as $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$. The limit is denoted by $\int_0^\cdot u_s dB_s^-$ and it is called *the forward integral of u with respect to B* .

Forward integral

Proposition

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Remark This relation was obtained by Alòs and Nualart when in last Definition we only have convergence in probability.

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Proof. We have

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \varepsilon^{-1} \int_{(t-\varepsilon) \vee 0}^t \left\langle Du_s, 1_{[t, (s+\varepsilon) \wedge T]} \right\rangle_{\mathcal{H}} ds \right| \\ & \leq \int_{(t-\varepsilon) \vee 0}^t \int_0^T |D_r u_s| \left[\int_{-\varepsilon}^{\varepsilon} \varepsilon^{-1} |s-r+u|^{2H-2} du \right] dr ds \\ & \leq C_H \int_{(t-\varepsilon) \vee 0}^t \int_0^T |D_r u_s| |r-s|^{2H-2} dr ds. \end{aligned}$$

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Proof. Using that B has Hölder continuous paths,

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \varepsilon^{-1} \int_{(t-\varepsilon) \vee 0}^t u_s (B_{(s+\varepsilon) \wedge T} - B_t) ds \right| \\ & \leq \left(\sup_{|r-s| \leq \varepsilon} |B_r - B_s| \right) \left[\int_{(t-\varepsilon) \vee 0}^t |u_s|^{\frac{1}{H-\rho}} \frac{ds}{\varepsilon} \right]^{H-\rho} \\ & \leq C(\omega) \varepsilon^{\rho - \rho'} \left[\int_0^T |u_s|^{\frac{1}{H-\rho}} ds \right]^{H-\rho}. \end{aligned}$$

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which goes to zero since

$$\int_0^T [E(|u_s|)]^{\frac{1}{H-\rho}} ds \leq \left\{ E \left[\int_0^T |u_s|^{\frac{1}{H-\rho}} ds \right]^{2(H-\rho)} \right\}^{\frac{1}{2(H-\rho)}} < \infty.$$

Relation between the Stratonovich and forward integrals

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Theorem

Above equation has a unique solution in \mathcal{A} that is given by the unique solution of the equation

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So $X \in \mathcal{A}$.

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Proposition (Hölder continuous case)

Assume that the stochastic process $\{\sigma_t\}_{t \in [0, T]}$ satisfies :

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$$E \left[\int_0^T |D_s \sigma_{r_0}|^{\frac{1}{H-\rho}} ds \right]^{2(H-\rho)} < \infty.$$

(b) There exists $0 < \beta \leq 1$ such that for all $r, s \in [0, T]$,

$$E[|\sigma_r - \sigma_s|] \leq C |r - s|^{\frac{\beta}{2}}, \quad (1)$$

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- (d) There are $\alpha, a \in (0, H)$ such that :
 - (d₁) The family $\{\theta_\varepsilon\}_{0 < \varepsilon < \varepsilon_1}$ is bounded in probability, where $\theta_\varepsilon = \varepsilon^{-1+H-a} \left\{ \int_0^T \left[\int_0^r \int_{(s-\varepsilon^\alpha) \vee 0}^{(s+\varepsilon^\alpha) \wedge T} |D_u \sigma_s| |s-u|^{2H-2} du ds \right]^2 dr \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}}$.
 - (d₂) The set $\{\theta_\varepsilon\}_{0 < \varepsilon < \varepsilon_1}$ converges in probability to 0 as $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$.
 - (d₃) $\beta > 2(1 - H + a)$ and $H - a > \max(\frac{1}{2}, \alpha)$.

Then σ satisfies Assumptions (H2) and (H3).

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which implies

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Proposition (The absolutely continuous case)

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with $\sigma_0, \dot{\sigma} \in \mathbb{L}_{H-\rho}^{1,2}$ for some $0 < \rho < H - \frac{1}{2}$. Then Hypotheses (H2) and (H3) are satisfied for the process $\{\sigma_t\}_{t \in [0, T]}$.

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$$\Delta_\varepsilon(t) = X_\varepsilon(t) - X_t = \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \int_t^{t+\varepsilon} X_u du - \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \int_0^\varepsilon X_u du.$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} & |\Delta_\varepsilon(t) - \Delta_\varepsilon(s)| \\ & \leq \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \int_t^{t+\varepsilon} |X_u - X_t| du + \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \int_s^{s+\varepsilon} |X_u - X_t| du \\ & \leq \|X\|_\beta \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \left(\int_t^{t+\varepsilon} (u-t)^\beta du - \int_s^{s+\varepsilon} (u-t)^\beta du \right) \\ & \leq C\varepsilon^\beta \leq C\varepsilon^{\beta-\beta'} |t-s|^{\beta'}. \end{aligned}$$

Forward and Young Integrals

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Hence, using $0 \leq t-s < \varepsilon$,

$$|\Delta_\varepsilon(t) - \Delta_\varepsilon(s)| \leq C\varepsilon^{\beta-\beta'}|t-s|^{\beta'}.$$