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MEAN REFLECTED STOCHASTIC DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS WITH JUMPS

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ABSTRACT. In this paper, a reflected Stochastic Differential Equation with jumps is studied for the case where the constraint acts on the law of the solution rather than on its paths. These reflected SDEs have been approximated in [BCdRGL16] using a numerical scheme based on partial systems, when no jumps occur. The main contribution of this paper is to prove the existence and the uniqueness of the solutions to this kind of reflected SDEs with jumps and to generalize the results obtained in [BCdRGL16] to this context.

1. INTRODUCTION

Reflected stochastic differential equations have been introduced in the pioneering work of Skorokhod (see [Sko61]), and their numerical approximations by Euler schemes have been widely studied (see [Slo94], [Slo01], [Lep95], [Pet95], [Pet97]). Reflected stochastic differential equations driven by a Lévy process have also been studied in the literature (see [MR85], [KH92]). More recently, reflected backward stochastic differential equations with jumps have been introduced and studied (see [HO03], [EHO05], [HH06], [Ess08], [CM08], [QS14]), as well as their numerical approximation (see [DL16a] and [DL16b]). The main particularity of our work comes from the fact that the constraint acts on the law of the process X rather than on its paths. The study of such equations is linked to the mean field games theory, which has been introduced by Lasry and Lions (see [LL07a], [LL07b], [LL06b], [LL06a]) and whose probabilistic point of view is studied in [CD18a] and [CD18b]. Stochastic differential equations with mean reflection have been introduced by Briand, Elie and Hu in their backward forms in [BEH18]. In that work, they show that mean reflected stochastic processes exist and are uniquely defined by the associated system of equations of the following form:

$$\begin{cases} X_t = X_0 + \int_0^t b(X_s)ds + \int_0^t \sigma(X_s)dB_s + K_t, & t \geq 0, \\ \mathbb{E}[h(X_t)] \geq 0, \quad \int_0^t \mathbb{E}[h(X_s)] dK_s = 0, & t \geq 0. \end{cases} \quad (1.1)$$

Due to the fact that the reflection process K depends on the law of the position, the authors of [BCdRGL16], inspired by mean field games, study the convergence of a numerical scheme based on particle systems to compute numerically solutions to (1.1).

In this paper, we extend previous results to the case of jumps, i.e. we study existence and uniqueness of solutions to the following mean reflected stochastic differential equation (MR-SDE in the sequel)

$$\begin{cases} X_t = X_0 + \int_0^t b(X_{s-})ds + \int_0^t \sigma(X_{s-})dB_s + \int_0^t \int_E F(X_{s-}, z)\tilde{N}(ds, dz) + K_t, & t \geq 0, \\ \mathbb{E}[h(X_t)] \geq 0, \quad \int_0^t \mathbb{E}[h(X_s)] dK_s = 0, & t \geq 0, \end{cases} \quad (1.2)$$

where $E = \mathbb{R}^*$, $\tilde{N}$ is a compensated Poisson measure $\tilde{N}(ds, dz) = N(ds, dz) - \lambda(dz)ds$, and B is a Brownian process independent of N . We also propose a numerical scheme based on a particle system to compute numerically solutions to (1.2) and study the rate of convergence of this scheme.

Our main motivation for studying (1.2) comes from financial problems submitted to risk measure constraints. Given any position X , its risk measure $\rho(X)$ can be seen as the amount of own fund needed by the investor to hold the position. For example, we can consider the following risk measure: $\rho(X) = \inf\{m : \mathbb{E}[u(m + X)] \geq p\}$ where u is a utility function (concave and increasing) and p is a given threshold (we refer the reader to [ADEH99] and to [FS02] for more details on risk measures). Suppose that we are given a portfolio X of assets whose dynamic, when there is no constraint, follows the jump diffusion model

$$dX_t = b(X_t)dt + \sigma(X_t)dB_t + \int_E F(X_{t-}, z)\tilde{N}(dt, dz), \quad t \geq 0.$$

Given a risk measure ρ , one can ask that X_t remains an acceptable position at each time t . The constraint rewrites $\mathbb{E}[h(X_t)] \geq 0$ for $t \geq 0$ where $h = u - p$.

In order to satisfy this constraint, the agent has to add some cash in the portfolio through the time and the dynamic of the wealth of the portfolio becomes

$$dX_t = b(X_t)dt + \sigma(X_t)dB_t + \int_E F(X_{t-}, z)\tilde{N}(dt, dz) + dK_t, \quad t \geq 0,$$

where K_t is the amount of cash added up to time t in the portfolio to balance the "risk" associated to X_t . Of course, the agent wants to cover the risk in a minimal way, adding cash only when needed: this leads to the Skorokhod condition $\mathbb{E}[h(X_t)]dK_t = 0$. Putting together all conditions, we end up with a dynamic of the form (1.2) for the portfolio.

The paper is organized as follows. In Section 2, we show that, under Lipschitz assumptions on b , σ and F and bi-Lipschitz assumptions on h , the system admits a unique strong solution, *i.e.* there exists a unique pair of process (X, K) satisfying system (1.2) almost surely, the process K being an increasing and deterministic process. Then, we show that, by adding some regularity on the function h , the Stieltjes measure dK is absolutely continuous with respect to the Lebesgue measure and we obtain the explicit expression of its density. In Section 3 we show that the system (1.2) can be seen as the limit of an interacting particle system with oblique reflection of mean field type. This result allows to define in Section 4 an algorithm based on this interacting particle system together with a classical Euler scheme which gives a strong approximation of the solution of (1.2). When h is bi-Lipschitz, this leads to an approximation error in L^2 -sense proportional to $n^{-1} + N^{-\frac{1}{2}}$, where n is the number of points of the discretization grid and N is the number of particles. When h is smooth, we get an approximation error proportional to $n^{-1} + N^{-1}$. By the way, we improve the speed of convergence obtained in [BCdRGL16]. Finally, we illustrate these results numerically in Section 5.

2. EXISTENCE, UNIQUENESS AND PROPERTIES OF THE SOLUTION.

In this paper, $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbb{P})$ is a complete probability space endowed with a standard Brownian motion $B = \{B_t\}_{0 \leq t \leq T}$. $\{\mathcal{F}_t\}_{0 \leq t \leq T}$ is the usual augmented filtration of B . Before moving on, we give the following assumptions needed in the sequel.

Assumption (A.1).

(i) *Lipschitz assumption: there exists a constant $C_p > 0$, such that for all $x, x' \in \mathbb{R}$ and $p > 0$, we have*

$$|b(x) - b(x')|^p + |\sigma(x) - \sigma(x')|^p + \int_E |F(x, z) - F(x', z)|^p \lambda(dz) \leq C_p |x - x'|^p.$$

(ii) *The random variable X_0 is square integrable independent of B_t and N_t .*

Assumption (A.2).

(i) *The function $h : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is increasing and bi-Lipschitz: there exist $0 < m \leq M$ such that*

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}, \forall y \in \mathbb{R}, m|x - y| \leq |h(x) - h(y)| \leq M|x - y|.$$

(ii) *The initial condition X_0 satisfies: $\mathbb{E}[h(X_0)] \geq 0$.*

Assumption (A.3). $\exists p > 4$ such that $X_0 \in L^p$ i.e. $\mathbb{E}[|X_0|^p] < \infty$.

Assumption (A.4). *The function h is twice continuously differentiable with bounded derivatives.*

2.1. Preliminary results. Consider the function

$$H : \mathbb{R} \times \mathcal{P}_1(\mathbb{R}) \ni (x, \nu) \mapsto \int h(x + z) \nu(dz), \quad (2.1)$$

where $\mathcal{P}_1(\mathbb{R})$ is the set of probability measures with a finite first-order moment. Let $\bar{G}_0$ be the inverse function in space of H evaluated at 0:

$$\bar{G}_0 : \mathcal{P}_1(\mathbb{R}) \ni \nu \mapsto \inf\{x \in \mathbb{R} : H(x, \nu) \geq 0\}, \quad (2.2)$$

and G_0 is the positive part of $\bar{G}_0$:

$$G_0 : \mathcal{P}_1(\mathbb{R}) \ni \nu \mapsto \inf\{x \geq 0 : H(x, \nu) \geq 0\}. \quad (2.3)$$

We start by studying some properties of H and G_0 .

Lemma 1. *Under Assumption (A.2), we have:*

(i) *For all ν in $\mathcal{P}_1(\mathbb{R})$, the function $H(\cdot, \nu) : \mathbb{R} \ni x \mapsto H(x, \nu)$ is bi-Lipschitz:*

$$\forall x, y \in \mathbb{R}, m|x - y| \leq |H(x, \nu) - H(y, \nu)| \leq M|x - y|. \quad (2.4)$$

(ii) *For all x in $\mathbb{R}$, the function $H(x, \cdot) : \mathcal{P}_1(\mathbb{R}) \ni \nu \mapsto H(x, \nu)$ satisfies the following Lipschitz inequality:*

$$\forall \nu, \nu' \in \mathcal{P}_1(\mathbb{R}), |H(x, \nu) - H(x, \nu')| \leq \left| \int h(x + \cdot) (d\nu - d\nu') \right|. \quad (2.5)$$

Proof. Lemma 1 ensues from the definition of H (see (2.1)). □

Let ν and ν' be two probability measures. The Wasserstein-1 distance between ν and ν' is defined by:

$$W_1(\nu, \nu') = \sup_{\varphi \text{ 1-Lipschitz}} \left| \int \varphi(d\nu - d\nu') \right| = \inf_{X \sim \nu; Y \sim \nu'} \mathbb{E}[|X - Y|].$$

Thus

$$\forall \nu, \nu' \in \mathcal{P}_1(\mathbb{R}), |H(x, \nu) - H(x, \nu')| \leq MW_1(\nu, \nu'). \quad (2.6)$$

According to Monge-Kantorovitch Theorem, the assertion (2.5) implies that for all x in $\mathbb{R}$, the function $H(x, \cdot)$ is Lipschitz continuous w.r.t. the Wasserstein-1 distance. Then, the regularity of G_0 is given in the following Lemma:

Lemma 2. *Under Assumption (A.2), the function $G_0 : \mathcal{P}_1(\mathbb{R}) \ni \nu \mapsto G_0(\nu)$ is Lipschitz continuous:*

$$|G_0(\nu) - G_0(\nu')| \leq \frac{1}{m} \left| \int h(\bar{G}_0(\nu) + \cdot)(d\nu - d\nu') \right|, \quad (2.7)$$

where $\bar{G}_0(\nu)$ is the inverse of $H(\cdot, \nu)$ at point 0. Especially,

$$|G_0(\nu) - G_0(\nu')| \leq \frac{M}{m} W_1(\nu, \nu'). \quad (2.8)$$

Proof. The proof is given in ([BCdRGL16], Lemma 2.5). $\square$

2.2. Existence and uniqueness of the solution of (1.2). The set of Assumptions (A.1)-(A.4) will be used as follows:

- The existence and uniqueness results are stated under the standard assumption for SDEs (A.1) and the assumption used in [BEH18] (A.2).
- The convergence of particle systems is proved under (A.3).
- Some of the results will be improved under the smoothness assumption (A.4).

Firstly, we recall the existence and uniqueness result of [BEH18] in the case of SDEs.

Definition 1. *A couple of processes (X, K) is said to be a flat deterministic solution to (1.2) if (X, K) satisfy (1.2) with K being a non-decreasing continuous deterministic function with $K_0 = 0$.*

Given this definition we have the following result.

Theorem 1. *Under Assumptions (A.1) and (A.2), the mean reflected SDE (1.2) has a unique deterministic flat solution (X, K) . Moreover,*

$$\forall t \geq 0, K_t = \sup_{s \leq t} \inf \{x \geq 0 : \mathbb{E}[h(x + U_s)] \geq 0\} = \sup_{s \leq t} G_0(\mu_s), \quad (2.9)$$

where $(U_t)_{0 \leq t \leq T}$ is the process defined by:

$$U_t = X_0 + \int_0^t b(X_{s-})ds + \int_0^t \sigma(X_{s-})dB_s + \int_0^t \int_E F(X_{s-}, z)\tilde{N}(ds, dz) \quad (2.10)$$

and $(\mu_t)_{0 \leq t \leq T}$ is the family of marginal laws of $(U_t)_{0 \leq t \leq T}$.

Proof. We refer to [BEH18], for the proof in the case of continuous backward SDEs. We present here the proof of the forward case with jumps.

Let us consider the set $\mathcal{C}^2 = \{X \text{ } \mathcal{F}\text{-adapted càdlàg, } \mathbb{E}(\sup_{t \leq T} |X_t|^2) < \infty\}$, and let $\hat{X} \in \mathcal{C}^2$ be a given process. We define

$$\hat{U}_t = X_0 + \int_0^t b(\hat{X}_{s-})ds + \int_0^t \sigma(\hat{X}_{s-})dB_s + \int_0^t \int_E F(\hat{X}_{s-}, z)\tilde{N}(ds, dz),$$

and the function K

$$K_t = \sup_{s \leq t} \inf \{x \geq 0 : \mathbb{E}[h(x + \hat{U}_s)] \geq 0\} = \sup_{s \leq t} G_0(\hat{\mu}_s). \quad (2.11)$$

Let us introduce the process X :

$$X_t = X_0 + \int_0^t b(\hat{X}_{s-}) ds + \int_0^t \sigma(\hat{X}_{s-}) dB_s + \int_0^t \int_E F(\hat{X}_{s-}, z) \tilde{N}(ds, dz) + K_t,$$

where K is given by (2.11), and check that (X, K) is the solution to (1.2) with U replaced by $\hat{U}$. First, based on the definition of K , we have $\mathbb{E}[h(X_t)] \geq 0$, $K_t = G_0(\hat{\mu}_t) dK_t - a.e.$ and $G_0(\hat{\mu}_t) > 0 dK_t - a.e..$ Then, we obtain

$$\int_0^t \mathbb{E}[h(X_s)] dK_s = \int_0^t \mathbb{E}[h(\hat{U}_s + K_s)] dK_s = \int_0^t \mathbb{E}[h(\hat{U}_s + G_0(\hat{\mu}_s))] dK_s = \int_0^t \mathbb{E}[h(\hat{U}_s + G_0(\hat{\mu}_s))] \mathbf{1}_{G_0(\hat{\mu}_s) > 0} dK_s.$$

Moreover, since h is continuous, we have $\mathbb{E}[h(\hat{U}_s + G_0(\hat{\mu}_s))] = 0$ as soon as $G_0(\hat{\mu}_s) > 0$, so that

$$\int_0^t \mathbb{E}[h(X_s)] dK_s = 0.$$

Second, choose the map $\Phi : \mathcal{C}^2 \rightarrow \mathcal{C}^2$ which associates to $\hat{X}$ the process X , solution to (1.2). Let us prove that Φ is a contraction. Using the same Brownian motion and Poisson process, we consider $\hat{X}$ and $\hat{X}' \in \mathcal{C}^2$ and K and K' defined by (2.11). From Assumption (A.1), and by using Cauchy-Schwartz and Doob inequality, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{t \leq T} |X_t - X'_t|^2 \right] &\leq 4 \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{t \leq T} \left\{ \left| \int_0^t \left(b(\hat{X}_{s-}) - b(\hat{X}'_{s-}) \right) ds \right|^2 + \left| \int_0^t \left(\sigma(\hat{X}_{s-}) - \sigma(\hat{X}'_{s-}) \right) dB_s \right|^2 \right. \right. \\ &\quad \left. \left. + \left| \int_0^t \int_E \left(F(\hat{X}_{s-}, z) - F(\hat{X}'_{s-}, z) \right) \tilde{N}(ds, dz) \right|^2 + |K_t - K'_t|^2 \right\} \right] \\ &\leq 4 \left\{ \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{t \leq T} t \int_0^t |b(\hat{X}_{s-}) - b(\hat{X}'_{s-})|^2 ds \right] + \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{t \leq T} \left| \int_0^t \left(\sigma(\hat{X}_{s-}) - \sigma(\hat{X}'_{s-}) \right) dB_s \right|^2 \right] \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{t \leq T} \left| \int_0^t \int_E \left(F(\hat{X}_{s-}, z) - F(\hat{X}'_{s-}, z) \right) \tilde{N}(ds, dz) \right|^2 \right] + \sup_{t \leq T} |K_t - K'_t|^2 \right\} \\ &\leq C \left\{ T \mathbb{E} \left[\int_0^T |b(\hat{X}_{s-}) - b(\hat{X}'_{s-})|^2 ds \right] + \mathbb{E} \left[\int_0^T |\sigma(\hat{X}_{s-}) - \sigma(\hat{X}'_{s-})|^2 ds \right] \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \int_0^T \int_E \mathbb{E} \left[|F(\hat{X}_{s-}, z) - F(\hat{X}'_{s-}, z)|^2 \right] \lambda(dz) ds + \sup_{t \leq T} |K_t - K'_t|^2 \right\} \\ &\leq C \left\{ T^2 C_1 \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{t \leq T} |\hat{X}_{t-} - \hat{X}'_{t-}|^2 \right] + T C_1 \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{t \leq T} |\hat{X}_{t-} - \hat{X}'_{t-}|^2 \right] \right. \\ &\quad \left. + T C_1 \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{t \leq T} |\hat{X}_{t-} - \hat{X}'_{t-}|^2 \right] + \sup_{t \leq T} |K_t - K'_t|^2 \right\} \\ &\leq C \left(T^2 C_1 + T C_2 \right) \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{t \leq T} |\hat{X}_t - \hat{X}'_t|^2 \right] + C \sup_{t \leq T} |K_t - K'_t|^2. \end{aligned}$$

From the representation (2.11) of the process K and Lemma 2, we have that

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_{t \leq T} |K_t - K'_t|^2 &\leq \frac{M}{m} \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{t \leq T} |\hat{U}_t - \hat{U}'_t|^2 \right] \\ &\leq C(T^2 C_1 + T C_2) \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{t \leq T} |\hat{X}_t - \hat{X}'_t|^2 \right]. \end{aligned}$$

This leads to

$$\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{t \leq T} |X_t - X'_t|^2 \right] \leq C(1 + T) T \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{t \leq T} |\hat{X}_t - \hat{X}'_t|^2 \right].$$

Therefore, there exists a positive $\mathcal{T}$, depending on b, σ, F and h only, such that for all $T < \mathcal{T}$, the map Φ is a contraction. Consequently, we get the existence and uniqueness of solution on $[0, \mathcal{T}]$ and by iterating the construction the result is extended on $\mathbb{R}^+$. $\square$

2.3. Regularity results on K, X and U .

Remark 1. In view of this construction, we derive that for all $0 \leq s < t$:

$$\begin{aligned} &K_t - K_s \\ &= \sup_{s \leq r \leq t} \inf \left\{ x \geq 0 : \mathbb{E} \left[h \left(x + X_s + \int_s^r b(X_{u-}) du + \int_s^r \sigma(X_{u-}) dB_u + \int_s^r \int_E F(X_{u-}, z) \tilde{N}(du, dz) \right) \right] \geq 0 \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Proof. From the representation (2.9) of the process K , we have

$$\begin{aligned} K_t &= \sup_{r \leq t} G_0(U_r) = \max \left\{ \sup_{r \leq s} G_0(U_r), \sup_{s \leq r \leq t} G_0(U_r) \right\} \\ &= \max \left\{ K_s, \sup_{s \leq r \leq t} G_0(U_r) \right\} \\ &= \max \left\{ K_s, \sup_{s \leq r \leq t} G_0(X_s - K_s + U_r - U_s) \right\} \\ &= \max \left\{ K_s, \sup_{s \leq r \leq t} \left[\bar{G}_0(X_s - K_s + U_r - U_s)^+ \right] \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

By the definition of $\bar{G}_0$, we observe that for all $y \in \mathbb{R}$, $\bar{G}_0(X + y) = \bar{G}_0(X) - y$, so we get

$$\begin{aligned} K_t &= \max \left\{ K_s, \sup_{s \leq r \leq t} \left[\left(K_s + \bar{G}_0(X_s + U_r - U_s) \right)^+ \right] \right\} \\ &= K_s + \max \left\{ 0, \sup_{s \leq r \leq t} \left[\left(K_s + \bar{G}_0(X_s + U_r - U_s) \right)^+ - K_s \right] \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Note that $\sup_r (f(r)^+) = (\sup_r f(r))^+ = \max(0, \sup_r f(r))$ for all function f , and obviously

$$\begin{aligned} K_t &= K_s + \sup_{s \leq r \leq t} \left[\left\{ \left(K_s + \bar{G}_0(X_s + U_r - U_s) \right)^+ - K_s \right\}^+ \right] \\ &= K_s + \sup_{s \leq r \leq t} \left[\left(\bar{G}_0(X_s + U_r - U_s) \right)^+ \right] \\ &= K_s + \sup_{s \leq r \leq t} G_0(X_s + U_r - U_s), \end{aligned}$$

and so

$$K_t - K_s = \sup_{s \leq r \leq t} G_0(X_s + U_r - U_s).$$

$\square$

Proposition 1. Suppose that Assumptions (A.1) and (A.2) hold. Then, for all $p \geq 2$, there exists a positive constant K_p , depending on T, b, σ, F and h such that

- (i) $\mathbb{E}[\sup_{t \leq T} |X_t|^p] \leq K_p(1 + \mathbb{E}[|X_0|^p]).$
- (ii) $\forall 0 \leq s \leq t \leq T, \quad \mathbb{E}[\sup_{s \leq u \leq t} |X_u|^p | \mathcal{F}_s] \leq C(1 + |X_s|^p).$

Remark 2. Under the same conditions, we conclude that

$$\mathbb{E}[\sup_{t \leq T} |U_t|^p] \leq K_p(1 + \mathbb{E}[|X_0|^p]).$$

Proof of (i). We have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{t \leq T} |X_t|^p \right] &\leq 5^{p-1} \left\{ \mathbb{E}|X_0|^p + \mathbb{E} \sup_{t \leq T} \left(\int_0^t |b(X_{s-})| ds \right)^p + \mathbb{E} \sup_{t \leq T} \left| \int_0^t \sigma(X_{s-}) dB_s \right|^p \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \mathbb{E} \sup_{t \leq T} \left| \int_0^t \int_E F(X_{s-}, z) \tilde{N}(ds, dz) \right|^p + K_T^p \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

The last term $K_T = \sup_{t \leq T} G_0(\mu_t)$ is firstly studied. By using the Lipschitz property of Lemma 2 of G_0 and the definition of the Wasserstein metric, we have

$$\forall t \geq 0, \quad |G_0(\mu_t)| \leq \frac{M}{m} \mathbb{E}[|U_t - U_0|],$$

since $G_0(\mu_0) = 0$ as $\mathbb{E}[h(X_0)] \geq 0$ and where U is defined by (4.3). Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} |K_T|^p &= \left| \sup_{t \leq T} G_0(\mu_t) \right|^p \leq 3^{p-1} \left(\frac{M}{m} \right)^p \left\{ \mathbb{E} \sup_{t \leq T} \left(\int_0^t |b(X_{s-})| ds \right)^p + \mathbb{E} \sup_{t \leq T} \left| \int_0^t \sigma(X_{s-}) dB_s \right|^p \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \mathbb{E} \sup_{t \leq T} \left| \int_0^t \int_E F(X_{s-}, z) \tilde{N}(ds, dz) \right|^p \right\}, \end{aligned}$$

and so

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{t \leq T} |X_t|^p \right] &\leq C(p, M, m) \mathbb{E} \left[|X_0|^p + \sup_{t \leq T} \left(\int_0^t |b(X_{s-})| ds \right)^p + \sup_{t \leq T} \left| \int_0^t \sigma(X_{s-}) dB_s \right|^p \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \sup_{t \leq T} \left| \int_0^t \int_E F(X_{s-}, z) \tilde{N}(ds, dz) \right|^p \right]. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, using Assumption (A.1), Cauchy-Schwartz, Doob and BDG inequalities yields

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{t \leq T} |X_t|^p \right] &\leq C \left\{ \mathbb{E} \left[|X_0|^p \right] + T^{p-1} \mathbb{E} \left[\int_0^T (1 + |X_{s-}|)^p ds \right] + C_1 \mathbb{E} \left[\int_0^T (1 + |X_{s-}|)^2 ds \right]^{\frac{p}{2}} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + C_2 \mathbb{E} \left[\int_0^T (1 + |X_{s-}|)^p ds \right] \right\} \\ &\leq C_1 \left(1 + \mathbb{E}|X_0|^p \right) + C_2 \int_0^T \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{t \leq r} |X_t|^p \right] dr, \end{aligned}$$

and from Gronwall's Lemma, we can conclude that for all $p \geq 2$, there exists a positive constant K_p , depending on T, b, σ, F and h such that

$$\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{t \leq T} |X_t|^p \right] \leq K_p(1 + \mathbb{E}[|X_0|^p]).$$

Proof of (ii). For the first part, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
X_u &= U_u + K_u \\
&= X_s + (U_u - U_s) + (K_u - K_s) \\
&= X_s + \int_s^u b(X_{r-})dr + \int_s^u \sigma(X_{r-})dB_r + \int_s^u \int_E F(X_{r-}, z)\tilde{N}(dr, dz) \\
&\quad + (K_u - K_s).
\end{aligned}$$

Let us denote $\mathbb{E}_s[\cdot] = \mathbb{E}[\cdot | \mathcal{F}_s]$. Then we get

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbb{E}_s \left[\sup_{s \leq u \leq t} |X_u|^p \right] &\leq 5^{p-1} \left\{ \mathbb{E}_s \left[|X_s|^p \right] + \mathbb{E}_s \left[\sup_{s \leq u \leq t} \left| \int_s^u b(X_{r-})dr \right|^p \right] + \mathbb{E}_s \left[\sup_{s \leq u \leq t} \left| \int_s^u \sigma(X_{r-})dB_r \right|^p \right] \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \mathbb{E}_s \left[\sup_{s \leq u \leq t} \left| \int_s^u \int_E F(X_{r-}, z)\tilde{N}(dr, dz) \right|^p \right] + \left| K_t - K_s \right|^p \right\} \\
&\leq C \left\{ |X_s|^p + T^{p-1} \int_s^t \mathbb{E}_s \left[\left| b(X_{r-}) \right|^p \right] dr + \int_s^t \mathbb{E}_s \left[\left| \sigma(X_{r-}) \right|^p \right] dr \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \int_s^t \int_E \mathbb{E}_s \left[\left| F(X_{r-}, z) \right|^p \right] \lambda(dz)dr + 2 \left| K_T \right|^p \right\} \\
&\leq C(T) \left\{ |X_s|^p + C_1 \int_s^t \mathbb{E}_s \left[1 + |X_{r-}|^p \right] dr + 2 \left| K_T \right|^p \right\} \\
&\leq C_1(1 + |X_s|^p) + C_2 \int_s^t \mathbb{E}_s \left[\sup_{s \leq u \leq r} |X_u|^p \right] dr.
\end{aligned}$$

Finally, from Gronwall's Lemma, we deduce that for all $0 \leq s \leq t \leq T$, there exists a constant C , depending on p, T, b, σ, F and h such that

$$\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq u \leq t} |X_u|^p | \mathcal{F}_s \right] \leq C(1 + |X_s|^p).$$

□

Proposition 2. *Let $p \geq 2$ and let Assumptions (A.1), (A.2) and (A.3) hold. There exists a constant C depending on p, T, b, σ, F and h such that*

- (i) $\forall 0 \leq s < t \leq T, \quad |K_t - K_s| \leq C|t - s|^{(1/2)}.$
- (ii) $\forall 0 \leq s \leq t \leq T, \quad \mathbb{E}[|U_t - U_s|^p] \leq C|t - s|.$
- (iii) $\forall 0 \leq r < s < t \leq T, \quad \mathbb{E}[|U_s - U_r|^p |U_t - U_s|^p] \leq C|t - r|^2.$

Remark 3. *Under the same conditions, we conclude that*

$$\forall 0 \leq s \leq t \leq T, \quad \mathbb{E}[|X_t - X_s|^p] \leq C|t - s|.$$

Proof of (i). Let us recall that, for all process X ,

$$\bar{G}_0(X) = \inf\{x \in \mathbb{R} : \mathbb{E}[h(x + X)] \geq 0\},$$

$$G_0(X) = (\bar{G}_0(X))^+ = \inf\{x \geq 0 : \mathbb{E}[h(x + X)] \geq 0\}.$$

From Remark 1, we have

$$K_t - K_s = \sup_{s \leq r \leq t} G_0(X_s + U_r - U_s). \quad (2.12)$$

Hence, from the previous representation of $K_t - K_s$, we deduce the $\frac{1}{2}$ -Hölder property of the function $t \mapsto K_t$. Indeed, since by definition $G_0(X_s) = 0$, if $s < t$, by using Lemma 2,

$$\begin{aligned} |K_t - K_s| &= \sup_{s \leq r \leq t} G_0(X_s + U_r - U_s) \\ &= \sup_{s \leq r \leq t} [G_0(X_s + U_r - U_s) - G_0(X_s)] \\ &= \frac{M}{m} \sup_{s \leq r \leq t} \mathbb{E}[|U_r - U_s|], \end{aligned}$$

and so

$$\begin{aligned} |K_t - K_s| &\leq C \left\{ \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq r \leq t} \left| \int_s^r b(X_{u-}) du \right| \right] + \left(\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq r \leq t} \left| \int_s^r \sigma(X_{u-}) dB_u \right|^2 \right] \right)^{1/2} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \left(\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq r \leq t} \left| \int_s^r \int_E F(X_{u-}, z) \tilde{N}(du, dz) \right|^2 \right] \right)^{1/2} \right\} \\ &\leq C \left\{ \int_s^t \mathbb{E} \left[|b(X_{u-})| \right] du + \left(\mathbb{E} \left[\int_s^t \left| \sigma(X_{u-}) \right|^2 du \right] \right)^{1/2} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \left(\mathbb{E} \left[\int_s^t \int_E \left| F(X_{u-}, z) \right|^2 \lambda(dz) du \right] \right)^{1/2} \right\} \\ &\leq C \left\{ |t - s| \mathbb{E} \left[1 + \sup_{u \leq T} |X_u| \right] + |t - s|^{1/2} \left(\mathbb{E} \left[1 + \sup_{u \leq T} |X_u|^2 \right] \right)^{1/2} \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, if $X_0 \in L^p$ for some $p \geq 2$, it follows from Proposition 1 that

$$|K_t - K_s| \leq C |t - s|^{1/2}.$$

Proof of (ii).

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E} \left[|U_t - U_s|^p \right] &\leq 4^{p-1} \mathbb{E} \left[\left(\int_s^t |b(X_{r-})| dr \right)^p + \left| \int_s^t \sigma(X_{r-}) dB_r \right|^p \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \left| \int_s^t \int_E F(X_{r-}, z) \tilde{N}(dr, dz) \right|^p \right] \\ &\leq C \sup_{0 \leq r \leq t} \mathbb{E} \left[\left(\int_s^r |b(X_{u-})| du \right)^p + \left| \int_s^r \sigma(X_{u-}) dB_u \right|^p \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \left| \int_s^r \int_E F(X_{u-}, z) \tilde{N}(du, dz) \right|^p \right] \\ &\leq C \left\{ |t - s|^{p-1} \mathbb{E} \left[\int_s^t (1 + |X_{u-}|)^p du \right] + C_1 \mathbb{E} \left[\left(\int_s^t (1 + |X_{u-}|)^2 du \right)^{p/2} \right] \right. \\ &\quad \left. + C_2 \mathbb{E} \left[\int_s^t (1 + |X_{u-}|)^p du \right] \right\} \\ &\leq C_1 \mathbb{E} \left[1 + \sup_{t \leq T} |X_t|^p \right] |t - s|^p + C_2 \mathbb{E} \left[\left(1 + \sup_{t \leq T} |X_t|^2 \right)^{p/2} \right] |t - s|^{p/2} \\ &\quad + C_3 \mathbb{E} \left[1 + \sup_{t \leq T} |X_t|^p \right] |t - s|. \end{aligned}$$

Finally, if $X_0 \in L^p$ for some $p \geq 2$, we conclude that there exists a constant C , depending on p, T, b, σ, F and h such that

$$\forall 0 \leq s \leq t \leq T, \quad \mathbb{E}[|X_t - X_s|^p] \leq C|t - s|.$$

Proof of (iii). Let $0 \leq r < s < t \leq T$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}[|U_s - U_r|^p |U_t - U_s|^p] &\leq \mathbb{E}\left[|U_s - U_r|^p \mathbb{E}_s[|U_t - U_s|^p]\right] \\ &\leq C\mathbb{E}\left[|U_s - U_r|^p \left\{ \mathbb{E}_s\left[\left|\int_s^t b(X_{s-})ds\right|^p\right] + \mathbb{E}_s\left[\left|\int_s^t \sigma(X_{s-})dB_s\right|^p\right] \right. \right. \\ &\quad \left. \left. + \mathbb{E}_s\left[\left|\int_s^t \int_E F(X_{s-}, z)d\tilde{N}(ds, dz)\right|^p\right]\right\}\right]. \end{aligned}$$

Then, from Burkholder-Davis-Gundy inequality, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}[|U_s - U_r|^p |U_t - U_s|^p] &\leq C\mathbb{E}\left[|U_s - U_r|^p \left\{ \mathbb{E}_s\left[\left|\int_s^t b(X_{s-})ds\right|^p\right] + \left(\mathbb{E}_s\left[\int_s^t \left|\sigma(X_{s-})\right|^2 ds\right]\right)^{p/2} \right. \right. \\ &\quad \left. \left. + \mathbb{E}_s\left[\int_s^t \int_E \left|F(X_{s-}, z)\right|^p \lambda(dz)ds\right]\right\}\right] \\ &\leq C\mathbb{E}\left[|U_s - U_r|^p \left\{ |t - s|^p \left(1 + \mathbb{E}_s\left[\sup_{s \leq u \leq t} |X_u|^p\right]\right) \right. \right. \\ &\quad \left. \left. + |t - s|^{p/2} \left(1 + \mathbb{E}_s\left[\sup_{s \leq u \leq t} |X_u|^2\right]\right)^{p/2} + |t - s| \left(1 + \mathbb{E}_s\left[\sup_{s \leq u \leq t} |X_u|^p\right]\right) \right\}\right] \\ &\leq C\mathbb{E}\left[|U_s - U_r|^p \left\{ |t - s| \left(1 + \mathbb{E}_s\left[\sup_{s \leq u \leq t} |X_u|^p\right]\right) \right\}\right], \end{aligned}$$

thus, from (i) and Proposition 1, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}[|U_s - U_r|^p |U_t - U_s|^p] &\leq C_1|t - s|\mathbb{E}[|U_s - U_r|^p] + C_2|t - s|\mathbb{E}[|U_s - U_r|^p |X_s|^p] \\ &\leq C_1|t - s||s - r| + C_2|t - s|\mathbb{E}\left[|U_s - U_r|^p \left(|X_s - X_r|^p + |X_r|^p\right)\right] \\ &\leq C_1|t - r|^2 + C_2|t - s|\mathbb{E}\left[2^{p-1}|U_s - U_r|^p \left(|U_s - U_r|^p + |K_s - K_r|^p\right)\right] \\ &\quad + C_3|t - s|\mathbb{E}[|U_s - U_r|^p |X_r|^p] \\ &\leq C_1|t - r|^2 + C_2|t - s|\mathbb{E}[|U_s - U_r|^{2p}] + C_3|t - s||s - r|^{p/2}\mathbb{E}[|U_s - U_r|^p] \\ &\quad + C_4|t - s|\mathbb{E}[|U_s - U_r|^p |X_r|^p] \\ &\leq C_1|t - r|^2 + C_4|t - s|\mathbb{E}[|X_r|^p \mathbb{E}_r[|U_s - U_r|^p]]. \end{aligned}$$

Following the proof of (ii), we can also get

$$\mathbb{E}_r[|U_s - U_r|^p] \leq C|s - r| \left(1 + \mathbb{E}_r \left[\sup_{r \leq u \leq s} |X_u|^p \right] \right).$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E} \left[|U_s - U_r|^p |U_t - U_s|^p \right] &\leq C_1 |t - r|^2 + C_2 |t - s| |s - r| \mathbb{E} \left[|X_r|^p \left(1 + \mathbb{E}_r \left[\sup_{r \leq u \leq s} |X_u|^p \right] \right) \right] \\ &\leq C_1 |t - r|^2 + C_2 |t - r|^2 \mathbb{E} \left[|X_r|^p \left(1 + \sup_{r \leq u \leq s} |X_u|^p \right) \right]. \end{aligned}$$

Under (A.3), we conclude that

$$\mathbb{E}[|U_s - U_r|^p |U_t - U_s|^p] \leq C|t - r|^2, \quad \forall 0 \leq r < s < t \leq T.$$

□

2.4. Density of K . Consider $\mathcal{L}$ the linear partial operator of second order described by

$$\mathcal{L}f(x) := b(x) \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f(x) + \frac{1}{2} \sigma \sigma^*(x) \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} f(x) + \int_E \left(f(x + F(x, z)) - f(x) - F(x, z) f'(x) \right) \lambda(dz), \quad (2.13)$$

for any twice continuously differentiable function f .

Proposition 3. Assume (A.1), (A.2) and (A.4). Let (X, K) be the unique deterministic flat solution to (1.2). Then the process K is Lipschitz continuous and the Stieljes measure dK has the following density

$$k : \mathbb{R}^+ \ni t \mapsto \frac{(\mathbb{E}[\mathcal{L}h(X_{t-})])^-}{\mathbb{E}[h'(X_{t-})]} \mathbf{1}_{\mathbb{E}[h(X_t)]=0}. \quad (2.14)$$

Let us admit for the moment the following result that will be useful for our proof.

Lemma 3. The functions $t \mapsto \mathbb{E}[h(X_t)]$ and $t \mapsto \mathbb{E}[\mathcal{L}h(X_t)]$ are continuous.

Lemma 4. If φ is a continuous function such that, for some $C \geq 0$ and $p \geq 1$,

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}, \quad |\varphi(x)| \leq C(1 + |x|^p),$$

then the function $t \mapsto \mathbb{E}[\varphi(X_t)]$ is continuous.

The proof of Lemma 4 is given in Appendix A.1. We may now proceed to the proof of Proposition 3.

Proof. Firstly, we prove that K is Lipschitz continuous. In order to do it, we first prove that $s \mapsto \bar{G}_0(\mu_s)$ is Lipschitz continuous on $[0, T]$. From the definition of $\bar{G}_0$, we have $H(\bar{G}_0(\mu_t), \mu_t) = 0$ and by using (2.4), if $s < t$, we get

$$\begin{aligned} |\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) - \bar{G}_0(\mu_t)| &\leq \frac{1}{m} |H(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s), \mu_t) - H(\bar{G}_0(\mu_t), \mu_t)| \\ &= \frac{1}{m} |H(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s), \mu_t)|, \\ &= \frac{1}{m} |\mathbb{E}[h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + U_t)]| \\ &= \frac{1}{m} \left| \mathbb{E} \left[h \left(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + U_s + \int_s^t b(X_{r-}) dr + \int_s^t \sigma(X_{r-}) dB_r + \int_s^t \int_E F(X_{r-}, z) \tilde{N}(dr, dz) \right) \right] \right|. \end{aligned}$$

From Itô's formula, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + U_t) &= h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + U_s) + \int_s^t b(X_{r-})h'(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + U_{r-})dr + \int_s^t \sigma(X_{r-})h'(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + U_{r-})dB_r \\ &\quad + \int_s^t \int_E F(X_{r-}, z)h'(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + U_{r-})\tilde{N}(dr, dz) + \frac{1}{2} \int_s^t \sigma^2(X_{r-})h''(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + U_{r-})dr \\ &\quad + \int_s^t \int_E m(r, z)\lambda(dz)dr + \int_s^t \int_E m(r, z)\tilde{N}(dr, dz), \end{aligned}$$

with

$$m(r, z) = \left(h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + U_{r-} + F(X_{r-}, z)) - h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + U_{r-}) - F(X_{r-}, z)h'(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + U_{r-}) \right).$$

This yields

$$\begin{aligned} h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + U_t) &= h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + U_s) + \int_s^t \bar{\mathcal{L}}_{X_{r-}} h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + U_{r-})dr + \int_s^t \sigma(X_{r-})h'(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + U_{r-})dB_r \\ &\quad + \int_s^t \int_E \left(h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + U_{r-} + F(X_{r-}, z)) - h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + U_{r-}) \right) \tilde{N}(dr, dz), \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\bar{\mathcal{L}}_y f(x) := b(y) \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f(x) + \frac{1}{2} \sigma \sigma^*(y) \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} f(x) + \int_E \left(f(x + F(y, z)) - f(x) - F(y, z) f'(x) \right) \lambda(dz).$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}[h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + U_t)] &= \mathbb{E}[h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + U_s)] + \int_s^t \mathbb{E}[\bar{\mathcal{L}}_{X_{r-}} h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + U_{r-})]dr \\ &= H(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s), \mu_s) + \int_s^t \mathbb{E}[\bar{\mathcal{L}}_{X_{r-}} h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + U_{r-})]dr \\ &= \int_s^t \mathbb{E}[\bar{\mathcal{L}}_{X_{r-}} h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + U_{r-})]dr. \end{aligned}$$

Consequently, the result immediately follows from the fact that h has bounded derivatives and $\sup_{s \leq T} |X_s|$ is a square integrable random variable for each $T > 0$ (see Proposition 1).

Finally, we deduce that K is Lipschitz continuous and so has a bounded density on $[0, T]$ for each $T > 0$ (see Proposition 2.7 in [BCdRGL16] for more details).

Secondly, let us find the density of the measure dK . For all $0 \leq s \leq t \leq T$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} X_t &= X_s + \int_s^t \left(b(X_{r-}) - \int_E F(X_{r-}, z)\lambda(dz) \right) dr + \int_s^t \sigma(X_{r-})dB_r + \int_s^t \int_E F(X_{r-}, z)N(dr, dz) \\ &\quad + K_t - K_s. \end{aligned}$$

Under (A.4) and thanks to Itô's formula we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 h(X_t) - h(X_s) &= \int_s^t b(X_{r-})h'(X_{r-})dr + \int_s^t \sigma(X_{r-})h'(X_{r-})dB_r + \int_s^t \int_E F(X_{r-}, z)h'(X_{r-})\tilde{N}(dr, dz) \\
 &\quad + \int_s^t h'(X_{r-})dK_r + \frac{1}{2} \int_s^t \sigma^2(X_{r-})h''(X_{r-})dr \\
 &\quad + \int_s^t \int_E \left(h(X_{r-} + F(X_{r-}, z)) - h(X_{r-}) - F(X_{r-}, z)h'(X_{r-}) \right) N(dr, dz) \\
 &= \int_s^t b(X_{r-})h'(X_{r-})dr + \int_s^t \sigma(X_{r-})h'(X_{r-})dB_r + \int_s^t \int_E F(X_{r-}, z)h'(X_{r-})\tilde{N}(dr, dz) \\
 &\quad + \int_s^t h'(X_{r-})dK_r + \frac{1}{2} \int_s^t \sigma^2(X_{r-})h''(X_{r-})dr \\
 &\quad + \int_s^t \int_E \left(h(X_{r-} + F(X_{r-})) - h(X_{r-}) - F(X_{r-})h'(X_{r-}) \right) \lambda(dz)dr \\
 &\quad + \int_s^t \int_E \left(h(X_{r-} + F(X_{r-}, z)) - h(X_{r-}) - F(X_{r-}, z)h'(X_{r-}) \right) \tilde{N}(dr, dz) \\
 &= \int_s^t \mathcal{L}h(X_{r-})dr + \int_s^t h'(X_{r-})dK_r + \int_s^t \sigma(X_{r-})h'(X_{r-})dB_r \\
 &\quad + \int_s^t \int_E \left(h(X_{r-} + F(X_{r-}, z)) - h(X_{r-}) \right) \tilde{N}(dr, dz),
 \end{aligned}$$

where $\mathcal{L}$ is given by (2.13). Thus, we obtain

$$\mathbb{E} \left(\int_s^t h'(X_{r-})dK_r \right) = \mathbb{E}h(X_t) - \mathbb{E}h(X_s) - \int_s^t \mathbb{E}\mathcal{L}h(X_{r-})dr. \quad (2.15)$$

As a conclusion, using (2.15), Lemma 3 and the proof of Proposition 2.7 in [BCdRGL16], we deduce that the measure dK has the following density

$$k_t = \frac{(\mathbb{E}[\mathcal{L}h(X_{t-})])^-}{\mathbb{E}[h'(X_{t-})]} \mathbf{1}_{\mathbb{E}[h(X_t)]=0}.$$

□

Proof of Lemma 3. Under Assumption (A.2), and by using Lemma 4, we obtain the continuity of the function $t \mapsto \mathbb{E}h(X_t)$.

Under the assumptions (A.1), (A.2) and (A.4), we observe that $x \mapsto \mathcal{L}h(X_t)$ is a continuous function such that, for all $x \in \mathbb{R}$, there exist constants C_1 , C_2 and $C_3 > 0$,

$$\begin{aligned}
 |b(x)h'(x)| &\leq C_1(1 + |x|), \\
 |\sigma^2(x)h''(x)| &\leq C_2(1 + |x|^2),
 \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
 \left| \int_E \left(h(x + F(x, z)) - h(x) - F(x, z)h'(x) \right) \lambda(dz) \right| &\leq C_3 \int_E |F(x, z)|\lambda(dz) \\
 &\leq C_3 \left(\int_E |F(x, z) - F(0, z)|\lambda(dz) + \int_E |F(0, z)|\lambda(dz) \right) \\
 &\leq C_3 \int_E |x|\lambda(dz) + C'_3 \\
 &\leq C_3(1 + |x|).
 \end{aligned}$$

Finally, by using Lemma 4, we conclude that $t \mapsto \mathbb{E}\mathcal{L}h(X_t)$ is continuous.

□

3. APPROXIMATION OF MEAN REFLECTED SDEs BY AN INTERACTING REFLECTED PARTICLE SYSTEM.

By using the notations presented in the beginning of Section 2, in particular equation (2.9), the unique solution of the SDE (1.2) can be derived as:

$$X_t = X_0 + \int_0^t b(X_{s-})ds + \int_0^t \sigma(X_{s-})dB_s + \int_0^t \int_E F(X_{s-}, z)\tilde{N}(ds, dz) + \sup_{s \leq t} G_0(\mu_s), \quad (3.1)$$

where μ_t stands for the law of

$$U_t = X_0 + \int_0^t b(X_{s-})ds + \int_0^t \sigma(X_{s-})dB_s + \int_0^t \int_E F(X_{s-}, z)\tilde{N}(ds, dz).$$

Let us consider the particle approximation of the above system. In order to do this, let us introduce the particles: for $1 \leq i \leq N$,

$$X_t^i = \bar{X}_0^i + \int_0^t b(X_{s-}^i)ds + \int_0^t \sigma(X_{s-}^i)dB_s^i + \int_0^t \int_E F(X_{s-}^i, z)\tilde{N}^i(ds, dz) + \sup_{s \leq t} G_0(\mu_s^N), \quad (3.2)$$

where $(B^i)_{1 \leq i \leq N}$ are independent Brownian motions, $(\tilde{N}^i)_{1 \leq i \leq N}$ are independent compensated Poisson measures, $(\bar{X}_0^i)_{1 \leq i \leq N}$ are independent copies of X_0 and μ_s^N represents the empirical distribution at time s of the particles

$$U_t^i = \bar{X}_0^i + \int_0^t b(X_{s-}^i)ds + \int_0^t \sigma(X_{s-}^i)dB_s^i + \int_0^t \int_E F(X_{s-}^i, z)\tilde{N}^i(ds, dz), \quad 1 \leq i \leq N,$$

namely $\mu_s^N = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \delta_{U_s^i}$. Note that

$$G_0(\mu_s^N) = \inf \left\{ x \geq 0 : \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N h(x + U_s^i) \geq 0 \right\},$$

$$K_t^N = \sup_{s \leq t} G_0(\mu_s^N).$$

Now, we can prove the propagation of chaos effect. In order to do it, let us introduce the following independent copies of X

$$\bar{X}_t^i = \bar{X}_0^i + \int_0^t b(\bar{X}_{s-}^i)ds + \int_0^t \sigma(\bar{X}_{s-}^i)dB_s^i + \int_0^t \int_E F(\bar{X}_{s-}^i, z)\tilde{N}^i(ds, dz) + \sup_{s \leq t} G_0(\mu_s), \quad 1 \leq i \leq N,$$

where the Brownian motions and the Poisson processes are the ones used in (3.2).

In addition, we introduce the decoupled particles $\bar{U}^i$, $1 \leq i \leq N$:

$$\bar{U}_t^i = \bar{X}_0^i + \int_0^t b(\bar{X}_{s-}^i)ds + \int_0^t \sigma(\bar{X}_{s-}^i)dB_s^i + \int_0^t \int_E F(\bar{X}_{s-}^i, z)\tilde{N}^i(ds, dz).$$

It is worth noting that the particles $(\bar{U}_t^i)_{1 \leq i \leq N}$ are i.i.d.. Furthermore, we introduce $\bar{\mu}^N$ as the empirical measure associated to this system of particles.

Remark 4. (i) Under our assumptions, we have $\mathbb{E}[h(\bar{X}_0^i)] = \mathbb{E}[h(X_0)] \geq 0$. However, there is no reason to have

$$\frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N h(\bar{X}_0^i) \geq 0,$$

even if N is large. As a consequence,

$$G_0(\mu_0^N) = \inf \left\{ x \geq 0 : \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N h(x + \bar{X}_0^i) \geq 0 \right\}$$

is not necessarily equal to 0. As a byproduct, we have $X_0^i = \bar{X}_0^i + G_0(\mu_0^N)$ and the non decreasing process $\sup_{s \leq t} G_0(\mu_s^N)$ is not equal to 0 at time $t = 0$. Written in this way, the particles defined by (3.2) can not be interpreted as the solution of a reflected SDE. To view the particles as the solution of a reflected SDE, instead of (3.2) one has to solve

$$\begin{aligned} X_t^i &= \bar{X}_0^i + G_0(\mu_0^N) + \int_0^t b(X_{s-}^i) ds + \int_0^t \sigma(X_{s-}^i) dB_s^i + \int_0^t \int_E F(X_{s-}^i, z) \tilde{N}^i(ds, dz) + K_t^N, \\ \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N h(X_t^i) &\geq 0, \quad \int_0^t \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N h(X_t^i) dK_s^N = 0, \end{aligned}$$

with K^N non decreasing and $K_0^N = 0$. Since, we do not use this point in the sequel, we will work with the form (3.2).

- (ii) Following the proof of Theorem 1, it is easy to demonstrate existence and uniqueness of a solution for the particle approximated system (3.2).

We have the following result concerning the approximation (1.2) by interacting particle system.

Theorem 2. Let $T > 0$ and assume that (A.1) and (A.2) hold.

- (i) Under Assumption (A.3), there exists a constant C depending on b , σ and F such that, for each $j \in \{1, \dots, N\}$,

$$\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq T} |X_s^j - \bar{X}_s^j|^2 \right] \leq C \exp \left(C \left(1 + \frac{M^2}{m^2} \right) (1 + T^2) \right) \frac{M^2}{m^2} N^{-1/2}.$$

- (ii) Under Assumption (A.4), there exists a constant C depending on b , σ and F such that, for each $j \in \{1, \dots, N\}$,

$$\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq T} |X_s^j - \bar{X}_s^j|^2 \right] \leq C \exp \left(C \left(1 + \frac{M^2}{m^2} \right) (1 + T^2) \right) \frac{1 + T^2}{m^2} \left(1 + \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq T} |X_T|^2 \right] \right) N^{-1}.$$

Proof. Let $t > 0$. We have, for $r \leq t$,

$$\begin{aligned} |X_r^j - \bar{X}_r^j| &\leq \left| \int_0^r b(X_{s-}^j) - b(\bar{X}_{s-}^j) ds \right| + \left| \int_0^r \left(\sigma(X_{s-}^j) - \sigma(\bar{X}_{s-}^j) \right) dB_s^j \right| \\ &\quad + \left| \int_0^r \int_E \left(F(X_{s-}^j, z) - F(\bar{X}_{s-}^j, z) \right) \tilde{N}^j(ds, dz) \right| + \left| \sup_{s \leq r} G_0(\mu_s^N) - \sup_{s \leq r} G_0(\mu_s) \right|. \end{aligned}$$

Due to the following inequality

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \sup_{s \leq r} G_0(\mu_s^N) - \sup_{s \leq r} G_0(\mu_s) \right| &\leq \sup_{s \leq r} |G_0(\mu_s^N) - G_0(\mu_s)| \leq \sup_{s \leq t} |G_0(\mu_s^N) - G_0(\mu_s)| \\ &\leq \sup_{s \leq t} |G_0(\mu_s^N) - G_0(\bar{\mu}_s^N)| + \sup_{s \leq t} |G_0(\bar{\mu}_s^N) - G_0(\mu_s)|, \end{aligned}$$

we obtain

$$\sup_{r \leq t} |X_r^j - \bar{X}_r^j| \leq I_1 + \sup_{s \leq t} |G_0(\mu_s^N) - G_0(\bar{\mu}_s^N)| + \sup_{s \leq t} |G_0(\bar{\mu}_s^N) - G_0(\mu_s)|, \quad (3.3)$$

where I_1 is defined by

$$I_1 = \int_0^t |b(X_{s-}^j) - b(\bar{X}_{s-}^j)| ds + \sup_{r \leq t} \left| \int_0^r \left(\sigma(X_{s-}^j) - \sigma(\bar{X}_{s-}^j) \right) dB_s^i \right| \\ + \sup_{r \leq t} \left| \int_0^r \int_E \left(F(X_{s-}^j, z) - F(\bar{X}_{s-}^j, z) \right) \tilde{N}^j(ds, dz) \right|.$$

Firstly, due to Assumption (A.1), Doob and Cauchy-Schwartz inequalities, we have

$$\mathbb{E}[|I_1|^2] \leq C \left\{ \mathbb{E} \left[t \int_0^t |b(X_{s-}^j) - b(\bar{X}_{s-}^j)|^2 ds \right] + \mathbb{E} \left[\int_0^t \left| \sigma(X_{s-}^j) - \sigma(\bar{X}_{s-}^j) \right|^2 ds \right] \right. \\ \left. + \mathbb{E} \left[\int_0^t \int_E \left| F(X_{s-}^j, z) - F(\bar{X}_{s-}^j, z) \right|^2 \lambda(dz) ds \right] \right\} \\ \leq C \left\{ t C_1 \int_0^t \mathbb{E} \left[|X_s^j - \bar{X}_s^j|^2 \right] ds + C_1 \int_0^t \mathbb{E} \left[|X_s^j - \bar{X}_s^j|^2 \right] ds \right. \\ \left. + C_1 \int_0^t \mathbb{E} \left[|X_s^j - \bar{X}_s^j|^2 \right] ds \right\} \\ \leq C(1+t) \int_0^t \mathbb{E} \left[|X_s^j - \bar{X}_s^j|^2 \right] ds.$$

where C is a constant that depends only on b , σ and F . Note that C can change from line to line.

Secondly, in view of Lemma 2,

$$\sup_{s \leq t} |G_0(\mu_s^N) - G_0(\bar{\mu}_s^N)| \leq \frac{M}{m} \sup_{s \leq t} \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N |U_s^i - \bar{U}_s^i| \leq \frac{M}{m} \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \sup_{s \leq t} |U_s^i - \bar{U}_s^i|.$$

Moreover, taking into account that the variables are exchangeable, Cauchy-Schwartz inequality implies

$$\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |G_0(\mu_s^N) - G_0(\bar{\mu}_s^N)|^2 \right] \leq \frac{M^2}{m^2} \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |U_s^i - \bar{U}_s^i|^2 \right] = \frac{M^2}{m^2} \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |U_s^j - \bar{U}_s^j|^2 \right].$$

Since

$$U_s^j - \bar{U}_s^j = \int_0^s (b(X_{r-}^j) - b(\bar{X}_{r-}^j)) dr + \int_0^s (\sigma(X_{r-}^j) - \sigma(\bar{X}_{r-}^j)) dB_r^j + \int_0^s \int_E (F(X_{r-}^j, z) - F(\bar{X}_{r-}^j, z)) \tilde{N}^j(dr, dz)$$

and following the previous computations, we get

$$\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |G_0(\mu_s^N) - G_0(\bar{\mu}_s^N)|^2 \right] \leq C \frac{M^2}{m^2} (1+t) \int_0^t \mathbb{E} \left[|X_s^j - \bar{X}_s^j|^2 \right] ds.$$

Consequently, combining the previous estimations with equation (3.3) gives

$$\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{r \leq t} |X_r^j - \bar{X}_r^j|^2 \right] \leq K \int_0^t \mathbb{E} \left[|X_s^j - \bar{X}_s^j|^2 \right] ds + 4 \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |G_0(\bar{\mu}_s^N) - G_0(\mu_s)|^2 \right] \\ \leq K \int_0^t \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{r \leq s} |X_r^j - \bar{X}_r^j|^2 \right] ds + 4 \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |G_0(\bar{\mu}_s^N) - G_0(\mu_s)|^2 \right],$$

where $K = C(1+t)(1+M^2/m^2)$. According to Gronwall's Lemma, we get

$$\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{r \leq t} |X_r^j - \bar{X}_r^j|^2 \right] \leq C e^{Kt} \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |G_0(\bar{\mu}_s^N) - G_0(\mu_s)|^2 \right].$$

In view of Lemma 2, we have

$$\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |G_0(\bar{\mu}_s^N) - G_0(\mu_s)|^2 \right] \leq \frac{1}{m^2} \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} \left| \int h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + \cdot)(d\bar{\mu}_s^N - d\mu_s) \right|^2 \right],$$

which leads to

$$\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{r \leq t} |X_r^j - \bar{X}_r^j|^2 \right] \leq Ce^{Kt} \frac{1}{m^2} \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} \left| \int h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + \cdot)(d\bar{\mu}_s^N - d\mu_s) \right|^2 \right]. \quad (3.4)$$

Proof of (i). Since h is at least a Lipschitz function, the rate of convergence will be given by the convergence of empirical measure of i.i.d. diffusion processes. As we consider a uniform convergence in time, getting the usual rate of convergence is not straightforward. If we only suppose that (A.2) holds, we obtain that:

$$\frac{1}{m^2} \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} \left| \int h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + \cdot)(d\bar{\mu}_s^N - d\mu_s) \right|^2 \right] \leq \frac{M^2}{m^2} \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} W_1^2(\bar{\mu}_s^N, \mu_s) \right].$$

According to the additional Assumption (A.3), and in view of ([BCdRGL16], Theorem 3.2, Proof of (i)), we have

$$\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq 1} W_1^2(\bar{\mu}_s^N, \mu_s) \right] \leq CN^{-1/2}.$$

Proof of (ii). Under Assumption (A.4), we can get rid of the supremum in time by using the sharp estimate

$$\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} \left| \int h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + \cdot)(d\bar{\mu}_s^N - d\mu_s) \right|^2 \right]. \quad (3.5)$$

According to Proposition 3, let ψ be the Radon-Nikodym derivative of $\bar{G}_0(\mu)$. Since $(\bar{U}^i)_{1 \leq i \leq N}$ are independent copies of U , we have

$$\begin{aligned} R_N(s) &:= \int h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + \cdot)(d\bar{\mu}_s^N - d\mu_s) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + \bar{U}_s^i) - \mathbb{E}[h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + U_s)] \\ &= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \{h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + \bar{U}_s^i) - \mathbb{E}[h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + \bar{U}_s^i)]\} \\ &= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \{h(V_s^i) - \mathbb{E}[h(V_s^i)]\}, \end{aligned}$$

where V^i is the semi-martingale $s \mapsto \bar{G}_0(\mu_s) + \bar{U}_s^i$.

It follows from Itô's formula

$$\begin{aligned}
h(V_s^i) &= h(V_0^i) + \int_0^s h'(V_{r-}^i) d\bar{G}_0(\mu_r) + \int_0^s b(\bar{X}_{r-}^i) h'(V_{r-}^i) dr + \int_0^s \sigma(\bar{X}_{r-}^i) h'(V_{r-}^i) dB_r^i \\
&\quad + \int_0^s \int_E F(\bar{X}_{r-}^i, z) h'(V_{r-}^i) \tilde{N}^i(dr, dz) + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^s \sigma^2(\bar{X}_{r-}^i) h''(V_{r-}^i) dr \\
&\quad + \int_0^s \int_E \left(h(V_{r-}^i + F(\bar{X}_{r-}^i, z)) - h(V_{r-}^i) - F(\bar{X}_{r-}^i, z) h'(V_{r-}^i) \right) \lambda(dz) dr \\
&\quad + \int_0^s \int_E \left(h(V_{r-}^i + F(\bar{X}_{r-}^i, z)) - h(V_{r-}^i) - F(\bar{X}_{r-}^i, z) h'(V_{r-}^i) \right) \tilde{N}^i(dr, dz) \\
&= h(V_0^i) + \int_0^s h'(V_{r-}^i) \psi_r dr + \int_0^s b(\bar{X}_{r-}^i) h'(V_{r-}^i) dr + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^s \sigma^2(\bar{X}_{r-}^i) h''(V_{r-}^i) dr \\
&\quad + \int_0^s \int_E \left(h(V_{r-}^i + F(\bar{X}_{r-}^i, z)) - h(V_{r-}^i) - F(\bar{X}_{r-}^i, z) h'(V_{r-}^i) \right) \lambda(dz) dr \\
&\quad + \int_0^s \sigma(\bar{X}_{r-}^i) h'(V_{r-}^i) dB_r^i + \int_0^s \int_E \left(h(V_{r-}^i + F(\bar{X}_{r-}^i, z)) - h(V_{r-}^i) \right) \tilde{N}^i(dr, dz) \\
&= h(V_0^i) + \int_0^s h'(V_{r-}^i) \psi_r dr + \int_0^s \bar{\mathcal{L}}_{\bar{X}_{r-}^i} h(V_{r-}^i) dr + \int_0^s h'(V_{r-}^i) \sigma(\bar{X}_{r-}^i) dB_r^i \\
&\quad + \int_0^s \int_E \left(h(V_{r-}^i + F(\bar{X}_{r-}^i, z)) - h(V_{r-}^i) \right) \tilde{N}^i(dr, dz) \\
&= h(V_0^i) + \int_0^s \{ h'(V_{r-}^i) \psi_r + \bar{\mathcal{L}}_{\bar{X}_{r-}^i} h(V_{r-}^i) \} dr + \int_0^s h'(V_{r-}^i) \sigma(\bar{X}_{r-}^i) dB_r^i \\
&\quad + \int_0^s \int_E \left(h(V_{r-}^i + F(\bar{X}_{r-}^i, z)) - h(V_{r-}^i) \right) \tilde{N}^i(dr, dz),
\end{aligned}$$

Taking expectation gives

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbb{E}[h(V_s^i)] &= \mathbb{E}[h(V_0^i)] + \int_0^s \mathbb{E}[h'(V_{r-}^i) \psi_r + \bar{\mathcal{L}}_{\bar{X}_{r-}^i} h(V_{r-}^i)] dr \\
&= H(\bar{G}_0(\mu_0), \mu_0) + \int_0^s \mathbb{E}[h'(V_{r-}^i) \psi_r + \bar{\mathcal{L}}_{\bar{X}_{r-}^i} h(V_{r-}^i)] dr \\
&= 0 + \int_0^s \mathbb{E}[h'(V_{r-}^i) \psi_r + \bar{\mathcal{L}}_{\bar{X}_{r-}^i} h(V_{r-}^i)] dr.
\end{aligned}$$

Immediately, we deduce that

$$\begin{aligned}
R_N(s) &= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N h(V_0^i) + \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \int_0^s C^i(r) dr + M_N(s) + L_N(s) \\
&= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N h(V_0^i) + \int_0^s \left(\frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N C^i(r) \right) dr + M_N(s) + L_N(s),
\end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
C^i(r) &= h'(V_{r-}^i) \psi_r + \bar{\mathcal{L}}_{\bar{X}_{r-}^i} h(V_{r-}^i) - \mathbb{E}[h'(V_{r-}^i) \psi_r + \bar{\mathcal{L}}_{\bar{X}_{r-}^i} h(V_{r-}^i)], \\
M_N(s) &= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \int_0^s h'(V_{r-}^i) \sigma(\bar{X}_{r-}^i) dB_r^i, \\
L_N(s) &= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \int_0^s \int_E \left(h(V_{r-}^i + F(\bar{X}_{r-}^i, z)) - h(V_{r-}^i) \right) \tilde{N}^i(dr, dz).
\end{aligned}$$

Then,

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_{s \leq t} |R_N(s)| &\leq \left| \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N h(V_0^i) \right| + \sup_{s \leq t} \int_0^s \left| \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N C^i(r) \right| dr + \sup_{s \leq t} |M_N(s)| + \sup_{s \leq t} |L_N(s)| \\ &\leq \left| \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N h(V_0^i) \right| + \int_0^t \left| \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N C^i(r) \right| dr + \sup_{s \leq t} |M_N(s)| + \sup_{s \leq t} |L_N(s)|. \end{aligned}$$

Since $(U^i)_{1 \leq i \leq N}$ and $(\bar{X}^i)_{1 \leq i \leq N}$ are i.i.d and by using Cauchy-Schwartz inequality, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |R_N(s)|^2 \right] &\leq 4 \left\{ \mathbb{V} \left[\frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N h(V_0^i) \right] + \mathbb{E} \left[\left(\int_0^t \left| \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N C^i(r) \right| dr \right)^2 \right] \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |M_N(s)|^2 \right] + \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |L_N(s)|^2 \right] \right\} \\ &\leq 4 \left\{ \mathbb{V} \left[\frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N h(V_0^i) \right] + t \mathbb{E} \left[\int_0^t \left| \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N C^i(r) \right|^2 dr \right] \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |M_N(s)|^2 \right] + \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |L_N(s)|^2 \right] \right\} \\ &= 4 \left\{ \mathbb{V} \left[\frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N h(V_0^i) \right] + t \int_0^t \mathbb{V} \left(\frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N C^i(r) \right) dr \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |M_N(s)|^2 \right] + \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |L_N(s)|^2 \right] \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |R_N(s)|^2 \right] &\leq \frac{4}{N} \mathbb{V}[h(V_0)] + \frac{4t}{N} \int_0^t \mathbb{V}(C(r)) dr + 4\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |M_N(s)|^2 \right] + 4\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |L_N(s)|^2 \right] \\ &= \frac{4}{N} \mathbb{V}[h(V_0)] + \frac{4t}{N} \int_0^t \mathbb{V}(h'(V_{r-}) \psi_r + \bar{\mathcal{L}}_{X_{r-}} h(V_{r-})) dr \\ &\quad + 4\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |M_N(s)|^2 \right] + 4\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |L_N(s)|^2 \right]. \end{aligned}$$

Since M_N is a martingale with

$$\langle M_N \rangle_t = \frac{1}{N^2} \sum_{i=1}^N \int_0^t (h'(V_{r-}^i) \sigma(\bar{X}_{r-}^i))^2 dr,$$

Doob's inequality leads to

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |M_N(s)|^2 \right] &\leq 4\mathbb{E} [|M_N(t)|^2] \\ &= \frac{4}{N^2} \sum_{i=1}^N \int_0^t \mathbb{E} \left[(h'(V_{r-}^i) \sigma(\bar{X}_{r-}^i))^2 \right] dr \\ &= \frac{4}{N} \int_0^t \mathbb{E} \left[(h'(V_{r-}) \sigma(X_{r-}))^2 \right] dr. \end{aligned}$$

Then, using Doob inequality for the martingale L_N , we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |L_N(s)|^2 \right] &\leq 4\mathbb{E} [|L_N(t)|^2] \\
&= \frac{4}{N^2} \sum_{i=1}^N \mathbb{E} \left[\left(\int_0^t \int_E \left(h(V_{r-}^i + F(\bar{X}_{r-}^i, z)) - h(V_{r-}^i) \right) \tilde{N}^i(dr, dz) \right)^2 \right] \\
&\quad + \frac{8}{N^2} \sum_{1 \leq i < j \leq N} \mathbb{E} \left[\int_0^t \int_E \left(h(V_{r-}^i + F(\bar{X}_{r-}^i, z)) - h(V_{r-}^i) \right) \tilde{N}^i(dr, dz) \right. \\
&\quad \left. \int_0^t \int_E \left(h(V_{r-}^j + F(\bar{X}_{r-}^j, z)) - h(V_{r-}^j) \right) \tilde{N}^j(dr, dz) \right] \\
&= \frac{4}{N^2} \sum_{i=1}^N \int_0^t \int_E \mathbb{E} \left[\left(h(V_{r-}^i + F(\bar{X}_{r-}^i, z)) - h(V_{r-}^i) \right)^2 \right] \lambda(dz) dr \\
&= \frac{4}{N} \int_0^t \int_E \mathbb{E} \left[\left(h(V_{r-}^i + F(\bar{X}_{r-}^i, z)) - h(V_{r-}^i) \right)^2 \right] \lambda(dz) dr.
\end{aligned}$$

Finally, using the fact that h has bounded derivatives, b , σ and F are Lipschitz, we get

$$\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |R_N(s)|^2 \right] \leq C(1+t^2) \left(1 + \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |X_s|^2 \right] \right) N^{-1}.$$

This gives the result coming back to (3.4).

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4. NUMERICAL APPROXIMATION AND ITS PERFORMANCE FOR MRSDE.

In this section, the numerical approximation of the SDE (1.2) on $[0, T]$ is studied. Let $0 = T_0 < T_1 < \dots < T_n = T$ be a subdivision of $[0, T]$ and define "—" the mapping $s \mapsto \underline{s} = T_k$ if $s \in [T_k, T_{k+1})$, $k \in \{0, \dots, n-1\}$. Let us consider the case of regular subdivisions: for a given integer n , $T_k = kT/n$, $k = 0, \dots, n$.

According to the previous section, we have shown that the particle system, for $1 \leq i \leq N$,

$$X_t^i = \bar{X}_0^i + \int_0^t b(X_{s-}^i) ds + \int_0^t \sigma(X_{s-}^i) dB_s^i + \int_0^t \int_E F(X_{s-}^i, z) \tilde{N}^i(ds, dz) + \sup_{s \leq t} G_0(\mu_s^N),$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
\mu_t^N &= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \delta_{U_t^i}, \\
U_t^i &= \bar{X}_0^i + \int_0^t b(X_{s-}^i) ds + \int_0^t \sigma(X_{s-}^i) dB_s^i + \int_0^t \int_E F(X_{s-}^i, z) \tilde{N}^i(ds, dz), \quad 1 \leq i \leq N,
\end{aligned}$$

B^i being independent Brownian motions, N^i being independent Poisson processes and $\bar{X}_0^i$ being independent copies of X_0 , converges to the solution of (1.2). Hence, to determine the numerical approximation, we apply an Euler scheme to this particle system. The discrete version of the particle system is: for $1 \leq i \leq N$,

$$\tilde{X}_t^i = \bar{X}_0^i + \int_0^t b(\tilde{X}_{\underline{s}-}^i) ds + \int_0^t \sigma(\tilde{X}_{\underline{s}-}^i) dB_s^i + \int_0^t \int_E F(\tilde{X}_{\underline{s}-}^i, z) \tilde{N}^i(ds, dz) + \sup_{s \leq t} G_0(\tilde{\mu}_{\underline{s}}^N),$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}\tilde{\mu}_t^N &= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \delta_{\tilde{U}_t^i}, \\ \tilde{U}_t^i &= \bar{X}_0^i + \int_0^t b(\tilde{X}_{s-}^i) ds + \int_0^t \sigma(\tilde{X}_{s-}^i) dB_s^i + \int_0^t \int_E F(\tilde{X}_{s-}^i, z) \tilde{N}^i(ds, dz), \quad 1 \leq i \leq N.\end{aligned}$$

4.1. Scheme. In view of the above notations and taking into account the result on the interacting system of mean reflected particles of the MR-SDE of Section 3 and Remark 1, we deduce the following algorithm for the numerical approximation of the MR-SDE.

Remark 5. *It should be pointed out that, at each step k of the algorithm, the increment of the reflection process K is approximated by the increment of the following approximation:*

$$\Delta_k \hat{K}^N := \sup_{l \leq k} G_0(\tilde{\mu}_{T_l}^N) - \sup_{l \leq k-1} G_0(\tilde{\mu}_{T_l}^N). \quad (4.1)$$

First, we consider the special case when the SDE is defined by

$$\begin{cases} X_t = X_0 + \int_0^t b(X_{s-}) ds + \int_0^t \sigma(X_{s-}) dB_s + \int_0^t F(X_{s-}) d\tilde{N}_s + K_t, & t \geq 0, \\ \mathbb{E}[h(X_t)] \geq 0, \quad \int_0^t \mathbb{E}[h(X_s)] dK_s = 0, & t \geq 0. \end{cases}$$

where N is a Poisson process with intensity λ , and $\tilde{N}_t = N_t - \lambda t$. According to Remark 1, the increment (4.1) can be estimated by:

$$\begin{aligned}\widehat{\Delta_k K}^N &:= \\ \inf \left\{ x \geq 0 : \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N h \left(x + \left(\tilde{X}_{T_{k-1}}^{\tilde{\mu}^N} \right)^i + \frac{T}{n} \left(b \left(\left(\tilde{X}_{T_{k-1}}^{\tilde{\mu}^N} \right)^i \right) - \lambda F \left(\left(\tilde{X}_{T_{k-1}}^{\tilde{\mu}^N} \right)^j \right) + \frac{\sqrt{T}}{\sqrt{n}} \sigma \left(\left(\tilde{X}_{T_{k-1}}^{\tilde{\mu}^N} \right)^i \right) G^i \right. \right. \\ &\quad \left. \left. + F \left(\left(\tilde{X}_{T_{k-1}}^{\tilde{\mu}^N} \right)^i \right) H^i \right) \geq 0 \right\},\end{aligned}$$

where $G^j \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$ and $H^j \sim \mathcal{P}(\lambda(T/n))$ and are i.i.d..

In addition, similar procedures as in the proof of Theorem 1 can be used to verify that the increments of the approximated reflection process are equal to the approximation of the increments:

$$\forall k \in \{1, \dots, n\} : \widehat{\Delta_k K}^N = \Delta_k \hat{K}^N.$$

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1: for  $1 \leq j \leq N$  do
2:    $\left( \left( \tilde{X}_0^{\tilde{\mu}^N} \right)^j, \left( \tilde{U}_0^{\tilde{\mu}^N} \right)^j, \hat{\mu}_0^N \right) = (x, x, \delta_x)$ 
3: end for
4: for  $1 \leq k \leq n$  do
5:   for  $1 \leq j \leq N$  do
6:      $G^j \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$ 
7:      $H^j \sim \mathcal{P}(\lambda(T/n))$ 
8:      $\left( \tilde{U}_{T_k}^{\tilde{\mu}^N} \right)^j = \left( \tilde{U}_{T_{k-1}}^{\tilde{\mu}^N} \right)^j + (T/n) \left( b \left( \left( \tilde{X}_{T_{k-1}}^{\tilde{\mu}^N} \right)^j \right) - \lambda F \left( \left( \tilde{X}_{T_{k-1}}^{\tilde{\mu}^N} \right)^j \right) \right)$ 
9:        $+ \sqrt{(T/n)} \sigma \left( \left( \tilde{X}_{T_{k-1}}^{\tilde{\mu}^N} \right)^j \right) G^j + F \left( \left( \tilde{X}_{T_{k-1}}^{\tilde{\mu}^N} \right)^j \right) H^j$ 
10:   end for
11:    $\tilde{\mu}_{T_k}^N = N^{-1} \sum_{j=1}^N \delta_{(\tilde{U}_{T_k}^{\tilde{\mu}^N})^j}$ 
12:    $\Delta_k \hat{K}^N = \sup_{l \leq k} G_0(\tilde{\mu}_{T_l}^N) - \sup_{l \leq k-1} G_0(\tilde{\mu}_{T_l}^N)$ 
13:   for  $1 \leq j \leq N$  do
14:      $\left( \tilde{X}_{T_k}^{\tilde{\mu}^N} \right)^j = \left( \tilde{X}_{T_{k-1}}^{\tilde{\mu}^N} \right)^j + (T/n) \left( b \left( \left( \tilde{X}_{T_{k-1}}^{\tilde{\mu}^N} \right)^j \right) - \lambda F \left( \left( \tilde{X}_{T_{k-1}}^{\tilde{\mu}^N} \right)^j \right) \right)$ 
15:        $+ \sqrt{(T/n)} \sigma \left( \left( \tilde{X}_{T_{k-1}}^{\tilde{\mu}^N} \right)^j \right) G^j + F \left( \left( \tilde{X}_{T_{k-1}}^{\tilde{\mu}^N} \right)^j \right) H^j + \Delta_k \hat{K}^N$ 
16:   end for
17: end for

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Returning to the general case (1.2), we can see in [YS12], $N = \{N(t) := N(E \times [0, t])\}$ is a stochastic process with intensity λ that counts the number of jumps until some given time. The Poisson random measure $N(dz, dt)$ generates a sequence of pairs $\{(\iota_i, \xi_i), i \in \{1, 2, \dots, N(T)\}\}$ for a given finite positive constant T if $\lambda < \infty$. Here $\{\iota_i, i \in \{1, 2, \dots, N(T)\}\}$ is a sequence of increasing nonnegative random variables representing the jump times of a standard Poisson process with intensity λ , and $\{\xi_i, i \in \{1, 2, \dots, N(T)\}\}$ is a sequence of independent identically distributed random variables, where ξ_i is distributed according to $f(z)$, where $\lambda(dz)dt = \lambda f(z)dzdt$. Then, the numerical approximation can equivalently be written in the following form

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{X}_{T_k}^j &= \bar{X}_{T_{k-1}}^j + \frac{T}{n} \left(b(\bar{X}_{T_{k-1}}^j) - \int_E \lambda F(\bar{X}_{T_{k-1}}^j, z) f(z) dz \right) + \sqrt{\frac{T}{n}} \sigma(\bar{X}_{T_{k-1}}^j) G^j \\ &+ \sum_{i=H_{T_{k-1}}^j+1}^{H_{T_k}^j} F(\bar{X}_{T_{k-1}}^j, \xi_i) + \Delta_k \hat{K}^N, \end{aligned}$$

$$\Delta_k \hat{K}^N = \widehat{\Delta_k K}^N =$$

$$\inf \left\{ x \geq 0 : \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N h \left(x + \bar{X}_{T_{k-1}}^j + \frac{T}{n} \left(b(\bar{X}_{T_{k-1}}^j) - \int_E \lambda F(\bar{X}_{T_{k-1}}^j, z) f(z) dz \right) + \sqrt{\frac{T}{n}} \sigma(\bar{X}_{T_{k-1}}^j) G^j \right. \right. \\ \left. \left. + \sum_{i=H_{T_{k-1}}^j+1}^{H_{T_k}^j} F(\bar{X}_{T_{k-1}}^j, \xi_i) \right) \geq 0 \right\},$$

where $G^j \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$ and $H^j \sim \mathcal{P}(\lambda(T/n))$ and are i.i.d..

4.2. Scheme error.

Proposition 4. (i) Let $T > 0$, N and n be two non-negative integers and let Assumptions (A.1), (A.2) and (A.3) hold. There exists a constant C , depending on T , b , σ , F , h and X_0 but independent of N , such that: for all $i = 1, \dots, N$

$$\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |X_s^i - \tilde{X}_s^i|^2 \right] \leq C \left(n^{-1} + N^{-1/2} \right).$$

(ii) Moreover, if Assumption (A.4) is in force, there exists a constant C , depending on T , b , σ , F , h and X_0 but independent of N , such that: for all $i = 1, \dots, N$

$$\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |X_s^i - \tilde{X}_s^i|^2 \right] \leq C \left(n^{-1} + N^{-1} \right).$$

Proof. Let us fix $i \in 1, \dots, N$ and $T > 0$. We have, for $t \leq T$,

$$\begin{aligned} |X_s^i - \tilde{X}_s^i| &\leq \left| \int_0^s b(X_{r-}^i) - b(\tilde{X}_{r-}^i) dr \right| + \left| \int_0^s \left(\sigma(X_{r-}^i) - \sigma(\tilde{X}_{r-}^i) \right) dB_r^i \right| \\ &\quad + \left| \int_0^s \int_E \left(F(X_{r-}^i, z) - F(\tilde{X}_{r-}^i, z) \right) \tilde{N}^i(dr, dz) \right| + \sup_{r \leq s} |G_0(\mu_r^N) - G_0(\tilde{\mu}_r^N)|. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, using Assumption (A.1), Cauchy-Schwartz, Doob and BDG inequalities gives

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |X_s^i - \tilde{X}_s^i|^2 \right] &\leq 4\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} \left\{ \left| \int_0^s \left(b(X_{r-}^i) - b(\tilde{X}_{r-}^i) \right) dr \right|^2 + \left| \int_0^s \left(\sigma(X_{r-}^i) - \sigma(\tilde{X}_{r-}^i) \right) dB_r^i \right|^2 \right. \right. \\ &\quad \left. \left. + \left| \int_0^s \int_E \left(F(X_{r-}^i, z) - F(\tilde{X}_{r-}^i, z) \right) \tilde{N}^i(dr, dz) \right|^2 + \sup_{r \leq s} |G_0(\mu_r^N) - G_0(\tilde{\mu}_r^N)|^2 \right\} \right] \\ &\leq C \left\{ \mathbb{E} \left[t \int_0^t |b(X_{s-}^i) - b(\tilde{X}_{s-}^i)|^2 ds \right] + \mathbb{E} \left[\int_0^t |\sigma(X_{s-}^i) - \sigma(\tilde{X}_{s-}^i)|^2 ds \right] \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \mathbb{E} \left[\int_0^t \int_E |F(X_{s-}^i, z) - F(\tilde{X}_{s-}^i, z)|^2 \lambda(dz) ds \right] + \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |G_0(\mu_s^N) - G_0(\tilde{\mu}_s^N)|^2 \right] \right\} \\ &\leq C \left\{ TC_1 \int_0^t \mathbb{E} [|X_s^i - \tilde{X}_s^i|^2] ds + C_1 \int_0^t \mathbb{E} [|X_s^i - \tilde{X}_s^i|^2] ds \right. \\ &\quad \left. + C_1 \int_0^t \mathbb{E} [|X_s^i - \tilde{X}_s^i|^2] ds + \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |G_0(\mu_s^N) - G_0(\tilde{\mu}_s^N)|^2 \right] \right\} \\ &\leq C \int_0^t \mathbb{E} [|X_s^i - \tilde{X}_s^i|^2] ds + 4\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |G_0(\mu_s^N) - G_0(\tilde{\mu}_s^N)|^2 \right]. \end{aligned} \tag{4.2}$$

Denoting by $(\mu_t^i)_{0 \leq t \leq T}$ the family of marginal laws of $(U_t^i)_{0 \leq t \leq T}$ and $(\tilde{\mu}_t^i)_{0 \leq t \leq T}$ the family of marginal laws of $(\tilde{U}_t^i)_{0 \leq t \leq T}$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |G_0(\mu_s^N) - G_0(\tilde{\mu}_s^N)|^2 \right] &\leq 3 \left\{ \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |G_0(\mu_s^N) - G_0(\mu_s^i)|^2 \right] + \sup_{s \leq t} |G_0(\mu_s^i) - G_0(\tilde{\mu}_s^i)|^2 \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |G_0(\tilde{\mu}_s^i) - G_0(\tilde{\mu}_s^N)|^2 \right] \right\}, \end{aligned}$$

and from Lemma 2,

$$\begin{aligned}
&\leq 3 \left\{ \frac{1}{m^2} \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} \left| \int h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s^i) + \cdot)(d\mu_s^N - d\mu_s^i) \right|^2 \right] + \left(\frac{M}{m} \right)^2 \sup_{s \leq t} W_1^2(\mu_s^i, \tilde{\mu}_s^i) \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \frac{1}{m^2} \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} \left| \int h(\bar{G}_0(\tilde{\mu}_s^i) + \cdot)(d\tilde{\mu}_s^N - d\tilde{\mu}_s^i) \right|^2 \right] \right\} \\
&\leq C \left\{ \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} \left| \int h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s^i) + \cdot)(d\mu_s^N - d\mu_s^i) \right|^2 \right] + \sup_{s \leq t} \mathbb{E} \left[\left| U_s^i - \tilde{U}_s^i \right|^2 \right] \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} \left| \int h(\bar{G}_0(\tilde{\mu}_s^i) + \cdot)(d\tilde{\mu}_s^N - d\tilde{\mu}_s^i) \right|^2 \right] \right\}.
\end{aligned}$$

Proof of (i). Following the Proof of (i) in Theorem 2, we obtain

$$\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} \left| \int h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s^i) + \cdot)(d\mu_s^N - d\mu_s^i) \right|^2 \right] \leq C \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} W_1^2(\mu_s^N, \mu_s^i) \right] \leq CN^{-1/2},$$

$$\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} \left| \int h(\bar{G}_0(\tilde{\mu}_s^i) + \cdot)(d\tilde{\mu}_s^N - d\tilde{\mu}_s^i) \right|^2 \right] \leq C \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} W_1^2(\tilde{\mu}_s^i, \tilde{\mu}_s^N) \right] \leq CN^{-1/2}.$$

From which we can derive the inequality

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |G_0(\mu_s^N) - G_0(\tilde{\mu}_s^N)|^2 \right] &\leq C_1 \sup_{s \leq t} \mathbb{E} \left[\left| U_s^i - \tilde{U}_s^i \right|^2 \right] + C_2 N^{-1/2} \\
&\leq C_1 \left\{ \sup_{s \leq t} \mathbb{E} \left[\left| U_s^i - \tilde{U}_s^i \right|^2 \right] + \sup_{s \leq t} \mathbb{E} \left[\left| \tilde{U}_s^i - \tilde{U}_s^i \right|^2 \right] \right\} + C_2 N^{-1/2}.
\end{aligned}$$

For the first term of the right hand side, we can observe that

$$\begin{aligned}
\sup_{s \leq t} \mathbb{E} \left[\left| U_s^i - \tilde{U}_s^i \right|^2 \right] &\leq \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} \left| U_s^i - \tilde{U}_s^i \right|^2 \right] \\
&\leq 3 \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} \left\{ \left| \int_0^s \left(b(X_{r-}^i) - b(\tilde{X}_{r-}^i) \right) dr \right|^2 + \left| \int_0^s \left(\sigma(X_{r-}^i) - \sigma(\tilde{X}_{r-}^i) \right) dB_r^i \right|^2 \right. \right. \\
&\quad \left. \left. + \left| \int_0^s \int_E \left(F(X_{r-}^i, z) - F(\tilde{X}_{r-}^i, z) \right) \tilde{N}^i(dr, dz) \right|^2 \right\} \right] \\
&\leq C \left\{ \mathbb{E} \left[t \int_0^t \left| b(X_{s-}^i) - b(\tilde{X}_{s-}^i) \right|^2 ds \right] + \mathbb{E} \left[\int_0^t \left| \sigma(X_{s-}^i) - \sigma(\tilde{X}_{s-}^i) \right|^2 ds \right] \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \mathbb{E} \left[\int_0^t \int_E \left| F(X_{s-}^i, z) - F(\tilde{X}_{s-}^i, z) \right|^2 \lambda(dz) ds \right] \right\} \\
&\leq C \left\{ TC_1 \int_0^t \mathbb{E} \left[|X_s^i - \tilde{X}_s^i|^2 \right] dr + 2C_1 \int_0^t \mathbb{E} \left[|X_s^i - \tilde{X}_s^i|^2 \right] dr \right\} \\
&\leq C \int_0^t \mathbb{E} \left[|X_s^i - \tilde{X}_s^i|^2 \right] ds.
\end{aligned}$$

Using Assumption (A.1), the second term $\sup_{s \leq t} \mathbb{E} \left[\left| \tilde{U}_s^i - \tilde{U}_{\underline{s}}^i \right|^2 \right]$ becomes

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sup_{s \leq t} \mathbb{E} \left[\left| \tilde{U}_s^i - \tilde{U}_{\underline{s}}^i \right|^2 \right] &\leq 3 \sup_{s \leq t} \left\{ \mathbb{E} \left[\left| \int_{\underline{s}}^s b(\tilde{X}_{r-}^i) dr \right|^2 + \left| \int_{\underline{s}}^s \sigma(\tilde{X}_{r-}^i) dB_r^i \right|^2 + \left| \int_{\underline{s}}^s \int_E F(\tilde{X}_{r-}^i, z) \tilde{N}^i(dr, dz) \right|^2 \right] \right\} \\
 &\leq 3 \sup_{s \leq t} \left\{ \mathbb{E} \left[\left| b(\tilde{X}_{\underline{s}}^i) \right|^2 |s - \underline{s}|^2 + \left| \sigma(\tilde{X}_{\underline{s}}^i) \right|^2 |B_s^i - B_{\underline{s}}^i|^2 + \int_{\underline{s}}^s \int_E \left| F(\tilde{X}_{r-}^i, z) \right|^2 \lambda(dz) dr \right] \right\} \\
 &\leq 3 \sup_{s \leq t} \left\{ \mathbb{E} \left[\left| b(\tilde{X}_{\underline{s}}^i) \right|^2 |s - \underline{s}|^2 + \left| \sigma(\tilde{X}_{\underline{s}}^i) \right|^2 |B_s^i - B_{\underline{s}}^i|^2 + C \int_{\underline{s}}^s (1 + |\tilde{X}_{r-}^i|^2) dr \right] \right\} \\
 &\leq 3 \sup_{s \leq t} \left\{ \left(\frac{T}{n} \right)^2 \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{\underline{s} \leq r \leq s} |b(\tilde{X}_{r-}^i)|^2 \right] + \mathbb{E} \left[|B_s^i - B_{\underline{s}}^i|^2 \right] \mathbb{E} \left[|\sigma(\tilde{X}_{\underline{s}}^i)|^2 \right] \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + C \left(\frac{T}{n} \right) \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{\underline{s} \leq r \leq s} (1 + |\tilde{X}_r^i|^2) \right] \right\} \\
 &\leq C_1 \left(\frac{T}{n} \right)^2 \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq T} |b(\tilde{X}_s^i)|^2 \right] + C_2 \sup_{s \leq t} \mathbb{E} \left[|B_s^i - B_{\underline{s}}^i|^2 \right] \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq T} |\sigma(\tilde{X}_s^i)|^2 \right] \\
 &\quad + C_3 \left(\frac{T}{n} \right) \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq T} (1 + |\tilde{X}_s^i|^2) \right] \\
 &\leq C_1 \left(\frac{T}{n} \right)^2 \left(1 + \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq T} |\tilde{X}_s^i|^2 \right] \right) + C_2 \sup_{s \leq t} \mathbb{E} \left[|B_s^i - B_{\underline{s}}^i|^2 \right] \left(1 + \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq T} |\tilde{X}_s^i|^2 \right] \right) \\
 &\quad + C_3 \left(\frac{T}{n} \right) \left(1 + \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq T} |\tilde{X}_s^i|^2 \right] \right),
 \end{aligned}$$

and from Proposition 1, we get

$$\sup_{s \leq t} \mathbb{E} \left[\left| \tilde{U}_s^i - \tilde{U}_{\underline{s}}^i \right|^2 \right] \leq C_1 \left(\frac{T}{n} \right) + C_2 \sup_{s \leq t} \mathbb{E} \left[|B_s^i - B_{\underline{s}}^i|^2 \right].$$

Then, by using BDG inequality, we obtain

$$\sup_{s \leq t} \mathbb{E} \left[|B_s^i - B_{\underline{s}}^i|^2 \right] = \sup_{s \leq t} \mathbb{E} \left[\left(\int_{\underline{s}}^s dB_u^i \right)^2 \right] \leq \sup_{s \leq t} |s - \underline{s}| \leq \frac{T}{n}.$$

Therefore, we conclude

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sup_{s \leq t} \mathbb{E} \left[\left| \tilde{U}_s^i - \tilde{U}_{\underline{s}}^i \right|^2 \right] &\leq C_1 n^{-1} + C_2 n^{-1} \\
 &\leq C n^{-1},
 \end{aligned} \tag{4.3}$$

from which we derive the inequality

$$\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |G_0(\mu_s^N) - G_0(\tilde{\mu}_{\underline{s}}^N)|^2 \right] \leq C \left\{ n^{-1} + N^{-1/2} + \int_0^t \mathbb{E} \left[|X_s^i - \tilde{X}_{\underline{s}}^i|^2 \right] ds \right\}, \tag{4.4}$$

and taking into account (4.2) we get

$$\mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{s \leq t} |X_s^i - \tilde{X}_{\underline{s}}^i|^2 \right] \leq C \left\{ n^{-1} + N^{-1/2} + \int_0^t \mathbb{E} \left[|X_s^i - \tilde{X}_{\underline{s}}^i|^2 \right] ds \right\}. \tag{4.5}$$

Since

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbb{E}\left[\left|X_s^i - \tilde{X}_{\underline{s}}^i\right|^2\right] &\leq 2\mathbb{E}\left[\left|X_s^i - \tilde{X}_s^i\right|^2\right] + 2\mathbb{E}\left[\left|\tilde{X}_s^i - \tilde{X}_{\underline{s}}^i\right|^2\right] \\ &= 2\mathbb{E}\left[\left|X_s^i - \tilde{X}_s^i\right|^2\right] + 2\mathbb{E}\left[\left|\tilde{U}_s^i - \tilde{U}_{\underline{s}}^i\right|^2\right],\end{aligned}$$

it follows from (4.3) and (4.5) that

$$\mathbb{E}\left[\sup_{s \leq t} \left|X_s^i - \tilde{X}_s^i\right|^2\right] \leq C \left\{ n^{-1} + N^{-1/2} + \int_0^t \mathbb{E}\left[\left|X_s^i - \tilde{X}_s^i\right|^2\right] ds \right\}.$$

and finally, we conclude the proof of (i) with Gronwall's Lemma.

Proof of (ii). Following the proof of (ii) in Theorem 2, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbb{E}\left[\sup_{s \leq t} \left| \int h(\bar{G}_0(\mu_s^i) + \cdot)(d\mu_s^N - d\mu_s^i) \right|^2 \right] &\leq CN^{-1}, \\ \mathbb{E}\left[\sup_{s \leq t} \left| \int h(\bar{G}_0(\tilde{\mu}_{\underline{s}}^i) + \cdot)(d\tilde{\mu}_{\underline{s}}^N - d\tilde{\mu}_{\underline{s}}^i) \right|^2 \right] &\leq CN^{-1}.\end{aligned}$$

By using the same strategy as the one applied in the proof of (i) in Theorem 4, the result follows easily:

$$\mathbb{E}\left[\sup_{s \leq t} \left|X_s^i - \tilde{X}_s^i\right|^2\right] \leq C \left(n^{-1} + N^{-1} \right).$$

□

Theorem 3. Let $T > 0$, N and n be two non-negative integers and assumptions (A.1), (A.2) and (A.3) hold.

- (i) There exists a constant C , depending on T , b , σ , F , h and X_0 but independent of N , such that: for all $i = 1, \dots, N$,

$$\mathbb{E}\left[\sup_{t \leq T} \left|\bar{X}_t^i - \tilde{X}_t^i\right|^2\right] \leq C \left(n^{-1} + N^{-1/2} \right).$$

- (ii) If in addition (A.4) holds, there exists a positive constant C , depending on T , b , σ , F , h and X_0 but independent of N , such that: for all $i = 1, \dots, N$,

$$\mathbb{E}\left[\sup_{t \leq T} \left|\bar{X}_t^i - \tilde{X}_t^i\right|^2\right] \leq C \left(n^{-1} + N^{-1} \right).$$

Proof. The proof is straightforward writing

$$\left|\bar{X}_t^i - \tilde{X}_t^i\right| \leq \left|\bar{X}_t^i - X_t^i\right| + \left|X_t^i - \tilde{X}_t^i\right|,$$

and using Theorem 2 and Proposition 4.

□

5. NUMERICAL EXAMPLES.

In this section, let us study on $[0, T]$ the following sort of processes:

$$\begin{cases} X_t = X_0 - \int_0^t (\beta_s + a_s X_{s-}) ds + \int_0^t (\sigma_s + \gamma_s X_{s-}) dB_s + \int_0^t \int_E c(z)(\eta_s + \theta_s X_{s-}) \tilde{N}(ds, dz) + K_t, & t \geq 0, \\ \mathbb{E}[h(X_t)] \geq 0, \quad \int_0^t \mathbb{E}[h(X_s)] dK_s = 0, & t \geq 0, \end{cases} \quad (5.1)$$

where $(\beta_t)_{t \geq 0}$, $(a_t)_{t \geq 0}$, $(\sigma_t)_{t \geq 0}$, $(\gamma_t)_{t \geq 0}$, $(\eta_t)_{t \geq 0}$ and $(\theta_t)_{t \geq 0}$ are bounded adapted processes. This sort of processes is chosen to make some explicit computations which allow the illustration of the algorithm. Different diffusions and functions h are considered in order to illustrate our results.

Linear constraint. Firstly, we consider the cases where $h : \mathbb{R} \ni x \mapsto x - p \in \mathbb{R}$.

Case (i) Drifted Brownian motion and compensated Poisson process: $\beta_t = \beta > 0$, $a_t = \gamma_t = \theta_t = 0$, $\sigma_t = \sigma > 0$, $\eta_t = \eta > 0$, $X_0 = x_0 \geq p$, $c(z) = z$ and

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}z} \exp\left(-\frac{(\ln z)^2}{2}\right) \mathbf{1}_{\{0 < z\}}.$$

We have

$$K_t = (p + \beta t - x_0)^+,$$

and

$$X_t = X_0 - (\beta + \lambda\sqrt{e})t + \sigma B_t + \sum_{i=0}^{N_t} \eta \xi_i + K_t,$$

where $N_t \sim \mathcal{P}(\lambda t)$ and $\xi_i \sim \text{lognormal}(0, 1)$.

Case (ii) Black and Scholes process: $\beta_t = \sigma_t = \eta_t = 0$, $a_t = a > 0$, $\gamma_t = \gamma > 0$, $\theta_t = \theta > 0$, $c(z) = \delta_1(z)$. Then

$$K_t = ap(t - t^*) \mathbf{1}_{t \geq t^*}, \text{ where } t^* = \frac{1}{a}(\ln(x_0) - \ln(p)),$$

and

$$X_t = Y_t + Y_t \int_0^t Y_s^{-1} dK_s,$$

where Y is the process defined by:

$$Y_t = X_0 \exp\left(-\left(a + \gamma^2/2 + \lambda\theta\right)t + \gamma B_t\right) (1 + \theta)^{N_t}.$$

Nonlinear constraint. Secondly, we illustrate the case of non-linear function h :

$$h : \mathbb{R} \ni x \mapsto x + \alpha \sin(x) - p \in \mathbb{R}, \quad -1 < \alpha < 1,$$

and we illustrate this case with

Case (iii) Ornstein Uhlenbeck process: $\beta_t = \beta > 0$, $a_t = a > 0$, $\gamma_t = \theta_t = 0$, $\sigma_t = \sigma > 0$, $\eta_t = \eta > 0$, $X_0 = x_0$ with $x_0 > |\alpha| + p$, $c(z) = \delta_1(z)$. We obtain

$$dK_t = e^{-at} d\sup_{s \leq t} (F_s^{-1}(0))^+,$$

where for all t in $[0, T]$,

$$F_t : \mathbb{R} \ni x \mapsto \left\{ e^{-at} \left(x_0 - \beta \left(\frac{e^{at} - 1}{a} \right) + x \right) + \alpha \exp \left(-e^{-at} \frac{\sigma^2}{2a} \sinh(at) \right) \right. \\ \times \left[\frac{1}{2} \left(\exp(\lambda t(e^{i\eta} - 1)) + \exp(\lambda t(e^{-i\eta} - 1)) \right) \sin \left(e^{-at} \left(x_0 - (\beta + \lambda\eta) \left(\frac{e^{-at} - 1}{a} \right) + x \right) \right) \right. \\ \left. + \frac{1}{2i} \left(\exp(\lambda t(e^{i\eta} - 1)) - \exp(\lambda t(e^{-i\eta} - 1)) \right) \cos \left(e^{-at} \left(x_0 - (\beta + \lambda\eta) \left(\frac{e^{-at} - 1}{a} \right) + x \right) \right) \right] \\ \left. - p \right\}$$

Remark 6. We choose these examples in order to obtain an analytic form of the “true” reflecting process K which can be compared numerically with its empirical approximation $\hat{K}$. Having the exact simulation of the underlying process, we can verify the efficiency of our algorithm.

5.1. Proofs of the numerical illustrations. In order to have closed, or almost closed, expression for the compensator K we introduce the process Y solution to the non-reflected SDE

$$Y_t = X_0 - \int_0^t (\beta_s + a_s Y_{s-}) ds + \int_0^t (\sigma_s + \gamma_s Y_{s-}) dB_s + \int_0^t \int_E c(z)(\eta_s + \theta_s Y_{s-}) \tilde{N}(ds, dz).$$

By letting $A_s = \int_0^s a_s ds$ and applying Itô's formula on $e^{A_t} X_t$ and $e^{A_t} Y_t$, we get

$$e^{A_t} X_t = X_0 + \int_0^t e^{A_s} X_s a_s ds + \int_0^t e^{A_s} (-\beta_s - a_s X_{s-}) ds + \int_0^t e^{A_s} (\sigma_s + \gamma_s X_{s-}) dB_s \\ + \int_0^t \int_E e^{A_s} c(z)(\eta_s + \theta_s X_{s-}) \tilde{N}(ds, dz) + \int_0^t e^{A_s} dK_s \\ = X_0 - \int_0^t e^{A_s} \beta_s ds + \int_0^t e^{A_s} (\sigma_s + \gamma_s X_{s-}) dB_s + \int_0^t \int_E e^{A_s} c(z)(\eta_s + \theta_s X_{s-}) \tilde{N}(ds, dz) + \int_0^t e^{A_s} dK_s.$$

In the same way,

$$e^{A_t} Y_t = X_0 - \int_0^t e^{A_s} \beta_s ds + \int_0^t e^{A_s} (\sigma_s + \gamma_s Y_{s-}) dB_s + \int_0^t \int_E e^{A_s} c(z)(\eta_s + \theta_s Y_{s-}) \tilde{N}(ds, dz),$$

and so

$$X_t = Y_t + e^{-A_t} \int_0^t e^{A_s} dK_s + e^{-A_t} \int_0^t e^{A_s} \gamma_s (X_{s-} + Y_{s-}) dB_s + e^{-A_t} \int_0^t \int_E e^{A_s} c(z) \theta_s (X_{s-} + Y_{s-}) \tilde{N}(ds, dz).$$

Remark 7. In all cases, we have $a_t = a$ i.e. $A_t = at$, so we get

$$\mathbb{E}[Y_t] = \mathbb{E} \left[e^{-at} \left(x_0 - \int_0^t e^{as} \beta ds + \int_0^t e^{as} (\sigma_s + \gamma_s Y_{s-}) dB_s + \int_0^t \int_E e^{as} c(z)(\eta_s + \theta_s Y_{s-}) \tilde{N}(ds, dz) \right) \right] \\ = e^{-at} \left(x_0 - \int_0^t e^{as} \beta ds \right) \\ = e^{-at} \left(x_0 - \beta \left(\frac{e^{at} - 1}{a} \right) \right).$$

Proof of assertions (i). From Proposition 3 and Remark 7, we have

$$k_t = \beta \mathbf{1}_{\mathbb{E}(\mathbf{X}_t) = \mathbf{p}} \\ = \beta \mathbf{1}_{\mathbb{E}(\mathbf{Y}_t) + \mathbf{K}_t - \mathbf{p} = \mathbf{0}} \\ = \beta \mathbf{1}_{\mathbf{x}_0 - \beta t + \mathbf{K}_t - \mathbf{p} = \mathbf{0}},$$

so, we obtain that

$$\begin{aligned} K_t &= \int_0^t k_s ds \\ &= \int_0^t \beta \mathbf{1}_{\mathbf{K}_s = \mathbf{p} + \beta s - \mathbf{x}_0} d\mathbf{s}, \end{aligned}$$

and as $K_t \geq 0$, we conclude that

$$K_t = (p + \beta t - x_0)^+.$$

Next, we have

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}z} \exp\left(-\frac{(\ln z)^2}{2}\right),$$

the density function of a lognormal random variable, so we can obtain

$$\int_E \eta z \lambda(dz) = \lambda \eta \int_E z f(z) dz = \lambda \eta \mathbb{E}(\xi)$$

where $\xi \sim \text{lognormal}(0, 1)$, and we conclude that

$$\int_E \eta z \lambda(dz) = \lambda \eta \sqrt{e}.$$

Finally, we deduce the exact solution

$$X_t = X_0 - (\beta + \lambda \sqrt{e})t + \sigma B_t + \sum_{i=0}^{N_t} \eta \xi_i + K_t,$$

where $N_t \sim \mathcal{P}(\lambda t)$ and $\xi_i \sim \text{lognormal}(0, 1)$. □

Proof of assertions (ii). In this case, and using the same Proposition and Remark, we have

$$k_t = (\mathbb{E}(-aX_t))^- \mathbf{1}_{\mathbb{E}(\mathbf{X}_t) = \mathbf{p}},$$

which

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}(X_t) = p &\iff \mathbb{E}(Y_t) - p + e^{-at} \int_0^t e^{as} dK_s = 0 \\ &\iff -x_0 e^{-at} + p = e^{-at} \int_0^t e^{as} dK_s \\ &\iff K_s = ap, \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} K_t \geq 0 &\iff -x_0 e^{-at} + p \geq 0 \\ &\iff e^{-at} \leq \frac{p}{x_0} \\ &\iff t \geq \frac{1}{a}(\ln(x_0) - \ln(p)) := t^*. \end{aligned}$$

So, we conclude that $K_t = ap(t - t^*) \mathbf{1}_{t \geq t^*}$, where $t^* = \frac{1}{a}(\ln(x_0) - \ln(p))$. Next, by the definition of the process Y_t :

$$dY_t = -aY_t dt + \gamma Y_t dB_t + \theta Y_t d\tilde{N}_t,$$

we have

$$Y_t = X_0 \exp\left(-\left(a + \gamma^2/2 + \lambda\theta\right)t + \gamma B_t\right)(1 + \theta)^{N_t}.$$

Thanks to Itô's formula we get

$$\begin{aligned} d\left(\frac{1}{Y_t}\right) &= -\frac{1}{Y_t^2}dY_t + \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{2}{Y_t^3}\right)\gamma^2 Y_t^2 dt + d\sum_{s \leq t} \left(\frac{1}{Y_{s^-} + \Delta Y_s} - \frac{1}{Y_{s^-}} + \frac{1}{Y_{s^-}^2} \Delta Y_s\right) \\ &= \frac{a}{Y_t} dt - \frac{\gamma}{Y_t} dB_t - \frac{\theta}{Y_{t^-}} d\tilde{N}_t + \frac{\gamma^2}{Y_t} dt + d\sum_{s \leq t} \left(\frac{1}{(1+\theta)Y_{s^-}} - \frac{1}{Y_{s^-}} + \frac{\theta}{Y_{s^-}}\right), \end{aligned}$$

and so

$$\begin{aligned} dY_t^{-1} &= (a + \gamma^2)Y_t^{-1} dt - \gamma Y_t^{-1} dB_t - \theta Y_{t^-}^{-1} d\tilde{N}_t + \left(\frac{\theta^2}{1+\theta}\right) d\sum_{s \leq t} Y_{s^-}^{-1} \\ &= \left(a + \gamma^2 + \frac{\lambda\theta^2}{1+\theta}\right) Y_t^{-1} dt - \gamma Y_t^{-1} dB_t - \left(\frac{\theta}{1+\theta}\right) Y_{t^-}^{-1} d\tilde{N}_t. \end{aligned}$$

Then, using integration by parts formula, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} d(X_t Y_t^{-1}) &= X_{t^-} dY_t^{-1} + Y_{t^-}^{-1} dX_t + d[X, Y^{-1}]_t \\ &= (a + \gamma^2)X_t Y_t^{-1} dt - \gamma X_t Y_t^{-1} dB_t - \theta X_{t^-} Y_{t^-}^{-1} d\tilde{N}_t + \left(\frac{\theta^2}{1+\theta}\right) d\sum_{s \leq t} X_{s^-} Y_{s^-}^{-1} \\ &\quad - a X_t Y_t^{-1} dt + \gamma X_t Y_t^{-1} dB_t + \theta X_{t^-} Y_{t^-}^{-1} d\tilde{N}_t + Y_t^{-1} dK_t \\ &\quad - \gamma^2 X_t Y_t^{-1} dt - \left(\frac{\theta^2}{1+\theta}\right) d\sum_{s \leq t} X_{s^-} Y_{s^-}^{-1} \\ &= Y_t^{-1} dK_t. \end{aligned}$$

Finally, we deduce that

$$X_t = Y_t + Y_t \int_0^t Y_s^{-1} dK_s.$$

□

Proof of assertions (iii). In that case, we have

$$\begin{aligned} Y_t &= e^{-at} \left(x_0 - \beta \left(\frac{e^{at} - 1}{a} \right) \right) + \sigma_s e^{-at} \int_0^t e^{as} dB_s + e^{-at} \int_0^t \eta_s e^{as} d\tilde{N}_s \\ &= e^{-at} \left(x_0 - (\beta + \lambda\eta) \left(\frac{e^{at} - 1}{a} \right) \right) + \sigma_s e^{-at} \int_0^t e^{as} dB_s + e^{-at} \int_0^t \eta_s e^{as} dN_s \\ &:= f_t + G_t + F_t, \end{aligned}$$

and

$$X_t = Y_t + e^{-at} \bar{K}_t, \quad \bar{K}_t = \int_0^t e^{as} dK_s.$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} h(X_t) &= Y_t + e^{-at} \bar{K}_t + \alpha \sin(Y_t + e^{-at} \bar{K}_t) - p \\ &= Y_t + e^{-at} \bar{K}_t + \alpha \left(\sin(Y_t) \cos(e^{-at} \bar{K}_t) + \cos(Y_t) \sin(e^{-at} \bar{K}_t) \right) - p \\ &= Y_t + e^{-at} \bar{K}_t + \alpha \left[\cos(e^{-at} \bar{K}_t) \left\{ \sin(f_t) \cos(G_t) \cos(F_t) + \cos(f_t) \sin(G_t) \cos(F_t) \right. \right. \\ &\quad \left. \left. + \cos(f_t) \cos(G_t) \sin(F_t) - \sin(f_t) \sin(G_t) \sin(F_t) \right\} + \sin(e^{-at} \bar{K}_t) \left\{ \cos(f_t) \cos(G_t) \cos(F_t) \right. \right. \\ &\quad \left. \left. - \sin(f_t) \sin(G_t) \sin(F_t) - \sin(f_t) \cos(G_t) \sin(F_t) - \cos(f_t) \sin(G_t) \sin(F_t) \right\} \right] - p. \end{aligned}$$

On one side, since G_t is a centered gaussian random variable with variance $V = \sigma^2 \frac{1 - e^{-2at}}{2a} = \sigma^2 e^{-at} \frac{\sinh(at)}{a}$, we obtain that

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbb{E}[e^{iG_t}] &= e^{-V/2}, \\ \mathbb{E}[\sin(G_t)] &= \mathbb{E}\left[\frac{e^{iG_t} - e^{-iG_t}}{2i}\right] = 0,\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\mathbb{E}[\cos(G_t)] = \mathbb{E}\left[\frac{e^{iG_t} + e^{-iG_t}}{2}\right] = \mathbb{E}(e^{iG_t}) = \exp\left(-e^{-at} \frac{\sigma^2}{2a} \sinh(at)\right) =: g(t).$$

On the other side,

$$\mathbb{E}[e^{iF_t}] = \mathbb{E}\left[\exp\left(i\eta e^{-at} \int_0^t e^{as} dN_s\right)\right],$$

by taking ‘ a ’ small, we get

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbb{E}[e^{iF_t}] &\approx \mathbb{E}\left[\exp\left(i\eta \int_0^t dN_s\right)\right] \\ &\approx \mathbb{E}\left[\exp\left(i\eta N_t\right)\right] \\ &\approx \exp\left(\lambda t(e^{i\eta} - 1)\right),\end{aligned}$$

and so

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbb{E}[\sin(F_t)] &\approx \frac{\exp\left(\lambda t(e^{i\eta} - 1)\right) - \exp\left(\lambda t(e^{-i\eta} - 1)\right)}{2i} =: m(t), \\ \mathbb{E}[\cos(F_t)] &\approx \frac{\exp\left(\lambda t(e^{i\eta} - 1)\right) + \exp\left(\lambda t(e^{-i\eta} - 1)\right)}{2} =: n(t).\end{aligned}$$

Using Remark 7, we conclude that, for small ‘ a ’,

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbb{E}[h(X_t)] &\approx \mathbb{E}[Y_t] + e^{-at} \bar{K}_t + \alpha \left(g(t)m(t) \cos(f_t + e^{-at} \bar{K}_t) + g(t)n(t) \sin(f_t + e^{-at} \bar{K}_t) \right) - p \\ &:= F_t(\bar{K}_t).\end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$\bar{K}_t = \sup_{s \leq t} \left(F_s^{-1}(0) \right)^+ \quad \text{and} \quad dK_t = e^{-at} d \sup_{s \leq t} \left(F_s^{-1}(0) \right)^+.$$

□

5.2. Illustrations. This computation works as follows. Let $0 = T_0 < T_1 < \dots < T_n = T$ be a subdivision of $[0, T]$ of step size T/n , n being a positive integer, let X be the unique solution of the MRSDE (5.1) and let, for a given i , $(\tilde{X}_{T_k}^i)_{0 \leq k \leq n}$ be its numerical approximation given by Algorithm 1. For a given integer L , we draw $(\bar{X}^l)_{0 \leq l \leq L}$ and $(\tilde{X}^{i,l})_{0 \leq l \leq L}$, L independent copies of X and $\tilde{X}^i$. Then, we approximate the $\mathbb{L}^2$ -error of Theorem 3 by:

$$\hat{E} = \frac{1}{L} \sum_{l=1}^L \max_{0 \leq k \leq n} \left| \bar{X}_{T_k}^l - \tilde{X}_{T_k}^{i,l} \right|^2. \quad (5.2)$$

Figure 1 illustrates the evolution in time of the true K (full line) and the estimated K (dotted line for particle method) (dashed line for density method) in case (i). It is confirmed that the approximation of K is almost the same as the exact solution. The evolution of $\log(\hat{E})$ w.r.t. $\log(N)$ is depicted in Figure 2. It can be seen that the slope is equal to 0.9, which is consistent with the statement of Theorem 3.

FIGURE 1. Case (i). $n = 500$, $N = 100000$, $T = 1$, $\beta = 2$, $\sigma = 1$, $\lambda = 5$, $x_0 = 1$, $p = 1/2$.

FIGURE 2. Case (i). Regression of $\log(\hat{E})$ w.r.t. $\log(N)$. Data: $\hat{E}$ when N varies from 100 to 2200 with step size 300. Parameters: $n = 100$, $T = 1$, $\beta = 2$, $\sigma = 1$, $\lambda = 5$, $x_0 = 1$, $p = 1/2$, $L = 1000$.

Figure 3 illustrates the evolution in time of the true K (full line) and the estimated K (dotted line for particle method) (dashed line for density method) in case (ii). As in the previous example, the approximation of K is almost the same as the exact solution. The evolution of $\log(\hat{E})$ w.r.t. $\log(N)$ is depicted in Figure 4. It can be seen that the slope is equal to 0.9, which is consistent with the statement of Theorem 3.

FIGURE 3. Case (ii). Parameters: $n = 500$, $N = 10000$, $T = 1$, $\beta = 0$, $a = 3$, $\gamma = 1$, $\eta = 1$, $\lambda = 2$, $x_0 = 4$, $p = 1$.

FIGURE 4. Case (ii). Regression of $\log(\hat{E})$ w.r.t. $\log(N)$. Data: $\hat{E}$ when N varies from 100 to 800 with step size 100. Parameters: $n = 1000$, $T = 1$, $\beta = 0$, $a = 3$, $\gamma = 1$, $\eta = 1$, $\lambda = 2$, $x_0 = 4$, $p = 1$, $L = 1000$.

Figure 5 illustrates the evolution in time of the true K (full line) and the estimated K (dotted line for particle method) (dashed line for density method) in case (iii). Moreover, we notice that the approximation of K with particle method is closer to the exact K than the one with density method.

FIGURE 5. Case (iii). Parameters: $n = 1000$, $N = 100000$, $T = 15$, $\beta = 10^{-2}$, $\sigma = 1$, $p = \pi/2$, $\alpha = 0.9$, $a = 10^{-2}$, x_0 is the unique solution of $x + \alpha \sin(x) - p = 0$ plus 10^{-1} .

APPENDIX A. APPENDICES

A.1. **Proof of Lemma 4.** Let s and t in $[0, T]$ be such that $s \leq t$.

Firstly, we suppose that φ is a continuous function with compact support. In this case, there exists a sequence of Lipschitz continuous functions φ_n with compact support which converges uniformly to φ . Therefore, by using Proposition 2, we get

$$\begin{aligned} |\mathbb{E}[\varphi(X_t)] - \mathbb{E}[\varphi(X_s)]| &\leq |\mathbb{E}[\varphi(X_t)] - \mathbb{E}[\varphi_n(X_t)]| + |\mathbb{E}[\varphi_n(X_t)] - \mathbb{E}[\varphi_n(X_s)]| + |\mathbb{E}[\varphi_n(X_s)] - \mathbb{E}[\varphi(X_s)]| \\ &\leq \mathbb{E}[|(\varphi - \varphi_n)(X_t)|] + C_n \mathbb{E}[|X_t - X_s|] + \mathbb{E}[|(\varphi_n - \varphi)(X_s)|] \\ &\leq 2\mathbb{E}[\|\varphi_n - \varphi\|_\infty] + C_n(\mathbb{E}[|X_t - X_s|^2])^{1/2} \\ &\leq 2\mathbb{E}[\|\varphi_n - \varphi\|_\infty] + C_n|t - s|^{1/2}. \end{aligned}$$

Thus, we obtain that

$$\limsup_{t \rightarrow s} |\mathbb{E}[\varphi(X_t)] - \mathbb{E}[\varphi(X_s)]| \leq 2\mathbb{E}[\|\varphi_n - \varphi\|_\infty].$$

This result is true for all $n \geq 1$, so we deduce that

$$\limsup_{t \rightarrow s} |\mathbb{E}[\varphi(X_t)] - \mathbb{E}[\varphi(X_s)]| = 0,$$

then we conclude the continuity of the function $t \mapsto \mathbb{E}[\varphi(X_t)]$.

Secondly, we consider the case where φ is a continuous function such that

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}, \exists C \in \mathbb{R}, \quad \varphi(x) \leq C(1 + |x|^p).$$

We define a sequence of functions φ_n , such that for all $n \geq 1$ and $x \in \mathbb{R}$,

$$\varphi_n(x) = \varphi(x)\theta_n(x)$$

with

$$\theta_n(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } |x| \leq n \\ 0 & \text{if } |x| > n \end{cases}$$

Based on this definition, φ_n is a continuous function with compact support. Then we get

$$\begin{aligned}
|\mathbb{E}[\varphi(X_t)] - \mathbb{E}[\varphi(X_s)]| &\leq \left| \mathbb{E}[(\varphi - \varphi_n)(X_t)(\mathbf{1}_{|\mathbf{X}_t| \leq n} + \mathbf{1}_{|\mathbf{X}_t| > n})] \right| + \left| \mathbb{E}[\varphi_n(\mathbf{X}_t)] - \mathbb{E}[\varphi_n(\mathbf{X}_s)] \right| \\
&\quad + \left| \mathbb{E}[(\varphi_n - \varphi)(X_s)(\mathbf{1}_{|\mathbf{X}_s| \leq n} + \mathbf{1}_{|\mathbf{X}_s| > n})] \right| \\
&\leq \left| \mathbb{E}[(\varphi - \varphi_n)(X_t)\mathbf{1}_{|\mathbf{X}_t| > n}] \right| + \left| \mathbb{E}[\varphi_n(\mathbf{X}_t)] - \mathbb{E}[\varphi_n(\mathbf{X}_s)] \right| + \left| \mathbb{E}[(\varphi_n - \varphi)(\mathbf{X}_s)\mathbf{1}_{|\mathbf{X}_s| > n}] \right| \\
&\leq 2\mathbb{E}[|\varphi(X_t)|\mathbf{1}_{|\mathbf{X}_t| > n}] + \left| \mathbb{E}[\varphi_n(\mathbf{X}_t)] - \mathbb{E}[\varphi_n(\mathbf{X}_s)] \right| + 2\mathbb{E}[|\varphi(\mathbf{X}_s)|\mathbf{1}_{|\mathbf{X}_s| > n}] \\
&\leq C\mathbb{E}[(1 + |X_t|^p)\mathbf{1}_{|\mathbf{X}_t| > n}] + \left| \mathbb{E}[\varphi_n(\mathbf{X}_t)] - \mathbb{E}[\varphi_n(\mathbf{X}_s)] \right| + C\mathbb{E}[(1 + |\mathbf{X}_s|^p)\mathbf{1}_{|\mathbf{X}_s| > n}] \\
&\leq C\mathbb{E}\left[(1 + \sup_{t \leq T} |X_t|^p)\mathbf{1}_{\sup_{t \leq T} |\mathbf{X}_t| > n}\right] + \left| \mathbb{E}[\varphi_n(\mathbf{X}_t)] - \mathbb{E}[\varphi_n(\mathbf{X}_s)] \right|.
\end{aligned}$$

Thus, by using the first part of this Lemma, we obtain that

$$\limsup_{t \rightarrow s} |\mathbb{E}[\varphi(X_t)] - \mathbb{E}[\varphi(X_s)]| \leq C\mathbb{E}\left[(1 + \sup_{t \leq T} |X_t|^p)\mathbf{1}_{\sup_{t \leq T} |\mathbf{X}_t| > n}\right].$$

This result is true for all $n \geq 1$, then by using the dominated convergence theorem, we deduce that

$$\limsup_{t \rightarrow s} |\mathbb{E}[\varphi(X_t)] - \mathbb{E}[\varphi(X_s)]| = 0,$$

and we conclude the continuity of the function $t \mapsto \mathbb{E}[\varphi(X_t)]$.

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