

# Existence of density for the stochastic wave equation with space-time homogeneous noise

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# The stochastic wave equation

We consider the SPDE on  $\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{R}^d$ , with  $d \in \{1, 2\}$ ,

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2}(t, x) = \Delta u(t, x) + u(t, x) \dot{W}(t, x), \\ u(0, x) = 1, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^d, \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}(0, x) = 0, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^d. \end{array} \right. \quad (\text{SWE})$$

- $\Delta$  is the **Laplacian** operator on  $\mathbb{R}^d$ .
- $\dot{W}$  is a **space-time homogeneous Gaussian noise**.
- This problem is called the **Hyperbolic Anderson Model**.

# Space-time homogeneous Gaussian noise

It is given by a **zero-mean Gaussian family**  $\{W(\varphi), \varphi \in \mathcal{D}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})\}$  with

$$\mathbb{E}[W(\varphi)W(\psi)] = \int_{\mathbb{R}^2 \times \mathbb{R}^{2d}} \varphi(t, x) \gamma(t - s) f(x - y) \psi(s, y) dx dy dt ds,$$

where  $\gamma, f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow [0, \infty]$  are **continuous, symmetric, locally integrable** functions, such that

$$\gamma(t) < \infty \quad \text{if and only if} \quad t \neq 0,$$

$$f(x) < \infty \quad \text{if and only if} \quad x \neq 0.$$

Moreover, we assume that  $\gamma, f$  are **non-negative definite**:

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}^d} (\varphi * \tilde{\varphi})(x) f(x) dx \geq 0, \quad \text{for all } \varphi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^d),$$

where  $\tilde{\varphi}(x) = \varphi(-x)$  and  $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^d)$  is the space of rapidly decreasing  $\mathcal{C}^\infty$ -functions on  $\mathbb{R}^d$ .

# Basic example

Fractional correlation in time:

$$\gamma(t) = H(2H - 1)|t|^{2H-2} \quad \text{with} \quad \frac{1}{2} < H < 1.$$

Riesz kernel is space:

$$f(x) = |x|^{\alpha-d} \quad \text{with} \quad 0 < \alpha < d.$$

# Spectral measures

There exist **non-negative tempered measures**  $\nu$  and  $\mu$  such that

$$\gamma = \mathcal{F}\nu \quad \text{and} \quad f = \mathcal{F}\mu,$$

where the **Fourier transform** is understood in the space  $\mathcal{S}'_{\mathbb{C}}(\mathbb{R}^d)$  of  $\mathbb{C}$ -valued **tempered distributions**:

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}^d} f(x)\varphi(x)dx = \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \mathcal{F}\varphi(\xi)\mu(d\xi) \quad \text{for all } \varphi \in \mathcal{S}_{\mathbb{C}}(\mathbb{R}^d).$$

where  $\mathcal{F}\varphi(\xi) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} e^{-i\xi \cdot x} \varphi(x)dx$  is the **Fourier transform** of  $\varphi$ .

There exists  $k \geq 1$  such that

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \left( \frac{1}{1 + |\xi|^2} \right)^k \mu(d\xi) < \infty.$$

(respectively, for  $\gamma$ )

We have that, for any  $\psi_1, \psi_2 \in \mathcal{S}_{\mathbb{C}}(\mathbb{R}^d)$  and  $\phi_1, \phi_2 \in \mathcal{S}_{\mathbb{C}}(\mathbb{R})$ ,

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \psi_1(x) f(x-y) \overline{\psi_2(y)} dx dy = \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \mathcal{F}\psi_1(\xi) \overline{\mathcal{F}\psi_2(\xi)} \mu(d\xi).$$

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \phi_1(t) \gamma(t-s) \overline{\phi_2(s)} dt ds = \int_{\mathbb{R}} \mathcal{F}\phi_1(\tau) \overline{\mathcal{F}\phi_2(\tau)} \nu(d\tau).$$

In fact, [Balan & Song 2017](#) proved that, for any  $\varphi_1, \varphi_2 \in \mathcal{D}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}[W(\varphi_1)W(\varphi_2)] &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^2 \times \mathbb{R}^{2d}} \varphi(t, x) \gamma(t-s) f(x-y) \overline{\varphi(s, y)} dx dy dt ds \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^{d+1}} \mathcal{F}\varphi_1(\tau, \xi) \overline{\mathcal{F}\varphi_2(\tau, \xi)} \nu(d\tau) \mu(d\xi). \end{aligned}$$

where here  $\mathcal{F}$  denotes the Fourier transform in both variables.

# The Wiener integral

Let  $\mathcal{H}$  be the completion of  $\mathcal{D}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$  with respect to  $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_{\mathcal{H}}$  defined by

$$\begin{aligned}\langle \varphi_1, \varphi_2 \rangle_{\mathcal{H}} &= \mathbb{E}[W(\varphi_1)W(\varphi_2)] \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^2 \times \mathbb{R}^{2d}} \varphi_1(t, x) \gamma(t-s) f(x-y) \varphi_2(s, y) dx dy dt ds \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^{d+1}} \mathcal{F}\varphi_1(\tau, \xi) \overline{\mathcal{F}\varphi_2(\tau, \xi)} \nu(d\tau) \mu(d\xi).\end{aligned}$$

Then, the noise can be extended to a **isonormal Gaussian process**  $\{W(\varphi), \varphi \in \mathcal{H}\}$ : for all  $\varphi_1, \varphi_2 \in \mathcal{H}$ ,

$$\mathbb{E}[W(\varphi_1)] = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbb{E}[W(\varphi_1)W(\varphi_2)] = \langle \varphi_1, \varphi_2 \rangle_{\mathcal{H}}.$$

$W(\varphi)$  is called the **Wiener integral** of  $\varphi \in \mathcal{H}$  with respect to  $W$ .



# Characterization of $\mathcal{H}$

**Hypothesis A:** The measures  $\nu$  and  $\mu$  satisfy

$$\mu(d\xi) = (2\pi)^{-d} g(\xi) d\xi \quad \text{and} \quad \nu(d\tau) = (2\pi)^{-1} h(\tau) d\tau,$$

and  $\frac{1}{hg} \mathbf{1}_{\{hg>0\}}$  is a **slow growth** (or tempered) function.

## Theorem

If Hypothesis A holds, then  $\mathcal{H}$  coincides with  $\mathcal{U}$ , the space of **tempered distributions**  $S \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$  satisfying that  $\mathcal{F}S$  is a function and

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}^{d+1}} |\mathcal{F}S(\tau, \xi)|^2 \nu(d\tau) \mu(d\xi) < \infty.$$

Moreover, for any  $S_1, S_2 \in \mathcal{H}$ ,

$$\langle S_1, S_2 \rangle_{\mathcal{H}} = \int_{\mathbb{R}^{d+1}} \mathcal{F}S_1(\tau, \xi) \overline{\mathcal{F}S_2(\tau, \xi)} \nu(d\tau) \mu(d\xi).$$

## Proof.

1. The space  $\mathcal{D}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$  is **dense** in  $\mathcal{U}$ , with respect to

$$\langle \mathbf{S}_1, \mathbf{S}_2 \rangle_{\mathcal{U}} := \int_{\mathbb{R}^{d+1}} \mathcal{F} \mathbf{S}_1(\tau, \xi) \overline{\mathcal{F} \mathbf{S}_2(\tau, \xi)} \nu(d\tau) \mu(d\xi).$$

Hence  $\mathcal{U} \subset \mathcal{H}$ . Generalization of [Jolis 2010](#) to higher dimensions.  
**Hypothesis A** is not needed here.

2. [Basse-O'Connor, Graverson & Pedersen 2012](#): the space  $\mathcal{U}$  is **complete** if and only if, for any  $\varphi \in L^2_{\mathbb{C}}(\nu \times \mu)$  there exists an integer  $k \geq 1$  such that

$$\int_{\{h>0, g>0\}} \left( \frac{1}{1 + \tau^2 + |\xi|^2} \right)^k |\varphi(\tau, \xi)| d\tau d\xi < \infty.$$

This is satisfied if  $\frac{1}{hg} \mathbf{1}_{\{hg>0\}}$  is a **slow growth** function.



## Important corollary

**Recall:** If  $S \in \mathcal{H}$ , we know that

$$\|S\|_{\mathcal{H}}^2 = \int_{\mathbb{R}^{d+1}} |\mathcal{F}S(\tau, \xi)|^2 \nu(d\tau) \mu(d\xi),$$

and it holds  $\mathcal{F}\mu = f$ .

### Corollary

Assume that *Hypothesis A* holds. If  $S$  is a measurable function on  $\mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{R}^d$  such that  $S \in \mathcal{H}$  and

$$\int_0^\infty \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} S(r, z) f(z - z') S(r, z') dz dz' dr > 0,$$

then  $\|S\|_{\mathcal{H}} > 0$ .

We will apply this result with  $S = Du(t, x)$ .

# Malliavin derivative

Let  $F = \varphi(W(h_1), \dots, W(h_n))$  be a **smooth random variable**, where  $n \geq 1$ ,  $h_1, \dots, h_n \in \mathcal{H}$  and  $\varphi \in C_b^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .

The **Malliavin derivative** of  $F$  is the  $\mathcal{H}$ -valued random variable given by:

$$DF = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial x_i}(W(h_1), \dots, W(h_n)) h_i$$

The operator  $D$  can be extended to  $\mathbb{D}^{1,2}$ , the completion of the set of smooth random variables with respect to

$$\|F\|_{1,2} = \left( \mathbb{E}[|F|^2] + \mathbb{E}[\|DF\|_{\mathcal{H}}^2] \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}.$$

Similarly, one defines the **iterated derivative**  $D^k F$  as a  $\mathcal{H}^{\otimes k}$ -valued random variable. The domain of  $D^k$  in  $L^p(\Omega)$  is denoted by  $\mathbb{D}^{k,p}$ .

# Skorohod integral

The **divergence operator**  $\delta$  is defined as the **adjoint** of  $D$ .

The domain of  $\delta$ , denoted by **Dom**( $\delta$ ), is the set of  $u \in L^2(\Omega; \mathcal{H})$  such that

$$|\mathbb{E}[\langle DF, u \rangle_{\mathcal{H}}]| \leq C_u \left( \mathbb{E}[|F|^2] \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}, \quad \text{for all } F \in \mathbb{D}^{1,2}.$$

If  $u \in \text{Dom}(\delta)$ , then  $\delta(u) \in L^2(\Omega)$  is characterized by the **duality relation**:

$$\mathbb{E}[F\delta(u)] = \mathbb{E}[\langle DF, u \rangle_{\mathcal{H}}], \quad \text{for all } F \in \mathbb{D}^{1,2}.$$

If  $u \in \text{Dom}(\delta)$ , we use the notation

$$\delta(u) = \int_0^\infty \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} u(t, x) W(\delta t, \delta x),$$

and we say that  $\delta(u)$  is the **Skorohod integral** of  $u$  with respect to  $W$ .

## Mild Skorohod solution

Let  $G$  be the **fundamental solution of the wave equation** on  $\mathbb{R}^d$  with  $d = 1$  and  $d = 2$ , respectively:

$$G(t, x) = \frac{1}{2} 1_{\{|x| \leq t\}} \quad G(t, x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{1}{\sqrt{t^2 - |x|^2}} 1_{\{|x| \leq t\}}$$

### Definition

A measurable stochastic process  $\{u(t, x), (t, x) \in [0, \infty) \times \mathbb{R}^d\}$  is a solution of equation (SWE) if, for all  $T > 0$ ,

$$\sup_{(t, x) \in [0, T] \times \mathbb{R}^d} \mathbb{E}[|u(t, x)|]^2 < \infty,$$

and for any  $(t, x) \in [0, \infty) \times \mathbb{R}^d$ , it holds in  $L^2(\Omega)$ :

$$u(t, x) = 1 + \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} G(t-s, x-y) u(s, y) W(\delta s, \delta y).$$

# Existence of solution

## Theorem (Balan & Song 2017)

Equation (SWE) has a unique solution in *any spatial dimension*  $d \geq 1$ , provided that the *spatial spectral measure*  $\mu$  satisfies

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \frac{1}{1 + |\xi|^2} \mu(d\xi) < \infty.$$

## Theorem (Balan & Song 2017)

Assume that

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \left( \frac{1}{1 + |\xi|^2} \right)^\beta \mu(d\xi) < \infty, \quad (1)$$

for some  $\beta \in (0, 1)$ . Then, the solution of (SWE) has a modification with *Hölder-continuous paths* of order  $(1 - \beta) - \varepsilon$ , for any  $\varepsilon > 0$ .

**Optimality** of (1): Dalang & Sanz-Solé 2005.

# Chaos expansion

In [Balan & Song 2017](#), it is proved that, for any  $(t, x) \in \mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{R}^d$ ,  $u(t, x)$  has the **Wiener chaos expansion**

$$u(t, x) = 1 + \sum_{n \geq 1} I_n(f_n(\cdot, t, x)),$$

where  $I_n$  is the **multiple Wiener integral** of order  $n$  with respect to  $W$ , and

$$f_n(t_1, x_1, \dots, t_n, x_n, t, x) = G(t - t_n, x - x_n) \dots G(t_2 - t_1, x_2 - x_1) 1_{\{0 < t_1 < \dots < t_n < t\}}.$$

It follows that

$$\mathbb{E}[|u(t, x)|^2] = \sum_{n \geq 0} \frac{1}{n!} \alpha_n(t),$$

where

$$\alpha_n(t) = (n!)^2 \|\tilde{f}_n(\cdot, t, x)\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\otimes n}}^2$$

and  $\tilde{f}_n(\cdot, t, x)$  is the **symmetrization** of  $f_n(\cdot, t, x)$ .



# Existence of density

**Hypothesis A:** The measures  $\nu$  and  $\mu$  satisfy

$$\mu(d\xi) = (2\pi)^{-d} g(\xi) d\xi \quad \text{and} \quad \nu(d\tau) = (2\pi)^{-1} h(\tau) d\tau,$$

and  $\frac{1}{hg} \mathbf{1}_{\{hg>0\}}$  is a **slow growth** (or tempered) function.

## Theorem

Assume that **Hypothesis A** holds and

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \left( \frac{1}{1 + |\xi|^2} \right)^\beta \mu(d\xi) < \infty,$$

for some  $\beta \in (0, 1)$ . Then, the restriction of the law of the random variable  $u(t, x) \mathbf{1}_{\{u(t,x) \neq 0\}}$  to the set  $\mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$  is absolutely continuous with respect to the Lebesgue measure on  $\mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$ .

## Related literature

**Existence** (and smoothness) of density for the **stochastic wave equation**:

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2}(t, x) = \Delta u(t, x) + b(u(t, x)) + \sigma(u(t, x)) \dot{W}(t, x).$$

All existing results assume that

$$|\sigma(z)| \geq C > 0 \quad \text{for all } z \in \mathbb{R}$$

and that noise is **white in time** (and rather general  $f$ ):

- $d = 1$ : Carmona & Nualart 1988, where  $x \in I \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ .
- $d = 2$ : Millet & Sanz-Solé 1999.
- $d \in \{1, 2\}$ : Márquez-Carreras, Mellouk & Sarrà 2001.
- $d = 3$ : QS & Sanz-Solé 2004.
- $d \in \{1, 2, 3\}$ : Nualart & QS 2007.
- $d \geq 4$ : Sanz-Solé & Süß 2013, Sanz-Solé & Süß 2015.

The **stochastic heat equation** with **space-time** colored noise:

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t}(t, x) = \Delta u(t, x) + u(t, x) \dot{W}(t, x) \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^d, \quad d \geq 1.$$

**Smoothness** of the density:

- **Hu, Nualart & Song 2011**: for  $H, H_1, \dots, H_d \in (\frac{1}{2}, 1)$ ,

$$\gamma(t) = \rho_H(t) := H(2H - 1)|t|^{2H-2} \quad \text{and} \quad f(x) = \prod_{i=1}^d \rho_{H_i}(x_i).$$

- **Hu, Huang, Nualart & Tindel 2015**: general  $\gamma$  and  $f$  such that

$$0 \leq \gamma(t) \lesssim |t|^{-(1-\beta)} \quad \text{and} \quad \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \left( \frac{1}{1 + |\xi|^2} \right)^\beta \mu(d\xi) < \infty.$$

- **Hu & Le 2018**: for some  $\alpha_0 \in [0, 1)$  and  $\alpha_1 \in (0, 2)$ ,

$$C_1 t^{\alpha_0} \leq \gamma(t) \leq c_2 t^{-\alpha_0} \quad \text{and} \quad f(cx) \leq c^{-\alpha_1} f(x).$$

# Malliavin differentiability

## Proposition

For any  $(t, x) \in \mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{R}^d$ ,  $u(t, x) \in \mathbb{D}^{k,p}$  for any  $k \geq 1$  and  $p > 1$ .

### Proof:

We have that  $u(t, x) \in \mathbb{D}^{k,p}$  if

$$\sum_{n \geq 1} n^{\frac{k}{2}} (\rho - 1)^{\frac{n}{2}} \left( \mathbb{E} [ |I_n(f_n(\cdot, t, x))|^2 ] \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} < \infty.$$

For this, we use the proof that, for any  $k \geq 0$ ,

$$\sum_{n \geq 0} \frac{n^k}{n!} \alpha_n(t) < \infty,$$

where we recall that  $\alpha_n(t) = (n!)^2 \|\tilde{f}_n(\cdot, t, x)\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\otimes n}}^2$ .

An important point in the proof of

$$\sum_{n \geq 0} \frac{n^k}{n!} \alpha_n(t) < \infty$$

has been the **maximum principle** (refining [Balan & Song 2017](#) for  $d \in \{1, 2\}$ )

$$\sup_{\eta \in \mathbb{R}^d} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |\mathcal{F}G(t, \cdot)(\xi + \eta)|^2 \mu(d\xi) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |\mathcal{F}G(t, \cdot)(\xi)|^2 \mu(d\xi).$$

It is based on the **Parseval-type identity** ([Khoshnevisan & Xiao 2009](#)):

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \varphi(x) f(x-y) \overline{\varphi(y)} dx dy = \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |\mathcal{F}\varphi(\xi)|^2 \mu(d\xi),$$

for all  $\varphi \in L^1_{\mathbb{C}}(\mathbb{R}^d)$  with  $\int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |\mathcal{F}\varphi(\xi)|^2 \mu(d\xi) < \infty$ .



## Equation for $Du(t, x)$

We recall that  $Du(t, x) \in \mathcal{H}$ , which may contain distributions.

In order to apply the **Corollary**, first we prove that, for any  $(t, x) \in \mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{R}^d$ , the process  $\{D_{r,z}u(t, x), (r, z) \in [0, t] \times \mathbb{R}^d\}$  has a **measurable modification**.

We will need to prove that, a.s. on some  $\Omega_m$ ,

$$\int_0^t \|D_r u(t, x)\|_0^2 dr := \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} D_{r,z} u(t, x) f(z - z') D_{r,z'} u(t, x) dz dz' dr > 0.$$

Let  $\mathcal{P}_0$  be the completion of  $\mathcal{D}(\mathbb{R}^d)$  with respect to

$$\langle \varphi, \psi \rangle_0 = \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \varphi(z) f(z - z') \psi(z') dz dz'.$$

We show that, for fixed  $r \in [0, t]$ ,  $D_r u(t, x)$  satisfies an equation in  $L^2(\Omega; \mathcal{P}_0)$ .

## Theorem

For any  $r \in [0, t]$ , the following equality holds in  $L^2(\Omega; \mathcal{P}_0)$ :

$$D_r u(t, x) = G(t - r, x - \cdot)u(r, \cdot) + \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} G(t - s, x - y) D_r u(s, y) W(\bar{\delta} s, \bar{\delta} y).$$

Here, the notation

$$\int_0^\infty \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} U(s, y) W(\bar{\delta} s, \bar{\delta} y), \quad U \in L^2(\Omega; \mathcal{H} \otimes \mathcal{P}_0),$$

stands for a  $\mathcal{P}_0$ -valued Skorohod integral, interpreted as the adjoint of the Malliavin derivative of Hilbert-space-valued random variables (Nualart 2006).

**Proof:** we use the Picard iteration scheme (Balan 2012)

$$u_n(t, x) = 1 + \sum_{k=1}^n I_k(f_k(\cdot, t, x)).$$

# Non-degeneracy of $Du(t, x)$

Recall:

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2}(t, x) = \Delta u(t, x) + u(t, x) \dot{W}(t, x)$$

## Lemma

Let  $(\Gamma_m)_{m \geq 1}$  be a sequence of open sets in  $\mathbb{R}$  such that

$$0 \notin \Gamma_m \quad \text{and} \quad \Gamma_m \subset \Gamma_{m+1}, \quad \text{for all } m \geq 1.$$

Let  $\Gamma = \cup_{m \geq 1} \Gamma_m$ . Let  $F \in \mathbb{D}^{2,p}$  for some  $p > 1$  be such that, for all  $m \geq 1$ ,

$$\|DF\|_{\mathcal{H}} > 0 \quad \text{a.s. on } \{F \in \Gamma_m\}.$$

Then, the restriction of the law of the variable  $F1_{\{F \in \Gamma\}}$  to the set  $\Gamma$  is *absolutely continuous* with respect to the Lebesgue measure on  $\Gamma$ .

We apply this lemma with  $F = u(t, x)$  and  $\Gamma_m = \{v \in \mathbb{R}; |v| > \frac{1}{m}\}$ .



We prove that

$$\|Du(t, x)\|_{\mathcal{H}} > 0 \quad \text{a.s. on} \quad \Omega_m = \left\{ |u(t, x)| > \frac{1}{m} \right\}.$$

In view of the **Corollary**, it is enough to prove that

$$\int_0^t \|D_r u(t, x)\|_0^2 dr > 0 \quad \text{a.s. on} \quad \Omega_m.$$

Let  $\delta \in (0, 1)$ . Then,

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^t \|D_r u(t, x)\|_0^2 dr &\geq \int_{t-\delta}^t \|D_r u(t, x)\|_0^2 dr \\ &\geq \frac{1}{2} \int_{t-\delta}^t \|G(t-r, x-\cdot)u(r, \cdot)\|_0^2 dr - I(\delta), \end{aligned}$$

where

$$I(\delta) = \int_{t-\delta}^t \left\| \int_{t-\delta}^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} G(t-s, x-y) D_r u(s, y) W(\bar{\delta}s, \bar{\delta}y) \right\|_0^2 dr.$$

On the event  $\Omega_m$ ,

$$\int_0^t \|D_r u(t, x)\|_0^2 dr \geq \frac{1}{2m^2} \psi(\delta) - \frac{1}{2} J(\delta) - I(\delta),$$

where

$$\psi(\delta) = \int_0^\delta \|G(r, \cdot)\|_0^2 dr = \int_0^\delta \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} G(r, z) f(z - z') G(r, z') dz dz' dr.$$

and  $J(\delta)$  is given by

$$\int_{t-\delta}^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} G(t-r, x-z) f(z-z') G(t-r, x-z') (u(t, x)^2 - u(r, z)u(r, z')) dz dz' dr.$$

We have

$$\mathbb{E}[I(\delta)] \lesssim \psi(\delta) \phi(\delta) \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbb{E}[|J(\delta)|] \lesssim \delta^{\frac{1-\beta}{2}} \psi(\delta),$$

$$\phi(\delta) = \int_{[0, \delta]^2} \int_{\mathbb{R}^{2d}} G(s, y) \gamma(s - s') f(y - y') G(s', y') dy dy' ds ds'$$

By Markov's inequality, for any  $n \geq 1$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbb{P}\left(\left\{\int_0^t \|D_r u(t, x)\|_0^2 dr < \frac{1}{n}\right\} \cap \Omega_m\right) &\leq \mathbb{P}\left(I(\delta) + \frac{1}{2}J(\delta) > \frac{1}{2m^2}\psi(\delta) - \frac{1}{n}\right) \\ &\lesssim \left(\frac{1}{2m^2}\psi(\delta) - \frac{1}{n}\right)^{-1} \psi(\delta) \left(\phi(\delta) + \delta^{\frac{1-\beta}{2}}\right).\end{aligned}$$

Taking  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , one gets

$$\mathbb{P}\left(\left\{\int_0^t \|D_r u(t, x)\|_0^2 dr = 0\right\} \cap \Omega_m\right) \lesssim \phi(\delta) + \delta^{\frac{1-\beta}{2}}.$$

Next, we take  $\delta \rightarrow 0$  and obtain

$$\mathbb{P}\left(\left\{\int_0^t \|D_r u(t, x)\|_0^2 dr = 0\right\} \cap \Omega_m\right) = 0.$$



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