





## **Analysis and PDE Seminar**

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TITLE: Convergence of the discrete consensus-based optimization algorithm with heterogeneous noises

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Abstract. We present stochastic convergence analysis of the discrete consensus-based optimization (CBO) algorithm with random batch interactions and heterogeneous external noises, which guarantees the termination of the CBO algorithm. Despite successful performance in many practical simulations and remarkable analysis on kinetic level, the termination of the CBO algorithm was not rigorously investigated in such a generality as a discrete-time numerical algorithm. For this, we generalize the CBO algorithm with an abstract representative point, and then derive stochastic convergence of the individuals to a common point in mean-square and almost-sure sense under small noise assumption.



