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Strong Convergence of Split-Step Forward Methods for Stochastic Differential Equations Driven by $S\alpha S$ processes

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Abstract. We consider stochastic differential equation driven by α -stable processes. Three methods of drifting split-step Euler, diffused split-step Euler and three-stage Milstein for approximation of solution are used. The strong convergence of these three methods is proven and the upper bounds of their stabilities are obtained and depicted.

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1 Introduction

We consider one-dimensional time-independent Stable Lévy SDE's of the following form

$$\begin{cases} dX(t) = \mu(X(t)) dt + \sigma(X(t)) dS_\alpha(t), & t \in [t_0, T] \\ X(t_0) = X_0. \end{cases} \quad (1.1)$$

where $X(t)$ is a real-valued stochastic process and μ, σ are real well-defined functions. $\{S_\alpha(t), t \in [t_0, T]\}$ is $S_\alpha S$ process with $\alpha \in (1, 2]$ (for more details see [5, 6]). In this article, numerical methods on a given time interval $[t_0, T]$ are fixed by schemes based on equidistance time discretization points $t_n = t_0 + nh$, $n = 0, 1, \dots, N$ with step size $h = \frac{T-t_0}{N}$, $N = 1, 2, \dots$. We focus our attention that convergence in the strong sense. An approximation X_n convergence strongly to the exact solution $X(t_n)$ with order $p > 0$ if there exist constants $h_0, c \in (0, +\infty)$, such that for all $h \in (0, h_0)$

$$\mathbb{E}|X(t_n) - X_n| \leq ch^p.$$

For SDE (1.1), the well-known Euler–Maruyama (EM) method is given by [1]

$$X_{n+1} = X_n + \mu(X_n)h + \sigma(X_n)\Delta S_\alpha(t_n)$$

where $\Delta S_\alpha(t_n) = S_\alpha(t_{n+1}) - S_\alpha(t_n)$, two split-step forward methods takes attention of consideration.

The first one is drifting split-step Euler (DRSSE) method [8]

$$\begin{cases} \hat{X}_n = X_n + h\mu(X_n) \\ X_{n+1} = \hat{X}_n + \Delta S_\alpha(t_n)\sigma(\hat{X}_n) \end{cases}$$

The second type is called diffused split-step Euler (DISSE) method [8]:

$$\begin{cases} \hat{X}_n = X_n + \sigma(X_n)\Delta S_\alpha(t_n) \\ X_{n+1} = \hat{X}_n + h\mu(X_n) \end{cases}$$

Following classical three-stage Milstein (TSM) method we define the following TSM method.

$$\begin{cases} \hat{X}_{n1} = X_n - \frac{1}{2}h^{\frac{2}{\alpha}}\sigma(X_n)\sigma'(X_n) \\ \hat{X}_{n2} = \hat{X}_{n1} + h\mu(\hat{X}_{n1}) \\ X_{n+1} = \hat{X}_{n2} + \Delta S_\alpha\sigma(\hat{X}_{n2}) + \frac{1}{2}h^{\frac{1}{\alpha}}\sigma(\hat{X}_{n2})\sigma'(\hat{X}_{n2})\Delta S_\alpha \end{cases}$$

The following assumptions are required when considering the convergence properties of splitting schemes for SDE

Assumption 1 ([3, 8]). *The functions $\mu(\cdot)$, $\sigma(\cdot)$ and $\sigma(\cdot)\sigma'(\cdot)$ satisfy Lipschitz condition, i.e, there exist positive real k_1 such that*

$$|\mu(x_1) - \mu(x_2)| \vee |\sigma(x_1) - \sigma(x_2)| \vee |\sigma(x_1)\sigma'(x_1) - \sigma(x_2)\sigma'(x_2)| \leq k_1 |x_1 - x_2|$$

Assumption 2 ([3, 8]). *The functions $\mu(\cdot)$, $\sigma(\cdot)$ and $\sigma(\cdot)\sigma'(\cdot)$ satisfy β -growth condition for some $\beta \in (1, \alpha)$, i.e, for some constant $k_2 \in \mathbb{R}^+$*

$$|\mu(x)|^\beta \vee |\sigma(x)|^\beta \vee |\sigma(x)\sigma'(x)|^\beta \leq k_2(1 + |x|^\beta)$$

In the **Assumption 1** and **Assumption 2**, $a \vee b$ means $\max\{a, b\}$.

Lemma 1. *If μ and σ satisfy in **Assumption 1** and if $E|X_0| < \infty$ then $E(\bar{X}_k) < \infty$ for $k = 0, 1, \dots, N$ where*

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{X}_k &= \bar{X}_{t_{k-1}, X_{k-1}}(t_k) \\ &= \bar{X}_{k-1} + \mu(\bar{X}_{t_{k-1}})h + \sigma(\bar{X}_{t_{k-1}})\Delta S_\alpha(t_{k-1}), \quad k = 1, \dots, N \\ \bar{X}_0 &= X_0 = X(t_0) \end{aligned}$$

$$\bar{X}_{t,x}(t+h) = x + \mu(X(t))h + \sigma(X(t))\Delta S_\alpha(t)$$

Proof. First note that

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}(X_{t,x}(t+h) - \bar{X}_{t,x}(t+h)) &= \mathbb{E} \left[\int_t^{t+h} [\mu(X(s)) - \mu(X(t))] ds \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \int_t^{t+h} [\sigma(X(s)) - \sigma(X(t))] dS_\alpha(s) \right] \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} |\mathbb{E}(X_{t,x}(t+h) - \bar{X}_{t,x}(t+h))| &\leq \mathbb{E} \left[\int_t^{t+h} [|\mu(X(s)) - \mu(X(t))| \right. \\ &\quad \left. + |\sigma(X(s)) - \sigma(X(t))|] ds \right] \\ &\leq k \int_t^{t+h} [1 + |t-s|] ds \\ &\leq k(1+h)h \end{aligned}$$

Now we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbb{E} |\overline{X}_{k+1}| &= \mathbb{E} \left| \overline{X}_{t_k, \overline{X}_k}(t_{k+1}) \right| \\
&= \mathbb{E} \left| \overline{X}_{t_k, \overline{X}_k}(t_{k+1}) - \overline{X}_k + \overline{X}_k - X_{t_k, \overline{X}_k}(t_{k+1}) + X_{t_k, \overline{X}_k}(t_{k+1}) \right| \\
&= \mathbb{E} \left| \overline{X}_k + (X_{t_k, \overline{X}_k}(t_{k+1}) - \overline{X}_k) \right. \\
&\quad \left. + (\overline{X}_{t_k, \overline{X}_k}(t_{k+1}) - X_{t_k, \overline{X}_k}(t_{k+1})) \right| \\
&\leq \mathbb{E} |\overline{X}_k| + \mathbb{E} |X_{t_k, \overline{X}_k}(t_{k+1}) - \overline{X}_k| \\
&\quad + \mathbb{E} |\overline{X}_{t_k, \overline{X}_k}(t_{k+1}) - X_{t_k, \overline{X}_k}(t_{k+1})|
\end{aligned}$$

So if $\mathbb{E} |\overline{X}_k| < \infty$ then so is $\mathbb{E} |\overline{X}_{k+1}|$. In other words if $\mathbb{E} |X_0| < \infty$ then $\mathbb{E} (|\overline{X}_k|) < \infty$ for $k = 1, 2, \dots, N$.

The finiteness of the second part of inequality is verified as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbb{E} |X_{t_k, \overline{X}_k}(t_{k+1}) - \overline{X}_k| &= \mathbb{E} \left| \overline{X}_k + \int_{t_k}^{t_{k+1}} \mu(X(s)) ds \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \int_{t_k}^{t_{k+1}} \sigma(X(s)) dS_\alpha(s) - \overline{X}_k \right| \\
&= \mathbb{E} \left| \int_{t_k}^{t_{k+1}} \mu(X(s)) ds \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \int_{t_k}^{t_{k+1}} \sigma(X(s)) dS_\alpha(s) \right| \leq kh
\end{aligned}$$

□

Lemma 2. *If conditions of [Lemma 1](#) satisfy, then*

$$\mathbb{E} |\overline{X}_k| \leq k(1 + \mathbb{E} |\overline{X}_0|)$$

Proof. By using the conditional version of [Lemma 1](#), we have

$$\mathbb{E} |X_{t_k, \overline{X}_k}(t_{k+1}) - \overline{X}_{t_k, \overline{X}_k}(t_{k+1})| \leq k(1 + \mathbb{E} |\overline{X}_k|)h$$

consider again the inequality, we obtain

$$\mathbb{E} |X_{t_k, \overline{X}_k}(t_{k+1}) - \overline{X}_k| \leq k(1 + \mathbb{E} |\overline{X}_k|)h$$

or equivalently

$$\mathbb{E} |\bar{X}_{k+1}| \leq E |\bar{X}_k| + k(1 + \mathbb{E} |\bar{X}_k|)$$

Now using the well known resulting inequality given in [Lemma 3](#) we obtain the result. \square

Lemma 3. *Suppose that for arbitrary $N \in \mathbb{N}$ and $k = 0, 1, \dots, N$ we have*

$$u_{k+1} \leq (1 + Ah)u_k + Bh^p \quad (1.2)$$

where $h = \frac{T}{N}$, $A, B \geq 0$, $p \geq 1$, $u_k \geq 0$, $k = 0, 1, \dots, N$ then

$$u_k \leq e^{AT} u_0 + \frac{B}{A} (e^{AT} - 1) h^{p-1} \quad (1.3)$$

2 Strong Convergence of DRSSE and DISSE

We now obtain the strong convergence of split step Euler method, under [Assumption 1](#)

Theorem 1. *Let X_k be the numerical approximation $X(t_k)$ after k steps with step size $h = \frac{T}{N}$, $N = 1, 2, \dots$ $E |X_k| < \infty$. Apply one of DRESE or DFSSE methods to the given SDE, under [Assumption 1](#), then for all $k = 0, 1, \dots, N$ we have*

$$\mathbb{E} \left(|X_k - X(t_k)| \mid X(t_0) = X_0 \right) = O(h^{\frac{1}{2}})$$

Proof. We denote Euler-Maruyama approximation step by

$$E^{\text{EM}} = X_k + \mu(X_k)h + \sigma(X_k)\Delta S_\alpha(t_k), \quad k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

then there exists constants $k_1, k > 0$ such that

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathbb{E} \left(|X(t_{k+1}) - X_{k+1}| \mid X_k = X(t_k) \right) \\ & \leq \mathbb{E} \left(|X(t_{k+1}) - E_{k+1}^{\text{EM}}| \mid X_k = X(t_k) \right) \\ & + \mathbb{E} \left(|E_{k+1}^{\text{EM}} - X(t_{k+1})| \mid X_k = X(t_k) \right) \\ & \leq k(1 + \mathbb{E} |X_k|) + \mathbb{E} \left(|E_{k+1}^{\text{EM}} - X(t_{k+1})| \mid X_k = X(t_k) \right) \end{aligned}$$

Now

$$\begin{aligned}
& \mathbb{E} \left(|E_{k+1}^{\text{EM}} - X(t_{k+1})| \mid X_k = X(t_k) \right) \\
&= \begin{cases} \text{for DRSSE method} \\ \mathbb{E} \left(|\sigma(X_{t_k}) - \sigma(X_k + h\mu(X_k))| \mid \Delta S_\alpha(t_k) \mid X_k = X_{t_k} \right) \\ \text{for DFSSE method} \\ \mathbb{E} \left(|\sigma(X_{t_k}) - \sigma(X_k + h\mu(X_k))| \mid \Delta S_\alpha(t_k) \mid X_k = X_{t_k} \right) \end{cases} \\
&\leq k_1 (1 + \mathbb{E} |X_k|) h^{\frac{1}{2}}
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore the inequality is less than or equal to $k(1 + E|X_0|)h^{\frac{1}{2}}$. \square

Lemma 4. Suppose the one-step approximation $\bar{X}_{t,x}(t+h)$ has order of accuracy p_1 for the mathematical expectation of the deviation and order of accuracy p_2 for the β -growth deviation ($1 \leq \beta < \alpha < 2$) more precicely, for arbitrary $t_0 \leq t \leq t_0 + T - h$, $x \in \mathbb{R}$ the following inequality hold:

$$|\mathbb{E}(X_{t,x}(t+h) - \bar{X}_{t,x}(t+h))| \leq k(1 + |x|^\beta)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} h^{\frac{1}{p_1}} \quad (2.1)$$

$$[\mathbb{E}|X_{t,x}(t+h) - \bar{X}_{t,x}(t+h)|^\beta]^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \leq k(1 + |x|^\beta)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} h^{\frac{1}{p_2}} \quad (2.2)$$

Proof. By using Minkowski's inequality, we modified [4, Theorem 1.1] for α -stable motion with $\beta \in [1, \alpha]$ ($1 < \alpha \leq 2$). \square

Lemma 5. Let for all natural number N and for all $k = 0, 1, \dots, N$ we have $\mathbb{E}(|X_k|^\beta) < \infty$. Then the following inequality hold:

$$\mathbb{E}(|X_k|^\beta) \leq k(1 + \mathbb{E}|X_0|^\beta)$$

Proof. Suppose that $\mathbb{E}|x_k|^\beta < \infty$. Then using conditional version of (2.2) we obtain

$$\mathbb{E}|X_{t_k, x_k}(t_{k+1}) - \bar{X}_{t_k, x_k}(t_{k+1})| \leq k^\beta (1 + \mathbb{E}|x_k|^\beta)^\beta h^{p_2} \quad (2.3)$$

It is well-known that is a random variable X has bounded β -th moment, then the solution $X_{t,x}(t+\theta)$ also has bounded β -th moment. Therefore

$\mathbb{E}|X_{t,x_k}(t_{k+1})|^\beta < \infty$ which implies $\mathbb{E}|X_{k+1}|^\beta < \infty$. Since $\mathbb{E}|X_k|^\beta < \infty$ we have proved the existence of all $\mathbb{E}|X_k|^\beta < \infty$, $k = 0, \dots, N$. Consider the inequality

$$(\mathbb{E}|X_{k+1}|^\beta)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \leq (\mathbb{E}|X_k|^\beta)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} + (\mathbb{E}|X_{t_k,\bar{x}_k}(t_{k+1}) - X_k|^\beta)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \quad (2.4)$$

$$+ (\mathbb{E}|X_{t_k,\bar{x}_k}(t_{k+1}) - \bar{X}_{t_k,\bar{x}_k}(t_{k+1})|^\beta)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \quad (2.5)$$

we have

$$(\mathbb{E}|X_{t_k,\bar{x}_k}(t_{k+1}) - X_k|^\beta) \leq kh(1 + \mathbb{E}|X_k|^\beta) \quad (2.6)$$

It is not difficult to prove the inequality

$$\mathbb{E}|\mathbb{E}(X_{t_k,\bar{X}_k} - \bar{X}_k | X(t_k))|^\beta \leq kh^\beta(1 + \mathbb{E}|X_k|^\beta) \quad (2.7)$$

Applying the inequality (2.3), (2.5) and (2.6) to inequality (2.7) and recalling that $p_1 \geq 1$, $p_2 \geq \frac{1}{2}$, we arrive at the inequality (for $h \leq 1$)

$$\mathbb{E}|X_{k+1}|^\beta \leq \mathbb{E}|X_k|^\beta + kh(1 + \mathbb{E}|X_k|^\beta) = kh + (1 + kh)\mathbb{E}|X_k|^\beta \quad (2.8)$$

Again using [Lemma 3](#) we get to result. \square

Theorem 2. *Let X_k be the numerical approximation to $X(t_k)$ at time T after k steps with step size $h = \frac{T}{N}$, $N = 1, 2, \dots$, $\mathbb{E}|X_k|^\beta < \infty$. Apply one of split-step Euler methods to the SDE (1.1) under [Assumption 2](#), then for all $k = 0, 1, \dots, N$ we have*

$$\left[\mathbb{E}|X_k - X(t_k)|^\beta \mid X_0 = X(t_0) \right]^{\frac{1}{\beta}} = O(h^{\frac{1}{\beta}})$$

Proof. Let X_{k+1}^E stand for the local Euler approximation

$$X_{k+1}^E = X_k + h\mu(X_k) + \sigma(X_k)\Delta S_{\alpha k}, \quad k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

then $A_1 = \mathbb{E}^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \left(|X(t_{k+1}) - X_{k+1}^E|^\beta \mid X_0 = X(t_0) \right)$. By using Minkowski's inequality, we have

$$\begin{aligned} A_1 &\leq \mathbb{E}^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \left(|X_{t_{k+1}} - X_{k+1}|^\beta \mid X_k = X(t_k) \right) \\ &\quad + \mathbb{E}^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \left(|X_{k+1}^E - X(t_{k+1})|^\beta \mid X_k = X(t_k) \right) \end{aligned}$$

But Lemma attain that

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \left(|X(t_{k+1}) - X_{k+1}^E|^\beta \mid X_k = X(t_k) \right) &\leq k \left[1 + \mathbb{E} |X_k|^\beta \right] \\ &\leq k \left[1 + \mathbb{E} |X_k| \right]^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} &\mathbb{E}^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \left[|X(t_{k+1}) - X_{k+1}^E|^\beta \mid X_k = X(t_k) \right] \\ &= \begin{cases} \text{for DRSSE method} \\ \mathbb{E}^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \left[|(\sigma(X_k) - \sigma(X_k^E))^\beta \Delta S_{\alpha k}|^\beta \mid X_k = X(t_k) \right] \\ \text{for DFSSE method} \\ \mathbb{E}^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \left[|(\mu(X_k) - \mu(X_k^E))^\beta \Delta S_{\alpha k}|^\beta \mid X_k = X(t_k) \right] \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

then

$$\mathbb{E}^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \left[|X_{k_1}^E - X_{k+1}|^\beta \mid X_k = X(t_k) \right] \leq k_1 \left[1 + \mathbb{E} |X_k|^\beta \right]^{\frac{1}{\beta}} h^{\frac{3}{\beta}}$$

therefore

$$A \leq k \left[1 + \mathbb{E} |X_k|^\beta \right]^{\frac{1}{\beta}} h + k_1 \left[1 + \mathbb{E} |X_k|^\beta \right]^{\frac{1}{\beta}} h^{\frac{3}{\beta}}$$

but $\frac{3}{2} \leq \frac{3}{\beta} < 3$ and therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{k \left[1 + \mathbb{E} |X_k|^\beta \right]^{\frac{1}{\beta}} h + k_1 \left[1 + \mathbb{E} |X_k|^\beta \right]^{\frac{1}{\beta}} h^{\frac{3}{\beta}}}{h^{\frac{1}{\beta}}} &= k \left[1 + \mathbb{E} |X_k|^\beta \right]^{\frac{1}{\beta}} h^{1-\frac{1}{\beta}} \\ &\quad + k_1 \left[1 + \mathbb{E} |X_k|^\beta \right]^{\frac{1}{\beta}} h^{\frac{2}{\beta}} \end{aligned}$$

which tends to zero as $h \rightarrow 0$. The proof is complet \square

Theorem 3. *Let X_k be the numerical approximation to $X(t_k)$ at time t_k after k steps with step size $h = \frac{T}{N}$, $N = 1, 2, \dots$. Apply the three-stage Milstein method to the SDE (1.1) under **Assumption 1**, and **Assumption 2**, then for all $k = 0, 1, \dots, N$ we have*

$$\left(\mathbb{E} \left[|X_k - X(t_k)|^\beta \mid X_0 = X(t_0) \right] \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} = O(h)$$

Proof. Denote the local Milstein approximation step

$$X_{n+1}^M = \hat{X}_{n_2} + \Delta S_\alpha \sigma(\hat{X}_{n_2}) + \frac{1}{2} \sigma(\hat{X}_{n_2}) \sigma'(\hat{X}_{n_2}) (\Delta S_\alpha)^2$$

then there exist some constant $k > 0$ such that

$$\begin{aligned} H_1 &= \left| \mathbb{E} \left[X(t_{n+1}) - X(t_n) \middle| X_n = X(t_n) \right] \right| \\ &= \left| \mathbb{E} \left[X(t_{n+1}) - X_{n+1}^M \middle| X_n = X(t_n) \right] \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \mathbb{E} \left[X_{n+1}^M - X_{n+1} \middle| X_n = X(t_n) \right] \right| \\ &\leq k (1 + \mathbb{E} |X_n|) h + H_2 \end{aligned}$$

with

$$\begin{aligned} H_2 &= \left| \mathbb{E} \left[X_{n+1}^M - X_{n+1} \middle| X_n = X(t_n) \right] \right| \\ &\leq \begin{cases} \left| \mathbb{E} \left[\Delta S_\alpha (\sigma(X_n) - \sigma(\bar{X}_{n2})) \middle| X_n = X(t_n) \right] \right| \\ \quad + \left| \mathbb{E} \left[\frac{1}{2} (\Delta S_\alpha)^2 \sigma(X_n) \sigma'(X_n) - \sigma(\bar{X}_{n2}) \sigma'(\bar{X}_{n2}) \middle| X_n = X(t_n) \right] \right| \\ \quad + \left| \mathbb{E} \left[h (\mu(X_n) - \mu(\bar{X}_{n1})) \middle| X_n = X(t_n) \right] \right|, \\ \text{if TSM method is used.} \end{cases} \\ &\leq k_1 h \left(\left| \mathbb{E} \left[X_n - \bar{X}_{n1} \middle| X_n = X(t_n) \right] \right| + \left| \mathbb{E} \left[X_n - \bar{X}_{n2} \middle| X_n = X(t_n) \right] \right| \right) \\ &\leq k (1 + \mathbb{E} |X_n|) h \end{aligned}$$

similary we check estimate for local β -th mean of tree-stage Milstain and obtain for $n = 0, 1, \dots, N - 1$ by standard arguments

$$\begin{aligned} H_3 &= \left(\mathbb{E} \left[|X(t_{n+1}) - X_{n+1}|^\beta \mid X_n = X(t_n) \right] \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \\ &\leq \left(\mathbb{E} \left[|X(t_{n+1}) - X_{n+1}^M|^\beta \mid X_n = X(t_n) \right] \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \\ &\quad + \left(\mathbb{E} \left[|X_{n+1}^M - X_{n+1}|^\beta \mid X_n = X(t_n) \right] \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \\ &\leq k \left(1 + \mathbb{E} |X_n| \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} h^{\frac{3}{\beta}} + H_4 \end{aligned}$$

with

$$\begin{aligned} H_4 &= \left(\mathbb{E} \left[|X_{n+1}^M - X_{n+1}|^\beta \mid X_n = X(t_n) \right] \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \\ &\leq \begin{cases} \left(\mathbb{E} \left[|\Delta S_\alpha(\sigma(X_n) - \sigma(\bar{X}_{n2}))|^\beta \mid X_n = X(t_n) \right] \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \\ \quad + \left(\mathbb{E} \left[\left| \frac{1}{2} \Delta S_\alpha(\sigma(X_n)\sigma'(X_n) - \sigma(X_{n2})\sigma'(X_{n2})) \right|^\beta \mid X_n = X(t_n) \right] \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \\ \quad + \left(\mathbb{E} \left[|h(\mu(X_n) - \mu(X_{n1}))|^\beta \mid X_n = X(t_n) \right] \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}}, \end{cases} \\ &\quad \text{if TSM method is used.} \\ &\leq k_1 h^{\frac{3}{\beta}} \left(\mathbb{E} \left[(X_n - \bar{X}_{n1})^\beta \mid X_n = X(t_n) \right] \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \\ &\quad + \left(\mathbb{E} \left[(X_n - \bar{X}_{n2})^\beta \mid X_n = X(t_n) \right] \right)^{\frac{1}{\beta}} \leq k \left(1 + \mathbb{E} |X_n|^\beta \right) h^{\frac{3}{\beta}} \end{aligned}$$

□

The last inequality is obtained under [Assumption 2](#) and [Lemma 5](#) the exponent $p_2 = \frac{3}{\beta}$ together with $p_1 = \beta$ and apply it to finally prove the strong order $\gamma = 1$ of the three-stage Milstain methods as was claimed in theorem.

3 Stability properties

The stability of the methods are considered in this subsection we apply one-step scheme to the scalar linear test equation

$$dX(t) = \lambda X(t) dt + \mu X(t) dS_\alpha(t), \quad X(t_0) = X_0 \quad (3.1)$$

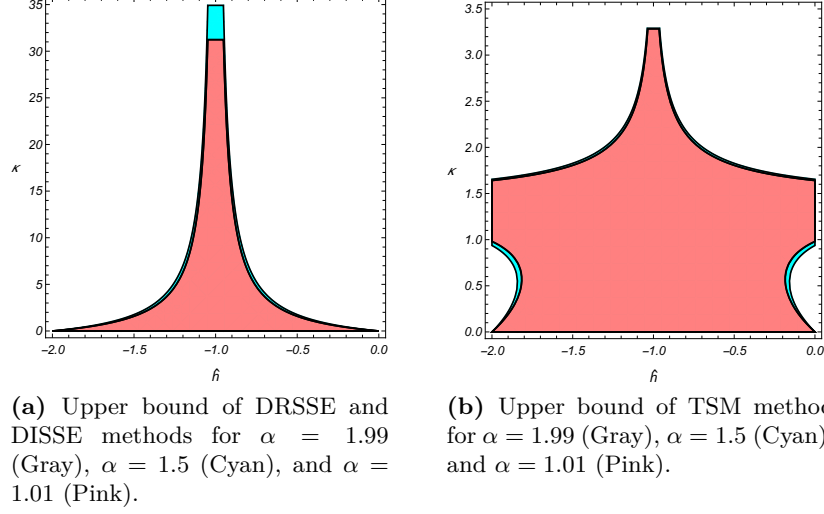


Figure 1: Stability bounds for $\alpha = 1.2$, $\alpha = 0.8$, and $\alpha = 0.5$.

which is represented by

$$X_{n+1} = R(\hat{h}, \kappa, h, S)X_n$$

where $S = S_\alpha(t_n)$ is stable random variable $S \sim S_\alpha S$ with dispersion h , $\hat{h} = \lambda h$, and $\kappa = h^{\frac{1}{\alpha}} \mu$. However, motivated by [3, 7, 8], we can extend the definition of stability and introduce absolute-value (AV) stability for α -stable motion.

Definition 1. The numerical method is to be AV-stable for \hat{h}, κ and h if

$$\overline{R}(\hat{h}, \kappa, h) = \mathbb{E} \left| R(\hat{h}, \kappa, h, S) \right| < 1$$

$\overline{R}(\hat{h}, \kappa, h)$ is called AV-stability function of the numerical method.

Applying one of DRSSE or DISSE to (3.1) we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} X_{n+1} &= (1 + \hat{h})(1 + \kappa S)X_n \\ &= R_1(\hat{h}, \kappa, h, S)X_n \end{aligned}$$

Then bound of AV-stability function of these methods is given by

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{R}_1 &= \mathbb{E}|R_1| = |1 + \hat{h}| \mathbb{E}(|1 + \kappa S|) \\ &\leq |1 + \hat{h}| (1 + |\kappa| \mathbb{E}|S|) \\ &= |1 + \hat{h}| \left(1 + \frac{2}{\pi} \kappa \Gamma\left(\frac{2}{\alpha}\right)\right)\end{aligned}$$

Now applying TSM method to (3.1) we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}X_{n+1} &= (1 + \hat{h}) \left(1 - \frac{1}{2} \kappa^2\right) \left(1 + \kappa S + \frac{1}{2} \kappa^2 S\right) X_n \\ &= R_2(\hat{h}, \kappa, h, S) X_n\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{R}_2 &= \mathbb{E}|R_2| = |1 + \hat{h}| \left|1 - \frac{1}{2} \kappa^2\right| \left|1 + \kappa S + \frac{1}{2} \kappa^2 S\right| \\ &\leq |1 + \hat{h}| \left|1 - \frac{1}{2} \kappa^2\right| \left(1 + \left(\kappa + \frac{1}{2} \kappa^2\right) |S|\right) \frac{2}{\pi} h^\alpha \Gamma\left(\frac{2}{\alpha}\right) \\ &= |1 + \hat{h}| \left|1 - \frac{1}{2} \kappa^2\right| \left(1 + \left(\kappa + \frac{1}{2} \kappa^2\right) \frac{2}{\pi} \Gamma\left(\frac{2}{\alpha}\right)\right)\end{aligned}$$

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