

Random Evolutions in Continuum

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MACRO and MICRO models

PDE AND SPDE

as **macroscopic dynamical descriptions** coming from **microscopic models** via

- scaling limits for dynamics (hydrodynamic, Vlasov, Landau etc.)
- scaling of fluctuations (equilibrium or non-equilibrium)
- closure of (infinite linear) moment systems
- hierarchical chains (BBGKY etc.)
- heuristic arguments

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MACRO and MICRO models

Some **qualitative** predictions based on the use of PDE and SPDE may be considered as **approximations** to more detailed behaviors of microscopic systems, which are mathematical models of the real world notions.

All models are caricatures of reality.

Mark Kac

MICRO \Rightarrow MACRO ?

MACRO \Rightarrow MICRO ?

Inverse problems, calibration, data assimilation, etc.

Complex Systems: BIO sciences

SIMON A. LEVIN (Princeton)

"Complex Adaptive Systems: Exploring the Known, the Unknown and the Unknowable", Bull. AMS, 2002:

- (1) diversity and individuality of components
- (2) localized interactions among components
- (3) the outcomes of interactions used for replication or enhancement of components

Complex Systems: SOCIO sciences

PHILIP BALL "Critical Mass" (2004): PHYSICS OF SOCIETY

- Complexity theory seeks to understand how the order and stability arise from the interactions of many agents
- We can make predictions about society even in the face of individual free will, and perhaps even illuminate the limits of that free will
- It is a science of humans collective behavior

THOMAS HOBBS, "Leviathan" (1651):

WE MUST ASK NOT JUST **HOW** THINGS HAPPEN IN SOCIETY,
BUT **WHY**.

Statistical Mechanics for Complex Systems

R.GOMORY:

The central problem is to develop an appropriate **statistical mechanics** that allows one to separate the **knowable unknown** from the truly **unknowable**.

Such mechanics will have to deal with heterogeneous ensembles of **interacting agents** and with the continual refreshment of that ensemble by novel and unpredictable types.

Statistical Mechanics for Complex Systems

The shift from Newtonian determinism to statistical science is what makes a physics of society possible.

SOCIETY ITSELF IS FUNDAMENTALLY
A **STATISTICAL PHENOMENON**.

Statistical Mechanics for Physics

Equilibrium StatPhys

Non-equilibrium StatPhys

Hamiltonian dynamics

Stochastic dynamics

(Glauber, Kawasaki, Metropolis, ...)

$(\text{Math. StatPhys}) \subset (\text{ID Analysis})$

Interacting Particle Systems

IPS as models in

physics (gases, fluids, condensed matter)

chemical kinetics

population biology, ecology (individual based models=IBM)

sociology, economics (agent based models=ABM)

LATTICE (OR) (AND) (vs.) **CONTINUOUS**

Individual Based Models

RICHARD LAW ET AL., *Ecology*, **84**(2003):

IBM is a **stochastic (Markov) process** with events comprising

birth,

death,

and movement.

Ecological models:

Bolker/Pacala, 1997, ...

Dieckmann/Law/Metz, 2000, ...

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Meleard et al., 2004

Birch/Young, 2006

Kondratiev/Srorokhod, 2006

Finkelshtein/Kondratiev/Kutovyi, 2007-2009

We will consider

INDIVIDUAL BASED **DYNAMICAL COMPETITION MODELS**

RATHER THAN

COEXISTENCE REGULATION MECHANISMS,

C.F.,

K/MINLOS/ZHIZHINA, '07 (ECONOMICS)

K/KUNA/OHLERICH, '07 (GENETICS)

Mathematics and real world models

”RICHTIGES AUFFASSEN EINER SACHE UND
MISSVERSTEHEN DER GLEICHEN SACHE
SCHLISSEN EINANDER NICHT VOLLSTÄNDIG AUS”.

F.Kafka

(Right understanding of a notion and its wrong understanding
do not exclude each other completely)

Mathematics and real world models

From a speech of I.M.Gelfand at the Royal East Research,
September 3, 2003:

”MATHEMATICS IS A LANGUAGE.

MATHEMATICS IS AN ADEQUATE LANGUAGE IN MANY AREAS SUCH AS
PHYSICS, ENGINEERING, BIOLOGY. THIS IS A VERY IMPORTANT NOTION AN
ADEQUATE LANGUAGE...

THE LANGUAGE OF MATHEMATICS ALLOWS US TO ORGANIZE A LOT OF
THINGS”.

General facts and notations

The configuration space:

$$\Gamma := \{ \gamma \subset \mathbb{R}^d \mid |\gamma \cap \Lambda| < \infty \text{ for all compact } \Lambda \subset \mathbb{R}^d \}.$$

($|\cdot|$ cardinality of set).

Vague topology on Γ :

the weakest topology s.t. all functions

$$\Gamma \ni \gamma \mapsto \sum_{x \in \gamma} f(x) = \langle f, \gamma \rangle \in \mathbb{R}$$

are continuous for all $f \in C_0(\mathbb{R}^d)$.

Γ is a Polish space.

n-point configuration space:

$$\Gamma^{(n)} := \{ \eta \subset \mathbb{R}^d \mid |\eta| = n \}, \quad n \in \mathbb{N}_0.$$

The space of finite configurations:

$$\Gamma_0 := \bigsqcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0} \Gamma^{(n)}.$$

K -transform

Combinatorial Fourier transform (Lenard; Kondratiev/ Kuna):
additive type observables

$$KG(\gamma) := \sum_{\xi \in \gamma} G(\xi), \quad \gamma \in \Gamma$$

for

$$G : \Gamma_0 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

(quasi-observables)

$$K^{-1}F(\eta) := \sum_{\xi \subset \eta} (-1)^{|\eta \setminus \xi|} F(\xi), \quad \eta \in \Gamma_0$$

Convolution (Kondratiev/Kuna):

$$(G_1 \star G_2)(\eta) := \sum_{(\xi_1, \xi_2, \xi_3) \in \mathcal{P}_\emptyset^3(\eta)} G_1(\xi_1 \cup \xi_2) G_2(\xi_2 \cup \xi_3),$$

with property

$$K(G_1 \star G_2) = KG_1 \cdot KG_2$$

Correlation measure

$\mathcal{M}_{\text{fm}}^1(\Gamma)$ = *probability measures* with finite local moments.

$\mathcal{M}_{\text{lf}}(\Gamma_0)$ = *locally finite measures* on Γ_0 .

One can define

$K^* : \mathcal{M}_{\text{fm}}^1(\Gamma) \rightarrow \mathcal{M}_{\text{lf}}(\Gamma_0) :$

$\forall \mu \in \mathcal{M}_{\text{fm}}^1(\Gamma), G \in B_{\text{bs}}(\Gamma_0)$

$$\int_{\Gamma} KG(\gamma)\mu(d\gamma) = \int_{\Gamma_0} G(\eta) (K^*\mu)(d\eta).$$

$$\rho_{\mu} := K^*\mu$$

is called the *correlation measure*.

Theorem

Let $\mu \in \mathcal{M}_{\text{fin}}^1(\Gamma)$ be given. For any $G \in L^1(\Gamma_0, \rho_\mu)$ we define

$$KG(\gamma) := \sum_{\eta \in \gamma} G(\eta),$$

where the later series is μ -a.s. absolutely convergent. Furthermore, we have $KG \in L^1(\Gamma, \mu)$,

$$\int_{\Gamma_0} G(\eta) \rho_\mu(d\eta) = \int_{\Gamma} (KG)(\gamma) \mu(d\gamma).$$

Lebesgue-Poisson measure

σ = Lebesgue measure on $(\mathbb{R}^d, \mathcal{B}(\mathbb{R}^d))$.

For any $n \in \mathbb{N}$ measure $\sigma^{\otimes n}$ can be considered on $\widetilde{(\mathbb{R}^d)^n}$.

$\sigma^{(n)}$ = projection on $\Gamma^{(n)}$.

The **Lebesgue-Poisson measure** λ_z , $z > 0$ on Γ_0 :

$$\lambda_z := \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{n!} \sigma^{(n)}.$$

Poisson measure

The **Poisson measure** π_z on $(\Gamma, \mathcal{B}(\Gamma))$ is given as the projective limit of the family of measures $\{\pi_z^\Lambda\}_{\Lambda \in \mathcal{B}_b(\mathbb{R}^d)}$, where π_z^Λ is the measure on Γ_Λ defined by

$$\pi_z^\Lambda := e^{-z\sigma(\Lambda)} \lambda_z.$$

$$\int_{\Gamma} e^{\langle f, \gamma \rangle} d\pi_z(\gamma) = \exp\left\{ \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} (e^{f(x)} - 1) z dx \right\}.$$

$$\int_{\Gamma} \sum_{x \in \gamma} F(x, \gamma) d\pi_z(\gamma) = \int_{\Gamma} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} F(x, \gamma) z dx d\pi_z(\gamma)$$

Correlation functions

A measure $\mu \in \mathcal{M}_{\text{fm}}^1(\Gamma)$ is called

locally absolutely continuous

w.r.t. π_z iff $\mu_\Lambda := \mu \circ p_\Lambda^{-1}$

is absolutely continuous with respect to $\pi_z^\Lambda = \pi_z \circ p_\Lambda^{-1}$
for all $\Lambda \in \mathcal{B}_b(\mathbb{R}^d)$.

In this case $\rho_\mu := K^* \mu$ is absolutely continuous w.r.t λ_z .

$$k_\mu(\eta) := \frac{d\rho_\mu}{d\lambda_z}(\eta), \quad \eta \in \Gamma_0.$$

$$k_\mu^{(n)} : (\mathbb{R}^d)^n \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$$

$$k_\mu^{(n)}(x_1, \dots, x_n) :=$$

$$k_\mu(\{x_1, \dots, x_n\})$$

correlation functions.

Definition

A measure $\rho \in \mathcal{M}_{lf}(\Gamma_0)$ is called positive definite if

$$\int_{\Gamma_0} (G \star \overline{G})(\eta) \rho(d\eta) \geq 0, \quad \forall G \in B_{bs}(\Gamma_0),$$

where \overline{G} is a complex conjugate of G . The measure ρ is called normalized iff $\rho(\{\emptyset\}) = 1$.

Theorem (Kondratiev/Kuna)

Let $\rho \in \mathcal{M}_{lf}(\Gamma_0)$ be given. Assume that ρ is positive definite, normalized and that for each bounded open $\Lambda \subset \mathbb{R}^d$, for every $C > 0$ there exists $D_{\Lambda, C} > 0$ s.t.

$$\rho(\Gamma_{\Lambda}^n) \leq D_{\Lambda, C} C^n, \quad n \in \mathbb{N}_0.$$

Then there exists a unique measure $\mu \in \mathcal{M}_{fm}^1(\Gamma)$ with $\rho = K^* \mu$.

Remark: A sufficient condition for the bound in the theorem:

$$k^{(n)} \leq C^n (n!)^{1-\varepsilon}.$$

B-A-D generators

Birth-and-death processes in continuum with generators

$$(LF)(\gamma) = \sum_{x \in \gamma} d(x, \gamma \setminus x)[F(\gamma \setminus x) - F(\gamma)] + \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} b(x, \gamma)[F(\gamma \cup x) - F(\gamma)] dx$$

Some ecological processes are specified by:

$$b(x, \gamma) = \sum_{y \in \gamma} B_y(x, \gamma)$$

$$b(x, \emptyset) = 0$$

Existence problem

K/Lytvynov	}	Dirichlet forms
K/Lytvynov/Röckner		
K/Kutoviy/Zhizhina	}	Glauber dynamics
K/Kutoviy/Minlos		
Holley/Stroock	}	particular classes
Ferrari/ Garcia		
K/Skorokhod		
Garcia/Kurtz		
Finkelshtein/K/Kutoviy		

Correlation equations

moment equations = hierarchical equations

μ_0 = initial distribution

$X_t^{\mu_0} \in \Gamma$ Markov process with initial distribution μ_0

$\mu_t \in \mathcal{M}^1(\Gamma)$ distribution at time $t > 0$

Correlation functions

$f^{(n)}(x_1, \dots, x_n)$ symmetric function on \mathbb{R}^{nd} ,
 $\gamma = \{x_1, x_2, \dots\} \subset \mathbb{R}^d$

$$\int_{\Gamma} \sum_{\{x_{i_1}, \dots, x_{i_n}\} \subset \gamma} f^{(n)}(x_{i_1}, \dots, x_{i_n}) d\mu(\gamma)$$

$$= \frac{1}{n!} \int_{\mathbb{R}^{nd}} f^{(n)}(y_1, \dots, y_n) k_{\mu}^{(n)}(y_1, \dots, y_n) d\sigma(y_1) \cdots d\sigma(y_n)$$

$$\mu \Leftrightarrow (k_{\mu}^{(n)})_{n=0}^{\infty}$$

Lenard

K/Kuna

Berezansky/K/Kuna/Lytvynov

Correlation functions dynamics

In components:

$$\frac{\partial k_t^{(n)}}{\partial t} = (L_{CF} k_t)^{(n)}, n \geq 0$$

$$\boxed{\frac{\partial k_t}{\partial t} = L_{CF} k_t}$$

L_{CF} : CF evolution generator, $k_t = (k_t^{(n)})_{n=0}^{\infty}$.

General theory of CF generators for B-A-D processes
and several particular models: [Finkelstein/K/Oliveira '07-'09]

Compare: BBGKY-hierarchy etc.

Harmonic analysis on configuration space

$$L : \frac{dF_t}{dt} = LF_t$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \Gamma, F & \xleftrightarrow{\langle F, \mu \rangle = \int_{\Gamma} F d\mu} & \mathcal{M}_{\text{fin}}^1(\Gamma) \\
 \uparrow K & & \uparrow K^* \\
 \Gamma_0, G & \xleftrightarrow{\langle G, k \rangle = \int_{\Gamma_0} G k d\lambda} & \mathcal{K}(\Gamma_0)
 \end{array}$$

Lenard

$$L^* : \frac{d\mu_t}{dt} = L^* \mu_t$$

$$\hat{L} := K^{-1} L K$$

$$\hat{L}^* : \frac{dk_t}{dt} = \hat{L}^* k_t$$

K-transform:

$$KG(\gamma) := \sum_{\xi \in \gamma} G(\xi), \quad \gamma \in \Gamma.$$

General scheme of construction of non-equilibrium process

- Let $\rho : \Gamma_0 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be arbitrary positive function. Denote

$$\mathcal{M}_\rho^1(\Gamma) := \{ \mu \in \mathcal{M}^1(\Gamma) \mid k_\mu \leq \text{const} \cdot \rho \}.$$

- Let L be a Markov pre-generator defined on some set of functions $\mathcal{F}(\Gamma)$ given on the configuration space Γ .

$$\frac{\partial F_t}{\partial t} = LF_t, \quad (KE)$$

$$F_t = e^{tL} F_0 \quad (\text{Markov semigroup})$$

$$\frac{\partial \mu_t}{\partial t} = L^* \mu_t, \quad (DKE = FPE)$$

$$\mu_t = e^{tL^*} \mu_0 \quad (\text{state evolution})$$

- Let

$$\hat{L} := K^{-1}LK$$

be a formal K -transform or symbol of the operator L (our starting object).

- We consider

$$\hat{L} : D(\hat{L}) \subset \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \mathcal{L}$$

in a Banach space

$$\mathcal{L} := L^1(\Gamma_0, \rho d\lambda_1) = \bigoplus_{n=0}^{\infty} L^1\left(\Gamma^{(n)}, \rho^{(n)} \sigma^{(n)}\right).$$

Suppose that domain of this operator is such that it is closed and densely defined in \mathcal{L} .

- Suppose that $(\hat{L}, D(\hat{L}))$ is a generator of a semigroup in \mathcal{L} :

$$\hat{L} \rightarrow \hat{U}_t, t \geq 0$$

- Introducing duality between Banach spaces \mathcal{L} and

$$\mathcal{K}(\rho) := \{k : \Gamma_0 \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \mid k \cdot \rho^{-1} \in L^\infty(\Gamma_0, \lambda_1)\} :$$

$$\langle G, k \rangle :=$$

$$= \int_{\Gamma_0} G \cdot k d\lambda_1 = \int_{\Gamma_0} G \cdot \frac{k}{\rho} \cdot \rho d\lambda_1, \quad G \in \mathcal{L},$$

we construct dual evolutionary family \hat{U}_t^* , $t \geq 0$ on $\mathcal{K}(\rho)$.

- Suppose that function ρ in the definition of $\mathcal{K}(\rho)$ satisfies Ruelle-type bound. Let $k \in \mathcal{K}(\rho)$ is a correlation function (i.e. the corresponding correlation measure is normalized, positive definite) and let

$$k_t := \hat{U}_t^* k, \quad t \geq 0$$

denotes an evolution of function k .

- Assume that for any $t \geq 0$, $k_t \in \mathcal{K}(\rho)$ is positive definite, normalized function.

By the main CF theorem one can easily construct an evolution on \mathcal{M}_ρ^1 :

$$\begin{aligned}k &\rightarrow \mu, \\k_t = \hat{U}_t^* k &\rightarrow U_t^* \mu, \quad t \geq 0, \\ \mu_t = U_t^* \mu &\in \mathcal{M}_\rho^1.\end{aligned}$$

The existence of semigroup $U_t^*, t \geq 0$ on \mathcal{M}_ρ^1 implies the existence of process $(X_t^\mu)_{t \geq 0}$ associated with generator L for any initial distribution $\mu \in \mathcal{M}_\rho^1$.

Spatial birth-and-death processes

We consider a Markov pre-generator on Γ , the action of which is given by

$$\begin{aligned} (LF)(\gamma) &:= (L_{b,d}F)(\gamma) = \\ &= \sum_{x \in \gamma} d(x, \gamma \setminus x) D_x^- F(\gamma) + \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} b(x, \gamma) D_x^+ F(\gamma) dx, \end{aligned}$$

$$D_x^- F(\gamma) = F(\gamma \setminus x) - F(\gamma),$$

$$D_x^+ F(\gamma) = F(\gamma \cup x) - F(\gamma).$$

Stochastic growth

BIO: **independent growth** (plants)

Dispersion kernel:

$$a^+(x - y) dx \\ 0 \leq a^+ \in L^1(\mathbb{R}^d) \text{ even.}$$

Generator:

$$(L_{IG}F)(\gamma) = \sum_{y \in \gamma} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} a^+(x - y) [F(\gamma \cup x) - F(\gamma)] dx$$

Stochastic growth

SOCIO-ECO: migration model (=free development = spontaneous birth = creation by an outer source)

$$(L_{MM}F)(\gamma) = z \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} (F(\gamma \cup x) - F(\gamma)) dx$$

GENETICS: generalized mutation models

Evans/Steinsalz/Wichtner, 2005

Density of population

Independent Growth: $k_t(x) \sim Ce^{\lambda t}, t \rightarrow \infty$

Migration Model: $k_t(x) \sim Ct, t \rightarrow \infty$

Free Growth Models

Problem: to analyze stochastic evolution models in presence of global regulations and local competitions

IG with mortality = Contact Model

Generator:

$$(LF)(\gamma) = \sum_{x \in \gamma} m [F(\gamma \setminus x) - F(\gamma)] + \sum_{y \in \gamma} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} a^+(x - y) [F(\gamma \cup x) - F(\gamma)] dx$$

$m =$ global mortality intensity

Existence of the Markov process:

[K/Skorokhod, 06] finite range a^+

[Finkelstein/K/Skorokhod, 07] general case a^+

Spatial branching with dispersion and mortality (emigration)

Correlation equations for CM

[K/Kutoviy/Pirogov, '08]

What can happen?

Take translation-invariant initial condition

$$k_t(x) \equiv \rho_t.$$

$$\frac{\partial \rho_t}{\partial t} = -(m - \langle a^+ \rangle) \rho_t$$

$$m > \langle a^+ \rangle \Rightarrow \rho_t \rightarrow 0$$

$$m < \langle a^+ \rangle \Rightarrow \rho_t \rightarrow +\infty$$

$$m = \langle a^+ \rangle \Rightarrow \rho_t \equiv \rho_0$$

$m = \langle a^+ \rangle$ critical value of mortality

Possible invariant states: for $m = \langle a^+ \rangle$

that is the critical value $m = m_{cr}$

CF time evolution

$$\begin{aligned}
& \frac{\partial k_t^{(n)}}{\partial t}(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \\
& -nmk_t^{(n)}(x_1, \dots, x_n) + \\
& \sum_{i=1}^n \left[\sum_{j \neq i} a^+(x_i - x_j) \right] k_t^{(n-1)}(x_1, \dots, \check{x}_i, \dots, x_n) + \\
& \sum_{i=1}^n \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} a^+(x_i - y) k_t^{(n)}(x_1, \dots, x_{i-1}, y, x_{i+1}, \dots, x_n) dy
\end{aligned}$$

Theorem

Let $k_0^{(n)} \leq C^n n!$, $n \geq 0$.

Then $k_t^{(n)}(x_1, \dots, x_n) \leq A^n (C + t)^n e^{n(\langle a^+ \rangle - m)t} n!$.

Remark:

actually for a Poisson initial state and x_1, \dots, x_n inside a small ball

$$k_t^{(n)}(x_1, \dots, x_n) \simeq C_t^n n!, \quad t > 0, n \rightarrow \infty,$$

that means

STRONG CLUSTERING!

Invariant measures

Let $d \geq 3$.

Stationary equation:

$$\frac{\partial k_t}{\partial t} = 0$$

Theorem

Assume $a^+ : \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |x|^2 a^+(x) dx < \infty$.

$\forall \rho > 0 \exists!$ equilibrium solution $(k^{(n),\rho})_{n=0}^\infty$ corresponding to a measure

$\mu^\rho \in \mathcal{M}^1(\Gamma)$

with the density $k^{(1),\rho}(x) = \rho$.

We have

$$k^{(n),\rho}(x) \leq C(\rho)^n (n!)^2, \quad n \geq 1$$

.

For $d \leq 2$ μ^ρ does not exist!

The point:

$$\int_{|p| \leq 1} \frac{dp}{\tilde{\alpha}(0) - \tilde{\alpha}(p)} < \infty$$

necessary condition for the existence of $k^{(2),\rho}(x, y)$.

CM + Kawasaki dynamics (plankton model)

K/Kutoviy/Struckmeier '08

Equilibrium state for CM needs $d \geq 3$.

$d = 2$?

Consider a CM with a motion of individuals:

take into account different time scales

Generator in the bio-time scale:

$$\begin{aligned} (LF)(\gamma) &= \sum_{x \in \gamma} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \varkappa(x-y) [F(\gamma \setminus x \cup y) - F(\gamma)] dy + (L_{\text{CM}}F)(\gamma) \\ &= ((L_{\text{K}} + L_{\text{CM}})F)(\gamma) \end{aligned}$$

$$L = L_{\text{K}}(\varkappa) + L_{\text{CM}}(m, a^+)$$

Critical value $m = \langle a^+ \rangle$.

Assume **heavy tail jumps**:

$$\int_{|p| \leq 1} \frac{1}{1 - \tilde{\chi}(p)} dp < \infty$$

For example:

$$\tilde{\chi}(p) = e^{-|p|^\alpha},$$

$1 \leq \alpha < 2$ (stable distributions)

Theorem

$\forall \rho > 0 \exists!$ invariant measure μ^ρ for CM with Kawasaki dynamics.

INTERPRETATION: super-diffusive stochastic dynamics of individuals in bio-time scale.

Independent birth with mortality

Surgailis process:

$$(LF)(\gamma) = m \sum_{x \in \gamma} (F(\gamma \setminus x) - F(\gamma)) + \\ z \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} (F(\gamma \cup x) - F(\gamma)) dx$$

Unique invariant measure is the Poisson measure on Γ with intensity

$$\frac{z}{m}$$

Any non-zero mortality stabilizes the system.

BDLMP model

Bolker-Dieckmann-Law-Metz-Pacala model

(= CM + density dependent mortality)

$$L = L_{CM} + L(a^-)$$

$$\begin{aligned} (LF)(\gamma) = & \sum_{x \in \gamma} \left(m + \sum_{x' \in \gamma \setminus x} a^-(x - x') \right) [F(\gamma \setminus x) - F(\gamma)] \\ & + \sum_{y \in \gamma} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} a^+(x - y) [F(\gamma \cup x) - F(\gamma)] dx \end{aligned}$$

$a^+(x - y)$ – dispersion kernel

$a^-(x - y)$ – competition kernel

$0 \leq a^\pm \in L^1(\mathbb{R}^d)$

CF evolution

[Finkelshtein/K/Kutoviy, '09]

Generator on correlation functions:

$$\begin{aligned}
 (L_{CF}k)(\eta) = & -k(\eta) \left[m|\eta| + E^{a^-}(\eta) \right] - \\
 & \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \sum_{y \in \eta} a^-(x-y) k(\eta \cup x) dx + \\
 & + \sum_{x \in \eta} k(\eta \setminus x) \sum_{y \in \eta \setminus x} a^+(x-y) + \\
 & \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \sum_{x \in \eta} a^+(x-y) k(\eta \setminus x \cup y) dy.
 \end{aligned}$$

Ecological problem

May the competition mechanism lead to

THE "REGULARLY DISTRIBUTED" IN SPACE POPULATION

with **bounded** in time density?

Possible condition: big enough mortality m to control density

Competition assumptions (CA):

$$\exists C > 0 : a^+(x) \leq C a^-(x)$$

$$m > C \langle a^- \rangle + \langle a^+ \rangle$$

that means strong enough competition and mortality

Theorem

Let (CA) fulfilled. For any initial CF s.t.

$$k_0^{(n)} \leq C^n, n \in \mathbb{N}$$

there exists the unique solution of the CF equation $k_t^{(n)}, t \geq 0, n \in \mathbb{N}$, satisfying the same bound

This gives a sub-Poissonian bound,

i.e., strong enough **competition**

destroys clustering in CM!

CM with establishment

[Finkelshtein/K. 2007]

$$a^+(x - y) \longrightarrow a^+(x - y)e^{-E^\phi(x, \gamma)}$$

$$e^{-E^\phi(x, \gamma)} = e(x, \gamma) \text{ establishment rate}$$

$$E^\phi(x, \gamma) = \sum_{x' \in \gamma} \phi(x - x')$$

competition for survival

Bolker-Pacala establishment rate

$$e(x, \gamma) = \frac{1}{1 + E^\phi(x, \gamma)}$$

Generator

$$(LF)(\gamma) = \sum_{x \in \gamma} m[F(\gamma \setminus x) - F(\gamma)] + \sum_{y \in \gamma} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} a^+(x-y) e(x, \gamma) [F(\gamma \cup x) - F(\gamma)] dx$$

Existence of MP

Stability condition:

$$m > 0, \quad \exists \beta > 0 : a^+(x) \leq \beta \phi(x)$$

$$L = L(m, a^+, \phi)$$

Theorem

Under the stability condition there exists a unique Markov process on Γ for $L(m, a^+, \phi)$ (for certain class of initial configurations).

Proof is based on a delicate use of

a [Garcia/Kurtz, 2006] existence result for B-A-D processes

Correlation functions in CM with establishment

Time evolution of CF

Theorem (Finkelshtein/K '07)

Assume stability condition is true and initial CFs satisfy a sub-Poisson bound

$$k_0^{(n)} \leq C^n, n \geq 1.$$

Then there exists $C_1 > 0$ s.t. for the time dependent CFs holds

$$k_t^{(n)} \leq C_1^n, n \geq 1.$$

Remark:

The establishment mechanism is more effective comparing with density dependent mortality:

we do not need to have a big enough mortality to organize control over time-space behavior of the population

Density dependent fecundity

$$b(x, \gamma) = \sum_{y \in \gamma} a^+(x - y) f(y, \gamma \setminus y)$$

,

$$f(y, \gamma \setminus y) = e^{-E^\phi(y, \gamma \setminus y)}$$

OPEN PROBLEM:

PRODUCES THE FECUNDITY AN EFFECTIVE REGULATION OF THE POPULATION?

Dieckmann-Law model

[Finkelshtein/Kondratiev, '09] (in preparation)

$$(LF)(\gamma) = \sum_{x \in \gamma} \left(m + \sum_{x' \in \gamma \setminus x} a^-(x - x') \right) [F(\gamma \setminus x) - F(\gamma)] \\ + \sum_{y \in \gamma} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} a^+(x - y) \left(1 + \sum_{y' \in \gamma \setminus y} b(y - y') \right) [F(\gamma \cup x) - F(\gamma)] dx$$

Dieckmann-Law model without competition

i) **DLM without local competition** ($a^- \equiv 0$).

Assume existence of corresponding MP $X_t \in \Gamma$.

For $\Lambda \subset \mathbb{R}^d$ bounded put

$$n_t^\Lambda = \mathbb{E}(|X_t \cap \Lambda|)$$

Then $\exists t_0$:

$$n_t^\Lambda \rightarrow +\infty$$

$t \rightarrow t_0 - 0$ (explosion).

Dieckmann-Law model: non-explosion

ii) **DLM: non-explosion via competition** $d \geq 2$

Construction of a Lyapunov functional

(cf. [K/Skorokhod, '06])

$$e_\delta(x) = \frac{1}{1 + |x|^\delta}, \quad \delta > d$$

$$\Psi_\delta(x, y) = e_\delta(x)e_\delta(y) \frac{|x - y| + 1}{|x - y|} \mathbb{1}_{\{x \neq y\}}$$

$$\mathbb{L}_\delta(\gamma) = \langle e_\delta, \gamma \rangle$$

$$\mathbb{E}_\delta(\gamma) = \sum_{\{x, y\} \subset \gamma} \Psi_\delta(x, y)$$

$$\mathbb{V}_\delta(\gamma) = \mathbb{L}_\delta + \mathbb{E}_\delta$$

Assume

$$a^+(x) \leq \frac{A}{(1 + |x|)^{2\delta}}$$

Introduce $A_\delta = AC(\delta, d) > 0$

Theorem

Assume

$$a^-(x) \geq 2A_\delta b(x)$$

$\Rightarrow \exists C > 0 :$

$$L\mathbb{V}_\delta(\gamma) \leq C\mathbb{V}_\delta(\gamma).$$

If, additionally, $m \geq 2A_\delta \langle a^+ \rangle \Rightarrow$

$$L\mathbb{V}_\delta(\gamma) \leq 0$$

Independent development with competition

$b(x, \gamma) = z > 0$ (independent birth with constant intensity)

(i) $d(x, \gamma \setminus x) = e^{\beta E(x, \gamma \setminus x)} \implies$ generator L^-

$$E(x, \gamma \setminus x) = \sum_{y \in \gamma \setminus x} \phi(x - y)$$

(ii) $d(x, \gamma \setminus x) = m + \sum_{y \in \gamma \setminus x} a^-(x - y) \implies$ generator L_m

(iii) $d(x, \gamma \setminus x) = \sum_{y \in \gamma \setminus x} a^-(x - y) \implies$ generator L_0

(i) Glauber dynamics G^-

Symmetrizing measures for L^- are

grand canonical Gibbs measures $\mathcal{G}_{gc}(\beta, \phi, z)$

$L^- \mapsto X_t \in \Gamma$ equilibrium Glauber dynamics
via the Dirichlet form method [K/Lytvynov, '05]

Non-equilibrium GD:

[K/Kutovyi/Minlos, '08]

via CF evolution.

(ii) Surgailis process with competition

$$\begin{aligned}(L_m F)(\gamma) = & \\ & \sum_{x \in \gamma} (m + \sum_{y \in \gamma \setminus x} a^-(x - y))(F(\gamma \setminus x) - F(\gamma)) + \\ & z \int (F(\gamma \cup x) - F(\gamma)) dx\end{aligned}$$

Here we have a sub-Poissonian evolution of CFs.

(iii) Stabilization via competition

[Finkelshtein/K, '09]

Consider (ii) with $m = 0 \Rightarrow$

pure competition mechanism (i.e., without global regulation)

$$(L_0 F)(\gamma) = \sum_{x \in \gamma} \sum_{y \in \gamma \setminus x} a^-(x - y) (F(\gamma \setminus x) - F(\gamma)) + z \int (F(\gamma \cup x) - F(\gamma)) dx$$

Hierarchical equations for CF **do not give** any a priori information about the density of the system.

There we need the **Markov structure** (generator!) to obtain corresponding density bound.

Mean density bound

Let $X_t \in \Gamma$ will be MP corresponding to L_0 and an initial measure with bounded density.

Let $\Lambda = B(0, R)$ be a ball with center at origin and radius $R > 0$.
Introduce the mean density

$$\rho_t^\Lambda := \frac{1}{|\Lambda|} \int_\Lambda k_t^{(1)}(x) dx.$$

Our aim is to produce a time bound for this density
and any such volume Λ .

Theorem

Let a^- be a continuous function of positive type on \mathbb{R}^d .

Then the mean density

$$\rho_t^\Lambda := \frac{1}{|\Lambda|} \int_\Lambda k_t^{(1)}(x) dx$$

is uniformly bounded in $t > 0$ and Λ .

Comments

We use the explicit form of the generator instead of CF equation.

Denote $\gamma_\Lambda = \gamma \cap \Lambda$.

Then

$$L_0|\gamma_\Lambda| \leq -\frac{C}{|\Lambda|}|\gamma_\Lambda|^2 + z|\Lambda|$$

That gives easily for $\rho_t = \rho_t^\Lambda$

$$\frac{d}{dt}\rho_t \leq z - C\rho_t^2.$$

The proof follows from an analysis of this differential inequality.

Phase space for two-component systems

- $\Gamma^+ = \Gamma^- = \Gamma$
- $\Gamma^2 = \Gamma^+ \times \Gamma^-$
- $\mathcal{B}(\Gamma^2) = \mathcal{B}(\Gamma^+) \times \mathcal{B}(\Gamma^-)$
- $\gamma = (\gamma^+, \gamma^-)$
- Cylinder function: $F(\gamma^+, \gamma^-) = F(\gamma^+ \cap \Lambda, \gamma^- \cap \Lambda)$

Description of model

- $L = L_{\text{CM}}^+ + L_{\text{CM}}^- + L_{\text{int}}^+$ — generator
- Here

$$\begin{aligned} (L_{\text{CM}}^+ F)(\gamma^+, \gamma^-) &= \sum_{x \in \gamma^+} [F(\gamma^+ \setminus x, \gamma^-) - F(\gamma^+, \gamma^-)] \\ &+ \lambda^+ \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \left(\sum_{x' \in \gamma^+} a^+(x - x') \right) [F(\gamma^+ \cup x, \gamma^-) - F(\gamma^+, \gamma^-)] dx \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (L_{\text{CM}}^- F)(\gamma^+, \gamma^-) &= \sum_{y \in \gamma^-} [F(\gamma^+, \gamma^- \setminus y) - F(\gamma^+, \gamma^-)] \\ &+ \lambda^- \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \left(\sum_{y' \in \gamma^-} a^-(y - y') \right) [F(\gamma^+, \gamma^- \cup y) - F(\gamma^+, \gamma^-)] dy \end{aligned}$$

Description of model

- complementary birth of "+"-particles

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (L_{\text{int}}^+ F)(\gamma^+, \gamma^-) \\
 &= \lambda \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \left(\sum_{y \in \gamma^-} a(x-y) \right) [F(\gamma^+ \cup x, \gamma^-) - F(\gamma^+, \gamma^-)] dx
 \end{aligned}$$

- The functions a, a^+, a^- are positive, even, integrable and normalized. The constants $\lambda, \lambda^+, \lambda^-$ are positive.

Existence of process

- Let

$$a(x), a^\pm(x) \leq \frac{A}{(1 + |x|)^\beta},$$

where $\beta > 2d$, then there exist a massive set of starting points for the process $\gamma \mapsto \gamma_t$

[Finkelshtein/Kondratiev/Skorokhod, '07]

- The problem: studying the behavior of correlation functions for $t \rightarrow \infty$
[Filonenko/Finkelshtein/Kondratiev, '08]

Dynamics of correlation functions

- $\Gamma_0^2 = \Gamma_0^+ \times \Gamma_0^-$
- $K^+ := K \otimes 1^-$, $K^- = 1^+ \otimes K$
- Scheme

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \mathcal{F}(\Gamma^2) & \xrightarrow{\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle} & \mathcal{M}^1(\Gamma^2) \\
 K^+ K^- \uparrow & & \downarrow (K^+ K^-)^* \\
 \mathcal{F}(\Gamma_0^2) & \xleftarrow{\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle} & \mathcal{M}_\sigma(\Gamma_0^2)
 \end{array}$$

- $\hat{L} = (K^+ K^-)^{-1} L K^+ K^-$
- $\frac{\partial k_t}{\partial t}(\eta^+, \eta^-) = \left(\hat{L}^* k_t \right)(\eta^+, \eta^-)$

Operator \hat{L}^*

$$\begin{aligned}
& (\hat{L}^* k) (\eta^+, \eta^-) \\
&= -(|\eta^+| + |\eta^-|)k (\eta^+, \eta^-) \\
&+ \lambda^+ \sum_{x \in \eta^+} \sum_{x' \in \eta^+ \setminus x} a^+(x - x')k (\eta^+ \setminus x, \eta^-) \\
&+ \lambda^+ \sum_{x \in \eta^+} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} a^+(x - x')k (\eta^+ \setminus x \cup x', \eta^-) dx' \\
&+ \lambda^- \sum_{y \in \eta^-} \sum_{y' \in \eta^- \setminus y} a^-(y - y')k (\eta^+, \eta^- \setminus y) \\
&+ \lambda^- \sum_{y \in \eta^-} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} a^-(y - y')k (\eta^+, \eta^- \setminus y \cup y') dy' \\
&+ \lambda \sum_{x \in \eta^+} \sum_{y \in \eta^-} a(x - y)k (\eta^+ \setminus x, \eta^-) \\
&+ \lambda \sum_{x \in \eta^+} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} a(x - y)k (\eta^+ \setminus x, \eta^- \cup y) dy
\end{aligned}$$

First-order correlation functions

- Let $k_t^+(x) = k_t(\{x\}, \emptyset)$, $k_t^-(y) = k_t(\emptyset, \{y\})$. Then

$$\frac{\partial k_t^-(y)}{\partial t} = -k_t^-(y) + \lambda^- \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} a^-(y - y') k_t^-(y') dy'$$

$$\frac{\partial k_t^+(x)}{\partial t} = -k_t^+(x) + \lambda^+ \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} a^+(x - x') k_t^+(x') dx'$$

$$+ \lambda \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} a(x - y) k_t^-(y) dy$$

- Cauchy problem: initial conditions

$$k_0^-(y) = c^- + \psi^-(y) \geq 0, \quad k_0^+(x) = c^+ + \psi^+(x) \geq 0$$

where functions ψ^- , ψ^+ and their Fourier transforms $\hat{\psi}^-$, $\hat{\psi}^+$ are integrable on \mathbb{R}^d , and c^+ , $c^- > 0$.

Second-order correlation functions

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial k_t^{--}(y_1, y_2)}{\partial t} &= -2k_t^{--}(y_1, y_2) \\ &+ \lambda^- a^-(y_1 - y_2)[k_t^-(y_1) + k_t^-(y_2)] \\ &+ \lambda^- \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} a^-(y_1 - y') k_t^{--}(y_2, y') dy' \\ &+ \lambda^- \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} a^-(y_2 - y') k_t^{--}(y_1, y') dy'\end{aligned}$$

Second-order correlation functions

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial k_t^{+-}(x, y)}{\partial t} &= -2k_t^{+-}(x, y) \\ &+ \lambda^+ \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} a^+(x - x') k_t^{+-}(x', y) dx' \\ &+ \lambda^- \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} a^-(y - y') k_t^{+-}(x, y') dy' \\ &+ \lambda a(x - y) k_t^-(y) \\ &+ \lambda \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} a(x - y') k_t^{--}(y, y') dy'\end{aligned}$$

Second-order correlation functions

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{\partial k_t^{++}(x_1, x_2)}{\partial t} &= -2k_t^{++}(x_1, x_2) \\
 &+ \lambda^+ \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} a^+(x_1 - x') k_t^{++}(x_2, x') dx' \\
 &+ \lambda^+ \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} a^+(x_2 - x') k_t^{++}(x_1, x') dx' \\
 &+ \lambda^+ a^+(x_1 - x_2) [k_t^+(x_1) + k_t^+(x_2)] \\
 &+ \lambda \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} a(x_1 - y) k_t^{+-}(x_2, y) dy \\
 &+ \lambda \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} a(x_2 - y) k_t^{+-}(x_1, y) dy
 \end{aligned}$$

Second-order correlation functions

- Cauchy problem:

$$k_0^{--}(y_1, y_2) = c^{--} + \varphi^{--}(y_1 - y_2) \geq 0$$

$$k_0^{+-}(x, y) = c^{+-} + \varphi^{+-}(x - y) \geq 0$$

$$k_0^{++}(x_1, x_2) = c^{++} + \varphi^{++}(x_1 - x_2) \geq 0$$

where $c^{--}, c^{+-}, c^{++} > 0$ and $\varphi^{--}, \varphi^{+-}, \varphi^{++}$ are integrable functions on \mathbb{R}^d together with their Fourier transforms $\hat{\varphi}^{--}, \hat{\varphi}^{+-}, \hat{\varphi}^{++}$.

Asymptotic for densities

Theorem

One has at $t \rightarrow \infty$:

$$k_t^+(x) \rightarrow \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } \max\{\lambda^+, \lambda^-\} < 1 \\ \infty, & \text{if } \max\{\lambda^+, \lambda^-\} > 1 \text{ or } \lambda^+ = \lambda^- = 1 \end{cases},$$

and in the case $1 = \lambda^+ > \lambda^-$

$$k_t^+(x) \rightarrow c^+ + \frac{\lambda c^-}{1 - \lambda^-},$$

and in the case $\lambda^+ < \lambda^- = 1$

$$k_t^+(x) \rightarrow \frac{\lambda c^-}{1 - \lambda^+}$$

The limits for second-order corr. functions

Theorem

1. If $\lambda^+ = 1$, $0 < \lambda^- < 1$ then

$$\begin{cases} \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} k_t^{--}(y_1, y_2) = 0 \\ \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} k_t^{+-}(x, y) = 0 \end{cases}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} k_t^{++}(x_1, x_2) &= \left(c^{++} - \frac{2\lambda c^{+-}}{\lambda^- - 1} + \frac{\lambda^2 c^{--}}{(\lambda^- - 1)^2} \right) \\ &\quad + \Omega^{++}(x_1 - x_2) < \infty, \end{aligned}$$

where function Ω^{++} depends only on initial value c^+ (and on parameters $\lambda, \lambda^\pm, a, a^\pm$).

The limits for second-order corr. functions

Theorem

2. If $\lambda^- = 1$, $0 < \lambda^+ < 1$ then

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} k_t^{--}(y_1, y_2) = c^{--} + \Xi^{--}(y_1 - y_2) < \infty \\ \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} k_t^{+-}(x, y) = \frac{\lambda c^{--}}{1 - \lambda^+} + \Xi^{+-}(x - y) < \infty \\ \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} k_t^{++}(x_1, x_2) = \frac{\lambda^2 c^{--}}{(1 - \lambda^+)^2} + \Xi^{++}(x_1 - x_2) < \infty \end{array} \right.$$

where functions $\Xi^{--}, \Xi^{+-}, \Xi^{++}$ depend only on initial value c^- (and on $\lambda, \lambda^\pm, a, a^\pm$).

Ursell functions

- Let $\psi^\pm = 0$ and $c^{++} = (c^+)^2$, $c^{+-} = c^+c^-$, $c^{--} = (c^-)^2$, then
- for the case $\lambda^+ = 1$, $0 < \lambda^- < 1$

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} (k_t^{++}(x_1, x_2) - (k_t^+)^2) = \Omega^{++}(x_1 - x_2)$$

- for the case $\lambda^- = 1$, $0 < \lambda^+ < 1$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} (k_t^{--}(y_1, y_2) - (k_t^-)^2) = \Xi^{--}(y_1 - y_2) \\ \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} (k_t^{+-}(x, y) - k_t^+k_t^-) = \Xi^{+-}(x - y) \\ \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} (k_t^{++}(x_1, x_2) - (k_t^+)^2) = \Xi^{++}(x_1 - x_2) \end{array} \right.$$

- And the functions Ω and Ξ are solutions of equation corresponding to stationary equation

$$\hat{L}^*k = 0$$

Description of symbiotic model

- $L_s = L_{\text{CM}}^+ + L_{\text{CM}}^- + L_{\text{int}}^+ + L_{\text{int}}^- = L + L_{\text{int}}^-$
- Here

$$\begin{aligned} & (L_{\text{int}}^- F)(\gamma^+, \gamma^-) \\ &= \lambda' \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \left(\sum_{x \in \gamma^+} a'(x - y) \right) [F(\gamma^+, \gamma^- \cup y) - F(\gamma^+, \gamma^-)] dy, \end{aligned}$$

- where a' has the same properties as a and $\lambda' > 0$.

First-order correlation functions

- One has

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial k_t^-(y)}{\partial t} &= -k_t^-(y) + \lambda^- \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} a^-(y - y') k_t^-(y') dy' \\ &\quad + \lambda' \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} a'(x - y) k_t^+(x) dx \\ \frac{\partial k_t^+(x)}{\partial t} &= -k_t^+(x) + \lambda^+ \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} a^+(x - x') k_t^+(x') dx' \\ &\quad + \lambda \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} a(x - y) k_t^-(y) dy \end{aligned}$$

Solution

- Let $k_0^\pm = c^\pm > 0$. Then $(k_t^+, k_t^-)^\perp = e^{tA}(c^+, c^-)^\perp$, where

$$\begin{pmatrix} \lambda^+ - 1 & \lambda \\ \lambda' & \lambda^- - 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

- Characteristic equation has positive discriminant (since $\lambda\lambda' > 0$) and, therefore,

$$k_t^\pm = C_1^\pm e^{\chi_1 t} + C_2^\pm e^{\chi_2 t}.$$

- As a result, the first-order correlation function goes to (non-zero) constant only if $\chi_1 < \chi_2 = 0$.
- Sufficient condition:

$$\lambda^\pm < 1, \quad (\lambda^+ - 1)(\lambda^- - 1) = \lambda\lambda'$$

and then $\frac{\lim k_t^+}{\lim k_t^-} = \frac{\lambda}{1 - \lambda^+}$.

Heterogeneous Contact Models: random mortality

Lattice case: Joo/Lebowitz, Phys.Rev.E72, 2005

Mortality rate $m \rightarrow m(x, \omega) \geq 0$

Density evolution

$$\frac{\partial k_t(x)}{\partial t} = L^{a^+} k_t(x) - V(x)k_t(x)$$

where

$$L^{a^+} f(x) = \int a^+(x-y)[f(y) - f(x)]dy$$

$$V(x, \omega) = m(x, \omega) - \langle a^+ \rangle$$

Parabolic Anderson problem for pure jump generator
(CTRW in continuum)

Random establishment

$$a^+(x - y) \rightarrow a^+(x - y)b(x, \omega)$$

Generator

$$(LF)(\gamma) = \sum_{x \in \gamma} m(x)[F(\gamma \setminus x) - F(\gamma)] +$$

$$\sum_{y \in \gamma} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} a^+(x - y)b(x, \omega)[F(\gamma \cup x) - F(\gamma)]dx$$

Density evolution

$$\frac{\partial k_t(x)}{\partial t} = L_b^{a^+} k_t(x) - V(x)k_t(x)$$

$$L_b^{a^+} f(x) = b(x, \omega) \int a^+(x - y)[f(y) - f(x)]dy$$

$$V(x, \omega) = m(x, \omega) - b(x, \omega)\langle a^+ \rangle$$

$L_b^{a^+}$ is symmetric in

$$L^2(\mathbb{R}^d, b^{-1}(x)dx)$$

(quenched random measure?).

Random fecundity

Random fecundity rate

$$\mathbb{R}^d \ni y \mapsto \kappa(y, \omega) \geq 0$$

Birth rate

$$b(x, \gamma, \omega) = \sum_{y \in \gamma} a^+(x - y) \kappa(y, \omega)$$

Density evolution

$$\frac{\partial k_t(x)}{\partial t} = L_{\varkappa}^{a^+} k_t(x) - V(x)k_t(x)$$

$$L_{\varkappa}^{a^+} f(x) = \int a^+(x-y)\varkappa(y,\omega)[f(y) - f(x)]dy$$

$$V(x,\omega) = m(x,\omega) - \langle a^+(x-\cdot)\varkappa(\cdot,\omega) \rangle$$

$L_{\varkappa}^{a^+}$ is symmetric in

$$L^2(\mathbb{R}^d, \varkappa(x,\omega)dx)$$

CTRW in random environment

Two types of quenched jump generators:

$$L_b^{a^+} f(x) = b(x, \omega) \int a^+(x - y) [f(y) - f(x)] dy$$

$$L_{\varkappa}^{a^+} f(x) = \int a^+(x - y) \varkappa(y, \omega) [f(y) - f(x)] dy$$

Feynman-Kac formula

Quenched CTRW:

$$L_{b,\varkappa}^{a^+, \omega} \rightarrow \xi_t^\omega$$

Density of population:

$$k_t(x) = \mathbb{E}_x [k_0(\xi_t^\omega) e^{-\int_0^t V(\xi_s^\omega) ds}]$$

Quenched vs. annealed

(cf., e.g., Donsker/Varadhan, Gaertner/Molchanov, Sznitman, ...)

Other aspects of IBM

- multi-type systems
(Finkelshtein/K; F/K/Skorokhod),
- mutation-selection models in genetics
(K/Minlos/Pirogov; K/Kuna/Ohlerich)
- scaling limits
(Finkelshtein/K/Kuna/Kutovyi; Finkelshtein/K/Lytvynov;
Finkelshtein/K/Kutovyi)

- Kawasaki dynamics in continuum
(K/Lytvynov/Roeckner; K/Kuna/Oliveira/Streit)
- plankton dynamics
(K/Kutovyi/Struckmeier)
- stochastic evolutions in evolving random environments
(Boldrighini/K/Minlos/Pellegrinotti; Struckmeier)
- spectral analysis of Markov generators
(K/Lytvynov; K/Minlos; K/Zhizhina; K/Kuna/Ohlerich)