

(De)synchronization for Markov-perturbation of synchronized random networks

Retreat for Young Researchers in Probability
and Areas of Applications

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Setting Up

k -state set: $\mathcal{S} = \{s_1, \dots, s_k\}$

Physical networks on \mathcal{S} are usually subjected to **noise influences**

Two types of noises: extrinsic noise, intrinsic noise

- **Extrinsic Noise:** environmentally or functionally related — macroscopic

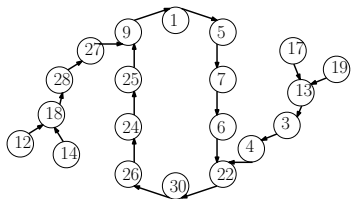
Modeling extrinsic noise: metric dynamical system $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mu, \theta)$

$(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mu)$: probability space

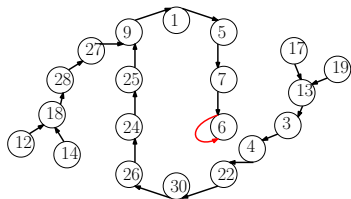
$\theta : \Omega \rightarrow \Omega$ invertible

μ ergodic θ -invariant measure

Extrinsic noise



A



B

A typical $\omega = (\dots B B A B B A A A B B A \dots) \in \Omega$

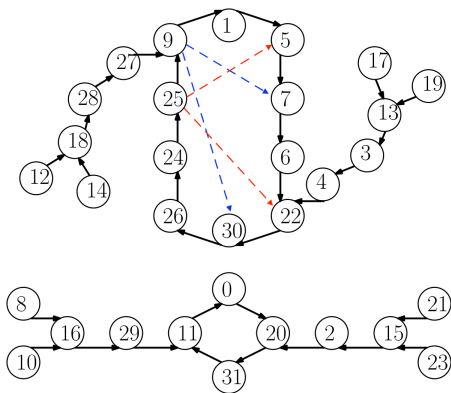
Random dynamics along the realization of ω :

$$\dots f_A \circ f_B \circ f_B \circ f_A \circ f_A \circ f_A \circ f_B \circ f_B \circ f_A \circ f_B \circ f_B : \mathcal{S} \rightarrow \mathcal{S}$$

Intrinsic noise

Intrinsic Noise: internal uncertainties among individuals — microscopic
Modeling intrinsic noise: stochastic matrices

A + intrinsic noise:



Markov Random Network

Markov Random Network (MRN): A framework incorporating both extrinsic and intrinsic noises.

Mathematically: a family \mathcal{A} of stochastic processes on a common probability space $(\Psi, \mathcal{G}, \mathbb{P})$ and take values in $\mathcal{S} \times \Omega$ s.t. for any process $X := \{X_n; n \in \mathbb{N}_0\} \in \mathcal{A}$:

- (Stochasticity) For μ -a.e. $\omega \in \Omega$, $n \geq m$,

$$\sum_{i=1}^k \mathbb{P}\left\{X_n = (s_i, \theta^{n-m}\omega) \mid X_m = (s_j, \omega)\right\} = 1, \quad \forall j \in \{1, 2, \dots, k\}.$$

- (Markov property) For μ -a.e. $\omega \in \Omega$, $n \geq 0$,

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathbb{P}\{X_{n+1} = (s_{i_{n+1}}, \theta^{n+1}\omega) \mid X_n = (s_{i_n}, \theta^n\omega)\} \\ &= \mathbb{P}\{X_{n+1} = (s_{i_{n+1}}, \theta^{n+1}\omega) \mid X_0 = (s_{i_0}, \omega), \dots, X_n = (s_{i_n}, \theta^n\omega)\}. \end{aligned}$$

- (Common transitions) For μ -a.e. $\omega \in \Omega$, the transition probabilities

$$p_{ij}(n, \omega) = \mathbb{P}\{X_n = (s_i, \theta^n\omega) \mid X_0 = (s_j, \omega)\}, \quad i, j \in \{1, \dots, k\}, n \in \mathbb{N}_0$$

are independent of X , i.e. all processes from \mathcal{A} share the same transition probabilities.

Markov cocycles

Transition probabilities (cocycle) of a MRN

$$\mathcal{P} := \{\mathcal{P}(n, \omega) = (p_{ij}(n, \omega))_{1 \leq i, j \leq k} : \omega \in \Omega, n \in \mathbb{N}_0\}$$

is a **Markov cocycle** over Θ .

Cocycle property: for μ -a.e. $\omega \in \Omega$,

$$\mathcal{P}(n + m, \omega) = \mathcal{P}(m, \theta^n \omega) \cdot \mathcal{P}(n, \omega), \quad \forall n, m \in \mathbb{N}_0.$$

Any process $X := \{X_n; n \in \mathbb{N}_0\}$ from MRN is uniquely determined by its initial distribution:

$$\vec{p}(n, \omega) = \mathcal{P}(n, \omega) \vec{p}(0, \omega),$$

where $\vec{p}(n, \omega) = (p_i(n, \omega))_{i=1, \dots, k}$ s.t.

$$p_i(n, \omega) = \mathbb{P}\{X_n = (s_i, \theta^n \omega) | X_0 = (\cdot, \omega)\}, \quad i \in \{1, \dots, k\}.$$

Deterministic Random Networks

A special class of MRNs: **Deterministic Random Networks (DRNs)**

Deterministic transition cocycle :

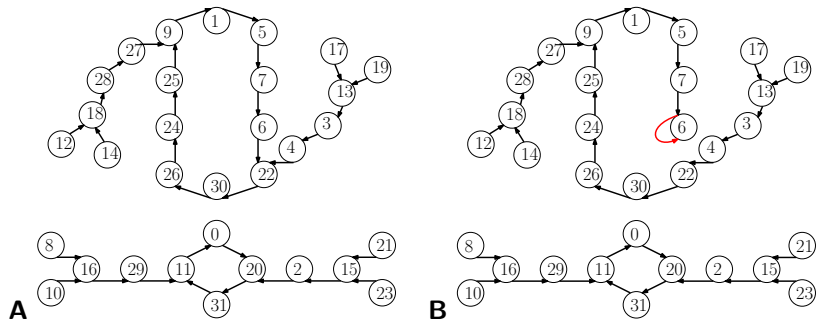
Each $p_{ij}(n, \omega)$ is either 0 or 1, μ -a.e. $\omega \in \Omega$.

DRN \iff dtds-RDS (*discrete-time, discrete-state random dynamical system*)

\mathcal{P} : transition cocycle of DRN, $\mathcal{A}(n, \omega)$: dtds-RDS

$$\mathcal{A}(n, \omega)s_j = s_i \quad \text{iff} \quad p_{ij}(n, \omega) = 1, \quad i, j \in \{1, \dots, k\}.$$

Deterministic Random Network



Synchronization

dt ds-RDS \mathcal{A} **synchronizes**: for μ -a.e. $\omega \in \Omega$, $\exists n(\omega) > 0$ s.t. $\forall i, j \in \{1, \dots, k\}$,

$$\mathcal{A}(n, \omega) s_i = \mathcal{A}(n, \omega) s_j, \quad \forall n \geq n(\omega).$$

Contraction property: after finite times, all trajectories coincide

Neuron Network: reliability (response of the network remains the same independent of initial point).

Non-autonomous dynamical systems: random attractor

Markov Perturbations

\mathcal{A}^0 : dt-ds-RDS (or a DRN), \mathcal{P}^0 : transition cocycle of \mathcal{A}^0

Markov-perturbation: A family $\{\mathcal{A}^\varepsilon; \varepsilon \in [0, \varepsilon_0)\}$ of MRNs is a perturbation of \mathcal{A}^0 if $\forall j \in \{1, \dots, k\}$,

$$|\mathcal{P}^\varepsilon(1, \omega)\vec{e}_j - \mathcal{P}^0(1, \omega)\vec{e}_j| \leq \varepsilon, \quad \mu\text{-a.e. } \omega \in \Omega,$$

where $\{\mathcal{P}^\varepsilon; \varepsilon \in [0, \varepsilon_0)\}$ are transition cocycles of \mathcal{P}^0 .

Questions: Assume that \mathcal{A}^0 is synchronized.

- (1) Are $\{\mathcal{A}^\varepsilon; \varepsilon \in [0, \varepsilon_0)\}$ synchronized with large probability?
- (2) If so, can one estimate the probability in terms of \mathcal{P}^ε ?
- (3) Can small-probability desynchronization really occur?
- (4) If yes, under what conditions does desynchronization happen?

Convergence in distribution

\mathcal{A}^0 : synchronized dttds-RDS

$\{\mathcal{A}^\varepsilon; \varepsilon \in [0, \varepsilon_0)\}$: Markov-perturbation of \mathcal{A}^0

$\{\mathcal{P}^\varepsilon; \varepsilon \in [0, \varepsilon_0)\}$: transition cocycle of $\{\mathcal{A}^\varepsilon; \varepsilon \in [0, \varepsilon_0)\}$

Theorem A: $\forall \varepsilon \in [0, \varepsilon_0)$, \exists invariant distribution $\vec{q}_\varepsilon(\cdot)$ of \mathcal{A}^ε , i.e., $\mathcal{P}^\varepsilon(n, \omega)\vec{q}_\varepsilon(\omega) = \vec{q}_\varepsilon(\theta^n\omega)$, μ -a.e. $\omega \in \Omega$, s.t.

- (*Convergence in distribution*) For \forall initial distribution $\vec{p}(\cdot)$,

$$|\mathcal{P}^\varepsilon(n, \omega)\vec{p}(\omega) - \vec{q}_\varepsilon(\theta^n\omega)| \rightarrow 0, \quad n \rightarrow \infty.$$

- (*Continuity of invariant distribution*) $\exists i(\cdot) : \Omega \rightarrow \{1, \dots, k\}$ s.t. for μ -a.e. $\omega \in \Omega$,

$$\lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \vec{q}_\varepsilon(\omega) = \vec{e}_{i(\omega)} = \vec{q}_0(\omega).$$

Explicit expression of invariant distribution

C^r ($r \geq 1$) Markov perturbation: $\{\mathcal{P}^\varepsilon; \varepsilon \in [0, \varepsilon_0)\}$ entry-wise C^r w.r.t ε

Explicit formula for invariant distribution:

$$\vec{q}_\varepsilon(\omega) = \vec{e}_{i(\omega)} + \sum_{j=1}^r \frac{\varepsilon^j}{j!} \vec{x}^{(j)}(\omega) + \vec{y}^{(r)}(\omega; \varepsilon) \varepsilon^r, \quad \forall \varepsilon \in [0, \varepsilon_0),$$

where $\vec{x}^{(j)}(\cdot)$, $j = 1, \dots, r$, are explicitly computable depending on derivatives of \mathcal{P}^ε and (backward-)synchronization time of \mathcal{A}^0

Large-probability synchronization

\mathcal{A}^0 : a *uniform synchronized* dt-ds-RDS

$\{\mathcal{A}^\varepsilon; \varepsilon \in [0, \varepsilon_0)\}$: a *uniform* C^1 Markov-perturbation of \mathcal{A}^0 .

Theorem B: $\exists C_0 > 0$ for which the following hold. $\forall \varepsilon \in [0, \varepsilon_0)$ and any two stochastic processes $X := \{X_n^\varepsilon; n \in \mathbb{N}_0\}, Y := \{Y_n^\varepsilon; n \in \mathbb{N}_0\}$ from \mathcal{A}^ε , there exists $N := N(\omega, \varepsilon; X, Y) > 0$ such that $\forall n \geq N$,

$$\mathbb{P}\left\{X_n^\varepsilon = Y_n^\varepsilon \mid X_0^\varepsilon = (\cdot, \omega), Y_0^\varepsilon = (\cdot, \omega)\right\} > 1 - C_0\varepsilon, \quad \mu\text{-a.e. } \omega \in \Omega.$$

Large-probability almost synchronization

\mathcal{A}^0 : synchronized dtlds-RDS

$\{\mathcal{A}^\varepsilon; \varepsilon \in [0, \varepsilon_0)\}$: C^1 Markov-perturbation of \mathcal{A}^0 .

Theorem C: $\forall \eta > 0, \exists C_\eta > 0, \exists$ sets $E_{\omega, \eta} \subseteq \mathbb{N}$, μ -a.e. $\omega \in \Omega$, s.t.

- $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\#|E_{\omega, \eta} \cap \{1, \dots, n\}|}{n} > 1 - \eta,$
- $\forall \varepsilon \in [0, \varepsilon_0),$ for any two stochastic processes $X := \{X_n^\varepsilon; n \in \mathbb{N}_0\}, Y := \{Y_n^\varepsilon; n \in \mathbb{N}_0\}$ from $\mathcal{A}^\varepsilon, \exists N = N(\omega, \varepsilon; X, Y) > 0$ s.t.
$$\mathbb{P}\left\{X_n^\varepsilon = Y_n^\varepsilon \mid X_0^\varepsilon = (\cdot, \omega), Y_0^\varepsilon = (\cdot, \omega)\right\} > 1 - C_\eta \varepsilon, \quad \forall n \geq N, n \in E_{\omega, \eta}.$$

Small-probability desynchronization

C^r ($r \geq 2$) Markov-perturbations,

\mathcal{A}^0 : synchronized dttds-RDS

$\{\mathcal{A}^\varepsilon; \varepsilon \in [0, \varepsilon_0)\}$: C^r ($r \geq 2$) Markov-perturbation of \mathcal{A}_0

$$\Omega_h := \{\omega \in \Omega : \vec{x}^{(\ell)}(\omega) = \vec{0}, \ell = 1 \dots, h\}, \quad h = 1, \dots, r$$

Theorem D: Assume $\exists 1 \leq h < r$ s.t. $0 < \beta^{(h)} := \mu(\Omega_h) < 1$. Then for $\forall \eta > 0$, $\exists C_\eta, c_\eta > 0, \varepsilon_\eta \in (0, \varepsilon_0)$, and disjoint subsets $E_{\omega, \eta}, F_{\omega, \eta} \subseteq \mathbb{N}$, μ -a.e. $\omega \in \Omega$, s.t.

- $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\#|E_{\omega, \eta} \cap \{1, \dots, n\}|}{n} > \beta^{(h)} - \eta$,
- $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\#|F_{\omega, \eta} \cap \{1, \dots, n\}|}{n} > 1 - \beta^{(h)} - \eta$,
- $\forall \varepsilon \in [0, \varepsilon_\eta)$, for any two stochastic processes $X := \{X_n^\varepsilon; n \in \mathbb{N}_0\}, Y := \{Y_n^\varepsilon; n \in \mathbb{N}_0\}$ from \mathcal{A}^ε , $\exists N = N(\omega, \varepsilon; X, Y) > 0$ s.t.

$$\mathbb{P}\left\{X_n^\varepsilon = Y_n^\varepsilon \mid X_0^\varepsilon = (\cdot, \omega), Y_0^\varepsilon = (\cdot, \omega)\right\} \geq 1 - C_\eta \varepsilon^{h}, \forall n \geq N, n \in E_{\omega, \eta}$$

$$\mathbb{P}\left\{X_n^\varepsilon \neq Y_n^\varepsilon \mid X_0^\varepsilon = (\cdot, \omega), Y_0^\varepsilon = (\cdot, \omega)\right\} \geq c_\eta \varepsilon^{h-1}, \forall n \geq N, n \in F_{\omega, \eta}$$

Conclusion

- Uniform synchronized DRN + Uniform C^1 Markov perturbation
⇒ Large-probability synchronization
- Synchronized DRN + C^1 Markov perturbation
⇒ Large-probability almost synchronization
- Synchronized DRN + $C^r (r \geq 2)$ Markov perturbation
⇒ Large-probability almost synchronization & Small-probability almost desynchronization

Thank you for your attention