

# Stochastic Calculus

Note Title

## Lectures 7 & 8:

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## Motivation

Let  $S$  be a semimartingale,  $f \in C^2([0, \infty), \mathbb{R})$ .

Then  $f(S)$  is also a semimartingale and  $\forall t \geq 0$ ,

↓ stochastic integral with respect to  $S$

$$f(S_t) - f(S_0) = \int_0^t f'(S_{u-}) dS_u + \int_0^t \frac{1}{2} f''(S_{u-}) d[S]^c_u$$

$$+ \sum_{0 \leq s \leq t} \underbrace{f(S_u) - f(S_{u-}) - \Delta S_u f'(S_u)}$$

can be expressed as a stochastic integral  
with respect to a measure  $J_S$  describing locations  
and sizes of jumps of  $S$

# Radon measures

Generalization of the notion of Lebesgue measure

✓ Def: Let  $(E, \mathcal{B})$  be a measurable space with  $E \subset \mathbb{R}^d$ . A **Radon measure** on  $(E, \mathcal{E})$  is a measure  $\mu$  such that for every compact subset  $B \in \mathcal{E}$ ,  $\mu(B) < \infty$ .

✓ Ex 1: the Lebesgue measure on  $\mathbb{R}^d$  is a Radon measure.

✓ Ex 2: any (finite) linear combination of point masses

$$\mu = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i \delta_{x_i} \quad \begin{array}{l} x_i \in \mathbb{R}^d \\ a_i \geq 0 \end{array}$$

is a Radon measure:  $\mu(B) = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i \mathbb{1}_{x_i \in B}$

✓ Ex 3: a probability measure on  $\mathbb{R}^d$  is a Radon measure.

✓ Ex 4:  $E = \mathbb{R} - \{0\}$ ,  $\mu(A) = \int_A \frac{dx}{|x|^{1+\alpha}}$   $\alpha \in ]0, 2[$

In this case  $\mu(E) = \infty$

# Integration with respect to a Radon measure

$\mu$  Radon measure on  $(E, \mathcal{B})$

✓ For  $f = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i \cdot 1_{A_i}$  with  $\begin{cases} A_i \in \mathcal{B} \\ a_i \geq 0 \end{cases}$ , define

$$\int_E f \, d\mu = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i \mu(A_i)$$

✓ For  $f: (E, \mathcal{E}) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  there exists

$$f^n = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i^n \cdot 1_{A_i^n} \quad \text{with} \quad \begin{matrix} a_i^n \geq 0 \\ f^n \uparrow f \end{matrix}$$

Define:  $\int f \, d\mu := \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n a_i^n \mu(A_i^n)$

Def:  $L^1(\mu) = \{f: (E, \mathcal{B}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, \int |f| \, d\mu < \infty\}$

$$f = f^+ - f^- \in L^1(\mu), \quad \int f \, d\mu := \int f^+ \, d\mu - \int f^- \, d\mu$$

## Signed measures

If  $\mu_+, \mu_-$  are Radon measures on  $(E, \mathcal{B})$ ,  $\mu = \mu_+ - \mu_-$  is called a signed measure on  $(E, \mathcal{B})$

If  $f \in L^1(\mu_+) \cap L^1(\mu_-)$  then we set

$$\int f d\mu = \int f d\mu_+ - \int f d\mu_-$$

## Convergence of measures

$C_K((E, \mathcal{E}), \mathbb{R})$  continuous functions with compact support in  $E$

$M_+(E)$  Radon measures on  $(E, \mathcal{E})$

- $\forall f \in C_K(E, \mathbb{R}), \forall \mu \in M_+(E), \int f d\mu$  is well defined
- A sequence  $(\mu_n)_{n \geq 1}$  of Radon measures is said to converge (vaguely) to  $\mu \in M_+(E)$  if

$$\forall f \in C_K(E, \mathbb{R}), \int f d\mu^n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} \int f d\mu$$

- This defines a topology on  $M_+(E)$   
→ measurable space  $(M_+(E), \mathcal{B})$

**Random measures**  $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, P)$  probability space.

Def: A measurable map  $M : (\Omega, \mathcal{F}, P) \rightarrow (M_+(E), \mathcal{B})$   
is called a **random measure** on  $E$ .

✓ For  $\omega \in \Omega$ ,  $M(\omega) \in M_+(E)$  is a (Radon) measure on  $E$ .

✓ A random measure  $M$  may also be viewed as  
a map

$$\begin{array}{ccc} M : \Omega \times \mathcal{E} & \longrightarrow & [0, \infty) \\ (\omega, A) & \longrightarrow & M(\omega, A) \end{array}$$

↓ subsets of  $E$

For  $A \in \mathcal{E}$  measurable subset,  $M(\cdot, A)$  is a random variable.

## Counting measures

Ex 1. Let  $(X_n)_{n \geq 1}$  a sequence of random variables with values in  $E$  such that for any compact  $K \subset E$ ,  $\#(\{X_n, n \geq 1\} \cap K) < \infty$   $\mathbb{P}$ -a.s.

Then  $M = \sum_{n \geq 1} \delta_{X_n}$  is an integer-valued random measure on  $E$ .  $M$  is called the 'counting measure' of  $(X_n)_{n \geq 1}$ .

$$M(\omega, A) = \# \{n \geq 1, X_n(\omega) \in A\} = \sum_{n \geq 1} 1_A(X_n(\omega))$$

Ex 2.  $X_n = \sum_{i=1}^n T_i$  where  $T_i \stackrel{i.i.d.}{\sim} \exp(\lambda)$ ,  $E = [0, \infty)$

Then  $M = \sum_{n \geq 1} \delta_{X_n}$  is the 'Poisson random measure':

$$M([t_1, t_2]) = N^\lambda(t_2) - N^\lambda(t_1) \quad \text{where} \quad N_t^\lambda = \sum_{n \geq 1} 1_{T_n \leq t} \quad \text{Poisson process}$$



# Poisson random measures

$$M : \Omega \times \mathcal{E} \rightarrow \mathbb{N} \\ (\omega, A) \mapsto M(\omega, A),$$

$$E \subset \mathbb{R}^d$$

such that

1. For (almost all)  $\omega \in \Omega$ ,  $M(\omega, \cdot)$  is an integer-valued Radon measure on  $E$ : for any bounded measurable  $A \subset E$ ,  $M(A) < \infty$  is an integer valued random variable.
2. For each measurable set  $A \subset E$ ,  $M(\cdot, A) = M(A)$  is a Poisson random variable with parameter  $\mu(A)$ :

$$\forall k \in \mathbb{N}, \quad \mathbb{P}(M(A) = k) = e^{-\mu(A)} \frac{(\mu(A))^k}{k!}. \quad (2.86)$$

3. For disjoint sets  $A_1, \dots, A_n \in \mathcal{E}$ , the variables  $M(A_1), \dots, M(A_n)$  are independent.

$\mu$  is called the intensity (measure) of  $M$   
Ex.  $N^\lambda$  Poisson process with intensity  $\lambda$ , then  $M^\lambda([t_1, t_2]) = N^\lambda(t_2) - N^\lambda(t_1)$  is a Poisson random measure on  $[0, \infty)$  with intensity measure  $\mu = \lambda \times \text{Leb}$   
 $\tilde{M} = M - \mu$  is called the "compensated Poisson measure" associated to  $M$ .

# Poisson random measures: construction

## PROPOSITION 2.14 Construction of Poisson random measures

For any Radon measure  $\mu$  on  $E \subset \mathbb{R}^d$ , there exists a Poisson random measure  $M$  on  $E$  with intensity  $\mu$ .

**PROOF** We give an explicit construction of  $M$  from a sequence of independent random variables. We begin by considering the case  $\mu(E) < \infty$ .

1. Take  $X_1, X_2, \dots$  to be i.i.d. random variables so that  $\mathbb{P}(X_i \in A) = \frac{\mu(A)}{\mu(E)}$ .
2. Take  $M(E)$  to be a Poisson random variable on  $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbb{P})$  with mean  $\mu(E)$ , independent of the  $X_i$ .
3. Define  $M(A) = \sum_{i=1}^{M(E)} 1_A(X_i)$ , for all  $A \in \mathcal{E}$ .

It is then easily verified that this  $M$  is a Poisson random measure with intensity  $\mu$ . If  $\mu(E) = \infty$ , since  $\mu$  is a Radon measure we can represent  $E \subset \mathbb{R}^d$  as a union of disjoint sets  $E = \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} E_i$  with  $\mu(E_i) < \infty$  and construct Poisson random measures  $M_i(\cdot)$ , where the intensity of  $M_i$  is the restriction of  $\mu$  to  $E_i$ . Make the  $M_i(\cdot)$  independent and define  $M(A) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} M_i(A)$  for all  $A \in \mathcal{E}$ . The superposition and thinning properties of Poisson random variables (see Section 2.5) imply that  $M$  has the desired properties.  $\square$

✓ This construction shows that a Poisson random measure can always be represented as a counting measure of some random sequence  $(X_n)_{n \geq 1}$ :

$$M(\omega, A) = \sum_{n \geq 1} \mathbb{1}_A(X_n(\omega)) \quad \text{or, equivalently}$$

as a sum of  
random point masses:

$$M = \sum_{n \geq 1} \delta_{X_n}$$

where the sequence  $(X_n)_{n \geq 1}$  is an  
"independently scattered according to the measure  
 $\mu(\cdot)$ "

**Lemma:**  $f_i \in L^1(\mu)$      $\text{supp}(f_1) \cap \text{supp}(f_2) = \emptyset$

Then  $\int_E f_1 dM$  and  $\int_E f_2 dM$  are independent

random variables.

Proof:  $f_i = 1_{A_i}$  where  $A_i \in \mathcal{E}$  measurable subset of  $E$   
 $\mu(A_i) < \infty$      $\text{supp}(f_i) = A_i$

$$\int_E f_i dM = M(A_i)$$

$$A_1 \cap A_2 = \emptyset \Rightarrow M(A_1), M(A_2) \text{ indep}$$

# Exponential formula for Poisson random measures

**PROPOSITION 3.7** Exponential formula for Poisson random measures

Let  $M$  be a Poisson random measure with intensity measure  $\mu$ . Then the following formula holds for every measurable set  $B$  such that  $\mu(B) < \infty$  and for all functions  $f$  such that  $\int_B e^{f(x)} \mu(dx) < \infty$ :

$$E \exp \left\{ \int_B f(x) M(dx) \right\} = \exp \left\{ \int_B (e^{f(x)} - 1) \mu(dx) \right\}. \quad (3.15)$$

- Allows to compute the 'Laplace transform' of the law of integrals with respect to  $M$  i.e. to characterize the distribution of  $M$ .

Proof:

First we note that, conditionally on  $M(B)$ ,  
the restriction of  $M$  to  $B$  has the same distribution  
as a counting measure  $\hat{M}_B$  on  $B$  defined by  
 $\hat{M}_B(A) = \# \{i=1 \dots M(B), X_i \in A\}$  for  $A \subset B$

where  $(X_i)_{i \geq 1}$  are IID with law  $\frac{\mu|_B}{\mu(B)} \leftarrow \text{restr. of } \mu \text{ to } B$

So:

$$E \exp \left\{ \int_B f(x) M(dx) \right\} = E[E[\exp \left\{ \int_B f(x) M(dx) \right\} | M(B)]]$$

$$E[E[e^{f(X_i)}]_{i=1}^{M(B)}] = E[E[e^{\sum_{i=1}^{M(B)} f(X_i)} | M(B)]],$$

$$E[e^{\sum_{i=1}^{M(B)} f(X_i)} | M(B)] = \left( \int_B \frac{\mu(dx) e^{f(x)}}{\mu(B)} \right)^{M(B)}$$

Since  $M(B) \sim \text{Poisson}(\mu(B))$

the outer expectation  
is computed as:

$$\sum_{n \geq 0} e^{-\mu(B)} \frac{\mu(B)^n}{n!} \left( \int_B \frac{\mu(dx) e^{f(x)}}{\mu(B)} \right)^n = \exp \left\{ \int_B (e^{f(x)} - 1) \mu(dx) \right\}.$$

## Convergence of Poisson random measures

### PROPOSITION 2.15 Convergence of Poisson random measures

Let  $(M_n)_{n \geq 1}$  be a sequence of Poisson random measures on  $E \subset \mathbb{R}^d$  with intensities  $(\mu_n)_{n \geq 1}$ . Then  $(M_n)_{n \geq 1}$  converges in distribution if and only if the intensities  $(\mu_n)$  converge to a Radon measure  $\mu$ . Then  $M_n \Rightarrow M$  where  $M$  is a Poisson random measure with intensity  $\mu$ .

$$(M_n \xrightarrow{d} M) \Leftrightarrow$$

$$\forall f \in C_K(E), \quad \int_E f d\mu^n \rightarrow \int_E f d\mu$$

Using the exponential formula:

$$E \exp\left(\lambda \int f dM_n\right) = E \exp\left[\int (e^{\lambda f} - 1) d\mu^n\right] \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} E \exp\left(\int (e^{\lambda f} - 1) d\mu\right)$$

so  $M$  verifies  $E \exp(\lambda \int f dM) = E \exp\left(\int (e^{\lambda f} - 1) d\mu\right)$ ,  $\forall f \in C_K$

$\rightarrow M$  is a Poisson random measure with intensity  $\mu(\cdot)$

# Jump measure of a cadlag process

The construction of a (Poisson) random measure from the Poisson process can be carried out for any non-anticipative cadlag process  $X$ .

Since  $X$  is cadlag:  $X$  has countable jumps and for any compact  $A$  with  $0 \notin A$ ,  $\{t, \Delta X_t \in A\}$  is a.s. finite so defining

$J_X([0, t] \times A) :=$  number of jumps of  $X$  occurring between 0 and  $t$   
whose amplitude belongs to  $A$ .  $A$  compact subset of  $\mathbb{R}^d \setminus \{0\}$   
 $\Rightarrow J_X([0, b] \times A) < \infty$

$J_X$  defines a random measure on  $[0, T] \times \mathbb{R}^d \setminus \{0\}$ , which is called the jump measure of the process  $X$ :

$$J_X = \sum_{t \in [0, T]}^{\Delta X_t \neq 0} \delta_{(t, \Delta X_t)}. \quad (2.96)$$

$$J_X = \sum_{n \geq 1} \delta_{(\tau_n, Y_n)} \quad \text{where } \begin{cases} \tau_n & \text{jump times of } X \\ Y_n = \Delta X_{\tau_n} = X_{\tau_n} - X_{\tau_n^-} \end{cases}$$



- Integrating with respect to the jump measure:

$$\int_{[0, T] \times \mathbb{R}^d} f(t, x) J_X(dt dx) = \sum_{\substack{t \in [0, T], \\ \Delta X_t \neq 0}} f(t, \Delta X_t)$$

All quantities involving the jumps of  $X$  can be computed by integrating various functions against  $J_X$ . For example if  $f(t, y) = y^2$  then one obtains the sum of the squares of the jumps of  $X$ :

$$\int_{[0, T] \times \mathbb{R}} y^2 J_X(dt dy) = \sum_{t \in [0, T]} (\Delta X_t)^2. \quad (2.97)$$

# Jump measure of a compound Poisson process

## PROPOSITION 3.6 Jump measure of a compound Poisson process

Let  $(X_t)_{t \geq 0}$  be a compound Poisson process with intensity  $\lambda$  and jump size distribution  $f$ . Its jump measure  $J_X$  is a Poisson random measure on  $[0, \infty) \times \mathbb{R}^d$  with intensity measure  $\mu(dt \times dx) = dt \times \nu(dx) = dt \times \lambda f(dx)$ .

Thus a compound Poisson process  $X$  with measure  $\nu$  can be represented as:

$$X_t = \sum_{s \in [0, t]} \Delta X_s = \int_{[0, t] \times \mathbb{R}^d} x J_X(ds \times dx),$$

where  $J_X$  is a Poisson random measure with intensity measure  $\mu(dt \times dx) = dt \cdot \nu(dx)$

- $\mu$  verifies  $\mu(\{t\} \times (\mathbb{R}^d \setminus \{0\})) = 0 \quad \forall t \geq 0$  ;  
there are 'no jumps at deterministic times'

**Proof** : The jump measure of  $X$  is defined as

$$J_X([t_1, t_2] \times A) = \#\left\{s \in [t_1, t_2], \Delta X_s \in A\right\} = \sum_{i=N_{t_1}+1}^{N_{t_2}} \mathbb{1}_{Y_i \in A}$$

**PROOF of Proposition 3.6** From the Definition (3.12) it is clear that  $J_X$  is an integer valued measure. Let us first check that  $J_X(B)$  is Poisson distributed. It is sufficient to prove this property for a set of the form  $B = [t_1, t_2] \times A$  with  $A \in \mathcal{B}(\mathbb{R}^d)$ . Let  $(N_t)_{t \geq 0}$  be the Poisson process, counting the jumps of  $X$ . Conditionally on the trajectory of  $N$ , the jump sizes  $Y_i$  are i.i.d. and  $J_X([t_1, t_2] \times A)$  is a sum of  $N(t_2) - N(t_1)$  i.i.d. Bernoulli variables taking value 1 with probability  $f(A)$ . Therefore,  $\hookrightarrow \sim \text{Poisson}(\lambda(t_2 - t_1))$

$$\begin{aligned} E[e^{iu J_X([t_1, t_2] \times A)}] &= E[E[e^{iu J_X([t_1, t_2] \times A)} | N_t, t \geq 0]] \\ &= E[\{e^{iu f(A)} + 1 - f(A)\}^{N(t_2) - N(t_1)}] = \exp\{\lambda(t_2 - t_1) f(A) (e^{iu} - 1)\} \end{aligned}$$

because  $N(t_2) - N(t_1)$  is Poisson distributed with parameter  $\lambda(t_2 - t_1)$ . Thus,  $J_X([t_1, t_2] \times A)$  is a Poisson random variable with parameter  $f(A)\lambda(t_2 - t_1)$  which was to be shown.

Therefore the intensity  $\mu$  of  $J_X$  is such that  $\mu([t_1, t_2] \times A) = \lambda f(A) (t_2 - t_1) = \nu(A) \times \text{Leb}([t_1, t_2])$

Now let us check the independence of measures of disjoint sets. First, let us show that if  $A$  and  $B$  are two disjoint Borel sets in  $\mathbb{R}^d$  then  $J_X([t_1, t_2] \times A)$  and  $J_X([t_1, t_2] \times B)$  are independent. Conditionally on the trajectory of  $N$ , the expression  $iuJ_X([t_1, t_2] \times A) + ivJ_X([t_1, t_2] \times B)$  is a sum of  $N(t_2) - N(t_1)$  i.i.d. random variables taking values:

$$Z_k = \begin{cases} iu & \text{with probability } f(A); \\ iv & \text{with probability } f(B); \\ 0 & \text{with probability } 1 - f(A) - f(B). \end{cases} \quad E(e^{Z_k}) = (e^{iu} - 1)f(A) + (e^{iv} - 1)f(B) + 1$$

Proceeding like in the first part of the proof, we factorize the characteristic function as follows

$$\begin{aligned} E[e^{iuJ_X([t_1, t_2] \times A) + ivJ_X([t_1, t_2] \times B)}] &= E\left[e^{\sum_{N(t_1)+1}^{N(t_2)} Z_k}\right] \\ &= E[\{(e^{iu} - 1)f(A) + (e^{iv} - 1)f(B) + 1\}^{N(t_2) - N(t_1)}] \\ &= \exp\{\lambda(t_2 - t_1)(f(A)(e^{iu} - 1) + f(B)(e^{iv} - 1))\} \\ &= E[e^{iuJ_X([t_1, t_2] \times A)}]E[e^{ivJ_X([t_1, t_2] \times B)}]. \end{aligned}$$

Second, let  $[t_1, t_2]$  and  $[s_1, s_2]$  be two disjoint intervals. The independence of  $J_X([t_1, t_2] \times A)$  and  $J_X([s_1, s_2] \times B)$  follows directly from the independence of increments of the process  $X$ .

Let  $B = \bigcup_{n \geq 1} [t_n, s_n] \times A_n$  with  $A_n$  disjoint

$$J_x(B) = \sum_{n \geq 1} J_x([t_n, s_n] \times A_n)$$

independent Poisson variables  
with parameter

$$\lambda f(A_n) (s_n - t_n) = \mu([t_n, s_n] \times A_n)$$

so:  $J_x(B) \sim \text{Poisson} \left( \sum_{n \geq 1} \lambda f(A_n) (s_n - t_n) \right)$

$$\sum_{n \geq 1} \lambda f(A_n) (s_n - t_n) = \sum_{n \geq 1} \mu([t_n, s_n] \times A_n) = \mu(B)$$

# Homogeneous Poisson random measures

A Poisson random measure  $M$  on  $[0, T] \times \mathbb{R}^d$  is called **homogeneous** if its intensity is given by

$$\mu(dt dx) = dt \times \nu(dx)$$

where  $\nu$  is a Radon measure on  $\mathbb{R}^d \setminus \{0\}$ .

$\nu$  is sometimes called the 'Lévy measure' associated to  $M$ .

Let  $M = \sum_{n \geq 1} \delta_{(T_n, Y_n)}$  for some random sequence  $(T_n, Y_n)_{n \geq 1}$

For any  $A \subset \mathbb{R}^d \setminus \{0\}$  compact subset of  $\mathbb{R}^d \setminus \{0\}$  then

$M([t, t+T] \times A)$  has a Poisson distribution with parameter  $T \nu(A)$

So  $\nu(A) = \mathbb{E} \left[ \begin{array}{l} \text{number of events per unit time} \\ \text{whose size belongs to } A \end{array} \right]$

$M$  Poisson random measure  $M = \sum_{n \geq 1} \delta_{(T_n, Y_n)}$

$A \subset \mathbb{R}^d \setminus \{0\}$  measurable set

$T_i \leq T_{i+1}$  stopping times

$$\int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} 1_{]T_i, T_{i+1}] \times A} dM := M(]T_i, T_{i+1}] \times A)$$

= number of events in  
 $]T_i, T_{i+1}]$  whose  
size is in  $A$

$$= \# \left\{ n \geq 1, (T_n, Y_n) \in ]T_i, T_{i+1}] \times A \right\}$$

Let  $M$  be a Poisson random measure on  $[0, \infty) \times \mathbb{R}^d \setminus \{0\}$   
 with intensity  $\mu$

$$M = \sum_{n \geq 1} \delta_{(T_n, Y_n)}$$

$T_n$  : 'event times'

$Y_n$  : 'event sizes'

$\tilde{\mathcal{F}}_t^M := \sigma(\{T_n, Y_n, T_n \leq t\})$   $\sigma$ -algebra generated by events 'before  $t$ '

• We already know how to integrate a deterministic  $\phi : [0, T] \times \mathbb{R}^d$  with respect to

the Radon measure  $M(\omega, \cdot)$  for a fixed  $\omega \in \Omega$ .

• We want to define  $\int_0^T \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \phi(t, y, \omega) M(dt dy)$

for integrands which are  $\checkmark$  caglad in  $t$   
 $\checkmark$  adapted to  $(\tilde{\mathcal{F}}_t^M)_{t \geq 0}$



# Stochastic integration with respect to a Poisson random measure

$\phi : \Omega \times [0, T] \times \mathbb{R}^d \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is called a 'simple predictable random function' if

$$\phi(t, y) = \sum_{j=1}^m \phi_{0j} 1_{t=0} 1_{A_j}(y) + \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \sum_{j=1}^m \phi_{ij} 1_{]T_i, T_{i+1}[}(t) 1_{A_j}(y), \quad (8.20)$$

where  $0 = T_0 \leq T_1 \leq T_2 \leq \dots \leq T_n$  are nonanticipating random times,  $(\phi_{ij})_{j=1\dots m}$  are bounded  $\mathcal{F}_{T_i}$ -measurable random variables and  $(A_j)_{j=1\dots m}$  are disjoint subsets of  $\mathbb{R}^d$  with  $\mu([0, T] \times A_j) < \infty$ . The stochastic integral  $\int_{[0, T] \times \mathbb{R}^d} \phi(t, y) M(dt dy)$  is then defined as the random variable

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^T \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \phi(t, y) M(dt dy) &= \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \sum_{j=1}^m \phi_{ij} M(]T_i, T_{i+1}[ \times A_j) \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \sum_{j=1}^m \phi_{ij} [M_{T_{i+1}}(A_j) - M_{T_i}(A_j)]. \end{aligned} \quad (8.21)$$

where  $M_T(A) = M(]0, T] \times A)$  is a Poisson process with intensity  $\nu(A)$

Similarly, one can define the process  $t \mapsto \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \phi(t, y) M(dt dy)$  by

$$X_t = \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \phi(s, y) M(ds dy) = \sum_{i=0}^n \sum_{j=1}^m \phi_{ij} [M_{T_{i+1} \wedge t}(A_j) - M_{T_i \wedge t}(A_j)].$$

**Proposition:** for every simple predictable function

$$\phi : \Omega \times [0, T] \times \mathbb{R}^d \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, X_t = \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \phi(s, y) M(ds dy)$$

is a cadlag adapted process.

Description : if  $M = \sum_{n \geq 1} \delta_{(T_n, Y_n)}$   $T_n$  jump times  
 $Y_n$  jump sizes

then : •  $\Delta X_t \neq 0 \iff t \in \{T_n, n \geq 1\}$

•  $\Delta X_{T_i} = \phi(T_i, Y_i)$

✓ In fact  $X$  is a semimartingale

Similarly, one can define the process  $t \mapsto \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \phi(t, y) M(dt dy)$  by

$$X_t = \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \phi(s, y) M(ds dy) = \sum_{i=0}^n \sum_{j=1}^m \phi_{ij} [M_{T_{i+1} \wedge t}(A_j) - M_{T_i \wedge t}(A_j)].$$

Property:  $E(X_t) = E\left[\int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \phi(s, y) \mu(ds dy)\right]$

Proof:  $E(\phi_{ij} M_{T_{i+1} \wedge t}(A_j) - M_{T_i \wedge t}(A_j)) =$

$$E\left(E(\phi_{ij} M_{T_{i+1} \wedge t}(A_j) - M_{T_i \wedge t}(A_j) \mid \mathcal{F}_{T_i})\right) =$$

since  $\phi_{ij}$   $\mathcal{F}_{T_i}$ -measurable

$$= E\left(\phi_{ij} E(M_{T_{i+1} \wedge t}(A_j) - M_{T_i \wedge t}(A_j) \mid \mathcal{F}_{T_i})\right) =$$

$$= E\left(\phi_{ij} E(M_{T_{i+1} \wedge t}(A_j) - M_{T_i \wedge t}(A_j))\right) = \text{by indep. of increments of } M(A_j)$$

$$= E\left(\phi_{ij} E(\nu(A_j)(T_{i+1} \wedge t - T_i \wedge t))\right) = E\left(\phi_{ij} (T_{i+1} \wedge t - T_i \wedge t) \nu(A_j)\right)$$

## Stochastic integral with respect to a Poisson random measure

Denote  $\mathcal{L}^1(\mu)$  the set of maps

$$\phi: \Omega \times [0, \infty) \times \mathbb{R}^d \longrightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad \text{such that}$$

(i) For every  $t \geq 0$ , the mapping  $(\omega, x) \mapsto \phi(\omega, t, x)$  is  $\mathcal{F}_t \times \mathcal{B}(\mathbb{R}^d)$ -measurable.

(ii) For every  $(\omega, x)$ , the mapping  $t \mapsto \phi(\omega, t, x)$  is **caglad**.

$$(iii) \quad \mathbb{E} \left[ \int_0^T \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |\phi(t, y)| \mu(ds dy) \right] < \infty$$

Then for any  $\phi \in \mathcal{L}^1(\mu)$ ,  $\int_0^T \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \phi(s, y) M(ds dy)$  may

be defined pathwise: if  $M = \sum_{i \geq 1} \delta_{(T_i, Y_i)}$

$$\int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \phi(s, y) M(ds dy) := \sum_{i \geq 1} \phi(T_i, Y_i) \mathbb{1}_{T_i \leq t}$$

which is absolutely convergent almost surely since

$$\sum_{i \geq 1} |\phi(T_i, Y_i)| \mathbb{1}_{T_i \leq t} = \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |\phi| < \infty \quad \text{a.s.}$$

**Poisson integral**  $M$  Poisson random measure  
 on  $[0, T] \times \mathbb{R}^d$   
 $\mu$  intensity of  $M$   $M = \sum_{n \geq 1} \delta_{(T_n, Y_n)}$

For any predictable random function  $\phi \in \mathcal{L}^1(\mu)$

✓  $X_t = \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \phi(s, y) M(ds dy)$   $E\left(\int_0^T \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |\phi(t, y)| \mu(dt dy)\right) < \infty$

is a cadlag process, adapted to the filtration

$\mathcal{F}_t = \mathcal{F}_t^M$  generated by  $M$ .

✓  $E(X_t) = E\left(\int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \phi(s, y) \mu(ds dy)\right)$

✓  $X$  has paths of bounded variation and

$$X_t = \sum_{n \geq 1} \mathbb{1}_{T_n \leq t} \phi(T_n, Y_n, \omega)$$

In particular  $X$  is a semimartingale.

**Example:** Let  $M$  be a homogeneous PRM on  $[0, T] \times \mathbb{R}^d$  with intensity  $\mu(dt dx) = dt \times \nu(dx)$

✓ If  $\int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \|x\| \nu(dx) < \infty$  then  $\int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} x M(dt dx)$  is well-defined

Then:  $X_t = \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} x M(dt dx)$  is a pure-jump process with independent increments with  $\bar{E}(e^{iu \cdot X_t}) = \exp(t) (e^{iu \cdot x} - 1) \nu(dx)$

If  $M = \sum_{n \geq 1} \delta_{(T_n, Y_n)}$ ,  $X_t = \sum_{T_n \leq t} Y_n$  and  $\sum_{T_n \leq t} |Y_n| < \infty$  a.s.

✓ Note that  $X$  may have an infinite number of jumps in  $[0, t]$ .

∴  $t_i \leq t_{i+1} \leq \dots$  :  $X_{t_{i+1}} - X_{t_i} = \int_{t_i}^{t_{i+1}} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} x M(dt dx)$  are independent variables

✓  $X_t^\varepsilon = \sum_{s \leq t, \| \Delta X_s \| > \varepsilon} \Delta X_s = \sum_{T_n \leq t} Y_n 1_{|Y_n| > \varepsilon} = \int_0^t \int_{\|x\| > \varepsilon} x M(dt dx)$

is a compound Poisson process with

intensity  $\nu(\mathbb{R}^d \setminus B(0, \varepsilon))$ , jump size distribution  $\frac{\nu|_{\mathbb{R}^d \setminus B(0, \varepsilon)}}{\nu(\mathbb{R}^d \setminus B(0, \varepsilon))}$

✓ If  $\int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \|x\| \nu(dx) < \infty$  and  $\int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \nu(dx) < \infty$  then  $X_t = \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} x M(ds dx)$

is a Compound Poisson process:  $X_t = \sum_{i=1}^{N_t} Y_i$  where

✓  $N_t$  is a Poisson process with intensity  $\nu(\mathbb{R}^d) < \infty$

✓  $Y_i \stackrel{i.i.d.}{\sim} F$  where  $F = \frac{\nu(\cdot)}{\nu(\mathbb{R}^d)}$

Example where  $\int \|x\| \nu(dx) < \infty$  but  $\nu(\mathbb{R}^d) = +\infty$

Ex 1.  $\nu(dx) = \frac{e^{-K|x|}}{|x|^{1+\alpha}} dx$   $0 < \alpha < 1$   $d=1$

Then  $\nu(\mathbb{R}) = \infty$ ,  $\int \|x\| \nu(dx) < \infty$

$X_t = \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}} x M(ds dx)$  is called a 'tempered  $\alpha$ -stable process'

# Compensated Poisson integral

$M$  Poisson random measure on  $[0, T] \times (\mathbb{R}^d \setminus \{0\})$   
with intensity measure  $\mu \in M_+([0, T] \times (\mathbb{R}^d \setminus \{0\}))$

The signed random measure  $\tilde{M} = M - \mu$  is called  
the **compensated Poisson measure** associated to  $M$

• For  $\phi = \sum_{i,j} \phi_{ij} \mathbb{1}_{]T_i, T_{i+1}] \times A_j}$  simple predictable function, define

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^T \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \phi(s, y) \tilde{M}(ds dy) &= \sum_{i=0}^n \sum_{j=1}^m \phi_{ij} \tilde{M}(]T_i, T_{i+1}] \times A_j) \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^n \sum_{j=1}^m \phi_{ij} [M(]T_i, T_{i+1}] \times A_j) - \mu(]T_i, T_{i+1}] \times A_j)]. \end{aligned} \quad (8.23)$$

By restricting to terms with  $T_i \leq t$  (i.e., stopping at  $t$ ), we obtain a stochastic process:

$$\int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \phi(s, y) \tilde{M}(ds dy) = \sum_{i=0}^n \sum_{j=1}^m \phi_{ij} [\tilde{M}_{T_{i+1} \wedge t}(A_j) - \tilde{M}_{T_i \wedge t}(A_j)]. \quad (8.24)$$



## Compensated Poisson integrals: martingale property and isometry formula

For any simple predictable function  $\phi : \Omega \times [0, T] \times \mathbb{R}^d \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  the process  $(X_t)_{t \in [0, T]}$  defined by the compensated integral

$$X_t = \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \phi(s, y) \tilde{M}(ds dy)$$

is a square integrable martingale and verifies the isometry formula:

$$E[|X_t|^2] = E \left[ \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |\phi(s, y)|^2 \mu(ds dy) \right]. \quad (8.25)$$

Let 
$$Y^i(t) = \underbrace{M([0, t] \times A_j)}_{\substack{\downarrow \\ \text{Poisson process} \\ \text{with intensity} \\ \nu(A_j)}} - \underbrace{\mu([0, t] \times A_j)}_{= t\nu(A_j)} = N_t^j - t\nu(A_j)$$

$A_i \cap A_j = \emptyset \Rightarrow Y^i, Y^j$  independent compensated  
Poisson processes

**PROOF** For  $j = 1 \dots m$  define  $Y_t^j = \tilde{M}([0, t] \times A_j) = \tilde{M}_t(A_j)$ . From Proposition 2.16,  $(Y_t^j)_{t \in [0, T]}$  is a martingale with independent increments. Since the  $A_j$  are disjoint, the processes  $Y^j$  are mutually independent.

Writing  $\tilde{M}([T_i \wedge t, T_{i+1} \wedge t] \times A_j) = Y_{T_{i+1} \wedge t}^j - Y_{T_i \wedge t}^j$ , the compensated integral  $X_t$  can be expressed as a sum of stochastic integrals:

$$\begin{aligned}
 X_t &= \sum_{i=0}^n \sum_{j=1}^m \phi_{ij} (Y_{T_{i+1} \wedge t}^j - Y_{T_i \wedge t}^j) \\
 &= \sum_{j=1}^m \int_0^t \underbrace{\phi^j}_{\text{martingales}} dY^j \quad \text{where} \quad \phi^j = \sum_{i=0}^n \phi_{ij} 1_{]T_i, T_{i+1}]}. \leftarrow \text{simple predictable process}
 \end{aligned}$$

martingales

from the martingale-preserving property

Each  $\phi^j$  is a simple predictable process so  $\int \phi^j dY^j$  is a martingale  $\Rightarrow X$  is a martingale.

$E(X_+) = E(X_0) = 0$ . To compute  $E(X_T^2)$ ,  
using the independence of  $(Y^j)_{j \geq 1}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
 E|X_T|^2 &= \sum_{j=1}^m \sum_{i=0}^n \sum_{k=1}^m \sum_{l=0}^n E \left[ \phi_{ij} \phi_{lk} (Y_{T_{i+1}}^j - Y_{T_i}^j) (Y_{T_{l+1}}^k - Y_{T_l}^k) \right] \\
 &= \sum_{i,j,k} E \left[ \phi_{ij} \phi_{ik} (Y_{T_{i+1}}^j - Y_{T_i}^j) (Y_{T_{i+1}}^k - Y_{T_i}^k) \right] \\
 &= \sum_{i,j,k} E \left[ \phi_{ij} \phi_{ik} E[(Y_{T_{i+1}}^j - Y_{T_i}^j) (Y_{T_{i+1}}^k - Y_{T_i}^k) | \mathcal{F}_{T_i}] \right] \\
 &= \sum_{i,j} E \left[ |\phi_{ij}|^2 E[(Y_{T_{i+1}}^j - Y_{T_i}^j)^2 | \mathcal{F}_{T_i}] \right] \\
 &= \sum_{i,j} E \left[ |\phi_{ij}|^2 \mu([T_i, T_{i+1}] \times A_j) \right], = E \left( \int_0^T \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |\phi|^2 \mu(dt dy) \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

## Compensated Poisson Integral: $L^2$ extension

Denote  $\mathcal{D}^2(\mu)$  the set of maps

$$\phi: \Omega \times [0, \infty) \times \mathbb{R}^d \longrightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad \text{such that}$$

(i) For every  $t \geq 0$ , the mapping  $(\omega, x) \mapsto \phi(\omega, t, x)$  is  $\mathcal{F}_t \times \mathcal{B}(\mathbb{R}^d)$ -measurable.

(ii) For every  $(\omega, x)$ , the mapping  $t \mapsto \phi(\omega, t, x)$  is caglad.

$$(iii) \quad E \int_0^T \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |\phi(t, y)|^2 \mu(dt dy) < \infty. \quad \forall T > 0$$

Then for  $\phi \in \mathcal{D}^2(\mu)$  there exists a sequence  $(\phi^n)$  of simple predictable random functions such that

$$E \left[ \int_0^T \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |\phi^n(t, y) - \phi(t, y)|^2 \mu(dt dy) \right] \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0.$$

and the compensated Poisson integral may be defined

$$\text{as: } \int_0^T \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \phi(s, y) d\tilde{M} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^T \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \phi^n(s, y) \tilde{M}(ds, dy) \quad \text{in } L^2(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbb{P})$$

## Compensated Poisson integral : property

For every  $\phi \in \mathcal{P}^2(\mu)$ ,

$t \mapsto \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \phi(s, y) \tilde{M}(ds dy)$  is a square integrable martingale,

$$E \left[ \left| \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \phi(s, y) \tilde{M}(ds dy) \right|^2 \right] = E \left[ \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |\phi(s, y)|^2 \mu(ds dy) \right].$$

# Lévy-Ito processes

M Poisson random measure on  $[0, \infty) \times \mathbb{R}^d \setminus \{0\}$   
with intensity measure  $\mu$

W Wiener process on  $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, (\mathcal{F}_t)_{t \geq 0}, \mathbb{P})$ .

**Def:** A Lévy-Ito process (also called 'Ito semimartingale')  
is a cadlag  $\mathcal{F}_t$ -adapted process

$$X_t = \int_0^t b_s ds + \int_0^t \phi_s dW_s + \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \psi(s, y) M(ds dy)$$

where  $\phi$  is a caglad adapted process

$\psi \in L_2(\mu)$  is a predictable random function

$b$  is a locally integrable adapted process

• If  $M = \sum_{n \geq 1} \delta_{(T_n, Y_n)}$  then

$$X_t = \int_0^t b_s ds + \int_0^t \phi_s dW_s + \sum_{T_n \leq t} \psi(T_n, Y_n)$$

# Lévy-Ito processes: properties

$$X_t^i = \int_0^t b_s^i ds + \int_0^t \phi_s^i dW_s + \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \psi^i(s, y) M(ds dy)$$

$$i) [X^i]_t = \int_0^t \|\phi_s^i\|^2 ds + \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \|\psi^i(s, y)\|^2 M(ds dy)$$

$$ii) [X^1, X^2]_t = \int_0^t \langle \phi_s^1, \phi_s^2 \rangle ds + \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \langle \psi^1(s, y), \psi^2(s, y) \rangle M(ds dy) \\ = \int_0^t \langle \phi_s^1, \phi_s^2 \rangle ds + \sum_{0 \leq T_n \leq t} \langle \psi^1(T_n, Y_n), \psi^2(T_n, Y_n) \rangle$$

iii) Semimartingale decomposition:

$$X_t^i = X_0^i + \int_0^t \phi_s^i dW_s \quad \leftarrow \text{continuous local martingale} \\ + \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \psi^i(s, y) \tilde{M}(ds dy) \quad \leftarrow \text{'compensated' pure-jump local martingale} \\ + \int_0^t b_s^i ds + \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \psi^i(s, y) \mu(ds dy) \quad \leftarrow \text{process of bounded variation}$$

# Lévy processes

Let  $\nu$  be a Radon measure on  $\mathbb{R}^d \setminus \{0\}$

with  $(*) \int (\|x\|^2 \wedge 1) \nu(dx) < \infty \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} \exists \varepsilon > 0 & \int_{\|x\| \leq \varepsilon} \|x\|^2 \nu(dx) < \infty \\ \int_{\|x\| > \varepsilon} \nu(dx) < \infty \end{cases}$

and  $M$  a homogeneous Poisson random measure with intensity  $\mu(dt dy) = dt \nu(dy)$  on  $[0, \infty) \times \mathbb{R}^d$

Then:  $\int_0^t \int_{\|x\| \leq \varepsilon} x \tilde{M}(ds dx)$  is a well-defined square-integrable martingale

since  $\psi(s, x, \omega) = x$  is a predictable random function with  $\psi \in \mathcal{D}^2(\mu)$  by  $(*)$

$\int_0^t \int_{\|x\| > \varepsilon} x M(ds dx)$  is a well-defined compound Poisson process

$$M = \sum_{n \geq 1} \delta_{(T_n, Y_n)} \Rightarrow \int_0^t \int_{\|x\| > \varepsilon} x M(ds dx) = \sum_{T_n \leq t, \|Y_n\| > \varepsilon} Y_n$$



# Lévy processes

$W, M$  independent.

$W$   $\mathbb{R}^d$ -valued Wiener process

$M$  PRM with intensity  $dt \nu(dx)$

$b \in \mathbb{R}^d$ ,  $\Sigma \in M_d(\mathbb{R})$ ,  $A = \Sigma \cdot \Sigma$

where the 'Lévy measure'  $\nu$  verifies:

$$\int_{\|x\| > 1} \nu(dx) < \infty, \quad \int_{\|x\| \leq 1} \nu(dx) \|x\|^2 < \infty$$

Definition:

$$X_t = bt + \Sigma \cdot W + \int_0^t \int_{\|x\| \leq 1} x \tilde{M}(ds dx) + \int_0^t \int_{\|x\| > 1} x M(ds dx) \quad (\text{L-I})$$

is a cadlag process with independent increments,  
called a Lévy process.

(L-I) is called the Lévy-Ito decomposition of  $X$

# Lévy process

$$X_t = bt + \Sigma \cdot W + \int_0^t \int_{\|x\| \leq 1} x \tilde{M}(ds dx) + \int_0^t \int_{\|x\| > 1} x M(ds dx)$$

$$\approx b_\varepsilon t + \Sigma \cdot W + \int_0^t \int_{\|x\| \leq \varepsilon} x \tilde{M}(ds dx) + \int_0^t \int_{\|x\| > \varepsilon} x M(ds dx)$$

where  $b_\varepsilon = b - \int_{\varepsilon < \|x\| \leq 1} x \nu(dx)$

# Lévy - Khinchin formula

$$X_t = bt + \Sigma \cdot W + \int_0^t \int_{\|x\| \leq 1} x \tilde{M}(ds dx) + \int_0^t \int_{\|x\| > 1} x M(ds dx)$$

The characteristic function of  $X_t$  is given by:

$$\phi_{X_t}(u) = E(e^{iuX_t}) = \exp(t\psi(u)) \quad \text{where}$$

$$\psi(u) = i\langle b, u \rangle - \frac{1}{2} \langle u, Au \rangle + \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \left( e^{i\langle u, x \rangle} - 1 - \frac{1}{2} i\langle u, x \rangle \right) \nu(dx)$$

is called the characteristic exponent of  $X$ .

•  $\phi_{X_t}$  is entirely determined by the triplet  $(b, A, \nu)$

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