

# Scalings and saturation in infinite-dimensional control problems with applications to SPDEs

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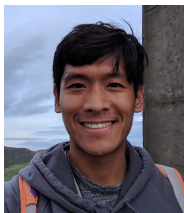
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# Part I:

Control and Stochastic PDEs.

# Degenerate Stochastic PDEs

$$d\mathbf{u} + (L\mathbf{u} + N(\mathbf{u}))dt = \sum_{k=1}^d \sigma_k dW^k, \quad \mathbf{u}(0) = \mathbf{u}_0 \in H \quad (1)$$

- $L$  linear, unbounded.  $N$  multi-linear.
- $dW^k$  i.i.d. gaussian white noise.  $\sigma_k \in H$ .  $d \ll \infty$  ('degenerate noise').

## Basic Questions

- (i) Robust observability of statistics (Unique ergodicity of invariant measures).
- (ii) Realizable outcomes (Support Properties).

Model equations: Navier-Stokes, Boussinesq, Korteweg-de Vries (KdV).

Physical motivations: Stochastic forcing in (1) models large scale stirring driving turbulent flow.

# The Low Mode Control Problem

$$\frac{d\mathbf{u}}{dt} + L\mathbf{u} + N(\mathbf{u}) = \sum_{k=1}^d \alpha_k(t)\sigma_k \quad \mathbf{u}(0) = \mathbf{u}_0 \in H \quad (2)$$

- $L$  linear, unbounded.  $N$  multi-linear.  $\sigma_k \in H$ .  $d \ll \infty$ .
- $\alpha(t) = (\alpha_1(t), \dots, \alpha_d(t))$  actuators (replace white noise).

**Goal:** Characterize the accessibility sets

$$\mathcal{A}(\mathbf{u}_0, T) := \{\mathbf{u}(T, \mathbf{u}_0, \alpha) : \alpha \text{ piecewise continuous}\}. \quad (3)$$

- $\mathcal{A}(\mathbf{u}_0, T)$  has basic implication for the SPDE associated to (2).
- Interactions between forcing and non-linearity  $N$ .

# The Markovian Framework

$$d\mathbf{u} + F(\mathbf{u})dt = \sigma dW = \sum_{k=1}^d \sigma_k dW^k, \quad \mathbf{u}(0) = \mathbf{u}_0 \in H. \quad (4)$$

Markov transition functions:  $P_t(\mathbf{u}_0, A) = \mathbb{P}(\mathbf{u}(t, \mathbf{u}_0) \in A)$ ,  $\mathbf{u}_0 \in H$ ,  $A \in \mathcal{B}(H)$

$$P_t \phi(\mathbf{u}_0) := \int_H \phi(\mathbf{u}) P_t(\mathbf{u}_0, d\mathbf{u}) = \mathbb{E} \phi(\mathbf{u}(t, \mathbf{u}_0)); \quad (\phi : H \rightarrow \mathbb{R}),$$

$$\mu P_t(A) := \int_H P_t(u, A) d\mu(u); \quad (\mu \text{ probability measure on } H),$$

evolving observables and probability laws.

$\mu \in \text{Pr}(H)$  is an Invariant Measure (IM) if

$$\mu P_t = \mu \quad \text{for all } t \geq 0.$$

# Unique Ergodicity

$$d\mathbf{u} + F(\mathbf{u})dt = \sigma dW, \quad \mathbf{u}(0) = \mathbf{u}_0 \in H, \quad P_t(\mathbf{u}_0, A) = \mathbb{P}(\mathbf{u}(t, \mathbf{u}_0) \in A)$$

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## Existence/Uniqueness/Attractivity of Invariant Measures (IM)

- (i) **Smoothing properties of  $P_t$ :** (Hypo)ellipticity of the Kolmogorov Equation? Recall that  $V(t, u) := P_t\phi(u)$  solves

$$\partial_t V = \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr}[(\sigma\sigma^*)D^2V] - \langle F(u), DV \rangle, \quad V(0) = \phi.$$

- (ii) **Irreducibility:** Common states  $\mathbf{v}^*$  can be reached by the dynamics

$$\inf_{\mathbf{u} \in B(M, \mathbf{v}^*)} P_t(\mathbf{u}, B(\epsilon, \mathbf{v}^*)) > 0 \quad \text{for all } M > 0, \epsilon > 0.$$

- (iii) **Lyapunov Structure:** There is a  $\mathcal{L} : H \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$  w/  $\mathcal{L}(\mathbf{u}) \rightarrow \infty$  as  $\mathbf{u} \rightarrow \infty$  s.t.

$$P_t\mathcal{L} \leq f(t)\mathcal{L} + C \quad \text{with } f(t) \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } t \rightarrow \infty.$$

- (i), (ii) are reducible **geometric to control problems**.
- References: Doeblin (30's), Doob-Khasminskii (40, 60's), Harris (50's), Hairer-Mattingly (00's).



## Support of a Borel measure

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$$\frac{d\mathbf{v}}{dt} + F(\mathbf{v}) = \alpha \cdot \sigma, \quad \mathbf{v}(T, \mathbf{u}_0, \alpha) = \mathbf{u}(T, \mathbf{u}_0, \int_0^T \alpha).$$

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Proof (additive noise  $\Rightarrow W \mapsto \mathbf{u}(T, \mathbf{u}_0, W)$  continuous.)

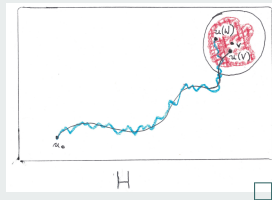
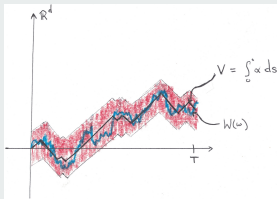
$\Leftarrow$  Fix  $\mathbf{v} \in \overline{\mathcal{A}(\mathbf{u}_0, T)}$ ,  $\epsilon > 0$ .

Find  $V = \int_0^T \alpha ds$  &  $\delta > 0 \dots$

$\mathbb{P}(\sup_{t \in [0, T]} |V(t) - W(t)| < \delta) > 0$

$\Rightarrow$  Fix  $\mathbf{v} \in \text{supp}(P_T(\mathbf{u}_0, \cdot))$ ,  
 $\epsilon > 0$ . Find  $W(\omega)$  s.t.

$\|\mathbf{u}(T, \mathbf{u}_0, W(\omega)) - \mathbf{v}\| < \epsilon/2 \dots$



# Overview and Previous Work

## Geometric Control in Infinite Dimensions

Scaling: Short powerful burst controls yield dynamics following rays.

Saturation: Accounting framework which sidesteps multiple time scales and other nightmares.

Algebraic Conditions: Hormander type algebraic conditions.

Applications: Ergodicity and support properties for degenerate stochastic KdV & Boussinesq, Prevention of blowup for 3D Euler.

## Previous Work

- Jurdevic-Kupka– Geometric control in finite dimensions.
- Agrachev-Sarychev's Approach. See also Shirikyan, Nersisyan, Nersesyan.
- Bracket Analysis: E-Mattingly, Mattingly-Hairer, Romito, GH-Foldes-Richards-Thomann.
- Non-degenerate noise: DaPrato-Zabczyk, Flandoli-Maslowski.
- $\infty$ -Dim Malliavin Calculus: Hairer-Mattingly, Mattingly-Pardoux.

# Part II:

## Scaling Arguments

# Directly Controlled Modes, Ray Semigroups

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dt} \mathbf{u} + L\mathbf{u} + N(\mathbf{u}) &= \mathbf{h}, \mathbf{u}(0) = \mathbf{u}_0 && \text{defining } \Phi_t^{\mathbf{h}} \mathbf{u}_0 := \mathbf{u}(t, \mathbf{u}_0, \mathbf{h}) \\ \frac{d}{dt} \mathbf{v} &= \mathbf{g}, \mathbf{v}(0) = \mathbf{v}_0 && \text{defining } \rho_t^{\mathbf{g}} \mathbf{u}_0 := \mathbf{v}(t, \mathbf{u}_0, \mathbf{g}) \end{aligned}$$

Scaling to a Ray: Introduce a parameter  $\lambda \gg 0$

$$\mathbf{v}_\lambda(t) := \Phi_{t/\lambda}^{\lambda \mathbf{h}} \mathbf{u}_0 \quad \text{for } \mathbf{h} \in H,$$

solves

$$\frac{d}{dt} \mathbf{v}_\lambda + \frac{1}{\lambda} (L\mathbf{v}_\lambda + N(\mathbf{v}_\lambda)) = \mathbf{h}, \quad \mathbf{v}_\lambda(0) = \mathbf{u}_0$$

Subject to suitable estimates we expect

$$\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} \|\Phi_{t/\lambda}^{\lambda \mathbf{h}} \mathbf{u}_0 - \rho_t^{\mathbf{h}} \mathbf{u}_0\| = 0$$

# The 'Nonlinear-Twist'

$$\frac{d}{dt} \mathbf{u} + L\mathbf{u} + N(\mathbf{u}) = \mathbf{h}, \mathbf{u}(0) = \mathbf{u}_0 \quad \text{defining } \Phi_t^{\mathbf{h}} \mathbf{u}_0 := \mathbf{u}(t, \mathbf{u}_0, \mathbf{h})$$

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## Accentuating 'Resonant' Terms in $N$ :

$$\mathbf{w}_\lambda(t) = \rho_{1/\lambda}^{-\lambda^m \mathbf{g}} \Phi_{t/\lambda^m}^0 \rho_{1/\lambda}^{\lambda^m \mathbf{g}} \mathbf{u}_0$$

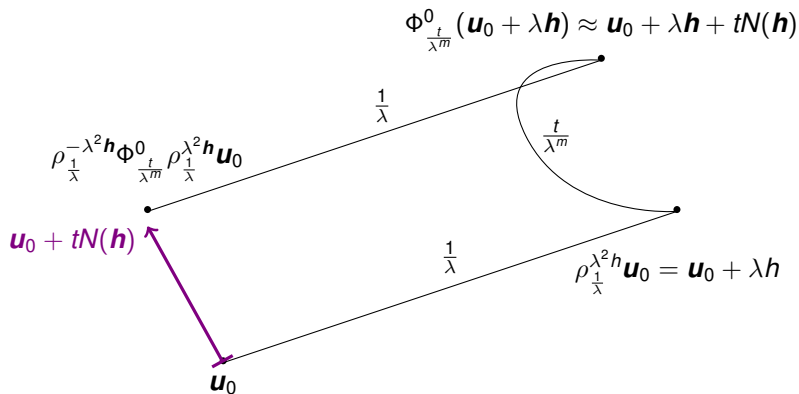
which solves

$$\frac{d}{dt} \mathbf{w}_\lambda + \frac{1}{\lambda^m} (L(\mathbf{w}_\lambda + \lambda \mathbf{g}) + N(\mathbf{w}_\lambda + \lambda \mathbf{g})) = 0, \quad \mathbf{w}_\lambda(0) = \mathbf{u}_0$$

Recalling that  $N$  is  $m$ -multi-linear  $N(\lambda \mathbf{g}) = \lambda^m N(\mathbf{g})$  we expect

$$\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} \left\| \rho_{1/\lambda}^{-\lambda^2 \mathbf{g}} \Phi_{t/\lambda^m}^0 \rho_{1/\lambda}^{\lambda^2 \mathbf{g}} \mathbf{u}_0 - \rho_t^{N(\mathbf{g})} \mathbf{u}_0 \right\| = 0$$

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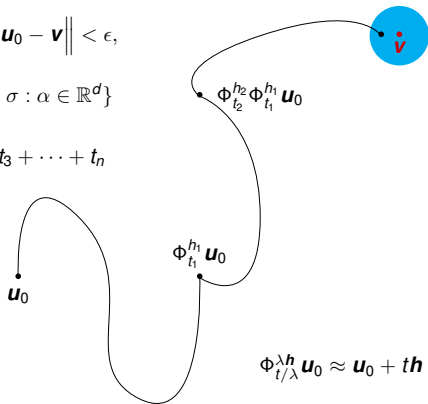
# The Goal: In Pictures.

$$\frac{d}{dt} \mathbf{u} + L\mathbf{u} + N(\mathbf{u}) = \mathbf{h}, \quad \Phi_t^h \mathbf{u}_0 := \mathbf{u}(t, \mathbf{u}_0, \mathbf{h}).$$

$$\left\| \Phi_{t_n}^{h_n} \dots \Phi_{t_2}^{h_2} \Phi_{t_1}^{h_1} \mathbf{u}_0 - \mathbf{v} \right\| < \epsilon,$$

$$\mathbf{h}_j \in \mathcal{F}_0 := \{\alpha \cdot \sigma : \alpha \in \mathbb{R}^d\}$$

$$T = t_1 + t_2 + t_3 + \dots + t_n$$



$$\Phi_{t/\lambda}^{\lambda \mathbf{h}} \mathbf{u}_0 \approx \mathbf{u}_0 + t\mathbf{h} \quad \text{when } \lambda \gg 0$$

$$\Phi_{\frac{1}{\lambda\mu}}^{-\mu\lambda^2 \mathbf{h}} \Phi_{\frac{1}{\lambda\mu}}^0 \Phi_{\frac{1}{\lambda\mu}}^{\mu\lambda^2 \mathbf{h}} \mathbf{u}_0 \approx \mathbf{u}_0 + tN(\mathbf{h}) \quad \text{when } \mu \gg \lambda \gg 0$$



$$\mathcal{B}_0 = \text{span}\{\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_d\}, \mathcal{B}_n = \text{span}\{\mathcal{B}_{n-1} \cup \{N(\mathbf{h}) : \mathbf{h} \in \mathcal{B}_{n-1}\}\}, \mathcal{B}_\infty = \overline{\bigcup_{n \geq 0} \mathcal{B}_n}.$$

We might expect

$$\mathbf{u}_0 + \mathcal{B}_\infty \subseteq \overline{\mathcal{A}(\mathbf{u}_0, T)} = \overline{\{\prod_{j=1}^n \Phi_{t_j}^{\alpha_j \cdot \sigma} \mathbf{u}_0 : \alpha_j \in \mathbb{R}^d, t_1 + \dots + t_n = T\}}$$

## Complications

- Multi-scale nightmare:  $(\mu, \lambda)$  for  $\mathcal{B}_1$  becomes  $(\mu_1, \dots, \mu_{k(n)}, \lambda)$  for  $\mathcal{B}_n$ .
- Arguments for relaxed time. Small time to fixed time  $T > 0$ ?
- What's in  $\mathcal{B}_\infty$ ?
- We need to be able to flow forwards & **backwards** along  $N(\mathbf{h})$  for  $\mathbf{h} \in \mathcal{B}_n$ .
- Rigorous bounds to justify approximations.

# Part III:

Subsumption, Saturation.

# Saturation Formalism

Let  $\mathcal{S}$  be the continuous (local) semi-groups on a phase space  $H$ .  $\mathcal{F}, \mathcal{G} \subseteq \mathcal{S}$ .

## Definition: Accessible Sets, The Saturate

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## The Saturation Theorem (Sidesteps the Multi-scale Nightmare!)

(i)  $\mathcal{G} \preceq \mathcal{F} \iff$  For  $\Psi \in \mathcal{G}, \epsilon, T > 0, \mathbf{u}_0 \in H$  there exists  $\Phi^j \in \mathcal{F}, t_j > 0$ , s.t.

$$\|\Psi \mathbf{u}_0 - \Phi^n \cdots \Phi^1 \mathbf{u}_0\| < \epsilon, \quad t_1 + \cdots + t_n \leq T.$$

(ii)  $\mathcal{F} \sim \text{Sat}(\mathcal{F})$

# Relaxed Accessibility to Exact Time

$$\mathcal{A}_{\mathcal{F}}(\mathbf{u}, \leq T) = \bigcup_{t \in (0, T]} \mathcal{A}_{\mathcal{F}}(\mathbf{u}, t) = \bigcup_{t \in (0, T]} \{ \Phi_{t_n}^n \cdots \Phi_{t_1}^1 \mathbf{u} : \Phi^j \in \mathcal{F}, \sum_j t_j = t \}$$

Scaling arguments only identify  $\mathbf{u} \in \overline{\mathcal{A}_{\mathcal{F}}(\mathbf{u}, \leq T)}$ .

Conversion Lemma (  $\mathbf{u} \in \overline{\mathcal{A}_{\mathcal{F}}(\mathbf{u}, \leq T)} \Rightarrow^{??} \mathbf{u} \in \overline{\mathcal{A}_{\mathcal{F}}(\mathbf{u}, T)}$  )

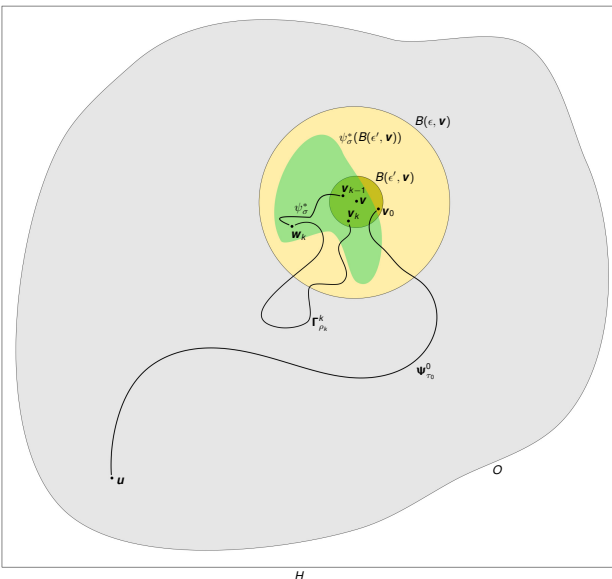
Let  $\mathcal{F}$  be a collection of continuous semigroups and  $O \subseteq H$ , open. Then

$$O \subseteq \overline{\mathcal{A}_{\mathcal{F}}(\mathbf{u}, \leq T)} \Rightarrow O \subseteq \overline{\mathcal{A}_{\mathcal{F}}(\mathbf{u}, T)}.$$

## Corollary

If  $\overline{\mathcal{A}_{\text{Sat}(\mathcal{F})}(\mathbf{u}, \leq T)} = H$  then  $\mathcal{F}$  is approximately controllable ( $\mathcal{A}_{\mathcal{F}}(\mathbf{u}, T) = H$ ).

# The 'Pin-Ball' Argument



- Fix  $\mathbf{u} \in O$ ,  $T > 0$ ,  $\epsilon > 0$ .
- Pick any  $\psi^* \in \mathcal{F}$  and then  $\epsilon' > 0$  such that
 
$$\sigma := \inf_{\substack{\tilde{\mathbf{v}} \in B(\mathbf{v}, \epsilon') \\ s > 0}} \left\{ d(\psi_s^* \tilde{\mathbf{v}}, \mathbf{v}) > \epsilon \right\}$$
 is strictly positive.
- Find  $\tau_0 \leq T$  and
 
$$\Phi^0 := \Phi^{1,0} \dots \Phi^{n,0} \in \mathcal{F}$$
 such that  $d(\Phi_{\tau_0}^0 \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}) < \epsilon'$ .
- Pick  $n$  such that
 
$$\tau_0 + n\sigma \leq T < \tau_0 + (n+1)\sigma.$$
- Inductively, let  $\rho_k \leq \frac{T - \tau_0 + n\sigma}{n}$ 

$$\Gamma^k = \Gamma^{k,1} \dots \Gamma^{k,n_k} \in \mathcal{F}$$
 s.t.
 
$$d(\Gamma_{\rho_k}^k \phi_\sigma^* \mathbf{v}_{k-1}, \mathbf{v}) < \epsilon'.$$

# More Refined Controls.

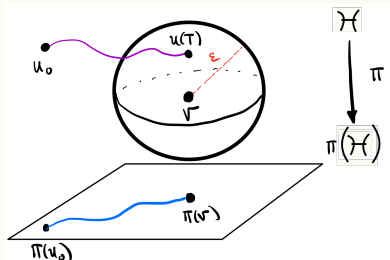
## Exact Control on Finite Dimensional Projections $\pi$ ?

For  $\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v} \in H$ ,  $T, \epsilon > 0$  does there exist  $\Phi^1, \dots, \Phi^n \in \mathcal{F}$  such that

$$\|\Phi^1 \dots \Phi^n \mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v}\| < \epsilon$$

and

$$\pi(\Phi^1 \dots \Phi^n \mathbf{u}) = \pi(\mathbf{v})$$



# Uniform Saturation

$$\mathfrak{G} = \{\Phi : [0, \infty) \times H \times Z \rightarrow H \mid \Phi \text{ continuous}, \Phi_0^g \mathbf{u} = \mathbf{u}, \Phi_{t+s}^g \mathbf{u} = \Phi_t^g \Phi_s^g \mathbf{u}\}$$

Definitions:  $\mathfrak{G}, \mathfrak{F} \subset \mathfrak{G}$

(Subsumption)  $\mathfrak{G} \preceq_u \mathfrak{F}$ , if  $\forall \Psi \in \mathfrak{G}$ , compact  $K_I \subseteq H, K_p \subseteq \mathcal{P}(\Psi)$ ,  $\epsilon, T > 0$ , there exist  $\Phi^1, \dots, \Phi^n \in \mathfrak{F}$ ,  $t_1, \dots, t_n > 0$ , continuous  $f_i : K_p \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(\Phi^i)$  s.t.

$$\sup_{u \in K_I, \rho \in K_p} \left\| \prod_{i=1}^n \Phi_{t_i}^{i, f_i(\rho)} u - \Psi_T^\rho u \right\| < \epsilon, \quad \sum t_i \leq T. \quad (6)$$

(Saturation)  $\text{Sat}_u(\mathfrak{F}) = \bigcup_{\mathfrak{G} \preceq_u \mathfrak{F}} \mathfrak{G}$

- As above  $\text{Sat}_u(\mathfrak{F}) \sim_u \mathfrak{F}$ .
- To obtain (6) we need estimates like

$$\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} \sup_{\substack{\mathbf{h} \in K, \\ \mathbf{u}_0 \in \tilde{K}}} \|\Phi_{t/\lambda}^{\lambda \mathbf{h}} \mathbf{u}_0 - \rho_t^{\mathbf{h}} \mathbf{u}_0\| = 0 \quad \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} \sup_{\substack{\mathbf{g} \in K, \\ \mathbf{u}_0 \in \tilde{K}}} \|\rho_{1/\lambda}^{-\lambda^2 \mathbf{g}} \Phi_{t/\lambda}^0 \rho_{1/\lambda}^{\lambda^2 \mathbf{g}} \mathbf{u}_0 - \rho_t^{N(\mathbf{g})} \mathbf{u}_0\| = 0$$

- Morally speaking  $\text{Sat}_u(\mathfrak{F}) = H$  yields results for exact control on finite dimensional projections with Brouwer fixed point arguments.



# Positivity of the Density on Finite-Dim Projections

Let  $\Omega = C_0((-\infty, \infty); \mathbb{R}^d)$  and  $\Phi : [0, \infty) \times H \times \Omega \rightarrow H$  be a (continuous, markov) cocycle:

$$\phi_{t+s}(\mathbf{u}, V) = \phi_t(\phi_s(\mathbf{u}, V), \theta_s V), \quad \phi_0(\mathbf{u}, V) = \mathbf{u} \quad (7)$$

where  $\theta_s V(t) := V(t+s) - V(s)$ . The associated Malliavin Matrix is given as

$$M_t(\mathbf{u}, V) := D_V \phi_t(\mathbf{u}, V) (D_V \phi_t(\mathbf{u}, V))^* \quad (8)$$

## Theorem (GH-Herzog-Mattingly '17, Mattingly-Pardoux '06)

Let  $\pi : H \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$  be a projection and assume

- (i) For all  $\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v} \in H$ ,  $t > 0$ , there exists  $V \in \Omega$  s.t.  $\pi(\mathbf{v}) = \pi(\phi_t(\mathbf{u}, V))$ .
- (ii) For  $t > 0$ ,  $\mathbb{P}(\langle M_t(\mathbf{u}, W)\xi, \xi \rangle > 0) = 1$  for all  $\xi \in H \setminus \{0\}$ .

Then  $\pi(\phi_t(\mathbf{u}, W))$  is **continuously distributed** on  $\mathbb{R}^m$  w/ an a.e. **positive density**.

Given a cocycle  $\phi_t(\mathbf{u}_0, W)$  we defined  $M_t(\mathbf{u}, W) := D_W \phi_t(\mathbf{u}, W)(D_W \phi_t(\mathbf{u}, W))^*$ .

## Full Rank Tangent Spaces

- Exact controllability on  $\pi(H) \Rightarrow$  for every  $x \in \mathbb{R}^m$  there exists  $V_x \in \Omega$  such that  $x = \pi(\phi_t(\mathbf{u}, V_x))$ .

- For any Cameron-Martin perturbation  $H$

$$\pi(\phi_t(\mathbf{u}, V_x + \epsilon H)) \approx x + \epsilon \pi(D_W \phi_t(\mathbf{u}, V_x) H)$$

- Invertibility of  $\pi M_t(\mathbf{u}, V_x) \pi$  implies tangent space around  $x$  is of full rank. (Take  $H_\xi = (D_W \phi_t(\mathbf{u}, V_x))^* \pi(\pi M_t(t, V_x) \pi)^{-1} \xi$  for  $\xi \in \mathbb{R}^m$ .)

# Part IV:

## Applications.

# Damped and Stochastically Forced KdV

$$du + (u_{xxx} + \gamma u + \frac{1}{2}(u^2)_x)dt = f + \sum_{k \in \mathcal{Z}} \sigma_k dW^k \quad (9)$$

## Theorem (GH-Martinez-Richards '18)

- (i) For any invariant measures  $\mu$  of (9)

$$\int \|u\|_{H^m}^R \mu(du) < \infty \quad \text{for all } m \geq 0, R \geq 1, \quad \mu(C^\infty) = 1 \quad (10)$$

- (ii) Suppose  $\sigma_k(x) = \sin(kx)$ ,  $k > 0$ ,  $\sigma_k(x) = \cos(kx)$ ,  $k < 0$ , then there is an  $N$  s.t. if  $\mathcal{Z} \supset [-N, \dots, N]$  has a unique invariant measure  $\mu$ .
- (iii) If  $\{-1, 1\} \subset \mathcal{Z}$  (9) is approximately controllable in  $H^m$  for  $m \geq 2$ .

(Conjectured: Unique Ergodicity in the 'Hypo-elliptic Case', (iii)).

- Invariants at all orders (complete integrability) for the free equation (Miura-Gardner-Kruskal, Lax, Zakharov-Faddeev).
- Finite dimensional attractors for the deterministic-damped driven system (Ghidaglia, Goubet, Debussche-Odasso, Jolly-Sadigov-Titi).

Nontrivial task find functionals to exploit these structures for sKdV.

# Bracketology for Even Degree Nonlinearities

## Bidirectionality?

Recall that  $\rho_{1/\lambda}^{-\lambda^2 \alpha \mathbf{g}} \Phi_{t/\lambda^m}^0 \rho_{1/\lambda}^{\lambda^2 \alpha \mathbf{g}} \mathbf{u}_0 \approx \rho_t^{\alpha^m N(\mathbf{g})} \mathbf{u}_0$  but we need obtain  $\rho_t^{\gamma N(\mathbf{g})} \in \text{Sat}(\mathcal{F}_0)$ ,  $\gamma \in \mathbb{R}$  to iterate!

KdV-Burgers  $N(u, v) := \partial_x(uv)$ ,  $\sigma_k(x) = \sin(kx)$ ,  $\tilde{\sigma}_k = \cos(kx)$

$$N(\alpha\sigma_k + \beta\sigma_\ell) = -\alpha^2 k \tilde{\sigma}_{2k} - \alpha\beta((k+l)\tilde{\sigma}_{k+l} + (k-l)\tilde{\sigma}_{k-l}) + \beta^2 \ell \tilde{\sigma}_{2\ell}$$

$$N(\alpha\sigma_k + \beta\tilde{\sigma}_\ell) = -\alpha^2 k \tilde{\sigma}_{2k} + \alpha\beta((k+l)\sigma_{k+l} - (k-l)\sigma_{k-l}) + \beta^2 \ell \tilde{\sigma}_{2\ell}$$

$$N(\alpha\tilde{\sigma}_k + \beta\tilde{\sigma}_\ell) = \alpha^2 k \tilde{\sigma}_{2k} + \alpha\beta((k+l)\tilde{\sigma}_{k+l} - (k-l)\tilde{\sigma}_{k-l}) + \beta^2 \ell \tilde{\sigma}_{2\ell}.$$

Even Modes

$$N(\alpha\sigma_k \pm \alpha\tilde{\sigma}_k) = \pm 2\alpha^2 k \sigma_{2k}, \quad N(\alpha\sigma_k) = -2\alpha^2 \tilde{\sigma}_{2k}, \quad N(\beta\tilde{\sigma}_k) = 2\beta^2 \tilde{\sigma}_{2k}. \quad (11)$$

Odd Modes

$$N(\alpha\sigma_{2m+2} + \beta\tilde{\sigma}_1) = -\alpha^2(2m+2)\tilde{\sigma}_{4m+4} + \alpha\beta((2m+3)\sigma_{2m+3} - (2m+1)\sigma_{2m+1}) + \beta^2 \tilde{\sigma}_{2\ell}$$

$$N(\alpha\sigma_{2m+2} + \beta\sigma_1) = -\alpha^2(2m+2)\tilde{\sigma}_{4m+4} - \alpha\beta((2m+3)\tilde{\sigma}_{2m+3} + (2m+1)\tilde{\sigma}_{2m+1}) + \beta^2 \tilde{\sigma}_{2\ell}$$

# The Boussinesq Equation with degenerate forcing

$$\begin{aligned}d\mathbf{u} + (\mathbf{u} \cdot \nabla \mathbf{u} + \nabla \pi - \nu_1 \Delta \mathbf{u})dt &= \mathbf{g}\theta dt, & \nabla \cdot \mathbf{u} &= 0, \\d\theta + (\mathbf{u} \cdot \nabla \theta - \kappa \Delta \theta)dt &= hdt + \sigma_\theta dW.\end{aligned}$$

Theorem (Földes-GH-Richards-Thomann '13, GH-Herzog-Mattingly '17)

Suppose that

$$\sigma_\theta dW = \cos(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{x})dW^1 + \sin(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{x})dW^2 + \cos(\tilde{\mathbf{k}} \cdot \mathbf{x})dW^3 + \sin(\tilde{\mathbf{k}} \cdot \mathbf{x})dW^4,$$

for some  $\mathbf{k}, \tilde{\mathbf{k}} \in \mathbb{Z}^2$  with  $\mathbf{k} \cdot \tilde{\mathbf{k}}^\perp \neq 0$ . Then

- (i) There is a *unique invariant measure*  $\mu$  on  $H = (L^2(\mathbb{T}^2))^2$ .  $\mu$  is *geometrically ergodic* and for any regular observable  $\Phi$ ,  $U_0 \in H$

$$\frac{1}{T} \int_0^T \Phi(U(t, U_0)) \rightarrow \int_{(L^2(\mathbb{T}^2))^2} \Phi(U) d\mu(U) \quad \text{almost surely.}$$

- (ii) The IM  $\mu$  has full support:

$$\mu(B(U_0, \epsilon)) > 0 \quad \text{for every } U_0 \in H, \epsilon > 0.$$

Moreover, for any finite dimensional projection  $\Pi : H \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^N$

$\Pi U(t, U_0)$  is *continuously distributed* with support  $\mathbb{R}^N$ .

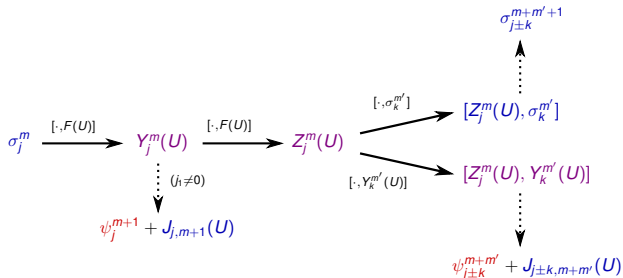
# The Lie Bracket Structure

$$d\omega + (\mathbf{u} \cdot \nabla \omega - \nu_1 \Delta \omega) dt = \alpha g \partial_x \theta dt, \quad \mathbf{u} = K * \omega$$

$$d\theta + (\mathbf{u} \cdot \nabla \theta - \nu_2 \Delta \theta - h) dt = \sigma_\theta dW = \sum_{k=1,2, l=0,1} \sigma_k^l dW^{k,l}.$$

$$\sigma_k^0(\mathbf{x}) := (0, \cos(k \cdot \mathbf{x}))^T, \quad \sigma_k^1(\mathbf{x}) := (0, \sin(k \cdot \mathbf{x}))^T$$

$$\psi_k^0(\mathbf{x}) := (\cos(k \cdot \mathbf{x}), 0)^T, \quad \psi_k^1(\mathbf{x}) := (\sin(k \cdot \mathbf{x}), 0)^T.$$



# Low Mode Control Prevents Blow up for 3D Euler

$$\partial_t \mathbf{u} + \mathbf{u} \cdot \nabla \mathbf{u} + \nabla \pi = \mathbf{g} + \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathcal{Z}, l, m \in \{0,1\}} \alpha_{\mathbf{k},l,m}(t) \mathbf{e}_{\mathbf{k},l,m} \quad (12)$$

$$\mathbf{e}_{\mathbf{k},l,m}(\mathbf{x}) = 2\mathbf{a}_{\mathbf{k}}^l \operatorname{Re}(i^m e^{-i\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{x}}) \quad \mathbf{a}_{\mathbf{k}}^0 \cdot \mathbf{k} = \mathbf{a}_{\mathbf{k}}^1 \cdot \mathbf{k} = \mathbf{a}_{\mathbf{k}}^1 \cdot \mathbf{a}_{\mathbf{k}}^0$$

$$H = C^\infty, \quad d(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}) = \sum_{m \geq 0} 1 \wedge \|\mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v}\|_{H^m}$$

## Theorem (GH-Herzog-Mattingly '17)

Suppose that  $\{(1, 0, 0), (0, 1, 0), (0, 0, 1)\} \subseteq \mathcal{Z}$ . Then

- (12) is approximately controllable on  $H$  and exactly controllable on finite dimensional projections.
- In particular  $\exists$  a smooth  $\alpha : [0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^d$  s.t.  $\mathbf{u}(\cdot, \mathbf{u}_0, \alpha)$  exists globally.

## Commentary:

- No 'energy budget' imposed for this result.
- 'Braketology' due to Romito.
- Previous similar no-blowup results: Shirikyan, Nersisyan using the Agrachev-Sarychev approach.



- Statistical properties of stochastic evolution equations lead to geometric control problems of independent interest.
- We developed a scaling and saturation framework which provides a powerful, flexible framework to tackle 'low mode' control problems.
- Each model still requires a separate analysis:
  - Algebraic: Interactions between stochastic and nonlinear terms. Hormander type conditions.
  - Analytic: Rigorous PDE type estimates.

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