MAPLE for Stochastic Differential Equations*†

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1 Introduction

1.1 MAPLE

This report provides an introduction and description of the MAPLE software package with(stochastic) which consists of MAPLE routines for stochastic calculus and stochastic differential equations. These are known to work for MapleV version 5 (for Windows) and MapleV version 5 (for Unix). Its CALLING SEQUENCE is

\[ \text{<function>}(\text{args}) \text{ stochastic[<function>]}(\text{args}) \]

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The stochastic package contains routines useful for finding explicit solutions of Stochastic Differential Equations (SDEs), and routines useful for constructing numerical schemes up to strong order 2.0 and weak order 3.0. Other features include a routine which converts SDEs with white noise into coloured noise form, and routines which check whether an SDE has commutative noise of the first and/or second kind. Some other useful routines are also available, in particular for the operators procedures \( L_0 \) and \( LJ \) are included so that users can easily construct numerical schemes other than those already available. For more information on a particular function type the command \(<\text{function}>\).

The general schemes, solutions and conditions used in the coding of the stochastic package can be found in


To use a stochastic function, either define that function alone using the command with(stochastic, \(<\text{function}>\)), or define all stochastic functions using the command with(stochastic). Alternatively, invoke the function using the long form stochastic[<function>]. This long form notation is necessary whenever there is a conflict between a package function name and another function used in the same session.

The functions available are:

- linearsde
- MLJ
- explicit
- L0
- Euler
- Milstein
- Taylor1half
- SLO
- correct
- Taylor2
As an example, to find the explicit solution of an SDE with drift coefficient $1/2a^2x$ and diffusion coefficient $ax$ use

\texttt{>with(stochastic,explicit);} \{1/2*a^2*x, a*x\};

Note the stochastic numerical routines require the drift and diffusion coefficients of an SDE to be entered in the variables $x[N]$ and $t$, where $x[N]$ are the state variables of the $N$-dimensional SDE and $t$ denotes time. The routines \texttt{linearsde}, \texttt{reducible}, and \texttt{explicit} require the drift and diffusion coefficients to be entered in the variables $x$ and $t$.

### 1.2 Stochastic Differential Equations

We consider a the $N$-dimensional Ito SDE with an $M$-dimensional Wiener process

\[
\text{d}X_t = a(t, X_t) \text{d}t + \sum_{j=1}^{M} b^j(t, X_t) \text{d}W_t^j 
\]  

(1.1)

and its Stratonovich counterpart

\[
\text{d}X_t = a(t, X_t) \text{d}t + \sum_{j=1}^{M} b^j(t, X_t) \circ \text{d}W_t^j 
\]  

(1.2)

where $a$ is defined componentwise by

\[
a^i(t, X) = a^i(t, X) - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{j=1}^{N} \sum_{k=1}^{M} \frac{\partial b^{i,k}}{\partial x_j}(t, X)
\]

for $i = 1, \ldots, N$.

In many of the MAPLE procedures that follow we will use the parameters $a_1, \ldots, a_N$ to denote the drift coefficients and $[b_{11}, \ldots, b_{1M}], \ldots, [b_{N1}, \ldots, b_{NM}]$ to denote the diffusion coefficients.

**NOTE:** The indexing on the $bIJ$ here is the transpose of the usual matrix indexing; here the first index $I$ corresponds to the column and the second $J$ to the row due to the fact that $b^{i,j}$ is the $j$th component of the diffusion coefficient vector $b^i$ associated with the $j$th component $W_t^j$ of the Wiener process.
2 Explicitly Solvable Scalar SDE

In this Section we consider general scalar SDE

\[ dX_t = a(t, X_t) dt + b(t, X_t) dW_t \]  \hspace{1cm} (2.1)

that can be solved explicitly. First we look at the general linear scalar SDE

\[ dX_t = (a_1(t) X_t + a_2(t)) \, dt + (b_1(t) X_t + b_2(t)) \, dW_t \]  \hspace{1cm} (2.2)

for which an explicit solution is always available. Then we consider nonlinear scalar SDE that can be reduced to linear scalar SDE and hence solved explicitly.

2.1 Linearsde routine

The general form of a scalar linear stochastic differential equation is

\[ dX_t = (a_1(t) X_t + a_2(t)) \, dt + (b_1(t) X_t + b_2(t)) \, dW_t \]  \hspace{1cm} (2.3)

where the coefficients \( a_1, a_2, b_1, b_2 \) are specified functions of time \( t \) or constants. When \( b_1(t) \equiv 0 \) in (2.1) the SDE is the additive noise and when \( b_1(t) \neq 0 \) it has multiplicative noise.

In the general case the SDE can be solved with the integrating factor

\[ \Phi_{t,t_0} = \exp \left( \int_{t_0}^t \left( a_1(s) - \frac{1}{2} b_1^2(s) \right) \, ds + \int_{t_0}^t b_1(s) \, dW_s \right), \]  \hspace{1cm} (2.4)

and has the explicit solution

\[ X_t = \Phi_{t,t_0} \left( X_{t_0} + \int_{t_0}^t (a_2(s) - b_1(s) b_2(s)) \, \Phi_{s,t_0}^{-1} \, ds + \int_{t_0}^t b_2(s) \, \Phi_{s,t_0}^{-1} \, dW_s \right). \]  \hspace{1cm} (2.5)

In the additive noise case, the SDE reduces to

\[ dX_t = (a_1(t) X_t + a_2(t)) \, dt + b_2(t) \, dW_t, \]  \hspace{1cm} (2.6)

and the integrating factor to

\[ \Phi_{t,t_0} = \exp \left( \int_{t_0}^t a_1(s) \, ds \right), \]

in which case the explicit solution is

\[ X_t = \Phi_{t,t_0} \left( X_{t_0} + \int_{t_0}^t a_2(s) \Phi_{s,t_0}^{-1} \, ds + \int_{t_0}^t b_2(s) \Phi_{s,t_0}^{-1} \, dW_s \right). \]  \hspace{1cm} (2.7)

The routine \texttt{stochastic[linearsde]} returns the explicit solution of an SDE (2.1) with linear drift coefficient \( a(t, x) = \alpha(t) x \) or \( \alpha(t) \) and linear diffusion coefficient \( b(t, x) = \beta(t) x \) or \( \beta(t) \). Its CALLING SEQUENCE is

\texttt{linearsde(a,b)};

with PARAMETERS
representing the drift and diffusion coefficients of the SDE, the particular cases of which are identified by the routine. A suitable error message is returned if the coefficients of a nonlinear SDE are used.

stochastic[linarSDE]:=proc(a::algebraic,b::algebraic)
local temp1,alpha,beta,gamma,delta,fundsoln,fundsoln2,soln,
default1,default2,default3;
if diff(a,x,x) <> 0 or diff(b,x,x) <> 0 then
ERROR('SDE not linear, try a reducible procedure')
else
alpha := diff(a,x);
alpha := subs(t = s, alpha);
beta := diff(b,x);
beta := subs(t = s, beta);
if diff(beta,s) = 0 then temp1 := beta*W;
else temp1 := Int(betaw, s .. t);
fi;
gamma := coeff(a,x,0);
gamma := subs(t = s, gamma);
delta := coeff(b,x,0);
delta := subs(t = s, delta);
fundsoln := exp(int(alpha-1/2*beta^2,s = 0 .. t)+temp1);
fundsoln2 := subs(t = s, fundsoln);
if beta = 0 then
soln := fundsoln*X[0]+int(1/fundsoln2*(gamma-beta*delta),
s = 0 .. t)+Int(1/fundsoln2*delta, W = 0 .. t))
else soln := fundsoln*X[0]+Int(1/fundsoln2*(gamma-beta*delta),
s = 0 .. t)+Int(1/fundsoln2*delta, W = 0 .. t))
fi;
default1 := Int(0,W = 0 .. t) = 0;
default2 := Int(0,W = 0 .. s) = 0;
default3 := Int(0,s = 0 .. t) = 0;
soln := X[t] = subs(default1,default2,default3,soln);
fi;
end:

The call linearsde(a,b); returns the explicit solution for a linear SDE (2.3) with drift coefficient $a$ and diffusion coefficient $b$. The output consists of the variables $X[t], X[0]$ and $W$, where $X[t]$ denotes the explicit solution, $X[0]$ the initial value of the solution, $W$ a standard Wiener process, and $t$ time.

The routine is used by the routine stochastic[explicit] and, in general, is not intended to be used on its own. It is part of the stochastic package and is usually loaded via the call with(stochastic), but can also be invoked via the call stochas-
EXAMPLE: Consider the scalar linear SDE with additive noise

\[ dX_t = -X_t \, dt + 2 \, dW_t \]

with drift \( a(t, x) = -x \) and diffusion coefficient \( b(t, x) = 2 \).

\[ \text{linearsde}(-x, 2); \]

\[ X_t = e^{(-t)} \left( X_0 + \int_0^t \frac{2}{e^{(-s)}} \, dW \right) \]

SEE ALSO: stochastic, stochastic[reducible], stochastic[explicit].

### 2.2 Reducible routine

A nonlinear scalar SDE

\[ dX_t = a(X_t) \, dt + b(X_t) \, dW_t \]  \hspace{1cm} (2.8)

can be reduced to a linear scalar stochastic differential

\[ dY_t = dW_t \]  \hspace{1cm} (2.9)

by a substitution

\[ y = h(x) = \int_x^x \frac{ds}{b(s)} \]  \hspace{1cm} (2.10)

giving the solution

\[ X_t = h^{-1}(W_t + h(X_0)) \]

provided the drift has the form

\[ a(x) = \frac{1}{2} b(x)b'(x). \]

Here \( x = h^{-1}(y) \) is the inverse function of the function \( y = h(x) \).

More generally, if the drift has the form

\[ a(x) = \alpha b(x)h(x) + \frac{1}{2} b(x)b'(x) \]

then the SDE can be reduced to the Langevin equation

\[ dY_t = \alpha Y_t \, dt + \beta dW_t \]

giving the solution

\[ X_t = h^{-1} \left( e^{\alpha t}h(X_0) + e^{\alpha t} \int_0^t e^{-\alpha s} \, dW_s \right) \]

The routine stochastic[reducible] returns the explicit solution of a reducible SDE 2.8. Its CALLING SEQUENCE is

\[ \text{reducible}(a, b); \]

with PARAMETERS
a - algebraic, given in the variables x and t.
b - algebraic, given in the variables x and t.

representing the drift and diffusion coefficient of the SDE (which actually should not depend explicitly on the t variable here). If the SDE is not of the above reducible form, then a suitable error message is returned.

The call `reducible(a,b);` returns the explicit solution for a reducible SDE with drift a and diffusion coefficient b. The output consists of the variables X[t], X[0] and W, where X[t] denotes the explicit solution, X[0] the initial value of the solution, W a standard Wiener process and t time.

This routine is used by the routine `stochastic[explicit];` and, in general, is not intended to be used on its own. It is part of the stochastic package and is usually loaded via the call `with(stochastic);`, but can also be called via the call `stochastic[reducible];`.

EXAMPLE: Consider the scalar nonlinear SDE

\[ dX_t = 1 \, dt + 2 \sqrt{X_t} \, dW_t. \]

>`reducible(1,2*sqrt(x));`

\[
\frac{1}{2} \quad 2 \\
X[t] = 2 \, X[0] \quad W + W + X[0]
\]
This SDE is reducible and the required solution is

\[ X_t = X_0 + 2\sqrt{X_0} W_t + (W_t)^2. \]

SEE ALSO: stochastic, stochastic[linesdse], stochastic[explicit]

2.3 Explicit routine

The routine stochastic[explicit] applies the routines stochastic[linesdse] and stochastic[reducible] to a general scalar SDE and returns the explicit solution if the SDE is either linear or reducible as in the preceding subsections. Its CALLING SEQUENCE is

```
explicit(a, b);
```

with PARAMETERS

- `a` - algebraic, given in the variables `x` and `t`
- `b` - algebraic, given in the variables `x` and `t`

representing the drift and the diffusion coefficient of the SDE. A suitable error message is returned if the SDE is not linear or reducible to a linear SDE.

```
stochastic[explicit] := proc(a::algebraic, b::algebraic)
if diff(a,x,x) = 0 and diff(b,x,x) = 0
then linesdse (a, b) else reducible(a, b)
fi
end:
```

The call `explicit(a, b);` returns the explicit solution for a scalar SDE with drift coefficient `a` and diffusion coefficient `b` of the appropriate form. The output consists of the variables `X[t]`, `X[0]` and `W`, where `X[t]` denotes the explicit solution, `X[0]` the initial value, `W` denotes a standard Wiener process, and `t` time. The user is returned with a suitable error message if no known explicit solution exists.

This routine is part of the stochastic package and is usually loaded via the call `with(stochastic)`. It can also be invoked via the call stochastic[explicit].

EXAMPLE: Consider the scalar SDE

\[ dX_t = \frac{1}{2} a X_t \, dt + a X_t \, dW_t, \]

with drift `a(x) = \frac{1}{2} ax` and diffusion coefficient `b(x) = ax`, where `a` is a constant.

```
> explicit(1/2*a^2*x^2, a*x);
X[t]=exp(aW)X[0]
```
This SDE is linear and thus explicitly solvable with the solution

\[ X_t = X_0 e^{aw_t}. \]

SEE ALSO: stochastic, stochastic[linesdsde], stochastic[reducible]

3 Ito Stochastic Calculus

We now consider a general \( N \)-dimensional Ito SDE

\[ dX_t = a(t, X_t) dt + \sum_{j=1}^{M} b^j(t, X_t) dW^j_t \]  

(3.1)

with an \( M \)-dimensional Wiener process \( W_t = (W^1_t, \ldots, W^M_t) \). The operators \( L^0 \) and \( L^j \) with respect to this SDE which are defined by

\[ L^0 = \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \sum_{k=1}^{N} a^k \frac{\partial}{\partial x^k} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k,l=1}^{N} \sum_{j=1}^{M} b^{k,j} b^{l,j} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^k \partial x^l} \]  

(3.2)

and

\[ L^j = \sum_{k=1}^{N} b^{k,j} \frac{\partial}{\partial x^k}, \quad j = 1, \ldots, M \]  

(3.3)

play a fundamental role in stochastic calculus through the Ito formula, stochastic Taylor expansions and numerical schemes for the SDE that are based on stochastic Taylor expansions.

3.1 LJ Operator routine

The routine stochastic[LJ] applies the partial differential operator \( L^j \) defined by 3.3. Its CALLING SEQUENCE

\[ \text{LJ}(X, [[b11, \ldots, b1M], \ldots, [bN1, \ldots, bNM]], j); \]

has PARAMETERS

\[ X - \text{algebraic, given in the variables } x[N] \text{ and } t, \]
\[ [b11, \ldots, b1M], \ldots, [bN1, \ldots, bNM] - \text{lists of algebraics, given in the variables } x[N] \text{ and } t, \]
\[ j - \text{integer}, \]

where the \( bIJ \) are the components of the diffusion coefficient vectors of the SDE (3.1).

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{stochastic[LJ]} &:= \text{proc}(X::\text{algebraic}, b::\text{list(list(algebraic))}, j::\text{integer}) \\
&\quad \text{sum('op(j,op(k,b))*diff(X,x[k]),'k' = 1 .. nops(b))} \\
\text{end:}
\end{align*}
\]
The call \( \text{LJ}(X,[[b_{11}, \ldots, b_{1M}], \ldots, [b_{N1}, \ldots, b_{NM}], j]); \) applies the partial differential operator \( L^j \) to the function \( X \), where \([b_{11}, \ldots, b_{1M}], \ldots, [b_{N1}, \ldots, b_{NM}] \) denotes the components of the \( M \times N \)-dimensional diffusion coefficient vectors, where \( M \) is the dimension of the Wiener process and \( N \) is the dimension of the SDE (3.1), and \( j = 1, \ldots, M \) denotes the “current” component of the Wiener process. The output variables are consistent with the variables used as input.

This routine is used by the routines

\text{stochastic[Euler]}, \text{stochastic[Milstein]}, \text{stochastic[Taylor1.5]},
\text{stochastic[Taylor2]}, \text{stochastic[wk.Euler]}, \text{stochastic[wk.Taylor2]},
\text{stochastic[ito.formula]}, \text{stochastic[MLJ]}.

In general, it is not intended for use on its own, but is part of the \text{stochastic} package and is usually loaded via the call \text{with(stochastic)}. It can also be invoked via the call \text{stochastic[LJ]}

\textbf{EXAMPLE:} Consider the function \( X(t, x_1, x_2) = x_2 \) and a 2-dimensional SDE driven by a 2-dimensional Wiener process with diffusion coefficient vectors

\[ b^1 = \begin{pmatrix} b^{1,1} \\ b^{1,2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} r \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad b^2 = \begin{pmatrix} b^{2,1} \\ b^{2,2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ r \end{pmatrix}, \]

where \( r \) is a constant.

\( \text{LJ}(x[2], [[r, 0], [0, r]], 2); \)

\( r \)

\( \text{LJ}(x[2], [[r, 0], [0, r]], 1); \)

\( 0 \)

This has evaluated \( L^2X(t, x_1, x_2) = r \) and \( L^1X(t, x_1, x_2) = 0 \)

\textbf{SEE ALSO:}
\text{stochastic[L0]}, \text{stochastic[MLJ]}, \text{stochastic[SL0]}, \text{stochastic[Euler]},
\text{stochastic[Milstein]}, \text{stochastic[Taylor1hf]}, \text{stochastic[Taylor2]},
\text{stochastic[wk.Euler]}, \text{stochastic[wk.Taylor2]}, \text{stochastic}.

\section{L0 Operator routine}

The routine \text{stochastic[L0]} applies the partial differential operator \( L^0 \) to the function \( X \). Its CALLING SEQUENCE

\( \text{L0}(X, [a_1, \ldots, a_N], [[b_{11}, \ldots, b_{1M}], \ldots, [b_{N1}, \ldots, b_{NM}]]); \)

has PARAMETERS
\[ X - \text{algebraic, given in the variables } x[\mathbb{N}] \text{ and } t, \]
\[ a_1, \ldots, a_N - \text{algebraics, given in the variables } x[\mathbb{N}] \text{ and } t, \]
\[ [b_{11}, \ldots, b_{1M}], \ldots, [b_{N1}, \ldots, b_{NM}] - \text{lists of algebraics, given in the variables } x[\mathbb{N}] \text{ and } t, \]

where \( a_1, \ldots, a_N \) denotes the drift coefficients of the \( N \)-dimensional SDE (3.1), while \( [b_{11}, \ldots, b_{1M}], \ldots, [b_{N1}, \ldots, b_{NM}] \) denote the components of the corresponding \( M \) \( N \)-dimensional diffusion coefficient vectors.

\[
\text{stochastic}[L0] := \text{proc}(X::\text{algebraic}, a::\text{list}(\text{algebraic}), \nonumber \]
\[ b::\text{list}(\text{list}(\text{algebraic}))) \]
\[
\text{local} \ \text{part1}, \text{part2}, \text{part3}; \nonumber \]
\[ \text{part1} := \text{diff}(X, t); \nonumber \]
\[ \text{part2} := \text{sum}(\text{'}a[k]*\text{diff}(X, x[k]), ’k’ = 1 .. \text{nops}(a)); \nonumber \]
\[ \text{part3} := 1/2*\text{sum}( \nonumber \]
\[ \text{’sum}(\text{’sum}(\text{’op}(j, \text{op}(k, b))*(\text{’op}(j, \text{op}(1, b)))*\text{diff}(X, x[k], x[l]), ’j’ = 1 .. \text{nops}(\text{op}(1, b))), ’k’ = 1 .. \text{nops}(a)), ’l’ = 1 .. \text{nops}(a) \); \nonumber \]
\[ \text{part1}+\text{part2}+\text{part3}; \] 
end:

The call \( L0(X, [a_1, \ldots, a_N], [[b_{11}, \ldots, b_{1M}], \ldots, [b_{N1}, \ldots, b_{NM}]]); \) applies the partial differential operator \( L^0 \) to the function \( X \). It is used by the routines

\[
\text{stochastic}[\text{Euler}], \text{stochastic}[\text{Milstein}], \text{stochastic}[\text{Taylor1.5}], \nonumber \]
\[ \text{stochastic}[\text{wk euler}], \text{stochastic}[\text{wk tay2}], \text{stochastic}[\text{ito formula}], \nonumber \]
\[ \text{stochastic}[\text{LFP}], \text{stochastic}[\text{MLJ}]. \]

In general, it is not intended for use on its own. The routine is part of the \text{stochastic} package and is usually loaded via the call \text{with(stochastic)} and can also be invoked via the call \text{stochastic[L0]}.

EXAMPLE: Consider the 2-dimensional SDE driven by a 2-dimensional Wiener process given by

\[
d \left( \begin{array}{c} X_1^1 \\ X_2^1 \\ X_1^2 \\ X_2^2 
\end{array} \right) = \left( \begin{array}{c} X_1^1 \\ X_2^1 \\ X_1^2 \\ X_2^2 
\end{array} \right) dt + \left( \begin{array}{c} r \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ r 
\end{array} \right) dW_t^1 + \left( \begin{array}{c} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ r 
\end{array} \right) dW_t^2,
\]

where \( r \) is a constant, that is with drift with components \( a^1 = x_1, a^2 = x_2 \) and the constant diffusion coefficient vectors

\[
b^1 = \left( \begin{array}{c} b_{11}^1 \\ b_{12}^1 
\end{array} \right) = \left( \begin{array}{c} r \\ 0 
\end{array} \right), \quad b^2 = \left( \begin{array}{c} b_{21}^2 \\ b_{22}^2 
\end{array} \right) = \left( \begin{array}{c} 0 \\ r 
\end{array} \right).
\]

Apply the corresponding operator \( L^0 \) to the function \( X(t, x_1, x_2) = x_2 \).

\[
>L0(x[2], [x[1], x[2]], [[x, 0], [0, x]]); \nonumber \]
\[ x[2] \]

The result is \( L^0 X(t, x_1, x_2) = x_2 \).
3.3 LFP Operator: Fokker–Planck Equation

The transition probabilities of the Ito stochastic differential equation (3.1) have densities $p(s, x; t, y)$ which satisfy the Fokker–Planck equation,

\[
\frac{\partial p}{\partial t} + \sum_{i=1}^{N} \frac{\partial}{\partial y_i} \left\{ a^i(t, y)p \right\} - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j=1}^{N} \sum_{k=1}^{M} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y_i \partial y_j} \left\{ b^{i,k}(t, y)b^{j,k}(t, y)p \right\} = 0 \tag{3.4}
\]

($s, x$ in $p$ fixed) with the initial condition

\[
\lim_{t \to s} p(s, x; t, y) = \delta(x - y),
\]

where $\delta$ is the Dirac delta function on $\mathbb{R}^N$.

We define the corresponding differential operator $\mathcal{L}^*$ as, which is in fact the adjoint of the $\mathcal{L}$ or $L^0$ operator above as

\[
\mathcal{L}^* p = \frac{\partial p}{\partial t} + \sum_{i=1}^{N} \frac{\partial}{\partial y_i} \left\{ a^i(t, y)p \right\} - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j=1}^{N} \sum_{k=1}^{M} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y_i \partial y_j} \left\{ b^{i,k}(t, y)b^{j,k}(t, y)p \right\}.
\]

In MAPLE it will be called the LFP operator.

The CALLING SEQUENCE

\textbf{LFP}(P,[a1,...,aN], [[b11,...,b1M],...,[bN1,...,bNM]]);

has PARAMETERS

- $P$ - algebraic, given in the variables $y[N]$ and $t$,
- $a1,...,aN$ - algebraics, given in the variables $y[N]$ and $t$,
- $[b11,...,b1M],...,[bN1,...,bNM]$ - lists of algebraics, given in the variables $y[N]$ and $t$,

where $a1,...,aN$ denotes the drift coefficients of the $N$–dimensional SDE (3.1), while $[b11,...,b1M],...,[bN1,...,bNM]$ denote the components of the corresponding $M$ $N$–dimensional diffusion coefficient vectors. The procedure has following code:

\begin{verbatim}
LFP:=proc(P::algebraic,a::list(algebraic),b::list(list(algebraic)))
local part1,part2,part3;
  part1 := diff(P,t);
  part2 := sum('diff(a[k]*P,y[k])','k' = 1 .. nops(a));
  part3 := 1/2*sum(
    'sum('sum('diff(op(j,op(k,b))*op(j,op(1,b))*P,y[k],y[l])')
      ,j' = 1 .. nops(op(1,b)))','k' = 1 .. nops(a))
    ,'l' = 1 .. nops(a));
  part1+part2-part3;
end:
\end{verbatim}
EXAMPLE: Consider the Ito equation
\[ dX_t = a \, dt + b \, dW_t, \]
where \( a \) and \( b \) are constant. If we want obtain the equation (3.4) for this Ito-equation we call
\[ \text{LFP}(p(s, x, t, y[1], [a], [[b]])) ; \]
and obtain
\[
\left( \frac{\partial}{\partial t} p(s, x, t, y_1) \right) + a \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial y_1} p(s, x, t, y_1) \right) - \frac{1}{2} b^2 \left( \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y_1^2} p(s, x, t, y_1) \right) = 0.
\]

If we have a density function
\[
p(s, x, t, y) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi b^2(t-s)}} e^{-\frac{(y-x-a(t-s))^2}{2b^2(t-s)}}.
\]

and want know, if \( p(s, x, t, y) \) satisfy the Fokker–Planck equation, we call:
\[ \text{LFP}(p(s, x, t, y[1]), [a], [[b]]); . \]

The output of \texttt{LFP} is:
\[
\frac{\sqrt{2}\%2}{\pi b^2(t-s)^{3/2}} + \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{2} \left( \frac{\%1 a}{b^2(t-s)} + \frac{\%1^2}{2 b^2(t-s)^2} \right) \frac{\%2}{\sqrt{\pi b^2(t-s)}}
\]
\[
\frac{1}{2} \frac{a \sqrt{2} \%1 \%2}{\sqrt{\pi b^2(t-s)} b^2(t-s)}
\]
\[
+ \frac{1}{4} \sqrt{2} \%2 - \frac{1}{4} \sqrt{2} \%1^2 \%2 - \frac{1}{4} \frac{\sqrt{2} \%1^2 \%2}{\sqrt{\pi b^2(t-s)} (t-s)^2 b^2}
\]
\[
\%1 := y_1 - x - a(t-s)
\]
\[
\%2 := e^{-1/2 \frac{x^2}{b^2(t-s)}}.
\]

After the MAPLE command
\[ \text{simplify}(%); \]
we obtain 0. Hence \( p(s, x, t, y) \) satisfies the Fokker–Planck equation.
3.4 Application of the partial differential operators

The routine \texttt{stochastic[MLJ]} applies one of the partial differential operators, \( L0 \) or \( LJ \) to the mapping \( X \). Its CALLING SEQUENCE is

\[
\text{MLJ}(X,[a1,...,aN],[[b11,...,b1M],...,[bN1,...,bNM]],j);
\]

with PARAMETERS

\[
\begin{align*}
X & \text{ - algebraic, given in the variables } x[N] \text{ and } t. \\
a1,..,aN & \text{ - algebraics, given in the variables } x[N] \text{ and } t. \\
[b11,...,b1M],...,[bN1,...,bNM] & \text{ - lists of algebraics, given in } x[N] \text{ and } t. \\
j & \text{ - integer.}
\end{align*}
\]

where \( a1,..,aN \) denotes the drift coefficients of the \( N \)-dimensional SDE (3.1), while the \([b11,...,b1M],...,[bN1,...,bNM]\) denote the corresponding \( M \times N \)-dimensional diffusion coefficient vectors of the SDE (3.1).

\texttt{stochastic[MLJ]}:

\[
\text{proc}(X::\text{algebraic},a::\text{list(\text{algebraic})},b::\text{list(\text{list(\text{algebraic})})},j::\text{integer})
\]

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{local flag}; \\
\text{flag} & := 0; \\
\text{if } j = 0 \text{ then flag} & := L0(X,a,b) \text{ fi}; \\
\text{if flag} & = 0 \text{ then flag} := \text{sum('op(j,op(k,b))*diff(X,x[k])', 'k' = 1 .. nops(b)) fi;}
\end{align*}
\]

\[
\text{RETURN(flag)}
\]

end:

The call \( \text{MLJ}(X,[a1,...,aN],[[b11,...,b1M],...,[bN1,...,bNM]],j) \); computes the application of either the operator \( LJ \) or the operator \( L0 \) to the function \( X \). Here \( a1,..,aN \) are the drift coefficients of the \( N \)-dimensional SDE and \([b11,...,b1M],...,[bN1,...,bNM]\) are the \( M \times N \)-dimensional diffusion coefficient vectors, where \( M \) is the dimension of the Wiener process, while \( j = 1,..,M \) refers to the ‘current’ component of the Wiener process. The output variables are consistent with the variables used as input.

This routine is used by the routine \texttt{stochastic[wktay3]} and in general, is not intended for use on its own. It is part of the \texttt{stochastic} package and is usually loaded via the call \texttt{with(stochastic)}, but can also be invoked directly via the call \texttt{stochastic[MLJ]}.

EXAMPLES: Consider the 2-dimensional SDE driven by a 2-dimensional Wiener process given by

\[
d\begin{pmatrix} X_t^1 \\ X_t^2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} X_t^2 \\ X_t^1 \end{pmatrix} dt + \begin{pmatrix} r \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} dW_t^1 + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ r \end{pmatrix} dW_t^2,
\]
where $r$ and $s$ are constants, that is with drift with components $a^1 = x_2, a^2 = x_1$ and the constant diffusion coefficient vectors

$$b^1 = \begin{pmatrix} b^{1,1} \\ b^{1,2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} r \\ s \end{pmatrix}, \quad b^2 = \begin{pmatrix} b^{2,1} \\ b^{2,2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} s \\ r \end{pmatrix}.$$

Apply the corresponding operators $L^2$ and $L^0$ to the function $X(t,x_1,x_2) = x_2$

$>\text{MLJ}(x[2],[x[2],x[1]],[[r,s],[s,r]],2);$  
$\quad r$  
$>\text{MLJ}(x[2],[x[2],x[1]],[[r,s],[s,r]],0);$  
$\quad x[1]$  

The result is $L^2 X(t,x_1,x_2) = r$ and $L^0 X(t,x_1,x_2) = x_1$.

SEE ALSO: stochastic, stochastic[L0], stochastic[LJ], stochastic[SL0], stochastic[wktay].

### 3.5 The Ito Formula

For a sufficiently smooth transformation $U : [0,T] \times \mathbb{R}^N \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ of the solution $X_t$ of the Ito SDE

$$dX_t = a(t,X_t) \, dt + \sum_{j=1}^M b^j(t,X_t) \, dW^j_t$$

the scalar process $Y_t = U(t,X_t)$ satisfies the a vector stochastic differential

$$dY_t = \left( \frac{\partial U}{\partial t} + \sum_{i=1}^N a^i \frac{\partial U}{\partial x_i} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j=1}^N \sum_{l=1}^M b^i_l b^j_l \frac{\partial^2 U}{\partial x_i \partial x_j} \right) \, dt$$

$$+ \sum_{l=1}^M \sum_{i=1}^N b^i_l \frac{\partial U}{\partial x_i} \, dW^l_t$$

(3.5)

where the terms are all evaluated at $(t,X_t)$. This is called the Ito Formula.

In operator form it is

$$dY_t = L^0 U(t,X) \, dt + \sum_{j=1}^M L^j U(t,X) \, dW^j_t.$$

```maple
itoformula:=proc(U::list(algebraic), a::list(algebraic),  
                   b::list(list(algebraic)))  
  local i,k,10,lj,soln;  
  for i from 1 to nops(U) do  
    10:=L0(U[i],a,b)*dt;  
    lj:=0;  
  end do:  
```

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for k from 1 to nops(b) do
  lj:=lj+LJ(U[i],b,k)*dW.i;
od;
solin[i]:=dX.i=10 +lj;
od;
RETURN(eval(soln));
end:

EXAMPLE: Consider the function \( Y_t = U(t, X_t) = X_t^2 \) where \( X_t \) is a solution of the Ito SDE
\[
dX_t = aX_t \, dt + bX_t \, dW_t
\]
Then we have:

\[
> \text{itoformula}([(x[1])^{-2}], [a], [[b]]);
\]

\[
\text{table}([2
1 = (dX1 = (2 \cdot a \cdot x[1] + b) \, dt + 2 \cdot b \cdot x[1] \, dW1)
])
\]
that is
\[
dY_t = (2aY_t + b^2) \, dt + 2bY_t \, dW_t.
\]

3.6 Coloured Noise

We convert the \( N \)-dimensional Ito SDE (3.1) with a single white noise (i.e. \( m = 1 \)) into its counterpart with coloured noise, that is driven by an Ornstein–Uhlenbeck or exponentially correlated coloured noise process. The resulting coloured noise equation is the \( (N+1) \)-dimensional Ito SDE with scalar additive noise
\[
dX_t = (a(t, X_t) + b(t, X_t) \, Z_t) \, dt \quad \text{(3.6)}
dZ_t = -\gamma Z_t \, dt + \beta dW_t \quad \text{(3.7)}
\]
The routine \text{stochastic[colour]} converts the SDE 3.1 with scalar white noise into its coloured noise counterpart (3.6)-(3.7). Its CALLING SEQUENCE is

\[
\text{colour}([a1,\ldots,aN],[b1,\ldots,bN]);
\]
with PARAMETERS

\[
a1,\ldots,aN \text{ – algebraics, given in the variables } x[N] \text{ and } t.
b1,\ldots,bN \text{ – algebraics, given in the variables } x[N] \text{ and } t.
\]
where \( a1, \ldots, aN \) denotes the drift coefficients and \( b1, \ldots, bN \) the diffusion coefficients of \( N \)-dimensional SDE with scalar noise.
The call \texttt{colour([a1,..aN],[b1,..,bN])}; converts \(N\)-dimensional SDE (3.1) with scalar white noise into its coloured noise form (3.6)-(3.7). The output consists of the variables \(z, x[N], W\), gamma, beta, and \(t\). Here \(z\) denotes the Ornstein-Uhlenbeck process, \((x[N], z)\) the state variable of the \((N+1)\)-dimensional SDE (3.6)-(3.7) and \(W\) a standard Wiener process, while gamma and beta denote parameters, usually provided from experimental data, and \(t\) denotes time.

This routine is part of the \texttt{stochastic} package and is usually loaded via the call \texttt{with(stochastic)}. It can also be invoked directly via the call \texttt{stochastic[colour]}.

**EXAMPLE:** Find the coloured noise counterpart of the 2-dimensional SDE with scalar noise

\[
\frac{dX_1}{dt} = X_2 \ dt, \quad \frac{dX_1}{dt} = \left( X_1 \left( \alpha - \left( X_1 \right)^2 \right) - X_2 \right) \ dt + \sigma \ dW_t.
\]

\texttt{>colour([a(x[1],t)), [b(x[1],t))];

table([}
    \texttt{1 = (dx[1][t] = a(x[1], t) dt + b(x[1], t) z[t] dt)}
\texttt{2 = (dz[t] = - gamma z[t] dt + beta dW[t])}
\texttt{])}

\texttt{>colour([x[2],x[1]*(alpha-x[1]^2)-x[2]], [0,sigma*x[1]]);

table([}
    \texttt{1 = (dx[1][t] = x[2] dt)}
\texttt{2 = (dx[2][t] = (x[1] (alpha - x[1]) - x[2]) dt + sigma x[1] z[t] dt)}
\texttt{3 = (dz[t] = - gamma z[t] dt + beta dW[t])}
\texttt{])}

The resulting coloured noise system is

\[
\begin{align*}
\frac{dX_1}{dt} &= X_2^2 dt \\
\frac{dX_1}{dt} &= \left( X_1 \left( \alpha - \left( X_1 \right)^2 \right) - X_2^2 + \sigma Z_t \right) dt \\
\frac{dZ_t}{dt} &= -\gamma Z_t dt + \beta dW_t
\end{align*}
\]

SEE ALSO: \texttt{stochastic}
4 Stratonovich Stochastic Calculus

We consider the $N$-dimensional Ito SDE with an $M$-dimensional Wiener process

\[
dX_t = a(t, X_t) \, dt + \sum_{j=1}^{M} b^j(t, X_t) \, dW^j_t
\]

and its Stratonovich counterpart

\[
dX_t = \underline{a}(t, X_t) \, dt + \sum_{j=1}^{M} b^j(t, X_t) \, dW^j_t
\]

Here $\underline{a}$ given $a$ is defined componentwise by

\[
a^i(t, X) = a^i(t, X) - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{j=1}^{N} \sum_{k=1}^{M} b^{j,k}(t, X) \frac{\partial b^{i,k}}{\partial x_j}(t, X)
\]

for $i = 1, \ldots, N$, while $\underline{a}$ given $\underline{a}$ is defined componentwise by

\[
a^i(t, X) = \underline{a}^i(t, X) + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{j=1}^{N} \sum_{k=1}^{M} b^{j,k}(t, X) \frac{\partial b^{i,k}}{\partial x_j}(t, X)
\]

for $i = 1, \ldots, N$.

4.1 Ito–Stratonovich correction

Here we introduce a procedure which applies the drift-correction formula to convert the Ito drift coefficient $a$ into the corresponding Stratonovich drift coefficient $\underline{a}$. This is the routine stochastic[correct] which has CALLING SEQUENCE:

\[
\text{correct}([a_1, \ldots, a_N],[[b_{11}, \ldots, b_{1M}], \ldots, [b_{N1}, \ldots, b_{NM}]],i);\]

with PARAMETERS

\[
a_1, \ldots, a_N - \text{algebraics, given in the variables } x[N] \text{ and } t.
b_{11}, \ldots, b_{1M}, \ldots, [b_{N1}, \ldots, b_{NM}] - \text{lists of algebraics, given in the variables } x[N] \text{ and } t.
i - \text{integer.}
\]

where $a_1, \ldots, a_N$ denote the drift coefficients of the $N$-dimensional SDE (4.2) and $[b_{11}, \ldots, b_{1M}], \ldots, [b_{N1}, \ldots, b_{NM}]$ denote the components of the corresponding $M$ $N$-dimensional diffusion coefficient vectors, $M$ being the dimension of the Wiener process $W$. The index $i = 1, \ldots, N$ denotes the 'current' component of the SDE. The output variables are consistent with the variables used as input.

\[
\text{stochastic[correct]} := \text{proc}(a::\text{list(algebraic)}, b::\text{list(list(algebraic))), i) a[i] - 1/2*\text{sum('LJ(op(j, op(i, b)), b, j)', 'j' = 1 .. nops(op(1, b)))); end:
\]
The call \texttt{correct([a1,...,aN],[[b11,...,b1M],...,[bN1,...,bNM]],i)}; converts the drift coefficient of the Ito SDE (4.1) into that of its Stratonovich form (4.2).

This routine is used by the routine \texttt{stochastic[Taylor2]}. It is part of the \texttt{stochastic} package and is usually loaded via the call \texttt{with(stochastic)}, but can also be invoked via the call \texttt{stochastic[correct]}.  

**EXAMPLES**: Both examples have $N = M = 2$ with the same Ito drift vector

$$a^{1}(t, x_{1}, x_{2}) = x_{1}, \quad a^{2}(t, x_{1}, x_{2}) = x_{2},$$

and the constant diffusion coefficient vectors

$$b^{1} = \begin{pmatrix} b^{1,1} \\ b^{1,2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} r \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad b^{2} = \begin{pmatrix} b^{2,1} \\ b^{2,2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ r \end{pmatrix},$$

where $r$ is a constant, in the first case and the variable diffusion coefficient vectors

$$b^{1} = \begin{pmatrix} b^{1,1} \\ b^{1,2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_{1} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad b^{2} = \begin{pmatrix} b^{2,1} \\ b^{2,2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ r \end{pmatrix},$$

in the second case.

\[
> \texttt{correct([x[1],x[2]],[[r,0],[0,r]],2)}; \\
\quad x[2] \\
> \texttt{correct([x[1],x[2]],[[x[1],0],[0,r]],1)}; \\
\quad 1/2 \ x[1]
\]

The application of the routine here produces the result $a^{1}(t, x_{1}, x_{2}) = x_{2}$ in the first case and $a^{2}(t, x_{1}, x_{2}) = \frac{1}{2}x_{1}$ in the second case.

SEE ALSO: \texttt{stochastic}, \texttt{stochastic[Taylor2]}

### 4.2 Ito–Stratonovich correction: both directions

The next procedure combines the Ito to Stratonovich conversion with the Stratonovich to Ito conversion procedure of the last subsection.

\[
\texttt{conv:=proc(a::list(algebraic),b::list(list(algebraic)),c::algebraic)} \\
\quad \texttt{local temp,i;)} \\
\quad \texttt{if c=ito then} \\
\quad \quad \texttt{for i from 1 to nops(a) do temp[i]:=op(i,a)-1/2*sum(op(k,op(j,b))} \\
\quad \quad \quad \quad \texttt{*diff(op(k,op(i,b)),x[j]),'k'=1..nops(op(1,b))','j'=1..nops(a));} \\
\quad \quad \texttt{od;)
\]

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elif c=strat then
    for i from 1 to nops(a) do
        temp[i]:=op(i,a)+1/2*sum('sum('op(k,op(j,b))
            *diff(op(k,op(i,b)),x[j]),'k'=1..nops(op(1,b))),'j'=1..nops(a));
    od;
else
    ERROR('Must enter either ito or strat for the 3rd argument'
fi;
RETURN(map(simplify,eval(temp)))
end:

EXAMPLE: Consider the Ito SDE
\[ dX_t = -a^2 X_t (1 - X_t^2) \, dt + a(1 - X_t^2) \, dW_t \]
To obtain the Stratonovich SDE use
> conv([-a^-2*x[1](1-x[1]^2)],[[a*(1-x[1]^2)]],ito);
and obtain
\[
\text{table}([ \\
1 = 0 \\
])
\]
which means that the desired Stratonovich SDE is
\[
dX_t = 0 \, dt - a(1 - X_t^2) \circ dW_t \\
= -a(1 - X_t^2) \circ dW_t.
\]
The other direction gives the original Ito SDE back.
> conv([0],[[a*(1-x[1]^2)]],strat);

\[
\text{table}([ \\
1 = a^2 x_1 (-1 + x_1^2) \\
])
\]

4.3 Stratonovich L0 operator
The \( L^0 \) operator of of Ito calculus needs to be changed in Stratonovich calculus to
\[
L^0 = \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \sum_{k=1}^{N} a^k \frac{\partial}{\partial x^k}, \quad (4.3)
\]
while the $I^j$ operator of of Ito calculus remains unchanged in Stratonovich calculus. The Stratonovich operator $L^0$ applied to a function $X$ is produced by the routine \texttt{stochastic[SL0]} with CALLING SEQUENCE:

\begin{verbatim}
SL0(X,[a1,...,aN],[[b11,...,b1M],...,[bN1,...,bNM]]);
\end{verbatim}

which has PARAMETERS:

\begin{itemize}
  \item $X$ - algebraic, given in the variables $x[N]$ and $t$.
  \item $a1,\ldots,aN$ - algebras, given in the variables $x[N]$ and $t$.
  \item $[b11,...,b1M],\ldots,[bN1,...,bNM]$ - lists of algebraics, given in the variables $x[N]$ and $t$.
\end{itemize}

where $a1,\ldots,aN$ denote the drift coefficients of the $N$-dimensional SDE (4.2) and $[b11,...,b1M],\ldots,[bN1,...,bNM]$ denote the components of the corresponding $M$ $N$-dimensional diffusion coefficient vectors, $M$ being the dimension of the Wiener process $W$. The output variables are consistent with the variables used as input.

\begin{verbatim}
stochastic[SL0]:=proc(X::algebraic,a::list(algebraic),b::list(list(algebraic)))
local part1,part2;
  part1 := diff(X,t);
  part2 := sum('a[k]*diff(X,x[k]),'k'=1..nops(a));
  part1+part2;
end:
\end{verbatim}

The call $\texttt{SL0(X,[a1,...,aN],[[b11,...,b1M],...,[bN1,...,bNM]])}$ computes the application of the Stratonovich version of the operator $L^0$ to $X$.

This routine is used by the routine \texttt{stochastic[Taylor2]}. In general, it is not intended for use on its own. It is part of the \texttt{stochastic} package and is usually loaded via the call \texttt{with(stochastic)}, but can also be invoked directly via the call \texttt{stochastic[SL0]}.

**EXAMPLE:** $L^0X$ is computed for the function $X(t, x_1, x_2) = x_2$ and the 2-dimensional Stratonovich SDE with drift components

\[
a^1(t, x_1, x_2) = x_1, \quad a^2(t, x_1, x_2) = x_2,
\]

and the constant diffusion coefficient vectors

\[
b^1 = \begin{pmatrix} b_{1,1} \\ b_{1,2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} r \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad b^2 = \begin{pmatrix} b_{2,1} \\ b_{2,2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ r \end{pmatrix},
\]

where $r$ is a constant.

$>$ \texttt{SL0(x[2],[x[1],x[2]],[[r,0],[0,r]]);}

\[
x[2]
\]
giving the result $L^0X(t, x_1, x_2) = x_2$.

SEE ALSO: \texttt{stochastic}, \texttt{stochastic[L0]}, \texttt{stochastic[LJ]}, \texttt{stochastic[MLJ]}, \texttt{stochastic[Taylor2]}.
4.4 Stratonovich transformation formula

For a sufficiently smooth transformation \( U : [0, T] \times \mathbb{R}^N \to \mathbb{R} \) of the solution \( X_t \) of the Stratonovich SDE

\[
dX_t = a(t, X_t) \, dt + \sum_{j=1}^M b^j(t, X_t) \circ dW^j_t
\]

the scalar process \( Y_t = U(t, X_t) \) satisfies the a vector Stratonovich stochastic differential

\[
dY_t = \left( \frac{\partial U}{\partial t} + \sum_{i=1}^N a^i \frac{\partial U}{\partial x_i} \right) \, dt + \sum_{l=1}^M \sum_{i=1}^N b^{i,l} \frac{\partial U}{\partial x_i} \circ dW^l_t
\]  \hspace{1cm} (4.4)

where the terms are all evaluated at \((t, X_t)\). In operator form this is

\[
dY_t = L^0 U(t, X_t) \, dt + \sum_{j=1}^M L^j U(t, X_t) \circ dW^j_t.
\]

chainrule:=proc(U::list(algebraic),a::list(algebraic),
b::list(list(algebraic)))
local i,k,10,lj,soln;
for i from 1 to nops(U) do
  10:=SL0(U[i],a,b)*dt;
  lj:=0;
  for k from 1 to nops(b) do
    lj:=lj+LJ(U[i],b,k)*odW.i;
    od;
  soln[i]:=dX.i=10 +lj;
  od;
  RETURN(eval(soln));
end:

EXAMPLE: Consider the function \( U(t, X_t) = X_t^2 \) and the Stratonovich SDE

\[
dX_t = aX_t \, dt + bX_t \circ dW_t.
\]

Then we have:

\[
> \text{chainrule}([[x[1]]^2],[a],[b])
\]

\[
\text{table}([
1 = (dX1 = 2 \ a \ x[1] \ dt + 2 \ b \ x[1] \ odW1)
])
\]

That means:

\[
dY_t = 2aY_t \, dt + 2bY_t \circ dW_t.
\]
5 Linear Vector SDEs

5.1 Linearization

We consider the linearization of an \( N \)-dimensional Ito SDE with an \( M \)-dimensional Wiener process

\[
\begin{align*}
 dX_t &= a(t, X_t) \, dt + \sum_{j=1}^{M} b^j(t, X_t) \, dW^j_t \\
\end{align*}
\]  
(5.1)

about fixed solution \( \bar{X}_t \), resulting in the linear vector SDE

\[
\begin{align*}
 dZ_t &= A(t)Z_t \, dt + \sum_{j=1}^{M} B^j(t)Z_t \, dW^j_t \\
\end{align*}
\]  
(5.2)

where

\[
A(t)^{i,j} = \frac{\partial a^i}{\partial x^j}(t, \bar{X}(t)), \quad B^k(t)^{i,j} = \frac{\partial b^k,i}{\partial x^j}(t, \bar{X}(t))
\]

for \( i, j = 1, \ldots, N \) and \( k = 1, \ldots, M \).

The routine \texttt{stochastic[linearize]} has the CALLING SEQUENCE:

\[
\text{linearize}( A, B, C );
\]

with PARAMETERS

\[
\begin{align*}
A - \text{the list of } &\{a[1], a[2], \ldots, a[N]\}, \\
B - \text{listlist of } &\{\{b[1], \ldots, b[M]\}, \ldots, \{b[N], \ldots, b[NM]\}\}, \\
C - \text{list of } &\{Xbar[1], \ldots, Xbar[N]\}, \text{where Xbar is the stationary solution of the SDE}.
\end{align*}
\]

The procedure \texttt{linearize} has the following code:

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{linearize} := &\text{proc}(a::\text{list(algebraic)}, b::\text{list(list(algebraic))), c::\text{list(algebraic))}
\text{local } i, \text{tempA, tempB, j, k, l}; \\
\text{tempA} := &\text{array}(1..\text{nops}(a), 1..\text{nops}(a)); \\
\text{for } i \text{ from 1 to } \text{nops}(a) \text{ do for } j \text{ from 1 to } \text{nops}(a) \text{ do } \\
\quad &\text{tempA}[i, j] := \text{diff}(\text{op}(i, a), x[j]); \\
\text{od}; \text{ od}; \\
\text{for } i \text{ from 1 to } \text{nops}(a) \text{ do for } j \text{ from 1 to } \text{nops}(a) \text{ do for } l \text{ from 1 to } \text{nops}(c) \text{ do } \\
\quad &\text{tempA}[i, j] := \text{subs}(x[l] = \text{op}(l, c), \text{tempA}[i, j]); \\
\text{od}; \text{ od}; \text{ od}; \\
\text{for } k \text{ from 1 to } \text{nops}(\text{op}(1, b)) \text{ do } \text{tempB}[k] := \text{array}(1..\text{nops}(a), 1..\text{nops}(a)); \\
\text{for } i \text{ from 1 to } \text{nops}(a) \text{ do for } j \text{ from 1 to } \text{nops}(a) \text{ do } \\
\quad &\text{tempB}[k][i, j] := \text{diff}(\text{op}(k, \text{op}(i, b), x[j]); \\
\text{od}; \text{ od}; \\
\text{for } i \text{ from 1 to } \text{nops}(a) \text{ do for } j \text{ from 1 to } \text{nops}(a) \text{ do for } l \text{ from 1 to } \text{nops}(c) \text{ do } \\
\quad &\text{tempB}[k][i, j] := \text{subs}(x[l] = \text{op}(l, c), \text{tempB}[k][i, j]); \\
\text{od}; \text{ od}; \text{ od}; \\
\end{align*}
\]
EXAMPLE: Consider the 2-dimensional Ito SDE
\[
\begin{align*}
    dX_1^t &= X_2^t dt, \\
    dX_2^t &= (-bX_1^t - \sin X_1^t - c \sin 2X_1^t) dt + \left(-a(X_1^t)^2 + \sin X_1^t\right) dW_t,
\end{align*}
\]
where \(a, b\) and \(c\) are constants and \(W_t\) is a scalar Wiener process.

\[
\begin{align*}
    a^2 &= X_1^2(t) \\
    a^2 &= -bX_1^t - \sin(X_1^t) - c\sin(2X_1^t) - a^2(X_2^t)^3 + aX_1^t \sin(X_1^t).
\end{align*}
\]

Then
\[
\begin{bmatrix}
    0 \\
    -1 - 2c \\
    -b
\end{bmatrix}
\]
and
\[
\begin{bmatrix}
    0 & 0 \\
    1 & 0
\end{bmatrix},
\]
so the linearized SDE (5.2) is
\[
\begin{align*}
    dZ_1^t &= Z_2^t dt \\
    dZ_2^t &= \left((-1 - 2c)Z_1^t - bZ_2^t\right) dt + Z_1^t dW_t.
\end{align*}
\]

5.2 Second moment equation

We consider the \(N\)-dimensional linear Ito SDE
\[
dZ_t = A(t)Z_t dt + \sum_{k=1}^{M} B^k(t)Z_t dW_t^k, \tag{5.3}
\]
where \(A, B^1, B^2, \ldots, B^M\) are \(N \times N\) matrices.

The \(N \times N\) matrix valued second moment \(P(t) = E(Z_t Z_t^T)\) satisfies the deterministic matrix differential equation
\[
\frac{dP}{dt} = A(t)P + PA(t)^T + \sum_{k=1}^{M} B^k(t)P B^k(t)^T,
\]
which is linear in \(P\). On account of the symmetry of the matrix \(P\), we can write this equation as a linear system of the from
\[
\frac{d\tilde{p}}{dt} = A(t)\tilde{p} \tag{5.4}
\]
where \(\tilde{p}\) is an \(\frac{1}{2}N(N + 1)\)-dimensional vector consisting of the free components of \(P\) and \(A(t)\) is a square matrix.
The routine \texttt{stochastic[momenteqn]} has the CALLING SEQUENCE:

\begin{verbatim}
momenteqn(A,B);
\end{verbatim}

with PARAMETERS

\begin{itemize}
  \item[A]{the matrix A(t)},
  \item[B]{lists of matrixes B1(t),...,BM(t)}.
\end{itemize}

The procedure \texttt{momenteqn} calculates the new matrix \( A(t) \) and has the following code:

\begin{verbatim}
momenteqn:=proc(A,B)
  local i,j,k,N,Btmp,Ctmp;
  global Neues_A;
  if type(A,array) then Btmp:=convert(A,listlist); else Btmp:=A; fi;
  N:=nops(Btmp);

  Neues_A:=array(1..N*(N+1)/2,1..N*(N+1)/2);
  ap(A);
  pa(A);
  for i from 1 to N*(N+1)/2 do
    for j from 1 to N*(N+1)/2 do
      Ctmp[i,j]:=0;
    od;
  od;
  for k from 1 to nops(B) do
    bpb(B[k]);
    for i from 1 to N*(N+1)/2 do
      for j from 1 to N*(N+1)/2 do
        Ctmp[i,j]:=Ctmp[i,j]+B3[i,j];
      od;
    od;
  od;
  for i from 1 to N*(N+1)/2 do
    for j from 1 to N*(N+1)/2 do
      Neues_A[i,j]:=B1[i,j]+B2[i,j]+Ctmp[i,j];
    od;
  od;
  RETURN(evalm(Neues_A));
end:
\end{verbatim}

This procedure requires other procedures. It is not necessary to call these procedures, \textbf{but} they are must be declared (in the package) before calling the procedure \texttt{momenteqn} (see the APPENDIX).

\textbf{EXAMPLE}: Let

\begin{align*}
A &= \begin{bmatrix} A_{1,1} & A_{1,2} \\ A_{2,1} & A_{2,2} \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} B_{1,1} & B_{1,2} \\ B_{2,1} & B_{2,2} \end{bmatrix}.
\end{align*}
We set $E = [B]$ (list of arrays) and call \texttt{momenteqn}(A,E),\) obtaining
\[
\begin{bmatrix}
2 A_{1,1} + B_{1,1}^2 & 2 A_{1,2} + 2 B_{1,2} B_{1,1} & B_{1,2}^2 \\
A_{2,1} + B_{1,1} B_{2,1} & A_{1,1} + A_{2,2} + B_{1,2} B_{2,1} + B_{1,1} B_{2,2} & A_{1,2} + B_{1,1} B_{2,2} \\
B_{2,1}^2 & 2 A_{2,1} + 2 B_{2,2} B_{2,1} & 2 A_{2,2} + B_{2,2}^2
\end{bmatrix}.
\]

The equation (5.4) is thus
\[
\begin{align*}
d\tilde{p}_1 &= (2 A_{1,1} + B_{1,1}^2) \tilde{p}_1 + (2 A_{1,2} + 2 B_{1,2} B_{1,1}) \tilde{p}_2 + (B_{1,2}^2) \tilde{p}_3 \\
d\tilde{p}_2 &= (A_{2,1} + B_{1,1} B_{2,1}) \tilde{p}_1 + (A_{1,1} + A_{2,2} + B_{1,2} B_{2,1} + B_{1,1} B_{2,2}) \tilde{p}_2 \\
&\quad + (A_{1,2} + B_{1,2} B_{2,2}) \tilde{p}_3 \\
d\tilde{p}_3 &= (B_{2,1}^2) \tilde{p}_1 + (2 A_{2,1} + 2 B_{2,2} B_{2,1}) \tilde{p}_2 + (2 A_{2,2} + B_{2,2}^2) \tilde{p}_3
\end{align*}
\]

The procedures \texttt{matrix2pvector} and \texttt{pvector2pmatrix} transform a symmetry matrix to a vector and a vector to an symmetry matrix, respectively. Here they are used to change the matrix $P$ to the vector $\tilde{p}$ and the vector $\tilde{p}$ to the matrix $P$, respectively. The procedure \texttt{matrix2pvector} has the following code (see the APPENDIX for the procedure \texttt{pvector2pmatrix}):

\begin{verbatim}
matrix2pvector:=proc(p)
    local i,j,k,ptmp;
    global pvector;
    if type(p, array) then ptmp:=convert(p, listlist); else ptmp:=p; fi;
    pvector:=array(1..nops(ptmp)*(nops(ptmp)+1)/2);
    k:=0;
    for i from 1 to nops(ptmp) do
        if (i>1) then k:=k+(nops(ptmp)-i+2); fi;
        for j from i to nops(ptmp) do
            pvector[k+j-i+1]:=ptmp[i,j];
        od;
    od;
    RETURN(eval(pvector));
end:
\end{verbatim}

EXAMPLE: Let
\[
P = \begin{bmatrix}
2 & 5 & 10 & 17 & 26 \\
5 & 6 & 11 & 18 & 27 \\
10 & 11 & 12 & 19 & 28 \\
17 & 18 & 19 & 20 & 29 \\
26 & 27 & 28 & 29 & 30
\end{bmatrix}.
\]

After calling \texttt{pvector2pmatrix}(P); we obtain
\[
[2, 5, 10, 17, 26, 6, 11, 18, 27, 12, 19, 28, 20, 29, 30].
\]

EXAMPLE: Consider the $2 \times 2$ symmetric matrix written in the listlist form
\[
P := [[1, 2], [2, 4]].
\]

For $\tilde{p}$ the procedure \texttt{pvector2pmatrix}(P); yields
\[
[1, 2, 4].
\]

These examples for the first procedure show that it is possible to have a matrix or a listlist as an input parameter.
5.3 Spherical coordinates

We consider the $N$-dimensional linear Stratonovich SDE

$$dZ_t = A(t)Z_t \, dt + \sum_{k=1}^{M} B^k(t)Z_t \circ dW^k_t,$$  \hspace{2cm} (5.5)

where $A$, $B^1$, $B^2$, ..., $B^M$ are $N \times N$ matrices, and convert it to spherical coordinates $r = |z|$ and $s = z/|z| \in S^{N-1}$ (assuming $z \neq 0$). The resulting system of equations is

$$dR_t = R_t q^0(S_t) \, dt + \sum_{k=1}^{M} R_t q^k(S_t) \circ dW^k_t$$  \hspace{2cm} (5.6)

$$dS_t = h(S_t, A) \, dt + \sum_{k=1}^{M} h(S_t, B^k) \circ dW^k_t$$  \hspace{2cm} (5.7)

where

$$q(s) = s^\top As + \sum_{k=1}^{M} \left( \frac{1}{2} s^\top \left( B^k + (B^k)^\top \right) s - \left( s^\top B^k s \right)^2 \right),$$

$$q^0(s) = s^\top As, \quad q^k(s) = s^\top B^k s, \quad h(s, A) = \left( A - (s^\top As)I \right) s.$$

The routine `stochastic[sphere]` has the CALLING SEQUENCE:

`sphere(A,B);`

with PARAMETERS

`A` - the matrix $A(t)$,  
`B` - lists of matrices $B^1(t), ..., B^M(t)$.

It calculates the values for

$q(s)$, $q^0(s)$, $q^k(s)$, $h(s, A)$ and $h(s, B^k)$ for $k = 1, ..., M$

and has the following code:

```plaintext
sphere:=proc(a,b)
    global q,q0,qk,h,hk;
    local i,j,k,tempa,tempb,tempbs,N,tmp;
    if type(a, array) then tmp:=convert(a, listlist); else tmp:=a; fi;
    N:=nops(tmp);
    hk:=evaln(hk); h:=evaln(h); qk:=evaln(qk);
    q:=evaln(q); q0:=evaln(q0); tempa:=evaln(tempa); tempb:=evaln(tempb);
    q0:=sum('sum('s[i]*a[i,j]','i'=1..N)*s[j]'','j'=1..N);
    for k from 1 to nops(b) do
        qk[k]:=sum('sum('s[i]*b[k][i,j]'','i'=1..N)*s[j]'','j'=1..N);
    od;
end;
```

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for k from 1 to nops(b) do
    stempbs[k]:=sum('sum(s[i]*(b[k][i,j]+b[k][j,i])',i'=1..N)*s[j]',j'=1..N);
od;
q:=q0+ sum('0.5*stempbs[k]-q[k]^2',k'=1..nops(b));
for i from 1 to N do
    for j from 1 to N do
        if (i=j) then tempa[i,i]:=a[i,i]-q0;
            else tempa[i,j]:=a[i,j];
        fi;
    od;
od;
for i from 1 to N do
    h[i]:=sum('tempa[i,j]',j'=1..N);
od;
for k from 1 to nops(b) do
    for i from 1 to N do
        for j from 1 to N do
            if (i=j) then tempb[k][i,i]:=b[k][i,i]-q[k];
                else tempb[k][i,j]:=b[k][i,j];
            fi;
        od;
    od;
for k from 1 to nops(b) do
    for i from 1 to N do
        hk[k][i]:=sum('tempb[k][i,j]',j'=1..N);
    od;
od;
end:

The variables here are defined as global, which means that to determine the value of q(s), for example, we call \texttt{sphere(A,B): q;}

EXAMPLE: Consider the matrices

\[
A := \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad B := \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}
\]

which are input into Maple as:

\texttt{>A:=array(1..2,1..2,[[2,2],[1,1]]):}
\texttt{>B1:=array(1..2,1..2,[[3,1],[4,2]]):}
\texttt{>B:=[B1]:}

Then
6 Strong Numerical Schemes

We consider a the \( N \)-dimensional Ito SDE with an \( M \)-dimensional Wiener process

\[
dX_t = a(t, X_t) \, dt + \sum_{j=1}^{M} b^j(t, X_t) \, dW_t^j
\]

and some strong stochastic Taylor schemes for this equation. The final order 2.0 scheme will be the corresponding Stratonovich SDE.

In all of the schemes that follow, the coefficients are all evaluated at the point \((t_n, Y_n)\).
6.1 Euler scheme

The Euler scheme has the componentwise form

\[ Y_{n+1}^k = Y_n^k + a^k \Delta_n + \sum_{j=1}^{M} b^{k,j} \Delta W_n^j \]  

(6.2)

for \( k = 1, \ldots, N \), where

\[ \Delta_n = t_{n+1} - t_n \]

is the length of the \( n \)th time step and

\[ \Delta W_n^j = W_{\tau_{n+1}}^j - W_{\tau_n}^j \]

is the \( N(0; \Delta_n) \) distributed increment of the \( j \)th component of the \( M \)-dimensional standard Wiener process \( W \) on the discretization subinterval \([\tau_n, \tau_{n+1}]\). Here \( \Delta W_n^j \) and \( \Delta W_n^{j_2} \) are independent for \( j_1 \neq j_2 \).

The routine \texttt{stochastic[Euler]} constructs stochastic Taylor scheme of strong order 0.5 known as the Euler scheme for an Ito SDE 6.1. Its CALLING SEQUENCE is

\[ \texttt{Euler([a1,...,aN],[[b11,...,b1M],...,[bN1,...,bNM]]);} \]

with PARAMETERS

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{a1,\ldots,aN} & \quad \text{algebraics, given in the variables x[N] and t}.
\text{[b11,\ldots,b1M],\ldots,[bN1,\ldots,bNM]} & \quad \text{lists of algebraics, given in variables x[N] and t.}
\end{align*}
\]

representing the drift and the diffusion coefficient vectors of the SDE.

\texttt{stochastic[Euler]}:=proc(a::list(algebraic),b::list(list(algebraic)))
local i,u,soln;
for i to nops(a) do
soln[i] := Y.i[n+1] = Y.i[n]+L0(x[i],a,b)*Delta[n]+sum('LJ(x[i],b,j)*Delta*W.j[n],’j’ = 1 .. nops(op(1,b)));
for u to nops(a) do soln[i] := subs(x[u] = Y.u[n],soln[i]) od
od;
RETURN(eval(soln))
end:

The call \texttt{Euler([a1,...,aN],[[b11,...,b1M],...,[bN1,...,bNM]]);} returns the Euler scheme for an \( N \)-dimensional Ito SDE with \( M \)-dimensional noise which has drift coefficients \texttt{a1,...,aN} and diffusion coefficients \texttt{[b11,...,b1M],...,[bN1,...,bNM]}.

The output consists of the variables \( YN[n] \), \( \text{DeltaW}[M][n] \), and \( \text{Delta}[n] \). \( YN[n] \) denotes the strong order 0.5 stochastic Taylor approximation to \( x[N] \) at the \( n \)th step. \( \text{DeltaW}[M][n] \) denotes the change in the \( M \)-dimensional Wiener process at the \( n \)th step. \( \text{Delta}[n] \) denotes the step size at the \( n \)th step.

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This routine is part of the *stochastic* package and is usually loaded via the call `with(stochastic)`. It can also be invoked directly via the call `stochastic[Euler]`.

**EXAMPLE:** Consider the 2-dimensional SDE driven by a 2-dimensional Wiener process $W_t = (W^1_t, W^2_t)$, given by

\[
\begin{align*}
\frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} X^1_t \\ X^2_t \end{pmatrix} &= \begin{pmatrix} X^2_t \\ X^1_t \end{pmatrix} dt + \begin{pmatrix} r \\ s \end{pmatrix} dW^1_t + \begin{pmatrix} s \\ r \end{pmatrix} dW^2_t,
\end{align*}
\]

that is with drift components $a^1(t, x_1, x_2) = x_2$, $a^2(t, x_1, x_2) = x_1$ and the constant diffusion coefficient vectors

\[
\begin{align*}
b^1 &= \begin{pmatrix} b^{1,1} \\ b^{1,2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} r \\ s \end{pmatrix}, \\
b^2 &= \begin{pmatrix} b^{2,1} \\ b^{2,2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} s \\ r \end{pmatrix},
\end{align*}
\]

where $r$ and $s$ are constants.

```euler([x[2],x[1]],[[r,s],[s,r]]);```

```table({
})```

The resulting Euler scheme is

\[
\begin{pmatrix} Y^1_{n+1} \\ Y^2_{n+1} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} Y^1_n \\ Y^2_n \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} r \\ s \end{pmatrix} \Delta W^1_n + \begin{pmatrix} s \\ r \end{pmatrix} \Delta W^2_n.
\]

SEE ALSO: stochastic, stochastic[L0], stochastic[LJ], stochastic[Milstein], stochastic[Taylor1half], stochastic[Taylor2].

### 6.2 Milstein scheme

The *Milstein scheme* has the component-wise form

\[
Y^k_{n+1} = Y^k_n + a^k \Delta_n + \sum_{j=1}^{M} b^{k,j} W^j_n + \sum_{j_1,j_2=1}^{M} I_{(j_1,j_2);n},
\]

where $k = 1, \ldots, N$ and $I_{(j_1,j_2);n}$ is the multiple Ito integral

\[
I_{(j_1,j_2);n} = \int_{n}^{n+1} \int_{\tau_n}^{\tau_n} dW^j_{s_2} dW^j_{s_1}
\]

in general, with

\[
I_{(j_1,j_1);n} = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ (\Delta W^j_n)^2 - \Delta_n \right\}
\]

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The routine \texttt{stochastic[Milstein]} constructs stochastic Taylor scheme of strong order 1.0 known as the \textit{Milstein scheme} for an Ito SDE (6.1). Its CALLING SEQUENCE is

\begin{verbatim}
Milstein([a1,...aN],[[b11,...,b1M],...,[bN1,...,bNM]]);
\end{verbatim}

with PARAMETERS

\begin{verbatim}
a1,...,aN - algebraics, given in the variables x[N] and t. 
[b11,...,b1M],...,[bN1,...,bNM] - lists of algebraics, given in variables x[N] and t.
\end{verbatim}

representing the drift and the diffusion coefficient vectors of the SDE.

\begin{verbatim}
stochastic[Milstein] := proc(a::list(algebraic),b::list(list(algebraic)))
local u,i,soln;
    for i to nops(a) do 
        soln[i] := Y.i[n+1] = Y.i[n]+L0(x[i],a,b)*Delta[n]+sum('LJ(x[i],b,j)*Delta*W.j[n]',j = 1 .. nops(op(1,b)))+
            sum('sum('LJ(op(j2,op(i,b)),b,j1)*I[j1,j2]',j1 = 1 .. nops(op(1,b)))+',j2 = 1 .. nops(op(1,b)));
        for u to nops(a) do soln[i] := subs(x[u] = Y.u[n],soln[i]) od;
    od;
RETURN(eval(soln))
end:
\end{verbatim}

The call \texttt{Milstein([a1,...aN],[[b11,...,b1M],...,[bN1,...,bNM]])}; returns the Milstein scheme for an \( N \)–dimensional SDE (6.1) with \( M \)–dimensional noise which has drift coefficients \( a_1, \ldots, a_N \) and diffusion coefficient vectors \([b_{11}, \ldots, b_{1M}], \ldots, [b_{N1}, \ldots, b_{NM}]\). The output consists of the variables \( Y_N[n] \), \( \text{Delta}W_M[n] \), \( \text{Delta}[n] \) and \( I[(j1,j2)] \). Here \( Y_N[n] \) denotes the strong order 1.0 stochastic Taylor approximation to \( x[N] \) at the \( n \)-th step, \( \text{Delta}W_M[n] \) denotes the increment in the \( M \)–dimensional Wiener process at the \( n \)-th step, \( \text{Delta}[n] \) denotes the step size at the \( n \)-th step, and \( I[(j1,j2)] \) denotes the double Ito integral (6.4).

This routine is part of the \texttt{stochastic} package and is usually loaded via the call \texttt{with(stochastic)}. It can also be invoked directly via the call \texttt{stochastic[Milstein]}.

\textbf{EXAMPLE:} Consider the 2–dimensional SDE driven by a 2–dimensional Wiener process \( W_t = (W_t^1, W_t^2) \), given by

\[ d \begin{pmatrix} X_t^1 \\ X_t^2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} X_t^1 \\ X_t^1 \end{pmatrix} dt + \begin{pmatrix} r \\ s \end{pmatrix} dW_t^1 + \begin{pmatrix} s \\ r \end{pmatrix} dW_t^2, \]

that is with drift components \( a^1(t, x_1, x_2) = x_2, \ a^2(t, x_1, x_2) = x_1 \) and the constant diffusion coefficient vectors

\[ b^1 = \begin{pmatrix} b_{1,1}^1 \\ b_{1,2}^1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} r \\ s \end{pmatrix}, \quad b^2 = \begin{pmatrix} b_{2,1}^2 \\ b_{2,2}^2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} s \\ r \end{pmatrix}, \]

\begin{verbatim}
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\end{verbatim}
where \( r \) and \( s \) are constants.

\[ \text{Milstein}([x[2], x[1]], [[r,s],[s,r]]); \]

```
table(
    1 = (Y1[n + 1] = Y1[n] + Y2[n] \Delta[n] + r \Delta W1[n] + s \Delta W2[n])
    2 = (Y2[n + 1] = Y2[n] + Y1[n] \Delta[n] + s \Delta W1[n] + r \Delta W2[n])
)
```

The resulting Milstein scheme is

\[
\begin{pmatrix}
Y_{n+1}^1 \\
Y_{n+1}^2
\end{pmatrix}
= \begin{pmatrix}
Y_n^1 \\
Y_n^2
\end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix}
r \\
s
\end{pmatrix} \Delta W_n^1 + \begin{pmatrix}
s \\
r
\end{pmatrix} \Delta W_n^2,
\]

which is actually the same as the Euler scheme in this case because the SDE here has additive noise.

SEE ALSO: stochastic, stochastic[L0], stochastic[LJ], stochastic[Euler], stochastic[Taylor1half], stochastic[Taylor2] .

### 6.3 Order 1.5 strong stochastic Taylor scheme

The \( k \)-th component of the order 1.5 strong Taylor scheme is given by

\[
Y_{n+1}^k = Y_n^k + a^k \Delta_n + \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{L}_0 a^k \Delta_n^2 + \sum_{j=1}^{M} (b^k_j \Delta W_n^j + \mathcal{L}_0 b^k_j I_{(0,j);n} + \mathcal{L}_1 a^k I_{(j,0);n})
\]

\[
+ \sum_{j_1,j_2=1}^M \mathcal{L}_1^{j_1,j_2} b^{k,j_1,j_2} I_{(j_1,j_2);n} + \sum_{j_1,j_2,j_3=1}^M \mathcal{L}_1^{j_1,j_2,j_3} b^{k,j_1,j_2,j_3} I_{(j_1,j_2,j_3);n}
\]

where \( I_{(j_1,j_2,j_3);n} \) is the multiple Ito integral

\[
I_{(j_1,j_2,j_3);n} = \int_{\tau_n}^{\tau_{n+1}} \int_{\tau_n}^{\tau_1} \int_{\tau_n}^{\tau_2} dW^j_{s_3} dW^j_{s_2} dW^j_{s_1}
\]

in general, with

\[
I_{(j_1,j_2,j_1);n} = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \frac{1}{3} \left( \Delta W_n^{j_1} \right)^2 - \Delta_n \right\} \Delta W_n^{j_1}
\]

and

\[
I_{(0,j);n} = \Delta W_n^{j_1} \Delta_n - I_{(j,0);n}
\]

in specific cases. Here the random variable \( \Delta Z_n^j := I_{(j,0);n} \) is \( N(0; \frac{1}{2} \Delta_n) \) normally distributed and has covariance \( E(\Delta Z_n^j \Delta W_n^j) = \frac{1}{2} \Delta_n^2 \).

The routine stochastic[Taylor1half] constructs stochastic Taylor scheme of strong order 1.0 Taylor scheme for an Ito SDE (6.1). Its CALLING SEQUENCE is

\[ \text{Taylor1half}([a1,..,aN],[[b11,..,b1M],...,[bN1,..,bNM]]); \]

with PARAMETERS
representing the drift and the diffusion coefficient vectors of the SDE.

The call `Taylor1hlf([a1,...,aN],[[b11,...,b1M],...,[bN1,...,bNM]])` returns the strong order 1.5 approximation for an N-dimensional SDE (6.1) with M-dimensional noise which has drift coefficients \(a1, \ldots, aN\) and diffusion coefficient vectors \([b11, \ldots, b1M], \ldots, [bN1, \ldots, bNM]\).

The output consists of the variables \(YN[n]\), \(DeltaWM[n]\), \(Delta[n]\), \(I[(j1,j2)]\), and \(I[(j1,j2,j3)]\). Here \(YN[n]\) denotes the strong order 1.5 stochastic Taylor approximation to \(x[N]\) at the n-th step, \(DeltaWM[n]\) denotes the change in the M-dimensional Wiener process at the n-th step, \(Delta[n]\) denotes the step size at the n-th step. While \(I[(j1,j2)]\) and \(I[(j1,j2,j3)]\) denote the multiple Ito integrals (6.4) and (6.6).

This routine is part of the `stochastic` package and is usually loaded via the call `with(stochastic)`. It can also be invoked directly via the call `stochastic[Taylor1hlf]`.

**EXAMPLE:** Consider the 2-dimensional SDE driven by a 2-dimensional Wiener process \(W_t = (W^1_t, W^2_t)\), given by

\[
d \left( \begin{array}{c} X^1_t \\ X^2_t \\ \end{array} \right) = \left( \begin{array}{c} X^2_t \\ X^1_t \\ \end{array} \right) dt + \left( \begin{array}{c} r \\ s \\ \end{array} \right) dW^1_t + \left( \begin{array}{c} r \\ s \\ \end{array} \right) dW^2_t,
\]

that is with drift components \(a^1(t, x_1, x_2) = x_2, a^2(t, x_1, x_2) = x_1\) and the constant diffusion coefficient vectors

\[
b^1 = \left( \begin{array}{c} b^{1,1} \\ b^{1,2} \end{array} \right) = \left( \begin{array}{c} r \\ s \end{array} \right), \quad b^2 = \left( \begin{array}{c} b^{2,1} \\ b^{2,2} \end{array} \right) = \left( \begin{array}{c} s \\ r \end{array} \right),
\]

where \(r\) and \(s\) are constants.
The resulting order 1.5 strong Taylor scheme scheme is

\[
\begin{pmatrix}
Y_{n+1}^1 \\
Y_{n+1}^2
\end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} Y_n^1 \\ Y_n^2 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} Y_n^1 \\ Y_n^2 \end{pmatrix} \Delta_n + \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} Y_n^2 \\ Y_n^1 \end{pmatrix} (\Delta_n)^2 + \begin{pmatrix} r \\ s \end{pmatrix} \Delta W_n^1 \\
+ \begin{pmatrix} s \\ r \end{pmatrix} \Delta W_n^2 + \begin{pmatrix} s \\ r \end{pmatrix} I_{(1,0)}; n + \begin{pmatrix} r \\ s \end{pmatrix} I_{(2,0); n},
\]

SEE ALSO: stochastic, stochastic[L0], stochastic[LJ], stochastic[Euler], stochastic[Milstein], stochastic[Taylor2].

### 6.4 2nd order stochastic Taylor scheme

We now consider the \( N \)-dimensional Stratonovich SDE with an \( M \)-dimensional Wiener process

\[
dX_t = a(t, X_t) \, dt + \sum_{j=1}^{M} b^j(t, X_t) \circ dW^j_t
\]

for which the \( k \)-th component of the order 2.0 strong Taylor scheme is given by

\[
Y_{n+1}^k = Y_n^k + a^k \Delta + \frac{1}{2} L^0 a^k \Delta^2
\]

\[
+ \sum_{j=1}^{m} \left( b^{k,j} \Delta W^j + L^0 b^{k,j} J_{(0,j)} + L^j b^k J_{(j,0)} \right)
\]

\[
+ \sum_{j_1, j_2=1}^{m} \left( L^{j_1} b^{k,j_2} J_{(j_1, j_2)} + L^0 L^{j_1} b^k J_{(0,j_1, j_2)} + L^{j_1} L^0 b^k J_{(j_1, 0, j_2)} + L^{j_1} L^j b^k J_{(j_1, j_2, 0)} \right)
\]

\[
+ \sum_{j_1, j_2, j_3=1}^{m} L^{j_1} L^{j_2} b^{k,j_3} J_{(j_1, j_2, j_3)}
\]

\[
+ \sum_{j_1, j_2, j_3, j_4=1}^{m} L^{j_1} L^{j_2} L^{j_3} b^{k,j_4} J_{(j_1, j_2, j_3, j_4)}.
\]
The $J_{[j_1,j_2]}$ and $J_{[j_1,j_2,j_3]}$ expressions here denote the corresponding double and triple Stratonovich integrals with respect to the given Wiener process.

The routine **stochastic[Taylor2]** constructs the stochastic Taylor scheme of strong order 2.0 Taylor scheme for the Stratonovich SDE (6.7). Its CALLING SEQUENCE is

```
stochastic[Taylor2][[a1,..aN],[[b11,..,b1M],[[bN1,..,bNM]]];
```

with PARAMETERS

- $a_1,...,a_N$ - algebraics, given in the variables $x[N]$ and $t$.
- $[b11,..,b1M],...,[bN1,..,bNM]$ - lists of algebraics, given in variables $x[N]$ and $t$.

represent the drift and the diffusion coefficient vectors of the Stratonovich SDE (6.7).

The call **Taylor2** returns the strong order 2.0 stochastic Taylor approximation for the $N$-dimensional Stratonovich SDE (6.7) with $M$-dimensional noise which has drift coefficients $a_1,...,a_N$ and diffusion coefficient vectors $[b11,..,b1M],...,[bN1,..,bNM]$.

The output consists of the variables $YN[n]$, $DeltaWM[n]$, $Delta[n]$, $J[(j_1,j_2)]$, $J[(j_1,j_2,j_3)]$, and $J[(j_1,j_2,j_3,j_4)]$. Here $YN[n]$ denotes the strong order 2.0 stochastic Taylor approximation to $x[N]$ at the $n$-th step, $DeltaWM[n]$ denotes the increment in the $M$-dimensional Wiener process at the $n$-th step, $Delta[n]$ denotes the step size.
at the n-th step, while $J[(j1, j2)], J[(j1, j2, j3)],$ and $J[(j1, j2, j3, j4)]$ denote multiple Stratonovich integrals.

This routine is part of the stochastic package and is usually loaded via the call with(stochastic). It can also be invoked directly via the call stochastic[Taylor2].

**EXAMPLE:** Consider the 2-dimensional Stratonovich SDE driven by a 2-dimensional Wiener process $W_t = (W^1_t, W^2_t)$, given by

$$d \begin{pmatrix} X^1_t \\ X^2_t \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} X^1_t \\ X^2_t \end{pmatrix} dt + \begin{pmatrix} r \\ s \end{pmatrix} dW^1_t + \begin{pmatrix} s \\ r \end{pmatrix} dW^2_t,$$

that is with drift components $\xi^1(t, x_1, x_2) = x_2$, $\xi^2(t, x_1, x_2) = x_1$ and the constant diffusion coefficient vectors

$$b^1 = \begin{pmatrix} b^{1,1} \\ b^{1,2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} r \\ s \end{pmatrix}, \quad b^2 = \begin{pmatrix} b^{2,1} \\ b^{2,2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} s \\ r \end{pmatrix},$$

where $r$ and $s$ are constants.

```r
>Taylor2([x[2], x[1]], [[r, s], [s, r]]);
```

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|   |   | + s Delta W1[n] + r J[1, 0] + r Delta W2[n] + s J[2, 0])

The resulting order 2.0 strong Stratonovich Taylor scheme scheme is

$$\begin{pmatrix} Y^1_{n+1} \\ Y^2_{n+1} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} Y^1_n \\ Y^2_n \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} Y^2_n \\ Y^1_n \end{pmatrix} \Delta n + \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} Y^2_n \\ Y^1_n \end{pmatrix} (\Delta n)^2 + \begin{pmatrix} r \\ s \end{pmatrix} \Delta W^1_n$$

$$+ \begin{pmatrix} s \\ r \end{pmatrix} J[1,0];n + \begin{pmatrix} s \\ r \end{pmatrix} \Delta W^2_n + \begin{pmatrix} r \\ s \end{pmatrix} J[2,0];n,$$

SEE ALSO: stochastic, stochastic[LJ], stochastic[SL0], stochastic[Euler], stochastic[Milstein], stochastic[Taylor1half], stochastic[correct].

### 7 Commutative Noise

We consider a the $N$-dimensional Ito SDE with an $M$-dimensional Wiener process

$$dX_t = a(t, X_t) dt + \sum_{j=1}^{M} b^j(t, X_t) dW^j_t. \quad (7.1)$$
Strongly convergent numerical schemes can be simplified to avoid the need to simulate multiple stochastic integrals when the noise coefficients $b^j, j = 1, \ldots, M$ satisfy certain relationships known as commutative noise.

### 7.1 Commutative noise of 1st kind

The SDE is said to have **commutative noise of the first kind** when the diffusion coefficients satisfy the condition

$$L^{j_1}b^{k,j_2} = L^{j_2}b^{k,j_1}$$

(7.2)

for all $j_1, j_2 = 1, \ldots, M, k = 1, \ldots, N$ and $(t, x) \in \mathbb{R}^+ \times \mathbb{R}^N$.

For instance, additive noise, diagonal noise and linear noise all satisfy this commutativity condition, where diagonal noise means that

$$b^{k,j}(t, x) \equiv 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{\partial b^{j,j}}{\partial x^k}(t, x) \equiv 0$$

and linear noise means that

$$b^{k,j}(t, x) = b^{k,j}(t) x^k$$

for all $j = 1, \ldots, M, k = 1, \ldots, N$ and $(t, x) \in \mathbb{R}^+ \times \mathbb{R}^N$.

The routine **stochastic[comm1]** informs the user if the diffusion matrix of an Ito SDE has commutative noise of the first kind. Its CALLING SEQUENCE

$$\text{comm1}([b_{11}, \ldots, b_{1M}], \ldots, [b_{N1}, \ldots, b_{NM}]);$$

has PARAMETERS

$$[b_{11}, \ldots, b_{1M}], \ldots, [b_{N1}, \ldots, b_{NM}] - \text{lists of algebraics, given in the variables } x[N] \text{ and } t.$$  

which are the diffusion coefficient vectors of the SDE.

**stochastic[comm1]:=proc()**
local L11,L21,k,j1,j2,flag,p;
for p to nargs do
  if type(args[p],list) <> true then
    ERROR(‘Expecting input to be an expression sequence of lists‘) fi
  od;
for k to nargs do
  for j1 to nops(args[1]) do
    for j2 to nops(args[1]) do
      L11 := sum(‘op(j1, args[1])’*diff(‘op(j2, args[k]),x[1]’),
        ‘1’ = 1 .. nargs);
      L21 := sum(‘op(j2, args[1])’*diff(‘op(j1, args[k]),x[1]’),
        ‘1’ = 1 .. nargs);
      if L11 <> L21 then flag := 1 fi
    od
  od
end
if flag /= 1 then
RETURN('Commutative noise of the first kind doesn't exist for this system')
else RETURN('This system exhibits commutative noise of the first kind')
fi;
end:

The call \texttt{comm1}([b_{11},...,b_{1M}],...,[b_{N1},...,b_{NM}]); returns a statement indicating whether or not the SDE with this diffusion coefficient matrix has commutative noise of the first kind (7.2). Here \([b_{11},...,b_{1M}],...,[b_{N1},...,b_{NM}]\) denotes the \(M\ N\)-dimensional diffusion coefficient vectors, where \(N\) is the dimension of the SDE and \(M\) is the dimension of the Wiener process.

This routine is part of the \texttt{stochastic} package and is usually loaded via the call \texttt{with(stochastic)}. It can also be invoked directly via the call \texttt{stochastic[comm1]}

\textbf{EXAMPLE:} Consider a 2-dimensional Ito SDE with the variable diffusion coefficient vectors

\[
 b_1 = \begin{pmatrix} b_{1,1} \\ b_{1,2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad b_2 = \begin{pmatrix} b_{2,1} \\ b_{2,2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ x_1 \end{pmatrix}.
\]

>\texttt{comm1}([1,0],[0,x[1]]);

Commutative noise of the first kind doesn't exist for this system

\textbf{SEE ALSO:} \texttt{stochastic}, \texttt{stochastic[comm2]}

### 7.2 Commutative noise of 2nd kind

Commutative noise of the second kind arises when the noise coefficients satisfy the condition

\[
 L_{j_1}^{j_2} b^{k,j_3} = L_{j_2}^{j_1} b^{k,j_3}
\]

for all \(j_1, j_2, j_3 = 1, \ldots, M, \ k = 1, \ldots, N\) and \((t, x) \in \mathbb{R}^+ \times \mathbb{R}^N\).

The routine \texttt{stochastic[comm2]} informs the user if the diffusion matrix of an Ito SDE has commutative noise of the second kind. Its \texttt{CALLING SEQUENCE}

\[
 \texttt{comm2}([b_{11},...,b_{1M}],...,[b_{N1},...,b_{NM}]);
\]

has \texttt{PARAMETERS}

\([b_{11},...,b_{1M}],...,[b_{N1},...,b_{NM}]\) - lists of algebraics, given in the variables \(x[N]\) and \(t\)

which are the diffusion coefficient vectors of the SDE.
The call \texttt{comm2([b11,...,b1M],...,[bN1,...,bNM])}; returns a statement indicating whether or not the diffusion matrix of the SDE has commutative noise of the second kind (7.3). Here \([b11,...,b1M],...,[bN1,...,bNM]\) denote the \(M \times N\)-dimensional diffusion coefficient vectors, where \(N\) is the dimension of the SDE and \(M\) is the dimension of the Wiener process.

This routine is part of the \texttt{stochastic} package and is usually loaded via the call \texttt{with(stochastic)}. It can also be invoked directly via the call \texttt{stochastic[comm2]}. 

\textbf{EXAMPLE:} Consider an 2-dimensional Ito SDE with the variable diffusion coefficient vectors

\[
\begin{align*}
b^{1} = \begin{pmatrix} b^{1,1} \\ b^{1,2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ (x_2)^2(x_1)^4 \end{pmatrix}, \quad b^{2} = \begin{pmatrix} b^{2,1} \\ b^{2,2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ (x_1)^2 \end{pmatrix}.
\end{align*}
\]

\texttt{>comm2([1,(x[2])^2*(x[1])^4],[0,(x[1])^2]);}

Commutative noise of the second kind doesn't exist for this system

\textbf{SEE ALSO:} stochastic, stochastic[comm1]
8 Weak Numerical Schemes

We consider a the $N$-dimensional Ito SDE with an $M$-dimensional Wiener process

$$dX_t = a(t, X_t) \, dt + \sum_{j=1}^{M} b^j(t, X_t) \, dW^j_t. \quad (8.1)$$

8.1 Weak Euler scheme

The general multi-dimensional case $d, m = 1, 2, \ldots$ the $k$th component of the Euler scheme has the form

$$Y_{n+1}^k = Y_n^k + a^k \Delta + \sum_{j=1}^{M} b^{kj} \Delta W^j, \quad (8.2)$$

with initial value $Y_0 = X_0$, where

$$\Delta = \tau_{n+1} - \tau_n \quad \text{and} \quad \Delta W^j = W^j_{\tau_{n+1}} - W^j_{\tau_n}.$$ 

For weak convergence only the measure induced by the Ito process $X$ needs to be approximated, so the Gaussian increments $\Delta W^j$ in (1.1) can be replaced by simpler random variables $\Delta \hat{W}^j$ with similar moment properties giving a simpler scheme by choosing more easily generated noise increments. This leads to the simplified weak Euler scheme

$$Y_{n+1}^k = Y_n^k + a^k \Delta + \sum_{j=1}^{M} b^{kj} \Delta \hat{W}^j, \quad (8.3)$$

where the $\Delta \hat{W}^j$ for $j = 1, 2, \ldots, m$ must be independent $\mathcal{A}_{\tau_{n+1}}$-measurable random variables with moments satisfying the conditions

$$|E(\Delta \hat{W}^j)| + |E((\Delta \hat{W}^j)^3)| + |E((\Delta \hat{W}^j)^2) - \Delta| \leq K \Delta^2$$

for some constant $K$; see also (5.12.7). A very simple example of such a $\Delta \hat{W}^j$ in (1.2) is a two-point distributed random variable with

$$P(\Delta \hat{W}^j = \pm \sqrt{\Delta}) = \frac{1}{2}.$$ 

The routine stochastic[wkeuler] constructs the stochastic Taylor scheme of weak order 1.0, known as weak Euler schemes. Its CALLING SEQUENCE is

$$\text{wkeuler([a1,..,aN],[[b11,..,b1M],..,[bN1,..,bNM]]);}$$

with PARAMETERS:

- $a1,..,aN$ - algebraics, given in the variables $x[N]$ and $t$.
- $[b11,..,b1M],..,[bN1,..,bNM]$ - lists of algebraics, given in variables $x[N]$ and $t$.

representing the drift and diffusion coefficient vectors of the SDE.
stochastic[wkeuler] := proc(a::list(algebraic), b::list(list(algebraic)))
local u, i, soln;
for i to nops(a) do
    soln[i] := Y[i][n+1] = Y[i][n] + L0(x[i], a, b)*Delta[n] +
        sum('LJ(x[i], b, j)*Delta*Ws[j][n]', 'j' = 1 .. nops(op(1, b)));
    for u to nops(a) do soln[i] := subs(x[u] = Y[u][n], soln[i]) od;
od;
RETURN(eval(soln))
end:

The call wk euler([a1, ..., aN], [[b11, ..., b1M], ..., [bN1, ..., bNM]]); returns the simplified weak Euler scheme for an N-dimensional SDE with M-dimensional noise which has drift coefficients a1, ..., aN and diffusion coefficient vectors [b11, ..., b1M], ..., [bN1, ..., bNM]. The output consists of the variables YN[n], DeltaWsM[n] and Delta[n]. Here YN[n] denotes the 1st order simplified weak approximation to x[N] at the n-th step, DeltaWsM[n] denotes the increment in the M-dimensional noise process at the n-th step (note here that WsM[n] does not need to denote a standard Wiener processes, but can instead be independent random variables as described above) and Delta[n] denotes the step size at the n-th step.

This routine is part of the stochastic package and is usually loaded via the call with(stochastic). It can also be invoked directly via the call stochastic[wk euler].

EXAMPLE: Consider the 2-dimensional SDE driven by a 2-dimensional Wiener process \( W_t = (W^1_t, W^2_t) \), given by
\[
    d \begin{pmatrix} X^1_t \\ X^2_t \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} X^1_t \\ X^2_t \end{pmatrix} dt + \begin{pmatrix} r \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} dW^1_t + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ r \end{pmatrix} dW^2_t,
\]
that is with drift components \( a^1(t, x_1, x_2) = x_1, a^2(t, x_1, x_2) = x_2 \) and the constant diffusion coefficient vectors
\[
    b^1 = \begin{pmatrix} b^{1,1} \\ b^{1,2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} r \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad b^2 = \begin{pmatrix} b^{2,1} \\ b^{2,2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ r \end{pmatrix},
\]
where \( r \) is a constant.

\( \text{> wk euler(}[x[1], x[2]], [[r, 0], [0, r]]) ; \)

\[
    \text{table(} \begin{array}{l}
    1 = (Y[1][n + 1] = Y[1][n] + Y[1][n] \text{ Delta}[n] + r \text{ Delta Ws1}[n]) \\
    2 = (Y[2][n + 1] = Y[2][n] + Y[2][n] \text{ Delta}[n] + r \text{ Delta Ws2}[n])
    \end{array} \text{)}
\]

The resulting simplified weak Euler scheme is
\[
    \begin{pmatrix} Y^1_{n+1} \\ Y^2_{n+1} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} Y^1_n \\ Y^2_n \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} Y^1_n \\ Y^2_n \end{pmatrix} \Delta_n + \begin{pmatrix} r \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Delta W^1_n + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ r \end{pmatrix} \Delta W^2_n.
\]

SEE ALSO: stochastic, stochastic[LO], stochastic[LJ], stochastic[wk tay2].

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8.2 Second order weak Taylor scheme

The $k$th component of the order 2.0 weak Taylor scheme takes the form

$$ Y_{n+1}^k = Y_n^k + a^k \Delta + \frac{1}{2} L^0 a^k \Delta^2 \tag{8.4} $$

$$ + \sum_{j=1}^{m} \left\{ b^{k,j} \Delta W^j + L^0 b^{k,j} I_{(0,j)} + L^j a^k I_{(j,0)} \right\} $$

$$ + \sum_{j_1,j_2=1}^{m} L^{j_1} b^{j_1,j_2} I_{(j_1,j_2)}. $$

Here multiple Ito integrals involving different components of the Wiener process are used. These are generally not easy to generate, so the above scheme is more of theoretical interest than of practical use. However, for weak convergence we can substitute simpler random variables for the multiple Ito integrals to obtain the following simplified order 2.0 weak Taylor scheme with $k$th component

$$ Y_{n+1}^k = Y_n^k + a^k \Delta + \frac{1}{2} L^0 a^k \Delta^2 \tag{8.5} $$

$$ + \sum_{j=1}^{m} \left\{ b^{k,j} + \frac{1}{2} \Delta \left( L^0 b^{k,j} + L^j a^k \right) \right\} \Delta \hat{W}^j $$

$$ + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{j_1,j_2=1}^{m} L^{j_1} b^{j_1,j_2} \left( \Delta \hat{W}^{j_1} \Delta \hat{W}^{j_2} + V_{j_1,j_2} \right). $$

Here the $\Delta \hat{W}^j$ for $j = 1, 2, \ldots, m$ are independent random variables satisfying the moment conditions

$$ \left| E \left( \Delta \hat{W} \right) \right| + \left| E \left( (\Delta \hat{W})^3 \right) \right| + \left| E \left( (\Delta \hat{W})^5 \right) \right| \tag{8.6} $$

$$ + \left| E \left( (\Delta \hat{W})^2 \right) - \Delta \right| + \left| E \left( (\Delta \hat{W})^4 \right) - 3 \Delta^2 \right| \leq K \Delta^3 $$

for some constant $K$ and the $V_{j_1,j_2}$ are independent two-point distributed random variables with

$$ P \left( V_{j_1,j_2} = \pm \Delta \right) = \frac{1}{2} \tag{8.7} $$

for $j_2 = 1, \ldots, j_1 - 1$,

$$ V_{j_1,j_1} = -\Delta \tag{8.8} $$

and

$$ V_{j_1,j_2} = -V_{j_2,j_1} \tag{8.9} $$

for $j_2 = j_1 + 1, \ldots, m$ and $j_1 = 1, \ldots, m$. Here we can use a three-point distributed random variable $\Delta \hat{W}$ with

$$ P \left( \Delta \hat{W} = \pm \sqrt{3} \Delta \right) = \frac{1}{6}, \quad P \left( \Delta \hat{W} = 0 \right) = \frac{2}{3}. \tag{8.10} $$

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The routine \texttt{stochastic[wktay2]} constructs simplified stochastic Taylor schemes of weak order 2.0. Its CALLING SEQUENCE is

\begin{verbatim}
wktay2([a1,..,aN],[[b11,..,b1M],..,[bN1,..,bNM]]);
\end{verbatim}

with PARAMETERS:

\begin{itemize}
\item \(a1,..,aN\) - algebraics, given in the variables \(x[N]\) and \(t\).
\item \([b11,..,b1M],..,[bN1,..,bNM]\) - lists of algebraics, given in variables \(x[N]\) and \(t\).
\end{itemize}

representing the drift and diffusion coefficient vectors of the SDE.

\begin{verbatim}
stochastic[wktay2] :=
proc(a::list(algebraic),b::list(list(algebraic)))
local u,i,soln;;
for i to nops(a) do
  soln[i] := Y.i[n+1] = Y.i[n]+a[i]*Delta[n]+1/2*L0(a[i],a,b)*Delta[n]^2+
  sum('op(j,op(i,b))+1/2*Delta[n]*(L0(op(j,op(i,b)),a,b)+
    LJ(a[i],b[j])))*Delta*Ws.j[n],'j'=1..nops(op(1,b)))+1/2*
  sum('sum('LJ(op(j2,op(i,b)),b,j1)*(Delta^2*Ws.j1[n]*Ws.j2[n]+
    V[j1,j2]),'j1'=1..nops(op(1,b))),
    'j2'=1..nops(op(1,b))));
  for u to nops(a) do soln[i] := subs(x[u] = Y.u[n],soln[i]) od;
od;
RETURN(eval(soln))
end;
\end{verbatim}

The call \texttt{wktay2([a1,..,aN],[[b11,..,b1M],..,[bN1,..,bNM]])}; returns the simplified weak order 2.0 stochastic Taylor scheme for an \(N\)-dimensional SDE with \(M\)-dimensional noise which has drift coefficients \(a1,..,aN\) and diffusion coefficient vectors \([b11,..,b1M],..,[bN1,..,bNM]\).

The output consists of the variables \(YN[n]\), \(DeltaWsM[n]\), \(V[(j1,j2)]\), and \(Delta[n]\). Here \(YN[n]\) denotes the 2nd order simplified weak approximation to \(x[N]\) at the \(n\)-th step, \(DeltaWsM[n]\) denotes the change in the \(M\)-dimensional noise process at the \(n\)-th step (note here that \(WsM[n]\) does not denote standard Wiener processes, but instead are independent random variables described above), \(V[(j1,j2)]\) denotes the independent two-point random variables described above, and \(Delta[n]\) denotes the step size at the \(n\)-th step.

This routine is part of the \texttt{stochastic} package and is usually loaded via the call \texttt{with(stochastic)}. It can also be invoked via the call \texttt{stochastic[wktay2]}.

EXAMPLE: Consider the 2-dimensional SDE driven by a 2-dimensional Wiener process \(W_t = (W^1_t, W^2_t)\), given by

\[
\begin{pmatrix}
  X^1_t \\
  X^2_t
\end{pmatrix}
\begin{pmatrix}
  dt \\
  dW^1_t + \begin{pmatrix}
  0 \\
  r
\end{pmatrix} \ dW^2_t
\end{pmatrix}
\]
that is with drift components \(a^1(t, x_1, x_2) = x_1\), \(a^2(t, x_1, x_2) = x_2\) and the constant diffusion coefficient vectors

\[
b^1 = \begin{pmatrix} b_{1,1}^1 \\ b_{1,2}^1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} r \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad b^2 = \begin{pmatrix} b_{2,1}^2 \\ b_{2,2}^2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ r \end{pmatrix},
\]

where \(r\) is a constant.

\(>\text{wktay2([x[1], x[2]], [[r, 0], [0, r]]);}\)

\[
\text{table}[2]
\]

\[
table[
1 = (Y1[n + 1] = Y1[n] + Y1[n] \Delta n + 1/2 Y1[n] \Delta n + (r + 1/2 \Delta n) r) \Delta Ws1[n])
\]

\[
2 = (Y2[n + 1] = Y2[n] + Y2[n] \Delta n + 1/2 Y2[n] \Delta n + (r + 1/2 \Delta n) r) \Delta Ws2[n])
\]

\]

The resulting weak order 2.0 Taylor scheme is

\[
\begin{pmatrix}
Y_{n+1}^1 \\
Y_{n+1}^2
\end{pmatrix}
= \begin{pmatrix}
Y_n^1 \\
Y_n^2
\end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix}
Y_n^1 \\
Y_n^2
\end{pmatrix} \Delta n + \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix}
Y_n^1 \\
Y_n^2
\end{pmatrix} (\Delta n)^2
+ \begin{pmatrix}
0 \\
r + \frac{1}{2} r \Delta n
\end{pmatrix} \Delta W_{n+1}^1 + \begin{pmatrix}
0 \\
r + \frac{1}{2} r \Delta n
\end{pmatrix} \Delta W_{n+1}^2.
\]

SEE ALSO: stochastic, stochastic[L0], stochastic[LJ], stochastic[wkeuler].

### 8.3 Order 3 weak Taylor scheme

The \(k\)th component of the order 3.0 weak Taylor scheme takes the form

\[
Y_{n+1}^k = Y_n^k + a^k \Delta + \sum_{j=1}^m b^{k,j} \Delta W^j + \sum_{j=0}^m L^j a^k I_{(j,0)}
\]

\[
+ \sum_{j_1=0}^m \sum_{j_2=1}^m L^{j_1} b^{k,j_2} I_{(j_1,j_2)} + \sum_{j_1,j_2=0}^m L^{j_1} L^{j_2} a^k I_{(j_1,j_2,0)}
\]

\[
+ \sum_{j_1,j_2=0}^m \sum_{j_3=1}^m L^{j_1} L^{j_2} b^{k,j_3} I_{(j_1,j_2,j_3)}.
\]

Various simplifications are possible in special cases that avoid the need to generate the multiple stochastic integrals. See Chapter 14.3 of Kloeden and Platen [7].

The routine stochastic[wktay3] constructs stochastic Taylor schemes of weak order 3.0. Its CALLING SEQUENCE is
with PARAMETERS:

\[ a_1, \ldots, a_N - \text{algebraics, given in the variables } x[N] \text{ and } t. \]
\[ [b_{11}, \ldots, b_{1M}], \ldots, [b_{N1}, \ldots, b_{NM}] - \text{lists of algebraics, given in variables } x[N] \text{ and } t. \]

representing the drift and diffusion coefficient vectors of the SDE.

stochastic[wktay3] := proc(a::list(algebraic),b::list(list(algebraic)))
local u,i,soln;
for i to nops(a) do
soln[i] := Y.i[n+1] = Y.i[n]+a[i]*Delta[n]+
sum('op(j,op(i,b))*Delta*W.j[n]', 'j' = 1 .. nops(op(1,b)))+
sum('MLJ(a[i],a,b,j0)*I[j0,j0]', 'j0' = 0 .. nops(1,b)))+
sum('sum('MLJ(op(j2,op(i,b)),a,b,j1)*I[j1,j2,j3]',
'j2' = 1 .. nops(1,b))+
sum('sum('MLJ(a[i],a,b,k2),a,b,k1)*I[k1,k2,0]',
'k1' = 0 .. nops(1,b))+
sum('sum('MLJ(a[i],a,b,m2),a,b,m1)*I[m1,m2,m3]',
'm2' = 1 .. nops(1,b))+
soln[i] := subs(x[u] = Y.u[n],soln[i])
for u to nops(a) od;
RETURN(eval(soln))
end;

SYNOPSIS: The call \texttt{wktay3}([a_1, \ldots, a_N],[b_{11}, \ldots, b_{1M}], \ldots, [b_{N1}, \ldots, b_{NM}]); returns the weak order 3.0 stochastic Taylor scheme for an \(N\)-dimensional SDE with \(M\)-dimensional noise which has drift coefficients \(a_1, \ldots, a_N\) and diffusion coefficient vectors \([b_{11}, \ldots, b_{1M}], \ldots, [b_{N1}, \ldots, b_{NM}]\). The output consists of the variables \(YN[n], DeltaWM[n], I[(j1, j2)], I[(j1, j2, j3)]\) and \(Delta[n]\). Here \(YN[n]\) denotes the 3rd order weak approximation to \(x[N]\) at the \(n\)-th step, \(DeltaWM[n]\) denotes the increment in the \(M\)-dimensional Wiener process at the \(n\)-th step, \(I[(j1, j2)]\) and \(I[(j1, j2, j3)]\) denote multiple Ito integrals described above, and \(Delta[n]\) denotes the step size at the \(n\)-th step.

This routine is part of the \texttt{stochastic} package and is usually loaded via the call \texttt{with(stochastic)}. It can also be invoked directly via the call \texttt{stochastic[wktay3]}. EXAMPLE: Consider the 2-dimensional SDE driven by a 2-dimensional Wiener process \(W_t = (W_t^1, W_t^2)\), given by

\[ d \begin{pmatrix} X_t^1 \\ X_t^2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} X_t^2 \\ X_t^1 \end{pmatrix} dt + \begin{pmatrix} r \\ s \end{pmatrix} dW_t^1 + \begin{pmatrix} s \\ r \end{pmatrix} dW_t^2, \]

that is with drift components \(a^1(t, x_1, x_2) = x_2, a^2(t, x_1, x_2) = x_1\) and the constant
diffusion coefficient vectors

\[
b^1 = \begin{pmatrix} b^{1,1} \\ b^{1,2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} r \\ s \end{pmatrix}, \quad b^2 = \begin{pmatrix} b^{2,1} \\ b^{2,2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} s \\ r \end{pmatrix},
\]

where \( r \) and \( s \) are constants.

```wktay3([x[2],x[1]],[[r,s],[s,r]]);
```

```table(
         + Y1[n] I[0, 0] + s I[1, 0] + r I[2, 0] + Y2[n] I[0, 0, 0]
         + r I[1, 0, 0] + s I[2, 0, 0]),
         + Y2[n] I[0, 0] + r I[1, 0] + s I[2, 0] + Y1[n] I[0, 0, 0]
         + s I[1, 0, 0] + r I[2, 0, 0]),
)
```

The resulting order 3.0 weak Taylor scheme scheme is

\[
\begin{pmatrix} Y_{n+1}^1 \\ Y_{n+1}^2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} Y_n^1 \\ Y_n^2 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} Y_n^1 \\ Y_n^2 \end{pmatrix} \Delta_n + \begin{pmatrix} r \\ s \end{pmatrix} \Delta W^1_n + \begin{pmatrix} s \\ r \end{pmatrix} \Delta W^2_n
+ \begin{pmatrix} Y_n^1 \\ Y_n^2 \end{pmatrix} I_{(0,0);n} + \begin{pmatrix} s \\ r \end{pmatrix} I_{(1,0);n} + \begin{pmatrix} r \\ s \end{pmatrix} I_{(2,0);n}
+ \begin{pmatrix} Y_n^1 \\ Y_n^2 \end{pmatrix} I_{(0,0,0);n} + \begin{pmatrix} s \\ r \end{pmatrix} I_{(1,0,0);n} + \begin{pmatrix} r \\ s \end{pmatrix} I_{(2,0,0);n}
\]

SEE ALSO: stochastic, stochastic[L0], stochastic[MLJ], stochastic[wkeuler], stochastic[wktay2].

9 APPENDIX

9.1 Subprocedures for momenteqn

The following procedures are subprocedures for the calculation or transformation parts of (5.3). For example, the procedure **position** determines the position in the new vector and the procedure **ap** transforms the product \( AP \) in a vector equation.

```position:=proc(N,i,j)
global stelle;
stelle:=sum('N-k+1','k'=1..i-1)+j-i+1;
end:
ap:=proc(A)
```

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local i,j,k,Atmp,N,counter;
global B1;
if type(A,array) then Atmp:=convert(A,listlist);else Atmp:=A; fi;
N:=nops(Atmp);
B1:=array(1..N*(N+1)/2,1..N*(N+1)/2);
for i from 1 to N*(N+1)/2 do
  for j from 1 to N*(N+1)/2 do
    B1[i,j]:=0;
  od;
od;
counter:=0:
for i from 1 to N do
  for j from i to N do
    counter:=counter+1;
    for k from 1 to N do
      if (j<=k) then B1[counter,position(N,j,k)]:=A[i,k];
        else B1[counter,position(N,k,j)]:=A[i,k];
      fi;
    od;
  od;
od;
RETURN(evalm(B1));
end:

pa:=proc(A)
  local i,j,k,Atmp,N,counter;
  global B2;
  if type(A,array) then Atmp:=convert(A,listlist);else Atmp:=A; fi;
  N:=nops(Atmp);
  B2:=array(1..N*(N+1)/2,1..N*(N+1)/2);
  for i from 1 to N*(N+1)/2 do
    for j from 1 to N*(N+1)/2 do
      B2[i,j]:=0;
    od;
  od;
counter:=0:
for i from 1 to N do
  for j from i to N do
    counter:=counter+1;
    for k from 1 to N do
      if (i<=k) then B2[counter,position(N,i,k)]:=A[j,k];
        else B2[counter,position(N,k,i)]:=A[j,k];
      fi;
    od;
  od;
od;
RETURN(evalm(B2));
end:

bpb:=proc(B)
  local i,j,k,1,Btmp,N,counter;
  global B3;
  if type(B,array) then Btmp:=convert(B,listlist);else Btmp:=B; fi;
  N:=nops(Btmp);
  B3:=array(1..N*(N+1)/2,1..N*(N+1)/2);
for i from 1 to N*(N+1)/2 do
   for j from 1 to N*(N+1)/2 do
      B3[i,j]:=0;
   od;
od;
counter:=0:
for i from 1 to N do
   for j from 1 to N do
      counter:=counter+1;
   for l from 1 to N do
      for k from 1 to N do
         if (k<l) then
            B3[counter,position(N,k,l)]:=B3[counter,position(N,k,l)]
            +B[i,k]*B[j,l];
         else
            B3[counter,position(N,l,k)]:=B3[counter,position(N,l,k)]
            +B[i,k]*B[j,l];
         fi;
      od;
   od;
od;
RETURN(evalm(B3));
end:

9.2 The inverse procedure pvect2pmatrix

The procedure pvect2pmatrix is the inverse of the procedure matrix2pvector. It transforms a vector to a symmetric matrix and has the following code:

pvect2pmatrix:=proc(pvector)
   local i,j,k,ptmp,N;
   global p;
   if type(pvector, array) then
      ptmp:=convert(pvector, list);
   else
      ptmp:=pvector;
   fi;
   N:=-1/2+sqrt(1/4+2*nops(ptmp));
   p:=array(1..N,1..N);
   k:=0;
   for i from 1 to N do
      if (i>1) then k:=k+(N-i+2); fi;
      for j from i to N do
         p[i,j]:=ptmp[k+j-i+1];
         if (i<>j) then p[j,i]:=p[i,j]; fi;
      od;
   od;
RETURN(eval(p));
end:

EXAMPLE: Consider the 15-dimensional vector

\[ \tilde{p} = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15]. \]
The result of \texttt{pvector2pmatrix}(\mathbf{\hat{p}}); gives the $5 \times 5$ symmetric matrix $P$.

\[\begin{bmatrix}
1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 \\
2 & 6 & 7 & 8 & 9 \\
3 & 7 & 10 & 11 & 12 \\
4 & 8 & 11 & 13 & 14 \\
5 & 9 & 12 & 14 & 15
\end{bmatrix}.
\]

References


