

# Scaling limits of directed polymers in spatial-correlated environment

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# Directed polymer

- ▶ Directed polymer: a random probability distribution on the path space  $(\mathbb{Z}^d)^{\mathbb{Z}_+}$

$$\mathbb{P}_{n,\beta}^\omega(\mathbf{S}) := \frac{1}{Z_n(\beta, \omega)} e^{\beta \sum_{i=1}^n \omega(i, S_i)} \mathbb{P}(\mathbf{S}), \quad (1.1)$$

- ▶ where  $\beta > 0$  is the inverse temperature,
- ▶  $\mathbf{S} = \{S_n, n \geq 0\}$  is a random walk in  $\mathbb{Z}^d$  on  $((\mathbb{Z}^d)^{\mathbb{Z}_+}, \mathcal{F}^{\mathbf{S}}, \mathbb{P})$ ,
- ▶  $\omega = \{\omega(i, \mathbf{x}), (i, \mathbf{x}) \in \mathbb{Z}_+ \times \mathbb{Z}^d\}$  is an environment which is a family of identically distributed random variables on  $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}^\Omega, \mathbf{P})$ ,
- ▶  $Z_n(\beta, \omega)$  is the point-to-line partition function defined by

$$Z_n(\beta; \omega) := \mathbb{E} \left( e^{\beta \sum_{i=1}^n \omega(i, S_i)} \right). \quad (1.2)$$

- ▶ D. A. Huse, C. L. Henley. Pinning and roughening of domain walls in Ising systems due to random impurities. *Phys. Rev. Lett.* 54(1985), 2708-2711.
- ▶ J. Z. Imbrie, T. Spencer. Diffusion of directed polymers in a random environment. *J. Stat. Phys.* 52(1988), 609-626.
- ▶ F. Comets. *Directed polymers in random environments, Lecture Notes in Mathematics 2175*. Springer, 2017

- ▶ The free energy:

$$\rho_n(\beta) := \frac{1}{n} \log Z_n(\beta; \omega)$$

- ▶ The point-to-point partition function

$$Z_{n,x}(\beta; \omega) := \mathbb{E} \left( e^{\beta \sum_{i=1}^n \omega(i, S_i)} I_{\{S_n=x\}} \right). \quad (1.3)$$

- ▶ The polymer endpoint distribution

$$\mathbb{P}_{n,\beta}^\omega(S_n = x) := \frac{Z_{n,x}(\beta; \omega)}{Z_n(\beta, \omega)}. \quad (1.4)$$

- ▶ To study the behaviors of the the polymer as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , and as  $d$  and  $\beta$  vary.
- ▶ Fluctuation exponents for the polymer endpoint and the free energy:

$$E_{\mathbb{P}_{n,\beta}^\omega}(S_n) \sim n^{2\zeta}, \quad \text{Var}_{\mathbb{P}_{n,\beta}^\omega}(\log Z_n(\beta; \omega)) \sim n^{2\chi},$$

- ▶ **P**-a.s.

$$p(\beta) := \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \log Z_n(\beta; \omega).$$

- ▶ At  $\beta = 0$ , the polymer measure is the simple random walk, the polymer exhibits diffusive behavior. **Weak disorder**
- ▶ For  $\beta$  large, the polymer measure concentrates on paths with high energy. **Strong disorder**

- ▶ Assume that for  $\beta$  sufficiently small,

$$\lambda(\beta) := \log \mathbf{E} e^{\beta \omega(i,x)} < \infty. \quad (1.5)$$

Then

$$\rho(\beta) := \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \log Z_n(\beta; \omega) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \log \mathbf{E} (\log Z_n(\beta; \omega)) < \lambda(\beta).$$

- ▶ The normalized partition function

$$W_n := Z_n(\beta; \omega) \exp\{-n\lambda(\beta)\}, \quad n \geq 1. \quad (1.6)$$

- ▶ **P**-a.s.

$$W_\infty = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} W_n \quad (1.7)$$

exists and either the polymer is

$$\begin{cases} \text{in weak disorder regime,} & \text{i.e., } \mathbf{P}(W_\infty > 0) = 1; \\ \text{or in strong disorder regime,} & \text{i.e., } \mathbf{P}(W_\infty = 0) = 1 \end{cases}$$

- ▶ When  $d = 1$ , all  $\beta > 0$  are in the strong disorder regime.

# The intermediate disorder regime

- ▶ Alberts, Khanin and Quastel (2014) introduced a new disorder regime: **the intermediate disorder regime**.
  - ▶  $d = 1$ , the environment i.i.d.,  $\{S_n\}$  simple symmetric random walk.
  - ▶ The scaled partition function:

$$Z_n(n^{-1/4}\beta; \omega) e^{-n\lambda(n^{-1/4}\beta)} \xrightarrow{(d)} \mathcal{Z}_{\sqrt{2}\beta}$$

- ▶ The scaled point-to-point partition function

$$\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{n}Z_{nt, \sqrt{nx}}(n^{-1/4}\beta; \omega) e^{-n\lambda(n^{-1/4}\beta)} \xrightarrow{(d)} \mathcal{Z}_{\sqrt{2}\beta}(t, x) \text{ in } C([0, 1] \times \mathbb{R}),$$

where  $\mathcal{Z}_{\sqrt{2}\beta} = \int \mathcal{Z}_{\sqrt{2}\beta}(1, x) dx$  and  $u(t, x) := \mathcal{Z}_{\sqrt{2}\beta}(t, x)$  is the mild solution of the stochastic heat equation

$$\begin{cases} \partial_t u = \frac{1}{2}\Delta u + \sqrt{2}\beta u \dot{W}, \\ u(0, x) = \delta_x. \end{cases} \quad (1.8)$$

- ▶ T. Alberts, K. Khanin, and J. Quastel. Intermediate disorder regime for directed polymers in dimension  $1 + 1$ . *Phys. Rev. Lett.*, 105(9)(2010), 090603.
- ▶ T. Alberts, K. Khanin, and J. Quastel. The intermediate disorder regime for directed polymers in dimension  $1 + 1$ . *Ann. Probab.* 42(2014), 1212–1256.

- ▶ The polymer transition probabilities

$$\left\{ (s, y; t, x) \mapsto \frac{\sqrt{n}}{2} \mathbf{P}_{n, \beta n}^\omega (S_{nt} = x\sqrt{n} | S_{ns} = y\sqrt{n}) \right\}$$

$$\xrightarrow{(d)} \frac{\mathcal{Z}_{\sqrt{2}\beta}(s, y; t, x) \int \mathcal{Z}_{\sqrt{2}\beta}(t, x; 1, \lambda) d\lambda}{\mathcal{Z}_{\sqrt{2}\beta}}$$

for  $0 \leq s < t \leq 1$  and  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$ .

- ▶  $\mathcal{Z}_\beta(s, y; t, x)$  is the mild solution of the stochastic heat equation

$$\partial_t \mathcal{Z}_\beta = \frac{1}{2} \partial_{xx} \mathcal{Z}_\beta + \beta \mathcal{Z}_\beta \dot{W}, \quad \mathcal{Z}_\beta(s, y; s, x) = \delta_0(x - y),$$



- ▶ Under the scaling  $\beta_n = \beta n^{-(1/4+\delta)}$  for any  $\delta > 0$  (Supercritical scaling):
  - ▶ the partition function  $e^{-n\lambda(\beta_n)} Z_n^\omega(\beta n^{-(1/4+\delta)})$  converges in probability to 1;
  - ▶ the endpoint density, under diffusive scaling of space, converges to the standard Gaussian distribution.
- ▶ The scalings  $\beta_n := \beta n^{-\alpha}$  for  $0 \leq \alpha < 1/4$  (Subcritical scaling):
  - ▶ The individual terms of the discrete Wiener chaos blow up as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .

# KPZ and Scaling limits

- ▶ Since the logarithm of solution of the stochastic heat equation is the Cole-Hopf solution of Kardar-Parisi-Zhang (KPZ) equation:

$$\partial_t h = \frac{1}{2} \Delta h + \frac{1}{2} (\nabla h)^2 + \sqrt{2} \beta \dot{W}, \quad (1.9)$$

- ▶ Alberts, Khanin and Quastel (2014) have really derived the KPZ equation from the scaling limit of the directed polymer.
  - ▶ These results have been extended to many new models.
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- ▶ J. Quastel, *Introduction to KPZ. Current developments in mathematics*, 2011, Int. Press, Somerville, MA, 2012, 125–194.
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- ▶ Caravenna, Sun and Zygouras (JEMS, 2017) provided a unified framework to study the scaling limits of some statistical mechanics systems.
- ▶ Joseph (SPDEAC, 2018) considered an appropriate scaling limit of a model of discrete space-time stochastic heat equations.

$$\partial_t u = -\nu_\alpha (-\Delta)^{\alpha/2} u + \sigma(u) \dot{W}, \quad (1.10)$$

where  $\sigma$  is Lipschitz continuous.

- ▶ Rang (SPA, 2020) considered time independent and space correlated environment.
- ▶ Furthermore, see Corwin, Nica (EJP, 2017), Clement (Ind. Math, 2019), Shen et. all. (2000) and the references therein.

## Model and assumptions

- ▶ We consider the directed polymer involving random walks attracted to stable laws, and time-independent and space-correlated environment.

$$\mathbb{P}_{n,\beta}^\omega(\mathbf{S}) := \frac{1}{Z_n(\beta, \omega)} e^{\beta \sum_{i=1}^n \omega(i, S_i)} \mathbb{P}(\mathbf{S}),$$

- ▶ **(A.1).** Let the random walk  $\{S_n, n \geq 0\}$  be in the domain of attraction of a stable law of index  $\alpha \in (1, 2]$  with period  $q$ . Define

$$p(n, k) := \mathbb{P}(S_n = k), \quad n \geq 0, k \in \mathbb{Z},$$

and

$$p(nt, kx) := p([nt], [kx]), \quad n \geq 0, k \in \mathbb{Z}, t \in [0, 1], x \in \mathbb{R}$$

- ▶ Let  $g(x)$  be the density of symmetric  $\alpha$ -stable distribution.

$$g(t, x) := \frac{1}{t^{1/\alpha}} g\left(\frac{x}{t^{1/\alpha}}\right), \quad t > 0, x \in \mathbb{R}.$$

- **(A.2).** The environment  $\omega = \{\omega(i, x), (i, x) \in \mathbb{Z}_+ \times \mathbb{Z}^d\}$ :

$$\omega(i, x) = \sum_{-\infty < y < +\infty} a_y \xi(i, x + y), \quad a_y \sim \delta |y|^{-r},$$

where  $1/2 < r < 1, \delta > 0, \{\xi(i, x) : i \in \mathbb{Z}_+, x \in \mathbb{Z}\}$  is a family of independent identical distribution variables with  $\mathbf{E}(\xi(i, x)) = 0, \mathbf{E}(|\xi(i, x)|^2) = 1$ .

$$\mathbf{E} e^{\beta |\xi(i, x)|} < \infty \quad (1.11)$$

for  $\beta$  sufficiently small which implies (1.5).

$$\mathbf{E}(\omega(i, x)\omega(j, y)) = \delta_{ij} \gamma(x - y),$$

where  $\gamma(z) \sim \frac{1}{2q} (|z - q|^{3-2r} + |z + q|^{3-2r} - 2|z|^{3-2r})$  as  $|z| \rightarrow \infty$ .

- G. L. Rang. From directed polymers in spatial-correlated environment to stochastic heat equations driven by fractional noise in 1+1 dimensions. *Stoch. Proce. Appl.* 130(2020), 3408-3444.

## Multiple stochastic integral

- ▶ Let  $K(x) = H(2H - 1)|x|^{2H-2}$ ,  $H = \frac{3}{2} - r$ .
- ▶ A time-white spatial-colored noise with the kernel  $K$ : a mean zero Gaussian process  $\{\mathcal{W}(\phi), \phi \in \mathcal{S}([0, 1] \times \mathbb{R})\}$ ,

$$\text{Cov}(\mathcal{W}(\phi), \mathcal{W}(\psi)) = \int_0^1 \int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \phi(\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{x}) K(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}) \psi(\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{y}) d\mathbf{s} d\mathbf{x} d\mathbf{y}.$$



$$\mathcal{L}_H^k = \left\{ f : ([0, 1] \times \mathbb{R})^k \rightarrow \mathbb{R}; \right.$$

$$\left. \|f\|_{\mathcal{L}_H^k}^2 := \int_{\Delta_k(0,1]} \int_{\mathbb{R}^{2k}} f(\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{x}) \prod_{i=1}^k K(x_i - y_i) f(\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{y}) d\mathbf{t} d\mathbf{x} d\mathbf{y} < \infty \right.$$

where  $\mathbf{t} = (t_1, t_2, \dots, t_k)$ ,  $\mathbf{x} = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_k)$ ,  $\mathbf{y} = (y_1, y_2, \dots, y_k)$ ,  
and

$$\Delta_k(0, t] = \{0 = t_0 < t_1 < t_2 < \dots < t_k < t\}.$$

- ▶ For  $f \in \mathcal{L}_H$ , the stochastic integral  $\mathcal{W}(f)$  with respect to  $\mathcal{W}$  is defined by

$$I_1^{\mathcal{W}}(f) := \mathcal{W}(f) := \sum_{n \geq 1} \langle f, h_n \rangle_{\mathcal{L}_H} \mathcal{W}(h_n).$$



$$I_k^{\mathcal{W}}(f^{\otimes k}) := \int_{([0,1] \times \mathbb{R})^k} f^{\otimes k}(\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{x}) \mathcal{W}^{\otimes k}(\mathbf{d}\mathbf{t}\mathbf{d}\mathbf{x}) := H_k(\mathcal{W}(f)),$$

- ▶  $f \in \mathcal{L}_H^k$ ,

$$I_k^{\mathcal{W}}(f) := \int_{([0,1] \times \mathbb{R})^k} f(\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{x}) \mathcal{W}^{\otimes k}(\mathbf{d}\mathbf{t}\mathbf{d}\mathbf{x}).$$



$$\text{Cov}(I_j^{\mathcal{W}}(f), I_k^{\mathcal{W}}(g)) = \begin{cases} k! \langle f, g \rangle_{\mathcal{L}_H^k} & \text{if } j = k, \quad f, g \in \mathcal{L}_H^k \\ 0 & \text{if } j \neq k. \end{cases}$$

# Stochastic heat equation

- ▶ Consider the following stochastic heat equation:

$$\partial_t u = -\nu_\alpha (-\Delta)^{\alpha/2} u + \sqrt{q}\beta u \dot{W}, \quad (1.12)$$

- ▶ The mild solution with initial data  $u_0 = u(0, x)$  can be written by

$$\begin{aligned} u(t, x) = & \int_{\mathbb{R}} g(t, x - y) u(0, y) dy \\ & + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (\sqrt{q}\beta)^k \int_{\Delta_k(0, t]} \int_{\mathbb{R}^k} g(t - t_k, x - x_k) \\ & \prod_{i=1}^k g(t_i - t_{i-1}, x_i - x_{i-1}) \mathcal{W}(dt_i dx_i), \end{aligned} \quad (1.13)$$

where  $t_0 = 0, x_0 = x$ .



# Main results

## Theorem 2.1

Assume that (A.1) and (A.2) hold. Set  $\beta_n = \beta n^{-\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2\alpha} + \frac{r}{\alpha}}$ . Then the scaled point-to-line partition

$$Z_n(\beta_n; \omega) e^{-n\lambda(\beta_n)} \xrightarrow{(d)} u(1, 0), \quad (2.1)$$

and

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mathbf{E} \left( \left( Z_n(\beta_n; \omega) e^{-n\lambda(\beta_n)} \right)^2 \right) = \mathbf{E} \left( (u(1, 0))^2 \right),$$

where  $u(t, x)$  is the mild solution of (1.12) with initial data  $u_0 = 1$ .

## Theorem 2.2

Let  $\frac{1}{2} < r < \min\{1, \alpha - \frac{1}{2}\}$ . Assume that (A.1) and (A.2) hold. Then the scaled point-to-point partition

$$\frac{1}{q} n^{1/\alpha} Z_{nt, n^{1/\alpha}x}(\beta_n; \omega) e^{-n\lambda(\beta_n)} \xrightarrow{(d)} u(t, x), \quad (2.2)$$

in the sense of the finite dimensional distributions in  $C([0, 1] \times \mathbb{R})$ , and

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mathbf{E} \left( \left( n^{1/\alpha} Z_{nt, n^{1/\alpha}x}(\beta_n; \omega) e^{-n\lambda(\beta_n)} / q \right)^2 \right) = \mathbf{E} \left( (u(t, x))^2 \right),$$

where  $u(t, x)$  is the mild solution of (1.12) with initial data  $u_0(x) = \delta(x)$ .

► Furthermore, if

$$\phi(u) := \mathbb{E} \left( e^{\sqrt{-1}uS_1} \right) = 1 - \nu_\alpha |u|^\alpha + h(u), \quad (2.3)$$

where  $h(u) = o(|u|^\alpha)$  as  $|u| \rightarrow 0$ , then

$$\frac{1}{q} n^{1/\alpha} Z_{nt, n^{1/\alpha}x}(\beta_n; \omega) e^{-n\lambda(\beta_n)} \xrightarrow{(d)} u(t, x), \quad \text{in } C([0, 1] \times \mathbb{R}), \quad (2.4)$$

where the topology is the supremum norm.

- ▶ The polymer transition probabilities

$$\left\{ (s, y; t, x) \mapsto \frac{1}{q} n^{1/\alpha} \mathbf{P}_{n, \beta n}^\omega (S_{nt} = n^{1/\alpha} x | S_{ns} = n^{1/\alpha} y) \right\}$$

$$\xrightarrow{(d)} \frac{\mathcal{Z}_{\sqrt{q}\beta}(s, y; t, x) \int \mathcal{Z}_{\sqrt{q}\beta}(t, x; 1, \lambda) d\lambda}{\mathcal{Z}_{\sqrt{q}\beta}}$$

for  $0 \leq s < t \leq 1$  and  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$ .

- ▶  $\mathcal{Z}_\beta(s, y; t, x)$  is the mild solution of the stochastic heat equation

$$\partial_t \mathcal{Z}_\beta = -\nu_\alpha (-\Delta_x)^{\alpha/2} \mathcal{Z}_\beta + \beta \mathcal{Z}_\beta \dot{W}, \quad \mathcal{Z}_\beta(s, y; s, x) = \delta_0(x - y),$$

- ▶ Foondun Joseph and Li (AAP, 2018) studied the approximation problem of a class of SPDEs, including (1.12), by systems of interacting stochastic differential equations. Our results show that the solution  $u(t, x)$  of (1.12) is the limit of the scaled point-to-point partition function of a directed polymer.

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## Proof of Theorem 2.1

- ▶ Consider the modified point-to-line partition function:

$$\mathfrak{Z}_n(\beta; \omega) = \mathbb{E} \left( \prod_{i=1}^n (1 + \beta \omega(i, \mathbf{S}_i)) \right), \quad (3.1)$$

- ▶ Then

$$\mathfrak{Z}_n(\beta_n; \omega) = 1 + \sum_{k=1}^n \beta_n^k \rho_n^k(\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{x}) \left( \prod_{i=1}^k \omega \left( nt_i, n^{\frac{1}{\alpha}} x_i \right) \right).$$

where

$$\rho_n^k(\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{x}) := \prod_{i=1}^k \rho(n(t_i - t_{i-1}), n^{\frac{1}{\alpha}}(x_i - x_{i-1})), \quad (\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{x}) \in \Delta \mathbb{D}_n^k,$$

$$\Delta \mathbb{D}_n^k := \{(\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{x}) = ((t_1, x_1), \dots, (t_k, x_k)) \in \mathbb{D}_n^k : 0 \leq t_1 < \dots < t_k \leq 1\}$$

$$\mathbb{D}_n := \left\{ \left( \frac{i}{n}, \frac{x}{n^{\frac{1}{\alpha}}} \right) : x \in q\mathbb{Z} + il, 1 \leq i \leq n \right\}$$

► Define

$$\mu(i, \mathbf{x}) = \sum_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \mathbf{a}_y \eta(i, \mathbf{x} + y),$$

where  $\{\eta(i, \mathbf{x}), (i, \mathbf{x}) \in \mathbb{Z}_+ \times \mathbb{R}\}$  is a family of i.i.d. standard Gaussian random variables, and independent of  $\{\xi(i, \mathbf{x}), (i, \mathbf{x}) \in \mathbb{Z}_+ \times \mathbb{R}\}$ .

► Define

$$\mathfrak{Z}_n(\beta_n; \mu) = 1 + \sum_{k=1}^n \beta_n^k g_k(\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{x}) \left( \prod_{i=1}^k \mu \left( nt_i, n^{\frac{1}{\alpha}} \mathbf{x}_i \right) \right).$$

where

$$g_k(\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{x}) := \prod_{i=1}^k g(t_i - t_{i-1}, \mathbf{x}_i - \mathbf{x}_{i-1}) \quad (\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{x}) \in \Delta_k(0, 1] \times \mathbb{R}^k.$$



$$\mathfrak{Z}_n(\beta_n; \omega) \xrightarrow{(d)} 1 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (\beta \sqrt{q})^k \int_{\Delta_k(0,1]} \int_{\mathbb{R}^k} g_k(\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{y}) \prod_{i=1}^k \mathcal{W}(ds_i dy_i).$$



$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mathbf{E} \left( \left( Z_n(\beta_n; \omega) e^{-n\lambda(\beta_n)} - \mathfrak{Z}_n(\beta_n; \omega) \right)^2 \right) = 0.$$

▶ Therefore

$$Z_n(\beta_n; \omega) e^{-n\lambda(\beta_n)} \xrightarrow{(d)} 1 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (\beta \sqrt{q})^k \int_{\Delta_k(0,1]} \int_{\mathbb{R}^k} g_k(\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{y}) \prod_{i=1}^k \mathcal{W}(ds_i dy_i).$$

## Proof of Theorem 2.2

- ▶ Consider the modified point-to-point partition defined by

$$\mathfrak{Z}_{n,x}(\beta; \omega) = \mathbb{E} \left( \prod_{i=1}^n (1 + \beta \omega(i, \mathbf{S}_i)) I_{\{\mathbf{S}_n = x\}} \right).$$

- ▶ Then

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathfrak{Z}_{n,n^{1/\alpha}x}(\beta_n; \omega) \\ &= p(n, n^{1/\alpha}x) \left( 1 + \sum_{k=1}^n \beta_n^k \sum_{(\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{x}) \in \Delta \mathbb{D}_n^k} \psi_{n,x}^k(\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{x}) \prod_{i=1}^k \omega(nt_i, n^{1/\alpha}x_i) \right) \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\psi_{n,x}^k(\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{x}) = \frac{p(n(1-t_k), n^{1/\alpha}(x-x_k))}{p(n, n^{1/\alpha}x)} \prod_{i=1}^k p(n(t_i-t_{i-1}), n^{1/\alpha}(x_i-x_{i-1})).$$



- ▶ Denote by

$$z_n(t, x) := n^{\frac{1}{\alpha}} \mathfrak{Z}_{nt, n^{1/\alpha}x}(\beta_n; \omega), \quad \bar{z}_n(t, x) = \mathcal{P}z_n(t, x)$$

where  $\mathcal{P}$  is the transition probability of  $\{S_n\}$ .

- ▶ Then

$$z_n(t, x) = p_n(t, x) + \beta \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}} p_n(t-s, y-x) \bar{z}_n(s, y) \omega_n(s, y) ds dy. \quad (3.2)$$

where

$$p_n(t, x) = n^{\frac{1}{\alpha}} p([nt], [n^{\frac{1}{\alpha}}x])$$

$$\omega_n(s, y) = n^{\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2\alpha} + \frac{r}{\alpha}} \omega([ns], [n^{\frac{1}{\alpha}}y]).$$






- ▶ Convergence of finite dimensional distributions:  
Proof of Theorem 2.1
- ▶ Tightness:

$$\sup_{t \in [\varepsilon, 1], x \in \mathbb{R}} \mathbf{E} (z_n^{2m}(t, x)) \leq C_m, \quad \sup_{t \in [\varepsilon, 1]} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \mathbf{E} (z_n^{2m}(t, x)) dx \leq C_m$$

- ▶ For all  $t \geq \varepsilon$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{E} (z_n(t+h, x+\delta) - z_n(t, x))^{2m} \\ & \leq C_m \left( h^{\{(1-\frac{1}{\alpha})(2r-1)m\} \wedge \{\frac{m}{\alpha}\}} + \delta^{\{(1-\frac{1}{\alpha})(2r-1)m\} \wedge \{\frac{m}{\alpha}\}} \right). \end{aligned}$$

Choose  $m$  large enough such that  $\{(1-\frac{1}{\alpha})(2r-1)m\} \wedge \{\frac{m}{\alpha}\} > 2$ .

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Thank you!