Numerical schemes for radial Dunkl processes

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Abstract

Let R be a (reduced) root system in \mathbb{R}^d , that is, R is a finite set of nonzero vectors in \mathbb{R}^d such that (R1) $R \cap \{c\alpha ; c \in \mathbb{R}\} = \{\alpha, -\alpha\}$, for any $\alpha \in R$; (R2) $\sigma_{\alpha}(R) = R$ for any $\alpha \in R$. Here σ_{α} is the orthogonal reflection with respect to $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}^d \setminus \{0\}$ defined by

$$\sigma_{\alpha}x = x - \frac{2\langle \alpha, x \rangle}{|\alpha|^2} \alpha = \left(I_d - \frac{2}{|\alpha|^2} \alpha \alpha^{\top}\right) x, \ x \in \mathbb{R}^d$$

For a total ordering $\langle \text{ of } \mathbb{R}^d$, a positive subsystem of the root system R is denoted by R_+ . A sub-group W = W(R) of O(d) is called the Weyl group generated by a root system R, if it is generated by the reflections $\{\sigma_{\alpha} : \alpha \in R\}$, that is, $W = \langle \sigma_{\alpha} | \alpha \in R \rangle$.

The Dunkl operator T_i on \mathbb{R}^d associated with W are introduced by Dunkl [5] and are differentialdifference operators given by

$$T_i f(x) := \frac{\partial f(x)}{\partial x_i} + \sum_{\alpha \in R_+} k \alpha_i \frac{f(x) - f(\sigma_\alpha x)}{\langle \alpha, x \rangle}.$$

Dunkl operators have been widely studied in both mathematics and physics, for example, there operators play a crucial role to the study special functions associated with root systems and the Hamiltonian operators of some Calogero-Moser-Sutherland quantum mechanical systems. Moreover, Rösler [8] studied Dunkl heat equation $(\Delta_k - \partial_t)u$, $u(\cdot, 0) = f \in C_b(\mathbb{R}^d; \mathbb{R})$ where the Dunkl Laplacian defined by $\Delta_k f(x) := \sum_{i=1}^d T_i^2$ and has the following explicit form

$$\Delta_k f(x) = \Delta f(x) + 2 \sum_{\alpha \in R_+} k \left\{ \frac{\langle \nabla f(x), \alpha \rangle}{\langle \alpha, x \rangle} + \frac{f(\sigma_\alpha x) - f(x)}{\langle \alpha, x \rangle^2} \right\}.$$

Rösler and Voit [9] introduced Dunkl processes Y which are càdlàg Markov processes with infinitesimal generator $\Delta_k/2$ and is martingale with the scaling property. On the other hand, a radian Dunkl process $X = (X(t))_{t\geq 0}$ is a continuous Markov process with infinitesimal generator $L_k^W/2$ defined by

$$\frac{L_k^W f(x)}{2} := \frac{\Delta f(x)}{2} + \sum_{\alpha \in R_+} k \frac{\langle \nabla f(x), \alpha \rangle}{\langle \alpha, x \rangle},$$

and is a W-radial part of the Dunkl process Y, that is, for the canonical projection $\pi : \mathbb{R}^d \to \mathbb{R}^d/W$, $X = \pi(Y)$, as identifying the space \mathbb{R}^d/W to the (fundamental) Weyl chamber $\mathbb{W} := \{x \in \mathbb{R}^d \mid x \in \mathbb{R}^d \mid x \in \mathbb{R}^d \mid x \in \mathbb{R}^d \}$

 \mathbb{R}^d ; $\langle \alpha, x \rangle > 0$, $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}_+$ of the root system \mathbb{R} . Schapira [10] and Demini [3] proved that a radial Dunkl process X satisfies the following \mathbb{W} -valued stochastic differential equation (SDE)

$$dX(t) = dB(t) + \sum_{\alpha \in R_+} k \frac{\alpha}{\langle \alpha, X(t) \rangle} dt, \ X(0) = x(0) \in \mathbb{W},$$
(1)

where $B = (B(t))_{t\geq 0}$ is a *d*-dimensional standard Brownian motion. For example, if $R := \{\pm 1\}$ then X is a Bessel process, and for a type A_{d-1} root system, that is, $R := \{e_i - e_j \in \mathbb{R}^d ; i \neq j\} \subset \{x \in \mathbb{R}^d; \sum_{i=1}^d x_i = 0\}$, then X is a Dyson's Brownian motion.

In this talk, inspired by [1, 4, 6, 7], we introduce a W-valuded numerical scheme for a class of radial Dunkl processes (1) corresponding to arbitrary (reduced) root systems. It is worth noting that the numerical scheme can be implemented on a computer. We also study its rate of convergence in L^p -norm. The key idea of the proof is to use the change of measure based on Girsanov theorem for radial Dunkl processes, which was proved in [2] for general radial Dunkl processes, and [11] for the Bessel case.

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