# Supplementary Material to "Model selection for the robust efficient signal processing observed with small Lévy noise". \*

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This supplementary document contains Appendix in which we prove all technical results.

### 1 Appendix

#### A.1 Proof of Proposition 3

We use here the same method as in Konev and Pergamenshchikov (2009). First, note that from the definitions (19) and (35) we obtain

$$\widehat{\tau}_{j,\varepsilon} = \tau_j + \varepsilon \, \eta_j \,, \tag{A.1}$$

where

$$\tau_j = \int_0^1 S(t) \operatorname{Tr}_j(t) \mathrm{d}t \quad \text{and} \quad \eta_j = \int_0^1 \operatorname{Tr}_j(t) \, \mathrm{d}\check{\xi}_t \,.$$

So, we have

$$\widehat{\varkappa}_{\varepsilon} = \sum_{j=[1/\varepsilon]+1}^{n} \tau_{j}^{2} + 2\varepsilon \,\check{M}_{\varepsilon} + \varepsilon^{2} \sum_{j=[1/\varepsilon]+1}^{n} \eta_{j}^{2} \,, \tag{A.2}$$

where  $\check{M}_{\varepsilon} = \sum_{j=[1/\varepsilon]+1}^{n} \tau_{j} \eta_{j}$ . Note that for the continuously differentiable functions (see, for example, Lemma A.6 in Konev and Pergamenshchikov (2009a))

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the Fourier coefficients  $(\tau_j)$  for any  $n \ge 1$  satisfy the following inequality

$$\sum_{j=[1/\varepsilon]+1}^{\infty} \tau_j^2 \le 4\varepsilon \left( \int_0^1 |\dot{S}(t)| \mathrm{d}t \right)^2 \le 4\varepsilon \|\dot{S}\|^2 \,. \tag{A.3}$$

We recall, that  $\dot{S}$  is the derivative of S. To estimate the term  $\check{M}_{\varepsilon}$  note, that it can be represented as

$$\check{M}_{\varepsilon} = \check{I}_1 \left( \sum_{j=[1/\varepsilon]+1}^n \tau_j \operatorname{Tr}_j \right) \,.$$

Therefore, using the last equality in (19) and orthonormality of the functions  $(\text{Tr}_j)_{j\geq 1}$ , we obtain that

$$\mathbf{E}_{Q}\,\check{M}_{\varepsilon}^{2} = \check{\varkappa}_{Q}\,\sum_{j=[1/\varepsilon]+1}^{n}\,\tau_{j}^{2} \leq 4\varepsilon\,\varkappa_{Q}\|\dot{S}\|^{2}\,.$$

Moreover, taking into account that for  $j \ge 2$  the expectation  $\mathbf{E} \eta_j^2 = \check{\varkappa}_Q$  we can represent the last term in (A.2) as

$$\varepsilon^2 \sum_{j=[1/\varepsilon]+1}^n \eta_j^2 = \check{\varkappa}_Q(\varepsilon^2 n - \varepsilon^2[1/\varepsilon]) + \varepsilon B_{2,\varepsilon}(x') \,,$$

where  $x' = (x'_j)_{1 \le j \le n}$  with  $x'_j = \varepsilon \mathbf{1}_{\{1/\varepsilon < j \le n\}}$  and the function  $B_{2,\varepsilon}(x')$  is defined in (20). We remind that  $n = [1/\varepsilon^2]$  and that for the trigonometric basis (14) the upper bound  $\phi^* = \sqrt{2}$ . Therefore, in view of Proposition 2 and the definition of  $\overline{a}$  in (27) we obtain that

$$\mathbf{E}_{Q} \left| \varepsilon^{2} \sum_{j=[\sqrt{1/\varepsilon}]+1}^{n} \eta_{j}^{2} - \check{\varkappa}_{Q} \right| \leq \varepsilon \left( 2 \varkappa_{Q} + \sqrt{U_{Q}} + 4\sqrt{\varkappa_{Q}} \right) \,.$$

So, we obtain the bound (36). Hence Proposition 3.  $\Box$ 

#### A.2 Property of Lemma 1

In vue of the definition of  $\operatorname{Err}_{\varepsilon}(\lambda)$  and the equation (19) one has

$$\operatorname{Err}_{\varepsilon}(\lambda) = \sum_{j=1}^{n} \left( (\lambda(j) - 1)\theta_{j} + \varepsilon\lambda(j)\overline{\xi}_{j} \right)^{2} + \sum_{j=n+1}^{\infty} \theta_{j}^{2}$$
$$\geq 2\varepsilon \sum_{j=1}^{n} (\lambda(j) - 1)\theta_{j}\lambda(j)\overline{\xi}_{j} + \varepsilon^{2} \sum_{j=1}^{n} \lambda^{2}(j)\overline{\xi}_{j}^{2}.$$

Moreover, using here the definition (20) we obtain

$$\mathbf{E}_{Q}\operatorname{Err}_{\varepsilon}(\lambda) \geq \varepsilon^{2} \sum_{j=1}^{n} \lambda^{2}(j) \mathbf{E}_{Q} \,\overline{\xi}_{j}^{2} = P_{\varepsilon}(\lambda) - \varepsilon^{2} B_{1,\varepsilon}(\lambda^{2}) \,,$$

where  $\lambda^2 = (\lambda^2(j))_{1 \le j \le n}$ . Now, Proposition 1 implies Lemma 1.  $\Box$ 

#### A.3 Proof of Proposition 4

First of all note that, the density (59) on the process  $\xi$  is bounded with respect to  $\theta_j\in\mathbb{R}$  and for any  $1\leq j\leq d$ 

$$\limsup_{|\theta_j| \to \infty} f(\xi, \theta) = 0. \quad \text{a.s.}$$

Now, we set

$$\widetilde{\Phi}_j = \widetilde{\Phi}_j(x,\theta) = \frac{\partial \left(f(x,\theta) \Phi(\theta)\right) / \partial \theta_j}{f(x,\theta) \Phi(\theta)} \, .$$

Taking into account the condition (60) and integrating by parts yield

$$\begin{split} \widetilde{\mathbf{E}} \left( ((\widehat{g} - g(\theta)) \widetilde{\Phi}_j) &= \int_{\mathcal{X} \times \mathbb{R}^d} \left( (\widehat{g}(x) - g(\theta)) \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_j} \left( f(x, \theta) \Phi(\theta) \right) \mathrm{d}\theta \, \mathbf{P}_{\xi}(\mathrm{d}x) \right. \\ &= \int_{\mathcal{X} \times \mathbb{R}^{d-1}} \left( \int_{\mathbb{R}} g_j'(\theta) \, f(x, \theta) \Phi(\theta) \mathrm{d}\theta_j \right) \left( \prod_{i \neq j} \mathrm{d}\theta_i \right) \, \mathbf{P}_{\xi}(\mathrm{d}x) = \lambda_j \, . \end{split}$$

Now by the Bouniakovskii-Cauchy-Schwarz inequality we obtain the following lower bound for the quadratic risk

$$\widetilde{\mathbf{E}}((\widehat{g} - g(\theta))^2 \ge \frac{\Lambda_j^2}{\widetilde{\mathbf{E}}\widetilde{\Phi}_j^2}.$$

To study the denominator in the left hand of this inequality note that in view of the representation (59)

$$\frac{1}{f(y,\theta)}\frac{\partial f(y,\theta)}{\partial \theta_j} = \frac{1}{\varrho_1} \, \int_0^1 \, \phi_j(t) \, \mathrm{d} w_t \, .$$

Therefore, for each  $\theta \in \mathbb{R}^d$ ,

$$\mathbf{E}_{\theta} \frac{1}{f(y,\theta)} \frac{\partial f(y,\theta)}{\partial \theta_j} = 0$$

and

$$\mathbf{E}_{\theta} \left( \frac{1}{f(y,\theta)} \frac{\partial f(y,\theta)}{\partial \theta_j} \right)^2 = \frac{1}{\varrho_1^2} \int_0^1 \phi_j^2(t) \mathrm{d}t = \frac{1}{\varrho_1^2} \|\phi_j\|^2.$$

Taking into account that

$$\widetilde{\Phi}_j = \frac{1}{f(x,\theta)} \frac{\partial f(x,\theta)}{\partial \theta_j} + \frac{1}{\Phi(\theta)} \frac{\partial \Phi(\theta))}{\partial \theta_j} \,,$$

we get

$$\widetilde{\mathbf{E}}\widetilde{\Phi}_j^2 = \frac{1}{\varrho_1^2} \, \|\phi_j\|^2 + \, I_j \, .$$

Hence Proposition 4.  $\Box$ 

# A.4 The absolute continuity of distributions for the Lévy processes.

In this section we study the absolute continuity for the the Lévy processes defined as

$$dy_t = S(t)dt + d\xi_t, \quad 0 \le t \le T,$$
(A.4)

where  $S(\cdot)$  is any arbitrary nonrandom square integrated function, i.e. from  $\mathbf{L}_2[0,T]$  and  $(\xi_t)_{0 \le t \le T}$  is the Lévy process of the form (7) with nonzero constants  $\varrho_1$  and  $\varrho_2$ . We denote by  $\mathbf{P}_y$  and  $\mathbf{P}_{\xi}$  the distributions of the processes  $(y_t)_{0 \le t \le 1}$  and  $(\xi_t)_{0 \le t \le 1}$  on the Skorokhod space  $\mathbf{D}[0,T]$ . Now for any  $0 \le t \le T$  and  $(x_t)_{0 < t < T}$  from  $\mathbf{D}[0,T]$  we set

$$\Upsilon_t(x) = \exp\left\{\int_0^t \frac{S(u)}{\varrho_1^2} \,\mathrm{d}x_u^c - \int_0^t \frac{S^2(u)}{2\varrho_1^2} \,\mathrm{d}u\right\}\,,\tag{A.5}$$

where  $x^c$  is the continuous part of the process x defined in (59). Now we study the measures  $\mathbf{P}_y$  and  $\mathbf{P}_{\xi}$  in  $\mathbf{D}[0,T]$ .

**Proposition A.1.** For any T > 0 the measure  $\mathbf{P}_y \ll \mathbf{P}_{\xi}$  in  $\mathbf{D}[0,T]$  and the Radon-Nikodym derivative is

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}\mathbf{P}_y}{\mathrm{d}\mathbf{P}_\xi}(\xi) = \Upsilon_T(\xi) \,.$$

**Proof.** Note that to show this proposition it suffices to check that for any  $0 = t_0 < \ldots < t_n = T$  any  $b_j \in \mathbb{R}$  for  $1 \le j \le n$ 

$$\mathbf{E} \exp\left\{i\sum_{l=1}^{n} b_{j}(y_{t_{j}} - y_{t_{j-1}})\right\} = \mathbf{E} \exp\left\{i\sum_{l=1}^{n} b_{j}(\xi_{t_{j}} - \xi_{t_{j-1}})\right\} \Upsilon_{T}(\xi).$$

taking into account that the processes  $(y_t)_{0 \le t \le T}$  and  $(\xi_t)_{0 \le t \le T}$  have the independent homogeneous increments, to this end one needs to check only that for any  $b \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $0 \le s < t \le T$ 

$$\mathbf{E} \exp\left\{i b(y_t - y_s)\right\} = \mathbf{E} \exp\left\{i b(\xi_t - \xi_s)\right\} \frac{\Upsilon_t(\xi)}{\Upsilon_s(\xi)}.$$
 (A.6)

To check this equality note that the process

$$\Upsilon_t(\xi) = \exp\left\{\int_0^t \frac{S(u)}{\varrho_1} \,\mathrm{d} w_u - \int_0^t \frac{S^2(u)}{2\varrho_1^2} \,\mathrm{d} u\right\}$$

is the gaussian martingale. From here we directly obtain the squation (A.6). Hence Proposition A.1.  $\hfill\square$ 

#### A.5 Proof of the limit equality (94)

First, setting  $\zeta_{\varepsilon} = \sum_{j=1}^d \, \kappa_j^2 \, a_j,$  we obtain that

$$\left\{S_{\kappa}\notin W_{k,\mathbf{r}}\right\}=\left\{\zeta_{\varepsilon}>\mathbf{r}\right\}\,.$$

Moreover, note that one can check directly that

$$\lim_{\varepsilon \to 0} \mathbf{E} \zeta_{\varepsilon} = \lim_{\varepsilon \to 0} \frac{1}{v_{\varepsilon}} \sum_{j=1}^{d} s_{j}^{*} a_{j} = \check{\mathbf{r}} = (1 - \check{\gamma})\mathbf{r}.$$

So, for sufficiently small  $\varepsilon$  we obtain that

$$\left\{S_{\kappa}\notin W_{k,r}\right\}\subset\left\{\widetilde{\zeta}_{\varepsilon}>\mathbf{r}_{1}\right\}\,,$$

where  $\mathbf{r}_1 = \mathbf{r}\tilde{\gamma}/2$ ,  $\tilde{\zeta}_{\varepsilon} = \zeta_{\varepsilon} - \mathbf{E} \zeta_{\varepsilon} = v_{\varepsilon}^{-1} \sum_{j=1}^d s_j^* a_j \tilde{\eta}_j$  and  $\tilde{\eta}_j = \eta_j^2 - 1$  Through the correlation inequality (see, Proposition A.1 in Galthouk and Pergamenshchikov (2013)) we can get that for any  $p \geq 2$ 

$$\mathbf{E}\,\widetilde{\zeta}^p_{\varepsilon} \le (2p)^{p/2}\mathbf{E}|\widetilde{\eta}_1|^p \, v_{\varepsilon}^{-p} \, \left(\sum_{j=1}^d (s_j^*)^2 a_j^2\right)^{p/2} = \mathcal{O}(\, v_{\varepsilon}^{-\frac{p}{4k+2}})\,,$$

as  $\varepsilon \to 0$ . Therefore, for any  $\iota > 0$  using the Chebychev inequality for  $p > (4k+2)\iota$  we obtain that

$$v_{\varepsilon}^{\iota}\mathbf{P}(\widetilde{\zeta}_{\varepsilon}>\mathbf{r}_{1})\rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as} \quad \varepsilon\rightarrow 0\,.$$

Hence the equality (94).  $\Box$ 

#### A.6 Proof of Proposition 5

Substituting (19) and taking into account the definition (95) one gets

$$\|\check{S} - S\|^2 = \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} (1 - \check{\lambda}(j))^2 \theta_j^2 - 2\check{M}_{\varepsilon} + \varepsilon^2 \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \check{\lambda}^2(j) \check{\xi}_j^2,$$

where  $\check{M}_{\varepsilon} = \varepsilon \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} (1 - \check{\lambda}(j)) \check{\lambda}(j) \theta_j \overline{\xi}_j$ . Note now that for any  $Q \in \mathcal{Q}_{\varepsilon}^*$  the expectation  $\mathbf{E}_{Q,S} \check{M}_{\varepsilon} = 0$  and, in view of the upper bound (9),

$$\sup_{Q \in \mathcal{Q}_{\varepsilon}^{*}} \mathbf{E}_{Q,S} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \check{\lambda}^{2}(j) \,\overline{\xi}_{j}^{2} \leq \varsigma^{*} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \check{\lambda}^{2}(j) \,.$$

Therefore,

$$\mathcal{R}^*_{\varepsilon}(\check{S},S) \leq \sum_{j=\check{j}_*}^{\infty} (1-\check{\lambda}(j))^2 \theta_j^2 + \frac{1}{\upsilon_{\varepsilon}} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \check{\lambda}^2(j), \qquad (A.7)$$

where  $\check{j}_* = j_*(\check{\alpha})$ . Setting

$$\mathbf{u}_{\varepsilon} = v_{\varepsilon}^{2k/(2k+1)} \sup_{j \geq \check{j}_*} (1 - \check{\lambda}(j))^2 / a_j \,,$$

we obtain that for each  $S \in W^k_r$ 

$$\Upsilon_{1,\varepsilon}(S) = v_{\varepsilon}^{2k/(2k+1)} \sum_{j=\tilde{\iota}}^{\infty} (1-\check{\lambda}(j))^2 \, \theta_j^2 \leq \mathbf{u}_{\varepsilon} \sum_{j=\tilde{\iota}}^{\infty} a_j \, \theta_j^2 \leq \mathbf{u}_{\varepsilon} \, r \, .$$

Taking into account that  $\check{r} \to r$ , we obtain that

$$\limsup_{\varepsilon \to 0} \sup_{S \in W_r^k} \Upsilon_{1,\varepsilon}(S) \le \frac{r^{1/(2k+1)}}{\pi^{2k} (\mathbf{d}_k)^{2k/(2k+1)}} := \Upsilon_1^*.$$

To estimate the last term in the right hand of (A.7), we set

$$\Upsilon_{2,\varepsilon} = \; \frac{1}{\upsilon_{\varepsilon}^{1/(2k+1)}} \sum_{j=1}^n \,\check{\lambda}^2(j) \,.$$

It is easy to check that

$$\limsup_{\varepsilon \to 0} \,\Upsilon_{2,\varepsilon} \leq \frac{2(r\mathrm{d}_k)^{1/(2k+1)}\,k^2}{(k+1)(2k+1)} := \Upsilon_2^*\,.$$

Therefore, taking into account that by the definition of the Pinsker constant in (53) the sum  $\Upsilon_1^* + \Upsilon_2^* = l_*(\mathbf{r})$ , we arrive at the inequality

$$\lim_{\varepsilon \to 0} v_{\varepsilon}^{2k/(2k+1)} \sup_{S \in W_{\varepsilon}^{k}} \mathcal{R}_{\varepsilon}^{*}(\check{S}, S) \leq l_{*}(\mathbf{r}) \,.$$

Hence Proposition 5.  $\Box$ 

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