

Construction of a solution of random transport equation with boundary condition

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§ 0. Introduction.

Concerning the analysis of wave propagation in random media, S. Ogawa [7] introduced a new type of partial differential equation of first order with a random coefficient:

$$(0.1) \quad \begin{aligned} & \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}(t, x; \omega) + \{\dot{B}_t(\omega) + b(t, x)\} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(t, x; \omega) \\ & = c(t, x)u(t, x; \omega) + d(t, x), \\ & (t, x) \in [0, T] \times R^1, \quad T < \infty, \end{aligned}$$

where $\dot{B}_t(\omega)$ is the white noise. He constructed a solution of Cauchy problem of equation (0.1) with given initial data

$$(0.2) \quad u(0, x; \omega) = \phi(x).$$

His main tools are a stochastic integral which he defined and the concept of the differentiation $\frac{\partial X_t}{\partial B_t}$ of a stochastic process X_t with respect to the Brownian motion B_t .

Here, in this paper, we consider a natural extension of his equation:

$$(0.3) \quad \begin{aligned} & \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}(t, x; \omega) + \sum_{i,j=1}^d \{a_{ij}(t, x)\dot{B}_t^j(\omega) + b_i(t, x)\} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x_i}(t, x; \omega) \\ & = c(t, x)u(t, x; \omega) + d(t, x), \\ & (t, x) \in [0, T] \times G, \end{aligned}$$

with initial data (0.2) and boundary conditions at ∂G , where G is a given region in R^d ($d \geq 1$) and $\dot{B}_t(\omega) = \{\dot{B}_t^j(\omega)\}_{j=1}^d$ is the d -dimensional white noise. More precisely, we construct a solution of the equation (0.3) for