

146. Average Powers of Gaussian White Noise

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§ 1. Introduction and Theorem.

The purpose of this note is to prove a limit theorem of the average powers of the gaussian white noise, which is a generalization of the Brownian oscillation due to P. Lévy [3; § 41].

P. Lévy developed extensively Gâteaux's constructive study of the gaussian white noise in his book [2]. In his original idea the choice of the complete orthonormal system $\{\xi_n\}$ in the real Hilbert space $L^2[0, 1]$ plays important roles, however there seems to be no other result depending on the choice of the system $\{\xi_n\}$. Our theorem stated below does depend on the choice of the system $\{\xi_n\}$.

Now, we shall introduce the measure of gaussian white noise. Let E be a nuclear subspace of the real Hilbert space $L^2[0, 1]$ which is dense in the space $L^2[0, 1]$ and satisfies the relation

$$E \subset L^2[0, 1] \subset E^*,$$

where E^* stands for the dual space of E . For the characteristic functional

$$C(\xi) = \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} \|\xi\|^2\right),$$

$\|\xi\|$ being the $L^2[0, 1]$ -norm of $\xi \in E$, there corresponds a probability measure μ on E^* such that,

$$C(\xi) = \int_{E^*} e^{i(x, \xi)} \mu(dx),$$

where (x, ξ) , $x \in E^*$, $\xi \in E$ is the canonical bilinear form which links the spaces E and E^* . We call μ the measure of gaussian white noise (see T. Hida [1]).

Next we define the average powers $\{\rho_N(x); x \in E^*\}_{N=1}^\infty$ for a complete orthonormal system $\{\xi_n\}_{n=1}^\infty$ in $L^2[0, 1]$ as follows;

$$\rho_N(x) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N (x, \xi \cdot \xi_n^2),$$

where ξ is a bounded measurable function on the interval $[0, 1]$.

The system $\{\xi_n\}_{n=1}^\infty$ is called *weakly equally dense*, if it satisfies

$$\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^1 \eta(u) \left(\frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N \xi_n^2(u) - 1 \right) du = 0,$$

for any bounded measurable function η on $[0, 1]$.

Theorem. *Let $\{\xi_n\}_{n=1}^\infty$ be a complete orthonormal system. Then*