



# Stein normal approximation for multidimensional Poisson random measures by third cumulant expansions

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**Abstract.** We derive normal approximation bounds by the Stein method for stochastic integrals with respect to a Poisson random measure over  $\mathbb{R}^d$ ,  $d \geq 2$ . This approach relies on third cumulant Edgeworth-type expansions based on derivation operators defined by the Malliavin calculus for Poisson random measures. The use of third cumulants can exhibit faster convergence rates than the standard Berry-Esseen rate for some sequences of Poisson stochastic integrals.

## 1. Introduction

Normal approximation bounds for stochastic integrals with respect to a Poisson random measure have been obtained by the Stein method in [Peccati et al. \(2010\)](#), using finite difference operators on the Poisson space. Recent results in this direction include the proof of a fourth moment theorem (see [Döbler and Peccati, 2018](#) and [Döbler et al., 2018](#)), as an extension of the result of [Nualart and Peccati \(2005\)](#) to the setting of Poisson point processes.

In this paper we derive related bounds for compensated Poisson stochastic integrals  $\delta(u) := \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} u_x(\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx))$  of processes  $(u_x)_{x \in \mathbb{R}^d}$  with compact support in  $\mathbb{R}^d$ , with respect to a Poisson random measure  $\gamma(dx)$  with intensity the Lebesgue measure  $\lambda(dx)$  on  $\mathbb{R}^d$ ,  $d \geq 2$ . In contrast with [Peccati et al. \(2010\)](#), our approach is based on derivation operators and Edgeworth-type expansions that involve the

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third cumulant of Poisson stochastic integrals, and can result into faster convergence rates, see e.g. (1.5) below.

Edgeworth-type expansions have been obtained on the Wiener space in [Nourdin and Peccati \(2009a\)](#), [Campese \(2013\)](#), by a construction of cumulant operators based on the inverse  $L^{-1}$  of the Ornstein-Uhlenbeck operator, extending the results of [Nourdin and Peccati \(2009b\)](#) on Stein approximation and Berry-Esseen bounds.

In Proposition 4.1 we derive Edgeworth-type expansions of the form

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}[\delta(u)g(\delta(u))] &= \mathbb{E}[\|u\|_{L^2(\mathbb{R}^d)}^2 g'(\delta(u))] \\ &+ \sum_{k=2}^n \mathbb{E}\left[g^{(k)}(\delta(u))\Gamma_{k+1}^u \mathbf{1}\right] + \mathbb{E}\left[g^{(n+1)}(\delta(u))R_n^u\right] \end{aligned} \tag{1.1}$$

when the random field  $(u_x)_{x \in \mathbb{R}^d}$  is predictable with respect to a given total order on  $\mathbb{R}^d$ , where  $\Gamma_k^u$  is a cumulant-type operator and  $R_n^u$  is a remainder term, defined using the derivation operators of the Malliavin calculus on the Poisson space. In comparison with the results of [Peccati et al. \(2010\)](#), our bounds apply to a different stochastic integral representation of random variables, and they allow for random integrands  $(u_x)_{x \in \mathbb{R}^d}$ . In particular, this allows us to deal with random variables  $\delta(u)$  having infinite chaos expansions.

Based on (1.1), in Corollary 5.1 we deduce Stein approximation bounds of the form

$$\begin{aligned} d_W(\delta(u), \mathcal{N}) &\leq |1 - \text{Var}[\delta(u)]| + \sqrt{\text{Var}[\|u\|_{L^2(\mathbb{R}^d)}^2]} \\ &+ \mathbb{E}\left[\left|\int_{\mathbb{R}^d} u_x^3 \lambda(dx) + \left\langle u, D \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} u_x^2 \lambda(dx) \right\rangle_{L^2(\mathbb{R}^d)}\right|\right] + \mathbb{E}[\|R_1^u\|], \end{aligned}$$

where  $D$  is a gradient operator acting on Poisson functionals, and  $\mathcal{N} \simeq \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$  is a standard Gaussian random variable, see also Proposition 5.1. Here,

$$d_W(F, G) := \sup_{h \in \mathcal{L}} |\mathbb{E}[h(F)] - \mathbb{E}[h(G)]|$$

is the Wasserstein distance between the laws of two random variables  $F$  and  $G$ , where  $\mathcal{L}$  denotes the class of 1-Lipschitz functions on  $\mathbb{R}$ .

In particular, when  $f$  is a differentiable deterministic function on the closed centered ball  $B(R) := B(0; R)$  in  $\mathbb{R}^d$  with radius  $R > 0$ , vanishing on the sphere  $S(0; R) := \{x \in \mathbb{R}^d : |x| = R\}$ , we obtain bounds of the form

$$\begin{aligned} d_W\left(\int_{\mathbb{R}^d} f(x)(\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx)), \mathcal{N}\right) &\leq |1 - \|f\|_{L^2(\mathbb{R}^d)}^2| + \left|\int_{\mathbb{R}^d} f^3(x) \lambda(dx)\right| \\ &+ 8(K_d v_d R)^2 \|f\|_{L^2(\mathbb{R}^d)} \|\nabla^{\mathbb{R}^d} f\|_{L^\infty(\mathbb{R}^d; \mathbb{R}^d)}^2, \end{aligned} \tag{1.2}$$

where  $v_d$  denotes the volume of the unit ball in  $\mathbb{R}^d$  and  $K_d > 0$  is a constant depending only on  $d \geq 2$ . The bound (1.2) can be compared to the classical Stein bound

$$d_W\left(\int_{\mathbb{R}^d} f(x)(\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx)), \mathcal{N}\right) \leq |1 - \|f\|_{L^2(\mathbb{R}^d)}^2| + \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |f^3(x)| \lambda(dx), \tag{1.3}$$

for compensated Poisson stochastic integrals, see Corollary 3.4 of [Peccati et al. \(2010\)](#), which involves the  $L^3(\mathbb{R}^d)$  norm of  $f$  instead of third cumulant  $\kappa_3^f = \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} f^3(x) \lambda(dx)$  of  $\int_{\mathbb{R}^d} f(x)(\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx))$ , and relies on the use of finite difference operators, see Theorem 3.1 of [Peccati et al. \(2010\)](#) and § 4.2 of [Bourguin and Peccati \(2016\)](#).

For example when  $f_k$ ,  $k \geq 1$ , is a radial function given on  $B(k^{1/d}R)$  by

$$f_k(x) := \frac{1}{C\sqrt{k}} g\left(\frac{|x|_{\mathbb{R}^d}}{k^{1/d}}\right), \quad x \in B(k^{1/d}R),$$

where  $g \in \mathcal{C}^1([0, R])$  is continuously differentiable on  $[0, R]$  with  $g(R) = 0$ , and

$$C^2 := \int_0^R g^2(r)r^{d-1}dr < \infty,$$

so that  $\|f_k\|_{L^2(B(k^{1/d}R))} = 1$ , the bound (1.3) yields the standard Berry-Esseen convergence rate

$$d_W \left( \int_{B(k^{1/d}R)} f_k(x)(\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx)), \mathcal{N} \right) \leq \frac{v_d}{C^3\sqrt{k}} \int_0^R |g(r)|^3 r^{d-1} dr, \quad k \geq 1, \quad (1.4)$$

as  $k$  tends to infinity. While (1.2) does not improve on (1.3) when the function  $f$  has constant sign, if  $g$  satisfies the condition

$$\int_0^R g^3(r)r^{d-1}dr = 0,$$

then the third cumulant bound (1.2) yields the  $O(1/k)$  convergence rate

$$d_W \left( \int_{B(k^{1/d}R)} f_k(x)(\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx)), \mathcal{N} \right) \leq \frac{2(2K_d v_d R)^2 d}{k C^2} \|g'\|_\infty^2, \quad k \geq 1, \quad (1.5)$$

which improves on the standard Berry-Esseen rate, see Section 5 for more examples.

In Sections 2 and 3 we recall some background material on the Malliavin calculus and differential geometry on the Poisson space, by revisiting the approach of [Prat and Privault \(1999\)](#), [Privault \(2001\)](#) using the recent constructions of [Acosta and Durán \(2017\)](#) and references therein on the solution of the divergence problem. In Section 4 we derive Edgeworth-type expansions for the compensated Poisson stochastic integral  $\delta(u)$ , based on a family of cumulant operators that are associated to the random field  $(u_x)_{x \in \mathbb{R}^d}$ . In Section 5 we obtain Stein-type approximation bounds for stochastic integrals using deterministic examples of integrands.

The  $d$ -dimensional setting of this paper requires  $d \geq 2$  and a bounded domain in  $\mathbb{R}^d$  in order to construct a gradient operator  $D$  for Poisson functionals by kernel inversion of the divergence operator on  $\mathbb{R}^d$  using results of [Acosta and Durán \(2017\)](#) and references therein. Consequently it does not cover the case  $d = 1$  of the standard Poisson process on the half line  $\mathbb{R}_+$ , which requires a significantly different treatment, see [Privault \(2018+\)](#). In particular, the one-dimensional case is technically easier as it does not require Laplace inversion for the construction

of the gradient operator  $D$ , while stronger conditions on the integrands  $f$  in Poisson stochastic integrals have to be imposed in the case  $d \geq 2$  through the norm  $\|\nabla^{\mathbb{R}^d} f\|_{L^\infty(\mathbb{R}^d; \mathbb{R}^d)}$ .

*Preliminaries.* Let  $d \geq 2$  and  $0 < R < R' := 2R$ . We let  $C_0^\infty(B(R'))$  denote the space of  $C^\infty$  functions on  $B(R')$  which vanish on the sphere  $S(0; R') = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^d : |x| = R'\}$ . Given  $\eta \in C_0^\infty(B(R'))$  such that  $\int_{B(R)} \eta(x) dx = 1$ , we recall the existence of a  $C^\infty$  kernel function  $G_\eta : B(R') \times B(R') \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^d$  defined as

$$G_\eta(x, y) := \int_0^1 \frac{(x - y)}{s} \eta\left(y + \frac{x - y}{s}\right) \frac{ds}{s^d}, \quad x, y \in B(R'),$$

see [Acosta and Durán \(2017\)](#), and satisfying the following properties:

- i) The kernel  $G_\eta(x, y)$  satisfies the bound

$$|G_\eta(x, y)|_{\mathbb{R}^d} \leq \frac{K_d}{|x - y|_{\mathbb{R}^d}^{d-1}}, \quad x, y \in B(R'), \tag{1.6}$$

for a constant  $K_d > 0$  depending only on  $d$ , see Lemma 2.1 of [Acosta and Durán \(2017\)](#), by choosing  $K_d$  and the function  $\eta \in C_c^\infty(B(R'))$  therein so that  $\|\eta\|_\infty \leq (d - 1)K_d(R')^{-d}$ .

- ii) For any  $p > 1$  and  $g \in L^p(B(R'))$  the function

$$f(x) := \int_{B(R')} G_\eta(x, y) g(y) \lambda(dy), \quad x \in B(R'),$$

satisfies the bound

$$\|f\|_{L^p(B(R'); \mathbb{R}^d)} \leq K_d v_d R' \|g\|_{L^p(B(R'))}, \quad p > 1, \tag{1.7}$$

which follows from Young’s inequality and (1.6), cf. Theorem 2.4 in [Acosta and Durán \(2017\)](#).

- iii) For any  $h \in C_0^\infty(B(R'))$  we have the relation

$$h(y) - \int_{B(R') \setminus B(R)} h(x) \eta(x) \lambda(dx) = \int_{B(R')} \langle G_\eta(x, y), \nabla_x^{\mathbb{R}^d} h(x) \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^d} \lambda(dx), \quad y \in B(R'), \tag{1.8}$$

cf. Lemma 2.2 in [Acosta and Durán \(2017\)](#), by taking  $\eta \in C_c^\infty(B(R') \setminus B(R))$ .

In particular, when  $h \in C_0^\infty(B(R))$  we have

$$h(y) = \int_{B(R')} \langle G_\eta(x, y), \nabla_x^{\mathbb{R}^d} h(x) \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^d} \lambda(dx), \quad y \in B(R'). \tag{1.9}$$

An extension of the framework of this paper, by replacing  $B(R)$  with a compact  $d$ -dimensional Riemannian manifold  $M$  and  $\lambda(dx)$  with the volume element of  $M$ , would require the Laplacian  $\mathcal{L} = \text{div}^M \nabla^M$  to be invertible on  $C_c^\infty(M)$  with

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}u(x) = \int_M g(x, y) u(y) \lambda(dy), \quad x \in M, \quad u \in C_c^\infty(M),$$

where  $g(x, y)$  is the heat kernel on  $M$ . In this case we can define  $G_\eta(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^d$  as

$$G_\eta(x, y) = \nabla_x^M g(x, y), \quad \lambda \otimes \lambda(dx, dy) - a.e.,$$

with the relation

$$\nabla_x^M \mathcal{L}^{-1}u(x) = \int_M u(y) G_\eta(x, y) \lambda(dy) \in T_x M, \quad x \in M, \quad u \in C_c^\infty(M),$$

from which the divergence inversion relation (1.9) holds by duality.

## 2. Gradient, divergence and covariance derivative

There exists different notions of gradient and divergence operators for functionals of Poisson random measures. The operators of [Albeverio et al. \(1998\)](#), [Privault and Torrisi \(2011\)](#), [Clausel et al. \(2016\)](#), and their associated integration by parts formula rely on an  $\mathbb{R}^d$ -valued gradient for random functionals and a divergence operator which is associated to the non-compensated Poisson stochastic integral of the divergence of  $\mathbb{R}^d$ -valued random fields. This particularity, together with a lack of a suitable commutation relation between gradient and divergence operators on Poisson functionals, makes this framework difficult to use for a direct analysis of Poisson stochastic integrals, while it has found applications to statistical estimation and sensitivity analysis, see [Clausel et al. \(2016\)](#), [Privault and Torrisi \(2011\)](#).

In this paper we use the construction of [Prat and Privault \(1999\)](#), [Privault \(2001\)](#) which relies on real-valued tangent processes and on a divergence operator that directly extends the compensated Poisson stochastic integral. This framework also allows for simple commutation relations between gradient and divergence operators using the deterministic inner product in  $L^2(\mathbb{R}^d, \lambda)$ , see [Proposition 2.3](#), and it naturally involves the Poisson cumulants, see [Definition 3.1](#) and [Relation \(3.6\)](#).

*Gradient operator.* In the sequel we consider a Poisson random measure  $\gamma(dx)$  on  $B(R)$ , constructed on a probability space  $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, P)$ , and we let  $\{X_1, \dots, X_n\}$  denote the configuration points of  $\gamma(dx)$  when  $B(R)$  contains  $n$  points in the configuration  $\gamma$ , i.e. when  $\gamma(B(R)) = n$ .

**Definition 2.1.** Given  $A$  a closed subset of  $B(R')$ , we let  $\mathcal{S}_A$  denote the set of random functionals  $F_A$  of the form

$$F_A = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathbf{1}_{\{\gamma(B(R))=n\}} f_n(X_1, \dots, X_n), \quad (2.1)$$

where  $f_0 \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $(f_n)_{n \geq 1}$  is a sequence of functions satisfying the following conditions:

- for all  $n \geq 1$ ,  $f_n \in \mathcal{C}_c^\infty(A^n)$  is a symmetric function in  $n$  variables,
- for all  $n \geq 1$  and  $i = 1, \dots, n$  we have the continuity condition

$$f_n(x_1, \dots, x_n) = f_{n-1}(x_1, \dots, x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}, \dots, x_n), \quad (2.2)$$

for all  $x_1, \dots, x_n \in B(R')$  such that  $|x_i|_{\mathbb{R}^d} \geq R$ .

We also let  $\mathcal{S}$  denote the union of the sets  $\mathcal{S}_A$  over the closed subsets  $A$  of  $B(R')$ .

The gradient operator  $D$  is defined on random functionals  $F \in \mathcal{S}$  of the form (2.1) as

$$D_y F := \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathbf{1}_{\{\gamma(B(R))=n\}} \sum_{i=1}^n \langle \mathbf{G}_\eta(X_i, y), \nabla_{x_i}^{\mathbb{R}^d} f(X_1, \dots, X_n) \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^d}, \quad (2.3)$$

$y \in B(R)$ . For any  $F \in \mathcal{S}$ , by (1.6) we have  $DF \in L^1(\Omega \times B(R))$  from the bound

$$\mathbb{E} \left[ \int_{B(R)} |D_x F| \lambda(dx) \right] \leq \| \nabla^{\mathbb{R}^d} f \|_{\mathbb{R}^d} \mathbb{E} \left[ \int_{B(R)} \int_{B(R)} |\mathbf{G}_\eta(x, y)|_{\mathbb{R}^d} \gamma(dx) \lambda(dy) \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \| |\nabla^{\mathbb{R}^d} f|_{\mathbb{R}^d} \|_{\infty} \int_{B(R)} \int_{B(R)} |\mathbf{G}_{\eta}(x, y)|_{\mathbb{R}^d} \lambda(dx) \lambda(dy) \\
 &= K_d \| |\nabla^{\mathbb{R}^d} f|_{\mathbb{R}^d} \|_{\infty} \int_{B(R)} \int_{B(R)} \frac{1}{|x - y|_{\mathbb{R}^d}^{d-1}} \lambda(dx) \lambda(dy) \\
 &\leq K_d v_d^2 R' R^d \| |\nabla^{\mathbb{R}^d} f|_{\mathbb{R}^d} \|_{\infty} \\
 &< \infty.
 \end{aligned}$$

*Poisson-Skorohod integral.* We let  $\mathcal{U}_0$  denote the space of simple random fields of the form

$$u = \sum_{i=1}^n g_i G_i, \quad n \geq 1, \tag{2.4}$$

with  $G_i \in \mathcal{S}_{A_i}$  and  $g_i \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(B(R))$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, n$ .

**Definition 2.2.** We define the Poisson-Skorohod integral  $\delta(u)$  of  $u \in \mathcal{U}_0$  of the form (2.4) as

$$\delta(u) := \sum_{i=1}^n \left( G_i \int_{B(R)} g_i(x) (\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx)) - \langle g_i, DG_i \rangle_{L^2(B(R))} \right). \tag{2.5}$$

In particular, for  $h \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(B(R))$  we have

$$\delta(h) = \int_{B(R)} h(x) (\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx)).$$

The proof of the next proposition, cf. Proposition 8.5.1 in [Prat and Privault \(1999\)](#) and Proposition 5.1 in [Privault \(2001\)](#), is given in the appendix.

*Proposition 2.1.* The operators  $D$  and  $\delta$  satisfy the duality relation

$$\mathbb{E}[\langle u, DF \rangle_{L^2(B(R))}] = \mathbb{E}[F \delta(u)], \quad F \in \mathcal{S}, \quad u \in \mathcal{U}_0. \tag{2.6}$$

As a consequence of Proposition 2.1 and the denseness of  $\mathcal{S}$  in  $L^1(\Omega)$  and that of  $\mathcal{U}_0$  in  $L^1(\Omega \times B(R))$ , the gradient operator  $D$  is closable in the sense that if  $(F_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{S}$  tends to zero in  $L^2(\Omega)$  and  $(DF_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$  converges to  $U$  in  $L^1(\Omega \times B(R))$ , then  $U = 0$  a.e.. Similarly, the divergence operator  $\delta$  is closable in the sense that if  $(u_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathcal{U}_0$  tends to zero in  $L^2(\Omega \times B(R))$  and  $(\delta(u_n))_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$  converges to  $G$  in  $L^1(\Omega)$ , then  $G = 0$  a.s..

The gradient operator  $D$  defines the Sobolev space  $\mathbb{D}^{1,1}$  with the Sobolev norm

$$\|F\|_{\mathbb{D}^{1,1}} := \|F\|_{L^2(\Omega)} + \|DF\|_{L^1(\Omega \times B(R))}, \quad F \in \mathcal{S}.$$

In the sequel we fix a total order  $\preceq$  on  $B(R)$  and consider the space  $\mathcal{P}_0 \subset \mathcal{U}_0$  of simple predictable random field of the form

$$u := \sum_{i=1}^n g_i F_i, \tag{2.7}$$

such that the supports of  $g_1, \dots, g_n$  satisfy

$$\text{Supp}(g_i) \preceq \dots \preceq \text{Supp}(g_n) \quad \text{and} \quad F_i \in \mathcal{S}_{A_i},$$

where  $\text{Supp}(g_1) \cup \dots \cup \text{Supp}(g_{i-1}) \subset A_i \subset B(R)$  and  $A_i \preceq \text{Supp}(g_i)$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, n$ .

Such random fields are predictable in the sense of e.g. § 5 of Last (2016) and references therein.

We will also assume that the order  $\preceq$  is compatible with the kernel  $G_\eta$  in the sense that

$$G_\eta(x, y) = 0 \quad \text{for all } x, y \in B(R) \text{ such that } x \preceq y. \quad (2.8)$$

Under the compatibility condition (2.8) we have in particular

$$D_y F = 0, \quad y \in B(R), \quad A \preceq y, \quad F \in \mathcal{S}_A.$$

Moreover, if  $u \in \mathcal{P}_0$  is a predictable random field of the form (2.7) we note that by (2.3) and the compatibility condition (2.8) we have

$$D_y F_i = 0, \quad A_i \preceq y, \quad i = 1, \dots, n,$$

hence

$$D_y u_x = 0, \quad x \preceq y, \quad x, y \in B(R). \quad (2.9)$$

*Example.* The order  $\preceq$  defined by

$$x = (x^{(1)}, \dots, x^{(d)}) \preceq y = (y^{(1)}, \dots, y^{(d)}) \iff x^{(1)} \leq y^{(1)} \quad (2.10)$$

is compatible with the kernel  $G_\eta$  provided that the support of  $\eta$  is contained in

$$\{x = (x^{(1)}, \dots, x^{(d)}) \in B(R') \setminus B(R) : x^{(1)} > R\}.$$

The proof of the next Proposition 2.2 is given in the appendix.

*Proposition 2.2.* The Poisson-Skorohod integral of  $u = (u_x)_{x \in B(R)}$  in the space  $\mathcal{P}_0$  of simple predictable random fields satisfies the relation

$$\delta(u) = \int_{B(R)} u_x (\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx)), \quad (2.11)$$

which extends to the closure of  $\mathcal{P}_0$  in  $L^2(\Omega \times B(R))$  by density and the isometry relation

$$\mathbb{E}[\delta(u)^2] = \mathbb{E} \left[ \int_{B(R)} u_x^2 \lambda(dx) \right], \quad u \in \mathcal{P}_0. \quad (2.12)$$

*Covariant derivative.* In addition to the gradient operator  $D$ , we will also need the following notion of covariant derivative operator  $\tilde{\nabla}$  defined on stochastic processes that are viewed as tangent processes on the Poisson space  $\Omega$ , see Privault (2001).

**Definition 2.3.** Let the operator  $\tilde{\nabla}$  be defined on  $u \in \mathcal{P}_0$  as

$$\tilde{\nabla}_y u_x := D_y u_x + \langle G_\eta(x, y), \nabla_x^{\mathbb{R}^d} u_x \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^d}, \quad x, y \in B(R).$$

We note that from the compatibility condition (2.8) and Relation (2.9) we also have

$$\tilde{\nabla}_y u_x = 0, \quad x \preceq y, \quad x, y \in B(R). \quad (2.13)$$

From the bound

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathbb{E} \left[ \int_{B(R) \times B(R)} |\tilde{\nabla}_x u_y| \lambda(dx) \lambda(dy) \right] \\ & \leq \|Du\|_{L^1(\Omega \times B(R) \times B(R))} + \mathbb{E} \left[ \int_{B(R) \times B(R)} |\langle G_\eta(x, y), \nabla_x^{\mathbb{R}^d} u_x \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^d}| \lambda(dx) \lambda(dy) \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\leq \|Du\|_{L^1(\Omega \times B(R) \times B(R))} + K_d \mathbb{E} \left[ \int_{B(R) \times B(R)} \frac{1}{|x - y|_{\mathbb{R}^d}^{d-1}} |\nabla^{\mathbb{R}^d} u_x|_{\mathbb{R}^d} \lambda(dx) \lambda(dy) \right] \\ &\leq \|Du\|_{L^1(\Omega \times B(R) \times B(R))} + K_d v_d R' \mathbb{E} \left[ \int_{B(R)} |\nabla_x^{\mathbb{R}^d} u_x|_{\mathbb{R}^d} \lambda(dx) \right] \\ &= \|Du\|_{L^1(\Omega \times B(R) \times B(R))} + K_d v_d R' \|\nabla^{\mathbb{R}^d} u\|_{L^1(\Omega \times B(R); \mathbb{R}^d)}, \end{aligned}$$

we check that  $\tilde{\nabla}$  extends to the Sobolev space  $\tilde{\mathbb{D}}_0^{1,1}$  of *predictable* random fields defined as the completion of  $\mathcal{P}_0$  under the Sobolev norm

$$\|u\|_{\tilde{\mathbb{D}}^{1,1}} := \|u\|_{L^2(\Omega, W_0^{1,1}(B(R)))} + \|Du\|_{L^1(\Omega \times B(R) \times B(R))}, \quad u \in \mathcal{P}_0,$$

where  $W_0^{1,p}(B(R))$  is the first order Sobolev space completion of  $\mathcal{C}_0^\infty(B(R))$  under the norm

$$\|f\|_{W^{1,p}(B(R))} := \|f\|_{L^p(B(R))} + \|\nabla^{\mathbb{R}^d} f\|_{L^p(B(R); \mathbb{R}^d)}, \quad p \geq 1.$$

*Commutation relation.* In the sequel, we denote by  $\tilde{\mathbb{D}}_0^{1,\infty}$  the set of predictable random fields  $u$  in  $\tilde{\mathbb{D}}_0^{1,1}$  that are bounded together with their covariant derivative  $\tilde{\nabla}u$ .

*Proposition 2.3.* For  $u \in \tilde{\mathbb{D}}_0^{1,\infty}$  a predictable random field, we have the commutation relation

$$D_y \delta(u) = u(y) + \delta(\tilde{\nabla}_y u), \quad y \in B(R). \tag{2.14}$$

*Proof.* Taking  $h \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(B(R))$ , we have  $\delta(h) \in \mathcal{S}$  and

$$\begin{aligned} D_y \delta(h) &= D_y \int_{B(R)} h(y) (\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx)) \\ &= \int_{B(R)} \langle \mathbf{G}_\eta(x, y), \nabla_x^{\mathbb{R}^d} h(x) \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^d} \gamma(dx) \\ &= \int_{B(R)} \langle \mathbf{G}_\eta(x, y), \nabla_x^{\mathbb{R}^d} h(x) \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^d} \lambda(dx) + \delta(\tilde{\nabla}_y h) \\ &= h(y) + \delta(\tilde{\nabla}_y h), \quad y \in B(R), \end{aligned}$$

where we applied (1.9). Next, taking  $u = hF \in \mathcal{P}_0$  a simple predictable random field, we check that  $\delta(u) \in \mathcal{S}$ , and by (2.5) or (6.3) we have

$$\begin{aligned} D_y \delta(Fh) &= D_y (F\delta(h) - \langle h, DF \rangle_{L^2(B(R))}) \\ &= D_y (F\delta(h)) \\ &= \delta(h) D_y F + F D_y \delta(h) \\ &= \delta(h) D_y F + F(h(y) + \delta(\tilde{\nabla}_y h)) \\ &= Fh(y) + \delta(h D_y F + F \tilde{\nabla}_y h) \\ &= Fh(y) + \delta(\tilde{\nabla}_y (Fh)) \\ &= u_y + \delta(\tilde{\nabla}_y u), \quad y \in B(R). \end{aligned}$$

We conclude by the denseness of  $\mathcal{P}_0$  in  $\tilde{\mathbb{D}}_0^{1,1}$  and by the closability of the operators  $\tilde{\nabla}$ ,  $D$  and  $\delta$ . □



### 3. Cumulant operators

In the sequel, given  $h$  in the standard Sobolev space  $W^{1,p}(B(R))$  on  $B(R)$  and  $f \in L^q(B(R))$  with  $1 = p^{-1} + q^{-1}$ ,  $p, q \in [1, \infty]$ , we define

$$(\tilde{\nabla}h)f_x := \int_{B(R)} f(y) \tilde{\nabla}_y h(x) \lambda(dy) = \int_{B(R)} f(y) \langle \mathbf{G}_\eta(x, y), \nabla_x^{\mathbb{R}^d} h(x) \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^d} \lambda(dy), \quad (3.1)$$

$x \in B(R)$ . More generally, given  $k \geq 1$  and  $u \in \tilde{\mathbb{D}}_0^{1,1}$  a predictable random field, we let the operator  $(\tilde{\nabla}u)^k$  be defined in the sense of matrix powers with continuous indices, as

$$(\tilde{\nabla}u)^k f_y = \int_{B(R)} \cdots \int_{B(R)} (\tilde{\nabla}_{x_k} u_y \tilde{\nabla}_{x_{k-1}} u_{x_k} \cdots \tilde{\nabla}_{x_1} u_{x_2}) f_{x_1} \lambda(dx_1) \cdots \lambda(dx_k),$$

$y \in B(R)$ ,  $f \in L^2(B(R))$ .

*Proposition 3.1.* For any  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $p > 1$ ,  $r \in [0, 1]$ ,  $h \in W^{1,p/(1-r)^{n-1}/r}(B(R))$  and  $f \in L^{p/(1-r)^n}(B(R))$  we have the bound

$$\|(\tilde{\nabla}h)^n f\|_{L^p(B(R))} \leq (K_d v_d R')^n \|f\|_{L^{p/(1-r)^n}(B(R))} \prod_{j=1}^n \|\nabla^{\mathbb{R}^d} h\|_{L^{p/(1-r)^{j-1}/r}(B(R); \mathbb{R}^d)}. \quad (3.2)$$

*Proof.* For  $n = 1$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|(\tilde{\nabla}h)f\|_{L^p(B(R))}^p &= \int_{B(R)} \left| \int_{B(R)} f(y) \tilde{\nabla}_y h(x) \lambda(dy) \right|^p \lambda(dx) \\ &= \int_{B(R)} \left| \int_{B(R)} f(y) \langle \mathbf{G}_\eta(x, y), \nabla_x^{\mathbb{R}^d} h(x) \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^d} \lambda(dy) \right|^p \lambda(dx) \\ &= \int_{B(R)} \left| \left\langle \int_{B(R)} f(y) \mathbf{G}_\eta(x, y) \lambda(dy), \nabla_x^{\mathbb{R}^d} h(x) \right\rangle_{\mathbb{R}^d} \right|^p \lambda(dx) \\ &\leq \int_{B(R)} \left| \int_{B(R)} f(y) \mathbf{G}_\eta(x, y) \lambda(dy) \right|_{\mathbb{R}^d}^p |\nabla_x^{\mathbb{R}^d} h(x)|_{\mathbb{R}^d}^p \lambda(dx) \\ &= \left( \int_{B(R)} \left| \int_{B(R)} f(y) \mathbf{G}_\eta(x, y) \lambda(dy) \right|_{\mathbb{R}^d}^{p/(1-r)} \lambda(dx) \right)^{1-r} \left( \int_{B(R)} |\nabla_x^{\mathbb{R}^d} h(x)|_{\mathbb{R}^d}^{p/r} \lambda(dx) \right)^r \\ &\leq (K_d v_d R')^p \|f\|_{L^{p/(1-r)}(B(R))}^p \|\nabla^{\mathbb{R}^d} h\|_{L^{p/r}(B(R); \mathbb{R}^d)}^p, \end{aligned} \quad (3.3)$$

where we used the bound (1.7). Next, assuming that (3.2) holds at the rank  $n \geq 1$  and using (3.3), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|(\tilde{\nabla}h)^{n+1} f\|_{L^p(B(R))} &= \|(\tilde{\nabla}h)^n (\tilde{\nabla}h)f\|_{L^p(B(R))} \\ &\leq (K_d v_d R')^n \|(\tilde{\nabla}h)f\|_{L^{p/(1-r)^n}(B(R))} \prod_{j=1}^n \|\nabla^{\mathbb{R}^d} h\|_{L^{p/(1-r)^{j-1}/r}(B(R); \mathbb{R}^d)} \\ &\leq (K_d v_d R')^{n+1} \|f\|_{L^{p/(1-r)^{n+1}}(B(R))} \prod_{j=1}^{n+1} \|\nabla^{\mathbb{R}^d} h\|_{L^{p/(1-r)^{j-1}/r}(B(R); \mathbb{R}^d)}, \end{aligned}$$

and we conclude to (3.2) by induction on  $n \geq 1$ . □

In particular, for  $r = 0$ ,  $f \in L^p(B(R))$ ,  $p > 1$ , and  $h \in W^{1,1}(B(R))$  the argument of Proposition 3.1 shows that

$$\|(\tilde{\nabla}h)^n f\|_{L^p(B(R))} \leq (K_d v_d R')^n \|f\|_{L^p(B(R))} \|\nabla^{\mathbb{R}^d} h\|_{L^\infty(B(R); \mathbb{R}^d)}^n, \quad n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

We note that for  $u \in \tilde{\mathbb{D}}_0^{1,\infty}$  a predictable random field, the random field  $(\tilde{\nabla}u)u \in \tilde{\mathbb{D}}_0^{1,\infty}$  is also predictable from (2.13) and (3.1).

In the next definition we construct a family of cumulant operators which differs from the one introduced in Nourdin and Peccati (2010) on the Wiener space.

**Definition 3.1.** Given  $k \geq 2$  and  $u \in \tilde{\mathbb{D}}_0^{1,\infty}$  a predictable random field we define the operators  $\Gamma_k^u : \mathbb{D}_{1,1} \rightarrow L^1(\Omega)$  by

$$\Gamma_k^u F := F \langle (\tilde{\nabla}u)^{k-2} u, u \rangle_{L^2(B(R))} + \langle (\tilde{\nabla}u)^{k-1} u, DF \rangle_{L^2(B(R))}, \quad F \in \mathbb{D}_{1,1}.$$

We note that for  $h$  in the space  $W^{1,\infty}(B(R))$  of bounded functions in  $W^{1,1}(B(R))$ , and  $f \in L^p(B(R))$ ,  $p > 1$ ,  $m \geq 1$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \langle h^m, (\tilde{\nabla}h)f \rangle_{L^2(B(R))} &= \int_{B(R)} h^m(x) \int_{B(R)} f(y) \langle G_\eta(x, y), \nabla_x^{\mathbb{R}^d} h(x) \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^d} \lambda(dy) \lambda(dx) \\ &= \frac{1}{m+1} \int_{B(R)} \int_{B(R)} f(y) \langle G_\eta(x, y), \nabla_x^{\mathbb{R}^d} h^{m+1}(x) \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^d} \lambda(dy) \lambda(dx) \\ &= \frac{1}{m+1} \int_{B(R)} f(x) h^{m+1}(x) \lambda(dx), \end{aligned}$$

where we applied (1.8), hence

$$\langle h^m, (\tilde{\nabla}h)^{n+1} f \rangle_{L^2(B(R))} = \frac{1}{m+1} \int_{B(R)} h^{m+1}(x) (\tilde{\nabla}h)^n f(x) \lambda(dx),$$

which implies by induction

$$\langle (\tilde{\nabla}h)^n f, h^m \rangle_{L^2(B(R))} = \frac{m!}{(m+n)!} \int_{B(R)} h^{m+n}(x) f(x) \lambda(dx).$$

In Lemma 3.2 we generalize this identity to  $h$  a random field.

**Lemma 3.2.** For  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $m \geq 1$ ,  $u \in \tilde{\mathbb{D}}_0^{1,\infty}$  a predictable random field and  $f \in L^p(B(R))$ ,  $p > 1$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \langle (\tilde{\nabla}u)^n f, u^m \rangle_{L^2(B(R))} &= \frac{m!}{(m+n)!} \int_{B(R)} u_x^{m+n} f(x) \lambda(dx) \\ &+ \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{m!}{(m+k)!} \left\langle (\tilde{\nabla}u)^{n-k} f, D \int_{B(R)} u_x^{m+k} \lambda(dx) \right\rangle_{L^2(B(R))}. \end{aligned} \tag{3.4}$$

*Proof.* Using the adjoint  $\tilde{\nabla}^*u$  of  $\tilde{\nabla}u$  on  $L^2(B(R))$  given by

$$(\tilde{\nabla}^*u)v_y := \int_{B(R)} (\tilde{\nabla}_y u_x) v_x \lambda(dx), \quad y \in B(R), \quad v \in L^2(B(R)),$$

with the duality relation

$$\langle v, (\tilde{\nabla}^*u)h \rangle_{L^2(B(R))} = \langle (\tilde{\nabla}u)v, h \rangle_{L^2(B(R))}, \quad h, v \in L^2(B(R)),$$

we will show by induction on  $k = 0, 1, \dots, n$  that

$$\begin{aligned}
(\tilde{\nabla}^* u)^n u_{x_0}^m &= \int_{B(R)} \cdots \int_{B(R)} u_{x_n}^m \tilde{\nabla}_{x_0} u_{x_1} \tilde{\nabla}_{x_1} u_{x_2} \cdots \tilde{\nabla}_{x_{n-1}} u_{x_n} \lambda(dx_1) \cdots \lambda(dx_n) \\
&= \sum_{i=1}^k \frac{m!}{(m+i)!} \\
&\quad \times \int_{B(R)} \cdots \int_{B(R)} \tilde{\nabla}_{x_0} u_{x_1} \cdots \tilde{\nabla}_{x_{n-i-1}} u_{x_{n-i}} D_{x_{n-i}} u_{x_{n+1-i}}^{m+i} \lambda(dx_1) \cdots \lambda(dx_{n-i-1}) \\
&\quad + \frac{m!}{(m+k)!} \int_{B(R)} \cdots \int_{B(R)} u_{x_{n-k}}^{m+k} \tilde{\nabla}_{x_0} u_{x_1} \cdots \tilde{\nabla}_{x_{n-k-1}} u_{x_{n-k}} \lambda(dx_1) \cdots \lambda(dx_{n-k}).
\end{aligned} \tag{3.5}$$

By (3.1), this relation holds for  $k = 0$ . Next, assuming that the identity (3.5) holds for some  $k \in \{0, 1, \dots, n-1\}$ , and using the relation

$$\tilde{\nabla}_{x_{n-k-1}} u_{x_{n-k}} = D_{x_{n-k-1}} u_{x_{n-k}} + \langle \mathbf{G}_\eta(x_{n-k}, x_{n-k-1}), \tilde{\nabla}_{x_{n-k}} u_{x_{n-k}} \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^d},$$

$x_{n-k-1}, x_{n-k} \in B(R)$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned}
&(\tilde{\nabla}^* u)^n u_{x_0} \\
&= \sum_{i=1}^k \frac{m!}{(m+i)!} \int_{B(R)} \cdots \int_{B(R)} \tilde{\nabla}_{x_0} u_{x_1} \cdots \tilde{\nabla}_{x_{n-i-1}} u_{x_{n-i}} D_{x_{n-i}} u_{x_{n+1-i}}^{m+i} \lambda(dx_1) \cdots \lambda(dx_{n+1-i}) \\
&\quad + \frac{m!}{(m+k)!} \int_{B(R)} \cdots \int_{B(R)} u_{x_{n-k}}^{m+k} \tilde{\nabla}_{x_0} u_{x_1} \cdots \tilde{\nabla}_{x_{n-k-1}} u_{x_{n-k}} \lambda(dx_1) \cdots \lambda(dx_{n-k}) \\
&= \sum_{i=1}^k \frac{m!}{(m+i)!} \int_{B(R)} \cdots \int_{B(R)} \tilde{\nabla}_{x_0} u_{x_1} \cdots \tilde{\nabla}_{x_{n-i-1}} u_{x_{n-i}} D_{x_{n-i}} u_{x_{n+1-i}}^{m+i} \lambda(dx_1) \cdots \lambda(dx_{n+1-i}) \\
&\quad + \frac{m!}{(m+k)!} \int_{B(R)} \cdots \int_{B(R)} u_{x_{n-k}}^{m+k} \tilde{\nabla}_{x_0} u_{x_1} \cdots \tilde{\nabla}_{x_{n-k-2}} u_{x_{n-k-1}} D_{x_{n-k-1}} u_{x_{n-k}} \lambda(dx_1) \cdots \lambda(dx_{n-k}) \\
&\quad + \frac{m!}{(m+k)!} \int_{B(R)} \cdots \int_{B(R)} \langle \mathbf{G}_\eta(x_{n-k}, x_{n-k-1}), \tilde{\nabla}_{x_{n-k}} u_{x_{n-k}} \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^d} \\
&\quad \quad \times u_{x_{n-k}}^{m+k-2} \tilde{\nabla}_{x_0} u_{x_1} \cdots \tilde{\nabla}_{x_{n-2-k}} u_{x_{n-k-1}} \lambda(dx_1) \cdots \lambda(dx_{n-k}) \\
&= \sum_{i=1}^k \frac{m!}{(m+i)!} \int_{B(R)} \cdots \int_{B(R)} \tilde{\nabla}_{x_0} u_{x_1} \cdots \tilde{\nabla}_{x_{n-i-1}} u_{x_{n-i}} D_{x_{n-i}} u_{x_{n+1-i}}^{m+i} \lambda(dx_1) \cdots \lambda(dx_{n+1-i}) \\
&\quad + \frac{m!}{(m+k+1)!} \int_{B(R)} \cdots \int_{B(R)} \tilde{\nabla}_{x_0} u_{x_1} \cdots \tilde{\nabla}_{x_{n-k}} u_{x_{n-k-1}} D_{x_{n-k-1}} u_{x_{n-k}}^{m+k+1} \lambda(dx_1) \cdots \lambda(dx_{n-k}) \\
&\quad + \frac{m!}{(m+k+1)!} \int_{B(R)} \cdots \int_{B(R)} \tilde{\nabla}_{x_0} u_{x_1} \cdots \tilde{\nabla}_{x_{n-k-2}} u_{x_{n-k-1}} \\
&\quad \quad \times \int_{B(R)} \langle \mathbf{G}_\eta(x, x_{n-k-1}), \nabla_x^{\mathbb{R}^d} u_x^{m+k+1} \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^d} \lambda(dx) \lambda(dx_1) \cdots \lambda(dx_{n-k-1}) \\
&= \sum_{i=1}^{k+1} \frac{m!}{(m+i)!} \int_{B(R)} \cdots \int_{B(R)} \tilde{\nabla}_{x_0} u_{x_1} \cdots \tilde{\nabla}_{x_{n-i-1}} u_{x_{n-i}} D_{x_{n-i}} u_{x_{n+1-i}}^{m+i} \lambda(dx_1) \cdots \lambda(dx_{n+1-i}) \\
&\quad + \frac{m!}{(m+k+1)!} \int_{B(R)} \cdots \int_{B(R)} u_{x_{n-k-1}}^{m+k+1} \tilde{\nabla}_{x_0} u_{x_1} \cdots \tilde{\nabla}_{x_{n-k-2}} u_{x_{n-k-1}} \lambda(dx_1) \cdots \lambda(dx_{n-k-1})
\end{aligned}$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{k+1} \frac{m!}{(m+i)!} (\tilde{\nabla}^* u)^{n-i} D_{x_0} \int_{B(R)} u_s^{m+i} \lambda(ds) + \frac{m!}{(m+k+1)!} (\tilde{\nabla}^* u)^{n-k-1} u_{x_0}^{m+k+1},$$

which shows by induction that (3.5) holds at the rank  $k = n$ , in particular we have

$$(\tilde{\nabla}^* u)^n u_x^m = \frac{m!}{(m+k)!} u_x^{m+n} + \sum_{i=2}^{n+1} \frac{m!}{(m+i-1)!} (\tilde{\nabla}^* u)^{n+1-i} D_x \int_{B(R)} u_y^{m+i-1} \lambda(dy),$$

$x \in B(R)$ , which yields (3.4) by integration with respect to  $x \in B(R)$  and duality. □

As a consequence of Lemma 3.2 we have

$$\Gamma_k^u \mathbf{1} = \int_{B(R)} \frac{u_x^k}{(k-1)!} \lambda(dx) + \sum_{i=2}^{k-1} \frac{1}{i!} \left\langle (\tilde{\nabla} u)^{k-1-i} u, D \int_{B(R)} u_x^i \lambda(dx) \right\rangle_{L^2(B(R))},$$

$k \geq 2$ . Hence when  $h \in W^{1,p}(B(R))$ ,  $p > 1$ , is a deterministic function such that  $\|\nabla^{\mathbb{R}^d} h\|_\infty < \infty$ , we find the relation

$$\Gamma_k^h \mathbf{1} = \frac{1}{(k-1)!} \int_{B(R)} h^k(x) \lambda(dx) = \frac{1}{(k-1)!} \kappa_k^h, \quad k \geq 2, \tag{3.6}$$

which shows that  $\Gamma_k^h \mathbf{1}$  coincides with the cumulant  $\kappa_k^h = \int_{B(R)} h^k(x) \lambda(dx)$  of order  $k \geq 2$  of the Poisson stochastic integral  $\int_{B(R)} h(x)(\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx))$ .

#### 4. Edgeworth-type expansions

Classical Edgeworth series provide expansion of the cumulative distribution function  $P(F \leq x)$  of a centered random variable  $F$  with  $\mathbb{E}[F^2] = 1$  around the Gaussian cumulative distribution function  $\Phi(x)$ , using the cumulants  $(\kappa_n)_{n \geq 1}$  of a random variable  $F$  and Hermite polynomials. Edgeworth-type expansions of the form

$$\mathbb{E}[Fg(F)] = \sum_{l=1}^n \frac{\kappa_{l+1}}{l!} \mathbb{E}[g^{(l)}(F)] + \mathbb{E}[g^{(n+1)}(F)\Gamma_{n+1}F], \quad n \geq 1,$$

for  $F$  a centered random variable, have been obtained by the Malliavin calculus in [Nourdin and Peccati \(2009a\)](#), where  $\Gamma_{n+1}$  is a cumulant-type operator on the Wiener space such that  $n! \mathbb{E}[\Gamma_n F]$  coincides with the cumulant  $\kappa_{n+1}$  of order  $n + 1$  of  $F$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , cf. [Nourdin and Peccati \(2010\)](#), extending the results of [Barbour \(1986\)](#) to the Wiener space.

In this section we establish an Edgeworth-type expansion of any finite order with an explicit remainder term for the compensated Poisson stochastic integral  $\delta(u)$  of a predictable random field  $(u_x)_{x \in B(R)}$ . In the sequel we let  $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$  denote  $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_{L^2(B(R))}$ .

Before proceeding to the statement of general expansions in Proposition 4.1, we illustrate the method with the derivation of an expansion of order one for a deterministic integrand  $f$ . By the duality relation (2.6) between  $D$  and  $\delta$ , the chain rule of derivation for  $D$  and the commutation relation (2.14) we get, for  $g \in \mathcal{C}_b^2(\mathbb{R})$  and  $f \in W_0^{1,1}(B(R))$  such that  $\|\nabla^{\mathbb{R}^d} f\|_\infty < \infty$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}[\delta(f)g(\delta(f))] &= \mathbb{E}[\langle f, D\delta(f) \rangle g'(\delta(f))] \\ &= \mathbb{E}[\langle f, f \rangle g'(\delta(f))] + \mathbb{E}[\langle f, \delta(\tilde{\nabla}^* f) \rangle g'(\delta(f))] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \mathbb{E}[\langle f, f \rangle g'(\delta(f))] + \mathbb{E}[\langle \tilde{\nabla}^* f, D(g'(\delta(f))) \rangle] \\
&= \mathbb{E}[\langle f, f \rangle g'(\delta(f))] + \mathbb{E}[\langle (\tilde{\nabla} f) f, D\delta(f) \rangle g''(\delta(f))] \\
&= \mathbb{E}[\langle f, f \rangle g'(\delta(f))] + \frac{1}{2} \int_{B(R)} f^3(x) \lambda(dx) \mathbb{E}[g''(\delta(f))] \\
&\quad + \mathbb{E}[\langle (\tilde{\nabla} f) f, \delta(\tilde{\nabla}^* f) \rangle g''(\delta(f))] \\
&= \kappa_2^f \mathbb{E}[g'(\delta(f))] + \frac{1}{2} \kappa_3^f \mathbb{E}[g''(\delta(f))] + \mathbb{E}[g''(\delta(f)) \delta((\tilde{\nabla} f)^2 f)],
\end{aligned}$$

since by Lemma 3.2 we have

$$\langle (\tilde{\nabla} f) f, f \rangle = \frac{1}{2} \int_{B(R)} f^3(x) \lambda(dx) = \frac{1}{2} \kappa_3^f.$$

In the next proposition we derive general Edgeworth-type expansions for predictable integrand processes  $(u_x)_{x \in \mathbb{R}^d}$ .

*Proposition 4.1.* Let  $u \in \tilde{\mathbb{D}}_0^{1, \infty}$  and  $n \geq 0$ . For all  $g \in \mathcal{C}_b^{n+1}(\mathbb{R})$  and bounded  $G \in \mathbb{D}_{1,1}$  we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbb{E}[G\delta(u)g(\delta(u))] &= \mathbb{E}[\langle u, DG \rangle g(\delta(u))] + \sum_{k=1}^n \mathbb{E}[g^{(k)}(\delta(u)) \Gamma_{k+1}^u G] \\
&+ \mathbb{E} \left[ Gg^{(n+1)}(\delta(u)) \left( \int_{B(R)} \frac{u_x^{n+2}}{(n+1)!} \lambda(dx) + \sum_{k=2}^{n+1} \left\langle (\tilde{\nabla} u)^{n+1-k} u, D \int_{B(R)} \frac{u_x^k}{k!} \lambda(dx) \right\rangle \right) \right] \\
&+ \mathbb{E} \left[ Gg^{(n+1)}(\delta(u)) \langle (\tilde{\nabla} u)^n u, \delta(\tilde{\nabla}^* u) \rangle \right].
\end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* By the duality relation (2.6) between  $D$  and  $\delta$ , the chain rule of derivation for  $D$  and the commutation relation (2.14), we get

$$\begin{aligned}
&\mathbb{E}[G\langle (\tilde{\nabla} u)^k u, D\delta(u) \rangle g(\delta(u))] - \mathbb{E}[G\langle (\tilde{\nabla} u)^{k+1} u, D\delta(u) \rangle g'(\delta(u))] \\
&= \mathbb{E}[G\langle (\tilde{\nabla} u)^k u, u \rangle g(\delta(u))] + \mathbb{E}[G\langle (\tilde{\nabla} u)^k u, \delta(\tilde{\nabla}^* u) \rangle g(\delta(u))] \\
&\quad - \mathbb{E}[G\langle (\tilde{\nabla} u)^{k+1} u, D\delta(u) \rangle g'(\delta(u))] \\
&= \mathbb{E}[G\langle (\tilde{\nabla} u)^k u, u \rangle g(\delta(u))] + \mathbb{E}[\langle \tilde{\nabla}^* u, D(Gg(\delta(u))) \rangle (\tilde{\nabla} u)^k u] \\
&\quad - \mathbb{E}[G\langle (\tilde{\nabla} u)^{k+1} u, D\delta(u) \rangle g'(\delta(u))] \\
&= \mathbb{E}[G\langle (\tilde{\nabla} u)^k u, u \rangle g(\delta(u))] + \mathbb{E}[\langle (\tilde{\nabla} u)^{k+1} u, DG \rangle g(\delta(u))] \\
&\quad + \mathbb{E}[G\langle \tilde{\nabla}^* u, D((\tilde{\nabla} u)^k u) \rangle g(\delta(u))] \\
&= \mathbb{E}[g(\delta(u)) \Gamma_{k+2}^u G],
\end{aligned}$$

where we used (2.9) and (2.13). Therefore, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbb{E}[G\delta(u)g(\delta(u))] &= \mathbb{E}[\langle u, D(Gg(\delta(u))) \rangle] \\
&= \mathbb{E}[G\langle u, D\delta(u) \rangle g'(\delta(u))] + \mathbb{E}[\langle u, DG \rangle g(\delta(u))] \\
&= \mathbb{E}[\langle u, DG \rangle g(\delta(u))] + \mathbb{E}[Gg^{(n+1)}(\delta(u)) \langle (\tilde{\nabla} u)^n u, D\delta(u) \rangle] \\
&\quad + \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} (\mathbb{E}[Gg^{(k+1)}(\delta(u)) \langle (\tilde{\nabla} u)^k u, D\delta(u) \rangle] - \mathbb{E}[Gg^{(k+2)}(\delta(u)) \langle (\tilde{\nabla} u)^{k+1} u, D\delta(u) \rangle])
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \mathbb{E}[\langle u, DG \rangle g(\delta(u))] + \sum_{k=1}^n \mathbb{E} [g^{(k)}(\delta(u)) \Gamma_{k+1}^u G] \\
 &\quad + \mathbb{E} [Gg^{(n+1)}(\delta(u)) \langle (\tilde{\nabla} u)^n u, D\delta(u) \rangle] \\
 &= \mathbb{E}[\langle u, DG \rangle g(\delta(u))] + \sum_{k=1}^n \mathbb{E} [g^{(k)}(\delta(u)) \Gamma_{k+1}^u G] \\
 &\quad + \mathbb{E} [Gg^{(n+1)}(\delta(u)) \langle (\tilde{\nabla} u)^n u, u \rangle] + \mathbb{E} [Gg^{(n+1)}(\delta(u)) \langle (\tilde{\nabla} u)^n u, \delta(\tilde{\nabla}^* u) \rangle],
 \end{aligned}$$

and we conclude by Lemma 3.2.  $\square$

When  $f \in W_0^{1,1}(B(R))$  is a deterministic function such that  $\|\nabla^{\mathbb{R}^d} f\|_\infty < \infty$ , and  $g \in \mathcal{C}_b^\infty(\mathbb{R})$ , Proposition 4.1 shows that

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\mathbb{E} [\delta(f)g(\delta(f))] \\
 &= \sum_{k=1}^{n+1} \frac{1}{k!} \int_{B(R)} f^{k+1}(x) \lambda(dx) \mathbb{E}[g^{(k)}(\delta(f))] + \mathbb{E} [g^{(n+1)}(\delta(f)) \langle (\tilde{\nabla} f)^n f, \delta(\tilde{\nabla}^* f) \rangle] \\
 &= \sum_{k=1}^{n+1} \frac{1}{k!} \kappa_{k+1}^f \mathbb{E}[g^{(k)}(\delta(f))] + \mathbb{E} [g^{(n+1)}(\delta(f)) \delta((\tilde{\nabla} f)^{n+1} f)], \quad n \geq 0,
 \end{aligned}$$

with, by Proposition 3.1 applied with  $p = 2$  and  $r = 0$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathbb{E} [\delta((\tilde{\nabla} f)^{n+1} f)] &\leq \sqrt{\mathbb{E} [\delta((\tilde{\nabla} f)^{n+1} f)^2]} \\
 &= \|(\tilde{\nabla} f)^{n+1} f\|_{L^2(B(R))} \\
 &\leq (K_d v_d R')^{n+1} \|f\|_{L^2(B(R))} \|\tilde{\nabla} f\|_{L^\infty(B(R); \mathbb{R}^d)}^{n+1}.
 \end{aligned}$$

In addition, as  $n$  tends to  $+\infty$  we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathbb{E} [\delta(f)g(\delta(f))] &= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} \int_{B(R)} f^{k+1}(x) \lambda(dx) \mathbb{E} [g^{(k)}(\delta(f))] \\
 &= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} \int_{B(R)} f^{k+1}(x) \lambda(dx) \mathbb{E} [g^{(k)}(\delta(f))] \\
 &= \mathbb{E} \left[ \int_{B(R)} f(x) (g(\delta(f) + f(x)) - g(\delta(f))) \lambda(dx) \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

provided that the derivatives of  $g$  decay fast enough, which is a particular instance of the standard integration by parts identity for finite difference operators on the Poisson space, see e.g. Lemma 2.9 in Peccati et al. (2010) or Lemma 5 in Bourguin and Peccati (2016).

### 5. Stein approximation

Applying Proposition 4.1 with  $n = 0$  and  $G = 1$  to the solution  $g_x$  of the Stein equation

$$\mathbf{1}_{(-\infty, x]}(z) - \Phi(z) = g'_x(z) - z g_x(z), \quad z \in \mathbb{R},$$

and letting  $u \in \tilde{\mathbb{D}}_0^{1,1}$  be a predictable random field, this gives the expansion

$$P(\delta(u) \leq x) - \Phi(x) = \mathbb{E} [g'_x(\delta(u)) \langle u, u \rangle - \delta(u) g_x(\delta(u))] \tag{5.1}$$

$$= \mathbb{E} [(1 - \langle u, u \rangle) g'_x(\delta(u))] + \mathbb{E} [\langle u, \delta(\tilde{\nabla} u) \rangle g'_x(\delta(u))],$$

around the Gaussian cumulative distribution function  $\Phi(x)$ , with  $\|g_x\|_\infty \leq \sqrt{2\pi}/4$  and  $\|g'_x\|_\infty \leq 1$ ,  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ , by Lemma 2.2-(v) of [Chen et al. \(2011\)](#). The next result follows from the application of Proposition 4.1 with  $n = 1$  and  $G = 1$ .

*Proposition 5.1.* For any random field  $u \in \tilde{\mathbb{D}}_0^{1,\infty}$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} d_W(\delta(u), \mathcal{N}) &\leq \mathbb{E} [|1 - \langle u, u \rangle - \langle \tilde{\nabla}^* u, Du \rangle|] + \mathbb{E} \left[ \left| \int_{B(R)} u_x^3 \lambda(dx) + \left\langle u, D \int_{B(R)} u_x^2 \lambda(dx) \right\rangle \right| \right] \\ &\quad + 2 \mathbb{E} [|\langle \tilde{\nabla} u \rangle u, \delta(\tilde{\nabla}^* u)|]. \end{aligned} \quad (5.2)$$

*Proof.* For  $n = 1$  and  $G = 1$ , Proposition 4.1 shows that

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}[\delta(u)g(\delta(u))] &= \mathbb{E}[g'(\delta(u))(\langle u, u \rangle + \langle \tilde{\nabla}^* u, Du \rangle)] \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{2} \mathbb{E} \left[ g''(\delta(u)) \left( \int_{B(R)} u_x^3 \lambda(dx) + \left\langle u, D \int_{B(R)} u_x^2 \lambda(dx) \right\rangle \right) \right] \\ &\quad + \mathbb{E}[g''(\delta(u))\langle \tilde{\nabla} u \rangle u, \delta(\tilde{\nabla}^* u)]. \end{aligned}$$

Let  $h : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow [0, 1]$  be a continuous function with bounded derivative. Using the solution  $g_h \in \mathcal{C}_b^1(\mathbb{R})$  of the Stein equation

$$h(z) - \mathbb{E}[h(\mathcal{N})] = g'(z) - zg(z), \quad z \in \mathbb{R},$$

with the bounds  $\|g'_h\|_\infty \leq \|h'\|_\infty$  and  $\|g''_h\|_\infty \leq 2\|h'\|_\infty$ ,  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ , cf. Lemma 1.2-(v) of [Nourdin and Peccati \(2009b\)](#) and references therein, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}[h(\delta(u))] - \mathbb{E}[h(\mathcal{N})] &= \mathbb{E}[\delta(u)g_h(\delta(u)) - g'_h(\delta(u))] \\ &= \mathbb{E}[g'_h(\delta(u))(\langle u, u \rangle + \langle \tilde{\nabla}^* u, Du \rangle - 1)] \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{2} \mathbb{E} \left[ g''_h(\delta(u)) \left( \int_{B(R)} u_x^3 \lambda(dx) + \left\langle u, D \int_{B(R)} u_x^2 \lambda(dx) \right\rangle \right) \right] \\ &\quad + 2 \mathbb{E}[g''_h(\delta(u))\langle \tilde{\nabla} u \rangle u, \delta(\tilde{\nabla}^* u)], \end{aligned}$$

hence

$$\begin{aligned} |\mathbb{E}[\delta(u)h(\delta(u))] - \mathbb{E}[h(\mathcal{N})]| &\leq \|h'\|_\infty \mathbb{E} [|1 - \langle u, u \rangle - \langle \tilde{\nabla}^* u, Du \rangle|] \\ &\quad + \|h'\|_\infty \mathbb{E} \left[ \left| \int_{B(R)} u_x^3 \lambda(dx) + \left\langle u, D \int_{B(R)} u_x^2 \lambda(dx) \right\rangle \right| \right] \\ &\quad + 2\|h'\|_\infty \mathbb{E} [|\langle \tilde{\nabla} u \rangle u, \delta(\tilde{\nabla}^* u)|], \end{aligned}$$

which yields (5.2).  $\square$

As a consequence of Proposition 5.1 and the Itô isometry (2.12) we have the following corollary.

**Corollary 5.1.** For  $u \in \tilde{\mathbb{D}}_0^{1,\infty}$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} d_W(\delta(u), \mathcal{N}) &\leq |1 - \text{Var}[\delta(u)]| + \sqrt{\text{Var}[\|u\|_{L^2(B(R))}^2]} \\ &\quad + \mathbb{E} \left[ \left| \int_{B(R)} u_x^3 \lambda(dx) + \left\langle u, D \int_{B(R)} u_x^2 \lambda(dx) \right\rangle \right| \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$+ \mathbf{E}[|\langle \tilde{\nabla}^* u, Du \rangle|] + 2 \mathbf{E}[|\langle (\tilde{\nabla} u)u, \delta(\tilde{\nabla}^* u) \rangle|].$$

*Proof.* By the Itô isometry (2.12) we have

$$\text{Var}[\delta(u)] = \mathbf{E} \left[ \left( \int_{B(R)} u_x (\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx)) \right)^2 \right] = \mathbf{E}[\langle u, u \rangle],$$

hence

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{E} [ |1 - \langle u, u \rangle - \langle \tilde{\nabla}^* u, Du \rangle| ] \\ & \leq \mathbf{E} [ |1 - \mathbf{E}[\langle u, u \rangle]| ] + \mathbf{E} [ | \langle u, u \rangle - \mathbf{E}[\langle u, u \rangle] | ] + \mathbf{E} [ | \langle \tilde{\nabla}^* u, Du \rangle | ] \\ & = |1 - \text{Var}[\delta(u)]| + \sqrt{\mathbf{E}[\langle \langle u, u \rangle - \mathbf{E}[\langle u, u \rangle] \rangle^2]} + \mathbf{E}[|\langle \tilde{\nabla}^* u, Du \rangle|] \\ & = |1 - \text{Var}[\delta(u)]| + \sqrt{\text{Var}[\|u\|_{L^2(B(R))}^2]} + \mathbf{E}[|\langle \tilde{\nabla}^* u, Du \rangle|]. \end{aligned}$$

□

In particular, when  $\text{Var}[\delta(u)] = 1$ , Corollary 5.1 shows that

$$\begin{aligned} d_W(\delta(u), \mathcal{N}) & \leq \sqrt{\text{Var}[\|u\|_{L^2(B(R))}^2]} \\ & + \mathbf{E} \left[ \left| \int_{B(R)} u_x^3 \lambda(dx) + \left\langle u, D \int_{B(R)} u_x^2 \lambda(dx) \right\rangle \right| \right] \\ & + \mathbf{E}[|\langle \tilde{\nabla}^* u, Du \rangle|] + 2 \mathbf{E}[|\langle (\tilde{\nabla} u)u, \delta(\tilde{\nabla}^* u) \rangle|]. \end{aligned}$$

When  $f \in W_0^{1,\infty}(B(R))$  is a deterministic function we have

$$\text{Var}[\delta(f)] = \mathbf{E} \left[ \left( \int_{B(R)} f(x) (\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx)) \right)^2 \right] = \int_{B(R)} f^2(x) \lambda(dx),$$

and Corollary 5.1 shows that

$$d_W(\delta(f), \mathcal{N}) \leq \left| 1 - \int_{B(R)} f^2(x) \lambda(dx) \right| + \left| \int_{B(R)} f^3(x) \lambda(dx) \right| + 2 \mathbf{E}[|\delta((\tilde{\nabla} f)^2 f)|].$$

Given the bound

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{E}[|\delta((\tilde{\nabla} f)^2 f)|] & \leq \sqrt{\mathbf{E}[|\delta((\tilde{\nabla} f)^2 f)|^2]} \\ & = \|(\tilde{\nabla} f)^2 f\|_{L^2(B(R))} \\ & \leq (K_d v_d R')^2 \|f\|_{L^2(B(R))} \|\nabla^{\mathbb{R}^d} f\|_{L^\infty(B(R); \mathbb{R}^d)}^2 \end{aligned}$$

obtained from Proposition 3.1 with  $p = 2$  and  $r = 0$ ,  $f \in W_0^{1,\infty}(B(R))$ , we also have the following corollary.

**Corollary 5.2.** For  $f \in W_0^{1,\infty}(B(R))$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} d_W \left( \int_{B(R)} f(x) (\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx)), \mathcal{N} \right) & \leq \left| 1 - \|f\|_{L^2(B(R))}^2 \right| + \left| \int_{B(R)} f^3(x) \lambda(dx) \right| \\ & + 2(K_d v_d R')^2 \|f\|_{L^2(B(R))} \|\nabla^{\mathbb{R}^d} f\|_{L^\infty(B(R); \mathbb{R}^d)}^2. \end{aligned}$$



In particular, if  $\|f\|_{L^2(B(R))} = 1$  we find

$$d_W \left( \int_{B(R)} f(x)(\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx)), \mathcal{N} \right) \leq \left| \int_{B(R)} f^3(x) \lambda(dx) \right| + 2(K_d v_d R')^2 \|\nabla^{\mathbb{R}^d} f\|_{L^\infty(B(R); \mathbb{R}^d)}^2.$$

As an example, consider  $f_k$  given on  $B(k^{1/d}R)$  by

$$f_k(x) := \frac{1}{C\sqrt{k}} g \left( \frac{|x|_{\mathbb{R}^d}}{k^{1/d}} \right), \quad x \in B(k^{1/d}R),$$

where  $g \in \mathcal{C}^1([0, R])$  is such that  $g(R) = 0$ , and

$$C^2 := v_d \int_0^R g^2(r) r^{d-1} dr,$$

so that  $f_k \in L^2(B(k^{1/d}R))$  with

$$\|f\|_{L^2(B(k^{1/d}R))}^2 = \frac{v_d}{C^2 k} \int_0^{k^{1/d}R} g^2 \left( \frac{r}{k^{1/d}} \right) r^{d-1} dr = \frac{v_d}{C^2} \int_0^R g^2(r) r^{d-1} dr = 1,$$

and

$$\int_{B(k^{1/d}R)} f_k^3(x) dx = \frac{1}{C^3 k^{3/2}} \int_0^{k^{1/d}R} g^3(r k^{-1/d}) r^{d-1} dr = \frac{1}{C^3 \sqrt{k}} \int_0^R g^3(r) r^{d-1} dr,$$

$k \geq 1$ . We have

$$\|\nabla^{\mathbb{R}^d} f_k\|_{L^\infty(B(R); \mathbb{R}^d)}^2 \leq \frac{\|g'\|_\infty^2 d}{C^2 k^{1+2/d}},$$

hence

$$\begin{aligned} d_W \left( \int_{B(R)} f_k(x)(\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx)), \mathcal{N} \right) &\leq \left| \int_{B(R)} f_k^3(x) \lambda(dx) \right| + \frac{2(K_d v_d k^{1/d} R')^2 d}{k^{1+2/d} C^2} \|g'\|_\infty^2 \\ &\leq \frac{v_d}{C^3 \sqrt{k}} \left| \int_0^R g^3(r) r^{d-1} dr \right| + \frac{2(K_d v_d R')^2 d}{k C^2} \|g'\|_\infty^2. \end{aligned}$$

In particular, if  $g$  satisfies the condition

$$\int_0^R g^3(r) r^{d-1} dr = 0,$$

then we find the  $O(1/k)$  convergence rate

$$d_W \left( \int_{B(R)} f_k(x)(\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx)), \mathcal{N} \right) \leq \frac{2(K_d v_d R')^2 d}{k C^2} \|g'\|_\infty^2, \quad k \geq 1.$$

For example, taking

$$f_k(x) := \frac{1}{C\sqrt{k}} g \left( \frac{|x|_{\mathbb{R}^d}}{k^{1/d}} \right) = \frac{1}{C\sqrt{k}} \left( h_1 \left( \frac{|x|_{\mathbb{R}^d}}{k^{1/d}} \right) - a h_2 \left( \frac{|x|_{\mathbb{R}^d}}{k^{1/d}} \right) \right), \quad x \in B(k^{1/d}R),$$

with  $a \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $h_1, h_2 \in \mathcal{C}^1([0, R])$  such that  $h_1(R) = h_2(R) = 0$ , and

$$C^2 := \int_0^R (h_1(r) - ah_2(r))^2 r^{d-1} dr > 0,$$

we can choose  $a \in \mathbb{R}$  satisfying the cubic equation

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{B(R)} g^3(r)r^{d-1} dr &= a^3 \int_0^R h_2^3(r)r^{d-1} dr + 3a^2 \int_0^R h_1(r)h_2^2(r)r^{d-1} dr \\ &\quad - 3a \int_0^R h_1^2(r)h_2(r)r^{d-1} dr + \int_0^R h_1^3(r)r^{d-1} dr \\ &= 0, \end{aligned}$$

which yields the bound

$$d_W \left( \int_{B(k^{1/d}R)} f_k(x)(\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx)), \mathcal{N} \right) \leq \frac{c(a, d, h_1, h_2)}{k}, \quad k \geq 1,$$

from (1.5), where  $c(a, d, h_1, h_2)$  depends only on  $a \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $d \geq 2$  and  $h_1, h_2 \in \mathcal{C}^1([0, R])$ , whereas (1.3) can only yield the standard Berry-Esseen convergence rate (1.4) as  $\int_0^R |g(r)|^3 r^{d-1} dr > 0$ .

### 6. Appendix

*Proof of Proposition 2.1.*

As a consequence of (1.8) and (2.2) we have

$$\begin{aligned} &f_n(x_1, \dots, x_{i-1}, y, x_{i+1}, \dots, x_n) - f_{n-1}(x_1, \dots, x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}, \dots, x_n) \\ &= f_n(x_1, \dots, x_{i-1}, y, x_{i+1}, \dots, x_n) \\ &\quad - f_{n-1}(x_1, \dots, x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}, \dots, x_n) \int_{B(R') \setminus B(R)} \eta(x) \lambda(dx) \\ &= f_n(x_1, \dots, x_{i-1}, y, x_{i+1}, \dots, x_n) \\ &\quad - \int_{B(R') \setminus B(R)} \eta(x) f_n(x_1, \dots, x_{i-1}, x, x_{i+1}, \dots, x_n) \lambda(dx) \\ &= \int_{B(R')} \langle G(x_i, y), \nabla_{x_i}^{\mathbb{R}^d} f_n(x_1, \dots, x_n) \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^d} \lambda(dx_i) \\ &= \int_{B(R)} \langle G(x_i, y), \nabla_{x_i}^{\mathbb{R}^d} f_n(x_1, \dots, x_n) \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^d} \lambda(dx_i), \end{aligned} \tag{6.1}$$

$x_1, \dots, x_{i-1}, y, x_{i+1}, \dots, x_n \in B(R')$ . Recall that for all  $F \in \mathcal{S}$  of the form (2.1) we have

$$\mathbb{E}[F] = e^{-\lambda(B(R))} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \int_{B(R)} \dots \int_{B(R)} f_n(x_1, \dots, x_n) \lambda(dx_1) \dots \lambda(dx_n).$$

Hence, using (6.1), for  $g \in \mathcal{C}_0^1(B(R))$  and  $F$  of the form (2.1) we have

$$\mathbb{E} \left[ \int_{B(R)} g(y) D_y F \lambda(dy) \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \mathbb{E} \left[ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathbf{1}_{\{\gamma(B(R))=n\}} \sum_{i=1}^n \int_{B(R)} g(y) \langle \mathbf{G}_\eta(X_i, y), \nabla_{X_i}^{\mathbb{R}^d} f(X_1, \dots, X_n) \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^d} \lambda(dy) \right] \\
& \hspace{15em} (6.2) \\
&= e^{-\lambda(B(R))} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \int_{B(R)} \dots \\
& \quad \dots \int_{B(R)} \sum_{i=1}^n \int_{B(R)} g(y) \langle \mathbf{G}_\eta(x_i, y), \nabla_{x_i}^{\mathbb{R}^d} f_n(x_1, \dots, x_n) \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^d} \lambda(dy) \lambda(dx_1) \dots \lambda(dx_n) \\
&= e^{-\lambda(B(R))} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \int_{B(R)} \dots \\
& \quad \dots \int_{B(R)} \sum_{i=1}^n \int_{B(R)} g(y) f_n(x_1, \dots, x_{i-1}, y, x_{i+1}, \dots, x_n) \lambda(dx_1) \dots \lambda(dy) \dots \lambda(dx_n) \\
& \quad - e^{-\lambda(B(R))} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \int_{B(R)} \dots \\
& \quad \dots \int_{B(R)} \sum_{i=1}^n \int_{B(R)} g(y) \lambda(dy) f_{n-1}(x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}) \lambda(dx_1) \dots \lambda(dx_{n-1}) \\
&= e^{-\lambda(B(R))} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \int_{B(R)} \dots \\
& \quad \dots \int_{B(R)} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n g(x_i) - \int_{B(R)} g(y) \lambda(dy) \right) f_n(x_1, \dots, x_n) \lambda(dx_1) \dots \lambda(dx_n) \\
&= \mathbb{E} \left[ F \left( \int_{B(R)} g(x) (\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx)) \right) \right].
\end{aligned}$$

Next, for  $u$  of the form (2.4), we check by a standard argument that

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbb{E}[\langle u, DF \rangle] &= \sum_{i=1}^n \mathbb{E}[G_i \langle g_i, DF \rangle] \\
&= \sum_{i=1}^n (\mathbb{E}[\langle g_i, D(FG_i) \rangle] - F \langle g_i, DG_i \rangle) \\
&= \mathbb{E} \left[ F \sum_{i=1}^n \left( G_i \int_{B(R)} g_i(x) (\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx)) - \langle g_i, DG_i \rangle \right) \right] \\
&= \mathbb{E}[F \delta(u)].
\end{aligned}$$

□

*Proof of Proposition 2.2.* Taking  $u \in \mathcal{P}_0$  a predictable random field of the form (2.7) we note that by (2.3) and the compatibility condition (2.10) we have

$$g_i(y) D_y F_i = 0, \quad y \in B(R), \quad i = 1, \dots, n,$$

hence by (2.5) we have

$$\begin{aligned} \delta(u) &= \delta\left(\sum_{i=1}^n F_i g_i\right) = \sum_{i=1}^n F_i \delta(g_i) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n F_i \int_{B(R)} g_i(x)(\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx)) \\ &= \int_{B(R)} u_x(\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx)), \end{aligned} \tag{6.3}$$

showing that  $\delta(u)$  coincides with the Poisson stochastic integral of  $(u_x)_{x \in B(R)}$ . Regarding the isometry relation (2.12), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}[\delta(u)^2] &= \mathbb{E}\left[\left(\sum_{i=1}^n F_i \int_{B(R)} g_i(x)(\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx))\right)^2\right] \\ &= \mathbb{E}\left[\sum_{i,j=1}^n F_i F_j \int_{B(R)} g_i(x)(\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx)) \int_{B(R)} g_j(x)(\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx))\right] \\ &= 2\mathbb{E}\left[\sum_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} F_i \int_{B(R)} g_i(x)(\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx)) F_j \int_{B(R)} g_j(x)(\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx))\right] \\ &\quad + \mathbb{E}\left[\sum_{i=1}^n F_i^2 \left(\int_{B(R)} g_i(x)(\gamma(dx) - \lambda(dx))\right)^2\right] \\ &= \mathbb{E}\left[\sum_{i=1}^n F_i^2 \int_{B(R)} g_i^2(x) \lambda(dx)\right] \\ &= \mathbb{E}\left[\int_{B(R)} u^2(x) \lambda(dx)\right], \end{aligned}$$

which shows that (2.11) extends to the closure of  $\mathcal{P}_0$  in  $L^2(\Omega \times B(R))$  by density and a Cauchy sequence argument.  $\square$

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