

1 INVARIANCE PRINCIPLES FOR  $G$ -BROWNIAN-MOTION-DRIVEN  
2 STOCHASTIC DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS AND THEIR  
3 APPLICATIONS TO  $G$ -STOCHASTIC CONTROL

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5 **Abstract.** The  $G$ -Brownian-motion-driven stochastic differential equations ( $G$ -SDEs) as well as  
6 the  $G$ -expectation, which were seminally proposed by Peng and his colleagues, have been extensively  
7 applied to describing a particular kind of uncertainty arising in real-world systems modeling. Math-  
8 ematically depicting long-time and limit behaviors of the solution produced by  $G$ -SDEs is beneficial  
9 to understanding the mechanisms of system's evolution. Here, we develop a new  $G$ -semimartingale  
10 convergence theorem and further establish a new invariance principle for investigating the long-time  
11 behaviors emergent in  $G$ -SDEs. We also validate the uniqueness and the global existence of the  
12 solution of  $G$ -SDEs whose vector fields are only locally Lipschitzian with a linear upper bound. To  
13 demonstrate the broad applicability of our analytically established results, we investigate its appli-  
14 cation to achieving  $G$ -stochastic control in a few representative dynamical systems.

15 **Key words.**  $G$ -stochastic differential equations,  $G$ -semimartingale convergence theorem, invari-  
16 ance principle,  $G$ -stochastic control

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18 **1. Introduction.** Long-time and limit behaviors of the solutions generated by  
19 stochastic differential equations (SDEs) have received growing attention because  
20 such behaviors usually correspond to particular functions in real-world systems  
21 [10, 25, 31, 8, 3]. Interesting physical or/and biological phenomena have been system-  
22 atically investigated, including asymptotic behaviors of random matrices in quantum  
23 physics [34], stochastic resonance [2], stochastic homogeneity [4], stochastic stabi-  
24 lization or synchronization [26, 32, 23, 20], and random-temporal-structure-induced  
25 emergence [11, 12, 14, 13]. Also developed were stochastic versions of invariance prin-  
26 ciple, which originated from LaSalle's invariance principle [17, 18] for deterministic

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27 systems and then has been extended successfully to study the SDEs [28, 40], the  
 28 stochastic differential delayed equations (SDDEs) [27, 30], the stochastic functional  
 29 differential equations (SFDEs) [29, 39] and even the discrete stochastic dynamical  
 30 systems [41]. These versions of invariance principles are often used to elucidate the  
 31 asymptotic behaviors, such as stability, boundedness, and invariance in some chaotic  
 32 attractors, emergent in random systems.

33 In addition to the traditional frameworks of randomness and stochasticity, mea-  
 34 suring uncertainties of randomness is another important issue in those areas replete  
 35 with fluctuations and risks of high level, such as economics [16]. A seminal framework  
 36 by means of sublinear expectation was fundamentally built by Peng and his colleagues  
 37 to quantify such uncertainties [36] and then extended broadly in line with the mod-  
 38 ern probability theory. Indeed, the framework has been put forward to investigating  
 39 the  $G$ -Brownian-motion-driven stochastic differential equations ( $G$ -SDEs), which thus  
 40 provides a model to describe the randomness with uncertainties in evolutionary dy-  
 41 namics. Also systematically investigated was the well-posedness of  $G$ -SDEs [9, 36] and  
 42 stochastic functional differential equations ( $G$ -SFDEs) [37, 7]. Furthermore, although  
 43 the stability of  $G$ -SDEs has been widely investigated [21, 38], rigorously delicate de-  
 44 scriptions of stability, boundedness, control and even invariance property in dynamical  
 45 attractors using  $G$ -SDEs are still lacking.

46 In this article, we, therefore, intends to fill in this gap through novelly developing  
 47 an invariance principle for  $G$ -SDEs and investigate its applicability to the stochastic  
 48 control, especially in the case that the noise is uncertain. As such, this invariance  
 49 principle can render the analytical investigations of dynamics produced by  $G$ -SDEs  
 50 much clearer and more complete. In order to develop this new principle, we need  
 51 to establish a new version of  $G$ -semimartingale convergence theorem, nontrivially  
 52 generalizing the classical semimartingale convergence theorem developed in [24].

53 The remaining of this article is organized as follows. Section 2 introduces some  
 54 basic concepts and provides some preliminary theorems of sublinear expectations.  
 55 Section 3 rigorously proves the  $G$ -semimartingale convergence theorem as follows.

56 **THEOREM 1.1.** *Assume  $A^1$  and  $A^2$  are two non-decreasing process with initial*  
 57 *value 0,  $A^1(t)$  is a continuous process and  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}[A^1(+\infty)] < +\infty$ . Assume that  $Z$  is*  
 58 *a non-negative  $G$ -semimartingale satisfying  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}[Z^+(0)] < \infty$  with the form as  $Z(t) =$*   
 59  *$Z(0) + A^1(t) - A^2(t) + M(t)$ ,  $t \geq 0$ , where  $M(t)$  is a continuous  $G$ -supermartingale with*  
 60 *initial value 0.  $M(t) \in L_G^1(\Omega_t)$  for every  $t \geq 0$ . Then, we have that  $A^2(+\infty) < +\infty$ ,*  
 61  *$\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} Z(t)$  finitely exists, and that  $\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} M(t)$  finitely exists quasi-surely.*

62 Here, we sketch the proof of the above convergence theorem as follows. By extending  
 63 the space of random variables, we generalize Fatou's Lemma on the  $G$ -conditional ex-  
 64 pectation. Combining with the uppercrossing inequality, we derive the  $G$ -martingale

65 convergence theorem for a continuous process and then establish the essential  $G$ -  
 66 semimartingale convergence theorem. Also in this section, we present the other more  
 67 applicable versions of the  $G$ -semimartingale convergence theorem. With all these  
 68 preparations, Section 4 presents our main result, the *invariance principle* for the  $G$ -  
 69 SDEs, and validates it using the established  $G$ -semimartingale convergence theorem.  
 70 Here, we show this principle as follows.

71 **THEOREM 1.2.** *With those conditions and assumptions listed in Section 4, we sup-*  
 72 *pose that there exists a function  $V \in C^{2,1}(\mathbb{R}^d \times \mathbb{R}_+; \mathbb{R}_+)$ , a function  $\gamma \in L^1(\mathbb{R}_+; \mathbb{R}_+)$*   
 73 *and a continuous function  $\eta : \mathbb{R}^d \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_+$  such that  $\lim_{|x| \rightarrow \infty} \inf_{0 \leq t < +\infty} V(\mathbf{x}, t) = \infty$*   
 74 *and  $\mathcal{L}V(\mathbf{x}, t) \leq \gamma(t) - \eta(\mathbf{x})$ , where the diffusive operator  $\mathcal{L}V = V_t + V_{x_i} f^i +$*   
 75  *$G\left((V_{x_k}(h^{kij} + h^{kji}) + V_{x_k x_l} g^{ki} g^{lj})_{i,j=1}^n\right)$  where Einstein's notations are applied*  
 76 *here. Then, we have that  $\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} V(\mathbf{x}(t), t)$  finitely exists quasi-surely and that*  
 77  *$\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} \eta(\mathbf{x}(t)) = 0$  quasi-surely. Moreover, we have  $\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} d(\mathbf{x}(t), \text{Ker}(\eta)) = 0$ .*  
 78 *Here,  $\mathbf{x}(t)$  is the solution of the  $G$ -SDEs which read*

$$79 \quad (1.1) \quad d\mathbf{x}(t) = \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}(t), t)dt + \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{x}(t), t)d\mathbf{B}(t) + \mathbf{h}(\mathbf{x}(t), t)d\langle \mathbf{B} \rangle(t).$$

80 The proof of such theorem, though inspired by [28], is rather different. By  $G$ -Itô's  
 81 formula, we write out the function in a form of the  $G$ -semimartingale and then apply  
 82 the corresponding convergence theorem. By estimating the calculus of  $\eta$  based on the  
 83 uppercrossing stopping time, we show that all trajectories converge to the kernel of  
 84 the function  $\eta$  quasi-surely. Still in this section, we further present several generalized  
 85 versions of invariance principle. All these build up a solid foundation for Section 5,  
 86 where we use the  $G$ -stochastic control to stabilize representative complex dynamics,  
 87 demonstrating the broad applicability of our analytically-established results. Finally,  
 88 Section 6 provides some discussion and concluding remarks.

89 **2. Preliminaries.** In this section, we present some frequently used definitions  
 90 and results of sublinear expectation theory, which will be useful for our following  
 91 investigations. For more details, we refer to [5, 36, 35, 22].

92 To begin with, we let  $\Omega$  be a given set, and  $\mathcal{H}$  be the space of all real-valued  
 93 functions defined on  $\Omega$ . Denote by  $C_{l,\text{Lip}}(\mathbb{R}^d)$  the space of all locally Lipschitz-  
 94 continuous functions on  $\mathbb{R}^d$ . And, for any function  $\varphi \in C_{l,\text{Lip}}(\mathbb{R}^d)$ , if  $x_i(\omega) \in \mathcal{H}$   
 95 for all  $i = 1, 2, \dots, d$ , then  $\varphi(x_1(\omega), \dots, x_d(\omega)) \in \mathcal{H}$ .

96 Next, we provide some basic concepts on the sublinear expectation.

97 **DEFINITION 2.1** (Sublinear Expectation [36]). *A functional  $\mathbb{E}[\cdot]$  is said to be*  
 98 *a sublinear expectation on  $\mathcal{H}$  if it satisfies: (1)  $\mathbb{E}[c] = c$ , for any  $c \in \mathbb{R}$ , (2)*  
 99  *$\mathbb{E}[X] \leq \mathbb{E}[Y]$ , for any  $X \leq Y$ , (3)  $\mathbb{E}[X + Y] \leq \mathbb{E}[X] + \mathbb{E}[Y]$ , and (4)  $\mathbb{E}[\lambda X] =$*   
 100  *$\lambda \mathbb{E}[X]$ , for any  $\lambda \geq 0$ .*

101 DEFINITION 2.2 (*G*-Function [36]). A function  $G : \mathbb{R}^d \times \mathbb{S}^d \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is said to be  
 102 sublinear and monotone if it satisfies (1)  $G(\mathbf{p} + \bar{\mathbf{p}}, \mathbf{A} + \bar{\mathbf{A}}) \leq G(\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{A}) + G(\bar{\mathbf{p}}, \bar{\mathbf{A}})$ ,  
 103 (2)  $G(\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{A}) \leq G(\mathbf{p}, \bar{\mathbf{A}})$ , if  $\mathbf{A} \leq \bar{\mathbf{A}}$ , and (3)  $G(\lambda\mathbf{p}, \lambda\mathbf{A}) = \lambda G(\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{A})$ ,  $\forall \lambda \geq 0$ .

104 Here,  $\mathbb{S}^d$  denotes the space of  $d \times d$  symmetric matrices. And  $\mathbf{A} \leq \bar{\mathbf{A}}$  implies the  
 105 nonnegativity of the symmetric matrix  $\bar{\mathbf{A}} - \mathbf{A}$ .

106 In the following, we assume the function  $G$  defined in Definition 2.2 is indepen-  
 107 dent of the vector  $p$ . It is worthwhile to mention that, when  $d = 1$ ,  $G$  is reduced  
 108 to the form  $G(r) = \frac{1}{2}(r^+\bar{\sigma}^2 - r^-\underline{\sigma}^2)$  for some non-negative  $\underline{\sigma} \leq \bar{\sigma}$ . Here  $r^+$  and  $r^-$   
 109 correspond to the non-negative and the non-positive parts of  $r$ , respectively. More-  
 110 over, if a symmetric  $G$ -Brownian motion satisfies  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}[\mathbf{A}\mathbf{B}(t), \mathbf{B}(t)] = 2G(\mathbf{A})t$  with  
 111  $G(\mathbf{A}) = \frac{1}{2}\hat{\mathbb{E}}[\mathbf{A}\mathbf{B}(1), \mathbf{B}(1)]$ , then  $G$  is said to be a  $G$ -function related to the symmet-  
 112 ric  $G$ -Brownian motion  $\mathbf{B}$ . Here, the definition of  $G$ -Brownian motion, as well as  
 113  $G$ -conditional expectation, can be found in [36].

114 Moreover, it is necessary to introduce some definitions on some spaces of functions  
 115 and measures. Here, we denote, respectively, by

- 116 •  $\mathcal{F}_t$ : The completion of  $\sigma(\mathbf{B}(s) : s \leq t)$ ,
- 117 •  $\mathcal{B}(\Omega)$ : The Borel  $\sigma$ -algebra on  $\Omega$ ,
- 118 •  $L^0(\Omega)$ : The space of all  $\mathcal{B}(\Omega)$ -measurable functions,
- 119 •  $L_G^p(\Omega)$ : The completion of the space  $\text{Lip}(\Omega)$  under the norm  $\|\cdot\|_{L_G^p} := (\hat{\mathbb{E}}[|\cdot|^p])^{\frac{1}{p}}$ ,
- 120 •  $\text{Lip}(\Omega_t)$ :  $\{\varphi(\mathbf{B}(t_1), \mathbf{B}(t_2) - \mathbf{B}(t_1), \dots, \mathbf{B}(t_k) - \mathbf{B}(t_{k-1})) : \varphi \in$   
 121  $C_{l,\text{Lip}}(\mathbb{R}^{m \times k}), 0 \leq t_1 < \dots < t_k \leq t\}$ ,
- 122 •  $L_G^p(\Omega_t)$ :  $L_G^p(\Omega) \cap \text{Lip}(\Omega_t)$ ,
- 123 •  $\mathcal{M}$ : The set of all probability measure defined on  $\Omega$ ,
- 124 •  $E_Q[\cdot]$ : The expectation under the traditional probability measure  $Q$ ,
- 125 •  $\mathcal{P}(t, Q) := \{R \in \mathcal{M} : E_Q[X] = E_R[X], \forall X \in \text{Lip}(\Omega_t)\}$ ,
- 126 •  $\mathcal{Q} := \{Q \in \mathcal{M} : E_Q[X] \leq \hat{\mathbb{E}}[X], \forall X \in L_G^1(\Omega)\}$ , and
- 127 •  $\mathcal{L}^0(\Omega) := \{X \in L^0(\Omega) : E_Q[X] \text{ exists for any } Q \in \mathcal{Q}\}$ .

128 From Theorem 1.2.1 in [35], it follows that the sublinear expectation satisfies  
 129  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}[X] = \sup_{Q \in \mathcal{Q}} E_Q[X]$  for each  $X \in \text{Lip}(\Omega)$ . Thus, the definition of  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}[\cdot]$  can be  
 130 extended to  $\mathcal{L}^0(\Omega)$ . In addition, for the  $G$ -conditional expectation defined above, it  
 131 can be represented by means of the probability space.

132 THEOREM 2.3 ([15]). For each  $Q \in \mathcal{Q}$  and  $X \in L_G^1(\Omega)$ ,  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}_t[X] =$   
 133  $\text{ess sup}_{R \in \mathcal{P}(t, Q)} E_R[X | \mathcal{F}_t]$ ,  $Q$ -a.s.. Here, if  $Y = \text{ess sup}_{R \in \mathcal{P}(t, Q)} E_R[X | \mathcal{F}_t]$ ,  
 134 it means that for every  $R \in \mathcal{P}(t, Q)$ ,  $E_R[X | \mathcal{F}_t] \leq Y, Q$ -a.s.. Moreover, if  
 135  $E_R[X | \mathcal{F}_t] \leq Z$  for each  $R \in \mathcal{P}(t, Q)$ ,  $Q$ -a.s., then we must have  $Y \leq Z, Q$ -a.s..

136 For introducing  $G$ -Itô's calculus, we define  $M_G^p([0, T])$ , a space of random process,  
 137 and the  $G$ -Itô's calculus on it (refer to [36] for details). Moreover, the quadratic

138 variation is defined in the same manner as that in normal stochastic analysis. However,  
 139 the range of the quadratic variation here is much different.

140 LEMMA 2.4 ([36]). *For an  $m$ -dimensional G-Brownian motion  $\mathbf{B}$ , there exists*  
 141 *a bounded, convex and closed set  $\Gamma \in \mathbb{S}_+^m$  such that  $\langle \mathbf{B} \rangle(t) \in t\Gamma := \{t\gamma : \gamma \in \Gamma\}$ ,*  
 142 *where  $\mathbb{S}_+^m$  represents the space of all positive symmetric matrices. Also,  $\langle \mathbf{B} \rangle(t)$  and*  
 143  *$\langle \mathbf{B} \rangle(t+s) - \langle \mathbf{B} \rangle(s)$  are identically distributed.*

144 Remark 2.5. In what follows, denote by  $\bar{\gamma} := \max_{\gamma \in \Gamma} (|\gamma|_F \vee |\gamma|_2)$  where  $|\cdot|_F$  and  
 145  $|\cdot|_2$ , respectively, are the Frobenius norm [1] and 2-norm for the matrix. Then, it  
 146 follows from Lemma 2.4 that  $|\langle \mathbf{B} \rangle(t)|_F \vee |\langle \mathbf{B} \rangle(t)|_2 \leq \bar{\gamma}t$ . Especially when  $m = 1$ , we  
 147 have  $\bar{\gamma} = \bar{\sigma}^2$ . Also, the largest eigenvalue of a matrix is denoted by  $\lambda_{\max}(\cdot)$ .

148 There are some very useful inequalities for our investigation in this article. Com-  
 149 bining the results of Sections 3.3-3.5 in [36], Lemma 2.4, and Remark 2.5, we give the  
 150 conclusions as follows.

151 THEOREM 2.6. *For any  $\eta(t), \gamma(t) \in M_G^2[0, T]$ , we have  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}\left(\int_0^T \eta(t) dB_i(t)\right) =$   
 152  $0$  and  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}\left(\int_0^T \eta(t) dB_i(t) \int_0^T \gamma(t) dB_j(t)\right) = \hat{\mathbb{E}}\left(\int_0^T \eta(t)\gamma(t) d\langle B_i, B_j \rangle(t)\right) \leq \bar{\gamma} \cdot$   
 153  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}\left(\int_0^T |\eta(t)\gamma(t)| dt\right)$ .*

154 Now we introduce the Choquet capacity and some related propositions.

155 DEFINITION 2.7 (Choquet Capacity, [36]). *For  $\mathcal{A} \in \mathcal{B}(\Omega)$ , define by  $c(\mathcal{A}) :=$   
 156  $\sup_{Q \in \mathcal{Q}} Q[\mathcal{A}] = \hat{\mathbb{E}}[1_{\mathcal{A}}]$ . A property is called valid quasi-surely if this property is valid  
 157 on the set  $\Omega \setminus \mathcal{A}$  with  $c(\mathcal{A}) = 0$ .*

158 PROPOSITION 2.8 (Monotone Convergence Theorem, [5, 35]). *If  $X(n) \uparrow X$ ,*  
 159  *$\{X(n)\} \subset \mathcal{L}^0(\Omega)$ ,  $X(n)$  is nonnegative, then  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}[X(n)] \uparrow \hat{\mathbb{E}}[X]$ .*

160 THEOREM 2.9 ([19]). *Assume that  $\{M(n)\}$  is a G-supermartingale, satisfying*  
 161  *$\sup_n \hat{\mathbb{E}}[M^-(n)] < +\infty$ . Then,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} M(n)$  exists, which is finite quasi-surely. Here,*  
 162 *the definition of G-martingale can be found in [36].*

163 **3. G-Semimartingale Convergence Theorem.** In the literature, the semi-  
 164 martingale convergence theorem mainly describes the asymptotic property of the  
 165 semimartingale, which is a random variable comprising a martingale and a process  
 166 with bounded variation. Inspired by this well-established and broadly-applied con-  
 167 vergence theorem, we are to establish a G-semimartingale convergence theorem and  
 168 its variant. It will be shown that the G-semimartingale convergence theorem is based  
 169 crucially on Doob's G-martingale convergence theorem. In fact, to our best knowl-  
 170 edge, the continuous version of Doob's G-martingale convergence theorem has not yet  
 171 been established until the result presented as follows.

172 PROPOSITION 3.1 (G-Martingale Convergence Theorem, A Continuous Version).

173 Assume that  $\{M(t) : t \in [0, +\infty)\}$  is a right- or left-continuous  $G$ -supermartingale,  
 174 and  $M(t) \in L_G^1(\Omega_t)$ . Moreover, assume that  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}[\sup_{t \geq 0} M^-(t)] < +\infty$ . Then,  $M(t)$   
 175 converges finitely to  $M(+\infty) \in L_G^{1*}(\Omega)$  quasi-surely. Moreover,  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}_t[M(+\infty)] \leq M(t)$ .  
 176 Here, the definition of  $L_G^{1*}(\Omega)$  is provided in Definition 7.2 of Appendix 7.1.

177 The proof of this proposition is tedious and tangential to the main focus of this  
 178 article. To enhance the readability, we include the proof into Appendix 7.1. Now, with  
 179 this preparation, we establish the following  $G$ -semimartingale convergence theorem.

180 **THEOREM 3.2** ( $G$ -Semimartingale Convergence Theorem). Assume that  $A^1$  and  
 181  $A^2$  are two non-decreasing processes with initial value 0, and that  $A^1(t)$  is a con-  
 182 tinuous process with  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}[A^1(+\infty)] < +\infty$ . Also, assume that  $Z$  is a non-negative  $G$ -  
 183 semimartingale satisfying  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}[Z^+(0)] < \infty$  with the form  $Z(t) = Z(0) + A^1(t) - A^2(t) +$   
 184  $M(t)$ ,  $t \geq 0$ , where  $M(t)$  is a continuous  $G$ -supermartingale with initial value 0 and  
 185  $M(t) \in L_G^1(\Omega_t)$  for every  $t \geq 0$ . Then, we have that  $A^2(+\infty) < +\infty$ ,  $\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} Z(t)$   
 186 finitely exists and  $\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} M(t)$  finitely exists quasi-surely.

187 **Proof.** Notice that  $M(t) = Z(t) - Z(0) - A^1(t) + A^2(t) \geq -Z(0) - A^1(+\infty)$ . Then,  
 188  $\sup_{t \geq 0} M^-(t) \leq Z^+(0) + A^1(+\infty)$ . By Proposition 3.1, we have  $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} M(t)$  finitely  
 189 exists quasi-surely. Because  $A^2(t) = Z(0) + A^1(t) + M(t) - Z(t) \leq Z(0) + A^1(t) + M(t)$   
 190 and  $Z(t) = Z(0) + A^1(t) - A^2(t) + M(t)$ , their limits also exist quasi-surely.

191 It is mentioned that this  $G$ -semimartingale convergence theorem can only deal  
 192 with the case where the limit of  $A^1(t)$  is supposed to be finite under the sublinear  
 193 expectation. We now give its variant, the  $G$ -semimartingale convergence theorem with  
 194 the  $\mathbb{F}$ -stopping time. It can deal with the case where the condition on the finite limit  
 195 of  $A^1(t)$  in Theorem 3.2 is removed. The tradeoff however requires more conditions  
 196 for the  $G$ -martingale  $M$ .

**THEOREM 3.3** ( $G$ -Semimartingale Convergence Theorem with Stopping Time).  
 Assume that  $A^1$  and  $A^2$  are two non-decreasing processes both with initial value 0,  
 and that  $A^1(t)$  is a continuous adapted process. Also assume that  $Z$  is a non-negative  
 adapted process satisfying  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}[|Z(0)|] < \infty$  with the form  $Z(t) = Z(0) + A^1(t) - A^2(t) +$   
 $M(t)$ ,  $t \geq 0$ , where  $M(t)$  is a continuous process with initial value 0. Furthermore,  
 assume that there exists a series of  $\mathbb{F}$ -stopping times  $\tau_N$  satisfying  $\{\tau_N \rightarrow +\infty\}$  quasi-  
 surely such that, for any  $Q \in \mathcal{Q}$ ,  $E_Q[M(t \wedge \tau_N) | \mathcal{F}_s] = M(s \wedge \tau_N)$ . Then, we have  
 quasi-surely

$$\begin{aligned} \{\omega : A^1(+\infty) < +\infty\} &\subset \left\{ \omega : \lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} Z(t) \text{ finitely exists} \right\} \\ &\cap \left\{ \omega : A^2(+\infty) < +\infty\right\} \cap \left\{ \omega : \lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} M(t) \text{ finitely exists} \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

197 Here,  $\mathcal{A} \subset \mathcal{B}$  quasi-surely means that  $c(\mathcal{A} \setminus \mathcal{B}) = 0$ , where  $c$  is the Choquet capacity  
 198 provided in Definition 2.7.

199 **Proof.** Denote by  $\mathcal{A} = \Omega \setminus (\{\omega : \lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} Z(t) \text{ finitely exists}\} \cap \{\omega : A^2(+\infty) <$   
 200  $+\infty\} \cap \{\omega : \lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} M(t) \text{ finitely exists}\})$ . For every  $Q \in \mathcal{Q}$ , we have  $E_Q[|Z(0)|] \leq$   
 201  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}[|Z(0)|]$ . By the  $G$ -semimartingale convergence theorem for the normal probability  
 202 space [24], we have  $Q(\mathcal{A}) = 0$ . By the arbitrariness of the  $Q$ 's choice, we obtain that  
 203  $c(\mathcal{A}) = \sup_{Q \in \mathcal{Q}} Q(\mathcal{A}) = 0$ , which therefore completes the proof.

204 **4. Invariance Principle in Sublinear Expectation.** Now, we consider a  $d$ -  
 205 dimensional  $G$ -stochastic differential equation which reads

$$206 \quad (4.1) \quad d\mathbf{x}(t) = \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}(t), t)dt + \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{x}(t), t)d\mathbf{B}(t) + \mathbf{h}(\mathbf{x}(t), t)d(\mathbf{B})(t),$$

207 where the initial value  $x(0) = x_0$ . Furthermore, we denote, respectively, by  $|\mathbf{A}|_2 :=$   
 208  $\sqrt{\text{tr}(\mathbf{A}^\top \mathbf{A})}$  and  $|\mathbf{A}| := |\mathbf{A}|_F = \sqrt{\sum_{i,j=1}^n a_{ij}^2}$  different norms of a given matrix  $\mathbf{A}$ .  
 209 All functions  $\mathbf{f} : \mathbb{R}^d \times \mathbb{R}_+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^d$ ,  $\mathbf{g} : \mathbb{R}^d \times \mathbb{R}_+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{d \times m}$ , and  $\mathbf{h} : \mathbb{R}^d \times \mathbb{R}_+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{d \times m \times m}$   
 210 are supposed to be continuous. In addition,  $h^{kij} = h^{kji}$ , and  $f^i(\mathbf{x}, \cdot)$ ,  $g^{ij}(\mathbf{x}, \cdot)$  and  
 211  $h^{kij}(\mathbf{x}, \cdot) \in M_G^2[0, T]$  for every  $T > 0$ . We need the following assumptions.

212 *Assumption 4.1.* For any  $N \in \mathbb{N}$ , there exists a number  $C_N$  such that  $|\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}, t) -$   
 213  $\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{y}, t)| + |\mathbf{g}(\mathbf{x}, t) - \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{y}, t)| + |\mathbf{h}(\mathbf{x}, t) - \mathbf{h}(\mathbf{y}, t)| \leq C_N |\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}|$  for all  $|\mathbf{x}| \wedge |\mathbf{y}| \leq N$ . Here,  
 214  $|\mathbf{h}|$  still represents the norm for  $\mathbf{h}$  of  $d \times m \times m$  dimensions.

215 *Assumption 4.2.* There exists a number  $C_l$  such that  $|\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}, t)| + |\mathbf{g}(\mathbf{x}, t)| +$   
 216  $|\mathbf{h}(\mathbf{x}, t)| \leq C_l(1 + |\mathbf{x}|)$ , for all  $(\mathbf{x}, t) \in \mathbb{R}^d \times \mathbb{R}_+$ .

217 Underlying these assumptions as prerequisites, the solutions of Eq. (4.1) are well-  
 218 posed from a certain perspective as follows.

219 **PROPOSITION 4.3.** *If Assumption 4.1 holds, there is a global unique solution in*  
 220 *a quasi-sure sense on  $[0, \tau_\infty)$ , where  $\tau_\infty = \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \tau_N$ ,  $\tau_N := \inf\{t \geq 0 : |\mathbf{x}(t)| \geq$   
 221  $N\}$ . For given  $N > 0$ , there exists  $\mathbf{x}^N \in M_G^2[0, T]$  with  $T > 0$  such that  $\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{x}^N$  on  
 222  $[0, \tau_N)$ . Additionally, for  $\mathbf{A} = (a^{ij}) : \mathbb{R}^d \times \mathbb{R}_+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{d \times m}$  with  $a^{ij}(\mathbf{x}, \cdot) \in M_G^1[0, T]$  and  
 223  $T > 0$ , we have  $\mathbf{M}(t) = \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{x}(s), s)d\mathbf{B}(s)$  is  $Q$ -martingale for each  $Q \in \mathcal{Q}$ . If  
 224 *Assumption 4.2 holds, we have  $\tau_\infty = +\infty$  quasi-surely.**

225 *Remark 4.4.* The proof of Proposition 4.3 is similar to those presented in Refs. [31,  
 226 21], which we omit here. It is worth mentioning that  $\mathbf{x}(\cdot)$ , the solution to Eq. (4.1),  
 227 does not belong to  $M_G^2([0, T]; \mathbb{R}^d)$ . Actually,  $\mathbf{x}(\cdot \wedge \tau_N) \in M_*^2([0, T]; \mathbb{R}^d)$  for each  $N > 0$ ,  
 228 which implies that our solution is locally integrable. In particular, if  $\tau_\infty = +\infty$ , we  
 229 have  $\mathbf{x}(\cdot) \in M_w^2([0, T]; \mathbb{R}^d)$  and it is globally integrable on  $[0, +\infty)$  now. Here, both  
 230  $M_*^2([0, T]; \mathbb{R}^d)$  and  $M_w^2([0, T]; \mathbb{R}^d)$  are expanded integrand space defined in Chapter 8  
 231 of Ref. [36] satisfying  $M_G^2([0, T]; \mathbb{R}^d) \subset M_*^2([0, T]; \mathbb{R}^d) \subset M_w^2([0, T]; \mathbb{R}^d)$ .

232 Next, we introduce  $G$ -Itô's formula which is useful in the following discussions.



233 THEOREM 4.5 (*G*-Itô's formula [22]). Let  $V \in C^{2,1}(\mathbb{R}^d \times \mathbb{R}_+; \mathbb{R}_+)$ . For the  
 234  $d$ -dimensional *G*-stochastic differential equations  $d\mathbf{x}(t) = \mathbf{f}(t)dt + \mathbf{g}(t)d\mathbf{B}(t) +$   
 235  $\mathbf{h}(t)d\langle \mathbf{B} \rangle(t)$  with the initial value  $\mathbf{x}(0) = \mathbf{x}_0$ . Moreover,  $\mathbf{f} : \mathbb{R}_+ \rightarrow$   
 236  $\mathbb{R}^d$ ,  $\mathbf{g} : \mathbb{R}_+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{d \times m}$ , and  $\mathbf{h} : \mathbb{R}_+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{d \times m^2}$  with  $f^i(\cdot)$ ,  $g^{ij}(\cdot) \in$   
 237  $M_G^1[0, T]$ ,  $h^{kij}(\cdot) \in M_G^2[0, T]$  for every  $T > 0$ . Then,  $V(\mathbf{x}(t), t) =$   
 238  $V(\mathbf{x}_0, 0) + \int_0^t V_t(\mathbf{x}(s), s)ds + \int_0^t V_{x_i}(\mathbf{x}(s), s)f^i(s)ds + \int_0^t V_{x_i}(\mathbf{x}(s), s)g^{ij}(s)dB_j(s) +$   
 239  $\int_0^t V_{x_k}(\mathbf{x}(s), s)h^{kij}(s)d\langle B_i, B_j \rangle(s) + \int_0^t \frac{1}{2}V_{x_k x_l}(\mathbf{x}(s), s)g^{ki}(s)g^{lj}(s)d\langle B_i, B_j \rangle(s)$ .

240 Actually, *G*-Itô's formula presented above could be applicable to  $M_*^2([0, T]; \mathbb{R}^d)$   
 241 and  $M_w^2([0, T]; \mathbb{R}^d)$  according to Theorem 5.4 established in [22]. By virtue of *G*-  
 242 Itô's formula, Assumption 4.2 used above can be replaced. To present this result, we  
 243 introduce the notation as  $\mathcal{L}V := V_t + V_{x_i}f^i + G\left((V_{x_k}(h^{kij} + h^{kji}) + V_{x_k x_l}g^{ki}g^{lj})_{i,j=1}^n\right)$ ,  
 244 where the function  $V \in C^{2,1}(\mathbb{R}^d \times \mathbb{R}_+; \mathbb{R}_+)$ . As such, we obtain the following result.

245 PROPOSITION 4.6. Suppose that Assumption 4.1 holds and that there exists a  
 246 function  $\gamma \in L^1(\mathbb{R}_+; \mathbb{R}_+)$  such that  $\mathcal{L}V(\mathbf{x}, t) \leq \gamma(t)$ . Moreover,  $V$  satisfies

$$247 \quad (4.2) \quad \lim_{|\mathbf{x}| \rightarrow \infty} \inf_{0 \leq t < +\infty} V(\mathbf{x}, t) = +\infty.$$

248 Then,  $\tau_\infty$ , as defined in Proposition 4.3, satisfies  $\tau_\infty = +\infty$  quasi-surely.

249 For simplicity of expression, we still include the proof of Proposition 4.6 in Ap-  
 250 pendix 7.2, where the following proposition is needed.

251 PROPOSITION 4.7 ([21]). Let  $M(t) = \int_0^t \kappa_{ij}(s)d\langle B_i, B_j \rangle(s) - \int_0^t 2G(\boldsymbol{\kappa})ds$ , where  
 252  $\boldsymbol{\kappa} \in M_G^1([0, T]; \mathbb{S}^n)$ . Then, we have  $M(t) \leq 0$  quasi-surely. Particularly  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}[M(t)] \leq 0$ .

253 In addition, we present the following *G*-stochastic Barbalat's lemma that will be  
 254 used later, and its proof is provided in Appendix 7.3.

255 LEMMA 4.8. Suppose that Assumption 4.1 holds and  $\tau_\infty = +\infty$  quasi-surely,  
 256 where  $\tau_\infty$  is defined in Proposition 4.3. Also suppose that the solution to Eq. (4.1)  
 257 satisfies  $\sup_{t \in \mathbb{R}_+} |\mathbf{x}(t)| < +\infty$  q.s.. Besides, there exists  $\eta \in C(\mathbb{R}^d; \mathbb{R}_+)$  such that

$$258 \quad (4.3) \quad \int_0^{+\infty} \eta(\mathbf{x}(t))dt < +\infty, \quad \text{q.s..}$$

259 Then, we have  $\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} \eta(\mathbf{x}(t)) = 0$  quasi-surely.

260 Now, with the following assumption, we state our main theorem.

261 Assumption 4.9. For each  $N > 0$ ,  $t \in \mathbb{R}_+$  and all  $|\mathbf{x}| \leq N$ , there exists a number  
 262  $K_N > 0$  such that  $|\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}, t)| + |\mathbf{g}(\mathbf{x}, t)| + |\mathbf{h}(\mathbf{x}, t)| \leq K_N$ .

263 THEOREM 4.10. Suppose that Assumptions 4.1 and 4.9 hold. Also suppose that  
 264 there exist three functions  $V \in C^{2,1}(\mathbb{R}^d \times \mathbb{R}_+; \mathbb{R}_+)$ ,  $\gamma \in L^1(\mathbb{R}_+; \mathbb{R}_+)$  and  $\eta \in C(\mathbb{R}^d; \mathbb{R}_+)$   
 265 such that (UB)  $\lim_{|\mathbf{x}| \rightarrow \infty} \inf_{0 \leq t < +\infty} V(\mathbf{x}, t) = \infty$  and  $\mathcal{L}V(\mathbf{x}, t) \leq \gamma(t) - \eta(\mathbf{x})$ . Then,



266 we have that  $\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} V(\mathbf{x}(t), t)$  finitely exists quasi-surely and that

$$267 \quad (4.4) \quad \lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} \eta(\mathbf{x}(t)) = 0 \quad q.s..$$

268 Moreover,  $\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} d(\mathbf{x}, \text{Ker}(\eta)) = 0$ , where  $d(\mathbf{x}, \text{Ker}(\eta)) := \inf_{\mathbf{y} \in \text{Ker}(\eta)} |\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}|$ .

269 **Proof.** Using Proposition 4.6, the G-SDEs satisfying the conditions assumed in  
 270 this theorem have a global solution on  $[0, +\infty)$  with a property that  $\mathcal{L}V(\mathbf{x}, t) \leq$   
 271  $\gamma(t) - \eta(\mathbf{x}) \leq \gamma(t)$ . By G-Itô's formula in Theorem 4.5, Proposition 4.3 and Remark  
 272 4.4, we have

$$273 \quad V(\mathbf{x}(t \wedge \tau_N), t \wedge \tau_N) = V(\mathbf{x}_0, 0) + \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} V_t(\mathbf{x}(s), s) ds$$

$$274 \quad + \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} V_{x_i}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) f^i(\mathbf{x}(s), s) ds + \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} V_{x_i}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) g^{ij}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) dB_j(s)$$

$$275 \quad + \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} V_{x_k}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) h^{kij}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) d\langle B_i, B_j \rangle(s) + \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} \frac{1}{2} V_{x_k x_l}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) g^{ki}(\mathbf{x}(s), s)$$

$$276 \quad g^{lj}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) d\langle B_i, B_j \rangle(s),$$

277 where  $\tau_N := \inf\{t \geq 0 : |\mathbf{x}(t)| \geq N\}$ . Letting  $N \rightarrow +\infty$  and setting  $\kappa = (\kappa_{ij})_{i,j=1}^m$  for  
 278 every  $t \geq 0$  where  $\kappa_{ij} = V_{x_k}(h^{kij} + h^{kji}) + V_{x_k x_l} g^{ki} g^{lj}$ , we get that  $\tau_N$  tends to  $+\infty$   
 279 by Proposition 4.3 and

$$280 \quad V(\mathbf{x}(t), t) = V(\mathbf{x}_0, 0) + \int_0^t V_t(\mathbf{x}(s), s) ds + \int_0^t V_{x_i}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) f^i(\mathbf{x}(s), s) ds$$

$$281 \quad + \int_0^t V_{x_i}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) g^{ij}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) dB_j(s) + \int_0^t \frac{1}{2} \kappa_{ij}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) d\langle B_i, B_j \rangle(s).$$

Thus, if we set

$$V(\mathbf{x}(t), t) = V(\mathbf{x}_0, 0) + \int_0^t \gamma(s) ds - A_2(t) + \int_0^t V_{x_i}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) g^{ij}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) dB_j(s),$$

282 then  $A_2(0) = 0$ . Besides, according to Proposition 4.7, for every  $0 \leq t_1 < t_2 < +\infty$ ,  
 283 we have

$$284 \quad A_2(t_2) - A_2(t_1) = \int_{t_1}^{t_2} \gamma(s) ds - \int_{t_1}^{t_2} V_{x_i}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) f^i(\mathbf{x}(s), s) ds$$

$$285 \quad - \int_{t_1}^{t_2} V_t(\mathbf{x}(s), s) ds - \int_{t_1}^{t_2} \frac{1}{2} \kappa_{ij}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) d\langle B_i, B_j \rangle(s)$$

$$286 \quad \geq \int_{t_1}^{t_2} \gamma(s) ds - \int_{t_1}^{t_2} V_t(\mathbf{x}(s), s) ds$$

$$287 \quad - \int_{t_1}^{t_2} V_{x_i}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) f^i(\mathbf{x}(s), s) ds - \int_{t_1}^{t_2} G(\eta(\mathbf{x}(s), s)) ds$$

$$288 \quad = \int_{t_1}^{t_2} \gamma(s) ds - \int_{t_1}^{t_2} \mathcal{L}V(\mathbf{x}(s), s) ds \geq \int_{t_1}^{t_2} \eta(s) ds \geq 0$$

289 which implies that  $A_2(t)$  is a non-decreasing process. Using Proposition 4.3, we obtain  
 290 that  $\int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} V_{x_i}(\mathbf{x}(s), s)g^{ij}(\mathbf{x}(s), s)dB_j(s)$  is a  $Q$ -martingale for every  $Q \in \mathcal{Q}$ . Noticing  
 291  $\int_0^{+\infty} \gamma(s)ds < +\infty$  and according to Proposition 3.3, we have a set  $\Omega_0 \subset \Omega$  such  
 292 that  $c(\Omega \setminus \Omega_0) = 0$ . Then, we have that, for all  $\omega \in \Omega_0$ ,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} A_2(t)$  finitely exists  
 293 and  $\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} V(\mathbf{x}(t), t)$  finitely exists. Thus, on  $\Omega_0$ ,  $\int_0^{+\infty} \eta(\mathbf{x}(t))dt < +\infty$ . From the  
 294 finite existence of the limit of  $V$ , we obtain that, on  $\Omega_0$ ,  $\sup_{t \geq 0} V(\mathbf{x}(t; \omega), t) < +\infty$ .  
 295 Hence, from the above-assumed condition (UB), it follows that there exists  $K(\omega)$  such  
 296 that  $\sup_{t \geq 0} |\mathbf{x}(t; \omega)| \leq K(\omega)$ . According to Lemma 4.8, we obtain  $\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} \eta(\mathbf{x}(t)) =$   
 297 0 quasi-surely.

298 For every  $\omega$  satisfying  $\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} \eta(\mathbf{x}(t; \omega)) = 0$  and  $\sup_{t \in \mathbb{R}_+} |\mathbf{x}(t; \omega)| < +\infty$ ,  
 299 there exists  $\mathbf{y}(\omega)$  and a sequence  $\{t_i\}$  having  $\lim_{i \rightarrow +\infty} \mathbf{x}(t_i; \omega) = \mathbf{y}(\omega)$ . So,  
 300  $\lim_{i \rightarrow +\infty} \eta(\mathbf{x}(t_i; \omega)) = \eta(\mathbf{y}(\omega)) = 0$  and  $\text{Ker}(\eta) \neq \emptyset$ . If  $\limsup_{t \rightarrow +\infty} d(\mathbf{x}(t; \omega), \text{ker}(\eta))$   
 301 is positive, there exist a sequence  $\{t_i\}$  such that  $d(\mathbf{x}(t_i; \omega), \text{ker}(\eta)) \geq \epsilon$ , for some  $\epsilon > 0$ .  
 302 This implies  $\eta(\mathbf{y}) > 0$ , which is a contradiction.

303 *Remark 4.11.* Here, our conclusions nontrivially extend the corresponding results  
 304 obtained for the traditional SDEs. Particularly, the significant differences do exist.  
 305 First, in terms of the conclusions, we are able to induce relevant results even when the  
 306 system randomness itself is uncertain, greatly surpassing the applicability scope of ex-  
 307 isting Brownian motion-driven stochastic systems. From a technical standpoint, our  
 308 generalized stochastic differential equation (i.e., G-SDE) cannot measure the occur-  
 309 rence probability of events from the perspective of traditional probability measures,  
 310 but the capacities instead. Second, the construction of the monotone functions in our  
 311 semi-martingales differs significantly from the invariance principles in the traditional  
 312 stochastic analysis.

313 Next, we present another version of invariance principle, where  $\eta$  is a function  
 314 with respect to the function  $V$ .

315 **THEOREM 4.12.** *Suppose that Assumption 4.1 holds, and that there exist three*  
 316 *functions  $V \in C^{2,1}(\mathbb{R}^d \times \mathbb{R}_+; \mathbb{R}_+)$ ,  $\gamma \in L^1(\mathbb{R}_+; \mathbb{R}_+)$  and  $\eta \in C(\mathbb{R}_+; \mathbb{R}_+)$  such*  
 317 *that  $\mathcal{L}V(\mathbf{x}, t) \leq \gamma(t) - \eta(V(\mathbf{x}, t))$  for all  $(\mathbf{x}, t) \in \mathbb{R}^d \times \mathbb{R}_+$ . Then, we obtain that*  
 318  *$\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} V(\mathbf{x}(t), t)$  finitely exists quasi-surely and  $\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} \eta(V(\mathbf{x}(t), t)) = 0$  q.s..*  
 319 *Moreover,  $\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} d(V(\mathbf{x}(t), t), \text{Ker}(\eta)) = 0$ .*

320 **Proof.** Analogously, the G-SDEs have a global solution on  $[0, +\infty)$  according to  
 321 Proposition 4.6. By the arguments akin to those for validating Theorem 4.10, we  
 322 obtain  $V(\mathbf{x}(t), t) = V(\mathbf{x}_0, 0) + \int_0^t \gamma(s)ds - A_2(t) + \int_0^t V_{x_i}(\mathbf{x}(s), s)g^{ij}(\mathbf{x}(s), s)dB_j(s)$ ,

323 where  $A_2(0) = 0$  and for every  $0 \leq t_1 < t_2 < +\infty$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
 324 \quad A_2(t_2) - A_2(t_1) &= \int_{t_1}^{t_2} \gamma(s) ds - \int_{t_1}^{t_2} V_{x_i}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) f^i(\mathbf{x}(s), s) ds \\
 325 \quad &- \int_{t_1}^{t_2} V_t(\mathbf{x}(s), s) ds - \int_{t_1}^{t_2} \frac{1}{2} \kappa_{ij}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) d\langle B_i, B_j \rangle(s) \\
 326 \quad & \\
 327 \quad & \\
 328 \quad &\geq \int_{t_1}^{t_2} \gamma(s) ds - \int_{t_1}^{t_2} V_{x_i}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) f^i(\mathbf{x}(s), s) ds \\
 329 \quad &- \int_{t_1}^{t_2} V_t(\mathbf{x}(s), s) ds - \int_{t_1}^{t_2} G(\eta(\mathbf{x}(s), s)) ds \\
 330 \quad &= \int_{t_1}^{t_2} \gamma(s) ds - \int_{t_1}^{t_2} \mathcal{L}V(\mathbf{x}(s), s) ds \geq \int_{t_1}^{t_2} \eta(V(\mathbf{x}(s), s)) ds \geq 0.
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, by the  $G$ -semimartingale Convergence Theorem 3.3, there exists  $\bar{\Omega} \subset \Omega$  such that  $c(\Omega \setminus \bar{\Omega}) = 0$ . Furthermore, we have that, on  $\bar{\Omega}$ ,

$$\int_0^\infty \eta(V(\mathbf{x}(t), t)) dt < +\infty \quad \text{and} \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} V(\mathbf{x}(t), t) \text{ finitely exists.}$$

331 Now, we claim that, for every  $\omega \in \bar{\Omega}$ , we have  $\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} \eta(V(\mathbf{x}(t; \omega), t)) = 0$ . We val-  
 332 idate the claim by contradiction. If this is not the case, then we have a sequence  
 333  $\{t_k\}$  with  $t_{k+1} - t_k > 1$  and  $\epsilon > 0$ , such that  $\eta(V(\mathbf{x}(t_k; \omega), t_k)) > \epsilon$ . Assume  
 334  $\sup_{t \geq 0} V(\mathbf{x}(t; \omega), t) \leq K(\omega)$ . Hence, there exists  $\delta_1$  such that  $|\eta(x) - \eta(y)| \leq \frac{\epsilon}{2}$   
 335 for  $0 \leq x, y \leq K(\omega)$  and  $|x - y| \leq \delta_1$ . As  $\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} V(\mathbf{x}(t; \omega), t)$  finitely exists and  
 336  $V(\mathbf{x}(t; \omega), t)$  is continuous about  $t$ , we can easily check that it is uniformly continuous  
 337 on  $\mathbb{R}^+$ . Thus, there exists  $\delta_2 < 1$  such that  $|V(\mathbf{x}(t; \omega), t) - V(\mathbf{x}(s; \omega), s)| < \delta_1$ ,  $|t - s| <$   
 338  $\delta_2$ . Consequently, for  $t_k \leq t < t_k + \delta_2$ , we have  $\eta(V(\mathbf{x}(t; \omega), t)) \geq \eta(V(\mathbf{x}(t_k; \omega), t_k)) -$   
 339  $|\eta(V(\mathbf{x}(t_k; \omega), t_k)) - \eta(V(\mathbf{x}(t; \omega), t))| \geq \frac{\epsilon}{2}$ . Therefore,  $+\infty > \int_0^\infty \eta(V(\mathbf{x}(t), t)) dt \geq$   
 340  $\sum_{k=1}^{+\infty} \int_{t_k}^{t_k + \delta_2} \eta(V(\mathbf{x}(t), t)) dt \geq \sum_{k=1}^{+\infty} \frac{\epsilon \delta_2}{2} = +\infty$ , which indicates a contradiction. Fi-  
 341 nally, the arguments for proving  $\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} d(V(\mathbf{x}(t), t), \text{Ker}(\eta)) = 0$  are the same as  
 342 those for validating the last conclusion in Theorem 4.10.

343 *Remark 4.13.* A set  $\mathcal{A} \in \mathcal{B}(\Omega)$  is said to be invariant if  $c(\{\exists t \geq 0, x(t; \mathbf{x}_0) \notin$   
 344  $\mathcal{A}\}) = 0$ , for every  $\mathbf{x}_0 \in \mathcal{A}$ . Actually, if we suppose some conditions to be valid only  
 345 in the invariant set  $\mathcal{A}$  for Theorems 4.10 and 4.12, the conclusions in these theorems  
 346 still sustain.

347 Finally, we present two corollaries which can be obtained directly form the in-  
 348 variance principles established above. These results are related to the stability or the  
 349 exponential stability of the solution  $\mathbf{x}(t)$ .

350 **COROLLARY 4.14.** *Let Assumption 4.1 hold. Assume further that there exists a*  
 351 *function  $V \in C^{2,1}(\mathbb{R}^d \times \mathbb{R}_+; \mathbb{R}_+)$  such that*

$$352 \quad (4.5) \quad \mu_1(|\mathbf{x}|) \leq V(\mathbf{x}, t) \leq \mu_2(|\mathbf{x}|), \quad \mathcal{L}V(\mathbf{x}, t) \leq -\mu_3(|\mathbf{x}|),$$

353 where  $\mu_1, \mu_2$  and  $\mu_3$  are three strictly increasing functions in  $[0, +\infty)$  with the initial  
 354 value 0 and  $\mu_1(r), \mu_2(r) \rightarrow +\infty$  as  $r \rightarrow +\infty$ . Then, we have  $\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} |\mathbf{x}(t)| = 0$  q.s..

355 **Proof.** From the condition assumed in (4.5), it follows that  $\mu_2^{-1}(V(\mathbf{x}, t)) \leq |\mathbf{x}|$ ,  
 356 which implies  $\mathcal{L}V(\mathbf{x}, t) \leq -\mu_3(\mu_2^{-1}(V(\mathbf{x}, t)))$ . According to Theorem 4.12, we have  
 357  $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \mu_3(\mu_2^{-1}(V(\mathbf{x}(t), t))) = 0$  q.s., which implies  $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} V(\mathbf{x}(t), t) = 0$  q.s.. There-  
 358 fore, we have  $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \mu_1(|\mathbf{x}(t)|) = 0$  q.s., which finally gives  $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} |\mathbf{x}(t)| = 0$  q.s..

359 **COROLLARY 4.15.** *Let Assumption 4.1 hold. Assume further that there exist*  
 360 *two functions:  $V \in C^{2,1}(\mathbb{R}^d \times \mathbb{R}_+; \mathbb{R}_+)$  and  $\gamma \in L^1(\mathbb{R}_+; \mathbb{R}_+)$ , such that  $e^{\lambda t} |\mathbf{x}|^p \leq$*   
 361  *$V(\mathbf{x}(t), t)$  and  $\mathcal{L}V(\mathbf{x}, t) \leq \gamma(t)$ , where  $\lambda$  and  $p$  are positive numbers. Then, we*  
 362 *have  $\overline{\lim}_{t \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{1}{t} \log |\mathbf{x}(t)| \leq -\frac{\lambda}{p}$  q.s..*

363 **Proof.** Set  $\eta = 0$  in Theorem 4.12. Then,  $\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} V(\mathbf{x}(t), t)$  finitely exists quasi-  
 364 surely. Further use the condition that  $e^{\lambda t} |\mathbf{x}|^p \leq V(\mathbf{x}(t), t)$ . The proof is therefore  
 365 complete.

366 **5. Illustrative Examples: Applying G-invariance principle to achieving**  
 367 **G-stochastic control.** In this section, we use several representative examples to  
 368 illustrate the applicability of our analytical results to realizing G-stochastic control of  
 369 the unstable dynamical systems.

370 *Example 5.1.* Consider a linear (complex network) system  $d\mathbf{x}(t) = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}(t)dt$ .  
 371 Here,  $\mathbf{A} = [11, 5, 2; 5, 11, 2; 2, 2, 14]$ . Then, it is easy to check that  $\lambda_{\max}(\mathbf{A}) = 18$  and  
 372 the system is unstable. Now, for a G-Brownian motion where  $\underline{\sigma}^2 = 3.5$  and  $\overline{\sigma}^2 = 4$ , we  
 373 choose  $\mathbf{D} = \mathbf{I}_3$  and  $\mathbf{C} = [-19, 11, 2; 11, -19, 2; 2, 2, -10]$  to G-stochastically control  
 374 the linear system as  $\mathbf{x}(t) = \mathbf{x}_0 + \int_0^t \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}(s)ds + \int_0^t \mathbf{D}\mathbf{x}(s)d\mathbf{B}(s) + \int_0^t \mathbf{C}\mathbf{x}(s)d\langle \mathbf{B} \rangle(s)$ .  
 375 Choosing  $V(\mathbf{x}) := |\mathbf{x}|^2$  yields:  $\mathcal{L}V(\mathbf{x}) = 2\mathbf{x}^\top \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x} + G(2\mathbf{x}^\top \mathbf{D}^\top \mathbf{D}\mathbf{x} + 4\mathbf{x}^\top \mathbf{C}\mathbf{x})$ . As  
 376  $\lambda_{\max}(\mathbf{C}) = -6$ , we easily derive that  $\mathcal{L}V(\mathbf{x}) \leq -2.5|\mathbf{x}|^2$ . This, according to Corollary  
 377 4.14, ensures the asymptotic stability of the controlled system in a quasi-sure sense.

378 Moreover, if we set  $V(\mathbf{x}, t) = e^{\lambda t} |\mathbf{x}|^2$ , we obtain that  $\mathcal{L}V(\mathbf{x}, t) = \mathcal{L}V(\mathbf{x}) =$   
 379  $[\mathbf{x}^\top (2\mathbf{A} + \lambda \mathbf{I}_d)\mathbf{x} + G(2\mathbf{x}^\top \mathbf{D}^\top \mathbf{D}\mathbf{x} + 4\mathbf{x}^\top \mathbf{C}\mathbf{x})] e^{\lambda t}$ , which, using the parameters  $\underline{\sigma}^2 =$   
 380  $3.5$  and  $\overline{\sigma}^2 = 4$ , yields  $\mathcal{L}V(\mathbf{x}, t) \leq (\lambda - 1.5)|\mathbf{x}|^2$ . If we set  $\lambda \leq 1.5$ , using Corollary  
 381 4.15 gives  $\overline{\lim}_{t \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{1}{t} \log |\mathbf{x}(t)| \leq -0.75$  q.s.. This clearly illustrates the exponential  
 382 stability of the controlled system.

383 *Example 5.2.* Consider an autonomous system, which reads  $d\mathbf{x}(t) = \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}(t))dt$ .  
 384 Here,  $\mathbf{f}$  satisfies Assumption 4.1 and  $\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{0}) = \mathbf{0}$ . Moreover,  $\mathbf{f}$  satisfies one-sided  
 385 Lipschitz condition, i.e., there exists a number  $L > 0$  such that  $\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}) \rangle \leq L|\mathbf{x}|^2$ .  
 386 There are many systems, not globally Lipschitzian, only satisfying this one-sided  
 387 Lipschitz condition. For instance, both  $f(x) = x - x^3$  and the Lorenz system with  
 388  $\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}) = [\sigma x_2 - \sigma x_1, \rho x_1 - x_3 x_1 - x_2, x_1 x_2 - \beta x_3]^\top$  satisfy the one-sided Lipschitz  
 389 condition. Now, we apply the G-stochastic control to the original dynamics, which

390 yields  $d\mathbf{x}(t) = \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}(t))dt + k \sum_{j=1}^m \mathbf{x}(t)dB_j(t)$  with  $k > (-L/c_{-1})^{1/2}$  with  $c_{-1} :=$   
 391  $G((-1)_{i,j=1}^m)$ . Here,  $(-1)_{i,j=1}^m$  corresponds to an  $m \times m$  matrix with all elements  
 392 are  $-1$ . Then, the controlled system becomes stochastically stable, whose proof is  
 393 included in Appendix 7.4. Take the three-dimensional Lorenz system for example.  
 394 We are able to use a one-dimensional  $G$ -Brownian motion to render the controlled  
 395 system stable quasi-surely, if we set  $m = 1$ ,  $c_{-1} = G(-1) = -\frac{1}{2}\underline{\sigma}^2$ ,  $L \leq \frac{1}{2}(\sigma + \rho)$ , and  
 396  $k > (\sigma + \rho)^{1/2}\underline{\sigma}^{-1}$ .

397 *Example 5.3.* Consider an oscillating system  $d\mathbf{x}(t) = \mathbf{C}\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}(t))dt$ , where  $\mathbf{C} =$   
 398  $[1, 1, 4; 5, -1, 4; 8, 1, 0]$  and  $\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}) = [-x_1, \arctan(x_2), \tanh(x_3)]^\top$ . Now, we consider the  
 399  $G$ -stochastically controlled system as  $d\mathbf{x}(t) = \mathbf{C}\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}(t))dt + \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{x}(t))d\mathbf{B}(t)$ , where  $\mathbf{B}$  is  
 400 a two-dimensional, independent and identically distributed  $G$ -Brownian motion with  
 401  $\bar{\sigma}^2 = 50$  and  $\underline{\sigma}^2 = 40$ , and  $\mathbf{g}(\mathbf{x}) = [\mathbf{A}_1\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{A}_2\mathbf{x}]$  in which  $\mathbf{A}_1 = [1, 0.5, 0; 0, 1, 0; 0, 0, 1]$   
 402 and  $\mathbf{A}_2 = [1, 0, 0; 0, 1, 0.5; 0, 0, 1]$ . Additionally, the  $G$ -function of  $\mathbf{B}$  satisfies  $\mathbf{G}(\mathbf{M}) =$   
 403  $\sum_{j=1}^2 G_j(a_{jj})$ , where  $\mathbf{M} = (m_{ij})_{i,j=1}^2$  is a two-dimensional matrix, and  $G_j$  is the  $G$ -  
 404 function related to the one-dimensional  $G$ -Brownian motion  $B_j$ . Set  $V(\mathbf{x}) = |\mathbf{x}|^\alpha$  for  
 405 some  $\alpha > 0$ . By Appendix 7.5,  $\mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{\mathbf{0}\}$  is an invariant set of the system. It follows  
 406 that, on  $\mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{\mathbf{0}\}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
 407 \quad \mathcal{L}V(\mathbf{x}) &= \alpha|\mathbf{x}|^{\alpha-2} \left[ -x_1^2 + x_1 \arctan(x_2) + 4x_1 \tanh(x_3) - 5x_1x_2 - x_2 \arctan(x_2) \right. \\
 408 &\quad \left. + 4x_2 \tanh(x_3) - 8x_3x_1 + x_3 \arctan(x_2) \right] \\
 409 &\quad + \alpha|\mathbf{x}|^{\alpha-4} G(|\mathbf{x}|^2 \mathbf{g}^\top \mathbf{g} + (\alpha - 2) \mathbf{g}^\top \mathbf{x} \mathbf{x}^\top \mathbf{g}) \\
 410 &\leq \alpha|\mathbf{x}|^{\alpha-2} (-x_1^2 + 6|x_1x_2| + 12|x_1x_3| + 5|x_2x_3|) \\
 411 &\quad + \sum_{j=1}^2 \alpha|\mathbf{x}|^{\alpha-4} G_j(|\mathbf{x}|^2 |\mathbf{A}_j \mathbf{x}|^2 + (\alpha - 2)(\mathbf{x}^\top \mathbf{A}_j \mathbf{x})^2).
 \end{aligned}$$

412 Notice that  $(\mathbf{x}^\top \mathbf{A}_j \mathbf{x})^2 \geq \frac{1}{2}|\mathbf{x}|^2 |\mathbf{A}_j \mathbf{x}|^2 + \frac{1}{8}|\mathbf{x}|^4$  and  $\mathbf{x}^\top \mathbf{A}_j \mathbf{x} \leq \frac{5}{4}|\mathbf{x}|^2$  for  $j = 1, 2$ , and  
 413 set  $\alpha = \frac{2}{25}$ . Then, we obtain  $\mathcal{L}V(\mathbf{x}) \leq \frac{17}{25}|\mathbf{x}|^{\frac{2}{25}} + \sum_{j=1}^2 \frac{2}{25}|\mathbf{x}|^{-\frac{98}{25}} G_j\left(\frac{2}{25}(\mathbf{x}^\top \mathbf{A}_j \mathbf{x})^2 - \frac{1}{4}|\mathbf{x}|^4\right) \leq -\frac{3}{25}|\mathbf{x}|^{\frac{2}{25}}$ . Setting  $\eta$  in Theorem 4.10 as  $\eta(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{3}{25}|\mathbf{x}|^{\frac{2}{25}}$  guarantees the  
 415 quasi-sure stability of the above controlled system.

416 In Appendix 7.6, we further provide a few numerical evidences for illustrating  
 417 the above examples. It is emphasized that those numerically-presented results do  
 418 not represent all the exact solution produced by the  $G$ -SDEs, but only provide some  
 419 evidences partially supporting the analytical results obtained in the above examples.  
 420 The numerical scheme used there is not complete, so it awaits further development  
 421 for rigorously approximating the solution of  $G$ -SDEs.

422 **6. Conclusion.** In this article, we have developed several invariance principles  
 423 for the stochastic differential equations driven by the  $G$ -Brownian motions. Our  
 424 work is basically inspired by the seminal works from two directions: one is from the

425 stability theory of the traditional SDEs [28] and the other is from the fundamentally-  
 426 innovative works on the sublinear expectation [36]. Our contributions include not only  
 427 the establishment of the  $G$ -semimartingale convergence theorem and its variants for  
 428 the sublinear expectation, but also the establishment of several invariance principles  
 429 and their applications in investigating the long-term behaviors of  $G$ -SDEs. Indeed, we  
 430 anticipate that our analytical results can be beneficial to understanding and solving  
 431 the problems associated with uncertain randomness in dynamical systems.

432 As for the future research directions, the assumption on the linear growth and the  
 433 locally Lipschitz conditions can be further weakened through restricting the discussion  
 434 for the operator  $\mathcal{L}$  in some specific space. Also, further development of the invariance  
 435 principles for the  $G$ -SDDEs and the  $G$ -SFDEs could be promoted. More practically,  
 436 complete scheme for rigorously approximating the solution produced by the  $G$ -SFDEs  
 437 deserves deep investigation.

## 438 7. Appendix.

439 **7.1. Proof of Proposition 3.1.** First, we establish Fatou's lemma for the  $G$ -  
 440 conditional expectation, which is a prerequisite for our proposition to be demon-  
 441 strated.

442 LEMMA 7.1 (Fatou's Lemma for  $G$ -conditional Expectation).  $\{X(n)\} \in L_G^1(\Omega)$   
 443 are a series of random vectors, and there exists a random variable  $M$  such that  
 444  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}[|M|] < +\infty$  and  $X(n) \geq M$  for any  $n > 0$ . Then,  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}_t[\underline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} X(n)] \leq$   
 445  $\underline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \hat{\mathbb{E}}_t[X(n)]$ .

446 In order to present the proof for this lemma, we need to extend the space of  
 447 random variables and make some necessary preparations.

448 DEFINITION 7.2 ([15]). Introduce some extended spaces of random variables as  
 449 follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \mathcal{L}_G^{1*}(\Omega) := \left\{ X \in L^0(\Omega) : \exists X(n) \in L_G^1(\Omega) \text{ such that } X(n) \downarrow X \right\}, \\
 & L_G^{1*}(\Omega) := \left\{ X \in L^0(\Omega) : \hat{\mathbb{E}}[|X|] < +\infty, X \in \mathcal{L}_G^{1*}(\Omega) \right\}, \\
 & \mathcal{L}_G^{1*}(\Omega) := \left\{ X \in L^0(\Omega) : \exists X(n) \in L_G^{1*}(\Omega) \text{ such that } X(n) \uparrow X \right\}, \\
 & L_G^{1*}(\Omega) := \left\{ X \in L^0(\Omega) : \hat{\mathbb{E}}[|X|] < +\infty, X \in \mathcal{L}_G^{1*}(\Omega) \right\}.
 \end{aligned}$$

451 Then, we extend the  $G$ -conditional expectation on  $\mathcal{L}_G^{1*}(\Omega)$ . Directly, we have  
 452  $L_G^{1*}(\Omega) \subset \mathcal{L}_G^{1*}(\Omega) \subset \mathcal{L}_G^{1*}(\Omega)$  and  $L_G^{1*}(\Omega) \subset L_G^{1*}(\Omega) \subset \mathcal{L}_G^{1*}(\Omega)$ .

453 LEMMA 7.3 ([15]). Suppose that  $\{X(n)\} \subset \mathcal{L}_G^{1*}(\Omega)$  is a series of non-decreasing  
 454 random variables. Denote by  $X := \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} X(n)$ . Then, we have quasi-surely  
 455  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \hat{\mathbb{E}}_t[X(n)] = \hat{\mathbb{E}}_t[X]$ .

456 LEMMA 7.4. If  $X, Y \in L_G^1(\Omega)$ , then  $X \wedge Y \in L_G^1(\Omega)$  (resp.  $X \vee Y \in L_G^1(\Omega)$ ).

457 **Proof.** As  $X, Y \in L_G^1(\Omega)$ , there exists  $\{X_n\}$  and  $\{Y_n\}$  contained in  $\text{Lip}(\Omega)$  such

458 that  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}[|X(n) - X|] \rightarrow 0$  and  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}[|Y(n) - Y|] \rightarrow 0$ . For  $\varphi, \psi \in C_{l,\text{Lip}}(\Omega)$ , we have  
 459  $\varphi \wedge \psi = \frac{\varphi + \psi - |\varphi - \psi|}{2} \in C_{l,\text{Lip}}(\Omega)$ . Thus,  $X(n) \wedge Y(n) \in \text{Lip}(\Omega)$ . So we derive  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}[|X \wedge$   
 460  $Y - X(n) \wedge Y(n)|] \leq \hat{\mathbb{E}}[|X - X(n)|] + \hat{\mathbb{E}}[|Y - Y(n)|] \rightarrow 0$ , which implies  $X \wedge Y \in L_G^1(\Omega)$ .  
 461 The case that  $X \vee Y \in L_G^1(\Omega)$  is analogous.

462 **LEMMA 7.5.** *If  $X(n) \in L_G^1(\Omega)$  and  $X(n)$  converges to  $X$ , and there exists a ran-*  
 463 *dom variable  $M$  such that  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}[|M|] < +\infty$  and  $X(n) \geq M$  for any  $n > 0$ . Then,*  
 464  *$X \in \mathcal{L}_G^{1*}(\Omega)$ .*

465 **Proof.** For any  $m, n > 0$ , by Lemma 7.4, we obtain that  $\inf_{n \leq k \leq m} X(k) \in L_G^1(\Omega)$ .  
 466 Then, from Definition 7.2, it follows that  $\inf_{k \geq n} X(k) \in \mathcal{L}_G^{1*}(\Omega)$ . Also, by the  
 467 fact that  $M \leq \inf_{k \geq n} X(k) \leq X(n)$ , we have  $|\inf_{k \geq n} X(k)| \leq |X(n)| + |M|$ .  
 468 Thus,  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}[|\inf_{k \geq n} X(k)|] \leq +\infty$  and  $\inf_{k \geq n} X(k) \in L_G^{1*}(\Omega)$  using Definition 7.2. As  
 469  $X = \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \inf_{k \geq n} X(k)$ , we immediately obtain the conclusion using Definition  
 470 7.2.

471 **Proof of Lemma 7.1.** Set  $Y(n) := \inf_{k \geq n} \hat{\mathbb{E}}_t[X(k)]$ . Using the arguments analogous  
 472 to those performed in Lemma 7.5, we get  $Y(n) \in L_G^{1*}(\Omega)$ . According to Lemma  
 473 7.3, we obtain  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \hat{\mathbb{E}}_t[Y(n)] = \hat{\mathbb{E}}_t[\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} Y(n)]$ . Because of  $Y(n) \leq X(n)$ , we  
 474 derive  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}_t[Y(n)] \leq \hat{\mathbb{E}}_t[X(n)]$  and  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \hat{\mathbb{E}}_t[Y(n)] \leq \underline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \hat{\mathbb{E}}_t[X(n)]$ , which implies  
 475  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}_t[\underline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} X(n)] \leq \underline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \hat{\mathbb{E}}_t[X(n)]$  we expect.

476 Now, we are in a position to prove the  $G$ -martingale convergence theorem step-  
 477 by-step using the uppercrossing inequality.

478 **DEFINITION 7.6.** *A random time  $\tau : \Omega \rightarrow [0, +\infty)$  is called an  $\mathbb{F}$ -stopping time,*  
 479 *if  $\{\tau \leq t\} \in \mathcal{F}_t$  for every  $t \geq 0$ .*

**DEFINITION 7.7.** *For a finite subset  $F \subset [0, +\infty)$ , the interval  $[\alpha, \beta]$  and the*  
*process  $M = \{M(t)\}$  with  $M(t) \in L_G^1(\Omega)$ , we define the a series of  $\mathbb{F}$ -stopping times*  
*recursively by:*

$$\begin{aligned} \tau_1(\omega) &= \min \{t \in F; M(t; \omega) \leq \alpha\}, \quad \sigma_j(\omega) = \min \{t \in F; t \geq \tau_j(\omega), \quad M(t; \omega) \geq \beta\}, \\ \tau_{j+1}(\omega) &= \min \{t \in F; t \geq \sigma_j(\omega), \quad M(t; \omega) \leq \alpha\}. \end{aligned}$$

480 *And the minimum of an empty set is defined as  $+\infty$ . Let  $U_F(\alpha, \beta; M(\omega))$  be the*  
 481 *largest number  $j$  such that  $\sigma_j(\omega) < +\infty$ . For any general set  $I \subset [0, +\infty)$ , we define*  
 482  *$U_I(\alpha, \beta; M(\omega)) = \sup \{U_F(\alpha, \beta; M(\omega)); F \subseteq I, F \text{ is finite}\}$ .*

483 **PROPOSITION 7.8** (Upcrossing Inequality, A Discrete Version, [19]). *Assume*  
 484 *that  $\{-M(n) : n = 1, 2, \dots, N\}$  is a  $G$ -supermartingale. If  $M(n) \in L_G^1(\Omega_n)$ , then we*  
 485 *have  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}[U_{\{1,2,\dots,N\}}(\alpha, \beta; M(\omega))] \leq \frac{\hat{\mathbb{E}}[(M(N) - \alpha)^+]}{\beta - \alpha}$ .*

486 **LEMMA 7.9** (Uppercrossing Inequality, A Continuous Version). *Assume that*  
 487  *$\{M(t) : t \in [0, +\infty)\}$  is a right- or left-continuous function and  $\{-M(t) : t \in [0, +\infty)\}$*   
 488 *is a  $G$ -supermartingale. If  $M(t) \in L_G^1(\Omega_t)$ , then we have that, for any integer  $n > 0$ ,*



$$489 \quad \hat{\mathbb{E}}[U_{[0,n]}(\alpha, \beta; M(\omega))] \leq \frac{\hat{\mathbb{E}}[(M(n)-\alpha)^+]}{\beta-\alpha}.$$

490 **Proof.** Define  $A_j := \cup_{1 \leq k \leq j} \{ni/k : i = 0, 1, \dots, k\}$ . Then, the monotone  
 491 convergence theorem (Theorem 2.8), together with Definition 7.6 and Proposition  
 492 7.8, immediately yields:  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}[U_{[0,n] \cap \mathbb{Q}}(\alpha, \beta; M(\omega))] = \lim_{j \rightarrow +\infty} \hat{\mathbb{E}}[U_{A_j}(\alpha, \beta; M(\omega))] \leq$   
 493  $\frac{\hat{\mathbb{E}}[(M(n)-\alpha)^+]}{\beta-\alpha}$ . Thus, for any sufficiently small  $\epsilon > 0$ , as  $M$  is right- or left-continuous,  
 494  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}[U_{[0,n]}(\alpha, \beta; M(\omega))] \leq \hat{\mathbb{E}}[U_{[0,n] \cap \mathbb{Q}}(\alpha + \epsilon, \beta - \epsilon; M(\omega))] \leq \frac{\hat{\mathbb{E}}[(M(n)-\alpha)^+]}{\beta-\alpha-2\epsilon}$ , which vali-  
 495 dates the conclusion as required due to the arbitrariness of  $\epsilon$ 's selection.

496 **Proof of Proposition 3.1.** From Lemma 7.9 and Proposition 2.8, it follows that

$$497 \quad \hat{\mathbb{E}}[U_{[0,+\infty)}(\alpha, \beta; -M(\omega))] = \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \hat{\mathbb{E}}[U_{[0,n]}(\alpha, \beta; -M(\omega))] \leq \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \frac{\hat{\mathbb{E}}[(-M(n) - \alpha)^+]}{\beta - \alpha} \leq$$

$$498 \quad \frac{\sup_{t \geq 0} \hat{\mathbb{E}}[(-M)^+(t)] + |\alpha|}{\beta - \alpha} = \frac{\sup_{t \geq 0} \hat{\mathbb{E}}[M^-(t)] + |\alpha|}{\beta - \alpha} \leq \frac{\hat{\mathbb{E}}[\sup_{t \geq 0} M^-(t)] + |\alpha|}{\beta - \alpha} < +\infty.$$

499 So  $U_{[0,+\infty)}(\alpha, \beta; -M(\omega)) < +\infty$  quasi-surely. Denote by  $A_{\alpha, \beta} :=$   
 500  $\{U_{[0,+\infty)}(\alpha, \beta; -M(\omega)) = +\infty\}$ . Since  $\{\omega : -M(t; \omega) \text{ does not converge}\} \subset$   
 501  $\cup_{\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{Q}} A_{\alpha, \beta}$ ,  $-M(t)$  converges quasi-surely to some  $-M(+\infty)$ . Here,  $M(+\infty)$  can  
 502 be  $+\infty$  or  $-\infty$ . By the fact that  $M(t) \geq \inf_{t \geq 0} -M^-(t) = -\sup_{t \geq 0} M^-(t)$  and  
 503 Lemma 7.5, we have  $M(+\infty) \in \mathcal{L}_G^{1*}(\Omega)$ . And by Lemma 7.1, we further have

$$504 \quad \hat{\mathbb{E}}[|M(+\infty)|] \leq \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \hat{\mathbb{E}}[|M(n)|] < 2\hat{\mathbb{E}}\left[\sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} M^-(n)\right] + \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \hat{\mathbb{E}}[M(n)]$$

$$505 \quad \leq 2\hat{\mathbb{E}}\left[\sup_{t \geq 0} M^-(t)\right] + \hat{\mathbb{E}}[M(1)] < \infty.$$

506 Thus,  $M(+\infty)$ , finite quasi-surely, belongs to  $L_G^{1*}(\Omega)$ . Finally, by virtue of Lemma  
 507 7.1, we have  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}_t[M(+\infty)] \leq \liminf_{k \rightarrow +\infty} \hat{\mathbb{E}}_t[M(t_k)] \leq M(t)$ , which completes the proof.

508 **7.2. Proof of Proposition 4.6.** From Propositions 4.5 and 4.3, it follows that

$$509 \quad V(\mathbf{x}(t \wedge \tau_N), t \wedge \tau_N) = V(\mathbf{x}_0, 0) + \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} V_t(\mathbf{x}(s), s) ds$$

$$510 \quad + \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} V_{x_i}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) f^i(\mathbf{x}(s), s) ds + \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} V_{x_i}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) g^{ij}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) dB_j(s)$$

$$511 \quad + \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} V_{x_k}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) h^{kij}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) d\langle B_i, B_j \rangle(s)$$

$$512 \quad + \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} \frac{1}{2} V_{x_k x_l}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) g^{ki}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) g^{lj}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) d\langle B_i, B_j \rangle(s).$$

513 Set  $\boldsymbol{\eta} = (\kappa_{ij}) \in M_G^1([0, T]; \mathbb{S}^m)$ , where  $\eta_{ij} = V_{x_k}(h^{kij} + h^{kji}) + V_{x_k x_l} g^{ki} g^{lj}$ . Using  
 514 Proposition 4.7 leads us to the calculations as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
 515 \quad & V(\mathbf{x}(t \wedge \tau_N), t \wedge \tau_N) = V(\mathbf{x}_0, 0) + \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} V_t(\mathbf{x}(s), s) ds \\
 516 \quad & + \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} V_{x_i}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) f^i(\mathbf{x}(s), s) ds + \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} V_{x_i}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) g^{ij}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) dB_j(s) \\
 517 \quad & + \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} \frac{1}{2} \kappa_{ij}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) d\langle B_i, B_j \rangle \\
 518 \quad & \leq V(\mathbf{x}_0, 0) + \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} V_t(\mathbf{x}(s), s) ds + \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} G(\boldsymbol{\eta}) ds \\
 519 \quad & + \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} V_{x_i}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) f^i(\mathbf{x}(s), s) ds + \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} V_{x_i}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) g^{ij}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) dB_j(s) \\
 520 \quad & = V(\mathbf{x}_0, 0) + \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} \mathcal{L}V(\mathbf{x}(s), s) ds + \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} V_{x_i}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) g^{ij}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) dB_j(s) \\
 521 \quad & \leq V(\mathbf{x}_0, 0) + \int_0^{+\infty} \gamma(t) dt + \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} V_{x_i}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) g^{ij}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) dB_j(s)
 \end{aligned}$$

522 Then,  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}[|V(\mathbf{x}(t \wedge \tau_N), t \wedge \tau_N)|] \leq |V(\mathbf{x}_0, 0)| + \int_0^{+\infty} \gamma(t) dt := K < +\infty$ , which implies

$$\begin{aligned}
 523 \quad & \infty > K \geq \hat{\mathbb{E}}[|V(\mathbf{x}(t \wedge \tau_N), t \wedge \tau_N)|] \geq \hat{\mathbb{E}}[\mu(|\mathbf{x}(t \wedge \tau_N)|)] \geq \\
 524 \quad (7.1) \quad & \geq \mu(N)c(\tau_N \leq t) \geq \mu(N)c(\tau_\infty \leq t)
 \end{aligned}$$

525 where  $\mu(r) := \inf_{|\mathbf{x}| \geq r, t \geq 0} V(\mathbf{x}, t)$  and  $\lim_{r \rightarrow +\infty} \mu(r) = +\infty$  because of the condition  
 526 assumed in (4.2). Now, letting  $N \rightarrow +\infty$  in (7.1) yields  $c(\tau_\infty \leq t) = 0$  for any  $t$ .  
 527 Finally, further letting  $t \rightarrow +\infty$  gives  $c(\tau_\infty \leq +\infty) = 0$ , which completes the proof.

528 **7.3. Proof of Lemma 4.8.** To prove Lemma 4.8, we first establish the inequality  
 529 as follows.

530 LEMMA 7.10. For  $A_{ij}(t) \in M_G^2[0, T]$ , denote by  $\mathbf{A}(t) = (a_{ij}(t))_{d \times m}$ . Then, we  
 531 have  $\hat{\mathbb{E}} \left| \int_0^T \mathbf{A}(t) d\mathbf{B}(t) \right|^2 \leq d\bar{\gamma} \hat{\mathbb{E}} \int_0^T |\mathbf{A}(t)|^2 dt$ .

532 **Proof.** For simplicity of expression, we apply Einstein's notations [6] in the following  
 533 arguments and throughout if they are necessary. From Theorem 2.6 and Remark 2.5,  
 534 it follows that

$$\begin{aligned}
 535 \quad & \hat{\mathbb{E}} \left| \int_0^T \mathbf{A}(t) d\mathbf{B}(t) \right|^2 = \hat{\mathbb{E}} \left( \int_0^T a_{ij}(t) dB_j(t) \int_0^T a_{ik}(t) dB_k(t) \right) \\
 536 \quad & = \hat{\mathbb{E}} \int_0^T a_{ij}(t) a_{ik}(t) d\langle B_j, B_k \rangle(t) = \hat{\mathbb{E}} \int_0^T \text{trace}(\mathbf{A}(t) d\langle \mathbf{B} \rangle(t) \mathbf{A}^\top(t)) \\
 537 \quad & \leq d \cdot \hat{\mathbb{E}} \int_0^T \lambda_{\max}(\mathbf{A}(t) d\langle \mathbf{B} \rangle(t) \mathbf{A}^\top(t)) = d \cdot \hat{\mathbb{E}} \int_0^T |\mathbf{A}(t) d\langle \mathbf{B} \rangle(t) \mathbf{A}^\top(t)|_2 \\
 538 \quad & = d \cdot \hat{\mathbb{E}} \int_0^T |\mathbf{A}(t)|_2^2 d|\langle \mathbf{B} \rangle|_2(t) \leq d\bar{\gamma} \cdot \hat{\mathbb{E}} \int_0^T |\mathbf{A}(t)|_2^2 dt \leq d\bar{\gamma} \cdot \hat{\mathbb{E}} \int_0^T |\mathbf{A}(t)|^2 dt.
 \end{aligned}$$

539 The proof is therefore completed.

540 **Proof of Lemma 4.8.** Now, we need to prove the lemma using con-  
 541 tradiction. If this is not true, then there exists  $Q \in \mathcal{Q}$  such that  
 542  $Q(\{\omega : \liminf_{t \rightarrow +\infty} \eta(\mathbf{x}(t; \omega)) > 0\}) > 0$ . Thus, there exists  $\epsilon > 0$  such that  
 543  $Q(\Omega_1) \geq 2\epsilon$  with  $\Omega_1 = \{\omega \in \Omega_0 : \liminf_{t \rightarrow +\infty} \eta(\mathbf{x}(t)) > 2\epsilon\}$ . Since  $\Omega_1 =$   
 544  $\cup_{n=1}^{+\infty} (\Omega_1 \cap \{\omega : \sup_{t \geq 0} |\mathbf{x}(t; \omega)| < n\})$ , there exists a number  $N > 0$  such that  
 545  $Q(\Omega_2) \geq \epsilon$  in which  $\Omega_2 = \Omega_1 \cap \{\omega : \sup_{t \geq 0} |\mathbf{x}(t; \omega)| < N\}$ .

Now, we define the  $\mathbb{F}$ -stopping times as

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_1(\omega) &:= \inf\{t : \eta(\mathbf{x}(t; \omega)) \geq 2\epsilon\}, \quad \sigma_{2i}(\omega) := \inf\{t : \eta(\mathbf{x}(t; \omega)) \leq \epsilon, t \geq \sigma_{2i-1}(\omega)\}, \\ \sigma_{2i+1}(\omega) &:= \inf\{t : \eta(\mathbf{x}(t; \omega)) \geq 2\epsilon, t \geq \sigma_{2i}(\omega)\}, \quad \tau_N(\omega) := \inf\{t : |\mathbf{x}(t; \omega)| \geq N\}. \end{aligned}$$

546 For all  $\omega \in \Omega_2$ ,  $\tau_N(\omega) = +\infty$  and  $\sigma_i(\omega) < +\infty$  for all  $i > 0$  using the formula (4.3) and  
 547 the definition of  $\Omega_1$ . By virtue of Proposition 4.3,  $\mathbf{M}(t) = \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N} \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) d\mathbf{B}(s)$  is  
 548 a  $Q$ -martingale for each  $Q \in \mathcal{Q}$ . Hence, using Assumption 4.1, Lemma 7.10, Hölder's  
 549 inequality, and Doob's martingale inequality in traditional stochastic analysis, we  
 550 obtain that for each  $T > 0$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} 551 \quad & E_Q[1_{\{\tau_N \wedge \sigma_{2i-1} < +\infty\}} \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} |\mathbf{x}(\tau_N \wedge (\sigma_{2i-1} + t)) - \mathbf{x}(\tau_N \wedge \sigma_{2i-1})|^2] \\ 552 \quad & \leq 3E_Q \left[ 1_{\{\tau_N \wedge \sigma_{2i-1} < +\infty\}} \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} \left| \int_{\tau_N \wedge \sigma_{2i-1}}^{\tau_N \wedge (\sigma_{2i-1} + t)} \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) ds \right|^2 \right] \\ 553 \quad & + 3E_Q \left[ 1_{\{\tau_N \wedge \sigma_{2i-1} < +\infty\}} \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} \left| \int_{\tau_N \wedge \sigma_{2i-1}}^{\tau_N \wedge (\sigma_{2i-1} + t)} \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) d\mathbf{B}(s) \right|^2 \right] \\ 554 \quad & + 3E_Q \left[ 1_{\{\tau_N \wedge \sigma_{2i-1} < +\infty\}} \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} \left| \int_{\tau_N \wedge \sigma_{2i-1}}^{\tau_N \wedge (\sigma_{2i-1} + t)} \mathbf{h}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) d\langle \mathbf{B} \rangle(s) \right|^2 \right] \\ 555 \quad & \leq 3TE_Q \left[ 1_{\{\tau_N \wedge \sigma_{2i-1} < +\infty\}} \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} \int_{\tau_N \wedge \sigma_{2i-1}}^{\tau_N \wedge (\sigma_{2i-1} + t)} |\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}(s), s)|^2 ds \right] \\ 556 \quad & + 12E_Q \left[ 1_{\{\tau_N \wedge \sigma_{2i-1} < +\infty\}} \left| \int_{\tau_N \wedge \sigma_{2i-1}}^{\tau_N \wedge (\sigma_{2i-1} + T)} \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{x}(s), s) d\mathbf{B}(s) \right|^2 \right] \\ 557 \quad & + 3T\bar{\gamma}^2 m^2 E_Q \left[ 1_{\{\tau_N \wedge \sigma_{2i-1} < +\infty\}} \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} \int_{\tau_N \wedge \sigma_{2i-1}}^{\tau_N \wedge (\sigma_{2i-1} + t)} |\mathbf{h}(\mathbf{x}(s), s)|^2 ds \right] \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
 559 \quad & \leq 3T\hat{\mathbb{E}} \left[ 1_{\{\tau_N \wedge \sigma_{2i-1} < +\infty\}} \int_{\tau_N \wedge \sigma_{2i-1}}^{\tau_N \wedge (\sigma_{2i-1} + T)} |\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}(s), s)|^2 ds \right] \\
 560 \quad & + 12d\bar{\gamma}\hat{\mathbb{E}} \left[ 1_{\{\tau_N \wedge \sigma_{2i-1} < +\infty\}} \int_{\tau_N \wedge \sigma_{2i-1}}^{\tau_N \wedge (\sigma_{2i-1} + T)} |\mathbf{g}(\mathbf{x}(s), s)|^2 ds \right] \\
 561 \quad & + 3T\bar{\gamma}^2 m^2 \hat{\mathbb{E}} \left[ 1_{\{\tau_N \wedge \sigma_{2i-1} < +\infty\}} \int_{\tau_N \wedge \sigma_{2i-1}}^{\tau_N \wedge (\sigma_{2i-1} + T)} |\mathbf{h}(\mathbf{x}(s), s)|^2 ds \right] \\
 562 \quad & \leq 3K_N^2 T(T + 4d\bar{\gamma} + T\bar{\gamma}^2 m^2).
 \end{aligned}$$

563 As  $\eta$  is continuous, there exists a number  $\delta > 0$  such that, for every  
 564  $\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \in B(N)$  and  $|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}| \leq \delta$ ,  $|\eta(\mathbf{x}) - \eta(\mathbf{y})| < \epsilon$ . We select suffi-  
 565 ciently small  $T > 0$  such that  $3K_N^2 T(T + 4d\bar{\gamma} + T\bar{\gamma}^2 m^2)/\delta^2 < \frac{\epsilon}{2}$ . Thus, we  
 566 have  $Q(1_{\{\tau_N \wedge \sigma_{2i-1} < +\infty\}} \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} |\mathbf{x}(\tau_N \wedge (\sigma_{2i-1} + t)) - \mathbf{x}(\tau_N \wedge \sigma_{2i-1})| \geq \delta) \leq$   
 567  $3K_N^2 T(T + 4d\bar{\gamma} + T\bar{\gamma}^2 m^2)/\delta^2 < \frac{\epsilon}{2}$ . Hence, we have  $Q(\{\sigma_{2i-1} <$   
 568  $+\infty, \tau_N = +\infty\} \cap \{\sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} |\mathbf{x}(\sigma_{2i-1} + t) - \mathbf{x}(\sigma_{2i-1})| \geq \delta\}) \leq$   
 569  $\frac{\epsilon}{2}$ . By the definition and the property of  $\Omega_2$ , we conclude that  
 570  $Q(\{\sigma_{2i-1} < +\infty, \tau_N = +\infty\} \cap \{\sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} |\mathbf{x}(\sigma_{2i-1} + t) - \mathbf{x}(\sigma_{2i-1})| < \delta\}) \geq \epsilon - \frac{\epsilon}{2} =$   
 571  $\frac{\epsilon}{2}$ , which further implies that

$$\begin{aligned}
 572 \quad & Q \left( \{\sigma_{2i-1} < +\infty, \tau_N = +\infty\} \cap \left\{ \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} |\eta(\mathbf{x}(\sigma_{2i-1} + t)) - \eta(\mathbf{x}(\sigma_{2i-1}))| < \epsilon \right\} \right) \\
 573 \quad & \geq Q \left( \{\sigma_{2i-1} < +\infty, \tau_N = +\infty\} \cap \left\{ \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} |\mathbf{x}(\sigma_{2i-1} + t) - \mathbf{x}(\sigma_{2i-1})| < \delta \right\} \right) \geq \frac{\epsilon}{2}.
 \end{aligned}$$

574 Define  $\tilde{\Omega}_i := \{\sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} |\eta(\mathbf{x}(\sigma_{2i-1} + t)) - \eta(\mathbf{x}(\sigma_{2i-1}))| < \epsilon\}$ . Then, on  $\tilde{\Omega}_i \cap \{\sigma_{2i-1} <$   
 575  $+\infty\}$ , we have  $\sigma_{2i} - \sigma_{2i-1} \geq T$ . By (4.4), if  $\sigma_{2i-1} < +\infty$ , then  $\sigma_{2i} < +\infty$  quasi-surely.  
 576 Thus,

$$\begin{aligned}
 577 \quad & +\infty > \hat{\mathbb{E}} \int_0^{+\infty} \eta(\mathbf{x}(t)) dt \geq E_Q \int_0^{+\infty} \eta(\mathbf{x}(t)) dt \\
 578 \quad & \geq \sum_{i=1}^{+\infty} E_Q \left[ 1_{\{\tau_N = +\infty, \sigma_{2i-1} < +\infty, \sigma_{2i} < +\infty\}} \int_{\sigma_{2i-1}}^{\sigma_{2i}} \eta(\mathbf{x}(t)) dt \right] \\
 579 \quad & \geq \epsilon \sum_{i=1}^{+\infty} E_Q [1_{\{\tau_N = +\infty, \sigma_{2i-1} < +\infty\}} (\sigma_{2i} - \sigma_{2i-1})] \\
 580 \quad & \geq \epsilon \sum_{i=1}^{+\infty} E_Q [1_{\{\tau_N = +\infty, \sigma_{2i-1} < +\infty\} \cap \tilde{\Omega}_i} (\sigma_{2i} - \sigma_{2i-1})] \\
 581 \quad & \geq \epsilon T \sum_{i=1}^{+\infty} Q(\{\tau_N = +\infty, \sigma_{2i-1} < +\infty\} \cap \tilde{\Omega}_i) \geq \epsilon T \sum_{i=1}^{+\infty} \frac{\epsilon}{2} = +\infty,
 \end{aligned}$$

582 which indicates a contradiction. Consequently, we get  $\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} \eta(\mathbf{x}(t)) = 0$  quasi-  
 583 surely.

584 **7.4. Dynamic Stability in Example 5.2.** Here, we validate the quasi-  
 585 sure stability of the considered equations in Example 5.2. To this end, we set  
 586  $V(\mathbf{x}) := |\mathbf{x}|^\alpha$  for some given  $0 < \alpha < 1$ , which yields  $\mathcal{L}V(\mathbf{x}) = \alpha|\mathbf{x}|^{\alpha-2}\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}) \rangle +$   
 587  $G\left(\left(k^2(\alpha-1)\alpha|\mathbf{x}|^\alpha\right)_{i,j=1}^m\right)$ , where  $\left(k^2(\alpha-1)\alpha|\mathbf{x}|^\alpha\right)_{i,j=1}^m$  stands for an  $m \times m$  matrix  
 588 such that all elements are  $k^2(\alpha-1)\alpha|\mathbf{x}|^\alpha$ . As  $c_{-1} := (-1)_{i,j=1}^m$  is a non-positive sym-  
 589 metric matrix with eigenvalues 0 and  $-m$ , we have  $c_{-1} < 0$ . Set  $0 < \alpha < 1 + \frac{L}{k^2 c_{-1}} < 1$ ,  
 590 we obtain that  $\mathcal{L}V(\mathbf{x}) = \alpha|\mathbf{x}|^{\alpha-2}\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}) \rangle + k^2 c_{-1}(1-\alpha)\alpha|\mathbf{x}|^\alpha \leq \alpha|\mathbf{x}|^\alpha(L + k^2 c_{-1}(1-$   
 591  $\alpha))$ . Set  $\eta(\mathbf{x}) := \alpha|\mathbf{x}|^\alpha(L + k^2 c_{-1}(1-\alpha)) < 0$ . Hence, in light of Proposition 4.6 and  
 592 Theorem 4.10, if we could confirm a *statement* that the system in Example 5.2 does  
 593 not reach  $\mathbf{0}$  before it explodes,  $V(\mathbf{x})$  with  $\alpha < 1$  and along any trajectory apart from  
 594  $\mathbf{0}$  is differentiable to the second order, so that the quasi-sure convergence of  $\mathbf{x}$  is guar-  
 595 anteed to  $\mathbf{0}$ , the kernel of  $\eta$ . To make confirm the statement, we first introduce the  
 596 following result.

597 **PROPOSITION 7.11.** *Let  $M(t) = \int_0^t \kappa_{ij}(s) d\langle B_i, B_j \rangle(s) + \int_0^t 2G(-\eta) ds$ , where  $\eta \in$*   
 598  $M_G^1([0, T]; \mathbb{S}^m)$ . *Then, we have  $M(t) \geq 0$  quasi-surely. Particularly,  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}[M(t)] \geq 0$ .*

599 The proof of the above proposition is akin to the proof for Proposition 4.7, which  
 600 is omitted here.

601 Now, we make the final confirmation. We set  $\tau_N := \inf\{t \geq 0 : |\mathbf{x}(t)| \geq N\}$  and  
 602  $\xi_\epsilon = \inf\{t \geq 0 : |\mathbf{x}(t)| \leq \epsilon\}$  for  $\epsilon, N > 0$ , and select  $V(\mathbf{x}) = \log|\mathbf{x}|$ . Then, using the  
 603 formula presented in Theorem 4.5 and Proposition 4.3, we get

$$604 \quad \log|\mathbf{x}(t \wedge \tau_N \wedge \xi_\epsilon)| = \log|\mathbf{x}_0| + \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N \wedge \xi_\epsilon} \frac{\langle \mathbf{x}(s), \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}(s)) \rangle}{|\mathbf{x}|^2} ds$$

$$605 \quad + \sum_{j=1}^n \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N \wedge \xi_\epsilon} k dB_j(s) - \sum_{i,j=1}^n \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N \wedge \xi_\epsilon} \frac{1}{2} k^2 \langle B_i, B_j \rangle(s)$$

606 Noticing the local Lipschitz property of  $\mathbf{f}$  gives  $|\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}) \rangle| \leq |\mathbf{x}||\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x})| \leq K_N|\mathbf{x}|^2$  on  
 607  $[0, \tau_N)$ . Set  $c_1 := G((1)_{i,j=1}^m) > 0$ . Then, by Proposition 7.11, we have  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}[\log|\mathbf{x}(t \wedge$   
 608  $\tau_N \wedge \xi_\epsilon)|] \geq \hat{\mathbb{E}}[\log|\mathbf{x}_0|] - \int_0^{t \wedge \tau_N \wedge \xi_\epsilon} (K_N + k^2 c_1) ds \geq \hat{\mathbb{E}}[\log|\mathbf{x}_0|] - (K_N + k^2 c_1)t$ . On  
 609 the other hand,  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}[\log|\mathbf{x}(t \wedge \tau_N \wedge \xi_\epsilon)|] \leq c(\xi_\epsilon < t \wedge \tau_N) \log \epsilon + c(\xi_\epsilon \geq t \wedge \tau_N) \log N \leq$   
 610  $c(\xi_\epsilon < t \wedge \tau_N) \log \epsilon + \log N$ . Hence, we obtain  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}[\log|\mathbf{x}_0|] - (K_N + k^2 c_1)t \leq c(\xi_\epsilon <$   
 611  $t \wedge \tau_N) \log \epsilon + \log N$ . First, letting  $\epsilon \rightarrow 0$  results in  $c(\xi_\epsilon < t \wedge \tau_N) = 0$ . Then, letting  
 612 both  $t$  and  $N \rightarrow +\infty$  yields  $c(\xi_0 < \tau_\infty) = 0$ , which confirms the above statement and  
 613 finally completes the proof.

614 **7.5. Invariant Set Associated with Autonomous G-SDEs.**

615 **THEOREM 7.12.** *We consider the following autonomous G-SDEs:*

$$616 \quad (7.2) \quad d\mathbf{x}(t) = \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}(t))dt + \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{x}(t))d\mathbf{B}(t) + \mathbf{h}(\mathbf{x}(t))d\langle \mathbf{B} \rangle(t),$$

617 *where  $\mathbf{f} : \mathbb{R}^d \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^d$ ,  $\mathbf{g} : \mathbb{R}^d \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{d \times m}$ ,  $\mathbf{h} : \mathbb{R}^d \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{d \times m^2}$ , and  $\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{a}) = \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{a}) = \mathbf{h}(\mathbf{a}) = \mathbf{0}$ .*

618 Clearly,  $\mathbf{f}$ ,  $\mathbf{g}$  and  $\mathbf{h}$  are all globally Lipschitzian. Then, we have that, for all  $\mathbf{x}_0 \neq \mathbf{a}$ ,  
 619  $c(\{\omega : \exists t > 0, \mathbf{x}(t, \omega; \mathbf{x}_0) = \mathbf{a}\}) = 0$ , which indicates that the trajectory does not  
 620 approach  $\mathbf{a}$  quasi-surely in a finite time.

621 **Proof.** We know that the G-SDEs (7.2) have a unique solution on  $M_G[0, T]$  for every  
 622  $T > 0$  according to [36]. First, we need to perform the proof for the situation of  $\mathbf{a} = \mathbf{0}$ .  
 623 Now set  $\mathcal{A} := \{\omega : \mathbf{x}(t, \omega) = \mathbf{0} \text{ for some } t \in [0, +\infty)\}$ . If  $c(\mathcal{A}) > 0$ , then there exists a  
 624 number  $T > 0$  such that  $c(\mathcal{A}_T) > 0$  where  $\mathcal{A}_T := \{\omega : \mathbf{x}(t, \omega) = \mathbf{0} \text{ for some } t \in [0, T]\}$ ,  
 625 which is due to the fact that  $\mathcal{A} = \cup_{T=1}^{+\infty} \mathcal{A}_T$ . Next, introduce the stopping time  
 626  $\tau_\epsilon := \inf\{t \in [0, +\infty) : |\mathbf{x}(t, \omega)| \leq \epsilon\}$ . Set  $V(\mathbf{x}) := 1/|\mathbf{x}| = (|\mathbf{x}|^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$ . Then, we  
 627 perform the calculations using G-Itô's formula, obtaining that

$$\begin{aligned}
 628 \quad V(\mathbf{x}(T \wedge \tau_\epsilon)) &= V(\mathbf{x}_0) + \int_0^{T \wedge \tau_\epsilon} V_{x_i}(\mathbf{x}(s)) f^i(\mathbf{x}(s)) ds \\
 &+ \int_0^{T \wedge \tau_\epsilon} V_{x_i}(\mathbf{x}(s)) g^{ij}(\mathbf{x}(s)) dB_j(s) + \int_0^{T \wedge \tau_\epsilon} \frac{1}{2} \kappa_{ij}(\mathbf{x}(s)) d\langle B_i, B_j \rangle(s) \\
 629 &= V(\mathbf{x}_0) - \int_0^{T \wedge \tau_\epsilon} \frac{\langle \mathbf{x}(s), \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}(s)) \rangle}{|\mathbf{x}|^3} ds - \int_0^{T \wedge \tau_\epsilon} \frac{x_i(s) g^{ij}(\mathbf{x}(s))}{|\mathbf{x}|^3} dB_j(s) \\
 630 &+ \int_0^{T \wedge \tau_\epsilon} \left[ -\frac{g^{\mu i}(\mathbf{x}(s)) g^{\mu j}(\mathbf{x}(s))}{2|\mathbf{x}|^3} + \frac{3}{2|\mathbf{x}|^5} x_\mu x_\nu g^{\mu i}(\mathbf{x}(s)) g^{\nu j}(\mathbf{x}(s)) \right. \\
 631 &\left. - \frac{x_\nu h^{vij}(\mathbf{x}(s))}{|\mathbf{x}|^3} \right] d\langle B_i, B_j \rangle(s) \leq V(\mathbf{x}_0) + \int_0^{T \wedge \tau_\epsilon} \left[ \frac{|\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x})|}{|\mathbf{x}|^2} + \frac{d\bar{\gamma}|\mathbf{g}(\mathbf{x})|^2}{2|\mathbf{x}|^3} + \frac{3\bar{\gamma}|\mathbf{g}(\mathbf{x})|^2}{2|\mathbf{x}|^3} \right. \\
 632 &\left. + \frac{|\mathbf{h}(\mathbf{x})|\bar{\gamma}}{|\mathbf{x}|^2} \right] ds + \int_0^{T \wedge \tau_\epsilon} V_{x_i}(\mathbf{x}(s)) g^{ij}(\mathbf{x}(s)) dB_j(s), \\
 633
 \end{aligned}$$

634 where  $\kappa_{ij} = V_{x_k}(h^{kij} + h^{kji}) + V_{x_k x_l} g^{ki} g^{lj}$  and Einstein's notations are applied here.  
 635 Let  $\rho(\mathbf{x}) := \frac{|\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x})|}{|\mathbf{x}|} + \frac{(d+3)\bar{\gamma}|\mathbf{g}(\mathbf{x})|^2}{2|\mathbf{x}|^2} + \frac{|\mathbf{h}(\mathbf{x})|\bar{\gamma}}{|\mathbf{x}|}$ . Then, there exists a number  $K > 0$  such  
 636 that  $\rho(\mathbf{x}) \leq K < +\infty$  because  $\mathbf{f}$ ,  $\mathbf{g}$  and  $\mathbf{h}$  are globally Lipschitzian as mentioned  
 637 above. Hence, it follows that

$$\begin{aligned}
 638 \quad V(\mathbf{x}(T \wedge \tau_\epsilon)) &\leq V(\mathbf{x}_0) + \int_0^{T \wedge \tau_\epsilon} V(\mathbf{x}(s)) \rho(\mathbf{x}(s)) ds + \int_0^{T \wedge \tau_\epsilon} V_{x_i}(\mathbf{x}(s)) g^{ij}(\mathbf{x}(s)) dB_j(s) \\
 639 &= V(\mathbf{x}_0) + \int_0^T V(\mathbf{x}(s)) \rho(\mathbf{x}(s)) 1_{[0, \tau_\epsilon]} ds + \int_0^T V_{x_i}(\mathbf{x}(s)) g^{ij}(\mathbf{x}(s)) 1_{[0, \tau_\epsilon]} dB_j(s) \\
 640 &\leq V(\mathbf{x}_0) + K \int_0^T V(\mathbf{x}(s)) 1_{[0, \tau_\epsilon]} ds + \int_0^T V_{x_i}(\mathbf{x}(s)) g^{ij}(\mathbf{x}(s)) 1_{[0, \tau_\epsilon]} dB_j(s),
 \end{aligned}$$

641 which implies that  $\hat{\mathbb{E}}[V(\mathbf{x}(T \wedge \tau_\epsilon))] \leq \hat{\mathbb{E}}[V(\mathbf{x}_0)] + K \hat{\mathbb{E}} \int_0^T V(\mathbf{x}(s)) 1_{[0, \tau_\epsilon]} ds$   
 642  $\leq \hat{\mathbb{E}}[V(\mathbf{x}_0)] + K \int_0^T \hat{\mathbb{E}}[V(\mathbf{x}(s \wedge \tau_\epsilon))] ds$ . Now, using Gronwall's inequality, we have  
 643  $\hat{\mathbb{E}} \left[ \frac{1}{|\mathbf{x}(T \wedge \tau_\epsilon)|} \right] \leq \hat{\mathbb{E}}[V(\mathbf{x}_0)] e^{KT}$ . From the definition of  $\tau_\epsilon$  and also from the continuity  
 644 of  $\mathbf{x}(t)$ , it follows that  $|\mathbf{x}(T \wedge \tau_\epsilon)| = \epsilon$  on  $\mathcal{A}_T$ . Thus,  $c(\mathcal{A}_T) = \epsilon \hat{\mathbb{E}} \left[ \frac{1}{|\mathbf{x}(T \wedge \tau_\epsilon)|} 1_{\mathcal{A}_T} \right] \leq$

645  $\epsilon \hat{\mathbb{E}}[V(\mathbf{x}_0)]e^{KT}$ , which is valid for every  $\epsilon > 0$ . Therefore, we immediately obtain  
 646  $c(\mathcal{A}_T) = 0$ , which is a contradiction.

647 For the general situation of  $\mathbf{a}$ , we set  $\mathbf{y}(t) := \mathbf{x}(t) - \mathbf{a}$ . Then,  $\mathbf{y}(t)$  satisfies the  $G$ -  
 648 SDEs:  $d\mathbf{y}(t) = \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{y}(t) + \mathbf{a})dt + \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{y}(t) + \mathbf{a})d\mathbf{B}(t) + \mathbf{h}(\mathbf{y}(t) + \mathbf{a})d\langle \mathbf{B} \rangle(t)$ . Consequently,  
 649 we know that  $\mathbf{y}(t)$  never approaches  $\mathbf{0}$  quasi-surely, i.e.,  $\mathbf{x}(t)$  never approaches  $\mathbf{a}$   
 650 quasi-surely. Therefore, the proof is complete.

651 **7.6. Numerical evidences.** Here, we describe the numerical scheme that we  
 652 use for partially illustrating the analytical results obtained in the main text. Actu-  
 653 ally, we do not provide a complete simulation for the solutions of  $G$ -SDEs but only  
 654 simulate the corresponding SDEs under a group of probability measures. A rigor-  
 655 ous and complete scheme for simulating the solution of  $G$ -SDEs still awaits further  
 656 investigations.

657 To this end, we first suppose  $\mathbf{W}(t)$  to be a standard  $m$ -dimensional Brownian  
 658 motion on the probability space  $(\Omega, \mathcal{B}(\Omega), P)$ . Also suppose that  $\Theta$  is a bounded,  
 659 closed and convex subset of  $\mathbb{R}^{m \times m}$ , where  $\Theta = [\underline{\sigma}, \bar{\sigma}]$  for  $m = 1$ . In addition,  $\tilde{\mathcal{Q}} :=$   
 660  $\left\{ P_{\theta} \in \mathcal{M} : P_{\theta} \text{ is the law of process } \int_0^t \theta(s) d\mathbf{W}(s) \text{ for } \forall t \geq 0, \theta \in \mathcal{A}_{0, \infty}^{\Theta} \right\} \subset \mathcal{Q}$ ,  
 661 where  $\mathcal{A}_{0, \infty}^{\Theta}$  denotes the collection of all  $\Theta$ -valued  $\mathcal{F}$  adapted function in  $[0, +\infty)$ .  
 662 According to Remark 15 in Ref. [15], the capacity satisfies  $c(\mathcal{A}) = \sup_{Q \in \tilde{\mathcal{Q}}} P[\mathcal{A}]$  for  
 663 any  $\mathcal{A} \in \mathcal{B}(\Omega)$ , so we can check whether an event is correct quasi-surely on the  
 664 probability measures space  $\tilde{\mathcal{Q}}$ . Thus, we make our numerical simulations on a finite  
 665 subset of  $\tilde{\mathcal{Q}}$  repeatedly as follows and use the case where  $\langle B_i, B_j \rangle = 0$  for each  $i \neq j$   
 666 and all  $B_i$  are identically distributed.

667 For the time interval  $[0, T]$ , we introduce a uniform time partition  $0 = t_0 < t_1 <$   
 668  $\dots < t_N = T$  with  $\Delta t := t_{n+1} - t_n = T/N$ . We use the following Euler-Maruyama  
 669 scheme, as proposed in [33], to investigate the solution of the SDEs correspondingly  
 670 from the  $G$ -SDEs in (4.1):

(7.3)

$$671 \quad \mathbf{X}(n+1) = \mathbf{X}(n) + \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{X}(n), t_n)\Delta t + \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{X}(n), t_n)\Delta \mathbf{B}(t_n) + \mathbf{h}(\mathbf{X}(n), t_n)\Delta \langle \mathbf{B} \rangle(t_n)$$

672 with  $\mathbf{X}(0) = \mathbf{x}_0$  and  $n = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$ . Here,  $\Delta B_i(t_n) \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma_{i,n}^2 \Delta t)$  and  
 673  $\Delta \langle B_i \rangle(t_n) = \sigma_{i,n}^2 \Delta t$  with  $\sigma_{i,n} \in [\underline{\sigma}, \bar{\sigma}]$  and  $i = 0, 1, \dots, m$ .

674 In order to investigate the dynamics of the corresponding SDEs on the probability  
 675 measures space  $\tilde{\mathcal{Q}}$ , the covariance  $\{\sigma_{i,n}\}_{1 \leq i \leq m, 1 \leq n \leq N}$  should be taken from all the  
 676 element of the set  $[\underline{\sigma}, \bar{\sigma}]^{m \times N}$ . To do this numerically, we introduce a uniform interval  
 677 partition  $\underline{\sigma} = \sigma_0 < \sigma_1 < \dots < \sigma_k = \bar{\sigma}$  with  $\Delta \sigma = \sigma_{i+1} - \sigma_i = (\bar{\sigma} - \underline{\sigma})/k$ . Denote  
 678 by  $\Sigma_{jl} := \{\sigma_i | j \leq i \leq l\}$ , where  $1 \leq j \leq l \leq k$ . For any given tuple  $(j, l)$ , we choose  
 679 an element  $(\mu_{in})_{1 \leq i \leq m, 1 \leq n \leq N} \in \Sigma_{jl}^{m \times N}$ , set  $\sigma_{i,n} = \mu_{in}$  for all  $1 \leq i \leq m, 1 \leq n \leq N$ ,  
 680 and then approximate the dynamics of the SDEs correspondingly from (4.1) using the  
 681 scheme specified in (7.3), which enables us to numerically produce a large number of



682 simulating trials.

683 In Figure 1, we show the numerical results, respectively, for Examples 5.1-5.3.

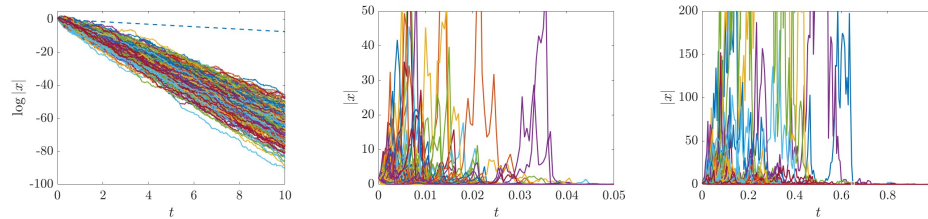


FIG. 1. (a) The dynamics of  $\log|\mathbf{x}|$  change with  $t$  for a group of SDEs correspondingly from the G-SDEs in Example 5.1. Here, simulated are the 400 trials using the settings,  $\underline{\sigma}^2 = 3.5$ ,  $\bar{\sigma}^2 = 4$ . (b) The dynamics of  $|\mathbf{x}|$  change with  $t$  for a group of SDEs correspondingly from the G-SDEs in Example 5.2. Here, simulated are the 400 trials using the settings:  $\underline{\sigma}^2 = 40$ ,  $\bar{\sigma}^2 = 50$ ,  $\sigma = 10$ ,  $\rho = 10$ ,  $\beta = 8/3$ , and  $k = 5$ . (c) The dynamics of  $|\mathbf{x}|$  change with  $t$  for a group of SDEs correspondingly from the G-SDEs in Example 5.3. Here, simulated are the 400 trials using the settings:  $\underline{\sigma}^2 = 40$  and  $\bar{\sigma}^2 = 50$ .

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