## Notation

Let $\Omega$ be an open set of $\mathbb{R}^{N}, 1 \leq p<+\infty, k, N \in \mathbb{N}, 0<\alpha<1, T>0, a<b$.

| $\|x\|$ | euclidean norm of $x \in \mathbb{R}^{N} ;$ |
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| $\langle x, y\rangle$ | euclidean inner product in $\mathbb{R}^{N} ;$ |
| $B(x, r)$ | open ball in $\mathbb{R}^{N}$ centered in $x$ with radius $r>0 ;$ |
| $B_{r}$ | $B(0, r) ;$ |
| $Q$ | $(0, T) \times \Omega ;$ |
| $\partial^{\prime} Q$ | $(0, T) \times \partial \Omega \cup\{0\} \times \bar{\Omega} ;$ |
| $\partial_{t x} Q$ | $\{0\} \times \partial \Omega ;$ |
| card $J$ | cardinality of a given set $J ;$ |
| $\|J\|$ | Lebesgue measure of a given set $J ;$ |
| $J^{c}$ | complementary set of $J ;$ |
| $\chi_{J}$ | characteristic function of a set $J$, that is the function defined as |
|  | $\chi_{J}(x)=1$ if $x \in J$ and $\chi_{J}(x)=0$ if $x \notin J ;$ |
| characteristic function of $\mathbb{R}^{N} ;$ |  |
| 1 | support of a given function $u ;$ |
| supp $u$ | partial derivative with respect to the variable $t ;$ |
| $D_{t}$ | partial derivative with respect to $x_{i} ;$ |
| $D_{i}$ | $D_{x_{i} x_{j}} ;$ |
| $D_{i j}$ | space gradient of a real-valued function $\quad u$ with norm |
| $D u$ | $\|D u\|^{2}=\sum_{i=1}^{N}\left(D_{i} u\right)^{2} ;$ |

$D^{2} u \quad$ Hessian matrix of a real-valued function $u$ with respect to the space variables with norm $\left|D^{2} u\right|^{2}=\sum_{i, j=1}^{N}\left(D_{i j} u\right)^{2}$;
space of real-valued $C^{\infty}$ functions with compact support in $\Omega$;
$C_{b}(\bar{\Omega})$ space of bounded continuous functions in $\bar{\Omega}$;

| $C_{b}^{k}(\bar{\Omega})$ | space of real-valued functions with derivatives up to order $k$ in $C_{b}(\bar{\Omega})$; |
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| $C_{0}(\Omega)$ | space of functions in $C_{b}(\bar{\Omega})$ vanishing at $\partial \Omega$ and at infinity; |
| $C_{0}\left(\mathbb{R}^{N}\right)$ | space of functions in $C\left(\mathbb{R}^{N}\right)$ vanishing at infinity; |
| $C^{1}\left(\mathbb{R}^{N} ; \mathbb{R}^{N}\right)$ | space of functions $F=\left(F_{1}, \ldots, F_{N}\right)$ such that $F_{i} \in C^{1}\left(\mathbb{R}^{N}\right)$, for every $i$; |
| $C^{1,2}((a, b) \times \Omega)$ | space of functions $u(t, x)$ which are continuous in $(a, b) \times \Omega$ with their indicated derivatives (not necessarily bounded); |
| $C^{k+\alpha}(\Omega)=C^{k+\alpha}(\bar{\Omega})$ | space of functions such that the derivatives of order $k$ are $\alpha$-Hölder continuous in $\Omega$; |
| $C^{1+\alpha / 2,2+\alpha}((a, b) \times \Omega)$ |  |
| $=C^{1+\alpha / 2,2+\alpha}([a, b] \times \bar{\Omega})$ | space of functions $u=u(t, x)$ such that $D_{t} u$ and $D_{x_{i} x_{j}} u$ are $\alpha$-Hölder continuous in $(a, b) \times \Omega$ with respect to the parabolic distance $d((t, x),(s, y))=\|t-s\|^{1 / 2}+\|x-y\|$; |
| $C_{\text {loc }}^{1+\alpha / 2,2+\alpha}((0,+\infty) \times \bar{\Omega})$ | space of functions $u$ such that $u \in C^{1+\alpha / 2,2+\alpha}\left([\varepsilon, T] \times \bar{\Omega}^{\prime}\right)$, for all $0<\varepsilon<T$ and bounded open $\Omega^{\prime} \subseteq \Omega$; |
| $C_{\text {loc }}^{1+\alpha}(\bar{\Omega})$ | space of the functions which belong to $C^{1+\alpha}\left(\bar{\Omega}^{\prime}\right)$, for all bounded open set $\Omega^{\prime} \subseteq \Omega$; |
| $C^{k}(\overline{\mathbb{R}})$ | space of continuous functions with finite limits at $\pm \infty$ together with their derivatives up to order $k$; |
| $\\|\cdot\\|_{\infty}$ | sup-norm; |
| $\\|u\\|_{[a, b]}$ | $\sup _{x \in[a, b]}\|u(x)\| ;$ |
| $\\|u\\|_{C^{\frac{\alpha}{2}, \alpha}(] 0, T[\times \Omega)}$ | $\\|u\\|_{\infty}+[u]_{C^{\frac{\alpha}{2}, \alpha}(] 0, T[\times \Omega)} ;$ |
| $[u]_{C}{ }^{\frac{\alpha}{2}, \alpha}(] 0, T[\times \Omega)$ | $\sup _{\substack{t \in 00, T[, x, y \in \Omega, x \neq y}} \frac{\|u(t, x)-u(t, y)\|}{\|x-y\|^{\alpha}}+\sup _{\substack{t, s \in] 0, T[, t \neq s, x \in \Omega}} \frac{\|u(t, x)-u(s, x)\|}{\|t-s\|^{\frac{\alpha}{2}}} ;$ |
| $\\|u\\|_{1,2}$ | $\\|u\\|_{\infty}+\left\\|u_{t}\right\\|_{\infty}+\\|D u\\|_{\infty}+\left\\|D^{2} u\right\\|_{\infty} ;$ |
| $[u]_{1+\frac{\alpha}{2}, 2+\alpha}$ | $\left[u_{t}\right]_{\frac{\alpha}{2}, \alpha}+\left[D^{2} u\right]_{\frac{\alpha}{2}, \alpha} ;$ |
| $\\|u\\|_{1+\frac{\alpha}{2}, 2+\alpha}$ | $\\|u\\|_{1,2}+[u]_{1+\frac{\alpha}{2}, 2+\alpha} ;$ |
| $\left(L^{p}(\Omega),\\|\cdot\\|_{p}\right)$ | usual Lebesgue space; |
| $\left(W^{k, p}(\Omega),\\|\cdot\\|_{k, p}\right)$ | usual Sobolev space; |
| $W_{\text {loc }}^{k, p}(\Omega)$ | space of functions belonging to $W^{k, p}\left(\Omega^{\prime}\right)$ for all bounded open set $\Omega^{\prime}$ such that $\overline{\Omega^{\prime}} \subset \Omega$; |
| $W_{0}^{k, p}(\Omega)$ | closure of $C_{c}^{\infty}(\Omega)$ in $W^{k, p}(\Omega)$; |
| $\mathcal{M}\left(\mathbb{R}^{N}\right)$ | set of all Borel probability measures in $\mathbb{R}^{N}$. |

