

STRASSEN'S LAW OF ITERATED LOGARITHM FOR
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Abstract: We prove a version of Strassen's law of iterated logarithm in the space of continuous functions with weighted supremum metric for a Wiener process defined on the half-axis. We consider weight functions of the form $1/(1+t^\alpha)$, where $\alpha > 1/2$. The result is unimprovable in the class of power weight functions.

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1 Introduction, formulation of the main result

Let $w(t)$, $t \geq 0$ be a Wiener process defined on a probability space $(\Omega, \mathfrak{F}, \mathbf{P})$. We will be interested in the limit behavior of the following sequence of random processes

$$w_n(t) = \frac{w(nt)}{\sqrt{n}\varphi(n)}, \quad n \in \mathbb{N},$$

where $\varphi(n) := \sqrt{2 \ln \ln(3 \vee n)}$. Note that for any $n \in \mathbb{N}$ the random process $\tilde{w}(t) = w(nt)/\sqrt{n}$ is also a Wiener process.

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We will consider trajectories of random processes w_n in the space \mathbb{C} of functions continuous on the half-axis $[0, \infty)$, with a metric

$$\rho(f, g) = \rho_\alpha(f, g) := \sup_{t \geq 0} \frac{|f(t) - g(t)|}{1 + t^\alpha},$$

where $1/(1 + t^\alpha)$ is a power weight function and $\alpha > \frac{1}{2}$ is a fixed constant.

Let us denote as $\mathbb{AC}_0[0, \infty)$ and $\mathbb{AC}_0[0, T]$ sets of functions starting from zero and absolutely continuous on intervals $[0, \infty)$ and $[0, T]$ respectively.

We define the Strassen's ball on the half-axis

$$K := \left\{ f \in \mathbb{AC}_0[0, \infty) : \int_0^\infty \dot{f}^2(s) ds \leq 1 \right\},$$

where \dot{f} is the derivative in the sense of absolute continuity.

We also define the Strassen's ball on $[0, T]$

$$K_T := \left\{ f \in \mathbb{AC}_0[0, T] : \int_0^T \dot{f}^2(s) ds \leq 1 \right\}.$$

The following Theorem is the main result of the paper.

Theorem 1. *For any $\alpha > \frac{1}{2}$ the set limit points of the sequence w_n in the metric space \mathbb{C} coincides with the set K a.s.*

Now we will do a brief review of results obtained earlier. The case of $\alpha = 1$ was considered in the paper [2, Theorem 1.4.1] for multidimensional Wiener process; the result then was used to prove the Strassen's law of iterated logarithm for small time in [3, Theorem 3]. The paper [4, Theorem 1] is also dedicated to the case, when $\alpha = 1$, but a class of more general normalizing functions than $\varphi(n) = \sqrt{2 \ln \ln(3 \vee n)}$ was considered. We note that the methods of proof used in this paper differ significantly from those proposed in [4]. We also mention the paper [5]. In that paper the moderate deviations principle for diffusion processes was obtained for the case when $\alpha \geq 1$, which is the main tool for proving the Strassen's law of iterated logarithm.

Remark 1. *In the case when $\alpha \leq \frac{1}{2}$, the Strassen's law of iterated logarithm cannot be obtained, since for such α , due to the Khinchin's law of iterated logarithm, the following holds*

$$\limsup_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{|\tilde{w}(t)|}{1 + t^\alpha} \geq \limsup_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{|\tilde{w}(t)|}{1 + \sqrt{t}} = \infty \quad \text{a.s.} \quad (1)$$

Also, due to the Cauchy–Bunyakovsky–Schwarz inequality, for any $f \in K$ the following bound holds

$$|f(t)| \leq \int_0^t |\dot{f}(s)| ds \leq \sqrt{t} \left(\int_0^t \dot{f}^2(s) ds \right)^{1/2} \leq \sqrt{t}. \quad (2)$$

Using formulas (1) and (2) we can conclude that for any $\alpha \leq \frac{1}{2}$, any function $f \in K$ and any $n \in \mathbb{N}$ the following holds

$$\begin{aligned}\rho_\alpha(w_n, f) &= \sup_{t \geq 0} \frac{|w_n(t) - f(t)|}{1 + t^\alpha} \geq \sup_{t \geq 0} \left(\frac{|w_n(t)|}{1 + t^\alpha} - \frac{|f(t)|}{1 + t^\alpha} \right) \\ &\geq \sup_{t \geq 0} \left(\frac{|w_n(t)|}{1 + t^\alpha} - \frac{\sqrt{t}}{1 + t^\alpha} \right) = \sup_{t \geq 0} \frac{1 + \sqrt{t}}{1 + t^\alpha} \left(\frac{|w_n(t)|}{1 + \sqrt{t}} - \frac{\sqrt{t}}{1 + \sqrt{t}} \right) \\ &\geq \sup_{t \geq 0} \frac{1 + \sqrt{t}}{1 + t^\alpha} \left(\frac{|w_n(t)|}{1 + \sqrt{t}} - 1 \right) = \infty \quad \text{a.s.}\end{aligned}$$

Thus, the result of Theorem 1 is unimprovable in the class of power weight functions.

Let us introduce some more new notations. For fixed $T \in (0, \infty)$ we will denote the space of functions continuous on the interval $[0, T]$ as $\mathbb{C}[0, T]$. On that space we define the following sup-metric

$$\rho_T(f, g) := \sup_{t \in [0, T]} \frac{|f(t) - g(t)|}{1 + t^\alpha},$$

where $\alpha > \frac{1}{2}$; and the uniform metric

$$\rho_{T,U}(f, g) := \sup_{t \in [0, T]} |f(t) - g(t)|.$$

The rest of the paper consists of Section 2 and Section 3. In Section 2 we prove the main result. In Section 3 we formulate and prove auxiliary results.

2 Proof of the main result

Proof. We divide the proof into two steps.

Step 1. Let us prove that the set of limit points of the sequence w_n is contained in K a.s. To this end we show that the conditions of Lemma 2 are met for w_n a.s.

From [1, appendix 8, Theorem 4] and the inequality $\rho_T(w_{n_r(c)}, K_T) \leq \rho_{T,U}(w_{n_r(c)}, K_T)$ it follows that for any $c > 1$ and $T > 0$ the following equality holds

$$\mathbf{P} \left(\limsup_{r \rightarrow \infty} \rho_T(w_{n_r(c)}, K_T) = 0 \right) = 1, \quad (3)$$

where $n_r(c) = \lfloor c^r \rfloor$. That is, the condition (1) of Lemma 2 is satisfied a.s.

Now we show that for any $\varepsilon > 0$ there is $T_\varepsilon > 0$ such that for any $c > 1$ the following equality holds

$$\mathbf{P} \left(\limsup_{r \rightarrow \infty} \left(\sup_{t \geq T_\varepsilon} \frac{\max_{s \in [0, t]} |w_{n_r(c)}(s)|}{1 + t^\alpha} \right) < \varepsilon \right) = 1. \quad (4)$$

For $T > 0$ we define a set of events as follows

$$A_r := \left\{ \sup_{t \geq T} \frac{\max_{s \in [0, t]} |w_{n_r(c)}(s)|}{1 + t^\alpha} \geq \varepsilon \right\}, \quad r \in \mathbb{N}.$$

Using Lemma 4, we obtain the following bound

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \mathbf{P}(A_r) &\leq C(T, \varepsilon) \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} 2 \exp \left\{ \frac{-T^{2\alpha-1} \varphi^2(n_r(c)) \varepsilon^2}{4} \right\} \\ &= C(T, \varepsilon) \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \frac{2}{(\ln(3 \vee n_r(c)))^{T^{2\alpha-1} \varepsilon^2 / 2}}, \end{aligned}$$

from which it follows that the series $\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \mathbf{P}(A_r)$ converges if

$$T_\varepsilon > \left(\frac{2}{\varepsilon^2} \right)^{1/(2\alpha-1)}.$$

Therefore, from Borel–Cantelli Lemma it follows that the equality (4) holds, and consequently the condition (2) of Lemma 2 is satisfied a.s.

Thus, all the conditions of Lemma 2 are satisfied a.s., and we can conclude that the set of limit points of the sequence w_n is contained in K a.s.

Step 2. It remains to show that for any function $f \in K$ and almost all $\omega \in \Omega$ there is a sequence $n_k(\omega)$ such that $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \rho(w_{n_k(\omega)}, f) = 0$.

We fix $\varepsilon > 0$. Let us choose $T_{1,\varepsilon}$ such that the following equality holds

$$\mathbf{P} \left(\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\sup_{t \geq T_\varepsilon} \frac{\max_{s \in [0, t]} |w_n(s)|}{1 + t^\alpha} \right) < \varepsilon \right) = 1. \quad (5)$$

We recall that such choice is possible due to the equality (4) and the Lemma 1.

Let $f \in K$. For any $T > 0$ the following bound holds (see 2)

$$|f(T)| \leq \sqrt{T}.$$

Therefore we can choose $T_{2,\varepsilon} > 0$ such that for any $T \geq T_{2,\varepsilon}$ the following holds

$$\sup_{t \geq T} \frac{|f(T)|}{1 + t^\alpha} < \varepsilon. \quad (6)$$

Since f is in K , for any $\varepsilon > 0$ there is $T_{3,\varepsilon} > 0$ such that

$$\int_{T_{3,\varepsilon}}^{\infty} \dot{f}^2(s) ds \leq \varepsilon^2. \quad (7)$$

It is easy to see that for $T_\varepsilon := \max(T_{1,\varepsilon}, T_{2,\varepsilon}, T_{3,\varepsilon})$ the inequalities (5), (6) and (7) hold simultaneously.

Using the Cauchy–Bunyakovsky–Schwarz inequality we get

$$\begin{aligned}
\sup_{t \geq T_\varepsilon} \frac{|f(t) - f(T_\varepsilon)|}{1 + t^\alpha} &\leq \sup_{t \geq T_\varepsilon} \frac{\int_{T_\varepsilon}^t |\dot{f}(s)| ds}{1 + t^\alpha} \leq \sup_{t \geq T_\varepsilon} \int_{T_\varepsilon}^t \frac{|\dot{f}(s)|}{1 + s^\alpha} ds \\
&\leq \int_{T_\varepsilon}^\infty \frac{|\dot{f}(s)|}{1 + s^\alpha} ds \leq \left(\int_{T_\varepsilon}^\infty \dot{f}^2(s) ds \right)^{1/2} \cdot \left(\int_{T_\varepsilon}^\infty \frac{ds}{(1 + s^\alpha)^2} \right)^{1/2} \leq \varepsilon C_\alpha. \quad (8)
\end{aligned}$$

From inequalities (6) and (8) it follows that

$$\begin{aligned}
\rho(w_n, f) &\leq \sup_{t \in [0, T_\varepsilon]} \frac{|w_n(t) - f(t)|}{1 + t^\alpha} + \sup_{t > T_\varepsilon} \frac{|w_n(t) - f(t)|}{1 + t^\alpha} \leq \sup_{t \in [0, T_\varepsilon]} \frac{|w_n(t) - f(t)|}{1 + t^\alpha} \\
&\quad + \sup_{t \geq T_\varepsilon} \frac{|f(t) - f(T_\varepsilon)|}{1 + t^\alpha} + \sup_{t \geq T_\varepsilon} \frac{|w_n(t)|}{1 + t^\alpha} + \sup_{t \geq T_\varepsilon} \frac{|f(T_\varepsilon)|}{1 + t^\alpha} \\
&\leq \sup_{t \in [0, T_\varepsilon]} \frac{|w_n(t) - f(t)|}{1 + t^\alpha} + \sup_{t \geq T_\varepsilon} \frac{|w_n(t)|}{1 + t^\alpha} + (1 + C_\alpha)\varepsilon. \quad (9)
\end{aligned}$$

Using the equality (5) we can conclude that for almost all $\omega \in \Omega$ there is $n(\varepsilon, \omega)$ such that for all $n \geq n(\varepsilon, \omega)$ the following equality holds

$$\sup_{t \geq T_\varepsilon} \frac{|w_n(t)|}{1 + t^\alpha} < 2\varepsilon. \quad (10)$$

From [1, appendix 8, Theorem 4] (the law of iterated logarithm for the Wiener process on the interval $[0, T_\varepsilon]$) it follows that for any function $f \in K_{T_\varepsilon}$ and almost all $\omega \in \Omega$ exists a sequence $n_k(\omega)$ such that $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \rho_{T_\varepsilon, U}(w_{n_k(\omega)}, f) = 0$. Therefore for almost all $\omega \in \Omega$

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \sup_{t \in [0, T_\varepsilon]} \frac{|w_{n_k(\omega)}(t) - f(t)|}{1 + t^\alpha} \leq \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \rho_{T_\varepsilon, U}(w_{n_k(\omega)}, f) = 0. \quad (11)$$

From (9), (10) and (11) it follows that for any function $f \in K$, $\varepsilon > 0$ and almost all $\omega \in \Omega$ there is a subsequence $n_k(\omega)$ such that

$$\limsup_{k \rightarrow \infty} \rho(w_{n_k(\omega)}, f) < (3 + C_\alpha)\varepsilon.$$

The Theorem 1 is fully proven. \square

3 Auxiliary results

For function $g \in \mathbb{C}$ we set

$$g_n(t) := \frac{g(nt)}{\sqrt{n}\varphi(n)}, \quad n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

Lemma 1. *Let $g \in \mathbb{C}$ and let the following inequality hold for some $T > 0$*

$$\limsup_{r \rightarrow \infty} \left(\sup_{t \geq T} \frac{\max_{s \in [0, t]} |g_{2^r}(s)|}{1 + t^\alpha} \right) < \varepsilon. \quad (12)$$

Then for the same $T > 0$ the following inequality holds

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\sup_{t \geq T} \frac{\max_{s \in [0, t]} |g_n(s)|}{1 + t^\alpha} \right) < 2\varepsilon.$$

Proof. Since the inequality in condition (12) is strict, there is $r(\varepsilon)$ such that for all $r \geq r(\varepsilon)$ the following holds

$$\sup_{t \geq T} \frac{\max_{s \in [0, t]} |g_{2^r}(s)|}{1 + t^\alpha} < \varepsilon, \quad \frac{\varphi(2^{r+1})}{\varphi(2^r)} < \sqrt{2}. \quad (13)$$

It is easy to see, that for any $n \geq 2^{r(\varepsilon)}$ there is $r(n) \geq r(\varepsilon)$ such that $2^{r(n)} \leq n < 2^{r(n)+1}$. Therefore, using inequalities (13), for $n \geq 2^{r(\varepsilon)}$ we get

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_{t \geq T} \frac{\max_{s \in [0, t]} |g_n(s)|}{1 + t^\alpha} &= \sup_{t \geq T} \frac{\max_{s \in [0, t]} |g(ns)|}{(1 + t^\alpha)\sqrt{n}\varphi(n)} \leq \sup_{t \geq T} \frac{\max_{s \in [0, t]} |g(2^{r(n)+1}s)|}{(1 + t^\alpha)\sqrt{2^{r(n)}}\varphi(2^{r(n)})} \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{2^{r(n)+1}}\varphi(2^{r(n)+1})}{\sqrt{2^{r(n)}}\varphi(2^{r(n)})} \cdot \sup_{t \geq T} \frac{\max_{s \in [0, t]} |g(2^{r(n)+1}s)|}{(1 + t^\alpha)\sqrt{2^{r(n)+1}}\varphi(2^{r(n)+1})} \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{2}\varphi(2^{r(n)+1})}{\varphi(2^{r(n)})} \cdot \sup_{t \geq T} \frac{\max_{s \in [0, t]} |g_{2^{r(n)+1}}(s)|}{1 + t^\alpha} < 2\varepsilon. \end{aligned}$$

□

Lemma 2. Let $g \in \mathbb{C}$ and let it satisfy the following conditions:

(1) for any $c > 1$ and $T > 0$

$$\limsup_{r \rightarrow \infty} \rho_T(g_{n_r(c)}, K_T) = 0,$$

where $n_r(c) = \lfloor c^r \rfloor$, $r \in \mathbb{N}$, $\rho_T(g_{n_r(c)}, K_T) := \inf_{f \in K_T} \rho_T(g_{n_r(c)}, f)$;

(2) for any $\varepsilon > 0$ there is $T_\varepsilon > 0$ such that for any $c > 1$

$$\limsup_{r \rightarrow \infty} \left(\sup_{t \geq T_\varepsilon} \frac{\max_{s \in [0, t]} |g_{n_r(c)}(s)|}{1 + t^\alpha} \right) < \varepsilon. \quad (14)$$

Then

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \rho(g_n, K) = 0.$$

Proof. It is suffices to show that for any $\varepsilon > 0$

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \rho \left(\frac{g(nt)}{\sqrt{n}\varphi(n)}, K \right) < 3\varepsilon. \quad (15)$$

Fix $\varepsilon > 0$. Let us denote $C_{T_\varepsilon} := \{f \in \mathbb{C} : f(t) \equiv f(T_\varepsilon), \text{ for } t \geq T_\varepsilon\}$. It is obvious, that

$$\tilde{K}_\varepsilon := K_{T_\varepsilon} \cap C_{T_\varepsilon} \subset K, \quad (16)$$

and, due to the Cauchy–Bunyakovsky–Schwarz inequality, for any function $f \in K_{T_\varepsilon}$ the following equality holds

$$\sup_{t \in [0, T_\varepsilon]} |f(t)| \leq \int_0^{T_\varepsilon} |\dot{f}(s)| ds \leq \sqrt{T_\varepsilon} \left(\int_0^{T_\varepsilon} \dot{f}^2(s) ds \right)^{1/2} \leq \sqrt{T_\varepsilon}.$$

Therefore for any T_ε large enough the following inequality holds for $f \in \tilde{K}_\varepsilon$

$$\sup_{t \geq T_\varepsilon} \frac{\max_{s \in [0, t]} |f(s)|}{1 + t^\alpha} = \sup_{t \geq T_\varepsilon} \frac{\max_{s \in [0, T_\varepsilon]} |f(s)|}{1 + t^\alpha} \leq \frac{\sqrt{T_\varepsilon}}{1 + T_\varepsilon^\alpha} < \varepsilon. \quad (17)$$

It is easy to see, that if the inequality (14) holds for some $T_\varepsilon > 0$, then it also holds for any $T > T_\varepsilon$. For this reason, from now on, we will assume that T_ε is chosen such that both inequalities (14) and (17) hold.

Using (16) and (17) we get

$$\begin{aligned} \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \rho(g_n, K) &\leq \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \rho(g_n, \tilde{K}_\varepsilon) \\ &\leq \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \inf_{f \in \tilde{K}_\varepsilon} \left(\sup_{t \in [0, T_\varepsilon]} \frac{|g_n(t) - f(t)|}{1 + t^\alpha} + \sup_{t \geq T_\varepsilon} \frac{|g_n(t) - f(t)|}{1 + t^\alpha} \right) \\ &\leq \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \inf_{f \in \tilde{K}_\varepsilon} \left(\sup_{t \in [0, T_\varepsilon]} \frac{|g_n(t) - f(t)|}{1 + t^\alpha} + \sup_{t \geq T_\varepsilon} \frac{\max_{s \in [0, t]} |g_n(s)|}{1 + t^\alpha} + \varepsilon \right) \\ &\leq \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \rho_{T_\varepsilon}(g_n, K_{T_\varepsilon}) + \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\sup_{t \geq T_\varepsilon} \frac{\max_{s \in [0, t]} |g_n(s)|}{1 + t^\alpha} \right) + \varepsilon. \end{aligned} \quad (18)$$

It is easy to see that $\rho_{T_\varepsilon}(g_n, K_{T_\varepsilon}) \leq \rho_{T_\varepsilon, U}(g_n, K_{T_\varepsilon}) \leq (1 + T_\varepsilon^\alpha) \rho_{T_\varepsilon}(g_n, K_{T_\varepsilon})$. We also note that the set K_{T_ε} is compact in the metric space $(\mathbb{C}[0, T_\varepsilon], \rho_{T_\varepsilon, U})$ (see, for example, [1, appendix 8, Lemma 2]). Therefore from condition (1) and [1, appendix 8, Lemma 6] it follows that

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \rho_{T_\varepsilon}(g_n, K_{T_\varepsilon}) = 0. \quad (19)$$

Applying condition (2) and Lemma 1, we get

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\sup_{t \geq T_\varepsilon} \frac{\max_{s \in [0, t]} |g_n(s)|}{1 + t^\alpha} \right) < 2\varepsilon. \quad (20)$$

Inequality (15) follows from formulas (18)–(20). \square

Lemma 3. *Let the function $f(t)$ be continuous on $[0, \infty)$, and let $\varepsilon > 0$. Then*

$$\limsup_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\max_{s \in [0, t]} |f(s)|}{1 + t^\alpha} \geq \varepsilon \quad (21)$$

if and only if

$$\limsup_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{|f(t)|}{1+t^\alpha} \geq \varepsilon. \quad (22)$$

Proof. It is easy to see that (21) follows from (22).

Now we show that from the inequality

$$\limsup_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{|f(t)|}{1+t^\alpha} < \varepsilon, \quad (23)$$

it follows that

$$\limsup_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\max_{s \in [0,t]} |f(s)|}{1+t^\alpha} < \varepsilon. \quad (24)$$

Suppose that (23) holds, but (24) does not. Then there are sequences s_m and t_m such that $0 \leq s_m \leq t_m$ for all $m \in \mathbb{N}$, $\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} t_m = \infty$ and

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{|f(s_m)|}{1+t_m^\alpha} \geq \varepsilon. \quad (25)$$

If $\liminf_{m \rightarrow \infty} s_m < \infty$, then due to the continuity of the function f the inequality (25) cannot hold. Therefore $\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} s_m = \infty$. Then, due to the fact, that $s_m \leq t_m$, we have

$$\varepsilon \leq \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{|f(s_m)|}{1+t_m^\alpha} \leq \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{|f(s_m)|}{1+s_m^\alpha} \leq \limsup_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{|f(t)|}{1+t^\alpha} < \varepsilon.$$

The resulting contradiction completes the proof. \square

Lemma 4. *For any $n \in \mathbb{N}$, $T > 0$ and $\varepsilon > 0$ the following bound holds*

$$\mathbf{P} \left(\sup_{t \geq T} \frac{\max_{s \in [0,t]} |w_n(s)|}{1+t^\alpha} \geq \varepsilon \right) \leq 2 \exp \left\{ -\frac{T^{2\alpha-1} \varphi^2(n) \varepsilon^2}{4} \right\} C(T, \varepsilon),$$

where the constant $0 < C(T, \varepsilon) < \infty$ depends only on T and ε .

Proof. Let $0 < \lambda \in \mathbb{R}$. Applying Doob's martingale inequality (see., for example, [1, chapter 4, Corollary 5]) to the martingale $\exp \left\{ \lambda \tilde{w}(t) - \frac{\lambda^2}{2} t \right\}$, and using the fact, that the random process $-\tilde{w}(t)$ is a Wiener process, for any $x > 0$ and $y > 0$ we get

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{P} \left(\max_{t \in [0,y]} |\tilde{w}(t)| \geq x \right) &\leq \mathbf{P} \left(\max_{t \in [0,y]} \tilde{w}(t) \geq x \right) + \mathbf{P} \left(\max_{t \in [0,y]} (-\tilde{w}(t)) \geq x \right) \\ &\leq 2 \mathbf{P} \left(\max_{t \in [0,y]} \exp \left\{ \lambda \tilde{w}(t) - \frac{\lambda^2}{2} t \right\} \geq \exp \left\{ \lambda x - \frac{\lambda^2}{2} y \right\} \right) \\ &\leq \frac{2 \mathbf{E} \exp \left\{ \lambda \tilde{w}(y) - \frac{\lambda^2}{2} y \right\}}{\exp \left\{ \lambda x - \frac{\lambda^2}{2} y \right\}} = 2 \exp \left\{ -\lambda x + \frac{\lambda^2}{2} y \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

By choosing $\lambda = \frac{x}{y}$, we will have

$$\mathbf{P} \left(\max_{t \in [0, y]} |\tilde{w}(t)| \geq x \right) \leq 2 \exp \left\{ -\frac{x^2}{2y} \right\}. \quad (26)$$

Using inequality (26), Lemma 3 and the Khinchin's law of iterated logarithm, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{P} \left(\sup_{t \geq T} \frac{\max_{s \in [0, t]} |w_n(s)|}{1 + t^\alpha} \geq \varepsilon \right) &= \mathbf{P} \left(\sup_{t \geq T} \frac{\max_{s \in [0, t]} |\tilde{w}(s)|}{(1 + t^\alpha)\varphi(n)} \geq \varepsilon \right) \\ &\leq \mathbf{P} \left(\bigcup_{r=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \sup_{t \in [Tr, T(r+1)]} \frac{\max_{s \in [0, t]} |\tilde{w}(s)|}{(1 + t^\alpha)} \geq \varphi(n)\varepsilon \right\} \right) + \mathbf{P} \left(\limsup_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\max_{s \in [0, t]} |\tilde{w}(s)|}{(1 + t^\alpha)\varphi(n)} \geq \varepsilon \right) \\ &= \mathbf{P} \left(\bigcup_{r=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \sup_{t \in [Tr, T(r+1)]} \frac{\max_{s \in [0, t]} |\tilde{w}(s)|}{(1 + t^\alpha)} \geq \varphi(n)\varepsilon \right\} \right) + \mathbf{P} \left(\limsup_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{|\tilde{w}(t)|}{(1 + t^\alpha)\varphi(n)} \geq \varepsilon \right) \\ &= \mathbf{P} \left(\bigcup_{r=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \sup_{t \in [Tr, T(r+1)]} \frac{\max_{s \in [0, t]} |\tilde{w}(s)|}{(1 + t^\alpha)} \geq \varphi(n)\varepsilon \right\} \right) \\ &\leq \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \mathbf{P} \left(\sup_{t \in [Tr, T(r+1)]} \frac{\max_{s \in [0, t]} |\tilde{w}(s)|}{(1 + t^\alpha)} \geq \varphi(n)\varepsilon \right) \leq \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \mathbf{P} \left(\frac{\max_{s \in [0, T(r+1)]} |\tilde{w}(s)|}{(1 + (Tr)^\alpha)} \geq \varphi(n)\varepsilon \right) \\ &\leq 2 \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \exp \left\{ -\frac{(1 + (Tr)^\alpha)^2 \varphi^2(n) \varepsilon^2}{2T(r+1)} \right\} = 2 \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \exp \left\{ -\frac{(1 + 2(Tr)^\alpha + (Tr)^{2\alpha}) \varphi^2(n) \varepsilon^2}{2T(r+1)} \right\} \\ &= 2 \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \exp \left\{ -\frac{(1 + 2(Tr)^\alpha + (Tr)^{2\alpha} + T^{2\alpha}r - T^{2\alpha}r) \varphi^2(n) \varepsilon^2}{2T(r+1)} \right\} \\ &= 2 \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \exp \left\{ -\frac{(1 + 2(Tr)^\alpha + (Tr)^{2\alpha} - T^{2\alpha}r) \varphi^2(n) \varepsilon^2}{2T(r+1)} \right\} \exp \left\{ \frac{-T^{2\alpha}r \varphi^2(n) \varepsilon^2}{2T(r+1)} \right\} \\ &\leq 2 \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \exp \left\{ -\frac{(1 + 2(Tr)^\alpha + (Tr)^{2\alpha} - T^{2\alpha}r) \varepsilon^2 2 \ln \ln 3}{2T(r+1)} \right\} \exp \left\{ \frac{-T^{2\alpha-1} \varphi^2(n) \varepsilon^2}{4} \right\} \\ &= 2 \exp \left\{ \frac{-T^{2\alpha-1} \varphi^2(n) \varepsilon^2}{4} \right\} \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \exp \left\{ -\frac{(1 + 2(Tr)^\alpha + (Tr)^{2\alpha} - T^{2\alpha}r) \varepsilon^2 2 \ln \ln 3}{2T(r+1)} \right\} \\ &= 2 \exp \left\{ \frac{-T^{2\alpha-1} \varphi^2(n) \varepsilon^2}{4} \right\} C(T, \varepsilon). \end{aligned}$$

Lemma 4 is proven. \square

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