

# Functional central limit theorems and moderate deviations for Poisson cluster processes

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## Theorem 2.2

Assume that (A2) holds. Define  $J : D[0, 1] \rightarrow [0, \infty]$  as follows

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Then  $\left\{ \frac{N_{\mathbf{x}}(0, \alpha t) - E(N_{\mathbf{x}}(0, \alpha t))}{b(\alpha)}, t \in [0, 1] \right\}$  satisfies the large deviation principle (LDP) on  $(D[0, 1], \|\cdot\|)$  with speed  $\frac{b^2(\alpha)}{\alpha}$  and good rate function  $J(f)$ .

That is,

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(2). For any closed  $F$  in  $(D[0, 1], \|\cdot\|)$ ,

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## Corollary 2.1

Let  $X$  be a Hawkes process. Assume that (B1) and (B2) hold. Then

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# A maximal inequality for Poisson cluster processes

Define

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We present a maximal inequality for Poisson cluster processes. It plays a very important role in this paper.

# A maximal inequality for Poisson cluster processes

## Lemma 2.1

Let  $0 \leq s < t$ , and  $s = t_0 < t_1 < \dots < t_n = t$ . Then for any  $r > 0$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} & P \left( \max_{1 \leq l \leq n} |C(t_l) - C(s) - E(C(t_l) - C(s))| > 3r \right) \\ & \leq 2P \left( \max_{0 \leq l \leq n-1} \left| \sum_{X_k \in I_l(0, t_l]} N_{C_k}(t_l, t_n] - E \left( \sum_{X_k \in I_l(0, t_l]} N_{C_k}(t_l, t_n] \right) \right| > r/2 \right) \\ & \quad + 2 \max_{0 \leq l \leq n-1} P \left( \left| \sum_{X_k \in I_l(t_l, t_n]} N_{C_k}(0, t_n] - E \left( \sum_{X_k \in I_l(t_l, t_n]} N_{C_k}(0, t_n] \right) \right| > r/2 \right). \end{aligned} \tag{2.4}$$

In this section, we give a proof of the following FCLT.

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# Proof of FCLT

Let us write

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{N_{\mathbf{X}}(0, \alpha t] - E(N_{\mathbf{X}}(0, \alpha t])}{\sqrt{\alpha}} \\ = & \frac{C(\alpha t) - E(C(\alpha t))}{\sqrt{\alpha}} \\ & + \frac{\sum_{X_k \in I_{|(-\infty, 0]}} N_{C_k}(0, \alpha t] - E(\sum_{X_k \in I_{|(-\infty, 0]}} N_{C_k}(0, \alpha t])}{\sqrt{\alpha}} \\ & + \frac{\sum_{X_k \in I_{|(\alpha t, \infty]}} N_{C_k}(0, \alpha t] - E(\sum_{X_k \in I_{|(\alpha t, \infty]}} N_{C_k}(0, \alpha t])}{\sqrt{\alpha}}. \end{aligned}$$

We will prove that the second term and the third term are negligible and

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### Lemma 3.2

Assume that (A1) satisfies. Then for any  $\delta > 0$ ,

$$\lim_{\eta \rightarrow 0} \limsup_{\alpha \rightarrow \infty} P \left( \sup_{|t-s| < \eta} \left| C(\alpha t) - E(C(\alpha t)) - (C(\alpha s) - E(C(\alpha s))) \right| > 3\sqrt{\alpha}\delta \right) = 0. \quad (3.2)$$

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Assume that (A1) holds. Then for each  $n \geq 1$  and  $0 \leq t_1 < \dots < t_n \leq 1$ ,

$$\left( \frac{C(\alpha t_1) - E(C(\alpha t_1))}{\sqrt{\alpha}}, \dots, \frac{C(\alpha t_n) - E(C(\alpha t_n))}{\sqrt{\alpha}} \right) \xrightarrow{d} \sigma(B(t_1), \dots, B(t_n)).$$

### Lemma 3.2

Assume that (A1) satisfies. Then for any  $\delta > 0$ ,

$$\lim_{\eta \rightarrow 0} \limsup_{\alpha \rightarrow \infty} P \left( \sup_{|t-s| < \eta} \left| C(\alpha t) - E(C(\alpha t)) - (C(\alpha s) - E(C(\alpha s))) \right| > 3\sqrt{\alpha}\delta \right) = 0. \quad (3.2)$$

By the definition of Poisson cluster process, we have that

$$\begin{aligned}
 & E \left( e^{\frac{\sqrt{-1}}{\sqrt{\alpha}} \sum_{i=1}^n \theta_i \left( \sum_{X_k \in I_{(0, \alpha t_i]}} N_{C_k}(0, \alpha t_i] - E \left( \sum_{X_k \in I_{(0, \alpha t_i]}} N_{C_k}(0, \alpha t_i] \right) \right)} \right) \\
 &= \exp \left\{ \nu \sum_{j=1}^n \int_0^{\alpha(t_j - t_{j-1})} \left\{ E \left( e^{\frac{\sqrt{-1}}{\sqrt{\alpha}} \sum_{i=j}^n \theta_i N_{C_0}(-\alpha t_{j-1} - s, \alpha(t_i - t_{j-1}) - s]} - 1 \right) \right. \right. \\
 &\quad \left. \left. - \frac{\sqrt{-1}}{\sqrt{\alpha}} E \left( \sum_{i=j}^n \theta_i N_{C_0}(-\alpha t_{j-1} - s, \alpha(t_i - t_{j-1}) - s) \right) \right\} ds \right\}
 \end{aligned}$$

Note that  $N_{C_0}(-\alpha t_{j-1} - s, \alpha(t_i - t_{j-1}) - s] \leq N_{C_0}(\mathbb{R}) = S$  and  $N_{C_0}(-\alpha t_{j-1} - s, \alpha(t_i - t_{j-1}) - s] \uparrow S$  as  $\alpha \uparrow$ . Thus

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{\alpha \rightarrow \infty} E \left( e^{\frac{\sqrt{-1}}{\sqrt{\alpha}} \sum_{i=1}^n \theta_i \left( \sum_{X_k \in I_{(0, \alpha t_i]}} N_{C_k}(0, \alpha t_i] - E \left( \sum_{X_k \in I_{(0, \alpha t_i]}} N_{C_k}(0, \alpha t_i] \right) \right)} \right) \\ &= \exp \left\{ -\frac{1}{2} \nu E(S^2) \sum_{j=1}^n \left( \sum_{i=j}^n \theta_i \right)^2 (t_j - t_{j-1}) \right\} \\ &= E \left( e^{\sqrt{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n \theta_i \sigma B(t_i)} \right). \end{aligned}$$



## Proof of Lemma 3.2

For  $\eta > 0$  given, set

$$A_s(\delta) = \left\{ \sup_{s \leq t \leq s+\eta} \left| C(\alpha t) - E(C(\alpha t)) - (C(\alpha s) - E(C(\alpha s))) \right| > \sqrt{\alpha} \delta \right\}.$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} & P \left( \sup_{|t-s| < \eta} \left| C(\alpha t) - E(C(\alpha t)) - (C(\alpha s) - E(C(\alpha s))) \right| > 3\sqrt{\alpha} \delta \right) \\ & \leq P \left( \cup_{i \leq \eta^{-1}} A_{i\eta}(\delta) \right) \leq \left( 1 + \frac{1}{\eta} \right) \sup_{s \in (0,1)} P(A_s(\delta)) \end{aligned}$$

Thus, if for any  $\delta > 0$ ,

$$\lim_{\eta \rightarrow 0} \limsup_{\alpha \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\eta} \sup_{s \in (0,1)} P(A_s(\delta)) = 0, \quad (3.3)$$

then (3.2) holds. Thus, we only need to prove (3.3).

For any  $\eta \in (0, 1)$ ,  $s \in (0, 1)$ , set  $t_l = s\alpha + l\eta$  for  $l = 0, 1, \dots, [\alpha] + 1$ .  
Then for any  $\delta > 0$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} & P \left( \sup_{s \leq t \leq s+\eta} \left| C(\alpha t) - E(C(\alpha t)) - (C(\alpha s) - E(C(\alpha s))) \right| > \sqrt{\alpha} \delta \right) \\ & \leq P \left( \max_{1 \leq l \leq [\alpha]+1} \left| C(t_l) - E(C(t_l)) - (C(\alpha s) - E(C(\alpha s))) \right| > \sqrt{\alpha} \delta / 2 \right) \\ & \quad + P \left( \max_{0 \leq l \leq [\alpha]} \left| E(C(t_l) - C(t_{l+1})) \right| > \sqrt{\alpha} \delta / 2 \right). \end{aligned}$$

By the maximal inequality for poisson cluster processes ( lemma 2.1),

$$\begin{aligned}
 & P \left( \max_{1 \leq l \leq [\alpha]+1} \left| C(t_l) - E(C(t_l)) - (C(\alpha s) - E(C(\alpha s))) \right| > \sqrt{\alpha} \delta / 2 \right) \\
 & \leq 2P \left( \max_{0 \leq l \leq [\alpha]} \left| \sum_{X_k \in I_l(0, t_l]} N_{C_k}(t_l, t_{[\alpha]+1}] - E \left( \sum_{X_k \in I_l(0, t_l]} N_{C_k}(t_l, t_{[\alpha]+1}] \right) \right| > \frac{\sqrt{\alpha} \delta}{12} \right) \\
 & + 2 \max_{0 \leq l \leq [\alpha]} P \left( \left| \sum_{X_k \in I_l(t_l, t_{[\alpha]+1}]} N_{C_k}(0, t_{[\alpha]+1}] \right. \right. \\
 & \quad \left. \left. - E \left( \sum_{X_k \in I_l(t_l, t_{[\alpha]+1}]} N_{C_k}(0, t_{[\alpha]+1}] \right) \right| > \frac{\sqrt{\alpha} \delta}{12} \right).
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus, we only need to show that

$$\sup_{s \in (0,1)} P \left( \max_{0 \leq l \leq [\alpha]} E(C(t_{l+1}) - C(t_l)) > \sqrt{\alpha}\delta/2 \right) \rightarrow 0, \quad (3.4)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \sup_{s \in (0,1)} P \left( \max_{0 \leq l \leq [\alpha]} \left| \sum_{X_k \in I_l(0, t_l)} N_{C_k}(t_l, t_{[\alpha]+1}) \right. \right. \\ & \left. \left. - E \left( \sum_{X_k \in I_l(0, t_l)} N_{C_k}(t_l, t_{[\alpha]+1}) \right) \right| > \frac{\sqrt{\alpha}\delta}{12} \right) \rightarrow 0. \end{aligned} \quad (3.5)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{\eta} \sup_{s \in (0,1)} \max_{0 \leq l \leq [\alpha]} P \left( \left| \sum_{X_k \in I_l(t_l, t_{[\alpha]+1})} N_{C_k}(0, t_{[\alpha]+1}) \right. \right. \\ & \left. \left. - E \left( \sum_{X_k \in I_l(t_l, t_{[\alpha]+1})} N_{C_k}(0, t_{[\alpha]+1}) \right) \right| > \sqrt{\alpha}\delta/12 \right) \rightarrow 0. \end{aligned} \quad (3.6)$$

Notice that  $\sum_{X_k \in I_l(-\infty, t_l]} N_{C_k}(t_l, \infty)$ ,  $l = 0, 1, \dots, [\alpha] + 1$  are identically distributed with  $\sum_{X_k \in I_l(-\infty, 0]} N_{C_k}(0, \infty)$ , and

$$E\left(\sum_{X_k \in I_l(-\infty, t_l]} N_{C_k}(t_l, \infty)\right) \leq \nu E(LS),$$

$$E\left(\left(\sum_{X_k \in I_l(-\infty, t_l]} N_{C_k}(t_l, \infty)\right)^2\right) \leq (\nu E(LS))^2 + \nu E(LS^2).$$

Therefore, for  $\alpha$  large enough,

$$\begin{aligned}
 & P \left( \max_{0 \leq l \leq [\alpha]} \left| \sum_{X_k \in I_{(0,t_l]}} N_{C_k}(t_l, t_{[\alpha]+1}) - E \left( \sum_{X_k \in I_{(0,t_l]}} N_{C_k}(t_l, t_{[\alpha]+1}) \right) \right| > \frac{\sqrt{\alpha}\delta}{12} \right) \\
 & \leq (\alpha + 1) \max_{0 \leq l \leq [\alpha]} P \left( \sum_{X_k \in I_{(0,t_l]}} N_{C_k}(t_l, t_{[\alpha]+1}) > \frac{\sqrt{\alpha}\delta}{20} \right) \\
 & \leq (\alpha + 1) P \left( \sum_{X_k \in I_{(-\infty,0]}} N_{C_k}(0, \infty) > \sqrt{\alpha}\delta/20 \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

Now, by Chebyshev's inequality, we can get (3.4),(3.5) and (3.6).

In this section, we give a proof of the following moderate deviation principle.

## Theorem 4.1

Assume that (A2) holds. Define  $J : D[0, 1] \rightarrow [0, \infty]$  as follows

$$J(f) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \int_0^1 |\dot{f}(t)|^2 dt, & \text{if } f \in AC_0[0, 1]; \\ +\infty, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases} \quad (4.1)$$

Then  $\left\{ \frac{N_{\mathbf{x}}(0, \alpha t) - E(N_{\mathbf{x}}(0, \alpha t))}{b(\alpha)}, t \in [0, 1] \right\}$  satisfies the large deviation principle (LDP) on  $(D[0, 1], \|\cdot\|)$  with speed  $\frac{b^2(\alpha)}{\alpha}$  and good rate function  $J(f)$ .

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It is obvious that

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{N_{\mathbf{X}}(0, \alpha t] - E(N_{\mathbf{X}}(0, \alpha t])}{b(\alpha)} \\ = & \frac{C(\alpha t) - E(C(\alpha t))}{b(\alpha)} \\ & + \frac{\sum_{X_k \in I_{(-\infty, 0]}} N_{C_k}(0, \alpha t] - E(\sum_{X_k \in I_{(-\infty, 0]}} N_{C_k}(0, \alpha t])}{b(\alpha)} \\ & + \frac{\sum_{X_k \in I_{(\alpha t, \infty]}} N_{C_k}(0, \alpha t] - E(\sum_{X_k \in I_{(\alpha t, \infty]}} N_{C_k}(0, \alpha t])}{b(\alpha)}. \end{aligned}$$

We will show that

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## Exponential equivalence:

For any  $\delta > 0$ ,

$$\lim_{\alpha \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\alpha}{b^2(\alpha)} \log P \left( \sup_{t \in [0,1]} \left| \sum_{X_k \in I_{(-\infty, 0]}} N_{C_k}(0, \alpha t) - E \left( \sum_{X_k \in I_{(-\infty, 0]}} N_{C_k}(0, \alpha t) \right) \right| > b(\alpha) \delta \right) = -\infty, \quad (4.2)$$

and

$$\lim_{\alpha \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\alpha}{b^2(\alpha)} \log P \left( \sup_{t \in [0,1]} \left| \sum_{X_k \in I_{(\alpha t, \infty)}} N_{C_k}(0, \alpha t) - E \left( \sum_{X_k \in I_{(\alpha t, \infty)}} N_{C_k}(0, \alpha t) \right) \right| > b(\alpha) \delta \right) = -\infty. \quad (4.3)$$

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Assume that (A2) holds. Then for each  $n \geq 1$  and  $0 \leq t_1 < \dots < t_n \leq 1$ ,

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satisfies the LDP in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  with speed  $\frac{b^2(\alpha)}{\alpha}$  and good rate function  $J_{t_1, \dots, t_n}(x_1, \dots, x_n)$ .






## Lemma 4.2

Assume that (A2) satisfies. Then for any  $\delta > 0$ ,  $s \in (0, 1)$ ,







$$\lim_{\eta \rightarrow 0} \limsup_{\alpha \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\alpha}{b^2(\alpha)} \log P \left( \sup_{s \leq t \leq s+\eta} \left| C(\alpha t) - E(C(\alpha t)) - (C(\alpha s) - E(C(\alpha s))) \right| > b(\alpha)\delta \right) = -\infty. \quad (4.4)$$

Thank You !

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