

Regenerative simulation of the
overflow probability in the finite
buffer
queue with Brownian input

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Gaussian models

Stationary input: $A(s, t) =_d \mathcal{N}(m \cdot (t - s), \nu(t - s))$

$\nu(t)$ - variance m - mean rate

$$A(t) := A(0, t)$$

Covariation function:

$$\Gamma(s, t) := \text{Cov}(A(s), A(t)) = \frac{1}{2}(\nu(t) + \nu(s) - \nu(t - s))$$

Fluid model

Input traffic:

$$A(t) = m t + \sqrt{m} \cdot X(t)$$

➤ m = mean input rate

➤ $X(t)$ = random centred Gaussian process with covariance

$$\Gamma(t, s) = \mathbf{E}[X(t)X(s)]$$

Service rate:

Constant service rate C

Overflow probability:

$$P_l = P \left(\sup_{t \in S} (A(t) - C t) \geq b \right)$$

➤ MC estimators

Estimation methods:

➤ Importance Sampling (IS)

➤ Regenerative method

Relative Error

$$RE(\hat{p}_l) \triangleq \frac{\sqrt{\text{Var}(\hat{p}_l)}}{E[\hat{p}_l]}$$

For MC-estimator

$$RE(\hat{p}_l) \sim \frac{1}{\sqrt{p_l N}} \quad \text{as} \quad p_l \rightarrow 0$$

For $p_l \rightarrow 0$, the number N of samples must be sufficiently large

Functional Central Limit Theorem

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ \frac{(A(tn) - nmt)}{\sqrt{nm}}, t \geq 0 \right\} =_d \{B(t), t \geq 0\},$$

which means that

$$A(tn) \approx nmt + \sqrt{nm}B(t)$$

$\{B(t), t \geq 0\}$ - Brownian motion

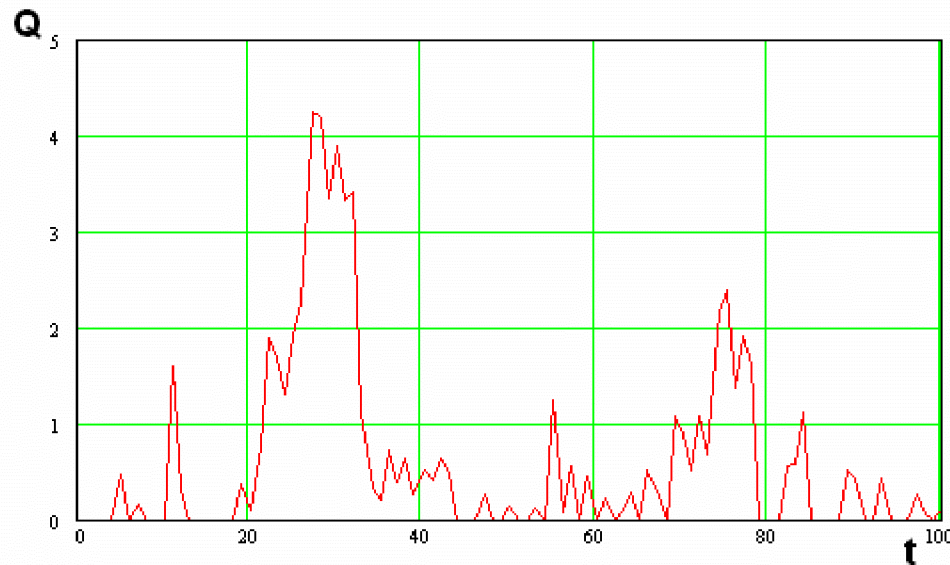
Queue with Brownian input

Input traffic:

$$A(t) = mt + \sqrt{m} B(t)$$

Queue length (in discrete scale):

$$Q(t) = \max\left(0, Q(t-1) - C + m + \sqrt{m} (B(t) - B(t-1))\right), t = 0, 1, \dots$$



Regenerative simulation

$$\lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{j} \sum_{i=0}^j f(X_i) = \frac{E \sum_{i=1}^{\beta} f(X_i)}{E\beta} = Ef(X) := r,$$

Confidence interval for r : $\left[r_k - \frac{z_{\gamma} s(k)}{\bar{\alpha}_k \sqrt{k}}, r_k + \frac{z_{\gamma} s(k)}{\bar{\alpha}_k \sqrt{k}} \right],$

➤ $r_k = \frac{\bar{Y}_k}{\alpha_k},$

➤ $\alpha_i = \beta_i - \beta_{i-1}, \quad i > 0, \quad \bar{\alpha}_k = \frac{1}{k} \sum_{i=1}^k \alpha_i,$

➤ $Y_i = \sum_{i=\beta_{j-1}}^{\beta_j-1} f(X_i), \quad j > 0, \quad \bar{Y}_k = \frac{1}{k} \sum_{i=1}^k Y_i,$

➤ $z_{\gamma} \equiv \Phi^{-1}\left(\frac{1-\gamma}{2}\right),$

➤ $\sigma^2 = E[(Y_1 - r\beta_1)^2], \quad s^2(k) \rightarrow \sigma^2.$

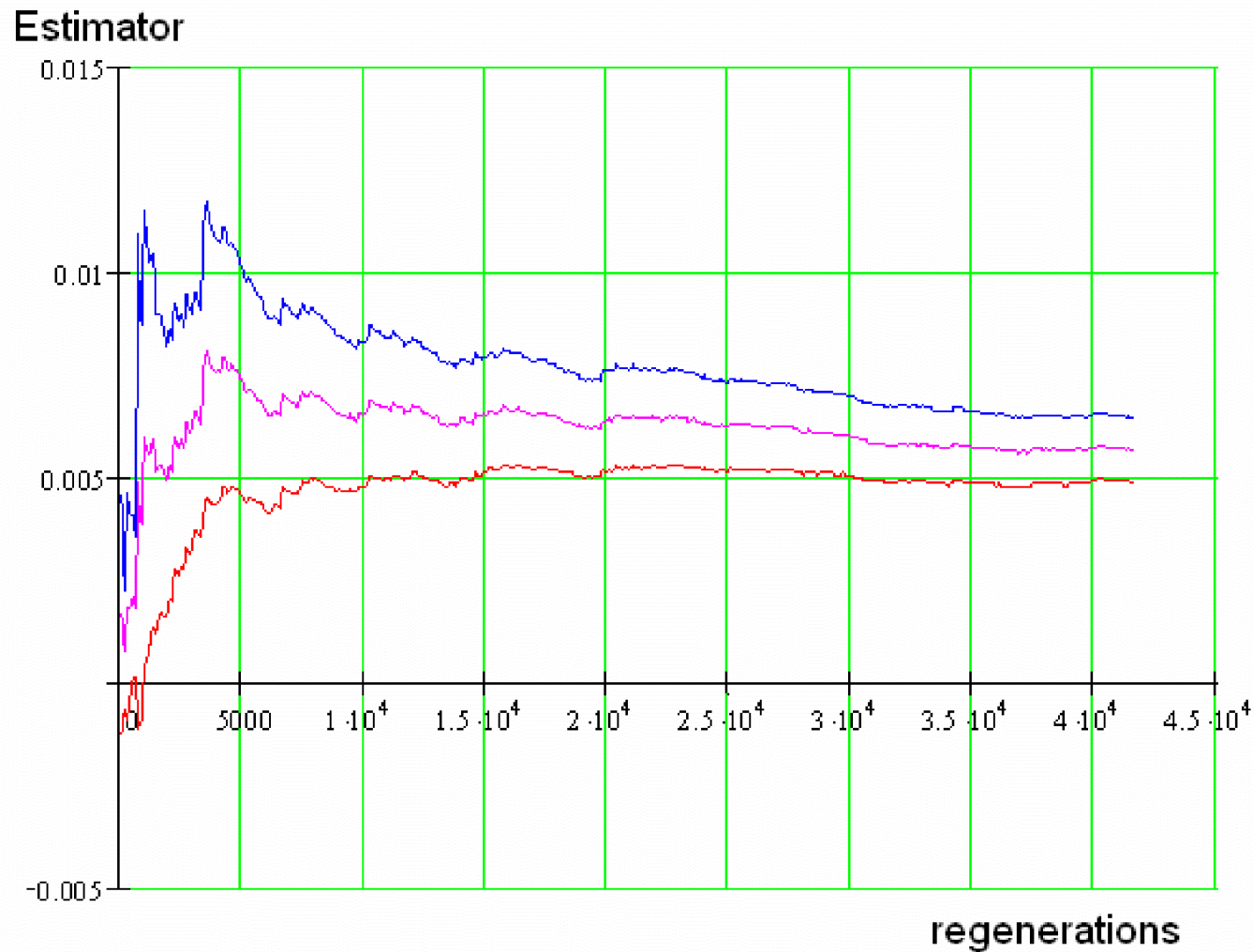
Estimation of loss probability

$$\beta_{k+1} = \min\{t > \beta_k : Q_t = 0\}, \beta_0 = 0$$

- Q_t - workload of a system at time t
- EL - mean lost work per cycle
- EA - mean workload arrived per cycle
- $L_n(t)$ - lost work in $[0; t]$, n – buffer size

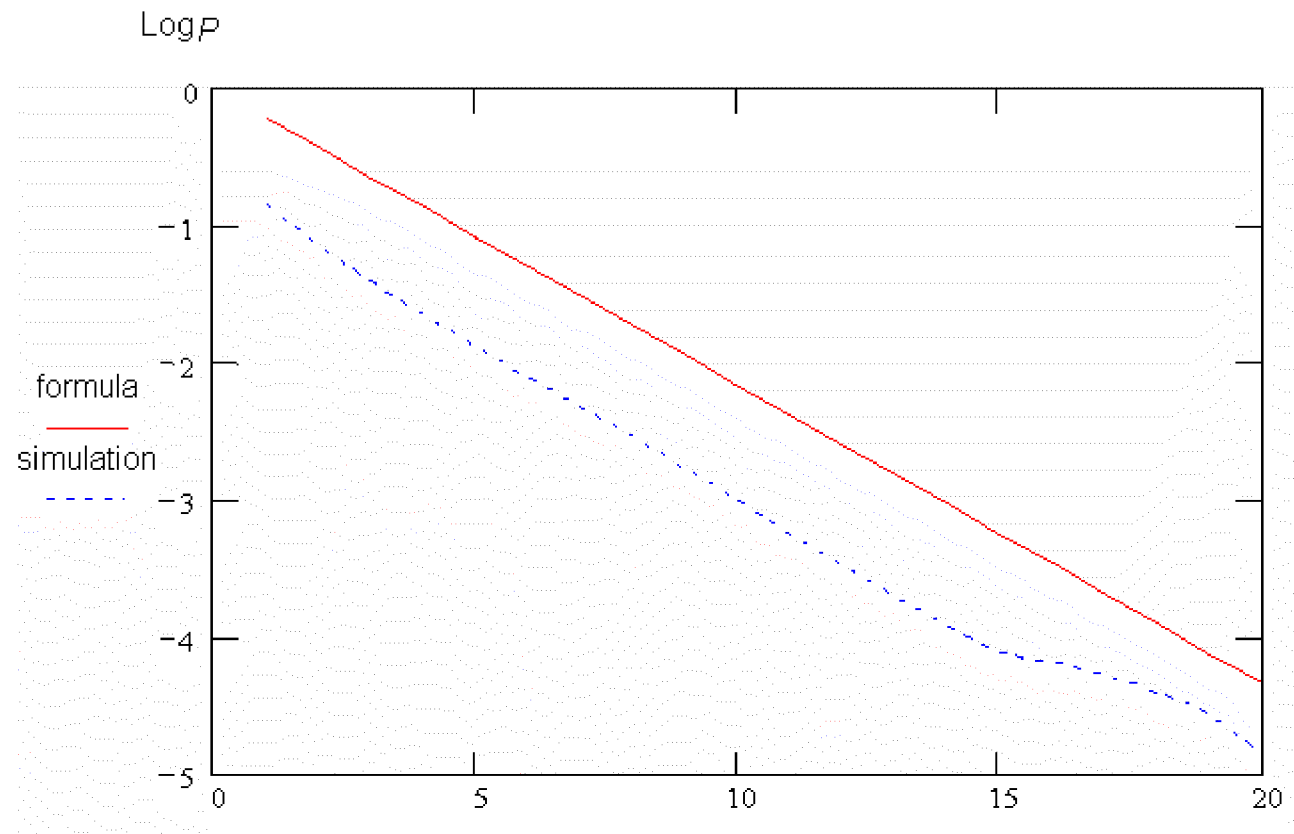
$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{L_n(t)}{A(t)} = \frac{EL}{EA} \equiv P_l$$

Confidence interval for P_l in BM/D/1/n



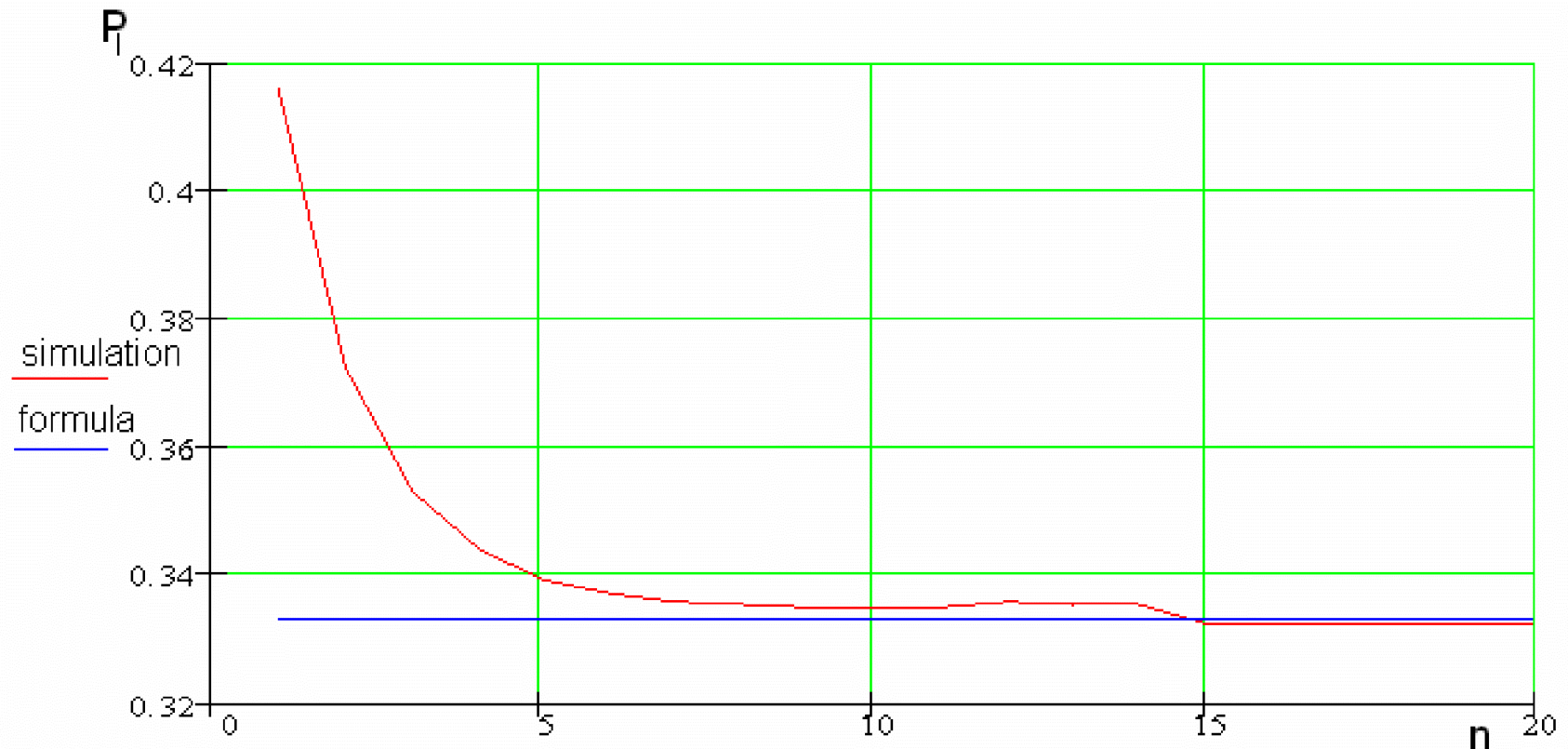
Asymptotic result [Norros]

$$\log P(Q > x) \sim -2 \cdot \frac{C - m}{m} \cdot x$$



Asymptotic result for M/M/1/n [Abramov]

$$P_l \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 1 - \frac{1}{\rho}, \rho > 1.$$



Simulation of BM

$$B(t_n^h) = \Delta_1^h B + \cdots + \Delta_k^h B, \quad k = 1, \dots, n,$$

where

$$\Delta_n^h B \sim N(0, h) \qquad h = h_N = 1/N,$$

Error of linear interpolation:

$$\mathbf{E} \int_0^1 |B^h(t) - B(t)| dt = c / N^{1/2}, \quad c = \sqrt{\pi / 32}$$

Conclusions

- Analysis of queue with Brownian input via regeneration method, based on i.i.d. property of increments of BM.
- Confidence estimation of loss probability.
- Comparison of simulation results with theoretical asymptotic formula.
- Similarity of estimator of P_l for BM/D/1/n and asymptotic results for M/M/1/n.

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