STRONG LIMIT THEOREMS FOR SELF-SIMILAR RANDOM FIELDS

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We consider self-similar random fields and investigate their sample path properties for upper and lower functions in cases of non-decreasing and non-increasing functions. We present some examples of iterated log-type limits for Gaussian self-similar random fields and fractional Brownian sheets. Random field $\{X(t), t = (t_1, \ldots, t_n) \in \mathbb{R}^n\}$ is self-similar with index $\mathbf{H} = (H_1, \ldots, H_n) \in \mathbb{R}^n_+$ if for all $a_1 > 0, \ldots, a_n > 0$, the finite-dimensional distributions of

$$a_1^{-H_1} \cdots a_n^{-H_n} X(a_1 t_1, \ldots, a_n t_n), (t_1, \ldots, t_n) \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

are identical to the finite-dimensional distributions of $X(t_1, \ldots, t_n)$. The aim is to prove strong limit theorems for sample paths of self-similar random fields. In [3] Kono considers such theorems for self-similar random processes. We generalize his results.

Let $\{X(t_1, t_2); \ t = (t_1, t_2) \in \mathbb{R}^2_+\}$ be a real valued separable, measurable, stochastically continuous self-similar random field of order $(H_1, H_2), H_1 > 0, H_2 > 0$. Set

$$Y(\omega) = \sup_{\substack{0 \leq t_1 \leq 1, \\ 0 \leq t_2 \leq 1}} |X(t_1, t_2, \omega)|.$$

Theorem 1. *Let $f = f(x)$ be a positive, continuous, non-decreasing function defined on $\mathbb{R}_+$. Suppose $\mathbf{E}[f(Y)]$ is finite, $\varphi(x_1, x_2)$ is a positive continuous function defined on $\mathbb{R}^2_+$ and satisfying the following conditions:*

(1) *$\varphi(x_1, x_2)$ is non-decreasing in each variable,*
(2) *$\lim_{x \downarrow 1} \sup_{n,m=1,2,\ldots} \frac{\varphi(x^n, x^m)}{\varphi(x^{n-1}, x^{m-1})} = c < +\infty$,*
(3) *$\int_1^{+\infty} \frac{dx}{x f(\varphi(x,x))} < +\infty$;*

then

$$\varlimsup_{\substack{s_1 \to +\infty \\ s_2 \to +\infty}} \frac{|X(s_1, s_2)|}{s_1^{H_1} s_2^{H_2} \varphi(s_1, s_2)} \leq c \qquad a.s.$$

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