

Precise Rates in the Generalized Law of the Iterated Logarithm in \mathbb{R}^m

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Abstract Let $\{X, X_n, n \geq 1\}$ be a sequence of i.i.d. random vectors with $\mathbb{E}X = (0, \dots, 0)_{m \times 1}$ and $\text{Cov}(X, X) = \sigma^2 I_m$, and set $S_n = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$, $n \geq 1$. For every $d > 0$ and $a_n = o((\log \log n)^{-d})$, the article deals with the precise rates in the generalized law of the iterated logarithm for a kind of weighted infinite series of $\mathbb{P}(|S_n| \geq (\varepsilon + a_n)\sigma\sqrt{n}(\log \log n)^d)$.

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1. Introduction and main results

Throughout this paper, let $\{X, X_n, n \geq 1\}$ be a sequence of i.i.d. random vectors with $\mathbb{E}X = (0, \dots, 0)_{m \times 1}$ and $\text{Cov}(X, X) = \sigma^2 I_m$, $\sigma < \infty$, and set $S_n = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$, $n \geq 1$, where I_m is unit $m \times m$ matrix, $\text{Cov}(X_1, X_1) = (\sigma_{uv})_{m \times m}$ is the covariance matrix of $X_1 = (X_{11}, \dots, X_{1m})$, $\sigma_{uv} = \mathbb{E}(X_{1u}X_{1v})$. Let N be the standard m -dimensional normal random vector. We denote by C a positive constant which may vary from line to line, and by \xrightarrow{d} convergence in distribution. For $t = (t_1, \dots, t_m) \in \mathbb{R}^m$, $|t| = (\sum_{u=1}^m t_u^2)^{1/2}$ denotes Euclidean norm. Let $\log x = \ln(x \vee e)$, $\log \log x = \ln(\ln(x \vee e))$ and $[x] = \sup\{\ell, \ell \leq x, \ell \in \mathbb{Z}^+\}$. The notation $a_n = o(b_n)$ means that $a_n/b_n \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$.

Gut and Spătaru [1] proved that when $m = 1$,

$$\lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \varepsilon^2 \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n \log n} \mathbb{P}\{|S_n| \geq \varepsilon \sqrt{n \log \log n}\} = \sigma^2.$$

Zhang [2] deduced that when $m = 1$,

$$\lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \varepsilon^{2b} \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} \mathbb{P}\{|S_n| \geq \varepsilon \sigma \sqrt{2n \log \log n}\} = \frac{\Gamma(b + 1/2)}{b\sqrt{\pi}},$$

holds for every $b > 0$. Xiao et al. [3] established that when $m = 1$,

$$\lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \varepsilon^{b/d} \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} \mathbb{P}\{|S_n| \geq (\varepsilon + a_n)\sigma\sqrt{n}(\log \log n)^d\} = \frac{\mathbb{E}|N|^{b/d}}{b}$$

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holds for $b, d > 0$ and $a_n = o((\log \log n)^{-d})$, if $\mathbb{E}X = 0$ and $\mathbb{E}X^2 = \sigma^2$. Furthermore, they also obtained

$$\lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \frac{1}{-\log \varepsilon} \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n \log n \log \log n} \mathbb{P}\{|S_n| \geq (\varepsilon + a_n)\sigma\sqrt{n}(\log \log n)^d\} = \frac{1}{d},$$

for $d > 0$, $a_n = o((\log \log n)^{-d})$ and $m = 1$. The law of the iterated logarithm has been extended by many authors, the interested reader could see Huang et al. [4], Jiang and Yang [5], Wu and Wen [6].

It is natural to ask whether or not the results of Xiao et al. [3] still hold in higher dimensional case. In this paper we try to give an affirmative answer to the question. The following are our main results.

Theorem 1.1 For $b, d > 0$, and $a_n = o((\log \log n)^{-d})$, we have

$$\lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \varepsilon^{b/d} \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} \mathbb{P}\{|S_n| \geq (\varepsilon + a_n)\sigma\sqrt{n}(\log \log n)^d\} = \frac{2^{b/(2d)}\Gamma(m/2 + b/(2d))}{\Gamma(m/2)b}. \quad (1)$$

Remark 1.2 In Theorem 1.1, if $m = 1$, $a_n = 0$, $d = 1/2$, put $\sqrt{2}\zeta = \varepsilon$, then (1) reduces to

$$\lim_{\zeta \searrow 0} (\zeta)^{2b} \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} \mathbb{P}\{|S_n| \geq (\sqrt{2}\zeta)\sigma\sqrt{n}(\log \log n)^{1/2}\} = \frac{\Gamma(1/2 + b)}{\sqrt{\pi}b},$$

which is consistent to the result in Zhang [2].

Theorem 1.3 For $d > 0$, $a_n = o((\log \log n)^{-d})$, we have

$$\lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \frac{1}{-\log \varepsilon} \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n \log n \log \log n} \mathbb{P}\{|S_n| \geq (\varepsilon + a_n)\sigma\sqrt{n}(\log \log n)^d\} = \frac{1}{d}. \quad (2)$$

The idea of the proof of our main results comes from that of Xiao et al. [3]. We need the following lemma.

Lemma 1.4 Suppose $\mathbb{E}|X|^\alpha < \infty$, $1 < \alpha \leq 2$. Then for $x, y > 0$,

$$\mathbb{P}\{|S_n| \geq x\} \leq nm\mathbb{P}\{|X| > y\} + 2mn^{x/(\sqrt{m}y)} \left(\frac{e\mathbb{E}|X|^\alpha}{n\mathbb{E}|X|^\alpha + xy^{\alpha-1}/\sqrt{m}} \right)^{x/(\sqrt{m}y)}. \quad (3)$$

Proof By [3, Lemma 1] (see [7,8]), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{P}\{|S_n| \geq x\} &\leq \sum_{i=1}^m \mathbb{P}\{|S_{n,i}| \geq \frac{x}{\sqrt{m}}\} \\ &\leq \sum_{i=1}^m [n\mathbb{P}\{|X_{1i}| > y\} + 2n^{x/(\sqrt{m}y)} \left(\frac{e\mathbb{E}|X_{1i}|^\alpha}{n\mathbb{E}|X_{1i}|^\alpha + xy^{\alpha-1}/\sqrt{m}} \right)^{x/(\sqrt{m}y)}] \\ &\leq nm\mathbb{P}\{|X| > y\} + 2mn^{x/(\sqrt{m}y)} \left(\frac{e\mathbb{E}|X|^\alpha}{n\mathbb{E}|X|^\alpha + xy^{\alpha-1}/\sqrt{m}} \right)^{x/(\sqrt{m}y)}, \end{aligned}$$

where $S_{n,i} = \sum_{j=1}^n X_{ji}$, $X_j = (X_{j1}, \dots, X_{jm})$ throughout this paper.

In the following two sections, for $M \geq 3$ and $0 < \varepsilon < 1$, set $b(\varepsilon) = \lfloor \exp\{\exp\{M\varepsilon^{-1/d}\}\} \rfloor$. There is no loss of generality in assuming $\sigma = 1$ for the proof of the two theorems.

2. Proof of Theorem 1.1

Proposition 2.1 For $b, d > 0$, we have

$$\lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \varepsilon^{b/d} \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} \mathbb{P}\{|N| \geq \varepsilon (\log \log n)^d\} = \frac{2^{b/(2d)} \Gamma(m/2 + b/(2d))}{\Gamma(m/2)b}. \quad (4)$$

Proof By the monotonicity of $\frac{(\log \log y)^{b-1}}{y \log y} \int_{\varepsilon^2 (\log \log y)^{2d}}^{\infty} \frac{x^{m/2-1} e^{-x/2}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} dx$ for y large enough, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \varepsilon^{b/d} \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} \mathbb{P}\{|N| \geq \varepsilon (\log \log n)^d\} \\ &= \lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \varepsilon^{b/d} \int_{e^e}^{\infty} \frac{(\log \log y)^{b-1}}{y \log y} dy \int_{\varepsilon^2 (\log \log y)^{2d}}^{\infty} \frac{x^{m/2-1} e^{-x/2}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} dx \\ &= \lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \frac{1}{2d} \int_{\varepsilon^2}^{\infty} t^{b/(2d)-1} dt \int_t^{\infty} \frac{x^{m/2-1} e^{-x/2}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2d} \lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \int_{\varepsilon^2}^{\infty} \frac{x^{m/2-1} e^{-x/2}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} dx \int_{\varepsilon^2}^x t^{b/(2d)-1} dt \\ &= \frac{1}{b} \lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \int_{\varepsilon^2}^{\infty} \frac{x^{m/2-1} e^{-x/2}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} x^{b/(2d)} dx - \frac{1}{b} \lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \varepsilon^{b/d} \int_{\varepsilon^2}^{\infty} \frac{x^{m/2-1} e^{-x/2}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{b} \lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \int_{\varepsilon^2}^{\infty} \frac{x^{m/2-1} e^{-x/2}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} x^{b/(2d)} dx \\ &= \frac{2^{b/(2d)} \Gamma(m/2 + b/(2d))}{\Gamma(m/2)b}. \end{aligned}$$

Thus this completes the proof of Proposition 2.1. \square

Proposition 2.2 For $b, d > 0$, we have

$$\lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \varepsilon^{b/d} \sum_{n \leq b(\varepsilon)} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} |\mathbb{P}\{|S_n| \geq \varepsilon \sqrt{n} (\log \log n)^d\} - \mathbb{P}\{|N| \geq \varepsilon (\log \log n)^d\}| = 0. \quad (5)$$

Proof Let

$$\Delta_n = \sup_{x \in \mathbb{R}} |\mathbb{P}\{|S_n|/\sqrt{n} \geq x\} - \mathbb{P}\{|N| \geq x\}|.$$

Then $\Delta_n \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$ since $S_n/\sqrt{n} \xrightarrow{d} N$ (see [9, Theorem 29.5, p.398]). Application of The Toeplitz lemma [3, Proposition 2.2, 10, Lemma 3.2.3, p.120] yields

$$\begin{aligned} & \varepsilon^{b/d} \sum_{n \leq b(\varepsilon)} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} |\mathbb{P}\{|S_n| \geq \varepsilon \sqrt{n} (\log \log n)^d\} - \mathbb{P}\{|N| \geq \varepsilon (\log \log n)^d\}| \\ & \leq \varepsilon^{b/d} \sum_{n \leq b(\varepsilon)} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} \Delta_n \\ & \leq \frac{CM^b}{(\log \log b(\varepsilon))^b} \sum_{n \leq b(\varepsilon)} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} \Delta_n \rightarrow 0, \text{ as } \varepsilon \rightarrow 0. \end{aligned}$$

Thus the proof of this proposition is completed. \square

Proposition 2.3 For $b, d > 0$, we have

$$\lim_{M \rightarrow \infty} \limsup_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \varepsilon^{b/d} \sum_{n > b(\varepsilon)} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} \mathbb{P}\{|N| \geq \varepsilon (\log \log n)^d\} = 0.$$

Proof We could obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & \limsup_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \varepsilon^{b/d} \sum_{n > b(\varepsilon)} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} \mathbb{P}\{|N| \geq \varepsilon (\log \log n)^d\} \\ & \leq C \limsup_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \varepsilon^{b/d} \int_{b(\varepsilon)}^{\infty} \frac{(\log \log y)^{b-1}}{y \log y} dy \int_{\varepsilon^2 (\log \log y)^{2d}}^{\infty} \frac{x^{m/2-1} e^{-x/2}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} dx \\ & \leq C \int_{M^{2d}}^{\infty} t^{b/(2d)-1} dt \int_t^{\infty} \frac{x^{m/2-1} e^{-x/2}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} dx \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } M \rightarrow \infty, \end{aligned}$$

since

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_1^{\infty} t^{b/(2d)-1} dt \int_t^{\infty} \frac{x^{m/2-1} e^{-x/2}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} dx = \int_1^{\infty} \frac{x^{m/2-1} e^{-x/2}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} dx \int_1^x t^{b/(2d)-1} dt \\ & \leq C \int_1^{\infty} \frac{x^{m/2+b/(2d)-1} e^{-x/2}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} dx + C \int_1^{\infty} \frac{x^{m/2-1} e^{-x/2}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} dx < \infty, \end{aligned}$$

where the above equality comes from Fubini's theorem. Proposition 2.3 is established. \square

Proposition 2.4 For $b, d > 0$, we have

$$\lim_{M \rightarrow \infty} \limsup_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \varepsilon^{b/d} \sum_{n > b(\varepsilon)} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} \mathbb{P}\{|S_n| \geq \varepsilon \sqrt{n} (\log \log n)^d\} = 0. \quad (6)$$

Proof When $0 < b < 2d$, we conclude by Markov's inequality that

$$\begin{aligned} & \limsup_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \varepsilon^{b/d} \sum_{n > b(\varepsilon)} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} \mathbb{P}\{|S_n| \geq \varepsilon \sqrt{n} (\log \log n)^d\} \\ & \leq C \limsup_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \varepsilon^{b/d-2} \sum_{n > b(\varepsilon)} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1-2d}}{n^2 \log n} \sum_{i=1}^m \mathbb{E}[|S_{n,i}|^2] \\ & = C \limsup_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \varepsilon^{b/d-2} \sum_{n > b(\varepsilon)} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1-2d}}{n \log n} m \\ & \leq C \limsup_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \varepsilon^{b/d-2} (\log \log b(\varepsilon))^{b-2d} \\ & \leq CM^{b-2d} \rightarrow 0, \text{ as } M \rightarrow \infty. \end{aligned}$$

For $b \geq 2d$, by Lemma 1.4, we see that

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{n > b(\varepsilon)} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} \mathbb{P}\{|S_n| \geq \varepsilon \sqrt{n} (\log \log n)^d\} \\ & \leq \sum_{n > b(\varepsilon)} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{\log n} m \mathbb{P}\{|X| > \varepsilon \sqrt{n} (\log \log n)^d / T\} + \\ & \quad C \sum_{n > b(\varepsilon)} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} \frac{1}{(\log \log n)^{2dT/\sqrt{m}} \varepsilon^{2T/\sqrt{m}}} := L_1 + L_2, \end{aligned}$$

where T is a positive constant to be specified later. On the one hand, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \limsup_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \varepsilon^{b/d} L_2 &\leq \limsup_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} C \varepsilon^{b/d-2T/\sqrt{m}} \sum_{n>b(\varepsilon)} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1-2dT/\sqrt{m}}}{n \log n} \\ &\leq \limsup_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} C \varepsilon^{b/d-2T/\sqrt{m}} (\log \log b(\varepsilon))^{b-2dT/\sqrt{m}} \\ &\leq C M^{b-2dT/\sqrt{m}} \rightarrow 0, \text{ as } M \rightarrow \infty \end{aligned}$$

for any $T > \sqrt{mb}/(2d)$. On the other hand, for L_1 , without loss of generality assume $T = 1$. It is obtained that

$$\begin{aligned} L_1 &= \sum_{n>b(\varepsilon)} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{\log n} m \mathbb{E}\{I\{|X| \geq \varepsilon \sqrt{n} (\log \log n)^d\}\} \\ &= \sum_{n>b(\varepsilon)} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{\log n} m \sum_{j=n}^{\infty} \mathbb{E}\{I\{\varepsilon \sqrt{j} (\log \log j)^d \leq |X| < \varepsilon \sqrt{j+1} (\log \log(j+1))^d\}\} \\ &= \sum_{j>b(\varepsilon)} \mathbb{E}\{I\{\varepsilon \sqrt{j} (\log \log j)^d \leq |X| < \varepsilon \sqrt{j+1} (\log \log(j+1))^d\}\} \sum_{n>b(\varepsilon)}^j \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{\log n}. \end{aligned}$$

From $(\log \log n)^{b-1} (\log n)^{-1} \rightarrow 0$, as $n > b(\varepsilon) \rightarrow \infty$, it follows that

$$\begin{aligned} L_1 &\leq C \sum_{j>b(\varepsilon)} j \mathbb{E}\{I\{\varepsilon \sqrt{j} (\log \log j)^d \leq |X| < \varepsilon \sqrt{j+1} (\log \log(j+1))^d\}\} \\ &\leq C \varepsilon^{-2} \sum_{j>b(\varepsilon)} \mathbb{E}\{|X|^2 I\{\varepsilon \sqrt{j} (\log \log j)^d \leq |X| < \varepsilon \sqrt{j+1} (\log \log(j+1))^d\}\} \\ &\leq C \varepsilon^{-2} \mathbb{E}\{|X|^2 I\{|X| \geq \varepsilon \sqrt{b(\varepsilon)} (\log \log b(\varepsilon))^d\}\}. \end{aligned}$$

Consequently, for $b \geq 2d$, we have

$$\limsup_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \varepsilon^{b/d} L_1 \leq \limsup_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} C \varepsilon^{b/d-2} \mathbb{E}\{|X|^2 I\{|X| \geq M^d \sqrt{b(\varepsilon)}/2\}\} = 0.$$

Therefore (6) holds for every $b, d > 0$.

Proposition 2.5 For $b, d > 0$, and $a_n = o((\log \log n)^{-d})$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \limsup_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \varepsilon^{b/d} \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} \times \\ |\mathbb{P}\{|S_n| \geq (\varepsilon + a_n) \sqrt{n} (\log \log n)^d\} - \mathbb{P}\{|S_n| \geq \varepsilon \sqrt{n} (\log \log n)^d\}| = 0. \end{aligned} \quad (7)$$

Proof Choose n_1 large enough such that $M^d/3 \geq |a_n| (\log \log n)^d$ for all $n \geq n_1$. If ε is so small that $b(\varepsilon) \geq n_1$, then

$$M^d/3 \geq |a_n| (\log \log n)^d \geq |a_n| (\log \log b(\varepsilon))^d \geq \frac{2}{3} |a_n| M^d \varepsilon^{-1}, n > b(\varepsilon)$$

whence $-|a_n| \geq -\varepsilon/2$, $n > b(\varepsilon)$. It follows that

$$\sum_{n>b(\varepsilon)} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} \mathbb{P}\{|S_n| \geq (\varepsilon + a_n) \sqrt{n} (\log \log n)^d\}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&\leq \sum_{n>b(\varepsilon)} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} \mathbb{P}\{|S_n| \geq (\varepsilon - |a_n|)\sqrt{n}(\log \log n)^d\} \\
&\leq \sum_{n>b(\varepsilon)} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} \mathbb{P}\{|S_n| \geq (\varepsilon/2)\sqrt{n}(\log \log n)^d\}.
\end{aligned}$$

Then from Proposition 2.4, it suffices to get

$$\begin{aligned}
&\lim_{M \rightarrow \infty} \limsup_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \varepsilon^{b/d} \sum_{n \leq b(\varepsilon)} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} \times \\
&\quad |\mathbb{P}\{|S_n| \geq (\varepsilon + a_n)\sqrt{n}(\log \log n)^d\} - \mathbb{P}\{|S_n| \geq \varepsilon\sqrt{n}(\log \log n)^d\}| = 0.
\end{aligned}$$

By a similar argument of Proposition 2.2, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
&\limsup_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \varepsilon^{b/d} \sum_{n \leq b(\varepsilon)} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} \times \\
&\quad |\mathbb{P}\{|S_n| \geq (\varepsilon + a_n)\sqrt{n}(\log \log n)^d\} - \mathbb{P}\{|N| \geq (\varepsilon + a_n)(\log \log n)^d\}| = 0.
\end{aligned}$$

Hence, it remains to get

$$\limsup_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \varepsilon^{b/d} \sum_{n \leq b(\varepsilon)} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} |\mathbb{P}\{|N| \geq (\varepsilon + a_n)(\log \log n)^d\} - \mathbb{P}\{|N| \geq \varepsilon(\log \log n)^d\}| = 0$$

or an even stronger result

$$\limsup_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \varepsilon^{b/d} \sum_{n \leq b(\varepsilon)} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} \mathbb{P}\{(\varepsilon - |a_n|)(\log \log n)^d \leq |N| \leq (\varepsilon + |a_n|)(\log \log n)^d\} = 0.$$

But the left hand side of the above equality is no more than

$$\begin{aligned}
&\limsup_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \varepsilon^{b/d} \sum_{n \leq b(\varepsilon)} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} \int_{(\varepsilon - |a_n|)^2 (\log \log n)^{2d}}^{(\varepsilon + |a_n|)^2 (\log \log n)^{2d}} \frac{x^{m/2-1} e^{-x/2}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} dx \\
&\leq C \limsup_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \varepsilon^{b/d} \sum_{n \leq b(\varepsilon)} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} \int_{(\varepsilon - |a_n|)(\log \log n)^d}^{(\varepsilon + |a_n|)(\log \log n)^d} \frac{x^{m-1} e^{-x^2/2}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} 2dx \\
&\leq C \limsup_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \varepsilon^{b/d} \sum_{n \leq b(\varepsilon)} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} |a_n| (\log \log n)^d \\
&\leq C \limsup_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \frac{M^b}{(\log \log b(\varepsilon))^b} \sum_{n \leq b(\varepsilon)} \frac{(\log \log n)^{b-1}}{n \log n} |a_n| (\log \log n)^d \\
&= 0,
\end{aligned}$$

by the Toeplitz lemma since $|a_n|(\log \log n)^d \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$. Therefore we have the desired result.

Now by Propositions 2.1–2.5 and the triangle inequality, we obtain the proof of Theorem 1.1. \square

3. Proof of Theorem 1.3

Proposition 3.1 For $d > 0$, we have

$$\lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \frac{1}{-\log \varepsilon} \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n \log n \log \log n} \mathbb{P}\{|N| \geq \varepsilon (\log \log n)^d\} = \frac{1}{d}. \quad (8)$$

Proof We obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \frac{1}{-\log \varepsilon} \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n \log n \log \log n} \mathbb{P}\{|N| \geq \varepsilon (\log \log n)^d\} \\ &= \lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \frac{1}{-\log \varepsilon} \int_{e^e}^{\infty} \frac{1}{y \log y \log \log y} dy \int_{\varepsilon^2 (\log \log y)^{2d}}^{\infty} \frac{x^{m/2-1} e^{-x/2}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2d} \lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \frac{1}{-\log \varepsilon} \int_{\varepsilon^2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{t} dt \int_t^{\infty} \frac{x^{m/2-1} e^{-x/2}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2d} \lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \frac{1}{-\log \varepsilon} \int_{\varepsilon^2}^{\infty} \frac{x^{m/2-1} e^{-x/2}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} dx \int_{\varepsilon^2}^x \frac{1}{t} dt \\ &= \frac{1}{2d} \lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \frac{1}{-\log \varepsilon} \int_{\varepsilon^2}^{\infty} \frac{x^{m/2-1} e^{-x/2}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} \log x dx + \lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \frac{1}{d} \int_{\varepsilon^2}^{\infty} \frac{x^{m/2-1} e^{-x/2}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{d} + \frac{1}{2d} \lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \frac{1}{-\log \varepsilon} \int_{\varepsilon^2}^{\infty} \frac{x^{m/2-1} e^{-x/2}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} \log x dx \\ &= \frac{1}{d}. \end{aligned}$$

Indeed, since

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\varepsilon^2}^1 \frac{x^{m/2-1}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} \log x dx &\leq \int_{\varepsilon^2}^1 \frac{x^{m/2-1} e^{-x/2}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} \log x dx \leq \frac{e^{-1/2}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} \int_{\varepsilon^2}^1 x^{m/2-1} \log x dx, \\ \lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \int_{\varepsilon^2}^1 x^{m/2-1} \log x dx &= \lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \int_{\varepsilon^2}^1 \frac{2}{m} \log x dx^{m/2} = -(2/m)^2, \end{aligned}$$

and so

$$\lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \frac{1}{-\log \varepsilon} \int_{\varepsilon^2}^{\infty} \frac{x^{m/2-1} e^{-x/2}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} \log x dx = 0.$$

This establishes (8). \square

Proposition 3.2 For $d > 0$, we have

$$\lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \frac{1}{-\log \varepsilon} \sum_{n \leq b(\varepsilon)} \frac{1}{n \log n \log \log n} |\mathbb{P}\{|S_n| \geq \varepsilon \sqrt{n} (\log \log n)^d\} - \mathbb{P}\{|N| \geq \varepsilon (\log \log n)^d\}| = 0.$$

Proof The proof of this proposition is similar to that of [3, Proposition 3.2], so the proof is omitted. \square

Proposition 3.3 For $d > 0$, we have

$$\lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \frac{1}{-\log \varepsilon} \sum_{n > b(\varepsilon)} \frac{1}{n \log n \log \log n} \mathbb{P}\{|N| \geq \varepsilon (\log \log n)^d\} = 0.$$

Proof From the proof of Proposition 3.1, we deduce that

$$\lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \frac{1}{-\log \varepsilon} \sum_{n > b(\varepsilon)} \frac{1}{n \log n \log \log n} \mathbb{P}\{|N| \geq \varepsilon (\log \log n)^d\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\leq C \lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \frac{1}{-\log \varepsilon} \int_{b(\varepsilon)}^{\infty} \frac{1}{y \log y \log \log y} dy \int_{\varepsilon^2 (\log \log y)^{2d}}^{\infty} \frac{x^{m/2-1} e^{-x/2}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} dx \\ &\leq C \lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \frac{1}{-\log \varepsilon} \int_{M^{2d}}^{\infty} \frac{1}{t} dt \int_t^{\infty} \frac{x^{m/2-1} e^{-x/2}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} dx = 0, \end{aligned}$$

since

$$\int_{M^{2d}}^{\infty} \frac{1}{t} dt \int_t^{\infty} \frac{x^{m/2-1} e^{-x/2}}{2^{m/2} \Gamma(m/2)} dx$$

is integrable. Thus this proves Proposition 3.3. \square

Proposition 3.4 For $d > 0$, one has

$$\lim_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \frac{1}{-\log \varepsilon} \sum_{n > b(\varepsilon)} \frac{1}{n \log n \log \log n} \mathbb{P}\{|S_n| \geq \varepsilon \sqrt{n} (\log \log n)^d\} = 0.$$

Proof The proof of this proposition is similar to that of [3, Proposition 3.4], so the proof is omitted. \square

Proposition 3.5 For $b, d > 0$, and $a_n = o((\log \log n)^{-d})$, one has

$$\begin{aligned} &\limsup_{\varepsilon \searrow 0} \frac{1}{-\log \varepsilon} \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n \log n \log \log n} \times \\ &\quad |\mathbb{P}\{|S_n| \geq (\varepsilon + a_n) \sqrt{n} (\log \log n)^d\} - \mathbb{P}\{|S_n| \geq \varepsilon \sqrt{n} (\log \log n)^d\}| = 0. \end{aligned}$$

Proof The proof of this proposition is similar to that of [3, Proposition 3.5], so the proof is omitted. \square

Finally, by the triangle inequality and Propositions 3.1–3.5, we obtain the proof of Theorem 1.3.

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