

PROOFS OF THEOREMS OF THE PAPER "RUN LENGTH PROPERTIES OF THE CUSUM AND EWMA SCHEMES FOR THE STATIONARY LINEAR PROCESSES"

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1 Two Theorems.

To obtain the asymptotic ARL for the two control charts, we need three conditions presented in the following.

Let $h(\theta) = \mathbf{E}(e^{\theta\xi_j})$ denote the moment-generating functions of ξ_j . We suppose that the white noise $\{\xi_j\}$ satisfies the following two conditions:

(I) The distribution of ξ_1 is not a point mass at $\mathbf{E}(\xi_1)$.

(II) The moment-generating function of ξ_1 satisfies $h(\theta) < \infty$ for some $\theta > 0$ and $\bar{h} = \sup\{h'(\theta)/h(\theta) : \theta < \bar{\theta}\} > 0$, where $\bar{\theta} = \sup\{\theta : h(\theta) < \infty\}$.

Note that, from condition II, it follows that $h(\theta)$ is the analytic function for $|\theta| < \bar{\theta}$. It can be shown that many distributions, such as normal, exponential, uniform and Poisson, satisfy conditions I and II.

Another condition is about $\{a_k\}$.

(III) $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k|a_k| < \infty$.

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This condition implies that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \sum_{k=n+1}^{\infty} |a_k| = 0 \quad (1)$$

Let $\eta_j = \delta(A\xi_j - \frac{\delta}{2})$ and $h_\eta(\theta) = \mathbf{E}(e^{\theta\eta_1})$ denote the moment-generating functions of η_1 . Let $\theta(y)$ satisfy $y = h'_\eta(\theta(y))/h_\eta(\theta(y))$.

Now we present the asymptotic ARLs of the CUSUM chart.

Theorem 1. Suppose conditions (I), (II) and (III) hold. Let $\hat{\mu} = \delta(\mu - \delta/2)$.

(i) If $0 \leq \mu < \delta/2$, then

$$\frac{1}{bc} e^{c(\theta^* + o(1))} \leq \mathbf{ARL}_\mu(T_C(c)) \leq \frac{2c}{u} e^{c(\theta^* + o(1))} \quad (2)$$

for a large control limit, c , where $\theta^* > 0$ is a unique positive root of the equation $\log h(\delta A\theta) - \delta^2\theta/2 = 0$ on $\theta > 0$, $u = \delta A h'(\delta A\theta^*)/h(\delta A\theta^*) - \delta^2/2 > 0$ and b is a positive constant defined by

$$b = \inf\{x > 1/u : \theta(\frac{1}{x}) - x \log h_\eta(\theta(\frac{1}{x})) \geq 2\theta^*\}. \quad (3)$$

(ii) If $\mu > \delta/2$, then

$$-(1 + o(1)) \frac{3\sqrt{c} \log c}{(\hat{\mu})^{3/2}} + \frac{c}{\hat{\mu}} \leq \mathbf{ARL}_\mu(T_C(c)) \leq \frac{c}{\hat{\mu}} + \frac{2\sqrt{c} \log c}{(\hat{\mu})^{3/2}} + \frac{e^{(\delta\sigma A)^2/2}}{\hat{\mu}c\sqrt{2-1}}(1 + o(1)) \quad (4)$$

for large c .

For the EWMA chart, we let the control limit, \tilde{c} , be fixed and the weight parameter, r , be small such that the \mathbf{ARL}_0 becomes large. In the following theorem, we see that the role of the control limit, \tilde{c} , in the EWMA chart is the same as the reference value $\delta/2$ in the CUSUM chart, and the weight parameter, r , in the EWMA chart is like the control limit, c , in the CUSUM chart.

Theorem 2. Suppose that conditions (I), (II) and (III) hold.

(i) If $0 \leq \mu < \tilde{c}$, then

$$e^{\frac{1}{r}(\theta^*(\tilde{c}) + o(1))} \leq \mathbf{ARL}_\mu(T_E(r)) \leq \frac{3 \log r^{-1}}{r} e^{\frac{1}{r}(\theta^*(\tilde{c}) + o(1))} \quad (5)$$

for a small weighting parameter r , where $\theta^*(\tilde{c}) = \tilde{c}\theta_{\tilde{c}} - \log h_\zeta(\theta_{\tilde{c}})$, $\theta_{\tilde{c}}$ is a unique positive root of the equation $\tilde{c}\theta - \log h(A\theta) = 0$ on $\theta > 0$ and $h_\zeta(\theta)$ is defined by

$$h_\zeta(\theta) = \exp\left\{\int_0^\theta \frac{\log h(Ax)}{x} dx\right\}. \quad (6)$$

(ii) If $\mu > \tilde{c}$, then

$$(1 + o(1))\left(1 - \frac{1}{(\log r^{-1})^p}\right) \frac{1}{r} \log \frac{\mu}{\mu - \tilde{c}} \leq \mathbf{ARL}_\mu(T_E(r)) \leq (1 + o(1)) \frac{1}{r} \log \frac{\mu}{\mu - \tilde{c}} \quad (7)$$

for small r , where p is a positive number.

Remark 1. It is convenient to rewrite the results of the two theorems in the following expressions. For large c and small r we have

$$\mathbf{ARL}_\mu(T_C(c)) = L_C e^{c(\theta^* + o(1))}, \quad \mathbf{ARL}_\mu(T_E(r)) = L_E e^{\frac{1}{r}(\theta^*(\tilde{c}) + o(1))} \quad (8)$$

for $0 \leq \mu < \delta/2$ and $0 \leq \mu < \tilde{c}$ respectively, and

$$\mathbf{ARL}_\mu(T_C(c)) = (1 + o(1)) \frac{c}{\delta(\mu - \delta/2)}, \quad \mathbf{ARL}_\mu(T_E(r)) = (1 + o(1)) \frac{1}{r} \log \frac{\mu}{\mu - \tilde{c}} \quad (9)$$

for $\mu > \delta/2$ and $\mu > \tilde{c}$, respectively, where c and \tilde{c} are the control limits of the CUSUM and EWMA, respectively, and L_C and L_E satisfy $1/(bc) \leq L_C \leq 2c/u$ and $1 \leq L_E \leq 3 \log r^{-1}/r$, respectively.

2 Proofs of Theorem 1

We first present two lemmas. Here, lemma 1 in the following is a slight generalization of the lemma given in Durrett (2005, P.73) and lemma 2 is the same as Lemma 2 in Han and Tsung (2006). We omit the proofs of lemma 2.

Lemma 1. Let $Z_k, 1 \leq k \leq n$, be independent with distributions $F_k(x)$ and the moment-generating functions $h_k(\lambda)$, and let $Z_k^\lambda, 1 \leq k \leq n$, be independent with the distributions $F_k^\lambda(y)$ and the moment-generating functions $h_k^\lambda(\theta)$, where $h_k(\lambda) < \infty, 1 \leq k \leq n$, for some $\lambda > 0$ and

$$F_k^\lambda(y) = \frac{1}{h_k(\lambda)} \int_{-\infty}^y e^{\lambda x} dF_k(x), \quad h_k^\lambda(\theta) = \mathbf{E}_k^\lambda(e^{\theta Z_k^\lambda}) \quad (10)$$

for some $\lambda > 0$. Let F^n and F_λ^n denote the distributions of $S_n = Z_1 + \dots + Z_n$ and $S_n^\lambda = Z_1^\lambda + \dots + Z_n^\lambda$ respectively. Then,

$$\frac{dF^n}{dF_\lambda^n} = e^{-\lambda z} h_1(\lambda) \dots h_n(\lambda) \quad (11)$$

and

$$\mathbf{P}(S_n \geq ma) \geq \exp\{-m\lambda b + \sum_{k=1}^n \log h_k(\lambda) + \log(F_\lambda^n(mb) - F_\lambda^n(ma))\} \quad (12)$$

for $b > 0$ and $m > 0$.

Proof. Since

$$\begin{aligned} F^2(z) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dF_1(x) \int_{-\infty}^{z-x} dF_2(y) \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-\lambda x} h_1(\lambda) dF_1^\lambda(x) \int_{-\infty}^{z-x} e^{-\lambda y} h_2(\lambda) dF_2^\lambda(y) \\ &= h_1(\lambda) h_2(\lambda) \int \int_{x+y < z} e^{-\lambda(x+y)} dF_1^\lambda(x) dF_2^\lambda(y) \\ &= h_1(\lambda) h_2(\lambda) \int_{-\infty}^z e^{-\lambda u} dF_\lambda^2(u), \end{aligned}$$

the result holds for $n = 1, 2$. By mathematical induction, we can similarly show that (11) holds for $n \geq 1$.

From (11), it follows that

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{P}(S_n \geq ma) &= \int_{ma}^{\infty} e^{-\lambda z} h_1(\lambda) \dots h_n(\lambda) dF_{\lambda}^n \\
&\geq h_1(\lambda) \dots h_n(\lambda) \int_{ma}^{mb} e^{-\lambda z} dF_{\lambda}^n \\
&\geq h_1(\lambda) \dots h_n(\lambda) e^{-\lambda mb} \int_{ma}^{mb} dF_{\lambda}^n \\
&= h_1(\lambda) \dots h_n(\lambda) e^{-\lambda mb} [F_{\lambda}^n(mb) - F_{\lambda}^n(ma)] \\
&= \exp\{-m\lambda b + \sum_{k=1}^n \log h_k(\lambda) + \log(F_{\lambda}^n(mb) - F_{\lambda}^n(ma))\}.
\end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof.

Note that, by (10), the mean and the moment-generating function of Z_k^{λ} can be, respectively, expressed as

$$\mathbf{E}_k^{\lambda}(Z_k^{\lambda}) = \frac{h'_k(\lambda)}{h_k(\lambda)}, \quad h_k^{\lambda}(\theta) = \mathbf{E}_k^{\lambda}(e^{\theta Z_k^{\lambda}}) = \frac{h_k(\lambda + \theta)}{h_k(\lambda)}. \quad (13)$$

Let $\eta_j = \delta(A\xi_j - \frac{\delta}{2})$ and $h_{\eta}(\theta) = \mathbf{E}(e^{\theta \eta_1})$ denote the moment-generating functions of η_1 . Let $\theta(y)$ satisfy $y = h'_{\eta}(\theta(y))/h_{\eta}(\theta(y))$.

Lemma 2. Suppose that the two conditions, (I) and (II), hold. Let $\mu < \delta/2$; that is, $\mathbf{E}(\eta_j) = \delta(\mu - \delta/2) < 0$. Then, there exists at most one $\theta^* \in (\theta(0), \bar{\theta})$ such that $h_{\eta}(\theta^*) = 1$; that is, $\log h(\delta A\theta^*) - \delta^2 \theta^*/2 = 0$, where $\theta(0) > 0$ satisfies $0 = h'_{\eta}(\theta(0))/h_{\eta}(\theta(0))$. Moreover, $u = h'_{\eta}(\theta^*) > 0$, $\log h_{\eta}(\theta(x)) < 0$ for $x < u$ and $\log h_{\eta}(\theta(x)) > 0$ for $x > u$, and

$$\theta\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) - x \log h_{\eta}\left(\theta\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)\right) \geq \theta^* \quad (14)$$

for $x > 0$ and

$$\theta\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) - x \log h_{\eta}\left(\theta\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)\right) \geq 2\theta^* \quad (15)$$

for $x \geq b$, where the number b is defined by

$$b = \inf\{x > 1/u : \theta\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) - x \log h_{\eta}\left(\theta\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)\right) \geq 2\theta^*\}. \quad (16)$$

Proof of Theorem 1. (i). We first prove the upward inequality of (2). Without loss of generality, the number x is considered to be the same as $[x]$ when x is large, where the number $[x]$ denotes the smallest integer greater than or equal to x . Let $A_k = \sum_{j=1}^k a_{j-1}$. It follows that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} A_n = A, \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n A_k = A, \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n |A_{n+k} - A_k| = 0, \quad (17)$$

and

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=n+1}^{\infty} |A_{n+k} - A_k| \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=1}^n \sum_{j=n}^{\infty} |a_{k+j}| \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \sum_{k=n+1}^{\infty} |a_k| = 0. \quad (18)$$

Here, the last limit follows from (1). For $n \leq m$, we have

$$\sum_{k=m-n+1}^m \delta \left(X_k - \frac{\delta}{2} \right) = Y_{m,n} + Z_{m,n} + U_{m,n}$$

where

$$Y_{m,n} = \sum_{k=1}^n \delta \left(A_k \xi_{m+1-k} - \frac{\delta}{2} \right), \quad Z_{m,n} = \delta \sum_{k=1}^n (A_{n+k} - A_k) \xi_{m+1-n-k}$$

and

$$U_{m,n} = \delta \sum_{k=n+1}^{\infty} (A_{n+k} - A_k) \xi_{m+1-n-k}.$$

Since $Y_{(2k-1)n,n} + Z_{(2k-1)n,n}$, $k \geq 1$, are mutually independent and identically distributed, and

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{P}_{\mu}(T_C > m) &= \mathbf{P}_{\mu} \left(\sum_{i=n-k+1}^n \delta \left(X_i - \frac{\delta}{2} \right) < c, \quad 1 \leq k \leq n, 1 \leq n \leq m \right) \\ &= \mathbf{P}_{\mu} \left(Y_{n,k} + Z_{n,k} + U_{n,k} < c, \quad 1 \leq k \leq n, 1 \leq n \leq m \right) \\ &\leq \mathbf{P}_{\mu} \left(Y_{(2k-1)n,n} + Z_{(2k-1)n,n} + U_{(2k-1)n,n} < c, \quad 1 \leq k \leq K \right) \end{aligned}$$

for large m , where K is a natural number such that $K = \max\{k : (2k-1)n \leq m\}$, it follows that

$$\begin{aligned} &\mathbf{P}_{\mu}(T_C > m) \\ &\leq \mathbf{P}_{\mu} \left(Y_{(2k-1)n,n} + Z_{(2k-1)n,n} < c + \epsilon, \quad 1 \leq k \leq K, \right) + \mathbf{P}_{\mu} \left(\max_{1 \leq k \leq K} |U_{(2k-1)n,n}| \geq \epsilon \right) \\ &\leq [\mathbf{P}_{\mu} \left(Y_{n,n} + Z_{n,n} < c + \epsilon \right)]^K + \sum_{k=1}^K [\mathbf{P}_{\mu} \left(U_{(2k-1)n,n} \geq \epsilon \right) + \mathbf{P}_{\mu} \left(-U_{(2k-1)n,n} \geq \epsilon \right)] \end{aligned}$$

for any small positive number, ϵ .

Next, we estimate $\mathbf{P}_{\mu} \left(Y_{n,n} + Z_{n,n} < c + \epsilon \right)$. Let

$$\begin{aligned} Y_j(n) &= \delta \left(A_j \xi_{n+1-j} - \frac{\delta}{2} \right), \quad 1 \leq j \leq n \\ Z_j(n) &= (A_{n+j} - A_j) \xi_{1-j}, \quad 1 \leq j \leq n \end{aligned}$$

Then, $Y_{n,n} + Z_{n,n} = \sum_{j=1}^n Y_j(n) + \sum_{j=1}^n Z_j(n)$. Let $F_j(x)$ and $G_j(x)$ denote, respectively, the distributions of $Y_j(n)$ and $Z_j(n)$, and let $h_j(\lambda)$ and $I_j(\lambda)$ be, respectively, the moment-generating

functions of $Y_j(n)$ and $Z_j(n)$ for some $\lambda > \theta^* = \theta(u)$, where θ^* and u are defined in Lemma 2. Let $Y_j^\lambda(n), Z_j^\lambda(n), 1 \leq j \leq n$, be independent variables with the distributions $F_j^\lambda(y)$ and $G_j^\lambda(y)$, respectively, where $F_j^\lambda(y), G_j^\lambda(y)$ and the corresponding moment-generating functions $h_j^\lambda(\theta)$ and $I_j^\lambda(\theta)$ are defined in (15). Denote by F^{2n} and F_λ^{2n} the distributions of $S_{2n} = \sum_{j=1}^n Y_j(n) + \sum_{j=1}^n Z_j(n)$ and $S_{2n}^\lambda = \sum_{j=1}^n Y_j^\lambda(n) + \sum_{j=1}^n Z_j^\lambda(n)$ respectively.

Taking $n = (c + \epsilon)/u$ and $v > u$, it follows from Lemma 1 that

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{P}_\mu\left(Y_{n,n} + Z_{n,n} \geq c + \epsilon\right) &= \mathbf{P}_\mu\left(S_{2n} \geq un\right) \\ &\geq \exp\left\{-n\lambda v + \sum_{j=1}^n \log h_j(\lambda) + \sum_{j=1}^n \log I_j(\lambda) + \log(F_\lambda^{2n}(nv) - F_\lambda^{2n}(nu))\right\}. \end{aligned} \quad (19)$$

We now prove

$$F_\lambda^{2n}(nv) - F_\lambda^{2n}(nu) \rightarrow 1 \quad (20)$$

or equality

$$\mathbf{P}\left(\{S_{2n}^\lambda > nv\} \cup \{S_{2n}^\lambda < nu\}\right) \rightarrow 0$$

for $u < h'_\eta(\lambda)/h_\eta(\lambda) < v$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$, where $h_\eta(\lambda)$ is the moment-generating function of $\delta(A\xi_1 - \delta/2)$.

It follows from (13) and (17) that

$$\lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} \log h_j(\lambda) = \lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} \log h(\delta A_j \lambda) - \frac{\delta^2 \lambda}{2} = \log h_\eta(\lambda), \quad \lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} \frac{h'_j(\lambda)}{h_j(\lambda)} = \frac{h'_\eta(\lambda)}{h_\eta(\lambda)}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{(h_j^\lambda(0))'}{h_j^\lambda(0)} &= \lim_{\theta \searrow 0} \frac{1}{\theta} \log h_j^\lambda(\theta) = \lim_{\theta \searrow 0} \frac{1}{\theta} \log \frac{h_j(\lambda + \theta)}{h_j(\lambda)} \\ &= \lim_{\theta \searrow 0} \frac{1}{\theta} \log \left[1 + \frac{h_j(\lambda + \theta) - h_j(\lambda)}{h_j(\lambda)}\right] = \lim_{\theta \searrow 0} \frac{1}{\theta} \frac{h_j(\lambda + \theta) - h_j(\lambda)}{h_j(\lambda)} = \frac{h'_j(\lambda)}{h_j(\lambda)}. \end{aligned}$$

Similarly,

$$\lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} I_j(\lambda) = \lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} h(\delta(A_{n+j} - A_j)\lambda) = h(0) = 1, \quad \frac{(I_j^\lambda(0))'}{I_j^\lambda(0)} = \frac{I'_j(\lambda)}{I_j(\lambda)}$$

and

$$\lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} \frac{I'_j(\lambda)}{I_j(\lambda)} = \lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\delta(A_{n+j} - A_j)h'(\delta(A_{n+j} - A_j)\lambda)}{h(\delta(A_{n+j} - A_j)\lambda)} = 0.$$

Hence

$$\log h_j^\lambda(\theta) = \frac{(h_j^\lambda(0))'}{h_j^\lambda(0)} \theta + o(\theta) = \frac{h'_j(\lambda)}{h_j(\lambda)} \theta + o(\theta), \quad \log I_j^\lambda(\theta) = \frac{I'_j(\lambda)}{I_j(\lambda)} \theta + o(\theta). \quad (21)$$

By Chebyshev's inequality, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{P}\left(S_{2n}^\lambda > nv\right) &\leq \exp\left\{-n\theta\left(v - \frac{1}{n\theta} \sum_{j=1}^n \log h_j^\lambda(\theta) + \frac{1}{n\theta} \sum_{j=1}^n \log I_j^\lambda(\theta)\right)\right\} \\
&= \exp\left\{-n\theta\left(v - \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{h_j'(\lambda)}{h_j(\lambda)} + \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{I_j'(\lambda)}{I_j(\lambda)} + o(1)\right)\right\} \\
&= \exp\left\{-n\theta\left(v - \frac{h_\eta'(\lambda)}{h_\eta(\lambda)} + o(1)\right)\right\} \rightarrow 0
\end{aligned}$$

as $n \rightarrow \infty$ for small θ . Similarly, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{P}\left(-S_{2n}^\lambda > -nu\right) &\leq \exp\left\{-n\theta\left(-u - \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^n \log h_j^\lambda(-\theta) + \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^n \log I_j^\lambda(-\theta) + o(1)\right)\right\} \\
&= \exp\left\{-n\theta\left(-u + \frac{h_\eta'(\lambda)}{h_\eta(\lambda)} + o(1)\right)\right\} \rightarrow 0
\end{aligned}$$

as $n \rightarrow \infty$ for small θ . This proves (20).

Note that $\log h_j(\lambda) \rightarrow \log h_\eta(\lambda)$ and $\log I_j(\lambda) \rightarrow 0$ as $j \rightarrow \infty$. It follows from (19) that

$$\begin{aligned}
&\mathbf{P}_\mu\left(Y_{n,n} + Z_{n,n} \geq c + \epsilon\right) \\
&\geq \exp\left\{-n\left(\lambda v - \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^n \log h_j(\lambda) - \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^n \log I_j(\lambda) - \frac{1}{n} \log(F_\lambda^{2n}(nv) - F_\lambda^{2n}(nu))\right)\right\} \\
&= \exp\left\{-(c + \epsilon)\left(\frac{1}{u} \lambda v - \frac{1}{u} \log h_\eta(\lambda) + o(1)\right)\right\}
\end{aligned}$$

for large c , where $n = (c + \epsilon)/u$. Since λ, v ($\lambda > \theta^*, v > h_\eta'(\lambda)/h_\eta(\lambda)$) are arbitrary and $h_\eta(\theta^*) = 1$, $h_\eta'(\theta^*)/h_\eta(\theta^*) = u$. Taking $\lambda \searrow \theta^*$ and $v \searrow h'(\lambda)/h(\lambda)$, we have

$$\mathbf{P}_\mu\left(Y_{n,n} + Z_{n,n} \geq c + \epsilon\right) \geq e^{-(c+\epsilon)(\theta^*+o(1))} \quad (22)$$

for large c .

Let $m = t(c + \epsilon)(2e^{(c+\epsilon)(\theta^*+o(1))} - 1)/u$ for $t > 0$ and large c . Then, $K = te^{(c+\epsilon)(\theta^*+o(1))}$. It follows from (22) that

$$\left[\mathbf{P}_\mu\left(Y_{n,n} + Z_{n,n} < c + \epsilon\right)\right]^K \leq \left(1 - e^{-(c+\epsilon)(\theta^*+o(1))}\right)^K \rightarrow e^{-t} \quad (23)$$

as $c \rightarrow \infty$. On the other hand, by Chebyshev's inequality we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{P}_\mu\left(U_{n,n} \geq \epsilon\right) &\leq \exp\left\{-\theta\epsilon + \sum_{k=n+1}^{\infty} \log h(\delta(A_{n+k} - A_k)\theta)\right\} \\
&= \exp\left\{-\theta\epsilon + \delta \sum_{k=n+1}^{\infty} (1 + o(1))h'(0)(A_{n+k} - A_k)\theta\right\}
\end{aligned}$$

for large n . Note that $n = (c + \epsilon)/u$. Taking $\theta = (c + \epsilon)(\theta^* + a)/\epsilon$, where a is a positive constant, by (18), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{P}_\mu(U_{n,n} \geq \epsilon) &\leq \exp\left\{-(c + \epsilon)\left(\theta^* + a - \frac{\theta^* + a}{\epsilon}|h'(0)|\delta \sum_{k=n+1}^{\infty} (1 + o(1))|(A_{n+k} - A_k)|\right)\right\} \\ &= \exp\{-(c + \epsilon)(\theta^* + a - o(1))\} \end{aligned}$$

for large c . Since $U_{(2k-1)n,n}, k \geq 1$ are identically distributed, it follows that

$$\sum_{k=1}^K \mathbf{P}_\mu(U_{(2k-1)n,n} \geq \epsilon) = K \mathbf{P}_\mu(U_{n,n} \geq \epsilon) \leq K \exp\{-(c + \epsilon)(\theta^* + a + o(1))\} \rightarrow 0 \quad (24)$$

as $c \rightarrow \infty$. Similarly, we can prove that

$$\sum_{k=1}^K \mathbf{P}_\mu(-U_{(2k-1)n,n} \geq \epsilon) \leq K \exp\{-(c + \epsilon)(\theta^* + a - o(1))\} \rightarrow 0 \quad (25)$$

as $c \rightarrow \infty$. From (23) (24) and (25) it follows that $\mathbf{P}_\mu(T_C > m) \leq e^{-t}(1 + o(1))$ for large c . Thus, by the properties of exponential distribution, we have

$$\mathbf{E}_\mu(T_C) \leq (1 + o(1))(c + \epsilon)(2e^{(c+\epsilon)(\theta^*+o(1))} - 1)/u$$

for large c . Since ϵ is arbitrary, the upward inequality of (2) is true.

To prove the downward inequality of (2), let

$$V_m = \left\{ \sum_{i=n-k+1}^n \delta\left(X_i - \frac{\delta}{2}\right) < c, \quad 1 \leq k \leq \min\{n, bc - 1\}, \quad 1 \leq n \leq m \right\}$$

and

$$W_m = \left\{ \sum_{i=n-k+1}^n \delta\left(X_i - \frac{\delta}{2}\right) < c, \quad bc \leq k \leq n, \quad bc \leq n \leq m \right\}$$

for large c , where b is defined in (16). Then $\{T_C > m\} = V_m W_m$. Since $\{X_i\}$ is the linear combination of the i.i.d. $\{\xi_j\}$, it follows from Theorem 5.1 in Esary, Proschan and Walkup (1967) that $\mathbf{P}_\mu(T_C > m) \geq \mathbf{P}_\mu(W_m)\mathbf{P}_\mu(V_m)$,

$$\mathbf{P}_\mu(V_m) \geq \prod_{n=1}^m \prod_{k=1}^{\min\{n, bc\}} \mathbf{P}_\mu\left(\sum_{i=n-k+1}^n \delta\left(X_i - \frac{\delta}{2}\right) < c\right)$$

and

$$\mathbf{P}_\mu(W_m) \geq \prod_{n=bc}^m \prod_{k=bc}^n \mathbf{P}_\mu\left(\sum_{i=n-k+1}^n \delta\left(X_i - \frac{\delta}{2}\right) < c\right).$$

Note that $\sum_{i=n-k+1}^n \delta(X_i - \delta/2)$ can be rewritten as

$$\sum_{k=n-k+1}^n \delta\left(X_k - \frac{\delta}{2}\right) = Y_{n,k} + Z_{n,k,c} + U_{n,k,c}$$

where

$$Y_{n,k} = \sum_{j=1}^k \delta\left(A_j \xi_{n+1-j} - \frac{\delta}{2}\right), \quad Z_{n,k,c} = \sum_{j=1}^c \delta(A_{k+j} - A_j) \xi_{n+1-k-j}$$

and

$$U_{n,k,c} = \sum_{j=c+1}^{\infty} \delta(A_{k+j} - A_j) \xi_{n+1-k-j}.$$

Let $f_k(\theta)$, $g_{k,c}(\theta)$ and $h_{k,c}(\theta)$ be the moment-generating functions of $Y_{n,k}$, $Z_{n,k,c}$ and $U_{n,k,c}$, respectively. It follows from (17) and (18) that

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\log f_k(\theta)}{k} = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{k} \sum_{j=1}^k [\log h(\delta A_j \theta) - \frac{\delta^2 \theta}{2}] = h_\eta(\theta), \quad (26)$$

$$\lim_{c \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\log g_{k,c}(\theta)}{c} = \lim_{c \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{c} \sum_{j=1}^c \log h(\delta(A_{k+j} - A_j)\theta) = 0 \quad (\text{uniformly for } k \geq 1) \quad (27)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{c \rightarrow \infty} \log h_{k,c}(\theta) &= \lim_{c \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{j=c+1}^{\infty} \log h(\delta(A_{k+j} - A_j)\theta) \\ &= \lim_{c \rightarrow \infty} \delta \sum_{j=c+1}^{\infty} (1 + o(1)) h'(0) (A_{k+j} - A_j) \theta \\ &\leq \lim_{c \rightarrow \infty} \delta \sum_{j=c+1}^{\infty} (1 + o(1)) |h'(0)| |A_{k+j} - A_j| |\theta| \\ &\leq (1 + o(1)) \lim_{c \rightarrow \infty} \frac{k}{c} c \delta \sum_{j=c+1}^{\infty} |a_j| = 0 \end{aligned} \quad (28)$$

uniformly for $k \leq Mc$, where $M > 0$ is a constant.

For $k \geq 1$, let $x = k/c$. By Chebyshev's inequality, we have

$$\begin{aligned} &\mathbf{P}_\mu \left(\sum_{i=n-k+1}^n \delta(X_i - \frac{\delta}{2}) \geq c \right) \\ &\leq \exp \left\{ -c \left(\theta - \frac{1}{c} \log f_k(\theta) - \frac{1}{c} \log g_{k,c}(\theta) - \frac{1}{c} \log h_{k,c}(\theta) \right) \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

If $x = k/c \rightarrow 0$ as $c \rightarrow \infty$, taking $\theta \geq \theta^*$ it follows from (26), (27) and (28) that

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{P}_\mu \left(\sum_{i=n-k+1}^n \delta(X_i - \frac{\delta}{2}) \geq c \right) \\ & \leq \exp \left\{ -c \left(\theta - \frac{1}{c} \log f_k(\theta) - \frac{1}{c} \log g_{k,c}(\theta) - \frac{1}{c} \log h_{k,c}(\theta) \right) \right\} \leq e^{-c(\theta^* - o(1))} \end{aligned}$$

for large c . If $b > x = k/c \geq a > 0$, where a is a small positive constant, taking $\theta(1/x)$ such that $1/x = h'(\theta(1/x))/h(\theta(1/x))$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{P}_\mu \left(\sum_{i=n-k+1}^n \delta(X_i - \frac{\delta}{2}) \geq c \right) = \mathbf{P}_\mu \left(\sum_{i=n-k+1}^n \delta(X_i - \frac{\delta}{2}) \geq k/x \right) \\ & \leq \exp \left\{ -k \left(\theta(1/x)/x - \frac{1}{k} \log f_k(\theta(1/x)) - \frac{1}{k} \log g_{k,c}(\theta(1/x)) - \frac{1}{k} \log h_{k,c}(\theta(1/x)) \right) \right\} \\ & = \exp \left\{ -c \left(\theta(1/x) - x \frac{1}{k} \log f_k(\theta(1/x)) - \frac{1}{c} \log g_{k,c}(\theta(1/x)) - \frac{1}{c} \log h_{k,c}(\theta(1/x)) \right) \right\} \\ & = \exp \left\{ -c \left(\theta(1/x) - x \log h_\eta(\theta(1/x)) + o(1) \right) \right\} \leq e^{-c(\theta^* + o(1))} \end{aligned}$$

for large c , where the last equality follows from (14). Thus, taking $m = te^{c(\theta^* + o(1))}/bc$ for $t > 0$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{P}_\mu(V_m) & \geq \prod_{n=1}^m \prod_{k=1}^{\min\{n, bc\}} \mathbf{P}_\mu \left(\sum_{i=n-k+1}^n \delta(X_i - \frac{\delta}{2}) < c \right) \\ & = \prod_{n=1}^m \prod_{k=1}^{\min\{n, bc\}} [1 - \mathbf{P}_\mu \left(\sum_{i=n-k+1}^n \delta(X_i - \frac{\delta}{2}) \geq c \right)] \\ & \geq [1 - e^{-c(\theta^* + o(1))}]^{bcm} \rightarrow e^{-t}, \end{aligned}$$

as $c \rightarrow +\infty$.

Similarly, for $x \geq b$, that is, $k \geq bc$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{P}_\mu(W_m) & \geq \prod_{n=bc}^m \prod_{k=bc}^n \mathbf{P}_\mu \left(\sum_{i=n-k+1}^n \delta(X_i - \frac{\delta}{2}) < c \right) \\ & \geq \prod_{n=bc}^m \prod_{k=bc}^n \left(1 - \exp \left\{ -c [\theta(1/x) - x \log h_\eta(\theta(1/x)) + o(1)] \right\} \right) \\ & \geq [1 - e^{-2c(\theta^* + o(1))}]^{(m-bc)^2} \rightarrow 1, \end{aligned}$$

as $c \rightarrow +\infty$, where the last equality follows from (15). Hence, $P(T > m) \geq P(U_m)P(V_m) \rightarrow e^{-t}$ as $c \rightarrow +\infty$. This implies the downward inequality of (2).

(ii) Let $\hat{\mu} = \delta(\mu - \delta/2)$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} \{T_C > m\} &= \left\{ \sum_{i=n-k+1}^n \delta\left(X_i - \frac{\delta}{2}\right) < c, \quad 1 \leq k \leq n, 1 \leq n \leq m \right\} \\ &\subset \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^m \delta\left(X_i - \frac{\delta}{2}\right) < c \right\} = \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^m \delta(X_i - \mu) < c - m\hat{\mu} \right\} \\ &= \left\{ Y_{m,m}(\mu) + Z_{m,m} + U_{m,m} < c - m\hat{\mu} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

where

$$Y_{m,m}(\mu) = \sum_{i=1}^m \delta(A_i \xi_{m+1-i} - \mu).$$

Let $f_{Y,m}(\theta)$, $f_{Z,m}(\theta)$ and $f_{U,m}(\theta)$ denote the moment-generating functions of $Y_{m,m}(\mu)$, $Z_{m,m}$ and $U_{m,m}$, respectively. Note that $\hat{\mu} > 0$. Let $N = c/\hat{\mu} + 2\sqrt{c} \log c / (\hat{\mu})^{3/2}$. We have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{E}_\mu(T_C) &= \sum_{m=1}^N \mathbf{P}_\mu(T_C > m) + \sum_{m=N+1}^{\infty} \mathbf{P}_\mu(T_C > m) \\ &\leq N + \sum_{m=N+1}^{\infty} \mathbf{P}_\mu\left(Y_{m,m}(\mu) + Z_{m,m} + U_{m,m} < c - m\hat{\mu}\right) \\ &= N + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \mathbf{P}_\mu\left(Y_{N+k,N+k}(\mu) + Z_{N+k,N+k} + U_{N+k,N+k} < -\hat{\mu}\left[\frac{2\sqrt{c} \log c}{(\hat{\mu})^{3/2}} + k\right]\right) \\ &\leq N + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \exp\left\{-\theta \hat{\mu}\left[\frac{2\sqrt{c} \log c}{(\hat{\mu})^{3/2}} + k\right] + \log f_{Y,N+k}(-\theta) + \log f_{Z,N+k}(-\theta) + \log f_{U,N+k}(-\theta)\right\}, \end{aligned}$$

where the last equality follows from Chebyshev's inequality. Note that $\mu = \bar{\xi}A$,

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{d\theta} \log f_{Y,N+k}(-\theta)|_{\theta=0} &= -\mathbf{E}(Y_{N+k,N+k}(\mu)) = -\delta\bar{\xi} \sum_{j=1}^{N+k} (A_j - A) = \delta\bar{\xi} \sum_{j=1}^{N+k} ka_k \\ \frac{d^2}{d^2\theta} \log f_{Y,N+k}(-\theta)|_{\theta=0} &= \mathbf{Var}(Y_{N+k,N+k}(\mu)) = (\delta\sigma)^2 \sum_{j=1}^{N+k} A_j^2 \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\log f_{Y,N+k}(-\theta) = \theta\delta\bar{\xi} \sum_{j=1}^{N+k} ka_k + \frac{\theta^2}{2} (\delta\sigma)^2 \sum_{j=1}^{N+k} A_j^2 + o(\theta^2).$$

Taking $\theta = (\sqrt{N+k})^{-1}$, by Condition (III) and (17), we have

$$\log f_{Y,N+k}\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{N+k}}\right) = \delta\bar{\xi} \frac{1}{\sqrt{N+k}} \sum_{j=1}^{N+k} ka_k + \frac{(\delta\sigma)^2}{2} \frac{1}{N+k} \sum_{j=1}^{N+k} A_j^2 \rightarrow \frac{(\delta\sigma A)^2}{2}$$

uniformly for $k \geq 1$ as $c \rightarrow \infty$. Similarly, by (18) we can show that both $\log f_{Z, N+k}(-(\sqrt{N+k})^{-1})$ and $\log f_{U, N+k}(-(\sqrt{N+k})^{-1})$ go to 0 uniformly for $k \geq 1$ as $c \rightarrow \infty$. Thus, by taking a positive constant α such that $\alpha\hat{\mu} < 1$, it follows that

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{E}_\mu(T_C) &\leq N + e^{(\delta\sigma A)^2/2} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \exp\left\{-\frac{\hat{\mu}}{\sqrt{N+k}} \left[\frac{2\sqrt{c} \log c}{(\hat{\mu})^{3/2}} + k\right] + o(1)\right\} \\
&= N + e^{(\delta\sigma A)^2/2} \sum_{k=1}^{\alpha c} \exp\left\{-\frac{2\sqrt{c} \log c + (\hat{\mu})^{3/2}k}{\sqrt{c + 2\sqrt{c} \log c/\sqrt{\hat{\mu}} + \hat{\mu}k}} + o(1)\right\} \\
&\quad + e^{(\delta\sigma A)^2/2} \sum_{k=\alpha c+1}^{\infty} \exp\left\{-\frac{2\sqrt{c} \log c + (\hat{\mu})^{3/2}k}{\sqrt{c + 2\sqrt{c} \log c/\sqrt{\hat{\mu}} + \hat{\mu}k}} + o(1)\right\} \\
&\leq N + \frac{1}{\hat{\mu}c^{\sqrt{2}-1}} e^{(\delta\sigma A)^2/2} + e^{(\delta\sigma A)^2/2} \sum_{k=\alpha c+1}^{\infty} \exp\left\{-\frac{(\hat{\mu})^{3/2}\sqrt{k}}{\sqrt{(\alpha\hat{\mu})^{-1} + 2}} + o(1)\right\} \\
&\leq N + \frac{e^{(\delta\sigma A)^2/2}}{\hat{\mu}c^{\sqrt{2}-1}} (1 + o(1))
\end{aligned} \tag{29}$$

for large c . This proves the upward inequality of (4).

To prove the downward inequality of (4), let $M = c/\hat{\mu} - 3\sqrt{c} \log c/(\hat{\mu})^{3/2}$. Then,

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{E}_\mu(T_C) &\geq \sum_{m=1}^M \mathbf{P}_\mu(T_C > m) \\
&\geq \sum_{m=1}^M \prod_{n=1}^m \prod_{k=1}^n \mathbf{P}_\mu\left(\sum_{i=n-k+1}^n \delta(X_i - \frac{\delta}{2}) < c\right) \\
&= \sum_{m=1}^M \prod_{n=1}^m \prod_{k=1}^n \mathbf{P}_\mu\left(Y_{n,k}(\mu) + Z_{n,k} + U_{n,k} < c - k\hat{\mu}\right) \\
&\geq \sum_{m=1}^M \left[\mathbf{P}_\mu\left(Y_{M,M}(\mu) + Z_{M,M} + U_{M,M} < c - M\hat{\mu}\right)\right]^{mM} \\
&= \sum_{m=1}^M \left[1 - \mathbf{P}_\mu\left(Y_{M,M}(\mu) + Z_{M,M} + U_{M,M} \geq \frac{3\sqrt{c} \log c}{(\hat{\mu})^{1/2}}\right)\right]^{mM}.
\end{aligned}$$

As in (29), we can similarly check that

$$\begin{aligned}
&\mathbf{P}_\mu\left(Y_{M,M}(\mu) + Z_{M,M} + U_{M,M} \geq \frac{3\sqrt{c} \log c}{(\hat{\mu})^{1/2}}\right) \\
&\leq e^{(\delta\sigma A)^2/2} \exp\left\{-\frac{\hat{\mu}}{\sqrt{M}} \frac{3\sqrt{c} \log c}{(\hat{\mu})^{3/2}} + o(1)\right\} \\
&= e^{(\delta\sigma A)^2/2} \exp\{-3 \log c + o(1)\} = \frac{e^{(\delta\sigma A)^2/2}}{c^3} (1 + o(1))
\end{aligned}$$

for large c . Note that if $x/c^3 \rightarrow 0$ for $x > 0$ as $c \rightarrow \infty$, then

$$1 - \left(1 - \frac{e^{(\delta\sigma A)^2/2}}{c^3}\right)^x = \frac{x e^{(\delta\sigma A)^2/2}}{c^3} (1 + o(1))$$

as $c \rightarrow \infty$. Thus, taking $x = M$ or $x = M^2$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{E}_\mu(T_C) &\geq \sum_{m=1}^M \left[1 - \frac{e^{(\delta\sigma A)^2/2}}{c^3}\right]^{mM} \\ &= \frac{\left[1 - \frac{e^{(\delta\sigma A)^2/2}}{c^3}\right]^M}{1 - \left[1 - \frac{e^{(\delta\sigma A)^2/2}}{c^3}\right]^M} \left(1 - \left[1 - \frac{e^{(\delta\sigma A)^2/2}}{c^3}\right]^{M^2}\right) \rightarrow M \end{aligned}$$

as $c \rightarrow \infty$. That is, the downward inequality of (4) holds. This completes the proof of Theorem 1.

3 Proof of Theorem 2

We will first prove a lemma before proving Theorem 2. In the following proofs we shall use c simply to replace \tilde{c} which is the control limit of EWMA chart.

Lemma 3. Let $Y_n = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} C_k(r)\xi_{n-k}$ and $\zeta_n = A \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} (1-r)^k \xi_{n-k}$, where $C_k(r) = \sum_{j=0}^k a_{k-j}(1-r)^j$, $0 < r \leq 1$. Let $h_{Y,n}(\theta)$ and $h_{\zeta,n}(\theta)$ denote the moment-generating functions of Y_n and ζ_n , respectively. Let $n = (ar)^{-1}$, where a is a positive number. Then

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow 0} r \log h_{Y,n}(\theta) = \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} r \log h_{\zeta,n}(\theta) = \log h_{\zeta,a}(\theta), \quad (30)$$

where

$$\log h_{\zeta,a}(\theta) = \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} (1 - e^{-m/a}) \frac{A^m}{m} \frac{(\log h(0))^{(m)}}{m!} \theta^m \quad (31)$$

$(\log h(0))^{(m)}$ denotes the m th derivative of the function $\log h(\theta)$ at $\theta = 0$. Moreover, if $a = a(r) \leq C(-\log r)^{-1}$ for some constant C and any $0 < r < 1$, then

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow 0} r \log h_{Y,n}(\theta) = \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} r \log h_{\zeta,n}(\theta) = \log h_{\zeta,0}(\theta) = \int_0^\theta \frac{\log h(Ax)}{x} dx \quad (32)$$

and $c\theta - \log h_{\zeta,0}(\theta)$ attains its maximal value at θ_c for $\mu < c$, where θ_c is the unique positive root of the equation $c\theta - \log h(A\theta) = 0$ on $\theta > 0$.

Proof. Let $\log h_{\zeta}(\theta) = \log h_{\zeta,0}(\theta)$. Since

$$\begin{aligned} \log h_{\zeta,n}(\theta) &= \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \log h(A(1-r)^k \theta) = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} [(1-r)^k A]^m \frac{(\log h(0))^{(m)}}{m!} \theta^m \\ &= \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} [(1-r)^k A]^m \frac{(\log h(0))^{(m)}}{m!} \theta^m \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow 0} r \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} ((1-r)^k A)^m = (1 - e^{-m/a}) \frac{A^m}{m},$$

it follows that the second equality of (30) holds for $\log h_{\zeta,n}$. Thus, the first equality of (30) is true as long as we prove that

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow 0} r \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} |(C_k(r))^m - ((1-r)^k A)^m| = 0 \quad (33)$$

for $m \geq 1$, since

$$\begin{aligned} \log h_{Y,n}(\theta) &= \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \log h(C_k(r)\theta) = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} (C_k(r))^m \frac{(\log h(0))^{(m)}}{m!} \theta^m \\ &= \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} (C_k(r))^m \frac{(\log h(0))^{(m)}}{m!} \theta^m. \end{aligned}$$

We first prove that

$$r \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} |C_k(r) - (1-r)^k A| \rightarrow 0 \quad (34)$$

as $r \rightarrow 0$.

Let $R(p) = (\log r^{-1})^p$ for $p \geq 1$. Taking a small r such that $n > 1/(rR(2p))$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} C_k(r) &= \sum_{k=0}^{1/(rR(2p))-1} C_k(r) + \sum_{k=1/(rR(2p))}^{n-1} C_k(r) \\ &= \sum_{k=0}^{1/(rR(2p))-1} a_k \sum_{j=0}^{1/(rR(2p))-1-k} (1-r)^j + \sum_{k=1/(rR(2p))}^{n-1} C_k(r). \end{aligned}$$

Furthermore,

$$\begin{aligned} r \left| \sum_{k=0}^{1/(rR(2p))-1} a_k \sum_{j=0}^{1/(rR(2p))-1-k} (1-r)^j \right| \\ \leq \sum_{k=0}^{R(p)} |a_k| [1 - (1-r)^{1/(rR(2p))-k}] + \sum_{k=R(p)+1}^{1/(rR(2p))-1} |a_k| \\ \leq \|A\| R(p) [1 - e^{-1/R(2p)}] + \frac{1}{R(p)} R(p) \sum_{k=R(p)+1}^{\infty} |a_k| \leq \frac{2\|A\|}{R(p)} \rightarrow 0 \end{aligned}$$

as $r \rightarrow 0$. Similarly,

$$r \sum_{k=0}^{1/(rR(2p))-1} (1-r)^k |A| \leq |A| [1 - e^{-1/R(2p)}] \leq \frac{|A|}{R(2p)} \rightarrow 0$$

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned}
& r \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} |C_k(r) - (1-r)^k A| \\
& \leq \frac{2\|A\| + |A|}{R(p)} + r \sum_{k=1/(rR(2p))}^{n-1} |C_k(r) - (1-r)^k A| \\
& \leq \frac{2\|A\| + |A|}{R(p)} + r \sum_{k=1/(rR(2p))}^{n-1} \left((1-r)^k \sum_{j=1}^{R(p)} |a_j| [(1-r)^{-j} - 1] + \sum_{j=R(p)+1}^k |a_j| [(1-r)^{k-j} - (1-r)^k] \right) \\
& \leq \frac{2\|A\| + |A|}{R(p)} + r \sum_{k=1/(rR(2p))}^{n-1} (1-r)^k r R(2p) \|A\| (1-r)^{-R(p)} + \sum_{j=R(p)+1}^{\infty} |a_k| \\
& \leq \frac{2\|A\| + |A|}{R(p)} + 2rR(2p)\|A\| + \frac{1}{R(p)} R(p) \sum_{k=R(p)+1}^{\infty} |a_k| \\
& \leq \frac{5\|A\| + |A| + 1}{R(p)} \rightarrow 0
\end{aligned} \tag{35}$$

as $r \rightarrow 0$ for $n > 1/(rR(2p))$. This implies (34). Furthermore, (33) follows from

$$\begin{aligned}
r \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} |(C_k(r))^m - ((1-r)^k A)^m| &= r \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} |(C_k(r) - (1-r)^k A) \left(\sum_{j=0}^{m-1} (C_k(r))^{m-1-j} [(1-r)^k A]^j \right)| \\
&\leq m \|A\|^{m-1} r \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} |C_k(r) - (1-r)^k A| \rightarrow 0
\end{aligned}$$

as $r \rightarrow 0$ for each $m > 1$.

Similarly, it can be checked that

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow 0} r \left(\log h_{Y,n}(\theta) \right)' = \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} r \left(\log h_{\zeta,n}(\theta) \right)' = \left(\log h_{\zeta,a}(\theta) \right)' \tag{36}$$

Moreover, by (30), (31) and (36) we have

$$h'_{\zeta}(\theta)/h_{\zeta}(\theta) = \frac{1}{\theta} \log h(A\theta).$$

This means (32). Note that $c - h'_{\zeta}(0)/h_{\zeta}(0) = c - \mu > 0$ and $h'_{\zeta}(\theta)/h_{\zeta}(\theta)$ is strictly increasing since $h'(\theta)/h(\theta)$ is strictly increasing (see Durrett (2005, P.70-73)). Then, there is a unique positive number, θ_c , such that $c - h'_{\zeta}(\theta_c)/h_{\zeta}(\theta_c) = 0$, or equality, $c\theta_c - \log h(A\theta_c) = 0$, and therefore, $c\theta - \log h_{\zeta}(\theta)$ attains its maximal value at θ_c . This completes the proofs.

Proof of Theorem 2. (i). Let $D_{n,k}(r) = \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} a_{n+k-j}(1-r)^j$. The statistics $E_m(r)$ of the EWMA can be rewritten as

$$E_m(r) = rX_m + (1-r)E_{m-1}(r) = r \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} (1-r)^k X_{m-k} = r[Y_{m,n} + Z_{m,n} + R_{m,n}]$$

where

$$Y_{m,n} = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} C_k(r)\xi_{m-k}, \quad Z_{m,n} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} D_{n,k}(r)\xi_{m-n-k}$$

and

$$R_{m,n} = (1-r)^n \sum_{k=0}^{m-n-1} (1-r)^k X_{m-n-k}, \quad R_{m,m} = 0$$

for $m \geq n$. Let $n = 3r^{-1} \log r^{-1}$ for small r . Note that $Y_{kn,n}, k \geq 1$, are i.i.d. random variables and $Z_{kn,n}, k \geq 1$, are identically distributed. For large m and any small $\epsilon > 0$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{P}_\mu(T_E > m) &\leq \mathbf{P}_\mu\left(Y_{kn,n} + Z_{kn,n} + R_{kn,n} < \frac{c}{r}, \quad 1 \leq k \leq m/n\right) \\ &\leq \mathbf{P}_\mu\left(Y_{kn,n} < \frac{c}{r} + \epsilon, \quad 1 \leq k \leq m/n\right) + \mathbf{P}_\mu\left(\max_{1 \leq k \leq m/n} |Z_{kn,n} + R_{kn,n}| \geq \epsilon\right) \\ &\leq [\mathbf{P}_\mu\left(Y_{n,n} < \frac{c}{r} + \epsilon\right)]^{m/n} + m/n \mathbf{P}_\mu\left(|Z_{n,n}| \geq \epsilon/2\right) + \sum_{k=1}^{m/n} \mathbf{P}_\mu\left(|R_{kn,n}| \geq \epsilon/2\right). \end{aligned} \quad (37)$$

Next, we prove that

$$\mathbf{P}_\mu\left(Y_{n,n} < \frac{c}{r} + \epsilon\right) \leq 1 - \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{r}(c\theta_c - \log h_\zeta(\theta_c)) + o(1)\right\} \quad (38)$$

for small $r > 0$.

Let $F_j(x)$ denote the distributions of $C_j(r)\xi_{j+1}, 0 \leq j \leq n-1$. Let $Y_j^\lambda, 0 \leq j \leq n-1$, be independent variables with the distributions $F_j^\lambda(y)$ for some $\lambda > \theta_c + r\epsilon$ and the moment-generating functions $h_j^\lambda(\theta)$ defined in (10). Denote by F^n and F_λ^n the distributions of $S_n = \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} C_j(r)\xi_{j+1}$ and $S_n^\lambda = \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} Y_j^\lambda$, respectively.

Taking $v > c + r\epsilon$ and $\tilde{n} = 1/r$, it follows from Lemma 1 that

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{P}_\mu\left(Y_{n,n} \geq \frac{c}{r} + \epsilon\right) &\geq \exp\left\{-\tilde{n}\lambda v + \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \log h(C_j(r)\lambda) + \log(F_\lambda^n(\tilde{n}v) - F_\lambda^n(\tilde{n}(c+r\epsilon)))\right\} \\ &= \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{r}\left(\lambda v + r \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \log h(C_j(r)\lambda) + r \log(F_\lambda^n(\tilde{n}v) - F_\lambda^n(\tilde{n}(c+r\epsilon)))\right)\right\} \end{aligned} \quad (39)$$

By (21), we have

$$\log h_j^\lambda(\theta) = C_j(r) \frac{h'(C_j(r)\lambda)}{h(C_j(r)\lambda)} \theta + o(\theta)$$

and

$$r \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} C_j(r) \frac{h'(C_j(r)\lambda)}{h(C_j(r)\lambda)} \rightarrow \frac{h'_\zeta(\lambda)}{h_\zeta(\lambda)}$$

as $r \rightarrow 0$. Hence, as in (20), we can show that

$$\mathbf{P}\left(\{S_n^\lambda > \tilde{n}v\} \cup \{S_n^\lambda < \tilde{n}(c+r\epsilon)\}\right) \rightarrow 0;$$

that is,

$$F_\lambda^n(\tilde{n}v) - F_\lambda^n(\tilde{n}(c+r\epsilon)) \rightarrow 1$$

as $r \rightarrow 0$ for $\theta_c < h'_\zeta(\lambda)/h_\zeta(\lambda) < v$.

It follows from (39) and Lemma 3 that

$$\mathbf{P}_\mu\left(Y_{n,n} \geq \frac{c}{r} + \epsilon\right) \geq \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{r}\left(\lambda v - \log h_\zeta(\lambda) + o(1)\right)\right\}. \quad (40)$$

Moreover, λ, v ($\lambda > \theta_c, v > h'_\zeta(\lambda)/h_\zeta(\lambda)$) are arbitrary and $h'_\zeta(\theta_c)/h_\zeta(\theta_c) = c$. Let $\lambda \searrow \theta_c$ and $v \searrow h'_\zeta(\lambda)/h_\zeta(\lambda)$ in (40), we obtain (38).

Let $m = 3tr^{-1} \log(1/r) \exp\{\frac{1}{r}(c\theta_c - \log h_\zeta(\theta_c))\}$ for $t > 0$. By (38), we have

$$[\mathbf{P}_\mu\left(Y_{n,n} < \frac{c}{r} + \epsilon\right)]^{m/n} \leq \left(1 - \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{r}(c\theta_c - \log h_\zeta(\theta_c)) + o(1)\right\}\right)^{m/n} \rightarrow e^{-t} \quad (41)$$

as $r \rightarrow 0$.

Note that

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{r} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} |D_{n,k}(r)| &\leq \frac{1}{r} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} |a_{n+k-j}| (1-r)^j \\ &= \frac{1}{r} \sum_{j=0}^{1/r} (\|A\| - \|A_j\|) (1-r)^{n-1-j} + \frac{1}{r} \sum_{j=1/r+1}^{n-1} (\|A\| - \|A_j\|) (1-r)^{n-1-j} \\ &\leq \|A\| \frac{1}{r^2} (1-r)^{3r^{-1} \log r^{-1}} + \frac{1}{r} \sum_{j=1/r+1}^{\infty} |a_j| \rightarrow 0 \end{aligned} \quad (42)$$

and

$$\frac{1}{r} (1-r)^n \sum_{j=0}^{kn-n-1} (1-r)^j \rightarrow 0 \quad (43)$$

as $r \rightarrow 0$. As in (24) and (25), it can be shown that

$$m/n \mathbf{P}_\mu\left(|Z_{n,n}| \geq \epsilon/2\right) \rightarrow 0, \quad m/n \mathbf{P}_\mu\left(|R_{m,n}| \geq \epsilon/2\right) \rightarrow 0 \quad (44)$$

as $r \rightarrow 0$. Thus, by (37), (41) and (44) we have

$$\mathbf{P}_\mu(T_E > m) \leq e^{-t} \quad (45)$$

as $r \rightarrow 0$ for $m = 3tr^{-1} \log(1/r) \exp\{\frac{1}{r}(c\theta_c - \log h_\zeta(\theta_c))\}$. This implies the upward inequality of (5).

Let $n = r^{-1} \log r^{-1}$ and $m = t \exp\{\frac{1}{r}(c\theta_c - \log h_\zeta(\theta_c))\}$ for $t > 0$. Using Theorem 5.1 in Esary, Proschan and Walkup (1967), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{P}_\mu(T_E > m) &\geq \prod_{k=1}^m \mathbf{P}_\mu(E_k(r) < c) \\ &= \prod_{k=1}^{n-1} \mathbf{P}_\mu(Y_{k,k} + Z_{k,k} < c/r) \prod_{k=n}^m \mathbf{P}_\mu(Y_{k,n} + Z_{k,n} + R_{k,n} < c/r). \end{aligned}$$

Furthermore, by Chebyshev's inequality and as in (38) and (44), it follows that

$$\mathbf{P}_\mu(Y_{k,n} + Z_{k,n} + R_{k,n} \geq c/r) \leq \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{r}(c\theta_c - \log h_\zeta(\theta_c) + o(1))\right\}$$

for $k \geq n$ and small r . Hence

$$\prod_{k=n}^m \mathbf{P}_\mu(Y_{k,n} + Z_{k,n} + R_{k,n} < c/r) \geq \left(1 - \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{r}(c\theta_c - \log h_\zeta(\theta_c) + o(1))\right\}\right)^{m-n} \rightarrow e^{-t}.$$

as $r \rightarrow 0$.

On the other hand, by Lemma 3, we know that $c\theta - \log h_\zeta(\theta)$ attains its maximal value at θ_c since $h'_\zeta(\theta)/h_\zeta(\theta)$ is strictly increasing and $c - h'_\zeta(0)/h_\zeta(0) = c - \mu > 0$. As in (38) and (44), we can similarly obtain

$$\mathbf{P}_\mu(Y_{k,k} + Z_{k,k} < c/r) \geq \left(1 - \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{r}(c\theta_c - \log h_\zeta(\theta_c) + o(1))\right\}\right), \quad (46)$$

and therefore

$$\prod_{k=1}^{n-1} \mathbf{P}_\mu(Y_{k,k} + Z_{k,k} < c/r) \geq \left(1 - \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{r}(c\theta_c - \log h_\zeta(\theta_c) + o(1))\right\}\right)^{n-1} \rightarrow 1$$

as $r \rightarrow 0$. Thus, $\mathbf{P}_\mu(T_E > m) \geq e^{-t}$ for $m = t \exp\{\frac{1}{r}(c\theta_c - \log h_\zeta(\theta_c))\}$ as $r \rightarrow 0$. This proves the downward inequality of (5).

(ii). Let $Y_{m,m}(r) = \sum_{j=0}^{m-1} [C_j(r)\xi_{m-k} - \mu(1-r)^j]$. Take $N = r^{-1} \log(1 - c/\mu)^{-1}$ and $m = Nt$ for $t > 1$. It follows that

$$\mu \sum_{j=0}^{m-1} (1-r)^j = \frac{\mu}{r} [1 - (1-r)^{Nt}] \geq \frac{\mu}{r} [1 - (1 - \frac{c}{\mu})^t]$$

for small r . Then,

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{P}_\mu(T_E > m) &\leq \mathbf{P}_\mu\left(Y_{m,m}(r) + Z_{m,m} < \frac{c}{r} - \mu \sum_{j=0}^{m-1} (1-r)^j\right) \\
&\leq \mathbf{P}_\mu\left(Y_{m,m}(r) + Z_{m,m} < \frac{c}{r} - \frac{\mu}{r} [1 - (1 - \frac{c}{\mu})^t]\right) \\
&= \mathbf{P}_\mu\left(-Y_{m,m}(r) - Z_{m,m} > \frac{\mu}{r} [1 - \frac{c}{\mu} - (1 - \frac{c}{\mu})^t]\right) \\
&\leq \exp\{-\theta \frac{\mu}{r} [1 - \frac{c}{\mu} - (1 - \frac{c}{\mu})^t] + \log f_{Y,m}(-\theta) + \log f_{Z,m}(-\theta)\},
\end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
\log f_{Y,m}(-\theta) &= \sum_{j=0}^{m-1} [\log h(-C_j(r)\theta) + \theta\mu(1-r)^j], \\
\log f_{Z,m}(-\theta) &= \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \log h(-D_{m,j}(r)\theta).
\end{aligned}$$

Let $d = t(\mu[1 - c/\mu - (1 - c/\mu)^t])^{-1}$. Taking $\theta = rd$, it follows from (33) and (42) that

$$\begin{aligned}
\sum_{j=0}^{m-1} [\log h(-C_j(r)rd) + rd\mu(1-r)^j] &= (1 + o(1))rd \sum_{j=0}^{m-1} [A(1-r)^j - C_j(r)] \rightarrow 0 \\
\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \log h(-D_{m,j}(r)rd) &= -(1 + o(1))rd \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} D_{m,j}(r) \rightarrow 0
\end{aligned}$$

as $r \rightarrow 0$. Thus,

$$\mathbf{P}_\mu(T_E > m) \leq e^{-t(1+o(1))}$$

as $r \rightarrow 0$. This implies the upward equality of (7).

Let $M = r^{-1} \log(1 - c/\mu)^{-1} (1 - [\log r^{-1}]^{-p})$, where $p > 0$. Then,

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{E}_\mu(T_E) &\geq \sum_{m=1}^M \mathbf{P}_\mu(T_E > m) \\
&\geq \sum_{m=1}^M \prod_{n=1}^m \mathbf{P}_\mu\left(Y_{n,n}(r) + Z_{n,n} < \frac{c}{r}\right) \\
&= \sum_{m=1}^M \prod_{n=1}^m \mathbf{P}_\mu\left(Y_{n,n}(r) + Z_{n,n} < \frac{c}{r} - \frac{\mu}{r} [1 - (1-r)^n]\right) \\
&\geq \sum_{m=1}^M \left[\mathbf{P}_\mu\left(Y_{M,M}(r) + Z_{M,M} < \frac{c}{r} - \frac{\mu}{r} [1 - (1-r)^M]\right) \right]^{mM}.
\end{aligned}$$

Since

$$\frac{c}{r} - \frac{\mu}{r}[1 - (1-r)^M] = (1+o(1))\frac{(\mu-c)\log\frac{\mu}{\mu-c}}{r(\log r^{-1})^p}$$

for small r , by taking $\theta = 3r(\log r^{-1})^{p+1}[(\mu-c)\log(1-c/\mu)^{-1}]^{-1}$ and using (35), we have

$$\log f_{Y,m}(\theta) \rightarrow 0, \quad \log f_{Z,m}(\theta) \rightarrow 0$$

as $r \rightarrow 0$, and therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{P}_\mu\left(Y_{M,M}(r) + Z_{M,M} > \frac{c}{r} - \frac{\mu}{r}[1 - (1-r)^M]\right) \\ & \geq \exp\left\{-\theta(1+o(1))\frac{(\mu-c)\log(1-c/\mu)^{-1}}{r(\log r^{-1})^p} + \log f_{Y,m}(\theta) + \log f_{Z,m}(\theta)\right\} \\ & = \exp\{-3\log r^{-1}(1+o(1)) + o(1)\} = (1+o(1))r^{3(1+o(1))} \end{aligned}$$

for small r . Thus,

$$\mathbf{E}_\mu(T_C) \geq \sum_{m=1}^M \left[1 - (1+o(1))r^{3(1+o(1))}\right]^{mM} \rightarrow M.$$

as $r \rightarrow 0$. This is the downward inequality of (7). This completes the proof of Theorem 2.

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