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Reminder

1) Construct a model of individual spiking neuron

⊗ With constant rate.

⊗ With rate given as a function of time $r(t)$

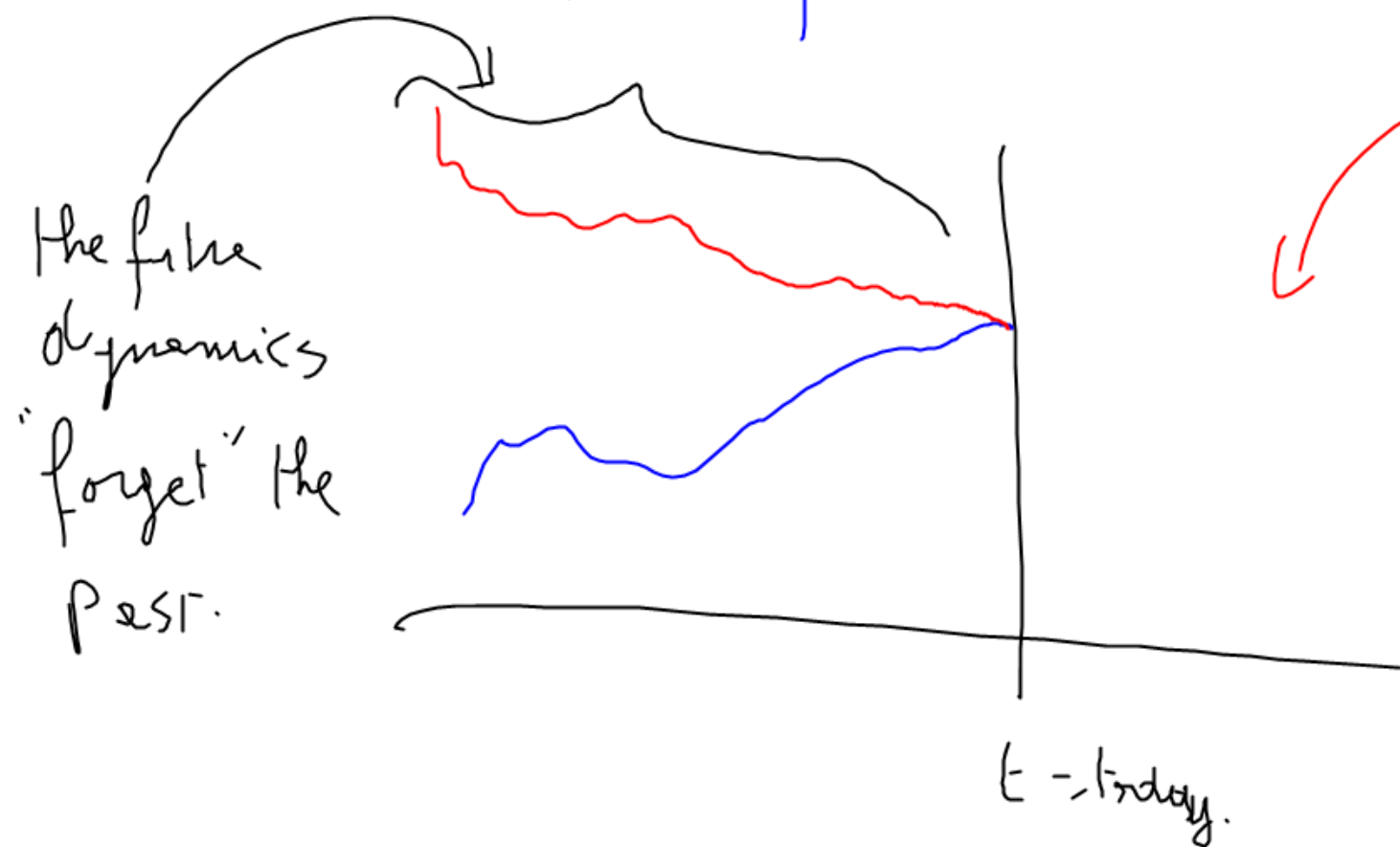
} Poisson Processes.

Today

Chapter Hybrid systems.
 Piecewise deterministic Markov Processes: PDMP.

Recall. A Markov Process.

The "future" depends on the past only through the present.



The laws after time t are identical: the reason? They are in the same position now.

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We have a jump rate $\lambda(i, V_t)$

We say that the system jumps at rate $\lambda(i, V_t)$

it means $\lim_{\eta \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\eta} P(\text{jump between } t \text{ and } t+\eta) = \lambda(i, V_t)$

⊗ When the system jumps, $\begin{cases} \text{a "new" regime is chosen} \\ \text{a "new" position } V_{\tau} \end{cases}$

The law after the jump depends on i and V_{τ}

Example 1 (TCP)

$p = 1 \rightarrow 1$ regime.

$$b(1, v) = 1$$

$$\lambda(1, v) = 1$$

$$\frac{dV_r}{dr} = 1$$

Distribution after the jump is $(1, \frac{V_r}{2})$



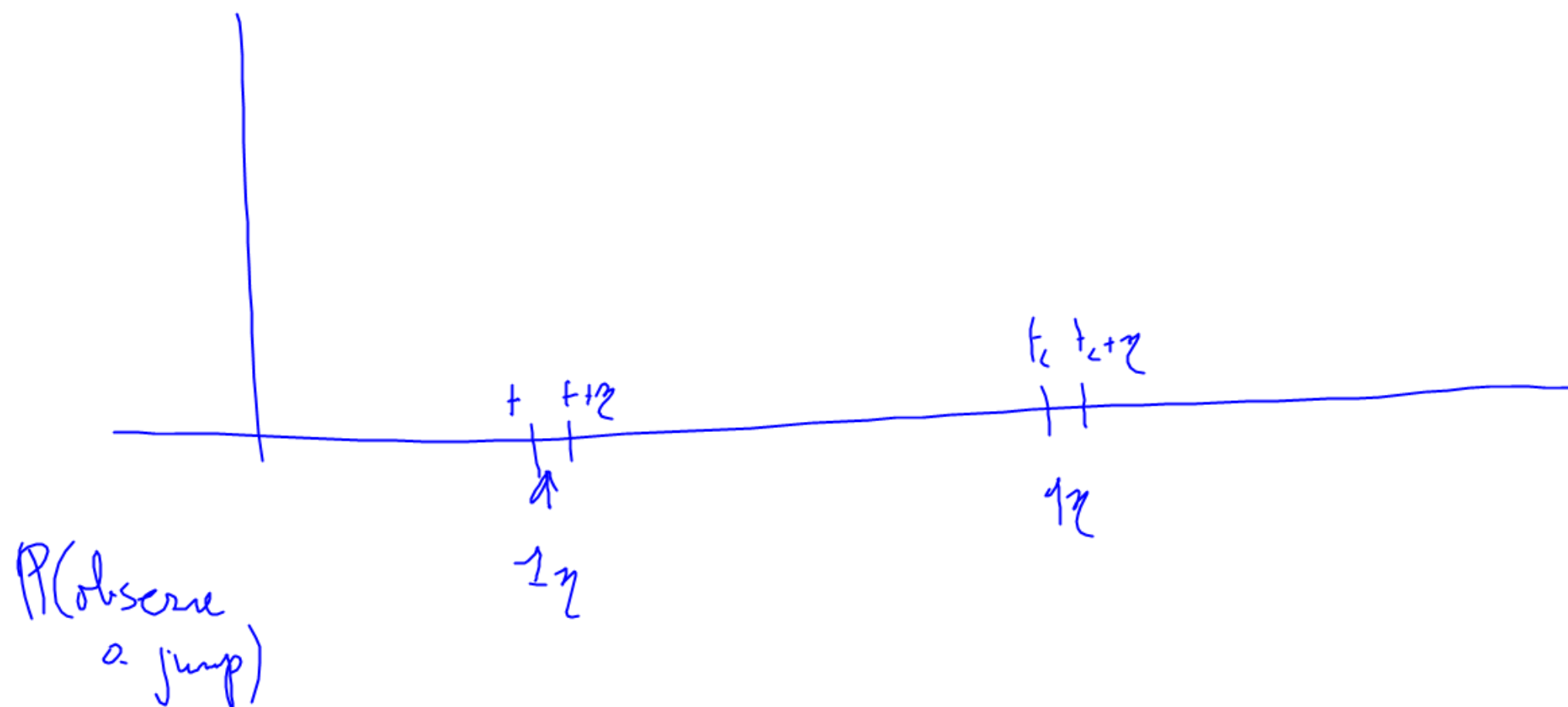
Q: Why exponential.

Here, the jump occurs at constant rate 1

We know that the first jumping time of
A process with constant rate is exponentially distributed.

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Reminder.



We recognize
a Poisson process
with constant rate.

The law of the 1st
jump of a Poisson
Process is an exponential
distribution with
parameter 1

τ^1 is the time of the first jump.

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$$\gamma = \frac{s}{M}$$



$$P(\tau^1 > s) = P(\text{no jump in } [0, \gamma] \cap \text{no jump } [\gamma, 2\gamma] \cap \dots \cap \text{no jump in } [s-\gamma, s])$$

by independence. \Rightarrow

$$P(\text{no jump } [0, \gamma]) \times P(\text{no jump } [\gamma, 2\gamma]) \times \dots \times P(\text{no jump } [s-\gamma, s])$$

$$= (1 - \gamma)^M = \left(1 - \frac{s}{M}\right)^M \xrightarrow{M \rightarrow \infty} \exp(-s)$$

$$= P(\mathcal{E}(1) > s)$$

Proof of - $g_M(s) = \left(1 - \frac{s}{M}\right)^M \xrightarrow{M \rightarrow \infty} \exp(-s)$

$$\begin{aligned} \log g_M(s) &= M \log\left(1 - \frac{s}{M}\right) = M\left(-\frac{s}{M} - \frac{s^2}{2M^2} + O\left(\frac{1}{M^3}\right)\right) \\ &= -s - \frac{s^2}{M} + O\left(\frac{1}{M^2}\right) \end{aligned}$$

$\downarrow M \rightarrow \infty$ $\downarrow M \rightarrow \infty$
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$\psi \in \mathcal{O}(M^\beta)$ if there exist K such that $\forall n, |\psi(n)| \leq K M^\beta$

$$\log(1-x) \sim -x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \mathcal{O}(x^3)$$

$$\lim_{M \rightarrow \infty} \log(g_M(s)) = -s$$

$$\lim_{M \rightarrow \infty} g_M(s) = \exp(-s)$$

Back to TCP.

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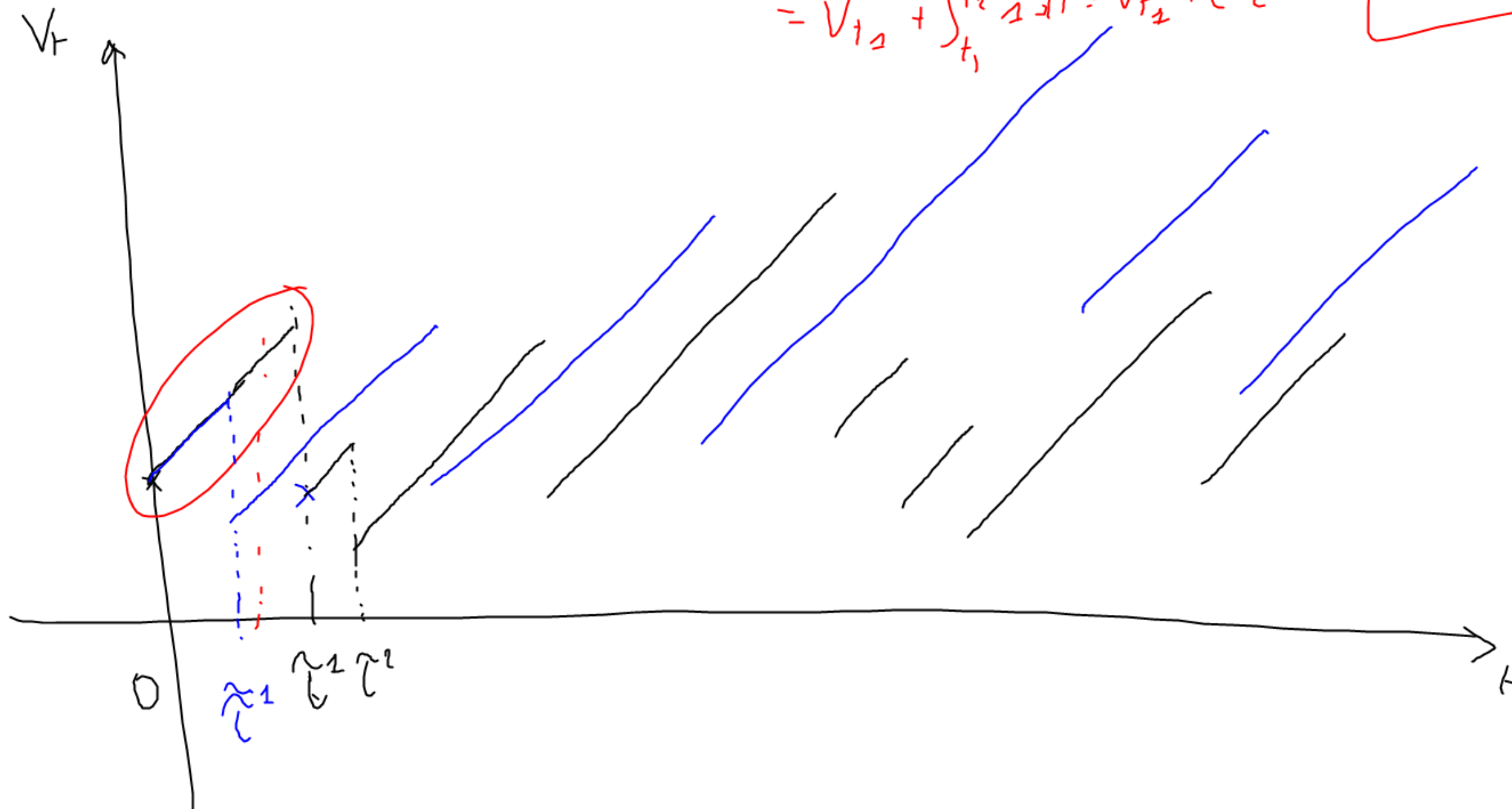
$$V_t = V_s + (t - s)$$

$$V_{t_2} = V_{t_1} + \int_{t_1}^{t_2} \frac{dV_t}{dt} dt.$$

$$= V_{t_1} + \int_{t_1}^{t_2} 1 dt = V_{t_1} + (t_2 - t_1)$$

$$\frac{dV_t}{dt} =$$

$V_t = 1$
between the jumps.



If we have the exact solution of $\dot{V}_t = b(V_t)$

We can consider the "flow" function,

it is the value a

$\psi(t, x)$ is the value of V at time t ,

knowing that $V_0 = x$.

For the ex. 1.

$$\psi(t, x) = x + t.$$

Example 2.

$q = 2 \rightarrow$ there are 2 regimes.

$$b(1, v) = 1$$

$$b(2, v) = -1$$

$$\lambda(1, v) = \lambda_1$$

$$\lambda(2, v) = \lambda_2$$

Distribution of τ after a jump.

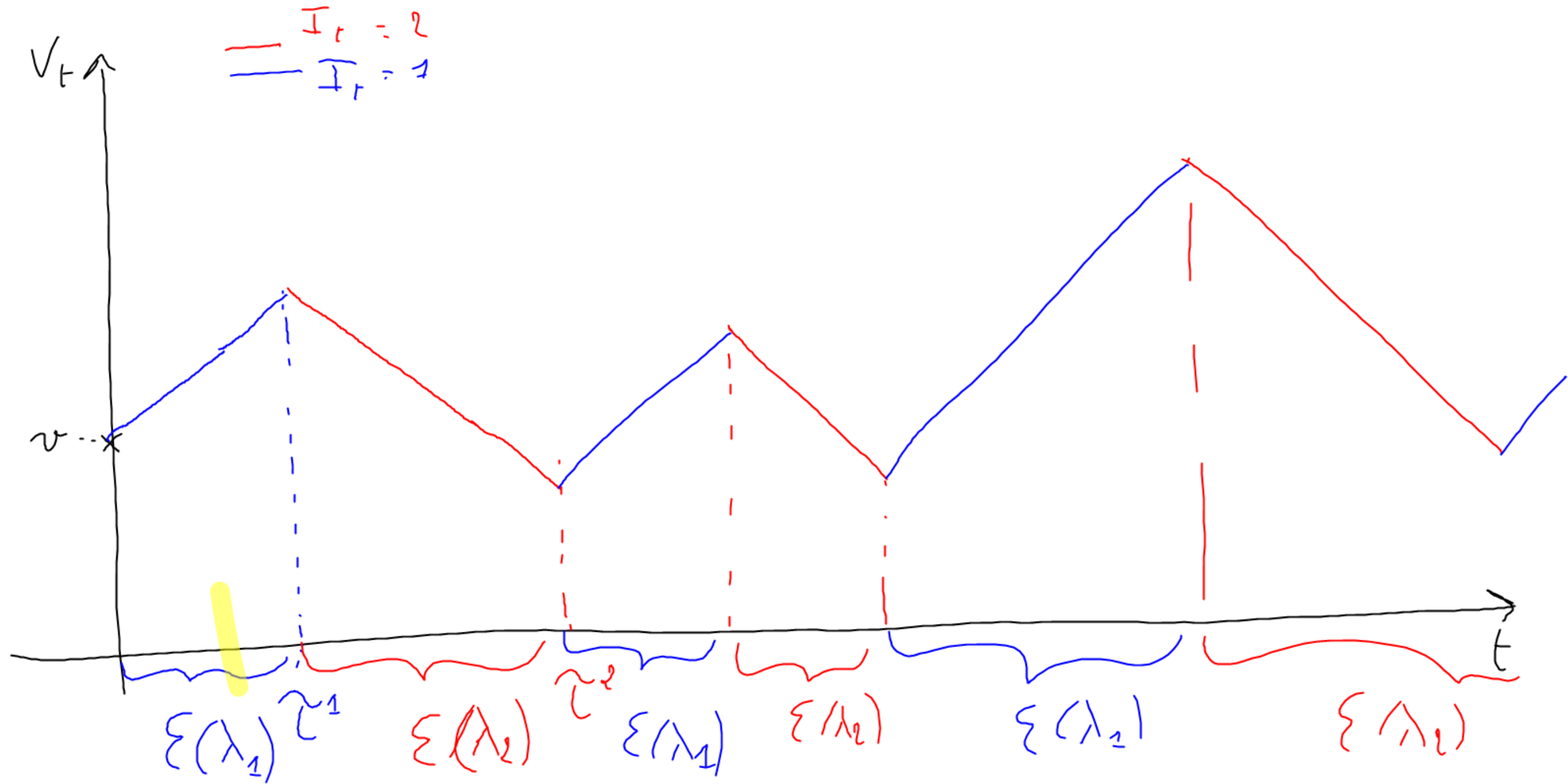
$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \uparrow \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} v \\ \uparrow \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow (2, v)$$

$$(2, v) \rightarrow (1, v)$$

$$X_t = (I_t, V_t)$$

$$\overline{I_0} = 1.$$

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Question

Can you estimate λ_1 and λ_2 Thanks to the observation of one trajectory?

Preliminary question.

I observe a sequence (Z_1, \dots, Z_ℓ) of independent realisations of an Exponential distribution with (unknown) parameter λ .

How can I estimate λ ?

$$\mathbb{E}[Z_1] = \frac{1}{\lambda}$$

$$\frac{1}{\ell} (Z_1 + \dots + Z_\ell) \xrightarrow{\ell \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\lambda}$$

$$\hat{\lambda} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^l z_i}{l} = \bar{z}$$

$$\hat{\lambda} = \frac{l}{\sum_{i=1}^l z_i}$$

Go back to example 2.

We observe $0 < \tau^1 < \tau^2 < \tau^3 < \dots < \tau^l$

$\tau^0 = 0$. We know that $(\tau^{2i+1} - \tau^{2i})$ are independent random variables with law $\mathcal{E}(\lambda_1)$
 $(\tau^{2i+2} - \tau^{2i+1})$ ————— $\mathcal{E}(\lambda_2)$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\lambda}_1 &= \frac{l}{\sum_{i=1}^l (\tau^{2i+1} - \tau^{2i})} \\ &= \frac{\text{Number of times in regime 1}}{\text{total time spent in regime 1}} \\ \hat{\lambda}_2 &= \frac{l}{\sum_{i=1}^l (\tau^{2i+2} - \tau^{2i+1})} \\ &= \frac{\text{Number of times in regime 2}}{\text{Total time spent in regime 2}} \end{aligned}$$

Exemple 2 bis

$$p = 3$$

$$b(1, v) = b_1$$

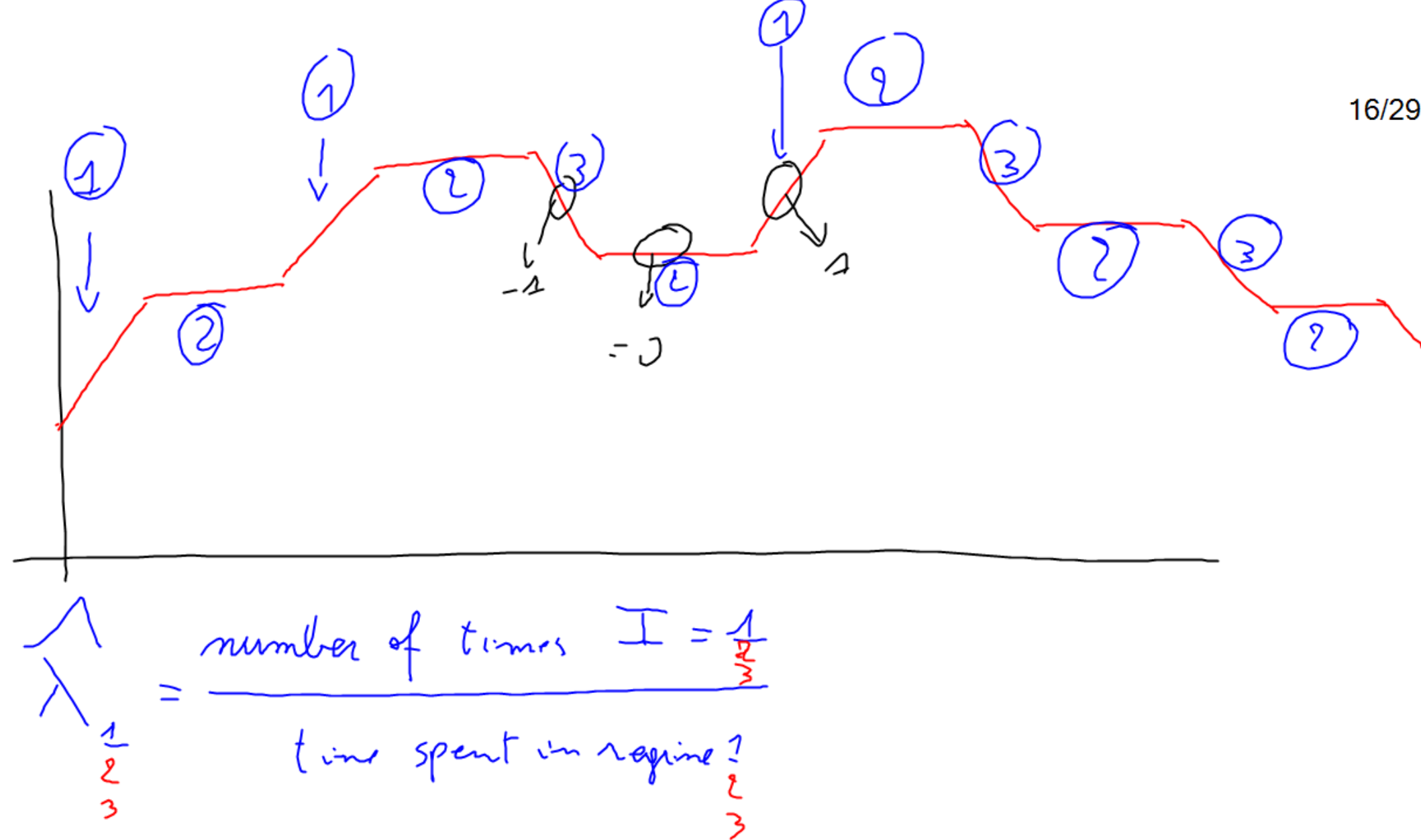
$$b(2, v) = b_2$$

$$b(3, v) = b_3$$

$$\lambda(1, v) = \lambda_1$$

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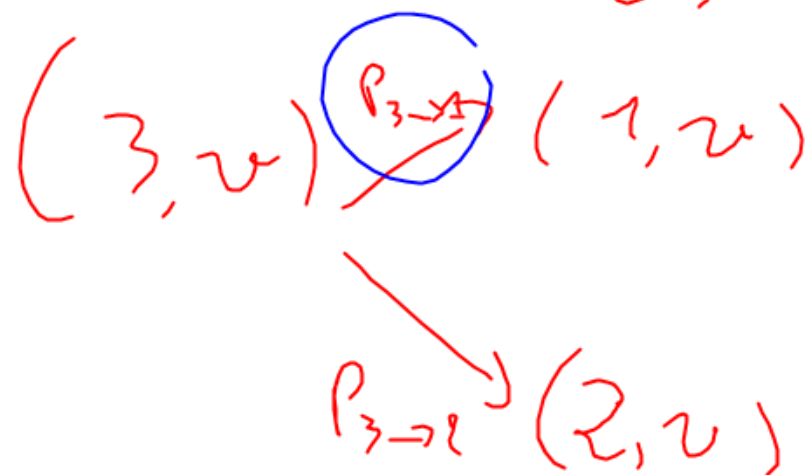
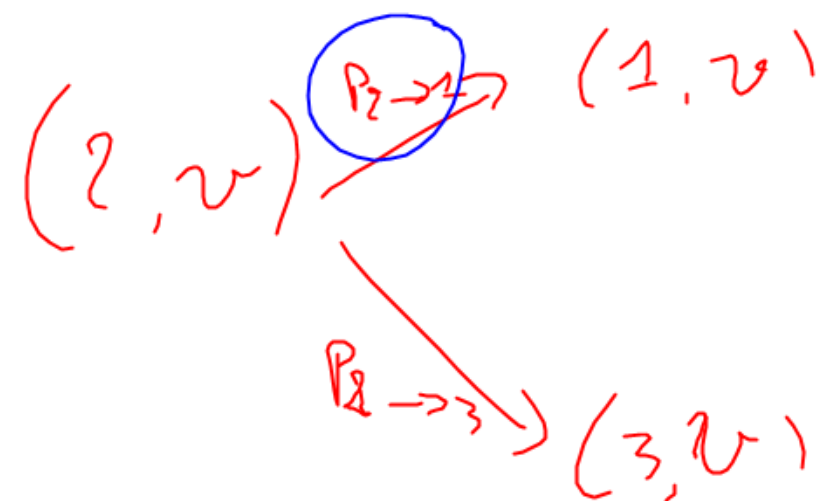
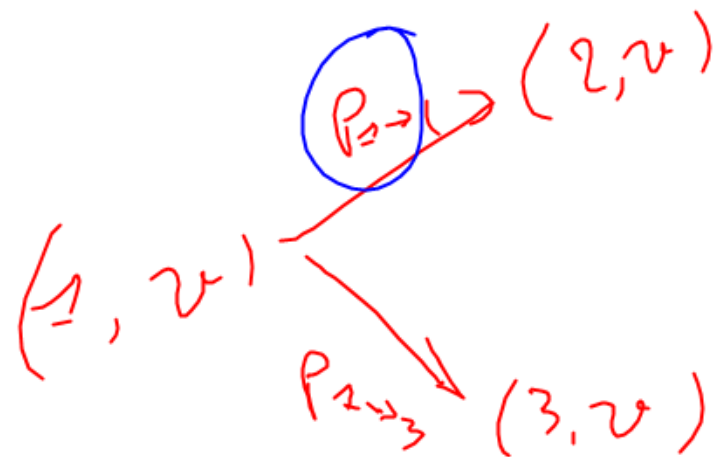
Example 1. Ten.

Same as before but

$$\begin{matrix} b_1, b_2, b_3 \\ \lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3 \end{matrix}$$

$$P_{1 \rightarrow 2} = \frac{\text{Number of jumps from regime 1} \rightarrow \text{regime 2}}{\text{Number of times you are in regime 1.}}$$

$$P_{2 \rightarrow 1} = \frac{\# [2 \rightarrow 1]}{\# (\text{period in regime 2})}$$



$$P_{1 \rightarrow 2} + P_{1 \rightarrow 3} = 1$$

$$P_{2 \rightarrow 1} + P_{2 \rightarrow 3} = 1$$

$$P_{3 \rightarrow 1} + P_{3 \rightarrow 2} = 1.$$

Confidence interval at level 95%.

$$A = \mathbb{E}[Z]$$

you observe z^1, \dots, z^l

$$\hat{A}^l = \frac{z^1 + \dots + z^l}{l}$$

$$\hat{\sigma}^{2l} = \frac{1}{l-1} \sum_{k=1}^l (z^k - \hat{A}^l)^2$$

$$\left[\hat{A}^l - 1.96 \frac{\hat{\sigma}^{2l}}{\sqrt{l}}; \hat{A}^l + \frac{1.96 \hat{\sigma}^{2l}}{\sqrt{l}} \right]$$

$$\hat{\left(\frac{1}{\lambda} \right)}$$

$$\hat{P}_{1 \rightarrow 2}$$

Example.

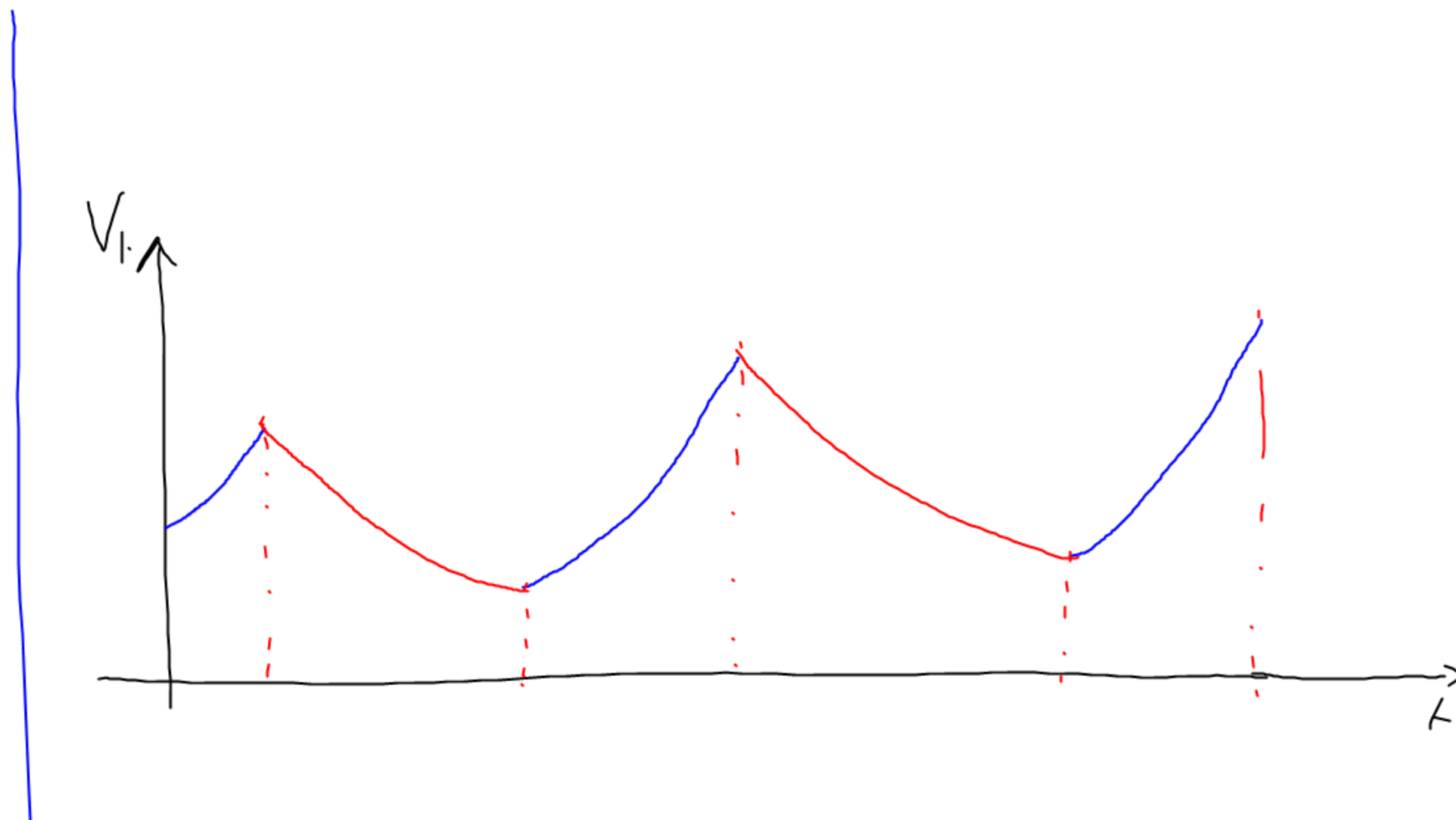
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Solution of $\frac{dV_t}{dt} = \mu V_t$

$$V_t = V_s \exp(\mu(t-s))$$

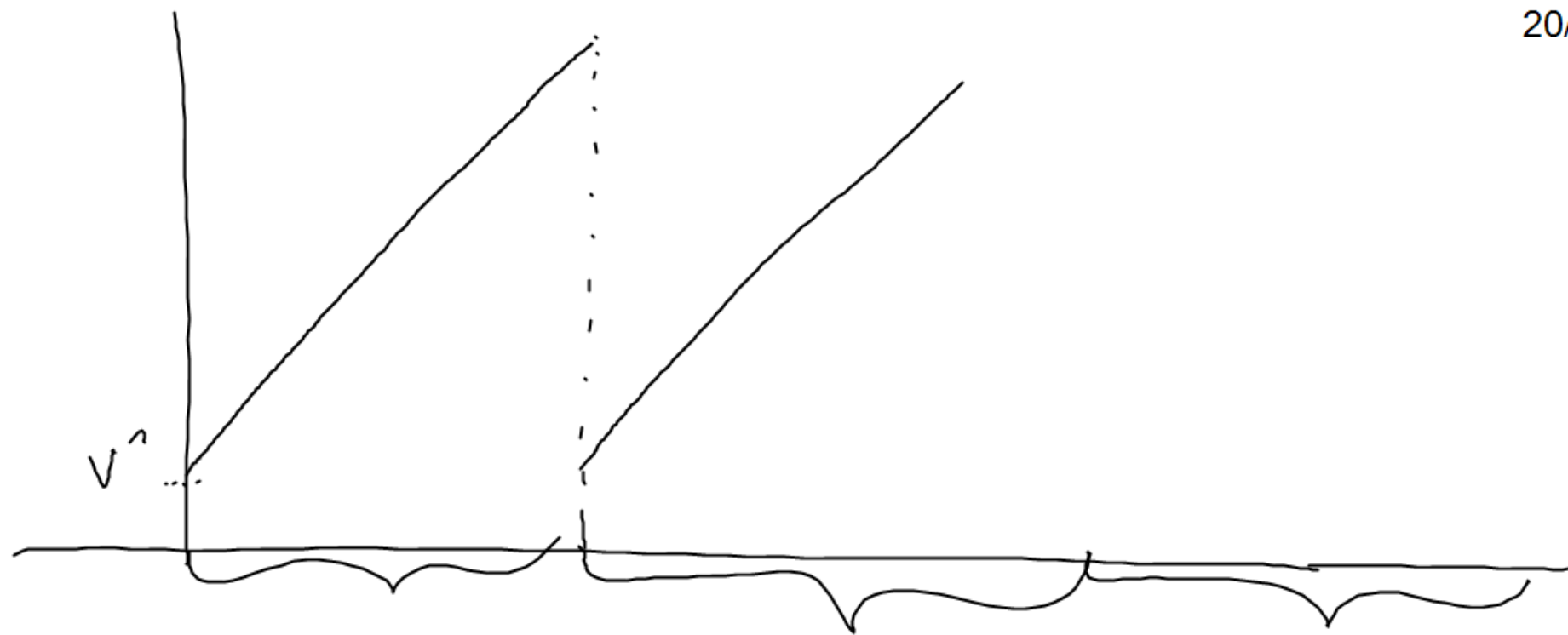
Example 4

$$p = 1$$

$$\frac{dV_t}{dt} = h(1, V_t) = 1$$

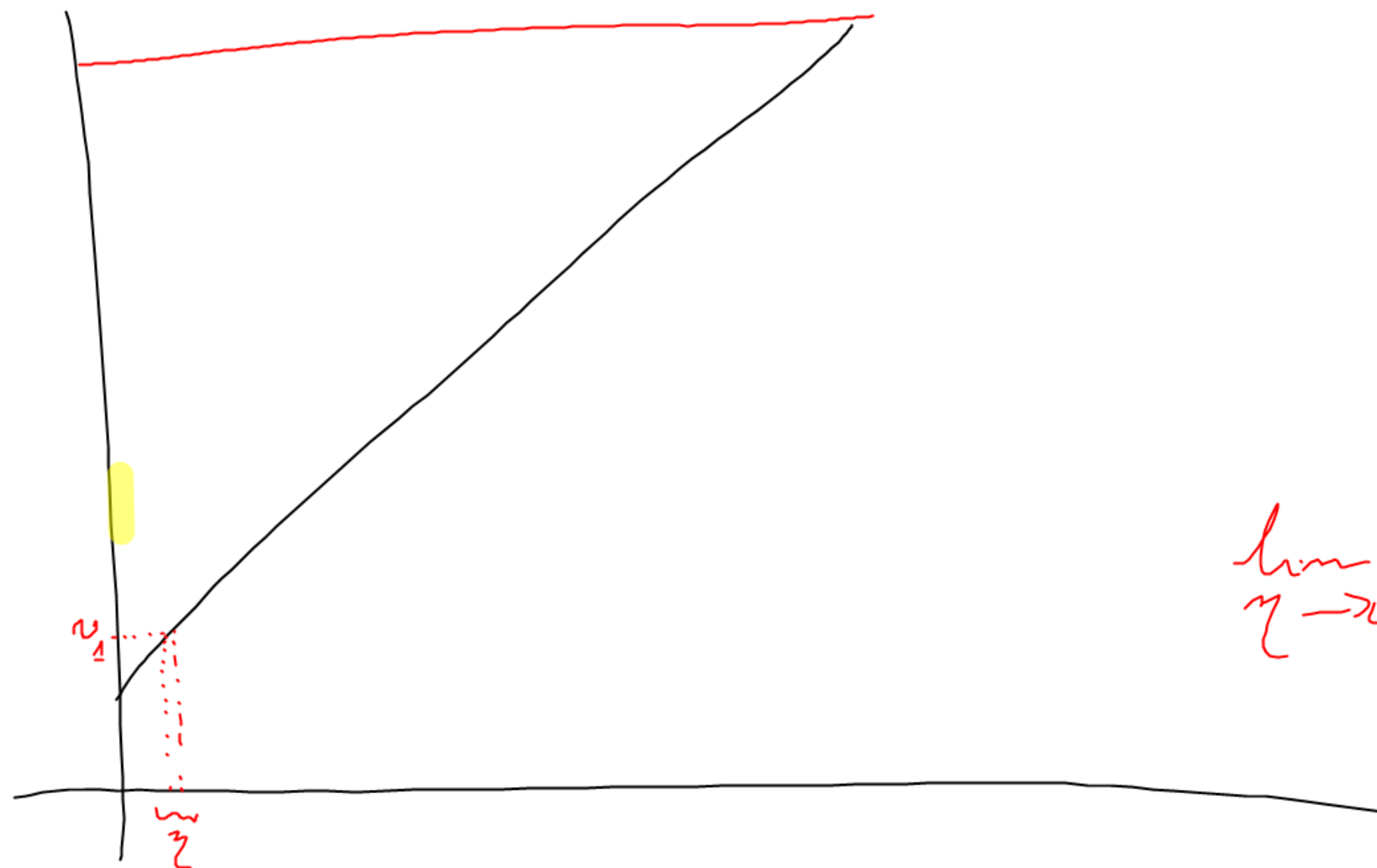
$$\lambda(1, v) = v^2$$

At the jump $(1, v) \rightarrow (1, V^2)$



Here, what is the distribution of the interspike intervals?

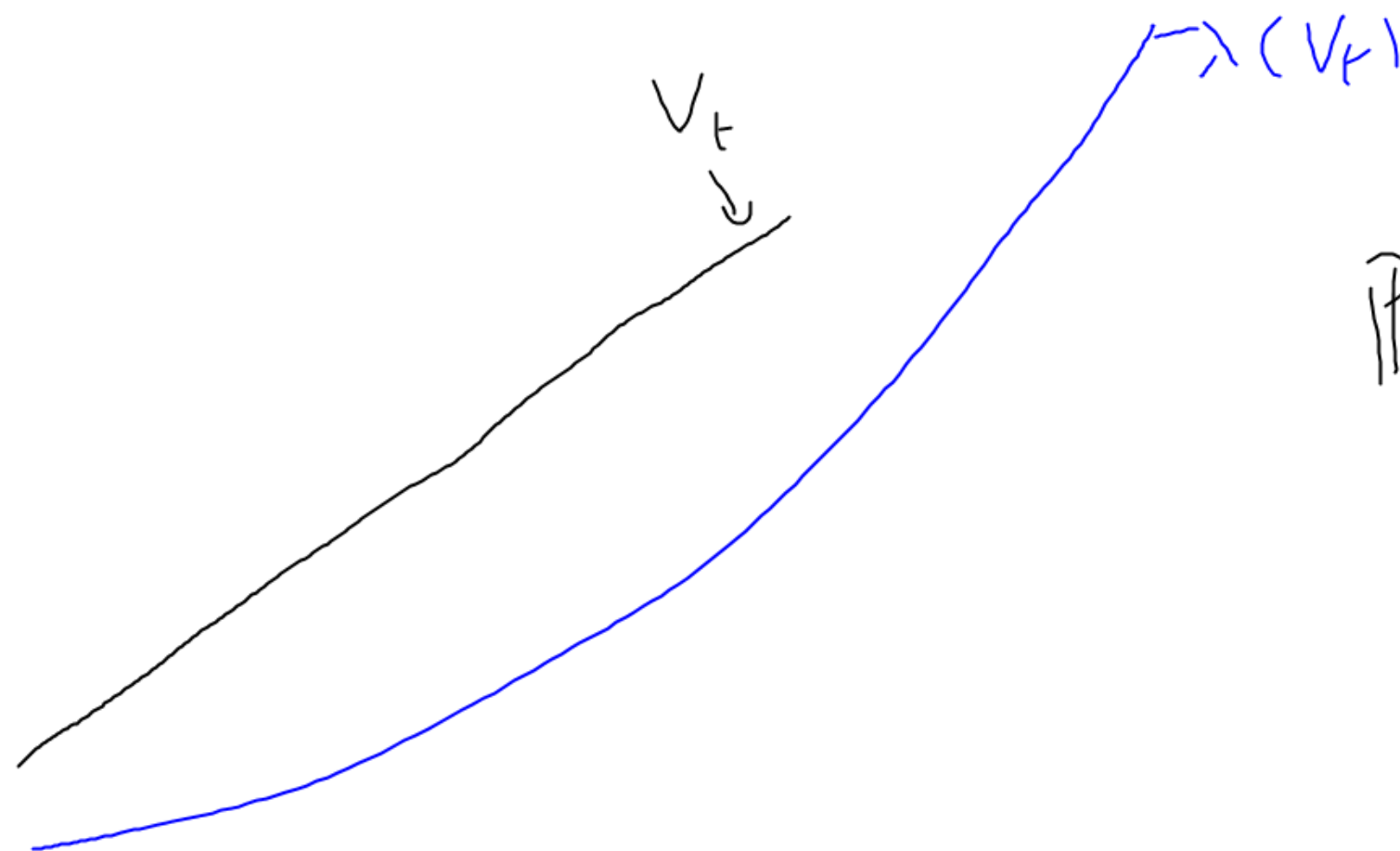
$$\lambda(v) = v^2.$$



$$P(\text{observe a jump in } [t, t+\eta]) = \text{rate} \times \eta$$

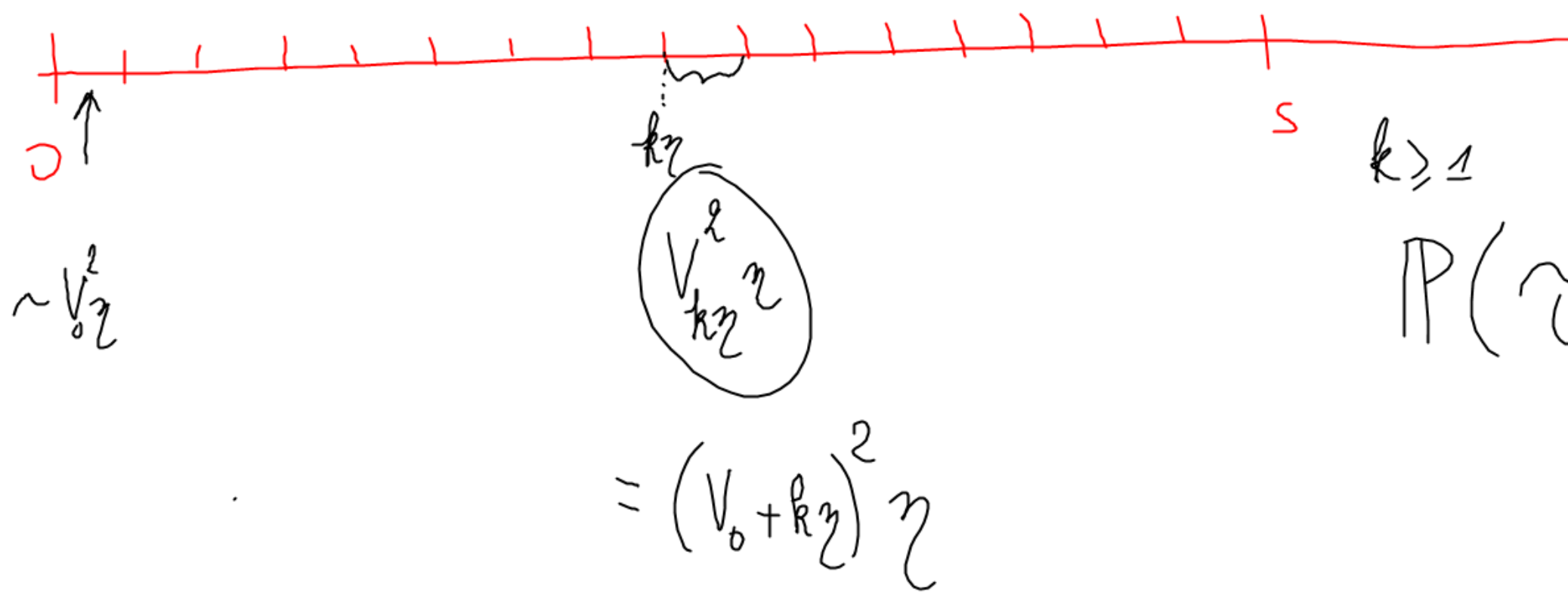
$$\lim_{\eta \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\eta} P(\text{observe a jump in } [t, t+\eta]) = r(t)$$

$$v_1^2 \eta$$



$$P(\tau^1 \geq s) = \exp\left(-\int_0^s \lambda(1, V_\theta) d\theta\right)$$

$$= \exp\left(-\int_0^s (V_0 + \theta)^2 d\theta\right)$$



$$k \geq 1$$

$$P(\tau^{k+1} - \tau^k \geq s) =$$

$$\exp\left(-\int_0^s (V_k + \theta)^2 d\theta\right)$$

Can we simulate the ISI?

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Algo 1

Introduce a discretization time step η

$$\tilde{V}_{(k+1)\eta} = \bar{V}_{k\eta} + \eta$$

$$* \mathcal{B}(\lambda(\bar{V}_{k\eta})\eta) = B_k$$

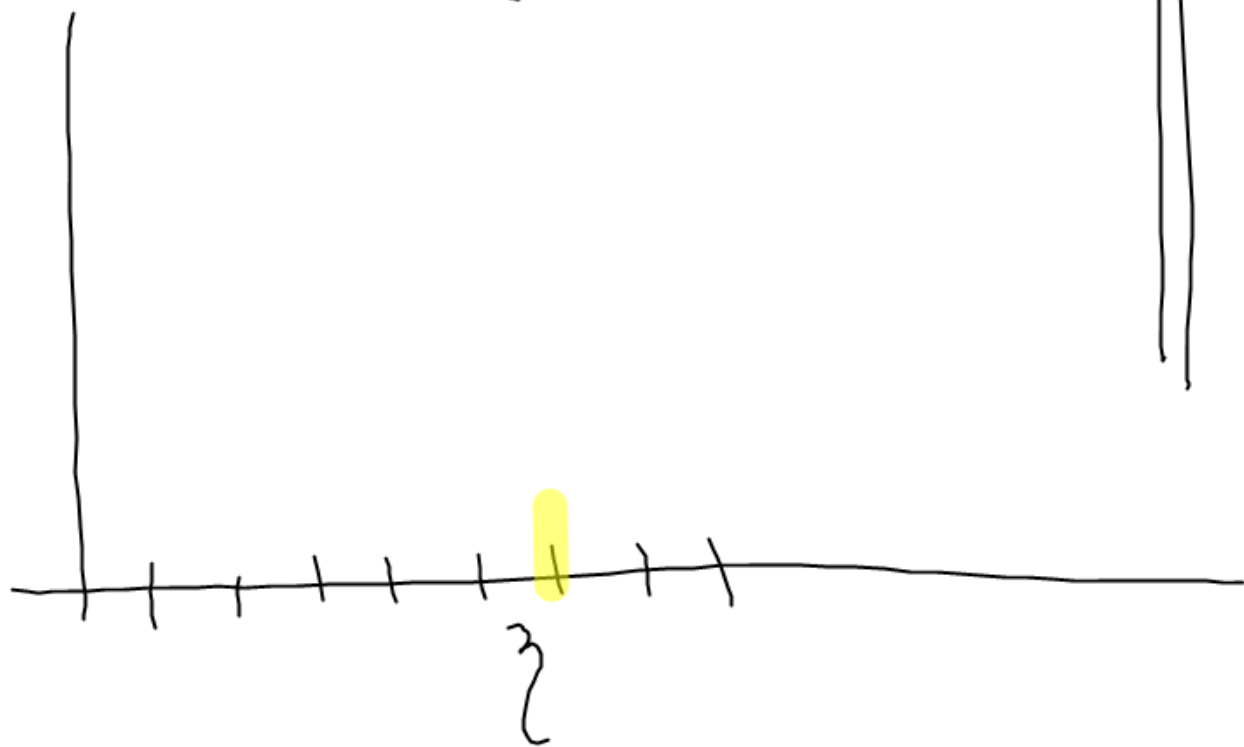
If $B_k = 1 \rightarrow$ the process spikes.

$$\bar{V}_{(k+1)\eta} = V^r$$

$$\tau^{l+1} = k\eta$$

If $B_k = 0$,

$$\bar{V}_{(k+1)\eta} = \tilde{V}_{(k+1)\eta}$$



Algorithm 2.

An upperbound of the rate?

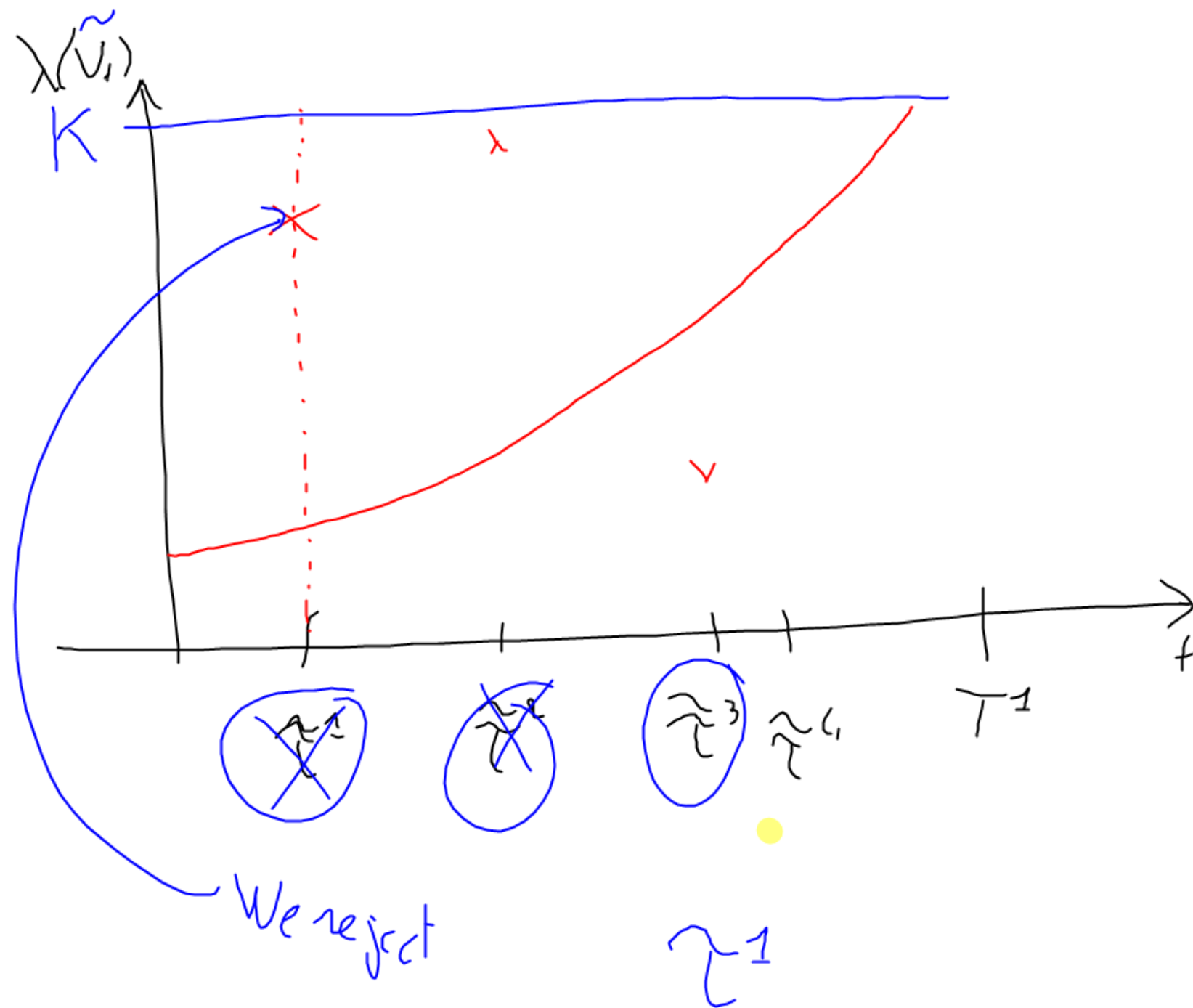
$$\lambda(1, V_t) = (V_0 + t)^2$$

I_1 is not bounded.

But, we can use the rejection procedure on a fixed time interval $[0, T-1]$

Thinning

We fix some T^1



We consider the solution \tilde{V}_t of $\frac{d\tilde{V}_t}{dt} = f(i, \tilde{V}_t)$ on $[0, T^1]$ ^{25/29}

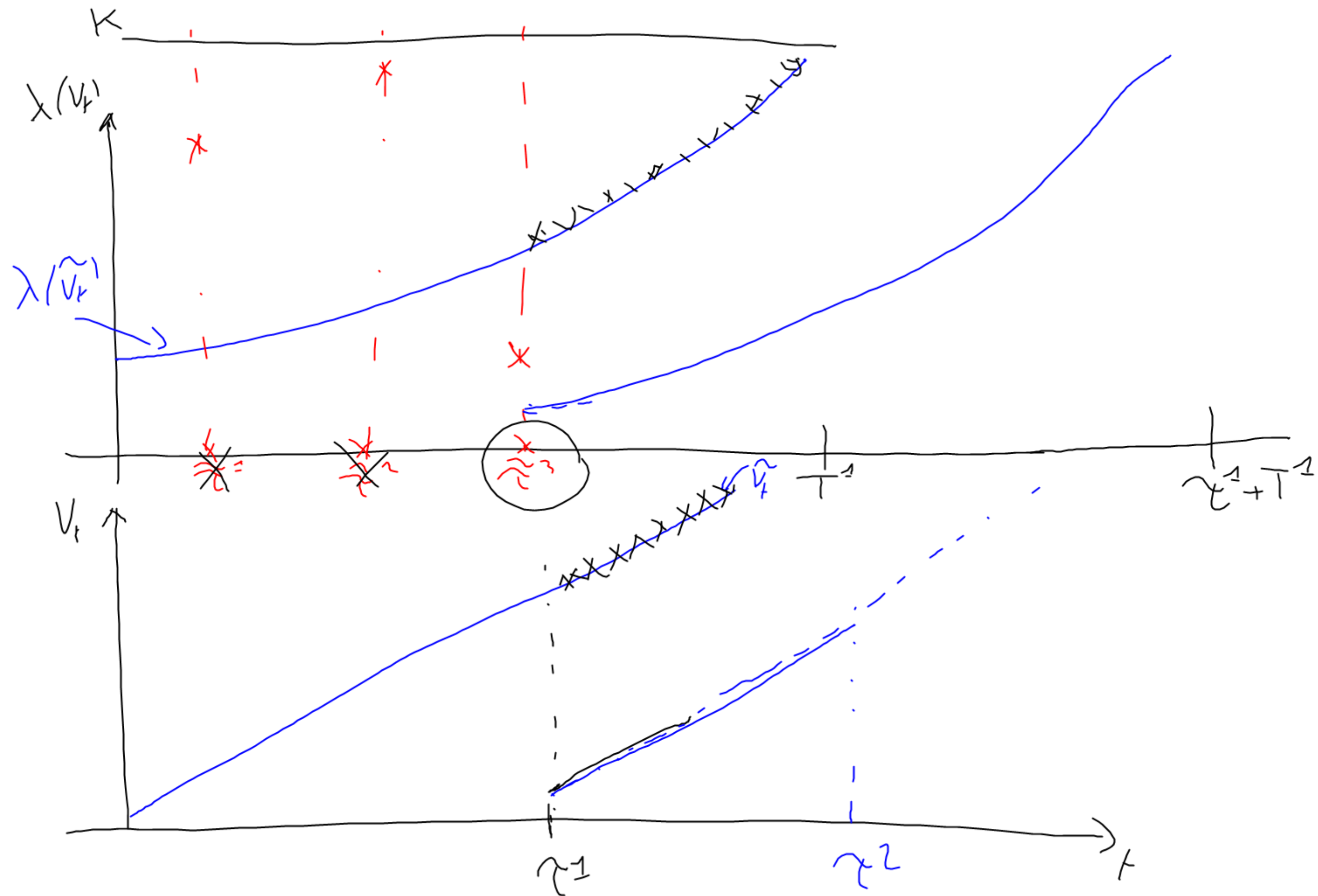
We plot $t \mapsto \lambda(\tilde{V}_t)$ on $[0, T^1]$

We consider K an upper bound of $\lambda(\tilde{V}_t)$ on $[0, T^1]$

* we use the rejection procedure on $[0, T^1]$

* we simulate $\tilde{\tau}^1, \dots, \tilde{\tau}^l$

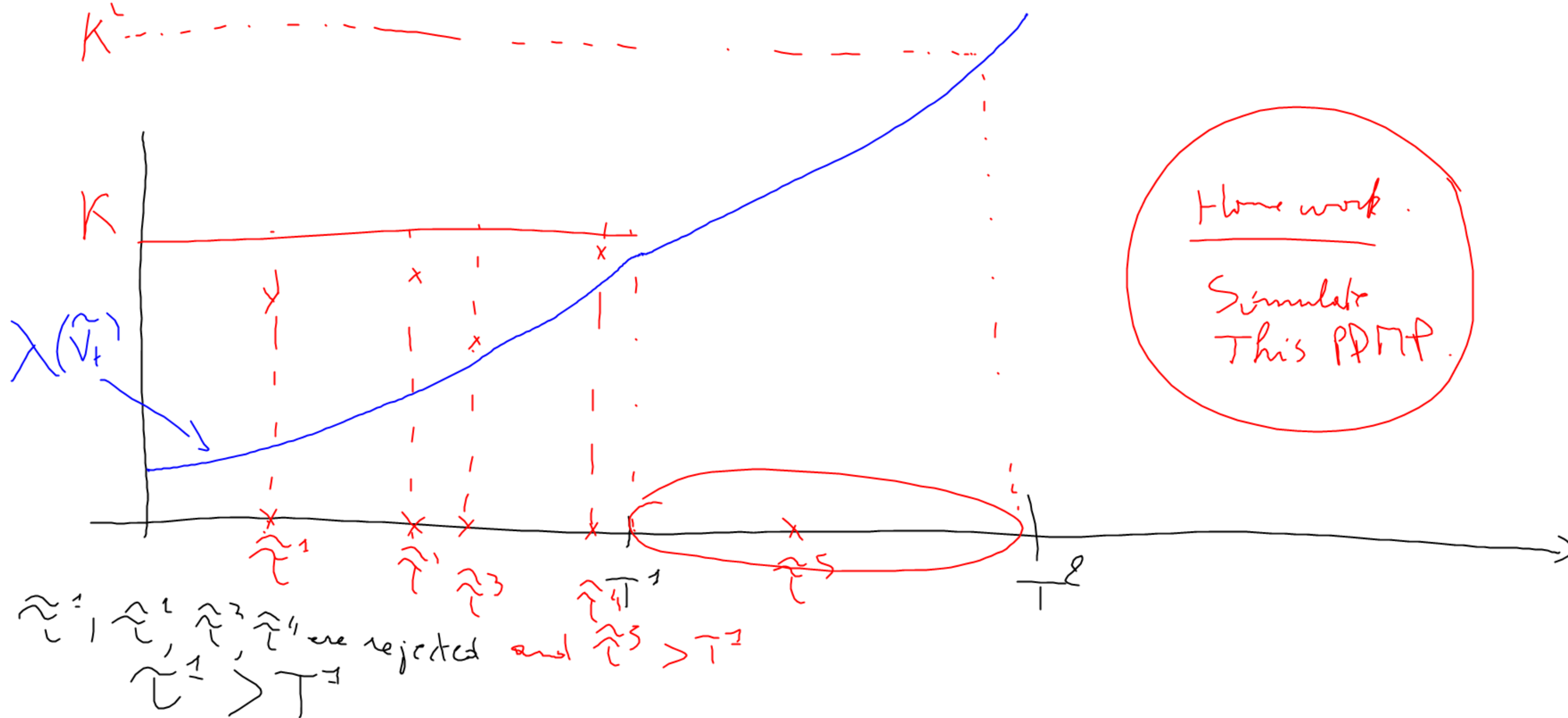
the jumping times of a Poisson Process with parameter K .



This algorithm is efficient if there is at least one spike
on $[0, T^1]$

• If there are no "accepted" jump before T^1 ,

We start again on T^1, T^2



Home work.

Simulate
This PDMP.

τ^1 is the first accepted "fictious" jump

$$V_t = \tilde{V}_t \quad \text{for } t \in [0, \tau^1]$$

$$V_{\tau^1} = V^{\text{rest}}$$

