# Exact distribution of excursions height

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### Introduction

The goal of this part of the package is to calculate the theoretical probability that the i-th excursion reach the threshold score a, for a Markov chain with a known transition matrix and a given score function. The main function for this objective is proba\_theoretical\_ith\_excursion\_markov().

This section of the localScore package is the direct implementation of the pre publication: "Exact distribution of excursion heights of the Lindley process in a Markovian model" written by Carlos Cortés Rojas, Simona Grusea and Sabine Mercier.

## Computation method

The main goal of this function is to calculate the probability that the first excursion of the Lindley sequence associated to the studied sequence is greater or equal to a, conditionally to  $\alpha$  a potential beginning of this sequence. It also computes the transition probability matrix of the beginnings of excursions: matrix\_M.

The product of this matrix, elevated to the power i-1, with the first vector of the probabilities conditionally to  $\alpha$ , gives the probabilities conditionally to  $\alpha$  for the *i*-th excursion. To return the global probability, the function multiplies the conditional vector with the distribution of the first letter of the sequence.

#### Definition of a mathematical excursion

The number of an excursion is given by the mathematical definition of Karlin and Altschul (1990). Its corresponds to the number of record times of the Lindley sequence associated to the score sequence  $(X_k)_{1 \le k \le n}$  and recursively defined as follows:

$$T_0 := 0$$
 and  $T_{(k+1)} := \inf\{i \ge T_k + 1, \sum_{j=T_k+1}^i X_j < 0\}$ .

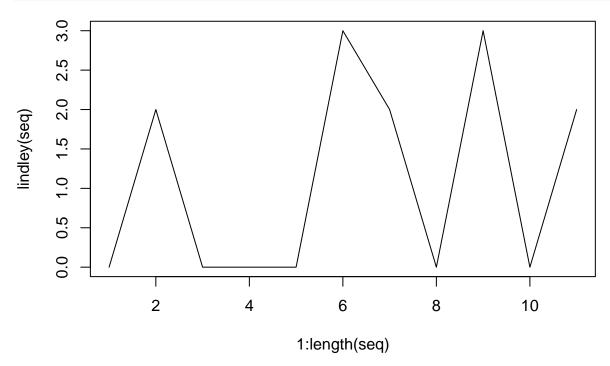
Please note that the sum  $\sum_{j=T_k+1}^{i} X_j$  must be non positive. If it is equal to zero, it will mathematically be still the same Lindley excursion.

$$(A_k)_k$$
 with  $T_{(i-1)} + 1 \le k < T_i$ 

is called the i-th positive excursion of the sequence in the term of Karlin and Altschul. This mathematical definition includes the index with a Lindey score equal to 0, whereas visually we "see" the excursion beginning at the following index.

The mathematical number of an excursion must be distinguished from the one of the corresponding visible excursion because of the possible appearance of flat excursions. See below for an example.

```
seq <- c(-1,2,-3,-4,-1,3,-1,-2,3,-4,2)
lindley(seq)
#> [1] 0 2 0 0 0 3 2 0 3 0 2
plot(1:length(seq), lindley(seq), type = 'l')
```



```
localScoreC(seq)
#> $localScore
#> value begin end
#> 3 6 6
#>
#> $suboptimalSegmentScores
```

```
value begin end
         2
               2
         3
               6
                   6
#> 3
         3
               9
                   9
#> 4
         2
              11
                  11
#>
#> $RecordTime
#> [1] 0 1 3 4 5 10
```

We can "see" three positive excursions, with top at index  $\{2; 6; 9\}$ ; plus one last not achieved at index  $\{11\}$ . Their exists also five flats excursions: at index  $\{1; 3; 4; 5; 10\}$ . Note also that the Lindley excursion 6-10 reach 0 at index 8 without going in non positive values, so it is still the same excursion.

In summary, the excursions list is:  $\{1; 2-3; 4; 5; 6-10; 11\}$ . The following function gives the record time of the mathematical excursion that must be used to compute the statistical significance. Note that we choose to omit the conventional first record time which is always 0.

```
recordTimes(seq)
#> [1] 1 3 4 5 10
```

So the sub optimal excursion values given by \$suboptimalSegmentScores 2 3 3 2 are achieved by the excursion number 2, 5 (twice) and 6. At this point, we wish to lighten a difference between the notion of "excursion" defined mathematically by Karlin and Dembo (1992), and the results given in \$suboptimalSegmentScores. The segment [6-10] is an excursion in mathematical sense as the cumulative process starting at position 7 never hit a negative value before the 10th position. Nevertheless this process hit a null value indicating that this single excursion contain at least two positive score segments (here: at position 6 and 9). We chose to indicate in \$suboptimalSegmentScores all positive consecutive sub-sequences, as it can be more meaningful when applied on real data.

To calculate the p-value of a given excursion, we have to know which number of excursion it is in sequential order. Notice that it will not bring any problem of making a mistake in the number of the excursion for a number exceeding 10, and a small difference for a lower number, as the sequence composed by the begin-component of each excursion, which is also a Markov chain, can reach the stationary distribution. For the first excursions, it is far more easy to recover the record time of the corresponding mathematical excursion in the list.

# Toy examples

As the function calculates a theoretical probability, we don't need a sequence of scores but the transition matrix of the markov chain:  $\Lambda$ . It also requires a score function with: integer scores, a negative expectation and at least one possible positive score. We also need  $\theta$ , an alphabet (can contains numbers) with unique values; and i: the rank of the excursion on which we calculate the probabilities. The optional parameters are epsilon and prob0. epsilon is a threshold for the computation of matrix M and prob0 is the probability distribution of the first letter of the sequence. Obviously, theta, the score function and prob0 should have the same length p, and the dimension of lambda should be (p, p).

In this example, we want to know the probability that the second excursion reach a score greater or equal than 5 with the matrix  $\Lambda$  and a score function of (-1,1), given that the first score of the sequence have 50 percent chances to be -1.

In this following example, we see that this is not a problem to have missing score values in the score function, and that theta can contain numbers. Initial value of epsilon is 1e-16, and if we don't precise the value of prob0, the function compute the stationary distribution of  $\Lambda$ , and use it for the distribution of the first letter of the sequence.

In the following example, the function takes longer as we increased the number of scores (complexity of  $O(length(\theta)^3)$ ), but here with 20 scores, the computational time is acceptable.

```
transition_matrix <- matrix(runif(400, min = 0, max = 1), nrow = 20)</pre>
transition_matrix <- t(apply(transition_matrix, 1, function(x) x/sum(x)))</pre>
theta <- letters[1:20]
score_f \leftarrow c(-3,-1,2,-3,-1,2,-3,-1,2,-1,
              -3,-1,2,-3,-1,2,-3,-1,2,-1)
sum(stationary_distribution(transition_matrix)*score_f) #score expectation (stationary)
#> [1] -0.647538
system.time(pv1 <- proba_theoretical_ith_excursion_markov(a=5, theta, transition_matrix, score_f, i = 4
#> utilisateur
                    système
                                 écoulé
#>
         4.911
                      0.004
                                  4.917
pv1$proba_q_i_geq_a
#> [1] 0.07114636
```

# A study case

Let us consider the protein Seq1093 of 1093 amino acid proposed in the package localScore which corresponds to the Q60519.fasta in UniProt Data base.

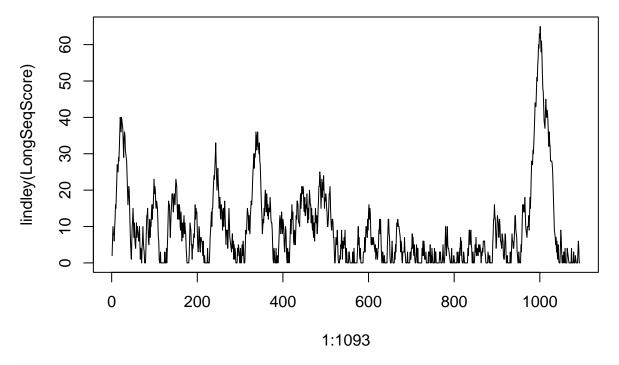
#### Optimal excursion, the local score

Using the hydrophobic score scale called HydroScore, we compute the local score, corresponding to the height of the highest excursion.

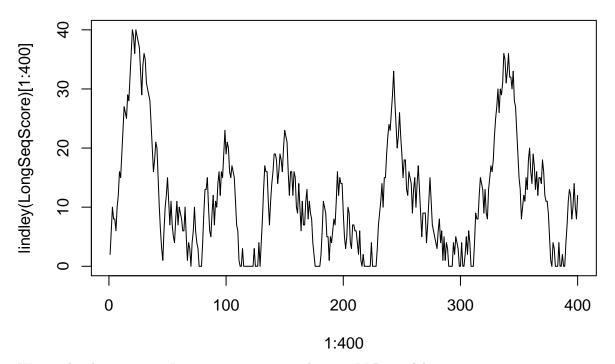
```
library(localScore)
data("Seq1093")
Seq1093
#> [1] "MVVPGPLALSLLLSSLTLLVSHLSSSQDIASESSSEQQMCTRREHPIVAFEDLKPWVFNFTYPGVRDFSQLALDPSRNQLIVGARNYLFRLSLAN
nchar(Seq1093)
#> [1] 1093
data(HydroScore)
LongSeqScore <- CharSequence2ScoreSequence(Seq1093, HydroScore)</pre>
table(LongSeqScore)
#> LongSeqScore
#> -5 -4 -3 -2 -1
                       0
                           2 3
                                       5
                                    4
#> 81 222 22 82 232 85 78 103 157
localScoreC(LongSeqScore)
#> $localScore
#> value begin
               end
#>
     65 956 1001
#>
#> $suboptimalSegmentScores
#>
     value begin end
#> 1
        40
              1
                   20
#> 2
        10
              71
                   73
#> 3
        23
                   99
              80
#> 4
         3
             114 114
#> 5
         3
             124 124
#> 6
             128 128
         4
#> 7
        23
             130 150
#> 8
        16
             181 195
#> 9
         2
             217 217
             224 224
#> 10
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#> 11
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             229 243
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             294 296
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             390 397
#> 20
             411 411
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             413 413
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             416 486
#> 23
         9
             523 527
             533 537
#> 24
         9
#> 25
             548 548
         4
#> 26
         3
             554 554
#> 27
         3
             563 563
#> 28
         4
             566 566
#> 29
        10
             574 576
#> 30 16 588 601
```

```
#> 31 3
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             832
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                  835
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                  844
         7
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             848
                  851
#> 60
         6
             864
                  868
         3
             879 879
#> 61
#> 62
         2
             883 883
#> 63
        16
             890 894
#> 64
        2
             924
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#> 65
         3
             931 931
#> 66
             934 942
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#> 67
         3
             951 951
#> 68
         65
             956 1001
#> 69
         9 1048 1049
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         2 1054 1054
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         3 1056 1056
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         3 1079 1079
#> 75
#> 76
         2 1083 1083
#> 77
         6 1089 1090
#>
#> $RecordTime
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                                  177
                                                 180
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                                                               378
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         386 388 389
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#> [46]
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#> [181] 1055 1061 1062 1063 1069 1070 1071 1072 1073 1076 1077 1078 1080 1081 1082
   [196] 1085 1087 1088 1093
head(sort(localScoreC(LongSeqScore)$suboptimalSegmentScores[,1], decreasing = TRUE))
#> [1] 65 40 36 33 25 23
plot(1:1093,lindley(LongSeqScore), type = 'l')
```



plot(1:400,lindley(LongSeqScore)[1:400], type = 'l')



We get: local score = 65. Let us compute its p-value in a I.I.D. model.

```
LS <- localScoreC(LongSeqScore) $localScore["value"]
prob1 <- scoreSequences2probabilityVector(list(LongSeqScore))</pre>
prob1
#>
           -5
                                  -3
                                             -2
                                                         -1
                                                                      0
#> 0.07410796 0.20311070 0.02012809 0.07502287 0.21225984 0.07776761 0.00000000
            2
                       3
                                               5
#> 0.07136322 0.09423605 0.14364135 0.02836231
daudin(local_score = LS, sequence_length = length(LongSeqScore),
       score_probabilities = prob1,
       sequence_min = min(LongSeqScore),
       sequence_max = max(LongSeqScore))
#> [1] 0.07231933
```

In an independent model the p-value equals 7.2%, that is non significant using the nominal level 5%. Let us compute it in a markovian model. We need the transition matrix.

```
tmpMarkovParameters <- sequences2transmatrix(LongSeqScore)
lambda <- tmpMarkovParameters$transition_matrix
apply(lambda, 1, sum) #to check stochasticity
#> -5 -4 -3 -2 -1 0 2 3 4 5
#> 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
prob0 <- stationary_distribution(lambda)
print(prob0)
#> [1] 0.07415553 0.20331534 0.02016219 0.07512607 0.21241680 0.07789931
#> [7] 0.07052191 0.09425453 0.14375820 0.02839011
score_values <- tmpMarkovParameters$score_value
print(score_values)
#> [1] -5 -4 -3 -2 -1 0 2 3 4 5
```

Notice that the score value 1 is not present in the sequence.

```
exact_mc(LS, lambda, sequence_length = length(LongSeqScore), score_values = score_values)
#> [1] 0.07695456
```

The p-value in a Markovian model, equal to 7.7% is very similar in this case with the one of the independent model.

# Sub optimal excursions

Let us consider a study on the first and the last sub optimal excursions.

```
subOptSegment <- localScoreC(LongSeqScore)$suboptimalSegmentScores</pre>
o <- order(subOptSegment[,1], decreasing = TRUE)</pre>
subOptSegment <- subOptSegment[o,] # reordering segments by decreasing score values
print(subOptSegment)
#>
      value begin end
#> 68
         65
              956 1001
#> 1
         40
                    20
                1
#> 15
         36
              312 337
#> 11
         33
              229 243
#> 22
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              416 486
#> 3
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              130 150
#> 8
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              181 195
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              588 601
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              71
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#> 29
         10
              574 576
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              533 537
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              128 128
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#> 10
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#> 13
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                     379
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                411
                     411
#> 25
                548
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                566
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                114
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                124
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#> 21
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                413
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#> 26
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                563
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           3
                633
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           2
                883
                     883
#> 64
           2
                924
                     924
#> 70
           2
               1054 1054
#> 76
           2
               1083 1083
```

The sub optimal scores are 40, 36 and 33 realized by the "visual" excursions number 1, 15 and 11. Such number of excursion, 11 and 15 are large enough to avoid considering the mathematical number. The first excursion is mathematically the first one (see below).

```
lindley(LongSeqScore)
#>
      [1]
          2
            6 10
                  8
                     8
                        6 10 12 16 15 19 23 27 26 25 29 28 32 36 40 39 36 40 39
     [25] 38 37 33 29 34 36 35 31 30 29 28 24 20 16 18 21 20 15 10 6
#>
                                                                      1 6 10
     [49] 12 15 11 7 11 7
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#>
                           5
                              4 8 11 7 10 9
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#>
     [73] 10 6
               4 3 0 0
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                              4 9 13 13 15 10
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                                                           7 11 10 14 16 12 16
#>
     [97] 15 19 23 19 21 20 16 15 17 16 15 11
                                            7 6
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    [121]
               0 3 0 0 0 4 0 4 8 13 17 16 16 11
#>
   [145] 16 19 18 16 20 23 22 21 16 12 16 16 12 16 15 10 9 14 10 6 11 7 7 11
```

```
[169] 13 8 11 9 8 4 2 0 0 0 0 0 2 6 11 10 9 5 5 1 5 4 6 8
    [193] 7 11 16 12 15 14 14 9 5 3 5 10 9 4 3 7 7 6 6 4 2 6 1 0
    [217] 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 0 0 0 0 3 7 9 11 14 10 15 15 19 22 24 23
    [241] 26 29 33 28 24 20 22 26 22 19 15 18 18 13 12 16 15 14 9 13 15 10 14 17
#>
    [265] 13 9 5 9 9 9 4 7 11 15 11 7 6 5 4 3 6 8 4 6 1 5 1 4
    [289] 3 0 0 0 0 4 2 5 4 3 0 0 4 0 0 2 5 2 6 4 0 0 0 4
#>
    [313] 9 8 8 12 15 14 13 9 13 9 8 13 15 17 16 18 22 25 27 30 26 30 29 31
#>
    [337] 36 35 31 33 36 32 32 30 33 28 27 23 19 15 13 8 10 12 11 15 13 18 20 16
   [361] 14 19 17 13 16 12 15 15 14 18 16 12 11 11 9 5 1 0 4 3 0 0 0
#>
    [385] 0 0 2 0 0 4 7 11 13 12 8 10 14 10 8 12 11 9 5 3
                                                                  6 10 9 5
    [409] 1 0 4 0 3 2 0 4 8 12 8 12 16 12 14 10 6 5 9 8 5 9 13 12
   [433] 17 17 16 12 11 11 10 15 19 15 17 21 20 19 21 20 15 14 18 13 13 16 15 19
#>
    [457] 15 11 15 12 16 20 18 16 16 11 15 11 9 13 8 7 11 6 11 15 12 11 13 8
#>
    [481] 10 14 17 21 21 25 24 20 15 19 23 18 22 20 24 20 15 18 17 19 18 15 14 10
    [505] 10 12 15 19 19 21 16 12 10 9 12 12 11 7 7 3 0 0 4 7 6 5 9 5
#>
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#> [196] 1087 1088 1093
LongSeqScore[1] > 0
#> [1] TRUE
```

Let us consider a study on the first and the last sub optimal excursions in the sequential order of the sequence.

First excursion height equal to 40; last one, the 77th one, height equal to 6.

```
subOptSegment["1",] #First excursion
#> value begin end
#> 1    40    1   20
subOptSegment[as.character(dim(subOptSegment)[1]),] #Last excursion
#> value begin end
#> 77    6  1089 1090
```

Let us compute their *p*-values.

```
theta <- letters[1:length(score_values)] # arbitrary</pre>
score_function <- score_values</pre>
                                           # defined earlier
a <- 40
i <- 1
system.time(pv2<-proba_theoretical_ith_excursion_markov(a, theta, lambda,
                                         score_function,i)$proba_q_i_geq_a)
#> utilisateur
                    système
                                 écoulé
#>
        39.004
                     0.014
                                 39.050
pv2
#> [1] 0.004478564
a <- 6
i <- 77
system.time(pv3<-proba_theoretical_ith_excursion_markov(a, theta, lambda,
                                        score_function, i)$proba_q_i_geq_a)
#> utilisateur
                    système
                                 écoulé
         1.682
                                  1.700
#>
                     0.018
pv3
#> [1] 0.1741784
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First excursion : height equal to 40 with p-value=0.45%; Last excursion, the 77th one, height equal to 6 and p-value=17%.

The time computation of the first p-value is larger because of the larger value of a.

We can consider that from the 20th mountain we reached the stationary distribution for the beginning of excursion. We shall therefore take a lower value for i for the last excursion to evaluate the difference. Let us try i = 20 instead of 77.

We obtain the same value as expected even for i = 10.

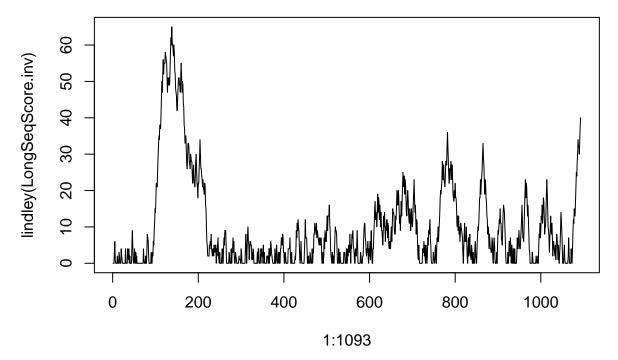
### With a reverse lecture of the protein

As the lecture of a protein could be done in both direction, we also consider the reverse sequence.

```
LongSeqScore.inv <- rev(LongSeqScore)</pre>
localScoreC(LongSeqScore.inv)
#> $localScore
#> value begin
                end
#>
     65 93
               138
#>
#> $suboptimalSegmentScores
     value begin end
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head(sort(localScoreC(LongSeqScore.inv)$suboptimalSegmentScores[,1], decreasing = TRUE))
#> [1] 65 40 36 33 25 23
plot(1:1093,lindley(LongSeqScore.inv), type = 'l')
```



That leads to: first excursion equal to 6; last excursion, the 96th one, equal to 38.

The corresponding p-values are:

```
markov_parameters <- sequences2transmatrix(LongSeqScore.inv)</pre>
lambda.inv <- markov_parameters$transition_matrix</pre>
system.time(pv5<-proba_theoretical_ith_excursion_markov(a = 38, theta,
                                         lambda.inv,
                                         score_function, i = 96
                                         ) $proba_q_i_geq_a)
#> utilisateur
                    système
                                  écoulé
#>
        35.218
                      0.017
                                  35.267
pv5
#> [1] 0.005460216
proba_theoretical_ith_excursion_markov(a = 6, theta, lambda.inv,
                                         score_function,i = 1
                                         )$proba_q_i_geq_a
#> [1] 0.1765172
```

Last excursion, the 96th one, equal to 38, with p-value equal to 0.53%. First excursion equal to 6, with p-value equal to 17%.

The last excursion is still significant. The first one is still non significant.

Remark: Even with a Bonferroni correction to take into account the multiple test (here two studies excursions), the sequence possesses a significant segment. Whereas considering the highest value over all the excursions of the whole sequence, the local score value, the sequence is not significant.

#### What about the excursion realising the local score

Let us consider the excursion 30 as an excursion among the others. For the first way to read the protein:

There is a less than 4 in 10,000 chance of having a first mountain over 65.

Or with the second way to read the protein:

As expected we obtain a similar p-value.

Although the highest mountain of height 65 in this sequence of length 1093 does not have a significant value at the 5% threshold, it does not mean that the sequence has not interesting segments. Observing a mountain exceeding 40 is significant for example, and it is the same for values 36 and 33. All these tests remain significant even if a correction of type Bonferroni is taken.