

# simulation\_demo

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## Poisson process

We will simulate Poisson process by first principle. Algorithm taken from epfl

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**Algorithm 1:** Simulation of event times of a Poisson process with rate  $\lambda$  until time  $T$

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**Result:** Write here the result

**Input :** Tmax or Nmax,  $\lambda$

**Output:**  $S(t)$

1 **Initialization**  $t = 0, k = 0, S = 0$ .

2 **while**  $t < Tmax$  **do**

3     **Draw**  $r \sim U(0, 1)$ .

4      $t = t - \ln(r)/\lambda$ .

5      $k = k + 1, S(k) = t$

6 **end**

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rpoisson <- function(Tmax = NULL, Nmax = NULL, lambda) {  
  
  # we can have both NULL or both set at the same time.  
  if ( !xor(is.null(Tmax), is.null(Nmax)) ) stop("Need to set one (and only one) of Nmax or Tmax")  
  
  t = 0  
  k = 0  
  S = vector()  
  
  while (T) {  
    r <- runif(1)  
    t <- t - log(r) / lambda  
    k <- k + 1  
    S <- c(S, t)  
  
    if (!is.null(Tmax) && (t >= Tmax)) break;  
    if (!is.null(Nmax) && (length(S) >= Nmax)) break;  
  }  
  
  (S)  
}
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#r1<-rpoisson(Tmax=10, lambda=1)  
tmax=100  
r1<-rpoisson(Tmax=tmax, lambda=1)  
t_series <- seq(0, max(r1), length=length(r1))  
#t_series <- seq(0, length(r1)-1, 1)  
plot(t_series, r1)
```

