

Regret bound of Successive rejection algorithms

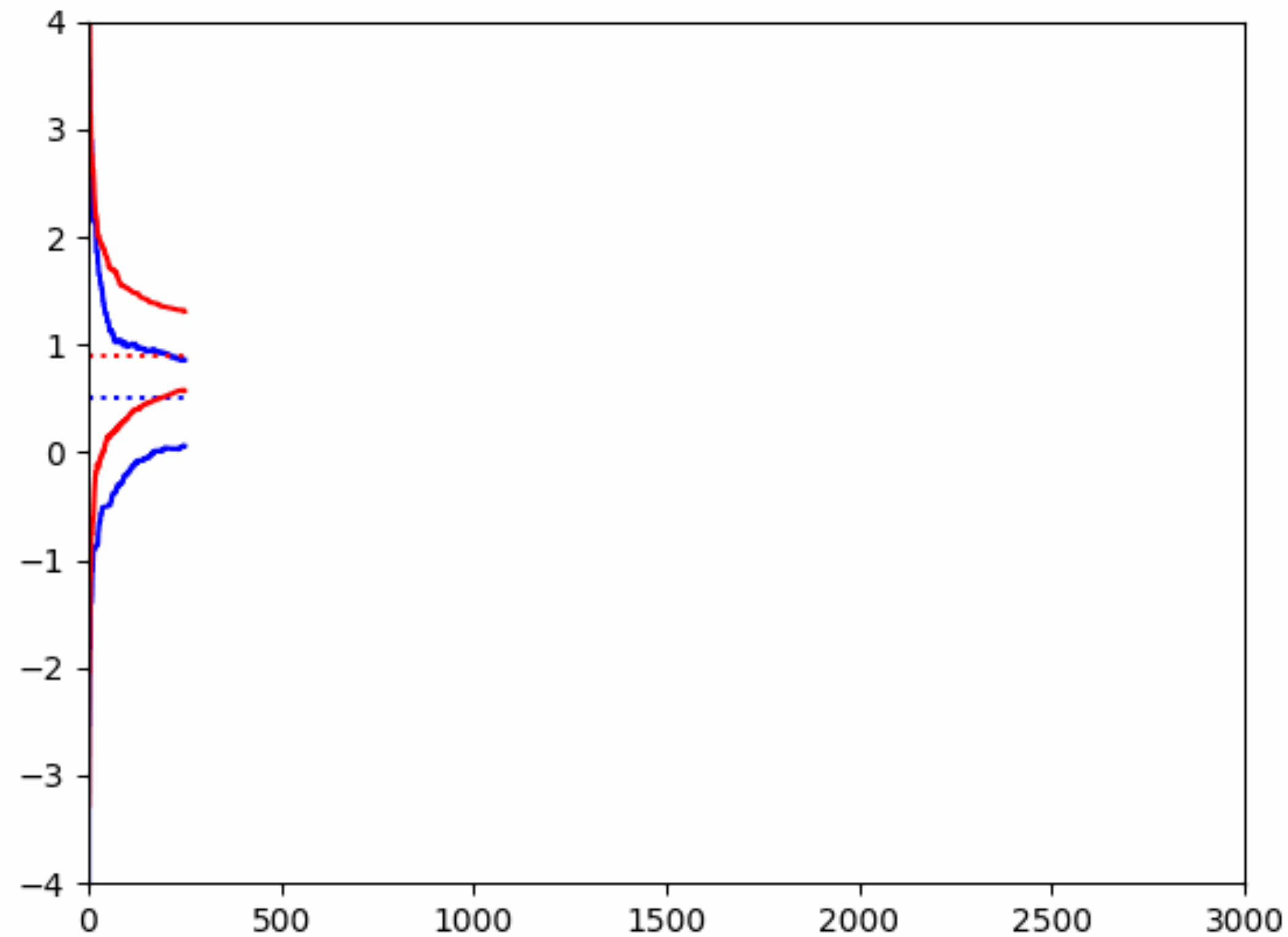
Theorem: Successive rejects algorithm pulls every suboptimal arm a at most $O\left(\frac{\log(T)}{\Delta_a^2}\right)$ times or more precisely,

$$\mathbb{E}[N_a(T)] \leq 1 + \frac{32 \log(T)}{\Delta_a^2}$$

Expected regret is at most:

$$\text{Reg}_T \leq O\left(\sum_{a \neq a^*} \Delta_a + \sum_{a \neq a^*} \frac{\log(T)}{\Delta_a}\right)$$

Successive reject working



SR working for two coins with probability of
head 0.9 (**red**) and 0.5 (**blue**)