Multifractal analysis of some families of random functions motivated by the study of the network traffic

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We study the Legendre and Large Deviation multifractal spectra of infinite sums of independent positive random functions Z(t) which can be represented as an infinite sum of random functions $Z_k(t)$ having the following properties:

- \$Z_k(t)\$ increases in between two consecutive jumps,
- the jumps of \$Z_k(t)\$ follow a Poisson point process,
- the increments are non-stationary and correlated.
- the graph of \$Z_k(t)\$ in between two consecutive jumps is determined by a self-affine family of functions.

As a special case our result includes the network traffic generated by the Cubic model of TCP.

Our work is a generalization of some of the results of a paper M. Rams and J.L. Vehel (2013).

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