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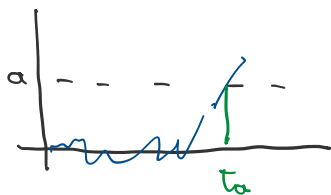
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Example (From Book)

$$\overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{B_t}{\sqrt{t}} = +\infty \text{ a.s.} \quad (\Rightarrow \overline{\lim}_{t \rightarrow \infty} B_t = +\infty \text{ a.s.})$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{B_t}{\sqrt{t}} = -\infty \text{ a.s.} \quad \Rightarrow T_a < \infty \text{ a.s.}$$

By continuity of sample paths.


 $T_a = \inf \{ t > 0 : B_t = a \}$ is Almost Surely Finite for all a


Proof of ②

we can Prove this without this chapter.

$$\overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{B_n}{\sqrt{n}} = +\infty \text{ a.s.}$$

$$B_n = \sum_{k=1}^n (B_k - B_{k-1})$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{1cm}}_{\{Z_k\} \stackrel{iid}{\sim} N(0,1)}$



$$S_n = \sum_{k=1}^n Z_k, \quad \{Z_k\}_{k \geq 1} \stackrel{iid}{\sim} N(0,1)$$

ADDED Let ①

$$P\left(\overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{S_n}{\sqrt{n}} > 1\right) \geq P(Z > 1) > 0$$

$$\frac{S_n}{\sqrt{n}} \sim N(0,1)$$

$$P\left(\frac{S_n}{\sqrt{n}} > 1\right) = P(Z > 1) > 0$$

①

$$1 - P(Z > 1) = P(Z \leq 1) = \Phi(1) \approx 0.8413$$

(i)

$$P \left\{ \overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ \frac{S_n}{\sqrt{n}} \right\} > 1 \right\} = P \left\{ \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \bigcap_{k=1}^{\infty} \bigcup_{n=k}^{\infty} \left\{ \frac{S_n}{\sqrt{n}} > 1 \right\} \right\}$$

Decreasing intersection.

$$\geq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P \left(\frac{S_n}{\sqrt{n}} > 1 \right) = P(Z > 1)$$

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Permutable event.

we have two Rules for tails

- 1) Kolmogorov 0-1
- 2) Heavy average 0-1 Reg. 2.0.

then H.S. 0-1 law $\Rightarrow P(\overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ \frac{S_n}{\sqrt{n}} \right\} > M) = 0, M < \infty$

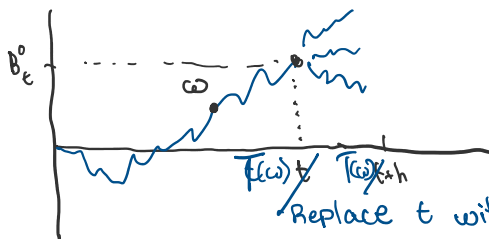
For Proof of (2)

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{B_t}{\sqrt{t}} \geq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{B_n}{\sqrt{n}}$$

Next section: Strong Markov Property.

Strong Markov Property for BM.

Markov Property of BM.



new Brownian motion from time t

$$\mathcal{F}_t^0 = \sigma \left\{ B_s ; 0 \leq s \leq t \right\}, t \leq 0.$$

$$\mathcal{F}_t^+ = \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathcal{F}_{t+\frac{1}{n}}^0$$

$$\mathcal{F}_t^+ = \mathcal{F}_t \text{ up to null set.}$$

canonical filtration.

$$\widehat{\mathcal{F}}_t = \mathcal{F}_t^+ \vee \mathcal{N} \supset \mathcal{F}_t^+ \supset \mathcal{F}_t^0$$

these are all same up to null set

$$\mathcal{F} = \bigcap_{t \in \mathbb{R}} \mathcal{F}_t^0 = \mathcal{F}^+ = \mathcal{F} \vee \mathcal{N}$$

so where here we have the usual conditions w.r.t. filtration.

what does this imply? see previous lecture.

$$\mathcal{F}_t = \mathcal{F}_t \vee \mathcal{V} \cup \mathcal{F}_t \cup \mathcal{G}_t$$

these are all same upto Null set

$$\mathcal{N} = \{A \in \mathcal{F}_\infty; P_\lambda(A) = 0, \forall \lambda \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

$$P_\lambda(B_{1,\infty} = \tau) = 0 \quad \forall \lambda \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\Omega = C[0, \infty]$$

Def: $T: \Omega \rightarrow [0, \infty]$ is stopping Time (S.T.)

$$\text{if } \{T \leq t\} \in \mathcal{F}_t, \quad 0 \leq t < \infty$$

observe: if $\{T < t\} \in \mathcal{F}_t, \quad 0 < t < \infty$ then T is a S.T.

Similar to Discrete. But in Discrete $\geq \Rightarrow >$ gives Predictable. here No.

$$\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathcal{F}_{t+\frac{1}{n}} = \mathcal{F}_t$$

Proof

$$\{T \leq t\} \in \mathcal{F}_t \quad t \geq 0 \Rightarrow \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} \{T \leq t - \frac{1}{n}\} = \{T < t\}$$

$\in \mathcal{F}_t$ $\in \mathcal{F}_t$ $\in \mathcal{F}_t$

now the other way.

$$\{T < t\} \in \mathcal{F}_t, \quad \forall t > 0$$

$$\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} \{T < t + \frac{1}{n}\} = \{T \leq t\}$$

$\in \mathcal{F}_{t+\frac{1}{n}}$

By intersection \mathcal{F}_t in \mathcal{F}_t

Some Properties.

① $T_n \uparrow T$ as. T_n is S.T., $n \geq 1$
Then T is S.T. as well.

What is the Relationship Between t & T ?

Proof

$$\{T \leq t\} = \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} \{T_n \leq t\} \in \mathcal{F}_t, \quad \forall t > 0$$

\mathcal{F}_t

why eq?

$$T_n \uparrow T; T_n \leq T, \quad \forall n. \quad \text{since } T_n \uparrow T$$

② $T_n \downarrow T$, T_n S.T. $\forall n$

then T is a S.T.

$$\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} \{T_n \leq t\} = \{T \leq t\} \quad \forall t \geq 0$$

\mathcal{F}_t \mathcal{F}_t

There must some n :
 t_n does the job.

③ if T is a S.T.

Then $\exists T_n \downarrow T$ where T_n is S.T. $\forall n \geq 1$

where $T_n \in \mathcal{Q}_{2,n} = \{\frac{k}{2^n}; k \geq 1\}$

Proof.

$$T_n = \frac{k+1}{2^n} \quad \text{if} \quad \frac{k}{2^n} \leq T < \frac{k+1}{2^n}$$

of course this converges to T

show T_n is S.T. $\forall n$

④ Let S, T be S.T.

then $S \wedge T$, $S \vee T$, $S+T$ are all S.T.

Proof that $S+T$ is a S.T.

$\exists S_n \downarrow S$, S_n S.T. and $\exists T_n \downarrow T$ T_n S.T.

then $S_n + T_n \downarrow S+T$

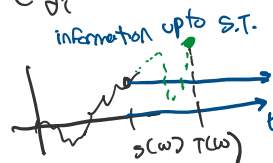
and $S_n + T_n$ is S.T. $\forall n$.

So we use ②

⑤ $S \leq T$ a.s. S, T are S.T. then $\mathcal{F}_S \subset \mathcal{F}_T$

Def Let S be S.T. then

$$\mathcal{F}_S = \sigma\{B_{t \wedge S}, t \geq 0\}$$



Alternatively: $\mathcal{F}_S = \{A: A \cap \{S \leq t\} \in \mathcal{F}_t \quad \forall 0 \leq t < \infty\}$
But the same.

$$= \{A: A \cap \{S \leq t\} \in \mathcal{F}_t \quad \forall 0 \leq t < \infty\},$$

⑥ $T \in \mathcal{F}_T$.

NTS: $\{T \leq t_0\} \cap \{T \leq t\} \in \mathcal{F}_t, \forall t$

if $t_0 < t$ then $\{T \leq t_0\} \in \mathcal{F}_t$.

$t_0 \geq t$ then intersection $\in \mathcal{F}_t$.

if $t_0 < t$ then $\{T \leq t_0\} \in \mathcal{F}_{t_0}$.
 $t_0 \geq t$ then intersection $\in \mathcal{F}_t$.

⑦ let S, T be s.t. then

$$\{S < T\}, \{S > T\}, \{T = S\} \in \mathcal{F}_T \cap \mathcal{F}_S.$$

show $\{S < T\} \in \mathcal{F}_T \cap \mathcal{F}_S$.

$$\{S < T\} \cap \{S < t\} \in \mathcal{F}_t \quad \forall t \geq 0.$$

$$= \bigcup_{\substack{q < t \\ q \in \mathbb{Q}}} \{S < q\} \cap \{T > q\}$$

next Formal Markov Property.