

SEMINAR SCHOOL OF MATHEMATICS AND STATISTICS

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TITLE

Standard Brownian motion

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ABSTRACT

We first define the stochastic process known as the standard Brownian motion. We then prove the existence of such a process using the Haar functions on [0,1] due to Kallianpur and then extend it to all of \mathbb{R}^+ . Then we discuss some basic properties such as scaling, translation invariance after a stopping time, the reflection principle, Donsker- Varadhan theorem, Kallianpur- Robbins thm on estimation of L_1 integrals on \mathbb{R} using SBM , non differentiablity of sample paths, finite quadratic variation, and conclude with Black- Scholes formula for European stock price option.