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A Borel-reducibility Main Gap

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Independence of Euclid's fifth postulate, the parallel postulate.

Khayyám (1077) and Saccheri (1733) considered the three different cases of the Khayyám-Saccheri quadrilateral (right, obtuse, and acute).

Euclidean geometry, Elliptic geometry, Hyperbolic geometry.

The spectrum fuction

Let T be a countable theory over a countable language. Let $I(T, \alpha)$ denote the number of non-isomorphic models of T with cardinality α .

What is the behavior of $I(T, \alpha)$?



Categoricity

- 1904: Veble introduced categorical theories.
- 1915 1920: Löwenheim-Skolem Theorem.
- ▶ **1929:** Gödel's completeness theorem.
- ▶ **1954:** Łoś and Vaught introduced κ -categorical theories.
- ▶ **1965:** Morley's categoricity theorem.

Morley's conjecture

1960's: Let T be a first-order countable theory over a countable language. For all $\aleph_0 < \lambda < \kappa$,

 $I(T,\lambda) \leq I(T,\kappa).$

1990: Shelah proved Morley's conjecture.

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Shelah's Main Gap Theorem

Theorem (Shelah 1990)

Either, for every uncountable cardinal α , $I(T, \alpha) = 2^{\alpha}$; or $\forall \alpha > 0$, $I(T, \aleph_{\alpha}) < \beth_{\omega_1}(|\alpha|)$.

If T is classifiable and T' is not, then T is less complex than T' and their complexity are not close.

Descriptive Set Theory

▶ **1989:** Friedman and Stanley introduced the Borel reducibility between classes of countable structures.

1993: Mekler-Väänänen *κ*-separation theorem.

2014: Friedman-Hyttinen-Kulikov developed GDST and a systematic comparison between the Main Gap dividing lines and the complexity given by Borel reducibility.

The bounded topology

Let κ be an uncountable cardinal that satisfies $\kappa^{<\kappa} = \kappa$.

We equip the set κ^{κ} with the bounded topology. For every $\zeta \in \kappa^{<\kappa}$, the set

$$[\zeta] = \{\eta \in \kappa^{\kappa} \mid \zeta \subset \eta\}$$

is a basic open set.

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The Generalised Baire spaces

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The generalised Baire space is the space κ^{κ} endowed with the bounded topology.

The generalised Cantor space is the subspace 2^{κ} .

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Coding structures

Let $\omega \leq \mu \leq \kappa$ be a cardinal. Fix a relational language $\mathcal{L} = \{P_n | n < \omega\}$ and a bijection π_{μ} between $\mu^{<\omega}$ and μ .

Definition

For every $\eta \in \kappa^{\kappa}$ define the structure $\mathcal{A}_{\eta \restriction \mu}$ with domain μ as follows: For every tuple (a_1, a_2, \ldots, a_n) in μ^n

$$(a_1, a_2, \ldots, a_n) \in P_m^{\mathcal{A}_{\eta} \restriction \mu} \Leftrightarrow \eta(\pi_\mu(m, a_1, a_2, \ldots, a_n)) > 0.$$

The isomorphism relation

Definition

Let $\omega \leq \mu \leq \kappa$ be a cardinal and T a first-order theory in a relational countable language, we say that $f, g \in \kappa^{\kappa}$ are \cong^{μ}_{T} equivalent if one of the following holds:

$$\begin{array}{l} \blacktriangleright \quad \mathcal{A}_{\eta \restriction \mu} \models \mathcal{T}, \mathcal{A}_{\xi \restriction \mu} \models \mathcal{T}, \mathcal{A}_{\eta \restriction \mu} \cong \mathcal{A}_{\xi \restriction \mu} \\ \blacktriangleright \quad \mathcal{A}_{\eta \restriction \mu} \nvDash \mathcal{T}, \mathcal{A}_{\xi \restriction \mu} \nvDash \mathcal{T} \end{array}$$

Reductions

Let E_1 and E_2 be equivalence relations on κ^{κ} . We say that E_1 is *reducible* to E_2 , if there is a function $f : \kappa^{\kappa} \to \kappa^{\kappa}$ that satisfies $(x, y) \in E_1 \Leftrightarrow (f(x), f(y)) \in E_2$. We write $E_1 \hookrightarrow_r E_2$.

We can define a partial order on the set of all first-order complete countable theories

$$T \leq^{\kappa} T'$$
 iff $\cong_T \hookrightarrow_C \cong_{T'}$

Non-classifiable theories

A theory T is non-classifiable if it is a countable complete theory that satisfies one of the following:

- T is unstable;
- T is stable unsuperstable;
- ► *T* is superstable with DOP; %pause
- ► *T* is superstable with OTOP.

Classifiable theories

Classifiable are divided into:

shallow,

$$I(T, \aleph_{\alpha}) < \beth_{\omega_1}(\mid \alpha \mid);$$

non-shallow,

 $I(T,\alpha)=2^{\alpha}.$

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First dividing lines

Fact (Friedman-Hyttinen-Kulikov 2014)

- 1. Let $\kappa^{<\kappa} = \kappa > 2^{\omega}$. If T is classifiable and shallow, then \cong_T is κ -Borel.
- 2. If T is classifiable non-shallow, then \cong_T is $\Delta_1^1(\kappa)$ not κ -Borel.
- 3. If T is unstable or stable with the OTOP or superstable with the DOP and $\kappa > \omega_1$, then \cong_T is not $\Delta_1^1(\kappa)$.
- 4. If T is stable unsuperstable, then \cong_T is not κ -Borel.

Question

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Classifiable and shallow

Theorem (Mangraviti - Motto Ros 2020)

Let κ be such that $\kappa > 2^{\omega}$. If T is classifiable and shallow with depth α , then $\mathsf{rk}_B(\cong_T) \leq 4\alpha$.

Theorem (Mangraviti - Motto Ros 2020)

Let $\kappa = \aleph_{\gamma}$ be such that $\kappa^{<\kappa} = \kappa$ and $\beth_{\omega_1}(|\gamma|) \le \kappa$. Let T, T' be countable complete first-order theories, and suppose T is classifiable and shallow, while T' is not. Then

$$\cong_T \hookrightarrow_B \cong_{T'}$$

General reduction

Fact (Mangraviti-Motto Ros)

Let E_1 be a Borel equivalence relation with $\gamma \leq \kappa$ equivalence classes and E_2 be an equivalence relation with θ equivalence classes. If $\gamma \leq \theta$, then $E_1 \hookrightarrow_B E_2$.

$\mathbf{1}_{\varrho}$ relation

Let $0 < \varrho \le \kappa$. $\eta \ 1_{\varrho} \xi$ if and only if one of the following holds: • ϱ is finite: • $\eta(0) = \xi(0) < \varrho - 1;$ • $\eta(0), \xi(0) \ge \varrho - 1.$ • ϱ is infinite: • $\eta(0) = \xi(0) < \varrho;$ • $\eta(0), \xi(0) \ge \varrho.$

Few equivalence classes

Lemma (M. 2023)

Suppose $\kappa > 2^{\omega}$ and T is a countable first-order theory in a countable vocabulary (not necessarily complete) such that \cong_T has $\varrho \leq \kappa$ equivalence classes. Then

$$\cong_{\mathcal{T}} \hookrightarrow_{\mathcal{B}} 1_{\varrho} \text{ and } 1_{\varrho} \hookrightarrow_{\mathcal{L}} \cong_{\mathcal{T}} .$$

Even more, if T is not categorical then $\cong_T \not\hookrightarrow_C 1_{\varrho}$.

Proof

- $\blacktriangleright \cong_T \hookrightarrow_B 1_{\varrho}$ follows from Mangraviti-Motto Ros.
- ▶ $\eta \upharpoonright 1$ determines the equivalence class of η . So $1_{\varrho} \hookrightarrow_L \cong_T$.
- ▶ 1_{ϱ} is open, so $\cong_{\mathcal{T}} \hookrightarrow_{\mathcal{C}} 1_{\varrho}$ implies $\cong_{\mathcal{T}}$ is open.
- ▶ $\cong_{\mathcal{T}}$ is open iff \mathcal{T} is categorical (Mangraviti-Motto Ros), so if \mathcal{T} is not categorical then $\cong_{\mathcal{T}} \nleftrightarrow_{\mathcal{C}} 1_{\varrho}$.

Gap: Shallow and Non-shallow

Theorem (M. 2023)

Suppose $\aleph_{\mu} = \kappa = \lambda^{+} = 2^{\lambda}$ is such that $\beth_{\omega_{1}}(|\mu|) \leq \kappa$. Let T_{1} be a countable complete classifiable shallow theory with $\varrho = I(\kappa, T_{1})$, T_{2} be a countable complete theory not classifiable shallow. If T is classifiable shallow such that $1 < I(\kappa, T) < I(\kappa, T_{1})$, then

$$\cong_{\mathcal{T}} \hookrightarrow_{\mathcal{B}} \mathbf{1}_{\varrho} \, \hookrightarrow_{\mathcal{L}} \cong_{\mathcal{T}_1} \hookrightarrow_{\mathcal{B}} \mathbf{1}_{\kappa} \, \hookrightarrow_{\mathcal{L}} \cong_{\mathcal{T}_2}.$$

In particular

$$\cong_{T_2} \not\hookrightarrow_r \ 1_{\kappa} \not\hookrightarrow_r \cong_{T_1} \not\hookrightarrow_C \ 1_{\varrho} \not\hookrightarrow_r \cong_T.$$

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Consistency

Theorem (Hyttinen - Kulikov - M. 2017)

Suppose $\kappa = \lambda^+$, $2^{\lambda} > 2^{\omega}$, and $\lambda^{<\lambda} = \lambda$. There is a κ -closed κ^+ -cc forcing which forces: If T is classifiable and T' is non-classifiable, then $T \leq^{\kappa} T'$ and $T' \nleq^{\kappa} T$.

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Unsuperstable theories

Theorem (Hyttinen - Kulikov - M. 2017) Suppose $\kappa = \lambda^+$, $2^{\lambda} > 2^{\omega}$, and $\lambda^{\omega} = \lambda$. If T is classifiable and T' is stable unsuperstable, then $T \leq^{\kappa} T'$ and $T' \not\leq^{\kappa} T$.

Theorem (M. 2022) Suppose $\kappa = \lambda^+ = 2^{\lambda}$ and $\lambda^{\omega} = \lambda$. If T is a classifiable theory, and T' is an unsuperstable theory, then $T \leq^{\kappa} T'$ and $T' \not\leq^{\kappa} T$.

Equivalence modulo γ cofinality

Definition

We define the equivalence relation $=_{\gamma}^2 \subseteq 2^{\kappa} \times 2^{\kappa}$, as follows: let $S = \{ \alpha < \kappa \mid cf(\alpha) = \gamma \}$,

 $\eta =_{\gamma}^{2} \xi \iff \{ \alpha < \kappa \mid \eta(\alpha) \neq \xi(\alpha) \} \cap S \text{ is non-stationary.}$

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Theorem (M. 2023)

Let $\mathfrak{c} = 2^{\omega}$. Suppose $\kappa = \lambda^+ = 2^{\lambda}$ and $2^{\mathfrak{c}} \leq \lambda = \lambda^{\omega_1}$. If T is a classifiable theory, and T' is a non-classifiable theory, then there is $\gamma < \kappa$ such that

$$\cong_T \hookrightarrow_C =^2_{\gamma} \hookrightarrow_C \cong_{T'}$$
 and $=^2_{\gamma} \not\hookrightarrow_B \cong_T$.

In particular

$$T \leq^{\kappa} T'$$
 and $T' \not\leq^{\kappa} T$.

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Classifiable theories

Theorem (Hyttinen - Kulikov - M. 2017) Assume T is a classifiable theory. If \diamondsuit_S holds, then $\cong_T \hookrightarrow_C =_{\gamma}^2$.

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The reductions

Theorem (M. 2023)

Let κ be inaccessible or $\kappa = \lambda^+ = 2^{\lambda}$. Suppose T is a non-classifiable theory.

- 1. If T is stable unsuperstable, then let $\theta = \gamma = \omega$.
- 2. If T is unstable, or superstable with OTOP, then let $\theta = \omega$ and $\omega \leq \gamma < \kappa$.
- 3. If T is superstable with DOP, then let $\theta = 2^{\omega} = \mathfrak{c}$ and $\omega_1 \leq \gamma < \kappa$.

If θ , γ , and κ satisfy that $\forall \alpha < \kappa$, $\alpha^{\gamma} < \kappa$, and $(2^{\theta})^+ \leq \kappa$, then

$$=^2_{\gamma} \hookrightarrow_C \cong_T .$$

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Ordered trees

Definition

Let $\gamma < \kappa$ be a regular cardinal and I a linear order. $(A, \prec, <)$ is an ordered tree if the following holds:

- (A, \prec) is a κ^+ , (γ + 2)-tree^{*}.
- for all $x \in A$, (succ(x), <) is isomorphic to *I*.

Isomorphism of trees

Theorem (M. 2023)

Suppose $\gamma < \kappa$ is such that for all $\epsilon < \kappa$, $\epsilon^{\gamma} < \kappa$, and there is a κ -colorable linear order I. For all $f \in 2^{\kappa}$ there is an ordered tree A_f such that for all $f, g \in 2^{\kappa}$,

$$f =_{\gamma}^{2} g \Leftrightarrow A_{f} \cong A_{g}.$$

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The models

Lemma (M. 2023)

Suppose T is unstable or superstable with DOP or OTOP in a countable relational vocabulary τ . If A is an ordered tree with (succ(x), <) is ω_1 -dense, then there is an Ehrenfeucht-Mostowski model, $\mathcal{M}(A)$, with the skeleton indiscernible in $\mathcal{M}(A)$ relative to $L_{\infty\omega_1}$.

The isomorphism theorem

Theorem (M. 2023)

Migue A Bor Suppose T is unstable or superstable with DOP or OTOP in a countable relational vocabulary τ . If there is a ω_1 -dense, $(\kappa, bs, bs, \omega_1)$ -nice, $(< \kappa, bs)$ -stable, and κ -colorable linear order, then for all $f, g \in 2^{\kappa}$,

$$f =_{\gamma}^{2} g \text{ iff } \mathcal{M}(A_{f}) \cong \mathcal{M}(A_{g}).$$

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ε -dense

Definition

Let I be a linear order of size κ and ε a regular cardinal smaller than κ . We say that I is ε -dense if the following holds.

If $A, B \subseteq I$ are subsets of size less than ε such that for all $a \in A$ and $b \in B$, a < b, then there is $c \in I$, such that for all $a \in A$ and $b \in B$, a < c < b.

κ -representation

Definition

Let A be an arbitrary set of size κ . The sequence $\mathbb{A} = \langle A_{\alpha} \mid \alpha < \kappa \rangle$ is a κ -representation of A, if $\langle A_{\alpha} \mid \alpha < \kappa \rangle$ is an increasing continuous sequence of subsets of A, for all $\alpha < \kappa$, $|A_{\alpha}| < \kappa$, and $\bigcup_{\alpha < \kappa} A_{\alpha} = A$.

$(\kappa, bs, bs, \varepsilon)$ -nice

Definition

Let $\varepsilon < \kappa$ be a regular cardinal, A be a linear order of size κ and $\langle A_{\alpha} \mid \alpha < \kappa \rangle$ a κ -representation. Then A is $(\kappa, bs, bs, \varepsilon)$ -nice if there is a club $C \subseteq \kappa$, such that for all limit $\delta \in C$ with $cf(\delta) \ge \varepsilon$, for all $x \in A$ there is $\beta < \delta$ such that one of the following holds:

$$\forall \sigma \in A_{\delta}[\sigma \ge x \Rightarrow \exists \sigma' \in A_{\beta} \ (\sigma \ge \sigma' \ge x)]$$

$$\blacktriangleright \quad \forall \sigma \in \mathcal{A}_{\delta}[\sigma \leq x \Rightarrow \exists \sigma' \in \mathcal{A}_{\beta} \ (\sigma \leq \sigma' \leq x)]$$

$$(<\kappa, bs)$$
-stable

Definition

A linear order I is $(< \kappa, bs)$ -stable if for every $B \subseteq I$ of size smaller than κ ,

$$\kappa > |\{tp_{bs}(a, B, I) \mid a \in I\}|.$$

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κ -colorable

Definition

Let I be a linear order of size κ . We say that I is κ -colorable if there is a function $F : I \to \kappa$ such that for all $B \subseteq I$, $|B| < \kappa$, $b \in I \setminus B$, and $p = tp_{bs}(b, B, I)$ such that the following hold: For all $\alpha \in \kappa$,

$$|\{a \in I \mid a \models p \& F(a) = \alpha\}| = \kappa.$$

Existence

Let $\theta < \kappa$ be the smallest cardinal such that there is a ε -dense model of *DLO* of size θ .

Theorem (M. 2023)

Suppose κ is inaccessible, or $\kappa = \lambda^+$, $2^{\theta} \leq \lambda = \lambda^{<\varepsilon}$. There is a ε -dense, $(\kappa, bs, bs, \varepsilon)$ -nice, $(< \kappa, bs)$ -stable, and κ -colorable linear order.

Construction

Let Q be a model of *DLO* of size $\theta < \kappa$, that is ε -dense.

Definition

Let $\kappa \times Q$ be ordered by the lexicographic order, I^0 be the set of functions $f : \varepsilon \to \kappa \times Q$ such that $f(\alpha) = (f_1(\alpha), f_2(\alpha))$, for which $|\{\alpha \in \varepsilon \mid f_1(\alpha) \neq 0\}|$ is smaller than ε . If $f, g \in I^0$, then f < g if and only if $f(\alpha) < g(\alpha)$, where α is the least number such that $f(\alpha) \neq g(\alpha)$.

Construction

Let us fix $\tau \in Q$. Let *I* be the set of functions

 $f: \varepsilon \to (\{0\} \times I^0) \cup (\kappa \times Q)$ such that the following hold:

 $\blacktriangleright f \upharpoonright \{0\} : \{0\} \to \{0\} \times I^0;$

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$$f \upharpoonright \varepsilon \setminus \{0\} : \varepsilon \setminus \{0\} \to \kappa \times \mathcal{Q};$$

- there is α < ε ordinal such that ∀β > α, f(β) = (0, τ). We say that the least α with such property is the *depth* of f and we denote it by *dp*(f);
- ▶ there are functions $f_1 : \varepsilon \to \kappa$ and $f_2 : \varepsilon \to I^0 \cup Q$ such that $f(\beta) = (f_1(\beta), f_2(\beta))$ and $f_1 \upharpoonright dp(f) + 1$ is strictly increasing.

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Construction

We say that f < g if and only if one of the following holds:

Generators

Definition For all $f \in I$ with depth α , define the generator of f, Gen(f), by

$$Gen(f) = \{g \in I \mid f \upharpoonright \alpha + 1 = g \upharpoonright \alpha + 1\}.$$

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Generators

- If $f \neq g$ and $g \in Gen(f)$, then f > g.
- Let f ∈ Gen(ν). If g ∉ Gen(ν), then g < ν if and only if g < f.</p>

• If
$$f \in Gen(\nu)$$

$$f \models tp_{bs}(\nu, I \setminus Gen(\nu), I) \cup \{\nu > x\}.$$

• Let $f \in Gen(\nu)$. If $\sigma \in I$ is such that $\nu \ge \sigma \ge f$, then $\sigma \in Gen(\nu)$.

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Iterations

For all $f \in I$ with depth α , define $o(f) = f_1(\alpha)$ the *complexity* of f.

Suppose *i* is such that I^i is defined. Let

$$I^{i+1} = \{ f \in I \mid o(f) \le i+1 \}.$$

Suppose *i* is a limit ordinal such that for all j < i, l^{j} is defined, let

$$I^i = \bigcup_{j < i} I^j.$$

κ -representation

Define $\langle I_{\alpha}^{0} \mid \alpha < \kappa \rangle$ by $I_{\alpha}^{0} = \{ \nu \in I^{0} \mid \nu_{1}(n) < \alpha \text{ for all } n < \varepsilon \}.$ Suppose $i < \kappa$ is such that $\langle I_{\alpha}^{i} \mid \alpha < \kappa \rangle$ has been defined. For all $\alpha < \kappa$ let

$$I_{lpha}^{i+1} = \{ f \in I \mid o(f) \leq i+1 \ \& \ f_2(0) \in I_{lpha}^0 \},$$

for $i < \kappa$ is a limit ordinal so

$$I_{\alpha}^{i} = \bigcup_{j < i} I_{\alpha}^{j}.$$

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κ -representation

Let us define the κ -representation $\langle I_{\alpha} \mid \alpha < \kappa \rangle$ by

$$I_{\alpha} = I_{\alpha}^{\alpha}.$$

Let
$$\nu \in I^i_{\delta}$$
. For all $f \in Gen(
u)$, $f \in I^{o(f)}_{\delta}$.

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Roads

Definition

For all $\nu \in I$ with $dp(\nu) = \alpha$, there is a maximal sequence $\langle \nu_i \mid i \leq \alpha \rangle$ such that $\nu_0 \in I^0$, $\nu_\alpha = \nu$, and for all i < j, $\nu_i \in Gen(\nu_i)$. We call this sequence the road from I^0 to ν .

Fact Let $\langle \nu_j \mid j \leq \alpha \rangle$ be the road from l^0 to ν_{α} . For all $i < \alpha$

$$\nu_{\alpha} \models tp_{bs}(\nu_i, I^{o(\nu_{i+1})} \setminus Gen(\nu_{i+1}), I) \cup \{\nu_i > x\}$$

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The order The Gap References

$$\cong_{\mathcal{T}} \hookrightarrow_{\mathcal{C}} =_{\mu}^{2}, \kappa = \lambda^{+}$$

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Theory	$\lambda = \lambda^{\gamma}$	\Diamond_{λ}	$Dl^*_{\mathcal{S}^\kappa_\gamma}(\Pi^1_1)$
Classifiable	$\omega \le \mu \le$	$\mu = \lambda$	$\mu=\gamma$
	γ		
Non-	Indep	Indep	$\mu = \gamma$
classifiable			

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$$=^2_{\mu} \hookrightarrow_{\mathcal{C}} \cong_{\mathcal{T}}, \kappa = \lambda^+$$

Theory	$\lambda = \lambda^{\gamma}$	$2^{\mathfrak{c}} \leq \lambda =$	$2^{\mathfrak{c}} \leq \lambda =$
		λ^γ	$\lambda^{<\lambda}$
			$\& \diamondsuit_\lambda$
Stable	$\mu = \omega$	$\mu = \omega$	$\mu = \omega$
Unsuper-			
stable			
Unstable	$\omega \le \mu \le$	$\omega \leq \mu \leq$	$\omega \le \mu \le$
	γ	γ	λ
Superstable	$\omega \leq \mu \leq$	$\omega \leq \mu \leq$	$\omega \le \mu \le 0$
with	γ	γ	λ
OTOP			
Superstable	?	$\omega_1 \leq \mu \leq$	$\omega_1 \leq \mu \leq 0$
with DOP		γ	λ

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A bigger Gap

Theorem (M. 2023)

Suppose κ is inaccessible, or $\kappa = \lambda^+ = 2^{\lambda}$ and $2^{\mathfrak{c}} \leq \lambda = \lambda^{\omega_1}$. There exists a cofinality-preserving forcing extension in which the following holds:

If T_1 is classifiable and T_2 is not. Then there is a regular cardinal $\gamma < \kappa$ such that, if $X, Y \subseteq S_{\gamma}^{\kappa}$ are stationary and disjoint, then $=_X^2$ and $=_Y^2$ are strictly in between \cong_{T_1} and \cong_{T_2} .

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Main Gap Dichotomy

Theorem (M. 2023)

Let κ be inaccessible, or $\kappa = \lambda^+ = 2^{\lambda}$ and $2^{\mathfrak{c}} \leq \lambda = \lambda^{<\omega_1}$. There exists a $< \kappa$ -closed κ^+ -cc forcing extension in which for any countable first-order theory in a countable vocabulary (not necessarily complete), T, one of the following holds:

$$\blacktriangleright \cong_T$$
 is $\Delta^1_1(\kappa)$;

$$\blacktriangleright \cong_T$$
 is $\Sigma^1_1(\kappa)$ -complete.

Non-classifiable theories

Lemma (M. 2023)

Let κ be strongly inaccessible, or $\kappa = \lambda^+ = 2^{\lambda}$ and $2^{\mathfrak{c}} \leq \lambda = \lambda^{<\omega_1}$. For all cardinals $\aleph_0 < \mu < \delta < \kappa$, if T is a non-classifiable theory then

$$\cong^{\mu}_{T} \hookrightarrow_{C} \cong^{\delta}_{T} \hookrightarrow_{C} \quad \textit{id} \ \hookrightarrow_{C} \cong_{T}.$$

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Classifiable non-shallow

Lemma (M. 2023)

Suppose $\kappa = \lambda^+ = 2^{\lambda}$. The following reduction is strict. Let $2^{\mathfrak{c}} \leq \lambda = \lambda^{<\omega_1}$. If T_1 is a classifiable non-shallow theory and T_2 is a non-classifiable theory, then

$$\cong_{T_2}^{\lambda} \hookrightarrow_{\mathcal{C}} \cong_{T_1} \hookrightarrow_{\mathcal{C}} \cong_{T_2}.$$

Classifiable shallow

Lemma (M. 2023)

Suppose $\kappa = \lambda^+ = 2^{\lambda}$. The following reductions are strict. Let $\kappa = \aleph_{\gamma}$ be such that $\beth_{\omega_1}(|\gamma|) \le \kappa$. Suppose T_1 is a classifiable shallow theory, T_2 a classifiable non-shallow theory, and T_3 non-classifiable theory. Then

$$\cong_{T_1} \hookrightarrow_B \cong_{T_3}^{\lambda} \hookrightarrow_C \cong_{T_2}$$
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Thank you

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