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Absolute Model Companionship, the AMC-spectrum of
set theory and the Continuum problem

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① T-ec model

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FACT TFAE for T, S τ -theories:

$$(i) T \upharpoonright_A^\tau \subseteq S \upharpoonright_A^\tau = \left\{ \psi \in \tau : S \models \psi \text{ and } \psi \text{ is universal} \right\}$$

$$(ii) \forall M (M \models T \Rightarrow \exists N \supseteq M \text{ } N \models S)$$

Def. Let T be a τ -theory (2)

A τ -structure M is T -ec:

(i) $M \subseteq N \models T$

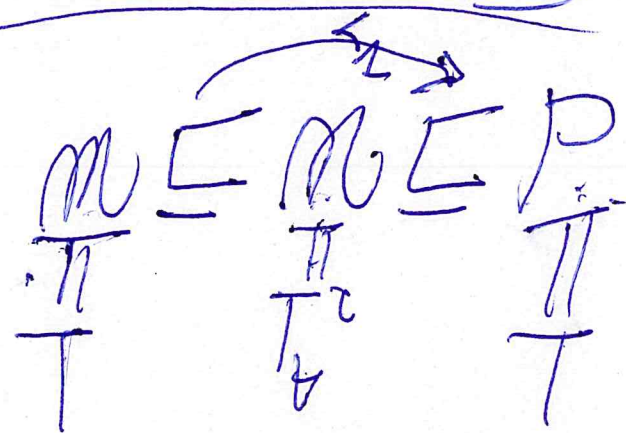
(ii) $M \leq_1 N$ if $N \models T$ and $N \supseteq M$

Fact: Let T be a τ -theory TFAE

For M :

(i) M is T -ec.

(ii) M is T_τ -ec



Def. Let T be a τ -theory, φ a τ -sentence (3)
 φ is strongly $T_{\forall\exists}^c$ -consistent
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 $\{\varphi : T \models \varphi \mid \varphi \text{ is bool. comb. of univ. sent.}\}$

iff for all $R \supseteq T$ ~~R~~ $R_{\forall\exists}^c + \varphi$ is cons.

Fact Assume T is a τ -theory and
 φ is Π_2 -sentence which is strongly $T_{\forall\exists}^c$ cons.
 Let \mathcal{M} be T -ec. Then $\mathcal{M} \models \varphi$.

Pl Let \mathcal{M} be T-ec

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Then $R = Th(\mathcal{M})$

and note that

$$\left(R_{\forall \exists}^{\perp} + \psi \right) \equiv \left(R_{\forall \exists} \right)$$

$\psi + R_{\forall \exists}^{\perp}$ is cons.

$$\mathcal{M} \subseteq \mathcal{M} \models \psi + R_{\forall \exists}^{\perp}$$

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\Downarrow

$$\mathcal{M} \models \psi$$



$$\forall x \exists y \varphi(x, y)$$

pick $b \in \mathcal{M}$

then $\mathcal{M} \models \exists y \varphi(x, b)$

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$$\mathcal{M} \models \exists y \varphi(x, b)$$

Question 1

Are the T-ec models axiom. by Π_2 -sent. φ which are $T_{\forall\exists}^T$ -cons. ? ⑤

NO! Counterexample

$T =$ theory of fields in $\{+, \cdot, 0, 1\}$

φ is $\exists x (x^2 + 1 = 0)$

φ is not strongly $T_{\forall\exists}^T$ -cons (it fails in \mathbb{Q})
but \mathcal{M} is T-ec $\Leftrightarrow \mathcal{M}$ is alg. cl. field.

Model Companionship

Strongly \aleph_1 -embeddability

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Fact Let T, S be τ -theories. Then

$$(i) \quad \forall M \models T \quad \exists N \models M \quad N \models S$$

$$(ii) \quad A_S \leq A_T$$

Question: can we reinforce (i) to

$$\exists N \models M \text{ s.t. } Th(M)_{\forall \exists} \equiv Th(N)_{\forall \exists}$$

Note if M is T -ec and $N \models M$ $N \models T$ then

$$Th(M)_{\forall \exists} = Th(N)_{\forall \exists}$$

Let $S \subseteq \{+, \cdot, 0, 1\}$ fields. $\mathbb{Q} \models S$ but $\mathbb{Z} \not\models S$
 $T = ACF$ in $\{+, \cdot, 0, 1\}$ no $M \models S$ $M \models T$

Prop Let T, S be τ -theories $\neg \text{FAE} \text{ (6)}$

$$(1) \quad T_{\forall \exists}^2 \subseteq S_{\forall \exists}^2$$

$$(2) \quad \forall M \neq T \quad \exists M \sqsubseteq M \quad M \neq S \text{ and } M \equiv_1 M$$

Def. Let T, S be τ -theories
 T is the AMC of S if:

$$(1) \quad T_{\forall \exists}^2 = S_{\forall \exists}^2$$

$$(2) \quad \text{Mod}(T) = \{M : M \text{ is } S\text{-ec}\}$$

Fields is the MC of ACF in $\{+, \cdot, 0, 1\}$ but not the AMC.

Thm. Let T, S be τ -theories.

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TFAE:

(i) T is the AMC of S

(ii) $\text{Mod}(T) = \{M : M \text{ is } S\text{-ec}\}$

and $\underline{T_{\forall\exists}^T = S_{\forall\exists}^T}$

(iii) $\text{Mod}(T) = \{M : M \text{ is } S\text{-ec}\}$

and T is axiomatized by $M_S\text{-sent. } \varphi$
s.t. φ is $S_{\forall\exists}^T$ -strongly consistent.

Let $S = Th(\mathbb{Z}, <)$ $I = Th(\mathbb{Q}, <)$ (10)

Then T is the AMC of S .

Let S be ^{Int. domains} fields and T be ACF

$$\{+, \cdot, 0, 1, ^{-1}\}$$

$$\forall x \left[(\exists y \ x \cdot y = 1 \Rightarrow x \cdot x^{-1} = 1) \wedge (\neg \exists y (x \cdot y = 1) \Rightarrow x^{-1} = 0) \right]$$

$$(\mathbb{C}, +, \cdot, 0, 1, ^{-1}) \not\models (\mathbb{C}[X], +, \cdot, 0, 1, ^{-1})$$

$$\subseteq \exists y \neg (y \cdot x = 1) \exists x (x^{-1} = 0 \wedge x \neq 0)$$

Def: Let τ be a signature
 φ a τ -formula

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$$Ax_{\varphi}^0 := \forall \vec{x} (\varphi(\vec{x}) \leftrightarrow R_{\varphi}(\vec{x}))$$

$$Ax_{\psi}^1 := \forall \vec{x} \left[\left(\exists! y \psi(\vec{x}, y) \Rightarrow y = f_{\psi}(\vec{x}) \right) \wedge \left(\neg \exists! y \psi(\vec{x}, y) \Rightarrow f_{\psi}(\vec{x}) = c_{\tau} \right) \right]$$

Ax_{φ}^0 is in signature $\tau \cup \{R_{\varphi}\}$

Ax_{ψ}^1 is in sign. $\tau \cup \{f_{\psi}, c_{\tau}\}$

Def. Let $A \subseteq \mathcal{T} \times \{0,1\}$ be a set of \mathcal{T} -formulas

$$\tau_A = \mathcal{T} \cup \{R_f : (f, 0) \in A\} \cup \{b_\psi : (\psi, 1) \in A\} \cup \{c\}$$

$$T_{\tau, A} = \{A \times_f : (f, 1) \in A\}$$

Stand Morley \mathbb{Z} : $A = \mathcal{T} \times \{0\}$

Skolem.

$$A = \mathcal{T} \times \{1\}$$

Def Let T be a τ -theory

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The (A)MC-spectrum of T is

$$\{A \subseteq \tau \times \{0,1\} : T + F_{\tau,A} \text{ has an (A)MC}\}$$

Fact

$\neg\phi$ is in $MC(\text{Fields}_{\{+,0,1\}}) \setminus AMC(\text{Fields}_{\{+,0,1\}})$

Right signature for set theory

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$$\in_{\Delta_0} = \in \cup \{ R_\varphi : \varphi \text{ a } \Delta_0\text{-formula} \} \cup \{ b\varphi : \varphi \Delta_0 \text{ } \varphi \text{ graph of a}$$

Goedel operation

Fact \in_{Δ_0} T_{Δ_0} are T_A for some recursive $A \in \{e\}^*$

Then Assume $\tau \geq \epsilon_{\Delta_0}$

$$T \supseteq ZFC_{\tau} = ZFC + T_{\Delta_0} \\ + \text{Repl for } T\text{-formulas}$$

Let S be the MC of T

(i) $S \neq ZFC_{\tau}^-$ (a bit of care with Repl.)

(ii) if $\tau \geq \epsilon_{\Delta_0} \cup \{K\}$ is s.t.

$$(H_{K^+}^M, \tau_{\Delta_0}^M) \prec_2 (M, \tau^M)$$

then in all models of T

then $S \neq \forall x \exists \beta (\beta: K \rightarrow x \text{ is surjection})$

Thm for ~~here~~ for any definable K (16)
there are many $A_K \subseteq \mathcal{E}_{\Delta_0} \times \{0, 1\}$
s.t. $\nexists \exists T_{\mathcal{E}_{\Delta_0}}, A_K$ has an AMC.
and A_K is a theory of H_K

$\neg CH$ is a M_2 -sentence in $\mathcal{L}_0 \cup \{\omega_2\}$ (17)

~~$\forall \alpha (\alpha \subseteq \omega \rightarrow \dots)$~~
 Δ_0

$\forall f \left(\underbrace{f: \omega_2 \rightarrow X \text{ is a function}}_{\Delta_0(\omega_2)} \Rightarrow \exists z \left(z \subseteq \omega \right. \right.$
 $\left. \underbrace{z \notin I_{\omega_2}}_{\Delta_0} \right)$

M_2

Then Assume $\tau \geq \epsilon_0$ and

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$$T \geq 2FC_\tau$$

and $T + \tau CH$ is cons.

Then CH is not in $AMC(T + T_{\epsilon,A})$

for any $A \dots$

Then Assume $ZFC + LC$ Sat. then

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$\exists B \in \underset{\text{Spec}_{AMC}(T)}{AMC(T)} \text{ s.t. } \tau CH \in AMC(T + T_{\epsilon,B})$