

# Bundles of metric structures as left ultrafunctors

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- This concept is too restrictive for our applications thus we look for a weakening.

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- For every collection of objects of  $\mathcal{M}$ ,  $(M_s)_{s \in S}$  and every ultrafilter  $\mu$  on  $S$  a map  $\sigma_\mu : F(\int_S M_s d\mu) \rightarrow \int_S F(M_s) d\mu$ .
- These families of morphisms are required to satisfy compatibility axioms, with respect to the data of the ultracategory structure, on both categories.

# Natural transformations of left ultrafunctors

- Suppose  $F$  and  $G$  are two left ultrafunctors a natural transformation  $u : F \rightarrow G$  is called a natural transformation of left ultrafunctors if for every family of objects  $(M_s)_{s \in S}$  and every ultrafilter  $\mu$  on  $S$  the following diagram commutes:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} F(\int_S M_s d\mu) & \xrightarrow{\sigma_\mu} & \int_S F(M_s) d\mu \\ \downarrow u_{\int_S M_s d\mu} & & \downarrow \int_S u_{M_s} d\mu \\ G(\int_S M_s d\mu) & \xrightarrow{\sigma_\mu} & \int_S G(M_s) d\mu \end{array}$$

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- Let  $I$  be a set, let  $(x_i)_{i \in I}$  be a family of points of  $X$  indexed by  $I$ , regarded as a function from  $I$  to  $X$   $x : i \mapsto x_i$ , then  $\int_I x_i d\mu$  is just the limit of the ultrafilter  $x\mu$ .

# An important theorem regarding ultracategories

Theorem (Lurie)

*Let  $X$  be a compact Hausdorff space, then there exists an equivalence of categories between the category of sheaves on  $X$ ,  $Sh(X)$ , and the category of left ultrafunctors from  $X$  to  $Set$*

- Since there exists an equivalence of categories between sheaves of sets over  $X$  and étale spaces over  $X$ , then this shows that étale spaces over  $X$  are equivalent to left ultrafunctors from  $X$  to  $Set$ .
- Our aim was to find the correct notion of bundle which we get by replacing  $Set$  with a category of metric structures.

# Bundles of complete bounded metric spaces

Definition (H.)

Let  $k$  be a positive real, A triple  $(E, X, \pi)$  with  $\pi : E \rightarrow X$  a surjection such that for every  $x \in X$ ,  $\pi^{-1}(x)$  is a complete metric space bounded by  $k$ , is said to define a bundle of  $k$  bounded metric spaces if it satisfies the following conditions:

1. The topology of  $E$  is such that the distance function is upper semi-continuous.
2.  $\pi$  is continuous and open.
3. for every open set  $W$  and every  $f \in W$  there exist an open nhoo  $V$  of  $f$  and  $\epsilon > 0$  such that  $V \subseteq_{\epsilon} W$ .

Here  $V \subseteq_{\epsilon} W$  means that  $V \subseteq V_{\epsilon} \subseteq W$  where  $V_{\epsilon} = \{x \in E \mid \exists y \in V \text{ } \pi(x) = \pi(y) \text{ and } d_{\pi(x)}(x, y) < \epsilon\}$

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## Continuous model theory

- Now we want to extend the theorem above to more metric structures, the adequate framework turned out to be continuous model theory.
- Continuous model theory, is an extension of first order model theory that allows the axiomatisation of various metric structures.
- In continuous models theory, sorts are interpreted as bounded metric spaces, function symbols are interpreted as uniformly continuous functions, and relation symbols takes value in compact intervals of  $\mathbb{R}$ , quantifiers are  $\text{Inf}_{x \in S}$  and  $\text{Sup}_{x \in S}$ , Connectives are continuous functions from  $S_1 \times \dots S_n$  to  $\mathbb{R}$ .
- Examples of structures axiomatisable in continuous model theory: Banach spaces, Hilbert spaces,  $C^*$  algebras, etc.

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Theorem (H.)

*There exists an equivalence of categories between the category of bundles of models of the continuous theory  $\mathbb{M}$  with base space a compact Hausdorff space  $X$ , and the category of left ultrafunctors from  $X$  to the category of  $\mathbb{M}$ -models.*

# Examples

## Banach bundles (Fell, Hofmann, ...)

A (semi-continuous) Banach bundle is defined to be a triple  $(E, \pi, X)$  such that the following conditions are satisfied

- For every  $x$ ,  $\pi^{-1}(x)$  is a Banach space.
- $\pi$  is continuous and open.
- scalar multiplication from  $\mathbb{K} \times E$  to  $E$ , addition from  $E \times_X E$  to  $E$  are continuous.
- norm  $\| \cdot \|$  from  $E$  to  $[0, \infty)$  is upper semi-continuous (it is not hard to see that in the presence of the other axioms, this is equivalent to saying that the distance from  $E \times_X E$  to  $[0, \infty)$  is upper semi-continuous)
- for any  $x \in X$ , if we call  $\mathcal{N}_x$  the set of all open neighbourhoods of  $x$ , then  $(\coprod_{y \in U} B(0_y, r))_{r>0, U \in \mathcal{N}_x}$  is neighbourhood basis at  $0_x$

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## Hilbert bundles (Fell, ...)

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## Other examples

- Semi-continuous and continuous  $C^*$  bundles (Fell, ...) which turn out to be equivalent to bundles of the continuous theory of  $C^*$  algebra with  $*$  homomorphisms, and to the continuous theory of  $C^*$  algebra respectively with injective  $*$ -homomorphism, respectively.
- $W^*$  bundles (Ozawa), which are equivalent to bundles of the continuous theory of tracial von Neumann algebras .