

**Esercizio 1.** Let  $\varepsilon(x, y) \subseteq L(A)$  be a type-definable equivalence relation with  $< \lambda$  classes. Prove that every  $\lambda$ -saturated model containing  $A$  intersects every class of  $\varepsilon(x, y)$ .

**Esercizio 2.** Let  $L = \{<\}$  and let  $N$  be a  $\omega_1$ -saturated extension of  $\mathbb{Q}$ . Prove that there is an embedding  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow N$ . Is it elementary? Could it be surjective?

**Esercizio 3.** Let  $L = \{<\}$  and let  $N$  be a saturated extension of  $\mathbb{Q}$ . Prove that there  $2^{|N|}$  Dedekind cuts of  $N$ .

**Esercizio 4.** Let  $M$  and  $N$  be elementarily homogeneous structures of the same cardinality  $\lambda$ . Suppose that  $M \models \exists x p(x) \Leftrightarrow N \models \exists x p(x)$  for every  $p(x) \subseteq L$  such that  $|x| < \lambda$ . Prove that the two structures are isomorphic.

**Esercizio 5.** Let  $L$  be a countable language containing  $L_{\text{gr}}$  and assume  $N$  is a group. Assume  $N$  is saturated. Prove that the following are equivalent

1. every  $M \leq N$  is a normal subgroup of  $N$
2. some  $\omega$ -saturated model  $M$  is a normal subgroup of  $N$
3.  $N$  is a BFC group.

A group  $G$  is BFC (has boundedly finite conjugacy classes) if  $\{g a g^{-1} : g \in G\}$ , as  $a$  ranges over  $G$ , have at most  $n$  elements, for some fixed  $n$ .

**Esercizio 6.** Prove that for every regular  $\lambda \geq |L|$  every theory  $T$  with an infinite model has a model that is  $\lambda$ -saturated and  $\lambda$ -homogeneous.

**Esercizio 7.** Let  $\lambda$  be such that every first-order theory  $T$  with an infinite model has a saturated model of cardinality  $\lambda$ . Prove that  $\lambda = \lambda^{<\lambda}$ .