

**Esercizio 1.** (Pietro Giura) Let  $a \perp_M b$  then there is  $\mathcal{V} \preceq \mathcal{U}$  that is isomorphic to  $\mathcal{U}$  over  $M, a$  and such that  $\mathcal{V} \perp_M b$ .

**Esercizio 2.** (Costanza Furone) Let  $\bar{c} = \langle c_i : i \in I \rangle$  be an  $M$ -indiscernible sequence. Let  $a \perp_M \bar{c}$ . Prove that  $\bar{c}$  is indiscernible over  $M, b$ .

**Esercizio 3.** (Francesco Sulpizi) Let  $a \perp_M b$ . Prove that for every  $c$  there is  $b' \equiv_{M,a} b$  such that  $a, c \perp_M b'$ .

**Esercizio 4.** (Leonardo Centazzo) Show that for every  $b \in \mathcal{U}^z$  there is a type  $p(x; z) \subseteq L(M)$  such that for every  $a \in \mathcal{U}^x$  and  $b' \in \mathcal{U}^z$

$$a, b' \models p(x; z) \Leftrightarrow a \perp_M b' \equiv_M b.$$

**Esercizio 5.** (Roberto Carnevale) Let  $T$  be strongly minimal. Let  $a \in \mathcal{U}^x$  and  $b \in \mathcal{U}^z$ . Characterize  $a \perp_M b$  using the notion of algebraic closure (or possibly, dimension). Show that it is equivalent to  $b \perp_M a$ .

**Esercizio 6.** (Alessandro Martina) Prove Remark 14.7

**Esercizio 7.** (Davide Peccioli) Dei seguenti risultati dire quali (pochi) non valgono se sostituiamo  $M$  con un generico insieme  $A$ : Lemma 14.8, Proposizione 14.9, Proposizione 14.11.

**Esercizio 8.** (Matteo Bisi) Let  $N \succeq M$  be saturated and of cardinality  $> |M|$ . Let  $a_i \perp_M N, b$ , for  $i = 1, 2$ . Prove that if  $a_1 \equiv_N a_2$  then  $a_1 \equiv_{N,b} a_2$ .

**Esercizio 9.** (Angela Dosio) Show that in general there is no type  $p(x; z) \subseteq L(M)$  such that for every  $a \in \mathcal{U}^x$  and  $b \in \mathcal{U}^z$

$$a; b \models p(x; z) \Leftrightarrow a \perp_M b.$$

Hint: consider the theory of dense linear orders without endpoints.