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Chapter 1

Structures and Theories

1.1 August 25

1.1.1 Review

Definition 1.1.1. A language \mathcal{L} consists of $\{\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{R}, \mathcal{F}\}$ where \mathcal{C} is the set of constant symbols, \mathcal{R} is the set of relation symbols, \mathcal{F} is the set of function symbols, and an arity function $n : \mathcal{R} \cup \mathcal{F} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$. For $R \in \mathcal{R}$, n_R is the arity of R , for $f \in \mathcal{F}$, n_f is the number of inputs f takes.

Definition 1.1.2. An \mathcal{L} -structure consist of

- a set M called the domain
- an element $c^{\mathcal{M}}$ for each $c \in \mathcal{C}$
- a subset $R^{\mathcal{M}} \subseteq M^{n_R}$ for each $R \in \mathcal{R}$
- a function $f^{\mathcal{M}} : M^{n_f} \rightarrow M$ for each $f \in \mathcal{F}$

denoted $\mathcal{M} = (M : \{c^{\mathcal{M}} : c \in \mathcal{C}\}, \{R^{\mathcal{M}} : R \in \mathcal{R}\}, \{f^{\mathcal{M}} : f \in \mathcal{F}\})$

Definition 1.1.3. An \mathcal{L} -embedding $\eta : \mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{N}$ is a one to one function $M \rightarrow N$ that preserves interpretation

eg. $\eta(c^{\mathcal{M}}) = c^{\mathcal{N}}$, $\eta(f^{\mathcal{M}})(m_1, \dots, m_{n_f}) = f^{\mathcal{N}}(\eta(m_1), \dots, \eta(m_{n_f}))$,
 $(m_1, \dots, m_{n_R}) \in R^{\mathcal{M}} \iff (\eta(m_1), \dots, \eta(m_{n_R})) \in R^{\mathcal{N}}$

Definition 1.1.4. An \mathcal{L} -isomorphism is an \mathcal{L} -embedding that is onto.

Definition 1.1.5. \mathcal{M} is a substructure of \mathcal{N} , written $\mathcal{M} \subseteq \mathcal{N}$ if:
 $c^{\mathcal{M}} = c^{\mathcal{N}}$, $f^{\mathcal{M}} = f^{\mathcal{N}} \upharpoonright M^{n_f}$, $R^{\mathcal{M}} = R^{\mathcal{N}} \cap M^{n_R}$

First Order language:

- Use symbols :

- \mathcal{L}
- Logical symbols: connectives (\wedge, \vee, \neg), quantifiers (\forall, \exists), equality ($=$), variables (v_0, v_1, \dots)
- paranthesis and commas
- terms
 - c : constants
 - v_i : variables
 - $f(t_1, \dots, t_{n_f})$ for terms t_1, \dots, t_{n_f}
- given an \mathcal{L} -structure \mathcal{M} , a term $t(v_0, \dots, v_n)$, and $m_0, \dots, m_n \in M$ we inductively define $t^{\mathcal{M}}(m_0, \dots, m_n)$
- atomic formulas: $t_1 = t_2$ and $R(t_1, \dots, t_{n_R})$
- \mathcal{L} -formulas: If ϕ and ψ are \mathcal{L} -formulas, then so are: $\neg\phi$, $(\phi \wedge \psi)$, $(\phi \vee \psi)$, $\exists v\phi$, $\forall v\phi$

Definition 1.1.6. We say a variable v occurs freely in ψ when it is not in a quantifier $\forall v$ or $\exists v$

- an \mathcal{L} -sentence is an \mathcal{L} -formula with no free variables

Definition 1.1.7. A theory is a set of \mathcal{L} -sentences

Definition 1.1.8. Given an \mathcal{L} -formula $\psi(v_1, \dots, v_k)$, \mathcal{L} -structure \mathcal{M} , $m_1, \dots, m_k \in M$ we can define $\mathcal{M} \models \psi(m_1, \dots, m_k)$ inductively. We say (m_1, \dots, m_k) satisfies ϕ in \mathcal{M} or ϕ is true in $\mathcal{M}, m_1, \dots, m_k$.

- A theory T is satisfiable if it has a model \mathcal{M} , eg. \mathcal{M} such that $\mathcal{M} \models \phi$ for $\phi \in T$

Proposition 1.1.9. If $\mathcal{M} \subseteq \mathcal{N}$, $\phi(\bar{v})$ is quantifier free, $\bar{m} \in M$, then $\mathcal{M} \models \phi(\bar{m}) \leftrightarrow \mathcal{N} \models \phi(\bar{m})$.

Definition 1.1.10. \mathcal{M} is elementarily equivalent to \mathcal{N} if for all \mathcal{L} -sentences ϕ , $\mathcal{M} \models \phi \leftrightarrow \mathcal{N} \models \phi$, denoted $\mathcal{M} \equiv \mathcal{N}$

- $\text{Th}(\mathcal{M})$, the full theory of \mathcal{M} , is $\{\phi \text{ } \mathcal{L}\text{-sentence} \mid \mathcal{M} \models \phi\}$
- $\mathcal{M} \equiv \mathcal{N} \iff \text{Th}(\mathcal{M}) = \text{Th}(\mathcal{N})$
- A class of \mathcal{L} -structures \mathcal{K} is elementary if there is a theory T such that \mathcal{K} is the class of all \mathcal{M} such that $\mathcal{M} \models T$.

Logical implication: $T \models \phi$ if for every $\mathcal{M} \models T$, $\mathcal{M} \models \phi$

Gödel's Completeness Theorem: $T \models \phi \leftrightarrow$ there is a formal proof for $T \vdash \phi$

1.1.2 Definable Sets

Definition 1.1.11. $X \subseteq M^n$ is definable if there is an \mathcal{L} -formula $\phi(v_1, \dots, v_n, w_1, \dots, w_m)$ and $b_1, \dots, b_m \in M$ such that $\forall \bar{a}, \bar{a} \in X \leftrightarrow \mathcal{M} \models \phi(\bar{a}, \bar{b})$ (definable over \bar{b})

- Given $A \subseteq M$, X is definable over A , or A -definable, if it is definable over \bar{b} for some $\bar{b} \in A$.

Proposition 1.1.12. Suppose $\mathcal{D} = (D_n : n \in \omega)$ is the smallest collection of subsets $D_n \subseteq \mathcal{P}(M^n)$ such that

- $M^n \in D_n$
- D_n is closed under union, intersection, complement, permutation
- if $X \in D_{n+1}$, then $\pi(X) \in D_n$ where $\pi(m_1, \dots, m_{n+1}) = (m_1, \dots, m_n)$
- $\{\bar{b}\} \in D_n$ for $\bar{b} \in M^n$
- $R^{\mathcal{M}} \in D_{n_R}$, $\text{graph}(f) \in D_{n_f+1}$
- if $X \in D_n$, $M \times X \in D_{n+1}$
- $\{(m_1, \dots, m_n) : m_i - m_j\} \in D_n$

Then $X \subseteq M^n$ is definable $\leftrightarrow X \in D_n$

Chapter 2

Basic Techniques

2.1 August 30

2.1.1 Compactness Theorem

Theorem 2.1.1 (Compactness). If T is finitely satisfiable, then T has a model \mathcal{M} . Furthermore, $|\mathcal{M}| \leq |\mathcal{L}| + \aleph_0$

- T is finitely satisfiable if every finite subset is satisfiable

Compactness II: if $T \models \phi$, then there is finite $T_0 \subset T$ such that $T_0 \models \phi$

$T \models \phi \leftrightarrow T \cup \{\neg\phi\}$ is not satisfiable

Proposition 1: If T is finitely satisfiable, maximal, and has the witness property, then T has a model \mathcal{M} with $|\mathcal{M}| \leq |\mathcal{L}|$

Proposition 2: If T is finitely satisfiable, then there is $\mathcal{L}^* \supseteq \mathcal{L}$ and an \mathcal{L}^* -theory $T^* \supseteq T$ such that T^* is finitely satisfiable, maximal, and has the witness property. Further, $|\mathcal{L}^*| \leq |\mathcal{L}| + \aleph_0$

Definition 2.1.2.

- T is maximal if for any sentence ϕ , either $\phi \in T$ or $\neg\phi \in T$
- T has the witness property if for all \mathcal{L} -formulas $\phi(v)$ there is a constant c_ϕ such that $\exists v\phi(v) \rightarrow \phi(c_\phi) \in T$

Lemma 1: If T is maximal and finitely satisfiable, if there is finite $\Delta \subseteq T$ such that $\Delta \models \phi$, then $\phi \in T$.

Proof. If $\phi \notin T$, $\neg\phi \in T$. Since $\Delta \models \phi$, $\Delta \cup \{\neg\phi\}$ is not satisfiable, contradicting our assumption.

Henekin Construction:

We want to define $\mathcal{M} = (M, c^\mathcal{M}, R^\mathcal{M}, f^\mathcal{M})$

- Let $M = \mathcal{C} / \sim$ where \mathcal{C} is the set of constant symbols and \sim is the equivalence relation defined by $c_1 \sim c_2 \leftrightarrow c_1 = c_2 \in T$
- $R^\mathcal{M} \subseteq M^{n_R}$ by $(c_1^*, \dots, c_{n_R}^*) \in R^\mathcal{M} \leftrightarrow R(c_1, \dots, c_n) \in T$ where c^* equivalence class of c
This is well defined since if we have $c'_1 \sim c_1, \dots, c'_n \sim c_n, R(c_1, \dots, c_n) \in T$ then $R(c'_1, \dots, c'_n) \in T$

- $f^{\mathcal{M}}$ by $f^{\mathcal{M}}(c_1^*, \dots, c_n^*) = d^* \leftrightarrow f(c_1, \dots, c_n) = d \in T$. Such a d^* exists since T has the witness property:
 $\exists v f(c_1, \dots, c_n) = v \rightarrow f(c_1, \dots, c_n) \in T$
- $c^{\mathcal{M}} := c^*$

Claim: For every formula $\phi(v_1, \dots, v_k)$ and constant symbols c_1, \dots, c_k , $\mathcal{M} \models \phi(c_1^*, \dots, c_n^*) \leftrightarrow \phi(c_1, \dots, c_n) \in T$
 This implies $\mathcal{M} \models T$

Proof. By induction on formulas $\phi(v_1, \dots, v_l)$

- atomic formulas: $\phi(v_1, \dots, v_k)$ is $t_1(v_1, \dots, v_k) = t_2(v_1, \dots, v_k)$
 Subclaim: $t^{\mathcal{M}}(c_1^*, \dots, c_n^*) = c^* \leftrightarrow t(c_1, \dots, c_n) = c \in T$
 Proved by induction on terms
- $\phi(v_1, \dots, v_k)$ is $R(v_1, \dots, v_k)$. Follows by definition of $R^{\mathcal{M}}$
- Suppose $\phi(\bar{v})$ is $\psi_1(\bar{v}) \wedge \psi_2(\bar{v})$, then
 $\mathcal{M} \models \psi_1 \wedge \psi_2(\bar{v}) \leftrightarrow \mathcal{M} \models \psi_1(\bar{v})$ and $\mathcal{M} \models \psi_2(\bar{v}) \xrightarrow{\text{IH}} \psi_1(\bar{c}) \in T$ and $\psi_2(\bar{c}) \in T \xrightarrow{\text{lemma}} \psi_1 \wedge \psi_2(\bar{c}) \in T$
- Suppose $\phi(\bar{v})$ is $\neg\psi(\bar{v})$, then
 $\mathcal{M} \models \neg\psi(\bar{c}^*) \leftrightarrow \mathcal{M} \not\models \psi(\bar{c}^*) \xrightarrow{\text{IH}} \varphi(\bar{c}) \notin T \xrightarrow{\text{maximality}} \neg\psi(\bar{c}) \in T$
- Suppose $\phi(\bar{v})$ is $\exists w \varphi(\bar{v}, w)$, then
 $\mathcal{M} \models \exists w \varphi(\bar{c}^*, w) \leftrightarrow \exists d \in M$ such that $\mathcal{M} \models \varphi(\bar{c}^*, d) \leftrightarrow \exists d \in M$ such that $\varphi(\bar{c}, d) \in T \xrightarrow{\text{witness principle}} \exists w \varphi(\bar{c}, w) \in T$

2.2 September 1

2.2.1 Compactness

Proof of Compactness continued:

We now prove proposition 2

Lemma 1: If T is finitely satisfiable then there is $\mathcal{L}^* \supset \mathcal{L}$, $T^* \supset T$ such that T^* has the witness property and is finitely satisfiable

Proof. For each \mathcal{L} -formula define a new constant symbol c_ϕ . Let $\mathcal{L}_1 = \mathcal{L} \cup \{c_\phi : \phi(v) \mathcal{L}\text{-formula}\}$, $T_1 = T \cup \{\exists v \phi(v) \rightarrow \phi(c_\phi) : \phi(v) \mathcal{L}\text{-formula}\}$.

Claim: T_1 is finitely satisfiable.

Take $\Delta \subseteq T_1$ finite. $\Delta = T' \cup \{\exists v \phi_i(v) \rightarrow c_{\phi_i} : i = 1, \dots, k\}$ for finite T' in T . We make an \mathcal{L}_1 -structure \mathcal{M}_1 that satisfies Δ . Take $\mathcal{M} \models T'$, \mathcal{M} \mathcal{L} -structure. Make \mathcal{M} an \mathcal{L}_1 -structure by defining $c_{\phi}^{\mathcal{M}_1}$ for each c_ϕ . If $\mathcal{M} \models \exists v \phi(v)$ let $c^{\mathcal{M}_1}$ be such a v otherwise let $c^{\mathcal{M}_1}$ be anything.

We repeat this process, defining \mathcal{L}_{n+1} from \mathcal{L}_n similarly.

We have $\mathcal{L} \subseteq \mathcal{L}_1 \subseteq \mathcal{L}_2 \subseteq \mathcal{L}_3 \subseteq \dots$, $T \subseteq T_1 \subseteq T_2 \subseteq T_3 \subseteq \dots$ such that each T_i is finitely satisfiable and for $\phi(v)$ an \mathcal{L}_{i-1} -formula, there is c_ϕ in \mathcal{L}_i such that $\exists v \phi(v) \rightarrow \phi(c_\phi) \in T_i$.

Let $\mathcal{L}^* = \bigcup_{n \in \omega} \mathcal{L}_n$, $T^* = \bigcup_{n \in \omega} T_n$. We see T^* has the witness property.

Sub-claim: If $T_0 \subset T_1 \subset T_2 \subset \dots$ all finitely satisfiable, then $\bigcup_{n \in \omega} T_n$ is finitely satisfiable.

Lemma 2: If T is finitely satisfiable and ϕ a sentence, one of $T \cup \{\phi\}$ or $T \cup \{\neg\phi\}$ is finitely satisfiable.

Proof. Assume that both $T \cup \{\phi\}$ and $T \cup \{\neg\phi\}$ are not finitely satisfiable. Then there are $T_0, T_1 \subseteq T$ such that $T_0 \cup \{\phi\}$ and $T_1 \cup \{\neg\phi\}$ are not satisfiable. Let $\mathcal{M} \models T_0 \cup T_1$, then $\mathcal{M} \models \phi$ or $\mathcal{M} \models \neg\phi$ so $T_0 \cup \{\phi\}$ or $T_1 \cup \{\neg\phi\}$ is satisfiable, contradicting our assumption.

Zorn's Lemma: Let \mathcal{A} be a collection of sets such that for any chain $\mathcal{C} \in \mathcal{A}$, $\bigcup \mathcal{C} \in \mathcal{A}$ where \mathcal{C} is a chain if for $A, B \in \mathcal{C}$ either $A \subseteq B$ or $B \subseteq A$, then \mathcal{A} has a maximal element, eg. $A \in \mathcal{A}$ such that there is not $B \in \mathcal{A}$ with $A \subsetneq B$.

Lemma: For every T , finitely satisfiable, there is $T' \supseteq T$ that is maximal and finitely satisfiable.

Proof. Let $\mathcal{A} = \{S \text{ } \mathcal{L}\text{-theory} \mid S \supseteq T, S \text{ finitely satisfiable}\}$. Can apply zorns lemma since for any $\mathcal{C} \subseteq \mathcal{A}$, $\bigcup \mathcal{C} \in \mathcal{A}$ so we have a maximal S .

Example 2.2.1. Let $\mathcal{L} = \{\cdot, e\}$ be the language of groups. In a group G , $g \in G$, $\text{ord } g = \text{least } n \text{ such that } \underbrace{g \cdots g}_{n \text{ times}} = e$, if it exists.

Observation: If T is an \mathcal{L} -theory extending the axioms of groups, $\phi(v)$ such that for every n there is $G_n \models T$, $g_n \in G_n$ of order greater than n such that $G_n \models \phi(g_n)$. Then there is $G \models T$ and $g \in G$, $\text{ord}(g) = \infty$ such that $G \models \phi(g)$.

Proof. Let $\mathcal{L}' = \{\cdot, e, c\}$. Let $T^* = T \cup \phi(c) \cup \{\psi_n\}$ where ψ_n is $\underbrace{c \cdot c}_{n \text{ times}} \neq e$. T^* finitely satisfiable so follows by compactness.

This tells us that there is not sentence that axiomatizes when an element is torsion.

Lemma 2.2.2. Let κ be a cardinal $\kappa \geq |\mathcal{L}|$. Let T be a satisfiable theory such that $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}$, there is $\mathcal{M} \models T$ such that $|\mathcal{M}| > n$. Then T has a model of size κ .

Proof. Extend the language by adding κ many new constant symbols c_i for $i \in \kappa$. $T^* = T \cup \{c_i \neq c_j \mid i \neq j\}$. If $\mathcal{M} \models T^*$, $|\mathcal{M}| \geq \kappa$. T^* is finitely satisfiable so by compactness T^* has a model \mathcal{M} , $|\mathcal{M}| \leq |\mathcal{L}^*| + \aleph_0 = \kappa$. Thus, $|\mathcal{M}| = \kappa$.

2.3 September 6

2.3.1 Complete Theories

Definition 2.3.1. Let κ be an infinite cardinal. A theory T is κ -categorical if all models of T of size κ are isomorphic (and there is at least one).

Example 2.3.2. The theory of torsion free abelian division groups (TFADG) is κ categorical for all uncountable κ .

Language = $\{\cdot, e\}$, TFADG = group axioms, commutativity, torsion free - $\forall a \neq e \underbrace{a \cdot a \cdots a}_n \neq e$ for $n \in \omega$,
divisible - $\forall a \exists b \underbrace{b + b + \cdots + b}_n$ for each $n \in \omega$

Observation: TFADG are essentially \mathbb{Q} -vector spaces

For $a \in G$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$ $a \cdot n = \overbrace{a + \dots + a}^{n \text{ times}} = \frac{a}{n}$ is b such that $b \cdot n = a$. Such a b exists since the group is division and is uniquely defined since if $b \cdot n = a = b' \cdot n$, $(b - b') \cdot n = 0$ so since the group is torsion free, $b - b' = 0$. For $a \in G$, $\frac{p}{q} \in \mathbb{Q}$ we define $a \cdot \frac{p}{q} = \frac{a}{q} \cdot p$

Two vector \mathbb{Q} -vector spaces are isomorphic \leftrightarrow they have the same dimension. A \mathbb{Q} vector space of size κ must have dimension κ so two \mathbb{Q} vector spaces of size κ must be isomorphic.

Let ACF_p be the theory of algebraically closed fields of characteristic p .

Language = $\{0, 1, +, \times\}$. ACF_p : field axioms, $\text{char } p - \underbrace{1 + \dots + 1}_p = 0$, $\text{char } 0 - \underbrace{1 + \dots + 1}_n \neq 0$ for $n \in \omega$,

algebraically closed - every non-constant polynomial has at least one root: for degree n , $\forall z_0, z_1, \dots, z_n \ z_n \neq 0 \exists x (z_n x^n + z_{n-1} x^{n-1} + \dots + z_0 = 0)$. For each $n \in \omega$

Proposition 2.3.3. ACF is κ categorical for all uncountable κ .

Facts and Definitions

- Every field F has a prime subfield $P = \left\{ \frac{\overbrace{1 + \dots + 1}^p}{\underbrace{1 + \dots + 1}_q} : p \in \mathbb{Z}, q \in \mathbb{N} \right\}$
 - if F has $\text{char } p > 0$, then the prime subfield is $\mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z} = \mathbb{F}_p$
 - If F has $\text{char } 0$, then the prime subfield is \mathbb{Q}
- An element $a \in F$ is algebraic if there is a polynomial $p(x) \in P[x]$ such that $p(a) = 0$. (Can think of as a polynomial in $\mathbb{Z}[x]$)
- Otherwise a is transcendental
- A tuple \bar{a} is algebraically independent if there is no nontrivial polynomial $p(\bar{x}) \in P[x]$ such that $p(\bar{a}) = 0$.
- the transcendence degree of a field F is the size of a maximal algebraically independent set.
- Algebraically closed fields are isomorphic \leftrightarrow they have the same transcendence degree.

Observation: an ACF_p of size κ must have transcendence degree κ

If $M \subset F$ is a maximal algebraically independent set, $\forall a \in F$ there is a polynomial $p(\bar{x}, y) \in P[\bar{x}, y]$ and $\bar{m} \in M$ such that $p(\bar{m}, a) = 0$.

Definition 2.3.4. A theory T is complete if for all \mathcal{L} -sentences, ϕ either $T \models \phi$ or $T \models \neg \phi$

Theorem 2.3.5 (Vaught's Test). If T is satisfiable and has no finite models and is κ -categorical for $\kappa > |\mathcal{L}|$, then T is complete.

Corollary 2.3.6. ALL ACF_p satisfy the same sentences.

Proof. Suppose not. There is ϕ such that $T \models \phi$, $T \models \neg \phi$ so $T \cup \{\phi\}$ and $T \cup \{\neg \phi\}$ are satisfiable. Both

have models of size κ , contradicting κ -categoricity.

Definition 2.3.7. T is decidable if there is an algorithm to decide $T \models \phi$ given ϕ

Observation: If T is computably enumerable and complete then T is decidable

Corollary 2.3.8. $\text{Th}(\mathbb{C}; 0, 1, +, \times)$ is decidable.

2.4 September 8

2.4.1 Complete Theories

Observation: Let f be a function $: k \rightarrow k$. If f is one to one then f is onto, provided k is finite.

Theorem 2.4.1. Every injective polynomial map $\mathbb{C}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^n$ is surjective.
(A polynomial map consists of n polynomials $p_1[x_1, \dots, x_n], \dots, p_n[x_1, \dots, x_n] \in \mathbb{C}[x]$)

Lemma 2.4.2. Let ϕ be a sentence in the language $\{0, 1, +, \times\}$. TFAE

1. $C \models \phi$
2. ϕ is true in any algebraically closed field of characteristic 0.
3. ϕ is true in some algebraically closed field of characteristic 0.
4. There are arbitrarily large primes p such that ϕ is true in some $F \models \text{ACF}_p$
5. There is an $m \in \mathbb{N}$ such that for all $p \geq m$ and all $F \models \text{ACF}_p$, $F \models \phi$

Proof. (1), (2), (3) equivalent since ACF_0 is complete. (4) \rightarrow (5) clear.

(2) \rightarrow (5) $\text{ACF}_0 \models \phi$. There is finite $\Delta \subseteq \text{ACF}_0$ such that $\Delta \models \phi$. If $p \geq n$ for an all n such that

“ $1 + \dots + 1 \neq 0$ ” shows up in Δ , then if $F \models \text{ACF}_p$, $F \models \Delta$ so $F \models \phi$

(4) \rightarrow (3) If (3) was false, $\text{ACF}_0 \not\models \phi$ and for some n , all $p > n$, if $F \models \text{ACF}_p$ then $F \models \neg\phi$ so (4) is false.

Claim: Every injective polynomial function $f : (\mathbb{F}_p^{\text{alg}})^n \rightarrow (\mathbb{F}_p^{\text{alg}})^n$ is onto

where $\mathbb{F}_p^{\text{alg}}$ is the algebraic closure of $\mathbb{F}_p : \mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z}$. $\mathbb{F}_p^{\text{alg}} = \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \mathbb{F}_{p^n}$ where \mathbb{F}_{p^n} is the unique field of size p^n .

For every polynomial $p(\bar{x}) \in F$ there is an atomic $t(\bar{x}, \bar{z})$ and parameters $\bar{c} \in F$ such that $p(\bar{x}) = t(\bar{x}, \bar{c})$ so $t_1(\bar{x}, \bar{c}), \dots, t_n(\bar{x}, \bar{c})$ for $\bar{c} \in \mathbb{F}_p^{\text{alg}}$, $\bar{x} = x_1, \dots, x_n$

Claim states $\forall \bar{z} (\forall \bar{x} \forall \bar{y} \bigwedge_{i=1}^n t_i(x_i, z) = t_i(y_i, z) \rightarrow \bar{x} = \bar{y}) \rightarrow (\forall \bar{w} \exists \bar{x} \bigwedge_{i=1}^n t_i(\bar{x}, z) = w_i)$

Proof (Pf of Claim). Take $\bar{b} \in (\mathbb{F}_p^{\text{alg}})^n$, want to show \bar{b} is in the range of f

Let k be the finite subfield of $\mathbb{F}_p^{\text{alg}}$ generated by \bar{c} and \bar{b} . $\mathbb{F}_p(\bar{c}, \bar{b})$

Restricting f to k^n , we get a one to one function from k^n to k^n so $f \upharpoonright k^n$ is onto so \bar{b} is in the range of f

2.4.2 Up and Down

Definition 2.4.3. A map $j : \mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{N}$ is an elementary embedding if for all formulas $\phi(\bar{x})$, all $m \in M$

$$\mathcal{M} \models \phi(\bar{m}) \leftrightarrow \mathcal{N} \models \phi(j(\bar{m}))$$

Definition 2.4.4. If for $\mathcal{M} \subseteq \mathcal{N}$, \mathcal{M} is an elementary subset of \mathcal{N} if $i : M \hookrightarrow N$ is elementary ($\mathcal{M} \leq \mathcal{N}$)

- $\mathbb{Q}^{\text{alg}} \leq \mathbb{C}$, $(\mathbb{Q}, 0, +) \leq (\mathbb{R}, 0, +)$

Definition 2.4.5. Given \mathcal{M} , let $\mathcal{L}_M = \mathcal{L} \cup \{c_m \mid m \in M\}$. \mathcal{M} can be made into an \mathcal{L}_M -structure \mathcal{M}^* by letting $c_m^{\mathcal{M}^*} = m$

Definition 2.4.6. $\text{Diag}(\mathcal{M})$ the atomic diagram of $\mathcal{M} = \{\phi \mid \phi \text{ atomic } \mathcal{L}_M \text{ sentence such that } \mathcal{M} \models \phi\} \cup \{\neg\phi \mid \phi \text{ atomic } \mathcal{L}_M \text{ sentence such that } \mathcal{M} \models \neg\phi\}$
This is equivalent to $\{\phi \mid \phi \text{ is an } \mathcal{L}\text{-formula } \mathcal{M} \models \phi\}$
 $\text{Diag}_{\text{el}}(\mathcal{M})$, the elementary diagram of \mathcal{M} is $\{\phi \mid \phi \text{ is an } \mathcal{L}\text{formula } \mathcal{M} \models \phi\}$

Lemma 2.4.7. (i) if $\mathcal{N}^* \models \text{Diag}(\mathcal{M})$ then there is an \mathcal{L} -embedding $\mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{N}$ (where \mathcal{N} the restriction of \mathcal{N}^* to \mathcal{L})

Proof. Suppose $\mathcal{N}^* \models \text{Diag}(\mathcal{M})$. If $\phi(\bar{x})$ is an \mathcal{L} formula and \bar{c}_m new constants, we can give an embedding by $m \mapsto c_m^{\mathcal{M}^*}$
 $\mathcal{M} \models \phi(\bar{m}) \leftrightarrow \mathcal{M}^* \models \phi(\bar{c}_m) \leftrightarrow \mathcal{N}^* \models \phi(\bar{c}_m) \leftrightarrow \mathcal{N} \models \phi(\bar{m})$

Example 2.4.8. $\mathcal{M} = (\mathbb{Z}, +)$, $\mathcal{L} = \{*\}$, $\mathcal{L}_M = \{*, c_0, c_1, c_2, \dots, c_{-1}, c_{-2}, \dots\}$, in \mathcal{M}^* , $c_n^{\mathcal{M}^*} = n$

$\mathcal{N} = (\mathbb{R}, \times)$, define \mathcal{N}^* by $c_n^{\mathcal{N}^*} = 2^n$. $\mathcal{N}^* = (\mathbb{R}, \times, c_n \mapsto 2^n)$

$\mathcal{N}^* \models \text{Diag}(\mathcal{M})$ size $(\mathbb{Z}, +) \rightarrow (\mathbb{R}, \times)$ by $n \mapsto 2^n$ is an embedding.

If $j : \mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{N}$ is an embedding, let $c_m^{\mathcal{M}^*} = j(m)$. Then $\mathcal{N}^* \models \text{Diag}(\mathcal{M})$

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2.5.1 Up and Down

Definition 2.5.1. $\mathcal{L}^- \subseteq \mathcal{L}$, \mathcal{M} is an \mathcal{L} -structure, then \mathcal{L}^- reduct of \mathcal{M} is the \mathcal{L}^- structure with the same domain and \mathcal{L}^- interpretations of \mathcal{M} . We say that \mathcal{M}^- is a reduction of \mathcal{M} , \mathcal{M} is an expansion of \mathcal{M}^-

Lemma 2.5.2. Consider \mathcal{L} structures \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{N}

1. there is an embedding $\mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{N} \leftrightarrow$ there is an \mathcal{L}_M expansion \mathcal{N}^* of \mathcal{N} such that $\mathcal{N}^* \models \text{Diag}(\mathcal{M})$
2. there is an elementary embedding $\mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{N} \leftrightarrow$ there is an \mathcal{L}_M expansion \mathcal{N}^* of \mathcal{N} such that

$$\mathcal{N}^* \models \text{Diag}_{\text{el}}(\mathcal{M})$$

Here $\mathcal{N}^* = (\mathcal{N}, c_m^{\mathcal{N}} \in N \text{ for } m \in M)$

Proof. \rightarrow) Suppose $f : \mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{N}$ is an embedding. We need to find a \mathcal{L}_M expansion \mathcal{N}^* of \mathcal{N} by defining $c_m^{\mathcal{N}}$ for $m \in M$ such that for all \mathcal{L} -formulas $\varphi(\bar{x})$, all $\bar{m} \in M$, if $\varphi(\bar{c}_m) \in \text{Diag}(\mathcal{M}) \rightarrow \mathcal{N}^* \models \varphi(\bar{c}_m)$. Let $c_m^{\mathcal{N}} = f(m)$ so $\varphi(\bar{c}_m) \in \text{Diag}(\mathcal{M}) \leftrightarrow \mathcal{M} \models \varphi(\bar{m}) \leftrightarrow \mathcal{N} \models \varphi(f(\bar{m})) \leftrightarrow \mathcal{N}^* \models \varphi(c_m^{\mathcal{N}})$
 \leftarrow) Given the \mathcal{L}_M expansion \mathcal{N}^* of \mathcal{N} such that $\mathcal{N}^* \models \text{Diag}(\mathcal{M})$. Let $f : \mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{N}$ by $f(m) = c_m^{\mathcal{N}^*}$

Theorem 2.5.3 (Upwards Lowenheim-Skolem). Let \mathcal{M} be an infinite \mathcal{L} -structure. For every $\kappa \geq |M| + |\mathcal{L}|$ there is an \mathcal{L} -structure \mathcal{N} such that $|\mathcal{N}| = \kappa$ and $\mathcal{M} \leq \mathcal{N}$.

Proof. It suffices to show there is an elementary embedding $j : \mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{N}$ as \mathcal{M} can be identified with its image. Let \mathcal{N}^* be a model of $\text{Diag}(\mathcal{M})$ of size κ . Let \mathcal{N} be the \mathcal{L} -reduct of \mathcal{N}^*

Example 2.5.4. $(\mathbb{Q}, 0, +) \leq (\mathbb{R}, 0, +)$ κ -categorical so there is only structure of size 2^{\aleph_0} up to isomorphism

Example 2.5.5. $(\mathbb{Q}^{\text{deg}}, 0, 1, +, \times) \leq (\mathbb{C}, 0, 1, +, \times)$

Theorem 2.5.6 (Downward Lowenheim-Skolem). Let \mathcal{M} be an infinite \mathcal{L} -structure. For all $X \subseteq M$, there is an \mathcal{L} structure $\mathcal{N} \subseteq \mathcal{M}$, $|\mathcal{N}| = |X| + |\mathcal{L}| + \aleph_0$ and $\mathcal{N} \leq \mathcal{M}$

Proposition 2.5.7 (Tarski-Vaught Test). Suppose $\mathcal{N} \subseteq \mathcal{M}$. Then $\mathcal{N} \leq \mathcal{M} \leftrightarrow$ formulas $\phi(\bar{v}, w)$ and all $\bar{n} \in N$ if $\mathcal{M} \models \exists w \phi(\bar{n}, w)$ then there is $c \in N$ such that $\mathcal{M} \models \phi(\bar{n}, c)$.

Proof. \rightarrow) Assume $\mathcal{N} \leq \mathcal{M}$, $\mathcal{M} \models \exists w \phi(\bar{n}, w)$ then $\mathcal{N} \models \exists w \phi(\bar{n}, w)$ so there is $c \in N$ such that $\mathcal{N} \models \phi(\bar{n}, c)$ so $\mathcal{M} \models \phi(\bar{n}, c)$

\leftarrow) We use induction on \mathcal{L} -formulas to show that for all formulas $\psi(\bar{x})$ and all \bar{n} , $\mathcal{N} \models \psi(\bar{n}) \leftrightarrow \mathcal{M} \models \psi(\bar{n})$

- For ψ atomic, this follows since $\mathcal{N} \subseteq \mathcal{M}$
- For $\psi = \psi_1 \wedge \psi_2, \neg \psi_1$ clear by applying IH
- For $\psi(\bar{x})$ of the form $\exists w \phi(\bar{x}, w)$, pick $\bar{n} \in N$, $\mathcal{M} \models \psi(\bar{n}) \leftrightarrow \mathcal{M} \models \exists w \phi(\bar{n}, w) \leftrightarrow$ there is $c \in N$ such that $\mathcal{M} \models \phi(\bar{n}, c) \xrightarrow{\text{IH}}$ there is $c \in N$ such that $\mathcal{N} \models \phi(\bar{n}, c) \leftrightarrow \mathcal{N} \models \exists w \phi(\bar{n}, w) \leftrightarrow \mathcal{N} \models \psi(\bar{n})$.

Proof (Proof of Lowenheim Skolem). Let $X = X_0$. For any $\bar{n} \in X$ and $\varphi(\bar{v}, w)$ if $\mathcal{M} \models \exists w \varphi(\bar{n}, w)$. let $c_{\bar{n}, \varphi} \in M$ such that $\mathcal{M} \models \varphi(\bar{n}, c_{\bar{n}, \varphi})$. Let $X_1 = \{c_{\bar{n}, \varphi} \mid \varphi \text{ } \mathcal{L} \text{ formula}, \bar{n} \in X_0, \mathcal{M} \models \exists w \varphi(\bar{n}, w)\} \cup X_0$

We can define X_{n+1} from X_n similarly and let $N = \bigcup_{i \in \omega} X_i$

$$|X_1| = (\# \mathcal{L} \text{ formulas}) \times (\# \text{ terms } X_0) = (|\mathcal{L}| + \aleph_0) \times (|X_0|)$$

Since $|\mathcal{N}| \leq |\mathcal{L}| + |\aleph_0| + |X_0|$, then $|X| \leq |\mathcal{N}| \leq |X| + |\mathcal{L}| + \aleph_0$.

We define \mathcal{N} with domain N by restricting functions, relations, and constants from \mathcal{M} . If $\varphi(\bar{x}, w)$ is the formula $f(\bar{x}) = w$ and $\bar{n} \in X$, $\mathcal{M} \models \exists w f(\bar{n}) = w$ in X_{i+1} so $c_{\varphi, \bar{n}}$ satisfies $f(\bar{n}) = c_{\varphi, \bar{n}}$

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2.6.1 Universal Axiomatizations

Example 2.6.1. Consider $\mathcal{M} = (\mathbb{Z}, 0, +)$, $\mathcal{N} = (2\mathbb{Z}, 0, +)$, $\mathcal{N} \subset \mathcal{M}$, $\mathcal{N} \equiv \mathcal{M}$ but $\mathcal{N} \not\leq \mathcal{M}$. Consider $\varphi(x) = \exists y(y + y = x)$. $\mathcal{M} \models \varphi(2)$, $\mathcal{N} \models \neg\varphi(2)$.

We have $\text{Th}(\mathcal{M}) = \text{Th}(\mathcal{N})$ but $\mathcal{N} \not\models \text{Diag}_{\text{el}}(\mathcal{N})$.

Definition 2.6.2. A universal formula is of the form $\forall x_1, \dots, x_n \varphi(x_1, \dots, x_n, \overbrace{y}^{\text{free}})$ where φ is quantifier free.

Observation: If $\mathcal{M} \subseteq \mathcal{N}$ and $\varphi(\overline{x})$ is a universal formula, $\overline{m} \in M$, if $\mathcal{N} \models \varphi(\overline{m})$, then $\mathcal{M} \models \varphi(\overline{m})$

Definition 2.6.3. T has a universal axiomatization if there is a set of universal sentences Γ such that $T \models \Gamma$ and $\Gamma \models T$

Observation: If T has a universal axiomatization then if $\mathcal{N} \models T$ and $\mathcal{M} \subseteq \mathcal{N}$, then $\mathcal{M} \models T$

Example 2.6.4. Group axioms, if $\mathcal{L} = \{\cdot, e\}$, not universal, $(\mathbb{N}, 0, +) \subseteq (\mathbb{Z}, 0, +)$ but is not a group.

If we consider $\mathcal{L} = \{\cdot, e, (\cdot)^{-1}\}$, universal, $\forall x(x \cdot x^{-1} = e \wedge x^{-1} \cdot x = e)$

Theorem 2.6.5. If T is such that $\forall \mathcal{M} \subseteq \mathcal{N} (\mathcal{N} \models T \rightarrow \mathcal{M} \models T)$, then T has a universal axiomatization.

Proof. Let $\Gamma = \{\varphi \text{ universal} \mid T \models \varphi\}$. Clearly $T \models \Gamma$, want to show $\Gamma \models T$. Suppose $\mathcal{M} \models \Gamma$, we want to show $\mathcal{M} \models T$. We want $\mathcal{N} \supseteq \mathcal{M}$ such that $\mathcal{N} \models T$. $\mathcal{N} \supseteq \mathcal{M} \leftrightarrow \mathcal{N} \models \text{Diag}(\mathcal{M})$ so want $\text{Diag}(\mathcal{M}) \cup T$ is satisfiable.

Claim: $T \cup \text{Diag}(\mathcal{M})$ is satisfiable.

Let $\Delta \subseteq T \cup \text{Diag}(\mathcal{M})$ be finite. $\Delta = T_0 \cup \{\phi_1(\overline{c_m}), \dots, \phi_k(\overline{c_m})\}$. Can assume only one formula ϕ (can take the conjugation) so ϕ is quantifier free such that $\mathcal{M} \models \phi(\overline{c_m})$. $\mathcal{M} \models \phi(\overline{m}) \rightarrow \mathcal{M} \models \forall \overline{v} \neg \phi(\overline{v}) \rightarrow T \models \forall \overline{v} \neg \phi(\overline{v})$ so $T \cup \{\exists \overline{v} \phi(\overline{v})\}$ is satisfiable. Thus, $T \cup \{\phi(\overline{c_m})\}$ is satisfiable since if $\mathcal{A} \models \exists \overline{v} \phi(\overline{v})$, for some $\overline{a} \in A$, $\mathcal{A} \models \phi(\overline{a})$ so let $\overline{c_m} = \overline{a}$. $(\mathcal{A}, \overline{c_m} \mapsto \overline{a}) \models \phi(\overline{c_m})$

- If \overline{c} does not occur in T , ϕ , then $T \cup \{\exists \overline{v} \phi(\overline{v})\}$ is satisfiable $\rightarrow T \cup \phi(\overline{c})$ is satisfiable. Equivalently, $T \models \psi(\overline{c}) \rightarrow T \models \forall \overline{v} \psi(\overline{v})$

Suppose $(I, <)$ is a linear order. For each $i \in I$, \mathcal{M}_i is an \mathcal{L} -structure, $\forall i < j$ $\mathcal{M}_i \subseteq \mathcal{M}_j$ is called a chain (elementary chain if $\mathcal{M}_i \leq \mathcal{M}_j$). Let $\mathcal{M} = \bigcup_{i \in I} \mathcal{M}_i$, $M = \bigcup_{i \in I} M_i$, $f^{\mathcal{M}} = \bigcup_{i \in I} f^{\mathcal{M}_i}$

Proposition 2.6.6. If $(\mathcal{M}_i : i \in I)$ is an elementary chain, $\forall i$ $\mathcal{M}_i \leq \mathcal{M}$

Proof. Use induction on formulas $\phi(\overline{v})$ to show that $\forall i, \forall \overline{m} \in \mathcal{M}_i$, $\mathcal{M}_i \models \phi(\overline{m}) \leftrightarrow \mathcal{M} \models \phi(\overline{m})$

- ϕ quantifier free true since substructure
- ϕ is $\neg\psi, \psi_1 \wedge \psi_2$ clear by induction
- $\phi(\overline{x})$ is $\exists v \psi(\overline{x}, v)$ $\mathcal{M} \models \exists v \psi(\overline{x}, v) \leftrightarrow \exists n \in \mathcal{M}_j$ for some $j \in I$ such that $\mathcal{M} \models \psi(\overline{m}, n)$

$$\mathbb{H} \mathcal{M}_j \models \psi(\bar{x}, n) \leftrightarrow \mathcal{M}_j \models \exists v \phi(\bar{x}, v) \xrightarrow{M_i \leq M_j} \mathcal{M}_i \models \exists v \phi(\bar{m}, v)$$

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2.7.1 Ultrafilters

Definition 2.7.1. A filter on I is a subset $\mathcal{D} \subseteq \mathcal{P}(I)$ such that

- (i) $\emptyset \notin \mathcal{D}, I \in \mathcal{D}$
- (ii) If $A \in \mathcal{D}, B \supseteq A \rightarrow B \in \mathcal{D}$
- (iii) if $A, B \in \mathcal{D}$, then $A \cap B \in \mathcal{D}$

Example 2.7.2. (a) $I = \mathbb{R}, \mathcal{D} = \{X \subseteq \mathbb{R} \mid X \text{ has full measure}\}$ eg. $\lambda(\mathbb{R} \setminus X) = 0$

(b) $I = \mathbb{R}, \mathcal{D} = \{X \subseteq \mathbb{R} \mid X \text{ is meager}\}$

(c) For $\kappa \leq |I|$, $\mathcal{D} = \{X \subseteq I \mid |I \setminus X| < \kappa\}$
For $\kappa = \aleph_0$, \mathcal{D} is called the Frechet filter or the cofinite filter

(d) For $x \in I$, $\mathcal{D} = \{X \subseteq I \mid x \in X\}$ called principle filter

(e) For $I = \mathbb{N}$, $\{X \subseteq \mathbb{N} \mid \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{|X \cap n|}{n} = 1\}$

Definition 2.7.3. \mathcal{D} is an ultrafilter if it is a filter and for all $X \subseteq I$, either $X \in \mathcal{D}$ or $X^C \in \mathcal{D}$

- principle filters are ultrafilters

Observation: If \mathcal{U} is an ultra filter, $A \cup B \in \mathcal{U} \leftrightarrow A \in \mathcal{U} \text{ or } B \in \mathcal{U}$

If $A, B \notin \mathcal{U}$, $A^C, B^C \in \mathcal{U}$ so $A^C \cap B^C \in \mathcal{U}$ so $(A^C \cap B^C)^C = A \cup B \notin \mathcal{U}$

Similarly, $C \cap D \notin \mathcal{U} \leftrightarrow C \notin \mathcal{U} \text{ and } D \notin \mathcal{U}$

Theorem 2.7.4. Every filter \mathcal{D} on I can be extended to an ultrafilter

Proof. Let $\mathcal{A} = \{\mathcal{F} \subseteq \mathcal{P}(I) \mid \mathcal{F} \text{ filter and } \mathcal{D} \subseteq \mathcal{F}\}$. To apply Zorn's lemma to get a maximal \mathcal{U} in \mathcal{A} , we need to show if $\mathcal{C} \subseteq \mathcal{A}$ is a chain then $\bigcup \mathcal{C} \in \mathcal{A}$. Clear that $\emptyset \notin \bigcup \mathcal{C}, I \in \bigcup \mathcal{C}$, and closed upwards. For $A, B \in \bigcup \mathcal{C}$, $\exists \mathcal{F}, \mathcal{F}' \in \mathcal{C}$ such that $A \in \mathcal{F}, B \in \mathcal{F}'$. WLOG assume $A, B \in \mathcal{F}$, then $A \cap B \in \mathcal{F} \subseteq \bigcup \mathcal{C}$. Suppose \mathcal{U} is a maximal filter. We show that it is an ultrafilter. Take $X \subseteq I$. We show $X \in \mathcal{U}$ or $X^C \in \mathcal{U}$. Suppose not. Let $\mathcal{D}_0 =$ filter generated by $X, \mathcal{U} = \{Y \mid \exists V \in \mathcal{U} Y \supseteq V \cap X\}$, $\mathcal{D}_1 = \{Z \mid \exists W \in \mathcal{U} Z \supseteq W \cap X^C\}$. $\mathcal{D}_0, \mathcal{D}_1$ satisfy all conditions except we don't know if they contain \emptyset . If $\emptyset \in \mathcal{D}_0, \mathcal{D}_1$, there is $V \in \mathcal{U} V \cap X = \emptyset, W \in \mathcal{U} W \cap X^C = \emptyset$ so $V \subseteq X^C, W \subseteq X$ so $V \cap W = \emptyset$, contradicting $V, W \in \mathcal{U}$

To get a nonprinciple ultrafilter take $\mathcal{D} = \{X \subseteq I \mid I \setminus X \text{ finite}\}$ and extend to ultrafilter $\supseteq \mathcal{D}$

Observation: $\forall x \in I, I \setminus \{x\} \in \mathcal{D} \subseteq \mathcal{U}$ so $\{x\} \notin \mathcal{U}$

An ultrafilter is not principle $\leftrightarrow \mathcal{U} \supseteq$ Frechet filter

Observation: If \mathcal{U} is an ultrafilter and contains a finite set $\mathcal{A} = \{a_0, \dots, a_n\}$ then \mathcal{U} is principle since $\mathcal{A} = \{a_0\} \cup \{a_1\} \cup \dots \cup \{a_n\}$

Definition 2.7.5 (Ultraproduct). I an infinite set, \mathcal{U} an ultrafilter of I , $\{\mathcal{M}_i : i \in I\}$ a collection of cL structures. Define $\mathcal{M} = \prod_{i \in I} \mathcal{M}_i / \mathcal{U}$ as follows:

- Given $g, h \in \prod_{i \in I} M_i$, $g \sim h$ iff $\{i \in I \mid g(i) = h(i)\} \in \mathcal{U}$. $M = \prod_{i \in I} M_i / \sim$
- $c^{\mathcal{M}} = [i \mapsto c^{\mathcal{M}_i}]$
- $f^{\mathcal{M}}(g_1, \dots, g_n) = [i \mapsto f^{\mathcal{M}_i}(g_1(i), \dots, g_n(i))]$
- $(g_1, \dots, g_n) \in R^{\mathcal{M}} \iff \{i \in I \mid (g_1(i), \dots, g_n(i)) \in R^{\mathcal{M}_i}\} \in \mathcal{U}$

Claims:

1. \sim is an equivalence relation on $\prod_{i \in I} M_i$
Reflexivity, symmetry clear. $g \sim h, h \sim f \rightarrow g \sim f$ since $\{i \mid g(i) = f(i)\} \supseteq \{i \mid g(i) = h(i)\} \cap \{i \mid h(i) = f(i)\}$
2. $f^{\mathcal{M}}$ is well defined.
 $g_1 \sim g'_1, \dots, g_n \sim g'_n \rightarrow f^{\mathcal{M}}(g_1, \dots, g_n) = f^{\mathcal{M}}(g'_1, \dots, g'_n)$ since $\{i \mid f^{\mathcal{M}_i}(g_1(i), \dots, g_n(i)) = f^{\mathcal{M}_i}(g'_1(i), \dots, g'_n(i))\} \supseteq \bigcap_{j=1}^n \{i \mid g_j(i) = g'_j(i)\}$
3. $R^{\mathcal{M}}$ well defined for a similar reason.

Definition 2.7.6. The \mathcal{U} ultrapower of \mathcal{M} is $\prod \mathcal{M} / \mathcal{U}$

- $\mathcal{M} \leq \prod \mathcal{M} / \mathcal{U}$

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2.8.1 Ultrafilters

Theorem 2.8.1 (Los' Theorem). For every formula $\varphi(v_1, \dots, v_k)$ and $g_1, \dots, g_k \in \prod_{i \in I} M_i$, $\mathcal{M} = \prod_{i \in I} \mathcal{M}_i / \mathcal{U}$, $\mathcal{M} \models \varphi([g_1], \dots, [g_k]) \leftrightarrow \{i \in I \mid \mathcal{M}_i \models \varphi(g_1(i), \dots, g_k(i))\} \in \mathcal{U}$

Corollary 2.8.2. $\mathcal{M} \leq \mathcal{M}^I / \mathcal{U}$ by $m \mapsto g_m$ where $g_m(i) = i \forall i \in I$

Proof. By induction on formulas φ

- φ atomic. $([g_1], \dots, [g_n]) \in R^{\mathcal{M}} \iff \{i \in I \mid (g_1(i), \dots, g_n(i)) \in R^{\mathcal{M}_i}\} \in \mathcal{U}$ by definition.
Similar for $=$
- φ is $\psi_1 \wedge \psi_2$. $\mathcal{M} \models \varphi([g]) \leftrightarrow \mathcal{M} \models \psi_1[g]$ and $\mathcal{M} \models \psi_2[g] \stackrel{\text{IH}}{\iff} \{i \mid \mathcal{M}_i \models \psi_1(\overline{g(i)})\} \in \mathcal{U}$ and $\{i \mid \mathcal{M}_i \models \psi_2(\overline{g(i)})\} \in \mathcal{U} \leftrightarrow \{i \mid \mathcal{M}_i \models \psi_1(\overline{g(i)})\} \cap \{i \mid \mathcal{M}_i \models \psi_2(\overline{g(i)})\} \in \mathcal{U} \leftrightarrow \{i \mid \mathcal{M}_i \models \psi_1(\overline{g(i)}) \wedge \psi_2(\overline{g(i)})\} \in \mathcal{U}$
 φ is $\psi_1 \vee \psi_2$ is similar
- φ is $\neg\psi$. $\mathcal{M} \models \varphi \leftrightarrow \mathcal{M} \not\models \psi \leftrightarrow \{i \mid \mathcal{M}_i \models \psi\} \notin \mathcal{U} \leftrightarrow \{i \mid \mathcal{M}_i \models \varphi\} \in \mathcal{U}$
- $\varphi(\bar{v})$ is $\exists x \psi(x, \bar{v})$. $\mathcal{M} \models \varphi[\bar{g}] \leftrightarrow$ there is $h \in M$ such that $\mathcal{M} \models \psi([h], [\bar{g}]) \stackrel{\text{IH}}{\iff} \{i \mid \mathcal{M}_i \models \psi(h(i), \overline{g(i)})\} \in \mathcal{U}$

\mathcal{U} for some $h \leftrightarrow \{i \mid \mathcal{M}_i \models \exists x \psi(x, \overline{g(i)})\} \in \mathcal{U}$

Proof (Proof of Compactness). Let T be finitely satisfiable. For every $\Delta \subseteq T$ finite, there is $\mathcal{M}_\Delta \models \Delta$. Let $I = \{\Delta \subseteq T \mid \Delta \text{ finite}\}$. For $\Sigma \in I$, let $X_\Sigma = \{\Delta \subseteq I \mid \Sigma \subseteq \Delta\} \subseteq I$. Let $\mathcal{D} = \{Y \subseteq I \mid \text{for some } \Sigma, Y \supseteq X_\Sigma\}$ (filter generated by X_Σ 's). Claim \mathcal{D} is a filter, $\emptyset \notin \mathcal{D}$, $I \in \mathcal{D}$, closed upwards. $X_\Sigma \cap X_{\Sigma'} = X_{\Sigma \cup \Sigma'}$ so closed under intersection. Let $\mathcal{U} \supseteq \mathcal{D}$ be an ultrafilter. Let $\mathcal{M} = \prod_{\Delta \in I} \mathcal{M}_\Delta / \mathcal{U}$. For $\varphi \in T$, $X_{\{\varphi\}} \in \mathcal{U}$ and for all $\Delta \in X_{\{\varphi\}}$, $\mathcal{M}_\Delta \models \varphi$ so $\{\Delta \in I \mid \mathcal{M}_\Delta \models \varphi\} \supseteq X_{\{\varphi\}} \in \mathcal{U}$ so $\mathcal{M} \models \varphi$ by Los' thm.

2.8.2 Back and Forth Proofs

Example 2.8.3. DLO - dense linear orders without endpoints, $\mathcal{L} = \{\leq\}$
 (\mathbb{Q}, \leq) , (\mathbb{R}, \leq) , $(\mathbb{R}^2, \text{lex})$, $(2^{<\omega})$ ordered by binary tree with ends removed.

Theorem 2.8.4 (Cantor). DLO is \aleph_0 categorical, complete, and decidable. If $A, B \models \text{DLO}$, countable then $A \cong B$

Proof. Given $A = \{a_0, a_1, a_2, \dots\}$, $B = \{b_0, b_1, b_2, \dots\}$ we specify an isomorphism as follows. Choose where to send a_0 arbitrarily, choose an element in A , not already chosen, to map to b_0 such that it respects order. At each step continue ensuring a_i is in the domain, b_i is in the range while preserving order. This is possible the ordering is dense and has no endpoints.