

**HW 11**  
**Math 125a, Fall 2014**

1. Show that there is a structure  $\mathcal{M}$  interpreting the language with  $0, 1, +, \times$  and  $<$ . satisfying the following conditions.
  - $\mathcal{M}$  is elementarily equivalent to the real numbers with the natural interpretations of the operations.
  - $\mathcal{M}$  has an “infinitesimal” element  $a$  such that  $0 < a$  and for each  $n$ ,  $a < 1/\underbrace{(1 + \cdots + 1)}_{n \text{ times}}$ .
2. For  $\mathcal{M}$  as in the previous problem, show that the sum of two infinitesimal elements of  $\mathcal{M}$  is infinitesimal.
3. Use the Compactness Theorem for first order logic to give another solution to this problem from HW 4: Let  $T$  be an infinite set of finite binary sequences such that for every sequence  $s$ , if  $s$  is in  $T$  then every initial segment of  $s$  is in  $T$ . Show that there is an infinite binary sequence  $P$  such that every finite initial segment of  $P$  is an element of  $T$ .
4. Suppose that  $\prec$  is a partial ordering of  $\mathbb{N}$ . Use the Compactness Theorem for first order logic to show that there is a total ordering  $\prec^*$  of  $\mathbb{N}$  such that for all  $n$  and  $m$  in  $\mathbb{N}$ , if  $n \prec m$  then  $n \prec^* m$ .