

Computability theory

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1 Computational paradigms

Pro^Σ is a $(\Sigma \cup \Sigma_p)$ -p.r. Since each $\mathcal{P} \in Pro^\Sigma$ corresponds to a Σ -recursive function, this entails \mathcal{R} is Σ -p.r. Which means there is an enumeration $\varphi_1, \varphi_2, \dots$ such that every Σ -recursive function f satisfies that $f = \varphi_i$ for some $i \in \mathbb{N}$.

2 Halting function

Recall that we say that \mathcal{P} halts with input \vec{s}, \vec{p} in t steps when:

$$S_{\mathcal{P}}^t(1, \vec{s}, \vec{p}) = (n(\mathcal{P}) + 1, \vec{x}, \vec{w})$$

for any \vec{x}, \vec{w} . Recall too that, if \mathcal{P} halts with input $\omega^n \times \Sigma^{*m}$, we use $\Psi_{\mathcal{P}}^{n,m,\#}$ to denote the value of $N1$ in the halting state. This lead to our definition of Σ -computability, where we said that $f(n, m, \#)$ is Σ -computable if and only if there is a program \mathcal{P} such that

$$f = \Psi_{\mathcal{P}}^{n,m,\#}$$

(and analogously for the alphabetic case). The computability of sets was analogously defined, with S being Σ -computable if and only if $\chi_S^{\omega^n \times \Sigma^{*m}}$ is Σ -computable. With regards to Σ -enumerability, we say a set $S \subseteq \omega^n \times \Sigma^{*m}$ is Σ -enumerable if it is empty or if there is a function $F : \omega \rightarrow \omega^n \times \Sigma^{*m}$ such that $I_F = S$ and $F_{(i)}$ is Σ -computable. In other words, if there are programs $\mathcal{P}_1, \dots, \mathcal{P}_{n+m}$ such that

$$S = \text{Im} \left[\Psi_{\mathcal{P}_1}^{1,0,\#}, \dots, \Psi_{\mathcal{P}_n}^{1,0,\#}, \Psi_{\mathcal{P}_{n+1}}^{1,0,*}, \dots, \Psi_{\mathcal{P}_{n+m}}^{1,0,*} \right]$$

and the domain of each $\Psi_{\mathcal{P}_{n,m,z}}$ is ω .

Given $n, m \in \omega$, we define:

$$\text{Halt}^{n,m} = \lambda t \vec{x} \vec{\alpha} \mathcal{P} \left[i^{n,m}(t, \vec{x}, \vec{\alpha}, \mathcal{P}) = n(\mathcal{P}) + 1 \right]$$