

EXTERNAL ULTRAPRODUCTS OF HOD BY

We assume $V = L(\mathbb{R}) + AD$

Def $M \subseteq L(\mathbb{R})$ is an inner model and $\mu \in L(\mathbb{R})$ a measure on some ordinal.

Define external ultrapower of M , $\text{Ext}(M, \mu)$ using all functions $f \in V$.

$$j_\mu^M : M \rightarrow \text{Ext}(M, \mu)$$

If $M \models AC$ then j_μ^M is fully elementary

Background Woodin used external ultrapowers of HOD to show

$$\text{HOD} \overset{\delta_1^2}{\underset{1}{\text{is strong up to } \Theta \text{ in HOD}}$$

Def (Jackson) w_1^1 is the club measure on w_1

Will be studying $j_{w_1^1} : \text{HOD} \rightarrow \text{Ext}(\text{HOD}, w_1^1)$.

Outline

- (1) (w_1, w_2) - extends from $j_{w_1^1}$
- (2) codes for ordinals less than w_w
- (3) as much $j_{\delta_1^2}$ as I can
- (4) global results

Review of Jackson-Ketchenid paper

(can initial segment property + hypercompactness quantification)

(1) HOD is minimal

Def M is minimal $\iff \exists$ a sentence θ s.t.

(1) $L[M(\delta^M)] \models \theta$

(2) $\forall \gamma < \delta^M \ L[M \upharpoonright \gamma] \not\models \theta$

(2) M, N are l.m. with minimal witnesses by θ and if M, N have comparison

$M \rightsquigarrow P$

$N \rightsquigarrow Q$

} with no drops on either side

w_1 below w_2

Thm HOD and $\text{Ext}(HOD, w_1)$ have a successful comparison (Steel)

Notation $\mu = w_1 \cap HOD$

$\text{Ult}^\alpha(HOD, \mu) = \text{the } \alpha\text{-th u.p.}$

$i_\alpha: HOD \longrightarrow \text{Ult}^\alpha(HOD, \mu)$ the embedding

Then if $HOD \mapsto P$
 $Ext \mapsto Q$

Then in the first w_2 steps the Ext does not move while HOD iterates μ .

w_2^V is the least measurable. Analogously HOD adds μ . \square

Then let E be (w_1, w_2) -extender derived from J_{w_1} and let $\{\xi_\alpha \mid \alpha < \delta\}$ enumerate the generators. Let $\mu_\alpha =$ the measure on ξ_α derived from

$$Ult(HOD, E \upharpoonright \xi_\alpha) \rightarrow Ult(HOD, E)$$

the

(1) $\mu_\alpha = \mu_\alpha(w_1)$

(2) $\mu_\alpha = \mu_\alpha(\mu)$

Lemma (3-12) Let M be an iterate of HOD.

Let $\kappa \in M$ be an M -cardinal s.t. there are no total extenders overlapping κ . Let $\mathcal{N} \subseteq O_\kappa$ be a proper class. Then

$$P(\kappa)^M \subseteq Hull^{\mathcal{N}}(\kappa \cup \mathcal{N})$$

Pf: $M \mapsto P$

$Hull^{\mathcal{N}} \cap Q \quad \text{cut}(i_{\mathcal{N}}) \geq \kappa$

\square

Pf of Thm If at $\alpha < \omega_2$ is

(i) $\beta \leq \alpha \rightarrow \xi_\beta = i_\beta(\omega_1)$

(ii) $\mu_\beta = i_\beta(\mu)$

Verify for $\alpha+1$: Assume $\xi_{\alpha+1} < i_{\alpha+1}(\omega_1)$

Now $\xi_{\alpha+1} = i_{\alpha, \alpha+1}(f)(\xi_\alpha)$

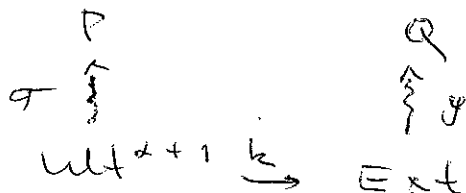
where $f: \xi_\alpha \rightarrow \xi_\alpha$

f is definable in $\text{Ult}^\alpha(\text{HOD}, \mu)$ from ordinals in $\xi_\alpha \cap \Pi$ where $\Pi \subseteq \text{Ord}$ is fixed by i_γ, i_γ and κ . So $i_{\alpha, \alpha+1}(f)$ is definable in $\text{Ult}^{\alpha+1}(\text{HOD}, \mu)$ from $\xi_\alpha \cup \Pi$ so $\xi_{\alpha+1}$ is definable in $\text{Ult}^{\alpha+1}(\text{HOD}, \mu)$ from $\xi_\alpha \cup \{\xi_\alpha\} \cup \Pi$.

Point $\xi_{\alpha+1} = \tau(\bar{\beta})$ when $\bar{\beta}$ is fixed

by all maps. So

$$\xi_{\alpha+1} = \tau^P(\bar{\beta}) = \tau^Q(\bar{\beta}) = i_\beta^Q(k(\xi_{\alpha+1})) > \xi_{\alpha+1}$$



Assume $A \in \mu_{\alpha+1} \setminus i_{\alpha+1}(\mu)$.

Similarly $A = \tau^{\text{ult}^{\alpha+1}}(\bar{\beta})$ where $\bar{\beta}$ is fixed

by k, i_g, i_y . Then

$$i_\alpha(\omega_1) \in k(A) = \tau^{\text{Ext}}(\bar{\beta})$$

$$i_\alpha(\omega_1) \notin i_\gamma(A) = \tau^P(\bar{\beta})$$

$$\text{crit}(i_y) \succ i_{\alpha+1}(\omega_1)$$

$$i_{\alpha+1}(\omega_1) \in i_y(k(A)) = \tau^Q(\bar{\beta}) = \tau^P(\bar{\beta}) \quad \square$$

Codes for ordinals α_u

Fact (Martin) : $j_{\omega_1^m}(\omega_1) = \omega_{m+1}$

(essentially $\delta_{\omega_1}^1 = \omega_{\omega_1}$)

So $f: \omega_1^m \rightarrow \omega_1$, view f as coding $[f]_{\omega_1^m} < \omega_\omega$

Question (J-K) Which ordinals are coded by $f \in \text{HOD}$

Def $f: \omega_1^m \rightarrow \omega_1$ "codes a gap" iff $f \in \text{HOD}$

$$\sup \{ \tau(g) \mid g \in \text{HOD} \wedge \tau(g) < \tau(f) \} < \tau(f)$$

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Thm (3-k) For $f: w_1 \rightarrow w_2$, $f \in \text{HOD}$,
 f does not begin a gap.

Thm $f: w_1^m \rightarrow w_2$ $f \in \text{HOD}$ then f begins a gap iff
 $\text{cof}^{\text{Ult}(\text{HOD}, \mu^m)}(f)_{\mu^m} \in \{i_1(w_1), \dots, i_{m-1}(w_1)\}$

Pf for $m=2$.

Key idea: $\text{HOD} \xrightarrow{i_{\mu^2}} \text{Ult}(\text{HOD}, \mu^2)$
 $\downarrow \quad \swarrow k$
 $i_{w_1^2} \quad \text{Ext}(\text{HOD}, w_1^2)$

Analyze k . Let F be extender that comes from iterating $i_1(\mu)$ w_2 times

Fact 1 $\text{Ult}(\text{Ult}(\text{HOD}, \mu^2), F) = \text{Ult}^{w_2+1}(\text{HOD}, \mu)$

Pf Let $M \triangleleft \text{Ult}(\text{HOD}, \mu \times \mu)$

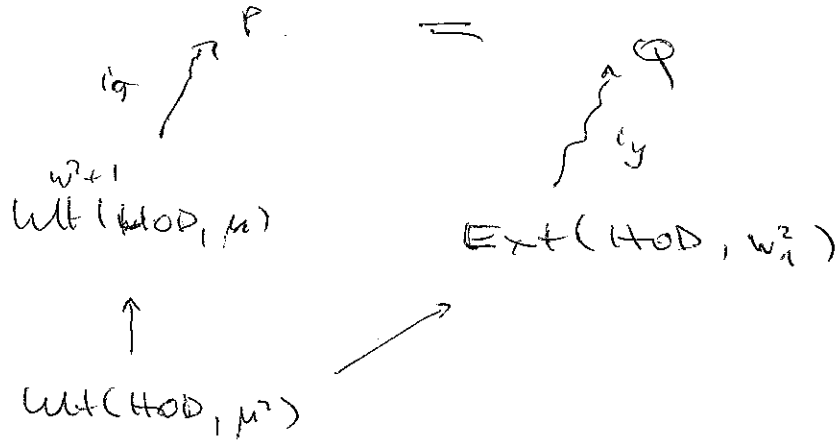
WTS: $i_F(M) \triangleleft \text{Ult}^{w_2+1}(\text{HOD}, \mu)$

$\text{Ult}(\text{HOD}, \mu) \models M$ is an l.s. of $\text{Ult}(\text{HOD}, \mu)$ by $i_1(\mu)$

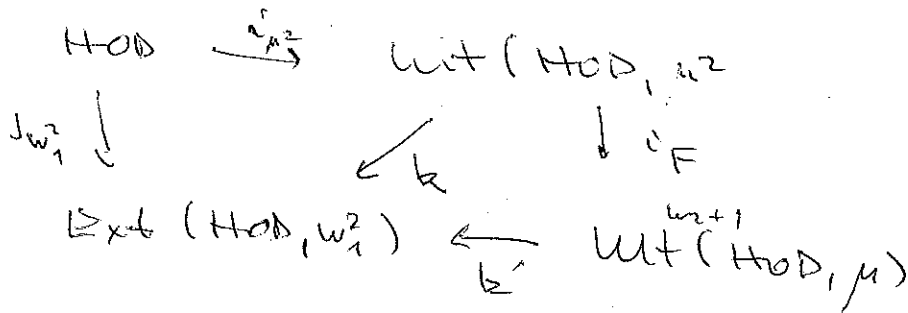
Now apply F . \square

Fact F is the $(i(w_1), w_2)$ -extender derived from k .

Pf



Now run the argument as above using definability from a class of ordinals that are fixed. \square



f being a gap iff k is discontinuous at $[f]_{\mu^2}$.

$\text{crit}(k) = i_{w_{2+1}}(w_1)$ and $i_{w_{2+1}}(w_1) > i_F([f]_{\mu \times \mu})$

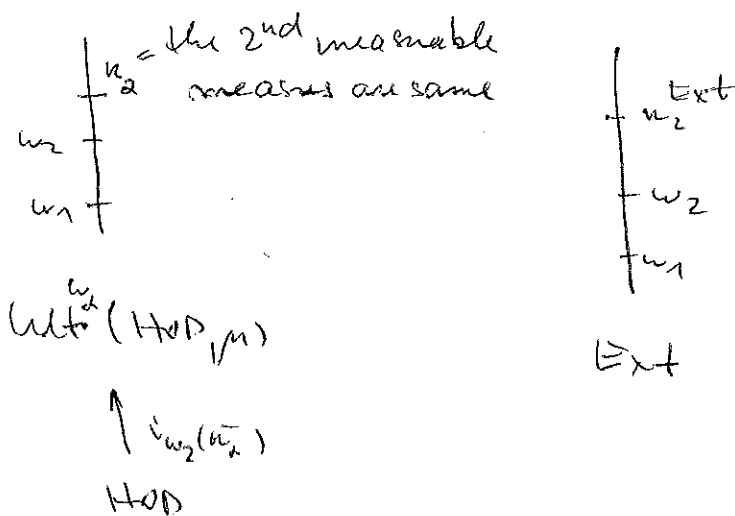
so k is discontinuous at $[f]_{\mu \times \mu}$ iff

i_F is discontinuous at $[f]_{\mu \times \mu}$ iff

$i_F^{\text{Ut}(HOD, \mu \times \mu)}([f]_{\mu \times \mu}) = i_1(w_1)$ \square

J_{w_1} and the order 0 measures

Let μ be the least measurable of Mitchell order 1 in HOD and let $\delta = \sup J_{w_1}[k]$. We can analyze the (w_1, δ) -extension from J_{w_1} .



i_{w_2} is continuous at \bar{u}_2 while J_{w_1} is not.