

# On the extending of models (IV) \*

#### Infinite sums of models

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In this paper we consider the problem how to characterize those elementarily definable classes  ${\mathfrak A}$  of models which have the following property:

for every increasing sequence of models  $\{\mathfrak{M}_n\}_{n=1,2,...}$ 

$$\text{if} \quad \mathfrak{M}_n \in \mathfrak{A} \quad \text{ for } \quad n=1,2,..., \quad \text{ then } \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathfrak{M}_n \in \mathfrak{A} \ .$$

We call such classes  $\sigma$ -classes of models. The class of all groups is, for example, a  $\sigma$ -class of models. The sum of an arbitrary increasing sequence of groups is a group.

The theorems concerning the problem of  $\sigma$ -classes are given in § 3. But the central point of our paper consists in lemma 4 given in § 2.

#### 1. Terms and notation

In what follows we are concerned with elementary theories (with identity)  $E_1, E_2, E_3, E_4$ , which are nearly analogous to those investigated previously <sup>1</sup>). For reasons of simplicity, in the theory  $E_1$  we have, as extralogical constants, one sign of relation r and one sign of function f only. In the theory  $E_2$ , apart from signs of the theory  $E_1$ , there are some new signs  $q_i$  (i=1,2,...). The signs  $q_i$  may be individual constants or signs of function. Therefore the models in the theories  $E_1$  and  $E_2$  are of the forms

(4) 
$$\langle A, R, F \rangle$$
 and  $\langle A, R, F, Q_1, Q_2, ... \rangle$ 

respectively. If one introduces into  $E_1$  and  $E_2$  a family of individual constants  $\{g_a\}$  where the index a runs over the set A, then one obtains

the theories  $E_3$  and  $E_4$ . It is clear that in the theories  $E_3$  and  $E_4$  we may formulate, by considering the constants  $g_a$  as names of elements  $a \in A$ , the descriptions (see [3], § 4) of models ( $\Delta$ ) for  $E_1$  and  $E_2$  respectively.

If  $\mathfrak{M}_k$  is a model for  $E_k$  (k=1,2), then  $E_k(\mathfrak{M}_k)$  is the set of all sentences  $\alpha \in E_k$  fulfilled in  $\mathfrak{M}_k$ ; analogously  $E_{k+2}(\mathfrak{M}_k)$  is the set of all sentences  $\alpha \in E_{k+2}$  fulfilled in  $\mathfrak{M}_k$  (k=1,2).

The sequence of models  $\{\mathfrak{M}_n\}_{n=1,2,\dots}$  is called *increasing* if for every n,  $\mathfrak{M}_n$  is a submodel of  $\mathfrak{M}_{n+1}$ . If  $\{\mathfrak{M}_n\}_{n=1,2,\dots}$  is an increasing sequence of models, then the sum  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty}\mathfrak{M}_n$  is the least model of which every model  $\mathfrak{M}_n$  is a submodel. It is clear that for every increasing sequence of models  $\{\mathfrak{M}_n\}_{n=1,2,\dots}$  the sum  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty}\mathfrak{M}_n$  exists, for the operations in  $\mathfrak{M}_n$  are finitary and the sequence is infinite.

We limit our considerations to the field of sentences, *i. e.* well-formed formulas without free variables. A sentence  $\alpha \in E_k$  is called  $\Pi$ -sentence,  $\prod \sum$ -sentence or  $\sum \Pi$ -sentence if there is a sentence  $\beta \in E_k$  of the form

$$\prod_{x_1} \dots \prod_{x_n} \gamma(x_1, \dots, x_n),$$

$$\prod_{x_1} \dots \prod_{x_n} \sum_{y_1} \dots \sum_{y_m} \gamma(x_1, \dots, x_n, y_1, \dots, y_m),$$

$$\sum_{x_1} \dots \sum_{x_n} \prod_{y_1} \dots \prod_{y_m} \gamma(x_1, \dots, x_n, y_1, \dots, y_m)$$

respectively, containing only the indicated quantifiers and no free variables and such that the equivalence  $a \equiv \beta$  is a tautology,  $i.\ e.\ (a \equiv \beta) \in Cn(0)$ .

Let  $\{\mathfrak{M}_n\}_{n=1,2,\dots}$  be an increasing sequence of models in the theory  $E_1$ . We call a sentence  $a \in E_1$  persistent in this sequence if the sentence a fulfils the condition:

if for every 
$$n = \alpha \in E_1(\mathfrak{M}_n)$$
, then  $\alpha \in E_1\left(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathfrak{M}_n\right)$ .

It is quite clear that every  $\Pi$ -sentence is persistent in every increasing sequence of models. The same holds for  $\Pi\Sigma$ -sentences also. On the other hand there are  $\Sigma\Pi$ -sentences which are not persistent in some increasing sequences of models <sup>2</sup>). Making use of the theorem on extending of models with secondary conditions [3] we can show that for

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<sup>1)</sup> See [3], chapters 1 and 2. We assume here notions and notation used in that paper with a few exceptions mentioned explicitely in the text above.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) The axiomatics for ordered sets with a least element is a  $\sum \prod$ -sentence which is not persistent in the sequence of models  $\mathfrak{M}_n = \{1, 2, ..., n\}$ .

every sentence  $\alpha$  which is not both  $\prod \sum$ -sentence and  $\sum \prod$ -sentence there is an increasing sequence of models in which either  $\alpha$  or  $\alpha'$  is not persistent <sup>3</sup>).

We mention here the following result obtained by Ryll-Nardzewski: if  $\{\mathfrak{M}_n\}_{n=1,2,\dots}$  is an increasing sequence of models and  $\alpha \in E_1(\mathfrak{M}_n)$  for every  $n=1,2,\dots$ , then there is a model  $\mathfrak{M}$  such that  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty}\mathfrak{M}_n \subset \mathfrak{M}$  and  $\alpha \in E_1(\mathfrak{M})^4$ .

#### 2. Lemmas

LEMMA 1. Let D be a non-empty additive and multiplicative subset of some Boolean algebra B and let  $\{b_k\}_{k=1,2,...}$  be a sequence of elements of B such that  $b_k \leqslant b_{k+1}$  for every k=1,2,... If the sequence  $\{b_k\}_{k=1,2,...}$  satisfies the condition

(\*) if 
$$b_k \leqslant d \leqslant b_{k+m}$$
 then  $d \notin D$ ,

then there exist in B two prime ideals, J1 and J2, such that

- 1)  $b_k \in J_1$  for every k=1,2,...,
- 2)  $b_1' \in J_2$  (consequently  $b_k' \in J_2$ ),
- 3)  $J_1 \cap D \subset J_2$ .

Proof. Let J(A) be the least ideal containing the set

$$A = \underset{x \in B}{F} (b_1 \leqslant x' \in D).$$

We are going to prove that  $b_k' \in J(A)$ . Let us suppose, on the contrary, that  $b_k' \in J(A)$ . This means that  $b_k' \leqslant a_1 + \dots + a_n$  where  $a_i \in A$ , and consequently  $b_1 \leqslant a_i' \in D$ . Therefore  $b_1 \leqslant a_1' \cdot \dots \cdot a_n' \leqslant b_k$ , which contradicts (\*). Let  $J_1$  be a prime ideal such that  $J(A) \subset J_1$  and  $b_k \in J_1$  for every  $k = 1, 2, \dots$  and let  $J(J_1 \cap D)$  be the least ideal containing the set  $J_1 \cap D$ . If we suppose that  $b_1 \in J(J_1 \cap D)$ , then we have  $b_1 \leqslant d = d_1 + \dots + d_n$  for some  $d_1, \dots, d_n \in J_1 \cap D$ . It follows that  $d \in J_1 \cap D$ , and consequently  $d \in J_1$ ,  $d' \in J_1$  and  $d' \in A$ . On the other hand we have  $d' \in A$ , which follows from

the previously stated relation  $b_1 \leq d \in D$ . Therefore  $b_1 \in J(J_1 \cap D)$ . If we extend the ideal  $J(J_1 \cap D)$  to a prime ideal  $J_2$  such that  $b_1 \in J_2$ , then we see that the ideals  $J_1$  and  $J_2$  satisfy our lemma.

LEMMA 2. Let Z = Cn(Z) be a consistent system and let  $\{\beta_k\}_{k=1,2,...}$  be a sequence of sentences in  $E_1$  such that  $(\beta_{k+1} \rightarrow \beta_k) \in Cn(Z)$  for every k=1,2,... If this sequence satisfies the condition

(\*\*) if 
$$(\beta_{k+m} \to \delta) \land (\delta \to \beta_k) \in Cn(Z)$$
 then  $\delta$  is not a  $\prod \sum$ -sentence,

then there exist in  $E_1$  two consistent complete systems  $X,\,Y$  containing the system Z and such that

- 1)  $\beta_k \in X$  for every k=1,2,...,
- 2)  $\beta_1' \in Y$  (consequently  $\beta_k' \in Y$ ),
- 3) every  $\prod \sum$ -sentence belonging to X belongs to Y also.

Proof. Our lemma follows immediately from lemma 1 in view of the fact that complete consistent systems containing a system Z are prime ideals in the field of sentences modulo Z and that the set of all  $\prod \sum_{i}$ -sentences is additive and multiplicative.

LEMMA 3. If  $\mathfrak{M} = \langle A, R, F \rangle$  is a model in  $E_1$  and X = Cn(X), Y = Cn(Y) are two consistent systems in  $E_1$  such that  $Y \subset E_1(\mathfrak{M})$  and every  $\prod \sum$ -sentence belonging to X belongs to Y also, then the set  $X \cup Z$  is consistent, where Z is the set of all  $\prod$ -sentences in  $E_3$  which are fulfilled in  $\mathfrak{M}$ .

Proof. The sets X,Z are, of course, multiplicative. Therefore if the set  $X \cup Z$  is inconsistent, then there is a sentence  $\alpha \in X$  and a  $\prod$ -sentence

$$\prod_{x_1} \dots \prod_{x_n} \eta(g_{a_1}, \dots, g_{a_m}, x_1, \dots, x_n)$$

belonging to  $Z \subset E_3(\mathfrak{M})$  where  $a_1, ..., a_m \in A$  and such that

$$\left(\alpha \wedge \prod_{x_1} \dots \prod_{x_n} \eta(g_{a_1}, \dots, g_{a_n}, x_1, \dots, x_n)\right)'$$

is a tautology. Consequently the sentence

$$a \rightarrow \sum_{x_1} \dots \sum_{x_n} \eta'(g_{a_1}, \dots, g_{a_n}, x_1, \dots, x_n)$$

is a tautology. In view of the fact that  $\alpha \in X$  and the constants  $g_{a_k}$  (k=1,2,...,m) do not occur in  $\alpha$ , it follows that the sentence

$$\prod_{y_1} \dots \prod_{y_m} \sum_{x_1} \dots \sum_{x_n} \eta'(y_1, \dots, y_m, x_1, \dots, x_n)$$

<sup>3)</sup> We construct two consistent systems  $X_1$  and  $X_2$  such that  $\alpha \in X_1$ ,  $\alpha' \in X_2$  and  $O \cap X_1 = O \cap X_2$ , where O is the set of all  $\prod$ -sentences. Then one can extend every model of  $X_1$  to the model of  $X_2$  and conversely. It follows that there is an increasing sequence of models  $\{\mathfrak{M}_n\}_{n=1,2,\dots}$  such that  $\alpha \in X_1 \subset E_1(\mathfrak{M}_{2n-1})$ ,  $\alpha' \in X_2 \subset E_1(\mathfrak{M}_{2n})$ , and  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathfrak{M}_{2n-1} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathfrak{M}_{2n-1} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathfrak{M}_{2n}$ .

<sup>4)</sup> Obviously, every  $\prod$ -sentence belonging to the system Cn(a) is fulfilled in the model  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathfrak{M}_n$ . Therefore we can make the required extension.

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belongs to X and consequently to Y. But this is impossible, because the contradictory sentence

$$\sum_{y_1} \cdots \sum_{y_m} \prod_{x_1} \cdots \prod_{x_n} \eta(y_1, \dots, y_m, x_1, \dots, x_n)$$

is fulfilled in M

LEMMA 4. Let Z=Cn(Z) be a consistent system in  $E_1$  and let  $\{\beta_k\}_{k=1,2,...}$  be a sequence of sentences in  $E_1$  such that  $(\beta_{k+1}\to\beta_k)\in Cn(Z)$  for every k=1,2,... If this sequence satisfies the condition (\*\*) of lemma 2, then there exists an increasing sequence of models  $\{\mathfrak{M}_n\}_{n=1,2,...}$  such that:

- 1)  $Z \subseteq E_1(\mathfrak{M}_n)$  i. e.  $\mathfrak{M}_n \in \mathfrak{A}(Z)$  for all n,
- 2)  $\beta_k \in E_1(\mathfrak{M}_n)$  for all k, n

and

3) 
$$\beta_1 \in E_1\left(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathfrak{M}_n\right)$$
.

Proof. We take a sequence  $\{\beta_k\}_{k=1,2,\dots}$  of sentences in  $E_1$ . Let  $\gamma_k \in E_1$  be a sentence of normal form in  $E_1$  such that the equivalence  $\beta_k' \equiv \gamma_k$  is a tautology, and let  $\gamma_k^* \in E_2$  be the generalization of the open solution  $^5$ ) of  $\gamma_k$ . If, for example,  $\beta_k$  is of the form

$$\prod_{x} \sum_{y} \prod_{z} \alpha(x, y, z)$$

where a(x,y,z) is an open formula, then the sentences  $\gamma_k \in E_1$  and  $\gamma_k^* \in E_2$  are of the form

$$\sum_{x}\prod_{y}\sum_{z}lpha'(x,y,z)$$
 and  $\prod_{y}lpha'(q_{1},y,q_{2}(y))$ 

respectively.

Let Z=Cn(Z) be a consistent system in  $E_1$  and let the sequence  $\{\beta_k\}_{k=1,2,\dots}$  satisfy the conditions:

$$(\beta_{k+1} \rightarrow \beta_k) \in Cn(Z)$$
 for all  $k$ ,

if 
$$(\beta_{k+m} \rightarrow \delta) \wedge (\delta \rightarrow \beta_k) \in Cn(Z)$$
 then  $\delta$  is not a  $\prod \sum$ -sentence.

According to lemma 2 there are two consistent systems  $X_1, X_2$  in  $E_1$  (where  $X_1$  is complete) such that  $Z \subset X_1 \cap X_2$ ,  $\beta_k \in X_1$  for all  $k=1,2,\ldots$ ,  $\beta_1' \in X_2$  and

(\*\*) every 
$$\prod \sum$$
-sentence belonging to  $X_1$  belongs to  $X_2$ .

The system  $Y = Cn(X_2 \cup \{\gamma_1^*\})$  is consistent in  $E_2$  and contains the system Z. It follows that there is a model

$$\mathfrak{M}_1 = \langle A_1, R_1, F_1, Q_{11}, Q_{12}, \ldots \rangle$$

in the class  $\mathfrak{A}(Z)$  such that  $Y \subset E_2(\mathfrak{M}_1)$  and consequently  $X_2 \subset E_1(\mathfrak{M}_1)$ . We shorten the model  $\mathfrak{M}_1$ , *i. e.* we consider the model

$$\mathfrak{M}_2 = \langle A_2, R_2, F_2 \rangle$$

such that  $A_2=A_1$ ,  $R_2=R_1$ ,  $F_2=F_1$ . Evidently  $X_2 \subset E_1(\mathfrak{M}_2)$ .

We join to the theory  $E_1$  a family of individual constants  $\{g_a\}_{a\in A_1=A_2}$ . We obtain in this way the theory  $E_3$ . Let us consider now the set  $Z_0$  of all  $\prod$ -sentences in  $E_3$  which are fulfilled in the model  $\mathfrak{M}_2$ . By lemma 3 we see that the set  $X_1 \cup Z_0$  is consistent. We prove that

(\*\*) every  $\prod$ -sentence in  $E_1$  belonging to the set  $Cn(X_1 \cup Z_0)$  belongs to  $X_2$ .

Evidently every  $\prod$ -sentence is a  $\prod \sum$ -sentence and therefore, by  $\binom{**}{*}$  every  $\prod$ -sentence belonging to  $X_1$  belongs to  $X_2$ . Suppose now that there is a  $\prod$ -sentence  $\alpha$  in  $E_1$  such that  $\alpha \in Cn(X_1 \cup Z_0)$  and  $\alpha \in X_2$ . Consequently  $\alpha \in X_1$ . On the other hand it follows by the multiplicativity of the set  $Z_0$  that there is in  $Z_0 \subset E_3(\mathfrak{M}_2)$  a  $\prod$ -sentence  $\xi$  of the form

$$\prod_{x_1} \dots \prod_{x_n} \eta(g_{a_1}, \dots, g_{a_m}, x_1, \dots, x_n)$$

for example, such that  $(\xi \to \alpha) \in Cn(X_1)$ . The constants  $g_{a_1}, \dots, g_{a_m}$  do not occur either in  $\alpha$  or in the sentences belonging to  $X_1$ . Thus we have  $(\xi^* \to \alpha) \in Cn(X_1)$  where  $\xi^*$  is the sentence in  $E_1$  of the form

$$\sum_{y_1} \dots \sum_{y_m} \prod_{x_1} \dots \prod_{x_n} \eta(y_1, \dots, y_m, x_1, \dots, x_n).$$

But  $\xi^* \in Cn(Z_0)$ . So we infer from the completeness of the system  $X_1$  and from the consistency of the set  $X_1 \cup Z_0$  that  $\xi^* \in X_1$ . Consequently  $\alpha \in X_1$ , which is impossible.

Let us return now to the model  $\mathfrak{M}_2$ . We apply to it the theorem on the existence of extensions of models with secondary conditions (Theorem 3.1 in [3]). Then, making use of  $\binom{**}{**}$ , we infer that there exists a model

$$\mathfrak{M}_3 = \langle A_3, R_3, F_3 \rangle$$

in  $E_3$  such that  $X_1 \cup Z_0 \subset E_3(\mathfrak{M}_3)$  and  $\mathfrak{M}_2$  is a submodel of it. Evidently  $X_1 \subset E_1(\mathfrak{M}_3)$ .

<sup>5)</sup> For the notion of the open solution see [2], chapter 27. The open solution = -,,aufgelöste Form" in [1].

Finally we prove that there is a model

$$\mathfrak{M}_4 = \langle A_4, R_4, F_4, Q_{41}, Q_{42}, ... \rangle$$

which is an extension of the two models,  $\mathfrak{M}_1$  and  $\mathfrak{M}_3$ , and such that  $Y \subset E_2(\mathfrak{M}_4)$ , and consequently  $X_2 \subset E_1(\mathfrak{M}_4)$ . Let us assume, on the contrary, that such a model does not exist. We then construct from  $E_2$  the theory  $E_4$  by joining to it a family of individual constants  $\{g_a\}_{a \in A_3}$ . In  $E_4$  we can formulate the descriptions of the models  $\mathfrak{M}_1$  and  $\mathfrak{M}_3$ , denoted by  $D(\mathfrak{M}_1)$  and  $D(\mathfrak{M}_3)$ . From the assumption it follows that the set

$$Y \cup D(\mathfrak{M}_1) \cup D(\mathfrak{M}_3)$$
,

i. e. the set

$$Y \cup (D(\mathfrak{M}_3) - D(\mathfrak{M}_1)) \cup D(\mathfrak{M}_1)$$

is inconsistent. Therefore there exist some sentences  $\alpha_1, \ldots, \alpha_k$  belonging to  $D(\mathfrak{M}_3) - D(\mathfrak{M}_1)$  such that  $\alpha' \in Cn(Y \cup D(\mathfrak{M}_1))$  where  $\alpha$  stands for the conjunction  $\alpha_1 \wedge \ldots \wedge \alpha_k$ . Let us write the sentence  $\alpha'$  in the form

$$\eta(g_{a_1},\ldots,g_{a_m},g_{a_{m+1}},\ldots,g_{a_{m+s}})$$

where  $a_1, ..., a_m \in A_1 = A_2$  and  $a_{m+1}, ..., a_{m+n} \in A_3 - A_1$  indicate all constants g occurring in a'. From the fact that constants  $g_a$  such that  $a \in A_3 - A_1$  do not occur in the sentences of the set  $Y \cup D(\mathfrak{M}_1)$  we conclude that the sentence

$$\prod_{\mathbf{x}_1} \dots \prod_{\mathbf{x}_n} \eta(g_{a_1}, \dots, g_{a_n}, x_1, \dots, x_n)$$

belongs to the set  $Cn(Y \cup D(\mathfrak{M}_1))$ , and consequently to the set  $E_3(\mathfrak{M}_1)$  also. In view of the fact that  $E_3(\mathfrak{M}_1) \subset E_3(\mathfrak{M}_2)$  it follows that this sentence is satisfied in  $\mathfrak{M}_2$ . On the other hand this sentence is not satisfied in  $\mathfrak{M}_3$  because  $\alpha_1, \ldots, \alpha_k \in D(\mathfrak{M}_3)$  and consequently  $\alpha' \notin E_4(\mathfrak{M}_3)$ . Thus we arrive at the false conclusion that there is a  $\prod$ -sentence in  $E_3(\mathfrak{M}_2)$ , (i. e. a sentence belonging to the set  $Z_0$ ) which is not satisfied in  $\mathfrak{M}_3$ .

Starting from the model  $\mathfrak{M}_4$  we obtain the models  $\mathfrak{M}_5$ ,  $\mathfrak{M}_6$ ,  $\mathfrak{M}_7$  in the same manner as we have obtained the models  $\mathfrak{M}_2$ ,  $\mathfrak{M}_3$ ,  $\mathfrak{M}_4$  from the model  $\mathfrak{M}_1$ . If we repeat this reasoning, we shall arrive at an increasing sequence of models  $\{\mathfrak{M}_n\}_{n=1,2,\dots}$  such that

$$\begin{array}{cccc} \gamma_1^* \in Y \subset E_2(\mathfrak{M}_{3n-2}) & \text{and} & \beta_1' \in X_2 \subset E_1(\mathfrak{M}_{3n-2}) \,, \\ \beta_1' \in X_2 \subset E_1(\mathfrak{M}_{3n-1}) & \text{and} & \beta_k \in X_1 \subset E_1(\mathfrak{M}_{3n}) & \text{for every} & k = 1, 2, \dots \end{array}$$

In view of the fact that  $Z \subset X_1 \cap X_2$  it follows that all models  $\mathfrak{M}_{3n}$  belong to the class  $\mathfrak{U}(Z)$ . It remains to prove that  $\beta_1 \notin E_1(\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \mathfrak{M}_{3n})$ . If

$$\begin{split} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty}\mathfrak{M}_{3n} &= \langle A\,, R\,, F\rangle \quad \text{then} \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty}\mathfrak{M}_{3n-2} = \langle A\,, R\,, F\,, Q_1\,, Q_2\,, \ldots\rangle \quad \text{and therefore} \\ E_1(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty}\mathfrak{M}_{3n-2}) &= E_1(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty}\mathfrak{M}_{3n})\,. \quad \text{The sentence } \gamma_1^* \text{ is a } \prod\text{-sentence and consequently } \gamma_1^* \in E_2(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty}\mathfrak{M}_{3n-2})\,. \quad \text{It follows that } \beta_1' \in E_1(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty}\mathfrak{M}_{3n-2})\,, \quad \beta_1 \in E_1(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty}\mathfrak{M}_{3n-2})\,\\ \text{and finally } \beta_1 \notin E_1(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty}\mathfrak{M}_{3n})\,, \quad \text{q. e. d.} \end{split}$$

#### 3. Theorems

THEOREM 1. All  $\prod \sum$ -sentences, and only those sentences are persistent in every increasing sequence of models.

Proof. It is obvious that all  $\prod \sum$ -sentences are persistent in all increasing sequences of models. It remains to prove that all persistent sentences are  $\prod \sum$ -sentences. To prove this we take a sentence  $\beta_0$  which is not a  $\prod \sum$ -sentence. We apply the lemma 4 putting Z = Cn(0) = set of tautologies and  $\beta_k = \beta_0$  for all k. It follows that there exists an increasing sequence of models  $\{\mathfrak{M}_n\}_{n=1,2,\dots}$  such that  $\beta_0 \in E_1(\mathfrak{M}_n)$  for all n and  $\beta_0 \notin E_1(\mathfrak{M}_n)$ . Therefore  $\beta_0$  is not persistent.

THEOREM 2. Let  $\mathfrak{A}(X)$  be an elementarily definable class of models. The class  $\mathfrak{A}(X)$  is a  $\sigma$ -class if and only if there exists a set Y of  $\prod \sum$ -sentences such that  $\mathfrak{A}(X) = \mathfrak{A}(Y)$  or, which is equivalent, Cn(X) = Cn(Y).

Proof. Suppose that there exists a set Y of  $\prod \sum$ -sentences such that  $\mathfrak{A}(X) = \mathfrak{A}(Y)$  and take an increasing sequence of models  $\{\mathfrak{M}_n\}_{n=1,2,...}$  such that  $\mathfrak{M}_n \in \mathfrak{A}(X)$  for all n. It follows that  $Y \subset E_1(\mathfrak{M}_n)$  for all n and consequently  $Y \subset E_1(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathfrak{M}_n)$ . In other words  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathfrak{M}_n \in \mathfrak{A}(Y) = \mathfrak{A}(X)$ . Therefore  $\mathfrak{A}(X)$  is a  $\sigma$ -class.

To prove the necessity of our condition we consider the set  $Y_0 = \sum_{\alpha \in Cn(X)} (\alpha \text{ is a } \prod \sum$ -sentence). Clearly  $Cn(Y_0) \subset Cn(X)$ . We prove that  $Cn(X) \subset Cn(Y_0)$ . Suppose on the contrary that  $Cn(X) - Cn(Y_0) = X_0 \neq 0$ . Let  $\{\alpha_n\}_{n=1,2,\dots}$  be the sequence of all elements of  $X_0$  and  $\beta_k$  the conjunction  $\alpha_1 \wedge \dots \wedge \alpha_k$ . The system  $Cn(Y_0)$  and the sequence  $\{\beta_k\}_{k=1,2,\dots}$  satisfy the assumptions of lemma 4. Namely, it is obvious that  $(\beta_{k+1} \to \beta_k) \in Cn(Y_0)$ . On the other hand, if  $\delta$  is a  $\prod \sum$ -sentence and  $(\beta_{k+m} \to \delta) \wedge (\delta \to \beta_k) \in Cn(Y_0)$ , then  $\delta \in Cn(Y_0 \cup \{\beta_{k+m}\}) \subset Cn(X)$ . Consequently  $\delta \in Y_0$  and  $\beta_k \in Cn(Y_0)$ . But this is a contradiction because  $\beta_k \in Cn(X) - Cn(Y_0)$ . Therefore by lemma 4, there is an increasing sequence of models  $\{\mathfrak{M}_n\}_{n=1,2,\dots}$ 

such that  $Cn(Y_0) \subset E_1(\mathfrak{M}_n)$  for all n and  $\beta_k \in E_1(\mathfrak{M}_n)$  for all k,n but  $\beta_1 \in E_1(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathfrak{M}_n)$ . It follows that  $X \subset E_1(\mathfrak{M}_n)$  for every n and  $X \subset E_1(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathfrak{M}_n)$ . In other words, all models  $\mathfrak{M}_n$  belong to the class  $\mathfrak{A}(X)$  but  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathfrak{M}_n \in \mathfrak{A}(X)$ . The class  $\mathfrak{A}(X)$  is not a  $\sigma$ -class, q. e. d.

THEOREM 3. Let  $\mathfrak{A}_0=\mathfrak{A}(Z)$  be a  $\sigma$ -class of models definable by the set of axioms  $Z \subset E_1$  and let  $\beta$  be a sentence in  $E_1$ . The class  $\mathfrak{A}_1=\mathfrak{A}(Z+\{\beta\})$  is a  $\sigma$ -class if and only if the sentence  $\beta$  is a  $\prod \sum$ -sentence over the axiomatics Z, i. e. if there is a  $\prod \sum$ -sentence  $\gamma$  such that  $\beta \equiv \gamma \in Cn(Z)$ .

Proof. According to theorem 2 we can assume that every sentence belonging to the set Z is a  $\prod \sum$ -sentence. If  $\mathfrak{A}(Z+\{\beta\})$  is a  $\sigma$ -class, then it follows, from theorem 2 again, that there is a set Y of  $\prod \sum$ -sentences such that  $Cn(Z+\{\beta\}=Cn(Y))$ . Therefore  $\beta \in Cn(Y)$ . Consequently  $\beta \in Cn(\gamma) \subset Cn(Z+\{\gamma\})$  where  $\gamma = \gamma_1 \wedge \ldots \wedge \gamma_n$  for some  $\gamma_i \in Y$ . It is clear that  $\gamma$  is a  $\prod \sum$ -sentence. On the other hand,  $\gamma \in Cn(Y) \subset Cn(Z+\{\beta\})$ . Therefore  $\beta \equiv \gamma \in Cn(Z)$ .

Suppose now that  $\gamma$  is a  $\prod \Sigma$ -sentence and  $\beta \equiv \gamma \in Cn(Z)$ . It follows that  $\mathfrak{A}_1 = \mathfrak{A}(Z + \{\beta\}) = \mathfrak{A}(Z + \{\gamma\})$ . If  $\mathfrak{M}_n \in \mathfrak{A}_1$  for n = 1, 2, ..., then  $\mathfrak{M}_n \in \mathfrak{A}_0$  is a  $\sigma$ -class and  $\gamma$  is a  $\prod \Sigma$ -sentence we infer that  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathfrak{M}_n \in \mathfrak{A}_0$  and  $\gamma \in E_1(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathfrak{M}_n)$ . It follows that  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathfrak{M}_n \in \mathfrak{A}(Z + \{\gamma\})$ , i. e.  $\mathfrak{A}_1$  is a  $\sigma$ -class.

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# On the definitions of computable real continuous functions

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In this paper I shall prove the equivalence of some definitions of computable real continuous functions. Let us assume the following abbreviations:  $\mathcal{N} =$  the set of natural numbers,  $\mathcal{T} =$  the set of all integers,  $\mathcal{R} =$  the set of real numbers,  $\mathfrak{F} = \mathcal{T}^{\mathfrak{I}}$  (the class of functions defined over the set  $\mathcal{I}$  and assuming the values from  $\mathcal{I}$ ), Com = the class of computable (general recursive) integral functions,  $\mathfrak{Com} \subset \mathfrak{F}$ ,  $\mathcal{K} =$  the class of computable functionals in the sense of [1] (defined over the n-tuples of the elements of  $\mathfrak{F}$ , and the k-tuples of the elements of  $\mathcal{I}$  and assuming the integral values. We shall often use the expression  $A(\alpha, f)$  as an abbreviation of:  $\alpha \in \mathcal{R}$ ,  $f \in \mathfrak{F}$  and for any  $n \in \mathcal{N}$ 

$$\left|a-\frac{f(n)}{n+1}\right|<\frac{1}{n+1}.$$

Latin letters will be used in such a manner that always  $i, k, l, m, n \in \mathcal{N}$ ,  $p, q, r, s, t, u, x, y, z \in \mathcal{J}$ ,  $a, b, c, d, e \in \mathcal{R}$ .

Let  $r_n$  be a recursive enumeration of all rationals without repetitions. Let No(p,q) be the recursive converse function of the function  $r_n$ . This means that

$$r_{\text{No}(p,q)} = \frac{p}{q} \,.$$

We assume that p/0=0. Instead of No (p,q) we shall often write No (p/q). Let us set

(2) 
$$W_n(k) = W(n,k) = (\mu x) \left[ \left| r_n - \frac{x}{k+1} \right| < \frac{1}{k+1} \right],$$

No,  $W_n \in Com$ . We obviously have

(3) 
$$\left| r_n - \frac{W(n,k)}{k+1} \right| < \frac{1}{k+1} \quad \text{for all} \quad n, k \in \mathcal{N}.$$