

# Model theory (analytic part)

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- provides new insights originated from model-theoretic methods into the real analytic-like setting?

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van den Dries (1984), Knight, Pillay and Steinhorn (1986):

### Theorem (Cell decomposition)

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- (II<sub>n</sub>) Let  $f : A \subseteq M^n \rightarrow M$  be definable. Then exists a cell decomposition  $\mathcal{D}$  of  $M^n$  compatible with  $A$  such that for each  $D \in \mathcal{D}$  we have  $f|_D : D \rightarrow M$  is continuous.

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### Lemma (Uniform finiteness property)

$(III_n)$  Let  $A \subseteq M^{n+1}$  be definable such that for all  $\bar{x} \in M^n$  the fiber  $A_{\bar{x}} = \{t \in M : (\bar{x}, t) \in A\}$  is finite. Then exists  $N_A$  such that  $\#A_{\bar{x}} \leq N_A$  for all  $\bar{x} \in M^n$ .

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### Theorem (Monotonicity theorem)

Let  $f : (a, b) \subseteq M \rightarrow M$  be definable. Then exists

$$a_0 = a < a_1 < \dots < a_k < a_{k+1} = b$$

such that each  $f|_{(a_i, a_{i+1})} \rightarrow M$  is either constant, or strictly monotone and continuous.

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$Y = \bigcup_{i=1}^k \{(x, t) \in M^{n+1} : t \in \text{bd}(A_{i_x})\}$  and take  $N$  with  $\#Y_x \leq N$  ... by  $(III_n)$ .

$B_l = \{x \in M^n : \#Y_x = l\}$  and take  $f_{lj} : B_l \rightarrow Y$  with  $(Y|_{B_l})_x = \{f_{l1}(x), \dots, f_{ll}(x)\}$  and  $-\infty = f_{l0} < f_{l1} < \dots < f_{ll} < f_{l,l+1} = +\infty$ .

$C_{ij} = \{x \in B_l : f_{lj}(x) \in (A_i)_x\}$  and

$D_{ij} = \{x \in B_l : (f_{lj}(x), f_{l,j+1}(x)) \subseteq (A_i)_x\}$ .

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Apply  $(I_n)$  and  $(II_n)$  to  $B_l$ 's,  $C_{ij}$ 's,  $D_{ij}$ 's and the  $f_{ij}$ 's. Let  $\mathcal{D}$  the cell decomposition. Take

$$\mathcal{D}^* = \bigcup \{ \mathcal{D}_E : E \in \mathcal{D} \}$$

where for each  $E \subseteq B_l$

$$\mathcal{D}_E = \{ (f_{j|E}, f_{j+1|E})'s, \Gamma(f_{j|E})'s \}.$$

Then  $\mathcal{D}^*$  is a cell decomposition of  $M^{n+1}$  which partitions each  $A_1, \dots, A_k$ . □

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So let  $f : A \subseteq M^{n+1} \rightarrow M$  be definable. By  $(I_{n+1})$  we may assume that  $A$  is a cell.

Case (1):  $A$  is a cell and non open in  $M^{n+1}$ .

By construction of cells, exists  $p : A \rightarrow p(A) \subseteq M^k$  with  $k \leq n$ , a projection which is a definable homeomorphism, such that  $p(A)$  is an open cell in  $M^k$ . To finish apply  $(II_k)$  to  $f \circ p^{-1} : p(A) \rightarrow M$ .

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Fix some open box  $C \times (a, c) \subseteq A$ . Let  $\lambda : C \rightarrow (a, c)$  be such that  $\lambda(x) = \max\{s \in (a, c] : f(x, -) : (a, s) \rightarrow M \text{ is continuous and monotone}\}$ . By Monotonicity theorem  $\lambda$  is well defined and definable. By  $(II_n)$  we assume  $\lambda$  is continuous. Fix  $b \in (a, c)$  and taking again a smaller  $C$  we may assume  $b \leq \lambda(x)$  for all  $x \in C$ . Fix  $t \in (a, b)$ , by  $(II_n)$  we assume  $f(-, t) : C \rightarrow M$  is continuous. So  $C \times (a, b) \cap A^* \neq \emptyset$  and  $A^*$  is dense in  $A$ .

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By easy general topology  $f|_C : C \times (a, c) \rightarrow M$  is continuous on each such open box. So  $f|_D : D \rightarrow M$  is continuous.  $\square$

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Let  $A \subseteq M^m \times M^n$  be definable in  $\mathcal{M}$ . Then there is  $N_A \in \mathbb{N}$  such that for each  $x \in M^m$ , the fiber  $A_x \subseteq M^n$  has at most  $N_A$  many definably connected components.

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For definable sets we have:

- If  $A \subseteq B$  then  $\dim A \leq \dim B$ ;
- $\dim(B \cup C) = \max\{\dim B, \dim C\}$ ;
- If  $S \subseteq M^{m+n}$  then each

$$S(d) = \{x \in M^m : \dim S_x = d\}$$

is definable and

$$\dim\left(\bigcup_{x \in S(d)} \{x\} \times S_x\right) = \dim(S(d)) + d.$$

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### Theorem (Existence of stratifications)

Let  $A \subseteq M^n$  be non empty closed definable set and  $A_1, \dots, A_k$  definable subsets of  $A$ . Then exists a stratification of  $A$  partitioning each of  $A_1, \dots, A_k$ .

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- Definable triangulation theorem;
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### Theorem (Delfs)

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$$\mu : \text{Spec}_r R[V] \longrightarrow V_{\text{sa}}$$

induces an isomorphism

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