

Exercises for
Models of Set Theory I

17. Prove

$$(V = HOD)^L.$$

18. For cardinals $\kappa \geq \omega$ let $H_\kappa = \{x \mid \text{card}(TC(x)) < \kappa\}$. Prove that

$$L_\kappa = (H_\kappa)^L$$

for all cardinals $\kappa \geq \omega$.

Hint: Argue similar to lemma 62.

19. Assume $V = L$. Let $M = L_{\omega_2}$ and $N \subseteq M$ be such that every \in -formula φ is N - M -absolute. Show that $N \cap \omega_1 \in \text{Ord}$.

Hint: For $\alpha \in N \cap \omega_1$ there exists $f \in L_{\omega_2}$ such that $f : \omega \rightarrow \alpha$ is surjective. Hence $\text{rng}(f) = \alpha \subseteq M$.

20. For finite functions $a : \text{dom}(a) \rightarrow \text{Ord}$, $\text{dom}(a) \subseteq \omega$ define $a < b$ iff

$$\max(\text{dom}(a)) < \max(\text{dom}(b)) \quad \text{or}$$

$$(\max(\text{dom}(a)) = \max(\text{dom}(b))$$

$$\wedge \exists n \in \text{dom}(b)(a \upharpoonright n = b \upharpoonright n \wedge (n \in \text{dom}(a) \rightarrow a(n) < b(n))).$$

Prove:

(a) $<$ is a wellorder.

(b) $\{a \mid a < b\} \in V$ for all b .

Every problem will be graded with 8 points.

Please hand in your solutions during the lecture at June 8, 2009.