

Models of Set Theory I. - Summer 2019

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Problem sheet 8

Problem 29 (5 Points). Prove Lemma 4.1.7. from the lecture course: Let M be a transitive model of ZF^- , let $\mathbb{P} \in M$ be a partial order and let G be a filter on \mathbb{P} . Then the following statements are equivalent:

- (1) G is \mathbb{P} -generic over M .
- (2) $G \cap U \neq \emptyset$, whenever $U \in M$ is a dense open subset of \mathbb{P} .
- (3) $D \cap G \neq \emptyset$, whenever $D \in M$ is a subset of \mathbb{P} that is dense below some condition $p \in G$.

Moreover, if ZFC^M holds, then these statements are also equivalent to the following statements:

- (4) $A \cap G \neq \emptyset$, whenever $A \in M$ is a maximal antichain in \mathbb{P} .
- (5) $A \cap G \neq \emptyset$, whenever $A \in M$ is a maximal antichain in a dense subset $D \in M$ of \mathbb{P} , i.e. A is a maximal antichain in the partial order $(D, \leq_{\mathbb{P}} \upharpoonright (D \times D))$.

Problem 30 (4 Points). Let Φ be the Π_2 -sentence given by Theorem 3.3.1. Show that there is a countable transitive set M with $M \cap \text{Ord} \in \text{Lim}$ and $(\neg\Phi)^M$.

Problem 31.

- (1) (2 Points) Explicitly construct an infinite antichain in the Cohen forcing \mathbb{C} .
- (2) (2 Points) Prove that every atomless partial order contains an infinite antichain.

Problem 32. Let \mathbb{P} and \mathbb{Q} be partial orders. We say that a function $\pi : \mathbb{Q} \rightarrow \mathbb{P}$ is a *complete embedding* if the following statements hold.

- (a) If $q_0, q_1 \in \mathbb{Q}$ with $q_1 \leq_{\mathbb{Q}} q_0$, then $\pi(q_1) \leq_{\mathbb{P}} \pi(q_0)$.
- (b) Given $q_0, q_1 \in \mathbb{Q}$, the conditions q_0 and q_1 are incompatible in \mathbb{Q} if and only if the conditions $\pi(q_0)$ and $\pi(q_1)$ are incompatible in \mathbb{P} .
- (c) The pointwise image of every maximal antichain in \mathbb{Q} under π is a maximal antichain in \mathbb{P} .

We say that a function $\pi : \mathbb{Q} \rightarrow \mathbb{P}$ is a *dense embedding* if the above statements (a) and (b) hold and the image of \mathbb{Q} under π is a dense subset of \mathbb{P} .

Prove the following statements:

- (1) (2 Points) Every dense embedding is a complete embedding.
- (2) (1 Point) Every partial order \mathbb{Q} densely embeds into a partial order \mathbb{P} with a maximal element $1_{\mathbb{P}}$.

In the following, let M be a transitive model of ZFC, let $\mathbb{P}, \mathbb{Q} \in M$ be partial orders and let $\pi : \mathbb{Q} \rightarrow \mathbb{P}$ be a function contained in M .

- (3) (2 Points) If π is a complete embedding in M and G is \mathbb{P} -generic over M , then the preimage of G under π is a filter on \mathbb{Q} that is \mathbb{Q} -generic over M .
- (4) (2 Points) If π is a dense embedding in M and H is \mathbb{Q} -generic over M , then the set

$$\pi[H] = \{p \in \mathbb{P} \mid \exists q \in H \pi(q) \leq_{\mathbb{P}} p\}$$

is a filter on \mathbb{P} that is \mathbb{P} -generic over M .