## Determinacy from strong compactness of $\omega_1$

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## Outline

#### Background

AD and large cardinal properties of  $\omega_1$ AD<sub>R</sub> + DC and more large cardinal properties of  $\omega_1$ Combinatorial consequences of strong compactness

#### Results

Compactness properties equiconsistent with AD Compactness properties equiconsistent with  $AD_{\mathbb{R}}+DC$ 

#### Work in ZF + DC.

- Without AC, "large cardinals" may not be large in the usual sense.
- ► For example, measurable cardinals can be successors.
- In particular,  $\omega_1$  can be measurable.
- ► We investigate large cardinal properties of ω<sub>1</sub> and their relationship to determinacy.

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## Definition

 $\omega_1$  is measurable if there is a countably complete nonprincipal measure (ultrafilter) on  $\omega_1$ .

#### Remark

If  $\mu$  is a countably complete nonprincipal measure on  $\omega_1$ , then we can define the ultrapower map  $j = j_{\mu} : V \to \text{Ult}(V, \mu)$ .

- $\operatorname{crit}(j) = \omega_1$ .
- ► *j* is not elementary:  $Ult(V, \mu) \not\models$  "every ordinal less than  $j(\omega_1)$  is countable."
- If M ⊨ ZFC then j ↾ M is an elementary embedding from M to Ult(M, μ) (using all functions ω<sub>1</sub> → M in V.)

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The following theories are equiconsistent:

- ZFC + "there is a measurable cardinal."
- $ZF + DC + "\omega_1$  is measurable."

Proof.

- If ZFC holds and κ is measurable, take a V-generic filter
   G ⊂ Col(ω, <κ).</li>
- The symmetric model V(ℝ<sup>V[G]</sup>) satisfies ZF + DC + "κ is ω<sub>1</sub> and is measurable."
- Conversely, if ZF + DC holds and ω₁ is measurable by μ, then L[μ] ⊨ ZFC + "ω₁<sup>V</sup> is measurable."

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Another route to measurability of  $\omega_1$ :

## Theorem (Solovay)

Assume ZF + AD. Then  $\omega_1$  is measurable (by the club filter.)

#### Remark

AD has higher consistency strength and proves much more:

- There are many measurable cardinals
- $\omega_1$  has stronger large cardinal properties.

We focus on stronger large cardinal properties of  $\omega_{\rm 1},$  and obtain equiconsistencies with determinacy theories.

#### Definition

Let X be an uncountable set and let  $\mu$  be a measure (ultrafilter) on  $\mathcal{P}_{\omega_1}(X)$ . We say that  $\mu$  is:

 countably complete if it is closed under countable intersections.

• fine if 
$$\{\sigma \in \mathcal{P}_{\omega_1}(X) : x \in \sigma\} \in \mu$$
 for every  $x \in X$ .

#### Definition

For X an uncountable set, we say  $\omega_1$  is X-strongly compact if there is a countably complete fine measure on  $\mathcal{P}_{\omega_1}(X)$ .

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### Remark

 $\omega_1$  is  $\omega_1\text{-strongly compact if and only if it is measurable.$ 

## Remark

Let X and Y be uncountable sets. If  $\omega_1$  is X-strongly compact and there is a surjection from X to Y, then  $\omega_1$  is Y-strongly compact.

## Corollary

If  $\omega_1$  is  $\mathbb{R}$ -strongly compact then it is measurable. (I don't know about the converse.)

#### Remark

The following theories are equiconsistent:

- ZFC + "there is a measurable cardinal."
- $ZF + DC + "\omega_1$  is  $\mathbb{R}$ -strongly compact."

(The proof is similar to that for " $\omega_1$  is measurable.")

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Another route to  $\mathbb{R}$ -strong compactness of  $\omega_1$ :

## Theorem (Martin)

Asssume ZF + AD. Then  $\omega_1$  is  $\mathbb{R}$ -strongly compact.

#### Proof.

Let  $A \subset \mathcal{P}_{\omega_1}(\mathbb{R})$ . Then the set of Turing degrees d such that  $\{x \in \mathbb{R} : x \leq_{\mathrm{T}} d\} \in A$  contains or is disjoint from a cone.  $\Box$ 

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## Definition

 $\Theta$  is the least ordinal that is not a surjective image of  $\mathbb{R}$ .

#### Remark

If  $\omega_1$  is  $\mathbb{R}$ -strongly compact, then it is  $\langle \Theta$ -strongly compact ( $\lambda$ -strongly compact for every uncountable cardinal  $\lambda < \Theta$ .)

- Θ = ω<sub>2</sub> in the symmetric model obtained from a measurable cardinal by the Levy collapse, in which case
   Θ-strongly compact just means ω<sub>1</sub>-strongly compact.
- Θ is a limit cardinal under AD by Moschovakis's coding lemma, in which case <Θ-strongly compact implies ω<sub>2</sub>-strongly compact, *etc.*

To get more strong compactness of  $\omega_{\rm 1},$  we need stronger determinacy axioms.

## Definition

 $AD_{\mathbb{R}}$  is the Axiom of Real Determinacy, which strengthens AD by allowing moves to be reals instead of integers.

## Remark

- $ZF + AD_{\mathbb{R}}$  has higher consistency strength than ZF + AD.
- It cannot hold in  $L(\mathbb{R})$ .

#### Remark

The consistency strength of  $ZF + AD_{\mathbb{R}}$  is increased by adding DC (Solovay) unlike that of ZF + AD (Kechris).

## Theorem (Solovay)

 $\operatorname{Con}(\operatorname{ZF} + \operatorname{AD}_{\mathbb{R}}) \implies \operatorname{Con}(\operatorname{ZF} + \operatorname{AD}_{\mathbb{R}} + \operatorname{cf}(\Theta) = \omega).$ Moreover  $\operatorname{cf}(\Theta) = \omega$  in any minimal model of  $\operatorname{AD}_{\mathbb{R}}$ .

## Theorem (Solovay)

 $Con(ZF+DC+AD_{\mathbb{R}}) \implies Con(ZF+DC+AD_{\mathbb{R}}+cf(\Theta) = \omega_1).$ In fact  $cf(\Theta) = \omega_1$  in any minimal model of  $AD_{\mathbb{R}} + DC$ .

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## Corollary $Con(ZF + DC + AD_{\mathbb{R}}) \implies$ $Con(ZF + DC + "\omega_1 \text{ is } \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{R})\text{-strongly compact"}).$

Proof.

- Assume WLOG that cf(Θ) = ω<sub>1</sub>.
- Write  $\mathcal{P}(\mathbb{R}) = \bigcup_{\alpha < \omega_1} \Gamma_{\alpha}$  (Wadge initial segments).
- Combine measures on  $\mathcal{P}_{\omega_1}(\Gamma_{\alpha})$  with measure on  $\omega_1$ .<sup>2</sup>

#### Corollary

 $\begin{array}{l} \mathsf{Con}(\mathsf{ZF} + \mathsf{DC} + \mathsf{AD}_{\mathbb{R}}) \implies \\ \mathsf{Con}(\mathsf{ZF} + \mathsf{DC} + ``\omega_1 \text{ is } \Theta \text{-strongly compact''}). \end{array}$ 

<sup>2</sup>To avoid choice, use unique normal measures. (Woodin) = • • = • • •

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Some natural questions so far:

#### Questions

What is the consistency strength of the theory  $ZF + DC + "\omega_1$  is  $\omega_2$ -strongly compact"?

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Like strong compactness in ZFC, strong compactness of  $\omega_1$  implies useful combinatorial principles.

## Definition

Let  $\lambda$  be an ordinal. A coherent sequence of length  $\lambda$  is a sequence ( $C_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \lim(\lambda)$ ) such that for all  $\alpha \in \lim(\lambda)$ ,

• 
$$C_{\alpha}$$
 is club in  $\alpha$ , and

• 
$$C_{\alpha} \cap \gamma = C_{\gamma}$$
 for all  $\gamma \in \lim(C_{\alpha})$ .

### Definition

A limit ordinal  $\lambda$  of uncountable cofinality is threadable<sup>3</sup> if every coherent sequence of length  $\lambda$  can be extended (by adding a thread  $C_{\lambda}$ ) to a coherent sequence of length  $\lambda + 1$ .

<sup>3</sup>Also denoted by  $\neg \Box(\lambda)$ 

#### Remark

 $\lambda$  is threadable if and only if  $cf(\lambda)$  is threadable.

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#### Remark

Every measurable cardinal is threadable, even  $\omega_1$ , which cannot be threadable in ZFC:

• Given a measure  $\mu$  and a coherent sequence  $\vec{C}$ , use the elementarity of  $j_{\mu} \upharpoonright L[\vec{C}]$ .

More generally, threadability of larger cardinals can be obtained from more strong compactness of  $\omega_1$ .

## Proposition

Assume ZF + DC + " $\omega_1$  is  $\lambda$ -strongly compact" where  $\lambda$  is an ordinal of uncountable cofinality. Then  $\lambda$  is threadable.

Proof.

- Let  $\mu$  be a countably complete fine measure on  $\mathcal{P}_{\omega_1}(\lambda)$ .
- let  $\vec{C}$  be a coherent sequence of length  $\lambda$ .

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- $j = j_{\mu}$  is discontinuous at  $\lambda$ .
- $j \upharpoonright L[\vec{C}]$  (using all functions in V) is elementary.
- As usual, define the club

$$C_{\lambda} = \bigcup \{ C_{\alpha} : j(\alpha) \in \lim(j(\vec{C})_{\sup j[\lambda]}) \}.$$

A further consequence:

#### Proposition

Assume ZF + " $\omega_2$  is threadable or singular." Then  $\neg \Box_{\omega_1}$ .

#### Proof.

If not, we have a  $\Box_{\omega_1}$  sequence  $(C_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \lim(\omega_2))$ .

Background Results

- If we have a thread C<sub>ω₂</sub> then its order type is at most ω₁ + ω by the usual argument, so ω₂ is singular.
- If ω<sub>2</sub> is singular, take a club C<sub>ω2</sub> in ω<sub>2</sub> of order type ≤ ω<sub>1</sub>.
   Recursively define surjections f<sub>α</sub> : ω<sub>1</sub> → α for α ∈ [ω<sub>1</sub>, ω<sub>2</sub>], using C<sub>α</sub> at limit stages. Contradiction.

(Coherence was not needed in the singular case.)

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Some natural questions:

#### Questions

What is the consistency strength of the theory  $ZF + DC + "\omega_1$  is threadable and  $\neg \Box_{\omega_1}"$ ?

- ► It follows from ZF + DC + AD.
- Is it equiconsistent with it?

What is the consistency strength of the theory ZF + DC + "every uncountable regular cardinal  $\leq \Theta$  is threadable"?

- It follows from  $ZF + DC + AD_{\mathbb{R}}$ .
- Is it equiconsistent with it?

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## Theorem (Trang–W.)

The following theories are equiconsistent modulo ZF + DC.

- 1. AD.
- 2.  $\omega_1$  is  $\mathcal{P}(\omega_1)$ -strongly compact.

3.  $\omega_1$  is  $\mathbb{R}$ -strongly compact and  $\omega_2$ -strongly compact.

4.  $\omega_1$  is  $\mathbb{R}$ -strongly compact and  $\neg \Box_{\omega_1}$ .

## Proof of (1) $\implies$ (2).

Assume AD. Then  $\omega_1$  is  $\mathbb{R}$ -strongly compact by Martin's cone theorem, and there is a surjection from  $\mathbb{R}$  onto  $\mathcal{P}(\omega_1)$  by the coding lemma. So  $\omega_1$  is  $\mathcal{P}(\omega_1)$ -strongly compact.

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## Proof of (2) $\implies$ (3).

Assume that  $\omega_1$  is  $\mathcal{P}(\omega_1)$ -strongly compact. There are surjections from  $\mathcal{P}(\omega_1)$  onto  $\mathbb{R}$  and  $\omega_2$ , so  $\omega_1$  is  $\mathbb{R}$ -strongly compact and  $\omega_2$ -strongly compact.

## Proof of (3) $\implies$ (4).

If  $\omega_1$  is  $\omega_2$ -strongly compact then we saw that  $\Box_{\omega_1}$  fails.

#### Remark

In the rest of this subsection we prove  $\operatorname{Con}(4) \Longrightarrow \operatorname{Con}(1)$ . Assume that  $\omega_1$  is  $\mathbb{R}$ -strongly compact and  $\neg \Box_{\omega_1}$ . We will prove  $L(\mathbb{R}) \models \operatorname{AD}$  by a core model induction.

## Definition

A mouse operator assigns to each set *a* in its domain the least mouse over *a* that is sound, projects to *a*, and satisfies a given first-order property.

In our situation:

► The domain will always be a cone in HC.

Background Results

► "Mouse" means an ω<sub>1</sub>-iterable premouse, which implies (ω<sub>1</sub> + 1)-iterability because ω<sub>1</sub> is measurable.

## Example (the $\mathcal{M}_n^{\sharp}$ operator)

 $\mathcal{M}_n^{\sharp}(a)$  is the least mouse over *a* that is sound, projects to *a*, is active, and has *n* Woodin cardinals.

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We will show PD by showing that the  $\mathcal{M}_n^{\sharp}$  operator is total on HC for all  $n < \omega$  (by induction on n.)

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## What's next?

- Not M<sup>♯</sup><sub>ω</sub>: this corresponds roughly to AD<sup>L(ℝ)</sup>, which is too big a leap.
- Consider Woodinness with respect to more complicated operators, rather than greater numbers of Woodins.
- ► For example, the least Woodin cardinal of M<sup>♯</sup><sub>n+1</sub>(a) is Woodin with respect to the M<sup>♯</sup><sub>n</sub> operator.
- ► Complexity of operators is measured in terms of the Jensen hierarchy of L(ℝ).

Let  $\mathcal{F}$  be a *CMI operator* (a mouse operator for now, but later a strategy operator or a strategy-hybrid-mouse operator.)

## Definition (the $\mathcal{M}_1^{\sharp,\mathcal{F}}$ operator)

 $\mathcal{M}_{1}^{\sharp,\mathcal{F}}(a)$  is the least mouse over *a* that is sound, projects to *a*, is active, has one Woodin cardinal, and is closed under  $\mathcal{F}$ . For AD in  $J_{\alpha+1}(\mathbb{R})$ , start with appropriate CMI operator  $\mathcal{F}$  and obtain operators  $\mathcal{F}' = \mathcal{M}_{1}^{\sharp,\mathcal{F}}, \ \mathcal{F}'' = \mathcal{M}_{1}^{\sharp,\mathcal{F}'}, \ \dots$ Example

- ▶ For AD in  $J_2(\mathbb{R})$  (i.e. PD), start with  $\mathcal{F} = \mathsf{rud}.^4$
- ▶ For AD in  $J_3(\mathbb{R})$ , start with  $\mathcal{F}$  s.t.  $\mathcal{F}(a) = \bigcup_{i < \omega} \mathcal{M}_i^{\sharp}(a)$ .

<sup>4</sup>Note that 
$$\mathcal{M}_{1}^{\sharp,\mathcal{M}_{n}^{\sharp}}(a) \rhd \mathcal{M}_{n+1}^{\sharp}(a)$$
.

#### Lemma

Assume that  $\omega_1$  is  $\mathbb{R}$ -strongly compact and  $\neg \Box_{\omega_1}$ . Let  $\mathcal{F}$  be a CMI operator defined on the cone in HC over some  $a \in HC$ . Then the  $\mathcal{M}_1^{\sharp,\mathcal{F}}$  operator is defined on the same cone in HC.

#### Proof sketch

• Define operators  $\mathcal{F}^{\sharp} = \mathcal{M}_{0}^{\sharp,\mathcal{F}}$  and  $\mathcal{F}^{\sharp^{\sharp}} = \mathcal{M}_{0}^{\sharp,\mathcal{F}^{\sharp}}$ .

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- *F*<sup>#</sup> and *F*<sup>#<sup>#</sup></sup> are total on the cone over *a* because

   ω<sub>1</sub> is measurable (or use ω<sub>1</sub> is threadable and ¬□<sub>ω1</sub>.)
- Let  $x \in HC$  be in cone over *a*. We show  $\mathcal{M}_1^{\sharp,\mathcal{F}}(x)$  exists.
- For simplicity, first assume that 𝓕<sup>#<sup>#</sup></sup>(ℝ) exists. (E.g., take ultraproduct of 𝓕<sup>#<sup>#</sup></sup>(σ) if ω<sub>1</sub> is ℝ-supercompact.)

## Proof sketch (continued)

- Let H = HOD<sup>𝓕<sup>#<sup>#</sup></sup>(ℝ)</sup><sub>{𝓕,𝑋</sub></sub> and let Ξ be the critical point of the top extender of 𝓕<sup>#<sup>#</sup></sup>(ℝ).<sup>5</sup>
- Do the K<sup>c,F</sup>(x) construction in H up to Ξ.
   (Like K<sup>c</sup> construction but relativized to F and over x.)
- If it reaches  $\mathcal{M}_1^{\sharp,\mathcal{F}}(x)$ , we are done.
- ► Otherwise the core model K = (K<sup>F</sup>(x))<sup>H</sup> exists and has no Woodin cardinals.
- Why work in *H*? We need a ZFC model and *H* is big enough: every real is <Ξ-generic over *H* by Vopěnka.<sup>6</sup>

<sup>5</sup> If  $\omega_1$  is  $\mathbb{R}$ -strongly compact, let H be ultraproduct of  $HOD_{\{\mathcal{F},x\}}^{\mathcal{F}^{\mu}(\sigma)}$ . <sup>6</sup> cf. Schindler, Successive weakly compact or singular cardinals.

## Proof sketch (continued)

- Define  $\kappa = \omega_1^V$  and  $j = j_\mu$  for  $\mu$  a measure on  $\kappa$ .
- $\Box_{\kappa}$  holds in j(K) (Schimmerling–Zeman) but not V so

$$(\kappa^+)^{j(K)} < \kappa^+. \tag{(*)}$$

- Take  $A \subset \kappa$  coding wellordering of  $(\kappa^+)^{j(K)}$  of length  $\kappa$ .
- A is in a  $\langle j(\Xi) \rangle$ -generic extension j(H)[g] of j(H).
- j(H)[g] sees the failure of covering (\*) for its core model.
- The (κ, j(κ))-extender from j ↾ j(K) is in j(j(H))[j(g)] by Kunen's argument.
- Its initial segments are on the sequence of j(j(K)) and witness that κ is Shelah in j(j(K)). Contradiction.

Now say we have AD in  $J_{\alpha}(\mathbb{R})$  and we want AD in  $J_{\alpha+1}(\mathbb{R})$ . We need to start with the appropriate CMI operator  $\mathcal{F}$ . This is standard.

## Key points

- If α is successor or has countable cofinality, F is a mouse operator given by unions of mice already constructed.
- If α has uncountable cofinality and J<sub>α</sub>(ℝ) is inadmissible, this is witnessed by a Δ<sub>1</sub>(z) function for some z. Then *F* is a diagonal mouse operator defined on cone over z.
- If α is admissible, then F is a strategy operator that feeds in branches for iteration trees on a suitable premouse P. It is defined on the cone over P.

## Theorem (Trang–W.)

The following theories are equiconsistent modulo ZF + DC.

- 1. AD $_{\mathbb{R}}$  (plus DC).
- 2.  $\omega_1$  is  $\mathcal{P}(\mathbb{R})$ -strongly compact.
- 3.  $\omega_1$  is  $\mathbb{R}$ -strongly compact and  $\Theta$ -strongly compact.

Proof of Con (1)  $\implies$  Con (2) Recall (2) holds in any minimal model of  $AD_{\mathbb{R}} + DC$ . Proof of (2)  $\implies$  (3) Use surjections from  $\mathcal{P}(\mathbb{R})$  onto  $\mathbb{R}$  and  $\Theta$ .

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In the rest of this subsection we prove  $Con(3) \implies Con(1)$ . Strong hypothesis:

 $\mathsf{ZF} + \mathsf{DC} + ``\omega_1 is \mathbb{R}$ - and  $\Theta$ -strongly compact."

#### Goal

Find a pointclass  $\Omega$  such that  $L(\Omega, \mathbb{R}) \models AD_{\mathbb{R}} + DC$ .

## Smallness assumption:

There is no model M of ZF + AD containing all reals and ordinals and with a pointclass  $\Gamma \subsetneq \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{R})^M$  such that  $L(\Gamma, \mathbb{R}) \models AD_{\mathbb{R}} + DC$ .

(If this fails, we are done.)

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#### Definition The maximal $AD^+$ pointclass is

$$\Omega = \{ A \subset \mathbb{R} : L(A, \mathbb{R}) \models \mathsf{AD}^+ \}.$$

From weaker assumptions we proved  $AD^{L(\mathbb{R})}$ , so  $\Omega \neq \emptyset$ . From current assumptions we will prove:

•  $L(\Omega, \mathbb{R}) \cap \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{R}) = \Omega$ , which implies

• 
$$L(\Omega, \mathbb{R}) \models \mathsf{AD}^+$$

•  $L(\Omega, \mathbb{R})$  is the maximal model of  $AD^+ + V = L(\mathcal{P}(\mathbb{R}))$ .

•  $L(\Omega, \mathbb{R}) \models \mathsf{AD}_{\mathbb{R}} + \mathsf{DC}.$ 

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No divergent models of AD<sup>+</sup>, by smallness assumption (Woodin).<sup>7</sup>

Definition

The Solovay sequence of  $\Omega$ :

$$\bullet \ \theta_{-1}^{\Omega} = 0.$$

θ<sup>Ω</sup><sub>α+1</sub> is the least ordinal not the surjective image of ℝ by any OD<sup>L(B,ℝ)</sup><sub>A</sub> function where A, B ∈ Ω and |A|<sup>Ω</sup><sub>W</sub> = θ<sup>Ω</sup><sub>α</sub>.
 θ<sup>Ω</sup><sub>λ</sub> = sup<sub>α<λ</sub> θ<sup>Ω</sup><sub>α</sub> if λ is limit.

#### Remark

 $L(\Omega, \mathbb{R}) \cap \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{R}) = \Omega$  will imply  $\theta_{\alpha}^{\Omega} = \theta_{\alpha}^{L(\Omega, \mathbb{R})}$  (the usual Solovay sequence.) Meanwhile we use this local definition.

#### Definition

The length of the Solovay sequence of  $\Omega$  is the least  $\alpha$  such that  $\theta_{\alpha}^{\Omega} = \Theta^{\Omega}$ .

#### Remark

By our smallness assumption, the length is  $\leq \omega_1$ . We want to show the length is  $\omega_1$ , because  $L(\Omega, \mathbb{R})$  satisfies:

- $AD_{\mathbb{R}}$  iff length is limit.
- DC iff length is not countable cofinality limit.

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#### Constructible closure of $\Omega$

If the Solovay sequence of  $\Omega$  has successor length, say  $\alpha+1:$ 

- Take  $A \subset \mathbb{R}$  of Wadge rank  $\theta^{\Omega}_{\alpha}$  in  $\Omega$ .
- We may assume A codes  $\Sigma$  where  $(\mathcal{P}, \Sigma)$  is a hod pair.<sup>8,9</sup>
- ► Then every set B ∈ Ω is in a "self-iterable" Σ-mouse over ℝ satisfying AD<sup>+</sup>. (Sargsyan and Steel)
- The union of such Σ-mice is constructibly closed by a core model induction,<sup>10</sup> so L(Ω, ℝ) ∩ P(ℝ) = Ω.

<sup>8</sup>Or  $(\mathcal{P}, \Sigma) = (\emptyset, \emptyset)$ , the base case.

 $^9\text{All}$  iteration strategies for hod pairs are taken to have branch condensation and be  $\Omega\text{-fullness}$  preserving in this talk.

<sup>10</sup>This uses scales in  $\Sigma$ -mice over  $\mathbb{R}$  (Schlutzenberg and Trang). We use  $\Theta$ -strong compactness to extend  $\Sigma$  to an ( $\Theta$  +1)-iteration strategy

#### Constructible closure of $\Omega$ (continued)

If the Solovay sequence of  $\Omega$  has limit length  $\leq \omega_1$ :

- Let  $\mathcal{H}$  be direct limit of all hod pairs  $(\mathcal{P}, \Sigma)$  with  $\Sigma \in \Omega$ .
- → ℋ is a hod premouse of height Θ<sup>Ω</sup>, and its Woodin cardinals have the form θ<sup>Ω</sup><sub>α+1</sub>.
- *H* is full in *L*[*H*]; otherwise we can take a countable hull to get an anomalous hod pair (*Q*, Λ) with Λ ∉ Ω. But *L*(Λ, ℝ) ⊨ AD<sup>+</sup> by a CMI so Λ ∈ Ω, a contradiction.
- We can add Ω back to L[H] by a Vopěnka-like forcing (Woodin) to get L(Ω, ℝ), showing again that L(Ω, ℝ) ∩ P(ℝ) = Ω. Also H = (V<sub>Θ</sub><sup>HOD</sup>)<sup>L(Ω,ℝ)</sup>.

# So we have $L(\Omega, \mathbb{R}) \models AD^+$ .

DC in  $L(\Omega, \mathbb{R})$ 

If not, then  $\Theta^{L(\Omega,\mathbb{R})}$  has countable cofinality.

- By DC in V, take a countable hull X of L(Ω, ℝ) that is cofinal in Θ.
- The corresponding hull Q of the hod premouse H has a natural iteration strategy Λ.
- $\Lambda \notin \Omega$  because X is cofinal in  $L(\Omega, \mathbb{R})$ .
- ▶ But  $L(\Lambda, \mathbb{R}) \models AD^+$  by a CMI so  $\Lambda \in \Omega$ , a contradiction.

## $\mathsf{AD}_{\mathbb{R}}$ in $L(\Omega, \mathbb{R})$

If not, then  $L(\Omega, \mathbb{R}) \models \Theta = \theta_{\Sigma}$  for some hod pair  $(\mathcal{P}, \Sigma)$ .<sup>11</sup>

- Define  $\Gamma = \Sigma_1^2(\text{Code}(\Sigma))^{L(\Omega,\mathbb{R})}$ .
- ▶ **Г** is the pointclass of all Suslin sets in  $L(\Omega, \mathbb{R})$ .
- We will get an Ω-scale on a complete Γ set, contradiction.
- The norms of the scale will be Env(Γ)-norms where Env(Γ) is the *envelope* of Γ.
- It turns out  $Env(\Gamma) = OD^{L(\Omega,\mathbb{R})}_{\{\Sigma\}} \cap \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{R}).$
- In the meantime we must define Env(Γ) more locally.

$$^{11}\mathsf{Or}\ (\mathcal{P},\Sigma)=(\emptyset,\emptyset),$$
 the base case.

## $AD_{\mathbb{R}}$ in $L(\Omega, \mathbb{R})$ (continued)

- Define  $\Delta = \Delta_1^2(\mathsf{Code}(\Sigma))^{L(\Omega,\mathbb{R})}$ .
- Define Env(Γ) to consist of sets that are countably approximated by Δ-in-an-ordinal sets.
- Env(Γ) has a definable wellordering of length ≤ Θ, so ω<sub>1</sub> is Env(Γ)-strongly compact. (W.)
- This implies, using Scale(Γ), that every Γ set has a scale whose norms are Env(Γ)-norms. (W.)
- Get a self-justifying system A ⊂ Env(Γ) containing a complete F set, and show L(A, ℝ) ⊨ AD<sup>+</sup> by a CMI. Contradiction.

### Question

Are the following theories equiconsistent?

- $1. \ \mathsf{ZF} + \mathsf{DC} + \mathsf{AD}_{\mathbb{R}}.$
- 2.  $ZF + DC + "\omega_1$  is  $\mathbb{R}$ -strongly compact and  $\Theta$  is threadable or singular.

## Remark

- → Θ is threadable and singular in a minimal model of AD<sub>ℝ</sub> + DC.
- In the case " $\Theta$  is singular" the answer is yes.
- In the case "Θ is threadable" we would need to prove that Env(Γ) is constructibly closed.

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