

Fraïssé limits and their applications

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Remark: If there is a Katětov functor for \mathcal{K} , then F also contains a copy of every countable chain C from \mathcal{K} , and $\text{Aut}(F)$ contains a copy of $\text{Aut}(C)$.

Examples of Fraïssé limits

- ▶ the rationals (\mathbb{Q}, \leq) (finite linear orders),
- ▶ the Rado graph (finite graphs),
- ▶ the Hall group (finite groups),
- ▶ the countable atomless Boolean algebra (finite Boolean algebras).

Metric Fraïssé limits (Ben Yaacov; Kubiś)

- ▶ The Urysohn space (finite metric spaces),
- ▶ the separable Hilbert space (fin-dim Hilbert spaces),
- ▶ the Gurarii space (fin-dim Banach spaces).

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- ▶ The pseudo-arc is of the form P/\sqcap , where P is the inverse Fraïssé limit of finite linear graphs, and \sqcap is the graph relation on P . In fact, every compact metric space X can be presented as a quotient of an inverse limit of graphs.

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In order to develop a Fraïssé theory for categories of graphs with graph morphism relations, the notion of amalgamation needs to be relaxed (lax-amalgamation):

$$\text{for all } \sqsupseteq_0 \subseteq A \times B_0, \sqsupseteq_1 \subseteq A \times B_1$$

there are $\sqsupseteq'_0 \subseteq B_0 \times C, \sqsupseteq'_1 \subseteq B_1 \times C$ such that $\sqsupseteq_0 \circ \sqsupseteq'_0 \subseteq \sqsupseteq_1 \circ \sqsupseteq'_1$.

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Remark: Diagonal conjugacy classes are isomorphism classes of representations of free groups in G . One can also consider representations of other countable groups in G .

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- ▶ $\text{Aut}(R)$, where R is the Rado graph, has ample generics (Hrushovski),
- ▶ $\text{Homeo}(2^{\mathbb{N}})$ has ample generics (Kwiatkowska) but no generic representation of \mathbb{Z}^n , $n > 1$ (Hochman),
- ▶ $\text{Aut}(\mathbb{Q})$ i $\text{Homeo}_+([0, 1])$ do not have ample generics but they have a residual conjugacy class and automatic continuity (Rosendal, Solecki),
- ▶ $\text{Iso}(\mathbb{U})$ does not have a residual conjugacy class but it has automatic continuity (Sabok).

My research

Past:

- ▶ Characterization of Polish ultrametric spaces X for which $\text{Iso}(X)$ has ample generics,
- ▶ $\text{Aut}(\mathcal{T})$, where \mathcal{T} is the Fraïssé limit of finite tournaments has a residual conjugacy class but it has no generic representation of \mathbb{Z}^n , $n > 1$, (with M. Doucha, CAS).

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- ▶ A characterization of good measures, and $\text{Homeo}(2^{\mathbb{N}}, \mu)$ with a residual conjugacy class, where μ is a good measure with rational values on clopens (joint with M. Doucha CAS, D. Kwietniak, UJ and Piotr Niemiec UJ).
- ▶ $\text{Homeo}(\text{the pseudo-arc})$ has a dense conjugacy class (with z T. Bice, CAS),
- ▶ $\text{Homeo}(\text{the Lelek fan})$ has a residual conjugacy class, and the generic homeomorphism has zero topological entropy.

Good measures

A set $V \subseteq [0, 1]$ is **group-like** if $V = [0, 1] \cap G$, where G is a subgroup of \mathbb{R} .

Let μ be a full probability measure on $2^{\mathbb{N}}$, and let $V_\mu \subseteq [0, 1]$ be the set of its values on clopens.

The measure μ is **ultrahomogeneous** if for any clopen partitions P, R of $2^{\mathbb{N}}$ such that there is a bijection $f: P \rightarrow R$ satisfying $\mu(x) = \mu(f(x))$ for $x \in P$, there exists a homeomorphism $\varphi \in \text{Homeo}(2^{\mathbb{N}}, \mu)$ such that $\varphi[x] = f(x)$ for $x \in P$.

It is **maximal** if for every tuple v_1, \dots, v_n of non-zero elements of $V(\mu)$ such that $\sum_{i=1}^n v_i = 1$ there exists a clopen partition $\{x_1, \dots, x_n\}$ of $2^{\mathbb{N}}$ such that $\mu(x_i) = v_i$.

Theorem

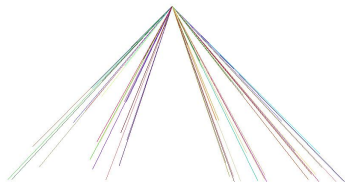
The measure μ is good iff V_μ is group-like, and μ is ultrahomogeneous and maximal.

Theorem

- 1. (Akin) Suppose that V_μ is \mathbb{Q} -linear space-like. Then $\text{Homeo}(2^{\mathbb{N}}, \mu)$ has a comeager conjugacy class.*
- 2. Suppose that $V_\mu \subseteq \mathbb{Q}$. Then $\text{Homeo}(2^{\mathbb{N}}, \mu)$ has a comeager conjugacy class iff V_μ is ring-like.*

The Lelek fan

The **Lelek fan** is a subfan of the Cantor fan C such that the set of its end points is dense in C . Let \mathcal{L} be the category of finite fan graphs with monotone-on-branches morphisms. Then \mathcal{L} has amalgamation, and, for its Fraïssé sequence L , $\text{Sp}(L)$ is the Lelek fan.



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Thank You!