

# One some Pradoxical Point Sets in Different Models of Set Theory

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# Marczewski's Method

Let  $E$  be a set,  $\mu$  be a nonzero  $\sigma$ -finite complete measure on some  $\sigma$ -algebra of subsets of  $E$ , and let  $\mathcal{I}$  be a  $\sigma$ -ideal of subsets of  $E$  such that

$$(\forall Y \in \mathcal{I})(\mu_*(Y) = 0),$$

where  $\mu_*$  stands, as usual, for the inner measure canonically associated with  $\mu$ . Denote  $\mathcal{S} = \text{dom}(\mu)$  and consider the  $\sigma$ -algebra  $\mathcal{S}'$  of subsets of  $E$ , generated by the union  $\mathcal{S} \cup \mathcal{I}$ , i.e.,  $\mathcal{S}' = \sigma(\mathcal{S} \cup \mathcal{I})$ . Obviously, any set  $Z \in \mathcal{S}'$  can be represented in the form

$$Z = (X \cup Y_1) \setminus Y_2,$$

where  $X \in \mathcal{S}$  and both sets  $Y_1$  and  $Y_2$  are some members of  $\mathcal{I}$ . Then

$$\mu'(Z) = \mu'((X \cup Y_1) \setminus Y_2) = \mu(X).$$

# Some Auxiliary Lemmas

## Lemma

If a set  $Z \subset \mathbb{R}$  is  $\lambda$ -measurable and  $\lambda(Z) > 0$ , then  $Z$  contains a subset  $Y$  such that  $\text{card}(Y) = \mathfrak{c}$  and  $\lambda(Y) = 0$ .

## Lemma

Any member of the  $\sigma$ -ideal generated by the family of all Sierpiński subsets of  $\mathbb{R}$  has inner  $\lambda$ -measure zero.

## Theorem

There exists a translation invariant measure  $\mu$  on  $\mathbf{R}$  such that:

- $\mu$  is an extension of the Lebesgue measure  $\lambda$ ;
- all Sierpinski subsets of  $\mathbf{R}$  are measurable with respect to  $\mu$  and all of them have  $\mu$ -measure zero.

# Absolutely non-measurable function

## Definition

We say that a function  $f$  is absolutely non-measurable with respect to  $M$  if there exists no one measure  $\mu$  such that  $f$  is  $\mu$ -measurable.

## Theorem (Kharazishvili)

Let  $f : E \rightarrow \mathbf{R}$  be a function. The following two assertions are equivalent:

- 1  $f$  is absolutely nonmeasurable with respect to  $M(E)$
- 2  $\text{ran}(f)$  is universal measure zero and  $\text{card}(f^{-1}(t)) \leq \omega$  for each  $t \in \mathbf{R}$ .

## Theorem(Kharazishvili)

Suppose that there exists a well-ordering  $\preceq$  of  $[0,1]$  for which the following two conditions are fulfilled

- $\preceq$  is isomorphic to the natural well-ordering of  $\omega_1$
- the graph of  $\preceq$  is a projective subset of  $[0,1]^2$ .

Then there exists a function

$$\phi : [0, 1] \rightarrow [0, 1]$$

whose graph is a projective subset of  $[0, 1]^2$  and which is absolutely nonmeasurable with respect to the class  $M([0,1])$  of all  $\sigma$ -finite diffused nonzero measures on  $[0, 1]$

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