

NONMEASURABLE SETS AND UNIONS WITH RESPECT TO TREE IDEALS

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Abstract. In this paper, we consider a notion of nonmeasurability with respect to Marczewski and Marczewski-like tree ideals $s_0, m_0, l_0, cl_0, h_0,$ and ch_0 . We show that there exists a subset of the Baire space ω^ω , which is s -, l -, and m -nonmeasurable that forms a dominating m.e.d. family. We investigate a notion of \mathbb{T} -Bernstein sets—sets which intersect but do not contain any body of any tree from a given family of trees \mathbb{T} . We also obtain a result on \mathcal{I} -Luzin sets, namely, we prove that if \mathfrak{c} is a regular cardinal, then the algebraic sum (considered on the real line \mathbb{R}) of a generalized Luzin set and a generalized Sierpiński set belongs to $s_0, m_0, l_0,$ and cl_0 .

§1. Introduction and preliminaries. We will use standard set-theoretic notation following, for example, [14]. For a set X , $P(X)$ denotes the power set of X and $|X|$ denotes the cardinality of X . If κ is a cardinal number, then we denote:

- $[X]^\kappa = \{A \subseteq X : |A| = \kappa\}$;
- $[X]^{<\kappa} = \{A \subseteq X : |A| < \kappa\}$;
- $[X]^{\leq\kappa} = \{A \subseteq X : |A| \leq \kappa\}$.

Let X be an uncountable Polish space and $\mathcal{I} \subseteq P(X)$ be a σ -ideal. Let us recall some cardinal coefficients from Cichoń's Diagram:

- $\text{add}(\mathcal{I}) = \min\{|A| : A \subseteq \mathcal{I} \wedge \bigcup A \notin \mathcal{I}\}$;
- $\text{non}(\mathcal{I}) = \min\{|A| : A \subseteq X \wedge A \notin \mathcal{I}\}$;
- $\text{cov}(\mathcal{I}) = \min\{|A| : A \subseteq \mathcal{I} \wedge \bigcup A = X\}$;
- $\text{cof}(\mathcal{I}) = \min\{|A| : A \subseteq \mathcal{I} \wedge (\forall A \in \mathcal{I})(\exists B \in A)(A \subseteq B)\}$;
- $\mathfrak{b} = \min\{|\mathcal{F}| : \mathcal{F} \subseteq \omega^\omega \wedge (\forall x \in \omega^\omega)(\exists f \in \mathcal{F})(\exists^\infty n)(x(n) < f(n))\}$;
- $\mathfrak{d} = \min\{|\mathcal{F}| : \mathcal{F} \subseteq \omega^\omega \wedge (\forall x \in \omega^\omega)(\exists f \in \mathcal{F})(\forall^\infty n)(x(n) < f(n))\}$.

We call \mathfrak{b} the *bounding number* and \mathfrak{d} the *dominating number*. A family $\mathcal{F} \subseteq \omega^\omega$ is *dominating*, if \mathcal{F} has the property described in the definition of the

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dominating number (it does not have to be of minimal cardinality). We say that T is a *tree* on a set A if $T \subseteq A^{<\omega}$ and whenever $\tau \in T$, then $\tau \upharpoonright n \in T$ for each natural n .

DEFINITION 1. Let T be a tree on a set A . Then,

- for each $\tau \in T$ $\text{succ}(\tau) = \{a \in A : \tau \frown a \in T\}$;
- $\text{split}(T) = \{\tau \in T : |\text{succ}(\tau)| \geq 2\}$;
- $\omega\text{-split}(T) = \{\tau \in T : |\text{succ}(\tau)| = \aleph_0\}$;
- for $\sigma \in T$ $\text{Succ}_T(\sigma) = \{\tau \in \text{split}(T) : \sigma \subsetneq \tau, (\forall \tau' \in T)(\sigma \subsetneq \tau' \subsetneq \tau \rightarrow \tau' \notin \text{split}(T))\}$;
- for $\sigma \in T$ $\omega\text{-Succ}_T(\sigma) = \{\tau \in \omega\text{-split}(T) : \sigma \subsetneq \tau, (\forall \tau' \in T)(\sigma \subsetneq \tau' \subsetneq \tau \rightarrow \tau' \notin \omega\text{-split}(T))\}$;
- $\text{stem}(T) \in T$ is the node τ such that for each $\sigma \subsetneq \tau$ $|\text{succ}(\sigma)| = 1$ and $|\text{succ}(\tau)| > 1$.

Let us now recall definitions of families of trees.

DEFINITION 2. A tree T on ω is called a

- Sacks tree or perfect tree, denoted by $T \in \mathbb{S}$, if for each node $\sigma \in T$, there is $\tau \in T$ such that $\sigma \subseteq \tau$ and $|\text{succ}(\tau)| \geq 2$;
- Miller tree or superperfect tree, denoted by $T \in \mathbb{M}$, if $T \in \mathbb{S}$ and $\text{split}(T) = \omega\text{-split}(T)$;
- Laver tree, denoted by $T \in \mathbb{L}$, if for each node $\tau \supseteq \text{stem}(T)$, we have $\tau \in \omega\text{-split}(T)$;
- complete Laver tree, denoted by $T \in \mathbb{CL}$, if T is Laver and $\text{stem}(T) = \emptyset$;
- Hechler tree, denoted by $T \in \mathbb{H}$, if for each node $\tau \supseteq \text{stem}(T)$, we have that the set $\{n \in \omega : \tau \frown n \notin T\}$ is finite;
- complete Hechler tree, denoted by $T \in \mathbb{CH}$, if T is Hechler and $\text{stem}(T) = \emptyset$.

The notion of complete Laver trees was defined and investigated in [7], although Miller in [6] defines Laver trees *de facto* as complete Laver trees and Hechler trees as complete Hechler trees.

For a tree $T \subseteq \omega^{<\omega}$, let $[T]$ be a body of T , that is, the set of all infinite branches of T :

$$[T] = \{x \in \omega^\omega : (\forall n \in \omega) (x \upharpoonright n \in T)\}.$$

We use the same notation for basic clopen sets generated by $\tau \in \omega^{<\omega}$:

$$[\tau] = \{x \in \omega^\omega : x \upharpoonright |\tau| = \tau\}.$$

It will be clear from the context whether we mean a body of a tree or a clopen set.

DEFINITION 3. Let \mathbb{T} be a family of trees. We say that $A \in P(\omega^\omega)$ belongs to the tree ideal t_0 , if

$$(\forall P \in \mathbb{T})(\exists Q \in \mathbb{T}) (Q \subseteq P \wedge [Q] \cap A = \emptyset).$$

DEFINITION 4. Let \mathbb{T} be a family of trees. We say that $A \in P(\omega^\omega)$ is t -measurable, if

$$(\forall P \in \mathbb{T})(\exists Q \in \mathbb{T}) (Q \subseteq P \wedge ([Q] \subseteq A \vee [Q] \cap A = \emptyset)).$$

s_0 tree ideal is simply the classic Marczewski ideal (see [5]).

It is well known due to Judah and coworkers (see [12]) and Repický (see [10]) that $add(s_0) \leq cov(s_0) \leq cof(\mathfrak{c}) \leq non(s_0) = \mathfrak{c} < cof(s_0) \leq 2^{\mathfrak{c}}$. Moreover, in [16] Brendle and coworkers have also shown that $\mathfrak{c} < cof(m_0)$ and $\mathfrak{c} < cof(l_0)$. Clearly, $\omega_1 \leq add(l_0) \leq cov(l_0) \leq \mathfrak{c}$ holds. In [13], Goldstern and coworkers showed that it is relatively consistent with ZFC that $add(l_0) < cov(l_0)$.

Let us notice that the families s_0, l_0, m_0 form σ -ideals. On the other hand, cl_0 is not a σ -ideal. To see this it is enough to consider sets of the form $C_n = \{x \in \omega^\omega : x(0) = n\}$. Then $C_n \in cl_0$ for each n , but $\bigcup_n C_n = \omega^\omega$. Using the fact that s_0 is a σ -ideal, we may give another proof of the following well known result.

PROPOSITION 5. $cf(\mathfrak{c}) > \aleph_0$.

PROOF. Suppose that $cf(\mathfrak{c}) = \aleph_0$ and let $\mathbb{R} = \bigcup_{n \in \omega} A_n, |A_n| < \mathfrak{c}$ for each $n \in \omega$. Sets of cardinality less than \mathfrak{c} belong to s_0 , so $\mathbb{R} = \bigcup_{n \in \omega} A_n \in s_0$, a contradiction. \dashv

§2. Tree ideals and measurability. In [1] the following result was obtained.

THEOREM 6 (Brendle). *If $i_0, j_0 \in \{s_0, l_0, m_0\}$, and $i_0 \neq j_0$, then $i_0 \not\subseteq j_0$.*

First, we will compare the ideal cl_0 with the ideals s_0, m_0, l_0 .

FACT 7. $cl_0 \not\subseteq (l_0 \cup m_0 \cup s_0)$.

PROOF. To show the assertion, let us take $C_0 = \{x \in \omega^\omega : x(0) = 0\}$. Clearly, $C_0 \in cl_0$, but $C_0 \notin l_0 \cup m_0 \cup s_0$ since C_0 is a body of a Laver tree. \dashv

Let us recall the notion of some special kind of trees used in [1].

- A Miller tree T is an apple tree

$$\begin{aligned}
 &(\forall \sigma \in \text{split}(T))(\forall \tau \in \text{Succ}_T(\sigma))(\forall n, m \in \omega) \\
 &(n > m \wedge \sigma \hat{\ } n, \sigma \hat{\ } m \in T \wedge \sigma \hat{\ } m \subseteq \tau \rightarrow (\forall k < |\tau|)(\tau(k) < n)) \\
 &\text{and} \\
 &(\forall \sigma, \tau \in \text{split}(T))(\sigma \subseteq \tau \rightarrow |\tau| \geq |\sigma| + 2).
 \end{aligned}$$

- A tree $T = \{\tau_\sigma : \sigma \in 2^{<\omega}\}$ is a pear subtree of a Laver tree T_L , if T is a subtree of T_L and
 1. $\tau_\emptyset = \text{stem}(T_L)$;
 2. for each $\tau_\sigma \in T_L$ nodes $\tau_{\sigma \hat{\ } 0} = \tau_\sigma \hat{\ } k$ and $\tau_{\sigma \hat{\ } 1} = \tau_\sigma \hat{\ } l$, where $l > k > \max\{\max \text{rng}(\tau_{\sigma'}) : |\sigma'| = |\sigma|\}$ and $\tau_\sigma \hat{\ } k, \tau_\sigma \hat{\ } l \in T_L$.

Each Miller tree contains an apple tree. Also, apple trees and pear trees are related in the following way [1, Theorem 2.1, Claim].

PROPOSITION 8 (Brendle). $|[T_a] \cap [T_p]| \leq 1$ whenever T_a is an apple tree and T_p is a pear tree.

THEOREM 9. *The following statements are true:*

- (i) $m_0 \not\subseteq cl_0$.
- (ii) $s_0 \not\subseteq cl_0$.

PROOF. To prove that $m_0 \setminus cl_0 \neq \emptyset$, we will slightly modify the proof of Theorem 2.1 from [1]. We will use the notions of apple trees and pear trees.

Let us now enumerate all apple trees $\{A_\alpha : \alpha < \mathfrak{c}\}$ and all complete Laver trees $\{C_\alpha : \alpha < \mathfrak{c}\}$. For each complete Laver tree C_α , denote its pear subtree by P_{C_α} .

We construct a sequence $(x_\alpha)_{\alpha < \mathfrak{c}}$ such that for every $\alpha < \mathfrak{c}$,

$$x_\alpha \in [P_{C_\alpha}] \setminus \bigcup_{\beta < \alpha} [A_\beta].$$

Thanks to Proposition 8 such a choice is possible. Finally, we set $X = \{x_\alpha : \alpha < \mathfrak{c}\}$. It is clear that $X \notin cl_0$. We will show that $X \in m_0$. Let T be a Miller tree. There exists $\xi < \mathfrak{c}$ for which $A_\xi \subseteq T$. We may find a family of Miller trees $\{T_\alpha : \alpha < \mathfrak{c}\}$ satisfying $T_\alpha \subseteq A_\xi$ for all $\alpha < \mathfrak{c}$ and $[T_\alpha] \cap [T_\beta] = \emptyset$ for distinct $\alpha, \beta < \mathfrak{c}$. Since $|X \cap [A_\xi]| \leq |\xi| < \mathfrak{c}$, there is $\eta < \mathfrak{c}$ with $[T_\eta] \cap X = \emptyset$. Therefore, $X \notin m_0$.

To prove that $s_0 \setminus cl_0 \neq \emptyset$, we use slight modification of the proof of Theorem 2.2 from [1], which fits a similar pattern from the first case. \dashv

The argument involving antichain of bodies of Miller trees in the above proof fits the general framework outlined in [1], Section 1.4.

As a consequence, we obtain the following result.

COROLLARY 10. *The following statements are true:*

- (i) *There exists a cl -nonmeasurable set which is m -measurable.*
- (ii) *There exists a cl -nonmeasurable set which is s -measurable.*

PROOF. It is enough to notice that any set outside cl_0 contains a cl -nonmeasurable subset. \dashv

The proof of the following theorem is inspired by the proof of Lemma 6 from [7] by A. Miller.

THEOREM 11. $l_0 \subseteq cl_0$.

PROOF. Let $A \in l_0$ and let T be a complete Laver tree. We will find a complete Laver tree $T_0 \subseteq T$ such that $[T_0] \cap A = \emptyset$. We will define a function $\varphi : T \rightarrow \text{ORD} \cup \{\infty\}$, where ORD stands for the class of ordinal numbers. We start with $\varphi^{-1}[\{0\}]$:

$$\varphi(\tau) = 0 \iff (\exists T' \subseteq T)(T' \in \mathbb{L} \wedge \text{stem}(T') = \tau \wedge [T'] \cap A = \emptyset).$$

Then recursively for $\alpha > 0$, we set

$$\varphi(\tau) \leq \alpha \iff (\exists^\infty n \in \omega)(\varphi(\tau \frown n) < \alpha).$$

Finally for $\tau \in T \setminus \varphi^{-1}[\text{ORD}]$, let $\varphi(\tau) = \infty$. Notice that for each $\tau \in T$,

$$\tau \in \varphi^{-1}[\text{ORD}] \iff (\exists T' \subseteq T)(T' \in \mathbb{L} \wedge \text{stem}(T') = \tau \wedge [T'] \cap A = \emptyset),$$

which is equivalent to $\varphi(\tau) = 0$. We claim that $\varphi(\emptyset) \neq \infty$. Suppose otherwise. It implies that there are infinitely many (in fact—relatively cofinitely many) nodes in T of the form $\emptyset \frown n$ for which $\varphi(\emptyset \frown n) = \infty$. By simple induction, we will find a complete Laver tree $T' \subseteq T$ satisfying

$$(\forall \tau \in T')(\varphi(\tau) = \infty).$$

In particular, it means that

$$(\forall T'' \subseteq T')(T'' \in \mathbb{L} \Rightarrow [T''] \cap A \neq \emptyset),$$

contradicting the fact that $A \in I_0$.

Hence $\varphi(\emptyset) = 0$; therefore, there exists a complete Laver tree $T_0 \subseteq T$ satisfying $[T_0] \cap A = \emptyset$. ⊣

Let us notice that the above reasoning provides the following result, which one may find useful in itself.

THEOREM 12. *Let $A \in I_0$. Then for every Laver tree T , there exists a Laver tree $T' \subseteq T$ such that $\text{stem}(T') = \text{stem}(T)$ and $[T'] \cap A = \emptyset$.*

Let us introduce the notion of \mathbb{T} -Bernstein sets.

DEFINITION 13. Let \mathbb{T} be a family of trees. We say that a set B is a \mathbb{T} -Bernstein set if for every $T \in \mathbb{T}, B \cap [T] \neq \emptyset$ and $B^c \cap [T] \neq \emptyset$.

Observe that each classical Bernstein set is an \mathbb{S} -Bernstein set. If $\mathbb{T} \subseteq \mathbb{T}'$ are families of trees, then \mathbb{T}' -Bernstein sets are \mathbb{T} -Bernstein sets. No \mathbb{T} -Bernstein set is in t_0 (or t -measurable), and if $\mathbb{T} \subseteq \mathbb{T}'$, then \mathbb{T}' -Bernstein sets do not belong to t_0 . Also note that if $\mathbb{T} \subsetneq \mathbb{T}'$, then a \mathbb{T} -Bernstein set may not be a \mathbb{T}' -Bernstein set (e.g., one may fix a tree from $\mathbb{T}' \setminus \mathbb{T}$ whose body will be always omitted).

The following theorem slightly generalizes Theorems 2.1 and 2.2 from [1].

THEOREM 14. *The following statements are true:*

- (i) *There exists an \mathbb{L} -Bernstein set which belongs to m_0 .*
- (ii) *There exists an \mathbb{M} -Bernstein set which belongs to s_0 .*

PROOF. As in in the proof of Theorem 9, we will use the notions established in [1]. To prove (i), let us enumerate all Laver trees $\{L_\alpha : \alpha < \mathfrak{c}\}$ and all apple trees $\{A_\alpha : \alpha < \mathfrak{c}\}$. Let us construct two sequences: $(b_\alpha)_{\alpha < \mathfrak{c}}$ and $(x_\alpha)_{\alpha < \mathfrak{c}}$ such that for each $\alpha < \mathfrak{c}$:

$$b_\alpha \in [L_\alpha] \setminus \left(\bigcup_{\beta < \alpha} [A_\beta] \cup \{x_\xi : \xi < \alpha\} \right),$$

$$x_\alpha \in [L_\alpha] \setminus (\{b_\beta : \beta \leq \alpha\} \cup \{x_\beta : \beta < \alpha\}).$$

It can be done, since for each Laver tree L_α , there is a pear tree P_{L_α} for which $[[P_{L_\alpha}] \cap [A]] \leq 1$ for every apple tree A , so the set $[L_\alpha] \setminus (\bigcup_{\beta < \alpha} [A_\beta] \cup \{x_\xi : \xi <$

$\alpha\}$) is nonempty at each step α . We will show that $B = \{b_\alpha : \alpha < \mathfrak{c}\}$ is the desired set. Let T be a Laver tree. Then $T = L_\alpha$ for some $\alpha < \mathfrak{c}$. Notice that the $b_\alpha \in B \cap [T]$ and $x_\alpha \in [T] \setminus B$.

To prove (ii), we use a similar modification of Theorem 2.2 from [1]. ⊣

Also let us observe that Theorem 11 yields the following result.

REMARK 15. No \mathbb{CL} -Bernstein set belongs to l_0 .

Let us invoke the theorem by Miller from [7, Theorem 3].

THEOREM 16 (Miller). *Let A be an analytic subset of ω^ω . Then either A contains body of some complete Laver tree or A^c contains a body of some complete Hechler tree.*

Let \mathcal{B} denote the family of Borel subsets of ω^ω .

THEOREM 17. *Let $(\mathbb{T}, t_0) \in \{(\mathbb{S}, s_0), (\mathbb{M}, m_0), (\mathbb{L}, l_0), (\mathbb{CL}, cl_0)\}$. Then $\mathcal{B} \cap t_0$ is the family of Borel sets, which do not contain any body of any tree from \mathbb{T} .*

PROOF. Case of $t_0 = s_0$ is evident since Borel sets have the perfect set property. Let $t_0 = m_0$. Let B be a Borel set. If B contains a body of a Miller tree, then clearly it is not in m_0 . On the other hand, if B does not contain a body of any Miller tree, then Saint-Raymond Theorem (see [2, Corollary 21.23]) implies that B is σ -bounded, hence $B \in m_0$.

Let $t_0 = l_0$. Let B be a Borel set. Similarly to the previous case, if B contains a body of some Laver tree, then $B \notin l_0$. Conversely, suppose a contrario that B does not contain any body of any Laver tree, but there is a Laver tree L such that $[L'] \cap B \neq \emptyset$ for every Laver tree $L' \subseteq L$. Let us trim B and L in the following way:

$$\begin{aligned} B' &= \{x \in \omega^\omega : \text{stem}(L) \frown x \in B\}, \\ L' &= \{\tau \in \omega^{<\omega} : \text{stem}(L) \frown \tau \in L\}. \end{aligned}$$

The function $f : \omega^\omega \rightarrow \omega^\omega$ given by the formula $f(x) = \text{stem}(L) \frown x$ is continuous. Clearly, $B' = f^{-1}[B]$, hence B' is Borel, and $[L'] = f^{-1}[[L]]$ is a body of a complete Laver tree L' . B' still does not contain any body of any Laver tree, so by Theorem 16, there is a Hechler tree H body of which is contained in B'^c . $H \cap L'$ contains (in fact—is) a Laver tree, body of which B' should intersect—a contradiction. The case of $t_0 = cl_0$ is almost identical to the previous one. ⊣

REMARK 18. h_0 and ch_0 lack such a characterization.

PROOF. For the proof of the ch_0 case, let T be a complete Laver tree which is not Hechler. Then $[T] \cap [T_{CH}]$ is a body of a complete Laver tree for every complete Hechler tree T_{CH} , hence $[T] \notin ch_0$. Clearly, $[T]$ does not contain any body of any complete Hechler tree.

For the proof of the h_0 case, let us define a sequence $(C_n : n \in \omega)$ of subsets of ω^ω in the following way

$$C_n = \{x \in \omega^\omega : (\forall k \geq n)(x(k) \in 2\mathbb{N})\}.$$

For each $n \in \omega$, the set C_n is a body of a complete Laver tree. Let $C = \bigcup_{n \in \omega} C_n$. We claim that $[H] \not\subseteq C$ for any Hechler tree H . Consider a set $C' = \{x \in \omega^\omega : x \upharpoonright |\text{stem}(H)| = \text{stem}(H) \wedge (\forall k \geq |\text{stem}(H)|)(x(k) \in 2\mathbb{N} + 1)\}$. $C' \cap C = \emptyset$ and $C' \cap [H]$ is a body of a Laver tree, hence $[H] \not\subseteq C$. Furthermore, $C \not\subseteq h_0$. Indeed, let H be a Hechler tree satisfying $[H] \cap C = \emptyset$. Then $[H] \cap C_n = \emptyset$ for every $n \in \omega$, which implies that for each natural n , we have $\text{stem}(H) > n$, a contradiction. \dashv

There is a relation between \mathbb{T} -Bernstein sets and the trace of t_0 on \mathcal{B} . Before we discuss it, let us recall some notions. Let $\mathcal{I} \subseteq P(\omega^\omega)$ be a σ -ideal with a Borel base, that is, for every set $A \in \mathcal{I}$, there exists a Borel set $B \in \mathcal{B} \cap \mathcal{I}$ containing A , and let $\sigma(\mathcal{B} \cup \mathcal{I}) = \{B \Delta A : B \in \mathcal{B} \wedge A \in \mathcal{I}\}$ denote the σ -field generated by Borel sets and sets from \mathcal{I} .

DEFINITION 19. We say that a set A is

- \mathcal{I} -nonmeasurable if $A \notin \sigma(\mathcal{B} \cup \mathcal{I})$;
- completely \mathcal{I} -nonmeasurable if $A \cap B$ is \mathcal{I} -nonmeasurable for each Borel set $B \notin \mathcal{I}$.

The equivalent (and more useful) formulation of the complete \mathcal{I} -nonmeasurability is this: A intersects each, but does not contain any, \mathcal{I} -positive Borel set B . Clearly, if A is completely \mathcal{I} -nonmeasurable and $B \in \mathcal{B} \setminus \mathcal{I}$, then $A \cap B \neq \emptyset$ and $B \not\subseteq A$. Conversely, if A is not completely \mathcal{I} -nonmeasurable, then there exists an \mathcal{I} -positive Borel set B such that $A \cap B$ is \mathcal{I} -measurable. It implies that there is a Borel \mathcal{I} -positive set $B' \subseteq B$ such that $B' \subseteq A$ or $B' \cap A = \emptyset$.

COROLLARY 20. Let $(\mathbb{T}, t_0) \in \{(\mathbb{S}, s_0), (\mathbb{M}, m_0), (\mathbb{L}, l_0), (\mathbb{CL}, cl_0)\}$. Then a set B is \mathbb{T} -Bernstein if and only if it is completely $t_0 \upharpoonright \mathcal{B}$ -nonmeasurable, where $t_0 \upharpoonright \mathcal{B}$ is a σ -ideal generated by $t_0 \cap \mathcal{B}$.

PROOF. By Theorem 17, a set A is $t_0 \upharpoonright \mathcal{B}$ -positive Borel set if and only if it contains a body of a tree from \mathbb{T} . Hence, B is \mathbb{T} -Bernstein if and only if it intersects each, but does not contain any, $t_0 \upharpoonright \mathcal{B}$ -positive Borel set. \dashv

§3. \mathcal{I} -Luzin sets and algebraic properties. Let us recall the notion of \mathcal{I} -Luzin sets (see [6]). Let X be a Polish space and \mathcal{I} be an ideal.

DEFINITION 21. We say that a set L is an \mathcal{I} -Luzin set, if $(\forall A \in \mathcal{I})(|A \cap L| < |L|)$.

For the classic ideals of Lebesgue measure zero sets \mathcal{N} and meager sets \mathcal{M} , we will call \mathcal{M} -Luzin sets generalized Luzin sets and \mathcal{N} -Luzin sets generalized Sierpiński sets.

We will consider \mathcal{I} -Luzin sets in the context of algebraic properties and tree ideals. We will work on the real line \mathbb{R} with the standard addition. Since \mathbb{R} is σ -compact, it does not contain even superperfect sets. We will tweak the definition a bit by saying that $A \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ belongs to t_0 if $h^{-1}[A]$ belongs to t_0 in ω^ω , where h is a homeomorphism between ω^ω and the subspace of

irrational numbers (see [15] for the similar modification in the case of 2^ω). Having this in mind, we will usually mean by $[\tau]$, $\tau \in \omega^{<\omega}$, an open interval with rational endpoints on \mathbb{R} .

Before we proceed, let us define a nonstandard kind of fusion of Miller and Laver trees that we will use later. Let T be a Miller tree. Let $\tau_\emptyset \in \omega\text{-split}(T)$ and let T_0 be any Miller subtree of T such that τ_\emptyset remains an infinitely splitting node in T_0 . Suppose we have a Miller subtree T_n and a set of nodes $B_n = \{\tau_\sigma : \sigma \in n^{<n}\}$ such that

- (i) $\tau_\sigma \in \omega\text{-split}(T_n)$ for every $\sigma \in n^{<n}$;
- (ii) $\tau_{\sigma \smallfrown k} \supseteq \tau_\sigma$ for every $k < n$ and $\sigma \in n^{<n}$;
- (iii) $\tau_{\sigma \smallfrown k} \cap \tau_{\sigma \smallfrown j} = \tau_\sigma$ for every $\sigma \in n^{<n}$ and distinct $k, j < n$.

We extend the set of nodes B_n to $B_{n+1} = \{\tau_\sigma : \sigma \in (n+1)^{\leq n+1}\}$ in a way that preserves above conditions, so we will have $n+1$ levels of infinitely splitting nodes with fixed $n+1$ splits. The only $\sigma \in (n+1)^0$ is \emptyset , and τ_\emptyset is an old node. It is ω -splitting in T_n and T_n is a Miller tree, so we may find $\tau_n \supseteq \tau_\emptyset$, which is ω -splitting and $\tau_n \cap \tau_j = \tau_\emptyset$ for $j < n$. If we already have nodes τ_σ with desired properties for $\sigma \in (n+1)^{\leq k}$, $k < n+1$, then for τ_σ , $\sigma \in n^k$ (old node), we add $\tau_{\sigma \smallfrown n}$ such that conditions (i)–(iii) are still met. For a new node τ_σ , $\sigma \in (n+1)^k \setminus n^k$, we find $\tau_{\sigma \smallfrown j}$ for each $j < n+1$ such that conditions (i)–(iii) are satisfied too. Then let T_{n+1} be any Miller subtree of T_n for which nodes from B_{n+1} are still infinitely splitting.

We will call a sequence of trees $(T_n)_{n \in \omega}$ (or, interchangeably, their bodies $[T_n]$) derived that way a Miller fusion sequence. Similarly, we define a Laver fusion sequence. The only difference would be that if $\tau_\sigma \subseteq \tau_{\sigma \smallfrown k}$, then actually $\tau_{\sigma \smallfrown k} = \tau_\sigma \smallfrown j$ for some $j \in \omega$.

We have the following fact regarding fusion sequences of Miller or Laver trees.

PROPOSITION 22. *For every Miller (resp. Laver) fusion sequence $(T_n)_{n \in \omega}$, the set $\bigcap_{n \in \omega} T_n$ is a Miller (resp. Laver) tree.*

LEMMA 23. *For every sequence of intervals $(I_n)_{n \in \omega}$ and a Miller (resp. Laver) tree T , there is a Miller (resp. Laver) fusion sequence $(T_n)_{n \in \omega}$ such that for all $n > 0$*

$$\lambda([T_n] + I_n) < (1 + \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} (n-1)^k) \lambda(I_n).$$

PROOF. Let us focus on the slightly more complicated ‘‘Miller’’ case. Let I_0 be an interval, $\varepsilon_0 = \lambda(I_0)$, and let T be a Miller tree. We proceed by induction on n . Let $\tau_\emptyset \in \omega\text{-split}(T)$ such that $\lambda([\tau_\emptyset]) < \varepsilon_0$. Then $\lambda([\tau_\emptyset] + I_0) = \lambda([\tau_\emptyset]) + \lambda(I_0) < 2\varepsilon_0$. Let T_0 be a Miller subtree of T such that $\tau_\emptyset = \text{stem}(T_0)$ and $\tau_\emptyset \in \omega\text{-split}(T_0)$. Clearly, we have $\lambda([T_0] + I_0) < 2\varepsilon_0$.

Now assume that we have a tree T_n that is a member of the emerging Miller fusion sequence. Denote by B_n , associated with T_n set of nodes satisfying conditions (i)–(iii). Let $\varepsilon_{n+1} = \lambda(I_{n+1})$. Let us define for each $\sigma \in \omega^{<\omega}$ and

interval I a set

$$N_\sigma(I) = \{\tau_\sigma \frown k \in T_n : [\tau_\sigma \frown k] \subseteq I \wedge (\forall j < n)(\tau_{\sigma \frown j} \not\supseteq \tau_\sigma \frown k)\}.$$

Observe that for each $\sigma \neq \emptyset$ and $d > 0$, there is an interval I satisfying $\lambda(I) < d$ and $|N_\sigma(I)| = \aleph_0$ since $\tau_\sigma \in \omega$ -split(T_n) and $[\tau_\sigma]$ is a bounded interval which contains $[\tau_\sigma \frown k]$ for infinitely many $k \in \omega$. At each level $k < n$ for every $\sigma \in n^k$, let I_σ be an interval with $\lambda(I_\sigma) < \frac{\varepsilon_{n+1}}{(n+1)^n}$ such that the set $N_\sigma(I_\sigma)$ is infinite and choose $\tau_{\sigma \frown n} \in \omega$ -split(T_n) such that $\tau_{\sigma \frown n} \supseteq \tau_\sigma \frown l$ for some $\tau_\sigma \frown l \in N_\sigma(I_\sigma)$. At the level n , let us fix for every $\sigma \in n^n$ an interval I_σ satisfying $\lambda(I_\sigma) < \frac{\varepsilon_{n+1}}{(n+1)^n}$ such that the set $N_\sigma(I_\sigma)$ is infinite and pick $\tau_{\sigma \frown 0}, \tau_{\sigma \frown 1}, \dots, \tau_{\sigma \frown n}$, which are extensions of some nodes $\tau_\sigma \frown k_0, \tau_\sigma \frown k_1, \dots, \tau_\sigma \frown k_n \in N_\sigma(I_\sigma)$, respectively. Finally, we pick the remaining nodes to complete the set B_{n+1} according to the definition of a Miller fusion sequence however we like. We take as T_{n+1} any Miller subtree of T_n whose nodes from B_{n+1} are infinitely splitting and whose body is covered by intervals $I_\sigma, \sigma \in n^{\leq n}$ (which is possible since each $N_\sigma(I_\sigma)$ is infinite). Let us approximate $\lambda([T_{n+1}] + I_{n+1})$:

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda([T_{n+1}] + I_{n+1}) &\leq \lambda\left(\bigcup\{I_\sigma + I_{n+1} : \sigma \in n^{\leq n}\}\right) \leq \sum_{\sigma \in n^{\leq n}} (\lambda(I_\sigma) + \lambda(I_{n+1})) \\ &< \sum_{\sigma \in n^{\leq n}} (\varepsilon_{n+1}(n+1)^n + \varepsilon_{n+1}). \end{aligned}$$

Since the count of intervals I_σ is $|n^{\leq n}| = \sum_{k=0}^n n^k \leq (n+1)^n$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda([T_{n+1}] + I_{n+1}) &\leq \sum_{k=0}^n n^k (\varepsilon_{n+1}(n+1)^n + \varepsilon_{n+1}) \leq (n+1)^n \varepsilon_{n+1} (n+1)^n \\ &+ \sum_{k=0}^n n^k \varepsilon_{n+1} = \varepsilon_{n+1} + \sum_{k=0}^n n^k \varepsilon_{n+1} = \left(1 + \sum_{k=0}^n n^k\right) \varepsilon_{n+1}. \quad \dashv \end{aligned}$$

REMARK 24. In the above lemma in the case of a Laver tree, we may demand that $\text{stem}(T) = \text{stem}(\bigcap_{n \in \omega} T_n)$, if $\text{stem}(T)$ is nonempty.

PROOF. The major difference is at the first step of the induction. Instead of picking a suitable ‘‘far enough’’ node $\tau_\emptyset \in T$ such that $\lambda([\tau_\emptyset] + I_0) < 2\lambda(I_0)$, we already restrict the choice of nodes at the stem level by picking an interval I_\emptyset of measure $\lambda(I_\emptyset) < \lambda(I_0)$ such that a set

$$N_{\text{stem}(T)}(I_\emptyset) = \{\text{stem}(T) \frown k \in T : [\text{stem}(T) \frown k] \subseteq I_\emptyset\}$$

is infinite. It can be done since $\text{stem}(T) \neq \emptyset$, so all clopen sets $[\text{stem}(T) \frown k], k \in \omega$, are contained in an interval. We take a Laver subtree T_0 of T for which $[T] \subseteq I_\emptyset$ and $\text{stem}(T) = \text{stem}(T_0)$ (so all nodes extending $\text{stem}(T_0)$ come from I_\emptyset). Then we continue analogously to the proof of Lemma 23. \dashv

LEMMA 25. *There exists a dense G_δ set G such that for each Miller (resp. Laver or complete Laver) tree T , there exists a Miller (resp. Laver or complete Laver) subtree $T' \subseteq T$ such that $G + [T'] \in \mathcal{N}$.*

PROOF. Let $D = \{d_n : n \in \omega\}$ be a countable dense set, $G = \bigcap_{n \in \omega} \bigcup_{k > n} I_k$, where I_k is an interval with a center d_k and $\lambda(I_k) < 1(k)^{k-1}2^k$. The proofs are almost identical in the cases of Miller and Laver trees, so without loss of generality let us focus on the ‘‘Miller’’ case. Let T be a Miller tree. By Lemma 23, there is a Miller fusion sequence $(T_n)_{n \in \omega}$ such that

$$\lambda([T_n] + I_n) < (1 + \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} (n-1)^k) \lambda(I_n) \leq n^{n-1} \frac{1}{n^{n-1} 2^n} = \frac{1}{2^n}.$$

$T' = \bigcap_{n \in \omega} T_n$ is a Miller tree contained in all T_n 's, so we may replace $[T_n]$ with $[T']$ in the above formula and it still holds. Then for a fixed $n \in \omega$,

$$\lambda\left(\bigcup_{k > n} I_k + [T']\right) = \lambda\left(\bigcup_{k > n} ([T'] + I_k)\right) \leq \sum_{k > n} \lambda([T'] + I_k) \leq \sum_{k > n} \frac{1}{2^k} = \frac{1}{2^n},$$

so, given that $[T'] + \bigcap_{n \in \omega} \bigcup_{k > n} I_k \subseteq \bigcap_{n \in \omega} \bigcup_{k > n} ([T'] + I_k)$, we have

$$\lambda(G + [T']) \leq \lambda\left(\bigcap_{n \in \omega} \bigcup_{k > n} ([T'] + I_k)\right) \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2^n} = 0.$$

In the case of a complete Laver tree T , let us observe that $T = \bigcup_{n \in \omega} T_n$, where for each $n \in \omega$, the set $T_n = \{\sigma \in T : (n) \subseteq \sigma \vee \sigma \subseteq (n)\}$ is a Laver tree with a nonempty stem. Let us notice that $[T] = \bigcup_{n \in \omega} [T_n]$. By Lemma 23, Remark 24, and the first part of the proof, we find for each (nonempty) T_n , a Laver subtree T'_n which shares the stem with T_n , for which we have

$$[T'_n] + G \in \mathcal{N}.$$

Then $T' = \bigcup_{n \in \omega} T'_n$ is a complete Laver subtree of T and

$$[T'] + G = \left[\bigcup_{n \in \omega} T'_n\right] + G = \bigcup_{n \in \omega} [T'_n] + G = \bigcup_{n \in \omega} ([T'_n] + G) \in \mathcal{N}$$

as a countable union of null sets. ⊣

Before we proceed to the main theorem of this section, let us recall a generalized version of Rothberger’s theorem (see [11]).

THEOREM 26 (Essentially Rothberger). *Assume that L is a generalized Luzin set, S is a generalized Sierpiński set, and $\kappa = \max\{|L|, |S|\}$ is a regular cardinal. Then $|L| = |S| = \kappa$.*

PROOF. Assume that $\kappa = |L| > |S|$ and κ is a regular cardinal. Let M be a meager set of full measure (the Marczewski decomposition, see [4]). Then

$$\kappa = |L \cap \mathbb{R}| = |L \cap (M + S)| = \left| \bigcup_{s \in S} (L \cap (M + s)) \right| < \kappa,$$

by regularity of κ . In the case of $\kappa = |S| > |L|$, the proof is almost the same. ⊣

The following theorem extends the result obtained in [6, Theorem 2.12].

THEOREM 27. *Let \mathfrak{c} be a regular cardinal and $t_0 \in \{s_0, m_0, l_0, cl_0\}$. Then for every generalized Luzin set L and generalized Sierpiński set S , we have $L + S \in t_0$.*

PROOF. Let L and S be a generalized Luzin set and generalized Sierpiński set, respectively. If $|L| < \mathfrak{c}$ and $|S| < \mathfrak{c}$, then $L + S \in t_0$ because every set of cardinality less than \mathfrak{c} belongs to t_0 . Hence, without loss of generality (Theorem 26), let us assume that $|L| = |S| = \mathfrak{c}$.

We will proceed with the proof in the case $t_0 = m_0$, the other cases are almost identical. Let T be a Miller tree. By the virtue of Lemma 25, let G be a dense G_δ set and $T' \subseteq T$ a Miller tree such that $[T'] + G \in \mathcal{N}$. Let $A = -G$ and $B = ([T'] + G)^c$. Then $[T'] \subseteq (A + B)^c$. We will show that there is a Miller tree $T'' \subseteq T'$ body of which is contained in $(L + S)^c$. We have

$$\begin{aligned} L + S &= ((L \cap A) \cup (L \cap A^c)) + ((S \cap B) \cup (S \cap B^c)) \\ &= ((L \cap A) + (S \cap B)) \cup ((L \cap A) + (S \cap B^c)) \\ &\quad \cup ((L \cap A^c) + (S \cap B)) \cup ((L \cap A^c) + (S \cap B^c)). \end{aligned}$$

$(L \cap A) + (S \cap B) \subseteq A + B$ and sets $(L \cap A) + (S \cap B^c)$, $(L \cap A^c) + (S \cap B)$, and $(L \cap A^c) + (S \cap B^c)$ are generalized Luzin, generalized Sierpiński and of cardinality less than \mathfrak{c} ; therefore, their intersection with $[T']$ has cardinality less than \mathfrak{c} . It follows that indeed there exists a Miller tree $T'' \subseteq T'$ such that $(L + S) \cap [T''] = \emptyset$, hence $L + S$ belongs to m_0 . −

Let us remark that the assumption that \mathfrak{c} is regular cannot be omitted due to the following result [6, Theorem 2.13].

THEOREM 28. *It is consistent that there exist generalized Luzin set L and generalized Sierpiński set S such that $L + S = \mathbb{R}^n$, and $\mathfrak{c} = \aleph_{\omega_1}$.*

§4. Eventually different families and t -measurability. Two members $f, g \in \omega^\omega$ of the Baire space are *eventually different* (briefly: e.d.), if $f \cap g$ is a finite subset of $\omega \times \omega$. Maximal eventually different families with respect to inclusion are called *m.e.d. families*.

Every e.d. family is a meager subset of the Baire space. It is natural to ask whether the existence of m.e.d. families that are either s -measurable or s -nonmeasurable can be proven in ZFC. It is relatively consistent with ZFC that there is a m.e.d. family \mathcal{A} of cardinality less than \mathfrak{c} (see [3]). In such a case, $\mathcal{A} \in s_0$. On the other hand, there exists a perfect e.d. family; therefore, not all m.e.d. families are in s_0 . The following two theorems answer this question positively.

THEOREM 29. *There exists an s -nonmeasurable m.e.d. family.*

PROOF. Let us fix a perfect tree $T \subseteq \omega^{<\omega}$ such that $[T]$ is e.d. in ω^ω . Let $\{T_\alpha : \alpha < \mathfrak{c}\}$ be an enumeration of the family $\mathbb{S}(T)$ of all perfect subtrees of T . By the transfinite recursion, we define

$$\{(a_\alpha, d_\alpha, x_\alpha) \in [T] \times [T] \times \omega^\omega : \alpha < \mathfrak{c}\}$$

such that for any $\alpha < \mathfrak{c}$, we have:

- (1) $a_\alpha, d_\alpha \in [T_\alpha]$;
- (2) $\{a_\xi : \xi < \alpha\} \cap \{d_\xi : \xi < \alpha\} = \emptyset$;
- (3) $\{a_\xi : \xi < \alpha\} \cup \{x_\xi : \xi < \alpha\}$ is e.d.;
- (4) $\forall^\infty n \ x_\alpha(n) = d_\alpha(n)$ but $x_\alpha \neq d_\alpha$.

Assume that we are at the step $\alpha < \mathfrak{c}$ of the construction and we have already defined the sequence

$$\{(a_\xi, d_\xi, x_\xi) \in [T]^2 \times \omega^\omega : \xi < \alpha\}.$$

We can choose $a_\alpha, d_\alpha \in [T_\alpha]$ ($[T_\alpha]$ has cardinality \mathfrak{c}) which fulfills conditions (1), (2). Then choose any $x_\alpha \in \omega^\omega$ distinct from d_α but $(\forall^\infty n)d_\alpha(n) = x_\alpha(n)$. Then $x_\alpha \in \omega^\omega \setminus [T]$ and

$$\{a_\xi : \xi \leq \alpha\} \cup \{x_\xi : \xi \leq \alpha\}$$

forms an e.d. family in ω^ω . This completes the construction.

Now, let us extend the set $\{a_\alpha : \alpha < \mathfrak{c}\} \cup \{x_\alpha : \alpha < \mathfrak{c}\}$ to m.e.d. family A . It is easy to check that A is the desired s -nonmeasurable m.e.d. family. \dashv

In [9, Theorem 2.2] it was shown that if $\mathfrak{d} = \omega_1$, then there exists a s -nonmeasurable m.e.d. family \mathcal{A} with a dominating subfamily $\mathcal{A}' \in [\mathcal{A}]^{\omega_1}$. Here, s -nonmeasurability can be replaced by l -, m -, or cl -nonmeasurability.

In the same paper, it was proved that the following statement is relatively consistent with ZFC: “ $\omega_1 < \mathfrak{d}$ and there exists cl -nonmeasurable m.e.d. family \mathcal{A} with a dominating subfamily $\mathcal{A}' \subseteq \mathcal{A}$ of cardinality \mathfrak{d} .”

The next theorem generalizes the result obtained in [8, Theorem 4.2].

THEOREM 30. *There exists a m.e.d. family $\mathcal{A} \subseteq \omega^\omega$ such that \mathcal{A} is not s -, l -, and m -measurable, with a dominating subfamily $\mathcal{D} \in [\mathcal{A}]^{\leq \mathfrak{d}}$.*

PROOF. Let \mathcal{D}_0 be a dominating family of cardinality \mathfrak{d} . We will show that there is an e.d. dominating family \mathcal{D} of the same cardinality. Let $\mathcal{P} = \{A_m \in [\omega]^\omega : m \in \omega\}$ be a partition of ω into infinite subsets with

$$A_m = \{k_{m,i} : i \in \omega\}, \quad k_{m,0} < k_{m,1} < \dots$$

Let us construct a tree T in the following way. Set

$$\begin{aligned} T_0 &= \{\emptyset\}, \\ T_1 &= \{(0, n) : n \in \omega\}. \end{aligned}$$

Fix $n \in \omega$ and assume that we have defined $T_n \subseteq \omega^n$. Let $T_n = \{\sigma_m^n : m \in \omega\}$. Define

$$T_{n+1,m} = \{\sigma_m^n \cup \{(n, k_{m,i})\} : i \in \omega\}$$

and $T_{n+1} = \bigcup_{m \in \omega} T_{n+1,m}$. Finally, set $T = \bigcup_{n \in \omega} T_n$. Clearly, $[T]$ is an e.d. family.

Now let us define an embedding $f : \mathcal{D}_0 \rightarrow [T]$ as follows. Fix $d \in \mathcal{D}_0$. Define

$$f(d)(0) = d(0),$$

$$f(d)(n) = k_{m,d(n)}, \text{ where } f(d) \upharpoonright n = \sigma_m^n.$$

Clearly, f is well defined. Indeed, $f(d) \upharpoonright 1 \in T_1$ and if $f(d) \upharpoonright n = \sigma_m^n \in T_n$ then $f(d) \upharpoonright n+1 = f(d) \upharpoonright n \frown f(d)(n) = \sigma_m^n \cup \{(n, k_{m,d(n)})\} \in T_{n+1,m} \subseteq T_{n+1}$.

Notice that f is injective and $d \leq f(d)$ for every $d \in \mathcal{D}_0$. Now set

$$\mathcal{D} = \{4f(d) : d \in \mathcal{D}_0\} \subseteq (4\mathbb{N})^\omega.$$

It is a dominating family in ω^ω of cardinality $|\mathcal{D}_0| = \mathfrak{d}$.

Now let us choose e.d. trees $S \subseteq (4\mathbb{N} + 1)^{<\omega}$, $M \subseteq (4\mathbb{N} + 2)^{<\omega}$, and $L \subseteq (4\mathbb{N} + 3)^{<\omega}$, where S is a perfect tree, M is Miller, and L is Laver.

Let $\{S_\alpha : \alpha < \mathfrak{c}\}$ be an enumeration of the family $\mathbb{S}(S)$ of all perfect subtrees of S . Analogously, let $\mathbb{M}(M) = \{M_\alpha : \alpha < \mathfrak{c}\}$ and $\mathbb{L}(L) = \{L_\alpha : \alpha < \mathfrak{c}\}$. By the transfinite recursion, let us define

$$\{w_\alpha \in [[S]]^2 \times \omega^\omega \times [[M]]^2 \times \omega^\omega \times [[L]]^2 \times \omega^\omega : \alpha < \mathfrak{c}\},$$

where $w_\alpha = (a_\alpha^s, d_\alpha^s, x_\alpha^s, a_\alpha^m, d_\alpha^m, x_\alpha^m, a_\alpha^l, d_\alpha^l, x_\alpha^l)$ and for every $\alpha < \mathfrak{c}$:

1. $a_\alpha^s, d_\alpha^s \in [S_\alpha]$;
2. $\{a_\xi^s : \xi < \alpha\} \cap \{d_\xi^s : \xi < \alpha\} = \emptyset$;
3. $\{a_\xi^s : \xi < \alpha\} \cup \{x_\xi^s : \xi < \alpha\}$ is e.d.;
4. $\forall^\infty n \ x_\alpha^s(n) = d_\alpha^s(n)$ but $x_\alpha^s \neq d_\alpha^s$;
5. $a_\alpha^m, d_\alpha^m \in [M_\alpha]$;
6. $\{a_\xi^m : \xi < \alpha\} \cap \{d_\xi^m : \xi < \alpha\} = \emptyset$;
7. $\{a_\xi^m : \xi < \alpha\} \cup \{x_\xi^m : \xi < \alpha\}$ is e.d.;
8. $\forall^\infty n \ x_\alpha^m(n) = d_\alpha^m(n)$ but $x_\alpha^m \neq d_\alpha^m$;
9. $a_\alpha^l, d_\alpha^l \in [L_\alpha]$;
10. $\{a_\xi^l : \xi < \alpha\} \cap \{d_\xi^l : \xi < \alpha\} = \emptyset$;
11. $\{a_\xi^l : \xi < \alpha\} \cup \{x_\xi^l : \xi < \alpha\}$ is e.d.;
12. $\forall^\infty n \ x_\alpha^l(n) = d_\alpha^l(n)$ but $x_\alpha^l \neq d_\alpha^l$.

Now assume that we are at the step $\alpha < \mathfrak{c}$ of the construction and we have a partial sequence

$$(w_\xi : \xi < \alpha),$$

which has a length at most $\omega \cdot |\alpha| < \mathfrak{c}$. The construction of w_α is similar to the construction of $(a_\alpha, d_\alpha, x_\alpha)$ in Theorem 29.

Now let us set:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{A}_s &= \{a_\alpha^s : \alpha < \mathfrak{c}\} \cup \{x_\alpha^s : \alpha < \mathfrak{c}\}, \\ \mathcal{A}_m &= \{a_\alpha^m : \alpha < \mathfrak{c}\} \cup \{x_\alpha^m : \alpha < \mathfrak{c}\}, \\ \mathcal{A}_l &= \{a_\alpha^l : \alpha < \mathfrak{c}\} \cup \{x_\alpha^l : \alpha < \mathfrak{c}\}. \end{aligned}$$

Notice that $\mathcal{D} \cup \mathcal{A}_s \cup \mathcal{A}_m \cup \mathcal{A}_l$ forms an e.d. family. Let \mathcal{A} be any m.e.d. family containing $\mathcal{D} \cup \mathcal{A}_s \cup \mathcal{A}_m \cup \mathcal{A}_l$.

Clearly, \mathcal{A} contains \mathcal{D} , which is a dominating family of cardinality \mathfrak{d} .

Notice that \mathcal{A} is s -nonmeasurable. Indeed, every perfect subset of $[S]$ is of the form $[S_\alpha]$ for some $\alpha < \mathfrak{c}$. By condition (1) of construction $a_\alpha^s \in \mathcal{A} \cap [S_\alpha]$. On the other hand (by conditions (2) and (4)), $d_\alpha^s \in [S_\alpha] \setminus \mathcal{A}$.

Similarly, we prove that \mathcal{A} is m - and l -nonmeasurable, which completes the proof. \dashv

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