

Randomizations

T - classical first order theory
 T^R - the randomization of T

The models of T^R are essentially spaces of m -valued random variables where $m \neq T$.

We study T^R in the framework of continuous logic.

Idea: Instead of being true or false, sentences are assigned a probability in $[0, 1]$.

NIP

Classical Version:

$\phi(x, y)$ is NIP \Leftrightarrow for any indiscernible sequence $(a_i : i \in \mathcal{I})$ and tuple b , there is some end segment $\mathcal{I}_0 \subseteq \mathcal{I}$ and $\eta \in \{0, 1\}$ such that $\phi(a_i, b)^\eta$ holds for all $i \in \mathcal{I}_0$.

Continuous Version:

$\phi(x, y)$ is NIP \Leftrightarrow for any indiscernible sequence $(a_i : i \in \mathcal{I})$ and tuple b , there is $L \in [0, 1]$ such that $\forall \varepsilon > 0$, there is some end segment $\mathcal{I}_0 \subseteq \mathcal{I}$ such that $|\phi(a_i, b) - L| < \varepsilon$ for all $i \in \mathcal{I}_0$.

Known

T is _____ if and only if T^R is _____.

- ω -categorical
- ω -stable
- stable
- NIP

But if T is simple and unstable,
 T^R is not simple.

Questions

- Do randomizations preserve various notions of strong dependence, such as dp-minimality, VC-density one, and VC-minimality?
- Are these notions interesting in the continuous setting?
- More generally, what happens to dp-rank when we randomize?
- Do the continuous versions of these notions interact in an analogous way to the classical versions?