

$$S(\aleph) = \{A \in \aleph, A \text{ is } \aleph\text{-Suslin}\}$$

$\aleph$  is a Suslin card iff  $S(\aleph) \neq \bigcup_{\alpha < \aleph} S(\alpha)$ .

Projective-like hierarchies (Jackson handbook paper)

Let  $\aleph$  be a limit of Suslin cardinals,

$$\underline{\Delta}_0 = \bigcup_{\alpha < \aleph} S_\alpha$$

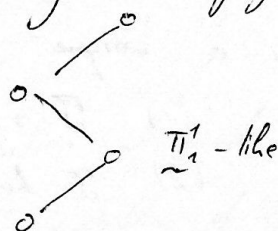
It is closed under  $\exists^R, \forall^R, \neg$

$$\aleph = \delta(\underline{\Delta}_0) = \text{Wadge ordinal of } \delta \underline{\Delta}$$

We have two cases (of sel hierarchies)

Type I cf  $(\aleph_0) = \omega$

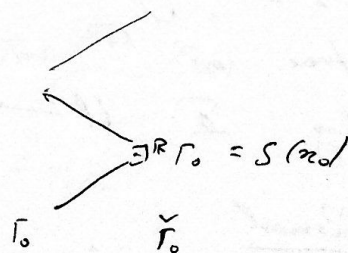
hierarchy looks "just like" projective.



Type II cf  $(\aleph) < \aleph$

$$\Gamma_0 = \{p(T) : T \text{ on } \omega \times \aleph \text{ homogeneous}\}$$

$\forall^R \Gamma_0 \subseteq \Gamma_0$ , but  $\Gamma_0$  not closed under finite unions (?)



$\forall^R$ , but not  $\exists^R$

Type II  $\aleph$  regular, but  $\Gamma_0$  is closed under both  $\exists^R, \forall^R$

Pattern like I with bottom class with better closure properties.

2. Type IV  $P_0$  is closed under both  $\forall, \exists$ .

(Inductive-like) + pro-property.

$\text{Ent}(P_0)$

$$S(\alpha) = \bigcap_{\beta < \alpha} S(\beta)$$

(This phenomenon is called gap in scales)

next Suslin  
is very long for  
up here in  
Wadge hierarchy

From Borel( $P_0$ ), you  
can build a  
whole projective  
hierarchy, before  
hitting next Suslin  
abs.

Mouse pairs + max limits  $\Rightarrow$  Suslin cardinals.

Suppose we have a mouse pair  $(P, \Sigma)$ . We want to find an optimal Suslin representation for its strategy.

Theorem

There is a unique normal tree  $\mathcal{T}$  on  $P$  s.t.

(1)  $\mathcal{T}$  is  $\Sigma$

(2)  $\mathcal{T}$  has last model  $M_{\omega_1}(P, \Sigma)$ . (club many elementary submodels are  $\Sigma$ .)

Here " $\mathcal{T}$  is  $\Sigma$ " means: ~~every countable~~ whenever  $\mathcal{U}$  is a cld tree on  $P$  and there is a ~~tree~~ weak tree embedding  $\mathcal{E}: \mathcal{U} \rightarrow \mathcal{T}$ , then  $\mathcal{U}$  is  $\Sigma$ .

Remark

Any mouse pair  $(Q, \Lambda)$  has very strong hull condensation, i.e. if  $\mathcal{T}$  on  $(Q, \Lambda)$  is on  $Q$  by  $\Lambda$  and  $\mathcal{E}: \mathcal{U} \rightarrow \mathcal{T}$  is a weak tree embedding, then  $\mathcal{U}$  is  $\Lambda$ .

(Siskind, S., Arxiv "Full normalization for mouse pairs")

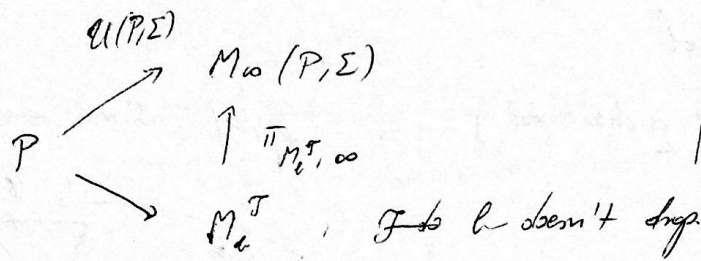
Definition Let  $\mathcal{U}(P, \Sigma)$  = the unique normal tree as above.

Corollary  $\text{Coale}(\Sigma)$  is  $|M_{\omega_1}(P, \Sigma)|$  - Suslin.

Proof Your tree  $\mathcal{T}$  sat.  $p[\mathcal{T}] = \text{code}(\Sigma)$  justifies  $\mathcal{T}$  by building  $\bar{\Phi}: \mathcal{T} \rightarrow \mathcal{U}(P, \Sigma)$ .

$|M_\alpha(P, \Sigma)|$  is  $\aleph_\alpha$  because  $\text{Code}(\Sigma)$  is not  $\alpha$ -Suslin for  $\alpha < |M_\alpha(P, \Sigma)|$ . Indeed, by Kunen-Martin, every  $\alpha$ -Suslin wf relation on  $\mathbb{R}$  has rank  $< \alpha^+$ .

Why  $\Sigma^{\text{rel}} = p[\mathcal{T}]$ ?



We don't literally look at  $\text{Code}(\Sigma)$ , only its relevant part: the trees that can be extended so that they don't drop along the branch, all of  $\Sigma^{\text{rel}}$ .

Let  $\mathcal{V} = \mathcal{U}(M_{\aleph_1}^{\text{ST}}, \Sigma_{M_{\aleph_1}^{\text{ST}}})$ , normalization.

$\mathcal{X} = X(\mathcal{T}, \mathcal{V})$  - full normalization of stack  $\{\mathcal{T}, \mathcal{V}\}$ .

construction of  $X$ , produces a weak tree embedding of  $\mathcal{T} \rightarrow X$ .

Another way to get a Suslin cardinal from  $M_\alpha$ :

e.g.  $\aleph_\omega = \text{ord}(M_\omega(M_1/\delta_1, \Sigma_{M_1/\delta_1}))$

$\omega_1 = |\beta_\omega(M_1/\delta_1, \Sigma_{M_1/\delta_1})|$ , where

$\beta_\omega = \text{least string of } M_\omega \text{ to } \text{ord}(M_\omega)$ .

$= \pi_{M_1/\delta_1, \omega}(\text{least string to } \delta_1 \text{ of } M_1)$ .

For any  $P$ ,  $\sigma^P = \sup \{(\aleph^+)^P; \alpha < p(P) \}$  & there exists  $E \uparrow$  on  $P$ -sequence with  $\text{ep } E = \alpha$  and  $\text{lh } E > \alpha$ ,  $P$ .

4. Definition  $P$  has limit type iff  $\forall \alpha < \epsilon^P$   
 $o(\alpha)^P < \delta^P$   
 $\downarrow$   
 sup lh's of  $E$  with ord  $\alpha$ .

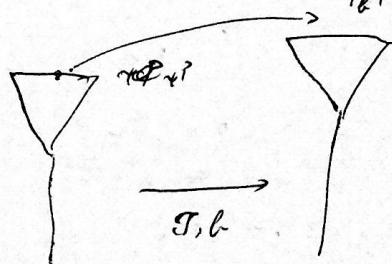
$P$  has top block of  $\omega$ .  
 if  $\omega$ ,  $\beta^P = \text{least } \alpha < \delta^P$  s.t.  $o(\alpha)^P = \delta^P$ .

$$\beta_{\omega}(P, \Sigma) = \pi_{(P, \Sigma), \omega}(\beta^P)$$

Suppose  $P$  has a top block. Then  $|\beta_{\omega}(P, \Sigma)|$  is a Suslin cardinal.

Namely  $\text{Code}(\Sigma^{\text{short, rel}})$  is  $|\beta_{\omega}|$ -Suslin and not  $\alpha$ -Suslin for  $\alpha < \beta_{\omega}$ .

where  $\mathcal{T}$  is short iff



where  $\delta(\delta) = \text{sup}$   
 $\text{lh } E_{\omega}^{\mathcal{T}} : \alpha < \delta, \delta$

so short tree is a one that can be continued with normal iteration.

Definition  $\mathcal{U}^0(P, \Sigma) = \mathcal{U}(P, \Sigma) \upharpoonright \alpha + 1$ , where  $\alpha$  is least s.t.  $o(\lambda_{\alpha, \omega}^{\mathcal{U}(P, \Sigma)}) > i_{\alpha}^{\mathcal{U}(P, \Sigma)}(\beta^P)$

$\mathcal{T}$  short,  $M_{\omega}$ -relevant w.r.t.  $\Sigma$  iff  $\exists$  weak tree embedding

$$\Phi: \mathcal{T} \rightarrow \mathcal{U}^0(P, \Sigma)$$

So  $\text{Code}(\Sigma^{\text{sh, rel}})$  is  $|\beta_{\omega}|$ -Suslin.

Kunen - Martin  $\Rightarrow \text{Code}(\Sigma^{\text{sh, rel}})$  is not  $\alpha$ -Suslin

for  $\alpha < |\beta_{\omega}|$ .

5. Simon's Semistar (Steel)

Theorem (Jackson, Sargsyan, Steel) ( $AD^+$ )

Let  $(P, \Sigma)$  be a mouse pair. Let  $\alpha \leq o(M_\infty(P, \Sigma))$ .

~~be a  $\delta$~~  TFAE:

- (1)  $\alpha$  is a Suslin cardinal.
- (2)  $\alpha = |\gamma|$ , where  $\gamma$  is a cutpoint of  $M_\infty(P, \Sigma)$

where  $\gamma$  is a cutpoint of  $M$  iff  $\forall \alpha < \gamma$   
 $o(\alpha)^M \leq \gamma$ .

Conjecture Let  $(P, \Sigma)$  with a top block

$$|M_\infty(P, \Sigma)| = |\beta_\alpha(P, \Sigma)|$$

or  $|M_\infty(P, \Sigma)| = \text{next Suslin cardinal after } |\beta_\alpha(P, \Sigma)| \text{ in } M_\infty(P, \Sigma)$