

Prikry forcing and universal collapse

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In this talk, all ideal on λ are λ -complete and non-principal. For an ideal I on λ , Notion of forcing $\mathcal{P}(\lambda)/I$ is $I^+ (= \mathcal{P}(\lambda) \setminus I)$ ordered by inclusion.

We will consider an ideal on κ^+ .

For a poset \mathbb{P} , \mathbb{P} has the (α, β, γ) -c.c. if, for every $X \in [\mathbb{P}]^\alpha$, there is a $Y \in [X]^\beta$ such that

$$\forall Z \in [Y]^\gamma (Z \text{ has a common extension}).$$

Of course, usual κ -c.c. is the $(\kappa, 2, 2)$ -c.c., and κ -Knaster is the $(\kappa, \kappa, 2)$ -c.c.

Definition

For an ideal I on κ^+ ,

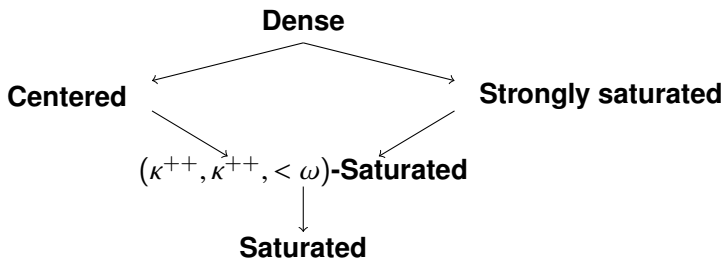
- *I is saturated if $\mathcal{P}(\kappa^+)/I$ has the κ^{++} -c.c.*
- *I is strongly saturated if $\mathcal{P}(\kappa^+)/I$ has the $(\kappa^{++}, \kappa^{++}, \kappa)$ -c.c.*

Remark

Strongly saturation is not the strongest saturation property of ideals. In fact, dense ideal is strongly saturated. Here, I is **dense** if $\mathcal{P}(\kappa^+)/I$ has a dense subset of size κ^+ .

Definition

Ideal I over κ^+ is **centered** if $\mathcal{P}(\kappa^+)/I$ is a union of κ^+ -many filters.



Each consistency is

Property for ideal on κ^+	κ is regular	κ is singular
Dense	Woodin	Inconsistent
Centered	Foreman–Laver	Foreman
Strongly saturated	Laver	?
Saturated	Kunen	Foreman

Theorem (Sakai–Eskew[1])

If κ is a singular cardinal, then there is no dense ideal on κ^+ .

Question

Is it consistent that κ^+ carries a strongly saturated ideal for singular κ ?

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We assume that κ is indestructibly supercompact and $\lambda > \kappa$ is huge from here.

Theorem (Laver[3], Universal Collapse)

If $j : V \rightarrow M$ is a huge embedding (i.e. $j(\lambda)M \subseteq M$ holds) with critical point λ , then there is a poset \mathbf{P} such that

- $\mathbf{P} \subseteq V_\lambda$ has the λ -c.c. and it is κ -directed closed.
- \mathbf{P} collapses λ to κ^+ .
- There is a complete embedding $\tau : \mathbf{P} * \dot{\mathbb{L}}(\lambda, j(\lambda)) \rightarrow j(\mathbf{P})$ with $\tau(p, \dot{1}) = p$ for all $p \in \mathbf{P}$.
- $\mathbf{P} * \dot{\mathbb{L}}(\lambda, j(\lambda)) \Vdash \kappa^+ = \lambda$ carries an strongly saturated ideal \dot{I} .

Here, $\mathbb{L}(\mu, \gamma)$ is the set of all partial function $p : \mu \times \gamma \rightarrow \mu$ s.t.

- $\text{supp}(p) = \{\xi < \gamma \mid \exists \alpha < \mu (\langle \alpha, \xi \rangle \in \text{dom}(p))\}$ is μ -Easton. i.e. $\forall \zeta > \mu: \text{Regular}(|\text{supp}(p) \cap \zeta| < \zeta)$.
- $\exists \alpha < \mu (\text{dom}(p) \subseteq \alpha \times \gamma)$.

In the proof of Laver's theorem, Laver essentially showed the following lemma.

Lemma (Laver)

$\mathbf{P} * \dot{\mathbb{L}}(\lambda, j(\lambda)) \Vdash j(\mathbf{P})/\dot{G} * \dot{H}$ has the $(j(\lambda), j(\lambda), \kappa)$ -c.c.

Note that, in $V^{\mathbf{P} * \dot{\mathbb{L}}(\lambda, j(\lambda))}$, some cardinals are collapsed as follows

$$\kappa^+ = \lambda, j(\lambda) = \lambda^+ = \kappa^{++}.$$

More precisely, the following holds.

Lemma

$\mathbf{P} * \dot{\mathbb{L}}(\lambda, j(\lambda)) \Vdash \mathcal{B}(\mathcal{P}(\kappa^+)/\dot{I}) \simeq \mathcal{B}(j(\mathbf{P})/\dot{G} * \dot{H})$.

This lemma shown by using similar method in Foreman–Magidor–Shelah's paper part II[2].

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As an approach, we combined the Prikry forcing as follows:

Lemma

Suppose that

- $j : V \rightarrow M$ is a huge embedding with critical point λ .
- \dot{U} is a normal ultrafilter on κ in $V^{\mathbf{P}}$.
- $\tau : \mathbf{P} * \dot{\mathbb{L}}(\lambda, j(\lambda)) \rightarrow j(\mathbf{P})$ is complete embedding in Laver's theorem.

Then the following map is complete embedding:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \mathbf{P} * (\dot{\mathbb{L}}(\lambda, j(\lambda)) \times \mathcal{P}_{\dot{U}}) & \longrightarrow & j(\mathbf{P}) * \mathcal{P}_{j(\dot{U})} \\
 \cup & & \cup \\
 \langle p, \langle q, r \rangle \rangle & \longmapsto & \langle \tau(p, q), r \rangle
 \end{array}$$

Here, $\mathcal{P}_{\dot{U}}$ is the Prikry forcing defined by \dot{U} .

We proved that

Theorem (T.)

Suppose $j : V \rightarrow M$ is huge embedding with critical point $\lambda > \kappa$ and \dot{U} is normal ultrafilter on κ in $V^{\mathbf{P}}$. Then there is a $\mathbf{P} * (\dot{\mathbb{I}}(\lambda, j(\lambda)) \times \mathcal{P}_{\dot{U}})$ -name \dot{I} such that

- $\mathbf{P} * (\dot{\mathbb{I}}(\lambda, j(\lambda)) \times \mathcal{P}_{\dot{U}})$ forces that
 - $\text{cf}(\kappa) = \omega, \kappa^+ = \lambda, \kappa^{++} = \lambda^+ = j(\lambda)$
 - \dot{I} is an ideal on λ .
 - $\mathcal{B}(\mathcal{P}(\lambda)/\dot{I}) \simeq \mathcal{B}(j(\mathbf{P}) * \mathcal{P}_{j(\dot{U})}/\dot{G} * (\dot{H} \times \dot{K}))$ has the $j(\lambda)$ -c.c..

To know the saturation property of I , it is enough to study the quotient forcing.

Question

In $V^{\mathbf{P} * (\dot{\mathbb{I}}(\lambda, j(\lambda)) \times \mathcal{P}_{\dot{U}})}$, Does $j(\mathbf{P}) * \mathcal{P}_{j(\dot{U})}/\dot{G} * (\dot{H} \times \dot{K})$ have the $(j(\lambda), j(\lambda), \kappa)$ -c.c.?

More general, we can show




Lemma

Suppose that 6 tuple $\langle \mathbb{P}, \dot{\mathbb{Q}}, \mathbb{R}, \tau, \dot{U}, \dot{W} \rangle$ satisfying that

- $\mathbb{P} \Vdash \dot{\mathbb{Q}}$ is poset, $\mathbb{P} \Vdash \dot{U}$ is normal ultrafilter over κ .
- $\mathbb{P} < \mathbb{R}$, $\mathbb{R} \Vdash \dot{U} \subseteq \dot{W}$ is ultrafilter over κ .
- $\tau : \mathbb{P} * \dot{\mathbb{Q}} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is complete embedding with $\tau(p, \dot{i}) = p$ for every $p \in \mathbb{P}$.

Then the following map is complete embedding:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \mathbb{P} * (\dot{\mathbb{Q}} \times \mathcal{P}_{\dot{U}}) & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{R} * \mathcal{P}_{\dot{W}} \\
 \psi & & \psi \\
 \langle p, \langle q, r \rangle \rangle & \longmapsto & \langle \tau(p, q), r \rangle
 \end{array}$$

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