

### §3 Examples

#### §3.1 The transfer lemma for embeddings of ZFC-models

We recapitulate and expand upon some facts developed in [J] §5.

Def Let  $M = \langle M, \in, \dots \rangle$  be a transitive ZFC-model. Let  $\pi : M \hookrightarrow M'$ , where  $M'$  is transitive.  $\pi$  is cofinal in  $M'$  iff  $M' = \bigcup_{u \in M} \pi(u)$ . \*

In the following, we suppose  $M, N, \dots$  to be transitive ZFC-models unless otherwise stated.

Fact 1 Let  $\pi : M \hookrightarrow M'$  and set  $\tilde{M} = M' \upharpoonright \bigcup_{u \in M} \pi(u)$ .

Then  $\tilde{M} \hookrightarrow M'$  and  $\pi : M \hookrightarrow \tilde{M}$  cofinally.

(The proof uses: Let  $x_1, \dots, x_n \in \tilde{M}$ ,  $x_i \in \pi(u_i)$ .

Then  $\tilde{M} \models \varphi(x_1, \dots, x_n) \leftrightarrow \langle x_1, \dots, x_n \rangle \in X$ ,

where  $X = \{ \langle \vec{z} \rangle \in U_1 \times \dots \times U_n \mid M \models \varphi(\vec{z}) \}$ .)

Hence:

Fact 2 Let  $\sigma > \omega$  be regular in  $M$ , where

$\pi : M \hookrightarrow M'$ . Set  $\bar{H} = H_\sigma^M$ ,  $\tilde{H} = \bigcup_{u \in \bar{H}} \pi(u)$ ,

$\bar{\pi} = \pi \upharpoonright \bar{H}$ . Then  $\bar{\pi} : \bar{H} \hookrightarrow \tilde{H}$  cofinally.

Def Let  $\pi : M \hookrightarrow M'$ . Let  $\sigma$  be regular in  $M$ .  $\pi$  is  $\sigma$ -cofinal iff

$$M' = \bigcup \{ \pi(u) \mid u \in M \wedge \bar{u} < \sigma \text{ in } M \}$$

(Hence  $\sigma$ -cofinality implies cofinality.)

\*1) An ZFC-model the axiom of choice holds. Every set is enumerable by an ordinal.

Def Let  $\bar{\sigma} > \omega$  be regular in  $M$ ,  $\bar{H} = H_{\bar{\sigma}}^M$ .

Let  $\bar{\pi}: \bar{H} \prec H$  cofinally. By a liftup of  $\langle M, \bar{\pi} \rangle$  we mean a pair  $\langle M', \pi \rangle$  s.t.  $M'$  is transitive,  $\pi \upharpoonright \bar{H} = \bar{\pi}$ , and  $\pi: M \prec M'$   $\bar{\sigma}$ -cofinally.

(We also say: " $\langle M', \pi \rangle$  is a liftup of  $M$  by  $\bar{\pi}$ ".)

Fact 3 Let  $\langle M, \bar{\pi} \rangle$  be as above. There is at most one liftup  $\langle M', \pi \rangle$ .

Proof.

Clearly, every element of  $M'$  has the form  $\pi(f)(x)$ , where  $f \in M$ ,  $f: u \rightarrow M$  for a  $u \in \bar{H}$ , and  $x \in \bar{\pi}(u)$ . But

$$M' = \mathcal{P}(\pi(f_1)(x_1), \dots, \pi(f_n)(x_n)) \leftrightarrow$$

$$\leftrightarrow \langle x_1, \dots, x_n \rangle \in \bar{\pi}(X), \text{ where}$$

$$X = \{ \langle z_1, \dots, z_n \rangle \mid \mathcal{P}(f_1(z_1), \dots, f_n(z_n)) \}$$

(hence  $X \in \bar{H}$ ).

This means that if  $\langle M'', \pi' \rangle$  is a second liftup, we can define  $\sigma: M' \xrightarrow{\sim} M''$  by

$$\sigma(\pi(f)(x)) = \pi'(f)(x). \text{ Hence } \sigma \cdot \pi = \text{id},$$

$$M' = M''. \text{ But } \pi(z) = \pi(\text{const}_z(0)) =$$

$$\sigma(\pi(\text{const}_z(0))) = \pi'(\text{const}_z(0)) = \pi'(z) \text{ for } z \in M;$$

$$\text{where } \text{const}_z = \{ \langle z, 0 \rangle \}. \quad \text{QED (Fact 3)}$$

Note By this analysis it follows easily that, if  $\langle M', \bar{\pi} \rangle$  is the liftup of  $M$  by  $\bar{\pi}: \bar{H} \prec H$ , where  $\bar{H} = H_{\bar{\pi}}^M$ , and  $\tau' = \text{Cm} \cap H$ , then  $\pi(\tau) = \tau'$  and  $H = H_{\tau'}^{M'}$ .  $\bar{H}$  need not be an element of  $M$ , but if it is, it follows that  $\pi(\bar{H}) = H$ .

The proof of Fact 3 suggests a general method of constructing the liftup:

Def Let  $M$  be a transitive ZFC-model with predicates  $A_1, \dots, A_n$ . Let  $\bar{H} = H_{\bar{\pi}}^M$ , where  $\bar{\pi}$  is regular in  $M$ , and let  $\bar{\pi}: \bar{H} \prec H$  cofinally.

$\mathbb{D} = \text{ID}_{M, \bar{\pi}} = \langle D, E, I, \tilde{A}_1, \dots, \tilde{A}_n \rangle$  is defined by:

$$D = \{ \langle x, f \rangle \mid f \in M \wedge f: u \rightarrow M \text{ for } u \in \bar{H} \wedge x \in \bar{\pi}(u) \}$$

$$\langle x, f \rangle E \langle y, g \rangle \iff \langle x, y \rangle \in \bar{\pi}(\{ \langle z, w \rangle \mid f(z) \in g(w) \})$$

$$\langle x, f \rangle I \langle y, g \rangle \iff \langle x, y \rangle \in \bar{\pi}(\{ \langle z, w \rangle \mid f(z) = g(w) \})$$

$$\tilde{A}_i(\langle x, f \rangle) \iff x \in \bar{\pi} \{ z \mid A_i(f(z)) \}$$

We then get Loz Theorem in the form

$$\text{ID} \models \varphi(\langle x_1, f_1 \rangle, \dots, \langle x_n, f_n \rangle) \iff$$

$$\langle x_1, \dots, x_n \rangle \in \bar{\pi}(\{ \langle z_1, \dots, z_n \rangle \mid M \models \varphi(f_1(z_1), \dots, f_n(z_n)) \})$$

The proof is by induction on  $\mathcal{Q}$  and is just like the proof of Los Theorem for ultrapowers. Then  $\mathbb{D} \models ZFC^-$  and  $\mathbb{D}$  is an equality model with equality relation  $I$ .

This gives:

Fact 4 The liftup of  $\langle \bar{M}, \bar{\pi} \rangle$  exists iff  $\mathbb{D}$  is well founded.

Proof (sketch)

( $\rightarrow$ ) Let  $\langle M', \pi \rangle$  is the liftup, then

$a \in b \iff k(a) \in k(b)$  for  $a, b \in \mathbb{D}$ , where

$k$  is defined by  $k(\langle x, f \rangle) = \pi(f)(x)$ .

( $\leftarrow$ ) Factor  $\mathbb{D}$  by  $I$  to get  $\mathbb{D}^* = \mathbb{D}/I$ . Let  $[u]$  be the equivalence class of  $u$  for  $u \in \mathbb{D}$ .

Then  $\mathbb{D}^*$  satisfies extensionality and has a well founded  $\in$ -relation. Hence there is  $\sigma^* : \mathbb{D}^* \xrightarrow{\sim} M'$ , where  $M'$  is transitive

by Mostowski's isomorphism theorem. Set:

$\sigma(u) = \sigma^*([u])$  for  $u \in \mathbb{D}$ . We can define

$\bar{\pi} : M \rightarrow M'$  by  $\bar{\pi}(x) = \sigma(\langle 0, \text{const}_x \rangle)$ ,

where  $\text{const}_x = \{ \langle x, 0 \rangle \}$  = the constant function

$x$  on  $\{0\}$ . Set:

$\tilde{\mathbb{D}} = \{ \langle x, f \rangle \in \mathbb{D} \mid f \in H \}$ ;  $H' = \{ \sigma(u) \mid u \in \tilde{\mathbb{D}} \}$ .

$H'$  is easily seen to be transitive.

But  $H = \{ \bar{\pi}(f)(x) \mid \langle x, f \rangle \in \tilde{\mathbb{D}} \}$

Moreover:

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{\pi}(f)(x) \in \bar{\pi}(g)(y) &\iff \langle x, y \rangle \in \bar{\pi}(\{\langle z, w \rangle \mid f(x) = g(y)\}) \\ &\iff \sigma(\langle x, f \rangle) \in \sigma(\langle y, g \rangle) \end{aligned}$$

for  $\langle x, f \rangle \in \tilde{D}$ . Hence there is an isomorphism  $i: H \xrightarrow{\sim} H'$  defined by  $i(\bar{\pi}(f)(x)) = \sigma(\langle x, f \rangle)$ . Hence  $i = \text{id}$ ,  $H = H'$  and  $\sigma(\langle x, f \rangle) = \bar{\pi}(f)(x)$  for  $\langle x, f \rangle \in \tilde{D}$ . In particular,

$$\begin{aligned} \pi(z) &= \sigma(\langle 0, \text{const}_z \rangle) = \bar{\pi}(\text{const}_z)(0) = \\ &= \text{const}_{\bar{\pi}(z)}(0) = \bar{\pi}(z) \text{ for } z \in \bar{H} \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $\pi \upharpoonright \bar{H} = \bar{\pi}$ . But then for  $\langle x, f \rangle, \langle y, g \rangle \in \tilde{D}$ , we have:

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma(\langle x, f \rangle) \in \sigma(\langle y, g \rangle) &\iff \langle x, y \rangle \in \bar{\pi}(\{\langle z, w \rangle \mid f(x) = g(y)\}) \\ &\iff \bar{\pi}(f)(x) \in \bar{\pi}(g)(y). \end{aligned}$$

Hence there is  $i: M' \xrightarrow{\sim} M'' \subset M''$  defined by  $i(\sigma(\langle x, f \rangle)) = \bar{\pi}(f)(x)$ .  $M''$  is easily

seen to be transitive, however, as  $i = \text{id}$  and each  $z \in M'$  has the form  $\bar{\pi}(f)(x)$ , where  $\langle x, f \rangle \in \tilde{D}$ . It follows easily that  $\langle M', \pi \rangle$  is the liftup of  $\langle M, \bar{\pi} \rangle$ . QED (Fact 4)

This gives us the interpolation lemma:

Fact 5 Let  $\pi': \bar{M} \prec M'$ . Let  $\bar{c} \in \bar{M}$  be regular in  $\bar{M}$  and set  $\bar{H} = H_{\bar{c}}^{\bar{M}}$ . Let  $\bar{\pi}: \bar{H} \prec H$  cofinally. Then:

(a) The lift-up  $\langle M, \pi \rangle$  of  $\langle \bar{M}, \bar{\pi} \rangle$  exists

(b) There is a unique  $\sigma: M \prec M'$  s.t.  
 $\sigma \bar{\pi} = \bar{\pi}'$  and  $\sigma \upharpoonright H = \text{id}$ .

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To prove (a) we note that  $E$  is well founded, since  $\langle x, f \rangle E \langle y, g \rangle \iff \pi'(f)(x) \in \pi'(g)(y)$ .

But for  $\langle x_1, f_1 \rangle, \dots, \langle x_n, f_n \rangle \in \mathbb{D}$  we have:

$$M \models \varphi(\pi(f_1)(x_1), \dots, \pi(f_n)(x_n)) \iff$$

$$\iff M' \models \varphi(\pi'(f_1)(x_1), \dots, \pi'(f_n)(x_n))$$

$$\iff \langle x_1, \dots, x_n \rangle \in \bar{\pi} \left( \left\{ \bar{z} \mid \bar{M} \models \varphi(f_1(\bar{z}_1), \dots, f_n(\bar{z}_n)) \right\} \right).$$

Hence there is  $\sigma: M \prec M'$  defined by  $\sigma(\pi(f)(x)) = \pi'(f)(x)$  for  $\langle x, f \rangle \in \mathbb{D}$ . But this  $\sigma$  is characterized by the above conditions.  $\square$  ED (Fact 5)

The structure  $\mathbb{D}^*$  will be of interest to us, however, even if it is ill founded.

An embedding  $\tilde{\pi}: M \prec \mathbb{D}^*$  is definable

by  $\tilde{\pi}(x) = [\langle 0, \text{cut}_x^* \rangle]$ . This embedding

is cofinal in the sense that for every  $z \in \mathbb{D}^*$  there is  $u \in M$  s.t.

$$\mathbb{D}^* \models z \in \tilde{\pi}(u).$$

When dealing with ill founded models of set theory it is useful to work with solid structures in the following sense:

Def Let  $M = \langle A, \in_M, \dots \rangle$  model the extensionality axiom.  $M$  is solid iff the well founded core  $wfc(M)$  is transitive and  $\in_M \cap wfc(M)^2 = \in_M \cap wfc(M)^2$ , ( $wfc(M)$  is the set of  $x \in M$  s.t.  $\in_M \cap X^2$  is well founded, where  $X$  is the closure of  $\{x\}$  under  $\in_M$ ).

Clearly, every model is isomorphic to a solid model.

We note the following facts about solid models of ZFC:

Fact 6 Let  $M$  be a solid model of ZFC. Let  $H = wfc(M)$ . Then

(a)  $\omega \subset H$ ;  $\alpha \in H \rightarrow \alpha + 1 \in H$

(b)  $\forall \alpha \in H, x \in M$  and  $|M \cap x| \leq \alpha$ ,

then  $x \in H$

(c)  $H$  is admissible

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(a), (b) are trivial. We prove (c).

(Note We take the replacement axiom of ZFC - as reading:

$$\wedge x \forall y \varphi(x, y, \vec{z}) \rightarrow \wedge u \forall v \wedge x \in u \forall y \in v \varphi(x, y, \vec{z})$$

for arbitrary formulae  $\varphi$ . The theory KP ("Kripke - Platek set theory") is obtained by restricting the formula  $\varphi$  in this schema - and in the separation schema - to  $\Sigma_0$  formulae. A transitive structure is called admissible iff it satisfies KP.)

By (b),  $H$  is easily seen to satisfy  $\Sigma_0$ -separation, as well as the trivial existence axioms: " $\emptyset$  is a set", " $\{x, y\}$  is a set", " $\cup x$  is a set". We prove  $\Sigma_0$  replacement,

Let  $H \models \wedge x \forall y \varphi(x, y, \vec{z})$ . Let  $u \in H$ .

Let  $R(x, y)$  mean " $\varphi(x, y, \vec{z})$  and  $y$  is of minimal rank." Then there is  $v \in \mathcal{D}$  such that  $\mathcal{D} \models \wedge x \in u \forall y \in v R(x, y)$ .

But if we take  $v$  as being of minimal rank in  $\mathcal{D}$ , it must have rank  $\in H$ . Hence,  $v \in H$ . QED (Fact 6)

Note It follows that if  $u \in H$  is transitive and  $\mathcal{D} = \text{On} \cap H$ , then  $L_{\mathcal{D}}(u)$  is admissible.



We now extend some of our definitions to solid models of ZFC<sup>-</sup>,

Def Let  $\mathcal{M}$  be a solid model of ZFC<sup>-</sup>,

Let  $\tau \in \text{wfc}(\mathcal{M})$  be regular in  $\mathcal{M}$

and let  $\bar{H} = H_{\tau}^{\mathcal{M}}$  (hence  $\bar{H} \subset \text{wfc}(\mathcal{M})$ ).

Let  $\pi: \bar{H} \prec H$  cofinally, where  $H$  is

transitive.  $\langle \mathcal{M}', \pi \rangle$  is a liftup of

$\langle \mathcal{M}, \bar{\pi} \rangle$  iff  $\mathcal{M}'$  is solid,  $\pi \upharpoonright \bar{H} = \bar{\pi}$ ,

and  $\pi: \mathcal{M} \prec \mathcal{M}'$  is  $\tau$ -cofinal (i.e.,

for each  $x \in \mathcal{M}'$  there is  $u \in \mathcal{M}$  s.t.,

$\bar{u} \prec \tau$  in  $\mathcal{M}$  and  $\mathcal{M}' \models x \in \pi(u)$ ).

A virtual repetition of the proof of Fact 3 gives:

Fact 7 Let  $\langle \mathcal{M}, \bar{\pi} \rangle$  be as above. Up to isomorphism there is at most one liftup  $\langle \mathcal{M}', \pi \rangle$ .

Note As before,  $\pi(\tau) = \sup \{ \bar{\pi}(v) \mid v \prec \tau \}$  in  $\mathcal{M}'$ ;  
hence  $\pi(\tau) \in \text{wfc}(\mathcal{M}')$  and  $H = H_{\pi(\tau)}^{\mathcal{M}'} \subset \text{wfc}(\mathcal{M}')$ .

As  $\bar{H} \in \text{wfc}(\mathcal{M})$ , then  $H = \pi(\bar{H}) \in \text{wfc}(\mathcal{M}')$ .

But we can then form  $\mathbb{D}$  as before [taking  $\langle x, f \rangle \in \mathbb{D}$  iff  $(\mathcal{M} \models f: u \rightarrow v)$  for a  $u \in \bar{H}$  and  $x \in \bar{\pi}(u)$ ].

Repeating the proof of Fact 4 we get:

Fact 8 Let  $\langle \mathcal{M}, \pi \rangle$  be as above. Then the liftup exists.

(Note The liftup  $\langle \mathcal{M}', \pi' \rangle$  is unique only up to isomorphism. But then  $wfc(\mathcal{M}')$  is unique, by solidity.)

We now weaken our earlier definition of fullness to:

Def Let  $N$  be a transitive ZFC-model s.t.  $N = \langle L_z[A], \epsilon, A, in \rangle$ .  $N$  is almost full iff there is a solid model  $\mathcal{M}$  of ZFC- s.t.  $N \in wfc(\mathcal{M})$ ,  $N$  is regular in  $\mathcal{M}$ , and  $\mathcal{M} \models V = L(N)$ .

Then by the above we have:

Fact 9 Let  $N = \langle L_z[A], \epsilon, A, in \rangle$  be almost full. Let  $\pi: N \prec N'$  cofinally. Then  $N'$  is almost full. (Moreover, if  $\mathcal{M}$  verifies the almost fullness of  $N$  and  $\langle \mathcal{M}', \pi' \rangle$  is the liftup of  $\langle \mathcal{M}, \pi \rangle$ , then  $\mathcal{M}'$  verifies the almost fullness of  $N'$ .)

By Fact 6:

Fact 10 Let  $N$  be almost full. There is  $\delta$  s.t.  $L_\delta(N)$  is admissible and  $N$  is regular in  $L_\delta(N)$ .

Def  $\delta_N =$  the least  $\delta$  s.t.  $L_\delta(N)$  is admissible.

A major tool will be the following transfer lemma:

Fact 11 Let  $\bar{N}$  be almost full. Let

$\pi: \bar{N} \rightarrow N$  cofinally. Let  $x_1, \dots, x_n \in \bar{N}$  and let  $\varphi$  be a  $\Pi_1$  formula. Then

$$L_{\delta_{\bar{N}}}(\bar{N}) \models \varphi(\bar{N}, \vec{x}) \rightarrow L_{\delta_N}(N) \models \varphi(N, \pi(\vec{x})).$$

proof.

Let  $\bar{\alpha}$  witness the almost fullness of  $\bar{N}$  and let  $\pi': \bar{\alpha} \rightarrow \alpha$  be the liftup of  $\langle \bar{\alpha}, \pi \rangle$ . Obviously:

$$(1) \alpha \notin \text{wfc}(\bar{\alpha}) \rightarrow \pi'(a) \notin \text{wfc}(\alpha)$$

$$(2) L_{\delta_{\bar{N}}}(\bar{N}) \subset \text{wfc}(\bar{\alpha}), L_\delta(N) \subset \text{wfc}(\alpha) \text{ by Fact 6}$$

Suppose not. Then there is a least  $d < \delta_N$

s.t.  $L_d(N) \models \neg \varphi(N, \pi(\vec{x}))$ . Since

$L_{\delta_N}(N)$  is an initial segment of  $\alpha$ ,

we have:

$$(3) \alpha \models d \text{ is least s.t. } L_d(N) \models \neg \varphi(N, \pi(\vec{x})).$$

$$(4) \alpha \models \exists \nu \leq d \cdot L_\nu(N) \text{ is not admissible.}$$

But then  $\alpha = \pi(\bar{\alpha})$ , where in  $\bar{M}$ :

(5)  $\bar{\alpha}$  is least s.t.  $L_{\bar{\alpha}}(\bar{N}) \models \exists \varphi(N, \bar{x})$

(6)  $\forall \gamma \leq \bar{\alpha}$   $L_{\gamma}(\bar{N})$  is not admissible.

But  $\bar{\alpha} \in \text{wfc}(\bar{M})$  by (1). Hence

$\bar{\alpha} < \beta = 0$  on  $\text{wfc}(\bar{M})$  and  $L_{\beta}(\bar{N})$  is

admissible. Thus (5), (6) hold in

$L_{\beta}(\bar{N})$ , since  $L_{\beta}(\bar{N})$  is an initial

segment of  $\bar{M}$ . Hence (5), (6) hold

outright and  $\alpha < \delta_N$ . Contr!

QED (Fact 11)

Note Fact 11 is actually a special case of a more general theorem:

If  $\bar{N} = \langle L_{\bar{z}}[A], \epsilon, A, \dots \rangle$  is a ZFC-model,

$\pi: \bar{N} \prec N$  cofinally, and  $N$  is regular

in  $L_{\delta_N}(N)$ , then the conclusion of

Fact 11 holds (even if  $\bar{N}$  is not regular in  $L_{\delta_{\bar{N}}}(\bar{N})$ ).

We shall not need this, however,

and do not prove it here, since our

proof involves a modest application

of fine structure theory.

### § 3.2 Barwise Theory

An addition to the transfer lemma we shall make use of Barwise' theory of infinitary languages on admissible structures. In the following let  $M$  be an admissible structure satisfying choice in the form: Every set is enumerable by an ordinal. In admissibility theory the basic three notions of recursion theory are redefined as follows:

$$M\text{-recursive} = \underline{\Delta}_1(M)$$

$$M\text{-recursively enumerable} = \underline{\Sigma}_1(M)$$

$$M\text{-finite} = \text{element of } M.$$

Barwise then developed an extension of first order logic involving formulae which are infinitely long but still  $M$ -finite. Thus a Barwise language on  $M$  is like predicate logic except that, whenever  $\langle \varphi_i \mid i \in \alpha \rangle \in M$  is a sequence of formulae, then  $\bigwedge_{i \in \alpha} \varphi_i$  and  $\bigvee_{i \in \alpha} \varphi_i$  are formulae. (A finite blocks of quantifiers are not allowed, however.) The set of variables is  $M$ -infinite (i.e. we could have a variable  $v_\xi$  for each  $\xi \in \text{On} \cap M$ ). A language is then specified by fixing its predicates, constants, and function symbols.

The syntax is developed internally in such a way that the basic syntactical notions (e.g. "formula", "term", "sentence") are  $\Delta_1(M)$ . A mathematical theory

$\mathcal{L} = \langle \mathcal{L}_0, \mathcal{L}_1 \rangle$  then consists of a language  $\mathcal{L}_0$  and a set  $\mathcal{L}_1$  of axioms (all of which are sentences).  $\mathcal{L}_1$  should be  $\Sigma_1(M)$ , if we wish to make use of the admissibility of  $M$ . We augment the usual predicate logical rules of inference by two infinitary rules:

$$\frac{\psi \rightarrow \varphi_i \quad (i \in x)}{\psi \rightarrow \bigwedge_{i \in x} \varphi_i}$$

$$\frac{\varphi_i \rightarrow \psi \quad (i \in x)}{\bigvee_{i \in x} \varphi_i \rightarrow \psi}$$

$$\psi \rightarrow \bigwedge_{i \in x} \varphi_i$$

$$\bigvee_{i \in x} \varphi_i \rightarrow \psi$$

for  $\langle \varphi_i \mid i \in x \rangle \in M$ .

A proof is then a (possibly infinite) sequence of formulae, each of which is an axiom or follows from the previous formulae by a rule of inference. If the axiom set  $\mathcal{L}_1$  is  $\Sigma_1(M)$ , it turns out that every provable formula has a proof  $p$  which is  $M$ -finite (i.e.  $p \in M$ ). From this we get the

M-finiteness lemma: If  $\varphi$  is provable in  $\mathcal{L}$ , then it is provable from an M-finite  $u \in \mathcal{L}_\varphi$ .

A model  $\mathcal{M}$  of the language  $\mathcal{L}_0$  is described by fixing its domain of individuals  $|M|$  and the interpretation  $S^{\mathcal{M}}$  of each predicate symbol, constant, or function symbol  $s$ , just as in finitary predicate logic. We can then straightforwardly define  $\text{truth}(\mathcal{M} \models \varphi)$  for  $\mathcal{L}_0$ -sentences  $\varphi$  and satisfaction

$(\mathcal{M} \models \varphi [a_1, \dots, a_m])$  for  $\mathcal{L}_0$  + formulae containing only finitely many free variables. We say that  $\mathcal{M}$  models the theory  $\mathcal{L} = \langle \mathcal{L}_0, \mathcal{L}_1 \rangle$  iff all axioms in  $\mathcal{L}_1$  are true in  $\mathcal{M}$ . The notion of proof is correct in the sense that, if  $\mathcal{M}$  models  $\mathcal{L}$ , then sentence provable in  $\mathcal{L}$  is true in  $\mathcal{M}$ .

The final stone in this mosaic is the completeness theorem for countable  $\mathcal{M}$ :

If  $\mathcal{M}$  is countable, then  $\mathcal{L}$  is consistent iff  $\mathcal{L}$  has a model.

This means that for any admissible  $M$ , we can make the completeness theorem true in a generic extension of  $V$  simply by collapsing  $M$  to  $\omega$ . In many cases we can then use this to prove properties of  $V$ .

We note that if  $\mathcal{L}_1$  is  $\Sigma_1(M)$  in parameters  $\vec{p}$ , then the statement " $\mathcal{L}$  is consistent" is uniformly  $\Pi_1(M)$  in  $\vec{p}$ , since it says that  $M$  contains no proof of a contradiction. (But by the foregoing, " $\mathcal{L}$  is consistent" is equivalent to:

$\prod_{IP} \text{"}\mathcal{L} \text{ has a model"}$ , where  $IP$  is any set of conditions which collapses

$M$  to  $\omega$ .) At this point we will apply the transfer lemma: Let

$N$  be almost full and let  $\pi: N \prec N'$  cofinally. Let  $\mathcal{L}$  be a theory on

$L_{\delta_N}(N)$  s.t. the set of axioms  $\mathcal{L}_1$  is

$\Sigma_1(N)$  in parameters  $N$  and  $\vec{p} \in N$ .

Let  $\mathcal{L}'$  have the same definition

in  $N'$ ,  $\pi(\vec{p})$  over  $L_{\delta_{N'}}(N')$ . Then:

$\mathcal{L}$  is consistent  $\rightarrow \mathcal{L}'$  is consistent.



In this paper we shall deal only with languages  $\mathcal{L}$  on  $M$  which contain a binary " $\in$ -predicate"  $\dot{\in}$  and a designated constant  $\underline{x}$  for each  $x \in M$ .

(We suppose  $\dot{\in}$  and  $\langle \underline{x} \mid x \in M \rangle$  to have a uniform  $\Delta_1(M)$  definition over any admissible  $M$ .) We also suppose that the set of axioms  $\mathcal{L}_0$  contains a base theory consisting of:

- ZFC<sup>-</sup> (including the schemata of separation and replacement for all finite formulae of  $\mathcal{L}_0$ )
- the "defining" axioms for the constants  $\underline{x}$  ( $x \in M$ ):  $\bigwedge \sigma (\sigma \in \underline{x} \leftrightarrow \bigvee_{z \in x} \sigma = \underline{z})$ .

We note that if  $\mathcal{M}$  is a solid model of  $\mathcal{L}$ , we then have  $\underline{x}^{\mathcal{M}} = x \in \text{wfc}(\mathcal{M})$  for all  $x \in M$ .

### § 3.4 The forcing $\mathbb{P}_A$ .

Let  $A \subset \omega_2$  be a stationary set of points of cofinality  $\omega$ . We define:

Def  $\mathbb{P}_A =$  the set of  $p: \alpha+1 \rightarrow A$  s.t.,  $\alpha < \omega_1$  and  $p$  is a normal function.

$$p \leq q \text{ in } \mathbb{P}_A \iff p \supset q.$$

Hence if  $G$  is  $\mathbb{P}_A$ -generic,  $f = \bigcup G$  is a cofinal normal function

$f: \omega_1 \rightarrow A$ . It is easily established that  $f$  adds no reals.

Lemma 1  $\mathbb{P}_A$  is subcomplete.

Proof.

Let  $\mathbb{P}_A \in H_\theta$ . Let  $\bar{\sigma} > \theta$  be regular. Let

$N = \langle L_{\bar{\sigma}}[A], A, \dots \rangle$  where  $H_{\bar{\sigma}} \subset N$ . Let

$\sigma: \bar{N} \prec N$  s.t.,  $\sigma(\bar{\theta}, \bar{\mathbb{P}}) = \theta, \mathbb{P}_A$  and  $\bar{N}$  is countable and full.

Claim  $\sigma$  witnesses the subcompleteness of  $\mathbb{P}_A$ .

Let  $\bar{\lambda}_0 = 0$  in  $\bar{N}$ ,  $\bar{\lambda}_i = \sigma^{-1}(\lambda_i)$  ( $i=1, m, m$ )

where  $\mathbb{P}_A \in H_{\lambda_i}$  &  $\lambda_i \in (\omega_1, \theta)$  is regular

( $i=1, m, m$ ).

Let  $\tilde{\lambda}_i = \sup \sigma \text{ " } \bar{\lambda}_i \quad (i=0, m, m)$

Let  $\sigma(\bar{\alpha}) = \alpha$

Claim 1 There is  $\sigma_0 : \bar{N} \prec N$  with

(a)  $\sup \sigma_0 \text{ " } \omega_2^{\bar{N}} \in A$

(b)  $\sigma_0(\bar{\alpha}, \bar{\lambda}_i, \bar{P}) = \alpha, \lambda_i, P$

(c)  $\sup \sigma_0 \text{ " } \bar{\lambda}_i = \tilde{\lambda}_i \quad (i=0, m, m)$

pf.

For  $\alpha < \omega_2$  set  $X_\alpha =$  the smallest  $X \prec N$  s.t.

$\alpha \cup \text{rng}(\sigma) \subset X$ . Set

$C = \{ \alpha < \omega_2 \mid \alpha = \omega_2 \cap X \}$ . Then  $C$  is club in  $\omega_2$ .

For  $\alpha \in C$  set  $\pi_\alpha : N_\alpha \xrightarrow{\sim} X_\alpha$ . Then

(1)  $\alpha = \text{crit}(\pi_\alpha), \pi_\alpha(\alpha) = \omega_2$

(2) Set  $\sigma_\alpha = \pi_\alpha^{-1} \sigma$ . Then

$\langle N_\alpha, \sigma_\alpha \rangle =$  the liftup of  $\langle \bar{N}, \sigma \upharpoonright H_{\omega_3}^{\bar{N}} \rangle$

pf.

Form  $\langle N', \sigma' \rangle =$  the liftup of  $\langle \bar{N}, \sigma \upharpoonright H_{\omega_3}^{\bar{N}} \rangle$

Then there is  $\pi' : N' \prec N_\alpha$  s.t.  $\pi' \sigma' = \sigma_\alpha$

and  $\pi' \upharpoonright H_{\omega_3}^{N'} = \text{id}$ . But then

$\pi' \upharpoonright \alpha = \text{id}$ , since  $\alpha < \omega_3^{N_\alpha}$ . Hence

$\alpha \cup \text{rng}(\sigma) \subset \text{rng}(\pi')$ . Hence

$\text{rng}(\pi') = \text{rng}(\pi_\alpha), \pi' = \pi_\alpha, \text{ QED (2)}$

Now let  $\langle N', \sigma' \rangle =$  the liftup

of  $\langle \bar{N}, \sigma \upharpoonright H_{\omega_2}^{\bar{N}} \rangle$ . Since

$\pi_\alpha \upharpoonright H_{\omega_2}^{M_\alpha} = \text{id}$  and  $\pi_\alpha \sigma_\alpha = \sigma$ , we have

$\sigma_\alpha \upharpoonright H_{\omega_2}^{\bar{N}} = \sigma \upharpoonright H_{\omega_2}^{\bar{N}}$ . Hence:

(3)  $\langle N', \sigma' \rangle =$  the liftup of  $\langle \bar{N}, \sigma_\alpha \upharpoonright H_{\omega_2}^{\bar{N}} \rangle$ .

Hence there is  $\pi' : N' \prec N_\alpha$  s.t.  $\pi' \sigma' = \sigma_\alpha$  and  $\pi' \upharpoonright H_{\omega_2}^{N'} = \text{id}$ .

(Note It is in fact easily seen that if  $\alpha_0 = \min C$ , then  $\alpha_0 = \omega_2^{N'}$ ,  $N' \equiv N_{\alpha_0}$  and  $\pi' = \pi_\alpha^{-1} \pi_{\alpha_0}$ .)

Clearly  $\pi' : N' \prec N_\alpha$  cofinally, since  $\sigma' : \bar{N} \prec N'$  cofinally and  $\sigma_\alpha : \bar{N} \prec N_\alpha$  cofinally.

Since  $\sigma' : \bar{N} \prec N$  is the liftup of  $\langle \bar{N}, \sigma \upharpoonright H_{\omega_2}^{\bar{N}} \rangle$ , we have:

(4)  $\sigma'(\tau) = \sup \sigma'' \alpha$  whenever  $\tau \geq \omega_2^{N'}$  is regular in  $\bar{N}$ .

Similarly:

(5)  $\sigma_\alpha(\tau) = \sup \sigma_\alpha'' \alpha$  whenever  $\tau \geq \omega_3^{N'}$  is regular in  $\bar{N}$ .

Now let  $\delta' \equiv \delta_{N'}$ . Let  $L'$  be the language on  $L_{\delta'}(N')$  containing the base theory and with a new constant  $\sigma'$  and the axioms:

- $\sigma' : \bar{N} \prec N'$  cofinally
- $\sigma'(\bar{\alpha}, \bar{P}, \bar{\lambda}_i) = \langle \sigma'(\bar{\alpha}), \sigma'(\bar{P}), \sigma'(\bar{\lambda}_i) \rangle$  ( $i=1, \dots, m$ )
- $\sup \sigma''\tau = \sigma'(\tau)$  whenever  $\tau$  is regular in  $\bar{N}$ .

$\mathcal{L}'$  is consistent, since it is modeled by  $\langle H_{\omega_1}, \sigma' \rangle$ . Moreover the theory  $\mathcal{L}'$  is

$\Sigma_1(L_{\sigma'}(N'))$  in the parameters

$N', \bar{N}, \bar{\alpha}, \bar{\lambda}_i, \sigma'(\bar{\alpha}), \sigma'(\bar{\lambda}_i)$  ( $i=1, \dots, m$ ).

Now let  $\sigma_2 = \sigma_{N_2}$  and let  $\mathcal{L}^2$  be

$\Sigma_1(L_{\sigma_2}(N_2))$  by the same definition

in the parameters:

$N_2, \bar{N}, \bar{\alpha}, \bar{\lambda}_i, \sigma_2(\bar{\alpha}), \sigma_2(\bar{\lambda}_i)$  ( $i=1, \dots, m$ )

Then  $\mathcal{L}^2$  is consistent by the transfer

lemma, since  $\pi' : N' \prec N_2$  is cofinal

and  $\pi'\sigma' = \sigma_2$  and  $\pi' \upharpoonright H_{\omega_1} = \text{id}$ .

By this we get:

(6) Let  $\text{cf}(\alpha) = \omega$ . Then in  $V$  there is

a map  $\sigma_1$  s.t.

- $\sigma_1 : \bar{N} \prec N'$  cofinally

- $\sigma_1(\bar{\alpha}, \bar{P}, \bar{\lambda}_i) = \langle \sigma_1(\bar{\alpha}), \sigma_1(\bar{P}), \sigma_1(\bar{\lambda}_i) \rangle$  ( $i=1, \dots, m$ )

- $\sup \sigma_1''\tau = \sigma_1(\tau)$  whenever  $\tau \geq \omega_2^{\bar{N}}$  is regular in  $\bar{N}$ .

Note If  $\alpha > \sup \sigma'' \omega_2 \bar{N}$ , then we cannot have  $\sigma_1 = \sigma_\alpha$ , since  $\sigma_\alpha \upharpoonright \omega_2 \bar{N} = \sigma \upharpoonright \omega_2 \bar{N}$ .

proof of (6)

Let  $\gamma < H_{\omega_2}$  be countable s.t.,

$N_\alpha, \sigma_\alpha \in \gamma$ ,  $\alpha = \sigma_\alpha(\omega_2 \bar{N})$  is  $\omega$ -cofinal and  $\sigma_\alpha(\tau)$  is  $\omega$ -cofinal whenever  $\tau > \omega_2 \bar{N}$  is regular in  $\bar{N}$

by (5). Hence  $\gamma \cap \sigma_\alpha(\tau)$  is cofinal in  $\sigma_\alpha(\tau)$  whenever  $\tau \geq \omega_2 \bar{N}$  is regular in  $\bar{N}$ .

Let  $k: \bar{H} \xrightarrow{\sim} \gamma$ ,  $k(\bar{N}_\alpha) = N_\alpha$ ,  $k(\bar{\sigma}_\alpha) = \sigma_\alpha$ ,

$k(\bar{\sigma}_\alpha) = \sigma_\alpha$ ,  $k(\bar{L}^\alpha) = L^\alpha$ . Then

$k \upharpoonright \bar{N}_\alpha: \bar{N}_\alpha \prec N_\alpha$  cofinally (since

$\alpha \cap N_\alpha$  has cofinality  $\omega$ ) and

$k \upharpoonright \bar{\sigma}_\alpha(\tau)$  is cofinal in  $\sigma_\alpha(\tau)$  whenever

$\tau \geq \omega_2 \bar{N}$  is regular in  $\bar{N}$ ,  $\bar{L}^\alpha$  is

consistent and therefore, by countability, has a solid model  $\mathcal{M}$ .

Let  $\bar{\sigma}_1 = \dot{\sigma}^{\mathcal{M}}$ . Then  $\bar{\sigma}_1 \in \text{wfc}(\mathcal{M})$

and:

- $\bar{\sigma}_1 : \bar{N} \rightarrow \bar{N}_\alpha$  cofinally
- $\bar{\sigma}_1(\bar{x}, \bar{P}, \bar{\lambda}_i) = \bar{\sigma}_\alpha(\bar{x}), \bar{\sigma}_\alpha(\bar{P}), \bar{\sigma}_\alpha(\bar{\lambda}_i)$
- $\sup \bar{\sigma}_1 " \bar{\alpha} = \bar{\sigma}_1(\bar{\alpha})$  whenever  $\bar{\alpha} \geq \omega_2 \bar{N}$  is regular in  $\bar{N}$ .

But then  $\sigma_1 = k\bar{\sigma}_1$  has the desired properties,

QED (6).

Now let  $\alpha \in A \cap C$ . Then  $cf(\alpha) = \omega$ , let

$\sigma_1$  be as in (6) and set  $\sigma_0 = \pi_\alpha \sigma_1$ .

Then  $\alpha = \sup \sigma_0 " \omega_2 \bar{N} \in A$ ,  $\text{ran } \pi_\alpha \upharpoonright \alpha = \text{id}$ ,

$\sigma_0(\bar{x}, \bar{P}, \bar{\lambda}_i) = \pi_\alpha \sigma_1(\bar{x}, \bar{P}, \bar{\lambda}_i) = \bar{x}, \bar{P}_A, \bar{\lambda}_i$

But  $\sup \sigma_1 " \bar{\lambda}_i = \sigma_1(\bar{\lambda}_i) = \sigma_\alpha(\bar{\lambda}_i) = \sup \sigma_\alpha " \bar{\lambda}_i$ .

Hence  $\sup \sigma_0 " \bar{\lambda}_i = \sup \pi " \sigma_1(\bar{\lambda}_i) =$   
 $= \sup \pi " \sigma_\alpha(\bar{\lambda}_i) = \sup \sigma " \bar{\lambda}_i = \bar{\lambda}_i$

QED (Claim 1)

Now let  $\sigma_0$  be as in Claim 1 and

let  $\alpha = \sup \sigma_0 " \omega_2 \bar{N} \in A$ . Let  $\bar{G}$  be

$\bar{P}$ -generic over  $\bar{N}$ . Set  $\bar{g} = \bigcup \bar{G}$ .

Then  $\bar{g} : \omega_1 \bar{N} \rightarrow \bar{A}$  is normal and cofinal,

where  $\sigma(\bar{A}) = A$ . But  $\sigma_0(\bar{A}) = A$ ,

since  $A = \bigcup_{P \in \bar{P}} \text{dom}(P)$ . Set  $g = \sigma_0 \circ \bar{g}$

Then  $g: \omega_1^{\bar{N}} \rightarrow A$  is normal with

$\sup g''\omega_1^{\bar{N}} = \alpha \in A$ , Set  $p = g \cup \{ \langle \alpha, \omega_1^{\bar{N}} \rangle \}$

Then  $p \in \mathbb{P}_A$  and  $\sigma_0(p)$

$$p \leq \sigma_0(q) \iff q \subset \bar{q} \iff q \in \bar{G}$$

for  $q \in \mathbb{P}$ . Hence, if  $G \ni p$  is  $\mathbb{P}_A$ -generic, then  $\bar{G} = \sigma_0^{-1}'' G$ .

QED (Lemma 1)

Note  $\mathbb{P}_A$  is provably not semiproper.  
Hence we have shown that not every subcomplete forcing is semiproper.

Note This example is rather special in the sense that  $\sigma_0$  lies in  $V$ . That will not hold if - as in the next example - a regular cardinal becomes  $\omega$ -cofinal.



### §3.5 Prüfer forcing

Let  $U$  be a normal measure on  $\kappa$ . Let  $\mathbb{P} = \mathbb{P}_U$  be the set of Prüfer conditions for adding a cofinal  $\omega$ -sequence to  $\kappa$ .

Lemma 2  $\mathbb{P}$  is subcomplete.

We remember that  $\mathbb{P}$  consists of all pairs  $\langle \alpha, X \rangle$  s.t.  $X \in U$  and  $\alpha: \omega \rightarrow \kappa$  is monotone for some  $n$ .

$$\langle \alpha', X' \rangle \leq \langle \alpha, X \rangle \iff \begin{array}{l} \text{or} \\ \alpha' \restriction \omega \cap X' \subset X \cap \\ \wedge \text{rang}(\alpha') \setminus \text{rang}(\alpha) \subset X \end{array}$$

If  $G$  is  $\mathbb{P}$ -generic, then

$$S = \bigcup \{ \alpha \mid \forall X \langle \alpha, X \rangle \in G \}$$

is called a Prüfer sequence.  $G$  is then recoverable from  $S$  by:

$$G = \{ \langle \alpha, X \rangle \mid \alpha \in S \wedge \text{rang}(S) \setminus \text{rang}(\alpha) \subset X \}$$

It can be shown that  $S: \omega \rightarrow \kappa$  is a Prüfer sequence iff  $\text{rang}(S)$  is almost contained in every  $X \in U$ .

Now let  $IP \in H_\theta$ . Let  $\tau > \theta$  be regular and  $N = \langle L_\tau[A], A, \in \rangle$  s.t.  $H_\theta \subset N$ . Let  $\sigma: \bar{N} \prec N$  be countable and full s.t.  $\sigma(\bar{IP}) = IP$ .

Claim  $\sigma$  witnesses the subcompleteness of  $IP$ .

Let  $\lambda_i \in \text{rng}(\sigma)$  s.t.  $IP \in H_{\lambda_i}$  and  $\lambda_i \in (\omega_1, \theta)$  is regular ( $i=1, \dots, m$ ).  
 Set:  $\bar{\lambda}_i = \sigma^{-1}(\lambda_i)$ .

Let  $\sigma(\bar{\pi}) = \pi$ . Let  $\bar{G}$  be  $\bar{IP}$ -generic over  $\bar{N}$ . We must show:

Claim There is  $p \in IP$  which forces that whenever  $G \ni p$  is  $IP$ -generic, then there is  $\sigma_0 \in V[G]$  s.t.

(a)  $\sigma_0: \bar{N} \prec N$  cofinally

(b)  $\sigma_0(\bar{\pi}, \bar{IP}, \bar{\lambda}_i) = \pi, IP, \lambda_i$  ( $i=1, \dots, m$ )

(c)  $\text{sup } \sigma_0 \text{ `` } \bar{\lambda}_i = \tilde{\lambda}_i =_{\text{H}} \text{sup } \sigma \text{ `` } \bar{\lambda}_i$

for  $i=1, \dots, m$ .

(d)  $\bar{G} = \sigma_0^{-1} \text{ `` } G$ .

Let  $\langle N', \sigma' \rangle =$  the liftup of  $\langle \bar{N}, \sigma \upharpoonright H_{\bar{\kappa}}^{\bar{N}} \rangle$

where  $\sigma(\bar{\kappa}) = \kappa$ . Then  $\sigma': \bar{N} \prec N'$

cofinally and  $\sup \sigma'' \alpha = \sigma'(\alpha)$   
for all  $\alpha \geq \bar{\kappa}$  i.t.,  $\alpha$  is regular in  $\bar{N}$ .

Let  $\bar{g}: \omega \rightarrow \bar{\kappa}$  be the Prikry sequence  
engendered by  $\bar{G}$ . Set  $g' = \sigma' \circ \bar{g}$ .

Then  $g': \omega \rightarrow \kappa' = \sigma'(\bar{\kappa})$  cofinally,

(1)  $g'$  is a Prikry sequence for  $N'$   
(wrt.  $U' = \sigma'(U)$ )

prf.

We must show that  $\text{rng}(g')$  is almost  
contained in  $X$  for every  $X \in U'$ . But

$X = \sigma'(f)(\bar{\zeta})$ , where  $f \in \bar{N}$ ,  $f: \alpha \rightarrow \bar{\kappa}$

for an  $\alpha < \kappa$ , and  $\bar{\zeta} < \sigma(\alpha) = \sigma'(\alpha)$ ,

Hence  $\bar{Y} = \bigcap f'' \alpha \in \bar{U}$  and

$Y = \sigma'(\bar{Y}) = \bigcap \sigma'(f)'' \sigma(\alpha) \in U'$ .

Hence  $\bar{g}$  is almost contained in  $\bar{Y}$

and  $g'$  is almost contained in  $Y \subset X$ .

QED(1)

Now let  $\langle N'', \sigma'' \rangle$  be the liftup

of  $\langle \bar{N}, \sigma \upharpoonright H_{\bar{\mu}}^{\bar{N}} \rangle$ , where  $\mu = \bar{\kappa}^{++ \bar{N}}$ .

Then  $\sigma''(\bar{\kappa} + \bar{N}) = \kappa^+$ ,  $\sigma''(H_{\bar{\kappa} + \bar{N}}^{\bar{N}}) = H_{\kappa^+}$

and  $\sigma''(\tau) = \text{sup } \sigma'' \ll \tau$  whenever  $\tau \geq \bar{\kappa} + \bar{N}$  is regular in  $\bar{N}$ .

Let  $\sigma' = \sigma_{N'}$ ,  $\sigma'' = \sigma_{N''}$ . Let  $L'$  be the infinitary language on  $L_{\sigma'}(W')$  comprising the base theory, a new constant  $\sigma$  and the further axioms:

- $\sigma : \bar{N} \prec N''$  cofinally
- $\sigma(\bar{\alpha}, \bar{\beta}, \bar{\lambda}_i, \bar{\kappa}) = \sigma'(\bar{\alpha}), \sigma'(\bar{\beta}), \sigma'(\bar{\lambda}_i), \sigma'(\bar{\kappa})$
- $\text{sup } \sigma'' \tau = \sigma'(\tau)$  whenever  $\tau \geq \bar{\kappa}$  is regular in  $\bar{N}$
- $\sigma \circ \bar{\sigma}$  is Prinsy generic over  $N'$

Then  $L'$  is consistent, since

$\langle H_{\kappa^+}, \sigma' \rangle$  models  $L'$ .

But  $\langle N', \sigma' \rangle$  is the liftup of  $\langle \bar{N}, \sigma'' \upharpoonright H_{\bar{\kappa}}^{\bar{N}} \rangle$  since  $\sigma'' \upharpoonright H_{\bar{\kappa}}^{\bar{N}} = \sigma \upharpoonright H_{\bar{\kappa}}^{\bar{N}}$ .

Hence there is unique  $\pi : N' \prec N''$  cofinally, s.t.  $\pi \upharpoonright H_{\sigma'(\bar{\kappa})}^{N'} = \text{id}$  and  $\pi \sigma' = \sigma''$ . But then  $L''$

is consistent, where  $\mathcal{L}''$  has the same definition over  $L_{\delta''}(N'')$  in the parameters  $\bar{\pi}, \bar{\rho}, \bar{\lambda}, \bar{g}, \bar{u}, \sigma''(\bar{\pi}), \sigma''(\bar{\rho}), \sigma''(\bar{\lambda}), \sigma''(\bar{u})$ . (Note that  $\sigma'(\bar{u}) = U \cap H_{\sigma'(\bar{u} + \bar{N})}^{N'}$ , and  $\sigma''(\bar{u}) = U$ , since  $\bar{u} = \{x \mid \forall z \langle z, x \rangle \in \bar{\rho}\}$ .)

Now generically collapse  $\delta''$  to  $\omega$ .

In the resulting model  $V[\bar{\sigma}]$

let  $\sigma_1$  be a solid model of  $\mathcal{L}''$ .

Set  $\sigma_1 = \bar{\sigma} \circ \sigma_1$ ,  $g = \sigma_1 \circ \bar{g}$ . Then

(2)  $g$  is Prkry generic over  $V$

since  $\sigma''(\bar{u}) = U$ ,

Since  $g$  is Prkry generic over  $N''$  and  $N''$  is regular in  $L_{\delta''}(N'')$ ,  $g$  is also Prkry generic over  $L_{\delta''}(N'')$ ; hence

(3)  $L_{\delta''}(N''[g])$  is admissible.

Let  $\mathcal{L}^*$  be the language on  $L_{\delta''}(N''[g])$  with the base

a constant  $\bar{\sigma}$ , the axioms of  $\mathcal{L}''$ ,

and the axiom:  $\underline{g} = \bar{\sigma}'' \underline{\bar{g}}$ .

Then  $\mathcal{L}^*$  is consistent, since

$\langle H_{\kappa^{++}}^V[G], \sigma'' \rangle$  is a model. But

$\mathcal{L}^* \in V[g]$ . We now virtually repeat the proof of (6) in §3.4 to get:

(4) In  $V[g]$  there is  $\sigma^*$  s.t.,

- $\sigma^* : \bar{N} \prec N''$  cofinally
- $\sigma^*(\bar{\alpha}, \bar{\beta}, \bar{\lambda}_i) = \sigma''(\bar{\alpha}), \sigma''(\bar{\beta}), \sigma''(\bar{\lambda}_i)$  ( $i=1, \dots, m$ )
- $\sigma^* \circ \bar{g} = g$
- $\sup \sigma^* \tau = \sigma^*(\tau)$  whenever  $\tau \geq \bar{\kappa}^{++\bar{N}}$  & regular in  $\bar{N}$ .

proof (sketch)

We work in  $V[g]$ . As before let

$Y \prec H_{\kappa^{++}}$  be countable s.t.  $\bar{N}, N'', \sigma'' \in Y$ ,

As before  $Y \cap \sigma''(\tau)$  is cofinal in  $\sigma''(\tau)$  whenever  $\tau = \bar{\kappa}$  or  $\tau \geq \bar{\kappa}^{++\bar{N}}$  is regular in  $\bar{N}$ . Let  $k: \bar{H} \xrightarrow{\sim} Y$ ,  $k(\bar{N}'') = N''$ ,

$k(\bar{\sigma}'') = \sigma''$ ,  $k(\bar{\delta}'') = \delta''$ ,  $k(\bar{\mathcal{L}}^*) = \mathcal{L}^*$ ,

Then  $k \upharpoonright \bar{N}_\alpha : \bar{N}_\alpha \prec N_\alpha$  cofinally. Moreover

$k \upharpoonright \bar{\sigma}''(\tau)$  is cofinal in  $\sigma''(\tau)$  whenever

$\tau = \bar{\kappa}$  or  $\tau \geq \bar{\kappa}^{++\bar{N}}$  is regular in  $\bar{N}$ ,

$\bar{\mathcal{L}}^*$  is consistent & hence has a solid

model  $\mathcal{M}$ . Let  $\sigma^* = \dot{\sigma} \circ k$ . Then

$\bar{\sigma}^* \in \text{wfc}(\bar{\sigma})$  and:

- $\bar{\sigma}^* : \bar{N} \prec \bar{N}''$  cofinally
- $\bar{\sigma}^*(\bar{\alpha}, \bar{P}, \bar{\lambda}_i) = \bar{\sigma}''(\bar{\alpha}), \bar{\sigma}''(\bar{P}), \bar{\sigma}''(\bar{\lambda}_i)$
- $\bar{g}^* = \bar{\sigma}^* \circ \bar{g}$ , where  $k(\bar{g}^*) = g$
- $\sup \bar{\sigma}^* \restriction \tau = \bar{\sigma}^*(\tau)$  if  $\tau = \bar{\alpha}$  or  $\tau \geq \bar{\alpha} + \bar{N}$  is regular in  $\bar{N}$ ,

But then  $\sigma^* = k\bar{\sigma}^*$  has the desired properties.

QED(4)

Since  $\langle N'', \sigma'' \rangle =$  the liftup of  $\langle \bar{N}, \sigma \restriction H_{\bar{\alpha}++}^{\bar{N}} \rangle$ ,

there is  $\pi_0 : N'' \prec N$  s.t.  $\pi_0 \restriction H_{\bar{\alpha}++}^{\bar{N}} = \text{id}$

and  $\pi_0 \sigma'' = \sigma$ . Set  $\sigma_0 = \pi_0 \sigma^*$ .

It follows easily that:

- $\sigma_0 : \bar{N} \prec N$  cofinally
- $\sigma_0(\bar{\alpha}, \bar{P}, \bar{\lambda}_i) = \alpha, P, \lambda_i$
- $\sup \sigma_0 \restriction \bar{\lambda}_i = \tilde{\lambda}_i$
- $g = \sigma_0 \circ \bar{g} = \sigma^* \circ \bar{g}$

But  $g, G$  are interdefinable in  $V[g] = V[\sigma]$ ,

where  $G$  is a  $P$ -generic set. Similarly

for  $\bar{g}, \bar{G}$  in  $\bar{N}[\bar{G}]$ . Hence

•  $\bar{G} = \sigma_0^{-1} \restriction \bar{G}$ .

Since  $G$  is  $P$ -generic, there must be a  $p \in G$  which forces all of this.

QED(Lemma 2)

This proof can easily be modified to show that  $\mathbb{P}$  is subproper above  $\mu$  for each  $\mu < \kappa$ , in the sense of the definition at the end of § 2;

Letting  $\sigma \restriction H_{\kappa}^{\bar{N}} : H_{\kappa}^{\bar{N}} \rightarrow \tilde{H}$  cofinally, we

have  $\tilde{H} = H_{\bar{\kappa}}$ , where  $\bar{\kappa} = \sup \sigma''\kappa = \sigma'(\kappa)$ , where  $\langle N', \sigma' \rangle$  is defined

as above. But then  $\sigma \restriction H_{\bar{\mu}}^{\bar{N}} \in \tilde{H}$  for

$\bar{\mu} < \bar{\kappa}$ . We can thus add to  $\mathcal{L}'$  the

axiom:  $\sigma \restriction H_{\bar{\mu}}^{\bar{N}} = \underline{\sigma \restriction H_{\bar{\mu}}^{\bar{N}}}$ . Carrying this

axiom with us through the rest of

the proof, we arrive at  $\sigma_0 \restriction H_{\bar{\mu}}^{\bar{N}} =$

$= \sigma \restriction H_{\bar{\mu}}^{\bar{N}}$ , QED

Our further examples will all be reversible  $\mathcal{L}$ -forcings in the sense of [J]§3. This will be true even of Namba forcing, since we have shown in [J]§6 that Namba forcing is equivalent to such an  $\mathcal{L}$ -forcing.

From now on we assume a knowledge of:

[J]§3,



§ 3.6 Namba Forcing

Lemma 3 The forcing  $\mathbb{P} = \mathbb{P}_{\mathcal{L}}$  of [J]§5.

Example 1 (p. 7) is subcomplete.

In this forcing we start with a regular  $\beta \geq \omega_2$  s.t.  $2^\omega = \omega_1$  and  $2^\beta = \beta$ .  $\mathbb{P}$  then collapses each regular  $\delta \in (\omega_1, \beta]$  to  $\omega_1$ , making it  $\omega$ -cofinal without collapsing reals. In [J]§6 we show that if  $\beta = \omega_2$ , then  $\text{BA}(\mathbb{P}) = \text{BA}(\mathbb{N})$ , where  $\mathbb{N}$  is Namba forcing. Hence:

Corollary 3.1 If  $2^\omega = \omega_1$  and  $2^{\omega_1} = \omega_2$ , then Namba forcing is subcomplete.

We assume that the reader has a good understanding of [J]§3. We shall also make use of Corollary 2.8 in [J]§4, which says that if  $G$  is  $\mathbb{P}$ -generic over  $V$ , then  $G$  is definable from  $\langle M^G, \pi^G, B^G \rangle$  by:

$$\begin{aligned} P \in G &\leftrightarrow (M^P = M^G \upharpoonright (|P|+1) \wedge \pi^P = \pi^G \upharpoonright (|P|+1)^2 \wedge \\ &\wedge B^P = (\pi^G \upharpoonright_{|P|, \omega_1})^{-1} \cap B^G \wedge \\ &\wedge \langle \bar{a}, a \rangle \in \text{FP}_{|P|, \omega_1}^{\pi^G} : \langle M^P \upharpoonright_{|P|}, \bar{a} \rangle \in \langle M, a \rangle. \end{aligned}$$

We set:  $M = L_\beta^A = \langle L_\beta[A], A \rangle$ , where

$L_\beta[A] = H_\beta$ . Set:  $N = \langle H_{\beta^+}, M, \langle \dots \rangle \rangle$ ,

where  $\langle \dots \rangle$  well order  $N$ .  $\mathcal{L}$  is then the language on  $N$  which, in addition to the base theory has constants  $\dot{M}, \dot{\pi}, \dot{B}$ , the "basic axioms" of [U] § 3:

- $\dot{M} = \langle \dot{M}_i \mid i \leq \underline{\omega}_1 \rangle$ ,  $\dot{\pi} = \langle \dot{\pi}_{i,j} \mid i \leq j \leq \underline{\omega}_1 \rangle$
- $\dot{\pi}$  is a continuous commutative sequence of elementary embeddings  $\dot{\pi}_{i,j} : \dot{M}_i \hookrightarrow \dot{M}_j$
- $\dot{M}_{\underline{\omega}_1} = \underline{M}$ ;  $\dot{M}_i$  is countable and transitive for  $i < \underline{\omega}_1$
- $\dot{\pi}_{i,j} \upharpoonright \dot{d}_i = \text{id}$ ,  $\dot{\pi}_{i,j}(\dot{d}_i) = \dot{d}_j$  where  $\dot{d}_i =_{\text{df}} \omega_1^{\dot{M}_i}$
- $\dot{\beta}_i < \dot{d}_{i+1}$  for  $i < \underline{\omega}_1$ , where  $\dot{\beta}_i =_{\text{df}} \text{On} \cap \dot{M}_i$
- $B \subset \bar{M}$
- $H_{\omega_1} = \underline{H}_{\omega_1}$ ,

and the further axioms:

- $\dot{\pi}_{i,\underline{\omega}_1}$  is  $\dot{\pi}_i$ -cofinal in  $\underline{M}$  ( $i < \underline{\omega}_1$ ), where  $\dot{\pi}_i =_{\text{df}} \omega_2^{\dot{M}_i}$
- $\text{rng}(\dot{\pi}_{i+1,\underline{\omega}_1}) = \text{the smallest } X \prec \underline{M} \text{ s.t.}$   
 $\text{rng}(\dot{\pi}_{i,\underline{\omega}_1}) \cup \{\dot{d}_i\} \subset X$   
 for  $i < \underline{\omega}_1$
- $\dot{B} = \emptyset$

(Hence  $\dot{B}$  will play no role and we shall ignore it.) In [U] § 5 we show that  $\text{IP} = \text{IP}_{\mathcal{L}}$  is revivable and, therefore, adds no reals. If  $G$  is  $\text{IP}$ -generic, then  $\langle \underline{M}, \dot{\pi}_{i,\underline{\omega}_1}^G \rangle$  is the liftup of

$\langle M_{i, \omega_1}^G, \pi_{i, \omega_1}^G \upharpoonright H_{\tau_i^G}^{M_i} \rangle$  ( $M_i^G, \pi_i^G$  and  $\tau_i^G = \omega_1^{M_i^G}$  being defined in the obvious way.)  $\forall \delta \in \sigma(\bar{\delta}) = \delta$  where

$\delta \in (\omega_1, \beta]$  is regular, it follows that  $\delta \cap \text{rang}(\pi_{i, \omega_1}^G)$  is cofinal in  $\delta$ . Hence each regular  $\delta \in (\omega_1, \beta]$  becomes  $\omega$ -cofinal.

Now let  $\theta$  be a cardinal s.t.  $2^{2^\beta} < \theta$ ,

Let  $\lambda > \theta$  be regular and let

$Q = \langle L_\lambda[A], A, \dots \rangle$  s.t.  $H_\theta \subset Q$ .

(We write "Q" instead of "N" to avoid confusion with the N just defined.

We certainly have  $N \in Q$  and hence

$\mathbb{P} \in Q$ .) Let  $\sigma: \bar{Q} \prec Q$  s.t.  $\bar{Q}$  is countable and full and  $\sigma(\bar{L}, \bar{\mathbb{P}}, \bar{\theta}) = L, \mathbb{P}, \theta$ .

Claim  $\sigma$  witnesses the subcompleteness of  $\mathbb{P}$ .

proof.

Let  $\sigma(\bar{\alpha}) = \alpha$ . Let  $\bar{G}$  be  $\bar{\mathbb{P}}$ -generic over  $\bar{Q}$ . Let  $\sigma(\bar{\gamma}_i) = \gamma_i$  ( $i=1, \dots, m$ ), where

$\lambda_i < \theta$  is regular s.t.  $\mathbb{P} \in H_{\lambda_i}$ .

Since  $\sigma(\bar{L}) = \bar{L}$  we also have  $\sigma(\bar{N}) = \bar{M}$ ,  
 $\sigma(\bar{N}) = \bar{N}$ , where  $\bar{L}$  is a language on  $\bar{N}$ .

Since  $\bar{G}$  is  $\bar{IP} = \bar{IP}_{\bar{L}}$ -generic over  $\bar{Q}$ ,  
 we get  $M_{\bar{G}}, \pi_{\bar{G}}$  with  $M_{\alpha}^{\bar{G}} = \bar{M}$  where  $\alpha = \omega_1^{\bar{Q}}$ .

At  $p = \langle M^p, \pi^p, \bar{F}^p \rangle \in \bar{IP}$ , then  $\sigma(p) =$   
 $= \langle M^p, \pi^p, F^p \rangle$ , where  $F^p = \{ \langle \sigma(a), \bar{a} \rangle \mid \langle a, \bar{a} \rangle \in \bar{F}^p \}$ .

We now prove:

Claim 1 Let  $\sigma: \bar{Q} \prec Q'$  cofinally. Let  
 $\bar{\lambda}_i = \sup \sigma'' \bar{\lambda}_i$  ( $i=0, \dots, m$ ) where  $\bar{\lambda}_0 = 0_{m \cap \bar{Q}}$ .  
 (Hence  $Q' = \langle L_{\bar{\lambda}}, [A], A, m \rangle$ , where  $Q =$   
 $= \langle L_{\lambda}, [A], A, m \rangle$ . (Hence  $Q' \prec Q$ .)

Let  $\sigma' = \sigma_{Q'}$ . Let  $L'$  be the language  
 on  $L_{\sigma'}[Q']$  with the base theory (of §3.2),  
 a constant  $\sigma$  and axioms:

- $\sigma: \bar{Q} \prec Q'$

- $\sigma(\bar{IP}, \bar{\pi}, \bar{\lambda}_i) = \underline{IP}, \underline{\pi}, \underline{\lambda}_i$  ( $i=1, \dots, m$ )

- (hence  $\sigma(\bar{M}, \bar{N}) = \underline{M}, \underline{N}$ )

- $\langle \underline{M}, \sigma' \restriction \underline{M} \rangle =$  the lift up of  $\langle \bar{M}, \sigma' \restriction H_{\omega_2}^{\bar{M}} \rangle$

- $\sup \sigma''' \bar{\lambda}_i = \bar{\lambda}'_i$  ( $i=0, \dots, m$ ),

- For  $\nu < \omega_1$  let  $X_\nu =$  the smallest  $X \prec \underline{M}$  s.t.  
 $\nu \cup \sigma''' \underline{M} \subset X$ . Set  $\dot{C} = \{ \nu < \omega_1 \mid \nu = \omega_1 \cap X_\nu \}$ .

Then  $\text{otp}(\dot{C}) = \omega_1$ .

Then  $L'$  is consistent.

proof of Claim 1

Let  $\langle Q_0, \sigma_0 \rangle$  be the liftup of  $\langle \bar{Q}, \sigma \upharpoonright H_{\omega_2}^{\bar{Q}} \rangle$   
(where, of course,  $H_{\omega_2}^{\bar{Q}} = H_{\omega_2}^{\bar{m}}$ ). Let

$\delta_0 = \delta_{Q_0}$ . Let  $\mathcal{L}_0$  be the language on  
 $L_{\delta_0}(Q_0)$  with the base theory, a constant  $\sigma$ ,

and the axioms:  $\bullet H_{\omega_1} = \underline{H_{\omega_1}}$

$\bullet \sigma : \bar{Q} \prec \underline{Q_0}$  is the liftup of  $\langle \bar{Q}, \sigma \upharpoonright H_{\omega_2}^{\bar{Q}} \rangle$

$\bullet \sigma(\underline{\bar{P}}, \underline{\bar{x}}, \underline{\bar{x}_i}) = \underline{\sigma_0(\bar{P})}, \underline{\sigma_0(\bar{x})}, \underline{\sigma_0(\bar{x}_i)}$

( $i = 1, \dots, m$ ).

Then  $\mathcal{L}_0$  is consistent, since

$\langle H_{\omega_2}, \sigma_0 \rangle$  models  $\mathcal{L}_0$ .

Now let  $\langle Q_1, \sigma_1 \rangle$  be the liftup of

$\langle \bar{Q}, \bar{\sigma} \upharpoonright H_{\bar{c}}^{\bar{Q}} \rangle$ , where  $\bar{N} = H_{\bar{c}}^{\bar{Q}}$ ,  $N = H_{\bar{c}}^Q$ ,

$\bar{c} = \beta^+$ . There is a unique  $k : Q_0 \prec Q_1$

s.t.  $k \sigma_0 = \sigma_1$  and  $k \upharpoonright H_{\omega_1}^{\bar{Q}} = \text{id}$ .

Clearly  $k$  takes  $Q_0$  cofinally to  $Q_1$

and  $k$  takes  $\sigma_0(\bar{x})$  cofinally to

$\sigma_1(\bar{x})$  whenever  $\bar{x} \geq \bar{c}$  is regular

in  $\bar{Q}$ . Let  $\mathcal{L}_1$  be the language on

$L_{\delta_1}(Q_1)$  ( $\delta_1 = \delta_{Q_1}$ ) defined in

$\bar{P}, \bar{x}, \bar{x}_i, \sigma_1(\bar{P}), \sigma_1(\bar{x}), \sigma_1(\bar{x}_i)$  ( $i = 1, \dots, m$ )

as  $\mathcal{L}_0$  was in  $Q_0, \bar{Q}, \dots, \sigma_0(\bar{x}), \dots, \sigma_0(\bar{x}_i)$ .

The  $\mathcal{L}_1$  is consistent by the transfer lemma.

Generically collapse  $\delta_1$  to  $\omega$ . This gives a solid model  $\mathcal{M}$  of  $\mathcal{L}_1$ . Let  $\sigma^* = \dot{\sigma} \circ \mathcal{M}$ . Then  $\langle \mathcal{Q}_1, \sigma^* \rangle$  is the liftup of  $\langle \bar{\mathcal{Q}}, \sigma^* \upharpoonright H_{\omega_2}^{\bar{\mathcal{Q}}} \rangle$ .

Let  $C^* = \dot{C} \circ \mathcal{M}$  is defined from  $\sigma^*$  as above, then  $\text{otp}(C^*) = \omega_1$ , since  $\omega_1$  is absolute in  $\mathcal{M}$ .

Now let  $k': \mathcal{Q}_1 \prec \mathcal{Q}'$  be the unique map. s.t.  $k' \upharpoonright \sigma_1 = \sigma$  and  $k' \upharpoonright H_{\tau_1}^{\mathcal{Q}_1} = \text{id}$ , where  $\tau_1 = \sigma_1(\bar{\tau})$ .

Then  $k': \mathcal{Q}_1 \prec \mathcal{Q}'$  cofinally and  $k'$  takes  $\sigma_1(\bar{\lambda}_i)$  cofinally to  $\lambda'_i$  ( $i=1, \dots, m$ ),

since  $\sigma_1 \upharpoonright \bar{\lambda}_i$  is cofinal in  $\sigma_1(\bar{\lambda}_i)$ . Set  $\tilde{\sigma} = k' \circ \sigma^*$ . Let  $\tilde{C}$  is defined from  $\tilde{\sigma}$  as

$C^*$  was defined from  $\sigma^*$ , then  $\tilde{C} = C^*$ , since  $k' \upharpoonright H_{\omega_1} = \text{id}$ . Hence:

- $\tilde{\sigma}: \bar{\mathcal{Q}} \prec \mathcal{Q}'$  cofinally
- $\tilde{\sigma}(\langle \bar{\mu}, \bar{\tau}, \bar{\lambda}_i \rangle) = \langle \mu, \tau, \lambda_i \rangle$
- $\sup \tilde{\sigma} \upharpoonright \bar{\lambda}_i = \lambda'_i$  ( $i=0, \dots, m$ )
- $\text{otp} \tilde{C} = \omega_1$ .

The verifications are straightforward.

But then  $\mathcal{L}'$  is consistent since it is modeled by  $\langle H_{\mu}^V[g], \tilde{\sigma} \rangle$ , where  $g$  generically collapses  $\delta_1$  to  $\omega$  and  $\mu > \lambda$  is regular in  $V[g]$ .

QED (Claim 1)

We are now ready to prove the main claim that  $\sigma$  witnesses the subcompleteness of  $\mathbb{P}$ ,

Let  $\bar{G}$  be  $\bar{\mathbb{P}}$ -generic over  $\bar{Q}$ . Let  $p \in \mathbb{P}$  s.t.  $\bar{Q}, \bar{G} \in H_{\omega_1}^{M, \mathbb{P}}|_{\mathbb{P}}$  and  $p$  conforms to:

$$N^* = \langle H_\mu, M, N, \mathbb{P}, \mathcal{L}', \bar{Q}, \bar{Q}, \sigma, \bar{\alpha}, \bar{\lambda}_i, (i=1, \dots, m) \rangle$$

where  $\mu > \bar{Q}$  is regular. Set:

$$\bar{N}^* = \bar{N}^*(p, N^*) = \langle \tilde{H}, \tilde{M}, \tilde{N}, \tilde{\mathbb{P}}, \tilde{\mathcal{L}}, \tilde{\bar{Q}}, \tilde{\bar{Q}}, \tilde{\sigma}, \tilde{\alpha}, \tilde{\lambda}_i, (i=1, \dots, m) \rangle$$

Then  $|\mathbb{P}| = \omega_1^{\bar{N}^*}$  and:

(1)  $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  is consistent, since  $\mathcal{L}'$  is consistent.

Let  $\mathcal{M}$  be a solid model of  $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  and let  $\sigma^* = \tilde{\sigma} \upharpoonright \mathcal{M}$ . Then

(2)  $\sigma^* \in \text{wfc}(\mathcal{M})$  and

- $\sigma^* : \bar{Q} \prec \bar{Q}'$  cofinally, where
- $\tilde{\sigma} : \bar{Q} \prec \tilde{\bar{Q}}'$  cofinally. (Then  $\bar{Q}' \prec \tilde{\bar{Q}}$ )

•  $\sigma^*(\tilde{\mathbb{P}}, \tilde{\alpha}, \tilde{\lambda}_i) = \tilde{\mathbb{P}}, \tilde{\alpha}, \tilde{\lambda}_i$ , where

•  $\langle \tilde{M}, \sigma^* \upharpoonright \tilde{M} \rangle =$  the liftup of  $\langle \bar{M}, \sigma^* \upharpoonright H_{\omega_2}^{\bar{M}} \rangle$

•  $\text{sup } \sigma^* \upharpoonright \tilde{\lambda}_i = \tilde{\lambda}'_i$ , where  $\tilde{\lambda}'_i = \text{sup } \tilde{\sigma} \upharpoonright \tilde{\lambda}_i$ .

We now define a new condition  $q \in \mathbb{P}$

$$\text{by: } |q| = |\mathbb{P}|, \mathbb{P}^q = \mathbb{P},$$

$$M^q \upharpoonright (\alpha+1) = M^{\bar{G}}, \pi^q \upharpoonright (\alpha+1)^2 = \pi^{\bar{G}},$$

where  $\alpha = \omega_1^{\bar{Q}}$  and  $\bar{G}$  is the abovementioned

$\bar{\mathbb{P}}$ -generic set.

For  $\alpha \leq \nu \leq |\rho|$  let  $X_\nu =$  the smallest  $X \in M_{|\rho|}^P$   
 s.t.  $\nu \cup \sigma^* \bar{M} \subset X$ . Let  $\langle \nu_i \mid \alpha \leq i \leq |\rho| \rangle$  be  
 the monotone enumeration of  $C =$

$$= \{ \nu \mid \nu = |\rho| \cap X_\nu \}. \text{ (Then } \nu_\alpha = \alpha, \nu_{|\rho|} = |\rho|. \text{)}$$

$$\text{For } \alpha \leq i \leq |\rho| \text{ set: } \pi_{i, |\rho|}^g : M_i^g \leftrightarrow X_{\nu_i}.$$

$$\text{(Then } M_\alpha^g = \bar{M}, M_{|\rho|}^g = M_{|\rho|}^P, \pi_{\alpha, |\rho|}^g = \sigma^* \upharpoonright \bar{M} \text{)}$$

For  $i \leq j \leq |\rho|$  we then set:

$$\pi_{i, j}^g = (\pi_{j, |\rho|}^g)^{-1} \circ \pi_{i, |\rho|}^g.$$

This defines  $g$ . Then

$$(3) \quad g \in IP$$

prf.

We must show that  $\mathcal{L}(g)$  is consistent.

This is straightforward, since if  $\mathcal{M}$   
 is a solid model of  $\mathcal{L}(\rho)$  we can turn  
 it into a solid model of  $\mathcal{L}(g)$  simply

by replacing  $M^{\mathcal{M}} \upharpoonright (|\rho|+1)$  with  $M^g$  and  
 $\pi^{\mathcal{M}} \upharpoonright (|\rho|+1)^2$  with  $\pi^g$ . QED(3)

$g$  is our "master condition". Let  $G$  be

$IP$ -generic with  $g \in G$ . Then  $\pi_{|\rho|}^g \omega_1$

extends uniquely to a

$$\pi^* : N^* \hookrightarrow N^* \text{ s.t. } F^g = F^P \subset \pi^*.$$

Set:  $\sigma_0 = \pi^* \circ \sigma^*$ . Then:



(4)  $\sigma_0 : \bar{Q} \prec Q'$  cofinally

$\sigma_0(\bar{\rho}, \bar{\alpha}, \bar{\lambda}_i) = \pi^*(\tilde{\rho}, \tilde{\alpha}, \tilde{\lambda}_i) = \rho, \alpha, \lambda_i$   
 $(i=1, \dots, m)$

$\langle M, \sigma_0 \upharpoonright \bar{M} \rangle =$  the lift up of  $\langle \bar{M}, \sigma_0 \upharpoonright H_{\omega_2}^{\bar{M}} \rangle$ .

Since  $\tilde{\lambda}_i' = \sup \sigma \text{ " } \bar{\lambda}_i$  is  $\omega$ -cofinal in  $\bar{N}$ ,  
 it is taken cofinally to  $\lambda_i$  by  $\pi$ . Hence!

(5)  $\sup \sigma_0 \text{ " } \bar{\lambda}_i = \lambda_i' \quad (i=0, \dots, m)$

It remains only to show:

Claim  $\bar{G} = \sigma_0^{-1} \text{ " } G$ .

prf.

Let  $\alpha \in \bar{G}$ . Claim  $\sigma_0(\alpha) \in G$ .

We first note:

(6)  $M^\alpha = M^{\sigma_0(\alpha)}, \pi^\alpha = \pi^{\sigma_0(\alpha)}$ , since  $\sigma_0 \upharpoonright H_{\omega_1}^{\bar{M}} = \text{id}$

(7)  $M^\alpha = M^{\bar{G}} \upharpoonright (|\alpha|+1) = M^{\bar{G}} \upharpoonright (|\alpha|+1) = M^G \upharpoonright (|\alpha|+1)$ .

Similarly:  $\pi^\alpha = \pi^G \upharpoonright (|\alpha|+1)^2$

Now let  $\langle a, \bar{a} \rangle \in F^\alpha$ , Then  $\pi_{|\alpha|, d}^\alpha = \pi_{|\alpha|, d}^G = \pi_{|\alpha|, d}^{\bar{G}}$

hence:

$\pi_{|\alpha|, d}^G : \langle M_{|\alpha|}^\alpha, \bar{a} \rangle \prec \langle \bar{M}, a \rangle$

But if  $\bar{a} = \sigma^*(a)$ , then

$\pi_{d, |\alpha|}^G : \langle \bar{M}, a \rangle \prec \langle M_{|\alpha|}^P, \bar{a} \rangle$ , since  $\pi_{d, |\alpha|}^G = \pi_{d, |\alpha|}^{\bar{G}} = \sigma^* \upharpoonright \bar{M}$

At  $a' = \pi^*(\bar{a})$ , then

$\pi_{|\alpha|, \omega_1}^G : \langle M_{|\alpha|}^P, \bar{a} \rangle \prec \langle M, a' \rangle$ , since

$\pi_{|\alpha|, \omega_1}^G = \pi^* \upharpoonright M_{|\alpha|}^P$ .

Putting this together:

$$(8) \pi_{|\Sigma|, \omega_1}^G : \langle M_{|\Sigma|}^{\Sigma}, \bar{a} \rangle \prec \langle M, a' \rangle, \text{ where}$$

$$\langle a', \bar{a} \rangle = \sigma_0(\langle a, \bar{a} \rangle) \in \sigma_0 "F^{\Sigma} = \sigma_0(F^{\Sigma}) \prec F \sigma_0(\Sigma)$$

By (6), (7), (8) and [J] §4 Cor 2.8 we conclude:  $\sigma_0(\Sigma) \in G$ .

QED

§3.7 Adding a mouse which iterates to a measure

Lemma 4 The forcing of [J]§5 Example 2 is subcomplete.

We shall call this forcing  $\mathbb{P}^*$  to distinguish it from the forcing  $\mathbb{P}$  of Example 1.

Let  $\kappa$  be a measurable cardinal and  $\mathcal{U}$  a normal ultrafilter on  $\kappa$ . Let  $\beta > \kappa$  be regular s.t.  $2^\beta = \beta$ . Set  $M = \langle \underset{\mathbb{P}}{L}[A], A, \mathcal{U} \rangle$  where  $L_\beta[A] = H_\beta$ ,  $N = \langle H_{\beta^+}, M, \langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle \rangle$ .

As [J]§5 we showed that if  $G$  is  $\mathbb{P}$ - $\mathcal{L}$ -generic (where  $\mathcal{L}$  is as before with  $\mathcal{L}$  in  $M, N$ ), then for every  $\alpha < \omega_1$  there is  $\bar{M} = \langle \underset{\bar{\mathcal{L}}}{L}[A], \bar{A}, \bar{\mathcal{U}} \rangle$  which iterates to  $M$  in exactly  $\alpha$  many steps. Our intention now is to devise  $\mathbb{P}^*$  s.t. if  $G$  is  $\mathbb{P}^*$ -generic, then there is  $\bar{M} \in V[G]$  which iterates to  $M$  in  $\omega_1$  many steps. We define a language  $\mathcal{L}^*$  on  $N$  and set  $\mathbb{P}^* = \mathbb{P}_{\mathcal{L}^*}$ .

$\mathcal{L}^*$  is the language which, in addition to the basic axioms of [J]§3, contains

The axioms:

- $\dot{B} = \emptyset$
- $\underline{\omega}_2 = \sup_{i \in \underline{\omega}_1} \pi_{i, \underline{\omega}_1}^i \omega_2^{M_i}$  for  $i \leq \underline{\omega}_1$
- Let  $\langle M', \sigma \rangle$  be the liftup of  $\langle \dot{M}_i, \pi_{i, \underline{\omega}_1}^i \upharpoonright H_{\omega_2}^{M_i} \rangle$ .

Then  $M'$  iterates to  $\dot{M}_j$  in  $j-i$  steps. Moreover, if  $k: M' \rightarrow \dot{M}_j$  is the iteration map, then  $\pi_{i, j}^k = k \sigma$ .

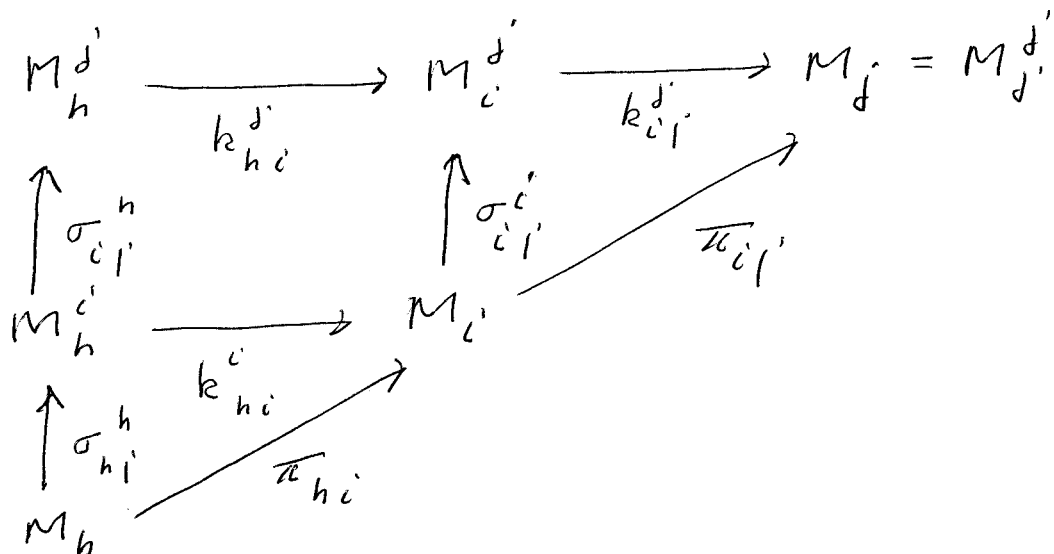
In this context we can make good use of the following lemma, which is implicit in the proof of [J]§5 Lemma 3:

Lemma 4.1 Let  $\langle \bar{M}_i, i \leq \alpha \rangle$  be an iteration with iteration maps  $\bar{k}_{i, j}$ , where  $\bar{M}_i = \langle L_{\bar{B}_i}[\bar{A}_i], \bar{A}_i \upharpoonright \bar{U}_i \rangle$ ,  $\bar{U}_i$  being a normal ultrafilter on  $\bar{a}_i$  in  $\bar{M}_i$ . Let  $\bar{H} = \prod_{i \leq \alpha} \bar{M}_i$  and let  $\sigma: \bar{H} \prec H$  cofinally. Let  $\langle M_i, \sigma_i \rangle$  be the (transitive) liftup of  $\langle \bar{M}_i, \sigma \rangle$ . Then  $\langle M_i, i \leq \alpha \rangle$  is an iteration with iteration maps  $k_{i, j}$ , where  $\sigma_j \bar{k}_{i, j} = k_{i, j} \sigma_i$ .

Now let  $\mathcal{M}$  be a solid model of  $\mathcal{L}'$  and set  $M_i = \dot{M}_i^{\mathcal{M}}$ ,  $\pi_{i, j} = \pi_{i, j}^{\mathcal{M}}$ . Set  $\sigma_{i, j} = \pi_{i, j} \upharpoonright H_i$ , where  $H_i = H_{\omega_1}^{M_i}$ . Let  $\langle M_i^d, \sigma_{i, j}^d \rangle =$  the liftup of  $\langle M_i, \sigma_{i, j} \rangle$ . For  $h \leq i$  let  $\langle M_i^h, \sigma_{i, j}^h \rangle$  be the liftup of  $\langle M_i^d, \sigma_{i, j}^d \rangle$ . Then  $\langle M_i^h, \sigma_{i, j}^h \rangle$  is the liftup of  $\langle M_h^h, \sigma_{h, j}^h \rangle$ . Hence  $M_i^h = M_h^h$ . But then  $\langle M_i^h, i \leq j \rangle$

in an iteration with maps  $k_{hi}^{j'}$  and we have:

$$(1) k_{hi}^{j'} \sigma_{j'l}^h = \sigma_{j'l}^{c'} k_{hi}^{j'} \text{ for } h \leq c' \leq i' \leq l.$$



This holds in particular if  $\mathcal{M}$  is defined by  $\pi_{ci}^{\mathcal{M}} = \pi_{ci}^G$ ,  $M_c^{\mathcal{M}} = M_c^G$ , where  $G$  is  $IP^*$ -generic.  $\langle M_c^{\omega_1} \mid i \leq \omega_1 \rangle$  is then an iterat of  $M_c^\omega$  to  $M = M_{\omega_1}$  in  $\omega_1$  many steps.

Now let  $\theta$  be a cardinal s.t.  $2^{2^\beta} < \theta$ . Let  $\lambda > \theta$  be regular and define  $Q = \langle L_\lambda[A], A, \mu \rangle$  as before, where  $H_\theta \subset Q$ . Let  $\sigma: \bar{Q} < Q$  s.t.  $\bar{Q}$  is countable and full. Let  $\sigma(L^*, IP^*, \bar{\theta}) = L^*, IP^*, \theta$ .

Claim  $\sigma$  witnesses the subcompleteness of  $IP^*$ .

Set:  $\bar{\lambda}_0 = 0_{M \cap \bar{Q}}$ ,  $\lambda_0 = 0_{M \cap Q} = \lambda$ . Set  $\lambda'_i = \sup \sigma'' \bar{\lambda}_i$   
 ( $i=0, \dots, m$ ).

Claim 1 Let  $\sigma: \bar{Q} \prec Q'$  cofinally. (Hence  $Q' = Q \upharpoonright \lambda'_0$ )  
 Let  $\sigma' = \sigma \upharpoonright Q'$ . Let  $\mathcal{L}''$  be the language on  $L_{\sigma'}(Q')$   
 with the base theory (cf §3.2), a constant  $\sigma$ , and  
 the further axioms:

- $\sigma: \bar{Q} \prec Q'$
- $\sigma'(\bar{P}, \bar{\alpha}, \bar{\lambda}_i) = \underline{P}, \underline{\alpha}, \underline{\lambda}_i$  ( $i=1, \dots, m$ )  
 (hence  $\sigma'(\bar{M}, \bar{N}) = \underline{M}, \underline{N}$ )

• Let  $\langle M', \sigma' \rangle$  be the liftup of  $\langle \bar{M}, \sigma' \upharpoonright H_{\omega_2}^{\bar{M}} \rangle$

Then  $M'$  iterates to  $\underline{M}$  in exactly  $\underline{\omega}_1$  many  
 steps. Moreover, if  $k$  is the iteration  
 map, then  $\sigma' \upharpoonright \underline{M} = k \sigma'$ .

- $\sup \sigma'' \bar{\lambda}_i = \lambda'_i$  ( $i=0, \dots, m$ )
- For  $\nu < \underline{\omega}_1$ , let  $X_\nu$  = the smallest  $X \prec M'$  s.t.  
 $\nu \cup \sigma'' \bar{M} \subset X$ . Set  $\dot{C} = \{\nu < \underline{\omega}_1 \mid \nu = \underline{\omega}_1 \wedge X_\nu\}$

Then  $\text{otp}(\dot{C}) = \underline{\omega}_1$

Then  $\mathcal{L}''$  is consistent,  
 proof.

We first note that Claim 1 of §3.6 holds.  
 Let  $\mathcal{L}'$  be as in that claim and let  $\mathcal{M}$   
 be a solid model of  $\mathcal{L}'$ . Set  $\sigma' = \sigma \upharpoonright \mathcal{M}$ .

Now let  $k^*: V \prec W$  be the result  
 of iterating  $V$  by  $\omega_1$  many times.  
 Let  $\mathcal{L}^* = k^*(\mathcal{L}'')$ . It suffices to show

that  $\mathcal{L}^*$  is consistent, Set  $\sigma^* = k^* \cdot \sigma'$ .

Then  $M^* = k^*(M)$  is the result of iterating  $M$   $\omega_1$  many times with iteration map  $k = k^* \upharpoonright M$ . Moreover  $\langle M, \sigma' \rangle$  is the liftup of  $\langle \bar{M}, \sigma^* \upharpoonright H_{\omega_2}^{\bar{M}} \rangle$  and  $\sigma^* \upharpoonright \bar{M} = k \sigma'$ .

Let  $Q^* = k^*(Q)$ ,  $\delta^* = \delta_{Q^*}$ . Then  $\mathcal{L}^*$  is a language on  $L_{\delta^*}(Q^*)$  and  $\sigma^* : \bar{Q} \prec Q^* \prec k^*(Q)$ . It follows that

$\langle H_{\mu}^V[g], \sigma^* \rangle$  models  $\mathcal{L}^*$

where  $\mu > \lambda$  is regular in  $V[g]$  and  $g$  generically collapses  $\delta'$  to  $\omega$ .

The verifications are left to the reader.

QED (Claim 1)

Now let  $\bar{G}$  be  $\bar{P}^*$ -generic over  $\bar{Q}$ . Let  $p \in \bar{P}^*$  s.t.  $\bar{G}, \bar{Q} \in H_{\omega_1}^P$  and let  $p$

conform to

$N^* = \langle H_{\mu}, M, N, Q, \bar{Q}, \sigma, \bar{\pi}, \bar{\lambda}_1, \dots, \bar{\lambda}_m, \bar{\mathcal{L}}' \rangle$ .

Let  $\bar{N}^* = N^*(p, N^*) =$

$= \langle \tilde{H}, \tilde{M}, \tilde{N}, \tilde{Q}, \bar{Q}, \tilde{\sigma}, \bar{\pi}, \tilde{\lambda}_1, \dots, \tilde{\lambda}_m, \tilde{\mathcal{L}}' \rangle$ ,

→ Let  $\tilde{Q}', \tilde{\pi}, \tilde{\lambda}_i, \tilde{\lambda}'_i$  be defined in

$\bar{N}^*$  as  $Q', \pi, \lambda_i, \lambda'_i$  are defined in  $N^*$

( $i = 0, \dots, m$ ). Then  $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}'$  is consistent,

since  $\bar{N}^*, N^*$  are elementarily equivalent.

Then  $|P| = \omega_1$

Let  $M$  be a solid model of  $\tilde{L}'$ . Set  $\sigma^* = \sigma \circ M$ . We define a new condition  $q \in IP^*$  as follows:  $|q| = |p|$ ,  $M_{|q|}^q = M_{|p|}^p$ ,  $F^q = F^p$ . We set  $M^q \uparrow (\alpha+1) = M^{\bar{G}}$ ,  $\pi^q \uparrow (\alpha+1)^2 = \pi^{\bar{G}}$  where  $\alpha = \omega_1 \bar{G}$ .

Let  $\langle M', \sigma' \rangle$  be the liftup of  $\langle \bar{M}, \sigma^* \uparrow M_{\omega_2}^{\bar{M}} \rangle$

Let  $X_\nu =$  the smallest  $X \in M'$  s.t.  $\nu \circ \sigma' \circ M \subset X$ .

Set  $C = \{ \nu \in IP^* \mid \nu = |p| \uparrow X_\nu \}$ . Then  $\sigma \uparrow p(C) = |p|$ .

Let  $\langle \nu_i \mid \alpha \leq i \leq |p| \rangle$  enumerate  $C \cup \{|p|\}$  monotonically. For  $\alpha \leq i \leq |p|$  set

$\sigma_{i, |p|}^d : M_d^i \xrightarrow{\sim} X_{\nu_i}$ . Then  $M_d^{|p|} = M'$  and  $M_d^\alpha = \bar{M}$ . Moreover  $\sigma_{\alpha, |p|}^d = \sigma'$ .

Set  $\sigma_{i, i'}^d = (\sigma_{j, |p|}^d)^{-1} \circ \sigma_{i, |p|}^d$  for  $\alpha \leq i \leq i' \leq |p|$ .

It follows easily that  $\langle M_d^i, \sigma_{i, i'}^d \rangle$  is the liftup of  $\langle M_d^i, \sigma_{i, i'} \rangle$ , where

$\sigma_{i, i'} = \sigma_{i, i'}^d \uparrow M_{\omega_2}^{M_d^i}$ . For  $i \leq \alpha \leq i' \leq |p|$

let  $\langle M_d^i, \sigma_{\alpha, i'}^i \rangle$  be the liftup of

$\langle M_d^i, \sigma_{\alpha, i'} \rangle$ . Then  $\langle M_d^i \mid i \leq \alpha \rangle$  is

an iteration with maps  $k_{hi}^i$  ( $h \leq i \leq \alpha$ ).

As usual, there are maps  $\sigma_{j, i}^i : M_d^j \leftarrow M_d^i$

defined by:  $\langle M_d^j, \sigma_{j, i}^i \rangle$  is the



liftup of  $\langle M_{i'}^j, \sigma_{j'l}^i \rangle$ . By Lemma 4.1 we get for  $h \leq i \leq \alpha \leq j' \leq l$ :

$$(1) k_{hi}^l \sigma_{j'l}^h = \sigma_{j'l}^{i'} k_{hi}^{j'}$$

If we set:  $M_{i'}^j = (M_{i'}^j)^{\bar{G}}$  ( $i \leq j' \leq \alpha$ )

and  $(\sigma_{j'l}^{i'}) = (\sigma_{j'l}^{i'})^{\bar{G}}$  ( $i \leq j' \leq l \leq \alpha$ ),

and  $k_{hi}^{j'} = (k_{hi}^{j'})^{\bar{G}}$  ( $h \leq i \leq j' \leq \alpha$ )

and  $\sigma_{j'l}^{i'} = \sigma_{\alpha l}^{i'} \sigma_{j'\alpha}^{i'}$  ( $i' \leq \alpha \leq j' \leq |p|$ ),

then (1) continues to hold for  $h \leq i \leq \alpha$ ,  $h \leq i \leq j' \leq l \leq |p|$ . The characterization of  $\sigma_{j'l}^{i'}$  as a liftup continues to hold.

We note that  $M_{\alpha}^{|p|} = M'$  is iterable and iterates to  $M'$  in  $|p|$  many steps. Let  $M_{i'}^{|p|}$  be the  $i$ th iterate of  $M_{\alpha}^{|p|}$  and let  $k_{i'j'}^{|p|}$  ( $\alpha \leq i \leq j' \leq |p|$ )

be the iteration maps. Set  $k_{i'j'}^{|p|} = k_{\alpha j'}^{|p|} \circ k_{i'\alpha}^{|p|}$  for  $i \leq \alpha \leq j' \leq |p|$ . Then

$\langle M_{i'}^{|p|} \mid i \leq |p| \rangle$  is an iteration of

$M_{\alpha}^{|p|}$  to  $M'$  with maps  $k_{i'j'}^{|p|}$  ( $i \leq j' \leq |p|$ ).

But  $M_{\alpha}^j$  is iterable for  $\alpha \leq j' \leq |p|$ ,

since  $\sigma_{j',|p|}^{\alpha} : M_{\alpha}^j \rightarrow M'$ . Thus

we can extend  $\langle M_i^d \mid i \leq d \rangle$  to  $\langle M_i^j \mid i \leq j \rangle$

in exactly the same way for  $d \leq i \leq |P|$ ,  
 $k_{hi}^j$  ( $h \leq i \leq j$ ) being the iteration maps.

If we set:  $\langle M_i'', \sigma'' \rangle =$  the liftup of  $\langle M_i^j, \sigma_{j,l}^j \rangle$

for  $d \leq i \leq j \leq l$ , then  $\langle M_i'' \mid d \leq i \leq j \rangle$  is an  
iteration of  $M_d'' = M_d^l$ . Thus  $M_i'' = M_i^l$  for

$d \leq i \leq j$  & we have defined unique  
 $\sigma_{j,l}^i$  s.t.  $\langle M_i^l, \sigma_{j,l}^i \rangle$  is the liftup of

$\langle M_i^j, \sigma_{j,l}^j \rangle$  for  $d \leq i \leq l$ . It is easily  
seen that (1) now holds for

all  $d \leq i \leq j \leq l \leq |P|$ . We set:

$$M_i = M_i^i, \pi_{i,j} = k_{i,j}^j \circ \sigma_{i,j}^i \quad (i \leq j \leq |P|).$$

(Hence  $\pi_{d,|P|} = \sigma^* \upharpoonright \bar{M}$ , since  $\mathcal{M}$  models  $\mathcal{L}'$ .)

We set:  $M^q = \langle M_i \mid i \leq |P| \rangle, \pi^q = \langle \pi_{i,j} \mid i \leq j \leq |P| \rangle$

and  $F^q = F^P$ . Then

(2)  $q \in IP^*$

proof (sketch)

Let  $\mathcal{M}$  be a solid model of  $\mathcal{L}^*(|P|)$ .

We can turn  $\mathcal{M}$  into a model  $\mathcal{M}'$  of

$\mathcal{L}^*(q)$  by replacing  $M^{\mathcal{M} \upharpoonright (|P|+1)}$  with

$M^q$  and  $\pi^{\mathcal{M} \upharpoonright (|P|+1)^2}$  with  $\pi^q$ .

The verifications are left to the reader.

QED (2)

$g$  is our master condition. Let  $G \ni g$  be  $\mathbb{P}^n$ -generic.  $\pi_{|g|, \omega_1}^G$  extends uniquely to a

$\pi^*: \bar{N}^* \hookrightarrow N^*$  s.t.  $F^* \subset \pi^*$ . Set  $\sigma_0 = \pi^* \circ \sigma^*$ .

Exactly as in §3.6 we get:

•  $\sigma_0: \bar{Q} \hookrightarrow Q'$

•  $\sigma_0(\bar{p}, \bar{\lambda}_i) = (p, \lambda_i) \quad (i=1, \dots, m)$

•  $\text{supp } \sigma_0^* \bar{\lambda}_i = \lambda'_i \quad (i=0, \dots, m)$

•  $\bar{G} = \sigma_0^{-1} G$

QED

### 3.8 Namba - prime Forcing

In [S] Shelah introduces a variant of Namba forcing which he calls  $N_m'$  and we labeled  $IN'$  in [J] §6.  $IN'$  is the set of subtrees  $T$  of  $\omega_2^{<\omega}$  s.t.  $T$  has a finite stem  $s$  and above  $s$  every point has exactly  $\omega_2$  many immediate successors. Magidor proved:

Lemma A Let  $b$  be an  $IN'$ -generic sequence in  $\omega_2$  (i.e.  $b = \bigcup G$  where  $G$  is  $IN'$ -generic). Let  $F \in V$  s.t.  $F: \omega_2 \rightarrow \omega_2$ . Then  $\forall n \wedge i \geq n \quad \delta_i > \sup_{h < i} F(\delta_h)$  where  $b = \langle \delta_i \mid i < \omega \rangle$ .

Lemma B Let  $b = \langle \delta_i \mid i < \omega \rangle$  be Namba-generic. Then there is  $F \in V$  s.t.  $F: \omega_2 \rightarrow \omega_2$  and there are arbitrarily large  $i < \omega$  s.t.  $\delta_i \leq \sup_{h < i} F(\delta_h)$ .

It follows easily that no  $IN'$ -generic sequence is  $IN$  generic and conversely. It is known that if  $2^\omega = \omega_1$ , then  $IN'$  adds no new reals. (These facts are reproven in [J] §6.)

We shall prove:

Lemma 5 Let  $2^\omega = \omega_1$  and  $2^{\omega_1} = \omega_2$ . Then  $\mathbb{N}'$  is subproper.

Unfortunately, we do not know if  $\mathbb{N}'$  is subcomplete. Our proof makes heavy use of [U]§6, which in turn draws on [J]§4. We first note that  $\mathbb{N}'$  was there proven to be equivalent to the  $\mathcal{L}$ -forcing given in Example 6:

Def Let  $\beta = \omega_2$  (hence  $2^\omega = \omega_1, 2^{\omega_1} = \omega_2$ ),  $\mathcal{L}$  consists of the basic axioms of [U]§3 together with:

(a)  $\dot{B} = \langle \dot{\delta}_i \mid i < \omega \rangle$  is cofinal in  $\omega_2$

(b)  $\text{rng}(\pi_{\dot{c}, \omega_1}^{\dot{c}}) = \text{the smallest } X < \underline{M} \text{ s.t.}$

$\dot{B} \cup \{\dot{d}_h \mid h < \dot{c}\} \subset X$  for each  $\dot{c} < \omega_1$

(where  $\dot{d}_h = \omega_1^{\dot{m}_h}$ )

(c)  $\forall m < \omega \wedge i \geq m (i < \omega \rightarrow \dot{\delta}_i > \sup_{h < i} F(h))$

for each  $F: \omega_2 \rightarrow \omega_2$ .

(Note that by (b),  $\dot{m}, \pi$  are definable from  $\dot{B}$ .)

In [J]§6 we prove:

Lemma C  $BA(\mathbb{N}') = BA(\mathbb{P})$ , where  $\mathbb{P} \in \mathbb{P}_{\mathcal{L}}$ .

More importantly:

Def Let  $b = \langle \delta_n \mid n < \omega \rangle$  be a sequence in  $\omega_2^V$ .  
 $b$  is  $\mathbb{N}'$ -generic iff  $b = UNG$  for an  
 $\mathbb{N}'$ -generic  $G$ . (But in this case  $G = G_B$   
is definable from  $b$  by:

$$G = \{T \mid \bigwedge n b \upharpoonright n \in T\}.$$

$b$  is  $\mathbb{P}$ -generic iff  $b = B^G$  for an  $\mathbb{P}$ -generic  
 $G$ . (Hence  $M^G, \pi^G$  are canonically  
definable from  $b$  and  $G$  is canonically  
definable from  $B^G, M^G, \pi^G$  by [J]  
§4 Lemma 2.8.)

Lemma D  $b$  is  $\mathbb{N}'$ -generic iff  $b$  is  $\mathbb{P}$ -generic.  
This follows from the proof of Lemma C  
in [J] §6.

Finally we need Lemma 4.6 of [J] §6 which  
reads:

Lemma E Let  $W$  be a transitive ZFC-model  
s.t.  $2^W = \omega_1$  &  $2^{\omega_1} = \omega_2$  in  $W$ . Suppose moreover  
that  $\alpha = (2^{\omega_2})^W$  exists and is countable in  $V$ .  
Let  $\bar{\mathbb{N}} = \mathbb{N}'^W$ . Let  $F: \omega_2^W \rightarrow \omega_2^W$ . For each  
 $T \in \bar{\mathbb{N}}$  there is an  $\bar{\mathbb{N}}$ -generic  $b_T = \langle \delta_n \mid n < \omega \rangle$   
s.t.  $\forall n \bigwedge i \geq n \delta_i > \sup_{h < i} F(\delta_h)$ .

Using Lemma C we easily conclude:

Lemma F. Let  $W$  be as above. Let  $\mathbb{P} = \mathbb{P}^W$ .  
Let  $F: \omega_2^W \rightarrow \omega_2^W$ . For each  $p \in \mathbb{P}$  there  
is a  $\mathbb{P}$ -generic  $b = \langle \delta_n \mid n < \omega \rangle$  s.t.  
 $\forall n \bigwedge i \geq n \delta_i > \sup_{h < i} F(\delta_h)$ .

Note We do not assume that  $F \in W$ ,

Using these facts we shall prove the subproperness of  $IP$  by a proof that is quite similar to the proof of subcompleteness in §3.6.

Let  $\theta > 2^{2^\theta}$  be a cardinal and let  $\lambda > \theta$  be regular. Let  $Q = \langle L_\lambda[A], A, m \rangle$ .  
 Let  $\sigma : \bar{Q} \prec Q$  s.t.  $\bar{Q}$  is countable and full. Let  $\sigma(\bar{\theta}, \bar{IP}, \bar{L}) = \theta, IP, L$ .  
 We claim that  $\sigma$  witnesses the subproperness of  $IP$ . Let  $\bar{\alpha} \in IP$ ,  $\sigma(\bar{\alpha}) = \alpha$ .  
 Let  $\sigma(\bar{\lambda}_i, \bar{\lambda}'_i) = \lambda_i$  ( $i=1, \dots, m$ ) s.t.  $\lambda_i < \theta$  is regular and  $IP \in H_{\lambda_i}$ . Set  $\lambda'_i = \sup \sigma'' \bar{\lambda}_i$  for  $i=0, \dots, m$ , where  $\bar{\lambda}_0 = \theta_m \cap \bar{Q}$ ;  $\lambda_0 = \lambda = \theta_m \cap Q$ .

Claim 1 of §3.6 holds just as before (now for our present  $IP$ ). Let  $p \in IP$  s.t.  $\bar{Q} \in H_{\omega_1}^{M_{IP}^p}$  and  $p$  conforms to

$N^* = \langle H_\mu, M, N, Q, IP, L, \sigma, \lambda_0, \dots, \lambda_{m,m} \rangle$   
 Let  $\bar{N}^* = \bar{N}^*(p \in N^*) = \langle \bar{H}, \bar{M}, \bar{N}, \bar{Q}, \bar{IP}, \bar{L}, \bar{\sigma}, \bar{\lambda}_0, \dots, \bar{\lambda}_{m,m} \rangle$   
 where  $\bar{L}'$  is as in Claim 1.

Then  $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  is consistent and countable,  
 Let  $\mathcal{M}$  be a solid model of  $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}$ ,

Set  $\sigma^* = \sigma \upharpoonright \mathcal{M}$ , Let  $B^P = \langle \delta_i^P \mid i < \omega \rangle$ ,

Define  $\bar{F} : \omega_2^{\bar{Q}} \rightarrow \omega_2^{\bar{Q}}$  by:

$\bar{F}(\xi) =$  the least  $\mu > \xi$  s.t.

$$\sigma^*(\xi) < \delta_i^P < \delta_{i+1}^P \leq \sigma^*(\mu) \text{ for some } i < \omega,$$

Assume w.l.o.g. that  $\bar{\alpha}$  was so chosen that it codes  $\alpha$ . Then  $\bar{\alpha}$  codes  $\alpha$ ,  $\bar{\alpha}$  codes  $\bar{\alpha} = \sigma^*(\bar{\alpha})$  and  $\alpha$  codes  $\alpha$  by the same def.

Let  $\bar{G}$  be  $\bar{IP}$ -generic over  $\bar{Q}$  s.t.

$\bar{\alpha} \in \bar{G}$  and there is  $n < \omega$  s.t.

$$\wedge i \geq n \sup_{h < i} \bar{F}(\bar{\delta}_h) < \bar{\delta}_i,$$

where  $B^{\bar{G}} = \langle \bar{\delta}_i \mid i < \omega \rangle$ . We define a new condition  $q \in \bar{IP}$  as follows:

We first note:

- (1) Let  $\sigma^*(\bar{\delta}_i) = \delta_i^*$  ( $i < \omega$ ). Then for each  $F \in M_{|\bar{P}|}^P$  s.t.  $F : \omega_2 \rightarrow \omega_2$  in  $M_{|\bar{P}|}^P$  we have:
- $$\forall n \wedge i \geq n \sup_{h < i} F(\delta_h^*) < \delta_i^*$$

proof.

Assume w.l.o.g. that  $F$  is monotone

Let  $n < \omega$  s.t.  $\wedge i \geq n \sup_{h < i} F(\delta_h^P) < \delta_i^P$

Then  $\sup_{h < i} \delta_h^P < \delta_i^P$  for  $i \geq n$ .

Hence  $\langle \delta_i^P \mid i \geq n \rangle$  is monotone.



W.l.o.g. we also assume  $m$  large enough that  $\sup_{h < i} \bar{F}(\bar{\delta}_h) < \bar{\delta}_i$  for  $i \geq m$ . Since

$\bar{F}(\frac{1}{3}) > \frac{1}{3}$  for all  $\frac{1}{3} < \omega_2^{\bar{Q}}$ , we conclude that  $\sup_{h < m} \bar{\delta}_h \leq \bar{\delta}_m$ , and  $\langle \bar{\delta}_i \mid i \geq m \rangle$ ,

is monotone. The same holds for  $\langle \delta_i^* \rangle$ , so it suffices to show that  $F(\delta_i^*) < F(\delta_{i+1}^*)$  for sufficiently large  $i \geq m$ . Pick  $i$  big enough that  $\delta_i^* > \delta_m^P$ .

Then  $\delta_i^* < \delta_{i+1}^P < \delta_{i+1}^* \leq \sigma^*(\bar{F}(\bar{\delta}_i)) < \delta_{i+1}^*$ ,

where  $j \geq m$ . Hence

$$F(\delta_i^*) < F(\delta_{i+1}^P) < \delta_{i+1}^P < \delta_{i+1}^* \dots$$

QED(1)

We now define  $g$ . We set:

$$|g| = |p|, \quad M_{|g|}^g = M_{|p|}^p, \quad F^g = F^p$$

$$M^{g \uparrow (\alpha+1)} = M^{\bar{G}}, \quad \bar{\omega}^{g \uparrow (\alpha+1)^2} = \bar{\omega}^{\bar{G}}$$

Set:  $X_\nu =$  the smallest  $X \triangleleft M_{|p|}^p$  s.t.  $\nu \cup \sigma^* \bar{M} \subset X$  for  $\alpha \leq \nu \leq |p|$

Let  $\langle \nu_i \mid \alpha \leq i \leq |p| \rangle$  enumerate the  $\nu$  set,

$\nu = |p| \ln X_\nu$  monotonically.

$$\text{Set } \pi_{i, |p|}^g : M_{i, |p|}^g \leftrightarrow X_{\nu_i} \quad (\alpha \leq i \leq |p|)$$

$$(\text{Hence } M_{\alpha, |p|}^g = \bar{M}, \quad \bar{\omega}_{\alpha, |p|}^g = \sigma^*, \quad M_{|p|, |p|}^g = M_{|p|, |p|}^p)$$

$$\text{Set } \pi_{i, i}^g = (\pi_{j, |p|}^g)^{-1} \circ (\pi_{i, |p|}^g) \quad (\alpha \leq i \leq j \leq |p|)$$

Set  $\pi_{i,i'}^g = \pi_{\alpha_i}^g \circ \pi_{\alpha_{i'}}^g$  for  $i \leq \alpha \leq i' \leq |P|$ .

Finally set:  $B^g = \sigma^* \text{" } B^{\bar{G}} = \langle \sigma^*(\bar{\delta}_i) \mid i < \omega \rangle$ ,

(2)  $g \in IP$

proof (sketch).

Let  $M$  be a solid model of  $\mathcal{L}(P)$ .

We transform it into a solid model  $M'$  of  $\mathcal{L}(g)$  by replacing  $M^{\alpha} \uparrow (|P|+1)$  with  $M^g$  and  $M^{\alpha} \uparrow (|P|+1)^2$  with  $\pi^g$ , we

also set  $B^{M'} = \pi_{|P|, \omega_1}^g \sigma^* \text{" } B^{\bar{G}} =$

$= \langle \pi_{\alpha, \omega_1}^{M'}(\bar{\delta}_i) \mid i < \omega \rangle$ . (It then follows

by the argument of (1) that for every

$F: \omega_2 \rightarrow \omega_2$  in  $\mathcal{V}$  we have:

$$\forall n \wedge i \geq n \sup_{h < i} F(\delta_h^{M'}) < \delta_i^{M'}$$

QED (2)

Now let  $g \in G$  where  $G$  is IP-generic.

Then  $\pi_{|P|, \omega_1}^G$  extends uniquely to a

$\pi^*: \bar{N}^* \hookrightarrow N^*$  s.t.  $F^P \subset \pi^*$ . Set  $\sigma_0 = \pi^* \circ \sigma^*$ .

We can now literally repeat the argument in §3.6 to get:

- $\sigma_0: \bar{Q} \hookrightarrow Q' \hookrightarrow Q$

- $\sigma_0(\bar{\mu}, \bar{\alpha}, \bar{\lambda}_i) = (\mu, \alpha, \lambda_i) \quad (i=1, \dots, m)$

- $\sup \sigma_0 \text{" } \bar{\lambda}_i = \lambda'_i \quad (i=1, \dots, m)$

- $\bar{G} = \sigma_0^{-1} \text{" } G$  (where  $\sigma_0(\bar{x}) = \pi^*(\bar{x}) = x$ ,

since  $\pi^*(\bar{x}) = x$ ),

QED