

# Degrees High for Isomorphisms

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Let  $\mathcal{M}$  be a computable structure. The categoricity spectrum of  $\mathcal{M}$  is the set

$$\{\mathbf{d} : \dim_{\mathbf{d}} \mathcal{M} = 1\}.$$



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## Problem (Goncharov, et al.)

Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be  $\Delta_1^1$ -categorical. Must  $\mathcal{A}$  be relatively  $\Delta_1^1$ -categorical?

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A degree  $\mathbf{d}$  is said to be low for isomorphism if and only if for every pair of computable structures  $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B}$ ,

- there is  $f : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$  with  $f \leq_T \mathbf{d}$  if and only if there is some computable  $g : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$ .

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Can this be extended to 3-c.e.?

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## Theorem (Harrison-Trainor 2018)

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We also define  $(\mathcal{A}, \bar{a}) \equiv_\alpha (\mathcal{B}, \bar{b})$  if and only if both  $(\mathcal{A}, \bar{a}) \leq_\alpha (\mathcal{B}, \bar{b})$  and  $(\mathcal{B}, \bar{b}) \leq_\alpha (\mathcal{A}, \bar{a})$ .

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Such a degree is called a PA degree.

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