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Constructive dimension and Hausdorff dimension: the case of exact dimension

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Notation: Strings and languages

Finite Alphabet $X = \{0, \dots, 2-1\}$, cardinality $|\{0, 1\}| = 2$

Finite strings (words) $w = x_1 \cdots x_n \in \{0, 1\}^*, x_i \in \{0, 1\}$

Length |w| = n

Languages $V, W \subseteq \{0, 1\}^*$

Infinite strings (ω -words) $\xi = x_1 \cdots x_n \cdots \in \{0, 1\}^{\omega}$

Prefixes of infinite strings $\xi[0..n] \in \{0, 1\}^*$, $|\xi[0..n]| = n$

 ω -Languages $F \subseteq \{0, 1\}^{\omega}$

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$\{0,1\}^{\omega}$ as CANTOR space

Metric: $\rho(\eta, \xi) := \inf \{2^{-|w|} : w \in \operatorname{pref}(\eta) \cap \operatorname{pref}(\xi)\}$ Balls: $w \cdot \{0, 1\}^{\omega} = \{\eta : w \in \operatorname{pref}(\eta)\}$ Diameter: diam $w \cdot \{0, 1\}^{\omega} = 2^{-|w|}$ diam $F = \inf\{2^{-|w|} : F \subseteq w \cdot \{0, 1\}^{\omega}\}$ Open sets: $W \cdot \{0, 1\}^{\omega} = \bigcup_{w \in W} w \cdot \{0, 1\}^{\omega}$ Closure: $\mathscr{C}(F) = \{\xi : \operatorname{pref}(\xi) \subseteq \operatorname{pref}(F)\}$

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Gambling strategies

Our model:

- Playing head-and-tails against a binary sequence $\xi \in \{0, 1\}^{\omega}$
- Gambling strategy $\Gamma : \{0, 1\}^* \rightarrow [0, 1]$ (bet on outcome 1)
- yields a (super-)martingale \mathcal{V}_{Γ} : $\{0,1\}^* \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_+$
- $\mathcal{V}_{\Gamma}(\xi[0..n])$ is the capital after the *n* the round

Fact (super-martingale property)

$$\mathcal{V}_{\Gamma}(w) \geq \sum_{x \in \{0,1\}} \frac{1}{2} \cdot \mathcal{V}_{\Gamma}(wx)$$

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Gambling strategies: martingale \mathcal{V}



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How much can you win: Order functions [SCHNORR'71]

Definition (Order function *f* and gauge function *h*)

 $f: \mathbb{N} \to \mathbb{N}$ increasing $h: (0, \infty) \to (0, \infty)$ right continuous and increasing

gauge functionorder function $h: (0, \infty) \rightarrow (0, \infty)$ $f: \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$

 $h(2^{-n}) = 2^{-n} \cdot f(n) \quad \longleftrightarrow \quad f(n)$

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Definition (success set)

$$S_{c,h}[\mathcal{V}] := \left\{ \xi : \xi \in \{0,1\}^{\omega} \land \limsup_{n \to \infty} \frac{\mathcal{V}(\xi[0..n])}{2^n \cdot h(2^{-n})} \ge c \right\} , c \in (0,\infty) \cup \{\infty\}$$

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"Classical" HAUSDORFF dimension

HAUSDORFF dimension of $F \subseteq \{0, 1\}^{\omega}$



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Relation to HAUSDORFF dimension

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Lemma

For every super-martingale \mathcal{V} :

 $\dim_{\mathrm{H}} S_{c,\alpha}[\mathcal{V}] \leq \alpha$

Theorem ([LUTZ'03])

Let $F \subseteq \{0, 1\}^{\omega}$. Then

$$\dim_{\mathrm{H}} F < \alpha \to \exists \mathcal{V} (F \subseteq S_{\infty,\alpha}[\mathcal{V}]) \to \dim_{\mathrm{H}} F \leq \alpha.$$

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Semi-computability

Definition (Left computable)

A (partial) mapping $\phi : \{0, 1\}^* \to \mathbb{R}$ is called **computably approximable** from below (*left computable*) : \iff

$$\{(w,q): w \in \operatorname{dom} \phi \land q \in \mathbb{Q} \land q < \phi(w)\}$$

is computably enumerable.

Similar: computably approximable from above (right computable)

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Universal super-martingale

Definition (Continuous (or: Cylindrical) semi-measure)

 $\mu(w) \ge \mu(w0) + \mu(w1)$

Theorem (LEVIN'70)

There is a universal left computable continuous semi-measure **M** on {0, 1}*, that is, **M** is left computable and for every left computable continuous semi-measure μ there is a constant c_{μ} such that $\mu(w) \leq c_{\mu} \cdot \mathbf{M}(w)$ for all $w \in \{0, 1\}^*$.

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Theorem (LEVIN'70, SCHNORR'71)

There is a universal left computable super-martingale \mathcal{U} , e.g. $\mathcal{U}(w) := 2^{|w|} \cdot \mathbf{M}(w).$

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Constructive dimension [LUTZ'03]

Constructive dimension tries to measure for $\xi \in \{0, 1\}^{\omega}$ the exponent α for which

 $\mathscr{U}(\xi[0..n]) \approx 2^{\alpha \cdot n + o(n)}.$

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that is [LEVIN'70, LUTZ'03], **Definition** (Constructive dimension of ξ)

$$\underline{\kappa}(\xi) := 1 - \alpha = \liminf_{n \to \infty} \frac{-\log \mathbf{M}(\xi[0..n])}{n}$$

Corollary (LUTZ'03)

Let $F \subseteq \{0,1\}^{\omega}$. Then $\sup\{\underline{\kappa}(\xi) : \xi \in F\} = \inf\{\alpha : F \subseteq S_{\infty,\alpha}[\mathcal{U}]\}.$

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KOLMOGOROV complexity – USPENSKY-SHEN-pentagon

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The original approach [HAUSDORFF '18]

Classical

$$\mathbb{L}_{\alpha}(F) := \lim_{n \to \infty} \inf \left\{ \sum_{v \in V} (2^{-|v|})^{\alpha} : F \subseteq \bigcup_{v \in V} v \cdot \{0, 1\}^{\omega} \wedge \min_{v \in V} |v| \ge n \right\}$$

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where *h* is a gauge function, that is, $h: (0,\infty) \rightarrow (0,\infty)$ is right continuous and non-decreasing,

The gauge functions for the "classical" HAUSDORFF dimension are $h_{\alpha}(t) = t^{\alpha}$.

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Exact HAUSDORFF dimension I

Lemma ([HAUSDORFF'18])

Let $h, h' : \mathbb{R}_+ \to \mathbb{R}_+$ be gauge functions and let $F \subseteq \{0, 1\}^{\omega}$.

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Quasi-ordering of gauge functions (Speed of converging to 0)

Largest h(t) = t

Ordering h(t') < h(t) if and only if $\lim_{t\to 0} \frac{h(t)}{h'(t)} = 0$, e.g. the exponential functions $h(t) = t^{\alpha}, 0 \le \alpha \le 1$ Smallest h(t) = const. > 0

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Exact HAUSDORFF dimension II



Definition (Exact HAUSDORFF dimension)

We refer to a gauge function *h* as an exact Hausdorff dimension function for $F \subseteq \{0, 1\}^{\omega}$ provided

$$\mathcal{H}^{h'}(F) = \begin{cases} \infty, & \text{if } \lim_{t \to 0} \frac{h(t)}{h'(t)} = 0 \text{, and} \\ 0, & \text{if } \lim_{t \to 0} \frac{h'(t)}{h(t)} = 0. \end{cases}$$

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Martingale characterisation of exact HAUSDORFF dimension

Definition (Success set)

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Theorem

h is an exact Hausdorff dimension function for $F \subseteq \{0, 1\}^{\omega}$: \iff

- for all gauge functions h' with $\lim_{t\to 0} \frac{h'(t)}{h(t)} = 0$ there is a (super-)martingale \mathcal{V} such that $F \subseteq S_{\infty,h'}[\mathcal{V}]$, and
- **2** $F \not\subseteq S_{\infty,h''}[\mathcal{V}]$ for all (super-)martingales \mathcal{V} and all gauge functions h'' with $\lim_{t \to 0} \frac{h(t)}{h''(t)} = 0$.

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Exact constructive dimension

Analogously to the martingale characterisation of the Hausdorff dimension we set:

Definition

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Theorem (Exact dimension for $\{\xi\}$)

The function h_{ξ} defined by $h_{\xi}(2^{-n}) := 2^{-n} \cdot \mathscr{U}(\xi[0..n]) = \mathbf{M}(\xi[0..n])$ is an exact constructive dimension function for the set $\{\xi\}$.

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RYABKO's result: Large sets contain complex ω -words

Theorem (RYABKO'84, "classical case")

For $\alpha \in [0, 1]$ it holds $\alpha = \dim_{\mathrm{H}} \{\xi : \xi \in \{0, 1\}^{\omega} \land \underline{\kappa}(\xi) \leq \alpha \}.$

Theorem (St'93, "classical case")

If
$$F \subseteq \{0, 1\}^{\omega}$$
 and $\mathbb{L}_{\alpha}(F) > 0$ then there is a $\xi \in F$ such that
$$\liminf_{n \to \infty} \frac{\mathrm{KS}(\xi[0..n])}{n} \ge_{\mathrm{a.e.}} \alpha \cdot n - (1 + \varepsilon) \log n.$$

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Theorem (Lower KA-bound, Mielke'09)

Let $F \subseteq \{0,1\}^{\omega}$, h be a gauge function and $\mathcal{H}^{h}(F) > 0$. Then for every c > 0 with $\mathcal{H}^{h}(F) > c \cdot \mathbf{M}(e)$ there is a $\xi \in F$ such that $\mathrm{KA}(\xi[0..n]) \ge_{\mathrm{a.e.}} -\log h(2^{-n}) + c$.

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Complexity bounds

Fact

$$\{\xi: \exists c(\mathrm{KA}(\xi[0..n]) \leq_{\mathrm{i.o.}} -\log h(2^{-n}) + c)\} = \bigcup_{c' \in (0,\infty)} S_{c',h}[\mathscr{U}]$$

Corollary (to Lower KA-bound)

Let h, h' be gauge functions such that $\lim_{t\to 0} \frac{h'(t)}{h(t)} = 0$. Then

$$\{\xi : \exists c (\mathrm{KA}(\xi[0..n]) \leq_{\mathrm{i.o.}} -\log h(2^{-n}) + c) \} \subseteq S_{\infty,h'}[\mathcal{U}], \text{ and }$$

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$$\mathscr{H}^{h'}(\{\xi : \exists c(\mathrm{KA}(\xi[0..n]) \leq_{\mathrm{i.o.}} -\log h(2^{-n}) + c)\}) = 0.$$

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Exact dimension function: an example

Example

$$F := \left\{ x_1 x_2 \cdots x_i \cdots \mid x_i \in \{0, 1\} \land \forall j (x_{2^j} = 0) \right\}$$

F has classical Hausdorff dimension $\dim_{\mathrm{H}} F = 1$ but does not contain any random sequence.

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The exact Hausdorff dimension is

$$\dim_{\mathrm{H}} F = \left[h(t) = t \cdot \log \frac{1}{t}\right].$$

Observe $-\log h(2^{-n}) = n - \log n$.

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Upper bounds: "Classical case" [St'98]

Definition (Σ_2 -sets)

A subset $F \subseteq \{0, 1\}^{\omega}$ is Σ_2 -definable if there is a computable set $W \subseteq \mathbb{N} \times \{0, 1\}^*$ such that $\xi \in F \longleftrightarrow \exists m \forall n((m, \xi[0..n]) \in W).$

Theorem

If $F \subseteq \{0, 1\}^{\omega}$ is Σ_2 -definable and $\alpha \ge \dim_H F$ is a right computable real then there is a computable $V \subseteq \{0, 1\}^*$ such that $F \subseteq V^{\delta}$ and $\sum_{v \in V} 2^{-|v|} < \infty$.

Corollary

If $F_i \subseteq \{0, 1\}^{\omega}$, $i \in \mathbb{N}$, are Σ_2 -definable then $\underline{\kappa}(\xi) \leq \dim \bigcup_{i \in \mathbb{N}} F_i$ for $\xi \in \bigcup_{i \in \mathbb{N}} F_i$.

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Upper bound on prefix complexity KP

Lemma (REIMANN'04)

Let $F \subseteq \{0,1\}^{\omega}$ and h be a gauge function. Then $\mathscr{H}^{h}(F) = 0$ if and only if there is a $V \subseteq \{0,1\}^{*}$ such that $F \subseteq V^{\delta} := \{\xi : |\mathbf{pref}(\xi) \cap V| = \infty\}$ and $\sum_{v \in V} h(2^{-|v|}) < \infty$.

Theorem

If $F \subseteq \{0,1\}^{\omega}$ is Σ_2 -definable and h is a right computable gauge function such that $\mathscr{H}^h(F) = 0$ then there are a non-decreasing function $\overline{h}: \{2^{-i}: i \in \mathbb{N}\} \to \mathbb{Q}$ and a computable $V \subseteq \{0,1\}^*$ such that

$$f(2^{-i}) \ge h(2^{-i}) \text{ for } i \in \mathbb{N},$$

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$$\sum_{v \in V} \overline{h}(2^{-|v|}) < \infty$$
 and $F \subseteq V^{\delta}$, and

③ KP(ξ [0..*n*]) ≤_{i.o.} −log_{*r*} *h*(*r*^{-*n*}) + O(1) for all ξ ∈ *F*.

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Upper bounds: Computable dimension

Theorem ("Classical case", St'98)

If $F \subseteq \{0, 1\}^{\omega}$ is Σ_2 -definable and $\alpha \ge \dim_H F$ is a right computable real then there is a computable martingale \mathcal{V} such that $F \subseteq S_{\infty,\alpha}[\mathcal{V}]$.

Theorem

For every Σ_2 -definable $F \subseteq \{0, 1\}^{\omega}$ and every computable gauge function $h : \mathbb{Q} \to \mathbb{R}$ such that $\mathscr{H}^h(F) = 0$ there is a computable martingale \mathcal{V} such that $F \subseteq \bigcup_{c>0} S_{c,h}[\mathcal{V}]$.

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Dilution functions

Modulus function: $g: \mathbb{N} \to \mathbb{N}$ strictly monotone, that is, g(n+1) > g(n)



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Example [Dilution function with
$$|\varphi(w)| = g(|w|)$$
]
 $\varphi : \{0,1\}^* \rightarrow \{0,1\}^*$
 $\varphi(e) := 0^{g(0)} \text{ and}$
 $\varphi(wx) := \varphi(w) \cdot x \cdot 0^{g(n+1)-g(n)-1}$

Definition (Dilution function)

For every $v \in \mathbf{pref}(\varphi(\{0,1\}^*))$ there are $w_v \in \{0,1\}^*$ and $x_v \in \{0,1\}$ such that

$$\varphi(w_v) \sqsubset v \sqsubseteq \varphi(w_v \cdot x_v) \quad \land \quad \forall y \big(y \in \{0,1\} \land y \neq x_v \to v \not\sqsubseteq \varphi(w_v \cdot y) \big)$$

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HAUSDORFF measure of diluted sets

Theorem

Let $g : \mathbb{N} \to \mathbb{N}$ be a strictly increasing function, φ a corresponding dilution function and $h : (0, \infty) \to (0, \infty)$ be a gauge function. Then

Corollary

If
$$c \cdot 2^{-n} \leq_{\text{a.e.}} h(2^{-g(n)}) \leq c' \cdot 2^{-n}$$
 then $c \leq \mathscr{H}^h(\overline{\varphi}(\{0,1\}^{\omega})) \leq c'$.

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Dilution: an existence condition for modulus functions

Lemma (Sufficient condition)

If a gauge function h is upwardly convex (or \cap -convex) on some interval $(0, \varepsilon)$ and $\lim_{t\to 0} h(t) = 0$ then there is an $n_0 \in \mathbb{N}$ such that for all $n \ge n_0$ there is an $m \in \mathbb{N}$ satisfying

$$2^{-n} < h(2^{-m}) \le 2^{-n+1}.$$

In particular, there are a modulus function $g : \mathbb{N} \to \mathbb{N}$ and constants c_0, c_1 such that

$$0 < c_0 \le \liminf_{n \to \infty} \frac{h(2^{-g(n)})}{2^{-n}} \le \limsup_{n \to \infty} \frac{h(2^{-g(n)})}{2^{-n}} \le c_1$$

If, moreover, $h : \mathbb{Q} \to \mathbb{R}$ is a computable gauge function then also $g : \mathbb{N} \to \mathbb{N}$ can be chosen to be computable.

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Theorem (St'09)

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A h is an exact dimension function for the sets
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Theorem (MIELKE'10,St)

Let k > 0, $(p_0, ..., p_k)$ be a (k + 1)-tuple where $p_0, ..., p_{k-1}$ are computable reals. Then

$$\dim_{\mathrm{H}}^{(k)} \left\{ \xi : \xi \in \{0, 1\}^{\omega} \land \liminf_{n \to \infty} \frac{\mathrm{KA}(\xi[0..n]) - \beta_h(2^{-n})}{\log^k n} < p_k \right\} = (p_0, \dots, p_k)$$

for $h = h_{(p_0, \dots, p_k)}$.

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Why our bounds don't match

"Inexact" case: approximation of real by computable reals

For every real number α and every $\varepsilon > 0$ there are computable reals α_0, α_1 such that $|\alpha_1 - \alpha_0| < \varepsilon$ and $\alpha_0 \le \alpha \le \alpha_1$.

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Example: logarithmic scale

If there is a computable function $h: \mathbb{Q} \to \mathbb{R}$ such that

$$t^{p_0} \le h(t) \le t^{p_0} \cdot \log \frac{1}{t}$$
 for $t \in (0, 1) \cap \mathbb{Q}$

then p_0 is computable.

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Example [Oscillation of the plain complexity KS]

It is known that $KS(\xi[0..n]) \leq_{i.o.} n - \log n + O(1)$. Thus

$$\left\{\xi: \xi \in \{0,1\}^{\omega} \land \liminf_{n \to \infty} \frac{\mathrm{KS}(\xi[0..n]) - n}{\log n} < \varepsilon - 1\right\} = \{0,1\}^{\omega} \text{ for all } \varepsilon > 0$$

but

$$\dim_{\mathrm{H}}^{(1)}\left\{\xi:\xi\in\{0,1\}^{\omega}\wedge\liminf_{n\to\infty}\frac{\mathrm{KS}(\xi[0..n])-n}{\log n}<\varepsilon-1\right\}=1>_{\mathrm{lex}}(1,\varepsilon-1).$$

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