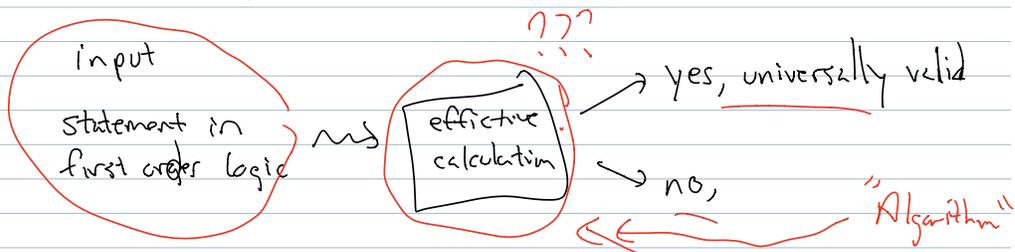


≈ 1900 Hilbert's 23 problems (Thanks via T.)

≈ 1928 Hilbert & Ackermann: Entscheidungsproblem: Is there an "effective calculation"



≈ 1936, solutions by Church & Turing (Turing machines)

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Today & Monday

- Cantor's Theorem
- Countability, Uncountability
- Self-references + negation in paradoxes & theorems
- (Sip) Diagonalization

Cantor's Thm "☹️" If S is a set, there is no surjection $f: S \rightarrow \text{Power}(S)$ = set of all subsets of S .

Cantor's Thm ☺️ ☹️: If S is a set, and

$f: S \rightarrow \text{Power}(S)$, then

$$T = \{s \in S \mid s \notin f(s)\}$$

is not in the image of f , i.e. $T \neq f(s)$ for all $s \in S$

Example: $S = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ and f has

$$1 \in f(1) \quad 2 \in f(2) \quad 3 \in f(3) \quad 4 \in f(4)$$

e.g. $f(1) = \{1, 2\}$ $f(2) = \{2, 3\}$ $f(3) = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ $f(4) = \{4\}$

$|S| = 4$ $S = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$
 $|\text{Power}(S)| = 16$ $\text{Power}(S) = \{ \emptyset, \{1\}, \{2\}, \{3\}, \{4\}, \{1, 2\}, \{1, 3\}, \dots, \{2, 3, 4\} \}$

Claim: $f(1) \neq \emptyset$ just because $1 \in f(1)$
 $f(2) \neq \emptyset$ " " $2 \in f(2)$
 $f(3) \neq \emptyset$ " " "
 $f(4) \neq \emptyset$ " " "

$$T = \{s \in S \mid s \notin f(s)\} = \emptyset$$

e.g. Say $1 \in f(1), 2 \notin f(2), 3 \notin f(3), 4 \in f(4)$

$$T = \{ \quad \quad \quad 2 \quad , \quad 3 \quad \quad \quad \}$$

$1 \in f(1) \quad 1 \notin T$ so $f(1) \neq T$

$2 \notin f(2) \quad 2 \in T$ so $f(2) \neq T$

\vdots

Proof: Say that $f(t) = T$ for some t . Then \rightarrow paradox

Either $t \in f(t) = T$... paradox (contradiction)

$t \notin f(t)$... " " "

$$t \in f(t) = T \Rightarrow t \notin f(t)$$

$$t \notin f(t) = T = \{ s \mid s \notin f(s) \}$$

$$t \notin \{ s \mid s \notin f(s) \} \Rightarrow$$

$$\boxed{t \in \{ s \mid s \in f(s) \}} \Rightarrow t \in f(t)$$

Corollary: There is no surjection $\mathbb{N} \rightarrow \text{Power}(\mathbb{N})$

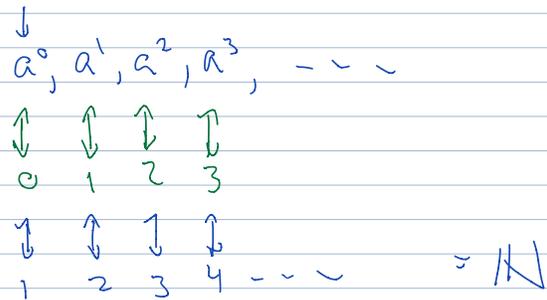
" " " " " $A^* \rightarrow \text{Power}(A^*)$

= Languages over A

Uncountable: $\text{Power}(\mathbb{N})$; also $\text{Power}(A^*)$

Claim: A alphabet, A^* is countably infinite.

Say $A = \{a\}$. $A^* = \{\epsilon, a, aa, aaa, aaaa, \dots\}$



$\mathbb{N} \rightarrow \{a\}^*$

$n \mapsto a^{n-1} = \underbrace{a \dots a}_{n-1 \text{ times}}$

base₃ numbers $0, 1, 2, \cancel{10}, 11, 12, \cancel{20}, 21, 22, 100, \dots$

$\{a, b\}^* = \{\epsilon, a, b, aa, ab, ba, bb, \dots\}$

Gödel: $\{a, b, c, d\}$

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