O-minimal Exponential Fields and Their Residue Fields

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Abstract

An ordered exponential field is an ordered field $(K, +, \cdot, 0, 1, <)$ equipped with a unary function exp which is an order-preserving isomorphism from (K, +, 0, <) to $(K^{>0}, \cdot, 1, <)$. Berarducci and Servi proved in [1] that the real exponential field, i.e. the ordered field of real numbers equipped with its standard exponential function, is decidable under the following assumption: Any o-minimal exponential field whose exponential satisfies $\exp' = \exp$ is elementarily equivalent to the real exponential field.

In my talk I will firstly give an introduction to o-minimal exponential fields and secondly state some results on the relation between non-archimedean o-minimal exponential fields and their exponential residue fields under the natural valuation. An investigation of this relation is influenced by the work of Macintyre and Wilkie [2] and has strong connections to Schanuel's Conjecture.

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