

# Generalized Löb's Theorem. Strong Reflection Principles and Large Cardinal Axioms

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## ABSTRACT

In this article, a possible generalization of the Löb's theorem is considered. Main result is: let  $\kappa$  be an inaccessible cardinal, then  $\neg \text{Con}(ZFC + (V = H_\kappa))$ .

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## 1. Introduction

Let  $Th$  be some fixed, but unspecified, consistent formal theory.

**Theorem 1** [1]. (Löb's Theorem).

If  $Th \vdash \exists x \text{Prov}_{Th}(x, \bar{n}) \rightarrow \phi_n$  where  $x$  is the Gödel number of the proof of the formula with Gödel number  $n$ , and  $\bar{n}$  is the numeral of the Gödel number of the formula  $\phi_n$ , then  $Th \vdash \phi_n$ . Taking into account the second Gödel theorem it is easy to be able to prove

$\exists x \text{Prov}_{Th}(x, \bar{n}) \rightarrow \phi_n$ , for disprovable (refutable) and undecidable formulas  $\phi_n$ . Thus summarized, Löb's theorem says that for refutable or undecidable formula  $\phi$ , the intuition "if exists proof of  $\phi$  then  $\phi$ " is fails.

**Definition 1.** Let  $M_\omega^{Th}$  be an  $\omega$ -model of the  $Th$ . We said that,  $Th^\#$  is a nice theory over  $Th$  or a nice extension of the  $Th$  iff:

- 1)  $Th^\#$  contains  $Th$ ;
- 2) Let  $\Phi$  be any closed formula, then

$$\left[ Th \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th}([\Phi]^c) \right] \& \left[ M_\omega^{Th} \models \Phi \right]$$

implies  $Th^\# \vdash \Phi$ .

**Definition 2.** We said that,  $Th^\#$  is a maximally nice theory over  $Th$  or a maximally nice extension of the  $Th$  iff  $Th^\#$  is consistent and for any consistent nice extension  $Th'$  of the  $Th$ :  $\text{Ded}(Th^\#) \subseteq \text{Ded}(Th')$  implies

$$\text{Ded}(Th^\#) = \text{Ded}(Th').$$

**Theorem 2.** (Generalized Löb's Theorem). Assume that 1)  $\text{Con}(Th)$  and 2)  $Th$  has an  $\omega$ -model  $M_\omega^{Th}$ . Then

theory  $Th$  can be extended to a maximally consistent theory  $Th^\#$ .

## 2. Preliminaries

Let  $Th$  be some fixed, but unspecified, consistent formal theory. For later convenience, we assume that the encoding is done in some fixed formal theory  $S$  and that  $Th$  contains  $S$ . We do not specify  $S$ —it is usually taken to be a formal system of arithmetic, although a weak set theory is often more convenient. The sense in which  $S$  is contained in  $Th$  is better exemplified than explained: If  $S$  is a formal system of arithmetic and  $Th$  is, say,  $ZFC$ , then  $Th$  contains  $S$  in the sense that there is a well-known embedding, or interpretation, of  $S$  in  $Th$ . Since encoding is to take place in  $S$ , it will have to have a large supply of constants and closed terms to be used as codes. (e.g. in formal arithmetic, one has  $\bar{0}, \bar{1}, \dots$ )  $S$  will also have certain function symbols to be described shortly. To each formula,  $\Phi$ , of the language of  $Th$  is assigned a closed term,  $[\Phi]^c$ , called the code of  $\Phi$ . [N. B. If  $\Phi(x)$  is a formula with a free variable  $x$ , then  $[\Phi(x)]^c$  is a closed term encoding the formula  $\Phi(x)$  with  $x$  viewed as a syntactic object and not as a parameter.] Corresponding to the logical connectives and quantifiers are function symbols,  $\text{neg}(\cdot), \text{imp}(\cdot)$ , etc., such that, for all formulae

$$\begin{aligned} & \Phi, \Psi : S \mid - \text{neg}([\Phi]^c) \\ & = [-\Phi]^c, S \mid - \text{imp}([\Phi]^c, [\Psi]^c) = [\Phi \rightarrow \Psi]^c \quad \text{etc.} \end{aligned}$$

Of particular importance is the substitution operator, represented by the function symbol  $\text{sub}(\cdot, \cdot)$ . For formulae  $\Phi(x)$ , terms  $t$  with codes  $[t]^c$ :

$$S|-\text{sub}\left(\left[\Phi(x)\right]^c, [t]^c\right) = \left[\Phi(t)\right]^c. \quad (2.1)$$

Iteration of the substitution operator  $\text{sub}$  allows one to define function symbols  $\text{sub}_3, \text{sub}_4, \dots, \text{sub}_n$  such that

$$S|-\text{sub}_n\left(\left[\Phi(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)\right]^c, [t_1]^c, [t_2]^c, \dots, [t_n]^c\right) = \left[\Phi(t_1, t_2, \dots, t_n)\right]^c \quad (2.2)$$

It well known [2,3] that one can also encode derivations and have a binary relation  $\text{Prov}_{Th}(x, y)$  (read “ $x$  proves  $y$ ” or “ $x$  is a proof of  $y$ ”) such that for closed  $t_1, t_2$ :  $S|-\text{Prov}_{Th}(t_1, t_2)$  iff  $t_1$  is the code of a derivation in  $Th$  of the formula with code  $t_2$ . It follows that

$$Th \vdash \Phi \leftrightarrow S \vdash \text{Prov}_{Th}(t, [\Phi]^c) \quad (2.3)$$

for some closed term  $t$ . Thus one can define predicate  $\text{Pr}_{Th}(y)$ :

$$\text{Pr}_{Th}(y) \leftrightarrow \exists x \text{Prov}_{Th}(x, y), \quad (2.4)$$

and therefore one obtain a predicate asserting provability.

**Remark 2.1.** We note that is not always the case that [2,3]:

$$Th \vdash \Phi \leftrightarrow S \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th}([\Phi]^c). \quad (2.5)$$

It well known [3] that the above encoding can be carried out in such a way that the following important conditions  $D1, D2$  and  $D3$  are met for all sentences [2,3]:

$$\begin{aligned} D1. & Th \vdash \Phi \text{ implies } S \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th}([\Phi]^c), \\ D2. & S \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th}([\Phi]^c) \rightarrow \text{Pr}_{Th}\left(\left[\text{Pr}_{Th}([\Phi]^c)\right]^c\right), \\ D3. & S \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th}([\Phi]^c) \wedge \text{Pr}_{Th}([\Phi \rightarrow \Psi]^c) \\ & \rightarrow \text{Pr}_{Th}([\Psi]^c). \end{aligned} \quad (2.6)$$

Conditions  $D1, D2$  and  $D3$  are called the Derivability Conditions.

**Assumption 2.1.** We assume now that:

1) the language of  $Th$  consists of:

numerals  $0, 1, \dots$

countable set of the numerical variables:  $\{v_0, v_1, \dots\}$

countable set  $F$  of the set variables:

$F = \{x, y, z, X, Y, Z, \mathfrak{R}, \dots\}$

countable set of the  $n$ -ary function symbols:  $f_0^n, f_1^n, \dots$

countable set of the  $n$ -ary relation symbols:  $R_0^n, R_1^n, \dots$

connectives:  $\neg, \rightarrow$

quantifier:  $\forall$ .

2)  $Th$  contains

$$Th^* \triangleq ZFC + \exists(\omega\text{-model of } ZFC)$$

3)  $Th$  has an  $\omega$ -model  $M_\omega^{Th}$ .

**Theorem 2.1.** (Löb’s Theorem). Let be 1)  $\text{Con}(Th)$  and 2)  $\phi$  be closed. Then

$$Th \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th}([\phi]^c) \rightarrow \phi \text{ iff } Th \vdash \phi. \quad (2.7)$$

It well known that replacing the induction scheme in Peano arithmetic  $PA$  by the  $\omega$ -rule with the meaning “if the formula  $A(n)$  is provable for all  $n$ , then the formula  $A(x)$  is provable”:

$$\frac{A(0), A(1), \dots, A(n), \dots}{\forall x A(x)}, \quad (2.8)$$

leads to complete and sound system  $PA_\infty$  where each true arithmetical statement is provable. S. Feferman showed that an equivalent formal system  $Th^\#$  can be obtained by erecting on  $Th = PA$  a transfinite progression of formal systems  $PA_\alpha$  according to the following scheme

$$\begin{aligned} PA_0 &= PA \\ PA_{\alpha+1} &= PA_\alpha + \left\{ \forall x \text{Pr}_{PA_\alpha}([\dot{A}(x)]^c) \rightarrow \forall x A(x) \right\}, \\ PA_\lambda &= \bigcup_{\alpha < \lambda} PA_\alpha \end{aligned} \quad (2.9)$$

where  $A(x)$  is a formula with one free variable and  $\lambda$  is a limit ordinal. Then  $Th = \bigcup_{\alpha \in O} PA_\alpha$ ,  $O$  being Kleene’s system of ordinal notations, is equivalent to  $Th^\# = PA_\infty$ . It is easy to see that  $Th^\# = PA^\#$ , i.e.  $Th^\#$  is a maximally nice extension of the  $PA$ .

### 3. Generalized Löb’s Theorem

**Definition 3.1.** An  $Th$ -wff  $\Phi$  (well-formed formula  $\Phi$ ) is closed i.e.,  $\Phi$  is a  $Th$ -sentence iff it has no free variables; a wff  $\Psi$  is open if it has free variables. We’ll use the slang “ $k$ -place open wff” to mean a wff with  $k$  distinct free variables. Given a model  $M^{Th}$  of the  $Th$  and a  $Th$ -sentence  $\Phi$ , we assume known the meaning of  $M \models \Phi$ —i.e.  $\Phi$  is true in  $M^{Th}$ , (see for example [4-6]).

**Definition 3.2.** Let  $M_\omega^{Th}$  be an  $\omega$ -model of the  $Th$ . We said that,  $Th^\#$  is a nice theory over  $Th$  or a nice extension of the  $Th$  iff:

1)  $Th^\#$  contains  $Th$ ;

2) Let  $\Phi$  be any closed formula, then

$$\left[ Th \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th}([\Phi]^c) \right] \& \left[ M_\omega^{Th} \models \Phi \right]$$

implies  $Th^\# \vdash \Phi$ .

**Definition 3.3.** We said that  $Th^\#$  is a maximally nice theory over  $Th$  or a maximally nice extension of the  $Th$  iff  $Th^\#$  is consistent and for any consistent nice exten-

sion  $Th'$  of the  $Th$ :  $\text{Ded}(Th^\#) \subseteq \text{Ded}(Th')$  implies  $\text{Ded}(Th^\#) = \text{Ded}(Th')$ .

**Lemma 3.1.** Assume that: 1)  $\text{Con}(Th)$ ; and 2)  $Th \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th}([\Phi]^c)$ , where  $\Phi$  is a closed formula. Then  $Th \not\vdash \text{Pr}_{Th}([\neg\Phi]^c)$ .

Proof. Let  $\text{Con}_{Th}(\Phi)$  be the formula

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Con}_{Th}(\Phi) \\ & \triangleq \forall t_1 \forall t_2 \neg \left[ \text{Prov}_{Th}(t_1, [\Phi]^c) \wedge \text{Prov}_{Th}(t_2, \text{neg}([\Phi]^c)) \right] \\ & \leftrightarrow \neg \exists t_1 \neg \exists t_2 \left[ \text{Prov}_{Th}(t_1, [\Phi]^c) \wedge \text{Prov}_{Th}(t_2, \text{neg}([\Phi]^c)) \right] \end{aligned} \quad (3.1)$$

where  $t_1, t_2$  is a closed term. We note that under canonical observation, one obtain

$Th + \text{Con}(Th) \vdash \text{Con}_{Th}(\Phi)$  for any closed wff  $\Phi$ .

Suppose that  $Th \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th}([\neg\Phi]^c)$ , then assumption (ii) gives

$$Th \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th}([\Phi]^c) \wedge \text{Pr}_{Th}([\neg\Phi]^c). \quad (3.2)$$

From (3.1) and (3.2) one obtain

$$\exists t_1 \exists t_2 \left[ \text{Prov}_{Th}(t_1, [\Phi]^c) \wedge \text{Prov}_{Th}(t_2, \text{neg}([\Phi]^c)) \right]. \quad (3.3)$$

But the Formula (3.3) contradicts the Formula (3.1).

Therefore:  $Th \not\vdash \text{Pr}_{Th}([\neg\Phi]^c)$ .

**Lemma 3.2.** Assume that: 1)  $\text{Con}(Th)$ ; and 2)

$Th \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th}([\neg\Phi]^c)$ , where  $\Phi$  is a closed formula. Then  $Th \not\vdash \text{Pr}_{Th}([\Phi]^c)$ .

**Theorem 3.1.** [7,8]. (Generalized Löb's Theorem). Assume that:  $\text{Con}(Th)$ . Then theory  $Th$  can be extended to a maximally consistent nice theory  $Th^\#$  over  $Th$ .

Proof. Let  $\Phi_1 \dots \Phi_i \dots$  be an enumeration of all wff's of the theory  $Th$  (this can be achieved if the set of propositional variables can be enumerated). Define a chain  $\wp = \{Th_i \mid i \in \mathbb{N}\}$ ,  $Th_1 = Th$  of consistent theories inductively as follows: assume that theory  $Th_i$  is defined.

1) Suppose that a statement (3.4) is satisfied

$$\begin{aligned} & Th \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th}([\Phi_i]^c) \quad \text{and} \\ & [Th_i \not\vdash \Phi_i] \& [M_\omega^{Th} \models \Phi_i] \end{aligned} \quad (3.4)$$

Then we define theory  $Th_{i+1}$  as follows

$$Th_{i+1} \triangleq Th_i \cup \{\Phi_i\}.$$

2) Suppose that a statement (3.5) is satisfied

$$\begin{aligned} & Th \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th}([\neg\Phi_i]^c) \quad \text{and} \\ & [Th_i \not\vdash \neg\Phi_i] \& [M_\omega^{Th} \models \neg\Phi_i] \end{aligned} \quad (3.5)$$

Then we define theory  $Th_{i+1}$  as follows:

$$Th_{i+1} \triangleq Th_i \cup \{\neg\Phi_i\}.$$

3) Suppose that a statement (3.6) is satisfied

$$Th \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th}([\Phi_i]^c) \quad \text{and} \quad Th_i \vdash \Phi_i. \quad (3.6)$$

Then we define theory  $Th_{i+1}$  as follows:

$$Th_{i+1} \triangleq Th_i \cup \{\Phi_i\}.$$

4) Suppose that a statement (3.7) is satisfied

$$Th \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th}([\neg\Phi_i]^c) \quad \text{and} \quad Th \vdash \neg\Phi_i. \quad (3.7)$$

Then we define theory  $Th_{i+1}$  as follows:

$$Th_{i+1} \triangleq Th_i.$$

We define now theory  $Th^\#$  as follows:

$$Th^\# \triangleq \bigcup_{i \in \mathbb{N}} Th_i. \quad (3.8)$$

First, notice that each  $Th_i$  is consistent. This is done by induction on  $i$  and by Lemmas 3.1-3.2. By assumption, the case is true when  $i=1$ . Now, suppose  $Th_i$  is consistent. Then its deductive closure  $\text{Ded}(Th_i)$  is also consistent. If a statement (3.6) is satisfied *i.e.*,

$Th \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th}([\Phi_i]^c)$  and  $Th \vdash \Phi_i$ , then clearly

$Th_{i+1} \triangleq Th_i \cup \{\Phi_i\}$  is consistent since it is a subset of closure  $\text{Ded}(Th_i)$ . If a statement (3.7) is satisfied, *i.e.*,

$Th \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th}([\neg\Phi_i]^c)$  and  $Th_i \vdash \neg\Phi_i$ , then clearly

$Th_{i+1} \triangleq Th_i \cup \{\neg\Phi_i\}$  is consistent since it is a subset of closure  $\text{Ded}(Th_i)$ .

Otherwise:

1) if a statement (3.4) is satisfied, *i.e.*

$Th_i \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th_i}([\Phi_i]^c)$  and  $Th_i \not\vdash \Phi_i$ , then clearly

$Th_{i+1} \triangleq Th_i \cup \{\Phi_i\}$  is consistent by Lemma 3.1 and by one of the standard properties of consistency:  $\Delta \cup \{A\}$  is consistent iff  $\Delta \not\vdash \neg A$ ;

2) if a statement (3.5) is satisfied, *i.e.*

$Th \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th}([\neg\Phi_i]^c)$  and  $Th_i \not\vdash \neg\Phi_i$ , then clearly

$Th_{i+1} \triangleq Th_i \cup \{\neg\Phi_i\}$  is consistent by Lemma 3.2 and by one of the standard properties of consistency:  $\Delta \cup \{\neg A\}$  is consistent iff  $\Delta \not\vdash A$ .

Next, notice  $\text{Ded}(Th^\#)$  is a maximally consistent nice extension of the set  $\text{Ded}(Th)$ . A set  $\text{Ded}(Th^\#)$  is consistent because, by the standard Lemma 3.3 below, it

is the union of a chain of consistent sets. To see that  $\text{Ded}(Th^\#)$  is maximal, pick any wff  $\Phi$ . Then  $\Phi$  is some  $\Phi_i$  in the enumerated list of all wff's. Therefore for any  $\Phi$  such that  $Th \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th}([\Phi]^c)$  or

$Th \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th}([\neg\Phi]^c)$ , either  $\Phi \in Th^\#$  or  $\neg\Phi \in Th^\#$ .

Since  $\text{Ded}(Th_{i+1}) \subseteq \text{Ded}(Th^\#)$ , we have  $\Phi \in \text{Ded}(Th^\#)$  or  $\neg\Phi \in \text{Ded}(Th^\#)$ , which implies that  $\text{Ded}(Th^\#)$  is maximally consistent nice extension of the  $\text{Ded}(Th)$ .

**Lemma 3.3.** The union of a chain  $\wp = \{\Gamma_i \mid i \in \mathbb{N}\}$  of the consistent sets  $\Gamma_i$ , ordered by  $\subseteq$ , is consistent.

**Definition 3.4.** (a) Assume that a theory  $Th$  has an  $\omega$ -model  $M_\omega^{Th}$  and  $\Phi$  is a  $Th$ -sentence. Let  $\Phi_\omega$  be a  $Th$ -sentence  $\Phi$  with all quantifiers relativized to  $\omega$ -model  $M_\omega^{Th}$  [9];

(b) Assume that a theory  $Th$  has a standard model  $SM^{Th}$

And  $\Phi$  is a  $Th$ -sentence. Let  $\Phi_{SM}$  be a  $Th$ -sentence  $\Phi$  with all quantifiers relativized to the model  $SM^{Th}$  [9].

**Definition 3.5.** (a) Assume that  $Th$  has an  $\omega$ -model  $M_\omega^{Th}$ . Let  $Th_\omega$  be a theory  $Th$  relativized to a model  $M_\omega^{Th}$ —i.e., any  $Th_\omega$ -sentence has a form  $\Phi_\omega$  for some  $Th$ -sentence  $\Phi$  [9];

(b) Assume that  $Th$  has a standard model  $SM^{Th}$ . Let  $Th_{SM}$  be a theory  $Th$  relativized to a model  $SM^{Th}$ —i.e., any  $Th_{SM}$ -sentence has a form  $\Phi_{SM}$  for some  $Th$ -sentence  $\Phi$  [9].

**Definition 3.6.** (a) For a given  $\omega$ -model  $M_\omega^{Th}$  of the  $Th$  and for any  $Th_\omega$ -sentence  $\Phi_\omega$ , we define  $M_\omega^{Th} \models * \Phi_\omega$  such that the equivalence:

$$\begin{aligned} M_\omega^{Th} \models * \Phi_\omega &\text{ iff } Th^\dagger \vdash \Phi_\omega \wedge \\ &\left( Th_\omega \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th_\omega}([\Phi_\omega]^c) \right) \leftrightarrow Th^\dagger \vdash \Phi_\omega, \end{aligned} \quad (3.9a)$$

where  $Th^\dagger \triangleq Th + \exists M_\omega^{Th}$  is satisfied;

(b) For a given standard model  $SM^{Th}$  of the  $Th$  and for any  $Th_{SM}$ -sentence  $\Phi_{SM}$ , we define  $SM^{Th} \models * \Phi_{SM}$  such that the equivalence:

$$\begin{aligned} SM^{Th} \models * \Phi_{SM} &\text{ iff } Th^\dagger \vdash \Phi_{SM} \wedge \\ &\left( Th_{SM} \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th_{SM}}([\Phi_{SM}]^c) \right) \leftrightarrow Th^\dagger \vdash \Phi_{SM}, \end{aligned} \quad (3.9b)$$

where  $Th^\dagger \triangleq Th + \exists SM^{Th}$  is satisfied.

**Theorem 3.2. (Strong Reflection Principle).** Assume that: 1)  $\text{Con}(Th)$ , 2)  $Th$  has an  $\omega$ -model  $M_\omega^{Th}$  and 3)  $M_\omega^{Th} \models * Th_\omega$ . Then

$$Th_\omega \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th_\omega}([\Phi_\omega]^c) \leftrightarrow Th_\omega \vdash \Phi_\omega. \quad (3.10)$$

Proof. The one direction is obvious. For the other, assume that

$$Th_\omega \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th_\omega}([\Phi_\omega]^c), \quad (3.11)$$

$Th_\omega \not\vdash \Phi_\omega$  and  $Th_\omega \vdash \neg\Phi_\omega$ . Then

$$Th_\omega \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th_\omega}([\neg\Phi_\omega]^c). \quad (3.12)$$

Note that 1) + 2) implies  $\text{Con}(Th_\omega)$ .

Let  $\text{Con}_{Th_\omega}$  be the formula

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Con}_{Th_\omega} &\triangleq \forall t_1 \forall t_2 \forall t_3 \left( t_3 = [\Phi_\omega]^c \right) \\ &\neg \left[ \text{Prov}_{Th_\omega} \left( t_1, [\Phi_\omega]^c \right) \wedge \text{Prov}_{Th_\omega} \left( t_2, \text{neg}([\Phi_\omega]^c) \right) \right] \\ &\leftrightarrow \neg \exists t_1 \neg \exists t_2 \neg \exists t_3 \left( t_3 = [\Phi_\omega]^c \right) \\ &\times \left[ \text{Prov}_{Th_\omega} \left( t_1, [\Phi_\omega]^c \right) \wedge \text{Prov}_{Th_\omega} \left( t_2, \text{neg}([\Phi_\omega]^c) \right) \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (3.13)$$

where  $t_1, t_2, t_3$  is a closed term. Note that in any  $\omega$ -model  $M_\omega^{Th}$  by the canonical observation one obtain the equivalence:  $\text{Con}(Th_\omega) \leftrightarrow \text{Con}_{Th_\omega}$ . But the Formulae (3.11)–(3.12) contradicts the Formula (3.13). Therefore  $Th_\omega \not\vdash \Phi_\omega$  and  $Th_\omega \not\vdash \text{Pr}_{Th_\omega}([\neg\Phi_\omega]^c)$ .

Then theory  $Th'_\omega = Th_\omega + \neg\Phi_\omega$  is consistent and from the above observation one obtain that:

$\text{Con}(Th'_\omega) \leftrightarrow \text{Con}_{Th'_\omega}$ , where

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Con}_{Th'_\omega} &\leftrightarrow \neg \exists t_1 \neg \exists t_2 \neg \exists t_3 \left( t_3 = [\Phi_\omega]^c \right) \\ &\times \left[ \text{Prov}_{Th'_\omega} \left( t_1, [\Phi_\omega]^c \right) \wedge \text{Prov}_{Th'_\omega} \left( t_2, \text{neg}([\Phi_\omega]^c) \right) \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (3.14)$$

On the other hand one obtain

$$Th'_\omega \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th'_\omega}([\Phi_\omega]^c), Th'_\omega \vdash \text{Pr}_{Th'_\omega}([\neg\Phi_\omega]^c). \quad (3.15)$$

But the Formula (3.15), contradicts the Formula (3.14). This contradiction completed the proof.

**Definition 3.7.** (a) Assume that: (i)  $Th$  has an  $\omega$ -model  $M_\omega^{Th}$  and (ii)  $M_\omega^{Th} \models * Th_\omega$ . Then we said that  $M_\omega^{Th}$  is a strong  $\omega$ -model of the  $Th$  and denote such  $\omega$ -model of the  $Th$  as  $M_{\omega, \models}^{Th}$ .

(b) Assume that: (i)  $Th$  has a standard model  $SM^{Th}$  and (ii)  $SM^{Th} \models * Th_{SM}$ . Then we said that  $SM^{Th}$  is a strong standard model of the  $Th$  and denote such standard model of the  $Th$  as  $SM_{\models}^{Th}$ .

**Definition 3.8.** (a) Assume that  $Th$  has a strong  $\omega$ -model  $M_{\omega, \models}^{Th}$ . Then we said that  $Th$  is a *strongly consistent*.

(b) Assume that  $Th$  has a strong standard model  $SM_{\models}^{Th}$ . Then we said that  $Th$  is a *strongly SM-consistent*

**Definition 3.9.** (a) Assume that  $Th$  has a strong  $\omega$ -model  $M_{\omega, \models}^{Th}$  and  $\Phi$  is a  $Th$ -sentence. Let  $\Phi_{\omega, \models}$  be a  $Th$ -sentence  $\Phi$  with all quantifiers relativized to a strong  $\omega$ -model  $M_{\omega, \models}^{Th}$ .

(b) Assume that  $Th$  has a strong standard model  $SM_{\omega, \models}^{Th}$  and  $\Phi$  is a  $Th$ -sentence. Let  $\Phi_{SM, \models}$  be a  $Th$ -sentence  $\Phi$  with all quantifiers relativized to  $SM_{\omega, \models}^{Th}$ .

**Definition 3.10.** Assume that  $Th$  has a strong  $\omega$ -model  $M_{\omega, \models}^{Th}$ . Let  $Th_{\omega, \models}$  be a theory  $Th$  relativised to  $M_{\omega, \models}^{Th}$  i.e., any  $Th_{\omega, \models}$ -sentence has the form  $\Phi_{\omega, \models}$  for some  $Th$ -sentence  $\Phi$ .

Let  $Th$  be a theory such that Assumption 1.1 is satisfied. Let  $Con(Th; M_{\omega, \models}^{Th})$  be a sentence in  $Th$  asserting that  $Th$  has a strong  $\omega$ -model  $M_{\omega, \models}^{Th}$ . Let  $Th^*$  be a theory:  $Th^* = Th + Con(Th; M_{\omega, \models}^{Th})$ .

Let  $Con(Th^*; M_{\omega, \models}^{Th^*})$  be a sentence in  $Th^*$  asserting that  $Th^*$  has a strong  $\omega$ -model  $M_{\omega, \models}^{Th^*}$ . We assume throughout that  $Th$  is a strongly consistent, i.e. a sentence  $Con(Th; M_{\omega, \models}^{Th})$  is true in any  $\omega$ -model  $M_{\omega}^{Th}$  of the  $Th$ . Note that:

$$\begin{aligned} Con(Th; M_{\omega, \models}^{Th}) &\leftrightarrow Con_{Th_{\omega, \models}} \\ Con_{Th_{\omega, \models}} &\leftrightarrow \neg Pr_{Th_{\omega, \models}} \left( [\Phi_{\omega, \models}]^c \right), \end{aligned} \tag{3.16}$$

where a sentence  $\Phi_{\omega, \models}$  is refutable in  $Th_{\omega, \models}$  and

$$\begin{aligned} Con(Th^*; M_{\omega, \models}^{Th^*}) &\leftrightarrow Con_{Th_{\omega, \models}^*} \\ Con_{Th_{\omega, \models}^*} &\leftrightarrow \neg Pr_{Th_{\omega, \models}^*} \left( [\Phi_{\omega, \models}^*]^c \right), \end{aligned} \tag{3.17}$$

where a sentence  $\Phi_{\omega, \models}^*$  is refutable in  $Th_{\omega, \models}^*$ .

**Lemma 3.4.**  $Th^*$  is a strongly consistent.

Proof. Assume that  $Th^*$  is not strongly consistent, that is, has no any strong  $\omega$ -model  $M_{\omega, \models}^{Th^*}$ . This means that there is no any  $\omega$ -model  $M_{\omega}^{Th}$  of the  $Th$  in which  $Con(Th; M_{\omega, \models}^{Th})$  is true and therefore from Formula (3.16) one obtain, that a formula  $\neg Con_{Th_{\omega, \models}}$  is true in any  $\omega$ -model  $M_{\omega}^{Th}$  of the  $Th$ . So from Formula (3.16) by using a Strong Reflection Principle (Theorem 3.2) one obtain that a sentence  $\neg Con(Th; M_{\omega, \models}^{Th})$  is provable in  $Th_{\omega}$ , i.e.  $Th_{\omega} \vdash \neg Con(Th; M_{\omega, \models}^{Th})$ . But a sentence  $\neg Con(Th; M_{\omega, \models}^{Th})$  contrary to the assumption that  $Th$  is a strongly consistent. This contradiction completed the proof.

**Theorem 3.3.**  $Th$  has no any strong  $\omega$ -model  $M_{\omega, \models}^{Th}$ . Proof. By Lemma 3.4 and Formula (3.17) one obtain that  $Th_{\omega, \models}^* \vdash Con_{Th_{\omega, \models}^*}$ . But Godel's Second Incompleteness Theorem applied to  $Th_{\omega, \models}^*$  asserts that  $Con_{Th_{\omega, \models}^*}$  is unprovable in  $Th_{\omega, \models}^*$ . This contradiction completed the proof.

**Theorem 3.4.**  $ZFC$  has no any strong  $\omega$ -model  $M_{\omega, \models}^{ZFC}$ .

Proof. Immediately follows from Theorem 3.3 and definitions.

**Theorem 3.5.**  $ZFC$  has no any strong standard model.  $SM_{\omega, \models}^{ZFC}$ .

Proof. Immediately follows from Theorem 3.4 and definitions.

**Theorem 3.6.**  $ZFC + Con(ZFC)$  is incompatible with all the usual large cardinal axioms [10,11] which imply the existence of a strong standard model of  $ZFC$ .

Proof. Theorem 3.6 immediately follows from Theorem 3.5.

**Theorem 3.7.** Let  $\kappa$  be an inaccessible cardinal. Then  $\neg Con(ZFC + \exists \kappa)$ .

Proof. Let  $H_{\kappa}$  be a set of all sets having hereditary size less then  $\kappa$ . It easy to see that  $H_{\kappa}$  forms a strong standard model of  $ZFC$ . Therefore Theorem 3.7 immediately follows from Theorem 3.6.

### 4. Conclusion

In this paper we proved so-called strong reflection principles corresponding to formal theories  $Th$  which has  $\omega$ -models  $M_{\omega}^{Th}$  and in particular to formal theories  $Th$ , which has a standard models  $SM^{Th}$ . The assumption that there exists a standard model of  $Th$  is stronger than the assumption that there exists a model of  $Th$ . This paper examined some specified classes of the standard models of  $ZFC$  so-called strong standard models of  $ZFC$ . Such models correspond to large cardinals axioms. In particular we proved that theory  $ZFC + Con(ZFC)$  is incompatible with existence of any inaccessible cardinal  $\kappa$ . Note that the statement:  $Con(ZFC + \exists$  some inaccessible cardinal  $\kappa)$  is  $\Pi_1^0$ . Thus Theorem 3.6 asserts there exist numerical counterexample which would imply that a specific polynomial equation has at least one integer root.

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