

**Schnorr triviality is
equivalent to being a basis
for tt -Schnorr randomness**

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Overview

	Schnorr random	tt-Schnorr random
trace	comp. traceable	comp. tt-traceable (FS2010)
low	low for SR	low for tt-SR (FS2010)
low	low for c.m.m.	low for t.m.m. (M2011)
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trivial	wdm-reducible to 0	
basis		basis for tt-SR

Lowness notions for tt-Schnorr randomness

Four equivalent notions

Theorem (Nies 2005, Hirschfeldt-Nies-Stephan 2007)

The following are equivalent for a set A :

1. A is low for ML-randomness,
2. A is low for K ,
3. A is K -trivial,
4. A is a basis for ML-randomness.

Schnorr randomness version

Similarly we can define

1. lowness for Schnorr randomness,
2. Schnorr triviality.

Theorem (Downey Griffiths and LaForte)

There is a Turing complete Schnorr trivial c.e. set.

Hence, lowness for Schnorr randomness **is not equivalent** to Schnorr triviality.

Schnorr triviality & tt-reducibility

Theorem (Franklin and Stephan 2010)

The following are equivalent for a set A :

1. A is low for tt-Schnorr randomness.
2. A is computably tt-traceable,
3. A is Schnorr trivial,

tt-Schnorr randomness

X is **A -Schnorr random** if $d(X \upharpoonright n) \leq h(n) + O(1)$ for all A -computable orders h and martingales $d \leq_T A$.

Definition (Franklin and Stephan 2010)

X is **A -tt-Schnorr random** if $d(X \upharpoonright n) \leq h(n) + O(1)$ for all computable orders h and martingales $d \leq_{tt} A$.

Definition (Franklin and Stephan 2010)

A is **low for tt-Schnorr randomness** if each Schnorr random set is A -tt-Schnorr random.

Low for tt-reducible measure machine

Theorem (Downey, Greenberg, Mihailović and Nies)

A set is low for computable measure machines

iff it is computably traceable.

Theorem (M.)

A set is low for tt-reducible measure machines

iff it is computably tt-traceable.

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A basis for tt-Schnorr randomness

Recall that A is low for ML-randomness iff

$$(\exists B)A \leq_T B \text{ and } B \text{ is } A\text{-ML-random.}$$

Consider a set A such that

$$(\exists B)A \leq_{tt} B \text{ and } B \text{ is } A\text{-tt-Schnorr random.}$$

Is it equivalent to low for tt-Schnorr randomness? .

A basis for tt-Schnorr randomness

Theorem (Franklin and Stephan 2010)

If $A \leq_{tt} B$ and B is A -tt-Schnorr random, then A is Schnorr trivial.

There is a Schnorr trivial set that is not truth-table reducible to a Schnorr random set.

Theorem (Franklin and Stephan 2010)

A set A is Schnorr trivial iff $\exists B$ such that $A \leq_{snr} B$ and B is A -tt-Schnorr random.

Question

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Is there a notion such that

1. the definition uses \leq_{tt} ,
2. the definition uses tt -Schnorr randomness,
3. the notion is equivalent to Schnorr triviality,

and thus we can call a basis for tt -Schnorr randomness?

Characterization
of Schnorr triviality
via decidable prefix machines

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Schnorr randomness

Definition (Downey and Griffiths)

A **computable measure machine** is a prefix-free machine M such that $\mu(\llbracket \text{dom}(M) \rrbracket)$ is computable.

Theorem (Downey and Griffiths)

A set A is Schnorr random iff

$$K_M(A \upharpoonright n) \geq n - O(1)$$

for all computable measure machines M .

Schnorr triviality

Definition (Downey and Griffiths)

A is **Schnorr reducible** to B (denoted by $A \leq_{\text{Sch}} B$) if each computable measure machine M there is a computable measure machine N such that

$$K_N(A \upharpoonright n) \leq K_M(B \upharpoonright n) + O(1).$$

A is **Schnorr trivial** if $A \leq_{\text{Sch}} \emptyset$.

Decidable machines

A machine M is **decidable** if $\text{dom}(M)$ is computable. An **order** is an unbounded nondecreasing function from \mathbb{N} to \mathbb{N} .

Theorem (Bienvenu and Merkle)

A is Schnorr random iff for all decidable prefix-free machines M and computable orders g , we have

$$K_M(A \upharpoonright n) \geq n - g(n) - O(1).$$

Can we use the machines to characterize Schnorr triviality?

wdm-reducibility

Definition (M.)

A is **weakly decidable prefix-free machine reducible** to B (denoted by $A \leq_{\text{wdm}} B$) if for each decidable prefix-free machine M and a computable order g there exists a decidable prefix-free machine N such that

$$K_N(A \upharpoonright n) \leq K_M(B \upharpoonright n) + g(n) + O(1).$$

Characterization

Theorem (M.)

A is Schnorr trivial iff $A \leq_{\text{wdm}} \emptyset$.

Actually,

$$A \leq_{\text{wdm}} B \iff A \leq_{\text{Sch}} B$$

for all sets A, B .

Being a basis for tt-Schnorr randomness

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Similar forms

A is Schnorr trivial

iff $\forall M \exists N$ s.t. $K_N(A \upharpoonright n) \leq K_M(n) + O(1)$

iff $\forall M, g \exists N$ s.t. $K_N(A \upharpoonright n) \leq K_M(n) + g(n) + O(1)$

iff $\forall f \leq_{\text{tt}} A \exists \{T_n\}$ s.t. $f(n) \in T_n$ for all n

iff $\forall h \exists M$ s.t. $K_M(A \upharpoonright h(n)) < n$.

Similar form for a basis for tt-Schnorr randomness?

The proof of one implication

Recall that the following does not hold:

A is low for tt-Schnorr randomness

$\Rightarrow A \leq_{\text{tt}} \exists B$ and B is A -tt-Schnorr random.

How do we prove the direction for ML-randomness:

A is low for ML-randomness

$\Rightarrow A \leq_{\text{T}} \exists B$ and B is A -ML-random?

It suffices to choose a ML-random set B such that $A \leq_{\text{T}} B$, which follows by the Kućera-Gács Theorem.

Space Lemma

Lemma (Merkle and Mihailović)

Given a rational $\delta > 1$ and integer $k > 0$, we can compute a length $l(\delta, k)$ such that, for any martingale d and any σ ,

$$|\{\tau \in 2^{l(\delta, k)} : d(\sigma\tau) \leq \delta d(\sigma)\}| \geq k.$$

tt-Schnorr randomness

Definition (M.)

Let $d \leq_{\text{tt}} A$ be a martingale.

X is **A -tt-Schnorr random for d** if $d(X \upharpoonright n) \leq h(n) + O(1)$ for all computable orders h .

X is **A -tt-reducible random for d** if $d(X \upharpoonright n) \leq O(1)$.

Then X is A -tt-Schnorr random iff X is A -tt-Schnorr random for each martingale $d \leq_{\text{tt}} A$.

A basis for tt-Schnorr randomness

Definition (M.)

A is a basis for tt-Schnorr randomness if,

for each martingale $d \leq_{tt} A$ there exists a set B such that $A \leq_{tt} B$ and B is A -tt-Schnorr random for d .

A is a basis for tt-reducible randomness if,

for each martingale $d \leq_{tt} A$ there exists a set B such that $A \leq_{tt} B$ and B is A -tt-reducible random for d .

Coincidence

Theorem (M.)

The following are equivalent for a set A :

1. A is Schnorr trivial,
2. A is a basis for tt-reducible randomness,
3. A is a basis for tt-Schnorr randomness.

Proof sketch

Lemma

computable tt-traceable

\Rightarrow a basis for tt-reducible randomness

For each Φ such that $d = \Phi^A$ is a martingale, We need to construct B such that

1. $A \leq_{\text{tt}} B$,
2. $d(B \upharpoonright n) \leq O(1)$.

With the Space Lemma, construct B which has the information of A so that one can calculate d from B .

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