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Differentiability of Peano type functions
 - multidimensional case

Let us introduce some notions. Let $f = (f_1, \dots, f_m) : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$.
 We say that f is:

k -differentiable if for each $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ there exists a sequence
 $1 \leq i_1 < \dots < i_k \leq m$ such that the function $(f_{i_1}, \dots, f_{i_k})$ is
 differentiable at x ;

k -measurable if there exists a sequence $1 \leq i_1 < \dots < i_k \leq m$
 such that the function $(f_{i_1}, \dots, f_{i_k})$ is a Lebesgue measurable
 mapping from \mathbb{R}^n to \mathbb{R}^k .

In [1] the following theorem has been proved:

Theorem. For arbitrary natural numbers $m, n > 0$ and $k \geq 0$
 the following sentences are equivalent:

(1) $2^{\aleph_0} \leq \aleph_{n-k}$

(2) there exists a function $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{n+m}$ onto \mathbb{R}^{n+m}

which is n -differentiable and k -measurable.

(1) is known to be independent of the set theory ZFC (see [4]).

Some other related questions concerning k -differentiability of functions $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{n+m}$ and modifications of (2) were also considered in [1]. The results in [1] generalize theorems of [2] and [3].

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