

On minimal dimension of normed barrelled spaces

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If \mathbb{P} adds a Cohen real, a random real, or a dominating real (e.g. $\mathbb{P} \in \{\text{Cohen, random, Hechler, Mathias, Laver}\}$), then the above theorem does not hold for \mathbb{P} .

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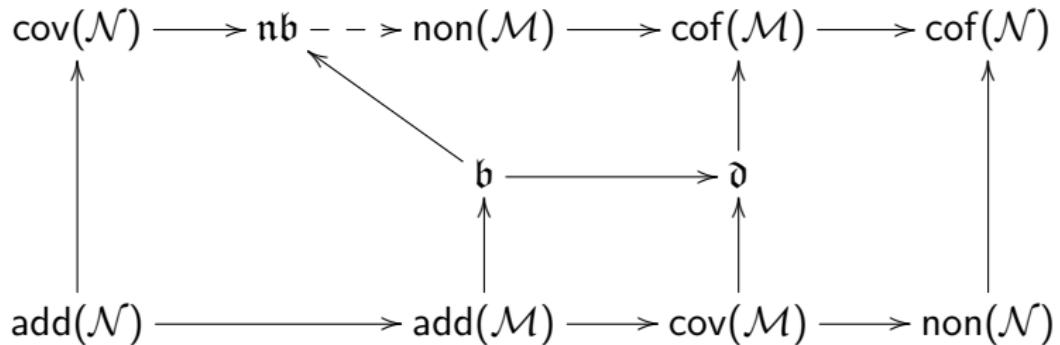
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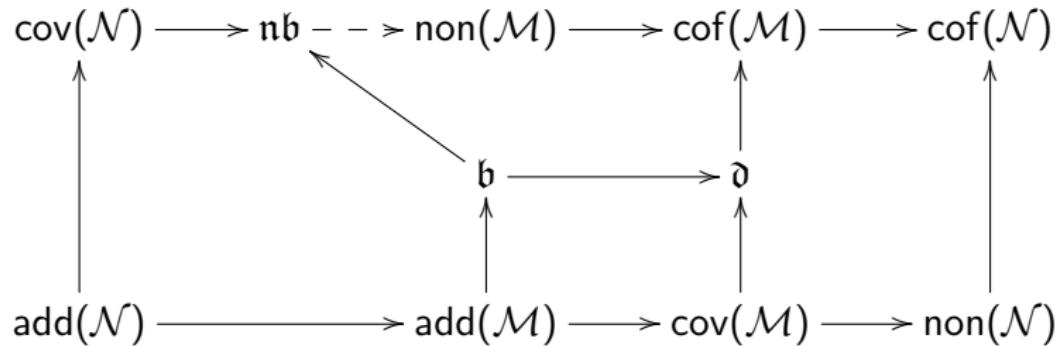
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The end

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Thank you, Guys!!!



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