Correction to "On the real exponential field with restricted analytic functions"

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We retract the claims made in subsection 9.9 of [3]. For example, the purported "relative" version of Lemma 9.5 is not true. Let D be the ring of all real analytic functions on \mathbb{R} definable in \mathbb{R}_{an} . Now $f(x) := \Gamma(1/(1+x^2))$ is an element of this ring, where Γ denotes the gamma function. Note that the function $g: (0,1) \to \mathbb{R}$ given by $g(x) := \sqrt{(1-x)/x}$ is analytic, algebraic and definable in \mathbb{R}_{an} . However, the function $f \circ g = \Gamma \upharpoonright (0,1)$ is not differentially algebraic over the differential domain $\{u \upharpoonright (0,1): u \in D\}$; see [4].

Subsection 9.9 was used in [3] solely for the proof of Proposition 9.10, which gives an iterated exponential bound for the growth at $+\infty$ of one-variable functions definable in (\mathbb{R}_{an} , exp). Proposition 9.10 is nevertheless true. Indeed, there are two different methods of proof; see 4.8 of [1] for a brief indication of one method and [2] for a full proof using the other.

We also take this opportunity to correct the definition of "regular at a" (also of "critical point") on page 23: "min $\{m, n\}$ " should be "m".

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