

The homotopy groups of an L_2 -localized type one finite spectrum at the prime 2

Dedicated to Professor Teiichi Kobayashi on his 60th birthday

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ABSTRACT. In this paper we determine the homotopy groups as the title indicates. This is a grip to understand the homotopy groups of $\pi_*(L_2S^0)$, as well as the category of L_2 -local CW -spectra at the prime 2. For example, the result indicates that an analogue of the Hopkins-Gross theorem on duality would require the condition $2 \cdot 1_X = 0$ if it holds at the prime 2.

1. Introduction

For each prime number p , let $K(n)_*$ denote the n -th Morava K -theory with coefficient ring $K(n)_* = F_p[v_n, v_n^{-1}]$ for $n > 0$ and $K(0)_* = \mathcal{Q}$. Here v_n has dimension $2p^n - 2$ and corresponds to the generators v_n of the coefficient ring $BP_* = \mathbf{Z}_{(p)}[v_1, v_2, \dots]$ of the Brown-Peterson spectrum BP at the prime p . A p -local finite spectrum F has type n if $K(i)_*(F) = 0$ for $i < n$ and $K(n)_*(F) \neq 0$. Let L_n denote the Bousfield localization functor with respect to the spectrum $K(0) \vee K(1) \vee \dots \vee K(n)$ (or equivalently to $v_n^{-1}BP$) from the category of p -local CW -spectra to itself. In this paper we compute the homotopy groups of the L_2 -localization of a type 1 finite spectrum W with $BP_*(W) = BP_*/(2) \otimes A(t_1, t_1^2, t_2)$ as a $BP_*(BP)$ -comodule at the prime 2. Notice that S^0 is a type 0. Since W is a type 1 finite spectrum, it is closer to S^0 than a type 2 spectrum or an infinite spectrum. By virtue of Hopkins and Ravenel's chromatic convergence theorem, we can say that the homotopy groups $\pi_*(L_nS^0)$ will play a central role to understand the category of L_n -local spectra.

Besides, the Hopkins-Gross theorem says that the L_n -localization of the Spanier-Whitehead dual of a type n finite spectrum F is equivalent to the Brown-Comenetz dual up to some kind of suspension in the category of $K(n)_*$ -local spectra if $p \cdot 1_F = 0$, and if the prime is large so that the Adams-Novikov

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spectral sequence for $L_n F$ collapses. Note that $L_n F = L_{K(n)} F$ for a type n finite spectrum F . By the computations [9], [14] at the prime 3, the analogue of Hopkins-Gross theorem seems to hold even at a small prime number. Our theorem here shows that the analogue of Hopkins-Gross theorem should also require the condition $2 \cdot 1_X = 0$ at the prime 2 if it holds. Note that for a large prime, Devinatz and Hopkins [3] shows the necessity of the condition.

Throughout this paper, the prime is fixed to be 2 and every spectrum is 2-localized. In order to state our results, we prepare some notation:

$$k(n)_* = F_2[v_n],$$

$$K(n)_* = v_n^{-1} k(n)_* = F_2[v_n, v_n^{-1}],$$

$$C(k)\langle x_\alpha \rangle = \left\{ \sum_\alpha \lambda_\alpha x_\alpha / v_1^k \mid \lambda_\alpha \in k(1)_* \otimes K(2)_* \text{ with } v_1^k x_\alpha / v_1^k = 0 \right\},$$

$$C(\infty)\langle y_\alpha \rangle = \varinjlim_k C(k)\langle y_\alpha \rangle;$$

$$W(2k) = \text{the cofiber of } v^k : \Sigma^{4k} W \longrightarrow W,$$

$$W(\infty) = \varinjlim_k W(2k).$$

Here W is the cofiber of Hopkins-Mahowald's self map $\gamma : \Sigma^5 V \rightarrow V$ [4], where $V = M_2 \wedge M_\eta \wedge M_\nu$ for the cofiber M_ξ of the elements $\xi = 2, \eta \in \pi_1(S^0)$ and $\nu \in \pi_3(S^0)$, and $v : \Sigma^4 W \rightarrow W$ is the essential map given by $v \in [M_2 \wedge M_\eta, M_2 \wedge M_\eta]_4$ inducing $BP_*(v) = v_1^2$ (see Lemma 2.3).

THEOREM 1.1. *The Adams-Novikov E_∞ -term for computing $\pi_*(L_2 W(\infty))$ is a $k(1)_*$ -module*

$$(C(\infty)\langle 1, h_{21}, h_{30}, h_{21}h_{30} \rangle \oplus C(3)\langle h_{31}, h_{30}h_{31} \rangle) \otimes A(\rho).$$

This theorem implies the following:

COROLLARY 1.2. *The Adams-Novikov E_∞ -term for computing $\pi_*(L_2 W(2k))$ for some $k \geq 1$ is a $k(1)_*$ -module isomorphic to*

$$C_2 \otimes A(h_{21}, h_{30}, h_{31}, \rho),$$

if $k = 1$, and

$$(C_{2k}\langle 1, h_{21}, h_{30}, h_{21}h_{30} \rangle \oplus C_3\langle h_{31}, h_{30}h_{31} \rangle) \otimes A(\rho),$$

if $k > 1$. Here $C_k\langle x_\alpha \rangle$ denotes a $k(1)_*$ -module isomorphic to the direct sum of $K(1)_*[v_1]/(v_1^k)$ generated by x_α 's, which is also isomorphic to $C(k)\langle x_\alpha \rangle$.

Since $2 \cdot 1_{W(k)} \neq 0$ (see Corollary 7.2), the condition $2 \cdot 1_X = 0$ is necessary for the analogue of the Hopkins-Gross theorem at the prime 2. In fact, Corollary 1.2 shows that the homotopy groups of the finite spectrum $W(k)$ ($k > 1$) does not satisfy the duality, which is expected to hold if the analogue of Hopkins-Gross theorem without the condition is valid in this case. As is seen in Corollary 1.2 above, $W(2)$ satisfies the duality in the E_2 -term (or E_∞ -term) and $2 \cdot 1_{W(2)} \neq 0$. So this indicates that there would be some non-trivial extension in the spectral sequence, by which the duality fails to hold in the homotopy groups of $W(2)$.

As we have noticed above, W is a type one finite spectrum. The following would be a mile stone to understand the homotopy groups $\pi_*(L_2S^0)$:

COROLLARY 1.3. *The Adams-Novikov E_∞ -term for computing $\pi_*(L_2W)$ is a $k(1)_*$ -module isomorphic to*

$$k(1)_* \oplus K(1)_*b \oplus C'(\infty)\langle 1 \rangle \oplus K(1)_*h_{20} \otimes A(b) \oplus C(\infty)\rho \\ \oplus (C(\infty)\langle h_{21}, h_{30}, h_{21}h_{30} \rangle \oplus C(3)\langle h_{31}, h_{30}h_{31} \rangle) \otimes A(\rho).$$

Here $C'(\infty)\langle 1 \rangle = \{v_2^i/v_1^j \mid i, j \in \mathbf{Z}, i \neq 0, j > 0\}$ and $b \in \pi_4(L_2W)$.

2. Finite spectra

We denote BP the Brown-Peterson spectrum and $E(2)$ the Johnson-Wilson spectrum. The coefficient rings are $B = BP_* = \mathbf{Z}_{(2)}[v_1, v_2, \dots]$ and $E = E(2)_* = \mathbf{Z}_{(2)}[v_1, v_2, v_2^{-1}]$. We also have $P = BP_*(BP) = BP_*[t_1, t_2, \dots]$ and $L = E(2)_* \otimes_B P \otimes_B E(2)_*$, and (B, P) and (E, L) are the Hopf algebroids. Then the E_2 -terms of the Adams-Novikov spectral sequences for computing the homotopy groups $\pi_*(X)$ and $\pi_*(L_2X)$ are given by $\text{Ext}_P^*(B, BP_*(X))$ and $\text{Ext}_L^*(E, E(2)_*(X))$, respectively. Here we denote $L_2 : \mathcal{S} \rightarrow \mathcal{S}$ the Bousfield localization functor with respect to $E(2)$, in which \mathcal{S} denotes the homotopy category of 2-local CW -spectra. The Ext groups $\text{Ext}_G^*(F, M)$ for a Hopf algebroid (F, G) and a G -comodule M are obtained as a cohomology of a cobar complex $(\Omega_G^s M, d_s : \Omega_G^s M \rightarrow \Omega_G^{s+1} M)_s$. Here

$$\Omega_G^s M = M \otimes_F G \otimes_F \cdots \otimes_F G \quad (s \text{ factors of } G),$$

and

$$d_s(m \otimes g) = \psi(m) \otimes g + \sum_{i=1}^s m \otimes \Delta_i(g) - (-1)^s m \otimes g \otimes 1,$$

for the comodule structure $\psi : M \rightarrow M \otimes_F G$ and $\Delta_i : G^{\otimes s} \rightarrow G^{\otimes(s+1)}$ defined by $\Delta_i(g_1 \otimes \cdots \otimes g_s) = g_1 \otimes \cdots \otimes \Delta(g_i) \otimes \cdots \otimes g_s$, where $\Delta : G \rightarrow G \otimes_F G$ is the diagonal of G .

Let M_α for an element $\alpha \in \pi_k(S^0)$ denote a cofiber of the map $a : S^k \rightarrow S^0$ representing the homotopy class α . Consider a spectrum $X = M_\eta \wedge M_\nu$ and the inclusion $i : S^0 \rightarrow X$ to the bottom cell.

LEMMA 2.1. [4] *There exists an essential map $\gamma : \Sigma^5 X \rightarrow X$ such that $\gamma i \in \pi_*(X)$ is detected by the class $h_{20} = [t_2 + \dots]$ of the E_2 -term $\text{Ext}_P^1(B, BP_*(X))$.*

PROOF. The cofiber sequences

$$S^1 \xrightarrow{\eta} S^0 \xrightarrow{i_\eta} M_\eta \xrightarrow{\pi_\eta} S^2, \quad \text{and}$$

$$S^3 \xrightarrow{\nu} S^0 \xrightarrow{i_\nu} M_\nu \xrightarrow{\pi_\nu} S^4$$

induce the exact sequences

$$\dots \rightarrow \pi_{s-3}(M_\eta) \xrightarrow{\nu_*} \pi_s(M_\eta) \xrightarrow{i_{\nu*}} \pi_s(X) \xrightarrow{\pi_{\nu*}} \pi_{s-4}(M_\eta) \rightarrow \dots, \quad \text{and}$$

$$\dots \rightarrow \pi_{s-1}(S^0) \xrightarrow{\eta_*} \pi_s(S^0) \xrightarrow{i_{\eta*}} \pi_s(M_\eta) \xrightarrow{\pi_{\eta*}} \pi_{s-2}(S^0) \rightarrow \dots.$$

We further know the homotopy groups of spheres:

$$(2.2) \quad \pi_0(S^0) = \mathbf{Z}, \quad \pi_1(S^0) = \mathbf{Z}/2\langle \eta \rangle, \quad \pi_2(S^0) = \mathbf{Z}/2\langle \eta^2 \rangle,$$

$$\pi_3(S^0) = \mathbf{Z}/8\langle \nu \rangle \quad \pi_4(S^0) = 0 = \pi_5(S^0), \quad \pi_6(S^0) = \mathbf{Z}/2\langle \nu^2 \rangle$$

with a relation $4\nu = \eta^3$. By these, we obtain $\pi_5(X) = \mathbf{Z}/2\langle i_\nu \tilde{\nu} \rangle$ and $\pi_6(X) \cong \mathbf{Z}$, where $\tilde{\nu} \in \pi_5(M_\eta)$ and $\pi_\eta \tilde{\nu} = \nu$. We further see that $\nu^*(i_\nu \tilde{\nu}) = i_\nu \tilde{\nu} \nu = i_\nu \nu \tilde{\nu} = 0$. Chasing the commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} [X, X]_5 & \xrightarrow{i_\nu^*} & [M_\eta, X]_5 & \xrightarrow{\nu^*} & [M_\eta, X]_8 \\ & & \downarrow i_\eta^* & & \downarrow i_\eta^* \\ & & \pi_5(X) & \xrightarrow{\nu^*} & \pi_8(X) \\ & & \downarrow \eta^* & & \\ & & \pi_6(X) & & \end{array}$$

we have an element $\gamma \in [X, X]_5$ such that $i_\eta^* i_\nu^*(\gamma) = i_\nu \tilde{\nu}$.

Note that $\nu \in \pi_3(S^0)$ is detected by $h_{11} = [t_1^2 - v_1 t_1] \in \text{Ext}_P^{1,4}(B, B)$ and $h_{20} = [t_2 + a(t_1^2 - v_1 t_1)] \in \text{Ext}_P^{1,6}(B, BP_*(M_\eta))$ is sent to h_{11} by $\pi_{\eta*}$. Here $BP_*(M_\eta) = B \otimes A(a)$ with $\psi(a) = a + t_1$ and $|a| = 2$. Since $\pi_* \tilde{\nu} = \nu$, $\text{filt } \tilde{\nu} \leq 1$, and so $\tilde{\nu}$ is detected by h_{20} . q.e.d.

LEMMA 2.3. *There exists a map $v : \Sigma^4 M_2 \wedge M_\eta \rightarrow M_2 \wedge M_\eta$ such that $BP_*(v) = v_1^2$.*

PROOF. Consider the exact sequence

$$\pi_4(M_\eta) \xrightarrow{i_*} \pi_4(M_2 \wedge M_\eta) \xrightarrow{\pi_*} \pi_3(M_\eta) \xrightarrow{2} \pi_3(M_\eta)$$

associated to the cofiber sequence $S^0 \xrightarrow{2} S^0 \xrightarrow{i} M_2 \xrightarrow{\pi} S^1$. Then we obtain $\pi_4(M_2) = \mathbf{Z}/2\langle \tilde{\eta} \rangle$ by a computation with (2.2), where $\pi\tilde{\eta} = \eta^2$. Note that the element $\tilde{\eta}$ is detected by v_1^2 of the E_2 -term of the Adams-Novikov spectral sequence for computing $\pi_*(M_2 \wedge M_\eta)$. In fact, the differential d_3 induces the connecting homomorphism on E_3 -terms, which sends v_1^2 to h_{10}^2 since $d_3(v_1^2) = h_{10}^3$ in the E_2 -term for $\pi_*(M_2)$. Since $2\tilde{\eta} = 0$ and $\eta\tilde{\eta} = 0$, $\tilde{\eta}$ is extended to $v \in [M_2 \wedge M_\eta, M_2 \wedge M_\eta]_4$ as desired. q.e.d.

COROLLARY 2.4. *There exists a spectrum Y_2 such that $BP_*(Y_2) = BP_*/(2, v_1^2) \otimes A(a)$ with $|a| = 2$.*

Consider the spectrum $W = M_2 \wedge D(A_1)$, where $D(A_1)$ denotes the cofiber of γ (cf. [4]). That is, W fits into the cofiber sequence

$$(2.5) \quad \Sigma^5 M_2 \wedge X \xrightarrow{1 \wedge \gamma} M_2 \wedge X \longrightarrow W$$

Then by Lemma 2.3, we obtain the self map $v : \Sigma^4 W \rightarrow W$ such that $BP_*(v) = v_1^2$. We write $v_1^{-1}W = \mathop{\text{holim}}\limits_v W$ and define a spectrum $W(\infty)$ by the cofiber sequence

$$(2.6) \quad W \hookrightarrow v_1^{-1}W \longrightarrow W(\infty).$$

Note that $W(\infty)$ is given another way: Define a spectrum $W(2k)$ by the cofiber sequence

$$\Sigma^{4k} W \xrightarrow{v^k} W \longrightarrow W(2k),$$

and the map $w(k) : \Sigma^4 W(2k) \rightarrow W(2k+2)$ by the commutative diagram

$$(2.7) \quad \begin{array}{ccccc} \Sigma^{4k+4} W & \xrightarrow{v^k} & \Sigma^4 W & \longrightarrow & \Sigma^4 W(2k) \\ \parallel & & \downarrow v & & \downarrow w(k) \\ \Sigma^{4k+4} W & \xrightarrow{v^{k+1}} & W & \longrightarrow & W(2k+2). \end{array}$$

Now $W(\infty)$ is given by

$$W(\infty) = \mathop{\text{holim}}\limits_{w(k)} W(2k).$$

These show the following

PROPOSITION 2.8. *The $E(2)_*$ -homology of these spectra are as follows:*

$$E(2)_*(X) = E(2)_* \otimes \Lambda(a, b),$$

$$E(2)_*(W) = E(2)_*/(2) \otimes \Lambda(a, b, c),$$

$$E(2)_*(v_1^{-1}W) = v_1^{-1}E(2)_*/(2) \otimes \Lambda(a, b, c),$$

$$E(2)_*(W(2k)) = E(2)_*/(2, v_1^{2k}) \otimes \Lambda(a, b, c),$$

$$E(2)_*(W(\infty)) = E(2)_*/(2, v_1^\infty) \otimes \Lambda(a, b, c).$$

Here $|a| = 2$, $|b| = 4$ and $|c| = 6$ with coaction $\psi(a) = a + t_1$, $\psi(b) = b + t_1^2$ and $\psi(c) = c + t_2 + at_1^2 + v_1at_1$.

3. $H^*K(2)_*$

In this section we will compute $H^*K(2)_* = \text{Ext}_L^*(E, K(2)_* \otimes \Lambda(a, b, c))$. Here $H^*M = \text{Ext}_L^*(E, M \otimes \Lambda(a, b, c))$ for an L -comodule M , and $K(2)_*$ is the L -comodule $K(2)_* = E(2)_*/(2, v_1) = F_2[v_2, v_2^{-1}]$.

To compute these modules, we introduce Hopf algebroids $(B, P_2) = (B, B[t_2, t_3, \dots])$ whose structure inherits from (B, P) , and

$$(A, \Sigma) = (A, A \otimes_B P_2 \otimes_B A) = (F_2[v_1, v_2, v_2^{-1}], A[t_2, t_3, \dots] / (\eta_R(v_i) : i > 2)).$$

Since we see that

$$M \otimes \Lambda(a, b) = M \square_\Sigma A,$$

the change of rings theorem (cf. [12, Th. A1.3.12]) shows

$$(3.1) \quad H^*M = \text{Ext}_\Sigma^*(A, M \otimes \Lambda(c)).$$

Take $M = K(2)_*$. Then we have a short exact sequence

$$(3.2) \quad 0 \longrightarrow K(2)_* \longrightarrow K(2)_* \otimes \Lambda(c) \longrightarrow K(2)_* \longrightarrow 0$$

of Σ -comodules.

THEOREM 3.3. $H^*K(2)_* = K(2)_* \otimes \Lambda(h_{21}, h_{30}, h_{31}, \rho)$, where the generators are represented by the cocycles of the cobar complex as follows: $h_{21} = [t_2^2]$, $h_{3i} = [t_3^{2i}]$ ($i = 0, 1$) and $\rho = [v_2^{-5}t_4 + v_2^{-10}t_4^2]$.

PROOF. Note first that $\text{Ext}_\Sigma^*(A, K(2)_*) = \text{Ext}_{\Sigma'}^*(K(2)_*, K(2)_*)$ for $\Sigma' = \Sigma/(v_1)$. Since $K(2)_*$ consists of primitive elements,

$$\text{Ext}_\Sigma^*(A, K(2)_*) = K(2)_* \otimes \text{Ext}_{S(2,2)}^*(F_2, F_2),$$

whose right hand factor is determined in [6, p. 239] to be $F_2[h_{20}] \otimes A(h_{21}, h_{30}, h_{31}, \rho)$. Apply the functor $\text{Ext}_\Sigma^*(A, -)$ to the short exact sequence (3.2), and we have the long exact one

$$\dots \longrightarrow \text{Ext}_\Sigma^{s-1}(A, K(2)_*) \xrightarrow{\delta} \text{Ext}_\Sigma^s(A, K(2)_*) \longrightarrow H^s K(2)_* \longrightarrow \dots,$$

where $\delta(x) = h_{20}x$ since the comodule structure on c shows $[d_0(c)] = h_{20}$ by definition of d_0 of the cobar complex. This shows the theorem. q.e.d.

4. Bockstein spectral sequence

Consider the Σ -comodule $M_1^1 = E(2)_*/(2, v_1^\infty) = \varinjlim_k E(2)_*/(2, v_1^k)$. Then the colimit of short exact sequences

$$0 \longrightarrow K(2)_* \xrightarrow{v_1^k} E(2)_*/(2, v_1^{k+1}) \longrightarrow E(2)_*/(2, v_1^k) \longrightarrow 0$$

for $k > 0$ gives rise to another short exact one

$$0 \longrightarrow K(2)_* \xrightarrow{\varphi} M_1^1 \xrightarrow{v_1} M_1^1 \longrightarrow 0,$$

where $\varphi(x) = x/v_1$. Noticing that $H^* -$ is a homology functor, we have the long exact sequence

$$\begin{aligned} 0 \longrightarrow H^0 K(2)_* \xrightarrow{\varphi_*} H^0 M_1^1 \xrightarrow{v_1} H^0 M_1^1 \\ \xrightarrow{\delta} H^1 K(2)_* \xrightarrow{\delta_*} H^1 M_1^1 \xrightarrow{v_1} H^1 M_1^1 \longrightarrow \dots \end{aligned}$$

Then by [8, Remark 3.11], we can show

LEMMA 4.1. *If a submodule $B^s = \sum_\alpha C(\infty)\langle x_\alpha \rangle \oplus \sum_\beta C(n_\beta)\langle y_\beta \rangle$ of $H^s M_1^1$ satisfies the following two conditions, then $H^s M_1^1 = B^s$.*

1. $\text{Im } \varphi_* \subset B^s$,
2. The set $\{\delta(v_2^i y_\beta / v_1^{n_\beta})\}_{i, \beta}$ is linearly independent over F_2 .

In fact, we obtain the exact sequence $\dots \longrightarrow H^s K(2)_* \xrightarrow{\varphi_*} B^s \xrightarrow{v_1} B^s \xrightarrow{\delta} H^{s+1} K(2)_* \longrightarrow \dots$ if B^s satisfies the conditions of Lemma 4.1. Then just use [8, Remark 3.11] to certify the lemma.

LEMMA 4.2. *In the cobar complex $\Omega_\Sigma^2 A \otimes A(c)$,*

$$d_1(t_{30}) = 0.$$

$$d_1(t_{31}) \equiv v_1^3 v_2^{-3} t_2^2 \otimes t_3^2.$$

Here $t_{30} = t_3 + v_1 c t_2$ and $t_{31} = t_3^2 + v_1 v_2^2 t_3 + v_1^2 v_2^{-1} t_4 + v_1^3 (v_2^{-16} t_5^2 + v_2^{-2} t_2 t_3^2 + v_2^{-2} c t_3^2)$.

PROOF. By Hazewinkel's and Quillen's formulae, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta(t_3) &= \sum_{i=0}^3 t_i \otimes t_{3-i}^2 - v_1(t_1 \otimes t_1^2(t_2 \otimes 1 + 1 \otimes t_2) + t_2 \otimes t_2) \\ &\quad + v_1^2(t_1 \otimes t_1)\Delta(t_2) - v_1^3(t_1 \otimes t_1)\Delta(t_1^2) - 2v_2(t_1 \otimes t_1)\Delta(t_1^2) \end{aligned}$$

in $P \otimes_B P$. Now sending t_1 to 0 and the formula $\psi(c) = c + t_2$ show the first equation.

For the second, we compute:

$$\begin{aligned} d_1(t_3^2) &= v_1^2 t_2^2 \otimes t_2^2, \\ d_1(v_1 v_2^2 t_3) &= v_1^2 v_2^2 t_2 \otimes t_2, \\ d_1(v_1^2 v_2^{-1} t_4) &\equiv v_1^2 v_2^{-1} t_2 \otimes t_2^4 + v_1^2 t_2^2 \otimes t_2^2 + v_1^3 v_2^{-1} t_3 \otimes t_3 \pmod{v_1^4}, \\ d_1(v_1^3 v_2^{-17} t_5^2) &\equiv v_1^3 v_2^{-17} (t_2^2 \otimes t_3^8 + t_3^2 \otimes t_2^{16} + v_2^2 t_3^4 \otimes t_3^4) \pmod{v_1^4}, \\ &\equiv v_1^3 v_2^{-3} t_2^2 \otimes t_3^2 + v_1^3 v_2^{-2} t_3^2 \otimes t_2 + v_1^3 v_2^{-1} t_3 \otimes t_3 \pmod{v_1^4}, \\ d_1(v_1^3 v_2^{-2} t_2 t_3^2) &\equiv v_1^3 v_2^{-2} (t_2 \otimes t_3^2 + t_3^2 \otimes t_2) \pmod{v_1^4}, \\ d_1(v_1^3 v_2^{-2} t_2 t_3^2) &\equiv v_1^3 v_2^{-2} t_2 \otimes t_3^2 \pmod{v_1^4}. \end{aligned}$$

Now using the relations $v_i = 0 = \eta_R(v_i)$ in Σ for $i > 2$, we see the second equation. q.e.d.

LEMMA 4.3. *We have a cochain $R_k \in \Omega_\Sigma^1 A$ such that $d_1(R_k) \equiv 0 \pmod{v_1^k}$ and $R_k \equiv v_2^{-5} t_4 + v_2^{-10} t_4^2 \pmod{v_1}$.*

PROOF. Note that $t_4^4 \equiv v_2^{15} t_4 \pmod{v_1}$ in Σ by the relation $\eta_R(v_6) = 0$, and $d_1(R) \equiv 0 \pmod{v_1}$ for $R = v_2^{-5} t_4 + v_2^{-10} t_4^2$ since $\rho = [R]$. Now put $R_k = R^{2^k}$, and we see the lemma. q.e.d.

For the next theorem, we introduce the $k(1)_*$ -modules $F(s)_*$:

$$\begin{aligned} F(s)_* &= 0 \quad (s < 0, 2 < s), \\ F(0)_* &= C(\infty)\langle 1 \rangle, \\ F(1)_* &= C(\infty)\langle h_{21}, h_{30} \rangle \oplus C(3)\langle h_{31} \rangle, \\ F(2)_* &= C(\infty)\langle h_{21} h_{30} \rangle \oplus C(3)\langle h_{30} h_{31} \rangle. \end{aligned}$$

By definition, there exists an integer $k > 0$ for each element $x \in F(s)_* \subset$

$E_2^s(W(\infty))$ such that $v_1^k x = 0$. Then Lemma 4.3 shows that $xR_k \in E_2^*(W(\infty))$, and then we denote it by $x\rho$.

THEOREM 4.4. *The E_2 -term $E_2^{s,*}(L_2W(\infty))$ of the Adams-Novikov spectral sequence computing $\pi_*(W(\infty))$ is isomorphic to a direct sum of $k(1)_*$ -modules $F(s)_*$ and $F(s-1)_*\rho$.*

PROOF. We proceed to prove the theorem by checking the conditions 1 and 2 of Lemma 4.1 for each s . Put $B^0 = C(\infty)$, and we see easily that the conditions 1 and 2 are satisfied.

For $s = 1$, we just check the condition 2, that is, if the set $\{\delta(h_{31}/v_1^3)\}$ is independent. By Lemma 4.2, we compute $\delta(v_2^s h_{31}/v_1^3) = v_2^{s-3} h_{21} h_{31}$, which is obviously non-zero.

This shows that $\text{Im } \varphi_* = \{x/v_1 \mid x \in H^2 K(2)_*, x \notin K(2)_* \langle h_{21} h_{31} \rangle\}$. Thus $B^2 = F(2)_* \oplus F(1)_* \rho$ contains $\text{Im } \varphi_*$. Lemma 4.2 also shows

$$\delta(v_2^s h_{30} h_{31} / v_1^3) = v_2^{s-3} h_{21} h_{30} h_{31} \quad \text{and}$$

$$\delta(v_2^s h_{31} \rho / v_1^3) = v_2^{s-3} h_{21} h_{31} \rho.$$

Thus the condition 2 for B^2 is satisfied and so $H^2 M_1^1 = B^2$. Besides, the formulae above show that the image of φ_* in $H^3 M_1^1$ is the $K(2)_*$ -module over $\{h_{21} h_{30} \rho / v_1, h_{30} h_{31} \rho / v_1\}$. Furthermore, we see that

$$\delta(v_2^s h_{30} h_{31} \rho / v_1^3) = h_{21} h_{30} h_{31} \rho.$$

Therefore we obtain $H^3 M_1^1$ and $\text{Im } \varphi_* = 0 \subset H^4 M_1^1$. For $n \geq 4$, since $\text{Im } \varphi_* = 0$, we set $B^n = 0$ and get $H^n M_1^1 = 0$ by Lemma 4.1. q.e.d.

5. The Adams-Novikov differentials

In this section, we compute differentials of the Adams-Novikov spectral sequence. By Theorem 4.4, we see that $E_2^s(W(\infty)) = 0$ if $s > 3$, and so the all Adams-Novikov differentials d_r are zero except for $d_3 : E_2^0(W(\infty)) \rightarrow E_2^3(W(\infty))$. In order to study the exceptional case, recall [6], [5] the spectra D and Z (which is denoted by X in [5]). Let $X\langle 1 \rangle$ be the Mahowald ring spectrum with $BP_*(X\langle 1 \rangle) = B/(2)[t_1]$. Then $v_1 \in \pi_2(X\langle 1 \rangle)$ is extended to the self map $v_1 : \Sigma^2 X\langle 1 \rangle \rightarrow X\langle 1 \rangle$, whose cofiber is D . C is defined by the cofiber sequence $X\langle 1 \rangle \rightarrow v_1^{-1} X\langle 1 \rangle \rightarrow C$ and Z is the cofiber of $\gamma : \Sigma^5 C \rightarrow C$ defined by $h_{20} \in \pi_5(X\langle 1 \rangle)$. Note that $C = \varinjlim C(n)$ and $Z = \varinjlim Z_n$, where $C(n)$ and Z_n is defined by the following commutative diagram of cofiber

sequences:

$$(5.1) \quad \begin{array}{ccccc} \Sigma^{2n+5}X\langle 1 \rangle & \xrightarrow{\gamma} & \Sigma^{2n}X\langle 1 \rangle & \longrightarrow & \Sigma^{2n}C_\gamma \\ \downarrow v_1^n & & \downarrow v_1^n & & \downarrow \\ \Sigma^5X\langle 1 \rangle & \xrightarrow{\gamma} & X\langle 1 \rangle & \longrightarrow & C_\gamma \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ \Sigma^5C(n) & \longrightarrow & C(n) & \longrightarrow & Z_n \end{array}$$

Then

$$(5.2) \quad Z = \text{holim} \xrightarrow{\quad} Z_n$$

and since $D = C(1)$,

(5.3) Z_1 is a cofiber of $\gamma : \Sigma^5 D \rightarrow D$, where γ is obtained from the element $h_{20} \in \pi_5(X\langle 1 \rangle)$.

PROPOSITION 5.4. *The E_∞ -term of the Adams-Novikov spectral sequence computing $\pi_*(L_2Z_2)$ is the tensor product of $A(h_{30}, h_{31}, \rho)$ and a direct sum of $k(1)_*$ -modules $K(2)_*[v_3^2], v_1K(2)_*[v_3], h_{21}K(2)_*[v_3]$ and $v_1v_3h_{21}K(2)_*[v_3^2]$.*

PROOF. By (5.3), we have an exact sequence

$$E_2^{s-1}(L_2D) \xrightarrow{h_{20}} E_2^s(L_2D) \longrightarrow E_2^s(L_2Z_1) \longrightarrow E_2^s(L_2D)$$

and $E_2^*(L_2D) = K(2)_*[v_3, h_{20}] \otimes A(h_{21}, h_{30}, h_{31}, \rho)$ by [6, Th. 2.1]. Therefore, we obtain

$$(5.5) \quad E_\infty(L_2Z_1) = K(2)_*[v_3] \otimes A(h_{21}, h_{30}, h_{31}, \rho).$$

In fact, we can deduce that $d_3(v_3^s) = 0$ from [6, Th. 7.1], and so we see the special sequence collapses. By the definition (5.1) of Z_n , we have the cofiber sequence $\Sigma^2 Z_1 \xrightarrow{v_1} Z_2 \longrightarrow Z_1$. This gives rise to the long exact sequence

$$\longrightarrow E_2^{s-1}(L_2Z_1) \xrightarrow{\delta} E_2^s(L_2Z_1) \xrightarrow{v_1} E_2^s(Z_2) \longrightarrow E_2^s(L_2Z_1) \xrightarrow{\delta}$$

of E_2 -terms. Since $\delta(v_3) = h_{21}$ as is seen in [5], the proposition follows from (5.5). q.e.d.

PROPOSITION 5.6. *In the Adams-Novikov spectral sequence computing $\pi_*(L_2W(\infty))$, $d_3(v_2^s/v_1^j) = 0$.*

PROOF. By Theorem 4.4, we see that

$$(5.7) \quad d_3(v_2^s/v_1^j) = \lambda v_2^t h_{21} h_{30} \rho / v_1^\varepsilon$$

for $\varepsilon \in \{1, 2\}$ and for some $\lambda \in F_2$ in the $E_3 = E_2$ -term of the Adams-Novikov spectral sequence for $\pi_*(L_2W(\infty))$. Here $6t = 6s - 2j - 22 + 2\varepsilon$. In fact, $d_3(v_2^s/v_1^j)$ should be infinitely v_1 -divisible because of the naturality of differentials and existence of the map $v : \Sigma^4 W(\infty) \rightarrow W(\infty)$. Consider now the cofiber sequence

$$\rightarrow \Sigma^4 W(2) \rightarrow \Sigma^4 W(\infty) \xrightarrow{v} W(\infty) \xrightarrow{i} \Sigma^5 W(2) \rightarrow$$

obtained from the homotopy colimit of cofiber sequences $\Sigma^{4k} W(2) \xrightarrow{w^k} W(2k+2) \rightarrow W(2k) \rightarrow \Sigma^{4k+1} W(2)$, where $w^k = w(k) \cdots w(2)$ for $w(k)$ in (2.7). Since $d_3(v_2^s/v_1^{j-2}) = v_* d_3(v_2^s/v_1^j) = 0$ in the E_2 -term by (5.7), v_2^s/v_1^{j-2} is a permanent cycle of the spectral sequence for $\pi_*(L_2W(\infty))$. Therefore, the equation (5.7) also produces the relation

$$(5.8) \quad i_*(v_2^s/v_1^{j-2}) = \lambda v_1^{2-\varepsilon} v_2^t h_{21} h_{30} \rho$$

in homotopy groups $\pi_*(W(2))$. Consider the commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} & & W(\infty) & \xrightarrow{i} & W(2) \\ & & \downarrow i & & \downarrow i \\ Z & \xrightarrow{v_1^2} & Z & \xrightarrow{i} & Z_2. \end{array}$$

Now send (5.8) by i , we have

$$i_*(v_2^s/v_1^{j-2}) = \lambda i_* v_1^{2-\varepsilon} v_2^t h_{21} h_{30} \rho.$$

Since v_2^s/v_1^j is a permanent cycle in the spectral sequence for $\pi_*(L_2Z)$ by the main theorem of [5], $i_*(v_2^s/v_1^{j-2}) = i_*(v_1^2(v_2^s/v_1^j)) = 0$. On the other hand, $i_* v_1^{2-\varepsilon} v_2^t h_{21} h_{30} \rho$ is not zero if $\varepsilon = 2$ by Proposition 5.4. Therefore we see that $\lambda = 0$ in this case.

Now suppose that $\varepsilon = 1$. Put $V = M_2 \wedge M_\eta \wedge M_v = M_2 \wedge X$. Then we have a cofiber sequence $\Sigma^5 V \xrightarrow{1 \wedge \gamma} V \rightarrow W$ by the definition (2.5) of W . The inclusion map $V \rightarrow W$ also yields the map $V_{2n} \rightarrow W(2n)$ for each n , where V_n is a cofiber of $v_1^n : \Sigma^{2n} V \rightarrow V$ in which the map v_1 is given in [2]. We also have a map $v_1 : V_n \rightarrow V_{n+1}$ fitting into the commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} V_{2n} & \longrightarrow & W(2n) \\ v_1^2 \downarrow & & \downarrow w(n) \\ V_{2n+2} & \longrightarrow & W(2n+2). \end{array}$$

Taking its homotopy colimit gives us a map $\kappa : V(\infty) \rightarrow W(\infty)$. The relation (5.7) is pulled first back to $d_3(v_2^s/v_1^{j+2}) = \lambda v_2^s h_{21} h_{30} \rho / v_1^3$ in $E_2^3(L_2 W(\infty))$ by v_* and then back it to the one in the spectral sequence for $\pi_*(L_2 V(\infty))$ by κ_* . Thus,

$$(5.9) \quad d_3(v_2^s/v_1^{j+2}) = \lambda v_2^s h_{21} h_{30} \rho / v_1^3 + h_{20} x$$

for some $x \in E_2^2(L_2 V(\infty))$. This is sent to

$$d_3(v_2^s/v_1^{j+1}) = \lambda v_2^s h_{21} h_{30} \rho / v_1^2 + v_1 h_{20} x,$$

by the map $v_1 : \Sigma^2 V(\infty) \rightarrow V(\infty)$. Send this to $E_2^3(L_2 W(\infty))$ again, and we obtain $d_3(v_2^s/v_1^{j+1}) = \lambda v_2^s h_{21} h_{30} \rho / v_1^2$. This is the case where $\varepsilon = 2$, and so we obtain $\lambda = 0$ as we have studied above. q.e.d.

This proposition and Theorem 4.4 imply that $d_r = 0$ for all r in the Adama-Novikov spectral sequence for computing $\pi_*(W(\infty))$, and hence we obtain

THEOREM 5.10. *The Adams-Novikov spectral sequence for computing $\pi_*(W(\infty))$ collapses from E_2 -term. That is, $E_\infty^* = E_2^*$.*

By this and Theorem 4.4, we see Theorem 1.1 in the introduction.

6. Homotopy groups

Recall [2] the self map $v_1 : \Sigma^2 Y \rightarrow Y$ for $Y = M_2 \wedge M_\eta$. Then Ravenel's computation [10] shows the following

LEMMA 6.1. *$\pi_*(v_1^{-1} Y) = K(1)_* \otimes A(\rho_1)$, where ρ_1 is represented by the cocycle $v_1^{-3}(t_2 - t_1^3) + v_1^{-4} v_2 t_1$ of the cobar complex.*

PROOF. Since $BP_*(Y) = BP_*/(2) \otimes A(a)$ with coaction $\psi(a) = a + t_1$, the E_2 -term of the Adams-Novikov spectral sequence computing $\pi_*(v_1^{-1} Y)$ is given by

$$E_2^s(v_1^{-1} Y) = \text{Ext}_{K(1), K(1)}^s(K(1)_*, K(1)_* \otimes A(a))$$

by the change of rings theorem [7]. We then have a long exact sequence

$$\begin{aligned} \cdots &\xrightarrow{\delta} \text{Ext}_{K(1), K(1)}^s(K(1)_*, K(1)_*) \longrightarrow \text{Ext}_{K(1), K(1)}^s(K(1)_*, K(1)_* \otimes A(a)) \\ &\longrightarrow \text{Ext}_{K(1), K(1)}^s(K(1)_*, K(1)_*) \xrightarrow{\delta} \cdots, \end{aligned}$$

in which $\text{Ext}_{K(1), K(1)}^s(K(1)_*, K(1)_*) = K(1)_*[h_{10}] \otimes A(\rho_1)$ shown in [10]. Furthermore, the structure on a yields $\delta(x) = xh_{10}$. Thus we see that $E_2^s(v_1^{-1} Y)$

$= \text{Ext}_{K(1)_*K(1)}^s(K(1)_*, K(1)_* \otimes A(a)) = K(1)_* \otimes A(\rho_1)$. Since $E_2^s(v_1^{-1}Y) = 0$ if $s > 1$, $d_r = 0$ in the Adams-Novikov spectral sequence, and we see that $E_\infty^s(v_1^{-1}Y) = E_2^s(v_1^{-1}Y)$. The sparseness of the spectral sequence implies the triviality of the problem of extension and we obtain the homotopy groups. q.e.d.

LEMMA 6.2. $\pi_*(v_1^{-1}M_2 \wedge X) = K(1)_* \otimes A(\rho_1, b)$, where $|b| = 4$ and the Adams-Novikov filtration of b is 0.

PROOF. Note that $M_2 \wedge X = Y \wedge M_v$. The generator $v \in \pi_3(S^0)$ induces the map $v : \Sigma^3 v_1^{-1}Y \rightarrow v_1^{-1}Y$. Then, $v_* : BP_*(v_1^{-1}Y) \rightarrow BP_*(v_1^{-1}Y)$ is trivial and so we have a long exact sequence

$$\dots \rightarrow E_2^{s-1}(v_1^{-1}Y) \xrightarrow{\delta} E_2^s(v_1^{-1}Y) \rightarrow E_2^s(v_1^{-1}Y \wedge M_v) \rightarrow \dots$$

of E_2 -terms. We compute $BP_*(Y \wedge M_v) = BP_*/(2) \otimes A(a, b)$ with $|b| = 4$ and $\psi(b) = b + t_1^2$, and so we compute

$$\begin{aligned} \delta(x) &= [i^{-1}d(bx)] = [t_1^2 \otimes x] \\ &= [v_1 t_1 \otimes x] = [d(v_1 ax)] \\ &= 0, \end{aligned}$$

in which we use the relations $\eta_R(v_2) = 0 = v_2$ in $K(1)_*K(1)$ and $\eta_R(v_2) = v_2 + v_1 t_1^2 - v_1^2 t_1$. Thus we have the desired homotopy groups. The filtration of b is read off from the short exact sequence turned from the above long exact sequence. q.e.d.

LEMMA 6.3. $\pi_*(v_1^{-1}W) = K(1)_* \otimes A(b, h_{20})$, where $|h_{20}| = 5$ and the Adams-Novikov filtration of h_{20} is 1.

PROOF. We see that the map $1 \wedge \gamma : \Sigma^5 M_2 \wedge X \rightarrow M_2 \wedge X$ induces an isomorphism $E_2^0(v_1^{-1}M_2 \wedge X) \cong E_2^1(v_1^{-1}M_2 \wedge X)$ by Lemma 2.1, since $\rho_1 = h_{20}$ and $\delta(x) = xh_{20}$. Now consider the exact sequence associated to the cofiber sequence (2.5) that defines W , and we obtain the lemma in the same manner as the above one. q.e.d.

These lemmas imply the following

COROLLARY 6.4. The E_2 -term $E_2^s(v_1^{-1}W)$ of the Adams-Novikov spectral sequence for $\pi_*(v_1^{-1}W)$ is isomorphic to $K(1)_* \otimes A(b)$ if $s = 0, 1$, and 0 if $s > 1$.

7. Self homotopy sets

By (2.3), we obtain $BP_*(W(2k)) = BP_*/(2, v_1^{2k}) \otimes A(a, b, c)$. The E_2 -terms for computing $\pi_*(L_2 W(2k))$ are read off from Theorem 4.4, which are stated in Corollary 1.2. Furthermore, we see that

PROPOSITION 7.1. $[W(2k), W(2k)]_{-4k-7} = \mathbf{Z}/4$ for $k > 0$.

PROOF. Note first that $[M_2, W(2k)]_s = 0$ if $s < -1$. A filtration given by the skeleton of $W(2k)$ yields a spectral sequence

$$\bigvee_{j \in J_k} [M_2, W(2k)]_{s+j} \implies [W(2k), W(2k)]_s.$$

Here $J_k = \{0, 2, 4, 6, 4k + 1, 4k + 3, 4k + 5, 4k + 7\}$. Therefore, we have

$$[M_2, W(2k)]_0 \cong [W(2k), W(2k)]_{-4k-7}.$$

Besides, $[M_2, W(2k)]_0 = [M_2, M_2]_0 = \mathbf{Z}/4$ and we have the proposition.

q.e.d.

COROLLARY 7.2. $2 \cdot 1_{W(2k)} \neq 0$ for $k > 0$.

PROOF. Take a generator $x \in [W(2k), W(2k)]_{-4k-7}$. Then x induces a map $x_* : [W(2k), W(2k)]_0 \rightarrow [W(2k), W(2k)]_{-4k-7}$ such that $x_*(2 \cdot 1_{W(2k)}) = 2x \neq 0$ by Proposition 7.1.

q.e.d.

8. Homotopy groups $\pi_*(L_2W)$

Applying the homotopy theory $E(2)_*(-)$ to the cofiber sequence (2.6) generates the short exact sequence $0 \rightarrow E(2)_*(W) \rightarrow v_1^{-1}E(2)_*(W) \rightarrow E(2)_*(W(\infty)) \rightarrow 0$, and hence the long exact sequence

$$E_2^s(L_2W) \longrightarrow E_2^s(v_1^{-1}W) \longrightarrow E_2^s(L_2W(\infty)) \xrightarrow{\delta} E_2^{s+1}(L_2W)$$

of E_2 -terms. The E_2 -terms $E_2^*(v_1^{-1}W)$ and $E_2^*(L_2W(\infty))$ are determined in Corollary 6.4 and Theorem 4.4. Therefore, the long exact sequence splits into the exact sequences

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &\rightarrow E_2^0(L_2W) \rightarrow K(1)_* \otimes A(b) \rightarrow C(\infty)\langle 1 \rangle \\ &\rightarrow E_2^1(L_2W) \rightarrow K(1)_* \otimes A(b) \rightarrow 0, \quad \text{and} \\ 0 &\rightarrow E_2^s(L_2W(\infty)) \rightarrow E_2^{s+1}(L_2W) \rightarrow 0 \quad (s > 0). \end{aligned}$$

These show Corollary 1.3 in the introduction.

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