

## ON $F$ -PROJECTIVE STABLE STEMS

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In this note we study  $F$ -projective stable stems in dimension  $n$  with  $7 \leq n \leq 22$ , where  $F$  denotes the complex ( $F=C$ ) or quaternionic ( $F=H$ ) number field. D. Randall [9] determined them in dimension  $\leq 6$ .

We use the notations and terminologies defined in the previous paper [8] or the book of Toda [11] without any reference.

### 1. Definitions and results

Given a pointed space  $X$  and a positive integer  $m$ , we define

$$\pi_m^{SF}(X) = \begin{cases} \text{image of } p_n^*: \{FP_n, X\} \rightarrow \{S^{nd-1}, X\} & \text{if } m = nd-1 \\ 0 & \text{if } m \not\equiv -1 \pmod{d}. \end{cases}$$

An element of  $\pi_m^{SF}(X)$  is said to be  $F$ -projective. In this note we only consider the case of  $X$  being the spheres. Remark that  $\pi_{nd-1}^{SF}(S^l)$  is a subgroup of  $G_{nd-l-1}$ . We say that the  $m$ -stem  $G_m$  is *fully  $F$ -projective* if there exist integers  $l$  and  $n$  with  $m=nd-l-1$  and  $\pi_{nd-1}^{SF}(S^l)=G_m$ .

Given a positive integer  $m$ , we consider the following problems.

- (Q.1) <sub>$m$</sub>  Compute  $\pi_{nd-1}^{SF}(S^l)$  for each  $n$  and  $l$  with  $m=nd-l-1$ .
- (Q.2) <sub>$m$</sub>  What elements of  $G_m$  are  $F$ -projective?
- (Q.3) <sub>$m$</sub>  Is  $G_m$  fully  $F$ -projective?

Of course answers of (Q.1) <sub>$m$</sub>  solve (Q.2) <sub>$m$</sub>  and (Q.3) <sub>$m$</sub> . Our main results are tabled as follows. Here 0 means that the problem is completely solved but no signed place not completely solved yet\*). Details are given in (1.6) and § 2.

In what follows in this section we prove some general results. Since  $p_n^H$  is the composition of  $p_{2n}^C$  and the canonical map  $CP_{2n} \rightarrow HP_n$ , we have

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\*) Recently in his dissertation, R.E. Snow has determined the  $C$ -projectivity of the 2-components for the stems less than or equal to 15.

		(Q.1) <sub>m</sub>		(Q.2) <sub>m</sub>		(Q.3) <sub>m</sub>	
<i>m</i>	<i>F</i>	<i>H</i>	<i>C</i>	<i>H</i>	<i>C</i>	<i>H</i>	<i>C</i>
7		0	0	0	0	no	no
8		0		0	0	no	yes
9		0	0	0	0	no	yes
10		0		0	0	no	yes
11		0	0	0	0	yes	yes
13		0	0	0	0	yes	yes
15					0	no	yes
17						no	
21					0		yes
22				0	0	yes	yes

**Proposition 1.1.**  $\pi_{4n-1}^{SH}(S^l)$  is contained in  $\pi_{4n-1}^{SC}(S^l)$  for any  $l$  and  $n$ .

We have also

**Proposition 1.2.** If  $a \in G_m$  or  $b \in G_n$  is  $F$ -projective, then  $ab \in G_{m+n}$  is  $F$ -projective.

**Proposition 1.3.** If  $0 \leq j < d$ ,  $\pi_{(n+k)d-1}^{SF}(S^{nd-j})$  is equal to the image of  $p_{n+k,k}^* : \{FP_{n+k,k}, S^{nd-j}\} \rightarrow \{S^{(n+k)d-1}, S^{nd-j}\}$ .

These can be proved easily so we omit the details.

In [7] we proved the following.

**Proposition 1.4.**  $\pi_{(n+k)d-1}^{SF}(S^{nd})$  contains a cyclic subgroup of the order  $\text{den}[F\{n, k\} \alpha_F(n, k)]$ .

Recall that  $FP_{n+k,k}$  can be identified with the Thom space  $(FP_k)^{n\xi_k}$  [3]. Let  $M_k(F)$  be the order of  $\xi_k$  in the  $J$ -group  $J(FP_k)$ , which was determined by Adams-Walker [2] and Sigrist-Suter [10]. Then we have

**Proposition 1.5.** If  $m \equiv n \pmod{M_{k+1}(F)}$ , then

$$\pi_{(m+k)d-1}^{SF}(S^{md-j}) = \pi_{(n+k)d-1}^{SF}(S^{nd-j})$$

for  $0 \leq j < d$ .

Proof. For a vector bundle  $\tau$ ,  $S(\tau)$  and  $D(\tau)$  denote the associated sphere and disk bundle respectively. Without any loss of generality we may assume  $m > n$ . By assumption there exists an integer  $l$  and a fibre homotopy equivalence [3]

$$f': S((m-n)\xi_{k+1} \oplus \underline{l}) \rightarrow S((m-n)d+l)$$

where  $\underline{j}$  denotes the real  $j$ -dimensional trivial vector bundle over  $FP_{k+1}$ . Naturally we can extend  $f'$  to a fibre homotopy equivalence

$$D((m-n)\xi_{k+1} \oplus \underline{l}) \rightarrow D((m-n)d+l)$$

and to a fibre homotopy equivalence

$$f'': (D(m\xi_{k+1} \oplus \underline{l}), S(m\xi_{k+1} \oplus \underline{l})) \rightarrow (D(n\xi_{k+1} \oplus ((m-n)d+l), S(n\xi_{k+1} \oplus ((m-n)d+l))).$$

Hence we have a homotopy equivalence

$$f''': E^l FP_{m+k+1, k+1} = (FP_{k+1})^{m\xi_{k+1} \oplus \underline{l}} \rightarrow (FP_{k+1})^{n\xi_{k+1} \oplus ((m-n)d+l)} = E^{(m-n)d+l} FP_{n+k+1, k+1}$$

where  $E$  denotes the reduced suspension. Consider the following diagram in which the horizontal sequences are the natural cofibrations.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} E^l S^{(m+k)d-1} & \xrightarrow{E^l p_{m+k, k}} & E^l FP_{m+k, k} & \begin{array}{c} i \\ \subset \\ E^l FP_{m+k+1, k+1} \end{array} \\ E^{(m-n)d+l} S^{(n+k)d-1} & \xrightarrow{E^{(m-n)d+l} p_{n+k, k}} & E^{(m-n)d+l} FP_{n+k, k} & \begin{array}{c} i \\ \subset \\ E^{(m-n)d+l} FP_{n+k+1, k+1} \end{array} \\ & & & \downarrow f''' \\ & & & \xrightarrow{q} E^{l+1} S^{(m+k)d-1} \\ & & & \xrightarrow{q} E^{(m-n)d+l+1} S^{(n+k)d-1} \end{array}$$

By cellular approximation we may assume that there exists

$$f: E^l FP_{m+k, k} \rightarrow E^{(m-n)d+l} FP_{n+k, k}$$

with  $i \circ f = f''' \circ i$  and so there exists

$$h: E^{l+1} S^{(m+k)d-1} \rightarrow E^{(m-n)d+l+1} S^{(n+k)d-1}$$

with  $h \circ q = q \circ f'''$ . In the stable category  $f$  is clearly an equivalence and so  $h$  is an equivalence, too. Therefore in the stable category we have the following commutative square in which the vertical stable maps are equivalences.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 S^{(m+k)d-1} & \xrightarrow{P_{m+k,k}} & FP_{m+k,k} \\
 \downarrow h & & \downarrow f \\
 E^{(m-n)d} S^{(n+k)d-1} & \xrightarrow{E^{(m-n)d} P_{n+k,k}} & E^{(m-n)d} FP_{n+k,k} .
 \end{array}$$

This and (1.3) complete the proof.

We prove a negative result.

**Theorem 1.6.** *Let  $\mu_k$  ( $k \geq 0$ ) denote the Adams element in  $G_{8k+1}$  [1]. Then  $\mu_k$  is not  $H$ -projective.*

Proof. Consider a commutative diagram in which  $f$  and  $f'$  are stable maps

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 S^{4n+8k-1} & \xrightarrow{P_{n+2k,2k}} & HP_{n+2k,2k} & \subset & HP_{n+2k+1,2k+1} \\
 \downarrow = & & \downarrow f & & \downarrow f' \\
 S^{4n+8k-1} & \xrightarrow{f \circ P_{n+2k,2k}} & S^{4n-2} & \longrightarrow & C(f \circ P_{n+2k,2k}) .
 \end{array}$$

Apply  $\tilde{K}$  to this diagram; since  $\tilde{K}(X)=0$  if  $X$  is a finite complex with cells of only odd dimensions, we have the following commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 0 \longleftarrow & \tilde{K}(HP_{n+2k,2k}) & \longleftarrow & \tilde{K}(HP_{n+2k+1,2k+1}) & \longleftarrow & \tilde{K}(S^{4n+8k}) & \longleftarrow 0 \\
 & \uparrow f^* & & \uparrow f'^* & & \uparrow = & \\
 0 \longleftarrow & \tilde{K}(S^{4n-2}) & \longleftarrow & \tilde{K}(C(f \circ P_{n+2k,2k})) & \longleftarrow & \tilde{K}(S^{4n+8k}) & \longleftarrow 0
 \end{array}$$

Let  $a \in \tilde{K}(C(f \circ P_{n+2k,2k}))$  be an element which maps to the generator  $g_C^{2n-1} \in \tilde{K}(S^{4n-2})$ , and  $b \in \tilde{K}(C(f \circ P_{n+2k,2k}))$  be the generator of the image of  $\pi^*$  with  $f'^*(b) = z^{n+2k}$ . Then  $a$  and  $b$  generate  $\tilde{K}(C(f \circ P_{n+2k,2k}))$ . We have

$$\psi^2(a) = 2^{2n-1}a + \lambda b$$

for some integer  $\lambda$ , and

$$e_C(f \circ P_{n+2k,2k}) = \lambda / (2^{2n+4k} - 2^{2n-1}) .$$

Put  $f'^*(a) = \sum_{i=0}^{2k} a_i z^{n+i}$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned}
 \psi^2(f'^*(a)) &= \sum_i a_i (z^2 + 4z)^{n+i} = \sum_{i,j} a_i \binom{n+i}{j-i} 4^{n+2i-j} z^{n+j} , \\
 \psi^2(f'^*(a)) &= f'^*(\psi^2(a)) = 2^{2n-1} \sum_{i=0}^{2k} a_i z^{n+i} + \lambda z^{n+2k} .
 \end{aligned}$$

Comparing the coefficients of  $z^{n+2k}$ , we have

$$\lambda = \sum_{i=0}^{2k-1} a_i \binom{n+i}{2k-i} 4^{n+2i-2k} + (2^{2n+4k} - 2^{2n-1}) a_{2k}$$

and so

$$e_C(f \circ p_{n+2k, 2k}) = \sum_{i=0}^{2k-1} a_i \binom{n+i}{2k-i} 4^{n+2i-2k} / (2^{2n+4k} - 2^{2n-1}).$$

On the other hand

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= f^*(ch(g_C^{2n-1})) = ch(f^*(g_C^{2n-1})) = \sum_{i=0}^{2k-1} a_i (ch(z))^{n+i} \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^{2k-1} a_i (\phi_H(t))^{n+i}. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $\phi_H(t) = t + \text{higher terms}$ , we have

$$a_0 = a_1 = \dots = a_{2k-1} = 0$$

and then

$$e_C(f \circ p_{n+2k, 2k}) = 0.$$

Since  $\mu_k$  has non-trivial  $e_C$ -invariant, the conclusion follows.

Since  $\mu_0 = \eta$ ,  $\mu_0$  is  $C$ -projective. We shall prove that  $\mu_1$  is  $C$ -projective (2.9).

### 2. Computations

From now on, we work in the stable category of pointed spaces and stable maps between them with exceptions in (2.3), (ii) of (2.4), (2.5) and (2.7).

Concerning with  $F$ -projective 7-stems we have

- Theorem 2.1.** (i)  $\pi_{4n+7}^{SH}(S^{4n}) \cong Z/\text{den}[H\{n, 2\}\alpha_H(n, 2)]$ .  
 (ii)  $\pi_{2n+7}^{SC}(S^{2n}) \cong Z/\text{den}[C\{n, 4\}\alpha_C(n, 4)]$ .

Proof. Given  $f \in \{HP_{n+2, 2}, S^{4n}\}$ , we have

$$e_C(f \circ p_{n+2, 2}) = -\text{deg}(f)\alpha_H(n, 2)$$

from Theorem 1.1 of [7]. Since  $e_C: G_7 \rightarrow Z/2^4 \cdot 3 \cdot 5$  is an isomorphism, the conclusion (i) follows. By the same methods (ii) follows too.

By an easy calculation we have

$$\text{den}[H\{n, 2\}\alpha_H(n, 2)] \mid 2^2 \cdot 3 \cdot 5$$

and these are equal when for example  $n=4$ , and

$$\text{den}[C\{n, 4\}\alpha_C(n, 4)] \mid 2^3 \cdot 3 \cdot 5$$

and these are equal when for example  $n=13$ . Thus, since  $G_7 = Z_2^4\{\sigma\} \oplus Z_{15}$ , we have

**Corollary 2.2.**  $2\sigma \in G_7$  is not  $H$ -projective but  $C$ -projective, and  $\sigma$  is not  $C$ -projective.

Recall that  $g_4 = p_2^H: S^7 \rightarrow S^4$  denotes the Hopf map. Let  $g_n = E^{n-4}g_4 \in \pi_{n+3}(S^n)$  for  $n > 4$ . Then we have

**Lemma 2.3.**  $g_5 = \nu_5 + \alpha_1(5)$ .

We have also

**Lemma 2.4.** (i)  $\langle \eta, m\nu, n\nu \rangle = \langle \eta, mg_\infty, ng_\infty \rangle \supset \frac{1}{2} mn \langle \eta, 2\nu, \nu \rangle$  for any integers  $m$  and  $n$  with  $mn \equiv 0 \pmod{2}$ .

(ii)  $\{\eta_5, \nu_6, 2\nu_9\}_1 = \{\eta_5, mg_6, 2ng_9\}_1 = \varepsilon_5$  for any odd integers  $m$  and  $n$ .

*Proof.* We have

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \eta, mg_\infty, ng_\infty \rangle &= \langle \eta, m\nu, ng_\infty \rangle + \langle \eta, m\alpha_1, ng_\infty \rangle && \text{by (3.8) of [11],} \\ \langle \eta, m\nu, ng_\infty \rangle &\subset \langle \eta, m\nu, n\nu \rangle + \langle \eta, m\nu, n\alpha_1 \rangle && \text{by (3.8) of ibid.,} \\ \langle \eta, m\nu, n\alpha_1 \rangle &= \langle \eta, m\nu, 16n\alpha_1 \rangle && \text{since } 3\alpha_1 = 0 \\ &\subset \langle \eta, 16m\nu, n\alpha_1 \rangle && \text{by (3.5) of ibid.,} \\ &\equiv 0 && \text{since } 8\nu = 0, \end{aligned}$$

and so

$$\langle \eta, m\nu, ng_\infty \rangle \subset \langle \eta, m\nu, n\nu \rangle$$

but their indeterminacies are equal to  $\eta G_7$ , hence

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \eta, m\nu, ng_\infty \rangle &= \langle \eta, m\nu, n\nu \rangle \\ &\supset \frac{1}{2} mn \langle \eta, 2\nu, \nu \rangle && \text{by (3.5) and (3.8) of [11].} \end{aligned}$$

We have also

$$\langle \eta, m\alpha_1, ng_\infty \rangle = \langle \eta, 4m\alpha_1, ng_\infty \rangle \supset \langle 4\eta, m\alpha_1, ng_\infty \rangle \equiv 0$$

and so

$$\langle \eta, m\alpha_1, ng_\infty \rangle \equiv 0$$

and then

$$\langle \eta, mg_\infty, ng_\infty \rangle = \langle \eta, m\nu, n\nu \rangle \supset \frac{1}{2} mn \langle \eta, 2\nu, \nu \rangle.$$

Thus the conclusion (i) follows.

By the proof of (6.1) of [11]

$$E^2\varepsilon_3 = \varepsilon_5 = \{\eta_5, \nu_6, 2\nu_9\}_1.$$

Given  $a \in \pi_{11}(S^8)$  and  $b \in \pi_8(S^5)$  with  $b \circ a = 0$ , we consider the Toda bracket

$$\{\eta_5, E^1b, E^1a\}_1 \in \pi_{13}(S^5)/(\pi_{10}(S^5)E^2a + \eta_5E^1\pi_{12}(S^5)).$$

By Toda [11] it is easy to see that  $\eta_5E^1\pi_{12}(S^5) = \pi_{10}(S^5)E^2a = 0$ . Hence  $\{\eta_5, E^1b, E^1a\}_1$  consists of a single element. Then by the same methods as the proof of (i) we have

$$\{\eta_5, \nu_6, 2\nu_9\}_1 = \{m\nu_6, 2n\nu_9\}_1 = \{\eta_5, mg_6, 2ng_9\}_1$$

for any odd integers  $m$  and  $n$ . Thus the conclusion (ii) follows.

We have

**Lemma 2.5.** (i)  $i^*: \{HP_{n+2,2}, S^{4n-1}\} \rightarrow \{S^{4n}, S^{4n-1}\}$  is an isomorphism.

(ii)  $i^*: \{HP_{n+2,2}, S^{4n-2}\} \rightarrow \{S^{4n}, S^{4n-2}\}$  is an isomorphism if  $n$  is odd.

(iii) If  $n$  is even, we have a split exact sequence:

$$0 \rightarrow \{S^{4n+4}, S^{4n-2}\} \xrightarrow{q^*} \{HP_{n+2,2}, S^{4n-2}\} \xrightarrow{i^*} \{S^{4n}, S^{4n-2}\} \rightarrow 0.$$

Proof. Considering the Puppe exact sequence associated with the cofibration  $S^{4n+3} \rightarrow HP_{n+1,1} \subset HP_{n+2,2}$ , we obtain (i), since  $G_4 = G_5 = 0$ . Recall that

$$p_{n+1,1} = ng_{4n}: S^{4n+3} \rightarrow HP_{n+1,1} = S^{4n}$$

from [5] (or see (1.14) of [8]). We have the following exact sequence:

$$\begin{aligned} \{S^{4n+1}, S^{4n-2}\} &\xrightarrow{p_{n+1,1}^*} \{S^{4n+4}, S^{4n-2}\} \xrightarrow{q^*} \{HP_{n+2,2}, S^{4n-2}\} \\ &= Z_{24}\{g_\infty\} \qquad \qquad \qquad = Z_2\{\nu^2\} \\ &\xrightarrow{i^*} \{S^{4n}, S^{4n-2}\} \rightarrow \{S^{4n+3}, S^{4n-2}\} \\ &\qquad \qquad \qquad \qquad \qquad \qquad = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Since  $p_{n+1,1}^*(g_\infty) = ng_\infty^2 = n\nu^2$ ,  $p_{n+1,1}^*$  is epimorphic and  $i^*$  is isomorphic if  $n$  is odd. Thus the conclusion (ii) follows. If  $n$  is even,  $p_{n+1,1}^* = 0$  and we obtain the short exact sequence in (iii). Hence  $\{HP_{n+2,2}, S^{4n-2}\} \cong Z_4$  or  $Z_2 \oplus Z_2$ . Suppose that  $\{HP_{n+2,2}, S^{4n-2}\} \cong Z_4$ . Then  $q^*(\nu^2)$  is divisible by 2. Hence  $p_{n+2,2}^*(q^*(\nu^2)) = 0$  since  $2G_9 = 0$ . But  $q \circ p_{n+2,2} = p_{n+2,1} = (n+1)g_{4n+4}$ , therefore  $p_{n+2,2}^*(q^*(\nu^2)) = (n+1)\nu^3 \neq 0$ . This is a contradiction. Thus  $\{HP_{n+2,2}, S^{4n-2}\} \cong Z_2 \oplus Z_2$ . This completes the proof.

Recall that  $KO^*(HP_n) = KO^*[\xi]/(\xi^n)$ . Using the complexification  $c: KO^* \rightarrow K^*$  we can easily prove the following. Details are omitted.

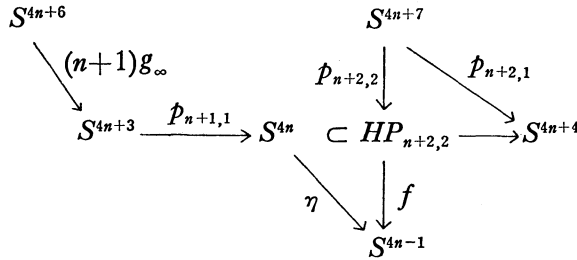
**Lemma 2.6.**  $\psi^3(\xi) = 3^4\xi + 3^3y_1\xi^2 + 3^2y_2\xi^3$ .

Now we determine  $H$ -projective 8 and 9-stems. Recall that  $G_8 = Z_2\{\bar{\nu}\} \oplus Z_2\{\varepsilon\}$  and  $G_9 = Z_2\{\nu^3\} \oplus Z_2\{\eta\varepsilon\} \oplus Z_2\{\mu\}$  with the relations  $\eta\sigma = \bar{\nu} + \varepsilon$  and  $\eta\bar{\nu} = \nu^3$ . We have

**Theorem 2.7.** *The groups  $\pi_{4n+7}^{SH}(S^{4n-j})$  ( $j=1, 2$ ) are given by the following table.*

$n \bmod (4)$	$\pi_{4n+7}^{SH}(S^{4n-1})$	$\pi_{4n+7}^{SH}(S^{4n-2})$
1	$Z_2\{\varepsilon\}$	$Z_2\{\eta\varepsilon\}$
2	$Z_2\{\bar{\nu}\}$	$Z_2\{\nu^3\}$
3	$Z_2\{\eta\sigma\}$	$Z_2\{\eta^2\sigma\}$
0	0	$Z_2\{\nu^3\}$

Proof. By (i) of (2.5),  $\{HP_{n+2,2}, S^{4n-1}\} \cong Z_2$ . Let  $f$  be a generator of it. Then  $\pi_{4n+7}^{SH}(S^{4n-1})$  is a subgroup of  $G_8$  generated by  $f \circ p_{n+2,2}$  and we have the following commutative diagram



Since  $p_{n+1,1} = ng_{4n}$  and  $p_{n+2,1} = (n+1)g_{4n+4}$ , we have

$$f \circ p_{n+2,2} \in \langle \eta, ng_\infty, (n+1)g_\infty \rangle.$$

By (i) of (2.4) this Toda bracket contains  $\frac{1}{2}n(n+1)\langle \eta, 2\nu, \nu \rangle$ . Hence

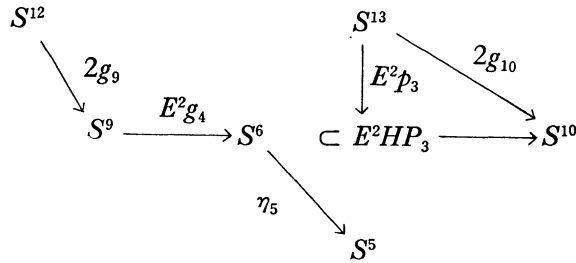
$$\begin{aligned}
 \langle \eta, ng_\infty, (n+1)g_\infty \rangle &= \begin{cases} \eta \circ G_7 & \text{if } n \equiv 0 \text{ or } 3 \pmod{4} \\ \langle \eta, 2\nu, \nu \rangle & \text{if } n \equiv 1 \text{ or } 2 \pmod{4} \end{cases} \\
 &= \begin{cases} \{0, \eta\sigma\} & \text{if } n \equiv 0 \text{ or } 3 \pmod{4} \\ \{\varepsilon, \bar{\nu}\} & \text{if } n \equiv 1 \text{ or } 2 \pmod{4} \end{cases}
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence

(\*)  $f \circ p_{n+2,2} = 0$  or  $\eta\sigma$  if  $n \equiv 0$  or  $3 \pmod{4}$ , and  $\varepsilon$  or  $\bar{\nu}$  if  $n \equiv 1$  or  $2 \pmod{4}$ .

Suppose that  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{4}$ . By (ii) of (2.4),  $\varepsilon_5 = \{\eta_5, ng_6, (n+1)g_9\}_1$ . Consider the following diagram:





Then we have

$$\varepsilon_5 \in \text{Image of } (E^2p_3)^*: [E^2HP_3, S^5] \rightarrow \pi_{13}(S^5)$$

and  $\varepsilon \in \pi_{11}^{SH}(S^3)$ , and then

$$\pi_{11}^{SH}(S^3) = Z_2\{\varepsilon\}.$$

If  $n \geq 2$ , we have

$$\varepsilon_{4n-1} = E^{4n-6}\{\eta_5, ng_6, (n+1)g_9\}_1 \in \{\eta_{4n-1}, ng_{4n}, (n+1)g_{4n+3}\}_{4n-5}$$

by Proposition (1.3) of [11]. Since the Toda bracket in the right hand is a coset of  $\pi_{4n+4}(S^{4n-1})(n+1)g_{4n+4} + \eta_{4n-1}E^{4n-5}\pi_{12}(S^5) = 0$ , we have

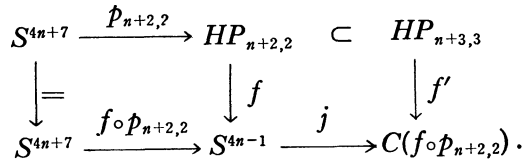
$$\varepsilon_{4n-1} = \{\eta_{4n-1}, ng_{4n}, (n+1)g_{4n+3}\}_{4n-5}.$$

Since  $[HP_{n+2,2}, S^{4n-1}] \cong \{HP_{n+2,2}, S^{4n-1}\}$ ,  $f$  is representable by an unstable map, we denote it by the same letter  $f$ . Then

$$\varepsilon_{4n-1} = f \circ p_{n+2,2}.$$

Thus  $\pi_{4n+7}^{SH}(S^{4n-1}) = Z_2\{\varepsilon\}$  if  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{4}$ . From (ii) of (2.5),  $\{HP_{n+2,2}, S^{4n-2}\} = \eta\{HP_{n+2,2}, S^{4n-1}\} \cong Z_2$  if  $n$  is odd. Hence  $\pi_{4n+7}^{SH}(S^{4n-2}) = Z_2\{\eta\varepsilon\}$  if  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{4}$ .

We use the Adams  $d_R$ - and  $e_R$ -invariants [1]. Let  $e_1 \in KO^{-1}$  be the generator, and put  $e_9 = g_R e_1 \in KO^{-9}$ . For  $f \in \{HP_{n+2,2}, S^{4n-1}\}$  we have the commutative diagram:



Apply  $\widetilde{KO}^{-4n-9}$  to this diagram, then we have the following commutative diagram in which the horizontal sequences are exact:

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 0 & \leftarrow & \widetilde{KO}^{-4n-9}(HP_{n+2,2}) & \leftarrow & \widetilde{KO}^{-4n-9}(HP_{n+3,3}) & \leftarrow & \widetilde{KO}^{-4n-9}(S^{4n+8}) \leftarrow 0 \\
 & & \uparrow f^* & & \uparrow f'^* & & \uparrow = \\
 0 & \leftarrow & \widetilde{KO}^{-4n-9}(S^{4n-1}) & \xleftarrow{j^*} & \widetilde{KO}^{-4n-9}(C(f \circ p_{n+2,2})) & \leftarrow & \widetilde{KO}^{-4n-9}(S^{4n+8}) \leftarrow 0.
 \end{array}$$

Let  $a \in \widetilde{KO}^{-4n-9}(C(f \circ p_{n+2,2}))$  be an element which maps to a generator of  $\widetilde{KO}^{-4n-9}(S^{4n-1}) \cong Z$ , and  $b \in \widetilde{KO}^{-4n-9}(C(f \circ p_{n+2,2}))$  be the element which is the image of the generator of  $\widetilde{KO}^{-4n-9}(S^{4n+8}) \cong Z_2$ . Since  $\widetilde{KO}^{-4n-9}(HP_{n+2,2}) = Z_2 \{e_9 \xi^n\}$  and  $\widetilde{KO}^{-4n-9}(HP_{n+3,3}) = Z_2 \{e_9 \xi^n\} \oplus Z_2 \{e_{15} \xi^{n+2}\}$  we have

$$f'^*(a) = xe_9 \xi^n + ye_{15} \xi^{n+2}$$

for some  $x, y \in Z_2$ . We have also

$$\psi^3(a) = 3^{4n+4}a + \lambda b$$

for some  $\lambda \in Z_2$ , and

$$e_R(f \circ p_{n+2,2}) = \lambda.$$

We have

$$\begin{aligned} f'^*(\psi^3(a)) &= f'^*(3^{4n+4}a + \lambda b) = 3^{4n+4}f'^*(a) + \lambda f'^*(b) \\ &= 3^{4n+4}xe_9 \xi^n + (3^{4n+4}y + \lambda)e_{15} \xi^{n+2}, \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} f'^*(\psi^3(a)) &= \psi^3(f'^*(a)) = \psi^3(xe_9 \xi^n + ye_{15} \xi^{n+2}) \\ &= x\psi^3(e_9)\psi^3(\xi^n) + y\psi^3(e_{15})\psi^3(\xi^{n+2}) \\ &= x3^4e_9(3^{4n}\xi^n + 3^{4n-1}ny_1\xi^{n+1} + 3^{4n-2}ny_2\xi^{n+2}) \\ &\quad + ye_{15}3^{4(n+2)}\xi^{n+2} \quad \text{by (2.6)} \\ &= x3^{4n+4}e_9\xi^n + (x3^{4n+2}n + y3^{4n+8})e_{15}\xi^{n+2} \quad \text{since } e_9y_1 = 0 \\ &\quad \text{and } e_9y_2 = e_1. \end{aligned}$$

Comparing the coefficients of  $e_{15}\xi^{n+2}$ , we have

$$\lambda = nx \quad (\text{in } Z_2).$$

On the other hand the following triangle is commutative by (i) of (2.5).

$$\begin{array}{ccc} S^{4n} = HP_{n+1,1} & \xrightarrow{i} & HP_{n+2,2} \\ & \searrow \eta & \downarrow f \\ & & S^{4n-1}. \end{array}$$

Hence we have the commutative triangle

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \widetilde{KO}^{-4n-9}(S^{4n}) & \xleftarrow{i^*} & \widetilde{KO}^{-4n-9}(HP_{n+2,2}) \\ & \swarrow \eta^* & \uparrow f^* \\ & & \widetilde{KO}^{-4n-9}(S^{4n-1}) \end{array}$$

and  $i^* f^* j^*(a) = x e_{g_5} \tilde{\xi}^n$  where  $j^*(a)$  is the generator of  $\widetilde{KO}^{-4n-9}(S^{4n-1}) \cong Z$ . Since  $\eta^* = d_R(\eta) \neq 0$ , we have  $x \neq 0$  and so

$$e_R(f \circ p_{n+2,2}) = n.$$

Since  $e_R(\eta\sigma) \neq 0$  [1], by (\*) we know that  $\pi_{4n+7}^{SH}(S^{4n-1}) = Z_2\{\eta\sigma\}$  if  $n \equiv 3 \pmod{4}$ , or 0 if  $n \equiv 0 \pmod{4}$ . Then  $\pi_{4n+7}^{SH}(S^{4n-2}) = Z_2\{\eta^2\sigma\}$  if  $n \equiv 3 \pmod{4}$  from (2.5).

Suppose that  $n$  is even. By the fact  $e_c(\nu^3) = e_c(\eta\varepsilon) = 0$  and the proof of (1.6), we see that

$$Z_2\{\nu^3\} \subset \pi_{4n+7}^{SH}(S^{4n-2}) \subset Z_2\{\nu^3\} \oplus Z_2\{\eta\varepsilon\}.$$

If  $\pi_{4n+7}^{SH}(S^{4n-2}) = Z_2\{\nu^3\} \oplus Z_2\{\eta\varepsilon\}$ ,  $\pi_{4n+7}^{SH}(S^{4n-2})$  contains the  $J$ -image  $\eta^2\sigma = \nu^3 + \eta\varepsilon$ , that is, there exists  $h \in \{HP_{n+2,2}, S^{4n-2}\}$  with  $h \circ p_{n+2,2} = \eta^2\sigma$ . Using  $\widetilde{KO}^{-4n-10}$  and the same methods as above we have

$$e_R(h \circ p_{n+2,2}) = nx = 0$$

for some  $x \in Z_2$ , but this is a contradiction since  $e_R(\eta^2\sigma) \neq 0$  [1]. Therefore

$$(**) \quad \pi_{4n+7}^{SH}(S^{4n-2}) = Z_2\{\nu^3\} \text{ if } n \text{ is even.}$$

Next suppose that  $n \equiv 2 \pmod{4}$ . By (\*),  $\pi_{4n+7}^{SH}(S^{4n-1}) = Z_2\{\bar{\nu}\}$  or  $Z_2\{\varepsilon\}$ . If  $\pi_{4n+7}^{SH}(S^{4n-1}) = Z_2\{\varepsilon\}$ ,  $\pi_{4n+7}^{SH}(S^{4n-2})$  contains  $\eta\varepsilon$ . This contradicts to (\*\*). Thus  $\pi_{4n+7}^{SH}(S^{4n-1}) = Z_2\{\bar{\nu}\}$  and the proof is completed.

Concerning with  $C$ -projective 8-stems we prove

**Theorem 2.8.**  $\pi_{2n+7}^{SC}(S^{2n-1})$  is equal to

- (i)  $G_8$  if  $n \equiv 2$  or  $4 \pmod{8}$ ,
- (ii)  $0$  if  $n$  is odd,
- (iii)  $Z_2\{\eta\sigma\}$  or  $G_8$  if  $n \equiv 0$  or  $6 \pmod{8}$ .

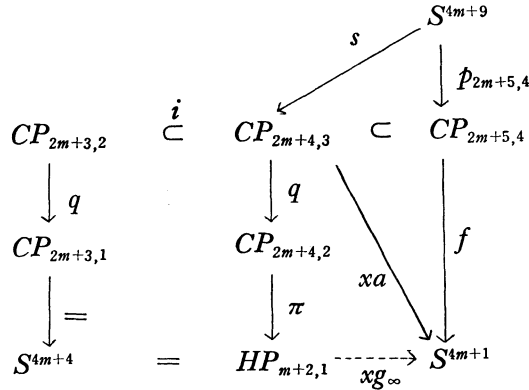
Proof. Suppose that  $n$  is even. Since  $q_3 \circ p_{n+4,4} = p_{n+4,1} = \eta$  from (i) of (1.13) of [8],  $\pi_{2n+7}^{SC}(S^{2n-1})$  contains  $\sigma \circ q_3 \circ p_{n+4,4} = \sigma\eta$ . Then by (1.1) and (2.7),  $\pi_{2n+7}^{SC}(S^{2n-1}) = G_8$  if  $n \equiv 2$  or  $4 \pmod{8}$ .

Next suppose that  $n$  is odd. Put  $n = 2m + 1$ . Consider the following Puppe exact sequences:

$$\begin{aligned} \{S^{4m+3}, S^{4m+1}\} &\xrightarrow{(Ep_{2m+2,1})^*} \{S^{4m+4}, S^{4m+1}\} \xrightarrow{q^*} \{CP_{2m+3,2}, S^{4m+1}\} \\ &\rightarrow \{S^{4m+2}, S^{4m+1}\} \xrightarrow{p_{2m+2,1}^*} \{S^{4m+3}, S^{4m+1}\}, \\ \{S^{4m+6}, S^{4m+1}\} &\xrightarrow{q^*} \{CP_{2m+4,3}, S^{4m+1}\} \xrightarrow{i^*} \{CP_{2m+3,2}, S^{4m+1}\} \\ &\rightarrow \{S^{4m+5}, S^{4m+1}\}. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $p_{2m+2,1} = \eta$  and  $\eta^3 = 12g_\infty$ ,  $\{CP_{2m+4,3}, S^{4m+1}\} \cong Z_{12}$ . Let  $a \in \{CP_{2m+4,3}, S^{4m+1}\}$

be an element with  $i^*(a)=q^*(g_\infty)$ . Then  $a$  is a generator. Let  $f \in \{CP_{2m+5,4}, S^{4m+1}\}$  be an element. Then  $f|_{CP_{2m+4,3}}=xa$  for some integer  $x$ . Consider the following commutative diagram:



where the fact  $p_{2m+5,1}=0$  assures the existence of  $s$ . We have

$$xg_\infty \circ \pi \circ q \circ i = xg_\infty \circ q = xa \circ i.$$

Since  $i^*$  is monomorphic in the above Puppe sequence, we have

$$xg_\infty \circ \pi \circ q = xa.$$

Then

$$f \circ p_{2m+5,4} = xa \circ s = xg_\infty \circ \pi \circ q \circ s = xg_\infty \circ 0 = 0$$

since  $\pi \circ q \circ s \in G_5 = 0$ . This completes the proof.

Concerning with  $C$ -projective 9-stems we prove

**Theorem 2.9.**  $\pi_{2n+9}^{SC}(S^{2n})$  is equal to

- (i)  $G_9$  if  $n \equiv 5, 7 \pmod{8}$ ,  $3, 9 \pmod{16}$ , or  $17 \pmod{32}$ ,
- (ii)  $Z_2\{\eta^2\sigma\} \oplus Z_2\{\eta\varepsilon\}$  if  $n \equiv 11 \pmod{16}$  or  $1 \pmod{32}$ ,
- (iii)  $Z_2\{\nu^3\}$  if  $n \equiv 0 \pmod{4}$ ,
- (iv)  $0$  if  $n \equiv 2 \pmod{4}$ .

Proof. By (1.1) of [7]

$$e_c(f \circ p_{n+5,5}) = -\deg(f)\alpha_c(n, 5)$$

for  $f \in \{CP_{n+5,5}, S^{2n}\}$ . Hence  $\pi_{2n+9}^{SC}(S^{2n})$  contains  $\mu$  if and only if  $\nu_2(C\{n, 5\} \times \alpha_c(n, 5)) = -1$ , since  $e_c(\mu) = \frac{1}{2}$  and  $e_c(\nu^3) = e_c(\eta\varepsilon) = e_c(\eta^2\sigma) = 0$ . By (1.16) and (3.1) of [8] and an elementary analysis, we have

$$\nu_2(C\{n, 5\}) = \begin{cases} 4 & \text{if } n \equiv 4, 5, 6 \text{ or } 7 \pmod{2^3} \\ 3 & \text{if } n \equiv 3 \pmod{2^3}, 8, 9 \text{ or } 10 \pmod{2^4} \\ 2 & \text{if } n \equiv 1, 2 \pmod{2^4} \text{ or } 16 \pmod{2^5} \\ 1 & \text{if } n \equiv 32 \pmod{2^6} \\ 0 & \text{if } n \equiv 0 \pmod{2^6}, \end{cases}$$

$$\nu_2(\alpha_C(n, 5)) = \begin{cases} -5 & \text{if } n \equiv 5 \text{ or } 7 \pmod{2^3} \\ -4 & \text{if } n \equiv 6 \pmod{2^3}, 3 \text{ or } 9 \pmod{2^4} \\ -3 & \text{if } n \equiv 10 \pmod{2^4}, 11 \text{ or } 17 \pmod{2^5} \\ -2 & \text{if } n \equiv 4, 8 \pmod{2^4}, 18 \pmod{2^5}, 27 \text{ or } 33 \pmod{2^6} \\ -1 & \text{if } n \equiv 16, 28 \pmod{2^5}, 2 \pmod{2^6} \text{ or } 59 \pmod{2^7} \\ \geq 0 & \text{if } n \equiv 0, 12 \pmod{2^5}, 1, 34 \pmod{2^6} \text{ or } 123 \pmod{2^7}. \end{cases}$$

Hence  $\pi_{2n+9}^{SC}(S^{2n})$  contains  $\mu$  if and only if  $n \equiv 5, 7 \pmod{2^3}, 3, 9 \pmod{2^4},$  or  $17 \pmod{2^5}$ .

If  $n$  is odd,  $q_4 \circ p_{n+5,5} = p_{n+5,1} = \eta$  and  $\pi_{2n+9}^{SC}(S^{2n})$  contains  $\{S^{2n+8}, S^{2n}\} \circ q_4 \circ p_{n+5,5} = G_8 \circ \eta = Z_2\{\eta^2\sigma\} \oplus Z_2\{\eta\varepsilon\}$ . Thus the conclusions (i) and (ii) follow.

Next consider the case of  $n$  being even. First we show that  $\pi_{2n+9}^{SC}(S^{2n})$  does not contain  $J$ -image  $\eta^2\sigma = \nu^3 + \eta\varepsilon$ . Consider a commutative diagram:

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} S^{2n+9} & \xrightarrow{p_{n+5,5}} & CP_{n+5,5} & \subset & CP_{n+6,6} \\ \downarrow = & & \downarrow f & & \downarrow f' \\ S^{2n+9} & \xrightarrow{f \circ p_{n+5,5}} & S^{2n} & \longrightarrow & C(f \circ p_{n+5,5}) \end{array}$$

We apply  $\widetilde{KO}$  if  $n \equiv 0 \pmod{4}$  or  $\widetilde{KO}^{-4}$  if  $n \equiv 2 \pmod{4}$  to this diagram. The methods for  $n \equiv 0 \pmod{4}$  and  $n \equiv 2 \pmod{4}$  are quite similar to a part of the proof of (2.7), so we sketch the proof only for  $n \equiv 0 \pmod{4}$ . Put  $n = 4m$ . We have the following commutative diagram:

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} 0 \leftarrow \widetilde{KO}(CP_{4m+5,5}) & \leftarrow & \widetilde{KO}(CP_{4m+6,6}) & \leftarrow & \widetilde{KO}(S^{8m+10}) & \leftarrow & 0 \\ \uparrow f^* & & \uparrow f'^* & & \uparrow = & & \\ 0 \leftarrow \widetilde{KO}(S^{8m}) & \leftarrow & \widetilde{KO}(C(f \circ p_{4m+5,5})) & \leftarrow & \widetilde{KO}(S^{8m+10}) & \leftarrow & 0. \end{array}$$

Let  $a$  and  $b$  be elements of  $\widetilde{KO}(C(f \circ p_{4m+5,5}))$  such that  $a$  maps to a generator of  $\widetilde{KO}(S^{8m}) \cong Z$  and  $b$  is the image of the generator of  $\widetilde{KO}(S^{8m+10}) \cong Z_2$ . Then

$$\psi^3(a) = 3^{4m}a + \lambda b$$

for some  $\lambda \in Z_2$ , and

$$e_R(f \circ p_{4m+5,5}) = \lambda .$$

Since  $\widetilde{KO}(CP_{4m+6,6}) = Z\{z_0^{2m}, z_0^{2m+1}, z_0^{2m+2}\} \oplus Z_2\{z_0^{2m+3}\}$  [4], we may put  $f^*(a) = \sum_{i=0}^3 d_i z_0^{2n+i}$  for some integers  $d_i$  ( $0 \leq i \leq 2$ ) and  $d_3 \in Z_2$ . Analysing the equation  $f'^*(\psi^3(a)) = \psi^3(f'^*(a))$ , we know that  $\lambda = 0$ . Hence  $J$ -image  $\eta^2\sigma$  is not contained in  $\pi_{2n+9}^{SC}(S^{2n})$ , since  $e_R(\eta^2\sigma) \neq 0$  [1]. Therefore  $\pi_{2n+9}^{SC}(S^{2n}) = 0, Z_2\{\nu^3\}$  or  $Z_2\{\eta\varepsilon\}$  if  $n$  is even.

Second we show (iii). Consider the following diagram in which the triangle is commutative by (1.15) of [8].

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 & & S^{2n+9} \\
 & & \swarrow \left(\frac{n}{2}+3\right)g_\infty \quad \downarrow p_{n+5,2} \\
 S^{2n+7} & \xrightarrow{p_{n+4,1}} & S^{2n+6} = CP_{n+4,1} \xrightarrow{i} CP_{n+5,2} \\
 & & \searrow \nu^2 \quad \downarrow \\
 & & S^{2n}
 \end{array}$$

Since  $p_{n+4,1} = \eta, \nu^2 p_{n+4,1} = 0$  and there exists  $h \in \{CP_{n+5,2}, S^{2n}\}$  with  $h \circ i = \nu^2$ . Then  $h \circ p_{n+5,2} = \nu^2 \circ \left(\frac{1}{2}n+3\right)g_\infty = \nu^3$  if  $n \equiv 0 \pmod{4}$  or  $0$  if  $n \equiv 2 \pmod{4}$ . Thus  $\pi_{2n+9}^{SC}(S^{2n}) = Z_2\{\nu^3\}$  if  $n \equiv 0 \pmod{4}$ , and the conclusion (iii) follows.

Third we show (iv). Suppose that  $n \equiv 2 \pmod{4}$ . Consider the following diagram in which the two horizontal and one vertical sequences are parts of suitable Puppe exact sequences.

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 & & \{S^{2n+4}, S^{2n}\} & = & 0 & & \\
 & & \downarrow & & & & \\
 \{S^{2n+6}, S^{2n}\} & \xrightarrow{q^*} & \{CP_{n+4,4}, S^{2n}\} & \xrightarrow{i^*} & \{CP_{n+3,3}, S^{2n}\} & \xrightarrow{p_{n+3,3}^*} & \{S^{2n+5}, S^{2n}\} \\
 & & & & & & = 0 \\
 & & & & \downarrow i'^* & & \\
 \{S^{2n+2}, S^{2n}\} & \xrightarrow{q_1^*} & \{CP_{n+2,2}, S^{2n}\} & \xrightarrow{i''^*} & \{S^{2n}, S^{2n}\} & & \\
 = Z_2\{\eta^2\} & & \downarrow p_{n+2,2}^* & & & & \\
 & & \{S^{2n+3}, S^{2n}\} & & & & \\
 & & = Z_{24}\{g_\infty\} & & & & 
 \end{array}$$

Since  $p_{n+2,1} = \eta$  and  $\eta^3 = 12g_\infty \neq 0, p_{n+2,1}^*$  is monomorphic and the image of  $q_1^*$  is not contained in the image of  $i'^*$ , and so  $\{CP_{n+3,3}, S^{2n}\} \cong Z$  and  $i^*$  is isomorphic on a free subgroup. Then we can choose  $h \in \{CP_{n+4,4}, S^{2n}\}$  which is a generator

of a free part and satisfies  $i''*i'*i^*(h) = \text{deg}(h) = C\{n, 4\}$ . Let  $s \in \{S^{2n+9}, CP_{n+4,4}\}$  be an element with  $p_{n+5,5} = i_1 \circ s$ . Let  $f$  be any element of  $\{CP_{n+5,5}, S^{2n}\}$ . Then  $f \circ i_1 = (\text{deg}(f)/C\{n, 4\})h + e \circ q$  for some  $e \in \{S^{2n+6}, S^{2n}\}$  and

$$f \circ p_{n+5,5} = f \circ i_1 \circ s = (\text{deg}(f)/C\{n, 4\})h \circ s + e \circ q \circ s.$$

Since  $q \circ s = (\frac{1}{2}n + 3)g_\infty$  or  $(\frac{1}{2}n + 15)g_\infty$  from (1.15) of [8],  $q \circ s$  is divisible by 2, and then

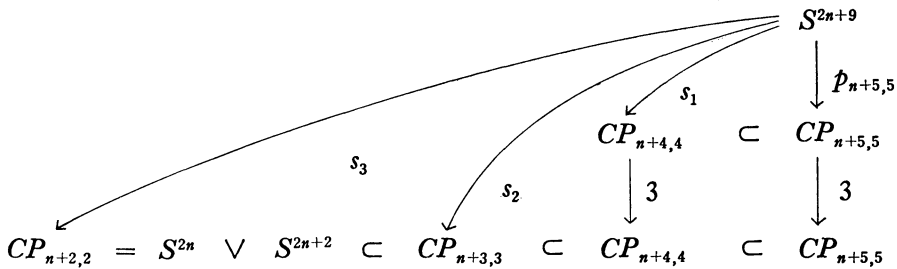
$$f \circ p_{n+5,5} = (\text{deg}(f)/C\{n, 4\})h \circ s$$

for  $\{S^{2n+6}, S^{2n}\} \cong Z_2$ . By (1.16) and (3.1) of [8], we know easily that

$$C\{n, 4\} = 24/(n, 24) = 2^2 \cdot 3 \left( \frac{1}{2}n, 3 \right),$$

$$\nu_2(C\{n, 5\}) = \begin{cases} 4 & \text{if } n \equiv 6 \pmod{8} \\ 3 & \text{if } n \equiv 10 \pmod{16} \\ 2 & \text{if } n \equiv 2 \pmod{16}. \end{cases}$$

Hence if  $n \equiv 6 \pmod{8}$  or  $10 \pmod{16}$ ,  $C\{n, 5\}/C\{n, 4\} \equiv 0 \pmod{2}$  and  $f \circ p_{n+5,5} = 0$  since  $\text{deg}(f)$  is a multiple of  $C\{n, 5\}$ . Thus the conclusion (iv) follows if  $n \equiv 6 \pmod{8}$  or  $10 \pmod{16}$ . In case of  $n \equiv 2 \pmod{16}$ , we constructed the following commutative diagram in the proof of (v) of (3.1) in [8] and found that  $q_1 \circ s_3$  is divisible by 2.



Choose  $u \in \{CP_{n+2,2}, S^{2n}\}$  with  $\text{deg}(u) = 1$ . Then  $f|_{CP_{n+2,2}} = \text{deg}(f)u + e \circ q_1$  for some  $e \in \{S^{2n+2}, S^{2n}\}$ , and

$$\begin{aligned} f \circ p_{n+5,5} &= 3f \circ p_{n+5,5}, & \text{since } 2G_0 &= 0 \\ &= f|_{CP_{n+2,2} \circ s_3} \\ &= \text{deg}(f)u \circ s_3 + e \circ q_1 \circ s_3 \\ &= \text{deg}(f)u \circ s_3, & \text{since } e \in G_2 = Z_2 \text{ and } 2|q_1 \circ s_3. \end{aligned}$$

By (1.16) and (3.1) of [8]

$$\nu_2(C\{n, 5\}) \geq 1$$

hence  $\deg(f) \equiv 0 \pmod{2}$  and

$$f \circ p_{n+5,5} = 0$$

since  $u \circ s_3 \in G_9$  and  $2G_9 = 0$ . Thus  $\pi_{2n+9}^{SC}(S^{2n}) = 0$  if  $n \equiv 2 \pmod{16}$  and the proof is completed.

We determine  $H$ -projective 10-stems. Recall that  $G_{10} = Z_2\{\eta\mu\} \oplus Z_3\{\beta_1\}$ .

**Theorem 2.10.**  $\pi_{4n+7}^{SH}(S^{4n-3}) = Z_3\{\beta_1\}$  if  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$  or 0 if  $n \not\equiv 1 \pmod{3}$ .

Proof. Consider the following diagram:

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 S^{4n+6} & & & & S^{4n+7} \\
 \searrow^{(n+1)g_\infty} & & & & \searrow^{p_{n+2,1}} \\
 & & S^{4n} & \subset & HP_{n+2,2} \\
 & \xrightarrow{p_{n+1,1}} & & & \downarrow^{i} \\
 S^{4n+3} & & & & S^{4n+4}
 \end{array}$$

Given  $f \in \{HP_{n+2,2}, S^{4n-3}\}$ , we have  $f \circ i = mg_\infty$  for some integer  $m$  with  $mn \equiv 0 \pmod{2}$ , since  $p_{n+1,1} = ng_\infty$  and  $0 = f \circ i \circ p_{n+1,1} = mnv^2$ . By definition of Toda bracket we have

$$f \circ p_{n+2,2} \in \langle f \circ i, p_{n+1,1}, (n+1)g_\infty \rangle.$$

Since all Toda brackets which appear in this proof have zero indeterminacies from a similar method as the proof of (i) of (2.4), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 \langle f \circ i, p_{n+1,1}, (n+1)g_\infty \rangle &= \langle mg_\infty, ng_\infty, (n+1)g_\infty \rangle \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} mn(n+1) \langle v, 2v, v \rangle + mn(n+1) \langle \alpha_1, \alpha_1, \alpha_1 \rangle.
 \end{aligned}$$

But

$$\begin{aligned}
 \langle v, 2v, v \rangle &= -\langle 2v, v, 2v \rangle && \text{by (3.10) of [11]} \\
 &= -\langle v, 4v, v \rangle && \text{by (3.5) of ibid.} \\
 &= -2\langle v, 2v, v \rangle && \text{by (3.8) of ibid.} \\
 &= 0
 \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\langle \alpha_1, \alpha_1, \alpha_1 \rangle = \beta_1 \quad \text{by p. 180 of ibid.}$$

and then

$$f \circ p_{n+2,2} = mn(n+1)\beta_1.$$

Conversely for any  $m$  with  $mn \equiv 0 \pmod{2}$  there exists  $f \in \{HP_{n+2,2}, S^{4n-3}\}$  with  $f \circ i = mg_\infty$ . Thus the conclusion follows.

We prove



**Theorem 2.11.**  $\pi_{2n+9}^{SC}(S^{2n-1})$  is equal to

- (i)  $G_{10}$  if  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{6}$ ,
- (ii)  $Z_2\{\eta\mu\}$  if  $n \equiv 3 \pmod{6}$ ,
- (iii)  $Z_3\{\beta_1\}$  if  $n \equiv 4 \pmod{6}$ ,
- (iv)  $0$  if  $n \equiv 0 \pmod{6}$ ,
- (v)  $0$  or  $Z_3\{\beta_1\}$  if  $n \equiv 2 \pmod{6}$ ,
- (vi)  $Z_2\{\eta\mu\}$  or  $G_{10}$  if  $n \equiv 5 \pmod{6}$ .

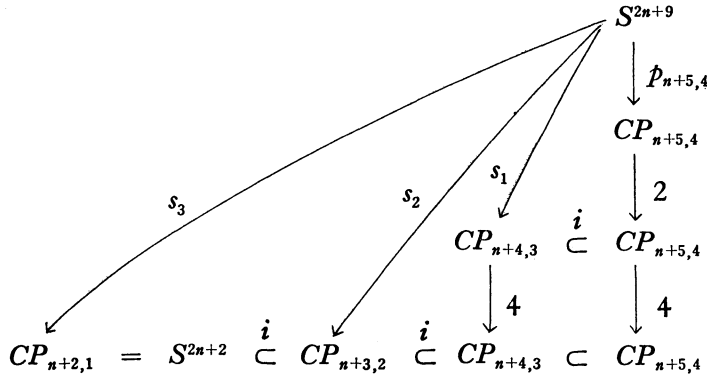
**Proof.** First we suppose that  $n$  is odd. Since  $q_4 \circ p_{n+5,5} = p_{n+5,1} = \eta$ ,  $\pi_{2n+9}^{SC}(S^{2n-1})$  contains  $\mu \circ q_4 \circ p_{n+5,5} = \mu\eta$  and (vi) follows, (i) also follows from (1.1) and (2.10). Given  $f \in \{CP_{n+5,5}, S^{2n-1}\}$ , we have

$$0 = f|_{CP_{n+1,1} \circ p_{n+1,1}} = f|_{CP_{n+1,1} \circ \eta}$$

so  $f|_{CP_{n+1,1}} = 0$  and

$$\pi_{2n+9}^{SC}(S^{2n-1}) = \text{image of } p_{n+5,4}^* : \{CP_{n+5,4}, S^{2n-1}\} \rightarrow \{S^{2n+9}, S^{2n-1}\}.$$

In case of  $n \equiv 3 \pmod{6}$  we construct a commutative diagram:



Since  $q_3 \circ p_{n+5,4} = p_{n+5,1} = \eta$ ,  $q_3 \circ 2p_{n+5,4} = 0$  and there exists  $s_1$  with  $i \circ s_1 = 2p_{n+5,4}$ . By (1.15) of [8]  $q_2 \circ s_1 = (n+3)g_\infty$ . Then  $4q_2 \circ s_1 = 0$  and there exists  $s_2$  with  $i \circ s_2 = 4s_1$ . Since  $q_1 \circ s_2 \in G_5 = 0$ , there exists  $s_3$  with  $i \circ s_3 = s_2$ . Thus the construction of the above diagram is completed. Given  $f \in \{CP_{n+5,4}, S^{2n-1}\}$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} 8f \circ p_{n+5,4} &= f|_{CP_{n+2,1} \circ s_3} \\ &= 0, \text{ since } G_3 \circ G_7 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

so  $\pi_{2n+9}^{SC}(S^{2n-1})$  does not contain  $Z_3\{\beta_1\}$  and hence (ii) follows.

Next we suppose that  $n$  is even. If  $\pi_{2n+9}^{SC}(S^{2n-1})$  contains  $\eta\mu$ , that is, there exists  $f \in \{CP_{n+5}, S^{2n-1}\}$  with  $f \circ p_{n+5} = \eta\mu$ , we have the following commutative triangle

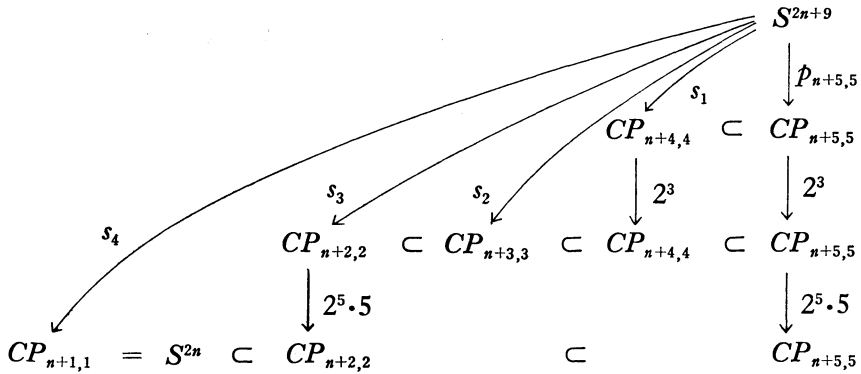
$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 & \widetilde{KO}^{-6n-9}(S^{2n-1}) & \\
 f^* \swarrow & & \searrow d_R(\eta\mu) \\
 \widetilde{KO}^{-6n-9}(CP_{n+5}) & \xrightarrow{p_{n+5}^*} & \widetilde{KO}^{-6n-9}(S^{2n+9})
 \end{array}$$

But  $6n+9 \equiv 1 \pmod{8}$  (if  $n \equiv 0 \pmod{4}$ ) or  $5 \pmod{8}$  (if  $n \equiv 2 \pmod{4}$ ) and hence  $\widetilde{KO}^{-6n-9}(CP_{n+5})=0$  by Theorem 2 of Fujii [4] and

$$d_R(\eta\mu) = p_{n+5}^* f^* = 0.$$

This is a contradiction since  $d_R(\eta\mu) \neq 0$  [1]. Thus  $\pi_{2n+9}^{SC}(S^{2n-1})$  does not contain  $\eta\mu$ . Hence (v) follows.

In case of  $n \equiv 0 \pmod{6}$ , we obtain the following commutative diagram by the methods used in the proof of (3.1) of [8].

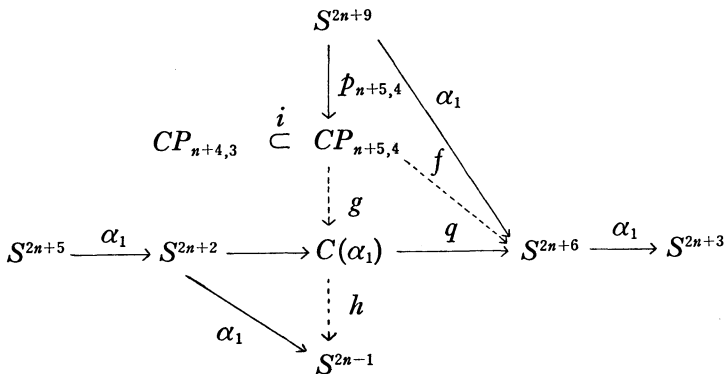


Given  $f \in \{CP_{n+5,5}, S^{2n-1}\}$ , we have

$$2^8 \cdot 5 f \circ p_{n+5,5} = f|_{CP_{n+1,1} \circ s_4} \in G_1 \circ G_9 = Z_2.$$

Thus  $\pi_{2n+9}^{SC}(S^{2n-1})$  does not contain  $Z_3\{\beta_1\}$ . Hence (iv) follows.

In case of  $n \equiv 4 \pmod{6}$ , we construct the following commutative diagram which implies (iii) since  $h \circ g \circ p_{n+5,4} \in \langle \alpha_1, \alpha_1, \alpha_1 \rangle = \beta_1$ .



$\alpha_1^2=0$  assures the existence of  $h$ . By Theorem 2.6 of Randall [9], there exists  $f$  with  $f \circ p_{n+5,4} = \alpha_1$ . Consider the Puppe exact sequence

$$\dots \rightarrow \{CP_{n+2,1}, S^{2n+2}\} \xrightarrow{p_{n+2,1}^*} \{S^{2n+3}, S^{2n+2}\} \rightarrow \{CP_{n+3,2}, S^{2n+3}\} \rightarrow \{CP_{n+2,1}, S^{2n+3}\} = 0 \rightarrow \dots$$

Since  $p_{n+2,1} = (n+1)\eta = \eta$ , the above  $p_{n+2,1}^*$  is an epimorphism, hence  $\{CP_{n+3,2}, S^{2n+3}\} = 0$ . Considering the suitable Puppe sequences, we know easily that  $i^*: \{CP_{n+5,4}, S^{2n+3}\} \rightarrow \{CP_{n+4,3}, S^{2n+3}\}$  and  $q_2^*: \{S^{2n+6}, S^{2n+6}\} \rightarrow \{CP_{n+4,3}, S^{2n+6}\}$  are isomorphisms. Consider the Puppe exact sequence

$$\dots \rightarrow \{CP_{n+3,2}, S^{2n+2}\} \xrightarrow{p_{n+3,2}^*} \{S^{2n+5}, S^{2n+2}\} \xrightarrow{q_2^*} \{CP_{n+4,3}, S^{2n+3}\} \rightarrow \{CP_{n+3,2}, S^{2n+3}\} = 0 \rightarrow \dots$$

Then we have the following diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} & & \{S^{2n+6}, S^{2n+6}\} & \xrightarrow{q_2^*} & \{CP_{n+4,3}, S^{2n+6}\} & & \\ & & \downarrow \alpha_{1*} & \cong & \downarrow \alpha_{1*} & & \\ 0 \rightarrow & \pi_{2n+5}^{SC}(S^{2n+2}) & \longrightarrow & \{S^{2n+6}, S^{2n+3}\} & \xrightarrow{q_2^*} & \{CP_{n+4,3}, S^{2n+3}\} & \longrightarrow 0 \\ & & & & \cong \uparrow i^* & & \\ & & & & \{CP_{n+5,4}, S^{2n+3}\} & & \end{array}$$

By Theorem 2.6 of [9],  $\alpha_1 \in \pi_{2n+5}^{SC}(S^{2n+2})$ . Hence the image of  $\alpha_{1*}$  in the left hand side is contained in  $\pi_{2n+5}^{SC}(S^{2n+2})$ , and the image of  $\alpha_{1*}$  in the right hand side is zero. Therefore  $i^*(\alpha_1 \circ f) = \alpha_{1*}(f \circ i) = 0$  and  $\alpha_1 \circ f = 0$ . Thus there exists  $g$  with  $q \circ g = f$ .

This completes the proof.

We determine  $F$ -projective 11-stem. Given  $f \in \{HP_{n+3,3}, S^{4n}\}$  we have

$$e'_R(f \circ p_{n+3,3}) = -\frac{1}{2} \deg(f) \alpha_H(n, 3)$$

by (1.5) of [8]. Since  $e'_R: G_{11} \rightarrow Z_{504}$  is an isomorphism, we have

**Theorem 2.12.**  $\pi_{4n+11}^{SH}(S^{4n}) \cong Z/\text{den} \left[ \frac{1}{2} H \{n, 3\} \alpha_H(n, 3) \right]$ .

We have also

**Theorem 2.13.**  $\pi_{2n+11}^{SC}(S^{2n})$  is isomorphic to

- (i)  $Z/2 \text{ den} [C \{n, 6\} \alpha_C(n, 6)]$  if  $n \equiv 0 \pmod{2}, 5, 7 \pmod{8}, 11 \pmod{16}, 1 \text{ or } 3 \pmod{32}$ ,

(ii)  $Z/\text{den}[C\{n, 6\}\alpha_C(n, 6)]$  if  $n \equiv 9 \pmod{16}$ , 17 or  $19 \pmod{32}$ .

Proof. Let  $u(n)$  be the order of the cyclic group  $\pi_{2n+11}^{S^C}(S^{2n})$ . Given  $f \in \{CP_{n+6,6}, S^{2n}\}$ , we have

$$e'_R(f \circ p_{n+6,6}) = \frac{1}{2} a_6(f) - \frac{1}{2} \text{deg}(f) \alpha_C(n, 6)$$

for some integer  $a_6(f)$  by (1.5) of [8]. Choose  $f_0$  with  $\text{deg}(f_0) = C\{n, 6\}$ . Then

$$u(n) = \text{den} \left[ \frac{1}{2} a_6(f_0) - \frac{1}{2} C\{n, 6\} \alpha_C(n, 6) \right]$$

for  $e'_R: G_{11} \rightarrow Z_{504}$  is an isomorphism. Then it is easy to see that  $u(n)$  is equal to  $\text{den}[C\{n, 6\}\alpha_C(n, 6)]$  or  $2\text{den}[C\{n, 6\}\alpha_C(n, 6)]$ , and equal to  $2\text{den}[C\{n, 6\}\alpha_C(n, 6)]$  if  $\nu_2(\text{den}[C\{n, 6\}\alpha_C(n, 6)]) \geq 1$ . By (1.16) and (3.1) of [8],  $\nu_2(\text{den}[C\{n, 6\}\alpha_C(n, 6)]) \geq 1$  if and only if  $n \equiv 7 \pmod{8}$ ,  $11 \pmod{16}$  or  $n \equiv 0 \pmod{2}$  and  $n \not\equiv 4 \pmod{8}$ ,  $50 \pmod{64}$  and  $0 \pmod{128}$ . First suppose that  $n \equiv 4 \pmod{8}$ ,  $50 \pmod{64}$  or  $0 \pmod{128}$ . Since  $q_5 \circ p_{n+6,6} = p_{n+6,1} = \eta$ ,  $\pi_{2n+11}^{S^C}(S^{2n})$  contains  $\mu\eta \circ q_5 \circ p_{n+6,6} = \mu\eta^2 = 4\zeta$  and hence  $u(n)$  is even and in fact  $u(n) = 2\text{den}[C\{n, 6\}\alpha_C(n, 6)]$ . Thus  $u(n) = 2\text{den}[C\{n, 6\}\alpha_C(n, 6)]$  if  $n$  is even. Next consider the case of  $n$  being odd. By (1.16), (3.1), (iii) of (1.4) of [8] and an easy calculation, we check that  $a_6(f_0) \equiv 0 \pmod{2}$  (if  $n \equiv 3 \pmod{4}$  or  $33 \pmod{64}$ ) or  $1 \pmod{2}$  (if  $n \equiv 5 \pmod{8}$ ,  $9 \pmod{16}$ ,  $17 \pmod{32}$  or  $1 \pmod{64}$ ). Then by also an easy calculation  $u(n)$  is determined as the forms given in Theorem. The proof is completed.

It is easily seen from (1.16) and (2.1) of [8] that  $\text{den} \left[ \frac{1}{2} H\{3, 3\}\alpha_H(3, 3) \right] = 504$ , and hence  $G_{11}$  is fully  $H$ -projective and fully  $C$ -projective by (1.1). Thus we have

**Corollary 2.14.**  $G_{11}$  is fully  $H$ - and  $C$ -projective.

Concerning with  $F$ -projective 12-stems, we have no problems, since  $G_{12} = 0$ . Recall that  $G_{13} = Z_3\{\beta_1\alpha_1\}$ . We have

**Theorem 2.15.**  $\pi_{4n+11}^{S^H}(S^{4n-2})$  is equal to

- (i)  $G_{13}$  if  $n \equiv 0$  or  $2 \pmod{3}$ ,
- (ii)  $0$  if  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$ .

Proof. Since  $q_2 \circ p_{n+3,3} = p_{n+3,1} = (n+2)g_\infty$  from (2.10) of [5] (or see (1.14) of [8]),  $\pi_{4n+11}^{S^H}(S^{4n-2})$  contains  $\beta_1 \circ q_2 \circ p_{n+3,3} = (n+2)\beta_1\alpha_1$ . Thus the conclusion (i) follows. Suppose that  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$ . Then  $8q_2 \circ p_{n+3,3} = 0$  and there exists  $s \in \{S^{4n+11}, HP_{n+2,2}\}$  with  $i_1 \circ s = 8p_{n+3,3}$ . Given  $f \in \{HP_{n+3,3}, S^{4n-2}\}$  we have

$$f \circ p_{n+3,3} = 16f \circ p_{n+3,3} = 2f \circ i_1 \circ s.$$

But  $2\{HP_{n+2,2}, S^{4n-2}\} = 0$  by (2.5). Thus  $2f \circ i_1 \circ s = 0$  and the conclusion (ii) follows.

We have also

**Theorem 2.16.**  $\pi_{2n+13}^{SC}(S^{2n})$  is equal to

- (i)  $G_{13}$  if  $n \equiv 0$  or  $2 \pmod{3}$ ,
- (ii)  $0$  if  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$ .

Proof. By Randall [9, Theorems 2.5, 2.6],  $\alpha_1 \in \pi_{2n+13}^{SC}(S^{2n+10})$  if and only if  $n \equiv 0$  or  $2 \pmod{3}$ . Then (i) follows from (1.2). In case of  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{6}$ , (ii) was proved in the proof of (vii) of [8]. By the same methods we can prove (ii) in case of  $n \equiv 4 \pmod{6}$ . We omit the details.

Concerning with  $F$ -projective 14-stems, we prove the following. Recall that  $G_{14} = Z_2\{\sigma^2\} \oplus Z_2\{\kappa\}$ .

**Theorem 2.17.**  $\pi_{4n+11}^{SH}(S^{4n-3}) = Z_2\{\sigma^2\}$  if  $n \equiv 6 \pmod{8}$ .

Proof. Suppose that  $n \equiv 6 \pmod{8}$ . Since  $q_1 \circ p_{n+3,2} = p_{n+3,1} = (n+2)g_\infty$ ,  $3q_1 \circ p_{n+3,2} = 0$  and there exists  $s \in \{S^{4n+11}, HP_{n+2,1}\}$  with  $i_1 \circ s = 3p_{n+3,2}$ . Since  $\sigma \circ p_{n+2,1} = (n+1)\sigma \circ g_\infty = (n+1)\sigma v = 0$ , there exists  $f \in \{HP_{n+3,2}, S^{4n-3}\}$  with  $f \circ i_1 = \sigma$ . Put  $n = 8m + 6$ . Then by (ii) of (1.13) of [8], we have

$$e_c(s) = (8m+7)(20m+17)/2^4 \cdot 3 \cdot 5.$$

Hence  $\#s \equiv 0 \pmod{2^4}$  and

$$\begin{aligned} f \circ p_{n+3,2} &= f \circ 3p_{n+3,2}, \text{ since } 2G_{14} = 0 \\ &= \sigma s \\ &= \sigma^2. \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $\pi_{4n+11}^{SH}(S^{4n-3})$  contains  $\sigma^2$ . By the following Theorem (2.18),  $\eta \circ \pi_{4n+11}^{SH}(S^{4n-3})$  (which is a subgroup of  $\pi_{4n+11}^{SH}(S^{4n-4})$ ) does not contain  $\eta\kappa$  and hence  $\pi_{4n+11}^{SH}(S^{4n-3})$  does not contain  $\kappa$ . This completes the proof.

Recall that  $G_{15} = Z_2\{\eta\kappa\} \oplus Z_{2^5}\{\rho\} \oplus Z_{15}$  and there is a split exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow Z_2\{\eta\kappa\} \rightarrow G_{15} \xrightarrow{e_c} Z/2^5 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \rightarrow 0.$$

We have

**Theorem 2.18.**  $\pi_{4n+15}^{SH}(S^{4n})$  is isomorphic to

- (i)  $Z_2\{\eta\kappa\} \oplus Z/v(n)$  if  $n \equiv 0$  or  $3 \pmod{4}$ ,
- (ii)  $Z/v(n)$  if  $n \equiv 5 \pmod{8}$ ,
- (iii)  $Z_2\{\eta\kappa\} \oplus Z/v(n)$  or  $Z/v(n)$  if  $n \equiv 2 \pmod{4}$  or  $1 \pmod{8}$ ,

and  $\pi_{4n+15}^{SH}(S^{4n})$  does not contain  $\eta\kappa$  if  $n \equiv 5 \pmod{8}$ , where  $v(n) = \text{den}[H\{n, 4\} \times \alpha_H(n, 4)]$ .

Proof. The conclusions (i), (ii) and (iii) follow from (1.2) of [8], because

$\eta\kappa \in \pi_{4n+15}^{SH}(S^{4n})$  if  $n \equiv 0$  or  $3 \pmod{4}$  from (2.2) of [8]. Next consider the case of  $n \equiv 5 \pmod{8}$ . Since  $q_3 \circ p_{n+4,4} = (n+3)g_\infty$ ,  $3q_3 \circ p_{n+4,4} = 0$  and there exists  $s \in \{S^{4n+15}, HP_{n+3,3}\}$  with  $i_1 \circ s = 3p_{n+4,4}$ . Let  $a \in \{HP_{n+3,3}, S^{4n}\}$  be an element with  $\deg(a) = H\{n, 3\}$ . Then  $a$  generates a free part of  $\{HP_{n+3,3}, S^{4n}\}$  which is of rank 1. Given  $f \in \{HP_{n+4,4}, S^{4n}\}$ , we have

$$f \circ i_1 = (\deg(f)/H\{n, 3\})a + e \circ q_2$$

for some  $e \in \{HP_{n+3,1}, S^{4n}\} = G_8$  and

$$\begin{aligned} 3f \circ p_{n+4,4} &= f \circ i_1 \circ s \\ &= (\deg(f)/H\{n, 3\})a \circ s + e \circ q_2 \circ s \\ &= (\deg(f)/H\{n, 3\})a \circ s, \text{ since } G_8 \circ G_7 = 0. \end{aligned}$$

But by (1.16) and (2.1) of [8],  $v_2(H\{n, 3\}) = 3$  and  $v_2(H\{n, 4\}) = 6$ . Thus  $\deg(f)/H\{n, 3\} \equiv 0 \pmod{8}$  since  $\deg(f)$  is a multiple of  $H\{n, 4\}$ . Suppose that  $\pi_{4n+11}^{SH}(S^{4n})$  contains  $\eta\kappa + x$  for some  $x$  which is orthogonal to  $Z_2\{\eta\kappa\}$ , then  $\eta\kappa + x = f \circ p_{n+4,4}$  for some  $f \in \{HP_{n+4,4}, S^{4n}\}$ . Then

$$\eta\kappa + 3x = 3f \circ p_{n+4,4} = (\deg(f)/H\{n, 3\})a \circ s$$

and hence  $\eta\kappa + 3x$  is divisible by 8. This is a contradiction, for  $\#(\eta\kappa) = 2$ . Thus  $\pi_{4n+11}^{SH}(S^{4n})$  does not contain  $\eta\kappa + x$  for any  $x \in G_{15}$  which is orthogonal to  $Z_2\{\eta\kappa\}$ . This completes the proof.

By (1.16) and (2.1) of [8] we have easily that  $v_2(v(n)) \leq 4$ , and  $v_2(v(n)) = 4$  if and only if  $n \equiv 25 \pmod{32}$ . Hence we have

**Corollary 2.19.**  $\rho \in G_{15}$  is not  $H$ -projective but  $2\rho$  or  $2\rho + \eta\kappa$  is  $H$ -projective.

By (1.1), (2.18) and the above split exact sequence we have

**Theorem 2.20.**  $\pi_{2n+15}^{SC}(S^{2n})$  is isomorphic to

- (i)  $Z_2\{\eta\kappa\} \oplus Z/w(n)$  if  $n$  is even,
- (ii)  $Z_2\{\eta\kappa\} \oplus Z/w(n)$  or  $Z/w(n)$  if  $n$  is odd,

where  $w(n) = \text{den}[C\{n, 8\}\alpha_C(n, 8)]$ .

By (1.16) and (3.1) of [8] we have that  $v_2(w(n)) = 5$  if and only if  $n \equiv 50 \pmod{64}$ , and in case of  $n \equiv 2 \pmod{4}$ , we have that  $v_3(w(n)) = 1$  if and only if  $n \equiv 14, 22, 26, 34 \pmod{36}, 10, 38, 46, 74 \pmod{108}, 82$  or  $190 \pmod{324}$ , and  $v_5(w(n)) = 1$  if and only if  $n \equiv 2, 14, 18 \pmod{20}, 10, 30, 70$  or  $90 \pmod{100}$ . Hence we have

**Corollary 2.21.**  $G_{15}$  is fully  $C$ -projective and the smallest  $n$  for which  $\pi_{2n+15}^{SC}(S^{2n}) = G_{15}$  is 178.

Recall that  $G_{17} = Z_2\{\eta\eta^*\} \oplus Z_2\{\nu\kappa\} \oplus Z_2\{\eta^2\rho\} \oplus Z_2\{\bar{\mu}\}$ . We have

**Proposition 2.22.**  $\bar{\mu}$  and the Adams element  $\mu_2 \in G_{17}$  are not contained in  $\pi_{2n+17}^{SC}(S^{2n})$  if  $n \not\equiv 3 \pmod{2^7}$ .

Proof. Since  $e_C(\bar{\mu}) = e_C(\mu_2) = \frac{1}{2}$  from (12.13) of [1], it will suffice to show that  $\nu_2(C\{n, 9\}\alpha_C(n, 9)) \geq 0$  if  $n \equiv 3 \pmod{2^7}$ . Indeed by (1.16) and (3.1) of [8] we have

$$\begin{aligned} C\{n, 9\} / (C\{n, 8\} \text{den}[C\{n, 8\}\alpha_C(n, 8)]) \\ = \begin{cases} 1 \text{ or } 2 & \text{if } n \equiv 3 \pmod{2^7} \text{ or } 1 \pmod{2^9} \\ 1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

and an calculation shows that if  $n \equiv 3 \pmod{2^7}$  and  $1 \pmod{2^9}$  we have  $\nu_2(C\{n, 9\}\alpha_C(n, 9)) \geq 0$ , and if  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{2^9}$  we have  $\nu_2(C\{n, 8\}\alpha_C(n, 9)) \geq 0$  and hence  $\nu_2(C\{n, 9\}\alpha_C(n, 9)) \geq 0$ , and the conclusion follows.

By Randall [9, Theorems 2.5, 2.6] we know that  $\nu \in \pi_{2n+17}^{SC}(S^{2n+14})$  if and only if  $n \equiv 3 \pmod{4}$ . And by (i) of (1.13) of [8],  $p_{n+9,1} = (n+8)\eta = n\eta$ , and so  $\eta \in \pi_{2n+17}^{SC}(S^{2n+16})$  if and only if  $n$  is odd. Thus if  $n \equiv 3 \pmod{4}$ ,  $\pi_{2n+17}^{SC}(S^{2n})$  contains  $\nu\kappa$ ,  $\eta\eta^*$  and  $\eta^2\rho$ . Hence we have

**Corollary 2.23.** If  $n \equiv 3 \pmod{4}$ , then  $\pi_{2n+17}^{SC}(S^{2n})$  contains  $Z_2\{\eta\eta^*\} \oplus Z_2\{\nu\kappa\} \oplus Z_2\{\eta^2\rho\}$ .

Recall that there exists a split exact sequence [1]

$$0 \rightarrow Z_2 \rightarrow G_{19} \xrightarrow{e'_R} Z_{264} \rightarrow 0.$$

By (1.5) of [8] we have

**Proposition 2.24.**  $\pi_{4n+19}^{SH}(S^{4n})$  contains a cyclic subgroup of the order  $\text{den}\left[\frac{1}{2}H\{n, 5\}\alpha_H(n, 5)\right]$ .

Take  $f \in \{CP_{n+10,10}, S^{2n}\}$  with  $\text{deg}(f) = C\{n, 10\}$ . From (1.5) of [8]

$$e'_R(f \circ p_{n+10,10}) = \frac{1}{2}a_{10} - \frac{1}{2}C\{n, 10\}\alpha_C(n, 10)$$

for some integer  $a_{10}$ , and so  $\pi_{2n+19}^{SC}(S^{2n})$  contains a cyclic subgroup of the order  $\text{den}\left[\frac{1}{2}a_{10} - \frac{1}{2}C\{n, 10\}\alpha_C(n, 10)\right]$ . Even if we can not determine  $a_{10} \pmod{2}$ , we have  $\text{den}\left[\frac{1}{2}a_{10} - \frac{1}{2}C\{n, 10\}\alpha_C(n, 10)\right] = \text{den}\left[\frac{1}{2}C\{n, 10\}\alpha_C(n, 10)\right]$  when

$$(*) \quad \nu_2(C\{n, 10\}\alpha_C(n, 10)) \leq -1.$$

For example if  $n \equiv 10, 12, 14 \pmod{2^4}$ ,  $18, 20, 22 \pmod{2^5}$ ,  $6, 34, 36 \pmod{2^6}$  or

$102 \pmod{(2^7)}$ , then  $C\{n, 10\} = C\{n, 7\} \text{ den } [C\{n, 7\} \alpha_c(n, 8)]$  by (3.1) of [8] and (\*) is satisfied. This follows from elementary but routine calculation using (1.16) of [8]. Hence we have

**Proposition 2.25.** *If  $n \equiv 10, 12, 14 \pmod{(2^4)}$ ,  $18, 20, 22 \pmod{(2^5)}$ ,  $6, 34, 36 \pmod{(2^6)}$  or  $102 \pmod{(2^7)}$ , then  $\pi_{2n+19}^{S^C}(S^{2n})$  contains a cyclic subgroup of the order  $\text{den} \left[ \frac{1}{2} C\{n, 7\} \cdot \text{den} [C\{n, 7\} \alpha_c(n, 8)] \cdot \alpha_c(n, 10) \right]$ .*

Recall that  $G_{21} = Z_2\{\eta\bar{\kappa}\} \oplus Z_2\{\sigma^3\}$  from [6]. By (1.2) and (2.17) we have

**Proposition 2.26.** *If  $n \equiv 4 \pmod{(8)}$ , then  $\pi_{4n+19}^{S^H}(S^{4n-2})$  contains  $\sigma^3$ .*

Since  $p_{m,1}^C = (m-1)\eta$ , by (2.26) we have

**Proposition 2.27.** *If  $n \equiv 7 \pmod{(16)}$ , then  $\pi_{2n+21}^{S^C}(S^{2n}) = G_{21}$ .*

Recall that  $G_{22} = Z_2\{\varepsilon\kappa\} \oplus Z_2\{\nu\bar{\sigma}\}$  from [6]. Since  $p_{m,1}^H = (m-1)g_\infty$ , by (1.2) and (2.7) we have

**Proposition 2.28.**  *$\pi_{4n+19}^{S^F}(S^{4n-3})$  is equal to  $G_{22}$  if  $n \equiv 3 \pmod{(4)}$ , and contains  $Z_2\{\varepsilon\kappa\}$  if  $n \equiv 2 \pmod{(4)}$  or  $Z_2\{\nu\bar{\sigma}\}$  if  $n$  is odd.*

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