

## The homotopy groups of the $L_2$ -localized mod 3 Moore spectrum

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**Abstract.** At each prime number  $p$ , the homotopy groups  $\pi_*(L_2S^0)$  of the  $v_2^{-1}BP$ -localized sphere spectrum play an crucial role to understand the category of  $v_2^{-1}BP$ -local spectra. For  $p > 3$ , they are determined by using the Adams-Novikov spectral sequence (ANSS), which collapses in this case.

At the prime 3,  $\pi_*(L_2V(1))$  is also determined by using the ANSS, in which  $E_\infty = E_{10}$  in this case. Here  $V(1)$  denotes the Toda-Smith 4-cells spectrum. In this paper, we determine the homotopy groups  $\pi_*(L_2V(0))$  of the mod 3 Moore spectrum from  $\pi_*(L_2V(1))$  by the Bockstein spectral sequence (BSS). Actually, we first compute the  $E_2$ -term of the ANSS by the BSS and then study the Adams-Novikov differentials, and obtain  $E_\infty = E_{10}$  as well.

### §1. Introduction.

Let  $\mathcal{S}_p$  denote the category of  $p$ -local spectra for each prime number  $p$  and  $BP$  the Brown-Peterson spectrum at  $p$ . Then we have the Bousfield localization functor  $L_n : \mathcal{S}_p \rightarrow \mathcal{S}_p$  with respect to  $v_n^{-1}BP$  for the generator  $v_n$  of  $BP_* = \mathbf{Z}_{(p)}[v_i : i > 0]$ . The category  $L_n\mathcal{S}_p$  is easier to be understood than  $\mathcal{S}_p$  itself and reflects some properties of it.  $L_n\mathcal{S}_p$  is, in a sense, generated by the  $L_n$ -localized sphere spectrum  $L_nS^0$ , because  $L_nX = X \wedge L_nS^0$  for any spectrum  $X$  by the smash product theorem [10, Th. 7.5.6]. Besides, we have the chromatic convergence theorem due to Hopkins and Ravenel [10, Th. 7.5.7], which says that  $\varprojlim^n L_nX = X$  for a finite spectrum  $X$ . Therefore it is very important to compute the homotopy groups  $\pi_*(L_nS^0)$ . So far we know the homotopy groups  $\pi_*(L_nS^0)$  for  $n < 2$  given in [8] and for  $n = 2$  and  $p > 3$  in [12]. The next place to study is the case where  $n = 2$  and  $p = 3$ . They are computed by using the Bockstein spectral sequences  $\pi_*(L_nV(k)) \Rightarrow \pi_*(L_nV(k-1))$ , where  $V(n)$  denotes the Toda-Smith spectrum, and is known to exist if  $n < 4$  and  $p > 2n$  (cf. [9]). (For  $L_nV(k)$ , we have some other existence theorems in [13] and [14].) Note that  $V(-1) = S^0$  and  $V(0)$  is the mod  $p$  Moore spectrum. On the other hand,  $\pi_*(L_nV(n-1))$  is computed by Ravenel (cf. [9]) in case of  $n < 4$  and  $n < p-1$ , by Mahowald [5] in case of  $n = p-1 = 1$ , and by the author [11] and Henn and Mahowald [4] in case of  $n = p-1 = 2$ . In this paper we study the Bockstein spectral sequence  $\pi_*(L_2V(1)) \Rightarrow \pi_*(L_2V(0))$  and determine  $\pi_*(L_2V(0))$  at the prime number 3. Our main tool is the Adams-Novikov spectral

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sequence. In [6] Miller, Ravenel and Wilson introduced the chromatic spectral sequence converging to the  $E_2$ -term of the Adams-Novikov spectral sequence for computing the homotopy groups  $\pi_*(V(n))$ . We use here the modified chromatic spectral sequence which converges to the  $E_2$ -term of the Adams-Novikov spectral sequence  $E_2^{*,*}(L_2V(0)) \Rightarrow \pi_*(L_2V(0))$  based on  $E(2)$  with  $E_1$ -terms  $H^*M_1^1$  and  $H^*M_1^0$ . Here  $E(2)$  denotes the Johnson-Wilson spectrum with coefficient  $E(2)_* = \mathbf{Z}_{(3)}[v_1, v_2^{\pm 1}]$ ,  $M_1^0 = v_1^{-1}E(2)_*/(3)$  and  $M_1^1 = E(2)_*/(3, v_1^\infty)$  are the  $E(2)_*E(2)$ -comodules and  $H^*M = \text{Ext}_{E(2)_*E(2)}^*(E(2)_*, M)$ .  $H^*M_1^0$  was determined by Ravenel [7], and so it suffices to determine  $H^*M_1^1$  for the  $E_2$ -term  $E_2^{*,*}(L_2V(0))$ . In the first half of this paper, we actually determine  $H^*M_1^1$  by using the Bockstein spectral sequence  $H^*K(2)_* \Rightarrow H^*M_1^1$ , where  $K(2)_* = M_2^0 = E(2)_*/(3, v_1)$  and  $H^*K(2)_*$  is determined by Ravenel [7]. The structure of  $H^*M_1^1$  is stated in Theorem 2.5, and obtain the  $E_2$ -term  $E_2^{*,*}(L_2V(0))$  in Theorem 2.6. In [6]  $H^0M_1^1$  is determined, and we studied  $H^1M_1^1$  in [1]. Unfortunately Theorem 4.4 of [1] is incorrect, and so are Proposition 5.2 and Theorem 1.1 consequently. Here we replace it by Lemma 4.2, which is proved in §7, and obtain  $H^1M_1^1$ . In the second half of this paper, we determine the Adams-Novikov differentials  $d_r$  on  $E_r^{*,*}(L_2W)$  with  $E_2^{*,*}(L_2W) = H^*M_1^1$ , and then the homotopy groups  $\pi_*(L_2W)$  which are described in Theorem 2.8. Here  $W$  denotes a cofiber of the localization map  $V(0) \rightarrow \underset{\alpha}{\text{holim}} V(0)$  for the Adams map  $\alpha: \Sigma^4V(0) \rightarrow V(0)$ . The homotopy groups  $\pi_*(L_2V(0))$ , which is our main result, are obtained in Theorem 2.11 as a corollary of Theorem 2.8. The results would have applications. Here we treat the  $\beta$ -family of the homotopy groups of  $\pi_*(L_2S^0)$  at the prime 3. We note that though the result of [2] depends on a result of [1], it remains correct since the proof does not require the incorrect part.

This paper is organized as follows: In the next section, we state our results. Then we prove Theorem 2.5 in §3 assuming the behavior of the connecting homomorphisms  $\delta_s: H^sM_1^1 \rightarrow H^{s+1}K(2)_*$  which will be studied in the following sections. In §4, assuming the behavior of the differential of the cobar complex  $\Omega^*E(2)_*$  which will be studied in §§6 and 7, we prove Proposition 3.4 which determines the differentials of the Bockstein spectral sequence and is the key lemma to determine the  $E_2$ -term  $E_2^{*,*}(L_2V(0))$ . In order to study the differential of the cobar complex  $\Omega^*E(2)_*$ , we need some relations in  $E(2)_*E(2)$ , which is given in §5. In §8, we compute the differentials of the Adams-Novikov spectral sequence, and prove Theorem 2.8. The last section is devoted to applications for  $\beta$ -elements.

## §2. Statement of results.

Throughout this paper everything is localized at the prime 3. Let  $V(0)$  denote the mod 3 Moore spectrum and  $W$  be the cofiber of the localization map  $V(0) \rightarrow L_1V(0)$ . Since  $L_1V(0) = \underset{\alpha}{\text{holim}} V(0)$  for the Adams map  $\alpha: \Sigma^4V(0) \rightarrow V(0)$ , we can define  $W$  as follows: Let  $\overset{\alpha}{V}(1)_j$  denote a cofiber of  $\alpha^j: \Sigma^{4j}V(0) \rightarrow V(0)$ . In particular,  $V(1)_1 = V(1)$ , the Toda-Smith spectrum. Then we have the canonical maps  $\pi_j: V(1)_j \rightarrow V(1)_{j-1}$  and  $t_j: V(1)_j \rightarrow V(1)_{j+1}$ . We define  $W = \underset{\alpha}{\text{holim}} V(1)_j$ . By definition, we have cofiber sequences  $V(1) \xrightarrow{v_1^{j-1}} V(1)_j \xrightarrow{\pi_j} V(1)_{j-1}$ , whose  $\underset{t_j}{\text{holim}}$  homotopy colimit yields another

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$$(2.1) \quad V(1) \xrightarrow{i} W \xrightarrow{v_1} W.$$

Apply the Johnson-Wilson homology  $E(2)_*(-)$  with coefficient  $E(2)_* = \mathbf{Z}/(3)[v_1, v_2^{\pm 1}]$  to the cofiber sequence (2.1), and we have a short exact sequence

$$(2.2) \quad 0 \longrightarrow K(2)_* \xrightarrow{i_*} M_1^1 \xrightarrow{v_1} M_1^1 \longrightarrow 0,$$

where  $K(2)_* = (\mathbf{Z}/3)[v_2^{\pm 1}]$ ,  $M_1^1 = E(2)_*/(3, v_1^\infty)$  and  $i_*(x) = x/v_1$ . Note that  $K(2)_*$  is the coefficient ring of the second Morava  $K$ -theory  $K(2)_*(-)$ , and  $M_1^1$  consists of elements of the form  $x/v_1^j$  for  $x \in K(2)_*$  and  $j > 0$ , with  $k(1)_* = (\mathbf{Z}/3)[v_1]$ -action given by the relation:  $v_1^l(x/v_1^j) = x/v_1^{j-l}$  if  $j > l$ , and  $= 0$  otherwise. Apply the functor  $H^*(-) = \text{Ext}_{E(2)_*E(2)}^*(E(2)_*, -)$  to the exact sequence (2.2), and we obtain the Bockstein spectral sequence

$$E_2^{*,*}(L_2V(1)) = H^*K(2)_* \Rightarrow H^*M_1^1 = E_2^{*,*}(L_2W).$$

Here  $E_2^{*,*}(X)$  denotes the  $E_2$ -term of the Adams-Novikov spectral sequence converging to the homotopy groups  $\pi_*(X)$ .

In [3], Henn computed the  $E_2$ -term  $H^*K(2)_*$  as follows:

**THEOREM 2.3** (cf. [11, Th. 5.8, Prop. 5.9]). *The  $E_2$ -term  $E_2^{*,*}(L_2V(1)) = H^*K(2)_*$  is isomorphic to the  $K(2)_*[b_{10}]$ -module*

$$F \otimes K(2)_*[b_{10}] \otimes A(\zeta_2).$$

Here  $F = (\mathbf{Z}/3)\{1, h_{10}, h_{11}, b_{11}, \zeta, \psi_0, \psi_1, b_{11}\zeta\}$ . Besides, we have relations:

$$\begin{aligned} h_{10}h_{11} &= 0, & h_{10}\zeta &= 0, & h_{11}\zeta &= 0, \\ v_2^2h_{10}b_{10} &= h_{11}b_{11}, & v_2h_{11}b_{10} &= -h_{10}b_{11}, \\ b_{11}\zeta &= v_2h_{10}\psi_1 = v_2h_{11}\psi_0, & b_{10}\zeta &= -h_{10}\psi_0 = v_2^{-1}h_{11}\psi_1, \\ v_2^3b_{10}^2 &= -b_{11}^2, & b_{10}\psi_1 &= -v_2^{-1}b_{11}\psi_0, & \text{and } b_{10}\psi_0 &= v_2^{-2}b_{11}\psi_1. \end{aligned}$$

The bidegrees of these generators are as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \|v_2\| &= (0, 16), & \|h_{10}\| &= (1, 4), & \|h_{11}\| &= (1, 12), & \|b_{10}\| &= (2, 12), \\ \|b_{11}\| &= (2, 36), & \|\zeta\| &= (2, 8), & \|\psi_0\| &= (3, 16), & \|\psi_1\| &= (3, 24). \end{aligned}$$

In this paper, we first deduce the Adams-Novikov  $E_2$ -term  $E_2^{*,*}(L_2W)$  from Theorem 2.3 by using the Bockstein spectral sequence. In order to state the  $E_2$ -term, consider  $k(1)_*$ -modules

$$(2.4) \quad \begin{aligned} F &= E(2, 1)_* \{v_2^{\pm 1}/v_1, v_2h_{10}/v_1^2, v_2^2h_{11}/v_1^2, v_2^{\pm 1}b_{11}/v_1\} \\ F^* &= E(2, 1)_* \{\xi/v_1^2, v_2^{2\pm 1}\psi_0/v_1, v_2^{\pm 1}\psi_1/v_1, b_{11}\xi/v_1^2\} \\ F_n &= E(2, n+2)_* \{v_2^{\pm 3^{n+1}}/v_1^{4 \cdot 3^n - 1}, v_2^{3^{n+1}}h_{10}/v_1^{6 \cdot 3^n + 1}, \\ &\quad v_2^{8 \cdot 3^n}h_{10}/v_1^{10 \cdot 3^n + 1}, v_2^{3^n(5 \pm 3) + (3^n - 1)/2}\xi/v_1^{4 \cdot 3^n}\}. \end{aligned}$$

Here  $\|v_1\| = (0, 4)$  and  $E(2, n)_* = (\mathbf{Z}/3)[v_1, v_2^{\pm 3^n}]$ . We also use the notation  $K(1)_* = v_1^{-1}k(1)_* = (\mathbf{Z}/3)[v_1^{\pm 1}]$ . Then

**THEOREM 2.5.** *The  $E_2$ -term  $E_2^{*,*}(L_2W) = H^*M_1^1$  of the Adams-Novikov spectral sequence converging to  $\pi_*(L_2W)$  is isomorphic to the direct sum of  $k(1)_*$ -modules  $(K(1)_*/k(1)_*) \otimes \Lambda(h_{10}, \zeta_2)$ ,*

$$\sum_{n \geq 0} F_n \otimes \Lambda(\zeta_2), \quad \text{and} \quad (F \oplus F^*) \otimes (\mathbf{Z}/3)[b_{10}] \otimes \Lambda(\zeta_2).$$

The short exact sequence associated to the cofiber sequence  $V(0) \rightarrow L_1V(0) \rightarrow W$  yields the long exact sequence

$$H^*E(2)_*/(3) \rightarrow H^*M_1^0 \rightarrow H^*M_1^1 \xrightarrow{\partial} H^{*+1}E(2)_*/(3),$$

in which  $M_1^0 = (\mathbf{Z}/3)[v_1^{\pm 1}, v_2^{\pm 1}]$  and the structures of  $H^*M_1^0$  is determined to be  $K(1)_* \otimes \Lambda(h_{10})$  by Ravenel [7]. Observing the exact sequence, we obtain the  $E_2$ -term from Theorem 2.5:

**THEOREM 2.6.** *The  $E_2$ -term  $E_2^{*,*}(L_2V(0)) = H^*E(2)_*/(3)$  is isomorphic to the direct sum of the  $k(1)_*$ -modules  $K(1)_*/k(1)_* \{\partial(\zeta_2)\} \otimes \Lambda(h_{10})$ ,*

$$k(1)_* \otimes \Lambda(h_{10}) \quad \text{and} \quad \Lambda(\zeta_2) \otimes \partial \left( \sum_{n \geq 0} F_n \oplus (F \oplus F^*) \otimes (\mathbf{Z}/3)[b_{10}] \right).$$

In order to state the homotopy groups  $\pi_*(L_2V(0))$ , we introduce more notations:

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{F}_0 &= E(2, 2)_* \{v_2^3/v_1^2, v_2^{-3}/v_1^3, v_2^3h_{10}/v_1^6, v_2^8h_{10}/v_1^{10}, v_2^8\xi/v_1^4, v_2^2\xi/v_1^3\} \\ \tilde{F}_1 &= E(2, 3)_* \{v_2^{\pm 9}/v_1^{11}, v_2^9h_{10}/v_1^{18}, v_2^{24}h_{10}/v_1^{31}, v_2^{16\pm 9}\xi/v_1^{11}\} \\ \tilde{F}_n &= E(2, n+2)_* \{v_2^{\pm 3^{n+1}}/v_1^{4 \cdot 3^n - 1}, v_2^{3^{n+1}}h_{10}/v_1^{2 \cdot 3^{n+1}}, \\ &\quad v_2^{8 \cdot 3^n}h_{10}/v_1^{10 \cdot 3^n}, v_2^{3^n(5 \pm 3) + (3^n - 1)/2}\xi/v_1^{4 \cdot 3^n - 1}\} \quad (n \geq 2) \\ \tilde{F} &= B_5(2, 2)_* \{v_2/v_1, v_2h_{10}/v_1^2\} \\ &\quad \oplus B_4(2, 2)_* \{v_2^5h_{11}/v_1^2, v_2^4b_{11}/v_1\} \\ &\quad \oplus B_3(2, 2)_* \{v_2^2/v_1, v_2^5/v_1, v_2^7h_{10}/v_1\} \\ (2.7) \quad &\quad \oplus B_2(2, 2)_* \{v_2h_{10}/v_1, v_2^2h_{11}/v_1, v_2^5h_{11}/v_1, v_2^5b_{11}/v_1, v_2^{-1}b_{11}/v_1\} \\ \tilde{F}^* &= B_5(2, 2)_* \{v_2^7\psi_1/v_1\} \\ &\quad \oplus B_4(2, 2)_* \{v_2^3\xi/v_1^2, v_2^3\psi_0/v_1, v_2^6b_{11}\xi/v_1^2\} \\ &\quad \oplus B_3(2, 2)_* \{v_2^{-1}\psi_1/v_1\} \\ &\quad \oplus B_2(2, 2)_* \{\xi/v_1, v_2^2\psi_1/v_1, v_2^4\psi_0/v_1, v_2^3b_{11}\xi/v_1, v_2^7\psi_0/v_1, v_2^6b_{11}\xi/v_1\} \\ &\quad \oplus \sum_{n \geq 1} (B_3(2, n+2)_* \{v_2^{9u+3}\xi/v_1 \mid u \in \mathbf{Z} - I(n)\} \\ &\quad \oplus B_2(2, n+2)_* \{v_2^{9u+3}\xi/v_1 \mid u \in I(n)\}), \end{aligned}$$

where  $B_k(2, n)_* = (\mathbf{Z}/3)[v_1, v_2^{\pm 3^n}, b_{10}]/(b_{10}^k)$ , and

$$I(n) = \{x \in \mathbf{Z} | x = (3^{n-1} - 1)/2 \text{ or } x = 5 \cdot 3^{n-2} + (3^{n-2} - 1)/2\}.$$

Studying the Adams-Novikov differentials  $d_5$  and  $d_9$  by results of [4] and [11], we obtain the following

**THEOREM 2.8.** *The homotopy groups  $\pi_*(L_2W)$  are isomorphic to the tensor product of the exterior algebra  $\Lambda(\zeta_2)$  and the direct sum of  $k(1)_*$ -modules  $(K(1)_*/k(1)_*) \otimes \Lambda(h_{10})$ ,  $\sum_{n \geq 0} \bar{F}_n$  and  $\bar{F} \oplus \bar{F}^*$ .*

For describing more homotopy groups, we further introduce the  $k(1)_*$ -modules:

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{F}_0 &= E(2, 2)_* \{v_1 v_2^2 h_{10}, v_2^{-4} h_{10}, v_1 v_2 \zeta, v_1 v_2^5 \zeta, v_2^6 \psi_1, v_1 \psi_1\} \\ \bar{F}_1 &= E(2, 3)_* \{v_2^{\pm 9-3} h_{10}, v_1 v_2^4 \zeta, v_2^{16} \zeta, v_1 v_2^{12 \pm 9} \psi_1\} \\ \bar{F}_n &= E(2, n+2)_* \{v_2^{\pm 3^{n+1}-3^n} h_{10}, v_1 v_2^{(3^{n+1}-1)/2} \zeta, \\ &\quad v_1 v_2^{5 \cdot 3^n + (3^n-1)/2} \zeta, v_1 v_2^{3^{n+1}(1 \pm 1) + 3(3^n-1)/2} \psi_1\} \quad (n \geq 2) \\ \bar{F} &= B_5(2, 2)_* \{h_{11}, b_{10}\} \oplus B_4(2, 2)_* \{v_2^3 b_{11}, v_2^3 h_{11} b_{11}\} \\ &\quad \oplus B_3(2, 2)_* \{v_2 h_{11}, v_2^4 h_{11}, v_1 v_2^6 b_{10}\} \\ (2.9) \quad &\quad \oplus B_2(2, 2)_* \{v_1 b_{10}, v_1 b_{11}, v_1 v_2^3 b_{11}, v_2^4 h_{11} b_{11}, v_2^{-2} h_{11} b_{11}\} \\ \bar{F}^* &= B_5(2, 2)_* \{v_2^7 \zeta b_{10}\} \oplus B_4(2, 2)_* \{v_2^2 \psi_0, v_2 b_{11} \zeta, v_2^6 \psi_1 b_{10}\} \\ &\quad \oplus B_3(2, 2)_* \{v_2^{-1} \zeta b_{10}\} \\ &\quad \oplus B_2(2, 2)_* \{v_1 v_2^{-1} \psi_0, v_2^2 \zeta b_{10}, v_2^2 b_{11} \zeta, v_1 v_2^3 \psi_1 b_{10}, v_2^5 b_{11} \zeta, v_1 v_2^6 \psi_1 b_{10}\} \\ &\quad \oplus \sum_{n \geq 1} (B_3(2, n+2)_* \{v_1 v_2^{9u+2} \psi_0 \mid u \in \mathbf{Z} - I(n)\}) \\ &\quad \oplus B_2(2, n+2)_* \{v_1 v_2^{9u+2} \psi_0 \mid u \in I(n)\}, \end{aligned}$$

where  $\bar{M}$  is isomorphic to  $\tilde{M}$  for  $M = F_n, F, F^*$  as  $k(1)_*$ -modules while there is one dimension shift. Furthermore, put  $k(1)_*^\wedge = \varprojlim_j k(1)_*/(v_1^j)$ . Since  $\varprojlim_j L_2V(1)_j = L_{K(2)}V(0)$  by observing  $K(2)_*$  homology, the above theorem implies

**THEOREM 2.10.** *The homotopy groups  $\pi_*(L_{K(2)}V(0))$  are isomorphic to the tensor product of the exterior algebra  $\Lambda(\zeta_2)$  and the direct sum of  $k(1)_*$ -modules  $(k(1)_*^\wedge) \otimes \Lambda(h_{10})$ ,  $\sum_{n \geq 0} \bar{F}_n$  and  $\bar{F} \oplus \bar{F}^*$ .*

Observing the cofibration  $L_2V(0) \rightarrow L_1V(0) \rightarrow L_2W$  and the homotopy groups  $\pi_*(L_1V(0)) = K(1)_* \otimes \Lambda(h_{10})$ , we have

**THEOREM 2.11.** *The homotopy groups  $\pi_*(L_2V(0))$  are isomorphic to the direct sum of  $k(1)_* \otimes \Lambda(h_{10})$ ,  $(K(1)_*/k(1)_*) \partial \zeta_2 \otimes \Lambda(h_{10})$ ,  $\sum_{n \geq 0} \bar{F}_n \otimes \Lambda(\zeta_2)$  and  $(\bar{F} \oplus \bar{F}^*) \otimes \Lambda(\zeta_2)$ .*

Here recall the conjecture due to Ravenel on the  $\beta$ -elements:  $\beta_s \in \pi_*(S^0)$  if and only if  $s \equiv 0, 1, 2, 3, 5, 6 \pmod{9}$ . (See §9 for the definition of  $\beta$ -elements.) ‘Only if’ part is shown in [11], in which we also show that  $\beta_s \in \pi_*(L_2S^0)$  if  $s \equiv 0, 1, 5 \pmod{9}$ . On this conjecture, we have a supporting evidence:

**THEOREM 2.12.**  $\beta_s \in \pi_*(L_2S^0)$  if and only if  $s \equiv 0, 1, 2, 3, 5, 6 \pmod{9}$ .

In the  $E_2$ -term, the  $\beta$ -elements of the form  $\beta_{a/b}$  are defined [6] for integers  $a, b > 0$  such that  $b \leq 3^{v(a)}$  if  $v(a) \leq 1$  and  $b < 4 \cdot 3^{v(a)-1}$  otherwise, where the integer  $v(a)$  denotes the maximal power of 3 that divides  $a$ . Then we have homotopy  $\beta$ -elements:

**THEOREM 2.13.** *In the Adams-Novikov spectral sequence  $E_2^*(L_2S^0) \Rightarrow \pi_*(L_2S^0)$ , we have the following:*

- (a) *The element  $\beta_a$  with  $v(a) = 0$  is permanent if  $a \equiv 1, 2, 5 \pmod{9}$ .*
- (b) *The element  $\beta_{a/b}$  with  $v(a) = 1$  is permanent if  $v(a-3) \geq 2$  and  $b < 3$ , or if  $v(a+3) \geq 2$  and  $b \leq 3$ .*
- (c) *Every element  $\beta_{a/b}$  with  $v(a) \geq 2$  is permanent.*

### §3. Proof of Theorem 2.5.

The proof of Theorem 2.5 is based on the following lemma due to [6, Remark 3.11]. To state the lemma, we set up notations: Let  $K$  denote a  $\mathbf{Z}/3$ -basis of the submodule  $F \otimes K(2)_*[b_{10}]$  of  $H^*K(2)_*$  given in Theorem 2.3, and  $\bar{x}/v_1^j$  denote an element of  $H^*M_1^1$  such that  $v_1^{j-1}(\bar{x}/v_1^j) = x/v_1$  for an element  $x \in K$  and an integer  $j > 0$ . Consider the maps  $i_*$  and  $\delta_s$  in the long exact sequence associated to the short one (2.2)

$$(3.1) \quad \cdots \longrightarrow H^s K(2)_* \xrightarrow{i_*} H^s M_1^1 \xrightarrow{v_1} H^s M_1^1 \xrightarrow{\delta_s} H^{s+1} K(2)_* \longrightarrow \cdots$$

Note that  $i_*(x) = x/v_1$ . For each base  $x \in K \subset H^s K(2)_*$ , define an integer  $j(x)$  by  $j(x) = j$  if  $\delta_s(\bar{x}/v_1^j) \neq 0$ , and  $j(x) = \infty$  otherwise. Define a  $k(1)_*$ -submodule  $B$  of  $H^*M_1^1$  by

$$B = k(1)_* \{ \bar{x}/v_1^{j(x)} \mid x \in K \text{ and } i_*(x) \neq 0 \in H^*M_1^1 \}.$$

Here note that an element of the form  $\bar{x}/v_1^\infty$  generates a  $k(1)_*$ -module isomorphic to  $K(1)_*/k(1)_*$  whose  $(\mathbf{Z}/3)$ -basis is  $\{ \bar{x}/v_1^j \mid j > 0 \}$ .

**LEMMA 3.2.** *For the submodule  $B$  defined above,  $H^*M_1^1 = B \otimes A(\zeta_2)$  if  $B$  satisfies the condition that the set  $\{ \delta(\bar{x}/v_1^{j(x)}) \mid x \in K, i_*(x) \neq 0, j(x) < \infty \}$  is linearly independent.*

Therefore, we will study the connecting homomorphism  $\delta_s : H^s M_1^1 \rightarrow H^{s+1} K(2)_*$  to find  $j(x)$  for each  $x \in K$ . Note that if  $x \notin \text{Im } \delta_s$ , then  $i_*(x) \neq 0$  in  $H^{s+1} M_1^1$ . Thus a computation of  $\delta_s$  shows us all information that we need. We will not distinguish  $x$  and  $\bar{x}$  in the sequel. The following is our key lemma:

**LEMMA 3.3.** *The connecting homomorphism  $\delta_s : H^s M_1^1 \rightarrow H^{s+1} K(2)_*$  acts as follows:*

1. On  $F_n$  ( $n \geq 0$ ),

$$\begin{aligned}\delta_0(v_2^{3^{n+1}}/v_1^{4 \cdot 3^n-1}) &= \lambda v_2^{2 \cdot 3^n} h_{10} \quad (\lambda = 1 \text{ if } n = 0, \lambda = -1 \text{ if } n > 0) \\ \delta_1(v_2^{3^{n+1}} h_{10}/v_1^{6 \cdot 3^n+1}) &= (-1)^n v_2^{(3^{n+1}-1)/2} \xi \\ \delta_1(v_2^{8 \cdot 3^n} h_{10}/v_1^{10 \cdot 3^n+1}) &= -v_2^{5 \cdot 3^n+(3^n-1)/2} \xi \\ \delta_2(v_2^{3^n(5 \pm 3)+(3^n-1)/2} \xi/v_1^{4 \cdot 3^n}) &= \pm v_2^{3^{n+1}(1 \pm 1)+3(3^n-1)/2} \psi_1 \mp v_2^{3^{n+1}(1 \pm 1)+(3^{n+1}-1)/2} \xi \xi_2.\end{aligned}$$

2. On  $F$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}\delta_0(v_2/v_1) &= h_{11} \\ \delta_1(v_2 h_{10}/v_1^2) &= b_{10} \\ \delta_1(v_2^2 h_{11}/v_1^2) &= b_{11} \\ \delta_2(v_2 b_{11}/v_1) &= v_2^2 h_{10} b_{10}\end{aligned}$$

3. On  $F^*$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}\delta_2(\xi/v_1^2) &= -v_2^{-1} \psi_0 \\ \delta_3(v_2(v_2^{-1} \psi_0)/v_1) &= v_2(v_2^{-3} b_{11} \xi) \\ \delta_3(v_2 \psi_1/v_1) &= v_2 \xi b_{10} \\ \delta_4(b_{11} \xi/v_1^2) &= \psi_1 b_{10}.\end{aligned}$$

This gives rise to all the differentials of the Bockstein spectral sequence. In fact, suppose that  $\delta_s(x/v_1^j) = y$  in the above lemma. Then for an element  $a \in H^t E(2)_*/(3, v_1^j)$ , we have  $\delta_{s+t}(ax/v_1^j) = ay$ . Take  $a$  to be an element of  $E(2, n)_*/(v_1) = (\mathbf{Z}/3)[v_2^{\pm 3^n}] \subset H^0 E(2)_*/(3, v_1^j)$  with  $j < 4 \cdot 3^{n-1}$ , or  $b_{10}^t \zeta_2^\varepsilon \in H^{2t+\varepsilon} E(2)_*/(2, v_1^j)$  for  $t \geq 0$  and  $\varepsilon = 0, 1$ . Then we have

$$\delta_{s+2t+\varepsilon}(v_2^{3^u} x b_{10}^t \zeta_2^\varepsilon / v_1^j) = v_2^{3^u} y b_{10}^t \zeta_2^\varepsilon,$$

for an integer  $u$ . Therefore, we see that

**PROPOSITION 3.4.** *The connecting homomorphism  $\delta_s : H^s M_1^1 \rightarrow H^{s+1} K(2)_*$  acts as follows:*

$$\begin{aligned}\delta_0(v_2^{3^{t \pm 1}}/v_1) &= \pm v_2^{3^{t-1} \pm 1} h_{11} \\ \delta_0(v_2^{3(3t \pm 1)}/v_1^3) &= \pm v_2^{9t-1 \pm 3} h_{10} \\ \delta_0(v_2^{3^n(3t \pm 1)}/v_1^{4 \cdot 3^{n-1}-1}) &= \mp v_2^{3^{n-1}(9t-1 \pm 3)} h_{10} \quad (n > 1) \\ \delta_1(v_2^{3^{t+1}} h_{10}/v_1^2) &= v_2^{3^t} b_{10} \\ \delta_1(v_2^{3^n(3t+1)} h_{10}/v_1^{2 \cdot 3^n+1}) &= (-1)^{n-1} v_2^{3^{n+1}t+(3^n-1)/2} \xi \quad (n > 0)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\delta_1(v_2^{3^n(9t+8)}h_{10}/v_1^{10 \cdot 3^n+1}) &= -v_2^{3^{n+2}t+5 \cdot 3^n+(3^n-1)/2}\xi \quad (n \geq 0) \\
\delta_1(v_2^{3t+2}h_{11}/v_1^2) &= v_2^{3t}b_{11}; \\
\delta_2(v_2^{3t \pm 1}b_{10}/v_1) &= \pm v_2^{3t-1 \pm 1}h_{11}b_{10} \\
\delta_2(v_2^{3t \pm 1}b_{11}/v_1) &= \pm v_2^{3t+1 \pm 1}h_{10}b_{10} \\
\delta_2(v_2^{3t}\xi/v_1^2) &= -v_2^{3t-1}\psi_0 \\
\delta_2(v_2^{3^n(9t+5 \pm 3)+(3^n-1)/2}\xi/v_1^{4 \cdot 3^n}) &= \pm v_2^{3^{n+1}(3t+1 \pm 1)+3(3^n-1)/2}\psi_1 \\
&\quad \mp v_2^{3^{n+1}(3t+1 \pm 1)+(3^{n+1}-1)/2}\xi\xi_2 \quad (n \geq 0); \\
\delta_{2s+3}(v_2^{3t+2}h_{11}b_{10}^{s+1}/v_1^2) &= v_2^{3t}b_{11}b_{10}^{s+1} \\
\delta_{2s+3}(v_2^{3t+1}h_{10}b_{10}^{s+1}/v_1^2) &= v_2^{3t}b_{10}^{s+2} \\
\delta_{2s+3}(v_2^{3t \pm 1}(v_2^{-1}\psi_0)b_{10}^s/v_1) &= \pm v_2^{3t \pm 1}(v_2^{-3}b_{11}\xi)b_{10}^s \\
\delta_{2s+3}(v_2^{3t \pm 1}\psi_1b_{10}^s/v_1) &= \pm v_2^{3t \pm 1}\xi b_{10}^{s+1}; \\
\delta_{2s+4}(v_2^{3t \pm 1}b_{10}^{s+2}/v_1) &= \pm v_2^{3t-1 \pm 1}h_{11}b_{10}^{s+2} \\
\delta_{2s+4}(v_2^{3t \pm 1}b_{11}b_{10}^{s+1}/v_1) &= \pm v_2^{3t+1 \pm 1}h_{10}b_{10}^{s+2} \\
\delta_{2s+4}(v_2^{3t}\xi b_{10}^{s+1}/v_1^2) &= -v_2^{3t-1}\psi_0b_{10}^{s+1} \\
\delta_{2s+4}(v_2^{3t}b_{11}\xi b_{10}^s/v_1^2) &= v_2^{3t}\psi_1b_{10}^{s+1}
\end{aligned}$$

for  $n, s \geq 0$  and  $t \in \mathbf{Z}$ .

**COROLLARY 3.5.** *The map  $i_* : H^s K(2)_* \rightarrow H^s M_1^1$  sends each of the following elements in  $K$  to a non-zero element:*

$$h_{10}, \quad v_2^{3^k s} h_{10}, \quad v_2^{3t-1} h_{11};$$

for  $s, t \in \mathbf{Z}$  with  $s \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$  or  $s \equiv 8 \pmod{9}$ .

$$v_2^{3t \pm 1} b_{10}, \quad v_2^{3t \pm 1} b_{11}, \quad v_2^u \xi,$$

for  $t, u \in \mathbf{Z}$  with  $u \in 3\mathbf{Z}$  or  $u = 3^n(9t + 5 \pm 3) + (3^n - 1)/2$ .

$$v_2^{3t-1} h_{11} b_{10}^{s+1}, \quad v_2^{3t+1} h_{10} b_{10}^{s+1}, \quad v_2^{3t-1 \pm 1} \psi_0 b_{10}^s, \quad v_2^{3t \pm 1} \psi_1 b_{10}^s$$

for  $s, t \in \mathbf{Z}$  with  $s \geq 0$ .

These elements in Corollary 3.5 form the set  $B$ , and Lemma 3.2 shows Theorem 2.5.

#### §4. Computation of the connecting homomorphism.

In this section, we will prove Lemma 3.3 by assuming some results on the cobar complex  $\Omega^* E(2)_*$  which will be shown in the following sections.

Let  $(E(2)_*, E(2)_* E(2))$  denote the Hopf algebroid associated to the Johnson-Wilson spectrum  $E(2)$ . For an  $E(2)_* E(2)$ -comodule  $M$  with coaction  $\psi : M \rightarrow$



$M \otimes_{E(2)_*} E(2)_* E(2)$ ,  $H^*M = \text{Ext}_{E(2)_*E(2)}^*(E(2)_*, M)$  is given as the cohomology of the cobar complex  $\Omega^*M$  with  $\Omega^s M = M \otimes_{E(2)_*} E(2)_* E(2)^{\otimes s}$  and the differential  $d_s : \Omega^s M \rightarrow \Omega^{s+1} M$  defined by  $d_s(x \otimes y) = \psi(x) \otimes y + \sum_{i=1}^s (-1)^i x \otimes y_1 \otimes \cdots \otimes \Delta(y_i) \otimes \cdots \otimes y_s + (-1)^{s+1} x \otimes y \otimes 1$  for  $x \in M$  and  $y = y_1 \otimes \cdots \otimes y_s \in E(2)_* E(2)^{\otimes s}$ . Consider the connecting homomorphism  $\delta_s : H^s M_1^1 \rightarrow H^{s+1} K(2)_*$  associated to (2.2). By definition, we see that

$$(4.1) \quad \text{if } d_s(x) \equiv v_1^j y \text{ mod } (3, v_1^{j+1}) \text{ in } \Omega^{s+1} E(2)_*, \text{ then } \delta_s([x/v_1^j]) = [y].$$

Here  $[x]$  denotes a cohomology class represented by a cocycle  $x$ .

Now we state several lemmas:

LEMMA 4.2.\*) *There exists a cochain  $x(8 \cdot 3^n) \in \Omega^1 E(2)_*$  for each  $n \geq 0$  such that  $x(8 \cdot 3^n) \equiv v_2^{8 \cdot 3^n} t_1 \text{ mod } (3, v_1)$  and*

$$d_1(x(8 \cdot 3^n)) \equiv -v_1^{10 \cdot 3^{n+1}} v_2^{5 \cdot 3^n + (3^n - 1)/2} X \text{ mod } (3, v_1^{10 \cdot 3^{n+2}}).$$

Here  $X$  denotes a cocycle that represents  $\xi$ .

LEMMA 4.3. *In the cobar complex  $\Omega^3 E(2)_*$ , we have cochains  $f_i$  ( $i = 0, 1$ ) such that  $f_i$  represents  $\psi_i$  in  $E_2^*(L_2V(1))$  and*

$$d_3(f_0) \equiv v_1 v_2^{-2} b_{11} \otimes X \text{ mod } (3, v_1^2),$$

$$d_3(f_1) \equiv 0 \text{ mod } (3, v_1^2).$$

LEMMA 4.4. *There exist cochains  $X(0), X(2)$  and  $X(8) \in \Omega^2 E(2)_*$  such that  $X(n) \equiv v_2^n X \text{ mod } (3, v_1)$  and*

$$(a) \quad d_2(X(0)) \equiv -v_1^2 v_2^{-1} f_0 \text{ mod } (3, v_1^3),$$

$$(b) \quad d_2(X(2)) \equiv v_1^4 z^3 \otimes X^3 - v_1^4 v_2^{-3} f_1^3 \text{ mod } (3, v_1^5) \text{ and}$$

$$d_2(X(8)) \equiv -v_1^4 v_2^3 z^3 \otimes X^9 + v_1^4 v_2^{-6} f_1^9 \text{ mod } (3, v_1^5),$$

for the elements  $f_i$  ( $i = 0, 1$ ) of Lemma 4.3. Here  $z$  represents  $\zeta_2$ .

Assuming these lemmas we will prove Lemma 3.3 by which we obtain Proposition 3.4.

PROOF OF LEMMA 3.3. In [6, Prop. 5.4], it is shown that  $d_0(v_2) \equiv v_1 t_1^3 \text{ mod } (3, v_1^3)$ ,  $d_0(v_2^3) \equiv v_1^3 v_2^2 t_1 \text{ mod } (3, v_1^4)$  and  $d_0(v_2^{3^n}) \equiv -v_1^{4 \cdot 3^{n-1} - 1} v_2^{2 \cdot 3^{n-1}} t_1 \text{ mod } (3, v_1^{4 \cdot 3^{n-1}})$  for  $n \geq 2$ , which implies the first equations in the parts 1 and 2 of Lemma 3.3. In fact,  $h_{1i} = [t_1^{3^i}]$ . Besides, we see that  $d_2(v_2 b_{11}) \equiv v_1 t_1^3 \otimes b_{11} \text{ mod } (3, v_1^3)$ , since  $d_2(b_{11}) \equiv 0$  and  $d_0(v_2) \equiv v_1 t_1^3$ . Therefore the fourth one in the part 2 follows from the relation  $h_{11} b_{11} = v_2^2 h_{10} b_{10}$  of Theorem 2.3.

In [1, Prop.s 5.2, 5.3], it is shown that

$$d_1(x(1)) \equiv v_1^2 b_{10} \text{ mod } (3, v_1^3), \quad d_1(y(2)) \equiv v_1^2 b_{11} \text{ mod } (3, v_1^3),$$

$$d_1(x(3^n)) \equiv -(-1)^n v_1^{6 \cdot 3^{n-1} + 1} v_2^{(3^n - 1)/2} X \text{ mod } (3, v_1^{6 \cdot 3^{n-1} + 2}) \quad (n > 0),$$

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\*) This is the correction of the last congruence in [1, Prop. 5.2].

where  $x(n)$  and  $y(n)$  are elements such that

$$x(n) \equiv v_2^n t_1 \quad \text{and} \quad y(n) \equiv v_2^n t_1^3 \pmod{(3, v_1)}.$$

These show the second equation in the part 1 and the second and the third ones in the part 2. The third one in the part 1 follows from Lemma 4.2. Since  $f_1^{3^n} \equiv v_2^{3(3^n-1)/2} f_1$  and  $X^{3^n} \equiv v_2^{(3^n-1)/2} X \pmod{(3, v_1)}$  up to homology by Theorem 2.3, we see the fourth one of the part 1 from Lemma 4.4 (b).

Now turn to the part 3. By Lemma 4.4 (a) we obtain the first one. The fourth one also follows from it, since  $b_{10}\psi_1 = -v_2^{-1}b_{11}\psi_0$  by Theorem 2.3. The second one follows immediately from Lemma 4.3. Since  $d_0(v_2) \equiv v_1 t_1^3$  and  $d_3(f_1) \equiv 0 \pmod{(3, v_1^2)}$  by Lemma 4.3, we see that  $d_3(v_2 f_1) \equiv v_1 t_1^3 \otimes f_1 \pmod{(3, v_1^2)}$ , which is homologous to  $v_1 v_2 X \otimes b_{10}$  by the relation  $h_{11}\psi_1 = v_2 b_{10}\xi = v_2 \xi b_{10}$  of Theorem 2.3. This shows the third equation.  $\square$

### §5. Some relations in $E(2)_*E(2)$ .

Note that in  $E(2)_*E(2)$  we have the following relations (cf. [1, (3.8), (3.9)]):

$$\begin{aligned} t_1^9 &= v_2^{-1} t_1 \eta_R(v_2^3) - v_1 v_2^{-1} t_2^3 - v_1^2 v_2^{-1} V + v_1^9 v_2^{-1} t_2 \\ (5.1) \quad &\equiv v_2^2 t_1 - v_1 v_2^{-1} t_2^3 + v_1^2 v_2 t_1^3 + v_1^3 (v_2^{-1} t_1^{10} + t_1^6) - v_1^4 v_2 t_1 + v_1^5 t_1 \pmod{(3, v_1^5)} \\ t_n^9 &\equiv v_2^{3^n-1} t_n - v_1 v_2^{-1} t_{n+1}^3 \pmod{(3, v_1^2)}, \end{aligned}$$

in which  $\eta_R(v_2^3) = v_2^3 + v_1^3 t_1^9 - v_1^9 t_1^3$  and

$$(5.2) \quad V = -v_2^2 t_1^3 - v_1 v_2 t_1^6 + v_1^2 v_2^2 t_1 - v_1^3 v_2 t_1^4 + v_1^4 t_1^7 - v_1^5 v_2 t_1^2 - v_1^6 t_1^5.$$

Therefore we see the following relation in the cobar complex  $\Omega^*E(2)_*$ :

$$(5.3) \quad c^9 \equiv v_2^{2t} c \pmod{(3, v_1)},$$

for a cochain  $c \in \Omega^{*, 4t}E(2)_*$ .

Note that  $d_0 : E(2)_* \rightarrow E(2)_*E(2)$  is computed by  $d_0(x) = \eta_R(x) - x$ . Since  $\eta_R(v_2) \equiv v_2 + v_1 t_1^3 - v_1^3 t_1 \pmod{(3)}$  by Landweber's formula, we compute the following mod  $(3, v_1^8)$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} d_0(v_2^2) &\equiv -v_1 v_2 t_1^3 + v_1^2 t_1^6 + v_1^3 v_2 t_1 + v_1^4 t_1^4 + v_1^6 t_1^2 \\ d_0(v_2^4) &\equiv v_1 v_2^3 t_1^3 + v_1^4 \tau^3 + v_1^5 v_2^2 t_1^3 + v_1^6 v_2 t_1^6 - v_1^7 v_2^2 t_1 \\ d_0(v_2^5) &\equiv -v_1 v_2^4 t_1^3 + v_1^2 v_2^3 t_1^6 - v_1^3 v_2^2 t_1^9 + v_1^4 v_2 t_2^3 \\ (5.4) \quad &\quad + v_1^5 (-v_2^3 t_1^3 + t_1^3 t_2^3 + t_1^{15}) + v_1^6 (v_2^2 t_1^6 + v_2^3 t_1^2) + v_1^7 t_1^{13} \\ d_0(v_2^7) &\equiv v_1 v_2^6 t_1^3 + v_1^3 v_2^4 t_1^9 - v_1^4 v_2^3 (t_2^3 + t_1^{12}) + v_1^5 v_2^5 t_1^3 + v_1^6 v_2^4 t_1^6 + v_1^7 t_1^{21} \\ d_0(v_2^8) &\equiv -v_1 v_2^7 t_1^3 + v_1^2 v_1^6 t_1^6 \pmod{(3, v_1^4)}, \end{aligned}$$

where  $\tau = t_1^4 - t_2$ .

Moreover, we have

$$(5.5) \text{ (cf. [9]) For } d_1 : E(2)_*E(2) \rightarrow E(2)_*E(2)^{\otimes 2},$$

$$d_1(t_1) = 0$$

$$d_1(t_2) = -t_1 \otimes t_1^3 - v_1 b_{10},$$

where  $b_{10} = -t_1 \otimes t_1^2 - t_1^2 \otimes t_1$ .

LEMMA 5.6. *There exist cochains  $T', T$ , and  $\bar{T}$  in  $\Omega^1 E(2)_*$  such that*

$$d_1(T') \equiv -t_1^9 \otimes z^9 - b_{11} - v_2^{-9} g_0^9 \pmod{(3, v_1^3)},$$

$$d_1(T) \equiv -v_2 t_1^9 \otimes z^9 - v_2 b_{11} - v_2^{-8} g_0^9 + v_1 v_2^{-27} t_1^3 \otimes (t_3^9 - t_1^{81} t_2^9) \pmod{(3, v_1^3)},$$

$$\begin{aligned} d_1(\bar{T}) &\equiv -v_2 z^9 \otimes t_1^9 - v_2 b_{11} - v_2^{-26} g_0'^9 \\ &\quad + v_1 v_2^{-27} t_1^3 \otimes (t_3^9 - t_1^9 t_2^{27}) - v_1^3 v_2^{-27} t_1 \otimes (t_3^9 - t_1^9 t_2^{27}) \pmod{(3, v_1^6)}. \end{aligned}$$

Here

$$z = v_2^{-1} t_2 + v_2^{-3} t_2^3 - v_2^{-3} t_1^{12}, \quad b_{11} = -t_1^3 \otimes t_1^6 - t_1^6 \otimes t_1^3,$$

$$g_0 = t_1 \otimes t_2 - t_1^2 \otimes t_1^3 \quad \text{and} \quad g_0' = t_2^3 \otimes t_1 - t_1^3 \otimes t_1^{10}.$$

PROOF. First consider the cochains  $\hat{t}_3 = t_3 - t_1^9 t_2$  and  $\tilde{t}_3 = t_3 - t_1 t_2^3$ . Then we see

$$d_1(\hat{t}_3) \equiv -v_2^3 t_1 \otimes z - v_2 b_{11} - v_2^2 g_0 \pmod{(3, v_1)} \quad \text{and}$$

$$d_1(\tilde{t}_3) \equiv -v_2^3 z \otimes t_1 - v_2 b_{11} - g_0' \pmod{(3, v_1)},$$

by computing

$$d_1(t_3) \equiv -t_1 \otimes t_2^3 - t_2 \otimes t_1^9 - v_2 b_{11}$$

$$\equiv -t_1 \otimes t_2^3 - v_2^2 t_2 \otimes t_1 - v_2 b_{11},$$

$$d_1(-t_1^9 t_2) \equiv t_1^{10} \otimes t_1^3 + t_1 \otimes t_1^{12} + t_1^9 \otimes t_2 + t_2 \otimes t_1^9$$

$$\equiv -v_2^2 g_0 + t_1 \otimes t_1^{12} - v_2^2 t_1 \otimes t_2 + t_2 \otimes t_1^9,$$

$$d_1(-t_1 t_2^3) \equiv t_1^4 \otimes t_1^9 + v_1^3 \otimes t_1^{10} + t_1 \otimes t_2^3 + t_2^3 \otimes t_1$$

$$\equiv t_1^{12} \otimes t_1 + t_1 \otimes t_2^3 - g_0' - t_2^3 \otimes t_1$$

$\pmod{(3, v_1)}$ .

Now put  $T' = v_2^{-27} \hat{t}_3^9$ , and 9-th power of  $d_1(\hat{t}_3)$  yields  $d_1(T')$ . In fact, by (5.3) we see that  $b_{11}^9 \equiv v_2^{18} b_{11} \pmod{(3, v_1^6)}$ .

We define  $T = v_2 T'$  and compute  $d_1(T) \equiv d_1(v_2 T') \equiv v_1 t_1^3 \otimes T' - v_2^{-26} (v_2^{27} t_1^9 \otimes z^9 + v_2^9 b_{11}^9 + v_2^{18} g_0^9) \pmod{(3, v_1^3)}$ .

In the same manner we verify that the element  $\bar{T} = v_2 \bar{T}'$  for  $\bar{T}' = v_2^{-27} \tilde{t}_3^9$  satisfies the last congruence.  $\square$

### §6. Proofs of Lemmas 4.3 and 4.4.

Let  $x$  denote a cochain that represents  $\xi$  in  $H^2K(2)_*$ , and define  $X \in \Omega^2E(2)_*$  by

$$X = v_2^{-4}x^9.$$

LEMMA 6.1. *The element  $X$  is a cocycle of  $\Omega^*K(2)_*$  that represents  $\xi$  in  $H^2K(2)_*$ , and it satisfies the following in the cobar complex  $\Omega^3E(2)_*$ :*

$$d_2X \equiv -v_1v_2^{-1}t_1^3 \otimes X - v_1^4v_2^{-4}\tau^3 \otimes X - v_1^5v_2^2t_1^3 \otimes X \pmod{(3, v_1^6)}.$$

PROOF. By definition with (5.4) we see that

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &\equiv d_2(x^9) \equiv d_2(v_2^4X) \\ &\equiv v_1v_2^3t_1^3 \otimes X + v_1^4\tau^3 \otimes X + v_1^5v_2^2t_1^3 \otimes X \\ &\quad + v_1^6v_2t_1^6 \otimes X + v_2^4d_2(X) \pmod{(3, v_1^7)}. \end{aligned} \quad \square$$

As we noted in [1, (5.1)], we have an element  $w$  such that  $d_1(w) = x^3 + v_2x$  in  $\Omega^*K(2)_*$ . Since  $x^9 = v_2^4x$  by (5.3), we obtain that  $d_1(w^3 - v_2^3w) = 0$ , that is  $w^3 - v_2^3w$  is a cocycle. Theorem 2.3 shows that  $w^3 - v_2^3w$  is bounded, but nothing bounds it by degree reason. Therefore,  $w$  satisfies

$$(6.2) \quad d_1(w) = x^3 + v_2x \quad \text{and} \quad w^3 = v_2^3w \quad \text{in } \Omega^*K(2)_*.$$

By this, we have  $d_1(w^9) \equiv x^{27} + v_2^9x^9 \equiv v_2^{12}X^3 + v_2^{13}X \pmod{(3, v_1^9)}$ , and so by (5.4),

$$(6.3) \quad d_1(v_2^{-12}w^9) \equiv -v_1^3v_2^{-15}t_1^9 \otimes w^9 + v_1^6v_2^{-18}t_1^{18} \otimes w^9 + X^3 + v_2X$$

$\pmod{(3, v_1^9)}$  since  $d_0(v_2^{-12}) \equiv v_2^{-18}(d_0(v_2^2))^3$ .

Since  $h_{10}\xi = 0$  in  $H^3K(2)_*$  by Theorem 2.3, we have cocycles  $y_0$  such that  $d_2(y_0) = t_1 \otimes x$  in  $\Omega^3K(2)_*$ . Define  $y_1 = -v_2^{-1}(y_0^3 + t_1^3 \otimes w)$ . Then  $d_2(y_1) = -v_2^{-1}(t_1^3 \otimes x^3 - t_1^3 \otimes (x^3 + v_2x)) = t_1^3 \otimes x$ .

Put  $Y_0 = v_2^{-6}y_0^9$  and  $Y_1 = v_2^{-10}y_1^9$ . Then we have

LEMMA 6.4.  $Y_i \equiv y_i \pmod{(3, v_1)}$  ( $i = 0, 1$ ) and  $Y_0^3 \equiv -v_2Y_1 - v_2^{-18}t_1^{27} \otimes w^9 \pmod{(3, v_1^9)}$ . Besides,

$$d_2(Y_0) \equiv t_1 \otimes X + v_1v_2^{-3}\tau^3 \otimes X + v_1^2v_2^{-1}t_1^3 \otimes X \pmod{(3, v_1^3)}, \quad \text{and}$$

$$d_2(Y_1) \equiv t_1^3 \otimes X - v_1v_2^{-1}(t_1^3 \otimes Y_1 - t_1^6 \otimes X) + v_1^3(v_2^{-3}t_1^9 \otimes Y_1 - v_2^{-6}t_2^9 \otimes X) \pmod{(3, v_1^4)}.$$

PROOF. The first one follows from (5.3). By definition,  $Y_0^3 = v_2^{-18}y_0^{27} \equiv -v_2^{-9}y_1^9 - v_2^{-18}t_1^{27} \otimes w^9 = -v_2Y_1 - v_2^{-18}t_1^{27} \otimes w^9 \pmod{(3, v_1^9)}$ .

A direct computation with (5.1) shows the following:

$$\begin{aligned} d_2(v_2^{-6}y_0^9) &\equiv v_2^{-6}t_1^9 \otimes x^9 \equiv v_2^{-4}(t_1 - v_1v_2^{-3}t_2^3 + v_1^2v_2^{-1}t_1^3) \otimes v_2^4X \\ &\equiv v_2^{-4}\eta_R(v_2^4)(t_1 - v_1v_2^{-3}t_2^3 + v_1^2v_2^{-1}t_1^3) \otimes X \pmod{(3, v_1^3)}, \end{aligned}$$

and  $\eta_R(v_2^4) = v_2^4 + d_0(v_2^4)$  is read off from (5.4).

For  $Y_1$ , noticing that  $d_0(v_2^{-10}) \equiv v_2^{-18}d_0(v_2^8) \pmod{(3, v_1^4)}$ , we compute with (5.4) the following:

$$\begin{aligned} d_2(v_2^{-10}y_1^9) &\equiv -v_1v_2^{-11}t_1^3 \otimes y_1^9 + v_1^2v_2^{-12}t_1^6 \otimes y_1^9 + v_2^{-10}t_1^{27} \otimes x^9 \\ &\equiv -v_1v_2^{-11}t_1^3 \otimes v_2^{10}Y_1 + v_1^2v_2^{-12}t_1^6 \otimes v_2^{10}Y_1 \\ &\quad + v_2^{-4}t_1^3 \otimes v_2^4X - v_1^3v_2^{-13}t_2^9 \otimes v_2^4X \\ &\equiv t_1^3 \otimes X - v_1v_2^{-1}(t_1^3 \otimes Y_1 - t_1^6 \otimes X) \\ &\quad + v_1^3v_2^{-3}t_1^9 \otimes Y_1 - v_1^3v_2^{-9}t_2^9 \otimes X \pmod{(3, v_1^4)}. \quad \square \end{aligned}$$

**PROOF OF LEMMA 4.3.** Define first  $f'_0 = t_1^2 \otimes X + t_1 \otimes Y_0$  and  $f'_1 = t_1 \otimes Y_1 - t_2 \otimes X$ . Then Lemma 6.4 shows that  $f'_i$  represents  $\psi_i = \langle h_{10}, h_{1i}, \xi \rangle$  for each  $i = 0, 1$ .

By Lemmas 5.6, 6.1 and 6.4 with (5.3) we compute

$$\begin{aligned} d_3(f'_0) &\equiv -v_1(v_2^{-3}t_1 \otimes \tau^3 \otimes X - v_2^{-1}t_1^2 \otimes t_1^3 \otimes X) \\ &\equiv v_1(t_1 \otimes z \otimes X - v_2^{-1}g_0 \otimes X) \\ d_3(-v_1v_2^{-3}T \otimes X) &\equiv v_1v_2^{-3}(v_2^3t_1 \otimes z + v_2b_{11} + v_2^2g_0) \otimes X \\ d_3(v_1z \otimes Y_0) &\equiv -v_1z \otimes t_1 \otimes X \\ d_3(-v_1zt_1 \otimes X) &\equiv v_1z \otimes t_1 \otimes X + v_1t_1 \otimes z \otimes X \end{aligned}$$

$\pmod{(3, v_1^2)}$ . Then we have the first one by putting  $f_0 = f'_0 - v_1v_2^{-3}T \otimes X + v_1z \otimes Y_0 - v_1zt_1 \otimes X$ .

Similarly, we compute

$$\begin{aligned} d_3(f'_1) &\equiv -t_1 \otimes t_1^3 \otimes X + v_1v_2^{-1}t_1 \otimes (t_1^3 \otimes Y_1 - t_1^6 \otimes X) \\ &\quad + t_1 \otimes t_1^3 \otimes X + v_1b_{10} \otimes X - v_1v_2^{-1}t_2 \otimes t_1^3 \otimes X \\ d_3(v_1v_2^{-1}t_2 \otimes Y_1) &\equiv -v_1v_2^{-1}t_1 \otimes t_1^3 \otimes Y_1 - v_1v_2^{-1}t_2 \otimes t_1^3 \otimes X \\ d_3(v_1v_2^{-9}\bar{T}^3 \otimes X) &\equiv v_1v_2^{-9}(-v_2^9z \otimes t_1^3 - v_2^9b_{10} - g_0^3) \otimes X \\ d_3(-v_1z \otimes Y_1) &\equiv v_1z \otimes t_1^3 \otimes X \end{aligned}$$

$\pmod{(3, v_1^2)}$ . Notice that  $v_1v_2^{-1}(t_2 \otimes t_1^3 - t_1 \otimes t_1^6) = v_1v_2^{-9}g_0^3$ , and we obtain the second one by setting  $f_1 = f'_1 + v_1v_2^{-1}t_2 \otimes Y_1 + v_1v_2^{-9}\bar{T}^3 \otimes X - v_1z \otimes Y_1$ .  $\square$

PROOF OF LEMMA 4.4. (a) Set  $\bar{X} = X + v_1 v_2^{-1} Y_1$  and  $\bar{f}_0 = v_2^{-1}(t_1^3 \otimes Y_1 + t_1^6 \otimes X)$ , and we obtain

$$d_2(\bar{X}) \equiv v_1^2 v_2^{-1} \bar{f}_0 \pmod{(3, v_1^3)}$$

by the computation:

$$d_2(X) \equiv -v_1 v_2^{-1} t_1^3 \otimes X$$

$$d_2(v_1 v_2^{-1} Y_1) \equiv -v_1^2 v_2^{-2} t_1^3 \otimes Y_1 + v_1 v_2^{-1} t_1^3 \otimes X - v_1^2 v_2^{-2} (t_1^3 \otimes Y_1 - t_1^6 \otimes X)$$

$\pmod{(3, v_1^3)}$ . Indeed, these are seen by using Lemmas 6.1 and 6.4 and the congruence  $d_0(v_2^{-1}) \equiv -v_1 v_2^{-2} t_1^3 \pmod{(3, v_1^2)}$  seen by (5.4).

For a while, we argue in the  $E_2$ -term  $E_2^{*,*}(L_2 V(1))$ . Notice that  $\bar{f}_0$  represents an element in  $v_2^{-1} \langle h_{11}, h_{11}, \xi \rangle$ , and  $\psi_0$  is an element of  $\langle h_{10}, h_{10}, \xi \rangle$ . By a relation of the Massey products, we see that  $h_{11} \langle h_{11}, h_{11}, \xi \rangle = \langle h_{11}, h_{11}, h_{11} \rangle \xi$  and  $\langle h_{11}, h_{11}, h_{11} \rangle = -b_{11}$ . Therefore,  $h_{11}[\bar{f}_0] = -v_2^{-1} b_{11} \xi = -h_{11} \psi_0$  by a relation in Theorem 2.3, and so  $[\bar{f}_0] = -\psi_0 \pmod{\text{Ker } h_{11}}$ . Theorem 2.3 also shows us that  $\text{Ker } h_{11} \subset E_2^{3,16}(L_2 V(1))$  is generated by  $h_{10} b_{10}$ . Therefore we have an integer  $k \in \mathbf{Z}/3$  such that  $[\bar{f}_0] = -\psi_0 + k h_{10} b_{10}$  and a cochain  $e_0$  such that  $d_2(e_0) = \bar{f}_0 + f_0 - k t_1 \otimes b_{10}$  for  $f_0$  given in the proof of Lemma 4.3. Furthermore the relation  $v_2^2 h_{10} b_{10} = h_{11} b_{11}$  certifies the existence of a cochain  $B$  such that  $d_1(B) = v_2^2 t_1 \otimes b_{10} - t_1^3 \otimes b_{11}$ .

Putting  $X(0) = \bar{X} + k v_1 v_2^{-1} b_{11} - v_1^2 (v_2^{-1} e_0 + k v_2^{-3} B)$  leads us to the desired congruence.

(b) Put  $X(2) = v_2 X^3 - v_1 Y_0^3 - v_1^3 v_2^{-2} Y_1^3$  and note that  $f_1 \equiv t_1 \otimes Y_1 - t_2 \otimes X \pmod{(3, v_1)}$  for  $f_1$  in the proof of Lemma 4.3. We then obtain  $d_2(X(2))$  from computation

$$d_2(v_2 X^3) \equiv v_1 t_1^3 \otimes X^3 - v_1^3 t_1 \otimes X^3 - v_1^3 v_2^{-2} t_1^9 \otimes X^3$$

$$\equiv v_1 t_1^3 \otimes X^3 + v_1^3 (t_1 + v_1 v_2^{-3} t_2^3) \otimes X^3$$

$$d_2(-v_1 Y_0^3) \equiv -v_1 t_1^3 \otimes X^3 - v_1^4 v_2^{-9} \tau^9 \otimes X^3$$

$$d_2(-v_1^3 v_2^{-2} Y_1^3) \equiv -v_1^4 v_2^{-3} t_1^3 \otimes Y_1^3 - v_1^3 v_2^{-2} t_1^9 \otimes X^3$$

$$\equiv -v_1^4 v_2^{-3} t_1^3 \otimes Y_1^3 - v_1^3 (t_1 - v_1 v_2^{-3} t_2^3) \otimes X^3$$

$\pmod{(3, v_1^5)}$  by Lemmas 6.1 and 6.4.

By defining  $X(8) = v_2^4 X^9 - v_1 v_2^{-3} Y_1^9$ , we compute that

$$d(v_2^4 X^9) \equiv v_1 v_2^3 t_1^3 \otimes X^9 + v_1^4 \tau^3 \otimes X^9$$

$$d(-v_1 v_2^{-3} Y_1^9) \equiv v_1^4 v_2^{-6} t_1^9 \otimes Y_1^9 - v_1 (v_2^3 t_1^3 - v_1^3 v_2^{-6} t_2^9) \otimes X^9$$

$\pmod{(3, v_1^5)}$ . Since  $\tau^3 + v_2^{-6} t_2^9 \equiv -v_2^3 z^3 - v_2^{-6} t_2^9$ , we have the result.  $\square$

## §7. Proof of Lemma 4.2.

In this section, we correct [1, Th. 4.4], whose  $X$  should be replaced by our  $x(8)$ .

LEMMA 7.1. *There exists an element  $x(7)$  such that  $x(7) \equiv v_2^7 t_1 \pmod{(3, v_1)}$ , and*

$$d_1(x(7)) \equiv v_1^2 b_{11}^3 - v_1^7 v_2^5 X \pmod{(3, v_1^8)},$$

for a cocycle  $X$  that represents  $\xi$ .

PROOF. Put  $x(7)' = v_2^5 t_1^9 - v_1 v_2^4 t_2^3 + v_1^3 v_2^2 t_1^{18} - v_1^2 T'^3 - v_1 v_2^7 z^9 - v_1^4 v_2^4 t_1^9 z^9 + v_1^4 v_2^3 \bar{T} - v_1^5 v_2^3 t_2^3 - v_1^6 v_2^{-4} T^3$  for  $T'$ ,  $T$  and  $\bar{T}$  given in Lemma 5.6. Using (5.3), (5.4), (5.5) and Lemma 5.6, we compute the following mod  $(3, v_1^8)$ :

$$\begin{aligned} d_1(v_2^5 t_1^9) &\equiv (-\underline{v_1 v_2^4 t_1^3} + \underline{v_1^2 v_2^3 t_1^6}_{(a1)} - \underline{v_1^3 v_2^2 t_1^9} + \underline{v_1^4 v_2 t_2^3}_c \\ &\quad + v_1^5 (-\underline{v_2^3 t_1^3}_6 + t_1^3 t_2^3 + t_1^{15}) + v_1^6 (\underline{v_2^2 t_1^6}_e + \underline{v_2^3 t_1^2}_d) + v_1^7 t_1^{13}) \otimes t_1^9 \\ d_1(-v_1 v_2^4 t_2^3) &\equiv -v_1 (\underline{v_1 v_2^3 t_1^3}_{(a1)} + v_1^4 t_1^3 + \underline{v_1^5 v_2^2 t_1^3}_e + v_1^6 v_2 t_1^6) \otimes t_2^3 \\ &\quad + \underline{v_1 v_2^4 t_1^3} \otimes t_{11}^9 + \underline{v_1^4 v_2 b_{11}}_3 \\ d_1(v_1^3 v_2^2 t_1^{18}) &\equiv -\underline{v_1^4 v_2 t_1^3} \otimes t_{1c}^{18} + v_1^5 t_1^6 \otimes t_1^{18} + \underline{v_1^6 v_2 t_1} \otimes t_{1d}^{18} \\ &\quad + v_1^7 t_1^4 \otimes t_1^{18} + \underline{v_1^3 v_2 t_1^9} \otimes t_{12}^9 \\ d_1(-v_1^2 T'^3) &\equiv \underline{v_1^2 t_1^{27}} \otimes z^9_b + v_1^2 b_{11}^3 + \underline{v_1^2 v_2^{-27} g_0^{27}}_a \\ d_1(-v_1 v_2^7 z^9) &\equiv -\underline{v_1^2 v_2^6 t_1^3} \otimes z^9_b - \underline{v_1^4 v_2^4 t_1^9} \otimes z^9_4 + v_1^5 v_2^3 t_2^3 \otimes z^9 \\ &\quad + v_1^5 v_2^3 t_1^{12} \otimes z^9 - \underline{v_1^6 v_2^5 t_1^3} \otimes z^9_7 - v_1^7 v_2^4 t_1^6 \otimes z^9 \\ d_1(-v_1^4 v_2^4 t_1^9 z^9) &\equiv -v_1^5 v_2^3 t_1^3 \otimes t_1^9 z^9 + \underline{v_1^4 v_2^4 t_1^9} \otimes z^9_4 + \underline{v_1^4 v_2^4 z^9} \otimes t_{15}^9 \\ d_1(v_1^4 v_2^3 \bar{T}) &\equiv v_1^7 t_1^9 \otimes \bar{T} + v_1^4 v_2^3 (-v_2 z^9 \otimes t_1^9 - v_2 b_{11} - v_2^{-26} g_0^9 \\ &\quad + v_1 v_2^{-27} t_1^3 \otimes (t_3^9 - t_1^9 t_2^{27}) - v_1^3 v_2^{-27} t_1 \otimes (t_3^9 - t_1^9 t_2^{27})) \\ &\equiv v_1^4 v_2^3 (-\underline{v_2 z^9} \otimes t_{15}^9 - \underline{v_2 b_{11}}_3 - \underline{v_2^{-26} g_0^9}_c \\ &\quad + v_1 v_2^{-27} t_1^3 \otimes (t_3^9 - t_1^9 t_2^{27})) \\ d_1(-v_1^5 v_2^3 t_2^3) &\equiv \underline{v_1^5 v_2^3 t_1^3} \otimes t_{16}^9 \\ d_1(-v_1^6 v_2^{-4} T^3) &\equiv \underline{v_1^6 v_2^5 t_1^3} \otimes z^9_7 + \underline{v_1^6 v_2^5 b_{10}}_d + \underline{v_1^6 v_2^2 g_0^3}_e + v_1^7 v_2^{-5} t_1^3 \otimes T^3. \end{aligned}$$

The elements underlined with the same number are cancelled each other. Since the sum of the elements underlined with (a1) is  $-v_1^2 v_2^3 g_0^3$  and  $g_0^9 \equiv v_2^{10} g_0 - v_1 (v_2^9 t_1^4 \otimes t_2 + v_2 t_1 \otimes t_3^3 + v_2^7 (t_2^3 \otimes t_2 + t_1 t_2^3 \otimes t_1^3))$ , the sum of the elements underlined with (a1) and  $a$  is:

$$v_1^2 v_2^{-27} g_0^{27} - v_1^2 v_2^3 g_0^3 \equiv -v_1^5 (t_1^{12} \otimes t_2^3 + v_2^{-24} t_1^3 \otimes t_3^9 + v_2^{-6} (t_2^9 \otimes t_2^3 + t_1^3 t_2^9 \otimes t_1^9)).$$

Besides, the underlined parts with  $b$ ,  $c$  and  $d$  are computed as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
& v_1^2 t_1^{27} \otimes z^9 - v_1^2 v_2^6 t_1^3 \otimes z^9 \equiv -v_1^5 v_2^{-3} t_2^9 \otimes z^9 \\
& v_1^4 v_2 t_2^3 \otimes t_1^9 - v_1^4 v_2 t_1^3 \otimes t_1^{18} - v_1^4 v_2^{-23} g_0^9 \equiv v_1^7 (v_2^2 t_3 \otimes t_1 - v_2^4 t_2 \otimes t_1^2), \quad \text{and} \\
& v_1^6 (v_2^3 t_1^2 \otimes t_1^9 + v_2 t_1 \otimes t_1^{18}) + v_1^6 v_2^5 b_{10} \equiv -v_1^7 v_2^2 (t_1^2 \otimes t_2^3 - t_1 \otimes t_1 t_2^3)
\end{aligned}$$

using (5.1). Now we obtain

$$d_1(x(7)') \equiv v_1^2 b_{11}^3 + v_1^5 Z + v_1^7 x'$$

for

$$\begin{aligned}
Z &= \underline{(t_1^3 t_2^3 + t_1^{15}) \otimes t_{1A}^9} - \underline{\tau^3 \otimes t_{2C}^3} + t_1^6 \otimes t_1^{18} + \underline{v_2^3 t_2^3 \otimes z^9}_D \\
&+ \underline{v_2^3 t_1^{12} \otimes z^9}_D - \underline{v_2^3 t_1^3 \otimes t_1^9 z^9}_B + v_2^{-24} t_1^3 \otimes (t_{31}^9 - \underline{t_1^9 t_2^{27}}_B) \\
&- (\underline{t_1^{12} \otimes t_{2C}^3} + \underline{v_2^{-24} t_1^3 \otimes t_{31}^9} + v_2^{-6} (\underline{t_2^9 \otimes t_{2C}^3} + \underline{t_1^3 t_2^9 \otimes t_{1A}^9})) - \underline{v_2^{-3} t_2^9 \otimes z^9}_D \\
x' &= t_1^{13} \otimes t_1^9 + t_1^4 \otimes t_1^{18} - v_2^4 t_1^6 \otimes z^9 + v_2^{-5} t_1^3 \otimes T^3 \\
&+ v_2^2 t_3 \otimes t_1 - v_2^4 t_2 \otimes t_1^2 - v_2^2 (t_1^2 \otimes t_2^3 - t_1 \otimes t_1 t_2^3).
\end{aligned}$$

We introduce an element  $w = -z - v_2^{-1} t_2 = v_2^{-1} t_1^4 + v_2^{-1} t_2 - v_2^{-3} t_2^3$ . Notice that  $z^9 \equiv z^3 \pmod{(3, v_1^3)}$ . Then the parts underlined with  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$  and  $D$  amount to  $v_2^3 t_1^3 \otimes t_1^9 (w \otimes 1)$ ,  $v_2^3 t_1^3 \otimes t_1^9 (1 \otimes w)$ ,  $v_2^3 w^3 \otimes t_2^3$  and  $v_2^6 w^3 \otimes z^3 \pmod{(3, v_1^3)}$ , respectively, and so we have

$$Z \equiv v_2^3 t_1^3 \otimes t_1^9 (w^3 \otimes 1 + 1 \otimes w^3) + t_1^6 \otimes t_1^{18} - v_2^6 w^3 \otimes w^3.$$

Since we have  $d_1(v_2 w) \equiv t_1 \otimes t_1^3 \pmod{(3, v_1)}$  by (5.5), we obtain

$$d_1(v_2^6 w^6) \equiv -(v_2^3 t_1^3 \otimes t_1^9 (w^3 \otimes 1 + 1 \otimes w^3) + t_1^6 \otimes t_1^{18} - v_2^6 w^3 \otimes w^3)$$

$\pmod{(3, v_1^3)}$  by (5.3). Therefore the cochain  $x(7) = x(7)' + v_1^5 v_2^6 w^6$  satisfies the desired congruence by putting  $x' = -v_2^5 X$ . In fact,  $\xi$  is represented by a cocycle whose leading term is  $v_2^{-3} t_1 \otimes t_3 + v_2^{-10} t_3^3 \otimes t_1^3$ , and moreover  $T$  is congruent to  $t_3 - t_1^9 t_2 \pmod{(3, v_1)}$ .  $\square$

**PROOF OF LEMMA 4.2.** Put  $x(8) = -V^3 + v_1^4 x(7)$  for  $V$  in (5.2). Lemma 7.1 implies the lemma for  $n = 1$ , since  $V^3 \equiv -v_2^8 t_1 \pmod{(3, v_1)}$  by (5.1) and (5.2), and  $d_1(V) \equiv v_1^2 b_{11} \pmod{(3, v_1^8)}$  by [1, (3.7)]. For a large  $n$ , use (6.3) to obtain the lemma.  $\square$

### §8. The Adams-Novikov differentials on $E_2^{*,*}(L_2 W)$ .

In this section, we compute the Adams-Novikov differential  $d_r : E_r^{s,t}(L_2 W) \rightarrow E_r^{s+r, t+r-1}(L_2 W)$  for  $r \geq 2$ . Note that  $E_2^*(L_2 W)$  is given in Theorem 2.5 and that  $d_r = 0$  unless  $r \equiv 1 \pmod{4}$  by degree reason.

**PROPOSITION 8.1.** *For all  $r \geq 2$ ,  $d_r = 0$  on  $K(1)_*/k(1)_* \otimes A(h_{10}, \zeta_2)$ .*

**PROOF.** Suppose that there are elements  $x \in A(h_{10}, \zeta_2)$  and  $y \in E_r^{s+r}(L_2 W)$  with  $\text{filt } x = s$  for integers  $0 \leq s \leq 2$ ,  $r > 4$  and  $j > 0$ , such that  $d_u(x/v_1^j) = 0$  for  $u < r$  and

$$d_r(x/v_1^j) = y \neq 0.$$



Then  $d_{r'}(x/v_1^{j+1}) = y' \neq 0$  for some  $r' \leq r$  and  $y' \in E_{r'}^{s+r'}(L_2W)$ . Since  $r$  is finite, we may assume that for each  $k \geq 0$ ,  $d_u(x/v_1^{j+k}) = 0$  for  $u < r$  and

$$d_r(x/v_1^{j+k}) = y/v_1^k \neq 0 \in E_r^{s+r}(L_2W)$$

from the beginning. Thus  $y$  generates a module isomorphic to  $K(1)_*/k(1)_*$  in  $E_r^{s+r}(L_2W)$ . On the other hand, Theorem 2.5 shows that  $E_2^{s+r}(L_2W) = H^{s+r}M_1^1$  does not contain such a module since  $s+r \geq r > 4$ . This is a contradiction.  $\square$

In the following, an equation  $d_r(x) = y$  means not only the indicated one but also  $d_s(x) = 0$  for  $s < r$ .

LEMMA 8.2. *Suppose that  $d_r(x) = y$  on an element  $x$  of  $F_n$  or  $F \oplus F^*$ , then we get*

$$d_r(xb_{10}^s \zeta_2^\varepsilon) = yb_{10}^s \zeta_2^\varepsilon$$

for  $s \geq 0$ ,  $\varepsilon = 0, 1$  and  $xb_{10}^s \zeta_2^\varepsilon \in E_2^{*,*}(L_2W)$ .

PROOF. Since  $b_{10}$  represents the homotopy element  $\beta_1$ , the relation  $d_r(x) = y$  implies  $d_r(xb_{10}^s) = yb_{10}^s$ .

The same proof that shows  $d_r(x) = y$  in the spectral sequence for  $\pi_*(L_2W)$  works to show  $d_r(x\zeta_2) = y\zeta_2$  in it, since the proof depends on the result of the differentials of the spectral sequence for  $\pi_*(L_2V(1))$  in which it is shown in [11] that  $d_r(x) = y$  if and only if  $d_r(x\zeta_2) = y\zeta_2$ .  $\square$

For the differentials on  $F \oplus F^*$  and  $F_n$ , we study the exact sequence

$$\cdots \longrightarrow E_2^{s,*}(L_2V(1)) \xrightarrow{i_*} E_2^{s,*}(L_2W) \xrightarrow{v_1} E_2^{s,*}(L_2W) \xrightarrow{\delta_s} E_2^{s+1,*}(L_2V(1)) \longrightarrow \cdots$$

associated to the cofiber sequence (2.1) in order to use the results on  $E_2^{*,*}(L_2V(1))$ :

(8.3) ([11, Prop.s 8.4, 9.13], [4]) *The differential  $d_5$  of the spectral sequence for  $\pi_*(L_2V(1))$  acts as follows:*

$$\begin{aligned} d_5(v_2^{3t+1}) &= -tv_2^{3t-1}h_{11}b_{10}^2, & d_5(v_2^{3t+1}b_{11}) &= -(t-1)v_2^{3t+1}h_{10}b_{10}^3, \\ d_5(v_2^{3t+3}\psi_0) &= -tv_2^{3t}b_{11}\xi b_{10}^2, & d_5(v_2^{3t+1}\psi_1) &= -(t+1)v_2^{3t}\xi b_{10}^3; \\ d_5(v_2^{3t-1}) &= -(t+1)v_2^{3t-3}h_{11}b_{10}^2, & d_5(v_2^{3t-1}b_{11}) &= -tv_2^{3t-1}h_{10}b_{10}^3, \\ d_5(v_2^{3t+1}\psi_0) &= -(t+1)v_2^{3t-2}b_{11}\xi b_{10}^2, & d_5(v_2^{3t-1}\psi_1) &= -(t-1)v_2^{3t-2}\xi b_{10}^3; \\ d_5(v_2^{3t}b_{10}) &= -tv_2^{3t-2}h_{11}b_{10}^3, & d_5(v_2^{3t}b_{11}) &= -(t-1)v_2^{3t}h_{10}b_{10}^3, \\ d_5(v_2^{3t-1}\psi_0) &= -(t-1)v_2^{3t-4}b_{11}\xi b_{10}^2, & d_5(v_2^{3t}\psi_1b_{10}) &= -(t+1)v_2^{3t-1}\xi b_{10}^3. \end{aligned}$$

Here we take 1 for  $\lambda$  in [11], for short, and the undetermined integer  $k$  of [11] is shown to be 1 by [4]. Thus the results of (8.3) follow.

LEMMA 8.4. *Let  $x$  be an element of  $F_n$  or  $F \oplus F^*$ . Then we see the following:*

(1) *If  $x = i_*(\bar{x})$  and  $d_r(\bar{x}) = \bar{y}$  in  $E_r^{*,*}(L_2V(1))$ , then*

$$d_r(x) = i_*(\bar{y}) \quad \text{in } E_r^{*,*}(L_2(V(1))).$$

(2) If  $d_r(\delta_s(x)) = \delta_{s+r}(y)$ , then

$$d_r(x) = y + \dots$$

Here  $\dots$  denotes an element of  $J$  given by

$$J = E(2, 1)_* \{v_2 h_{10}/v_1, v_2^2 h_{11}/v_1, \xi/v_1, b_{11} \xi/v_1\} \otimes (\mathbf{Z}/3)[b_{10}] \otimes A(\zeta_2).$$

Furthermore the generators of  $J$  have the bidegrees:

$$\|v_2^{3s+1} h_{10}/v_1\| = (1, 16(3s+1)), \quad \|v_2^{3s+2} h_{11}/v_1\| = (1, 16(3s+2) + 8),$$

$$\|v_2^{3s} \xi/v_1\| = (2, 48s+4), \quad \|v_2^{3s} b_{11} \xi/v_1\| = (4, 48s+40),$$

$$\|b_{10}\| = (2, 12) \quad \text{and} \quad \|\zeta_2\| = (1, 0).$$

PROOF. Part (1) follows from the naturality of the differential  $d_r$ .

The hypothesis  $d_r(\delta_s(x)) = \delta_{s+r}(y)$  of (2) implies  $d_r(x) \equiv y \pmod{\text{Ker } \delta_{s+r} = \text{Im } v_1}$  by naturality. Besides,  $d_r(x) \in E_r^{s,*}$  for  $s \geq 5$  and  $\bigoplus_{s \geq 5} E_r^{s,*} \subset G$ , where  $G = (F \oplus F^*) \otimes (\mathbf{Z}/3)[b_{10}] \otimes A(\zeta_2)$ . Define  $J = \text{Im}(v_1 : G \rightarrow G)$ , and we see  $d_r(x) \equiv y \pmod{J}$ . The structure of  $J$  follows from Theorem 2.5.  $\square$

PROPOSITION 8.5. *The differential  $d_5$  on  $(F \oplus F^*) \otimes (\mathbf{Z}/3)[b_{10}] \otimes A(\zeta_2)$  is read off from the following results on  $F \oplus F^*$  (by Lemma 8.2):*

$$(a) \quad d_5(v_2^{3t+1}/v_1) = -tv_2^{3t-1} h_{11} b_{10}^2/v_1$$

$$(a') \quad d_5(v_2^{3t-1}/v_1) = 0$$

$$(b) \quad d_5(v_2^{3t+1} h_{10}/v_1^2) = tv_2^{3t-1} b_{10}^3/v_1$$

$$(c) \quad d_5(v_2^{3t+2} h_{11}/v_1^2) = (t-1)v_2^{3t-1} b_{11} b_{10}^2/v_1 + kv_2^{3t+1} h_{10} b_{10}^2 \zeta_2/v_1 \text{ for some } k \in \mathbf{Z}/3$$

$$(d) \quad d_5(v_2^{3t+1} b_{11}/v_1) = -(t-1)v_2^{3t+1} h_{10} b_{10}^3/v_1$$

$$(d') \quad d_5(v_2^{3t-1} b_{11}/v_1) = 0$$

$$(a)^* \quad d_5(v_2^{3t+3} \psi_0/v_1) = -tv_2^{3t} b_{11} \xi b_{10}^2/v_1$$

$$(a')^* \quad d_5(v_2^{3t+1} \psi_0/v_1) = 0$$

$$(b)^* \quad d_5(v_2^{3t} \xi/v_1^2) = -(t-1)v_2^{3t-2} \psi_0 b_{10}^2/v_1$$

$$(c)^* \quad d_5(v_2^{3t} b_{11} \xi/v_1^2) = (t+1)v_2^{3t-1} \psi_1 b_{10}^3/v_1$$

$$(d)^* \quad d_5(v_2^{3t+1} \psi_1/v_1) = -(t+1)v_2^{3t} \xi b_{10}^3/v_1$$

$$(d')^* \quad d_5(v_2^{3t-1} \psi_1/v_1) = 0.$$

PROOF. The first four equations of (8.3) give rise to (a), (d), (a)\* and (d)\* by Lemma 8.4 (1).

Proposition 3.4 shows the following:

$$v_2^{3t-3} h_{11} b_{10}^2 = \delta_4(v_2^{3t-2} b_{10}^2/v_1), \quad v_2^{3t-1} h_{10} b_{10}^3 = \delta_6(v_2^{3t-2} b_{11} b_{10}^2/v_1),$$

$$v_2^{3t-2} b_{11} \xi b_{10}^2 = \delta_7(v_2^{3t} \psi_0 b_{10}^2/v_1), \quad v_2^{3t-2} \xi b_{10}^3 = \delta_7(v_2^{3t-2} \psi_1 b_{10}^2/v_1).$$

Since  $i_*\delta_s(y) = 0$ , Lemma 8.4 (1) implies that the second four equations of (8.3) yield (a'), (d'), (a')\*, and (d')\*.

Furthermore, Proposition 3.4 shows the following:

$$\begin{aligned} \delta_1(v_2^{3t+1}h_{10}/v_1^2) &= v_2^{3t}b_{10}, & \delta_1(v_2^{3t+2}h_{11}/v_1^2) &= v_2^{3t}b_{11}, \\ \delta_2(v_2^{3t}\xi/v_1^2) &= -v_2^{3t-1}\psi_0, & \delta_4(v_2^{3t}b_{11}\xi/v_1^2) &= v_2^{3t}\psi_1b_{10}; \text{ and} \\ v_2^{3t-2}h_{11}b_{10}^3 &= -\delta_6(v_2^{3t-1}b_{10}^3/v_1), & v_2^{3t}h_{10}b_{10}^3 &= -\delta_6(v_2^{3t-1}b_{11}b_{10}^2/v_1), \\ v_2^{3t-4}b_{11}\xi b_{10}^2 &= -\delta_7(v_2^{3t-2}\psi_0b_{10}^2/v_1), & v_2^{3t-1}\xi b_{10}^3 &= -\delta_9(v_2^{3t-1}\psi_1b_{10}^3/v_1). \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, we apply Lemma 8.4 (2) to show

$$\begin{aligned} d_5(v_2^{3t+1}h_{10}/v_1^2) &= tv_2^{3t-1}b_{10}^3/v_1 + \dots \\ d_5(v_2^{3t+2}h_{11}/v_1^2) &= (t-1)v_2^{3t-1}b_{11}b_{10}^2/v_1 + \dots \\ d_5(v_2^{3t}\xi/v_1^2) &= -(t-1)v_2^{3t-2}\psi_0b_{10}^2/v_1 + \dots \\ d_5(v_2^{3t}b_{11}\xi/v_1^2) &= (t+1)v_2^{3t-1}\psi_1b_{10}^3/v_1 + \dots \end{aligned}$$

by using the last four equations of (8.3). Let  $(J)^{s,t}$  denotes the submodule of  $J$  with bidegree  $(s,t)$ . Then we see that  $(J)^{s,u} = 0$  if  $(s,u) = (6, 16(3t-1) + 32)$ ,  $(7, 16(3t-2) + 36)$  or  $(9, 16(3t-1) + 56)$ , and  $= (\mathbf{Z}/3)\{v_2^{3t+1}h_{10}b_{10}^2\xi_2/v_1\}$  if  $(s,u) = (6, 16(3t-1) + 56)$ . Therefore we obtain (b), (c), (b)\* and (c)\*.  $\square$

We here recall the folklore lemma which will be used later:

LEMMA 8.6. Let  $X \xrightarrow{f} Y \xrightarrow{g} Z \xrightarrow{h} \Sigma X$  be a cofiber sequence with  $E(2)_*(h) = 0$ . Then in the exact sequence  $E_2^*(L_2X) \xrightarrow{f_*} E_2^*(L_2Y) \xrightarrow{g_*} E_2^*(L_2Z) \xrightarrow{\delta} E_2^{*+1}(X)$ , we have the following:

(1) If we have a chart

$$\begin{array}{ccc} y & \xrightarrow{g_*} & z' \\ & & \swarrow d_5 \\ & & z \xrightarrow{\delta} x, \end{array}$$

and  $x$  is a permanent cycle, then  $f_*([x]) = [y]$ , where  $[\cdot]$  denotes a homotopy class.

(2) If we have a chart

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} x' & \xrightarrow{f_*} & y' & & \\ & & \swarrow d_5 & & \\ & & y & \xrightarrow{g_*} & z' \\ & & & & \swarrow d_5 \\ & & & & z \xrightarrow{\delta} x, \end{array}$$

then  $d_9(x) = x'$ .

(3) If we have a chart

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 x' & \xrightarrow{f_*} & y' \\
 & \searrow^{d_9} & \swarrow_{d_5} \\
 z & \xrightarrow{\delta} & x \\
 & & y \xrightarrow{g_*} z'
 \end{array}$$

then  $d_5(z) = z'$ .

**COROLLARY 8.7.** Consider the cofiber sequence  $V(1) \xrightarrow{i} \Sigma^4 W \xrightarrow{v_1} W \xrightarrow{j} \Sigma V(1)$ . Then the induced map  $i_* : \pi_*(L_2 V(1)) \rightarrow \pi_{*-4}(L_2 W)$  acts as follows:

- (a)  $i_*(v_2^{9t+2} h_{10}) \equiv v_2^{9t+1} h_{10} b_{10}^2 / v_1^2 \pmod{\text{Ker } \beta_1}$
- (a')  $i_*(v_2^{9t+2} h_{10} \zeta_2) \equiv v_2^{9t+1} h_{10} b_{10}^2 \zeta_2 / v_1^2 \pmod{\text{Ker } \beta_1}$
- (b)  $i_*(v_2^{3u+1} \xi) \equiv -(1+u)v_2^{3u} \xi b_{10}^2 / v_1^2 \pmod{\text{Ker } \beta_1} \quad (u \neq 0 \pmod{3})$
- (b')  $i_*(v_2^{3u+1} \xi \zeta_2) \equiv -(1+u)v_2^{3u} \xi b_{10}^2 \zeta_2 / v_1^2 \pmod{\text{Ker } \beta_1} \quad (u \neq 0 \pmod{3})$ .

**PROOF.** We obtain the following charts

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 v_2 h_{10} b_{10}^3 / v_1^2 & \xrightarrow{v_1} & v_2 h_{10} b_{10}^3 / v_1 \\
 & \swarrow_{d_5} & \\
 & & v_2 b_{11} / v_1 \xrightarrow{\delta} v_2^2 h_{10} b_{10}
 \end{array}$$

and

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 -(1+u)v_2^{3u} \xi b_{10}^3 / v_1^2 & \xrightarrow{v_1} & -(1+u)v_2^{3u} \xi b_{10}^3 / v_1 \\
 & \swarrow_{d_5} & \\
 & & v_2^{3u+1} \psi_1 / v_1 \xrightarrow{\delta} v_2^{3u+1} \xi b_{10}
 \end{array}$$

from Propositions 3.4 and 8.5 (d), (d)\*. Since  $v_2^{9t+2} h_{10}$  and  $v_2^{3u+1} \xi$  with  $u \not\equiv 0 \pmod{3}$  are permanent cycles by [11, Th. A],  $i_*(v_2^{9t+2} h_{10} b_{10}) = v_2^{9t+1} h_{10} b_{10}^3 / v_1^2$  and  $i_*(v_2^{3u+1} \xi b_{10}) = (1+u)v_2^{3u} \xi b_{10}^3 / v_1^2$  by Lemma 8.6 (1). Now divide it by  $b_{10}$  which represents  $\beta_1 \in \pi_*(S^0)$ , and we obtain (a) and (b).

In the same way, we obtain (a') and (b') by Lemma 8.2.  $\square$

**PROPOSITION 8.8.** The differential  $d_5$  on  $F_n \otimes A(\zeta_2)$  is read off from the following relation on  $F_n$  (by Lemma 8.2):

- (a)  $d_5(v_2^{3^{n+1}(3t+1)} / v_1^{4 \cdot 3^n - 1}) = \begin{cases} v_2^{9t+1} h_{10} b_{10}^2 / v_1 & n = 0 \\ 0 & n > 0 \end{cases}$
- (a')  $d_5(v_2^{3^{n+1}(3t-1)} / v_1^{4 \cdot 3^n - 1}) = 0$
- (b)  $d_5(v_2^{3^{n+2}t+3^{n+1}} h_{10} / v_1^{2 \cdot 3^{n+1} + 1}) = \begin{cases} \pm v_2^{9t} \xi b_{10}^2 / v_1 & n = 0 \\ (-1)^n v_2^{3^{n+2}t+3(3^n-1)/2} \xi b_{10}^2 / v_1 & n > 0 \end{cases}$
- (c)  $d_5(v_2^{3^{n+2}t+8 \cdot 3^n} h_{10} / v_1^{10 \cdot 3^n + 1}) = \begin{cases} 0 & n = 0, 1 \\ -v_2^{3^{n+2}t+5 \cdot 3^n + 3(3^{n-1}-1)/2} \xi b_{10}^2 / v_1 & n > 1 \end{cases}$

$$(d) \quad d_5(v_2^{3^n(9t+5\pm 3)+(3^n-1)/2}\xi/v_1^{4\cdot 3^n}) = v_2^{3^{n+1}(3t+1\pm 1)+3(3^n-1)/2-1}\psi_1 b_{10}^2/v_1 \quad (n > 0)$$

$$(e) \quad d_5(v_2^{9t+8}\xi/v_1^4) = 0$$

$$(e') \quad d_5(v_2^{9t+2}\xi/v_1^4) = -v_2^{9t-1}\psi_1 b_{10}^2/v_1.$$

Here the symbol  $\pm$  on the right hand sides denotes an undetermined sign.

PROOF. Put  $b(0) = 9t + 2$  and  $b(n) = 3^n(9t + 5 \pm 3) + (3^n - 1)/2$  for  $n > 0$ . Then we compute  $d_5(\delta_2(v_2^{b(n)}\xi/v_1^{4\cdot 3^n})) = d_5(v_2^{b(n)-3^n-1}\psi_1) = k_n v_2^{b(n)-3^n-2}\xi b_{10}^3 = k_n \delta_7(v_2^{b(n)-3^n-2}\psi_1 b_{10}^2/v_1)$  for  $k_0 = -1$  and  $k_n = 1$  ( $n > 0$ ), since  $b(n) - 3^n - 1 \equiv 0$  or  $3 \pmod 9$ . In fact,  $d_5(v_2^{3t}\psi_1) = -(1+t)v_2^{3t-1}\xi b_{10}^3$  by [11, Prop. 9.13]. Therefore Lemma 8.4 (2) implies (d) and (e'), since  $(J)^{s,u} = 0$  for  $(s, u) = (7, 16(b(n) - 3^n - 2) + 44)$  ( $n \geq 0$ ).

Take  $x/v_1^a \in F_n$ . For the cases (a), (a'), (b), (c) and (e),  $d_5(\delta_*(x/v_1^a)) = 0$  by the relation  $d_5(v_2^t h_{10}) = 0 = d_5(v_2^t \xi)$  shown in [11, Prop.s 8.4, 9.13]. Therefore,  $d_5(x/v_1^a) \in J$  by Lemma 8.4 (2). Comparing degrees, we have (a) for  $n > 0$  and (a'), and (c) for  $n = 0$ . Besides,

$$d_5(v_2^{9t+3}/v_1^3) = k_1 v_2^{9t+1} h_{10} b_{10}^2/v_1 + k_2 v_2^{9t} b_{11} \xi \zeta_2/v_1$$

$$d_5(v_2^{9t-3}/v_1^3) = k_3 v_2^{9t-5} h_{10} b_{10}^2/v_1 + k_4 v_2^{9t-6} b_{11} \xi \zeta_2/v_1$$

$$d_5(v_2^{3^{n+2}t+3^{n+1}} h_{10}/v_1^{2\cdot 3^{n+1}+1}) = k_5 v_2^{3^{n+2}t+3(3^n-1)/2} \xi b_{10}^2/v_1 \quad (n \geq 0)$$

$$d_5(v_2^{3^{n+2}t+8\cdot 3^n} h_{10}/v_1^{10\cdot 3^n+1}) = k_6 v_2^{3^{n+2}t+5\cdot 3^n+3(3^{n-1}-1)/2} \xi b_{10}^2/v_1 \quad (n \geq 1)$$

$$d_5(v_2^{9t+8}\xi/v_1^4) = k_7 v_2^{9t+6} \xi b_{10}^2 \zeta_2/v_1 + k_8 v_2^{9t+5} h_{11} b_{10}^3/v_1$$

for some  $k_i \in \mathbf{Z}/3$  ( $1 \leq i \leq 8$ ). Since  $v_2^{9t+5} h_{11} b_{10}^3/v_1$  is hit by  $d_5$  of  $v_2^{9t+7} b_{10}/v_1$  by Proposition 8.5, we take  $k_8 = 0$  by replacing  $v_2^{9t+8}\xi/v_1^4$  by  $v_2^{9t+8}\xi/v_1^4 - k_8 v_2^{9t+7} b_{10}/v_1$ , that is,

$$d_5(v_2^{9t+8}\xi/v_1^4) = k_7 v_2^{9t+6} \xi b_{10}^2 \zeta_2/v_1.$$

Now we determine the numbers  $k_i$  for  $1 \leq i \leq 7$ . Consider the following charts:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & k_2 v_2^{-1} \psi_1 b_{10}^3 \zeta_2/v_1 & \\ & \swarrow d_5 & \\ k_1 v_2 h_{10} b_{10}^2/v_1^2 + k_2 b_{11} \xi \zeta_2/v_1^2 & \xrightarrow{v_1} & k_1 v_2 h_{10} b_{10}^2/v_1 + k_2 b_{11} \xi \zeta_2/v_1 \\ & \searrow d_5 & \\ & v_2^3/v_1^3 & \xrightarrow{\delta_0} v_2^2 h_{10} \end{array}$$

and

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & k_3 v_2^{-7} b_{10}^5/v_1 - k_4 v_2^{-7} \psi_1 b_{10}^3 \zeta_2/v_1 & \\ & \swarrow d_5 & \\ k_3 v_2^{-5} h_{10} b_{10}^2/v_1^2 + k_4 v_2^{-6} b_{11} \xi \zeta_2/v_1^2 & \xrightarrow{v_1} & k_3 v_2^{-5} h_{10} b_{10}^2/v_1 + k_4 v_2^{-6} b_{11} \xi \zeta_2/v_1 \\ & \searrow d_5 & \\ & v_2^{-3}/v_1^3 & \xrightarrow{\delta_0} -v_2^{-4} h_{10} \end{array}$$

obtained from Propositions 3.4 and 8.5 (b), (c)\*. The numbers  $k_2$ ,  $k_3$  and  $k_4$  are seen to be zero by Lemma 8.6 (1), since  $v_2^2 h_{10}$  and  $v_2^{-4} h_{10}$  are permanent cycles by [11, Cor. 10.7]. Besides Corollary 8.7 shows that  $k_1 = 1$ . By similar charts, the third and the fourth equations imply

$$\begin{aligned} i_*(v_2^{3^{n+2}t+(3^{n+1}-1)/2} \xi) &= (-1)^n k_5 v_2^{3^{n+2}t+3(3^n-1)/2} \xi b_{10}^2 / v_1^2 \quad (n > 0) \\ i_*(v_2^{3^{n+2}t+5 \cdot 3^n+(3^n-1)/2} \xi) &= -k_6 v_2^{3^{n+2}t+5 \cdot 3^n+3(3^{n-1}-1)/2} \xi b_{10}^2 / v_1^2 \quad (n \geq 1) \end{aligned}$$

using Propositions 3.4 and 8.5. In fact, for  $n > 0$ ,  $v_2^{3^{n+2}t+(3^{n+1}-1)/2} \xi$  and  $v_2^{3^{n+2}t+5 \cdot 3^n+(3^n-1)/2} \xi$  are permanent cycles by [11, Cor. 10.7]. Now compare with Corollary 8.7, and we obtain

$$k_5 = (-1)^n \quad \text{if } n > 0, \quad \text{and} \quad k_6 = \begin{cases} 0 & n = 1 \\ -1 & n > 1. \end{cases}$$

If  $n = 0$ , then  $k_5 = \pm 1$  by applying Lemma 8.6 (3) to the following chart (up to sign):

$$\begin{array}{ccc} -v_2^{-2} \psi_0 b_{10}^4 & \xrightarrow{i_*} & -v_2^{-2} \psi_0 b_{10}^4 / v_1 \\ & \swarrow d_9 & \swarrow d_5 \\ \pm v_2^3 h_{10} / v_1^7 & \xrightarrow{\delta_1} & \pm v_2 \xi \\ & & \xi b_{10}^2 / v_1^2 \xrightarrow{v_1} \xi b_{10}^2 / v_1. \end{array}$$

Consider again the chart

$$\begin{array}{ccc} k_7 v_2^4 \psi_0 b_{10}^5 \zeta_2 / v_1 & & \\ & \swarrow d_5 & \\ k_7 v_2^6 \xi b_{10}^3 \zeta_2 / v_1^2 & \xrightarrow{v_1} & k_7 v_2^6 \xi b_{10}^6 \zeta_2 / v_1 \\ & & \swarrow d_5 \\ & & v_2^8 \xi / v_1^4 \xrightarrow{\delta_2} \delta_2(v_2^8 \xi / v_1^4) \end{array}$$

obtained from Propositions 3.4 and 8.5. Since  $\delta_2(v_2^8 \xi / v_1^4) = v_2^6 \psi_1 - v_2^7 \xi \zeta_2 - k_8 v_2^{9t+6} h_{11} b_{10}$  is a permanent cycle by [11, Cor. 10.7], we obtain  $k_7 = 0$ .  $\square$

These propositions give us the following charts of  $E_2$ -term with  $d_5$ , in which horizontal lines of length 4 denote multiplication by  $v_1$ , lines of slope 1/3, multiplication by  $h_{10}$  and lines of slope 1/11, multiplication by  $h_{11}$ . The differential  $d_5$  is expressed by arrows of slope  $-5$ . Besides, the same pattern of period (10, 2) denotes elements obtained by multiplication by  $b_{10}$ .

The following chart is the one on  $F \otimes (\mathbf{Z}/3)[b_{10}]$ , where  $\dot{\rightarrow}$  starting from dimension 12 is multiples by  $b_{10}$  with

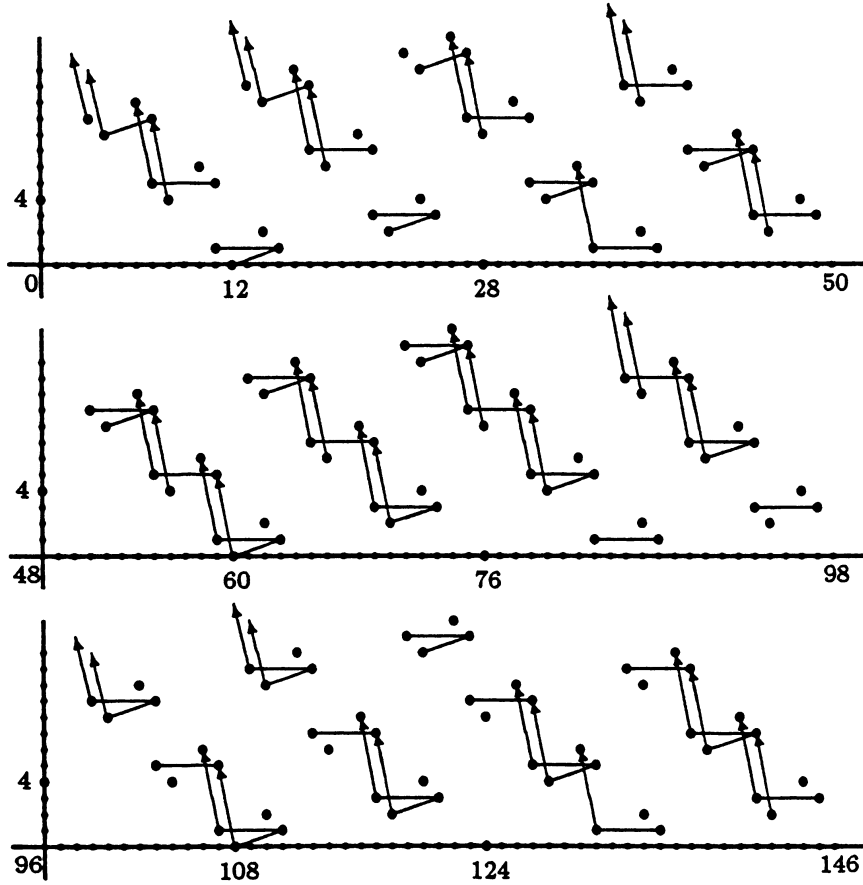
$$\begin{array}{ccc} & & v_2^{-1} b_{11} / v_1 \\ & & \dot{\rightarrow} \\ v_2 h_{10} / v_1^2 & \xrightarrow{\quad} & v_2 h_{10} / v_1 \\ & \searrow & \\ & & v_2 / v_1 \end{array}$$

The other one  $\cdot \longleftarrow \cdot$  is generated by

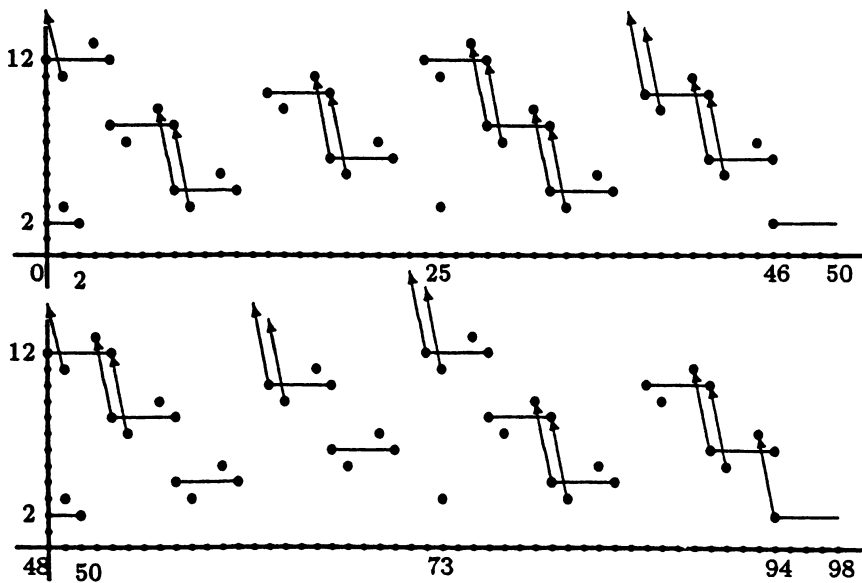
$$v_2^2 b_{10}/v_1$$

$$v_2^2 h_{11}/v_1^2 - v_2^2 h_{11}/v_1$$

$$v_2^2/v_1$$



The next one is the  $E_2$ -term with  $d_5$  on  $F^* \otimes (\mathbb{Z}/3)[b_{10}]$ . Each dot can be read off from the degree of the generator.







**PROPOSITION 8.10.** *On the elements of  $E_6^*(W)$  originating  $F_n \otimes A(\zeta_2)$ ,  $d_9$  is given by the following (by Lemma 8.2):*

- (a)  $d_9(v_2^{3^{n+1}(3t+1)}/v_1^{4 \cdot 3^n - 1}) = 0 \quad (n > 0)$
- (a')  $d_9(v_2^{3^{n+1}(3t-1)}/v_1^{4 \cdot 3^n - 1}) = 0$
- (c)  $d_9(v_2^{9t+8}h_{10}/v_1^{11}) = v_2^{9t+3}\xi b_{10}^4/v_1^2$   
 $d_9(v_2^{3(9t+8)}h_{10}/v_1^{31}) = 0$
- (e)  $d_9(v_2^{9t+8}\xi/v_1^4) = 0$

**PROOF.** Consider the total degree

$$|v_2^{3^{n+1}(3t+1)}/v_1^{4 \cdot 3^n - 1}| \equiv \begin{cases} 100 \pmod{144} & n = 1 \\ 4 \pmod{144} & n \geq 2, \end{cases}$$

$$|v_2^{3^{n+1}(3t-1)}/v_1^{4 \cdot 3^n - 1}| \equiv \begin{cases} 84 \pmod{144} & n = 0 \\ 100 \pmod{144} & n = 1 \\ 4 \pmod{144} & n > 0, \end{cases}$$

$$|v_2^{3(9t+8)}h_{10}/v_1^{31}| \equiv 119 \pmod{144}$$

$$|v_2^{9t+8}\xi/v_1^4| \equiv 118 \pmod{144}.$$

Then the chart shows that nothing can be hit by  $d_9$  of these elements. Thus we obtain (a), (a'), the second one of (c), and (e). For the first one of (c), we compute

$$\delta_{11}(d_9(v_2^8 h_{10}/v_1^{11})) = d_9(v_2^5 \xi) = v_2^2 \psi_0 b_{10}^4 = \delta_{11}(v_2^3 \xi b_{10}^4/v_1^2)$$

by [11, Prop. 10.5], and see the equation by Lemma 8.4 (2). □

**THEOREM 8.11.** *The  $E_{10}$ -term  $E_{10}(W)$  is isomorphic to the direct sum of  $k(1)_*$ -modules  $(K(1)_*/k(1)_*) \otimes A(h_{10}, \zeta_2)$ ,  $\sum_{n \geq 0} \tilde{F}_n \otimes A(\zeta_2)$  and  $(\tilde{F} \oplus \tilde{F}^*) \otimes A(\zeta_2)$  for  $k(1)_*$ -modules in (2.7).*

**PROOF OF THEOREM 2.8.** Since  $E_{10}^*(W)$  has a horizontal vanishing line by Theorem 8.11, we have  $E_{10}^{*,*}(W) = E_{\infty}^{*,*}(W)$ . Furthermore, there arises no extension problem in the spectral sequence, since  $\pi_*(L_2W)$  is a  $\pi_*(V(0))$ -module and so  $(\mathbf{Z}/3)$ -vector space. Therefore we obtain the homotopy groups  $\pi_*(L_2W) = E_{10}^*(W)$ . □

### §9. $\beta$ -elements.

The  $\beta$ -elements in the  $E_2$ -term for  $\pi_*(S^0)$  are defined in [6]. Here we modifies it in the  $E_2$ -term  $H^*E(2)$  for  $\pi_*(L_2S^0)$  as follows: Let  $0 \rightarrow E(2)_* \xrightarrow{3} E(2)_* \rightarrow E(2)_*/(3) \rightarrow 0$  and  $0 \rightarrow E(2)_*/(3) \rightarrow v_1^{-1}E(2)_*/(3) \rightarrow M_1^1 \rightarrow 0$  be short exact sequences, and  $\delta : H^*E(2)_*/(3) \rightarrow H^{*+1}E(2)_*$  and  $\delta' : H^*M_1^1 \rightarrow H^{*+1}E(2)_*/(3)$  the connecting homomorphisms associated to the short exact sequences, respectively. Then for an element of

the form  $v_2^a/v_1^b$  in  $H^0M_1^1$ , we define

$$\beta_{a/b} = \delta\delta'(v_2^a/v_1^b) \in H^*E(2)_*$$

and  $\beta_a = \beta_{a/1}$ , which is essential in the  $E_2$ -term  $H^*E(2)_*$  for  $\pi_*(L_2S^0)$ .

Consider the cofiber sequences defining the spectra  $V(0)$  and  $W : S^0 \xrightarrow{3} S^0 \xrightarrow{i} V(0) \xrightarrow{j} \Sigma S^0$  and  $V(0) \xrightarrow{\lambda} L_1V(0) \xrightarrow{l} W \xrightarrow{\pi} \Sigma V(0)$ , respectively. If an element  $v_2^a/v_1^b$  is a permanent cycle, then so is  $\beta_{a/b}$  by Geometric Boundary Theorem (cf. [9]).

PROOF OF THEOREM 2.12. By Theorem 2.8, we see that the elements  $v_2^j/v_1$  for  $j \equiv 0, 1, 2, 3, 5, 6 \pmod{9}$  are all permanent cycles. Thus ‘if’ part is shown. ‘Only if’ part is shown in [11].  $\square$

PROOF OF THEOREM 2.13. The element  $v_2^a/v_1^b$  with  $9|a$  is in  $\tilde{F}_1$  or  $\tilde{F}_n$  of (2.7), and so Theorem 2.8 shows (c). For the case  $9 \nmid a$ , the part (a) follows from Theorem 2.12.  $v_2^{9t \pm 3}/v_1^b$  comes from  $\tilde{F}_0$  of (2.7), and we obtain the part (b).  $\square$

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