

TENTATIVE STUDY ON EQUIVARIANT SURGERY OBSTRUCTIONS: FIXED POINT SETS OF SMOOTH A_5 -ACTIONS

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Abstract. Let G be the alternating group on 5 letters and let F be a closed smooth manifold diffeomorphic to the fixed point set of a smooth G -action on a disk. Marek Kaluba proved that if F is even dimensional then there exists a smooth G -action on a closed manifold X being homotopy equivalent to a complex projective space such that the fixed point set of the G -action is diffeomorphic to F . In this paper we discuss whether series of manifolds diffeomorphic or homotopy equivalent to complex projective spaces, real projective spaces, or lens spaces, admit smooth G -actions with fixed point set diffeomorphic to F .

1. INTRODUCTION

Let G be a finite group throughout this paper. For a smooth manifold M , let $\mathfrak{F}_G(M)$ denote the family of all manifolds F such that $F = M^G$ for some smooth G -action on M . For a family $\mathfrak{M}$ of smooth manifolds, let $\mathcal{F}_G(\mathfrak{M})$ denote the union of $\mathfrak{F}_G(M)$ with $M \in \mathfrak{M}$. Let $\mathfrak{D}$, $\mathfrak{S}$, and $\mathfrak{P}_{\mathbb{C}}$ denote the families of disks, spheres, and complex projective spaces, respectively. B. Oliver [19] completely determined the family $\mathfrak{F}_G(\mathfrak{D})$ for G not of prime power order. K. Pawałowski and the author [18, 14] studied $\mathfrak{F}_G(\mathfrak{S})$ for various Oliver groups G .

In order to quote a part of Oliver's result on $\mathfrak{F}_G(\mathfrak{D})$, we adopt the notation $\mathcal{G}_{\mathbb{R}}$, $\mathcal{G}_{\mathbb{C}}^{\sigma}$, $\mathcal{G}_{\mathbb{C}}$ and $\mathcal{E}$ for the families of all finite groups satisfying the following properties, respectively.

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- $G \in \mathcal{G}_{\mathbb{R}}$: G possesses a subquotient K/H isomorphic to a dihedral group of order $2pq$ for some distinct primes p and q , where $H \triangleleft K \leq G$.
- $G \in \mathcal{G}_{\mathbb{C}}^g$: G contains an element g being conjugate to its inverse of order pq for some distinct primes p and q .
- $G \in \mathcal{G}_{\mathbb{C}}$: G contains an element g of order pq for some distinct primes p and q .
- $G \in \mathcal{E}$: A Sylow 2-subgroup of G is not normal in G , and any element of G is of prime power order.

Note that $\mathcal{G}_{\mathbb{R}} \subset \mathcal{G}_{\mathbb{C}}^g \subset \mathcal{G}_{\mathbb{C}}$. Let A_5 denote the alternating group on 5 letters. Then A_5 belongs to $\mathcal{E}$. B. Oliver [19] says that for $G \in \mathcal{F}_{\mathbb{C}} \cup \mathcal{E}$, a closed manifold F belongs to $\mathfrak{F}_G(\mathcal{D})$ if and only if $\chi(F) \equiv 1 \pmod{n_G}$ and

$$(1.1) \quad \begin{aligned} & \bullet G \in \mathcal{G}_{\mathbb{R}} \Rightarrow \text{no restrictions on } T(F), \\ & \bullet G \in \mathcal{G}_{\mathbb{C}}^g \setminus \mathcal{G}_{\mathbb{R}} \Rightarrow c_{\mathbb{R}}([T(F)]) \in c_{\mathbb{H}}\left(\widetilde{KS}p(F)\right) + \text{Tor}\left(\widetilde{KU}(F)\right), \\ & \bullet G \in \mathcal{G}_{\mathbb{C}} \setminus \mathcal{G}_{\mathbb{C}}^g \Rightarrow [T(F)] \in r_{\mathbb{C}}\left(\widetilde{KU}(F)\right) + \text{Tor}\left(\widetilde{KO}(F)\right), \\ & \bullet G \in \mathcal{E} \Rightarrow [T(F)] \in \text{Tor}\left(\widetilde{KO}(F)\right). \end{aligned}$$

If $G \in \mathcal{E}$ and $F \in \mathfrak{F}_G(\mathcal{D})$ then each connected component of F has same dimension. The Oliver number n_G above is equal to 1 whenever G is nonsolvable.

Marek Kaluba [5] obtained the next two theorems concerned with $\mathfrak{F}_G(\mathfrak{P}_{\mathbb{C}})$.

Theorem. [5, Theorem 2.6] *Let G be a nontrivial perfect group in the class $\mathcal{G}_{\mathbb{C}}$ and let F be a closed manifold in $\mathfrak{F}_G(\mathcal{D})$. In the case $G \in \mathcal{G}_{\mathbb{C}} \setminus \mathcal{G}_{\mathbb{R}}$, suppose that some connected component of F is even dimensional. Then F belongs to $\mathfrak{F}_G(\mathfrak{P}_{\mathbb{C}})$.*

Theorem. [5, Theorem 4.11] *Let G be A_5 and F a closed manifold in $\mathfrak{F}_G(\mathcal{D})$. Suppose that F is even dimensional. Then F is diffeomorphic to the fixed point set of a smooth G -action on a closed manifold X which is homotopy equivalent to some complex projective space.*

Let $P_{\mathbb{C}}^k$ (resp. $P_{\mathbb{R}}^k$) denote the complex (resp. real) projective space of complex (resp. real) dimension k , and let Γ be a cyclic subgroup of $\mathbb{C}^{\times}$ of order ≥ 3 . The orbit space $L^{2k+1} = S(\mathbb{C}^{k+1})/\Gamma$ is a lens space of dimension $2k+1$. Let $\mathfrak{L}$ be the

family of lens spaces L^{2k+1} , $k = 2, 3, 4, \dots$. By examining and improving the proof of [5, Theorem 4.11] by M. Kaluba, we obtain the next result.

Theorem 1.1. *Let G be A_5 and F a closed manifold in $\mathfrak{F}_G(\mathfrak{D})$. Then there exists an integer $N > 0$ possessing the property that for any $k \geq N$,*

- (1) $F \in \mathfrak{F}_G(D^k)$,
- (2) $F \in \mathfrak{F}_G(S^k)$,
- (3) if $\dim F \equiv 0 \pmod{2}$ then $F \in \mathfrak{F}_G(P_{\mathbb{C}}^k)$,
- (4) $F \in \mathfrak{F}_G(X_k)$ such that X_k is a smooth closed manifold homotopy equivalent to $P_{\mathbb{R}}^k$,
- (5) if $\dim F \equiv 1 \pmod{2}$ then $F \in \mathfrak{F}_G(Y_k)$ such that Y_k is a smooth closed manifold homotopy equivalent to L^{2k+1} .

This result follows from Theorem 3.4. In Theorem 1.1, one may conjecture that $P_{\mathbb{R}}^k$ and L^{2k+1} can be chosen as X_k and Y_k respectively, but the author cannot prove the conjecture so far.

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2. DIMENSION CONDITIONS OF FIXED POINT SETS

Let G be a finite group. Let U be a G -manifold and (H, K) a pair of subgroups $H < K \leq G$. We say that U satisfies the *gap condition*, *cobordism gap condition*, or *strong gap condition* for (H, K) if the inequality

$$(2.1) \quad 2 \dim(U^H_i)^K < \dim U^H_i,$$

$$(2.2) \quad 2 (\dim\{(U^H_i)^K \setminus (U^H_i)^{N_G(H)}\} + 1) \leq \dim U^H_i,$$

or

$$(2.3) \quad 2\{\dim(U^H_i)^K + 1\} < \dim U^H_i,$$

holds, respectively, for any connected component U^H_i of U^H .

Proposition 2.1. *Let G be a perfect group having a cyclic subgroup C_2 of order 2, Y the complex projective space associated with the complex G -module*

$$V = \mathbb{C}^{\oplus m+1} \oplus (\mathbb{C}[G] - \mathbb{C})^{\oplus n},$$

where $m \geq 0$ and $n \geq 1$, and U the G -tubular neighborhood of Y^G .

- (1) *Y satisfies the gap condition for $(\{e\}, C_2)$ if and only if $m + 1 = n$.*
- (2) *U satisfies the gap condition for $(\{e\}, C_2)$ if and only if $m + 1 \leq n$.*
- (3) *If $m + 1 \leq n$ then U satisfies the strong gap condition for (H, K) such that $\{e\} \neq H < K \leq G$ and $|K : H| \geq 3$.*

Proof. We readily see that $Y^G = P_{\mathbb{C}}(\mathbb{C}^{m+1}) = P_{\mathbb{C}}^m$ and Y^{C_2} has two connected components

$$Y_a^{C_2} = P_{\mathbb{C}}(\mathbb{C}^{m+1} \oplus ((\mathbb{C}[G] - \mathbb{C})^{C_2})^{\oplus n}) = P_{\mathbb{C}}^{m+n(|G|/2-1)} \quad \text{and}$$

$$Y_b^{C_2} = P_{\mathbb{C}}(((\mathbb{C}[G] - \mathbb{C})_{C_2})^{\oplus n}) = P_{\mathbb{C}}^{n|G|/2-1}.$$

Thus we have $\dim Y = 2m - 2n + 2n|G|$, $\dim Y_a^{C_2} = 2m - 2n + n|G|$ and $\dim Y_b^{C_2} = n|G| - 2$. Note the equivalences

- $2(2m - 2n + n|G|) < 2m - 2n + 2n|G| \iff m < n$
- $2(n|G| - 2) < 2m - 2n + 2n|G| \iff n - 2 < m$.

Thus Y satisfies the gap condition for $(\{e\}, C_2)$ if and only if $n - 2 < m < n$, namely $m + 1 = n$. Since $\dim U^{C_2} = \dim Y_a^{C_2}$, U satisfies the gap condition for $(\{e\}, C_2)$ if and only if $m < n$, namely $m + 1 \leq n$.

For any $H \leq G$, U^H is connected. Let y denote the point $[1, 0, \dots, 0]$ in $Y = P_{\mathbb{C}}(\mathbb{C} \oplus \mathbb{C}^{\oplus m} \oplus (\mathbb{C}[G] - \mathbb{C})^{\oplus n})$. The tangential representation $T_y(Y)$ is isomorphic to $\mathbb{C}^{\oplus m} \oplus (\mathbb{C}[G] - \mathbb{C})^{\oplus n}$ as complex G -modules. Since $\dim U^H = \dim T_y(Y)^H$, we get

$$\dim U^H = 2\{m + n(|G|/|H| - 1)\} = 2m - 2n + 2n|G|/|H|$$

and

$$\dim U^H - 2(\dim U^K + 1) = 2\{n - (m + 1)\} + 2n|G|\{|K| - 2|H|\}/(|H||K|).$$

In the case $n \geq m + 1$ and $|K| \geq 3|H|$, we conclude $2(\dim U^K + 1) < \dim U^H$. $\square$

Theorem 2.2 (Disk Theorem). *Let G be a nontrivial perfect group, $F \in \mathfrak{F}(\mathfrak{D})$, F_0 a connected component of F with $x_0 \in F_0$, $m = \dim F_0$, and W a real G -module*

with $\dim W^G = m$. Then there exists a smooth G -action on the disk D of dimension $\dim W + N(|G| - 1)$ for some integer $N \geq 0$ satisfying the following conditions.

- (1) $D^G = F$.
- (2) $T_{x_0}(D)$ is isomorphic to $W \oplus (\mathbb{R}[G] - \mathbb{R})^{\oplus N}$ as real G -modules.
- (3) D satisfies the strong gap condition for arbitrary pair (H, K) such that $H < K \leq G$.

Corollary 2.3. Let $G, F \in \mathfrak{F}(\mathfrak{D})$, $F_0, x_0 \in F_0$, $m = \dim F_0$, W, D and N be as in Theorem 2.2. Let n be an arbitrary integer $\geq N$. Then there exists a smooth G -action on the disk S of dimension $\dim W + n(|G| - 1)$ satisfying the following conditions.

- (1) $S^G = F \amalg F'$ and F' is diffeomorphic to F .
- (2) $T_{x_0}(S)$ is isomorphic to $W \oplus (\mathbb{R}[G] - \mathbb{R})^{\oplus n}$ as real G -modules.
- (3) S satisfies the strong gap condition for arbitrary pair (H, K) such that $H < K \leq G$.

Proof. We set $X = D \times D((\mathbb{R}[G] - \mathbb{R})^{\oplus(n-N)})$. Let S be the double of X . Then S satisfies the desired conditions. $\square$

3. DELETING THEOREM AND REALIZATION THEOREM

In this section we will give a deleting theorem and a realization theorem. The latter is obtained from the former and Corollary 2.3. Our main result Theorem 1.1 follows from the realization theorem.

Let A_5 denote the alternating group on 5 letters 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and let A_4 denote the alternating group on 4 letters 1, 2, 3, 4. Unless otherwise stated, we use the notation:

- $C_2 = \langle (1, 2)(3, 4) \rangle$
- $D_4 = \langle (1, 2)(3, 4), (1, 3)(2, 4) \rangle$
- $C_3 = \langle (1, 2, 5) \rangle$
- $D_6 = \langle (1, 2, 5), (1, 2)(3, 4) \rangle$
- $C_5 = \langle (1, 3, 4, 2, 5) \rangle$
- $D_{10} = \langle (1, 3, 4, 2, 5), (1, 2)(3, 4) \rangle$.

These groups and A_4 are regarded as subgroups of A_5 .

Throughout this section, let G be A_5 . Then $N_G(C_2) = D_4$, $N_G(D_4) = A_4$, $N_G(C_3) = D_6$, $N_G(C_5) = D_{10}$, and any maximal proper subgroup of G is conjugate to one of A_4 , D_{10} , D_6 . We can readily show

Proposition 3.1. *Let H be a maximal proper subgroup of G . Then any two subgroups of H are conjugate in G if and only if they are conjugate in H .*

Proposition 3.2. *Let α be the element of the Burnside ring $\Omega(G)$ given by*

$$\alpha = [G/A_4] + [G/D_{10}] + [G/D_6] - [G/C_3] - 2[G/C_2] + [G/\{e\}].$$

Then for any proper subgroup $H < G$, $\text{res}_H^G \alpha$ coincides with $[H/H]$ in $\Omega(H)$.

Theorem 3.3 (Deleting Theorem). *(Let $G = A_5$.) Let Y be a compact connected smooth G -manifold of dimension ≥ 5 , with $|\pi_1(Y)| < \infty$, and with a decomposition $Y^G = Y_0^G \amalg Y_1^G$ such that $\partial Y_0^G = \emptyset$. Let U be the G -tubular neighborhood of Y_0^G . Suppose U satisfies the gap condition for $(\{e\}, C_2)$, $(\{e\}, C_3)$ and $(\{e\}, C_5)$, and the cobordism gap condition for (C_2, D_6) , (C_2, D_{10}) and (C_3, A_4) . Then there exists a smooth G -manifold X possessing the following properties.*

- (1) $X^G = Y_1^G$.
- (2) X is homotopy equivalent to Y .
- (3) X^H is diffeomorphic to Y^H for any H such that $\{e\} \neq H < G$.
- (4) In the case that $\dim Y \equiv 0 \pmod{2}$ and $\pi_1(Y) = 1$, X is diffeomorphic to Y .

Guideline for Proof. There exists a compact connected smooth G -submanifold U_1 of $Y \setminus \partial Y$ with $U \subset U_1$ such that G freely acts on $U_1 \setminus U$ and the inclusion induced homomorphism $\pi_1(U_1) \rightarrow \pi_1(Y)$ is an isomorphism. First, we construct a G -framed map $f_1 : X_1 \rightarrow Y$ rel. $Y \setminus \overset{\circ}{U}_1$ (i.e., $X_1 \supset Y \setminus \overset{\circ}{U}_1$,

$$f_1|_{Y \setminus \overset{\circ}{U}_1} : Y \setminus \overset{\circ}{U}_1 \rightarrow Y \setminus \overset{\circ}{U}_1$$

is the identity map, and $f_1(X_2) \subset U_1$, where

$$X_2 = X_1 \setminus (Y \setminus \overset{\circ}{U}_1)^\circ \setminus \partial Y.$$

Next we convert $f_2 = f_1|_{X_2} : X_2 \rightarrow U_1$, to a G -framed map $f_3 : X_3 \rightarrow U_1$ such that f_3 is a homotopy equivalence by G -surgeries rel. ∂U_1 of isotropy types (H)

for $H < G$. The construction of a G -framed map is discussed in Section 4. We perform the G -surgeries of isotropy types (H) with $\{e\} < H < G$ by means of the reflection method in [8]. We do the G -surgeries of isotropy type $(\{e\})$ by showing triviality of the algebraic G -surgery obstruction in the relevant Bak group described in [9] with the G -cobordism invariance property given in [10] and the induction-restriction property presented in [13, 4]. $\square$

Theorem 3.4 (Realization Theorem). *(Let $G = A_5$.) Let W a real G -module with $\dim W^G = m$, N an integer possessing the property described in Theorem 2.2, and Z a compact connected smooth G -manifold of dimension ≥ 5 such that $\partial Z^G = \emptyset$, V the G -tubular neighborhood of Z^G , z_0 a point in Z^G , and n an integer $\geq N$. Suppose $|\pi_1(Z)| < \infty$ and $T_{z_0}(Z)$ is isomorphic to $W \oplus (\mathbb{R}[G] - \mathbb{R})^{\oplus n}$. Further suppose V satisfies the gap condition for $(\{e\}, C_2)$, $(\{e\}, C_3)$ and $(\{e\}, C_5)$, and the cobordism gap condition for (C_2, D_6) , (C_2, D_{10}) , and (C_3, A_4) . Let $F, F_0, x_0 \in F_0$ be as in Theorem 2.2. Then there exists a compact G -manifold X satisfying the following conditions.*

- (1) X^G is diffeomorphic to F .
- (2) X is homotopy equivalent to Z .
- (3) In the case that $\dim Z \equiv 0 \pmod{2}$ and $\pi_1(Z) = 0$, X is diffeomorphic to Z .

Proof. Take the smooth G -action on the sphere S described in Corollary 2.3 with $x_0 \in F_0 \subset F$ and $S^G = F \amalg F'$ such that $T_{x_0}(S) \cong W \oplus (\mathbb{R}[G] - \mathbb{R})^{\oplus n}$ and $F \cong F'$. Let Y be the connected sum of S and Z at points x_0 and z_0 . By setting $Y_0^G = F \# Z^G$ and $Y_1^G = F'$ we have $Y^G = Y_0^G \amalg Y_1^G$. Note Y_0^G is without boundary. The tubular neighborhood U of Y_0^G satisfies the gap condition for $(\{e\}, C_2)$, $(\{e\}, C_3)$ and $(\{e\}, C_5)$, and the cobordism gap condition for (C_2, D_6) , (C_2, D_{10}) , and (C_3, A_4) . Deleting the fixed point submanifold F_0^G from Y by means of Theorem 3.3, there exists a G -manifold X satisfying the desired conditions in the theorem, where $X^G = F' \cong F$. $\square$

4. EQUIVARIANT COHOMOLOGY THEORY $\omega(\bullet)_G^*$ AND G -FRAMED MAPS

Equivariant surgeries are operated on smooth G -manifolds, but more precisely on G -framed maps. T. Petrie gave an idea to construct G -framed maps by using

the equivariant cohomology theory $\omega_G^*(\bullet)$ and the Burnside ring $\Omega(G)$. In order to construct our G -framed maps, we employ a modification given in [11] of Petrie's construction.

Let $\Omega(G)$ denote the Burnside ring, i.e.

$$\Omega(G) = \{[X] \mid X \text{ is a finite } G\text{-CW complex}\},$$

where $[X] = [Y]$ if and only if $\chi(X^H) = \chi(Y^H)$ for all $H \leq G$. The next proposition is well known, see [2, 20, 1].

Proposition 4.1. *Let G be a nontrivial perfect group. Then there exists an idempotent β in the Burnside ring $\Omega(G)$ such that $\chi_G(\beta) = 1$ and $\chi_H(\beta) = 0$ for all $H \neq G$.*

Let $\mathcal{S}(G)$ and $\mathcal{S}(G)_{\max}$ denote the set of all subgroups and all maximal proper subgroups of G , respectively. For a subgroup H of G , (H) stands for the G -conjugacy class containing H , i.e.

$$(H) = \{gHg^{-1} \mid g \in G\}.$$

The β in Proposition 4.1 has the form

$$(4.1) \quad \beta = [G/G] - \sum_{(K) \subset \mathcal{S}(G)_{\max}} [G/K] - \sum_{(H) \subset \mathcal{F}} a_H [G/H],$$

for some G -invariant lower closed $\mathcal{F} \subset \mathcal{S}(G) \setminus (\mathcal{S}(G)_{\max} \cup (G))$ and $a_H \in \mathbb{Z}$.

Proposition 4.2. *Let $G = A_5$ and let α be the element of the Burnside ring $\Omega(G)$ given by*

$$\alpha = [G/A_4] + [G/D_{10}] + [G/D_6] - [G/C_3] - 2[G/C_2] + [G/\{e\}].$$

Then for any proper subgroup $H < G$, $\text{res}_H^G \alpha$ coincides with $[H/H]$ in $\Omega(H)$.

Proposition 4.3. *Let G be A_5 . Then there exists a finite G -CW complex Z fulfilling the following conditions.*

- (1) $Z^G = \{z_0, z_1\}$.
- (2) $\bigcup_{H \in \mathcal{S}(G)_{\max}} Z^H = \{z_0, z_1\} * \mathcal{S}(G)_{\max}$, where each subgroup in $\mathcal{S}(G)_{\max}$ is regarded as a point. Thus Z^H is homeomorphic to the 1-dimensional disk $[-1, 1]$ for each $H \in \mathcal{S}(G)_{\max}$.

$$(3) \ Z^{D_4} = Z^{A_4} \text{ and } Z^{C_5} = Z^{D_{10}}.$$

$$(4) \ Z^H \text{ is contractible for any subgroup } H < G.$$

The G -CW complex Z in this lemma is constructed using Oliver-Petrie's G -CW-surgery theory [21] and the wedge sum technique [16].

Let $M_n = \mathbb{C}[G]^{\oplus n}$ and let $M_n^\bullet$ be the one-point compactification of M_n , hence we write $M_n^\bullet = M_n \cup \{\infty\}$. For a finite G -CW complex X with base point in X^G ,

$$\bar{\omega}_G^0(X) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} [X \wedge M_n^\bullet, M_n^\bullet]_0^G,$$

where $[-, -]_0^G$ stands for the set of all homotopy classes of maps in the category of pointed G -spaces. For a finite G -CW complex Z , $\omega_G^0(Z)$ is defined to be $\bar{\omega}_G^0(Z^+)$, where

$$Z^+ = Z \amalg (G/G)$$

and G/G is regarded as the base point of Z^+ .

For the set S of all powers β^k , $k \in \mathbb{N}$, the restriction $j^* : S^{-1}\omega_G^0(Z) \rightarrow S^{-1}\omega_G^0(Z^G)$ induced by the inclusion map $j : Z^G \rightarrow Z$ is an isomorphism. It is obvious that for any element $\gamma \in \omega_H^0(Z)$ and any proper subgroup H of G , $\text{res}_H^G \beta \cdot \gamma = 0_Z$ in $\omega_H^0(Z)$.

Lemma 4.4. *Let G be a nontrivial perfect group, β the element in Proposition 4.1, and Z a finite G -CW complex with*

$$(4.2) \quad Z^G = \{z_0, z_1\}.$$

Then there exists an element $\gamma \in \omega_G^0(Z)$ such that $\gamma|_{z_0} = \beta$ and $\gamma|_{z_1} = 0_{z_1}$ in $\Omega(G)$ and $\beta\gamma = \gamma$. In addition, for any proper subgroup $H < G$, there exists a 'homotopy' $\Gamma_H \in \omega_H^0(Z \times I)$ from $\text{res}_H^G \gamma$ to 0_Z , rel. $z_1 \times I$, i.e. $\Gamma_H|_{Z \times \{0\}} = \text{res}_H^G \gamma$, $\Gamma_H|_{Z \times \{1\}} = 0_Z$, and $\Gamma_H|_{z_1 \times I} = 0_{z_1 \times I}$, such that $\text{res}_H^G \beta \cdot \Gamma_H = \Gamma_H$. Moreover, for any pair of distinct proper subgroups H and K of G , there exists a 'homotopy' $\bar{\Gamma}_{H,K} \in \omega_{H \cap K}^0(Z \times I \times I)$ from $\text{res}_{H \cap K}^H \Gamma_H$ to $\text{res}_{H \cap K}^K \Gamma_K$, rel. $z_1 \times I \times I$ and $Z \times \partial I \times I$.

As a next step, consider the elements $1_Z - \gamma \in \omega_G^0(Z)$, $1_{Z \times I} - \Gamma_H \in \omega_H^0(Z \times I)$, and $1_{Z \times I \times I} - \bar{\Gamma}_{H,K} \in \omega_{H \cap K}^0(Z \times I \times I)$. Recall that an element $\alpha \in \omega_G^0(Z)$ is represented by a G -map

$$Z^+ \wedge M^\bullet \rightarrow M^\bullet$$

preserving the base point ∞ , where $M = \mathbb{C}[G]^{\oplus n}$ for some n .

Lemma 4.5. *Let G be a nontrivial perfect group, β the element in Proposition 4.1, and Z a finite G -CW complex with $Z^G = \{z_0, z_1\}$. Then there exist maps α , A_H , and $\bar{A}_{H,K}$ satisfying the following conditions (1)–(3), where H and K range all proper subgroups of G such that $H \neq K$.*

- (1) α is a map of pointed G -spaces $Z^+ \times M^\bullet \rightarrow M^\bullet$ such that $[\alpha] = 1 - \gamma$ for the γ above, and $\alpha|_{\{z_1\}^+ \wedge M^\bullet} = id_{\{z_1\}^+ \wedge M^\bullet}$.
- (2) A_H is a homotopy of pointed H -spaces $(Z \times I)^+ \wedge M^\bullet \rightarrow M^\bullet$ from α to 1_Z , where $1_Z : Z^+ \wedge M^\bullet \rightarrow M^\bullet$ and $1_Z(z, v) = v$ for all $z \in Z$ and $v \in M$, rel. $\{z_1\}^+ \wedge M^\bullet$.
- (3) $\bar{A}_{H,K}$ is a homotopy of pointed $H \cap K$ -spaces $((Z \times I) \times I)^+ \wedge M^\bullet \rightarrow M^\bullet$ from A_H to A_j rel. $(z_1 \times I)^+ \wedge M^\bullet$ and $(Z \times \partial)^+ \wedge M^\bullet$.

Proposition 4.6. *Let $G = A_5$ and $\mathcal{K} = (A_4) \cup (D_{10}) \cup (D_6) \cup (D_4) \cup (C_5)$. Let Z be the finite G -CW complex in Proposition 4.3. Then there exist maps α , A_H , and $\bar{A}_{H,K}$ of Lemma 4.5 satisfying the additional conditions:*

- (1) $\alpha|_{z_0}^{-1}(0)^G = \emptyset$ and $|(\alpha|_{z_0}^{-1}(0))^H| = 1$ for $H \in \mathcal{K}$.
- (2) For each $H \in \mathcal{K}$, there exists a connected component $X(H)$ of $\alpha^{-1}(0)$ containing both $(\alpha|_{z_0}^{-1}(0))^H$ and $(z_1, 0)$ such that α is transversal on $X(H)$ to $0 \subset M$, the normal derivative of α on $X(H)$ is the identity, and the projection $Z \times M \rightarrow Z$ diffeomorphically maps $X(H)$ to Z^H .
- (3) For each pair of $H \in \mathcal{S}(G)_{\max}$ and $L \in \mathcal{K}$ with $L \leq H$, there exists a connected component $W(H, L)$ of $A_H^{-1}(0)$ containing $X(H)^L \times \{0\}$ ($\subset Z \times M \times I$) and $Z^L \times 0 \times \{1\}$ ($\subset Z \times M \times I$) such that A_H is transversal on $W(H, L)$ to $0 \subset M$, the normal derivative of A_H on $W(H, L)$ is the identity, and the projection $Z \times I \times M \rightarrow Z \times I$ diffeomorphically maps $W(H, L)$ to $Z^L \times I$.

A G -framed map $\mathbf{f} = (f, b)$ consists of a G -map $f : X \rightarrow Y$ such that X and Y are compact smooth G -manifold and $f(\partial X) \subset \partial Y$, and an isomorphism $b : T(X) \oplus \varepsilon_X(\mathbb{R}^m) \rightarrow f^*T(Y) \oplus \varepsilon_X(\mathbb{R}^m)$ of real G -vector bundles for some integer $m \geq 0$. In the following we suppose Y is connected and $f : (X, \partial X) \rightarrow (Y, \partial Y)$ is of degree 1.

Lemma 4.7. *Let Y be a compact smooth G -manifold with a decomposition $Y^G = Y_0^G \amalg Y_1^G$ such that $\partial Y_0^G = \emptyset$. Let U be the G -tubular neighborhood of Y_0^G . Then there exist a G -framed map $\mathbf{f} = (f, b)$, H -framed cobordisms $\mathbf{F}_H = (F_H, B_H) : \mathbf{f} \sim \mathbf{id}_Y$, rel. $Y \setminus \overset{\circ}{U}$ for $H < G$, and $H \cap K$ -framed cobordisms $\overline{\mathbf{F}}_{H,K} = (\overline{F}_{H,K}, \overline{B}_{H,K}) : \mathbf{F}_H \sim \mathbf{F}_K$ rel. $((Y \setminus \overset{\circ}{U}) \times I) \cup (Y \times \partial I)$, for $H, K < G$ such that $H \neq K$, where*

$$f : X \rightarrow Y,$$

$$b : T(X) \oplus \varepsilon_X(\mathbb{R}^m) \rightarrow f^*(Y) \oplus \varepsilon_X(\mathbb{R}^m),$$

$$F_H : W_H \rightarrow Y \times I,$$

$$B_H : T(W_H) \oplus \varepsilon_{W_H}(\mathbb{R}^m) \rightarrow F_H^*T(Y \times I) \oplus \varepsilon_{W_H}(\mathbb{R}^m),$$

$$\overline{F}_{H,K} : \overline{W}_{H,K} \rightarrow Y \times I \times I,$$

$$\overline{B}_{H,K} : T(\overline{W}_{H,K}) \oplus \varepsilon_{\overline{W}_{H,K}}(\mathbb{R}^m) \rightarrow \overline{F}_{H,K}^*T(Y \times I \times I) \oplus \varepsilon_{\overline{W}_{H,K}}(\mathbb{R}^m),$$

for some integer $m > 0$.

This lemma is obtained by the arguments in [11].

Lemma 4.8. *Let $G = A_5$ and $\mathcal{K} = (A_4) \cup (D_{10}) \cup (D_6) \cup (D_4) \cup (C_5)$. Then the framed maps $\mathbf{f}$, $\mathbf{F}_H$ and $\overline{\mathbf{F}}_{H,K}$ in Lemma 4.7 can be chosen so that X^L and W_H^L are $N_H(L)$ -diffeomorphic to Y^L and $Y^L \times I$, respectively, for all $H, K \in \mathcal{S}(G)_{\max}$ and all $L \in \mathcal{K}$ with $L \leq H$.*

This modification is achieved by using Proposition 4.6 and the reflection method in [8].

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