

# A NOTE ON THE GENERALIZED HOMOLOGY THEORY

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G. W. Whitehead [6] has shown that, for any spectrum  $\mathbf{E}$ ,  $\tilde{\mathfrak{H}}(\mathbf{E})$  and  $\tilde{\mathfrak{H}}^*(\mathbf{E})$  are generalized homology and cohomology theories on the category  $\mathfrak{B}_0$  whose objects are finite CW-complexes with base vertex.

In this note, we show that, for any spectrum  $\mathbf{E}$ ,  $\tilde{\mathfrak{H}}(\mathbf{E})$  and  $\tilde{\mathfrak{H}}^*(\mathbf{E})$  are defined on the category  $\mathfrak{B}_0$ .

1. Let  $\mathfrak{B}_0$  be the category of spaces with base point having the homotopy type of a CW-complex, and a map of  $\mathfrak{B}_0$  is a continuous, base point preserving map. In this note, we shall use the terms "space" and "map" to refer to objects and maps of  $\mathfrak{B}_0$ . Let  $\mathfrak{B}_0^n$  be the category of  $n$ -ads [6].

Let  $T$  be the unit interval with base point 0,  $\tilde{T} = S^0$  be the subspace  $\{0, 1\}$  of  $T$ , and  $S = S^1 = T/\tilde{T}$ . The *cone* over  $X$  is the space  $TX = T \wedge X$ , and the *suspension* of  $X$  is the space  $SX = S \wedge X$ , where the space  $X_1 \wedge \cdots \wedge X_n$  is the  $n$ -fold reduced join of the spaces  $X_i$  [6].

Let  $[X, Y]$  be the set of homotopy classes of maps of  $X$  into  $Y$ , if  $f: X \rightarrow Y$ , let  $[f]$  be the homotopy class of  $f$ . Then  $[, ]$  is a functor on  $\mathfrak{B}_0 \times \mathfrak{B}_0$  to the category of sets with base points. If  $f: X' \rightarrow X$ ,  $g: Y \rightarrow Y'$ , let

$$\begin{aligned} f_{\#} &= [f, 1]: [X, Y] \longrightarrow [X', Y], \\ g_{\#} &= [1, g]: [X, Y] \longrightarrow [X, Y']. \end{aligned}$$

LEMMA 1.1. *Let  $X, Y$  be CW-complexes and  $f: X \rightarrow Y$  be a continuous one-to-one onto map. Then the map  $f$  is a homeomorphism, if and only if, for any open cell  $\tau$  of  $Y$ , there exist finite open cells  $\sigma_1, \cdots, \sigma_n$  of  $X$  such that  $\tau \subset f(\sigma_1 \cup \cdots \cup \sigma_n)$ .*

PROOF. If the map  $f$  is a homeomorphism, then for any open cell  $\tau$  of  $Y$ ,  $f^{-1}(\bar{\tau})$  is a compact set in  $X$ , and hence  $f^{-1}(\bar{\tau})$  is contained in a finite union of open cells  $\sigma_1, \cdots, \sigma_n$  of  $X$  [4]. Thus  $\tau$  is contained in  $f(\sigma_1 \cup \cdots \cup \sigma_n)$ . Conversely, suppose that for any open cell  $\tau$  of  $Y$ ,  $f^{-1}(\tau)$  is contained in a finite union of open cells  $\sigma_1, \cdots, \sigma_n$  of  $X$ . Then  $\bar{\tau} \subset f(\bar{\sigma}_1 \cup \cdots \cup \bar{\sigma}_n)$ . Since  $f$  is a homeomorphism on a compact set,  $f|_{\bar{\sigma}_1 \cup \cdots \cup \bar{\sigma}_n}$  is a homeomorphism and hence  $f^{-1}|_{\bar{\tau}}$  is continuous. Therefore  $f^{-1}$  is continuous.

2. A *spectrum*  $\mathbf{E}$  is a sequence  $\{E_n | n \in Z\}$  of spaces together with a sequence of maps

$$\varepsilon_n: SE_n \longrightarrow E_{n+1},$$

where  $Z$  is the set of integers.

For any  $X \in \mathfrak{B}_0$  and  $n, k \in Z$ , we have homomorphisms

$$\varepsilon_{*k} : [S^{n+k}, E_k \wedge X] \longrightarrow [S^{n+k+1}, E_{k+1} \wedge X], \quad n+k > 0,$$

and

$$\varepsilon_{n+k}^* : [S^k \wedge X, E_{n+k}] \longrightarrow [S^{k+1} \wedge X, E_{n+k+1}], \quad k > 0,$$

defined by

$$\begin{aligned} [S^{n+k}, E_k \wedge X] &\xrightarrow{S_*} [S^{n+k+1}, S \wedge (E_k \wedge X)] \xrightarrow{\alpha_{\#}^{-1}} [S^{n+k+1}, S \wedge E_k \wedge X] \\ &\xrightarrow{\beta_{\#}} [S^{n+k+1}, SE_k \wedge X] \xrightarrow{(\varepsilon_k \wedge 1)_{\#}} [S^{n+k+1}, E_{k+1} \wedge X], \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} [S^k \wedge X, E_{n+k}] &\xrightarrow{S_*} [S \wedge (S^k \wedge X), SE_{n+k}] \xrightarrow{\alpha_{\#}} [S \wedge S^k \wedge X, SE_{n+k}] \\ &\xrightarrow{\beta_{\#}^{-1}} [S^{k+1} \wedge X, SE_{n+k}] \xrightarrow{\varepsilon_{n+k\#}} [S^{k+1} \wedge X, E_{n+k+1}], \end{aligned}$$

respectively, where  $S_*$  is the suspension homomorphism, and

$$\alpha : X_1 \wedge X_2 \wedge X_3 \longrightarrow X_1 \wedge (X_2 \wedge X_3)$$

defined by  $\alpha(x_1 \wedge x_2 \wedge x_3) = x_1 \wedge (x_2 \wedge x_3)$ , and

$$\beta : X_1 \wedge X_2 \wedge X_3 \longrightarrow (X_1 \wedge X_2) \wedge X_3$$

defined by  $\beta(x_1 \wedge x_2 \wedge x_3) = (x_1 \wedge x_2) \wedge x_3$  are homotopy equivalences [6, (2.4)]. Then  $\{[S^{n+k}, E_k \wedge X], \varepsilon_{*k}\}$ ,  $\{[S^k \wedge X, E_{n+k}], \varepsilon_{n+k}^*\}$  form direct systems. For any map  $f: X \rightarrow Y$ , the following diagrams are commutative

$$\begin{array}{ccc} [S^{n+k}, E_k \wedge X] &\xrightarrow{(1 \wedge f)_{\#}} & [S^{n+k}, E_k \wedge Y] \\ \downarrow \varepsilon_{*k} & & \downarrow \varepsilon_{*k} \\ [S^{n+k+1}, E_{k+1} \wedge X] &\xrightarrow{(1 \wedge f)_{\#}} & [S^{n+k+1}, E_{k+1} \wedge Y], \\ \\ [S^k \wedge Y, E_{n+k}] &\xrightarrow{(1 \wedge f)_{\#}} & [S^k \wedge X, E_{n+k}] \\ \downarrow \varepsilon_{n+k}^* & & \downarrow \varepsilon_{n+k}^* \\ [S^{k+1} \wedge Y, E_{n+k+1}] &\xrightarrow{(1 \wedge f)_{\#}} & [S^{k+1} \wedge X, E_{n+k+1}]. \end{array}$$

Therefore, we can define the maps

$$f_{*n} : \lim_k [S^{n+k}, E_k \wedge X] \longrightarrow \lim_k [S^{n+k}, E_k \wedge Y],$$

$$f^{*n} : \lim_k [S^k \wedge Y, E_{n+k}] \longrightarrow \lim_k [S^k \wedge X, E_{n+k}].$$

Now, let

$$\tilde{H}_n(X; \mathbf{E}) = \lim_k [S^{n+k}, E_k \wedge X], \quad \tilde{H}_n(f; \mathbf{E}) = f^{*n}$$

and

$$\tilde{H}^n(X; \mathbf{E}) = \lim_k [S^k \wedge X, E_{n+k}], \quad \tilde{H}^n(f; \mathbf{E}) = f^{*n},$$

then  $\tilde{H}_n( ; \mathbf{E})$ ,  $\tilde{H}^n( ; \mathbf{E})$  are respectively covariant and contravariant functors on  $\mathfrak{B}_0$  to the category  $\mathfrak{A}$  of abelian groups.

3. The suspension operation is a covariant functor  $S : \mathfrak{B}_0 \rightarrow \mathfrak{B}_0$ .

A *generalized homology theory*  $\tilde{\mathfrak{H}}$  on  $\mathfrak{B}_0$  is a sequence of covariant functors

$$\tilde{H}_n : \mathfrak{B}_0 \longrightarrow \mathfrak{A},$$

together with a sequence of natural transformations

$$\sigma_n : \tilde{H}_n \longrightarrow \tilde{H}_{n+1} \circ S$$

satisfying the following conditions:

(1) If  $f_0, f_1 \in \mathfrak{B}_0$  are homotopic maps, then

$$\tilde{H}_n(f_0) = \tilde{H}_n(f_1).$$

(2) If  $X \in \mathfrak{B}_0$ , then

$$\sigma_n(X) : \tilde{H}_n(X) \approx \tilde{H}_{n+1}(SX).$$

(3) If  $(X, A) \in \mathfrak{B}_0^2$ ,  $i : A \subset X$ , and if  $p : X \rightarrow X/A$  is the identification map, then the sequence

$$\tilde{H}_n(A) \xrightarrow{\tilde{H}_n(i)} \tilde{H}_n(X) \xrightarrow{\tilde{H}_n(p)} \tilde{H}_n(X/A)$$

is exact.

A *generalized cohomology theory*  $\tilde{\mathfrak{H}}^*$  on  $\mathfrak{B}_0$  is a sequence of contravariant functors

$$\tilde{H}^n : \mathfrak{B}_0 \longrightarrow \mathfrak{A},$$

together with a sequence of natural transformations

$$\sigma^n : \tilde{H}^{n+1} \circ S \longrightarrow \tilde{H}^n$$

satisfying the following conditions:

(1\*) If  $f_0, f_1 \in \mathfrak{B}_0$  are homotopic maps, then

$$\tilde{H}^n(f_0) = \tilde{H}^n(f_1).$$

(2\*) If  $X \in \mathfrak{W}_0$ , then

$$\sigma^n(X) : \tilde{H}^{n+1}(SX) \approx \tilde{H}^n(X).$$

(3\*) If  $(X, A) \in \mathfrak{W}_0^2$ ,  $i : A \subset X$ , and if  $p : X \rightarrow X/A$  is the identification map, then the sequence

$$\tilde{H}^n(X/A) \xrightarrow{\tilde{H}^n(p)} \tilde{H}^n(X) \xrightarrow{\tilde{H}^n(i)} \tilde{H}^n(A)$$

is exact.

For any spectrum  $\mathbf{E}$  and  $X \in \mathfrak{W}_0$ , we have natural transformations

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_n(X; \mathbf{E}) : \tilde{H}_n(X; \mathbf{E}) &\longrightarrow \tilde{H}_{n+1}(SX; \mathbf{E}), \\ \sigma^n(X; \mathbf{E}) : \tilde{H}^{n+1}(SX; \mathbf{E}) &\longrightarrow \tilde{H}^n(X; \mathbf{E}) \end{aligned}$$

which are respectively induced by the following compositions

$$\begin{aligned} [S^{n+k}, E_k \wedge X] &\xrightarrow{S_*} [S^{n+k+1}, S \wedge (E_k \wedge X)] \xrightarrow{\alpha_{\#}^{-1}} [S^{n+k+1}, S \wedge E_k \wedge X] \\ &\xrightarrow{(-)^k \eta_{\#}} [S^{n+k+1}, E_k \wedge S \wedge X] \xrightarrow{\beta_{\#}} [S^{n+k+1}, E_k \wedge SX], \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} [S^k \wedge SX, E_{n+k+1}] &\xrightarrow{\alpha_{\#}} [S^k \wedge S \wedge X, E_{n+k+1}] \\ &\xrightarrow{(-1)^k \eta_{\#}} [S \wedge S^k \wedge X, E_{n+k+1}] \xrightarrow{\beta_{\#}^{-1}} [S^{k+1} \wedge X, E_{n+k+1}], \end{aligned}$$

where  $\eta : X_1 \wedge X_2 \wedge X_3 \rightarrow X_2 \wedge X_1 \wedge X_3$  is a homeomorphism defined by  $\eta(x_1 \wedge x_2 \wedge x_3) = x_2 \wedge x_1 \wedge x_3$ .

Then the pairs of sequences  $\tilde{\mathfrak{H}}(\mathbf{E}) = \{\tilde{H}_n(\ ; \mathbf{E}), \sigma_n(\ ; \mathbf{E})\}$ ,  $\tilde{\mathfrak{H}}^*(\mathbf{E}) = \{\tilde{H}^n(\ ; \mathbf{E}), \sigma^n(\ ; \mathbf{E})\}$  satisfy the axioms (1), (2) and (1\*), (2\*) for the generalized homology and cohomology theories on  $\mathfrak{W}_0$ .

Let  $(X, A)$  be in  $\mathfrak{W}_0^2$ ,  $i : A \subset X$ , and  $p : X \rightarrow X/A$  the identification map.

In  $\mathfrak{W}_0$ , the map  $E_k \wedge X/E_k \wedge A \rightarrow E_k \wedge (X/A)$  induced by the map  $(1 \wedge p)$ :  $E_k \wedge X \rightarrow E_k \wedge (X/A)$  is not necessarily a homeomorphism, but it is a homotopy equivalence by Lemma 1.1 (see [6, (2.4)]), so we have the same result as [6, (5.4)]. Therefore  $\tilde{\mathfrak{H}}(\mathbf{E})$  satisfies the axiom (3) for the generalized homology theory.

On the other hand, the sequence

$$[S^k \wedge (X/A), E_{n+k}] \xrightarrow{(1 \wedge p)_{\#}} [S^k \wedge X, E_{n+k}] \xrightarrow{(1 \wedge i)_{\#}} [S^k \wedge A, E_{n+k}]$$

is exact for any  $n, k$ , because the sequence

$$S^k \wedge A \xrightarrow{1 \wedge i} S^k \wedge X \xrightarrow{j} (S^k \wedge X) \cup T(S^k \wedge A)$$

is exact by Puppe [3, Satz 1] and the following diagram is commutative

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 S^k \wedge X & \xrightarrow{1 \wedge p} & S^k \wedge (X/A) \\
 \downarrow j & \searrow & \uparrow g \\
 & & S^k \wedge X / S^k \wedge A \\
 & & \downarrow h \\
 (S^k \wedge X) \cup T(S^k \wedge A) & \longrightarrow & [(S^k \wedge X) \cup T(S^k \wedge A)] / T(S^k \wedge A)
 \end{array}$$

where the maps  $g, h$  are homotopy equivalences by Lemma 1.1 and the map  $q$  is also a homotopy equivalence by Puppe [3, Hilfssatz 4]. Therefore the sequence

$$\tilde{H}^n(X/A; \mathbf{E}) \xrightarrow{p^{*n}} \tilde{H}^n(X; \mathbf{E}) \xrightarrow{i^{*n}} \tilde{H}^n(A; \mathbf{E})$$

is exact. Thus  $\mathfrak{H}^*(\mathbf{E})$  satisfies the axiom (3\*) for the generalized cohomology theory.

Hence we have the following results.

**THEOREM 3.1.** *For any spectrum  $\mathbf{E}$ ,  $\tilde{\mathfrak{H}}(\mathbf{E})$  is a generalized homology theory on  $\mathfrak{W}_0$ .*

**THEOREM 3.2.** *For any spectrum  $\mathbf{E}$ ,  $\tilde{\mathfrak{H}}^*(\mathbf{E})$  is a generalized cohomology theory on  $\mathfrak{W}_0$ .*

4. The spectrum  $\mathbf{E}$  is said to be *convergent* if and only if there is an integer  $N$  such that  $E_{N+i}$  is  $i$ -connected for all  $i \geq 0$  [6, p. 242].

The spectrum  $\mathbf{E}$  is called to be of *type  $(a, b)$*  if and only if  $\pi_{k+p}(E_p) = 0$  for  $k < a$  or  $k > b$  and for  $p$  sufficiently large, where  $-\infty \leq a \leq b \leq +\infty$ .

The spectrum  $\mathbf{E}$  is called to be *1-connected* if and only if  $\pi_i(E_p) = 0$  ( $i = 0, 1$ ) for  $p$  sufficiently large.

Then we have the following

(4.1) If  $c \leq a \leq b \leq d$ , then the spectrum  $\mathbf{E}$  of type  $(a, b)$  is of type  $(c, d)$ .

(4.2) If the spectrum  $\mathbf{E}$  is convergent, then  $\mathbf{E}$  is of type  $(-N + 1, +\infty)$  for some integer  $N$ .

(4.3) If the spectrum  $\mathbf{E}$  is of type  $(a, +\infty)$ , and  $a \neq -\infty$ , then  $\mathbf{E}$  is 1-connected.

(4.4) For any abelian group  $\pi$ , an Eilenberg-MacLane spectrum  $\mathbf{K}(\pi) = \{K(\pi, n)\}$  is of type  $(0, 0)$ .

5. Throughout this section we shall assume that  $X, Y$  and  $f: X \rightarrow Y$  are given in  $\mathfrak{B}_0$  and  $m$  is a given positive integer.

THEOREM 5.1. *Suppose that the induced homomorphism*

$$f_*: H_r(X) \rightarrow H_r(Y)$$

*is a monomorphism if  $r < m$  and an epimorphism if  $r \leq m$  (with integral coefficients). If  $\mathbf{E}$  is a spectrum of type  $(a, +\infty)$ , then the mapping*

$$f_*: \tilde{H}_p(X; \mathbf{E}) \longrightarrow \tilde{H}_p(Y; \mathbf{E})$$

*is a monomorphism if  $p < m + a$  and an epimorphism if  $p \leq m + a$ .*

THEOREM 5.2. *Suppose that the induced homomorphism*

$$f^*: H^r(Y; G) \longrightarrow H^r(X; G)$$

*is a monomorphism if  $r \leq m$  and an epimorphism if  $r < m$  for any coefficient group  $G$ . If  $\mathbf{E}$  is a spectrum of type  $(-\infty, b)$  and 1-connected, then the mapping*

$$f^*: \tilde{H}^p(Y; \mathbf{E}) \longrightarrow \tilde{H}^p(X; \mathbf{E})$$

*is a monomorphism if  $p \leq m - b$  and an epimorphism if  $p < m - b$ .*

PROOF OF THEOREM 5.1. The map  $f: X \rightarrow Y$  and the inclusion map  $i: X \subset Z_f$  are homotopy equivalent [3], where  $Z_f$  is the mapping cylinder of  $f: X \rightarrow Y$ , so we can suppose that  $f: X \rightarrow Y$  is an inclusion map. For any arcwise connected space  $W \in \mathfrak{B}_0$ ,  $SW$  is 1-connected. By assumption on  $f: X \subset Y$ ,  $Y \cup TX$  is arcwise connected and  $H_r(Y \cup TX) = 0$  for  $1 \leq r \leq m$ . Therefore  $S(Y \cup TX)$  is  $(m+1)$ -connected. Since  $E_i$  is  $(a+i-1)$ -connected for  $i$  sufficiently large,  $E_i \wedge S(Y \cup TX)$  is  $(m+a+i+1)$ -connected, because  $X_1 \wedge X_2$  is  $(p+q-1)$ -connected if  $X_1$  is  $(p-1)$ -connected and  $X_2$  is  $(q-1)$ -connected [6].

Therefore  $[S^{p+i}, E_i \wedge S(Y \cup TX)] = 0$  if  $p \leq m+a+1$ , for  $i$  sufficiently large. So that  $\tilde{H}_p(S(Y \cup TX); \mathbf{E}) = 0$  if  $p \leq m+a+1$ . It follows that  $\tilde{H}_p(Y \cup TX; \mathbf{E}) = 0$  if  $p \leq m+a$  by axiom (2).

On the other hand, by axiom (3) and Puppe [3, Satz 5], the sequence

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{H}_p(X; \mathbf{E}) &\xrightarrow{f_*} \tilde{H}_p(Y; \mathbf{E}) \longrightarrow \tilde{H}_p(Y \cup TX; \mathbf{E}) \\ &\longrightarrow \tilde{H}_p(SX; \mathbf{E}) \xrightarrow{(Sf)_*} \tilde{H}_p(SY; \mathbf{E}) \end{aligned}$$

is exact. By axiom (2) and  $\tilde{H}_p(Y \cup TX; \mathbf{E}) = 0$  for  $p \leq m+a$ , we have the consequence.

To prove Theorem 5.2, we shall use the following result.

LEMMA 5.3. *Let  $W$  be an arcwise connected space and  $r$ -simple for all  $r \geq 1$ . Let  $A, B$  and  $g: A \rightarrow B$  in  $\mathfrak{B}_0$ . Let the induced homomorphism  $g^*: H^r(B; G) \rightarrow H^r(A; G)$  be a monomorphism if  $r \leq n$  and an epimorphism if  $r < n$*

for any coefficient group  $G$ . Then the mapping

$$g^\# : [B, W] \rightarrow [A, W]$$

is a monomorphism if  $\pi_r(W) = 0$  for  $r > n$  and an epimorphism if  $\pi_r(W) = 0$  for  $r \geq n$ , where  $n$  is a given positive integer [2].

PROOF OF THEOREM 5.2. Since  $\mathbf{E}$  is 1-connected, for any  $p$ ,  $E_{p+i}$  is 1-connected for  $i$  sufficiently large. Since  $\mathbf{E}$  is of type  $(-\infty, b)$ , if  $r > b + p + i$ , then  $\pi_r(E_{p+i}) = 0$  for  $i$  sufficiently large. Therefore, if  $p \leq m - b$ , then  $\pi_r(E_{p+i}) = 0$  for  $r > m + i$  and if  $p < m - b$ , then  $\pi_r(E_{p+i}) = 0$  for  $r \geq m + i$ .

On the other hand, by the assumption on  $f : X \rightarrow Y$ , the induced homomorphism  $f^* : H^r(S^i \wedge Y; G) \rightarrow H^r(S^i \wedge X; G)$  is a monomorphism if  $r \leq m + i$  and an epimorphism if  $r < m + i$ .

By Lemma 5.3, the mapping

$$(1 \wedge f)^\# : [S^i \wedge Y, E_{p+i}] \rightarrow [S^i \wedge X, E_{p+i}]$$

is a monomorphism if  $p \leq m - b$ , and an epimorphism if  $p < m - b$ , for  $i$  sufficiently large. Thus the proof is complete.

REMARK. Let  $\mathfrak{B}$  be the category of spaces having the homotopy type of a CW-complex. Then, there is a one-to-one correspondence between generalized (co-) homologies on  $\mathfrak{B}_0$  and  $\mathfrak{B}$  [6].

For any spectrum  $\mathbf{E}$ , let  $\mathfrak{H}(\mathbf{E}) = \{H_n(\cdot; \mathbf{E}), \partial_n(\cdot; \mathbf{E})\}$  and  $\mathfrak{H}^*(\mathbf{E}) = \{H^n(\cdot; \mathbf{E}), \delta^n(\cdot; \mathbf{E})\}$  be the generalized homology and cohomology theories on  $\mathfrak{B}$  corresponding to  $\mathfrak{H}(\mathbf{E})$  and  $\mathfrak{H}^*(\mathbf{E})$  on  $\mathfrak{B}_0$ . Then we have some results analogous to Theorems 5.1, and 5.2.

6. In this section, we apply the results of §5 to the exact sequence of G.W.Whitehead [5]. This application is suggested by K.Tsuchida and H.Andô.

Let  $B \in \mathfrak{B}$  be a 1-connected space,  $b_0 \in B, F$  the space of loops in  $B$  based at  $b_0$ ,  $E_1$  the space of paths in  $B$  which end at  $b_0$ ,  $e \in E_1$  the constant path and  $P_0 : E_1 \rightarrow B$  the map which assigns to each path its starting point. Then  $P_0$  induces a homomorphism  $H_r(E_1, F) \rightarrow H_r(B, b_0)$ . Now  $E_1$  is contractible, so that  $H_r(E_1, F) \approx H_{r-1}(F, e)$ , and therefore we have a natural homomorphism  $\sigma : H_{r-1}(F, e) \rightarrow H_r(B, b_0)$ , which is called the *homology suspension*. Similarly, we have the *cohomology suspension*  $\sigma^* : H^{r+1}(B, b_0) \rightarrow H^r(F, e)$  [5]. By Milnor [1],  $(E_1, F, e), (B \times B, B \vee B, b_0 \times b_0) \in \mathfrak{B}_0^2 \subset \mathfrak{B}^3$  and so on.

COROLLARY 6.1. Let  $B \in \mathfrak{B}$  be  $n$ -connected ( $n \geq 1$ ). Then, there is an exact sequence

$$\begin{aligned} H_{3n+a}(F, e; \mathbf{E}) &\xrightarrow{\sigma} H_{3n+a+1}(B, b_0; \mathbf{E}) \rightarrow \cdots \rightarrow H_r(F, e; \mathbf{E}) \\ &\xrightarrow{\sigma} H_{r+1}(B, b_0; \mathbf{E}) \rightarrow G_{r+1} \rightarrow H_{r-1}(F, e; \mathbf{E}) \xrightarrow{\sigma} H_r(B, b_0; \mathbf{E}) \rightarrow \cdots \end{aligned}$$

such that  $G_{r+1} \approx H_{r+1}(B \times B, B \vee B; \mathbf{E}) \approx H_{r-1}(F \times F, F \vee F; \mathbf{E})$ , for any spectrum  $\mathbf{E}$  of type  $(a, +\infty)$ .

COROLLARY 6.2. *Let  $B \in \mathfrak{B}$  be  $n$ -connected ( $n \geq 1$ ). Then, there is an exact sequence*

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} \cdots & \longrightarrow & H^r(B, b_0; \mathbf{E}) & \xrightarrow{\sigma^*} & H^{r-1}(F, e; \mathbf{E}) & \longrightarrow & G^{r+1} \longrightarrow H^{r+1}(B, b_0; \mathbf{E}) \\ & & & & & & \\ & & \xrightarrow{\sigma^*} & H^r(F, e; \mathbf{E}) & \longrightarrow & \cdots & \longrightarrow H^{3n-b+1}(B, b_0; \mathbf{E}) \xrightarrow{\sigma^*} H^{3n-b}(F, e; \mathbf{E}) \end{array}$$

such that  $G^{r+1} \approx H^{r+1}(B \times B, B \vee B; \mathbf{E}) \approx H^{r-1}(F \times F, F \vee F; \mathbf{E})$ , for any 1-connected spectrum  $\mathbf{E}$  of type  $(-\infty, b)$ .

Corresponding to the diagram ([5], Fig. 2), we have the following commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} H^r(B, b_0; \mathbf{E}) & \xrightarrow{\sigma^*} & H^{r-1}(F, e; \mathbf{E}) & \xrightarrow{\lambda^*} & H^{r-1}(F \times F, F \vee F; \mathbf{E}) \\ \downarrow p_i^* & & \downarrow \alpha^* & & \uparrow \beta^* \\ H^r(E, e; \mathbf{E}) & \xrightarrow{i_i^*} & H^r(X, e; \mathbf{E}) & \xrightarrow{\delta_i^*} & H^{r+1}(E, X; \mathbf{E}) \end{array}$$

where  $\alpha^*$  and  $p_i^*$  are isomorphisms onto for all  $r$ ,  $\beta^*$  is isomorphism onto for  $r \leq 3n - b$ , and the lower horizontal line is exact.

Following G.W.Whitehead ([5], §6), an element  $u \in H^{r-1}(F, e; \mathbf{E})$  is said to be primitive if and only if  $\lambda^*(u) = 0$  and the elements of  $\sigma^*H^r(B, b_0; \mathbf{E})$  are said to be transgressive. From the above diagram

COROLLARY 6.3. *Every transgressive element of  $H^{r-1}(F, e; \mathbf{E})$  is primitive. Conversely, if  $r \leq 3n - b$ , every primitive element of  $H^{r-1}(F, e; \mathbf{E})$  is transgressive.*

7. Now we consider the  $\Omega$ -spectra (see [6], p. 241). For any  $\Omega$ -spectrum  $\mathbf{E} = \{E_n\}$  and  $X \in \mathfrak{B}_0$ , we have a natural isomorphism  $[X, E_n] \rightarrow \tilde{H}^n(X; \mathbf{E})$ .

Let  $n, q$  be given integers and  $\mathbf{E}, \mathbf{E}'$  given  $\Omega$ -spectra, a cohomology operation  $\theta$  of type  $(n, q; \mathbf{E}, \mathbf{E}')$  is a map

$$\theta_X: \tilde{H}^n(X; \mathbf{E}) \longrightarrow \tilde{H}^q(X; \mathbf{E}')$$

defined for every  $X \in \mathfrak{B}_0$  such that if  $f: X \rightarrow Y$  in  $\mathfrak{B}_0$  then

$$f^* \circ \theta_Y = \theta_X \circ f^*.$$

In general the map  $\theta_X$  is not a homomorphism, the cohomology operation  $\theta$  is said to be *additive* if and only if  $\theta_X: \tilde{H}^n(X; \mathbf{E}) \rightarrow \tilde{H}^q(X; \mathbf{E}')$  is a homomorphism for every  $X \in \mathfrak{B}_0$ .

Let  $\mathfrak{Q}(n, q; \mathbf{E}, \mathbf{E}')$  be set of cohomology operations of type  $(n, q;$

$\mathbf{E}, \mathbf{E}'$ ). Then we can easily prove the following

LEMMA 7.1. *Let  $\iota \in \tilde{H}^n(E_n; \mathbf{E}) \approx [E_n, E_n]$  be the fundamental class corresponding to the homotopy class of the identity map of  $E_n$ . Then the map  $\theta \rightarrow \theta_{E_n}(\iota) \in \tilde{H}^q(E_n; \mathbf{E}') \approx [E_n, E'_q]$  is a 1 - 1 correspondence between  $\mathcal{D}(n, q; \mathbf{E}; \mathbf{E}')$  and  $[E_n, E'_q]$ .*

By an analogous method to ([5], Lemma 7.1), we have the following

LEMMA 7.2. *Let  $\theta$  be a cohomology operation of type  $(n, q; \mathbf{E}, \mathbf{E}')$ . Then  $\theta$  is additive if and only if  $\theta_{E_n}(\iota) \in \tilde{H}^q(E_n; \mathbf{E}') = \tilde{H}^q(E_n, e; \mathbf{E}')$  is primitive.*

COROLLARY 7.3. *Let  $\theta$  be a cohomology operation of type  $(n, q; \mathbf{E}, \mathbf{E}')$ . If the corresponding element  $\theta_{E_n}(\iota)$  is transgressive, then  $\theta$  is additive. Conversely, if  $q \leq 3(n + a) - b - 1$ , and  $\theta$  is additive, then  $\theta_{E_n}(\iota)$  is transgressive, where  $\mathbf{E}$  is of type  $(a, +\infty)$ ,  $\mathbf{E}'$  of type  $(-\infty, b)$  and 1-connected.*

This follows from Corollary 6.3 and Lemma 7.2.

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