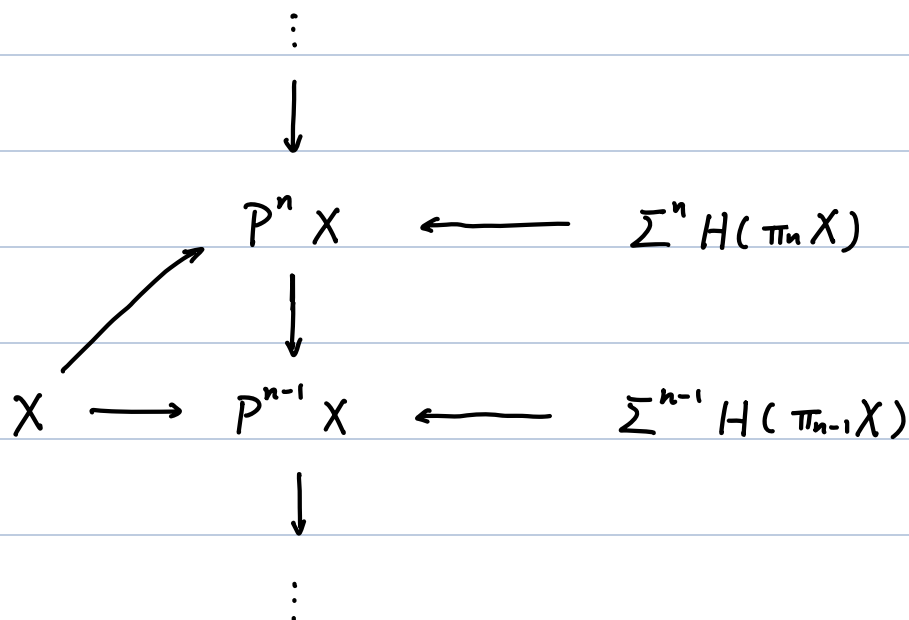


Slogan: equivariant version of Postnikov tower.

• Classical Postnikov tower



$$\varprojlim P^n X \simeq X, \quad \varinjlim P^n X \simeq *$$

satisfies $\pi_k P^n X = 0, \quad k > n.$

$$\pi_k P^n X \cong \pi_k X, \quad k \leq n.$$

Language $\mathcal{T}_{\geq n+1}$ = full subcat obtained from $\{S^k : k > n\}$
 by closing up under extension, cofiber, colimits
 (not closed under limits & fibers!)

= full subcat of n -connective spectra.

$$P^n X = \text{Dror nullification w. r. t. } \mathcal{T}_{\geq n+1}.$$

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• Slice tower

$$1) \quad \text{Map}^H(S^k, P^n X) = 0, \quad k > n$$

$$\text{Map}^H(S^k, P^n X) = \text{Map}^H(S^k, X), \quad k \leq n$$

holds for all $H \leq G$. $X \in \text{GTop}$ or GSL .

- 2) Replace elets in $\tau_{\geq n+1}$ by $\{S^V\}$. — can choose what you want, but subject to defn.
- 3) Apply Dror nullification $P^n(-)$ to get a tower.

The desired Dror nullification functor should satisfy: $\forall X \in \text{Top}$.

X CW cpx, preferable cpt Hausdorff, then

- $X \rightarrow P_A X$ natural map.
- $P_A X$ A -null: $\forall A \in \mathcal{A}$ (all elets are cpt Hausdorff), $n \geq 0$,
 $[*, P_A X] \xrightarrow{\cong} [\Sigma^n A, P_A X]$.

- Z A -null, $X \rightarrow Z$ map, \exists lifting unique up to htpy

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X & \longrightarrow & Z \\ \downarrow & \nearrow \text{dotted} & \\ P_A X & & \end{array}$$

- $X \rightarrow Y \rightarrow Z$ htpy cofiber, $P_A X$ contractible, then

$$P_A Y \cong P_A Z.$$

- Any X diagram. Then $P_A(\text{hocolim}_\alpha X_\alpha) \xrightarrow{\cong} P_A(\text{hocolim}_\alpha P_A X_\alpha)$

• Candidate:

$$P_A, \mathcal{A} = \{S^W \wedge G/H_+ : W \geq V+1, H \leq G\}$$

\Rightarrow all equivariant map $S^V \rightarrow S^W$ are null.

Won't change maps from S^V and smaller spheres

Prop 1) $X \rightarrow P_V X$ induces

$$[S^{k,0} \wedge G/H_+, -]_* \begin{cases} \text{iso.} & 0 \leq k \leq \dim V^H \\ \text{epi.} & k = \dim V^H + 1. \end{cases}$$

2) If $W \in R(G)$, $\dim W^H \leq \dim V^H$ for all subgps $H \subseteq G$.

then $[S^W, X]_* \xrightarrow{\cong} [S^W, P_V X]_*$

3) $K(\mathbb{I}_{V+1} X, V) \rightarrow P_{V+1} X \rightarrow P_V X$ htpy fib. seq.

4) $\text{holim}(\dots \rightarrow P_{V+2} X \rightarrow P_{V+1} X \rightarrow P_V X) \cong X$

5) If ρ regular rep of G , $\rho \subseteq V$, then

$$P_V(S^V) \cong K(A, V). \quad \text{A Burnside-Mackey functor.}$$

• Postnikov tower for $BU \times \mathbb{Z}$.

Consider $P_n(\mathbb{Z} \times BU) =: P_{(2n, n)}(\mathbb{Z} \times BU) =: P_{2n}(\mathbb{Z} \times BU)$

The $\beta: S^{2,1} \rightarrow BU \times \mathbb{Z}$ Bott elem. i.e. $\beta \in \widetilde{KR}^{0,0}(S^{2,1})$.

$$\beta^n: S^{2n, n} \rightarrow BU \times \mathbb{Z}.$$

Then \exists htpy fib. seq.

$$P_{2n}(S^{2n, n}) \xrightarrow{\beta^n} P_{2n}(\mathbb{Z} \times BU) \rightarrow P_{2n-2}(\mathbb{Z} \times BU).$$

The $P_{2n}(S^{2n, n}) \cong K(\mathbb{Z}(n), 2n)$

Cor Postnikov tower

$$\begin{array}{c} \vdots \\ \downarrow \\ K(\mathbb{Z}(2), 4) \rightarrow P_4(\mathbb{Z} \times BU) \\ \downarrow \\ K(\mathbb{Z}(1), 2) \rightarrow P_2(\mathbb{Z} \times BU) \end{array}$$

$$\mathbb{Z} \longrightarrow P_0(\mathbb{Z} \times BU)$$

$$\downarrow$$

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$$\text{holim (tower)} \simeq \mathbb{Z} \times BU.$$

$$\bullet \quad \Pi_{2n,n}(\mathbb{Z} \times BU) = KR^{2n,n}(pt) \cong \underline{\mathbb{Z}}.$$

• Main Goal: try spectral sequence for X $\mathbb{Z}/2$ -space.

$$H^{p,-q/2}(X; \underline{\mathbb{Z}}) \Rightarrow [S^{-p-q,0} \wedge X_+, \mathbb{Z} \times BU]_*$$

$$= KR^{p+q,0}(X).$$

according to the previous corollary.

- Adams operations

Consider the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} S^{2n,n} & \xrightarrow{\beta^n} & \mathbb{Z} \times BU \\ \cdot k^n \downarrow & & \downarrow \psi^k \text{ — Adams operations} \\ S^{2n,n} & \xrightarrow{\beta^n} & \mathbb{Z} \times BU \end{array}$$

\rightsquigarrow

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} S^{2n,n} & \longrightarrow & P_{2n}(S^{2n,n}) & \longrightarrow & P_{2n}(\mathbb{Z} \times BU) \\ \cdot k^n \downarrow & & \downarrow P_{2n}(\cdot k^n) & & \downarrow P_{2n}(\psi^k) \\ S^{2n,n} & \longrightarrow & P_{2n}(S^{2n,n}) & \longrightarrow & P_{2n}(\mathbb{Z} \times BU) \end{array}$$

and by

FACT $P_{2n}(k) : P_{2n}(S^{2n,n}) \longrightarrow P_{2n}(S^{2n,n})$

$$\bullet k : K(\mathbb{Z}(n), 2n) \rightarrow K(\mathbb{Z}(n), 2n)$$

where k originally is the map $k : S^{2n, n} \rightarrow S^{2n, n}$

rep adding id to itself k times in $[S^{2n, n}, S^{2n, n}]_*$.

Then Adams operation on KR , $\psi^k : \mathbb{Z} \times BU \rightarrow \mathbb{Z} \times BU$.

induces Adams operation on F_n by $(\cdot k^n) : F_n \rightarrow F_n$, where

$$\begin{aligned} K(\mathbb{Z}(n), 2n) &\cong F_n = \text{hofib} (P_{2n}(\mathbb{Z} \times BU) \rightarrow P_{2n-2}(\mathbb{Z} \times BU)) \\ &= P_{2n}(S^{2n, n}). \end{aligned}$$

- Rational tower

Note $H^{*,*}(BU) = H^{*,*}(\text{pt}) [c_1, c_2, \dots]$, $|c_i| = (2i, i)$.

$$c_i : BU \rightarrow K(\mathbb{Z}(i), 2i)$$

$$\begin{array}{c} P_n \\ \rightsquigarrow \end{array} P_n(BU) \rightarrow P_{2n}(K(\mathbb{Z}(n), 2n)) = K(\mathbb{Z}(n), 2n)$$

\Rightarrow the composite of

$$K(\mathbb{Z}(n), 2n) \cong P_{2n}(S^{2n, n}) \xrightarrow{P_{2n}(\beta^n)} P_{2n}(\mathbb{Z} \times BU) \xrightarrow{c_n} K(\mathbb{Z}(n), 2n)$$

is $(n-1)!$, since $c_n(\beta^n) = (n-1)! \cdot \text{gen of } \tilde{H}^{2n, n}(S^{2n, n})$.

- Convergence

Conditionally converge. Converge for $p+q < 0$

• Stable version of previous s.s. : use connective cover of KR .

$$\text{Want : cofib seq } \Sigma^{-2,1} kr \xrightarrow{\beta} kr \rightarrow H\mathbb{Z}$$

then Bockstein SS gives the desired SS.

First to understand kr. Let $W_n = \text{hofib}(\mathbb{Z} \times BU \xrightarrow{\alpha} P_{2n-2}(\mathbb{Z} \times BU))$

Then apply $\Omega^{2,1}(-)$ to α . Note $X \in \mathcal{A}_{(2n-2, n-1)} \Rightarrow S^{2,1} \wedge X$ in

$\mathcal{A}_{(2n, n)} \Rightarrow \Omega^{2,1} P_{2n}(\mathbb{Z} \times BU) \in \mathcal{A}_{(2n-2, n-1)}$ since $P_{2n}(\mathbb{Z} \times BU)$ is

$\mathcal{A}_{(2n, n)}$ -null. So \exists lift unique up to homy

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \Omega^{2,1}(\mathbb{Z} \times BU) & \xrightarrow{\Omega^{2,1}\alpha} & \Omega^{2,1} P_{2n}(\mathbb{Z} \times BU) \\ \downarrow & & \nearrow \ell \\ P_{2n-2} \Omega^{2,1}(\mathbb{Z} \times BU) & & \end{array}$$

Let $\beta: \mathbb{Z} \times BU \rightarrow \Omega^{2,1}(\mathbb{Z} \times BU)$ Bott map. get

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} W_n & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{Z} \times BU & \longrightarrow & P_{2n-2}(\mathbb{Z} \times BU) \\ & & \downarrow \beta & & \downarrow P_{2n-2} \beta \\ \exists \sigma & \downarrow & \Omega^{2,1}(\mathbb{Z} \times BU) & \longrightarrow & P_{2n-2}(\Omega^{2,1}(\mathbb{Z} \times BU)) \\ & & \downarrow \text{id} & & \downarrow \ell \\ \Omega^{2,1} W_{n+1} & \longrightarrow & \Omega^{2,1}(\mathbb{Z} \times BU) & \longrightarrow & \Omega^{2,1} P_{2n-2}(\mathbb{Z} \times BU) \end{array}$$

then $\exists \sigma: W_n \rightarrow \Omega^{2,1} W_{n+1}$ makes diagram commute. Use the following lemma to conclude σ is w.e.:

Lem $X, Y \in G_2\text{-space}_*$ and

$$[S^{k,0}, X]_* = [S^{k,0}, Y]_* = 0, \quad 0 \leq k < n$$

$$[\mathbb{Z}/2_+ \wedge S^{k,0}, X]_* = [\mathbb{Z}/2_+ \wedge S^{k,0}, Y]_* = 0, \quad 0 \leq k < 2n.$$

Then $X \rightarrow Y$ w.e. \Leftrightarrow it induces iso for $k \geq 0$

$$[S^{2n+k,n}, X]_* \cong [S^{2n+k,n}, Y]_*$$

$$[\mathbb{Z}/2 + \wedge S^{2n+k, n} \cdot X] \cong [\mathbb{Z}/2 + \wedge S^{2n+k, n} \cdot Y]_*$$

This is also used to show $\mathbb{F}_n \cong K(\mathbb{Z} \times BU, 2n)$.

$$\text{Def } kr = \{ W_n, W_n \rightarrow \Sigma^{2,1} W_{n+1} \}$$

connective KR spectrum.

\Rightarrow tower

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \vdots & & \\ \downarrow & & \\ \Sigma^{2,1} kr & \longrightarrow & \Sigma^{2,1} H\mathbb{Z} \\ \downarrow \beta & & \\ kr & \longrightarrow & H\mathbb{Z} \\ \downarrow \Sigma^{-2,-1} \beta & & \\ \Sigma^{-2,-1} kr & \longrightarrow & \Sigma^{-2,-1} H\mathbb{Z} \\ \downarrow & & \\ \vdots & & \end{array}$$

$$\text{colim} = KR$$

$$\text{lim} = *$$

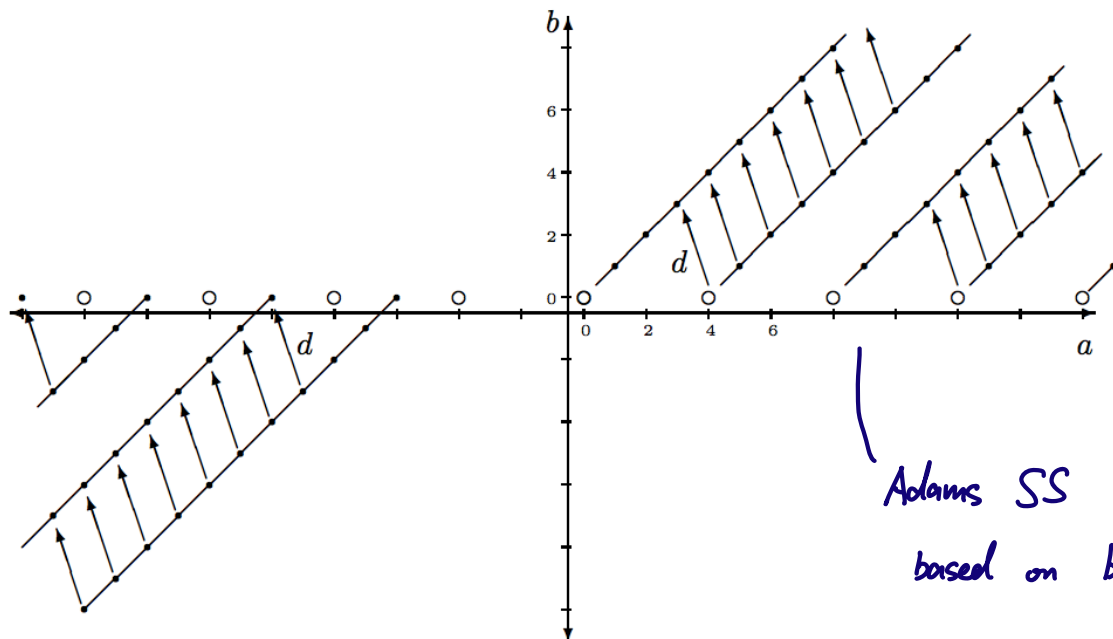
$$\Rightarrow H^{p, -\frac{q}{2}}(X; \mathbb{Z}) \Rightarrow KR^{p+q, 0}(X) \quad \text{converges conditionally}$$

It can be used to compute hpg of $P_n(\mathbb{Z} \times BU)$, and so W_n .

So it can be used to determine $kr^{x,*}(pt)$. This following is the

S.S. for $X = pt$:

$$H^{p, -\frac{q}{2}}(pt; \mathbb{Z}) \Rightarrow KR^{p+q, 0}(pt) = KO^{p+q}(pt)$$



(a, b) : $H^{b, \frac{a+b}{2}}$ (pt)

line $a = N$: associated graded of KO^{-N}

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