

SOME COHOMOTOPY GROUPS OF SUSPENDED QUATERNIONIC PROJECTIVE PLANES

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ABSTRACT. In this paper we present the computation of two kinds of cohomotopy groups $[\Sigma^{n+4}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^n]$ and $[\Sigma^{n+5}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^n]$ for a non-negative integer n , where $\Sigma^k\mathbb{H}P^2$ is the k -fold suspension of quaternionic projective plane $\mathbb{H}P^2$.

1. Introduction

Let X and Y be based topological spaces, and let $[X, Y]$ denote the set of homotopy classes of base point preserving continuous maps from X to Y . Given a space X and an n -dimensional sphere S^n , the set $[X, S^n]$ has been studied by many authors [1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7]. This set is known as the n -th cohomotopy set of X , and in particular, the n -th cohomotopy group of X if it has a group structure, which is the case when X is a suspension of a space. The cohomotopy groups $[\Sigma^m X, S^n]$ for the m -fold suspension $\Sigma^m X$ of a projective space X have been studied and computed by many authors [2, 3, 7] using the exact sequence associated with the canonical cofiber sequence and a formula for a multiple of the identity class of the suspended projective plane. The cohomotopy groups $[\Sigma^{n+k}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^n]$ for the quaternionic projective space $\mathbb{H}P^2$, in particular, were computed by Kachi, Mukai, and colleagues on the condition that $|k| \leq 3$ [2].

The purpose of the present paper is to compute the cohomotopy groups $[\Sigma^{n+4}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^n]$ and $[\Sigma^{n+5}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^n]$ for each $n \geq 2$. The computation will be done as follows. As is well-known, the quaternionic projective plane $\mathbb{H}P^2$ is defined by the mapping cone $S^4 \cup_{\nu_4} e^8$, where $\nu_4 : S^7 \rightarrow S^4$ is the Hopf fibering. Consider a Puppe sequence

$$S^7 \xrightarrow{\nu_4} S^4 \xrightarrow{i} \mathbb{H}P^2 \xrightarrow{p} S^8 \xrightarrow{\nu_5} S^5 \xrightarrow{\Sigma i} \dots,$$

where $i : S^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{H}P^2$ is the inclusion map, $p : \mathbb{H}P^2 \rightarrow S^8$ is the collapsing map of S^4 to a point $*$, and $\nu_k = \Sigma^{k-4}\nu_4$ for $k \geq 4$. This gives a long exact sequence

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of homotopy sets

$$\begin{aligned} \pi_{m+5}(S^n) &\xrightarrow{\nu_{m+5}^*} \pi_{m+8}(S^n) \xrightarrow{\Sigma^m p^*} [\Sigma^m \mathbb{H}P^2, S^n] \\ &\xrightarrow{\Sigma^n i^*} \pi_{m+4}(S^n) \xrightarrow{\nu_{m+4}^*} \pi_{m+7}(S^n) \end{aligned}$$

and gives rise to the short exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Coker}\nu_{m+5}^* \xrightarrow{\Sigma^m p^*} [\Sigma^m \mathbb{H}P^2, S^n] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^m i^*} \text{Ker}\nu_{m+4}^* \rightarrow 0.$$

This sequence is referred as *the (m, n)-type short exact sequence* throughout this paper.

For $n \geq 2$ and $s = 9$ or 10 , we determine $\text{Coker}\nu_{n+s}^*$ and $\text{Ker}\nu_{n+s-1}^*$ using the formulas of Toda brackets [8], some results in [2], and the Frudenthal suspension theorem. We also investigate the splitting properties of the $(n+k, n)$ -type short exact sequences for $k = 4$ or 5 . As a result, we obtain the following theorem. We prove this theorem by way of several propositions in Sections 4 and 5.

Theorem 1. *For each $n \geq 2$, $[\Sigma^{n+4}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^n]$ and $[\Sigma^{n+5}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^n]$ are determined as follows:*

case n	2	3	4	5	6
$[\Sigma^{n+4}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^n]$	$4 + 2 + 3 + 35$	2	$(2)^4$	$(2)^3 + 63$	$16 + 2 + (3)^2 + 5$
case n	7	8	9	10	11
$[\Sigma^{n+4}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^n]$	$(2)^2$	$(2)^3$	$(2)^2$	$(2)^2 + 3$	$(2)^3$
case n	12	13	$n \geq 14$		
$[\Sigma^{n+4}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^n]$	$(2)^4$	$(2)^3$	$(2)^2$		

case n	2	3	4	5	6
$[\Sigma^{n+5}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^n]$	2	$(2)^2 + 3$	$(2)^3 + (3)^2$	$(2)^3 + 3$	$(2)^3 + 3$
case n	7	8	9	10	11
$[\Sigma^{n+5}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^n]$	$(2)^4 + 3$	$(2)^5 + 3$	$(2)^4 + 3$	$\mathbb{Z} + (2)^3 + 3$	$(2)^4 + 3$
case n	12	13	14	$n \geq 15$	
$[\Sigma^{n+5}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^n]$	$(4)^2 + 2 + 3$	$4 + (2)^2 + 3$	$\mathbb{Z} + (2)^4 + 3$	$(2)^3 + 3$	

where the integer “ s ” denotes the cyclic group \mathbb{Z}_s , “+” denotes the direct sum of abelian groups, and “ $(s)^k$ ” is the k -times direct sum of \mathbb{Z}_s .

Throughout this paper, we follow Toda’s notation [8] for elements of homotopy groups of spheres. If G is a finitely generated abelian group generated by a_1, \dots, a_n , then we denote the group G by $G\{a_1, \dots, a_n\}$. We also denote the t -times direct sum of \mathbb{Z}_s by \mathbb{Z}_s^t .

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2. Preliminaries

In this section, we present selected basic principles of composition methods [8].

When G is an abelian group and $p \geq 2$ is a prime number, we denote the p -primary parts of G by $G_{(p)}$.

For $p \geq 5$, we have an isomorphism

$$[\Sigma^n \mathbb{H}P^2, S^k]_{(p)} \cong \pi_{n+4}(S^k)_{(p)} \oplus \pi_{n+8}(S^k)_{(p)},$$

because $\pi_{n+3}(S^n)$ has order 24 for $n \geq 5$ [8, Proposition 5.6].

Moreover, there is an isomorphism [8, (13.1)]

$$\pi_{i-1}(S^{2m-1})_{(p)} \oplus \pi_i(S^{4m-1})_{(p)} \cong \pi_i(S^{2m})_{(p)}$$

given by the correspondence $(\alpha, \beta) \mapsto \Sigma\alpha + [\iota_{2m}, \iota_{2m}] \circ \beta$, where $[,]$ is the Whitehead product. This is known as Serre’s isomorphism.

It is well known that the Hopf fibrations $\eta_2 : S^3 \rightarrow S^2$, $\nu_4 : S^7 \rightarrow S^4$, and $\sigma_8 : S^{15} \rightarrow S^8$ induce the isomorphisms

$$(2.2) \quad [X, S^3] \rightarrow [X, S^2], \quad \alpha \mapsto \eta_2 \circ \alpha,$$

$$(2.3) \quad [X, S^3] \oplus [\Sigma X, S^7] \rightarrow [\Sigma X, S^4], \quad (\alpha, \beta) \mapsto \Sigma\alpha + \nu_4 \circ \beta,$$

$$(2.4) \quad [X, S^7] \oplus [\Sigma X, S^{15}] \rightarrow [\Sigma X, S^8], \quad (\alpha, \beta) \mapsto \Sigma\alpha + \sigma_8 \circ \beta$$

respectively.

Consider elements $\alpha \in [Y, Z]$, $\beta \in [X, Y]$, and $\gamma \in [W, X]$ satisfying $\alpha \circ \beta = 0$ and $\beta \circ \gamma = 0$. Let C_β be the mapping cone of β , and $i : Y \rightarrow C_\beta$, $p : C_\gamma \rightarrow \Sigma X$ be the inclusion and the shrinking map, respectively. We denote an extension of α satisfying $i^*(\bar{\alpha}) = \alpha$ by $\bar{\alpha} \in [C_\beta, Z]$, and a coextension of γ satisfying $p_*(\tilde{\gamma}) = \Sigma\gamma$ by $\tilde{\gamma} \in [\Sigma W, C_\beta]$ [8].

We recall some relations between (co)extensions and Toda brackets [8].

Theorem 2. *Let $\alpha \in [Y, Z]$, $\beta \in [X, Y]$, and $\gamma \in [W, X]$ be elements such that $\alpha \circ \beta = 0$ and $\beta \circ \gamma = 0$. Let $\{\alpha, \beta, \gamma\}$ be the Toda bracket, and $i : Y \rightarrow C_\beta$, $p : C_\gamma \rightarrow \Sigma W$ be the inclusion and the shrinking map, respectively. Then, we have $\bar{\alpha} \circ \tilde{\gamma} \in \{\alpha, \beta, \gamma\}$ and $\alpha \circ \bar{\beta} \in \{\alpha, \beta, \gamma\} \circ p$.*

The following is useful for determining 3-primary parts of the class $[\Sigma^n \mathbb{H}P^2, S^m]$ [2].

Theorem 3.

$$24\Sigma\iota_{\mathbb{H}} = \Sigma i \circ \overline{24\iota_5} + \widetilde{24\iota_8} \circ \Sigma p$$

on $[\Sigma \mathbb{H}P^2, \Sigma \mathbb{H}P^2]$, where $\iota_{\mathbb{H}} : \mathbb{H}P^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{H}P^2$ and $\iota_8 : S^8 \rightarrow S^8$ are the identity maps on $\mathbb{H}P^2$ and S^8 , respectively.

3. Basic computations

In this section, we describe the basic computation of two 3-dimensional cohomotopy groups, and apply them to the computation of other cohomotopy groups.

By [8, (5.9)], we have $\eta_n \circ \nu_{n+1} = 0$ for $n \geq 5$; thus, there is an extension $\overline{\eta}_n \in [\Sigma^{n-3}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^n]$ of η_n for $n \geq 5$. Moreover, by [4, Proposition (2.2)], we have $\epsilon' \circ \nu_{13} = 0$; thus, there is an extension $\overline{\epsilon'} \in [\Sigma^9\mathbb{H}P^2, S^3]$ of ϵ' .

Proposition 1. (1) $[\Sigma^8\mathbb{H}P^2, S^3] = \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\nu' \circ \eta_6 \circ \mu_4 \circ \Sigma^8 p, \epsilon_3 \circ \overline{\eta}_{11}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(3) \circ \beta_1(6) \circ \Sigma^8 p\}$.

(2) $[\Sigma^9\mathbb{H}P^2, S^3]_{(2)} \cong \mathbb{Z}_4\{\overline{\epsilon'}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\{\mu_3 \circ \overline{\eta}_{12}\}$.

Proof. (1) Consider the (8, 3)-type short exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Coker}\nu_{13}^* \xrightarrow{\Sigma^8 p^*} [\Sigma^8\mathbb{H}P^2, S^3] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^8 i^*} \text{Ker}\nu_{12}^* \rightarrow 0$$

where $\nu_{13}^* : \pi_{13}(S^3) \rightarrow \pi_{16}(S^3)$ and $\nu_{12}^* : \pi_{12}(S^3) \rightarrow \pi_{15}(S^3)$ are the homomorphisms induced originally by the Hopf fibration $\nu_4 : S^7 \rightarrow S^3$. These homomorphisms can be restated as follows:

$$\nu_{13}^* : \mathbb{Z}_4\{\epsilon'\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\{\eta_3 \circ \mu_4\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2\{\nu' \circ \eta_6 \circ \mu_7\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(3) \circ \beta_1(6)\},$$

and

$$\nu_{12}^* : \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\mu_3, \eta_3 \circ \epsilon_4\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\nu' \circ \mu_6, \nu' \circ \eta_6 \circ \epsilon_7\},$$

respectively.

Then, we have $\nu_{13}^*(\epsilon') = 0$ by [4, (2.2)], and $\nu_{13}^*(\eta_3 \circ \mu_4) = 0$ by [8, (5.9)] and [4, (2.2)]. Thus, we have $\nu_{12}^*(\mu_3) = \nu' \circ \eta_6 \circ \epsilon_7$ by [4, (2.2)], and $\nu_{12}^*(\eta_3 \circ \epsilon_4) = 0$ by [8, (5.9)] and [4, (2.1)]. Thus, we have $\text{Coker}\nu_{13}^* = \mathbb{Z}_2\{\nu' \circ \eta_6 \circ \mu_7\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(3) \circ \beta_1(6)\}$ and $\text{Ker}\nu_{12}^* = \mathbb{Z}_2\{\eta_3 \circ \epsilon_4\}$. This gives the following short exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2\{\nu' \circ \eta_6 \circ \mu_7\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(3) \circ \beta_1(6)\} \xrightarrow{\Sigma^8 p^*} [\Sigma^8\mathbb{H}P^2, S^3] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^8 i^*} \mathbb{Z}_2\{\eta_3 \circ \epsilon_4\} \rightarrow 0.$$

By [4, (2.1)], we know that $\eta_3 \circ \epsilon_4 = \epsilon_3 \circ \eta_{11}$. Consider the extension $\epsilon_3 \circ \overline{\eta}_{11}$ of $\epsilon_3 \circ \eta_{11}$. By [2, Proposition 4.1], the order of $\overline{\eta}_{11}$ is two; thus, the order of $\epsilon_3 \circ \overline{\eta}_{11}$ is two, and therefore the short exact sequence is split.

(2) Consider the (9, 3)-type short exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Coker}\nu_{14}^* \xrightarrow{\Sigma^9 p^*} [\Sigma^9\mathbb{H}P^2, S^3] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^9 i^*} \text{Ker}\nu_{13}^* \rightarrow 0,$$

where $\nu_{14}^* : \pi_{14}(S^3) \rightarrow \pi_{17}(S^3)$ is the homomorphism induced originally by the Hopf fibration $\nu_4 : S^7 \rightarrow S^3$. This homomorphism can be restated as follows:

$$\nu_{14}^* : \mathbb{Z}_4\{\mu'\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\epsilon_3 \circ \nu_{11}, \nu' \circ \epsilon_6\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_7 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2\{\epsilon_3 \circ \nu_{11}^2\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_5.$$

Then, we have $\nu_{14}^*(\mu') = 0$ by [4, (2.4)], and $\nu_{14}^*(\nu' \circ \epsilon_6) = \nu' \circ \epsilon_6 \circ \nu_{14} = 0$ since $\epsilon_6 \circ \nu_{14} = (E^3\nu') \circ \overline{\nu}_9 = (2\nu_6) \circ \overline{\nu}_9 = 0$ by [4, (2.1)]. Thus, we have $\text{Coker}\nu_{14}^* = \mathbb{Z}_2\{\epsilon_3 \circ \nu_{11}^2\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_5$ and $\text{Ker}\nu_{13}^* = \mathbb{Z}_4\{\epsilon'\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\{\eta_3 \circ \mu_4\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3$ by (1). This gives the following two-primary short exact sequence

$$0 \xrightarrow{\Sigma^9 p^*} [\Sigma^9\mathbb{H}P^2, S^3]_{(2)} \xrightarrow{\Sigma^9 i^*} \mathbb{Z}_4\{\epsilon'\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\{\eta_3 \circ \mu_4\} \rightarrow 0. \quad \square$$

4. Computation of $[\Sigma^{n+4}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^n]$ for $n \geq 2$

In this section, we compute the n -th cohomotopy groups of $(n + 4)$ -fold suspended quaternionic projective planes.

Proposition 2. $[\Sigma^6\mathbb{H}P^2, S^2] = \mathbb{Z}_4\{\eta_2 \circ \mu' \circ \Sigma^6 p\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\{\eta_2 \circ \nu' \circ \epsilon_6 \circ \Sigma^6 p\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\eta_2 \circ \alpha_3(3) \circ \Sigma^6 p\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_{35}$.

Proof. Since $\eta_2 : S^3 \rightarrow S^2$ is a fibration with fiber S^1 , $\eta_{2*} : [\Sigma^6\mathbb{H}P^2, S^3] \rightarrow [\Sigma^6\mathbb{H}P^2, S^2]$ is an isomorphism. Thus, by [2, Theorem 4.7 (2)], this completes the proof. \square

Proposition 3. $[\Sigma^7\mathbb{H}P^2, S^3] \cong \mathbb{Z}_2\{\nu' \circ \mu_6 \circ \Sigma^7 p\}$.

Proof. Consider the (7, 3)-type short exact sequence:

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Coker}\nu_{12}^* \xrightarrow{\Sigma^7 p^*} [\Sigma^7\mathbb{H}P^2, S^3] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^7 i^*} \text{Ker}\nu_{11}^* \rightarrow 0,$$

where $\nu_{12}^* : \pi_{12}(S^3) \rightarrow \pi_{15}(S^3)$ and $\nu_{11}^* : \pi_{11}(S^3) \rightarrow \pi_{14}(S^3)$ are the homomorphisms induced originally by the Hopf fibration $\nu_4 : S^7 \rightarrow S^3$. These homomorphisms can be restated as follows:

$$\nu_{12}^* : \mathbb{Z}_2\{\mu_3\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\{\eta_3 \circ \epsilon_4\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2\{\nu' \circ \mu_6\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\{\nu' \circ \eta_6 \circ \epsilon_7\},$$

and

$$\nu_{11}^* : \mathbb{Z}_2\{\epsilon_3\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_4\{\mu'\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\{\nu' \circ \epsilon_6\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\{\epsilon_3 \circ \nu_{11}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_{21},$$

respectively. Then, we have $\nu_{12}^*(\mu_3) = \nu' \circ \eta_6 \circ \epsilon_7$ [4, Proposition 2.2], $\nu_{12}^*(\eta_3 \circ \epsilon_4) = \eta_3 \circ \epsilon_4 \circ \nu_{12} = \epsilon_3 \circ \eta_{11} \circ \nu_{12} = 0$ [4, (2.1)], [8, (5.9)], and $\nu_{11}^*(\epsilon_3) = \epsilon_3 \circ \nu_{11}$. Thus, we have $\text{Coker}\nu_{12}^* = \mathbb{Z}_2\{\nu' \circ \mu_6\}$ and $\text{Ker}\nu_{11}^* = 0$. From the short exact sequence, we have

$$[\Sigma^7\mathbb{H}P^2, S^3] = \mathbb{Z}_2\{\nu' \circ \mu_6 \circ \Sigma^7 p\}. \quad \square$$

Proposition 4. $[\Sigma^8\mathbb{H}P^2, S^4] = \mathbb{Z}_2^4\{\nu_4 \circ \sigma' \circ \eta_{14}^2 \circ \Sigma^8 p, \nu_4 \circ \mu_7 \circ \Sigma^8 p, \nu_4 \circ \eta_7 \circ \epsilon_8 \circ \Sigma^8 p, (E\nu') \circ \mu_7 \circ \Sigma^8 p\}$.

Proof. Consider the (8, 4)-type short exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Coker}\nu_{13}^* \xrightarrow{\Sigma^8 p^*} [\Sigma^8\mathbb{H}P^2, S^4] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^8 i^*} \text{Ker}\nu_{12}^* \rightarrow 0,$$

where $\nu_{13}^* : \pi_{13}(S^4) \rightarrow \pi_{16}(S^4)$ and $\nu_{12}^* : \pi_{12}(S^4) \rightarrow \pi_{15}(S^4)$ are the homomorphisms induced originally by the Hopf fibration $\nu_4 : S^7 \rightarrow S^3$. These homomorphisms can be restated as follows:

$$\nu_{13}^* : \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\nu_4^3, \mu_4, \eta_4 \circ \epsilon_5\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2^6\{\nu_4 \circ \sigma' \circ \eta_{14}^2, \nu_4^4, \nu_4 \circ \mu_7, \nu_4 \circ \eta_7 \circ \epsilon_8, (E\nu') \circ \mu_7, (E\nu') \circ \eta_7 \circ \epsilon_8\}$$

and

$$\nu_{12}^* : \mathbb{Z}_2\{\epsilon_4\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_4 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2^5 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_7,$$

respectively. Then, we have $\nu_{13}^*(\nu_4^3) = \nu_4^4$,

$$\nu_{13}^*(\mu_4) = \mu_4 \circ \nu_{13} = (E\nu') \circ \eta_7 \circ \epsilon_8$$

[4, Proposition (2.2)(4)], and

$$\nu_{13}^*(\eta_4 \circ \epsilon_5) = \eta_4 \circ \epsilon_5 \circ \nu_{13} = \epsilon_4 \circ \eta_{12} \circ \nu_{13} = 0$$

by [4, (2.1)]. Thus, it follows that

$$\text{Coker}\nu_{13}^* = \mathbb{Z}_2^4\{\nu_4 \circ \sigma' \circ \eta_{14}^2, \nu_4 \circ \mu_7, \nu_4 \circ \eta_7 \circ \epsilon_8, (E\nu') \circ \mu_7\}.$$

Since the element $\nu_{12}^*(\epsilon_4) = \epsilon_4 \circ \nu_{12}$ has order 2 in $\pi_{15}(S^4)$, ν_{12}^* is injective. Hence, we have the short exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2^4\{\nu_4 \circ \sigma' \circ \eta_{14}^2, \nu_4 \circ \mu_7, \nu_4 \circ \eta_7 \circ \epsilon_8, (E\nu') \circ \mu_7\} \xrightarrow{\Sigma^8 p^*} [\Sigma^8 \mathbb{H}P^2, S^4] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^8 i^*} 0. \quad \square$$

By [4, (1.1) (7)], $H(\epsilon') = \epsilon_5$, and from [4, (2.2) (7)], we have $\epsilon' \circ \nu_{13} = 0$. Thus, there is an extension $\bar{\epsilon}' \in [\Sigma^9 \mathbb{H}P^2, S^3]$ of ϵ' . Denote $\bar{\epsilon}_5 = H(\bar{\epsilon}')$ to be an extension of ϵ_5 . We denote $\bar{\epsilon}_n = \Sigma^{n-5} \bar{\epsilon}_5$ for $n \geq 5$.

Proposition 5. $[\Sigma^9 \mathbb{H}P^2, S^5] = \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\nu_5 \circ \eta_8 \circ \epsilon_9 \circ \Sigma^9 p, \nu_5 \circ \mu_8 \circ \Sigma^9 p, \bar{\epsilon}_5\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_9 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_7$.

Proof. Consider the (9, 5)-type short exact sequence:

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Coker}\nu_{14}^* \xrightarrow{\Sigma^9 p^*} [\Sigma^9 \mathbb{H}P^2, S^5] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^9 i^*} \text{Ker}\nu_{13}^* \rightarrow 0,$$

where $\nu_{14}^* : \pi_{14}(S^5) \rightarrow \pi_{17}(S^5)$ and $\nu_{13}^* : \pi_{13}(S^5) \rightarrow \pi_{16}(S^5)$ are the homomorphisms induced originally by the Hopf fibration $\nu_4 : S^7 \rightarrow S^3$. These homomorphisms can be restated as follows:

$$\nu_{14}^* : \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\nu_5^3, \mu_5, \eta_5 \circ \epsilon_6\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\nu_5^4, \nu_5 \circ \mu_8, \nu_5 \circ \eta_8 \circ \epsilon_9\},$$

and

$$\nu_{13}^* : \mathbb{Z}_2\{\epsilon_5\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_8\{\zeta_8\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\nu_5 \circ \bar{\nu}_8, \nu \circ \epsilon_9\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_9 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_7,$$

respectively. Then, we have $\nu_{14}^*(\nu_5^3) = \nu_5^4$, $\nu_{14}^*(\eta_5 \circ \epsilon_6) = 0$, and

$$\nu_{14}^*(\mu_5) = \mu_5 \circ \nu_{14} = \Sigma^2(\nu' \circ \eta_6 \circ \epsilon_7) = (\Sigma^2 \nu') \circ \eta_8 \circ \epsilon_9 = (2\nu_5) \circ \eta_8 \circ \epsilon_9 = 0$$

by [4, Proposition 2.2(4)]. Thus, we have

$$\text{Coker}\nu_{14}^* = \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\nu_5 \circ \eta_8 \circ \epsilon_9, \nu_5 \circ \mu_8\} + \mathbb{Z}_9 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_7.$$

Additionally, we have

$$\nu_{13}^*(\epsilon_5) = \Sigma^2(\nu' \circ \bar{\nu}_6) = (\Sigma^2 \nu') \circ \bar{\nu}_8 = (2\nu_5) \circ \bar{\nu}_8 = 2(\nu_5 \circ \bar{\nu}_8) = 0$$

since $\nu_5 \circ \bar{\nu}_8 \in \pi_{16}(S^5)$ has order 2 [8]. Thus, we have $\text{Ker}\nu_{13}^* = \mathbb{Z}_2\{\epsilon_5\}$ and therefore, we have the short exact sequence

$$(*) \quad 0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\nu_5 \circ \eta_8 \circ \epsilon_9, \nu_5 \circ \mu_8\} \xrightarrow{\Sigma^9 p^*} [\Sigma^9 \mathbb{H}P^2, S^5]_{(2)} \xrightarrow{\Sigma^9 i^*} \mathbb{Z}_2\{\epsilon_5\} \rightarrow 0.$$

If $[\Sigma^9 \mathbb{H}P^2, S^5]$ is isomorphic to $\mathbb{Z}_4 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2$, we only have three cases:

$$2\bar{\epsilon}_5 = \begin{cases} \nu_5 \circ \mu_8 \circ \Sigma^9 p, \\ \nu_5 \circ \eta_8 \circ \epsilon_9 \circ \Sigma^9 p, \\ \nu_5 \circ \mu_8 \circ \Sigma^9 p + \nu_5 \circ \eta_8 \circ \epsilon_9 \circ \Sigma^9 p. \end{cases}$$

First, we assume that $2\overline{\epsilon_5} = \nu_5 \circ \mu_8 \circ \Sigma^9 p$. Then, we have $0 = \Delta \circ H(2(\overline{\epsilon'})) = \Delta(2H(\overline{\epsilon'})) = \Delta(2\overline{\epsilon_5}) = \Delta(\nu_5 \circ \mu_8 \circ \Sigma^9 p) = \Delta(\nu_5) \circ \mu_6 \circ \Sigma^7 p = \eta_2 \circ \nu' \circ \mu_6 \circ \Sigma^7 p$, since $\Delta(\nu_5) = \eta_2 \circ \nu'$ [8]. However, we know that

$$[\Sigma^7 \mathbb{H}P^2, S^2] = \mathbb{Z}_2\{\eta_2 \circ \nu' \circ \mu_6 \circ \Sigma^7 p\}.$$

This is a contradiction. Thus, $2\overline{\epsilon_5} \neq \nu_5 \circ \mu_8 \circ \Sigma^9 p$. Next, we assume that $2\overline{\epsilon_5} = \nu_5 \circ \mu_8 \circ \Sigma^9 p + \nu_5 \circ \eta_8 \circ \epsilon_9 \circ \Sigma^9 p$. Then, we have $0 = \Delta \circ H(2\overline{\epsilon'}) = \Delta(2H(\overline{\epsilon'})) = \Delta(2\overline{\epsilon_5}) = \Delta(\nu_5 \circ \mu_8 \circ \Sigma^9 p + \nu_5 \circ \eta_8 \circ \epsilon_9 \circ \Sigma^9 p) = \Delta(\nu_5) \circ \mu_6 \circ \Sigma^7 p + \Delta(\nu_5) \circ \eta_6 \circ \epsilon_7 \circ \Sigma^7 p = \eta_2 \circ \nu' \circ \mu_6 \circ \Sigma^7 p + \eta_2 \circ \nu' \circ \eta_6 \circ \epsilon_7 \circ \Sigma^7 p = \eta_2 \circ \nu' \circ \mu_6 \circ \Sigma^7 p$, since $\Delta(\nu_5) = \eta_2 \circ \nu'$ [8] and $\nu' \circ \eta_6 \circ \epsilon_7 \circ \Sigma^7 p = 0 \in [\Sigma^7 \mathbb{H}P^2, S^3]$. As this is also a contradiction, we have $2\overline{\epsilon_5} = \nu_5 \circ \eta_8 \circ \epsilon_9 \circ \Sigma^9 p$.

Consider a suspension homomorphism $E : [\Sigma^8 \mathbb{H}P^2, S^2] \rightarrow [\Sigma^9 \mathbb{H}P^2, S^3]$ where

$$[\Sigma^8 \mathbb{H}P^2, S^2] = \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\eta_2 \circ \nu' \circ \eta_6 \circ \mu_7 \circ \Sigma^8 p, \eta_2 \circ \epsilon_3 \circ \overline{\eta_{11}}\}$$

and

$$[\Sigma^9 \mathbb{H}P^2, S^3] = \mathbb{Z}_4\{\overline{\epsilon'}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\{\mu_3 \circ \overline{\eta_{12}}\}.$$

Now, we consider an element $E(\eta_2 \circ \epsilon_3 \circ \overline{\eta_{11}}) \in [\Sigma^9 \mathbb{H}P^2, S^3]$. We have $\Sigma^9 i^*(E(\eta_2 \circ \epsilon_3 \circ \overline{\eta_{11}})) = \Sigma^9 i^*(\eta_3 \circ \epsilon_4 \circ \overline{\eta_{12}}) = \eta_3 \circ \epsilon_4 \circ \eta_{12} = \eta_3^2 \circ \epsilon_5 = 2\overline{\epsilon'}$. Since $\Sigma^9 i^* : [\Sigma^9 \mathbb{H}P^2, S^3]_{(2)} \rightarrow \text{Ker} \nu_{13}^*$ is an isomorphism, we have $E(\eta_2 \circ \epsilon_3 \circ \overline{\eta_{11}}) = 2\overline{\epsilon'}$. By exactness and $E(\eta_2 \circ \epsilon_3 \circ \overline{\eta_{11}}) = 2\overline{\epsilon'}$, we have $0 = H \circ E(\eta_2 \circ \epsilon_3 \circ \overline{\eta_{11}}) = H(2\overline{\epsilon'}) = 2 \cdot \overline{\epsilon_5} = \nu_5 \circ \eta_8 \circ \epsilon_9 \circ \Sigma^9 p$. This contradicts to the statement that $\nu_5 \circ \eta_8 \circ \epsilon_9 \circ \Sigma^9 p$ has order 2. Thus, the short exact sequence (*) splits. \square

Proposition 6. $[\Sigma^{10} \mathbb{H}P^2, S^6] = \mathbb{Z}_{16}\{\Delta(\sigma_{13}) \circ \Sigma^{10} p\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\{\overline{\epsilon_6}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3^2\{\overline{\Delta(\alpha_1(13))}, \Delta(\alpha_2(13)) \circ \Sigma^{10} p\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_5$.

Proof. Consider the (10, 6)-type short exact sequence:

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Coker} \nu_{15}^* \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{10} p^*} [\Sigma^{10} \mathbb{H}P^2, S^6] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{10} i^*} \text{Ker} \nu_{14}^* \rightarrow 0,$$

where $\nu_{15}^* : \pi_{15}(S^6) \rightarrow \pi_{18}(S^6)$ and $\nu_{14}^* : \pi_{14}(S^6) \rightarrow \pi_{17}(S^6)$ are the homomorphisms induced originally by the Hopf fibration $\nu_4 : S^7 \rightarrow S^3$. These homomorphisms can be restated as follows:

$$\nu_{15}^* : \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\nu_6^3, \mu_6, \eta_6 \circ \epsilon_7\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_{16}\{\Delta(\sigma_{13})\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\iota_6, \iota_6\} \circ \alpha_2(11)\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_5,$$

and

$$\nu_{14}^* : \mathbb{Z}_8\{\overline{\nu_6}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\{\epsilon_6\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\iota_6, \iota_6\} \circ \alpha_1(11)\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_8\{\zeta_6\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_4\{\overline{\nu_6} \circ \nu_{14}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_7 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_9$$

by [8, p. 61, p. 66, p. 74, p. 186], respectively. Then, we have

$$\nu_{15}^*(\nu_6^3) = \nu_6^4 = E(\nu_5^4) = E\Delta(\overline{\nu_{11}}) = 0$$

by [8, p. 77],

$$\nu_{15}^*(\mu_6) = E(\mu_5 \circ \nu_{14}) = 0$$

by Proposition 5, and $\nu_{15}^*(\eta_6 \circ \epsilon_7) = 0$. Thus, we have $\text{Coker} \nu_{15}^* = \pi_{18}(S^6)$. In addition, we have $\nu_{14}^*(\overline{\nu_6}) = \overline{\nu_6} \circ \nu_{14}$, $\nu_{14}^*(\epsilon_6) = \epsilon_6 \circ \nu_{14} = E^3(\nu' \circ \overline{\nu_6}) = (E^3 \nu') \circ \overline{\nu_9} = (2\nu_6) \circ \overline{\nu_9} = 2(\nu_6 \circ \overline{\nu_9}) = 2(2\overline{\nu_6} \circ \nu_{14}) = 4(\overline{\nu_6} \circ \nu_{14}) = 0$ by [4, (2.1)]

and [8, Theorem 7.4]. Thus, we have $\text{Ker}\nu_{14}^* = \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{4\overline{\nu}_6, \epsilon_6\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{[\iota_6, \iota_6] \circ \alpha_1(11)\}$. This gives the short exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_{16}\{\Delta(\sigma_{13})\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{[\iota_6, \iota_6] \circ \alpha_2(11)\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_5 \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{10}p^*} \\ \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{10}p^*} [\Sigma^{10}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^6] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{10}i^*} \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{4\overline{\nu}_6, \epsilon_6\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{[\iota_6, \iota_6] \circ \alpha_1(11)\} \rightarrow 0.$$

In Proposition 5, we showed that $\overline{\epsilon}_5$ has order 2. Thus $\overline{\epsilon}_6$ has order 2. By [4, (2.1)] and [2, Proposition 4.1], we have $4\overline{\nu}_6 = \sigma'' \circ \eta_{13}$ and $\overline{\eta}_{13}$ has order 2. Therefore, we conclude that $4\overline{\nu}_6 = \sigma'' \circ \overline{\eta}_{13}$ has order 2. It implies that the 2-primary exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_{16}\{\Delta(\sigma_{13})\} \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{10}p^*} [\Sigma^{10}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^6]_{(2)} \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{10}i^*} \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{4\overline{\nu}_6, \epsilon_6\} \rightarrow 0$$

is split. Now consider the 3-primary parts

$$0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_3\{[\iota_6, \iota_6] \circ \alpha_2(11)\} \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{10}p^*} [\Sigma^{10}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^6]_{(3)} \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{10}i^*} \mathbb{Z}_3\{[\iota_6, \iota_6] \circ \alpha_1(11)\} \rightarrow 0.$$

By Theorem 3, we have $3\overline{\alpha_1(11)} = \overline{\alpha_1(11)} \circ 24\Sigma^{10}\iota_H = \overline{\alpha_1(11)} \circ \Sigma^{10}i \circ \overline{24\iota_{14}} + \overline{\alpha_1(11)} \circ \overline{24\iota_{17}} \circ \Sigma^{10}p = \alpha_1(11) \circ \overline{24\iota_{14}} + \overline{\alpha_1(11)} \circ \overline{24\iota_{17}} \circ \Sigma^{10}p$.

By [2, Theorem 2.7], we have $\alpha_1(11) \circ \overline{24\iota_{14}} \in \{\alpha_1(11), 24\iota_{14}, \alpha_1(14)\} \circ \Sigma^{10}p$. Since $\alpha_2(11)$ has order 3, we have

$$-\alpha_2(11) = 8\alpha_2(11) \in 8\{\alpha_1(11), 3\iota_{14}, \alpha_1(14)\} = \{\alpha_1(11), 24\iota_{14}, \alpha_1(14)\}$$

by [8, Lemma 13.5]. Then, we have

$$\alpha_1(11) \circ \overline{24\iota_{14}} \in \{\alpha_1(11), 24\iota_{14}, \alpha_1(14)\} \circ \Sigma^{10}p \ni -\alpha_2(11) \circ \Sigma^{10}p \pmod{0},$$

that is, $\alpha_1(11) \circ \overline{24\iota_{14}} = -\alpha_2(11) \circ \Sigma^{10}p$.

By Theorem 2, we have $\alpha_1(11) \circ \overline{24\iota_{17}} \in \{\alpha_1(11), \alpha_1(14), 24\iota_{17}\}$. From [8, (13.8)], we have $(1/2)\alpha_2(11) \in \{\alpha_1(11), \alpha_1(14), 3\iota_{17}\}$ and so, we have

$$\alpha_2(11) = 4\alpha_2(11) \in 8\{\alpha_1(11), \alpha_1(14), 3\iota_{17}\} = \{\alpha_1(11), \alpha_1(14), 24\iota_{17}\}.$$

Thus, we have

$$\overline{\alpha_1(11)} \circ \overline{24\iota_{17}} \in \{\alpha_1(11), \alpha_1(14), 24\iota_{17}\} \ni \alpha_1(11) \pmod{0},$$

that is, $\overline{\alpha_1(11)} \circ \overline{24\iota_{17}} = \alpha_2(11)$. Thus, we have

$$3\overline{\alpha_1(11)} = \alpha_1(11) \circ \overline{24\iota_{14}} + \overline{\alpha_1(11)} \circ \overline{24\iota_{17}} \circ \Sigma^{10}p \\ = -\alpha_2(11) \circ \Sigma^{10}p + \alpha_2(11) \circ \Sigma^{10}p \\ = 0.$$

Consequently, $\overline{\alpha_1(11)}$ has order 3, and so has $[\iota_6, \iota_6] \circ \overline{\alpha_1(11)}$. Therefore, we have

$$[\Sigma^{10}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^6]_{(3)} = \mathbb{Z}_3^2\{[\iota_6, \iota_6] \circ \overline{\alpha_1(11)}, [\iota_6, \iota_6] \circ \alpha_2(11) \circ \Sigma^{10}p\}. \quad \square$$

Proposition 7. (1) $[\Sigma^{11}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^7] = \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\sigma' \circ \overline{\eta_{14}}, \overline{\epsilon_7}\}$.

(2) $[\Sigma^{12}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^8] = \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\sigma_8 \circ \overline{\eta_{15}}, (E\sigma') \circ \overline{\eta_{15}}, \overline{\epsilon_8}\}$.

(3) $[\Sigma^{13}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^9] = \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\sigma_9 \circ \overline{\eta_{16}}, \overline{\epsilon_9}\}$.

Proof. (1) Consider the homomorphisms $\nu_{16}^* : \pi_{16}(S^7) \rightarrow \pi_{19}(S^7)$ and $\nu_{15}^* : \pi_{15}(S^7) \rightarrow \pi_{18}(S^7)$ related to the (11, 7)-type short exact sequence. Since $\pi_{19}(S^7) = 0$, $\text{Coker}\nu_{16}^* = 0$. Moreover, for the homomorphism

$$\nu_{15}^* : \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\sigma' \circ \eta_{14}, \bar{\nu}_7, \epsilon_7\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_8\{\zeta_7\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\{\bar{\nu}_7 \circ \nu_{15}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_7 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_9,$$

we have $\nu_{15}^*(\sigma' \circ \eta_{14}) = 0$, $\nu_{15}^*(\bar{\nu}_7) = \bar{\nu}_7 \circ \nu_{15}$, and $\nu_{15}^*(\epsilon_7) = E(\epsilon_6 \circ \nu_{14}) = E0 = 0$ from Proposition 6. Therefore, we have $\text{Ker}\nu_{15}^* = \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\sigma' \circ \eta_{14}, \epsilon_7\}$. Thus, we obtain the following short exact sequence from the (11, 7)-type short exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow [\Sigma^{11}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^7] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{11}i^*} \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\sigma' \circ \eta_{14}, \epsilon_7\} \rightarrow 0.$$

(2) Consider the homomorphisms $\nu_{17}^* : \pi_{17}(S^8) \rightarrow \pi_{20}(S^8)$ and $\nu_{16}^* : \pi_{16} \rightarrow \pi_{19}(S^8)$ related to the (12, 8)-type short exact sequence. Since $\pi_{20}(S^8) = 0$, $\text{Coker}\nu_{17}^* = 0$. For the homomorphism

$$\nu_{16}^* : \mathbb{Z}_2^4\{\sigma_8 \circ \eta_{15}, (E\sigma') \circ \eta_{15}, \bar{\nu}_8, \epsilon_8\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_8\{\zeta_8\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\{\bar{\nu}_8 \circ \nu_{16}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_7 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_9,$$

we have $\nu_{16}^*(\sigma_8 \circ \eta_{15}) = 0$, $\nu_{16}^*((E\sigma') \circ \eta_{15}) = 0$, $\nu_{16}^*(\bar{\nu}_8) = \bar{\nu}_8 \circ \nu_{16}$, and $\nu_{16}^*(\epsilon_8) = \epsilon_8 \circ \nu_{16} = E^2(\epsilon_6 \circ \nu_{14}) = 0$ from Proposition 6. Thus, we have $\text{Ker}\nu_{16}^* = \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\sigma_8 \circ \eta_{15}, (E\sigma') \circ \eta_{15}, \epsilon_8\}$, which leads to the short exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow [\Sigma^{12}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^8] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{12}i^*} \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\sigma_8 \circ \eta_{15}, (E\sigma') \circ \eta_{15}, \epsilon_8\} \rightarrow 0.$$

(3) Consider the homomorphisms $\nu_{18}^* : \pi_{18}(S^9) \rightarrow \pi_{21}(S^9)$ and $\nu_{17}^* : \pi_{17}(S^9) \rightarrow \pi_{20}(S^9)$ related to the (13, 9)-type short exact sequence. Since $\pi_{21}(S^9) = 0$, $\text{Coker}\nu_{18}^* = 0$. Moreover, for the homomorphism

$$\nu_{17}^* : \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\sigma_9 \circ \eta_{16}, \bar{\nu}_9, \epsilon_9\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_8\{\zeta_9\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\{\bar{\nu}_9 \circ \nu_{17}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_7 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_9,$$

we have $\nu_{17}^*(\sigma_9 \circ \eta_{16}) = 0$, $\nu_{17}^*(\bar{\nu}_9) = \bar{\nu}_9 \circ \nu_{17}$, and $\nu_{17}^*(\epsilon_9) = \epsilon_9 \circ \nu_{17} = E(\epsilon_8 \circ \nu_{16}) = E0 = 0$ from Proposition 6. Thus, we have $\text{Ker}\nu_{17}^* = \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\sigma_9 \circ \eta_{16}, \epsilon_9\}$, and consequently, we obtain the following short exact sequence from the (13, 9)-type short exact sequence:

$$0 \rightarrow [\Sigma^{13}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^9] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{13}i^*} \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\sigma_9 \circ \eta_{16}, \epsilon_9\} \rightarrow 0. \quad \square$$

Proposition 8. (1) $[\Sigma^{14}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{10}] = \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\bar{\nu}_{10}, \bar{\epsilon}_{10}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\Delta(\alpha_1(21)) \circ \Sigma^{14}p\}$.
 (2) $[\Sigma^{15}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{11}] = \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\theta' \circ \Sigma^{15}p, \bar{\nu}_{11}, \bar{\epsilon}_{11}\}$.
 (3) $[\Sigma^{16}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{12}] = \mathbb{Z}_2^4\{(E\theta') \circ \Sigma^{16}p, \theta \circ \Sigma^{16}p, \bar{\nu}_{12}, \bar{\epsilon}_{12}\}$.
 (4) $[\Sigma^{17}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{13}] = \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{(E\theta) \circ \Sigma^{17}p, \bar{\nu}_{13}, \bar{\epsilon}_{13}\}$.
 (5) $[\Sigma^{n+4}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^n] = \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\bar{\nu}_n, \bar{\epsilon}_n\}$ for $n \geq 14$.

Proof. (1) Consider the (14, 10)-type short exact sequence:

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Coker}\nu_{19}^* \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{14}p^*} [\Sigma^{14}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{10}] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{14}i^*} \text{Ker}\nu_{18}^* \rightarrow 0,$$

where $\nu_{19}^* : \pi_{19}(S^{10}) \rightarrow \pi_{22}(S^{10})$ and $\nu_{18}^* : \pi_{18}(S^{10}) \rightarrow \pi_{21}(S^{10})$ are homomorphisms induced by ν_{19} and ν_{18} , respectively. These homomorphisms can be restated as follows:

$$\nu_{19}^* : \mathbb{Z}\{\Delta(\iota_{21})\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\nu_{10}^3, \mu_{10}, \eta_{10} \circ \epsilon_{11}\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_4\{\Delta(\nu_{21})\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\Delta(\alpha_1(21))\}$$

by [8, Proposition 2.5, Theorem 7.2, Proposition 13.6] and

$$\nu_{18}^* : \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\bar{\nu}_{10}, \epsilon_{10}\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_8\{\zeta_{10}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_9 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_7,$$

respectively. Then, we have $\nu_{19}^*(\Delta(\iota_{21})) = \Delta(\iota_{21}) \circ \nu_{19} = \Delta(\iota_{21} \circ \nu_{21}) = \Delta(\nu_{21})$ by [8, Propostion 2.5]. Moreover, since $\nu_{10}^3 \circ \nu_{19} = 0$, $\mu_{10} \circ \nu_{19} = 0$, and $\eta_{10} \circ \epsilon_{11} \circ \nu_{19} = 0$, we have $\text{Coker}\nu_{19}^* = \mathbb{Z}_3\{\Delta(\alpha_1(21))\}$. Since $\Delta(\nu_{19}) = \bar{\nu}_9 \circ \nu_{17}$ by [8, (7.22)], $\bar{\nu}_{10} \circ \nu_{18} = E\Delta(\nu_{19}) = 0$, and $\nu_{18}^*(\epsilon_{10}) = 0$, we have $\text{Ker}\nu_{18}^* = \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\bar{\nu}_{10}, \epsilon_{10}\}$. Consequently, we have the split short exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_3\{\Delta(\alpha_1(21))\} \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{14}p^*} [\Sigma^{14}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{10}] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{14}i^*} \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\bar{\nu}_{10}, \epsilon_{10}\} \rightarrow 0.$$

(2) We can show that $\nu_{20}^* : \pi_{20}(S^{11}) \rightarrow \pi_{23}(S^{11})$ and $\nu_{19}^* : \pi_{19}(S^{11}) \rightarrow \pi_{22}(S^{11})$ are trivial by using approaches similar to those used for (1). Hence, we obtain the following short exact sequence from the (15, 11)-type short exact sequence:

$$0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2\{\theta'\} \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{15}p^*} [\Sigma^{15}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{11}] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{15}i^*} \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\bar{\nu}_{11}, \epsilon_{11}\} \rightarrow 0.$$

Consider the following commutative diagram:

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} 0 & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{Z}_3\{\Delta(\alpha_1(21))\}_{(2)} & \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{14}p^*} & [\Sigma^{14}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{10}]_{(2)} & \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{14}i^*} & \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\bar{\nu}_{10}, \epsilon_{10}\} \longrightarrow 0 \\ & & \downarrow \Sigma_1 & & \downarrow \Sigma_2 & & \downarrow \Sigma_3 \\ 0 & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{Z}_2\{\theta'\} & \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{15}p^*} & [\Sigma^{15}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{11}] & \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{15}i^*} & \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\bar{\nu}_{11}, \epsilon_{11}\} \longrightarrow 0, \end{array}$$

where Σ_1, Σ_2 , and Σ_3 are homomorphisms induced by Freudenthal's homomorphisms.

Since the first row splits and Σ_3 is an isomorphism, the second row also splits.

(3) By using the same approach as in (1) and (2), we obtain the following split short exact sequence from the (16, 12)-type short exact sequence:

$$0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\theta, E\theta'\} \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{16}p^*} [\Sigma^{16}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{12}] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{16}i^*} \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\bar{\nu}_{12}, \epsilon_{12}\} \rightarrow 0.$$

(4) By using the same approach as in (1)~(3), we obtain the following split short exact sequence from the (17, 13)-type short exact sequence:

$$0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2\{E\theta\} \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{17}p^*} [\Sigma^{17}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{13}] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{17}i^*} \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\bar{\nu}_{13}, \epsilon_{13}\} \rightarrow 0.$$

(5) Consider the homomorphisms $\nu_{23}^* : \pi_{23}(S^{14}) \rightarrow \pi_{26}(S^{14})$ and $\nu_{22}^* : \pi_{22}(S^{14}) \rightarrow \pi_{25}(S^{14})$ related to the (18, 14)-type short exact sequence. Since $\text{Coker}\nu_{23}^* = 0$ and ν_{22}^* is a trivial homomorphism, we obtain the following short exact sequence from the (18, 14)-type short exact sequence:

$$0 \rightarrow [\Sigma^{18}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{14}] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{18}i^*} \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\bar{\nu}_{14}, \epsilon_{14}\} \rightarrow 0.$$

The suspension homomorphism

$$\Sigma : [\Sigma^{n+4}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^n] \rightarrow [\Sigma^{n+5}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{n+1}]$$

is isomorphic for $n + 12 < 2n - 1$ (that is, $13 < n$), since $\Sigma^{n+4}\mathbb{H}P^2$ is an $(n + 12)$ -dimensional CW-complex and S^n is $(n - 1)$ -connected. Thus, the proof is complete according to above fact. \square

5. Computation of $[\Sigma^{n+5}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^n]$ for $n \geq 2$

In this section, we compute the n -th cohomotopy groups of $(n + 5)$ -fold suspended quaternionic projective planes.

Proposition 9. $[\Sigma^7\mathbb{H}P^2, S^2] = \mathbb{Z}_2\{\eta_2 \circ \nu' \circ \mu_6 \circ \Sigma^7 p\}$.

Proof. By Proposition 1(1) and (2.2), the proof is complete. \square

Proposition 10. (1) $[\Sigma^8\mathbb{H}P^2, S^3] = \mathbb{Z}_2\{\nu' \circ \eta_6 \circ \mu_7 \circ \Sigma^8 p\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\{\epsilon_3 \circ \overline{\eta_{11}}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_2(3) \circ \Sigma^8 p\}$.

(2) $[\Sigma^9\mathbb{H}P^2, S^4] = \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\nu_4 \circ \eta_7 \circ \mu_8 \circ \Sigma^9 p, (E\nu') \circ \eta_7 \circ \mu_8 \circ \Sigma^9 p, \epsilon_4 \circ \overline{\eta_{12}}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3^2\{\alpha_1(4) \circ \beta_1(7) \circ \Sigma^9 p, [\iota_4, \iota_4] \circ \beta_1(7) \circ \Sigma^9 p\}$.

Proof. Now, we consider the $(8, 3)$ -type short exact sequence:

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Coker}\nu_{13}^* \xrightarrow{\Sigma^8 p^*} [\Sigma^8\mathbb{H}P^2, S^3] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^8 i^*} \text{Ker}\nu_{12}^* \rightarrow 0,$$

where $\nu_{13}^* : \pi_{13}(S^3) \rightarrow \pi_{16}(S^3)$ and $\nu_{12}^* : \pi_{12}(S^3) \rightarrow \pi_{15}(S^3)$ are the homomorphisms induced originally by the Hopf fibration $\nu_4 : S^7 \rightarrow S^3$. These homomorphisms can be restated as follows:

$$\nu_{13}^* : \mathbb{Z}_4\{\epsilon'\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\{\eta_3 \circ \mu_4\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_2(3)\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2\{\nu' \circ \eta_6 \circ \mu_7\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(3) \circ \beta_1(6)\}$$

and

$$\nu_{12}^* : \mathbb{Z}_2\{\mu_3\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\{\eta_3 \circ \epsilon_4\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2\{\nu' \circ \mu_6\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\{\nu' \circ \eta_6 \circ \epsilon_7\},$$

respectively. Then, we have $\nu_{13}^*(\nu') = 0$ by [4, Proposition (2.2)] and $\nu_{13}^*(\eta_3 \circ \mu_4) = \eta_3 \circ \mu_4 \circ \nu_{13} = \mu_3 \circ \eta_{12} \circ \nu_{13} = 0$ by [4, (2.1)] and [8, (5.9)], $\nu_{13}^*(\alpha_2(3)) = 0$. Moreover, $\nu_{12}^*(\mu_3) = \nu' \circ \eta_6 \circ \epsilon_7$ by [4, Proposition 2.2], and $\nu_{12}^*(\eta_3 \circ \epsilon_4) = \eta_3 \circ \epsilon_4 \circ \nu_{12} = \epsilon_3 \circ \eta_{11} \circ \nu_{12} = 0$ by [4, (2.1)] and [8, (5.9)]. Thus, we have $\text{Coker}\nu_{13}^* = \mathbb{Z}_2\{\nu' \circ \eta_6 \circ \mu_7\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(3) \circ \beta_1(6)\}$ and $\text{Ker}\nu_{12}^* = \mathbb{Z}_2\{\eta_3 \circ \epsilon_4\}$. Then, we have the short exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2\{\nu' \circ \eta_6 \circ \mu_7\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(3) \circ \beta_1(6)\} \xrightarrow{\Sigma^8 p^*} [\Sigma^8\mathbb{H}P^2, S^3] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^8 i^*} \mathbb{Z}_2\{\eta_3 \circ \epsilon_4\} \rightarrow 0.$$

Consider an extension $\epsilon_3 \circ \overline{\eta_{11}}$ of $\epsilon_3 \circ \eta_{11} = \eta_3 \circ \epsilon_4$ [4, (2.1)]. Since $\overline{\eta_{11}}$ has order 2, $\epsilon_3 \circ \overline{\eta_{11}}$ has order 2 [2, Proposition 4.1]. Therefore, the short exact sequence splits.

(2) Consider the $(9, 4)$ -type short exact sequence:

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Coker}\nu_{14}^* \xrightarrow{\Sigma^9 p^*} [\Sigma^9\mathbb{H}P^2, S^4] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^9 i^*} \text{Ker}\nu_{13}^* \rightarrow 0,$$

where $\nu_{14}^* : \pi_{14}(S^4) \rightarrow \pi_{17}(S^4)$ and $\nu_{13}^* : \pi_{13}(S^4) \rightarrow \pi_{16}(S^4)$ are the homomorphisms induced originally by the Hopf fibration $\nu_4 : S^7 \rightarrow S^3$. These homomorphisms can be restated as follows:

$$\nu_{14}^* : \mathbb{Z}_8\{\nu_4 \circ \sigma'\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_4\{E\epsilon'\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\{\eta_4 \circ \mu_5\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3^2 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_5 \rightarrow$$

$\mathbb{Z}_8\{\nu_4^2 \circ \sigma_{10}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\nu_4 \circ \eta_7 \circ \mu_8, (E\nu') \circ \eta_7 \circ \mu_8\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3^2\{\alpha_1(4) \circ \beta_1(7), [\iota_4, \iota_4] \circ \beta_1(7)\}$,
and

$$\nu_{13}^* : \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\nu_4^3, \mu_4, \eta_4 \circ \epsilon_5\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2^6\{\nu_4 \circ \sigma' \circ \eta_{14}^2, \nu_4^4, \nu_4 \circ \mu_7, \nu_4 \circ \eta_7 \circ \epsilon_8, (E\nu') \circ \mu_7, (E\nu') \circ \eta_7 \circ \epsilon_8\},$$

respectively. Then, we have

$$\nu_{14}^*(\nu_4 \circ \sigma') = \nu_4 \circ \sigma' \circ \nu_{14} = \nu_4 \circ (x\nu_7 \circ \sigma_{10}) = x(\nu_4^2 \circ \sigma_{10}),$$

where x is odd by [4, (2.1)]; thus, it has order 8. Moreover,

$$\nu_{14}^*(E\epsilon') = E(\epsilon' \circ \nu_{13}) = 0$$

by [4, (2.2) (7)] and $\nu_{14}^*(\eta_4 \circ \epsilon_5) = 0$. Thus, we have

$$\text{Coker}\nu_{14}^* = \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\nu_4 \circ \eta_7 \circ \mu_8, (E\nu') \circ \eta_7 \circ \mu_8\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3^2\{\alpha_1(4) \circ \beta_1(7), [\iota_4, \iota_4] \circ \beta_1(7)\}.$$

Since we also have that $\nu_{13}^*(\nu_4^3) = \nu_4^4$,

$$\nu_{13}^*(\mu_4) = E(\mu_3 \circ \nu_{12}) = E(\nu' \circ \eta_6 \circ \epsilon_7) = (E\nu') \circ \eta_7 \circ \epsilon_8,$$

and $\nu_{13}^*(\eta_4 \circ \epsilon_5) = 0$, we have $\text{Ker}\nu_{13}^* = \mathbb{Z}_2\{\eta_4 \circ \epsilon_5\}$. Thus, we have the short exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\nu_4 \circ \eta_7 \circ \mu_8, (E\nu') \circ \eta_7 \circ \mu_8\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3^2\{\alpha_1(4) \circ \beta_1(7), [\iota_4, \iota_4] \circ \beta_1(7)\} \xrightarrow{\Sigma^9 p^*} \xrightarrow{\Sigma^9 p^*} [\Sigma^9 \mathbb{H}P^2, S^4] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^9 i^*} \mathbb{Z}_2\{\eta_4 \circ \epsilon_5\} \rightarrow 0.$$

Since $\eta_4 \circ \epsilon_5 = \epsilon_4 \circ \eta_{12}$ and $\overline{\eta_{12}}$ has order 2, the extension $\epsilon_4 \circ \overline{\eta_{12}}$ also has order 2 by [4, (2.1)] and [2, Proposition 4.1]. Consequently, the short exact sequence splits. \square

Proposition 11.

$$[\Sigma^{10} \mathbb{H}P^2, S^5] = \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\nu_5 \circ \eta_8 \circ \mu_9 \circ \Sigma^{10} p, \overline{\mu_5}, \epsilon_5 \circ \overline{\eta_{13}}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(5) \circ \beta_1(8) \circ \Sigma^{10} p\}.$$

Proof. Consider the (10, 5)-type short exact sequence:

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Coker}\nu_{15}^* \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{10} p^*} [\Sigma^{10} \mathbb{H}P^2, S^5] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{10} i^*} \text{Ker}\nu_{14}^* \rightarrow 0,$$

where $\nu_{15}^* : \pi_{15}(S^5) \rightarrow \pi_{18}(S^5)$ and $\nu_{14}^* : \pi_{14}(S^5) \rightarrow \pi_{17}(S^5)$ are the homomorphisms induced originally by the Hopf fibration $\nu_4 : S^7 \rightarrow S^3$. These homomorphisms can be restated as follows:

$$\nu_{15}^* : \mathbb{Z}_8\{\nu_5 \circ \sigma_8\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\{\eta_5 \circ \mu_6\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_9\{\beta_1(5)\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\nu_5 \circ \sigma_8 \circ \nu_{15}, \nu_5 \circ \eta_8 \circ \mu_9\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(5) \circ \beta_1(8)\},$$

and

$$\nu_{14}^* : \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\nu_5^3, \mu_5, \eta_5 \circ \epsilon_6\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\nu_5^4, \nu_5 \circ \mu_8, \nu_5 \circ \eta_8 \circ \epsilon_9\},$$

respectively. Then, we have $\nu_{15}^*(\nu_5 \circ \sigma_8) = \nu_5 \circ \sigma_8 \circ \nu_{15}$ and $\nu_{15}^*(\eta_5 \circ \mu_6) = 0$. Thus, $\text{Coker}\nu_{15}^* = \mathbb{Z}_2\{\nu_5 \circ \eta_8 \circ \mu_9\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(5) \circ \beta_1(8)\}$. In addition, we have $\nu_{14}^*(\nu_5^3) = \nu_5^4$, $\nu_{14}^*(\mu_5) = E^2(\mu_3 \circ \nu_{12}) = E^2(\nu' \circ \eta_6 \circ \epsilon_7) = (E^2\nu') \circ \eta_8 \circ \epsilon_9 =$

$2\nu_5 \circ \eta_8 \circ \epsilon_9 = 0$ and $\nu_{14}^*(\eta_5 \circ \epsilon_6) = 0$. Thus, $\text{Ker}\nu_{14}^* = \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\mu_5, \eta_5 \circ \epsilon_6\}$, which gives the short exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2\{\nu_5 \circ \eta_8 \circ \mu_9\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_2(5)\} \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{10}p^*} [\Sigma^{10}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^5] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{10}i^*} \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\mu_5, \eta_5 \circ \epsilon_6\} \rightarrow 0.$$

Since the extension $\overline{\eta_{13}}$ has order 2 [2, Proposition 4.1(4)], the extension $\epsilon_5 \circ \overline{\eta_{13}}$ of $\epsilon_5 \circ \eta_{13} (= \eta_5 \circ \epsilon_6)$ also has order 2. We know that $H(\mu') = \mu_5$ [8] and $\mu' \circ \nu_{14} = 0$ by [4, Proposition (2.4)(1)]. Thus, we have an extension $\overline{\mu'}$ \in $[\Sigma^{10}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^5]$. Denote $\overline{\mu_5} = H(\overline{\mu'})$. Suppose that $[\Sigma^{10}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^5]$ is isomorphic to $\mathbb{Z}_4 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2$. We know that the extension $\epsilon_5 \circ \overline{\eta_{13}}$ of $\epsilon_5 \circ \eta_{13}$ is of order 2. Thus, we have $\nu_5 \circ \eta_8 \circ \mu_9 \circ \Sigma^{10}p = 2\overline{\mu_5}$. Then, $0 = \Delta \circ H(2\overline{\mu'}) = \Delta(2H(\overline{\mu'})) = \Delta(2\overline{\mu_5}) = \Delta(\nu_5 \circ \eta_8 \circ \mu_9 \circ \Sigma^{10}p) = \Delta(\nu_5) \circ \eta_6 \circ \mu_7 \circ \Sigma^8p = \eta_2 \circ \nu' \circ \eta_6 \circ \mu_7 \circ \Sigma^8p$ by [8]. This is a contradiction, since $\eta_2 \circ \nu' \circ \eta_6 \circ \mu_7 \circ \Sigma^8p$ has order 2. Thus, the short exact sequence splits. \square

- Proposition 12.** (1) $[\Sigma^{11}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^6] = \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\overline{\nu_6^3}, \overline{\mu_6}, \epsilon_6 \circ \overline{\eta_{14}}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(6) \circ \beta_1(9) \circ \Sigma^{11}p\}$.
 (2) $[\Sigma^{12}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^7] = \mathbb{Z}_2^4\{\sigma' \circ \overline{\eta_{14}^2}, \overline{\nu_7^3}, \overline{\mu_7}, \epsilon_7 \circ \overline{\eta_{15}}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(7) \circ \beta_1(10) \circ \Sigma^{12}p\}$.
 (3) $[\Sigma^{13}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^8] = \mathbb{Z}_2^5\{\sigma_8 \circ \overline{\eta_{15}^2}, (E\sigma') \circ \overline{\eta_{15}^2}, \overline{\nu_8^3}, \overline{\mu_8}, \epsilon_8 \circ \overline{\eta_{15}}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(8) \circ \beta_1(11) \circ \Sigma^{13}p\}$.
 (4) $[\Sigma^{14}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^9] = \mathbb{Z}_2^4\{\sigma_9 \circ \overline{\eta_{16}^2}, \overline{\nu_9^3}, \overline{\mu_9}, \epsilon_9 \circ \overline{\eta_{16}}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(9) \circ \beta_1(12) \circ \Sigma^{14}p\}$.
 (5) $[\Sigma^{15}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{10}] = \mathbb{Z}\{4\Delta(\iota_{21})\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\overline{\nu_{10}^3}, \overline{\mu_{10}}, \epsilon_{10} \circ \overline{\eta_{18}}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(10) \circ \beta_1(13) \circ \Sigma^{10}p\}$.

Proof. (1) Consider the (11, 6)-type short exact sequence:

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Coker}\nu_{16}^* \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{11}p^*} [\Sigma^{11}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^6] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{11}i^*} \text{Ker}\nu_{15}^* \rightarrow 0,$$

where $\nu_{16}^* : \pi_{16}(S^6) \rightarrow \pi_{19}(S^6)$ and $\nu_{15}^* : \pi_{15}(S^6) \rightarrow \pi_{18}(S^6)$ are the homomorphisms induced originally by the Hopf fibration $\nu_4 : S^7 \rightarrow S^3$. These homomorphisms can be restated as follows:

$$\nu_{16}^* : \mathbb{Z}_8\{\nu_6 \circ \sigma_9\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\{\eta_6 \circ \mu_7\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_9\{\beta_1(6)\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2\{\nu_6 \circ \sigma_9 \circ \nu_{16}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(6) \circ \beta_1(9)\}$$

and

$$\nu_{15}^* : \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\nu_6^3, \mu_6, \eta_6 \circ \epsilon_7\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_{16}\{\Delta(\sigma_{13})\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_5,$$

respectively. Then, we have $\nu_{16}^*(\nu_6 \circ \sigma_9) = \nu_6 \circ \sigma_9 \circ \nu_{16}$ and $\nu_{16}^*(\eta_6 \circ \mu_7) = 0$. Thus, we have $\text{Coker}\nu_{16}^* = \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(6) \circ \beta_1(9)\}$. Moreover, since $\nu_{15}^*(\nu_6^3) = 0$, $\nu_{15}^*(\mu_6) = 0$ and $\nu_{15}^*(\eta_6 \circ \epsilon_7) = 0$, we have $\text{Ker}\nu_{15}^* = \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\nu_6^3, \mu_6, \eta_6 \circ \epsilon_7\}$. Thus, we have a split short exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(6) \circ \beta_1(9)\} \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{11}p^*} [\Sigma^{11}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^6] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{11}i^*} \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\nu_6^3, \mu_6, \eta_6 \circ \epsilon_7\} \rightarrow 0.$$

(2) Consider the (12, 7)-type short exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Coker}\nu_{17}^* \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{12}p^*} [\Sigma^{12}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^7] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{12}i^*} \text{Ker}\nu_{16}^* \rightarrow 0,$$

where $\nu_{17}^* : \pi_{17}(S^7) \rightarrow \pi_{20}(S^7)$ and $\nu_{16}^* : \pi_{16}(S^7) \rightarrow \pi_{19}(S^7) (\cong 0)$ are the homomorphisms induced originally by the Hopf fibration $\nu_4 : S^7 \rightarrow S^3$. ν_{17}^* can be restated as follows:

$$\nu_{17}^* : \mathbb{Z}_8\{\nu_7 \circ \sigma_{10}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\{\eta_7 \circ \mu_8\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\beta_1(7)\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2\{\nu_7 \circ \sigma_{10} \circ \nu_{17}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(7) \circ \beta_1(10)\}.$$

Then, we have $\nu_{17}^*(\nu_7 \circ \sigma_{10}) = \nu_7 \circ \sigma_{10} \circ \nu_{17}$ and $\nu_{17}^*(\eta_7 \circ \mu_8) = 0$. Hence, $\text{Coker}\nu_{17}^* = \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(7) \circ \beta_1(10)\}$ and $\text{Ker}\nu_{16}^* = \pi_{16}(S^7) = \mathbb{Z}_2^4\{\sigma' \circ \eta_{14}^2, \nu_7^3, \mu_7, \eta_7 \circ \epsilon_8\}$. Thus, we have a split short exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(7) \circ \beta_1(10)\} \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{11}p^*} [\Sigma^{11}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^6] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{11}i^*} \mathbb{Z}_2^4\{\sigma' \circ \eta_{14}^2, \nu_7^3, \mu_7, \eta_7 \circ \epsilon_8\} \rightarrow 0.$$

(3) Consider the (13, 8)-type short exact sequence:

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Coker}\nu_{18}^* \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{13}p^*} [\Sigma^{13}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^8] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{13}i^*} \text{Ker}\nu_{17}^* \rightarrow 0,$$

where $\nu_{18}^* : \pi_{18}(S^8) \rightarrow \pi_{21}(S^8)$ and $\nu_{17}^* : \pi_{17}(S^8) \rightarrow \pi_{20}(S^8) \cong 0$ are the homomorphisms induced originally by the Hopf fibration $\nu_4 : S^7 \rightarrow S^3$. ν_{18}^* can be restated as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \nu_{18}^* : \mathbb{Z}_8^2\{\sigma_8 \circ \nu_{15}, \nu_8 \circ \sigma_{11}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\{\eta_8 \circ \mu_9\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3^2 &\rightarrow \\ \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\sigma_8 \circ \nu_{15}^2, \nu_8 \circ \sigma_{11} \circ \nu_{18}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(8) \circ \beta_1(11)\}. & \end{aligned}$$

Then, we have $\nu_{18}^*(\sigma_8 \circ \nu_{15}) = \sigma_8 \circ \nu_{15}^2$, $\nu_{18}^*(\nu_8 \circ \sigma_{11}) = \nu_8 \circ \sigma_{11} \circ \nu_{18}$, and $\nu_{18}^*(\eta_8 \circ \mu_9) = 0$. Thus, we have $\text{Coker}\nu_{18}^* = \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(8) \circ \beta_1(11)\}$ and $\text{Ker}\nu_{17}^* = \pi_{17}(S^8) = \mathbb{Z}_2^5\{\sigma_8 \circ \eta_{15}^2, (E\sigma') \circ \eta_{15}^2, \nu_8^3, \mu_8, \eta_8 \circ \epsilon_9\}$. Therefore, we have a split short exact sequence

$$\begin{aligned} 0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(8) \circ \beta_1(11)\} \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{11}p^*} [\Sigma^{11}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^6] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{11}i^*} \\ \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{11}i^*} \mathbb{Z}_2^5\{\sigma_8 \circ \eta_{15}^2, (E\sigma') \circ \eta_{15}^2, \nu_8^3, \mu_8, \eta_8 \circ \epsilon_9\} \rightarrow 0. \end{aligned}$$

(4) Consider the (14, 9)-type short exact sequence:

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Coker}\nu_{19}^* \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{14}p^*} [\Sigma^{14}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^9] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{14}i^*} \text{Ker}\nu_{18}^* \rightarrow 0,$$

where $\nu_{19}^* : \pi_{19}(S^9) \rightarrow \pi_{22}(S^9)$ and $\nu_{18}^* : \pi_{18}(S^9) \rightarrow \pi_{21}(S^9) \cong 0$ are the homomorphisms induced originally by the Hopf fibration $\nu_4 : S^7 \rightarrow S^3$. ν_{19}^* can be restated as follows:

$$\nu_{19}^* : \mathbb{Z}_8\{\sigma_9 \circ \nu_{16}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\{\eta_9 \circ \mu_{10}\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2\{\sigma_9 \circ \nu_{16}^2\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(9) \circ \beta_1(12)\}.$$

Then, we have $\nu_{19}^*(\sigma_9 \circ \nu_{16}) = \sigma_9 \circ \nu_{16}^2$ and $\nu_{19}^*(\eta_9 \circ \mu_{10}) = 0$. Hence, $\text{Coker}\nu_{19}^* = \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(9) \circ \beta_1(12)\}$ and $\text{Ker}\nu_{18}^* = \pi_{18}(S^9) = \mathbb{Z}_2^4\{\sigma_9 \circ \eta_{16}^2, \nu_9^3, \mu_9, \eta_9 \circ \epsilon_{10}\}$. Thus, we have a split short exact sequence

$$\begin{aligned} 0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(9) \circ \beta_1(12)\} \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{11}p^*} [\Sigma^{14}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^9] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{11}i^*} \\ \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{14}i^*} \mathbb{Z}_2^4\{\sigma_9 \circ \eta_{16}^2, \nu_9^3, \mu_9, \eta_9 \circ \epsilon_{10}\} \rightarrow 0. \end{aligned}$$

(5) Consider the (15, 9)-type short exact sequence:

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Coker}\nu_{20}^* \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{15}p^*} [\Sigma^{15}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{10}] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{15}i^*} \text{Ker}\nu_{19}^* \rightarrow 0,$$

where $\nu_{20}^* : \pi_{20}(S^{10}) \rightarrow \pi_{23}(S^{10})$ and $\nu_{19}^* : \pi_{19}(S^{10}) \rightarrow \pi_{22}(S^{10})$ are the homomorphisms induced originally by the Hopf fibration $\nu_4 : S^7 \rightarrow S^3$. These homomorphisms can be restated as follows: $\nu_{20}^* : \mathbb{Z}_4\{\sigma_{10} \circ \nu_{17}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\{\eta_{10} \circ \mu_{11}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\beta_1(10)\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2\{\sigma_{10} \circ \nu_{17}^2\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(10) \circ \beta_1(13)\}$ and

$$\nu_{19}^* : \mathbb{Z}\{\Delta(\iota_{21})\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\nu_{10}^3, \mu_{10}, \eta_{10} \circ \epsilon_{11}\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_4\{\Delta(\nu_{21})\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3.$$

Then, we have $\nu_{20}^*(\sigma_{10} \circ \nu_{17}) = \sigma_{10} \circ \nu_{17}^2$ and $\nu_{20}^*(\eta_{10} \circ \mu_{11}) = 0$. Thus, we have $\text{Coker}\nu_{20}^* = \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(10) \circ \beta_1(13)\}$.

In addition, we have $\nu_{19}^*(\Delta(\iota_{21})) = \Delta(\iota_{21}) \circ \nu_{19} = \Delta(\nu_{21})$, $\nu_{19}^*(\nu_{10}^3) = 0$, $\nu_{19}^*(\mu_{10}) = 0$, and $\nu_{19}^*(\eta_{10} \circ \epsilon_{11}) = 0$. Thus, we have $\text{Ker}\nu_{19}^* = \mathbb{Z}\{4\Delta(\iota_{21})\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\nu_{10}^3, \mu_{10}, \eta_{10} \circ \epsilon_{11}\}$. Therefore, we have a split short exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(10) \circ \beta_1(13)\} \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{15}p^*} [\Sigma^{15}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{10}] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{15}i^*} \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{15}i^*} \mathbb{Z}\{4\Delta(\iota_{21})\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\nu_{10}^3, \mu_{10}, \eta_{10} \circ \epsilon_{11}\} \rightarrow 0. \quad \square$$

Proposition 13. (1) $[\Sigma^{16}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{11}] = \mathbb{Z}_2^4\{\theta' \circ \eta_{23} \circ \Sigma^{16}, \overline{\nu_{11}^3}, \overline{\mu_{11}}, \eta_{11} \circ \overline{\epsilon_{12}}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(11) \circ \beta_1(14) \circ \Sigma^{16}p\}$.

(2) $[\Sigma^{17}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{12}] = \mathbb{Z}_4^2\{\overline{\nu_{12}^3}, \overline{\mu_{12}}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\{\epsilon_{12} \circ \overline{\eta_{13}}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(12) \circ \beta_1(15) \circ \Sigma^{17}p\}$.

(3) $[\Sigma^{18}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{13}] = \mathbb{Z}_4\{\nu_{13}^3\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\overline{\mu_{13}}, \epsilon_{13} \circ \overline{\eta_{21}}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(13) \circ \beta_1(16) \circ \Sigma^{18}p\}$.

(4) $[\Sigma^{19}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{14}] = \mathbb{Z}\{\Delta(\iota_{29}) \circ \Sigma^{19}p\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\nu_{14}^3, \overline{\mu_{14}}, \epsilon_{14} \circ \overline{\eta_{22}}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(14) \circ \beta_1(17) \circ \Sigma^{19}p\}$.

(5) $[\Sigma^{n+5}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^n] = \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\overline{\nu_n^3}, \overline{\mu_n}, \epsilon_n \circ \overline{\eta_{n+8}}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(n) \circ \beta_1(n+3) \circ \Sigma^{n+5}p\}$ for $n \geq 15$.

Proof. (1) Consider the (16, 11)-type short exact sequence:

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Coker}\nu_{21}^* \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{16}p^*} [\Sigma^{16}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{11}] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{16}i^*} \text{Ker}\nu_{20}^* \rightarrow 0,$$

where $\nu_{21}^* : \pi_{21}(S^{11}) \rightarrow \pi_{24}(S^{11})$ and $\nu_{20}^* : \pi_{20}(S^{11}) \rightarrow \pi_{23}(S^{11})$ are the homomorphisms induced originally by the Hopf fibration $\nu_4 : S^7 \rightarrow S^3$. These homomorphisms can be restated as follows:

$$\nu_{21}^* : \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\sigma_{11} \circ \nu_{18}, \eta_{11} \circ \mu_{12}\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\theta' \circ \eta_{23}, \sigma_{11} \circ \nu_{18}^2\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(11) \circ \beta_1(14)\}$$

and

$$\nu_{20}^* : \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\nu_{11}^3, \mu_{11}, \eta_{11} \circ \epsilon_{12}\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2\{\theta'\},$$

respectively. Then, we have $\nu_{21}^*(\sigma_{11} \circ \nu_{18}) = \sigma_{11} \circ \nu_{18}^2$ and $\nu_{21}^*(\eta_{11} \circ \mu_{12}) = 0$. Thus, we have $\text{Coker}\nu_{21}^* = \mathbb{Z}_2\{\theta' \circ \eta_{23}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(11) \circ \beta_1(14)\}$. Moreover, since $\nu_{20}^*(\nu_{11}^3) = 0$, $\nu_{20}^*(\mu_{11}) = 0$, and $\nu_{20}^*(\eta_{11} \circ \epsilon_{12}) = 0$, we have $\text{Ker}\nu_{20}^* = \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\nu_{11}^3, \mu_{11}, \eta_{11} \circ \epsilon_{12}\}$. Therefore, we have the short exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2\{\theta' \circ \eta_{23}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(11) \circ \beta_1(14)\} \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{16}p^*} [\Sigma^{16}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{11}] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{16}i^*} \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{16}i^*} \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\nu_{11}^3, \mu_{11}, \eta_{11} \circ \epsilon_{12}\} \rightarrow 0.$$

We now consider a generalized EHP-sequence

$$[\Sigma^{17}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{21}]_{(2)} \xrightarrow{\Delta} [\Sigma^{15}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{10}]_{(2)} \xrightarrow{E} [\Sigma^{16}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{11}]_{(2)} \xrightarrow{H} [\Sigma^{16}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{21}]_{(2)},$$

where $[\Sigma^{17}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{21}]_{(2)} = \mathbb{Z}\{\overline{8\iota_{21}}\}$, $[\Sigma^{16}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{21}]_{(2)} = 0$, and

$$[\Sigma^{15}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{10}]_{(2)} = \mathbb{Z}\{\overline{4\Delta(\iota_{21})}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\overline{\nu_{10}^3}, \overline{\mu_{10}}, \epsilon_{10} \circ \overline{\eta_{18}}\}$$

by [7, Theorem 4.5, Theorem 4.15] and Proposition 12(5). Clearly, $\Delta(\overline{8\iota_{21}}) = 2 \cdot 4\Delta(\iota_{21})$. Thus, we have

$$\begin{aligned} [\Sigma^{16}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{11}]_{(2)} &\cong [\Sigma^{15}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{10}]_{(2)}/\text{Ker}E \\ &= [\Sigma^{15}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{10}]_{(2)}/\text{Im}\Delta = \mathbb{Z} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2^3/2\mathbb{Z} \cong \mathbb{Z}_2^4. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, the above short exact sequence splits.

(2) Since two homomorphisms $\nu_{22}^* : \pi_{22}(S^{12}) \rightarrow \pi_{25}(S^{12})$ and $\nu_{21}^* : \pi_{21}(S^{12}) \rightarrow \pi_{24}(S^{12})$ are trivial, we obtain the following short exact sequence from the (17, 12)-type short exact sequence:

$$\begin{aligned} 0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\theta \circ \eta_{24}, (E\theta') \circ \eta_{24}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(12) \circ \beta_1(15)\} &\xrightarrow{\Sigma^{17}p^*} [\Sigma^{17}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{12}] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{17}i^*} \\ &\xrightarrow{\Sigma^{17}i^*} \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\nu_{12}^3, \mu_{12}, \eta_{12} \circ \epsilon_{13}\} \rightarrow 0. \end{aligned}$$

Consider the following commutative diagram:

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} 0 & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{Z}_2\{\theta' \circ \eta_{23}\} & \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{16}p^*} & [\Sigma^{16}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^5]_{(2)} & \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{16}i^*} & \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\nu_{11}^3, \mu_{11}, \eta_{11} \circ \epsilon_{12}\} \longrightarrow 0 \\ & & \downarrow \Sigma_1 & & \downarrow \Sigma_2 & & \downarrow \Sigma_3 \\ 0 & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{Z}_2^2\{\theta \circ \eta_{24}, (E\theta') \circ \eta_{24}\} & \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{17}p^*} & [\Sigma^{17}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{12}]_{(2)} & \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{17}i^*} & \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\nu_{12}^3, \mu_{12}, \eta_{12} \circ \epsilon_{13}\} \longrightarrow 0 \end{array}$$

Since the first row splits, the second row also splits.

(3) By using the same approach as in (2), we obtain the following split short exact sequence from (18, 13)-type short exact sequence:

$$\begin{aligned} 0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2\{(E\theta) \circ \eta_{25}\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(13) \circ \beta_1(16)\} &\xrightarrow{\Sigma^{18}p^*} [\Sigma^{18}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{13}] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{18}i^*} \\ &\xrightarrow{\Sigma^{18}i^*} \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\nu_{13}^3, \mu_{13}, \eta_{13} \circ \epsilon_{14}\} \rightarrow 0. \end{aligned}$$

(4) By using the same approach as in (2) and (3), we obtain the following split short exact sequence from the (19, 14)-type short exact sequence:

$$\begin{aligned} 0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}\{\Delta(\iota_{29})\} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(14) \circ \beta_1(17)\} &\xrightarrow{\Sigma^{18}p^*} [\Sigma^{18}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{13}] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{18}i^*} \\ &\xrightarrow{\Sigma^{18}i^*} \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\nu_{14}^3, \mu_{14}, \eta_{14} \circ \epsilon_{15}\} \rightarrow 0. \end{aligned}$$

(5) Since two homomorphisms $\nu_{25}^* : \pi_{25}(S^{15}) \rightarrow \pi_{28}(S^{15})$ and $\nu_{24}^* : \pi_{24}(S^{15}) \rightarrow \pi_{27}(S^{15}) \cong 0$ are trivial, we obtain the following split short exact sequence from the (20, 15)-type short exact sequence:

$$0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_3\{\alpha_1(15) \circ \beta_1(18)\} \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{18}p^*} [\Sigma^{20}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{15}] \xrightarrow{\Sigma^{18}i^*} \mathbb{Z}_2^3\{\nu_{15}^3, \mu_{15}, \eta_{15} \circ \epsilon_{16}\} \rightarrow 0.$$

The suspension homomorphism $\Sigma : [\Sigma^{n+5}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^n] \rightarrow [\Sigma^{n+5}\mathbb{H}P^2, S^{n+1}]$ is isomorphic for $n + 13 < 2n - 1$ (that is, $14 < n$), since $\Sigma^{n+5}\mathbb{H}P^2$ is an $(n + 13)$ -dimensional CW complex and S^n is $(n - 1)$ -connected. Thus, we have the desired result. \square

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