

BUNDLE MAP THEORY IN THE CATEGORY OF WEAK HAUSDORFF k -SPACES

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ABSTRACT. We generalize Theorem 2.1 of H. Ōshima and K. Tsukiyama [12] and prove Theorem 2.3 of I. M. James [7] without his condition. We identify the boundary homomorphism of the homotopy exact sequence of the evaluation fibration with the generalized Whitehead product. The new point is that we work not in the category of CW -complexes but in the category of well based weak Hausdorff k -spaces.

§0. INTRODUCTION

In §1 we introduce weak Hausdorff k -spaces. After studying numerable principal bundles in §2, we prove the function $\Phi : \text{map}^G(E, E') \rightarrow \text{map}(B, B')$ is continuous in §3, if spaces involved have the k -ification of the compact-open topology. Here $\text{map}^G(E, E')$ is the set of G -equivariant maps from a numerable principal G -space E to another E' , $\text{map}(B, B')$ is the set of maps from B to B' and Φ assigns the induced map on base spaces to each G -map. At the end of this section we give a reasonable topology on $\text{map}^G(E, E')$ which makes Φ continuous with respect to the compact-open topology of $\text{map}(B, B')$ and whose k -ification is the same as that of the k -ification of the compact-open topology of $\text{map}^G(E, E')$. In §4, by using of A. Dold [2] we prove that the k -ification of the space $\text{map}^G(E, EG)$ having the compact-open topology is contractible, where EG is the total space of a universal principal G -bundle. D. H. Gottlieb [5] proved this by a different method. We generalize Theorem 2.1 of H. Ōshima and K. Tsukiyama [12] and prove Theorem 2.3 of I. M. James [7] without his condition. In §5 we identify the boundary homomorphism of the homotopy exact sequence of the evaluation fibration with the generalized Whitehead product(see G. E. Lang [9]). The new

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point is that we work not in the category of CW -complexes but in the category of well based weak Hausdorff k -spaces. As a Corollary we generalize Theorem 2.2 of H. Ōshima and K. Tsukiyama [12]. In §6 we generalize Theorem 2.1 of I. M. James [7] to a theorem in the category of \mathcal{F} -spaces of J. P. May [10]. In §7 we slightly generalize the fibration map theory of [16](cf. [3], [4]).

§1. WEAK HAUSDORFF k -SPACES

The papers of [11], [14] and [15] show that why it is convenient to work in the category of weak Hausdorff k -spaces. We review this notion briefly. In this note compact means quasi-compact and Hausdorff, and a map is a continuous function(see Remark in §7).

A subset A of the topological space X is compactly closed if $f^{-1}(A)$ is closed for all compact spaces K and all maps $f : K \rightarrow X$. U is a regular open subset of a space X if each point of U has a neighborhood whose closure is contained in U .

Let us call a space X is a k -space if all compactly closed subsets are closed.

A space X is weak Hausdorff if $f(K)$ is closed for all compact spaces K and all maps $f : K \rightarrow X$. We let WH be the category of weak Hausdorff spaces and maps, and let $WHK(Top)$ be the category of weak Hausdorff k -spaces and maps (topological spaces and maps). And $WHK_*(Top_*)$ will denote the well-based category of the respective one. In particular, if X is a topological space, let $k(X)$ denote the space whose underlying set is that of X and whose closed sets are compactly closed subsets of X .

If $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is a function, we let $k(f) : k(X) \rightarrow k(Y)$ be the same function. Then k is a retraction functor from the category of all topological spaces onto the category of k -spaces. The weak Hausdorff property holds under the functor k .

Let A_r be the space given by a subset A of the space X with the relative topology. And if A is a subset of a k -space X , then the space $k(A_r)$ is called the k -subspace of X . If X and Y are spaces, let $X \otimes Y = k(X \times Y)$, where \times denotes the usual Cartesian product. It is easy to see that the quotient space of a k -space is a k -space. For pairs of spaces $(X, K), (Y, U)$ we denote by $W(K, U)$ the set of maps $f : X \rightarrow Y$ with $f(K) \subset U$. We consider $map(X, Y)$ as a topological space having the compact open topology, that is, the topology generated by the family of subsets $W(K, U)$ for all compact subsets K of X and all open subsets U of Y , unless otherwise stated. We set $Map(X, Y) = k(map(X, Y))$. The following lemma is used in §4.

Lemma 1.1. *If $u : A \rightarrow X$ and $v : A \rightarrow Y$ are maps in WHK , then the double mapping cylinder $M(u, v)$ is a weak Hausdorff k -space. In particular the mapping cylinder $M(u) = M(u, id_A)$ is a weak Hausdorff k -space.*

Proof. Recall that $M(u, v)$ is the quotient space of $I \times A + X + Y$ with respect to the relations

$$(0, a) \sim u(a), (1, a) \sim v(a) (a \in A).$$

Let $p : I \times A + X + Y \rightarrow M(u, v)$ be the projection. Since $I \times A + X + Y$ is a weak Hausdorff k -space, it suffices by [11, 2.4], to show that $(p \times p)^{-1}(\Delta M(u, v))$ is compactly closed. We have

$$(p \times p)^{-1}(\Delta_{M(u,v)}) = \{\Delta_{I \times A} \cup Z\} + \Delta_X + \Delta_Y + \\ \text{Im}(u_1) + \text{Im}(u_2) + \text{Im}(v_1) + \text{Im}(v_2)\},$$

where Z is the union of $\cup[\{0\} \times u^{-1}(x) \times \{0\} \times u^{-1}(x) \mid x \in X]$ and $[\{1\} \times v^{-1}(y) \times \{1\} \times v^{-1}(y) \mid y \in Y]$, and $u_1 : A \rightarrow I \times A \times X, u_2 : A \rightarrow X \times I \times A, v_1 : A \rightarrow I \times A \times Y, v_2 : A \rightarrow Y \times I \times A$ are defined by $u_1(a) = (0, a, u(a)), u_2(a) = (u(a), 0, a), v_1(a) = (1, a, v(a)), v_2(a) = (v(a), 1, a)$. It follows from [11, 2.3] that $\Delta_{I \times A}, \Delta_X, \text{Im}(u_i)$ and $\text{Im}(v_i)$ are compactly closed. Set $u' = id \times u : I \times A \rightarrow I \times X$ and $v' = id \times v : I \times A \rightarrow I \times Y$. Then $(u' \times u')^{-1}(\Delta_{I \times X})$ and $(v' \times v')^{-1}(\Delta_{I \times Y})$ are compactly closed and hence so is $Z = [\{0\} \times A \times \{0\} \times A \cap (u' \times u')^{-1}(\Delta_{I \times X})] \cup [\{1\} \times A \times \{1\} \times A \cap (v' \times v')^{-1}(\Delta_{I \times Y})]$. Therefore $(p \times p)^{-1}(\Delta_{M(u,v)})$ is compactly closed. \square

§2. G-SPACES

A topological group G in WHK is a weak Hausdorff k -space equipped with group structure such that the multiplication $G \otimes G \rightarrow G$ and the inversion $G \rightarrow G$ are continuous. We note that if G is a weak Hausdorff topological group in Top , then $k(G)$ is a topological group in WHK . If G is not assumed to be a k -space, then the left or right translation by $g \in G$ is continuous as a function $k(G) \rightarrow G$ but not as a function $G \rightarrow G$. An(right) action of the topological group G in WHK on the space X in WHK is a map $\mu : X \otimes G \rightarrow X$ such that $xe = x$ and $(xg_1)g_2 = x(g_1g_2)$, where $xg = \mu(x, g)$, for each $x \in X, g_1, g_2 \in G$ (e is the unit of G). A G -space is a space in WHK with an action of G in WHK .

Definition 2.1. A G -bundle is a triple (E, p, B) of which E is a G -space and $p : E \rightarrow B$ is a map such that $p = fp_E$, where $p_E : E \rightarrow E/G$ is an orbit map and $f : E/G \rightarrow B$ is a homeomorphism. The G -space E , with the given map p , is called a G -bundle over B and the space B is called the base space of the bundle.

A G -subspace A of a G -space X is a G -invariant subset A of X with the topology $k(A_r)$ and the G -action $k(A_r) \otimes G = A_r \otimes G \rightarrow k(A_r)$. Let (X, p, B) and (X', p', B') be G -bundles and let $u : X \rightarrow X'$ be a G -map. Then there exists a unique map $f : B \rightarrow B'$ such that $fp = p'u$. The map f is called the induced map of u and the pair (u, f) is called a G -bundle map. If $B = B'$ and if $f = id_B$, then u is called a G -map over B .

Definition 2.2. A G -space X is called nice if $\{(x, xg) \mid x \in X, g \in G\}$ is closed in $X \otimes X$.

We note that a G -space X is nice if and only if $X/G \in WHK$ ([11, 2.3]).

Let X be a G -space. We set

$$\begin{aligned} X^{*'} &= \{(x, xg) \in X \times X \mid x \in X, g \in G\} \subset X \otimes X, \\ X^* &= k(X^{*'}). \end{aligned}$$

The function $\tau : X^* \rightarrow G$ defined by $\tau(x, xg) = g$ is called the translation function. For every $x \in X$, the function $\kappa(x) : G \rightarrow k(xG)$ defined by $\kappa(x)(g) = xg$ is called the admissible map for X with respect to x . Note that the admissible map is a continuous bijection. Note also that if X is nice, then $X^{*'} = (p_X \otimes p_X)^{-1}(\Delta_{X/G})$ is closed in $X \otimes X$. Hence $X^* = X^{*'}$.

Definition 2.3. A G -space X is called principal provided it is a nice and free G -space with a continuous translation function $\tau : X^* \rightarrow G$. A principal G -bundle over B is a G -bundle X over B , where X is a principal G -space.

It is easily shown that every G -subspace of a principal G -space is principal.

Proposition 2.4. If (X, p, B) is a principal G -bundle, then every admissible map is a homeomorphism $\kappa(x) : G \rightarrow p^{-1}(p(x))$.

Proof. Since B is T_1 , it follows that $p^{-1}(p(x)) = xG$ is closed and hence $xG \in WHK$. The inverse function of $\kappa(x)$ is

$$\tau(x, \cdot) : p^{-1}(p(x)) \cong x \otimes p^{-1}(p(x)) \subset X^* \rightarrow G.$$

Since τ is continuous, so is $\tau(x, \cdot)$. Therefore $\kappa(x)$ is a homeomorphism. \square

Lemma 2.5. The product G -space $B \otimes G$, where the action of G is given by $(b, g_1)g_2 = (b, g_1g_2)$, is principal whenever B is weak Hausdorff.

Proof. Let $p : B \otimes G \rightarrow B' = B \otimes G / G$ be the quotient map. There exists canonically a continuous bijection $f : B' \rightarrow k(B)$ such that $fp = q$, where $q : B \otimes G \rightarrow k(B)$ is the projection. Since q is an open map, it follows that f is a homeomorphism and hence $B' \in WHK$. Thus the G -space $B \otimes G$ is nice by [11, 2.3], and hence $(B \otimes G)^* = (B \otimes G)^{*'}$.

To prove the continuity of the translation function, observe that $((b, g), (b', g')) \in (B \otimes G)^*$ if and only if $b = b'$, and the translation function has the form $\tau((b, g), (b, g')) = g^{-1}g'$. Since τ factorizes as $(B \otimes G)^* \subset (B \otimes G) \otimes (B \otimes G) \rightarrow G \otimes G \rightarrow G$, where the middle function is the projection and the last function assigns to (g, g') the element $g^{-1}g'$, it is continuous and hence so is τ . This completes the proof. \square

Notions of principal G -bundle map and an isomorphism are defined as usual.

Definition 2.6.

- (1) The product principal G -bundle over B is the principal G -bundle $(B \otimes G, p, B)$, where $B \in WHK$ and p is the projection on the first factor. A principal G -bundle over B is called trivial if it is isomorphic to the product principal G -bundle over B .
- (2) A principal G -bundle (X, p, B) is trivial over $B' \subset B$ if the principal G -bundle $k(p^{-1}B') \rightarrow (k(p^{-1}B'))/G$ is trivial.

Definition 2.7. A principal G -bundle X over B is numerable if there exists a locally finite partition of unity $\{\theta_j : B \rightarrow I\}$ such that the bundle is trivial over $\theta_j^{-1}(0, 1]$ for each j .

Lemma 2.8. If $f : Z \rightarrow I$ is a map, then $f^{-1}(0, 1]$ is a regular open subset of Z . If in addition $Z \in WHK$, then so is $f^{-1}(0, 1]$.

Proof. Let $z \in f^{-1}(0, 1]$. Then $f^{-1}(f(z)/2, 1]$ is a neighborhood of z , $f(Cl(f^{-1}(f(z)/2, 1))) \subset [f(z)/2, 1] \subset (0, 1]$ and $Cl(f^{-1}(f(z)/2, 1)) \subset f^{-1}(0, 1]$, so $f^{-1}(0, 1]$ is regular open. The second assertion follows from [14, 2.4]. \square

By this lemma, we have the following by [14, 2.4]

Proposition 2.9. Let (X, p, B) be a principal G -bundle, and let $\theta : B \rightarrow I$ be a map. Then $p^{-1}\theta^{-1}(0, 1]$ and $\theta^{-1}(0, 1]$ are weak Hausdorff k -spaces, and $(p^{-1}\theta^{-1}(0, 1])/G = \theta^{-1}(0, 1]$.

Proposition 2.10. Let (X, p, B) be a G -bundle, where X is a free G -space, and let $\{\theta_j : B \rightarrow I\}$ be a set of maps such that $\cup_j \theta_j^{-1}(0, 1] = B$ and the bundle is trivial over $\theta_j^{-1}(0, 1]$ for every j . Then X is principal.

Proof. Since $p^{-1}\theta_j^{-1}(0, 1]$ is a k -space by 2.8, and since $p : p^{-1}\theta_j^{-1}(0, 1] \rightarrow \theta_j^{-1}(0, 1]$ is proclusive, it follows that $\theta_j^{-1}(0, 1]$ is a k -space. Hence the triviality of the bundle over $\theta_j^{-1}(0, 1]$ implies that $p^{-1}\theta_j^{-1}(0, 1] \cong \theta_j^{-1}(0, 1] \otimes G$. Thus $\theta_j^{-1}(0, 1] \otimes G \in WHK$ and hence $\theta_j^{-1}(0, 1] \in WHK$. Therefore the diagonal set $\Delta_j \subset \theta_j^{-1}(0, 1] \otimes \theta_j^{-1}(0, 1]$ is closed by [11, 2.3]. We want to prove that X is nice, by showing Δ_B is closed in $B \otimes B$. Let $\Delta_I \subset I \otimes I$ be the diagonal set. Then $\Delta_B = \cup_j \Delta_j \subset \cup_j (\theta_j \otimes \theta_j)^{-1}(\Delta_I)$. Let $\{z_a\}$ be a directed family of points in Δ_B which converges to a point $z_0 \in B \otimes B$. Since $(\theta_j \otimes \theta_j)(z_a) \in \Delta_I$ and Δ_I is closed, it follows that $(\theta_j \otimes \theta_j)(z_0) \in \Delta_I$ for all j . Choose j such that $(\theta_j \otimes \theta_j)(z_0) \in (0, 1] \otimes (0, 1]$. Then $z_0 \in \theta_j^{-1}(0, 1] \otimes \theta_j^{-1}(0, 1]$. Since the last space is an open subspace of $B \otimes B$ by 2.3, there exists a_0 such that $z_a \in \theta_j^{-1}(0, 1] \otimes \theta_j^{-1}(0, 1]$ for all $a \geq a_0$. Thus $\{z_a | a \geq a_0\}$ is a convergent directed family of points in the closed subset Δ_j of $\theta_j^{-1}(0, 1] \otimes \theta_j^{-1}(0, 1]$, so $z_0 \in Cl(\Delta_j) \cap \theta_j^{-1}(0, 1] \otimes \theta_j^{-1}(0, 1] = \Delta_j \subset \Delta_B$. Therefore Δ_B is closed. We must show that

$\tau : X^* \rightarrow G$ is continuous. Let $(x, y) \in X^*$. Choose j with $p(x) \in \theta_j^{-1}(0, 1]$. Since $p^{-1}\theta_j^{-1}(0, 1]$ is regular open by 2.8, it follows easily that $p^{-1}\theta_j^{-1}(0, 1] \otimes p^{-1}\theta_j^{-1}(0, 1]$ is an open neighborhood of (x, y) in $X \otimes X$. Since $p^{-1}\theta_j^{-1}(0, 1] \cong \theta_j^{-1}(0, 1] \otimes G$ and since $\theta_j^{-1}(0, 1]$ is weak Hausdorff, τ is continuous on $(p^{-1}\theta_j^{-1}(0, 1])^{*'}$ by 2.5, so τ is continuous at (x, y) as a function $X^{*'} \rightarrow G$, and τ is continuous as a function $X^* \rightarrow G$. \square

Proposition 2.11. *Let (X, p, B) be a G -bundle and let $f : B_1 \rightarrow B$ be a map. We set*

$$X_1 = \{(b_1, x) \in B_1 \times X \mid f(b_1) = p(x)\}$$

and let $p_1 : X_1 \rightarrow B_1$ and $f_1 : X_1 \rightarrow X$ be the projections.

- (1) *The spaces X_1 and $k(X_1)$ have natural G -actions for which f_1 is a G -map and there is a homeomorphism $h : X_1/G \rightarrow B_1$ making the following diagram commutative and there is a homeomorphism $h : X_1/G \rightarrow B_1$ making the following diagram commutative*

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} k(X_1) & \xrightarrow{id} & X_1 & \xrightarrow{=} & X_1 & \xrightarrow{f_1} & X \\ \downarrow p & & \downarrow & & \downarrow p_1 & & \downarrow p \\ k(X_1)/G & \xrightarrow{id} & X_1/G & \xrightarrow{h} & B_1 & \xrightarrow{f} & B. \end{array}$$

If $B_1 \in WH$, then $k(X_1)$ is a G -space.

- (2) *If X is a nice G -space and $B_1 \in WH$, then $k(X_1)$ is also a nice G -space.*
(3) *If X is a free G -space and $B_1 \in WH$, then $k(X_1)$ is also a free G -space.*
(4) *If X is a free G -space having continuous translation function and if $B_1 \in WH$, then the translation function of $k(X_1)$ is also continuous.*
(5) *If (X, p, B) is a numerable principal G -bundle and $B_1 \in WHK$, then $(k(X_1), p, k(X_1)/G)$ is also a numerable principal G -bundle and $id : k(X_1)/G \rightarrow X_1/G$ is a homeomorphism.*

Proof. We define the G -actions on X_1 and $k(X_1)$ by $(b_1, x)g = (b_1, xg)$. Since they are determined by maps

$$\begin{aligned} k(X_1) \otimes G &\rightarrow X_1 \otimes G \xrightarrow{f_1 \otimes id} X \otimes G \xrightarrow{\pi} X \\ k(X_1) \otimes G &\rightarrow X_1 \otimes G \xrightarrow{p_1 \otimes id} B_1 \otimes G \xrightarrow{\pi} B_1, \end{aligned}$$

they are continuous, where π are the projections. Obviously f_1 is a G -map. If $B_1 \in WH$, then $k(X_1) \in WHK$, which is a G -space. We define $h((b_1, x)G) = b_1$. Since X_1/G has the quotient topology, the function h is continuous. As is easily

seen, h is bijective. Note that p is an open map. It follows from [6, p.1] that p_1 is an open map, and so is h , hence h is a homeomorphism. This proves (1). To prove (2), suppose that X is nice and $B_1 \in WH$. Then $\Omega = \{(x, xg) \mid x \in X, g \in G\}$ and Δ_B are closed in $X \otimes X$ and $B \otimes B = k(B) \otimes k(B)$ respectively. Thus $\{((b, x), (b, xg)) \mid x \in X, g \in G\} = ((f_1 \circ id) \otimes (f_1 \circ id))^{-1}\Omega \cap (kp_1 \otimes kp_1)^{-1}\Delta_B$ is closed in $k(X_1) \otimes k(X_1)$. Therefore $k(X_1)$ is a nice G -space.

(3) is trivial. To prove (4), suppose that X is a free G -space with continuous translation function and $B_1 \in WH$. Since the translation function τ_1 for $k(X_1)$ is the composite of the maps

$$(k(X_1))^* \xrightarrow{r^*} X^* \xrightarrow{\tau} G,$$

where $r = f_1 \circ id : k(X_1) \rightarrow X$ is the projection and τ is the translation function of X , it follows that τ_1 is continuous. This proves (4).

Suppose that (X, p, B) is a numerable principal G -bundle and $B_1 \in WHK$. Then $k(X_1)$ is a principal G -space, by (2), (3) and (4). Let $\{\theta_j : B \rightarrow I\}$ be a partition of unity which defines the numerability of the bundle (X, p, B) . Then $\{\theta_j fh \circ id\}$ is a locally finite partition of unity on $k(X_1)/G$. Put $U_j = \pi_j^{-1}(0, 1]$, $V_j = f^{-1}\pi_j^{-1}(0, 1]$, $X_j = p_1^{-1}(V_j)$, and $p_j = p_1 \mid X_j : X_j \rightarrow V_j$. Then $\pi_j^{-1}(0, 1]$ and $f^{-1}\pi_j^{-1}(0, 1]$ are in WHK by 2.8. Without loss of generality, we can assume that $p : p^{-1}(U_j) \rightarrow U_j$ is the product G -bundle. Then $X_j = \{(v, u, g) \in V_j \times (U_j \otimes G) \mid u = f(v)\}$ and $p_j(v, f(v), g) = v$. Let $t : V_j \otimes G \rightarrow X_j$ be defined by $t(v, g) = (v, f(v), g)$. Then t is continuous and factorizes into $V_j \otimes G \rightarrow k(X_j) \rightarrow X_j$. As is easily seen, $t : V_j \otimes G \rightarrow k(X_j)$ is a homeomorphism. This implies that $p : k(X_1) \rightarrow k(X_1)/G$ is trivial over $(\pi_j fh \circ id)^{-1}(0, 1]$ if $id : k(X_1)/G \rightarrow X_1/G$ is a homeomorphism. Since $k(p_j)t : V_j \otimes G \cong k(X_j) \rightarrow V_j$ is the projection, $k(p_j)$ is proclusive. Consider the following commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \coprod_j k(X_j) & \longrightarrow & k(X_1) \\ \coprod k(p_j) \downarrow & & \downarrow k(p_1) \\ \coprod_j V_j & \longrightarrow & B_1. \end{array}$$

Since $\coprod k(p_j)$ and i are proclusive, so is $k(p_1)$. By the commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} k(X_1) & \xrightarrow{=} & k(X_1) \\ p \downarrow & & \downarrow k(p_1) \\ k(X_1) & \xrightarrow{id} & X_1/G \cong B_1, \end{array}$$

it follows that $h \circ id$ is a homeomorphism, and so is $id : k(X_1)/G \rightarrow X_1/G$. Thus $p : k(X_1) \rightarrow k(X_1)/G$ is trivial over $(\pi_j fh \circ id)^{-1}(0, 1]$ for all j . This proves (5). \square

Under the notations of 2.11, we define

Definition 2.12.

- (1) Let (X, p, B) be a G -bundle, $B_1 \in WH$, and $f : B_1 \rightarrow B$ be a map. The G -space $k(X_1)$ is denoted by f^*X and is called the induced G -space under f .
- (2) Let $\xi = (X, p, B)$ be a numerable principal G -bundle and let $f : B_1 \rightarrow B$ be a map, where $B_1 \in WHK$. The bundle $k(p_1) : f^*X = k(X_1) \rightarrow B_1$ is called the induced G -bundle of ξ under f .

By 2.11(5), we have

Proposition 2.13. *Any induced G -bundle of a numerable principal G -bundle is numerable.*

§3. EQUIVARIANT FUNCTION SPACES

In this section, we prove the function $\Phi : \text{map}^G(E, E') \rightarrow \text{map}(B, B')$ which is defined in 3.5, is continuous, if spaces involved have the k -ification of the compact-open topology.

For G -spaces X and Y , we define functions

$$\psi, \psi_1, \psi_2 : \text{map}(X, Y) \times G \rightarrow \text{map}(X, Y)$$

by

$$\begin{aligned} \psi(f, g)(x) &= f(xg^{-1})g, \\ \psi_1(f, g)(x) &= f(x)g, \\ \psi_2(f, g)(x) &= f(xg^{-1}), \text{ where } f \in \text{map}(X, Y). \end{aligned}$$

Then ψ factorizes into $\text{map}(X, Y) \times G \rightarrow \text{map}(X, Y) \times G \rightarrow \text{map}(X, Y)$, where the first function assigns $(\psi_1(f, g), g)$ to (f, g) and the second function is ψ_2 .

Lemma 3.1. *For each $g \in G$, $\psi(\cdot, g) : \text{map}(X, Y) \rightarrow \text{map}(X, Y)$ is a homeomorphism.*

Proof. Obviously $\psi(\psi(f, g), g') = \psi(f, gg')$ and $\psi(f, e) = f$, so $\psi(\cdot, g)$ is a bijection and $\psi(\cdot, g)^{-1} = \psi(\cdot, g^{-1})$. Similar relations hold for ψ_i . Thus it suffices to prove that $\psi_i(\cdot, g) : \text{map}(X, Y) \rightarrow \text{map}(X, Y)$ are continuous.

Let $f \in \text{map}(X, Y)$ and first assume $\psi_1(f, g) \in W(K, U)$. Then $f \in W(K, Ug^{-1})$. If $f' \in W(K, Ug^{-1})$, then $\psi_1(f', g)(K) = f'(K)g \subset U$, so $\psi_1(W(K, Ug^{-1}), g) \subset W(K, U)$. If U is open in Y , then so is Ug^{-1} . Thus this shows that $\psi_1(\cdot, g)$ is continuous.

Let $f \in \text{map}(X, Y)$ and assume $\psi_2(f, g) \in W(K, U)$. Then $f \in W(Kg^{-1}, U)$, and $\psi_2(W(Kg^{-1}, U), g) \subset W(K, U)$. If K is compact, then so is Kg^{-1} . Thus $\psi_2(\cdot, g)$ is continuous. \square

Proposition 3.2. *If X and Y are G -spaces, then $\text{Map}(X, Y)$ is also a G -space by the actions ψ .*

Proof. Since $\text{map}(X, Y) \times G$ is weak Hausdorff, it suffices to show that ψ_i is continuous on each compact set. We prove this by showing that ψ_i is continuous on $\text{map}(X, Y) \times D$ for D compact. Let $R_g : G \rightarrow G$ be the map $R_g(g') = g'g$. By the commutative square

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \text{map}(X, Y) \times D & \xrightarrow{\psi_i} & \text{map}(X, Y) \\ \text{id} \times R_g \downarrow & & \downarrow \psi_i(\cdot, g) \\ \text{map}(X, Y) \times D_g & \xrightarrow{\psi_i} & \text{map}(X, Y), \end{array}$$

it suffices to show that ψ_i is continuous at (f, e) on $\text{map}(X, Y) \times D$ for each compact set D with $e \in D$.

Assume $\psi_1(f, e) \in W(K, U)$. Since the action is continuous, the composition

$$Y \times D = Y \otimes D \subset Y \otimes G \rightarrow Y$$

is continuous, so for each $x \in K$ there exist open neighborhoods $V(f(x))$ of e in D and $V'(f(x))$ of $f(x)$ in Y such that $V'(f(x))V(f(x)) \subset U$. Since $f(K)$ is quasi compact, there exist x_1, \dots, x_n in K such that $\cup_i V'(f(x_i)) \supset f(K)$. Let $V = \cap_i V(f(x_i))$ and $V' = \cup_i V'(f(x_i))$. Then $f \in W(K, V')$ and $\psi_1(W(K, V'), V) \subset W(K, U)$. This shows that ψ_1 is continuous at (f, e) on $\text{map}(X, Y) \times D$.

Assume $\psi_2(f, e) \in W(K, U)$, that is, $f(K) \subset U$. By the similar methods, we see that there exist a compact neighborhood V of e in D and a neighborhood V' of K in X such that $V = V^{-1}$ and $f(V'V) \subset U$. It then follows that $f \in W(KV, U)$ and $\psi_2(W(KV, U), V) \subset W(K, U)$, so that ψ_2 is continuous at (f, e) on $\text{map}(X, Y) \times D$. \square

Proposition 3.3. *Let X and Y be G -spaces. Suppose one of the following two conditions. Then $\psi : \text{map}(X, Y) \times G \rightarrow \text{map}(X, Y)$ is continuous.*

- (1) X has the trivial G -action and Y is locally compact.
- (2) G is locally compact.

Proof. Assume (1). Then $Y \times G = Y \otimes G$. By the same proof as above, $\psi_1 = \psi$ is continuous at $(f, e) \in \text{map}(X, Y) \times G$, so ψ_1 is continuous at each point. Assume (2). Then $X \times G = X \otimes G$ and ψ_1 is continuous by (1). By the same proof as that of 3.2, ψ_2 is also continuous and hence so is ψ . \square

Definition 3.4. Let X and Y be G -spaces. We set

$$\begin{aligned} \text{map}^G(X, Y) &= \text{map}(X, Y)^G \\ &= \{f \in \text{map}(X, Y) \mid \psi(f, g) = f \text{ for all } g \in G\}, \text{ and} \\ \text{Map}^G(X, Y) &= k(\text{map}^G(X, Y)). \end{aligned}$$

We note that $\text{Map}^G(X, Y)$ is a fixed point set of the action in 3.2.

For any G -bundles (X, p, B) and (X', p', B') , we have canonically the function

$$\Phi : \text{map}^G(X, X') \rightarrow \text{map}(B, B')$$

making the following square commutative for each $f \in \text{map}^G(X, X')$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X & \xrightarrow{f} & X' \\ p \downarrow & & \downarrow p' \\ B & \xrightarrow{\Phi(f)} & B'. \end{array}$$

Theorem 3.5. The function $\Phi : \text{Map}^G(X, X') \rightarrow \text{Map}(B, B')$ is continuous.

Proof. We prove this by showing that $\Phi : \text{map}^G(X, X') \rightarrow \text{map}(B, B')$ is continuous on each compact set. Let D be a compact set of $\text{map}^G(X, X')$, $f \in D$, and assume $\Phi(f) \in W(K, U)$ where K is a compact set in B , and U is open in B' .

Since $ev : \text{Map}(X, X') \otimes X \rightarrow X'$ is continuous by [15, 3.5], ev is continuous on $D \times X = D \otimes X$. We can define uniquely a map Φ' which makes the following square commutative

$$\begin{array}{ccc} D \times X & \xrightarrow{ev} & X' \\ id \times p \downarrow & & \downarrow p' \\ D \times B & \xrightarrow{\Phi'} & B'. \end{array}$$

There exist neighborhoods V of f in D and V' of K in B such that $\Phi'(V, V') = \Phi(V)(V') \subset U$. In particular, if $v \in V$, then $\Phi(v)(K) \subset \Phi(V)(V') \subset U$, so $\Phi(V) \subset W(K, U)$, thus Φ is continuous at f on D , hence $\Phi : \text{Map}^G(X, X') \rightarrow \text{Map}(B, B')$ is continuous. \square

Proposition 3.6. Let (X, p, B) and (X', p', B') be G -bundles.

- (1) If G is compact and X is locally compact, then $\Phi : \text{map}^G(X, X') \rightarrow \text{map}(B, B')$ is continuous.
- (2) If (X, p, B) is a numerable principal G -bundle and B is locally compact, then $\Phi : \text{map}^G(X, X') \rightarrow \text{map}(B, B')$ is continuous.
- (3) If X is locally compact, then $\Phi : \text{map}^G(X, X') \rightarrow \text{map}(B, B')$ is continuous.
- (4) If (X, p, B) is a numerable principal G -bundle such that B is a CW-complex, then $\Phi : \text{map}^G(X, X') \rightarrow \text{map}(B, B')$ is continuous.

Proof. Let $f \in \text{map}^G(X, X')$ and assume $\Phi(f) \in W(K, U)$, where U is an open subset of B' and K is a compact subset of B .

First assume G is compact. Then p is a closed mapping by the proof [13, 1.1.1.]. By [1, 7.8(2)], $p^{-1}K$ is quasi-compact. Moreover if X is locally compact Hausdorff and if K is compact, then $p^{-1}K$ is compact by [1, 7.8(3)]. Since $\Phi W(p^{-1}K, p'^{-1}U) \subset W(K, U)$, this proves (1).

Assume that (X, p, B) is a numerable principal G -bundle and that B is locally compact. Let $a \in K$. Then there exist an open neighborhood O_a of a and a G -isomorphism over O_a

$$h_a : O_a \otimes G = O_a \times G \cong p^{-1}O_a.$$

Since $\Phi(f)^{-1}(U) \cap O_a$ is an open neighborhood of a , there exists a compact neighborhood B_a of a such that $B_a \subset \Phi(f)^{-1}(U) \cap O_a$. Since the interiors $\{Int(B_a) \mid a \in K\}$ covers the quasi-compact set K , there are finite points $a(1), \dots, a(n)$ with $K \subset \cup_i Int(B_{a(i)})$. Put $D_i = h_{a(i)}(B_{a(i)} \times \{e\})$ and $D = \cup_i D_i$. Then D is compact, $K \subset p(D) \subset \Phi(f)^{-1}(U)$, $f \in W(D, p'^{-1}U)$, and $\Phi(W(D, p'^{-1}U)) \subset W(K, U)$. This proves (2).

Assume X is locally compact. Let $x \in p^{-1}K$. Then there exists a compact neighborhood L_x of x with $f(L_x) \subset p'^{-1}U$. Since $\{p(Int(L_x)) \mid x \in p^{-1}K\}$ is an open covering of the quasi-compact set K , there are finite points $x(1), \dots, x(n)$ such that $K \subset \cup_i p(Int(L_{x(i)}))$. Put $L = \cup_i L_{x(i)}$. Then L is compact by [11, 2.1] and $K \subset p(L)$, $f(L) \subset p'^{-1}U$, so $f \in W(L, p'^{-1}U)$, and $\Phi(W(L, p'^{-1}U)) \subset W(K, U)$. This proves (3).

Assume (X, p, B) is a numerable principal G -bundle with B a CW -complex. Let $f \in \text{map}^G(X, X')$ and $\Phi(f) \in W(K, U)$. Since B is a CW -complex, K is closed and there is a finite subcomplex S containing K . Let $\{h_i : D^{n(i)} \rightarrow S\}$ be the set of characteristic maps of closed cells of S , where D^n is the n -dimensional disk. Notice that $D^{n(i)} \times G = D^{n(i)} \otimes G$ by [14, 4.3]. We have then the following commutative diagram in which h'_i is a G -map

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} D^{n(i)} \times G & \xrightarrow{h'_i} & X & \xrightarrow{f} & X' \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow p & & \downarrow p' \\ D^{n(i)} & \xrightarrow{h_i} & B & \xrightarrow{\Phi(f)} & B' \end{array}$$

Set $D_i = h'_i(D^{n(i)} \times \{e\})$ and $K' = (\cup_i D_i) \cap p^{-1}(K)$. Then $p(K') = K$, and K' is compact, because D_i is compact, by [11, 2.1]. Moreover $f \in W(K', p'^{-1}U)$ and $\Phi(W(K', p'^{-1}U) \cap \text{map}^G(X, X')) \subset W(K, U)$, so $\Phi : \text{map}^G(X, X') \rightarrow \text{map}(B, B')$ is continuous. \square

Sometimes it is convenient to give $\text{map}^G(X, X')$ a stronger topology as follows (see §6):

Definition 3.7. Let (X, p, B) and (X', p', B') be G -bundles. We define

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{\text{map}}^G(X, X') &= \{(f, h) \mid f \in \text{map}^G(X, X'), h \in \text{map}(B, B'), p'f = hp\}, \\ \Phi : \underline{\text{map}}^G(X, X') &\rightarrow \text{map}(B, B'), \Phi(f, h) = h, \\ \underline{\text{Map}}^G(X, X') &= k(\underline{\text{map}}^G(X, X')). \end{aligned}$$

Lemma 3.8. Let (X, p, B) and (X', p', B') be G -bundles. Then

- (1) $\Phi : \underline{\text{map}}^G(X, X') \rightarrow \text{map}(B, B')$ is continuous.
- (2) The projection induces a continuous bijection

$$\pi : \underline{\text{map}}^G(X, X') \rightarrow \text{map}^G(X, X')$$

and a homeomorphism

$$\pi : \underline{\text{Map}}^G(X, X') \cong \text{Map}^G(X, X').$$

Proof. (1) is trivial. The inverse of π assigns f into $(f, \Phi(f))$, and it is continuous on each compact set by the proof of 3.5. Thus by [14, 3.2], $\pi : \underline{\text{Map}}^G(X, X') \cong \text{Map}^G(X, X')$. \square

§4. EQUIVARIANT FUNCTION SPACES OF PRINCIPAL BUNDLES

In this section, by using of A. Dold [2] we prove that the k -ification of the space $\text{map}^G(E, EG)$ having the compact-open topology is contractible, where EG is the total space of a universal principal G -bundle. D. H. Gottlieb [5] proved this by a different method. We generalize Theorem 2.1 of H. Ōshima and K. Tsukiyama [12] and prove Theorem 2.3 of I. M. James [7] without his condition.

From now on we assume that a topological group G in WHK is well based, that is, (G, e) is an NDR -pair, unless otherwise stated. Then there is a universal principal G -bundle (EG, p, BG) by [11, 9.17].

Let (X, p, B) and (X', p', B') be numerable principal G -bundles and let $b : B \rightarrow BG$ and $b' : B' \rightarrow BG$ be classifying maps of them. We set

$$\begin{aligned} \text{map}(B, B'; b, b') &= \{h \in \text{map}(B, B') \mid b'h \simeq b\}, \\ \text{Map}(B, B'; b, b') &= k(\text{map}(B, B'; b, b')). \end{aligned}$$

Note that $\Phi : \text{map}^G(X, X') \rightarrow \text{map}(B, B')$ has the image $\text{map}(B, B'; b, b')$.

Proposition 4.1. $\Phi : \text{Map}^G(X, X') \rightarrow \text{Map}(B, B')$ has the *CHP* (covering homotopy property) for all weak Hausdorff k -spaces (without the assumption that (G, e) is an *NDR-pair*), and so is $\Phi : \text{Map}^G(X, X') \rightarrow \text{Map}(B, B'; b, b')$. They have the *CHEP* (covering homotopy extension property) for *NDR-pairs* in *WHK*.

Proof. The last assertion follows from the former and [8, 6.44]. Let $Z \in \text{WHK}$. Assume the following commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \{0\} \otimes Z & \xrightarrow{h} & \text{Map}^G(X, X') \subset \text{Map}(X, X') \\ & & \downarrow \Phi \\ \cap & & \\ I \otimes Z & \xrightarrow{H} & \text{Map}(B, B'). \end{array}$$

Taking adjoints, we have the following commutative diagram by [15, 3.6]

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \{0\} \otimes Z \otimes X & \xrightarrow{h'} & X' \\ & & \downarrow p' \\ \cap & & \\ I \otimes Z \otimes X & & \\ \downarrow & & \\ I \otimes Z \otimes B & \xrightarrow{H'} & B'. \end{array}$$

Since $id \otimes p : Z \otimes X \rightarrow Z \otimes B$ becomes naturally a numerable principal G -bundle, it follows from the covering homotopy theorem for bundle maps (see [2, 7.8]) that there exists a G -map $H'' : I \otimes Z \otimes X \rightarrow X'$ such that $H'' = h'$ on $\{0\} \otimes Z \otimes X$ and $p'H'' = H'(id \otimes id \otimes p)$. Taking adjoint again, we have $H''' : I \otimes Z \rightarrow \text{Map}^G(X, X')$ such that $H''' = h$ on $\{0\} \otimes Z$ and $\Phi H''' = H$. Thus Φ has the *CHP* for Z . The rest follows from the following easy fact: If $p : E \rightarrow B$ has the *CHP* for a k -space Z , then so does $k(p) : k(E) \rightarrow k(B)$. \square

The next is a generalization of [7, 2.1]:

Proposition 4.2. *Without the assumption that (G, e) is an *NDR-pair*, we have*

- (1) *If G is compact and X is locally compact, then $\Phi : \text{map}^G(X, X') \rightarrow \text{map}(B, B')$ has the *CHP* for all locally compact weak Hausdorff spaces and *CW-complexes*.*
- (2) *If B is locally compact, then $\Phi : \text{map}^G(X, X') \rightarrow \text{map}(B, B')$ has the *CHP* for all spaces Z with $Z \times X \in \text{WHK}$.*

- (3) If X is locally compact, then $\Phi : \text{map}^G(X, X') \rightarrow \text{map}(B, B')$ has the *CHP* for all spaces in *WHK*. If in addition X' is also locally compact, then Φ has the *CHP* for all spaces in *Top*.
- (4) If B is a *CW-complex*, then $\Phi : \text{map}^G(X, X') \rightarrow \text{map}(B, B')$ has the *CHP* for locally compact weak Hausdorff spaces and *CW-complexes*.

Proof. The continuity of Φ is proved in Proposition 3.6.

Assume G is compact and let Z be a locally compact weak Hausdorff space. Then $Z \times X, I \times Z \times X$ and $I \times Z \times B$ are weak Hausdorff k -spaces by [14, 4.3]. Assume the commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \{0\} \times Z & \xrightarrow{h} & \text{map}^G(X, X') \subset \text{map}(X, X') \\ \cap & & \downarrow \Phi \\ I \times Z & \xrightarrow{H} & \text{map}(B, B'). \end{array}$$

Taking adjoints, then by the covering homotopy theorem for bundle maps (see [2, 7.8]), we have a G -map H'' making the following diagram commutative

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \{0\} \times Z \times X & \xrightarrow{h'} & X' \\ \cap & & \downarrow = \\ I \times Z \times X & \xrightarrow{H''} & X' \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ I \times Z \times B & \xrightarrow{H'} & B'. \end{array}$$

Taking adjoint again, we have the desired covering H''' of H , so Φ has the *CHP* for locally compact weak Hausdorff spaces. In particular Φ has the *CHP* for finite *CW* complexes and hence for *CW* complexes. This proves (1).

Assume B is locally compact and $Z \times X \in \text{WHK}$. The above proof implies (2).

Note that X, X', B and B' are in *WHK*. Assume X is locally compact. Then B is locally compact, so Φ has the *CHP* for spaces in *WHK*, since p' has the *CHP* for k -spaces, by slightly modified theorems of [2, 4.4, 4.8]. Suppose that X' is also locally compact. If p' has the *CHP* for all spaces in *Top*, then the second part of (3) follows. If $\tau : B' \rightarrow I$ is continuous, then $\tau^{-1}(0, 1]$ is locally compact weak Hausdorff and hence $\tau^{-1}(0, 1] \otimes G = \tau^{-1}(0, 1] \times G$. It follows from [2, 4.4, 4.8] that p' has the *CHP* for all spaces in *Top*.

If B is a *CW-complex* and Z is locally compact weak Hausdorff, then $Z \times X$ and

$Z \times B$ are in WHK , so Φ in (4) has the CHP for Z . Thus ϕ has also the CHP for CW -complexes by the proof of (1). \square

Let (E, p, B) be a numerable principal G -bundle with a classifying map $f : B \rightarrow BG$.

Definition 4.3. *We set*

$$\begin{aligned} aut^G(E) &= \{u \in map^G(E, E) \mid uv \simeq_G vu \simeq_G id \text{ for some } v \in map^G(E, E)\}, \\ aut(B) &= \{u \in map(B, B) \mid uv \simeq vu \simeq id \text{ for some } v \in map(B, B)\}, \\ aut(B; f) &= \{u \in aut(B) \mid fu \simeq f\}, \\ Aut^G(E) &= k(aut^G(E)), \\ Aut(B) &= k(aut(B)), \\ Aut(B; f) &= k(aut(B; f)). \end{aligned}$$

We have the following easily (see [12, p.906]):

Lemma 4.4. $\Phi^{-1}(aut(B; f)) = aut^G(E)$, so $\Phi : Aut^G(E) \rightarrow Aut(B; f)$ is a surjective Hurewicz fibration in WHK . \square

Lemma 4.5. *For any numerable principal G -bundle E over B , we can choose a universal principal G -bundle (EG, p, BG) and a G -bundle map*

$$\begin{array}{ccc} E & \xrightarrow{f'} & EG \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow p \\ B & \xrightarrow{f} & BG, \end{array}$$

where f and f' are embeddings onto closed sets.

Proof. Let (E', p', B') be any universal principal G -bundle and let

$$\begin{array}{ccc} E & \xrightarrow{h'} & E' \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow p' \\ B & \xrightarrow{h} & B' \end{array}$$

be a G -bundle map. Let $M = B \times I + B' / (b, 0) \sim h(b)$ be the mapping cylinder of h . Then M is a weak Hausdorff k -space by 1.1. Let $q : M' = B \times I + B' \rightarrow M$ be the quotient map. Let $i' : B' \rightarrow M'$ and $j' : M' \rightarrow B'$ be maps defined by $i'(y) = y$, $j'(b, t) = h(b)$, and $j'(y) = y$. Put $i = qi' : B' \rightarrow M$. Then i is a homeomorphism

onto a closed set. Since $j'(b, 0) = j'(h(b))$, we have a map $j : M \rightarrow B'$ such that $jq = j'$. We have

$$(\#) \quad ji = id_B, \text{ and } ij \simeq id_M.$$

Indeed, a homotopy $F : I \times M \rightarrow M$ of ij to id_M is made from $F' : I \times M' \rightarrow M'$, where $F'(s, y) = y$ and $F'(s, b, t) = (b, st)$.

Let $u : B \rightarrow M$ be defined by $u(b) = (b, 1)$. Then $ju = h$ so that $u^*j^*E' \cong h^*E' \cong E$. We then have a commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} E \cong u^*j^*E' & \xrightarrow{\beta} & j^*E' & \longrightarrow & E' \\ \downarrow & & p_1 \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ B & \xrightarrow{u} & M & \xrightarrow{j} & B'. \end{array}$$

Since u is a homeomorphism onto a closed set, so is β . By $(\#)$, (j^*E', p_1, M) is a universal principal G -bundle, thus taking $(EG, p, BG) = (j^*E', p_1, M)$, $f = u$ and $f' = \beta\alpha$, the result follows. \square

Proposition 4.6. *Let E be a numerable principal G -bundle over B . Then*

$$[X, Map^G(E, EG)] = 0$$

for all $X \in WHK$, so $Map^G(E, EG)$ is contractible in the weak sense. If $(X, *)$ is an NDR-pair in WHK , then

$$[X, *; Map^G(E, EG), h] = 0$$

for each $h \in Map^G(E, EG)$.

Proof. Let $X \in WHK$ and consider it as a trivial G -space. Let Y, Z be G -spaces. Then we have a commutative square

$$\begin{array}{ccc} map(X \otimes Y, Z) & \supset & map^G(X \otimes Y, Z) \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ map(X, Map(Y, Z)) & \supset & map(X, Map^G(Y, Z)) \end{array}$$

and vertical equivalences preserve homotopies, so we have

$$[X \otimes Y, Z]^G \cong [X, Map^G(Y, Z)]$$

and in particular

$$[X \otimes E, EG]^G \cong [X, Map^G(E, EG)].$$

By [2, 7.7] we have $[X \otimes E, EG]^G = 0$. Thus $[X, Map^G(E, EG)] = 0$. Taking $X = \{*\}$, $Map^G(E, EG)$ is path-connected. Taking $X = Map^G(E, EG)$, $Map^G(E, EG)$ is contractible in the weak sense. If $(X, *)$ is an *NDR*-pair, then $[X, *; Map^G(E, EG), f] = 0$. \square

Remark. We can prove an analogous theorem to 4.6 in the theory of Hurewicz fibrations by [3],[4]. In this case base spaces must be *CW*-complexes (see [16, 2.1]).

Proposition 4.7. *Let E be a numerable principal G -bundle over B , and let $X \in WHK$ with a trivial G -action. Suppose $X \times E \in WHK$. Then $[X, map^G(E, EG)] = 0$. In particular $map^G(E, EG)$ is essentially contractible in the sense of [5].*

Proof. Under the assumptions, we have a commutative square

$$\begin{array}{ccc} map(X \times E, EG) & \supset & map^G(X \times E, EG) \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ map(X, map(E, EG)) & \supset & map(X, map^G(E, EG)). \end{array}$$

Since vertical equivalences preserve homotopies,

$$[X \times E, EG]^G \cong [X, map^G(E, EG)].$$

By [2, 7.7], $[X \times E, EG]^G = 0$. Thus $[X, map^G(E, EG)] = 0$. \square

Lemma 4.8. *Under the condition of 4.5, we have the following commutative diagram*

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} I^G(E) & = & I^G(E) & = & I^G(E) \\ \cap & & \cap & & \cap \\ Aut^G(E) & \rightarrow & Map^G(E, E) & \subset & Map^G(E, EG) \\ \downarrow \Phi & & \downarrow \Phi & & \downarrow \Phi \\ Aut(B; f) & \rightarrow & Map(B, B; f, f) & \subset & Map(B, BG; f, id), \end{array}$$

where $I^G(E) = k(\Phi^{-1}(id_B))$ and three vertical sequences are surjective fibrations in *WHK*.

Proof. Easy. \square

Lemma 4.9. *Let X, Y be topological monoids in Top or WHK . Let $p : X \rightarrow Y$ be a continuous unital homomorphism having the CHEP for $(Z, *)$ in Top_* or WHK_* . Then $F = p^{-1}(1)$ is a submonoid of X and the connecting function*

$$\Delta : [\Sigma Z, *, Y, 1] \rightarrow [Z, *, F, 1]$$

is a homomorphism of semi-groups, where 1 denotes the unit of monoid.

Proof. By definition Δ is the composition of

$$[\Sigma Z, *, Y, 1] \xrightarrow{p_*^{-1}} [CZ, Z, *, X, F, 1] \rightarrow [Z, *, F, 1],$$

where the last function maps $[w]$ into $[w \mid F]$. For any map $u : (\Sigma Z, *) \rightarrow (Y, 1)$, we denote by $u' : (CZ, Z, *) \rightarrow (X, F, 1)$ a map such that $pu' = uq$, where $q : CZ \rightarrow \Sigma Z$ is the quotient map. Hence $p_*([u']) = [u]$. Such a map u' exists by the CHEP. As is well known, $[u][v] \in [\Sigma Z, *, Y, 1]$ is represented by $uv : \Sigma Z \rightarrow Y$ which is defined by $(uv)(t) = u(t)v(t)$. Since p is a homomorphism, we can take $(uv)' = u'v'$, hence $\Delta([u][v]) = [(u'v') \mid Z] = [u' \mid Z \circ v' \mid Z] = [u' \mid Z][v' \mid Z] = \Delta([u])\Delta([v])$. \square

By this lemma and (4.8) we have

Proposition 4.10. *If E is a numerable G -bundle over B and if $Z \in WHK_*$, then the connecting function*

$$\Delta : [\Sigma Z, *, Map(B, BG), f] \rightarrow [Z, *, I^G(E), f']$$

of the fibration $I^G(E) \rightarrow Map^G(E, EG) \rightarrow Map(B, BG)$ is a homomorphism of semi-groups for every $Z \in WHK_$. (Note that $[\Sigma Z, *, Map(B, BG), f] = [\Sigma Z, *, Map(B, BG); f, id], f]$ and $f' = id_E$ if we regard $I^G(E) \subset Map^G(E, E)$.)*

\square

Lemma 4.11. *Suppose that the morphism in WHK , $p : X \rightarrow Y$, has the CHEP for $(Z, *) \in WHK_*$, $y_0 \in Y$, $F = p^{-1}(y_0)$ is a topological monoid in WHK , and that $\cdot : X \otimes F \rightarrow X$ is a map such that*

- (1) *if $x_1, x_2 \in F$, then $x_1 \cdot x_2$ is the product in F ,*
- (2) *$(x \cdot x_1) \cdot x_2 = x \cdot (x_1 \cdot x_2)$, $x \in X$, $x_1, x_2 \in F$, and*
- (3) *$p(x \cdot x_1) = p(x)$.*

*Then the connecting function $\Delta : [\Sigma Z, *, Y, y_0] \rightarrow [Z, *, F, 1]$ of the fibration is a homomorphism of semi-groups.*

Proof. Let $u, v : (\Sigma Z, *) \rightarrow (Y, y_0)$ be maps. Recall that a map $u + v : \Sigma Z \rightarrow Y$ defined by

$$(u + v)(z, t) = \begin{cases} u(z, 2t), & \text{for } 0 \leq t \leq 1/2 \\ v(z, 2t - 1), & \text{for } 1/2 \leq t \leq 1. \end{cases}$$

Let $u', v' : (CZ, Z, *) \rightarrow (X, F, 1)$ be maps such that $pu' = uq$ and $pv' = vq$ where $q : CZ \rightarrow \Sigma Z$ is the quotient map. These maps exist by the *CHEP*. Then, by definition, $\Delta[u] = [u' | Z]$ and $\Delta[v] = [v' | Z]$. We define a map $r : (CZ, Z, *) \rightarrow (X, F, 1)$ by

$$r(z, t) = \begin{cases} u'(z, 2t) \cdot v'(z, 0), & \text{for } 0 \leq t \leq 1/2 \\ v'(z, 2t - 1), & \text{for } 1/2 \leq t \leq 1. \end{cases}$$

This is well defined by (1), and $pr = (u + v)q$, so $\Delta([u][v]) = \Delta[u + v] = [r | Z] = [u' | Z \cdot v' | Z] = [u' | Z][v' | Z] = \Delta[u]\Delta[v]$. This completes the proof. \square

Since $\cdot : \text{Map}^G(E, EG) \otimes I^G(E) \rightarrow \text{Map}^G(E, EG)$, defined by $\alpha \cdot \beta = \alpha\beta$, satisfies the assumptions of lemma 4.11, we obtain the following by using (4.6), (4.10).

Theorem 4.12. *If E is a numerable principal G -bundle over B , then for any $Z \in WHK_*$, we have the following exact sequence of groups and homomorphisms*

$$\begin{aligned} \cdots \longrightarrow [\Sigma^n Z, *; \text{Aut}^G(E), id_E] &\xrightarrow{\Phi_*} [\Sigma^n Z, *; \text{Aut}(B), id_B] \xrightarrow{f_*} \\ &[\Sigma^n Z, *; \text{Map}(B, BG), f] \xrightarrow{\Delta} [\Sigma^{n-1} Z, *; \text{Aut}^G(E), id_E] \longrightarrow \\ \cdots \longrightarrow [\Sigma Z, *; \text{Map}(B, BG), f] &\longrightarrow [Z, *; \text{Aut}^G(E), id_E] \\ &\longrightarrow [Z, *; \text{Aut}(B; f), id_B] \longrightarrow 1. \end{aligned}$$

\square

§5. PRINCIPAL BUNDLES OVER A SUSPENSION SPACE

By Theorem 4.12, we can generalize [12, 2.2] under the assumption that $B \in WHK_*$ and (G, e) is an *NDR*-pair.

Theorem 5.1. *If $B, Z \in WHK_*$ and E is a numerable principal G -bundle over ΣB with the classifying map $f : \Sigma B \rightarrow BG$, then we have the following commutative*

diagram with exact rows

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
0 & \rightarrow & [\Sigma^{n+1}Z \wedge B, *; \Sigma B, *] / [[\Sigma^{n+1}Z, *; \Sigma B, *], 1] & \rightarrow & & & \\
& & \downarrow \chi & & & & \\
0 & \rightarrow & [\Sigma^n Z \wedge B, *; G, e] / \langle [\Sigma^n Z, *; G, e], f' \rangle & \rightarrow & & & \\
& & [\Sigma^n Z, *; \text{Map}(\Sigma B, \Sigma B), 1] & \xrightarrow{ev_*} & [\Sigma^n Z, *; \Sigma B, *] & \rightarrow & \\
& & \downarrow f_* & & \downarrow f_* & & \\
& & [\Sigma^n Z, *; \text{Map}(\Sigma B, BG), f] & \xrightarrow{ev_*} & [\Sigma^n Z, *; BG, *] & \rightarrow & \\
& & & & [\Sigma^n Z \wedge B, *; \Sigma B, *] & & \\
& & & & \downarrow \chi & & \\
& & & & [\Sigma^{n-1}Z \wedge B, *; G, e], & &
\end{array}$$

where 1 denotes the identity map of ΣB , $f' : (B, *) \rightarrow (G, e)$ is the composition of the adjoint of f and a homotopy inverse of the canonical H -equivalence $G \rightarrow k\Omega BG = \text{Map}_0(S_1, BG)$ given by [11], $\chi : [\Sigma^m Z \wedge B, *; \Sigma B, *] \rightarrow [\Sigma^m Z \wedge B, *; BG, *] \cong [\Sigma^{m-1}Z \wedge B, *; G, e]$ is the characteristic homomorphism, $* = f(*) \in BG$, and $\langle \cdot, f' \rangle$ is defined by the commutative square

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
[\Sigma^m Z, *; BG, *] & \xrightarrow{[\cdot, f]} & [\Sigma^m Z \wedge B, *; BG, *] \\
\cong \downarrow & & \downarrow \cong \\
[\Sigma^{m-1}Z, *; G, e] & \xrightarrow{\langle \cdot, f' \rangle} & [\Sigma^{m-1}Z \wedge B, *; G, e],
\end{array}$$

where $[\cdot, \cdot]$ denotes the generalized Whitehead product (see [9]).

Proof. By [8, 6.44, 2.100], the evaluation maps for $D = \Sigma B$ or BG

$$\begin{array}{l}
\text{Map}(\Sigma B, D) \rightarrow D, \\
\text{map}(\Sigma B, D) \rightarrow D
\end{array}$$

have the *CHEP* for *NDR*-pairs in *WHK*, so we have a commutative diagram of fibrations

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
\text{Map}_0(\Sigma B, \Sigma B) & \subset & \text{Map}(\Sigma B, \Sigma B) & \rightarrow & \Sigma B \\
\downarrow f_* & & \downarrow f_* & & \downarrow f \\
\text{Map}_0(\Sigma B, BG) & \subset & \text{Map}(\Sigma B, BG) & \rightarrow & BG.
\end{array}$$

Taking the homotopy exact sequences of the fibrations, we have the result by [9]. \square

§6. \mathcal{F} -FIBRATION MAP THEORY

We shall generalize Proposition 4.1 to \mathcal{F} -fibrations of J. P. May [10]. Let \mathcal{F} be a subcategory of Top (respectively WHK).

Definition 6.1. An \mathcal{F} -space is a map $p : E \rightarrow B$ in Top (resp. WHK) such that $p^{-1}(b)$ is empty or $p^{-1}(b) \in \mathcal{F}$ for each $b \in B$. Notice that if $\mathcal{F} \subset WHK$ then $k(p^{-1}(b)) = p^{-1}(b)$, since B is a T_1 -space. Let $p : E \rightarrow B$ and $q : D \rightarrow A$ be \mathcal{F} -spaces. An \mathcal{F} -map $(g, f) : q \rightarrow p$ is a commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} D & \xrightarrow{g} & E \\ q \downarrow & & \downarrow p \\ A & \xrightarrow{f} & B \end{array}$$

in Top (resp. WHK) such that $g : q^{-1}(a) \rightarrow p^{-1}(f(a))$ is in \mathcal{F} for each $a \in A$.

If $A = B$ and f is the identity map, then g is said to be an \mathcal{F} -map over B . An \mathcal{F} -homotopy is an \mathcal{F} -map (H, h) of the form

$$\begin{array}{ccc} I \times D & \xrightarrow{H} & E \\ id \times q \downarrow & & \downarrow p \\ I \times A & \xrightarrow{h} & B. \end{array}$$

If $A = B$ and $h(s, b) = b$, then H is said to be an \mathcal{F} -homotopy over B . An \mathcal{F} -map $g : D \rightarrow E$ over B is an \mathcal{F} -homotopy equivalence if there is an \mathcal{F} -map $g' : E \rightarrow D$ over B such that $g'g$ and gg' are \mathcal{F} -homotopic over B to the respective identity maps. An \mathcal{F} -space $p : E \rightarrow B$ is said to be \mathcal{F} -homotopy trivial if it is \mathcal{F} -homotopy equivalent to the projection $\pi_1 : B \times F$ (resp. $B \otimes F$) $\rightarrow B$ for some $F \in \mathcal{F}$.

Remark. We can work with the assumption of the surjectivity of \mathcal{F} -spaces.

Definition 6.2. An \mathcal{F} -space $p : E \rightarrow B$ has the \mathcal{F} -covering homotopy property (abbreviated \mathcal{F} -CHP) for an \mathcal{F} -space $q : D \rightarrow A$ if for every \mathcal{F} -map $(g, f) : q \rightarrow p$ and every homotopy $h : I \times A \rightarrow B$ of f , there exists a homotopy $H : I \times D \rightarrow E$ of g such that the pair (H, h) is an \mathcal{F} -homotopy. An \mathcal{F} -space is an \mathcal{F} -fibration if it has the \mathcal{F} -CHP for every \mathcal{F} -space.

For \mathcal{F} -spaces $p : E \rightarrow B$ and $q : D \rightarrow A$, we use the following notations:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{map}\mathcal{F}(q, p) &= \text{the set of } \mathcal{F}\text{-maps from } q \text{ to } p \\ &\subset \text{map}(D, E) \times \text{map}(A, B), \\ \Phi &= \Phi_{q,p} : \text{map}\mathcal{F}(q, p) \rightarrow \text{map}(A, B), \Phi(g, f) = f, \\ \phi &= \phi_{q,p} : \text{map}\mathcal{F}(q, p) \rightarrow \text{map}(D, E), \phi(g, f) = g, \\ \text{Map}\mathcal{F}(q, p) &= k(\text{map}\mathcal{F}(q, p)). \end{aligned}$$

Note that, if q is surjective, then $\phi : \text{map}\mathcal{F}(q, p) \rightarrow \text{map}(D, E)$ is injective.

Proposition 6.3. *Let $\mathcal{F} \subset WHK$. With the above notations, we have*

- (1) $\Phi : \text{Map}\mathcal{F}(q, p) \rightarrow \text{Map}(A, B)$ is continuous.
- (2) If p is an \mathcal{F} -fibration, then $\Phi : \text{Map}\mathcal{F}(q, p) \rightarrow \text{Map}(A, B)$ has the CHP in WHK .
- (3) If p has the \mathcal{F} -CHP for $\text{id} \otimes q : K \otimes D \rightarrow K \otimes A$ ($K \in WHK$), then $\Phi : \text{Map}\mathcal{F}(q, p) \rightarrow \text{Map}(A, B)$ has the CHP for K .
- (4) If $D, E \in WH$ and q is surjective and proclusive, then

$$\text{map}(D, E) \supset \text{Im}(\phi) \xrightarrow{\Phi\phi^{-1}} \text{map}(A, B)$$

is continuous on each compact set. Hence

$$\Phi\phi^{-1} : k(\text{Im}(\phi)) \rightarrow \text{Map}(A, B)$$

is continuous, and

$$\phi : \text{Map}\mathcal{F}(q, p) \cong k(\text{Im}(\phi))$$

is a homeomorphism.

Proof. Since the projection is continuous, (1) follows. Under the notations of (3), suppose the commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \{0\} \times K & \xrightarrow{h} & \text{Map}\mathcal{F}(q, p) \\ \cap & & \downarrow \Phi \\ I \times K & \xrightarrow{H} & \text{Map}(A, B). \end{array}$$

The adjoint of the composition of h with the inclusion and the projection

$$\text{Map}\mathcal{F}(q, p) \rightarrow \text{Map}(D, E) \otimes \text{Map}(A, B) \rightarrow \text{Map}(D, E)$$

is the map $h' : \{0\} \otimes K \otimes D \rightarrow E$. By the assumption, there exists a map J such that $(J, \text{ad}(H))$ is an \mathcal{F} -map and the following diagram is commutative

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \{0\} \otimes K \otimes D & \xrightarrow{h'} & E \\ \cap & & \downarrow = \\ I \otimes K \otimes D & \xrightarrow{J} & E \\ \text{id} \otimes \text{id} \otimes q \downarrow & & \downarrow p \\ I \otimes K \otimes A & \xrightarrow{\text{ad}(H)} & B. \end{array}$$

The adjoint of J and the map H give a map $I \otimes K \rightarrow \text{Map}\mathcal{F}(q, p)$ extending h and lifting Φ . This proves (3).

(2) can be proved by the same way as (3).

To prove (4), suppose that $D, E \in WH$ and q is surjective and proclusive. The surjectivity of q implies that $\phi : \text{map}\mathcal{F}(q, p) \rightarrow \text{Im}(\phi)$ is a bijection. Consider the functions

$$\text{map}(D, E) \supset \text{Im}(\phi) \xrightarrow{\phi^{-1}} \text{map}\mathcal{F}(q, p) \xrightarrow{\Phi} \text{map}(A, B).$$

Let $T \subset \text{Im}(\phi) \subset \text{map}(D, E)$ be a compact set, $g \in T$, and suppose that $\Phi\phi^{-1}(g) \in W(K, U)$, where $U \subset B$ is open and $K \subset A$ is compact.

Since $D, E \in WH$, $ev : \text{Map}(D, E) \otimes D \rightarrow E$ is continuous by [15,3.7]. Thus $ev : T \otimes D \rightarrow E$ is continuous. Since T is compact and q is proclusive, $id \times q : T \otimes D \rightarrow T \otimes A$ is proclusive by [14, 4.5], [11, 2.2] and [15, 3.8]. Hence we have a map Φ' making the following diagram commutative

$$\begin{array}{ccc} T \otimes D & \xrightarrow{ev} & E \\ id \times q \downarrow & & \downarrow p \\ T \otimes A & \xrightarrow{\Phi'} & B \end{array}$$

It follows that there exist neighborhoods V of g in T and V' of K in A such that $\Phi'(V, V') \subset U$. In particular, if $v \in V$, then $\Phi\phi^{-1}(v)(K) = \Phi'(v, K) \subset U$, so $\Phi\phi^{-1}(V) \subset W(K, U)$, thus $\Phi\phi^{-1}$ is continuous on T . \square

Example 6.4. Let G be a topological group in WHK and \mathcal{F} denote the category whose objects are right G -spaces Y such that, for all $y \in Y$, the function $y' : G \rightarrow Y$ defined by $y'(g) = yg$ is a homeomorphism and whose morphisms of \mathcal{F} are G -maps. A principal G -bundle is a surjective \mathcal{F} -space by 2.4. If $q : D \rightarrow A$ and $p : E \rightarrow B$ are principal G -bundles, then the maps $\text{map}\mathcal{F}(q, p) \subset \text{map}(D, E) \times \text{map}(A, B) \rightarrow \text{map}(D, E)$ give the homeomorphism

$$\text{Map}\mathcal{F}(q, p) \rightarrow \text{Map}^G(D, E)$$

by 6.3 (4). Since a numerable principal G -bundle has the \mathcal{F} -CHP for numerable principal G -bundles by [2, 7.8], 4.1 is a special case of 6.3 (3).

§7. FIBRATION MAP THEORY

Let \mathcal{F} be the category whose objects are weak Hausdorff k -spaces and morphisms are homotopy equivalences. In this case the \mathcal{F} -fibration map theory is called the fibration map theory in [16](cf. [3], [4]). He assumed base spaces of fibrations to be CW -complexes. We shall see that this assumption will not be necessary for some

results of [16].

If $p : E \rightarrow B$ and $f : A \rightarrow B$ are maps in WHK , then the pull back of them is denoted by f^*E , that is,

$$f^*E = k\{(a, x) \in A \times E \mid f(a) = p(x)\}.$$

Lemma 7.1. *If $p : E \rightarrow B$ is a fibration in WHK , then p is an \mathcal{F} -fibration.*

Proof. Let $q : D \rightarrow A$ be any \mathcal{F} -space, $(g, f) : q \rightarrow p$ an \mathcal{F} -map, and let $h : I \times A \rightarrow B$ be a homotopy of f . By the *CHP*, there exists a map $H : I \times D \rightarrow E$ such that $pH = h(id \times q)$ and $H_0 = g$. We shall prove that (H, h) is an \mathcal{F} -homotopy, that is, $H_t : q^{-1}(a) \rightarrow p^{-1}(h_t(a))$ is a homotopy equivalence for every $a \in A$ and every $t \in I$, by showing that the map $L : I \times q^{-1}(a) \rightarrow h^*E$ making the following diagram commutative is a homotopy equivalence on each fibre

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} I \times q^{-1}(a) & \xrightarrow{L} & h^*E & \longrightarrow & E \\ id \times q \downarrow & & \downarrow p' & & \downarrow p \\ I \times \{a\} & \xrightarrow{=} & I \times \{a\} & \xrightarrow{h} & B. \end{array}$$

Since $I \times \{a\}$ is contractible, it follows by [8, 6.57] that there exists a fibre homotopy equivalence α , which makes the following diagram commutative

$$\begin{array}{ccc} I \times (h^*E)_{(0,a)} & \xrightarrow{\alpha} & h^*E \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow p' \\ I \times \{a\} & \xrightarrow{=} & I \times \{a\}. \end{array}$$

Let β be a fibre homotopy inverse of α , and let $\theta : I \times q^{-1}(a) \rightarrow h^*E \rightarrow I \times (h^*E)_{(0,a)} \rightarrow (h^*E)_{(0,a)}$ be the composition of L , β and the projection. By the assumption, θ_0 is a homotopy equivalence, hence so are $\theta_t = \beta_t L_t$ and $\alpha_t \beta_t L_t$ for every t . Since the latter is homotopic to L_t , L_t is a homotopy equivalence. This completes the proof. \square

By 6.3(2) and 7.1, we have

Corollary 7.2. *If $p : E \rightarrow B$ is a fibration in WHK and $q : D \rightarrow A$ is a map in WHK , then*

$$\Phi : \text{Map}\mathcal{F}(q, p) \rightarrow \text{Map}(A, B)$$

is a fibration in WHK . \square

Under the notations of 7.2, in addition, if q is also a surjective and proclusive fibration in WHK , for example by [8, 6.36], or if q is a surjective fibration in *Top* such that $D, A \in WHK$ and A is locally path-connected, then $\text{Map}\mathcal{F}(q, p) \cong k(\text{Im}(\phi)) = G^*(D, E)$ by 6.3(4), where G^* is the notation of [16].

Theorem 7.3. *Let $q : D \rightarrow A$ and $p : E \rightarrow B$ be fibrations in WHK and (A, A_0) be an NDR -pair in WHK . Set $D_0 = q^{-1}(A_0)$, $q_0 = q | D_0 : D_0 \rightarrow A_0$, and let $i : D_0 \rightarrow D$ be the inclusion. Then*

$$i^* : \text{Map}\mathcal{F}(q, p) \rightarrow \text{Map}\mathcal{F}(q_0, p)$$

is a fibration in WHK .

Proof. Suppose a commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \{0\} \times K & \xrightarrow{h} & \text{Map}\mathcal{F}(q, p) \\ \cap & & \downarrow i^* \\ I \times K & \xrightarrow{H} & \text{Map}\mathcal{F}(q_0, p). \end{array}$$

Taking the adjoints, we have the commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} I \otimes K \otimes D \supset \{0\} \otimes K \otimes D \cup I \otimes K \otimes D_0 & \xrightarrow{(\phi h)' \cup (\phi H)'} & E \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow p \\ I \otimes K \otimes A \supset \{0\} \otimes K \otimes A \cup I \otimes K \otimes A_0 & \xrightarrow{(\Phi h)' \cup (\Phi H)'} & B, \end{array}$$

where the prime ' denotes the adjoint. Since (A, A_0) is an NDR -pair, it follows that $(I, 0) \otimes K \otimes (A, A_0)$ is also an NDR -pair, hence $(\Phi h)' \cup (\Phi H)'$ can be extended to a map $f : I \otimes K \otimes A \rightarrow B$, and we have the following commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \{0\} \otimes K \otimes D \cup I \otimes K \otimes D_0 & \xrightarrow{(\phi h)' \cup (\phi H)'} & E \\ \cap & & \\ I \otimes K \otimes D & & \downarrow p \\ \text{\scriptsize } id \otimes q \downarrow & & \\ I \otimes K \otimes A & \xrightarrow{f} & B. \end{array}$$

By [8, 6.42], (D, D_0) is an NDR -pair, and so is $(I, 0) \otimes K \otimes (D, D_0)$. Hence there exists a map $g : I \otimes K \otimes D \rightarrow E$ extending $(\phi h)' \cup (\phi H)'$ and lifting $f(id \otimes q)$. By the same proof of 7.1, we know that (g, f) is an \mathcal{F} -homotopy. Then $g' : I \otimes K \rightarrow \text{Map}\mathcal{F}(q, p)$, the adjoint of g , is an extension of h and a lifting of H . This completes the proof. \square

Let $q : D \rightarrow A$ and $p : E \rightarrow B$ be fibrations in WHK , A_0 a k -subspace of A , $D_0 = q^{-1}(A_0)$ the k -subspace of D , and let $q_0 : D_0 \rightarrow A_0$ be the restriction of q . Let $(g, f) : q_0 \rightarrow p$ be an \mathcal{F} -map. Under this situation we define

Definition 7.4. *We set*

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Map}\mathcal{F}_{(g,f)}(q \bmod q_0, p) &= k\{(u, v) \in \text{Map}\mathcal{F}(q, p); u \mid D_0 = g, v \mid A_0 = f\} \\ &= \{(u, v) \in \text{Map}\mathcal{F}(q, p); u \mid D_0 = g, v \mid A_0 = f\}. \end{aligned}$$

Theorem 7.5. *If (A, A_0) is an NDR-pair in WHK , then, under the above situation, the restriction of Φ :*

$$\text{Map}\mathcal{F}_{(g,f)}(q \bmod q_0, p) \rightarrow \text{Map}_f(A \bmod A_0, B)$$

is a fibration in WHK , where $\text{Map}_f(A \bmod A_0, B) = k\{w \in \text{Map}(A, B); w \mid A_0 = f\} = \{w \in \text{Map}(A, B); w \mid A_0 = f\}$.

Proof. Let $K \in WHK$ and suppose the left square of

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \{0\} \otimes K & \xrightarrow{j} & \text{Map}\mathcal{F}_{(g,f)}(q \bmod q_0, p) & \xrightarrow{i} & \text{Map}\mathcal{F}(q, p) \\ & & \downarrow \Phi & & \downarrow \Phi \\ I \otimes K & \xrightarrow{h} & \text{Map}_f(A \bmod A_0, B) & \xrightarrow{i} & \text{Map}(A, B) \end{array}$$

is commutative, where i are the canonical injections. Then we have the commutative diagram (note that $\phi : \text{Map}\mathcal{F}(q, p) \rightarrow \text{Map}(D, E)$)

$$\begin{array}{ccc} I \otimes K \otimes D_0 \cup \{0\} \otimes K \otimes D & \xrightarrow{m \cup j'} & E \\ & \cap & \\ & I \otimes K \otimes D & \downarrow p \\ & \downarrow & \\ I \otimes K \otimes A & \xrightarrow{h'} & B, \end{array}$$

where m is the composition of the projection $I \otimes K \otimes D_0 \rightarrow D_0$ and g , and j' and h' are the adjoints of ϕj and ih respectively. Since $(I, 0) \otimes K \otimes (D, D_0)$ is an NDR-pair, there exists a map $n : I \otimes K \otimes D \rightarrow E$ extending $m \cup j'$ and lifting $h'(id \otimes q)$. By the proof of 6.1, (n, h') is an \mathcal{F} -map. As is easily seen, the adjoint of n factorizes into

$$I \otimes K \xrightarrow{n'} \text{Map}\mathcal{F}_{(g,f)}(q \bmod q_0, p) \rightarrow \text{Map}\mathcal{F}(q, p) \rightarrow \text{Map}(D, E),$$

and n' is the desired map. \square

Theorem 7.6. *Let $q : D \rightarrow A$ and $p : E \rightarrow B$ be fibrations in WHK such that A is numerably categorical in the sense of [8] (for example, when A is a CW -complex). Then each non-empty fibre of the fibration $\Phi_{q,p} : \text{Map}\mathcal{F}(q,p) \rightarrow \text{Map}(A,B)$ has the same homotopy type as $\Phi_{p,q}^{-1}(id_A)$.*

Proof. Let $f \in \text{Map}(A,B)$ be any map such that $\Phi_{q,p}^{-1}(f)$ is non-empty. Let

$$\begin{array}{ccc} f^*E & \xrightarrow{j} & E \\ r \downarrow & & \downarrow p \\ A & \xrightarrow{f} & B \end{array}$$

be the commutative square of the induced fibration. Then we have the following commutative square

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \text{Map}\mathcal{F}(q,r) & \xrightarrow{j_* \times f_*} & \text{Map}\mathcal{F}(q,p) \\ \Phi \downarrow & & \downarrow \Phi \\ \text{Map}(A,A) & \xrightarrow{f_*} & \text{Map}(A,B). \end{array}$$

By the last square, we have a map

$$\xi : \Phi_{q,r}^{-1}(id_A) \rightarrow \Phi_{q,p}^{-1}(f).$$

Note that the composition of $\Phi^{-1}(f) \subset \text{map}\mathcal{F} \subset \text{map}(D,E) \times \text{map}(A,B) \rightarrow \text{map}(D,A \times E)$ is continuous and has the image in $\text{map}(D, f^*E) \subset \text{map}(D, A \times E)$, where the last map assigns $q \times g : D \rightarrow A \times E$ to (g, h) . For simplicity, we denote the image of (g, f) under this map by g' . Since A is numerably categorical, g' is a fibre homotopy equivalence by [2, 6.3] (cf.[8, 7.58]). We have a map

$$\Phi_{q,p}^{-1}(f) \rightarrow \Phi_{q,r}^{-1}(id_A)$$

assigning to (g, f) the pair (g', id_A) . As is easily seen, this is the inverse of ξ , so ξ is a homeomorphism.

Choose arbitrary $(g_0, f) \in \Phi_{q,p}^{-1}(f)$. Let $g_0'' : f^*E \rightarrow D$ be a fibre homotopy inverse of g_0' . We have the commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \text{Map}\mathcal{F}(q,r) & \xrightarrow{g_0'' \times id} & \text{Map}\mathcal{F}(q,q) & \xrightarrow{g_0' \times id} & \text{Map}\mathcal{F}(q,r) \\ \downarrow \Phi_{q,r} & & \downarrow \Phi_{q,q} & & \downarrow \Phi_{q,r} \\ \text{Map}(A,A) & = & \text{Map}(A,A) & = & \text{Map}(A,A). \end{array}$$

Let $H : I \times D \rightarrow D$ and $L : I \times f^*E \rightarrow f^*E$ be fibre homotopy maps from suitable identity map to $g''_0 g'_0$ and $g'_0 g''_0$ respectively. We define maps

$$\begin{aligned}\alpha &: \Phi_{q,r}^{-1}(id_A) \rightarrow \Phi_{q,q}^{-1}(id_A), \\ \beta &: \Phi_{q,q}^{-1}(id_A) \rightarrow \Phi_{q,r}^{-1}(id_A)\end{aligned}$$

by the restrictions of $g''_0 \times id$ and $g'_0 \times id$ respectively. Then

$$\begin{aligned}\beta\alpha(u, id_A) &= (g'_0 g''_0 u, id_A), \\ \alpha\beta(v, id_A) &= (g''_0 g'_0 v, id_A).\end{aligned}$$

Let $L' : I \times \Phi_{q,r}^{-1}(id_A) \rightarrow \Phi_{q,r}^{-1}(id_A)$ and $H' : I \times \Phi_{q,q}^{-1}(id_A) \rightarrow \Phi_{q,q}^{-1}(id_A)$ be defined by $L'(t, u, id) = (L_t u, id)$ and $H'(t, v, id_A) = (H_t v, id_A)$. Then L' is a homotopy of id to $\beta\alpha$ and H' is a homotopy of id to $\alpha\beta$. This implies that α is a homotopy equivalence of which a homotopy inverse is β . Hence $\Phi_{q,p}^{-1}(f)$ and $\Phi_{q,q}^{-1}(id_A)$ have the same homotopy type. \square

Theorem 7.7. *Let $p : E \rightarrow B$ be a fibration in WHK , (B, A) an NDR-pair, and let $q : D = p^{-1}(A) \rightarrow A$ be the restriction of p . Then*

$$i^* : \Phi_{q,p}^{-1}(id_B) \rightarrow \Phi_{q,q}^{-1}(id_A)$$

is a fibration in WHK , where $i : D \subset E$ is the inclusion.

Proof. Let $K \in WHK$ and suppose a commutative square

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}\{0\} \otimes K & \xrightarrow{g} & \Phi_{p,p}^{-1}(id_B) & \xrightarrow{\phi} & Map(E, E) \\ & & \downarrow i^* & & \\ I \otimes K & \xrightarrow{f} & \Phi_{q,q}^{-1}(id_A) & \xrightarrow{\phi} & Map(D, D).\end{array}$$

Then we have the commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc}\{0\} \otimes K \otimes E \cup I \otimes K \otimes D & \xrightarrow{g' \cup f'} & E \\ \cap & & \\ I \otimes K \otimes E & & \downarrow p \\ id \otimes p \downarrow & & \\ I \otimes K \otimes B & \xrightarrow{\pi} & B,\end{array}$$

where g' and f' are adjoints of ϕg and ϕf respectively, and π is the projection. By the *CHEP*, there exists a map $h : I \otimes K \otimes E \rightarrow E$ extending $g' \cup f'$ and lifting $\pi(id \otimes p)$. By the proof of 7.1, $(h, \pi) \in \text{Map}\mathcal{F}(id \circ p, p)$. Note that $I \otimes K \rightarrow \text{Map}(B, B)$, the adjoint of π , is constant into id_B . Thus the adjoint of h defines the map $I \otimes K \rightarrow \Phi_{p,p}^{-1}(id_B)$ which is an extension of g and a lifting of f . \square

Remark. For function spaces, we have considered the compact open topology. We note that we can consider the quasi-compact open topology, and that the k -ification of this topology coincides with the k -ification of the compact-open topology in *WHK*.

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