

Higher Order Nonsingular Immersions of Dold Manifolds.

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Abstract

In this paper we employ β – operations and characteristic classes to study nonexistence of higher order nonsingular immersions of Dold manifolds into a Euclidean space.

1.0 Introduction

In [1], [2] and [3], Atiyah, Feldman and Pohl have considered higher order tangent bundles of a smooth manifold M and the higher order nonsingular immersion of M into Euclidean spaces. In [4], [5] and [6], Suzuki obtained some higher order non-immersion theorems of projective spaces into Euclidean spaces or projective spaces by means of characteristic classes, β – operations and spin operations. In [7], [8] and [9], Khare, Mukerjee and Yoshioka obtained complete formulas of Stiefel-Whitney classes of higher order tangent bundles of complex projective spaces and Dold manifolds and applied the results to higher order non-immersions of these spaces. The purpose of this paper is to prove a higher order non-immersion theorem for Dold manifolds, using β -operations and characteristic classes.

Preliminaries.

Let M be an n -dimensional smooth manifold. Suppose $T_q(M)$ be the q^{th} order tangent bundle of M , then $T_q(M)$ is a smooth $V(n,q)$ -vector bundle, where $v(n,q) = \binom{n+q}{q} - 1$. Set $T_q^0(M) = V(n,q) - T_q(M)$ in $[KO] \sim (M)$. Let λ^i, β^i and \aleph -dim be as defined in [1]. Let $W^q(M), \hat{W}^q(M), Wi^q(M)$, and $\hat{wi}^q(M)$ be total, dual total, i – dimensional and dual i -dimensional Stiefel – Whitney class of $T_q(M)$ respectively. Let \subseteq_q denote q^{th} order nonsingular immersion and $\not\subseteq_q$ its negative. We have the following theorem.

Theorem 1. Following Mukerjee [8] and Suzuki [4].

- a. If $M \subseteq \mathbb{R}^{v(n,q)+u}$, then $\hat{W}_i^q = 0$ for $i > u \geq 0$;
- b. If $M \subseteq_q \mathbb{R}^{v(n,q)+u}$, then $W_i^q = 0$ for $0 \geq u > -i$;
- c. If $M \subseteq_q \mathbb{R}^{v(n,q)+u}$, then $\beta^i(T_q(M)) = 0$ for $i > u \geq 0$;
- d. If $M \subseteq_q \mathbb{R}^{v(n,q)+u}$, then $\beta^i(-T_q(M)) = 0$ for $0 \geq u > -i$.

Let $\mu^i : KO(M) \rightarrow KO(M)$ { or $\mu^i : K(M) \rightarrow K(M)$ } ($i = 1, 2, 3, \dots$) be the symmetric i^{th} power operation which has the following properties from [3].

- (i). $\mu^0 x = x$, (ii). $\mu^1 x = x$,
- (iii) $\mu^i(x + y) = \sum_j \mu^j x \cdot \mu^{i-j} y$ for $x, y \in KO(M)$. Then,

Theorem 2. In ([3]), $T_q(M) = \mu^q(T(M) + 1) - 1$.

Nonimmersion theorem and its proof.

Let $\mathcal{R}q^m, Cq^n$ and $\mathcal{D}(m,n)$ be m -dimensional real, n -dimensional complex projective spaces and a Dold manifold

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manifold of type (m,n) respectively. In this section we will show the higher order nonimmersion theorem for $\mathcal{D}(m,n)$. Let $Y : K(m) \rightarrow K0(m)$ be the realification. Let φ and α be the canonical line bundles over $\mathcal{R}q^m$ and Cq^n , respectively. Let φ and α be the bundles over $\mathcal{D}(m,n)$ which are defined in [10]. We have the following:

Proposition 1. In [10] we have a 1- plane bundle φ and a 2 – plane bundle α over $\mathcal{D}(m,n)$ such that

- (i). $i^* \varphi = \varphi, j^* \alpha = Y(\alpha), i^* \alpha = 1 + Y;$
- (ii). $\varphi \otimes \varphi = 1, \varphi \otimes \alpha = \alpha$ where $i : \mathcal{R}q^m \rightarrow \mathcal{D}(m,n), j : Cq^n \rightarrow \mathcal{D}(m,n)$ are inclusions.

Theorem 3. Using [7] and [10], $\mu^i(\mathcal{D}(m,n)) \oplus \varphi \oplus 2 = (m+1)\varphi \oplus (n+1)\alpha$. Now, let $i : \mathcal{R}q^m \rightarrow \mathcal{D}(m,n), j : Cq^n \rightarrow \mathcal{D}(m,n)$ be inclusions. From theorem 2, theorem 3 and the natural property of μ^i , we have,

Theorem 4.

- (i) $i^* \tau_q(\mathcal{D}(m,n)) = \sum_{0 < odd i \leq q} \binom{n+q-i-1}{q-i} \binom{m+n+i}{i} \varphi + \sum_{0 \leq even i \leq q} \binom{n+q-i-1}{q-i} \binom{m+n+i}{i} - 1,$
- (ii) $j^* \tau_q(\mathcal{D}(m,n)) = - \sum_{i=0}^q \binom{m+q-i-2}{q-i} \mu^i((n+1)\alpha) - 1,$

from Theorem 4 we get,

$$i^* \tau_q^0(\mathcal{D}(m,n)) = - \sum_{0 < odd i \leq q} \binom{n+q-i-1}{q-i} \binom{m+n+i}{i} \Psi,$$

where $\Psi = \varphi - 1$. By [1] and [7],

$$\text{we obtain } \beta^i(i^* \tau_q^0(\mathcal{D}(m,n))) = \pm 2^{i-1} \binom{G+i-1}{i} \Psi$$

$$\text{and } \beta^i(-i^* \tau_q^0(\mathcal{D}(m,n))) = \pm 2^{i-1} \binom{G}{i} \Psi,$$

where

$$G = \sum_{0 < odd i \leq q} \binom{n+q-i-1}{q-i} \binom{m+n+i}{i}.$$

$$\text{Hence, } \beta^i(i^* \tau_q^0(\mathcal{D}(m,n))) = 0 \Leftrightarrow 2^{i-1} \binom{G+i-1}{i} \equiv 0 \pmod{2^{\Pi(m)}}$$

$$\text{and } \beta^i(-i^* \tau_q^0(\mathcal{D}(m,n))) = 0 \Leftrightarrow 2^{i-1} \binom{G}{i} \equiv 0 \pmod{2^{\Pi(m)}},$$

where $\Pi(m)$ = number of integers Ω for $0 < \Omega \leq m$ and $\Omega = 0, 1, 2,$ or $4 \pmod 8$.

Applying the same method as in [9],

$$\text{we can get } K_i(j^* \tau_q(\mathcal{D}(m,n))) = \binom{\delta}{i} \vartheta^i \text{ and } \tilde{K}_i(j^* \tau_q(\mathcal{D}(m,n))) = \binom{\delta+i-1}{i} \vartheta^i,$$

where ϑ = generator of $H^2(Cq^n; \mathbb{Z}_2)$

$$\text{and } \delta = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{0 < odd i \leq q} \binom{m+q-i-2}{q-i} \binom{2n+i+1}{i}.$$

$$\text{Let us define } g_1 = \max\{i \mid i > 0, 2^{i-1} \binom{G+i-1}{i} \not\equiv 0 \pmod{2^{\pi(m)}}\},$$

$$g_2 = \max\{i \mid i > 0, 2^{i-1} \binom{G}{i} \not\equiv 0 \pmod{2^{\pi(m)}}\},$$

$$g'_1 = \max\{i \mid 0 < i \leq m, \binom{G+i-1}{i} \not\equiv 0 \pmod 2\}, g'_2 = \max\{i \mid 0 < i \leq m, \binom{G}{i} \not\equiv 0 \pmod 2\},$$

$$\delta_1 = \max\{i \mid 0 < i \leq n, \binom{\delta+i-1}{i} \not\equiv 0 \pmod 2\},$$

$$\delta_2 = \max\{i \mid 0 < i \leq n, \binom{\delta}{i} \not\equiv 0 \pmod 2\}, f_1 = \max\{g_1, g'_1, \delta_1\}, f_2 = \max\{g_2, g'_2, \delta_2\}.$$

Theorem 5. If $-f_2 < B < f_1$, then $\mathcal{D}(m,n) \not\subseteq_q \mathbb{R}^{v(m+n,q)+B}$

Proof. Using the natural properties of β^i -operations and Stiefel –whitney class, we have that

$$\beta^i(i * \tau_q^0(\mathcal{D}(m, n))) \neq 0, \quad \beta^i(-i * \tau_q^0(\mathcal{D}(m, n))) \neq 0,$$

$$K_i(j * \tau_q(\mathcal{D}(m, n))) \neq 0 \text{ and } \check{K}_i(j * \tau_q(\mathcal{D}(m, n))) \neq 0$$

this implies $\beta^i(i * \tau_q^0(\mathcal{D}(m, n))) \neq 0,$

$$\beta^i(-i * \tau_q^0(\mathcal{D}(m, n))) \neq 0,$$

$$K_i^q(\mathcal{D}(m, n)) \neq 0$$

and

$$\check{K}_i^q(\mathcal{D}(m, n)) \neq 0, \text{ respectively.}$$

Remarks.

(i) In Theorem 5, if we use Pontrjagin classes instead of Stiefel-whitney classes, then when $q = 1$ we recover the main results of Ucci [10].

(ii) In [6] and [9], Suzuki and Yoshioka obtained the following formula $K^q(\mathcal{D}(m, n)) = (1 + \varphi)^{G'}(1 + \varphi + \sigma)^{\delta'}$, where φ, σ are the classes which are defined in [10]. From this formula we obtain the following results.

Theorem 6.

$$\text{Let } \delta'_1 = \max\{i \mid 0 < i = \partial + 2\vartheta \leq m + 2n, \sum_{0 \leq \beta \leq \min(\partial, \delta' - \vartheta)} \binom{G'}{\partial - \beta} * \frac{\delta'!}{(\delta' - \vartheta - \beta)! \beta! \vartheta!} \not\equiv 0 \pmod{2}\}.$$

$$\delta'_2 = \max\{i \mid 0 < i = \partial + 2\vartheta \leq m + 2n, \sum_{0 \leq \beta \leq \min(\partial, 2^u - \delta' - \vartheta)} \binom{G' - 1 + \partial - \beta}{\partial - \beta} * \frac{(2^u - \delta')!}{(2^u - \delta' - \vartheta - \beta)! \beta! \vartheta!} \not\equiv 0 \pmod{2}\}.$$

$$\text{Where } G' = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{0 \leq \text{even } i \leq q} \left\{ \binom{2n + q + i + 1}{i} + (-1)^{\rho - 1} \frac{m + 2(q - i) - 1}{m - 1} \binom{n + 2^{-1}i}{2^{-1}i} \right\} * \binom{m + q - i - 2}{m - 2},$$

$$\delta' = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{0 < \text{odd } i \leq q} \binom{2n + q + i + 1}{i} \binom{m + q - i - 2}{m - 2}, u \text{ is an integer such that } 2^u > \max\{mn, \delta' - 1\}.$$

If ξ is an integer such that $-\delta'_1 < \xi < \delta'_2$, then $\mathcal{D}(m, n) \not\subseteq_q R^{v(m+2n, q)^\xi}$. Now we give some examples to show that in some cases our theorem 5 can give sharper non immersion results than the above theorem.

(1) When $q = 1$, then $G' = m$,

$$\delta' = n + 1, \quad G = m + n + 1, \quad \delta = n + 1. \text{ Let } (m, n) = (14, 1).$$

Then $K(\mathcal{D}(m, n)) = (1 + \varphi)^{14} (1 + \varphi + \eta)^2 = 1$ and theorem 6 gives no information.

By direct calculations we have $f_1 = 4$. So we have :

Corollary 1. $\mathcal{D}(14, 1) \not\subseteq R^{16+\xi}, \xi \leq 3$. In general, let $(m, n) = (2^y - 2^t, 2^t - 1), y \geq t \geq 0$.

Then $K(\mathcal{D}(m, n)) = (1 + \varphi)^{2^y - 2^t} (1 + \varphi + \eta)^{2^t} = 1$ and theorem 6 gives no information. By direct calculations we have $f_1 \geq 2^{t-1}(2^{y-t} - 1) - y$ if $t \geq 1, f_1 \geq 2^{y-2}$ if $y \geq 4$ and $t = 0$. Then we have:

Corollary 2. (a) If $u < 2^t - 1(2^{y-t} - 1) - y$, then $\mathcal{D}(m, n) \not\subseteq R^{m+2m+u}$, where $(m, n) = (2^y - 2^t, 2^t - 1), y \geq t \geq 1$.

(b) In ([1]), if $\xi < 2^{y-2}$, then $\mathcal{D}(m, 0) \not\subseteq R^{m+\xi}$, where $m = 2^y - 1, y \geq 4$.

(2) when $q = 2$, then $G' = (n+1)^2 - m, \delta' = (n+1)(m-1), G = n(m+n+1)$. Let $(m, n) = (12, 3)$. Then $K^2(\mathcal{D}(m, n)) = (1 + \varphi)^4 (1 + \varphi + \eta)^{44} = 1$ and theorem 6 gives no information. By direct calculations we have $f_1 = 4, f_2 = 4$. Thus we obtain:

Corollary 3. $\mathcal{D}(12, 3) \not\subseteq_2 R^{189+\xi}, -3 \leq \xi \leq 3$.

Now, let $(m, n) = (2^y - 2^t, 2^t - 1), y \geq t \geq 1$. Then $K^2(\mathcal{D}(m, n)) = (1 + \varphi)^{2t - 2y + 2t} (1 + \varphi + \eta)^{2t(2y - 2^t - 1)} = (1 + \varphi)^{2y(2^t - 1)} = 1$ and theorem 6 gives no information. By direct calculations we have $f_1 \geq 2^{t-1}(2^{y-t} - 1) - y, f_2 \geq 2^{t-1}(2^{y-t} - 1) - y$. thus we obtain:

Corollary 4. If $-2^{t-1}(2^{y-t} - 1) + y < \xi < 2^{t-1}(2^{y-t} - 1) - y$, then $\mathcal{D}(m, n) \not\subseteq_2 R^{v(m+2n, 2)^\xi}$, where $(m, n) = (2^y - 2^t, 2^t - 1), y \geq t \geq 1$.

Conclusion

We used β – operations (Pontrjagin) and Stiefel-Whitney classes to show higher order nonsingular immersions of Dold manifolds. Tangent bundles of manifolds at point q are applied for the prove. $\beta^i(i * \tau_q^0(\mathcal{D}(m, n))) \neq 0$ and $\beta^i(-i * \tau_q^0(\mathcal{D}(m, n))) \neq 0$.

Also, $K_i(j * \tau_q(\mathcal{D}(m, n))) \neq 0$ and $\tilde{K}_i(j * \tau_q(\mathcal{D}(m, n))) \neq 0$.

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