

## SOME RESULTS ON THE FIFTH SINGER TRANSFER

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### Abstract

We study the algebraic transfer constructed by Singer [16] using technique of the *hit problem*. In this paper, we show that Singer's conjecture for the algebraic transfer is true in the case of five variables and degree  $r \cdot 2^s - 5$  with  $r = 3, 4$  and  $s$  an arbitrary positive integer.

## 1 Introduction

Let  $V_k$  be an elementary abelian 2-group of rank  $k$ . Denote by  $BV_k$  the classifying space of  $V_k$ . It is well-known that

$$P_k := H^*(BV_k) \cong \mathbb{F}_2[x_1, x_2, \dots, x_k],$$

a polynomial algebra in  $k$  variables  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_k$ , each of degree 1. Here the cohomology is taken with coefficients in the prime field  $\mathbb{F}_2$  of two elements. Then,  $P_k$  is a module over the mod-2 Steenrod algebra,  $\mathcal{A}$ . The action of  $\mathcal{A}$  on  $P_k$  is determined by the elementary properties of the Steenrod squares  $Sq^i$  and subject to the Cartan formula (see Steenrod and Epstein [18]).

Let  $GL_k$  be the general linear group over the field  $\mathbb{F}_2$ . This group acts naturally on  $P_k$  by matrix substitution. Since the two actions of  $\mathcal{A}$  and  $GL_k$  upon  $P_k$  commute with each other, there is an inherited action of  $GL_k$  on  $\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_k$ .

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Denote by  $(P_k)_n$  the subspace of  $P_k$  consisting of all the homogeneous polynomials of degree  $n$  in  $P_k$  and by  $(\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_k)_n$  the subspace of  $\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_k$  consisting of all the classes represented by the elements in  $(P_k)_n$ . In [16], Singer defined the algebraic transfer, which is a homomorphism

$$\varphi_k : \text{Tor}_{k,k+n}^{\mathcal{A}}(\mathbb{F}_2, \mathbb{F}_2) \rightarrow (\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_k)_n^{GL_k}$$

from the homology of the mod-2 Steenrod algebra to the subspace of  $(\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_k)_n$  consisting of all the  $GL_k$ -invariant classes.

The Singer algebraic transfer was studied by many authors. (See Boardman [1], Bruner-Ha-Hung [2], Ha [7], Hung [8, 9], Chon-Ha [4, 5, 6], Minami [13], Nam [14], Hung-Quynh [10], Quynh [15], the first author [21] and others).

Singer showed in [16] that  $\varphi_k$  is an isomorphism for  $k = 1, 2$ . Boardman showed in [1] that  $\varphi_3$  is also an isomorphism. However, for any  $k \geq 4$ ,  $\varphi_k$  is not a monomorphism in infinitely many degrees (see Singer [16], Hung [9]). Singer made the following conjecture.

**Conjecture 1.1 (Singer [16]).** *The algebraic transfer  $\varphi_k$  is an epimorphism for any  $k \geq 0$ .*

The conjecture is true for  $k \leq 3$ . Based on the results in [19, 20], it can be verified for  $k = 4$ . We hope that it is also true in this case.

The purpose of the paper is to verify this conjecture for  $k = 5$ . The following is the main result of the paper.

**Theorem 1.2.** *Singer's conjecture is true for  $k = 5$  and  $n = r \cdot 2^s - 5$  with  $r = 3, 4$  and  $s$  an arbitrary positive integer.*

We prove this theorem by studying the  $\mathbb{F}_2$ -vector space  $(\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)^{GL_5}$ . Based on the results in [23, 24], we have the following.

**Theorem 1.3.** *Let  $n$  be as in Theorem 1.2. Then, we have  $(\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_n^{GL_5} = 0$ .*

Obviously, Theorem 1.3 implies Theorem 1.2. Note that for  $r = 4$  and  $s = 2$ , the above results are due to Quynh [15].

Furthermore, from the results of Tangora [22], Lin [12] and Chen [3], for  $r = 3$ ,  $\text{Ext}_{\mathcal{A}}^{5,3 \cdot 2^s}(\mathbb{F}_2, \mathbb{F}_2) = 0$ . By passing to the dual, one gets  $\text{Tor}_{5,3 \cdot 2^s}^{\mathcal{A}}(\mathbb{F}_2, \mathbb{F}_2) = 0$ . Hence, by Theorem 1.3, the homomorphism

$$\varphi_5 : \text{Tor}_{5,3 \cdot 2^s}^{\mathcal{A}}(\mathbb{F}_2, \mathbb{F}_2) \rightarrow (\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_{3 \cdot 2^s - 5}^{GL_5}$$

is an isomorphism. For  $r = 4$ ,

$$\text{Ext}_{\mathcal{A}}^{5,4 \cdot 2^s}(\mathbb{F}_2, \mathbb{F}_2) = \begin{cases} \langle P(h_2) \rangle, & \text{if } s = 2, \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

By passing to the dual, we obtain

$$\mathrm{Tor}_{5,4,2^s}^{\mathcal{A}}(\mathbb{F}_2, \mathbb{F}_2) = \begin{cases} \langle P(h_2)^* \rangle, & \text{if } s = 2, \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

So, by Theorem 1.3, the homomorphism

$$\varphi_5 : \mathrm{Tor}_{5,4,2^s}^{\mathcal{A}}(\mathbb{F}_2, \mathbb{F}_2) \rightarrow (\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_{4,2^s-5}^{GL_5}$$

is an epimorphism. However, it is not a monomorphism for  $s = 2$ .

In the remaining part of the paper we prove Theorem 1.3.

## 2 Preliminaries

In this section, we recall a result from Singer [17] which will be used in the next section.

Let  $\alpha_i(a)$  denote the  $i$ -th coefficient in dyadic expansion of a non-negative integer  $a$ . That means

$$a = \alpha_0(a)2^0 + \alpha_1(a)2^1 + \alpha_2(a)2^2 + \dots,$$

for  $\alpha_i(a) = 0, 1$  and  $i \geq 0$ .

**Definition 2.1.** For a monomial  $x = x_1^{a_1} x_2^{a_2} \dots x_k^{a_k} \in P_k$ , we define two sequences associated with  $x$  by

$$\omega(x) = (\omega_1(x), \omega_2(x), \dots, \omega_i(x), \dots), \quad \sigma(x) = (a_1, a_2, \dots, a_k),$$

where  $\omega_i(x) = \sum_{1 \leq j \leq k} \alpha_{i-1}(a_j)$ ,  $i \geq 1$ . The sequence  $\omega(x)$  is called the weight vector of  $x$ .

Let  $\omega = (\omega_1, \omega_2, \dots, \omega_i, \dots)$  be a sequence of non-negative integers. The sequence  $\omega$  is called the weight vector if  $\omega_i = 0$  for  $i \gg 0$ .

The sets of all the weight vectors and the sigma vectors are given the left lexicographical order.

For a weight vector  $\omega$ , we define  $\deg \omega = \sum_{i>0} 2^{i-1} \omega_i$ . Denote by  $P_k(\omega)$  the subspace of  $P_k$  spanned by monomials  $y$  such that  $\deg y = \deg \omega$ ,  $\omega(y) \leq \omega$ , and by  $P_k^-(\omega)$  the subspace of  $P_k$  spanned by monomials  $y \in P_k(\omega)$  such that  $\omega(y) < \omega$ .

**Definition 2.2.** Let  $\omega$  be a weight vector of degree  $n$  and  $f, g \in (P_k)_n$ .

- i)  $f \equiv g$  if and only if  $f - g \in \mathcal{A}^+ P_k$ . If  $f \equiv 0$ , then  $f$  is called hit.
- ii)  $f \equiv_{\omega} g$  if and only if  $f - g \in \mathcal{A}^+ P_k + P_k^-(\omega)$ .

Obviously, the relations  $\equiv$  and  $\equiv_\omega$  are equivalence ones. Note that if  $\omega$  is a minimal sequence of degree  $n$ , then  $f \equiv_\omega g$  if and only if  $f \equiv g$  (see Theorem 2.4.) Denote by  $QP_k(\omega)$  the quotient of  $P_k(\omega)$  by the equivalence relation  $\equiv_\omega$ . Then, we have

$$QP_k(\omega) = P_k(\omega)/((\mathcal{A}^+ P_k \cap P_k(\omega)) + P_k^-(\omega)).$$

It is easy to see that

$$QP_k(\omega) \cong QP_k^\omega := \langle \{[x] \in QP_k : x \text{ is admissible and } \omega(x) = \omega\} \rangle.$$

So, we get

$$(\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_k)_n = \bigoplus_{\deg \omega = n} QP_k^\omega \cong \bigoplus_{\deg \omega = n} QP_k(\omega).$$

Hence, we can identify the vector space  $QP_k(\omega)$  with  $QP_k^\omega \subset QP_k$ .

We note that the weight vector of a monomial is invariant under the permutation of the generators  $x_i$ , hence  $QP_k(\omega)$  has an action of the symmetric group  $\Sigma_k$ . Furthermore,  $QP_k(\omega)$  is also an  $GL_k$ -module.

For polynomials  $f \in P_k$  and  $g \in P_k(\omega)$ , we denote by  $[f]$  the class in  $\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_k$  represented by  $f$ , and by  $[g]_\omega$  the class in  $QP_k(\omega)$  represented by  $g$ . For  $M \subset P_k$  and  $S \subset P_k(\omega)$ , denote

$$[M] = \{[f] : f \in M\} \text{ and } [S]_\omega = \{[g]_\omega : g \in S\}.$$

If  $\omega$  is the minimal sequence, then  $[S]_\omega = [S]$  and  $[g]_\omega = [g]$ .

**Definition 2.3.** A monomial  $z = x_1^{b_1} x_2^{b_2} \dots x_k^{b_k}$  is called a spike if  $b_j = 2^{s_j} - 1$  for  $s_j$  a non-negative integer and  $j = 1, 2, \dots, k$ . If  $z$  is a spike with  $s_1 > s_2 > \dots > s_{r-1} \geq s_r > 0$  and  $s_j = 0$  for  $j > r$ , then it is called a minimal spike.

For a positive integer  $n$ , by  $\mu(n)$  one means the smallest number  $r$  for which it is possible to write  $n = \sum_{1 \leq i \leq r} (2^{d_i} - 1)$ , where  $d_i > 0$ . In [17], Singer showed that if  $\mu(n) \leq k$ , then there exists uniquely a minimal spike of degree  $n$  in  $P_k$ .

The following is a criterion for the hit monomials in  $P_k$ .

**Theorem 2.4 (Singer [17]).** *Suppose  $x \in P_k$  is a monomial of degree  $n$ , where  $\mu(n) \leq k$ . Let  $z$  be the minimal spike of degree  $n$ . If  $\omega(x) < \omega(z)$ , then  $x$  is hit.*

**Definition 2.5.** Let  $x, y$  be monomials of the same degree in  $P_k$ . We say that  $x < y$  if and only if one of the following holds

- i)  $\omega(x) < \omega(y)$ ;
- ii)  $\omega(x) = \omega(y)$  and  $\sigma(x) < \sigma(y)$ .

**Definition 2.6.** A monomial  $x$  is said to be inadmissible if there exist monomials  $y_1, y_2, \dots, y_t$  such that  $y_j < x$  for  $j = 1, 2, \dots, t$  and  $x \equiv y_1 + y_2 + \dots + y_t$ .

A monomial  $x$  is said to be admissible if it is not inadmissible.

Obviously, the set of all the admissible monomials of degree  $n$  in  $P_k$  is a minimal set of  $\mathcal{A}$ -generators for  $P_k$  in degree  $n$ .

The proof of the following lemma is elementary.

**Lemma 2.7.**

i) All the spikes in  $P_k$  are admissible and their weight vectors are weakly decreasing.

ii) If a weight vector  $\omega$  is weakly decreasing and  $\omega_1 \leq k$ , then there is a spike  $z$  in  $P_k$  such that  $\omega(z) = \omega$ .

One of the main tools in the study of the hit problem is Kameko's homomorphism  $\widetilde{Sq}_*^0 : \mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_k \rightarrow \mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_k$ . This homomorphism is an  $GL_k$ -homomorphism induced by the  $\mathbb{F}_2$ -linear map, also denoted by  $\widetilde{Sq}_*^0 : P_k \rightarrow P_k$ , given by

$$\widetilde{Sq}_*^0(x) = \begin{cases} y, & \text{if } x = x_1 x_2 \dots x_k y^2, \\ 0, & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

for any monomial  $x \in P_k$ . Note that  $\widetilde{Sq}_*^0$  is not an  $\mathcal{A}$ -homomorphism. However,

$$\widetilde{Sq}_*^0 Sq^{2t} = Sq^t \widetilde{Sq}_*^0, \quad \widetilde{Sq}_*^0 Sq^{2t+1} = 0$$

for any non-negative integer  $t$ .

Observe obviously that  $\widetilde{Sq}_*^0$  is surjective on  $P_k$  and therefore on  $\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_k$ . So, one gets

$$\dim(\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_k)_{2m+k} = \dim \text{Ker}(\widetilde{Sq}_*^0)_{(k,m)} + \dim(\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_k)_m,$$

for any positive integer  $m$ . Here

$$(\widetilde{Sq}_*^0)_{(k,m)} : (\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_k)_{2m+k} \rightarrow (\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_k)_m$$

denotes Kameko's homomorphism  $\widetilde{Sq}_*^0$  in degree  $2m+k$ .

**Theorem 2.8 (Kameko [11]).** *Let  $m$  be a positive integer. If  $\mu(2m+k) = k$ , then*

$$(\widetilde{Sq}_*^0)_{(k,m)} : (\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_k)_{2m+k} \rightarrow (\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_k)_m$$

*is an isomorphism of  $GL_k$ -modules.*

For  $1 \leq i \leq k$ , define the  $\mathcal{A}$ -homomorphism  $g_i : P_k \rightarrow P_k$ , which is determined by  $g_i(x_i) = x_{i+1}$ ,  $g_i(x_{i+1}) = x_i$ ,  $g_i(x_j) = x_j$  for  $j \neq i, i+1$ ,  $1 \leq i < k$ , and  $g_k(x_1) = x_1 + x_2$ ,  $g_k(x_j) = x_j$  for  $j > 1$ . Note that the general linear group  $GL_k$  is generated by the matrices associated with  $g_i$ ,  $1 \leq i \leq k$ , and the symmetric group  $\Sigma_k$  is generated by  $g_i$ ,  $1 \leq i < k$ .

So, a homogeneous polynomial  $f \in P_k$  is an  $GL_k$ -invariant if and only if  $g_i(f) \equiv f$  for  $1 \leq i \leq k$ . If  $g_i(f) \equiv f$  for  $1 \leq i < k$ , then  $f$  is an  $\Sigma_k$ -invariant.

### 3 Proof of Theorem 1.3

From now on, we denote by  $B_k(n)$  the set of all admissible monomials of degree  $n$  in  $P_k$ .

For any monomials  $z, z_1, z_2, \dots, z_m$  in  $(P_k)_n$  with  $m \geq 1$ , we denote

$$\begin{aligned}\Sigma_k(z_1, z_2, \dots, z_m) &= \{\sigma z_t : \sigma \in \Sigma_k, 1 \leq t \leq m\} \subset (P_k)_n, \\ [B(z_1, z_2, \dots, z_m)]_\omega &= [B_k(n)]_\omega \cap \langle [\Sigma_k(z_1, z_2, \dots, z_m)]_\omega \rangle, \\ p(z) &= \sum_{y \in B_k(n) \cap \Sigma_k(z)} y.\end{aligned}$$

If  $\omega$  is the minimal sequence of degree  $n$ , then we write

$$[B(z_1, z_2, \dots, z_m)]_\omega = [B(z_1, z_2, \dots, z_m)].$$

#### 3.1 The case $r = 3$

For  $r = 3$ , we have  $n = 2^{s+1} + 2^s - 5$ . If  $s > 3$ , then  $\mu(n) = 5$ . Hence, using Theorem 2.8, we see that the iterated Kameko's homomorphism

$$(\widetilde{Sq}_*)_{(5, 3, 2^{s-1}-5)}^{s-3} : (\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_{2^{s+1}+2^s-5} \longrightarrow (\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_{19}$$

is an isomorphism of the  $GL_5$ -modules. So, we need only to prove the theorem for  $s = 1, 2, 3$ . For  $s = 1$ , we have  $n = 1$ . By a simple computation, one gets the following.

**Proposition 3.1.1.**  $\dim(\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_1 = 5$  and  $(\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_1^{GL_5} = 0$ .

For  $s = 2$ , we have  $n = 7$ .

**Proposition 3.1.2.**  $(\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_7^{GL_5} = 0$ .

Since Kameko's homomorphism

$$(\widetilde{Sq}_*)_{(5,1)}^0 : (\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_7 \longrightarrow (\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_1$$

is a homomorphism of  $GL_5$ -modules and  $(\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_1^{GL_5} = 0$ , we have

$$(\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_7^{GL_5} \subset \text{Ker}(\widetilde{Sq}_*)_{(5,1)}^0.$$

From a result in [24], we see that  $\dim(\text{Ker}(\widetilde{Sq}_*)_{(5,1)}^0) = 105$  with the basis  $\bigcup_{i=1}^7 [B_5(u_i)]$ , where

$$\begin{aligned}u_1 &= x_1^7, \quad u_2 = x_1 x_2^6, \quad u_3 = x_1 x_2^2 x_3^4, \quad u_4 = x_1 x_2^3 x_3^3, \\ u_5 &= x_1 x_2^2 x_3^2 x_4^2, \quad u_6 = x_1 x_2 x_3^2 x_5^3, \quad u_7 = x_1 x_2 x_3 x_4^2 x_5^2.\end{aligned}$$

By a routine computation we obtained the following.

**Lemma 3.1.3.**

i) The subspaces  $\langle [\Sigma_5(u_i)] \rangle$ ,  $1 \leq i \leq 4$ ,  $\langle [\Sigma_5(u_5, u_6)] \rangle$  and  $\langle [\Sigma_5(u_7)] \rangle$  are  $\Sigma_5$ -submodules of  $(\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_7$ .

ii) We have the direct summand decompositions of the  $\Sigma_5$ -modules:

$$(\text{Ker}(\widetilde{S}q^0)_{(5,1)}) = \bigoplus_{i=1}^4 \langle [\Sigma_5(u_i)] \rangle \oplus \langle [\Sigma_5(u_5, u_6)] \rangle \oplus \langle [\Sigma_5(u_7)] \rangle.$$

**Lemma 3.1.4.**  $\langle [\Sigma_5(u_i)] \rangle^{\Sigma_5} = \langle [p(u_i)] \rangle$ ,  $i = 1, 2, 3, 4$ ,  $\langle [\Sigma_5(u_7)] \rangle^{\Sigma_5} = 0$  and  $\langle [\Sigma_5(u_5, u_6)] \rangle^{\Sigma_5} = \langle [p(u_5)] \rangle$ .

*Proof.* We compute  $\langle [\Sigma_5(u_i)] \rangle^{\Sigma_5}$  for  $i = 3, 7$ . The others can be proved by a similar computation.

Note that  $\dim\langle [\Sigma_5(u_3)] \rangle = 10$  with a basis consisting of all the classes represented by the following admissible monomials:

$$\begin{aligned} a_1 &= x_3x_4^2x_5^4, & a_2 &= x_2x_4^2x_5^4, & a_3 &= x_2x_3^2x_5^4, & a_4 &= x_2x_3^2x_4^4, & a_5 &= x_1x_4^2x_5^4, \\ a_6 &= x_1x_3^2x_5^4, & a_7 &= x_1x_3^2x_4^4, & a_8 &= x_1x_2^2x_5^4, & a_9 &= x_1x_2^2x_4^4, & a_{10} &= x_1x_2^2x_3^4. \end{aligned}$$

Suppose  $p = \sum_{j=1}^{10} \gamma_j a_j$  and  $[p] \in \langle [\Sigma_5(u_3)] \rangle^{\Sigma_5}$  with  $\gamma_j \in \mathbb{F}_2$ . By a direct computation, one gets

$$\begin{aligned} g_1(p) + p &\equiv (\gamma_2 + \gamma_5)(a_2 + a_5) + (\gamma_3 + \gamma_6)(a_3 + a_6) + (\gamma_4 + \gamma_7)(a_4 + a_7) \equiv 0, \\ g_2(p) + p &\equiv (\gamma_1 + \gamma_2)(a_1 + a_2) + (\gamma_6 + \gamma_8)(a_6 + a_8) + (\gamma_7 + \gamma_9)(a_7 + a_9) \equiv 0, \\ g_3(p) + p &\equiv (\gamma_2 + \gamma_3)(a_2 + a_3) + (\gamma_5 + \gamma_6)(a_5 + a_6) + (\gamma_9 + \gamma_{10})(a_9 + a_{10}) \equiv 0, \\ g_4(p) + p &\equiv (\gamma_3 + \gamma_4)(a_3 + a_4) + (\gamma_6 + \gamma_7)(a_6 + a_7) + (\gamma_8 + \gamma_9)(a_8 + a_9) \equiv 0. \end{aligned}$$

These relations imply  $\gamma_j = \gamma_1$ , for  $j = 2, 3, \dots, 10$ .

For  $i = 7$ ,  $\dim\langle [\Sigma_5(u_7)] \rangle = 5$ , with a basis consisting of the classes represented by the following admissible monomials:

$$\begin{aligned} b_1 &= x_1x_2x_3x_4^2x_5^2, & b_2 &= x_1x_2x_3^2x_4x_5^2, & b_3 &= x_1x_2x_3^2x_4^2x_5, \\ b_4 &= x_1x_2^2x_3x_4x_5^2, & b_5 &= x_1x_2^2x_3x_4^2x_5. \end{aligned}$$

If  $q = \sum_{j=1}^5 \gamma_j [b_j] \in \langle [\Sigma_5(u_7)] \rangle^{\Sigma_5}$  with  $\gamma_j \in \mathbb{F}_2$ , then

$$g_1(q) + q \equiv (\gamma_4 + \gamma_5)b_1 + \gamma_4b_2 + \gamma_5b_3 \equiv 0.$$

This implies  $\gamma_4 = \gamma_5 = 0$ . So,  $q = \gamma_1b_1 + \gamma_2b_2 + \gamma_3b_3$ . A simple computation shows

$$\begin{aligned} g_2(q) + q &\equiv \gamma_2(b_2 + b_4) + \gamma_3(b_3 + b_5) \equiv 0, \\ g_3(q) + q &\equiv (\gamma_1 + \gamma_2)(b_1 + b_2) \equiv 0. \end{aligned}$$

From the last equalities, we get  $\gamma_1 = \gamma_2 = \gamma_3 = 0$ . □

*Proof of Proposition 3.1.2.* Let  $f \in (P_5)_7$  such that  $[f] \in (\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_7^{GL_5}$ . Since  $[f] \in (\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_7^{\Sigma_5}$ , using Proposition 3.1.1, Lemmas 3.1.3 and 3.1.4, we have  $f \equiv \sum_{j=1}^5 \gamma_j p(u_j)$  with  $\gamma_j \in \mathbb{F}_2$ . By computing  $g_5(f) + f$  in terms of the admissible monomials, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} g_5(f) + f &\equiv (\gamma_1 + \gamma_2)x_2^7 + (\gamma_2 + \gamma_3 + \gamma_5)x_2x_3^6 + (\gamma_3 + \gamma_4)x_2x_3^2x_4^4 \\ &\quad + \gamma_4x_2x_3^2x_4^2x_5^2 + \gamma_5x_1x_3^3x_3^3 + \text{other terms} \equiv 0. \end{aligned}$$

This relation implies  $\gamma_j = 0$  for  $1 \leq j \leq 5$ . The proposition is proved.  $\square$

We now prove Theorem 1.3 for  $r = 3$  and  $s = 3$ . Then, we have  $n = 19$ .

Since Kameko's homomorphism  $(\widetilde{Sq}_*)_{(5,7)}^0 : (\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_{19} \longrightarrow (\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_7$  is a homomorphism of  $GL_5$ -module and  $(\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_7^{GL_5} = 0$ , we have

$$(\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_7^{GL_5} \subset \text{Ker}(\widetilde{Sq}_*)_{(5,7)}^0.$$

From a result in [24], we see that  $\dim(\text{Ker}(\widetilde{Sq}_*)_{(5,7)}^0) = 802$  and

$$\text{Ker}(\widetilde{Sq}_*)_{(5,7)}^0 \cong QP_5(\omega) \bigoplus QP_5(\bar{\omega}) \bigoplus QP_5(\tilde{\omega}).$$

Here  $\omega = (3, 2, 1, 1)$ ,  $\bar{\omega} = (3, 2, 3)$  and  $\tilde{\omega} = (3, 4, 2)$ .

**Proposition 3.1.5.**  $QP_5(\tilde{\omega})^{GL_5} = 0$  and  $QP_5(\bar{\omega})^{GL_5} = 0$ .

According to a result in [24],  $\dim(QP_5(\tilde{\omega})) = 55$  with the basis  $\bigcup_{j=1}^3 [B_5(v_j)]_{\tilde{\omega}}$ , where

$$v_1 = x_1x_2^2x_3^2x_4^7x_5^7, \quad v_2 = x_1x_2^2x_3^3x_4^6x_5^7, \quad v_3 = x_1x_2^3x_3^3x_4^6x_5^6;$$

$\dim(QP_5(\bar{\omega})) = 47$  with the basis  $\bigcup_{j=4}^6 [B_5(v_j)]_{\bar{\omega}}$ , where

$$v_4 = x_1x_2^2x_3^4x_4^5x_5^7, \quad v_5 = x_1x_2^2x_3^3x_4^6x_5^7, \quad v_6 = x_1^2x_2^3x_3^4x_4^5x_5^5.$$

By a simple computation using technique as given in the proof of Lemma 3.1.4, we obtain the following.

**Lemma 3.1.6.**

i) *The subspaces  $\langle [\Sigma_5(v_i)]_{\tilde{\omega}} \rangle$ ,  $i = 1, 2, 3$ , are  $\Sigma_5$ -submodules of  $QP_5(\tilde{\omega})$ ;  $\langle [\Sigma_5(v_4)]_{\bar{\omega}} \rangle$  and  $\langle [\Sigma_5(v_5, v_6)]_{\bar{\omega}} \rangle$  are  $\Sigma_5$ -submodules of  $QP_5(\bar{\omega})$ .*

ii) *We have the direct summand decompositions of the  $\Sigma_5$ -modules:*

$$QP_5(\tilde{\omega}) = \langle [\Sigma_5(v_1)]_{\tilde{\omega}} \rangle \bigoplus \langle [\Sigma_5(v_2)]_{\tilde{\omega}} \rangle \bigoplus \langle [\Sigma_5(v_3)]_{\tilde{\omega}} \rangle,$$

$$QP_5(\bar{\omega}) = \langle [\Sigma_5(v_4)]_{\bar{\omega}} \rangle \bigoplus \langle [\Sigma_5(v_5, v_6)]_{\bar{\omega}} \rangle.$$



**Lemma 3.1.7.** *We have*

$$\begin{aligned} \langle [\Sigma_5(v_i)]_{\bar{\omega}} \rangle^{\Sigma_5} &= \langle [p(v_i)]_{\bar{\omega}} \rangle, \quad i = 1, 2, 3, \\ \langle [\Sigma_5(v_4)]_{\bar{\omega}} \rangle^{\Sigma_5} &= \langle [p(v_4)]_{\bar{\omega}} \rangle, \quad \langle [\Sigma_5(v_5, v_6)]_{\bar{\omega}} \rangle^{\Sigma_5} = 0. \end{aligned}$$

*Proof of Proposition 3.1.5.* Let  $p \in (P_5)_{19}$  such that  $[p]_{\bar{\omega}} \in QP_5(\bar{\omega})^{GL_5}$ . Since  $[p]_{\bar{\omega}} \in QP_5(\bar{\omega})^{\Sigma_5}$ , using Lemma 3.1.6, one gets  $p \equiv_{\bar{\omega}} \sum_{j=1}^3 \gamma_j p(v_j)$  with  $\gamma_j \in \mathbb{F}_2$ . By computing  $g_5(p) + p$  in terms of the admissible monomials, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} g_5(p) + p \equiv_{\bar{\omega}} & (\gamma_1 + \gamma_2)x_1x_2^7x_3^2x_4^2x_5^7 + \gamma_2x_1x_2^3x_3^2x_4^6x_5^7 \\ & + \gamma_3x_1x_3^3x_4^6x_5^6 + \text{other terms} \equiv_{\bar{\omega}} 0. \end{aligned}$$

The last equality implies  $\gamma_1 = \gamma_2 = \gamma_3 = 0$ .

Now, let  $q \in (P_5)_{19}$  such that  $[q]_{\bar{\omega}} \in QP_5(\bar{\omega})^{GL_5}$ . Since  $[q]_{\bar{\omega}} \in QP_5(\bar{\omega})^{\Sigma_5}$ , using Lemma 3.1.6, we have  $q \equiv_{\bar{\omega}} \gamma p(v_4)$  with  $\gamma \in \mathbb{F}_2$ . By a direct computation, we get

$$g_5(q) + q \equiv_{\bar{\omega}} \gamma x_1x_3^3x_4^4x_5^7 + \text{other terms} \equiv_{\bar{\omega}} 0.$$

From this relation it implies  $\gamma = 0$ . The proposition follows.  $\square$

Using Propositions 3.1.2 and 3.1.5, we obtain  $(\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_{19}^{GL_5} = QP_5(\omega)^{GL_5}$ . In the remain part of this subsection, we prove the following.

**Proposition 3.1.8.**  $QP_5(\omega)^{GL_5} = 0$ .

Based on the results in [24], we see that  $\dim QP_5(\omega) = 700$  with the basis  $\bigcup_{j=1}^{10} [B_5(w_j)]_{\omega}$ , where

$$\begin{aligned} w_1 &= x_1x_2^3x_3^{15}, \quad w_2 = x_1x_2^7x_3^{11}, \quad w_3 = x_1^3x_2^7x_3^9, \quad w_4 = x_1x_2x_3^2x_4^{15}, \\ w_5 &= x_1x_2^3x_3^6x_4^9, \quad w_6 = x_1x_2x_3^2x_4^4x_5^{11}, \quad w_7 = x_1x_2^2x_3^3x_4^{13}, \\ w_8 &= x_1x_2x_3^2x_4^6x_5^9, \quad w_9 = x_1x_2^3x_3^4x_4^{11}, \quad w_{10} = x_1x_2^2x_3^3x_4^5x_5^8. \end{aligned}$$

By a direct computation, using technique as given in the proof of Lemma 3.1.4, we obtain the following lemmas.

**Lemma 3.1.9.**

i) *The subspaces  $\langle [\Sigma_5(w_i)] \rangle$ ,  $1 \leq i \leq 6$ ,  $\langle [\Sigma_5(w_7, w_9)] \rangle$  and  $\langle [\Sigma_5(w_8, w_{10})] \rangle$  are  $\Sigma_5$ -submodules of  $QP_5(\omega)$ .*

ii) *We have a direct summand decomposition of the  $\Sigma_5$ -modules:*

$$QP_5(\omega) = \bigoplus_{i=1}^6 \langle [\Sigma_5(w_i)] \rangle \oplus \langle [\Sigma_5(w_7, w_9)] \rangle \oplus \langle [\Sigma_5(w_8, w_{10})] \rangle.$$

**Lemma 3.1.10.** *We have*

i)  $\langle [\Sigma_5(w_i)] \rangle^{\Sigma_5} = \langle [p(u_i)] \rangle$ , for  $i = 1, 2$  and  $\langle [\Sigma_5(w_4)] \rangle^{\Sigma_5} = \langle [\Sigma_5(w_6)] \rangle^{\Sigma_5} = 0$ .

ii)  $\langle [\Sigma_5(w_3)] \rangle^{\Sigma_5} = \langle [p_{(1,\omega)}] \rangle$ , where

$$p_{(1,\omega)} = \sum_{1 \leq i < j < t \leq 5} (x_i^3 x_j^3 x_t^{13} + x_i^3 x_j^{13} x_t^3 + x_i^7 x_j^3 x_t^9 + x_i^7 x_j^9 x_t^3).$$

iii)  $\langle [\Sigma_5(w_5)] \rangle^{\Sigma_5} = \langle [p_{(2,\omega)}] \rangle$ , where

$$\begin{aligned} p_{(2,\omega)} = & \sum_{1 \leq i < j < t < u \leq 5} (x_i^3 x_j x_t^5 x_u^{10} + x_i^3 x_j x_t^6 x_u^9 + x_i^3 x_j^3 x_t^4 x_u^9 + x_i^3 x_j^3 x_t^5 x_u^8) \\ & + \sum_{1 \leq i < j < t, u \leq 5} (x_i x_j^3 x_t^3 x_u^{12} + x_i x_j^6 x_t^3 x_u^9 + x_i^3 x_j^4 x_t^3 x_u^9 + x_i^3 x_j^5 x_t^2 x_u^9 + x_i^3 x_j^5 x_t^3 x_u^8). \end{aligned}$$

iv)  $\langle [\Sigma_5(w_7, w_9)] \rangle^{\Sigma_5} = \langle [p_{(3,\omega)} + p_{(4,\omega)}], [p_{(4,\omega)} + p_{(5,\omega)}] \rangle$ , where

$$p_{(3,\omega)} = \sum_{1 \leq i < j, t, u \leq 5} (x_i x_j x_t^3 x_u^{14} + x_i^7 x_j x_t^3 x_u^8),$$

$$p_{(4,\omega)} = \sum_{1 \leq i < j < t, u \leq 5} (x_i^3 x_j x_t x_u^{14} + x_i^3 x_j^{13} x_t x_u^2 + x_i^7 x_j x_t x_u^{10} + x_i^7 x_j^9 x_t x_u^2),$$

$$p_{(5,\omega)} = \sum_{1 \leq i < j, t, u \leq 5; t < u} (x_i x_j x_t^6 x_u^{11} + x_i x_j x_t^7 x_u^{10} + x_i^3 x_j x_t^4 x_u^{11} + x_i^3 x_j x_t^7 x_u^8).$$

v)  $\langle [\Sigma_5(w_8, w_{10})] \rangle^{\Sigma_5} = \langle [p_{(6,\omega)}], [p_{(7,\omega)}] \rangle$ , where

$$\begin{aligned} p_{(6,\omega)} = & x_1 x_2 x_3^6 x_4 x_5^{10} + x_1 x_2 x_3^6 x_4^{10} x_5 + x_1 x_2 x_3^3 x_4^{12} x_5^2 + x_1 x_2 x_3^2 x_4^5 x_5^{10} \\ & + x_1 x_2^2 x_3 x_4^5 x_5^{10} + x_1 x_2^2 x_3 x_4^6 x_5^9 + x_1 x_2 x_3^6 x_4^3 x_5^8 + x_1 x_2 x_3^6 x_4^8 x_5^3 \\ & + x_1 x_2^2 x_3^5 x_4^2 x_5^9 + x_1 x_2^2 x_3^5 x_4^9 x_5^2 + x_1 x_2 x_3^2 x_4^3 x_5^{12} + x_1 x_2 x_3^2 x_4^{12} x_5^3 \\ & + x_1 x_2 x_3^3 x_4^2 x_5^{12} + x_1 x_2 x_3^2 x_4^6 x_5^9 + x_1 x_2 x_3^6 x_4^2 x_5^9 + x_1 x_2 x_3^6 x_4^9 x_5^2 \\ & + x_1 x_2^3 x_3 x_4^4 x_5^{10} + x_1 x_2^3 x_3^4 x_4 x_5^{10} + x_1 x_2^3 x_3^4 x_4^{10} x_5 + x_1 x_2^3 x_3 x_4^6 x_5^8 \\ & + x_1 x_2^3 x_3^6 x_4 x_5^8 + x_1 x_2^3 x_3^6 x_4^8 x_5 + x_1 x_2^3 x_3^3 x_4^4 x_5^8 + x_1 x_2^3 x_3^4 x_4^3 x_5^8 \\ & + x_1 x_2^3 x_3^4 x_4^8 x_5^3 + x_1^3 x_2 x_3^3 x_4^4 x_5^8 + x_1^3 x_2 x_3^4 x_4^3 x_5^8 + x_1^3 x_2 x_3^4 x_4^8 x_5^3 \\ & + x_1^3 x_2^3 x_3 x_4^4 x_5^8 + x_1^3 x_2^3 x_3^4 x_4 x_5^8 + x_1^3 x_2^3 x_3^4 x_4^8 x_5 + x_1 x_2^2 x_3^3 x_4^3 x_5^{12} \\ & + x_1 x_2^2 x_3 x_4^{12} x_5^3 + x_1 x_2^2 x_3^3 x_4 x_5^{12} + x_1 x_2^2 x_3^3 x_4^{12} x_5 + x_1 x_2^2 x_3^{12} x_4 x_5^3 \\ & + x_1 x_2^2 x_3^{12} x_4^3 x_5 + x_1 x_2^6 x_3 x_4^3 x_5^8 + x_1 x_2^6 x_3 x_4^8 x_5^3 + x_1 x_2^6 x_3^3 x_4 x_5^8 \\ & + x_1 x_2^6 x_3^3 x_4^8 x_5 + x_1 x_2^6 x_3^8 x_4 x_5^3 + x_1 x_2^6 x_3^8 x_4^3 x_5 + x_1 x_2^2 x_3^3 x_4^4 x_5^9 \\ & + x_1 x_2^2 x_3^4 x_4^3 x_5^9 + x_1 x_2^2 x_3^4 x_4^9 x_5^3 + x_1 x_2^2 x_3^3 x_4^5 x_5^8 + x_1 x_2^2 x_3^5 x_4^3 x_5^8 \\ & + x_1 x_2^2 x_3^5 x_4^8 x_5^3 + x_1^3 x_2^4 x_3 x_4^3 x_5^8 + x_1^3 x_2^4 x_3 x_4^8 x_5^3 + x_1^3 x_2^4 x_3^3 x_4 x_5^8 \\ & + x_1^3 x_2^4 x_3^3 x_4^8 x_5 + x_1^3 x_2^4 x_3^8 x_4 x_5^3 + x_1^3 x_2^4 x_3^8 x_4^3 x_5. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
p_{(\gamma, \omega)} = & x_1 x_2 x_3 x_4^6 x_5^{10} + x_1^3 x_2 x_3 x_4^4 x_5^{10} + x_1^3 x_2 x_3 x_4^6 x_5^8 + x_1 x_2 x_3^6 x_4 x_5^{10} \\
& + x_1 x_2 x_3^6 x_4^{10} x_5 + x_1 x_2^6 x_3 x_4 x_5^{10} + x_1 x_2^6 x_3 x_4^{10} x_5 + x_1 x_2^3 x_3^{12} x_4 x_5^2 \\
& + x_1 x_2^3 x_3^{12} x_4^2 x_5 + x_1 x_2^6 x_3^9 x_4 x_5^2 + x_1 x_2^6 x_3^9 x_4^2 x_5 + x_1^3 x_2 x_3^4 x_4 x_5^{10} \\
& + x_1^3 x_2 x_3^4 x_4^{10} x_5 + x_1^3 x_2^4 x_3 x_4 x_5^{10} + x_1^3 x_2^4 x_3 x_4^{10} x_5 + x_1 x_2^3 x_3^6 x_4 x_5^8 \\
& + x_1 x_2^3 x_3^6 x_4^8 x_5 + x_1^3 x_2 x_3^6 x_4 x_5^8 + x_1^3 x_2 x_3^6 x_4^8 x_5 + x_1^3 x_2^4 x_3^9 x_4 x_5^2 \\
& + x_1^3 x_2^4 x_3^9 x_4^2 x_5 + x_1 x_2^3 x_3^5 x_4^2 x_5^8 + x_1 x_2^3 x_3^5 x_4^8 x_5^2 + x_1^3 x_2^5 x_3 x_4^2 x_5^8 \\
& + x_1^3 x_2^5 x_3 x_4^8 x_5^2 + x_1^3 x_2^5 x_3^2 x_4 x_5^8 + x_1^3 x_2^5 x_3^2 x_4^8 x_5 + x_1^3 x_2^5 x_3^8 x_4 x_5^2 \\
& + x_1^3 x_2^5 x_3^8 x_4^2 x_5.
\end{aligned}$$

*Proof of Proposition 3.1.8.* Let  $f \in (P_5)_{19}$  such that  $[f] \in QP_5(\omega)^{GL_5}$ . Since  $[f] \in QP_5(\omega)^{\Sigma_5}$ , using Lemmas 3.1.9 and 3.1.10, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
f \equiv & \gamma_1 p(u_1) + \gamma_2 p(u_2) + \gamma_3 p_{(1, \omega)} + \gamma_4 p_{(2, \omega)} \\
& + \gamma_5 (p_{(3, \omega)} + p_{(4, \omega)}) + \gamma_6 (p_{(4, \omega)} + p_{(5, \omega)}) + \gamma_7 p_{(6, \omega)} + \gamma_8 p_{(7, \omega)},
\end{aligned}$$

with  $\gamma_j \in \mathbb{F}_2$ . By computing  $g_5(f) + f$  in terms of the admissible monomials, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
g_5(f) + f \equiv & \gamma_1 x_1 x_2^3 x_3^{15} + \gamma_2 x_1 x_2^7 x_3^{11} + \gamma_3 x_1 x_2 x_3^3 x_4^{14} \\
& + \gamma_4 x_1 x_2^3 x_3^{12} x_4^3 + \gamma_5 x_1 x_2^{14} x_3 x_4^3 + \gamma_6 x_1 x_2^7 x_3 x_4^{10} \\
& + \gamma_7 x_1 x_2^3 x_3^3 x_4^4 x_5^8 + \gamma_8 x_1 x_2^7 x_3 x_4^2 x_5^8 + \text{other terms} \equiv 0.
\end{aligned}$$

This relation implies  $\gamma_j = 0$  for  $1 \leq j \leq 8$ . The proposition is proved.  $\square$

Combining the above results, we get  $(\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_{3, 2^s-5}^{GL_5} = 0$ . So, Theorem 1.3 is proved for the case  $r = 3$ .

### 3.2 The case $r = 4$

For  $r = 4$ , we have  $n = 2^{s+2} - 5$ . If  $s > 2$ , then  $\mu(2^{s+2} - 5) = 5$ . Using Theorem 2.8, we see that the iterated Kameko's homomorphism

$$(\widetilde{Sq}_*)_{(5, 2^{s+1}-5)}^0 : (\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_{2^{s+2}-5} \longrightarrow (\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_{11}$$

is an isomorphism. So, we need only to prove the theorem for  $s = 1, 2$ . For  $s = 1$ , we have  $n = 3$ . By a simple computation, we obtain

**Proposition 3.2.1.**  $\dim(\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_3 = 25$  and  $(\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_3^{GL_5} = 0$ .

For  $s = 2$ , we have  $n = 11$ . Since Kameko's homomorphism

$$(\widetilde{Sq}_*)_{(5, 3)}^0 : (\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_{11} \longrightarrow (\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_3$$

is a homomorphism of  $GL_5$ -module and  $(\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_3^{GL_5} = 0$ , we have

$$(\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_{11}^{GL_5} \subset \text{Ker}(\widetilde{Sq}_*^0)_{(5,3)}.$$

From the results in [23], we see that

$$\text{Ker}(\widetilde{Sq}_*^0)_{(5,3)} = QP_5(3, 2, 1) \bigoplus QP_5(3, 4)$$

and  $\dim QP_5(3, 4) = 10$ . By a direct computation, using the admissible monomial basis of  $QP_5(3, 4)$ , we easily obtain the following.

**Proposition 3.2.2.**  $QP_5(3, 4)^{GL_5} = 0$ .

Now, we compute  $QP_5(3, 2, 1)^{GL_5}$ . From the results in [23], we can see that  $\dim QP_5(3, 2, 1) = 280$  with the basis  $\bigcup_{i=1}^5 [B(\bar{u}_i)]$ , where

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{u}_1 &= x_1 x_2^3 x_3^7, \quad \bar{u}_2 = x_1^3 x_2^3 x_3^5, \quad \bar{u}_3 = x_1 x_2 x_3^2 x_4^7, \\ \bar{u}_4 &= x_1 x_2^2 x_3^3 x_4^5, \quad \bar{u}_5 = x_1 x_2 x_3^2 x_4^3 x_5^4. \end{aligned}$$

A simple computation, using the results in [23], one gets the following.

**Lemma 3.2.3.**

- i) The subspaces  $\langle [\Sigma_5(\bar{u}_i)] \rangle$ ,  $1 \leq i \leq 5$ , are  $\Sigma_5$ -submodules of  $(\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)_{11}$ .
- ii) We have a direct summand decomposition of the  $\Sigma_5$ -modules:

$$QP_5(3, 2, 1) = \bigoplus_{i=1}^5 \langle [\Sigma_5(\bar{u}_i)] \rangle.$$

**Lemma 3.2.4.** We have

- i)  $\langle [\Sigma_5(\bar{u}_1)] \rangle^{\Sigma_5} = \langle [p(\bar{u}_1)] \rangle$ ,  $\langle [\Sigma_5(\bar{u}_i)] \rangle^{\Sigma_5} = 0$  for  $i = 2, 3, 5$ .
- ii)  $\langle [\Sigma_5(\bar{u}_4)] \rangle^{\Sigma_5} = \langle [\bar{p}] \rangle$ , where

$$\bar{p} = \sum_{1 \leq i < j, t, u \leq 5} (x_i x_j x_t^3 x_u^6 + x_i^3 x_j x_t^3 x_u^4).$$

*Proof.* We prove that  $\langle [\Sigma_5(\bar{u}_2)] \rangle^{\Sigma_5} = 0$ . The others can be proved by a similar computation.

From the result in [23],  $\langle [\Sigma_5(\bar{u}_2)] \rangle$  is an  $\mathbb{F}_2$ -vector space of dimension 20 with a basis consisting of all the classes represented by the following admissible monomials:

$$\begin{array}{llll} a_1 = x_3^3 x_4^3 x_5^5 & a_2 = x_3^3 x_4^5 x_5^3 & a_3 = x_2^3 x_4^3 x_5^5 & a_4 = x_2^3 x_4^5 x_5^3 \\ a_5 = x_2^3 x_3^3 x_5^5 & a_6 = x_2^3 x_3^5 x_4^3 & a_7 = x_2^3 x_3^5 x_5^3 & a_8 = x_2^3 x_3^5 x_4^5 \\ a_9 = x_1^3 x_4^3 x_5^5 & a_{10} = x_1^3 x_4^5 x_5^3 & a_{11} = x_1^3 x_3^3 x_5^5 & a_{12} = x_1^3 x_3^3 x_4^5 \\ a_{13} = x_1^3 x_3^5 x_5^3 & a_{14} = x_1^3 x_3^5 x_4^3 & a_{15} = x_1^3 x_2^3 x_5^5 & a_{16} = x_1^3 x_2^3 x_4^5 \\ a_{17} = x_1^3 x_2^5 x_5^3 & a_{18} = x_1^3 x_2^5 x_4^3 & a_{19} = x_1^3 x_2^5 x_3^3 & a_{20} = x_1^3 x_2^5 x_3^5. \end{array}$$

Suppose that  $p$  is a polynomial such that  $[p] \in \langle [\Sigma_5(\bar{u}_2)] \rangle^{\Sigma_5}$  and

$$p \equiv \sum_{1 \leq i \leq 20} \gamma_i a_i,$$

where  $\gamma_i \in \mathbb{F}_2$ ,  $1 \leq i \leq 20$ . By a direct computation, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} g_1(p) + p &\equiv (\gamma_3 + \gamma_9)a_3 + (\gamma_4 + \gamma_{10})a_4 + (\gamma_5 + \gamma_{11})a_5 + (\gamma_6 + \gamma_{12})a_6 \\ &\quad + (\gamma_7 + \gamma_{13})a_7 + (\gamma_8 + \gamma_{14})a_8 + (\gamma_3 + \gamma_9)a_9 + (\gamma_4 + \gamma_{10})a_{10} \\ &\quad + (\gamma_5 + \gamma_{11})a_{11} + (\gamma_6 + \gamma_{12})a_{12} + (\gamma_7 + \gamma_{13})a_{13} \\ &\quad + (\gamma_8 + \gamma_{14})a_{14} + \gamma_{18}a_{15} + \gamma_{19}a_{16} + \gamma_{20}a_{17} \equiv 0, \\ g_2(p) + p &\equiv (\gamma_1 + \gamma_3)a_1 + (\gamma_2 + \gamma_4)a_2 + (\gamma_1 + \gamma_3)a_3 + (\gamma_2 + \gamma_4)a_4 \\ &\quad + \gamma_7a_5 + \gamma_8a_6 + (\gamma_{11} + \gamma_{15})a_{11} + (\gamma_{12} + \gamma_{16})a_{12} \\ &\quad + (\gamma_{13} + \gamma_{18})a_{13} + (\gamma_{14} + \gamma_{19})a_{14} + (\gamma_{11} + \gamma_{15})a_{15} \\ &\quad + (\gamma_{12} + \gamma_{16})a_{16} + (\gamma_{17} + \gamma_{20})a_{17} + (\gamma_{13} + \gamma_{18})a_{18} \\ &\quad + (\gamma_{14} + \gamma_{19})a_{19} + (\gamma_{17} + \gamma_{20})a_{20} \equiv 0. \end{aligned}$$

These relations imply  $\gamma_i = 0$  for  $i = 7, 8, 13, 14, 17, 18, 19, 20$ . From this we get

$$\begin{aligned} g_3(p) + p &\equiv \gamma_2a_1 + (\gamma_3 + \gamma_5)a_3 + \gamma_4a_4 + (\gamma_3 + \gamma_5)a_5 + \gamma_6a_6 \\ &\quad + \gamma_4a_7 + \gamma_6a_8 + (\gamma_9 + \gamma_{11})a_9 + \gamma_{10}a_{10} + (\gamma_9 + \gamma_{11})a_{11} \\ &\quad + \gamma_{12}a_{12} + \gamma_{10}a_{13} + \gamma_{12}a_{14} + \gamma_{16}a_{16} + \gamma_{16}a_{17} \equiv 0, \\ g_4(p) + p &\equiv (\gamma_1 + \gamma_2)a_1 + (\gamma_1 + \gamma_2)a_2 + (\gamma_3 + \gamma_4)a_3 + (\gamma_3 + \gamma_4)a_4 \\ &\quad + (\gamma_5 + \gamma_6)a_5 + (\gamma_5 + \gamma_6)a_6 + (\gamma_9 + \gamma_{10})a_9 \\ &\quad + (\gamma_9 + \gamma_{10})a_{10} + (\gamma_{11} + \gamma_{12})a_{11} + (\gamma_{11} + \gamma_{12})a_{12} \\ &\quad + (\gamma_{15} + \gamma_{16})a_{15} + (\gamma_{15} + \gamma_{16})a_{16} \equiv 0. \end{aligned}$$

Combining the above equalities gives  $\gamma_i = 0$  for  $i = 1, 2, \dots, 20$ .  $\square$

**Proposition 3.2.5.**  $QP_5(3, 2, 1)^{GL_5} = 0$ .

*Proof.* Let  $h \in (P_5)_{11}$  such that  $[h] \in QP_5(3, 2, 1)^{GL_5}$ . Since  $[h] \in QP_5(3, 2, 1)^{\Sigma_5}$ , using Lemmas 3.2.3 and 3.2.4, we have

$$h \equiv \gamma_1 p(\bar{u}_1) + \gamma_2 \bar{p},$$

with  $\gamma_1, \gamma_2 \in \mathbb{F}_2$ . Computing  $g_5(h) + h$  in terms of the admissible monomials, we obtain

$$g_5(h) + h \equiv \gamma_1 x_1 x_2^3 x_3^7 + \gamma_2 x_1 x_2 x_3^2 x_4^2 x_5^5 + \text{other terms} \equiv 0.$$

This relation implies  $\gamma_1 = \gamma_2 = 0$ , hence  $h = 0$ . The proposition is proved.  $\square$

From Propositions 3.2.1, 3.2.2 and 3.2.5, we get  $(\mathbb{F}_2 \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} P_5)^{GL_5}_{2^{s+2}-5} = 0$  for all  $s \geq 1$ . Theorem 1.3 is completely proved.

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