

Theorem  $f: M^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  stable Morse fct

$$\Rightarrow \underline{\chi(M^2)} \equiv |\underline{\hat{I}^2(f)}| \pmod{2}$$

In fact,  $\hat{\alpha}_2 = [\hat{I}_0^2 + \hat{I}_e^2]$  is a

generator of  $H^1(\tau(3,2), \mathcal{P}_{3,2}(2))$

fibers of stable maps

$\Rightarrow \mathcal{C}_2$ : 2-dim. unoriented cobordism grp.

$$\Phi: \mathcal{C}_2 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2$$

$$\downarrow \quad \downarrow$$

$$[M] \mapsto |\underline{\hat{I}^2(f)}| \text{ for } f: M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

well-defined homomorphism

On the other hand

$$\Phi': \mathcal{C}_2 \xrightarrow{\cong} \mathbb{Z}_2$$

$$\downarrow \quad \downarrow$$

$$[M] \mapsto \underline{\chi(M)} \pmod{2}$$

We can check  $\Phi(\mathbb{R}P^2) = \Phi'(\mathbb{R}P^2) = 1$ .

$$\Rightarrow \Phi = \Phi'$$