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PREFACE

This volume contains articles from the seventeenth Gökova Conference which took place during the last week of May 2010. We thank all the authors for these nice papers. A special thanks goes to F. Bourgeois for delivering the minicourse on contact homology, we also thank participants for making this a very lively conference. This volume also contains an interesting article surveying the solution of the celebrated Arf-Kervaire invariant problem by Hill, Hopkins and Ravenel. We thank TUBITAK and NSF for funding this conference, and we thank IP for printing and distributing these proceedings. We also thank Selahi Durusoy for putting these proceedings together, and thank Hotel Yücelen (which is located on the scenic shores of the Gökova Bay) for supporting and hosting this conference.

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