CHROMATIC ATOMS OF STRING BORDISM

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I will talk about irreducible components of the Thom spectrum MString associated to the 7-connected cover of BO. I will develop a Milnor-Moore theorem for non graded Hopf algebras in order to show that in the K(2)-local category the smash product of MString and the "small" spectrum T_2 splits into copies of Morava E-theories. Here, T_2 is related to the Thom spectrum of the canonical bundle over $\Omega SU(4)$.