## Prime Gamma Rings with Centralizing and

# **Commuting Generalized Jordan Derivations**

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#### Abstract

Let *M* be a prime  $\Gamma$ -ring satisfying a certain assumption and *D* a nonzero derivation on *M*. Let  $f: M \to M$  be a generalized Jordan derivation such that *f* is centralizing and commuting on a left ideal *J* of *M*. Then we prove that *M* is commutative.

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### Introduction

The concept of a  $\Gamma$ -ring was first introduced by Nobusawa [13] and also shown that  $\Gamma$ -rings, more general than rings. Bernes [1] weakened slightly the conditions in the definition of  $\Gamma$ -ring in the sense of Nobusawa. Bresar [2] studied centralizing mappings and derivations in prime rings. Kyuno [9], Luh [10], [11], Hoque and Paul [5], [6] and others were obtained a large numbers of important basic properties of  $\Gamma$ -rings in various ways and determined some more remarkable results of  $\Gamma$ -rings. Ceven [3] studied on Jordan left derivations on completely prime  $\Gamma$ -rings. Mayne [12] have developed some remarkable result on prime rings with commuting and centralizing. Jaya Subba Reddy et.al [8] studied centralizing and commutating left generalized derivation on prime ring is commutative. Hoque and Paul [7] studied prime gamma rings with centralizing and commuting generalized derivations is a commutative. In this paper, following [7], we extended some results on prime gamma rings with centralizing and commuting generalized Jordan derivations.

Let *M* and  $\Gamma$  be additive abelian groups. If there exists a mapping  $(x, \alpha, y) \rightarrow x\alpha y$  of  $M \times \Gamma \times M \rightarrow M$ , which satisfies the conditions

(i)  $x\alpha y \in M$ 

(ii)  $(x + y)\alpha z = x\alpha z + y\alpha z$ ,  $x(\alpha + \beta)z = x\alpha z + x\beta z$ ,  $x\alpha(y + z) = x\alpha y + x\alpha z$ (iii)  $(x\alpha y)\beta z = x\alpha(y\beta z)$  for all  $x, y, z \in M$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ , then *M* is called a  $\Gamma$ -ring.

Every ring *M* is a  $\Gamma$ -ring with  $M = \Gamma$ . However a  $\Gamma$ -ring need not be a ring. Let *M* be a  $\Gamma$ -ring. Then an additive subgroup *U* of *M* is called a left (right) ideal of *M* if  $M\Gamma U \subset U(U\Gamma M \subset U)$ .

If *U* is both a left and a right ideal, then we say *U* is an ideal of *M*. Suppose again that *M* is a  $\Gamma$ -ring. Then *M* is said to be a 2-torsion free if 2x = 0 implies x = 0 for all  $x \in M$ . An ideal  $P_1$  of a  $\Gamma$ -ring *M* is said to be prime if for any ideals *A* and *B* of *M*,  $A\Gamma B \subseteq P_1$  implies  $A \subseteq P_1$  or  $B \subseteq P_1$ . An ideal  $P_2$  of a  $\Gamma$ -ring *M* is said to be semiprime if for any ideal *U* of *M*,  $U\Gamma U \subseteq P_2$  implies  $U \subseteq P_2$ . A  $\Gamma$ -ring *M* is said to be prime if  $a\Gamma M\Gamma b = (0)$  with  $a, b \in M$ , implies a = 0 or b = 0 and semiprime if  $a\Gamma M\Gamma a = (0)$  with  $a \in M$  implies a = 0. Furthermore, *M* is said to be commutative  $\Gamma$ -ring if  $x\alpha y = y\alpha x$  for all  $x, y \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . Moreover, the set  $Z(M) = \{x \in M : x\alpha y = y\alpha x \text{ for all } y \in M \text{ and } \alpha \in \Gamma\}$  is called the centre of the  $\Gamma$ -ring *M*. If *M* is a  $\Gamma$ -ring, then  $[x, y]_{\alpha} = x\alpha y - y\alpha x$  is known as the commutator of x and y with respect to  $\alpha$ , where  $x, y \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . We make the basic commutator identities:

 $[x\alpha y, z]_{\beta} = [x, z]_{\beta}\alpha y + x\alpha[y, z]_{\beta}$  and  $[x, y\alpha z]_{\beta} = [x, y]_{\beta}\alpha z + y\alpha[x, z]_{\beta}$ , for all  $x, y \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . We consider the following assumption:

 $x\alpha y\beta z = x\beta y\alpha z$ , for all  $x, y, z \in M$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ .....(*A*).

An additive mapping  $D: M \to M$  is called a derivation if  $D(x\alpha y) = D(x)\alpha y + x\alpha D(y)$  holds for all  $x, y \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . An additive mapping  $D: M \to M$  is called a Jordan derivation if  $D(x\alpha x) = D(x)\alpha x + x\alpha D(x)$  holds for all  $x, y \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . A mapping f is said to be commuting on a left ideal J of M if  $[f(x), x]_{\alpha} = 0$  for all  $x \in J$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$  and f is said to be centralizing if  $[f(x), x]_{\alpha} \in Z(M)$  for all  $x \in J$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . An additive mapping  $f: M \to M$  is said to be a generalized derivation on M, if  $f(x\alpha y) = f(x)\alpha y + x\alpha D(y)$  holds for all  $x, y \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ , where D is a derivation on M, if  $f(x\alpha x) = f(x)\alpha x + x\alpha D(x)$  holds for all  $x \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ , where D is a derivation on M.

#### **Preliminaries and main results**

We have to make some use of the following well-known results:

**Remark 1:** Let *M* be a prime  $\Gamma$ -ring. If  $a\alpha b \in Z(M)$  with  $0 \neq a \in Z(M)$ , then  $b \in Z(M)$ .

**Remark 2:** Let *M* be a prime  $\Gamma$ -ring and *J* a nonzero left ideal of *M*. If *D* is a nonzero derivation on *M*, then *D* is also a nonzero on *J*.

**Remark 3:** Let M be a prime  $\Gamma$ -ring and J a nonzero left ideal of M. If J is commutative, then M is also commutative.

**Lemma 1:** Suppose *M* is a prime  $\Gamma$ -ring satisfying the assumption (*A*) and  $D: M \to M$  be a Jordan derivation. For an element  $a \in M$ , if  $a\alpha D(x) = 0$ , for all  $x \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ , then either a = 0 or D = 0.

**Proof:** By our assumption,  $a\alpha D(x) = 0$ , for all  $x \in M$ , and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . We replacing *x* by  $x\beta x$  in above equation then, we get  $a\alpha D(x\beta x) = 0$ 

 $a\alpha D(x)\beta x + a\alpha x\beta D(x) = 0$ 

 $a\alpha x\beta D(x) = 0$ , for all  $x \in M$ , and,  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ .

If *D* is nonzero, that is, if  $D(x) \neq 0$ , for some  $x \in M$ . Then by definition of prime  $\Gamma$ -ring, a = 0.

**Lemma 2:** Suppose M is a prime  $\Gamma$ -ring satisfying the assumption (A) and J a nonzero left ideal of M. If M has a derivation D which is zero on J, then D is zero on M.

**Proof:** By the hypothesis, D(J) = 0.

Replacing J by  $M\Gamma J$  in above equation then, we get

$$D(M\Gamma J) = 0$$

 $D(M)\Gamma J + M\Gamma D(J) = 0$ 

 $D(M)\Gamma J = 0.$ 

By lemma 1, *D* must be zero, since *J* is nonzero.

**Lemma 3** [7]: Suppose M is a prime  $\Gamma$ -ring satisfying the assumption (A) and J a nonzero left ideal of M. If J is commutative on M, then M is commutative.

**Lemma 4:** Suppose *M* is a prime  $\Gamma$ -ring and  $f: M \to M$  be an additive mapping. If *f* is centralizing on a left ideal *J* of *M*, then  $f(a) \in Z(M)$ , for all  $a \in J \cup Z(M)$ .

**Proof:** *f* is centralizing on left ideal *J* of *M*, we have  $[f(a), a]_{\alpha} \in Z(M)$  for all  $a \in J$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ .

By linearization, we have

 $a, b \in J \Longrightarrow a + b \in J$ , for all  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ .

 $[f(a+b), a+b]_{\alpha} \in Z(M)$ 

f is an additive mapping then

 $[f(a) + f(b), a + b]_{\alpha} \in Z(M)$ [f(a), a]\_{\alpha} + [f(a), b]\_{\alpha} + [f(b), a]\_{\alpha} + [f(b), b]\_{\alpha} \in Z(M)

f is a centralizing on left ideal J of M then, we get  $[f(a), a]_{\alpha} = 0, [f(b), b]_{\alpha} = 0$ 

$$[f(a), b]_{\alpha} + [f(b), a]_{\alpha} \in Z(M), \text{ for all } a, b \in J \text{ and } \alpha \in \Gamma.$$
(1)

If  $a \in Z(M)$ , then equation (1) becomes  $[f(a), b]_{\alpha} \in Z(M)$ .

Replacing *b* by  $f(a)\beta b$  in above equation then, we get  $[f(a), f(a)\beta b]_{\alpha} \in Z(M)$ 

 $[f(a), f(a)]_{\alpha}\beta b + f(a)\beta[f(a), b]_{\alpha} \in Z(M)$ 

 $f(a)\beta[f(a),b]_{\alpha} \in Z(M)$ . If  $[f(a),b]_{\alpha} = 0$ .

Then  $f(a) \in C_{\Gamma M}(J)$ .

The centralizer of *J* in *M* and hence  $f(a) \in Z(M)$ . Otherwise, if  $[f(a), b]_{\alpha} \neq 0$ , remark 1 follows that  $f(a) \in Z(M)$ . Hence the lemma.

**Theorem 1:** Let M be a prime  $\Gamma$ -ring satisfying the assumption (A) and D is a nonzero derivation on M. If f is a generalized Jordan derivation on a left ideal J of M such that f is commuting on J, then M is commutative.

**Proof:** Since *f* is commuting on *J*, we have  $[f(a), a]_{\alpha} = 0$ , for all  $a \in J$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ .

Replacing a by a + b in above equation, we get

$$[f(a + b), a + b]_{\alpha} = 0$$
  
[f(a) + f(b), a + b]\_{\alpha} = 0  
[f(a), a]\_{\alpha} + [f(a), b]\_{\alpha} + [f(b), a]\_{\alpha} + [f(b), b]\_{\alpha} = 0

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$$[f(a),b]_{\alpha} + [f(b),a]_{\alpha} = 0$$
<sup>(2)</sup>

Replacing *b* by  $a\beta a$  in equation (2), we get

$$[f(a), a\beta a]_{\alpha} + [f(a\beta a), a]_{\alpha} = 0$$

$$[f(a), a]_{\alpha}\beta a + a\beta [f(a), a]_{\alpha} + [f(a)\beta a + a\beta D(a), a]_{\alpha} = 0$$

$$[f(a), a]_{\alpha}\beta a + a\beta [f(a), a]_{\alpha} + [f(a)\beta a, a]_{\alpha} + [a\beta D(a), a]_{\alpha} = 0$$

$$[f(a), a]_{\alpha}\beta a + a\beta [f(a), a]_{\alpha} + f(a)\beta [a, a]_{\alpha} + [f(a), a]_{\alpha}\beta a + [a\beta D(a), a]_{\alpha} = 0$$

$$[f(a), a]_{\alpha} = 0$$

$$f \text{ is centralizer, then } [f(a), a]_{\alpha}\beta a = 0, a\beta [f(a), a]_{\alpha} = 0, [f(a), a]_{\alpha}\beta a = 0, f(a)\beta [a, a]_{\alpha} = 0.$$

$$[a\beta D(a), a]_{\alpha} = 0$$
(3)

Replacing  $\alpha\beta$  by  $b\beta$  in equation (3), we get

 $[b\beta D(a), a]_{\alpha} = 0$ 

Replacing b by  $r\gamma a$  in above equation, then we get

 $[r\gamma a\beta D(a), a]_{\alpha} = 0$  $r\gamma a\beta [D(a), a]_{\alpha} + [r\gamma a, a]_{\alpha}\beta D(a) = 0$  $r\gamma a\beta [D(a), a]_{\alpha} + r\gamma [a, a]_{\alpha}\beta D(a) + [r, a]_{\alpha}\gamma a\beta D(a) = 0$  $[r, a]_{\alpha} \gamma a \beta$  D(a) = 0, for all  $a \in J, r \in M$  and  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \in \Gamma$ . Since *M* is prime  $\Gamma$ -ring, thus  $[r, a]_{\alpha} = 0$  or D(a) = 0

Since D is nonzero derivation on M, then by lemma 2, D is nonzero on J.

Suppose  $D(a) \neq 0$  for some  $a \in J$ , then  $a \in Z(M)$ .

Let  $c \in J$  with  $c \neq Z(M)$ . Then D(c) = 0 and  $a + c \notin Z(M)$ , that is, D(a + c)c) = 0 and so D(a) = 0, which is a contradiction. Thus  $c \in Z(M)$  for all  $c \in J$ . Hence *J* is commutative and lemma3, we get *M* is commutative.

**Theorem 2:** Let M be a prime  $\Gamma$ -ring satisfying the assumption (A) and J a left ideal of M with  $J \cap Z(M) \neq 0$ . If f is a generalized Jordan derivation on M with associated nonzero derivation D such that f is commuting on J, then M is commutative.

(3)

**Proof:** we claim that,  $Z(M) \neq 0$  because of f is commuting on J and the proof is complete.

Now from equation (1), we get

$$[f(a), b]_{\alpha} + [f(b), a]_{\alpha} \in Z(M)$$
  
We replace *a* by  $c\beta c$  with  $0 \neq c \in Z(M)$ , we get  
$$[f(c\beta c), b]_{\alpha} + [f(b), c\beta c]_{\alpha} \in Z(M)$$
  
$$[f(c)\beta c + c\beta D(c), b]_{\alpha} + [f(b), c]_{\alpha}\beta c + c\beta [f(b), c]_{\alpha} \in Z(M)$$
  
$$[f(c)\beta c, b]_{\alpha} + [c\beta D(c), b]_{\alpha} + [f(b), c]_{\alpha}\beta c + c\beta [f(b), c]_{\alpha} \in Z(M)$$
  
$$f(c)\beta [c, b]_{\alpha} + [f(c), b]_{\alpha}\beta c + c\beta [D(c), b]_{\alpha} + [c, b]_{\alpha}\beta D(c) + [f(b), c]_{\alpha}\beta c$$
  
$$+ c\beta [f(b), c]_{\alpha}$$

 $\in Z(M)$ 

 $c \in Z(M) \Longrightarrow [c, b]_{\alpha} = 0$ , for all  $b \in J$ .

Since  $c \in Z(M) \implies f$  is a centralizer on *J*.

 $f(b) \in Z(M) \Longrightarrow [f(b), c]_{\alpha} = 0.$ 

 $[f(c),b]_{\alpha}\beta c + c\beta[D(c),b]_{\alpha} \in Z(M)$ 

From lemma 1,  $f(c) \in Z(M)$  and hence  $c\beta[D(c), b]_{\alpha} \in Z(M)$ .

Replacing b by b + c in above equation, we get

 $c\beta[D(c), b + c]_{\alpha} \in Z(M).$  $c\beta[D(c), b]_{\alpha} + c\beta[D(c), c]_{\alpha} \in Z(M).$ 

And consequently  $c\beta[D(c), c]_{\alpha} \in Z(M)$ .

As c is nonzero, remark 1 follows that  $[D(c), c]_{\alpha} \in Z(M)$ . This implies D is centralizing on J and hence we conclude that M is commutative.

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