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# JORDAN HIGHER DERIVATIONS, A NEW APPROACH 

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#### Abstract

Let $\mathcal{A}$ be a unital algebra over a 2 -torsion free commutative ring $\mathcal{R}$ and $\mathcal{M}$ be a unital $\mathcal{A}$-bimodule. We show taht every Jordan higher derivation $D=\left\{D_{n}\right\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_{0}}$ from the trivial extension $\mathcal{A} \ltimes \mathcal{M}$ into itself is a higher derivation, if $P D_{1}(Q X P) Q=$ $Q D_{1}(P X Q) P=0$ for all $X \in \mathcal{A} \ltimes \mathcal{M}$, in which $P=(e, 0)$ and $Q=\left(e^{\prime}, 0\right)$ for some non-trivial idempotent elements $e \in \mathcal{A}$ and $e^{\prime}=1_{\mathcal{A}}-e$ satisfying the following conditions: $e \mathcal{A} e^{\prime} \mathcal{A} e=\{0\}$, $e^{\prime} \mathcal{A} e \mathcal{A} e^{\prime}=\{0\}, e\left(\right.$ l.ann $\left._{\mathcal{A}} \mathcal{M}\right) e=\{0\}, e^{\prime}\left(\right.$ r.ann $\left._{\mathcal{A}} \mathcal{M}\right) e^{\prime}=\{0\}$ and $e m e^{\prime}=m$ for all $m \in \mathcal{M}$.


## 1. Introduction and preliminaries

Let $\mathcal{A}$ be a unital algebra over a commutative $\operatorname{ring} \mathcal{R}$ and $\mathcal{M}$ be a unital $\mathcal{A}$-bimodule. An $\mathcal{R}$-linear mapping $\delta: \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{M}$ is called a derivation if it satisfies the leibniz rule $\delta(x y)=\delta(x) y+x \delta(y)$ for all $x, y \in \mathcal{A}$ and is called an antiderivation if $\delta(x y)=\delta(y) x+y \delta(x)$ for all $x, y \in \mathcal{A}$. $\delta$ is called a Jordan derivation if $\delta\left(x^{2}\right)=\delta(x) x+x \delta(x)$ for all $x \in \mathcal{A}$. Obviously, every derivation or antiderivation is a Jordan derivation. However, the converse statement is not true in general (see [1]). It is natural and very interesting to find some conditions under which a Jordan derivation is a derivation or an antiderivation. Zhang and Yu [10] showed that every Jordan derivation of triangular algebras is a derivation, so every Jordan derivation from the algebra of all upper

[^0]triangular matrices into itself is a derivation. Ghahramani [8] showed that every Jordan derivation of the trivial extensions of an algebra $\mathcal{A}$ by its bimodules, under some conditions, is the sum of a derivation and an antiderivation.

Let $\mathbb{N}_{0}$ be the set of all nonnegative integers. If we define a sequence $d_{n}$ of linear mappings on $\mathcal{A}$ by $d_{0}=I$ and $d_{n}=\frac{\delta^{n}}{n!}$, where $I$ is the identity mapping on $\mathcal{A}$, then the Leibniz rule ensures us that $d_{n}$ 's satisfy the condition

$$
\begin{equation*}
d_{n}(x y)=\sum_{i+j=n} d_{i}(x) d_{j}(y) \tag{1.1}
\end{equation*}
$$

for each $x, y \in \mathcal{A}$ and each non-negative integer $n$. Such a sequence $d=\left\{d_{n}\right\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_{0}}$ is called a higher derivation. $d$ is called a Jordan higher derivation if for any $n \in \mathbb{N}_{0}$,

$$
\begin{equation*}
d_{n}\left(x^{2}\right)=\sum_{i+j=n} d_{i}(x) d_{j}(x) \tag{1.2}
\end{equation*}
$$

for all $x \in \mathcal{A}$. Note that $d_{1}$ is a derivation (resp. Jordan derivation), if $d$ is a higher derivation (resp. Jordan higher derivation).

Higher derivations were introduced by Hasse and Schmidt [9], and algebraists sometimes call them Hasse-Schmidt derivations. For an account on higher derivations the reader is referred to the book [3].

Let $\mathcal{A}$ and $\mathcal{B}$ be unital algebras over a commutative $\operatorname{ring} \mathcal{R}$ and $\mathcal{M}$ be a unital $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B})$-bimodule which is faithful as a left $\mathcal{A}$-module and also as a right $\mathcal{B}$-module. The $\mathcal{R}$-algebra

$$
\operatorname{Tri}(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{B})=\left\{\left.\left(\begin{array}{cc}
a & m \\
0 & b
\end{array}\right) \right\rvert\, \quad a \in \mathcal{A}, m \in \mathcal{M}, b \in \mathcal{B}\right\}
$$

under the usual matrix operations is called a triangular algebra. Basic examples of triangular algebras are upper triangular matrix algebras and nest algebras (see [2], [4]).

Let $\mathcal{A}$ be a unital algebra over $\mathcal{R}$ and $\mathcal{M}$ be a unital $\mathcal{A}$-bimodule. $\mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{M}$ as an $\mathcal{R}$-module together with the algebra product defined by:

$$
(a, m) \cdot(b, n)=(a b, a n+m b) \quad(a, b \in \mathcal{A}, \quad m, n \in \mathcal{M})
$$

is an $\mathcal{R}$-algebra with unity $1=\left(1_{\mathcal{A}}, 0\right)$ and zero $0=(0,0)$, which is called the trivial extension of $\mathcal{A}$ by $\mathcal{M}$ and denoted by $\mathcal{A} \ltimes \mathcal{M}$. Trivial extensions have been extensively studied in the algebra and analysis.

Let $\operatorname{Tri}(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{B})$ be a triangular algebra over $\mathcal{R}$. Denote by $\mathcal{A} \oplus \mathcal{B}$ the direct sum of $\mathcal{A}$ and $\mathcal{B}$ as $\mathcal{R}$-algebra, and view $\mathcal{M}$ as an $(\mathcal{A} \oplus \mathcal{B})$ bimodule with the module actions given by

$$
(a, b) \cdot m=a m, \quad m \cdot(a, b)=m b \quad(a \in \mathcal{A}, \quad m \in \mathcal{M}, \quad b \in \mathcal{B})
$$

Then $\operatorname{Tri}(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{B})$ is isomorphic to $(\mathcal{A} \oplus \mathcal{B}) \ltimes \mathcal{M}$ as an $\mathcal{R}$-algebra. So triangular algebras are examples of trivial extensions.

Ghahramani [8] has shown that under some mild conditions, every Jordan derivation on $\mathcal{A} \ltimes \mathcal{M}$ is a derivation. Erfanian Attar and Ebrahimi Vishki [6] gave characterizations of (Jordan) derivations on $\mathcal{A} \ltimes \mathcal{M}$. Note that a Jordan derivation on a trivial extension algebra may not be a derivation in general. To see an example the reader can refer to [5].

The following notations will be used in this paper.
Let $\mathcal{A}$ be an $\mathcal{R}$-algebra and $\mathcal{M}$ be an $\mathcal{A}$-bimodule, define the left annihilator of $\mathcal{M}$ and the right annihilator of $\mathcal{M}$ as follows:

$$
\begin{aligned}
& {\text { l. } a n n_{\mathcal{A}} \mathcal{M}}=\{a \in \mathcal{A}: a \mathcal{M}=\{0\}\}, \\
& \text { r.ann } n_{\mathcal{A}} \mathcal{M}=\{a \in \mathcal{A}: \mathcal{M} a=\{0\}\} .
\end{aligned}
$$

## 2. Main result

Let us first recall some basic facts concerning Jordan higher derivations on an associative algebra. Many different kinds of higher derivations have been studied in commutative and noncommutative rings (see [7] and the references therein).

Lemma 2.1. Let $\mathcal{A}$ be an associative algebra over a 2-torsion free commutative ring $\mathcal{R}$ and $D=\left\{D_{n}\right\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_{0}}$ be a Jordan higher derivation from $\mathcal{A}$ into itself. Then for all $x, y, z \in \mathcal{A}$ and each $n \in \mathbb{N}_{0}$, we have
(a) $D_{n}(x y+y x)=\sum_{i+j=n} D_{i}(x) D_{j}(y)+D_{i}(y) D_{j}(x)$,
(b) $D_{n}(x y x)=\sum_{i+j+k=n} D_{i}(x) D_{j}(y) D_{k}(x)$,
(c) $D_{n}(x y z+z y x)=\sum_{i+j=n} D_{i}(x) D_{j}(y) D_{k}(z)+D_{i}(z) D_{j}(y) D_{k}(x)$.

Note that the converse holds only in the case where $\mathcal{R}$ is 2-torsion free (that is, $2 x=0$ implies $x=0$ for any $x \in \mathcal{A}$ ).

Theorem 2.2. Let $\mathcal{A}$ be a unital algebra over a 2-torsion free commutative ring $\mathcal{R}$ and $\mathcal{M}$ be a unital $\mathcal{A}$-bimodule. Suppose that e is a non-trivial idempotent element in $\mathcal{A}$ and $e^{\prime}=1_{\mathcal{A}}-e$ such that

$$
\begin{aligned}
e \mathcal{A} e^{\prime} \mathcal{A} e & =\{0\}, \quad e^{\prime} \mathcal{A} e \mathcal{A} e^{\prime}=\{0\} \\
e\left(\text { l.ann }_{\mathcal{A}} \mathcal{M}\right) e & =\{0\}, \quad e^{\prime}\left(\text { r.ann }_{\mathcal{A}} \mathcal{M}\right) e^{\prime}=\{0\},
\end{aligned}
$$

and eme $=m$ for all $m \in \mathcal{M}$. Let $P=(e, 0)$ and $Q=\left(e^{\prime}, 0\right)$.
If $D=\left\{D_{n}\right\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_{0}}$ is a Jordan higher derivation from the trivial extension $\mathcal{A} \ltimes \mathcal{M}$ into itself such that $P D_{1}(Q X P) Q=Q D_{1}(P X Q) P=0$ for all $X \in \mathcal{A} \ltimes \mathcal{M}$, then $D$ is a higher derivation.

Note that $P$ and $Q$ are idempotents of $\mathcal{A} \ltimes \mathcal{M}$ such that $P+Q=1$ and $P Q=0$. Also for any $X, Y \in \mathcal{A} \ltimes \mathcal{M}$, we have $P X Q Y P=0$ and $Q X P Y Q=0$. Since if $X=(a, m)$ and $Y=(b, n)$, then

$$
P X Q Y P=\left(e a e^{\prime} b e, e a e^{\prime} n e+e m e^{\prime} b e\right)=0
$$

and similarly $Q X P Y Q=0$.
Since the triangular algebra $\operatorname{Tri}(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{B})$ is isomorphic to the trivial extension $(\mathcal{A} \oplus \mathcal{B}) \ltimes \mathcal{M}$, we have the following result.

Corollary 2.3. Let $\mathcal{A}$ and $\mathcal{B}$ be unital algebras over a 2-torsion free commutative $\operatorname{ring} \mathcal{R}$ and $\mathcal{M}$ be a unital $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B})$-bimodule which is faithful as a left $\mathcal{A}$-module and also as a right $\mathcal{B}$-module. Then any Jordan higher derivation from triangular algebra $\operatorname{Tri}(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{B})$ into itself, is a higher derivation.

To prove Theorem 2.2 we need some lemmas.
Lemma 2.4. For every $n \in \mathbb{N}$ we have $P D_{n}(P) P=0, Q D_{n}(Q) Q=0$ and for every $n \in \mathbb{N}_{0}$ we have $P D_{n}(Q) P=0, Q D_{n}(P) Q=0$.

Proof. It follows from

$$
\begin{equation*}
D_{1}(P)=D_{1}\left(P^{2}\right)=D_{1}(P) P+P D_{1}(P) \tag{2.1}
\end{equation*}
$$

that $P D_{1}(P) P=0$. Suppose that $P D_{m}(P) P=0$ for all $m<n$. From

$$
\begin{equation*}
D_{n}(P)=D_{n}(P) P+P D_{n}(P)+\sum_{\substack{i+j=n \\ i, j \geq 1}} D_{i}(P) D_{j}(P) \tag{2.2}
\end{equation*}
$$

we have

$$
P D_{n}(P) P=P D_{n}(P) P+P D_{n}(P) P+\sum_{\substack{i+j=n \\ i, j \geq 1}} P D_{i}(P) D_{j}(P) P .
$$

It follows that

$$
P D_{n}(P) P+\sum_{\substack{i+j=n \\ i, j \geq 1}}\left(P D_{i}(P) P D_{j}(P) P+P D_{i}(P) Q D_{j}(P) P\right)=0 .
$$

So we get $P D_{n}(P) P=0$.
By induction on $n$, it follows from (1.2) that $D_{n}(I)=0$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Thus $D_{n}(Q)=-D_{n}(P)$ and so

$$
P D_{n}(Q) P=-P D_{n}(P) P=0
$$

for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Similarly we can show that $Q D_{n}(Q) Q=0$ and $Q D_{n}(P) Q=0$.

Lemma 2.5. For every $n \in \mathbb{N}$, we have

$$
\begin{array}{cc}
P D_{n}(P)=D_{n}(P) Q, & D_{n}(P) P=Q D_{n}(P) \\
Q D_{n}(Q)=D_{n}(Q) P, & D_{n}(Q) Q=P D_{n}(Q) .
\end{array}
$$

Proof. It follows from (2.2) that

$$
P D_{n}(P)=P D_{n}(P) P+P D_{n}(P)+P \sum_{\substack{i+j=n \\ i, j \geq 1}} D_{i}(P) D_{j}(P)
$$

Thus

$$
\begin{equation*}
P \sum_{\substack{i+j=n \\ i, j \geq 1}} D_{i}(P) D_{j}(P)=0 \tag{2.3}
\end{equation*}
$$

Also it follows from (2.2) that

$$
Q D_{n}(P)=Q D_{n}(P) P+Q \sum_{\substack{i+j=n \\ i, j \geq 1}} D_{i}(P) D_{j}(P) .
$$

Thus

$$
\begin{equation*}
Q \sum_{\substack{i+j=n \\ i, j \geq 1}} D_{i}(P) D_{j}(P)=Q D_{n}(P)-Q D_{n}(P) P=Q D_{n}(P) Q=0 . \tag{2.4}
\end{equation*}
$$

From (2.3) and (2.4) we obtain that

$$
\begin{equation*}
\sum_{\substack{i+j=n \\ i, j \geq 1}} D_{i}(P) D_{j}(P)=0 \tag{2.5}
\end{equation*}
$$

So

$$
D_{n}(P)=D_{n}(P) P+P D_{n}(P)
$$

Therefore we get

$$
\begin{aligned}
& D_{n}(P) P=D_{n}(P)-P D_{n}(P)=Q D_{n}(P), \\
& P D_{n}(P)=D_{n}(P)-D_{n}(P) P=D_{n}(P) Q .
\end{aligned}
$$

Similarly we can get that $Q D_{n}(Q)=D_{n}(Q) P$ and $D_{n}(Q) Q=P D_{n}(Q)$.

Lemma 2.6. For every $n \in \mathbb{N}_{0}$ and any $X \in \mathcal{A} \ltimes \mathcal{M}$, we have

$$
\begin{aligned}
& P D_{n}(P X Q) P=0, \quad P D_{n}(Q X P) P=0, \quad P D_{n}(Q X Q) P=0, \\
& Q D_{n}(P X P) Q=0, \quad Q D_{n}(P X Q) Q=0, \quad Q D_{n}(Q X P) Q=0 .
\end{aligned}
$$

Proof. By Lemma 2.1 (a) we have

$$
\begin{aligned}
P D_{n}(P X Q) P & =P D_{n}(P X Q+Q P X) P \\
& =\sum_{i+j=n}\left(P D_{i}(P X) D_{j}(Q) P+P D_{i}(Q) D_{j}(P X) P\right) \\
& =\sum_{i+j=n}\left(P D_{i}(P X) P D_{j}(Q) P+P D_{i}(P X) Q D_{j}(Q) P\right. \\
& \left.+P D_{i}(Q) P D_{j}(P X) P+P D_{i}(Q) Q D_{j}(P X) P\right)=0
\end{aligned}
$$

Also by Lemma 2.1 (b) we have

$$
\begin{aligned}
P D_{n}(Q X Q) P & =\sum_{i+j+k=n} P D_{i}(Q) D_{j}(X) D_{k}(Q) P \\
& =\sum_{i+j+k=n}\left(P D_{i}(Q) D_{j}(X) P D_{k}(Q) P\right. \\
& \left.+P D_{i}(Q) D_{j}(X) Q D_{k}(Q) P\right)=0
\end{aligned}
$$

Similarly we get

$$
\begin{aligned}
P D_{n}(Q X P) P & =Q D_{n}(P X P) Q=Q D_{n}(P X Q) Q \\
& =Q D_{n}(Q X P) Q=0
\end{aligned}
$$

Lemma 2.7. Let $X \in \mathcal{A} \ltimes \mathcal{M}$. Then for each $n \in \mathbb{N}_{0}$,

$$
P D_{n}(Q X P) Q=Q D_{n}(P X Q) P=0
$$

Proof. It is true for $n=0$ and by assumption for $n=1$. Let $n \geq 2$, then

$$
\begin{aligned}
P D_{n}(Q X P) Q & =P D_{n}(Q X P+P Q X) Q \\
& =\sum_{i+j=n} P D_{i}(Q X) D_{j}(P) Q+P D_{i}(P) D_{j}(Q X) Q \\
& =\sum_{i+j=n} P D_{i}(Q X P) D_{j}(P) Q+P D_{i}(P) D_{j}(Q X P) Q \\
& +\sum_{i+j=n} P D_{i}(Q X Q) D_{j}(P) Q+P D_{i}(P) D_{j}(Q X Q) Q \\
& =\sum_{i+j=n} P D_{i}(Q X P) P D_{j}(P)+D_{i}(P) Q D_{j}(Q X P) Q \\
& +P D_{n}(Q X Q P+P Q X Q) Q=0
\end{aligned}
$$

Similarly we can show that $Q D_{n}(P X Q) P=0$.
Lemma 2.8. Let $X, Y \in \mathcal{A} \ltimes \mathcal{M}$. Then for each $n \in \mathbb{N}_{0}$,
(a) $P D_{n}(P X P Y P) P=\sum_{i+j=n} P D_{i}(P X P) D_{j}(P Y P) P$,
(b) $Q D_{n}(Q X Q Y Q) Q=\sum_{i+j=n} Q D_{i}(Q X Q) D_{j}(Q Y Q) Q$.

Proof. For any $X, Y, Z \in \mathcal{A} \ltimes \mathcal{M}$ and $n \in \mathbb{N}_{0}$ we have

$$
\begin{aligned}
P D_{n}(P X P Y P Z Q) Q & =\sum_{k+l=n}\left(P D_{k}(P X P Y P) D_{l}(P Z Q) Q\right. \\
& \left.+P D_{k}(P Z Q) D_{l}(P X P Y P) Q\right) \\
& =\sum_{k+l=n} P D_{k}(P X P Y P) D_{l}(P Z Q) Q .
\end{aligned}
$$

On the other hand

$$
\begin{aligned}
P D_{n}(P X P Y P Z Q) Q & =\sum_{i+j+l=n}\left(P D_{i}(P X P) D_{j}(P Y P) D_{l}(P Z Q) Q\right. \\
& \left.+P D_{i}(P Z Q) D_{j}(P Y P) D_{l}(P X P) Q\right) \\
& =\sum_{i+j+l=n} P D_{i}(P X P) D_{j}(P Y P) D_{l}(P Z Q) Q \\
& =\sum_{k+l=n} \sum_{i+j=k} P D_{i}(P X P) D_{j}(P Y P) D_{l}(P Z Q) Q .
\end{aligned}
$$

It follows from the above two equations that

$$
\begin{equation*}
\sum_{k+l=n} P\left(D_{k}(P X P Y P)-\sum_{i+j=k} D_{i}(P X P) D_{j}(P Y P)\right) D_{l}(P Z Q) Q=0 \tag{2.6}
\end{equation*}
$$

for any $X, Y, Z \in \mathcal{A} \ltimes \mathcal{M}$ and $n \in \mathbb{N}_{0}$. Suppose that

$$
X_{k}=D_{k}(P X P Y P)-\sum_{i+j=k} D_{i}(P X P) D_{j}(P Y P)
$$

It follows from (2.6) that

$$
\begin{equation*}
\sum_{k+l=n} P X_{k} P D_{l}(P Z Q) Q=0 . \tag{2.7}
\end{equation*}
$$

We show that $P X_{k} P=0$ for all $k=0,1, \ldots, n$, as desired.
Trivially $P X_{0} P=0$. Letting $n=1$ in (2.7) we get

$$
\begin{equation*}
P X_{0} P D_{1}(P Z Q) Q+P X_{1} P D_{0}(P Z Q) Q=0 \tag{2.8}
\end{equation*}
$$

or equivalently $P X_{1} P Z Q=0$ for all $Z \in \mathcal{A} \ltimes \mathcal{M}$. Thus by Lemma 3.6 of [8] we get $P X_{1} P=0$. Now assume that $P X_{k} P=0$ for all $k \leq n-1$,
then it follws from (2.7) that $P X_{n} P=0$. Similarly we can prove the part (b). This completes the proof.

Lemma 2.9. Let $X, Y \in \mathcal{A} \ltimes \mathcal{M}$. Then for each $n \in \mathbb{N}_{0}$, we have
(a) $P D_{n}(P X P Y P) Q=\sum_{i+j=n} P D_{i}(P X P) D_{j}(P Y P) Q$,
(b) $Q D_{n}(P X P Y P) P=\sum_{i+j=n} Q D_{i}(P X P) D_{j}(P Y P) P$,
(c) $P D_{n}(Q X Q Y Q) Q=\sum_{i+j=n} P D_{i}(Q X Q) D_{j}(Q Y Q) Q$,
(d) $Q D_{n}(Q X Q Y Q) P=\sum_{i+j=n} Q D_{i}(Q X Q) D_{j}(Q Y Q) P$.

Proof. Since $Q D_{n}(P X P) Q=0, Q D_{n}(P) Q=0$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}_{0}$ and $P D_{n}(P) P=0$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, we get

$$
\begin{aligned}
2 P D_{n}(P X P Y P) Q & =P D_{n}(P X P Y P . P+P . P X P Y P) Q \\
& =\sum_{k+l=n}\left(P D_{k}(P X P Y P) D_{l}(P) Q\right. \\
& +P D_{k}(P) D_{l}(P X P Y P) Q \\
& =\sum_{k+l=n}\left(P D_{k}(P X P Y P) P D_{l}(P) Q\right) \\
& +P D_{n}(P X P Y P) Q
\end{aligned}
$$

Therefore by Lemma 2.8 (a) we have

$$
\begin{aligned}
& P D_{n}(P X P Y P) Q \\
& =\sum_{k+l=n}\left(P D_{k}(P X P Y P) P D_{l}(P) Q\right) \\
& =\sum_{k+l=n} \sum_{i+j=k} P D_{i}(P X P) D_{j}(P Y P) P D_{l}(P) Q \\
& =\sum_{i+j+l=n} P D_{i}(P X P) D_{j}(P Y P) D_{l}(P) Q \\
& =\sum_{i+k=n} P D_{i}(P X P)\left(\sum_{j+l=k} D_{j}(P Y P) D_{l}(P)\right) Q \\
& =\sum_{i+k=n} P D_{i}(P X P)\left(2 D_{k}(P Y P)-\sum_{j+l=k} D_{j}(P) D_{l}(P Y P)\right) Q \\
& =2 \sum_{i+k=n} P D_{i}(P X P) D_{k}(P Y P) Q \\
& -\sum_{i+j+l=n} P D_{i}(P X P) D_{j}(P) D_{l}(P Y P) Q \\
& =2 \sum_{i+k=n} P D_{i}(P X P) D_{k}(P Y P) Q-\sum_{i+l=n} P D_{i}(P X P) P D_{l}(P Y P) Q
\end{aligned}
$$

$$
\begin{aligned}
& =2 \sum_{i+k=n} P D_{i}(P X P) D_{k}(P Y P) Q-\sum_{i+l=n} P D_{i}(P X P) D_{l}(P Y P) Q \\
& =\sum_{i+k=n} P D_{i}(P X P) D_{k}(P Y P) Q
\end{aligned}
$$

The other parts can be proved similarly.
Lemma 2.10. Let $X, Y \in \mathcal{A} \ltimes \mathcal{M}$. Then for each $n \in \mathbb{N}_{0}$, we have
(a) $P D_{n}(P X Q Y Q) Q=\sum_{i+j=n} P D_{i}(P X Q) D_{j}(Q Y Q) Q$,
(b) $P D_{n}(P X P Y Q) Q=\sum_{i+j=n} P D_{i}(P X P) D_{j}(P Y Q) Q$,
(c) $Q D_{n}(Q X P Y P) P=\sum_{i+j=n} Q D_{i}(Q X P) D_{j}(P Y P) P$,
(d) $Q D_{n}(Q X Q Y P) P=\sum_{i+j=n} Q D_{i}(Q X Q) D_{j}(Q Y P) P$.

Proof. It follows from Lemmas 2.1 and 2.6 that

$$
\begin{aligned}
& P D_{n}(P X Q Y Q) Q \\
& =P D_{n}((P X Q)(Q Y Q)+(Q Y Q)(P X Q)) Q \\
& =\sum_{i+j=n}\left(P D_{i}(P X Q) D_{j}(Q Y Q) Q+P D_{i}(Q Y Q) D_{j}(P X Q) Q\right) \\
& =\sum_{i+j=n} P D_{i}(P X Q) D_{j}(Q Y Q) Q
\end{aligned}
$$

Other parts proved similarly.

## Proof of Theorem 2.2

Proof. For any $X \in \mathcal{A} \ltimes \mathcal{M}$ we have $X=P X P+P X Q+Q X P+Q X Q$, so by Lemmas 2.6 and 2.7 it follows that

$$
\begin{aligned}
D_{n}(X) & =P D_{n}(P X P) P+P D_{n}(P X P) Q+Q D_{n}(P X P) P \\
& +P D_{n}(P X Q) Q+Q D_{n}(Q X P) P+P D_{n}(Q X Q) Q \\
& +Q D_{n}(Q X Q) P+Q D_{n}(Q X Q) Q
\end{aligned}
$$

for all $X \in \mathcal{A} \ltimes \mathcal{M}$.
It is a consequence of Lemmas 2.8, 2.9, 2.10 and the facts

$$
\begin{aligned}
0 & =P D_{n}((P X P)(Q Y Q)+(Q Y Q)(P X P)) Q \\
& =\sum_{i+j=n}\left(P D_{i}(P X P) D_{j}(Q Y Q) Q+P D_{i}(Q Y Q) D_{j}(P X P) Q\right) \\
& =\sum_{i+j=n} P D_{i}(P X P) D_{j}(Q Y Q) Q
\end{aligned}
$$

and

$$
0=Q D_{n}((Q X Q)(P Y P)+(P Y P)(Q X Q)) P
$$

$$
\begin{aligned}
& =\sum_{i+j=n}\left(Q D_{i}(Q X Q) D_{j}(P Y P) P+Q D_{i}(P Y P) D_{j}(Q X Q) P\right) \\
& =\sum_{i+j=n} Q D_{i}(Q X Q) D_{j}(P Y P) P
\end{aligned}
$$

that

$$
D_{n}(X Y)=\sum_{i+j=n} D_{i}(X) D_{j}(Y)
$$

for all $X, Y \in \mathcal{A} \ltimes \mathcal{M}$. Therefore $D$ is a higher derivation from $\mathcal{A} \ltimes \mathcal{M}$ into itself.

Let $\mathcal{A}$ and $\mathcal{B}$ be unital algebras over a 2 -torsion free commutative ring $\mathcal{R}$ and $\mathcal{A} \oplus \mathcal{B}$ be the direct sum of $\mathcal{A}$ and $\mathcal{B}$ as $\mathcal{R}$-algebras. Let $\mathcal{M}$ be an $(\mathcal{A} \oplus \mathcal{B})$-bimodule. If $e=\left(1_{\mathcal{A}}, 0\right)$, then $e^{\prime}=\left(0,1_{\mathcal{B}}\right)$ and so $P=\left(\left(1_{\mathcal{A}}, 0\right), 0\right)$ and $Q=\left(\left(0,1_{\mathcal{B}}\right), 0\right)$. Then the trivial extension $(\mathcal{A} \oplus \mathcal{B}) \ltimes \mathcal{M}$ satisfies all the requirements in Theorem 2.2. Let $D=\left\{D_{n}\right\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}_{0}}$ be a Jordan higher derivation on $(\mathcal{A} \oplus \mathcal{B}) \ltimes \mathcal{M}$, then $D_{1}$ is a Jordan derivation on it and so $P D_{1}(Q X P) Q=Q D_{1}(P X Q) P=0$ for all $X \in(\mathcal{A} \oplus \mathcal{B}) \ltimes \mathcal{M}$. Therefore by Theorem 2.2, every Jordan higher derivation from $(\mathcal{A} \oplus \mathcal{B}) \ltimes \mathcal{M}$ into itself is a higher derivation.

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## JORDAN HIGHER DERIVATIONS, A NEW APPROACH

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\begin{aligned}
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\end{aligned}
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 يكدار باشد. در اين مقاله نشان مىدهيم كه هر اشتقاق بالاتر ثور روردان $P D_{1}(Q X P) Q=، X \in \mathcal{A} \ltimes \mathcal{M}$ بر $\mathcal{A} \ltimes \mathcal{M}$
 $e\left(l . a n n_{\mathcal{A}} \mathcal{M}\right) e=، e^{\prime} \mathcal{A} e \mathcal{A} e^{\prime}=\{0\} ، e \mathcal{A} e^{\prime} \mathcal{A} e=\{0\}$ كه در شرايط $e^{\prime}=\left.\right|_{\mathcal{A}}-e, e \in \mathcal{A}$ صدق مىكنند، تعريف $e m e^{\prime}=m ، m \in \mathcal{M}$ و و به ازاى هر $e^{\prime}\left(r . a n n_{\mathcal{A}} \mathcal{M}\right) e^{\prime}=\{0\} ،\{\circ\}$ شدهاند.

كلمات كليدى: اشتقاق بالاتر ثوردان، اشتقاق بالاتر، توسيع بديهى، جبر مثلثى.


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