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Permuting Tri-Derivations of Semiprime Gamma Rings

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Abstract

We study some properties of permuting tri-derivations on semiprime Γ -rings with a certain assumption. Let *M* be a 3-torsion free semiprime Γ -ring satisfying a certain assumption and let *I* be a non-zero ideal of *M*. Suppose that there exists a permuting tri-derivation *D*: $M \times M \times M \to M$ such that *d* is an automorphism commuting on *I* and also *d* is a trace of *D*. Then we prove that *I* is a nonzero commutative ideal. Various characterizations of *M* are obtained by means of tri-derivations.

Keywords: Tri-derivation; Semiprime Γ -ring; Commutative ideal; Commuting map; Permuting map.

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1. Preliminaries

Gamma rings were first introduced by Nabusawa [1] and then Barnes [2] generalized the definition of Γ -rings. In this paper we work on Γ -rings due to Barnes [2]. Throughout this paper, M will represent a Γ -ring and Z(M) will be its center. A Γ -ring M is prime if $x\Gamma M\Gamma y = 0$ implies that x = 0 or y = 0, and is semiprime if $x\Gamma M\Gamma x = 0$ implies x = 0. Let $x, y \in M, \alpha \in \Gamma$, the commutator $x\alpha y - y\alpha x$ will be denoted by $[x, y]_{\alpha}$. We know that $[x\beta y, z]_{\alpha} = x\beta[y, z]_{\alpha} + [x, z]_{\alpha}\beta y + x[\beta, \alpha]_{z}y$ and $[x, y\beta z]_{\alpha} = y\beta[x, z]_{\alpha} + [x, y]_{\alpha}\beta z + y[\beta, \alpha]_{x}z$ for all $x, y, z \in M, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$. We shall take an assumption (*) $x\alpha y\beta z = x\beta y\alpha z$ for all $x, y, z \in M, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$. Using the assumption (*) the above identities reduce to $[x\beta y, z]_{\alpha} = x\beta[y, z]_{\alpha} + [x, z]_{\alpha}\beta y$ and $[x, y\beta z]_{\alpha} = y\beta[x, z]_{\alpha} + [x, y]_{\alpha}\beta z$, for all $x, y, z \in M$ and for all $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ which are used extensively in our results.

Let *I* be a nonempty subset of *M*. Then a map $d: M \to M$ is said to be commuting (resp. centralizing) on *I* if $[d(x), x]_{\alpha} = 0$ for all $x \in I$, $\alpha \in \Gamma$ (resp. $[d(x), x]_{\alpha} \in Z(M)$ for all $x \in I$,

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 $\alpha \in \Gamma$), and is called central if $d(x) \in Z(M)$ for all $x \in M$, $\alpha \in \Gamma$. Every central mapping is obviously commuting but not conversely in general, and d is called skew-centralizing on a subset I of M (resp. skew-commuting on a subset I of M) if $d(x)\alpha x + x\alpha d(x) \in Z(M)$ holds for all $x \in I$, $\alpha \in \Gamma$ (resp. $d(x)\alpha x + x\alpha d(x) = 0$ holds for all $x \in I$, $\alpha \in \Gamma$). Recall that M is said to be *n*-torsion free, where $n \neq 0$ is an integer, if whenever nx = 0, with $x \in M$ then x = 0. An additive map d: $M \to M$ is called a derivation if $d(x\alpha y) = d(x)\alpha y + x\alpha d(y)$ for all x, $y \in M$, $\alpha \in \Gamma$. By a bi-derivation we mean a bi-additive map $D: M \times M \to M$ (i.e., D is additive in both arguments), which satisfies the relations $D(x\alpha y, z) = D(x, z)\alpha y + x\alpha D(y, z)$ z) and $D(x, y\alpha z) = D(x, y)\alpha z + y\alpha D(x, z)$ for x, $y \in M$, $\alpha \in \Gamma$. Let D be symmetric, that is D(x, y) = D(y, x) for the x, $y \in M$. The map d: $M \to M$ defined by d(x) = D(x, x) for all $x \in M$ is called the trace of D. A map D: $M \times M \times M \to M$ will be said to be permuting if the equation D(x, y, z) = D(x, z, y) = D(z, x, y) = D(y, z, x) = D(z, y, x) for all x, y, $z \in M$. A map d: $M \to M$ defined by d(x) = D(x, x, x) for all $x \in M$, where $D: M \times M \times M \to M$ is a permuting map is called the trace of D. It is obvious that, in case when D: $M \times M \times M \rightarrow$ *M* is a permuting map which is also tri-additive (i.e., additive in each argument), the trace d of D satisfies the relation d(x + y) = d(x) + d(y) + 3D(x, x, y) + 3D(x, y, y) for all $x, y \in M$. Since we have D(0, y, z) = D(0 + 0, y, z) = D(0, y, z) + D(0, y, z) for all $y, z \in M$, we obtain D(0, y, z) = 0 for all $y, z \in M$. Hence we get D(0, y, z) = D(x - x, y, z) = D(x, y, z) + D(-x, y, z)z = 0 and so we see that D(-x, y, z) = -D(x, y, z) for all $x, y, z \in M$. This implies that d is an odd function. A tri-additive map $D: M \times M \times M \to M$ will be called a tri-derivation if the relations $D(x\alpha w, y, z) = D(x, y, z)\alpha w + x\alpha D(w, y, z), D(x, y\alpha w, z) = D(x, y, z)\alpha w + x\alpha D(w, y, z), D(x, y\alpha w, z) = D(x, y, z)\alpha w + x\alpha D(w, y, z)$ $y\alpha D(x, w, z)$ and $D(x, y, z\alpha w) = D(x, y, z)\alpha w + z\alpha D(x, y, w)$ are fulfilled for all x, y, z, $w \in M$, $\alpha \in \Gamma$. If D is permuting, then the above three relations are equivalent to each other.

Let *M* be commutative Γ -ring. A map *D*: $M \times M \times M \to M$ defined by $(x, y, z) \to d(x)\alpha d(y)\beta d(z)$ for all *x*, *y*, $z \in M$, α , $\beta \in \Gamma$, is a tri-derivation where *d* is a derivation on *M*.

Ozturk *et al.* [3] studied on symmetric bi-derivations on prime Γ -rings. Some fruitful results of prime Γ -rings were obtained by these authors. Ozturk [4] obtained some properties concerning to the mapping permuting tri-derivations on prime and semiprime Γ -rings. Permuting tri-derivations in prime and semiprime Γ -rings had been studied by Ozden *et al.* [5]. Some remarkable results of these Γ -rings were obtained by them. An example of a permuting tri-derivation has also been given by these authors [5].

In this paper, we study and investigate some results concerning a permuting triderivation D on non-commutative 3-torsion free semiprime Γ -rings M. Some characterizations of semiprime Γ -rings are obtained by means of permuting triderivations.

First we prove the following lemmas which will be needed in our results.

Lemma 1.1

Let *M* be a semiprime Γ -ring. Then *M* contains no nonzero nilpotent ideal.

Proof.

Let *I* be a nilpotent ideal of *M*. Then $(I\Gamma)^n I = 0$ for some positive integer *n*. Let us assume that *n* is minimum. Now suppose that $n \ge 1$. Since $I\Gamma M \subset I$, we then have $(I\Gamma)^{n-1} I \Gamma M \Gamma (I\Gamma)^{n-1} I \subset (I\Gamma)^{n-1} I (I\Gamma)^n I = (I\Gamma)^n I (I\Gamma)^{n-2} I = 0$. Hence by the semiprimeness of *M* we get $(II)^{n-1} I = 0$, a contradiction to the minimality of *n*. Therefore n = 1. Thus $I\Gamma I = 0$. Then $I\Gamma M \Gamma I \subset I\Gamma I = 0$. Since *M* is semiprime, it gives I = 0. This completes the proof. The above lemma gives us the following corollary.

Corollary 1.2

Every prime Γ -ring has no nilpotent ideals.

Lemma 1.3 [15 Theorem 4.1]

Let *M* be a 2, 3-torsion free prime Γ -ring. Let D(., ., .) be permuting tri-derivation of *M* with the trace *d*. If

$$a\alpha d(x) = 0, x \in M, \alpha \in \Gamma$$
⁽¹⁾

where *a* is a fixed element of *M*, then either a = 0 or D = 0.

Lemma 1.4

Let *M* be a 2-torsion free semiprime Γ -ring. If $x\alpha x = 0$ then $x \in Z(M)$ for all $x \in M$, $\alpha \in \Gamma$.

Proof:

We have $x\alpha x = 0$ for all $x \in M$, $\alpha \in \Gamma$. Replacing x by x + y, we get $x\alpha y + y\alpha x = 0$ for all x, $y \in M$, $\alpha \in \Gamma$.

Right-multiplying by βx we obtain $x\alpha y\beta x = 0$ for all $x, y \in M, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$. Replacing y by $y\gamma z$ and right-multiplying by αy we get $x\alpha y\gamma z\beta x\alpha y = 0$ for all $x, y, z \in M, \alpha, \beta, \gamma \in \Gamma$. Since M is semiprime Γ -ring, we obtain $x\alpha y = 0$ for all $x, y \in M, \alpha \in \Gamma$. By the same method, we get $y\alpha x$ = 0 for all $x, y \in M, \alpha \in \Gamma$. By subtracting those, we obtain $[x, y]_{\alpha} = 0$, for all $x, y \in M, \alpha \in \Gamma$, then $x \in Z(M)$ for all $x \in M$.

Lemma 1.5

Let *M* be a semiprime Γ -ring satisfying the condition (*). If $x \alpha x \in Z(M)$ then $x \in Z(M)$ for all $x \in M$, $\alpha \in \Gamma$.

Proof:

We have $x\alpha x \in Z(M)$ for all $x \in M$, $\alpha \in \Gamma$. Then $[x\alpha x, z]_{\beta} = 0$ for all $z \in M$, $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$. Replacing *x* by x + y, we get $[x\alpha y + y\alpha x, z]_{\beta} = 0$ for all *x*, *y*, $z \in M$, $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$. Since $y\beta z\alpha x = y\alpha z\beta x$, we have $x\alpha[y, z]_{\beta} + [x, z]_{\beta}\alpha y + [y\alpha x, z]_{\beta} = 0$ for all *x*, *y*, $z \in M$, $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$. Similarly, $[y, z]_{\beta}\alpha x + y\alpha[x, z]_{\beta} + [x\alpha y, z]_{\beta} = 0$ for all $x, y, z \in M$, $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$.

Using the relation $[x\alpha y + y\alpha x, z]_{\beta} = 0$ and replacing y by $x\alpha x$ we obtain $[x, z]_{\beta}\alpha x\alpha x = 0$ for all $x, z \in M$, $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$.

Left-multiplying by $x\alpha$ and right-multiplying $\alpha[x, z]_{\beta}\alpha x$, we get $(x\alpha[x, z]_{\beta}\alpha x)\alpha(x\alpha[x, z]_{\beta}\alpha x) = 0$ for all $x, z \in M$, $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$. We obtain $x\alpha[x, z]_{\beta}\alpha x = 0$ for all $x, z \in M$, $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$. Leftmultiplying by $[x, z]_{\beta}\alpha$ with using Lemma 1.4, we obtain $[x, z]_{\beta}\alpha x = 0$ for all $x, z \in M$, $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$. Right-multiplying by δz , we get $[x, z]_{\beta}\alpha x \delta z = 0$ for all $x, z \in M$, $\alpha, \beta, \delta \in \Gamma$. Again using the relation $[x, z]_{\beta}\alpha x = 0$ and replacing z by $z\delta z$, we obtain $[x, z]_{\beta}\alpha z\delta x = 0$ for all $x, z \in M$, $\alpha, \beta, \delta \in \Gamma$. Subtracting we obtain $x \in Z(M)$ for all $x \in M$.

Lemma 1.6

Let *M* be a 3-torsion free prime Γ -ring satisfying the condition (*) and let *I* be a non zero ideal of *M*. If there exists a permuting tri-derivation *D*: $M \times M \times M \rightarrow M$ such that d is commuting on *I*, where *d* is the trace of *D*, then we have D = 0.

Proof.

Suppose that

$$[d(x), x]_{\beta} = 0 \text{ for all } x \in I, \beta \in \Gamma$$
(2)

Linearizing (2) we get,

$$[d(x), y]_{\beta} + [d(y), x]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, x, y), x]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, y, y), x]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, x, y), y]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta} = 0 \text{ for all } x, y \in I, \beta \in \Gamma$$

$$(3)$$

Putting -x instead of x in (3) and since d is odd, we obtain

$$[D(x, x, y), x]_{\beta} = 0 \text{ for all } x, y \in I, \beta \in \Gamma$$
(4)

Putting x = x + y in (4) and then we obtain

$$[d(y), x]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, y, y), x]_{\beta} = 0 \text{ for all } x, y \in I, \beta \in \Gamma$$
(5)

Replacing $y\alpha x$ for x in (3) we get

 $[d(y), y\alpha x]_{\beta} + 3[D(y\alpha x, x, y), y]_{\beta} = y\alpha[d(y), x]_{\beta} + 3d(y)\alpha[x, y]_{\beta} + 3y\alpha[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta} = 0$ for all $x, y \in I$, $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$, which implies that

$$y\alpha([d(y), x]_{\beta} + 3 [D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta}) + 3d(y)\alpha[x, y]_{\beta} = 0$$
(6)

By using (5) we have $d(y)\alpha[x, y]_{\beta}=0$ for all $x, y \in I$, $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ on account of (5). Since *I* is a nonzero non-commutative prime Γ -ring, it follows from (3) and Lemma 1.3 that, for all $y \in I$ with $y \notin Z(M)$, we have d(y) = 0 since for every fixed $y \in I$, a map $x \to [x, y]_{\beta}$ is a derivation on *I*.

Now, let $x \in I$ with $x \in Z(M)$ and $y \in I$ with $y \notin Z(M)$. Then $x + y \notin Z(M)$ and $-y \notin Z(M)$. Thus we have

d(x + y) = d(x) + 3D(x, x, y) + 3D(x, y, y) = 0 which shows that d(x - y) = d(x) - 3D(x, x, y) + 3D(x, y, y) = 0 which shows that

$$d(x) + 3D(x, y, y) = 0$$
(7)

Replacing $y \in I$ ($y \notin Z(M)$) by 2y in (7) we obtain that D(x, y, y) = 0 and so the relation (7) gives d(x) = 0 for all $x \in I$ with $x \in Z$. Therefore we obtain d(x) = 0 for all $x \in I$.

On the other hand, since the relation D(x, x, y) + D(x, y, y) = 0 fulfilled for all $x, y \in I$, it follows that

 $D(x, x, y) + D(x, y, y) = 0 \text{ for all } x, y \in I,$ (8)

and substituting y + z for y in (8) we obtain that 2D(x, y, z) = 0 = D(x, y, z) for all $x, y \in I$.

Let us substitute $w\alpha x \ (w \in M)$ for x in the above relation D(x, y, z) = 0 for all x, y, $z \in I$. Then we have

 $D(w, y, z)\alpha x = 0$. Hence $D(w, y, z)\alpha x\beta D(w, y, z) = 0$.Since *M* is prime, we get D(w, y, z) = 0 for all $y, z \in I$, $w \in M$. Also, substituting $y\delta v$ ($v \in M$) for y in this relation, we have $y\delta D(w, v, z) = 0$ and so $D(w, v, z)\beta y\delta D(w, v, z) = 0$. Again, by primeness of *M*, we obtain that D(w, v, z) = 0 for all $z \in I$, $w, v \in M$. Furthermore, replacing z by $u\gamma z$ ($u \in M$, $\gamma \in \Gamma$) in the relation D(w, v, z) = 0, we get D(w, v, u) = 0. The primeness of *M* implies that D(w, v, u) = 0 for all $u, v, w \in M$.

Lemma 1.7

Let *M* be a 3-torsion free semiprime Γ -ring satisfying the condition (*) and *I* be a nonzero ideal of *M*. If there exists a permuting tri-derivation *D*: $M \times M \times M \rightarrow M$ such that d is centralizing on *I*, where *d* is the trace of *D*, then *d* is commuting on *I*.

Proof:

Assume that

$$[d(x), x]_{\beta} \in Z(M) \text{ for all } x \in I, \beta \in \Gamma$$
(9)

By linearizing (9) we get,

$$[d(x), y]_{\beta} + [d(y), x]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, x, y), x]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, y, y), x]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, x, y), y]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta} \in \mathbb{Z}(M), \text{ for all } x, y \in I, \beta \in \Gamma.$$
(10)

We substitute -x for x in (10) we get

$$[D(x, y, y), x]_{\beta} + [D(x, x, y), y]_{\beta} \in \mathbb{Z}(M), \text{ for all } x, y \in I, \beta \in \Gamma$$
(11)

Replacing x by x + y in (11) we have

$$[d(y), x]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta} \in \mathbb{Z}(M), \text{ for all } x, y \in I, \beta \in \Gamma$$
(12)

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Taking $x = y\delta y$ in (12) and invoking (9) show that

$$[d(y), y\delta y]_{\beta} + 3[D(y\delta y, y, y), y]_{\beta} = 8[d(y), y]_{\beta}\delta y \in Z(M), \text{ for all } y \in I, \beta, \delta \in \Gamma$$
(13)

Commuting with d(y) in (13) gives

$$8[d(y), y]_{\beta}\delta[d(y), y]_{\beta} = 0, \text{ for all } y \in I, \beta, \delta \in \Gamma$$
(14)

On the other hand, substituting x for yyx in (14)

$$[d(y), y\gamma x]_{\beta} + 3[D(y\gamma x, x, y), y]_{\beta} = y\gamma[d(y), x]_{\beta} + 3d(y)\gamma[x, y]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta}$$

+ 4[d(y), y]_{\beta}\gamma x \in Z(M) for all x, y \in I, \beta, \gamma \in \Gamma (15)

Hence we have

$$[y\gamma\{[d(y), x]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta}\gamma[x, y]_{\beta}\}, y]_{\beta} + [3d(y)\gamma[x, y]_{\beta} + 4[d(y), y]_{\beta}\gamma x, y]_{\beta} = 0$$

for all $x, y \in I, \beta, \gamma \in \Gamma$ (16)

So we get $[3d(y)\gamma[x, y]_{\beta}, y]_{\beta} + 7[d(y), y]_{\beta}\gamma[x, y]_{\beta} = 0$, for all $x, y \in I$, $\beta, \gamma \in \Gamma$, according to (14).

Substituting $d(y)\lambda x$ for x in (15), it follows that

$$d(y)\gamma\{3d(y)\lambda[[x, y]_{\beta}, y]_{\beta} + 7[d(y), y]_{\beta}\gamma[x, y]_{\beta}\} + 6d(y)\gamma[d(y), y]_{\beta}\gamma[x, y]_{\beta}$$

+ 7[d(y), y]_{\beta}\gamma[d(y), y]_{\beta}\gamma x, for all x, y \in I, \beta, \gamma \in \Gamma, (17)

which by (16) implies

$$6d(y)\gamma[d(y), y]_{\beta}\gamma[x, y]_{\beta} + 7[d(y), y]_{\beta}\gamma[d(y), y]_{\beta}\gamma x = 0 \text{ for all } x, y \in I, \beta, \gamma \in \Gamma$$
(18)

Letting $x = [d(y), y]_{\beta}$ in (18) we arrive at $[d(y), y]_{\beta}\gamma[d(y), y]_{\beta}\gamma[d(y), y]_{\beta} = 0$ and so we get

$$7[d(y), y]_{\beta}\gamma[d(y), y]_{\beta}\gamma[d(y), y]_{\beta}\gamma[d(y), y]_{\beta} = 0$$
(19)

Since *M* is a semiprime Γ -ring $7[d(y), y]_{\beta}\gamma[d(y), y]_{\beta} = 0$ for all $x, y \in I, \beta, \gamma \in \Gamma$. Hence, the relations (16) and (19) yield $[d(y), y]_{\beta}\gamma[d(y), y]_{\beta} = 0$ for all $y \in I, \beta, \gamma \in \Gamma$. Since the center of a semiprime ring contains no nonzero nilpotent elements, we conclude that [d(y), $y]_{\beta} = 0$ for all $y \in I$, $\beta \in \Gamma$. This completes the proof.

Lemma 1.8

Let M be a 3- torsion free prime Γ -ring and let I be a nonzero ideal of M. If there exists a nonzero permuting tri-derivation D: $M \times M \times M \rightarrow M$ such that d is centralizing on I, where d is the trace of D, then M is commutative.

Proof:

Suppose that M is non-commutative. Then it follows from Lemma 1.3 that is commuting on *I*. Hence Lemma 1.6 gives D = 0 which proves the Lemma.

Lemma 1.9

Let *M* be a semiprime Γ -ring satisfying the condition (*). If there exists $a \in M$ such that $a\alpha[x, y]_{\beta} = 0$ holds for all pairs $x, y \in M, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$. In this case, $a \in Z(M)$.

Proof:

We have $[z, a]_{\beta} \alpha x \delta[z, a]_{\beta} = z\beta a \alpha x \delta[z, a]_{\beta} - a\beta z \alpha x \delta[z, a]_{\beta} = z\beta a \alpha[z, x\delta a]_{\beta} - z\beta a \alpha[z, x]_{\beta} \delta a - a\beta[z, z\alpha x\delta a]_{\beta} + a\beta[z, z\alpha x]_{\beta} \delta a = 0.$

Hence $a \in Z(M)$. Since $z\alpha a \delta w \gamma[x, y]_{\beta} = 0$ for all $z, w, x, y \in M$, $\alpha, \beta, \delta, \gamma \in \Gamma$, we can repeat the above argument with $z\alpha a \gamma w$ instead of a to obtain $M\Gamma a \Gamma M \in Z(M)$ and now it is obvious that the ideal generated by a is central.

2. Permuting Tri-Derivations

We prove some results on permuting tri-derivations.

Theorem 2.1

Let *M* be a 3-torsion free semiprime Γ -ring satisfying the condition (*) and let *I* be a nonzero ideal of *M*. If there exists a permuting tri-derivation *D*: $M \times M \times M \rightarrow M$ such that d is an automorphism commuting on I, where *d* is the trace of *D*, then *I* is a nonzero commutative ideal.

Proof:

Suppose that

$$[d(x), x]_{\beta} = 0 \text{ for all } x \in I, \beta \in \Gamma.$$
(20)

Substituting *x* by x + y leads to

$$[d(x), y]_{\beta} + [d(y), x]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, x, y), x]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, y, y), x]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, x, y), y]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta} = 0 \text{ for all } x, y \in I, \beta \in \Gamma$$
(21)

Putting -x instead of x in (21) we get

$$[D(x, y, y), x]_{\beta} + [D(x, x, y), y]_{\beta} = 0 \text{ for all } x, y \in I, \beta \in \Gamma.$$
(22)

Since *d* is odd, we set x = x + y in (22) and then use (20) and (22) to obtain

$$[d(y), x]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta} = 0 \text{ for all } x, y \in I, \beta \in \Gamma.$$
(23)

Let us write $y\alpha x$ instead of x in (23), we obtain

 $[d(y), y\alpha x]_{\beta} + 3[D(y\alpha x, y, y), y]_{\beta} = y\alpha[d(y), x]_{\beta} + 3d(y)\alpha[x, y]_{\beta} + 3y\alpha[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta} = y\alpha([d(y), x]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta}) + 3d(y)\alpha[x, y]_{\beta} = 0 \text{ for all } x, y \in I, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma. \text{ Then } d(y)\alpha[x, y]_{\beta} = 0 \text{ for all } x, y \in I, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma. \text{ Since } d \text{ is an automorphism, we obtain } y\alpha[x, y]_{\beta} = 0 \text{ for all } x, y \in I, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma. \text{ Replacing } x \text{ by } y\alpha x, \text{ we get}$

 $y \alpha x \gamma [x, y]_{\beta} = 0$ for all $x, y \in I, \alpha, \beta, \gamma \in \Gamma$. (24)

Again left-multiplying by *x* implies that

 $x \alpha y \gamma [x, y]_{\beta} = 0 \text{ for all } x, y \in I, \alpha, \beta, \gamma \in \Gamma.$ (25)

Subtracting (24) and (25) with using *M* is semiprime Γ -ring, we completes our proof. By same method in Theorem 2.1, it is easy to proof the following results.

Corollary 2.2

Let *M* be a 3-torsion free semiprime Γ -ring satisfying the condition (*) and *I* be an ideal of *M*. If there exists a permuting tri-derivation *D*: $M \times M \times M \rightarrow M$ such that *d* is commutating on *I*, where *d* is the trace of *D*, then *I* is a central ideal.

Theorem 2.3

Let *M* be a 3-torsion free semiprime Γ -ring satisfying the condition (*). If there exist a permuting tri-derivation *D*: $M \times M \times M \to M$ such that d is an automorphism commuting on *M*, where *d* is the trace of *D*, then *M* is commutative.

Theorem 2.4

Let *M* be a 6-torsion free semiprime Γ -ring satisfying the condition (*). If there exists a permuting tri-derivation *D*: $M \times M \times M \rightarrow M$ such that *d* is an automorphism centralizing on *M*, where *d* is the trace of *D*, then *M* is commutative.

Proof:

Assume that

$[d(x), x]_{\beta} \in Z(M)$ for all $x \in M$ and $\beta \in \Gamma$.	(26)
Replacing x by $x + y$ and again using (26), we obtain	
$\begin{split} & [d(x), y]_{\beta} + [d(y), x]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, x, y), x]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, y, y), x]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, x, y), y]_{\beta} \\ & + 3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta} \in Z(M) \text{ for all } x, y \in M, \ \beta \in \Gamma. \end{split}$	(27)
Replacing x by $-x$ in (27) we get	
$[D(x, y, y), x]_{\beta} + [D(x, x, y), y]_{\beta} \in Z(M) \text{ for all } x, y \in M, \beta \in \Gamma.$	(28)
Replacing x by $x + y$ in (28), we obtain	
$[d(y), x]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta} \in Z(M) \text{ for all } x, y \in M, \beta \in \Gamma.$	(29)
Taking $x = y\alpha y$ in (29) and invoking (26), we get	
$[d(y), y\alpha y]_{\beta} + 3[D(y\alpha y, y, y), y]_{\beta} = 8[d(y), y]_{\beta}\alpha y \in Z(M) \text{ for all } y \in M, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma.$	(30)
Now commuting (30) with $d(y)$ yields	

 $8[d(y), y]_{\beta} \alpha[d(y), y]_{\beta} = 0 \text{ for all } y \in M, \, \alpha, \, \beta \in \Gamma.$

Again substituting x by $y\alpha x$ in (29) gives

 $[d(y), y\alpha x]_{\beta} + 3[D(y\alpha x, y, y), y]_{\beta} = y\alpha([d(y), x]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta}) + 3d(y)\alpha[x, y]_{\beta} + 4[d(y), y]_{\beta}\alpha x \in Z(M) \text{ for all } x, y \in M, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma. \text{ Then } [y\alpha([d(y), x]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta}), y]_{\beta} + [3d(y)\alpha[x, y]_{\beta} + 4[d(y), x]_{\beta}\alpha x, y]_{\beta} = 0 \text{ for all } x, y \in M, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma. \text{ And so we get}$

 $3d(y)\alpha[[x, y]_{\beta}, y]_{\beta} + 7[d(y), y]_{\beta}\alpha[x, y]_{\beta} = 0 \text{ for all } x, y \in M, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma.$ (31)

Since d acts as an automorphism with *M* is 6-torsion free the relation (31) reduces to $y\alpha[[x, y]_{\beta}, y]_{\beta} = 0$ for all $x, y \in M, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$.

Replacing *x* by $r\delta x$, we get

$$y\alpha x\delta [[x, y]_{\beta}, y]_{\beta} + 2y\alpha [x, y]_{\beta} = 0 \text{ for all } x, y \in M, \alpha, \beta, \delta \in \Gamma.$$
(32)

Replacing y by -y in (32) and subtracting with (32), gives

$$4y\delta[x, y]_{\beta} = 0 \text{ for all } x, y \in M, \beta, \delta \in \Gamma.$$
(33)

Replacing x by $x\gamma r$ and left-multiplying by s, we obtain

$$4y\delta x\alpha[r, y]_{\beta} = 0 \text{ for all } x, y, r, s \in M, \alpha, \beta, \delta \in \Gamma.$$
(34)

Again in (33) replacing x by $x\lambda m$ and x by $s\delta x$, we get

$$4y\gamma s\delta x\alpha[m, y]_{\beta} = 0 \text{ for all } x, y, m, s \in M, \alpha, \beta, \delta, \gamma \in \Gamma.$$
(35)

Subtracting (34) and (35) with using *M* is 6-torsion free semiprime, we obtain $[s, y]_{\beta} = 0$ for all *s*, $y \in M$. Thus, we get *M* is commutative.

Theorem 2.5

Let *M* be a 3-torsion free semiprime Γ -ring satisfying the condition (*). If there exists a permuting tri-derivation *D*: $M \times M \times M \to M$ such that *d* is commuting on *M*, where *d* is the trace of *D*, then *d* is a central mapping.

Proof:

We have

$$[d(x), x]_{\beta} = 0 \text{ for all } x \in M, \beta \in \Gamma.$$
(36).

The substitution of x in (36) by x + y leads to

$$[d(x), y]_{\beta} + [d(y), x]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, x, y), x]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, y, y), x]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, x, y), y]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta} = 0 \text{ for all } x, y \in M, \beta \in \Gamma.$$
(37)

Putting -x instead of x in (37) we obtain,

$$[D(x, y, y), x]_{\beta} + [D(x, x, y), y]_{\beta} = 0 \text{ for all } x, y \in M, \beta \in \Gamma.$$
(38)

Since d is odd, we set x = x + y in (38) with using (36) and (37), we get

$$[d(y), x]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta} = 0 \text{ for all } x, y \in M, \beta \in \Gamma.$$
(39)

Let us write in (39) $y\alpha x$ instead of *x*, we obtain according to (39) and since *M* is 3-torsion semiprime $d(y)\alpha[x, y]_{\beta} = 0$ for all $x, y \in M, \beta \in \Gamma$.

Applying Lemma 1.9, the above relation gives $d(y) \in Z(M)$ for all $y \in M$, thus we completes the proof of the theorem.

Theorem 2.6

Let *M* be a 3-torsion free semiprime Γ -ring. If there exists a permuting tri-derivation *D*: *M* $\times M \times M \to M$ such that *d* is commuting on *M*, where *d* is the trace of *D*, then *D* is commuting (resp. centralizing).

Proof:

We can restrict our attention to the relation

$$[d(x), x]_{\beta} = 0 \text{ for all } x \in M, \beta \in \Gamma.$$
(40)

The substitution of x + y for x in above relation gives

$$[d(x), y]_{\beta} + [d(y), x]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, x, y), x]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, y, y), x]_{\beta} + 3[D(x, x, y), y]_{\beta}$$

+ 3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta} = 0 for all x, y \in M, \beta \in \Gamma \left(\beta \in M\vert \beta \in \beta \in \beta \in \beta \beta

Now, by the same method in Theorem 2.5, we arrive at

$$y\delta[d(y), x]_{\beta} + 3d(y)\delta[x, y]_{\beta} + 3y\delta[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta} = 0 \text{ for all } x, y \in M, \beta, \delta \in \Gamma.$$
(42)

which implies that

$$d(y)\delta[x, y]_{\beta} = 0 \text{ for all } x, y \in M, \beta, \delta \in \Gamma.$$
(43)

Applying Lemma 1.5, the above relation gives $d(y) \in Z(M)$ for all $x \in M$. By substitution the relation $d(y) \in Z(M)$ in (41) with using replacing x by y and M is 3-torsion free semiprime, we obtain

$$[D(y, y, y), y]_{\beta} = 0 \text{ for all } x, y \in M, \beta \in \Gamma$$
(44)

Then D is commuting (resp. centralizing) of M.

Theorem 2.7

Let *M* be a non-commutative 3-torsion free semiprime Γ -ring satisfying the condition (*). If there exists a permuting tri-derivation *D*: $M \times M \times M \to M$ such that d is skew-commuting on *M*, where *d* is the trace of *D*, then *d* is commuting.

Proof:

We have $d(x)\alpha x + x\alpha d(x) = 0$ for all $x \in M$. Replacing x by x + y, we obtain

$$d(y)\alpha x + 3D(x, x, y)\alpha x + 3D(x, y, y)\alpha x + d(x)\alpha y + 3D(x, x, y)\alpha y + 3D(x, y, y)\alpha y + x\alpha d(y) + 3x\alpha D(x, x, y) + 3x\alpha D(x, y, y) + y\alpha d(y) + 3y\alpha D(x, x, y) + 3y\alpha D(x, y, y) = 0 \text{ for all } x, y \in M, \alpha \in \Gamma$$

$$(45)$$

We substitute -x for x in (45) we get $3D(x, y, y)\alpha x + 3D(x, x, y)\alpha y + 3x\alpha D(x, y, y) + 3y\alpha D(x, x, y) = 0$ for all $x, y \in M, \alpha \in \Gamma$.

Since M is 3-torsion free, we obtain

$$D(x, x, y)\alpha x + D(x, x, y)\alpha y + x\alpha D(x, y, y) + y\alpha D(x, x, y) = 0 \text{ for all } x, y \in M, \alpha \in \Gamma$$
(46)

Again we substituting $x\beta y$ for x in (46) then we get

$$x\alpha D(y, y, y)\beta y + D(x, y, y)\alpha x\beta y + x\alpha y\beta D(y, y, y) + D(x, y, y)\alpha y = 0$$

for all x, $y \in M$, $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ (47)

We substitute -x for x in (47) and compare (47) with the result to get $D(x, y, y)\alpha x\beta y = 0$ for all $x, y \in M$. Replacing x by y and since d is the trace of D, we obtain $d(y)\alpha y\beta y = 0$ for all $y \in M$. Left- multiplying by y and right-multiplying by $d(y)\delta y$ with using Lemma 1.4, we obtain

$$y\delta d(y)\beta y = 0$$
 for all $y \in M, \beta, \delta \in \Gamma$. (48)

(49)

Left- multiplying (48) by d(y) with using Lemmas (1.1 and 1.3) gives

 $d(y)\beta y = 0$ for all $y \in M$, $\beta \in \Gamma$.

Right- multiplying (48) by d(y) with using Lemmas (1.1 and 1.3) and subtracting the result with (49), we obtain $[d(y), y]_{\beta} = 0$ for all $y \in M$, $\beta \in \Gamma$.

By Theorem 2.3, we complete our proof.

By the same method in Theorem 2.8, with using Lemmas (1.4 and 1.5), it is easy to proof the following corollary.

Theorem 2.8

Let *M* be a non-commutative 3-torsion free semiprime Γ -ring satisfying the condition (*) and *I* be a non-zero ideal of *M*. If there exists a permuting tri-derivation *D*: $M \times M \times M \rightarrow M$ such that d is skew-commuting on *I*, where *d* is the trace of *D*, then *d* is commuting on *I*.

Proof:

Using the same method in Theorem 2.7, with Lemma 1.7, we complete the proof of the Theorem.

Theorem 2.9

Let *M* be a non commutative 3-torsion free semiprime Γ -ring satisfying the condition (*) and *I* be a nonzero ideal of *M*. If there exists a permuting tri-derivation *D*: $M \times M \times M \rightarrow M$ such that *d* is skew- centralizing on *I* where *d* is the trace of *D*, then *d* is commuting on *I*.

Proof:

Using same method in Theorem 2.7, we obtain $[d(x)\alpha y \delta y, r]_{\beta} \in Z(M)$ for all $x \in I$, $r \in M$, α , β , $\delta \in \Gamma$, replacing *r* by *y* with using Lemma 1.7, we complete the proof of the theorem.

Corollary 2.10

Let *M* be a 3-torsion free prime Γ -ring satisfying the condition (*) and *I* be a nonzero ideal of *M*. If there exists a nonzero a permuting tri-derivation *D*: $M \times M \times M \rightarrow M$ such that *d* is skew-centralizing on *I* where *d* is the trace of *D*, then *M* is commutative.

Proof:

Suppose that *M* is non-commutative, then by the same method in Theorem 2.9, we get $[d(x), x]_{\beta} \in Z(M)$ for all $x \in I$, $\beta \in \Gamma$. Hence by Lemma 1.8, the proof of the corollary is complete.

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