# Permuting Tri-Derivations of Semiprime Gamma Rings 

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#### Abstract

We study some properties of permuting tri-derivations on semiprime $\Gamma$-rings with a certain assumption. Let $M$ be a 3-torsion free semiprime $\Gamma$-ring satisfying a certain assumption and let $I$ be a non-zero ideal of $M$. Suppose that there exists a permuting tri-derivation $D$ : $M \times M \times M \rightarrow M$ 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.


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## 1. Preliminaries

Gamma rings were first introduced by Nabusawa [1] and then Barnes [2] generalized the definition of $\Gamma$-rings. In this paper we work on $\Gamma$-rings due to Barnes [2]. Throughout this paper, $M$ will represent a $\Gamma$-ring and $Z(M)$ will be its center. A $\Gamma$-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 $d: M \rightarrow M$ 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 $x \in I$,

[^0]$\alpha \in \Gamma$ ), 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 $n x=0$, with $x \in M$ then $x=0$. An additive map $d: M \rightarrow M$ 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 $D: M \times M \rightarrow M$ (i.e., $D$ is additive in both arguments), which satisfies the relations $D(x \alpha y, z)=D(x, z) \alpha y+x \alpha D(y$, $z$ ) 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 $d: M \rightarrow M$ defined by $d(x)=D(x, x)$ for all $x \in M$ is called the trace of $D$. A map $D: M \times M \times M \rightarrow M$ 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 $d: M \rightarrow M$ defined by $d(x)=D(x, x, x)$ for all $x \in M$, where $D: M \times M \times M \rightarrow M$ 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 $d(x+y)=d(x)+d(y)+3 D(x, x, y)+3 D(x, y, y)$ 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 $D(0, y, z)=D(x-x, y, z)=D(x, y, z)+D(-x, y$, $z)=0$ 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 $D: M \times M \times M \rightarrow M$ will be called a tri-derivation if the relations $D(x \alpha w, y, z)=D(x, y, z) \alpha w+x \alpha D(w, y, z), D(x, y \alpha w, z)=D(x, y, z) \alpha w+$ $y \alpha D(x, w, z)$ 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 $\Gamma$-ring. A map $D: M \times M \times M \rightarrow M$ defined by $(x, y, z) \rightarrow$ $d(x) \alpha d(y) \beta d(z)$ for all $x, y, z \in M, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$, is a tri-derivation where $d$ is a derivation on $M$.

Ozturk et al. [3] studied on symmetric bi-derivations on prime $\Gamma$-rings. Some fruitful results of prime $\Gamma$-rings were obtained by these authors. Ozturk [4] obtained some properties concerning to the mapping permuting tri-derivations on prime and semiprime $\Gamma$-rings. Permuting tri-derivations in prime and semiprime $\Gamma$-rings had been studied by Ozden et al. [5]. Some remarkable results of these $\Gamma$-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 $\Gamma$-rings $M$. Some characterizations of semiprime $\Gamma$-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 $\Gamma$-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 $n \geq 1$. Since $I \Gamma M \subset I$, we then have $(I \Gamma)^{n-}$ ${ }^{1} I \Gamma M \Gamma(I \Gamma)^{n-1} I \subset(I \Gamma)^{\mathrm{n}-1} I(I \Gamma)^{\mathrm{n}} I=(I \Gamma)^{n} I(I \Gamma)^{n-2} I=0$. Hence by the semiprimeness of $M$ we get $(I \Gamma)^{n-1} I=0$, 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 $\Gamma$-ring has no nilpotent ideals.

## Lemma 1.3 [ 15 Theorem 4.1]

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

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\begin{equation*}
a \alpha d(x)=0, x \in M, \alpha \in \Gamma \tag{1}
\end{equation*}
$$

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 $\Gamma$-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 $\beta x$ 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 $\alpha y$ 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 $\Gamma$-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 $\Gamma$-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 $\left(x \alpha[x, z]_{\beta} \alpha x\right) \alpha(x \alpha[x$, $\left.z]_{\beta} \alpha x\right)=0$ 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 $\delta z$, 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 $\Gamma$-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

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

Linearizing (2) we get,
$[d(x), y]_{\beta}+[d(y), x]_{\beta}+3[D(x, x, y), x]_{\beta}+3[D(x, y, y), x]_{\beta}+3[D(x, x, y), y]_{\beta}+$
$3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta}=0$ for all $x, y \in I, \beta \in \Gamma$
Putting -x instead of x in (3) and since $d$ is odd, we obtain
$[D(x, x, y), x]_{\beta}=0$ for all $x, y \in I, \beta \in \Gamma$
Putting $x=x+y$ in (4) and then we obtain

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

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

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

for all $x, y \in I, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$, which implies that

$$
\begin{equation*}
y \alpha\left([d(y), x]_{\beta}+3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta}\right)+3 d(y) \alpha[x, y]_{\beta}=0 \tag{6}
\end{equation*}
$$

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 $\Gamma$-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 $x \rightarrow[x, y]_{\beta}$ 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
$d(x+y)=d(x)+3 D(x, x, y)+3 D(x, y, y)=0$ which shows that $d(x-y)=d(x)-3 D(x$, $x, y)+3 D(x, y, y)=0$ which shows that

$$
\begin{equation*}
d(x)+3 D(x, y, y)=0 \tag{7}
\end{equation*}
$$

Replacing $y \in I(y \notin Z(M))$ by $2 y$ 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
$D(x, x, y)+D(x, y, y)=0$ for all $x, y \in I$,
and substituting $y+z$ for $y$ in (8) we obtain that $2 D(x, y, z)=0=D(x, y, z)$ 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 $\Gamma$-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
$[d(x), x]_{\beta} \in Z(M)$ for all $x \in I, \beta \in \Gamma$
By linearizing (9) we get,
$[d(x), y]_{\beta}+[d(y), x]_{\beta}+3[D(x, x, y), x]_{\beta}+3[D(x, y, y), x]_{\beta}+3[D(x, x, y), y]_{\beta}$ $+3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta} \in Z(M)$, for all $x, y \in I, \beta \in \Gamma$.

We substitute $-x$ for $x$ in (10) we get
$[D(x, y, y), x]_{\beta}+[D(x, x, y), y]_{\beta} \in Z(M)$, for all $x, y \in I, \beta \in \Gamma$
Replacing $x$ by $x+y$ in (11) we have
$[d(y), x]_{\beta}+3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta} \in Z(M)$, for all $x, y \in I, \beta \in \Gamma$

Taking $x=y \delta y$ in (12) and invoking (9) show that
$[d(y), y \delta y]_{\beta}+3[D(y \delta y, y, y), y]_{\beta}=8[d(y), y]_{\beta} \delta y \in Z(M)$, for all $y \in I, \beta, \delta \in \Gamma$
Commuting with $d(\mathrm{y})$ in (13) gives
$8[d(y), y]_{\beta} \delta[d(y), y]_{\beta}=0$, for all $y \in I, \beta, \delta \in \Gamma$
On the other hand, substituting $x$ for $y \gamma x$ in (14)
$[d(y), y \gamma x]_{\beta}+3[D(y \gamma x, x, y), y]_{\beta}=y \gamma[d(y), x]_{\beta}+3 d(y) \gamma[x, y]_{\beta}+3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta}$ $+4[d(y), y]_{\beta} \gamma x \in Z(M)$ for all $x, y \in I, \beta, \gamma \in \Gamma$

Hence we have
$\left[y \gamma\left\{[d(y), x]_{\beta}+3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta} \gamma[x, y]_{\beta}\right\}, y\right]_{\beta}+\left[3 d(y) \gamma[x, y]_{\beta}+4[d(y), y]_{\beta} \gamma x, y\right]_{\beta}=0$
for all $x, y \in I, \beta, \gamma \in \Gamma$
So we get $\left[3 d(y) \gamma[x, y]_{\beta}, y\right]_{\beta}+7[d(y), y]_{\beta} \gamma[x, y]_{\beta}=0$, 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

$$
\begin{align*}
& d(y) \gamma\left\{3 d(y) \lambda\left[[x, y]_{\beta}, y\right]_{\beta}+7[d(y), y]_{\beta} \gamma[x, y]_{\beta}\right\}+6 d(y) \gamma[d(y), y]_{\beta} \gamma[x, y]_{\beta} \\
& +7[d(y), y]_{\beta} \gamma[d(y), y]_{\beta} \gamma x, \text { for all } x, y \in I, \beta, \gamma \in \Gamma, \tag{17}
\end{align*}
$$

which by (16) implies
$6 d(y) \gamma[d(y), y]_{\beta} \gamma[x, y]_{\beta}+7[d(y), y]_{\beta} \gamma[d(y), y]_{\beta} \gamma x=0$ for all $x, y \in I, \beta, \gamma \in \Gamma$
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
$7[d(y), y]_{\beta} \gamma[d(y), y]_{\beta} \gamma 7[d(y), y]_{\beta} \gamma[d(y), y]_{\beta}=0$
Since $M$ is a semiprime $\Gamma$-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 $\Gamma$-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 $\Gamma$-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 $\Gamma$-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
$[d(x), x]_{\beta}=0$ for all $x \in I, \beta \in \Gamma$.
Substituting $x$ by $x+y$ leads to

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

Putting $-x$ instead of $x$ in (21) we get
$[D(x, y, y), x]_{\beta}+[D(x, x, y), y]_{\beta}=0$ for all $x, y \in I, \beta \in \Gamma$.
Since $d$ is odd, we set $x=x+y$ in (22) and then use (20) and (22) to obtain
$[d(y), x]_{\beta}+3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta}=0$ for all $x, y \in I, \beta \in \Gamma$.
Let us write $y \alpha x$ instead of $x$ in (23), we obtain
$[d(y), y \alpha x]_{\beta}+3[D(y \alpha x, y, y), y]_{\beta}=y \alpha[d(y), x]_{\beta}+3 d(y) \alpha[x, y]_{\beta}+3 y \alpha[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta}=$ $y \alpha\left([d(y), x]_{\beta}+3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta}\right)+3 d(y) \alpha[x, y]_{\beta}=0$ for all $x, y \in I, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$. Then $d(y) \alpha[x$, $y]_{\beta}=0$ for all $x, y \in I, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$, since $d$ is an automorphism, we obtain $y \alpha[x, y]_{\beta}=0$ for all $x$, $y \in I, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$. Replacing $x$ by $y \alpha x$, we get

$$
\begin{equation*}
y \alpha x \gamma[x, y]_{\beta}=0 \text { for all } x, y \in I, \alpha, \beta, \gamma \in \Gamma . \tag{24}
\end{equation*}
$$

Again left-multiplying by $x$ implies that

$$
\begin{equation*}
x \alpha y \gamma[x, y]_{\beta}=0 \text { for all } x, y \in I, \alpha, \beta, \gamma \in \Gamma . \tag{25}
\end{equation*}
$$

Subtracting (24) and (25) with using $M$ is semiprime $\Gamma$-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 $\Gamma$-ring satisfying the condition $\left({ }^{*}\right)$ 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 $\Gamma$-ring satisfying the condition (*). If there exist a permuting tri-derivation $D: M \times M \times M \rightarrow M$ 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 $\Gamma$-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

$$
\begin{equation*}
[d(x), x]_{\beta} \in Z(M) \text { for all } x \in M \text { and } \beta \in \Gamma . \tag{26}
\end{equation*}
$$

Replacing $x$ by $x+y$ and again using (26), we obtain
$[d(x), y]_{\beta}+[d(y), x]_{\beta}+3[D(x, x, y), x]_{\beta}+3[D(x, y, y), x]_{\beta}+3[D(x, x, y), y]_{\beta}$ $+3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta} \in Z(M)$ for all $x, y \in M, \beta \in \Gamma$.

Replacing $x$ by $-x$ in (27) we get
$[D(x, y, y), x]_{\beta}+[D(x, x, y), y]_{\beta} \in Z(M)$ for all $x, y \in M, \beta \in \Gamma$.
Replacing $x$ by $x+y$ in (28), we obtain
$[d(y), x]_{\beta}+3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta} \in Z(M)$ for all $x, y \in M, \beta \in \Gamma$.
Taking $x=y \alpha y$ in (29) and invoking (26), we get

$$
\begin{equation*}
[d(y), y \alpha y]_{\beta}+3[D(y \alpha y, y, y), y]_{\beta}=8[d(y), y]_{\beta} \alpha y \in Z(M) \text { for all } y \in M, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma . \tag{30}
\end{equation*}
$$

Now commuting (30) with $d(y)$ yields
$8[d(y), y]_{\beta} \alpha[d(y), y]_{\beta}=0$ for all $y \in M, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$.
Again substituting $x$ by $y \alpha x$ in (29) gives
$[d(y), y \alpha x]_{\beta}+3[D(y \alpha x, y, y), y]_{\beta}=y \alpha\left([d(y), x]_{\beta}+3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta}\right)+3 d(y) \alpha[x, y]_{\beta}+$ $4[d(y), y]_{\beta} \alpha x \in Z(M)$ for all $x, y \in M, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$. Then $\left[y \alpha\left([d(y), x]_{\beta}+3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta}\right), y\right]_{\beta}+$ $\left[3 d(y) \alpha[x, y]_{\beta}+4[d(y), x]_{\beta} \alpha x, y\right]_{\beta}=0$ for all $x, y \in M, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$. And so we get
$3 d(y) \alpha\left[[x, y]_{\beta}, y\right]_{\beta}+7[d(y), y]_{\beta} \alpha[x, y]_{\beta}=0$ for all $x, y \in M, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$.
Since d acts as an automorphism with $M$ is 6 -torsion free the relation (31) reduces to $y \alpha\left[[x, y]_{\beta}, y\right]_{\beta}=0$ for all $x, y \in M, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$.

Replacing $x$ by $r \delta x$, we get
$y \alpha x \delta\left[[x, y]_{\beta}, y\right]_{\beta}+2 y \alpha[x, y]_{\beta}=0$ for all $x, y \in M, \alpha, \beta, \delta \in \Gamma$.
Replacing $y$ by $-y$ in (32) and subtracting with (32), gives
$4 y \delta[x, y]_{\beta}=0$ for all $x, y \in M, \beta, \delta \in \Gamma$.
Replacing $x$ by $x \gamma r$ and left-multiplying by $s$, we obtain
$4 y \delta x \alpha[r, y]_{\beta}=0$ for all $x, y, r, s \in M, \alpha, \beta, \delta \in \Gamma$.
Again in (33) replacing $x$ by $x \lambda m$ and $x$ by $s \delta x$, we get
$4 y \gamma_{\delta} \delta x \alpha[m, y]_{\beta}=0$ for all $x, y, m, s \in M, \alpha, \beta, \delta, \gamma \in \Gamma$.
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 $\Gamma$-ring satisfying the condition (*). If there exists a permuting tri-derivation $D: M \times M \times M \rightarrow M$ such that $d$ is commuting on $M$, where $d$ is the trace of $D$, then $d$ is a central mapping.

## Proof:

We have
$[d(x), x]_{\beta}=0$ for all $x \in M, \beta \in \Gamma$.
The substitution of $x$ in (36) by $x+y$ leads to
$[d(x), y]_{\beta}+[d(y), x]_{\beta}+3[D(x, x, y), x]_{\beta}+3[D(x, y, y), x]_{\beta}+3[D(x, x, y), y]_{\beta}$
$+3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta}=0$ for all $x, y \in M, \beta \in \Gamma$.
Putting $-x$ instead of $x$ in (37) we obtain,
$[D(x, y, y), x]_{\beta}+[D(x, x, y), y]_{\beta}=0$ for all $x, y \in M, \beta \in \Gamma$.

Since d is odd, we set $x=x+y$ in (38) with using (36) and (37), we get
$[d(y), x]_{\beta}+3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta}=0$ for all $x, y \in M, \beta \in \Gamma$.
Let us write in (39) $y \alpha x$ instead of $x$, we obtain according to (39) and since $M$ is 3torsion 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 $\Gamma$-ring. If there exists a permuting tri-derivation $D: M$ $\times M \times M \rightarrow M$ 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
$[d(x), x]_{\beta}=0$ for all $x \in M, \beta \in \Gamma$.
The substitution of $x+y$ for $x$ in above relation gives

$$
\begin{align*}
& {[d(x), y]_{\beta}+[d(y), x]_{\beta}+3[D(x, x, y), x]_{\beta}+3[D(x, y, y), x]_{\beta}+3[D(x, x, y), y]_{\beta}} \\
& +3[D(x, y, y), y]_{\beta}=0 \text { for all } x, y \in M, \beta \in \Gamma \tag{41}
\end{align*}
$$

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

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

which implies that
$d(y) \delta[x, y]_{\beta}=0$ for all $x, y \in M, \beta, \delta \in \Gamma$.
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
$[D(y, y, y), y]_{\beta}=0$ for all $x, y \in M, \beta \in \Gamma$
Then $D$ is commuting (resp. centralizing) of $M$.

## Theorem 2.7

Let $M$ be a non-commutative 3-torsion free semiprime $\Gamma$-ring satisfying the condition (*). If there exists a permuting tri-derivation $D: M \times M \times M \rightarrow M$ such that d is skewcommuting 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

$$
\begin{align*}
& d(y) \alpha x+3 D(x, x, y) \alpha x+3 D(x, y, y) \alpha x+d(x) \alpha y+3 D(x, x, y) \alpha y+3 D(x, y, y) \alpha y \\
& +x \alpha d(y)+3 x \alpha D(x, x, y)+3 x \alpha D(x, y, y)+y \alpha d(y)+3 y \alpha D(x, x, y) \\
& +3 y \alpha D(x, y, y)=0 \text { for all } x, y \in M, \alpha \in \Gamma \tag{45}
\end{align*}
$$

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

Since $M$ is 3-torsion free, we obtain
$D(x, x, y) \alpha x+D(x, x, y) \alpha y+x \alpha D(x, y, y)+y \alpha D(x, x, y)=0$ for all $x, y \in M, \alpha \in \Gamma$
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 $x, y \in M, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$
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

$$
\begin{equation*}
y \delta d(y) \beta y=0 \text { for all } y \in M, \beta, \delta \in \Gamma . \tag{48}
\end{equation*}
$$

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

$$
\begin{equation*}
d(y) \beta y=0 \text { for all } y \in M, \beta \in \Gamma \text {. } \tag{49}
\end{equation*}
$$

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 $\Gamma$-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 $\Gamma$-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 $x \in I, r \in M, \alpha$, $\beta, \delta \in \Gamma$, 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 $\Gamma$-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 $[d(x), \mathrm{x}]_{\beta} \in Z(M)$ for all $x \in I, \beta \in \Gamma$. Hence by Lemma 1.8, the proof of the corollary is complete.

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