



# Lie and Jordan Structure in Prime Γ- rings with Γ-centralizing Derivations

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#### Abstract

Let M be a prime  $\Gamma$ -ring satisfying  $a\alpha b\beta c = a\beta b\alpha c$  for all  $a, b, c \in M$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$  with center Z, and U be a Lie (Jordan) ideal. A mapping  $d: M \to M$  is called  $\Gamma$ - centralizing if  $[u, d(u)]_{\alpha} \in Z$  for all  $u \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . In this paper, we studied Lie and Jordan ideal in a prime  $\Gamma$ - ring M together with  $\Gamma$ - centralizing derivations on U.

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 $\Gamma$  تركيبه لى و جوردان في الحلقات الاوليه من النمط  $-\Gamma$  مع المشتقات المركزيه من النمط

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لخلاصه

 $M \ni a,b,c$  لتكن M حلقه اوليه من النمط –  $\Gamma$  وتحقق الشرط alpha b eta c = aeta b lpha c لكل alpha b eta c = aeta b lpha c و محمد G وتحقق الشرط  $M \to M$  الداله  $M \to M$  مع مركز Z وليكن U مثالي لي (جوردان ) . الداله  $M \to M$  مع مركز Z وليكن Z و كان  $(u,d(u))_{\alpha}$  لكل -1 النمط –  $\Gamma$  اذا كان  $\Sigma = [u,d(u)]_{\alpha}$  لكل  $Z = e_{c}(c)$  مع داله المثناقي لي و جوردان للحلقه الاوليه من النمط –  $\Gamma$  مع داله المشتقات المركزيه من النمط –  $\Gamma$  على U.

#### **1. Introduction**

N. Nobusawa [1] introduced the notion of  $\Gamma$ -ring, more general than a ring.W. E. Barnes [2]weakened slightly the conditions in the definition of  $\Gamma$ -ring in the sense of Nobusawa after these two papers were published, number of modern algebraists have determined a lot of fundamental properties of  $\Gamma$ -ring and extended numerous significant results in classical ring theory to gamma ring theory see [3, 4, 5 and 6] for partial references.

In classical ring the theory of centralizing mapping on prime ring was initiated by Posner [7] who proved that the existence of a nonzero derivation on a prime ring forces the ring to be commutative. In [8] R. Awtar considered centralizing derivations on Lie and Jordan ideals generalized Posner's theorem. A lot of work has been done during the last decades in this field see [9, 10, 11, and 12] where further reference can be found.

By the same motivation as in the classical ring theories we proved the following results. Let M be a prime  $\Gamma$ -ring, satisfying,

 $a\alpha b\beta c = a\beta b\alpha c$  for all  $a, b, c \in M$  and

 $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$  and it will represented by (\*)

i) If characteristic of M is different from 2 and 3 and U be Lie ideal then if d is  $\Gamma$ -centralizing

on U then U is central in M.

ii) If *M* has characteristic 3 and *U* is Jordan ideal. then If *d* is  $\Gamma$  -centralizing then *U* is central in *M* further, if *U* is a Lie ideal with  $u\alpha u \in U$  for all  $u \in U$  and,  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ , then *U* is central in *M*. The case when M has characteristic 2 is also studied.

### 2. Some Basic Definitions

**Definition 2.1** [2]: Let *M* and  $\Gamma$  be two additive abelian groups If there exists a mapping  $(a, \alpha, b) \rightarrow a\alpha b$  of  $M \times \Gamma \times M \rightarrow M$  Which satisfies for all  $a, b, c \in M$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ : 1)  $i)(a+b)\alpha c = a\alpha c + b\alpha c$ ,  $ii)a(\alpha + \beta)b = a\alpha b + a\beta b$ ,  $iii)a\alpha(b+c) = a\alpha b + a\alpha c$ . 2)  $(a\alpha b)\beta c = a\alpha(b\beta c)$ .

Then *M* is called  $\Gamma$  -ring in the sense of Barnes.

**Definition2.2**[3]: An additive subgroup *S* of a  $\Gamma$ -ring *M* is called subring if  $S\Gamma S \subset S$ .

**Definition2.3**[3]: An additive subgroup I of M is said to be a left (or right) ideal of M if  $M\Gamma I \subset I$  (or  $I\Gamma M \subset I$ ), if I is both a right and left ideal, then we say that I is an ideal.

**Definition2.4**[3]: Let *M* be a  $\Gamma$ -ring then *M* is called prime if  $a\Gamma M\Gamma b = 0$  implies either a = 0 or b = 0 where  $a, b \in M$ .

**Definition2.5**[3]: Asubset S if a  $\Gamma$ -ring M is called strongly ipotent if there exists a positive integer n such that  $(S\Gamma)^n S = (0)$ .

#### **Remark:**

1)For any  $a, b \in M$   $a\alpha b - b\alpha a$  are denoted by  $[a,b]_{\alpha}$ . Then one has the basic identities,  $[a\beta b,c]_{\alpha} = [a,c]_{\alpha}\beta b + a\beta[b,c]_{\alpha} + a[\beta,\alpha]_{c}b$ And,  $[a,b\beta c]_{\alpha} = b\beta[a,c]_{\alpha} + [a,b]_{\alpha} + b[\beta,\alpha]_{a}c$ , for all  $a,b,c \in M$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . Using the

assumption (\*) the above identities reduce to,  $[a\beta b,c]_{\alpha} = [a,c]_{\alpha}\beta b + a\beta [b,c]_{\alpha}$ 

And,  $[a, b\beta c]_{\alpha} = b\beta [a, c]_{\alpha} + [a, b]_{\alpha}$ . 2) Let *M* be  $\Gamma$ -ring, the center of *M* is defined

as,  $Z= \{a \in M : a\alpha m = m\alpha a \text{ for all } m \in M, \alpha \in \Gamma\}.$ 

**Definition2.6** [13]: An additive subgroup U of a  $\Gamma$ -ring M is said to be a Lie ideal of M if  $[u,m]_{\alpha} \in U$ , for all  $u \in U, m \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . And U is said to be Jordan ideal if  $u \circ m + m \circ u \in U$ , for all  $u \in U, m \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ .

**Definition2.8**[14]: An additive mapping

 $d: M \to M$  is called a derivation of M if,  $d(x \alpha y) = d(x)\alpha y + x \alpha d(y)$ , holds for all  $x, y \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ .

For a fixed  $a \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$  the mapping,  $I_a^{\alpha}: M \to M$  given by  $I_a^{\alpha} = [m, a]_{\alpha}$ , is said to be inner derivation of M [15].

**Definition2.9**[16]: Let M be a  $\Gamma$  ring with center Z and U be lie (Jordan) ideal of M. A mapping  $d: M \to M$  is called  $\Gamma$ -centralizing (resp.  $\Gamma$ -commuting) if  $[u, d(u)]_{\alpha} \in Z$  (resp.  $[u, d(u)]_{\alpha} = 0$ , for all  $u \in U$ , and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ .

#### 3. Basic Lemmas

For proving our main results, we need some important results which we have proved here as lemmas. So, we start as follows:

**Lemma3.1:** Let *M* be a prime  $\Gamma$ -ring, *d* a nonzero derivation of *M* and *a* be an element of *M* if  $a\alpha d(m) = 0$ , for all  $m \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . Then either a = 0 or *d* is zero. **Proof:** 

We have  $a\alpha d(m) = 0$ , for all  $m \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . Replace *m* by  $m\alpha x$  where  $x \in M$ , then

 $a\alpha d(m\alpha x) = a\alpha d(m)\alpha x + a\alpha m\alpha d(x)$  $= a\alpha m\alpha d(x).$ 

For all  $x \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . That is  $a\Gamma M\Gamma d(x) = 0$ , for all  $x \in M$ .

Since *M* is prime, either a = 0 or *d* is zero

**Lemma3.2:** Let *M* be a prime  $\Gamma$ -ring of characteristic not 2 and  $d_1, d_2$  be a derivation of *M* such that the iterate  $d_1d_2$  is also a derivation, Then one at least of  $d_1, d_2$  is zero. **Proof:** 

We have  $d_1d_2$  is a derivation of M that is,  $d_1d_2(a\alpha b) = d_1d_2(a)\alpha b + a\alpha d_1d_2(b)$ , for all  $a, b \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ .

But  $d_1, d_2$  are each derivation so,  $d_1d_2(a\alpha b) = d_1d_2(a)\alpha b + d_2(a)\alpha d_1(b)$  $+ d_1(a)\alpha d_2(b) + a\alpha d_1(d_2(b)).$ But,  $d_1d_2(a\alpha b) = d_1d_2(a)\alpha b + a\alpha d_1(d_2(b))$ So,  $d_2(a)\alpha d_1(b) + d_1(a)\alpha d_2(b) = 0,$ for all for all  $a, b \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$  ...(1) Replace *a* in the last equation by  $a\alpha d_1(c)$  $d_2(a\alpha d_1(c))\alpha d_1(b) + d_1(a\alpha d_1(c))\alpha d_2(b)$ = 0, for all  $a, b, c \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . That is  $a\alpha(d_{2}(d_{1}(c)\alpha d_{1}(b)) + d_{1}(d_{1}(c))\alpha d_{2}(b) = 0$ for all  $a, b, c \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . Which is merely equation (1) with a replaced by  $d_1(c)$ , then we are left with  $d_2(a)\alpha d_1(c)\alpha d_1(b) + d_1(a)\alpha d_1(c)\alpha d_2(b) = 0,$ for all  $a, b, c \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . But.  $d_1(a)\alpha d_2(b) = -d_2(a)\alpha d_1(b)$  by replacing a by c the last equation becomes,  $d_2(a)\alpha d_1(c)\alpha d_1(b) - d_1(a)\alpha d_2(c)\alpha d_1(b) = 0$ Factoring out  $a\alpha d_1(b)$  on the right, we have  $(d_2(a)\alpha d_1(c) - d_1(a)\alpha d_2(c))\alpha d_1(b) = 0,$ for all  $a, b, c \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . And by Lemma 3.1 unless  $d_1 = 0$  we have,  $(d_2(a)\alpha d_1(c) - d_1(a)\alpha d_2(c)) = 0,$ for all  $a, c \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . Replace b by c in (1) then,  $(d_2(a)\alpha d_1(c) + d_1(a)\alpha d_2(c)) = 0,$ for all  $a, c \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . Adding these last two equations, we get  $2d_2(a)\alpha d_1(c) = 0$ , for all  $a, b, c \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . Since characteristic of M not equal 2, then  $d_2(a)\alpha d_1(c) = 0$ , or else  $d_1 = 0$  using Lemma 3.1 again with a replacing  $d_2(a)$  we get, either  $d_1 = 0$  or  $d_2 = 0$ 

**Lemma3.3:**Let M be a prime  $\Gamma$  -ring of characteristic different from 2, U be Lie ideal of M and d be anon zero derivation of M. Then if d is  $\Gamma$  -centralizing on U and  $u\alpha u \in U$ , for all  $u \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ , then M is  $\Gamma$ -commuting on U.

### **Proof:**

We have d is  $\Gamma$  -centralizing on U i.e.

 $[u, d(u)]_{\alpha} \in \mathbb{Z}$ , for all  $u \in U$ , and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . Linearizing the above relation on,  $u = u + u \alpha u$ , we get  $[u\alpha u, d(u)]_{\alpha} + [u, u\alpha d(u) + d(u)\alpha u]_{\alpha} \in \mathbb{Z},$ for all  $u \in U$ , and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . That is,  $4[u, d(u)]_{\alpha} \alpha u \in \mathbb{Z}$ , for all  $u \in U$ , and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . Since characteristic of M not equal 2 and  $[u, d(u)]_{\alpha} \in \mathbb{Z}$  then we get  $[u, d(u)]_{\alpha} \alpha [u, m]_{\beta} = 0$ , for all  $m \in M, u \in U$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . If for some  $u \in U$ ,  $[u, d(u)]_a \neq 0$  then we get  $[u,m]_{\beta} = 0$ , in particular  $[u,d(u)]_{\alpha} = 0$ Hence,  $[u, d(u)]_{\alpha} = 0$ , for all  $u \in U$ , and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ .

**Lemma3.4:** Let *M* be a prime  $\Gamma$  -ring, *U* be a Lie ideal of *M* and *d* a nonzero derivation of *M*. If *d* is  $\Gamma$  -centralizing on *U* then  $[[d(m),u]_{\beta},u]_{\alpha} \in Z,$ 

for all  $m \in M$ ,  $u \in U$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . Further, if d is  $\Gamma$ -commuting on U then,

 $\left[\left[d(m),u\right]_{\beta},u\right]_{\alpha}=0,$ 

for all  $m \in M$ ,  $u \in U$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ .

**Proof:** 

Since U is Lie ideal then,

$$[u,m]_{\alpha} \in U,$$

for all  $u \in U, m \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ .

So that,  $[u + [u, m]_{\beta}, d(u + [u, m]_{\beta})]_{\alpha} \in \mathbb{Z}$ . That is,

 $[[u,m]_{\beta},d(u)]_{\alpha}+[u,[d(u),m]_{\beta}]_{\alpha}$ 

$$+ [u, [u, d(m)]_{\beta}]_{\alpha} \in \mathbb{Z}$$

for all  $m \in M, u \in U$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ .

Now since, for any for all  $m \in M, u \in U, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$  and by (\*) we have  $[[u,m]_{\beta}, d(u)]_{\alpha} + [u, [d(u),m]_{\beta}]_{\alpha}$  $= [m, [d(u),u]_{\beta}]_{\alpha} \in Z.$ 

By  $\Gamma$ -centralizing of d we get,

 $[[u,m]_{\beta}, d(u)]_{\alpha} + [u, [d(u),m]_{\beta}]_{\alpha} = 0.$ Hence,  $[[d(m),u]_{\beta},u]_{\alpha} \in \mathbb{Z},$ for all  $m \in M, u \in U$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . The last part can be obtained similarly.

**Lemma3.5:** Let *M* be a prime  $\Gamma$  -ring of

characteristic not equal 2 and 3, and let U be a Lie ideal of , if d is  $\Gamma$  -centralizing on U then d is  $\Gamma$ -commuting on U. **Proof:** Since *d* is  $\Gamma$  -centralizing then, by Lemma 3.4, we have  $[[d(m), u]_{a}, u]_{\alpha} \in \mathbb{Z},$ for all  $m \in M$ ,  $u \in U$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . By using the assumption (\*) we get  $u\beta u\alpha d(m) + d(m)\alpha u\beta u - 2u\beta d(m)\alpha u \in \mathbb{Z},$ for all  $m \in M$ ,  $u \in U$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . ...(2) Commuting with *u*, we have  $3u\beta u\alpha d(m)\delta u + u\beta u\alpha u\delta d(m) =$  $3u\delta d(m)\alpha u\beta u + d(m)\delta u\alpha u\beta u$ ...(3) In (3) replace m by u and using d is  $\Gamma$ -centralizing,  $u\beta u\alpha u\delta d(u) - d(u)\delta u\alpha u\beta u$  $= 3(u\alpha d(u) - d(u)\alpha u)\delta u\beta u$ ...(4) Furthermore.  $2(u\alpha d(u) - d(u)\alpha u)\beta u$  $= u\beta u\alpha d(u) - d(u)\alpha u\beta u.$ ...(5) Write d(m) = m' and then by replacing m by  $u\alpha m'$  in (4), we get  $3u\delta u\alpha m''\alpha u\beta u + u\beta u\alpha u\delta u\alpha m'' 3u\beta u\alpha \alpha m''\delta u - u\alpha m''\delta u\alpha u\beta u +$  $3u\delta d(u)\alpha m'\alpha u\beta u + u\beta u\alpha u\delta m'\alpha d(u) 3u\beta u\alpha d(u)\alpha m'\delta u - d(u)\alpha m'\delta u\alpha u\beta u = 0,$ for all  $m \in M, u \in U$  and  $\alpha, \beta, \delta \in \Gamma$ . ...(6) However, by assumption (\*) and (4), we have Зибист" си ви + и ви си бист" –  $3u\beta u\alpha \alpha m''\delta u - u\alpha m''\delta u\alpha u\beta u =$  $u\alpha(3u\delta m''\alpha u\beta u + u\beta u\alpha u\delta m'' 3u\beta u\alpha m''\delta u - m''\delta u\alpha u\beta u) = 0.$ Then equation (6) becomes,  $3u\delta d(u)\alpha m'\alpha u\beta u + u\beta u\alpha u\delta m'\alpha d(u) 3u\beta u\alpha d(u)\alpha m'\delta u - d(u)\alpha m'\delta u\alpha u\beta u = 0,$ for all  $m \in M, u \in U$  and  $\alpha, \beta, \delta \in \Gamma$ . ...(7) Multiply (4) on the left by  $d(u)\alpha$  and then subtract the results from (7) to get,  $3(u\alpha d(u) - d(u)\alpha u)\delta m'\alpha u\beta u +$  $u\beta u\alpha u\alpha d(u) - d(u)\alpha u\beta u\alpha u)\delta m' -$ 

 $(u\beta u\alpha d(u) - d(u)\alpha u\beta u)\alpha m'\delta u = 0$ ...(8) Using (5) and (6), we arrive at after dividing by 3,  $(u\alpha(u) - d(u)\alpha u)\alpha(m'\delta u\beta u + u\beta u\delta m' 2u\beta m'\delta u = 0$ , for all  $m \in M, u \in U$  and  $\alpha, \beta, \delta \in \Gamma$ . If,  $(u\alpha d(u) - d(u)\alpha u \neq 0$ , for some  $u \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . Then we have  $m' \delta u \beta u + u \beta u \delta m' - 2u \beta m' \delta u = 0$ ...(9) Replace *m* by  $u\beta m$  in (9) and using (\*) we get,  $u\beta m'\delta u\beta u + u\beta u\beta u\delta m' - 2u\beta u\delta m'\beta u +$  $d(u)\beta m\delta u\beta u + u\beta u\beta d(u)\delta m 2u\beta d(u)\delta m\beta u = 0$ ...(10) By using (9) we get,  $u\beta(m'\delta u\beta u + u\beta u\delta m' - 2u\delta m'\beta u) = 0,$ Then equation (10) becomes,  $d(u)\beta m \delta u \beta u + u \beta u \beta d(u) \delta m$  $-2u\beta d(u)\delta m\beta u = 0.$ ...(11) Now in (9) replace m by u, and multiply this on the right by  $\beta m$ ,  $d(u)\delta u\beta u\beta m + u\beta u\delta d(u)\beta m$  $-2u\beta d(u)\delta u\beta m = 0.$ ...(12) Subtract (12) from (11),  $d(u)\beta(m\delta u\beta u - u\delta u\beta m)$  $-2u\beta d(u)\delta(m\beta u - u\beta m) = 0.$ ...(13) Replace *m* by  $u\beta m$  and using assumption (\*)  $d(u)\beta u\beta(m\delta u\beta u - u\beta u\delta m)$  $-2u\beta d(u)\delta u\beta(m\beta u - u\beta m) = 0.$ ...(14) Multiply (13) by  $u\beta$  from left and then subtract the results from (14),  $(u\beta d(u) - d(u)\beta u)\beta(m\delta u\beta u - u\beta u\delta m) 2u\beta(u\beta d(u) - d(u)\beta u)\delta(m\beta u - u\beta m) = 0.$ Since,  $u\alpha d(u) - d(u)\alpha u \neq 0$ , for all  $u \in U$ and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . Then,  $m\delta u\beta u - u\beta u\delta m - 2u(m\beta u - u\beta m) = 0,$ for all  $m \in M$ So,  $m\delta u\beta u - u\beta u\delta m - 2u\beta m\beta u = 0$ , that is  $u\beta(m\delta u - u\delta m) = (m\delta u - u\delta m)\beta u$ , That is *u* in the center by Lemma 3.2 or else  $u\alpha d(u) - d(u)\alpha u = 0,$ Which in both cases  $[u, d(u)]_{\alpha} = 0$  for all  $u \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . The following lemma may have some

independent interest.

**Lemma3.6:** Let M be a prime  $\Gamma$ -ring of characteristic not 2, U be Jordan ideal of M and d be a nonzero derivation of M. If  $u\alpha d(u) = d(u)\alpha u = 0$ , for all  $u \in U$ ,  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . Then U = 0.

# **Proof:**

Linearizing the relation  $u\alpha d(u) = 0$  on u = u + w where  $w \in U$  to get,  $u\alpha d(w) + w\alpha d(u) = 0$ , for all  $u, w \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . ...(15) For  $u \in U$  and any  $m \in M, \alpha \in \Gamma$ ,

 $u\alpha(u\alpha m - m\alpha u) + (u\alpha m - m\alpha u)\alpha u \in U.$ 

But,  $2(m\alpha u\alpha u - u\alpha u\alpha m) =$ 

 $\{u\alpha(m\alpha u - u\alpha m) + (m\alpha u - u\alpha m)\alpha u\} -$ 

 $\{(m\alpha u - u\alpha m)\alpha u + u\alpha (m\alpha u - u\alpha m)\}$ 

As the first and second term on the right hand side are in U,

 $2(m\alpha u\alpha u - u\alpha u\alpha m) \in U.$ 

Now since,

 $\alpha \in \Gamma$ .

 $2u\alpha u \in U$  and  $2(m\alpha u - u\alpha u \alpha m) \in U$ .

Then,  $4u\alpha u\alpha m$  and  $4m\alpha u\alpha u$  are in U.

Replacing w by  $4m\alpha u\alpha u$  in (15) and using the hypothesis, we get

 $u\alpha d(m)\alpha u\alpha u = 0,$ 

for all  $m \in M$ ,  $u \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . ...(16) Replace w by  $m\beta u + u\beta m$  and using the

hypothesis, we get  $u\beta u\alpha d(m) + u\alpha d(m)\beta u + u\alpha m\beta d(u) +$ 

 $u\beta m\alpha d(u) = 0$ , for all  $m \in M, u \in U$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ .

Multiply by  $\alpha u$  on the right and using the assumption (\*) together with equation (16) we obtain

 $u\beta u\alpha d(m)\alpha u = 0,$ 

for all  $m \in M$ ,  $u \in U$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . ...(17) Again replace w by  $4u\alpha u\alpha m$  in (15), we get

 $u \alpha u \alpha u \alpha d(m) = 0$ , for all  $m \in M, u \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . Then by Lemma 3.1, we have  $u \alpha u \alpha u = 0$ , for all  $u \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . For  $m \in M, u \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ ,  $2(u \alpha u \alpha m + m \alpha u \alpha u) \in U$ . That is,  $2^{3}[(u \alpha u \alpha m + m \alpha u \alpha u)\alpha]^{2}(u \alpha u \alpha m + m \alpha u \alpha u) = 0$ , for all  $m \in M, u \in U$  and Multiply from the right side by  $u\alpha u\alpha u = 0$  we get

 $2^{3}[(u\alpha u\alpha m)\alpha]^{3}(u\alpha u\alpha m) = 0,$ for all  $m \in M, u \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ .

If for some  $u \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ ,  $u\alpha u \neq 0$  then  $u\alpha u\alpha M$  is a nonzero right ideal of M, then by Levitzki's Theorem [13] M would have a nilpotent ideal; which is impossible for prime  $\Gamma$ -ring, hence

 $u\alpha u = 0$ , for all  $u \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ .

By repeating the above argument we can show that u = 0, for all  $u \in U$ 

# 4. The Main Theorems

**Theorem 4.1:** Let *M* be a prime  $\Gamma$ -ring of characteristic different from 2 and 3. Let *d* be a nonzero derivation of *M* and *U* be a Lie ideal of *M*. If *d* is  $\Gamma$ -centralizing on *U* then  $U \subset Z$ . **Proof:** 

Since d is  $\Gamma$  -centralizing on U, then by using Lemma 3.5, we have

 $[u, d(u)]_{\alpha} = 0$ , for all  $u \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ .

Then by Lemma 3.4, we get

$$\left[\left[d(m),u\right]_{\beta},u\right]_{\alpha}=0$$

for all  $m \in M, u \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . ...(1) In (1) replace u by u + w where  $w \in U$ ,  $[[d(m), u]_{\beta}, w]_{\alpha} + [[d(m), w]_{\beta}, u]_{\alpha} = 0$ , for all  $m \in M, u, w \in U$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . ...(2) Suppose now,  $u, w \in U$  are such that  $w \alpha v$ . Then by replacing w by  $w \alpha v$  in (2) we get after using (\*),  $w\alpha[[d(m), u]_{\beta}, v]_{\alpha} + [[d(m), u]_{\beta}, w]_{\alpha} \alpha v +$   $[d(m), w]_{\alpha} \beta[u, v]_{\alpha} + [[d(m), w]_{\beta}, u]\alpha v +$   $w\alpha[[d(m), v]_{\beta}, u]_{\alpha} + [w, u]_{\alpha} \alpha[d(m), v]_{\beta} = 0$ . In view of (2) the last equation reduces to,  $[d(m), w]_{\alpha} \beta[u, v]_{\alpha} + [w, u]_{\alpha} \alpha[d(m), v]_{\beta} = 0$ . Replace v by  $[t, w]_{\alpha}$  where  $t \in M$  in above equation , we have

 $[d(m),w]_{\beta}\alpha[[t,w]_{\alpha},u]_{\alpha}+[w,u]_{\alpha}$ 

$$[d(m), [t, w]_{\alpha}]_{\beta} = 0, \qquad \dots (3)$$

for all  $t, m \in M, u, w \in U$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ .

Putting u = w in (3), we have  $[d(m), w]_{\beta} \alpha[[t, w]_{\alpha}, w]_{\alpha} = 0$  ...(4)

Replace t by  $t\alpha d(a)$  in (4) where  $a \in M$ 

yields on expansion and (\*),

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 $[d(m), w]_{\beta} \alpha \{2[t, w]_{\alpha} \alpha[d(a), w]_{\alpha} + [[t, w]_{\alpha}, w]_{\alpha} \alpha d(a) + t\alpha[[d(a), w]_{\alpha}, w]_{\alpha}\} = 0.$ By (4) the second term is zero, while by (1) the third term is zero. Hence  $[d(m), w]_{\beta} \alpha[t, w]_{\alpha} \alpha[d(a), w]_{\alpha} = 0,$ for all  $m, t, a \in M, w \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . ...(5) Put  $u = [t, w]_{\alpha}$  in (3), and linearization it s on t = t + d(a) where  $a \in M$  together with (1) yields $[[t, w]_{\alpha}, w]_{\alpha} \alpha[d(a), w]_{\alpha}, d(m)]_{\beta} = 0,$ for all  $m, t, a \in M, w \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . ...(6) Replace t by  $d(t)\alpha p$  where  $p \in M$  in (6) then by expanding we get,  $\{2[d(t) w] \alpha[n w] + d(t)\alpha$ 

$$[[p,w]_{\alpha},w]_{\alpha} + [[d(t),w]_{\alpha},w]_{\alpha} \alpha p\}\gamma$$
$$+ [[d(a),w]_{\alpha},d(m)]_{\beta} = 0.$$

By (6) the second term is zero, while by (1)the third term is zero .Hence  $[d(t),w]_{\alpha} \alpha[p,w]_{\alpha} \gamma[[d(a),w]_{\alpha},d(m)]_{\beta}$ =0.In view of (5), the last equation reduces to,  $[d(t), w]_{\alpha} \alpha[p, w]_{\alpha} \gamma d(m) \alpha[d(a), w]_{\beta} = 0,$ for all  $p, a \in M, w \in U$  and  $\alpha, \gamma \in \Gamma$ . In (5) replace t by  $t\alpha d(a)$  where  $p \in M$  then by using the last equation, we get  $[d(m),w]_{\beta}\Gamma M\Gamma[d(p),w]_{\alpha}[d(a),w]_{\alpha}=0,$ for all  $m, a \in M, w \in U$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . Since *M* is prime either  $[d(m), w]_{\beta} = 0$  or  $[d(p), w]_{\alpha} \alpha [d(a), w]_{\alpha} = 0.$ If for all  $m \in M$ ,  $w \in U$  and  $\beta \in \Gamma$ ,  $[d(m), w]_{\beta} = 0$ . That is,  $I_{w}^{\beta}(d(m)) = 0$ . Then by Lemma 3.1,  $w \in Z$ , for all  $w \in U$ Thus assume there exists a  $w \in U$  such that for some  $m \in M$ ,  $[d(m), w]_{\beta} \neq 0$ . That is  $w \notin Z$ . Then for all  $a, p \in M$ ,

 $[d(p), w]_{\alpha} \alpha [d(a), w]_{\alpha} = 0. \qquad ...(7)$ Replace *a* by  $b\beta c$  where  $b, c \in M$  then by expanding, we get

 $[d(p),w]_{\alpha} \alpha [d(b),w]_{\alpha} \beta c + [d(p),w]_{\alpha}$  $\alpha d(b)\beta [c,w]_{\alpha} + [d(p),w]_{\alpha} \alpha b\beta [d(c),w]_{\alpha} + [d(p),w]_{\alpha} \alpha [b,w]_{\alpha} \beta d(c) = 0.$ 

Replace *b* by  $[t,w]_{\alpha}$  where  $t \in M$ . Then by (7) the first term is zero, by (5) the third term is zero and by (4) the fourth term is zero, thus

 $[d(p),w]_{\alpha}\alpha d([t,w]_{\alpha})\beta[w,c]_{\alpha} = 0.$ Since,  $d([t, w]_{\alpha}) = [d(t), w]_{\alpha} + [t, d(w)]_{\alpha}$  and using (3), we get  $[d(p), w]_{\alpha} \alpha[t, d(w)]_{\alpha} \beta[w, c]_{\alpha} = 0,$ for all  $c, t, p \in M, w \in U$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . Replace *c* by  $m\alpha c$  where  $m \in M$ , then  $[d(p), w]_{\alpha} \alpha[t, d(w)]_{\alpha} \Gamma M \Gamma[w, c]_{\alpha} = 0.$ Since *M* is prime and  $w \notin Z$ , we get  $[d(p), w]_{\alpha} \alpha[t, d(w)]_{\alpha} = 0,$ for all  $t, p \in M, w \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . Thus  $[d(p), w]_{\alpha} \Gamma M \Gamma[t, d(w)]_{\alpha} = 0,$ for all  $t, p \in M, w \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . Which in both cases  $d(w) \in Z$ . Now suppose that  $u \in U$  and  $u \in Z$  then  $0 = d([u,a]_{\alpha}) = [d(u),a]_{\alpha} + [u,d(a)]_{\alpha}$ and hence  $d(u) \in Z$ . Therefore,  $d(u) \in Z$  for all  $u \in U$ . So that,  $d([w, a]_{\alpha}) \in Z$  for all  $a \in M$ , that is thus  $[w, d(a)]_{\alpha} \in \mathbb{Z}$ . In particular,  $[w, d(a\beta w)]_{\alpha} = [w, d(a)]_{\alpha}\beta w + [w, a]_{\alpha}$  $\beta d(w) \in Z$ ...(8). By commuting (6) with w, we get  $[w, [w, a]_{\alpha}]_{\alpha}\beta d(w) = 0,$ for all  $a \in M, w \in U$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . If  $d(w) \neq 0$  and as its in the center Z,  $[w, [w, a]_{\alpha}]_{\alpha} = 0$ , for all  $a \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . By sub-Lemma [14]  $w \in Z$  a contradiction. Hence, d(w) = 0. Thus by (8), we have  $[w, d(a)]_{\alpha} \beta w \in \mathbb{Z}$ , for all  $a \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ .  $[w.d(a)]_{\alpha}\beta[w,b]_{\alpha}=0,$ That is, for all  $a, b \in M$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . Replace b by  $c\alpha b$  where  $c \in M$ , then  $[d(a), w]_{\alpha} \Gamma M \Gamma[w, b]_{\alpha} = 0.$ By primness of *M* we get, either  $w \in Z$  or  $[d(a), w]_{\alpha} = 0$ , for all  $a \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . Which us in both cases a contradiction Hence,

 $w \in Z$  for all  $w \in U$ .

Now we should like to settle the problem when M has characteristic 3 .Hence we get the following result.

**Theorem 4.2:** Let *M* be a prime  $\Gamma$  -ring of characteristic 3, and *d* be a nonzero derivation of *M*. if *d* is  $\Gamma$ -centralizing on *U* and  $u\alpha u \in U$  then  $U \subset Z$ .

**Proof:** 

Since *d* is  $\Gamma$ -centralizing on *U* then, By Lemma 3.3 we get *d* is  $\Gamma$ -commuting on *U*. Therefore, by similar way of the proof in Theorem 4.1 we can get  $U \subset Z$ .

Now we show that the conclusion of Theorem 4.1 and Theorem 4.2 holds even if U is Jordan ideal of M.

**Theorem4.3:** Let M be a prime  $\Gamma$ -ring of characteristic not 2. Let d be a nonzero derivation of M and U be a Jordan ideal of M if d is  $\Gamma$ -centralizing then  $U \subset Z$ .

# **Proof:**

Since  $2u\alpha u \in U$ , then by Lemma 3.3,  $[u, d(u)]_{\alpha} = 0$ , for all  $u \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . Linearizing the relation  $[u, d(u)]_{\alpha} = 0$ , on u = u + v where  $v \in U$ , we get  $[u, d(v)]_{\alpha} + [v, d(u)]_{\alpha} = 0,$ for all  $u, v \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . ...(9) In (9), replace v by  $u\beta m + m\beta u$  where  $m \in M$  then by expanding, we get  $u\beta[u,d(m)]_{\alpha} + [u,d(m)\beta u + d(u)\beta[u,m]_{\alpha}$  $+[u,m]_{\alpha}\beta d(u)+u\beta[m,d(u)]_{\alpha}+[m.d(u)]_{\alpha}$  $\beta u = 0$ . i.e.  $2u\beta m\alpha d(u) - 2d(u)\alpha m\beta u +$  $u\beta u\alpha d(m) - d(m)\alpha u\beta u = 0$ ...(10) Replace *m* by  $u\alpha m$  in (10), we get  $d(u)\alpha(u\beta u\alpha m - m\alpha u\beta u) = 0,$ for all  $m \in M.u \in U$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$  ....(11) That is,  $d(u)\alpha I_{u\beta u}^{u}(m) = 0$ , for all  $m \in M.u \in U$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . Hence by Lemma 3.1 we have, either  $u\beta u \in Z$ or d(u) = 0, for all  $u \in U$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . For  $u \in U$  and any  $m \in M, \alpha \in \Gamma$ , we have  $u\alpha m + m\alpha u \in U$ . But,  $4u\alpha m\alpha u = 2\{u\alpha(u\alpha m + m\alpha u) + (u\alpha m + m\alpha u)\}$  $m\alpha u$ ) $\alpha u$ } - { $2u\alpha u\alpha m + m\alpha 2u\alpha u$ }. The first and second term on the right are in Uthen,  $4u\alpha m\alpha u \in U$ . Replace v by  $4u\alpha m\alpha u$ in (9), we get

 $u\alpha u\alpha m\alpha d(u) - d(u)\alpha m\alpha u\alpha u + u\alpha u$  $\alpha m \alpha d(m) \alpha u - u \alpha d(m) \alpha u \alpha u = 0$ ...(12) Replace m by  $u \alpha m$  in (12) and then by using (12) we get,  $u\alpha d(u)\alpha(u\alpha m\alpha u - m\alpha u\alpha u) = 0.$ In view of (11) the last equation reduces to  $u\alpha d(u)\alpha u\alpha(u\alpha m - m\alpha u) = 0.$ That is,  $u\alpha d(u)\alpha u\alpha I_u^{\alpha}(m) = 0.$ Then by Lemma 3.1, we have either  $u \alpha d(u) \alpha u = 0$  or  $U \subset Z$ , for all  $u \in U$ and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . ...(13) In (11), replace u by u + v where  $v \in U$  then by using (11), we get  ${d(u) + d(v)}\alpha[v\beta u + v\beta u, m]_{\alpha} +$  $d(u)\alpha[v\beta u,m]_{\alpha} + d(v)\alpha[u\beta u,m]_{\alpha} = 0.$ Replace u by -u then,  $\{-d(u)+d(v)\}\alpha[-v\beta u-v\beta u,m]_{\alpha}$  $d(u)\alpha[v\beta u,m]_{\alpha} + d(v)\alpha[u\beta u,m]_{\alpha} = 0.$ Adding the last two equations and dividing by 2, we have  $d(u)\alpha[v\beta u + v\beta u, m]_{\alpha} + d(v)\alpha[u\beta u, m]_{\alpha} = 0$ for all  $m \in M, u, v \in U$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . By lemma 3.6 we get  $u\alpha d(u)\alpha u \neq 0$ , for some  $u \in U, \alpha \in \Gamma; d(u) \neq 0.$ Hence by (12),  $u\beta u \in Z$ . The net results of this is  $d(u)\alpha[v\beta u + v\beta u, m]_{\alpha} = 0$ , for all  $m \in M, u, v \in U$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . That is,  $d(u)\alpha I^{\alpha}_{u\beta v+v\beta u}(m) = 0$ , for all  $m \in M, u, v \in U$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . By Lemma 3.1,  $v\beta u + v\beta u \in Z$ , for all  $u, v \in U$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . If  $u\alpha u = 0$ , then  $0 = d(u\alpha u) = u\alpha d(u) + d(u)\alpha u$  $=2u\alpha d(u).$ That is,  $u\alpha d(u) = 0$  a contradiction hence  $u\alpha u \neq 0$ , Now suppose that  $u\alpha d(u)\alpha u = 0$ , then  $u \alpha u \alpha d(u) = 0$  that is, d(u) = 0 a contradiction hence  $u\alpha d(u)\alpha u \neq 0$ , So by (13)  $U \subset Z$  hence  $2u\alpha v \in Z$ ; that is  $2u\alpha v \in Z$  for all  $v \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . As  $u \neq 0$  we have  $v \in Z$  for all  $v \in U$ . Hence  $U \subset Z$ We should like to settle the problem even when M has characteristic 2. In this case Lie and

Jordan ideals will coincide.

**Theorem 4.4:** Let M be a prime  $\Gamma$ -ring of characteristic 2 ,and let d be a nonzero derivation of M.Let U be Lie (Jordan )ideal and subring of M.If d is  $\Gamma$ -centralizing on U then U is commutative

# **Proof:**

Since d is  $\Gamma$ -centralizing on U then by Lemma 3.4  $d(m)\beta u\alpha u + u\alpha u\beta d(m) \in Z$ ...(14) Commute(14) with d(m) and  $u\alpha u$  respectively we get,  $u \alpha u \beta d(m) \gamma d(m) = d(m) \gamma d(m) \beta u \alpha u$  (15*a*) And.  $d(m)\beta u \alpha u \delta u \alpha u = u \alpha u \delta u \alpha u \beta d(m)$  (15b) in (15a) replace m by  $v + u\alpha u\beta v$  and by using (15 a) we get,  $u \alpha u \beta d (v + u \alpha u \beta v) \gamma d (v + u \alpha u \beta v)$  $= d(v + u\alpha u\beta v)\gamma d(v + u\alpha u\beta v)\beta u\alpha u.$ For  $u \in U, \alpha \in \Gamma$ ,  $d(u\alpha u) = u\alpha d(u) + d(u)\alpha u \in Z.$ So in view of (15b) the last equation reduces to  $u \alpha u \beta d(v) \gamma u \alpha u \beta d(v) + d(v) \gamma u \alpha u \beta d(v) \beta$  $u\alpha u = 0$ , for all  $u, v \in U, \alpha \in \Gamma$ . Since M is prime, and by using (14) we get,  $u \alpha u \beta d(v) = d(v) \beta u \alpha u$ , for all  $u, v \in U$ , and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ ...(16) Replace u by u + w where  $w \in U$  we get,  $(u\alpha w + w\alpha u)\beta d(v) = d(v)\beta(u\alpha w + w\alpha u)$ Replace v by  $v\alpha w$  and by using (\*) we have,  $(u\alpha w + w\alpha u)\beta(u\alpha d(v) + d(v)\alpha u) = 0,$ for all  $u, v, w \in U, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . ...(17)

Linearize the last equation on  $u = u + v\alpha v$ where  $v \in U$  and put v = u then using (16) we get,  $(v\alpha v\alpha w + w\alpha v\alpha v)\beta(u\alpha d(u) + d(u)\alpha u) = 0$ for all  $u, v, w \in U, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . If  $[u, d(u)]_{\alpha} \neq 0$ , for some  $u \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . Then,  $(v\alpha v\alpha w + w\alpha v\alpha v) = 0$ , for all  $v, w \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . So that,  $u\alpha u\alpha(w\alpha m + m\alpha w) = (w\alpha m + m\alpha w)\alpha u\alpha u$  That is  $w\alpha(u\alpha u\alpha m + m\alpha u\alpha u) = (u\alpha u\alpha m + m\alpha u)$  $\alpha u$ ) $\alpha v$ . Replace *m* by *m* $\alpha u$  then  $(u\alpha u\alpha m + m\alpha u\alpha u)\alpha(w\alpha u + u\alpha w) = 0,$ for all  $m \in M, u, w \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . Replace w by  $[u,t]_{\alpha}$  we get,  $(u\alpha u\alpha m + m\alpha u\alpha u)\alpha(u\alpha u\alpha t + t\alpha u\alpha u) = 0,$ for all  $m, t \in M, u, w \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . Replace t by  $p \alpha t$  where  $p \in M$ , then  $(u \alpha u \alpha m + m \alpha u \alpha u) \Gamma M \Gamma (u \alpha u \alpha t + t \alpha u \alpha u)$ =0. By primness of M we have,  $u\alpha u \in Z$ , for all  $u \in U$ . Thus assume that  $[u, d(u)]_{\alpha} = 0$ , for all  $u \in U, \alpha \in \Gamma$ . Then by lemma 3.4 we have,  $u \alpha u \beta d(m) = d(m) \beta u \alpha u.$ Replace *m* by  $m\alpha a$  where  $a \in M$  and using (\*) we get.  $d(m)\alpha(u\alpha u\beta a + a\beta u\alpha u) +$  $(u\alpha u\beta m + m\beta u\alpha u)\alpha d(a) = 0.$ For  $v \in U, \alpha \in \Gamma$ ,  $d(v\alpha v) = v\alpha d(v) + d(v)\alpha v = 0.$ Hence the last equation becomes,  $d(m)\alpha(u\alpha u\beta v\alpha v + v\alpha v\beta u\alpha u) +$  $(u\alpha u\beta m + m\beta u\alpha u)\alpha d(v\alpha v) = 0.$ Thus by lemma 3.4 we have,  $u\alpha u\beta v\alpha v = v\alpha v\alpha u\alpha u$ . Therefore,  $u\alpha u\beta(v\alpha w + w\alpha v) = (v\alpha w + w\alpha v)\beta u\alpha u$ for all  $u, v, w \in U, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . Replace v by  $[w, m]_{\alpha}$  then we have,  $I^{\alpha}_{waw}(m)\beta(u\alpha u\alpha w + w\alpha u\alpha u) = 0,$ By using Lemma 3.1 we get,  $w \alpha w \notin Z$ , for some  $w \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . So that,  $u \alpha u \alpha w = w \alpha u \alpha u$  That is,  $[[u, v]_{\alpha}, w]_{\alpha} = 0$ , for all  $u, w \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . Since,  $[[v,w]_{\alpha},u]_{\alpha} + [[w,u]_{\alpha},v]_{\alpha} =$  $[[u,v]_{\alpha},w]_{\alpha}.$ Replace in above equation v by  $v\alpha w$  and expanding we get,  $[v,w]_{\alpha}\alpha[w,u]_{\alpha}=0,$ for all  $u, w \in U$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . Replace v by  $[w,m]_{\alpha}$  and u by  $[w,t]_{\alpha}$  we get,  $((w \alpha w \alpha m + m \alpha w \alpha w) \alpha (w \alpha w \alpha t +$  $t\alpha w\alpha w = 0.$ Replace t by  $p \alpha t$  where  $p \in M$ , then

 $[w \alpha w, m]_{\alpha} \Gamma M \Gamma [w \alpha w, t]_{\alpha} = 0.$ 

By primness of M we have,  $w\alpha w \in Z$  a contradiction .Hence the conclusion is that, So in all possible cases,

 $w\alpha w \in Z$ , for all  $u \in U, \alpha \in \Gamma$ . So that,

 $(u\alpha v + v\alpha u) \in Z$  and  $(u\alpha v + v\alpha u)\alpha u \in Z$ 

If  $u \notin Z(U)$  where Z(U) denotes the center

of, then  $(u\alpha v + v\alpha u = 0$ , for all  $v \in U$  and

 $u \in Z(U)$ 

Hence U is commutative.

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