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Abstract

Let R be a $*$ -prime ring with center $Z(A)$, d a non-zero (σ, τ) derivation of R with associated automorphisms σ and τ of R , such that σ and τ and d commute with ' $*$ '. Suppose that U is an ideal of R such that $U^* = U$ and $C_{\sigma, \tau} = \{c \in R : c\sigma(x) = \tau(x)c, \text{ for all } x \in R\}$. In the present paper, it is shown that if characteristic of R is different from two and $[d(u), d(v)]_{\sigma, \tau} = \{0\}$, then R is commutative. Commutativity of R has also been established in case if $[d(R), d(R)]_{\sigma, \tau} \subseteq C_{\sigma, \tau}$.

Chapter one

Introduction

Preliminaries

Definition (1.1)(Derivation):-

An additive mapping $d : R \rightarrow R$ is said to be a derivation if $d(xy) = d(x)y + xd(y)$ holds for all $x, y \in R$.

Definition (1.2)(inner derivation):-

The mapping $I_a : R \rightarrow R$ given by $I_a(x) = [a, x]$ for fixed $a \in R$, is a derivation which is said to be an inner derivation.

Definition (1.3)(prime):- Recall that R is said to be prime if $aRb = \{0\}$ implies $a = 0$ or $b = 0$.

Definition(1.4)(2- torsion):-

A ring R is said to be 2-torsion free, if $2x = 0$ implies $x = 0$.

Definition(1.5)((σ, τ) –derivation):-

For any two endomorphism σ and τ of R , we call an additive mapping $d : R \rightarrow R$ a (σ, τ) -derivation if $d(xy) = d(x)\sigma(y) + \tau(x)d(y)$ for all $x, y \in R$.

Example:-

Let $R = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & c \end{pmatrix} \mid a, b, c \in \mathbb{Z} \right\}$ be the ring of all 2×2 matrices over \mathbb{Z} , the ring of integers. Define $d, \sigma, \tau: R \rightarrow R$ such that $d \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & c \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$, $\sigma \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & c \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\tau \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & c \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & b \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$. It can be easily seen that σ and τ are automorphisms of R , and d is a (σ, τ) -derivation which is not a derivation of R . We set $C_{\sigma, \tau} = \{x \in R : x\sigma(y) = \tau(y)x, \text{ for all } y \in R\}$ and $[x, y]_{\sigma, \tau} = x\sigma(y) - \tau(y)x$. In particular $C_{1,1} = \mathbb{Z}(R)$, is the center of R , and $[x; y]_{1,1} = [x; y] = xy - yx$, is the usual Lie product. An additive mapping $x \rightarrow x^*$ on a ring R is called an involution if $(x^*)^* = x$ and $(xy)^* = y^* x^*$ hold for all $x, y \in R$.

Definition(1.6)(involution):-

An additive mapping $x \rightarrow x^*$ on a ring R is called an involution if $(x^*)^* = x$ and $(xy)^* = y^* x^*$ hold for all $x, y \in R$.

Definition(1.7)(*-ring):-

A ring equipped with an involution is called a ring with involution or *-ring.

Definition(1.8)(*-prime):-

A ring R equipped with an involution $' * '$ is said to be $*$ -prime if $aRb = aRb^* = \{0\}$ (or, equivalently $aRb = a^*Rb = \{0\}$) implies $a = 0$ or $b = 0$. If R^o denotes the opposite ring of a prime ring R , then $S = R \times R^o$ equipped with the exchange involution $*_{ex}$ defined by $*_{ex}(x, y) = (y, x)$ is $*_{ex}$ -prime, but not a prime ring because of the fact that $(1, 0)S(0, 1) = 0$. In all that follows, $Sa_*(R)$ will denote the set of symmetric and skew symmetric elements of R , i.e., $Sa_*(R) = \{x \in R \mid x^* = \mp x\}$. An ideal U of R is said to be a $*$ -ideal of R if $U^* = U$. It can also be noted that an ideal of a ring R may not be $*$ -ideal of R . As an example, let $R = \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$, and consider the involution $' * '$ on R such that $(a, b)^* = (b, a)$ for all $(a, b) \in R$: The subset $U = \mathbb{Z} \times \{0\}$ of R is an ideal of R but it is not a $*$ -ideal of R , because $U^* = \{0\} \times \mathbb{Z} \neq U$. Recently many authors have studied commutativity of prime and semi prime rings with involution admitting suitably constrained derivations. A lot of work have been done by L. Okhtite and co-authors on rings with involution (see for reference [11, 12, 13], where further references can be found). In [10], Lee and Lee proved that if a prime ring of characteristic different from 2 admits a derivation d such that $[d(R), d(R)] \subseteq \mathbb{Z}(R)$, then R is commutative. On the other hand in [7] for $a \in R$. Herstein proved that if $[a, d(R)] = \{0\}$, then $a \in \mathbb{Z}(R)$. Further in the year 1992, Aydin together with Kaya [4] extended the

theorems mentioned above by replacing derivation by (σ, τ) -derivation and in some of those, R by a non-zero ideal of R . In this note, we investigate the commutativity of $*$ -prime ring R equipped with an involution $' * '$ admitting a (σ, τ) -derivation d satisfying $[d(U), d(U)]_{\sigma, \tau} = \{0\}$ and $[d(R); d(R)]_{\sigma, \tau} \subseteq C_{\sigma, \tau}$ where U is a nonzero $*$ -ideal of R .

Chapter two

the results

In the remaining part of the paper, R will represent a $*$ –prime ring which admits a non-zero (σ, τ) –derivation d with auto morphisms σ and τ such that ' $*$ ' commutes with d, σ and τ . We shall use the following relations frequently without specific mention.

$$[xy, z]_{\sigma, \tau} = x[y, z]_{\sigma, \tau} + [x, \tau(z)]y = x[y, \sigma(z)] + [x, z]_{\sigma, \tau} y$$

$$[x, yz]_{\sigma, \tau} = \tau(y)[x, z]_{\sigma, \tau} + [x, y]_{\sigma, \tau}\sigma(z). \text{ And}$$

$$[x, [y, z]]_{\sigma, \tau} + [[x, z]_{\sigma, \tau} - [[x, y]_{\sigma, \tau}, z]_{\sigma, \tau} = 0.$$

Remark(2.1):-

We find that if R is a $*$ –prime ring of characteristic different from 2, then R is 2-torsion free. In fact, if $2x = 0$ for all $x \in R$, then $xr(2s) = 0$ for all $r, s \in R$. But since $\text{char } R \neq 2$, there exists a non-zero $l \in R$ such that $2l \neq 0$ and hence by the above $xR(2l) = \{0\}$. This also gives that $xR(2l)^* = \{0\}$ and $*$ –primeness of R yields that $x = 0$, that mean, R is 2-torsion free.

The main result of the present paper states as follows:

Theorem (2.2):-

Let R be a $*$ – prime ring with characteristic different from two and σ, τ be automorphisms of R , and U a $*$ –ideal of R . If R admits a non- zero (σ, τ) –derivation $d : R \rightarrow R$ such that $[d(U), d(U)]_{\sigma, \tau} = \{0\}$, then R is

commutative. We facilitate our discussion with the following lemmas which are required for developing the proof of our main result. Since every $*$ –prime ring is semiprime and every $*$ –right ideal is right ideal, hence Lemmas 1.1.4 and 1.1.5 of [5] can be rewritten in case of $*$ –prime ring as follows:

Lemma(2.3):-

Suppose that R is a $*$ –prime ring and that $a \in R$ is such that $a(ax - xa) = 0$ for all $x \in R$: Then $a \in \mathbb{Z}(R)$.

Lemma(2.4):-

Let R be a $*$ –prime ring and U a non-zero $*$ –right ideal of R . Then $\mathbb{Z}(U) \subseteq \mathbb{Z}(R)$.

Corollary(2.5):-

Let R be a $*$ –prime ring and U a non-zero $*$ –right ideal of R . If U is commutative then R is commutative.

Proof:- Since U is commutative, by the Lemma 2.4, we have $U = \mathbb{Z}(U) \subseteq \mathbb{Z}(R)$. If for any $x, y \in R$, $a \in U$ we have $ax \in U$ then $ax \in \mathbb{Z}(R)$, and hence $(ax)y = y(ax) = ayx$. This further yields $U(xy - yx) = \{0\}$. Since U is a non-zero $*$ –right ideal of R , we have $UR(xy - yx) =$

$\{0\} = U^*R(xy - yx)$. Also, since $U \neq \{0\}$ is a right ideal, $*$ -primeness of R gives $xy - yx = 0$, for all $x, y \in R$. Hence R is commutative.

Lemma(2.6):-

Let R be a $*$ -prime ring and U a non-zero $*$ -right ideal of R . Suppose that $a \in R$ centralizes U . Then $a \in \mathbb{Z}(R)$.

Proof:- Since a centralizes U , for all $u \in U$ and $x \in R$, $aux = uxa$. But $au = ua$, therefore $uax = uxa$, that mean, $u[a, x] = 0$. On replacing u by uy for any $y \in R$, we get $uR[a, x] = \{0\}$ for all $u \in U$, $x \in R$. Also, since U is $*$ -right ideal, we get $u^*R[a, x] = \{0\}$. Again since $U \neq \{0\}$, $*$ -primeness of R yields that $[a, x] = 0$ for all $x \in R$. Therefore, $a \in \mathbb{Z}(R)$.

Lemma(2.7):-

Let R be a $*$ - prime ring with characteristic different from two and suppose that $a \in R$ commutes with all its commutators $ax - xa$ for all $x \in R$. Then $a \in \mathbb{Z}(R)$.

Proof:- Define $d : R \rightarrow R$ by $d(x) = ax - xa$ for all $x \in R$: By hypothesis we arrive at

$$(2.1) \quad d^2(x) = 0 \text{ for all } x \in R.$$

Also, $d^2(xy) = d^2(x)y + 2d(x)d(y) + xd^2(y)$. By (2.1) and using torsion restriction on R , we get $d(x)d(y) = 0$ for all $x, y \in R$: On replacing y by yz for any $z \in R$, we obtain $d(x)Rd(y) = \{0\}$, also $d(x)^*Rd(y) = \{0\}$ for all $x, y \in R$. Using $*$ -primeness of R yields that $d(x) = 0$ for all $x \in R$. Recalling that $d(x) = ax - xa$, we obtain $a \in Z(R)$.

Lemma(2.8):-

Let R be a $*$ -prime ring. Suppose that $ab, a^*b, b \in C_{\sigma, \tau}$ for all $a, b \in R$. Then either $a \in Z(R)$ or $b = 0$.

Proof:- Since $ab \in C_{\sigma, \tau}$ $ab\sigma(x) = \tau(x)ab$ for all $x \in R$. Also since $b \in C_{\sigma, \tau}$ that mean $b\sigma(x) = \tau(x)b$ for all $x \in R$, we have $a(b\sigma(x)) = \tau(x)ab$, or $a(\tau(x)b) = (\tau(x)a)b$, that mean $[a, \tau(x)]b = 0$. On replacing x by xy for any $y \in R$, we get $[a, \tau(x)]Rb = \{0\}$ for all $x \in R$.

Similarly, since $a^*b \in C_{\sigma, \tau}$, we have

$[a^*, \tau(x)]Rb = \{0\}$ for all $x \in R$. On replacing x by x^* in the above relation, we find that

$[a, \tau(x)]Rb = \{0\}$ for all $x \in R$. Therefore, on using $*$ -primeness of R , we find that either $[a, \tau(x)] = 0$ or $b = 0$ for all $x \in R$. Hence, we conclude that $a \in Z(R)$ or $b = 0$.

Corollary(2.9):-

Let R be a $*$ -prime ring. Suppose that $ab = 0 = a^*b, b \in C_{\sigma, \tau}$ for all $a, b \in R$. Then either $a = 0$ or $b = 0$.

Proof:- Since $b \in C_{\sigma, \tau}$, $b\sigma(x) = \tau(x)b$. Left multiplying by a and a^* and on using $ab = 0$ and $a^*b = 0$, we obtain $ab\sigma(x) = a\tau(x)b = 0$, for all $x \in R$, that mean $aRb = \{0\}$ and $a^*b\sigma(x) = a^*\tau(x)b = 0$, for all $x \in R$, that mean, $a^*Rb = \{0\}$, respectively. Hence, $*$ -primeness of R yields either $a = 0$ or $b = 0$.

Lemma(2.10):-

Let R be a $*$ -prime ring and U a $*$ -right ideal of R . If $d(U) = \{0\}$, then $d = 0$.

Proof:- For all $u \in U$ and $x \in R$, $0 = d(ux) = d(u)\sigma(x) + \tau(u)d(x) = \tau(u)d(x)$. On replacing x by xy for any $y \in R$, we get $\tau(u)d(x)\sigma(y) + \tau(u)\tau(x)d(y) = 0$. or, $\tau(u)\tau(x)d(y) = 0$, that mean $\tau(u)Rd(y) = \{0\}$ for all $u \in U$ and $y \in R$. Also since U is a $*$ -right ideal, we get $\tau(u)^*Rd(y) = \{0\}$. Also, $*$ -primeness of R yields that $\tau(u) = 0$ for all $u \in U$ or $d = 0$. Since $U \neq \{0\}$ we get $d = 0$.

Lemma(2.11):-

Let R be a $*$ -prime ring, U a non-zero $*$ -ideal of R and $a \in R$. If $ad(U) = \{0\}$ (or, $d(U)a = \{0\}$), then $a = 0$ or $d = 0$.

Proof:- For $u \in U, x \in R, 0 = ad(ux) = ad(u)\sigma(x) + a\tau(u)d(x)$. By assumption, we have $a\tau(u)d(x) = 0$, for all $x \in R$: On replacing u by uy for any $y \in R$, we obtain $a\tau(u)Rd(x) = \{0\}$ for all $u \in U, x \in R$: Also, $a(u)Rd(x)^* = \{0\}$. Since R is $*$ -prime, we find that either $a\tau(u) = 0$ or $d(x) = 0$. If $a\tau(u) = 0$ for all $u \in U$ or $\tau^{-1}(a)u = 0$, or $\tau^{-1}(a)U = \{0\}$. Now since U is $*$ -ideal, we can write $\tau^{-1}(a)U^* = \{0\}$. This implies that $\tau^{-1}(a)RU^* = \{0\} = \tau^{-1}(a)RU^*$. By the $*$ -primeness of R , we obtain $\tau^{-1}(a) = 0$, since $U \neq \{0\}$: In conclusion, we get either $a = 0$ or $d = 0$. Similarly, $d(U)a = \{0\}$ implies $a = 0$ or $d = 0$.

Lemma(2.12):-

Let d be a non-zero (σ, τ) -derivation of $*$ -prime ring R and U a $*$ -right ideal of R . If $d(U) \subseteq \mathbb{Z}(R)$, then R is commutative.

Proof:- Since $d(U) \subseteq \mathbb{Z}(R)$, we have $[d(U), R] = \{0\}$. For $u, v \in U$ and $x \in R$,

$$(2.2) \quad [x, d(uv)] = [x, d(u)\sigma(v) + \tau(u)d(v)] = d(u)[x, \sigma(v)] + d(v)[x, \tau(u)] = 0.$$

Replacing x by $x\sigma(v)$, $v \in U$ in (2.2), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
0 &= d(u)[x\sigma(v), \sigma(v)] + d(v)[x\sigma(v), \tau(u)] \\
&= d(u)[x, \sigma(v)]\sigma(v) + d(v)(x[\sigma(v), \tau(u)] + [x, \tau(u)]\sigma(v)).
\end{aligned}$$

By using (2.2), we get

$$(2.3) \quad d(v)R[\sigma(v), \tau(u)] = \{0\}, \text{ for all } u, v \in U.$$

Let $v \in U \cap Sa * (R)$. From (2.3), it follows that

$$(2.4) \quad d(v)^*R[\sigma(v), \tau(u)] = \{0\}, \text{ for all } u \in U.$$

By (2.3) and (2.4), the $*$ -primeness of R yields that $d(v) = 0$ or $[\sigma(v), \tau(u)] = 0$

for any $v \in U \cap Sa * (R)$ and for all $u \in U$. Let $w \in U$, since $w - w^* \in U \cap Sa * (R)$, then $d(w - w^*) = 0$ or $[\sigma(w - w^*), \tau(u)] = 0$.

Assume that $d(w - w^*) = 0$. Then $d(w) = d(w^*)$: Replacing v by w^* in (2.3) and since U is $*$ -right ideal, we get $d(w^*)R[\sigma(w^*), \tau(u)] = \{0\}$ for all $u \in U$. Consequently,

$$(2.5) \quad d(w)R[\sigma(w), \tau(u)]^* = \{0\}, \text{ for all } u, w \in U.$$

Also by (2.3), we get $d(w)R[\sigma(w), \tau(u)] = \{0\}$, the $*$ -primeness of R together with (2.5) assures that $d(w) = 0$ or $[\sigma(w), \tau(u)] = 0$, for all $u \in U$: Now suppose that $[\sigma(v), \tau(u)] = 0$; for all $v \in U \cap Sa * (R)$ and $u \in U$. We have

$[\sigma(w - w^*), \tau(u)] = 0$; for all $u \in U$, or $[\sigma(w), \tau(u)] = [\sigma(w^*), \tau(u)]$.

Replacing v by w^* in (2.3), we get $d(w^*)R[\sigma(w^*), \tau(u)] = \{0\}$ for all $u \in U$. Consequently,

$$(2.6) \quad d(w^*)R[\sigma(w), \tau(u)]^* = \{0\}, \text{ for all } u \in U.$$

Since $d(w)R[\sigma(w), \tau(u)] = \{0\}$, by (2.3), the $*$ -primeness of R

together with (2.6) assures that $d(w) = 0$ or $[\sigma(w), \tau(u)] = 0$, for all

$u \in U$: In conclusion, for all $u \in U$ we have either

$$d(w) = 0 \text{ or } [\sigma(w), \tau(u)] = 0.$$

Now, define $K = \{w \in U / d(w) = 0\}$ and $L = \{w \in U / [\sigma(w), \tau(u)] = 0$

for all $u \in U$. Then $U = K \cup L$. Since $d \neq 0$, we have $d(U) \neq \{0\}$ by

Lemma 2.10, therefore, $U \neq K$. By Brauer's trick, we have (2.7)

$[\sigma(w), \tau(u)] = 0$ for all $u, w \in U$. Replacing w by $w\sigma^{-1}([v])$, $u \in U$, in

(2.7) and using (2.7), we get $\sigma(w)([v, u]) = 0$, for all $u, v, w \in U$. On

replacing w by wx for any $x \in R$, we get $\sigma(w)R\tau([v, u]) = \{0\}$, for all

$u, v, w \in U$. Also, since U is $*$ -right ideal, we get $\sigma(w)^*R\tau([v, u]) =$

$\{0\}$ for all $u, v, w \in U$. Since R is $*$ -prime, we find that $\sigma(w) = 0$ or

$\tau[v, u] = 0$ for all $u, v, w \in U$. Since $U \neq \{0\}$, we have U is commutative.

In view of Corollary 2.5, we obtain the commutativity of R .

Using the same technique as in Lemma 4 of [4], we get the following

lemma.

Lemma(2.13):-

Let R be a $*$ – prime ring with characteristic different from two, $d_1 : R \rightarrow R$ be a (σ, τ) – derivation and $d_2 : R \rightarrow R$ be a derivation. If $d_1 d_2(R) = \{0\}$, then $d_1 = 0$ or $d_2 = 0$.

Proof:- Let us assume that $d_1 \neq 0$. Then for all $x, y \in R$,

$$0 = d_1 d_2(xy) = d_1(d_2(x)y + x d_2(y)) = \tau(d_2(x))d_1(y) + d_1(x)\sigma(d_2(y)). \text{ That is}$$

$$(2.8) \quad \tau(d_2(x))d_1(y) = d_1(x)\sigma(d_2(y)) \text{ for all } x, y \in R.$$

If we replace x by $d_2(x)$ in (2.8), we have $\tau(d_2^2(x))d_1(y) = 0$. This further reduces to $\tau(d_2^2(x)) = 0$ for all $x \in R$, in view of Lemma 2.11.

Therefore

$$(2.9) \quad d_2^2(x) = 0 \text{ for all } x \in R.$$

Replacing x by $x d_2(z)$, $z \in R$, in (2.8) and using (2.8) and (2.9), we get

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= \tau(d_2(x d_2(z)))d_1(y) + d_1(x d_2(z))\sigma(d_2(y)) \\ &= \tau(d_2(x))\tau(d_2(z))d_1(y) + d_1(x)\sigma(d_2(z))\sigma(d_2(y)) \\ &= -\tau(d_2(x))d_1(z)\sigma(d_2(y)) + d_1(x)\sigma(d_2(z))\sigma(d_2(y)) \\ &= d_1(x)\sigma(d_2(z))\sigma(d_2(y)) + d_1(x)\sigma(d_2(z))\sigma(d_2(y)) \end{aligned}$$

So we obtain,

$$2d_1(x)\sigma(d_2(z))\sigma(d_2(y)) = 0 \text{ for all } x, y, z \in R.$$

Since characteristic of R is different from 2. Then by Lemma 2.11, we have

$$(2.10) \quad d_2(z)d_2(y) = 0 \text{ for all } x, y \in R.$$

Again applying Lemma 2.11 to (2.10), we get $d_2 = 0$.

We are now well equipped to prove our main theorem:

Proof of Theorem 2.2. First we will show that if any $a \in Sa_*(R)$ satisfies $[d(U), a]_{\sigma, \tau} = \{0\}$, then $a \in Z(R)$.

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= [d(uv), a]_{\sigma, \tau} = [d(u)\sigma(v) + \tau(u)d(v), a]_{\sigma, \tau} \\ &= d(u)\sigma(v)\sigma(a) + \tau(u)d(v)\sigma(a) - \tau(a)d(u)\sigma(v) - \tau(a)\tau(u)d(a) \end{aligned}$$

By hypothesis, $d(u)\sigma(a) = \tau(a)d(u)$ for all $u \in U$: We have

$$(2.11) \quad d(u)\sigma([v, a]) + \tau([u, a])d(v) = 0 \text{ for all } u, v \in U$$

Replace v by va in (2.11) and use (2.11) to get

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= d(u)\sigma([v, a])\sigma(a) + \tau([u, a])(d(v)\sigma(a) + \tau(v)d(a)) \\ &= \{d(u)\sigma([v, a]) + \tau([u, a])d(v)\}\sigma(a) + \tau([u, a])\tau(v)d(a). \end{aligned}$$

We have $\tau([u, a])\tau(v)d(a) = 0$, for all $u, v \in U$. Replacing v by vx for any $x \in R$, we find that $\tau([u, a])\tau(v)Rd(a) = \{0\}$, for all $u, v \in U$. Since

$a \in Sa_*(R)$, the above expression can be rewritten as

$\tau([u, a])\tau(v)Rd(a)^* = \{0\}$ for all $u, v \in U$. On using $*$ –primeness of R , we obtain for all $u, v \in U$

$$(2.12) \quad \tau([u, a])\tau(v) = 0 \text{ or } d(a) = 0.$$

Let us suppose that $d(a) = 0$, then for all $u \in U$, $d([u, a]) = [d(u), a]_{\sigma, \tau} - [d(a), u]_{\sigma, \tau} = 0$. That is

$$(2.13) \quad d([U, a]) = \{0\}.$$

On replacing v by vw , $w \in U$, in (2.11), we get

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= d(u)\sigma([vw, a]) + \tau([u, a])d(vw) \\ &= d(u)\sigma(v)\sigma([w, a]) + d(u)\sigma([v, a])\sigma(w) + \tau([u, a])d(v)\sigma(w) \\ &\quad + \tau([u, a])\tau(v)d(w) \\ &= d(u)\sigma(v)\sigma([w, a]) + \tau([u, a])\tau(v)d(w) + \{d(u)\sigma([v, a]) + \\ &\quad \tau([u, a])d(v)\}\sigma(w) \end{aligned}$$

By using (2.11), we have

$$(2.14) \quad d(u)\sigma(v)\sigma([w, a]) + \tau([u, a])\tau(v)d(w) = 0 \text{ for all } u, v, w \in U.$$

Replacing w by $[w, a]$ in (2.14) and using (2.13), we get

$$d(u)\sigma(v)\sigma([w, a]) = 0 \text{ for all } u, v, w \in U.$$

Replacing v by xv for any $x \in R$ in the above relation, we find that

$d(u)R\sigma(v)\sigma([w, a], a) = \{0\}$ for all $u, v, w \in U$: Also since U is $*$ -ideal, we may obtain $d(u)^*R\sigma(v)\sigma([w, a], a) = \{0\}$ for all $u, v, w \in U$. Using $*$ -primeness of R , we get $d(U) = \{0\}$ or $\sigma(v)\sigma([w, a], a) = 0$ for all $u, v, w \in U$. But $d(U) \neq \{0\}$, therefore, $\sigma(v)\sigma([w, a], a) = 0$ for all $u, v, w \in U$: Replacing v by vx , and using U is $*$ -ideal, we obtain

$\sigma(U)R\sigma([w, a], a) = \{0\}$ and $\sigma(U)^*R\sigma([w, a], a) = \{0\}$ for all $w \in U$. Since R is $*$ -prime and $\sigma(U) \neq \{0\}$ is $*$ -ideal of R , $\sigma([U, a], a) = \{0\}$.

In other words, if we define $I_a(x) = [x, a]$ an inner derivation determined by a then we have $I_a^2(U) = \{0\}$. By Lemma 2.13, $I_a = \{0\}$, that mean $[a, U] = \{0\}$, and so by Lemma 2.6, $a \in \mathbb{Z}(R)$. In view of (2.12) let us now suppose that $\tau([u, a])\tau(v) = 0$ for all $u, v \in U$: On replacing v by xv for any $x \in R$, the above equation reduces to $\tau([u, a])R(v) = \{0\}$, for all $u, v \in U$. Also, U being a $*$ -ideal, we get $\tau([u, a])R(v) = \{0\}$. Using the $*$ -primeness of R yields either $\tau([U, a]) = \{0\}$ or $\tau(U) = \{0\}$. Since $\tau(U) = \{0\}$ is not possible, it reduces to $\tau([U, a]) = \{0\}$ and so $[U, a] = \{0\}$. In view of Lemma 2.6, we find that $a \in \mathbb{Z}(R)$. Hence by our hypothesis we obtain that $d(U) \subseteq \mathbb{Z}(R)$: So by Lemma 2.12, R is commutative.

Theorem(2.14):-

Let R be a $*$ – prime ring with characteristic different from two and σ, τ be automorphisms of R . If R admits a non-zero (σ, τ) – derivation $d : R \rightarrow R$ such that $[d(R), d(R)]_{\sigma, \tau} \subseteq C_{\sigma, \tau}$, then R is commutative.

Proof:- First we will show that for any $a \in Sa_*(R)$ satisfying $[d(R), a]_{\sigma, \tau} \subseteq C_{\sigma, \tau}$, we have $a \in \mathbb{Z}(R)$: Suppose on contrary that $a \notin \mathbb{Z}(R)$. Using the hypothesis we have $[d(a^2), a]_{\sigma, \tau} \in C_{\sigma, \tau}$,

$$\begin{aligned} [d(a^2), a]_{\sigma, \tau} &= [d(a)\sigma(a) + \tau(a)d(a), a]_{\sigma, \tau} \\ &= d(a)\sigma(a)\sigma(a) - \tau(a)\tau(a)d(a) \\ &= [d(a), a^2]_{\sigma, \tau} = \tau(a)[d(a), a]_{\sigma, \tau} + [d(a), a]_{\sigma, \tau}\sigma(a) \\ &= 2\tau(a)[d(a), a]_{\sigma, \tau} \end{aligned}$$

Since $\text{char } R \neq 2$, we have $\tau(a)[d(a), a]_{\sigma, \tau} \in C_{\sigma, \tau}$. Since $a \in Sa_*(R)$, we also have $\tau(a)\sigma[d(a), a]_{\sigma, \tau} \in C_{\sigma, \tau}$. In view of the hypothesis and Lemma 2.8, we get either $\tau(a) \in \mathbb{Z}(R)$ or $[d(a), a]_{\sigma, \tau} = 0$. Since by our assumption $a \notin \mathbb{Z}(R)$, we have

$$(2.15) \quad [d(a), a]_{\sigma, \tau} = 0. \text{ On the other hand, since } [d(R), a]_{\sigma, \tau} \subseteq C_{\sigma, \tau}, \text{ for any } x \in R, [d([a, x]), a]_{\sigma, \tau} \in C_{\sigma, \tau}. \text{ Therefore}$$

$$[d([a, x]), a]_{\sigma, \tau} = [[d(a), x]_{\sigma, \tau}, a]_{\sigma, \tau} - [[d(x), a]_{\sigma, \tau}, a]_{\sigma, \tau}. \text{ We obtain}$$

$$(2.16) \quad [[d(a), x]_{\sigma, \tau}, a]_{\sigma, \tau} \in C_{\sigma, \tau} \text{ for all } x \in R.$$

Replacing x by ax in (2.16)

$$\begin{aligned}
[[d(a), ax]_{\sigma, \tau}, a]_{\sigma, \tau} &= [\tau(a)[d(a), x]_{\sigma, \tau} + [d(a), a]_{\sigma, \tau}\sigma(x), a]_{\sigma, \tau} \\
&= [\tau(a)[d(a), x]_{\sigma, \tau}, a]_{\sigma, \tau} \\
&= \tau(a)[[d(a), x]_{\sigma, \tau}, a]_{\sigma, \tau} + [\tau(a), \tau(a)][d(a), x]_{\sigma, \tau}.
\end{aligned}$$

We get $\tau(a)[[d(a), x]_{\sigma, \tau}, a]_{\sigma, \tau} \in C_{\sigma, \tau}$ for all $x \in R$: Since $a \in Sa_*(R)$, we have $\tau(a)^*[[d(a), x]_{\sigma, \tau}, a]_{\sigma, \tau} \in C_{\sigma, \tau}$ for all $x \in R$. In view of (2.16), together with above two relations and Lemma 2.8, we obtain $\tau(a) \in \mathbb{Z}(R)$ or $[[d(a), x]_{\sigma, \tau}, a]_{\sigma, \tau} = 0$. Since $a \notin \mathbb{Z}(R)$, we have

$$(2.17) \quad [[d(a), x]_{\sigma, \tau}, a]_{\sigma, \tau} = 0 \text{ for all } x \in R.$$

Now, applying the relation

$$[x, [y, z]]_{\sigma, \tau} + [[x, z]_{\sigma, \tau}, y]_{\sigma, \tau} - [[x, y]_{\sigma, \tau}, z]_{\sigma, \tau} = 0$$

to (2.17) and using (2.15), we obtain

$$(2.18) \quad [d(a), [a, x]]_{\sigma, \tau} = 0 \text{ for all } x \in R.$$

In other words, if we define $I_a(x) = [a, x]$ an inner derivation determined by a and $I_{d(a)}(x) = [d(a), x]_{\sigma, \tau}$ a (σ, τ) -derivation determined by $d(a)$, in view of (2.18), we find that $I_{d(a)}I_a(x) = 0$, for all $x \in R$: By Lemma 2.13, either $I_{d(a)} = 0$ or $I_a = 0$. That is, $d(a) \in C_{\sigma, \tau}$, or $a \in \mathbb{Z}(R)$. Since $a \notin \mathbb{Z}(R)$, this gives us $d(a) \in C_{\sigma, \tau}$

On the other hand, since $[d(R), a]_{\sigma, \tau} \subseteq C_{\sigma, \tau}$. For $x \in R$, $[d(ax), a]_{\sigma, \tau} \in C_{\sigma, \tau}$

$$\text{Then } [d(ax), a]_{\sigma, \tau} = [d(a)\sigma(x) + \tau(a)d(x), a]_{\sigma, \tau}$$

$$= d(a)\sigma(x)\sigma(a) + \tau(a)d(x)\sigma(a) - \tau(a)d(a)\sigma(x) - \tau(a)\tau(a)d(x).$$

Now since we have $d(a) \in C_{\sigma, \tau}$, the above equation reduces to

$$[d(ax), a]_{\sigma, \tau} = d(a)\sigma(ax) + \tau(a)d(x)\sigma(a) - d(a)\sigma(ax) - \tau(a)\tau(a)d(x),$$

or,

$$(2.19) \quad d(a)\sigma([x, a]) + \tau(a)[d(x), a]_{\sigma, \tau} \in C_{\sigma, \tau} \text{ for all } x \in R.$$

Commuting (2.19) with a and using $d(a), [d(x), a]_{\sigma, \tau} \in C_{\sigma, \tau}$. we get

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= [d(a)\sigma([x, a]) + \tau(a)[d(x), a]_{\sigma, \tau}, a]_{\sigma, \tau} \\ &= d(a)\sigma([x, a])\sigma(a) + \tau(a)[d(x), a]_{\sigma, \tau}\sigma(a) - \tau(a)d(a)\sigma([x, a]) \\ &\quad - \tau(a)\tau(a)[d(x), a]_{\sigma, \tau} \\ &= d(a)\sigma([x, a]a) + \tau(a)[d(x), a]_{\sigma, \tau}\sigma(a) - d(a)\sigma(a[x, a]) \\ &\quad - \tau(a)[d(x), a]_{\sigma, \tau}\sigma(a) = d(a)\sigma([x, a], a). \end{aligned}$$

Also since $a \in Sa_*(R)$, we have $d(a)\sigma([x, a], a)^* = 0$: Therefore, by Corollary 2.9, $d(a) = 0$ or $[a, [a, x]] = 0$ for all $x \in R$. If $[a, [a, x]] = 0$, for all $x \in R$, we have by Lemma 2.7, $a \in \mathbb{Z}(R)$; a contradiction. Therefore, $d(a) = 0$. Now (2.19) can be rewritten as $\tau(a)[d(x), a]_{\sigma, \tau} \in C_{\sigma, \tau}$, for

all $x \in R$. Also $\tau(a)\sigma[d(x), a]_{\sigma, \tau} \in C_{\sigma, \tau}$, for all $x \in R$. But $[d(x), a]_{\sigma, \tau} \in C_{\sigma, \tau}$, yields by Lemma 2.8 either $\tau(a) \in \mathbb{Z}(R)$ or $[d(x), a]_{\sigma, \tau} = 0$, for all $x \in R$. Now in application of Theorem 2.2, we obtain $a \in \mathbb{Z}(R)$. This contradicts our assumption. Hence, $a \in \mathbb{Z}(R)$. By our hypothesis we have $d(R) \subseteq Z(R)$, and hence R is commutative by Lemma 2.12.

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