# ON JORDAN \*CENTRALIZERS IN SEMIPRIME $\Gamma$ -RINGS WITH INVOLUTION

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**ABSTRACT:** In this paper we prove that if M is a 2-torsion free semiprime  $\Gamma$ -ring with involution satisfying  $xyy\alpha z = x\alpha yyz$  and  $f: M \to M$  an additive mapping such that

 $2f(x\beta x) = f(x)\beta x^* + x^*\beta f(x)$  for all  $x \in M$ ,  $\beta \in \Gamma$ , then f is a Jordan \*-centralizer.

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## 1 INTRODUCTION

Nobusawa [1] introduced the notion of a  $\Gamma$ -ring, a notion more general than a ring. Barnes [2] slightly weakened the conditions in the definition of a  $\Gamma$ -ring given by Nobusawa. After the study of  $\Gamma$ -rings by Nobusawa [1] and Barnes [2] many researchers have done a lot of work on  $\Gamma$ -rings and have obtained some generalizations of the corresponding results in ring theory (see [3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8] and references therein). In particular, Barnes [2] and Kyuno [5, 6] studied the structure of  $\Gamma$ -rings and obtained various generalizations of the corresponding results of ring theory.

#### 2 Prilimaniries

If M and  $\Gamma$  are additive abelian groups and there exists a mapping  $(., ., .,): M \times \Gamma \times M \to M$  which satisfies the following conditions:

(i)  $(a, \beta, b)$  is an element of M,

(ii)  $(a+b)\alpha c = a\alpha c + b\alpha c$ ,  $a(\alpha + \beta)b = a\alpha b + a\beta b$ , and

 $a\alpha(b+c) = a\alpha b + a\alpha c$ ,

(iii)  $(a\alpha b)\beta c = a\alpha(b\beta c)$ , for  $a,b,c \in M$  and  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta \in \Gamma$ , then M is called a  $\Gamma$ -ring [2].

It is known that from (i)-(iii) the following result follows:

(\*)  $0\alpha b = a0b = a\alpha 0 = 0$  for all a and b in M and all  $\alpha$  in  $\Gamma$  [2].

An additive mapping \* on a  $\Gamma$  -ring M is said to be an involution if  $(x\gamma y)^* = y^*\gamma x^*$  and

 $(x^*)^* = x$  for all  $x, y \in M, \gamma \in \Gamma$ . A  $\Gamma$ -ring M is said to be commutative if  $x\beta y = y\beta x$  for all  $x, y \in M, \beta \in \Gamma$ . A  $\Gamma$ -ring M is said to be 2-torsion free if 2x = 0 implies x = 0 for all  $x \in M$ . Moreover, the set  $Z(M) = \{x \in M : x\alpha y = y\alpha x \forall \alpha \in \Gamma, y \in M\}$  is called the centre of the  $\Gamma$ -ring M. We shall write  $[x,y]_{\alpha} = x\alpha y - y\alpha x, x, y \in M$  and  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . We shall

make use of the basic commutator identities:  $[x\alpha y, z]_{\beta} = [x, z]_{\beta} \alpha y + x[\alpha, \beta]_{z} y + x\alpha[y, z]_{\beta}$  and  $[x, y\alpha z]_{\beta} = [x, y]_{\beta} \alpha z + y[\alpha, \beta]_{x} z + y\alpha[x, z]_{\beta}$ ,

for all  $x, y, z \in M$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . If a  $\Gamma$ -ring satisfies the assumption

(\*\*)  $a\alpha b\beta c = a\beta b\alpha c$  for all  $a,b,c\in M,\alpha,\beta\in\Gamma$ . Then the previous identities reduce to  $[x\beta y,z]_{\alpha}=[x,z]_{\alpha}\beta y+x\beta[y,z]_{\alpha}$  and  $[x,y\beta z]_{\alpha}=[x,y]_{\alpha}\beta z+y\beta[x,z]_{\alpha}$ , for all  $x,y,z\in M$  and  $\alpha,\beta\in\Gamma$ .

An additive mapping  $D: M \to M$  is called a \*-derivation on M if  $D(x\gamma y) = D(x)\gamma y^* + x\gamma D(y)$  for all  $x,y\in M$  and  $\gamma\in\Gamma$ . An additive mapping  $D: M\to M$  is called a Jordan \*-derivation on M if  $D(x\gamma x) = D(x)\gamma x^* + x\gamma D(x)$  for all  $x\in M$  and  $\gamma\in\Gamma$ . A mapping F from M to M is said to be commuting on M if  $[F(x),x]_{\gamma}=0$  and centralizing on M if  $[F(x),x]_{\gamma}\in Z(M)$  for all  $x\in M,\gamma\in\Gamma$ . An additive mapping  $T:M\to M$  is said to be left (right) \*-centralizer if  $T(x\gamma y) = T(x)\gamma y^*$  ( $T(x\gamma y) = x^*\gamma T(y)$ ) for all  $x,y\in M,\gamma\in\Gamma$ . A \*-

centralizer is an additive mapping which is both a left and a right \*-centralizer. An additive mapping  $T: M \to M$  is said to be Jordan left (right) \*-centralizer if  $T(x\gamma x) = T(x)\gamma x^* (T(x\gamma x) = x^*\gamma T(x))$  for all  $x \in M, \gamma \in \Gamma$ .

Let R be a ring. It is known [10] that if a mapping  $T: R \to R$  is both a left and a right Jordan centralizer then T satisfies  $2T(x^2) = T(x)x + xT(x)$  for all  $x \in R$  but

 $T: R \rightarrow R$ mapping an additive satisfying  $2T(x^2) = T(x)x + xT(x)$  for all  $x \in R$  need not be a left and a right Jordan centralizer. But in [10] he has also proved that if a 2-torsion free semiprime ring R admits an Tmapping  $2T(x^2) = T(x)x + xT(x)$  for all  $x \in R$ , then T is a left and a right centralizer.

In this paper, motivated from the following Example 1.1, we generalize the identity in [10] for Jordan \*-centralizers in semiprime  $\Gamma$ -rings with involution.

**Example 1.1** Let R and Z are commutative ring of real numbers and integers, respectively.

$$M = M_{2,2}(R) = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} m & 0 \\ n & k \end{pmatrix} : m, n, k \in R \right\}$$

Let

$$\Gamma = \Gamma_{2,2}(Z) = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & 0 \\ 0 & \beta \end{pmatrix} : \alpha, \beta \in Z \right\}$$

Then  $M \times \Gamma \times M \to M$  is a  $\Gamma$ -ring under usual addition and multiplication of matrices.

The  $\Gamma$ -ring M is given by

$$(A, \chi, B) = A\chi B = \begin{cases} \begin{pmatrix} m_1 \alpha m_2 & 0 \\ n_1 \alpha m_2 + k_1 \beta n_2 & k_1 \beta k_2 \end{pmatrix} : \\ \alpha, \beta \in Z, m_1, m_2, n_1, n_2, k_1, k_2 \in R \end{cases}$$

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It is easy to verify that M is semiprime  $\Gamma$ -ring. We define an additive mapping  $f: M \to M$  by

$$\begin{split} f & \begin{pmatrix} m_{1}\alpha m_{2} & 0 \\ n_{1}\alpha m_{2} + k_{1}\beta n_{2} & k_{1}\beta k_{2} \end{pmatrix} \\ = & \begin{pmatrix} m_{1}\alpha m_{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, where \, \alpha, \beta \in Z \,, \end{split}$$

 $m_1, m_2, n_1, n_2, k_1, k_2 \in R$ .

Let  $^*:M \to M$  is an involution defined by

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$$\begin{pmatrix} m_1 lpha m_2 & 0 \\ n_1 lpha m_2 + k_1 eta n_2 & k_1 eta k_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} m_1 lpha m_2 & 0 \\ 0 & k_1 eta k_2 \end{pmatrix},$$
where  $lpha$ ,  $eta \in Z$ ,
 $m_1, m_2, n_1, n_2, k_1, k_2 \in R$ .

It is easy to check that  $2f(A \xi A) = f(A)\xi A^* + A^* \xi f(A)$  for all  $A \in M$ ,  $\xi \in \Gamma$ . Then f is a Jordan \*-centralizer.

### 3 On Jordan \*-centralizers in semiprime $\Gamma$ -rings with involution

In this section we prove our result regarding Jordan \*centralizers in semiprime  $\Gamma$ -rings with involution.

**Lemma 2.1** Let M be a 2-torsion free semiprime  $\Gamma$ -ring with involution satisfying  $x \gamma y \alpha z = x \alpha y \gamma z$  and

 $f: M \to M$  an additive mapping such that

$$2f(x\beta x) = f(x)\beta x^* + x^*\beta f(x)$$
 for all  $x \in M$ ,

$$\beta \in \Gamma$$
, then  $f$  satisfies the identity  $[f(x), x^* \beta x^*]_{\gamma} = 0$ .

**Proof.** We assume that M is noncommutative (the theorem is trivial when M is commutative).

Linearizing

$$2f(x\beta x) = f(x)\beta x^* + x^*\beta f(x), \tag{1}$$

then using the last relation, we get

$$2f(x\beta y + y\beta x) = f(x)\beta y^* + x^*\beta f(y) + f(y)\beta x^* + y^*\beta f(x).$$
 (2)

Replacing y by  $2(x\gamma y + y\gamma x)$  in (2), we obtain  $4f(x\beta(x\gamma y + y\gamma x) + (x\gamma y + y\gamma x)\beta x) =$  $2f(x)\beta(y^*\gamma x^* + x^*\gamma y^*) + 2x^*\beta f(x\gamma y + y\gamma x)$  $4 f(x\beta(x\gamma y + y\gamma x) + (x\gamma y + y\gamma x)\beta x) =$  $2f(x)\beta(y^*\gamma x^* + x^*\gamma y^*) + x^*\beta f(x)\gamma y^*$  $+x^*\beta x^*\gamma f(y) + 2x^*\beta f(y)\gamma x^* + x^*\beta y^*\gamma f(x)$  $+ f(x)\gamma y^*\beta x^* + f(y)\gamma x^*\beta x^*$  $= \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \alpha m_2 + k_1 \beta n_2 & k_1 \beta k_2 \end{pmatrix} + y^* \gamma f(x) \beta x^* + 2(y^* \gamma x^* + x^* \gamma y^*) \beta f(x).$   $= \begin{pmatrix} m_1 \alpha m_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, where \alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{Z}, \quad \begin{aligned} &+ y^* \gamma f(x) \beta x^* + 2(y^* \gamma x^* + x^* \gamma y^*) \beta f(x). \\ &+ f(x \beta (x \gamma y + y \gamma x) + (x \gamma y + y \gamma x) \beta x) = 0 \end{aligned}$ That is,  $4 f(x \beta (x \gamma y + y \gamma x) + (x \gamma y + y \gamma x) \beta x) = 0$  $f(x)\beta(2x^*\gamma y^* + 3y^*\gamma x^*)$  $+(3x^*\gamma y^* + 2y^*\gamma x^*)\beta f(x) + x^*\beta f(x)\gamma y^*$  $+y^* \gamma f(x) \beta x^* + 2x^* \beta f(y) \gamma x^* + x^* \beta x^* \gamma f(y)$  $+ f(y) \gamma x^* \beta x^*$ . (3)

which along with (1) and (2) gives

$$4f(x\beta(x\gamma y + y\gamma x) + (x\gamma y + y\gamma x)\beta x) = f(x)\beta x^*\gamma y^*$$
  
+  $y^*\gamma x^*\beta f(x) + x^*\beta f(x)\gamma y^* + y^*\gamma f(x)\beta x^*$ 

$$+2x^*\beta x^*\gamma f(y) + 2f(y)\gamma x^*\beta x^* + 8f(x\gamma y\beta x). \tag{4}$$

Comparing (3) and (4), we get

$$8f(x\gamma y\beta x) = f(x)\beta(x^*\gamma y^* + 3y^*\gamma x^*) + (3x^*\gamma y^* + y^*\gamma x^*)\beta f(x) + 2x^*\beta f(y)\gamma x^* - x^*\beta x^*\gamma f(y) - f(y)\gamma x^*\beta x^*.$$
 (5)

Replacing y by  $8(xyy\beta x)$  in (2), we get  $f(x)\beta(x^*\gamma y^*\beta x^* - 2y^*\gamma x^*\beta x^* - 2x^*\beta x^*\gamma y^*)\beta x^* +$  $16f(x\beta(x\gamma y\beta x) + (x\gamma y\beta x)\beta x) = 8f(x)\beta(x^*\gamma y^*\beta x^*) (x^*\gamma y^*\beta x^* - 2x^*\beta x^*\gamma y^* - 2y^*\gamma x^*\beta x^*)\beta f(x)\beta x^*$  $+8x^*\beta f(x\gamma y\beta x) + 8f(x\gamma y\beta x)\beta x^*$  $+x^*\beta f(x)\beta(x^*\gamma y^* + y^*\gamma x^*)\beta x^*$  $+8(x^*\gamma y^*\beta x^*)\beta f(x).$  $+(x^*\gamma y^* + y^*\gamma x^*)\beta f(x)(\beta x^*)^2 + (x^*\beta)^2 f(x)\gamma y^*\beta x^*$ Using (5), from the last relation we get  $+ y^* \gamma f(x) (\beta x^*)^3 = 0.$ (10) $16f(x\beta(x\gamma y\beta x) + (x\gamma y\beta x)\beta x) = f(x)\beta(9x^*\gamma y^*\beta x^* + 3y^*\gamma x^*\beta x^*)$ Subtracting (10) from (9), we have  $+(9x^*\gamma y^*\beta x^* + 3x^*\beta x^*\gamma y^*)\beta f(x) + x^*\beta f(x)\beta(x^*\gamma y^* + 3y^*\gamma x^*)$  $x^* \beta y^* \beta x^* \beta [x^*, f(x)]_{y} + x^* \beta y^* \beta [x^*, f(x)]_{y} \beta x^*$  $+(3x^*\gamma y^* + y^*\gamma x^*)\beta f(x)\beta x^* + (x^*\beta)^2 f(y)\gamma x^*$  $+2(x^*\beta)^2y^*\beta[f(x),x^*]_x + 2y^*\beta(x^*\beta)^2[f(x),x^*]_x$  $+x^* \gamma f(y)(\beta x^*)^2 - f(y)\gamma x^* (\beta x^*)^2 - (x^* \beta)^2 x^* \gamma f(y),$ (6) $+y^*\beta x^*\beta [x^*, f(x)]_y \beta x^* + y^*\beta [x^*, f(x)]_y (\beta x^*)^2 = 0.$ which along with (5) gives That is.  $16f(x\beta(x\gamma y\beta x) + (x\gamma y\beta x)\beta x) =$  $x^* \beta y^* \beta [x^* \beta x^*, f(x)]_{\gamma} + 2(x^* \beta)^2 y^* \beta [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma}$  $2[8f(x\gamma(x\beta y)\beta x)] + 2[8f(x)\gamma(y\beta x)\beta x]$  $+2y^*\beta(x^*\beta)^2[f(x),x^*]_y + y^*\beta x^*\beta[x^*,f(x)]_y\beta x^*$  $= f(x)\beta(2x^*\beta x^*\gamma y^* + 6y^*\gamma x^*\beta x^*)$  $+y^*\beta[x^*, f(x)]_x(\beta x^*)^2 = 0.$  $+8x^*\gamma y^*\beta x^*)+(6x^*\beta x^*\gamma y^*+2y^*\gamma x^*\beta x^*)$ Replacing  $y^*$  by  $f(x)y^*$  in the last relation, we get  $+8x^*\gamma y^*\beta x^*\beta f(x) + 4x^*\beta f(x\beta y + y\beta x)\gamma x^*$  $-2x^{*}\beta x^{*}\gamma f(x\beta y+y\beta x)-2f(x\beta y+y\beta x)\gamma x^{*}\beta x^{*}.x^{*}\beta f(x)\gamma y^{*}\beta [x^{*}\beta x^{*},f(x)]_{\nu}+2(x^{*}\beta)^{2}f(x)\gamma y^{*}\beta [x^{*}\beta x^{*}\beta x^{*}\beta$ Using (2), from the last relation we get  $\beta[f(x), x^*]_x + 2f(x)\gamma y^* \beta(x^* \beta)^2 [f(x), x^*]_x$  $16f(x\beta(x\gamma y\beta x) + (x\gamma y\beta x)\beta x) =$  $+f(x)\gamma y^*\beta x^*\beta [x^*,f(x)]_x\beta x^* +$  $f(x)\beta(2x^*\beta x^*\gamma y^* + 5y^*\gamma x^*\beta x^* + 8x^*\gamma y^*\beta x^*)$  $f(x)\gamma y^*\beta[x^*, f(x)]_x(\beta x^*)^2 = 0.$ (12) $+(2y^*\gamma x^*\beta x^* + 5x^*\beta x^*\gamma y^* + 8x^*\gamma y^*\beta x^*)\beta f(x)$ Equation (11) along with (\*) implies  $+2x^*\beta f(x)\gamma y^*\beta x^* + 2x^*\beta y^*\gamma f(x)\beta x^*$  $f(x)\gamma x^* \beta y^* \beta [x^* \beta x^*, f(x)]_{x} + 2f(x)\gamma (x^* \beta)^2 y^*$  $+(x^*\beta)^2 f(y)\gamma x^* + x^*\gamma f(y)(\beta x^*)^2$  $\beta[f(x), x^*]_{x} + 2f(x)\gamma y^* \beta(x^* \beta)^2 [f(x), x^*]_{x}$  $-(x^*\beta)^2 f(x)\gamma y^* - y^*\gamma f(x)(\beta x^*)^2$  $-(x^*\beta)^2 x^* \gamma f(y) - f(y) \gamma x^* (\beta x^*)^2$ .  $+f(x)\gamma y^*\beta x^*\beta [x^*,f(x)]_{\gamma}\beta x^*$ (7)Comparing (6) and (7), we get  $+f(x)\gamma y^*\beta[x^*,f(x)]_{x}(\beta x^*)^2=0.$ (13) $f(x)\beta(x^*\gamma y^*\beta x^* - 2y^*\gamma x^*\beta x^* - 2x^*\beta x^*\gamma y^*)$ Subtracting (13) from (12) we get  $+(x^*y^*\beta x^*-2x^*\beta x^*y^*-2y^*\gamma x^*\beta x^*)\beta f(x)$  $[f(x), x^*]_{\beta} \gamma y^* \beta [f(x), x^* \beta x^*]_{\gamma}$  $+x^*\beta f(x)\beta(x^*\gamma y^* + y^*\gamma x^*) + (x^*\gamma y^* + y^*\gamma x^*)\beta f(x)\beta x^{-1}$  $[-2[f(x), x^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma}\beta y^*\gamma [f(x), x^*]_{\beta} = 0.$  $+(x^*\beta)^2 f(x)\gamma y^* + y^*\gamma f(x)(\beta x^*)^2 = 0.$ Replacing by y. Let  $a = [f(x), x^*]_a$ , Replacing y by  $x\beta$  y in the last relation, we get  $f(x)\beta(x^*\gamma y^*(\beta x^*)^2 - 2y^*\gamma x^*(\beta x^*)^2 - 2(x^*\beta)^2 y^*\gamma x^*) \quad b = [f(x), x^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma} \text{ and } c = -2[f(x), x^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma}.$  $+(x^*\gamma y^*(\beta x^*)^2 - 2(x^*\beta)^2 y^*\gamma x^* - 2y^*\gamma x^*(\beta x^*)^2)\beta f(x)^{\text{Then equation (14) becomes}}$  $a\gamma y\beta b + c\beta \gamma \gamma a = 0$  $+x^*\beta f(x)\beta(x^*\beta y^*\gamma x^* + y^*\gamma x^*\beta x^*) + (x^*\beta)^2 f(x)\beta y^*\gamma x^*$ for all  $y \in M$ ,  $\beta, \gamma \in \Gamma$ . (15) $+(x^*\beta y^*\gamma x^* + y^*\gamma x^*\beta x^*)\beta f(x)\beta x^*$ Let  $z \in M$ . Replacing y by  $y \gamma a \beta z$  in the last relation  $+y^* \gamma x^* \beta f(x) (\beta x^*)^2 = 0.$ (9) $a\gamma y\gamma a\beta z\beta b + c\beta y\gamma a\beta z\gamma a = 0$ Equation (8) along with (\*) implies for all  $y,z \in M$ ,  $\beta, \gamma \in \Gamma$ . (16) Equation (15) along with (\*) implies

$$a\gamma y\beta a\gamma z\beta b + a\gamma y\beta c\beta z\gamma a = 0$$

for all 
$$y \in M$$
,  $\beta, \gamma \in \Gamma$ . (17)

Subtracting (16) from (17) we obtain

$$(a\gamma y\beta c - c\beta y\gamma a)\beta z\gamma a = 0$$

for all 
$$y, z \in M$$
,  $\beta, \gamma \in \Gamma$ . (18)

Replacing z by  $z \gamma c \beta y$  in the last relation we get

$$(a\gamma y\beta c - c\beta y\gamma a)\beta z\gamma c\beta y\gamma a = 0. \tag{19}$$

Equation (18) along with (\*) gives

$$(a\gamma y\beta c - c\beta y\gamma a)\beta z\gamma a\gamma y\beta c = 0. \tag{20}$$

Subtracting (19) from (20) we obtain

$$(a\gamma y\beta c - c\beta y\gamma a)\beta z\gamma (a\gamma y\beta c - c\beta y\gamma a) = 0,$$
 (21)

which along with semiprimeness of M implies

$$a\gamma y\beta c = c\beta y\gamma a$$

Using (22), from (15) we get  $a\gamma y\beta(b+c) =$ 0.

In other words

$$[f(x), x^*]_{\beta} \gamma y \beta [f(x), x^* \beta x^*]_{\gamma} = 0.$$
 (23)

gives  $([f(x), x^*]_{\beta} \gamma x^* + x^* \gamma [f(x), x^*]_{\beta}) \gamma y \beta [f(x), x^* \beta x^*]_{\gamma} = (x^* \beta)^2 [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} + [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} (\beta x^*)^2$ Which implies

$$[f(x), x^* \gamma x^*]_{\beta} \gamma y \beta [f(x), x^* \beta x^*]_{\beta} = 0.$$

That is,

$$[f(x), x^*\beta x^*]_{\nu} \gamma y \beta [f(x), x^*\beta x^*]_{\nu} = 0.$$

Semiprimeness of M implies

$$[f(x), x^* \beta x^*]_{v} = 0$$
 (24)

**Theorem 2.2** Let M be a 2-torsion free semiprime  $\Gamma$ ring with involution satisfying  $xyy\alpha z = x\alpha yyz$ .

and  $f: M \rightarrow M$  an additive mapping such that

$$2f(x\beta x) = f(x)\beta x^* + x^*\beta f(x)$$

for all  $x \in M$ ,  $\beta \in \Gamma$ , then f is a Jordan

**Proof.** By Lemma 2.1, linearizing (24), we get  $[f(x), y^*\beta y^*]_{\gamma} + [f(y), x^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma} + [f(x), x^*\beta y^* + y^*\beta x^*]_{x}^{\text{From (28) and then using (30) we attain}}$ 

$$+[f(y), x^*\beta y^* + y^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma} = 0.$$

Replacing x by -x in the last relation and comparing the relation so obtained with the last relation alongwith 2torsionfreeness of M, we get

$$[f(x), x^* \beta y^* + y^* \beta x^*]_{\gamma} + [f(y), x^* \beta x^*]_{\gamma} = 0$$
 (25)

Replacing y by  $2(y\beta x + x\beta y)$  in the last relation and then using (2) and (24), we get

$$0 = 2[f(x), (x^*\beta)^2 y^* + y^*(\beta x^*)^2 + 2x^*\beta y^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma}$$

$$+[f(y)\beta x^* + y^*\beta f(x) + f(x)\beta y^* + x^*\beta f(y), x^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma}$$

$$= 2(x^*\beta)^2 [f(x), y^*]_{\gamma} + 2[f(x), y^*]_{\gamma} (\beta x^*)^2$$

$$+4[f(x), x^*\beta y^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma} + f(x)\beta [y^*, x^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma}$$

$$+x^*\beta [f(y), x^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma} + [f(y), x^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma} \beta x^*$$

$$+[y^*, x^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma} \beta f(x).$$
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$$2(x^*\beta)^2 [f(x), y^*]_{\gamma} + 2[f(x), y^*]_{\gamma} (\beta x^*)^2$$

$$+4[f(x), x^*\beta y^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma} + f(x)\beta [y^*, x^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma}$$

$$+x^*\beta [f(y), x^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma} + [f(y), x^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma} \beta x^*$$

$$+[y^*, x^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma} \beta f(x) = 0$$
(26)

Replacing y by x in the last relation and using 2torsion freeness of M, we obtain

$$= 6x^* \beta)^2 [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} + [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} (\beta x^*)^2 + 2[f(x), (x^* \beta)^2 x^*]_{\gamma} = 0,$$

which gives

$$(x^*\beta)^2 [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} + 3[f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} (\beta x^*)^2 = 0$$
 (27)

From (24) we get

$$[f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} \beta x^* + x^* \beta [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} = 0$$
 (28)

From the last relation by easy calculations one gets  $(x^*\beta)^2 [f(x), x^*]_{\nu} = [f(x), x^*]_{\nu} (\beta x^*)^2$ . Using the last relation, from (27) along with 2-torsion freeness of M, we get

$$[f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} (\beta x^*)^2 = 0$$
 (29)

$$(x^*\beta)^2 [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} = 0$$
 (30)

$$\int_{x}^{x} \beta[f(x), x^{*}]_{\gamma} \beta x^{*} = 0$$
 (31)

Using (25), from (26) we have

<sup>\* -</sup>centralizer.

$$0 = 2(x^*\beta)^2 [f(x), y^*]_{\gamma} + 2[f(x), y^*]_{\gamma} (\beta x^*)^2$$

$$+4[f(x), x^*\beta y^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma} + f(x)\beta [y^*, x^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma}$$

$$+[y^*, x^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma} \beta f(x) - x^*\beta [f(x), x^*\beta y^* + y^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma}$$

$$-[f(x), x^*\beta y^* + y^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma} \beta x^*$$

$$= 2(x^*\beta)^2 [f(x), y^*]_{\gamma} + 2[f(x), y^*]_{\gamma} (\beta x^*)^2$$

$$+4[f(x), x^*\beta y^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma} + f(x)\beta [y^*, x^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma}$$

$$+[y^*, x^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma} \beta f(x) - x^*\beta [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} \beta y^*$$

$$-(x^*\beta)^2 [f(x), y^*]_{\gamma} - x^*\beta [f(x), y^*]_{\gamma}$$

$$-x^*\beta y^*\beta [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} - [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} \beta y^*\beta x^*$$

$$-x^*\beta [f(x), y^*]_{\gamma} \beta x^* - [f(x), y^*]_{\gamma} (\beta x^*)^2$$

$$-y^*\beta [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} \beta x^*.$$
That is,
$$(x^*\beta)^2 [f(x), y^*] + [f(x), y^*] (\beta x^*)^2$$

$$(x^*\beta)^2 [f(x), y^*]_{\gamma} + [f(x), y^*]_{\gamma} (\beta x^*)^2$$

$$+3[f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} \beta y^* \beta x^* + 3x^* \beta y^* \beta [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma}$$

$$+2x^* \beta [f(x), y^*]_{\gamma} \beta x^* + f(x) \beta [y^*, x^* \beta x^*]_{\gamma}$$

$$+[y^*, x^* \beta x^*]_{\gamma} \beta f(x) - x^* \beta [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} \beta y^*$$

$$-y^* \beta [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} \beta x^* = 0$$
(32)

Replacing y by  $x\beta$  y in the last relation we obtain  $(x^*\beta)^2[f(x), y^*]_y \beta x^* + (x^*\beta)^2 y^* \beta [f(x), x^*]_y$  $+[f(x), y^*]_{x} \beta(x^*\beta)^2 x^* + y^*\beta[f(x), x^*]_{x} (\beta x^*)^2$  $+3[f(x), x^*]_{y}\beta y^*(\beta x^*)^2 + 3x^*\beta y^*\beta x^*\beta [f(x), x^*]_{y}$  $+2x^*\beta[f(x), y^*]_{\alpha}(\beta x^*)^2 + 2x^*\beta y^*\beta[f(x), x^*]_{\alpha}\beta x^*$  $-x^*\beta[f(x),x^*]_y\beta y^*\beta x^* + f(x)\beta[y^*,x^*\beta x^*]_y\beta x^*$  $+[y^*, x^*\beta x^*]_{x}\beta x^*\beta f(x) - y^*\beta x^*\beta [f(x), x^*]_{x}\beta x^* = 0.$ Using (29) and (30), the last relation reduces to

$$(x^*\beta)^2 [f(x), y^*]_{\gamma} \beta x^* + (x^*\beta)^2 y^* \beta [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma}$$

$$+ [f(x), y^*]_{\gamma} \beta (x^*\beta)^2 x^* + 3 [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} \beta y^* (\beta x^*)^2$$

$$+ 3x^*\beta y^*\beta x^*\beta [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} + 2x^*\beta [f(x), y^*]_{\gamma} (\beta x^*)^2$$

$$+ 2x^*\beta y^*\beta [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} \beta x^* - x^*\beta [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} \beta y^* \beta x^*$$

$$+ f(x)\beta [y^*, x^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma} \beta x^* + [y^*, x^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma} \beta x^* \beta f(x) =$$

Equation (32) along with (\*) implies

$$(x^*\beta)^2 [f(x), y^*]_{\gamma} \beta x^* + [f(x), y^*]_{\gamma} (\beta x^*)^3$$

$$+3[f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} \beta y^* (\beta x^*)^2 + 3x^* \beta y^* \beta [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} \beta x^*$$

$$+2x^* \beta [f(x), y^*]_{\gamma} (\beta x^*)^2 + f(x) \beta [y^*, x^* \beta x^*]_{\gamma} \beta x^*$$

$$+[y^*, x^* \beta x^*]_{\gamma} \beta f(x) \beta x^* - x^* \beta [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} \beta y^* \beta x^*$$

$$-y^* \beta [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} (\beta x^*)^2 = 0 \qquad (34)$$
Subtracting (34) from (33), we have 
$$(x^*\beta)^2 y^* \beta [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} + 3x^* \beta y^* \beta x^* \beta [x^*, [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma}]_{\gamma}$$

$$+2x^* \beta y^* \beta [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} \beta x^* + [y^*, x^* \beta x^*]_{\gamma} \beta [x^*, f(x)]_{\gamma} = 0,$$
which along with (30) gives
$$2(x^*\beta)^2 y^* \beta [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} + 3x^* \beta y^* \beta x^* \beta [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma}$$
Re
$$-x^* \beta y^* \beta [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} \beta x^* \text{ by } x^* \beta [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} \text{ in the last}$$

relation, we obtain  $(x^*\beta)^2 y^*\beta [f(x), x^*]_y + 2x^*\beta y^*\beta x^*\beta [f(x), x^*]_y = 0$ (35)

$$(x^*\beta)^2 y^*\beta [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} + 2x^*\beta y^*\beta x^*\beta [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} = 0 (35)$$

Using (24), (29), (30) and (31), from (11) we get  $(x^*\beta)^2 y^*\beta [f(x), x^*]_x = 0,$ 

which along with (35), gives  $x^* \beta y^* \beta x^* \beta [f(x), x^*]_{x} = 0$ . That is,

$$x^*\beta[f(x), x^*]_{\gamma}\gamma y^*\beta x^*\beta[f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} = 0.$$

Replacing  $y^*$  by y alongwith semiprimeness of M, we

$$x^* \beta [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} = 0$$
 (36)  
Similarly, we have

$$[f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} \beta x^* = 0$$
 (37)

Linearizing (36) and then replacing x by -x and adding the relation so obtained in the previous relation and then using 2-torsion freeness of M, we get

$$y^*\beta[f(x),x^*]_{\gamma} + x^*\beta[f(x),y^*]_{\gamma} + x^*\beta[f(y),x^*]_{\gamma} = 0$$
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he last relation alongwith (37) and (\*), implies

$$[f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} \beta y^* \gamma [f(x), x^*]_{\gamma} = 0.$$

Replacing  $y^*$  by y alongwith semiprimeness of M, we get

$$[f(x), x^*]_{\nu} = 0$$
 (38)

Combining (1) and (38), we get  $f(x\beta x) = f(x)\beta x^*$  and  $+f(x)\beta[y^*,x^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma}\beta x^* + [y^*,x^*\beta x^*]_{\gamma}\beta x^*\beta f(x) = 0.$  (33) f is both a left and a right Jordan \*-centralizer. Hence fis a Jordan \*-centralizer.

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