# Left Semi derivations in Prime near-rings 

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#### Abstract

: Let $N$ be a 2-torsion free prime near-ring.If $N$ admits a non zero left semi derivation d with g such that $(\mathrm{i}) d[x, y]=0$ (ii) $d[x, y]=[x, y]$ (iii) $d[x, y]=-[x, y]$ (iv) $d(x o y)=(x$ oy) (v) $d(x$ o $y)=-(x o y)(v i) d[x, y] \in Z(N)(v i i)[d(x), y] \epsilon Z(N) \quad$ (viii) $d(x) o y=x o y$ (ix) $d(x \circ y) \in Z(N)(x) d(x)$ o $y \in Z(N)(x i) d(x o y)=[x, y]$ (xii) $d[x, y]=(x o y)$, for all $x, y \in N$, then $N$ is a commutative ring.


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## 1. Introduction

In this paper $N$ will denote a zero symmetric right near -ring (i.e., a right near ring $N$ satisfying the property $x .0=0$ for all $x \in N$ ). Note that right distributivity in $N$ gives $0 . x=0$ for all $x \in N$. For any $x, y \in N$ the symbol $[x, y]$ will denote the commutator $x y-y x$. While the symbol $x$ o $y$ will stands for the anti-commutator $x y+y x$. The symbol $Z(N)$ will represent the multiplicative center of $N$, that is $Z(N)=\{x \in N / x y=y x$ for all $y \in N\}$. An additive mapping $d: N \rightarrow N$ is said to be a derivation if $d(x y)=x d(y)+d(x) y$ for all $x, y \in N$, or equivalently, as noted in ${ }^{[17]}$ that $d(x y)=d(x) y+x d(y)$ for all $x, y \in N$. An additive mapping $d: N \rightarrow N$ is said to be a left derivation if $d(x y)=x d(y)+y d(x)$ for all $x, y \in N$.

In ${ }^{[2]}$ J.Bergen has introduced the notion of semiderivations of a ring $R$ which extends the notion of derivations of a ring $R$. An additive mapping $d: R \rightarrow R$ is called a semiderivation if there exists a function $g: R \rightarrow R$ such that (i) $d(x y)=d(x) g(y)+x d(y)=$ $d(x) y+g(x) d(y)$ and (ii) $d(g(x))=g(d(x))$ holds for all $x, y \in R$. In case $g$ is an identity map of $R$ then all semiderivations associated with $g$ are merely ordinary derivations. On the other hand, if $g$ is a homomorphism of $R$ such that $g \neq 1$ then $d=g-1$ is a semiderivation which is not a derivation. In case $R$ is a Prime and $d \neq 0$, it has been shown by Chang ${ }^{[3]}$ that g must necessarily be a ring endomorphism.

An additive mapping $d: N \rightarrow N$ is called a semiderivation if there exists a surjective function $g: N \rightarrow N$ such that (i) $d(x y)=d(x) g(y)+x d(y)=d(x) y+g(x) d(y)$ and (ii) $d(g(x))$ $=g(d(x))$ holds for all $x, y \in N$ An additive mapping $d: N \rightarrow N$ is called a left semiderivation
if there exists a surjective function $g: N \rightarrow N$ such that (i) $d(x y)=x d(y)+g(y) d(x)=$ $g(x) d(y)+y d(x)$ and (ii) $d(g(x))=g(d(x))$ holds for all $x, y \in N$.

According to ${ }^{[10]}$, a near-ring $N$ is said to be prime if $x N y=\{0\}$ for all $x, y \in N$ implies $x=0$ or $y=0$. Recently there has been a great deal of wok concerning commutativity of prime and semi-prime rings with derivations satisfying certain differential identities (see[4,9,11,16] for reference where further references can be found). In view of these results many authors have investigated commutativity of prime near-rings satisfying certain polynomial conditions(see $\left.{ }^{[5-8,} 10-15,17\right]$, etc.). In ${ }^{[1]}$ authors investigated on Semiderivations and commutativity in prime rings. In the present paper it is shown that near-rings with left semiderivations satisfying certain identities are commutative rings.

## 2. Main result

Lemma 1:- Let $N$ be a 2-torsion free prime near-ring, and $d$ a non zero left semi derivation with $g$ of $N$ and $a \in N$. If $\operatorname{ad}(N)=0$, then $a=0$.
Proof:
Suppose that $\operatorname{ad}(N)=0$.
For arbitrary $x, y \in N$ we have

$$
\begin{gathered}
a d(x y)=0 \\
a x d(y)+a g(y) d(x)=0
\end{gathered}
$$

Replace $y$ by $x$ in the above equation and $g$ is on to we get

$$
2 \operatorname{axd}(x)=0
$$

Since $N$ is a 2-torsion free near -ring, we get

$$
\operatorname{axd}(x)=0 \quad \text { for all } x, y \in N
$$

Since $N$ is prime near ring and $d \neq 0$, we get $a=0$.
Lemma 2:- Let $N$ be a 2-torsion free prime near-ring, and $d$ a non zero left semiderivation with $g$ of $N$. If $d^{2}=0$, then $d=0$.

## Proof:

For arbitrary $x, y \in N$ we have

$$
d^{2}(x y)=0
$$

$$
d(d(x y))=0
$$

$$
d(x d(y)+g(y) d(x))=0
$$

$$
x d^{2}(y)+g(d(y)) d(x)+g(y) d^{2}(x)+g(d(x)) d(g(y))=0 \text { for all } x, y \in N
$$

By hypothesis,

$$
\begin{gathered}
g(d(y)) d(x)+g(d(x)) d(g(y))=0 \\
\text { and } g \text { is on to we have } \\
d(y) d(x)+d(x) d(y)=0
\end{gathered}
$$

Replace $y$ by $x$ in the above equation
$2 d(x) d(x)=0, \quad$ for all $x, y \in N$

Since $N$ is a2-torsion free prime near-ring, we get

$$
d(x) d(N)=0, \text { for all } x \in N
$$

Using Lemma 1 we get $d=0$.

Lemma 3:- Let $N$ be a prime near-ring, and $d$ a non zero left semi derivation with $g$ of $N$. If $d(N) \subset Z(N)$, then $(N,+)$ is Abelian. Moreover, if $N$ is 2-torsion free, then $N$ is commutative ring.

## Proof:

Suppose that $a \in N$ such that $d(a) \neq 0$, So , $d(a) \in Z(N) \backslash\{0\}$ and $d(a)+d(a) \in Z(N) \backslash\{0\}$.
For all $x, y \in N$, we have

$$
(d(a)+d(a))(x+y)=(x+y)(d(a)+d(a))
$$

That is,

$$
\begin{gathered}
d(a) x+d(a) x+d(a) y+d(a) y=x d(a)+y d(a)+x d(a)+y d(a) \\
\text { Since } d(a) \in Z(N), \text { we get } \\
x d(a)+y d(a)=y d(a)+x d(a) \\
(x, y) d(a)=0 \text { for all } x, y \in N
\end{gathered}
$$

Since $d(a) \in Z(N) \backslash\{0\}$ and $N$ is a prime near-ring, we get $(x, y)=0$, for all $x, y \in N$ Thus $(N,+)$ is Abelian.

Now using hypothesis, for any $a, b, c \in N$,

$$
\begin{aligned}
c d(a b) & =d(a b) c \\
c a d(b)+c g(b) d(a) & =a d(b) c+g(b) d(a) c
\end{aligned}
$$

Using $d(N) \subset Z(N)$ and $(N,+)$ is Abelian, we obtain that

$$
\begin{aligned}
c a d(b) & +c g(b) d(a)=a c d(b)+g(b) c d(a) \\
{[c, a] d(b) } & =[g(b), c] d(a) \quad \text { for all } a, b, c \in N
\end{aligned}
$$

Suppose now that $N$ is not commutative. Choosing $b, c \in N$ such that $[g(b), c] \neq 0$ and replacing $a$ by $d(a) \in Z(N)$, we get

$$
[g(b), c] d^{2}(a)=0 \text { for all } a, b, c \in N
$$

Since $g$ is on to we have

$$
[b, c] d^{2}(a)=0 \text { for all } a, b, c \in N
$$

$d^{2}(a) \in Z(N)$, we conclude that $d^{2}(a)=0$, for all $a \in N$, and so $d=0$ by lemma 2 .

Theorem 1: Let $N$ be a 2-torsion free prime near-ring.If $N$ admits a non zero left semi derivation $d$ with $g$ such that $d[x, y]=0$, for all $x, y \in N$, then $N$ is a commutative ring.

## Proof:

Suppose $d[x, y]=0$ for all $x, y \in N$
Replace $y$ by $y x$ in (1), weget

$$
\begin{gather*}
d[x, y x]=0 \\
d([x, y] x)=0 \\
{[x, y] d(x)+g(x) d[x, y]=0} \tag{2}
\end{gather*}
$$

Using (1) implies $[x, y] d(x)=0$ for all $x, y \in N$
Replace $y$ by $y t$ in (2), we get
$[x, y t] d(x)=0$ for all $x, t \in N$
$y[x, t] d(x)+[x, y] t d(x)=0$ for all $x, y, t \in N$
Using (2) implies $[x, y] t d(x)=0 \quad$ for all $x, y, t \in N$

$$
\begin{equation*}
[x, y] N d(x)=0 \quad \text { for all } x, y \in N \tag{3}
\end{equation*}
$$

Since $N$ is prime near-ring equation (3) reduces to

$$
\begin{equation*}
[x, y]=0 \text { or } d(x)=0 \text { for all } x, y \in N \tag{4}
\end{equation*}
$$

From equation (4) it follows that for each fixed $x \in N$ we have

$$
\begin{equation*}
d(x)=0 \text { or } x \in Z(N) \tag{5}
\end{equation*}
$$

But $x \in Z(N)$ also implies that $d(x) \in Z(N)$ for all $x \in N$
In light of $(6), d(N) \subset Z(N)$ and using lemma 3
We conclude that $N$ is a commutative ring.

Theorem 2 :- Let $N$ be a 2-torsion free prime near-ring.If $N$ admits a non zero left semi derivation $d$ with $g$ such that

$$
\begin{gathered}
d[x, y]=[x, y], \text { for all } x, y \in N \\
d[x, y]=-[x, y], \text { for all } x, y \in N, \text { then } N \text { is a commutative ring. }
\end{gathered}
$$

(i) By hypothesis $d[x, y]=[x, y]$ for all $x, y \in N$

Replace $x$ by $y x$ in (7)

$$
d[y x, y]=[y x, y]
$$

$$
d(y[x, y])=y[x, y]
$$

$$
y d[x, y]+g[x, y] d(y)=y[x, y]
$$

Using (7) in the above equation, we get

$$
\begin{equation*}
g[x, y] d(y)=0 \tag{8}
\end{equation*}
$$

Since $g$ is on to we have $[x, y] d(y)=0 \quad$ for all $x, y \in N$
Replace $x$ by $x t$ in (8), we get

$$
[x t, y] d(y)=0 \quad \text { for all } x, t \in N
$$

$$
x[t, y] d(y)+[x, y] t d(y)=0 \text { for all } x, y, t \in N
$$

Using ( 8 ) implies $[x, y] t d(y)=0$ for all $x, y, t \in N$

$$
\begin{equation*}
[x, y] N d(y)=0 \quad \text { for all } x, y \in N \tag{9}
\end{equation*}
$$

Since $N$ is prime near-ring equation (9) reduces to

$$
\begin{equation*}
[x, y]=0 \text { or } d(y)=0 \text { for all } x, y \in N \tag{10}
\end{equation*}
$$

From equation (10) it follows that for each fixed $y \in N$ we have

$$
\begin{equation*}
d(y)=0 \text { or } y \in Z(N) \tag{11}
\end{equation*}
$$

But $y \in Z(N)$ also implies that $d(y) \in Z(N)$ for all $y \in N$
In light of (12), $d(N) \subset Z(N)$ and using lemma 3
We conclude that $N$ is a commutative ring.
(ii) By hypothesis $d[x, y]=-[x, y] \quad$ for all $x, y \in N$

Replace $x$ by $y x$ in (13)

$$
\begin{gathered}
d[y x, y]=-[y x, y] \\
d(y[x, y])=-y[x, y] \\
y d[x, y]+g[x, y] d(y)=-y[x, y]
\end{gathered}
$$

Using ( 13 ) in the above equation, we get

$$
\begin{equation*}
g\{x, y] d(y)=0 \tag{14}
\end{equation*}
$$

Since $g$ is on to we have $[x, y] d(y)=0 \quad$ for all $x, y \in N$
The rest of the proof is as in the proof of theorem 2(i).

Theorem 3: Let $N$ be a 2-torsion free prime near-ring.If $N$ admits a non zero left semi derivation $d$ with $g$ such that

$$
\begin{gathered}
d(x \circ y)=(x \circ y) \text {, for all } x, y \in N \\
d(x \circ y)=-(x \circ y) \text {, for all } x, y \in N \text {, then } N \text { is a commutative ring. }
\end{gathered}
$$

## Proof:

$$
\begin{gathered}
\text { (i) By hypothesis } d(x \circ y)=(x \circ y) \text {, for all } x, y \in N \\
\text { Replace } y \text { by } x y \text { in }(15) \\
d(x \circ x y)=(x \circ x y) \\
d(x(x \circ y))=x(x \circ y) \\
x d(x \circ y)+g(x \circ y) d(x)=x(x \circ y)
\end{gathered}
$$

Using ( 15 ) in the above equation, we get

$$
g(x \circ y) d(x)=0 \text { for all } x, y \in N
$$

$$
\begin{equation*}
g(x y) d(x)=-g(y x) d(x) \tag{16}
\end{equation*}
$$

Replace $y$ by $y z$ in (16)

$$
\begin{gather*}
g(x y z) d(x)=-g(y z x) d(x) \text { for all } x, y, z \in N \\
=-g(y) g(z x) d(x \\
=-g(y)(-g(x z) d(x)) \\
=g(y x z) d(x) \\
g(x y-y x) g(z) d(x)=0 \\
g[x, y] g(z) d(x)=0 \text { for all } x, y, z \in N \\
g[x, y] N d(x)=0 \text { for all } x, y \in N \tag{17}
\end{gather*}
$$

Since $g$ is on to we have, $[x, y] N d(x)=0$ for all $x, y \in N$
Since $N$ is prime , equation (17) yields,

$$
\begin{equation*}
d(x)=0 \text { or }[x, y]=0 \text { for all } x, y \in N \tag{18}
\end{equation*}
$$

from ( 18 ) it follows that for each fixed $x \in N$ we have

$$
\begin{equation*}
d(x)=0 \text { or } x \in Z(N) \tag{19}
\end{equation*}
$$

But $x \in Z(N)$ also implies that $d(x) \in Z(N)$ for all $x \in N$
In light of (20), $d(N) \subset Z(N)$ and using lemma 3
We conclude that $N$ is a commutative ring.
(ii) By hypothesis $d(x \circ y)=-(x \circ y)$, for all $x, y \in N$

Replace $y$ by $x y$ in (15)

$$
\begin{gathered}
d(x \circ x y)=-(x \circ x y) \\
d(x(x o y))=-x(x o y) \\
x d(x o y)+g(x o y) d(x)=-x(x o y)
\end{gathered}
$$

Using (21) in the above equation, we get

$$
g(x \text { o } y) d(x)=0 \text { for all } x, y \in N
$$

The rest of the proof is as in the proof of theorem 3(i).

Theorem 4: Let $N$ be a 2-torsion free prime near-ring which admits a non zero left semi derivation $d$ with $g$ such that $d[x, y] \epsilon Z(N)$, for all $x, y \in N$, then either $d(Z(N))=0$ or $N$ is a commutative ring.

## Proof:

$$
\begin{equation*}
\text { Given that } d[x, y] \in Z(N) \text { for all } x, y \in N \tag{22}
\end{equation*}
$$

(a) If $Z(N)=\{0\}$, it follows that $d[x, y]=0$, for all $x, y \in N$

By Theorem 1 we conclude that $N$ is a commutative ring.
(b) If $Z(N) \neq\{0\}$, replace $y$ by $y z$ in (22), where $z \in Z(N)$ weget $d[x, y z] \in Z(N)$, for all $x, y \in N, z \in Z(N)$

$$
d([x, y] z)+d(y[x, z]) \in Z(N),
$$

Since $z \in Z(N)$ implies $d([x, y] z) \in Z(N)$

$$
\begin{equation*}
[x, y] d(z)+g(z) d[x, y] \in Z(N) \text {, for all } x, y \in N, z \in Z(N) \tag{23}
\end{equation*}
$$

Since $d[x, y] \in Z(N)$ and $z \in Z(N)$, equation (23) reduces to $[x, y] d(z) \in Z(N)$, for all $x, y \in N, z \in Z(N)$

Accordingly $[[x, y] d(z), t]=0$ for all $t \in N$
$[x, y][d(z), t]+[[x, y], t] d(z)=0$ for all $x, y, t \in N, z \in Z(N)$
$[[x, y], t] d(z)=0$ for all $x, y, t \in N, z \in Z(N)$
Replace $t$ by $t r$, for all $t, r \in N$, we get

$$
[[x, y], t] r d(z)+r[[x, y], t] d(z)=0 \quad \text { for all } x, y, t \in N, z \in Z(N)
$$

Using (24) in the above equation, we get $[[x, y], t] r d(z)=0$ for all $x, y, t \in N, z \in Z(N)$

$$
\begin{equation*}
[[x, y], t] N d(z)=0 \quad \text { for all } x, y, t \in N, z \in Z(N) \tag{25}
\end{equation*}
$$

Using primeness of $N$, from (25) it follows that

$$
d(Z(N))=\{0\} \text { or }[[x, y], t]=0 \text { for all } x, y, t \in N
$$

Assume that $[[x, y], t]=0$ for all $x, y, t \in N$, substituting $y x$ for $y$, we get $[[x, y] x, t]=0$ and therefore $[x, y][x, t]=0$ for all $x, y, t \in N$

As $[x, y] \in Z(N)$, hence

$$
\begin{equation*}
[x, y] N[x, y]=0 \text { for all } x, y \in N \tag{26}
\end{equation*}
$$

In light of the primeness of $N$, Eq.(26) shows that
$[x, y]=0$ and hence $x \in Z(N)$
Accordingly, $d(x) \in Z(N)$, for all $x \in N$
Once again using lemma 3 , we get $N$ is a commutative ring.

Theorem 5:- Let $N$ be a prime near-ring which admits a non zero left semi derivation $d$ with $g$, if $[d(x), y] \in Z(N)$, for all $x, y \in N$, then $N$ is a commutative ring.

## Proof:

Assume that $[d(x), y] \in Z(N)$, for all $x, y \in N$
Hence $[[d(x), y], t]=0$, for all $x, y, t \in N$
Replacing $y$ by $y d(x)$ in (29) we find that $[[d(x), y] d(x), t]=0$, for all $x, y, t \in N$

In view of (28), Eq.(30) assures that

$$
\begin{equation*}
[d(x), y] N[d(x), y]=\{0\}, \text { for all } x, y \in N \tag{31}
\end{equation*}
$$

By primeness of $N$ Equation (31) shows that

$$
[d(x), y]=0, \text { for all } x, y \in N
$$

Hence $d(N) \subset Z(N)$ and application of lemma 3 assures that $N$ is a commutative ring.

Theorem 6: Let $N$ be a 2-torsion free prime near-ring then there exists a non zero left semi derivation $d$ with $g$ of $N$ such that $d(x)$ o $y=x$ oy for all $x, y \in N$, then $N$ is a commutative ring.

## Proof:

Suppose that $d(x)$ o $y=x$ o $y$ for all $x, y \in N$
Replacing $x$ by $y x$ in (32) we obtain

$$
d(y x) \text { o } y=y x \text { o } y
$$

$$
\begin{gathered}
d(y x) \text { o } y=y(x \text { o } y) \\
\text { Using eq.(32) implies } \\
d(y x) \text { o } y=y(d(x) \text { o } y) \\
d(y x) y+y d(y x)=y d(x) y+y^{2} d(x) \\
y d(x) y+g(x) d(y) y+y^{2} d(x)+y g(x) d(y)=y d(x) y+y^{2} d(x) \\
g(x) d(y) y+y g(x) d(y)=0
\end{gathered}
$$

Since $g$ is on to we have $x d(y) y+y x d(y)=0$
$y x d(y)=-x d(y) y$ for all $x, y \in N$
Replacing $x$ by $x z$ in (33), we find that

$$
y x z d(y)=-x z d(y) y
$$

$$
=-x(z d(y) y)=-x(-y z d(y))=-x(-y) z d(y) \text { for all } x, y, z \in N
$$

The last expression reduced to

$$
\begin{equation*}
y x z d(y)=-x(-y) z d(y) \text { for all } x, y, z \in N \tag{34}
\end{equation*}
$$

Since $-y x z d(y)=(-y) x z d(y)$, (34) becomes

$$
\begin{equation*}
(-y) x z d(y)=x(-y) z d(y), \text { for all } x, y, z \in N \tag{35}
\end{equation*}
$$

Taking $-y$ instead of $y$ in (35) we obtain

$$
y x z d(-y)=x y z d(-y) \text { for all } x, y, z \in N
$$

So that $(y x-x y) z d(-y)=0$ and therefore

$$
\begin{equation*}
[y, x] N d(-y)=\{0\} \text { for all } x, y \in N \tag{36}
\end{equation*}
$$

By primeness, Eq.(36) assures that for each $y \in N$, either $y \in Z(N)$ or $d(-y)=0$.

$$
\begin{equation*}
\text { Accordingly, } d(y)=0 \text { or } y \in Z(N) \text { for all } y \in N \tag{37}
\end{equation*}
$$

Since Eq.(37) is the same as Eq.(11), arguing as in the proof of Theorem 2 we conclude that $N$ is a commutative ring.

Theorem 7: Let $N$ be a 2-torsion free prime near-ring which admits a non zero left semi derivation $d$ with $g$ such that $d(x o y) \in Z(N)$, for all $x, y \in N$, then $N$ is a commutative ring.

## Proof:

$$
\begin{equation*}
\text { Suppose that } d(x \text { o } y) \in Z(N) \text {, for all } x, y \in N \tag{38}
\end{equation*}
$$

(a) If $Z(N)=\{0\}$, then $d(x$ o $y)=0$ and replacing $y$ by $y x$ we obtain

$$
d(x o y x)=0
$$

$$
d((x \text { o } y) x)=0
$$

$(x o y) d(x)+g(x) d(x o y)=0$, since $d(x o y)=0$ implies
$(x o y) d(x)=0$ for all $x, y \in N$ and thus

$$
\begin{equation*}
x y d(x)=-y x d(x) \text { for all } x, y \in N \tag{39}
\end{equation*}
$$

Substituting $y z$ for $y$ in (39), we have

$$
x y x d(x)=-y z x d(x)=-y(-x z d(x))=-y(-x) z d(x) \text { for all } x, y, z \in N
$$

this means that

$$
\begin{equation*}
x y x d(x)=-y(-x) z d(x) \text { for all } x, y, z \in N \tag{40}
\end{equation*}
$$

Since $-x y z d(x)=(-x) y z d(x)$, then (40) becomes

$$
\begin{equation*}
(-x) y z d(x)=y(-x) z d(x) \text { for all } x, y, z \in N \tag{41}
\end{equation*}
$$

Then $[-x, y] z d(x)=0$ for all $x, y, z \in N$
Taking $-x$ instead of $x$ in (42) gives

$$
\begin{equation*}
[x, y] z d(-x)=0 \text { for all } x, y, z \in N \tag{43}
\end{equation*}
$$

Accordingly , $[x, y] N d(-x)=0$ for all $\mathrm{x}, \mathrm{y}, \mathrm{z}$
Since Eq.(44) is the same as Eq.(36), arguing as in the proof of Theorem 6, we conclude that $N$ is a commutative ring.
(b) If $Z(N) \neq\{0\}$, replace $y$ by $y z$ in (38), where $z \in Z(N)$ weget

$$
\begin{gathered}
d(x o y z) \in Z(N) \\
d((x o y) z-y[x, z]) \in Z(N)
\end{gathered}
$$

Since $z \in Z(N)$ implies, $d((x o y) z) \in Z(N)$

$$
\begin{equation*}
(x o y) d(z)+g(z) d(x o y) \epsilon Z(N), \text { for all } x, y \in N, z \in Z(N) \tag{45}
\end{equation*}
$$

Using $d[x, y] \epsilon Z(N)$ and $z \epsilon Z(N)$, equation (45) reduces to (xoy) $d(z) \in Z(N)$, for all $x, y \in N, z \in Z(N)$

Since $d(z) \in Z(N)$, (46) yields that

$$
\begin{gathered}
{[(x o y) d(z), t]=0 \text { for all } x, y, t \in N, z \in Z(N)} \\
(\text { xoy })[d(z), t]+[(\text { xoy }), t] d(z)=0,
\end{gathered}
$$

Since $d(z) \in Z(N)$ implies $[(x o y), t] d(z)=0$, so

$$
\begin{equation*}
[(x o y), t] N d(z)=0 \quad \text { for all } x, y, t \in N, z \in Z(N) \tag{47}
\end{equation*}
$$

By primeness of $N$ Eq.(47) forces

$$
\begin{equation*}
\text { either } d(Z(N))=\{0\} \text { or } x o y \in Z(N) \text { for all } x, y \in N \tag{48}
\end{equation*}
$$

Suppose that $d(Z(N))=0$. If $0 \neq y \in Z(N)$
Since $d(x o y)=d(x y+y x) \in Z(N)=x d(y)+g(y) d(x)+y d(x)+g(x) d(y) \epsilon Z(N)$,
Since $y \in Z(N), g$ is onto we have
$d(x o y)=d(x) y+d(x) y \in Z(N)$, then $d(d(x) y+d(x) y)=0$ and hence

$$
\begin{equation*}
\left(d^{2}(x)+d^{2}(x)\right) y=0 \text { for all } x \in N \tag{49}
\end{equation*}
$$

Using the fact that $0 \neq y \in Z(N)$, Eq.(49) leads to $d^{2}(x)=0$ for all $x \in N$.
So that $d^{2}=0$ and lemma 2 forces $d=0$, a contradiction. Accordingly, we have

$$
x \text { o } y \in Z(N) \text { for all } x, y \in N \text {. }
$$

Let $0 \neq y \in Z(N)$, from $x$ o $y=y(x+x)$. $x^{2}$ oy $=y\left(x^{2}+x^{2}\right)$ it follows, because of the primeness, that $(x+x) x t=\left(x^{2}+x^{2}\right) t=t\left(x^{2}+x^{2}\right)=t(x+x) x=(x+x) t x$ for all $x, t \in N$. and therefore

$$
\begin{equation*}
(x+x) N[x, t]=\{0\} \text { for all } x, t \in N . \tag{50}
\end{equation*}
$$

Once again using the primeness hypothesis, Eq.(50) yields $x \in Z(N)$ or $2 x=0$ in which case 2-torsion freeness forces $x=0$.

Consequently, in both cases we arrive at $x \in Z(N)$ for all $x \in N$.
Hence $d(Z) \subset Z(N)$ and lemma 3 assures that $N$ is a commutative ring.

Theorem 8: Let $N$ be a 2-torsion free prime near-ring which admits a non zero left semi derivation $d$ with $g$ such that $d(x)$ o y $\in Z(N)$, for all $x, y \in N$, then $N$ is a commutative ring.

## Proof:

$$
\begin{align*}
& \text { Assume that } d(x) \text { o } y \in Z(N) \text {, for all } x, y \in N  \tag{5}\\
& \text { (a) If } Z(N)=0 \text {, then Eq.(51) reduces to } \\
& d(x) y=-y d(x) \text { for all } x, y \in N \tag{52}
\end{align*}
$$

Substituting $y z$ for $y$ in (52) we obtain

$$
d(x) y z=-y z d(x)=(-y) z d(x)=(-y)(-d(x) z)=(-y) d(-x) z \quad \text { for all } x, y, z \in N
$$

in such a way

$$
\begin{equation*}
(d(x) y+y d(-x)) z=0 \text { for all } x, y, z \in N \tag{53}
\end{equation*}
$$

Taking $-x$ instead of $x$ in (53) we get

$$
\begin{equation*}
(-d(x) y+y d(x)) N z=\{0\} \text { for all } x, y, z \in N \tag{54}
\end{equation*}
$$

Since $N$ is prime, Eq.(54) forces $d(N) \subset Z(N)$ and lemma 3 it follows that $N$ is a commutative ring.
(b) Suppose that $Z(N) \neq\{0\}$. If $0 \neq z \in Z(N)$, then since $d(x)$ oz $\in Z(N)$, we find that $d(x) z+z d(x) \in Z(N)$

Since $z \epsilon Z(N)$ implies $d(x)+d(x) \in Z(N)$ for all $x \in N$
More over from (51) it follows $d(x+x) y+y d(x+x) \in Z(N)$ which, because of (55) yields that $(d(x+x)+d(x+x)) y \in Z(N)$ for all $x, y, z \in N$ and therefore, for all $t, x, y \in N$ we have

$$
\begin{gathered}
(d(x+x)+d(x+x)) t y=y(d(x+x)+d(x+x)) t \\
=(d(x+x)+d(x+x)) y t \text { for all } x, t \in N
\end{gathered}
$$

So that

$$
\begin{equation*}
(d(x+x)+d(x+x)) N[t, y]=\{0\} \text { for all } t, x, y \in N \tag{56}
\end{equation*}
$$

In view of the primeness of $N$ Eq.(56) implies that either $d(x+x)+d(x+x)=0$ and thus $d=0$, a contradiction, or $N \subset Z(N)$ in which case $d(N) \subset Z(N)$,then by lemma 3, $N$ is a commutating ring.

Theorem 9: Let $N$ be a 2-torsion free prime near-ring which admits a non zero left semi derivation $d$ with $g$ such that $d(x$ oy $)=[x, y]$ for all $x, y \in N$, then $N$ is a commutative ring.

## Proof:

$$
\begin{equation*}
\text { We have } d(x \text { o } y)=[x, y] \text { for all } x, y \in N \tag{57}
\end{equation*}
$$

Replacing $y$ by $x y$ in (57), we get

$$
\begin{gathered}
d(x(x \circ y))=x[x, y] \\
x d(x \circ y)+g(x \circ y) d(x)=x[x, y]
\end{gathered}
$$

Since $g$ is on to and using (57) we get

$$
\begin{equation*}
(x o y) d(x)=0 \text { for all } x, y \in N \tag{58}
\end{equation*}
$$

Replacing $y$ by $z y$ in (58) we find that

$$
(x(z y)+(z y) x) d(x)=0 \text { for all } x, y, z \in N
$$

Now application of (58) yields that $\operatorname{yxd}(x)=-x y d(x)$

Combining this fact together with the latter relation we arrive at

$$
\begin{align*}
& (x z+z(-x)) y d(x)=0 \text { for all } x, y, z \in N \\
& {[x, z] y d(x)=0 \text { for all } x, y, z \in N} \\
& \quad[x, z] N d(x)=0 \text { for all } x, z \in N \tag{59}
\end{align*}
$$

But since $N$ is a prime near-ring, for which fixed $x \in N$ either

$$
d(x)=0 \text { or } x \in Z(N) \text { for all } x \in N
$$

Hence using similar arguments as used after Eq.(5) we find that $N$ is a commutative ring. In this case (57) and 2-torsion freeness implies that $d(x y)=0$ for all $x, y \in N$ this means that $x d(y)+g(y) d(x)=0$ for all $x, y \in N$
putting $x$ by $x z$ in (61) and using(60), we get $x z d(y)=0$ which implies $x N d(y)=\{0\}$ for all $x, y \in N$

Since $N$ is a prime and $d \neq 0$, then $x=0$ for $x \in N$, a contradiction.

Theorem 10: Let $N$ be a 2-torsion free prime near-ring which admits a non zero left semi derivation $d$ with $g$ such that $d[x, y]=(x o y)$ for all $x, y \in N$, then $N$ is a commutative ring.

## Proof:

$$
\begin{equation*}
\text { We have } d[x, y]=(x o y) \text { for all } x, y \in N \tag{62}
\end{equation*}
$$

Replacing $y$ by $x y$ in (62), we get

$$
d(x[x, y])=x(x \text { oy })
$$

$$
x d[x, y]+g[x, y] d(x)=x(x \text { o } y)
$$

Since $g$ is on to and using (61) we get

$$
\begin{equation*}
[x, y] d(x)=0 \text { for all } x, y \in N \tag{63}
\end{equation*}
$$

Replacing $y$ by $y z$ in (63), we get

$$
\begin{equation*}
[x, y] N d(x)=0 \text { for all } x, y \in N \tag{64}
\end{equation*}
$$

Since Eq.(64) is the same as Eq.(59), arguing as in the proof of Theorem 9 we get the required result.

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