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# Correction on "Some Relations Related to Centralizers on Semiprime Semiring, Vol. 13, Issue 1, 2017" 

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#### Abstract

In this paper, we generalize the following result. If $S$ is a 2-torsion free semiprime semiring and $T: S \rightarrow S$ be an additive mapping such that $2 T(x y x)=$ $T(x) y x+x y T(x)$ holds for all $x, y \in S$, then T is a centralizer.


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## 1. Introduction

Semirings has been formally introduced by Vandiver in 1934. Golan [4] discussed the notion of semirings and their applications. In [3], Chandramouleeswaran and Tiruveni worked on the derivations on semirings. Zalar [17] studied centralizers on semiprime rings and proved that Jordan centralizer and centralizers of this rings coincide. In [14], Vukman and Irena proved that if $R$ is a 2 -torsion free semiprime ring and $T: R \rightarrow R$ is an additive mapping such that $2 T(x y x)=T(x) y x+x y T(x)$ holds for all $x, y \in R$, then $T$ is a centralizer. In papers $[6,7,8]$ the authors Hoque and Paul worked on centralizers on semiprime Gamma rings and developed the results of [14] in Gamma rings. Motivated by this Florence and Murugesan [10] studied the notion of semirings and proved that Jordan centralizer of a 2 -torsion free semiprime semiring is a centralizer. Here we develop the results of $[7,14]$ in semirings by assuming that $S$ be a 2 -torsion free semiprime semiring and $T: S \rightarrow S$ be an additive mapping such that $2 T(x y x)=$ $T(x) y x+x y T(x)$ holds for all $x, y \in S$. Then $T$ is a centralizer. In [11], we use the commutator of $x$ and $y$ in $[x, y]=x y-y x$. Now, we change the commutator as $[x, y]=x y+y^{\prime} x$.

Now we recall the following definitions and results:
Let $S$ be a non empty set followed with two binary operation '+' and '.' such that
i) $(S,+)$ is a commutative monoid with identity element 0 .
ii) $(S,$.$) is a monoid with identity element 1$.
iii) Multiplication distributes over addition from either side.

That is, $a .(b+c)=a . b+a . c$,
$(b+c) \cdot a=b \cdot a+c . a$. Then $S$ is called a semiring.
A Semiring $S$ is prime if $x S y=0$ implies $x=0$ or $y=0 \forall x, y \in S$, and semiprime if $x S x=0$ implies $x=0 \forall x \in S$. A semiring $S$ is 2-torsion free if $2 x=0$, $x \in S \Rightarrow x=0$. The commutator $x y+y^{\prime} x$ will be denoted by $[x, y]$. More over the set $Z(S)=\{x \in S: x y=y x \forall y \in S\}$. we shall use basic commutator identities $[x, y z]=$ $[x, y] z+y[x, z]$ and $[x z, y]=[x, y] z+x[z, y]$. An additive mapping $T: S \rightarrow S$ is called a Left (Right) Centralizer if $T(x y)=T(x) y((T(x y)=x T(y))$ holds for all $x, y \in S$. We call $T$ is a centralizer which is both left and right centralizer. For a fixed $a \in S$ then $T(x)=a x$ is a left centralizer and $T(x)=x a$ is a right centralizer. An additive mapping $T: S \rightarrow S$ is called a left (right) Jordan centralizer if $T(x x)=T(x) x(T(x x)=x T(x))$ holds for all $x \in S$. Every left centralizer is a Jordan left centralizer but the converse is not in general true. An additive mapping $T: S \rightarrow S$ is a Jordan centralizer if $T(x y+y x)=$ $T(x) y+y T(x)$ for all, $y \in S$. Every centralizer is a Jordan centralizer but Jordan centralizer is not in general a centralizer.
According to [9] for all $a, b \in S$ we have
$(a+b)^{\prime}=a^{\prime}+b^{\prime}$
$(a b)^{\prime}=a^{\prime} b=a b^{\prime}$
$a^{\prime \prime}=a$
$a^{\prime} b=\left(a^{\prime} b\right)^{\prime}=(a b)^{\prime \prime}=a b$
Also the following implication is valid.
$a+b=0$ implies $a=b^{\prime}$ and $a+a^{\prime}=0$

## 2. The centralizers of semiprime semiring

Lemma 2.1. Let $S$ be a semiprime semiring. Suppose that the relation
$a x b+b x c=0 \forall x \in S$ and some $a, b \in S$. In this case $(a+c) x b=0, \forall x \in S$
Proof: By hypothesis we have $a x b+b x c=0$
Putting $x$ by xby yield $a x b y b+b x b y c=0$
On the other hand right multiplying (1) by $y b$ we get

$$
\begin{equation*}
a x b y b+b x c y b=0 \quad \forall x, y \in S \tag{3}
\end{equation*}
$$

Replacing $y$ by $y^{\prime}$ in the above, we get
$a x b y^{\prime} b+b x c y^{\prime} b=0 \quad \forall x, y \in S$.
Adding (2) and (3), we get $a x b y b+b x b y c+a x b y^{\prime} b+b x c y^{\prime} b=0$
This implies, $\quad b x b y c+b x c y^{\prime} b=0$ $b x\left(b y c+c y^{\prime} b\right)=0$
Putting $x$ by $y c x$ in (4) we get

$$
b y c x\left(b y c+c y^{\prime} b\right)=0
$$

Left multiplying (4) by $c y$ we obtain $c y b x\left(b y c+c y^{\prime} b\right)=0$
Replacing $x$ by $x^{\prime}$ in the above, we get

$$
\begin{equation*}
c y b x^{\prime}\left(b y c+c y^{\prime} b\right)=0 \tag{6}
\end{equation*}
$$

Adding (5) and (6), we get

$$
\left(b y c+c y^{\prime} b\right) x\left(b y c+c y^{\prime} b\right)=0
$$

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This implies $b y c=c y b, y \in S$
Replace $y$ by $x$, in the above relation we get, $b x c=c x b$
So (1) becomes $a x b+c x b=0$

$$
(a+c) x b=0, \forall x \in S
$$

Hence the proof is complete.
Lemma 2.2. Let $S$ be a 2-torsion free semiprime semiring and Let $T: S \rightarrow S$ be an additive mapping such that $2 T(x y x)=T(x) y x+x y T(x)$ holds for all $x, y \in S$. Then $2 T(x x)=T(x) x+x T(x)$.

## Proof:

By the assumption we have $2 T(x y x)=T(x) y x+x y T(x)$
Linearizing the above by putting $x+z$ for $x$ we obtain
$2 T((x+z) y(x+z))=T(x+z) y(x+z)+(x+z) y T(x+z)$
$2 T(x y z+z y x)=T(x) y z+T(z) y x+x y T(z)+z y T(x)$
Substituting $z=x^{2}$ the relation (8) yields
$2 T\left(x y x^{2}+x^{2} y x\right)=T(x) y x^{2}+T\left(x^{2}\right) y x+x y T\left(x^{2}\right)+x^{2} y T(x)$
Substitution for $y$ by $x y+y x$ in (7) we arrive at
$2 T(x(x y+y x) x)=T(x)(x y+y x) x+x(x y+y x) T(x)$
$2 T\left(x^{2} y x+x y x^{2}\right)=T(x) x y x+T(x) y x^{2}+x^{2} y T(x)+x y x T(x)$
Comparing (9) and (10), we get
$T\left(x^{2}\right) y x+x y T\left(x^{2}\right)=T(x) x y x+x y x T(x)$
Adding $T(x) x y x^{\prime}+x^{\prime} y x T(x)$ on both sides, we get
$T\left(x^{2}\right) y x+x y T\left(x^{2}\right)+T(x) x y x^{\prime}+x^{\prime} y x T(x)=0$
$\left(T\left(x^{2}\right)+T(x) x^{\prime}\right) y x+x y\left(T\left(x^{2}\right)+x^{\prime} T(x)\right)=0$
From the above relation taking
$a=T\left(x^{2}\right)+T(x) x^{\prime}, x=y, b=x, c=T\left(x^{2}\right)+x^{\prime} T(x)$
Now applying lemma 2.1 follows that
$\left(T\left(x^{2}\right)+T(x) x^{\prime}+T\left(x^{2}\right)+x^{\prime} T(x)\right) y x=0$
$\left(2 T\left(x^{2}\right)+T(x) x^{\prime}+x^{\prime} T(x)\right) y x=0$
Taking $A(x)=2 T\left(x^{2}\right)+T(x) x^{\prime}+x^{\prime} T(x)$, then the above relation becomes,
$A(x) y x=0$
Applying $y$ by $x y A(x)$ in (11) gives $A(x) x y A(x) x=0$
By the semiprimeness of $S, A(x) x=0$
On the other hand left multiplying (11) by $x$ and right multiplying by $A(x)$
we obtain $x A(x) y x A(x)=0$
Since $S$ is semiprime, $\quad x A(x)=0$
Putting $x+y$ for $x$ in (12) we get
$A(x+y)(x+y)=0$
$A(x) y+A(y) x+B(x, y) x+B(x, y) y+A(x) x+A(y) y=0$ where
$B(x, y)=2 T(x y+y x)+T(x) y^{\prime}+T(y) x^{\prime}+y^{\prime} T(y)+y^{\prime}(T(x)$
Using (12) the above relation reduces to
$A(x) y+A(y) x+B(x, y) x+B(x, y) y$

Replacing $x$ by $x^{\prime}$ and using the result $a+b=0$ then $a=\mathrm{b}^{\prime}$, we get $A(x) y+B(x, y) x=0$
Right multiplication of the above relation by $A(x)$ gives because of (13)
$A(x) y A(x)=0 \forall x, y \in S$
By the semiprimeness of $S$, we get $A(x)=0$.
Thus $2 T\left(x^{2}\right)+T(x) x^{\prime}+x^{\prime} T(x)=0$
$2 T\left(x^{2}\right)=T(x) x+x T(x)$
This completes the proof.
Lemma 2.3. Let $S$ be a 2-torsion free semiprime semiring and let $T: S \rightarrow S$ be an additive mapping, suppose that $2 T(x y x)=T(x) y x+x y T(x)$ holds for all pairs $x, y \in S$. Then $[T(x), x]=0$
Proof: We have $2 T(x x)=T(x) x+x T(x)$
Linearizing the above by replacing $x$ by $x+y$ we obtain
$2 T(x y+y x)=T(x) y+T(y) x+x T(y)+y T(x)$
Replacing $y$ by $2 x y x$ in (15) and using the assumption of the theorem yields

$$
\begin{align*}
4 T\left(x^{2} y x+x y x^{2}\right)= & 2 T(x) x y x+2 T(x y x) x+x 2 T(x y x)+2 x y x T(x)  \tag{15}\\
= & 2 T(x) x y x+(T(x) y x+x y T(x)) x+x(T(x) y x \\
& +x y T(x))+2 x y x T(x) \\
2\left(2 T\left(x^{2} y x+x y x^{2}\right)\right)= & 2 T(x) x y x+T(x) y x^{2}+x y T(x) x+x T(x) y x \\
& +x^{2} y T(x)+2 x y x T(x) \tag{16}
\end{align*}
$$

Applying (10) in (16) gives

$$
\begin{gather*}
2\left(T(x) x y x+T(x) y x^{2}+x^{2} y T(x)+x y x T(x)\right)=2 T(x) x y x+T(x) y x^{2} \\
+x y T(x) x+x T(x) y x+x^{2} y T(x)+2 x y x T(x) \\
T(x) y x^{2}+x^{2} y T(x)=x y T(x) x+x T(x) y x \tag{17}
\end{gather*}
$$

Replacing $y$ by $y x$ in (17) we arrive at

$$
\begin{align*}
& T(x) y x^{3}+x^{2} y x T(x)=x y x T(x) x+x T(x) y x^{2} \forall x, y \in S \\
& T(x) y x^{3}=x y x T(x) x+x T(x) y x^{2}+x^{2} y^{\prime} x T(x) \forall x, y \in S \tag{18}
\end{align*}
$$

Right multiplication of (17) by $x$ yields,

$$
\begin{equation*}
T(x) y x^{3}+x^{2} y T(x) x=x y T(x) x^{2}+x T(x) y x^{2} \tag{19}
\end{equation*}
$$

Substituting (18) with (19), we get

$$
\begin{aligned}
& x y x T(x) x+x T(x) y x^{2}+x^{2} y^{\prime} x T(x)+x^{2} y T(x) x=x y T(x) x^{2}+x T(x) y x^{2} \\
& x y x T(x) x+x^{2} y^{\prime} x T(x)+x^{2} y T(x) x=x y T(x) x^{2}+x T(x) y x^{2}+x T(x) y^{\prime} x^{2} \\
& x y x T(x) x+x^{2} y\left(T(x) x+x^{\prime} T(x)\right)=x y T(x) x^{2}
\end{aligned}
$$

$$
\begin{equation*}
x^{2} y[T(x), x]=x y[T(x), x] x \tag{20}
\end{equation*}
$$

Applying $y$ by $T(x) y$ in (20) leads to

$$
\begin{equation*}
x^{2} T(x) y[T(x), x]=x T(x) y[T(x), x] x \tag{21}
\end{equation*}
$$

Replacing $y$ by $y^{\prime}$ in the above, we get
$x^{2} T(x) y^{\prime}[T(x), x]=x T(x) y^{\prime}[T(x), x] x$
Left multiplication of (20) by $T(x)$ gives

$$
\begin{equation*}
T(x) x^{2} y[T(x), x]=T(x) x y[T(x), x] x \tag{22}
\end{equation*}
$$

Adding (22) with (21), we get

$$
T(x) x^{2} y[T(x), x]+x^{2} T(x) y^{\prime}[T(x), x]=T(x) x y[T(x), x] x+x T(x) y^{\prime}[T(x), x] x
$$

$\left(T(x) x^{2}+x^{\prime 2} T(x)\right) y[T(x), x]=\left(T(x) x+x^{\prime} T(x)\right) y[T(x), x] x$

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$\left[T(x), x^{2}\right] y[T(x), x]=[T(x), x] y[T(x), x] x$
$([T(x), x] x+x[T(x), x]) y[T(x), x]=[T(x), x] y[T(x), x] x$
$[T(x), x] x y[T(x), x]+x[T(x), x] y[T(x), x]=[T(x), x] y[T(x), x] x$
Replace $x y$ by $y$ in (20), we get $x y[T(x), x]=y[T(x), x] x$.
The above result becomes
$[T(x), x] y[T(x), x] x+x[T(x), x] y[T(x), x]=[T(x), x] y[T(x), x] x$
$x[T(x), x] y[T(x), x]=[T(x), x] y[T(x), x] x+[T(x), x] y[T(x), x] x^{\prime}$
$x[T(x), x] y[T(x), x]=0$
Substituting $y=y x$ in the above relation
$x[T(x), x] y x[T(x), x]=0 \forall x, y \in S$
By the semiprimeness of $S, \quad x[T(x), x]=0$
Replacing $y$ by $x y$ in (17) gives

$$
\begin{align*}
& T(x) x y x^{2}+x^{2} x y T(x)=x x y T(x) x+x T(x) x y x \\
& T(x) x y x^{2}+x^{3} y T(x)=x^{2} y T(x) x+x T(x) x y x \tag{24}
\end{align*}
$$

Left multiplication of (17) by $x$ we get

$$
x T(x) y x^{2}+x^{3} y T(x)=x^{2} y T(x) x+x^{2} T(x) y x
$$

Replacing $y$ by $y^{\prime}$ in the above relation, we get
$x T(x) y^{\prime} x^{2}+x^{3} y^{\prime} T(x)=x^{2} y^{\prime} T(x) x+x^{2} T(x) y^{\prime} x$
Adding (25) and (24) we obtain

$$
\begin{align*}
{\left[T(x) x+x^{\prime} T(x)\right] y x^{2}=} & x\left[T(x) x+x^{\prime} T(x)\right] y x=0  \tag{25}\\
& {[T(x), x] y x^{2}=x[T(x), x] y x } \tag{26}
\end{align*}
$$

Using (23) in the above relation yields $[T(x), x] y x^{2}=0$
Applying $y T(x)$ for y in (26) we obtain $[T(x), x] y T(x) x^{2}=0$
Right multiplication of (26) by $T(x)$ gives $[T(x), x] y x^{2} T(x)=0$
Replacing $y$ by $y^{\prime}$ in the above relation, we get
$[T(x), x] y^{\prime} x^{2} T(x)=0$
Adding (28) and (27) we get

$$
\begin{align*}
& {[T(x), x] y\left(T(x) x^{2}+x^{\prime 2} T(x)\right)=0}  \tag{28}\\
& {[T(x), x] y\left[T(x), x^{2}\right]=0} \\
& {[T(x), x] y([T(x), x] x+x[T(x), x])=0}
\end{align*}
$$

Using (23) in the above relation reduces to

$$
\begin{equation*}
[T(x), x] y[T(x), x] x=0 \tag{29}
\end{equation*}
$$

Putting $y$ by $x y$ in the above implies $[T(x), x] x y[T(x), x] x=0$
Since $S$ is semiprime, $\quad[T(x), x] x=0$
Putting $x$ by $x+y$ in (23) yields
$(x+y)[T(x+y), x+y]=0$
$x[T(x), x]+x[T(x), y]+x[T(y), x]+x[T(y), y]+y[T(x), x]+y[T(x), y]$

$$
\begin{equation*}
+y[T(y), x]+y[T(y), y]=0 \tag{30}
\end{equation*}
$$

Using (23), the above relation reduces to
$x[T(x), y]+[T(y), x]+x[T(y), y]+y[T(x), x]+y[T(x), y]+y[T(y), x]=0$
Replacing $x$ by $x^{\prime}$, in the above relation implies
$x[T(x), y]+[T(y), x]^{\prime}+x^{\prime}[T(y), y]+y[T(x), x]+y^{\prime}[T(x), y]+y^{\prime}[T(y), x]=0$ (31)
Adding (30) and (31), we get $x[T(x), y]+y[T(x), x]=0$
Left multiplying by $[T(x), x]$ and using (29), we get

$$
[T(x), x] y[T(x), x]=0
$$

By the semiprimeness of S implies, $[T(x), x]=0$.
Theorem 2.1. Let $S$ be a 2-torsion free semiprime semiring. Let $T: S \rightarrow S$ be an additive mapping, suppose that $2 T(x y x)=T(x) y x+x y T(x)$ holds for all $x, y \in S$. Then $T$ is a centralizer.
Proof: We have by Lemma 2.3, $[T(x), x]=0$

$$
\begin{aligned}
& T(x) x+x^{\prime} T(x)=0 \\
& T(x) x=x T(x)
\end{aligned}
$$

Applying the above results in (14) we obtain $2 T\left(x^{2}\right)=2 T(x) x$
Adding $2 T(x) x^{\prime}$ on both sides, we get $T\left(x^{2}\right)+T(x) x^{\prime}=0$
which implies $T\left(x^{2}\right)=T(x) x$.
Similarly $T\left(x^{2}\right)=x T(x)$. This means that $T$ is a Jordan Centralizer. By theorem 4.1 in [10] yields that $T$ is a left and right centralizer. Thus the proof is completed.

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