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# Orthogonal $(\sigma, \tau)$ -Derivations on Semiprime $\Gamma$ -Semirings

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**Abstract** - Assume  $S$  is a semiprime  $\Gamma$ -semiring and  $d: S \rightarrow S$  is an additive mapping that obeys  $d(u\alpha v) = d(u)\alpha\sigma(v) + \tau(u)\alpha d(v)$  for all  $u, v \in S, \alpha \in \Gamma$ , then  $d$  is termed as  $(\sigma, \tau)$ - derivation on  $S$ . This paper introduces orthogonal  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivations within semiprime  $\Gamma$ -semirings and provides several characterizations of these semirings. It also establishes the criteria under which two  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivations can be deemed orthogonal.

**Keywords** -  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivation, Orthogonal  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivation,  $\Gamma$ -semiring.

## 1. Introduction

The idea of a semiring was first proposed by H.S. Vandiver [8]. The concept of a  $\Gamma$ -ring was introduced by Nobusawa [14] as a generalization of a ring. Sen [10] introduced the notion of a  $\Gamma$ -semigroup. Murali Krishna Rao [12,13] further developed this by introducing the concept of  $\Gamma$ -semirings. S.Huang et al. [16] examined orthogonal generalized  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivations in semiprime near-rings. K.K.Dey et al. [9] investigated orthogonal generalized derivations in semiprime  $\Gamma$ -near-rings. M.A. Javed et al. [11] presented the idea of derivations in prime  $\Gamma$ -semirings. N. Suganthameena et al. [15] introduced the concept of orthogonal derivations on semirings. B. Venkateswarlu et al. [2,3] established some necessary and sufficient conditions for orthogonal derivations and reverse derivations in semiprime  $\Gamma$ -semirings. A.H. Majeed [1] explored orthogonal generalized derivations in semiprime  $\Gamma$ -semirings. Recently, C. Jaya Subba Reddy et al. [4,5,6,7] proved some results on the orthogonality of generalized symmetric reverse bi- $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivations in semiprime rings and orthogonality of generalized reverse  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivations in semiprime  $\Gamma$ -rings.

In this paper, we propose the concept of  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivations for semiprime  $\Gamma$ -semirings. We also establish the necessary and sufficient conditions for the orthogonality of two such derivations in semiprime  $\Gamma$ -semirings, expanding upon the results found in [2].

## 2. Preliminaries

A set  $S$  is called a semiring if it is equipped with two associative binary operations denoted by '+' (addition) and ' $\cdot$ ' (multiplication) and satisfies the following conditions:

- (i) The addition operation is commutative.
- (ii) The multiplication operation is distributive over addition from both the left and the right.
- (iii) There exists an element  $0$  in  $S$  such that  $u + 0 = u$  and  $u \cdot 0 = 0, u = 0, \forall u \in S$ .

If  $(S, +)$  and  $(\Gamma, +)$  are two abelian semigroups with identity elements  $0$  and  $\theta$  of  $S$  and  $\Gamma$  respectively, and there exists a mapping of  $S \times \Gamma \times S \rightarrow S$  satisfying the following properties for  $u, v, w \in S$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$

1.  $(u + v)\alpha w = u\alpha w + v\alpha w$ .
2.  $u(\alpha + \beta)v = u\alpha v + u\beta v$ .
3.  $u\alpha(v + w) = u\alpha v + u\alpha w$ .
4.  $(u\alpha v)\beta w = u\alpha(v\beta w)$ .
5.  $u\alpha 0 = 0\alpha u = 0$  and  $u\theta v = 0$ .

then  $S$  is termed a  $\Gamma$ -semiring.

Let  $S$  be a  $\Gamma$ -semi-ring.  $S$  is said to be a semiprime if  $u\Gamma S\Gamma u = 0$  implies  $u = 0, \forall u \in S$ . A  $\Gamma$ -semiring  $S$  is said to be 2 torsion free if  $2u = 0$ , then  $u = 0, \forall u \in S$ . A  $\Gamma$ -semiring  $S$  is said to be commutative if  $u\alpha v = v\alpha u, \forall u, v \in S, \alpha \in \Gamma$ .



A  $\Gamma$ -semiring  $S$  is said to have a zero element if there exists an element  $0 \in S$  such that  $0 + u = u = u + 0, \forall u \in S$ . An additive mapping  $d_1: S \rightarrow S$  is called a derivation if  $d_1(u\alpha v) = d_1(u)\alpha v + u d_1(v), \forall u, v \in S$ . An additive mapping  $d_1: S \rightarrow S$  is called a  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivation if  $d_1(u\alpha v) = d_1(u)\alpha\sigma(v) + \tau(u)\alpha d_1(v), \forall u, v \in S, \alpha \in \Gamma$ . Two  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivations  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  on  $S$  are deemed orthogonal if  $d_1(u)\Gamma S \Gamma d_2(v) = 0 = d_2(u)\Gamma S \Gamma d_1(v), \forall u, v \in S$ .

This paper explores the concept of orthogonal  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivations within semiprime  $\Gamma$ -semirings. We identify various characterizations of semiprime  $\Gamma$ -semirings using orthogonal  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivations and provide the necessary and sufficient conditions for two  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivations to be orthogonal.

In this paper, we work under the assumption that  $S$  is a 2-torsion-free semiprime  $\Gamma$ -semiring. Here,  $\sigma$  and  $\tau$  are automorphisms of  $S$ , and  $d_1, d_2$  are  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivations on  $S$  such that  $d_1\tau = \tau d_1, d_2\tau = \tau d_2, \sigma d_1 = d_1\sigma, \sigma d_2 = d_2\sigma$ .

**Lemma 1:[Lemma 3.1, [2]]** Let  $a$  and  $b$  be two elements of a 2 torsion –free semiprime  $\Gamma$ -semiring  $S$ . Then the following statements are equivalent:

- (i)  $a\Gamma u\Gamma b = 0$ .
- (ii)  $b\Gamma u\Gamma a = 0$ .
- (iii)  $a\Gamma u\Gamma b + b\Gamma u\Gamma a = 0, \forall u \in S$ .

If one of these conditions is fulfilled then  $a\Gamma b = b\Gamma a = 0$ .

**Lemma 2: [Lemma 3.2, [2]]** Let  $S$  be a 2-torsion free semiprime  $\Gamma$ -semiring.If additive mappings  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  of  $S$  into itself satisfy  $d_1(u)\Gamma S \Gamma d_2(u) = 0, \forall u \in S$ , then  $d_1(u)\Gamma S \Gamma d_2(v) = 0, \forall u, v \in S$ .

### 3. Main Results

**Theorem 1 :** Given  $S$  is a 2-torsion-free semiprime  $\Gamma$ -semiring and  $d_1, d_2$  are  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivations on  $S$ , then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are orthogonal if and only if  $d_1(u)\alpha d_2(v) + d_2(u)\alpha d_1(v) = 0, \forall u, v \in S, \alpha \in \Gamma$ .

Proof: Suppose that  $d_1(u)\alpha d_2(v) + d_2(u)\alpha d_1(v) = 0, \forall u, v \in S, \alpha \in \Gamma$ . (3.1)

Replacing  $v$  by  $v\beta u, \forall u \in S. \beta \in \Gamma$  in (3.1) and using (3.1) we obtain

$$d_1(u)\alpha\tau(v)\beta d_2(u) + d_2(u)\alpha\tau(v)\beta d_1(u) = 0.$$

Since  $\tau$  is an automorphism on  $S$  and using Lemma 1

$$d_1(u)\alpha\tau(v)\beta d_2(u) = 0 = d_2(u)\alpha\tau(v)\beta d_1(u).$$

Since  $\tau$  is an automorphism on  $S$  and using Lemma 2,

$$d_1(u)\alpha\tau(v)\beta d_2(v) = 0 = d_2(u)\alpha\tau(v)\beta d_1(v).$$

Using Lemma 1, we get  $d_1(u)\alpha d_2(u) = 0 = d_2(u)\alpha d_1(v), \forall u, v \in S, \alpha \in \Gamma$ .

Thus  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are orthogonal.

Conversely, Suppose that  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are orthogonal.

Then,  $d_1(u)\Gamma S \Gamma d_2(v) = 0, \forall u, v \in S$ .

By Lemma 1, we can write  $d_1(u)\Gamma d_2(v) = 0 = d_2(u)\Gamma d_1(v), \forall u, v \in S$ .

Hence proved.

**Theorem 2:** Suppose  $S$  is a 2-torsion-free semiprime  $\Gamma$ -semiring and  $d_1, d_2$  be  $(\sigma, \tau)$ derivations on  $S$ . Then the necessary and sufficient condition that  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are orthogonal is  $d_1 d_2 = 0$ .

Proof: Suppose  $d_1 d_2 = 0$ .

Then  $d_1 d_2(u\alpha v) = 0$

Using the fact that  $\sigma, \tau$  are automorphism of  $S$  and  $\tau d_2 = d_2\tau, \sigma d_2 = d_2\sigma, \tau d_1 = d_1\tau, \sigma d_1 = d_1\sigma$ ,

we obtain  $d_2(u)\alpha d_1(v) + d_1(u)\alpha d_2(v) = 0, \forall u, v \in S, \alpha \in \Gamma$ . (since  $d_1 d_2 = 0$ )

Therefore  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are orthogonal. ( By Theorem 1)

Conversely, Suppose that  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are orthogonal.

Then  $d_1(u)\Gamma S \Gamma d_2(v) = 0, \forall u, v \in S$ .

$$d_1(u)\alpha w\beta d_2(v) = 0, \forall u, v, w \in S, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma.$$

Then, we have  $d_1(d_1(u)\alpha w\beta d_2(v)) = 0, \forall u, v, w \in S, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ .

$$d_1(d_1(u)\alpha\sigma(w)\beta\sigma(d_2(v)) + \tau(d_1(u)\alpha(d_1(w)\beta\sigma(d_2(v)) + \tau(w)\beta d_1 d_2(v))) = 0.$$

Since  $\sigma, \tau$  are automorphism of  $S$  and using  $\sigma d_2 = d_2\sigma, \tau d_1 = d_1\tau$ , we get

$$d_1(d_1(u)\alpha\sigma(w)\beta d_2(v) + d_1(u)\alpha d_1(w)\beta d_2(v) + d_1(u)\alpha\tau(w)\beta d_1 d_2(v)) = 0.$$

The first and second summands are zeros as  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are orthogonal.

Hence, we get  $d_1(u)\beta\tau(w)\alpha d_1 d_2(v) = 0$ .

Replace  $u$  by  $d_2(v)$  in the above equation, we get

$$d_1 d_2(v) \alpha \tau(w) \beta d_1 d_2(v) = 0.$$

Since  $\tau$  is an automorphism of a semiprime  $\Gamma$ -semiring  $S$ ,  $d_1 d_2(v) = 0$ . Hence the result .

**Corollary 1:** Given that  $S$  is a 2-torsion-free semiprime  $\Gamma$ -semiring, and  $d_1, d_2$  are  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivations on  $S$ , then the necessary and sufficient condition that  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are orthogonal is  $d_2 d_1 = 0$ .

**Theorem 3:** In a 2-torsion-free semiprime  $\Gamma$ -semiring  $S$ , let  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  be  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivations of  $S$  into  $S$ . Then the necessary and sufficient condition that  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are orthogonal is that  $d_1 d_2 + d_2 d_1 = 0$ .

Proof: Suppose that  $d_1 d_2 + d_2 d_1 = 0$

(3.2)

$$(d_1 d_2 + d_2 d_1)(u\alpha v) = 0$$

$$d_1(d_2(u)\alpha\sigma^2(v) + \tau(d_2(u)\alpha d_1(\sigma(v)) + d_1(\tau(u))\alpha\sigma(d_2(v)) + \tau^2(u)\alpha d_1 d_2(v) + d_2(d_1(u)\alpha\sigma^2(v) + \tau(d_1(u))\alpha d_2(\sigma(v)) + d_2(\tau(u))\alpha\sigma(d_1(v)) + \tau^2(u)\alpha d_2 d_1(v) = 0$$

Since  $\sigma, \tau$  are automorphisms of  $S$ ,  $\tau d_2 = d_2 \tau$ ,  $\sigma d_1 = d_1 \sigma$ ,  $\tau d_1 = d_1 \tau$ ,  $\sigma d_2 = d_2 \sigma$ , we get

$$(d_1 d_2 + d_2 d_1)(u)\alpha\sigma(v) + \tau(u)\alpha(d_1 d_2 + d_2 d_1)(v) + 2(d_2(u)\alpha d_1(v) + d_1(u)\alpha d_2(v)) = 0.$$

Since  $S$  is 2 torsion free and using (3.2)

$$d_2(u)\alpha d_1(v) + d_1(u)\alpha d_2(v) = 0.$$

Hence,  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are orthogonal. (By Theorem 1).

Conversely, suppose that  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are orthogonal, then by Theorem 2 and corollary 3,

it is evident that  $d_1 d_2 + d_2 d_1 = 0$ .

**Theorem 4:** Given  $S$  is a 2-torsion-free semiprime  $\Gamma$ -semiring and  $d_1, d_2$  are  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivations on  $S$ , then the necessary and sufficient condition that  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are orthogonal is  $d_1 d_2$  is a  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivation.

Proof: Assume that  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are orthogonal.

We have  $d_1 d_2 = 0$  ( By Theorem 2) and can be written as

$$d_1 d_2(u\alpha v) = d_1 d_2(u)\alpha\sigma(v) + \tau(u)\alpha d_1 d_2(v) = 0.$$

Therefore  $d_1 d_2$  is a  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivation.

Conversely, Suppose that  $d_1 d_2$  is a  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivation.

$$\text{Now, } d_1 d_2(u\alpha v) = d_1(d_2(u\alpha v))$$

Since  $\sigma, \tau$  are automorphisms of  $M$ ,  $\tau d_2 = d_2 \tau$ ,  $\sigma d_1 = d_1 \sigma$ ,  $\tau d_1 = d_1 \tau$ ,  $\sigma d_2 = d_2 \sigma$  we get

$$d_1 d_2(u\alpha v) = d_1 d_2(u)\alpha\sigma(v) + d_2(u)\alpha d_1(v) + d_1(u)\alpha d_2(v) + \tau(u)\alpha d_1 d_2(v). \tag{3.3}$$

$$\text{But } d_1 d_2(u\alpha v) = d_1 d_2(u)\alpha\sigma(v) + \tau(u)\alpha d_1 d_2(v) \text{ as } d_1 d_2 \text{ is a } (\sigma, \tau)\text{-derivation.} \tag{3.4}$$

Comparing the equations (3.3) and (3.4), we get

$$d_2(u)\alpha d_1(v) + d_1(u)\alpha d_2(v) = 0.$$

By Theorem 1, we can conclude that  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are orthogonal.

**Corollary 2:** Given  $S$  is a 2-torsion-free semiprime  $\Gamma$ -semiring and  $d_1, d_2$  are  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivations on  $S$ , then necessary and sufficient condition that  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are orthogonal is that  $d_2 d_1$  is a  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivation.

**Corollary 3 :** Assume that  $S$  is a semiprime  $\Gamma$ -semiring free from 2-torsion. Let  $d_1, d_2$  be  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivations of on  $S$ . Then, the under mentioned conclusions are identical:

(i)  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are orthogonal.

(ii)  $d_1 d_2 = 0$ .

(iii)  $d_2 d_1 = 0$ .

(iv)  $d_1 d_2 + d_2 d_1 = 0$ .

(v)  $d_1 d_2$  is a  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivation.

(vi)  $d_2 d_1$  is a  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivation.

The proof the above corollary is evident from the Theorems 2,3,4 and corollaries 1,2.

**Corollary 4:** Consider  $S$  as a 2-torsion-free semiprime  $\Gamma$ -semiring. If  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are orthogonal  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivations on  $S$ , it follows that either  $d_1$  is zero or  $d_2$  is zero.

**Theorem 5:** In the context of a 2-torsion-free semiprime  $\Gamma$ -semiring  $S$ , suppose  $d_1$  is a  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivations on  $S$  and  $d_1^2$  is also a  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivation, then  $d_1$  is necessarily zero.

Proof: Suppose that  $d_1^2$  is a  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivation. Then, we can have

$$\begin{aligned}
 d_1^2(u\alpha v) &= d_1(d_1(u\alpha v)) \\
 &= d_1(d_1(u)\alpha\sigma^2(v)) + \tau(d_1(u))\alpha d_1(\sigma(v)) + d_1(\tau(u))\alpha\sigma(d_1(v)) + \tau^2(u)\alpha d_1(d_1(v)). \\
 \text{Since } \sigma, \tau &\text{ are automorphisms of } S, \sigma d_1 = d_1\sigma, \tau d_1 = d_1\tau, \text{ we get} \\
 &= d_1^2(u)\alpha\sigma(v) + \tau(u)\alpha d_1^2(v) + d_1(u)\alpha d_1(v) + d_1(u)\alpha d_1(v) \\
 &= d_1^2(u\alpha v) + d_1(u)\alpha d_1(v) + d_1(u)\alpha d_1(v)
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,  $d_1^2(u\alpha v) = d_1^2(u\alpha v) + d_1(u)\alpha d_1(v) + d_1(u)\alpha d_1(v)$ .  
 Since  $S$  is 2 torsion free, we get  $d_1(u)\alpha d_1(v) = 0$ . (3.5)

Replacing  $u$  by  $u\beta w, \forall w \in S, \beta \in \Gamma$  in (3.5) and using the same equation, we get  
 $d_1(u)\beta\sigma(w)\alpha d_1(v) = 0$ . (3.6)

Replace  $v$  by  $u + v$  in the equation (3.6) and using the same equation, we get  
 $d_1(u)\beta\sigma(w)\alpha d_1(u) = 0$ .

Since  $\sigma$  is an automorphism on a semiprime  $\Gamma$ -semiring  $M$ , we get  $d_1 = 0$ . Hence Proved.

**Theorem 6:** Assume  $S$  is a 2-torsion-free semiprime  $\Gamma$ -semiring and  $d_1, d_2$  are  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivations on  $S$ . Then, the necessary and sufficient condition that  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are orthogonal is  $d_1 d_2(u) = s\alpha u + u\alpha t, \forall u \in S, \alpha \in \Gamma$  for  $s, t \in S$ .

**Proof:** Suppose that  $d_1 d_2(u) = s\alpha u + u\alpha t, \forall u \in S, \alpha \in \Gamma$ . (3.7)

Replace  $u$  by  $u\beta v, \forall v \in M, \beta \in \Gamma$  in (3.7), we get  
 $d_1 d_2(u\beta v) = s\alpha(u\beta v) + (u\beta v)\alpha t, \forall s, t \in M, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$   
 $d_1(d_2(u)\beta\sigma(v) + \tau(u)\beta d_2(v)) = s\alpha(u\beta v) + (u\beta v)\alpha t$   
 $d_1(d_2(u))\beta\sigma^2(v) + \tau(d_2(u))\beta d_1(\sigma(v)) + d_1(\tau(u))\beta\sigma(d_2(v)) + \tau^2(u)\beta d_1(d_2(v)) = s\alpha(u\beta v) + (u\beta v)\alpha t$ .  
 Since  $\sigma, \tau$  are automorphisms of  $S, d_1\sigma = \sigma d_1, \tau d_1 = d_1\tau, \tau d_2 = d_2\tau, \sigma d_2 = d_2\sigma$ , we get  
 $d_1 d_2(u)\beta v + d_2(u)\beta d_1(v) + d_1(u)\beta d_2(v) + u\beta d_1 d_2(v) = s\alpha(u\beta v) + (u\beta v)\alpha t$ .  
 Using (3.7), we get  $s\alpha u\beta v + u\alpha t\beta v + d_2(u)\beta d_1(v) + d_1(u)\beta d_2(v) + u\beta s\alpha v + u\beta v\alpha t = s\alpha(u\beta v) + (u\beta v)\alpha t$   
 $u\alpha t\beta v + d_2(u)\beta d_1(v) + d_1(u)\beta d_2(v) + u\beta s\alpha v = 0$ . (3.8)

Replacing  $v$  by  $v\gamma u, \forall u \in S, \gamma \in \Gamma$  in the equation (3.8), we get  
 $u\alpha t\beta v\gamma u + d_2(u)\beta d_1(v\gamma u) + d_1(u)\beta d_2(v\gamma u) + u\beta s\alpha v\gamma u = 0$   
 $u\alpha t\beta v\gamma u + u\beta s\alpha v\gamma u + d_2(u)\beta(d_1(v)\gamma\sigma(u) + \tau(v)\gamma d_1(u)) + d_1(u)\beta(d_2(v)\gamma\sigma(u) + \tau(v)\gamma d_2(u)) = 0$ .

Since  $\sigma, \tau$  are automorphisms of  $S$  and using the equation (3.8), we get  
 $(u\alpha t\beta v + u\beta s\alpha v + d_2(u)\beta d_1(v) + d_1(u)\beta d_2(v))\gamma u + d_2(u)\beta\tau(v)\gamma d_1(u) + d_1(u)\beta\tau(v)\gamma d_2(u) = 0$   
 $d_2(u)\beta\tau(v)\gamma d_1(u) + d_1(u)\beta\tau(v)\gamma d_2(u) = 0, \forall u \in S, \beta \in \Gamma$ .

Since  $\sigma, \tau$  are automorphisms of  $S$  and using Lemma 1, we get  
 $d_2(u)\beta\tau(v)\gamma d_1(u) = 0 = d_1(u)\beta\tau(v)\gamma d_2(u)$ .  
 By Lemma 2, we can have  $d_2(u)\beta\tau(v)\gamma d_1(v) = 0 = d_1(u)\beta\tau(v)\gamma d_2(v)$ .

By Lemma 1, we can have  $d_2(u)\beta d_1(v) = 0 = d_1(u)\beta d_2(v)$  and so  
 $d_1(u)\beta d_2(v) + d_2(u)\beta d_1(v) = 0$  and so the conclusion is arrived.  
 Conversely, suppose that  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are orthogonal, then  $d_1 d_2 = 0$ . (By Theorem 2)  
 Then we can choose  $s = 0, t = 0$ , so that  $d_1 d_2(u) = s\alpha u + u\alpha t, \forall u \in S, \alpha \in \Gamma$ .

**Theorem 7:** If  $S$  is a 2-torsion-free semiprime  $\Gamma$ -semiring and  $d_1, d_2$  are  $(\sigma, \tau)$ -derivations of  $S$  such that  $d_1^2 = d_2^2$ , then the subsequent assertions are true:

- (i)  $(d_1 + d_2)$  and  $(d_1 - d_2)$  are orthogonal.      (ii) either  $d_1 = -d_2$  or  $d_1 = d_2$ .

**Proof:** Suppose  $d_1^2 = d_2^2$   
 To Prove (i): Consider  $[(d_1 + d_2)(d_1 - d_2) + (d_1 - d_2)(d_1 + d_2)](u)$   
 $= d_1^2(u) + d_2 d_1(u) - d_1 d_2(u) - d_2^2(u) + d_1^2(u) - d_2 d_1(u) + d_1 d_2(u) - d_2^2(u)$   
 $= 0$  (Since  $d_1^2 = d_2^2$ )  
 Therefore  $[(d_1 + d_2)(d_1 - d_2) + (d_1 - d_2)(d_1 + d_2)](u) = 0$ .

Hence, by the Theorem 3, we can conclude that  $(d_1 + d_2)$  and  $(d_1 - d_2)$  are orthogonal.  
 To Prove (ii):

From the result (i), we have  $(d_1 + d_2)$  and  $(d_1 - d_2)$  are orthogonal.

Then by the corollary 4, we have  $(d_1 + d_2) = 0$  or  $(d_1 - d_2) = 0$   
and hence  $d_1 = -d_2$  or  $d_1 = d_2$ .  
Hence Proved.

#### 4. Conclusion

This paper mainly deals with the study of  $(\sigma, \tau)$ - derivations within the framework of semiprime  $\Gamma$ -semirings by introducing the concept of orthogonal  $(\sigma, \tau)$ - derivations. During this work, we proved some necessary and sufficient conditions for the orthogonality of two  $(\sigma, \tau)$ - derivations in semiprime  $\Gamma$ -semirings which gives an advanced theoretical approach to this area of algebra. These results enhances the theory of  $(\sigma, \tau)$ - derivations which have many applications in algebraic geometry

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