

On Split δ -Jordan Lie Triple Systems

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Abstract The aim of this article is to study the structures of arbitrary split δ -Jordan Lie triple systems, which are a generalization of split Lie triple systems. By developing techniques of connections of roots for this kind of triple systems, we show that any of such δ -Jordan Lie triple systems T with a symmetric root system is of the form $T = U + \sum_{[\alpha] \in \Lambda^1 / \sim} I_{[\alpha]}$ with U a subspace of T_0 and any $I_{[\alpha]}$ a well described ideal of T , satisfying $\{I_{[\alpha]}, T, I_{[\beta]}\} = \{I_{[\alpha]}, I_{[\beta]}, T\} = \{T, I_{[\alpha]}, I_{[\beta]}\} = 0$ if $[\alpha] \neq [\beta]$.

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1. Introduction

The concept of Lie triple systems (LTSs) was introduced by Nathan Jacobson in 1949 to study subspaces of associative algebras closed under triple commutators $[[u, v], w]$. The role played by LTSs in the theory of symmetric spaces is parallel to that of Lie algebras in the theory of Lie groups: the tangent space at every point of a symmetric space has the structure of a Lie triple system (LTS). Because of close relation to Lie algebras and theoretical physics, LTSs are widely studied recently [1–3]. The notion of δ -Jordan Lie triple systems (δ -JLTSs) was introduced by Susumu Okubo in 1997 (see [4]). The case of $\delta = 1$ implies δ -JLTSs are LTSs and the other case of $\delta = -1$ gives Jordan Lie triple systems. So a question arises whether some known results on LTSs can be extended to the framework of δ -JLTSs. δ -JLTSs are the natural generalization of LTSs and have important applications. Recently, deformations, nijenhuis operators, abelian extensions and T^* -extensions of δ -JLTSs are studied [5].

In the present paper, we are interested in studying the structures of arbitrary δ -JLTSs by focussing on the split ones. The class of the split ones is specially related to addition quantum numbers, graded contractions, and deformations. Recently, in [6–12], the structures of arbitrary split Lie algebras, arbitrary split Leibniz algebras, arbitrary split LTSs, arbitrary split Leibniz

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triple systems and arbitrary graded Leibniz triple systems have been determined by the techniques of connections of roots. Our work is essentially motivated by the work on split LTSs [6].

Throughout this paper, δ -JLTSs T are considered of arbitrary dimension and over an arbitrary base field \mathbb{K} . It is worth to mention that, unless otherwise stated, there is not any restriction on $\dim T_\alpha$ or $\{k \in \mathbb{K}: k\alpha \in \Lambda^1, \text{ for a fixed } \alpha \in \Lambda^1\}$, where T_α denotes the root space associated to the root α , and Λ^1 the set of nonzero roots of T . This paper proceeds as follows. In Section 2, we establish the preliminaries on split δ -JLTSs theory. In Section 3, we show that such an arbitrary δ -JLTSs with a symmetric root system is of the form $T = U + \sum_{[\alpha] \in \Lambda^1 / \sim} I_{[\alpha]}$ with U a subspace of T_0 and any $I_{[\alpha]}$ a well described ideal of T , satisfying $\{I_{[\alpha]}, T, I_{[\beta]}\} = \{I_{[\alpha]}, I_{[\beta]}, T\} = \{T, I_{[\alpha]}, I_{[\beta]}\} = 0$ if $[\alpha] \neq [\beta]$.

2. Preliminaries

First we recall the definitions of δ -Jordan Lie algebra and δ -Jordan Lie triple system.

Definition 2.1 ([4]) *A δ -Jordan Lie algebra L is a vector space over a field \mathbb{K} endowed with a bilinear map $[\cdot, \cdot] : L \times L \rightarrow L$ satisfying*

- (1) $[x, y] = -\delta[y, x]$, $\delta = \pm 1$,
- (2) $[x, [y, z]] + [y, [z, x]] + [z, [x, y]] = 0$, $\forall x, y, z \in L$.

Remark 2.2 ([4]) *A δ -Jordan Lie algebra L is called a Lie algebra if $\delta = 1$, and a δ -Jordan Lie algebra L is called a Jordan Lie algebra if $\delta = -1$.*

Definition 2.3 ([4]) *A δ -JLTS is a vector space T endowed with a trilinear operation $\{\cdot, \cdot, \cdot\} : T \times T \times T \rightarrow T$ satisfying*

- (1) $\{x, y, z\} = -\delta\{y, x, z\}$, $\delta = \pm 1$,
- (2) $\{x, y, z\} + \{y, z, x\} + \{z, x, y\} = 0$,
- (3) $\{x, y, \{a, b, c\}\} = \{\{x, y, a\}, b, c\} + \{a, \{x, y, b\}, c\} + \delta\{a, b, \{x, y, c\}\}$,

for $x, y, z, a, b, c \in T$.

When $\delta = 1$, a δ -JLTS is a LTS. So LTSs are special examples of δ -JLTSs.

Example 2.4 *If L is a δ -Jordan Lie algebra with product $[\cdot, \cdot]$, then L becomes a δ -JLTS by putting $\{x, y, z\} = [[x, y], z]$.*

Definition 2.5 *Let I be a subspace of a δ -JLTS T . Then I is called a subsystem of T , if $\{I, I, I\} \subseteq I$; I is called an ideal of T , if $\{I, T, T\} \subseteq I$.*

Definition 2.6 ([4]) *The standard embedding of a δ -JLTS T is the \mathbb{Z}_2 -graded δ -Jordan Lie algebra $L = L^0 \oplus L^1$, L^0 being the \mathbb{K} -span of $\{L(x, y).x, y \in T\}$, where $L(x, y)$ denotes the left multiplication operator in T , $L(x, y)(z) := \{x, y, z\}$; $L^1 := T$ and where the product is given by*

$$[(L(x, y), z), (L(u, v), w)] := (L(\{u, v, y\}, x) - L(\{u, v, x\}, y) + L(z, w), \{x, y, w\} - \delta\{u, v, z\}).$$

Let us observe that L^0 with the product induced by the one in $L = L^0 \oplus L^1$ becomes a δ -Jordan

Lie algebra.

Definition 2.7 Let T be a δ -JLTS, $L = L^0 \oplus L^1$ be its standard embedding, and H^0 be a maximal abelian subalgebra (MASA) of L^0 . For a linear functional $\alpha \in (H^0)^*$, we define the root space of T (with respect to H^0) associated to α as the subspace $T_\alpha := \{t_\alpha \in T : [h, t_\alpha] = \alpha(h)t_\alpha \text{ for any } h \in H^0\}$. The elements $\alpha \in (H^0)^*$ satisfying $T_\alpha \neq 0$ are called roots of T with respect to H^0 and we denote $\Lambda^1 := \{\alpha \in (H^0)^* \setminus \{0\} : T_\alpha \neq 0\}$.

Let us observe that $T_0 = \{t_0 \in T : [h, t_0] = 0 \text{ for any } h \in H^0\}$. In the following, we shall denote by Λ^0 the set of all nonzero $\alpha \in (H^0)^*$ such that $L_\alpha^0 := \{v_\alpha^0 \in L^0 : [h, v_\alpha^0] = \alpha(h)v_\alpha^0 \text{ for any } h \in H^0\} \neq 0$.

Lemma 2.8 Let T be a δ -JLTS, $L = L^0 \oplus L^1$ be its standard embedding, and H^0 be an MASA of L^0 . For $\alpha, \beta, \gamma \in \Lambda^1 \cup \{0\}$ and $\xi, q \in \Lambda^0 \cup \{0\}$, the following assertions hold.

- (1) If $[T_\alpha, T_\beta] \neq 0$, then $\delta(\alpha + \beta) \in \Lambda^0 \cup \{0\}$ and $[T_\alpha, T_\beta] \subseteq L_{\delta(\alpha+\beta)}^0$.
- (2) If $[L_\xi^0, T_\alpha] \neq 0$, then $\delta(\xi + \alpha) \in \Lambda^1 \cup \{0\}$ and $[L_\xi^0, T_\alpha] \subseteq T_{\delta(\xi+\alpha)}$.
- (3) If $[T_\alpha, L_\xi^0] \neq 0$, then $\delta(\alpha + \xi) \in \Lambda^1 \cup \{0\}$ and $[T_\alpha, L_\xi^0] \subseteq T_{\delta(\alpha+\xi)}$.
- (4) If $[L_\xi^0, L_q^0] \neq 0$, then $\delta(\xi + q) \in \Lambda^0 \cup \{0\}$ and $[L_\xi^0, L_q^0] \subseteq L_{\delta(\xi+q)}^0$.
- (5) If $\{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\gamma\} \neq 0$, then $\alpha + \beta + \delta\gamma \in \Lambda^1 \cup \{0\}$ and $\{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\gamma\} \subseteq T_{\delta^2\alpha + \delta^2\beta + \delta\gamma} = T_{\alpha + \beta + \delta\gamma}$.

Proof (1) For any $x \in T_\alpha$, $y \in T_\beta$ and $h \in H^0$, by Definition 2.1 (2), one has $[h, [x, y]] = \delta[x, [h, y]] + \delta[[h, x], y] = \delta[x, \beta(h)y] + \delta[\alpha(h)x, y] = \delta(\alpha + \beta)(h)[x, y]$.

(2) For any $x \in L_\xi^0$, $y \in T_\alpha$ and $h \in H^0$, by Definition 2.1 (2), one has $[h, [x, y]] = \delta[x, [h, y]] + \delta[[h, x], y] = \delta[x, \alpha(h)y] + \delta[\xi(h)x, y] = \delta(\xi + \alpha)(h)[x, y]$.

(3) For any $x \in T_\alpha$, $y \in L_\xi^0$, and $h \in H^0$, by Definition 2.1 (2), one has $[h, [x, y]] = \delta[x, [h, y]] + \delta[[h, x], y] = \delta[x, \xi(h)y] + \delta[\alpha(h)x, y] = \delta(\alpha + \xi)(h)[x, y]$.

(4) For any $x \in L_\xi^0$, $y \in L_q^0$ and $h \in H^0$, by Definition 2.1 (2), one has $[h, [x, y]] = \delta[x, [h, y]] + \delta[[h, x], y] = \delta[x, q(h)y] + \delta[\xi(h)x, y] = \delta(\xi + q)(h)[x, y]$.

(5) It is a consequence of Lemma 2.8 (1) and (2). \square

Definition 2.9 Let T be a δ -JLTS, $L = L^0 \oplus L^1$ be its standard embedding, and H^0 be a MASA of L^0 . We shall call that T is a split δ -JLTS (with respect to H^0) if $T = T_0 \oplus (\oplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda^1} T_\alpha)$. We say that Λ^1 is the root system of T .

We also note that the facts $H^0 \subset L^0 = [T, T]$ and $T = T_0 \oplus (\oplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda^1} T_\alpha)$ imply

$$H^0 = [T_0, T_0] + \sum_{\alpha \in \Lambda^1} [T_\alpha, T_{-\alpha}]. \quad (2.1)$$

Finally, as $[T_0, T_0] \subset L_0^0 = H^0$, we have

$$\{T_0, T_0, T_0\} = 0. \quad (2.2)$$

Similarly, we also have

$$\{T_\alpha, T_{-\alpha}, T_0\} = 0. \quad (2.3)$$

Definition 2.10 A root system Λ^1 of a split δ -JLTS T is called symmetric if it satisfies that $\alpha \in \Lambda^1$ implies $-\alpha \in \Lambda^1$.

A similar concept applies to the set Λ^0 of nonzero roots of L^0 .

In the following, T denotes a split δ -JLTS with a symmetric root system Λ^1 , and $T = T_0 \oplus (\oplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda^1} T_\alpha)$ the corresponding root decomposition. We begin the study of split δ -JLTS by developing the concept of connections of roots.

Definition 2.11 Let α and β be two nonzero roots. We shall say that α and β are connected if there exists a family $\{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_{2n}, \alpha_{2n+1}\} \subset \Lambda^1 \cup \{0\}$ of roots of T such that

- (1) $\{\alpha_1, \delta^2\alpha_1 + \delta^2\alpha_2 + \delta\alpha_3, \delta^4\alpha_1 + \delta^4\alpha_2 + \delta^3\alpha_3 + \delta^2\alpha_4 + \delta\alpha_5, \dots, \delta^{2n}\alpha_1 + \dots + \delta^2\alpha_{2n} + \delta\alpha_{2n+1}\} \subset \Lambda^1$;
- (2) $\{\delta\alpha_1 + \delta\alpha_2, \delta^3\alpha_1 + \delta^3\alpha_2 + \delta^2\alpha_3 + \delta\alpha_4, \dots, \delta^{2n-1}\alpha_1 + \dots + \delta\alpha_{2n}\} \subset \Lambda^0$;
- (3) $\alpha_1 = \alpha$ and $\delta^{2n}\alpha_1 + \dots + \delta^2\alpha_{2n} + \delta\alpha_{2n+1} \in \pm\beta$.

We shall also say that $\{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_{2n}, \alpha_{2n+1}\}$ is a connection from α to β .

Let $\Lambda_\alpha^1 := \{\beta \in \Lambda^1 : \alpha \text{ and } \beta \text{ are connected}\}$. We can easily get that $\{\alpha\}$ is a connection from α to itself and to $-\alpha$. Therefore, $\pm\alpha \in \Lambda_\alpha^1$.

Definition 2.12 A subset Ω^1 of a root system Λ^1 , associated to a split δ -JLTS T , is called a root subsystem if it is symmetric, and for $\alpha, \beta, \gamma \in \Omega^1 \cup \{0\}$ such that $\delta(\alpha + \beta) \in \Lambda^0$ and $\alpha + \beta + \delta\gamma \in \Lambda^1$ then $\alpha + \beta + \delta\gamma \in \Omega^1$.

Let Ω^1 be a root subsystem of Λ^1 . We define

$$T_{0, \Omega^1} := \text{span}_{\mathbb{K}}\{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\gamma : \alpha + \beta + \delta\gamma = 0; \alpha, \beta, \gamma \in \Omega^1 \cup \{0\}\} \subset T_0$$

and $V_{\Omega^1} := \oplus_{\alpha \in \Omega^1} T_\alpha$. Taking into account the fact that $\{T_0, T_0, T_0\} = 0$, it is straightforward to verify that $T_{\Omega^1} := T_{0, \Omega^1} \oplus V_{\Omega^1}$ is a subsystem of T . We will say that T_{Ω^1} is a subsystem associated to the root subsystem Ω^1 .

Proposition 2.13 If Λ^0 is symmetric, then the relation \sim in Λ^1 , defined by $\alpha \sim \beta$ if and only if $\beta \in \Lambda_\alpha^1$, is of equivalence.

Proof $\{\alpha\}$ is a connection from α to itself and therefore $\alpha \sim \alpha$.

If $\alpha \sim \beta$ and $\{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_{2n}, \alpha_{2n+1}\}$ is a connection from α to β , then

$$\{\delta^{2n}\alpha_1 + \dots + \delta\alpha_{2n+1}, -\delta\alpha_{2n+1}, -\delta\alpha_{2n}, \dots, -\delta\alpha_2\}$$

is a connection from β to α in case $\delta^{2n}\alpha_1 + \dots + \delta^2\alpha_{2n} + \delta\alpha_{2n+1} = \beta$, and

$$\{-\delta^{2n}\alpha_1 - \dots - \delta\alpha_{2n+1}, \delta\alpha_{2n+1}, \delta\alpha_{2n}, \dots, \delta\alpha_2\}$$

in case $\delta^{2n}\alpha_1 + \dots + \delta^2\alpha_{2n} + \delta\alpha_{2n+1} = -\beta$. Therefore $\beta \sim \alpha$.

Finally, suppose $\alpha \sim \beta$ and $\beta \sim \gamma$, $\{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_{2n}, \alpha_{2n+1}\}$ is a connection from α to β and $\{\beta_1, \dots, \beta_{2m+1}\}$ is a connection from β to γ . If $m \neq 0$, then

$$\{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_{2n+1}, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_{2m+1}\}$$

is a connection from α to γ in case $\delta^{2n}\alpha_1 + \dots + \delta^2\alpha_{2n} + \delta\alpha_{2n+1} = \beta$, and

$$\{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_{2n+1}, -\beta_2, \dots, -\beta_{2m+1}\}$$

in case $\delta^{2n}\alpha_1 + \dots + \delta^2\alpha_{2n} + \delta\alpha_{2n+1} = -\beta$. If $m = 0$, then $\gamma \in \pm\beta$ and so

$$\{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_{2n}, \alpha_{2n+1}\}$$

is a connection from α to γ . Therefore, $\alpha \sim \gamma$ and \sim is of equivalence. \square

Proposition 2.14 *Let α be a nonzero root and suppose Λ^0 is symmetric. Then Λ_α^1 is a root subsystem.*

Proof If $\beta \in \Lambda_\alpha^1$, then there exists a connection $\{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_{2n}, \alpha_{2n+1}\}$ from α to β . It is clear that $\{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_{2n}, \alpha_{2n+1}\}$ also connects α to $-\beta$ and therefore $-\beta \in \Lambda_\alpha^1$. Let $\beta_1, \beta_2, \beta_3 \in \Lambda_\alpha^1 \cup \{0\}$ be such that $\delta(\beta_1 + \beta_2) \in \Lambda^0$ and $\beta_1 + \beta_2 + \delta\beta_3 \in \Lambda^1$. If $\beta_1 = 0$, as $\delta(\beta_1 + \beta_2) \in \Lambda^0$ then $\beta_2 \neq 0$ and there exists a connection $\{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_{2n}, \alpha_{2n+1}\}$ from α to β_2 . We have $\{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_{2n+1}, 0, \beta_3\}$ is a connection from α to $\beta_2 + \delta\beta_3$ in case $\delta^{2n}\alpha_1 + \dots + \delta^2\alpha_{2n} + \delta\alpha_{2n+1} = \beta_2$ and $\{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_{2n+1}, 0, -\beta_3\}$ in case $\delta^{2n}\alpha_1 + \dots + \delta^2\alpha_{2n} + \delta\alpha_{2n+1} = -\beta_2$. So $\beta_1 + \beta_2 + \delta\beta_3 = \beta_2 + \delta\beta_3 \in \Lambda_\alpha^1$. Suppose $\beta_1 \neq 0$, then there exists a connection $\{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_{2n}, \alpha_{2n+1}\}$ from α to β_1 . Hence, $\{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_{2n+1}, \beta_2, \beta_3\}$ is a connection from α to $\beta_1 + \beta_2 + \delta\beta_3$ in case $\delta^{2n}\alpha_1 + \dots + \delta^2\alpha_{2n} + \delta\alpha_{2n+1} = \beta_1$ and $\{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_{2n+1}, -\beta_2, -\beta_3\}$ in case $\delta^{2n}\alpha_1 + \dots + \delta^2\alpha_{2n} + \delta\alpha_{2n+1} = -\beta_1$. Therefore, $\beta_1 + \beta_2 + \delta\beta_3 \in \Lambda_\alpha^1$. \square

3. Decompositions

In this section, we will show that for a fixed $\alpha_0 \in \Lambda^1$, the subsystem $T_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}$ associated to the root subsystem $\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$ is an ideal of T .

Lemma 3.1 *The following assertions hold.*

- (1) *If $\alpha, \beta \in \Lambda^1$ with $[T_\alpha, T_\beta] \neq 0$, then α is connected with β .*
- (2) *If $\alpha, \beta \in \Lambda^1$, $\alpha \in \Lambda^0$ and $[L_\alpha^0, T_\beta] \neq 0$, then α is connected with β .*
- (3) *If $\alpha, \beta \in \Lambda^1$, $\alpha \in \Lambda^0$ and $[T_\beta, L_\alpha^0] \neq 0$, then α is connected with β .*
- (4) *If $\alpha, \beta \in \Lambda^1$, $\alpha, \beta \in \Lambda^0$ and $[L_\alpha^0, L_\beta^0] \neq 0$, then α is connected with β .*
- (5) *If $\alpha, \bar{\beta} \in \Lambda^1$ such that α is not connected with $\bar{\beta}$, then $[T_\alpha, T_{\bar{\beta}}] = 0$, $[L_\alpha^0, T_{\bar{\beta}}] = 0$ and $[T_{\bar{\beta}}, L_\alpha^0] = 0$ if furthermore $\alpha \in \Lambda^0$. If $\alpha, \bar{\beta} \in \Lambda^1$ such that α is not connected with $\bar{\beta}$, then $[L_\alpha^0, L_{\bar{\beta}}^0] = 0$ if furthermore $\alpha, \bar{\beta} \in \Lambda^0$.*

Proof (1) Suppose $[T_\alpha, T_\beta] \neq 0$, by Lemma 2.8 (1), one gets $\delta(\alpha + \beta) \in \Lambda^0 \cup \{0\}$. If $\alpha + \beta = 0$, then $\beta = -\alpha$ and so α is connected with β . Suppose $\alpha + \beta \neq 0$. Since $\alpha + \beta \in \Lambda^0$, one gets $\{\alpha, \beta, -\delta\alpha\}$ is a connection from α to β .

(2) Suppose $[L_\alpha^0, T_\beta] \neq 0$, by Lemma 2.8 (2), one gets $\delta(\alpha + \beta) \in \Lambda^1 \cup \{0\}$. If $\alpha + \beta = 0$, then $\beta = -\alpha$ and so α is connected with β . Suppose $\alpha + \beta \neq 0$. Since $\alpha + \beta \in \Lambda^1$, we obtain $\{\alpha, 0, -\delta\alpha - \delta\beta\}$ is a connection from α to β .

(3) Suppose $[T_\beta, L_\alpha^0] \neq 0$, by Lemma 2.8 (3), one gets $\delta(\beta + \alpha) \in \Lambda^1 \cup \{0\}$. If $\beta + \alpha = 0$,

then $\beta = -\alpha$ and it is clear that α is connected with β . Suppose $\beta + \alpha \neq 0$. Since $\beta + \alpha \in \Lambda^1$, one gets $\{\beta, -\delta\alpha - \delta\beta, 0\}$ is a connection from β to α . By the symmetry, we get α is connected with β .

(4) Suppose $[L_\alpha^0, L_\beta^0] \neq 0$, by Lemma 2.8(4), one has $\delta(\alpha + \beta) \in \Lambda^0 \cup \{0\}$. If $\alpha + \beta = 0$, then $\beta = -\alpha$ and so α is connected with β . Suppose $\alpha + \beta \neq 0$. Since $\alpha + \beta \in \Lambda^0$, one gets $\{\alpha, \beta, -\delta\alpha\}$ is a connection from α to β .

(5) It is a consequence of Lemma 3.1 (1), (2), (3) and (4). \square

Lemma 3.2 *If $\alpha, \bar{\beta} \in \Lambda^1$ are not connected, then $\{T_\alpha, T_{-\alpha}, T_{\bar{\beta}}\} = 0$.*

Proof If $[T_\alpha, T_{-\alpha}] = 0$, it is clear. One may suppose that $[T_\alpha, T_{-\alpha}] \neq 0$ and $\{T_\alpha, T_{-\alpha}, T_{\bar{\beta}}\} \neq 0$. So either $\{T_{-\alpha}, T_{\bar{\beta}}, T_\alpha\} \neq 0$ or $\{T_{\bar{\beta}}, T_\alpha, T_{-\alpha}\} \neq 0$, contradicting Lemma 3.1(5). Hence, $\{T_\alpha, T_{-\alpha}, T_{\bar{\beta}}\} = 0$. \square

Lemma 3.3 *Fix $\alpha_0 \in \Lambda^1$ and suppose Λ^0 is symmetric. For $\alpha \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$ and $\beta, \gamma \in \Lambda^1 \cup \{0\}$, then the following assertions hold.*

- (1) *If $\{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\gamma\} \neq 0$ then $\beta, \gamma, \alpha + \beta + \delta\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$.*
- (2) *If $\{T_\gamma, T_\alpha, T_\beta\} \neq 0$ then $\gamma, \beta, \gamma + \alpha + \delta\beta \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$.*
- (3) *If $\{T_\beta, T_\gamma, T_\alpha\} \neq 0$ then $\beta, \gamma, \beta + \gamma + \delta\alpha \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$.*

Proof (1) It is easy to see that $[T_\alpha, T_\beta] \neq 0$, for $\alpha \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$ and $\beta \in \Lambda^1 \cup \{0\}$. By Lemma 3.1(1), one gets $\alpha \sim \beta$ in the case $\beta \neq 0$. From here, $\beta \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$. In order to complete the proof, we will show $\gamma, \alpha + \beta + \delta\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$. We distinguish two cases.

Case 1. Suppose $\alpha + \beta + \delta\gamma = 0$. It is clear that $\alpha + \beta + \delta\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$. The fact that $\{T_0, T_0, T_0\} = 0$ and $\{T_\alpha, T_{-\alpha}, T_0\} = 0$ for $\alpha \in \Lambda^1$ gives us $\gamma \neq 0$. By Lemma 2.8(1), one gets $\delta(\alpha + \beta) \in \Lambda^0$. As $\alpha + \beta = -\delta\gamma$, $\{\alpha, \beta, 0\}$ would be a connection from α to γ and we conclude $\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$.

Case 2. Suppose $\alpha + \beta + \delta\gamma \neq 0$. We treat separately two cases.

Suppose $\alpha + \beta \neq 0$. By Lemma 2.8(1), one gets $\delta(\alpha + \beta) \in \Lambda^0$ and so $\{\alpha, \beta, \gamma\}$ is a connection from α to $\alpha + \beta + \delta\gamma$. Hence $\alpha + \beta + \delta\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$. In the case $\gamma \neq 0$, $\{\alpha, \beta, -\delta\alpha - \delta\beta - \gamma\}$ is a connection from α to γ . So $\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$. Hence $\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$.

Suppose $\alpha + \beta = 0$. Then necessarily $\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$. Indeed, if $\gamma \neq 0$ and α is not connected with γ , by Lemma 3.2, $\{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\gamma\} = \{T_\alpha, T_{-\alpha}, T_\gamma\} = 0$, a contradiction. We also have $\alpha + \beta + \delta\gamma = \delta\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$.

(2) The fact that $[T_\gamma, T_\alpha] \neq 0$ implies by Lemma 3.1(1) that $\alpha \sim \gamma$ in the case $\gamma \neq 0$. From here, $\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$. In order to complete the proof, we will show $\beta, \gamma + \alpha + \delta\beta \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$. We distinguish two cases.

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Case 2. Suppose $\gamma + \alpha + \delta\beta \neq 0$. We treat separately two cases.

Suppose $\gamma + \alpha \neq 0$. By Lemma 2.8 (1), one gets $\gamma + \alpha \in \Lambda^0$ and so $\{\alpha, \gamma, \beta\}$ is a connection from α to $\gamma + \alpha + \delta\beta$. Hence $\gamma + \alpha + \delta\beta \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$. In the case $\beta \neq 0$, we have $\{\alpha, \gamma, -\delta\alpha - \delta\gamma - \beta\}$ is a connection from α to $\delta\beta$. So $\beta \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$. Hence $\beta \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$.

Suppose $\gamma + \alpha = 0$. Then necessarily $\beta \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$. Indeed, if $\beta \neq 0$ and α is not connected with β , by Lemma 3.2, $\{T_\gamma, T_\alpha, T_\beta\} = \{T_{-\alpha}, T_\alpha, T_\beta\} = 0$, a contradiction. We also have $\gamma + \alpha + \delta\beta = \delta\beta \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$.

(3) By the definition of δ -JLTS, one has $\{T_\beta, T_\gamma, T_\alpha\} \subset \{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\gamma\} + \{T_\gamma, T_\alpha, T_\beta\}$. So either $\{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\gamma\} \neq 0$ or $\{T_\gamma, T_\alpha, T_\beta\} \neq 0$. By Lemma 3.3 (1) and (2), one gets $\beta, \gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$. Next we will show that $\beta + \gamma + \delta\alpha \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$. We treat separately three cases.

Case 1. Suppose $\beta \neq 0$. Then $\beta \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$. By Lemma 3.3 (1), one has $\beta + \gamma + \delta\alpha \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$.

Case 2. Suppose $\beta = 0$ and $\gamma \neq 0$. Then $\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$. By Lemma 3.3 (2), one has $\beta + \gamma + \delta\alpha \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$.

Case 3. Suppose $\beta = 0$ and $\gamma = 0$. Then $\beta + \gamma + \delta\alpha = \delta\alpha \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$. We also have $\beta + \gamma + \delta\alpha \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$. \square

Lemma 3.4 Fix $\alpha_0 \in \Lambda^1$ and suppose Λ^0 is symmetric. For $\alpha, \beta, \gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$ with $\alpha + \beta + \delta\gamma = 0$ and $\tau, \epsilon \in \Lambda^1 \cup \{0\}$, the following assertions hold.

- (1) If $\{\{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\gamma\}, T_\tau, T_\epsilon\} \neq 0$, then $\tau, \epsilon, \tau + \delta\epsilon \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$.
- (2) If $\{T_\epsilon, \{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\gamma\}, T_\tau\} \neq 0$, then $\tau, \epsilon, \epsilon + \delta\tau \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$.
- (3) If $\{T_\tau, T_\epsilon, \{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\gamma\}\} \neq 0$, then $\tau, \epsilon, \tau + \epsilon \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$.

Proof (1) From the fact that $\alpha + \beta + \delta\gamma = 0$, $\{T_0, T_0, T_0\} = 0$ and $\{T_\alpha, T_{-\alpha}, T_0\} = 0$ whenever $\alpha \in \Lambda^1$, one may suppose that at least two distinct elements in $\{\alpha, \beta, \gamma\}$ are nonzero and one may consider the case $\{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\gamma\} \neq 0$, $\alpha + \beta \neq 0$ and $\gamma \neq 0$. Since

$$0 \neq \{\{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\gamma\}, T_\tau, T_\epsilon\} \subset \{T_\alpha, T_\beta, \{T_\gamma, T_\tau, T_\epsilon\}\} - \{T_\gamma, \{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\tau\}, T_\epsilon\} - \delta\{T_\gamma, T_\tau, \{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\epsilon\}\},$$

any of the above three summands is nonzero. In order to complete the proof, we firstly will show $\tau, \epsilon \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$. We distinguish three cases.

Case 1. Suppose $\{T_\alpha, T_\beta, \{T_\gamma, T_\tau, T_\epsilon\}\} \neq 0$. As $\gamma \neq 0$ and $\{T_\gamma, T_\tau, T_\epsilon\} \neq 0$, Lemma 3.3 (1) shows that τ, ϵ are connected with γ in the case of being nonzero roots and so $\tau, \epsilon \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$.

Case 2. Suppose $\{T_\gamma, \{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\tau\}, T_\epsilon\} \neq 0$. As $\alpha + \beta \neq 0$ and $\gamma \neq 0$. So either $\alpha \neq 0$ or $\beta \neq 0$. By Lemma 3.3 (1) and (2), one has $\tau, \epsilon \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$.

Case 3. Suppose $\{T_\gamma, T_\tau, \{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\epsilon\}\} \neq 0$. As $\alpha + \beta \neq 0$ and $\gamma \neq 0$. So either $\alpha \neq 0$ or $\beta \neq 0$. By Lemma 3.3 (1) and (2), one has $\tau, \epsilon \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$.

Finally, we will show $\tau + \delta\epsilon \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$. From the fact that $\alpha + \beta + \delta\gamma = 0$, $\{T_0, T_0, T_0\} = 0$ and $\{\{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\gamma\}, T_\tau, T_\epsilon\} \neq 0$, let us suppose that at least one element in $\{\tau, \epsilon\}$ is nonzero. So either $\tau \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$ or $\epsilon \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$. Then $\{\{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\gamma\}, T_\tau, T_\epsilon\} \subset \{T_0, T_\tau, T_\epsilon\}$. By Lemma 3.3 (2) and (3), one has $\tau + \delta\epsilon \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$.

(2) From the fact that $\alpha + \beta + \delta\gamma = 0$, $\{T_0, T_0, T_0\} = 0$ and $\{T_\alpha, T_{-\alpha}, T_0\} = 0$ whenever $\alpha \in \Lambda^1$, one may suppose that at least two distinct elements in $\{\alpha, \beta, \gamma\}$ are nonzero and one

may consider the case $\{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\gamma\} \neq 0$, $\alpha + \beta \neq 0$ and $\gamma \neq 0$. Since

$$0 \neq \{T_\epsilon, \{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\gamma\}, T_\tau\} \subset \{T_\alpha, T_\beta, \{T_\epsilon, T_\gamma, T_\tau\}\} - \\ \delta\{T_\epsilon, T_\gamma, \{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\tau\}\} - \{\{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\epsilon\}, T_\gamma, T_\tau\},$$

any of the above three summands is nonzero. In order to complete the proof, we firstly will show $\tau, \epsilon \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$. We distinguish three cases.

Case 1. Suppose $\{T_\alpha, T_\beta, \{T_\epsilon, T_\gamma, T_\tau\}\} \neq 0$. As $\gamma \neq 0$ and $\{T_\epsilon, T_\gamma, T_\tau\} \neq 0$, Lemma 3.3 (2) shows that ϵ, τ are connected with γ in the case of being nonzero roots and so $\epsilon, \tau \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$.

Case 2. Suppose $\{T_\epsilon, T_\gamma, \{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\tau\}\} \neq 0$. As $\alpha + \beta \neq 0$ and $\gamma \neq 0$. So either $\alpha \neq 0$ or $\beta \neq 0$. By Lemma 3.3 (1) and (2), one has $\epsilon, \tau \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$.

Case 3. Suppose $\{\{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\epsilon\}, T_\gamma, T_\tau\} \neq 0$. As $\alpha + \beta \neq 0$ and $\gamma \neq 0$. So either $\alpha \neq 0$ or $\beta \neq 0$. By Lemma 3.3 (1) and (2), one has $\epsilon, \tau \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$.

Finally, we will show $\epsilon + \delta\tau \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$. From the fact that $\alpha + \beta + \delta\gamma = 0$, $\{T_0, T_0, T_0\} = 0$ and $\{T_\epsilon, \{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\gamma\}, T_\tau\} \neq 0$, let us suppose that at least one element in $\{\epsilon, \tau\}$ is nonzero. So either $\epsilon \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$ or $\tau \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$. Then $\{T_\epsilon, \{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\gamma\}, T_\tau\} \subset \{T_\epsilon, T_0, T_\tau\}$. By Lemma 3.3 (1) and (3), one has $\epsilon + \delta\tau \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$.

(3) By the definition of δ -JLTS, one has

$$0 \neq \{T_\tau, T_\epsilon, \{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\gamma\}\} \subset \{\{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\gamma\}, T_\tau, T_\epsilon\} + \{T_\epsilon, \{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\gamma\}, T_\tau\}.$$

Suppose $\{\{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\gamma\}, T_\tau, T_\epsilon\} \neq 0$, by Lemma 3.4 (1), one has $\tau, \epsilon, \tau + \delta\epsilon \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$. Suppose $\{T_\epsilon, \{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\gamma\}, T_\tau\} \neq 0$, by Lemma 3.4 (2), one has $\tau, \epsilon, \epsilon + \delta\tau \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$. Therefore, in these two cases, we get $\tau, \epsilon, \tau + \epsilon \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$.

Lemma 3.5 Fix $\alpha_0 \in \Lambda^1$ and suppose Λ^0 is symmetric. If $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3 \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$ with $\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \delta\alpha_3 = 0$ and $\bar{\epsilon} \in \Lambda^1 \setminus \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, then the following assertions hold.

- (1) $[\{T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}, T_{\alpha_3}\}, T_{\bar{\epsilon}}] = 0$.
- (2) In case $\bar{\epsilon} \in \Lambda^0$, then $[\{T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}, T_{\alpha_3}\}, L_{\bar{\epsilon}}^0] = 0$.
- (3) $[[\{T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}, T_{\alpha_3}\}, T_0], T_{\bar{\epsilon}}] = 0$.

Proof (1) From the fact $\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \delta\alpha_3 = 0$, $\{T_0, T_0, T_0\} = 0$ and $\{T_\alpha, T_{-\alpha}, T_0\} = 0$ for $\alpha \in \Lambda^1$, one gets if $\alpha_3 = 0$ then it is clear that $[\{T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}, T_{\alpha_3}\}, T_{\bar{\epsilon}}] = 0$. Let us consider the case $\alpha_3 \neq 0$. By the definition of δ -Jordan Lie algebra, we have

$$[\{T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}, T_{\alpha_3}\}, T_{\bar{\epsilon}}] \subset \delta[[T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}], [T_{\alpha_3}, T_{\bar{\epsilon}}]] + [T_{\alpha_3}, [[T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}], T_{\bar{\epsilon}}]]. \quad (3.4)$$

Let us consider the first summand in (3.4). As $\alpha_3 \neq 0$, one has $\alpha_3 \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$. For $\bar{\epsilon} \in \Lambda^1 \setminus \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$ and Lemma 3.1 (5), one easily gets $[T_{\alpha_3}, T_{\bar{\epsilon}}] = 0$. Therefore, $[[T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}], [T_{\alpha_3}, T_{\bar{\epsilon}}]] = 0$.

Let us now consider the second summand in (3.4), it suffices to verify that

$$[T_{\alpha_3}, [[T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}], T_{\bar{\epsilon}}]] = 0.$$

To do so, we first assert that $[[T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}], T_{\bar{\epsilon}}] = 0$. Indeed, by the definition of δ -Jordan Lie

algebra, we have

$$[[T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}], T_{\bar{\epsilon}}] \subset \delta[T_{\alpha_1}, [T_{\alpha_2}, T_{\bar{\epsilon}}]] - [T_{\alpha_2}, [T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\bar{\epsilon}}]], \quad (3.5)$$

where $\alpha_1, \alpha_2 \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}$, $\bar{\epsilon} \in \Lambda^1 \setminus \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$. In the following, we distinguish three cases.

Case 1. $\alpha_1 \neq 0$ and $\alpha_2 \neq 0$. As $\alpha_1 \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$ and $\bar{\epsilon} \in \Lambda^1 \setminus \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, by Lemma 3.1 (1), one gets $[T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\bar{\epsilon}}] = 0$. As $\alpha_2 \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$ and $\bar{\epsilon} \in \Lambda^1 \setminus \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, by Lemma 3.1 (1), one gets $[T_{\alpha_2}, T_{\bar{\epsilon}}] = 0$. Therefore by (3.5), one can show that $[[T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}], T_{\bar{\epsilon}}] = 0$.

Case 2. $\alpha_1 \neq 0$ and $\alpha_2 = 0$. As $\alpha_1 \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$ and $\bar{\epsilon} \in \Lambda^1 \setminus \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, by Lemma 3.1 (1), one gets $[T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\bar{\epsilon}}] = 0$. That is $[T_{\alpha_2}, [T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\bar{\epsilon}}]] = 0$. As $\alpha_2 = 0$, $[T_{\alpha_2}, T_{\bar{\epsilon}}] = [T_0, T_{\bar{\epsilon}}] \subset L_{\delta\bar{\epsilon}}^0$. By Lemma 3.1 (5), one gets $[T_{\alpha_1}, [T_{\alpha_2}, T_{\bar{\epsilon}}]] = 0$. Therefore, by (3.5), one can show that $[[T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}], T_{\bar{\epsilon}}] = 0$.

Case 3. $\alpha_1 = 0$ and $\alpha_2 \neq 0$. As $\alpha_2 \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$ and $\bar{\epsilon} \in \Lambda^1 \setminus \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, by Lemma 3.1 (1), one gets $[T_{\alpha_2}, T_{\bar{\epsilon}}] = 0$. That is $[T_{\alpha_1}, [T_{\alpha_2}, T_{\bar{\epsilon}}]] = 0$. As $\alpha_1 = 0$, $[T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\bar{\epsilon}}] = [T_0, T_{\bar{\epsilon}}] \subset L_{\delta\bar{\epsilon}}^0$. By Lemma 3.1 (5), we get $[T_{\alpha_2}, [T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\bar{\epsilon}}]] = 0$. Therefore, by (3.5), one can show that $[[T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}], T_{\bar{\epsilon}}] = 0$.

So $[T_{\alpha_3}, [[T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}], T_{\bar{\epsilon}}]] = 0$ is a consequence of $[[T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}], T_{\bar{\epsilon}}] = 0$. By (3.4), one gets

$$\{\{T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}, T_{\alpha_3}\}, T_{\bar{\epsilon}}\} = 0.$$

The proof is completed. \square

(2) From the fact $\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \delta\alpha_3 = 0$, $\{T_0, T_0, T_0\} = 0$ and $\{T_\alpha, T_{-\alpha}, T_0\} = 0$ for $\alpha \in \Lambda^1$, one gets if $\alpha_3 = 0$ then it is clear that $\{\{T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}, T_{\alpha_3}\}, L_{\bar{\epsilon}}^0\} = 0$. Let us consider the case $\alpha_3 \neq 0$. Note that

$$\{\{T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}, T_{\alpha_3}\}, L_{\bar{\epsilon}}^0\} \subset \delta[[T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}], [T_{\alpha_3}, L_{\bar{\epsilon}}^0]] - [T_{\alpha_3}, [[T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}], L_{\bar{\epsilon}}^0]]. \quad (3.6)$$

Let us consider the first summand in (3.6). As $\alpha_3 \neq 0$, one gets $[[T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}], [T_{\alpha_3}, L_{\bar{\epsilon}}^0]] = 0$ by Lemma 3.1 (5). Let us now consider the second summand in (3.6). As either $\alpha_1 \neq 0$ or $\alpha_2 \neq 0$, by the definition of δ -Jordan Lie algebra, the fact $[T_0, L_{\bar{\epsilon}}^0] \subset T_{\delta\bar{\epsilon}}$ and Lemma 3.1 (5), we obtain that $[T_{\alpha_3}, [[T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}], L_{\bar{\epsilon}}^0]] = 0$. So, the second summand in (3.6) is also zero and then $\{\{T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}, T_{\alpha_3}\}, L_{\bar{\epsilon}}^0\} = 0$.

(3) It is a consequence of Lemma 3.5 (1), (2) and

$$[[\{\{T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}, T_{\alpha_3}\}, T_0\}, T_{\bar{\epsilon}}] \subset \delta[\{\{T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}, T_{\alpha_3}\}, [T_0, T_{\bar{\epsilon}}]] - [T_0, \{\{T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}, T_{\alpha_3}\}, T_{\bar{\epsilon}}\}].$$

Definition 3.6 A δ -JLTS T is said to be simple, if $\{T, T, T\} \neq 0$ and its only ideals are $\{0\}$ and T .

Theorem 3.7 Suppose Λ^0 is symmetric, the following assertions hold.

(1) For any $\alpha_0 \in \Lambda^1$, the subsystem

$$T_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1} = T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1} \oplus V_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}$$

of T associated to the root subsystem $\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$ is an ideal of T .

(2) If T is simple, then there exists a connection from α to β for any $\alpha, \beta \in \Lambda^1$.

Proof (1) Recall that

$$T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1} := \text{span}_{\mathbb{K}}\{\{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\gamma\} : \alpha + \beta + \delta\gamma = 0; \alpha, \beta, \gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 \cup \{0\}\} \subset T_0$$

and $V_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1} := \bigoplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1} T_\gamma$. In order to complete the proof, it suffices to show that

$$\{T_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T, T\} \subset T_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}.$$

We first check that $\{T_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T, T\} \subset T_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}$. It is easy to see that

$$\{T_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T, T\} = \{T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1} \oplus V_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T, T\} = \{T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T, T\} + \{V_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T, T\}.$$

Next, we will show that $\{T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T, T\} \subset T_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}$. Note that

$$\begin{aligned} \{T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T, T\} &= \{T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T_0 \oplus (\bigoplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda^1} T_\alpha), T_0 \oplus (\bigoplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda^1} T_\alpha)\} \\ &= \{T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T_0, T_0\} + \{T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T_0, \bigoplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda^1} T_\alpha\} + \\ &\quad \{T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, \bigoplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda^1} T_\alpha, T_0\} + \{T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, \bigoplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda^1} T_\alpha, \bigoplus_{\beta \in \Lambda^1} T_\beta\}. \end{aligned}$$

Here, it is clear that $\{T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T_0, T_0\} \subset \{T_0, T_0, T_0\} = 0$. Taking into account $\{T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T_0, T_\alpha\}$, for $\alpha \in \Lambda^1$, Lemma 3.4(1) and the fact that either $\alpha \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$ or $\alpha \notin \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, give us that $\{T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T_0, T_\alpha\} \subset V_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}$ or $\{T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T_0, T_\alpha\} = 0$. Similarly, one gets that $\{T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T_\alpha, T_0\} \subset V_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}$ or $\{T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T_\alpha, T_0\} = 0$. Next, we will consider $\{T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T_\alpha, T_\beta\}$, where $\alpha, \beta \in \Lambda^1$. We treat five cases.

Case 1. If $\alpha \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, $\beta \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$ and $\alpha + \delta\beta = 0$, then one has $\{T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T_\alpha, T_\beta\} \subset T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}$.

Case 2. If $\alpha \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, $\beta \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$ and $\alpha + \delta\beta \neq 0$, since $\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$ is a root subsystem, one gets

$$\{T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T_\alpha, T_\beta\} \subset V_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}.$$

Case 3. If $\alpha \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$ and $\beta \notin \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, by Lemma 3.4(1), one has $\{T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T_\alpha, T_\beta\} = 0$.

Case 4. If $\beta \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$ and $\alpha \notin \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, by Lemma 3.4(1), one has $\{T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T_\alpha, T_\beta\} = 0$.

Case 5. If $\beta \notin \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$ and $\alpha \notin \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, by Lemma 3.4(1), one has $\{T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T_\alpha, T_\beta\} = 0$.

Therefore, $\{T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T, T\} \subset T_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}$.

Next, we will show that $\{V_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T, T\} \subset T_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}$. It is obvious that

$$\begin{aligned} \{V_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T, T\} &= \{\bigoplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1} T_\gamma, T_0 \oplus (\bigoplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda^1} T_\alpha), T_0 \oplus (\bigoplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda^1} T_\alpha)\} \\ &= \{\bigoplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1} T_\gamma, T_0, T_0\} + \{\bigoplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1} T_\gamma, T_0, \bigoplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda^1} T_\alpha\} + \\ &\quad \{\bigoplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1} T_\gamma, \bigoplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda^1} T_\alpha, T_0\} + \{\bigoplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1} T_\gamma, \bigoplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda^1} T_\alpha, \bigoplus_{\beta \in \Lambda^1} T_\beta\}. \end{aligned}$$

Here, it is clear that $\{\bigoplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1} T_\gamma, T_0, T_0\} \subset V_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}$, for $\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$. Next, we will consider $\{\bigoplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1} T_\gamma, T_0, T_\alpha\}$, for $\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, $\alpha \in \Lambda^1$. We treat three cases.

Case 1. If $\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, $\alpha \notin \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, by Lemma 3.3(1), one has $\{\bigoplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1} T_\gamma, T_0, T_\alpha\} = 0$.

Case 2. If $\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, $\alpha \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$ and $\gamma + \delta\alpha \neq 0$, by $\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$ is a root subsystem, one has

$$\{\bigoplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1} T_\gamma, T_0, T_\alpha\} \subset V_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}.$$

Case 3. If $\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, $\alpha \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$ and $\gamma + \delta\alpha = 0$, it is clear that $\{\bigoplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1} T_\gamma, T_0, T_\alpha\} \subset T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}$.

Hence, $\{\bigoplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1} T_\gamma, T_0, T_\alpha\} \subset T_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}$, for $\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, $\alpha \in \Lambda^1$. Similarly, it is easy to get $\{\bigoplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1} T_\gamma, T_\alpha, T_0\} \subset T_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}$, for $\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, $\alpha \in \Lambda^1$. At last, we will consider $\{\bigoplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1} T_\gamma, \bigoplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda^1} T_\alpha, \bigoplus_{\beta \in \Lambda^1} T_\beta\}$, for $\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, $\alpha \in \Lambda^1$ and $\beta \in \Lambda^1$. We treat five cases.

Case 1. If $\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, $\alpha \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, $\beta \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$ and $\gamma + \alpha + \delta\beta = 0$, one gets $\{\bigoplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1} T_\gamma, T_\alpha, T_\beta\} \subset T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}$.

Case 2. If $\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, $\alpha \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, $\beta \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$ and $\gamma + \alpha + \delta\beta \neq 0$, one gets

$$\{\oplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1} T_\gamma, \oplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda^1} T_\alpha, \oplus_{\beta \in \Lambda^1} T_\beta\} \subset V_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}.$$

Case 3. If $\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, $\alpha \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$ and $\beta \notin \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, by Lemma 3.3 (1) and (2), one gets

$$\{T_\gamma, T_\alpha, T_\beta\} = 0.$$

Case 4. If $\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, $\alpha \notin \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$ and $\beta \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, by Lemma 3.3 (1) and (3), one gets

$$\{T_\gamma, T_\alpha, T_\beta\} = 0.$$

Case 5. If $\gamma \in \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, $\alpha \notin \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$ and $\beta \notin \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1$, by Lemma 3.3 (1), one gets $\{T_\gamma, T_\alpha, T_\beta\} = 0$.

So, $\{V_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T, T\} \subset T_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}$. Therefore, $\{T_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T, T\} \subset T_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}$ is a consequence of $\{T_{0, \Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T, T\} \subset T_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}$ and $\{V_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}, T, T\} \subset T_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}$. Consequently, this proves that $T_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}$ is an ideal of T .

(2) The simplicity of T implies $T_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1} = T$. Hence $\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1 = \Lambda^1$.

Theorem 3.8 Suppose Λ^0 is symmetric. Then for a vector space complement U of

$$\text{span}_{\mathbb{K}}\{\{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\gamma\} : \alpha + \beta + \delta\gamma = 0, \text{ where } \alpha, \beta, \gamma \in \Lambda^1 \cup \{0\}\} \text{ in } T_0,$$

we have

$$T = U + \sum_{[\alpha] \in \Lambda^1 / \sim} I_{[\alpha]},$$

where any $I_{[\alpha]}$ is one of the ideals $T_{\Lambda_{\alpha_0}^1}$ of T described in Theorem 3.7. Moreover

$$\{I_{[\alpha]}, T, I_{[\beta]}\} = \{I_{[\alpha]}, I_{[\beta]}, T\} = \{T, I_{[\alpha]}, I_{[\beta]}\} = 0 \text{ if } [\alpha] \neq [\beta].$$

Proof Let us denote $\xi_0 := \text{span}_{\mathbb{K}}\{\{T_\alpha, T_\beta, T_\gamma\} : \alpha + \beta + \delta\gamma = 0, \text{ where } \alpha, \beta, \gamma \in \Lambda^1 \cup \{0\}\}$ in T_0 . By Proposition 2.13, we can consider the quotient set $\Lambda^1 / \sim := \{[\alpha] : \alpha \in \Lambda^1\}$. By denoting $I_{[\alpha]} := T_{\Lambda_\alpha^1}$, $T_{0, [\alpha]} := T_{0, \Lambda_\alpha^1}$ and $V_{[\alpha]} := V_{\Lambda_\alpha^1}$, one gets $I_{[\alpha]} := T_{0, [\alpha]} \oplus V_{[\alpha]}$. From

$$T = T_0 \oplus (\oplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda^1} T_\alpha) = (U + \xi_0) \oplus (\oplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda^1} T_\alpha),$$

it follows

$$\oplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda^1} T_\alpha = \oplus_{[\alpha] \in \Lambda^1 / \sim} V_{[\alpha]}, \quad \xi_0 = \sum_{[\alpha] \in \Lambda^1 / \sim} T_{0, [\alpha]},$$

indent which implies

$$T = U + \xi_0 \oplus (\oplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda^1} T_\alpha) = U + \sum_{[\alpha] \in \Lambda^1 / \sim} I_{[\alpha]},$$

where each $I_{[\alpha]}$ is an ideal of T by Theorem 3.7.

Next, it is sufficient to show that $\{I_{[\alpha]}, T, I_{[\beta]}\} = 0$ if $[\alpha] \neq [\beta]$. Note that,

$$\begin{aligned} \{I_{[\alpha]}, T, I_{[\beta]}\} &= \{T_{0, [\alpha]} \oplus V_{[\alpha]}, T_0 \oplus (\oplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda^1} T_\gamma), T_{0, [\beta]} \oplus V_{[\beta]}\} \\ &= \{T_{0, [\alpha]}, T_0, T_{0, [\beta]}\} + \{T_{0, [\alpha]}, T_0, V_{[\beta]}\} + \{T_{0, [\alpha]}, \oplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda^1} T_\gamma, T_{0, [\beta]}\} + \\ &\quad \{T_{0, [\alpha]}, \oplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda^1} T_\gamma, V_{[\beta]}\} + \{V_{[\alpha]}, T_0, T_{0, [\beta]}\} + \{V_{[\alpha]}, T_0, V_{[\beta]}\} + \\ &\quad \{V_{[\alpha]}, \oplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda^1} T_\gamma, T_{0, [\beta]}\} + \{V_{[\alpha]}, \oplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda^1} T_\gamma, V_{[\beta]}\}. \end{aligned}$$

Here, it is clear that $\{T_{0,[\alpha]}, T_0, T_{0,[\beta]}\} \subset \{T_0, T_0, T_0\} = 0$. If $[\alpha] \neq [\beta]$, by Lemmas 3.3 and 3.4, it is easy to see $\{T_{0,[\alpha]}, T_0, V_{[\beta]}\} = 0$, $\{T_{0,[\alpha]}, \oplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda^1} T_\gamma, V_{[\beta]}\} = 0$, $\{V_{[\alpha]}, T_0, T_{0,[\beta]}\} = 0$, $\{V_{[\alpha]}, T_0, V_{[\beta]}\} = 0$, $\{V_{[\alpha]}, \oplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda^1} T_\gamma, T_{0,[\beta]}\} = 0$, $\{V_{[\alpha]}, \oplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda^1} T_\gamma, V_{[\beta]}\} = 0$.

Next, we will show $\{T_{0,[\alpha]}, \oplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda^1} T_\gamma, T_{0,[\beta]}\} = 0$. Indeed, for $\{T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}, T_{\alpha_3}\} \in T_{0,[\alpha]}$ with $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3 \in \Lambda_\alpha^1 \cup \{0\}$, $\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \delta\alpha_3 = 0$, and for $\{T_{\beta_1}, T_{\beta_2}, T_{\beta_3}\} \in T_{0,[\beta]}$ with $\beta_1, \beta_2, \beta_3 \in \Lambda_\beta^1 \cup \{0\}$, $\beta_1 + \beta_2 + \delta\beta_3 = 0$, by the definition of δ -JLTS, one gets

$$\begin{aligned} & \{\{T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}, T_{\alpha_3}\}, \oplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda^1} T_\gamma, \{T_{\beta_1}, T_{\beta_2}, T_{\beta_3}\}\} \\ & \subset \delta\{T_{\beta_1}, T_{\beta_2}, \{\{T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}, T_{\alpha_3}\}, \oplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda^1} T_\gamma, T_{\beta_3}\}\} + \\ & \quad \{\{\{T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}, T_{\alpha_3}\}, \oplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda^1} T_\gamma, T_{\beta_1}\}, T_{\beta_2}, T_{\beta_3}\} + \\ & \quad \{T_{\beta_1}, \{\{T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}, T_{\alpha_3}\}, \oplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda^1} T_\gamma, T_{\beta_2}\}, T_{\beta_3}\}. \end{aligned}$$

By Lemma 3.4, it is easy to see that

$$\begin{aligned} & \{T_{\beta_1}, T_{\beta_2}, \{\{T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}, T_{\alpha_3}\}, \oplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda^1} T_\gamma, T_{\beta_3}\}\} = 0, \\ & \{\{\{T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}, T_{\alpha_3}\}, \oplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda^1} T_\gamma, T_{\beta_1}\}, T_{\beta_2}, T_{\beta_3}\} = 0, \\ & \{T_{\beta_1}, \{\{T_{\alpha_1}, T_{\alpha_2}, T_{\alpha_3}\}, \oplus_{\gamma \in \Lambda^1} T_\gamma, T_{\beta_2}\}, T_{\beta_3}\} = 0, \end{aligned}$$

for $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3 \in \Lambda_\alpha^1 \cup \{0\}$, $\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \delta\alpha_3 = 0$, $\beta_1, \beta_2, \beta_3 \in \Lambda_\beta^1 \cup \{0\}$, $\beta_1 + \beta_2 + \delta\beta_3 = 0$, $[\alpha] \neq [\beta]$. So $\{I_{[\alpha]}, T, I_{[\beta]}\} = 0$ if $[\alpha] \neq [\beta]$.

A similar argument gives us $\{I_{[\alpha]}, I_{[\beta]}, T\} = \{T, I_{[\alpha]}, I_{[\beta]}\} = 0$ if $[\alpha] \neq [\beta]$.

Definition 3.9 The annihilator of a δ -JLTS T is the set $\text{Ann}(T) = \{x \in T : \{x, T, T\} = 0\}$.

Corollary 3.10 Suppose Λ^0 is symmetric. If $\text{Ann}(T) = 0$, and $\{T, T, T\} = T$, then T is the direct sum of the ideals given in Theorem 3.8, $T = \oplus_{[\alpha] \in \Lambda^1 / \sim} I_{[\alpha]}$.

Proof From $\{T, T, T\} = T$ and Theorem 3.8, we have

$$\left\{U + \sum_{[\alpha] \in \Lambda^1 / \sim} I_{[\alpha]}, U + \sum_{[\alpha] \in \Lambda^1 / \sim} I_{[\alpha]}, U + \sum_{[\alpha] \in \Lambda^1 / \sim} I_{[\alpha]}\right\} = U + \sum_{[\alpha] \in \Lambda^1 / \sim} I_{[\alpha]}.$$

Taking into account $U \subset T_0$, Lemma 3.3 and the fact that $\{I_{[\alpha]}, T, I_{[\beta]}\} = \{I_{[\alpha]}, I_{[\beta]}, T\} = \{T, I_{[\alpha]}, I_{[\beta]}\} = 0$ if $[\alpha] \neq [\beta]$ (see Theorem 3.8) give us that $U = 0$. That is,

$$T = \sum_{[\alpha] \in \Lambda^1 / \sim} I_{[\alpha]}.$$

To finish, it is sufficient to show the direct character of the sum. For $x \in I_{[\alpha]} \cap \sum_{\substack{[\beta] \in \Lambda^1 / \sim \\ \beta \neq \alpha}} I_{[\beta]}$, using again the equation $\{I_{[\alpha]}, T, I_{[\beta]}\} = 0$ for $[\alpha] \neq [\beta]$, we obtain

$$\{x, T, I_{[\alpha]}\} = \left\{x, T, \sum_{\substack{[\beta] \in \Lambda^1 / \sim \\ \beta \neq \alpha}} I_{[\beta]}\right\} = 0.$$

So $\{x, T, T\} = \{x, T, I_{[\alpha]} + \sum_{\substack{[\beta] \in \Lambda^1 / \sim \\ \beta \neq \alpha}} I_{[\beta]}\} = \{x, T, I_{[\alpha]}\} + \{x, T, \sum_{\substack{[\beta] \in \Lambda^1 / \sim \\ \beta \neq \alpha}} I_{[\beta]}\} = 0 + 0 = 0$. That is, $x \in \text{Ann}(T) = 0$. Thus $x = 0$, as desired.

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