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ABSTRACT

Let R be any ring and $n \geq 2$ be a fixed integer. An additive mapping $d : R \rightarrow R$ is said to be a derivation on R if $d(xy) = d(x)y + xd(y)$ holds for all $x, y \in R$. An additive mapping $d : R \rightarrow R$ is said to be a Jordan derivation if $d(x^2) = d(x)x + xd(x)$ holds for all $x \in R$. For $n \geq 2$, it is easy to show (by induction) that if d is a derivation of a ring R , then d satisfying the following functional equation

$$d(x^n) = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} x^i d(x)(x)^{n-i-1} \text{ for all } x \in R,$$

where $x^0 y = y = y x^0$ for all $x, y \in R$. This functional equation is known as the “ n^{th} -power property”. The study of such mappings were initiated by Bridges and Bergen [1]. In 1984, they proved that such type of map exhibiting n^{th} power property is a derivation on R , when R is a prime ring with identity and when $\text{char } R > n$ or is zero. In the year 2007, Lanski [4] generalized this result from derivations to generalized derivations in semiprime rings. Recently, author together with Dar [2] introduced the notion of “ n^{th} – power *-property” and studied these results in the setting of rings with involution. Precisely, an analogous result for Jordan *-derivations on prime rings with involution was obtained by Dar and Ali [2] (see also [3] for more related results). In this talk, we will discuss the recent progress made on the topic and related areas. Further, we conclude our talk with some recent open problems.

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