

**HIGHER \*-DERIVATIONS IN NON-ARCHIMEDEAN RANDOM  
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NON-ARCHIMEDEAN RANDOM LIE  $C^*$ -ALGEBRAS**

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**ABSTRACT.** Using fixed point method, we establish the generalized Hyers-Ulam stability of higher \*-derivations in non-Archimedean random  $C^*$ -algebras and Lie higher \*-derivations in non-Archimedean random Lie  $C^*$ -algebras associated to the following Cauchy-Jensen additive functional equation:

$$f\left(\frac{x+y+z}{2}\right) + f\left(\frac{x-y+z}{2}\right) = f(x) + f(z).$$

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1. INTRODUCTION AND PRELIMINARIES

Let  $K$  denote a field and function (valuation absolute)  $|\cdot|$  from  $K$  into  $[0, \infty)$ . A non-Archimedean valuation is a function  $|\cdot|$  that satisfies the strong triangle inequality; namely,  $|x+y| \leq \max\{|x|, |y|\} \leq |x| + |y|$  for all  $x, y \in K$ . The associated field  $K$  is referred to as a non-Archimedean field. Clearly,  $|1| = |-1| = 1$  and  $|n| \leq 1$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . A trivial example of a non-Archimedean valuation is the function  $|\cdot|$  taking everything except 0 into 1 and  $|0| = 0$ . We always assume in addition that  $|\cdot|$  is nontrivial, i.e., there is a  $z \in K$  such that  $|z| \neq 0, 1$ .

Let  $X$  be a linear space over a field  $K$  with a non-Archimedean nontrivial valuation  $|\cdot|$ . A function  $\|\cdot\| : X \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  is said to be a non-Archimedean norm if it is a norm over  $K$  with the strong triangle inequality (ultrametric); namely,  $\|x+y\| \leq \max\{\|x\|, \|y\|\}$  for all  $x, y \in X$ . Then  $(X, \|\cdot\|)$  is called a non-Archimedean

normed space. In any such a space a sequence  $\{x_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$  is Cauchy if and only if  $\{x_{n+1} - x_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$  converges to zero. By a complete non-Archimedean space, we mean one in which every Cauchy sequence is convergent.

For any nonzero rational number  $x$ , there exists a unique integer  $n_x \in \mathbb{Z}$  such that  $x = \frac{a}{b}p^{n_x}$ , where  $a$  and  $b$  are integers non divisible by  $p$ . Then  $|x|_p := p^{-n_x}$  defines a non-Archimedean norm on  $\mathbb{Q}$ . The completion of  $\mathbb{Q}$  with respect to the metric  $d(x, y) = |x - y|_p$  is denoted by  $\mathbb{Q}_p$ , which is called the  $p$ -adic number field.

A non-Archimedean Banach algebra is a complete non-Archimedean algebra  $A$  which satisfies  $\|xy\| \leq \|x\|\|y\|$  for all  $x, y \in A$ . For more detailed definitions of non-Archimedean Banach algebras, we refer the reader to [6, 13].

If  $\mathcal{I}$  is a non-Archimedean Banach algebra, then an involution on  $\mathcal{I}$  is a mapping  $t \mapsto t^*$  from  $\mathcal{I}$  into  $\mathcal{I}$  which satisfies

- (i)  $t^{**} = t$  for  $t \in \mathcal{I}$ ;
- (ii)  $(\alpha s + \beta t)^* = \bar{\alpha}s^* + \bar{\beta}t^*$ ;
- (iii)  $(st)^* = t^*s^*$  for  $s, t \in \mathcal{I}$ .

If, in addition,  $\|t^*t\| = \|t\|^2$  for  $t \in \mathcal{I}$ , then  $\mathcal{I}$  is a non-Archimedean  $C^*$ -algebra.

The stability problem of functional equations was originated from a question of Ulam [14] concerning the stability of group homomorphisms. Let  $(G_1, *)$  be a group and let  $(G_2, \diamond, d)$  be a metric group (a metric which is defined on a set with a group property) with the metric  $d(\cdot, \cdot)$ . Given  $\epsilon > 0$ , does there exist a  $\delta(\epsilon) > 0$  such that if a mapping  $h : G_1 \rightarrow G_2$  satisfies the inequality  $d(h(x * y), h(x) \diamond h(y)) < \delta$  for all  $x, y \in G_1$ , then there is a homomorphism  $H : G_1 \rightarrow G_2$  with  $d(h(x), H(x)) < \epsilon$  for all  $x \in G_1$ ? If the answer is affirmative, we would say that the equation of a homomorphism  $H(x * y) = H(x) \diamond H(y)$  is stable (see also [9, 10]).

Let  $X$  be a nonempty set and  $d : X \times X \rightarrow [0, \infty]$  satisfying:  $d(x, y) = 0$  if and only if  $x = y$ ,  $d(x, y) = d(y, x)$  and  $d(x, z) \leq d(x, y) + d(y, z)$  (strong triangle inequality), for all  $x, y, z \in X$ . Then  $(X, d)$  is called a generalized metric space.  $(X, d)$  is called complete if every  $d$ -Cauchy sequence in  $X$  is  $d$ -convergent.

Using the strong triangle inequality in the proof of the main result of [5], we get to the following result:

**Theorem 1.** [5] *Let  $(\Omega, d)$  be a complete generalized metric space and let  $\mathcal{F} : \Omega \rightarrow \Omega$  be a strictly contractive mapping with Lipschitz constant  $L \in (0, 1)$ . Then, for a given element  $x \in \Omega$ , exactly one of the following assertions is true:*

*either*

- (1)  $d(\mathcal{F}^n x, \mathcal{F}^{n+1} x) = \infty$  for all  $n \geq 0$  or

(2) there exists  $n_0$  such that  $d(\mathcal{F}^n x, \mathcal{F}^{n+1} x) < \infty$  for all  $n \geq n_0$ .

Actually, if (2) holds, then the sequence  $\{\mathcal{F}^n x\}$  is convergent to a fixed point  $x^*$  of  $\mathcal{F}$  and

(3)  $x^*$  is the unique fixed point of  $\mathcal{F}$  in  $\Lambda := \{y \in \Omega, d(\mathcal{F}^{n_0} x, y) < \infty\}$ ;

(4)  $d(y, x^*) \leq \frac{d(y, \mathcal{F}y)}{1-L}$  for all  $y \in \Lambda$ .

In this paper we consider a mapping  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  satisfying the following Cauchy-Jensen functional equation

$$f\left(\frac{x+y+z}{2}\right) + f\left(\frac{x-y+z}{2}\right) = f(x) + f(z) \quad (1)$$

for all  $x, y, z \in X$  and establish the higher \*-derivations in non-Archimedean random  $C^*$ -algebras and Lie higher \*-derivations in non-Archimedean random Lie  $C^*$ -algebras for the functional equation (1).

## 2. RANDOM SPACES

In the section, we adopt the usual terminology, notations, and conventions of the theory of random normed spaces as in [1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 11, 12]. Throughout this paper,  $\Delta^+$  is the space of distribution functions, that is, the space of all mappings  $F : \mathbb{R} \cup \{-\infty, \infty\} \rightarrow [0, 1]$  such that  $F$  is left-continuous and non-decreasing on  $\mathbb{R}$ ,  $F(0) = 0$  and  $F(+\infty) = 1$ .  $\mathcal{D}^+$  is a subset of  $\Delta^+$  consisting of all functions  $F \in \Delta^+$  for which  $l^-F(+\infty) = 1$ , where  $l^-f(x)$  denotes the left limit of the function  $f$  at the point  $x$ , that is,  $l^-f(x) = \lim_{t \rightarrow x^-} f(t)$ . The space  $\Delta^+$  is partially ordered by the usual point-wise ordering of functions, i.e.,  $F \leq G$  if and only if  $F(t) \leq G(t)$  for all  $t$  in  $\mathbb{R}$ .

**Definition 1.** [11] A mapping  $T : [0, 1] \times [0, 1] \rightarrow [0, 1]$  is a continuous triangular norm (briefly, a continuous  $t$ -norm) if  $T$  satisfies the following conditions:

(1)  $T$  is commutative and associative;

(2)  $T$  is continuous;

(3)  $T(a, 1) = a$  for all  $a \in [0, 1]$ ;

(4)  $T(a, b) \leq T(c, d)$  whenever  $a \leq c$  and  $b \leq d$  for all  $a, b, c, d \in [0, 1]$ .

**Definition 2.** [12] A non-Archimedean random normed space (briefly, NA-RN-space) is a triple  $(X, \mu, T)$ , where  $X$  is a vector space,  $T$  is a continuous  $t$ -norm, and  $\mu$  is a mapping from  $X$  into  $\mathcal{D}^+$  such that the following conditions hold:

(RN1)  $\mu_x(t) = \varepsilon_0(t)$  for all  $t > 0$  if and only if  $x = 0$ ;

(RN2)  $\mu_{\alpha x}(t) = \mu_x(\frac{t}{|\alpha|})$  for all  $x \in X$ ,  $\alpha \neq 0$ ;

(RN3)  $\mu_{x+y}(\max\{t, s\}) \geq T(\mu_x(t), \mu_y(s))$ .

It is easy to see that if (RN3) holds, then we have

(RN4)  $\mu_{x+y}(t + s) \geq T(\mu_x(t), \mu_y(s))$ .

**Definition 3.** [8] A non-Archimedean random normed algebra  $(X, \mu, T, T')$  is a non-Archimedean random normed space  $(X, \mu, T)$  with an algebraic structure such that

(RN5)  $\mu_{xy}(t) \geq T'(\mu_x(t), \mu_y(t))$

for all  $x, y \in X$  and all  $t > 0$ , in which  $T'$  is a continuous  $t$ -norm.

**Definition 4.** Let  $(X, \mu, T)$  and  $(Y, \mu, T)$  be non-Archimedean random normed algebras.

(1) An  $\mathbb{R}$ -linear mapping  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  is called a homomorphism if  $f(xy) = f(x)f(y)$  for all  $x, y \in X$ .

(2) An  $\mathbb{R}$ -linear mapping  $f : X \rightarrow X$  is called a derivation if  $f(xy) = f(x)y + xf(y)$  for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Definition 5.** Let  $(\mathcal{I}, \mu, T, T')$  be a non-Archimedean random Banach algebra, then an involution on  $\mathcal{I}$  is a mapping  $u \mapsto u^*$  from  $\mathcal{I}$  into  $\mathcal{I}$  which satisfies

(i)  $u^{**} = u$  for  $u \in \mathcal{I}$ ;

(ii)  $(\alpha u + \beta v)^* = \bar{\alpha}u^* + \bar{\beta}v^*$ ;

(iii)  $(uv)^* = v^*u^*$  for  $u, v \in \mathcal{I}$ .

If, in addition,  $\mu_{u^*u}(t) = T'(\mu_u(t), \mu_u(t))$  for  $u \in \mathcal{I}$  and  $t > 0$ , then  $\mathcal{I}$  is a non-Archimedean random  $C^*$ -algebra.

**Definition 6.** Let  $(X, \mu, T)$  be an NA-RN-space.

(1) A sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in  $X$  is said to be convergent to  $x$  in  $X$  if, for every  $\epsilon > 0$  and  $\lambda > 0$ , there exists a positive integer  $N$  such that  $\mu_{x_n-x}(\epsilon) > 1 - \lambda$  whenever  $n \geq N$ .

(2) A sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in  $X$  is called a Cauchy sequence if, for every  $\epsilon > 0$  and  $\lambda > 0$ , there exists a positive integer  $N$  such that  $\mu_{x_n-x_{n+1}}(\epsilon) > 1 - \lambda$  whenever  $n \geq N$ .

(3) An RN-space  $(X, \mu, T)$  is said to be complete if and only if every Cauchy sequence in  $X$  is convergent to a point in  $X$ .

### 3. HIGHER \*-DERIVATIONS IN NON-ARCHIMEDEAN RANDOM $C^*$ -ALGEBRAS

In this section, we will assume that  $\mathcal{A}$  and  $\mathcal{B}$  are two non-Archimedean random Banach  $C^*$ -algebras with the norm  $\mu^{\mathcal{A}}$  and  $\mu^{\mathcal{B}}$ , respectively. For convenience, for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ , we use the following abbreviations for each given mapping  $f_n : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$  :

$$D_\nu f_n(x, y, z) := \nu f_n\left(\frac{x+y+z}{2}\right) + \nu f_n\left(\frac{x-y+z}{2}\right) - f_n(\nu x) - f_n(\nu z)$$

for all  $\nu \in \mathbb{T}^1 := \{\lambda \in \mathbb{C} : |\lambda| = 1\}$  and all  $x, y, z \in \mathcal{A}$ .

**Definition 7.** Let  $\mathbb{N}$  be the set of natural numbers. Form  $m \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$ , a sequence  $H = \{h_0, h_1, \dots, h_m\}$  (resp.  $H = \{h_0, h_1, \dots, \dots\}$ ) of mappings from  $\mathcal{A}$  into  $\mathcal{B}$  is called a higher \*-derivation of rank  $m$  (resp. infinite rank) from  $\mathcal{A}$  into  $\mathcal{B}$  if

- (i)  $f_n(x^*) = (f_n(x))^*$ , for all  $x \in \mathcal{A}$  and for each  $n \in \{0, 1, \dots, m\}$  (resp.  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ .)
- (ii)  $f_n(xy) = \sum_{i=0}^n f_i(x)f_{n-i}(y)$  holds for each  $n \in \{0, 1, \dots, m\}$  (resp.  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ ) and all  $x, y \in \mathcal{A}$ .

We are going to investigate the generalized Hyers-Ulam stability of higher \*-derivations in non-Archimedean random  $C^*$ -algebras for the functional equation  $D_\nu f_n(x, y, z) = 0$ .

**Theorem 2.** Let  $\varphi : \mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}^+$  and  $\psi : \mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}^+$  be functions. Suppose that  $F = \{f_0, f_1, \dots, f_n, \dots\}$  be a sequence of mappings from  $\mathcal{A}$  into  $\mathcal{B}$  such that for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ ,  $f_n(0) = 0$ ,

$$\mu_{D_\nu f_n(x,y,z)}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) \geq \varphi_{x,y,z}(t), \quad (2)$$

$$\mu_{f_n(x^*)-f_n(x)^*}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) \geq \varphi_{x,0,0}(t), \quad (3)$$

$$\mu_{f_n(xy)-\sum_{i=0}^n f_i(x)f_{n-i}(y)}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) \geq \psi_{x,y}(t) \quad (4)$$

for all  $\nu \in \mathbb{T}^1 := \{\lambda \in \mathbb{C}; |\lambda| = 1\}$ , all  $x, y, z \in \mathcal{A}$  and all  $t > 0$ . Assume that  $|2| < 1$  is far from zero and there exists an  $0 \leq L < 1$  such that

$$\varphi_{2x,2y,2z}(|2|Lt) \geq \varphi_{x,y,z}(t), \quad (5)$$

$$\psi_{2x,2y}(|2|^2Lt) \geq \psi_{x,y}(t) \quad (6)$$

for all  $x, y, z \in \mathcal{A}$  and  $t > 0$ . Then there exists a unique higher \*-derivation  $H = \{h_0, h_1, \dots, h_n, \dots\}$  of any rank from  $\mathcal{A}$  into  $\mathcal{B}$  such that for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ ,

$$\mu_{f_n(x)-h_n(x)}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) \geq \varphi_{x,2x,x}(|2|(1-L)t) \quad (7)$$

holds for all  $x \in \mathcal{A}$  and  $t > 0$ .

*Proof.* Fix  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ . Setting  $\nu = 1$  and replacing  $(x, y, z)$  by  $(x, 2x, x)$  in (2) implies

$$\mu_{f_n(2x)-2f_n(x)}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) \geq \varphi_{x,2x,x}(t) \quad (8)$$

for all  $x \in \mathcal{A}$  and  $t > 0$ .

Let  $\mathcal{Z}$  be the set of all functions  $g : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$ . We define the metric  $d$  on  $\mathcal{Z}$  as follows:

$$d(g, h) = \inf \left\{ k \in (0, \infty) : \mu_{g(x)-h(x)}^{\mathcal{B}}(kt) > \varphi_{x,2x,x}(t), \forall x \in \mathcal{A}, t > 0 \right\}.$$

One has the operator  $J : \mathcal{Z} \rightarrow \mathcal{Z}$  by  $(Jh)(x) := \frac{1}{2}h(2x)$ . Then  $J$  is a contraction with Lipschitz constant  $L$ ; in fact, for arbitrarily elements  $f, g \in \mathcal{Z}$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} d(f, g) < k &\Rightarrow \mu_{f(x)-g(x)}^{\mathcal{B}}(kt) > \varphi_{x,2x,x}(t) \\ &\Rightarrow \mu_{f(2x)-g(2x)}^{\mathcal{B}}(kt) > \varphi_{2x,2(2x),2x}(t) \\ &\Rightarrow \mu_{\frac{1}{2}f(2x)-\frac{1}{2}g(2x)}^{\mathcal{B}}(kt) > \varphi_{2x,2(2x),2x}(|2|t) \\ &\Rightarrow \mu_{\frac{1}{2}f(2x)-\frac{1}{2}g(2x)}^{\mathcal{B}}(kLt) > \varphi_{x,2x,x}(t) \Rightarrow d(Jf, Jg) < kL \end{aligned}$$

for all  $x \in \mathcal{A}$  and  $t > 0$ . Hence we see that

$$d(Jf, Jg) \leq Ld(f, g).$$

On the other hand, by (8) we have

$$\mu_{Jf_n(x)-f_n(x)}^{\mathcal{B}}\left(\frac{1}{|2|}t\right) \geq \varphi_{x,2x,x}(t) \Rightarrow d(Jf_n, f_n) \leq \frac{1}{|2|} < \infty.$$

Therefore, it follows from Theorem (1) that there exists a mapping  $h_n : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$  such that  $h_n$  is a fixed point of  $J$  that is  $h_n(2x) = 2h_n(x)$  for all  $x \in \mathcal{A}$ . By Theorem (1)  $\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} d(J^m f_n, f_n) = 0$  we conclude that

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f_n(2^m x)}{2^m} = h_n(x) \quad (9)$$

for all  $x \in \mathcal{A}$ . The mapping  $h_n$  is a unique fixed point of  $J$  in the set  $\mathcal{U}_n = \{g \in \mathcal{Z} : d(f_n, g) < \infty\}$ . Thus,  $h_n$  is a unique mapping such that there exists  $k \in (0, \infty)$  satisfying  $\mu_{f_n(x)-h_n(x)}^{\mathcal{B}}(kt) > \varphi_{x,2x,x}(t)$  for all  $x \in \mathcal{A}$  and  $t > 0$ .

Again, by Theorem (1), we have

$$d(f_n, h_n) \leq \frac{1}{1-L} d(f_n, Jf_n) \leq \frac{1}{|2|(1-L)},$$

so

$$\mu_{f_n(x)-h_n(x)}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) \geq \varphi_{x,2x,x}(|2|(1-L)t).$$

This implies that the inequality (7) holds. Furthermore, it follows from (2), (5) and (9) that

$$\mu_{D_\nu h_n(x,y,z)}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \mu_{\frac{1}{2^m} D_\nu f_n(2^m x, 2^m y, 2^m z)}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) \geq \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \varphi_{2^m x, 2^m y, 2^m z}(|2|^m t) \rightarrow 1$$

for all  $x, y, z \in \mathcal{A}$  and  $t > 0$ . So the mapping  $h_n$  is additive. By a similar method to the above, we have  $\nu h_n(x) = h_n(\nu x)$  for all  $\nu \in \mathbb{T}^1$  and all  $x \in \mathcal{A}$ . Thus, one can show that the mapping  $h_n : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$  is  $\mathbb{C}$ -linear for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ . Using (4), (6) and (9), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_{h_n(xy) - \sum_{i=0}^n h_i(x)h_{n-i}(y)}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) &= \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \mu_{f_n(2^{2m}(xy)) - \sum_{i=0}^n f_i(2^m x)f_{n-i}(2^m y)}^{\mathcal{B}}(|2|^{2m}t) \\ &\geq \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \psi_{2^m x, 2^m y}(|2|^{2m}t) \rightarrow 1 \end{aligned}$$

for all  $x, y \in \mathcal{A}$  and  $t > 0$ . So,  $h_n(xy) = \sum_{i=0}^n h_i(x)h_{n-i}(y)$  for all  $x, y \in \mathcal{A}$ . By (3),

$$\mu_{\frac{1}{2^m} f_n(2^m x^*) - \frac{1}{2^m} f_n(2^m x)^*}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) \geq \varphi_{2^m x, 0, 0}(|2|^m t)$$

for all  $x \in \mathcal{A}$  and  $t > 0$ . Passing to the limit as  $m \rightarrow \infty$ , we get  $h_n(x^*) = h_n(x)^*$  for all  $x \in \mathcal{A}$ . This completes the proof.

**Corollary 3.** *Let  $p > 1$ ,  $\xi$  be nonnegative real number and let  $F = \{f_0, f_1, \dots, f_n, \dots\}$  be a sequence of mappings from  $\mathcal{A}$  into  $\mathcal{B}$  such that for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ ,  $f_n(0) = 0$ ,*

$$\mu_{D_\nu f_n(x,y,z)}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) \geq \frac{t}{t + \xi \left[ \|x\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p + \|y\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p + \|z\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p \right]},$$

$$\mu_{f_n(x^*) - f_n(x)^*}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) \geq \frac{t}{t + \xi \|x\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p},$$

$$\mu_{f_n(xy) - \sum_{i=0}^n f_i(x)f_{n-i}(y)}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) \geq \frac{t}{t + \xi \left[ \|x\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p + \|y\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p \right]}$$

for all  $\nu \in \mathbb{T}^1$ , all  $x, y, z \in \mathcal{A}$  and all  $t > 0$ . Then there exists a unique higher \*-derivation  $H = \{h_0, h_1, \dots, h_n, \dots\}$  of any rank from  $\mathcal{A}$  into  $\mathcal{B}$  such that for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ ,

$$\mu_{f_n(x) - h_n(x)}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) \geq \frac{\left( |2| - |2|^p \right) t}{\left( |2| - |2|^p \right) t + \xi \left( |2| + |2|^p \right) \|x\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p}$$

holds for all  $x \in \mathcal{A}$  and  $t > 0$ .

*Proof.* Put  $\varphi_{x,y,z}(t) = \frac{t}{t+\xi \left[ \|x\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p + \|y\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p + \|z\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p \right]}$ ,  $\psi_{x,y}(t) = \frac{t}{t+\xi \left[ \|x\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p + \|y\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p \right]}$  and let  $L =$

$|2|^{p-1}$  in the Theorem (2).

Then there exists a sequence  $H = \{h_0, h_1, \dots, h_n, \dots\}$  with the required properties.

Similar to Theorem (2), we can prove the following theorem:

**Theorem 4.** Let  $\varphi : \mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}^+$  and  $\psi : \mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}^+$  be functions. Assume that  $F = \{f_0, f_1, \dots, f_n, \dots\}$  be a sequence of mappings from  $\mathcal{A}$  into  $\mathcal{B}$  such that for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ ,  $f_n(0) = 0$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_{D_\nu f_n(x,y,z)}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) &\geq \varphi_{x,y,z}(t), \\ \mu_{f_n(x^*)-f_n(x)^*}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) &\geq \varphi_{x,0,0}(t), \\ \mu_{f_n(xy)-\sum_{i=0}^n f_i(x)f_{n-i}(y)}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) &\geq \psi_{x,y}(t) \end{aligned} \quad (10)$$

for all  $\nu \in \mathbb{T}^1$ , all  $x, y, z \in \mathcal{A}$  and all  $t > 0$ . Suppose that  $|2| < 1$  is far from zero and there exists an  $0 \leq L < 1$  such that

$$\varphi_{\frac{x}{2}, \frac{y}{2}, \frac{z}{2}}\left(\frac{L}{|2|}t\right) \geq \varphi_{x,y,z}(t), \quad (11)$$

$$\psi_{\frac{x}{2}, \frac{y}{2}}\left(\frac{L}{|2|^2}t\right) \geq \psi_{x,y}(t) \quad (12)$$

for all  $x, y, z \in \mathcal{A}$  and  $t > 0$ . Then there exists a unique higher \*-derivation  $H = \{h_0, h_1, \dots, h_n, \dots\}$  of any rank from  $\mathcal{A}$  into  $\mathcal{B}$  such that for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ ,

$$\mu_{f_n(x)-h_n(x)}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) \geq \varphi_{x,2x,x}\left(\frac{|2|(1-L)}{L}t\right) \quad (13)$$

holds for all  $x \in \mathcal{A}$  and  $t > 0$ .

*Proof.* Fix  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ . Putting  $\nu = 1$  in (10). Let  $\mathcal{Z}$  be the set of all functions  $g : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$ . We define the metric  $d$  on  $\mathcal{Z}$  as in the proof of Theorem (2). One has the operator  $J : \mathcal{Z} \rightarrow \mathcal{Z}$  by  $(Jh)(x) = 2h(\frac{x}{2})$  for all  $h \in \mathcal{Z}$ . For arbitrarily elements  $f, g \in \mathcal{Z}$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} d(f, g) < k &\Rightarrow \mu_{f(x)-g(x)}^{\mathcal{B}}(kt) > \varphi_{x,2x,x}(t) \\ &\Rightarrow \mu_{f(\frac{x}{2})-g(\frac{x}{2})}^{\mathcal{B}}(kt) > \varphi_{\frac{x}{2},x,\frac{x}{2}}(t) \\ &\Rightarrow \mu_{2f(\frac{x}{2})-2g(\frac{x}{2})}^{\mathcal{B}}(kt) > \varphi_{\frac{x}{2},x,\frac{x}{2}}\left(\frac{1}{|2|}t\right) \\ &\Rightarrow \mu_{2f(\frac{x}{2})-2g(\frac{x}{2})}^{\mathcal{B}}(kLt) > \varphi_{x,2x,x}(t) \Rightarrow d(Jf, Jg) < kL. \end{aligned}$$

Thus,  $J$  is a contraction with the Lipschitz constant  $L$ . Now, by Theorem (1) there exists a unique mapping  $h_n : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$  such that  $h_n$  is a fixed point of  $J$  that is  $2h_n(\frac{x}{2}) = h_n(x)$  for all  $x \in \mathcal{A}$ . By Theorem (1),

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} 2^m f_n\left(\frac{x}{2^m}\right) = h_n(x)$$

for all  $x \in \mathcal{A}$ . By Theorem (1), (8) and (11), we have

$$\mu_{f_n(x)-2f_n(\frac{x}{2})}^{\mathcal{B}}\left(\frac{L}{|2|}t\right) \geq \varphi_{x,2x,x}(t) \Rightarrow d(f_n, Jf_n) \leq \frac{L}{|2|} < \infty$$

for all  $x \in \mathcal{A}$  and all  $t > 0$ . This implies that

$$d(f_n, h_n) \leq \frac{1}{1-L}d(f_n, Jf_n) \leq \frac{L}{|2|(1-L)},$$

that is

$$\mu_{f_n(x)-h_n(x)}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) \geq \varphi_{x,2x,x}\left(\frac{|2|(1-L)}{L}t\right)$$

for all  $x \in \mathcal{A}$  and all  $t > 0$ . The rest of the proof is similar to that of the proof of Theorem (2).

The following corollary is similar to Corollary (3) for the case where  $0 \leq p < 1$ .

**Corollary 5.** *Let  $0 \leq p < 1$ ,  $\xi$  be nonnegative real number and let  $F = \{f_0, f_1, \dots, f_n, \dots\}$  be a sequence of mapping from  $\mathcal{A}$  into  $\mathcal{B}$  such that  $f_n(0) = 0$  and*

$$\mu_{D_\nu f_n(x,y,z)}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) \geq \frac{t}{t + \xi \left[ \|x\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p + \|y\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p + \|z\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p \right]},$$

$$\mu_{f_n(x^*)-f_n(x)^*}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) \geq \frac{t}{t + \xi \|x\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p},$$

$$\mu_{f_n(xy)-\sum_{i=0}^n f_i(x)f_{n-i}(y)}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) \geq \frac{t}{t + \xi \left[ \|x\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p + \|y\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p \right]}$$

for all  $\nu \in \mathbb{T}^1$ , all  $x, y, z \in \mathcal{A}$  and all  $t > 0$ . Then there exists a unique higher \*-derivation  $H = \{h_0, h_1, \dots, h_n, \dots\}$  of any rank from  $\mathcal{A}$  into  $\mathcal{B}$  such that for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ ,

$$\mu_{f_n(x)-h_n(x)}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) \geq \frac{\left(|2|^p - |2|\right)t}{\left(|2|^p - |2|\right)t + \xi \left(|2| + |2|^p\right) \|x\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p}$$

holds for all  $x \in \mathcal{A}$  and  $t > 0$ .

*Proof.* Let  $\varphi_{x,y,z}(t) = \frac{t}{t+\xi \left[ \|x\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p + \|y\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p + \|z\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p \right]}$ ,  $\psi_{x,y}(t) = \frac{t}{t+\xi \left[ \|x\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p + \|y\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p \right]}$  and let  $L =$

$|2|^{1-p}$  in the Theorem (4).

Then there exists a sequence  $H = \{h_0, h_1, \dots, h_n, \dots\}$  with the required properties.

#### 4. LIE HIGHER \*-DERIVATIONS IN NON-ARCHIMEDEAN RANDOM LIE $C^*$ -ALGEBRAS

A non-Archimedean random  $C^*$ -algebra  $\mathcal{N}$ , endowed with the Lie product  $[x, y] := \frac{xy - yx}{2}$  on  $\mathcal{N}$ , is called a non-Archimedean random Lie  $C^*$ -algebra.

**Definition 8.** Let  $\mathcal{A}$  and  $\mathcal{B}$  be non-Archimedean random Lie  $C^*$ -algebras. Let  $\mathbb{N}$  be the set of natural numbers. Form  $m \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$ , a sequence  $H = \{h_0, h_1, \dots, h_m\}$  (resp.  $H = \{h_0, h_1, \dots, \dots\}$ ) of mappings from  $\mathcal{A}$  into  $\mathcal{B}$  is called a Lie higher \*-derivation of rank  $m$  (resp. infinite rank) from  $\mathcal{A}$  into  $\mathcal{B}$  if

- (i)  $f_n(x^*) = (f_n(x))^*$ , for all  $x \in \mathcal{A}$  and for each  $n \in \{0, 1, \dots, m\}$  (resp.  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ .)
- (ii)  $f_n[x, y] = \sum_{i=0}^n [f_i(x), f_{n-i}(y)]$  holds for each  $n \in \{0, 1, \dots, m\}$  (resp.  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ ) and all  $x, y \in \mathcal{A}$ .

In this section, assume that  $\mathcal{A}$  is a non-Archimedean random Lie  $C^*$ -algebra with norm  $\mu^{\mathcal{A}}$  and that  $\mathcal{B}$  is a non-Archimedean random Lie  $C^*$ -algebra with norm  $\mu^{\mathcal{B}}$ . We are going to investigate the generalized Hyers-Ulam stability of Lie higher \*-derivations in non-Archimedean random Lie  $C^*$ -algebras for the functional equation  $D_\nu f_n(x, y, z) = 0$ .

**Theorem 6.** Let  $\varphi : \mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}^+$  and  $\psi : \mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}^+$  be functions such that (2) and (3) hold. Suppose that  $F = \{f_0, f_1, \dots, f_n, \dots\}$  be a sequence of mappings from  $\mathcal{A}$  into  $\mathcal{B}$  such that for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ ,  $f_n(0) = 0$ ,

$$\mu_{f_n([x,y] - \sum_{i=0}^n [f_i(x), f_{n-i}(y)])}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) \geq \psi_{x,y}(t) \quad (14)$$

for all  $\nu \in \mathbb{T}^1$ , all  $x, y, z \in \mathcal{A}$  and all  $t > 0$ . Assume that  $|2| < 1$  is far from zero and there exists an  $0 \leq L < 1$  and (5), (6) hold. Then there exists a unique Lie higher \*-derivation  $H = \{h_0, h_1, \dots, h_n, \dots\}$  of any rank from  $\mathcal{A}$  into  $\mathcal{B}$  such that for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ , (7) holds.

*Proof.* By the same reasoning as in the proof of Theorem (2), there is a mapping  $h_n : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$  which is \*-preserving for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$  and satisfy (7). The mapping  $h_n : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$  is given by

$$h_n(x) = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f_n(2^m x)}{2^m}$$

for all  $x \in \mathcal{A}$ . By (6) and (14),

$$\begin{aligned} & \mu_{f_n(2^{2m}[x,y])-\sum_{i=0}^n[f_i(2^m x), f_{n-i}(2^m y)]}^{\mathcal{B}}(|2|^{2m}t) \\ & \geq \psi_{2^m x, 2^m y}(|2|^{2m}t) \rightarrow 1 \quad \text{when } m \rightarrow \infty \end{aligned}$$

for all  $x, y \in \mathcal{A}$  and all  $t > 0$ . Therefore,

$$h_n[x, y] = \sum_{i=0}^n [h_i(x), h_{n-i}(y)]$$

for all  $x, y \in \mathcal{A}$ . Thus  $H = \{h_0, h_1, \dots, h_n, \dots\}$  is Lie higher \*-derivation.

**Corollary 7.** *Let  $p > 1$ ,  $\xi$  be nonnegative real numbers and let  $F = \{f_0, f_1, \dots, f_n, \dots\}$  be a sequence of mappings from  $\mathcal{A}$  into  $\mathcal{B}$  such that for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ ,  $f_n(0) = 0$ ,*

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_{D_\nu f_n(x,y,z)}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) & \geq \frac{t}{t + \xi \left[ \|x\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p + \|y\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p + \|z\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p \right]}, \\ \mu_{f_n(x^*)-f_n(x)^*}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) & \geq \frac{t}{t + \xi \|x\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p}, \\ \mu_{f_n([x,y])-\sum_{i=0}^n[f_i(x), f_{n-i}(y)]}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) & \geq \frac{t}{t + \xi \left[ \|x\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p + \|y\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p \right]} \end{aligned} \tag{15}$$

for all  $\nu \in \mathbb{T}^1$ , all  $x, y, z \in \mathcal{A}$  and all  $t > 0$ . Then there exists a unique Lie higher \*-derivation  $H = \{h_0, h_1, \dots, h_n, \dots\}$  of any rank from  $\mathcal{A}$  into  $\mathcal{B}$  such that for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ ,

$$\mu_{f_n(x)-h_n(x)}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) \geq \frac{\left( |2| - |2|^p \right) t}{\left( |2| - |2|^p \right) t + \xi \left( |2| + |2|^p \right) \|x\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p}$$

for all  $x \in \mathcal{A}$  and  $t > 0$ .

*Proof.* The proof follows from Theorem (6) by taking  $\varphi_{x,y,z}(t) = \frac{t}{t + \xi \left[ \|x\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p + \|y\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p + \|z\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p \right]}$ ,

$\psi_{x,y}(t) = \frac{t}{t + \xi \left[ \|x\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p + \|y\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p \right]}$  for all  $x, y, z \in \mathcal{A}$  and  $t > 0$ . Then  $L = |2|^{p-1}$  and we get

the desired result.

**Theorem 8.** *Let  $\varphi : \mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}^+$  and  $\psi : \mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}^+$  be functions such that (2) and (3) hold. Suppose that  $F = \{f_0, f_1, \dots, f_n, \dots\}$  be a sequence of mappings from  $\mathcal{A}$  into  $\mathcal{B}$  satisfying  $f_n(0) = 0$ , for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ , and (14). Assume that  $|2| < 1$  is far from zero and there exists an  $0 \leq L < 1$  and (11), (12) hold. Then there exists a unique Lie higher \*-derivation  $H = \{h_0, h_1, \dots, h_n, \dots\}$  of any rank from  $\mathcal{A}$  into  $\mathcal{B}$  such that for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ , (13) holds.*

**Corollary 9.** Let  $0 \leq p < 1$ ,  $\xi$  be nonnegative real numbers and let  $F = \{f_0, f_1, \dots, f_n, \dots\}$  be a sequence of mappings from  $\mathcal{A}$  into  $\mathcal{B}$  such that satisfying  $f_n(0) = 0$ , for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ , and (15). Then there exists a unique Lie higher  $*$ -derivation  $H = \{h_0, h_1, \dots, h_n, \dots\}$  of any rank from  $\mathcal{A}$  into  $\mathcal{B}$  such that for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ ,

$$\mu_{f_n(x)-h_n(x)}^{\mathcal{B}}(t) \geq \frac{\left(|2|^p - |2|\right)t}{\left(|2|^p - |2|\right)t + \xi\left(|2| + |2|^p\right)\|x\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p}$$

for all  $x \in \mathcal{A}$  and  $t > 0$ .

*Proof.* The proof follows from Theorem (8) by taking  $\varphi_{x,y,z}(t) = \frac{t}{t+\xi\left[\|x\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p+\|y\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p+\|z\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p\right]}$ ,  $\psi_{x,y}(t) = \frac{t}{t+\xi\left[\|x\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p+\|y\|_{\mathcal{A}}^p\right]}$  for all  $x, y \in \mathcal{A}$  and  $t > 0$ . Then  $L = |2|^{1-p}$  and we get the desired result.

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