



# Some Constructions of Multiplicative $n$ -ary hom–Nambu Algebras

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**Abstract.** We show that given a hom–Lie algebra one can construct the  $n$ -ary hom–Lie bracket by means of an  $(n - 2)$ -cochain of the given hom–Lie algebra and find the conditions under which this  $n$ -ary bracket satisfies the Filippov–Jacobi identity, thereby inducing the structure of  $n$ -hom–Lie algebra. We introduce the notion of a hom–Lie  $n$ -tuple system which is the generalization of a hom–Lie triple system. We construct hom–Lie  $n$ -tuple system using a hom–Lie algebra.

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## Introduction

The first instance of  $n$ -ary algebras in Physics appeared with a generalization of the Hamiltonian mechanics proposed in 1973 by Nambu [23]. More recent motivation comes from string theory and M-branes involving naturally an algebra with ternary operation called Bagger–Lambert algebra which gives impulse to a significant development. It was used in [7] as one of the main ingredients in the construction of a new type of supersymmetric gauge theory that is consistent with all the symmetries expected of a multiple M2-brane theory: 16 supersymmetries, conformal invariance, and  $SO(8)$  R-symmetry acting on the eight transverse scalars. On the other hand, in the study of supergravity solutions describing M2-branes ending on M5-branes, the Lie algebra appearing in the original Nahm equations has to be replaced with a generalization involving a ternary bracket in the lifted Nahm equations (see [8]).

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In [6], generalizations of  $n$ -ary algebras of Lie type and associative type by twisting the identities using linear maps were introduced. The notions of representations, derivations, cohomology and deformations were studied in [3, 12, 15, 21, 24]. These generalizations include  $n$ -ary Hom-algebra structures generalizing the  $n$ -ary algebras of Lie type including  $n$ -ary Nambu algebras,  $n$ -Lie algebras (called also  $n$ -ary Nambu–Lie algebras) and  $n$ -ary Lie algebras, and  $n$ -ary algebras of associative type including  $n$ -ary totally associative and  $n$ -ary partially associative algebras. In [4], a method was demonstrated how to construct ternary multiplications from the binary multiplication of a hom–Lie algebra, a linear twisting map, and a trace function satisfying certain compatibility conditions; and it was shown that this method can be used to construct ternary hom–Nambu–Lie algebras from hom–Lie algebras. This construction was generalized to  $n$ -Lie algebras and  $n$ -hom–Nambu–Lie algebras in [5].

It is well known that algebras of derivations and generalized derivations are very important in the study of Lie algebras and its generalizations. The notion of  $\delta$ -derivation appeared in the paper of Filippov [14]. The results for  $\delta$ -derivations and generalized derivations were studied by many authors. For example, Zhang and Zhang [26] generalized the above results to the case of Lie superalgebras; Chen, Ma, Ni and Zhou considered the generalized derivations of color Lie algebras, hom–Lie superalgebras and Lie triple systems [10, 11]. Derivations and generalized derivations of  $n$ -ary algebras were considered in [17, 18] and other papers. In [9], the authors generalize these results in the color  $n$ -ary hom–Nambu case.

This paper is organized as follows. In Sect. 1, we review some basic concepts of hom–Lie algebras,  $n$ -ary hom–Nambu algebras and  $n$ -hom–Lie algebras. We also recall the definitions of derivations,  $\alpha^k$ -derivations,  $\alpha^k$ -quasiderivations and  $\alpha^k$ -centroid. In Sect. 2, we provide a construction procedure of  $n$ -hom–Lie algebras starting from a binary bracket of a hom–Lie algebra and multilinear form satisfying certain conditions. To this end, we give the relation between  $\alpha^k$ -derivations, (resp.  $\alpha^k$ -quasiderivations and  $\alpha^k$ -centroid) of hom–Lie algebras and  $\alpha^k$ -derivations (resp.  $\alpha^k$ -quasiderivations and  $\alpha^k$ -centroid) of  $n$ -hom–Lie algebras. In Sect. 3, we introduce the notion of a hom–Lie  $n$ -tuple system which is the generalization of a Lie  $n$ -tuple system which is introduced in [13]. We construct a hom–Lie  $n$ -tuple system using a hom–Lie algebra. Finally, we give a relation between  $\alpha^k$ -quasiderivations of a hom–Lie algebra and  $(n + 1)$ -ary  $\alpha^k$ -derivations of associated hom–Lie  $n$ -tuple system.

## 1. hom–Lie Algebra and $n$ -ary hom–Nambu Algebras

Throughout this paper, we will, for simplicity of exposition, assume that  $\mathbb{K}$  is an algebraically closed field of characteristic zero, even though, for most of the general definitions and results in the paper, this assumption is not essential.

### 1.1. Definitions

The notion of a hom-Lie algebra was initially motivated by examples of deformed Lie algebras coming from twisted discretizations of vector fields (see [16,19]). We will follow notation conventions in [22].

**Definition 1.1.** A hom-Lie algebra is a triple  $(\mathfrak{g}, [ , ], \alpha)$ , where  $[ , ] : \mathfrak{g} \times \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \mathfrak{g}$  is a bilinear map and  $\alpha : \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \mathfrak{g}$  a linear map satisfying

$$\begin{aligned}
 [x, y] &= -[y, x], \quad (\text{skew-symmetry}) \\
 \circlearrowleft_{x,y,z} [\alpha(x), [y, z]] &= 0, \quad (\text{hom-Jacobi condition})
 \end{aligned}$$

for all  $x, y, z$  from  $\mathfrak{g}$ , where  $\circlearrowleft_{x,y,z}$  denotes summation over the cyclic permutations of  $x, y, z$ .

**Definition 1.2.** A hom-Lie algebra  $(\mathfrak{g}, [ , ], \alpha)$  is called multiplicative if  $\alpha([x, y]) = [\alpha(x), \alpha(y)]$  for all  $x, y \in \mathfrak{g}$ .

We define a linear map  $ad : \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \text{End}(\mathfrak{g})$  by  $\text{ad}_x(y) = [x, y]$ . Thus, the hom-Jacobi identity is equivalent to

$$\text{ad}_{[x,y]}(\alpha(z)) = \text{ad}_{\alpha(x)} \circ \text{ad}_y(z) - \text{ad}_{\alpha(y)} \circ \text{ad}_x(z), \quad \text{for all } x, y, z \in \mathfrak{g}. \quad (1.1)$$

*Remark 1.3.* An ordinary Lie algebra is a hom-Lie algebra when  $\alpha = id$ .

*Example 1.4.* Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be the complex algebra where  $\mathcal{A} = \mathbb{C}[t, t^{-1}]$  is the ring of Laurent polynomials in one variable. The generators of  $\mathcal{A}$  are of the form of  $t^n$  for  $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ .

Let  $q \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0, 1\}$  and  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , we set  $\{n\} = \frac{1-q^n}{1-q}$ , a  $q$ -number. The  $q$ -numbers have the following properties:  $\{n + 1\} = 1 + q\{n\} = \{n\} + q^n$  and  $\{n + m\} = \{n\} + q^n\{m\}$ .

Let  $\mathfrak{A}_q$  be a space with basis  $\{L_m, I_m | m \in \mathbb{Z}\}$  where  $L_m = -t^m D$ ,  $I_m = -t^m$  and  $D$  is a  $q$ -derivation on  $\mathcal{A}$  such that

$$D(t^m) = \{m\}t^m.$$

We define the bracket  $[ , ]_q : \mathfrak{A}_q \times \mathfrak{A}_q \rightarrow \mathfrak{A}_q$ , with respect to the super-skew-symmetry for  $n, m \in \mathbb{Z}$  by

$$[L_m, L_n]_q = (\{m\} - \{n\})L_{m+n}, \quad (1.2)$$

$$[L_m, I_n]_q = -\{n\}I_{m+n}, \quad (1.3)$$

$$[I_m, I_n]_q = 0. \quad (1.4)$$

Let  $\alpha$  be an even linear map on  $\mathfrak{A}_q$  defined on the generators by

$$\alpha_q(L_n) = (1 + q^n)L_n, \quad \alpha_q(I_n) = (1 + q^n)I_n,$$

The triple  $(\mathfrak{A}_q, [ , ]_q, \alpha_q)$  is a hom-Lie algebra, called the  $q$ -deformed Heisenberg-Virasoro algebra of hom-type.

*Example 1.5.* We consider the matrix construction of the algebra  $\mathfrak{sl}_2(\mathbb{R})$  generated by the following three vectors:

$$H = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}; \quad X = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}; \quad Y = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

The defining relations are

$$[H, X] = 2X; \quad [H, Y] = -2Y; \quad [X, Y] = H.$$

Let  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}^*$  and consider the linear maps  $\alpha_\lambda : \mathfrak{sl}_2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathfrak{sl}_2(\mathbb{R})$  defined by:

$$\alpha_\lambda(H) = H; \quad \alpha_\lambda(X) = \lambda^2 X; \quad \alpha_\lambda(Y) = \frac{1}{\lambda^2} Y.$$

Note that  $\alpha_\lambda$  is a Lie algebra automorphism.

In [2], the authors have shown that  $(\mathfrak{sl}_2(\mathbb{R}))_\lambda = (\mathfrak{sl}_2(\mathbb{R}), [ , ]_{\alpha_\lambda}, \alpha_\lambda)$  is a family of multiplicative hom-Lie algebras where the hom-Lie bracket  $[ , ]_{\alpha_\lambda}$  on the basis elements is given, for  $\lambda \neq 0$ , by

$$[H, X]_{\alpha_\lambda} = 2\lambda^2 X; \quad [H, Y]_{\alpha_\lambda} = -\frac{2}{\lambda^2} Y; \quad [X, Y]_{\alpha_\lambda} = H.$$

Now, we recall the definitions of  $n$ -ary hom-Nambu algebras and  $n$ -ary hom-Nambu-Lie algebras, generalizing  $n$ -ary Nambu algebras and  $n$ -ary Nambu-Lie algebras (also called Filippov algebras), respectively, which were introduced by Ataguema et al. [6].

**Definition 1.6.** An  $n$ -ary hom-Nambu algebra  $(\mathcal{N}, [ , \dots , ], \tilde{\alpha})$  consists of a vector space  $\mathcal{N}$ , an  $n$ -linear map  $[ , \dots , ] : \mathcal{N}^n \rightarrow \mathcal{N}$  and a family  $\tilde{\alpha} = (\alpha_i)_{1 \leq i \leq n-1}$  of linear maps  $\alpha_i : \mathcal{N} \rightarrow \mathcal{N}$ , satisfying

$$\begin{aligned} & [\alpha_1(x_1), \dots, \alpha_{n-1}(x_{n-1}), [y_1, \dots, y_n]] \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n [\alpha_1(y_1), \dots, \alpha_{i-1}(y_{i-1}), [x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}, y_i], \alpha_i(y_{i+1}), \dots, \alpha_{n-1}(y_n)], \end{aligned} \tag{1.5}$$

for all  $(x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}) \in \mathcal{N}^{n-1}$ ,  $(y_1, \dots, y_n) \in \mathcal{N}^n$ .

The identity (1.5) is called the *hom-Nambu identity*.

Let  $X = (x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}) \in \mathcal{N}^{n-1}$ ,  $\tilde{\alpha}(X) = (\alpha_1(x_1), \dots, \alpha_{n-1}(x_{n-1})) \in \mathcal{N}^{n-1}$  and  $y \in \mathcal{N}$ . We define an adjoint map  $\text{ad}(X)$  as a linear map on  $\mathcal{N}$ , such that

$$\text{ad}_X(y) = [x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}, y]. \tag{1.6}$$

Then, the hom-Nambu identity (1.5) may be written in terms of the adjoint map as

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{ad}_{\tilde{\alpha}(X)}([x_n, \dots, x_{2n-1}]) \\ &= \sum_{i=n}^{2n-1} [\alpha_1(x_n), \dots, \alpha_{i-n}(x_{i-1}), \text{ad}_X(x_i), \alpha_{i-n+1}(x_{i+1}) \dots, \alpha_{n-1}(x_{2n-1})]. \end{aligned}$$

**Definition 1.7.** An  $n$ -ary hom-Nambu algebra is a triple  $(\mathcal{N}, [ , \dots , ], \tilde{\alpha})$  that is called  $n$ -hom-Lie algebra if the bracket  $[ , \dots , ]$  is skew-symmetric, i.e  $[x_{\sigma(1)}, \dots, x_{\sigma(n)}] = (-1)^{\text{sign}(\sigma)} [x_1, \dots, x_n]$  for  $\sigma \in S_n$ .

*Remark 1.8.* When the maps  $(\alpha_i)_{1 \leq i \leq n-1}$  are all identity maps, one recovers the classical  $n$ -ary Nambu algebras. The hom-Nambu identity (1.5), for  $n = 2$ , corresponds to the hom-Jacobi identity (see [22]), which reduces to the Jacobi identity when  $\alpha_1 = id$ .

Let  $(\mathcal{N}, [\cdot, \dots, \cdot], \tilde{\alpha})$  and  $(\mathcal{N}', [\cdot, \dots, \cdot]', \tilde{\alpha}')$  be two  $n$ -ary hom-Nambu algebras where  $\tilde{\alpha} = (\alpha_i)_{i=1, \dots, n-1}$  and  $\tilde{\alpha}' = (\alpha'_i)_{i=1, \dots, n-1}$ . A linear map  $f : \mathcal{N} \rightarrow \mathcal{N}'$  is an  $n$ -ary hom-Nambu algebra *morphism* if it satisfies

$$f([x_1, \dots, x_{2n-1}]) = [f(x_1), \dots, f(x_{2n-1})]'$$

$$f \circ \alpha_i = \alpha'_i \circ f \quad \forall i = 1, \dots, n-1.$$

In the sequel, we deal sometimes with a particular class of  $n$ -ary hom-Nambu algebras which we call  $n$ -ary multiplicative hom-Nambu algebras.

**Definition 1.9.** A *multiplicative  $n$ -ary hom-Nambu algebra* (resp. *multiplicative  $n$ -hom-Lie algebra*) is an  $n$ -ary hom-Nambu algebra (resp.  $n$ -hom-Lie algebra)  $(\mathcal{N}, [\cdot, \dots, \cdot], \tilde{\alpha})$  with  $\tilde{\alpha} = (\alpha_i)_{1 \leq i \leq n-1}$  where  $\alpha_1 = \dots = \alpha_{n-1} = \alpha$  and satisfying

$$\alpha([x_1, \dots, x_n]) = [\alpha(x_1), \dots, \alpha(x_n)], \quad \forall x_1, \dots, x_n \in \mathcal{N}. \tag{1.7}$$

For simplicity, we will denote the  $n$ -ary multiplicative hom-Nambu algebra as  $(\mathcal{N}, [\cdot, \dots, \cdot], \alpha)$  where  $\alpha : \mathcal{N} \rightarrow \mathcal{N}$  is a linear map. Also by misuse of language, an element  $x \in \mathcal{N}^n$  refers to  $x = (x_1, \dots, x_n)$  and  $\alpha(x)$  denotes  $(\alpha(x_1), \dots, \alpha(x_n))$ .

**1.2. Derivations, Quasiderivations and Centroids of Multiplicative  $n$ -hom-Lie Algebras**

In this section, we recall the definition of derivation, generalized derivation, quasiderivation and centroids of multiplicative  $n$ -hom-Lie algebras.

Let  $(\mathcal{N}, [\cdot, \dots, \cdot], \alpha)$  be a multiplicative  $n$ -hom-Lie algebra. We denote by  $\alpha^k$  the  $k$ -times composition of  $\alpha$  (i.e.  $\alpha^k = \alpha \circ \dots \circ \alpha$   $k$ -times). In particular,  $\alpha^{-1} = 0, \alpha^0 = id$ .

**Definition 1.10.** For any  $k \geq 1$ , we call  $D \in End(\mathcal{N})$  an  $\alpha^k$ -*derivation* of the multiplicative  $n$ -hom-Lie algebra  $(\mathcal{N}, [\cdot, \dots, \cdot], \alpha)$  if

$$[D, \alpha] = 0 \text{ i.e. } D \circ \alpha = \alpha \circ D, \tag{1.8}$$

and

$$D[x_1, \dots, x_n] = \sum_{i=1}^n [\alpha^k(x_1), \dots, \alpha^k(x_{i-1}), D(x_i), \alpha^k(x_{i+1}), \dots, \alpha^k(x_n)]. \tag{1.9}$$

We denote by  $Der_{\alpha^k}(\mathcal{N})$  the set of  $\alpha^k$ -derivations of the multiplicative  $n$ -hom-Lie algebra  $\mathcal{N}$ .

For  $X = (x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}) \in \mathcal{N}^{n-1}$  satisfying  $\alpha(X) = X$  and  $k \geq 1$ , we define the map  $ad_X^k \in End(\mathcal{N})$  by

$$ad_X^k(y) = [x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}, \alpha^k(y)] \quad \forall y \in \mathcal{N}. \tag{1.10}$$

**Lemma 1.11.** *The map  $ad_X^k$  is an  $\alpha^{k+1}$ -derivation that we call the inner  $\alpha^{k+1}$ -derivation.*

We denote by  $Inn_{\alpha^k}(\mathcal{N})$  the space generated by all the inner  $\alpha^{k+1}$ -derivations. For any  $D \in Der_{\alpha^k}(\mathcal{N})$  and  $D' \in Der_{\alpha^k}(\mathcal{N})$ , we define their commutator  $[D, D']$  as usual:

$$[D, D'] = D \circ D' - D' \circ D. \tag{1.11}$$

Set  $Der(\mathcal{N}) = \bigoplus_{k \geq -1} Der_{\alpha^k}(\mathcal{N})$  and  $Inn(\mathcal{N}) = \bigoplus_{k \geq -1} Inn_{\alpha^k}(\mathcal{N})$ .

**Definition 1.12.** An endomorphism  $D$  of a multiplicative  $n$ -ary hom-Nambu algebra  $(\mathcal{N}, [ \dots ], \alpha)$  is called a generalized  $\alpha^k$ -derivation if there exist linear mappings  $D', D'', \dots, D^{(n-1)}, D^{(n)} \in End(\mathcal{N})$  such that

$$D^{(n)}([x_1, \dots, x_n]) = \sum_{i=1}^n [\alpha^k(x_1), \dots, D^{(i-1)}(x_i), \dots, \alpha^k(x_n)], \tag{1.12}$$

for all  $x_1, \dots, x_n \in \mathcal{N}$ . An  $(n+1)$ -tuple  $(D, D', D'', \dots, D^{(n-1)}, D^{(n)})$  is called an  $(n+1)$ -ary  $\alpha^k$ -derivation.

The set of generalized  $\alpha^k$ -derivations is denoted by  $GDer_{\alpha^k}(\mathcal{N})$ . Set  $GDer(\mathcal{N}) = \bigoplus_{k \geq -1} GDer_{\alpha^k}(\mathcal{N})$ .

**Definition 1.13.** Let  $(\mathcal{N}, [ \dots ], \alpha)$  be a multiplicative  $n$ -ary hom-Nambu algebra and  $End(\mathcal{N})$  be the endomorphism algebra of  $\mathcal{N}$ . An endomorphism  $D \in End(\mathcal{N})$  is said to be an  $\alpha^k$ -quasiderivation, if there exists an endomorphism  $D' \in End(\mathcal{N})$  such that

$$\sum_{i=1}^n [\alpha^k(x_1), \dots, D(x_i), \dots, \alpha^k(x_n)] = D'([x_1, \dots, x_n]),$$

for all  $x_1, \dots, x_n \in \mathcal{N}$ . We call  $D'$  the endomorphism associated with the  $\alpha^k$ -quasiderivation  $D$ .

The set of  $\alpha^k$ -quasiderivations will be denoted by  $QDer_{\alpha^k}(\mathcal{N})$ . Set  $QDer(\mathcal{N}) = \bigoplus_{k \geq -1} QDer_{\alpha^k}(\mathcal{N})$ .

**Definition 1.14.** Let  $(\mathcal{N}, [ \dots ], \alpha)$  be a multiplicative  $n$ -ary hom-Nambu algebra and  $End(\mathcal{N})$  be the endomorphism algebra of  $\mathcal{N}$ . Then the following subalgebra of  $End(\mathcal{N})$

$$Cent(\mathcal{N}) = \{ \theta \in End(\mathcal{N}) : \theta([x_1, \dots, x_n]) = [\theta(x_1), \dots, x_n], \forall x_i \in \mathcal{N} \}$$

is said to be the centroid of the  $n$ -ary hom-Nambu algebra. The definition is the same for the classical case of  $n$ -ary Nambu algebra. We may also consider the same definition for any  $n$ -ary hom-Nambu algebra.

Now, let  $(\mathcal{N}, [ \dots ], \alpha)$  be a multiplicative  $n$ -ary hom-Nambu algebra.

**Definition 1.15.** An  $\alpha^k$ -centroid of a multiplicative  $n$ -ary hom-Nambu algebra  $(\mathcal{N}, [ \dots ], \alpha)$  is a subalgebra of  $End(\mathcal{N})$ , denoted  $Cent_{\alpha^k}(\mathcal{N})$ , given by

$$Cent_{\alpha^k}(\mathcal{N}) = \left\{ \theta \in End(\mathcal{N}) : \theta[x_1, \dots, x_n] = [\theta(x_1), \alpha^k(x_2), \dots, \alpha^k(x_n)], \forall x_i \in \mathcal{N} \right\}.$$

We recover the definition of the centroid when  $k = 0$ .

If  $\mathcal{N}$  is a multiplicative  $n$ -hom-Lie algebra, then it is a simple fact that

$$\theta[x_1, \dots, x_n] = [\alpha^k(x_1), \dots, \theta(x_p), \dots, \alpha^k(x_n)], \forall p \in \{1, \dots, n\}.$$

## 2. $n$ -hom-Lie Algebras Induced by hom-Lie Algebras

In [4], the authors introduced a construction of a 3-hom-Lie algebra from a hom-Lie algebra, and more generally of an  $(n + 1)$ -hom-Lie algebra from an  $n$ -hom-Lie algebra. It is called the  $(n + 1)$ -hom-Lie algebra induced by  $n$ -hom-Lie algebra. In this context, Abramov gave a new approach of this construction (see [1]). Now, we generalize this approach in the Hom case.

Let  $(\mathfrak{g}, [ , ], \alpha)$  be a multiplicative hom-Lie algebra and  $\mathfrak{g}^*$  be its dual space. Fix an element of the dual space  $\varphi \in \mathfrak{g}^*$ . Define the triple product as follows:

$$[x, y, z] = \varphi(x)[y, z] + \varphi(y)[z, x] + \varphi(z)[x, y], \quad \forall x, y, z \in \mathfrak{g}. \tag{2.1}$$

Obviously, this triple product is skew-symmetric. Straightforward computation of the left hand side and the right hand side of the Filippov-Jacobi identity (1.5) if  $\varphi \circ \alpha = \varphi$  yields

$$\varphi(x)\varphi([y, z]) + \varphi(y)\varphi([z, x]) + \varphi(z)\varphi([x, y]) = 0. \tag{2.2}$$

Now, we consider  $\varphi$  as a  $\mathbb{K}$ -valued cochain of degree one of the Chevalley-Eilenberg complex of a Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}$ . Making use of the coboundary operator  $\delta : \wedge^k \mathfrak{g}^* \rightarrow \wedge^{k+1} \mathfrak{g}^*$  defined by

$$\begin{aligned} \delta f(u_1, \dots, u_{k+1}) &= \sum_{i < j} (-1)^{i+j+1} f([u_i, u_j]_{\mathfrak{g}}, \alpha(u_1) \dots, \widehat{u}_i, \dots, \widehat{u}_j, \dots, \alpha(u_{k+1})), \end{aligned} \tag{2.3}$$

for  $f \in \wedge^k \mathfrak{g}^*$  and for all  $u_1, \dots, u_{k+1} \in \mathfrak{g}$ , we obtain that  $\delta\varphi(x, y) = \varphi([x, y])$ .

Finally, we can define the wedge product of two cochains  $\varphi$  and  $\delta\varphi$ , which is a cochain of degree three, by

$$\varphi \wedge \delta\varphi(x, y, z) = \varphi(x)\varphi([y, z]) + \varphi(y)\varphi([z, x]) + \varphi(z)\varphi([x, y]).$$

Hence, (2.2) is equivalent to  $\varphi \wedge \delta\varphi = 0$ . Thus, if a 1-cochain  $\varphi$  satisfies the equation (2.2), then the triple product (2.1) is the ternary Lie bracket and we will call this multiplicative 3-hom-Lie bracket the quantum Nambu bracket induced by a 1-cochain.

**Definition 2.1.** For  $\phi \in \wedge^{n-2} \mathfrak{g}^*$ , we define the  $n$ -ary product as follows:

$$[x_1, \dots, x_n]_{\phi} = \sum_{i < j} (-1)^{i+j+1} \phi(x_1, \dots, \widehat{x}_i, \dots, \widehat{x}_j, \dots, x_n)[x_i, x_j], \tag{2.4}$$

for all  $x_1, \dots, x_n \in \mathfrak{g}$ .

**Proposition 2.2.** *The  $n$ -ary product  $[\ , \dots, ]_\phi$  is skew-symmetric.*

*Proof.* Let  $x_1, \dots, x_n \in \mathfrak{g}$  and, fixing two integers  $i < j$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} & [x_1, \dots, x_i, \dots, x_j, \dots, x_n]_\phi \\ &= \sum_{k<l:k,l \neq i,j} (-1)^{k+l+1} \phi(x_1, \dots, x_i, \dots, \widehat{x}_k, \dots, x_j, \dots, \widehat{x}_l, \dots, x_n) [x_l, x_k] \\ &+ \sum_{i<l \neq j} (-1)^{i+l+1} \phi(x_1, \dots, \widehat{x}_i, \dots, x_j, \dots, \widehat{x}_l, \dots, x_n) [x_i, x_l] \\ &+ \sum_{l<i} (-1)^{i+l+1} \phi(x_1, \dots, \widehat{x}_l, \dots, \widehat{x}_i, \dots, x_j, \dots, x_n) [x_l, x_i] \\ &+ \sum_{j<l} (-1)^{j+l+1} \phi(x_1, \dots, x_i, \dots, \widehat{x}_j, \dots, \widehat{x}_l, \dots, x_n) [x_j, x_l] \\ &+ \sum_{l<j,i \neq l} (-1)^{j+l+1} \phi(x_1, \dots, x_i, \dots, \widehat{x}_l, \dots, \widehat{x}_j, \dots, x_n) [x_l, x_j] \\ &+ (-1)^{i+j+1} \phi(x_1, \dots, \widehat{x}_i, \dots, \widehat{x}_j, \dots, x_n) [x_i, x_j] \\ &= -[x_1, \dots, x_j, \dots, x_i, \dots, x_n]_\phi. \end{aligned}$$

Given  $X = (x_1, \dots, x_{n-3}) \in \wedge^{n-3} \mathfrak{g}$ ,  $Y = (y_1, \dots, y_n) \in \wedge^n \mathfrak{g}$  and  $z \in \mathfrak{g}$ , we define the linear map  $\phi_X$  by

$$\phi_X(z) = \phi(X, z),$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \phi \wedge \delta \phi_X(Y) &= \sum_{i<j}^n (-1)^{i+j} \phi(y_1, \dots, \widehat{y}_i, \dots, \widehat{y}_j, \dots, y_n) \delta \phi_X(y_i, y_j) \\ &= \sum_{i<j}^n (-1)^{i+j} \phi(y_1, \dots, \widehat{y}_i, \dots, \widehat{y}_j, \dots, y_n) \phi_X([y_i, y_j]). \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 2.3.** *Let  $(\mathfrak{g}, [\ , \ ], \alpha)$  be a multiplicative hom-Lie algebra,  $\mathfrak{g}^*$  be its dual and  $\phi$  be a cochain of degree  $n-2$ , i.e.  $\phi \in \wedge^{n-2} \mathfrak{g}^*$ . The vector space  $\mathfrak{g}$  is equipped with the  $n$ -ary product (2.4) and the linear map  $\alpha$  is a multiplicative  $n$ -hom-Lie algebra if and only if*

$$\phi \wedge \delta \phi_X = 0, \quad \forall X \in \wedge^{n-3} \mathfrak{g}, \tag{2.5}$$

$$\phi \circ (\alpha \otimes Id \otimes \dots \otimes Id) = \phi. \tag{2.6}$$

*Proof.* Firstly, let  $(x_1, \dots, x_n) \in \wedge^n \mathfrak{g}$ . We have

$$\begin{aligned} & [\alpha(x_1), \dots, \alpha(x_n)]_\phi \\ &= \sum_{i<j}^n (-1)^{i+j+1} \phi(\alpha(x_1), \dots, \alpha(\widehat{x}_i), \dots, \alpha(\widehat{x}_j), \dots, \alpha(x_n)) [\alpha(x_i), \alpha(x_j)] \\ &= \sum_{i<j}^n (-1)^{i+j+1} \phi(x_1, \dots, \widehat{x}_i, \dots, \widehat{x}_j, \dots, x_n) \alpha([x_i, x_j]) \\ &= \alpha([x_1, \dots, x_n]_\phi). \end{aligned}$$



Secondly, for  $(x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}) \in \wedge^{n-1} \mathfrak{g}$  and  $(y_1, \dots, y_n) \in \wedge^n \mathfrak{g}$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} & [\alpha(x_1), \dots, \alpha(x_{n-1}), [y_1, \dots, y_n]_\phi]_\phi \\ &= \sum_{i < j} (-1)^{i+j+1} \phi(y_1, \dots, \widehat{y}_i, \dots, \widehat{y}_j, \dots, y_n) \\ & \quad \times [\alpha(x_1), \dots, \alpha(x_{n-1}), [y_i, y_j]_\phi]_\phi \\ &= \sum_{i < j} \sum_{k < l \leq n-1} (-1)^{i+j+k+l} \phi(\alpha(x_1), \dots, \widehat{\alpha(x_k)}, \dots, \widehat{\alpha(x_l)}, \dots, [y_i, y_j]_\phi) \\ & \quad \times \phi(y_1, \dots, \widehat{y}_i, \dots, \widehat{y}_j, \dots, y_n) [\alpha(x_k), \alpha(x_l)] \\ &+ \sum_{i < j} \sum_{k < n} (-1)^{i+j+k} \phi(\alpha(x_1), \dots, \widehat{\alpha(x_k)}, \dots, \alpha(x_{n-1}), \dots, \widehat{[y_i, y_j]_\phi}) \\ & \quad \times \phi(y_1, \dots, \widehat{y}_i, \dots, \widehat{y}_j, \dots, y_n) [\alpha(x_k), [y_i, y_j]_\phi]. \end{aligned}$$

The terms  $[\alpha(x_k), [y_i, y_j]_\phi]$  are simplified by the hom–Jacobi condition in the second half of the Filippov identity. Now, we group together the other terms according to their coefficient  $[\alpha(x_i), \alpha(x_j)]_\phi$ . For example, if we fix  $(k, l)$ , and if we collect all the terms containing the commutator  $[\alpha(x_k), \alpha(x_l)]_\phi$ , then we get the expression

$$\begin{aligned} & \left( \sum_{i < j} (-1)^{i+j+k+l} \phi(\alpha(x_1), \dots, \widehat{\alpha(x_k)}, \dots, \widehat{\alpha(x_l)}, \dots, [y_i, y_j]_\phi) \right. \\ & \quad \left. \times \phi(y_1, \dots, \widehat{y}_i, \dots, \widehat{y}_j, \dots, y_n) \right) [\alpha(x_k), \alpha(x_l)]. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the  $n$ -ary product (2.4) will satisfy the  $n$ -ary Filippov–Jacobi identity; if for any elements  $X = (x_1, \dots, x_{n-3}) \in \wedge^{n-3} \mathfrak{g}$  and  $Y = (y_1, \dots, y_n) \in \wedge^n \mathfrak{g}$  we require

$$\left( \sum_{i < j}^n (-1)^{i+j} \phi(\alpha(x_1), \dots, \alpha(x_{n-3}), [y_i, y_j]_\phi) \phi(y_1, \dots, \widehat{y}_i, \dots, \widehat{y}_j, \dots, y_n) \right) = 0.$$

**Definition 2.4.** Let  $\phi : \mathfrak{g} \otimes \dots \otimes \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \mathbb{K}$  be a skew-symmetric multilinear form of the multiplicative hom–Lie algebras  $(\mathfrak{g}, [ \ , \ ], \alpha)$ , then  $\phi$  is called a trace if

$$\phi \circ (Id \otimes \dots \otimes Id \otimes [ \ , \ ]) = 0 \text{ and } \phi \circ (\alpha \otimes Id \otimes \dots \otimes Id) = \phi.$$

**Corollary 2.5.** If  $\phi : \mathfrak{g}^{\otimes n-2} \rightarrow \mathbb{K}$  is a trace of the hom–Lie algebra  $(\mathfrak{g}, [ \ , \ ], \alpha)$ , then  $\mathfrak{g}_\phi = (\mathfrak{g}, [ \cdot, \dots, \cdot ]_\phi, \alpha)$  is a  $n$ -hom–Lie algebra.

**Proposition 2.6.** Let  $(\mathfrak{g}, [ \ , \ ], \alpha)$  be a hom–Lie algebra and  $D \in Der(\mathfrak{g})$  be an  $\alpha^k$ -derivation such that

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n-2} \phi(x_1, \dots, D(x_i), \dots, x_{n-2}) = 0.$$

Then,  $D$  is an  $\alpha^k$ -derivation of the  $n$ -hom–Lie algebra  $(\mathfrak{g}, [ \cdot, \dots, \cdot ]_\phi, \alpha)$ .

*Proof.* Let  $X = (x_1, \dots, x_n) \in \wedge^n \mathfrak{g}$ . On the one hand, we get

$$\begin{aligned} & D([x_1, \dots, x_n]_\phi) \\ &= D\left(\sum_{i < j} (-1)^{i+j+1} \phi(\alpha(x_1), \dots, \widehat{x_i}, \dots, \widehat{x_j}, \dots, \alpha(x_n)) [\alpha(x_i), \alpha(x_j)]\right) \\ &= \sum_{i < j} (-1)^{i+j+1} \phi(\alpha(x_1), \dots, \widehat{x_i}, \dots, \widehat{x_j}, \dots, \alpha(x_n)) D([\alpha(x_i), \alpha(x_j)]) \\ &= \sum_{i < j} (-1)^{i+j+1} \phi(x_1, \dots, \widehat{x_i}, \dots, \widehat{x_j}, \dots, x_n) [\alpha(D(x_i)), \alpha^{k+1}(x_j)] \\ &\quad + \sum_{i < j} (-1)^{i+j+1} \phi(x_1, \dots, \widehat{x_i}, \dots, \widehat{x_j}, \dots, x_n) [\alpha^{k+1}(x_i), \alpha(D(x_j))], \end{aligned}$$

and, on the other hand, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{l=1}^n [\alpha^k(x_1), \dots, \alpha^k(x_{l-1}), D(x_l), \dots, \alpha^k(x_{l+1}), \dots, \alpha^k(x_n)]_\phi \\ &= \sum_{l=1}^n \sum_{i < j; i, j \neq l} (-1)^{i+j+1} \phi(\alpha^k(x_1), \dots, \widehat{\alpha^k(x_i)}, \dots, \\ &\quad D(x_l), \dots, \widehat{\alpha^k(x_j)}, \dots, \alpha^k(x_n)) [\alpha^k(x_i), \alpha^k(x_j)] \\ &\quad + \sum_{l=1}^n \sum_{i < l} (-1)^{i+l+1} \phi(\alpha^k(x_1), \dots, \widehat{\alpha^k(x_i)}, \dots, \\ &\quad \widehat{D(x_l)}, \dots, \alpha^k(x_n)) [\alpha^k(x_i), D(x_l)] \\ &\quad + \sum_{l=1}^n \sum_{l=i < j} (-1)^{j+l+1} \phi(\alpha^k(x_1), \dots, \widehat{D(x_l)}, \dots, \\ &\quad \widehat{\alpha^k(x_j)}, \dots, \alpha^k(x_n)) [D(x_l), \alpha^k(x_j)]. \end{aligned}$$

If  $D$  is an  $\alpha^k$ -derivation, then  $D([x_1, \dots, x_n]_\phi) = \sum_{l=1}^n [\alpha^k(x_1), \dots, \alpha^k(x_{l-1}), D(x_l), \dots, \alpha^k(x_{l+1}), \dots, \alpha^k(x_n)]_\phi$ , which gives

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{i < j; i, j \neq l} (-1)^{i+j+1} \left( \sum_{l=1}^n \phi(\alpha^k(x_1), \dots, \widehat{\alpha^k(x_i)}, \dots, \right. \\ &\quad \left. D(x_l), \dots, \widehat{\alpha^k(x_j)}, \dots, \alpha^k(x_n)) \right) [\alpha^k(x_i), \alpha^k(x_j)] = 0. \end{aligned}$$

Finally, if we fix  $(i, j)$ , we have

$$\sum_{l=1}^{n-2} \phi(\alpha^k(x_1), \dots, D(x_l), \dots, \alpha^k(x_{n-2})) = 0.$$

**Proposition 2.7.** *Let  $(\mathfrak{g}, [ \ , \ ], \alpha)$  be a hom-Lie algebra and  $D \in QDer(\mathfrak{g})$  be an  $\alpha^k$ -quasiderivation and  $D' : \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \mathfrak{g}$  be the endomorphism associated with  $D$  such that*

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n-2} \phi(x_1, \dots, D(x_i), \dots, x_{n-2}) = 0.$$

*Then,  $D$  is an  $\alpha^k$ -quasiderivation of the  $n$ -hom-Lie algebra  $(\mathfrak{g}, [ \ , \ ], \phi, \alpha)$  with the same associated endomorphism  $D'$ .*

**Proposition 2.8.** *Let  $(\mathfrak{g}, [ \ , \ ], \alpha)$  be a hom-Lie algebra and  $\theta : \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \mathfrak{g}$  be an  $\alpha^k$ -centroid such that*

$$\phi(\theta(x_1), \dots, x_i, \dots, x_{n-2}) [\alpha^k(x), y] = \phi(x_1, \dots, x_i, \dots, x_{n-2}) [\theta(x), y].$$

*Then,  $D$  is an  $\alpha^k$ -centroid on the  $n$ -hom-Lie algebra  $(\mathfrak{g}, [ \ , \ ], \phi, \alpha)$ .*

*Proof.* If  $x_1, \dots, x_n \in \mathfrak{g}$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \theta([x_1, \dots, x_n]_\phi) &= \sum_{i < j}^n (-1)^{i+j+1} \phi(x_1, \dots, \hat{x}_i, \dots, \hat{x}_j, \dots, x_n) \theta([x_i, x_j]) \\ &= \sum_{i < j}^n (-1)^{i+j+1} \phi(x_1, \dots, \hat{x}_i, \dots, \hat{x}_j, \dots, x_n) [\theta(x_i), \alpha^k(x_j)]. \end{aligned}$$

On the other hand, we have

$$\begin{aligned} &[\theta(x_1), \alpha^k(x_2), \dots, \alpha^k(x_n)]_\phi \\ &= \sum_{i < j}^n (-1)^{i+j+1} \phi(\theta(x_1), \alpha^k(x_2), \dots, \hat{x}_i, \dots, \hat{x}_j, \dots, \alpha^k(x_n)) [\alpha^k(x_i), \alpha^k(x_j)] \\ &= \sum_{i < j}^n (-1)^{i+j+1} \phi(x_1, \dots, \hat{x}_i, \dots, \hat{x}_j, \dots, x_n) [\theta(x_i), \alpha^k(x_j)] \\ &= \theta([x_1, \dots, x_n]_\phi). \end{aligned}$$

### 3. hom-Lie $n$ -Tuple Systems

#### 3.1. hom-Lie Triple Systems

In this section, we start by recalling the definitions of Lie triple systems and hom-Lie triple systems.

**Definition 3.1.** [20]

A vector space  $T$  together with a trilinear map  $(x, y, z) \rightarrow [x, y, z]$  is called a Lie triple system (LTS) if

1.  $[x, x, z] = 0,$
2.  $[x, y, z] + [y, z, x] + [z, x, y] = 0,$
3.  $[u, v, [x, y, z]] = [[u, v, x], y, z] + [x, [u, v, y], z] + [x, y, [u, v, z]],$

for all  $x, y, z, u, v \in T$ .

**Definition 3.2.** [25] A hom-Lie triple system (hom-LTS for short) is denoted by  $(T, [\cdot, \cdot, \cdot], \alpha)$ , which consists of a  $\mathbb{K}$ -vector space  $T$ , a trilinear product  $[\cdot, \cdot, \cdot] : T \times T \times T \rightarrow T$ , and a linear map  $\alpha : T \rightarrow T$ , called the twisted map, such that  $\alpha$  preserves the product and for all  $x, y, z, u, v \in T$ ,

1.  $[x, x, z] = 0$ ,
2.  $[x, y, z] + [y, z, x] + [z, x, y] = 0$ ,
3.  $[\alpha(u), \alpha(v), [x, y, z]] = [[u, v, x], \alpha(y), \alpha(z)] + [\alpha(x), [u, v, y], \alpha(z)] + [\alpha(x), \alpha(y), [u, v, z]]$ .

*Remark 3.3.* When the twisted map  $\alpha$  is equal to the identity map, a hom-LTS is an LTS. So LTS are special examples of hom-LTS.

**Definition 3.4.** A hom-Lie triple system  $(T, [\cdot, \cdot, \cdot], \alpha)$  is called multiplicative if  $\alpha([x, y, z]) = [\alpha(x), \alpha(y), \alpha(z)]$ , for all  $x, y, z \in T$ .

**Theorem 3.5.** [25]

Let  $(\mathfrak{g}, [\cdot, \cdot, \cdot], \alpha)$  be a multiplicative hom-Lie algebra. Then

$$\mathfrak{g}T = (\mathfrak{g}, [\cdot, \cdot, \cdot] = [\cdot, \cdot] \circ ([\cdot, \cdot] \otimes \alpha), \alpha^2),$$

is a multiplicative hom-Lie triple system.

### 3.2. hom-Lie $n$ -Tuple System

In this section, we introduce the definitions of Lie  $n$ -tuple systems and multiplicative hom-Lie  $n$ -tuple systems. We give the analogue of Theorem 3.5 in the hom-Lie  $n$ -tuple systems case.

**Definition 3.6.** A vector space  $\mathcal{G}$  together with a  $n$ -linear map  $(x_1, \dots, x_n) \rightarrow [x_1, \dots, x_n]$  is called a Lie  $n$ -tuple system if

1.  $[x, x, y_1, \dots, y_{n-2}] = 0$ , for all  $x, y_1, \dots, y_{n-2} \in \mathcal{G}$ .
2.  $\circlearrowleft_{x_1, x_2, x_3} [x_1, \dots, x_n] = 0$ , for all  $x_1, \dots, x_n \in \mathcal{G}$ .
3.  $[x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}, [y_1, \dots, y_n]] = \sum_{i=1}^n [y_1, \dots, y_{i-1}, [x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}, y_i], y_{i+1}, \dots, y_n]$ ,

for all  $x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}, y_1, \dots, y_n \in \mathcal{G}$ .

**Definition 3.7.** A vector space  $\mathcal{G}$  together with a  $n$ -linear map  $(x_1, \dots, x_n) \rightarrow [x_1, \dots, x_n]$  and a family  $\tilde{\alpha} = (\alpha_i)_{1 \leq i \leq n-1}$  of linear maps  $\alpha_i : \mathcal{G} \rightarrow \mathcal{G}$  is called a hom-Lie  $n$ -tuple system if

1.  $[x, x, y_1, \dots, y_{n-2}] = 0$ , for all  $x, y_1, \dots, y_{n-2} \in \mathcal{G}$ .
2.  $\circlearrowleft_{x_1, x_2, x_3} [x_1, \dots, x_n] = 0$ , for all  $x_1, \dots, x_n \in \mathcal{G}$ .
3.  $[\alpha_1(x_1), \dots, \alpha_{n-1}(x_{n-1}), [y_1, \dots, y_n]] = \sum_{i=1}^n [\alpha_1(y_1), \dots, \alpha_{i-1}(y_{i-1}), [x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}, y_i] \alpha_i(y_{i+1}), \dots, \alpha_{n-1}(y_n)]$ ,  
for all  $x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}, y_1, \dots, y_n \in \mathcal{G}$ .

**Definition 3.8.** A hom-Lie  $n$ -tuple system  $(\mathcal{G}, [\cdot, \dots, \cdot], \tilde{\alpha})$  is called a multiplicative hom-Lie  $n$ -tuple system if  $\alpha_1 = \dots = \alpha_{n-1} = \alpha$  and  $\alpha([x_1, \dots, x_n]) = [\alpha(x_1), \dots, \alpha(x_n)]$  for all  $x_1, \dots, x_n \in \mathcal{G}$ .

*Remark 3.9.* When the twisted maps  $\alpha_i$  are equal to the identity map, hom-Lie  $n$ -tuple systems are Lie  $n$ -tuple systems. So Lie  $n$ -tuple systems are special examples of hom-Lie  $n$ -tuple systems.

The following result gives a way to construct hom-Lie  $n$ -tuple systems starting from classical Lie  $n$ -tuple systems and algebra endomorphisms.

**Proposition 3.10.** *Let  $(\mathcal{G}, [\cdot, \dots, \cdot])$  be a Lie  $n$ -tuple system and  $\alpha : \mathcal{G} \rightarrow \mathcal{G}$  be a linear map such that  $\alpha([x_1, \dots, x_n]) = [\alpha(x_1), \dots, \alpha(x_n)]$ . Then,  $(\mathcal{G}, [\cdot, \dots, \cdot]_\alpha, \alpha)$  is a hom-Lie  $n$ -tuple system, where  $[x_1, \dots, x_n]_\alpha = [\alpha(x_1), \dots, \alpha(x_n)]$ , for all  $x_1, \dots, x_n \in \mathcal{G}$ .*

Let  $(\mathfrak{g}, [\cdot, \dots, \cdot], \alpha)$  be a hom-Lie algebra. We define the following  $n$ -linear map:

$$\begin{aligned}
 &[\cdot, \dots, \cdot]_n : \mathfrak{g}^{\otimes n} \longrightarrow \mathfrak{g} \\
 &(x_1, \dots, x_n) \longmapsto [x_1, \dots, x_n]_n = [[[\dots [x_1, x_2], \alpha(x_3)], \alpha^2(x_4)] \dots \alpha^{n-3}(x_{n-1})], \alpha^{n-2}(x_n)].
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{3.1}$$

For  $n = 2$ ,  $[x_1, x_2]_2 = [x_1, x_2]$  and for  $n \geq 3$  we have  $[x_1, \dots, x_n]_n = [[x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}]_{n-1}, \alpha^{n-2}(x_n)]$ .

**Theorem 3.11.** *Let  $(\mathfrak{g}, [\cdot, \dots, \cdot], \alpha)$  be a multiplicative hom-Lie algebra. Then*

$$\mathfrak{g}_n = (\mathfrak{g}, [\cdot, \dots, \cdot]_n, \alpha^{n-1})$$

*is a multiplicative hom-Lie  $n$ -tuple system.*

When  $n = 3$  we obtain the multiplicative hom-Lie triple system constructed in Theorem 3.5. To prove this theorem, we need the following lemma.

**Lemma 3.12.** *Let  $(\mathfrak{g}, [\cdot, \dots, \cdot], \alpha)$  be a multiplicative hom-Lie algebra, and  $ad^2$  the adjoint map defined by*

$$ad_x^2(y) = ad_x(ad_x(y)) = [x, y].$$

*Then, we have*

$$ad_{\alpha^{n-1}(x)}^2[y_1, \dots, y_n]_n = \sum_{k=1}^n [\alpha(y_1), \dots, \alpha(y_{k-1}), ad_x^2(y_k), \alpha(y_{k+1}), \dots, \alpha(y_n)]_n,$$

*where  $x \in \mathfrak{g}, y \in \mathfrak{g}$  and  $(y_1, \dots, y_n) \in \mathfrak{g}^n$ .*

*Proof.* For  $n = 2$ , using the hom-Jacobi identity we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 ad_{\alpha(x)}^2[y, z] &= [\alpha(x), [y, z]] = [[x, y], \alpha(z)] + [\alpha(y), [x, z]] \\
 &= [ad_x^2(y), \alpha(z)] + [\alpha(y), ad_x^2(z)].
 \end{aligned}$$

Assume that the property is true up to order  $n$ , that is

$$\begin{aligned}
 &ad_{\alpha^{n-1}(x)}^2[y_1, \dots, y_n]_n \\
 &= \sum_{k=1}^n [\alpha(y_1), \dots, \alpha(y_{k-1}), ad_X^2(y_k), \alpha(y_{k+1}), \dots, \alpha(y_n)]_n.
 \end{aligned}$$

If  $x \in \mathfrak{g}$  and  $(y_1, \dots, y_{n+1}) \in \mathfrak{g}^{n+1}$ , we have

$$ad_{\alpha^n(x)}^2[y_1, \dots, y_{n+1}]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \text{ad}_{\alpha^n(x)}^2[[y_1, \dots, y_n]_n, \alpha^{n-1}(y_{n+1})]_2 \\
 &= \left[ \text{ad}_{\alpha^{n-1}(x)}^2[y_1, \dots, y_n]_n, \alpha^n(y_{n+1}) \right]_2 \\
 &\quad + \left[ [\alpha(y_1), \dots, \alpha(y_n)]_n, \text{ad}_{\alpha^{n-1}(x)}^2(\alpha^{n-1}(y_{n+1})) \right]_2 \\
 &= \sum_{k=1}^n \left[ [\alpha(y_1), \dots, \alpha(y_{k-1}), \text{ad}_x^2(y_k), \alpha(y_{k+1}), \dots, \alpha(y_n)]_n, \alpha^n(y_{n+1}) \right] \\
 &\quad + \left[ [\alpha(y_1), \dots, \alpha(y_n)]_n, \alpha^{n-1}(\text{ad}_x^2(y_{n+1})) \right]_2 \\
 &= \sum_{k=1}^n \left[ \alpha(y_1), \dots, \alpha(y_{k-1}), \text{ad}_x^2(y_k), \alpha(y_{k+1}), \dots, \alpha(y_n), \alpha(y_{n+1}) \right]_{n+1} \\
 &\quad + \left[ \alpha(y_1), \dots, \alpha(y_n), \text{ad}_x^2(y_{n+1}) \right]_{n+1} \\
 &= \sum_{k=1}^{n+1} \left[ \alpha(y_1), \dots, \alpha(y_{k-1}), \text{ad}_x^2(y_k), \alpha(y_{k+1}), \dots, \alpha(y_{n+1}) \right]_{n+1}.
 \end{aligned}$$

The lemma is proved. □

*Proof. (Proof of Theorem 3.11)* Let  $X = (x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}) \in \mathfrak{g}^{n-1}$  and  $Y = (y_1, \dots, y_n) \in \mathfrak{g}^n$ .

- (i) It is easy to see that  $[x_1, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1}]_n = [[\dots[[x_1, x_1]_2, \alpha(x_2)]_2, \alpha^2(x_3)]_2, \dots]_2, \alpha^{n-2}(x_{n-1})]_2 = 0$
- (ii) Using the hom-Jacobi condition, it is easy to prove  $\circlearrowleft_{x_1, x_2, x_3} [x_1, \dots, x_n] = 0$ , for all  $x_1, \dots, x_n \in \mathcal{G}$ .
- (iii) Using Lemma (3.12), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\left[ \alpha^{n-1}(x_1), \dots, \alpha^{n-1}(x_{n-1}), [y_1, \dots, y_n]_n \right]_n \\
 &= \left[ [\alpha^{n-1}(x_1), \dots, \alpha^{n-1}(x_{n-1})]_{n-1}, [\alpha^{n-2}(y_1), \dots, \alpha^{n-2}(y_n)]_n \right]_2 \\
 &= \text{ad}_{\alpha^{n-1}[x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}]}^2([\alpha^{n-2}(y_1), \dots, \alpha^{n-2}(y_n)]_n) \\
 &= \sum_{k=1}^n \left[ \alpha^{n-1}(y_1), \dots, \text{ad}_{[x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}]}^2(\alpha^{n-2}(y_k)), \dots, \alpha^{n-1}(y_n) \right]_n \\
 &= \sum_{k=1}^n \left[ \alpha^{n-1}(y_1), \dots, [[x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}], \alpha^{n-2}(y_k)]_2, \dots, \alpha^{n-1}(y_n) \right]_n \\
 &= \sum_{k=1}^n \left[ \alpha^{n-1}(y_1), \dots, [x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}, y_k]_n, \dots, \alpha^{n-1}(y_n) \right]_n.
 \end{aligned}$$

*Example 3.13.* Using Example 1.5 and Theorem 3.11, for  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}^*$ , we have the following.

For  $n = 3$ ,  $(\mathfrak{sl}_2(\mathbb{R}), [\cdot, \cdot]_3, \alpha_\lambda^2)$  is a hom-Lie triple system. The different brackets are as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
 [H, X, Y]_3 &= [[H, X]_{\alpha_\lambda}, \alpha_\lambda(Y)]_{\alpha_\lambda} = 2H; & [H, X, H]_3 &= -4\lambda^4 X; \\
 [H, Y, X]_3 &= 4H. \\
 [H, Y, H]_3 &= -\frac{4}{\lambda^4} Y; & [X, Y, Y]_3 &= -\frac{2}{\lambda^4} Y; & [X, Y, X]_3 &= 2\lambda^4 X.
 \end{aligned}$$

Each of the other brackets is equal to zero.

For  $n = 4$ ,  $(\mathfrak{sl}_2(\mathbb{R}), [ , , , ]_4, \alpha_\lambda^3)$  is a hom-Lie 4-uplet system. The different brackets are defined as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
 [H, X, H, H]_4 &= [[H, X, H]_3, \alpha^2(H)]_{\alpha_\lambda} = -4\lambda^4 [X, H]_{\alpha_\lambda} = 8\lambda^6 X; \\
 [H, X, H, Y]_4 &= -4H; \\
 [H, Y, H, H]_4 &= -\frac{8}{\lambda^6} Y; & [H, Y, H, X]_4 &= 4H; \\
 [H, X, Y, X]_4 &= 4\lambda^6 X; & [H, X, Y, Y]_4 &= -\frac{2}{\lambda^6} Y; \\
 [H, Y, X, X]_4 &= 8\lambda^6 X; & [H, Y, X, Y]_4 &= -\frac{8}{\lambda^6} Y; \\
 [X, Y, X, Y]_4 &= 2H; \\
 [X, Y, X, H]_4 &= -4\lambda^6 X; & [X, Y, Y, X]_4 &= 2H; \\
 [X, Y, Y, H]_4 &= -\frac{4}{\lambda^6} Y.
 \end{aligned}$$

Each of the other brackets is equal to zero.

**Proposition 3.14.** *Let  $(\mathfrak{g}, [ , , , ], \alpha)$  be a multiplicative hom-Lie algebra and  $D : \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \mathfrak{g}$  be an  $\alpha^k$ -derivation of  $\mathfrak{g}$  for an integer  $k$ . Then,  $D$  is an  $\alpha^k$ -derivation of  $\mathfrak{g}_n$ .*

*Proof.* By recurrence

Fix  $n = 3$ . For  $x, y, z \in \mathfrak{g}$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 D([x, y, z]) &= D([x, y], \alpha(z)) \\
 &= [D([x, y]), \alpha^{k+1}(z)] + [[\alpha^k(x), \alpha^k(y)], D(\alpha(z))] \\
 &= [[D(x), \alpha^k(y)], \alpha^{k+1}(z)] + [[\alpha^k(x), D(y)], \alpha^{k+1}(z)] \\
 &\quad + [[\alpha^k(x), \alpha^k(y)], \alpha(D(z))] \\
 &= [D(x), \alpha^k(y), \alpha^k(z)] + [\alpha^k(x), D(y), \alpha^k(z)] \\
 &\quad + [\alpha^k(x), \alpha^k(y), D(z)].
 \end{aligned}$$

Now, suppose that the property is true to order  $n - 1$ , i.e:

$$D([x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}]_{n-1}) = \sum_{i=1}^n [\alpha^k(x_1), \dots, D(x_k), \dots, \alpha^k(x_{n-1})]_{n-1}.$$

If  $(x_1, \dots, x_n) \in \mathfrak{g}^n$ , then

$$\begin{aligned}
 D([x_1, \dots, x_n]_n) &= D\left([ [x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}]_{n-1}, \alpha^{n-2}(x_n) ]\right) \\
 &= \left[ D([x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}]_{n-1}), \alpha^{n+k-2}(x_n) \right] \\
 &\quad + \left[ [\alpha^k(x_1), \dots, \alpha^k(x_{n-1})]_{n-1}, D(\alpha^{n-2}(x_n)) \right] \\
 &= \left[ D([x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}]_{n-1}), \alpha^{n-2}(\alpha^k(x_n)) \right] \\
 &\quad + \left[ [\alpha^k(x_1), \dots, \alpha^k(x_{n-1})]_{n-1}, \alpha^{n-2}(D(x_n)) \right] \\
 &= \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \left[ [\alpha^k(x_1), \dots, D(x_i), \dots, \alpha^k(x_{n-1})]_{n-1}, \alpha^{n-2}(\alpha^k(x_n)) \right] \\
 &\quad + \left[ \alpha^k(x_1), \dots, \alpha^k(x_{n-1}), D(x_n) \right]_n \\
 &= \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \left[ \alpha^k(x_1), \dots, D(x_i), \dots, \alpha^k(x_{n-1}), \alpha^k(x_n) \right]_n \\
 &\quad + \left[ \alpha^k(x_1), \dots, \alpha^k(x_{n-1}), D(x_n) \right]_n \\
 &= \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ \alpha^k(x_1), \dots, D(x_i), \dots, \alpha^k(x_{n-1}), \alpha^k(x_n) \right]_n.
 \end{aligned}$$

**Proposition 3.15.** *Let  $(\mathfrak{g}, [ , ], \alpha)$  be a multiplicative hom-Lie algebra and  $D, D', \dots, D^{(n-1)}$  be endomorphisms of  $\mathfrak{g}$  such that  $D^{(i)}$  is  $\alpha^k$ -quasiderivation with associated endomorphism  $D^{(i+1)}$  for  $0 \leq i \leq n - 2$ . Then, the  $(n + 1)$ -tuple  $(D, D, D', D'', \dots, D^{(n-1)})$  is an  $(n + 1)$ -ary  $\alpha^k$ -derivation of  $\mathfrak{g}_n$ .*

*Proof.* If  $x_1, \dots, x_n \in \mathfrak{g}$ , then

$$\begin{aligned}
 D^{(n-1)}([x_1, \dots, x_n]_n) &= D^{(n-1)}([ [x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}]_{n-1}, \alpha^{n-2}(x_n) ]) \\
 &= [ D^{(n-2)}([x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}]_{n-1}), \alpha^k(x_n) ] \\
 &\quad + \left[ [\alpha^k(x_1), \dots, \alpha^k(x_{n-1})]_{n-1}, D^{(n-2)}(\alpha^{n-2}(x_n)) \right] \\
 &\quad \vdots \\
 &= \left[ D(x_1), \alpha^k(x_2), \dots, \alpha^k(x_n) \right]_n \\
 &\quad + \left[ \alpha^k(x_1), D(x_2), \dots, \alpha^k(x_n) \right]_n \\
 &\quad + \left[ \alpha^k(x_1), \alpha^k(x_2), D'(x_3), \dots, \alpha^k(x_n) \right]_n \\
 &\quad + \dots + \left[ \alpha^k(x_1), \dots, \alpha^k(x_{n-1}), D^{(n-2)}(x_n) \right]_n.
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, the  $(n + 1)$ -tuple  $(D, D, D', D'', \dots, D^{(n-1)})$  is an  $(n + 1)$ -ary  $\alpha^k$ -derivation of  $\mathfrak{g}_n$ . □

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