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# Quadratic derivations on non-Archimedean Banach algebras

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**Abstract.** Let  $A$  be an algebra and  $X$  be an  $A$ -module. A quadratic mapping  $D : A \rightarrow X$  is called a quadratic derivation if

$$D(ab) = D(a)b^2 + a^2D(b)$$

for all  $a_1, a_2 \in A$ . We investigate the Hyers-Ulam stability of quadratic derivations from a non-Archimedean Banach algebra  $A$  into a non-Archimedean Banach  $A$ -module.

## 1. Introduction

A definition of stability in the case of homomorphisms between metric groups was proposed by a problem by Ulam [32] in 1940. In 1941, Hyers [17] gave a first affirmative answer to the question of Ulam for Banach spaces. Hyers' Theorem was generalized by Rassias [27] for linear mappings by considering an unbounded Cauchy difference (see [3, 4, 8, 10, 18, 19, 22, 25, 29]).

The functional equation

$$f(x+y) + f(x-y) = 2f(x) + 2f(y). \quad (1.1)$$

is related to symmetric bi-additive function. It is natural that this equation is called a quadratic functional equation. In particular, every solution of the quadratic equation (1.1) is said to be a quadratic mapping. It is well known that a mapping  $f$  between real vector spaces is quadratic if and only if there exists a unique symmetric bi-additive mapping  $B$  such that  $f(x) = B(x, x)$  for all  $x$  (see [1, 20]). The bi-additive mapping  $B$  is given by

$$B(x, y) = \frac{1}{4}(f(x+y) - f(x-y)).$$

The Hyers-Ulam stability problem for the quadratic functional equation (1.1) was proved by Skof for mappings  $f : A \rightarrow B$ , where  $A$  is a normed space and  $B$  is a Banach space (see [31]). Cholewa [6], Czerwik [7] and Grabiec [16] have generalized the results of stability of quadratic mappings. Borelli and Forti [5] generalized the stability result as follows (cf. [23, 24]): Let  $G$  be an Abelian group, and  $X$  a Banach space. Assume that a mapping  $f : G \rightarrow X$  satisfies the functional inequality

$$\|f(x+y) + f(x-y) - 2f(x) - 2f(y)\| \leq \varphi(x, y)$$

for all  $x, y \in G$ , where  $\varphi : G \times G \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  is a function such that

$$\Phi(x, y) := \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{4^{i+1}} \varphi(2^i x, 2^i y) < \infty$$

for all  $x, y \in G$ . Then there exists a unique quadratic mapping  $Q : G \rightarrow X$  with the property

$$\|f(x) - Q(x)\| \leq \Phi(x, x)$$

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for all  $x \in G$ .

Let  $\mathbb{K}$  be a field.

A non-Archimedean absolute value on  $\mathbb{K}$  is a function  $|\cdot| : \mathbb{K} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  such that for any  $a, b \in \mathbb{K}$  we have

- (i)  $|a| \geq 0$  and equality holds if and only if  $a = 0$ ,
- (ii)  $|ab| = |a||b|$ ,
- (iii)  $|a + b| \leq \max\{|a|, |b|\}$ .

The condition (iii) is called the strict triangle inequality. By (ii), we have  $|1| = |-1| = 1$ . Thus, by induction, it follows from (iii) that  $|n| \leq 1$  for each integer  $n$ . We always assume, in addition, that  $|\cdot|$  is nontrivial, i.e., that there is an  $a_0 \in \mathbb{K}$  such that  $|a_0| \notin \{0, 1\}$ .

Let  $X$  be a linear space over a scalar field  $\mathbb{K}$  with a non-Archimedean nontrivial valuation  $|\cdot|$ . A function  $\|\cdot\| : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a non-Archimedean norm (valuation) if it satisfies the following conditions:

- (NA1)  $\|x\| = 0$  if and only if  $x = 0$ ;
- (NA2)  $\|rx\| = |r|\|x\|$  for all  $r \in \mathbb{K}$  and  $x \in X$ ;
- (NA3) the strong triangle inequality (ultrametric); namely,

$$\|x + y\| \leq \max\{\|x\|, \|y\|\} \quad (x, y \in X).$$

Then  $(X, \|\cdot\|)$  is called a non-Archimedean space. It follows from (NA3) that

$$\|x_m - x_\ell\| \leq \max\{\|x_{j+1} - x_j\| : \ell \leq j \leq m - 1\} \quad (m > \ell).$$

Therefore, a sequence  $\{x_m\}$  is Cauchy in  $X$  if and only if  $\{x_{m+1} - x_m\}$  converges to zero in a non-Archimedean space. By a complete non-Archimedean space we mean one in which every Cauchy sequence is convergent. A non-Archimedean Banach algebra is a complete non-Archimedean algebra  $A$  which satisfies  $\|ab\| \leq \|a\|\|b\|$  for all  $a, b \in A$ . A non-Archimedean Banach space  $X$  is a non-Archimedean Banach  $A$ -bimodule if  $X$  is an  $A$ -bimodule which satisfies  $\max\{\|xa\|, \|ax\|\} \leq \|a\|\|x\|$  for all  $a \in A, x \in X$ . For more detailed definitions of non-Archimedean Banach algebras, we can refer to [30].

Let  $A$  be a normed algebra and let  $X$  be a Banach  $A$ -module. We say that a mapping  $D : A \rightarrow X$  is a quadratic derivation if  $D$  is a quadratic mapping satisfying

$$D(x_1x_2) = D(x_1)x_2^2 + x_1^2D(x_2) \tag{1.2}$$

for all  $x_1, x_2 \in A$ .

Recently, the stability of derivations has been investigated by a number of mathematicians including [2, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 21, 26, 28] and references therein. More recently, Eshaghi Gordji [9] established the stability of ring derivations on non-Archimedean Banach algebras.

In this paper, we investigate the approximately quadratic derivations on non-Archimedean Banach algebras.

## 2. Main results

In the following we suppose that  $A$  is a non-Archimedean Banach algebra and  $X$  is a non-Archimedean Banach  $A$ -bimodule. Assume that  $|2| \neq 1$ .

**Theorem 2.1.** *Let  $f : A \rightarrow X$  be a given mapping with  $f(0) = 0$  and let  $\varphi_1 : A \times A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$  and  $\varphi_2 : A \times A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$  be functions such that*

$$\|f(x_1x_2) - f(x_1)x_2^2 - x_1^2f(x_2)\| \leq \varphi_1(x_1, x_2), \tag{2.1}$$

$$\|f(x + y) + f(x - y) - 2f(x) - 2f(y)\| \leq \varphi_2(x, y) \tag{2.2}$$

for all  $x_1, x_2, x, y \in A$ . Assume that for each  $x \in A$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \max \left\{ \frac{1}{|2|^{2k}} \frac{\varphi_2(2^k x, 2^k x)}{|2|^2} : 0 \leq k \leq n - 1 \right\}$$

denoted by  $\Psi(x, x)$ , exists. Suppose

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\varphi_1(2^n x_1, 2^n x_2)}{|2|^{4n}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\varphi_2(2^n x, 2^n y)}{|2|^{2n}} = 0$$

for all  $x_1, x_2, x, y \in A$ . Then there exists a unique quadratic derivation  $D : A \rightarrow X$  such that

$$\|D(x) - f(x)\| \leq \Psi(x, x) \tag{2.3}$$

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for all  $x \in A$ .

*Proof.* Setting  $y = x$  in (2.2), we get

$$\|f(2x) - 4f(x)\| \leq \varphi_2(x, x) \quad (2.4)$$

for all  $x \in A$ , and then dividing by  $|2|^2$  in (2.4), we obtain

$$\left\| \frac{f(2x)}{2^2} - f(x) \right\| \leq \frac{\varphi_2(x, x)}{|2|^2} \quad (2.5)$$

for all  $x \in A$ . Replacing  $x$  by  $2x$  and then dividing by  $|2|^2$  in (2.5), we obtain

$$\left\| \frac{f(2^2x)}{2^4} - \frac{f(2x)}{2^2} \right\| \leq \frac{\varphi_2(2x, 2x)}{|2|^4}. \quad (2.6)$$

Combining (2.5), (2.6) and the strong triangle inequality (NA3) yields

$$\left\| \frac{f(2^2x)}{2^4} - f(x) \right\| \leq \max \left\{ \frac{\varphi_2(2x, 2x)}{|2|^4}, \frac{\varphi_2(x, x)}{|2|^2} \right\}. \quad (2.7)$$

Following the same argument, one can prove by induction that

$$\left\| \frac{f(2^n x)}{2^{2n}} - f(x) \right\| \leq \max \left\{ \frac{1}{|2|^2} \frac{\varphi_2(2^k x, 2^k x)}{|2|^{2k}} : 0 \leq k \leq n-1 \right\}. \quad (2.8)$$

Replacing  $x$  by  $2^{n-1}x$  and dividing by  $|2|^{2(n-1)}$  in (2.5), we find that

$$\left\| \frac{f(2^n x)}{2^{2n}} - \frac{f(2^{n-1}x)}{2^{2(n-1)}} \right\| \leq \frac{\varphi_2(2^{n-1}x, 2^{n-1}x)}{|2|^{2n}}$$

for all positive integers  $n$  and all  $x \in A$ . Hence  $\left\{ \frac{f(2^n x)}{2^{2n}} \right\}$  is a Cauchy sequence. Since  $X$  is complete, it follows that  $\left\{ \frac{f(2^n x)}{2^{2n}} \right\}$  is convergent. Set  $D(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(2^n x)}{2^{2n}}$ . By taking the limit as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  in (2.8), we see that  $\|D(x) - f(x)\| \leq \Psi(x, x)$  and (2.3) holds for all  $x \in A$ .

In order to show that  $D$  satisfies (1.2), replacing  $x_1, x_2$  by  $2^n x_1, 2^n x_2$  in (2.1), and dividing both sides of (2.1) by  $|2|^{4n}$ , we get

$$\left\| \frac{f(2^n x_1 \cdot 2^n x_2)}{2^{4n}} - \frac{f(2^n x_1)}{2^{4n}} \cdot (2^n x_2)^2 - (2^n x_1)^2 \cdot \frac{f(2^n x_2)}{2^{4n}} \right\| \leq \frac{\varphi_1(2^n x_1, 2^n x_2)}{|2|^{4n}}.$$

Taking the limit as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , we find that  $D$  satisfies (1.2).

Replacing  $x$  by  $2^n x$  and  $y$  by  $2^n y$  in (2.2) and dividing by  $|2|^{2n}$ , we get

$$\left\| \frac{f(2^n x + 2^n y)}{2^{2n}} + \frac{f(2^n x - 2^n y)}{2^{2n}} - 2 \frac{f(2^n x)}{2^{2n}} - 2 \frac{f(2^n y)}{2^{2n}} \right\| \leq \frac{\varphi_2(2^n x, 2^n y)}{|2|^{2n}}.$$

Taking the limit as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , we find that  $D$  satisfies (1.1).

Now, suppose that there is another such mapping  $D' : A \rightarrow X$  satisfying  $D'(x+y) + D'(x-y) = 2D'(x) + 2D'(y)$  and  $\|D'(x) - f(x)\| \leq \Psi(x, x)$ . Then for all  $x \in A$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|D(x) - D'(x)\| &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{|2|^{2n}} \|D(2^n x) - D'(2^n x)\| \\ &\leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{|2|^{2n}} \max\{\|D(2^n x) - f(2^n x)\|, \|D'(2^n x) - f(2^n x)\|\} \\ &\leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{|2|^2} \max\left\{ \frac{\varphi_2(2^j x, 2^j x)}{|2|^{2j}} : n \leq j \leq k+n-1 \right\} = 0. \end{aligned}$$

It follows that  $D(x) = D'(x)$ . □

**Corollary 2.2.** *Let  $\theta_1$  and  $\theta_2$  be nonnegative real numbers, and let  $p$  be a real number such that  $p > 4$ . Suppose that a mapping  $f : A \rightarrow X$  satisfies*

$$\begin{aligned} \|f(x_1 x_2) - f(x_1) x_2^2 - x_1^2 f(x_2)\| &\leq \theta_1 (\|x_1\|^p + \|x_2\|^p), \\ \|f(x+y) + f(x-y) - 2f(x) - 2f(y)\| &\leq \theta_2 (\|x\|^p + \|y\|^p) \end{aligned}$$

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for all  $x_1, x_2, x, y \in A$ . Then there exists a unique quadratic derivation  $D : A \rightarrow X$  such that

$$\|D(x) - f(x)\| \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \max \left\{ \frac{\theta_2 \|x\|^p}{|2| \cdot |2|^{k(2-p)}} \mid 0 \leq k \leq n-1 \right\}$$

for all  $x \in A$ .

*Proof.* Let  $\varphi_1 : A \times A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$  and  $\varphi_2 : A \times A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$  be functions such that  $\varphi_1(x_1, x_2) = \theta_1(\|x_1\|^p + \|x_2\|^p)$  and  $\varphi_2(x, y) = \theta_2(\|x\|^p + \|y\|^p)$  for all  $x_1, x_2, x, y \in A$ . Then we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\varphi_2(2^n x, 2^n y)}{|2|^{2n}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \theta_2 \cdot |2|^{n(p-2)} \cdot (\|x\|^p + \|y\|^p) = 0 \quad (x, y \in A),$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\varphi_1(2^n x_1, 2^n x_2)}{|2|^{4n}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\theta_1 |2|^{pn}}{|2|^{4n}} (\|x_1\|^p + \|x_2\|^p) = 0 \quad (x_1, x_2 \in A).$$

Applying Theorem 2.1, we conclude the required result.  $\square$

**Theorem 2.3.** Let  $f : A \rightarrow X$  be a mapping and let  $\varphi_1 : A \times A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$ ,  $\varphi_2 : A \times A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$  be functions such that

$$\|f(x_1 x_2) - f(x_1) x_2^2 - x_1^2 f(x_2)\| \leq \varphi_1(x_1, x_2), \quad (2.9)$$

$$\|f(x+y) + f(x-y) - 2f(x) - 2f(y)\| \leq \varphi_2(x, y) \quad (2.10)$$

for all  $x_1, x_2, x, y \in A$ . Assume that for each  $x \in A$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \max \left\{ |2|^{2k} \varphi_2 \left( \frac{x}{2^{k+1}}, \frac{x}{2^{k+1}} \right) : 0 \leq k \leq n-1 \right\}$$

denoted by  $\Psi(x, x)$ , exists. Suppose

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |2|^{4n} \varphi_1 \left( \frac{x_1}{2^n}, \frac{x_2}{2^n} \right) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |2|^{2n} \varphi_2 \left( \frac{x}{2^n}, \frac{y}{2^n} \right) = 0$$

for all  $x_1, x_2, x, y \in A$ . Then there exists a unique quadratic derivation  $D : A \rightarrow X$  such that

$$\|D(x) - f(x)\| \leq \Psi(x, x) \quad (2.11)$$

for all  $x \in A$ .

*Proof.* Setting  $y = x$  in (2.10), we obtain

$$\|f(2x) - 4f(x)\| \leq \varphi_2(x, x). \quad (2.12)$$

Replacing  $x$  by  $\frac{x}{2}$  in (2.12), one obtains

$$\left\| f(x) - 4f\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) \right\| \leq \varphi_2\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}\right). \quad (2.13)$$

Again replacing  $x$  by  $\frac{x}{2}$  in (2.13) and multiplying by  $|2|^2$ , we obtain that

$$\left\| 2^2 f\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) - 2^4 f\left(\frac{x}{2^2}\right) \right\| \leq |2|^2 \varphi_2\left(\frac{x}{2^2}, \frac{x}{2^2}\right). \quad (2.14)$$

By using (2.13), (2.14) and strong triangle inequality (NA3), we get

$$\left\| f(x) - 2^4 f\left(\frac{x}{2^2}\right) \right\| \leq \max \left\{ \varphi_2\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}\right), |2|^2 \varphi_2\left(\frac{x}{2^2}, \frac{x}{2^2}\right) \right\} \quad (2.15)$$

for  $x \in A$ .

Next we prove by induction that

$$\left\| f(x) - 2^{2n} f\left(\frac{x}{2^n}\right) \right\| \leq \max \left\{ |2|^{2k} \varphi_2\left(\frac{x}{2^{k+1}}, \frac{x}{2^{k+1}}\right) : 0 \leq k \leq n-1 \right\}. \quad (2.16)$$

Replacing  $x$  by  $\frac{x}{2^{n-1}}$  and multiplying by  $|2|^{2(n-1)}$  in (2.13), we obtain

$$\left\| 2^{2(n-1)} f\left(\frac{x}{2^{n-1}}\right) - 2^{2n} f\left(\frac{x}{2^n}\right) \right\| \leq |2|^{2(n-1)} \varphi_2\left(\frac{x}{2^n}, \frac{x}{2^n}\right) \quad (2.17)$$

for all  $x \in A$ . Hence  $\{2^{2n} f(\frac{x}{2^n})\}$  is a Cauchy sequence. Since  $X$  is complete, it follows that  $\{2^{2n} f(\frac{x}{2^n})\}$  is convergent. Set  $D(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \{2^{2n} f(\frac{x}{2^n})\}$ . By taking the limit as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  in (2.16), we see that  $\|f(x) - D(x)\| \leq \Psi(x, x)$  and (2.11) holds for all  $x \in A$ .

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Replacing  $x_1, x_2$  by  $\frac{x_1}{2^n}, \frac{x_2}{2^n}$  in (2.9) and multiplying by  $|2|^{4n}$ , we get

$$\left\| 2^{4n} f\left(\frac{x_1}{2^n}, \frac{x_2}{2^n}\right) - 2^{4n} f\left(\frac{x_1}{2^n}\right) \left(\frac{x_2}{2^n}\right)^2 - 2^{4n} \left(\frac{x_1}{2^n}\right)^2 f\left(\frac{x_2}{2^n}\right) \right\| \leq 2^{4n} \varphi_1\left(\frac{x_1}{2^n}, \frac{x_2}{2^n}\right).$$

Taking the limit as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , we find that  $D$  satisfies (1.2).

Replacing  $x$  by  $\frac{x}{2^n}$  and  $y$  by  $\frac{y}{2^n}$  in (2.10) and multiplying by  $|2|^{2n}$ , we have

$$\left\| 2^{2n} f\left(\frac{x}{2^n} + \frac{y}{2^n}\right) + 2^{2n} f\left(\frac{x}{2^n} - \frac{y}{2^n}\right) - 2^{2n} \cdot 2f\left(\frac{x}{2^n}\right) - 2^{2n} \cdot 2f\left(\frac{y}{2^n}\right) \right\| \leq |2|^{2n} \varphi_2\left(\frac{x}{2^n}, \frac{y}{2^n}\right).$$

Taking the limit as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , we find that  $D$  satisfies (1.1).

Now, suppose that there is another such mapping  $D' : A \rightarrow X$  satisfying  $D'(x+y) + D'(x-y) = 2D'(x) + 2D'(y)$  and  $\|D'(x) - f(x)\| \leq \Psi(x, x)$ . Then for all  $x \in A$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|D(x) - D'(x)\| &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |2|^{2n} \left\| D\left(\frac{x}{2^n}\right) - D'\left(\frac{x}{2^n}\right) \right\| \\ &\leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |2|^{2n} \max \left\{ \left\| D\left(\frac{x}{2^n}\right) - f\left(\frac{x}{2^n}\right) \right\|, \left\| D'\left(\frac{x}{2^n}\right) - f\left(\frac{x}{2^n}\right) \right\| \right\} \\ &\leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \max \left\{ \varphi_2\left(\frac{x}{2^{j+1}}, \frac{x}{2^{j+1}}\right) : n \leq j \leq k+n-1 \right\} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

and so  $D(x) = D'(x)$  for all  $x \in A$ . □

**Corollary 2.4.** *Let  $\theta_1$  and  $\theta_2$  be nonnegative real numbers, and let  $p$  be a positive real number such that  $p < 2$ . Suppose that a mapping  $f : A \rightarrow X$  satisfies*

$$\|f(x_1 x_2) - f(x_1) x_2^2 - x_1^2 f(x_2)\| \leq \theta_1 (\|x_1\|^p + \|x_2\|^p),$$

$$\|f(x+y) + f(x-y) - 2f(x) - 2f(y)\| \leq \theta_2 (\|x\|^p + \|y\|^p)$$

for all  $x_1, x_2, x, y \in A$ . Then there exists a unique quadratic derivation  $D : A \rightarrow X$  such that

$$\|D(x) - f(x)\| \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \max \{ \theta_2 \|x\|^p \cdot |2|^{(k+1)(1-p)} : 0 \leq k \leq n-1 \}$$

for all  $x \in A$ .

*Proof.* Let  $\varphi_1 : A \times A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$  and  $\varphi_2 : A \times A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$  be functions such that  $\varphi_1(x_1, x_2) = \theta_1 (\|x_1\|^p + \|x_2\|^p)$  and  $\varphi_2(x, y) = \theta_2 (\|x\|^p + \|y\|^p)$  for all  $x_1, x_2, x, y \in A$ . We have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |2|^{2n} \varphi_2\left(\frac{x}{2^n}, \frac{y}{2^n}\right) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (|2|^{n(2-p)}) \theta_2 (\|x\|^p + \|y\|^p) = 0 \quad (x, y \in A),$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |2|^{4n} \varphi_1\left(\frac{x_1}{2^n}, \frac{x_2}{2^n}\right) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |2|^{n(4-p)} \theta_1 (\|x_1\|^p + \|x_2\|^p) = 0 \quad (x_1, x_2 \in A).$$

Applying Theorem 2.4, we conclude the required result. □

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