## ON QUADRATIC LOOPS OF BOL-MOUFANG TYPE

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ABSTRACT. In this work connections between a class of quadratic differential equations and a class of local analytic Bol-Moufang type loop identities are established.

#### 1. INTRODUCTION

The study of "non-associative" (local) Lie group called (local) Lie loops or analytic (local) loops had attracted the attention of authors like Malcev [4], Hofmann and Strambach [3] and Solarin [5] just to mention a few.

Gerber in [2] studied LIP loops and quadratic differential equations. It is the object of this paper to study the relationship between a class of quadratic differential equations and a class of local analytic Bol-Moufang type loop identities.

Before stating our main results, we shall need the following definitions and lemmas.

**Definition 1.1.** [2] The function  $f: \Re^n \times \Re^n \longrightarrow \Re^n$  defines a local analytic loop L(f) with the product  $x \circ y$  if and only if f is analytic near the origin f(x,0) = x, f(0,y) = y and  $x \circ y = f(x,y)$ .

**Definition 1.2.** [2]  $\mathcal{L}$  is the related algebra of L(f) if and only if multiplication in  $\mathcal{L}$  is given by

$$pq = -g_{11}[p:q] = -f_{xy}(0,0)[p,q]$$

**Definition 1.3.** [2] L(f) is a quadratic loop if and only if f is quadratic, in which case we denote the loop by  $L(\mathcal{L})$  and we have

$$x \circ y = x + y - xy \tag{1}$$

## **Lemma 1.1.** [2] The quadratic loop $L(\mathcal{L})$ is

- (i) associative if and only if  $\mathcal{L}$  is associative;
- (ii) left-Bol if and only if  $\mathcal{L}$  is left alternative;
- (iii) left alternative if and only if  $\mathcal{L}$  is left alternative;
- (iv) LIP if and only if  $\mathcal{L}$  is left alternative;
- (v) Moufang if and only if  $\mathcal{L}$  is alternative;
- (vi) Power-associative if and only if  $\mathcal{L}$  is power associative.

For the definition of a loop, readers are to consult Bruck [1]. For all identities used Fenyves [3] is to be consulted.

#### 2. MAIN RESULTS

#### **Theorem 2.1.** The quadratic loop $L(\mathcal{L})$ is

- (i) Extra if and only if  $\mathcal{L}$  is extra;
- (ii) Bol if and only if  $\mathcal{L}$  is right alternative;
- (iii) C if and only if  $\mathcal{L}$  is alternative;
- (iv) RC if and only if  $\mathcal{L}$  is right alternative;
- (v) LC if and only if  $\mathcal{L}$  is left alternative;
- (vi) LS(RS,S) if and only if  $\mathcal{L}$  is LS(RS,S);
- (vii) RM if and only if  $\mathcal{L}$  is right alternative;
- (viii) LM if and only if  $\mathcal{L}$  is left alternative.

## Proof.

(i) The extra identity is

$$(xy.z)x = x(y.zx) (2)$$

Substituting the operation in (1) in the left-hand side of (2), we obtain,

$$((x \circ y) \circ z) \circ x = ((x + y - xy) \circ z) \circ x$$

$$= (x + y + z - xy - xz - yz + xy.z) \circ x$$

$$= 2x + y + z - xy - xz - yz + xy.z - x^{2} - yx - zx$$

$$+ xy.x + xz.x + yz.x - (xy.z)x$$
(3)

Also the right-hand side implies

$$x \circ (y \circ (z \circ x)) = x \circ (y \circ (z + x - zx))$$

$$= x \circ (y + z + x - zx - yz + y.zx)$$

$$= 2x + y + z - zx - yz - yx + y.zx - xy - xz - x^{2}$$

$$+ x.zx + x.yz + x.yx - x(y.zx)$$
(4)

Comparing (3) and (4) implies

$$-(xy.z)x + yz.x + xz.x + xy.x + xy.z = -x(y.zx) + x.yx + x.yz + x.zx + y.zx$$

and this polynomial identity is equivalent to the three homogenous identities

$$(xy.z)x = x(y.zx); \quad yz.x = y.zx \quad xy.z = x.yz$$

The first of these implies that L is extra, and this in turn implies the rest.

The proofs of  $(ii), (iii), \dots, (viii)$  are similar.

**Definition 2.1.** [2] L(f) is a first degree loop if and only if f(x,y) is a first degree polynomial in x and we denote this by L = L(F),

$$x \circ y = F(y)x + y$$

where  $F: \Re^n \longrightarrow \Re^n$  is analytic linear transformation satisfying F(0) = I. The related algebra of L(F) is

$$pq = -F_y(0)[q]_p = R[q]_p.$$

**Theorem 2.2.** If L(F) is a first degree loop then the following identities hold:

(i) Extra if

(a) 
$$F(x)F(z)F(y) = F[F(F(x)z + x)y + F(x)z + x]$$

(b) 
$$F(x)F(z) = F(F(x)z + x)$$

(ii) Moufang if

(a) 
$$F(z)F(x)F(y) = F[F(F(z)x + x)y + F(z)x + z]$$

(b) 
$$F(z)F(x) = F(F(z)x + z)$$

(iii) RM if

$$F(z)F(x)F(x) = F[F(z)F(x) + F(z)x + z]$$

(iv) LM if

(a) 
$$F(z)F(F(x)x + x) = F[(F(z)x + z)x + F(z)x + z]$$

(b) 
$$F(z)F(x) = F(F(z)x + z)$$

(v) C if

(a) 
$$F(z)F(y)F(y) = F[F(F(z)y + z)y + F(z)y + z]$$

(b) 
$$F(z)F(y) = F(F(z)y + z)$$

(vi) LS if

(a) 
$$F(z)F(y)F(x) = F(F(z)y + z)F(x)$$

(b) 
$$F(z)F(y) = F(F(z)y + z)$$

(vii) RS if

$$F(z)F[F(x)x + x] = F[F(F(x)x + x)z + F(x)x + x]$$

(viii) Bol if

$$F(y)F(z)F(y) = F[F(y)(F(z)y + z) + y]$$

(ix) Left Bol if

(a) 
$$F(x)F(F(y)z + y) = F[F(F(x)y + x)z + F(x)y + x]$$

(b) 
$$F(x)F(y) = F(F(x)y + x)$$

(x) RC if

$$F(z)F(z)F(y) = F[F(z)(F(z)y + z) + z]$$

(xi) LC if

(a) 
$$F(x)F[F(y)z + y] = F[F(F(x)y + x + F(x)y + x]$$

(b) 
$$F(x)F(y) = F(F(x)y + x)$$

(xii) S if

$$F(z)F[F(x)x + x] = F[F(z)(F(x)x + x) + z]$$

Proof.

(i) If L(F) is extra then

$$(xy \cdot z)x = x(y \cdot zx)$$

applying the "o" operation to the left hand side we have

$$((x \circ y) \circ z) \circ x = ((F(y)x + y) \circ z) \circ x$$

$$= (F(z)(F(y)x + y) \circ z) \circ x$$

$$= (F(x)[F(z)(F(y)x + y) + z] + x$$

$$= F(x)F(z)F(y)x + F(x)F(z)y + F(x)z + z$$
(5)

Similarly to the right hand side, we have

$$x \circ (y \circ (z \circ x)) = x \circ (y \circ (F(x)z + x))$$

$$= x \circ [F(F(x)z + x)y + F(x)z + x]$$

$$= F[F(F(x)z + x)y + F(x)z + x]x + F(F(x)z + x + F(x)z + x$$
 (6)

comparing (5) and (6) we obtain

$$F(x)F(z)F(y) = F[F(F(x)z + x)y + F(x)z + x]$$

and

$$F(x)F(z) = F(F(x)z + x).$$

The proof of  $(ii), (iii), \dots, (xii)$  are similar to that of (i) hence they are omitted.

**Theorem 2.3.** Let (L, .) be a loop. If we define the product

$$x \circ y = F^{-1}(y)x + y$$

for all  $x, y \in L$ , then the following properties hold.

- (i) Extra if
- (a)  $F^{-1}(x)F^{-1}(z)F^{-1}(y) = F^{-1}[F^{-1}(x)z + x)y + F^{-1}(x)z + x]$
- (b)  $F^{-1}(x)F^{-1}(z) = F^{-1}(F^{-1}(x)z + x)$
- (ii) Moufang if
- (a)  $F^{-1}(z)F^{-1}(x)F^{-1}(y) = F^{-1}[F^{-1}(F^{-1}(z)x+z)y + F^{-1}(z)x+z]$
- (b)  $F^{-1}(z)F^{-1}(x) = F^{-1}(F^{-1}(z)x + z)$
- (iii) RM if

$$F^{-1}(z)F^{-1}(x)F^{-1}(x) = F^{-1}[F^{-1}(z)F^{-1}(x)x + F^{-1}(z)x + z]$$

(iv) LM if

$$F^{-1}(z)F^{-1}(F^{-1}(x)x+x) = F^{-1}[F^{-1}(F^{-1}(z)x+z)x+F^{-1}(z)x+z]$$

- (v) C if
- (a)  $F^{-1}(z)F^{-1}(y) = F^{-1}[F^{-1}(F^{-1}(z)y + z)]$
- (b)  $F^{-1}(z)F^{-1}(y)F^{-1}(y) = F^{-1}[F^{-1}(F^{-1}(z)y+z)y + F^{-1}(z)y+z]$
- (vi) LS if

(a) 
$$F^{-1}(z)F^{-1}(y)F^{-1}(x) = F^{-1}(x)F^{-1}(F^{-1}(z)y + z)$$

$$(b) \quad F^{-1}(z)F^{-1}(y) = F^{-1}[F^{-1}(y)(F^{-1}(z)y+z)+y]$$

(vii) Bol if

$$F^{-1}(y)F^{-1}(z)F^{-1}(y) = F^{-1}[F^{-1}(y)F^{-1}(z)y + F^{-1}(y)z + y]$$

(viii) left Bol if

(a) 
$$F^{-1}(x)F^{-1}(F^{-1}(y)z+y) = F^{-1}[F^{-1}(F^{-1}(x)y+x)z+F^{-1}(x)y+x]$$

(b) 
$$F^{-1}(x)F^{-1}(y) = F^{-1}(F^{-1}(x)y + x)$$

(ix) RC if

$$F^{-1}(z)F^{-1}(z)F^{-1}(y) = F^{-1}[F^{-1}(z)(F^{-1}(z)y + z)]$$

(x) S if

$$F^{-1}(y)F^{-1}(z)F^{-1}(y) = F^{-1}[F^{-1}(y)(F^{-1}(z)y + z) + y]$$

(xi) LC if

(a) 
$$F^{-1}(x)F^{-1}(F^{-1}(y)z+y) = F^{-1}[F^{-1}((F^{-1}(x)y+x)z+F^{-1}(x)y+x]$$

(b) 
$$F^{-1}(x)F^{-1}(y) = F^{-1}(F^{-1}(x)y + x)$$

(xii) RS if

$$F^{-1}(z)F^{-1}(F^{-1}(x)x+x) = F^{-1}[F^{-1}(F^{-1}(x)x+x)z+F^{-1}(x)x+x]$$

Proof.

(i) If  $L(F)^{-1}$  is extra then

$$(xy \cdot z)x = x(y \cdot zx)$$

applying the "o" operation to the left hand side we obtain

$$((x \circ y) \circ z) \circ x = ((F^{-1}(y)x + y) \circ z) \circ x$$

$$= (F^{-1}(z)(F^{-1}(y)x + y) + z) \circ x$$

$$= F^{-1}(x)[F^{-1}(z)(F^{-1}(y)x + y) + z] + x$$

$$= F^{-1}(x)F^{-1}(z)F^{-1}(y)x + F^{-1}(x)F^{-1}(z)y + F^{-1}(x)z + x$$
(7)

Similarly appling the "o" operation, the right hand side gives

$$x \circ (y) \circ (z \circ x)) = x \circ (y \circ (F^{-1}(x)z + x))$$

$$= x \circ (F^{-1}(F^{-1}(x)z + x) + F^{-1}(x)z + x)$$

$$= F^{-1}[F^{-1}(F^{-1}(x)z + x)y + F^{-1}(x)z + x]x + F^{-1}(F^{-1}(x)z + x)y$$

$$+ F^{-1}(x)z + x$$
(8)

Comparing (7) and (8) we have

(a)

$$F^{-1}(x)F^{-1}(z)F^{-1}(y) = F^{-1}[F^{-1}(F^{-1}(x)z + x)y + F^{-1}(x)z + x]$$

$$F^{-1}(x)F^{-1}(z) = F^{-1}(F^{-1}(x)z + x)$$

The proof of  $(ii), (iii), \dots, (xii)$  are similar and hence omitted.

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