# Jordan bimodules over the superalgebra $M_{1|1}$

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#### Abstract

Let F be a field of characteristic different of 2 and let  $M_{1|1}(F)^{(+)}$  denote the Jordan superalgebra of  $2 \times 2$  matrices over the field F. The aim of this paper is to classify irreducible (unital and one-sided) Jordan bimodules over the Jordan superalgebra  $M_{1|1}(F)^{(+)}$ .

#### Introduction

We will assume in the paper that all algebras are algebras over a field F,  $char F \neq 2$ .

The theory of bimodules over simple Jordan algebras, developed by N. Jacobson in [J], was extended to Jordan superalgebras in a series of papers (see [7,8,...]).

Let's remember that a superalgebra  $J = J_{\bar{0}} + J_{\bar{1}}$  is a  $\mathbb{Z}_2$ -graded algebra. So  $J_{\bar{0}}$  is a subalgebra of J ( $J_{\bar{0}}J_{\bar{0}} \subseteq J_{\bar{0}}$ ),  $J_{\bar{1}}$  is a module over  $J_{\bar{0}}$  ( $J_{\bar{0}}J_{\bar{1}}, J_{\bar{1}}J_{\bar{0}} \subseteq J_{\bar{1}}$ ) and  $J_{\bar{1}}J_{\bar{1}} \subseteq J_{\bar{1}}$ . Elements lying in  $J_{\bar{0}} \cup J_{\bar{0}}$  are called homogeneous elements, even if they lie in  $J_{\bar{0}}$  and odd if they lie in  $J_{\bar{1}}$ . The parity of a homogeneous element a is zero if the element a is even and one if it is odd and is represented as |a|.

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A Jordan superalgebra is a superalgebra  $J=J_{\bar{0}}+J_{\bar{1}}$  satisfying the following two homogeneous identities:

i)  $xy = (-1)^{|x||y|}yx$ ,

ii)  $(xy)(zu) + (-1)^{|y||z|}(xz)(yu) + (-1)^{|y||u|+|z||u|}(xu)(yz) = ((xy)z)u + (-1)^{|u||z|+|u||y|+|z||y|}((xu)z)y + (-1)^{|x||y|+|x||z|+|x||u|+|z||u|}(yu)z)x$ , for arbitrary homogeneous elements x,y,z,u in J.

A Jordan superalgebra is called simple if it has no nontrivial graded ideals. For more information about (simple) Jordan superalgebras we refer the reader to [K], [MZ], [RZ].

If  $A = A_{\bar{0}} + A_{\bar{1}}$  is an associative superalgebra, that is, an associative algebra that has a  $\mathbb{Z}_2$  grading, then we can define a new operation  $\circ$  given by:  $a \circ b = \frac{1}{2}(ab + (-1)^{|a||b|}ba)$  for arbitrary homogeneous elements  $a, b \in A$ . The superalgebra obtained in this way, with the same underlying vector space and the same gradding of A and with the new product circ is a Jordan superalgebra, that is denoted  $A^{(+)}$ 

In particular, if we take  $A = M_{1|1}(F)$ , the superalgebra of  $2 \times 2$  matrices over the field F, with even part the set of diagonal matrices and its even part equal to the set of off-diagonal matrices,

$$A_{\bar{0}} = \left\{ \left( \begin{array}{cc} a & 0 \\ 0 & d \end{array} \right) \right\}, \quad A_{\bar{1}} = \left\{ \left( \begin{array}{cc} 0 & b \\ c & 0 \end{array} \right) \right\}$$

the corresponding Jordan superalgebra  $J = A^{(+)} = M_{1|1}(F)^{(+)}$  is a simple Jordan superalgebra.

**Definition.** If V is a  $\mathbb{Z}_2$ -graded vector space and there exist bilinear maps  $V \times J \to V$ ,  $J \times V \to V$ , we say that V is a Jordan bimodule over the Jordan superalgebra J if the split null extension V + J is a Jordan superalgebra, where the multiplication in the split null extension extends the one of J,  $V \cdot V = (0)$  and the multiplication of elements of J and V is given by the bilinear maps . (see [MZ2]).

In the superalgebras setting, for each bimodule we can define the opposite module. Let  $V = V_{\bar{0}} + V_{\bar{1}}$  be a Jordan bimodule over a Jordan superalgebra J. Take copies  $V_{\bar{1}}^{op}$  and  $V_{\bar{0}}^{op}$  of  $v_{\bar{1}}$  and  $V_{\bar{0}}$  with different parity. Then  $V^{op} = V_{\bar{1}}^{op} + V_{\bar{0}}^{op}$  becomes a Jordan J-bimodule defining the action of J on  $V^{op}$  by:

$$av^{op} = (-1)^{|a|}(av)^{op}, \quad v^{op}a = (va)^{op}$$

If J is a unital Jordan superalgebra and V is a bimodule such that the identity of J, 1, acts as the identity on V, then we say that J is a unital Jordan bimodule over J.

A one-sided Jordan bimodule over J is a bimodule V such that  $\{J, V, J\} = (0)$ , where  $\{x, v, y\} = (xv)y + x(vy) - (-1)^{|x||v|}v(xy)$  represents the triple Jordan product in J + V and  $x, y \in J, v \in V$  are homogeneous elements.

Let's denote U(x,y) the operator given by  $vU(x,y) = \{x,v,y\}$  and  $D(x,y) = R(x)R(y) - (-1)^{|x||y|}R(y)R(x)$ .

It is well known that every Jordan bimodule decomposes as a direct sum of unital and one-sided Jordan bimodules.

The aim of this paper is to give the classification of one sided Jordan bimodules (already announced by the authors some time ago) and one-sided modules over the simple Jordan superalgebra  $J = M_{1|1}(F)^{(+)}$ .

### 1 Unital bimodules

In the section J will denote the Jordan superalgebra  $J=M_{1|1}^{(+)}$ . We will fix the canonical basis  $\{e,f,x,y\}$ , where  $e=e_{11},\ f=e_{22},\ x=e_{12},\ y=e_{21}$ . Then  $J_{\bar{0}}=Fe+Ff,\ J_{\bar{1}}=Fx+Fy,\ ef=0,\ e^2=2,\ f^2=f,\ [x,y]=e-f.$ 

For arbitrary elements  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma \in F$ , let us call  $V(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$  the 4-dimensional  $\mathbb{Z}_2$ -graded vector space V = F(v, w, z, t) with  $V_{\bar{0}} = F(v, w)$ ,  $V_{\bar{1}} = F(z, t)$  and the action of J over V defined by:

$$ve = v, \ vf = 0, \ vx = z, \ vy = t,$$
 
$$we = 0, \ wf = w, \ wx = (\gamma - 1)z - 2\alpha t, \ wy = 2\beta z - (\gamma + 1)t,$$
 
$$ze = \frac{1}{2}z, \ zf = \frac{1}{2}z, \ zx = \alpha v, \ zy = \frac{1}{2}(\gamma + 1)v + \frac{1}{2}w,$$
 
$$te = \frac{1}{2}t, \ tf = \frac{1}{2}t, \ tx = \frac{1}{2}(\gamma - 1)v - \frac{1}{2}w, \ ty = \beta v. \tag{1.1}$$

Let us notice that  $R(x)^2 = \alpha I_V$ ,  $R(y)^2 = \beta I_V$  and  $R(x)R(y) + R(y)R(x) = \gamma I_V$ .

It can be also checked that vU(x,y) = w.

To start we will prove that  $V(\alpha, \beta, 0)$  is a Jordan bimodule for arbitrary  $\alpha, \beta \in F$ .

**Lemma 1.1.**  $V(\alpha, \beta, 0)$  is a (unital) Jordan bimodule over J.

Proof

Let us define an embedding from  $M_{1|1}(F)$  in  $M_{2|2}(F)$  via:

$$i: M_{1|1}(F) \to M_{2|2}(F)$$

$$e \to \begin{pmatrix} I_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$
$$f \to \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & I_2 \end{pmatrix}$$
$$x \to \begin{pmatrix} 0 & I_2 \\ A & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$
$$y \to \begin{pmatrix} 0 & B \\ I_2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

where

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2\alpha \end{pmatrix}, B = \begin{pmatrix} 2\beta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Consider the *J*-submodule of  $M_{2|2}(F)$  with basis  $\{\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{w} = \mathbf{v}U(x, y), \mathbf{z} = \mathbf{v}x, \mathbf{t} = \mathbf{v}y\}$ .

This bimodule is isomorphic to  $V(\alpha, \beta, 0)$ .

Now let us consider arbitrary elements  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma \in F$ . We can take elements  $\alpha', \beta' \in F$  such that  $\gamma^2 - 4\alpha\beta - 1 = -4\alpha'\beta' - 1$ , that is,  $\gamma^2 = 4(\alpha\beta - \alpha'\beta')$ .

**Lemma 1.2.** There is an isomorphism  $\varphi: M_{1|1}(F)^{(+)} \longrightarrow M_{1|1}(F)^{(+)}$  such that for every  $v \in V(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$  we have  $vR(\varphi(x))^2 = \alpha' v$ ,  $vR(\varphi(y))^2 = \beta' v$  and  $v(R(\varphi(x))R(\varphi(y)) + R(\varphi(y))R(\varphi(x))) = 0$ .

Proof

From  $\gamma^2 - 4\alpha\beta = -4\alpha'\beta'$  it follow that matrices

$$A' = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2\alpha' \\ -2\beta' & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \ A = \begin{pmatrix} \gamma & -2\alpha \\ 2\beta & -\gamma \end{pmatrix}$$

have the same determinant and both of them have zero trace.

Consequently both matrices are similar, that is, there is an invertible matrix P (without loss of generality we can assume that |P| = 1) such at that  $A' = PAP^{-1}$ .

that  $A' = PAP^{-1}$ . If  $P = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$  we only need to consider  $\varphi$  the automorphism of  $M_{1|1}(F)^{(+)}$  given by  $\varphi(e) = e$ ,  $\varphi(f) = f$ ,  $\varphi(x) = ax + by$ ,  $\varphi(y) = cx + dy$ .

Notice that this lemma says that  $V(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$  is a unital module over  $M_{1|1}(F)^{(+)}$  and that there is a semiisomorphism between  $V(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$  and  $V(\alpha', \beta', 0)$ .

That is, we have proved the following result.

**Theorem 1.3.** a) For arbitrary elements  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma \in F$ , the action of  $J = M_{1|1}(F)^{(+)}$  over  $V = V(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$  over the graded vector space V = F(v, w, z, t) given by (1.1) defines a structure of unital J-bimodule  $V(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$ .

- b) Given  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \alpha', \beta', \gamma' \in F$ , the J bimodules  $V(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$  and  $V(\alpha', \beta', \gamma')$  are isomorphic if and only if  $\alpha = \alpha'$ ,  $\beta = \beta'$  and  $\gamma = \gamma'$
- c) The J bimodules  $V(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$  and  $V(\alpha', \beta', \gamma')$  are semi- isomorphic if and only if  $\gamma^2 4\alpha\beta = \gamma'^2 4\alpha'\beta'$ .

**Lemma 1.4.** If  $\gamma^2 - 4\alpha\beta - 1 \neq 0$  then the bimodule  $V = V(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$  is irreducible. If  $\gamma = 1$  and  $\alpha = 0$  then Fw + Fwy is the only proper submodule of  $V = V(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$ . In all other cases, Fw + Fwx is the only proper submodule of  $V = V(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$ .

Proof.

Let  $(0) \neq V'$  a nonzero submodule of  $V = V(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$ . Then  $V' \cap V_{\bar{0}} \neq (0)$ , since otherwise V'x = V'y = (0).

Applying to an arbitrary element  $\tilde{v}$  in V' the following Jordan identity: R(x)R(e)R(y) - R(y)R(e)R(x) - R([x,y]e) - R(xe)R(y) + R(ye)R(x) - R([x,y])R(e) = 0, we get that  $\tilde{v}(R(e) - R(e-f)R(e)) = 0$ .

But the odd part of  $V = V(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$  lies in the  $\frac{1}{2}$ - Peirce component of e and f, so  $\tilde{v} = 0$ .

That is, if  $V' \cup V_{\bar{0}} = (0)$ , then V' = (0).

If  $\{e, V', e\} \neq (0)$ , then  $v \in V'$  and so V' = V.

If  $\{e, V', e\} = (0)$ , then  $V' \cup V_{\bar{0}} = Fw$ . But  $wU(x, y) = (\gamma^2 - 4\alpha\beta - 1)v \in V'$ . So  $v \in V'$ , that is, V = V' as soon as  $\gamma^2 - 4\alpha\beta - 1 \neq 0$ . This proves irreducibility of  $V = V(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$  when  $\gamma^2 - 4\alpha\beta - 1 \neq 0$ .

So from now on we assume that  $\gamma^2 - 4\alpha\beta - 1 = 0$ 

Now let's consider the case  $\gamma = 1$  and  $\alpha = 0$ . Then wU(x,y) = wx = 0 and  $wy = 2\beta z - 2t$  and V' = F(w, wx).

Otherwise,  $wx = (\gamma - 1)z - 2\alpha t \neq 0$  and  $wy = 2\beta z - (\gamma + 1)t$  implies that  $(\gamma + 1)wx - 2\alpha wy = (\gamma^2 - 4\alpha\beta - 1)z - 0t = 0$ , that is, F(w, wx) = V'.

**Notation**. If  $\gamma^2 - 4\alpha\beta - 1 = 0$ , let's denote  $V'(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$  the only proper nonzero submodule of  $V = V(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$  (that can be expressed as F(w, wx) except when  $\alpha = 0$ ,  $\gamma = 1$  that can be expressed as F(w, wy)) and  $\tilde{V}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma) = V(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)/V'(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$ .

Now we can prove the classification result.

**Theorem 1.5.** Every irreducible finite dimensional unital Jordan bimodule over  $J = M_{1|1}(F)^{(+)}$  is isomorphic to one of the bimodules  $V = V(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$ , if  $\gamma^2 - 4\alpha\beta - 1 \neq 0$ , or to  $V'(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$  or  $\tilde{V}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$  if  $\gamma^2 - 4\alpha\beta - 1 = 0$  or their opposite modules.

Proof.

Let V be an irreducible unital finite dimensional J-bimodule. Up to opposite, we can assume that  $V_{\bar{0}} = \{e, V_{\bar{0}}, e\} + \{f, V_{\bar{0}}, f\}$  and  $V_{\bar{1}} = \{e, V_{\bar{1}}, f\}$ .

The operators  $R(x)^2$ ,  $R(y)^2$ , R(x)R(y) + R(y)R(x) commute with the action of J. By Schur's Lemma they act as scalars  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  respectively.

We claim that for every subspace W of  $\{e, V_{\bar{0}}, e\}$  the vector space  $U = W + WU(J_{\bar{1}}, J_{\bar{1}}) + WJ_{\bar{1}}$  is a J-bimodule. Indeed, since  $W \subseteq \{e, V_{\bar{0}}, e\}$ , we have that  $WJ_{\bar{1}} \subseteq \{e, V_{\bar{1}}, f\}$  and  $WU(J_{\bar{1}}, J_{\bar{1}}) \subseteq \{f, V_{\bar{0}}, f\}$ . Hence each summand W,  $WU(J_{\bar{1}}, J_{\bar{1}})$  and  $WJ_{\bar{1}}$  is invariant under multiplication by e and e0, so under multiplication by e1.

Now using that  $R(J_{\bar{1}})R(J_{\bar{1}}) \subseteq U(J_{\bar{1}},J_{\bar{1}}) + D(J_{\bar{1}},J_{\bar{1}}) + R(J_{\bar{0}})$ , we get that  $WR(J_{\bar{1}})R(J_{\bar{1}}) \subseteq WU(J_{\bar{1}},J_{\bar{1}}) + WD(J_{\bar{1}},J_{\bar{1}}) + WR(J_{\bar{0}}) \subseteq U$ . That implies that  $WR(J)R(J) \subseteq U$ .

So, we only need to prove that  $WU(J_{\bar{1}},J_{\bar{1}})R(J_{\bar{1}})\subseteq WJ_{\bar{1}}$ . But  $U(J_{\bar{1}},J_{\bar{1}})\subseteq R(J_{\bar{1}})R(J_{\bar{1}})+R(J_{\bar{0}})$  and  $R(J_{\bar{1}})R(J_{\bar{1}})R(J_{\bar{1}})\subseteq R(J)R(J)+D(J_{\bar{1}})$ ,  $J_{\bar{1}})R(J_{\bar{1}})$ . Now using that  $D(J_{\bar{1}},J_{\bar{1}})$  acts as an scalar multiplication we gets what we wanted.

In the same way we can prove that for every  $W \subseteq \{f, V_{\bar{0}}, f\}$ , the subspace  $W + WU(J_{\bar{1}}, J_{\bar{1}}) + WJ_{\bar{1}}$  is a *J*-bimodule.

Since we assume V to be irreducible, it follows that  $dim_F\{e, V_{\bar{0}}, e\} \leq 1$  and  $dim_F\{f, V_{\bar{0}}, f\} \leq 1$ ,  $dimV_{\bar{1}} \leq 2$ .

If  $\gamma^2 - 4\alpha\beta - 1 \neq 0$ , let us show that  $v \simeq V(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$ , where  $R(x)^2$  acts on V as  $\alpha I_V$ ,  $R(y)^2$  acts as  $\beta I_V$  and R(x)R(y) + R(y)R(x) acts as  $\gamma I_V$ . We have already seen that  $V_{\bar{0}} \neq (0)$ . The operator  $U(x,y)^2$  acts on  $V_{\bar{0}}$  as the multiplication by  $\gamma^2 - 2\alpha\beta - 1$ . This implies that both  $\{e, V_{\bar{0}}, e\}$  and  $\{f, V_{\bar{0}}, f\}$  are different of zero (multiplication by U(x,y) exchange them both).

Choose  $0 \neq v \in \{e, V_{\bar{0}}, e\}$ . We know that  $w = vU(x,y) \in \{f, V_{\bar{0}}, f\}$ . Let us prove that  $vx, vy \in V_{\bar{1}}$  are linearly independent. Suppose that  $vy = \lambda vx$ ,  $\lambda \in F$ . Then  $vR(y)R(x) = (vy)x = \lambda(vx)x = \lambda\alpha v$  and  $vU(x,y) = vR(x)R(y)-vR(y)R(x)-vR([x,y]) = v(R(x)R(y)+R(y)R(x))-2vR(y)R(x)-vR(e-f) = (\gamma-2\lambda\alpha-1)v$ , that is,  $vU(x,y) \in Fv$ , which is a contradiction.

Hence F(v, w = vU(x, y), vx, vy) is a *J*-bimodule and the multiplication table coincides with the one of  $V(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$ .

Now let's consider the case  $\gamma^2 - 4\alpha\beta - 1 = 0$ . In this case  $V_{\bar{0}}U(x,y)^2 = (0)$ . If  $\{e, V_{\bar{0}}, e\} \neq (0)$  and  $0 \neq v \in \{e, V_{\bar{0}}, e\}$ , then w = vU(x,y) = 0. Indeed, if  $w = vU(x,y) \neq 0$ , then V is generated by w, wU(x,y), wx, wy. But  $wU(x,y) = vU(x,y)^2 = 0$ . So,  $dim_F V_{\bar{0}} \leq 1$ , which contradicts  $v, w \in V_{\bar{0}}$ . Hence w = vU(x,y) = 0. This says that  $V \simeq V'(\alpha, \beta, gamma)$ .

If  $\{f, V_{\bar{0}}, f\} \neq (0)$ , then  $V \simeq \bar{V}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$ , what proves the theorem.

### 2 One sided modules

Let S = S(J) be the unital universal associative enveloping algebra of the Jordan algebra  $J = M_{1|1}^{(+)}$ . Denote  $x = e_{12}$ ,  $y = e_{21}$ ,  $e = e_{11}$ ,  $f = e_{22}$ , v = e - f, then  $J = alg_{Jord}\langle x, y \rangle$  and  $S = alg_{As}\langle x, y \rangle$ .

We have  $x \circ e = x$ ,  $y \circ e = y$ , [x, y] = v. Observe that  $x^2, y^2$  lie in the center Z(S) of S. Moreover, we have

$$[x \circ y, x] = [y, x^2] = 0,$$
  
 $[x \circ y, y] = [x, y^2] = 0,$ 

hence  $x \circ y \in Z(S)$ .

**Lemma 2.1.** Let  $A = F[x^2, y^2], B = F[x^2, y^2, x \circ y].$ 

- 1) The algebra S is a free B-module with free generators 1, x, y, xy.
- 2) The center Z(S) = B.
- 3)  $B = A[x \circ y]$ , where  $(x \circ y)^2 = 1 + 4x^2y^2$ .

Proof. We have  $yx = x \circ y - xy$ ,  $xyx = (x \circ y)x - x^2y$ ,  $yxy = (x \circ y)y - y^2x$ ,  $(xy)^2 = (x \circ y)xy - x^2y^2$ , which proves that S is spanned over B by elements 1, x, y, xy. Let  $z = \alpha + \beta x + \gamma y + \delta xy \in Z(S)$  with  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta \in B$ , then  $0 = [x, z] = \gamma[x, y] + \delta x[x, y] = \gamma v + \delta xv$ . Multiplying by v, we get  $\gamma + \delta x = 0$ , which gives  $\gamma = \delta = 0$ . Similarly, we get  $\beta = 0$ , hence Z(S) = B. The similar argument shows that if  $\alpha + \beta x + \gamma y + \delta xy = 0$  then  $\alpha = \beta = \gamma = \delta = 0$ , which proves 1). Finally,

$$(x \circ y)^2 = (xy)^2 + (yx)^2 + 2x^2y^2 = [x, y]xy + [y, x]yx + 4x^2y^2 = v^2 + 4x^2y^2 = 1 + 4x^2y^2$$
, proving 3).

The algebra S has a natural  $\mathbb{Z}_2$ -grading induced by the grading of J:

$$S_{\bar 0}=B+Bxy,\ S_{\bar 1}=Bx+By.$$

The category of one-sided Jordan J-superbimodules is isomorphic to the category of right associative  $\mathbb{Z}_2$ -graded S-modules. In particular, irreducible superbimodules over J correspond to irreducible  $\mathbb{Z}_2$ -graded S-modules.

Let  $M = M_{\bar{0}} + M_{\bar{1}}$  be an irreducible  $\mathbb{Z}_2$ -graded S-module and  $\varphi : S \to End_FM$  be the corresponding representation. Then  $\varphi(B)$  lies in the even part of the centralizer D of S-module M, which is a graded division algebra (see, for example, [1]). Denote  $\alpha = \varphi(x^2)$ ,  $\beta = \varphi(y^2)$ ,  $\gamma = \varphi(x \circ y)$ ,  $K = F(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$ , then K is a field,  $K = F(\alpha, \beta) + F(\alpha, \beta)\gamma$  where  $\gamma^2 = 4\alpha\beta + 1$ . Moreover, the graded algebra  $\bar{S} = \varphi(S)$  has dimension at most 4 over K.

The algebra  $\bar{S}$  and the module M may be considered over the field K, then M is a faithful irreducible graded module over the K-algebra  $\bar{S}$ . By [2, Lemma 4.2], M up to opposing grading is isomorphic to a minimal graded right ideal of  $\bar{S}$ . Since  $\dim_K \bar{S} \leq 4$ , we have  $\dim_K M \leq 2$ . Moreover, the case  $\dim_K M = 1$  can appear only when  $\bar{S} = K$  which is impossible since  $[\varphi(x), \varphi(y)] \neq 0$ . Therefore,  $\dim_K \bar{S} = 4$  and  $\dim_K M = 2$ .

Observe also that by the density theorem for graded modules (see, for example, [1]),  $\bar{S}$  is a dense graded subalgebra of the algebra  $End_DM \subseteq End_K^{gr}M = M_{1|1}(K)$ . Clearly, this implies that  $\bar{S} = M_{1|1}(K)$ .

Consider the elements  $a=\frac{\gamma+1}{2}-xy,\ b=xy-\frac{\gamma-1}{2}\in B.$  We have  $a^2=a,\ b^2=b,\ a+b=1,$  hence up to change of indices  $\varphi(a)=e_{11},\ \varphi(b)=e_{22}.$  We will separate the two cases:

1. Let first  $\gamma \neq 1$ . Chose an element  $m \in M_{\bar{0}} \cup M_{\bar{1}}$  such that ma = m, then we have  $m = \frac{\gamma+1}{2}m - mxy$ , which gives

$$mxy = \frac{\gamma - 1}{2}m, \ \beta mx = \frac{\gamma - 1}{2}my. \tag{2.1}$$

In particular,  $mxy \neq 0$ ,  $m' = mx \neq 0$ , and M = Km + Km'. We have by (1)

$$m'x = \alpha m;$$
  

$$my = \frac{2\beta}{\gamma - 1} mx = \frac{2\beta}{\gamma - 1} m';$$
  

$$m'y = mxy = \frac{\gamma - 1}{2} m.$$

2. Let now  $\gamma=1$ , then a=1-xy, b=xy. Choose an element  $m\in M_{\bar{0}}\cup M_{\bar{1}}$  such that  $m=mb\neq 0$ , then  $m'=mx\neq 0$  and again M=Km+Km'. We have

$$m'x = \alpha m;$$
  
 $my = mby = mxyy = \beta mx = \beta m';$   
 $m'y = mxy = m.$ 

Observe that for  $\gamma = -1$  in case 1 we obtain the formulas of case 2. The condition  $\gamma^2 = 1$  is equivalent to  $\alpha\beta = 0$ , therefore we will distinguish four non-isomorphic cases:  $\gamma \neq \pm 1$ ;  $\alpha = 0$ ,  $\beta \neq 0$ ;  $\alpha \neq 0$ ,  $\beta = 0$ ;  $\alpha = \beta = 0$ .

Resuming, we have

**Theorem 2.2.** Let M be an irreducible one-sided Jordan bimodule over  $J = M_{1|1}(F)^{(+)}$ . Then there exist an extension field  $K = F(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$  with  $\gamma^2 = 4\alpha\beta + 1$  such that  $\dim_K M = 2$ , M = Km + Km', and up to opposite

grading the action of J on M is given as follows: 1.  $\gamma \neq \pm 1$  (or  $\alpha \beta \neq 0$ ).

$$\begin{array}{rcl} m \cdot x & = & \frac{1}{2}m'; \\ m' \cdot x & = & \frac{1}{2}\alpha m; \\ m \cdot y & = & \frac{\beta}{\gamma - 1}m'; \\ m' \cdot y & = & mxy = \frac{\gamma - 1}{4}m. \end{array}$$

2.  $\gamma = \pm 1$  (or  $\alpha\beta = 0$ ).

$$m \cdot x = \frac{1}{2}m';$$
  

$$m' \cdot x = \frac{1}{2}\alpha m;$$
  

$$m \cdot y = \frac{1}{2}\beta m';$$
  

$$m' \cdot y = \frac{1}{2}m.$$

In the second case we have 3 non-isomorphic subclasses:  $\alpha = 0$ ,  $\beta \neq 0$ ;  $\alpha \neq 0$ ,  $\beta = 0$ ;  $\alpha = \beta = 0$ .

The module M is finite dimensional if and only if the elements  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$  are algebraic over F. In particular, if the field F is algebraically closed and M is finite dimensional, then K = F.

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