

Symmetric spaces associated with Siegel domains

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Introduction

The purpose of the present paper is to give the details of the results announced in [5].

Let D be a Siegel domain of the second kind associated with a convex cone V in a real vector space R and a V -hermitian form F on a complex vector space W . Denote by $\text{Aut}(D)$ the Lie group of all holomorphic transformations of the domain D and by $\mathfrak{g}(D)$ the Lie algebra of $\text{Aut}(D)$. From Kaup, Matsushima and Ochiai [1], we know that $\mathfrak{g}(D)$ has the following graded structure:

$$\mathfrak{g}(D) = \mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}^{-1} + \mathfrak{g}^0 + \mathfrak{g}^1 + \mathfrak{g}^2, \quad [\mathfrak{g}^\lambda, \mathfrak{g}^\mu] \subset \mathfrak{g}^{\lambda+\mu},$$
$$\mathfrak{r} = \mathfrak{r}^{-2} + \mathfrak{r}^{-1} + \mathfrak{r}^0, \quad \mathfrak{r}^\lambda = \mathfrak{r} \cap \mathfrak{g}^\lambda,$$

where \mathfrak{r} denotes the radical of $\mathfrak{g}(D)$. With relation to the semi-simple part of $\mathfrak{g}(D)$, we shall construct a symmetric Siegel domain S with $\dim_{\mathbb{C}} S = \dim_{\mathbb{R}} \mathfrak{g}^2 + \frac{1}{2} \dim_{\mathbb{R}} \mathfrak{g}^1$ which is invariant under a suitable equivalence. At the same time, we establish structure theorems of the Lie algebra $\mathfrak{g}(D)$.

In § 1 we prepare some algebraic facts. The most important one is the following: For any graded Lie algebra $\mathfrak{g} = \sum_{\lambda} \mathfrak{g}^\lambda (\lambda \in \mathbb{Z})$, we can choose a graded subalgebra as a semi-simple part of \mathfrak{g} (Theorem 1.1). By using this fact, we can show in § 2 that there exists a semi-simple graded subalgebra $\mathfrak{s} = \sum_{\lambda=-2}^2 \mathfrak{s}^\lambda$ of $\mathfrak{g}(D)$ such that $\mathfrak{s}^1 = \mathfrak{g}^1$, $\mathfrak{s}^2 = \mathfrak{g}^2$ and the adjoint representation of \mathfrak{s}^0 on $\mathfrak{s}^1 + \mathfrak{s}^2$ is faithful (Theorem 2.1).

Let \mathfrak{g} be as above. Then we have $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} = \mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{r}^{-2}$ and $\mathfrak{g}^{-1} = \mathfrak{g}^{-1} + \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$. The space \mathfrak{g}^{-1} (resp. \mathfrak{g}^{-2}) can be identified with W (resp. with R) in a natural manner. Then \mathfrak{g}^{-1} is a complex subspace of \mathfrak{g}^{-1} . Let V_s be the image of V by the projection of \mathfrak{g}^{-2} to \mathfrak{g}^{-2} . From the results in § 3 concerning the structure of \mathfrak{r} , we can see that V_s is a convex cone in \mathfrak{g}^{-2} and that the restriction F_s of F to $\mathfrak{g}^{-1} \times \mathfrak{g}^{-1}$ is a V_s -hermitian form. We shall prove in § 4 that the Siegel domain S of the second kind associated with V_s and F_s is symmetric and that the Lie algebra \mathfrak{g} is identified with $\mathfrak{g}(S)$ (Theorem 4.4). Moreover in § 5 we can show the uniqueness of the domain S . From construction, the domain S is contained in \bar{D} . Let \mathfrak{g}' be another semi-simple graded subalgebra of $\mathfrak{g}(D)$ having the properties stated before. And let S' be the corresponding symmetric domain. Then there exists $X \in \mathfrak{g}^0$ such that $Ad(\exp X)\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{g}'$ and $\exp X(S) = S'$ (Theorem 5.2).

As an application, we investigate the case where V is the cone of all positive definite real symmetric matrices, the cone of all positive definite complex hermitian matrices or the cone of all positive definite quaternion matrices. In § 6, we shall prove that if D is a Siegel domain over a cone of this type and if D is degenerate, then $\mathfrak{g}^1 = 0$ (Proposition 6.4). And in § 7 we shall find out the symmetric domain S for any homogeneous Siegel domain constructed in Pyatetski-Shapiro [6] over these cones. In particular we can calculate $\dim \mathfrak{g}^1$ and $\dim \mathfrak{g}^2$. In these calculations, we partially use an idea, due to T. Tsuji, of considering the case where $W = W_1 + W_2$ (direct sum) and $F(W_1, W_2) = 0$. Starting from this idea, but by different methods, Tsuji [10]¹⁾ also calculated \mathfrak{g}^1 and \mathfrak{g}^2 in our Theorem 7.6, Theorem 7.8 and special cases in Theorem 7.12.

Throughout this paper we use the following notations. For a real vector space R , denote by R_c its complexification. And for an element z of R_c , denote by $\operatorname{Re} z$ (resp. by $\operatorname{Im} z$) its real (resp. imaginary) part. Let f be an endomorphism of a vector space W and let W' be a subspace of W invariant by f . We then denote by $f|_{W'}$ the restriction of f to W' .

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§ 1. Levi decompositions of graded Lie algebras and algebraic preliminaries.

1.1. Let $\mathfrak{g} = \sum_{\lambda} \mathfrak{g}^{\lambda}$ ($\lambda \in \mathbf{Z}$, $[\mathfrak{g}^{\lambda}, \mathfrak{g}^{\mu}] \subset \mathfrak{g}^{\lambda+\mu}$) be a graded Lie algebra over \mathbf{R} with $\dim \mathfrak{g} < \infty$. And let \mathfrak{r} be its radical. Being invariant by the derivation of \mathfrak{g} defined by: $X \rightarrow \lambda X$ for $X \in \mathfrak{g}^{\lambda}$, \mathfrak{r} is a graded ideal of \mathfrak{g} , i.e., $\mathfrak{r} = \sum_{\lambda} \mathfrak{r}^{\lambda}$ ($\mathfrak{r}^{\lambda} = \mathfrak{r} \cap \mathfrak{g}^{\lambda}$). Concerning Levi decompositions of \mathfrak{g} , we can prove the following

Theorem 1.1. *There exists a semi-simple graded subalgebra $\tilde{\mathfrak{s}}$ of \mathfrak{g} such that $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{r} + \tilde{\mathfrak{s}}$ (direct sum).*

Proof. We shall prove this by induction with respect to $\dim \mathfrak{r}$. Suppose that \mathfrak{r} is not abelian. We put $\mathfrak{r}' = [\mathfrak{r}, \mathfrak{r}]$ and $\mathfrak{g}' = \mathfrak{g}/\mathfrak{r}'$. Since \mathfrak{r} is a graded ideal of \mathfrak{g} , so is \mathfrak{r}' . Therefore \mathfrak{g}' has a natural graded structure such that $\mathfrak{g}'^{\lambda} = \pi(\mathfrak{g}^{\lambda})$, where π is the projection of \mathfrak{g} onto \mathfrak{g}' . Clearly the radical of \mathfrak{g}' is $\mathfrak{r}/\mathfrak{r}'$ and $\dim \mathfrak{r}/\mathfrak{r}' < \dim \mathfrak{r}$. Thus from the inductive hypothesis, there exists a semi-simple graded subalgebra \mathfrak{s}' of \mathfrak{g}' such that $\mathfrak{g}' = \mathfrak{r}/\mathfrak{r}' + \mathfrak{s}'$ (direct sum). We put $\mathfrak{s}^* = \pi^{-1}(\mathfrak{s}')$. We assert that \mathfrak{s}^* is a graded subalgebra of \mathfrak{g} . Indeed, let $X \in \mathfrak{s}^*$. We write $X = \sum_{\lambda} X^{\lambda}$ ($X^{\lambda} \in \mathfrak{g}^{\lambda}$). Then $\pi(X) = \sum_{\lambda} \pi(X^{\lambda})$. Since $\pi(X) \in \mathfrak{s}'$ and \mathfrak{s}' is a graded subalgebra of \mathfrak{g}' , we have $\pi(X^{\lambda}) \in \mathfrak{s}'$, proving our assertion. Now \mathfrak{r}' is the radical of \mathfrak{s}^* and $\dim \mathfrak{r}' < \dim \mathfrak{r}$. Thus there exists a semi-simple graded subalgebra \mathfrak{s} of \mathfrak{s}^* (and hence a graded subalgebra of \mathfrak{g}) such that $\mathfrak{s}^* = \mathfrak{r}' + \mathfrak{s}$ (direct sum). Clearly $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{r} + \mathfrak{s}$ (direct sum).

Next we investigate the case where \mathfrak{r} is abelian. Let $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{r} + \mathfrak{s}$ be a Levi decomposition of \mathfrak{g} . Denote by π the natural projection of \mathfrak{g} onto $\mathfrak{g}/\mathfrak{r}$. Being isomorphic to $\mathfrak{g}/\mathfrak{r}$, the semi-simple subalgebra \mathfrak{s} has a graded structure such that $\mathfrak{s} = \sum_{\lambda} \mathfrak{s}^{\lambda}$ and $\pi(\mathfrak{s}^{\lambda}) = \pi(\mathfrak{g}^{\lambda})$. Let $X \in \mathfrak{s}^{\lambda}$. We write $X = \sum_{\nu} X^{\nu}$ ($X^{\nu} \in \mathfrak{g}^{\nu}$). Since $\pi(X) \in \pi(\mathfrak{g}^{\lambda})$, we get $X^{\nu} \in \mathfrak{r}^{\nu}$ for $\nu \neq \lambda$. Clearly the correspondence: $X \rightarrow X^{\lambda}$ gives an injective linear mapping ρ_{λ} of \mathfrak{s}^{λ} to \mathfrak{g}^{λ} . We extend the mapping ρ_{λ} to a mapping of \mathfrak{s} to \mathfrak{g} by defining as follows:

$$\rho_{\lambda}(\mathfrak{s}^{\nu}) = 0 \quad \text{for } \nu \neq \lambda.$$

Then the mapping $\rho = \sum \rho_{\lambda}$ is an injective linear mapping of \mathfrak{s} to \mathfrak{g} such that $\rho(\mathfrak{s}^{\lambda}) \subset \mathfrak{g}^{\lambda}$. Let $X \in \mathfrak{s}^{\lambda}$ and $Y \in \mathfrak{s}^{\mu}$. We write $X = \sum_{\nu} X^{\nu}$ and $Y = \sum_{\nu} Y^{\nu}$ ($X^{\nu}, Y^{\nu} \in \mathfrak{g}^{\nu}$). Then

$$\begin{aligned}
[X, Y] &= [X^\lambda, Y^\mu] + \sum_{\nu' \neq \mu} [X^\lambda, Y^{\nu'}] + \sum_{\nu \neq \lambda} [X^\nu, Y^\mu] \\
&\quad + \sum_{\nu \neq \lambda, \nu' \neq \mu} [X^\nu, X^{\nu'}].
\end{aligned}$$

Since $X^\nu \in \mathfrak{r}^\nu$ for $\nu \neq \lambda$ and $Y^{\nu'} \in \mathfrak{r}^{\nu'}$ for $\nu' \neq \mu$, we have $[X^\nu, Y^{\nu'}] = 0$ for $\nu \neq \lambda$ and $\nu' \neq \mu$. Then from the definition of the mapping ρ , we get $\rho([X, Y]) = [X^\lambda, Y^\mu]$, because $[X, Y] \in \mathfrak{g}^{\lambda+\mu}$. Clearly $[\rho(X), \rho(Y)] = [X^\lambda, Y^\mu]$. As a result, ρ is an injective homomorphism and the decomposition $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{r} + \rho(\mathfrak{g})$ has the desired properties. q.e.d.

1.2. Let \mathfrak{g} be a semi-simple graded Lie algebra such that $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}^{-1} + \mathfrak{g}^0 + \mathfrak{g}^1 + \mathfrak{g}^2$. The killing form φ of \mathfrak{g} gives dualities between \mathfrak{g}^{-1} and \mathfrak{g}^1 and between \mathfrak{g}^{-2} and \mathfrak{g}^2 . Therefore $\dim \mathfrak{g}^{-1} = \dim \mathfrak{g}^1$ and $\dim \mathfrak{g}^{-2} = \dim \mathfrak{g}^2$.

Lemma 1.2 (cf. [8]).

(1) Let $X^{-2} \in \mathfrak{g}^{-2}$ (resp. $Y^2 \in \mathfrak{g}^2$). Suppose that $[X^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2] = 0$ (resp. $[Y^2, \mathfrak{g}^{-2}] = 0$). Then $X^{-2} = 0$ (resp. $Y^2 = 0$).

(2) Let $X^{-1} \in \mathfrak{g}^{-1}$ (resp. $Y^1 \in \mathfrak{g}^1$). Suppose that $[X^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^1] = 0$ (resp. $[Y^1, \mathfrak{g}^{-1}] = 0$). Then $X^{-1} = 0$ (resp. $Y^1 = 0$).

Proof. (1) Let $Z \in \mathfrak{g}^2$. Clearly $\text{ad } X^{-2} \circ \text{ad } Z(\mathfrak{g}^1 + \mathfrak{g}^2) = 0$. And $\text{ad } X^{-2} \circ \text{ad } Z(\mathfrak{g}^0) \subset \text{ad } X^{-2}(\mathfrak{g}^2) = 0$. Moreover $\text{ad } X^{-2} \circ \text{ad } Z(\mathfrak{g}^{-1} + \mathfrak{g}^{-2}) \subset \text{ad}([X^{-2}, Z])(\mathfrak{g}^{-1} + \mathfrak{g}^{-2}) + \text{ad } Z \circ \text{ad } X^{-2}(\mathfrak{g}^{-1} + \mathfrak{g}^{-2}) = 0$. Therefore $\varphi(X^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2) = 0$ and hence $X^{-2} = 0$. We can verify the second assertion similarly.

(2) Let $Z \in \mathfrak{g}^1$. By the same argument as in Proof of (1) we can show that $\text{ad } X^{-1} \circ \text{ad } Z(\mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}^0 + \mathfrak{g}^1 + \mathfrak{g}^2) = 0$. We set $\mathfrak{g}'^{-1} = \{X \in \mathfrak{g}^{-1}; [X, \mathfrak{g}^1] = 0\}$. Then $[\mathfrak{g}^0, \mathfrak{g}'^{-1}] \subset \mathfrak{g}'^{-1}$. Therefore $\text{ad } X^{-1} \circ \text{ad } Z(\mathfrak{g}^{-1}) \subset \mathfrak{g}'^{-1}$ and $\text{ad } X^{-1} \circ \text{ad } Z(\mathfrak{g}'^{-1}) = 0$. Thus we get $\varphi(X^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^1) = 0$ and hence $X^{-1} = 0$. Second assertion follows similarly. q.e.d.

Lemma 1.3 (cf. [8]). Under the assumption that \mathfrak{g} is simple, we have

(1) If $\mathfrak{g}^1 = 0$ and $\mathfrak{g}^2 \neq 0$, then $[\mathfrak{g}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2] = \mathfrak{g}^0$.

(2) If $\mathfrak{g}^1 \neq 0$, then $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} = [\mathfrak{g}^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^{-1}]$, $\mathfrak{g}^0 = [\mathfrak{g}^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^1]$ and $\mathfrak{g}^2 = [\mathfrak{g}^1, \mathfrak{g}^1]$.

(3) If $\mathfrak{g}^2 \neq 0$, then $\mathfrak{g}^1 = [\mathfrak{g}^2, \mathfrak{g}^{-1}]$ and $\mathfrak{g}^{-1} = [\mathfrak{g}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^1]$.

Proof. (1) Clearly the subspace $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} + [\mathfrak{g}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2] + \mathfrak{g}^2$ is an ideal

of \mathfrak{g} and hence $\mathfrak{g}^0 = [\mathfrak{g}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2]$.

(2) We set $\mathfrak{g}' = [\mathfrak{g}^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^{-1}] + \mathfrak{g}^{-1} + [\mathfrak{g}^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^1] + \mathfrak{g}^1 + [\mathfrak{g}^1, \mathfrak{g}^1]$. Then \mathfrak{g}' is an ideal of \mathfrak{g} , proving our assertion.

(3) It is sufficient to consider the case where $\mathfrak{g}^1 \neq 0$. we set $\mathfrak{g}'^{-2} = \mathfrak{g}^{-2}$ and $\mathfrak{g}'^{\lambda+1} = [\mathfrak{g}'^\lambda, \mathfrak{g}^1]$ inductively. And put $\mathfrak{g}' = \mathfrak{g}'^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}'^{-1} + \mathfrak{g}'^0 + \mathfrak{g}'^1 + \mathfrak{g}'^2$. Then $[\mathfrak{g}', \mathfrak{g}^0 + \mathfrak{g}^1] \subset \mathfrak{g}'$. Since $\mathfrak{g}^2 = [\mathfrak{g}^1, \mathfrak{g}^1]$ by Assertion (2), we get $[\mathfrak{g}'^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2] \subset \mathfrak{g}'^0$ and hence $[\mathfrak{g}'^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}] \subset \mathfrak{g}'$. Assume that $[\mathfrak{g}'^\lambda, \mathfrak{g}] \subset \mathfrak{g}'$. Then $[\mathfrak{g}'^{\lambda+1}, \mathfrak{g}] = [[\mathfrak{g}'^\lambda, \mathfrak{g}^1], \mathfrak{g}] \subset [[\mathfrak{g}'^\lambda, \mathfrak{g}], \mathfrak{g}^1] + [\mathfrak{g}'^\lambda, \mathfrak{g}] \subset [\mathfrak{g}', \mathfrak{g}^1] + \mathfrak{g}' \subset \mathfrak{g}'$. As a result, \mathfrak{g}' is an ideal of \mathfrak{g} and hence $\mathfrak{g}^{-1} = [\mathfrak{g}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^1]$. We can verify the equation $\mathfrak{g}^1 = [\mathfrak{g}^2, \mathfrak{g}^{-1}]$ analogously. q.e.d.

The correspondence: $X \rightarrow \lambda X$ for $X \in \mathfrak{g}^\lambda$ is a derivation of the semi-simple Lie algebra \mathfrak{g} . Therefore there exists a unique element E of \mathfrak{g} such that $\mathfrak{g}^\lambda = \{X \in \mathfrak{g}; ad EX = \lambda X\}$. It is easy to see that E belongs to \mathfrak{g}^0 . Being invariant by $ad E$, each ideal of \mathfrak{g} is a graded ideal.

Colollary 1.4. *Let $\mathfrak{g} = \sum_{\lambda=-2}^2 \mathfrak{g}^\lambda$ ($\lambda \in \mathbf{Z}$) be a graded Lie algebra whose radical \mathfrak{r} is of the form: $\mathfrak{r} = \mathfrak{r}^{-2} + \mathfrak{r}^{-1} + \mathfrak{r}^0$ ($\mathfrak{r}^\lambda = \mathfrak{r} \cap \mathfrak{g}^\lambda$). Suppose that $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} = [\mathfrak{g}^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^{-1}]$. Then $\mathfrak{g}^2 = [\mathfrak{g}^1, \mathfrak{g}^1]$.*

Proof. By considering $\mathfrak{g}/\mathfrak{r}$ instead of \mathfrak{g} , we may assume that \mathfrak{g} is semi-simple. And by considering the decomposition into simple ideals, we may assume that \mathfrak{g} is simple. Then our assertion follows immediately from Lemma 1.3. q.e.d.

1.3. Let R be a real vector space with $\dim R < \infty$. A linear endomorphism A of R is called *real-diagonal* if it can be written as a diagonal matrix with respect to some basis of R .

Lemma 1.5. *Let \mathfrak{g} be a semi-simple Lie algebra and let f be a representation of \mathfrak{g} on a real vector space R . Assume that $ad E$ ($E \in \mathfrak{g}$) is real diagonal. Then $f(E)$ is real-diagonal.*

Proof. We first assert that all eigenvalues of $f(E)$ are real.²⁾ In fact, we set for $\alpha \in \mathbf{C}$,

$$U_\alpha = \{X \in R_c; (f(E) - \alpha)^n X = 0 \text{ for some } n \in \mathbf{N}\}.$$

Then $R_c = \sum_\alpha U_\alpha$. Let λ be an eigenvalue of $f(E)$ and put $U' = \sum' U_\alpha$,

²⁾ This fact is also proved in [12] by different methods.

where \sum' indicates the sum is taken only over the spaces U_α with $\text{Im } \alpha = \text{Im } \lambda$. It is easy to see that U' is \mathfrak{g} -invariant. It follows that $\text{Im } \text{Tr } f(E)|_{U'} = \dim_{\mathbb{C}} U' \times \text{Im } \lambda$. On the other hand, we know that $\text{Tr } f(E)|_{U'} = 0$, because $E \in [\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{g}]$. Therefore we have $\text{Im } \lambda = 0$, proving our assertion.

Now we may assume that the representation f is irreducible. Denote by \mathcal{A} the associative algebra of operators generated by $f(\mathfrak{g})$. Then \mathcal{A} is a Lie algebra in the usual bracket rule. It is not difficult to show that $\text{ad } f(E)$ is a real-diagonal element in \mathcal{A} . Therefore we can write $\mathcal{A} = \sum_{\alpha \in \mathbb{R}} \mathcal{A}_\alpha$, where $\mathcal{A}_\alpha = \{X \in \mathcal{A}; [f(E), X] = \alpha X\}$. Put $R_\alpha = \{v \in R; (f(E) - \alpha)^n v = 0 \text{ for some } n \in \mathbb{N}\}$, for each eigenvalue α of $f(E)$. Then $R = \sum R_\alpha$. We consider the case where there exists a non-zero eigenvalue λ of $f(E)$. Let v be an eigenvector corresponding to the eigenvalue λ , i.e., $f(E)v = \lambda v (v \neq 0)$. Then the space $\{\mathcal{A}v\}$ coincides with R , because $\{\mathcal{A}v\}$ is \mathfrak{g} -invariant. Let $u \in R_\alpha$. There exists $A \in \mathcal{A}$ such that $Av = u$. We can write $A = \sum A_\beta (A_\beta \in \mathcal{A}_\beta)$. Since $A_\beta v \in R_{\beta+\lambda}$, we have $A_{\alpha-\lambda}v = u$. It follows

$$\begin{aligned} f(E)u &= f(E)A_{\alpha-\lambda}v \\ &= [f(E), A_{\alpha-\lambda}]v + A_{\alpha-\lambda}f(E)v \\ &= (\alpha - \lambda)A_{\alpha-\lambda}v + \lambda A_{\alpha-\lambda}v = \alpha u. \end{aligned}$$

As a result $R_\alpha = \{v \in R; f(E)v = \alpha v\}$. Next we consider the case where all eigenvalues of $f(E)$ are zero. Let $\mathfrak{g}' = \mathfrak{g}/f^{-1}(0)$ and let E' be the image of E in \mathfrak{g}' . Since $f(E)$ is nilpotent, so is $\text{ad } E'$. On the other hand, $\text{ad } E'$ is a real-diagonal element in \mathfrak{g}' . Therefore $[E', \mathfrak{g}'] = 0$ and hence $E' = 0$. This implies that $f(E) = 0$ and completes the proof. q.e.d.

§ 2. A Siegal domain D and the Lie algebra of $\text{Aut}(D)$.

2.1. Let R (resp. W) be a real (resp. complex) vector space of finite dimension. An open set V of R is called a *convex cone* if it satisfies the following conditions:

- 1) For any $x \in V$ and for any $t > 0$, $tx \in V$.
- 2) For any $x, x' \in V$, $x + x' \in V$.
- 3) V contains no entire straight lines.

We say a mapping F of $W \times W$ into R_c is a V -hermitian form on W if it satisfies the following conditions:

- 1) $F(w, w')$ is complex linear in w and $F(w, w') = \overline{F(w', w)}$.
- 2) $F(w, w) \in \overline{V}$, where \overline{V} denotes the closure of V in R .
- 3) $F(w, w) = 0$ implies $w = 0$.

We define a domain D in $R_c \times W$ by

$$D = \{(z, w) \in R_c \times W; \operatorname{Im} z - F(w, w) \in V\}.$$

The domain D is called a *Siegel domain of the second kind*. In the special case where $W = 0$, the domain D is called a *Siegel domain of the first kind*.

Denote by $\operatorname{Aut}(D)$ the group of all holomorphic transformations of D and by $\mathfrak{g}(D)$ the Lie algebra of $\operatorname{Aut}(D)$. Define a subgroup $GL(D)$ of $\operatorname{Aut}(D)$ by

$$GL(D) = \operatorname{Aut}(D) \cap GL(R_c \times W).$$

An element $f \in GL(R_c \times W)$ belongs to $GL(D)$ if and only if f satisfies the following conditions (Pyatetski-Shapiro [6]):

$$(2.1) \quad \begin{cases} A(R) = R, A(W) = W \text{ and } A(V) = V. \\ AF(w, w') = F(Aw, Aw') \text{ for } w, w' \in W. \end{cases}$$

Let E (resp. I) be the element of $\mathfrak{g}(D)$ induced by the following one parameter group in $GL(D)$ (with parameter t):

$$(2.2) \quad (z, w) \rightarrow (e^{-2t}z, e^{-t}w)$$

(resp. (2.2)' $(z, w) \rightarrow (z, e^{\sqrt{-1}t}w)$).

For every $a \in R$ (resp. $c \in W$) we denote by $s(a)$ (resp. by $s(c)$) the element of $\mathfrak{g}(D)$ induced by the following one parameter group (with parameter t):

$$(z, w) \rightarrow (z + ta, w)$$

(resp. $(z, w) \rightarrow (z + 2\sqrt{-1}F(w, tc) + \sqrt{-1}F(tc, tc), w + tc)$).

Then s gives an injective linear mapping of $R + W$ to $\mathfrak{g}(D)$. We set for $\lambda = -2, -1, 0, 1$ and 2

$$g^\lambda = \{X \in \mathfrak{g}(D); [E, X] = \lambda X\}.$$

Kaup, Matsushima and Ochiai [1] showed that the Lie algebra $\mathfrak{g}(D)$ has the graded structure as follows:

- 1) $\mathfrak{g}(D) = \mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}^{-1} + \mathfrak{g}^0 + \mathfrak{g}^1 + \mathfrak{g}^2$, $[\mathfrak{g}^\lambda, \mathfrak{g}^\mu] \subset \mathfrak{g}^{\lambda+\mu}$.
- 2) $\mathfrak{r} = \mathfrak{r}^{-2} + \mathfrak{r}^{-1} + \mathfrak{r}^0$ ($\mathfrak{r}^\lambda = \mathfrak{r} \cap \mathfrak{g}^\lambda$), where \mathfrak{r} denotes the radical of $\mathfrak{g}(D)$. And $\dim \mathfrak{g}^{-2} = \dim \mathfrak{g}^2 + \dim \mathfrak{r}^{-2}$, $\dim \mathfrak{g}^{-1} = \dim \mathfrak{g}^1 + \dim \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$.
- 3) $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} = \{s(a); a \in R\}$, $\mathfrak{g}^{-1} = \{s(c); c \in W\}$ and \mathfrak{g}^0 is the subalgebra corresponding to the subgroup $GL(D)$ of $\text{Aut}(D)$.

From 3) and (2.1), we know that \mathfrak{g}^0 consists of all $A \in \mathfrak{gl}(R_c \times W)$ satisfying the following conditions:

$$(2.3) \quad \begin{cases} A(R) \subset R, A(W) \subset W \quad \text{and} \quad \exp tA(V) = V \quad (t \in \mathbf{R}). \\ AF(w, w') = F(Aw, w') + F(w, Aw') \quad (w, w' \in W). \end{cases}$$

Clearly E and I are in the center of \mathfrak{g}^0 and the equality $s(\sqrt{-1}c) = [I, s(c)]$ holds for any $c \in W$. In what follows, we identify the space R (resp. W) with \mathfrak{g}^{-2} (resp. with \mathfrak{g}^{-1}) by the isomorphism s . Then a complex subspace of \mathfrak{g}^{-1} is an *ad I*-invariant subspace and the following equalities hold (cf. [9]):

$$(2.4) \quad [A, c] = Ac \quad \text{for } A \in \mathfrak{g}^0 \text{ and for } c \in \mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}^{-1}.$$

$$(2.5) \quad F(c, c') = \frac{1}{4}([I, c], c') + \sqrt{-1}[c, c'] \quad \text{for } c, c' \in \mathfrak{g}^{-1}.$$

2.2. Let $\tilde{\mathfrak{g}} = \sum_{\lambda=-2}^2 \tilde{\mathfrak{g}}^\lambda$ be a semi-simple graded subalgebra of $\mathfrak{g}(D)$ given by Theorem 1.1. Then $\tilde{\mathfrak{g}}^1 = \mathfrak{g}^1$ and $\tilde{\mathfrak{g}}^2 = \mathfrak{g}^2$. We set $\mathfrak{f} = \{X \in \tilde{\mathfrak{g}}^0; [X, \tilde{\mathfrak{g}}^1 + \tilde{\mathfrak{g}}^2] = 0\}$. Let φ be the killing form of $\tilde{\mathfrak{g}}$. Then $\varphi([\mathfrak{f}, \tilde{\mathfrak{g}}^{-1}], \tilde{\mathfrak{g}}^1) = 0$ and $\varphi([\mathfrak{f}, \tilde{\mathfrak{g}}^{-2}], \tilde{\mathfrak{g}}^2) = 0$. Therefore we have $[\mathfrak{f}, \tilde{\mathfrak{g}}^{-1}] = 0$ and $[\mathfrak{f}, \tilde{\mathfrak{g}}^{-2}] = 0$. Clearly $[\mathfrak{f}, \tilde{\mathfrak{g}}^0] \subset \mathfrak{f}$. As a result, \mathfrak{f} is an ideal of $\tilde{\mathfrak{g}}$. Let \mathfrak{s} be the orthogonal complement of \mathfrak{f} with respect to φ . Then \mathfrak{s} is an ideal of $\tilde{\mathfrak{g}}$ such that $\tilde{\mathfrak{g}} = \mathfrak{s} + \mathfrak{f}$ (direct sum). Since \mathfrak{s} is a graded ideal of $\tilde{\mathfrak{g}}$, \mathfrak{s} is a graded subalgebra of $\mathfrak{g}(D)$, i.e., $\mathfrak{s} = \sum_{\lambda=-2}^2 \mathfrak{s}^\lambda$ ($\mathfrak{s}^\lambda = \mathfrak{s} \cap \mathfrak{g}^\lambda$). Clearly $\mathfrak{s}^1 = \mathfrak{g}^1$, $\mathfrak{s}^2 = \mathfrak{g}^2$ and the adjoint representation of \mathfrak{s}^0 on $\mathfrak{s}^1 + \mathfrak{s}^2$ is faithful. Therefore we have proved the following

Theorem 2.1. *There exists a semi-simple graded subalgebra $\mathfrak{s} = \mathfrak{s}^{-2} + \mathfrak{s}^{-1} + \mathfrak{s}^0 + \mathfrak{s}^1 + \mathfrak{s}^2$ having the following properties:*

- 1) $\mathfrak{s}^1 = \mathfrak{g}^1$ and $\mathfrak{s}^2 = \mathfrak{g}^2$.
- 2) Let $A \in \mathfrak{s}^0$. The condition $[A, \mathfrak{s}^1 + \mathfrak{s}^2] = 0$ implies $A = 0$.

A Siegel domain of the second kind is called *irreducible* if it is an irreducible riemannian manifold with respect to the Bergman metric. (Note that every Siegel domain of the second kind is a connected simply connected complete Kähler manifold with respect to the Bergmann metric and that every irreducible component of a Siegel domain is also a Siegel domain ([3]).) By using Theorem 1.1 we can also prove the following

Proposition 2.2. *Let D be an irreducible Siegel domain of the second kind such that $\mathfrak{r}^{-1}=0$ and $\mathfrak{g}^1 \neq 0$. Then D is a symmetric homogeneous domain.*

Proof. Let $\tilde{\mathfrak{g}} = \sum_{\lambda=-2}^2 \tilde{\mathfrak{g}}^\lambda$ be a semi-simple graded subalgebra of $\mathfrak{g}(D)$ given by Theorem 1.1. Then from our hypothesis, we have $[\mathfrak{r}, \tilde{\mathfrak{g}}^1] = 0$. We set $\mathfrak{h}_1 = \{X \in \tilde{\mathfrak{g}}; [X, \mathfrak{r}] = 0\}$. Clearly \mathfrak{h}_1 is an ideal of $\tilde{\mathfrak{g}}$. Therefore there exists an ideal \mathfrak{h}_2 of $\tilde{\mathfrak{g}}$ such that $\tilde{\mathfrak{g}} = \mathfrak{h}_1 + \mathfrak{h}_2$ (direct sum). Then $\mathfrak{g}(D) = \mathfrak{h}_1 + \mathfrak{h}_2 + \mathfrak{r}$ (direct sum) and both \mathfrak{h}_1 and $\mathfrak{h}_2 + \mathfrak{r}$ are ideals of $\mathfrak{g}(D)$. Now the irreducibility of D implies $\mathfrak{g}(D) = \mathfrak{h}_1$ ([3]), and hence $\mathfrak{g}(D)$ is semi-simple. As a result, the domain D is homogeneous ([11]) and hence symmetric. q.e.d.

By using expressions of elements of $\mathfrak{g}(D)$ as polynomial vector fields in [1], we can easily observe the followings:

$$(2.6) \quad \begin{cases} ad I = 0 & \text{on } \mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}^0 + \mathfrak{g}^2. \\ (ad I)^2 = -id. & \text{on } \mathfrak{g}^{-1} + \mathfrak{g}^1. \end{cases}$$

Proposition 2.3. *Let $\mathfrak{s} = \sum_{\lambda=-2}^2 \mathfrak{s}^\lambda$ be a semi-simple graded subalgebra of $\mathfrak{g}(D)$ as in Theorem 2.1. Then*

- (1) $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} = \mathfrak{s}^{-2} + \mathfrak{r}^{-2}$ (direct sum),
 $\mathfrak{g}^{-1} = \mathfrak{s}^{-1} + \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$ (direct sum).
- (2) $ad I \mathfrak{s} \subset \mathfrak{s}$.
- (3) $\mathfrak{s}^{-1} = [\mathfrak{s}^{-2}, \mathfrak{s}^1]$, $\mathfrak{s}^1 = [\mathfrak{s}^2, \mathfrak{s}^{-1}]$ and $\mathfrak{s}^0 = [\mathfrak{s}^{-1}, \mathfrak{s}^1] + [\mathfrak{s}^{-2}, \mathfrak{s}^2]$.

Moreover if the domain D is non-degenerate, i.e., $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} = [\mathfrak{g}^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^{-1}]$. Then $\mathfrak{s}^{-2} = [\mathfrak{s}^{-1}, \mathfrak{s}^{-1}]$, $\mathfrak{s}^2 = [\mathfrak{s}^1, \mathfrak{s}^1]$ and $\mathfrak{s}^0 = [\mathfrak{s}^{-1}, \mathfrak{s}^1]$.

Proof. Assertion (1) follows immediately from the equalities $\dim \mathfrak{g}^{-2} = \dim \mathfrak{r}^{-2} + \dim \mathfrak{s}^{-2}$ and $\dim \mathfrak{g}^{-1} = \dim \mathfrak{r}^{-1} + \dim \mathfrak{s}^{-1}$. Let $\mathfrak{s} = \sum_j \mathfrak{s}_j$

be the decomposition of \mathfrak{g} into simple ideals. Then each \mathfrak{g}_j is a graded subalgebra of $\mathfrak{g}(D)$, i.e., $\mathfrak{g}_j = \sum_{\lambda=-2}^2 \mathfrak{g}_j^\lambda$ ($\mathfrak{g}_j^\lambda = \mathfrak{g}_j \cap \mathfrak{g}^\lambda$). Suppose that $\mathfrak{g}_j^1 \neq 0$. Then from [4], we know that $[\mathfrak{g}_j^1, [I, \mathfrak{g}_j^1]] \neq 0$. On the other hand, $[\mathfrak{g}_j^1, [I, \mathfrak{g}_j^1]] \subset [\mathfrak{g}_j^1, \mathfrak{g}^1] \subset \mathfrak{g}_j^2$. As a result $\mathfrak{g}_j^2 \neq 0$. Thus each \mathfrak{g}_j is of one of the following two types.

- (i) $\mathfrak{g}_j = \mathfrak{g}_j^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}_j^{-1} + \mathfrak{g}_j^0 + \mathfrak{g}_j^1 + \mathfrak{g}_j^2$ ($\mathfrak{g}_j^1 \neq 0, \mathfrak{g}_j^2 \neq 0$).
- (ii) $\mathfrak{g}_j = \mathfrak{g}_j^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}_j^0 + \mathfrak{g}_j^2$ ($\mathfrak{g}_j^2 \neq 0$).

In the case where $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} = [\mathfrak{g}^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^{-1}]$, each ideal \mathfrak{g}_j is clearly of the type (i). Now Assertion (3) follows immediately from Lemma 1.3. Finally by using (2.6), we have $[I, \mathfrak{g}^{-1}] = [I, [\mathfrak{g}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^1]] = [\mathfrak{g}^{-2}, [I, \mathfrak{g}^1]] = [\mathfrak{g}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^1] = \mathfrak{g}^{-1}$. This implies Assertion (2). q.e.d.

Corollary 2.4. *Let $X \in \mathfrak{g}^{-1}$. If $[\mathfrak{g}^{-2}, [X, \mathfrak{g}^1]] = 0$. Then $X \in \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$.*

Proof. Let \mathfrak{g} be as in Theorem 2.1, and let X_s be the \mathfrak{g}^{-1} -component of X with respect to the decomposition $\mathfrak{g}^{-1} = \mathfrak{g}^{-1} + \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$ in Proposition 2.3. Then $[\mathfrak{g}^{-2}, [X_s, \mathfrak{g}^1]] = 0$. And hence $[X_s, \mathfrak{g}^{-1}] = 0$, because $\mathfrak{g}^{-1} = [\mathfrak{g}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^1]$ by Proposition 2.3. In particular, $[[I, X_s], X_s] = 0$. Therefore by using (2.5) we have $X_s = 0$. q.e.d.

Corollary 2.5. $\mathfrak{r}^{-1} = \{X \in \mathfrak{g}^{-1}; [X, \mathfrak{g}^2] = 0\}$.

Proof. Denote by \mathfrak{r}'^{-1} the right side of the above equality. Clearly $\mathfrak{r}^{-1} \subset \mathfrak{r}'^{-1}$. Conversely let $X \in \mathfrak{r}'^{-1}$ and let X_s be the \mathfrak{g}^{-1} -component as in Proof of Corollary 2.4. Then $[X_s, \mathfrak{g}^2] = 0$. Therefore $[[[I, X_s], X_s], \mathfrak{g}^2] = 0$ by (2.6). Since $[[I, X_s], X_s]$ belong to \mathfrak{g}^{-2} , we obtain $[[I, X_s], X_s] = 0$ by Lemma 1.2 and hence $X_s = 0$. q.e.d.

§ 3. The structure of the radical \mathfrak{r} .

3.1. Let $\mathfrak{g} = \sum_{\lambda=-2}^2 \mathfrak{g}^\lambda$ be a semi-simple graded subalgebra of $\mathfrak{g}(D)$ as in Theorem 2.1. There exists a unique element E_s of \mathfrak{g}^0 such that

$$(3.1) \quad \mathfrak{g}^\lambda = \{X \in \mathfrak{g}; [E_s, X] = \lambda X\}.$$

We set

$$(3.2) \quad \begin{cases} \mathfrak{r}_0^{-2} = \{X \in \mathfrak{r}^{-2}; [\mathfrak{s}, X] = 0\}, \\ \mathfrak{r}_s^{-2} = \{X \in \mathfrak{r}^{-2}; [E_s, X] = -X\}. \end{cases}$$

$$(3.3) \quad \begin{cases} \mathfrak{r}_0^0 = \{X \in \mathfrak{r}^0; [\mathfrak{s}, X] = 0\}, \\ \mathfrak{r}_s^0 = \{X \in \mathfrak{r}^0; [E_s, X] = X\}. \end{cases}$$

In the notations as above we shall show the following theorem.

Theorem 3.1. *The radical \mathfrak{r} has the following structure.*

(1) $\mathfrak{r}^{-2} = \mathfrak{r}_0^{-2} + \mathfrak{r}_s^{-2}$ (direct sum), $\mathfrak{r}_0^{-2} \supset [\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{r}^{-1}]$ and $\mathfrak{r}_s^{-2} = [\mathfrak{r}^{-2}, \mathfrak{s}^0] = [\mathfrak{r}^0, \mathfrak{s}^{-2}] \supset [\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{s}^{-1}]$.

(2) $\mathfrak{r}^0 = \mathfrak{r}_0^0 + \mathfrak{r}_s^0$ (direct sum) and $\mathfrak{r}_s^0 = [\mathfrak{r}^{-2}, \mathfrak{s}^2] = [\mathfrak{r}^0, \mathfrak{s}^0] \supset [\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{s}^1]$.

(3) $\dim \mathfrak{r}_s^{-2} = \dim \mathfrak{r}_s^0$.

(4) $ad E_s = 0$ on \mathfrak{r}^{-1} .

(5) \mathfrak{r}_s^0 is an abelian ideal of \mathfrak{g}^0 satisfying the followings:

a) $[\mathfrak{r}_s^0, \mathfrak{r}_0^{-2} + \mathfrak{r}^{-1}] = 0$

b) $[\mathfrak{r}_s^0, \mathfrak{r}_s^{-2}] \subset \mathfrak{r}_0^{-2}$.

3.2. We first show the following

Lemma 3.2. $[[\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{s}^1], \mathfrak{r}^{-1}] = 0$.

Proof. Since $[\mathfrak{s}^2, \mathfrak{r}^{-1}] = 0$, we have by (3) of Proposition 2.3 $[[\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{s}^1], \mathfrak{r}^{-1}] = [[\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, [\mathfrak{s}^2, \mathfrak{s}^{-1}]], \mathfrak{r}^{-1}] = [[\mathfrak{s}^2, [\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{s}^{-1}]], \mathfrak{r}^{-1}] = [[\mathfrak{s}^2, \mathfrak{r}^{-1}], [\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{s}^{-1}]] = 0$. q.e.d.

Next we verify

Lemma 3.3. $[\mathfrak{s}, [\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{r}^{-1}]] = 0$.

Proof. By Lemma 3.2 $[\mathfrak{s}^1, [\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{r}^{-1}]] = 0$. Clearly $[\mathfrak{s}^{-2} + \mathfrak{s}^{-1} + \mathfrak{s}^2, [\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{r}^{-1}]] = 0$. Since $\mathfrak{s}^0 = [\mathfrak{s}^{-2}, \mathfrak{s}^2] + [\mathfrak{s}^{-1}, \mathfrak{s}^1]$, we get $[\mathfrak{s}^0, [\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{r}^{-1}]] = 0$. q.e.d.

Since \mathfrak{r}^{-1} is a complex subspace of \mathfrak{g}^{-1} , the restriction F_r of F to $\mathfrak{r}^{-1} \times \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$ is an $[\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{r}^{-1}]_c$ -valued hermitian form on \mathfrak{r}^{-1} . Clearly $F(c, c)$ ($c \in \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$) is contained in $[\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{r}^{-1}] \cap \bar{V}$. Therefore there exists a linear coordinate system z^1, \dots, z^n of $[\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{r}^{-1}]_c$ such that a hermitian form $H(c, c') = \sum_j z^j \circ F_r(c, c')$ on \mathfrak{r}^{-1} is positive definite. From Lemma

3.3, (2.3), (2.4) and (2.5), we have

$$(3.4) \quad H(ad Xc, c') + H(c, ad Xc') = 0 \quad (X \in \mathfrak{s}^0),$$

because I is in the center of \mathfrak{g}^0 .

Lemma 3.4. *The following equalities hold:*

$$ad E_s = 0 \quad \text{on } \mathfrak{r}^{-1},$$

$$ad E_s = id. \quad \text{on } [\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{s}^1],$$

$$ad E_s = -id. \quad \text{on } [\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{s}^{-1}].$$

Proof. By (3.1) we have only to prove the first equation. From (3.4), we know that the endomorphism $ad E_s$ of \mathfrak{r}^{-1} is semi-simple and its eigenvalues are purely imaginary. On the other hand, $ad E_s$ has only real eigenvalues on \mathfrak{r} by Lemma 1.5, because \mathfrak{r} is an invariant space under the action of the semi-simple Lie algebra \mathfrak{g} and $ad E_s$ is real diagonal in \mathfrak{g} . Therefore we can conclude that $ad E_s = 0$ on \mathfrak{r}^{-1} .
q.e.d.

By using Lemma 1.5, we can also see that $ad E_s|_{\mathfrak{r}^{-2}}$ and $ad E_s|_{\mathfrak{r}^0}$ are real diagonal. Therefore if we set for $\lambda \in \mathbf{R}$

$$(3.5) \quad \begin{cases} \alpha_{\lambda}^{-2} = \{X \in \mathfrak{r}^{-2}; [E_s, X] = \lambda X\} \\ \alpha_{\lambda}^0 = \{X \in \mathfrak{r}^0; [E_s, X] = \lambda X\}. \end{cases}$$

Then we have

$$(3.6) \quad \begin{cases} \mathfrak{r}^{-2} = \sum_{\lambda} \alpha_{\lambda}^{-2} \\ \mathfrak{r}^0 = \sum_{\lambda} \alpha_{\lambda}^0. \end{cases}$$

We know from Lemma 3.3 and Lemma 3.4,

$$(3.7) \quad \begin{cases} \alpha_0^{-2} \supset [\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{r}^{-1}], \\ \alpha_{-1}^{-2} \supset [\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{s}^{-1}], \\ \alpha_1^0 \supset [\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{s}^1]. \end{cases}$$

And by considering the eigenvalues of $ad E_s$, we have from Lemma 3.4,

$$(3.8) \quad \begin{cases} [\alpha_{\lambda}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^1] = 0 & \text{for } \lambda \neq -1, \\ [\alpha_{\lambda}^0, \mathfrak{g}^{-1}] = 0 & \text{for } \lambda \neq 1. \end{cases}$$

Lemma 3.5.

- (1) $\alpha_{\lambda}^{-2} = 0$ for $\lambda \leq -2$ or $\lambda > 0$,
 $\alpha_{\lambda}^0 = 0$ for $\lambda < 0$ or $\lambda \geq 2$.
- (2) $[\alpha_{\lambda}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2] = \alpha_{\lambda+2}^0$ for $-2 < \lambda < 0$,
 $[\alpha_{\lambda}^0, \mathfrak{g}^{-2}] = \alpha_{\lambda-2}^{-2}$ for $0 < \lambda < 2$.

Proof. From (3.1), $[\alpha_{\lambda}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2] \subset \alpha_{\lambda+2}^0$ and $[\alpha_{\lambda}^0, \mathfrak{g}^{-2}] \subset \alpha_{\lambda-2}^{-2}$. Clearly α_{λ}^{-2} and α_{λ}^0 are *ad* \mathfrak{g} -invariant subspaces, because $[E_s, \mathfrak{g}^0] = 0$. Therefore by (3.8) the space $\alpha_{\lambda}^{-2} + \alpha_{\lambda+2}^0$ is *ad* \mathfrak{g} -invariant for $\lambda \neq -1$. Since $E_s \in [\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{g}]$, we have

$$Tr \text{ ad } E_s |_{\alpha_{\lambda}^{-2} + \alpha_{\lambda+2}^0} = 0.$$

In the case $\lambda = -1$, the space $\alpha_{-1}^{-2} + \mathfrak{r}^{-1} + \alpha_1^0$ is also *ad* \mathfrak{g} -invariant by (3.7). And by Lemma 3.4, we get the above equality for $\lambda = -1$. It follows

$$\lambda \dim \alpha_{\lambda}^{-2} + (\lambda + 2) \dim \alpha_{\lambda+2}^0 = 0.$$

If $\alpha_{\lambda}^{-2} \neq 0$, then we have

$$(3.9) \quad \lambda = \frac{-2 \dim \alpha_{\lambda+2}^0}{\dim \alpha_{\lambda}^{-2} + \dim \alpha_{\lambda+2}^0}.$$

Therefore we get $-2 < \lambda \leq 0$. We can verify the fact that $\alpha_{\lambda}^0 = 0$ for $\lambda < 0$ or $\lambda \geq 2$ by the same way. Thus we obtain Assertion (1). For $\lambda \neq -1$, the space $\alpha_{\lambda}^{-2} + [\alpha_{\lambda}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2]$ is also *ad* \mathfrak{g} -invariant. And for $\lambda = -1$, the space $\alpha_{-1}^{-2} + \mathfrak{r}^{-1} + [\alpha_{-1}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2]$ is *ad* \mathfrak{g} -invariant, because by (3.7) we have

$$[\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^1] = [\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, [\mathfrak{g}^2, \mathfrak{g}^{-1}]] = [[\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^{-1}], \mathfrak{g}^2] \subset [\alpha_{-1}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2].$$

Thus we have

$$\lambda \dim \alpha_{\lambda}^{-2} + (\lambda + 2) \dim [\alpha_{\lambda}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2] = 0.$$

As a result we get $\dim \alpha_{\lambda+2}^0 = \dim [\alpha_{\lambda}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2]$ for $-2 < \lambda < 0$. Similarly we can prove $\dim \alpha_{\lambda-2}^{-2} = \dim [\alpha_{\lambda}^0, \mathfrak{g}^{-2}]$ for $0 < \lambda < 2$. Therefore we obtain Assertion (2). q.e.d.

Lemma 3.6. $[\alpha_0^{-2} + \alpha_0^0, \mathfrak{g}] = 0$.

Proof. By (3.8) and Lemma 3.5, we have $[\alpha_0^{-2}, \mathfrak{s}^1 + \mathfrak{s}^2] = 0$. Since $\mathfrak{s}^0 = [\mathfrak{s}^{-2}, \mathfrak{s}^2] + [\mathfrak{s}^{-1}, \mathfrak{s}^1]$, we get $[\alpha_0^{-2}, \mathfrak{s}] = 0$. The fact $[\alpha_0^0, \mathfrak{s}] = 0$ can be verified similarly. q.e.d.

3.3. In the next section, we shall prove the followings:

$$(3.10) \quad \begin{cases} \alpha_\lambda^{-2} = 0 & \text{for } \lambda \neq -1, 0. \\ \alpha_\lambda^0 = 0 & \text{for } \lambda \neq 0, 1. \\ \dim \alpha_{-1}^{-2} = \dim \alpha_1^0. \end{cases}$$

We can now prove Theorem 3.1 under the assumption that (3.10) holds. From (3.6), (3.10), Lemma 3.5 and Lemma 3.6, it follows

$$[\mathfrak{r}^{-2}, \mathfrak{s}^2] = [\alpha_{-1}^{-2}, \mathfrak{s}^2] = \alpha_1^0.$$

And $\alpha_1^0 = \text{ad } E_s(\alpha_1^0) \subset [\mathfrak{s}^0, \mathfrak{r}^0]$. On the other hand,

$$\begin{aligned} [\mathfrak{r}^0, \mathfrak{s}^0] &\subset [\mathfrak{r}^0, [\mathfrak{s}^{-2}, \mathfrak{s}^2]] + [\mathfrak{r}^0, [\mathfrak{s}^{-1}, \mathfrak{s}^1]] \\ &\subset [\mathfrak{r}^{-2}, \mathfrak{s}^2] + [\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{s}^1] \\ &= \alpha_1^0. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore we have

$$(3.11) \quad \alpha_1^0 = [\mathfrak{r}^{-2}, \mathfrak{s}^2] = [\mathfrak{r}^0, \mathfrak{s}^0].$$

Similarly

$$(3.12) \quad \alpha_{-1}^{-2} = [\mathfrak{r}^{-2}, \mathfrak{s}^0] = [\mathfrak{r}^0, \mathfrak{s}^{-2}].$$

From (3.2), (3.3), (3.5) and Lemma 3.6, we know $\alpha_0^{-2} = \mathfrak{r}_0^{-2}$, $\alpha_{-1}^{-2} = \mathfrak{r}_s^{-2}$, $\alpha_0^0 = \mathfrak{r}_0^0$ and $\alpha_1^0 = \mathfrak{r}_s^0$. Then Assertions (1), (2) and (3) of Theorem 3.1 follows from (3.7), (3.10), (3.11) and (3.12). Assertion (4) is already proved in Lemma 3.4. Since $\mathfrak{r}_s^0 = [\mathfrak{r}^{-2}, \mathfrak{s}^2] = [\mathfrak{r}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2]$, \mathfrak{r}_s^0 is clearly an ideal of \mathfrak{g}^0 . And by considering the eigenvalues of $\text{ad } E_s$, we get Assertion (5).

Corollary 3.7. *Let \mathfrak{s} be as in Theorem 2.1. Assume that the domain D is non-degenerate. Then we have*

$$\mathfrak{r}_s^{-2} = [\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{s}^{-1}], \quad \mathfrak{r}_0^{-2} = [\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{r}^{-1}] \quad \text{and} \quad \mathfrak{r}_s^0 = [\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{s}^1].$$

Proof. Since $\mathfrak{g}^{-1} = \mathfrak{r}^{-1} + \mathfrak{s}^{-1}$, we have

$$\mathfrak{g}^{-2} = [\mathfrak{g}^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^{-1}] = [\mathfrak{s}^{-1}, \mathfrak{s}^{-1}] + [\mathfrak{s}^{-1}, \mathfrak{r}^{-1}] + [\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{r}^{-1}].$$

Now our assertions follow immediately from Theorem 3.1. q.e.d.

Remark 1. We can easily observe

$$\mathfrak{r}_0^{-2} = \{X \in \mathfrak{g}^{-2}; [X, \mathfrak{g}^2] = 0\}.$$

Therefore the space \mathfrak{r}_0^{-2} is independent of the choice of the semi-simple graded subalgebra \mathfrak{s} . Clearly so is \mathfrak{r}_s^0 .

§ 4. The subalgebra \mathfrak{s} and the symmetric domain S .

4.1. Let D be a Siegel domain of the second kind in $R_c \times W$ associated with a convex cone V in R and a V -hermitian form F on W . We use the notations given in § 2 and § 3.

The subalgebra \mathfrak{g}^0 may be identified with a subalgebra of the Lie algebra of all graded derivations of the graded Lie algebra $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}^{-1}$. Let $\hat{\mathfrak{g}} = \sum_{\lambda=-2}^{\infty} \hat{\mathfrak{g}}^\lambda$ be the algebraic prolongation of $(\mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^0)$ (cf. [9]). In earlier paper [3], the author proved the following theorem which is a generalization of Tanaka's result [9].

Theorem 4.1. *The Lie algebra $\mathfrak{g}(D)$ can be imbedded as a graded subalgebra of $\hat{\mathfrak{g}}$ and \mathfrak{g}^1 and \mathfrak{g}^2 are determined as follows:*

$$(1) \quad \mathfrak{g}^1 = \hat{\mathfrak{g}}^1.$$

(2) \mathfrak{g}^2 consists of all $X \in \hat{\mathfrak{g}}^2$ such that $\text{Im } ad([X, Y])|_{\mathfrak{g}^{-1}} = 0$ for all $Y \in \mathfrak{g}^{-2}$, where $ad([X, Y])|_{\mathfrak{g}^{-1}}$ is considered as a complex linear endomorphism of \mathfrak{g}^{-1} with the complex structure $ad I$.

4.2. Let \mathfrak{s} be as in Theorem 2.1. Denote by η_s the projection of $\mathfrak{g}_c^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}^{-1} (= R_c \times W)$ onto $\mathfrak{s}_c^{-2} + \mathfrak{s}^{-1}$ corresponding to the direct sum: $\mathfrak{g}_c^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}^{-1} = \mathfrak{s}_c^{-2} + \mathfrak{s}^{-1} + \mathfrak{r}_c^{-2} + \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$. We put

$$(4.1) \quad V_s = \eta_s(V).$$

Lemma 4.2. *The set V_s is a convex cone in \mathfrak{s}^{-2} .*

Proof. It is sufficient to prove that V_s contains no entire straight lines. Let $v \in \mathfrak{g}^{-2}$. Then we can write $v = v_s + v_r$, where $v_s \in \mathfrak{s}^{-2}$ and $v_r \in \mathfrak{r}^{-2}$. We assert

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{e^{2t}} \exp(-tE_s)v_r = 0.$$

In fact, by Lemma 3.5, we can write

$$v_r = \sum_{\lambda} u_{\lambda}, \quad u_{\lambda} \in \mathfrak{a}_{\lambda}^{-2} \quad (-2 < \lambda \leq 0)$$

Then

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{e^{2t}} \exp(-tE_s) u_{\lambda} = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{e^{t(2+\lambda)}} u_{\lambda} = 0,$$

proving our assertion. As a result

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{e^{2t}} \exp(-tE_s) v = v_s = \eta_s(v).$$

Since $\exp(-tE_s)V = V$, V_s is contained in $\bar{V} \cap \mathfrak{g}^{-2}$. This fact implies that V_s contains no entire straight lines. q.e.d.

The restriction F_s of F to the complex subspace $\mathfrak{g}^{-1} \times \mathfrak{g}^{-1}$ of $\mathfrak{g}^{-1} \times \mathfrak{g}^{-1}$ is clearly a V_s -hermitian form. Denote by S the Siegel domain of the second kind in $\mathfrak{g}_c^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}^{-1}$ associated with V_s and F_s .

Proposition 4.3. *The projection η_s maps D onto S .*

Proof. Let $z + w \in \mathfrak{g}_c^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}^{-1}$ ($z \in \mathfrak{g}_c^{-2}$, $w \in \mathfrak{g}^{-1}$). Then $\eta_s(\operatorname{Im} z - F(w, w)) = \operatorname{Im} \eta_s(z) - F_s(\eta_s(w), \eta_s(w))$. Therefore $\eta_s(D) \subset S$. Conversely, let $z + w \in S$ ($z \in \mathfrak{g}_c^{-2}$, $w \in \mathfrak{g}^{-1}$). Then $\operatorname{Im} z - F(w, w) \in V_s$. There exists $y \in \mathfrak{r}^{-2}$ such that $\operatorname{Im} z - F(w, w) + y \in V$. We then have $z + \sqrt{-1}y + w \in D$. As a result $z + w = \eta_s(z + \sqrt{-1}y + w) \in \eta_s(D)$. q.e.d.

Next we shall prove the following

Theorem 4.4. *The domain S is symmetric and \mathfrak{s} may be identified with the Lie algebra of $\operatorname{Aut}(S)$.*

Proof. Let $\mathfrak{g}(S) = \mathfrak{g}'^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}'^{-1} + \mathfrak{g}'^0 + \mathfrak{g}'^1 + \mathfrak{g}'^2$ be the graded Lie algebra of $\operatorname{Aut}(S)$. Then $\mathfrak{g}'^{-2} = \mathfrak{g}^{-2}$ and $\mathfrak{g}'^{-1} = \mathfrak{g}^{-1}$. Since $\exp tA(V_s) = V_s$ for any $A \in \mathfrak{g}^0$, \mathfrak{g}^0 may be identified with a subalgebra of \mathfrak{g}'^0 . (Note that the adjoint representation of \mathfrak{g}^0 on $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}^{-1}$ is faithful.) Let $\hat{\mathfrak{g}}' = \sum_{\lambda=-2}^{\infty} \hat{\mathfrak{g}}'^{\lambda}$ be the algebraic prolongation of $(\mathfrak{g}'^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}'^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}'^0)$. By Lemma 1.2, the Lie algebra \mathfrak{s} can be imbedded as a graded subalgebra of $\hat{\mathfrak{g}}'$. Therefore by Theorem 4.1, we know that \mathfrak{s}^1 is a subspace of \mathfrak{g}'^1 . Let $X \in \mathfrak{s}^2$. Then for any $Y \in \mathfrak{g}'^{-2}$,

$$\text{Im } Tr \text{ ad}([X, Y])|_{\mathfrak{g}^{-1}} = 0 \quad (\text{cf. Theorem 4.1}).$$

Since $\text{ad}([X, Y]) = 0$ on \mathfrak{r}^{-1} , we have

$$(4.2) \quad \text{Im } Tr \text{ ad}([X, Y])|_{\mathfrak{g}^{-1}} = 0.$$

Let I_s be the element of \mathfrak{g}'^0 given by (2.2)' for the domain S . It is clear that $\text{ad } I = \text{ad } I_s$ on \mathfrak{g}^{-1} . Thereby from (4.2) and Theorem 4.1, we know $\mathfrak{g}^2 \subset \mathfrak{g}'^2$. Since $\dim \mathfrak{g}'^1 \leq \dim \mathfrak{g}^{-1} = \dim \mathfrak{g}^1$ and $\dim \mathfrak{g}'^2 \leq \dim \mathfrak{g}^{-2} = \dim \mathfrak{g}^2$, we have $\mathfrak{g}^1 = \mathfrak{g}'^1$ and $\mathfrak{g}^2 = \mathfrak{g}'^2$. As a result, the radical of $\mathfrak{g}(S)$ is trivial³⁾ and hence S is a symmetric homogeneous domain. Since the adjoint representation of \mathfrak{g}'^0 on $\mathfrak{g}'^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}'^{-1}$ is faithful, by using Lemma 1.3, we have

$$\mathfrak{g}'^0 = [\mathfrak{g}'^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}'^2] + [\mathfrak{g}'^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}'^1] = \mathfrak{g}^0,$$

which completes the proof.

q.e.d.

4.3. Let S' be the Siegel domain of the first kind associated with the cone V_s . It is well known that the domain S' is symmetric.

Proposition 4.5.⁴⁾ *The subalgebra $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} + [\mathfrak{g}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2] + \mathfrak{g}^2$ is semi-simple and may be identified with the Lie algebra of $\text{Aut}(S')$.*

Proof. Let $\mathfrak{g}(S') = \mathfrak{g}'^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}'^0 + \mathfrak{g}'^2$ be the graded Lie algebra of $\text{Aut}(S')$. There exists a natural homomorphism α_s of $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}^0 + \mathfrak{g}^2$ to $\mathfrak{g}(S')$ as graded Lie algebras ([1]) such that α_s is injective on $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}^2$ and $\alpha_s(\mathfrak{g}^{-2}) = \mathfrak{g}'^{-2}$ (cf. [4]). Since $\dim \mathfrak{g}'^2 \leq \dim \mathfrak{g}'^{-2} = \dim \mathfrak{g}^{-2} = \dim \mathfrak{g}^2$, we have $\alpha_s(\mathfrak{g}^2) = \mathfrak{g}'^2$ and $\dim \mathfrak{g}'^2 = \dim \mathfrak{g}'^{-2}$. (From this fact, we know that $\mathfrak{g}(S')$ is semi-simple and that S' is symmetric.) Since the adjoint representation of \mathfrak{g}'^0 on \mathfrak{g}'^{-2} is faithful, we obtain $\mathfrak{g}'^0 = [\mathfrak{g}'^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}'^2]$ by Lemma 1.3. As a result, α_s is surjective. Let \mathfrak{c} be the radical of $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}^0 + \mathfrak{g}^2$. Since α_s is surjective, $\alpha_s(\mathfrak{c})$ is a solvable ideal of $\mathfrak{g}(S')$ and hence is trivial. Therefore \mathfrak{c} is contained in $\mathfrak{g}^0 \cap \alpha_s^{-1}(0)$. By Theorem 1.1, there exists a semi-simple graded subalgebra \mathfrak{g}_1 such that

$$\mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}^0 + \mathfrak{g}^2 = \mathfrak{g}_1 + \mathfrak{c} \quad (\text{direct sum}),$$

$$\mathfrak{g}_1 = \mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}_1^0 + \mathfrak{g}^2 \quad (\mathfrak{g}_1^0 = \mathfrak{g}_1 \cap \mathfrak{g}^0).$$

³⁾ For any graded ideal \mathfrak{h} of $\mathfrak{g}(S)$, the condition $\mathfrak{h}^{-2} = 0$ implies $\mathfrak{h} = 0$.

⁴⁾ This proposition holds for any symmetric Siegel domain of the second kind.

We set $\mathfrak{g}_2^0 = \{X \in \mathfrak{g}_1^0; [X, \mathfrak{g}^{-2}] = 0\}$. Then by considering the decomposition of \mathfrak{g}_1 into simple ideals and by Lemma 1.3, we know that $\mathfrak{g}_1 = \mathfrak{g}^{-2} + [\mathfrak{g}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2] + \mathfrak{g}^2 + \mathfrak{g}_2^0$ (direct sum) and that the subalgebra $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} + [\mathfrak{g}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2] + \mathfrak{g}^2$ is semi-simple. It follows that $\mathfrak{g}_2^0 + \mathfrak{c} = \{X \in \mathfrak{g}^0; [X, \mathfrak{g}^{-2}] = 0\} = \alpha_s^{-1}(0)$. And α_s is an isomorphism of $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} + [\mathfrak{g}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2] + \mathfrak{g}^2$ onto $\mathfrak{g}(S')$. q.e.d.

Corollary 4.6. *The element E_s belongs to $[\mathfrak{g}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2]$.*

Proof. Since the Lie algebra $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} + [\mathfrak{g}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2] + \mathfrak{g}^2$ is semi-simple, there exists a unique element E_s' of $[\mathfrak{g}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2]$ such that $ad E_s' = -2id.$ on \mathfrak{g}^{-2} , $ad E_s' = 0$ on $[\mathfrak{g}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2]$ and $ad E_s' = 2id.$ on \mathfrak{g}^2 . By Lemma 1.5, the endomorphism $ad E_s'$ of \mathfrak{g} is real diagonal. As a result

$$\mathfrak{g}^{-1} = \sum_{\alpha} \mathfrak{g}_{\alpha}^{-1}, \quad \text{where } \mathfrak{g}_{\alpha}^{-1} = \{X \in \mathfrak{g}^{-1}; [E_s', X] = \alpha X\}.$$

Let $X \in \mathfrak{g}_{\alpha}^{-1}$. Then $[E_s', [[I, X], X]] = 2\alpha[[I, X], X]$. It follows that $\mathfrak{g}_{\alpha}^{-1} = 0$ for $\alpha \neq -1$. Therefore $ad(E_s - E_s') = 0$ on $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}^{-1}$ and hence $E_s = E_s'$, because the representation of \mathfrak{g}^0 on $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}^{-1}$ is faithful.

q.e.d.

4.4. We can now prove (3.10). Let $v \in V_s$. Then the correspondence: $X \rightarrow [v, [v, X]]$ ($X \in \mathfrak{g}^2$) is an injective linear mapping of \mathfrak{g}^2 to \mathfrak{g}^{-2} ([11]). Since $\dim \mathfrak{g}^{-2} = \dim \mathfrak{g}^2$, we have

$$(4.4) \quad \mathfrak{g}^{-2} = [v, [v, \mathfrak{g}^2]].$$

For $0 < \lambda < 2$, by Lemma 3.5

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha_{\lambda-2}^{-2} &= [\alpha_{\lambda}^0, \mathfrak{g}^{-2}] = [\alpha_{\lambda}^0, [v, [v, \mathfrak{g}^2]]] \\ &\subset [[\alpha_{\lambda}^0, v], [v, \mathfrak{g}^2]] + [v, [\alpha_{\lambda}^0, [v, \mathfrak{g}^2]]] \\ &\subset [\alpha_{\lambda-2}^{-2}, [v, \mathfrak{g}^2]] + [v, \alpha_{\lambda}^0] \\ &= [v, [\alpha_{\lambda-2}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2]] + [v, \alpha_{\lambda}^0] \\ &= [v, \alpha_{\lambda}^0]. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore $\alpha_{\lambda-2}^{-2} = [v, \alpha_{\lambda}^0]$ and hence $\dim \alpha_{\lambda-2}^{-2} \leq \dim \alpha_{\lambda}^0$. It is well known that there exists an involutive automorphism σ of the semi-simple Lie algebra $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} + [\mathfrak{g}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2] + \mathfrak{g}^2$ such that $\sigma(\mathfrak{g}^{-2}) = \mathfrak{g}^2$ and $\sigma(\mathfrak{g}^2) = \mathfrak{g}^{-2}$.⁵⁾ Then

⁵⁾ cf. [8].

from (4.4) we have

$$\mathfrak{s}^2 = [\sigma(v), [\sigma(v), \mathfrak{s}^{-2}]].$$

Therefore we get $\alpha_\lambda^0 = [\sigma(v), \alpha_{\lambda-2}^{-2}]$ similarly and hence $\dim \alpha_{\lambda-2}^{-2} \geq \dim \alpha_\lambda^0$. Thus we have $\dim \alpha_{\lambda-2}^{-2} = \dim \alpha_\lambda^0$. And by using (3.9), we get $\lambda = 1$ if $\alpha_\lambda^0 \neq 0$. This implies (3.10).

4.5. The projection η_s gives a "fibering" of D in which the base space is the symmetric space S . We shall show that any two fibers are holomorphically equivalent to each other and are equivalent to a bounded domain.

Let $a = z_s + w_s \in S (z_s \in \mathfrak{s}_c^{-2}, w_s \in \mathfrak{s}^{-1})$. We set

$$V(a) = \{y \in \mathfrak{r}^{-2}; y + \text{Im } z_s - F(w_s, w_s) \in V\}.$$

Clearly $V(a)$ is an open convex set in \mathfrak{r}^{-2} and contains no entire straight lines. And

$$\eta_s^{-1}(a) \cong \{z + w \in \mathfrak{r}_c^{-2} + \mathfrak{r}^{-1};$$

$$\text{Im } z - F(w, w) - 2 \text{Re } F(w, w_s) \in V(a)\}.$$

Therefore the fiber $\eta_s^{-1}(a)$ is a domain in $\mathfrak{r}_c^{-2} + \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$. Let $a' = z_s - \sqrt{-1} F(w_s, w_s)$. Then $a' \in S$ and $V(a') = V(a)$. And

$$\eta_s^{-1}(a') \cong \{z + w \in \mathfrak{r}_c^{-2} + \mathfrak{r}^{-1}; \text{Im } z - F(w, w) \in V(a)\}.$$

Lemma 4.7. (1) *The domains $\eta_s^{-1}(a)$ and $\eta_s^{-1}(a')$ are holomorphically equivalent to each other.*

(2) *The domain $\eta_s^{-1}(a')$ is holomorphically equivalent to a bounded domain.*

Proof. Assertion (2) follows immediately from the fact that $V(a)$ is an open convex set, containing no entire straight lines. We can easily observe that the automorphism of $\mathfrak{r}_c^{-2} + \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$ defined by

$$z + w \rightarrow z - 2\sqrt{-1} F(w, w_s) + w \quad (z \in \mathfrak{r}_c^{-2}, w \in \mathfrak{r}^{-1})$$

maps $\eta_s^{-1}(a)$ onto $\eta_s^{-1}(a')$. Thus we get Assertion (1). q.e.d.

Let $b = z_s' + w_s' \in S$ and $b' = z_s' - \sqrt{-1} F(w_s', w_s')$. The homogeneity of S implies that V_s is affine homogeneous. Therefore there

exist $A_1, \dots, A_n \in \mathfrak{g}^0$ such that

$$\exp A_1 \circ \dots \circ \exp A_n (\operatorname{Im} a') = \operatorname{Im} b'.$$

We set $f = \exp A_1 \circ \dots \circ \exp A_n$. Then the linear transformation of $\mathfrak{r}_c^{-2} + \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$ defined by

$$z + w \rightarrow fz + fw \quad (z \in \mathfrak{r}_c^{-2}, w \in \mathfrak{r}^{-1})$$

maps $V(a)$ onto $V(b)$ and hence maps $\eta_s^{-1}(a')$ onto $\eta_s^{-1}(b')$. As a result, by Lemma 4.7, we get $\eta_s^{-1}(a) \cong \eta_s^{-1}(b)$. Thus we have proved

Theorem 4.8. *Let $a, b \in S$. Then the two fibers $\eta_s^{-1}(a)$ and $\eta_s^{-1}(b)$ are holomorphically equivalent to each other. Moreover every fiber is holomorphically equivalent to a bounded domain.*

The domain S is contained in $R_c \times W$ in a natural manner. Let $z + w \in S$. Then $\operatorname{Im} z - F(w, w) \in V_s \subset \bar{V}$ (cf. Proof of Lemma 4.2). Hence $z + w \in \bar{D}$. Thus we know that S is contained in \bar{D} . Moreover we can prove the following

Proposition 4.9. *If $\mathfrak{r} = 0$, then $S = D$. And if $\mathfrak{r} \neq 0$, then S is contained in the boundary of D .*

Proof. It is clear from the construction that S coincides with D in the case where $\mathfrak{r} = 0$. We now assume that $\mathfrak{r} \neq 0$. And suppose that there exists $p \in S \cap D (p = z + w)$. Let $E' = E - E_s$. Since $\operatorname{ad} E' = 0$ on \mathfrak{g} , E' is contained in the isotropy subalgebra of $\mathfrak{g}(D)$ at $p \in D$. Hence all eigenvalues of $\operatorname{ad} E'$ are purely imaginary. On the other hand, $\operatorname{ad} E' = -id.$ on \mathfrak{r}_s^{-2} and $\operatorname{ad} E' = -2id.$ on \mathfrak{r}_0^{-2} . Therefore by Theorem 3.1 we have $\mathfrak{r}^{-2} = 0$. As a result $\mathfrak{r} = 0$, contradicting the assumption that $\mathfrak{r} \neq 0$. q.e.d.

Remark 2. For every simple ideal of \mathfrak{g} , we can construct a symmetric domain in \bar{D} , for which similar assertions in Theorem 4.4 and Theorem 4.8 hold.

Remark 3. If $\mathfrak{r} \neq 0$. Then the domain S is contained in the boundary of D by Proposition 4.9. Moreover we can show that S is a regular boundary component of D , i.e., a regular analytic set in

$R_c \times W$ contained in the boundary of D with the property that every analytic curve $\psi(t)$ in the boundary of D which meets S is completely contained in S (cf. [6]).

§ 5. The uniqueness of the domain S .

5.1. The symmetric domain S is constructed from the semi-simple graded subalgebra \mathfrak{g} . Let $\mathfrak{g}' = \sum_{\lambda=-2}^2 \mathfrak{g}'^\lambda$ be another semi-simple graded subalgebra of $\mathfrak{g}(D)$ having the properties 1) and 2) in Theorem 2.1. And let $E_{s'}$, be corresponding element of \mathfrak{g}'^0 defined by (3.1) for the subalgebra \mathfrak{g}' .

Lemma 5.1. $E_{s'} - E_s \in \mathfrak{r}_s^0$.

Proof. It follows from Theorem 3.1 and Corollary 4.6

$$E_{s'} \in [\mathfrak{g}'^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}'^2] \subset [\mathfrak{r}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2] \subset \mathfrak{g}^0 + \mathfrak{r}_s^0.$$

Thus we can write $E_{s'} = E' + A$, where $E' \in \mathfrak{g}^0$ and $A \in \mathfrak{r}_s^0$. Since $ad E' = ad E_{s'} = ad E_s$ on $\mathfrak{g}^1 + \mathfrak{g}^2$, we have $E' = E_s$ because E' and E_s belong to \mathfrak{g}^0 . q.e.d.

Now we can prove the following theorem which implies the uniqueness of the symmetric domain S .

Theorem 5.2. *Let \mathfrak{g} and \mathfrak{g}' be two semi-simple graded subalgebra as in Theorem 2.1. And let S and S' be the symmetric domains corresponding to \mathfrak{g} and \mathfrak{g}' respectively. Then there exists $A \in \mathfrak{g}^0$ such that*

- 1) $Ad(\exp A)\mathfrak{g}' = \mathfrak{g}$.
- 2) $\exp AS = S'$ and $\eta_s \circ \exp A = \exp A \circ \eta_{s'}$.

Proof. Let $A = E_{s'} - E_s$. Then by Lemma 5.1, we have $ad E_{s'} A = A$. (Note that $\mathfrak{r}_s^0 = [\mathfrak{r}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2] = \mathfrak{r}_s^0$.) Thus we get $Ad(\exp A)E_{s'} = E_{s'} - A = E_s$. Clearly $Ad(\exp A)\mathfrak{g}'^\lambda = \mathfrak{g}^\lambda$ for $\lambda = 1, 2$. From Theorem 3.1, we know

$$\mathfrak{g}^\lambda = \{X \in \mathfrak{g}^\lambda; [E_s, X] = \lambda X\} \quad \text{for } \lambda = -2, -1$$

$$\text{(resp. } \mathfrak{g}'^\lambda = \{X \in \mathfrak{g}'^\lambda; [E_{s'}, X] = \lambda X\} \text{ for } \lambda = -2, -1).$$

Therefore $Ad(\exp A)E_{s'} = E_s$ implies $Ad(\exp A)\mathfrak{g}'^\lambda = \mathfrak{g}^\lambda$ for $\lambda = -2,$

-1. It follows

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Ad}(\exp A) \mathfrak{g}'^0 &= \text{Ad}(\exp A) ([\mathfrak{g}'^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}'^2] + [\mathfrak{g}'^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}'^1]) \\ &= [\mathfrak{g}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2] + [\mathfrak{g}^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^1] = \mathfrak{g}^0. \end{aligned}$$

Thus we have proved 1). Let $z + w \in \mathfrak{g}_c^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}^{-1}$. We write $z = z_{s'} + z_r$ ($z_{s'} \in \mathfrak{g}'_c^{-2}$, $z_r \in \mathfrak{r}_c^{-2}$) and $w = w_{s'} + w_r$ ($w_{s'} \in \mathfrak{g}'^{-1}$, $w_r \in \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$). Then $\eta_{s'} \circ \exp A(z + w) = \eta_{s'} \circ \exp A(z_{s'} + w_{s'}) = \exp A(z_{s'} + w_{s'}) = \exp A \circ \eta_{s'}(z + w)$. Therefore $\eta_{s'} \circ \exp A = \exp A \circ \eta_{s'}$. As a result $S = \eta_{s'}(D) = \eta_{s'} \circ \exp A(D) = \exp A \circ \eta_{s'}(D) = \exp AS'$. Thus we get 2). q.e.d.

By Theorem 5.2, the domain S has an invariant meaning. In what follows we call S the associated symmetric domain.

Corollary 5.3. *Let D (resp. D') be a Siegel domain of the second kind in $R_c \times W$ (resp. in $R'_c \times W'$). And let S (resp. S') be the associated symmetric domain corresponding to D (resp. to D'). Assume that the two domains D and D' are holomorphically equivalent. Then there exists a linear isomorphism f of $R_c \times W$ onto $R'_c \times W'$ such that*

$$f(D) = D' \quad \text{and} \quad f(S) = S'.$$

Proof. From [1], we know that there exists a linear isomorphism g of $R_c \times W$ onto $R'_c \times W'$ such that $g(R) = R$, $g(W) = W$ and $g(D) = D'$. The isomorphism g induces an isomorphism g_* of $\mathfrak{g}(D)$ ($= \sum_{i=-2}^2 \mathfrak{g}^i$) onto $\mathfrak{g}(D')$ ($= \sum_{i=-2}^2 \mathfrak{g}'^i$). Clearly $g_*(\mathfrak{g}^{-2}) = \mathfrak{g}'^{-2}$ and $g_*(\mathfrak{g}^{-1}) = \mathfrak{g}'^{-1}$. From this fact we can easily observe that $g_*(\mathfrak{g}^\lambda) = \mathfrak{g}'^\lambda$ for all λ . Let \mathfrak{g} be the semi-simple graded subalgebra corresponding to S . Then $g_*(\mathfrak{g})$ satisfies the properties in Theorem 2.1 and $g(S)$ is just the symmetric domain corresponding to $g_*(\mathfrak{g})$. By Theorem 5.2, there exists $A \in \mathfrak{g}'^0$ such that $\exp A(g(S)) = S'$. Now the mapping $f = \exp A \circ g$ has the desired properties. q.e.d.

5.2. We set

$$\tilde{\mathfrak{f}} = \{X \in \mathfrak{g}^0; [X, \mathfrak{g}^1 + \mathfrak{g}^2] = 0\}.$$

Clearly $\tilde{\mathfrak{f}}$ is an ideal of \mathfrak{g}^0 . The following proposition means that any semi-simple graded subalgebra as in Theorem 2.1 is obtained

only by the method in the proof of Theorem 2.1.

Proposition 5.4. *Let \mathfrak{g} be as in Theorem 2.1. Then there exists a semi-simple part \mathfrak{f} of $\tilde{\mathfrak{f}}$ such that*

- 1) $\tilde{\mathfrak{f}} = \mathfrak{f} + \mathfrak{r}^0$ (direct sum).
- 2) The direct sum $\mathfrak{f} + \mathfrak{g}$ is a semi-simple part of $\mathfrak{g}(D)$ and $[\mathfrak{f}, \mathfrak{g}] = 0$.

Proof. Let $\tilde{\mathfrak{g}}$ be as in Theorem 1.1. Then from the proof of Theorem 2.1, there exist ideals \mathfrak{g}' and \mathfrak{f}' of $\tilde{\mathfrak{g}}$ such that

- i) \mathfrak{g}' satisfies the properties 1) and 2) in Theorem 2.1.
- ii) $\tilde{\mathfrak{g}} = \mathfrak{g}' + \mathfrak{f}'$ (direct sum) and hence $\mathfrak{f}' \subset \tilde{\mathfrak{f}}$.

We then have $\tilde{\mathfrak{f}} = \mathfrak{f}' + \mathfrak{r}^0$ (direct sum). Therefore \mathfrak{f}' is a semi-simple part of $\tilde{\mathfrak{f}}$ and \mathfrak{r}^0 is the radical of $\tilde{\mathfrak{f}}$. By Theorem 5.2, there exists $A \in \mathfrak{g}^0$ such that $Ad(\exp A)\mathfrak{g}' = \mathfrak{g}$. We put $\mathfrak{f} = Ad(\exp A)\mathfrak{f}'$. Since $\tilde{\mathfrak{f}}$ is invariant by $Ad(\exp A)$, \mathfrak{f} is a semi-simple part of $\tilde{\mathfrak{f}}$ and has the desired properties. q.e.d.

Theorem 2.1, Proposition 2.3, Theorem 3.1 and Proposition 5.4 give structure equations of $\mathfrak{g}(D)$. Note that the spaces \mathfrak{r}_s^{-2} and \mathfrak{r}_0^0 are $ad \mathfrak{f}$ -invariant (cf. Remark 1).

§ 6. Siegel domains over classical cones, I.

6.1. In this and the next paragraphs, \mathbf{F} denotes the field \mathbf{R} or \mathbf{C} . We denote by $M(p, q, \mathbf{F})$ the vector space of all $p \times q$ matrices over \mathbf{F} . For a matrix A , denote by A^* the transpose of the conjugate matrix \bar{A} of A . And denote by e_p the unit matrix of degree p . We set

$$H(m, \mathbf{F}) = \{A \in M(m, m, \mathbf{F}); A^* = A\},$$

$$H^+(m, \mathbf{F}) = \{A \in H(m, \mathbf{F}); A \text{ is positive definite}\}.$$

Then $H^+(m, \mathbf{F})$ is a convex cone in the vector space $H(m, \mathbf{F})$. Let D be a Siegel domain of the second kind associated with the cone $V = H^+(m, \mathbf{F})$ in $H(m, \mathbf{F})$ and a V -hermitian form F on some vector space W . And let $\mathfrak{g}(D) = \mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}^{-1} + \mathfrak{g}^0 + \mathfrak{g}^1 + \mathfrak{g}^2$ be the graded Lie algebra of $\text{Aut}(D)$. Denote by D' the Siegel domain of the first kind associated with the cone $H^+(m, \mathbf{F})$, and by $\mathfrak{g}(D') = \mathfrak{g}'^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}'^0 + \mathfrak{g}'^2$

the graded Lie algebra of $\text{Aut}(D')$. There exists a natural homomorphism α of $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}^0 + \mathfrak{g}^2$ to $\mathfrak{g}'^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}'^0 + \mathfrak{g}'^2$ as graded Lie algebras such that α is injective on $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}^2$ and $\alpha(\mathfrak{g}^{-2}) = \mathfrak{g}'^{-2}$ ([1], [4]). Therefore we identify \mathfrak{g}^{-2} with \mathfrak{g}'^{-2} and \mathfrak{g}^2 with the subspace $\alpha(\mathfrak{g}^2)$ of \mathfrak{g}'^2 . Let $A \in GL(m, \mathbf{F})$, the group of all non-singular matrices of degree m . Denote by $\theta(A)$ the transformation of $H(m, \mathbf{F})$ defined by

$$\theta(A)X = AXA^* \quad (X \in H(m, \mathbf{F})).$$

Clearly the cone $H^+(m, \mathbf{F})$ is invariant by $\theta(A)$. Therefore θ defines a homomorphism: $GL(m, \mathbf{F}) \rightarrow \text{Aut}(D')$. Denote by θ_* the corresponding homomorphism: $\mathfrak{gl}(m, \mathbf{F}) \rightarrow \mathfrak{g}(D')$, where $\mathfrak{gl}(m, \mathbf{F})$ is the Lie algebra of $GL(m, \mathbf{F})$, i.e., $\mathfrak{gl}(m, \mathbf{F}) = M(m, m, \mathbf{F})$. It is well known that $\theta_*(\mathfrak{gl}(m, \mathbf{F})) = \mathfrak{g}'^0$. The kernel \mathfrak{z} of θ_* is trivial if $\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{R}$ and is $\{\lambda\sqrt{-1}e_m; \lambda \in \mathbf{R}\}$ if $\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{C}$. We set

$$\tilde{\mathfrak{g}} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ C & -A^* \end{pmatrix} \in M(2m, 2m, \mathbf{F}); \begin{array}{l} B, C \in H(m, \mathbf{F}) \\ A \in \mathfrak{gl}(m, \mathbf{F}) \end{array} \right\}.$$

Then $\tilde{\mathfrak{g}}$ is a Lie algebra in a usual bracket rule. The center $\tilde{\mathfrak{z}}$ of $\tilde{\mathfrak{g}}$ is trivial if $\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{R}$ and is $\{\lambda\sqrt{-1}e_{2m}; \lambda \in \mathbf{R}\}$ if $\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{C}$. We also know that the Lie algebra $\mathfrak{g}(D')$ is isomorphic to $\tilde{\mathfrak{g}}/\tilde{\mathfrak{z}}$ and that

$$\begin{aligned} \mathfrak{g}'^{-2} &= \{B \in H(m, \mathbf{F})\} \cong \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & B \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in \tilde{\mathfrak{g}} \right\} \\ \mathfrak{g}'^0 &= \{\in \mathfrak{gl}(m, \mathbf{F})\} / \mathfrak{z} \cong \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} A & 0 \\ 0 & -A^* \end{pmatrix} \in \tilde{\mathfrak{g}} \right\} / \tilde{\mathfrak{z}} \\ \mathfrak{g}'^2 &= \{C \in H(m, \mathbf{F})\} \cong \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ C & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in \tilde{\mathfrak{g}} \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

For $A \in \mathfrak{gl}(m, \mathbf{F})$, we shall denote by the same letter A the image of A in $\mathfrak{gl}(m, \mathbf{F})/\mathfrak{z} = \mathfrak{g}'^0$. Let $A \in \mathfrak{g}'^0$ ($= \mathfrak{gl}(m, \mathbf{F})/\mathfrak{z}$), $B \in \mathfrak{g}'^{-2}$ ($= H(m, \mathbf{F})$) and $C \in \mathfrak{g}'^2$ ($= H(m, \mathbf{F})$). Then

$$(6.1) \quad \begin{cases} [A, B] = AB + BA^*, & [A, C] = -(A^*C + CA), \\ [B, C] = BC. \end{cases}$$

6.2. Let $A \in GL(m, \mathbf{F})$ and put $F_A(c, c') = AF(c, c')A^*$, $(c, c' \in W)$. Then F_A is also a V -hermitian form on W . Let D_A be the Siegel domain of the second kind corresponding to $H^+(m, \mathbf{F})$ and

F_A . The automorphism of $R_c \times W$ ($R = H(m, \mathbf{F})$) defined by the rule: $(z, w) \rightarrow (\theta(A)z, w)$ maps D onto D_A . Denote by θ_A the induced isomorphism of $\mathfrak{g}(D)$ onto $\mathfrak{g}(D_A)$ ($= \sum_{\lambda=-2}^2 \mathfrak{g}_A^\lambda$). Clearly $\theta_A(\mathfrak{g}^\lambda) = \mathfrak{g}_A^\lambda$ and the following equalities hold:

$$(6.2) \quad \begin{cases} \theta_A(B) = ABA^* & \text{for } B \in \mathfrak{g}^{-2} = \mathfrak{g}'^{-2} = H(m, \mathbf{F}), \\ \alpha_A \circ \theta_A(P) = A\alpha(P)A^{-1} & \text{for } P \in \mathfrak{g}^0, \end{cases}$$

where α_A is the homomorphism of \mathfrak{g}_A^0 into $\mathfrak{gl}(m, \mathbf{F})/\mathfrak{z}$ corresponding to the domain D_A .

Let \mathfrak{s} be a semi-simple graded subalgebra of $\mathfrak{g}(D)$ given in Theorem 2.1 and let V_s be the cone in \mathfrak{s}^{-2} given by (4.1). Then $V_s \subset \bar{V}$. Let $v \in V_s$ and p be the rank of the matrix v . (Note that the rank of each matrix which belongs to V_s is constant, because V_s is homogeneous.) Then $p \neq 0$ if and only if $\mathfrak{s} \neq 0$.

Lemma 6.1. *For a suitable D_A , the following equalities hold under the identification of \mathfrak{g}_A^{-2} with $H(m, \mathbf{F})$.*

$$\begin{aligned} \mathfrak{s}^{-2} &= \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & B_{22} \end{pmatrix} \in H(m, \mathbf{F}); B_{22} \in H(p, \mathbf{F}) \right\}, \\ \mathfrak{r}_s^{-2} &= \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & B_{12} \\ B_{12}^* & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in H(m, \mathbf{F}); B_{12} \in M(m-p, p, \mathbf{F}) \right\}, \\ \mathfrak{r}_0^{-2} &= \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} B_{11} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in H(m, \mathbf{F}); B_{11} \in H(m-p, \mathbf{F}) \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Proof. Let R_{-2} , R_{-1} and R_0 denote the right sides in the above equations. Let $v \in V_s$. There exists $A \in GL(m, \mathbf{F})$ such that $AvA^* = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & e_p \end{pmatrix} \in H(m, \mathbf{F})$. Therefore from (6.2), by considering D_A instead of D , we may assume $v = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & e_p \end{pmatrix}$. Then by (6.1), we have $[v, [v, X]] \in R_{-2}$ for any $X \in \mathfrak{g}^2$. Since $\mathfrak{s}^{-2} = [v, [v, \mathfrak{s}^2]]$, we know that $\mathfrak{s}^{-2} \subset R_{-2}$. Then by using (6.1) we have

$$\alpha([\mathfrak{s}^{-2}, \mathfrak{s}^2]) \subset \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{pmatrix}; \begin{matrix} A_{21} \in M(p, m-p, \mathbf{F}) \\ A_{22} \in \mathfrak{gl}(p, \mathbf{F}) \end{matrix} \right\} \pmod{\mathfrak{z}}.$$

Since $E_s \in [\mathfrak{s}^{-2}, \mathfrak{s}^2]$ by Corollary 4.6, we can write

$$\alpha(E_s) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{pmatrix}.$$

The equation $[E_s, v] = -2v$ implies $A_{22} + A_{22}^* = -2e_p$. Therefore the matrix A_{22} is non-singular. We put

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} e_{m-p} & 0 \\ A_{22}^{-1}A_{21} & e_p \end{pmatrix}.$$

We then have $A \alpha(E_s) A^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & A_{22} \end{pmatrix}$. Thus by considering D_A instead of D , we may assume by (6.2)

$$\alpha(E_s) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & A_{22} \end{pmatrix},$$

$$A_{22} = -e_p + A'_{22}, \quad A'_{22} + A'^{*}_{22} = 0.$$

By a direct calculation we can see that $ad E_s$ leaves R_{-2} invariant and that the following equality holds:

$$(6.3) \quad [E_s, Z] = -2Z + A'_{22}Z + ZA'^{*}_{22} \quad \text{for } Z \in R_{-2} (= H(p, \mathbf{F})).$$

Recall that $ad E_s$ has only real eigenvalues. Then from (6.3), we know that $A'_{22} = 0$ if $\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{R}$ and $A'_{22} = \lambda \sqrt{-1} e_p$ ($\lambda \in \mathbf{R}$) if $\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{C}$. In the case $\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{C}$, for any $X \in R_{-1}$, we have

$$ad E_s X = -(1 + \lambda \sqrt{-1}) X.$$

Therefore $\lambda = 0$ or $R_{-1} = 0$. If $R_{-1} = 0$, then $p = m$ and $ad E_s = -2id.$ on \mathfrak{g}^{-2} . As a result, $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} = \mathfrak{g}^{-2}$ and hence we have nothing to prove. Thereby we can assume $\alpha(E_s) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -e_p \end{pmatrix}$ in both cases $\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{R}$ and $\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{C}$. It follows

$$ad E_s = -2id. \quad \text{on } R_{-2},$$

$$ad E_s = -id. \quad \text{on } R_{-1},$$

$$ad E_s = 0 \quad \text{on } R_0.$$

Now our assertion follows immediately from Theorem 3.1. q.e.d.

6.3. We next investigate domains over cones of another type. We set

$$H(m, \mathbf{K}) = \{Y \in H(2m, \mathbf{C}); YJ = J\bar{Y}\},$$

where $J = \begin{pmatrix} j & 0 \\ 0 & j \end{pmatrix}$ and $j = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$. If we write $Y = (y_{kt})$, $k, t = 1, \dots, m$, where y_{kt} is a 2×2 matrix. Then

$$y_{kk} = \begin{pmatrix} u_{kk} & 0 \\ 0 & u_{kk} \end{pmatrix} (u_{kk} \in \mathbf{R}),$$

$$y_{kt} = \begin{pmatrix} u_{kt} & v_{kt} \\ -\bar{v}_{kt} & \bar{u}_{kt} \end{pmatrix} (u_{kt}, v_{kt} \in \mathbf{C}) \text{ for } k \neq t.$$

Put $H^+(m, \mathbf{K}) = H(m, \mathbf{K}) \cap H^+(2m, \mathbf{C})$. Then $H^+(m, \mathbf{K})$ is a convex cone in $H(m, \mathbf{K})$. Let D (resp. D') be a (resp. the) Siegel domain of the second kind (resp. of the first kind) with $H^+(m, \mathbf{K})$ as a convex cone. We set

$$GL(m, \mathbf{K}) = \{A \in GL(2m, \mathbf{C}); AJ = J\bar{A}\}.$$

Then $GL(m, \mathbf{K})$ is a closed subgroup of $GL(2m, \mathbf{C})$. The Lie algebra $\mathfrak{gl}(m, \mathbf{K})$ of $GL(m, \mathbf{K})$ consists of all $A \in \mathfrak{gl}(2m, \mathbf{C})$ such that $AJ = J\bar{A}$. Let $A \in GL(m, \mathbf{K})$. The correspondence: $X \rightarrow AXA^*$ ($X \in H(m, \mathbf{K})$) is a linear transformation of $H(m, \mathbf{K})$ leaving the cone $H^+(m, \mathbf{K})$ invariant. Therefore there exists a natural homomorphism of $\mathfrak{gl}(m, \mathbf{K})$ to \mathfrak{g}'^0 which is an isomorphism if $m > 1$. We identify \mathfrak{g}'^{-2} and \mathfrak{g}'^2 with $H(m, \mathbf{K})$ and \mathfrak{g}'^0 with $\mathfrak{gl}(m, \mathbf{K})$ as before. Then the bracket rule is also given by a similar fashion to (6.1). We can also consider the domain D_A for $A \in GL(m, \mathbf{K})$ defined similarly as before. The following lemma is verified analogously to Lemma 6.1.

Lemma 6.2. *Let D be a Siegel domain over the cone $H^+(m, \mathbf{K})$. For a suitable D_A , the following equalities hold under the identification of \mathfrak{g}_A^{-2} with $H(m, \mathbf{K})$:*

$$\mathfrak{g}^{-2} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & B_{22} \end{pmatrix} \in H(m, \mathbf{K}), B_{22} \in H(p, \mathbf{K}) \right\},$$

$$\mathfrak{r}_s^{-2} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & B_{12} \\ B_{12}^* & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in H(m, \mathbf{K}); B_{12} \in M(2m-2p, 2p, \mathbf{C}) \right\}.$$

$$\mathfrak{r}_\sigma^{-2} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} B_{11} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in H(m, \mathbf{K}); B_{11} \in H(m-p, \mathbf{K}) \right\}$$

Proof. We may assume $m > 1$. Let $v \in V_s$. By considering D_A for suitable $A \in GL(m, \mathbf{K})$, we may assume $v = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & e_{2p} \end{pmatrix}$. Therefore

$\alpha(E_s) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{pmatrix} \in \mathfrak{gl}(m, \mathbf{K})$, where $A_{22} = -e_{2p} + A'_{22}$, $A'_{22} + A'_{22}{}^* = 0$. We can easily observe that the matrix $A = \begin{pmatrix} e_{2m-2p} & 0 \\ A_{22}^{-1}A_{21} & e_{2p} \end{pmatrix}$ belongs to $GL(m, \mathbf{K})$. We can therefore assume that $\alpha(E_s) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & A_{22} \end{pmatrix}$. Suppose that $p > 1$. Then $A'_{22} = 0$ because $\alpha(E_s)$ has only real eigenvalues. Hence we get $\alpha(E_s) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -e_{2p} \end{pmatrix}$. In the case $p = 1$, we can write $A'_{22} = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ -\bar{b} & \bar{a} \end{pmatrix}$. The fact that $A'_{22} + A'_{22}{}^* = 0$ implies that a is purely imaginary. Let

$$R'_{-1} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & B_{12} \\ B_{12}^* & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in H(m, \mathbf{K}); B_{12} = \begin{pmatrix} u & v \\ -\bar{v} & \bar{u} \end{pmatrix} \in M(2m-2p, 2, \mathbf{C}) \right\}.$$

Clearly $ad E_s R'_{-1} \subset R'_{-1}$. Let $X (\neq 0)$ be an eigenvector for an eigenvalue $\lambda (\in \mathbf{R})$ of $ad E_s$, where

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & B_{12} \\ B_{12}^* & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in R'_{-1}, B_{12} = \begin{pmatrix} u & v \\ -\bar{v} & \bar{u} \end{pmatrix}.$$

Then $ad E_s X = \lambda X$ implies

$$\begin{pmatrix} u & v \\ -\bar{v} & \bar{u} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{a} & -b \\ b & a \end{pmatrix} = (\lambda + 1) \begin{pmatrix} u & v \\ -\bar{v} & \bar{u} \end{pmatrix}.$$

From this relation we can see that $\lambda = -1$. Therefore $ad E_s = -id$ on R'_{-1} and hence

$$\begin{pmatrix} u & v \\ -\bar{v} & \bar{u} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{a} & -b \\ b & a \end{pmatrix} = 0 \quad \text{for any } u, v \in \mathbf{C}.$$

As a result $a = b = 0$ and $\alpha(E_s) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -e_{2p} \end{pmatrix}$. Now our assertion follows immediately. q.e.d.

6.4. In this paragraph we consider a domain D over the cone $H^+(m, \mathbf{F})$, where $\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{R}, \mathbf{C}$ or \mathbf{K} . As an immediate corollary of Lemma 6.1 and Lemma 6.2, we have

Proposition 6.3. *Let D be a Siegel domain of the second kind with $H^+(m, \mathbf{F})$ as a convex cone, where $\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{R}, \mathbf{C}$ or \mathbf{K} . Then the associated symmetric domain S is an irreducible classical domain.*

Next we shall prove the following

Proposition 6.4. *Let D be a Siegel domain of the second kind with $H^+(m, \mathbf{F})$ as a convex cone, where $\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{R}, \mathbf{C}$ or \mathbf{K} . Assume that $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} \neq [\mathfrak{g}^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^{-1}]$. Then $\mathfrak{g}^1 = 0$.*

Proof. Suppose that $\mathfrak{g}^1 \neq 0$. Then $\mathfrak{g} \neq 0$. By using Lemma 6.1 and Lemma 6.2, we may assume, (by considering D_A instead of D)

$$\mathfrak{g}^{-2} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & B_{22} \end{pmatrix} \in H(m, \mathbf{F}); B_{22} \in H(p, \mathbf{F}) \right\},$$

$$\mathfrak{r}_s^{-2} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & B_{12} \\ B_{12}^* & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in H(m, \mathbf{F}) \right\},$$

$$\mathfrak{r}_0^{-2} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} B_{11} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in H(m, \mathbf{F}); B_{11} \in H(m-p, \mathbf{F}) \right\}.$$

$$\text{Let } C = \begin{pmatrix} C_{11} & C_{12} \\ C_{12}^* & C_{22} \end{pmatrix} \in \mathfrak{g}^2 (= H(m, \mathbf{F})) \quad \text{and} \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} B_{11} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathfrak{r}_0^{-2}.$$

By (6.1) we have

$$\alpha([B, C]) = BC = \begin{pmatrix} B_{11} & C_{11} & B_{11} & C_{12} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Since $[\mathfrak{r}_0^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2] = 0$, we have $C_{11} = 0$ and $C_{12} = 0$. Recalling that $\dim \mathfrak{g}^{-2} = \dim \mathfrak{g}^2$, we get

$$\mathfrak{g}^2 = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & C_{22} \end{pmatrix} \in H(m, \mathbf{F}); C_{22} \in H(p, \mathbf{F}) \right\}.$$

It follows

$$\alpha(\mathfrak{r}_s^0) = \alpha([\mathfrak{r}_s^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^2]) = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & A_{12} \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathfrak{gl}(m, \mathbf{F}) \right\}.$$

Let $B = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & B_{12} \\ B_{12}^* & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathfrak{r}_s^{-2}$ and $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & A_{12} \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in \alpha(\mathfrak{r}_s^0)$. Then

$$[A, B] = \begin{pmatrix} A_{12}B_{12}^* + B_{12}A_{12}^* & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Clearly $\{A_{12}B_{12}^* + B_{12}A_{12}^*; A \in \alpha(\mathfrak{r}_s^0), B \in \mathfrak{r}_s^{-2}\}$ spans the space $H(m-p, \mathbf{F})$. Therefore $\mathfrak{r}_0^{-2} = [\mathfrak{r}_s^0, \mathfrak{r}_s^{-2}]$. On the other hand, the associated symmetric space is irreducible and hence \mathfrak{g} is simple. Therefore \mathfrak{g}^{-2}

$= [\mathfrak{s}^{-1}, \mathfrak{s}^{-1}]$ and $\mathfrak{s}^2 = [\mathfrak{s}^1, \mathfrak{s}^1]$ by Lemma 1.3. As a consequence,

$$\mathfrak{r}_s^{-2} = [\mathfrak{r}^0, [\mathfrak{s}^{-1}, \mathfrak{s}^{-1}]] \subset [\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{s}^{-1}] \subset \mathfrak{r}_s^{-2}.$$

Thus $\mathfrak{r}_s^{-2} = [\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{s}^{-1}]$. And hence

$$\begin{aligned} [\mathfrak{r}_s^{-2}, \mathfrak{r}_s^0] &= [[\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{s}^{-1}], \mathfrak{r}_s^0] = [\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, [\mathfrak{s}^{-1}, \mathfrak{r}_s^0]] \\ &\subset [\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{r}^{-1}] \subset \mathfrak{r}_0^{-2}. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore $\mathfrak{r}_0^{-2} = [\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{r}^{-1}]$ and hence $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} = [\mathfrak{g}^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^{-1}]$. This contradicts the assumption. q.e.d.

§ 7. Siegel domains over classical cones, II.

7.1. Let D be a Siegel domain of the second kind in $R_c \times W$ associated with a convex cone V in R and a V -hermitian form F on W . We now consider the case where the space W and the form F satisfy the following conditions⁶⁾.

1) $W = W_1 + W_2$ (direct sum), where W_i is a complex subspace ($i=1, 2$).

2) $F(W_1, W_2) = 0$.

Under the identification of W with \mathfrak{g}^{-1} , the condition 2) is equivalent to the condition “ $[W_1, W_2] = 0$ ”.

The restriction F_i of F to $W_i \times W_i$ is a V -hermitian form on W_i ($i=1, 2$). Denote by D_i the Siegel domain of the second kind associated with V and F_i and denote by $\mathfrak{g}(D_i) = \sum_{\lambda=-2}^2 \mathfrak{g}_i^\lambda$ the graded Lie algebra of $\text{Aut}(D_i)$. Then we can identify \mathfrak{g}_i^{-2} with $R (= \mathfrak{g}^{-2})$ and \mathfrak{g}_i^{-1} with the complex subspace W_i of $W (= \mathfrak{g}^{-1})$. Denote by $\rho_i^{(-1)}$ the projection of \mathfrak{g}^{-1} onto \mathfrak{g}_i^{-1} with respect to the sum: $\mathfrak{g}^{-1} = \mathfrak{g}_1^{-1} + \mathfrak{g}_2^{-1}$. Let $\hat{\mathfrak{g}} = \sum_{\lambda=-2}^{\infty} \hat{\mathfrak{g}}^\lambda$ (resp. $\hat{\mathfrak{g}}_i = \sum_{\lambda=-2}^{\infty} \hat{\mathfrak{g}}_i^\lambda$) be the algebraic prolongation of $(\mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^0)$ (resp. of $(\mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}_i^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}_i^0)$). Then we have

Lemma 7.1.⁷⁾ *There exists a unique system of linear mappings $\rho_i^{(\lambda)}$ of $\hat{\mathfrak{g}}^\lambda$ to $\hat{\mathfrak{g}}_i^\lambda$ ($\lambda \geq 0$) such that*

$$(\#) \quad \begin{cases} [\rho_i^{(\lambda)}(A), X] = \rho_i^{(\lambda-2)}([A, X]) & (X \in \mathfrak{g}^{-2}) \\ [\rho_i^{(\lambda)}(A), Y] = \rho_i^{(\lambda-1)}([A, Y]) & (Y \in \mathfrak{g}_i^{-1}), \end{cases}$$

⁶⁾ The idea of considering this case is originally due to T. Tsuji (cf. [10]).

⁷⁾ cf. [10].

where $A \in \hat{\mathfrak{g}}^\lambda$ and $\rho_i^{(-2)}$ denotes the identity.

Proof. From (#), the uniqueness is obvious. Let $A \in \mathfrak{g}^0 (= \hat{\mathfrak{g}}^0)$. We can define by (#) the element $\rho_i^{(0)}(A)$ of $\mathfrak{gl}(\mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}_i^{-1})$, i.e., $\rho_i^{(0)}(A)X = [A, X]$ for $X \in \mathfrak{g}^{-2}$ and $\rho_i^{(0)}(A)Y = \rho_i^{(-1)}([A, Y])$. Clearly $\rho_i^{(0)}(E)$ and $\rho_i^{(0)}(I)$ are elements of \mathfrak{g}_i^0 obtained from (2.2) and (2.2)' for the domain D_i . Since I is in the center of \mathfrak{g}^0 and \mathfrak{g}_i^{-1} is a complex subspace, we get for any $Y \in \mathfrak{g}_i^{-1}$

$$\begin{aligned} \rho_i^{(0)}(A) \circ \rho_i^{(0)}(I)Y &= \rho_i^{(-1)}([A, [I, Y]]) = \rho_i^{(-1)}([I, [A, Y]]) \\ &= \rho_i^{(0)}(I) \circ \rho_i^{(0)}(A)Y. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore $\rho_i^{(0)}(A)$ is a complex linear endomorphism of \mathfrak{g}_i^{-1} . And for any $X, Y \in \mathfrak{g}_i^{-1}$, from (2.3) we get (cf. (2.4))

$$\begin{aligned} \rho_i^{(0)}(A)F(X, Y) &= [A, F(X, Y)] = F([A, X], Y) + F(X, [A, Y]) \\ &= F(\rho_i^{(-1)}([A, X]), Y) + F(X, \rho_i^{(-1)}([A, Y])), \end{aligned}$$

because $F(\mathfrak{g}_i^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}_i^{-1}) = 0$. Therefore we have

$$\rho_i^{(0)}(A)F(X, Y) = F_i(\rho_i^{(0)}(A)X, Y) + F_i(X, \rho_i^{(0)}(A)Y).$$

Since $\exp t\rho_i^{(0)}(A)V = \exp tAV = V$ for any $t \in \mathbf{R}$, we can conclude by (2.3) that $\rho_i^{(0)}(A)$ belongs to \mathfrak{g}_i^0 .

We now assume that there exist mappings $\rho_i^{(\nu)} (0 \leq \nu < \lambda)$ satisfying (#). Define the element $\rho_i^{(\lambda)}(A)$ of $\text{Hom}(\mathfrak{g}^{-2}, \hat{\mathfrak{g}}_i^{\lambda-2}) + \text{Hom}(\mathfrak{g}_i^{-1}, \hat{\mathfrak{g}}_i^{\lambda-1})$ for $A \in \hat{\mathfrak{g}}^\lambda$ by

$$\begin{aligned} \rho_i^{(\lambda)}(A)X &= \rho_i^{(\lambda-2)}([A, X]) \quad X \in \mathfrak{g}^{-2}, \\ \rho_i^{(\lambda)}(A)Y &= \rho_i^{(\lambda-1)}([A, Y]) \quad Y \in \mathfrak{g}_i^{-1}. \end{aligned}$$

In order to prove that $\rho_i^{(\lambda)}(A)$ belongs to $\hat{\mathfrak{g}}_i^\lambda$, we have only to check the following equalities:⁸⁾

- (i) $[\rho_i^{(\lambda)}(A)X, X'] + [X, \rho_i^{(\lambda)}(A)X'] = 0 \quad (X, X' \in \mathfrak{g}^{-2})$
- (ii) $[\rho_i^{(\lambda)}(A)X, Y] + [X, \rho_i^{(\lambda)}(A)Y] = 0 \quad (X \in \mathfrak{g}^{-2}, Y \in \mathfrak{g}_i^{-1})$
- (iii) $\rho_i^{(\lambda)}(A)([Y, Y']) = [\rho_i^{(\lambda)}(A)Y, Y'] + [Y, \rho_i^{(\lambda)}(A)Y']$
($Y, Y' \in \mathfrak{g}_i^{-1}$).

It follows

⁸⁾ cf. [9].

$$\begin{aligned}
& [\rho_i^{(3)}(A)X, X'] + [X, \rho_i^{(3)}(A)X'] \\
&= [\rho_i^{(2)}([A, X]), X'] + [X, \rho_i^{(2)}([A, X'])] \\
&= \rho_i^{(2)}([[A, X], X'] + [X, [A, X']]),
\end{aligned}$$

where we put $\rho_i^{(4)}=0$ if $\lambda-4 < -2$. Then the equality $[[A, X], X'] + [X, [A, X']] = [A, [X, X']] = 0$ proves (i). The equalities (ii) and (iii) are verified similarly. q.e.d.

Let $\rho_i^{(1)}$ and $\rho_i^{(2)}$ be as in Lemma 7.1. Then

Lemma 7.2.

- (1) $\text{Ker } \rho_1^{(1)} \cap \text{Ker } \rho_2^{(1)} = 0$.
- (2) $\rho_i^{(2)}$ is injective on \mathfrak{g}^2 ($i=1, 2$).

Proof. (1) Let $A \in \text{Ker } \rho_1^{(1)} \cap \text{Ker } \rho_2^{(1)}$. Then we have $[\mathfrak{g}^{-2}, [A, X]] = 0$ and hence $[\mathfrak{g}^{-1}, [A, X]] = 0$. Therefore $[A, X] = 0$. As a result $A = 0$ ([3]).

(2) Let $A \in \mathfrak{g}^2$ such that $\rho_i^{(2)}(A) = 0$. Then $[\mathfrak{g}^{-2}, [A, X]] = 0$. Therefore we know $A = 0$ by Vey's result ([11]). q.e.d.

Now we can prove the following proposition which is convenient to calculate $\dim \mathfrak{g}^1$ and $\dim \mathfrak{g}^2$.

Proposition 7.3. *Assume that $\mathfrak{g}_1^1 = 0$. Then*

(1) *Under the identification of W with \mathfrak{g}^{-1} , W_1 is contained in \mathfrak{r}^{-1} .*

(2) *The mapping $\rho_2^{(1)}$ (resp. $\rho_2^{(2)}$) is an injective linear mapping of \mathfrak{g}^1 (resp. of \mathfrak{g}^2) to \mathfrak{g}_2^1 (resp. to \mathfrak{g}_2^2).*

(3) *\mathfrak{r}_2^{-1} is contained in \mathfrak{r}^{-1} , where $\mathfrak{r}_2^{-1} = \mathfrak{r}_2 \cap \mathfrak{g}_2^{-1}$ and \mathfrak{r}_2 is the radical of $\mathfrak{g}(D_2)$.*

Proof. Since $\mathfrak{g}_1^1 = 0$, $\rho_1^{(1)}(\mathfrak{g}^1) = 0$. Therefore $\rho_1^{(0)}([W_1, \mathfrak{g}^1]) = 0$ and hence $[\mathfrak{g}^{-2}, [W_1, \mathfrak{g}^1]] = 0$. Now Assertion (1) follows immediately from Corollary 2.4.

In order to prove (2), from Theorem 4.1. and Lemma 7.2. we have only to show that $\rho_2^{(2)}(\mathfrak{g}^2) \subset \mathfrak{g}_2^2$. Let $A \in \mathfrak{g}^2$ and $Z \in \mathfrak{g}^{-2}$. Then $[[A, Z], W_1] \subset [[\mathfrak{g}^2, \mathfrak{g}^{-2}], \mathfrak{r}^{-1}] = 0$. Therefore

$$\text{Im } \text{Tr } ad([A, Z])|_{\mathfrak{g}^{-1}} = \text{Im } \text{Tr } ad \rho_2^{(0)}([A, Z])|_{\mathfrak{g}_2^{-1}}$$

$$= \text{Im } \text{Tr } \text{ad}([\rho_2^{(2)}(A), Z])|_{\mathfrak{g}_2^{-1}}.$$

By using Theorem 4.1, we have $\rho_2^{(2)}(A) \in \mathfrak{g}_2^2$.

Finally since $[\mathfrak{r}_2^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}_2^2] = 0$, we have $[\mathfrak{r}_2^{-1}, \rho_2^{(2)}(\mathfrak{g}^2)] = 0$ and hence $\rho_2^{(1)}([\mathfrak{r}_2^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^2]) = 0$. From (2), we get $[\mathfrak{r}_2^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^2] = 0$. Now Assertion (3) follows from Corollary 2.5. q.e.d.

Next we put $\mathfrak{h}^{-2} = [\mathfrak{g}_1^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}_1^{-1}]$. By regarding \mathfrak{h}^{-2} as a subspace of $\mathfrak{g}(D_2)$ we set

$$\mathfrak{t}^\lambda = \{X \in \mathfrak{g}_2^\lambda; [X, \mathfrak{h}^{-2}] = 0\}, \quad \lambda = 0, 1, 2.$$

And put

$$\mathfrak{t} = \mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}_2^{-1} + \mathfrak{t}^0 + \mathfrak{t}^1 + \mathfrak{t}^2.$$

It is easy to see that \mathfrak{t} is a subalgebra of $\mathfrak{g}(D_2)$.

Proposition 7.4. *The Lie algebra \mathfrak{t} can be imbedded as a graded subalgebra of $\mathfrak{g}(D)$.*

Proof. The Lie algebra $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}_2^{-1}$ is clearly a graded subalgebra of $\mathfrak{g}(D)$. For any $A \in \mathfrak{t}^0$, define an element $\iota^0(A)$ of $\mathfrak{gl}(\mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}_2^{-1})$ by $\iota^0(A)X = [A, X]$ for $X \in \mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}_2^{-1}$ and $\iota^0(A)\mathfrak{g}_1^{-1} = 0$. Clearly $\iota^0(A)$ is complex linear on \mathfrak{g}^{-1} and by using the fact $F(\mathfrak{g}_1^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}_2^{-1}) = 0$, we can see that (2.3) holds for $\iota^0(A)$. Therefore $\iota^0(A) \in \mathfrak{g}^0$. And the correspondence $\iota^0: \mathfrak{t}^0 \rightarrow \mathfrak{g}^0$ is an injective homomorphism of Lie algebras as is easily observed. Let $A \in \mathfrak{t}^1$. Define an element $\iota^1(A)$ of $\text{Hom}(\mathfrak{g}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^{-1}) + \text{Hom}(\mathfrak{g}_2^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^0)$ by $\iota^1(A)X = [A, X]$ ($\in \mathfrak{g}_2^{-1}$) for $X \in \mathfrak{g}^{-2}$, $\iota^1(A)Y = \iota^0([A, Y])$ for $Y \in \mathfrak{g}_2^{-1}$ and $\iota^1(A)\mathfrak{g}_1^{-1} = 0$. We can see that $\iota^1(A)$ belongs to the first prolongation of $(\mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}_2^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^0)$ and hence $\iota^1(A)$ belongs to \mathfrak{g}^1 . Clearly the correspondence ι^1 is injective. Finally for any $A \in \mathfrak{t}^2$, we set $\iota^2(A)X = \iota^0([A, X])$ for $X \in \mathfrak{g}^{-2}$, $\iota^2(A)Y = \iota^1([A, Y])$ for $Y \in \mathfrak{g}_2^{-1}$ and $\iota^2(A)\mathfrak{g}_1^{-1} = 0$. Then we can see that $\iota^2(A)$ belongs to $\hat{\mathfrak{g}}^2$. And for any $X \in \mathfrak{g}^{-2}$,

$$\text{Im } \text{Tr } \text{ad}(\iota^2(A)X)|_{\mathfrak{g}_1^{-1}} = \text{Im } \text{Tr } \text{ad}([A, X])|_{\mathfrak{g}_2^{-1}} = 0.$$

Therefore $\iota^2(A) \in \mathfrak{g}^2$ by Theorem 4.1. The injectivity of ι^2 is clear. Thus we have constructed the imbedding ι of \mathfrak{t} into $\mathfrak{g}(D)$. It is not difficult to see that ι is a homomorphism of graded Lie algebras.

q.e.d.

Note that $\rho_2^{(A)} \circ \iota(X) = X$ for $X \in \mathfrak{t}^\lambda$.

7.2. In this paragraph, we determine the associated symmetric domain for every homogeneous Siegel domain with $H^+(m, \mathbf{R})$ ($m \geq 2$) as a convex cone constructed in [6].

Let $r(t)$ be a non-decreasing positive integer valued function on an interval $[1, s]$ ($s \in \mathbf{N}$) such that $r(s) \leq m$. And let W be a complex vector space defined by

$$W = \{(u_{kt}) \in M(m, s, \mathbf{C}); u_{kt} = 0 \text{ for } k > r(t)\}.$$

Define an $H^+(m, \mathbf{R})$ -hermitian form F on W by

$$F(u, v) = \frac{1}{2}(uv^* + \bar{v}^t u),$$

(${}^t u$ = the transpose of the matrix u).

The Siegel domain D obtained from $H^+(m, \mathbf{R})$ and F is homogeneous and non-symmetric (Pyatetski-Shapiro [6]).

Lemma 7.5. *If $r(t)$ is constant. Then $\mathfrak{g}^1 = 0$.*

Proof. Put $n = r(t) \leq m$. Denote by u_k the k -th row vector of the matrix u ($1 \leq k \leq m$). Then $u_k = 0$ for $k > n$. Let A_k ($1 \leq k \leq n$) be the $m \times m$ matrix such that the (k, k) -component of A_k is 1 and others are zero. Clearly the endomorphism g_k of $H(m, \mathbf{R}) \times W$ defined by the following equalities is belongs to \mathfrak{g}^0 (cf. (2.3)):

$$g_k(X) = A_k X + X A_k \quad \text{for } X \in H(m, \mathbf{R})$$

$$g_k(u) = A_k u \quad \text{for } u \in W.$$

Note that $[g_k, u_i] = \delta_{ik} u_i$. Let B_{ik} ($1 \leq i, k \leq n$) be the $m \times m$ matrix such that the (i, k) , (k, i) and (h, h) -components are 1 ($h \neq i, k$) and others are zero. Then the following linear transformation f_{ik} of $H(m, \mathbf{R}) \times W$ belongs to $GL(D)$ (cf. (2.1)):

$$f_{ik}(X) = B_{ik} X B_{ik} \quad \text{for } X \in H(m, \mathbf{R})$$

$$f_{ik}(u) = B_{ik} u \quad \text{for } u \in W.$$

Clearly $Ad f_{ik}(u_k) = u_i$, $Ad f_{ik}(u_i) = u_k$ and $Ad f_{ik}(u_h) = u_h$ for $h \neq i, k$.

Recall that the domain D is non-symmetric and irreducible. Therefore there exists an element $u (\neq 0)$ of \mathfrak{r}^{-1} by Proposition 2.2.

Since $ad g_k(r^{-1}) \subset r^{-1}$ and $Ad f_{ik}(r^{-1}) = r^{-1}$, we may assume that $u_k = 0$ for $k \neq 1$. Then for any $v \in W$ such that $v_k = 0$ for $k \neq 1$, we have $[[I, v], v] = 4F(v, v) = c4F(u, u) = c[[I, u], u]$ ($c \in \mathbf{R}$). As a result we get $[[I, v], v] \in r^{-2}$ and hence $v \in r^{-1}$.⁹⁾ Now by considering the transformation $Ad f_{ik}$, we have $g^{-1} = r^{-1}$. q.e.d.

We turn to general cases. We set $W_1 = \{u \in W; u_{kt} = 0 \text{ for } t < s\}$ and $W_2 = \{u \in W; u_{ks} = 0\}$. Clearly $W = W_1 + W_2$ (direct sum) and $F(W_1, W_2) = 0$. Let D_1 be the domain as in 7.1. Then D_1 is the domain corresponding to $H^+(m, \mathbf{R})$ and the function $r(t)$ such that $s=1$. Therefore by Lemma 7.5 we have $g_1^1 = 0$. Hence by Proposition 7.3, W_1 is contained in r^{-1} . Since $[W, W] = [W_1, W_1] \subset r^{-2}$, we have $W = g^{-1} = r^{-1}$. And hence $g^1 = 0$. Put $n = r(s)$. Then

$$[r^{-1}, r^{-1}] = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in H(m, \mathbf{R}); x \in H(n, \mathbf{R}) \right\}.$$

Therefore by Lemma 6.1, we have $\dim g^2 \leq \dim H(m-n, \mathbf{R})$, because $[r^{-1}, r^{-1}]$ is contained in r_0^{-2} .

Next we change the decomposition of W by putting $W_1 = W$ and $W_2 = 0$. Then the domain D_2 constructed in 7.1 is of the first kind associated with the cone $H^+(m, \mathbf{R})$. And the Lie algebra $g(D_2)$ is given as follows (cf. § 6).

$$g(D_2) \cong \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ C & -{}^tA \end{pmatrix} \in \mathfrak{gl}(2m, \mathbf{R}); A \in \mathfrak{gl}(m, \mathbf{R}), B, C \in H(m, \mathbf{R}) \right\}.$$

We put

$$\mathfrak{s} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a & 0 & b \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & c & 0 & -{}^ta \end{pmatrix} \in \mathfrak{gl}(2m, \mathbf{R}); \begin{matrix} a \in \mathfrak{gl}(m-n, \mathbf{R}) \\ b, c \in H(m-n, \mathbf{R}) \end{matrix} \right\}.$$

Then \mathfrak{s} is a semi-simple graded subalgebra of $g(D_2)$ and $[\mathfrak{h}^{-2}, \mathfrak{s}] = 0$, where \mathfrak{h}^{-2} is a subspace of g^{-2} given by $\mathfrak{h}^{-2} = [r^{-1}, r^{-1}]$. Therefore \mathfrak{s} can be imbedded as a graded subalgebra of $g(D)$ by Proposition 7.4. As a result $\dim g^2 \geq \dim H(m-n, \mathbf{R})$ and hence the equality holds. Now it is clear that the semi-simple graded subalgebra \mathfrak{s} of

⁹⁾ If we write $v = v_r + v_s$ ($v_r \in r^{-1}$, $v_s \in \mathfrak{s}^{-1}$), then $[[I, v_s], v_s] \in r^{-2} \cap \mathfrak{s}^{-2} = 0$ and hence $v_s = 0$.

$\mathfrak{g}(D)$ has the properties 1) and 2) in Theorem 2.1 and that the corresponding symmetric domain is of the first kind associated with the cone $H^+(m-n, \mathbf{R})$. Thus we have proved the following

Theorem 7.6.¹⁰⁾ *Let D be the Siegel domain corresponding to the cone $H^+(m, \mathbf{R})$ ($m \geq 2$) and the function $r(t)$ on the interval $[1, s]$. Then $\mathfrak{g}^1 = 0$, $\mathfrak{g}^2 \cong H(m-n, \mathbf{R})$ and the associated symmetric domain is of the first kind corresponding to the cone $H^+(m-n, \mathbf{R})$, where $n = r(s)$.*

7.3. Next we investigate domains for the cone $H^+(m, \mathbf{C})$ ($m \geq 2$). Let $r_1(t)$ (resp. $r_2(t)$) be a function on the interval $[1, s_1]$ (resp. $[1, s_2]$) as before. And let $W^{(1)}$ (resp. $W^{(2)}$) be the vector space corresponding to the function $r_1(t)$ (resp. $r_2(t)$), constructed in 7.2. We set $W = W^{(1)} + W^{(2)}$. Let $R = H(m, \mathbf{C})$ and $V = H^+(m, \mathbf{C})$. Define a V -hermitian form F on W by

$$F(u, v) = \frac{1}{2}(u^{(1)}v^{(1)*} + \bar{v}^{(2)t}u^{(2)}),$$

where $u = u^{(1)} + u^{(2)}$ and $v = v^{(1)} + v^{(2)}$. Let D be the Siegel domain associated with V and F . We may assume that $r_1(s_1) \geq r_2(s_2)$. And $W^{(2)}$ may be 0. The domain D is symmetric if and only if $W^{(2)} = 0$ and $r_1(1) = m$ (Pyatetski-Shapiro [6]). In what follows we put $r_1(0) = 0$ for convenience.

Lemma 7.7. *In the following cases we have $\mathfrak{g}^1 = 0$.*

- (1) $r_1(s_1) = r_2(s_2)$.
- (2) $r_1(s_1) < m$.

Proof. In the case (2), $\mathfrak{g}^1 = 0$ follows immediately from Proposition 6.4 because $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} \neq [\mathfrak{g}^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^{-1}]$. But here we give a simpler proof. We first consider the case where $s_1 = s_2 = 1$ and $r_1(1) = r_2(1)$ or the case where $W^{(2)} = 0$, $s_1 = 1$ and $r_1(1) < m$. In each case there exist $g_k (1 \leq k \leq r_1(1))$ of \mathfrak{g}^0 and $f_{ik} (1 \leq i, k \leq r_1(1))$ of $GL(D)$ such that

$$g_k(X) = A_k X + X A_k \quad \text{for } X \in H(m, \mathbf{C})$$

¹⁰⁾ Tanaka [9] and Murakami [2] calculated \mathfrak{g}^1 and \mathfrak{g}^2 in the case $s=1$. Sudo [7] calculated \mathfrak{g}^1 in the case $s=1$ and $r(1)=m$. And Tsuji [10] obtained the same results for \mathfrak{g}^1 and \mathfrak{g}^2 of this theorem.

$$g_k(u) = A_k u^{(1)} + A_k u^{(2)} \quad \text{for } u = u^{(1)} + u^{(2)} \in W$$

$$f_{ik}(X) = B_{ik} X B_{ik} \quad \text{for } X \in H(m, \mathbf{C})$$

$$f_{ik}(u) = B_{ik} u^{(1)} + B_{ik} u^{(2)} \quad \text{for } u = u^{(1)} + u^{(2)} \in W,$$

where A_k and B_{ik} are $m \times m$ matrices as in Proof of Lemma 7.5. Thus by using the fact that D is non-symmetric, we can see that $\mathfrak{g}^1 = 0$ analogously.

Now in the case (1), we set $W_1 = \{u \in W; u_{kt}^{(1)} = 0 \text{ for } t < s_1 \text{ and } u_{kt}^{(2)} = 0 \text{ for } t < s_2\}$, and $W_2 = \{u \in W; u_{ks_1}^{(1)} = 0 \text{ and } u_{ks_2}^{(2)} = 0\}$. In the case (2), we put $W_1 = \{u \in W; u_{kt}^{(1)} = 0 \text{ for } t < s_1 \text{ and } u^{(2)} = 0\}$ and $W_2 = \{u \in W; u_{ks_1}^{(1)} = 0\}$. Then in both cases (1) and (2), $W = W_1 + W_2$ (direct sum) and $F(W_1, W_2) = 0$. And the domain D_1 constructed in 7.1 corresponding to this decomposition is just the domain considered above. Therefore $\mathfrak{g}_1^1 = 0$ and hence by Proposition 7.3, we get $W_1 \subset \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$. Since $[W, W] = [W_1, W_1]$, we have $W = \mathfrak{g}^{-1} = \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$ and hence $\mathfrak{g}^1 = 0$. q.e.d.

We shall prove the following

Theorem 7.8.¹¹⁾ *Let D be the Siegel domain corresponding to the cone $H^+(m, \mathbf{C})$ and functions $r_1(t)$ and $r_2(t)$ on the intervals $[1, s_1]$ and $[1, s_2]$ respectively. Assume that $r_1(s_1) \leq r_2(s_2)$.*

(1) *If $r_1(s_2) = m$. Then $\mathfrak{g}^1 = 0$, $\mathfrak{g}^2 = 0$ and the associated symmetric domain S is trivial, i.e., $S = (0)$.*

(2) *If $r_1(s_1) < m$. Then $\mathfrak{g}^1 = 0$, $\mathfrak{g}^2 \cong H(m - r_1(s_1), \mathbf{C})$ and the associated symmetric domain S is of the first kind corresponding to the cone $H^+(m - r_1(s_1), \mathbf{C})$.*

(3) *If $r_1(s_1) = m$ and $r_2(s_2) < m$. Let s_1' be the integer ($0 \leq s_1' < s_1$) such that $r_1(s_1') < r_1(s_1' + 1) = m$. And put $n = \text{Max}(r_1(s_1'), r_2(s_2))$. Then $\mathfrak{g}^1 \cong M(m - n, s_1 - s_1', \mathbf{C})$, $\mathfrak{g}^2 \cong H(m - n, \mathbf{C})$ and the associated symmetric domain S is the domain corresponding to the cone $H^+(m - n, \mathbf{C})$ and the function $r_1(t)$ on the interval $[1, s_1 - s_1']$ such that $s_1(1) = m - n$.*

Proof. (1) In this case, $r_1(s_1) = r_2(s_2) = m$. Hence by Lemma

¹¹⁾ Sudo [7] calculated \mathfrak{g}^1 in the case $s_1 = 1, s_2 = 1$ and $r_1(1) = r_2(1) = 1$. Tsuji [10] calculated \mathfrak{g}^1 and \mathfrak{g}^2 of this theorem by different methods.

7.7, we get $\mathfrak{g}^1=0$. We then have $\mathfrak{g}^2=0$ by using the fact that $\mathfrak{g}^{-2}=[\mathfrak{g}^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^{-1}]$ and by Corollary 1.4. Therefore S is trivial.

(2) Since $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} \neq [\mathfrak{g}^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^{-1}]$, we have $\mathfrak{g}^1=0$ by Lemma 7.7 or by Proposition 6.4. Other assertions can be proved by almost similar way as in the proof of Theorem 7.6.

(3) We set $W_1 = \{u \in W; u_{ki}^{(t)} = 0 \text{ for } t > s_1'\}$ and $W_2 = \{u \in W; u_{ki}^{(t)} = 0 \text{ for } t \leq s_1' \text{ and } u^{(2)} = 0\}$. Then $W = W_1 + W_2$ (direct sum) and $F(W_1, W_2) = 0$. Since $\mathfrak{g}_1^1 = 0$ by Lemma 7.7 or by Proposition 6.4, we get $W_1 \subset \tau^{-1}$ by Proposition 7.3. Let W' be the subspace of W defined by

$$W' = \{u \in W; u_{ki}^{(k)} = 0 \text{ for } k > n\}.$$

Note that $W' \supset W_1 \supset W^{(2)}$. Since $[W', W'] = [W_1, W_1]$, we have $W' \subset \tau^{-1}$. As a result $\dim \mathfrak{g}^1 \leq \dim M(m-n, s_1-s_1', \mathbf{C})$, because $\dim \mathfrak{g}^1 = \dim \mathfrak{g}^{-1} - \dim \tau^{-1}$. Let D_2 be the Siegel domain as in 7.1. The domain D_2 is symmetric and the semi-simple Lie algebra $\mathfrak{g}(D_2)$ ($= \sum_{\lambda=-2}^2 \mathfrak{g}_2^\lambda$) is expressed as follows. We set

$$\tilde{\mathfrak{g}} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} A & U & X \\ \sqrt{-1}V^* & C & -\sqrt{-1}U^* \\ Y & V & -A^* \end{pmatrix}; \begin{array}{l} X, Y \in H(m, \mathbf{C}), A \in \mathfrak{gl}(m, \mathbf{C}) \\ C \in \mathfrak{gl}(s_1-s_1', \mathbf{C}), C+C^*=0, \\ U, V \in M(m, s_1-s_1', \mathbf{C}) \end{array} \right\}.$$

Then $\tilde{\mathfrak{g}}$ is a subalgebra of $\mathfrak{gl}(2m+s_1-s_1', \mathbf{C})$ and its center $\tilde{\mathfrak{z}}$ is one dimensional generated by $\sqrt{-1}e_{2m+s_1-s_1'}$. It is well known that the Lie algebra $\mathfrak{g}(D_2)$ is isomorphic to $\tilde{\mathfrak{g}}/\tilde{\mathfrak{z}}$ and that

$$\begin{aligned} \mathfrak{g}_2^{-2} &\cong \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & X \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in \tilde{\mathfrak{g}}; X \in H(m, \mathbf{C}) \right\}, \\ \mathfrak{g}_2^{-1} &\cong \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & U & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -\sqrt{-1}U^* \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in \tilde{\mathfrak{g}}; U \in M(m, s_1-s_1', \mathbf{C}) \right\}, \\ \mathfrak{g}_2^0 &\cong \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} A & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & C & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -A^* \end{pmatrix} \in \tilde{\mathfrak{g}}; \begin{array}{l} A \in \mathfrak{gl}(m, \mathbf{C}), \\ C \in \mathfrak{gl}(s_1-s_1', \mathbf{C}), C+C^*=0 \end{array} \right\} \\ &\hspace{20em} \text{mod } \tilde{\mathfrak{z}}, \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathfrak{g}_2^1 \cong \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \sqrt{-1}V^* & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & V & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in \tilde{\mathfrak{g}}; V \in M(m, s_1 - s_1', \mathbf{C}) \right\},$$

$$\mathfrak{g}_2^2 \cong \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ Y & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in \tilde{\mathfrak{g}}; Y \in H(m, \mathbf{C}) \right\}.$$

Note that if we put $\mathfrak{g} = [\tilde{\mathfrak{g}}, \tilde{\mathfrak{g}}]$ then $\tilde{\mathfrak{g}} = \mathfrak{g} + \mathfrak{z}$ and that $\mathfrak{g} \cong \mathfrak{g}(D_2)$.

Now we set

$$\tilde{\mathfrak{s}} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a & u & 0 & x \\ 0 & \sqrt{-1}v^* & C & 0 & -\sqrt{-1}u^* \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & y & v & 0 & -a^* \end{pmatrix}; \begin{array}{l} x, y \in H(m-n, \mathbf{C}) \\ a \in \mathfrak{gl}(m-n, \mathbf{C}), \\ C \in \mathfrak{gl}(s_1 - s_1', \mathbf{C}), C + C^* = 0, \\ u, v \in M(m-n, s_1 - s_1', \mathbf{C}) \end{array} \right\}.$$

Clearly $\tilde{\mathfrak{s}}$ is a subalgebra of $\tilde{\mathfrak{g}}$. And $\tilde{\mathfrak{s}} = \mathfrak{s} + \mathfrak{c}$ where $\mathfrak{s} = [\tilde{\mathfrak{s}}, \tilde{\mathfrak{s}}]$ and \mathfrak{c} denotes the center of $\tilde{\mathfrak{s}}$. Then the semi-simple Lie algebra \mathfrak{s} has the graded structure ($\mathfrak{s} = \sum_{\lambda=-2}^2 \mathfrak{s}^\lambda$) and can be imbedded as a graded subalgebra of $\mathfrak{g}(D_2)$ in obvious manner. Then we have $[\mathfrak{h}^{-2}, \mathfrak{s}] = 0$, where \mathfrak{h}^{-2} denotes the subspace of $\mathfrak{g}_2^{-2} (= \mathfrak{g}^{-2})$ given by $\mathfrak{h}^{-2} = [W_1, W_1]$. Therefore by Proposition 7.4, \mathfrak{s} can be imbedded as a graded subalgebra of $\mathfrak{g}(D)$. Consequently, $\dim \mathfrak{g}^1 \geq \dim M(m-n, s_1 - s_1', \mathbf{C})$ and hence the equality holds. We assert that \mathfrak{s} has the properties 1) and 2) in Theorem 2.1. Since the domain D is non-degenerate, we get $\mathfrak{g}^2 = [\mathfrak{g}^1, \mathfrak{g}^1]$ by Corollary 1.4. Clearly $\mathfrak{s}^2 = [\mathfrak{s}^1, \mathfrak{s}^1]$. Thus we have $\mathfrak{g}^2 = \mathfrak{s}^2$, proving 1). The property 3) is obvious. Therefore $\mathfrak{g}^2 \cong H(m-n, \mathbf{C})$ and the associated symmetric domain S is given by

$$S = \{(z, u) \in M(m-n, m-n, \mathbf{C}) \times M(m-n, s_1 - s_1', \mathbf{C}); \sqrt{-1}(z^* - z) - uu^* \in H(m-n, \mathbf{C})\}. \text{ q.e.d.}$$

7.4. In this paragraph R denotes the vector space $H(m, \mathbf{K})$ ($m \geq 2$) and V denotes the cone $H^+(m, \mathbf{K})$. Let $r(t)$ be a function, as in 7.2, on the interval $[1, s]$ such that $1 \leq r(t) \leq 2m$. And let W be the corresponding vector space, i.e., $W = \{(u_{kt}) \in M(2m, s, \mathbf{C}); u_{kt} = 0 \text{ for } k > r(t)\}$. Define a V -hermitian form F on W by

$$F(u, v) = \frac{1}{2}(uv^* + J\bar{v}^t u^t J).$$

The Siegel domain D associated with V and F is symmetric if and only if $s=1$ and $r(1)=2m$ (Pyatetski-Shapiro [6]).

Lemma 7.9. *The following cases, $\mathfrak{g}^1=0$.*

$$(1) \quad r(s) \leq 2m-2.$$

$$(2) \quad r(s-1) = 2m \quad (s \geq 2).$$

Proof. In the case (1), $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} \neq [\mathfrak{g}^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^{-1}]$. Therefore we have $\mathfrak{g}^1=0$ by Proposition 6.4. In the case (2), it is sufficient to prove our assertion with the assumption that $s=2$ (cf. Proof. of Lemma 7.7). Let A_k ($1 \leq k \leq m$) be the $2m \times 2m$ matrix such that the $(2k-1, 2k-1)$ and $(2k, 2k)$ -components are 1 and others are zero. Then the following endomorphism g_k of $R \times W$ belongs to \mathfrak{g}^0 :

$$g_k(X) = A_k X + X A_k \quad \text{for } X \in H(m, \mathbf{K})$$

$$g_k(u) = A_k u \quad \text{for } u \in W.$$

Let B_{ik} ($1 \leq i, k \leq m$) be the $2m \times 2m$ matrix such that the $(2i-1, 2k-1)$, $(2i, 2k)$, $(2k-1, 2i-1)$, $(2k, 2i)$ and (h, h) -components are 1 ($h \neq 2i-1, 2i, 2k-1, 2k$) and others are zero. Then the following transformation f_{ik} of $R \times W$ belongs to $GL(D)$:

$$f_{ik}(X) = B_{ik} X B_{ik} \quad \text{for } X \in H(m, \mathbf{K})$$

$$f_{ik}(u) = B_{ik} u \quad \text{for } u \in W.$$

For every $u \in W$, denote by u_i ($i=1, \dots, 2m$) the i -th row vector. Then we have

$$g_k(u_h) = u_h \quad \text{for } h = 2k-1, 2k,$$

$$g_k(u_h) = 0 \quad \text{for } h \neq 2k-1, 2k,$$

$$f_{ik}(u_{2i}) = u_{2k}, \quad f_{ik}(u_{2k}) = 2i,$$

$$f_{ik}(u_{2i-1}) = u_{2k-1}, \quad f_{ik}(u_{2k-1}) = u_{2i-1},$$

$$f_{ik}(u_h) = u_h \quad \text{for } h \neq 2i-1, 2i, 2k-1, 2k.$$

Since D is non-symmetric, there exists $u (\neq 0) \in \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$. Changing by $f_{ik}g_k(u)$ if necessary, we may assume that $u_h=0$ for $h > 2$. Then for any $v \in W$ such that $v_h=0$ for $h > 2$, we have $[[I, v], v] = c[[I, u], u]$ ($c \in \mathbf{R}$). Therefore $v \in \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$. By considering the transformation f_{ik} , we have $W = \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$. q.e.d.

Next we shall prove

Lemma 7.10. *If $r(1) = r(s) = 2m - 1$. Then*

- (1) $\mathfrak{g}^1 \cong M(1, s, \mathbf{C})$ and $\mathfrak{g}^2 \cong \mathbf{R}^1$.
- (2) $[\mathfrak{r}^{-1}, \mathfrak{r}^{-1}] = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in H(m, \mathbf{K}); x \in H(m-1, \mathbf{K}) \right\}$.
- (3) $S = \{(z, w) \in \mathbf{C}^1 \times M(1, s, \mathbf{C}); \operatorname{Im} z - \frac{1}{2}uu^* > 0\}$.

Proof. Let $u, v \in \mathfrak{g}^{-1}$. Then the bracket rule is given by

$$(7.1) \quad [u, v] = \sqrt{-1}(vu^* + J\bar{u}^t v^t J - uv^* - J\bar{v}^t u^t J).$$

We set

$$\mathfrak{t}^0 = \left\{ (A, C) \in \mathfrak{gl}(m, \mathbf{K}) \times \mathfrak{gl}(s, \mathbf{C}); A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & * & * \\ 0 & \alpha & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \bar{\alpha} \end{pmatrix}, \begin{matrix} \alpha \in \mathbf{C}^1 \\ C + C^* = 0 \end{matrix} \right\}.$$

For any $(A, C) \in \mathfrak{t}^0$, define an element $\psi^0(A, C)$ of $\mathfrak{gl}(R \times W)$ by

$$(7.2) \quad \begin{cases} \psi^0(A, C)X = AX + XA^*, & X \in H(m, \mathbf{K}) \\ \psi^0(A, C)u = Au + uC, & u \in W. \end{cases}$$

By direct calculations, we can see that $\psi^0(A, C)$ belongs to \mathfrak{g}^0 . Next we put

$$\begin{aligned} \mathfrak{t}^1 &= \{X \in M(2m, s, \mathbf{C}); X_{ki} = 0 \text{ for all } k \neq 2m - 1\} \\ &(\cong M(1, s, \mathbf{C})). \end{aligned}$$

Let $X \in \mathfrak{t}^1$, $Y \in W$. By direct calculations, we easily see that the pair (A, C) belongs to \mathfrak{t}^0 , where $A = \sqrt{-1}(YX^* + J\bar{Y}^t XJ)$, $C = \sqrt{-1}(X^*Y + Y^*X)$. And for any $Z \in H(m, \mathbf{K})$, ZX belongs to W . Therefore we can define an element $\psi^1(X)$ of $\operatorname{Hom}(\mathfrak{g}^{-2}, \mathfrak{g}^{-1}) + \operatorname{Hom}(\mathfrak{g}^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^0)$ by

$$(7.3) \quad \begin{cases} \psi^1(X)Z = ZX & \text{for } Z \in \mathfrak{g}^{-2}, \\ \psi^1(X)Y = \psi^0(A, C) & \text{for } Y \in \mathfrak{g}^{-1}, \end{cases}$$

where $A = \sqrt{-1}(YX^* + J\bar{Y}^t XJ)$, $C = \sqrt{-1}(Y^*X + X^*Y)$. Clearly ψ^1 is injective. We shall show that $\psi^1(X)$ belongs to \mathfrak{g}^1 . By Theorem 4.1, it is sufficient to check the following equalities:

$$(a) \quad \psi^1(X)([u, v]) = [\psi^1(X)u, v] + [u, \psi^1(X)v] \quad (u, v \in \mathfrak{g}^{-1}),$$

$$(b) \quad [\psi^1(X)Z, u] + [Z, \psi^1(X)u] = 0 \quad (u \in \mathfrak{g}^{-1}, Z \in \mathfrak{g}^{-2}).$$

From (7.1), (7.2) and (7.3), we have

$$\psi^1(X)([u, v]) = [u, v]X = \sqrt{-1}(vu^* - uv^*)X,$$

because ${}^t v^t JX = {}^t u^t JX = 0$ as is easily observed. And

$$\begin{aligned} & [\psi^1(X)u, v] + [u, \psi^1(X)v] \\ &= \sqrt{-1}(vu^*X - uv^*X) + \sqrt{-1}(J\bar{u}^t X Jv - J\bar{v}^t X J u) \\ &= \sqrt{-1}(vu^*X - uv^*X), \end{aligned}$$

where we use the facts that ${}^t X Jv = {}^t(v^t JX) = 0$ and ${}^t X J u = {}^t(u^t JX) = 0$. Thus we get (a). And

$$\begin{aligned} [\psi^1(X)Z, u] &= \sqrt{-1}(u(ZX)^* + J\bar{Z}\bar{X}^t u^t J - ZXu^* + J\bar{u}^t(ZX)^t J) \\ &= \sqrt{-1}(uX^*Z + ZJ\bar{X}^t u^t J - ZXu^* - J\bar{u}^t X^t JZ), \end{aligned}$$

because $J\bar{Z} = ZJ$ and $Z^* = Z$. On the other hand

$$\begin{aligned} [Z, \psi^1(X)u] &= -\sqrt{-1}(uX^* + J\bar{u}^t XJ)Z + \sqrt{-1}Z(Xu^* + J\bar{X}^t uJ) \\ &= -\sqrt{-1}(uX^*Z - ZJ\bar{X}^t uJ - ZXu^* + J\bar{u}^t XJZ). \end{aligned}$$

Therefore we have (b) because ${}^t J = -J$. Consequently we have $\dim \mathfrak{g}^1 \geq \dim M(1, s, \mathbf{C})$.

We put

$$W' = \{u \in \mathfrak{g}^{-1}; u_{ki} = 0 \text{ for } k > 2m - 2\}$$

$$W'' = \{u \in \mathfrak{g}^{-1}; u_{ki} = 0 \text{ for } k \leq 2m - 2\}.$$

Then $\mathfrak{g}^{-1} = W' + W''$ (direct sum). We assert that $\mathfrak{r}^{-1} = W'$ or $\mathfrak{r}^{-1} = W''$. In fact, there exist $g_k (1 \leq k \leq m)$ of \mathfrak{g}^0 and $f_{ik} (1 \leq i, k \leq m-1)$ of $GL(D)$ as in Proof of Lemma 7.8. Let $u \in W' (u \neq 0)$. Then W' is generated by the elements $Ad f_{ik} ad g_k u (1 \leq i, k \leq m-1)$. Therefore if there exists $u (\neq 0) \in W' \cap \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$, then $W' \subset \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$. Furthermore if $u (\neq 0) \in W'' \cap \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$, then $W'' \subset \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$ because the space $[W'', W'']$ is generated by the element $[[I, u], u]$ in \mathfrak{r}^{-2} . On the other hand, there exists $u (\neq 0)$ in \mathfrak{r}^{-1} , since D is non-symmetric. If $g_m(u) = 0$, then $u \in W'$ and hence $W' \subset \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$. And if $g_m(u) \neq 0$, then $g_m(u) \in \mathfrak{r}^{-1} \cap W''$ and hence $W'' \subset \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$. Therefore the fact that $\mathfrak{g}^1 \neq 0$ implies

our assertion. We now suppose that $r^{-1} = W''$. Then $[[W'', W''], \phi^1(t^1)] \subset [[r^{-1}, r^{-1}], \mathfrak{g}^1] = 0$. Clearly from (7.3), we have $[[W'', W''], \phi^1(t^1)] \neq 0$. This is a contradiction. Thus we can conclude that $r^{-1} = W'$. Hence $\dim \mathfrak{g}^1 = \dim \mathfrak{g}^{-1} - \dim r^{-1} = \dim W''$ and $\dim \mathfrak{g}^2 = 1$ by Lemma 6.2 and from the fact that $r_0^{-2} = [r^{-1}, r^{-1}]$. It is not difficult to see that the graded subalgebra $[W'', W''] + W'' + [W'', \mathfrak{g}^1] + \mathfrak{g}^1 + \mathfrak{g}^2$ has the properties 1) and 2) in Theorem 2.1. q.e.d.

Lemma 7.11. *If $s=2$, $r(1) = 2m-1$ and $r(2) = 2m$. Then $\mathfrak{g}^1 = 0$ and $\mathfrak{g}^2 = 0$.*

Proof. Suppose that $\mathfrak{g}^1 \neq 0$. We set $W_1 = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} u & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in M(2m, 2, \mathbf{C}); u \in M(2m-1, 1, \mathbf{C}) \right\}$ and $W_2 = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & u \end{pmatrix} \in M(2m, 2, \mathbf{C}); u \in M(2m, 1, \mathbf{C}) \right\}$. Then $W = W_1 + W_2$ (direct sum) and $F(W_1, W_2) = 0$. Then the domain D_1 is one considered in Lemma 7.10. Put $R_0 = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in H(m, \mathbf{K}); x \in H(m-1, \mathbf{K}) \right\}$. Then from (2) of Lemma 7.10, the subspace R_0 of \mathfrak{g}^{-2} is invariant by $ad \rho_1^{(0)}(\mathfrak{g}^0)$. Therefore any element of $\alpha(\mathfrak{g}^0)$ is of the form:

$$(7.4) \quad \begin{pmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ 0 & A_{22} \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} 2m-2 \\ 2 \\ 2m-2 & 2 \end{matrix}$$

where α is the mapping of \mathfrak{g}^0 to $\mathfrak{gl}(m, \mathbf{K})$ as in § 6. We put

$$W' = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} u \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \in M(2m, 2, \mathbf{C}); u \in M(2m-2, 2, \mathbf{C}) \right\}$$

$$W'' = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ u_1 & u_2 \\ 0 & u_3 \end{pmatrix} \in M(2m, 2, \mathbf{C}); u_1, u_2, u_3 \in \mathbf{C} \right\}.$$

Then $W = W' + W''$ (direct sum) and by the arguments as in Proof of Lemma 7.10, we have $r^{-1} = W'$ or $r^{-1} = W''$. Suppose that $r^{-1} = W''$. Then we have (cf. Proof of Proposition 6.4)

$$\alpha(r_0^{-1}) = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ a & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathfrak{gl}(m, \mathbf{K}); a \in M(2, 2m-2, \mathbf{C}) \right\}.$$

This contradicts (7.4). Therefore $r^{-1} = W'$. And hence

$$[r^{-1}, r^{-1}] = R_0$$

$$\mathfrak{g}^2 = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & A \end{pmatrix} \in H(m, \mathbf{K}); A = \begin{pmatrix} a & 0 \\ 0 & a \end{pmatrix}, a \in \mathbf{R} \right\}$$

(cf. Proof of Proposition 6.4).

Thus by using (6.1), we can write $\alpha(E_s) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & B \\ 0 & C \end{pmatrix}$. Let $X \in \mathfrak{g}^2$ ($\subset H(m, \mathbf{K})$). Then $[E_s, X] = -(\alpha(E_s)^* X + X\alpha(E_s)) = 2X$. Hence we have $C = -e_2 + \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{-1}a & b \\ -\bar{b} & -\sqrt{-1}a \end{pmatrix}$ ($a \in \mathbf{R}, b \in \mathbf{C}$). We put $P = \begin{pmatrix} e_{2m-2} & -BC^{-1} \\ 0 & e_2 \end{pmatrix}$. Then $P\alpha(E_s)P^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & C \end{pmatrix}$. It is easy to see that the matrix P belongs to $GL(m, \mathbf{K})$. Hence we can define the element \tilde{P} of $GL(D)$ by

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{P}(X) &= PXP^* \quad \text{for } X \in H(m, \mathbf{K}) \\ \tilde{P}(u) &= Pu \quad \text{for } u \in W. \end{aligned}$$

Since $\alpha(Ad \tilde{P}E_s) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & C \end{pmatrix}$, we may assume that $\alpha(E_s) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & C \end{pmatrix}$. Then we get $a=b=0$ as in Proof of Lemma 6.2. As a result $\alpha(E_s) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -e_2 \end{pmatrix}$ and hence

$$\mathfrak{g}^{-2} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & X \end{pmatrix} \in H(m, \mathbf{K}); X = \begin{pmatrix} x & 0 \\ 0 & x \end{pmatrix}, x \in \mathbf{R} \right\}.$$

Let $u \in W''$ ($\subset \mathfrak{g}^{-1}$). Then $[[I, u], u] \in \mathfrak{g}^{-2}$. Hence we have $u \in \mathfrak{g}^{-1}$. Thus we get $\mathfrak{g}^{-1} = W''$, because $W' \subset \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$. Let X_1 (resp. X_2) be the element of \mathfrak{g}^{-1} such that $u_1=1, u_2=u_3=0$ (resp. $u_2=1, u_1=u_3=0$). By using the fact that the associated symmetric domain is given by $\{(z, u_1, u_2, u_3) \in \mathbf{C}^4; \text{Im } z - \sum_{i=1}^3 |u_i|^2 > 0\}$, we can easily observe that there exist A_1, \dots, A_n of \mathfrak{g}^0 such that $Ad(\exp A_1 \circ \dots \circ \exp A_n) X_1 = X_2$. We set $\mathfrak{q}_i = \{X \in \mathfrak{r}^{-1}; F(X, X_i) = 0\}$ ($i=1, 2$). We then have $Ad f \mathfrak{q}_1 = \mathfrak{q}_2$, where $f = \exp A_1 \circ \dots \circ \exp A_n$. Clearly

$$(7.5) \quad \begin{cases} \mathfrak{q}_1 = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & u \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in M(2m, 2, \mathbf{C}); u \in M(2m-2, 1, \mathbf{C}) \right\} \\ \mathfrak{q}_2 = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} u & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in M(2m, 2, \mathbf{C}); u \in M(2m-2, 1, \mathbf{C}) \right\}. \end{cases}$$

Next we set $\mathfrak{p}_i = \{X \in \mathfrak{g}^{-1}; F(X, \mathfrak{q}_i) = 0\}$ ($i=1, 2$). Then from (7.5) we have $\dim_{\mathfrak{C}} \mathfrak{p}_1 = 2m-1$ and $\dim_{\mathfrak{C}} \mathfrak{p}_2 = 2m$. On the other hand $\mathfrak{p}_2 = Ad f \mathfrak{p}_1$ and hence $\dim_{\mathfrak{C}} \mathfrak{p}_1 = \dim_{\mathfrak{C}} \mathfrak{p}_2$. This contradiction arises from

the first assumption that $\mathfrak{g}^1 \neq 0$. Therefore $\mathfrak{g}^1 = 0$. Since D is non-degenerate we have $\mathfrak{g}^2 = 0$ by Corollary 1.4. q.e.d.

We are now in a position to prove the following

Theorem 7.12.¹²⁾ *Let D be the Siegel domain of the second kind corresponding to the cone $H^+(m, \mathbf{K})$ ($m \geq 2$) and the function $r(t)$ on the interval $[1, s]$. And let S be the associated symmetric domain.*

(1) *If $r(s) < 2m - 1$ and $n = [(r(s) + 1)/2]$. Then $\mathfrak{g}^1 = 0$, $\mathfrak{g}^2 \cong H(m - n, \mathbf{K})$ and S is of the first kind corresponding to the cone $H^+(m - n, \mathbf{K})$.*

(2) *If $r(s) = 2m - 1$. Let s' be the integer ($s' < s$) such that $r(s') < 2m - 1$ and $r(s' + 1) = 2m - 1$. (In the case $r(1) = 2m - 1$, we put $s' = 0$.) Then $\mathfrak{g}^1 \cong M(1, s - s', \mathbf{C})$, $\mathfrak{g}^2 \cong \mathbf{R}^1$ and $S = \{(z, w) \in \mathbf{C}^1 \times M(1, s - s', \mathbf{C}); \operatorname{Im} z - ww^* > 0\}$.*

(3) *If $r(s - 1) = 2m$ ($s \geq 2$). Then $\mathfrak{g}^1 = 0$, $\mathfrak{g}^2 = 0$ and $S = (0)$.*

(4) *If $r(s) = 2m$ and $r(s - 1) < 2m$. (In the case $s = 1$, we put $r(0) = 0$.) Let $n = [(r(s - 1) + 1)/2]$. Then $\mathfrak{g}^1 \cong M(2m - 2n, 1, \mathbf{C})$, $\mathfrak{g}^2 \cong H(m - n, \mathbf{K})$ and S is the domain corresponding to the cone $H^+(m - n, \mathbf{K})$ and the function $r(t)$ such that $s = 1$, $r(1) = 2(m - n)$.*

Proof. (1) In this case, $\mathfrak{g}^1 = 0$ by Proposition 6.4. Other assertions can be proved similarly as Theorem 7.6.

(2) We set $W_1 = \{u \in W; u_{kt} = 0 \text{ for } t > s'\}$ and $W_2 = \{u \in W; u_{kt} = 0 \text{ for } t \leq s'\}$. Then $W = W_1 + W_2$ (direct sum) and $F(W_1, W_2) = 0$. The domain D_1 (resp. D_2) is one considered in Lemma 7.9 (resp. in Lemma 7.10). Let $\mathfrak{g} = \sum_{\lambda=-2}^2 \mathfrak{g}^\lambda$ be the semi-simple graded subalgebra of $\mathfrak{g}(D_2)$ as in Theorem 2.1. By Proposition 7.3, Lemma 7.9 and Lemma 7.10, we have $\dim \mathfrak{g}^1 = \dim \mathfrak{g}^{-1} - \dim \mathfrak{r}^{-1} \leq \dim \mathfrak{g}^{-1}$. On the other hand by Proposition 7.4 and Lemma 7.10, the Lie algebra \mathfrak{g} is imbedded as a garded subalgebra of $\mathfrak{g}(D)$. Therefore we have $\mathfrak{g}^1 = \mathfrak{g}^1$. Since D is non-degenerate, we know that $\mathfrak{g}^2 = [\mathfrak{g}^1, \mathfrak{g}^1]$ from Corollary 1.4. As a result $\mathfrak{g}^2 = \mathfrak{g}^2$, because $\mathfrak{g}^2 = [\mathfrak{g}^1, \mathfrak{g}^1]$. Now it is clear that the subalgebra \mathfrak{g} of $\mathfrak{g}(D)$ has properties 1) and 2) in Theorem 2.1.

¹²⁾ Tsuji [10] calculated \mathfrak{g}^1 and \mathfrak{g}^2 in special cases of this theorem.

(3) We set $W_1 = \{u \in W; u_{kt} = 0 \text{ for } t \geq s-1\}$ and $W_2 = \{u \in W; u_{kt} = 0 \text{ for } k < s-1\}$. Then $W = W_1 + W_2$ (direct sum) and $F(W_1, W_2) = 0$. Then the domain D_2 is one considered in Lemma 7.9. Therefore $W_2 \subset \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$ by Proposition 7.3. Since $[W, W] = [W_2, W_2] = \mathfrak{g}^{-2}$, we have $W = \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$ and $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} = \mathfrak{r}^{-2}$. Hence $\mathfrak{g}^1 = 0$ and $\mathfrak{g}^2 = 0$.

(4) If $n = m$, then $r(s-1) = 2m - 1$. We set $W_1 = \{u \in W; u_{kt} = 0 \text{ for } t \geq s-1\}$ and $W_2 = \{u \in W; u_{kt} = 0 \text{ for } t < s-1\}$. Then the domain D_2 is one considered in Lemma 7.11. Therefore we have $\mathfrak{g}^1 = 0$ and $\mathfrak{g}^2 = 0$ by the same reason as in (3).

We now consider the case where $n < m$, i.e., $r(s-1) < 2m - 1$. We set $W_1 = \{u \in W; u_{ks} = 0\}$ and $W_2 = \{u \in W; u_{kt} = 0 \text{ for } t < s\}$. Then $W = W_1 + W_2$ (direct sum) and $F(W_1, W_2) = 0$. We have $W_1 \subset \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$, because the domain D_1 is degenerate. Put $W' = \{u \in W; u_{kt} = 0 \text{ for } k > 2n\}$ and $W'' = \{u \in W; u_{kt} = 0 \text{ for } k \leq 2n\}$. Since $[W', W'] = [W_1, W_1]$, we have $W' \subset \mathfrak{r}^{-1}$. Therefore $\dim \mathfrak{g}^1 \leq \dim W''$. On the other hand, the domain D_2 is symmetric. By using the well known expressions of $\mathfrak{g}(D_2)$, as in Proof of (3) of Theorem 7.8, we can show that there exists a semi-simple graded subalgebra $\mathfrak{g} = \sum_{\lambda=-2}^2 \mathfrak{g}^\lambda$ of $\mathfrak{g}(D_2)$ such that $\mathfrak{g}^{-1} \cong W''$, $[\mathfrak{g}^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^{-1}] = \mathfrak{g}^{-2}$, $[\mathfrak{g}, [W_1, W_1]] = 0$ and the adjoint representation of \mathfrak{g}^0 on $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}^{-1}$ is faithful. Now our assertions can be verified similarly as (3) of Theorem 7.8. q.e.d.

Remark 4. Let D be a Siegel domain of the second kind and let $\mathfrak{g}(D) = \sum_{\lambda=-2}^2 \mathfrak{g}^\lambda$ be the graded Lie algebra of $\text{Aut}(D)$. Take a point $v \in V$. Then the domain D is homogeneous if and only if $\mathfrak{g}^{-2} = [\mathfrak{g}^0, v]$. Therefore the homogeneity of D implies that \mathfrak{g}^0 is fairly large. By Theorem 4.1, \mathfrak{g}^1 is the first prolongation of $(\mathfrak{g}^{-2} + \mathfrak{g}^{-1}, \mathfrak{g}^0)$. Thus the following question arises: Is there an irreducible inhomogeneous Siegel domain with $\mathfrak{g}^1 \neq 0$? As an answer, we give the following example.

Let $R = H(m, \mathbf{C})$ ($m \geq 3$), $V = H^+(m, \mathbf{C})$. And let $W = \mathbf{C}^1 \times \mathbf{C}^1 \times H(m, s, \mathbf{C})$ ($s \geq 1$). Define a V -hermitian form F on W by

$$F(u, w) = \begin{pmatrix} u_1 \bar{w}_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & u_2 \bar{w}_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} + u_3 w_3^*,$$

where $u = (u_1, u_2, u_3)$, $w = (w_1, w_2, w_3)$.

It is not difficult to see that the domain D associated with V and F is irreducible and inhomogeneous. By the same methods as in Proof of Theorem 7.8, we get $\mathfrak{g}^1 \cong M(m-2, s, \mathbf{C})$ and $\mathfrak{g}^2 \cong H(m-2, \mathbf{C})$.

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