

The Construction of Hom-Lie Bialgebras

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Abstract. Motivated by recent literature on Hom-Lie algebras and the construction of Lie bialgebras, we investigate the construction of Hom-Lie bialgebras as a generalization of Lie bialgebras. In this paper, we mainly show how to construct (triangular coboundary) Hom-Lie bialgebras both through Hom-Lie algebras and Hom-Lie coalgebras. As examples, we consider the construction of (triangular coboundary) Hom-Lie bialgebras on the three-dimensional Heisenberg algebra, on the split simple Lie algebra $sl(2)$ and on E^3 , the three-dimensional Euclidean space.

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1. Introduction and preliminaries

Generalizations of Hopf algebras over fields have quite a long history. The weakening of the (co)associativity leads to Hom-Hopf algebra which is twisted by a linear endomorphism. That is, the associativity of the algebra structure is replaced by the Hom-associativity, namely

$$\alpha(a)(bc) = (ab)\alpha(c),$$

where α is an endomorphism of the algebra. The Hom-associativity was introduced in [13]. In recent years, Hom-structures have been investigated by some scholars in [2, 3, 4, 5, 11, 12, 13, 14, 17, 18]. Hom-algebras were first defined for Lie algebras. Earlier precursors of Hom-Lie algebras can be found in [7]. In [6, 9, 10], Hom-Lie algebras were introduced to describe the structure on certain q -deformations of the Witt and the Virasoro algebras by Silvestrov and his collaborators. In [9], the class of quasi-Lie algebras and subclasses of quasi-Hom-Lie algebras and Hom-Lie algebras have been introduced. These classes of algebras are tailored in the way suitable for simultaneous treatment of the Lie algebras, Lie superalgebras and color Lie algebras and their q -deformations. The idea in the Hom-Lie algebras is that

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the Jacobi identity is replaced by the so called Hom-Jacobi identity through a Lie algebra endomorphism α , namely

$$[[x, y], \alpha(z)] + [[y, z], \alpha(x)] + [[z, x], \alpha(y)] = 0.$$

A Lie algebra is a Hom-Lie algebra with $\alpha = id$. More generally, if L is a Lie algebra and α is a Lie algebra endomorphism, then L becomes a Hom-Lie algebra with the bracket $[x, y]_\alpha = \alpha([x, y])$ which was introduced by Yau in [18].

The classical Yang-Baxter equation (CYBE), also known as the classical triangle equation, was investigated by Sklyanin in the context of quantum inverse scattering method. The CYBE in a Lie algebra L states $[r^{12}, r^{13}] + [r^{12}, r^{23}] + [r^{13}, r^{23}] = 0$ for $r \in L^{\otimes 2}$. The CYBE and QYBE (quantum Yang-Baxter equation) are collectively known as the YBE, which were first introduced by Yang, Baxter and McGuire. The various forms of the YBE are used in physics. A twisted Hom type generalization of the YBE called Hom-Yang-Baxter equation (HYBE) was introduced in [19, 20] by Yau. The HYBE states

$$(\alpha \otimes B) \circ (B \otimes \alpha) \circ (\alpha \otimes B) = (B \otimes \alpha) \circ (\alpha \otimes B) \circ (B \otimes \alpha).$$

where α is an endomorphism of the vector space V , and $B : V^{\otimes 2} \rightarrow V^{\otimes 2}$ is a bilinear map that commutes with $\alpha^{\otimes 2}$. Meanwhile, Yau defined the classical Hom-Yang-Baxter equation (CHYBE) in the same manner and studied Hom-Lie bialgebras in [21].

In [15], Michaelis obtained the structure of a triangular coboundary Lie bialgebra on a Lie algebra containing two linear independent elements a and b satisfying $[a, b] = pb$ for some non-zero $p \in k$, where k denotes a fixed but arbitrary field.

In [22], according to the Lie comodule theory, Zhang constructed some (triangular) Lie bialgebras through Lie coalgebras.

In view of the above works, the motivation of the construction of Hom-Lie bialgebra on a Hom-Lie algebra is natural. The purpose of the present paper is to investigate how to construct Hom-Lie bialgebras both through Hom-Lie algebras and Hom-Lie coalgebras, respectively.

This paper is organized as follows. In Section 1, we recall some basic definitions and give a summary of the fundamental properties concerning Hom-Lie bialgebras. In Section 2, we mainly investigate the construction of (triangular coboundary) Hom-Lie bialgebras from Hom-Lie algebras. In the last section we study how to construct Hom-Lie bialgebras through Hom-Lie coalgebras.

As immediate consequences, by examples, we investigate the construction of (triangular coboundary) Hom-Lie bialgebras on the three-dimensional Heisenberg algebra, on the split three-dimensional simple Lie algebra $sl(2)$ and on E^3 , the three-dimensional Euclidean space.

We always work over a fixed field k . For a Lie coalgebra Γ , we write its Lie-cobracket $\Delta : \Gamma \rightarrow \Gamma^{\otimes 2}$, $x \mapsto x_1 \otimes x_2$, for any $x \in \Gamma$; for a left Γ -comodule M , we denote its coaction by $\rho(m) = m_{(-1)} \otimes m_{(0)}$ for any $m \in M$. Let ξ be the cyclic permutation $(1\ 2\ 3)$, we denote the symbol \circlearrowleft by the sum over id, ξ, ξ^2 . Namely, we denote the Hom-Jacobi identity by $\circlearrowleft [[x, y], \alpha(z)] = 0$ in place of

$[[x, y], \alpha(z)] + [[y, z], \alpha(x)] + [[z, x], \alpha(y)] = 0$, for any $x, y, z \in \Gamma$. Any unexplained definitions and notations may be found in [16].

In what follows, we recall some concepts and results used in this paper.

Definition 1.1. A Hom-Lie algebra in [12] is a triple $(L, [-, -], \alpha)$ consisting of vector space L , bilinear map $[-, -] : L^{\otimes 2} \rightarrow L$ (called the “bracket”) and a linear space endomorphism $\alpha : L \rightarrow L$ satisfying

$$[x, y] + [y, x] = 0, \quad (\text{anti-symmetric})$$

$$\circlearrowleft [[x, y], \alpha(z)] = 0, \quad (\text{Hom-Jacobi identity})$$

for any $x, y, z \in L$.

Hom Lie algebras with additional property that α is an algebra homomorphism

$$\alpha[x, y] = [\alpha(x), \alpha(y)]$$

are called multiplicative Hom-Lie algebras. In what follows, unless stated otherwise, whenever we write Hom-Lie algebra we mean multiplicative Hom-Lie algebra.

Let $(L, [-, -])$ be a Lie algebra, and $\alpha : L \rightarrow L$ be a Lie algebra endomorphism. Define a new bracket $[-, -]_{\alpha}$ on L by setting $[x, y]_{\alpha} = \alpha[x, y]$, then a direct calculation shows that $L_{\alpha} = (L, [-, -]_{\alpha}, \alpha)$ is a Hom-Lie algebra.

Definition 1.2. Let $(L, [-, -], \alpha)$ be a Hom-Lie algebra. An L -Hom-Lie module (V, β) consists of a vector space V and a linear endomorphism $\beta : V \rightarrow V$ together with a bilinear function $\psi : L \otimes V \rightarrow V, x \otimes v \mapsto x \cdot v$ satisfying

$$[x, y] \cdot \beta(v) = \alpha(x) \cdot (y \cdot v) - \alpha(y) \cdot (x \cdot v),$$

$$\beta(x \cdot v) = \alpha(x) \cdot \beta(v),$$

for all $x, y \in L, v \in V$.

It is straightforward that Hom-Lie algebra $(L, [-, -], \alpha)$ is itself an L -Hom-Lie module via its Lie-bracket $[-, -]$. Explicitly, L, α and $[-, -]$ are equivalent to the vector space V , the linear endomorphism β and the bilinear function ψ , respectively.

Let $(L, [-, -], \alpha)$ be a Hom-Lie algebra. For any $x \in L$ and integer number $n \geq 2$, we define the adjoint diagonal action $ad_x : L^{\otimes n} \rightarrow L^{\otimes n}$ by

$$ad_x(y_1 \otimes \cdots \otimes y_n) = \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha(y_1) \otimes \cdots \otimes \alpha(y_{i-1}) \otimes [x, y_i] \otimes \alpha(y_{i+1}) \cdots \otimes \alpha(y_n).$$

In particular, for $n = 2$, we have

$$ad_x(y_1 \otimes y_2) = [x, y_1] \otimes \alpha(y_2) + \alpha(y_1) \otimes [x, y_2].$$

Definition 1.3. A Hom-Lie coalgebra introduced in [21], is a triple (Γ, Δ, α) with a vector space Γ , linear map $\Delta : \Gamma \rightarrow \Gamma^{\otimes 2}$ (called the “cobracket”) and a linear endomorphism $\alpha : \Gamma \rightarrow \Gamma$, such that

$$\Delta \circ \alpha = \alpha^{\otimes 2} \circ \Delta, \quad (\text{co-multiplicativity})$$

$$\Delta + \tau \circ \Delta = 0, \quad (\text{anti-symmetric})$$

$$\circ (\alpha \otimes \Delta) \circ \Delta = 0, \quad (\text{Hom-co-Jacobi identity})$$

Definition 1.4. A Hom-Lie bialgebra introduced in [21], is a quadruple $(L, [-, -], \Delta, \alpha)$ in which $(L, [-, -], \alpha)$ is a Hom-Lie algebra and (L, Δ, α) is a Hom-Lie coalgebra such that the following compatibility condition holds, for all $x, y \in L$,

$$\Delta([x, y]) = ad_{\alpha(x)}(\Delta(y)) - ad_{\alpha(y)}(\Delta(x)).$$

Explicitly, the compatibility condition can be written as

$$\Delta([x, y]) = [\alpha(x), y_1] \otimes \alpha(y_2) + \alpha(y_1) \otimes [\alpha(x), y_2] - [\alpha(y), x_1] \otimes \alpha(x_2) - \alpha(x_1) \otimes [\alpha(y), x_2].$$

Definition 1.5. A coboundary Hom-Lie bialgebra $(L, [-, -], \Delta, \alpha, r)$ in [21] consists of a Hom-Lie bialgebra $(L, [-, -], \Delta, \alpha)$ and $r \in \text{Im}(id - \tau) \subseteq L \otimes L$, such that for any $x \in L$,

$$\alpha^{\otimes 2}(r) = r, \quad \Delta(x) = ad_x(r).$$

Furthermore, if r satisfies the classical Hom-Yang-Baxter equation

$$CH(r) = [r^{12}, r^{13}] + [r^{12}, r^{23}] + [r^{13}, r^{23}] = 0,$$

then we call it a triangular coboundary Hom-Lie bialgebra. Here,

$$[r^{12}, r^{13}] = [a_i, a_j] \otimes \alpha(b_i) \otimes \alpha(b_j),$$

$$[r^{12}, r^{23}] = \alpha(a_i) \otimes [b_i, a_k] \otimes \alpha(b_k),$$

$$[r^{13}, r^{23}] = \alpha(a_j) \otimes \alpha(a_k) \otimes [b_j, b_k],$$

where $r^{12} = r \otimes 1 = a_i \otimes b_i \otimes 1$, $r^{13} = (\tau \otimes id)(1 \otimes r) = a_j \otimes 1 \otimes b_j$ and $r^{23} = 1 \otimes r = 1 \otimes a_k \otimes b_k$.

2. The Construction of Hom-Lie Bialgebras Through Hom-Lie Algebras

In this section we will study Hom-Lie bialgebras further and mainly investigate the construction of Hom-Lie bialgebras from Hom-Lie algebras.

Lemma 2.1. Let $(L, [-, -], \alpha)$ be a Hom-Lie algebra. Then $(L^{\otimes 2}, \alpha^{\otimes 2})$ is an L -Hom-Lie module under the adjoint diagonal action $ad_x : L^{\otimes 2} \rightarrow L^{\otimes 2}$ by $x \cdot (a \otimes b) = ad_x(a \otimes b)$.

Proof. For all $x, y \in L, a \otimes b \in L^{\otimes 2}$,

$$\begin{aligned} & \alpha(x) \cdot (y \cdot (a \otimes b)) - \alpha(y) \cdot (x \cdot (a \otimes b)) \\ &= ad_{\alpha(x)}(ad_y(a \otimes b)) - ad_{\alpha(y)}(ad_x(a \otimes b)) \\ &= ad_{\alpha(x)}([y, a] \otimes \alpha(b) + \alpha(a) \otimes [y, b]) - ad_{\alpha(y)}([x, a] \otimes \alpha(b) + \alpha(a) \otimes [x, b]) \\ &= [\alpha(x), [y, a]] \otimes \alpha^2(b) + \alpha[y, a] \otimes [\alpha(x), \alpha(b)] + [\alpha(x), \alpha(a)] \otimes \alpha[y, b] \\ &+ \alpha^2(a) \otimes [\alpha(x), [y, b]] - [\alpha(y), [x, a]] \otimes \alpha^2(b) - \alpha[x, a] \otimes [\alpha(y), \alpha(b)] \\ &- [\alpha(y), \alpha(a)] \otimes \alpha[x, b] - \alpha^2(a) \otimes [\alpha(y), [x, b]] \\ &= ([\alpha(x), [y, a]] + [\alpha(y), [a, x]]) \otimes \alpha^2(b) \\ &+ \alpha^2(a) \otimes ([\alpha(x), [y, b]] + [\alpha(y), [b, x]]) \\ &= [[x, y], \alpha(a)] \otimes \alpha^2(b) + \alpha^2(a) \otimes [[x, y], \alpha(b)] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} [x, y] \cdot \alpha^{\otimes 2}(a \otimes b) &= ad_{[x, y]}(\alpha(a) \otimes \alpha(b)) \\ &= [[x, y], \alpha(a)] \otimes \alpha^2(b) + \alpha^2(a) \otimes [[x, y], \alpha(b)]. \end{aligned}$$

It is easy to show that $\alpha^{\otimes 2}(x \cdot (a \otimes b)) = \alpha[x, a] \otimes \alpha^2(b) + \alpha^2(a) \otimes \alpha[x, b] = \alpha(x) \cdot \alpha^{\otimes 2}(a \otimes b)$. Thus $(L^{\otimes 2}, \alpha^{\otimes 2})$ is an L -Hom-Lie module. ■

Proposition 2.2. Let $(L, [-, -], \alpha)$ be a Hom-Lie algebra, and $r = a_i \otimes b_i \in Im(id - \tau) \subseteq L^{\otimes 2}$ together with $\alpha^{\otimes 2}(r) = r$. Define $\Delta : L \rightarrow L^{\otimes 2}$, $\Delta(x) = ad_x(r)$ for any $x \in L$. Then

- (1) $\Delta + \tau \circ \Delta = 0$.
- (2) $\alpha^{\otimes 2} \circ \Delta = \Delta \circ \alpha$.
- (3) $\Delta([x, y]) = ad_{\alpha(x)}(\Delta(y)) - ad_{\alpha(y)}(\Delta(x))$ for any $x, y \in L$.

Proof. (1) It is straightforward by $r \in Im(id - \tau)$.

(2) For any $x \in L$, since $\alpha^{\otimes 2}(r) = r$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha^{\otimes 2} \circ \Delta(x) &= \alpha^{\otimes 2} \circ ad_x(r) \\ &= \alpha[x, a_i] \otimes \alpha^2(b_i) + \alpha^2(a_i) \otimes \alpha[x, b_i] \\ &= [\alpha(x), a_i] \otimes \alpha(b_i) + \alpha(a_i) \otimes [\alpha(x), b_i] \\ &= ad_{\alpha(x)}(r) = \Delta(\alpha(x)). \end{aligned}$$

(3) By Lemma 2.1, we know that $(L^{\otimes 2}, \alpha^{\otimes 2})$ is an L -Hom-Lie module under the adjoint diagonal action. Hence, for any $x, y \in L$,

$$[x, y] \cdot (\alpha \otimes \alpha)(a_i \otimes b_i) = \alpha(x) \cdot (y \cdot (a_i \otimes b_i)) - \alpha(y) \cdot (x \cdot (a_i \otimes b_i)),$$

that is,

$$ad_{[x, y]}(a_i \otimes b_i) = ad_{\alpha(x)}(ad_y(a_i \otimes b_i)) - ad_{\alpha(y)}(ad_x(a_i \otimes b_i)).$$

So $\Delta([x, y]) = ad_{\alpha(x)}(\Delta(y)) - ad_{\alpha(y)}(\Delta(x))$. ■

Example 2.3. Let $(L, [-, -])$ denote the Lie algebra on E^3 with basis elements $\{e_1, e_2, e_3\}$, whose bracket is given by

$$[e_1, e_2] = e_3, \quad [e_2, e_3] = e_1, \quad [e_3, e_1] = e_2.$$

Define an endomorphism $\alpha : L \rightarrow L$ such that $\alpha(e_1) = e_2, \alpha(e_2) = e_3, \alpha(e_3) = e_1$. We can check easily that α is a morphism of Lie algebra, that is,

$$\begin{aligned}\alpha[e_1, e_2] &= e_1 = [\alpha(e_1), \alpha(e_2)], \\ \alpha[e_2, e_3] &= e_2 = [\alpha(e_2), \alpha(e_3)], \\ \alpha[e_3, e_1] &= e_3 = [\alpha(e_3), \alpha(e_1)].\end{aligned}$$

Then a Hom-Lie algebra $L' = (L, [-, -]_\alpha = \alpha \circ [-, -], \alpha)$ is obtained.

Set

$$r = e_1 \otimes e_2 - e_2 \otimes e_1 + e_2 \otimes e_3 - e_3 \otimes e_2 + e_3 \otimes e_1 - e_1 \otimes e_3 \in L'^{\otimes 2}.$$

It's not difficult to show that $r \in \text{Im}(id - \tau)$ and $\alpha^{\otimes 2}(r) = r$.

For any $x \in L'$, define $\Delta(x) = ad_x(r)$. Then

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta(e_1) &= e_2 \otimes e_1 - e_1 \otimes e_2 + e_2 \otimes e_3 - e_3 \otimes e_2, \\ \Delta(e_2) &= e_3 \otimes e_2 - e_2 \otimes e_3 + e_3 \otimes e_1 - e_1 \otimes e_3, \\ \Delta(e_3) &= e_1 \otimes e_3 - e_3 \otimes e_1 + e_1 \otimes e_2 - e_2 \otimes e_1.\end{aligned}$$

We can find that $\Delta + \tau \circ \Delta = 0$. For simplicity and clarity, we write (i, j, k) in place of $(e_i \otimes e_j \otimes e_k)$. Then $\circlearrowleft (\alpha \otimes \Delta) \circ \Delta(e_1) = 0$. In fact, since

$$\begin{aligned}(\alpha \otimes \Delta) \circ \Delta(e_1) &= \alpha(e_2) \otimes \Delta(e_1) - \alpha(e_1) \otimes \Delta(e_2) + \alpha(e_2) \otimes \Delta(e_3) - \alpha(e_3) \otimes \Delta(e_2) \\ &= (3, 2, 1) - (3, 1, 2) + (3, 2, 3) - (3, 3, 2) \\ &\quad - (2, 3, 2) + (2, 2, 3) - (2, 3, 1) + (2, 1, 3) \\ &\quad + (3, 1, 3) - (3, 3, 1) + (3, 1, 2) - (3, 2, 1) \\ &\quad - (1, 3, 2) + (1, 2, 3) - (1, 3, 1) + (1, 1, 3) \\ &= (3, 2, 3) - (3, 3, 2) - (2, 3, 2) + (2, 2, 3) \\ &\quad - (2, 3, 1) + (2, 1, 3) + (3, 1, 3) - (3, 3, 1) \\ &\quad - (1, 3, 2) + (1, 2, 3) - (1, 3, 1) + (1, 1, 3),\end{aligned}$$

we have

$$\begin{aligned}\circlearrowleft (\alpha \otimes \Delta) \circ \Delta(e_1) &= \circlearrowleft ((3, 2, 3) - (3, 3, 2) - (2, 3, 2) + (2, 2, 3) - (2, 3, 1) + (2, 1, 3) \\ &\quad + (3, 1, 3) - (3, 3, 1) - (1, 3, 2) + (1, 2, 3) - (1, 3, 1) + (1, 1, 3)).\end{aligned}$$

Now, we can check that $\circlearrowleft ((3, 2, 3) - (3, 3, 2)) = (3, 2, 3) - (3, 3, 2) + (2, 3, 3) - (3, 2, 3) + (3, 3, 2) - (2, 3, 3) = 0$.

By analogy,

$$\begin{aligned}\circlearrowleft (-(2, 3, 2) + (2, 2, 3)) &= 0, \\ \circlearrowleft ((3, 1, 3) - (3, 3, 1)) &= 0, \\ \circlearrowleft (-(1, 3, 1) + (1, 1, 3)) &= 0.\end{aligned}$$

Meanwhile,

$$\begin{aligned}\circlearrowleft (-(2, 3, 1) + (2, 1, 3) - (1, 3, 2) + (1, 2, 3)) &= (2, 1, 3) - (2, 3, 1) + (1, 2, 3) - (1, 3, 2) \\ &\quad + (1, 3, 2) - (3, 1, 2) + (2, 3, 1) - (3, 2, 1) \\ &\quad + (3, 2, 1) - (1, 2, 3) + (3, 1, 2) - (2, 1, 3) \\ &= 0.\end{aligned}$$

Therefore the summation $\circ (\alpha \otimes \Delta) \circ \Delta(e_1) = 0$. In the same way,

$$\begin{aligned} \circ (\alpha \otimes \Delta) \circ \Delta(e_2) &= 0, \\ \circ (\alpha \otimes \Delta) \circ \Delta(e_3) &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

Thus (L, Δ, α) is a Hom-Lie coalgebra. By Proposition 2.2, the compatibility between $[-, -]_\alpha$ and Δ holds immediately though it also follows by computing directly. Thus $(L, [-, -]_\alpha, \Delta, \alpha, r)$ is a coboundary Hom-Lie bialgebra.

Furthermore, is it triangular? We will solve the problem by checking if the classical Hom-Yang-Baxter equation holds or not, that is, $CH(r)$ equals zero or not.

In fact,

$$\begin{aligned} r_{12} &= e_1 \otimes e_2 \otimes 1 - e_2 \otimes e_1 \otimes 1 + e_2 \otimes e_3 \otimes 1 - e_3 \otimes e_2 \otimes 1 + e_3 \otimes e_1 \otimes 1 - e_1 \otimes e_3 \otimes 1, \\ r_{13} &= e_1 \otimes 1 \otimes e_2 - e_2 \otimes 1 \otimes e_1 + e_2 \otimes 1 \otimes e_3 - e_3 \otimes 1 \otimes e_2 + e_3 \otimes 1 \otimes e_1 - e_1 \otimes 1 \otimes e_3, \\ r_{23} &= 1 \otimes e_1 \otimes e_2 - 1 \otimes e_2 \otimes e_1 + 1 \otimes e_2 \otimes e_3 - 1 \otimes e_3 \otimes e_2 + 1 \otimes e_3 \otimes e_1 - 1 \otimes e_1 \otimes e_3. \end{aligned}$$

It's a tedious checking procedure needing earnest and patience. At last, we get

$$\begin{aligned} CH(r) &= [r^{12}, r^{13}]_\alpha + [r^{12}, r^{23}]_\alpha + [r^{13}, r^{23}]_\alpha \\ &= 3[(1, 2, 3) + (2, 3, 1) + (3, 1, 2) - (2, 1, 3) \\ &\quad - (3, 2, 1)] - (1, 3, 2) \neq 0. \end{aligned}$$

Thus $(L, [-, -]_\alpha, \Delta, \alpha, r)$ is a coboundary Hom-Lie bialgebra but not triangular.

In the following, we'll give the main result of this section.

Theorem 2.4. *Let $(L, [-, -], \alpha)$ be a Hom-Lie algebra, containing linearly independent elements a and b satisfying $[a, b] = p\alpha(a)$ or $[a, b] = p\alpha(b)$ with $0 \neq p \in k$. Set*

$$r = a \otimes b - b \otimes a$$

and assume that $\alpha^{\otimes 2}(r) = r$ and define a linear map $\Delta_r : L \rightarrow L^{\otimes 2}$ by

$$\Delta_r(x) = ad_x(r) = [x, a] \otimes \alpha(b) + \alpha(a) \otimes [x, b] - \alpha(b) \otimes [x, a] - [x, b] \otimes \alpha(a)$$

for any $x \in L$. Then Δ_r equips L with the structure of a triangular coboundary Hom-Lie bialgebra.

Proof. We just give a proof for the case where $[a, b] = p\alpha(b)$ with $p = 1$. For any non-zero $p \in k$ and $[a, b] = p\alpha(a)$, the proof is exactly analogous.

For simplicity, we set

$$f = [[x, a], \alpha(b)], \quad g = [[x, b], \alpha(a)], \quad h = \alpha[x, b]$$

for any $x \in L$. By straightforward computation, the checking procedure needs more patience and carefulness than technique.

For an arbitrary $x \in L$,

$$\begin{aligned} \circ (\alpha \otimes \Delta_r) \circ \Delta_r(x) &= \alpha^2(a) \otimes (g + h - f) \otimes \alpha^2(b) - \alpha^2(b) \otimes (g + h - f) \otimes \alpha^2(a) \\ &\quad + \alpha^2(b) \otimes \alpha^2(a) \otimes (g + h - f) - \alpha^2(a) \otimes \alpha^2(b) \otimes (g + h - f) \\ &\quad + (g + h - f) \otimes \alpha^2(b) \otimes \alpha^2(a) - (g + h - f) \otimes \alpha^2(a) \otimes \alpha^2(b) \\ &= 0, \end{aligned}$$

since

$$\begin{aligned}
 g + h - f &= [[x, b], \alpha(a)] + \alpha[x, b] - [[x, a], \alpha(b)] \\
 &= [[x, b], \alpha(a)] + [\alpha(x), \alpha(b)] + [[a, x], \alpha(b)] \\
 &= [[x, b], \alpha(a)] + [\alpha(x), [a, b]] + [[a, x], \alpha(b)] \\
 &= [[x, b], \alpha(a)] + [[b, a], \alpha(x)] + [[a, x], \alpha(b)] \\
 &= 0.
 \end{aligned}$$

And according to Proposition 2.2, $(L, [-, -], \Delta_r, \alpha)$ is a coboundary Hom-Lie bialgebra.

Now, we have only to show that r satisfies the classical Hom-Yang-Baxter equation $CH(r) = 0$. Since $r = a \otimes b - b \otimes a$, by Definition 1.5,

$$\begin{aligned}
 r^{12} &= a \otimes b \otimes 1 - b \otimes a \otimes 1, \\
 r^{13} &= a \otimes 1 \otimes b - b \otimes 1 \otimes a, \\
 r^{23} &= 1 \otimes a \otimes b - 1 \otimes b \otimes a,
 \end{aligned}$$

so,

$$\begin{aligned}
 [r^{12}, r^{13}] &= -[a, b] \otimes \alpha(b) \otimes \alpha(a) - [b, a] \otimes \alpha(a) \otimes \alpha(b), \\
 [r^{12}, r^{23}] &= \alpha(a) \otimes [b, a] \otimes \alpha(b) + \alpha(b) \otimes [a, b] \otimes \alpha(a), \\
 [r^{13}, r^{23}] &= -\alpha(a) \otimes \alpha(b) \otimes [b, a] - \alpha(b) \otimes \alpha(a) \otimes [a, b],
 \end{aligned}$$

that is,

$$\begin{aligned}
 [r^{12}, r^{13}] &= -\alpha(b) \otimes \alpha(b) \otimes \alpha(a) + \alpha(b) \otimes \alpha(a) \otimes \alpha(b), \\
 [r^{12}, r^{23}] &= -\alpha(a) \otimes \alpha(b) \otimes \alpha(b) + \alpha(b) \otimes \alpha(b) \otimes \alpha(a), \\
 [r^{13}, r^{23}] &= \alpha(a) \otimes \alpha(b) \otimes \alpha(b) - \alpha(b) \otimes \alpha(a) \otimes \alpha(b).
 \end{aligned}$$

So, $CH(r) = [r^{12}, r^{13}] + [r^{12}, r^{23}] + [r^{13}, r^{23}] = 0$. The theorem is proved. \blacksquare

In the following three examples, we work over the field \mathcal{C} of complex numbers.

Example 2.5. Let L be a vector space with basis $\{X, Y\}$. Equipped L with a Lie bracket, we get a Lie algebra $(L, [-, -])$ as follows

$$[X, X] = 0, \quad [Y, Y] = 0, \quad [X, Y] = X, \quad [Y, X] = -X.$$

Given a Lie algebra morphism α on $(L, [-, -])$, the Hom-Lie bracket in the corresponding Hom-Lie algebra $L_\alpha = (L, [-, -]_\alpha = \alpha \circ [-, -], \alpha)$ is determined by the following relations

$$\alpha(X) = X, \quad \alpha(Y) = aX + Y, \quad a \in \mathcal{C}.$$

Then,

$$[X, Y]_\alpha = \alpha[X, Y] = \alpha(X) = X.$$

Set

$$r = X \otimes Y - Y \otimes X$$

with $\alpha^{\otimes 2}(r) = X \otimes (aX + Y) - (aX + Y) \otimes X = X \otimes Y - Y \otimes X = r$ and define

$$\Delta_r(l) = ad_l(r) = [l, X]_\alpha \otimes \alpha(Y) - \alpha(Y) \otimes [l, X]_\alpha + \alpha(X) \otimes [l, Y]_\alpha - [l, Y]_\alpha \otimes \alpha(X),$$

for all $l \in L_\alpha$.

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_r(X) &= \alpha(X) \otimes [X, Y]_\alpha - [X, Y]_\alpha \otimes \alpha(X) \\ &= X \otimes X - X \otimes X = 0, \\ \Delta_r(Y) &= [Y, X]_\alpha \otimes \alpha(Y) - \alpha(Y) \otimes [Y, X]_\alpha \\ &= -X \otimes (aX + Y) + (aX + Y) \otimes X \\ &= Y \otimes X - X \otimes Y. \end{aligned}$$

According to Theorem 2.4, $(L, [-, -]_\alpha, \Delta_r, \alpha)$ is a triangular coboundary Hom-Lie bialgebra.

Example 2.6. The split three-dimensional simple Lie algebra in [8,pp.14] is $sl(2) = span_C\{X, Y, Z\}$, whose bracket is determined by the relations

$$[X, Y] = 2Y, [X, Z] = -2Z, [Y, Z] = X.$$

Consider the linear Lie algebra map $\alpha : sl(2) \rightarrow sl(2)$,

$$\alpha(X) = X - 2Z, \alpha(Y) = X + Y - Z, \alpha(Z) = Z.$$

Then we obtain the Hom-Lie bracket

$$\begin{aligned} [X, Y]_\alpha &= 2(X + Y - Z) = -[Y, X]_\alpha, \\ [X, Z]_\alpha &= -2Z = -[Z, X]_\alpha, \\ [Y, Z]_\alpha &= X - 2Z = -[Z, Y]_\alpha \end{aligned}$$

in the corresponding Hom-Lie algebra $sl(2)_\alpha = (sl(2), [-, -]_\alpha, \alpha)$. By taking $a = 0, b = 1, c = 1$ in the matrix α_1 in Theorem 1.5 of [20], we get the above Hom-Lie algebra $sl(2)_\alpha$.

For linearly independent elements X, Z , we know $[X, Z]_\alpha = -2Z = -2\alpha(Z)$. Set

$$r = X \otimes Z - Z \otimes X,$$

with $\alpha^{\otimes 2}(r) = r$ holding and let

$$\Delta_r(s) = ad_s(r),$$

for any $s \in sl(2)$. According to Theorem 2.4, $(sl(2), [-, -]_\alpha, \Delta_r, \alpha)$ is a coboundary triangular Hom-Lie bialgebra with

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_r(X) &= 2(Z \otimes X - X \otimes Z), \\ \Delta_r(Y) &= 2(Z \otimes X + Z \otimes Y - X \otimes Z - Y \otimes Z), \\ \Delta_r(Z) &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

Example 2.7. Consider the three-dimensional Heisenberg algebra in [1, Example 2] $H = span_C\{X, Y, Z\}$ together with the Lie bracket (the Heisenberg relation)

$$[X, Y] = [X, Z] = 0, [Y, Z] = X.$$

Given a linear map of Lie algebra $\alpha : H \rightarrow H$ such that

$$\alpha(X) = X, \alpha(Y) = cY, \alpha(Z) = c^{-1}Z$$

for some non-zero complex number c . The Hom-Lie bracket in the corresponding Hom-Lie algebra $H_\alpha = (H, [-, -]_\alpha = \alpha \circ [-, -], \alpha)$ is given by the following relations

$$\begin{aligned} [X, Y]_\alpha &= [X, Z]_\alpha = 0 = -[Y, X]_\alpha = -[Z, X]_\alpha, \\ [Y, Z]_\alpha &= X = -[Z, Y]_\alpha. \end{aligned}$$

We know that, H_α does not satisfy the condition containing linearly independent elements a and b such that $[a, b]_\alpha = k\alpha(a)$ or $k\alpha(b)$ as in Theorem 2.4. But we can still construct a Hom-Lie bialgebra on H_α .

Set

$$r = Y \otimes Z - Z \otimes Y$$

and let

$$\Delta_r(h) = ad_h(r),$$

for all $h \in H_\alpha$. Then $\alpha^{\otimes 2}(r) = r$, and

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_r(X) &= 0, \\ \Delta_r(Y) &= cY \otimes X - cX \otimes Y, \\ \Delta_r(Z) &= c^{-1}Z \otimes X - c^{-1}X \otimes Z. \end{aligned}$$

We can check easily that the Hom-co-Jacobi identity and the compatibility hold, so H_α is a coboundary Hom-Lie bialgebra. That is to say, the condition in Theorem 2.4 is just sufficient to construct a Hom-Lie bialgebra but not necessary.

Furthermore, since

$$\begin{aligned} [r^{12}, r^{13}] &= X \otimes Y \otimes Z - X \otimes Z \otimes Y, \\ [r^{12}, r^{23}] &= Z \otimes X \otimes Y - Y \otimes X \otimes Z, \\ [r^{13}, r^{23}] &= Y \otimes Z \otimes X - Z \otimes Y \otimes X, \end{aligned}$$

then

$$[r^{12}, r^{13}] + [r^{12}, r^{23}] + [r^{13}, r^{23}] \neq 0.$$

Therefore, H_α is a coboundary but not triangular Hom-Lie bialgebra.

3. The Construction of Hom-Lie Bialgebras Through Hom-Lie Coalgebras

In this section, we mainly construct Hom-Lie bialgebras through Hom-Lie coalgebras.

Definition 3.1. Let (Γ, Δ, α) be a Hom-Lie coalgebra. A Γ -Hom-Lie comodule (V, β) consists of a vector space V and a linear endomorphism $\beta : V \rightarrow V$ together with a linear map $\rho : V \rightarrow \Gamma \otimes V, v \mapsto v_{(-1)} \otimes v_{(0)}$ satisfying

$$(\Delta \otimes \beta) \circ \rho = (\alpha \otimes \rho) \circ \rho - (\tau \otimes id) \circ (\alpha \otimes \rho) \circ \rho,$$

$$\rho \circ \beta = (\alpha \otimes \beta) \circ \rho,$$

that is, for any $v \in V$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} v_{(-1)1} \otimes v_{(-1)2} \otimes \beta(v_{(0)}) &= \alpha(v_{(-1)}) \otimes v_{(0)(-1)} \otimes v_{(0)(0)} - v_{(0)(-1)} \otimes \alpha(v_{(-1)}) \otimes v_{(0)(0)}, \\ \beta(v)_{(-1)} \otimes \beta(v)_{(0)} &= \alpha(v_{(-1)}) \otimes \beta(v_{(0)}). \end{aligned}$$

Lemma 3.2. *Let (Γ, Δ, α) be a Hom-Lie coalgebra, and $(M, \mu), (N, \nu)$ two Γ -Hom-Lie comodules with comodule structure ρ_M, ρ_N . Then $(M \otimes N, \mu \otimes \nu)$ is a Γ -Hom-Lie comodule under*

$$\rho = \rho_M \otimes \nu + (\tau \otimes id) \circ (\mu \otimes \rho_N),$$

that is, for any $m \in M, n \in N$,

$$\rho : m \otimes n \mapsto m_{(-1)} \otimes m_{(0)} \otimes \nu(n) + n_{(-1)} \otimes \mu(m) \otimes n_{(0)}.$$

Proof. For any $m \in M, n \in N$,

$$\begin{aligned} &(\Delta \otimes (\mu \otimes \nu)) \circ \rho(m \otimes n) \\ &= (\Delta \otimes (\mu \otimes \nu))(m_{(-1)} \otimes m_{(0)} \otimes \nu(n) + n_{(-1)} \otimes \mu(m) \otimes n_{(0)}) \\ &= m_{(-1)1} \otimes m_{(-1)2} \otimes \mu(m_{(0)}) \otimes \nu^2(n) + n_{(-1)1} \otimes n_{(-1)2} \otimes \mu^2(m) \otimes \nu(n_{(0)}) \\ &= \alpha(m_{(-1)}) \otimes m_{(0)(-1)} \otimes m_{(0)(0)} \otimes \nu^2(n) - m_{(0)(-1)} \otimes \alpha(m_{(-1)}) \otimes m_{(0)(0)} \otimes \nu^2(n) \\ &\quad + \alpha(n_{(-1)}) \otimes n_{(0)(-1)} \otimes \mu^2(m) \otimes n_{(0)(0)} - n_{(0)(-1)} \otimes \alpha(n_{(-1)}) \otimes \mu^2(m) \otimes n_{(0)(0)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &[(\alpha \otimes \rho) \circ \rho - (\tau \otimes id) \circ (\alpha \otimes \rho) \circ \rho](m \otimes n) \\ &= \alpha((m \otimes n)_{(-1)}) \otimes (m \otimes n)_{(0)(-1)} \otimes (m \otimes n)_{(0)(0)} \\ &\quad - (m \otimes n)_{(0)(-1)} \otimes \alpha((m \otimes n)_{(-1)}) \otimes (m \otimes n)_{(0)(0)} \\ &= \alpha(m_{(-1)}) \otimes (m_{(0)} \otimes \nu(n))_{(-1)} \otimes (m_{(0)} \otimes \nu(n))_{(0)} \\ &\quad - (m_{(0)} \otimes \nu(n))_{(-1)} \otimes \alpha(m_{(-1)}) \otimes (m_{(0)} \otimes \nu(n))_{(0)} \\ &\quad + \alpha(n_{(-1)}) \otimes (\mu(m) \otimes n_{(0)})_{(-1)} \otimes (\mu(m) \otimes n_{(0)})_{(0)} \\ &\quad - (\mu(m) \otimes n_{(0)})_{(-1)} \otimes \alpha(n_{(-1)}) \otimes (\mu(m) \otimes n_{(0)})_{(0)} \\ &= \alpha(m_{(-1)}) \otimes m_{(0)(-1)} \otimes m_{(0)(0)} \otimes \nu^2(n) + \alpha(m_{(-1)}) \otimes \nu(n)_{(-1)} \otimes \mu(m_{(0)}) \otimes \nu(n)_{(0)} \\ &\quad - m_{(0)(-1)} \otimes \alpha(m_{(-1)}) \otimes m_{(0)(0)} \otimes \nu^2(n) - \underbrace{\nu(n)_{(-1)} \otimes \alpha(m_{(-1)}) \otimes \mu(m_{(0)}) \otimes \nu(n)_{(0)}} \\ &\quad + \alpha(n_{(-1)}) \otimes \mu(m)_{(-1)} \otimes \mu(m)_{(0)} \otimes \nu(n_{(0)}) + \alpha(n_{(-1)}) \otimes n_{(0)(-1)} \otimes \mu^2(m) \otimes n_{(0)(0)} \\ &\quad - \underbrace{\mu(m)_{(-1)} \otimes \alpha(n_{(-1)}) \otimes \mu(m)_{(0)} \otimes \nu(n_{(0)})}_{-n_{(0)(-1)} \otimes \alpha(n_{(-1)}) \otimes \mu^2(m) \otimes n_{(0)(0)}} \\ &= \alpha(m_{(-1)}) \otimes m_{(0)(-1)} \otimes m_{(0)(0)} \otimes \nu^2(n) - m_{(0)(-1)} \otimes \alpha(m_{(-1)}) \otimes m_{(0)(0)} \otimes \nu^2(n) \\ &\quad + \alpha(n_{(-1)}) \otimes n_{(0)(-1)} \otimes \mu^2(m) \otimes n_{(0)(0)} - n_{(0)(-1)} \otimes \alpha(n_{(-1)}) \otimes \mu^2(m) \otimes n_{(0)(0)}, \end{aligned}$$

so, $(\Delta \otimes (\mu \otimes \nu)) \circ \rho = (\alpha \otimes \rho) \circ \rho - (\tau \otimes Id) \circ (\alpha \otimes \rho) \circ \rho$. Meanwhile,

$$\begin{aligned} \rho \circ (\mu \otimes \nu)(m \otimes n) &= \mu(m)_{(-1)} \otimes \mu(m)_{(0)} \otimes \nu^2(n) + \nu(n)_{(-1)} \otimes \mu^2(m) \otimes \nu(n)_{(0)} \\ &= \alpha(m_{(-1)}) \otimes \mu(m_{(0)}) \otimes \nu^2(n) + \alpha(n_{(-1)}) \otimes \mu^2(m) \otimes \nu(n_{(0)}) \\ &= (\alpha \otimes \mu \otimes \nu) \circ \rho(m \otimes n). \end{aligned}$$

Thus, $(M \otimes N, \mu \otimes \nu)$ is a Γ -Hom-Lie comodule. ■

It is easy to see that Hom-Lie coalgebra (Γ, Δ, α) is itself a Γ -Hom-Lie comodule with the comodule structure $\rho = \Delta$. Therefore, we obtain the following corollary naturally by Lemma 3.2.

Corollary 3.3. *Let (Γ, Δ, α) be a Hom-Lie coalgebra. Then $(\Gamma^{\otimes 2}, \alpha^{\otimes 2})$ is a Γ -Hom-Lie comodule under the Hom-coadjoint diagonal coaction*

$$\rho : \Gamma^{\otimes 2} \rightarrow \Gamma^{\otimes 3}; \quad x \otimes y \mapsto x_1 \otimes x_2 \otimes \alpha(y) + y_1 \otimes \alpha(x) \otimes y_2.$$

Proposition 3.4. *Let (Γ, Δ, α) be a Hom-Lie coalgebra, and $\pi : \Gamma^{\otimes 2} \rightarrow k$ such that*

$$\pi = -\pi \circ \tau,$$

$$\pi \circ \alpha^{\otimes 2} = \pi.$$

Define

$$[-, -] : \Gamma^{\otimes 2} \xrightarrow{\rho} \Gamma^{\otimes 3} \xrightarrow{id \otimes \pi} \Gamma,$$

where $\rho = \Delta \otimes \alpha + (\tau \otimes id) \circ (\alpha \otimes \Delta)$. That is, for any $x, y \in \Gamma$,

$$[-, -] : x \otimes y \mapsto x_1\pi(x_2 \otimes \alpha(y)) + y_1\pi(\alpha(x) \otimes y_2).$$

Then, for any $x, y \in \Gamma$,

- (1) $[x, y] + [y, x] = 0$,
- (2) $\alpha[x, y] = [\alpha(x), \alpha(y)]$,
- (3) $\Delta[x, y] = ad_{\alpha(x)}(\Delta(y)) - ad_{\alpha(y)}(\Delta(x))$.

Proof. (1) For any $x, y \in \Gamma$,

$$\begin{aligned} [x, y] + [y, x] &= x_1\pi(x_2 \otimes \alpha(y)) + y_1\pi(\alpha(x) \otimes y_2) + y_1\pi(y_2 \otimes \alpha(x)) + x_1\pi(\alpha(y) \otimes x_2) \\ &= x_1\pi(x_2 \otimes \alpha(y)) + y_1\pi(\alpha(x) \otimes y_2) - y_1\pi(\alpha(x) \otimes y_2) - x_1\pi(x_2 \otimes \alpha(y)) \\ &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

(2) For any $x, y \in \Gamma$,

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha[x, y] &= \alpha(x_1)\pi(x_2 \otimes \alpha(y)) + \alpha(y_1)\pi(\alpha(x) \otimes y_2) \\ &= \alpha(x_1)\pi(\alpha(x_2) \otimes \alpha^2(y)) + \alpha(y_1)\pi(\alpha^2(x) \otimes \alpha(y_2)) \\ &= \alpha(x)_1\pi(\alpha(x)_2 \otimes \alpha^2(y)) + \alpha(y)_1\pi(\alpha^2(x) \otimes \alpha(y)_2) \\ &= [\alpha(x), \alpha(y)]. \end{aligned}$$

(3) We know that $(\Gamma^{\otimes 2}, \alpha^{\otimes 2})$ is a Γ -Hom-Lie comodule by Corollary 3.3, and the comodule structure is given by

$$\rho(x \otimes y) = x_1 \otimes x_2 \otimes \alpha(y) + y_1 \otimes \alpha(x) \otimes y_2.$$

So, by Definition 3.1, $\Delta[x, y]$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \Delta(x_1\pi(x_2 \otimes \alpha(y)) + y_1\pi(\alpha(x) \otimes y_2)) \\
 &= \Delta \circ (id \otimes \pi) \circ \rho(x \otimes y) \\
 &= (id \otimes id \otimes \pi) \circ (\Delta \otimes \alpha \otimes \alpha) \circ \rho(x \otimes y) \\
 &= (id \otimes id \otimes \pi) \circ ((\alpha \otimes \rho) \circ \rho - (\tau \otimes id) \circ (\alpha \otimes \rho) \circ \rho)(x \otimes y) \\
 &= \alpha(x_1) \otimes x_2\pi(x_3 \otimes \alpha^2(y)) + \alpha(y_1) \otimes y_2\pi(\alpha^2(x) \otimes y_3) \\
 &\quad - x_2 \otimes \alpha(x_1)\pi(x_3 \otimes \alpha^2(y)) - y_2 \otimes \alpha(y_1)\pi(\alpha^2(x) \otimes y_3) \\
 &= -\alpha(x_1) \otimes x_2\pi(\alpha^2(y) \otimes x_3) + \alpha(y_1) \otimes y_2\pi(\alpha^2(x) \otimes y_3) \\
 &\quad - x_1 \otimes \alpha(x_3)\pi(\alpha^2(y) \otimes x_2) + y_1 \otimes \alpha(y_3)\pi(\alpha^2(x) \otimes y_2), \\
 &ad_{\alpha(x)}(\Delta(y)) - ad_{\alpha(y)}(\Delta(x)) \\
 &= [\alpha(x), y_1] \otimes \alpha(y_2) + \alpha(y_1) \otimes [\alpha(x), y_2] \\
 &\quad - [\alpha(y), x_1] \otimes \alpha(x_2) - \alpha(x_1) \otimes [\alpha(y), x_2] \\
 &= \underbrace{\alpha(x)_1\pi(\alpha(x)_2 \otimes \alpha(y_1)) \otimes \alpha(y_2) + y_1\pi(\alpha^2(x) \otimes y_2) \otimes \alpha(y_3)}_{+ \alpha(y_1) \otimes \alpha(x)_1\pi(\alpha(x)_2 \otimes \alpha(y_2))} + \alpha(y_1) \otimes y_2\pi(\alpha^2(x) \otimes y_3) \\
 &\quad - \underbrace{\alpha(y)_1\pi(\alpha(y)_2 \otimes \alpha(x_1)) \otimes \alpha(x_2)}_{- x_1\pi(\alpha^2(y) \otimes x_2) \otimes \alpha(x_3)} - x_1\pi(\alpha^2(y) \otimes x_2) \otimes \alpha(x_3) \\
 &\quad - \alpha(x_1) \otimes \alpha(y)_1\pi(\alpha(y)_2 \otimes \alpha(x_2)) - \alpha(x_1) \otimes x_2\pi(\alpha^2(y) \otimes x_3) \\
 &\quad = y_1 \otimes \alpha(y_3)\pi(\alpha^2(x) \otimes y_2) + \alpha(y_1) \otimes y_2\pi(\alpha^2(x) \otimes y_3) \\
 &\quad - x_1 \otimes \alpha(x_3)\pi(\alpha^2(y) \otimes x_2) - \alpha(x_1) \otimes x_2\pi(\alpha^2(y) \otimes x_3),
 \end{aligned}$$

therefore, $\Delta[x, y] = ad_{\alpha(x)}(\Delta(y)) - ad_{\alpha(y)}(\Delta(x))$. ■

According to the above proposition, we obtain the following theorem.

Theorem 3.5. *Let (Γ, Δ, α) be a Hom-Lie coalgebra. Assume that there exist two linearly independent elements $\mu, \nu \in \Gamma^*$ and element $t \in \Gamma$, such that for any $x \in \Gamma$,*

$$\begin{aligned}
 (id \otimes \mu) \circ \Delta(x) &= \mu(\alpha(x))\alpha(t), \\
 (id \otimes \nu) \circ \Delta(x) &= \nu(\alpha(x))\alpha(t).
 \end{aligned}$$

Set $\pi = \mu \otimes \nu - \nu \otimes \mu$ and assume that $\pi \circ \alpha^{\otimes 2} = \pi$. Define a Hom-Lie bracket $[-, -]$ as in Proposition 3.4. Then $(\Gamma, [-, -], \Delta, \alpha)$ is a Hom-Lie bialgebra.

Proof. Since for any $x, y \in \Gamma$,

$$\begin{aligned}
 [x, y] &= x_1\pi(x_2 \otimes \alpha(y)) + y_1\pi(\alpha(x) \otimes y_2) \\
 &= x_1\mu(x_2)\nu(\alpha(y)) - x_1\nu(x_2)\mu(\alpha(y)) \\
 &\quad + y_1\mu(\alpha(x))\nu(y_2) - y_1\nu(\alpha(x))\mu(y_2) \\
 &= 2\mu(\alpha(x))\alpha(t)\nu(\alpha(y)) - 2\nu(\alpha(x))\alpha(t)\mu(\alpha(y)) \\
 &= 2[\mu(x)\nu(y) - \nu(x)\mu(y)]\alpha(t) \\
 &= 2\pi(x \otimes y)\alpha(t),
 \end{aligned}$$

we have for any $x, y, z \in \Gamma$,

$$\begin{aligned}
 [\alpha(x), [y, z]] &= [\alpha(x), 2\pi(y \otimes z)\alpha(t)] \\
 &= 2\pi(y \otimes z)[\alpha(x), \alpha(t)] \\
 &= 4\pi(y \otimes z)\pi(x \otimes t)\alpha^2(t) \\
 &= 4[\mu(x)\nu(t)\mu(y)\nu(z) - \nu(x)\mu(t)\mu(y)\nu(z) \\
 &\quad - \mu(x)\nu(t)\nu(y)\mu(z) + \nu(x)\mu(t)\nu(y)\mu(z)]\alpha^2(t).
 \end{aligned}$$

In the same way,

$$\begin{aligned} [\alpha(y), [z, x]] &= 4(\mu(y)\nu(t)\mu(z)\nu(x) - \nu(y)\mu(t)\mu(z)\nu(x) \\ &\quad - \mu(y)\nu(t)\nu(z)\mu(x) + \nu(y)\mu(t)\nu(z)\mu(x))\alpha^2(t), \\ [\alpha(z), [x, y]] &= 4(\mu(z)\nu(t)\mu(x)\nu(y) - \nu(z)\mu(t)\mu(x)\nu(y) \\ &\quad - \mu(z)\nu(t)\nu(x)\mu(y) + \nu(z)\mu(t)\nu(x)\mu(y))\alpha^2(t) \end{aligned}$$

Thus $[\alpha(x), [y, z]] + [\alpha(y), [z, x]] + [\alpha(z), [x, y]] = 0$. According to Proposition 3.4, $(\Gamma, [-, -], \Delta, \alpha)$ is a Hom-Lie bialgebra. ■

Example 3.6. Assume that $\Gamma = \text{span}\{H, X, Y\}$ is a Lie coalgebra, and the Lie cobracket is given as follows

$$\Delta(H) = 0, \quad \Delta(X) = X \otimes H - H \otimes X, \quad \Delta(Y) = Y \otimes H - H \otimes Y.$$

We can get a Hom-Lie coalgebra $(\Gamma, \Delta_\alpha = \Delta \circ \alpha, \alpha)$ through a non-zero linear self-map $\alpha : \Gamma \rightarrow \Gamma$,

$$\alpha(H) = H, \quad \alpha(X) = aX, \quad \alpha(Y) = a^{-1}Y,$$

for some non-zero a in the field \mathcal{C} of complex numbers. And the structure map is given by

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_\alpha(H) &= \Delta \circ \alpha(H) = 0, \\ \Delta_\alpha(X) &= a(X \otimes H - H \otimes X) = \alpha^{\otimes 2} \circ \Delta(X), \\ \Delta_\alpha(Y) &= a^{-1}(Y \otimes H - H \otimes Y) = \alpha^{\otimes 2} \circ \Delta(Y). \end{aligned}$$

Assume that there are two linearly independent elements μ, ν in Γ^* satisfying

$$\mu(H) = \nu(H) = 0.$$

Set $\pi = \mu \otimes \nu - \nu \otimes \mu$, we obtain a Hom-Lie bialgebra $(\Gamma, [-, -], \Delta_\alpha, \alpha)$ where $[-, -]$ is defined as in Proposition 3.4.

In fact, $\pi \circ \alpha^{\otimes 2} = \pi$ since

$$\begin{aligned} \pi \circ \alpha^{\otimes 2}(H \otimes X) &= \pi(H \otimes aX) = 0 = \pi(H \otimes X), \\ \pi \circ \alpha^{\otimes 2}(H \otimes Y) &= \pi(H \otimes a^{-1}Y) = 0 = \pi(H \otimes Y), \\ \pi \circ \alpha^{\otimes 2}(X \otimes Y) &= \pi(aX \otimes a^{-1}Y) = \pi(X \otimes Y). \end{aligned}$$

Next, let $t = -H$, then for any $m \in \Gamma$, we have

$$(id \otimes \mu) \circ \Delta_\alpha(m) = \mu(\alpha(m))\alpha(t),$$

$$(id \otimes \nu) \circ \Delta_\alpha(m) = \nu(\alpha(m))\alpha(t).$$

As a matter of fact,

$$\begin{aligned} (id \otimes \mu) \circ \Delta_\alpha(H) &= 0, \\ (id \otimes \mu) \circ \Delta_\alpha(X) &= -aH\mu(X) = \mu(\alpha(X))\alpha(t), \\ (id \otimes \mu) \circ \Delta_\alpha(Y) &= (id \otimes \mu)(a^{-1}Y \otimes H - a^{-1}H \otimes Y) \\ &= -a^{-1}H\mu(Y) = \mu(\alpha(Y))\alpha(t). \end{aligned}$$

For ν , the computing is exactly analogous. Therefore $(\Gamma, [-, -], \Delta_\alpha, \alpha)$ is a Hom-Lie bialgebra by Theorem 3.5 whose Hom-Lie bracket is given by

$$[H, X] = 0, [H, Y] = 0$$

$$[X, Y] = 2(\mu(X)\nu(Y) - \nu(X)\mu(Y))\alpha(t) = 2pH,$$

where $p = \nu(X)\mu(Y) - \mu(X)\nu(Y)$.

Furthermore, we can construct a coboundary Hom-Lie bialgebra for the above Hom-Lie bialgebra.

Set $r = b(H \otimes X - X \otimes H) + c(H \otimes Y - Y \otimes H) + e(X \otimes Y - Y \otimes X)$. Then the following results can be obtained.

$$\begin{aligned} X \cdot r &= ad_X(r) = c\alpha(H) \otimes [X, Y] - c[X, Y] \otimes \alpha(H) \\ &\quad + e\alpha(X) \otimes [X, Y] - e[X, Y] \otimes \alpha(X) \\ &= cH \otimes 2pH - 2pcH \otimes H + eaX \otimes 2pH - 2peH \otimes aX \\ &= 2pae(X \otimes H - H \otimes X), \\ H \cdot r &= ad_H(r) = 0 = \Delta_\alpha(H). \end{aligned}$$

Meanwhile, $X \cdot r = \Delta_\alpha(X) = a(X \otimes H - H \otimes X)$. So $2pae = a$, that is to say $e = \frac{1}{2}p^{-1}$. Similarly, $Y \cdot r = \Delta_\alpha(Y)$ if and only if $e = \frac{1}{2}p^{-1}$. And the condition $\alpha^{\otimes 2}(r) = r$ is needed. That is $\alpha^{\otimes 2}(r) =$

$$\begin{aligned} &= b(H \otimes aX - aX \otimes H) + c(H \otimes a^{-1}Y - a^{-1}Y \otimes H) + e(X \otimes Y - Y \otimes X) \\ &= ba(H \otimes X - X \otimes H) + ca^{-1}(H \otimes Y - Y \otimes H) + e(X \otimes Y - Y \otimes X) \\ &= r. \end{aligned}$$

So $ba = b$ and $ca^{-1} = c$, thus $a = 1$ or $b = c = 0$. If $a = 1$, the constructed Hom-Lie bialgebra is an ordinary Lie bialgebra. If $a \neq 1$, then $b = c = 0$, i.e.

$$r = e(X \otimes Y - Y \otimes X) = \frac{1}{2}p^{-1}(X \otimes Y - Y \otimes X).$$

For $r = \frac{1}{2}p^{-1}(X \otimes Y - Y \otimes X)$, the classical Hom-Yang-Baxter equation

$$\begin{aligned} &[r^{12}, r^{13}] + [r^{12}, r^{23}] + [r^{13}, r^{23}] \\ &= \frac{1}{2}p^{-1}(H \otimes X \otimes Y - H \otimes Y \otimes X + Y \otimes H \otimes X \\ &\quad - X \otimes H \otimes Y + X \otimes Y \otimes H - Y \otimes X \otimes H) \\ &\neq 0. \end{aligned}$$

Thus, we construct a coboundary but not triangular Hom-Lie bialgebra $(\Gamma, [-, -], \Delta_\alpha, \alpha, r = \frac{1}{2}p^{-1}(X \otimes Y - Y \otimes X))$ at last.

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