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## ON GENERALIZED SIEGEL DOMAINS

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**Introduction.** In [3], Kaup, Matsushima and Ochiai defined the notion of "generalized Siegel domain with exponent  $c$ ", which is a natural generalization of the notion of Siegel domain of the first or second kind.

In this paper we consider exclusively a generalized Siegel domain  $\mathcal{D}$  in  $\mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m$  with exponent  $1/2$ . Let  $\text{Aut}(\mathcal{D})$  denote the group of all holomorphic transformations of  $\mathcal{D}$ . It is well-known that the group  $\text{Aut}(\mathcal{D})$  has the structure of real Lie group and the Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}$  of  $\text{Aut}(\mathcal{D})$  is canonically identified with the real Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{D})$  consisting of all complete holomorphic vector fields on  $\mathcal{D}$ . Furthermore it is known that the Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{D})$  has the following graded structure [3]:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{D}) &= \mathfrak{g}_{-1} + \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} + \mathfrak{g}_0 + \mathfrak{g}_{1/2} + \mathfrak{g}_1, \\ [\mathfrak{g}_\lambda, \mathfrak{g}_\mu] &\subset \mathfrak{g}_{\lambda+\mu}, \text{ and } \dim_{\mathbf{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = 2k \end{aligned}$$

for some  $k$ ,  $0 \leq k \leq m$ .

In section 2 we shall prove the following Theorem.

**Theorem 1.** *Let  $\mathcal{D}$  be a generalized Siegel domain in  $\mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m$  with exponent  $1/2$  and  $\dim_{\mathbf{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = 2k$ ,  $0 \leq k \leq m$ . Let  $\text{Aut}_0(\mathcal{D})$  denote the identity component of  $\text{Aut}(\mathcal{D})$ . Then there exists a generalized Siegel domain  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}$  in  $\mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m$  with exponent  $1/2$  which is holomorphically equivalent to  $\mathcal{D}$  and such that, by choosing a suitable coordinates system  $(z, w_1, \dots, w_m)$  in  $\mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m$ ,*

(1) *the orbit  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0$  of  $\text{Aut}_0(\tilde{\mathcal{D}})$  containing the point  $(\sqrt{-1}, 0, \dots, 0) \in \tilde{\mathcal{D}}$  is the elementary Siegel domain*

$$\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0 = \{(z, w_1, \dots, w_k, 0, \dots, 0) \in \mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m \mid \text{Im. } z - \sum_{\alpha=1}^k |w_\alpha|^2 > 0\}$$

and

(2) *if we put*

$$\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_{\sqrt{-1}} = \{(w_{k+1}, \dots, w_m) \in \mathbf{C}^{m-k} \mid (\sqrt{-1}, 0, \dots, 0, w_{k+1}, \dots, w_m) \in \tilde{\mathcal{D}}\},$$

*then  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_{\sqrt{-1}}$  is a circular domain in  $\mathbf{C}^{m-k}$  containing the origin  $0$  of  $\mathbf{C}^{m-k}$ . Moreover the domain  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}$  can be expressed by  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0$  and  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_{\sqrt{-1}}$  as follows:*

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$$\tilde{\mathcal{D}} = \left\{ (z, w_1, \dots, w_m) \in \mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m \mid (z, w_1, \dots, w_k, 0, \dots, 0) \in \tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0, \right. \\ \left. \left( \frac{w_{k+1}}{(\operatorname{Im} z - \sum_{\alpha=1}^k |w_\alpha|^2)^{1/2}}, \dots, \frac{w_m}{(\operatorname{Im} z - \sum_{\alpha=1}^k |w_\alpha|^2)^{1/2}} \right) \in \tilde{\mathcal{D}}_{\sqrt{-1}} \right\}.$$

As a corollary of Theorem 1, we shall show that if the Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{D})$  is semi-simple, then  $\mathcal{D}$  is a Siegel domain of the second kind which is holomorphically equivalent to the elementary Siegel domain in  $\mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m$ .

In section 3 we shall consider the group  $\operatorname{Aut}(\mathcal{D})$  of all holomorphic transformations of a generalized Siegel domain  $\mathcal{D}$  in  $\mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m$  with exponent  $1/2$  and  $\dim_{\mathbf{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = 2k$ . By Theorem 1 we can regard  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}$  as a holomorphic fibre space over the elementary Siegel domain  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0$  with the projection  $\pi: \tilde{\mathcal{D}} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0$  given by  $\pi(z, w_1, \dots, w_m) = (z, w_1, \dots, w_k, 0, \dots, 0)$  and the fibre  $\pi^{-1}((\sqrt{-1}, 0, \dots, 0))$  is the circular domain  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_{\sqrt{-1}}$ . In Theorem 2 we shall prove that  $\operatorname{Aut}_0(\tilde{\mathcal{D}})$  is the direct product of  $\operatorname{Aut}_0(\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0)$  and the identity component of the isotropy subgroup of  $\operatorname{Aut}_0(\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_{\sqrt{-1}})$  at the origin  $0$  of  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_{\sqrt{-1}}$ .

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## 1. Preliminaries

Throughout this paper we use the following notations. Let  $\mathbf{R}$  (resp.  $\mathbf{C}$ ) denote the field of real numbers (resp. complex numbers) as usual. Let  ${}^t A$  (resp.  $\mathbf{1}_l$ ,  $\mathbf{0}_{s,t}$ ) denote the transpose of a matrix  $A$  (resp. the unit matrix of degree  $l$ ,  $s \times t$  zero matrix) and  $A^{-1}$  the inverse matrix of  $A$  if  $A$  is non-singular.

In this section we recall the definitions and the known results on generalized Siegel domains. We fix a coordinates system  $(z_1, \dots, z_n, w_1, \dots, w_m)$  in  $\mathbf{C}^n \times \mathbf{C}^m$  once and for all.

A domain  $\mathcal{D}$  in  $\mathbf{C}^n \times \mathbf{C}^m$  is called a *generalized Siegel domain with exponent  $c$*  if the following conditions are satisfied:

- (1)  $\mathcal{D}$  is holomorphically equivalent to a bounded domain in  $\mathbf{C}^{n+m}$  and  $\mathcal{D}$  contains a point of the form  $(z, 0)$  where  $z \in \mathbf{C}^n$  and  $0$  denotes the origin of  $\mathbf{C}^m$ .
- (2)  $\mathcal{D}$  is invariant by the transformations of  $\mathbf{C}^{n+m}$  of the following types:
  - (a)  $(z, w) \mapsto (z+a, w)$  for all  $a \in \mathbf{R}^n$ ;
  - (b)  $(z, w) \mapsto (z, e^{\sqrt{-1}t}w)$  for all  $t \in \mathbf{R}$ ;
  - (c)  $(z, w) \mapsto (e^t z, e^c w)$  for all  $t \in \mathbf{R}$ ,

where  $c$  is a fixed real number depending only on  $\mathcal{D}$ . We call  $c$  the *exponent* of  $\mathcal{D}$ .

We denote by  $\Omega$  an open convex cone in  $\mathbf{R}^n$  not containing any full straight line. For a given convex cone  $\Omega$  in  $\mathbf{R}^n$ , a mapping  $F: \mathbf{C}^m \times \mathbf{C}^m \rightarrow \mathbf{C}^n$  is called an  *$\Omega$ -hermitian form* if

- (1)  $F$  is complex linear with respect to the first variable;
- (2)  $F(u, v) = \overline{F(v, u)}$  for any  $u, v \in \mathbf{C}^m$ ;
- (3)  $F(u, u) \in \overline{\Omega}$  for any  $u \in \mathbf{C}^m$  and  $F(u, u) = 0$  only if  $u = 0$ , where  $\overline{\Omega}$  denotes the closure of  $\Omega$  in  $\mathbf{R}^n$ .

For a given convex cone  $\Omega$  in  $\mathbf{R}^n$  and an  $\Omega$ -hermitian form  $F: \mathbf{C}^m \times \mathbf{C}^m \rightarrow \mathbf{C}^n$ , the domain

$$\mathcal{D}(\Omega, F) = \{ (z, w) \in \mathbf{C}^n \times \mathbf{C}^m \mid \text{Im. } z - F(w, w) \in \Omega \}$$

in  $\mathbf{C}^n \times \mathbf{C}^m$  is called the *Siegel domain of the second kind associated with  $\Omega$  and  $F$* . If  $m=0$ , the domain  $\mathcal{D}(\Omega, F)$  reduces to the domain

$$\mathcal{D}(\Omega) = \{ z \in \mathbf{C}^n \mid \text{Im. } z \in \Omega \}$$

which we call the *Siegel domain of the first kind associated with  $\Omega$* . It is easy to see that if we put  $c=1/2$  then the domain  $\mathcal{D}(\Omega, F)$  satisfies the condition (2) of the definition of generalized Siegel domain. Moreover it is known that  $\mathcal{D}(\Omega, F)$  is holomorphically equivalent to a bounded domain in  $\mathbf{C}^{n+m}$  [7]. Obviously every point of the form  $(\sqrt{-1}a, 0)$ ,  $a \in \Omega$ , is contained in  $\mathcal{D}(\Omega, F)$  and hence the domain  $\mathcal{D}(\Omega, F)$  is a generalized Siegel domain with exponent  $1/2$ . From this fact, the notion of generalized Siegel domain may be considered as a generalization of the notion of Siegel domain of the second kind. In the following we regard  $\mathcal{D}(\Omega)$  as the special case of the second kind and by a Siegel domain we mean a Siegel domain of the first or second kind.

Let  $\mathcal{D}$  be a generalized Siegel domain in  $\mathbf{C}^n \times \mathbf{C}^m$  with exponent  $c$ . Since  $\mathcal{D}$  is holomorphically equivalent to a bounded domain in  $\mathbf{C}^{n+m}$ , by a well-known theorem of H. Cartan the group  $\text{Aut}(\mathcal{D})$  has the structure of real Lie group and the Lie algebra of  $\text{Aut}(\mathcal{D})$  is identified with the Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{D})$  consisting of all complete holomorphic vector fields on  $\mathcal{D}$  [2].

From the definition, the following holomorphic vector fields on  $\mathcal{D}$  is contained in  $\mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{D})$ :

- (a)  $\frac{\partial}{\partial z_k}$  for  $k = 1, 2, \dots, n$
- (b)  $\partial' = \sqrt{-1} \sum_{\alpha=1}^m w_\alpha \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\alpha}$
- (c)  $\partial = \sum_{k=1}^n z_k \frac{\partial}{\partial z_k} + c \sum_{\alpha=1}^m w_\alpha \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\alpha}$ .

By Kaup, Matsushima and Ochiai [3], every vector field  $X \in \mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{D})$  is a polynomial vector field, and so we can express  $X$  in the following form:

$$X = \sum_{k=1}^n \left( \sum_{\nu, \mu \geq 0} P_{\nu\mu}^k \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial z_k} + \sum_{\alpha=1}^m \left( \sum_{\nu, \mu \geq 0} Q_{\nu\mu}^\alpha \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\alpha}$$

where  $P_{\nu\mu}^k$  and  $Q_{\nu\mu}^\alpha$  are homogeneous polynomials of degrees  $\nu$  in  $z_l (1 \leq l \leq n)$  and  $\mu$  in  $w_\beta (1 \leq \beta \leq m)$ . If  $\mathcal{D}$  is a generalized Siegel domain with exponent  $c=1/2$ , we have the following theorem on the Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{D})$ .

**Theorem A** (Kaup, Matsushima and Ochiai [3]).

Let  $\mathcal{D}$  be a generalized Siegel domain in  $\mathbf{C}^n \times \mathbf{C}^m$  with exponent  $1/2$ . Then we have

$$(1) \quad \mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{D}) = \mathfrak{g}_{-1} + \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} + \mathfrak{g}_0 + \mathfrak{g}_{1/2} + \mathfrak{g}_1, \\ [\mathfrak{g}_\lambda, \mathfrak{g}_\mu] \subset \mathfrak{g}_{\lambda+\mu}, \text{ where } \mathfrak{g}_\lambda = \{X \in \mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{D}) \mid [\partial, X] = \lambda X\}.$$

More precisely we can describe each subspace  $\mathfrak{g}_\lambda$  as follows:

$$\mathfrak{g}_{-1} = \left\{ \sum_{k=1}^n a^k \frac{\partial}{\partial z_k} \mid a = (a^k) \in \mathbf{R}^n \right\} \\ \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = \left\{ \sum_{k=1}^n P_{0,1}^k \frac{\partial}{\partial z_k} + \sum_{\alpha=1}^m Q_{0,0}^\alpha \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\alpha} \in \mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{D}) \right\} \\ \mathfrak{g}_0 = \left\{ \sum_{k=1}^n P_{1,0}^k \frac{\partial}{\partial z_k} + \sum_{\alpha=1}^m Q_{0,1}^\alpha \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\alpha} \in \mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{D}) \right\} \\ \mathfrak{g}_{1/2} = \left\{ \sum_{k=1}^n P_{1,1}^k \frac{\partial}{\partial z_k} + \sum_{\alpha=1}^m (Q_{1,0}^\alpha + Q_{0,2}^\alpha) \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\alpha} \in \mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{D}) \right\} \\ \mathfrak{g}_1 = \left\{ \sum_{k=1}^n P_{2,0}^k \frac{\partial}{\partial z_k} + \sum_{\alpha=1}^m Q_{1,1}^\alpha \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\alpha} \in \mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{D}) \right\}$$

(2) Let  $\mathfrak{r}$  be the radical of  $\mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{D})$ . Then

$$\mathfrak{r} = \mathfrak{r}_{-1} + \mathfrak{r}_{-1/2} + \mathfrak{r}_0, \text{ where } \mathfrak{r}_\lambda = \mathfrak{r} \cap \mathfrak{g}_\lambda.$$

- (3) (i)  $\dim_{\mathbf{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1} = n, \dim_{\mathbf{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} \leq 2m,$   
 (ii)  $\dim_{\mathbf{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{1/2} = \dim_{\mathbf{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} - \dim_{\mathbf{R}} \mathfrak{r}_{-1/2},$   
 $\dim_{\mathbf{R}} \mathfrak{g}_1 = n - \dim_{\mathbf{R}} \mathfrak{r}_{-1}.$

(4) Let  $\mathfrak{a} = \mathfrak{g}_{-1} + \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} + \mathfrak{g}_0$ . Then  $\mathfrak{a}$  is the subalgebra of  $\mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{D})$  corresponding to the subgroup  $\text{Aff}(\mathcal{D})$  of  $\text{Aut}(\mathcal{D})$  consisting of all complex affine transformations of  $\mathbf{C}^{n+m}$  leaving invariant the domain  $\mathcal{D}$ .

(5)  $\mathfrak{g}_{-1} + \mathfrak{g}_0 + \mathfrak{g}_1$  is the subalgebra corresponding to the subgroup  $\{g \in \text{Aut}(\mathcal{D}) \mid g \text{ leaves invariant the complex submanifold } \mathcal{D}_1 \subset \mathcal{D}\}$ , where  $\mathcal{D}_1 = \{(z, w) \in \mathcal{D} \mid w = 0\}$  is equivalent to a Siegel domain of the first kind in  $\mathbf{C}^n$ .

By Theorem A, we can write  $X \in \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2}$  in the form

$$X = \sum_{k=1}^n P_{0,1}^k(X) \frac{\partial}{\partial z_k} + \sum_{\alpha=1}^m c^\alpha(X) \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\alpha}$$

where  $P_{0,1}^k(X)$  denotes a homogeneous polynomial of degree one in  $w_\alpha (1 \leq \alpha \leq m)$

depending on  $X$  and  $c^\alpha(X)$  is a constant depending on  $X$ . Then by a simple computation, we get

$$(1.1) \quad ad\partial' \cdot X = \sqrt{-1} \sum_{k=1}^n P_{0,1}^k(X) \frac{\partial}{\partial z_k} - \sqrt{-1} \sum_{\alpha=1}^m c^\alpha(X) \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\alpha}.$$

Hence the endomorphism  $ad\partial'$  defines a complex structure on  $\mathfrak{g}_{-1/2}$ . From this fact and (3) of Theorem A, we obtain the following corollary:

**Corollary.**  $dim_{\mathbf{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = 2k$  for some  $k, 0 \leq k \leq m$ .

Since the group  $\text{Aff}(\mathbf{C}^{n+m})$  of all complex affine transformations of  $\mathbf{C}^{n+m}$  is represented as a semi-direct product  $GL(n+m, \mathbf{C}) \cdot \mathbf{C}^{n+m}$ , we can write each element  $g \in \text{Aff}(\mathbf{C}^{n+m})$  in the form  $g = (A, a)$ , where  $A \in GL(n+m, \mathbf{C})$  and  $a \in \mathbf{C}^{n+m}$ . Obviously the mapping which carries  $g = (A, a)$  to the matrix  $\begin{pmatrix} A & a \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \in GL(n+m+1, \mathbf{C})$  is a faithful representation of  $\text{Aff}(\mathbf{C}^{n+m})$ . Since  $\text{Aff}(\mathcal{D})$  is a closed subgroup of  $\text{Aff}(\mathbf{C}^{n+m})$ , we can identify  $\text{Aff}(\mathcal{D})$  with the closed subgroup of  $GL(n+m+1, \mathbf{C})$ , and so the Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{a}$  is identified with the subalgebra of  $\mathfrak{gl}(n+m+1, \mathbf{C})$ .

Let  $M$  be a hyperbolic manifold in the sense of Kobayashi [4]. It is known that the group  $\text{Aut}(M)$  of all holomorphic transformations of  $M$  is a Lie group and its isotropy subgroup  $K_p$  at a point  $p$  of  $M$  is compact [4]. We may identify the Lie algebra of  $\text{Aut}(M)$  with the Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}(M)$  consisting of all complete holomorphic vector fields on  $M$ . A hyperbolic manifold  $M$  is called a *hyperbolic circular domain in  $\mathbf{C}^d$*  if the following conditions are satisfied:

- (1)  $M$  is a domain in  $\mathbf{C}^d$ ;
- (2)  $M$  is circular, that is,  $M$  is invariant by the following global one-parameter subgroup of transformations:

$$l_t: (w_1, \dots, w_d) \mapsto (e^{\sqrt{-1}t}w_1, \dots, e^{\sqrt{-1}t}w_d), \quad t \in \mathbf{R}$$

where  $(w_1, \dots, w_d)$  denotes a coordinates system in  $\mathbf{C}^d$ . Let  $M$  be a hyperbolic circular domain in  $\mathbf{C}^d$  containing the origin  $0$  of  $\mathbf{C}^d$ . Since the one-parameter subgroup  $\{l_t | t \in \mathbf{R}\}$  induces an element  $\partial = \sqrt{-1} \sum_{\alpha=1}^d w_\alpha \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\alpha}$  of  $\mathfrak{g}(M)$ , we can show that every vector field  $X \in \mathfrak{g}(M)$  is expressed in the form

$$X = \sum_{\alpha=1}^d \left( \sum_{\nu \geq 0} P_\nu^\alpha \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\alpha}$$

where  $P_\nu^\alpha$  is a homogeneous polynomial of degree  $\nu$  in  $w_\beta$  ( $1 \leq \beta \leq d$ ), by the same way as in [3]. More precisely we can show the following Theorem B (cf. [8]):

**Theorem B.** *Let  $M$  be a hyperbolic circular domain in  $\mathbf{C}^d$  containing the origin  $0$  of  $\mathbf{C}^d$ . For the vector field  $\partial = \sqrt{-1} \sum_{\alpha=1}^d w_\alpha \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\alpha} \in \mathfrak{g}(M)$ , we define an endomorphism  $J$  of  $\mathfrak{g}(M)$  by  $J(X) = [\partial, X]$  for  $X \in \mathfrak{g}(M)$ . Let  $\mathfrak{k}(M)$  denote the Lie subalgebra of  $\mathfrak{g}(M)$  corresponding to the isotropy subgroup  $K$  of  $\text{Aut}(M)$  at the origin  $0 \in M$ . Then we have*

$$(1) \quad \mathfrak{k}(M) = \left\{ \sum_{\alpha=1}^d P_1^\alpha \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\alpha} \mid \sum_{\alpha=1}^d P_1^\alpha \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\alpha} \in \mathfrak{g}(M) \right\},$$

which is equal to the kernel of  $J$ ; and

(2) if we put  $\mathfrak{p}(M) = \{X \in \mathfrak{g}(M) \mid J^2(X) = -X\}$ , then  $\mathfrak{g}(M) = \mathfrak{k}(M) + \mathfrak{p}(M)$  (direct sum).

Proof. The same way as in Lemma 3.1 of [3].

**2. The case of a generalized Siegel domain in  $\mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m$  with exponent  $1/2$ .**

In the following part of the paper, we consider exclusively the generalized Siegel domain  $\mathcal{D}$  in  $\mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m$  with  $c=1/2$  and  $\dim_{\mathbf{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = 2k$  for some  $k, 0 \leq k \leq m$ .

We may assume without loss of generality (by change of linear coordinates if necessary) that  $(\sqrt{-1}, 0) \in \mathcal{D}$ .

**Lemma 1.** *If  $(z, w) \in \mathcal{D}$ , then  $\text{Im}.z > 0$ .*

Proof. Suppose that there exists a point  $(z_0, w_0) \in \mathcal{D}$  such that  $\text{Im}.z_0 \leq 0$ . Since  $\mathcal{D}$  is a domain in  $\mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m$  and  $(\sqrt{-1}, 0) \in \mathcal{D}$ , there exists a continuous path  $\phi: [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$  such that  $\phi(0) = (z_0, w_0)$  and  $\phi(1) = (\sqrt{-1}, 0)$ . Put  $\phi(t) = (z(t), w(t))$  for  $t \in [0, 1]$ . Then there exists a point  $t_0 \in [0, 1]$  such that  $\text{Im}.z(t_0) = 0$  by our assumption. Obviously this shows that the point  $(0, w(t_0))$  belongs to  $\mathcal{D}$ . Hence we see that  $\mathcal{D}$  contains a point of the form  $(0, w_1), w_1 \neq 0$ , since  $\mathcal{D}$  is open. Then, by definition,  $\mathcal{D}$  also contains the set  $\{(0, e^{1/2t} e^{\sqrt{-1}\theta w_1}) \mid t, \theta \in \mathbf{R}\}$ , which is naturally identified with  $\mathbf{C} - \{0\}$ . Thus there exists an injective holomorphic mapping  $\Psi: \mathbf{C} - \{0\} \rightarrow$  a bounded subset of  $\mathbf{C}^{m+1}$ , because  $\mathcal{D}$  is equivalent to a bounded domain in  $\mathbf{C}^{m+1}$ . Let  $\Psi(z) = (f_1(z), \dots, f_{m+1}(z))$ . Then each  $f_i$  is a bounded holomorphic function defined on  $\mathbf{C} - \{0\}$ . Hence, by the Riemann's extension theorem,  $f_i$  extends to a bounded holomorphic function on  $\mathbf{C}$  and so it is constant. In particular  $\Psi$  is a constant mapping. Obviously this is a contradiction. q.e.d.

In order to prove Theorem 1 we shall consider first the case where  $\dim_{\mathbf{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = 2k > 0$ , i.e.,  $k \geq 1$ , in the following.

By Theorem A, we can write each vector field  $X \in \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2}$  as follows:

$$X = \left( \sum_{\alpha=1}^m b_{\alpha}(X)w_{\alpha} \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial z} + \sum_{\beta=1}^m c^{\beta}(X) \frac{\partial}{\partial w_{\beta}},$$

where  $b_{\alpha}(X)$  and  $c^{\beta}(X)$  are complex numbers depending on  $X$ . We define a linear mapping  $C: \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} \rightarrow \mathbf{C}^m$  by  $C(X) = (c^1(X), \dots, c^m(X))$ . Then we have

$$(2.1) \quad C: \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} \rightarrow \mathbf{C}^m \text{ is injective.}$$

In fact, if  $C(X) = 0$ , then it follows from (1.1) that  $\sqrt{-1}X \in \mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{D})$ . By a theorem of E. Cartan [1], we have that  $\mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{D}) \cap \sqrt{-1}\mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{D}) = 0$  and hence  $X = 0$ .

Since  $\dim_{\mathbf{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = 2k$  by our assumption, the image  $V = \{C(X) | X \in \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2}\}$  of  $C$  is a complex  $k$ -dimensional vector subspace of  $\mathbf{C}^m$  by (1.1) and (2.1). Fix a non-singular linear mapping  $\mathcal{L}^1: \mathbf{C}^m \rightarrow \mathbf{C}^m$  such that

$$\mathcal{L}^1(V) = \{(d_1, \dots, d_k, 0, \dots, 0) \in \mathbf{C}^m \mid d = (d_i) \in \mathbf{C}^k\}.$$

**Lemma 2.** *There exists a non-singular linear mapping  $\mathcal{L}^2: \mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m \rightarrow \mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m$  of the form  $\tilde{z} = z, \tilde{w}_{\alpha} = \sum_{\beta=1}^m A_{\alpha\beta} w_{\beta}$  ( $1 \leq \alpha \leq m$ ) such that*

$$\mathcal{L}_{*}^2 \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = \left\{ \sum_{\alpha=1}^m a_{\alpha}(X) \tilde{w}_{\alpha} \frac{\partial}{\partial \tilde{z}} + \sum_{\beta=1}^k d^{\beta}(X) \frac{\partial}{\partial \tilde{w}_{\beta}} \mid (d^{\beta}(X)) \in \mathbf{C}^k \right\}$$

where  $\mathcal{L}_{*}^2$  denotes the differential of  $\mathcal{L}^2$ .

**Proof.** Let  $C: \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} \rightarrow \mathbf{C}^m$  and  $\mathcal{L}^1: \mathbf{C}^m \rightarrow \mathbf{C}^m$  be the same mappings as before. Then, for

$$X = \left( \sum_{\alpha=1}^m b_{\alpha}(X)w_{\alpha} \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial z} + \sum_{\beta=1}^m c^{\beta}(X) \frac{\partial}{\partial w_{\beta}} \in \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2},$$

we have  $\mathcal{L}^1(C(X)) = (d^1(X), \dots, d^k(X), 0, \dots, 0)$  for some  $d^{\beta}(X) \in \mathbf{C}$  ( $1 \leq \beta \leq k$ ). Let  $(1 \oplus \mathcal{L}^1)(z, w) = (z, \mathcal{L}^1(w))$ . If we put  $\mathcal{L}^2 = 1 \oplus \mathcal{L}^1$ , then  $\mathcal{L}^2$  satisfies our claim. q.e.d.

Let  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}$  be the image of  $\mathcal{D}$  under the mapping  $\mathcal{L}^2$  given in Lemma 2. Then it is easy to see that  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}$  is also a generalized Siegel domain in  $\mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m$  with exponent  $1/2$  and the Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}})$  coincides with  $\mathcal{L}_{*}^2 \mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{D})$ . Put  $\tilde{\partial} = \tilde{z} \frac{\partial}{\partial \tilde{z}} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\alpha=1}^m \tilde{w}_{\alpha} \frac{\partial}{\partial \tilde{w}_{\alpha}}$ . Then  $\mathcal{L}_{*}^2 \partial = \tilde{\partial}$ . Thus it follows from Theorem A that  $\mathcal{L}_{*}^2 \mathfrak{g}_{\lambda} = \tilde{\mathfrak{g}}_{\lambda}$ , where  $\tilde{\mathfrak{g}}_{\lambda} = \{\tilde{X} \in \mathfrak{g}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}}) \mid [\tilde{\partial}, \tilde{X}] = \lambda \tilde{X}\}$ . In particular we have

$$\tilde{\mathfrak{g}}_{-1/2} = \left\{ \left( \sum_{\alpha=1}^m a_{\alpha} \tilde{w}_{\alpha} \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial \tilde{z}} + \sum_{\beta=1}^k d^{\beta} \frac{\partial}{\partial \tilde{w}_{\beta}} \mid d = (d^{\beta}) \in \mathbf{C}^k \right\}$$

by Lemma 2, where each  $a_{\alpha}$  is uniquely determined by  $d = (d^{\beta})$ . Hence we may assume that

$$\mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = \left\{ \left( \sum_{\alpha=1}^m a_{\alpha} w_{\alpha} \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial z} + \sum_{\beta=1}^k d^{\beta} \frac{\partial}{\partial w_{\beta}} \mid d = (d^{\beta}) \in \mathbf{C}^k \right\}$$



to prove Theorem 1, considering  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}$  instead of  $\mathcal{D}$  if necessary. Then by using (1.1) and (2.1), we can show that each vector field  $X \in \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2}$  is of the following form:

$$X = \left( \sum_{\alpha=1}^m \sum_{\beta=1}^k a_{\alpha\beta} \overline{c^\beta(X)} w_\alpha \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial z} + \sum_{\beta=1}^k c^\beta(X) \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\beta}$$

where  $c^\beta(X)$  is a complex number depending on  $X$  and  $a_{\alpha\beta}$  is a complex number depending only on  $\mathfrak{g}_{-1/2}$  and hence  $\mathcal{D}$  (cf. Vey [9], Lemme 5.1). Thus we get

$$(2.2) \quad \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = \left\{ \left( \sum_{\alpha=1}^m \sum_{\beta=1}^k a_{\alpha\beta} \overline{c^\beta(X)} w_\alpha \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial z} + \sum_{\beta=1}^k c^\beta(X) \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\beta} \mid (c^\beta) \in \mathcal{C}^k \right\}.$$

**Lemma 3.** *The matrix  $(a_{\alpha\beta})_{1 \leq \alpha, \beta \leq k}$  in (2.2) is non-singular skew-hermitian.*

Proof. Let  $X = \left( \sum_{\alpha=1}^m \sum_{\beta=1}^k a_{\alpha\beta} \overline{c^\beta(X)} w_\alpha \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial z} + \sum_{\beta=1}^k c^\beta(X) \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\beta} \in \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2}$ .

Then, by (1.1) we get

$$[\partial', X] = \sqrt{-1} \left( \sum_{\alpha=1}^m \sum_{\beta=1}^k a_{\alpha\beta} \overline{c^\beta(X)} w_\alpha \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial z} - \sqrt{-1} \sum_{\beta=1}^k c^\beta(X) \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\beta}.$$

Put  $Y = [\partial', X]$ . By a direct calculation we get

$$[X, Y] = 2\sqrt{-1} \left( \sum_{\alpha, \beta=1}^k a_{\alpha\beta} c^\alpha(X) \overline{c^\beta(X)} \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial z}.$$

Since  $[X, Y] \in \mathfrak{g}_{-1}$ , we see that the number  $\sum_{\alpha, \beta=1}^k a_{\alpha\beta} c^\alpha(X) \overline{c^\beta(X)}$  is pure imaginary by (1) of Theorem A. Hence  $\sum_{\alpha, \beta=1}^k (a_{\alpha\beta} + \overline{a_{\beta\alpha}}) c^\alpha(X) \overline{c^\beta(X)} = 0$ . On the other hand, since the set  $\{C(X) = (c^\beta(X)) \mid X \in \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2}\}$  is a complex  $k$ -dimensional vector subspace of  $\mathcal{C}^m$ , we get  $a_{\alpha\beta} + \overline{a_{\beta\alpha}} = 0$  for  $1 \leq \alpha, \beta \leq k$ .

We need some preparations to prove that  $(a_{\alpha\beta})_{1 \leq \alpha, \beta \leq k}$  is non-singular. We identify the Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{a} = \mathfrak{g}_{-1} + \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} + \mathfrak{g}_0$  with the subalgebra of  $\mathfrak{gl}(m+2, \mathcal{C})$  as in §1. Thus we can represent the vector field  $X \in \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2}$  by the following matrix:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & \sum_{\beta=1}^k a_{1\beta} \overline{c^\beta(X)}, \dots, \sum_{\beta=1}^k a_{m\beta} \overline{c^\beta(X)}, & 0 \\ 0 & & & c^1(X) \\ \vdots & & & \vdots \\ \vdots & & \mathbf{0}_{m,m} & c^k(X) \\ \vdots & & & 0 \\ \vdots & & & \vdots \\ 0 & 0, \dots, & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Therefore the global one-parameter subgroup  $\text{expt}X$  generated by  $X$  is given by

$$\left( \begin{array}{c|cc} 1 & t \sum_{\beta=1}^k a_{1\beta} \overline{c^\beta(X)}, \dots, t \sum_{\beta=1}^k a_{m\beta} \overline{c^\beta(X)} & \frac{t^2}{2} \sum_{\alpha, \beta=1}^k a_{\alpha\beta} c^\alpha(X) \overline{c^\beta(X)} \\ \hline 0 & & tc^1(X) \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ \vdots & \mathbf{1}_m & \vdots \\ \vdots & & tc^k(X) \\ \vdots & & 0 \\ \vdots & & 0 \\ \hline 0 & 0, \dots, 0 & 1 \end{array} \right).$$

Thus the action of  $\text{expt}X$  on  $\mathcal{D}$  is given by

$$(2.3) \quad \begin{cases} z \mapsto z + t \sum_{\alpha=1}^m \sum_{\beta=1}^k a_{\alpha\beta} \overline{c^\beta(X)} w_\alpha + \frac{t^2}{2} \sum_{\alpha, \beta=1}^k a_{\alpha\beta} c^\alpha(X) \overline{c^\beta(X)} \\ w_\alpha \mapsto w_\alpha + tc^\alpha(X), & 1 \leq \alpha \leq k \\ w_\beta \mapsto w_\beta & , k+1 \leq \beta \leq m. \end{cases}$$

Now we can prove that  $(a_{\alpha\beta})_{1 \leq \alpha, \beta \leq k}$  is non-singular. Since  $(a_{\alpha\beta})_{1 \leq \alpha, \beta \leq k}$  is skew-hermitian, it is enough to show that

$$(2.4) \quad \sum_{\alpha, \beta=1}^k a_{\alpha\beta} c^\alpha \overline{c^\beta} \neq 0 \text{ for any nonzero vector } c = (c^\alpha) \in \mathbf{C}^k.$$

Suppose that there exists a nonzero vector  $c_0 = (c_0^1, \dots, c_0^k)$  such that  $\sum_{\alpha, \beta=1}^k a_{\alpha\beta} c_0^\alpha \overline{c_0^\beta} = 0$ . Then the vector field

$$X_{c_0} = \left( \sum_{\alpha=1}^m \sum_{\beta=1}^k a_{\alpha\beta} \overline{c_0^\beta} w_\alpha \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial z} + \sum_{\beta=1}^k c_0^\beta \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\beta}$$

belonging to  $\mathfrak{g}_{-1/2}$  generates the global one-parameter subgroup  $\text{expt}X_{c_0}$  which acts on  $\mathcal{D}$  by

$$\begin{cases} z \mapsto z + t \sum_{\alpha=1}^m \sum_{\beta=1}^k a_{\alpha\beta} \overline{c_0^\beta} w_\alpha \\ w_\alpha \mapsto w_\alpha + tc_0^\alpha, & 1 \leq \alpha \leq k \\ w_\beta \mapsto w_\beta & , k+1 \leq \beta \leq m. \end{cases}$$

Thus  $\text{expt}X_{c_0} \cdot (\sqrt{-1}, 0) = (\sqrt{-1}, tc_0^1, \dots, tc_0^k, 0, \dots, 0)$ . Hence  $\mathcal{D}$  must contain the set  $\{(\sqrt{-1}, e^{\sqrt{-1}\theta} tc_0^1, \dots, e^{\sqrt{-1}\theta} tc_0^k, 0, \dots, 0) \mid t, \theta \in \mathbf{R}\}$ , which is identified with the complex plane  $\mathbf{C}$  since  $c_0 \neq 0$  by our assumption. But this is a contradiction, because  $\mathcal{D}$  is holomorphically equivalent to a bounded domain in  $\mathbf{C}^{m+1}$ .  $\text{q.e.d.}$

**Lemma 4.** *There exists a non-singular linear mapping  $\mathcal{L}^3: \mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m \rightarrow \mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m$  of the form*

$$(*) \quad \mathfrak{z} = z, \tilde{w}_\alpha = \sum_{\beta=1}^m B_{\alpha\beta} w_\beta (1 \leq \alpha \leq m), \text{ such that}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_*^3 \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = \left\{ \left( \sum_{\alpha, \beta=1}^k d_{\alpha\beta} c^\beta \bar{w}_\alpha \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{z}} + \sum_{\beta=1}^k c^\beta \frac{\partial}{\partial \tilde{w}_\beta} \mid c = (c^\beta) \in \mathbf{C}^k \right\}$$

where  $(d_{\alpha\beta})_{1 \leq \alpha, \beta \leq k}$  is a non-singular skew-hermitian matrix.

Proof. Let  $\mathcal{L}^3: \mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m \rightarrow \mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m$  be a non-singular linear mapping defined by (\*). Then, by a simple calculation, we have  $\mathcal{L}_*^3 \frac{\partial}{\partial z} = \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{z}}$  and  $\mathcal{L}_*^3 \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\alpha} = \sum_{\beta=1}^m B_{\beta\alpha} \frac{\partial}{\partial \tilde{w}_\beta} (1 \leq \alpha \leq m)$ . Put  $B = (B_{\alpha\beta})_{1 \leq \alpha, \beta \leq m}$ . Let  $E = (E_{\alpha\beta}) = B^{-1}$ . Take a vector field

$$X = \left( \sum_{\alpha=1}^m \sum_{\beta=1}^k a_{\alpha\beta} c^\beta \overline{(X)w_\alpha} \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial z} + \sum_{\beta=1}^k c^\beta (X) \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\beta}$$

belonging to  $\mathfrak{g}_{-1/2}$ . Then we have

$$\mathcal{L}_*^3 X = \left\{ \sum_{\lambda=1}^m \left( \sum_{\alpha=1}^m \sum_{\beta=1}^k a_{\alpha\beta} c^\beta \overline{(X)E_{\alpha\lambda}} \tilde{w}_\lambda \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{z}} + \sum_{\lambda=1}^m \left( \sum_{\beta=1}^k c^\beta (X) B_{\lambda\beta} \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial \tilde{w}_\lambda} \right\}.$$

Now we have to find out the matrix  $B$  which satisfies the following conditions:

$$(2.5) \quad \sum_{\alpha=1}^m \sum_{\beta=1}^k a_{\alpha\beta} c^\beta \overline{(X)E_{\alpha\lambda}} = 0 \quad \text{for all } \lambda, k+1 \leq \lambda \leq m;$$

$$(2.6) \quad \sum_{\beta=1}^k c^\beta (X) B_{\lambda\beta} = 0 \quad \text{for all } \lambda, k+1 \leq \lambda \leq m.$$

Since  $\{C(X) = (c^\beta(X)) \mid X \in \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2}\} = \mathbf{C}^k$ , the conditions are equivalent to the following

$$(2.5)' \quad \begin{pmatrix} a_{11}, & \dots, & a_{k1}, & \dots, & a_{m1} \\ \vdots & & \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{1k}, & \dots, & a_{kk}, & \dots, & a_{mk} \end{pmatrix} \cdot {}^t \begin{pmatrix} E_{1,k+1}, & \dots, & E_{m,k+1} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ E_{1m}, & \dots, & E_{mm} \end{pmatrix} = \mathbf{0}_{k,m-k}$$

$$(2.6)' \quad \begin{pmatrix} B_{k+1,1}, & \dots, & B_{k+1,k} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ B_{m,1}, & \dots, & B_{m,k} \end{pmatrix} = \mathbf{0}_{m-k,k}.$$

Put  $A_1 = (a_{ij})_{1 \leq i, j \leq k}$ ,  $A_2 = (a_{st})_{k+1 \leq s \leq m, 1 \leq t \leq k}$ ,  $E_1 = (E_{ij})_{1 \leq i \leq k, k+1 \leq j \leq m}$  and  $E_2 = (E_{st})_{k+1 \leq s, t \leq m}$ . Then, (2.5)' can be written as  ${}^t A_1 E_1 + {}^t A_2 E_2 = \mathbf{0}_{k,m-k}$ . Since the matrix  $A_1$  is non-singular by Lemma 3, we have

$$(2.5)'' \quad E_1 = -{}^t A_1^{-1} \cdot {}^t A_2 \cdot E_2.$$

Now we define a mapping  $\mathcal{L}^3: \mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m \rightarrow \mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m$  by

$$\mathcal{L}^3: \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{z} \\ \tilde{w}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \tilde{w}_m \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{1}_k & -{}^t A_1^{-1t} A_2 \\ \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{1}_{m-k} \end{pmatrix}^{-1} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} z \\ w_1 \\ \vdots \\ w_m \end{pmatrix}.$$

Then  $\mathcal{L}^3$  satisfies the conditions (2.5)'' and (2.6)' and hence we have proved Lemma 4. q.e.d.

Now by Lemma 4, we may assume to prove Theorem 1 that

$$(2.7) \quad \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = \left\{ \left( \sum_{\alpha, \beta=1}^k d_{\alpha\beta} \bar{c}^\beta w_\alpha \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial \tilde{z}} + \sum_{\beta=1}^k c^\beta \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\beta} \mid (c^\beta) \in \mathbf{C}^k \right\}.$$

**Lemma 5.** *There exists a non-singular linear mapping  $\mathcal{L}^4: \mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m \rightarrow \mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m$  of the form*

$$\tilde{z} = z, \tilde{w}_\alpha = \sum_{\lambda=1}^k c_{\alpha\lambda} w_\lambda \quad (1 \leq \alpha \leq k) \text{ and } \tilde{w}_\beta = w_\beta \quad (k+1 \leq \beta \leq m)$$

such that

$$\mathcal{L}_*^4 \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = \left\{ \left( \sum_{\alpha=1}^k d_\alpha \bar{c}^\alpha \tilde{w}_\alpha \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial \tilde{z}} + \sum_{\beta=1}^k c^\beta \frac{\partial}{\partial \tilde{w}_\beta} \mid (c^\beta) \in \mathbf{C}^k \right\}$$

where each  $d_\alpha$  is a nonzero purely imaginary number depending only on  $\mathcal{D}$ .

Proof. By Lemma 4, the matrix  $D = (d_{\alpha\beta})_{1 \leq \alpha, \beta \leq k}$  in (2.7) is non-singular and skew-hermitian. Hence  $D$  can be diagonalized by a suitable unitary matrix  $U = (u_{\alpha\beta})_{1 \leq \alpha, \beta \leq k}$ . Put  $U^{-1} \cdot D \cdot U = \text{diag.} (d_1, \dots, d_k)$ , where  $\text{diag.} (d_1, \dots, d_k)$  denotes the diagonal matrix whose  $(l, l)$ -component is  $d_l$ . Then, since  $D$  is non-singular and skew-hermitian, each  $d_l$  is a nonzero purely imaginary number. Now define a non-singular linear mapping  $\mathcal{L}^4: \mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m \rightarrow \mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m$  by  $\tilde{z} = z, \tilde{w}_\alpha = \sum_{\lambda=1}^k u_{\lambda\alpha} w_\lambda$  ( $1 \leq \alpha \leq k$ ) and  $\tilde{w}_\beta = w_\beta$  ( $k+1 \leq \beta \leq m$ ).

Then it is easy to see that the mapping  $\mathcal{L}^4$  satisfies our conditions. q.e.d.

**Proof of Theorem 1:** Suppose first  $\dim_{\mathbf{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = 2k > 0$ . By Lemma 5 we may assume that

$$\mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = \left\{ \left( \sum_{\alpha=1}^k d_\alpha \bar{c}^\alpha w_\alpha \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial z} + \sum_{\beta=1}^k c^\beta \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\beta} \mid (c_\beta) \in \mathbf{C}^k \right\}.$$

Note that each  $d_\alpha$  is a nonzero purely imaginary number. For the sake of simplicity, we denote  $(w_1, \dots, w_k)$  and  $(w_{k+1}, \dots, w_m)$  by  $w'$  and  $w''$ , respectively. For  $a \in \mathbf{R}$  (resp.  $t \in \mathbf{R}$ ) we denote by  $T_a$  (resp.  $\Psi_t$ ) the holomorphic transforma-

tion  $(z, w) \mapsto (z+a, w)$  (resp.  $(z, w) \mapsto (e^t z, e^{1/2t} w)$ ) of  $\mathbf{C}^{m+1}$ . Now we define a mapping  $\Phi: \mathbf{C}^k \times \mathbf{C}^k \rightarrow \mathbf{C}$  by

$$\Phi(u, v) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{-1}} \sum_{\alpha=1}^k d_\alpha u^\alpha \bar{v}^\alpha \quad \text{for } u = (u^\alpha), v = (v^\alpha) \in \mathbf{C}^k.$$

Then each vector field belonging to  $\mathfrak{g}_{-1/2}$  is expressed in the form  $2\sqrt{-1}\Phi(w', c) \frac{\partial}{\partial z} + \sum_{\alpha=1}^k c^\alpha \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\alpha}$ . Since this vector field is determined completely by  $c = (c^\alpha) \in \mathbf{C}^k$ , we write it by  $X_c$ . By (2.3) the vector field  $X_c$  generates the global one-parameter subgroup  $\text{expt}X_c$ :

$$(z, w', w'') \mapsto (z + 2\sqrt{-1}\Phi(w', tc) + \sqrt{-1}\Phi(tc, tc), w' + tc, w'').$$

Now we claim that

$$(2.8) \quad \Phi(c, c) \geq 0 \quad \text{for all } c \in \mathbf{C}^k.$$

Suppose that there exists a nonzero vector  $c_0 \in \mathbf{C}^k$  such that  $\Phi(c_0, c_0) < 0$ . Then, for a point  $(z_0, 0) \in \mathcal{D}$ , we have

$$\text{expt}X_{c_0} \cdot (z_0, 0) = (z_0 + \sqrt{-1}\Phi(tc_0, tc_0), tc_0, 0)$$

for any  $t \in \mathbf{R}$ . Thus, by Lemma 1,  $\text{Im}.z_0 + \Phi(tc_0, tc_0) > 0$  for any  $t \in \mathbf{R}$ . This is impossible since  $\Phi(c_0, c_0) < 0$ . Therefore we get (2.8). In particular, we see that each number  $\lambda_\alpha := d_\alpha / 2\sqrt{-1}$  ( $1 \leq \alpha \leq k$ ) is positive. Now we define a linear mapping  $\mathcal{L}^5: \mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m \rightarrow \mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m$  by  $\tilde{z} = z$ ,  $\tilde{w}_\alpha = \sqrt{\lambda_\alpha} w_\alpha$  ( $1 \leq \alpha \leq k$ ) and  $\tilde{w}_\beta = w_\beta$  ( $k+1 \leq \beta \leq m$ ). Then it is easy to see that

$$\mathcal{L}_*^5 \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = \left\{ 2\sqrt{-1} \left( \sum_{\alpha=1}^k c^\alpha \bar{\tilde{w}}_\alpha \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial \tilde{z}} + \sum_{\alpha=1}^k c^\alpha \frac{\partial}{\partial \tilde{w}_\alpha} \mid (c^\alpha) \in \mathbf{C}^k \right\}.$$

Hence, by considering the image  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}} = \mathcal{L}^5(\mathcal{D})$  if necessary, we may assume that

$$\mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = \left\{ 2\sqrt{-1} \left( \sum_{\alpha=1}^k c^\alpha \bar{w}_\alpha \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial z} + \sum_{\alpha=1}^k c^\alpha \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\alpha} \mid (c^\alpha) \in \mathbf{C}^k \right\}.$$

Define a mapping  $F: \mathbf{C}^k \times \mathbf{C}^k \rightarrow \mathbf{C}$  by

$$F(u, v) = \sum_{\alpha=1}^k u^\alpha \bar{v}^\alpha \quad \text{for any } u = (u^\alpha), v = (v^\alpha) \in \mathbf{C}^k.$$

Then the domain

$$\mathcal{E} = \{(z, w', 0) \in \mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m \mid \text{Im}.z - F(w', w') > 0\}$$

is an elementary Siegel domain. Now we put

$$\mathcal{D}_{\sqrt{-1}} = \{w'' \in \mathbf{C}^{m-k} \mid (\sqrt{-1}, 0, w'') \in \mathcal{D}\}.$$

We shall show that  $\mathcal{D}_{\sqrt{-1}}$  is connected. Take two points  $P_0=(\sqrt{-1}, 0, w_0'')$  and  $P_1=(\sqrt{-1}, 0, w_1'')$  of  $\mathcal{D}$ . Then there exists a continuous path  $\Gamma: [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$  such that  $\Gamma(0)=P_0$  and  $\Gamma(1)=P_1$ . For any  $t \in [0, 1]$ , we put  $\Gamma(t)=(z(t), w'(t), w''(t))$ , where  $z(t) \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $w'(t) \in \mathbb{C}^k$  and  $w''(t) \in \mathbb{C}^{m-k}$ . Since

$$\begin{aligned} & T_{-Re.z(t)} \cdot \exp X_{-w'(t)} \cdot (z(t), w'(t), w''(t)) \\ &= (\sqrt{-1}(\text{Im}.z(t) - F(w'(t), w''(t))), 0, w''(t)), \end{aligned}$$

we see that  $\text{Im}.z(t) - F(w'(t), w''(t)) > 0$  for any  $t \in [0, 1]$  by Lemma 1. Thus we can define a continuous function  $l(t)$  on  $[0, 1]$  by  $l(t) = \log(\text{Im}.z(t) - F(w'(t), w''(t)))$ . Then it is obvious that  $l(0) = l(1) = 0$  and  $e^{l(t)} = \text{Im}.z(t) - F(w'(t), w''(t))$  for any  $t \in [0, 1]$ . Thus the point

$$(\sqrt{-1}, 0, e^{-1/2l(t)}w''(t)) = (e^{-l(t)}e^{l(t)} \cdot \sqrt{-1}, 0, e^{-1/2l(t)}w''(t))$$

belongs to  $\mathcal{D}$  by the definition of  $\mathcal{D}$ . Put  $g(t) = e^{-1/2l(t)}w''(t)$ . Then  $g(t) \in \mathcal{D}_{\sqrt{-1}}$  for any  $t \in [0, 1]$ ,  $g(0) = w_0''$  and  $g(1) = w_1''$ . Thus  $\mathcal{D}_{\sqrt{-1}}$  is connected. It is obvious that  $\mathcal{D}_{\sqrt{-1}}$  is a circular domain in  $\mathbb{C}^{m-k}$  containing the origin 0 by the definition of the generalized Siegel domain. Let  $(z, w', w'')$  be a point of  $\mathcal{D}$ . Then there exists a real number  $t_0$  such that  $e^{t_0} = \text{Im}.z - F(w', w'')$ , because  $T_{-Re.z} \cdot \exp X_{-w'} \cdot (z, w', w'') = (\sqrt{-1}(\text{Im}.z - F(w', w'')), 0, w'')$  belongs to  $\mathcal{D}$  and hence  $\text{Im}.z - F(w', w'') > 0$  by Lemma 1. Thus we have  $\Psi_{-t_0} \cdot T_{-Re.z} \cdot \exp X_{-w'} \cdot (z, w', w'') = (\sqrt{-1}, 0, e^{-t_0/2}w'')$ . Hence  $(\text{Im}.z - F(w', w''))^{-1/2} \cdot w'' \in \mathcal{D}_{\sqrt{-1}}$ , and so  $\mathcal{D}$  is contained in the set

$$\{(z, w', w'') \in \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C}^m \mid \text{Im}.z - F(w', w'') > 0, (\text{Im}.z - F(w', w''))^{-1/2} \cdot w'' \in \mathcal{D}_{\sqrt{-1}}\}.$$

Conversely, take a point  $(z, w', w'') \in \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C}^m$  such that  $\text{Im}.z - F(w', w'') > 0$  and  $(\text{Im}.z - F(w', w''))^{-1/2} \cdot w'' \in \mathcal{D}_{\sqrt{-1}}$ . Then, by the same way as above, we can show that there exists a real number  $t_0$  such that  $e^{t_0} = \text{Im}.z - F(w', w'')$  and

$$T_{Re.z} \cdot \exp X_{w'} \cdot \Psi_{t_0} \cdot (\sqrt{-1}, 0, e^{-t_0/2}w'') = (z, w', w'').$$

This shows that  $(z, w', w'') \in \mathcal{D}$ , since  $(\sqrt{-1}, 0, e^{-t_0/2}w'') \in \mathcal{D}$  by the definition of  $\mathcal{D}_{\sqrt{-1}}$ . Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{D} &= \{(z, w', w'') \in \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C}^m \mid \text{Im}.z - F(w', w'') > 0, \\ &(\text{Im}.z - F(w', w''))^{-1/2} \cdot w'' \in \mathcal{D}_{\sqrt{-1}}\}. \end{aligned}$$

Now we shall show that the orbit  $\mathcal{D}_0$  of  $\text{Aut}_0(\mathcal{D})$  containing the point  $(\sqrt{-1}, 0) \in \mathcal{D}$  coincides with the elementary Siegel domain  $\mathcal{E}$ . Let  $(z, w', 0) \in \mathcal{E}$ . Since  $\text{Im}.z - F(w', w') > 0$ , there exists a real number  $t_0$  such that  $e^{t_0} = \text{Im}.z - F(w', w')$ . Then it is easy to see that  $T_{Re.z} \cdot \exp X_{w'} \cdot \Psi_{t_0} \cdot (\sqrt{-1}, 0) = (z, w', 0)$ , and so  $\mathcal{E} \subset \text{Aut}_0(\mathcal{D}) \cdot (\sqrt{-1}, 0) = \mathcal{D}_0$ . We claim that  $\mathcal{D}_0 \subset \mathcal{E}$ . Let  $G$

be the identity component  $\text{Aut}_0(\mathcal{D})$  of  $\text{Aut}(\mathcal{D})$ ,  $K$  the isotropy subgroup of  $G$  at  $(\sqrt{-1}, 0)$  and  $G_a$  the identity component of  $\text{Aff}(\mathcal{D})$ . Put  $K_a = G_a \cap K$ . Then we can show that  $G/K = G_a/K_a$  by the same way as Lemma 2.3. of Nakajima [5]. Therefore it is enough to see that  $G_a \cdot (\sqrt{-1}, 0) \subset \mathcal{E}$ . Let  $P(\mathcal{D})$  (resp.  $GL_0(\mathcal{D})$ ) be the analytic subgroup of  $G_a$  generated by the subalgebra  $\mathfrak{g}_{-1} + \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2}$  (resp.  $\mathfrak{g}_0$ ). Then we have  $G_a = P(\mathcal{D}) \cdot GL_0(\mathcal{D})$  (semi-direct product), because  $P(\mathcal{D}) \cdot GL_0(\mathcal{D})$  is an abstract subgroup of  $G_a$  and contains an open neighborhood of the identity element of  $G_a$ . Since  $GL_0(\mathcal{D}) \cdot (\sqrt{-1}, 0) \subset \mathcal{D}_1$  by (5), of Theorem A and obviously  $P(\mathcal{D}) \cdot \mathcal{E} \subset \mathcal{E}$ , we get  $G_a \cdot (\sqrt{-1}, 0) \subset \mathcal{E}$ . Therefore  $G \cdot (\sqrt{-1}, 0) = G_a \cdot (\sqrt{-1}, 0) = \mathcal{E}$ . This completes the first case where  $k > 0$ .

It remains the case where  $\dim_{\mathbb{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = 0$ , i.e.,  $k = 0$ . But in this case Theorem 1 is now obvious from the proof of the case where  $k > 0$ . q.e.d.

Corollaries of Theorem 1: As an immediate consequence of Theorem 1 we obtain the following corollary.

**Corollary 1.** *Let  $\mathcal{D}$  be a generalized Siegel domain in  $\mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C}^m$  with exponent  $1/2$  and  $\dim_{\mathbb{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = 2m$ . Then  $\mathcal{D}$  is a Siegel domain which is holomorphically equivalent to the elementary Siegel domain*

$$\mathcal{E} = \{(z, w_1, \dots, w_m) \in \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C}^m \mid \text{Im}.z - \sum_{\alpha=1}^m |w_\alpha|^2 > 0\} .$$

**Corollary 2.** *There exists no generalized Siegel domain in  $\mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C}^m$  with exponent  $1/2$  such that  $\dim_{\mathbb{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = 2m - 2$ .*

Proof. Suppose that there exists a generalized Siegel domain  $\mathcal{D}$  in  $\mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C}^m$  with exponent  $1/2$  and  $\dim_{\mathbb{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = 2m - 2$ . Then, by Theorem 1 there exists a generalized Siegel domain  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}$  with exponent  $1/2$  which is holomorphically equivalent to  $\mathcal{D}$  and is expressed in the following form with respect to a suitable coordinates system  $(z, w_1, \dots, w_m)$  in  $\mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C}^m$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{\mathcal{D}} &= \{(z, w_1, \dots, w_m) \in \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C}^m \mid \text{Im}.z - \sum_{\alpha=1}^{m-1} |w_\alpha|^2 > 0, \\ &(\text{Im}.z - \sum_{\alpha=1}^{m-1} |w_\alpha|^2)^{-1/2} \cdot w_m \in \tilde{\mathcal{D}}_{\sqrt{-1}}\} \end{aligned}$$

where  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_{\sqrt{-1}}$  is a circular domain in  $\mathbb{C}$  containing the origin of  $\mathbb{C}$ . Since  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_{\sqrt{-1}}$  is given by  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_{\sqrt{-1}} = \{w_m \in \mathbb{C} \mid |w_m| < R\}$  for some positive number  $R$ ,

$$\tilde{\mathcal{D}} = \{(z, w_1, \dots, w_m) \in \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C}^m \mid \text{Im}.z - (\sum_{\alpha=1}^{m-1} |w_\alpha|^2 + R^{-2} |w_m|^2) > 0\} .$$

Thus  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}$  is a Siegel domain of the second kind in  $\mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C}^m$ . Then we see that  $\dim_{\mathbb{R}} \tilde{\mathfrak{g}}_{-1/2} = 2m$  in the decomposition of  $\mathfrak{g}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}})$  as in Theorem A. But this is a contradiction since  $\dim_{\mathbb{R}} \tilde{\mathfrak{g}}_{-1/2} = \dim_{\mathbb{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = 2m - 2$  by our assumption. q.e.d.

**Corollary 3.** *Let  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}$  and  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0$  be the same domains as in Theorem 1 and  $\Pi: \mathfrak{g}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}}) \rightarrow \mathfrak{g}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0)$  the homomorphism induced by the Lie group homomorphism of  $\text{Aut}_0(\tilde{\mathcal{D}})$  to  $\text{Aut}_0(\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0)$  defined by  $g \mapsto g|_{\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0}$ , where  $g|_{\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0}$  denotes the restriction of  $g$  to  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0$ . Then  $\Pi$  is surjective.*

Proof. Note that  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0$  is the  $\text{Aut}_0(\tilde{\mathcal{D}})$ -orbit. Let  $(z, w_1, \dots, w_m)$  be the coordinates system in  $\mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m$  as in Theorem 1. Let  $\mathfrak{g}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}}) = \mathfrak{g}_{-1} + \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} + \mathfrak{g}_0 + \mathfrak{g}_{1/2} + \mathfrak{g}_1$  (resp.  $\mathfrak{g}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0) = \mathfrak{g}_{-1}^o + \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2}^o + \mathfrak{g}_0^o + \mathfrak{g}_{1/2}^o + \mathfrak{g}_1^o$ ) be the decomposition of  $\mathfrak{g}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}})$  (resp.  $\mathfrak{g}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0)$ ) as in Theorem A. Since  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0$  is an elementary Siegel domain,  $\mathfrak{g}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0)$  is simple. In particular, we have

$$(2.9) \quad \begin{aligned} \mathfrak{g}_0^o &= [\mathfrak{g}_{-1/2}^o, \mathfrak{g}_{1/2}^o] + [\mathfrak{g}_{-1}^o, \mathfrak{g}_1^o] \text{ and} \\ \mathfrak{g}_{1/2}^o &= [\mathfrak{g}_{-1/2}^o, \mathfrak{g}_1^o]. \end{aligned}$$

Put  $\partial^o = z \frac{\partial}{\partial z} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\alpha=1}^k w_\alpha \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\alpha}$ . Then it is obvious that  $\Pi(\partial) = \partial^o$ . Hence the homomorphism  $\Pi$  preserves the gradation, i.e.,  $\Pi(\mathfrak{g}_\lambda) \subset \mathfrak{g}_\lambda^o$ . Now we shall show that  $\Pi$  is injective on  $\mathfrak{g}_{-1} + \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} + \mathfrak{g}_{1/2} + \mathfrak{g}_1$ . Since  $\mathfrak{g}_{-1} + \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = \mathfrak{g}_{-1}^o + \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2}^o$ , it is sufficient to show that  $\Pi$  is injective on  $\mathfrak{g}_{1/2} + \mathfrak{g}_1$ . Let  $X_1 \in \mathfrak{g}_1$  such that  $\Pi(X_1) = 0$ . Then  $\Pi\left(\left[\frac{\partial}{\partial z}, \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial z}, X_1\right]\right]\right) = 0$ . Since  $\left[\frac{\partial}{\partial z}, \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial z}, X_1\right]\right] \in \mathfrak{g}_{-1}$  and  $\Pi$  is identity on  $\mathfrak{g}_{-1}$ , we have  $\left[\frac{\partial}{\partial z}, \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial z}, X_1\right]\right] = 0$ . On the other hand, it is known that the endomorphism  $\left(ad\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial z}\right)\right)^2: \mathfrak{g}_1 \rightarrow \mathfrak{g}_{-1}$  is injective (cf. [9]). Thus we get  $X_1 = 0$ . Therefore  $\Pi$  is injective on  $\mathfrak{g}_1$ . Analogously we can show that  $\Pi$  is injective on  $\mathfrak{g}_{1/2}$  by using the injectivity of  $ad\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial z}\right): \mathfrak{g}_{1/2} \rightarrow \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2}$ . Note that the subalgebra  $\mathfrak{g}_{-1} + \mathfrak{g}_0 + \mathfrak{g}_1$  corresponds to the subgroup leaving the upper half plane  $\mathcal{D}_1 = \{(z, 0) \in \mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m \mid \text{Im}.z > 0\}$  invariant. Now we claim that each element of  $\text{Aut}_0(\mathcal{D}_1)$  can be extended to an element of  $\text{Aut}_0(\tilde{\mathcal{D}})$ . We identify  $\text{Aut}_0(\mathcal{D}_1)$  with  $SL(2, \mathbf{R})/\{\pm 1_2\}$ . Since each element  $\gamma = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in SL(2, \mathbf{R})$  acts on  $\mathcal{D}_1$  by a holomorphic transformation  $l_\gamma: z \mapsto (az+b)/(cz+d)^{-1}$ , we can define a mapping  $\tilde{l}_\gamma: \mathcal{D}_1 \times \mathbf{C}^m \rightarrow \mathcal{D}_1 \times \mathbf{C}^m$  by  $\tilde{l}_\gamma(z, w) = (l_\gamma(z), (cz+d)^{-1}w)$ . Since  $\tilde{l}_{\gamma_1 \cdot \gamma_2} = \tilde{l}_{\gamma_1} \cdot \tilde{l}_{\gamma_2}$  for any  $\gamma_1, \gamma_2 \in SL(2, \mathbf{R})$ ,  $\tilde{l}_\gamma$  induces a holomorphic transformation of  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}$  if

$$(2.10) \quad \tilde{l}_\gamma(\tilde{\mathcal{D}}) \subset \tilde{\mathcal{D}}.$$

Put  $w' = (w_1, \dots, w_k)$ ,  $w'' = (w_{k+1}, \dots, w_m)$  and  $\|w'\|^2 = \left(\sum_{\alpha=1}^k |w_\alpha|^2\right)^{1/2}$  for any  $w = (w_1, \dots, w_m) \in \mathbf{C}^m$ . Then

$$(2.11) \quad \text{Im}. l_\gamma(z) - \|(cz+d)^{-1}w'\|^2 = |cz+d|^{-2}(\text{Im}.z - \|w'\|^2) > 0$$



for any  $(z, w', w'') \in \tilde{\mathcal{D}}$ . Since

$$\begin{aligned} & \operatorname{Im} L_\gamma(z) - \|(cz+d)^{-1}w'\|^2)^{-1/2} \cdot (cz+d)^{-1} \cdot w'' \\ &= e^{\sqrt{-1}\theta(z,\gamma)} (\operatorname{Im} z - \|w'\|^2)^{-1/2} \cdot w'', \end{aligned}$$

where  $\theta(z, \gamma) = -\arg.(cz+d)$ , and  $e^{\sqrt{-1}\theta(z,\gamma)}(\operatorname{Im} z - \|w'\|^2)^{-1/2}w'' \in \tilde{\mathcal{D}}_{\sqrt{-1}}$ , we have

$$(2.12) \quad (\operatorname{Im} L_\gamma(z) - \|(cz+d)^{-1}w'\|^2)^{-1/2} \cdot (cz+d)^{-1} \cdot w'' \in \tilde{\mathcal{D}}_{\sqrt{-1}}.$$

By (2) of Theorem 1, (2.11) and (2.12) imply (2.10). Hence we get  $\mathfrak{g}_1 \neq 0$  and hence  $\Pi(\mathfrak{g}_1) \neq 0$ . We now prove that  $\Pi$  is surjective. Since  $\dim_{\mathbb{R}} \mathfrak{g}_1^i = 1$  and  $\Pi(\mathfrak{g}_1) \neq 0$ , we get  $\Pi(\mathfrak{g}_1) = \mathfrak{g}_1^i$ . Therefore it follows that  $\mathfrak{g}_{1/2}^i = [\mathfrak{g}_{-1/2}^i, \mathfrak{g}_1^i] = \Pi([\mathfrak{g}_{-1/2}, \mathfrak{g}_1]) \subset \Pi(\mathfrak{g}_{1/2})$ , and so  $\Pi(\mathfrak{g}_{1/2}) = \mathfrak{g}_{1/2}^i$ . Then  $\mathfrak{g}_0^i = [\mathfrak{g}_{-1/2}^i, \mathfrak{g}_{1/2}^i] + [\mathfrak{g}_{-1}^i, \mathfrak{g}_1^i] = \Pi([\mathfrak{g}_{-1/2}, \mathfrak{g}_{1/2}] + [\mathfrak{g}_{-1}, \mathfrak{g}_1]) \subset \Pi(\mathfrak{g}_0)$ , and so  $\Pi(\mathfrak{g}_0) = \mathfrak{g}_0^i$ . Therefore  $\Pi$  is surjective. q.e.d.

**Corollary 4.** *Let  $\mathcal{D}$  be a generalized Siegel domain in  $\mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C}^m$  with exponent  $1/2$ . If the Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{D})$  is semi-simple, then  $\mathcal{D}$  is a Siegel domain which is holomorphically equivalent to the elementary Siegel domain*

$$\mathcal{E} = \{(z, w_1, \dots, w_m) \in \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C}^m \mid \operatorname{Im} z - \sum_{\alpha=1}^m |w_\alpha|^2 > 0\}.$$

*Proof.* We claim that  $\dim_{\mathbb{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = 2m$ , i.e.,  $k=m$ . Then our assertion is obvious by Corollary 1. We may assume  $\mathcal{D} = \tilde{\mathcal{D}}$  in Theorem 1 without loss of generality. Suppose that  $k \leq m$ . We consider first the case where  $k > 0$ . Let  $\Pi: \mathfrak{g}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}}) \rightarrow (\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0)$  be the homomorphism defined in Corollary 3. Then  $\Pi$  is surjective by Corollary 3. Put  $\mathfrak{s}_2 = \operatorname{Ker} \Pi$ . Then  $\mathfrak{s}_2$  is a semi-simple ideal of the semi-simple Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}})$ . Thus there exists a semi-simple ideal  $\mathfrak{s}_1$  such that  $\mathfrak{g}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}}) = \mathfrak{s}_1 + \mathfrak{s}_2$  (direct sum). Since  $\mathfrak{s}_1$  is isomorphic to  $\mathfrak{g}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0)$ ,  $\mathfrak{s}_1$  is simple. Since  $\Pi$  is injective on  $\mathfrak{g}_{-1} + \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} + \mathfrak{g}_{1/2} + \mathfrak{g}_1$  by the proof of Corollary 3,  $\mathfrak{s}_2$  is contained in  $\mathfrak{g}_0$ . Let  $B$  denote the Killing form of  $\mathfrak{g}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}})$ . Put  $\mathfrak{g}_0^1 = \{X \in \mathfrak{g}_0 \mid B(X, \mathfrak{s}_2) = 0\}$ . Noting that the ideal  $\mathfrak{s}_1$  is a graded Lie subalgebra, it is easy to see that  $\mathfrak{g}_0 = \mathfrak{g}_0^1 + \mathfrak{s}_2$ ,  $\mathfrak{s}_1 = \mathfrak{g}_{-1} + \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} + \mathfrak{g}_0^1 + \mathfrak{g}_{1/2} + \mathfrak{g}_1$  and  $\mathfrak{g}_0^1 = [\mathfrak{g}_{-1/2}, \mathfrak{g}_{1/2}]$ . Since  $\mathfrak{s}_2 = \operatorname{Ker} \Pi \subset \mathfrak{g}_0$ , every vector field  $X \in \mathfrak{s}_2$  is given by  $X = \sum_{\alpha=k+1}^m Q_{0,1}^\alpha \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\alpha}$  in

Theorem A. Thus it can be expressed by the matrix

$$(2.13) \quad X = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{0}_{k,k} & C \\ \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{0}_{m-k,k} & D \end{pmatrix}.$$

Now we claim that  $C = \mathbf{0}_{k,m-k}$  in (2.13). Let  $S_1$  (resp.  $S_2$ ) be the analytic sub-

group of  $\text{Aut}_0(\tilde{\mathcal{D}})$  corresponding to  $\mathfrak{s}_1$  (resp.  $\mathfrak{s}_2$ ). Obviously

$$(2.14) \quad g_1 \cdot g_2 = g_2 \cdot g_1 \quad \text{for any } g_1 \in S_2 \text{ and } g_2 \in S_2.$$

Let  $X_c(c \in \mathbf{C}^k)$  be the vector field belonging to  $\mathfrak{g}_{-1/2}$  defined in the proof of Theorem 1. Put  $g_1 = \exp X_c$  and

$$g_2 = \exp X = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{1}_k & A \\ \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{0} & E \end{pmatrix}.$$

It is easy to see that if  $A = \mathbf{0}_{k, m-k}$ , then  $C = \mathbf{0}$ . By a routine calculation, we get

$$g_1 \cdot g_2(z, w', w'') = (z + 2\sqrt{-1}F(w' + Aw'', c) + \sqrt{-1}F(c, c), w' + Aw'' + c, Ew'')$$

and

$$g_2 \cdot g_1(z, w', w'') = (z + 2\sqrt{-1}F(w', c) + \sqrt{-1}F(c, c), w' + c + Aw'', Ew'')$$

for any  $(z, w', w'') \in \tilde{\mathcal{D}}$ . By (2.14), we get  $F(w' + Aw'', c) = F(w', c)$  and hence  $F(Aw'', c) = 0$ . Since  $c$  is arbitrary, we get  $Aw'' = 0$  for any element  $w''$  of an open subset of  $\mathbf{C}^{m-k}$ . Thus  $A = \mathbf{0}$ . Therefore we get

$$(2.15) \quad \mathfrak{s}_2 = \left\{ \left( \begin{array}{c|c} \mathbf{0}_{k+1, k+1} & \mathbf{0} \\ \hline \mathbf{0} & * \end{array} \right) \right\} \text{ and } S_2 = \left\{ \left( \begin{array}{c|c} \mathbf{1}_{k+1} & \mathbf{0} \\ \hline \mathbf{0} & * \end{array} \right) \right\}.$$

Since  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}$  is holomorphically equivalent to a bounded domain in  $\mathbf{C}^{m+1}$  and any bounded domain in  $\mathbf{C}^{m+1}$  is hyperbolic in the sense of Kobayashi [4],  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}$  is hyperbolic. Since  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_{\sqrt{-1}}$  is a complex submanifold of  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}$ , it is also hyperbolic. Thus  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_{\sqrt{-1}}$  is a hyperbolic circular domain in  $\mathbf{C}^{m-k}$  containing the origin 0. By §.1, we have that  $\text{Aut}_0(\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_{\sqrt{-1}})$  is a Lie group and its isotropy subgroup  $K_{\sqrt{-1}}$  at  $0 \in \tilde{\mathcal{D}}_{\sqrt{-1}}$  is compact. Moreover  $K_{\sqrt{-1}}$  is a subgroup of  $GL(m-k, \mathbf{C})$  by Theorem B. Let  $\mathfrak{k}_{\sqrt{-1}}$  be the subalgebra of  $\mathfrak{g}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_{\sqrt{-1}})$  corresponding to  $K_{\sqrt{-1}}$ . Now we claim that  $\mathfrak{k}_{\sqrt{-1}}$  can be identified with  $\mathfrak{s}_2$ . By (2.15) we can identify  $S_2$  with a subgroup of  $K_{\sqrt{-1}}$ . Conversely, let  $K^0_{\sqrt{-1}}$  be the identity component of  $K_{\sqrt{-1}}$  and take an arbitrary element  $g \in K^0_{\sqrt{-1}}$ . Put  $\tilde{g} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & g \end{pmatrix}$ , where  $1 = \mathbf{1}_{k+1}$ . Then we can easily see that  $\tilde{g}$  leaves  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}$  invariant by (2) of Theorem 1, and hence  $\tilde{g}$  defines a holomorphic transformation of  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}$  and  $\tilde{g} \in S_2$  by (2.15). Thus  $K^0_{\sqrt{-1}}$  can be identified with  $S_2$  in a natural way. In particular,  $\mathfrak{k}_{\sqrt{-1}}$  is a semi-simple Lie algebra. On the other hand,  $\mathfrak{k}_{\sqrt{-1}}$  contains a nonzero element  $\partial'' =$

$\sqrt{-1} \sum_{\alpha=k+1}^m w_\alpha \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\alpha}$  induced by the global one-parameter subgroup  $w'' \mapsto e^{\sqrt{-1}t} w''$  ( $t \in \mathbf{R}$ ) and obviously  $\partial''$  belongs to the center of  $\mathfrak{k}_{\sqrt{-1}}$ . This is a contradiction.

Suppose next  $k=0$ . Then we can show as above that the Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{k}_{\sqrt{-1}}$  is identified with the semi-simple Lie algebra

$$\text{Ker } \Pi = \left\{ \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & \mathbf{0}_{1,m} \\ \hline \mathbf{0}_{m,1} & * \end{array} \right) \right\}.$$

On the other hand,  $\mathfrak{k}_{\sqrt{-1}}$  contains a nonzero element  $\partial' = \sqrt{-1} \sum_{\alpha=1}^m w_\alpha \frac{\partial}{\partial w_\alpha}$  belonging to the center. This is a contradiction. Therefore  $k=m$ , and we complete the proof. q.e.d.

### 3. The structure of $\text{Aut}(\mathcal{D})$

The purpose of this section is to consider the structure of the group of all holomorphic transformations of a generalized Siegel domain  $\mathcal{D}$  in  $\mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m$  with exponent  $1/2$  and  $\dim_{\mathbf{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = 2k$  for some  $k, 0 \leq k \leq m$ .

In this section we use the following notations. For a point

$$\mathfrak{z} = {}^t(z^1, \dots, z^{k+1}) \in \mathbf{C}^{k+1}, \text{ define } \|\mathfrak{z}\| = \left( \sum_{j=1}^{k+1} |z^j|^2 \right)^{1/2}.$$

Put

$$U(k+1, 1) = \left\{ g \in GL(k+2, \mathbf{C}) \mid {}^t g \cdot \left( \begin{array}{c|c} \mathbf{1}_{k+1} & 0 \\ \hline 0 & -1 \end{array} \right) \cdot g = \left( \begin{array}{c|c} \mathbf{1}_{k+1} & 0 \\ \hline 0 & -1 \end{array} \right) \right\}$$

and

$$SU(k+1, 1) = U(k+1, 1) \cap SL(k+2, \mathbf{C}).$$

For each element  $\gamma = \begin{pmatrix} A & \mathbf{b} \\ \mathbf{c} & d \end{pmatrix} \in SU(k+1, 1)$ , where  $A = (a_{ij})_{1 \leq i, j \leq k+1}$ ,  $\mathbf{b} = {}^t(b_1, \dots, b_{k+1})$  and  $\mathbf{c} = (c_1, \dots, c_{k+1})$ , we put

$$(3.1) \quad \begin{cases} L_j(\gamma) = (a_{j1} + b_j, 2a_{j2}, 2a_{j3}, \dots, 2a_{j,k+1}); \\ C(\gamma) = (c_1 + d, 2c_2, 2c_3, \dots, 2c_{k+1}); \\ B_j(\gamma) = \sqrt{-1}(b_j - a_{j1}) \text{ and } D(\gamma) = \sqrt{-1}(d - c_1) \end{cases}$$

for  $j=1, 2, \dots, k+1$ .

It is easy to see that  $U(k+1, 1)$  coincides with all matrices  $\begin{pmatrix} A & \mathbf{b} \\ \mathbf{c} & d \end{pmatrix} \in GL(k+2, \mathbf{C})$  of the form  ${}^t \bar{A} A - {}^t \bar{\mathbf{c}} \mathbf{c} = \mathbf{1}_{k+1}$ ,  ${}^t \bar{\mathbf{b}} \mathbf{b} - |d|^2 = -1$  and  ${}^t \bar{\mathbf{b}} A - \bar{d} \mathbf{c} = \mathbf{0}_{1,k+1}$ . From this, we get

$$(3.2) \quad |\mathbf{c}\mathfrak{z} + d|^2 - \|A\mathfrak{z} + \mathbf{b}\|^2 = 1 - \|\mathfrak{z}\|^2$$

for any  $\begin{pmatrix} A & \mathbf{b} \\ \mathbf{c} & d \end{pmatrix} \in U(k+1, 1)$  and any  $\mathfrak{z} \in \mathbf{C}^{k+1}$ , by an easy computation.

Now we consider the group  $\text{Aut}(\mathcal{E})$  of all holomorphic transformations of the elementary Siegel domain

$$\mathcal{E} = \{(z, w_1, \dots, w_k) \in \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C}^k \mid \text{Im}.z - \sum_{\alpha=1}^k |w_\alpha|^2 > 0\} .$$

The elementary Siegel domain  $\mathcal{E}$  is holomorphically equivalent to the unit open ball  $\mathcal{B} = \{z = {}^t(z^1, \dots, z^{k+1}) \in \mathbb{C}^{k+1} \mid \|z\| < 1\}$ . In fact, the biholomorphic isomorphism  $\phi: \mathcal{E} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$  is given by

$$(3.3) \quad z^1 = (z - \sqrt{-1})(z + \sqrt{-1})^{-1}, \quad z^j = 2w_{j-1}(z + \sqrt{-1})^{-1}$$

for  $j=2, 3, \dots, k+1$ . It is well-known that the group  $\text{Aut}_0(\mathcal{B})$  can be identified with the simple Lie group  $SU(k+1, 1)$  and each element  $\gamma = \begin{pmatrix} A & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in SU(k+1, 1)$  acts on  $\mathcal{B}$  by the holomorphic transformation  $\sigma_\gamma: z \mapsto (Az + b)(cz + d)^{-1}$ . Define  $\Psi_\gamma^0 = \phi^{-1} \cdot \sigma_\gamma \cdot \phi$  for each  $\gamma \in SU(k+1, 1)$ . Then it is obvious that  $\Psi_\gamma^0$  defines a holomorphic transformation of  $\mathcal{E}$ . By a direct calculation, we see that the action of  $\Psi_\gamma^0$  on  $\mathcal{E}$  is given by

$$\begin{cases} z \mapsto \sqrt{-1} \frac{1 + (C(\gamma)Z + D(\gamma))^{-1} \cdot (L_1(\gamma)Z + B_1(\gamma))}{1 - (C(\gamma)Z + D(\gamma))^{-1} \cdot (L_1(\gamma)Z + B_1(\gamma))} \\ w_j \mapsto \sqrt{-1} \frac{(C(\gamma)Z + D(\gamma))^{-1} \cdot (L_{j+1}(\gamma)Z + B_{j+1}(\gamma))}{1 - (C(\gamma)Z + D(\gamma))^{-1} \cdot (L_1(\gamma)Z + B_1(\gamma))} \end{cases}$$

for  $j=1, 2, \dots, k$ , where  $Z = {}^t(z, w_1, \dots, w_k) \in \mathcal{E}$  and  $C(\gamma), L_j(\gamma), B_j(\gamma), D(\gamma)$  are defined by (3.1).

Let  $K^0_{\sqrt{-1}}$  be the identity component of the isotropy subgroup of  $\text{Aut}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_{\sqrt{-1}})$  at the origin  $0 \in \tilde{\mathcal{D}}_{\sqrt{-1}}$ . We define a mapping  $\Psi_{\gamma, K}: \tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0 \times \mathbb{C}^{m-k} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0 \times \mathbb{C}^{m-k}$  for each  $\gamma \in SU(k+1, 1)$  and  $K \in K^0_{\sqrt{-1}}$  as follows:

$$\Psi_{\gamma, K}: \begin{cases} z \mapsto \sqrt{-1} \frac{1 + (C(\gamma)Z + D(\gamma))^{-1} \cdot (L_1(\gamma)Z + B_1(\gamma))}{1 - (C(\gamma)Z + D(\gamma))^{-1} \cdot (L_1(\gamma)Z + B_1(\gamma))} \\ w_j \mapsto \sqrt{-1} \frac{(C(\gamma)Z + D(\gamma))^{-1} \cdot (L_{j+1}(\gamma)Z + B_{j+1}(\gamma))}{1 - (C(\gamma)Z + D(\gamma))^{-1} \cdot (L_1(\gamma)Z + B_1(\gamma))} \\ \quad \text{for } j = 1, 2, \dots, k . \\ W \mapsto K \cdot \frac{2\sqrt{-1} (C(\gamma)Z + D(\gamma))^{-1}}{1 - (C(\gamma)Z + D(\gamma))^{-1} \cdot (L_1(\gamma)Z + B_1(\gamma))} \cdot W \end{cases}$$

for  $Z = {}^t(z, w_1, \dots, w_k) \in \tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0$  and  $W = {}^t(w_{k+1}, \dots, w_m) \in \mathbb{C}^{m-k}$ . Since  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0 = \{(z, w_1, \dots, w_k, 0, \dots, 0) \in \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C}^m \mid \text{Im}.z - \sum_{\alpha=1}^k |w_\alpha|^2 > 0\} = \mathcal{E}$ ,  $\Psi_{\gamma, K}$  is a well-defined holomorphic mapping of  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0 \times \mathbb{C}^{m-k}$  into itself.

Now we can state Theorem 2.

**Theorem 2.** *Let  $\Psi_{\gamma,K}: \tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0 \times \mathbb{C}^{m-k} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0 \times \mathbb{C}^{m-k}$  be the holomorphic mapping defined as above. Then  $\Psi_{\gamma,K}$  induces a holomorphic transformation of  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}$ , and moreover any holomorphic transformation of  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}$  belonging to the identity component of  $\text{Aut}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}})$  is of this form, i.e.,*

$$\text{Aut}_0(\tilde{\mathcal{D}}) = \{ \Psi_{\gamma,K} \mid \gamma \in SU(k+1, 1), K \in K^0_{\sqrt{-1}} \} .$$

*Proof.* Let  $(z, w_1, \dots, w_m)$  be the coordinates system in  $\mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C}^m$  defined in Theorem 1. We put  $w' = (w_1, \dots, w_k)$ ,  $w'' = (w_{k+1}, \dots, w_m)$  and  $\|w'\| = (\sum_{\alpha=1}^k |w_\alpha|^2)^{1/2}$  as before. First we claim that each element  $\Psi_\gamma^0 \in \text{Aut}_0(\mathcal{E}) = \text{Aut}_0(\mathcal{D}_0)$  can be extended to a holomorphic transformation of  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}$ . We consider the following mappings:

$$w_s \mapsto \tilde{w}_s := \frac{2\sqrt{-1} (C(\gamma)Z + D(\gamma))^{-1} w_s}{1 - (C(\gamma)Z + D(\gamma))^{-1} \cdot (L_1(\gamma)Z + B_1(\gamma))}$$

for  $s = k+1, k+2, \dots, m$ . Put  $\Psi_\gamma^0 = {}^t(\Psi_\gamma^{0,1}, \dots, \Psi_\gamma^{0,k+1})$ . We shall show that

$$(3.4) \quad ({}^t(\Psi_\gamma^0(Z)), \tilde{w}_{k+1}, \dots, \tilde{w}_m) \in \tilde{\mathcal{D}}$$

for any  $(z, w) = {}^t(Z, w_{k+1}, \dots, w_m) \in \tilde{\mathcal{D}}$ .

Put  $(\Psi_\gamma^0(Z))_w = (\Psi_\gamma^{0,2}(Z), \dots, \Psi_\gamma^{0,k+1}(Z))$ . If we show the following two conditions

$$(3.5) \quad \text{Im. } \Psi_\gamma^{0,1}(Z) - \|(\Psi_\gamma^0(Z))_w\|^2 > 0 \text{ and}$$

$$(3.6) \quad (\text{Im. } \Psi_\gamma^{0,1}(Z) - \|(\Psi_\gamma^0(Z))_w\|^2)^{-1/2} \cdot \tilde{w}'' \in \tilde{\mathcal{D}}_{\sqrt{-1}} ,$$

where  $\tilde{w}'' = (\tilde{w}_{k+1}, \dots, \tilde{w}_m)$ , then (3.4) will follow from Theorem 1. The condition (3.5) is obvious, since  $\Psi_\gamma^0$  is a holomorphic transformation of  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0$ . By routine calculations, we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Im. } \Psi_\gamma^{0,1}(Z) - \|(\Psi_\gamma^0(Z))_w\|^2 \\ &= \frac{1 - \sum_{j=1}^{k+1} |(C(\gamma)Z + D(\gamma))^{-1} \cdot (L_j(\gamma)Z + B_j(\gamma))|^2}{|1 - (C(\gamma)Z + D(\gamma))^{-1} \cdot (L_1(\gamma)Z + B_1(\gamma))|^2} , \end{aligned}$$

and hence

$$\begin{aligned} & (\text{Im. } \Psi_\gamma^{0,1}(Z) - \|(\Psi_\gamma^0(Z))_w\|^2)^{-1/2} \cdot \tilde{w}_s \\ &= \frac{2e^{\sqrt{-1}\theta(Z, \gamma)} w_s}{|C(\gamma)Z + D(\gamma)| \cdot (1 - \sum_{j=1}^{k+1} |(C(\gamma)Z + D(\gamma))^{-1} \cdot (L_j(\gamma)Z + B_j(\gamma))|^2)^{1/2}} \end{aligned}$$

where  $\theta(Z, \gamma) = -\arg. \{1 - (C(\gamma)Z + D(\gamma))^{-1} \cdot (L_1(\gamma)Z + B_1(\gamma))\} - \arg. (C(\gamma)Z + D(\gamma)) + \pi/2$ .

Let  $\phi$  be the biholomorphic isomorphism defined in (3.3) and put  $z = \phi(Z) \in \mathcal{B}$ .

Then we get

$$C(\gamma)Z + D(\gamma) = (z + \sqrt{-1})(c\mathfrak{z} + d) \text{ and}$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^{k+1} |(C(\gamma)Z + D(\gamma))^{-1}(L_j(\gamma)Z + B_j(\gamma))|^2 = \|(A\mathfrak{z} + \mathfrak{b}) \cdot (c\mathfrak{z} + d)^{-1}\|^2.$$

Hence it follows from (3.2) that

$$\frac{2w_s}{|C(\gamma)Z + D(\gamma)| \cdot (1 - \sum_{j=1}^{k+1} |(C(\gamma)Z + D(\gamma))^{-1} \cdot (L_j(\gamma)Z + B_j(\gamma))|^2)^{1/2}}$$

$$= \frac{2w_s}{|z + \sqrt{-1}| \cdot (1 - \|\mathfrak{z}\|^2)^{1/2}}.$$

Moreover it is easy to check that  $1 - \|\mathfrak{z}\|^2 = 4|z + \sqrt{-1}|^{-2}(\text{Im}.z - \|w'\|^2)$ . Thus we get

$$(\text{Im}. \Psi_\gamma^{0,1}(Z) - \|(\Psi_\gamma^0(Z))_w\|^2)^{-1/2} \cdot \tilde{w}_s = e^{\sqrt{-1}\theta(Z, \gamma)} (\text{Im}.z - \|w'\|^2)^{-1/2} \cdot w_s,$$

and hence

$$(\text{Im}. \Psi_\gamma^{0,1}(Z) - \|(\Psi_\gamma^0(Z))_w\|^2)^{-1/2} \cdot \tilde{w}'' = e^{\sqrt{-1}\theta(Z, \gamma)} (\text{Im}.z - \|w'\|^2)^{-1/2} \cdot w''.$$

Since  $(\text{Im}.z - \|w'\|^2)^{-1/2} \cdot w'' \in \tilde{\mathcal{D}}_{\sqrt{-1}}$  and  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_{\sqrt{-1}}$  is circular, we get  $(\text{Im}. \Psi_\gamma^{0,1}(Z) - \|(\Psi_\gamma^0(Z))_w\|^2)^{-1/2} \cdot \tilde{w}'' \in \tilde{\mathcal{D}}_{\sqrt{-1}}$ . Therefore we have (3.4). By (3.4), we can define a mapping  $\Psi_\gamma: \tilde{\mathcal{D}} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{D}}$  by

$$(3.7) \quad \Psi_\gamma: ({}^tZ, w'') \mapsto ({}^t(\Psi_\gamma^0(Z)), \tilde{w}'').$$

It is easy to see that this mapping  $\Psi_\gamma$  is an extension of  $\Psi_\gamma^0$  if we verify the following relation

$$(3.8) \quad \Psi_{\gamma_2} \cdot \Psi_{\gamma_1} = \Psi_{\gamma_2 \cdot \gamma_1} \quad \text{for any } \gamma_1, \gamma_2 \in SU(k+1, 1).$$

For this, consider a mapping  $\tilde{\phi}: \{z \in \mathbf{C} \mid \text{Im}.z > 0\} \times \mathbf{C}^m \rightarrow \mathbf{C}^{m+1}$  defined by

$$(3.9) \quad z^1 = (z - \sqrt{-1})(z + \sqrt{-1})^{-1}, z^j = 2w_{j-1}(z + \sqrt{-1})^{-1}$$

for  $j=2, 3, \dots, m+1$ . Note that the restriction  $\tilde{\phi}: \tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0 \rightarrow \mathbf{C}^{m+1}$  is nothing but the biholomorphic isomorphism  $\phi: \tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0 \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$  defined in (3.3). Since  $\text{Im}.z > 0$  if  $(z, w) \in \tilde{\mathcal{D}}$  by Lemma 1, it is easy to check that  $\tilde{\phi}$  is injective and holomorphic on  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}$ . Thus  $\tilde{\phi}$  defines a biholomorphic isomorphism of  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}$  onto the image domain  $\tilde{\mathcal{B}} := \tilde{\phi}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}})$  in  $\mathbf{C}^{m+1}$ . Now we define a holomorphic mapping  $\tilde{\sigma}_\gamma: \mathcal{B} \times \mathbf{C}^{m-k} \rightarrow \mathbf{C}^{m+1}$

for each  $\gamma = \begin{pmatrix} A & \mathfrak{b} \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in SU(k+1, 1)$  by

$$\tilde{\sigma}_\gamma: \begin{cases} \mathfrak{z} \mapsto (A\mathfrak{z} + \mathfrak{b}) \cdot (c\mathfrak{z} + d)^{-1} \\ \mathfrak{z}' \mapsto (c\mathfrak{z} + d)^{-1}\mathfrak{z}' \end{cases}$$

where  $z \in \mathcal{B}$  and  $z' = (z^{k+1}, \dots, z^{m+1}) \in \mathbf{C}^{m-k}$ . Then by direct calculations we get

$$\tilde{\phi}(\Psi_\gamma(z, w)) = \tilde{\sigma}_\gamma(\tilde{\phi}(z, w)) \quad \text{for all } (z, w) \in \tilde{\mathcal{D}}.$$

From this fact, the verification of (3.8) has reduced to verify the following relation

$$(3.10) \quad \tilde{\sigma}_{\gamma_2} \cdot \tilde{\sigma}_{\gamma_1} = \tilde{\sigma}_{\gamma_2 \cdot \gamma_1} \quad \text{for any } \gamma_1, \gamma_2 \in SU(k+1, 1).$$

But (3.10) follows from the relation  ${}^t\bar{A}A - {}^t\bar{c}c = 1_{k+1}$ ,  ${}^t\bar{b}b - |d|^2 = -1$  and  ${}^t\bar{b}A - \bar{d}c = 0$ , which is satisfied for any  $\begin{pmatrix} A & \bar{b} \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in U(k+1, 1)$ . Therefore we have showed that each element  $\Psi_\gamma^0 \in \text{Aut}_0(\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0)$  can be extended to the element  $\Psi_\gamma \in \text{Aut}_0(\tilde{\mathcal{D}})$  defined by (3.7). Next, taking an element  $K \in K^0_{\sqrt{-1}}$ , we define a mapping  $\Psi_{\gamma, K}: \tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0 \times \mathbf{C}^{m-k} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0 \times \mathbf{C}^{m-k}$  by

$$\Psi_{\gamma, K}: ({}^tZ, w') \mapsto ({}^t(\Psi_\gamma^0(Z)), K\tilde{w}')$$

which is nothing but the mapping  $\Psi_{\gamma, K}$  defined as before. Then, by using the expression of  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}$  as in Theorem 1, we can see easily that  $\Psi_{\gamma, K}$  defines a holomorphic transformation of  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}$ . Moreover the subset  $\{\Psi_{\gamma, K} | \gamma \in SU(k+1, 1), K \in K^0_{\sqrt{-1}}\}$  of  $\text{Aut}_0(\tilde{\mathcal{D}})$  has the structure of real Lie transformation group of  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}$  with dimension equal to  $\dim SU(k+1, 1) + \dim K^0_{\sqrt{-1}}$ . It remains to show that this Lie group coincides with  $\text{Aut}_0(\tilde{\mathcal{D}})$ . We denote by  $\mathfrak{su}(k+1, 1)$  (resp.  $\mathfrak{k}_{\sqrt{-1}}$ ) the Lie algebra of  $SU(k+1, 1)$  (resp. of  $K^0_{\sqrt{-1}}$ ). We claim the following equality

$$(3.11) \quad \dim \mathfrak{g}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}}) = \dim \mathfrak{su}(k+1, 1) + \dim \mathfrak{k}_{\sqrt{-1}}.$$

If we show (3.11), then it is obvious that  $\text{Aut}_0(\tilde{\mathcal{D}}) = \{\Psi_{\gamma, K} | \gamma \in SU(k+1, 1), K \in K^0_{\sqrt{-1}}\}$ . Let  $\Pi: \mathfrak{g}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}}) \rightarrow \mathfrak{g}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0)$  be the homomorphism defined in Corollary 3. Let  $\mathfrak{g}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}}) = \mathfrak{s} + \mathfrak{r}$  be a Levi-decomposition of  $\mathfrak{g}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}})$ , where  $\mathfrak{r}$  denotes the radical of  $\mathfrak{g}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}})$  and  $\mathfrak{s}$  denotes a maximal semi-simple subalgebra of  $\mathfrak{g}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}})$ . Put  $\mathfrak{s}_2 = \text{Ker } \Pi \cap \mathfrak{s}$ . Then  $\mathfrak{s}_2$  is an ideal of  $\mathfrak{s}$ . Thus there exists an ideal  $\mathfrak{s}_1$  of  $\mathfrak{s}$  such that  $\mathfrak{s} = \mathfrak{s}_1 + \mathfrak{s}_2$  (direct sum). Since  $\mathfrak{g}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}}_0)$  is a simple Lie algebra isomorphic to  $\mathfrak{su}(k+1, 1)$  and  $\Pi$  is surjective, it follows that  $\Pi(\mathfrak{r}) = 0$ , i.e.,  $\mathfrak{r} \subset \text{Ker } \Pi$ . Hence we get  $\mathfrak{g}(\tilde{\mathcal{D}}) = \mathfrak{s}_1 + \text{Ker } \Pi$  (direct sum) and  $\mathfrak{s}_1$  is isomorphic to  $\mathfrak{su}(k+1, 1)$ . Since  $\text{Ker } \Pi \subset \mathfrak{g}_0$  by the proof of Corollary 3, we see that  $[\mathfrak{g}_{-1} + \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2}, \text{Ker } \Pi] = 0$ . From this fact we can show in the same way as in the proof of Corollary 4 that  $\text{Ker } \Pi$  is identified with  $\mathfrak{k}_{\sqrt{-1}}$ . Thus we get the equality (3.11) and Theorem 2 is proved. q.e.d.

#### 4. Examples and remarks

Given an integer  $k$  such that  $0 \leq k \leq m$ ,  $k \neq m-1$ , there is an example of the generalized Siegel domain  $\mathcal{D}$  in  $\mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m$  with exponent  $1/2$  and  $\dim_{\mathbf{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = 2k$ .

Indeed we have the following examples.

EXAMPLES. Let  $k$  be an integer as above and  $p$  a positive integer different from 2. Put

$$\mathcal{D}_{\sqrt{-1}} = \{(w_{k+1}, \dots, w_m) \in \mathbf{C}^{m-k} \mid |w_{k+1}|^p + \dots + |w_m|^p < 1\} .$$

Obviously  $\mathcal{D}_{\sqrt{-1}}$  is a bounded Reinhardt domain in  $\mathbf{C}^{m-k}$ . For this domain  $\mathcal{D}_{\sqrt{-1}}$ , we define a domain  $\mathcal{D}$  in  $\mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m$  as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{D} = \{ & (z, w_1, \dots, w_m) \in \mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m \mid \text{Im. } z - \sum_{\alpha=1}^k |w_\alpha|^2 > 0, \\ & (\text{Im. } z - \sum_{\alpha=1}^k |w_\alpha|^2)^{-1/2} \cdot w'' \in \mathcal{D}_{\sqrt{-1}} \} , \end{aligned}$$

where  $w'' = (w_{k+1}, \dots, w_m)$ . The domain  $\mathcal{D}$  is also expressed as follows:

$$\mathcal{D} = \{(z, w_1, \dots, w_m) \in \mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m \mid \text{Im. } z - \sum_{\alpha=1}^k |w_\alpha|^2 - (\sum_{\beta=k+1}^m |w_\beta|^p)^{2/p} > 0\} .$$

We shall show that  $\mathcal{D}$  is a desired example. It is easy to see that  $\mathcal{D}$  satisfies the condition (2) of the definition of the generalized Siegel domain with exponent 1/2. Moreover the mapping  $\tilde{\phi}$  defined in (3.9) gives a biholomorphic isomorphism of  $\mathcal{D}$  onto the bounded Reinhardt domain

$$\mathcal{R} = \{(z^1, \dots, z^{k+1}, u^1, \dots, u^{m-k}) \in \mathbf{C}^{m+1} \mid \sum_{\alpha=1}^{k+1} |z^\alpha|^2 + (\sum_{\beta=1}^{m-k} |u^\beta|^p)^{2/p} < 1\}$$

in  $\mathbf{C}^{m+1}$ . Thus  $\mathcal{D}$  is a generalized Siegel domain in  $\mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m$  with exponent 1/2. Now we show that  $\dim_{\mathbf{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = 2k$ . First we recall that the group  $\text{Aut}_0(\mathcal{R})$  consists of all transformations of the following type (cf. [6], [8]):

$$(4.1) \quad \begin{cases} z \mapsto (Az + b)(cz + d)^{-1} \\ u^\beta \mapsto (cz + d)^{-1} e^{\sqrt{-1}\theta_\beta} \cdot u^\beta, \quad 1 \leq \beta \leq m-k \end{cases}$$

where  $\begin{pmatrix} A & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in U(k+1, 1)$ ,  $\theta_\beta \in \mathbf{R}$  and  $z = {}^t(z^1, \dots, z^{k+1})$ . Note that we can replace  $U(k+1, 1)$  by  $SU(k+1, 1)$  in (4.1), because any element  $g \in U(k+1, 1)$  can be written in the form  $g = e^{\sqrt{-1}\theta} \cdot g_0$  for suitable  $\theta \in \mathbf{R}$  and  $g_0 \in SU(k+1, 1)$ . Hence we get

$$(4.2) \quad \text{Aut}_0(\mathcal{R}) \cdot 0 = \{(z^1, \dots, z^{k+1}, 0, \dots, 0) \in \mathbf{C}^{m+1} \mid \sum_{j=1}^{k+1} |z^j|^2 < 1\} .$$

Since  $\text{Aut}_0(\mathcal{D}) = \tilde{\phi}^{-1} \cdot \text{Aut}_0(\mathcal{R}) \cdot \tilde{\phi}$ , (4.2) implies that

$$\text{Aut}_0(\mathcal{D}) \cdot (\sqrt{-1}, 0) = \{(z, w_1, \dots, w_k, 0, \dots, 0) \in \mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m \mid \text{Im. } z - \sum_{\alpha=1}^k |w_\alpha|^2 > 0\} .$$

From this fact, we can conclude that  $\dim_{\mathbf{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = 2k$ .



REMARK 1. In the case where  $n \geq 2$ , the analogy of Theorem 1 is not true in general. In fact we have the following example. Let

$$\mathcal{D} = \{(z_1, z_2, w_1, w_2) \in \mathbf{C}^2 \times \mathbf{C}^2 \mid \text{Im}.z_1 - |w_1|^2 - |w_2|^2 > 0, \text{Im}.z_2 - \text{Re}(\bar{w}_1 w_2) > 0\}.$$

Then  $\mathcal{D}$  is a generalized Siegel domain in  $\mathbf{C}^2 \times \mathbf{C}^2$  with exponent  $1/2$  and  $\dim_{\mathbf{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = 2$ , more precisely

$$(4.3) \quad \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = \left\{ 2\sqrt{-1} \bar{c} w_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial z_1} + \sqrt{-1} \bar{c} w_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial z_2} + c \frac{\partial}{\partial w_1} \mid c \in \mathbf{C} \right\}.$$

We shall sketch the proof of this fact. First  $\mathcal{D}$  is a generalized Siegel domain with exponent  $1/2$ . In fact,  $\mathcal{D}$  is contained in the domain

$$\mathcal{D}' = \{(z_1, z_2, w_1, w_2) \in \mathbf{C}^2 \times \mathbf{C}^2 \mid \text{Im}.z_1 - |w_1|^2 - |w_2|^2 > 0, 2\text{Im}.z_1 + \text{Im}.z_2 > 0\}$$

and  $\mathcal{D}'$  is holomorphically equivalent to a bounded domain in  $\mathbf{C}^4$ . Next we shall show that  $\dim_{\mathbf{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = 2$ . For given  $c \in \mathbf{C}$ ,  $\text{Aut}_0(\mathcal{D})$  contains the global one-parameter subgroup

$$(z_1, z_2, w_1, w_2) \mapsto (z_1 + 2\sqrt{-1} t \bar{c} w_1 + \sqrt{-1} |tc|^2, z_2 + \sqrt{-1} t \bar{c} w_2, w_1 + tc, w_2), t \in \mathbf{R}.$$

This global one-parameter subgroup induces a holomorphic vector field  $X_c = 2\sqrt{-1} \bar{c} w_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial z_1} + \sqrt{-1} \bar{c} w_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial z_2} + c \frac{\partial}{\partial w_1}$  belonging to  $\mathfrak{g}_{-1/2}$ . Thus  $\dim_{\mathbf{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} \geq 2$ . Suppose that  $\dim_{\mathbf{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = 4$ . Then we can show in the same way as in the proof of Proposition 5.1 of Vey [9] that  $\mathcal{D}$  is a Siegel domain of the second kind, and  $\mathcal{D}$  can be expressed as follows:

$$\mathcal{D} = \{(z_1, z_2, w_1, w_2) \in \mathbf{C}^2 \times \mathbf{C}^2 \mid \text{Im}.z_1 - F_1(w, w) > 0, \text{Im}.z_2 - F_2(w, w) > 0\}$$

where  $w = (w_1, w_2)$  and  $F = (F_1, F_2)$  is a  $\{x \in \mathbf{R} \mid x > 0\} \times \{x \in \mathbf{R} \mid x > 0\}$  - hermitian form. Hence  $F_1(w, w) \geq 0$  and  $F_2(w, w) \geq 0$  for any  $w \in \mathbf{C}^2$ . On the other hand, if we take a point  $(3, 0, -1, 1) \in \mathcal{D}$ , then  $\text{Im}.0 - F_2((-1, 1), (-1, 1)) > 0$  and hence  $F_2((-1, 1), (-1, 1)) < 0$ . This is a contradiction. Thus we get  $2 \leq \dim_{\mathbf{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} \neq 4$ . Hence  $\dim_{\mathbf{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = 2$ . By (4.3), we can see that there exists no non-singular linear mapping  $\mathcal{L}^3: \mathbf{C}^2 \times \mathbf{C}^2 \rightarrow \mathbf{C}^2 \times \mathbf{C}^2$  satisfying the conditions stated in Lemma 4.

REMARK 2. Let  $(z, w)$  be a coordinates system in  $\mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}$  and  $\mathcal{D}$  a generalized Siegel domain in  $\mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}$  with exponent  $c > 0$ . Then we can show in the same way as in the proof of Theorem 1 that  $\mathcal{D}$  can be expressed as follows:

$$\mathcal{D} = \{(z, w) \in \mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C} \mid \text{Im}.z - A |w|^{1/c} > 0\}$$

where  $A$  is a positive real number depending only on  $\mathcal{D}$ .

REMARK 3. Let  $\mathcal{D}$  be a generalized Siegel domain in  $\mathbf{C} \times \mathbf{C}^m$  with exponent

$1/2$  and  $\dim_{\mathbf{R}} \mathfrak{g}_{-1/2} = 2k, 0 \leq k \leq m$ . Then there is a natural  $\text{Aut}_0(\mathcal{D})$ -equivariant holomorphic imbedding of  $\mathcal{D}$  into the complex projective space  $P_{m+1}(\mathbf{C})$ .

In order to show this fact, we may identify  $\mathcal{D}$  with the generalized Siegel domain  $\tilde{\mathcal{D}}$  as in Theorem 1. Let  $\tilde{\phi}: \tilde{\mathcal{D}} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{B}}$  be the biholomorphic isomorphism defined in (3.9). Then  $\tilde{\mathcal{B}}$  is a domain in  $\mathbf{C}^{m+1}$  and the group  $\text{Aut}_0(\tilde{\mathcal{B}})$  consists of all holomorphic transformations of the following type:

$$\tilde{\Psi}_{\gamma, K}: \begin{cases} \mathfrak{z} \mapsto (A\mathfrak{z} + \mathfrak{b})(c\mathfrak{z} + d)^{-1} \\ \mathfrak{z}' \mapsto K \cdot (c\mathfrak{z} + d)^{-1} \cdot \mathfrak{z}' \end{cases}$$

where  $\mathfrak{z} = {}^t(z^1, \dots, z^{k+1}), \mathfrak{z}' = {}^t(z^{k+2}, \dots, z^{m+1}), \gamma = \begin{pmatrix} A & \mathfrak{b} \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in SU(k+1, 1)$  and  $K \in K^0_{\sqrt{-1}}$ . Note that  $K^0_{\sqrt{-1}}$  is a subgroup of  $GL(m-k, \mathbf{C})$ . By using a homogeneous coordinate of  $P_{m+1}(\mathbf{C})$ , we define a holomorphic imbedding  $\tilde{l}: \mathbf{C}^{m+1} \hookrightarrow P_{m+1}(\mathbf{C})$  by

$$\tilde{l}: {}^t(z^1, \dots, z^{k+1}, z^{k+2}, \dots, z^{m+1}) \mapsto {}^t(z^1, \dots, z^{k+1}, 1, z^{k+2}, \dots, z^{m+1}).$$

Then it is easy to see that the restriction  $\tilde{l}: \tilde{\mathcal{B}} \hookrightarrow P_{m+1}(\mathbf{C})$  defines an  $\text{Aut}_0(\tilde{\mathcal{B}})$ -equivariant holomorphic imbedding of  $\tilde{\mathcal{B}}$  into  $P_{m+1}(\mathbf{C})$ , where the holomorphic transformation  $\tilde{\Psi}_{\gamma, K}$  of  $\tilde{\mathcal{B}}$  is extended to a projective transformation  $\overline{\Psi}_{\gamma, K}$  of  $P_{m+1}(\mathbf{C})$  induced by the matrix

$$\left( \begin{array}{cc|cc} A & \mathfrak{b} & & 0 \\ c & d & & 0 \\ \hline 0 & & & K \end{array} \right) \in GL(m+2, \mathbf{C}).$$

Putting  $l = \tilde{l} \cdot \tilde{\phi}$ , we get a desired  $\text{Aut}_0(\mathcal{D})$ -equivariant holomorphic imbedding  $l: \mathcal{D} \hookrightarrow P_{m+1}(\mathbf{C})$ .

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