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## Research Article

# On the Stability of a New Pexider-Type Functional Equation

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We establish the generalized Hyers-Ulam stability of a Pexider-type functional equation  $f_1(x + y + z) + f_2(x - y) + f_3(x - z) - f_4(x - y - z) - f_5(x + y) - f_6(x + z) = 0$ , which is mixed of a quadratic and an additive functional equations. Also, we obtain its general solution from the stability results.

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#### 1. Introduction

In 1940, Ulam [1] raised the following question. Under what conditions does there exist an additive mapping near an approximately additive mapping?

In 1941, Hyers [2] proved that if  $f: V \rightarrow X$  is a mapping satisfying

$$||f(x+y) - f(x) - f(y)|| \le \delta$$
 (1.1)

for all  $x, y \in V$ , where V and X are Banach spaces and  $\delta$  is a given positive number, then there exists a unique additive mapping  $T: V \rightarrow X$  such that

$$||f(x) - T(x)|| \le \delta \tag{1.2}$$

for all  $x \in V$ . In 1978, Rassias [3] gave a significant generalization of Hyers' result. Rassias [4] during the 27th International Symposium on Functional Equations, that took place in Bielsko-Biala, Poland, in 1990, asked the question whether such a theorem can also be proved for a more general setting. Gadja [5] following Rassias's approach [3] gave an affirmative solution to the question. Recently, Găvruța [6] obtained a further generalization of Rassias' theorem,

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the so-called generalized Hyers-Ulam-Rassias stability (see also [4, 7-10]). Jun et al. [11-13] also obtained the Hyers-Ulam-Rassias stability of the Pexider equation of f(x + y) = g(x) + h(y). Quadratic functional equation was used to characterize inner product spaces [14]. Several other functional equations were also to characterize inner product spaces. A square norm on an inner product space satisfies the important parallelogram equality

$$||x + y||^2 + ||x - y||^2 = 2(||x||^2 + ||y||^2).$$
(1.3)

The functional equation

$$f(x+y) + f(x-y) = 2f(x) + 2f(y)$$
(1.4)

is related to a symmetric biadditive function [14]. It is natural that each equation is called a quadratic functional equation. A stability problem for the quadratic functional equation was proved by Skof [15] for a function  $f: V \rightarrow X$ , where V is a normed space and X a Banach space. Cholewa [16] noticed that the theorem of Skof is still true if the relevant domain V is replaced by an Abelian group. Czerwik [17] proved the Hyers-Ulam-Rassias stability of the quadratic functional equation. Jun and Lee [13, 18–22] proved the Hyers-Ulam-Rassias stability of the Pexiderized quadratic equation

$$f(x+y) + g(x-y) = 2h(x) + 2k(y). (1.5)$$

Now, we introduce the following new Pexider type functional equation:

$$f_1(x+y+z) + f_2(x-y) + f_3(z-x) - f_4(x-y-z) - f_5(x+y) - f_6(x+z) = 0,$$
 (1.6)

which is mixed of a quadratic and an additive functional equations. In this paper, we establish the generalized Hyers-Ulam-Rassias stability for (1.6) on the punctured domain  $V \setminus \{0\}$  and obtain its general solution from the stability results. Throughout this paper, let V and X be a normed space and a Banach space, respectively. For convenience, we employ the operators as follows: for a given function  $\varphi: V \setminus \{0\} \times V \setminus \{0\} \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ , let  $\varphi', \varphi_e, \varphi'_e: (V \setminus \{0\})^3 \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ ,  $M, M', M_e, M'_e: V \setminus \{0\} \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  be functions defined by

$$\varphi'(x,y,z) := \frac{1}{2} [\varphi(x,y,z) + \varphi(-x,y,z)], 
\varphi_{e}(x,y,z) := \frac{1}{2} [\varphi(x,y,z) + \varphi(-x,-y,-z)], 
\varphi'_{e}(x,y,z) := \frac{1}{4} [\varphi(x,y,z) + \varphi(-x,y,z) + \varphi(-x,-y,-z) + \varphi(x,-y,-z)], 
M(x) := \varphi'\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{3x}{2}, -\frac{x}{2}\right) + 2\varphi'\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, -\frac{x}{2}\right) + \varphi'\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}\right), 
M'(x) := \varphi'\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, -\frac{3x}{2}\right) + 2\varphi'\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, -\frac{x}{2}\right) + \varphi'\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}\right), 
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M'_{e}(x) := \varphi'_{e}\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, -\frac{3x}{2}\right) + 2\varphi'_{e}\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, -\frac{x}{2}\right) + \varphi'_{e}\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}\right)$$

for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ .

#### 2. Generalized Hyers-Ulam-Rassias stability

We need the following lemma to prove our main results.

**Lemma 2.1.** Let a be a positive real number. Let  $\Phi: V \setminus \{0\} \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  be a map such that

$$\widetilde{\Phi}(x) := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{a^{l+1}} \Phi(2^l x) < \infty \quad \forall \ x \in V \setminus \{0\}$$
 (2.1)

or

$$\widetilde{\Phi}(x) := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} a^l \Phi\left(\frac{x}{2^{l+1}}\right) < \infty \quad \forall \ x \in V \setminus \{0\}.$$
 (2.2)

Suppose that the function  $f: V \rightarrow X$  satisfies the inequality

$$\left\| f(x) - \frac{f(2x)}{a} \right\| \le \frac{\Phi(x)}{a} \tag{2.3}$$

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$  and f(0) = 0. Then, there exists exactly one function  $F: V \rightarrow X$  satisfying

$$||f(x) - F(x)|| \le \widetilde{\Phi}(x) \quad \forall \ x \in V \setminus \{0\}, \qquad aF(x) = F(2x) \quad \forall \ x \in V.$$
 (2.4)

*Proof.* First we assume that  $\Phi$  satisfies

$$\sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \frac{\Phi(2^l x)}{a^{l+1}} < \infty \tag{2.5}$$

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Replacing x by  $2^n x$  and dividing it by  $a^n$  in (2.3), we have

$$\left\| \frac{f(2^n x)}{a^n} - \frac{f(2^{n+1} x)}{a^{n+1}} \right\| \le \frac{\Phi(2^n x)}{a^{n+1}}$$
 (2.6)

for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Induction argument implies that

$$\left\| f(x) - \frac{f(2^n x)}{a^n} \right\| \le \sum_{s=0}^{n-1} \frac{\Phi(2^s x)}{a^{s+1}}$$
 (2.7)

for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Hence

$$\left\| \frac{f(2^n x)}{a^n} - \frac{f(2^m x)}{a^m} \right\| \le \sum_{s=n}^{m-1} \frac{\Phi(2^s x)}{a^{s+1}}$$
 (2.8)

for all positive integers m > n and  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . This shows that  $\{f(2^n x)/a^n\}$  is a Cauchy sequence for  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$  and thus converges. Therefore, we can define  $F: V \to X$  such that

$$F(x) = \begin{cases} \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{f(2^n x)}{a^n}, & \text{if } x \neq 0, \\ 0, & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$$
 (2.9)

for all  $x \in V$ . From (2.7) and the definition of F, we obtain

$$||f(x) - F(x)|| \le \widetilde{\Phi}(x), \qquad aF(x) = F(2x)$$
 (2.10)

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Now, let  $F' : V \setminus \{0\} \rightarrow X$  be another mapping satisfying the above inequality and equality. Then, it follows that

$$||F(x) - F'(x)|| \le \left\| \frac{f(2^m x)}{a^m} - \frac{F(2^m x)}{a^m} \right\| + \left\| \frac{f(2^m x)}{a^m} - \frac{F'(2^m x)}{a^m} \right\|$$

$$\le \frac{\tilde{\Phi}(2^m x)}{a^m}$$
(2.11)

which tends to zero by the definition of  $\widetilde{\Phi}$  as  $m \to \infty$  for all  $x \in V$ . So we can conclude that F(x) = F'(x) for all  $x \in V$ . This proves the uniqueness of F.

Next we assume that  $\Phi$  satisfies

$$\sum_{l=0}^{\infty} a^l \Phi\left(\frac{x}{2^{l+1}}\right) < \infty \tag{2.12}$$

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Replacing x by  $2^{-n-1}x$  and multiplying it by  $a^{n+1}$  in (2.3), we have

$$||a^n f(2^{-n}x) - a^{n+1} f(2^{-n-1}x)|| \le a^n \Phi(2^{-n-1}x)$$
(2.13)

for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Induction argument implies that

$$||f(x) - a^n f(2^{-n}x)|| \le \sum_{s=0}^{n-1} a^s \Phi(2^{-s-1}x)$$
(2.14)

for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Hence

$$||a^n f(2^{-n}x) - a^m f(2^{-m}x)|| \le \sum_{s=n}^{m-1} a^s \Phi(2^{-s-1}x)$$
 (2.15)

for all positive integers m > n and  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . This shows that  $\{a^n f(2^{-n}x)\}$  is a Cauchy sequence for  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$  and thus converges. Therefore we can define  $F: V \to X$  such that

$$F(x) = \begin{cases} \lim_{n \to \infty} a^n f(2^{-n}x) & \text{if } x \neq 0, \\ 0 & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$$
 (2.16)

for all  $x \in V$ . From (2.14) and the definition of F, we obtain

$$||f(x) - F(x)|| \le \tilde{\Phi}(x), \qquad aF(x) = F(2x)$$
 (2.17)

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ .

The uniqueness of F is proved similarly as the first case. This completes the proof.  $\Box$ 

We establish the stability results for the even functions in Theorems 2.2 and 2.3.

**Theorem 2.2.** Let  $\varphi : V \setminus \{0\} \times V \setminus \{0\} \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  be a function such that

$$\widetilde{\varphi}(x, y, z) := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{4^{l+1}} \varphi(2^{l}x, 2^{l}y, 2^{l}z) < \infty$$
 (a)

holds for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . If the even functions  $f_1, f_2, f_3, f_4, f_5, f_6 : V \rightarrow X$  satisfy the inequality

$$||f_1(x+y+z) + f_2(x-y) + f_3(x-z) - f_4(x-y-z) - f_5(x+y) - f_6(x+z)|| \le \varphi(x,y,z)$$
(2.18)

for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ , then there exists exactly one quadratic function  $Q: V \rightarrow X$  satisfying the inequalities

$$||f_{1}(x) - f_{1}(0) - Q(x)|| \leq \frac{1}{2} \left[ \varphi' \left( \frac{x}{2}, \frac{3}{2}x, -x \right) + \varphi' \left( \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, -x \right) \right]$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2} \widetilde{M}(2x) + \widetilde{M}(x) + \varphi' \left( \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, -\frac{x}{2} \right) + \varphi' \left( \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{2} \right),$$

$$||f_{2}(x) - f_{2}(0) - Q(x)|| \leq \widetilde{M}(x) + \varphi' \left( \frac{x}{4}, \frac{3x}{4}, -\frac{x}{4} \right) + \varphi' \left( \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4} \right),$$

$$||f_{3}(x) - f_{3}(0) - Q(x)|| \leq \widetilde{M}'(x) + \varphi' \left( \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, -\frac{3x}{4} \right) + \varphi' \left( \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4} \right),$$

$$||f_{4}(x) - f_{4}(0) - Q(x)|| \leq \frac{1}{2} \left[ \varphi' \left( \frac{x}{2}, \frac{3}{2}x, -x \right) + \varphi' \left( \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, -x \right) \right]$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2} \widetilde{M}(2x) + \widetilde{M}(x) + \varphi' \left( \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, -\frac{x}{2} \right) + \varphi' \left( \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{2} \right),$$

$$||f_{5}(x) - f_{5}(0) - Q(x)|| \leq \widetilde{M}(x) + \varphi' \left( \frac{x}{4}, \frac{3x}{4}, -\frac{x}{4} \right) + \varphi' \left( \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4} \right),$$

$$||f_{6}(x) - f_{6}(0) - Q(x)|| \leq \widetilde{M}'(x) + \varphi' \left( \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, -\frac{3x}{4} \right) + \varphi' \left( \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4} \right),$$

$$||f_{6}(x) - f_{6}(0) - Q(x)|| \leq \widetilde{M}'(x) + \varphi' \left( \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, -\frac{3x}{4} \right) + \varphi' \left( \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4} \right),$$

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ , where

$$\widetilde{M}(x) := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{4^{l+1}} M(2^l x), \qquad \widetilde{M}'(x) := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{4^{l+1}} M'(2^l x)$$
 (2.21)

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Moreover, the function Q is given by

$$Q(x) = \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{f_k(2^n x)}{4^n}$$
 (2.22)

for all  $x \in V$  and for k = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6.

*Proof.* Replace x by -x in (2.18) to obtain

$$||f_1(x-y-z) + f_2(x+y) + f_3(x+z) - f_4(x+y+z) - f_5(x-y) - f_6(x-z)|| \le \varphi(-x,y,z)$$
(2.23)

for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . From (2.18) and (2.23), we get

$$\|(f_1 + f_4)(x + y + z) + (f_2 + f_5)(x - y) + (f_3 + f_6)(x - z) - (f_1 + f_4)(x - y - z) - (f_2 + f_5)(x + y) - (f_3 + f_6)(x + z)\| \le \varphi(-x, y, z) + \varphi(x, y, z)$$
(2.24)

for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Let the functions  $F, G, H : V \rightarrow X$  be defined by

$$F(x) = \frac{1}{2} [f_1(x) + f_4(x) - f_1(0) - f_4(0)],$$

$$G(x) = \frac{1}{2} [f_2(x) + f_5(x) - f_2(0) - f_5(0)],$$

$$H(x) = \frac{1}{2} [f_3(x) + f_6(x) - f_3(0) - f_6(0)]$$
(2.25)

for all  $x, y, z \in V$ . Then, it follows from (2.24) that

$$||F(x+y+z) + G(x-y) + H(x-z) - F(x-y-z) - G(x+y) - H(x+z)|| \le \varphi'(x,y,z)$$
(2.26)

for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ , where  $\varphi'(x, y, z) = (1/2)[\varphi(x, y, z) + \varphi(-x, y, z)]$ . Replace y and z by x and -x in (2.26) to get

$$||H(2x) - G(2x)|| \le \varphi'(x, x, -x) \tag{2.27}$$

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ .

Replacing y, z by x in (2.26) and using (2.27), we get

$$||F(3x) - F(x) - 2G(2x)|| \le \varphi'(x, x, x) + \varphi'(x, x, -x)$$
(2.28)

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Replacing x, y, z by x, 3x, -x in (2.26) and using (2.27), one obtains

$$||F(3x) - F(x) - G(4x) + 2G(2x)|| \le \varphi'(x, 3x, -x) + \varphi'(x, x, -x)$$
(2.29)

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . From (2.28) and the above inequality, we have

$$||G(4x) - 4G(2x)|| \le \varphi'(x, 3x, -x) + 2\varphi'(x, x, -x) + \varphi'(x, x, x)$$
(2.30)

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Replacing x by x/2 and dividing it by 4 in the above inequality, we get

$$\left\| G(x) - \frac{G(2x)}{4} \right\| \le \frac{M(x)}{4}$$
 (2.31)

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . By Lemma 2.1, there exists  $\lim_{n\to\infty} (G(2^nx)/4^n)$  for all  $x\in V$  satisfying

$$\left\| G(x) - \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{G(2^n x)}{4^n} \right\| \le \widetilde{M}(x) \tag{2.32}$$

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ , where

$$\widetilde{M}(x) := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{4^{l+1}} M(2^l x).$$
 (2.33)

By the similar method in obtaining inequality (2.32), we get

$$\left\| H(x) - \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{H(2^n x)}{4^n} \right\| \le \widetilde{M}'(x) \tag{2.34}$$

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ , where

$$\widetilde{M}'(x) := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{4^{l+1}} M'(2^l x). \tag{2.35}$$

From (2.27), we have

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{G(2^n x)}{4^n} = \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{H(2^n x)}{4^n}$$
 (2.36)

for all  $x \in V$ . From (2.36), we can define a map  $Q: V \rightarrow X$  by

$$Q(x) = \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{G(2^n x)}{4^n}$$
(2.37)

for all  $x \in V$ . It follows from (2.26), (2.32), and (2.37) that

$$||F(x) - Q(x)|| \le \frac{1}{2} ||F(x) + G(x) + H\left(\frac{3}{2}x\right) - G(2x) - H\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)|| + \frac{1}{2} ||G(x) - Q(x)|| + ||F(x) + G(x) + H\left(\frac{1}{2}x\right) - H\left(\frac{3}{2}x\right)|| + \frac{1}{2} ||G(2x) - Q(2x)|| \le \frac{1}{2} \varphi'\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{3}{2}x, -x\right) + \frac{1}{2} \widetilde{M}(2x) + \frac{1}{2} \varphi'\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, -x\right) + \widetilde{M}(x)$$
(2.38)

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Replacing x by  $2^n x$ , dividing it by  $4^n$  in the above inequality and taking the limit in the resulted inequality as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , we have

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{F(2^n x)}{4^n} = Q(x) \tag{2.39}$$

for all  $x \in V$ . Using (2.26), (2.36), (2.37), and (2.39), we obtain

$$Q(x+y+z) + Q(x-y) + Q(z-x) - Q(x-y-z) - Q(x+y) - Q(x+z) = 0$$
 (2.40)

for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Replacing x and z by x/2 in (2.40) and using the fact Q(0) = 0, we have

$$Q(x+y) + Q\left(\frac{x}{2} - y\right) - Q(-y) - Q\left(\frac{x}{2} + y\right) - Q(x) = 0$$
 (2.41)

for all  $x, y \in V$ . Replace x and z by x/2 and -x/2 in (2.40) to have

$$Q(y) + Q\left(\frac{x}{2} - y\right) + Q(x) - Q(x - y) - Q\left(\frac{x}{2} + y\right) = 0$$
 (2.42)

for all  $x, y \in V$ . Subtracting (2.41) from (2.42) and using the evenness of Q, we lead to

$$Q(x+y) + Q(x-y) - 2Q(x) - 2Q(y) = 0, (2.43)$$

for all  $x, y \in V$ .

On the other hand, it follows from (2.18) and (2.23) that

$$\|(f_1 - f_4)(x + y + z) + (f_2 - f_5)(x - y) + (f_3 - f_6)(x - z) + (f_1 - f_4)(x - y - z) + (f_2 - f_5)(x + y) + (f_3 - f_6)(-x + z)\| \le \varphi(-x, y, z) + \varphi(x, y, z)$$
(2.44)

for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Let the functions  $F', G', H' : V \rightarrow X$  be defined by

$$F'(x) = \frac{1}{2} [f_1(x) - f_4(x)], \qquad G'(x) = \frac{1}{2} [f_2(x) - f_5(x)], \qquad H'(x) = \frac{1}{2} [f_3(x) - f_6(x)] \quad (2.45)$$

for all  $x, y, z \in V$ .

From (2.44), we have

$$||F'(x+y+z) + G'(x-y) + H'(x-z) + F'(x-y-z) + G'(x+y) + H'(x+z)|| \le \varphi'(x,y,z)$$
(2.46)

for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Replace y, z by x in (2.46) to get

$$||F'(3x) + F'(x) + G'(2x) + G'(0) + H'(2x) + H'(0)|| \le \varphi'(x, x, x)$$
(2.47)

for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Replace x, y, z by x, 3x, -x in (2.46) to get

$$||F'(3x) + F'(x) + G'(2x) + G'(4x) + H'(2x) + H'(0)|| \le \varphi'(x, 3x, -x)$$
(2.48)

for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . From (2.47) and the above inequality, we have

$$||G'(4x) - G'(0)|| \le \varphi'(x, 3x, -x) + \varphi'(x, x, x)$$
(2.49)

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ .

Replace x, y, z by x, x, -3x in (2.46) to get

$$||F'(3x) + F'(x) + G'(2x) + G'(0) + H'(2x) + H'(4x)|| \le \varphi'(x, x, -3x)$$
(2.50)

for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . From (2.47) and the above inequality, we get

$$||H'(4x) - H'(0)|| \le \varphi'(x, x, -3x) + \varphi'(x, x, x)$$
(2.51)

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . It follows from (2.46) that

$$||F'(4x) - F'(0)|| \le ||F'(0) + G'(0) + H'(3x) + F'(2x) + G'(2x) + H'(x)|| + ||F'(4x) + G'(0) + H'(x) + F'(2x) + G'(2x) + H'(3x)|| \le \varphi'(x, x, -2x) + \varphi'(x, x, 2x)$$
(2.52)

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . By the definitions of F, G, H, F', G', H', we have

$$f_{1}(x) - f_{1}(0) - Q(x) = F(x) + F'(x) - F'(0) - Q(x),$$

$$f_{2}(x) - f_{2}(0) - Q(x) = G(x) + G'(x) - F'(0) - Q(x),$$

$$f_{3}(x) - f_{3}(0) - Q(x) = H(x) + H'(x) - H'(0) - Q(x),$$

$$f_{4}(x) - f_{4}(0) - Q(x) = F(x) - F'(x) + F'(0) - Q(x),$$

$$f_{5}(x) - f_{5}(0) - Q(x) = G(x) - G'(x) + G'(0) - Q(x),$$

$$f_{6}(x) - f_{6}(0) - Q(x) = H(x) - H'(x) + H'(0) - Q(x)$$

$$(2.53)$$

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Hence by using (2.32), (2.34), (2.36), (2.37), (2.38), (2.49), (2.51), and (2.52), the inequalities in (2.19) can be shown. The uniqueness of *Q* follows from Lemma 2.1.

**Theorem 2.3.** Let  $\varphi : V \setminus \{0\} \times V \setminus \{0\} \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  be a function such that

$$\widetilde{\varphi}(x, y, z) := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} 4^{l} \varphi\left(\frac{x}{2^{l+1}}, \frac{y}{2^{l+1}}, \frac{z}{2^{l+1}}\right) < \infty$$
 (a')

holds for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . If the even functions  $f_1, f_2, f_3, f_4, f_5, f_6 : V \rightarrow X$  satisfy inequality (2.18) for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ , then there exists exactly one quadratic function  $Q : V \rightarrow X$  satisfying inequalities (2.19) for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ , where

$$\widetilde{M}(x) := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} 4^{l} M\left(\frac{x}{2^{l+1}}\right), \qquad \widetilde{M}'(x) := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} 4^{l} M'\left(\frac{x}{2^{l+1}}\right).$$
 (2.54)

Moreover, the function Q is given by

$$Q(x) = \lim_{n \to \infty} 4^n \left( f_k(2^{-n}x) - f_k(0) \right)$$
 (2.55)

for all  $x \in V$  and for k = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6.

*Proof.* The proof is similar to that of Theorem 2.2.

Applying Theorems 2.2 and 2.3, we get the following corollary in the sense of Rassias inequality.

**Corollary 2.4.** Let  $p \neq 2$  and  $\varepsilon > 0$ . If the even functions  $f_i : V \rightarrow X$ , i = 1, 2, ..., 6, satisfy

$$||f_1(x+y+z) + f_2(x-y) + f_3(x-z) - f_4(x-y-z) - f_5(x+y) - f_6(x+z)||$$

$$\leq \varepsilon (||x||^p + ||y||^p + ||z||^p)$$
(2.56)

for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ .

Then there exist exactly one quadratic function  $Q: V \rightarrow X$  satisfying

$$||f_{1}(x) - f_{1}(0) - Q(x)|| \leq \left[1 + \frac{(3^{p} + 11)(2^{p} + 2)}{2 \cdot 2^{p}|2^{p} - 4|} + \frac{7 + 3^{p}}{2 \cdot 2^{p}} + \frac{4}{4^{p}}\right] \cdot \varepsilon \cdot ||x||^{p},$$

$$||f_{4}(x) - f_{4}(0) - Q(x)|| \leq \left[1 + \frac{(3^{p} + 11)(2^{p} + 2)}{2 \cdot 2^{p}|2^{p} - 4|} + \frac{7 + 3^{p}}{2 \cdot 2^{p}} + \frac{4}{4^{p}}\right] \cdot \varepsilon \cdot ||x||^{p},$$

$$||f_{j}(x) - f_{j}(0) - Q(x)|| \leq \left[\frac{3^{p} + 11}{2^{p}|2^{p} - 4|} + \frac{3^{p} + 5}{4^{p}}\right] \cdot \varepsilon \cdot ||x||^{p}$$

$$(2.57)$$

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$  and j = 2, 3, 5, 6. Moreover, the function Q is given by

$$Q(x) = \begin{cases} \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{f_k(2^n x)}{4^n} & \text{if } p < 2, \\ \lim_{n \to \infty} 4^n (f_k(2^{-n} x) - f_k(0)) & \text{if } p > 2 \end{cases}$$
 (2.58)

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$  and k = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6

*Proof.* Apply Theorem 2.2 for p < 2 and Theorem 2.3 for p > 2.

We establish Theorems 2.5 and 2.6 for the odd functions.

**Theorem 2.5.** Let  $\varphi : V \setminus \{0\} \times V \setminus \{0\} \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  be a function such that

$$\widehat{\varphi}(x,y,z) := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^{l+1}} \varphi(2^l x, 2^l y, 2^l z) < \infty$$
 (b)

holds for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . If the odd functions  $f_1, f_2, f_3, f_4, f_5, f_6 : V \rightarrow X$  satisfy

$$||f_1(x+y+z) + f_2(x-y) + f_3(x-z) - f_4(x-y-z) - f_5(x+y) - f_6(x+z)|| \le \varphi(x,y,z)$$
(2.59)

for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ , then there exist exactly three additive functions  $A, A_1, A_2 : V \rightarrow X$  satisfying

$$||f_{1}(x) - A(x) + A_{1}(x) + A_{2}(x)|| \leq \varphi'\left(\frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, -\frac{x}{2}\right) + \varphi'\left(\frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{2}\right) + \varphi'\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, x\right) + \widehat{\varphi}'\left(\frac{x}{2}, -\frac{x}{2}, x\right),$$

$$||f_{2}(x) - A(x) - A_{1}(x)|| \leq \widehat{M}(x) + \widehat{\varphi}'\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{3x}{2}, -\frac{x}{2}\right) + \widehat{\varphi}'\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}\right),$$

$$||f_{3}(x) - A(x) - A_{2}(x)|| \leq \widehat{M}'(x) + \widehat{\varphi}'\left(\frac{x}{2}, -\frac{x}{2}, \frac{3x}{2}\right) + \widehat{\varphi}'\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}\right),$$

$$||f_{4}(x) - A(x) - A_{1}(x) - A_{2}(x)|| \leq \varphi'\left(\frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, -\frac{x}{2}\right) + \varphi'\left(\frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{2}\right) + \varphi'\left(\frac{x}{2}, -\frac{x}{2}, x\right),$$

$$||f_{5}(x) - A(x) + A_{1}(x)|| \leq \widehat{M}(x) + \widehat{\varphi}'\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{3x}{2}, -\frac{x}{2}\right) + \widehat{\varphi}'\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}\right),$$

$$||f_{6}(x) - A(x) + A_{2}(x)|| \leq \widehat{M}'(x) + \widehat{\varphi}'\left(\frac{x}{2}, -\frac{x}{2}, \frac{3x}{2}\right) + \widehat{\varphi}'\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}\right),$$

$$||f_{6}(x) - A(x) + A_{2}(x)|| \leq \widehat{M}'(x) + \widehat{\varphi}'\left(\frac{x}{2}, -\frac{x}{2}, \frac{3x}{2}\right) + \widehat{\varphi}'\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}\right)$$

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ , where

$$\widehat{M}(x) := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^{l+1}} M(2^{l}x), \qquad \widehat{M}'(x) := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^{l+1}} M'(2^{l}x),$$

$$\widehat{\varphi}'(x, y, z) := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^{l+1}} \varphi'(2^{l}x, 2^{l}y, 2^{l}z).$$
(2.62)

Moreover, the functions A,  $A_1$ ,  $A_2$  are given by

$$A(x) = \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{f_1(2^n x) + f_4(2^n x)}{2^{n+1}},$$

$$A_1(x) = \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{f_2(2^n x) - f_5(2^n x)}{2^{n+1}},$$

$$A_2(x) = \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{f_3(2^n x) - f_6(2^n x)}{2^{n+1}}$$
(2.63)

for all  $x \in V$ .

*Proof.* Replace x by -x in (2.59) to obtain

$$\|-f_1(x-y-z)-f_2(x+y)-f_3(x+z)+f_4(x+y+z)+f_5(x-y)+f_6(x-z)\| \le \varphi(-x,y,z)$$
(2.64)

for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Let the functions  $F, G, H : V \rightarrow X$  be defined by

$$F(x) = \frac{1}{2} [f_1(x) + f_4(x)], \qquad G(x) = \frac{1}{2} [f_2(x) + f_5(x)], \qquad H(x) = \frac{1}{2} [f_3(x) + f_6(x)]$$
 (2.65)

for all  $x, y, z \in V$ . From (2.59) and (2.64), we get

$$||F(x+y+z) + G(x-y) + H(x-z) - F(x-y-z) - G(x+y) - H(x+z)|| \le \varphi'(x,y,z)$$
(2.66)

for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . From (2.66), we have

$$||H(2x) - G(2x)|| \le \varphi'(x, x, -x),$$
 (2.67)

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . It follows from (2.66) and (2.67) that

$$||G(4x) - 2G(2x)|| = || - F(3x) - F(x) + G(2x) + G(4x) - H(2x)|| + ||2H(2x) - 2G(2x)|| + ||F(3x) + F(x) - G(2x) - H(2x)|| \leq \varphi'(x, x, x) + 2\varphi'(x, x, -x) + \varphi'(x, 3x, -x)$$
(2.68)

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Replacing x by x/2 and dividing it by 2 in the above inequality, we obtain

$$\left\| G(x) - \frac{G(2x)}{2} \right\| \le \frac{M(x)}{2}$$
 (2.69)

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Applying Lemma 2.1, we obtain

$$\left\| G(x) - \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{G(2^n x)}{2^n} \right\| \le \widehat{M}(x) \tag{2.70}$$

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Similarly we have

$$\left\| H(x) - \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{H(2^n x)}{2^n} \right\| \le \widehat{M}'(x) \tag{2.71}$$

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . From (2.67), we get

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{G(2^n x)}{2^n} = \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{H(2^n x)}{2^n}$$
 (2.72)

for all  $x \in V$  and we can define a function  $A: V \rightarrow X$  by

$$A(x) = \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{G(2^n x)}{2^n} = \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{H(2^n x)}{2^n}$$
 (2.73)

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . It follows from (2.66) and (2.70) that

$$\begin{aligned} \left\| F(x) - A(x) \right\| &= \left\| F(x) - H\left(\frac{x}{4}\right) + F\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) - G\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) - H\left(\frac{3x}{4}\right) \right\| \\ &+ \left\| H\left(\frac{3x}{4}\right) - F\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) - G\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) + H\left(\frac{x}{4}\right) \right\| + \left\| 2G\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) - 2A\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) \right\| \end{aligned}$$

$$\leq \varphi'\left(\frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, -\frac{x}{2}\right) + \varphi'\left(\frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{2}\right) + 2\widehat{M}\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)$$

$$(2.74)$$

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Replacing x by  $2^n x$ , dividing it by  $2^n$  in the above inequality and taking the limit in the resulted inequality as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , we obtain

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{F(2^n x)}{2^n} = A(x) \tag{2.75}$$

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . From (2.73) and (2.75), we have

$$A(x+y+z) + A(x-y) + A(x-z) - A(x-y-z) - A(x+y) - A(x+z) = 0$$
 (2.76)

for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Replace y and z by 2y and x in (2.76) to obtain

$$A(2x+2y) + A(x-2y) + A(2y) - A(x+2y) - A(2x) = 0$$
(2.77)

for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Replace y and z by -2y and x in (2.76) to get

$$A(2x-2y) + A(x+2y) - A(2y) - A(x-2y) - A(2x) = 0$$
(2.78)

for all  $x, y \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Since A(0) = 0 and A(2x) = 2A(x), using the above two equalities, we have

$$A(x-y) + A(x+y) - A(2x) = 0 (2.79)$$

for all  $x, y \in V$ . Hence, A is an additive function.

Let the functions  $F', G', H' : V \rightarrow X$  be defined by

$$F'(x) = \frac{1}{2} [f_1(x) - f_4(x)], \qquad G'(x) = \frac{1}{2} [f_2(x) - f_5(x)], \qquad H'(x) = \frac{1}{2} [f_3(x) - f_6(x)] \quad (2.80)$$

for all  $x, y, z \in V$ . From (2.59) and (2.64), we have

$$||F'(x+y+z) + G'(x-y) + H'(x-z) + F'(x-y-z) + G'(x+y) + H'(x+z)|| \le \varphi'(x,y,z)$$
(2.81)

for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . It follows from (2.81) that

$$\left\| G'(x) - \frac{G'(2x)}{2} \right\| \le \frac{1}{2} \left\| F'\left(\frac{3x}{2}\right) - F'\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) - G'(x) + G'(2x) + H'(x) \right\|$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2} \left\| F'\left(\frac{3x}{2}\right) - F'\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) + G'(x) + H'(x) \right\|$$

$$\le \frac{1}{2} \varphi'\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{3x}{2}, -\frac{x}{2}\right) + \frac{1}{2} \varphi'\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}\right)$$
(2.82)

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Applying Lemma 2.1, we obtain an odd function  $A_1 : V \rightarrow X$  defined by

$$A_1(x) = \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{G'(2^n x)}{2^n};$$
(2.83)

and the inequality

$$\|G'(x) - A_1(x)\| \le \widehat{\varphi}'\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{3x}{2}, -\frac{x}{2}\right) + \widehat{\varphi}'\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}\right)$$
 (2.84)

holds for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Similarly we have an odd function  $A_2 : V \rightarrow X$  defined by

$$A_2(x) = \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{H'(2^n x)}{2^n}$$
 (2.85)

for all  $x \in V$  and the inequality

$$\|H'(x) - A_2(x)\| \le \widehat{\varphi}'\left(\frac{x}{2}, -\frac{x}{2}, \frac{3x}{2}\right) + \widehat{\varphi}'\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}\right)$$
 (2.86)

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Replace x, y, z by x, x, -x in (2.81) to get

$$||2F'(x) + G'(2x) + H'(2x)|| \le \varphi'(x, x, -x)$$
(2.87)

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Replacing x by  $2^{n-1}x$  and dividing it by  $2^n$  in the above inequality, we obtain

$$\left\| \frac{2F'(2^{n-1}x) + G'(2^nx) + H'(2^nx)}{2^n} \right\| \le \frac{\varphi'(2^nx, 2^nx, -2^nx)}{2^n}$$
 (2.88)

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Taking the limit in the above inequality as  $n \to \infty$ , we have

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{F'(2^n x)}{2^n} = -A_1(x) - A_2(x) \tag{2.89}$$

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . It follows from (2.81) that

$$\left\| F'(x) - \frac{F'(2x)}{2} \right\| \le \frac{1}{2} \left\| F'(2x) + G'(0) - H'\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) - F'(x) + G'(x) + H'\left(\frac{3x}{2}\right) \right\|$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2} \left\| F'(x) + G'(x) - H'\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) + F'(0) + G'(0) + H'\left(\frac{3x}{2}\right) \right\|$$

$$\le \frac{1}{2} \left[ \varphi'\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, x\right) + \varphi'\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, -x\right) \right]$$
(2.90)

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Applying Lemma 2.1 and (2.89), we have

$$||F'(x) + A_1(x) + A_2(x)|| \le \widehat{\varphi}'\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, x\right) + \widehat{\varphi}'\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, -x\right)$$
 (2.91)

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . From (2.81), (2.83), (2.85), and (2.89), we have

$$-A_1(x+y+z) - A_2(x+y+z) + A_1(x-y) + A_2(x-z) - A_1(x-y-z) - A_2(x-y-z) + A_1(x+y) + A_2(x+z) = 0$$
(2.92)

for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Replace y and z by 2y and x in (2.92) to get

$$-A_1(2x+2y) - A_2(2x+2y) + A_1(x-2y) + A_1(2y) + A_2(2y) + A_2(2x) + A_1(x+2y) = 0$$
(2.93)

for all  $x, y \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Replace y and z by x and 2y in (2.92) to get

$$-A_1(2x+2y) - A_2(2x+2y) + A_2(x-2y) + A_1(2y) + A_2(2y) + A_1(2x) + A_2(x+2y) = 0$$
(2.94)

for all  $x, y \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . From the above two equalities, we get

$$(A_1 - A_2)(x - 2y) - (A_1 - A_2)(2x) + (A_1 - A_2)(x + 2y) = 0$$
(2.95)

for all  $x, y \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Since A(0) = 0, we have

$$(A_1 - A_2)(x - 2y) - (A_1 - A_2)(2x) + (A_1 - A_2)(x + 2y) = 0$$
(2.96)

for all  $x, y \in V$ . Hence  $A_1 - A_2$  is additive, that is,

$$(A_1 - A_2)(x + y) = (A_1 - A_2)(x) + (A_1 - A_2)(y)$$
(2.97)

for all  $x, y \in V$ . Replace z by -y in (2.92) to obtain

$$-A_1(x) - A_2(x) + A_1(x - y) + A_2(x + y) - A_1(x) - A_2(x) + A_1(x + y) + A_2(x - y) = 0$$
 (2.98)

for all  $x, y \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Since  $A_1 - A_2$  is additive, we have

$$A_2(2x) - A_2(x+y) - A_2(x-y) = A_1(2x) - A_1(x+y) - A_1(x-y)$$
 (2.99)

for all  $x, y \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . From this and (2.98), we get

$$-A_1(4x) + 2A_1(x - y) + 2A_1(x + y) = 0 (2.100)$$

for all  $x, y \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . From this and  $A_1(0) = 0$ , we have

$$A_1(x+y) = A_1(x) + A_1(y)$$
(2.101)

for all  $x, y \in V$ . Since  $A_1$  and  $A_1 - A_2$  are additive,  $A_2$  is additive.

From (2.74), (2.91), and the definitions of F, F', we have

$$||f_{1}(x) - A(x) + A_{1}(x) + A_{2}(x)|| \le ||F(x) - A(x)|| + ||F'(x) + A_{1}(x) + A_{2}(x)||$$

$$\le \varphi'\left(\frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, -\frac{x}{2}\right) + \varphi'\left(\frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{2}\right) + 2\widehat{M}\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)$$

$$+ \widehat{\varphi}'\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, x\right) + \widehat{\varphi}'\left(\frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, -x\right)$$
(2.102)

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . The rest of inequalities in (2.60) can be shown by the similar method.

**Theorem 2.6.** Let  $\varphi: V \setminus \{0\} \times V \setminus \{0\} \times V \setminus \{0\} \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  be a function such that

$$\widehat{\varphi}(x,y,z) := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} 2^{l} \varphi\left(\frac{x}{2^{l+1}}, \frac{y}{2^{l+1}}, \frac{z}{2^{l+1}}\right) < \infty$$
 (b')

holds for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . If the odd functions  $f_1, f_2, f_3, f_4, f_5, f_6 : V \rightarrow X$  satisfy inequalities (2.59) for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ , then there exist exactly three additive functions  $A, A_1, A_2 : V \rightarrow X$  satisfying the inequalities (2.60) for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ , where

$$\widehat{M}(x) := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} 2^{l} M\left(\frac{x}{2^{l+1}}\right), \qquad \widehat{M}'(x) := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} 2^{l} M'\left(\frac{x}{2^{l+1}}\right),$$

$$\widehat{\varphi}'(x, y, z) := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} 2^{l} \varphi'\left(\frac{x}{2^{l+1}}, \frac{y}{2^{l+1}}, \frac{z}{2^{l+1}}\right).$$
(2.103)

Moreover, the functions A,  $A_1$ ,  $A_2$  are given by

$$A(x) = \lim_{n \to \infty} 2^{n-2} \left( f_1 \left( \frac{x}{2^n} \right) + f_4 \left( \frac{x}{2^n} \right) - f_1 \left( -\frac{x}{2^n} \right) - f_4 \left( -\frac{x}{2^n} \right) \right),$$

$$A_1(x) = \lim_{n \to \infty} 2^{n-2} \left( f_2 \left( \frac{x}{2^n} \right) - f_5 \left( \frac{x}{2^n} \right) - f_2 \left( -\frac{x}{2^n} \right) + f_5 \left( -\frac{x}{2^n} \right) \right),$$

$$A_2(x) = \lim_{n \to \infty} 2^{n-2} \left( f_3 \left( \frac{x}{2^n} \right) - f_6 \left( \frac{x}{2^n} \right) - f_3 \left( -\frac{x}{2^n} \right) + f_6 \left( -\frac{x}{2^n} \right) \right)$$
(2.104)

for all  $x \in V$ .

*Proof.* The proof is similar to that of Theorem 2.5.

Applying Theorems 2.5 and 2.6, we get the following corollary in the sense of Rassias inequality.

**Corollary 2.7.** *Let*  $p \ne 1$ . *If the odd functions*  $f_i : V \rightarrow X$ , i = 1, 2, ..., 6, *satisfy* 

$$||f_1(x+y+z) + f_2(x-y) + f_3(x-z) - f_4(x-y-z) - f_5(x+y) - f_6(x+z)||$$

$$\leq \varepsilon (||x||^p + ||y||^p + ||z||^p)$$
(2.105)

for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ .

Then there exist exactly three additive functions A,  $A_1$ ,  $A_2 : V \rightarrow X$  satisfying

$$||f_{1}(x) - f_{1}(0) - A(x) + A_{1}(x) + A_{2}(x)|| \leq \left[\frac{2}{2^{p}} + \frac{4}{4^{p}} + \frac{2(3^{p} + 11) + 4 \cdot 2^{p} + 2 \cdot 4^{p}}{4^{p} | 2^{p} - 2|}\right] \cdot \varepsilon \cdot ||x||^{p},$$

$$||f_{2}(x) - f_{2}(0) - A(x) - A_{1}(x)|| \leq \frac{2(3^{p} + 8)}{2^{p} | 2^{p} - 2|} \cdot \varepsilon \cdot ||x||^{p},$$

$$||f_{3}(x) - f_{3}(0) - A(x) - A_{2}(x)|| \leq \frac{2(3^{p} + 8)}{2^{p} | 2^{p} - 2|} \cdot \varepsilon \cdot ||x||^{p},$$

$$||f_{4}(x) - f_{4}(0) - A(x) - A_{1}(x) - A_{2}(x)|| \leq \left[\frac{2}{2^{p}} + \frac{4}{4^{p}} + \frac{2(3^{p} + 11) + 4 \cdot 2^{p} + 2 \cdot 4^{p}}{4^{p} | 2^{p} - 2|}\right] \cdot \varepsilon \cdot ||x||^{p},$$

$$||f_{5}(x) - f_{5}(0) - A(x) + A_{1}(x)|| \leq \frac{2(3^{p} + 8)}{2^{p} | 2^{p} - 2|} \cdot \varepsilon \cdot ||x||^{p},$$

$$||f_{6}(x) - f_{6}(0) - A(x) + A_{2}(x)|| \leq \frac{2(3^{p} + 8)}{2^{p} | 2^{p} - 2|} \cdot \varepsilon \cdot ||x||^{p},$$

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Moreover, the functions A,  $A_1$ ,  $A_2$  are given by

$$A(x) = \begin{cases} \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{f_1(2^n x) + f_4(2^n x) - f_1(-2^n x) - f_4(-2^n x)}{2^{n+2}}, & if \ p < 1, \\ \lim_{n \to \infty} 2^{n-2} \left( f_1 \left( \frac{x}{2^n} \right) + f_4 \left( \frac{x}{2^n} \right) - f_1 \left( -\frac{x}{2^n} \right) - f_4 \left( -\frac{x}{2^n} \right) \right), & if \ p > 1, \end{cases}$$

$$A_1(x) = \begin{cases} \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{f_2(2^n x) - f_5(2^n x) - f_2(-2^n x) + f_5(-2^n x)}{2^{n+2}}, & if \ p < 1, \\ \lim_{n \to \infty} 2^{n-2} \left( f_2 \left( \frac{x}{2^n} \right) - f_5 \left( \frac{x}{2^n} \right) - f_2 \left( -\frac{x}{2^n} \right) + f_5 \left( -\frac{x}{2^n} \right) \right), & if \ p > 1, \end{cases}$$

$$A_2(x) = \begin{cases} \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{f_3(2^n x) - f_6(2^n x) - f_3(-2^n x) + f_6(-2^n x)}{2^{n+2}}, & if \ p < 1, \\ \lim_{n \to \infty} 2^{n-2} \left( f_3 \left( \frac{x}{2^n} \right) - f_6 \left( \frac{x}{2^n} \right) - f_3 \left( -\frac{x}{2^n} \right) + f_6 \left( -\frac{x}{2^n} \right) \right), & if \ p > 1 \end{cases}$$

for all  $x \in V$ .

*Proof.* Apply Theorem 2.5 for p < 1 and Theorem 2.6 for p > 1.

We establish the following theorem for the general case from Theorems 2.2 and 2.5.

**Theorem 2.8.** Let  $\varphi: V \setminus \{0\} \times V \setminus \{0\} \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  be a function that satisfies conditions (a) and (b). Suppose that the functions  $f_i: V \rightarrow X$ , i = 1, 2, ..., 6, satisfy the inequality

$$||f_1(x+y+z) + f_2(x-y) + f_3(x-z) - f_4(x-y-z) - f_5(x+y) - f_6(x+z)|| \le \varphi(x,y,z)$$
(2.108)

for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Then there exist exactly one quadratic function  $Q: V \rightarrow X$  and exactly three additive functions  $A, A_1, A_2: V \rightarrow X$  satisfying

$$\begin{split} & \| f_1(x) - f_1(0) - Q(x) - A(x) + A_1(x) + A_2(x) \| \\ & \leq \frac{1}{2} \left[ \varphi'_e \left( \frac{x}{2}, \frac{3}{2}x, -x \right) + \varphi'_e \left( \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, -x \right) \right] + 2\varphi'_e \left( \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, -\frac{x}{2} \right) + 2\varphi'_e \left( \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{2} \right) \\ & \quad + \frac{1}{2} \widetilde{M}_e(2x) + \widetilde{M}_e(x) + 2 \widehat{M}_e \left( \frac{x}{2} \right) + \widehat{\varphi}'_e \left( \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, x \right) + \widehat{\varphi}'_e \left( \frac{x}{2}, -\frac{x}{2}, x \right), \\ & \| f_2(x) - f_2(0) - Q(x) - A(x) - A_1(x) \| \\ & \leq \widetilde{M}_e(x) + \varphi'_e \left( \frac{x}{4}, \frac{3x}{4}, -\frac{x}{4} \right) + \varphi'_e \left( \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4} \right) + \widehat{M}_e(x) + \widehat{\varphi}'_e \left( \frac{x}{2}, \frac{3x}{2}, -\frac{x}{2} \right) + \widehat{\varphi}'_e \left( \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2} \right), \\ & \| f_3(x) - f_3(0) - Q(x) - A(x) - A_2(x) \| \\ & \leq \widetilde{M}'_e(x) + \varphi'_e \left( \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, -\frac{3x}{4} \right) + \varphi'_e \left( \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4} \right) + \widehat{M}'_e(x) + \widehat{\varphi}'_e \left( \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, -\frac{3x}{2} \right) + \widehat{\varphi}'_e \left( \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2} \right), \\ & \| f_4(x) - f_4(0) - Q(x) - A(x) - A_1(x) - A_2(x) \| \\ & \leq \frac{1}{2} \left[ \varphi'_e \left( \frac{x}{2}, \frac{3}{2}x, -x \right) + \varphi'_e \left( \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, -x \right) \right] + 2\varphi'_e \left( \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, -\frac{x}{2} \right) + 2\varphi'_e \left( \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{2} \right) \\ & \quad + \frac{1}{2} \widehat{M}_e(2x) + \widehat{M}_e(x) + 2\widehat{M}_e \left( \frac{x}{2} \right) + \widehat{\varphi}'_e \left( \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, x \right) + \widehat{\varphi}'_e \left( \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, x \right), \\ & \| f_5(x) - f_5(0) - Q(x) - A(x) + A_1(x) \| \\ & \leq \widehat{M}_e(x) + \varphi'_e \left( \frac{x}{4}, \frac{3x}{4}, -\frac{x}{4} \right) + \varphi'_e \left( \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4} \right) + \widehat{M}_e(x) + \widehat{\varphi}'_e \left( \frac{x}{2}, \frac{3x}{2}, -\frac{x}{2} \right) + \widehat{\varphi}'_e \left( \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2} \right), \\ & \| f_6(x) - f_6(0) - Q(x) - A(x) + A_2(x) \| \\ & \leq \widehat{M}'(x) + \varphi'_e \left( \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, -\frac{3x}{4} \right) + \varphi'_e \left( \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4}, \frac{x}{4} \right) + \widehat{M}'_e(x) + \widehat{\varphi}'_e \left( \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, -\frac{3x}{2} \right) + \widehat{\varphi}'_e \left( \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2} \right), \\ & (2.10)^e \left( \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, -\frac{3x}{2} \right) + \widehat{\varphi}'_e \left( \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2} \right). \\ & (2.10)^e \left( \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, -\frac{3x}{2} \right) + \widehat{\varphi}'_e \left( \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2} \right). \\ & (2.10)^e \left( \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, -\frac{x}{2} \right) + \widehat{\varphi}'_e \left( \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2} \right). \\ & (2.10)^e \left( \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, -\frac{x}{2} \right) + \widehat{\varphi}'_e \left( \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2}, \frac{x}{2$$

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ , where

$$\widetilde{M}_{e}(x) := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{4^{l+1}} M_{e}(2^{l}x), \qquad \widetilde{M}'_{e}(x) := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{4^{l+1}} M'_{e}(2^{l}x), 
\widehat{M}_{e} := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^{l+1}} M_{e}(2^{l}x), \qquad \widehat{M}'_{e} := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^{l+1}} M_{e}(2^{l}x), 
\widehat{\varphi}'_{e}(x, y, z) := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^{l+1}} \varphi'_{e}(2^{l}x, 2^{l}y, 2^{l}z)$$
(2.110)

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Moreover, the function Q is given by

$$Q(x) = \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{f_k(2^n x) + f_k(-2^n x)}{2 \cdot 4^n}$$
 (2.111)

for i = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and the functions A,  $A_1$ ,  $A_2$  are given by

$$A(x) = \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{f_1(2^n x) + f_4(2^n x) - f_1(-2^n x) - f_4(-2^n x)}{2^{n+2}},$$

$$A_1(x) = \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{f_2(2^n x) - f_5(2^n x) - f_2(-2^n x) + f_5(-2^n x)}{2^{n+2}},$$

$$A_2(x) = \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{f_3(2^n x) - f_6(2^n x) - f_3(-2^n x) + f_6(-2^n x)}{2^{n+2}}$$
(2.112)

for all,  $x \in V$ .

*Proof.* From (2.108), we obtain

$$||f_1(-x-y-z) + f_2(-x+y) + f_3(-x+z) - f_4(-x+y+z) - f_5(-x-y) - f_6(-x-z)||$$

$$\leq \varphi(-x, -y, -z)$$
(2.113)

for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . From (2.108) and this inequality, one gets

$$||f_{1e}(x+y+z)+f_{2e}(x-y)+f_{3e}(x-z)-f_{4e}(x-y-z)-f_{5e}(x+y)-f_{6e}(x+z)|| \leq \varphi_e(x,y,z),$$

$$||f_{1o}(x+y+z)+f_{2o}(x-y)+f_{3o}(x-z)-f_{4o}(x-y-z)-f_{5o}(x+y)-f_{6o}(x+z)|| \leq \varphi_e(x,y,z)$$
(2.114)

for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ , where  $f_{ke}(x) = (f_k(x) + f_k(-x))/2$ ,  $f_{ko}(x) = (f_k(x) - f_k(-x))/2$  for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ , k = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6. Since  $f_{ke}$  is an even function,  $f_{ko}$  is an odd function, and  $f_k = f_{ke} + f_{ko}$ , we can apply Theorems 2.2 and 2.5 to get the desired result.

We establish the following theorem for the general case from Theorems 2.2 and 2.6.

**Theorem 2.9.** Let  $\varphi: V \setminus \{0\} \times V \setminus \{0\} \times V \setminus \{0\} \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  be a function that satisfies conditions (a) and (b'). If the functions  $f_1, f_2, f_3, f_4, f_5, f_6: V \rightarrow X$  satisfy inequalities (2.108) for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ , then there exist exactly one quadratic function  $Q: V \rightarrow X$  and exactly three additive functions

A,  $A_1$ ,  $A_2$ :  $V \rightarrow X$  satisfying the inequalities in Theorem 2.8 for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ , where  $\widetilde{M}_e$ ,  $\widetilde{M}'_e$  are as in Theorem 2.8 and

$$\widehat{M}_{e}(x) := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} 2^{l} M_{e} \left(\frac{x}{2^{l+1}}\right), \qquad \widehat{M}'_{e}(x) := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} 2^{l} M'_{e} \left(\frac{x}{2^{l+1}}\right),$$

$$\widehat{\varphi}'_{e}(x, y, z) := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} 2^{l} \varphi'_{e} \left(\frac{x}{2^{l+1}}, \frac{y}{2^{l+1}}, \frac{z}{2^{l+1}}\right)$$
(2.115)

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Moreover, the function Q is given by (2.111) and the functions A,  $A_1$ ,  $A_2$  are given by

$$A(x) = \lim_{n \to \infty} 2^{n-2} \left( f_1 \left( \frac{x}{2^n} \right) + f_4 \left( \frac{x}{2^n} \right) - f_1 \left( -\frac{x}{2^n} \right) - f_4 \left( -\frac{x}{2^n} \right) \right), \tag{2.116}$$

$$A_{1}(x) = \lim_{n \to \infty} 2^{n-2} \left( f_{2} \left( \frac{x}{2^{n}} \right) - f_{5} \left( \frac{x}{2^{n}} \right) - f_{2} \left( -\frac{x}{2^{n}} \right) + f_{5} \left( -\frac{x}{2^{n}} \right) \right),$$

$$A_{2}(x) = \lim_{n \to \infty} 2^{n-2} \left( f_{3} \left( \frac{x}{2^{n}} \right) - f_{6} \left( \frac{x}{2^{n}} \right) - f_{3} \left( -\frac{x}{2^{n}} \right) + f_{6} \left( -\frac{x}{2^{n}} \right) \right)$$
(2.117)

for all  $x \in V$ .

We establish the following theorem for the general case from Theorems 2.3 and 2.6.

**Theorem 2.10.** Let  $\varphi: V \setminus \{0\} \times V \setminus \{0\} \times V \setminus \{0\} \rightarrow [0,\infty)$  be a function that satisfies conditions (a') and (b'). If the functions  $f_1, f_2, f_3, f_4, f_5, f_6: V \rightarrow X$  satisfy inequalities (2.108) for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ , then there exist exactly one quadratic function  $Q: V \rightarrow X$  and exactly three additive functions  $A, A_1, A_2: V \rightarrow X$  satisfying the inequalities in Theorem 2.8 for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ , where  $\widehat{M}_e$ ,  $\widehat{M}'_e$ ,  $\widehat{\varphi}'_e$  are as in Theorem 2.9 and

$$\widetilde{M}_e(x) := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} 4^l M_e \left(\frac{x}{2^{l+1}}\right), \qquad \widetilde{M}'_e(x) := \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} 4^l M'_e \left(\frac{x}{2^{l+1}}\right)$$
 (2.118)

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Moreover, the function Q is given by

$$Q(x) = \lim_{n \to \infty} 2 \cdot 4^{n-1} \left( f_k(2^{-n}x) + f_k(-2^{-n}x) - 2f_k(0) \right)$$
 (2.119)

for i = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and the functions A,  $A_1$ ,  $A_2$  are given by (2.116) for all  $x \in V$ .

**Corollary 2.11.** Let  $p \neq 1, 2$  and  $\varepsilon > 0$ . Suppose that the functions  $f_i : V \rightarrow X$ , i = 1, 2, ..., 6, satisfy

$$||f_1(x+y+z) + f_2(x-y) + f_3(x-z) - f_4(x-y-z) - f_5(x+y) - f_6(x+z)||$$

$$\leq \varepsilon (||x||^p + ||y||^p + ||z||^p)$$
(2.120)

for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ .

Then there exist exactly one quadratic function  $Q:V\rightarrow X$  and three additive functions  $A,A_1,A_2:V\rightarrow X$  satisfying

$$\begin{aligned} & \|f_{1}(x) - f_{1}(0) - Q(x) - A(x) + A_{1}(x) + A_{2}(x)\| \\ & \leq \left[ \frac{(3^{p} + 11)(2^{p} + 2)}{2 \cdot 2^{p} | 2^{p} - 4|} + \frac{11 + 3^{p}}{2 \cdot 2^{p}} + 1 + \frac{8}{4^{p}} + \frac{2(3^{p} + 11) + 4 \cdot 2^{p} + 2 \cdot 4^{p}}{4^{p} | 2^{p} - 2|} \right] \cdot \varepsilon \cdot \|x\|^{p}, \\ & \|f_{2}(x) - f_{2}(0) - Q(x) - A(x) - A_{1}(x)\| \leq \left[ \frac{(3^{p} + 11)}{2^{p} | 2^{p} - 4|} + \frac{3^{p} + 5}{4^{p}} + \frac{2(3^{p} + 8)}{2^{p} | 2^{p} - 2|} \right] \cdot \varepsilon \cdot \|x\|^{p}, \\ & \|f_{3}(x) - f_{3}(0) - Q(x) - A(x) - A_{2}(x)\| \leq \left[ \frac{(3^{p} + 11)}{2^{p} | 2^{p} - 4|} + \frac{3^{p} + 5}{4^{p}} + \frac{2(3^{p} + 8)}{2^{p} | 2^{p} - 2|} \right] \cdot \varepsilon \cdot \|x\|^{p}, \\ & \|f_{4}(x) - f_{4}(0) - Q(x) - A(x) - A_{1}(x) - A_{2}(x)\| \\ & \leq \left[ \frac{(3^{p} + 11)(2^{p} + 2)}{2 \cdot 2^{p} | 2^{p} - 4|} + \frac{11 + 3^{p}}{2 \cdot 2^{p}} + 1 + \frac{8}{4^{p}} + \frac{2(3^{p} + 11) + 4 \cdot 2^{p} + 2 \cdot 4^{p}}{4^{p} | 2^{p} - 2|} \right] \cdot \varepsilon \cdot \|x\|^{p}, \\ & \|f_{5}(x) - f_{5}(0) - Q(x) - A(x) + A_{1}(x)\| \leq \left[ \frac{(3^{p} + 11)}{2^{p} | 2^{p} - 4|} + \frac{3^{p} + 5}{4^{p}} + \frac{2(3^{p} + 8)}{2^{p} | 2^{p} - 2|} \right] \cdot \varepsilon \cdot \|x\|^{p}, \\ & \|f_{6}(x) - f_{6}(0) - Q(x) - A(x) + A_{2}(x)\| \leq \left[ \frac{(3^{p} + 11)}{2^{p} | 2^{p} - 4|} + \frac{3^{p} + 5}{4^{p}} + \frac{2(3^{p} + 8)}{2^{p} | 2^{p} - 2|} \right] \cdot \varepsilon \cdot \|x\|^{p}, \end{aligned}$$

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Moreover, the function Q is given by (2.111) for p < 2 and (2.119) for p > 2 and the functions A,  $A_1$ ,  $A_2$  (k = 1, 2, 3) are given by (2.112) for p < 1 and (2.116) for p > 1.

**Corollary 2.12.** *Let*  $\varepsilon > 0$  *be a fixed real number. Suppose that the functions*  $f_i : V \rightarrow X$ , i = 1, 2, ..., 6, *satisfy* 

$$||f_1(x+y+z) + f_2(x-y) + f_3(x-z) - f_4(x-y-z) - f_5(x+y) - f_6(x+z)|| \le \varepsilon$$
 (2.122) for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ .

Then there exist exactly one quadratic function  $Q:V\to X$  and three additive functions  $A,A_1,A_2:V\to X$  satisfying

$$||f_{1}(x) - f_{1}(0) - Q(x) - A(x) + A_{1}(x) + A_{2}(x)|| \le 17\varepsilon,$$

$$||f_{2}(x) - f_{2}(0) - Q(x) - A(x) - A_{1}(x)|| \le \frac{28}{3}\varepsilon,$$

$$||f_{3}(x) - f_{3}(0) - Q(x) - A(x) - A_{2}(x)|| \le \frac{28}{3}\varepsilon,$$

$$||f_{4}(x) - f_{4}(0) - Q(x) - A(x) - A_{1}(x) - A_{2}(x)|| \le 17\varepsilon,$$

$$||f_{5}(x) - f_{5}(0) - Q(x) - A(x) + A_{1}(x)|| \le \frac{28}{3}\varepsilon,$$

$$||f_{6}(x) - f_{6}(0) - Q(x) - A(x) + A_{2}(x)|| \frac{28}{3}\varepsilon$$

for all  $x \in V \setminus \{0\}$ . Moreover, the function Q is given by (2.111) for i = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and the functions A,  $A_1$ ,  $A_2$  are given by (2.112) for all  $x \in V$ .

Now we obtain the general solution of (1.6) from Corollary 2.12.

**Corollary 2.13.** Suppose that the functions  $f_i: V \rightarrow X$ , i = 1, 2, ..., 6, satisfy

$$f_1(x+y+z) + f_2(x-y) + f_3(x-z) - f_4(x-y-z) - f_5(x+y) - f_6(x+z) = 0$$
 (2.124)

for all  $x, y, z \in V \setminus \{0\}$ .

Then there exist exactly one quadratic function  $Q: V \rightarrow X$  and three additive functions  $A, A_1, A_2: V \rightarrow X$  satisfying

$$f_{1}(x) = Q(x) + A(x) - A_{1}(x) - A_{2}(x) + f_{1}(0),$$

$$f_{2}(x) = Q(x) + A(x) + A_{1}(x) + f_{2}(0),$$

$$f_{3}(x) = Q(x) + A(x) + A_{2}(x) + f_{3}(0),$$

$$f_{4}(x) = Q(x) + A(x) + A_{1}(x) + A_{2}(x) + f_{4}(0),$$

$$f_{5}(x) = Q(x) + A(x) - A_{1}(x) + f_{5}(0),$$

$$f_{6}(x) = Q(x) + A(x) - A_{2}(x) + f_{6}(0)$$

$$(2.125)$$

for all  $x \in V$ . Moreover, the function Q is given by

$$Q(x) = \frac{f_i(x) + f_i(-x)}{2} - f_i(0)$$
 (2.126)

for i = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and the functions A,  $A_1$ ,  $A_2$  (k = 1, 2, 3) are given by

$$A(x) = \frac{f_1(x) + f_4(x) - f_1(-x) - f_4(-x)}{4},$$

$$A_1(x) = \frac{f_2(x) - f_5(x) - f_2(-x) + f_5(-x)}{4},$$

$$A_2(x) = \frac{f_3(x) - f_6(x) - f_3(-x) + f_6(-x)}{4}$$
(2.127)

for all  $x \in V$ .

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