Classification of solvable algebras with the given nilradical - can the knowledge of solvable extensions of its nilpotent subalgebra be useful?

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What is known in general about the classification of finite-dimensional Lie algebras over the fields of complex and real numbers?

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If \mathfrak{g} is decomposable into a direct sum of ideals, it should be explicitly decomposed into components that are further indecomposable

$$\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{g}_1 \oplus \mathfrak{g}_2 \oplus \ldots \oplus \mathfrak{g}_k. \tag{1}$$

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If an element $z \in \mathfrak{g}$ exists, such that

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where $\epsilon = 1$ over \mathbb{C} , whereas over $\mathbb{R} \ \epsilon = 1$ for n odd, $\epsilon = \pm 1$ for n even.

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Precisely one solvable Lie algebra \mathfrak{s}_{n+2} of dim $\mathfrak{s} = n+2$ with the nilradical $\mathfrak{n}_{n,3}$ exists. It is presented in a basis $(e_1, \ldots, e_n, f_1, f_2)$ where the Lie brackets involving f_1 and f_2 are

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The summation indices take the values

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The Lie algebra \mathfrak{s}_{m+2} has n-6 functionally independent invariants that can be chosen to be

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