

ON P-SASAKIAN MANIFOLD

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Summary : In this paper, the nature of the P-Sasakian manifold has been studied, when $R(X, Y) \cdot \bar{C} = 0$, where \bar{C} is the concircular curvature tensor.

P-SASAKIAN MANIFOLD HAKKINDA

Özet : Bu çalışmada, \bar{C} konsirküler eğrilik tensörü olmak üzere, $R(X, Y) \cdot \bar{C} = 0$ olması durumunda P-Sasakian manifoldun yapısı incelenmektedir.

Introduction. Let (M^n, g) be an n -dimensional Riemannian manifold admitting a 1-form η which satisfies the conditions

- 1) $(\nabla_X \eta) Y - (\nabla_Y \eta) X = 0$,
- 2) $(\nabla_X \nabla_Y \eta) Z = -g(X, Z) \eta(Y) - g(X, Y) \eta(Z) + 2\eta(X) \eta(Y) \eta(Z)$

where ∇ denotes the operator of covariant differentiation with respect to the metric tensor g . If moreover (M^n, g) admits a vector field ξ and a (1-1) tensor field ϕ such that

- 3) $g(X, \xi) = \eta(X)$,
- 4) $\eta(\xi) = 1$,
- 5) $\nabla_X \xi = \phi X$.

then such a manifold is called a Para-Sasakian manifold or briefly a P-Sasakian manifold ([2], [3]). The present paper deals with a type of P-Sasakian manifold in which $R(X, Y) \cdot \bar{C} = 0$, where \bar{C} is the concircular curvature tensor, R is the curvature tensor and $R(X, Y)$ is considered as a derivation of the tensor algebra at each point of the manifold for tangent vectors X, Y . It is shown that such a manifold is locally isometric with a unit sphere $S^n(1)$. Further, it is shown that a concircularly symmetric P-Sasakian manifold is concircularly flat.

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1. Preliminaries. Let S and r denote respectively the Ricci tensor of type (0,2) and the scalar curvature of M^n . It is known that in a P-Sasakian manifold the following relations hold ([1], [2], [3]):

$$\phi \xi = 0 \quad (1.1)$$

$$\phi^2 X = X - \eta(X) \xi \quad (1.2)$$

$$g(\phi X, \phi Y) = g(X, Y) - \eta(X) \eta(Y) \quad (1.3)$$

$$S(X, \xi) = -(n-1) \eta(X) \quad (1.4)$$

$$\eta(R(X, Y) Z) = g(X, Z) \eta(Y) - g(Y, Z) \eta(X) \quad (1.5)$$

$$R(\xi, X) Y = \eta(Y) X - g(X, Y) \xi \quad (1.6)$$

$$R(\xi, X) \xi = X - \eta(X) \xi \quad (1.7)$$

$$R(X, Y) \xi = \eta(X) Y - \eta(Y) X \quad (1.8)$$

$$S(\phi X, \phi Y) = S(X, Y) + (n-1) \eta(X) \eta(Y). \quad (1.9)$$

The above results will be used in the next section.

2. P-Sasakian manifold satisfying $R(X, Y) \cdot \bar{C} = 0$. The concircular curvature tensor, denoted by \bar{C} , is defined as

$$\bar{C}(X, Y) Z = R(X, Y) Z - \frac{r}{n(n-1)} \{g(Y, Z) X - g(X, Z) Y\}, \quad (2.1)$$

Let

$$R(X, Y) \cdot \bar{C} = 0.$$

Then one must have

$$\begin{aligned} R(X, Y) \bar{C}(U, V) W - \bar{C}(R(X, Y) U, V) W - \\ - \bar{C}(U, R(X, Y) V) W - \bar{C}(U, V) R(X, Y) W = 0 \end{aligned}$$

or

$$\begin{aligned} g(R(\xi, Y) \bar{C}(U, V) W, \xi) - g(\bar{C}(R(\xi, Y) U, V) W, \xi) - \\ - g(\bar{C}(U, R(\xi, Y) V) W, \xi) - g(\bar{C}(U, V) R(\xi, Y) W, \xi) = 0. \end{aligned} \quad (2.2)$$

Taking $X = \xi$ in (2.1) and using (1.6) one gets

$$\bar{C}(\xi, Y) Z = \left\{ 1 + \frac{r}{n(n-1)} \right\} \{ \eta(Z) Y - g(Y, Z) \xi \}. \quad (2.3)$$

Also, from (2.3), one finds

$$\eta(\bar{C}(\xi, Y) Z) = \left\{ 1 + \frac{r}{n(n-1)} \right\} \{ \eta(Z) \eta(Y) - g(Y, Z) \}. \quad (2.4)$$

Taking $X = Z = U$ in (2.1) and using (1.5) we find

$$\eta(\bar{C}(U, V) U) = \left\{ 1 + \frac{r}{n(n-1)} \right\} \{g(U, V) \eta(V) - g(V, U) \eta(U)\}. \quad (2.5)$$

Using (1.6) in (2.2) we get

$$\begin{aligned} &\eta(Y) \eta(\bar{C}(U, V) W) - g(Y, \bar{C}(U, V) W) - \\ &- \eta(U) \eta(\bar{C}(Y, V) W) + g(Y, U) \eta(\bar{C}(\xi, V) W) - \\ &- \eta(V) \eta(\bar{C}(U, Y) W) + g(Y, V) \eta(\bar{C}(U, \xi) W) - \\ &- \eta(W) \eta(\bar{C}(U, V) Y) + g(Y, W) \eta(\bar{C}(U, V) \xi) = 0. \end{aligned} \quad (2.6)$$

Taking $Y = U$ in (2.6), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} &g(U, \bar{C}(U, V) W) - g(U, V) \eta(\bar{C}(\xi, V) W) + \\ &+ \eta(V) \eta(\bar{C}(U, U) W) - g(U, V) \eta(\bar{C}(U, \xi) W) + \\ &+ \eta(W) \eta(\bar{C}(U, V) U) - g(U, W) \eta(\bar{C}(U, V) \xi) = 0. \end{aligned} \quad (2.7)$$

Using (2.4) and (2.5), one gets from (2.7)

$$\begin{aligned} &g(U, \bar{C}(U, V) W) + \left\{ 1 + \frac{r}{n(n-1)} \right\} \{g(U, U) g(V, W) - \\ &- g(U, V) g(U, W)\} = 0. \end{aligned} \quad (2.8)$$

Using (2.1), it follows from (2.8) that

$$g(U, R(U, V) W) = g(U, V) g(U, W) - g(U, U) g(V, W). \quad (2.9)$$

Let $\{e_i : i = 1, 2, \dots, n\}$ be an orthonormal basis of the tangent space at each point of the manifold. Then the sum for $u = e_i, 1 \leq i \leq n$ gives

$$S(V, W) = -(n-1) g(V, W). \quad (2.10)$$

Using (2.1) and (2.4), we get from (2.6)

$$\begin{aligned} &\eta(Y) \eta(R(U, V) W) - g(Y, R(U, V) W) - \eta(U) \eta(R(Y, V) W) + \\ &+ g(Y, U) \eta(W) \eta(V) - g(Y, U) g(V, W) - \eta(V) \eta(R(U, Y) W) + \\ &+ g(Y, V) g(U, W) - g(Y, V) \eta(W) \eta(U) - \eta(W) \eta(R(U, V) Y) = 0. \end{aligned} \quad (2.11)$$

Using (1.5), one gets from (2.11)

$$g(Y, R(U, V) W) = g(U, W) g(Y, V) - g(Y, U) g(V, W) \quad (2.12)$$

whence

$$R(U, V) W = g(U, W) V - g(V, W) U. \quad (2.13)$$

From (2.10) one finds

$$r = -n(n-1). \quad (2.14)$$

Also, on using (2.14), we find from (2.1)

$$\bar{C}(X, Y)Z = R(X, Y)Z + g(Y, Z)X - g(X, Z)Y. \quad (2.15)$$

Consequently one finds from above

$$\bar{C}(\xi, X)\xi = 0. \quad (2.16)$$

Thus we state

Theorem 1. Let (M^n, g) be a P-Sasakian manifold with $R(X, Y) \cdot \bar{C} = 0$. Then

- i) M is an Einstein manifold with scalar curvature $-n(n-1)$
- ii) M is of constant curvature
- iii) $\bar{C}(\xi, X)\xi = 0$ for every X .

3. Concircularly symmetric P-Sasakian Manifold. For a concircularly symmetric P-Sasakian manifold, $\nabla \bar{C} = 0$. Hence for such a manifold $R(X, Y) \cdot \bar{C} = 0$. Thus (2.13) holds and consequently from (2.15) we have

$$\bar{C}(X, Y)Z = 0.$$

Thus we state the following theorems :

Theorem 2. A concircularly symmetric P-Sasakian manifold is locally isometric with a unit sphere $S^n(1)$.

Theorem 3. A concircularly symmetric P-Sasakian manifold is concircularly flat.

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