



On Conharmonically Flatness of Lorentzian α -Sasakian Manifolds

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Abstract

Conharmonically flatness of Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifolds is characterized and some structure theorems are discussed. In this manner, conharmonically flat, ϕ -conharmonically flat, ξ -conharmonically flat and quasi-conharmonically flat Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifolds are investigated.

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1. Introduction

Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifolds take part as a special type of trans-Sasakian structures in [14] by Yildiz and Murathan including their characteristics of conformally and quasiconformally flatness. Then, Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifolds' Weyl pseudosymmetry and partially Ricci-Pseudo symmetry properties are studied by Prakasha et al. in [8]. Lokesh et al., searched W_2 curvature tensor related to concircular, conharmonic, quasi-conformal and pseudo projective curvature tensors for these kind of structures in [7]. Taleshian & Asghari searched Ricci-semisymmetry, ϕ -Ricci semisymmetry and ϕ -symmetry of such manifolds in [12]. Barman studied both locally ϕ -symmetry and ξ -projectively flatness of the aforementioned structures via semi-symmetric metric connection in [1]. Ravikumar et al., discussed projectively and concircularly pseudo symmetric besides generalized projective and concircular ϕ -recurrent types of these manifolds in [10]. Dey and Bhattacharyya searched ϕ -recurrency and generalized ϕ -recurrency of projective curvature tensor and quasi-projectively flatness of such spaces in [4]. Ravikumar et al., studied T -Curvature tensor for such kind of structures in [11]. Prakasha & Chavan discussed on M -projective curvature tensor of the same spaces in [9].

Conharmonic curvature tensor is introduced by Ishii [6] and it has been studying for several structures like K -contact and Sasakian manifolds, generalized Sasakian-space-forms, LP-Sasakian manifolds [5], [3], [13]. Also, Bhattacharyya discussed conharmonically flat LP-Sasakian manifolds [2]. In this paper, Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifolds' conharmonic curvature tensor's extended flatness characteristics are discussed.

2. Preliminaries

Assume, $M^{m=(2n+1)}$ be smooth and so the tangent space to M of any point of M constructs the Lie algebra structure \mathfrak{L} . Hence, M is called Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold with the quadruple (ϕ, ξ, η, g) if below properties hold:

$$\phi^2 = I + \eta \circ \xi, i_{\xi} g = \eta \quad (2.1)$$

$$\eta(\xi) = -1, \eta \circ \phi = 0, \phi(\xi) = 0, \quad (2.2)$$

where ξ and η denote the Reeb vector and covector fields and additionally, ϕ and g denote the endomorphism and Lorentzian metric structure. Also the below relations hold for the Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifolds:

$$\nabla_T \xi = -\alpha \phi(T) \quad (2.3)$$

$$g(T, U) = g(\varphi T, \varphi U) - \eta(T)\eta(U) \quad (2.4)$$

$$\eta(R(T, U)V) = \alpha^2(g(U, V)\eta(T) - g(T, V)\eta(U)) \quad (2.5)$$

$$R(T, U)\xi = \alpha^2(\eta(U)T - \eta(T)U) \quad (2.6)$$

$$R(\xi, T)U = \alpha^2(g(T, U)\xi - \eta(U)T) \quad (2.7)$$

$$R(\xi, T)\xi = \alpha^2(T + \eta(T)\xi) \quad (2.8)$$

$$S(\varphi T, \varphi U) = S(T, U) + 2n\alpha^2\eta(T)\eta(U) \quad (2.9)$$

$$S(T, \xi) = S(\xi, T) = 2n\alpha^2\eta(T) \quad (2.10)$$

$$S(\xi, \xi) = -2n\alpha^2 \quad (2.11)$$

$$Q\xi = 2n\alpha^2\xi \quad (2.12)$$

for $T, U, V \in \mathfrak{L}$. In the aforementioned relations, S is the Ricci curvature tensor satisfying $S(T, U) = g(QT, U)$ with the notation Q of the Ricci operator. Besides the associated Lorentzian metric's covariant differentiation is notated by ∇ .

Definition 2.1. The conharmonic curvature tensor of the Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold M^{2n+1} is described in the sense Ishi introduced in [6]:

$$K(T, U)V = R(T, U)V - \frac{1}{2n-1}[S(U, V)T - S(T, V)U + g(U, V)QT - g(T, V)QU] \quad (2.13)$$

for $T, U, V \in \mathfrak{L}$.

3. Conharmonically Flat Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifolds

Definition 3.1. The Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold M is called conharmonically flat if the following relation holds:

$$K(T, U)V = 0 \quad (3.1)$$

for $T, U, V \in \mathfrak{L}$.

Theorem 3.2. If the conharmonically flat Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold M^{2n+1} is Einstein, then it is locally isometric to $S^{2n+1}(c)$ with the constant c .

Proof. If M^{2n+1} is conharmonically flat, then the aforementioned equation (3.1) holds. By using (2.13) in (3.1),

$$R(T, U)V = \frac{1}{2n-1}[S(U, V)T - S(T, V)U + g(U, V)QT - g(T, V)QU] \quad (3.2)$$

is obtained. Due to manifold is Einstein, λ is constant, $S(T, U) = \lambda g(T, U)$ holds and enables to

$$g(R(T, U)V, W) = \frac{2\lambda}{2n-1}[g(U, V)g(T, W) - g(T, V)g(U, W)] \quad (3.3)$$

for $T, U, V, W \in \mathfrak{L}$.

$$[\frac{2\lambda}{2n-1} - \alpha^2][g(U, V) + \eta(U)\eta(V)] = 0 \quad (3.4)$$

for $U, V \in \mathfrak{L}$. This means that $\frac{2\lambda}{2n-1} - \alpha^2 = 0$ or $g(U, V) + \eta(U)\eta(V) = 0$. Due to (2.4) holds for the Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold and also $g(\varphi U, \varphi V) \neq 0$, it is possible to get the below relation

$$\lambda = \frac{(2n-1)\alpha^2}{2} \quad (3.5)$$

In consequence of (3.3) and (3.5), the following relation is obtained:

$$R(T, U)V = \alpha^2[g(U, V)T - g(T, V)U] \quad (3.6)$$

Thereby M^{2n+1} is a space of constant curvature with the $c = \alpha^2$ constant.

By virtue of (3.6), we get hereinbelow

$$(\nabla_W R)(T, U)V = 0 \quad (3.7)$$

for $T, U, V, W \in \mathfrak{L}$. So, the conharmonically flat Einstein Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold M is a space of constant curvature and hence locally isometric to $S^{2n+1}(\alpha^2)$. □

4. Quasi-Conharmonically Flat Lorentzian α -Sasakian Manifolds

Definition 4.1. The Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold $(M^{2n+1}, \varphi, \xi, \eta, g)$ is called quasi-conharmonically flat if the below relation is verified:

$$g(K(T, U)V, \varphi W) = 0 \quad (4.1)$$

for $T, U, V, W \in \mathcal{L}$.

Theorem 4.2. Assume that Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold M^{2n+1} be quasi-conharmonically flat. So, we get the following relation:

$$S(U, V) = (r - 2n\alpha^2 - 2n + 1)g(U, V) \quad (4.2)$$

for $U, V \in \mathcal{L}$.

Proof. By using (2.1) and (2.13),

$$\begin{aligned} g(K(T, U)V, \varphi W) &= g(R(T, U)V, \varphi W) - \frac{1}{2n-1} [S(U, V)g(T, \varphi W) \\ &\quad - S(T, V)g(U, \varphi W) + g(U, V)S(T, \varphi W) - g(T, V)S(U, \varphi W)] \end{aligned} \quad (4.3)$$

is obtained for $T, U, V, W \in \mathcal{L}$. Since $\{e_i\}$ the orthonormal basis, if we take summation on $i = 1, 2, \dots, 2n + 1$ and putting $X = \varphi e_i$ and $W = e_i$ in (2.4), we get

$$\begin{aligned} g(K(\varphi e_i, U)V, \varphi e_i) &= g(R(\varphi e_i, U)V, \varphi e_i) - \frac{1}{2n-1} [S(U, V)g(\varphi e_i, \varphi e_i) \\ &\quad - S(\varphi e_i, V)g(U, \varphi e_i) + g(U, V)S(\varphi e_i, \varphi e_i) - g(\varphi e_i, V)S(U, \varphi e_i)] \end{aligned} \quad (4.4)$$

for $U, V \in \mathcal{L}$. and after necessary calculations, we obtain the following relation:

$$\begin{aligned} g(K(\varphi e_i, U)V, \varphi e_i) &= S(U, V) + g(U, V) - \frac{1}{2n-1} [2nS(U, V) \\ &\quad - S(U, V) + \eta(U)S(\xi, V) + (r - 2n\alpha^2)g(U, V) - S(U, V)] \end{aligned} \quad (4.5)$$

Owing to M^{2n+1} is quasi-conharmonically flat with the help of (2.13), equation (4.2) is verified. \square

Lemma 4.3. The quasi-conharmonically flat Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold M^{2n+1} is an Einstein manifold.

Theorem 4.4. The Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold M^{2n+1} is called quasi-conharmonically flat iff the below relation holds:

$$\begin{aligned} \eta(R(T, U)V) &= \alpha^2 [\eta(T)\eta(V)U - \eta(U)\eta(V)T] + \frac{1}{(2n-1)} \{2n\alpha^2 [\eta(U)g(\varphi T, \varphi V) \\ &\quad - \eta(T)g(\varphi U, \varphi V)] + [\eta(U)S(\varphi T, \varphi V) - \eta(T)S(\varphi U, \varphi V)]\} \end{aligned} \quad (4.6)$$

for $T, U, V \in \mathcal{L}$.

Proof. Due to the Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold M^{2n+1} is quasi-conharmonically flat, by the use of relations (2.1), (2.13) and taking $W = \varphi W$, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} g(R(T, U)V, \varphi^2 W) &= \frac{1}{2n-1} [S(U, V)g(\varphi T, \varphi W) \\ &\quad - S(T, V)G(\varphi U, \varphi W) + g(U, V)S(\varphi T, \varphi W) - g(T, V)S(\varphi U, \varphi W)] \end{aligned} \quad (4.7)$$

for $T, U, V, W \in \mathcal{L}$.

Finally, we get (4.6) via the use of (2.13) and (2.1) in (2.3) and vice versa. \square

5. ξ -Conharmonically Flat Lorentzian α -Sasakian Manifold

Definition 5.1. Suppose the Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold M^{2n+1} be ξ -conharmonically flat, then the following relation holds:

$$K(T, U)\xi = 0 \quad (5.1)$$

for $T, U \in \mathcal{L}$.

Theorem 5.2. Assume M^{2n+1} be a ξ -conharmonically flat Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold, then

$$R(T, \xi)\xi = -\frac{1}{2n-1} \{S(U, \xi)T - S(T, \xi)U + \eta(U)QT - \eta(T)QU\} \quad (5.2)$$

for $T, U \in \mathcal{L}$.

Proof. If M^{2n+1} is ξ -conharmonically flat then (5.1) holds. Taking $V = \xi$ in (2.13) and considering (2.1),

$$g(K(T, U)\xi, W) = g(R(T, U)\xi, W) - \frac{1}{2n-1} \{S(U, \xi)g(T, W) - S(T, \xi)g(U, W) + \eta(U)S(T, W) - \eta(T)S(U, W)\} \quad (5.3)$$

for $T, U, W \in \mathcal{L}$.

Owing to the fact that $\{e_i\}$ is orthonormal basis, $\{\varphi e_i\}$ is orthonormal basis either. Summarizing $i = 1, 2, \dots, (2n+1)$ in (5.3) and changing $T = W = e_i$, it takes the following form:

$$g(K(e_i, U)\xi, e_i) = g(R(e_i, U)\xi, e_i) - \frac{1}{2n-1} \{S(U, \xi)g(e_i, e_i) - S(e_i, \xi)g(U, e_i) + \eta(U)S(e_i, e_i)\} \quad (5.4)$$

for $U \in \mathcal{L}$. By using (2.1), (2.2) we have (5.3). □

Theorem 5.3. For the Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold M^{2n+1} necessary and sufficient condition to be ξ -conharmonically flat is: M^{2n+1} is an η -Einstein manifold.

Proof. For the Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold M^{2n+1} by using $U = \xi$ in (5.3), it is possible to obtain

$$S(T, W) = (-\alpha^2)g(T, W) + (2n-1)\alpha^2\eta(T)\eta(W) \quad (5.5)$$

for $T, W \in \mathcal{L}$. Namely, M^{2n+1} is η -Einstein and vice versa. □

6. φ -Conharmonically Flat Lorentzian α -Sasakian Manifold

Definition 6.1. Assume, M^{2n+1} be the Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold, then M^{2n+1} is called φ -conharmonically flat if

$$g(K(\varphi T, \varphi U)\varphi V, \varphi W) = 0 \quad (6.1)$$

for $T, U, V, W \in \mathcal{L}$.

Theorem 6.2. The Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold M^{2n+1} is called φ -conharmonically flat iff the equation (6.2) holds.

$$g(K(\varphi T, \varphi U)\varphi V, \varphi W) = -\frac{1}{2(2n-1)} \{g(\varphi U, \varphi V)g(\varphi T, \varphi W) - g(\varphi T, \varphi V)g(\varphi U, \varphi W)\} \quad (6.2)$$

for $T, U, V, W \in \mathcal{L}$.

Proof. Considering (2.13) for M^{2n+1} , it is possible to have the below relation:

$$S(\varphi T, \varphi W) = g(Q(\varphi T), \varphi W). \quad (6.3)$$

In consequence of this, the equation herein below can be written:

$$g(K(\varphi T, \varphi U)\varphi V, \varphi W) = g(R(\varphi T, \varphi U)\varphi V, \varphi W) - \frac{1}{2n-1} \{S(\varphi Y, \varphi V)g(\varphi T, \varphi W) - S(\varphi T, \varphi V)g(\varphi U, \varphi W) + g(\varphi U, \varphi V)S(\varphi T, \varphi W) - g(\varphi T, \varphi V)S(\varphi U, \varphi W)\} \quad (6.4)$$

Owing to the fact that $\{e_i\}$ is orthonormal basis, $\{\varphi e_i\}$ is orthonormal basis either. If we summarize $i = 1, 2, \dots, (2n+1)$ in (4.3) and take $T = W = e_i$, we have the following relation:

$$g(K(\varphi e_i, \varphi U)\varphi V, \varphi e_i) = g(R(\varphi e_i, \varphi U)\varphi V, \varphi e_i) - \frac{1}{2n-1} \{S(\varphi U, \varphi V)g(\varphi e_i, \varphi e_i) - S(\varphi e_i, \varphi V)g(\varphi U, \varphi e_i) + g(\varphi U, \varphi V)S(\varphi e_i, \varphi e_i) - g(\varphi e_i, \varphi V)S(\varphi U, \varphi e_i)\} \quad (6.5)$$

for $U, V \in \mathcal{L}$. Due to M is φ -conharmonically flat, (6.1) holds and by virtue of (6.5),

$$S(\varphi U, \varphi V) = (r - 2n\alpha^2 - 2n + 1)g(\varphi U, \varphi V) \quad (6.6)$$

holds for $U, V \in \mathcal{L}$. Then, using (2.4) and (6.1) in (6.4), we get (6.2). □

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