



# Quarter-symmetric connection on an almost Hermitian manifold and on a Kähler manifold

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## Abstract

The paper observes an almost Hermitian manifold as an example of a generalized Riemannian manifold and examines the application of a quarter-symmetric connection on the almost Hermitian manifold. The almost Hermitian manifold with quarter-symmetric connection preserving the generalized Riemannian metric is actually the Kähler manifold. Observing the six linearly independent curvature tensors with respect to the quarter-symmetric connection, we construct tensors that do not depend on the quarter-symmetric connection generator. One of them coincides with the Weyl projective curvature tensor of symmetric metric  $g$ . Also, we obtain the relations between the Weyl projective curvature tensor and the holomorphically projective curvature tensor. Moreover, we examine the properties of curvature tensors when some tensors are hybrid.

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## 1. Introduction

The paper deals with a non-symmetric linear connection, i.e. investigates the linear connection with the torsion tensor. In [11], the authors discussed linear connections in a generalized Riemannian manifold. Among other things, they studied connections with a totally skew-symmetric torsion tensor and connections with the Einstein metricity condition (see also [12]). Paper [17] studied the semi-symmetric metric connection and properties of the curvature tensor and determined the relations between Weyl projective curvature tensor, conformal curvature tensor, and concircular curvature tensor. S. Golab in [9] defined the quarter-symmetric connection as a generalization of the semi-symmetric connection. After the initial work, the theory of quarter-symmetric connection was expanded by many authors in various manifolds (for instance see [2, 3, 5, 6, 10, 13, 21]). In paper [22], M. Tripathi introduced a new linear connection with torsion tensor in a Riemannian manifold, which generalizes several semi-symmetric and quarter-symmetric connections.

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In paper [28], the authors defined a quarter-symmetric generalized metric connection on a generalized Riemannian manifold as a connection that preserves the generalized (non-symmetric) Riemannian metric. The paper determined relations for curvature tensors and studied their skew-symmetric and cyclic-symmetric properties. Now we will deal with the application of the quarter-symmetric connection on the almost Hermitian manifold. We will show that the almost Hermitian manifold with quarter-symmetric generalized metric connection is actually a Kähler manifold. Accordingly, we will find some identities for the holomorphically projective curvature tensor and the Weyl projective curvature tensor. The *holomorphically projective curvature tensor* given by equation

$$\begin{aligned} \overset{g}{P}(X, Y)Z &= \overset{g}{R}(X, Y)Z + \frac{1}{n+2}(\overset{g}{Ric}(X, Z)Y - \overset{g}{Ric}(Y, Z)X) \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{n+2}(\overset{g}{Ric}(X, AZ)AY - \overset{g}{Ric}(Y, AZ)AX + 2\overset{g}{Ric}(X, AY)AZ) \end{aligned} \tag{1.1}$$

is invariant under holomorphically projective mapping between two Kähler manifolds (see [19, 24]). Such mapping is a natural generalization of geodesic mapping. The *Weyl projective curvature tensor* given by equation

$$\overset{g}{W}(X, Y)Z = \overset{g}{R}(X, Y)Z + \frac{1}{n-1}(\overset{g}{Ric}(X, Z)Y - \overset{g}{Ric}(Y, Z)X) \tag{1.2}$$

is invariant under geodesic mapping between two Riemannian manifolds (for instance see [14]).

### 2. Preliminaries

Let  $(\mathcal{M}, G = g + F)$  be a generalized Riemannian manifold, where  $\mathcal{M}$  is an  $n$ -dimensional differentiable manifold,  $G$  is a non-symmetric  $(0,2)$  tensor (the so-called generalized Riemannian metric),  $g$  is the symmetric part of  $G$  and  $F$  is the skew-symmetric part of  $G$ . Tensor  $A$  is defined as a tensor associated with tensor  $F$ , i.e.

$$F(X, Y) = g(AX, Y). \tag{2.1}$$

The quarter-symmetric connection  $\overset{1}{\nabla}$  preserving generalized Riemannian metric  $G$ ,  $\overset{1}{\nabla}G = 0$ , is called *quarter-symmetric generalized metric connection* (i.e. *quarter-symmetric  $G$ -metric connection*), and it is determined by equations (see [28])

$$\overset{1}{\nabla}_X Y = \overset{g}{\nabla}_X Y - \pi(X)AY \tag{2.2}$$

and

$$(\overset{1}{\nabla}_X g)(Y, Z) = 0, \tag{2.3}$$

$$(\overset{1}{\nabla}_X A)Y = (\overset{g}{\nabla}_X A)Y = 0, \tag{2.4}$$

where  $\pi$  is a 1-form associated with vector field  $P$ , i.e.  $\pi(X) = g(X, P)$ , and  $\overset{g}{\nabla}$  is a Levi-Civita connection. A 1-form  $\pi$  is called the *generator* of that connection. The covariant derivative of generator  $\pi$  is given by equation

$$(\overset{1}{\nabla}_X \pi)(Y) = (\overset{g}{\nabla}_X \pi)(Y) + \pi(X)\pi(AY).$$

The torsion tensor of connection  $\overset{1}{\nabla}$  is given by equation

$$\overset{1}{T}(X, Y) = \pi(Y)AX - \pi(X)AY,$$

from which it follows

$$\overset{1}{T}(X, Y, Z) = g(\overset{1}{T}(X, Y), Z) = \pi(Y)F(X, Z) - \pi(X)F(Y, Z).$$

The following statement gives known relations between curvature tensors  $\overset{\theta}{R}$ ,  $\theta = 0, 1, \dots, 5$ , and Riemannian curvature tensor  $\overset{g}{R}$ .

**Theorem 2.1** ([28]). *Let  $(\mathcal{M}, G = g + F)$  be a generalized Riemannian manifold with the quarter-symmetric  $G$ -metric connection (2.2). The curvature tensors  $\overset{\theta}{R}$ ,  $\theta = 0, 1, \dots, 5$  and Riemannian curvature tensor  $\overset{g}{R}$  satisfy the following relations*

$$\begin{aligned} \overset{0}{R}(X, Y)Z = & \overset{g}{R}(X, Y)Z - \frac{1}{2}(\overset{0}{D}(X, Y) - \overset{0}{D}(Y, X))AZ - \frac{1}{2}\overset{0}{D}(X, Z)AY + \frac{1}{2}\overset{0}{D}(Y, Z)AX \\ & - \frac{1}{4}\pi(Z)(\pi(Y)A^2X - \pi(X)A^2Y), \end{aligned} \tag{2.5}$$

$$\overset{1}{R}(X, Y)Z = \overset{g}{R}(X, Y)Z - \overset{1}{D}(X, Y)AZ, \tag{2.6}$$

$$\overset{2}{R}(X, Y)Z = \overset{g}{R}(X, Y)Z - \overset{2}{D}(X, Z)AY + \overset{2}{D}(Y, Z)AX, \tag{2.7}$$

$$\overset{3}{R}(X, Y)Z = \overset{g}{R}(X, Y)Z - \overset{2}{D}(X, Y)AZ + \overset{3}{D}(Y, Z)AX, \tag{2.8}$$

$$\overset{4}{R}(X, Y)Z = \overset{g}{R}(X, Y)Z - \overset{3}{D}(X, Y)AZ + \overset{3}{D}(Y, Z)AX - \pi(Z)(\pi(Y)A^2X - \pi(X)A^2Y), \tag{2.9}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \overset{5}{R}(X, Y)Z = & \overset{g}{R}(X, Y)Z - \frac{1}{2}(\overset{2}{D}(X, Y) - \overset{3}{D}(Y, X))AZ - \frac{1}{2}\overset{3}{D}(X, Z)AY + \frac{1}{2}\overset{2}{D}(Y, Z)AX \\ & + \frac{1}{2}\pi(Y)(\pi(X)A^2Z - \pi(Z)A^2X), \end{aligned} \tag{2.10}$$

where

$$\overset{0}{D}(X, Y) = (\overset{g}{\nabla}_X \pi)(Y) + \frac{1}{2}\pi(X)\pi(AY) + \frac{1}{2}\pi(Y)\pi(AX), \tag{2.11}$$

$$\overset{1}{D}(X, Y) = (\overset{g}{\nabla}_X \pi)(Y) - (\overset{g}{\nabla}_Y \pi)(X), \tag{2.12}$$

$$\overset{2}{D}(X, Y) = (\overset{g}{\nabla}_X \pi)(Y) + \pi(Y)\pi(AX), \tag{2.13}$$

$$\overset{3}{D}(X, Y) = (\overset{g}{\nabla}_X \pi)(Y) + \pi(X)\pi(AY) = (\overset{1}{\nabla}_X \pi)(Y). \tag{2.14}$$

The corresponding (0,4) curvature tensors are defined by relations

$$\overset{\theta}{R}(X, Y, Z, W) = g(\overset{\theta}{R}(X, Y)Z, W), \theta = 0, 1, \dots, 5 \quad \text{and}$$

$$\overset{g}{R}(X, Y, Z, W) = g(\overset{g}{R}(X, Y)Z, W).$$

The corresponding Ricci tensors are defined by relations

$$\overset{\theta}{Ric}(Y, Z) = \text{Trace}\{X \rightarrow \overset{\theta}{R}(X, Y)Z\}, \theta = 0, 1, \dots, 5 \quad \text{and}$$

$$\overset{g}{Ric}(Y, Z) = \text{Trace}\{X \rightarrow \overset{g}{R}(X, Y)Z\}.$$

### 3. Almost Hermitian manifolds

Depending on the properties of tensor  $A$ , we can observe various examples of the generalized Riemannian manifold (see [11]). An almost Hermitian manifold  $(\mathcal{M}, g, A)$  is an  $n$ -dimensional Riemannian manifold  $(\mathcal{M}, g)$  (where  $n = 2k \geq 4$ ) equipped with almost complex structure  $A$  which satisfies

$$A^2 = -I, \quad g(AX, AY) = g(X, Y). \tag{3.1}$$

The fundamental 2-form  $F$  (the so-called the Kähler form) is defined by  $F(X, Y) = g(AX, Y)$ . The following equations also apply to the almost Hermitian manifold

$$F(AX, Y) = -F(X, AY) = -g(X, Y) \quad \text{and} \quad F(AX, AY) = F(X, Y). \tag{3.2}$$

From equations (2.1), (3.1), (3.2), we conclude that

$$G(AX, Y) = -G(X, AY) = -G(Y, X) \quad \text{and} \quad G(AX, AY) = G(X, Y). \quad (3.3)$$

An almost Hermitian manifold  $(\mathcal{M}, g, A)$  can be considered as a generalized Riemannian manifold  $(\mathcal{M}, G = g + F)$  that satisfies relations (3.1) (see [11, 18]), where the skew-symmetric part  $F$  of basic tensor  $G$  is defined with  $F(X, Y) = g(AX, Y)$ . We will observe an almost Hermitian manifold  $(\mathcal{M}, g, A)$  with a quarter-symmetric  $G$ -metric connection (2.2). Actually, such a connection preserves the almost Hermitian structure  $(g, A)$ , i.e.  $\overset{1}{\nabla}g = \overset{1}{\nabla}A = 0$ . A linear connection that preserves the almost Hermitian structure is called the *almost Hermitian connection* (also known as a *natural connection*) (for instance, see [8, 27]), which means that quarter-symmetric  $G$ -metric connection is an almost Hermitian connection.

**Theorem 3.1.** *The torsion tensor  $\overset{1}{T}$  of quarter-symmetric connection (2.2) on an almost Hermitian manifold satisfies the following relations*

$$\begin{aligned} \overset{1}{AT}(AX, AY) &= \overset{1}{AT}(X, Y) - \overset{1}{T}(AX, Y) - \overset{1}{T}(X, AY), \\ \overset{1}{T}(X, Y, Z) &= \overset{1}{T}(AX, AY, Z) + \overset{1}{T}(AX, Y, AZ) + \overset{1}{T}(X, AY, AZ), \\ \underset{XYZ}{\sigma} \overset{1}{T}(X, Y, Z) &= \underset{XYZ}{\sigma} (\overset{1}{T}(AX, Y, AZ) + \overset{1}{T}(X, AY, AZ)), \end{aligned}$$

where  $\underset{XYZ}{\sigma}$  denote the cyclic sum with respect to the vector fields  $X, Y, Z$ .

**Proof.** These relations can be proven by using the property of skew-symmetric 2-form  $F$  in almost Hermitian manifolds, i.e. by using equations (3.1) and (3.2).  $\square$

An almost Hermitian manifold is a *Kähler manifold* if  $\overset{g}{\nabla}A = 0$ . From equation (2.4), we see that structure tensor  $A$  is parallel with respect to the Levi-Civita connection, and it implies the following statement.

**Theorem 3.2.** *The almost Hermitian manifold  $(\mathcal{M}, g, A)$  with quarter-symmetric connection (2.2) preserving the generalized Riemannian metric  $G$  is the Kähler manifold.*

Following the previous theorem, further consideration will be related with the Kähler manifold. For this manifold, the term "generalized metric (i.e.  $G$ -metric) connection" is equivalent to the term "metric  $A$ -connection" (note that many papers use the term "metric  $F$ -connection", as  $F$  is used to denote (1,1) structure tensor).

The Riemannian curvature tensor  $\overset{g}{R}$  on the Kähler manifold  $(\mathcal{M}, g, A)$  satisfies the following relations (for instance see [4, 14])

$$\overset{g}{R}(X, Y)AZ = A\overset{g}{R}(X, Y)Z, \quad (3.4)$$

$$\overset{g}{R}(X, Y, AZ, AW) = \overset{g}{R}(AX, AY, Z, W), \quad (3.5)$$

$$\overset{g}{R}(X, AY, AZ, W) = \overset{g}{R}(AX, Y, Z, AW), \quad (3.6)$$

$$\overset{g}{R}(AX, AY, AZ, AW) = \overset{g}{R}(X, Y, Z, W), \quad (3.7)$$

$$\overset{g}{R}(X, Y, Z, AW) = -\overset{g}{R}(X, Y, AZ, W). \quad (3.8)$$

Moreover, if the (0,2) type tensor  $B$  is *hybrid*, then it holds (for instance see [16], [23, pp. 31])

$$B(AX, Y) = -B(X, AY).$$

On the Kähler manifold, we have

$$B(AX, AY) = B(X, Y).$$

For example, on the Kähler manifold, tensors  $g$  and  $F$  are hybrid (see [24, pp. 192]), from which it follows that generalized Riemannian metric  $G$  is hybrid (this is shown by equations (3.1), (3.2) and (3.3)). Also, on the Kähler manifold, the Ricci tensor  $\overset{g}{Ric}$  is a hybrid tensor (see [24, pp. 68]), i.e. satisfies relation

$$\overset{g}{Ric}(X, AY) = -\overset{g}{Ric}(AX, Y). \tag{3.9}$$

In the following theorem, we state the results we will use to study curvature tensor properties.

**Theorem 3.3.** *Let  $(\mathcal{M}, g, A)$  be a Kähler manifold.*

(1) *If  $\overset{g}{\nabla}\pi$  is hybrid tensor, then  $\overset{1}{D}$  is also hybrid, i.e. it holds that*

$$\overset{1}{D}(AX, Y) = -\overset{1}{D}(X, AY), \quad \overset{1}{D}(AX, AY) = \overset{1}{D}(X, Y), \tag{3.10}$$

where  $\overset{1}{D}$  is given by (2.12).

(2) *If  $\overset{g}{\nabla}\pi$  and  $\pi \otimes \pi$  are hybrid tensors, then  $\overset{\theta}{D}$  are hybrid,  $\theta = 0, 2, 3$ , i.e. it holds that*

$$\overset{\theta}{D}(AX, Y) = -\overset{\theta}{D}(X, AY), \quad \overset{\theta}{D}(AX, AY) = \overset{\theta}{D}(X, Y), \quad \theta = 0, 2, 3, \tag{3.11}$$

where  $\overset{\theta}{D}$  are given by (2.11), (2.13), (2.14).

**Proof.** We will prove equations (3.11) for  $\theta = 2$ . From equation (2.13), on the Kähler manifold, we have

$$\overset{2}{D}(AX, Y) + \overset{2}{D}(X, AY) = (\overset{g}{\nabla}_{AX}\pi)(Y) + (\overset{g}{\nabla}_X\pi)(AY) + \pi(AX)\pi(AY) - \pi(X)\pi(Y). \tag{3.12}$$

If  $\overset{g}{\nabla}\pi$  and  $\pi \otimes \pi$  are hybrid tensors, then it holds

$$(\overset{g}{\nabla}_{AX}\pi)(Y) = -(\overset{g}{\nabla}_X\pi)(AY), \quad \pi(AX)\pi(Y) = -\pi(X)\pi(AY) \tag{3.13}$$

and

$$(\overset{g}{\nabla}_{AX}\pi)(AY) = (\overset{g}{\nabla}_X\pi)(Y), \quad \pi(AX)\pi(AY) = \pi(X)\pi(Y). \tag{3.14}$$

Applying equations (3.13) and (3.14) to (3.12), we get

$$\overset{2}{D}(AX, Y) + \overset{2}{D}(X, AY) = 0.$$

If we replace  $X$  with  $AX$  in the previous equation and using  $A^2 = -I$ , we obtain the second equation of (3.11). □

**Remark 3.4.** Theorem 3.2 is the equivalent form of Theorem 4.2 in [25]: In order that the covariant derivative of the complex structure tensor of a Hermitian manifold with respect to the quarter-symmetric metric connection vanish, it is necessary and sufficient that the Hermitian manifold be a Kähler manifold.

#### 4. Curvature properties of quarter-symmetric connection on Kähler manifold

In this section, we will consider the properties of the curvature tensor on the Kähler manifold with a quarter-symmetric connection (2.2). The papers [1, 7, 15, 20, 26] studied the quarter-symmetric connection on the Kähler manifold. For example, in paper [26], K. Yano and T. Imai proved that the Kähler manifold with a quarter-symmetric metric  $A$ -connection (2.2) is flat if curvature tensor  $\overset{1}{R}$  vanishes.

Using the linearly independent curvature tensors with respect to quarter-symmetric connection (2.2), below we will construct the tensors that are independent of the choice of quarter-symmetric connection generator.

##### 4.1. Curvature tensor of the first kind

The curvature tensor of the first kind on the Kähler manifold with a quarter-symmetric metric  $A$ -connection (2.2) is given by equation

$$\overset{1}{R}(X, Y)Z = \overset{g}{R}(X, Y)Z - \overset{1}{D}(X, Y)AZ, \tag{4.1}$$

where  $\overset{1}{D}$  is tensor given by (2.12). By contracting with respect to vector field  $X$  in equation (4.1), we obtain

$$\overset{1}{Ric}(Y, Z) = \overset{g}{Ric}(Y, Z) - \overset{1}{D}(AZ, Y).$$

If we replace  $Z$  with  $AZ$  in the previous equation, we have

$$\overset{1}{Ric}(Y, AZ) = \overset{g}{Ric}(Y, AZ) - \overset{1}{D}(A^2Z, Y),$$

from which we obtain

$$\overset{1}{D}(Z, Y) = \overset{1}{Ric}(Y, AZ) - \overset{g}{Ric}(Y, AZ). \tag{4.2}$$

By substituting (4.2) into (4.1), we obtain

$$\overset{1}{R}(X, Y)Z = \overset{g}{R}(X, Y)Z - (\overset{1}{Ric}(Y, AX) - \overset{g}{Ric}(Y, AX))AZ.$$

By separating the elements of connections  $\overset{1}{\nabla}$  and  $\overset{g}{\nabla}$ , we get the relation

$$\overset{1}{R}(X, Y)Z + \overset{1}{Ric}(Y, AX)AZ = \overset{g}{R}(X, Y)Z + \overset{g}{Ric}(Y, AX)AZ \tag{4.3}$$

and based on that, we will formulate the following theorem.

**Theorem 4.1.** *Let  $(\mathcal{M}, g, A)$  be a Kähler manifold with a quarter-symmetric metric  $A$ -connection (2.2). Tensor*

$$\overset{1}{H}(X, Y)Z = \overset{1}{R}(X, Y)Z + \overset{1}{Ric}(Y, AX)AZ \tag{4.4}$$

*is independent of generator  $\pi$ .*

In this part, we will also deal with some other properties of the curvature tensors on the Kähler manifold, depending on the quarter-symmetric connection generator properties. We now state the properties of curvature tensors of the first kind.

**Theorem 4.2.** *Let  $(\mathcal{M}, g, A)$  be a Kähler manifold with a quarter-symmetric metric  $A$ -connection (2.2). Then, we have:*

- (1) If  $\overset{g}{\nabla}\pi$  is hybrid tensor, then the curvature tensor of the first kind and structure tensor  $A$  satisfies the following relations

$$\begin{aligned} \overset{1}{R}(X, Y, AZ, AW) &= \overset{1}{R}(AX, AY, Z, W), \\ \overset{1}{R}(X, AY, AZ, W) &= \overset{1}{R}(AX, Y, Z, AW), \\ \overset{1}{R}(AX, AY, AZ, AW) &= \overset{1}{R}(X, Y, Z, W). \end{aligned}$$

- (2) The curvature tensor of the first kind and structure tensor  $A$  satisfies the following relations

$$\begin{aligned} \overset{1}{R}(X, Y)AZ &= A\overset{1}{R}(X, Y)Z, \\ \overset{1}{R}(X, Y, Z, AW) &= -\overset{1}{R}(X, Y, AZ, W). \end{aligned}$$

**Proof.** From equation (2.6), we obtain the (0,4) type curvature tensor of the first kind

$$\overset{1}{R}(X, Y, Z, W) = \overset{g}{R}(X, Y, Z, W) - \overset{1}{D}(X, Y)F(Z, W).$$

From here, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \overset{1}{R}(X, Y, AZ, AW) &= \overset{g}{R}(X, Y, AZ, AW) - \overset{1}{D}(X, Y)F(AZ, AW) \\ &= \overset{g}{R}(X, Y, AZ, AW) - \overset{1}{D}(X, Y)F(Z, W), \end{aligned} \tag{4.5}$$

where we used equation (3.2). On the other hand, we have

$$\overset{1}{R}(AX, AY, Z, W) = \overset{g}{R}(AX, AY, Z, W) - \overset{1}{D}(AX, AY)F(Z, W). \tag{4.6}$$

After subtracting equation (4.6) from (4.5) and using (3.5), we get

$$\overset{1}{R}(X, Y, AZ, AW) - \overset{1}{R}(AX, AY, Z, W) = (\overset{1}{D}(AX, AY) - \overset{1}{D}(X, Y))F(Z, W).$$

From equation (3.10), we see that

$$\overset{1}{R}(X, Y, AZ, AW) = \overset{1}{R}(AX, AY, Z, W)$$

if  $\overset{g}{\nabla}\pi$  is hybrid. Other relations are proved analogously. □

#### 4.2. Curvature tensor of the second kind

Using the curvature tensor of the second kind, we can get a new tensor on the Kähler manifold that is independent of quarter-symmetric connection generator  $\pi$ .

**Theorem 4.3.** Let  $(\mathcal{M}, g, A)$  be a Kähler manifold with a quarter-symmetric metric  $A$ -connection (2.2). Tensor

$$\overset{2}{H}(X, Y)Z = \overset{2}{R}(X, Y)Z + \overset{2}{Ric}(AX, Z)AY - \overset{2}{Ric}(AY, Z)AX \tag{4.7}$$

is independent of generator  $\pi$ .

**Proof.** The curvature tensor of the second kind with respect to quarter-symmetric connection (2.2) reads

$$\overset{2}{R}(X, Y)Z = \overset{g}{R}(X, Y)Z - \overset{2}{D}(X, Z)AY + \overset{2}{D}(Y, Z)AX, \tag{4.8}$$

where  $\overset{2}{D}$  is (0, 2) type tensor given by (2.13). By contracting vector field  $X$  in equation (4.8), we have

$$\overset{2}{Ric}(Y, Z) = \overset{g}{Ric}(Y, Z) - \overset{2}{D}(AY, Z), \tag{4.9}$$

where we used that the structure tensor  $A$  is trace-free, i.e.  $Trace\{X \rightarrow AX\} = 0$ . From equation (4.9), we have

$$\overset{2}{D}(A^2Y, Z) = \overset{g}{Ric}(AY, Z) - \overset{2}{Ric}(AY, Z)$$

and further

$$\overset{2}{D}(Y, Z) = \overset{2}{Ric}(AY, Z) - \overset{g}{Ric}(AY, Z). \tag{4.10}$$

By combining equations (4.8) and (4.10), we find

$$\overset{2}{R}(X, Y)Z = \overset{g}{R}(X, Y)Z - (\overset{2}{Ric}(AX, Z) - \overset{g}{Ric}(AX, Z))AY + (\overset{2}{Ric}(AY, Z) - \overset{g}{Ric}(AY, Z))AX,$$

from which

$$\begin{aligned} \overset{2}{R}(X, Y)Z + \overset{2}{Ric}(AX, Z)AY - \overset{2}{Ric}(AY, Z)AX &= \overset{g}{R}(X, Y)Z + \overset{g}{Ric}(AX, Z)AY \\ &\quad - \overset{g}{Ric}(AY, Z)AX. \end{aligned} \tag{4.11}$$

□

Depending on generator  $\pi$  property, the curvature tensor of the second kind and structure tensor  $A$  have the following properties.

**Theorem 4.4.** *Let  $(\mathcal{M}, g, A)$  be a Kähler manifold with a quarter-symmetric metric A-connection (2.2). Then, we have:*

- (1) *If  $\overset{g}{\nabla}\pi$  and  $\pi \otimes \pi$  are hybrid, then the curvature tensor of the second kind and structure tensor  $A$  satisfies the following relations*

$$\begin{aligned} \overset{2}{R}(X, Y, AZ, AW) &= \overset{2}{R}(AX, AY, Z, W), \\ \overset{2}{R}(X, AY, AZ, W) &= \overset{2}{R}(AX, Y, Z, AW), \\ \overset{2}{R}(AX, AY, AZ, AW) &= \overset{2}{R}(X, Y, Z, W). \end{aligned}$$

- (2) *The curvature tensor of the second kind and the structure tensor  $A$  satisfies the following relations*

$$\begin{aligned} \overset{2}{R}(X, Y)AZ &= A\overset{2}{R}(X, Y)Z, \\ \overset{2}{R}(X, Y, Z, AW) &= -\overset{2}{R}(X, Y, AZ, W), \end{aligned}$$

*if and only if*

$$\overset{2}{D}(X, Z)Y + \overset{2}{D}(X, AZ)AY = \overset{2}{D}(Y, Z)X + \overset{2}{D}(Y, AZ)AX,$$

*where  $\overset{2}{D}$  given with (2.13).*

**Proof.** The (0,4) type curvature tensor of the second kind is given by equation

$$\overset{2}{R}(X, Y, Z, W) = \overset{g}{R}(X, Y, Z, W) - \overset{2}{D}(X, Z)F(Y, W) + \overset{2}{D}(Y, Z)F(X, W),$$

from which it follows

$$\begin{aligned} \overset{2}{R}(X, AY, AZ, W) &= \overset{g}{R}(X, AY, AZ, W) + \overset{2}{D}(X, AZ)g(Y, W) + \overset{2}{D}(AY, AZ)F(X, W), \\ \overset{2}{R}(AX, Y, Z, AW) &= \overset{g}{R}(AX, Y, Z, AW) - \overset{2}{D}(AX, Z)g(Y, W) + \overset{2}{D}(Y, Z)F(X, W), \end{aligned}$$



where we used relations (3.2). By subtracting the previous two equations and using (3.6), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \overset{2}{R}(X, AY, AZ, W) - \overset{2}{R}(AX, Y, Z, AW) &= (\overset{2}{D}(X, AZ) + \overset{2}{D}(AX, Z))g(Y, W) \\ &+ (\overset{2}{D}(AY, AZ) - \overset{2}{D}(Y, Z))F(X, W). \end{aligned}$$

If  $\overset{g}{\nabla}\pi$  and  $\pi \otimes \pi$  are hybrid, then the relation (3.11) holds, and we verified that

$$\overset{2}{R}(X, AY, AZ, W) = \overset{2}{R}(AX, Y, Z, AW).$$

□

### 4.3. Curvature tensor of the third kind

The curvature tensor of the third kind  $\overset{3}{R}$  with respect to quarter-symmetric connection (2.2) is given by equation

$$\overset{3}{R}(X, Y)Z = \overset{g}{R}(X, Y)Z - \overset{2}{D}(X, Y)AZ + \overset{3}{D}(Y, Z)AX, \tag{4.12}$$

where  $\overset{2}{D}$  and  $\overset{3}{D}$  are (0, 2) type tensors given by (2.13) and (2.14), respectively. If we contract equation (4.12) with respect to  $X$ , then we obtain the relation between Ricci tensors  $\overset{3}{Ric}$  and  $\overset{g}{Ric}$

$$\overset{3}{Ric}(Y, Z) = \overset{g}{Ric}(Y, Z) - \overset{2}{D}(AZ, Y),$$

from which we get the following relation

$$\overset{2}{D}(Z, Y) = \overset{3}{Ric}(Y, AZ) - \overset{g}{Ric}(Y, AZ). \tag{4.13}$$

On the other hand, if we contract equation (4.12) with respect to vector field  $Z$ , then we get

$$\overset{3}{R}(X, Y) = \overset{3}{D}(Y, AX), \tag{4.14}$$

where we used  $Trace\{Z \rightarrow \overset{g}{R}(X, Y)Z\} = 0$  and denoted  $\overset{3}{R}(X, Y) = Trace\{Z \rightarrow \overset{3}{R}(X, Y)Z\}$ . Further, it follows that

$$\overset{3}{D}(Y, X) = -\overset{3}{R}(AX, Y), \tag{4.15}$$

where we take into account that  $A^2 = -I$ . By replacing equations (4.13) and (4.15) into (4.12), we have

$$\overset{3}{R}(X, Y)Z = \overset{g}{R}(X, Y)Z - (\overset{3}{Ric}(Y, AX) - \overset{g}{Ric}(Y, AX))AZ - \overset{3}{R}(AZ, Y)AX,$$

and further

$$\overset{3}{R}(X, Y)Z + \overset{3}{Ric}(Y, AX)AZ + \overset{3}{R}(AZ, Y)AX = \overset{g}{R}(X, Y)Z + \overset{g}{Ric}(Y, AX)AZ. \tag{4.16}$$

Finally, we have proved the following theorem.

**Theorem 4.5.** *Let  $(\mathcal{M}, g, A)$  be a Kähler manifold with a quarter-symmetric metric A-connection (2.2). Tensor*

$$\overset{3}{H}(X, Y)Z = \overset{3}{R}(X, Y)Z + \overset{3}{Ric}(Y, AX)AZ + \overset{3}{R}(AZ, Y)AX$$

*is independent of generator  $\pi$ .*

By comparing equations (4.3) and (4.16), we conclude that

$${}^1H(X, Y)Z = {}^3H(X, Y)Z.$$

Based on expressions for tensor  ${}^2D$ , i.e. from equations (4.10) and (4.13), it follows that

$${}^2Ric(X, Y) = {}^3Ric(Y, X).$$

In the following statement, we state the properties of the curvature tensor of the third kind, which can be proved similarly to the properties of the previous tensors.

**Theorem 4.6.** *Let  $(\mathcal{M}, g, A)$  be a Kähler manifold with a quarter-symmetric metric  $A$ -connection (2.2). Then, we have:*

- (1) *If  ${}^g\nabla\pi$  and  $\pi\otimes\pi$  are hybrid, then the curvature tensor of the third kind and structure tensor  $A$  satisfies the following relations*

$$\begin{aligned} {}^3R(X, Y, AZ, AW) &= {}^3R(AX, AY, Z, W), \\ {}^3R(X, AY, AZ, W) &= {}^3R(AX, Y, Z, AW), \\ {}^3R(AX, AY, AZ, AW) &= {}^3R(X, Y, Z, W). \end{aligned}$$

- (2) *The curvature tensor of the third kind and structure tensor  $A$  satisfies the following relations*

$$\begin{aligned} {}^3R(X, Y)AZ &= A{}^3R(X, Y)Z, \\ {}^3R(X, Y, Z, AW) &= -{}^3R(X, Y, AZ, W), \end{aligned}$$

*if and only if*

$${}^3D(Y, Z)X = -{}^3D(Y, AZ)AX,$$

*where  ${}^3D$  given by (2.14).*

#### 4.4. Curvature tensor of the fourth kind

The equation of the curvature tensor of the fourth kind  ${}^4R$  on the Kähler manifold with a quarter-symmetric connection (2.2) take the form

$${}^4R(X, Y)Z = {}^gR(X, Y)Z - {}^3D(X, Y)AZ + {}^3D(Y, Z)AX + \pi(Z)(\pi(Y)X - \pi(X)Y), \quad (4.17)$$

where  ${}^3D$  is given by equation (2.14). If we contract with respect to vector  $X$  in equation (4.17), then we obtain the relation between the Ricci tensor of the fourth kind and the Ricci tensor of metric  $g$

$${}^4Ric(Y, Z) = {}^gRic(Y, Z) - {}^3D(AZ, Y) + (n - 1)\pi(Y)\pi(Z). \quad (4.18)$$

On the other hand, by contracting equation (4.17) with respect to  $Z$ , we have the following equation

$${}^4R(X, Y) = {}^3D(Y, AX), \quad (4.19)$$

from which we obtain

$${}^3D(Y, X) = -{}^4R(AX, Y), \quad (4.20)$$

where  ${}^4R(X, Y) = \text{Trace}\{Z \rightarrow {}^4R(X, Y)Z\}$ . From (4.18) and (4.20), we have

$$\pi(Y)\pi(Z) = \frac{1}{n-1}({}^4Ric(Y, Z) - {}^gRic(Y, Z) - {}^4R(AY, AZ)). \tag{4.21}$$

By substituting equations (4.20) and (4.21) into (4.17), after simple rearranging, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & {}^4R(X, Y)Z - {}^4R(AY, X)AZ + {}^4R(AZ, Y)AX \\ & - \frac{1}{n-1}({}^4Ric(Y, Z)X - {}^4Ric(X, Z)Y - {}^4R(AY, AZ)X + {}^4R(AX, AZ)Y) \\ & = {}^gR(X, Y)Z + \frac{1}{n-1}({}^gRic(X, Z)Y - {}^gRic(Y, Z)X) = {}^gW(X, Y)Z, \end{aligned}$$

where  ${}^gW$  is the Weyl projective curvature tensor (1.2). The tensor of the left-hand side of the previous equation is independent of the choice of a 1-form  $\pi$ .

**Theorem 4.7.** *Let  $(\mathcal{M}, g, A)$  be a Kähler manifold with a quarter-symmetric metric  $A$ -connection (2.2). Tensor*

$$\begin{aligned} & {}^4H(X, Y)Z = {}^4R(X, Y)Z - {}^4R(AY, X)AZ + {}^4R(AZ, Y)AX \\ & - \frac{1}{n-1}({}^4Ric(Y, Z)X - {}^4Ric(X, Z)Y - {}^4R(AY, AZ)X + {}^4R(AX, AZ)Y) \end{aligned}$$

*is independent of generator  $\pi$  and it is equal to the Weyl projective curvature tensor  ${}^gW$ .*

Immediately, we have the following corollary.

**Corollary 4.8.** *Let  $(\mathcal{M}, g, A)$  be a Kähler manifold with a quarter-symmetric metric  $A$ -connection (2.2). If Ricci tensor  ${}^4Ric$  and tensor  ${}^4R$  vanish on this manifold, then the curvature tensor of the fourth kind and the Weyl projective curvature tensor are equal, i.e.  ${}^4R = {}^gW$ .*

From equations (4.14) and (4.19), we obtain the relation

$${}^3R = {}^4R.$$

Using relations (3.4)-(3.8), we can easily prove some relations for the curvature tensor of the fourth kind.

**Theorem 4.9.** *Let  $(\mathcal{M}, g, A)$  be a Kähler manifold with a quarter-symmetric metric  $A$ -connection (2.2). Then, we have:*

- (1) *If  $\nabla^g\pi$  and  $\pi \otimes \pi$  are hybrid, then the curvature tensor of the fourth kind and structure tensor  $A$  satisfies the following relations*

$$\begin{aligned} & {}^4R(X, Y, AZ, AW) = {}^4R(AX, AY, Z, W), \\ & {}^4R(X, AY, AZ, W) = {}^4R(AX, Y, Z, AW), \\ & {}^4R(AX, AY, AZ, AW) = {}^4R(X, Y, Z, W). \end{aligned}$$

- (2) *The curvature tensor of the fourth kind and structure tensor  $A$  satisfies the following relations*

$$\begin{aligned} & {}^4R(X, Y)AZ = A{}^4R(X, Y)Z, \\ & {}^4R(X, Y, Z, AW) = -{}^4R(X, Y, AZ, W), \end{aligned}$$

if and only if

$${}^4D(Y, Z)AX + \pi(X)\pi(Z)AY = -{}^4D(Y, AZ)X + \pi(X)\pi(AZ)Y,$$

where  ${}^4D(Y, Z) = ({}^g\nabla_Y\pi)(AZ) - 2\pi(Y)\pi(Z)$ .

### 4.5. Curvature tensor of the fifth kind

We will prove the following theorem using the curvature tensor of the fifth kind.

**Theorem 4.10.** *Let  $(\mathcal{M}, g, A)$  be a Kähler manifold with a quarter-symmetric metric  $A$ -connection (2.2). Tensor*

$$\begin{aligned} {}^5H(X, Y)Z &= {}^5R(X, Y)Z + \frac{1}{n-1}({}^5Ric(X, Y)Z - {}^5Ric(Y, Z)X) \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2(n-1)}({}^1Ric(X, Y)Z - {}^1Ric(Y, Z)X) \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2(n-1)}({}'R(AY, AX)Z - {}'R(AZ, AY)X) \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{2}({}^1Ric(Y, AX)AZ - {}^3Ric(Z, AY)AX - {}'R(AZ, X)AY) \end{aligned} \tag{4.22}$$

is independent of generator  $\pi$ .

**Proof.** If we take into account that

$${}^1D(X, Y) = {}^2D(X, Y) - {}^3D(Y, X),$$

where  ${}^1D, {}^2D, {}^3D$  are given by (2.12), (2.13), (2.14), respectively, then the curvature tensor of the fifth kind on the Kähler manifold with a quarter-symmetric metric  $A$ -connection (2.2) takes the following form

$$\begin{aligned} {}^5R(X, Y)Z &= {}^gR(X, Y)Z - \frac{1}{2}{}^1D(X, Y)AZ - \frac{1}{2}{}^3D(X, Z)AY + \frac{1}{2}{}^2D(Y, Z)AX \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2}\pi(Y)(\pi(X)Z - \pi(Z)X). \end{aligned} \tag{4.23}$$

By contracting with respect to vector field  $X$  in the previous equation gives

$${}^5Ric(Y, Z) = {}^gRic(Y, Z) - \frac{1}{2}{}^1D(AZ, Y) - \frac{1}{2}{}^3D(AY, Z) + \frac{n-1}{2}\pi(Y)\pi(Z).$$

From here, by using equations (4.2) and (4.15), it follows that

$$\pi(Y)\pi(Z) = \frac{1}{n-1}({}^5Ric(Y, Z) - {}^1Ric(Y, Z) - {}'R(AZ, AY) - {}^gRic(Y, Z)). \tag{4.24}$$

By substituting equations (4.2), (4.13), (4.15) and (4.24) into (4.23), after rearranging, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 & {}^5R(X, Y)Z + \frac{1}{n-1}({}^5Ric(X, Y)Z - {}^5Ric(Y, Z)X) \\
 & - \frac{1}{2(n-1)}({}^1Ric(X, Y)Z - {}^1Ric(Y, Z)X) \\
 & - \frac{1}{2(n-1)}({}^3R(AY, AX)Z - {}^3R(AZ, AY)X) \\
 & + \frac{1}{2}({}^1Ric(Y, AX)AZ - {}^3Ric(Z, AY)AX - {}^3R(AZ, X)AY) \\
 & = {}^gR(X, Y)Z + \frac{1}{2(n-1)}({}^gRic(X, Y)Z - {}^gRic(Y, Z)X) \\
 & + \frac{1}{2}({}^gRic(AX, Y)AZ - {}^gRic(AY, Z)AX)
 \end{aligned} \tag{4.25}$$

and thereby, we proved the theorem. □

Analogously, we can prove the following theorem.

**Theorem 4.11.** *Let  $(\mathcal{M}, g, A)$  be a Kähler manifold with a quarter-symmetric metric  $A$ -connection (2.2). Then, we have:*

- (1) *If  $\nabla^g\pi$  and  $\pi \otimes \pi$  are hybrid, then the curvature tensor of the fifth kind and structure tensor  $A$  satisfies the following relations*

$$\begin{aligned}
 {}^5R(X, Y, AZ, AW) &= {}^5R(AX, AY, Z, W), \\
 {}^5R(X, AY, AZ, W) &= {}^5R(AX, Y, Z, AW), \\
 {}^5R(AX, AY, AZ, AW) &= {}^5R(X, Y, Z, W).
 \end{aligned}$$

- (2) *The curvature tensor of the fifth kind and structure tensor  $A$  satisfies the following relations*

$$\begin{aligned}
 {}^5R(X, Y)AZ &= A{}^5R(X, Y)Z, \\
 {}^5R(X, Y, Z, AW) &= -{}^5R(X, Y, AZ, W).
 \end{aligned}$$

*if and only if*

$${}^3\bar{D}(X, Z)Y + {}^3\bar{D}(X, AZ)AY = ({}^2\bar{D}(Y, Z) + \pi(Y)\pi(AZ))X + ({}^2\bar{D}(Y, AZ) - \pi(Y)\pi(Z))AX,$$

*where  $\bar{D}^2, \bar{D}^3$  given by (2.13), (2.14), respectively.*

#### 4.6. Curvature tensor of the zero kind

By the similar procedure as in the previous cases, using the curvature tensor of the zero kind, we can prove the following theorem.

**Theorem 4.12.** *Let  $(\mathcal{M}, g, A)$  be a Kähler manifold with a quarter-symmetric metric  $A$ -connection (2.2). Tensor*

$$\begin{aligned}
 {}^0H(X, Y)Z &= {}^0R(X, Y)Z + \frac{1}{n-1}({}^0Ric(X, Y)Z - {}^0Ric(Y, Z)X) \\
 &\quad - \frac{1}{2(n-1)}({}^1Ric(X, Z)Y - {}^1Ric(Y, Z)X) \\
 &\quad - \frac{1}{4(n-1)}({}^3Ric(Z, X)Y - {}^3Ric(Z, Y)X) \\
 &\quad - \frac{1}{4(n-1)}({}'R(AZ, AX)Y - {}'R(AZ, AY)X) \\
 &\quad + \frac{1}{4}(2{}^1Ric(Y, AX)AZ + {}^3Ric(Z, AX)AY - {}^3Ric(Z, AY)AX) \\
 &\quad - \frac{1}{4}({}'R(AZ, X)AY - {}'R(AZ, Y)AX)
 \end{aligned} \tag{4.26}$$

is independent of generator  $\pi$ .

**Proof.** Based on equations (2.11), (2.12), (2.13) and (2.14), we have

$${}^1D(X, Y) = {}^0D(X, Y) - {}^0D(Y, X) \quad \text{and} \quad {}^2D(X, Y) = {}^2D(X, Y) + {}^3D(X, Y). \tag{4.27}$$

In view of equations (2.5), (3.1) and (4.27), the curvature tensor of the zero kind on the Kähler manifold with a quarter-symmetric metric  $A$ -connection (2.2) takes the form

$$\begin{aligned}
 {}^0R(X, Y)Z &= {}^gR(X, Y)Z - \frac{1}{2}{}^1D(X, Y)AZ - \frac{1}{4}({}^2D(X, Z) + {}^3D(X, Z))AY \\
 &\quad + \frac{1}{4}({}^2D(Y, Z) + {}^3D(Y, Z))AX + \frac{1}{4}\pi(Z)(\pi(Y)X - \pi(X)Y),
 \end{aligned} \tag{4.28}$$

where (0,2) type tensors  ${}^1D, {}^2D, {}^3D$  are given by (2.12), (2.13), (2.14), respectively. By contracting with respect to  $X$  in the previous equation, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 {}^0Ric(Y, Z) &= {}^gRic(Y, Z) - \frac{1}{2}D(AZ, Y) - \frac{1}{4}({}^2D(AY, Z) + {}^3D(AY, Z)) \\
 &\quad + \frac{n-1}{4}\pi(Y)\pi(Z).
 \end{aligned} \tag{4.29}$$

If we replace equations (4.2), (4.13), (4.15) into (4.29), then we get

$$\pi(Y)\pi(Z) = \frac{1}{n-1}(4{}^0Ric(Y, Z) - 2{}^1Ric(Y, Z) - {}^3Ric(Z, Y) - {}'R(AZ, AY) - {}^gRic(Y, Z)). \tag{4.30}$$

Finally, by substituting (4.2), (4.13), (4.15) and (4.30) into equation (4.28), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 {}^0H(X, Y)Z &= {}^gR(X, Y)Z + \frac{1}{4(n-1)}({}^gRic(X, Z)Y - {}^gRic(Y, Z)X) \\
 &\quad + \frac{1}{4}(2{}^gRic(AX, Y)AZ + {}^gRic(AX, Z)AY - {}^gRic(AY, Z)AX)
 \end{aligned} \tag{4.31}$$

where  ${}^0H$  is given by (4.26). □

Now, we can give some other properties of the curvature tensor of the zero kind depending on generator  $\pi$ .

**Theorem 4.13.** *Let  $(\mathcal{M}, g, A)$  be a Kähler manifold with a quarter-symmetric metric  $A$ -connection (2.2). Then, we have:*

(1) If  $\overset{g}{\nabla}\pi$  and  $\pi \otimes \pi$  are hybrid, then the curvature tensor of the zero kind and structure tensor  $A$  satisfies the following relations

$$\begin{aligned} \overset{0}{R}(X, Y, AZ, AW) &= \overset{0}{R}(AX, AY, Z, W), \\ \overset{0}{R}(X, AY, AZ, W) &= \overset{0}{R}(AX, Y, Z, AW), \\ \overset{0}{R}(AX, AY, AZ, AW) &= \overset{0}{R}(X, Y, Z, W). \end{aligned}$$

(2) If

$$(\overset{g}{\nabla}_X \pi)(Y) + \pi(X)\pi(AY) + \frac{1}{2}\pi(AX)\pi(Y) = 0,$$

then the curvature tensor of the zero kind and structure tensor  $A$  satisfies the following relations

$$\begin{aligned} \overset{0}{R}(X, Y)AZ &= A\overset{0}{R}(X, Y)Z, \\ \overset{0}{R}(X, Y, Z, AW) &= -\overset{0}{R}(X, Y, AZ, W). \end{aligned}$$

**Proof.** Equation (2.5) implies the following

$$\begin{aligned} \overset{0}{R}(X, Y, Z, AW) &= \overset{g}{R}(X, Y, Z, AW) - \frac{1}{2}(\overset{0}{D}(X, Y) - \overset{0}{D}(Y, X))g(Z, W) - \frac{1}{2}\overset{0}{D}(X, Z)g(Y, W) \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{2}\overset{0}{D}(Y, Z)g(X, W) - \frac{1}{4}\pi(Z)(\pi(Y)F(X, W) - \pi(X)F(Y, W)), \\ \overset{0}{R}(X, Y, AZ, W) &= \overset{g}{R}(X, Y, AZ, W) + \frac{1}{2}(\overset{0}{D}(X, Y) - \overset{0}{D}(Y, X))g(Z, W) \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2}\overset{0}{D}(X, AZ)F(Y, W) + \frac{1}{2}\overset{0}{D}(Y, AZ)F(X, W) \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{4}\pi(AZ)(\pi(Y)g(X, W) - \pi(X)g(Y, W)). \end{aligned}$$

Adding the previous equations and using equations (2.11) and (3.8), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \overset{0}{R}(X, Y, Z, AW) &= -\overset{0}{R}(X, Y, AZ, W) \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2}((\overset{g}{\nabla}_X \pi)(Z) + \pi(X)\pi(AZ) + \frac{1}{2}\pi(AX)\pi(Z))g(Y, W) \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{2}((\overset{g}{\nabla}_Y \pi)(Z) + \pi(Y)\pi(AZ) + \frac{1}{2}\pi(AY)\pi(Z))g(X, W) \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2}((\overset{g}{\nabla}_X \pi)(AZ) - \pi(X)\pi(Z) + \frac{1}{2}\pi(AX)\pi(AZ))F(Y, W) \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{2}((\overset{g}{\nabla}_Y \pi)(AZ) - \pi(Y)\pi(Z) + \frac{1}{2}\pi(AY)\pi(AZ))F(X, W). \end{aligned}$$

If we assume that

$$(\overset{g}{\nabla}_X \pi)(Y) + \pi(X)\pi(AY) + \frac{1}{2}\pi(AX)\pi(Y) = 0$$

then it holds

$$\overset{0}{R}(X, Y, Z, AW) = -\overset{0}{R}(X, Y, AZ, W).$$

□

### 5. Some identities obtained from $\overset{\theta}{H}$ tensors

Based on the results above, we can see that only tensor  $\overset{4}{H}$  is equivalent to the well-known Weyl projective curvature tensor. By combining the remaining tensors  $\overset{\theta}{H}$ ,  $\theta = 0, 1, 2, 3, 5$ , we will obtain some identities for the Weyl projective curvature tensor and the holomorphically projective curvature tensor. First, we will present Weyl projective curvature tensor as a linear combination of tensors  $\overset{\theta}{H}$ .

**Theorem 5.1.** *Let  $(\mathcal{M}, g, A)$  be a Kähler manifold with a quarter-symmetric metric A-connection (2.2). The following relations hold*

$$\begin{aligned} \overset{0}{4H}(X, Y)Z - \overset{1}{2H}(X, Y)Z - \overset{2}{H}(X, Y)Z &= \overset{g}{W}(X, Y)Z, \\ \overset{5}{2H}(X, Y)Z - \overset{1}{H}(X, Y)Z + \overset{1}{H}(Y, Z)X &= \overset{g}{W}(X, Z)Y, \end{aligned}$$

where  $\overset{0}{H}, \overset{1}{H}, \overset{2}{H}, \overset{5}{H}$  are given by (4.26), (4.4), (4.7), (4.22), respectively.

**Proof.** With help of equations (4.3) and (4.25), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \overset{5}{2H}(X, Y)Z - \overset{1}{H}(X, Y)Z + \overset{1}{H}(Y, Z)X &= \overset{g}{R}(X, Y)Z + \overset{g}{R}(Y, Z)X \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{n-1}(\overset{g}{Ric}(X, Y)Z - \overset{g}{Ric}(Y, Z)X). \end{aligned}$$

By using the first Bianchi identity and skew-symmetric property of Riemannian curvature tensor  $\overset{g}{R}$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned} \overset{5}{2H}(X, Y)Z - \overset{1}{H}(X, Y)Z + \overset{1}{H}(Y, Z)X &= \overset{g}{R}(X, Z)Y + \frac{1}{n-1}(\overset{g}{Ric}(X, Y)Z - \overset{g}{Ric}(Z, Y)X) \\ &= \overset{g}{W}(X, Z)Y. \end{aligned}$$

□

If we use equation (3.9), then from (4.31), we get

$$\overset{0}{H}(X, Y)Z = \frac{n+2}{4}\overset{g}{P}(X, Y)Z - \frac{n-2}{4}\overset{g}{W}(X, Y)Z, \tag{5.1}$$

where  $\overset{g}{W}$  is the Weyl projective curvature tensor (1.2) and  $\overset{g}{P}$  is the holomorphically projective curvature tensor given by equation (1.1). From the previous equation, we can conclude the following.

**Theorem 5.2.** *Let  $(\mathcal{M}, g, A)$  be a Kähler manifold with a quarter-symmetric metric A-connection (2.2). If tensor  $\overset{0}{H}$ , given by (4.26), vanishes, then it holds that*

$$\overset{g}{P}(X, Y)Z = \frac{n-2}{n+2}\overset{g}{W}(X, Y)Z.$$

From equations (4.3) and (4.11), we obtain identity

$$\overset{1}{2H}(X, Y)Z + \overset{2}{H}(X, Y)Z = (n+2)\overset{g}{P}(X, Y)Z - (n-1)\overset{g}{W}(X, Y)Z$$

from which we conclude that the following statement holds.

**Theorem 5.3.** *Let  $(\mathcal{M}, g, A)$  be a Kähler manifold with a quarter-symmetric metric A-connection (2.2). If tensors  $\overset{1}{H}$  and  $\overset{2}{H}$ , given by (4.4) and (4.7), respectively, vanish, then it holds that*

$$\overset{g}{P}(X, Y)Z = \frac{n-1}{n+2}\overset{g}{W}(X, Y)Z.$$



Using theorems 4.7 and 5.1, based on equation (5.1), we can represent the holomorphically projective curvature tensor as a linear combination of tensors  $\overset{\theta}{H}$ ,  $\theta = 0, 1, \dots, 5$ .

**Corollary 5.4.** *Let  $(\mathcal{M}, g, A)$  be a Kähler manifold with a quarter-symmetric metric  $A$ -connection (2.2). The following relations hold*

$$\begin{aligned} \overset{g}{P}(X, Y)Z &= \frac{4}{n+2} \overset{0}{H}(X, Y)Z + \frac{n-2}{n+2} \overset{4}{H}(X, Y)Z, \\ \overset{g}{P}(X, Y)Z &= \frac{4(n-1)}{n+2} \overset{0}{H}(X, Y)Z - \frac{2(n-2)}{n+2} \overset{1}{H}(X, Y)Z - \frac{n-2}{n+2} \overset{2}{H}(X, Y)Z, \\ \overset{g}{P}(X, Y)Z &= \frac{4}{n+2} \overset{0}{H}(X, Y)Z + \frac{n-2}{n+2} (2\overset{5}{H}(X, Z)Y - \overset{1}{H}(X, Z)Y + \overset{1}{H}(Z, Y)X). \end{aligned}$$

## 6. Conclusion and further work

Observing a Kähler manifold with a quarter-symmetric metric  $A$ -connection, we determined a tensor that are independent of generator  $\pi$ . By using newly obtained tensors  $\overset{\theta}{H}$ ,  $\theta = 0, 1, \dots, 5$ , we established some relationships between the Weyl projective curvature tensor and the holomorphically projective curvature tensor. Also, we presented them as a linear combination of tensors  $\overset{\theta}{H}$ . Analogously, the identities for the second holomorphically projective curvature tensor obtained by M. Prvanović in [19] can be determined.

On the other hand, we observed the case when  $\overset{g}{\nabla}\pi$  and  $\pi \otimes \pi$  are hybrid tensor and we determined which properties are satisfied by all linearly independent curvature tensors.

In future work, we will try to find some more properties of the tensors  $\overset{\theta}{H}$ , as well as their application. This research on the quarter-symmetric connection will be continued on an almost para-Hermitian and on a para-Kähler manifold.

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