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A study of W_8 -curvature tensor in K-contact riemannian manifold

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Abstract

In this paper, W_8 - curvature tensor is studied in K-contact Riemannian manifold. The semi-symmetric and symmetric and flatness properties with respect to the W_8 - curvature tensor are also studied.

Preliminaries

Let (M, ϕ, ξ, η, g) be $n = (2m + 1)$ -dimensional almost contact Riemannian manifold consisting of a (1,1) tensor field ϕ , a vector field ξ , a 1-form η and a Riemannian metric g .

$$\phi^2 X = -X + \eta(X)\xi, \quad \eta(\xi) = 1, \quad \phi\xi = 0, \quad \eta(\phi X) = 0, \quad (1.1)$$

(Pokhariyal)^[4]

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1. Introduction

$$g(\phi X, \phi Y) = g(X, Y) - \eta(Y)\eta(X) \quad (1.2)$$

Where X , and Y are arbitrary vector fields on M
 If moreover,

$$\begin{aligned} g(X, \phi Y) &= -g(\phi X, Y) \\ g(X, \nabla_Y \xi) &= -g(\nabla_X \xi, Y) \Leftrightarrow \nabla_X \xi = -\phi X \end{aligned} \quad (1.3)$$

Then, M is a K-contact Riemannian manifold.
 Where ∇ denotes the Riemannian connection of g.
 In a K-contact manifold the following relations hold:

$$\nabla_X \xi = -\phi X \quad (1.4)$$

$$S(X, \xi) = (n - 1)\eta(X) \quad (1.5)$$

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

The following statements are true about K-contact manifold. If for an almost contact manifold M^n ,

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• $\nabla_X \xi = -\phi X$ then M^n is a K-contact manifold (1.7)

• $g(X, \nabla_Y \xi) = -g(\nabla_X \xi, Y)$ then M^n is a K-contact manifold (1.8)

• $g(X, \phi Y) = -g(\phi X, Y)$ then M^n is a K-contact manifold (1.9)

• is both contact manifold and ξ is a Killing vector, then M^n is a K-contact manifold (1.10)

2. W_8 – curvature tensor in K-contact Riemannian manifold

Pokhariyal [4] gave definition of W_8 – curvature tensor as

$$W_8(X, Y)Z = R(X, Y)Z + \frac{1}{n-1} [S(X, Y)Z - S(Y, Z)X] \tag{2.1}$$

Definition 2.1: A K-contact Riemannian manifold M^n is said to be flat if the Riemannian curvature tensor vanishes identically, i.e. $R(X, Y)Z = 0$

Definition 2 .2: A K-contact Riemannian manifold M^n is said to be W_8 -flat if the W_8 – curvature tensor vanishes identically, i.e. $W_8(X, Y)Z = 0$

Theorem 2.3: A W_8 -flat K-contact Riemannian manifold is a flat manifold.

Proof; If W_8 -flat

If our hypothesis is true ,then $W_8 = 0$ in $W_8(X, Y)Z = R(X, Y)Z + \frac{1}{n-1} [S(X, Y)Z - S(Y, Z)X]$

Expanding (2.1) with respect to variable U

$$W_8'(X, Y, Z, U) = R'(X, Y, Z, U) + \frac{1}{n-1} [S(X, Y)g(Z, U) - S(Y, Z)g(X, U)] \tag{2.2}$$

Therefore, if K-contact manifold M is W_8 – flat then, we have,

$$R'(X, Y, Z, U) = \frac{1}{n-1} [S(Y, Z)g(X, U) - S(X, Y)g(Z, U)] \tag{2.3}$$

Where, $S(X, Y) = Ric(X, Y) = (n-1)g(X, Y)$ Then, using $S(X, Y) = (n-1)g(X, Y)$ in

$$R'(X, Y, Z, U) = \frac{n-1}{n-1} [g(Y, Z)g(X, U) - g(X, Y)g(Z, U)] \tag{2.3}$$

$$R'(X, Y, Z, U) = [g(Y, Z)g(X, U) - g(X, Y)g(Z, U)] \tag{2.4}$$

But, in K-contact manifold, we have

$$R'(X, Y, Z, U) = [g(Y, Z)g(X, U) - g(X, Z)g(Y, U)]$$

From the computations, we get

$$\Rightarrow R'(X, Y, Z, U) = [g(Y, Z)g(X, U) - g(X, Y)g(Z, U)]$$

Thus, for this to hold, we must have

$$R'(X, Y, Z, U) = 0 \text{ since}$$

$$R'(X, Y, Z, U) \neq [g(Y, Z)g(X, U) - g(X, Y)g(Z, U)] \text{ by definition.} \tag{2.5}$$

This completes the theorem.

Corollary 2.5: A W_8 – flat K-contact manifold is neither Einstein nor η – Einstein Manifold

3. W_8 – Semi-symmetric K-contact Riemannian manifold

De and Guha ^[5] gave the definition of semi-symmetric as

$$R(X, Y)R(Z, U)V = 0 \tag{3.1}$$

Definition 3.1: A K-contact manifold is said to be W_8 – semi-symmetric if

$$R(X, Y)W_8(Z, U)V = 0 \tag{3.2}$$

Theorem 3.2: W_8 – semi-symmetric K-contact manifold is a W_8 – flat manifold.

Proof: If the K-Contact manifold is a W_8 – semi-symmetric then $R(X, Y)W_8(Z, U)V = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} R(X, Y)W_8(Z, U)V &= g(Y, W_8(Z, U)V)X - g(X, W_8(Z, U)V)Y = 0 \\ \Rightarrow g(Y, W_8(Z, U)V)X - g(X, W_8(Z, U)V)Y &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow W_8'(Y, Z, U, V)X - W_8'(X, Z, U, V)Y &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow g(W_8(Y, Z, U, V)X, \xi) - g(W_8(X, Z, U, V)Y, \xi) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow W_8'(Y, Z, U, V)\eta(X) - W_8'(X, Z, U, V)\eta(Y) &= 0 \end{aligned} \tag{3.3}$$

Note, this is only possible if $W_8'(Y, Z, U, V) = 0$ and $W_8'(X, Z, U, V) = 0$ since $A(X) \neq 0$ and $A(Y) \neq 0$ and thus follows the theorem.

Corollary 3.3: A W_8 – semi-symmetric K-contact manifold is neither Einstein nor η -Einstein manifold.

4. W_8 – symmetric K-Contact Riemannian manifold

Chaki and Gupta ^[6] gave the definition of a conformally symmetric manifold as for which $\nabla_U C = 0$ which is said to be conformally symmetric (where C is conformal curvature tensor).

Definition 4.1: A K-contact Riemannian manifold M is said to be W_8 – symmetric if

$$\nabla_U W_8(X, Y)Z = 0 \tag{4.1}$$

Theorem 3.2: W_8 – symmetric and a W_8 – flat K-contact Riemannian manifold is a flat-manifold..

Proof: If the K-contact space is a W_8 – symmetric and W_8 – semi-symmetric then it follows

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= R(X, Y)W_8(Z, U)V - W_8(R(X, Y)Z, U)V - W_8(Z, R(X, Y)U)V \\ &\quad - W_8(Z, U)R(X, Y)V \end{aligned} \tag{3.2}$$

Computing each of the above four terms separately yields

$$\begin{aligned} R(X, Y)W_8(Z, U)V &= g(Y, W_8(Z, U)V)X - g(X, W_8(Z, U)V)Y \\ &= W_8'(Y, Z, U, V)X - W_8'(X, Z, U, V)Y \\ g(R(X, Y, W_8(Z, U)V, \xi)) &= g(W_8'(Y, Z, U, V)X, \xi) - g(W_8'(X, Z, U, V)Y, \xi) \\ &= \eta(W_8'(Y, Z, U, V)X) - \eta(W_8'(X, Z, U, V)Y) \\ &= W_8'(Y, Z, U, V)\eta(X) - W_8'(X, Z, U, V)\eta(Y) \end{aligned} \tag{3.3}$$

Again,

$$W_8(R(X, Y)Z, U)V = R(R(X, Y)Z, U)V + \frac{1}{n-1} [S(R(X, Y)Z, U)V - S(U, V)R(X, Y)Z] \tag{3.4}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= R(R(X, Y)Z, U)V + \frac{n-1}{n-1} [g(R(X, Y)Z, U)V - g(U, V)R(X, Y)Z] \\ &= R(R(X, Y)Z, U)V + [g(R(X, Y)Z, U)V - g(U, V)R(X, Y)Z] \\ &= g(U, V)R(X, Y)Z - g(R(X, Y)Z, V)U + [R'(X, Y, Z, U)V - g(U, V)R(X, Y)Z] \\ &= R'(X, Y, Z, U)V - g(R(X, Y)Z, V)U \\ &= R'(X, Y, Z, U)V - R'(X, Y, Z, V)U \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} W_8'(R(X, Y)Z, U, V, \xi) &= g(R'(X, Y, Z, U)V, \xi) - g(R'(X, Y, Z, V)U, \xi) \\ &= R'(X, Y, Z, U)\eta(V) - R'(X, Y, Z, V)\eta(U) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} W_8(Z, R(X, Y)U)V &= R(Z, R(X, Y)U)V + \frac{1}{n-1} [S(Z, R(X, Y)U)V - S(R(X, Y)U, V)Z] \\ &= g(R(X, Y)U, V)Z - g(Z, V)R(X, Y)U + [g(Z, R(X, Y)U)V - g(R(X, Y)U, V)Z] \\ \text{Also,} \quad &= -g(Z, V)R(X, Y)U + g(Z, R(X, Y)U)V \\ &= -g(Z, V)R(X, Y)U + R'(X, Y, U, Z)V \\ g(W_8'(Z, R(X, Y)U)V, \xi) &= g(R'(Z, X, Y, U)V, \xi) - g(g(Z, V)R(X, Y)U, \xi) \\ &= R'(X, Y, U, Z)\eta(V) - g(Z, V)R'(X, Y, U, \xi) \end{aligned} \tag{3.5}$$

$$\begin{aligned} W_8(Z, U)R(X, Y)V &= R(Z, U)R(X, Y)V + \frac{1}{n-1} [S(Z, U)R(X, Y)V - S(U, R(X, Y)V)Z] \\ &= g(U, R(X, Y)V)Z - g(Z, R(X, Y)V)U + [g(Z, U)R(X, Y)V - g(U, R(X, Y)V)Z] \\ &= g(Z, U)R(X, Y)V - g(Z, R(X, Y)V)U \\ &= g(Z, U)R(X, Y)V - R'(X, Y, V, Z)U \\ g(W_8(Z, U)R(X, Y)V, \xi) &= g(g(Z, U)R(X, Y)V, \xi) - g(R'(Z, X, Y, V)U, \xi) \\ &= g(Z, U)R'(X, Y, V, \xi) - R'(X, Y, V, Z)\eta(U) \end{aligned} \tag{3.6}$$

Next, we put together (3.3), (3.4), (3.5) and (3.6) to have

$$\begin{aligned} &W_8'(Y, Z, U, V)\eta(X) - W_8'(X, Z, U, V)\eta(Y) \\ &\quad - \{R'(X, Y, Z, U)\eta(V) - R'(X, Y, Z, V)\eta(U) \\ &\quad + R'(X, Y, U, Z)\eta(V) - g(Z, V)R'(X, Y, U, \xi) \\ &\quad + g(Z, U)R'(X, Y, V, \xi) - R'(X, Y, V, Z)\eta(U)\} = 0 \end{aligned} \tag{3.7}$$

Terms which are coefficients of $\eta(V)$ and $\eta(U)$ cancel out since R' is skew-symmetric with respect to the last two variables. Hence, (3.7) reduces to

$$\begin{aligned} &W_8'(Y, Z, U, V)\eta(X) - W_8'(X, Z, U, V)\eta(Y) + g(Z, V)R'(X, Y, U, \xi) \\ &\quad - g(Z, U)R'(X, Y, V, \xi) = 0 \end{aligned} \tag{3.8}$$

but it is a W_8' -flat manifold, hence $W_8' = 0$

Therefore (3.8) reduces to

$$(Z, V)R'(X, Y, U, \xi) - g(Z, U)R'(X, Y, V, \xi) = 0 \tag{3.9}$$

But in (3.9)

$$g(Z, U) \neq g(Z, V) \neq 0 \Rightarrow R' = 0 \quad (3.10)$$

Thus, follows the theorem.

5. A W_8 – Recurrent K-contact Riemannian manifold.

Definition 5.1: A K-contact Riemannian manifold is said to be recurrent if

$$(\nabla_U W_8)(X, Y)Z = B(U)W_8(X, Y)Z \quad (5.1)$$

Where B is a non-zero 1-form.

Theorem: 5.2: A W_8 -recurrent and W_8 -flat manifold is a flat manifold.

Proof; We have

$$(\nabla_U W_8)(X, Y)Z = B(U)W_8(X, Y)Z \quad \text{where } B(U) \neq 0 \quad (5.2)$$

but, if $W_8(X, Y)Z = 0$

Hence, (5.2) by definition becomes

$$0 = R'(X, Y, Z, U) + \frac{1}{n-1} [S(X, Y)g(Z, U) - S(Y, Z)g(X, U)] \quad (5.3)$$

$$R'(X, Y, Z, U) = [g(Y, Z)g(X, U) - g(X, Y)g(Z, U)] \quad (5.4)$$

But, for a K-contact manifold

$$R'(X, Y, Z, U) = [g(Y, Z)g(X, U) - g(X, Z)g(Y, U)] \quad (5.5)$$

So (5.4) can only be true if and only if

$$R'(X, Y, Z, U) = 0$$

And therefore, the theorem follows.

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