



ON GENERALIZED M -PROJECTIVE CURVATURE TENSOR OF PARA-SASAKIAN MANIFOLD

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Abstract. The purpose of the present paper is to study some properties of generalized M -projective curvature tensor of a para-Sasakian manifold admitting Zamkovoy connection. The generalized M -projective is obtained with the help of a new generalized (0,2) symmetric tensor Z introduced by Mantica and Suh [10]. It is shown that para-Sasakian manifold satisfying the condition $R(X, Y) \cdot \tilde{M}^{**} = 0$ is an η -Einstein manifold. Also, we found that a para-Sasakian manifold satisfying $\tilde{M}^{**}(X, Y) \cdot S = 0$ is either an Einstein manifold or $\psi = 1$ on it.

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1. INTRODUCTION

The notion of the almost para-contact structure on a differentiable manifold is defined by I. Sato [14, 15]. The para-contact metric manifolds have been studied by many authors in recent years. The structure is an analogue of the almost contact structure [5, 13] and is closely related to almost product structure (in contrast to almost contact structure, which is related to almost complex structure). Every differentiable manifold with almost para-contact structure defined by I. Sato has a compatible Riemannian metric.

An almost para-contact structure on a pseudo-Riemannian manifold M of dimension $(2n + 1)$ defined is by S. Kaneyuki and M. Konzai [18] and they constructed the almost paracomplex structure on $M \times R$. Recently, S. Zamkovoy [22] has associated the almost para-contact structure given in [18] to a pseudo-Riemannian metric of signature $(n + 1, n)$ and showed that any almost para-contact structure admits such a pseudo-Riemannian metric.

The study of M -projective curvature tensor has been a very attractive field for investigations in the past many decades. M -projective curvature tensor was introduced

by G. P. Pokhariyal and R. S. Mishra [12] in 1971. Also, in 1986, R. H. Ojha [11] extended some properties of the M -projective curvature tensor in Sasakian and Kähler manifolds. In 2010, the study of M -projective curvature tensor in Riemannian manifolds and also in Kenmotsu manifolds was resumed by S. K. Chaubey and R. H. Ojha [6]. Further, R. N. Singh and S. K. Pandey [19] have studied various geometric properties of M -projective curvature tensor on $N(k)$ -contact metric manifolds. In 2020, A. Mandal and A. Das [8] studied some properties of the M -projective curvature tensor in Sasakian manifolds. Afterwards, several researchers have carried out the study of M -projective curvature tensor in a variety of directions such as [9, 16–18]. The M -projective curvature tensor defined by G. P. Pokhariyal and R. S. Mishra [12] is given as below;

$$M^*(X, Y, U) = R(X, Y, U) - \frac{1}{2(n-1)} [S(Y, U)X - S(X, U)Y + g(Y, U)QX - g(X, U)QY],$$

for all $X, Y, U \in \chi(M)$, where $\chi(M)$ is the set of all vector field of manifold M , $R(X, Y)U$ is the Riemannian curvature tensor of type $(0, 3)$ and S is the Ricci tensor, i.e.,

$$S(X, Y) = g(QX, Y),$$

where Q is a Ricci operator of type $(1, 1)$.

Also, the type $(0, 4)$ M -projective curvature tensor field $'M^*$ is given by

$$\begin{aligned} 'M^*(X, Y, U, V) = & 'R(X, Y, U, V) \\ & - \frac{1}{2(n-1)} [S(Y, U)g(X, V) - S(X, U)g(Y, V) \\ & + g(Y, U)S(X, V) - g(X, U)S(Y, V)], \end{aligned} \quad (1.1)$$

where

$$'M^*(X, Y, U, V) = g(M^*(X, Y, U), V)$$

and

$$'R(X, Y, U, V) = g(R(X, Y, U), V)$$

for the arbitrary vector fields $X, Y, U, V \in \chi(M)$.

A new generalized $(0, 2)$ symmetric tensor Z , defined by Mantica and Suh [10], is given by the following relation

$$Z(X, Y) = S(X, Y) + \psi g(X, Y), \quad (1.2)$$

where ψ is an arbitrary scalar function.

From equation (1.2), we have

$$Z(\phi X, \phi Y) = S(\phi X, \phi Y) + \psi g(\phi X, \phi Y),$$

By using equation (1.2) in equation (1.1), we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 'M^*(X, Y, U, V) &= 'R(X, Y, U, V) \\
 &\quad - \frac{1}{2(n-1)} [Z(Y, U)g(X, V) - Z(X, U)g(Y, V) \\
 &\quad\quad + g(Y, U)Z(X, V) - g(X, U)Z(Y, V)] \\
 &\quad - \frac{\Psi}{(n-1)} [g(Y, V)g(X, U) - g(Y, U)g(X, V)].
 \end{aligned} \tag{1.3}$$

If we denote the first five terms of above equation by

$$\begin{aligned}
 'M^{**}(X, Y, U, V) &= 'R(X, Y, U, V) \\
 &\quad - \frac{1}{2(n-1)} [Z(Y, U)g(X, V) - Z(X, U)g(Y, V) \\
 &\quad\quad + g(Y, U)Z(X, V) - g(X, U)Z(Y, V)],
 \end{aligned} \tag{1.4}$$

then the equation (1.3) reduces to

$$\begin{aligned}
 'M^{**}(X, Y, U, V) &= ('M^*)(X, Y, U, V) + \frac{\Psi}{(n-1)} [g(Y, V)g(X, U) \\
 &\quad - g(X, V)g(Y, U)].
 \end{aligned}$$

We call this new tensor field $'M^{**}$ defined by equation (1.4), generalized M -projective curvature tensor of para-Sasakian manifold.

In 2008, The notion of Zamkovoy connection was introduced by S. Zamkovoy [22] for a para-contact manifold. And this connection is defined as a canonical para-contact connection whose torsion is the obstruction of para-contact manifold to be a para-Sasakian manifold [1]. For an n -dimensional almost contact metric manifold M equipped with an almost contact metric structure (ϕ, ξ, η, g) consisting of a $(1, 1)$ tensor field ϕ , a vector field ξ , a 1-form η and a Riemannian metric g , the Zamkovoy connection is defined by [22]

$$\tilde{\nabla}_X Y = \nabla_X Y + (\nabla_X \eta)(Y)\xi - \eta(Y)\nabla_X \xi + \eta(X)\phi Y \tag{1.5}$$

for all $X, Y, U \in \chi(M)$.

This connection was further studied by A. M. Blaga in para Kenmotsu manifolds [4] and A. Biswas, K. K. Baishya in Sasakian manifolds [2, 3].

In this paper, we study some properties of the generalized M -projective curvature tensor of para-Sasakian manifold with respect to the Zamkovoy connection. The present paper is organized as follows: Section 2 is devoted to preliminaries and we give some relations between curvature tensor (resp. Ricci tensor) with respect to Zamkovoy connection and curvature tensor (resp. Ricci tensor) with respect to Levi-Civita connection. In Section 3, we describe briefly the generalized M -projective curvature tensor on para-Sasakian manifold with respect to the connection. In Section 4, we show that a generalized M -projectively semi-symmetric para-Sasakian

manifold is an η -Einstein manifold. Further in Section 5, the goal is to examine implication of the condition $\tilde{M}^{**}(X, Y) \cdot S = 0$ and we show that the para-Sasakian manifold is either an Einstein manifold or $\psi = 1$ on it. In the last section, we show that $\phi^2((\nabla_V \tilde{M}^{**})(X, Y, U)) = 0$ is an η -Einstein manifold.

2. PRELIMINARIES

An $(2n + 1)$ -dimensional differentiable manifold M is said to have almost para-contact structure (ϕ, ξ, η) , where ϕ is a tensor field of type $(1, 1)$, ξ is a vector field known as characteristic vector field and η is a 1-form on M satisfying the following relations [18]

$$\phi^2 = I - \eta \otimes \xi, \quad (2.1)$$

$$\eta(\xi) = 1, \quad (2.2)$$

$$\phi(\xi) = 0, \quad \eta(\phi X) = 0,$$

and

$$\text{rank}(\phi) = 2n,$$

where I denotes the identity transformation, a differentiable manifold with almost para-contact structure (ϕ, ξ, η) is called an almost para-contact manifold [1].

Moreover, the tensor field ϕ induces an almost paracomplex structure on the para-contact distribution $D = \ker(\eta)$, i.e, the eigendistributions D^\pm corresponding to the eigenvalues ± 1 of ϕ are both n -dimensional.

If an almost para-contact manifold M with an almost para-contact structure (ϕ, ξ, η) admits a pseudo-Riemannian metric g such that [22]

$$g(\phi X, \phi Y) = -g(X, Y) + \eta(X)\eta(Y), \quad (2.3)$$

for all $X, Y \in \chi(M)$, then we say that M is an almost para-contact metric manifold with an almost para-contact metric structure (ϕ, ξ, η, g) and such metric g is called compatible metric. Any compatible metric g is necessarily of signature $(n + 1, n)$.

From (2.3) one can see that [22]

$$g(X, \phi Y) = -g(\phi X, Y),$$

and also we take

$$\eta(X) = g(X, \xi) \quad (2.4)$$

for any $X, Y \in \chi(M)$. The fundamental 2-form of M is defined by

$$\alpha(X, Y) = g(X, \phi Y).$$

The structure (ϕ, ξ, η, g) satisfying conditions (2.1) to (2.4) is called an almost para-contact metric structure and the manifold M with such a structure is called an almost para-contact Riemannian manifold [14].

An almost para-contact metric structure becomes a para-contact metric structure [22] if

$$g(X, \phi Y) = d\eta(X, Y),$$

for all vector field $X, Y \in \chi(M)$, where

$$d\eta(X, Y) = \frac{1}{2}[X\eta(Y) - Y\eta(X) - \eta([X, Y])].$$

For a $(2n + 1)$ dimensional manifold M with the structure (ϕ, ξ, η, g) , one can also construct a local orthonormal basis which is called a ϕ -basis $(X_i, \phi X_i, \xi)$, $(i = 1, 2, \dots, n)$ [22]

An almost para-contact metric manifold structure (ϕ, ξ, η, g) is para-Sasakian manifold if and only if the Levi-Civita connection ∇ of g satisfies [22]

$$(\nabla_X \phi)Y = -g(X, Y)\xi + \eta(Y)X, \tag{2.5}$$

for any $X, Y \in \chi(M)$.

From (2.5), it can be seen that

$$(\nabla_X \xi) = -\phi X. \tag{2.6}$$

Example 1. [1]. Let $M = R^{2n+1}$ be the $(2n + 1)$ - dimensional real number space with $(x_1, y_1, x_2, y_2, \dots, x_n, y_n, z)$ standard coordinate system. Defining

$$\begin{aligned} \phi \frac{\partial}{\partial x_\alpha} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial y_\alpha}, & \phi \frac{\partial}{\partial y_\alpha} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x_\alpha}, & \phi \frac{\partial}{\partial z} &= 0, \\ \xi &= \frac{\partial}{\partial z}, & \eta &= dz, \end{aligned}$$

$$g = \eta \otimes \eta + \sum_{\alpha=1}^n dx_\alpha \otimes dx_\alpha - \sum_{\alpha=1}^n dy_\alpha \otimes dy_\alpha,$$

where $\alpha = 1, 2, \dots, n$, then the set (M, ϕ, ξ, η, g) is an almost para-contact metric manifold.

In a para-Sasakian manifold, the following relations also hold [22]:

$$\eta(R(X, Y)Z) = g(X, Z)\eta(Y) - g(Y, Z)\eta(X), \tag{2.7}$$

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

$$R(X, \xi, Y) = -R(\xi, X, Y) = -g(X, Y)\xi + \eta(Y)X, \tag{2.8}$$

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

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

and

$$S(X, \xi) = -2n\eta(X), \tag{2.9}$$

for any vector fields $X, Y, Z \in \chi(M)$. Here, R is Riemannian curvature tensor and S is the Ricci tensor defined by $g(QX, Y) = S(X, Y)$, where Q is the Ricci operator.

In view of (2.6), the equation (1.5) becomes

$$\tilde{\nabla}_X Y = \nabla_X Y + \eta(X)\phi Y + \eta(Y)\phi X + g(X, \phi Y)\xi. \quad (2.10)$$

On a para-Sasakian manifold, the connection $\tilde{\nabla}$ has the following properties [1]:

$$\tilde{\nabla}\eta = 0, \quad \tilde{\nabla}g = 0, \quad \tilde{\nabla}\xi = 0,$$

and

$$(\tilde{\nabla}_X \phi)Y = (\nabla_X \phi)Y + g(X, Y)\xi - \eta(Y)X.$$

for any vector fields $X, Y, \in \chi(M)$.

It is known that the curvature tensor \tilde{R} of a para-Sasakian manifold M with respect to the Zamkovoy connection $\tilde{\nabla}$ defined by

$$\tilde{R}(X, Y)Z = \tilde{\nabla}_X \tilde{\nabla}_Y Z - \tilde{\nabla}_Y \tilde{\nabla}_X Z - \tilde{\nabla}_{[X, Y]}Z$$

satisfies the following [1]

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{R}(X, Y)Z &= R(X, Y)Z + g(Y, Z)\eta(X)\xi - g(X, Z)\eta(Y)\xi + \eta(Y)\eta(Z)X \\ &\quad - \eta(X)\eta(Z)Y + 2g(X, \phi Y)\phi Z + g(X, \phi Z)\phi Y - g(Y, \phi Z)\phi X, \\ \tilde{S}(X, Y) &= S(X, Y) - 2g(X, Y) + (2n + 2)\eta(X)\eta(Y), \end{aligned} \quad (2.11)$$

and

$$\tilde{r} = r - 2n$$

for any $X, Y, Z \in \chi(M)$, where R, S and r are curvature tensor, Ricci tensor and scalar curvature relative to ∇ respectively and \tilde{R}, \tilde{S} and \tilde{r} are curvature tensor, Ricci tensor and scalar curvature relative to $\tilde{\nabla}$. From (2.11), it is easy to note that \tilde{S} is symmetric.

Further, it is known that [1] on a para-Sasakian manifold, the following relations hold

$$g(\tilde{R}(X, Y)Z, \xi) = \eta(\tilde{R}(X, Y)Z) = 0, \quad (2.12)$$

$$\tilde{R}(X, Y)\xi = \tilde{R}(\xi, X)Y = \tilde{R}(\xi, X)\xi = 0, \quad (2.13)$$

and

$$\tilde{S}(X, \xi) = 0$$

for any $X, Y, U \in \chi(M)$.

Definition 1. An $(2n + 1)$ -dimensional para-Sasakian manifold M is said to be η -Einstein manifold if the Ricci tensor of type $(0, 2)$ is of the form

$$S(X, Y) = ag(X, Y) + b\eta(X)\eta(Y)$$

for any $X, Y \in \chi(M)$ where a and b are scalars.

From (2.11), it can also be noted that if $\tilde{S}(X, Y) = 0$. then

$$S(X, Y) = 2g(X, Y) + (-2n - 2)\eta(X)\eta(Y).$$

which proves that if a para- Sasakian manifold M is Ricci-flat with respect to the Zamkovoy connection, then it is an η -Einstein manifold.

3. GENERALIZED M -PROJECTIVE CURVATURE TENSOR OF PARA-SASAKIAN MANIFOLD

In this section, we study generalized M -projective curvature tensor of the para-Sasakian manifold with respect to the Zamkovoy connection and state some of its properties. The M -projective curvature tensor \tilde{M} with respect to the Zamkovoy connection $\tilde{\nabla}$ is given by

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{M}^*(X, Y, U) &= \tilde{R}(X, Y, U) \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2(n-1)}[\tilde{S}(Y, U)X - \tilde{S}(X, U)Y \\ &\quad \quad + g(Y, U)\tilde{Q}X - g(X, U)\tilde{Q}Y], \end{aligned} \tag{3.1}$$

Also, the type (0, 4) M -projective curvature tensor field $'\tilde{M}^*$ is given by

$$\begin{aligned} '\tilde{M}^*(X, Y, U, V) &= '\tilde{R}(X, Y, U, V) \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2(n-1)}[\tilde{S}(Y, U)g(X, V) - \tilde{S}(X, U)g(Y, V) \\ &\quad \quad + g(Y, U)\tilde{S}(X, V) - g(X, U)\tilde{S}(Y, V)], \end{aligned} \tag{3.2}$$

where

$$' \tilde{M}^*(X, Y, U, V) = g(\tilde{M}^*(X, Y, U), V)$$

and

$$' \tilde{R}(X, Y, U, V) = g(\tilde{R}(X, Y, U), V)$$

for the arbitrary vector fields $X, Y, U, V \in \chi(M)$.

Now, differentiating covariantly equation (3.1) with respect to V , we get

$$\begin{aligned} (\nabla_V \tilde{M}^*)(X, Y)U &= (\nabla_V \tilde{R})(X, Y)U \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2(n-1)}[(\nabla_V \tilde{S})(Y, U)X - (\nabla_V \tilde{S})(X, U)Y \\ &\quad \quad + g(Y, U)(\nabla_V \tilde{Q})X - g(X, U)(\nabla_V \tilde{Q})Y]. \end{aligned} \tag{3.3}$$

The generalized M -projective curvature tensor of para-Sasakian manifold with respect to the Zamkovoy connection is defined by,

$$\begin{aligned} {}'\tilde{M}^*(X, Y, U, V) &= {}'\tilde{R}(X, Y, U, V) \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2(n-1)} [Z(Y, U)g(X, V) - Z(X, U)g(Y, V) \\ &\quad \quad + g(Y, U)Z(X, V) - g(X, U)Z(Y, V)] \\ &\quad - \frac{\Psi}{(n-1)} [g(Y, V)g(X, U) - g(Y, U)g(X, V)]. \end{aligned}$$

If we denote the first five terms of above equation by

$$\begin{aligned} {}'\tilde{M}^{**}(X, Y, U, V) &= {}'\tilde{R}(X, Y, U, V) \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2(n-1)} [Z(Y, U)g(X, V) - Z(X, U)g(Y, V) \\ &\quad \quad + g(Y, U)Z(X, V) - g(X, U)Z(Y, V)], \end{aligned} \quad (3.4)$$

then the equation (3.4) reduces to

$$\begin{aligned} {}'\tilde{M}^{**}(X, Y, U, V) &= {}'\tilde{M}^*(X, Y, U, V) + \frac{\Psi}{(n-1)} [g(Y, V)g(X, U) \\ &\quad - g(X, V)g(Y, U)]. \end{aligned} \quad (3.5)$$

We call this new tensor field $'\tilde{M}^{**}$ defined by equation (3.4), generalized M -projective curvature tensor of para-Sasakian manifold with respect to the Zamkovoy connection.

If $\Psi=0$, then from equation (3.5), we have

$$' \tilde{M}^{**}(X, Y, U, V) = ' \tilde{M}^*(X, Y, U, V).$$

Lemma 1. *If the scalar function Ψ vanishes on para-Sasakian manifold, then the M -projective curvature tensor and generalized M -projective curvature tensor are identical.*

Lemma 2. *Generalized M -projective curvature tensor of para-Sasakian manifold with respect to the Zamkovoy connection satisfies Bianchi's first identity.*

Remark 1. Generalized M -projective curvature tensor $'\tilde{M}^{**}$ of para-Sasakian manifold with respect to the Zamkovoy connection is:

- (a) skew-symmetric in the first two slots,
- (b) skew-symmetric in the last two slots

and

- (c) symmetric in pair of slots.

Proposition 1. *Generalized M -projective curvature tensor of para-Sasakian manifold satisfies the following identities:*

$$(a) \tilde{M}^{**}(\xi, Y, U) = -\tilde{M}^{**}(Y, \xi, U) = \left[\frac{(1-\psi)}{(n-1)} \right] [g(Y, U)\xi - \eta(U)Y] - \left[\frac{1}{2(n-1)} \right] [S(Y, U)\xi - \eta(U)QY], \quad (3.6)$$

$$(b) \tilde{M}^{**}(X, Y, \xi) = - \left[\frac{(1-\psi)}{(n-1)} \right] [\eta(X)Y - \eta(Y)X] + \left[\frac{1}{2(n-1)} \right] [\eta(Y)QX - \eta(X)QY], \quad (3.7)$$

$$(c) \eta(\tilde{M}^{**}(U, V, Y)) = \left[\frac{(1-\psi)}{(n-1)} \right] [g(V, Y)\eta(U) - g(U, Y)\eta(V)] + \left[\frac{1}{2(n-1)} \right] [S(U, Y)\eta(V) - S(V, Y)\eta(U)]. \quad (3.8)$$

4. GENERALIZED M -PROJECTIVELY SEMI-SYMMETRIC PARA-SASAKIAN MANIFOLD WITH RESPECT TO THE ZAMKOVY CONNECTION

Definition 2. A para-Sasakian manifold is said to be semi-symmetric [20] if it satisfies the condition

$$R(X, Y) \cdot R = 0,$$

where $R(X, Y)$ is considered as the derivation of the tensor algebra at each point of the manifold.

Definition 3. A para-Sasakian manifold is said to be generalized M -projectively semi-symmetric if it satisfies the condition

$$R(X, Y) \cdot \tilde{M}^{**} = 0,$$

where \tilde{M}^{**} is generalized M -projective curvature tensor relative to $\tilde{\nabla}$ and $R(X, Y)$ is considered as the derivation of the tensor algebra at each point of the manifold.

Theorem 1. *A generalized M -projectively semi-symmetric para-Sasakian manifold with respect to the Zamkovoy connection is an η -Einstein manifold.*

Proof. Consider

$$R(X, Y) \cdot \tilde{M}^{**} = 0,$$

Now, we put $X = \xi$ in above equation, we get

$$(R(\xi, X) \cdot \tilde{M}^{**})(U, V, Y) = 0,$$

for any $X, Y, U, V \in \chi(M)$, where \tilde{M}^{**} is generalized M -projective curvature tensor, which gives

$$0 = R(\xi, X, \tilde{M}^{**}(U, V, Y)) - \tilde{M}^{**}(R(\xi, X, U), V, Y) \\ - \tilde{M}^{**}(U, R(\xi, X, V), Y) - \tilde{M}^{**}(U, V, R(\xi, X, Y)).$$

In view of the equation (2.8), the above equation takes the form

$$0 = \eta(\tilde{M}^{**}(U, V, Y))X - \tilde{M}^{**}(U, V, Y, X)\xi \\ + g(X, U)\eta(\tilde{M}^{**}(\xi, V, Y)) - \eta(V)\eta(\tilde{M}^{**}(U, X, Y)) \\ + g(X, V)\eta(\tilde{M}^{**}(U, \xi, Y)) - \eta(Y)\eta(\tilde{M}^{**}(U, V, X)) \\ + g(X, Y)\eta(\tilde{M}^{**}(U, V, \xi)) - \eta(U)\eta(\tilde{M}^{**}(X, V, Y)).$$

Taking inner product of above equation with ξ and using equations (2.2), (2.3), (2.12), (2.13), (3.5), (3.6), (3.7) and (3.8), we get

$$0 = -\tilde{M}^{**}(U, V, Y, X) \\ - \frac{1}{2(n-1)} [S(U, X)\eta(Y)\eta(V) - S(V, X)\eta(U)\eta(Y)] \\ + \frac{(1-\psi)}{(n-1)} [g(X, U)g(Y, V) - g(X, V)g(Y, U)] \\ - \frac{1}{2(n-1)} [S(V, Y)g(X, U) - S(Y, U)g(X, V)] \\ - \frac{n}{(n-1)} [g(X, U)\eta(Y)\eta(V) - g(X, V)\eta(U)\eta(Y)].$$

By virtue of the equations (2.11) and (3.2), the above equation reduces to

$${}'\tilde{R}(U, V, Y, X) = \frac{1}{2(n-1)} [\tilde{S}(V, Y)g(U, X) - \tilde{S}(U, Y)g(V, X) \\ + \tilde{S}(U, X)g(V, Y) - \tilde{S}(V, X)g(U, Y)] \\ - \frac{1}{2(n-1)} [S(U, X)\eta(Y)\eta(V) - S(V, X)\eta(U)\eta(Y)] \\ + \frac{(1-\psi)}{(n-1)} [g(X, U)g(Y, V) - g(X, V)g(Y, U)] \\ - \frac{1}{2(n-1)} [S(V, Y)g(X, U) - S(Y, U)g(X, V)] \\ - \frac{n}{(n-1)} [g(X, U)\eta(Y)\eta(V) - g(X, V)\eta(U)\eta(Y)].$$

Let $\{e_i : i = 1, 2, \dots, n\}$ be an orthonormal basis. Putting $X = U = e_i$ in above equation and taking summation over i , we get

$$S(Y, V) = \left[\frac{r + 2n - 4n\psi - 2}{(2n - 1)} \right] g(Y, V) + \left[\frac{r + 4n^2 - 2}{(2n - 1)} \right] \eta(Y)\eta(V).$$

This shows that generalized M -projectively semi-symmetric para-Sasakian manifold is an η -Einstein manifold. \square

5. PARA-SASAKIAN MANIFOLD SATISFYING $\tilde{M}^{**}(X, Y) \cdot S = 0$

In this section, we consider para-Sasakian manifold with Zamkovoy connection [7] satisfying the condition

$$\tilde{M}^{**}(X, Y) \cdot S = 0,$$

for all $X, Y \in \chi(M)$, where \tilde{M}^{**} is generalized M -projective curvature tensor of para-Sasakian manifold.

Theorem 2. *A para-Sasakian manifold admitting Zamkovoy connection satisfying $\tilde{M}^{**}(X, Y) \cdot S = 0$ is either an Einstein manifold or $\psi = 1$.*

Proof. Consider

$$(\tilde{M}^{**}(\xi, X) \cdot S)(U, V) = 0,$$

which gives

$$S(\tilde{M}^{**}(\xi, X, U), V) + S(U, \tilde{M}^{**}(\xi, X, V)) = 0.$$

Using equations (2.9), (2.10) and (3.6) in above equation, we get

$$\begin{aligned} 0 = & \left[\frac{-2n(\psi - 1)}{(n - 1)} \right] [g(X, U)\eta(V) + g(X, V)\eta(U)] \\ & - \left[\frac{1}{(n - 1)} \right] [S(X, V)\eta(U) + S(X, U)\eta(V)] \\ & + \left[\frac{\psi}{(n - 1)} \right] [S(X, V)\eta(U) + S(X, U)\eta(V)]. \end{aligned}$$

Putting $U = \xi$ in the above equation and using the equations (2.3), (2.4) and (2.9), we get

$$\left[\frac{(\psi - 1)}{(n - 1)} \right] [S(X, V) - 2ng(X, V)] = 0,$$

which gives either $\psi = 1$ or

$$S(X, V) = 2ng(X, V).$$

This shows that generalized M -projectively Ricci semi-symmetric para-Sasakian manifold with respect to the Zamkovoy connection is either an Einstein manifold or $\psi = 1$ on it. \square

6. A PARA-SASAKIAN MANIFOLD SATISFYING $\phi^2((\nabla_V R)(X, Y, U)) = 0$

Below we present the definition given by Takahashi [21]

Definition 4. A para-Sasakian manifold is said to be locally ϕ -symmetric if

$$\phi^2((\nabla_V R)(X, Y, U)) = 0, \quad (6.1)$$

for all vector fields X, Y, U, V orthogonal to ξ .

Definition 5. A para-Sasakian manifold is said to be ϕ -symmetric if

$$\phi^2((\nabla_V R)(X, Y, U)) = 0, \quad (6.2)$$

for arbitrary vector fields X, Y, U, V .

Analogous to the conditions (6.1) and (6.2), we consider a para-Sasakian manifold satisfying

$$\phi^2((\nabla_V \tilde{M}^{**})(X, Y, U)) = 0, \quad (6.3)$$

for arbitrary vector fields X, Y, U, V .

Theorem 3. A para-Sasakian manifold admitting Zamkovoy connection satisfying $\phi^2((\nabla_V \tilde{M}^{**})(X, Y, U)) = 0$ is an Einstein manifold.

Proof. Taking covariant derivative of equation (3.5) with respect to vector field V , we obtain

$$(\nabla_V \tilde{M}^{**})(X, Y, U) = (\nabla_V \tilde{M}^*)(X, Y, U) + \frac{dr(\psi)}{(n-1)} [g(X, U)Y - g(Y, U)X].$$

Using equation (3.3) in the above equation, we get

$$\begin{aligned} (\nabla_V \tilde{M}^{**})(X, Y, U) &= (\nabla_V \tilde{R})(X, Y, U) + \frac{dr(\psi)}{(n-1)} [g(X, U)Y - g(Y, U)X] \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2(n-1)} [(\nabla_V \tilde{S})(Y, U)X - (\nabla_V \tilde{S})(X, U)Y \\ &\quad + g(Y, U)(\nabla_V \tilde{Q})X - g(X, U)(\nabla_V \tilde{Q})Y]. \end{aligned} \quad (6.4)$$

Assume that the manifold is generalized M -projectively ϕ -symmetric, then from equation (6.3), we have

$$\phi^2((\nabla_V \tilde{M}^{**})(X, Y, U)) = 0,$$

which on using equation (2.1), gives

$$(\nabla_V \tilde{M}^{**})(X, Y, U) = \eta((\nabla_V \tilde{M}^{**})(X, Y, U))\xi.$$

Using equation (6.4) in above equation, we get

$$\begin{aligned} & (\nabla_V \tilde{R})(X, Y, U) + \frac{dr(\psi)}{(n-1)} [g(X, U)Y - g(Y, U)X] \\ & - \frac{1}{2(n-1)} [(\nabla_V \tilde{S})(Y, U)X - (\nabla_V \tilde{S})(X, U)Y \\ & \quad + g(Y, U)(\nabla_V \tilde{Q})X - g(X, U)(\nabla_V \tilde{Q})Y] \\ & = \eta((\nabla_V \tilde{R})(X, Y, U))\xi + \frac{dr(\psi)}{(n-1)} [g(X, U)\eta(Y) - g(Y, U)\eta(X)]\xi \\ & - \frac{1}{2(n-1)} [(\nabla_V \tilde{S})(Y, U)\eta(X) - (\nabla_V \tilde{S})(X, U)\eta(Y) \\ & \quad + g(Y, U)\eta((\nabla_V \tilde{Q})X) - g(X, U)\eta((\nabla_V \tilde{Q})Y)]\xi. \end{aligned}$$

Taking inner product of the above equation with W , we get

$$\begin{aligned} & g((\nabla_V \tilde{R})(X, Y, U), W) + \frac{dr(\psi)}{(n-1)} [g(X, U)g(Y, W) - g(Y, U)g(X, W)] \\ & - \frac{1}{2(n-1)} [(\nabla_V \tilde{S})(Y, U)g(X, W) - (\nabla_V \tilde{S})(X, U)g(Y, W) \\ & \quad + g(Y, U)g((\nabla_V \tilde{Q})X, W) - g(X, U)g((\nabla_V \tilde{Q})Y, W)] \\ & = \eta((\nabla_V \tilde{R})(X, Y, U))\eta(W) + \frac{dr(\psi)}{(n-1)} [g(X, U)\eta(Y)\eta(W) \\ & \quad - g(Y, U)\eta(X)\eta(W)] \\ & - \frac{1}{2(n-1)} [(\nabla_V \tilde{S})(Y, U)\eta(X)\eta(W) - (\nabla_V \tilde{S})(X, U)\eta(Y)\eta(W) \\ & \quad + g(Y, U)\eta((\nabla_V \tilde{Q})X)\eta(W) - g(X, U)\eta((\nabla_V \tilde{Q})Y)\eta(W)]. \end{aligned}$$

Putting $X = W = e_i$ and taking summation over i , we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} 0 & = -\frac{1}{(n-1)} (\nabla_V \tilde{S})(Y, U) - \frac{dr(\psi)}{(n-1)} [\eta(Y)\eta(U) - g(Y, U)] \\ & - \frac{1}{2(n-1)} [g(Y, U)g((\nabla_V \tilde{Q})e_i, e_i) - g((\nabla_V \tilde{Q})Y, U)] \\ & - \frac{2n}{(n-1)} dr(\psi)g(Y, U) - \eta((\nabla_V \tilde{R})(e_i, Y, U))\eta(e_i) \\ & + \frac{1}{2(n-1)} [(\nabla_V \tilde{S})(Y, U) - (\nabla_V \tilde{S})(e_i, U)\eta(Y)\eta(e_i) \\ & \quad + g(Y, U)\eta((\nabla_V \tilde{Q})e_i)\eta(e_i) - \eta((\nabla_V \tilde{Q})Y)\eta(U)]. \end{aligned}$$

Taking $U = \xi$ in the above equation, we have

$$\begin{aligned} 0 = & -\frac{1}{2(n-1)}(\nabla_V \tilde{S})(Y, \xi) - \eta((\nabla_V \tilde{R})(e_i, Y, \xi))\eta(e_i) \\ & - \frac{1}{2(n-1)}[dr(\tilde{V})\eta(Y) - (\nabla_V \tilde{S})(e_i, \xi)\eta(e_i)\eta(Y) \\ & \quad + \eta((\nabla_V \tilde{Q})e_i)\eta(e_i)\eta(Y)] \\ & - \frac{2n}{(n-1)}dr(\psi)\eta(Y). \end{aligned} \quad (6.5)$$

Now

$$\eta((\nabla_V \tilde{R})(e_i, Y, \xi))\eta(e_i) = g((\nabla_V \tilde{R})(e_i, Y, \xi), \xi)g(e_i, \xi).$$

Also

$$\begin{aligned} g((\nabla_V \tilde{R})(e_i, Y, \xi), \xi) = & g(\nabla_V \tilde{R}(e_i, Y, \xi), \xi) - g(\tilde{R}(\nabla_V e_i, Y, \xi), \xi) \\ & - g(\tilde{R}(e_i, \nabla_V Y, \xi), \xi) - g(\tilde{R}(e_i, Y, \nabla_V \xi), \xi). \end{aligned} \quad (6.6)$$

Since $\{e_i\}$ is an orthonormal basis, so $\nabla_X e_i = 0$ and using equation (2.8), we get

$$g(\tilde{R}(e_i, \nabla_V Y, \xi), \xi) = 0,$$

Since

$$g(\tilde{R}(e_i, Y, \xi), \xi) + g(\tilde{R}(\xi, \xi, Y), e_i) = 0.$$

Therefore, we have

$$g(\nabla_V \tilde{R}(e_i, Y, \xi), \xi) + g(\tilde{R}e_i, Y, \xi), \nabla_V \xi) = 0.$$

Using this fact in equation (6.6), we get

$$g((\nabla_V \tilde{R})(e_i, Y, \xi), \xi) = 0. \quad (6.7)$$

Also

$$\eta((\nabla_V \tilde{Q})e_i)\eta(e_i) = g((\nabla_V \tilde{Q})e_i, \xi)g(e_i, \xi) = g((\nabla_V \tilde{Q})\xi, \xi).$$

Using equations (2.6) and (2.9), we get

$$\eta((\nabla_V \tilde{Q})e_i)\eta(e_i) = 0. \quad (6.8)$$

Using equations (6.7) and (6.8) in (6.5), we have

$$(\nabla_V \tilde{S})(Y, \xi) = -4ndr(\psi)\eta(Y) + dr(\tilde{V})\eta(Y). \quad (6.9)$$

Taking $Y = \xi$ in above equation and using equations (2.7) and (2.10), we get

$$dr(\psi) = -\frac{dr(\tilde{V})}{4n}, \quad (6.10)$$

which shows that r is constant.

Now, we have

$$(\nabla_V \tilde{S})(Y, \xi) = \nabla_V \tilde{S}(Y, \xi) - \tilde{S}(\nabla_V Y, \xi) - \tilde{S}(Y, \nabla_V \xi),$$

then by using (2.5), (2.6), (2.10) in the above equation, it follows that

$$\tilde{S}(Y, \phi V) = 0. \quad (6.11)$$

Putting $Y = \phi Y$ in above equation and using (2.11), (6.9), (6.10) and (6.11), we obtain

$$S(Y, V) = -2g(Y, V) - 2m\eta(V)\eta(Y).$$

which shows that M^{2n+1} is an η -Einstein manifold. \square

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