



ON $f_{\lambda,\mu}(2\nu+3,\pm 1)$ -STRUCTURE MANIFOLDS

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ABSTRACT

The idea of f -structure on a differentiable manifold was initiated and developed by Yano [6], Ishihara [1], Andreaou [2] and others. In the present paper, we have defined a structure $f_{\lambda,\mu}(2\nu+3,\pm 1)$ of rank r on a manifold with a tensor field f of type $(1, 1)$ satisfying $(f^{2\nu+3} - \lambda^2 f)(f^{2\nu+3} + \mu^2 f) = 0$. Some results on this structure have been proved in this paper.

(1.1) PRELIMINARIES:

Let M^n be an n -dimensional differentiable manifold of class C^∞ and of rank r and $f(\neq 0)$ be a tensor field of type $(1, 1)$, such that

$$(1.1.1) \quad (f^{2\nu+3} - \lambda^2 f)(f^{2\nu+3} + \mu^2 f) = 0$$

where $f^{2\nu+2} \neq \lambda^2$, $f^{2\nu+2} \neq -\mu^2$; $\lambda, \mu \in R^+$, $\lambda \neq \mu$ and rank of

$$f = \frac{1}{2}(\text{rank } f^{2\nu+2} + \dim M^n) = r = \text{constant}.$$

Let us define tensor fields ' l ' and ' m ' of type $(1, 1)$ on M^n , by

$$(1.1.2) \quad l = -\frac{f^{2\nu+2} - \lambda^2}{\mu^2 + \lambda^2}, \quad m = \frac{f^{2\nu+2} + \mu^2}{\lambda^2 + \mu^2}$$

We have the following theorem:

Theorem 1.1.1: Let M^n be an $f_{\lambda,\mu}(2\nu+3,\pm 1)$ -structure manifold, then

$$(1.1.3) \quad l + m = I, \quad l^2 = l, \quad m^2 = m, \quad lm = ml = 0$$

Proof: In view of the equations (1.1.1) and (1.1.2), the proof of the theorem follows in obvious manner.

Thus, the operators l and m when applied to tangent space of M^n at a point are complementary projection operators. Thus there exist complementary distributions L and M corresponding to projection operators l and m respectively. Let us call such a structure as then -structure of rank r .

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For the manifold M^n equipped with $f_{\lambda,\mu}(2\nu+3,\pm 1)$ -structure of rank r , we have the following theorem:

Theorem 1.1.2: On an $f_{\lambda,\mu}(2\nu+3,\pm 1)$ -structure manifold, we have

$$(1.1.4) \quad fl = -\frac{f^{2\nu+3} - f\lambda^2}{\lambda^2 + \mu^2}, \quad fm = \frac{f^{2\nu+3} + f\mu^2}{\lambda^2 + \mu^2}$$

$$(1.1.5) \quad f^{2\nu+2}l = -\mu^2l, \quad f^{2\nu+2}m = \lambda^2m$$

$$(1.1.6) \quad m-l = \frac{2f^{2\nu+2} - \lambda^2 - \mu^2}{\lambda^2 + \mu^2}$$

Proof: In view of the equations (1.1.1), (1.1.2) and (1.1.3), the proof of the theorem follows immediately.

(1.2) $f_{\lambda,\mu}(2\nu+3,\pm 1)$ -STRUCTURE IN LOCAL COORDINATES:

We now introduce a local coordinate system in the manifold M^n represented by f^i, l^i, m^i in local components of tensors f , l and m respectively. We also introduce in M^n a positive definite Riemannian metric by taking r mutually orthogonal unit vectors $v_a^j (a, b, c, \dots = 1, 2, 3, \dots, r)$ in L and $(n-r)$ mutually orthogonal unit vectors $v_A^j (A, B, C, \dots = r+1, r+2, \dots, n)$ in M , and then we have

$$(1.2.1) \quad l_j^i v_b^j = v_b^i, \quad l_j^i v_B^j = 0$$

$$m_j^i v_b^j = 0, \quad m_j^i v_B^j = v_B^i$$

Let (s_j^a, s_j^A) represents the matrix inverse of (v_b^j, v_B^j) , then s_j^a and s_j^A are both components of linearly independent covariant vectors and satisfy the relations

$$(1.2.2) \quad s_j^a v_b^j = \delta_b^a, \quad s_j^a v_B^j = 0$$

$$s_j^A v_b^j = 0, \quad s_j^A v_B^j = \delta_B^A$$

and

$$(1.2.3) \quad s_j^a v_a^i + s_j^A v_A^i = \delta_j^i$$

δ_j^i being the Kronecker delta.

If we put

$$(1.2.4) \quad g_{kj} = s_k^a s_j^a + s_k^A s_j^A$$

then g_{kj} is globally well defined positive Riemannian metric such that

$$s_k^a = g_{kj} v_a^j, \quad s_k^A = g_{kj} v_A^j$$

In view of the equations (1.2.1) and (1.2.2), we get

$$(l_j^i s_i^a) v_b^j = \delta_b^a, \quad (l_j^i s_i^A) v_B^j = 0$$

$$(1.2.5) \quad (m_j^i s_i^A) v_b^j = 0, \quad (m_j^i s_i^A) v_B^j = \delta_B^A$$

Thus we have,

$$(1.2.6) \quad l_j^i s_i^a = s_j^a, m_j^i s_i^A = s_j^A$$

$$l_j^i s_i^A = 0, m_j^i s_i^a = 0$$

Using $l_j^i v_a^j = v_a^i$ in equation (1.2.6), we have

$$l_k^i s_j^a v_a^k = s_j^a v_a^i, l_k^i (\delta_j^k - s_j^A v_A^k) = s_j^a v_a^i$$

Hence

$$(1.2.7) \quad l_j^i = s_j^a v_a^i$$

Similarly, we get

$$(1.2.8) \quad m_j^i = s_j^B v_B^i$$

Let us now put

$$(1.2.9) \quad l_{kj} = l_k^r g_{rj} \quad \text{and} \quad m_{kj} = m_k^r g_{rj}$$

In view of the equations (1.2.4), (1.2.7) and (1.2.8), we have

$$(1.2.10) \quad l_{kj} = s_k^a s_j^a, m_{kj} = s_k^A s_j^A$$

and

$$(1.2.11) \quad l_{kj} = l_{jk}, m_{kj} = m_{jk}$$

Consequently, we have

$$(1.2.12) \quad l_{jk} + m_{jk} = g_{jk}$$

The following equations can be proved easily:

$$(i) \quad l_k^r l_j^p g_{rp} = l_{kj}$$

$$(ii) \quad l_k^r m_j^p g_{rp} = 0$$

(1.2.13) and

$$(iii) \quad m_k^r m_j^p g_{rp} = m_{kj}$$

For any two vectors X and Y with components X^i and Y^i , let us put

$$(1.2.14) \quad m(X, Y) = m_{rp} X^r Y^p$$

and

$$(1.2.15) \quad g(X, Y) = g_{rp} X^r Y^p$$

$$\tilde{g}(X, Y) = \frac{1}{2(\nu+1)} \left[g(X, Y) + g(fX, fY) + g(f^2X, f^2Y) + \dots + g(f^{2\nu+1}X, f^{2\nu+1}Y) + m(X, Y) \right]$$

Thus we have

$$m(v_A, v_A) = g(v_A, v_A) = g(fv_A, fv_A) = g(f^2v_A, f^2v_A) = \dots = g(f^{2\nu+1}v_A, f^{2\nu+1}v_A) = 0$$

and

$$\tilde{g}(v_A, v_A) = \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{(\nu+1)} \left[g(v_A, v_A) + g(fv_A, fv_A) + g(f^2v_A, f^2v_A) + \dots + g(f^{2\nu+1}v_A, f^{2\nu+1}v_A) + m(v_A, v_A) \right]$$

$$= 0$$

By virtue of the fact that the distributions L and M are orthogonal with respect to the Riemannian metric g , the distributions L and M are orthogonal with respect to \tilde{g} also. Hence, we have the following theorem:

Theorem 1.2.1: Let M^n be an n-dimensional differentiable manifold equipped with $f_{\lambda,\mu}(2\nu+3,\pm 1)$ - structure of rank r. Then there exist complementary distributions L and M and a positive definite Riemannian metric \tilde{g} with respect to which distributions are orthogonal.

Further, by virtue of equations (1.2.9), (1.2.11) and (1.2.12) it is easy to verify that

$$g(fv_a, fv_b) = l_{rp} f_h^r f_j^p v_a^h v_b^j$$

$$g(fv_a, fv_b) + m(fv_a, fv_b) = g_{rp} f_h^r f_j^p v_a^h v_b^j$$

$$g(f^2v_a, f^2v_b) = g_{rp} v_a^r v_b^p$$

These relations lead to the following:

$$(1.2.16) \quad \tilde{g}(fX, fY) = g(X, Y) ; \text{ for all } X, Y \text{ in } L.$$

Let M_1 be a space such that $X \in M_1, f(X) = \lambda X$ and let M_2 be the distribution orthogonal to M_1 in M with respect to \tilde{g} . We choose an orthogonal basis $u_{n-r+1}, \dots, u_{2(n-r)}$ with respect to \tilde{g} for M_2 . Further, let $e_1, e_2, \dots, e_{2r-n}$ be an orthogonal basis for L with respect to \tilde{g} . Using \tilde{g} , we can define a Riemannian metric g on M^n by

$$g(e_i, e_k) = \tilde{g}(e_i, e_k)$$

$$g(e_i, u_\alpha) = \tilde{g}(e_i, u_\alpha)$$

$$g(u_\alpha, u_\beta) = \tilde{g}(u_\alpha, u_\beta)$$

$$g(e_i, f(u_\alpha)) = \tilde{g}(e_i, f(u_\alpha))$$

$$g(f(u_\alpha), u_\beta) = 0$$

$$g(f(u_\alpha), f(u_\beta)) = \delta_{\alpha\beta}$$

where,

$$1 \leq i, k \leq 2r-n, \quad n-r+1 \leq \alpha, \beta \leq 2n-r$$

then g is well defined because if $\tilde{u}_{n-r+1}, \dots, \tilde{u}_{2(n-r)}$ is another orthonormal basis for M_2 , then for

$\tilde{u}_\alpha = z_\alpha^\beta u_\beta$, we have

$$\tilde{g}(\tilde{u}_\alpha, \tilde{u}_\gamma) = \tilde{g}(z_\alpha^\beta u_\beta, z_\gamma^\epsilon u_\epsilon)$$

$$= z_\alpha^\beta z_\gamma^\epsilon \delta_{\beta\epsilon}$$

$$= z_\alpha^\beta z_\gamma^\beta$$

$$= \delta_{\alpha\gamma}$$

and, $g(f(\tilde{u}_\alpha), f(\tilde{u}_\gamma)) = g(z_\alpha^\beta f(u_\beta), z_\gamma^\epsilon f(u_\epsilon))$

$$\begin{aligned} &= z_{\alpha}^{\beta} z_{\gamma}^{\epsilon} g(f(u_{\beta}), f(u_{\epsilon})) \\ &= z_{\alpha}^{\beta} z_{\gamma}^{\beta} \\ &= \delta_{\alpha\gamma} \end{aligned}$$

This signifies that there is a Riemannian metric g with respect to which L, M_1, M_2 are mutually orthogonal and

$$\begin{aligned} g(fX, fY) &= -\mu^2 f & ; & \quad \text{for all } X, Y \text{ in } L \\ g(fX, fY) &= \lambda^2 f & ; & \quad \text{for all } X, Y \text{ in } M \end{aligned}$$

Thus, we have:

Theorem 1.2.2: Let M^n be an n -dimensional differentiable manifold with $f_{\lambda, \mu}(2\nu + 3, \pm 1)$ -structure of rank r . Then there exists complementary distribution L of dimension $(2r-n)$ and distribution M of dimension $2(n-r)$ and a positive definite Riemannian metric g with respect to which L and M are orthogonal and furthermore

$$\begin{aligned} g(fX, fY) &= -\mu^2 f & ; & \quad \forall X, Y \in L \\ g(fX, fY) &= \lambda^2 f & ; & \quad \forall X, Y \in M. \end{aligned}$$

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