

An Analysis of Generalized N-Projective Curvature Tensor of Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu Manifolds Admitting Zamkovoy Connection

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Abstract:- This paper investigates Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu Manifolds with Zamkovoy connections. We introduce a new $(0, 2)$ type symmetric tensor Z° , derived from the N-projective curvature tensor, termed the generalized N-projective curvature tensor. We prove that when these manifolds exhibit generalized N-projectively semi-symmetric properties, they become Einstein manifolds. Additionally, we show that the condition of generalized N-projective ϕ -symmetry on Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu Manifold with Zamkovoy connection implies that the manifold is again an Einstein manifold.

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1. Introduction

Lorentzian manifolds are smooth manifolds equipped with a Lorentzian metric, which generalizes the notion of distance and angle from Euclidean spaces to spaces with a non-degenerate, indefinite quadratic form. These manifolds often arise in the study of general relativity, where spacetime is modeled as a Lorentzian manifold.

This paper contains the term N -projective curvature tensor, which was first introduced by G.P. Pokhariyal and R.S. Mishra [3]. This curvature tensor has further been studied by R. H. Ojha[4] and many other researchers [5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 1, 2]. For more details, we refer to [21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29] and the references therein.

The type $(0,3)$ N -projective curvature tensor N^* is given by

$$N^*(U, V)W = R(U, V)W - \frac{1}{2(n-1)}[S(V, W)U - S(U, W)V + g(V, W)QU - g(U, W)QV] \quad (1.1)$$

for all vector fields U, V and $W \in \chi(M)$.

The symbol $R(U, V)W$ refers to the Riemannian curvature tensor of type $(0, 3)$ and S denotes the Ricci tensor, i.e., $S(L, M) = g(QL, M)$, where Q being the Ricci operator of type $(1, 1)$. The type $(0, 4)$ N -projective curvature tensor field N^* is given by

$$'N^*(U, V, W, L) = 'R(U, V, W, L) - \frac{1}{2(n-1)}[S(V, W)g(U, L) - S(U, W)g(V, L) + g(V, W)S(U, L) - g(U, W)S(V, L)] \quad (1.2)$$

where, $'N^*(U, V, W, L) = g(N^*(U, V)W, L)$ and $'R(U, V, W, L) = g(R(U, V)W, L)$

for arbitrary vector fields $U, V, W, L \in \chi(M)$. C.A. Mantica and Y.J. Suh [11] considered a new symmetric tensor Z of type $(0, 2)$, given by

$$\boxed{Z(U, V) = S(U, V) + \omega g(U, V)} \quad (1.3)$$

with ω as an arbitrary scalar function. This tensor Z has been used by [12, 13] to obtain a new tensor field out of a given tensor field. We use it to generalise the N^* -projective curvature tensor. Using equation (3) in the equation (2), we get

$$\begin{aligned} 'N^*(U, V, W, L) = & 'R(U, V, W, L) - \frac{1}{2(n-1)} [Z(V, W)g(U, L) - Z(U, W)g(V, L) + g(V, W)Z(U, L) - \\ & g(U, W)Z(V, L) - \frac{\omega}{(n-1)} [g(U, W)Z(V, L) - g(V, W)Z(U, L)]] \end{aligned} \quad (1.4)$$

If we denote the first five terms on the right hand side of the above equation by $'N^{**}(U, V, W, L)$, i.e.,

$$\begin{aligned} 'N^{**}(U, V, W, L) = & 'R(U, V, W, L) - \frac{1}{2(n-1)} [Z(V, W)g(U, L) - Z(U, W)g(V, L) + g(V, W)Z(U, L) - \\ & g(U, W)Z(V, L)] \end{aligned} \quad (1.5)$$

then the equation (4) can be rewritten as

$$'N^{**}(U, V, W, L) = 'N^*(U, V, W, L) + \frac{\omega}{(n-1)} [g(U, W)Z(V, L) - g(V, W)Z(U, L)] \quad (1.6)$$

The new tensor field $'N^{**}$ defined by the equation (1.6) is termed as generalized N -projective curvature tensor.

The concept of Zamkovoy canonical connection or in short Zamkovoy connection was first introduced by S. Zamkovoy [10] on a para-contact manifold. After this introduction many authors have developed and studied Zamkovoy connection on many different manifolds such as generalized pseudo-Ricci symmetric Sasakian manifolds [14], almost pseudo-symmetric Sasakian manifolds [15], para-Kenmotsu manifold [16], Sasakian manifolds [17] and LP-Sasakian manifolds [18].

For an n -dimensional almost contact metric manifold M equipped with 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 relation between Zamkovoy connection $\tilde{\nabla}$ and Levi-civita connection ∇ is given by

$$\boxed{\tilde{\nabla}_U V = \nabla_U V + (\nabla_U \eta)(V)\xi - \eta(V)\nabla_U \xi + \eta(U)\phi V} \quad (1.7)$$

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

This paper delves into the study of the generalized N -projective curvature tensor of Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu Manifold with respect to the Zamkovoy connection, exploring various properties. The paper is divided into six parts:

- Section 2 gives preliminaries on the Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu Manifold .
- Section 3 describes about the generalized N -projective curvature tensor in Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu Manifold with the Zamkovoy connection.
- Section 4 provides proof that the generalized N -projectively semi-symmetric Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu Manifold with Zamkovoy connection is an Einstein manifold.
- Section 5 gives the result that generalized N -projectively Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu Manifold is either an Einstein manifold or $\omega = \beta^2 \frac{(1-n)}{2}$.
- Finally, in the last section, we provide proof that Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu Manifold satisfying $\phi^2((\nabla_L \tilde{N}^{**})(U, V)W) = 0$ is an Einstein manifold.

2. Preliminaries

Let M be a differentiable manifold of dimension n . We call M as Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu manifold if it admits a $(1, 1)$ -tensor field ϕ , a contravariant vector field ξ , a covariant vector field η and Lorentzian metric g which satisfy [19]

$$\eta(\xi) = -1, \quad (2.1)$$

$$\phi\xi = 0, \quad (2.2)$$

$$\eta(\phi U) = 0, \quad (2.3)$$

$$\phi^2 U = U + \eta(U)\xi, \quad (2.4)$$

$$g(U, \xi) = \eta(U), \quad (2.5)$$

$$g(\phi(U), \phi(V)) = g(U, V) + \eta(U)\eta(V), \quad (2.6)$$

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

Also, an Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu manifold M is satisfying

$$\nabla_U \xi = -\beta[U + \eta(U)\xi], \quad (2.7)$$

$$\nabla_U \eta(V) = \beta[g(U, V) - \eta(U)\eta(V)], \quad (2.8)$$

$$(\nabla_U \phi)V = \beta[g(\phi U, V) + \eta(V)\phi U], \quad (2.9)$$

where ' ∇ ' denotes the operator of covariant differentiation with respect to the Lorentzian metric g .

Further, on an Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu manifold M the following relations hold [19]

$$\eta(R(U, V)W) = \beta^2[g(U, W)\eta(V) - g(V, W)\eta(U)], \quad (2.10)$$

$$R(\xi, U)V = \beta^2[\eta(V)U - g(U, V)\xi], \quad (2.11)$$

$$R(U, V)\xi = \beta^2[\eta(U)V - \eta(V)U], \quad (2.12)$$

$$S(U, \xi) = -(n-1)\beta^2\eta(U), \quad (2.13)$$

$$Q\xi = -(n-1)\beta^2\xi, \quad (2.14)$$

$$S(\xi, \xi) = (n-1)\beta^2, \quad (2.15)$$

$$g(\xi, \xi) = \eta(\xi) = -1, \quad (2.16)$$

Definition 2.1

Let M be a Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu manifold. We call M as generalized η -Einstein manifold if its Ricci tensor S is of the form [20]

$$S(U, V) = \alpha_1 g(U, V) + \alpha_2 \eta(U)\eta(V),$$

where, α_1 and α_2 are smooth functions on M .

For the case, when $\alpha_3 = 0$ and $\alpha_2 = \alpha_3 = 0$, then the manifold is said to be an η -Einstein and Einstein, respectively.

3. Generalized N -Projective Curvature Tensor in Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu Manifold

The focus of this section is on examining the N -Projective Curvature Tensor of Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu Manifold with respect to the Zamkovoy connection. We then generalize its properties by introducing the tensor Z .

Adopting a similar format as in equation (1.1), we define the N -projective curvature tensor \check{N} with respect to the Zamkovoy connection $\check{\nabla}$ by the following relation

$$\check{N}^*(U, V)W = \check{R}(U, V)W - \frac{1}{2(n-1)}[\check{S}(V, W)U - \check{S}(U, W)V + g(V, W)\check{Q}U - g(U, W)\check{Q}V] \quad (3.1)$$

Upon taking the inner product of $\check{N}^*(U, V)W$ with the metric tensor g , we the type (0,4) tensor field $'\check{N}^*$ shown below

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

where

$$' \check{N}^*(U, V, W, X) = g(\check{N}^*(U, V, W), X)$$

and

$$' \check{R}(U, V, W, X) = g(\check{R}(U, V, W), X)$$

where U, V, W and X are vector fields. Moreover, performing covariant differentiation of equation (3.1) with respect to L results in

$$\begin{aligned} (\nabla_L \check{N}^*)(U, V, W) = & (\nabla_L \check{R})(U, V, W) - \frac{1}{2(n-1)}[(\nabla_L \check{S})(V, W)U - (\nabla_L \check{S})(U, W)V + \\ & g(V, W)(\nabla_L \check{Q})U - g(U, W)(\nabla_L \check{Q})V] \end{aligned} \quad (3.3)$$

The expression (3.1) is rewritten using relation (1.3) in the following manner

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

To construct a new tensor field from the expression provided above, we pick the first five terms on the right-hand side and write

$$\begin{aligned} '\check{N}^{**}(U, V, W, X) = & '\check{R}(U, V, W, X) - \frac{1}{2(n-1)}[Z(V, W)g(U, X) - Z(U, W)g(V, X) \\ & + g(V, W)Z(U, X) - g(U, W)Z(V, X)] \end{aligned} \quad (3.5)$$

We denote the tensor $'\check{N}^{**}$, derived from the equation provided, as the generalized N -projective curvature tensor for Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu manifolds with respect to the Zamkovoy connection.

Considering equation (3.5), equation (3.4) is rewritten as

$$' \check{N}^{**}(U, V, W, X) = '\check{N}^*(U, V, W, X) + \frac{\omega}{(n-1)}[g(U, W)g(V, X) - g(U, X)g(V, W)] \quad (3.6)$$

Clearly, by setting $\omega = 0$, it follows from equation (3.6) that

$$' \check{N}^{**}(U, V, W, X) = '\check{N}^*(U, V, W, X), \quad (3.7)$$

Hence, when the scalar function ω becomes zero, it indicates that the two tensor fields, namely the N -projective and generalized N -projective curvature tensor fields, are identical.

Remark 3.1 It is very easy to note that the N -projective curvature tensor field of a Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu manifold relative to the Zamkovoy connection $\tilde{\nabla}$ satisfies the following properties:

1. $'\tilde{N}^*(U, V, W, X) + '\tilde{N}^*(V, U, W, X) = 0$,
2. $'\tilde{N}^*(U, V, W, X) + '\tilde{N}^*(U, V, X, W) = 0$
3. $'\tilde{N}^*(U, V, W, X) = '\tilde{N}^*(W, X, U, V)$

Theorem 3.1 Generalized N -projective curvature tensor N^{**} of a Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu manifold relative to the Zamkovoy connection $\tilde{\nabla}$ is satisfies the following properties:

1. $'\tilde{N}^{**}(U, V, W, X) + '\tilde{N}^{**}(V, U, W, X) = 0$,
2. $'\tilde{N}^{**}(U, V, W, X) + '\tilde{N}^{**}(U, V, X, W) = 0$
3. $'\tilde{N}^{**}(U, V, W, X) = '\tilde{N}^{**}(W, X, U, V)$

Proof:

1) Interchanging the vector fields in first two slots in the equation (3.6) to obtain

$$' \tilde{N}^{**}(V, U, W, X) = '\tilde{N}^*(V, U, W, X) + \frac{\omega}{(n-1)}[g(V, W)g(U, X) - g(V, X)g(U, W)] \quad (3.8)$$

Next, we combine equations (3.6) and (3.8), applying property (I) from remark (3.1) to obtain

$$' \tilde{N}^{**}(U, V, W, X) = -'\tilde{N}^{**}(V, U, W, X)$$

Which provides evidence of the skew symmetry of the generalized N -projective curvature tensor $'\tilde{N}^{**}$ in the first two slots.

2) We now exchange the vector fields in the last two slots of equation (3.6) to yield

$$' \tilde{N}^{**}(U, V, X, W) = '\tilde{N}^*(U, V, X, W) + \frac{\omega}{(n-1)}[g(U, X)g(V, W) - g(U, W)g(V, X)] \quad (3.9)$$

Next, we combine equations (3.6) and (3.9), applying property (II) from remark (3.1) to obtain

$$' \tilde{N}^{**}(U, V, W, X) = -'\tilde{N}^{**}(U, V, X, W)$$

This validates the skew symmetry of the tensor field $'\tilde{N}^{**}$ in the last two slots. **3)** Proceeding further, we interchange U with W and V with L in equation (3.6) to obtain

$$' \tilde{N}^{**}(W, X, U, V) = '\tilde{N}^*(U, V, X, W) + \frac{\omega}{(n-1)}[g(U, X)g(V, W) - g(U, W)g(V, X)] \quad (3.10)$$

Considering property (III) from remark (3.1), the combination of equations (3.6) and (3.10) results in

$$' \tilde{N}^*(U, V, W, X) = '\tilde{N}^*(W, X, U, V)$$

which verifies the symmetry of the tensor field $'\tilde{N}^*$ in the pair of slots.

Theorem 3.2 The generalized N -projective curvature tensor field \tilde{N}^{**} of Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu manifold relative to the Zamkovoy connection satisfies the Bianchi's first identity

$$\tilde{N}^{**}(U, V)W + \tilde{N}^{**}(V, W)U + \tilde{N}^{**}(W, U)V = 0.$$

Proof:

From the equation (3.6), we have

$$\tilde{N}^{**}(U, V)W = \tilde{N}^*(U, V)W + \frac{\omega}{(n-1)}[g(U, W)V - g(V, W)U], \quad (3.11)$$

Rearranging U , V , and W cyclically in the equation above, we formulate the following two equations

$$\tilde{N}^{**}(V, W)U = \tilde{N}^*(V, W)U + \frac{\omega}{(n-1)}[g(V, U)W - g(W, U)V] \quad (3.12)$$

and

$$\tilde{N}^{**}(W, U)V = \tilde{N}^*(W, U)V + \frac{\omega}{(n-1)}[g(W, V)U - g(U, V)W] \quad (3.13)$$

Summing up equations (3.11), (3.12), and (3.13), and utilizing the fact that

$$\tilde{N}^*(U, V)W + \tilde{N}^*(V, W)U + \tilde{N}^*(W, U)V = 0 \quad (3.14)$$

we obtain

$$\tilde{N}^{**}(U, V)W + \tilde{N}^{**}(V, W)U + \tilde{N}^{**}(W, U)V = 0 \quad (3.15)$$

Hence, the theorem holds.

Theorem 3.3 *The generalized N -projective curvature tensor field \tilde{N}^{**} of Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu manifold relative to the Zamkovoy connection satisfies the following identities:*

- a) $\tilde{N}^{**}(U, V)W = [\frac{3\beta^2}{2} + \frac{\omega}{(n-1)}][g(U, W)V - g(V, W)U] + \frac{1}{2(n-1)}[S(U, W)V - S(V, W)U]$
- b) $\tilde{N}^{**}(\xi, V)W = -\tilde{N}^{**}(V, \xi)W = [\frac{\beta^2}{2} + \frac{\omega}{(n-1)}][\eta(W)V - g(V, W)\xi] + \frac{1}{2(n-1)}[\eta(W)QV - S(V, W)U\xi]$
- c) $\tilde{N}^{**}(U, V)\xi = [\frac{\beta^2}{2} + \frac{\omega}{(n-1)}][\eta(U)V - \eta(V)U] + \frac{1}{2(n-1)}[\eta(U)QV - \eta(V)QU]$

Proof-

- a) By performing the inner product operation on equation (3.11) using ξ , we arrive at

$$\eta(\tilde{N}^{**}(U, V)W) = \eta(\tilde{N}^*(U, V)W) + \frac{\omega}{(n-1)}[g(U, W)\eta(V) - g(V, W)\eta(U)]$$

Now, Applying equations (2.6), (2.11), (2.21), (2.23), and (3.1) as described above leads to the desired outcome.

- b) Now, Substituting ξ in place of U within equation (3.11), the expression becomes

$$\tilde{N}^{**}(\xi, V)W = \tilde{N}^*(\xi, V)W + \frac{\omega}{(n-1)}[g(\xi, W)V - g(V, W)\xi]$$

By incorporating equations (2.6), (2.21), (2.23), and (3.1) into the equation provided, we obtain the result.

- c) When W is replaced by ξ in equation (3.11), the resulting expression is

$$\tilde{N}^{**}(U, V)\xi = \tilde{N}^*(U, V)\xi + \frac{\omega}{(n-1)}[g(U, \xi)V - g(V, \xi)U]$$

which, in view of the equations (2.6), (2.21), (2.22) and (3.1), proves the result.

4. Generalized N -projectively Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu Manifold with Zamkovoy connection satisfying $(R(\xi, Y). \tilde{N}^{**}). (U, V)W$

Within this section, we examine Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu Manifolds that are generalized N -projectively semi-symmetric, with respect to the Zamkovoy connection.

Definition 4.1. A para-Kenmotsu manifold is called as semi-symmetric manifold [30] if its curvature tensor satisfies

$$R(U, V).R = 0, \quad (4.1)$$

where the curvature operator $R(U, V)$ is the derivation of the tensor algebra at each point of the manifold.

Analogous to the definition (4.1), we propose the following definition:

Definition 4.2 A para-Kenmotsu manifold is generalized N -projectively semi-symmetric if it satisfies the condition of the form

$$R(U, V) \cdot \tilde{N}^{**} = 0, \quad (4.2)$$

where \tilde{N}^{**} is generalized N -projective curvature tensor of para-Kenmotsu manifold relative to the Zamkovoy connection.

Theorem 4.1 A generalized N -projectively semi-symmetric Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu manifold with respect to the Zamkovoy connection is an η -Einstein manifold.

Proof:

Consider

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

We now assign X as ξ in the above expression to obtain

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

for all $X, Y, U, V, W \in \chi(M)$, which gives

$$R(\xi, Y) \cdot (\tilde{N}^{**}(U, V) \cdot W) - \tilde{N}^{**}(R(\xi, Y) \cdot U, V) \cdot W - \tilde{N}^{**}(U, R(\xi, Y) \cdot V) \cdot W - \tilde{N}^{**}(U, V) \cdot R(\xi, Y) \cdot W = 0 \quad (4.3)$$

As a result of the relation (2.11), the above equation reduces to

$$\begin{aligned} \eta(\tilde{N}^{**}(U, V)W)Y - g(Y, \tilde{N}^{**}(U, V)W)\xi - \eta(U)\tilde{N}^{**}(Y, V)W - \eta(V)\tilde{N}^{**}(U, Y)W - \eta(W)\tilde{N}^{**}(U, V)Y \\ + g(Y, U)\tilde{N}^{**}(\xi, V)W + g(Y, V)\tilde{N}^{**}(U, \xi)W + g(Y, W)\tilde{N}^{**}(U, V)\xi = 0 \end{aligned} \quad (4.4)$$

We then perform the inner product of the above expression with the vector field ξ , applying equations (2.4), (3.6), (3.14), (3.15), and (3.16) to find

$$\begin{aligned} & \eta(\tilde{N}^{**}(U, V, W, Y) - [\frac{3\beta^2}{2} + \frac{\omega}{(n-1)}][g(U, Y)\eta(V)\eta(W) - g(V, Y)\eta(U)\eta(W)] \\ & - \frac{1}{2(n-1)}[S(U, Y)\eta(V)\eta(W) - S(V, Y)\eta(U)\eta(W)] + \frac{\omega}{(n-1)}[g(U, Y)\eta(V)\eta(W) \\ & - g(V, Y)\eta(U)\eta(W)] + \frac{\beta^2}{2}[g(V, W)g(Y, U) - g(U, W)g(Y, V)] \\ & + \frac{1}{2(n-1)}[S(V, W)g(Y, U) - S(U, W)g(Y, V)] + \frac{\omega}{(n-1)}[g(V, W)g(Y, U) - g(U, W)g(Y, V)] = 0 \end{aligned} \quad (4.5)$$

With equations (2.22) and (3.2) taken into account, the equation above becomes

$$\begin{aligned} \eta(\tilde{R}(U, V, W, Y) - \frac{1}{2(n-1)}[\tilde{S}(V, W)g(U, Y) - \tilde{S}(U, W)g(V, Y) + g(V, W)\tilde{S}(U, Y) \\ - g(U, W)\tilde{S}(V, Y)] - [\frac{3\beta^2}{2} + \frac{\omega}{(n-1)}][g(U, Y)\eta(V)\eta(W) - g(V, Y)\eta(U)\eta(W)] \\ - \frac{1}{2(n-1)}[S(U, Y)\eta(V)\eta(W) - S(V, Y)\eta(U)\eta(W)] + \frac{\omega}{(n-1)}[g(U, Y)\eta(V)\eta(W) \\ - g(V, Y)\eta(U)\eta(W)] + \frac{\beta^2}{2}[g(V, W)g(Y, U) - g(U, W)g(Y, V)] \\ + \frac{1}{2(n-1)}[S(V, W)g(Y, U) - S(U, W)g(Y, V)] + \frac{\omega}{(n-1)}[g(V, W)g(Y, U) - g(U, W)g(Y, V)] = 0 \end{aligned} \quad (4.6)$$

Considering $e_i: i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ as an orthonormal basis, we substitute $U = Y = e_i$ into the equation above. By summing over i , we arrive at

$$\omega g(V, W) = (n - 1)\eta(V)\eta(W) \quad (4.7)$$

Now, putting $W = \xi$ in above equation, we get

$$\omega = (1 - n)$$

which justifies the theorem.

5. Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu Manifold with Zamkovoy connection satisfying $\tilde{N}^{**}(U, V).S = 0$

We proceed by considering a Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu Manifold which satisfies the following condition

$$\tilde{N}^{**}(U, V).S = 0 \quad (5.1)$$

for all vector fields U and V .

where, \tilde{N}^{**} is called the generalized N -projective curvature tensor field relative to the Zamkovoy connection.

Theorem 5.1 *A Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu manifold conceding Zamkovoy connection and satisfying the condition $\tilde{N}^{**}(U, V).S = 0$ is either an Einstein manifold or $\omega = \beta^2 \frac{(1-n)}{2}$ on it.*

Proof:

Suppose the Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu manifold satisfies the condition

$$(\tilde{N}^{**}(\xi, X).S)(U, V) = 0 \quad (5.2)$$

This implies

$$S(\tilde{N}^{**}(\xi, X)U, V) + S(U, \tilde{N}^{**}(\xi, X)V) = 0 \quad (5.3)$$

By utilizing the equations (2.14), (2.15) and (3.14) in the above equation, we get

$$A[S(X, V)\eta(U) + S(U, X)\eta(V)] + A(n - 1)\beta^2[g(X, V)\eta(U) + g(X, U)\eta(V)] = 0 \quad (5.4)$$

where, $A = [\frac{\beta^2}{2} + \frac{\omega}{(n-1)}]$

Upon replacing U by ξ in the above equation and making use of equation (2.4), (2.6) and (2.14), we arrive at

$$A[S(X, V) + (n - 1)\beta^2 g(X, V)] = 0 \quad (5.5)$$

This leads us to conclude that either

$$\omega = \beta^2 \frac{(1-n)}{2}$$

or

$$S(X, V) = -(n - 1)\beta^2 g(X, V)$$

This justifies the theorem.

6. A Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu Manifold with Zamkovoy connection satisfying $\phi^2((\nabla_L \tilde{N}^{**})(U, V)W) = 0$

Our focus in this section turns to locally N -projectively ϕ -symmetric manifold, considering them in the context of the Zamkovoy connection. The notion of local ϕ -symmetry for Sasakian manifolds was introduced by Takahashi [31].

Definition 6.1. A Riemannian manifold is known to be locally ϕ -symmetric if

$$\phi^2((\nabla_L \tilde{R})(U, V)W) = 0 \quad (6.1)$$

for vector fields U, V and W and L orthogonal to ξ .

Analogous to the conditions (6.1), we consider a Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu manifold satisfying

$$\phi^2((\nabla_L \tilde{N}^{**})(U, V)W) = 0 \quad (6.2)$$

for arbitrary vector fields U, V, W, L and call it as a N -projectively ϕ -symmetric manifold.

Theorem 6.1 *A Lorentzian β -Kenmotsu manifold conceding Zamkovoy connection satifying $\phi^2((\nabla_L \tilde{N}^{**})(U, V)W) = 0$ is an Einstein manifold.*

Proof:

Taking covariant derivative of equation (3.11) with respect to L gives us

$$(\nabla_L \tilde{N}^{**})(U, V)W = (\nabla_L \tilde{N}^*)(U, V)W + \frac{dr(\omega)}{(n-1)}[g(U, W)V - g(V, W)U] \quad (6.3)$$

Now, substituting equation (3.3) in the above equation, we arrive at

$$\begin{aligned} (\nabla_L \tilde{N}^{**})(U, V)W &= (\nabla_L \tilde{R})(U, V)W + \frac{dr(\omega)}{(n-1)}[g(U, W)V - g(V, W)U] \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{(2n-1)}[(\nabla_L \tilde{S})(V, W)U - (\nabla_L \tilde{S})(U, W)V] \\ &\quad + [g(V, W)(\nabla_L \tilde{Q})U - g(U, W)(\nabla_L \tilde{Q})V] \end{aligned} \quad (6.4)$$

As we know,

$$\phi^2((\nabla_L \tilde{N}^{**})(U, V, W)) = 0 \quad (6.5)$$

Using equation (2.1) in above equation (6.5), we get

$$(\nabla_L \tilde{N}^{**})(U, V)W = \eta((\nabla_L \tilde{N}^{**})(U, V)W)\xi \quad (6.6)$$

Now, use of the equation (6.4) in the above equation (6.6), provides

$$\begin{aligned} &(\nabla_L \tilde{R})(U, V)W + \frac{dr(\omega)}{(n-1)}[g(U, W)V - g(V, W)U] - \frac{1}{(2n-1)}[(\nabla_L \tilde{S})(V, W)U - (\nabla_L \tilde{S})(U, W)V] \\ &+ [g(V, W)(\nabla_L \tilde{Q})U - g(U, W)(\nabla_L \tilde{Q})V] = \eta((\nabla_L \tilde{R})(U, V)W)\xi + \frac{dr(\omega)}{(n-1)}[g(U, W)\eta(V) - g(V, W)\eta(U)]\xi \\ &- \frac{1}{(2n-1)}[(\nabla_L \tilde{S})(V, W)\eta(U) - (\nabla_L \tilde{S})(U, W)\eta(V)]\xi + [g(V, W)\eta((\nabla_L \tilde{Q})U) - g(U, W)\eta((\nabla_L \tilde{Q})V)]\xi \end{aligned}$$

Taking inner product of the above equation with the vector field X , we get

$$\begin{aligned} &g((\nabla_L \tilde{R})(U, V)W, X) + \frac{dr(\omega)}{(n-1)}[g(U, W)g(V, X) - g(V, W)g(U, X)] \\ &- \frac{1}{(2n-1)}[(\nabla_L \tilde{S})(V, W)g(U, X) - (\nabla_L \tilde{S})(U, W)g(V, X)] \\ &+ [g(V, W)g((\nabla_L \tilde{Q})U, X) - g(U, W)g((\nabla_L \tilde{Q})V, X)] \\ &= \eta((\nabla_L \tilde{R})(U, V)W)\eta(X) + \frac{dr(\omega)}{(n-1)}[g(U, W)\eta(V) - g(V, W)\eta(U)]\eta(X) \\ &- \frac{1}{(2n-1)}[(\nabla_L \tilde{S})(V, W)\eta(U) - (\nabla_L \tilde{S})(U, W)\eta(V)]\eta(X) \\ &+ [g(V, W)\eta((\nabla_L \tilde{Q})U) - g(U, W)\eta((\nabla_L \tilde{Q})V)]\eta(X) \end{aligned} \quad (6.7)$$

Upon replacing U and X by e_i in the equation above and summing over i from 1 to n , we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} -dr\omega g(V, W) - \frac{1}{2}(\nabla_L \check{S})(V, W) - \frac{1}{(2n-1)}[g(\nabla_L \check{Q})e_i, e_i]g(V, W) - \\ g((\nabla_L \check{Q})Y, e_i)g(e_i, W)] = -\eta((\nabla_L \check{R})(e_i, V, W))\eta(e_i) - \frac{dr\omega}{(n-1)}[\eta(W)\eta(V) \\ + g(V, W)] - \frac{1}{2(n-1)}[(\nabla_L \check{S})(V, W) + (\nabla_L \check{S})(e_i, W)\eta(W)\eta(e_i) \\ - g(V, W)\eta((\nabla_L \check{Q})e_i)\eta(e_i) + \eta((\nabla_L \check{Q})Y)\eta(W)] \end{aligned} \quad (6.8)$$

If we take $W = \xi$ in the preceding equation, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \eta(V)dr\omega + \frac{(n-2)}{2(n-1)}(\nabla_L \check{S})(V, \xi) + \frac{1}{2(n-1)}[dr(\check{L})\eta(V)] \\ - \eta((\nabla_L \check{R})(e_i, V, \xi))\eta(e_i) + \frac{1}{2(n-1)}[(\nabla_L \check{S})(e_i, \xi)\eta(e_i) \\ + \eta(V)\eta((\nabla_L \check{Q})e_i)\eta(e_i)] = 0 \end{aligned} \quad (6.9)$$

We know,

$$\eta((\nabla_L \check{R})(e_i, V)\xi)\eta(e_i) = g((\nabla_L \check{R})(e_i, V)\xi, \xi)g(e_i, \xi) \quad (6.10)$$

Also,

$$\begin{aligned} g((\nabla_L \check{R})(e_i, V)\xi, \xi) = g(\nabla_L \check{R}(e_i, V)\xi, \xi) - g(\check{R}(\nabla_L e_i, V)\xi, \xi) \\ - g(\check{R}(e_i, \nabla_L V)\xi, \xi) - g(\check{R}(e_i, V)\nabla_L \xi, \xi) \end{aligned} \quad (6.11)$$

Since e_i is an orthonormal basis. So, $\nabla_L e_i = 0$.

Thus, from equation (2.11), we get

$$g(\check{R}(e_i, \nabla_L V)\xi, \xi) = 0 \quad (6.12)$$

Again, As we know that

$$g(\check{R}(e_i, V)\xi, \xi) + g(\check{R}(\xi, \xi)V, e_i) = 0 \quad (6.13)$$

Therefore, we have

$$g(\nabla_L \check{R}(e_i, V)\xi, \xi) + g(\check{R}(e_i, V)\xi, \nabla_L \xi) = 0 \quad (6.14)$$

Making use of above equation (6.14) in the equation (6.11), we obtain

$$g((\nabla_L \check{R})(e_i, V)\xi, \xi) = 0 \quad (6.15)$$

Also, we know that,

$$\eta((\nabla_L \check{Q})e_i)\eta(e_i) = g(((\nabla_L \check{Q})e_i), \xi)g(e_i, \xi) \quad (6.16)$$

Using the equations (2.8) and (2.14) in above equation, we get

$$\eta((\nabla_L \check{Q})e_i)\eta(e_i) = 0 \quad (6.17)$$

Considering equations (6.12) and (6.13), equation (6.10) results in

$$(\nabla_L \check{S})(V, \xi) = -\frac{1}{2(n-2)}dr\check{L}\eta(V) - \frac{(n-1)}{(n-2)}dr\omega \quad (6.18)$$

We now substitute V with ξ in the above expression and apply equations (2.9) and (2.15), resulting in

$$dr(\omega) = -\frac{dr\mathbb{L}}{2(n-1)} \quad (6.19)$$

which shows that r is constant.

Since,

$$(\nabla_L \check{S})(V, \xi) = \nabla_L \check{S}(V, \xi) - \check{S}(\nabla_L V, \xi) - S(V, \nabla_L \xi) \quad (6.20)$$

Applying equations (2.8), (2.9), and (2.14) to the expression above, we deduce that

$$(\nabla_L \check{S})(V, \xi) = \beta \check{S}(V, L) \quad (6.21)$$

therefore, from equations (6.14), (6.15) and (6.16), we obtain

$$S(V, L) = -\beta^2(n-1)g(V, L). \quad (6.22)$$

This proves the theorem.

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