

IRROTATIONAL τ -CURVATURE TENSOR IN S-MANIFOLDS

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Abstract

In the present paper, we study the irrotational τ -curvature tensor in s-manifolds, where τ -curvature tensor is a generalization of quasi-conformal, conformal, conharmonic, concircular, pseudo-projective, projective, M-projective, W_0 , W_0^ , W_1 , W_1^* , W_2 , W_3 , W_4 , W_5 , W_6 , W_7 , W_8 , W_9 curvature tensors.*

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1. INTRODUCTION

The notion of f -structure on a $(2n+s)$ -dimensional manifold M , i.e., a tensor field of type (1,1) on M of rank $2n$ satisfying $f^3 + f = 0$, was firstly introduced in 1963 by K. Yano [13] as a generalization of both (almost) contact (for $s=1$) and (almost) complex structures (for $s=0$). During the subsequent years, this notion has been furtherly developed by several authors [4], [5], [7], [8], [9], [10], [11]. Among them, H. Nakagawa in [10] and [11] introduced the notion of framed f -manifold, later developed and studied by S.I. Goldberg and K. Yano ([7], [8]) and others with the denomination of globally framed f -manifolds.

The authors C.S.Bagewadi and N.B.Gatti [1], [6], C.S.Bagewadi, E.Gireesh Kumar and Venkatesha [2] have studied irrotational projective curvature, quasi-conformal curvature tensor and D-conformal curvature tensor in K-Contact, Kenmotsu and Trans-Sasakian manifolds and they have shown that these manifolds are Einstein and also studied some properties like flatness and space of

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constant curvature. Further the authors C.S.Bagewadi, Gurupadavva Ingalahalli and K.T.Pradeepkumar [3] extended the notion to C-Bochner curvature tensor for K-Contact and Kenmotsu manifolds and they have proved that these manifolds are η -Einstein.

Motivated by the above work, we study the irrotational τ -curvature tensor in s -manifolds and we derive the result for the particular cases of τ . Further we discuss about Ricci soliton.

2. PRELIMINARIES

Let M be a $(2n+s)$ -dimensional manifold with an f -structure of rank $2n$. If there exists global vector fields $\xi_\alpha, \alpha = (1, 2, 3, \dots, s)$ on M such that;

$$f^2 = -I + \sum \xi_\alpha \otimes \eta_\alpha, \quad \eta_\alpha(\xi_\beta) = \delta_\beta^\alpha, \quad (2.1)$$

$$f\xi_\alpha = 0, \quad \eta_\alpha \circ f = 0, \quad (2.2)$$

$$g(X, \xi_\alpha) = \eta_\alpha(X), \quad g(X, fY) = -g(fX, Y), \quad (2.3)$$

where, η_α are the dual 1-forms of ξ_α , we say that the f -structure has complemented frames. For such a manifold there exists a Riemannian metric g such that

$$g(X, Y) = g(fX, fY) + \sum \eta_\alpha(X)\eta_\alpha(Y) \quad (2.4)$$

for any vector fields X and Y on M .

An f -structure f is normal, if it has complemented frames and

$$[f, f] + 2 \sum \xi_\alpha \otimes d\eta_\alpha = 0,$$

where, $[f, f]$ is Nijenhuis torsion of f .

Let F be the fundamental 2-form defined by $F(X, Y) = g(X, fY)$, $X, Y \in T(M)$. A normal f -structure for which the fundamental form F is closed, $\eta_1 \wedge \dots \wedge (d\eta_\alpha)^n \neq 0$ for any α , and $d\eta_1 = \dots = d\eta_s = F$ is called to be an s -structure. A smooth manifold endowed with an s -structure will be called an s -manifold. These manifolds introduced by Blair [4].

We have to remark that if we take $s = 1$, s -manifolds are natural generalizations of Sasakian manifolds. In the case $s \geq 2$ some interesting examples are given.

If M is an S -manifold, then the following relations holds true;

$$\nabla_X \xi_\alpha = -fX, \quad X \in T(M), \alpha = 1, 2, \dots, s \quad (2.5)$$

$$(\nabla_X \eta)(Y) = -g(fX, Y), \quad (2.6)$$

$$(\nabla_X f)Y = \sum \{ g(fX, fY)\xi_\alpha + \eta_\alpha(Y)f^2X \}, \quad X, Y \in T(M), \quad (2.7)$$

where, ∇ is the Riemannian connection of g . Let Ω be the distribution determined by the projection tensor f^2 and let N be the complementary distribution which is determined by $f^2 + I$ and spanned by ξ_1, \dots, ξ_s . It is clear that if $X \in \Omega$ then $\eta_\alpha(X) = 0$ for any α , and if $X \in N$, then $fX = 0$. A plane section π on M is called an invariant f -section if it is determined by a vector $X \in \Omega(x), x \in M$, such that $\{X, fX\}$ is an orthonormal pair spanning the section. The sectional curvature of π is called the f -sectional curvature. If M is an s -manifold of constant f -sectional curvature k , then its curvature tensor has the form

$$\begin{aligned} R(X, Y, Z, W) &= \sum_{\alpha, \beta} \{ g(fX, fW)\eta_\alpha(Y)\eta_\beta(Z) - g(fX, fZ)\eta_\alpha(Y)\eta_\beta(W) \\ &\quad + g(fY, fZ)\eta_\alpha(X)\eta_\beta(W) - g(fY, fW)\eta_\alpha(X)\eta_\beta(Z) \} \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{4}(k+3s)\{ g(fX, fW)g(fY, fZ) - g(fX, fZ)g(fY, fW) \} \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{4}(k-s)\{ F(X, W)F(Y, Z) - F(X, Z)F(Y, W) \\ &\quad - 2F(X, Y)F(Z, W) \}, \end{aligned} \quad (2.8)$$

where, $X, Y, Z, W \in T(M)$. Such a manifold $N(K)$ will be called an s -space form. The Euclidean space E^{2n+s} and the hyperbolic space H^{2n+s} are examples of s -space forms.

Definition 1: *s*-manifold $(M, f, \eta_\alpha, g, \xi_\alpha)$ is said to be η -Einstein if the Ricci tensor S of M is of the form

$$S = ag + b \sum_{\alpha=1}^s \eta_\alpha \otimes \eta_\alpha,$$

where, a, b are constants on M .

Now contracting equation (2.8) we get

$$S(Y, Z) = b_1 g(Y, Z) + b_2 \eta_\alpha(Y) \eta_\alpha(Z), \quad (2.9)$$

$$S(Y, \xi_\alpha) = b_3 \eta_\alpha(Y). \quad (2.10)$$

where,

$$\begin{aligned} b_1 &= \left[\frac{4s + (k+3s)(2n-1) + 3(k-s)}{4} \right], \\ b_2 &= \left[\frac{(2n+s-2)(4-k-3s) - 3(k-s)}{4} \right], \\ b_3 &= \left[\frac{s^2(13-6n-k-3s) + 2s(7n-5) + k(2-s) + 2nk(1-s)}{4} \right]. \end{aligned}$$

From (2.8) we have

$$R(X, Y) \xi_\alpha = s \sum_{\alpha} \{\eta_\alpha(Y)X - \eta_\alpha(X)Y\}, \quad (2.11)$$

$$R(\xi_\alpha, Y)Z = s \sum_{\alpha} \{g(Y, Z)\xi_\alpha - \eta_\alpha(Z)Y\}, \quad (2.12)$$

$$\eta_\alpha(R(X, Y)Z) = s \sum_{\alpha} \{g(Y, Z)\eta_\alpha(X) - g(X, Z)\eta_\alpha(Y)\}. \quad (2.13)$$

In a $(2n+1)$ -dimensional Riemannian manifold M , the τ -curvature tensor [12] is given by

$$\begin{aligned} \tau(X, Y)Z &= a_0 R(X, Y)Z + a_1 S(Y, Z)X + a_2 S(X, Z)Y + a_3 S(X, Y)Z \\ &\quad + a_4 g(Y, Z)QX + a_5 g(X, Z)QY + a_6 g(X, Y)QZ \\ &\quad + a_7 r[g(Y, Z)X - g(X, Z)Y]. \end{aligned} \quad (2.14)$$

where, R , S , Q and r are the curvature tensor, the Ricci tensor, the Ricci operator and the scalar curvature, respectively.

In particular, the τ -curvature tensor is reduced to be

1. the quasi-conformal curvature tensor C_* if

$$a_1 = -a_2 = a_4 = -a_5; a_3 = a_6 = 0; a_7 = -\frac{1}{2n+1} \left(\frac{a_0}{2n} + 2a_1 \right);$$

2. the conformal curvature tensor C if

$$a_0 = 1; a_1 = -a_2 = a_4 = -a_5 = -\frac{1}{2n-1}; a_3 = a_6 = 0; a_7 = \frac{1}{2n(2n-1)};$$

3. the conharmonic curvature tensor L if

$$a_0 = 1; a_1 = -a_2 = a_4 = -a_5 = -\frac{1}{2n-1}; a_3 = a_6 = 0; a_7 = 0;$$

4. the concircular curvature tensor V if

$$a_0 = 1; a_1 = a_2 = a_3 = a_4 = a_5 = a_6 = 0; a_7 = \frac{-1}{2n(2n+1)};$$

5. the pseudo-projective curvature tensor P_* if

$$a_1 = -a_2; a_3 = a_4 = a_5 = a_6 = 0; a_7 = -\frac{1}{2n+1} \left(\frac{a_0}{2n} + a_1 \right);$$

6. the projective curvature tensor P if

$$a_0 = 1; a_1 = -a_2 = -\frac{1}{2n}; a_3 = a_4 = a_5 = a_6 = 0 = a_7 = 0;$$

7. the M -projective curvature tensor if

$$a_0 = 1; a_1 = -a_2 = a_4 = -a_5 = -\frac{1}{4n}; a_3 = a_6 = a_7 = 0;$$

8. the W_0 -curvature tensor if

$$a_0 = 1; a_1 = -a_5 = -\frac{1}{2n}; a_2 = a_3 = a_4 = a_6 = a_7 = 0;$$

9. the W_0^* -curvature tensor if

$$a_0 = 1; a_1 = -a_5 = \frac{1}{2n}; a_2 = a_3 = a_4 = a_6 = a_7 = 0;$$

10. the W_1 -curvature tensor if

$$a_0 = 1; a_1 = -a_2 = \frac{1}{2n}; a_3 = a_4 = a_5 = a_6 = a_7 = 0;$$

11. the W_1^* -curvature tensor if

$$a_0 = 1; a_1 = -a_2 = -\frac{1}{2n}; a_3 = a_4 = a_5 = a_6 = a_7 = 0;$$

12. the W_2 -curvature tensor if

$$a_0 = 1; a_4 = -a_5 = -\frac{1}{2n}; a_1 = a_2 = a_3 = a_6 = a_7 = 0;$$

13. the W_3 -curvature tensor if

$$a_0 = 1; a_2 = -a_4 = -\frac{1}{2n}; a_1 = a_3 = a_5 = a_6 = a_7 = 0;$$

14. the W_4 -curvature tensor if

$$a_0 = 1; a_5 = -a_6 = \frac{1}{2n}; a_1 = a_2 = a_3 = a_4 = a_7 = 0;$$

15. the W_5 -curvature tensor if

$$a_0 = 1; a_2 = -a_5 = -\frac{1}{2n}; a_1 = a_3 = a_4 = a_6 = a_7 = 0;$$

16. the W_6 -curvature tensor if

$$a_0 = 1; a_1 = -a_6 = -\frac{1}{2n}; a_2 = a_3 = a_4 = a_5 = a_7 = 0;$$

17. the W_7 -curvature tensor if

$$a_0 = 1; a_1 = -a_4 = -\frac{1}{2n}; a_2 = a_3 = a_5 = a_6 = a_7 = 0;$$

18. the W_8 -curvature tensor if

$$a_0 = 1; a_1 = -a_3 = -\frac{1}{2n}; a_2 = a_4 = a_5 = a_6 = a_7 = 0;$$

19. the W_9 -curvature tensor if

$$a_0 = 1; a_3 = -a_4 = \frac{1}{2n}; a_1 = a_2 = a_5 = a_6 = a_7 = 0;$$

Definition 2: The rotation (curl) of τ -curvature tensor on a Riemannian manifold is given by

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Rot}\tau &= (\nabla_U \tau)(X, Y, Z) + (\nabla_X \tau)(U, Y, Z) + (\nabla_Y \tau)(U, X, Z) \\ &\quad - (\nabla_Z \tau)(X, Y, U). \end{aligned} \quad (2.15)$$

By virtue of second Bianchi identity

$$(\nabla_U \tau)(X, Y, Z) + (\nabla_X \tau)(U, Y, Z) + (\nabla_Y \tau)(U, X, Z) = 0. \quad (2.16)$$

Equation (2.15) reduces to

$$\text{curl}\tau = -(\nabla_Z \tau)(X, Y, U). \quad (2.17)$$

If the τ -curvature tensor is irrotational then $\text{curl}\tau = 0$ and by (2.17) we have

$$(\nabla_Z \tau)(X, Y)U = 0. \quad (2.18)$$

Which implies,

$$\nabla_Z \{\tau(X, Y)U\} = \tau(\nabla_Z X, Y)U + \tau(X, \nabla_Z Y)U + \tau(X, Y)\nabla_Z U. \quad (2.19)$$

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

$$\nabla_Z \{\tau(X, Y)\xi\} = \tau(\nabla_Z X, Y)\xi + \tau(X, \nabla_Z Y)\xi + \tau(X, Y)\nabla_Z \xi. \quad (2.20)$$

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Put $Z = \xi$ in (2.14) and using (2.9), (2.10) and (2.11) we get,

$$\tau(X, Y)\xi = k_1\eta(Y)X + k_2\eta(X)Y + k_3g(X, Y)\xi + k_4\eta(X)\eta(Y)\xi, \quad (3.1)$$

where, $k_1 = a_0s + a_1b_3 + a_4b_3 + a_7r$, $k_2 = -a_0s + a_2b_3 + a_5b_3 - a_7r$,

$$k_3 = a_3b_1 + a_6b_3, \quad k_4 = a_3b_2$$

Theorem 1: If the τ -curvature tensor in s -manifold is irrotational, then the manifold is η -Einstein.

Proof: Using equation (3.1) in (2.20) we get

$$\begin{aligned} -\tau(X, Y)fZ &= k_1(\nabla_Z\eta)(Y)X + k_2(\nabla_Z\eta)(X)Y + k_3g(X, Y)(-fX) \\ &\quad + k_4\{(\nabla_Z\eta)(X)\eta(Y)\xi + (\nabla_Z\eta)(Y)\eta(X)\xi - \eta(X)\eta(Y)\xi\}. \end{aligned} \quad (3.2)$$

By virtue of (2.5) in (3.2) we have

$$\begin{aligned} -\tau(X, Y)fZ &= -k_1g(fZ, Y)X - k_2g(fZ, X)Y - k_3g(X, Y)fZ \\ &\quad + k_4\{-g(fZ, X)\eta(Y)\xi - g(fZ, Y)\eta(X)\xi - \eta(X)\eta(Y)fZ\} \end{aligned} \quad (3.3)$$

Replace Z by fZ in (3.3) and using (2.1) we have

$$\begin{aligned} \tau(X, Y)Z &= k_1g(Y, Z)X + k_2g(X, Z)Y + k_3g(X, Y)Z \\ &\quad + k_4\{g(X, Z)\eta(Y)\xi + g(Y, Z)\eta(X)\xi + \eta(X)\eta(Y)Z\} \end{aligned} \quad (3.4)$$

Using (2.14) and (3.4) we can write

$$\begin{aligned} a_0R(X, Y, Z, W) &= k_1g(Y, Z)g(X, W) + k_2g(X, Z)g(Y, W) \\ &\quad + k_3g(X, Y)g(Z, W) + k_4\{g(X, Z)\eta(Y)\eta(W) + g(Y, Z)\eta(X)\eta(W) \\ &\quad + \eta(X)\eta(Y)g(Z, W)\} - a_1S(Y, Z)g(X, W) - a_2S(X, Z)g(Y, W) \\ &\quad - a_3S(X, Y)g(Z, W) - a_4g(Y, Z)g(QX, W) - a_5g(X, Z)g(QY, W) \\ &\quad - a_6g(X, Y)g(QZ, W) + a_7[r[g(Y, Z)g(X, W) - g(X, Z)g(Y, W)]]. \end{aligned} \quad (3.5)$$

Let $e_i, i = 1, 2, \dots, (2n+s)$ be an orthonormal basis of the tangent space.

Then summing for $1 \leq i \leq (2n+s)$ of the relation (3.5) with $X = W = e_i$ yields the Ricci tensor S is given by

$$S(Y, Z) = Ag(X, Y) + B\eta_\alpha(X)\eta_\alpha(Y). \quad (3.6)$$

$$\text{where, } A = \frac{(2n+s)k_1 + k_2 + k_3 + k_4 - (2n+s-1)ra_7 - ra_4}{a_0 + (2n+s)a_1 + a_2 + a_3 + a_5 + a_6},$$

$$B = \frac{2k_4}{a_0 + (2n+s)a_1 + a_2 + a_3 + a_5 + a_6}.$$

The above theorem 3.1 is shown in tabular form for different curvatures which can be obtained independently for s manifold.

| <i>Curvature tensor</i> | <i>Manifold</i> | <i>Ricci tensor S</i> |
|------------------------------------|-----------------|--|
| Quasi conformal curvature tensor | Einstein | $S = \left\{ \frac{(2n+s-1)(a_0s+2a_1b_3)-a_1r}{a_0+(2n+s-1)a_1} \right\} g$ |
| Conformal curvature tensor | Einstein | $S = \left(\frac{2n-1}{1-s} \right) \left\{ (2n+s-1) \left(s - \frac{2b_3}{2n-1} + \frac{r}{2n(2n-1)} \right) \right. \\ \left. + \frac{r}{2n(2n-1)} \right\} g$ |
| Conharmonic curvature tensor | Einstein | $S = \left(\frac{2n-1}{1-s} \right) \left\{ (2n+s-1) \left(s - \frac{2b_3}{2n-1} \right) + \frac{r}{2n-1} \right\} g$ |
| Concircular curvature tensor | Einstein | $S = s(2n+s-1)g$ |
| Projective curvature tensor | Einstein | $S = \left\{ \frac{2n(2n+s-1)}{(1-s)} \right\} \left(s - \frac{b_3}{2n} \right) g$ |
| Pseudo projective curvature tensor | Einstein | $S = \left\{ \frac{(2n+s-1)(a_0s+a_1b_3)}{a_0+(2n+s-1)a_1} \right\} g$ |
| M -projective curvature tensor | Einstein | $S = \left(\frac{4n}{2n-s+2} \right) \left\{ (2n+s-1) \left(s - \frac{b_3}{2n} \right) + \frac{r}{4n} \right\} g$ |
| W_0 -curvature tensor | Einstein | $S = \left(\frac{2n(2n+s-1)}{(1-s)} \right) \left(s - \frac{b_3}{2n} \right) g$ |
| W_0^* -curvature tensor | Einstein | $S = \left(\frac{2n(2n+s-1)}{(4n+s-1)} \right) \left(s + \frac{b_3}{2n} \right) g$ |
| W_1 -curvature tensor | Einstein | $S = \left(\frac{2n(2n+s-1)}{(4n+s-1)} \right) \left(s + \frac{b_3}{2n} \right) g$ |
| W_1^* -curvature tensor | Einstein | $S = \left(\frac{2n(2n+s-1)}{(1-s)} \right) \left(s - \frac{b_3}{2n} \right) g$ |
| W_2 -curvature tensor | Einstein | $S = \left(\frac{2n(2n+s-1)}{(2n+1)} \right) \left(s - \frac{b_3}{2n} \right) g$ |
| W_3 -curvature tensor | Einstein | $S = \left(\frac{2n}{2n-1} \right) \left\{ (2n+s-1) \left(s + \frac{b_3}{2n} \right) - \frac{r}{2n} \right\} g$ |
| W_4 -curvature tensor | Einstein | $S = s(2n+s-1)g$ |

| <i>Curvature tensor</i> | <i>Manifold</i> | <i>Ricci tensor S</i> |
|-------------------------|------------------|---|
| W_5 -curvature tensor | Einstein | $S = s(2n+s-1)g$ |
| W_6 -curvature tensor | Einstein | $S = \left\{ \frac{2n(2n+s-1)}{1-s} \right\} \left(s - \frac{b_3}{2n} \right) g$ |
| W_7 -curvature tensor | Einstein | $S = -\left(\frac{2n}{s} \right) \left\{ (2n+s) \left(s - \frac{b_3}{2n} \right) - s - \frac{r}{2n} \right\} g$ |
| W_8 -curvature tensor | η -Einstein | $S = \left\{ \frac{2n}{1-s} \right\} \left\{ (2n+s) \left(s - \frac{b_3}{2n} \right) - s + \frac{b_1}{2n} - \frac{b_2}{2n} \right\} g$ $+ \sum_{\alpha} \left(\frac{2b_2}{1-s} \right) \eta_{\alpha} \otimes \eta_{\alpha}$ |
| W_9 -curvature tensor | η -Einstein | $S = \left\{ \frac{2n}{2n+1} \right\} \left\{ (2n+s) \left(s - \frac{b_3}{2n} \right) - s + \frac{b_1}{2n} + \frac{b_2}{2n} + \frac{r}{2n} \right\} g$ $+ \sum_{\alpha} \left(\frac{2b_2}{2n+1} \right) \eta_{\alpha} \otimes \eta_{\alpha}$ |

4. RICCI SOLITON IN IRROTATIONAL τ -CURVATURE TENSOR IN s -MANIFOLDS

Definition 3: A Ricci soliton is a natural generalization of an Einstein metric and is defined on a Riemannian manifold (M, g) . A Ricci soliton is a triple (g, V, λ) with g is a Riemannian metric, V is a vector field and λ is a real scalar such that

$$(L_V g)(X, Y) + 2S(X, Y) + 2\lambda g(X, Y) = 0. \quad (4.1)$$

where, S is a Ricci tensor of M and L_V denotes the Lie derivative operator along the vector field V . The Ricci soliton is said to be shrinking, steady and expanding according as λ is negative, zero and positive respectively.

If V is co-linear with ξ , then Ricci soliton along ξ is given by

$$(L_{\xi} g)(X, Y) + 2S(X, Y) + 2\lambda g(X, Y) = 0$$

Definition 4: Let $(f, \xi_1, \xi_2, \dots, \xi_s, \eta_1, \eta_2, \dots, \eta_s, g)$ is the contact s -frame manifold, if V is in the linear span (combination) of $\xi_1, \xi_2, \dots, \xi_s$ then $V = c_1 \xi_1 + c_2 \xi_2 + \dots + c_s \xi_s$ and the Ricci soliton is a triple $(g, \xi_{\alpha}, \lambda)$ with

g is a Riemannian metric, ξ_α , ($\alpha = 1, 2, \dots, s$) is a vector field and λ is a real scalar such that

$$\left(\sum_{i=1}^s c_i L_{\xi_i} g \right)(X, Y) + 2S(X, Y) + 2\lambda g(X, Y) = 0. \quad (4.2)$$

From (4.2) we have

$$c_i g(\nabla_X \xi_\alpha, Y) + c_i g(\nabla_Y \xi_\alpha, X) + 2S(X, Y) + 2\lambda g(X, Y) = 0. \quad (4.3)$$

Using (2.5) in (4.3) we get

$$c_i g(-fX, Y) + c_i g(-fY, X) + 2S(X, Y) + 2\lambda g(X, Y) = 0. \quad (4.4)$$

From (3.6) and (4.4) we have

$$(A + \lambda)g(X, Y) + B\eta_\alpha(X)\eta_\alpha(Y) = 0. \quad (4.5)$$

Taking $X = Y = e_i$ in (4.5) and summing over $i = 1, 2, \dots, 2n + s$, we get the value of λ

$$\lambda = -\left(A + \frac{B}{2n+s} \right) \quad (4.6)$$

thus we state the following theorem

Theorem 2: *The Ricci soliton in irrotational τ -curvature tensor in s manifolds is*

1. shrinking if $A, B > 0$
2. steady if $A, B = 0$
3. expanding if $A, B < 0$.

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