

CR-SUBMANIFOLDS OF A TRANS-SASAKIAN MANIFOLD - II

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¹In this paper the author studies CR-submanifolds of a trans-Sasakian manifold which generalizes both α -Sasakian and β -Kenmotsu structure.

It was in 1978 that A. Bejancu introduced the notion of CR-Submanifold of a Kaehler manifold¹. Since then a number of authors extensively studied these Submanifolds⁴⁻⁶ etc. On the other hand CR-Submanifolds of a Sasakian manifold have been studied by Kobayashi¹³, Yano and Kon¹⁶, Pak¹⁵ and the present author⁹. Moreover, CR-Submanifolds of a Kenmotsu manifold have been studied by Papaghuic³. More general, one has the notion of α -Sasakian structure and β -Kenmotsu structure¹¹. Oubina¹⁴ introduced a new class of almost contact Riemannian manifold known as trans-Sasakian manifold.

The purpose of this paper is to study CR-Submanifolds of a trans-Sasakian manifold which generalizes both α -Sasakian and β -Kenmotsu structure. This paper is in continuation to the author's earlier paper¹⁰.

1. PRELIMINARIES

Let \bar{M} be a $(2m + 1)$ -dimensional almost contact metric manifold with structure tensors (ϕ, ξ, η, g) . Then they satisfy⁵.

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

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

where X, Y are vector fields on \bar{M} .

An almost contact metric structure (ϕ, ξ, η, g) on \bar{M} is called trans-Sasakian¹⁴.

$$(\bar{\nabla}_X \phi)(Y) = \alpha \{g(X, Y)\xi - \eta(Y)X\} + \beta \{g(\phi X, Y)\xi - \eta(Y)\phi X\} \quad \dots (1.3.)$$

for α and β non zero constant and we say that the trans-Sasakian structure is of

type (α, β) . In particular it is normal. From the above formula one easily obtain

$$\bar{\nabla}_\mu \xi = -\alpha\phi X + \beta \{X - \eta(X)\xi\}. \quad \dots (1.4)$$

Let M be a n -dimensional isometrically immersed submanifold of \bar{M} and tangent to ξ . Let g be the metric tensor field on \bar{M} as well as the induced metric on M . We denote by $\bar{\nabla}$ the covariant differentiation in \bar{M} and by ∇ the covariant differentiation in M determined by the induced metric. Let $T(\bar{M})$ (resp. $T(M)$) be the Lie-Algebra of vector fields in \bar{M} (resp. in M) and $T^\perp M$ the set of all vector fields normal to M .

The Gauss-Weingarten formulas are given by :

$$\bar{\nabla}_X Y = \nabla_X Y + h(X, Y); \quad \bar{\nabla}_X N = -A_N X + \nabla_X N \quad \dots (1.5)$$

$X, Y \in T(M), N \in T^\perp(M)$ where $\bar{\nabla}$ is the connection in the normal bundle, h is the second fundamental form of M , A_N the Weingarten endomorphism associated with N satisfying

$$g(A_N X, Y) = g(h(X, Y), N). \quad \dots (1.6)$$

Definitions — An n -dimensional Riemannian submanifold M of a trans-Sasakian manifold \bar{M} is called a *CR-submanifold* if ξ is tangent to M and there exists on M a differentiable distribution $D: x \rightarrow D_x \subset T_x M$ satisfying the following conditions :

- (i) D_x is invariant under ϕ i.e. $\phi D_x \subset D_x$ for each $x \in M$
- (ii) the complementary orthogonal distribution

$D : x \rightarrow D_x^\perp \subset T_x M$ is totally real under ϕ i.e. $\phi D_x^\perp \subset T_x^\perp M$ for each $x \in M$.

If $\dim D_x = 0$ (resp. $\dim D_x = 0$) then the *CR-submanifold* is called an invariant (resp. totally real) submanifold. A *CR-Submanifold* is called a proper *CR-submanifold* if it is neither invariant nor totally real. The pair (D, D^\perp) is called ξ -horizontal (ξ -vertical) if $\xi_x \in D_x$ (resp. $\xi_x \in D_x^\perp$) for each $x \in M$ (Kobayashi¹³).

For a vector field X tangent to M , we put

$$\phi X = PX + FX \quad \dots (1.7)$$

where PX and FX are the tangential and the normal component of ϕX respectively. Then P is an endomorphism of the tangent bundle TM and F is a normal-bundle valued 1-form on TM .

Also, for a vector field N normal to M , we put

$$\phi N = tN + fN \quad \dots (1.8)$$

where tN (resp. fN) denotes the tangential (resp. normal) component of ϕN . Then f is an endomorphism of TM and t is a tangent-bundle-valued 1-form on $T^\perp M$.

If we denote the orthogonal component of ϕD in $T^\perp M$ by μ , then we have

$$T^\perp M = \phi D^\perp \oplus \mu.$$

it is obvious that $\phi\mu = \mu$.

2. COVARIANT DIFFERENTIATIONS

Let P, f, F and t be the endomorsymbol fsm and the vector-bundle-valued 1-forms defined in (1.7) and (1.8), respectively. Let us define the covariant differentiations of P, f, t and f as follows :

$$(\bar{\nabla}_X P)(Y) = \nabla_X PY - P\nabla_X Y \quad \dots (2.1)$$

$$(\bar{\nabla}_X F)(Y) = D_X^\perp (FY) - F\nabla_X Y \quad \dots (2.2)$$

$$(\bar{\nabla}_X t)(N) = \nabla_X tN - t \nabla_X^\perp N \quad \dots (2.3)$$

$$(\bar{\nabla}_X f)(N) = \nabla_X^\perp (fN) - f\nabla_X^\perp N \quad \dots (2.4)$$

for any vector fields X and Y tangent to M and any vector field N normal to M .

The endomorsymbol fsm P (resp. the endomorsymbol fsm f , the 1-forms F and t) is parallel if $\bar{\nabla}P = 0$ (resp. $\bar{\nabla}f = 0, \bar{\nabla}F = 0$ and $\bar{\nabla}t = 0$).

Now from (1.3) and (1.5) - (1.8), one can easily prove the following :

Proposition 2.1 — For the covariant differentiations defined above we have :

$$(\bar{\nabla}_X P)(Y) = A_{FY}X + th(X, Y) + \alpha \{g(X, Y)\xi - \eta(Y)X\} + \beta\{g(PX, Y)\xi - \eta(Y)PX\} \quad \dots (2.5)$$

$$(\bar{\nabla}_X F)(Y) = fh(X, Y) - h(X, PY) - \beta\eta(Y)FX \quad \dots (2.6)$$

$$(\bar{\nabla}_X t)(N) = A_{fN}X - PA_NX + \beta g(\phi X, N)\xi \quad \dots (2.7)$$

$$(\bar{\nabla}_X f)(N) = -h(X, tN) - FA_NX \quad \dots (2.8)$$

for any vector fields X and Y tangent to M and any vector field N normal to M .

Now we prove :

Lemma 2.2 — Let M be a CR-submanifold of a trans-Sasakian manifold \bar{M} . Then we have

$$A_{\phi Z}W - A_{\phi W}Z = \alpha \{ \eta(W)Z - \eta(Z)W \} \quad \dots (2.9)$$

for any $W, Z \in D^\perp$.

PROOF : For $W, Z \in D^\perp, Y \in TM$, using (1.3), (1.5) and (1.6) we have

$$\begin{aligned} g(A_{\phi W}Z) &= g(h(Y, Z), \phi W) = g(\bar{\nabla}_Y Z, \phi W) = -g(\phi \bar{\nabla}_Y Z, W) \\ &= -g(\bar{\nabla}_Y \phi Z, W) - \alpha g(Y, Z)\eta(W) + \alpha \eta(Z)g(Y, Z) \\ &= g(A_{\phi Z}Y, W) - \alpha \eta(W)g(Y, Z) + \alpha \eta(Z)g(Y, W) \\ &= g(A_{\phi Z}W, Y) - \alpha \eta(W)g(W, Z) + \alpha \eta(Z)g(Y, Z) \end{aligned}$$

from which our assertion follows.

Corollary 2.3. — Let M be ξ -horizontal CR-submanifold of a trans-Sasakian manifold \bar{M} . Then we have

$$A_{\phi Z} W = A_{\phi W} Z$$

for any $W, Z \in D^\perp$.

Next we have :

Lemma 2.4 — Let M be a CR-submanifold of a trans-Sasakian manifold \bar{M} . Then we have

$$\bar{\nabla}_W^\perp FZ - \bar{\nabla}_Z^\perp FW + \beta \{ \eta(Z)FW - \eta(W)FZ \} \in \phi D \quad \dots (2.10)$$

for any $W, Z \in D$.

PROOF : From (2.5), (2.6) and using (2.1) and (2.2), we obtain

$$P \nabla_X Z = -A_{FZ} X - th(X, Z) + \alpha \{ \eta(Z)X - g(X, Z) \xi \} + \beta \{ \eta(Z)PX - g(PX, Z) \xi \} \quad \dots (2.11)$$

$$F \nabla_X Z = \nabla_X^\perp FZ - fh(X, Z) - \beta \eta(Z)FX \quad \dots (2.12)$$

for any X tangent to M and $Z \in D$.

Putting $X = W \in D^\perp$ in (2.11) and taking account of (2.9) we have

$$P[Z, W] = P \nabla_Z W - P \nabla_W Z = -A_{FW} Z + \alpha \eta(W)Z + A_{FZ} W - \alpha \eta(Z)W = 0.$$

Also from (2.12) we have

$$\begin{aligned} \phi[Z, W] &= F[Z, W] = F \nabla_Z W - F \nabla_W Z \\ &= \bar{\nabla}_Z^\perp FW - \bar{\nabla}_W^\perp FZ + \beta \{ \eta(Z)FW - \eta(W)FZ \} \in \phi D^\perp. \end{aligned}$$

Corollary 2.5 — Let M be a ξ -horizontal CR-submanifold of a trans-Sasakian manifold \bar{M} . Then we have

$$\bar{\nabla}_W^\perp FZ - \bar{\nabla}_Z^\perp FW \in \phi D^\perp.$$

For any $W, Z \in D$.

For ξ -horizontal CR-submanifold of a trans-Sasakian manifold, we have from (1.3)

$$\bar{\nabla}_W \phi Z - \phi \bar{\nabla}_W Z = \alpha g(W, Z) \xi$$

for any $W, Z \in D^\perp$.

On account of (1.5), we obtain

$$-A_{\phi Z} W + \nabla_W \phi Z = \phi (\nabla_W Z + h(W, Z)) + \alpha g(W, Z) \xi$$

from which

$$\phi ([Z, W]) = A_{\phi Z} W - A_{\phi W} Z + \bar{\nabla}_Z^\perp \phi W - \bar{\nabla}_W^\perp \phi Z.$$

By virtue of above equation and Lemma 2.2, Lemma 2.5 we have :

Proposition : 2.6 — Let M be a ξ -horizontal CR-submanifold of a trans-Sasakian manifold \bar{M} . Then the vertical distribution D^\perp is integrable.

For the horizontal distribution D , we prove :

Proposition 2.7 — Let M be a CR-submanifold of a trans-Sasakian manifold \bar{M} . Then the horizontal distribution D is integrable if and only if

$$g(h(X, PY) - h(Y, PX), FZ) = \eta(\nabla_X Z) \eta(Y) - \eta(\nabla_Y Z) \eta(X) + 2\eta(Z) g(X, PY)$$

for any $X, Y \in D$ and $Z \in D$.

PROOF : Making an innerproduct with PY in (2.11) we have

$$g(\nabla_X Z, Y) - \eta(\nabla_X Z) \eta(Y) = -g(h(X, PY), FZ) + \alpha \eta(Z) g(X, PY) + \beta \eta(Z) (g(X, Y) - \eta(X) \eta(Y))$$

which further means

$$g(\nabla_X Y, Z) = g(h(X, PY), FZ) - \alpha \eta(Z) g(X, PY) - \beta \eta(Z) (g(X, Y) - \eta(X) \eta(Y)) - \eta(\nabla_X Z) \eta(Y)$$

for any $X, Y \in D^\perp$.

Thus we have

$$g([X, Y], Z) = g(h(X, PY) - h(Y, PX), FZ) - 2\eta(Z) g(X, PY) + \eta(\nabla_Y Z) \eta(X) - \eta(\nabla_X Z) \eta(Y)$$

from which our assertion follows.

Corollary 2.8 — Let M be a ξ -horizontal CR-submanifold of a trans-Sasakian manifold \bar{M} . Then the horizontal distribution D is integrable if and only if

$$g(h(X, PY) - h(Y, PX), FZ) = 0 \quad \dots (2.13)$$

for any $X, Y \in D$ and $Z \in D^\perp$.

3. GEOMETRY OF LEAVES ON CR-SUBMANIFOLDS

In this section we obtain results on the immersions of leaves of distributions in M . For the leaves of involutive distributions we shall obtain necessary and sufficient conditions in order that their immersions in M be totally geodesic.

Proposition 3.1 — Let M be a ξ -horizontal CR-submanifold of a trans-Sasakian manifold \bar{M} . Then the distribution D is integrable and the leaf of D is totally geodesic in M if and only if

$$g(h(D, D), \phi D^\perp) = 0. \quad \dots (3.1)$$

PROOF : Let $X, Y \in D$ and $Z \in D^\perp$. If the distribution D is integrable and its leaf is totally geodesic in M . Then $\nabla_X \phi Y \in D$.

For $X, Y \in D, Z \in D^\perp$ using (2.11) we have

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= g(\nabla_X \phi Y, Z) = -g(\nabla_X Z, \phi Y) = g(P\nabla_X Z, Y) \\ &= -g(A_{FZ} X, Y) - g(th(X, Z), Y) \\ &= -g(h(X, Y), \phi Z) \end{aligned}$$

from which we get (3.1).

Conversely, if (3.1) holds, then the distribution D is integrable by virtue of (2.13). Moreover, we have, using (1.3)

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= g(h(X, \phi Y), \phi Z) = g(\bar{\nabla}_X \phi Y, \phi Z) \\ &= g(\phi \bar{\nabla}_X Y, \phi Z) \\ &= g(\nabla_X Y, Z). \end{aligned}$$

Thus $\nabla_X Y \in D$ for any $X, Y \in D$ and the leaf of D is totally geodesic in M which completes the proof.

For the leaf M^\perp of D^\perp , we prove the following :

Proposition 3.2 — Let M be a CR-submanifold of a trans-sasakian manifold \bar{M} . Then the leaf M^\perp of D^\perp is totally geodesic in M if and only if

$$g(h(Y, W) FZ) + \alpha \eta(Y) g(W, Z) = 0 \tag{3.2}$$

for any $Y \in D$ and $W, Z \in D^\perp$.

PROOF : Putting $X = W \in D^\perp$ in (2.11) we have

$$P \nabla_W Z = -A_{FZ} W - th(W, Z) + \alpha \{ \eta(Z) W - g(W, Z) \xi \}.$$

Now making an innerproduct with $Y \in D$, we get

$$g(\nabla_W Z, PY) = g(h(Y, W), FZ) + \alpha \eta(Y) g(W, Z)$$

from which our assertion follows immediately.

Corollary 3.3 — Let M be a ξ -vertical CR-submanifold of a trans-Sasakian manifold \bar{M} . Then the leaf M^\perp of D^\perp is totally geodesic in M if and only if

$$g(h(D, D^\perp), \phi D^\perp) = 0.$$

Proposition 3.4 — Let M be a CR-submanifold of a trans-Sasakian manifold \bar{M} and each leaf M^\perp and D^\perp is totally geodesic in M . If the endomorsymbol fsm P satisfies

$$(\nabla_X P)(Y) = \alpha \{ g((X, Y) \xi - \eta(Y) X) \} + \beta \{ g(PX, Y) \xi - \eta(Y) PX \} \tag{3.3}$$

for any X, Y tangent to M . Then $\dim D_x = 0$.

PROOF : The equation (3.2) gives

$$g(A_{FZ}Y + \alpha \eta(Y)Z, W) = 0 \quad \dots (3.4)$$

for any $Y \in D, W, Z \in D^\perp$.

Next from (2.5) and (3.3), we have

$$A_{FY}X + th(X, Y) = 0$$

for any X, Y tangent to M . From this we obtain $th(X, Y) = 0$ for any X tangent to M and $Y \in D$. Thus we have

$$\begin{aligned} g(h(X, Y), \phi W) &= g(A_{FW}Y, X) \\ &= -g(\phi h(X, Y), W) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

that is $A_{\phi W}Y = 0$ for $Y \in D, W \in D^\perp$.

Putting this equation into (3.4), we get $\dim. D_x^\perp = 0$.

4. CR-SUBMANIFOLDS WITH PARALLEL STRUCTURES

In this section, first we prove :¹

Proposition 4.1 — Let M be a CR-submanifold of a trans-Sasakian manifold \bar{M} . Then $\bar{\nabla} F = 0$ if and only if $\bar{\nabla} t = 0$.

PROOF : Suppose t is parallel i.e. $\nabla t = 0$, then from (2.7) we have

$$g(A_{PN}X, Y) = g(PA_NX, Y) - \beta g(\phi X, N) g(Y, \xi)$$

for any X, Y tangent to M and any vector field N normal to M .

This equation means

$$g(fh(X, Y), N) = g(h(X, PY), N) + \beta g(\phi X, N) g(Y, \xi)$$

which is equivalent to

$$fh(X, Y) = h(X, PY) + \beta \eta(Y) FX$$

i.e. $\bar{\nabla} F = 0$.

We next have :

Lemma 4.2 — Let M be a CR-submanifold of a trans-Sasakian manifold \bar{M} . Then P is parallel i.e. $\bar{\nabla} P = 0$ if and only if

$$A_{PX}Y - A_{FY}X = \alpha \{ \eta(X)Y - \eta(Y)X \} + \beta \{ \eta(Y)PX - \eta(X)PY \}$$

for any X, Y tangent to M .

PROOF : From (2.5) we have

$$\begin{aligned} g(\bar{\nabla}_X P)(Y, Z) &= g(A_{FY}X, Z) + g(th(X, Y), Z) \\ &+ \alpha \{ g(X, Y) \eta(Z) - \eta(Y) g(X, Z) \} \\ &+ \beta \{ g(PX, Y) \eta(Z) - \eta(Y) g(PX, Z) \} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= g(A_{FY}X, Z) - g(A_{FZ}X, Y) \\
 &\quad + \alpha \{g(X, Y) \eta(Z) - \eta(Y) g(X, Z)\} \\
 &\quad + \beta \{g(PX, Y) \eta(Z) - \eta(Y) g(PX, Z)\} \\
 &= g(A_{FY}Z, X) - g(A_{FZ}Y, X) \\
 &\quad + \alpha \{g(X, Y) \eta(Z) - \eta(Y) g(X, Z)\} \\
 &\quad + \beta \{g(PX, Y) \eta(Z) - \eta(Y) g(PX, Z)\}
 \end{aligned}$$

from which the assertion follows.

Now we have :

Proposition 4.3 — Let M be a ξ -horizontal CR-submanifold of a trans-Sasakian manifold \bar{M} . If $\bar{\nabla}P = 0$ then

- (i) The holomorsymbol fc distribution D is integrable,
- (ii) $A_{FU}X = \alpha \{ \eta(U)X - \eta(X)U \} + \beta \{ \eta(X)PU - \eta(U)PX \}$

for $X \in D$ and $U \in TM$.

PROOF : If P is parallel, then Lemma 4.2 implies

$$A_{FU}X = \alpha \{ \eta(U)X - \eta(X)U \} + \beta \{ \eta(X)PU - \eta(U)PX \}$$

for $X \in D$, U tangent to M .

Now for $U = Z \in D^\perp$, $X, Y \in D$ we have

$$g(A_{FZ}X, Y) = 0 \text{ i.e. } g(h(X, Y), FZ) = 0$$

which shows that D is integrable.

Finally we have :

Proposition 4.4 — Let M be a ξ -horizontal CR-submanifold of a trans-Sasakian manifold \bar{M} such that F is parallel. Then the horizontal distribution D is integrable and the leaf of D is totally geodesic in M .

PROOF : From (2.2) we have

$$(\bar{\nabla}_X F)(Y) = 0$$

which gives

$$-F \nabla_X Y = 0$$

for any $X, Y \in D$.

Hence $\nabla_X Y \in D$ for any $X, Y \in D$ and our proposition follows immediately.

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