



# 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  $C^\infty$  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  $f_j^i, l_j^i, m_j^i$  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

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

$\delta_j^i$  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,

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

(1.2.6)

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

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

$$l_j^i = s_j^a v_a^i$$

Similarly, we get

$$m_j^i = s_j^B v_B^i$$

Let us now put

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

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

$$l_{kj} = s_k^a s_j^a, m_{kj} = s_k^A s_j^A$$

and

$$l_{kj} = l_{jk}, m_{kj} = m_{jk}$$

Consequently, we have

$$l_{jk} + m_{jk} = g_{jk}$$

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

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

(1.2.14) and

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

(1.2.15)

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

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

$$\tilde{g}(v_A, v_A) = \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{(\nu+1)} \left[ g(v_A, v_A) + g(fv_A, fv_A) + g(f^2 v_A, f^2 v_A) + \dots + g(f^{2\nu+1} v_A, f^{2\nu+1} v_A) + m(v_A, v_A) \right] \\ = 0$$

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

$$g(fv_a, fv_b) = l_{rp} f_h^r f_j^p v_a^h v_b^j \\ g(fv_a, fv_b) + m(fv_a, fv_b) = g_{rp} f_h^r f_j^p v_a^h v_b^j \\ g(f^2 v_a, f^2 v_b) = g_{rp} v_a^r v_b^p$$

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

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

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

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

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

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

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