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# M - Projective Curvature Tensor Equipped with a -kenmotsu Manifold

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#### **Abstract**

In this paper, we studied the properties of  $\epsilon$ -Kenmotsu manifolds that possess an M-projective curvature tensor. We have shown that  $\epsilon$ -Kenmotsu manifolds with an M-projectively flat and irrotational M-projective curvature tensor are locally isometric to the hyperbolic space Hn(c), where  $c=-\epsilon^2$ . Additionally, we have investigated the condition R(X,Y)S=0 for M-projectively flat  $\epsilon$ -Kenmotsu manifolds. Then we focused on the analysis of  $\epsilon$ -Kenmotsu manifolds with a conservative M-projective curvature tensor. Lastly, we have certain geometric results for  $\epsilon$ -Kenmotsu manifolds that satisfy the relation M(X,Y)R=0.

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#### 1. Introduction

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The basic difference between Riemannian and semi-Riemannian geometry is the existence of a null vector. In a Riemannian manifold (M, g), the signature of the metric tensor is positive definite, whereas the signature of a semi-Riemannian manifold is indefinite. With the help of indefinite metric Bejancu and Duggal [1] introduced

 $\epsilon$ -Sasakian manifolds. Then Xufeng and Xiaoli [13]proved that every  $\epsilon$ -Sasakian manifold must be a real hyperface of some indefinite Kahler manifolds. Since Sasakian manifolds with indefinite metric have applications in Physics [1], we are interested to study various contact manifolds with indefinite metric. Geometry of Kenmotsu manifolds originated from Kenmotsu [10]. In [3] De and Sarkar introduced the notion of  $\epsilon$ -Kenmotsu manifolds with indefinite metric. On the other hand, in [6] Eisenhart proved that if a Riemannian manifold admits a second order parallel syemmetric covariant tensor other than a constant multiple of the metric tensor, then it is reducible. Later on, several authors investigated the Eisenhart problem on various spaces and obtained some interesting results. Recently, Haseeb and De [7] have studied  $\eta$ -Ricci solitons in  $\epsilon$ -Kenmotsu manifolds.  $\epsilon$ -Kenmotsu manifolds have also been studied by several authors such as ([2, 8, 9, 13, 15]) and many others. So far, our knowledge about curvature symmetries have not been studied in semi-Riemannian manifolds. In this paper, we are going to study curvature symmetries in  $\epsilon$ -Kenmotsu manifolds. For curvature symmetries we refer the book of Duggal and Sharma [5]. Sharma [12] characterised a class of contact manifold admitting a vector field keeping the curvature tensor invariant.

**Definition 1.1.** The M- projective curvature tensor of Riemannian manifold Mn was defined by Pokhariyal and Mishra [18] is of the following form:

$$M(X, \underline{Y})\underline{Z} = R(X, Y)Z - \frac{1}{2(n-1)}[S(Y, Z)\underline{X} - S(X, Z)Y + g(Y, Z)QX - g(X, Z)QY], \quad (1)$$

where Q is the Ricci operator defined on

$$S(X, Y) = g(QX, Y).$$

A space form (i.e., a complete simply connected Riemannian manifold of constant curvature) is said to be elliptic, hyperbolic or Euclidean according as the sectional curvature tensor is positive, negative or zero [5]. The authors extensively studied the properties of M- projective curvature tensor on the various manifolds (see, [7, 9, 17, 20, 21, 26, 28]. In this paper, we have studied some special properties of  $\epsilon$ - Kenmotsu manifold. The purpose of this paper is to study the properties of M- projective curvature tensor in  $\epsilon$ - Kenmotsu manifolds.

The paper is organized as follows: Section 2 is concerned with preliminaries of  $\epsilon$ - Kenmotsu mani- folds. In section 3, we study the M -projectively flat of  $\epsilon$ -Kenmotsu manifold. Section 4 deals with the M - projectively flat  $\epsilon$ -Kenmotsu manifold satisfies the condition R(X, Y) = 0. In section 5, we study conservative M - projective curvature tensor of  $\epsilon$ - Kenmotsu manifold. In section 6, irrota- tional M - projective curvature tensor of  $\epsilon$ - Kenmotsu manifold are studied. Section 7 is devoted to studying - Kenmotsu manifold satisfies the condition M(X, Y)R = 0.

#### 2. Preliminaries

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An almost contact structure on a n-dimensional differentiable manifold M is a triple  $(\phi, \xi, \eta)$ , where  $\phi$  is a tensor field of type (1, 1),  $\eta$  is a 1-form and  $\xi$  is a vector field such that

$$\phi^2 = -I + \eta \xi,\tag{2}$$

$$\eta(\xi) = 1, \, \phi \xi = 0, \, \eta \phi = 0.$$
(3)

A differentiable manifold with an almost contact structure is called an almost contact manifold. An almost contact metric manifold is an almost contact metric manifold M is said to be an  $\epsilon$ -almost contact metric manifold if



$$g(\xi,\xi)=\pm 1=\epsilon,\tag{4}$$

$$\eta(X) = \epsilon g(X, \xi), rank(\phi) = n - 1, \tag{5}$$

$$g(\phi X, \phi Y) = g(X, Y) - \epsilon \eta(X) \eta(Y), X, Y \in (TM), \tag{6}$$

holds, where  $\xi$  is space-like or time-like but it is never a light like vector field. We say that  $(\phi, \xi, \eta, g)$  is an  $\epsilon$ -contact metric structure if we have

$$d\eta(X,Y) = g(X,\phi Y). \tag{7}$$

In this case, M is an  $\epsilon$ -contact metric manifold. An  $\epsilon$ -contact metric manifold is called an  $\epsilon$ -Kenmotsu manifold [7] if

$$(\nabla_X \phi) Y = -g(X, \phi Y) \xi - \epsilon \eta(Y) \phi X, \tag{8}$$

holds, where  $\nabla$  is the Riemannian connection of g. An  $\epsilon$ -almost contact metric manifold is a  $\epsilon$ -Kenmotsu manifold if and only if

$$\nabla x \xi = \epsilon (X - \eta(X)\xi). \tag{9}$$

The following conditions holds in an  $\epsilon$ -Kenmotsu manifold [7]:

$$(\nabla_X \eta)(Y) = g(X, Y) - \epsilon \eta(X) \eta(Y), \tag{10}$$

$$\eta(R(X,Y)Z) = \epsilon g(X,Z)Y - g(Y,Z)X,\tag{11}$$

$$R(X,Y)\xi = \eta(X)Y - \eta(Y)X, \tag{12}$$

$$R(\xi, X)Y = \eta(Y)X - \epsilon g(X, Y)\xi, \tag{13}$$

$$S(X, \xi) = -(n-1)\eta(X),$$
 (14)

$$Q\xi = -\epsilon(n-1)\xi,\tag{15}$$

$$S(\phi X, \phi Y) = S(X, Y) + \epsilon (n-1)\eta(X)\eta(Y). \tag{16}$$

for any vector fields X, Y, Z on M, where R, S and Q denotes the curvature tensor, Ricci tensor and Ricci operator on M.

Definition 2:. An  $\epsilon$ - manifold M is said to be  $\eta$ -Einstein manifold if its Ricci tensor S is of the form

$$S(X,Y) = \lambda_1 q(X,Y) + \lambda_2 q(X) q(Y), \tag{17}$$

for any vector fields X, Y, where  $\lambda_1$ ,  $\lambda_2$  are smooth functions on M.

If  $\lambda_2 = 0$ , then  $\eta$ -Einstein manifold becomes Einstein manifold. In view of (2) and (17), we have

$$QX = \lambda_1 X + \lambda_2 \eta(X) \xi \tag{18}$$

Let us consider an  $\epsilon$ -Kenmotsu manifold. Then putting  $X = Y = e_i$  in (17), i = 1, 2, .....n and taking summation for  $1 \le i \le n$ , we have

$$r = n\lambda_1 + \epsilon \lambda_2 \tag{19}$$

Now, setting  $X = Y = \xi$  in (17) and using (2), (3) and (14), we obtain

$$-(n-1) = \epsilon \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 \tag{20}$$

From the conditions (19) and (20), gives

$$\lambda = \epsilon - \frac{r}{(1-n)}$$
(21)

$$\lambda_2 = \frac{r}{\epsilon} - \frac{n\epsilon}{\epsilon} + \frac{n\epsilon}{(1-n)\epsilon} \tag{22}$$

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where, r is the scalar curvature.

In view of (8) – (11), it can be easily constructed that in n -dimensional  $\epsilon$ -kenmotsu manifold M, the M -projective curvature tensor satisfies the following condition from (1.1):

$$M(X, Y)\xi = [\eta(X)Y - \eta(Y)X] - \frac{1}{2(n-1)}[-(n-1)\eta(Y)X + (n-1)\eta(X)Y + \epsilon \eta(Y)QX - \epsilon \eta(X)QY]$$

$$M(\xi, X)Y = \frac{1}{2}[\eta(Y)X - \epsilon g(X, Y)\xi] - \frac{1}{2(n-1)}[S(X, Y)\xi - \epsilon \eta(Y)QX]$$
(23)

## 3. M -Projectively flat ∈-kenmotsu manifold

In this section, we study M-Projectively flat  $\epsilon$ -kenmotsu manifold .

**Definition 3.1.** The Lorentzian  $\epsilon$ -kenmotsu manifold M is said to be a M-projectively flat, if we have M(X,Y)Z=0. (24)

for any vector fields X, Y, Z on M.

By taking into account of relation (1) and using definition , we get

$$R(X, Y)Z = \frac{1}{2(n-1)} [S(Y, Z)X - S(X, Z)Y + g(Y, Z)QX - g(X, Z)QY], \tag{25}$$

Taking  $Z = \xi$  in (25) and using relations (3), (12) and (14), we have

$$\underline{\varepsilon}[\eta(X)|Y - \eta(Y)X] = \frac{1}{n-1}[\underline{\eta(Y)}QX - \eta(X)QY], \tag{26}$$

Again putting  $Y = \xi$  in (26) and using (2), (3) in (14), we get

$$QX = -(n-1)\epsilon X,\tag{27}$$

which on simplification gives,

$$S(X,Y) = -(n-1)\epsilon g(X,Y), \tag{28}$$

which yields,

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$$r = -(n-1)\epsilon, \tag{29}$$

Thus, we get the following theorem.

Theorem If an n-dimensional  $\epsilon$ -kenmotsu manifold is M-Projectively flat ,then it is an Einstein manifold and its Ricci tensor of M has the form

$$S(X,Y) = -(n-1)\epsilon g(X,Y). \tag{30}$$

In consequences of (28), (25) becomes

$$R(X,Y)Z = -\epsilon g(Y,Z)X - g(X,Z)Y. \tag{31}$$

A Space form is said to be hyperbolic if the sectional curvature tensor is negative [5]. Thus, we can state

**Theorem 3.1.** If an n-dimensional  $\epsilon$ -kenmotsu manifold is M-Projectively flat ,then it is either locally isometric to the hyperbolic space H(c), where  $c = -\epsilon$  or M has the constant scalar curvature of the form  $-(n-1)\epsilon$ .



## 4. M -Projectively $\epsilon$ -kenmotsu manifold satisfying the condition R(X, Y).S = 0

In this section , we consider that manifold is an M -Projectively flat  $\epsilon$ -kenmotsu manifold satisfying the condition R(X,Y).S=0 .Thus we have

$$S(R(X, Y)Z, U) + S(Z, R(X, Y)U) = 0.$$
 (32)

In view of (25) in (32), we have

$$\frac{1}{2(n-1)}[S(QX,\ U)g(Y,\ Z)\ -\ S(QY,\ U)g(X,\ Z)\ +\ S(QX,\ Z)g(Y,\ U)\ -\ S(QY,\ Z)g(X,\ U)]\ =\ 0. \eqno(33)$$

Putting  $Y = Z = \xi$  in (33) and using the relation (2), (3) and (14), then we have

$$\frac{1}{2(n-1)}[S(QX, U)g(\xi, \xi) - S(Q\xi, U)g(X, \xi) + S(QX, \xi)g(\xi, U) - g(X, U)S(Q\xi, \xi) = 0]$$
(34)

Again, using (14) in (34), we have

$$\epsilon S(QX, U) - (n-1)^2 \eta(U) \eta(X) + \epsilon \eta(U) S(QX, \xi) - \epsilon (n-1)^2 g(X, U) = 0.$$
 (35)

Let  $\lambda$  be the eigen value of endomorphism Q corresponding to an eigen-vector X. Then putting

 $QX = \lambda X$  in (35) and using the relation g(QX, Y) = S(X, Y), then we find that

$$\epsilon \lambda^2 g(X, U) - (n-1)^2 \eta(U) \eta(X) - \epsilon \lambda (n-1) \eta(U) \eta(X) - \epsilon (n-1)^2 g(X, U) = 0$$
 (36)

Now, putting  $U = \xi$  in (36), we get

$$[\lambda^2 + \epsilon \lambda (n-1) - 2(n-1)^2 \epsilon^2] \eta(X) = 0. \tag{37}$$

In this case , since  $\eta(X) \neq 0$ , the relation (37) gives that

$$[\lambda^2 + \epsilon(n-1)\lambda - 2(n-1)^2\epsilon^2] = 0. \tag{38}$$

From the above equation it follows that the endomorphism Q has two different non-zero eigen values, namely,  $2(n-1)\epsilon$  and  $-3(n-1)\epsilon$ . Hence, we state the following theorem

**Theorem 4.1.** Let M be an n-dimensional M-Projectively  $\epsilon$ -kenmotsu manifold satisfying the con- dition R(X, Y).S = 0, then symmetric endomorphism Q of the tangent space corresponding to S has two different non-zero eigen values.

#### 5. Conservative M -Projective curvature tensor on €-kenmotsu manifold

**Definition 5.1.** An  $\epsilon$ -kenmotsu manifold (M,g) is said to be M-Projective conservative if

$$divM = 0, (39)$$

where div denotes the divergence.

Taking the covariant derivative of (1), we get

$$(\nabla_{\upsilon}\underline{M})(X,Y)Z = (\nabla_{\upsilon}R)(X,Y)Z - \frac{1}{2(n-1)}[(\nabla_{\upsilon}S)(Y,Z)X - (\nabla_{\upsilon}S)(X,Z)Y + g(Y,Z)(\nabla_{\upsilon}Q)X - g(X,Z)(\nabla_{\upsilon}Q)Y]$$

$$(40)$$

Contracting with respect to U in (40), we obtain

$$\frac{(\operatorname{divM})(X, Y)Z}{2(n-1)} = \frac{1}{2(n-1)} [(\nabla_X S)(Y, Z) - (\nabla_Y S)(X, Z) + g(Y, Z) \frac{\operatorname{divQX}}{2(n-1)} - g(X, Z) \frac{\operatorname{divQY}}{2(n-1)} ]$$

$$(41)$$

We know that

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$$\underline{\text{divO}}(X) = \frac{1}{2} \nabla_X r. \tag{42}$$

$$(\underline{divM})(X, Y)Z = (\underline{divR})(X, Y)Z - \frac{1}{2(n-1)}[(\nabla_X S)(Y, Z) - (\nabla_Y S)(X, Z) + \frac{1}{2}g(Y, Z)\nabla_X - \frac{1}{2}g(X, Z)\nabla_Y r]$$
(43)

But from [7], we have

$$\frac{div}{R} = (\nabla_X S)(Y, Z) - (\nabla_Y S)(X, Z). \tag{44}$$

Again, by virtue of (39) and (44) in (43) ,it reduces to

$$[\nabla_{x} S](Y, Z) - (\nabla_{Y} SJLX, Z) = \frac{1}{2(2n-3)} [g(Y, Z) \nabla_{X} \underline{r} - g(X, Z) \nabla_{Y} \underline{r}]. \tag{45}$$

Putting  $X = \xi$  in (45), we get

$$(\nabla_{\xi}S)(Y, Z) - (\nabla_{Y}S)(\xi, Z) = \frac{1}{2(2n-3)}[g(Y, Z)\nabla_{\xi}f - g(\xi, Z)\nabla_{Y}f]. \tag{46}$$

Further, we know that

$$(\nabla_{\xi}S)(X,Y) = \xi S(X,Y) - S(\nabla_{\xi}X)Y - S(X,\nabla_{\xi}Y) \tag{47}$$

$$(Lxg)(Y, Z) = Lxg(Y, Z) - g(LxY, Z) - g(Y, LxZ)$$
 (48)

Now put  $X = \xi$  in (48) and using (10)

$$(L_{\xi}g)(Y,Z) = g(\nabla_Y \xi, Z) + g(Y, \nabla_Z \xi)$$
(49)

$$(L_{\xi}g)(Y,Z) = 2\epsilon[g(Y,Z) - \eta(Y)\eta(Z)] \tag{50}$$

Notice that g(QX, Y) = S(X, Y) and using (50), we get

$$(L_{\xi}S)(Y,Z) = 2\epsilon[S(Y,Z) + (n-1)\eta(Y)\eta(Z)]$$
 (51)

Making use of (10) and (51) in (47), we get

$$(\nabla_{\xi}S)(Y,Z)=0, \tag{52}$$

which yields

$$\nabla_{\ell} r = 0. \tag{53}$$

In view of (45) and making use of (3), (10), (16), (52) and (53), we obtain

$$eS(Y, Z) + (h - 1)g(Y, Z) = -\frac{1}{2(2n - 3)}n(Z)dr(Y)$$
 (54)

Now interchanging Y by  $\phi Y$  and Z by  $\phi Z$  in (54) and using (3), (7) and (10), we get

$$S(Y, Z) = -\frac{1}{\epsilon(\underline{n} - 1)g(Y, Z) + (\epsilon - 1)\eta(Y)\eta(Z)}$$
(55)

Hence, we state the following:

**Theorem 5.1.** Let M be an n-dimensional M-Projective curvature tensor on  $\epsilon$ -kenmotsu manifold is conservative, then M is an  $\eta$ -Einstein manifold and Ricci tensor of M has the form S(Y,Z) =

$$-\frac{1}{\epsilon}(n-1)g(Y,Z) + (\epsilon-1)\eta(Y)\eta(Z)$$

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**Theorem 5.2.** Let M be an n-dimensional M-Projective curvature tensor on  $\epsilon$ -kenmotsu manifold is conservative, then M is an Einstein manifold if taking  $\epsilon = 1$  and Ricci tensor of M has the form  $S(Y, Z) = -^1 (n-1)g(Y, Z)$ 

### 6. Irrotational M -Projective curvature tensor on €-kenmotsu manifold

**Definition 6.1.** The rotation (curl) of M-Projective curvature tensor on an  $\epsilon$ -kenmotsu manifold M is defined as,

$$RotM = (\nabla_U M)(X, Y)Z + (\nabla_X M)(U, Y)Z + (\nabla_Y M)(X, U)Z - (\nabla_Z M)(X, Y)U. \tag{56}$$

In consequence of Binachi second identity for Riemannian connection  $\nabla$ ,(56) becomes

$$RotM = -(\nabla_{Z}M)(X, Y)U. \tag{57}$$

If the M-Projective curvature tensor is irrotatinal, then curlM = 0 and so by (57), we get

$$(\nabla_Z M)(X, Y)U = 0, (58)$$

which gives

$$\nabla_{Z}(M(X,Y)U) = M(\nabla_{Z}X,Y)U + M(X,\nabla_{Z}Y)U + M(X,Y)\nabla_{Z}U.$$
 (59)

Putting  $U = \xi$  in (59), we obtain

$$\nabla_{Z}(M(X,Y)\xi) = M(\nabla_{Z}X,Y)\xi + M(X,\nabla_{Z}Y)\xi + M(X,Y)\nabla_{Z}\xi. \tag{60}$$

Now , substituting  $Z = \xi$  in (1) and using the relation (2, 3, 12, 14) and (18), we obtain

$$M(X,Y)\xi = \lambda[\eta(X)Y - \eta(YX)],\tag{61}$$

where,

$$\lambda = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{\epsilon \lambda \cdot 1}{2(n-1)} \tag{62}$$

By virtue of (62) and (10) in (60), we have

$$M(X, Y)Z = -\frac{\lambda}{\epsilon} [g(Z, X)Y - g(Z, Y)X]. \tag{63}$$

In view of (1) and (63), we have

$$\frac{\lambda !}{\epsilon} [g(Z, X)Y - g(Z, Y)X] = R(X, Y)Z - \frac{1}{2(n-1)} [S(Y, Z)X - S(X, Z)Y + g(Y, Z)QX - g(X, Z)QY]$$
(64)

Contracting above equation (64) over X and using (62), we get

$$S(Y, Z)(\frac{n}{n-1}) = g(Y, Z)[\frac{r}{2(n-1)} - \frac{\lambda}{\epsilon}(n-1)]$$
 (65)

from (65), we have

$$r = -\frac{2\lambda}{6}(n-1)^2. {(66)}$$

Thus, we state the following theorem:

**Theorem 6.1.** If the M-Projective curvature tensor on an  $\epsilon$ -kenmotsu manifold M is irrota-tional,then the manifold is an Einstein manifold with constant scalar curvature  $-\frac{2\lambda}{n}(n-1)^2$ .

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