



# Study of Some Properties on Almost Para Contact Metric Manifolds with Certain Connection

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## Abstract

*Many differential geometers studied different types of manifolds with a semi-symmetric metric connection. In the present paper, we study semi-symmetric nonmetric connections on an almost para-contact manifold in relation to semi-symmetric nonmetric connections. In another section of the work, we have studied the curvature tensor and Nijenhuis tensor.*

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## 1. Introduction

Semi-symmetric metric connection has been studied by various mathematicians including Ram Nivas [7], Srivastava [5], Imai, and S.I. Hussain [4]. I. Sato defined and studied para contact manifolds. K.D. Singh and Rakeshwar Singh have studied semi-symmetric metric connection on an almost para-contact manifold [9]. Recently Nirmala S. Agashe and others have defined the motion of semi symmetric nonmetric connection in a Riemannian manifold [1].



## 2. Preliminaries

Let  $M^n$  be an n-dimensional real differentiable manifold equipped with a  $C^\infty$  (1,1) tensor field  $f$ , a  $C^\infty$  vector field  $T$  and a  $C^\infty$  1-form  $A$  satisfying

$$(a) X^- = X - A(X)T \quad \text{where } X^- = f(X) \quad (b) A(T) = 1 \quad (1.1)$$

Then the structures  $(f, T, A)$  on  $M^n$  is said to be an almost para contact structure manifold. It can be verified that on  $M^n$  the following holds.

$$(a) T^- = 0 \quad (b) A(X^-) = 0 \quad (c) \text{rank}(f) = n - 1 \quad (1.2)$$

An almost para contact manifold  $M^n$  with structure  $(f, T, A)$  always admits a positive definite Riemannian metric  $g$  which satisfies

$$(a) g(X^-, Y^-) = g(X, Y) - A(X)A(Y) \quad (b) g(X, T) = A(X) \quad (1.3)$$

$M^n$  endowed with such a metric  $g$  is called almost para contact metric manifold with structure  $(f, T, A)$  from (1.3) it follows that

$$g(X^-, Y^-) = g(X^-, Y^-) \quad (1.4)$$

If we put

$$F(X, Y) = g(X^-, Y) \quad (1.5)$$

then we get

$$(a) F(X, Y) - F(X, Y) = 0 \quad (b) F(X, Y^-) - F(X^-, Y) = 0 \quad (c) F(T, Y) = 0 \quad (1.6)$$

A linear connection  $\nabla$  is said to be semi-symmetric connection on the almost para contact manifold  $M^n$  if its torsion tensor

$$S(X, Y) = \nabla_X Y - \nabla_Y X - [X, Y]$$

satisfies the formula

$$S(X, Y) = A(Y)X - A(X)Y \quad (1.7)$$

$\nabla$  is said to be semi-symmetric non meyric with respect to the associated Riemannian metric  $g$  if

$$(\nabla_X g) = -A(Y)g(X, Z) - A(Z)g(X, Y) \quad (1.8)$$

We define  $\nabla$  to be semi-symmetric nonmetric f-connection if in addition to (1.7) and (1.8)  $\nabla$  satisfies

$$(\nabla_X f) = 0 \quad (1.9)$$

Suppose  $\nabla$  is a Riemannian connection on  $M^n$ , then we can always put

$$\nabla_X Y = D_X Y + u(X, Y) \quad (1.10)$$

$u$  being tensor of (1,2) type satisfying

$$g(u(X, Y), Z) + g(u(X, Z), Y) = A(Y)g(X, Z) + A(Y)g(X, Z) \quad (1.11)$$

Obviously, we have

$$S(X, Y) = u(X, Y) - u(Y, X) \quad (1.12)$$

Nirmala S. Agashe and others has expressed the value of  $u(x, y)$  in terms of  $S$  and  $S'$ , both being tensors of type (1, 2) as follows [1]

$$u(X, Y) = \frac{1}{2}(S(X, Y) + S'(X, Y) + S'(Y, X)) + g(X, Y)T \quad (1.13)$$

where

$$g(S(Z, X), Y) = g(S'(X, Y), Z) \quad (1.14)$$

It can be verified that

$$S'(X, Y) = A(X)Y - g(X, Y)T \quad (1.15)$$

and

$$u(X, Y) = A(Y)X$$

Thus, we get

$$\nabla_X Y = D_X Y + A(Y)X \quad (1.16)$$

It is easy to verify that

$$\begin{aligned} (a) S'(Y, X) &= u(X, Y) + g(X, Y)T & (b) g(S(X, Y, T)) &= 0 & (c) S(X, Y) &= \\ X^- & & (d) S'(Y, X) &= u(X, T) + A(X)T & (e) S'(X, Y) - S'(Y, X) &= S(X, Y) \end{aligned} \quad (1.17)$$

**Theorem 1.** In an almost para contact manifold  $M^n$ , the torsion tensor of the semi-symmetric non-metric connection satisfies the following identities (a)  $S(X, T) = X^-$  (b)  $S(X^-, Y) = A(Y)X - A(X)A(Y)T$  (c)  $S(X^-, Y) + S(X, Y^-) = S(X, Y)$  (d)  $S(X^-, Y) - S(X^-, T) = 0$  (e)  $A(S(X, Y)) = 0$  (f)  $S(X, Y) = S(X, Y)^-$  (1.18)

Now we will establish certain identities among the (0,3) type tensors defined by [5]

$$S'(X, Y, Z) = g(S(X, Y), Z) \text{ and } u'(X, Y, Z) = g(u(X, Y), Z) \quad (1.19)$$

or equivalently

$$S'(X, Y, Z) = (g(Y, T) g(X, T) g(Y, Z) g(X, Z) )$$

and

$$u'(X, Y, Z) = (g(Y, T) g(Z, T) g(X, Y) g(X, Z) )$$

**Theorem 2.** The following relations hold in an almost metric manifolds (a)  $u'(X, Y^-, Z^-) = S'(X^-, Y^-, Z) = 0$  (b)  $u'(X, Y, Z) = S'(Z, Y, X)$  (c)  $u'(X, Y, Z) = -u(X, Z, Y)$  (d)  $S'(X, Y, Z) = -S'(Y, X, Z)$  (e)  $S'(X, Y, Z) - S'(X, Z, Y) = u'(X, Y, Z)$  (f)  $u'(X^-, Y, Z) - u'(X, Y^-, Z) - u'(X, Y, Z^-) = 0$  (g)  $u'(X^-, Y, Z) - u'(X, Z, Y) = 0$  (1.20)

**Theorem 3.** The connection  $\nabla$ ,  $D$  and the (0,3) type tensor  $u'$  of the almost para contact metric manifold  $(F, T, A, g)$  are related by the following

$$\begin{aligned} (a) (\nabla_X F)(Y, Z) &= (D_X F)(Y, Z) = (D_X F)(Y, Z) + u'(X, Y^-, Z) - \\ u'(X, Y, Z^-) & & (1.21) & (b) (\nabla_X F)(Y, Z) = \\ (D_X F)(Y^-, Z^-) & & & (1.22) \end{aligned}$$



This proof is easy consequence of (1.5) and (1.6) (a).

**Corollary 1.** It follows from 2 that

$$(\nabla_X F)(Y, Z) = (D_X F)(Y, Z) \text{ iff } u'(X, Y^-, Z) = u'(X, Y, Z^-)$$

**Theorem 4.**  $\nabla_X Y^- = D_X Y^- - F(X, Y)T$

## 2. The Curvature Tensor

We denote by R and K. The curvature tensor of the semi-symmetric non-metric connection  $\nabla$  and the Riemannian connection D respectively, i.e,

$$(a)R(X, Y)Z = \nabla_X \nabla_Y Z - \nabla_Y \nabla_X Z - \nabla_{[X, Y]}Z \text{ and } (b)K(X, Y)Z = D_X D_Y Z - D_Y D_X Z - D_{[X, Y]}Z \tag{2.1}$$

Then we state the following theorem

**Theorem 5.** The two-curvature tensor are related by the following relation

$$R(X, Y)Z = K(X, Y)Z + A(D_Y Z)X - A(D_X Z)Y - A(Z)S(X, Y) + X(A(Z))Y - Y(A(Z))X \tag{2.2}$$

## 3. The Nijenhuis Tensor

In this section we study the Nijenhuis tensor n relation to the semi-symmetric non-metric connection and establish various identities involving it. The Nijenhuis tensor is defined as

$$(a)N(X, Y) = [X^-, Y^-] \text{ and } (b) N(X, Y) = [X^-, Y^-] + [X, Y]^- - [X, Y]^- - [X, Y]^- - A([X, Y])T \tag{3.1}$$

If we put

$$B(X, Y) = [X, Y]^- + [X, Y] \text{ and } W(X, Y) = [X^-, Y^-] + [X, Y]^- \tag{3.2}$$

Then (3.1) (a) reduces to

$$N(x, Y) = B(x, Y) - W(X, Y)$$

Further if we put

$$(a)B(X, Y, X) = g(B(X, Y), Z) \text{ (b)}W(X, Y, X) = g(W(X, Y), Z) \text{ (c)}N(X, Y, X) = g(N(X, Y), Z) \tag{3.3}$$

Then it is evident from the definitions that

$$N(X, Y, X) = B(X, Y, X) - W(X, Y, X) \tag{3.4}$$

**Theorem 6.** The Nijenhuis tensor N defined on  $M^n$  with the Riemannian connection D satisfies the following identity  $N(X, Y) = (D_X f)(Y) - (D_Y f)(X) - (D_X f^-)(Y) + (D_Y f^-)(X)$  (3.5)

**Theorem 7.**  $B(X, Y)$  defined by (3.2)(a) satisfies the following equation

$$B(X, Y) = \nabla_X Y^- - \nabla_Y X^- + \nabla_X Y - A([X, Y]) - S(X, Y) \tag{3.6}$$

**Remark 1:**

let  $\nabla$  be a semi-symmetric non-metric f-connection over  $M^n$ , then from (3.5) we have

$$B(X, Y) = [X, Y] + A([X, Y]) + (\nabla_X Y - \nabla_Y X)^- \tag{3.7}$$

**Theorem 8.** An almost paracontact metric structure with semi-symmetric non-metric  $f$ -connection has vanishing Nijenhuis tensor

**Proof:**

from (3.5) and (1.16) we have

$$N(X, Y) = \nabla_X fY - f\nabla_X Y - \nabla_X fY^- + f\nabla_X Y^- + \nabla_Y fX^- - f\nabla_Y X^- = \nabla_X f(Y) - (\nabla_X f) - (\nabla_X f)(Y)^- + (\nabla_Y f)(X)^-$$

In view of  $\nabla$  being semi-symmetric non-metric  $f$ -connection the Nijenhuis vanishes.

#### 4. Conclusion

In this paper, we have concluded that in an almost para contact metric, the connection  $\nabla$ ,  $D$  and (0,3) type tensor  $u'$  are related by-

$$(a) (\nabla_X F)(Y, Z) = (D_X F)(Y, Z) = (D_X F)(Y, Z) + u'(X, Y^-, Z) - u'(X, Y, Z^-) \quad (b) (\nabla_X F)(Y, Z) = (D_X F)(Y^-, Z^-)$$

The two-curvature tensor of semi-symmetric non-metric connection  $\nabla$  and Riemannian connection  $D$  are related as  $R(X, Y)Z = K(X, Y)Z + A(D_Y Z)X - A(D_X Z)Y - A(Z)S(X, Y) + X(A(Z))Y - Y(A(Z))X$

And, also in view of being semi-symmetric non-metric  $f$ -connection, the Nijenhuis Tensor vanishes.

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