

D-homothetic Deformations of Lorentzian Para-Sasakian Manifold

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Abstract: The aim of the present paper is to prove some results on the properties of LP-Sasakian manifolds under D-homothetic deformations. In the later sections we give several results on some properties which are conformal under the mentioned deformations. Lastly, we illustrate the main theorem by giving a detailed example.

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§1. Introduction

The notion of Lorentzian almost para-contact manifolds was introduced by K. Matsumoto [3]. Later on, a large number of geometers studied Lorentzian almost para-contact manifold and their different classes, viz., Lorentzian para-Sasakian manifolds and Lorentzian special para-Sasakian manifolds [4], [5], [6], [7]. In brief, Lorentzian para-Sasakian manifolds are called LP-Sasakian manifolds. The study of LP-Sasakian manifolds has vast applications in the theory of relativity.

In an n -dimensional differentiable manifold M , (ϕ, ξ, η) is said to be an almost paracontact structure if it admits a $(1, 1)$ tensor field ϕ , a timelike contravariant vector field ξ and a 1-form η which satisfy the relations:

$$\eta(\xi) = -1, \quad (1.1)$$

$$\phi^2 X = X + \eta(X)\xi, \quad (1.2)$$

for any vector field X on M . In an n -dimensional almost paracontact manifold with structure (ϕ, ξ, η) , the following conditions hold:

$$\phi\xi = 0, \quad (1.3)$$

$$\eta \circ \phi = 0, \quad (1.4)$$

$$\text{rank } \phi = n - 1. \quad (1.5)$$

Let M^n be differentiable manifold with an almost paracontact structure (ϕ, ξ, η) . If there exists a Lorentzian metric which makes ξ a timelike unit vector field, then there exists a

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Lorentzian metric g satisfying

$$g(X, \xi) = \eta(X), \quad (1.6)$$

$$g(\phi X, \phi Y) = g(X, Y) + \eta(X)\eta(Y), \quad (1.7)$$

$$(\nabla_X \phi)Y = g(X, Y)\xi + \eta(Y)X + 2\eta(X)\eta(Y)\xi, \quad (1.8)$$

for all vector fields X, Y on \tilde{M} [2].

If a differentiable manifold M admits the structure (ϕ, ξ, η, g) such that g is an associated Lorentzian metric of the almost paracontact structure (ϕ, ξ, η, g) then we say that M^n has a Lorentzian almost paracontact structure (ϕ, ξ, η, g) and M^n is said to be Lorentzian almost paracontact manifold (LAP) with structure (ϕ, ξ, η, g) .

In a LAP-manifold with structure (ϕ, ξ, η, g) if we put

$$\Omega(X, Y) = g(\phi X, Y), \quad (1.9)$$

then the tensor field Ω is a symmetric $(0, 2)$ tensor field [?], that is

$$\Omega(X, Y) = \Omega(Y, X), \quad (1.10)$$

for all vector fields X, Y on M^n . A LAP-manifold with structure (ϕ, ξ, η, g) is said to be Lorentzian paracontact manifold if it satisfies

$$\Omega(X, Y) = \frac{1}{2}\{(\nabla_X \eta)Y + (\nabla_Y \eta)X\} \quad (1.11)$$

and (ϕ, ξ, η, g) is said to be Lorentzian paracontact structure. Here ∇ denotes the operator of covariant differentiation w.r.t the Lorentzian metric g .

In a LP-Sasakian manifold we have the following results from [9]:

$$\nabla_X \xi = \phi X, \quad (1.12)$$

$$(\nabla_X \eta)Y = \Omega(X, Y) = g(\phi X, Y), \quad (1.13)$$

$$R(X, Y)\xi = \eta(Y)X - \eta(X)Y, \quad (1.14)$$

$$\eta(R(X, Y)Z) = g(Y, Z)\eta(X) - g(X, Z)\eta(Y), \quad (1.15)$$

$$R(\xi, X)\xi = \eta(X)\xi - \eta(\xi)X = X + \eta(X)\xi, \quad (1.16)$$

$$S(X, \xi) = (n - 1)\eta(X), \quad (1.17)$$

$$S(\xi, \xi) = -(n - 1), \quad (1.18)$$

$$Q\xi = -(n - 1), \quad (1.19)$$

where R is the curvature tensor of manifold of type $(1, 3)$, S is Ricci tensor of type $(0, 2)$ and Q being the Ricci operator. An example of a five-dimensional Lorentzian para-Sasakian manifold has been given by Matsumoto, Mihai and Rosaca in [5].

§2. D-homothetic Deformations of LP-Sasakian Manifolds

Let $M(\phi, \xi, \eta, g)$ be an Lorentzian almost paracontact structure. By D -homothetic deformation [8], we mean a change of structure tensors of the form

$$\bar{\eta} = a\eta, \quad \bar{\xi} = \frac{1}{a}\xi, \quad \bar{\phi} = \phi, \quad \bar{g} = ag + a(a-1)\eta \otimes \eta,$$

where a is a positive constant.

Theorem 2.1 *Under D -homothetic deformation $M(\bar{\phi}, \bar{\xi}, \bar{\eta}, \bar{g})$ is also an LP-Sasakian manifold $M(\phi, \xi, \eta, g)$.*

Proof Calculation shows that

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{\eta}(\bar{\xi}) &= \bar{\eta}\left(\frac{1}{a}\xi\right) = a\eta\left(\frac{1}{a}\xi\right) = \eta(\xi) = -1, \\ \bar{\phi}^2(X) &= \phi^2(X) = X + \eta(X)\xi, \\ \bar{\phi} \circ \bar{\xi} &= \bar{\phi}\left(\frac{1}{a}\xi\right) = \phi\left(\frac{1}{a}\xi\right) = \frac{1}{a}\phi\xi = 0, \\ \bar{\eta} \circ \bar{\phi} &= \bar{\eta}(\phi(X)) = a\eta(\phi(X)) = 0, \\ \text{rank } \bar{\phi} &= \text{rank } \phi = n-1, \\ \bar{\eta}(X) &= a\eta(X) = ag(X, \xi), \\ \bar{g}(\bar{\phi}X, \bar{\phi}Y) &= \bar{g}(\phi X, \phi Y) = (ag + a(a-1)\eta \otimes \eta)(\phi X, \phi Y) = ag(\phi X, \phi Y), \\ (\nabla_X \bar{\phi})Y &= (\nabla_X \phi)Y = g(X, Y)\xi + \epsilon\eta(Y)X + 2\eta(X)\eta(Y)\xi. \end{aligned} \quad \square$$

Theorem 2.2 *Under D -homothetic deformation of a LP Sasakian manifold the following relation holds*

$$(L_{\bar{\xi}}\bar{g})(X, Y) = a(L_{\xi}g)(X, Y),$$

where L_{ξ} is the Lie derivative.

Proof For an LP-Sasakian manifold we know $(L_{\mu}g)(X, Y) = 2g(\phi X, Y)$ since $g(\phi X, Y) = g(X, \phi Y)$. Under D -homothetic deformation

$$\begin{aligned} (L_{\bar{\xi}}\bar{g})(X, Y) &= 2\bar{g}(\bar{\phi}X, Y) \\ &= a(L_{\xi}g)(X, Y) + 2(a^2 - a)\eta(\phi X)\eta(Y) \\ &= a(L_{\xi}g)(X, Y). \end{aligned} \quad \square$$

§3. D-homothetic Deformations of Curvature Tensors on LP-Sasakian Manifolds

In this section we consider conformally flat LP-Sasakian manifold $M^n(\phi, \xi, \eta, g)$ ($n > 3$). The

Weyl conformal curvature tensor C is given by

$$\begin{aligned} C(X, Y)Z &= R(X, Y)Z - \frac{1}{n-2}[S(Y, Z)X - S(X, Z)Y + g(Y, Z)QX \\ &\quad - g(X, Z)QY] + \frac{r}{(n-1)(n-2)}[g(Y, Z)X - g(X, Z)Y]. \end{aligned} \quad (3.1)$$

For conformally flat manifold we have $C(X, Y)Z = 0$. So from (3.1) we have

$$\begin{aligned} R(X, Y)Z &= \frac{1}{n-2}\{S(Y, Z)X - S(X, Z)Y + g(Y, Z)QX - g(X, Z)QY\} \\ &\quad - \frac{r}{(n-1)(n-2)}\{g(Y, Z)X - g(X, Z)Y\}. \end{aligned} \quad (3.2)$$

Putting $Z = \xi$ in (3.2), we obtain from (1.14)

$$\begin{aligned} \eta(Y)X - \eta(X)Y &= \frac{1}{n-2}\{S(Y, \xi)X - S(X, \xi)Y + S(Y, \xi)QX - g(X, \xi)QY\} \\ &\quad - \frac{r}{(n-1)(n-2)}\{g(Y, \xi)X - g(X, \xi)Y\}. \end{aligned} \quad (3.3)$$

Putting $Y = \xi$ in (3.3) we calculate

$$\begin{aligned} \eta(\xi)X - \eta(X)\xi &= \frac{1}{n-2}\{S(\xi, \xi)X - S(X, \xi)\xi + S(\xi, \xi)QX - g(X, \xi)Q\xi\} \\ &\quad - \frac{r}{(n-1)(n-2)}\{g(\xi, \xi)X - g(X, \xi)\xi\}. \end{aligned} \quad (3.4)$$

After some steps of calculations we obtain

$$QX = \left(-1 + \frac{r}{n-1}\right)X + \left(-1 + \frac{r}{n-1}\right)\eta(X)\xi - (n-1)\eta(X). \quad (3.5)$$

Taking inner product with Y , above equation can be written as

$$S(X, Y) = \left(1 + \frac{r}{n-1}\right)g(X, Y) + \left(-1 + \frac{r}{n-1}\right)\eta(X)g(Y, \xi) - (n-1)\eta(X). \quad (3.6)$$

In view of (3.5), (3.6) equation (3.2) takes the form

$$\begin{aligned} R(X, Y)Z &= [g(Y, Z)X - g(X, Z)Y] \left[\left(-1 + \frac{r}{n-1}\right) \frac{1}{n-2} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{1}{n-2} \left(1 + \frac{r}{n-1}\right) - \frac{r}{(n-1)(n-2)} \right] \\ &\quad + g(Y, Z)\eta(X) \left[\left(\frac{r}{n-1} - 1\right) \frac{1}{n-2}\xi - (n-1) \right] + g(X, Z)\eta(Y) \\ &\quad \times \left[\left(\frac{r}{n-1} - 1\right) \frac{1}{n-2}\xi - (n-1) \right] + X\eta(Y) \left[\left(\frac{r}{n-1} - 1\right) \frac{1}{n-2}\eta(Z) - \frac{n-1}{n-2} \right] \\ &\quad + Y\eta(X) \left[\left(\frac{r}{n-1} - 1\right) \frac{1}{n-2}\eta(Z) - \frac{n-1}{n-2} \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (3.7)$$

For a conformally flat LP-Sasakian manifold, $R(X, Y)Z$ is given by the equation (3.7). Again in

a LP-Sasakian manifold the following relation holds [9]

$$\begin{aligned} R(X, Y)\phi Z &= \phi(R(X, Y)Z) + 2\{\eta(X)Y - \eta(Y)X\}\eta(Z) + 2\{g(Y, Z)\eta(X) \\ &\quad - g(X, Z)\eta(Y)\}\xi - g(\phi X, Z)\phi Y + g(\phi Y, Z)\phi X - g(Y, Z)X \\ &\quad + g(X, Z)Y. \end{aligned} \quad (3.8)$$

Again, on using equations (1.15), (1.18) and (1.4) in (3.8) we calculate

$$g(\phi R(\phi X, \phi Y)Z, \phi W) = g(R(Z, W)\phi X, \phi Y).$$

Using (3.8) and then (1.7), (1.15) in the above equation we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} g(\phi R(\phi X, \phi Y)Z, \phi W) &= g(R(X, Y)Z, W) - g(W, X)\eta(Z)\eta(Y) + g(Z, X)\eta(W)\eta(Y) \\ &\quad + 2\eta(Z)\eta(X)g(W, \phi Y) - 2\eta(W)\eta(X)g(Z, \phi Y) - g(\phi Z, X)g(\phi W, \phi Y) \\ &\quad + g(\phi W, X)g(\phi Z, \phi Y) - g(W, X)g(Z, \phi Y) + g(Z, X)g(W, \phi Y). \end{aligned} \quad (3.9)$$

Replacing X, Y by ϕX and ϕY respectively in (3.8) and taking inner product with ϕW we obtain on using (1.4) and (3.9) we get

$$\begin{aligned} g(R(\phi X, \phi Y)\phi Z, \phi W) &= g(R(X, Y)Z, W) - g(W, X)\eta(Z)\eta(Y) + g(Z, X)\eta(W)\eta(Y) \\ &\quad + 3g(Y, \phi W)\eta(Z)\eta(X) - 3g(Z, \phi Y)\eta(W)\eta(X) + 2g(\phi W, X)g(Z, Y) \\ &\quad + 2g(\phi W, X)\eta(Z)\eta(Y) - 2g(W, X)g(Z, \phi Y). \end{aligned} \quad (3.10)$$

Now we shall recall the definition of ϕ -section. A plane section in the tangent space $T_p(M)$ is called a ϕ -section if there exists a unit vector X in $T_p M$ orthogonal to ξ such that $\{X, \phi X\}$ is an orthonormal basis of the plane section. Then the sectional curvature

$$K(X, \phi X) = g(R(X, \phi X)X, \phi X) \quad (3.11)$$

is called a ϕ -sectional curvature. A contact metric manifold $M(\phi, \xi, \eta, g)$ is said to be of constant ϕ -sectional curvature if at any point $P \in M$, the sectional curvature $K(X, \phi X)$ is independent of the choice of non-zero $X \in D_p$, where D denotes the contact distributions of the contact metric manifold defined by $\eta = 0$. The definition is valid for Lorentzian manifolds also [10].

We give the following theorem.

Theorem 3.1 *In a LP-Sasakian manifold $M(\phi, \xi, \eta, g)$ the relation $(Q\phi - \phi Q)X = 4n\phi X$ holds for any vector field X on M .*

Proof Let $\{X_i, \phi X_i, \xi\}$ ($i = 1, 2, \dots, m$) be a local ϕ -basis at any point of the manifold. Now putting $Y = Z = X_i$ in (3.10) and taking summation over i , we obtain by virtue of $\eta(X_i) = 0$,

$$\Sigma \phi R(\phi X, \phi X_i)\phi X_i = \Sigma R(X, X_i)X_i + 2\phi X g(X_i, X_i). \quad (3.12)$$

Again setting $Y = Z = \phi X_i$ in (3.10) we have

$$\Sigma \phi R(\phi X, \phi^2 X_i)\phi^2 X_i = \Sigma R(X, \phi X_i)\phi X_i + 2\phi X g(X_i, X_i). \quad (3.13)$$

Adding (3.12) and (3.13) and using the definition of Ricci operator, we calculate

$$\phi(Q(\phi X) - R(\phi X, \xi)\xi) = QX - R(X, \xi)\xi + 4n\phi X. \quad (3.14)$$

We can write from (1.16)

$$R(\phi X, \xi)\xi = \phi X. \quad (3.15)$$

Using (3.13) and (3.14)

$$\phi(Q(\phi X)) = QX + 4n\phi X. \quad (3.16)$$

Operating ϕ on both sides and using (1.17)

$$Q(\phi X) - \phi(QX) = 4n\phi X. \quad (3.17)$$

By virtue of (3.17) theorem (3.1) is proved. \square

For the next proof we consider the symbol W_{jk}^i where W_{jk}^i denotes the difference $\bar{\Gamma}_{jk}^i - \Gamma_{jk}^i$ of Christoffel symbols in an LP-Sasakian manifold [8]. In global notation we can write

$$W(Y, Z) = (1 - a)[\eta(Z)\phi Y + \eta(Y)\phi Z] + \frac{1}{2}(1 - \frac{1}{a})[(\nabla_Y \eta)Z + (\nabla_Z \eta)Y]\xi, \quad (3.18)$$

for all $Y, Z \in \chi(M)$. We state our next theorem.

Theorem 3.2 *Under a D-homothetic deformation, the operator $Q\phi - \phi Q$ of a LP-Sasakian manifold $M(\phi, \xi, \eta, g)$ is conformal.*

Proof If R and \bar{R} denote the curvature tensors of the LP-Sasakian manifold $M(\phi, \xi, \eta, g)$ and $M(\bar{\phi}, \bar{\xi}, \bar{\eta}, \bar{g})$ respectively then we know from [8]

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{R}(X, Y)Z &= R(X, Y)Z + (\nabla_X W)(Z, Y) - (\nabla_Y W)(Z, X) \\ &\quad + W(W(Z, Y), X) - W(W(Z, X), Y). \end{aligned} \quad (3.19)$$

Using (1.13) in (3.18) we calculate

$$W(Y, Z) = (1 - a)[\eta(Z)\phi Y + \eta(Y)\phi Z] + (1 - \frac{1}{a})g(\phi Y, Z)\xi. \quad (3.20)$$

Taking covariant differentiation w.r.t. X and after using (1.8), (3.2), we obtain,

$$\begin{aligned} (\nabla_X W)(Y, Z) &= (1 - a)[g(\phi X, Z)\phi Y + g(X, Y)\eta(Z)\xi + 2\eta(Z)\eta(Y)X \\ &\quad + 4\eta(X)\eta(Y)\eta(Z)\xi + g(\phi X, Y)\phi Z + g(X, Z)\eta(Y)\xi] \\ &\quad + (1 - \frac{1}{a})g(\phi Y, Z)\phi X. \end{aligned} \quad (3.21)$$

Using (3.21) in (3.19) we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{R}(X, Y)Z &= R(X, Y)Z + (1 - a)\eta(Y)g(X, Z)\xi \\ &\quad + 2(1 - a)\eta(Z)\eta(Y)X + (1 - a)g(\phi X, Z)\phi Y + (1 - \frac{1}{a})g(\phi Z, Y)\phi X \\ &\quad - (1 - a)g(Y, Z)\eta(X)\xi \\ &\quad - 2(1 - a)\eta(X)\eta(Z)Y - (1 - a)g(\phi Y, Z)\phi X - (1 - \frac{1}{a})g(\phi Z, X)\phi Y \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& +(1-a)\eta(Y)[(1-\frac{1}{a})g(\phi^2 Z, X)\xi] + (1-a)\eta(Z)[(1-a)\eta(X)\phi^2 Y \\
& +(1-\frac{1}{a})g(\phi^2 Y, X)\xi] + (1-\frac{1}{a})g(\phi Z, X)[-(1-a)\phi X] \\
& -(1-a)\eta(X)[(1-\frac{1}{a})g(\phi^2 Z, Y)\xi] - (1-a)\eta(Z)[(1-a)\eta(Y)\phi^2 X \\
& +(1-\frac{1}{a})g(\phi^2 X, Y)\xi] - (1-\frac{1}{a})g(\phi Z, X)[-(1-a)\phi Y].
\end{aligned} \tag{3.22}$$

From (3.22) we get

$$a\bar{S}(Y, Z) = S(Y, Z) + \frac{(1-a)^2}{a}. \tag{3.23}$$

Using the properties of Ricci operator

$$a\bar{Q}Y = QY + \frac{(1-a)^2}{a}.$$

Operating $\phi = \bar{\phi}$ on both sides from left hand side

$$a\bar{\phi} \bar{Q}Y = \phi QY + \frac{(1-a)^2}{a}.$$

Operating $\phi = \bar{\phi}$ on both sides from right hand side

$$a\bar{Q} \bar{\phi}Y = Q\phi Y + \frac{(1-a)^2}{a}.$$

Subtracting the above two equations we obtain

$$a(\bar{\phi} \bar{Q} - \bar{Q} \bar{\phi}) = (\phi Q - Q\phi). \tag{3.24}$$

The equation (3.24) proves our theorem. \square

We can also prove the following theorems as a consequence of D-homothetic deformation.

Theorem 3.3 *Under D-homothetic deformation, an η -Einstein LP-Sasakian manifold remains invariant.*

Proof In an η -Einstein LP-Sasakian manifold [9]

$$S(X, Y) = [\frac{r}{n-1} - 1]g(X, Y) + [\frac{r}{n-1} - n]\eta(X)\eta(Y).$$

Under D-homothetic deformation we get

$$\bar{S}(X, Y) = [a(\frac{r}{n-1} - 1)]g(X, Y) + [a(a-1)(\frac{r}{n-1} - 1) + a^2(\frac{r}{n-1} - n)]\eta(X)\eta(Y).$$

Hence the result is proved. \square

Theorem 3.4 *Under D-homothetic deformation, the ϕ -sectional curvature of a LP-Sasakian manifold is conformal.*

Proof Putting $Y = \phi X, Z = X$ in (3.12) and taking inner product with ϕX , we obtain on using (1.4) and the orthogonality property we get

$$ag(\bar{R}(X, \phi X)X, \phi X) = g(R(X, \phi X)X, \phi X) + (a - \frac{1}{a}) \tag{3.25}$$

$$a\overline{K}(X, \phi X) - K(X, \phi X) = (a - \frac{1}{a}). \quad \square$$

Theorem 3.5 *There exists LP-Sasakian manifold with non-zero and non-constant ϕ -sectional curvature.*

Proof If the LP-Sasakian manifold satisfies $R(X, Y)\xi = 0$, then it can be proved easily that $K(X, \phi X) = 0$ and therefore from (3.25) we can conclude that $\overline{K}(X, \phi X) \neq 0$ for $a \neq 1$ where X is a unit vector field orthogonal to ξ . Hence the result is proved. \square

§4. An Example of a LP-Sasakian Manifold

In this section we shall prove the equality (3.25) by taking an example of LP-Sasakian manifold [1]. Let us consider a 5-dimensional manifold $\tilde{M} = \{(x, y, z, u, v) \in R^5 : ((x, y, z, u, v) \neq (0, 0, 0, 0, 0))\}$ where (x, y, z, u, v) are the standard coordinate in R^5 . The vector fields

$$e_1 = -2\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + 2y\frac{\partial}{\partial z}, \quad e_2 = \frac{\partial}{\partial y}, \quad e_3 = \frac{\partial}{\partial z}, \quad e_4 = -2\frac{\partial}{\partial u} + 2v\frac{\partial}{\partial z}, \quad e_5 = \frac{\partial}{\partial v}$$

are linearly independent at each point of M . Let g be the Lorentzian metric defined by

$$\begin{aligned} g(e_i, e_j) &= 1, \quad \text{for } i = j \neq 3, \\ g(e_i, e_j) &= 0, \quad \text{for } i \neq j, \\ g(e_3, e_3) &= -1. \end{aligned}$$

Here i and j runs from 1 to 5. Let η be the 1-form defined by $\eta(Z) = g(Z, e_3)$, for any vector field Z tangent to \tilde{M} . Let ϕ be the $(1, 1)$ tensor field defined by

$$\phi e_1 = e_2, \quad \phi e_2 = e_1, \quad \phi e_3 = 0, \quad \phi e_4 = e_5, \quad \phi e_5 = e_4.$$

Then using the linearity of ϕ and g we have

$$\eta(e_3) = -1, \quad \phi^2 Z = Z + \eta(Z)e_3,$$

for any vector fields Z, W tangent to \tilde{M} . Thus for $e_3 = \xi$, $\tilde{M}(\phi, \xi, \eta, g)$ forms a LP-Sasakian manifold.

Let ∇ be the Levi-Civita connection on \tilde{M} with respect to the metric g . Then the followings can be obtained

$$[e_1, e_2] = -2e_3, \quad [e_1, e_3] = 0, \quad [e_2, e_3] = 0.$$

On taking $e_3 = \xi$ and using Koszul's formula for the metric g , we calculate

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla_{e_1} e_3 &= e_2, & \nabla_{e_1} e_2 &= -e_3, & \nabla_{e_1} e_1 &= 0, \\ \nabla_{e_2} e_3 &= e_1, & \nabla_{e_2} e_2 &= 0, & \nabla_{e_2} e_1 &= e_3, \\ \nabla_{e_3} e_3 &= 0, & \nabla_{e_3} e_2 &= e_1, & \nabla_{e_3} e_1 &= e_2. \end{aligned}$$

Using the above relations, we can easily calculate the non-vanishing components of the curvature

tensor as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} R(e_1, e_2)e_2 &= 3e_1, \quad R(e_1, e_2)e_1 = 3e_2, \quad R(e_2, e_3)e_3 = -e_2, \\ R(e_1, e_3)e_2 &= 0, \quad R(e_1, e_3)e_1 = -e_3, \quad R(e_2, e_3)e_2 = e_3, \\ R(e_1, e_2)e_3 &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

In equation (3.22) we put $X = e_1, Y = \phi e_1, Z = e_1$. Taking inner product with ϕe_1 we obtain

$$a\overline{K}(e_1, \phi e_1) - K(e_1, \phi e_1) = a - \frac{1}{a}.$$

Hence, by this example Theorem 3.4 is verified.

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