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# A Study on K-Contact Manifolds Admitting Semi-Symmetric Non-Metric Connection

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### 1. Introduction:

In [12], Friedmann and Schouten introduced the notion of semi-symmetric linear connection on a differentiable manifold. Hayden [13] introduced the idea of semi-symmetric non-metric connection on a Riemannian manifold. The idea of semi-symmetric metric connection on Riemannian manifold was introduced by Yano [20]. Various properties of such connection have been studied by many geometers. Agashe and Chafle [1] defined and studied a semisymmetric non-metric connection in a Riemannian manifold. This was further developed by Agashe and Chafle [2], De and Kamilya [11], Tripathi and Kakkar [17], Jaiswal and Ojha [14] and several other geometers. Sengupta, De and Binh [16], De and Sengupta [10] defined new types of semi-symmetric non-metric connections on a Riemannian manifold and studied some geometrical properties with respect to such connections. Chaubey and Ojha [8], defined new type of semi-symmetric non-metric connection on an almost contact metric manifold. In [9], Chaubey defined a semi-symmetric non-metric connection on an almost contact metric manifold and studied its different geometrical properties. Some properties of such connection have been further studied by Jaiswal and Ojha [14], Chaubey and Ojha [8].

In the present paper, we study the properties of semisymmetric non-metric connection in K-Contact manifold. Section 2 is preliminaries in which the basic definitions are given. Next sections deals with brief account of semi-symmetric non-metric connection and some properties of curvature tensors are obtained.

#### 2. Preliminaries:

An *n*-dimensional differentiable manifold *M* is said to have an almost contact structure ( $\phi$ ,  $\xi$ ,  $\eta$ ) if it carries a tensor field  $\phi$  of type (1,1), a vector field  $\xi$  and a 1form  $\eta$  on *M* satisfying

$$(2.1)\phi^2 X = -X + \eta(X)\xi, \ \phi\xi = 0, \eta(\xi) = 1, \ \eta \cdot \phi = 0.$$

If g is a Riemannian metric with almost contact structure that is,

$$(2.2)g(\phi X, \phi Y) = g(X, Y) - \eta(X)\eta(Y),$$
  
$$\eta(X) = g(X, \xi).$$

Then *M* is called an almost contact metric manifold equipped with an almost contact metric structure  $(\phi, \xi, \eta, g)$  and denoted by  $(M, \phi, \xi, \eta, g)$ .

If on  $(M, \phi, \xi, \eta, g)$  the exterior derivative of 1-form  $\eta$  satisfies,

$$d\eta(X,Y) = g(X,\phi Y).$$

Then  $(M, \phi, \xi, \eta, g)$  is said to be a contact metric manifold.

If moreover  $\xi$  is Killing vector field, then M is called a K-contact manifold. A K-contact manifold is called Sasakian, if the relation

 $(2.3)(\nabla_{\mathbf{X}}\phi)Y = g(X,Y)\xi - \eta(Y)X,$ 

holds, where  $\nabla$  denotes the covariant differentiation with respect to *g*.From (2.3), we get

 $(2.4)\nabla_{\mathbf{X}}\xi = -\phi X, (\nabla_{\mathbf{X}}\eta)Y = g(X,\phi Y).$ 

In a K-contact manifold *M* the following relations holds:

$$(2.5)g(R(\xi, X)Y, \xi) = g(X, Y) - \eta(X)\eta(Y),$$
  

$$(2.6)R(X, Y)\xi = \eta(Y)X - \eta(X)Y,$$
  

$$(2.7)R(\xi, X)\xi = \eta(X)\xi - X,$$
  

$$(2.8) S(X, \xi) = (n - 1)\eta(X),$$

for any vector fields X, Y. Where R is the Riemannian curvature tensor and S is the Ricci tensor of the manifold M.

#### 3. semi-symmetric non-metric connection:

A linear connection  $\tilde{\nabla}$  on *M* is defined as

(3.1)  $\tilde{\nabla}_X Y = \nabla_X Y + \eta(Y) X,$ 

Where  $\eta$  is a 1-form associated with the vector field  $\xi$  on M. By virtue of (3.1), the torsion tensor  $\tilde{T}$  of the connection  $\tilde{V}$  and is given by

(3.2) 
$$\tilde{T}(X,Y) = \tilde{\nabla}_X Y - \tilde{\nabla}_Y X - [X,Y].$$

A linear connection  $\tilde{V}$  on M is said to be a semisymmetric connection if its torsion tensor  $\tilde{T}$  of the connection  $\tilde{V}$  satisfies

(3.3)  $\tilde{T}(X,Y) = \eta(Y)X - \eta(X)Y.$ 

If moreover  $\tilde{\nabla}g = 0$  then the connection is called a semi-symmetric metric connection. If  $\tilde{\nabla}g \neq 0$  then the connection  $\tilde{\nabla}$  is called a semi-symmetric nonmetric connection.

From (3.1), we get

 $(3.4)(\widetilde{\nabla}_X g)(Y,Z) = -\eta(Y)g(X,Z) - \eta(Z)g(X,Y),$ for all vector fields *X*, *Y*, *Z* on *M*.

A relation between Riemannian curvature tensors R and  $\tilde{R}$  with respect to Riemannian connection  $\nabla$  and semi-symmetric non-metric connection  $\tilde{\nabla}$  of a K-contact manifold M is given by

 $(3.5)\tilde{R}(X,Y)Z = R(X,Y)Z - \alpha(Y,Z)X + \alpha(X,Z)Y$ , for all vector fields X, Y, Z on M where  $\alpha$  is a tensor field of (0,2) type defined by

 $(3.6)\alpha(X,Y) = (\nabla_X \eta)Y - \eta(X)\eta(Y) = (\widetilde{\nabla}_X \eta)Y.$ By using(2.6)in (3.6), we obtain

 $(3.7)\alpha(X,Y) = g(X,\phi Y) - \eta(X)\eta(Y).$ 

By virtue of (3.7) in equation (3.5), we get

 $(3.8)\tilde{R}(X,Y)Z = R(X,Y)Z - g(Y,\phi Z)X$ 

 $+\eta(\mathbf{Z})\eta(\mathbf{Y})\mathbf{X} + g(\mathbf{X},\phi\mathbf{Z})\mathbf{Y} - \eta(\mathbf{X})\eta(\mathbf{Z})\mathbf{Y}.$ 

A relation between Ricci tensors  $\tilde{S}$  and Swith respect to semi-symmetric non-metric connection  $\tilde{V}$  and the Riemannian connection  $\nabla$  of a K-contact manifold M is given by

(3.9)  $\tilde{S}(Y,Z) = S(Y,Z) - (n-1)\alpha(Y,Z).$ 

On contracting (3.9), we obtain

 $(3.10)\tilde{r} = r - (n-1)trace(\alpha).$ 

**Lemma 3.1:** Let M be an n-dimensional K-contact manifold with respect to the semi-symmetric non-metric connection  $\tilde{V}$ . Then

$$(3.11)\big(\tilde{\nabla}_X \phi\big)Y = (\nabla_X \phi)Y - \eta(Y)\phi X,$$
  
(3.12) $\tilde{\nabla}_X \xi = X - \phi X,$ 

 $(3.13)\big(\tilde{V}_X \eta\big)Y = (\nabla_X \eta)Y - \eta(X)\eta(Y) = \alpha(X,Y).$ 

**Proof:** By using (3.1) and (2.1), we obtain (3.11). From (3.1) and (2.5), we get (3.12). Finally, by virtue of (3.1), (2.4) and (2.6) we get (3.13).

From (3.13), we can easily state the following corollary:

**Corollary 3.1:** In a K-contact manifold, the tensor field  $\alpha$  satisfies

$$(3.14)\tilde{\alpha}(X,\xi) = -\eta(X).$$

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**Theorem 3.1:** In a K-contact manifold with semisymmetric non-metric connection  $\tilde{V}$ , we have

 $(3.15)\tilde{R}(X,Y)Z + \tilde{R}(Y,Z)X + \tilde{R}(Z,X)Y$  $= [\alpha(X,Z) - \alpha(Z,X)]Y + [\alpha(Z,Y) - \alpha(Y,Z)]X$ +[ $\alpha(Y,X) - \alpha(X,Y)$ ]Z.  $(3.16)\tilde{R}(X,Y,Z,W) + \tilde{R}(Y,X,Z,W) = 0.$  $(3.17)\tilde{R}(X,Y,Z,W) - \tilde{R}(Z,W,X,Y)$  $= [\alpha(X,Z) - \alpha(Z,X)]g(Y,W)$  $+\alpha(W,X)g(Y,Z)-\alpha(Y,Z)g(X,W).$ *Proof:* By using(3.5), we obtain  $(3.18)\tilde{R}(X,Y)Z + \tilde{R}(Y,Z)X + \tilde{R}(Z,X)Y$ = R(X,Y)Z + R(X,Y)Z + R(X,Y)Z $+[\alpha(X,Z)-\alpha(Z,X)]Y$  $+[\alpha(Z,Y)-\alpha(Y,Z)]X$ +  $[\alpha(Y, X) - \alpha(X, Y)]Z$ . By using first Bianchi identity R(X, Y)Z + R(Y, Z)X +R(Z, X)Y = 0in (3.18)we obtain(3.15). Again by using(3.5), we get  $(3.19)\tilde{R}(X,Y,Z,W) = R(X,Y,Z,W)$  $-\alpha(Y,Z)g(X,W) + \alpha(X,Z)g(Y,W).$ If we change the role of *X* and *Y* in (3.19), we have  $(3.20)\tilde{R}(Y,X,Z,W) = R(Y,X,Z,W)$  $+\alpha(Y,Z)g(X,W) - \alpha(X,Z)g(Y,W).$ By virtue of (3.19) and (3.20), we obtain  $(3.21)\tilde{R}(X,Y,Z,W) + \tilde{R}(Y,X,Z,W)$ = R(X, Y, Z, W) + R(Y, X, Z, W).Since R(X, Y, Z, W) + R(Y, X, Z, W) = 0 and then we

get (3.16).

Now by using (3.19), we have

$$(3.22)\tilde{R}(X,Y,Z,W) - \tilde{R}(Z,W,X,Y)$$
  
=  $R(X,Y,Z,W) + R(Z,W,X,Y)$   
+ $[\alpha(X,Z) - \alpha(Z,X)]g(Y,W)$   
+ $\alpha(W,X)g(Y,Z) - \alpha(Y,Z)g(X,W).$ 

We know that R(X, Y, Z, W) = R(Z, W, X, Y), then (3.22) reduces as (3.17).

**Lemma 3.2:** Let M be an n-dimensional K-contact manifold with respect to the semi-symmetric nonmetric connection  $\overline{\nabla}$ . Then

> $(3.23)\tilde{R}(X,Y)\xi = 2[\eta(Y)X - \eta(X)Y],$  $(3.24)\tilde{R}(\xi,X)\xi = 2[\eta(X)\xi - X],$

 $(3.25)\tilde{R}(\xi, X)Y = g(X, Y)\xi - 2\eta(Y)X - \alpha(X, Y)\xi,$ 

*Proof:* By using (2.8)in (3.5), we get (3.23). By using (2.10)and (3.5), we have (3.24). From (2.9)and (3.5), we obtain (3.25).

**Lemma 3.3:** In an *n*-dimensional K-contact manifold with respect to the semi-symmetric non-metric connection, we have

 $\begin{aligned} (3.26)\tilde{S}(X,\xi) &= 2(n-1)\eta(X), \\ (3.27)\tilde{S}(\phi X,\phi Y) &= \tilde{S}(X,Y). \end{aligned}$ 

*Proof:* By using (2.11) and (3.9), we obtain (3.26). From equation(2.12)and (3.9), we get (3.27).

4.Projective curvature tensor of K-contact manifold admitting semi-symmetric non-metric connection:

Let M be an n - dimensional K-contact manifold, then the Projective curvature tensor P of M with respect to the Levi-Civita connection is defined by

$$(4.1)P(X,Y)Z = R(X,Y)Z - \frac{1}{n-1}[S(Y,Z)X - S(X,Z)Y].$$

where R and S are Riemannian curvature tensor and Ricci tensor of the K-contact manifold M.

**Theorem 4.2:** Let M be a K-contact manifold. Then the Projective curvature tensor  $\tilde{P}$  of M with respect to the semi-symmetric non-metric connection is equal to the Weyl projective curvature tensor P of the Levi Civita connection of K-contact manifold M.

**Proof:** Let  $\tilde{P}$  and P denote the Projective curvature tensor of M with respect to the semi-symmetric nonmetric connection and the Levi-Civita connection, respectively. Projective curvature tensor  $\tilde{P}$  with respect to semi-symmetric non-metric connection is defined by

$$(4.2)\tilde{P}(X,Y)Z = \tilde{R}(X,Y)Z - \frac{1}{n-1}[\tilde{S}(Y,Z)X - \tilde{S}(X,Z)Y],$$

where  $\tilde{R}$  and  $\tilde{S}$  are the Riemannian curvature tensor and Ricci tensor of the K-contact manifold M with respect to the semi-symmetric non-metric connection. By using (3.5) and (3.9)in (4.2), we have

$$(4.3)\tilde{P}(X,Y)Z = R(X,Y)Z - \alpha(Y,Z)X$$
$$+\alpha(X,Z)Y - \frac{1}{n-1}[S(Y,Z)X]$$
$$-(n-1)\alpha(Y,Z)X - S(X,Z)Y]$$
$$+(n-1)\alpha(X,Z)Y],$$

which implies  $\tilde{P}(X, Y)Z = P(X, Y)Z$ . This completes the proof of the theorem.

**Theorem 4.3:** In an n -dimensional K-contact manifold M, the Projective curvature tensor  $\tilde{P}$  of the

manifold with respect to the semi-symmetric nonmetric connection satisfies the followings:

$$(4.4)\tilde{P}(X,Y)Z + \tilde{P}(Y,Z)X + \tilde{P}(Z,X)Y = 0,$$
  
$$(4.5)\tilde{P}(X,Y)Z + \tilde{P}(Y,X)Z = 0.$$

First Bianchi identity holds for Projective curvature tensor  $\tilde{P}$  in K-contact manifold.

If P(X,Y)Z = 0, that is projectively flat with respect to Levi-Civita connection then this implies  $\tilde{P}(X,Y)Z = 0$ , that is projectively flat with respect to semi-symmetric non-metric connection.

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