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# **On Kenmotsu Manifolds Satisfying Certain Pseudosymmetry Conditions**

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**Abstract:** We study on pseudosymmetric, Ricci-pseudosymmetric, Ricci-generalized pseudosymmetric and Weyl pseudosymmetric Kenmotsu manifolds.

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## INTRODUCTION

Let (M, g) be an n-dimensional,  $n \ge 3$ , differentiable manifold of class  $C^{\infty}$ . We denote by  $\nabla$  its Levi-Civita connection. We define endomorphisms R(X, Y) and  $X \land Y$  by:

 $R(X,Y)Z = [\nabla_X, \nabla_Y]Z - \nabla_{[X,Y]}Z$ 

and

$$(X \wedge Y)Z = g(Y, Z)X - g(X, Z)Y, \qquad (1)$$

respectively, where X, Y,  $Z \in \chi(M)$ ,  $\chi(M)$  being the Lie algebra of vector fields on M. The Riemannian Christoffel curvature tensor R is defined by R(X, Y, Z, W) = g(R(X, Y) Z, W), W \in \chi(M). Let S and  $\kappa$  denote the Ricci tensor and the scalar curvature of M, respectively. The Weyl conformal curvature tensor is defined by:

$$C(X, Y)Z = R(X,Y)Z - \frac{1}{n-2} \{S(Y,Z)X - S(X,Z)Y + g(Y,Z)QX - g(X,Z)QY \} + \frac{\kappa}{(n-1)(n-2)} \{g(Y,Z)X - g(X,Z)Y\}, (2)$$

where, Q is the Ricci operator defined by g(QX, Y) = S(X,Y) [1].

We define tensors  $R \cdot R$ ,  $R \cdot S$ , Q(g, R) and Q(g, S) by:

$$(R(X, Y) \cdot R)(X_1, X_2, X_3) = R(X, Y)R(X_1, X_2) X_3 - R(R(X, Y)X_1, X_2) X_3 - R(X_1, R(X, Y) X_2) X_3 - R(X_1, X_2) R(X, Y)X_3,$$
(3)

$$(R(X, Y) \cdot S)(X_1, X_2) = -S(R(X, Y) X_1, X_2) - S(X_1, R(X, Y)X_2),$$
(4)

$$Q(g,R)(X_1, X_2, X_3; X, Y) = (X \land Y)R(X_1, X_2) X_3 - R((X \land Y)X_1, X_2) X_3 - R(X_1, (X \land Y)X_2) X_3 - R(X_1, X_2)(X \land Y) X_3 (5)$$

and

$$Q(g, S)(X_1, X_2; X, Y) = -S((X \land Y)X_1, X_2) - S(X_1, (X \land Y)X_2),$$
(6)

respectively, where  $X_1$ ,  $X_2$ ,  $X_3$ , X,  $Y \in \chi(M)$ . The tensors R·C and Q(g, C) are defined in the same manner as the tensors R·R and Q(g, R) [2].

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If the tensors  $R \cdot R$  and Q(g, R) are linearly dependent then M is called *pseudosymmetric*. This is equivalent to:

$$\mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{R} = \mathbf{L}_{\mathbf{R}} \mathbf{Q}(\mathbf{g}, \mathbf{R}) \tag{7}$$

holding on the set  $U_R = \{x \in M: Q(g, R) \neq 0 \text{ at } x\}$ , where  $L_R$  is some function on  $U_R$  [2]. If  $R \cdot R = 0$  then M is called *semisymmetric*. Every semisymmetric manifold is pseudosymmetric but the converse statement is not true. If  $\nabla R = 0$  then M is called *locally symmetric*. It is trivial that if M is locally symmetric then it is semisymmetric [3].

If the tensors  $R \cdot S$  and Q(g, S) are linearly dependent then M is called *Ricci-pseudosymmetric*. This is equivalent to:

$$\mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{S} = \mathbf{L}_{\mathbf{S}} \mathbf{Q}(\mathbf{g}, \mathbf{S}) \tag{8}$$

holding on the set  $U_S = \{x \in M: S \neq \frac{\kappa}{n}g \text{ at } x\}$ , where  $L_S$  is some function on  $U_S$  [2].

Every pseudosymmetric manifold is Ricci-pseudosymmetric but the converse statement is not true. If  $R \cdot S = 0$  then M is called *Ricci-semisymmetric*. Every semisymmetric manifold is Ricci-semisymmetric but the converse statement is not true. Every Ricci-semisymmetric manifold is Ricci-pseudosymmetric but the converse statement is not true [2].

If the tensors  $R \cdot R$  and Q(S, R) are linearly dependent then M is called *Ricci-generalized pseudosymmetric* [2]. This is equivalent to

$$\mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{R} = \mathbf{L} \mathbf{Q}(\mathbf{S}, \mathbf{R}) \tag{9}$$

holding on the set  $U = \{x \in M: Q(S,R) \neq 0 \text{ at } x\}$ , where L is some function on U. The tensors Q(S, R) and  $X \wedge_S Y$  are defined by:

$$Q(S, R)(X_1, X_2, X_3; X, Y) = (X \land_S Y)R(X_1, X_2) X_3 - R((X \land_S Y)X_1, X_2) X_3 -R(X_1, (X \land_S Y) X_2) X_3 - R(X_1, X_2)(X \land_S Y) X_3$$
(10)

and

$$(X \wedge_{S} Y)Z = S(Y, Z)X - S(X, Z)Y,$$
(11)

respectively.

If the tensors  $R \cdot C$  and Q(g, C) are linearly dependent then M is called *Weyl-pseudosymmetric*. This is equivalent to

$$\mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{C} = \mathbf{L}_{\mathbf{C}} \mathbf{Q}(\mathbf{g}, \mathbf{C}) \tag{12}$$

holding on the set  $U_C = \{x \in M: C \neq 0 \text{ at } x\}$ , where  $L_C$  is some function on  $U_C$ . If  $R \cdot C = 0$  then M is called *Weyl-semisymmetric*. If M is Weyl-semisymmetric then it is trivially Weyl-pseudosymmetric. But the converse statement is not true [2].

Semisymmetric Kenmotsu manifolds were studied in [4], Ricci-semisymmetric and Weyl-semisymmetric Kenmotsu manifolds were studied in [5]. In this paper, we study on Kenmotsu manifolds satisfying several pseudosymmetry conditions. The paper is organized as follows: In Section 2, we give a brief account of Kenmotsu manifolds. In Section 3, we find the characterizations of Kenmotsu manifolds satisfying the pseudosymmetry conditions like  $R \cdot R = L_R Q(g, R)$ ,  $R \cdot R = LQ(S, R)$  and  $R \cdot C = L_C Q(g, C)$ .

#### **KENMOTSU MANIFOLDS**

Let M be an almost contact manifold [6] equipped with an almost contact metric structure  $(\varphi, \xi, \eta, g)$  consisting of a (1, 1) tensor field  $\varphi$ , a vector field  $\xi$ , a 1-form  $\eta$  and a compatible Riemannian metric g satisfying

$$\varphi^{2} = -\mathbf{I} + \eta \otimes \xi, \quad \eta(\xi) = 1, \quad \varphi \xi = 0, \quad \eta \circ \varphi = 0, \tag{13}$$

$$g(X,Y) = g(\varphi X,\varphi Y) + \eta(X)\eta(Y), \tag{14}$$

$$g(X,\phi Y) = -g(\phi X, Y), \qquad g(X,\xi) = \eta(X)$$
(15)

for all X,  $Y \in \chi(M)$ . An almost contact metric manifold M is called a *Kenmotsu manifold* if it satisfies [4]

$$(\nabla_{\mathbf{X}}\phi)\mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{g}(\phi\mathbf{X},\mathbf{Y})\boldsymbol{\xi} - \boldsymbol{\eta}(\mathbf{Y})\phi\mathbf{X}, \quad \mathbf{X}, \, \mathbf{Y} \in \boldsymbol{\chi}(\mathbf{M}), \tag{16}$$

where,  $\nabla$  is Levi-Civita connection of the Riemannian metric g. From the above equation it follows that

$$\nabla_{\mathbf{X}}\boldsymbol{\xi} = \mathbf{X} - \boldsymbol{\eta}(\mathbf{X})\boldsymbol{\xi},\tag{17}$$

$$(\nabla_{\mathbf{X}} \eta) \mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{X}, \mathbf{Y}) - \eta(\mathbf{X}) \eta(\mathbf{Y}). \tag{18}$$

Moreover, the curvature tensor R, the Ricci tensor S and the Ricci operator Q satisfy [4]

$$S(X,\xi) = (1-n)\eta(X),$$
 (19)

$$Q\xi = (1-n)\xi \tag{20}$$

and

$$R(\xi, X)Y = \eta(Y)X - g(X, Y)\xi, \qquad (21)$$

where n = 2m+1. Kenmotsu manifolds have been studied various authors. For example see [5, 7-12].

A Kenmotsu manifold is normal (that is, the Nijenhuis tensor of  $\varphi$  equals  $-2d\eta \otimes \xi$ ) but not Sasakian. Moreover, it is also not compact since from equation (17) we get div  $\xi = n-1$ . In [4], Kenmotsu showed (i) that locally a Kenmotsu manifold is a warped product  $I \times_{f} N$  of an interval I and a Kähler manifold N with warping function  $f(t) = se^{t}$ , where s is a nonzero constant; and (ii) that a Kenmotsu manifold of constant  $\varphi$ -sectional curvature is a space of constant curvature -1 and so it is locally hyperbolic space.

### RESULTS

In [4], K. Kenmotsu studied on semisymmetric Kenmotsu manifolds. In [5], it was considered Riccisemisymmetric Kenmotsu manifolds. In this chapter, our aim is to find the characterizations of Kenmotsu manifolds which are pseudosymmetric, Ricci-generalized pseudosymmetric and Weyl-pseudosymmetric. Firstly we give:

**Theorem 3.1:** Let M be an n-dimensional,  $n \ge 3$ , Kenmotsu manifold. If M is pseudosymmetric then either it is locally isometric to the hyperbolic space  $H^n(-1)$  or  $L_R = -1$  holds on M.

**Proof:** If M is semisymmetric then it is trivially pseudosymmetric. In [4], it was proved that a semisymmetric Kenmotsu manifold is locally isometric to the hyperbolic space  $H^n(-1)$ . Now assume that M is not a semisymmetric, a pseudosymmetric Kenmotsu manifold. From (21) and (1), since

$$R(\xi, X)Y = (X \land \xi)Y, \tag{22}$$

it is easy to see that:

$$R(\xi, X) \cdot R = (X \wedge \xi) \cdot R$$
,

which implies that the pseudosymmetry function  $L_R = -1$ . Thus the proof of our theorem is completed. Therefore we have the following corollary:

**Corollary 3.2:** Every Kenmotsu manifold  $M^n$ ,  $n \ge 3$ , is a pseudosymmetric manifold of the form  $R \cdot R = -Q(g, R)$ .

**Proof:** If M is semisymmetric by the proof of the previous theorem  $R \cdot R = Q(g, R) = 0$ . If M is not semisymmetric then  $L_R = -1$ , hence  $R \cdot R = -Q(g, R)$  holds on M. This proves the corollary.

An important subclass of Ricci-generalized pseudosymmetric manifolds is formed by the manifolds realizing the condition:

$$\mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{R} = \mathbf{Q}(\mathbf{S}, \mathbf{R}). \tag{23}$$

It is known from [13] that every 3-dimensional semi-Riemannian manifold satisfies (23). Now our aim is to investigate Kenmotsu manifolds realizing the condition (23). So we have the following result:

**Theorem 3.3:** Let M be an n-dimensional,  $n \ge 3$ , Kenmotsu manifold. Then the condition (23) holds on M if and only if M is locally isometric to the hyperbolic space  $H^n(-1)$ .

**Proof:** Assume that M is locally isometric to the Hyperbolic space  $H^n(-1)$ . Then it is easy to see that the condition  $R \cdot R = Q(S, R) = 0$  is satisfied on M. Now let X, Y, Z, W be vector fields on M. Then from (3) we have:

$$(R(\xi, X) \cdot R)(Y, Z, W) = R(\xi, X)R(Y, Z)W \cdot R(R(\xi, X)Y, Z)W \cdot R(Y, R(\xi, X)Z)W \cdot R(Y, Z)R(\xi, X)W.$$
(24)

Using (21) and taking the inner product of (24) with  $\xi$  we get:

$$g((R(\xi, X) \cdot R)(Y, Z, W), \xi) = -R(Y, Z, W, X) - g(X, Y) g(Z, W) + g(X, Z)g(Y, W).$$
(25)

Similarly by the use of (10) we can write:

$$Q(S,R)(Y, Z, W; \xi, X) = (\xi_{S}X)R(Y, Z)W-R((\xi_{S}X)Y, Z)W-R(Y, (\xi_{S}X)Z)W-R(Y, Z)(\xi_{S}X)W.$$
(26)

So using (11, 19, 21) and taking the inner product of (26) with  $\xi$  we get:

$$g(Q(S, R)(Y, Z, W; \xi, X), \xi) = S(X, R(Y, Z)W)-S(X, Y)\eta(W) \eta(Z)+S(X, Y)g(Z, W) -S(X, Z)g(Y, W)+S(X, Z)\eta(W)\eta (Y)+(1-n) g(X, Y)\eta(W)\eta(Z) -(1-n)g (X, Z)\eta (W)\eta (Y).$$
(27)

Since the condition  $R \cdot R = Q(S, R)$  holds on M, from (24) and (27) we have:

$$(R(\xi, X) \cdot R)(Y, Z, W) = Q(S, R)(Y, Z, W; \xi, X).$$
(28)

Taking the inner product of the equation (28) with  $\xi$  we also have:

$$g((R(\xi, X) \cdot R)(Y, Z, W), \xi) = g(Q(S, R)(Y, Z, W; \xi, X), \xi).$$

Using the equations (25) and (27) we obtain:

$$-R(Y, Z, W, X) + g(X, Z)g(Y,W)-g(X,Y)g(Z,W) = S(X, R(Y, Z)W)-S(X, Y)\eta(W)\eta(Z) + S(X,Y)g(Z,W)-S(X, Z)g(Y,W) + S(X, Z)\eta(W)\eta(Y) + (1-n)g(X, Y)\eta(W)\eta(Z)-(1-n)g(X, Z)\eta(W)\eta(Y).$$
(29)

Putting  $Y = \xi$  in (29) we have:

$$\eta(W)[S(X, Z)-(1-n)g(X, Z)] = 0.$$
(30)

So we obtain:

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$$S(X, Z) = (1-n) g(X, Z).$$
 (31)

Then M is an Einstein manifold with the scalar curvature  $\kappa = n(1-n)$ . Hence putting (31) into (23) we find:

$$\mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{R} = (1 - \mathbf{n})\mathbf{Q}(\mathbf{g}, \mathbf{R}). \tag{32}$$

But from Corollary 3.2, we know that 1-n = -1. Since  $n \ge 3$ , this is impossible. So we get  $R \cdot R = 0$ . Then by [4], M is locally isometric to the hyperbolic space  $H^n(-1)$ . This proves the theorem.

**Theorem 3.4:** Let M be an n-dimensional,  $n \ge 3$ , Ricci-generalized pseudosymmetric Kenmotsu manifold. If M is not semisymmetric then M is an Einstein manifold with scalar curvature  $\kappa = n(1-n)$  and  $L = \frac{1}{n-1}$  holds on M.

**Proof:** Suppose that M is a Ricci-generalized pseudosymmetric Kenmotsu manifold and X, Y, Z,  $W \in \chi(M)$ . Similar to the proof of the previous theorem, from (25) and (27) we can write:

$$-R(Y, Z, W, X)+g(X, Z)g(Y, W)-g(X, Y)g(Z, W)$$
  
= L {S(X, R (Y, Z)W)-S(X, Y)\eta(W)\eta(Z)+S(X, Y)g(Z, W)-S(X, Z)g(Y,W)  
+ S(X, Z)\eta(W)\eta(Y)+(1-n)g(X, Y) \eta(W)\eta(Z)-(1-n)g(X, Z)\eta(W)\eta(Y)}. (33)

Replacing Y with  $\xi$  in (33) we get:

$$\eta(W)L[S(X, Z)-(1-n)g(X, Z)] = 0.$$
(34)

Since M is not semisymmetric  $L \neq 0$ . So from (34):

$$S(X, Z) = (1-n) g(X, Z)$$

Then M is an Einstein manifold with the scalar curvature  $\kappa = n(1-n)$ . So putting S = (1-n)g into (9) we obtain:

$$R \cdot R = (1-n)LQ(g, R).$$

But from Corollary 3.2, we know that (1-n)L = -1, which implies  $L = \frac{1}{n-1}$ . Hence we get the result, as required.

**Corollary 3.5:** Let M be an n-dimensional,  $n \ge 4$ , nonsemisymmetric Ricci-generalized pseudosymmetric Kenmotsu manifold. Then  $R \cdot R = R \cdot C$  holds on M.

**Proof:** Putting S = (1-n)g and  $\kappa = n(1-n)$  in (2) we get  $C(X, Y)Z = R(X, Y)Z+\{g(Y, Z)X-g(X, Z)Y\}$  So using (3) we get the result.

Ricci pseudosymmetric Kenmotsu manifolds were studied in [14] and the following result was proved:

**Theorem 3.6:** [14]. Let M be an n-dimensional,  $n \ge 3$ , Kenmotsu manifold. If M is Ricci-pseudosymmetric then either M is an Einstein manifold with the scalar curvature  $\kappa = n(1-n)$  or  $L_S = -1$  holds on M. So we have the following corollary:

**Corollary 3.7:** Every Kenmotsu manifold M,  $n \ge 3$ , is a Ricci-pseudosymmetric manifold of the form  $R \cdot S = -Q(g, S)$ .

**Proof:** If M is Ricci-semisymmetric by the proof of the previous theorem  $R \cdot S = Q(g, S) = 0$ . If M is not Ricci-semisymmetric, Ricci-pseudosymmetric then  $R \cdot S = -Q(g, S)$  holds on M. Hence we get the result, as required.

**Theorem 3.8:** Let M be an n-dimensional,  $n \ge 4$ , Kenmotsu manifold. If M is Weyl-pseudosymmetric then either M is locally isometric to the hyperbolic space  $H^n(-1)$  or  $L_C = -1$  holds on M.

**Proof:** If M is Weyl-semisymmetric then by [5], it is conformally flat and hence it is locally isometric to the hyperbolic space H<sup>n</sup> (-1). Assume that M is not a Weylsemisymmetric, a Weyl-pseudosymmetric Kenmotsu manifold. From (22), it is easy to see that  $R(\xi, X) \cdot C = (X \wedge \xi) \cdot C$ , which implies that the pseudosymmetry function  $L_C = -1$ . Therefore we have the following corollary:

**Corollary 3.9:** Every Kenmotsu manifold  $M^n$ ,  $n \ge 4$ , is a Weyl-pseudosymmetric manifold of the form  $R \cdot C = -Q(g, C)$ .

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