

On Pseudo Cyclic Ricci Symmetric Manifolds

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Abstract: The object of the present paper is to study concircularly symmetric $(PCRS)_n$, concircularly recurrent $(PCRS)_n$, decomposable $(PCRS)_n$. Among others it is shown that in a decomposable $(PCRS)_n$ one of the decompositions is Ricci flat and the other decomposition is cyclic parallel. The totally umbilical hypersurfaces of $(PCRS)_n$ are also studied.

Key words: Concircularly symmetric manifold, Concircularly recurrent manifold, Decomposable manifold, Pseudo cyclic Ricci symmetric manifold, Totally umbilical hypersurfaces.

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Yarı Devirli Ricci Simetrik Manifoldlar Üzerine

Abstract: Bu makalenin amacı, konsirkular simetrik $(PCRS)_n$, konsirkular tekrarlı $(PCRS)_n$, ayrışabilir $(PCRS)_n$ manifoldları incelemektir. $(PCRS)_n$ ayrışabilir manifoldunda ayrışımlardan birisinin Ricci düzlemsellik (flat), diğerinin de devirli paralellik olduğu gösterilmiştir. Aynı zamanda $(PCRS)_n$ nin tümüyle umbilik hiperyüzeyleri çalışılmıştır.

Anahtar kelimeler: Konsirkular simetrik manifold, Konsirkular tekrarlı manifold, Ayrışabilir manifold, Yarı devirli Ricci simetrik manifold, Tümüyle umbilik hiperyüzeyler.

1. Introduction

A Riemannian manifold is Ricci symmetric if its Ricci tensor *S* of type (0,2) satisfies $\nabla S = 0$, where ∇ denotes the Riemannian connection. During the last five decades, the notion of Ricci symmetry has been weakened by many authors in several ways such as Ricci-recurrent manifolds [1], Ricci semi-symmetric manifolds [2], pseudo Ricci symmetric manifolds by M. C. Chaki [3]. A non-flat Riemannian manifold (M^n ,g) is said to be pseudo Ricci symmetric [3] if its Ricci tensor *S* of type (0,2) is not identically zero and satisfies the condition

$$\left(\nabla_X S\right)(Y,Z) = 2A(X)S(Y,Z) + A(Y)S(Z,X) + A(Z)S(X,Y),\tag{1}$$

where A is a nowhere vanishing 1-form. Such an *n*-dimensional manifold is denoted by $(PRS)_n$.

Extending the notion of pseudo Ricci symmetric manifold, recently A. A. Shaikh and the present author [4] introduced the notion of *pseudo cyclic Ricci symmetric manifolds*. A Riemannian manifold $(M^n,g)(n>2)$ is said to be *pseudo cyclic Ricci symmetric*

manifold if its Ricci tensor S of type (0,2) is not identically zero and satisfies the following:

$$(\nabla_{X}S)(Y,Z) + (\nabla_{Y}S)(Z,X) + (\nabla_{Z}S)(X,Y)$$

$$= 2A(X)S(Y,Z) + A(Y)S(X,Z) + A(Z)S(Y,X)$$
or
$$(\nabla_{X}S)(Y,Z) + (\nabla_{Y}S)(Z,X) + (\nabla_{Z}S)(X,Y)$$

$$= 2A(Y)S(Z,X) + A(Z)S(X,Y) + A(X)S(Y,Z)$$
or
$$(\nabla_{X}S)(Y,Z) + (\nabla_{Y}S)(Z,X) + (\nabla_{Z}S)(X,Y)$$

$$= 2A(Z)S(X,Y) + A(X)S(Y,Z) + A(Y)S(Z,X),$$

$$(2)$$

where A is a nowhere vanishing 1-form associated to the vector field ρ such that $A(X) = g(X, \rho)$ for all X. Such an *n*-dimensional manifold is denoted by $(PCRS)_n$. The $(PCRS)_n$ admitting semi-symmetric metric connection is also studied in [5]. The pseudo cyclic Ricci symmetric manifolds are also studied in [6, 7].

The object of the present paper is to study $(PCRS)_n$. The paper is organized as follows. Section 2 is devoted to the study of concircularly symmetric $(PCRS)_n$. It is shown that in a concircularly symmetric $(PCRS)_n$ with constant scalar curvature, *-r* is an eigenvalue of the Ricci tensor *S* corresponding to the eigenvector ρ . Section 3 deals with a study of concircularly recurrent $(PCRS)_n$. It is proved that in a concircularly recurrent $(PCRS)_n$ with constant scalar curvature, *-n* is an eigenvalue of the Ricci tensor *S* corresponding to the eigenvector ρ . In section 4, we study decomposable $(PCRS)_n$ and it is shown that in a decomposable $(PCRS)_n$, one of the decompositions is Ricci flat and the Ricci tensor of the other decomposition is cyclic parallel.

Recently Özen and Altay [8] studied the totally umbilical hypersurfaces of weakly and pseudosymmetric spaces. Again Özen and Altay [9] also studied the totally umbilical hypersurfaces of weakly concircular and pseudo concircular symmetric spaces. In this connection it may be mentioned that Shaikh, Roy and Hui [10] studied the totally umbilical hypersurfaces of weakly conharmonically symmetric spaces. Section 5 deals with the study of totally umbilical hypersurfaces of $(PCRS)_n$. It is proved that the totally geodesic hypersurface of a $(PCRS)_n$ is also a $(PCRS)_n$.

2. Concircularly Symmetric (PCRS)_n

A $(PCRS)_n$ is said to be concircularly symmetric if its concircular curvature tensor \tilde{C} , given by,

$$\tilde{C}(Y, Z, U, V) = R(Y, Z, U, V) - \frac{r}{n(n-1)}G(Y, Z, U, V),$$
(3)

where r is the scalar curvature of the manifold and the tensor G is defined by



$$G(Y,Z,U,V) = g(Z,U) g(Y,V) - g(Y,U) g(Z,V),$$
(4)

satisfies the relation

$$(\nabla_{X} \tilde{C})(Y, Z, U, V) = 0.$$
(5)

Let us consider a concircularly symmetric $(PCRS)_n$. Then by virtue of (3), it follows from (5) that

$$(\nabla_{X} R)(Y, Z, U, V) - \frac{dr(X)}{n(n-1)} G(Y, Z, U, V) = 0.$$
 (6)

Let $\{e_i : i = 1, 2, ..., n\}$ be an orthonormal basis of the tangent space at any point of the manifold. Then putting $Y = V = e_i$ in (6) and taking summation over $i, 1 \le i \le n$, we get

$$(\nabla_X S)(Z,U) = \frac{dr(X)}{n} g(Z,U).$$
(7)

Using (7) in (2), we obtain

$$2A(X)S(Y,Z) + A(Y)S(X,Z) + A(Z)S(Y,X) = \frac{1}{n} [dr(X)g(Y,Z) + dr(Y)g(Z,X) + dr(Z)g(X,Y)].$$
(8)

Taking contraction of (8) over *Y* and *Z*, we get

$$A(QX) + rA(X) = \frac{n+2}{2n}dr(X),$$
(9)

where Q is the Ricci-operator i.e., g(QX, Y) = S(X, Y) for all X, Y.

We now suppose that the scalar curvature *r* is constant, then

$$dr(X) = 0 \text{ for all } X. \tag{10}$$

In view of (10), (9) yields

$$A(QX) = -rA(X), \tag{11}$$

i.e.,

$$S(X,\rho) = -r g(X,\rho).$$
⁽¹²⁾

This leads to the following:

Theorem 2.1. In a concircularly symmetric $(PCRS)_n$ with constant scalar curvature, - r is an eigenvalue of the Ricci tensor S corresponding to the eigenvector ρ .

Since every concircularly flat manifold is concircularly symmetric. So by virtue of Theorem 2.1, we can state the following:

Corollary 2.1. In a concircularly flat $(PCRS)_n$ with constant scalar curvature, -r is an eigenvalue of the Ricci tensor S corresponding to the eigenvector ρ .

3. Concircularly Recurrent (PCRS)_n

Definition 3.1. A (*PCRS*)_n is said to be concircularly recurrent ([11, 12]) if its concircular curvature tensor \tilde{C} satisfies the relation

$$(\nabla_{X}\tilde{C})(Y,Z,U,V) = A(X)\tilde{C}(Y,Z,U,V),$$
(13)

where A is a non-vanishing 1-form.

We now consider a concircularly recurrent $(PCRS)_n$. Then by virtue of (3), it follows from (13) that

$$(\nabla_{X}R)(Y, Z, U, V) - \frac{dr(X)}{n(n-1)}G(Y, Z, U, V)$$

$$= A(X)[R(Y, Z, U, V) - \frac{r}{n(n-1)}G(Y, Z, U, V)].$$
(14)

Contracting (14) over Y and V, we get

$$(\nabla_{X}S)(Z,U) - \frac{dr(X)}{n}g(Z,U) = A(X)[S(Z,U) - \frac{r}{n}g(Z,U)].$$
(15)

By virtue of (10), (15) yields

$$(\nabla_X S)(Z,U) = A(X)[S(Z,U) - \frac{r}{n}g(Z,U)].$$
 (16)

Using (16) in (2), we obtain

$$A(X)S(Y,Z) = -\frac{r}{n} [A(X)g(Y,Z) + A(Y)g(Z,X) + A(Z)g(X,Y)].$$
(17)

Again taking contraction of (17) over Y and Z, we get

$$r[A(QX) + n A(X)] = 0 \qquad \text{for all } X. \tag{18}$$

Since the scalar curvature r of $(PCRS)_n$ is always non-zero [4]. Therefore (3.6) yields

$$A(QX) = -n A(X), \tag{19}$$

i.e.,

$$S(X, \rho) = -n g(X, \rho).$$
⁽²⁰⁾

Thus we can state the following:

Theorem 3.1. In a concircularly recurrent $(PCRS)_n$ with constant scalar curvature, -n is an eigenvalue of the Ricci tensor S corresponding to the eigenvector ρ .

4. Decomposable (PCRS)_n

A Riemannian manifold (M^n,g) is said to be decomposable manifold [13] if it can be expressed as $M_1^p \times M_2^{n-p}$ for $2 \le p \le n-2$, that is, in some coordinate neighbourhood of the Riemannian manifold (M^n,g) , the metric can be expressed as



$$ds^{2} = g_{ij}dx^{i}dx^{j} = \overline{g}_{ab}dx^{a}dx^{b} + g_{\alpha\beta}^{*}dx^{\alpha}dx^{\beta}, \qquad (21)$$

where \overline{g}_{ab} are functions of x^{l} , x^{2} , ..., x^{p} (p < n) denoted by \overline{x} and $g_{\alpha\beta}$ are functions of x^{p+1} , x^{p+2} , ..., x^{n} denoted by $\overset{*}{x}$; a, b, c, ... run from 1 to p and $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, ...$ run from p+1 to n. The two parts of (21) are the metrics of M_{1}^{p} ($p \ge 2$) and M_{2}^{n-p} ($n-p \ge 2$) which are called the decompositions of the decomposable manifold

Let (M^n,g) be a decomposable Riemannian manifold such that for $2 \le p \le n-2$. Here throughout this section each object denoted by a 'bar' is assumed to be from M_1 and each object denoted by a 'star' is assumed to be from M_2 .

Let $\overline{X}, \overline{Y}, \overline{Z}, \overline{U}, \overline{V} \in \chi(M_1)$ and $\overline{X}, \overline{Y}, \overline{Z}, \overline{U}, \overline{V} \in \chi(M_2)$, $\chi(M_i)$ being the Lie algebra of smooth vector fields on M_i , i = 1, 2. Then we have the following relations [13]:

$$R(\overset{*}{X}, \overline{Y}, \overline{Z}, \overline{U}) = R(\overline{X}, \overset{*}{Y}, \overline{Z}, U) = R(\overline{X}, \overset{*}{Y}, \overline{Z}, U) = 0,$$

$$(\nabla_{\overset{*}{X}} R)(\overline{Y}, \overline{Z}, \overline{U}, \overline{V}) = (\nabla_{\overline{X}} R)(\overline{Y}, \overset{*}{Z}, \overline{U}, \overset{*}{V}) = (\nabla_{\overset{*}{X}} R)(\overline{Y}, \overset{*}{Z}, \overline{U}, \overset{*}{V}) = 0,$$

$$R(\overline{X}, \overline{Y}, \overline{Z}, \overline{U}) = \overline{R}(\overline{X}, \overline{Y}, \overline{Z}, \overline{U}),$$

$$R(\overset{*}{X}, \overset{*}{Y}, \overset{*}{Z}, U) = \overline{R}(\overline{X}, \overline{Y}, \overline{Z}, U),$$

$$S(\overline{X}, \overline{Y}) = \overline{S}(\overline{X}, \overline{Y}),$$

$$S(\overline{X}, \overline{Y}) = \overline{S}(\overline{X}, \overline{Y}),$$

$$(\nabla_{\overline{X}} S)(\overline{Y}, \overline{Z}) = (\overline{\nabla}_{\overline{X}} S)(\overline{Y}, \overline{Z}),$$

$$(\nabla_{\overset{*}{X}} S)(\overset{*}{Y}, \overset{*}{Z}) = (\overset{*}{\nabla}_{\overset{*}{X}} S)(\overset{*}{Y}, \overset{*}{Z}),$$

$$r = \overline{r} + \overset{*}{r},$$

where r, \overline{r} and r are the scalar curvature of M, M_1 , M_2 respectively.

Let us consider a Riemannian manifold (M^n,g) which is decomposable $(PCRS)_n$. Then $M^n = M_1^p \times M_2^{n-p}, (2 \le p \le n-2)$.

Now from (2), we have

$$(\nabla_{\overline{X}}S)(\overline{Y},\overline{Z}) + (\nabla_{\overline{Y}}S)(\overline{Z},\overline{X}) + (\nabla_{\overline{Z}}S)(\overline{X},\overline{Y}) = 2A(\overline{X})S(\overline{Y},\overline{Z}) + A(\overline{Y})S(\overline{X},\overline{Z}) + A(\overline{Z})S(\overline{Y},\overline{X}) \text{or,} (\nabla_{\overline{X}}S)(\overline{Y},\overline{Z}) + (\nabla_{\overline{Y}}S)(\overline{Z},\overline{X}) + (\nabla_{\overline{Z}}S)(\overline{X},\overline{Y}) = 2A(\overline{Y})S(\overline{Z},\overline{X}) + A(\overline{Z})S(\overline{X},\overline{Y}) + A(\overline{X})S(\overline{Y},\overline{Z}) \text{or,} (\nabla_{\overline{X}}S)(\overline{Y},\overline{Z}) + (\nabla_{\overline{Y}}S)(\overline{Z},\overline{X}) + (\nabla_{\overline{Z}}S)(\overline{X},\overline{Y}) = 2A(\overline{Z})S(\overline{X},\overline{Y}) + A(\overline{X})S(\overline{Y},\overline{Z}) + A(\overline{Y})S(\overline{Z},\overline{X}),$$

$$(22)$$

and

$$\left(\nabla_{\overset{*}{X}} S \right) (\overset{*}{Y}, \overset{*}{Z}) + \left(\nabla_{\overset{*}{Y}} S \right) (\overset{*}{Z}, \overset{*}{X}) + \left(\nabla_{\overset{*}{Z}} S \right) (\overset{*}{X}, \overset{*}{Y})$$

$$= 2A(\overset{*}{X}) S(\overset{*}{Y}, \overset{*}{Z}) + A(\overset{*}{Y}) S(\overset{*}{X}, \overset{*}{Z}) + A(\overset{*}{Z}) S(\overset{*}{Y}, \overset{*}{X})$$
or,
$$\left(\nabla_{\overset{*}{X}} S \right) (\overset{*}{Y}, \overset{*}{Z}) + \left(\nabla_{\overset{*}{Y}} S \right) (\overset{*}{Z}, \overset{*}{X}) + \left(\nabla_{\overset{*}{Z}} S \right) (\overset{*}{X}, \overset{*}{Y})$$

$$= 2A(\overset{*}{Y}) S(\overset{*}{Z}, \overset{*}{X}) + A(\overset{*}{Z}) S(\overset{*}{X}, \overset{*}{Y}) + A(\overset{*}{X}) S(\overset{*}{Y}, \overset{*}{Z})$$
or,
$$\left(\nabla_{\overset{*}{X}} S \right) (\overset{*}{Y}, \overset{*}{Z}) + \left(\nabla_{\overset{*}{Y}} S \right) (\overset{*}{Z}, \overset{*}{X}) + \left(\nabla_{\overset{*}{Z}} S \right) (\overset{*}{X}, \overset{*}{Y})$$

$$= 2A(\overset{*}{Z}) S(\overset{*}{X}, \overset{*}{Y}) + A(\overset{*}{X}) S(\overset{*}{Y}, \overset{*}{Z}) + A(\overset{*}{Y}) S(\overset{*}{Z}, \overset{*}{X}).$$

$$(23)$$

From (22), we find

$$A(\bar{X})S(\bar{Y},\bar{Z}) = 0, \qquad (24)$$

$$A(\overline{X})S(\overline{Y},\overline{Z}) = 0.$$
⁽²⁵⁾

Now from (24) it follows that either A(X) = 0 for any vector field $X \in \chi(M_2)$ or $S(\overline{Y}, \overline{Z}) = 0$ for all vector fields $\overline{Y}, \overline{Z} \in \chi(M_1)$, i.e., the decomposition M_1 is Ricci flat.

Again if A(X) = 0 then from (23), we get

$$\left(\nabla_{X} S\right)\left(\stackrel{*}{Y}, \stackrel{*}{Z}\right) + \left(\nabla_{Y} S\right)\left(\stackrel{*}{Z}, \stackrel{*}{X}\right) + \left(\nabla_{X} S\right)\left(\stackrel{*}{Z}, \stackrel{*}{X}\right) = 0,$$

that is, the Ricci tensor of the decomposition M_2 is cyclic parallel.

Similarly from (25), we obtain either the Ricci tensor of the decomposition M_1 is cyclic parallel or the decomposition M_2 is Ricci flat. Thus, we can state the following:

Theorem 4.1. In a decomposable $(PCRS)_n$, one of the decompositions is Ricci flat and the Ricci tensor of the other decomposition is cyclic parallel.

5. Totally Umbilical Hypersurfaces of (PCRS)_n

Let $(\overline{V}, \overline{g})$ be an (n+1)-dimensional Riemannian manifold covered by a system of coordinate neighbourhoods $\{U, y^{\alpha}\}$. Let (V,g) be a hypersurface of $(\overline{V}, \overline{g})$ defined in a locally coordinate system by means of a system of parametric equation $y^{\alpha} = y^{\alpha}(x^{i})$, where Greek indices take values 1, 2, ..., *n* and Latin indices take values 1,2,...,(n+1). Let N^{α} be the components of a local unit normal to (V,g). Then we have



$$g_{ij} = \overline{g}_{\alpha\beta} y_i^{\alpha} y_j^{\beta}, \qquad (26)$$

$$\overline{g}_{\alpha\beta}N^{\alpha}y_{j}^{\beta} = 0, \ \overline{g}_{\alpha\beta}N^{\alpha}N^{\beta} = e = 1,$$
(27)

$$y_i^{\alpha} y_j^{\beta} g^{ij} = \overline{g}^{\alpha\beta} - N^{\alpha} N^{\beta}, y_i^{\alpha} = \frac{\partial y^{\alpha}}{\partial x^i}.$$
 (28)

The hypersurface (V,g) is called a totally umbilical hypersurface ([14, 15]) of $(\overline{V}, \overline{g})$ if its second fundamental form Ω_{ii} satisfies

$$\Omega_{ij} = Hg_{ij}, y_{i,j}^{\alpha} = g_{ij}HN^{\alpha}, \qquad (29)$$

where the scalar function *H* is called the mean curvature of (*V*,*g*) given by $H = \frac{1}{n} \Sigma g^{ij} \Omega_{ij}$. If, in particular, H=0, i.e.,

$$\Omega_{ii} = 0, \qquad (30)$$

then the totally umbilical hypersurface is called a totally geodesic hypersurface of $(\overline{V}, \overline{g})$.

The equation of Weingarten for (V,g) can be written as $N_{,j}^{\alpha} = -\frac{H}{n} y_j^{\alpha}$. The structure equations of Gauss and Codazzi ([14, 15]) for (V,g) and $(\overline{V},\overline{g})$ are respectively given by $R_{ijkl} = \overline{R}_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} B_{ijkl}^{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} + H^2 G_{ijkl}, \qquad (31)$

$$\overline{R}_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}B_{ijk}^{\alpha\beta\gamma}N^{\delta} = H_{,i}g_{jk} - H_{,j}g_{ik}, \qquad (32)$$

where R_{ijkl} and $\overline{R}_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}$ are curvature tensors of (V,g) and $(\overline{V},\overline{g})$ respectively, and

$$B_{ijkl}^{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} = B_{i}^{\alpha}B_{j}^{\beta}B_{k}^{\gamma}B_{l}^{\delta}, B_{i}^{\alpha} = y_{i}^{\alpha}, G_{ijkl} = g_{il}g_{jk} - g_{ik}g_{jl}.$$

Also we have ([14, 15])

$$\overline{S}_{\alpha\delta}B_i^{\alpha}B_j^{\delta} = S_{ij} - (n-1)H^2g_{ij}, \qquad (33)$$

$$\overline{S}_{\alpha\delta}N^{\alpha}B_{i}^{\delta} = (n-1)H_{,i}, \qquad (34)$$

$$\overline{r} = r - n(n-1)H^2, \qquad (35)$$

where S_{ij} and $\overline{S}_{\alpha\delta}$ are the Ricci tensors of (V,g) and $(\overline{V},\overline{g})$ respectively and r and \overline{r} are the scalar curvatures of (V,g) and $(\overline{V},\overline{g})$ respectively.

In terms of local coordinates the relation (2) can be written as

$$S_{ij,k} + S_{jk,i} + S_{ki,j} = 2 A_k S_{ij} + A_i S_{jk} + A_j S_{ki}$$

or,
$$S_{ij,k} + S_{jk,i} + S_{ki,j} = 2 A_i S_{jk} + A_j S_{ki} + A_k S_{ij}$$
(36)
or,
$$S_{ij,k} + S_{jk,i} + S_{ki,j} = 2 A_j S_{ki} + A_k S_{ij} + A_i S_{jk}.$$

Let $(\overline{V}, \overline{g})$ be a *(PCRS)_n*. Then we get

$$\overline{S}_{\alpha\beta,\gamma} + \overline{S}_{\beta\gamma,\alpha} + \overline{S}_{\gamma\alpha,\beta} = 2A_{\gamma}\overline{S}_{\alpha\beta} + A_{\alpha}\overline{S}_{\beta\gamma} + A_{\beta}\overline{S}_{\gamma\alpha}$$
or,

$$\overline{S}_{\alpha\beta,\gamma} + \overline{S}_{\beta\gamma,\alpha} + \overline{S}_{\gamma\alpha,\beta} = 2A_{\alpha}\overline{S}_{\beta\gamma} + A_{\beta}\overline{S}_{\gamma\alpha} + A_{\gamma}\overline{S}_{\alpha\beta}$$
or,

$$\overline{S}_{\alpha\beta,\gamma} + \overline{S}_{\beta\gamma,\alpha} + \overline{S}_{\gamma\alpha,\beta} = 2A_{\beta}\overline{S}_{\gamma\alpha} + A_{\gamma}\overline{S}_{\alpha\beta} + A_{\alpha}\overline{S}_{\beta\gamma}.$$
(37)

where A, B are nowhere vanishing 1-forms.

Multiplying both sides of (37) by $B_{ijk}^{\alpha\beta\gamma}$ and then using (33) and (36), we obtain either H = 0

or

$$2[H_{,k}g_{ij} + H_{,i}g_{kj} + H_{,j}g_{ik}] = H[2A_kg_{ij} + A_ig_{kj} + A_jg_{ik}].$$
(38)

Transvecting (38) by g^{ij} , we obtain

$$H_{k} = \frac{n+1}{n+2} A_{k}$$
(39)

for all k. This leads to the following:

Theorem 5.1. If the totally umbilical hypersurface of a $(PCRS)_n$ is a $(PCRS)_n$ then either the manifold is a totally geodesic hypersurface or the associated 1-form A satisfies the relation (39).

We now consider that the space (V,g) is totally geodesic hypersurface, i.e.,

$$H = 0. \tag{40}$$

In view of (40), (33) yields

$$\overline{S}_{\alpha \delta} B_{i}^{\alpha} B_{j}^{\delta} = S_{ij}.$$
(41)

Using (41) in (37), we have the relation (36). Thus we can state the following:

Theorem 5.2. The totally geodesic hypersurface of a $(PCRS)_n$ is also $(PCRS)_n$.

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