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RICCI SOLITONS IN A HYPER GENERALIZED
PSEUDO SYMMETRIC D-HOMOTHEMICALLY
DEFORMED KENMOTSU MANIFOLD

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Abstract. In this paper we study the nature of Ricci solitons in a hyper generalized pseudosymmetric D -homothetically deformed Kenmotsu manifold.

1. INTRODUCTION

Let the symbols ∇ and ∇^d stand for the Riemann connection and the D -homothetically deformed connection respectively. Also, let R , S , Q , r and R^d , S^d , Q^d , r^d respectively stands for curvature tensor, Ricci tensor, Ricci operator, scalar curvature with respect to ∇ and ∇^d respectively. In this study, we consider an almost contact metric manifold $(M^{2n+1}, \phi, \xi, \eta, g)$ that consists of a $(1, 1)$ -tensor field ϕ , a vector field ξ and a 1-form η called respectively the structure endomorphism, the characteristic vector field and the contact form.

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In a recent paper [2], K K Baishya, F. Ozen Zengin and J Mike have introduced a new type of space called *hyper generalized pseudo symmetric manifold*. In Section 3 of this paper we extend this concept to a D -homothetically deformed structure of a $(2n + 1)$ -dimensional Kenmotsu manifold.

A Kenmotsu manifold is said to be hyper generalized pseudo symmetric [2] (which will be abbreviated hereafter as $[H(GPS)_n, \nabla]$) if it admits the equation

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (\nabla_X \bar{R})(Y, U, V, W) \\
 = & 2A_1(X)\bar{R}(Y, U, V, W) + A_1(Y)\bar{R}(X, U, V, W) \\
 & + A_1(U)\bar{R}(Y, X, V, W) + A_1(V)\bar{R}(Y, U, X, W) \\
 & + A_1(W)\bar{R}(Y, U, V, X) + 2A_2(X)(g \wedge S)(Y, U, V, W) \\
 & + A_2(Y)(g \wedge S)(X, U, V, W) + A_2(U)(g \wedge S)(Y, X, V, W) \\
 (1.1) \quad & + A_2(V)(g \wedge S)(Y, U, X, W) + A_2(W)(g \wedge S)(Y, U, V, X)
 \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
 (g \wedge S)(Y, U, V, W) &= g(Y, W)S(U, V) + g(U, V)S(Y, W) \\
 (1.2) \quad &- g(Y, V)S(U, W) - g(U, W)S(Y, V),
 \end{aligned}$$

and A_1, A_2 being non-zero 1-forms defined as $A_1(X) = g(X, \theta_1)$ and $A_2(X) = g(X, \theta_2)$.

Ricci solitons were introduced by Hamilton [14]. An important topic in contact metric geometry is the study of Ricci flow and Ricci solitons. A Riemannian manifold admits a Ricci soliton [15] if there exists a smooth vector field V (called the potential vector field) such that

$$\mathcal{L}_V g + 2S + 2\lambda g = 0,$$

where \mathcal{L}_V denotes the Lie derivative along V and λ is a real number. A Ricci soliton is said to be expanding, steady or shrinking according to λ is positive, zero and negative, respectively. Ricci solitons has now become a popular topic for many mathematicians, for details we refer ([13], [18], [3]). An η -Ricci soliton (V, λ, μ) is a generalization of a Ricci soliton defined as ([7], [10], [4])

$$\mathcal{L}_V g + 2S + 2\lambda g + 2\mu\eta \otimes \eta = 0,$$

where \mathcal{L}_V denotes the Lie derivative along V and λ and μ are real numbers. An η -Ricci soliton is said to be expanding, steady or shrinking according as λ is positive, zero and negative respectively.

The paper is organized as follows: After Introduction, in Section 2, we briefly recall some known results for Kenmotsu manifolds and D -homothetic deformations on a Kenmotsu manifold and we establish some properties of the deformed Kenmotsu manifold. In Section 3, we discuss the properties of a D -homothetically deformed Kenmotsu manifold under hyper generalized pseudo symmetric curvature condition equipped with Ricci solitons and η^d -Ricci solitons. We determine a necessary condition for which the solitons of these types in such a manifold are shrinking, steady and expanding.

2. PRELIMINARIES

According to the definition of Blair [11], an *almost contact structure* (ϕ, ξ, η) on a $(2n + 1)$ -dimensional Riemannian manifold satisfies the following conditions:

$$(2.1) \quad \phi^2 = -I + \eta \otimes \xi,$$

$$(2.2) \quad \eta(\xi) = 1,$$

$$(2.3) \quad \phi\xi = 0, \quad \eta \circ \phi = 0, \quad \text{rank } \phi = n - 1.$$

Moreover, if g is a Riemannian metric on M^{2n+1} satisfying

$$(2.4) \quad g(\phi X, \phi Y) = g(X, Y) - \eta(X)\eta(Y),$$

$$(2.5) \quad g(X, \xi) = \eta(X),$$

$$(2.6) \quad g(\phi X, Y) = -g(X, \phi Y),$$

for any vector fields X, Y on M^{2n+1} , then the manifold M^{2n+1} [11] is said to admit an *almost contact metric structure* (ϕ, ξ, η, g) .

Definition 2.1. [16] If in an almost contact metric structure (ϕ, ξ, η, g) on M^{2n+1} , the Riemann connection ∇ of g satisfies $(\nabla_X \phi)Y = g(\phi X, Y)\xi - \eta(Y)\phi X$, for any vector fields X, Y on M^{2n+1} , then the structure is called Kenmotsu.

Proposition 2.2. [16] If $(M^{2n+1}, \phi, \xi, \eta, g)$ is a Kenmotsu manifold, then for any vector fields X, Y, Z on M^{2n+1} , the following relations hold:

$$(2.7) \quad \nabla_X \xi = X - \eta(X)\xi,$$

$$(2.8) \quad (\nabla_X \eta)Y = g(X, Y)\xi - \eta(X)\eta(Y),$$

$$(2.9) \quad S(X, \xi) = -2n\eta(X),$$

$$(2.10) \quad \eta(R(X, Y)Z) = g(X, Z)\eta(Y) - g(Y, Z)\eta(X),$$

$$(2.11) \quad R(\xi, X)Y = \eta(Y)X - g(X, Y)\xi,$$

$$(2.12) \quad R(X, Y)\xi = \eta(X)Y - \eta(Y)X.$$

Definition 2.3. [1] If a contact metric manifold M^{2n+1} with the almost contact metric structure (ϕ, ξ, η, g) is transformed into $(\phi^d, \xi^d, \eta^d, g^d)$, where

$$(2.13) \quad \phi^d = \phi, \quad \xi^d = \frac{1}{p}\xi, \quad \eta^d = p\eta, \quad g^d = pg + p(p-1)\eta \otimes \eta$$

and p is a positive constant, then the transformation is called a D -homothetic deformation.

The relation between the Levi-Civita connections ∇ of g and ∇^d of g^d is given by [1]:

$$(2.14) \quad \nabla_X^d Y = \nabla_X Y + \frac{p-1}{p}g(\phi X, \phi Y)\xi,$$

for any vector fields X, Y on M^{2n+1} .

In view of (2.13), (2.14) and definition of Riemannian curvature tensor, Ricci tensor, scalar curvature, we get the following:

Proposition 2.4. [9] *If a Kenmotsu structure (ϕ, ξ, η, g) on M^{2n+1} is transformed into $(\phi^d, \xi^d, \eta^d, g^d)$ under a D -homothetic deformation, then R, R^d, S, S^d, r and r^d are related by*

$$(2.15) \quad R^d(X, Y)Z = R(X, Y)Z + \frac{p-1}{p}[g(\phi Y, \phi Z)X - g(\phi X, \phi Z)Y],$$

$$(2.16) \quad S^d(X, Y) = S(X, Y) + 2n\frac{p-1}{p}g(\phi X, \phi Y),$$

$$(2.17) \quad r^d = \frac{1}{p}r + 2n(2n+1)\frac{p-1}{p^2},$$

for any vector fields X, Y, Z on M^{2n+1} .

Now we shall bring out some properties of a D -homothetically deformed structure $(\phi^d, \xi^d, \eta^d, g^d)$ of a Kenmotsu manifold M^{2n+1} as follows:

Proposition 2.5. *Under a D -homothetic deformation of a Kenmotsu structure (ϕ, ξ, η, g) on M^{2n+1} is transformed into $(\phi^d, \xi^d, \eta^d, g^d)$, then for any vector fields X, Y, Z on M^{2n+1} , we have*

$$(2.18) \quad \phi^d = -I + \eta^d \otimes \xi^d,$$

$$(2.19) \quad \eta^d(\xi^d) = 1,$$

$$(2.20) \quad \phi^d \xi^d = 0, \quad \eta^d \circ \phi^d = 0,$$

$$(2.21) \quad g^d(\phi^d X, \phi^d Y) = g^d(X, Y) - \eta^d(X)\eta^d(Y),$$

$$(2.22) \quad g^d(X, \xi^d) = \eta^d(X),$$

$$(2.23) \quad \nabla_X^d \xi^d = \frac{1}{p}[X - \eta^d(X)\xi^d],$$

$$(2.24) \quad (\nabla_X^d \eta^d)Y = \frac{1}{p}[g^d(X, Y) - \eta^d(X)\eta^d(Y)],$$

$$(2.25) \quad S^d(X, \xi^d) = -\frac{2n}{p^2}\eta^d(X),$$

$$(2.26) \quad \eta^d(R^d(X, Y)Z) = \frac{1}{p^2}[g^d(X, Z)\eta^d(Y) - g^d(Y, Z)\eta^d(X)],$$

$$(2.27) \quad R^d(\xi^d, X)Y = \frac{1}{p^2}[\eta^d(Y)X - g^d(X, Y)\xi^d],$$

$$(2.28) \quad R^d(X, Y)\xi^d = \frac{1}{p^2}[\eta^d(X)Y - \eta^d(Y)X].$$

Now using (2.24) and (2.25), we obtain

$$(2.29) \quad (\nabla_X^d S^d)(Y, \xi^d) = \frac{1}{p}[-\frac{2n}{p^2}g^d(X, Y) - S^d(X, Y)],$$

for any vector fields X and Y on M^{2n+1} .

3. SOLITONS IN A HYPER GENERALIZED PSEUDO SYMMETRIC D -HOMOTHEMICALLY DEFORMED KENMOTSU MANIFOLD

For the beginning, we shall define a hyper generalized pseudo symmetric space on a D -homothetically deformed structure $(\phi^d, \xi^d, \eta^d, g^d)$ of a Kenmotsu manifold M^{2n+1} .

3.1. Hyper generalized pseudo symmetric deformed Kenmotsu manifold.

Definition 3.1. A D -homothetically deformed structure $(\phi^d, \xi^d, \eta^d, g^d)$ of a Kenmotsu manifold M^{2n+1} is said to be hyper generalized pseudo symmetric if it satisfies the condition

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (\nabla_X^d \bar{R}^d)(Y, U, V, W) \\
 &= 2A_1^d(X)\bar{R}^d(Y, U, V, W) + A_1^d(Y)\bar{R}^d(X, U, V, W) \\
 &+ A_1^d(U)\bar{R}^d(Y, X, V, W) + A_1^d(V)\bar{R}^d(Y, U, X, W) \\
 &+ A_1^d(W)\bar{R}^d(Y, U, V, X) + 2A_2^d(X)(g^d \wedge S^d)(Y, U, V, W) \\
 &+ A_2^d(Y)(g^d \wedge S^d)(X, U, V, W) + A_2^d(U)(g^d \wedge S^d)(Y, X, V, W) \\
 (3.1) &+ A_2^d(V)(g^d \wedge S^d)(Y, U, X, W) + A_2^d(W)(g^d \wedge S^d)(Y, U, V, X),
 \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (g^d \wedge S^d)(Y, U, V, W) \\
 &= g^d(Y, W)S^d(U, V) + g^d(U, V)S^d(Y, W) \\
 (3.2) & - g^d(Y, V)S^d(U, W) - g^d(U, W)S^d(Y, V),
 \end{aligned}$$

and A_i^d are non-zero 1-forms defined by $A_i^d(X) = g^d(X, \sigma_i)$, for $i = 1, 2$.

In this section, we consider a Kenmotsu manifold (M^{2n+1}, g) $n \geq 1$ which is hyper generalized pseudo symmetric. Now, making use of (3.2) in (3.1) we find

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (\nabla_X \bar{R}^d)(Y, U, V, W) \\
 &= 2A_1^d(X)\bar{R}^d(Y, U, V, W) + A_1^d(Y)\bar{R}^d(X, U, V, W) \\
 &+ A_1^d(U)\bar{R}^d(Y, X, V, W) + A_1^d(V)\bar{R}^d(Y, U, X, W) \\
 &+ A_1^d(W)\bar{R}^d(Y, U, V, X) + 2A_2^d(X)[g^d(Y, W)S^d(U, V) \\
 &+ g^d(U, V)S^d(Y, W) - g^d(Y, V)S^d(U, W) - g^d(U, W)S^d(Y, V)] \\
 &+ A_2^d(Y)[g^d(X, W)S^d(U, V) + g^d(U, V)S^d(X, W) - g^d(X, V)S^d(U, W) \\
 &- g^d(U, W)S^d(X, V)] + A_2^d(U)[g^d(Y, W)S^d(X, V) + g^d(X, V)S^d(Y, W) \\
 &- g^d(Y, V)S^d(X, W) - g^d(X, W)S^d(Y, V)] + A_2^d(V)[g^d(Y, W)S^d(U, X) \\
 &+ g^d(U, X)S^d(Y, W) - g^d(Y, X)S^d(U, W) - g^d(U, W)S^d(Y, X)] \\
 &+ A_2^d(W)[g^d(Y, X)S^d(U, V) + g^d(U, V)S^d(Y, X) \\
 &- g^d(Y, V)S^d(U, X) - g^d(U, X)S^d(Y, V)].
 \end{aligned}$$

(3.3)

Now, contracting Y over W in both sides of (3.1) and using (3.2), we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (\nabla_X^d S^d)(U, V) \\
 = & 2A_1^d(X)S^d(U, V) + A_1^d(U)S^d(X, V) + A_1^d(R^d(X, U)V) \\
 & + A_1^d(R^d(X, V)U) + A_1^d(V)S^d(X, U) \\
 & + 2A_2^d(X)[(2n-1)S^d(U, V) + r^d g^d(U, V)] \\
 & + [A_2^d(X)S^d(U, V) + A_2^d(QX)g^d(U, V) \\
 & - g^d(X, V)A_2^d(QU) - A_2^d(U)S^d(X, V)] \\
 & + A_2^d(U) [(2n-1)S^d(X, V) + r^d g^d(X, V)] \\
 & + A_2^d(V) [(2n-1)S^d(U, X) + r^d g^d(U, X)] \\
 & + [A_2^d(X)S^d(U, V) + A_2^d(QX)g^d(U, V) \\
 (3.4) \quad & - A_2^d(V)S^d(U, X) - A_2^d(QV)g^d(U, X)].
 \end{aligned}$$

Now setting

$$V = \xi^d$$

and using (2.25), (2.27), (2.28) in the foregoing equation, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (\nabla_X^d S^d)(U, \xi^d) \\
 = & -\frac{2n}{p^2} [\{2A_1^d(X) + 2A_2^d(X)\}\eta^d(U) + \{A_1^d(U) - A_2^d(U)\}\eta^d(X)] \\
 & + \frac{[\eta^d(X)A_1^d(U) - \eta^d(U)A_1^d(X)]}{p^2} + [(r^d + \frac{2n}{p^2})A_2^d(\xi^d) - \frac{A_1^d(\xi^d)}{p^2}]g^d(X, U) \\
 & + [2A_2^d(X)\eta^d(U) + A_2^d(U)\eta^d(X)] [r^d - \frac{2n(2n-1)}{p^2}] \\
 & + 2A_2^d(QX)\eta^d(U) - \eta^d(X)A_2^d(QU) + \frac{A_1^d(X)\eta^d(U)}{p^2} \\
 & + [2(n-1)A_2^d(\xi^d) + A_1^d(\xi^d)]S^d(U, X). \\
 (3.5)
 \end{aligned}$$

which yields by using (2.29)

$$\begin{aligned}
& \frac{1}{p} \left[-\frac{2n}{p^2} g^d(X, U) - S^d(X, U) \right] \\
= & -\frac{2n}{p^2} [\{2A_1^d(X) + 2A_2^d(X)\} \eta^d(U) + \{A_1^d(U) - A_2^d(U)\} \eta^d(X)] \\
& + \frac{[\eta^d(X) A_1^d(U) - \eta^d(U) A_1^d(X)]}{p^2} \\
& + \left[\left(r^d + \frac{2n}{p^2} \right) A_2^d(\xi^d) - \frac{A_1^d(\xi^d)}{p^2} \right] g^d(X, U) \\
& + [2A_2^d(X) \eta^d(U) + A_2^d(U) \eta^d(X)] \left[r^d - \frac{2n(2n-1)}{p^2} \right] \\
& + 2A_2^d(QX) \eta^d(U) - \eta^d(X) A_2^d(QU) + \frac{A_1^d(X) \eta^d(U)}{p^2} \\
(3.6) + & [2(n-1) A_2^d(\xi^d) + A_1^d(\xi^d)] S^d(U, X).
\end{aligned}$$

We get now putting successively $X = U = \xi^d$, $U = \xi^d$ and $X = \xi^d$ in (3.6), we get respectively that

$$(3.7) \quad \frac{2n}{p^2} A_1^d(\xi^d) = \left[r^d - \frac{2n(2n-1)}{p^2} \right] A_2^d(\xi^d),$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \frac{8n}{p^2} A_2^d(\xi^d) \eta^d(X) \\
(3.8) \quad = & \frac{4n}{p^2} A_1^d(X) + \left(\frac{8n^2}{p^2} - 2r^d \right) A_2^d(X) - 2A_2^d(QX),
\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
& \frac{[A_1^d(\xi^d) \eta^d(U) + 4n A_2^d(\xi^d) \eta^d(U)]}{p^2} \\
(3.9) \quad = & \left(r^d - \frac{4n(n-1)}{p^2} \right) A_2^d(U) - \frac{2n-1}{p^2} A_1^d(U) - A_2^d(QU).
\end{aligned}$$

By virtue of (3.7), (3.8) and (3.9), the equation (3.6) yields

$$\begin{aligned}
& [2p^2(n-1) A_2^d(\xi^d) + p^2 A_1^d(\xi^d) + 1] S^d(X, U) \\
= & [A_1^d(\xi^d) - (2n + p^2 r^d) A_2^d(\xi^d) - \frac{2n}{p}] g^d(X, U) \\
(3.10) \quad + & [4n A_2^d(\xi^d) - A_1^d(\xi^d)] \eta^d(X) \eta^d(U).
\end{aligned}$$

Thus we can state the following:

Theorem 3.2. *The Ricci curvature tensor of a hyper generalized pseudo symmetric deformed structure $(\phi^d, \xi^d, \eta^d, g^d)$ of a Kenmotsu manifold M^{2n+1} satisfies (3.10).*

Remark 3.3. *If $p = 1$, then the Ricci curvature tensor of a hyper generalized pseudo symmetric Kenmotsu manifold M^{2n+1} is of the form*

$$(3.11) \quad \begin{aligned} S^d(X, U) &= \frac{[A_1^d(\xi^d) - (r^d + 2n) A_2^d(\xi^d) - 2n]}{[1 + A_1^d(\xi^d) + 2(n-1) A_2^d(\xi^d)]} g(X, U) \\ &+ \frac{[4n A_2^d(\xi^d) - A_1^d(\xi^d)]}{[1 + A_1^d(\xi^d) + 2(n-1) A_2^d(\xi^d)]} \eta(X) \eta(U). \end{aligned}$$

Corollary 3.4. *If $A_1^d(\xi^d) = A_2^d(\xi^d) = 0$ then the Ricci curvature tensor of a symmetric deformed structure $(\phi^d, \xi^d, \eta^d, g^d)$ of a Kenmotsu manifold M^{2n+1} is Einstein space.*

Proposition 3.5. *The scalar curvature of a hyper generalized pseudo symmetric deformed structure $(\phi^d, \xi^d, \eta^d, g^d)$ of a Kenmotsu manifold M^{2n+1} is given by*

$$(3.12) \quad r^d = \frac{2n [2n + A_1^d(\xi^d) - A_2^d(\xi^d)]}{p^2 A_2^d(\xi^d)}.$$

Proposition 3.6. *The scalar curvature of a hyper generalized pseudo symmetric Kenmotsu manifold M^{2n+1} is given by*

$$(3.13) \quad r = \frac{2n [2n + A_1(\xi) - A_2(\xi)]}{A_2(\xi)}.$$

3.2. Solitons in the deformed manifold.

Notice that in [9] and [17], the authors have also been studied some properties of Ricci solitons on Kenmotsu manifolds under D -homothetic deformations.

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Assume now that in a D -homothetically deformed structure $(\phi^d, \xi^d, \eta^d, g^d)$ of a Kenmotsu manifold M^{2n+1} the pair (ξ^d, λ) defines a Ricci soliton, that is

$$(3.14) \quad \mathcal{L}_{\xi^d} g^d + 2S^d + 2\lambda g^d = 0.$$

for a real number λ . In view of the definition of the Lie derivative and (2.23) the above equation reduces to

$$(3.15) \quad S^d(X, U) = -\left(\frac{1}{p} + \lambda\right)g^d(X, U) + \frac{1}{p}\eta^d(X)\eta^d(U).$$

for any vector fields X, Y on M^{2n+1} . Then (2.25) and (3.15) imply $\lambda = \frac{2n}{p^2}$ and the above equation is equivalent to

$$(3.16) \quad S^d(X, U) = -\left(\frac{1}{p} + \frac{2n}{p^2}\right)g^d(X, U) + \frac{1}{p}\eta^d(X)\eta^d(U).$$

Remark 3.7. *The Ricci soliton on a D-homothetically deformed structure $(\phi^d, \xi^d, \eta^d, g^d)$ of a Kenmotsu manifold is expanding.*

Comparing (3.10) and (3.16), we obtain

$$(3.17) \quad 4nA_2^d(\xi^d) - A_1^d(\xi^d) = \frac{1}{p}.$$

This leads to the following:

Theorem 3.8. *Assume that a Kenmotsu structure (ϕ, ξ, η, g) on M^{2n+1} is transformed into $(\phi^d, \xi^d, \eta^d, g^d)$ under a D-homothetic deformation which is a hyper generalized pseudo symmetric space. If the pair $(\xi^d, \lambda = \frac{2n}{p^2})$ defines a Ricci soliton on the deformed structure, then the 1-forms are related (3.17).*

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