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**PSEUDOSYMMETRIC AND WEYL-PSEUDOSYMMETRIC  
( $\kappa, \mu$ )-CONTACT METRIC MANIFOLDS**

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ABSTRACT. In this paper we classify pseudosymmetric and Ricci-pseudosymmetric  $(\kappa, \mu)$ -contact metric manifolds in the sense of Deszcz. Next we characterize Weyl-pseudosymmetric  $(\kappa, \mu)$ -contact metric manifolds.

1. INTRODUCTION

Chaki [5] and Deszcz [11] introduced two different concept of a pseudosymmetric manifold. In both senses various properties of pseudosymmetric manifolds have been studied ([5]–[10]). We shall study properties of pseudosymmetric, Ricci-pseudosymmetric and Weyl-pseudosymmetric manifolds in the sense of Deszcz.

A Riemannian manifold is called semisymmetric if  $R(X, Y) \cdot R = 0$  where  $X, Y \in \chi(M)$ , [24]. Deszcz [11] generalized the concept of semisymmetry and introduced pseudosymmetric manifolds. Let  $(M^n, g)$ ,  $n \geq 3$  be a Riemannian manifold. We denote by  $\nabla$ ,  $R$  and  $\tau$  the Levi-Civita connection, the curvature tensor and the scalar curvature of  $(M, g)$ , respectively. We define endomorphism  $X \wedge Y$  for arbitrary vector field  $Z$ ,  $(0, k)$ -tensor  $T$  and  $(1, k)$ -tensor  $T_1$ ,  $k \geq 1$ , by

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

$$(2) \quad \begin{aligned} ((X \wedge Y) \cdot T)(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_k) &= -T((X \wedge Y)X_1, X_2, \dots, X_k) \\ &\quad - \dots - T(X_1, \dots, X_{k-1}, (X \wedge Y)X_k), \end{aligned}$$

and

$$(3) \quad \begin{aligned} ((X \wedge Y) \cdot T_1)(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_k) &= (X \wedge Y)T_1(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_k) \\ &\quad - T_1((X \wedge Y)X_1, X_2, \dots, X_k) \\ &\quad - \dots - T_1(X_1, \dots, X_{k-1}, (X \wedge Y)X_k), \end{aligned}$$

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respectively. For a  $(0, k)$ -tensor field  $T$ , the  $(0, k+2)$  tensor fields  $R \cdot T$  and  $Q(g, T)$  are defined by ([1], [11])

$$(4) \quad \begin{aligned} (R \cdot T)(X_1, \dots, X_k; X, Y) &= (R(X, Y) \cdot T)(X_1, \dots, X_k) \\ &= -T(R(X, Y)X_1, X_2, \dots, X_k) \\ &\quad - \dots - T(X_1, \dots, X_{k-1}, R(X, Y)X_k), \end{aligned}$$

and

$$(5) \quad \begin{aligned} Q(g, T)(X_1, \dots, X_k; X, Y) &= -T((X \wedge Y)X_1, X_2, \dots, X_k) \\ &\quad - \dots - T(X_1, \dots, X_{k-1}, (X \wedge Y)X_k). \end{aligned}$$

A Riemannian manifold  $M$  is said to be pseudosymmetric if the tensors  $R \cdot R$  and  $Q(g, R)$  are linearly dependent at every point of  $M$ , i.e.

$$(6) \quad R \cdot R = L_R Q(g, R).$$

This is equivalent to

$$(7) \quad (R(X, Y) \cdot R)(U, V, W) = L_R [((X \wedge Y) \cdot R)(U, V, W)]$$

holding on the set  $U_R = \{x \in M : Q(g, R) \neq 0 \text{ at } x\}$ , where  $L_R$  is some function on  $U_R$ , [11]. The manifold  $M$  is called pseudosymmetric of constant type if  $L$  is constant. Particularly if  $L_R = 0$  then  $M$  is a semisymmetric manifold. The manifold  $M$  is said to be locally symmetric if  $\nabla R = 0$ . Obviously locally symmetric spaces are semisymmetric, [25].

Let  $S$  denote the Ricci tensor of  $M^{2n+1}$ . The Ricci operator  $Q$  is the symmetric endomorphism on the tangent space given by

$$(8) \quad S(X, Y) = g(QX, Y).$$

If the tensors  $R \cdot S$  and  $Q(g, S)$  are linearly dependent at every point of  $M$ , i.e.

$$(9) \quad R \cdot S = L_S Q(g, S),$$

then  $M$  is called Ricci-pseudosymmetric. This is equivalent to

$$(10) \quad (R(X, Y) \cdot S)(Z, W) = L_S [((X \wedge Y) \cdot S)(Z, W)]$$

holds on the set  $U_S = \{x \in M : S - \frac{\tau}{n}g \neq 0 \text{ at } x\}$ , for some function  $L_S$  on  $U_S$  ([7], [19]). We note that  $U_S \subset U_R$  and on 3-dimensional Riemannian manifolds we have  $U_S = U_R$ . Every pseudosymmetric manifold is Ricci-pseudosymmetric but the converse statement is not true.

The Weyl conformal curvature operator  $C$  is defined by

$$(11) \quad C(X, Y)Z = R(X, Y)Z - \frac{1}{2n-1} \left\{ (X \wedge QY)Z + (QX \wedge Y)Z - \frac{\tau}{2n} (X \wedge Y)Z \right\}.$$

If  $C = 0$ ,  $n \geq 3$ , then  $M$  is called conformally flat. If the tensors  $R \cdot C$  and  $Q(g, C)$  are linearly dependent, then  $M$  is called Weyl-pseudosymmetric. This is equivalent to the statement that

$$(R \cdot C)(U, V, W, X, Y) = L_C [((X \wedge Y) \cdot C)(U, V)W]$$

holds on the set  $U_C = \{x \in M : C \neq 0 \text{ at } x\}$ , where  $L_C$  is defined on  $U_C$ . If  $R \cdot C = 0$ , then  $M$  is called Weyl-semisymmetric. If  $\nabla C = 0$ , then  $M$  is called conformally symmetric ([21], [23]).

3-dimensional pseudosymmetric spaces of constant type have been studied by Kowalski and Sekizawa ([16]–[17]). Conformally flat pseudosymmetric spaces of constant type were classified by Hashimoto and Sekizawa for dimension three, [14] and by Calvaruso for dimensions  $> 2$ , [4]. In dimension three, Cho and Inoguchi studied pseudosymmetric contact homogeneous manifolds, [6]. Cho et al. treated the conditions that 3-dimensional trans-Sasakians, non-Sasakian generalized  $(\kappa, \mu)$ -spaces and quasi-Sasakians manifolds be pseudosymmetric, [1]. Belkhefha et al. obtained some results on pseudosymmetric Sasakian space forms, [1]. Finally some classes of pseudosymmetric contact metric 3-manifolds have been studied by Gouli-Andreou and Moutafi ([12], [13]).

Papantoniou classified semisymmetric  $(\kappa, \mu)$ -contact metric manifolds ([22, Theorem 3.4]). As a generalization, in this paper, we study pseudosymmetric  $(\kappa, \mu)$ -contact metric manifolds.

This paper is organized as follows. After some preliminaries on  $(\kappa, \mu)$ -contact metric manifolds, in Section 3 we study pseudosymmetric and Ricci-pseudosymmetric  $(\kappa, \mu)$ -contact metric manifolds. Next in Section 4, we characterize Weyl-pseudosymmetric  $(\kappa, \mu)$ -contact metric manifolds.

## 2. PRELIMINARIES

A contact manifold is an odd-dimensional  $C^\infty$  manifold  $M^{2n+1}$  equipped with a global 1-form  $\eta$  such that  $\eta \wedge (d\eta)^n \neq 0$  everywhere. Since  $d\eta$  is of rank  $2n$ , there exists a unique vector field  $\xi$  on  $M^{2n+1}$  satisfying  $\eta(\xi) = 1$  and  $d\eta(\xi, X) = 0$  for any  $X \in \chi(M)$  is called the Reeb vector field or characteristic vector field of  $\eta$ . A Riemannian metric  $g$  is said to be an associated metric if there exists a  $(1, 1)$  tensor field  $\varphi$  such that

$$d\eta(X, Y) = g(X, \varphi Y), \quad \eta(X) = g(X, \xi), \quad \varphi^2 = -I + \eta \otimes \xi.$$

The structure  $(\varphi, \xi, \eta, g)$  is called a contact metric structure and a manifold  $M^{2n+1}$  with a contact metric structure is said to be a contact metric manifold. Given a contact metric structure  $(\varphi, \xi, \eta, g)$ , we define a  $(1, 1)$  tensor field  $h$  by  $h = (1/2)\mathcal{L}_\xi \varphi$  where  $\mathcal{L}$  denotes the operator of Lie differentiation. A contact metric manifold for which  $\xi$  is a Killing vector field is called a  $K$ -contact manifold. It is well known that a contact manifold is  $K$ -contact if and only if  $h = 0$ . A contact metric manifold is said to be a Sasakian manifold if

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

in which case

$$(12) \quad R(X, Y)\xi = \eta(Y)X - \eta(X)Y.$$

Note that a Sasakian manifold is  $K$ -contact, but the converse holds only if  $\dim M = 3$ .

A contact manifold is said to be  $\eta$ -Einstein if the Ricci operator  $Q$  satisfies the condition

$$(13) \quad Q = a \text{Id} + b\eta \otimes \xi,$$

where  $a$  and  $b$  are smooth functions on  $M^{2n+1}$ .

The sectional curvature  $K(\xi, X)$  of a plane section spanned by  $\xi$  and a vector  $X$  orthogonal to  $\xi$  is called a  $\xi$ -sectional curvature, while the sectional curvature  $K(X, \varphi X)$  is called a  $\varphi$ -sectional curvature.

The  $(\kappa, \mu)$ -nullity distribution of a contact metric manifold  $M(\varphi, \xi, \eta, g)$  is a distribution, [3]

$$\begin{aligned} N(\kappa, \mu): p \rightarrow N_p(\kappa, \mu) &= \{W \in T_p M \mid R(X, Y)W \\ &= \kappa[g(Y, W)X - g(X, W)Y] + \mu[g(Y, W)hX - g(X, W)hY]\}, \end{aligned}$$

where  $\kappa, \mu$  are real constants. Hence if the characteristic vector field  $\xi$  belongs to the  $(\kappa, \mu)$ -nullity distribution, then we have

$$(14) \quad R(X, Y)\xi = \kappa\{\eta(Y)X - \eta(X)Y\} + \mu\{\eta(Y)hX - \eta(X)hY\}.$$

A contact metric manifold satisfying (14) is called a  $(\kappa, \mu)$ -contact metric manifold. If  $M$  be a  $(\kappa, \mu)$ -contact metric manifold, then the following relations hold, [3]:

$$(15) \quad S(X, \xi) = 2nk\eta(X),$$

$$(16) \quad Q\xi = 2nk\xi,$$

$$(17) \quad h^2 = (k-1)\varphi^2,$$

$$(18) \quad R(\xi, X)Y = \kappa\{g(X, Y)\xi - \eta(Y)X\} + \mu\{g(hX, Y)\xi - \eta(Y)hX\},$$

$$(19) \quad \begin{aligned} S(X, Y) &= [2(n-1) - n\mu]g(X, Y) + [2(n-1) + \mu]g(hX, Y) \\ &+ [2(1-n) + n(2\kappa + \mu)]\eta(X)\eta(Y), \end{aligned}$$

$$(20) \quad \tau = 2n(2(n-1) + \kappa - n\mu),$$

$$(21) \quad Q\varphi - \varphi Q = 2[2(n-1) + \mu]h\varphi.$$

We note that if  $M^{2n+1}$  be a  $(\kappa, \mu)$ -contact metric manifold, then  $\kappa \leq 1$ , [3]. When  $\kappa < 1$ , the nonzero eigenvalues of  $h$  are  $\pm\sqrt{1-\kappa}$  each with multiplicity  $n$ . Let  $\lambda$  and  $D$  denote the positive eigenvalue of  $h$  and the distribution  $\text{Ker } \eta$  respectively. Then  $M^{2n+1}$  admits three mutually orthogonal and integrable distributions  $D(0)$ ,  $D(\lambda)$  and  $D(-\lambda)$  defined by the eigenspaces of  $h$ , [26]. We easily check that Sasakian manifolds are contact  $(\kappa, \mu)$ -manifolds with  $\kappa = 1$  and  $h = 0$ , [3]. In particular, if  $\mu = 0$ , then we obtain the condition of  $k$ -nullity distribution introduced by Tanno, [26].

### 3. PSEUDOSYMMETRIC AND RICCI-PSEUDOSYMMETRIC $(\kappa, \mu)$ -MANIFOLDS

We know that [2] if  $M^{2n+1}$  be a contact metric manifold and  $R_{XY}\xi = 0$  for all vector fields  $X$  and  $Y$ , then  $M^{2n+1}$  is locally isometric to the Riemannian product of a flat  $(n+1)$ -dimensional manifold and an  $n$ -dimensional manifold of positive constant curvature 4.

In [3] Blair et al. studied the condition of  $(\kappa, \mu)$ -nullity distribution on a contact manifold and obtained the following theorem.

**Theorem 1.** *Let  $M^{2n+1}(\varphi, \xi, \eta, g)$  be a contact manifold with  $\xi$  belonging to the  $(\kappa, \mu)$ -nullity distribution. If  $\kappa < 1$ , then for any  $X$  orthogonal to  $\xi$  the following formulas hold:*

1. *The  $\xi$ -sectional curvature  $K(X, \xi)$  is given by*

$$K(X, \xi) = \kappa + \mu g(hX, X) = \begin{cases} \kappa + \lambda\mu & \text{if } X \in D(\lambda) \\ \kappa + \lambda\mu & \text{if } X \in D(-\lambda) \end{cases}$$

2. *The sectional curvature of a plan section  $\{X, Y\}$  normal to  $\xi$  is given by*

$$(22) \quad K(X, Y) = \begin{cases} \text{i) } 2(1 + \lambda) - \mu & \text{if } X, Y \in D(\lambda) \\ \text{ii) } -(\kappa + \mu)[g(X, \varphi Y)]^2 & \text{for any unit vectors} \\ & X \in D(\lambda), Y \in D(-\lambda) \\ \text{iii) } 2(1 - \lambda) - \mu & \text{if } X, Y \in D(-\lambda), n > 1. \end{cases}$$

Pseudosymmetric contact 3-manifold were studied in [6] and following result obtained.

**Theorem 2.** *Contact Riemannian 3-manifolds such that  $Q\varphi = \varphi Q$  are pseudosymmetric. In particular, every Sasakian 3-manifold is a pseudosymmetric space of constant type.*

Firstly we give the following propositions.

**Proposition 1.** *Let  $M^{2n+1}$  be a  $(\kappa, \mu)$ -contact metric pseudosymmetric manifold. Then for any unit vector fields  $X, Y \in \chi(M)$  orthogonal to  $\xi$  and such that  $g(X, Y) = 0$  we have:*

$$(23) \quad \begin{aligned} & \{(\kappa - L_R)g(X, R(X, Y)Y) + \mu g(hX, R(X, Y)Y) - \kappa(\kappa - L_R) \\ & - \mu(\kappa - L_R)g(hY, Y) - \kappa\mu g(hX, X) - \mu^2 g(hX, X)g(hY, Y) \\ & + \mu^2 g^2(hX, Y)\}\xi \\ & - (\kappa - L_R)g(R(X, Y)Y, \xi)X - \mu g(R(X, Y)Y, \xi)hX = 0. \end{aligned}$$

**Proof.** Since  $M$  is pseudosymmetric then

$$(24) \quad (R(\xi, X) \cdot R)(U, V)W = L_R [((\xi \wedge X) \cdot R)(U, V)W].$$

Putting  $U = X$  and  $V = W = Y$  in (24) and using (3) and (4), we get

$$\begin{aligned} & R(\xi, X) \cdot R(X, Y)Y - R(R_{\xi X}X, Y)Y - R(X, R_{\xi X}Y)Y - R(X, Y)R_{\xi X}Y \\ &= L_R\{(\xi \wedge X) \cdot R(X, Y)Y - R((\xi \wedge X)X, Y)Y \\ &\quad - R(X, (\xi \wedge X)Y)Y - R(X, Y)((\xi \wedge X)Y)\}e. \end{aligned} \quad (25)$$

From (1) and (18) one can easily get the result.  $\square$

**Proposition 2.** *Every pseudosymmetric Sasakian manifold with  $L_R \neq 1$  is of constant curvature 1.*

**Proof.** Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be tangent vectors such that  $\eta(X) = \eta(Y) = 0$  and  $g(X, Y) = 0$ . Since  $M$  is Sasakian then  $\kappa = 1$  and  $h = 0$ . Using (12) and (18) in equation (25) and direct computations we get

$$(1 - L_R)\{\eta(R(X, Y)Y)X - g(X, R(X, Y)Y)\xi + g(X, X)g(Y, Y)\xi\} = 0.$$

Since  $L_R \neq 1$  then

$$(26) \quad \eta(R(X, Y)Y)X - g(X, R(X, Y)Y)\xi + g(X, X)g(Y, Y)\xi = 0.$$

Taking the inner product with  $\xi$  gives

$$(27) \quad g(X, R(X, Y)Y) = g(X, X)g(Y, Y).$$

Then  $(M^{2n+1}, g)$  is of constant  $\varphi$ -sectional curvature 1 and hence it is of constant curvature 1, [19].  $\square$

**Theorem 3.** *Let  $M^{2n+1}$ ,  $n > 1$  be a  $(\kappa, \mu)$ -contact metric pseudosymmetric manifold. Then  $M^{2n+1}$  is either*

- 1) *A Sasakian manifold of constant sectional curvature 1 if  $L_R \neq 1$  or*
- 2) *Locally isometric to the product of a flat  $(n + 1)$ -dimensional Euclidean manifold and an  $n$ -dimensional manifold of constant curvature 4.*

**Proof.** If  $\kappa = 1$  then  $M$  is a Sasakian manifold and result get from Proposition 2. Let  $\kappa < 1$  and  $X, Y$  are orthonormal vectors of the distribution  $D(\lambda)$ . Applying the relation (23) for  $hX = \lambda X$ ,  $hY = \lambda Y$  we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \{(\kappa - L_R + \mu\lambda)g(X, R(X, Y)Y) - \kappa(\kappa - L_R) - \mu\lambda(\kappa - L_R) - \kappa\mu\lambda - \mu^2\lambda^2\}\xi \\ (28) \quad & - (\kappa - L_R + \mu\lambda)g(R(X, Y)Y, \xi)X = 0. \end{aligned}$$

Considering  $\xi$ -component of (28) gives

$$(29) \quad \text{i) } K(X, Y) = \kappa + \lambda\mu \quad \text{or} \quad \text{ii) } \kappa = -\lambda\mu + L_R.$$

Comparing part (i) of equations (22) and (29) gives

$$(30) \quad \mu = 1 + \lambda.$$

Let  $X, Y \in D(-\lambda)$  and  $g(X, Y) = 0$ . Putting  $hX = -\lambda X$  and  $hY = -\lambda Y$  in (23) and taking the inner product with  $\xi$  we get

$$(31) \quad \text{i) } K(X, Y) = \kappa - \lambda\mu \quad \text{or} \quad \text{ii) } \kappa = \lambda\mu + L_R.$$

Comparing the equations (22)(iii) and (31)(i) we have

$$(32) \quad \text{i) } \mu = 1 - \lambda \quad \text{or} \quad \text{ii) } \lambda = 1.$$

In the case  $X \in D(\lambda)$  and  $Y \in D(-\lambda)$  equation (23) is reduced to

$$(33) \quad \{(\kappa - L_R + \mu\lambda)g(X, R(X, Y)Y) - \kappa(\kappa - L_R) + \mu\lambda(\kappa - L_R) - \kappa\mu\lambda + \mu^2\lambda^2\}\xi - (\kappa - L_R + \mu\lambda)g(R(X, Y)Y, \xi)X = 0,$$

from which taking the inner products with  $\xi$  we have

$$(34) \quad \text{i) } K(X, Y) = \kappa - \lambda\mu \quad \text{or} \quad \kappa = -\lambda\mu + L_R,$$

while if  $X \in D(-\lambda)$  and  $Y \in D(\lambda)$  we similarly prove that

$$(35) \quad \text{i) } K(X, Y) = \kappa + \lambda\mu \quad \text{or} \quad \kappa = \lambda\mu + L_R.$$

By the combination now of the equation (29)(ii), (30), (31)(ii), (32), (34) and (35) we establish the following nine systems among the unknowns  $\kappa, \lambda, \mu$  and  $L_R$ .

- 1)  $\{\mu = 1 - \lambda, \mu = 1 + \lambda, \lambda = 0\}$
- 2)  $\{\kappa = -\lambda\mu + L_R, \kappa = \lambda\mu + L_R, \mu = 0, \lambda > 0\}$
- 3)  $\{\kappa = -\lambda\mu + L_R, \lambda = 1, \mu = 0\}$
- 4)  $\{\kappa = -\lambda\mu + L_R, \lambda = 1, \mu = L_R\}$
- 5)  $\{K(X, Y) = \kappa + \lambda\mu, K(X, Y) = \kappa - \lambda\mu, \mu = 1 - \lambda, \kappa = -\lambda\mu + L_R\}$
- 6)  $\{\mu = 1 + \lambda, \lambda = 1, L_R = \pm 2\}$
- 7)  $\{\mu = 1 + \lambda, K(X, Y) = \kappa - \lambda\mu, K(X, Y) = \kappa + \lambda\mu\}$
- 8)  $\{\kappa = -\lambda\mu + L_R, \mu = 1 - \lambda, K(X, Y) = \kappa + \lambda\mu\}$
- 9)  $\{\mu = 1 + \lambda, \kappa = \lambda\mu + L_R, K(X, Y) = \kappa - \lambda\mu\}$

From the first system we get easily  $\mu = 1$  and since  $\lambda^2 = 1 - \kappa$  we have  $\kappa = 1$ , which is a contradiction, since we required that  $\kappa < 1$ .

The systems 2, 3, 4 and 5 have as the only solution  $\kappa = 0, \mu = 0, \lambda = 1, L_R = 0$ . Then  $R_{XY}\xi = 0$  for any  $X, Y \in \chi(M)$  and  $M$  is locally isometric to the product  $E^{n+1}(0) \times S^n(4)$ , [2]. We show that remainder systems can not occur.

In system 6, from  $\lambda = 1$  we have  $\mu = 0$  and  $\kappa = 0$ . Using equation (34) (or (35)) and (22)(ii) we have  $[g(X, \varphi Y)]^2 = -1$  and this is a contradiction.

From system 7, one can get easily  $\lambda\mu = 0$ . But  $\lambda \neq 0$  (since  $\kappa < 1$ ) and then  $\mu = 0$ . Therefore  $\lambda = \mu - 1 = -1$  and this is a contradiction with  $\lambda > 0$ .

In two last systems for all  $X, Y \in \chi(M)$  we have

$$(36) \quad K(X, Y) = L_R.$$

Let  $Y = \varphi X$  in (36) and comparing it with equation (22)(ii) we get

$$(37) \quad L_R = -(\kappa + \mu),$$

Replacing  $\kappa$  and  $\mu$  of two last systems in (37) we get two equation

$$(38) \quad (1 - \lambda)^2 = -2L_R,$$

and

$$(39) \quad (1 + \lambda)^2 = -2L_R,$$

respectively. Then in systems 8 and 9  $L_R \leq 0$ .

In system 8, by virtue of  $\kappa = -\lambda\mu + L_R$  and  $\kappa = 1 - \lambda^2$ , we have

$$2\lambda^2 - \lambda + (L_R - 1) = 0.$$



This quadratic equation has two roots  $\lambda = 1 \pm \sqrt{9 - 8L_R}$ . If  $\lambda = 1 + \sqrt{9 - 8L_R}$  and replacing it in (38) we get  $L_R = 1.5$  and if  $\lambda = 1 - \sqrt{9 - 8L_R}$ , since  $\lambda$  is positive, we get  $L_R > 1$ . Then in the both case we get contradiction whit  $L_R \leq 0$ . The roots of equation (39) in last system are  $\lambda = -1 \pm \sqrt{-2L_R}$  and since  $\lambda > 0$  then  $\lambda = -1 + \sqrt{-2L_R}$  and hence  $\mu = \sqrt{-2L_R}$ . Substituting  $\lambda$  and  $\mu$  in  $\kappa = \lambda\mu + L_R$  and  $\kappa = 1 - \lambda^2$  we get  $L_R = -2$  and then  $\lambda = 1, \mu = 2$  and  $\kappa = 0$  which are not acceptable since from (34) (or (35)) we get a contradiction from (22)(ii) and this complete the proof.  $\square$

**Theorem 4.** *Every 3-dimensional  $(\kappa, \mu)$ -contact metric manifold is pseudosymmetric manifold.*

**Proof.** From the combination of the equations (34) and (35) we get four systems with respect to the  $\kappa, \lambda, \mu, L_R$  and the sectional curvature  $K(X, Y)$ , from which we have the following possibilities:

- 1)  $K(X, Y) = \kappa, \lambda\mu = 0,$
- 2)  $\kappa = L_R, \lambda\mu = 0,$
- 3)  $\kappa = \lambda\mu + L_R$  or  $\kappa = \lambda\mu - L_R$  and  $K(X, Y) = L_R.$

In two first cases we have  $\lambda\mu = 0$ . If  $\mu = 0$  then equation (21) leads to  $Q\varphi = \varphi Q$  and result get from Theorem 2. If  $\lambda = 0$  then  $M^3$  being a Sasakian manifold and from Theorem 2 every Sasakian 3-manifold is a pseudosymmetric space of constant type.

In the last case, let  $Y = \varphi X$  then  $K(X, \varphi X) = L_R$ . On the other hand, from (22)(ii)  $K(X, \varphi X) = -(\kappa + \mu)$ . Then  $L_R = -(\kappa + \mu)$  and manifold is of constant sectional curvature. Every Riemannian manifold of constant sectional curvature is locally symmetric ([20] page 221) and then pseudosymmetric. Thus  $M^3$  is pseudosymmetric manifold of constant type.  $\square$

**Theorem 5.** *Let  $M^{2n+1}$  be a Ricci-pseudosymmetric  $(\kappa, \mu)$ -contact metric manifold. Then  $M^{2n+1}$  is either*

- (i) *locally isometric to  $E^{n+1} \times S^n(4)$ , or*
- (ii) *an Einstein-Sasakian manifold if  $\kappa \neq L_S$ , or*
- (iii) *an  $\eta$ -Einstein manifold provided*  
 $2n\kappa\mu - (\kappa - L_S)[2(n - 1) + \mu] - \mu[2(n - 1) - n\mu] \neq 0.$

**Proof.** (i) If  $\kappa = 0, \mu = 0$  then we have  $R_{XY}\xi = 0$  for any tangent vector fields  $X, Y$  and hence  $M$  is locally isometric to  $E^{n+1} \times S^n(4)$ , [2].

(ii) Let  $\kappa \neq 0$ .

Since  $M$  is a Ricci-pseudosymmetric  $(\kappa, \mu)$ -contact metric manifold for any  $X, Y, U, V \in \chi(M)$  we have

$$(40) \quad (R(X, Y) \cdot S)(U, V) = L_S Q(g, S)(U, V; X, Y).$$

Then from (4) and (5) we can write

$$(41) \quad -S(R(\xi, X)Y, Z) - S(Y, R(\xi, X)Z) = L_S [-S((\xi \wedge X)Y, Z) - S(Y, (\xi \wedge X)Z)].$$

Replacing  $Z$  with  $\xi$  and using (1), (15) and (14) one can get

$$(42) \quad -2n\kappa(\kappa - L_S)g(X, Y) - 2n\kappa\mu g(hX, Y) + (\kappa - L_S)S(X, Y) + \mu S(hX, Y) = 0.$$

If  $\mu = 0$  then since  $\kappa \neq 0, L_S$ , we get that the manifold is Einstein and then  $M$  is a Sasakian manifold ([26] Theorem 5.2).

(iii) Suppose now that  $\kappa \neq 0, \mu \neq 0$ . Then, using the equation (19) and (17),  $\kappa \leq 1$ , we have

$$(43) \quad \begin{aligned} S(hX, Y) &= [2(n-1) - n\mu]g(hX, Y) - (\kappa - 1)[2(n-1) + \mu]g(X, Y) \\ &\quad + (\kappa - 1)[2(n-1) + \mu]\eta(X)\eta(Y). \end{aligned}$$

Replacing equation (43) in equation (42) gives

$$(44) \quad \begin{aligned} &\{2n\kappa\mu - (\kappa - L_S)[2(n-1) + \mu] - \mu[2(n-1) - n\mu]\}g(hX, Y) \\ &= \{-2n\kappa(\kappa - L_S) + (\kappa - L_S)[2(n-1) - n\mu] - \mu(\kappa - 1)[2(n-1) + \mu]\}g(X, Y) \\ &\quad + \{(\kappa - L_S)[2(1-n) + n(2\kappa + \mu)] + \mu(\kappa - 1)[2(n-1) + \mu]\}\eta(X)\eta(Y). \end{aligned}$$

From (19) and (44), we get

$$S(X, Y) = \alpha g(X, Y) + \beta \eta(X)\eta(Y)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha &= \frac{[2(n-1) + \mu][-2n\kappa(\kappa - L_S) + (\kappa - L_S)[2(n-1) - n\mu] - \mu(\kappa - 1)(2(n-1) + \mu)]}{2n\kappa\mu - (\kappa - L_S)[2(n-1) + \mu] - \mu[2(n-1) - n\mu]} \\ &\quad + [2(n-1) - \mu n]. \\ \beta &= \frac{[2(n-1) + \mu][(\kappa - L_S)[2(1-n) + n(2\kappa + \mu)] + \mu(\kappa - 1)(2(n-1) + \mu)]}{2n\kappa\mu - (\kappa - L_S)[2(n-1) + \mu] - \mu[2(n-1) - n\mu]} \\ &\quad + [2(1-n) + n(2\kappa + \mu)]. \end{aligned}$$

So, the manifold is an  $\eta$ -Einstein manifold with constant coefficients and the proof is complete.  $\square$

#### 4. WEYL-PSEUDOSYMMETRIC $(\kappa, \mu)$ -CONTACT METRIC MANIFOLDS

In the present section our aim is to find the characterization of  $(\kappa, \mu)$ -contact metric manifolds satisfying the condition  $R \cdot C = L_C Q(g, C)$ .

**Theorem 6.** *Let  $M^{2n+1}$ ,  $n > 1$  be a non-Sasakian  $(\kappa, \mu)$ -contact metric manifold. If  $M$  is Weyl-pseudosymmetric manifold then either  $\mu = 0$  and then  $L_C = \kappa$  or  $\mu = \frac{2n-1}{2n-2}$  holds on  $M$ .*

**Proof.** Since  $M$  is a Weyl-pseudosymmetric then

$$(45) \quad (R(X, Y) \cdot C)(U, V, W) = L_C Q(g, C)(U, V, W; X, Y).$$

Using (4) and (5) in (45) we can write

$$\begin{aligned}
 & R(X, Y)C(U, V)W - C(R(X, Y)U, V)W - C(U, R(X, Y)V)W \\
 & \quad - C(U, V)R(X, Y)W \\
 & = L_C[(X \wedge Y)C(U, V)W - C((X \wedge Y)U, V)W \\
 (46) \quad & \quad - C(U, (X \wedge Y)V)W - C(U, V)(X \wedge Y)W].
 \end{aligned}$$

Replacing  $X$  with  $\xi$  and  $Y$  with  $U$  in (46) we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 & R(\xi, U)C(U, V)W - C(R(\xi, U)U, V)W - C(U, R(\xi, U)V)W \\
 & \quad - C(U, V)R(\xi, U)W \\
 (47) \quad & = L_C[(\xi \wedge U)C(U, V)W - C((\xi \wedge U)U, V)W \\
 & \quad - C(U, (\xi \wedge U)V)W - C(U, V)(\xi \wedge U)W].
 \end{aligned}$$

Substituting (1) and (18) in (47) and taking the inner product with  $\xi$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (\kappa - L_C)g(U, C(U, V)W) + \mu g(hU, C(U, V)W) - (\kappa - L_C)g(U, U)g(C(\xi, V)W, \xi) \\
 & \quad - \mu g(hU, U)g(C(\xi, V)W, \xi) + \mu \eta(U)g(C(hU, V)W, \xi) \\
 & \quad - (\kappa - L_C)g(U, V)g(C(U, \xi)W, \xi) - \mu g(hU, V)g(C(U, \xi)W, \xi) \\
 & \quad + \mu \eta(V)g(C(U, hU)W, \xi) + (\kappa - L_C)\eta(W)g(C(U, V)U, \xi) \\
 (48) \quad & \quad + \mu \eta(W)g(C(U, V)hU, \xi) = 0.
 \end{aligned}$$

Let  $U \in D(\lambda)$  and contraction of (48) with respect to  $U$  we have

$$(49) \quad (-2n\kappa + (1 - 2n)\lambda\mu + 2nL_C)g(C(\xi, V)W, \xi) = 0.$$

Similarity for  $U \in D(-\lambda)$  and contraction of (48) with respect to  $U$  we get

$$(50) \quad (-2n\kappa - (1 - 2n)\lambda\mu + 2nL_C)g(C(\xi, V)W, \xi) = 0.$$

Suppose  $\mu = 0$ . Then from the equation (49) we obtain

$$(51) \quad (L_C - \kappa)g(C(\xi, V)W, \xi) = 0.$$

If  $g(C(\xi, V)W, \xi) = 0$ . Using (20), (11) and straightforward computation, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 (52) \quad S(X, Y) & = [2(n - 1) - n\mu]g(X, Y) + [2(n - 1)\mu]g(hX, Y) \\
 & \quad + [2(1 - n) + n(2\kappa + \mu)]\eta(X)\eta(Y).
 \end{aligned}$$

Comparing equation (52) with (19) one can get

$$(53) \quad \mu = \frac{2n - 1}{2n - 2}$$

and this is a contradiction. Then  $\kappa = L_C$ .

Suppose now that  $\mu \neq 0$  and subtracting equations (49) and (50), we get

$$(54) \quad \lambda\mu g(C(\xi, V)W, \xi) = 0.$$

But  $\lambda\mu \neq 0$  since  $\kappa < 1$  and  $\mu \neq 0$ . Hence  $g(C(\xi, V)W, \xi) = 0$  and then

$$\mu = \frac{2n - 1}{2n - 2}.$$

□

Therefore we have the following corollary.

**Corollary 1.** *If  $M$  be a Weyl-pseudosymmetric Sasakian manifold then either  $L_C = 1$  or  $\mu = \frac{2n-1}{2n-2}$  holds on  $M$ .*

**Proof.** Since  $M$  is Sasakian then  $\kappa = 1$  and  $\lambda = 0$ . From equation (49) one can easily get the results.  $\square$

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