

Liftings from Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifolds to tangent bundles

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The goal of the current study is to investigate the complete lift of Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifolds to the tangent bundle TM . We also examine the complete lift of the different four types of Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifolds and find that (TM, g^C) is an η -Einstein manifold in each instance. In order to show that a Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold exists on TM , a non-trivial example by means of partial differential equations is built in the final section.

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Introduction

The geometry of trans-Sasakian manifolds received significant contributions from Blair and Oubina [1]. An almost contact metric manifold (M, ϕ, ξ, η, g) with $\dim = (2n + 1)$ was defined due to Blair [2]. The geometry of the almost Hermitian manifold (\bar{M}, J, G) helps to determine the geometry of the almost contact metric manifold (M, ϕ, ξ, η, g) , that offers various structures on M (Sasakian, quasi-Sasakian, Kenmotsu, etc.) [1, 3–6], where $\bar{M} = M \times R$, J represents the almost complex structure and G stands for the Hermitian metric. A structure $(\phi, \xi, \eta, g, \alpha, \beta)$ on M is referred to as a trans-Sasakian structure where α, β are smooth functions using the structure in the class W_4 on (\bar{M}, J, G) . On the nearly Hermitian manifold (\bar{M}, J, G) , sixteen different types of structures are known to exist [7].

It is noted that cosymplectic [2], β -Kenmotsu [6] and α -Sasakian [6] are trans-Sasakian structures of type $(0, 0)$, $(0, \beta)$ and $(\alpha, 0)$ respectively. De and Tripathi [8] have explored trans-Sasakian manifolds and achieved outstanding findings. Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifolds were the subject of Yildiz and Murathan's research [9]. Yoldas developed a few classes of generalized recurrent α -cosymplectic manifolds [10–12]. We cite [13, 14] for additional research on the aforementioned subject.

Assuming that (M, g) , $n = \dim M > 3$ is connected semi Riemannian manifold of class C^∞ and represent by ∇ its Levi-Civita connection. We write the Riemannian-Christoffel curvature tensor R , the Weyl conformal curvature tensor C , the conharmonic curvature tensor K [13], the projective curvature tensor P and the concircular curvature tensor \tilde{C} of (M, g) by

$$R(s_1, s_2)s_3 = \nabla_{s_1}\nabla_{s_2}s_3 - \nabla_{s_2}\nabla_{s_1}s_3 - \nabla_{[s_1, s_2]}s_3,$$

$$\begin{aligned} C(s_1, s_2)s_3 &= R(s_1, s_2)s_3 \\ &+ \frac{1}{n-2}[S(s_1, s_3)s_2 - S(s_2, s_3)s_1 + g(s_1, s_3)Qs_2 - g(s_2, s_3)Qs_1] \\ &- \frac{\tau}{(n-1)(n-2)}[g(s_1, s_3)s_2 - g(s_2, s_3)s_1], \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} K(s_1, s_2)s_3 &= R(s_1, s_2)s_3 \\ &- \frac{1}{n-2}[S(s_2, s_3)s_1 - S(s_1, s_3)s_2 + g(s_2, s_3)Qs_1 - g(s_1, s_3)Qs_2], \end{aligned}$$

$$P(s_1, s_2)s_3 = R(s_1, s_2)s_3 - \frac{1}{n-2}[g(s_2, s_3)Qs_1 - g(s_1, s_3)Qs_2],$$

$$\tilde{C}(s_1, s_2)s_3 = R(s_1, s_2)s_3 - \frac{\tau}{n(n-2)}[g(s_1, s_3)s_2 - g(s_2, s_3)s_1],$$

respectively. In this scenario, Q is the Ricci operator as defined by $S(s_1, s_2) = g(Qs_1, s_2)$, $s_1, s_2, s_3 \in \mathfrak{S}_0^1(\mathbf{M})$, S is the Ricci tensor and $\tau = \text{tr}(S)$ is the scalar curvature.

The fundamental characteristics of curvature tensors and the idea of the liftings of tensor fields and connections to their tangent bundle was developed in [15]. In their study, Dida and Hathout [16] looked into Ricci soliton structures on tangent bundles of Riemannian manifolds. Numerous scholars have examined several connections and geometric structures on the tangent bundle and established their fundamental geometric features [17–22].

These works serve as our inspiration as we investigate the complete lift of Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifolds to tangent bundle \mathbf{TM} . Additionally, we investigate the complete lift of ϕ -conformally flat, ϕ -conharmonically flat, ϕ -projectively flat and ϕ -concircularly flat Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifolds and derive (\mathbf{TM}, g^C) as an η^C -Einstein manifold in each instance where g^C is the Lorentzian metric.

Notations. The notations below appear in several places throughout the text: Both $\mathfrak{S}_a^b(\mathbf{M})$ and $\mathfrak{S}_a^b(\mathbf{TM})$ stand for the set of all tensor fields of type (a, b) [23, 24].

1 Preliminaries

If there is a $(1, 1)$ -tensor field ϕ , a vector field ξ , a 1-form η , and a Lorentzian metric g that satisfy $\forall s_1, s_2 \in \mathfrak{S}_0^1(\mathbf{M})$ [1, 2, 8, 25]

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

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

$$g(\phi s_1, \phi s_2) = g(s_1, s_2) + \eta(s_1)\eta(s_2), \quad (3)$$

$$g(s_1, \xi) = \eta(s_1), \quad (4)$$

$$\phi\xi = 0, \quad \eta(\phi s_1) = 0,$$

then the differentiable manifold \mathbf{M} is said to be a Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold.

The following relationships are also true in a Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold \mathbf{M} [26–30]

$$\nabla_{s_1}\xi = -\alpha\phi s_1, \quad (5)$$

$$(\nabla_{s_1}\eta)s_2 = -\alpha g(\phi s_1, s_2), \quad (6)$$

and \mathbf{M} becomes η -Einstein if its Ricci tensor S is given by

$$S(s_1, s_2) = ag(s_1, s_2) + b\eta(s_1)\eta(s_2), \quad \forall s_1, s_2 \in \mathfrak{S}_0^1(\mathbf{M}), \quad (7)$$

in above equations ∇ represents the covariant differentiation operator w.r.t. g and a, b are functions on \mathbf{M} .

For curvature tensor R , we have [8]

$$R(\xi, s_1)s_2 = \alpha^2(g(s_1, s_2)\xi + \eta(s_2)s_1), \quad (8)$$

$$R(s_1, s_2)\xi = \alpha^2(\eta(s_2)s_1 + \eta(s_1)s_2), \quad (9)$$

$$R(\xi, s_1)\xi = \alpha^2(\eta(s_1)\xi + s_1), \quad (10)$$

$$S(s_1, \xi) = (n-1)\alpha^2\eta(s_1), \quad (11)$$

$$Q\xi = (n-1)\alpha^2\xi, \quad (12)$$

$$S(\xi, \xi) = -(n-1)\alpha^2, \quad (13)$$

$$S(\phi s_1, \phi s_2) = S(s_1, s_2) + (n-1)\alpha^2\eta(s_1)\eta(s_2), \quad (14)$$

where Q stands for the Ricci operator with $S(s_1, s_2) = g(Qs_1, s_2)$.

2 The complete lift from a Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold to its tangent bundle

Let us consider a local coordinate system $(x^i), i = 1, \dots, n$ on differentiable manifold M and let $(x^i, y^i), i = 1, \dots, n$ be an induced local coordinate system on tangent bundle TM . If $s_1 = s_1^i \frac{\partial}{\partial x^i}$ is a local vector field on M , then its vertical and complete lifts in the term of partial differential equations are

$$\begin{aligned} s_1^V &= s_1^i \frac{\partial}{\partial y^i}, \\ s_1^C &= s_1^i \frac{\partial}{\partial x^i} + \frac{\partial s_1^i}{\partial x^j} y^j \frac{\partial}{\partial y^i}. \end{aligned}$$

Let η, s_1 and ϕ , respectively, represent 1-form, vector field, and a tensor field of type (1,1). Denote the complete and vertical lifts of η, s_1 and ϕ by η^C, s_1^C, ϕ^C and η^V, s_1^V, ϕ^V , respectively. Then by using mathematical operators on η, s_1 and ϕ , we have [15, 31]

$$\begin{aligned} \eta^V(s_1^C) &= \eta^C(s_1^V) = \eta(s_1)^V, \quad \eta^C(s_1^C) = \eta(s_1)^C, \\ \phi^V s_1^C &= (\phi s_1)^V, \quad \phi^C s_1^C = (\phi s_1)^C, \\ [s_1, s_2]^V &= [s_1^C, s_2^V] = [s_1^V, s_2^C], \quad [s_1, s_2]^C = [s_1^C, s_2^C], \\ \nabla_{s_1^C}^C s_2^C &= (\nabla_{s_1} s_2)^C, \quad \nabla_{s_1^C}^C s_2^V = (\nabla_{s_1} s_2)^V, \end{aligned}$$

∇^C is used for the complete lift of ∇ on TM .

Using the complete lift on (1)–(7), we conclude

$$\eta^C(\xi^C) = \eta^V(\xi^V) = 0, \quad \eta^C(\xi^V) = \eta^V(\xi^C) = -1, \quad (15)$$

$$(\phi^2)^C = I + \eta^C \otimes \xi^V + \eta^V \otimes \xi^C, \quad (16)$$

$$\begin{aligned} g^C((\phi s_1)^C, (\phi s_2)^C) &= g^C(s_1^C, s_2^C) + \eta^C(s_1^C)\eta^V(s_2^C) \\ &\quad + \eta^V(s_1^C)\eta^C(s_2^C), \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} g^C(s_1^C, \xi^C) &= \eta^C(s_1^C), \\ \phi^C \xi^C &= \phi^V \xi^V = \phi^C \xi^V = \phi^V \xi^C = 0, \end{aligned} \quad (17)$$

$$\eta^C(\phi s_1)^C = \eta^V(\phi s_1)^V = \eta^C(\phi s_1)^V = \eta^V(\phi s_1)^C = 0, \quad (18)$$

$\forall s_1^C, s_2^C \in \mathbb{S}_0^1(TM)$, and

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla_{s_1^C}^C \xi^C &= -\alpha(\phi s_1)^C, \\ (\nabla_{s_1^C}^C \eta^C) s_2^C &= -\alpha g^C((\phi s_1)^C, s_2^C). \end{aligned}$$

When the complete lift of Ricci tensor S holds for

$$S^C(s_1^C, s_2^C) = ag^C(s_1^C, s_2^C) + b\{\eta^C(s_1^C)\eta^V(s_2^C) + \eta^V(s_1^C)\eta^C(s_2^C)\},$$

then the Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold M on TM is thought to be η^C -Einstein.

Taking the complete lift on (8)–(14), we infer

$$\begin{aligned} R^C(\xi^C, s_1^C)s_2^C &= \alpha^2\{g^C(s_1^C, s_2^C)\xi^V + g^C(s_1^V, s_2^C)\xi^V \\ &\quad - \eta^C(s_2^C)s_1^V + \eta^V(s_2^C)s_1^C\}, \\ R^C(s_1^C, s_2^C)\xi^C &= \alpha^2\{\eta^C(s_2^C)s_1^V + \eta^V(s_2^C)s_1^C \\ &\quad - \eta^C(s_1^C)s_2^V + \eta^V(s_1^C)s_2^C\}, \\ R^C(\xi^C, s_1^C)\xi^C &= \alpha^2\{\eta^C(s_1^C)\xi^V + \eta^V(s_1^C)\xi^C + s_1^C\}, \\ S^C(s_1^C, \xi^C) &= (n-1)\alpha^2\eta^C(s_1^C), \\ (Q\xi)^C &= (n-1)\alpha^2\xi^C, \\ S^C(\xi^C, \xi^C) &= -(n-1)\alpha^2, \\ S^C((\phi s_1)^C, (\phi s_2)^C) &= S^C(s_1^C, s_2^C) + (n-1)\alpha^2\{\eta^C(s_1^C)\eta^V(s_2^C) \\ &\quad + \eta^V(s_1^C)\eta^C(s_2^C)\}, \end{aligned}$$

where $S^C(s_1^C, s_2^C) = g^C((Qs_1)^C, s_2^C)$ and $S^C(s_1^V, s_2^C) = g^C((Qs_1)^V, s_2^C)$.

3 Main Results

Definition 1. Consider a differentiable manifold (M^n, g) with $n > 3$. Then M is said to be

- ϕ -conformally flat if

$$\phi^2\mathcal{C}(\phi s_1, \phi s_2)\phi s_3 = 0, \quad (19)$$

- ϕ -conharmonically flat if

$$\phi^2K(\phi s_1, \phi s_2)\phi s_3 = 0,$$

- ϕ -projectively flat provided

$$\phi^2P(\phi s_1, \phi s_2)\phi s_3 = 0,$$

- ϕ -concircularly flat if

$$\phi^2\tilde{\mathcal{C}}(\phi s_1, \phi s_2)\phi s_3 = 0.$$

Theorem 1. Let M^n be ϕ -conformally flat Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold and denote by TM its tangent bundle. Then (TM, g^C) is an η^C -Einstein manifold, g^C being the Lorentzian metric of TM .

Proof. For the given assumptions, we see that

$$\phi^2\mathcal{C}(\phi s_1, \phi s_2)\phi s_3 = 0 \iff g(\mathcal{C}(\phi s_1, \phi s_2)\phi s_3, \phi s_4) = 0, \quad (20)$$

$$\forall s_1, s_2, s_3, s_4 \in \mathfrak{S}_0^1(M).$$

Complete lifts on (1) produce

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{C}^C(s_1^C, s_2^C)s_3^C &= R^C(s_1^C, s_2^C)s_3^C \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{n-2}[S^C(s_1^C, s_3^C)s_2^V + S^C(s_1^V, s_3^C)s_2^C \\ &\quad - S^C(s_2^C, s_3^C)s_1^V - S^C(s_2^V, s_3^C)s_1^C \\ &\quad + g^C(s_1^C, s_3^C)(Qs_2)^V + g^C(s_1^V, s_3^C)(Qs_2)^C \\ &\quad - g^C(s_2^C, s_3^C)(Qs_1)^V - g^C(s_2^V, s_3^C)(Qs_1)^C] \\ &\quad - \frac{\tau}{(n-1)(n-2)}[g^C(s_1^C, s_3^C)s_2^V + g^C(s_1^V, s_3^C)s_2^C \\ &\quad - g^C(s_2^C, s_3^C)s_1^V - g^C(s_2^V, s_3^C)s_1^C]. \end{aligned}$$

In view of (20) and (21) ϕ -conformally flat means

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (g(R(\phi s_1, \phi s_2)\phi s_3, \phi s_4))^C \\
 = & \frac{1}{n-2} [g^C((\phi s_2)^C, (\phi s_3)^C)S^C((\phi s_1)^V, (\phi s_4)^C) \\
 + & g^C((\phi s_2)^V, (\phi s_3)^C)S^C((\phi s_1)^C, (\phi s_4)^C) \\
 - & g^C((\phi s_1)^C, (\phi s_3)^C)S^C((\phi s_2)^V, (\phi s_4)^C) \\
 - & g^C((\phi s_1)^V, (\phi s_3)^C)S^C((\phi s_2)^C, (\phi s_4)^C) \\
 + & S^C((\phi s_2)^C, (\phi s_3)^C)g^C((\phi s_1)^V, (\phi s_4)^C) \\
 + & S^C((\phi s_2)^V, (\phi s_3)^C)g^C((\phi s_1)^C, (\phi s_4)^C) \\
 - & S^C((\phi s_1)^C, (\phi s_3)^C)g^C((\phi s_2)^V, (\phi s_4)^C) \\
 - & S^C((\phi s_1)^V, (\phi s_3)^C)g^C((\phi s_2)^C, (\phi s_4)^C)] \\
 - & \frac{\tau}{(n-1)(n-2)} [g^C((\phi s_2)^C, (\phi s_3)^C)g^C((\phi s_1)^V, (\phi s_4)^C) \\
 + & g^C((\phi s_2)^V, (\phi s_3)^C)g^C((\phi s_1)^C, (\phi s_4)^C) \\
 - & g^C((\phi s_1)^C, (\phi s_3)^C)g^C((\phi s_2)^V, (\phi s_4)^C) \\
 - & g^C((\phi s_1)^V, (\phi s_3)^C)g^C((\phi s_2)^C, (\phi s_4)^C)]. \tag{21}
 \end{aligned}$$

Let $\{\varepsilon_i : i = 1, \dots, n-1, \xi\}$ represent a local orthonormal basis. Then $\{(\phi \varepsilon_i)^C : i = 1, \dots, n-1, (\phi \xi)^C\}$ is in TM .

Setting $s_1 = s_4 = \varepsilon_i$ in (21) produces

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} g(R(\phi \varepsilon_i, \phi s_2)\phi s_3, \phi \varepsilon_i) \\
 = & \frac{1}{n-2} \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} [g^C((\phi s_2)^C, (\phi s_3)^C)S^C((\phi \varepsilon_i)^V, (\phi \varepsilon_i)^C) \\
 + & g^C((\phi s_2)^V, (\phi s_3)^C)S^C((\phi \varepsilon_i)^C, (\phi \varepsilon_i)^C) \\
 - & g^C((\phi \varepsilon_i)^C, (\phi s_3)^C)S^C((\phi s_2)^V, (\phi \varepsilon_i)^C) \\
 - & g^C((\phi \varepsilon_i)^V, (\phi s_3)^C)S^C((\phi s_2)^C, (\phi \varepsilon_i)^C) \\
 + & S^C((\phi s_2)^C, (\phi s_3)^C)g^C((\phi \varepsilon_i)^V, (\phi \varepsilon_i)^C) \\
 + & S^C((\phi s_2)^V, (\phi s_3)^C)g^C((\phi \varepsilon_i)^C, (\phi \varepsilon_i)^C) \\
 - & S^C((\phi \varepsilon_i)^C, (\phi s_3)^C)g^C((\phi s_2)^V, (\phi \varepsilon_i)^C) \\
 - & S^C((\phi \varepsilon_i)^V, (\phi s_3)^C)g^C((\phi s_2)^C, (\phi \varepsilon_i)^C)] \\
 - & \frac{\tau}{(n-1)(n-2)} \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} [g^C((\phi s_2)^C, (\phi s_3)^C)g^C((\phi \varepsilon_i)^V, (\phi \varepsilon_i)^C) \\
 + & g^C((\phi s_2)^V, (\phi s_3)^C)g^C((\phi \varepsilon_i)^C, (\phi \varepsilon_i)^C) \\
 - & g^C((\phi \varepsilon_i)^C, (\phi s_3)^C)g^C((\phi s_2)^V, (\phi \varepsilon_i)^C) \\
 - & g^C((\phi \varepsilon_i)^V, (\phi s_3)^C)g^C((\phi s_2)^C, (\phi \varepsilon_i)^C)]. \tag{22}
 \end{aligned}$$

In view of (15), (16), (17), (18) and (19), we infer

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} (g(R(\phi\varepsilon_i, \phi s_2)\phi s_3, \phi\varepsilon_i))^C &= S^C((\phi s_2)^C, (\phi s_3)^C) \\ &\quad + g^C((\phi s_2)^C, (\phi s_3)^C), \end{aligned} \quad (23)$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} S^C((\phi\varepsilon_i)^C, (\phi\varepsilon_i))^C = \tau - (n-1)\alpha^2, \quad (24)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} [g^C((\phi\varepsilon_i)^C, (\phi s_3)^C)S^C((\phi s_2)^V, (\phi\varepsilon_i)^C) &+ g^C((\phi\varepsilon_i)^V, (\phi s_3)^C)S^C((\phi s_2)^C, (\phi\varepsilon_i)^C) \\ &= S^C((\phi s_2)^C, (\phi s_3)^C) \end{aligned} \quad (25)$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} g^C((\phi\varepsilon_i)^C, (\phi\varepsilon_i))^C = n-1, \quad (26)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} [g^C((\phi\varepsilon_i)^C, (\phi s_3)^C)g^C((\phi s_2)^V, (\phi\varepsilon_i)^C) &+ g^C((\phi\varepsilon_i)^V, (\phi s_3)^C)g^C((\phi s_2)^C, (\phi\varepsilon_i)^C) \\ &= g^C((\phi s_2)^C, (\phi s_3)^C). \end{aligned} \quad (27)$$

Making use of (23)–(27) the equation (22) can be expressed as

$$S^C((\phi s_2)^C, (\phi s_3)^C) = L_1 g^C((\phi s_2)^C, (\phi s_3)^C), \quad (28)$$

where $L_1 = [\frac{\tau}{n-1} - (n-1)\alpha^2 - (n-2)]$. Using (17) and (19), the equation (28) becomes

$$S^C(s_2^C, s_3^C) = L_1 g^C(s_2^C, s_3^C) + L_1 \{\eta^C(s_2^C)\eta^V(s_3^C) + \eta^V(s_2^C)\eta^C(s_3^C)\}.$$

Thus (TM, g^C) is an η^C -Einstein manifold.

On the similar devices of Theorem 4.1 and using definition 1, we have

Theorem 2. Let M^n , ($n > 3$) be ϕ -conharmonically flat Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold and TM be its tangent bundle. Then (TM, g^C) is an η^C -Einstein manifold.

Theorem 3. For any ϕ -projectively flat Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold M^n ($n > 3$), (TM, g^C) is an η^C -Einstein manifold.

Theorem 4. For any ϕ -concircularly flat Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold M^n ($n > 3$), (TM, g^C) will be an η^C -Einstein manifold.

4 Example

Assume a differentiable manifold $M = \{(u, v, w) : u, v, w \in \mathbb{R}^3, w > 0\}$ and denote the L.I. vector fields on M by $\varsigma_1, \varsigma_2, \varsigma_3$ given by [32]

$$\varsigma_1 = \varsigma^{-w} \frac{\partial}{\partial v}, \varsigma_2 = \varsigma^{-w} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial u} + \frac{\partial}{\partial v} \right), \varsigma_3 = \alpha \frac{\partial}{\partial w} = \xi.$$

Further for 1-form η on M , one can write

$$g(\varsigma_1, \varsigma_2) = g(\varsigma_1, \varsigma_3) = g(\varsigma_2, \varsigma_3) = 0, \quad g(\varsigma_1, \varsigma_1) = g(\varsigma_2, \varsigma_2) = 1, \quad g(\varsigma_3, \varsigma_3) = -1$$

and

$$\eta(s_3) = g(s_3, \varsigma_3), \quad s_3 \in \mathfrak{S}_0^1(\mathbb{M}),$$

where g is the Lorentzian metric.

Suppose ϕ stands for $(1, 1)$ -tensor field satisfying

$$\phi\varsigma_1 = \varsigma_1, \quad \phi\varsigma_2 = \varsigma_2, \quad \phi\varsigma_3 = 0.$$

With the linearity of ϕ , one concludes $\eta(\varsigma_3) = -1$, $\phi^2\varsigma_3 = s_3 + \eta(s_3)\varsigma_3$ and $g(\phi s_1, \phi s_2) = g(s_1, s_2) + \eta(s_1)\eta(s_2)$.

Thus, (for $\varsigma_3 = \xi$) \mathbb{M} becomes Lorentzian almost paracontact metric manifold with Lorentzian almost paracontact metric structure (ϕ, ξ, η, g) on \mathbb{M} .

Also,

$$[\varsigma_1, \varsigma_2] = 0, \quad [\varsigma_1, \varsigma_3] = \alpha\varsigma_1, \quad [\varsigma_2, \varsigma_3] = \alpha\varsigma_2.$$

The Koszul's formula is written as

$$\begin{aligned} 2g(\nabla_{\varsigma_1}\varsigma_2, s_3) &= Xg(s_2, s_3) + s_2g(s_3, s_1) - \varsigma_3g(s_1, s_2) \\ &\quad - g(s_1, [s_2, s_3]) + g(s_2, [s_3, s_1]) + g(s_3, [s_1, s_2]), \end{aligned}$$

and we have [32]

$$\nabla_{\varsigma_1}\varsigma_1 = \alpha\varsigma_3, \quad \nabla_{\varsigma_1}\varsigma_3 = \alpha\varsigma_1, \quad \nabla_{\varsigma_2}\varsigma_2 = \alpha\varsigma_3, \quad \nabla_{\varsigma_2}\varsigma_3 = \alpha\varsigma_2, \quad (29)$$

$$\nabla_{\varsigma_1}\varsigma_2 = \nabla_{\varsigma_3}\varsigma_1 = \nabla_{\varsigma_3}\varsigma_2 = \nabla_{\varsigma_2}\varsigma_1 = \nabla_{\varsigma_3}\varsigma_3 = 0. \quad (30)$$

We can easily verify that

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla_{s_1}\xi &= -\alpha\phi s_1, \\ (\nabla_{s_1}\eta)s_2 &= -\alpha g(\phi s_1, s_2). \end{aligned}$$

Hence, M is a “Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold”.

Let us denote the complete and vertical lifts of $\varsigma_1, \varsigma_2, \varsigma_3$ on $T\mathbb{M}$ by $\varsigma_1^C, \varsigma_2^C, \varsigma_3^C$ and $\varsigma_1^V, \varsigma_2^V, \varsigma_3^V$. Further, suppose that g^C be the complete lift of a Riemannian metric g on $T\mathbb{M}$ holding

$$\begin{aligned} g^C(s_1^V, \varsigma_3^C) &= (g^C(s_1, \varsigma_3))^V = (\eta(s_1))^V, \\ g^C(s_1^C, \varsigma_3^C) &= (g^C(s_1, \varsigma_3))^C = (\eta(s_1))^C, \\ g^C(\varsigma_3^C, \varsigma_3^C) &= -1, \quad g^V(s_1^V, \varsigma_3^C) = 0, \quad g^V(\varsigma_3^V, \varsigma_3^V) = 0 \end{aligned} \quad (31)$$

and so on.

Consider the $(1, 1)$ -tensor field ϕ and its complete and vertical lifts ϕ^C and ϕ^V by

$$\begin{aligned} \phi^V(\varsigma_1^V) &= \varsigma_1^V, \quad \phi^C(\varsigma_1^C) = \varsigma_1^C, \\ \phi^V(\varsigma_2^V) &= \varsigma_2^V, \quad \phi^C(\varsigma_2^C) = \varsigma_2^C, \\ \phi^V(\varsigma_3^V) &= \phi^C(\varsigma_3^C) = 0. \end{aligned}$$

Above equation produces

$$(\phi^2X)^C = s_1^C + \eta^V(s_1)\varsigma_3^C + \eta^C(s_1)\varsigma_3^V, \quad (32)$$

$$\begin{aligned} g^C((\phi\varsigma_1)^C, (\phi\varsigma_2)^C) &= g^C(\varsigma_1^C, \varsigma_2^C) + (\eta(s_1))^C(\eta(s_2))^V \\ &\quad + (\eta(s_1))^V(\eta(s_2))^C. \end{aligned}$$

Thus, for $\varsigma_3 = \xi$ in (31)–(32), the structure $(\phi^C, \xi^C, \eta^C, g^C)$ is a Lorentzian almost paracontact metric structure on TM .

The Koszul's formula for ∇^C can be viewed as

$$\begin{aligned} 2g^C(\nabla_{\varsigma_1^C}^C \varsigma_2^C, s_3^C) &= X^C g^C(s_2^C, s_3^C) + s_2^C g^C(s_3^C, s_1^C) - \varsigma_3^C g^C(s_1^C, s_2^C) \\ &\quad - g^C(s_1^C, [s_2^C, s_3^C]) + g^C(s_2^C, [s_3^C, s_1^C]) + g^C(s_3^C, [s_1^C, s_2^C]). \end{aligned}$$

Taking the complete lift on (29) and (30), we conclude

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla_{\varsigma_1^C}^C \varsigma_1^C &= \alpha \varsigma_3^C, \quad \nabla_{\varsigma_1^C}^C \varsigma_3^C = \alpha \varsigma_1^C, \quad \nabla_{\varsigma_2^C}^C \varsigma_2^C = \alpha \varsigma_3^C, \quad \nabla_{\varsigma_2^C}^C \varsigma_3^C = \alpha \varsigma_2^C, \\ \nabla_{\varsigma_1^C}^C \varsigma_2^C &= \nabla_{\varsigma_3^C}^C \varsigma_1^C = \nabla_{\varsigma_3^C}^C \varsigma_2^C = \nabla_{\varsigma_2^C}^C \varsigma_1^C = \nabla_{\varsigma_3^C}^C \varsigma_3^C = 0. \end{aligned}$$

We can easily verify that

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla_{s_1^C}^C \xi^C &= -\alpha \phi^C s_1^C, \\ (\nabla_{s_1^C}^C \eta^C) s_2^C &= -\alpha g^C((\phi s_1)^C, s_2^C). \end{aligned}$$

Hence, $(\phi^C, \xi^C, \eta^C, g^C, \text{TM})$ is a Lorentzian α -Sasakian manifold.

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