

## On Extended Generalized Concircular $\phi$ -Recurrent Lorentzian $\alpha$ -Sasakian Manifold

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### Abstract

In this paper we have studied the extended generalized concircularly  $\phi$ -recurrent Lorentzian  $\alpha$ -Sasakian manifold and obtained some important results.

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### 1. Introduction

A transformation of an  $n$ -dimensional Riemannian manifold  $M$ , which transform every geodesic circle of  $M$  into a geodesic circle, is called a concircular transformation [8], [16]. A concircular transformation is always a conformal transformation. Here geodesic circle means a curve in  $M$  whose first curvature is constant and second curvature is identically zero. Thus, the geometry of concircular transformations, that is, the concircular geometry, is a generalization of inversive geometry in the sense that the change of metric is more general than that induced by a circle preserving diffeomorphism. An interesting invariant of a concircular transformation is the concircular curvature tensor.

The notion of local symmetry of a Riemannian manifold has been studied by many authors in several ways to a different extent. As a weaker version of local symmetry in 1977, Takahashi [15] introduced the notion of locally  $\phi$ -symmetric Sasakian manifold and obtained several interesting results. In 1979 Dubey [3] introduced the notion of generalized recurrent manifold and in 2007, Özgür [9], studied generalized recurrent Kenmotsu manifold. Generalizing this notion, Basari and Murathan [2], introduced the notion of generalized  $\phi$ -recurrency to Kenmotsu manifolds. Later in 2009, De, Yildiz and Yaliniz

[7], studied  $\phi$ -recurrent Kenmotsu manifolds, generalized  $\phi$ -recurrent Sasakian manifold and Lorentzian  $\alpha$ -Sasakian manifolds are studied in [10, 11]. Extending the notion of generalized  $\phi$ -recurrency, Shaikh and Hui [14], introduced the notion of extended generalized  $\phi$ -recurrency to  $\beta$ -Kenmotsu manifolds. The manifold  $M^n$  ( $n > 2$ ), is called generalized recurrent [3], if its curvature tensor  $R$  of type (1, 3) satisfies the condition

$$\nabla R = A \otimes R + B \otimes G, \quad (1.1)$$

where  $A$  and  $B$  are nowhere vanishing unique 1-forms defined by  $A(\cdot) = g(\cdot, \rho_1)$ ,  $B(\cdot) = g(\cdot, \rho_2)$  and  $G$  is a tensor of type (1, 3) given by

$$G(X, Y)Z = g(Y, Z)X - g(X, Z)Y, \quad (1.2)$$

for all vector fields  $X, Y, Z \in \chi(M)$ ;  $\chi(M)$  being the Lie algebra of all smooth vector fields on  $M$  and  $\nabla$  is the Levi-Civita connection.

Again  $M^n$  ( $n > 2$ ) is called generalized Ricci-recurrent manifold [5] if its Ricci tensor  $S$  of type (0, 2) satisfies the condition

$$\nabla S = A \otimes S + B \otimes g, \quad (1.3)$$

where  $A$  and  $B$  are nowhere vanishing unique 1-forms.

This paper is organized as follows: Section 2 deals with a brief account of Lorentzian  $\alpha$ -Sasakian manifolds. In Section 3, we obtain the necessary and sufficient condition for a concircular manifold to be a generalized  $\phi$ -recurrent. Also it is shown that in a generalized concircularly  $\phi$ -recurrent Lorentzian  $\alpha$ -Sasakian manifold the vector field  $\rho_2$  associated with the 1-form  $B$  and the characteristic vector field  $\xi$  are co-directional. Further, it is shown that the extended generalized concircularly  $\phi$ -recurrent Lorentzian  $\alpha$ -Sasakian manifold is a super generalized Ricci-recurrent manifold.

## 2. Preliminaries

A differentiable manifold  $M^n$  of dimension  $n$  is called a Lorentzian  $\alpha$ -Sasakian manifold if it admits a (1, 1)-tensor field  $\phi$ , a contravariant vector field  $\xi$ , a covariant vector field  $\eta$  and a Lorentzian metric  $g$  which satisfy:[11],

$$(a) \quad \eta(\xi) = -1, \quad (b) \quad \phi(\xi) = 0, \quad (c) \quad \eta(\phi X) = 0, \quad (2.1)$$

$$(a) \quad \phi^2 X = X + \eta(X)\xi, \quad (b) \quad g(X, \xi) = \eta(X), \quad (2.2)$$

$$g(\phi X, \phi Y) = g(X, Y) + \eta(X)\eta(Y), \quad (2.3)$$

$$(\nabla_X \phi)Y = \alpha(g(X, Y)\xi + \eta(Y)X), \quad (2.4)$$

for all  $X, Y \in TM$ .

Also a Lorentzian  $\alpha$ -Sasakian manifold  $M^n$  satisfies,

$$\nabla_X \xi = \alpha \phi X, \tag{2.5}$$

$$(\nabla_X \eta)(Y) = \alpha g(X, \phi Y), \tag{2.6}$$

where  $\nabla$  denotes the operator of covariant differentiation with respect to the Lorentzian metric  $g$ . Further, on a Lorentzian  $\alpha$ -Sasakian manifold  $M^n$ , the following relations hold:[18],

$$\eta(R(X, Y)Z) = \alpha^2[g(Y, Z)\eta(X) - g(X, Z)\eta(Y)], \tag{2.7}$$

$$R(X, Y)\xi = \alpha^2[\eta(Y)X - \eta(X)Y], \tag{2.8}$$

$$S(X, \xi) = (n - 1)\alpha^2\eta(X), \tag{2.9}$$

$$Q\xi = (n - 1)\alpha^2\xi, \tag{2.10}$$

$$S(\phi X, \phi Y) = S(X, Y) + (n - 1)\alpha^2\eta(X)\eta(Y), \tag{2.11}$$

$$(\nabla_W S)(Y, \xi) = \alpha((n - 1)\alpha^2g(W, \phi Y) - S(\phi W, Y)), \tag{2.12}$$

$$(\nabla_W R)(X, Y)\xi = \alpha[\alpha^2(g(\phi Y, W)X - g(\phi X, W)Y) - R(X, Y, \phi W)], \tag{2.13}$$

where  $S$  is the Ricci curvature and  $Q$  is the Ricci operator given by  $S(X, Y) = g(QX, Y)$ .

**Definition 2.1.** A Lorentzian  $\alpha$ -Sasakian manifold is said to be locally  $\phi$ -symmetric if

$$\phi^2((\nabla_W R)(X, Y)Z) = 0, \tag{2.14}$$

for all vector fields  $X, Y, Z, W$  orthogonal to  $\xi$ .

**Definition 2.2.** A Lorentzian  $\alpha$ -Sasakian manifold is said to be generalized  $\phi$ -recurrent if its curvature tensor  $R$  satisfies the condition ([4])

$$\phi^2((\nabla_W R)(X, Y)Z) = A(W)R(X, Y)Z + B(W)[g(Y, Z)X - g(X, Z)Y] \tag{2.15}$$

where  $A$  and  $B$  are two 1-forms and  $B$  is non-zero.

**Definition 2.3.** A Lorentzian  $\alpha$ -Sasakian manifold is said to be concircularly  $\phi$ -recurrent if there exists a nowhere vanishing unique 1-form  $A$  such that

$$\phi^2((\nabla_W \bar{C})(X, Y)Z) = A(W)\bar{C}(X, Y)Z, \tag{2.16}$$

for all vector fields  $X, Y, Z, W \in \chi(M)$ .

### 3. Extended Generalized Concircular $\phi$ -recurrent Lorentzian $\alpha$ -Sasakian Manifolds

A Lorentzian  $\alpha$ -Sasakian manifold  $M^n(\phi, \xi, \eta, g)$ , is said to be an extended generalized concircular  $\phi$ -recurrent if its concircular curvature tensor  $\bar{C}$  satisfies the relation

$$\begin{aligned} \phi^2((\nabla_W \bar{C})(X, Y)Z) &= A(W)\phi^2(\bar{C}(X, Y)Z) \\ &\quad + B(W)\phi^2(G(X, Y)Z), \end{aligned} \quad (3.1)$$

where  $A$  and  $B$  are non-vanishing 1-forms,  $\nabla$  denotes the operator of covariant differentiation with respect to the metric  $g$  i.e.,  $\nabla$  is the Riemannian connection, and the Concircular curvature tensor  $\bar{C}$  of type  $(1, 3)$  is given by

$$\bar{C}(X, Y)Z = R(X, Y)Z - \frac{r}{n(n-1)}G(X, Y)Z, \quad (3.2)$$

where  $r$  is the scalar curvature of the manifold.

Let us consider an extended generalized concircularly  $\phi$ -recurrent Lorentzian  $\alpha$ -Sasakian manifold  $M^n(\phi, \xi, \eta, g)$ . Then by virtue of (2.2), it follows from (3.1) that

$$\begin{aligned} \phi^2((\nabla_W R)(X, Y)Z) &- A(W)\phi^2(R(X, Y)Z) - B(W)\phi^2(G(X, Y)Z) \\ &= \frac{dr(W) - rA(W)}{n(n-1)}[g(Y, Z)X - \eta(X)g(Y, Z)\xi \\ &\quad - g(X, Z)Y + \eta(Y)g(X, Z)\xi]. \end{aligned} \quad (3.3)$$

This leads to the following:

**Theorem 3.1.** An extended generalized concircularly  $\phi$ -recurrent Lorentzian  $\alpha$ -Sasakian manifold  $M, n \geq 3$  is generalized  $\phi$ -recurrent if and only if

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dr(W) - rA(W)}{n(n-1)}[g(Y, Z)X + \eta(X)g(Y, Z)\xi - g(X, Z)Y \\ - \eta(Y)g(X, Z)\xi] = 0. \end{aligned} \quad (3.4)$$

Now taking inner product of (3.4) with  $U$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dr(W) - rA(W)}{n(n-1)}[g(Y, Z)g(X, U) + \eta(X)g(Y, Z)\eta(U) - g(X, Z)g(Y, U) \\ - \eta(Y)g(X, Z)\eta(U)] = 0. \end{aligned}$$

contracting over  $X$  and  $U$ , we get

$$\{dr(W) - rA(W)\}[ng(Y, Z) - \eta(Y)\eta(Z)] = 0. \quad (3.5)$$

Again contracting (3.5) over  $Y$  and  $Z$ , we get

$$\{dr(W) - rA(W)\}[n^2 - 1] = 0. \tag{3.6}$$

which implies that

$$\begin{aligned} A(W) &= \frac{1}{r}dr(W) \text{ for all } W \text{ and } r \neq 0 \\ \text{i.e., } \rho_1 &= \frac{1}{r} \text{grad } r, \text{ where } A(W) = g(W, \rho_1). \end{aligned} \tag{3.7}$$

This leads to the following:

**Theorem 3.2.** If an extended generalized concircularly  $\phi$ -recurrent Lorentzian  $\alpha$ -Sasakian manifold  $M$ ,  $n \geq 3$  is generalized  $\phi$ -recurrent, then the associated vector field corresponding to the 1-form  $A$  is given by  $\rho_1 = \frac{1}{r} \text{grad } r$ ,  $r$  being non-zero and non-constant scalar curvature of the manifold.

Now by virtue of (2.2), it follows from (3.3) that

$$\begin{aligned} (\nabla_W R)(X, Y)Z &= -\eta((\nabla_W R)(X, Y)Z)\xi + A(W)[R(X, Y)Z + \eta(R(X, Y)Z)\xi] \\ &\quad + B(W)[G(X, Y)Z + \eta(G(X, Y)Z)\xi] + \frac{dr(W) - rA(W)}{n(n-1)} \\ &\quad [g(Y, Z)X + \eta(X)g(Y, Z)\xi - g(X, Z)Y - \eta(Y)g(X, Z)\xi]. \end{aligned} \tag{3.8}$$

Taking inner product of (3.8) with  $U$  and then contracting over  $X$  and  $U$ , and using (2.4), (2.7) and (2.12), we get

$$\begin{aligned} (\nabla_W S)(Y, Z) &= A(W)S(Y, Z) + [nB(W) + \alpha^2 A(W)]g(Y, Z) \\ &\quad + \frac{dr(W)}{n(n-1)}[ng(Y, Z) - \eta(Y)\eta(Z)] + A(W)\left[\left(-\alpha^2 + \frac{r}{n(n-1)}\right)\right. \\ &\quad \left.\eta(Y)\eta(Z) - \frac{rn}{n(n-1)}g(Y, Z)\right] - B(W)\eta(Y)\eta(Z). \end{aligned} \tag{3.9}$$

Again taking contraction over  $Y$  and  $Z$  in (3.9), we get

$$dr(W) = [r - \alpha^2 n(n-1)]A(W) - n(n^2 - 1)B(W). \tag{3.10}$$

From (3.10), we can state the following:

**Theorem 3.3.** In an extended generalized concircularly  $\phi$ -recurrent Lorentzian  $\alpha$ -Sasakian manifold  $M$ ,  $n \geq 3$ , the associated 1-forms  $A$  and  $B$  are related by the relation (3.10)

**Corollary 3.1.** In an extended generalized concircularly  $\phi$ -recurrent Lorentzian  $\alpha$ -Sasakian manifold  $M$ ,  $n \geq 3$ , with constant scalar curvature, the associated 1-forms  $A$  and  $B$  are related by

$$\{r - \alpha^2 n(n-1)\}A - n(n^2 - 1)B = 0$$

Now using (3.10) in (3.9), we get

$$\begin{aligned} (\nabla_W S)(Y, Z) = & A(W)S(Y, Z) + \{(-n^2)B(W) + \alpha^2(1-n)A(W)\}g(Y, Z) \\ & + nB(W)\eta(Y)\eta(Z). \end{aligned} \quad (3.11)$$

From (3.11), it follows that the Ricci tensor  $S$  satisfies the condition

$$\nabla S = \alpha \otimes S + \beta \otimes g + \gamma \otimes \pi, \quad (3.12)$$

where  $\alpha(W) = A(W)$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \beta(W) = & -n^2 B(W) + \alpha^2(1-n)A(W), \quad \gamma(W) = nB(W) \\ \text{and} \quad \pi = & \eta \otimes \eta. \end{aligned}$$

From (3.12), we can state the following:

**Theorem 3.4.** An extended generalized concircular  $\phi$ -recurrent Lorentzian  $\alpha$ -Sasakian manifold  $M$ ,  $n \geq 3$ , is super generalized Ricci-recurrent manifold.

Now contracting (3.11) over  $W$  and  $Z$ , we get

$$\frac{1}{2}dr(Y) = S(Y, \rho_1) - n^2 B(Y) + \alpha^2(1-n)A(Y) + n\eta(Y)B(\xi). \quad (3.13)$$

By virtue of (3.10), the above relation takes the form

$$\begin{aligned} S(Y, \rho_1) = & \left[ \frac{r - \alpha^2 n^2 + 3\alpha^2 n - 2\alpha^2}{2} \right] A(Y) \\ & - \left[ \frac{n^3 - n + 2n^2}{2} \right] B(Y) - n\eta(Y)B(\xi). \end{aligned} \quad (3.14)$$

From (3.14), we can state the following:

**Theorem 3.5.** In an extended generalized concircularly  $\phi$ -recurrent Lorentzian  $\alpha$ -Sasakian manifold  $M$ ,  $n \geq 3$ , the Ricci tensor in the direction of  $\rho_1$  is given by (3.14).

Now setting  $Z = \xi$  in (3.11) and then using (2.9), we get

$$\alpha S(\phi W, Y) = \alpha^3(n-1)g(W, \phi Y) + n(n+1)B(W)\eta(Y). \quad (3.15)$$

Replacing  $Y$  by  $\phi Y$  in (3.15) and using (2.11) and (2.9), we have

$$\alpha S(W, Y) = \alpha^3(n-1)g(W, Y) \quad (3.16)$$

Replacing  $W$  by  $\phi W$  in (3.15) and then using (2.2), we get

$$\alpha S(W, Y) = \alpha^3(n-1)g(W, Y) + n(n+1)B(\phi W)\eta(Y). \quad (3.17)$$

From (3.16) and (3.17) we have

$$B(\phi W) = 0,$$

which implies that

$$B(W) = \eta(W)B(\xi).$$

This leads to the following:

**Theorem 3.6.** In an extended generalized concircularly  $\phi$ -recurrent Lorentzian  $\alpha$ -Sasakian manifold  $M$ ,  $n \geq 3$ , the vector field  $\rho_2$  associated with the 1-form  $B$  and the characteristic vector field  $\xi$  are codirectional.

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