

E-BOCHNER CURVATURE TENSOR ON ALMOST $C(\lambda)$ MANIFOLDS

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Abstract. The present paper deals with the study of E-Bochner curvature tensor on an almost $C(\lambda)$ manifolds with the conditions $B^e(\xi, X).S = 0$, $B^e(\xi, X).R = 0$, $R.B^e(\xi, X) = 0$ and $B^e(\xi, X).B^e = 0$, where R, S and B^e denote Riemannian curvature tensor, Ricci tensor and E-Bochner curvature tensor, respectively. Also, we study ξ -E-Bochner flat $C(\lambda)$ manifolds.

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1. Introduction

In 1981, D. Janssens and L. Vanhecke [4] first introduced the idea of the $C(\lambda)$ manifold. An almost contact metric manifold $M^{2n+1}(\phi, \xi, \eta, g)$ is said to be an almost $C(\lambda)$ manifold if the curvature tensor R of the manifold has the form [13]

$$(1.1) \quad R(X, Y)Z = R(\phi X, \phi Y)Z - \lambda[g(Y, Z)X - g(X, Z)Y - \phi Xg(\phi Y, Z) + g(\phi X, Z)\phi Y],$$

for any vector fields $X, Y, Z \in TM$ and λ is a real number.

D. Janssens and L. Vanhecke [4] also proved that if $\lambda = 0$, $\lambda = 1$ and $\lambda = -1$ then $C(\lambda)$ manifold becomes cosymplectic, Sasakian and Kenmotsu manifolds respectively. In 2013, Ali Akbar and Avijit Sarkar[1] studied conharmonic and concircular curvature tensors in an almost $C(\lambda)$ manifold. They proved that the concircular and

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conharmonic curvature tensors in $C(\lambda)$ manifold vanish if either $\lambda = 0$ or the manifold is a special type of η -Einstein manifold. In 1949, S. Bochner [14] gave the idea of the Bochner curvature tensor. D. E. Blair [5] explain the Bochner curvature tensor geometrically in 1975, Matsumoto and Chuman [10] constructed a curvature tensor from the Bochner curvature tensor with the help of Boothby-Wangs fibrations [18] and called it C-Bochner curvature tensor. J. S. Kim, M. M. Tripathi and J. Choi [9] studied the C-Bochner curvature tensor of a contact metric manifold in 2005. C-Bochner curvature tensor was also studied by several authors, viz., [4, 7, 12, 17] in different approaches. As an extension of C-Bochner curvature tensor, in 1991 Endo [8] defined the E-Bochner curvature tensor B^e .

The E-Bochner curvature tensor B^e is defined by [8]

$$(1.2) \quad B^e(X, Y)Z = B(X, Y)Z - \eta(X)B(\xi, Y)Z - \eta(Y)B(X, \xi)Z - \eta(Z)B(X, Y)\xi.$$

where B is the C-Bochner curvature tensor defined by [10]

$$(1.3) \quad \begin{aligned} B(X, Y)Z = R(X, Y)Z + \frac{1}{2(n+2)} \{ & S(X, Z)Y - S(Y, Z)X \\ & + g(X, Z)QY - g(Y, Z)QX + S(\phi X, Z)\phi Y \\ & - S(\phi Y, Z)\phi X + g(\phi X, Z)Q\phi Y - g(\phi Y, Z)Q\phi X \\ & + 2S(\phi X, Y)\phi Z + 2g(\phi X, Y)Q\phi Z - S(X, Z)\eta(Y)\xi \\ & + S(Y, Z)\eta(X)\xi - \eta(X)\eta(Z)QY + \eta(Y)\eta(Z)QX \} \\ & - \frac{\tau + 2n}{2(n+2)} \{ g(\phi X, Z)\phi Y - g(\phi Y, Z)\phi X \\ & + 2g(\phi X, Y)\phi Z \} - \frac{\tau - 4}{2(n+2)} \{ g(X, Z)Y - g(Y, Z)X \} \\ & + \frac{\tau}{2(n+2)} \{ g(X, Z)\eta(Y)\xi - g(Y, Z)\eta(X)\xi \\ & + \eta(X)\eta(Z)Y - \eta(Y)\eta(Z)X \}, \end{aligned}$$

where $\tau = \frac{r+2n}{2(n+2)}$, Q is Ricci operator i.e. $g(QX, Y) = S(X, Y)$ for all X and Y and r is a scalar curvature of the manifold.

We have gone through the developments in $C(\lambda)$ manifold and then plan to study the E-Bochner curvature tensor in almost $C(\lambda)$ manifold. This paper is organized as follows:

The first section of the paper is introductory, and we provided the basic definition; the second part of the paper is the preliminaries and we have written some basic formula required for the calculation. In section 3 we studied E-Bochner pseudosymmetric in almost $C(\lambda)$ manifold and proved that the $C(\lambda)$ manifold will be E-Bochner pseudosymmetric if in $C(\lambda)$ manifold either $L_{B^e} = -\lambda$ or $C(\lambda)$ manifold is Kenmotsu manifold. In section 4, we have studied E-Bochner semi-symmetric and proved that the $C(\lambda)$ manifold is E-Bochner semi-symmetric if either $C(\lambda)$ manifold

is cosymplectic manifold or a Kenmotsu manifold. Besides this, in this section we have proved that the E-Bochner curvature tensor satisfies $B^e(\xi, X).S = 0$ if and only if the $C(\lambda)$ manifold is either cosymplectic or Ricci curvature tensor satisfies $S(X, U) = -2n\lambda\eta(X)\eta(U)$. Also, we have proved the relation $B^e(\xi, X).B^e = 0$ hold if and only if the manifold is Kenmotsu manifold. Finally, in section 5 we have discussed the ξ -E-Bochner flat curvature tensor on $C(\lambda)$ manifolds.

2. Preliminaries

A Riemannian manifold (M^{2n+1}, g) of dimension $(2n + 1)$ is said to be an almost contact metric manifold [3] if there exists a tensor field ϕ of type $(1, 1)$, a vector field ξ (called the structure vector field) and a 1-form η on M such that

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

$$(2.2) \quad g(\phi X, \phi Y) = g(X, Y) - \eta(X)\eta(Y),$$

and

$$(2.3) \quad \eta(\xi) = 1,$$

for any vector fields X, Y on M . In an almost contact metric manifold, we have

$$(2.4) \quad \phi\xi = 0, \quad \eta\phi = 0.$$

Then such type of manifold is called contact metric manifold if $d\eta = \Phi$, where $\Phi(X, Y) = g(X, \phi Y)$, is called the fundamental 2-form of $M^{(2n+1)}$.

A contact metric manifold is said to be K-contact manifold if and only if the covariant derivative of ξ satisfies

$$(2.5) \quad \nabla_X \xi = -\phi X,$$

for any vector field X on M .

The almost contact metric structure of M is said to be normal if

$$(2.6) \quad [\phi, \phi](X, Y) = -2d\eta(X, Y)\xi,$$

for any vector fields X and Y , where $[\phi, \phi]$ denotes the Nijenhuis torsion of ϕ .

A normal contact metric manifold is called a Sasakian manifold. An almost contact metric manifold is Sasakian if and only if

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

for any vector fields X, Y .

An almost $C(\lambda)$ manifold satisfies the following relations [13]

$$(2.8) \quad R(X, Y)\xi = R(\phi X, \phi Y)\xi - \lambda \{ \eta(Y)X - \eta(X)Y \},$$

$$(2.9) \quad R(X, \xi) Y = \lambda \{g(X, Y)\xi - \eta(Y)X\},$$

$$(2.10) \quad R(\xi, Y) Z = \lambda \{\eta(Z)Y - g(Y, Z)\xi\},$$

$$(2.11) \quad R(X, \xi) \xi = \lambda \{\eta(X)\xi - X\},$$

$$(2.12) \quad R(\xi, Y)\xi = \lambda \{Y - \eta(Y)\xi\},$$

$$(2.13) \quad S(X, Y) = Ag(X, Y) + B\eta(X)\eta(Y),$$

where $A = -\lambda(2n - 1)$ and $B = -\lambda$, since $g(QX, Y) = S(X, Y)$, where Q is the Ricci-operator.

From straight forward calculation of (2.13) we can write the following

$$(2.14) \quad QX = AX + B\eta(X)\xi,$$

$$(2.15) \quad S(X, \xi) = (A + B)\eta(X),$$

$$(2.16) \quad S(\xi, \xi) = (A + B),$$

and

$$(2.17) \quad r = -4n^2\lambda.$$

With the help of equations (1.2)-(1.3) and (2.8)-(2.16), we have

$$(2.18) \quad B^e(\xi, Y)Z = \eta(Z) \frac{2(\lambda + 1)}{(n + 2)} [\eta(Y)\xi - Y],$$

$$(2.19) \quad B^e(X, Y)\xi = \frac{2(\lambda + 1)}{(n + 2)} [\eta(Y)X - \eta(X)Y],$$

$$(2.20) \quad B^e(X, \xi)Z = \eta(Z) \frac{2(\lambda + 1)}{(n + 2)} [X - \eta(X)\xi],$$

and

$$(2.21) \quad B^e(\xi, \xi)\xi = 0.$$

This is required E-Bochner curvature tensor in $C(\lambda)$ manifolds.

3. E-Bochner Pseudosymmetric $C(\lambda)$ manifolds

Let (M, g) be a Riemannian manifold and let ∇ be the Levi-Civita connection of (M, g) . A Riemannian manifold is called locally symmetric if $\nabla R = 0$, where R is the Riemannian curvature tensor of (M, g) . The locally symmetric manifolds have been studied by different differential geometers through different approaches and they extend it e.x. semi-symmetric manifolds by Szabo [19], recurrent manifolds by Walker [2], conformally recurrent manifolds by Adati and Miyazawa [15]. According to Z. I. Szab'o [19], if the manifold M satisfies the condition

$$(3.1) \quad (R(X, Y).R)(U, V)W = 0, \quad X, Y, U, V, W \in \chi(M)$$

then the manifold is called semi-symmetric manifold for all vector fields X and Y . For a $(0, k)$ - tensor field T on M , $k \geq 1$ and a symmetric $(0, 2)$ -tensor field A on M the $(0, k+2)$ -tensor fields $R.T$ and $Q(A, T)$ are defined by

$$(3.2) \quad \begin{aligned} (R.T)(X_1, \dots, X_k; X, Y) &= -T(R(X, Y)X_1, X_2, \dots, X_k) \\ &\quad - \dots - T(X_1, \dots, X_{k-1}, R(X, Y)X_k), \end{aligned}$$

and

$$(3.3) \quad \begin{aligned} Q(A, T)(X_1, \dots, X_k; X, Y) &= -T((X \wedge_A Y)X_1, X_2, \dots, X_k) \\ &\quad - \dots - T(X_1, \dots, X_{k-1}, (X \wedge_A Y)X_k), \end{aligned}$$

where $X \wedge_A Y$ is the endomorphism given by

$$(3.4) \quad (X \wedge_A Y)Z = A(Y, Z)X - A(X, Z)Y.$$

According to R. Deszcz [11] a Riemannian manifold is said to be pseudosymmetric if

$$(3.5) \quad R.R = L_R Q(g, R),$$

holds on $U_r = \left\{ x \in M \mid R - \frac{r}{n(n-1)}G \neq 0 \text{ at } x \right\}$, where G is $(0, 4)$ -tensor defined by $G(X_1, X_2, X_3, X_4) = g((X_1 \wedge X_2)X_3, X_4)$ and L_R is some smooth function on U_r . A Riemannian manifold M is said to be E-Bochner pseudosymmetric if

$$(3.6) \quad R.B^e = L_{B^e} Q(g, B^e),$$

holds on the set $U_{B^e} = \{x \in M : B^e \neq 0 \text{ at } x\}$, where L_{B^e} is some function on U_{B^e} and B^e is the E-Bochner curvature tensor.

Let M^{2n+1} be E-Bochner pseudosymmetric $C(\lambda)$ manifold and then from equation(3.6), we have

$$(3.7) \quad (R(X, \xi).B^e)(U, V)W = L_{B^e} [((X \wedge_g \xi).B^e)(U, V)W].$$

Using equations (3.2) and (3.3) in equation (3.7), we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 & R(X, \xi)B^e(U, V)W - B^e(R(X, \xi)U, V)W \\
 & - B^e(U, R(X, \xi)V)W - B^e(U, V)R(X, \xi)W \\
 (3.8) \quad & = L_{B^e} \left\{ (X \wedge_g \xi)B^e(U, V)W - B^e((X \wedge_g \xi)U, V)W \right. \\
 & \left. - B^e(U, (X \wedge_g \xi)V)W - B^e(U, V)(X \wedge_g \xi)W \right\}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Again, using equations (2.9) and (3.4) in (3.8), we infer

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (\lambda) \left\{ g(X, B^e(U, V)W)\xi - g(\xi, B^e(U, V)W)X + \eta(U)B^e(X, V)W \right. \\
 & - g(X, U)B^e(\xi, V)W + \eta(V)B^e(U, X)W - g(X, V)B^e(U, \xi)W \\
 & \left. + \eta(W)B^e(U, V)X - g(X, W)B^e(U, V)\xi \right\} \\
 (3.9) \quad & = L_{B^e} \left\{ g(\xi, B^e(U, V)W)X - g(X, B^e(U, V)W)\xi - \eta(U)B^e(X, V)W \right. \\
 & \left. + g(X, U)B^e(\xi, V)W - \eta(V)B^e(U, X)W + g(X, V)B^e(U, \xi)W \right. \\
 & \left. - \eta(W)B^e(U, V)X + g(X, W)B^e(U, V)\xi \right\}.
 \end{aligned}$$

The above expression can be written as

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (L_{B^e} + \lambda) \left\{ g(\xi, B^e(U, V)W)X - g(X, B^e(U, V)W)\xi - \eta(U)B^e(X, V)W \right. \\
 (3.10) \quad & \left. + g(X, U)B^e(\xi, V)W - \eta(V)B^e(U, X)W + g(X, V)B^e(U, \xi)W \right. \\
 & \left. - \eta(W)B^e(U, V)X + g(X, W)B^e(U, V)\xi \right\} = 0,
 \end{aligned}$$

which implies that either

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (a) L_{B^e} = -\lambda \\
 & \text{or} \\
 & (b) \left\{ g(\xi, B^e(U, V)W)X \right. \\
 (3.11) \quad & - g(X, B^e(U, V)W)\xi - \eta(U)B^e(X, V)W \\
 & + g(X, U)B^e(\xi, V)W - \eta(V)B^e(U, X)W + g(X, V)B^e(U, \xi)W \\
 & \left. - \eta(W)B^e(U, V)X + g(X, W)B^e(U, V)\xi \right\} = 0.
 \end{aligned}$$

Putting $W = \xi$ and using equations (1.3) and (2.18) in equation (3.11(b)), we have

$$(3.12) \quad B^e(X, V)W = \frac{2(\lambda + 1)}{(n + 2)} [g(X, V)U - g(X, U)V].$$

Now, contracting V in above equation, we get

$$(3.13) \quad \frac{2(\lambda + 1)}{(n + 2)} 2n g(X, U) = 0.$$

This implies that

$$(3.14) \quad \lambda = -1.$$

using equations (3.14) in (2.18) in (3.12), we have

$$(3.15) \quad B^e(X, V)W = 0, \quad B^e(\xi, V)W = 0.$$

Therefore with the help of equations (3.11(b)) and (3.15) we conclude that:

Proposition 3.1. *A $C(\lambda)$ manifold M^{2n+1} ($n > 1$) is E-Bochner pseudosymmetric if either $L_{B^e} = -\lambda$ or $C(\lambda)$ manifold is a Kenmotsu manifold.*

Now, since λ is a real number and if $C(\lambda)$ manifold be E-Bochner pseudosymmetric then we have $\lambda = -1$ or $L_{B^e} = -\lambda$ holds on M^{2n+1} which implies that $L_{B^e} = -\lambda$ will be a real number in both cases therefore we can state the following corollary.

Corollary 3.1. *Every $C(\lambda)$ manifold is E-Bochner pseudosymmetric and has the form $R.B^e = -\lambda Q(g, B^e)$.*

Corollary 3.2. *Every $C(\lambda)$ manifold is E-Bochner pseudosymmetric and has the form $R.B^e = Q(g, B^e)$.*

4. E-Bochner semi-symmetric $C(\lambda)$ manifolds

In an $(2n+1)$ -dimensional almost $C(\lambda)$ the E-Bochner semi-symmetric $C(\lambda)$ manifold is defined by

$$(4.1) \quad (R(X, Y).B^e)(U, V)W = 0.$$

The above equation can be written as

$$(4.2) \quad R(X, Y)B^e(U, V)W - B^e(R(X, Y)U, V)W - B^e(U, R(X, Y)V)W - B^e(U, V)R(X, Y)W = 0.$$

Putting $Y = \xi$ in above equation we get

$$(4.3) \quad \lambda \left[g(X, B^e(U, V)W)\xi - X\eta(B^e(U, V)W) - g(X, U)B^e(\xi, V)W + \eta(U)B^e(X, V)W - g(X, V)B^e(U, \xi)W + \eta(V)B^e(U, X)W + \eta(W)B^e(U, V)X - g(X, W)B^e(U, V)\xi \right] = 0.$$

From (4.3), we have either $\lambda = 0$ or

$$(4.4) \quad \left[g(X, B^e(U, V)W)\xi - X\eta(B^e(U, V)W) - g(X, U)B^e(\xi, V)W + \eta(U)B^e(X, V)W - g(X, V)B^e(U, \xi)W + \eta(V)B^e(U, X)W + \eta(W)B^e(U, V)X - g(X, W)B^e(U, V)\xi \right] = 0,$$

for $\lambda = 0$ the manifold is a cosymplectic manifold.

Now putting $W = U = \xi$ and using equation (2.18) in above equation, we have

$$(4.5) \quad \frac{2(\lambda + 1)}{(n + 2)}\eta(X)V - g(X, V)\xi = 0.$$

again putting $X = \phi X$, $V = \phi V$ and using equation (2.4), we have

$$(4.6) \quad \frac{2(\lambda + 1)}{(n + 2)}g(\phi X, \phi V)\xi = 0.$$

Since $g(\phi X, \phi V)\xi \neq 0$, in general therefore we obtain from (4.5) $\lambda = -1$. Therefore in this case manifold is a Kenmotsu manifold.

Thus we conclude

Proposition 4.1. *If $C(\lambda)$ manifold M^{2n+1} ($n > 1$) is an E-Bochner semi-symmetric $C(\lambda)$ manifold then either $C(\lambda)$ manifold is a cosymplectic manifold or a Kenmotsu manifold.*

Now we propose

Theorem 4.1. *In a $C(\lambda)$ manifold M^{2n+1} ($n > 1$), $B^e(\xi, X).S = 0$ if and only if either $C(\lambda)$ manifold is a Kenmotsu manifold or in $C(\lambda)$ manifold the Ricci tensor satisfies $S(X, U) = -2n\lambda\eta(X)\eta(U)$.*

Proof If $C(\lambda)$ manifold satisfying $B^e(\xi, X).S = 0$.

Then from equation (3.2), we have

$$(4.7) \quad S(B^e(\xi, X)U, \xi) + S(U, B^e(\xi, X)\xi) = 0,$$

From equation (2.12), we have

$$(4.8) \quad S(B^e(\xi, X)U, \xi) = -2n\lambda\eta(B^e(\xi, X)U).$$

Now with the help of equations (2.18) and (4.8), we have

$$(4.9) \quad S(B^e(\xi, X)U, \xi) = 0.$$

Again in view of the equation (2.18), we have

$$(4.10) \quad S(B^e(\xi, X)\xi, U) = -\frac{2(\lambda + 1)}{(n + 2)}(S(X, U) + 2n\lambda\eta(X)\eta(U)).$$

By using expressions (4.10) and (4.9) in (4.7), we infer

$$(4.11) \quad \frac{2(\lambda + 1)}{(n + 2)}(S(X, U) + 2n\lambda\eta(X)\eta(U)) = 0,$$

which implies that $\lambda = -1$ or

$$(4.12) \quad S(X, U) = -2n\lambda\eta(X)\eta(U).$$

Conversely if the manifold satisfies the relation (4.12), then in view of equation (2.18), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 (4.13) \quad B^e(\xi, X).S &= -S(B^e(\xi, X)U, \xi) - S(U, B^e(\xi, X)\xi) \\
 &= -\frac{2(\lambda + 1)}{(n + 2)}(S(X, U) + 2n\lambda\eta(X)\eta(U)) \\
 &= 0.
 \end{aligned}$$

Again, if the manifold is Kenmotsu then we easily obtain from (2.18) that $B^e(\xi, X).S = 0$.

As a particular case of theorem 4.1 we can state the following corollary :

Corollary 4.1. *A $C(\lambda)$ manifold M^{2n+1} ($n > 1$) satisfies $B^e(\xi, X).S = 0$ is a special type of η -Einstein manifold.*

Now we take $B^e(\xi, U).R = 0$.

Then from equation (3.2), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 (4.14) \quad &B^e(\xi, U)R(X, Y)Z - R(B^e(\xi, U)X, Y)Z \\
 &- R(X, B^e(\xi, U)Y)Z - R(X, Y)B^e(\xi, U)Z = 0,
 \end{aligned}$$

which in view of the equation (2.18), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 (4.15) \quad &\frac{2(\lambda + 1)}{(n + 2)} \left\{ \eta(U)\eta(R(X, Y)Z)\xi - \eta(R(X, Y)Z)U \right. \\
 &- \eta(X)\eta(U)R(\xi, Y)Z + \eta(X)R(U, Y)Z \\
 &- \eta(U)\eta(Y)R(X, \xi)Z + \eta(Y)R(X, U)Z \\
 &\left. - \eta(U)\eta(Z)R(X, Y)\xi + \eta(Z)R(X, Y)U \right\} = 0,
 \end{aligned}$$

From (4.15) we have either $\lambda = -1$, or

$$\begin{aligned}
 (4.16) \quad &\left\{ \eta(U)\eta(R(X, Y)Z)\xi - \eta(R(X, Y)Z)U \right. \\
 &- \eta(X)\eta(U)R(\xi, Y)Z + \eta(X)R(U, Y)Z \\
 &- \eta(U)\eta(Y)R(X, \xi)Z + \eta(Y)R(X, U)Z \\
 &\left. - \eta(U)\eta(Z)R(X, Y)\xi + \eta(Z)R(X, Y)U \right\} = 0.
 \end{aligned}$$

For $\lambda = -1$, the manifold is Kenmotsu .

Putting $X = Z = \xi$ in (4.16) and using (2.10) in the above equation, we infer

$$(4.17) \quad R(\phi U, \phi Y)\xi = \lambda[g(Y, U)\xi - \eta(U)\eta(Y)].$$

Thus, we conclude

Proposition 4.2. *In $C(\lambda)$ manifold M^{2n+1} ($n > 1$) if $B^e(\xi, U).R = 0$ then the manifold is either a Kenmotsu manifold or $R(\phi U, \phi Y)\xi = \lambda[g(Y, U)\xi - \eta(U)\eta(Y)]$.*

Now we propose

Theorem 4.2. *In $C(\lambda)$ manifold M^{2n+1} ($n > 1$), $B^e(\xi, X).B^e = 0$, if and only if the manifold is Kenmotsu manifold.*

Proof If $C(\lambda)$ manifold satisfying $B^e(\xi, X).B^e = 0$. Then from equation (3.2), we have

$$(4.18) \quad \begin{aligned} & B^e(\xi, X)B^e(U, V)W - B^e(B^e(\xi, X)U, V)W \\ & - B^e(U, B^e(\xi, X)V)W - B^e(U, V)B^e(\xi, X)W = 0, \end{aligned}$$

which in view of the equation (2.18), we get

$$(4.19) \quad \begin{aligned} & \frac{2(\lambda+1)}{(n+2)} \left\{ \eta(B^e(U, V)W)\eta(X)\xi - \eta(B^e(U, V)W)X \right. \\ & - \eta(U)\eta(X)B^e(\xi, V)W + \eta(U)B^e(X, V)W \\ & - \eta(X)\eta(V)B^e(U, \xi)W + \eta(V)B^e(U, X)W \\ & \left. - \eta(W)\eta(X)B^e(U, V)\xi + \eta(W)B^e(U, V)X \right\} = 0. \end{aligned}$$

By using $U = \xi$ in above equation, we infer

$$(4.20) \quad \frac{2(\lambda+1)}{(n+2)} \left\{ (B^e(X, V)W + \eta(W)\frac{2(\lambda+1)}{(n+2)}(\eta(V)X + \eta(X)V)) \right\} = 0,$$

which implies that either $\lambda = -1$ or

$$(4.21) \quad B^e(X, V)W = \frac{2(\lambda+1)}{(n+2)}\eta(W)[\eta(V)X - \eta(X)V],$$

contracting V in above equation, we have

$$(4.22) \quad \frac{2(\lambda+1)}{(n+2)}2n\eta(W)\eta(X) = 0,$$

This implies that $\lambda = -1$, for $\lambda = -1$, the manifold is Kenmotsu. Conversely, in the case if the manifold is Kenmotsu then from (2.18) we obtain $B^e(\xi, X).B^e = 0$ holds if and only if the manifold is Kenmotsu.

5. ξ -E-Bochner flat curvature tensor on $C(\lambda)$ manifolds

A contact metric manifold is said to be ξ -conformally flat contact metric manifold if the conformal curvature tensor of the manifold satisfies

$$(5.1) \quad C(X, Y)\xi = 0,$$

for any vector fields X and Y .

This idea was introduced by Zhen, Cabrerizo, M. Fernandez and Fernandez [6] in

1997. In 2012 U.C.De , Ahmet Yildiz, Mine Turan and Bilal E. Acet [16] defined ξ -concurcularly flat manifold if the concircular curvature tensor $\tilde{C}(X, Y)\xi = 0$ holds on M.

Now, we define ξ - E-Bochner flat $C(\lambda)$ manifold.

Definition 5.1. A $C(\lambda)$ manifolds is said to be ξ - E-Bochner flat $C(\lambda)$ manifold if the E-Bochner curvature tensor B^e of type (1, 3) of $C(\lambda)$ manifold satisfies

$$(5.2) \quad B^e(X, Y)\xi = 0,$$

for any vector fields X and Y.

Putting $Z = \xi$ in equation (1.2), we have

$$(5.3) \quad B^e(X, Y)\xi = -\eta(X)B(\xi, Y)\xi - \eta(Y)B(X, \xi)\xi.$$

Now from equations (1.3), (2.18) and (5.3), we get

$$(5.4) \quad \frac{2(\lambda + 1)}{(n + 2)}[\eta(Y)X - \eta(X)Y] = 0$$

putting $Y = \xi$ in above equation we have

$$(5.5) \quad \frac{2(\lambda + 1)}{n + 2}(X - \eta(X)\xi) = 0.$$

Now taking inner product with a vector field V, we have

$$(5.6) \quad \frac{2(\lambda + 1)}{n + 2}(g(X, V) - \eta(X)\eta(V)) = 0.$$

Replacing X by QX in above equation, we get

$$(5.7) \quad \frac{2(\lambda + 1)}{n + 2}(g(QX, V) - \eta(QX)\eta(V)) = 0,$$

since $S(X, Y) = g(QX, Y)$, then from above equation we have

$$(5.8) \quad \frac{2(\lambda + 1)}{n + 2}(S(X, V) - \eta(QX)\eta(V)) = 0.$$

Now with the help of equation (2.11) and (4.8), we have

$$(5.9) \quad \frac{2(\lambda + 1)}{n + 2}(S(X, V) + 2n\lambda\eta(X)\eta(V)) = 0.$$

this implies that either

$$(5.10) \quad \lambda = -1,$$

or

$$(5.11) \quad S(X, V) = -2n\lambda\eta(X)\eta(V).$$

Theorem 5.1. In a ξ -E-Bochner flat $C(\lambda)$ manifold either $\lambda = -1$ or $C(\lambda)$ manifold is a special type of η -Einstein manifold.

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