

SOME SYMMETRIC PROPERTIES OF KENMOTSU MANIFOLDS ADMITTING SEMI-SYMMETRIC METRIC CONNECTION

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Abstract. The objective of the present paper is to study some symmetric properties of the Kenmotsu manifold endowed with a semi-symmetric metric connection. Here we consider pseudo-symmetric, Ricci pseudo-symmetric, projective pseudo-symmetric and ϕ -projective semi-symmetric Kenmotsu manifolds with respect to the semi-symmetric metric connection. Finally, we provide an example of the 3-dimensional Kenmotsu manifold admitting a semi-symmetric metric connection which verifies our result.

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1. Introduction

In 1932, Hayden [12] introduced the idea of metric connection with a torsion on a Riemannian manifold. By considering the torsion tensor of a linear connection, Friedmann and Schouten [11] gave a new connection called semi-symmetric connection. The torsion tensor with respect to the semi-symmetric connection $\bar{\nabla}$ is given by

$$(1.1) \quad \bar{T}(X, Y) = \bar{\nabla}_X Y - \bar{\nabla}_Y X - [X, Y].$$

The connection $\bar{\nabla}$ is called a semi-symmetric metric connection [12] if $\bar{\nabla}g = 0$, otherwise, non-metric connection. A relation between the semi-symmetric metric connection $\bar{\nabla}$ and the Levi-Civita connection ∇ on (M, g) established by Yano [18] is given by

$$(1.2) \quad \bar{\nabla}_X Y = \nabla_X Y + \eta(Y)X - g(X, Y)\xi.$$

Semi-symmetric manifolds form a subclass of the class of pseudo-symmetric manifolds. The concept of pseudo-symmetric manifold was introduced by Chaki and

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Chaki [8] and Deszcz [10] in two different ways. Here we study the properties of pseudo-symmetric manifolds with a semi-symmetric metric connection in the Deszcz sense. An n -dimensional Riemannian manifold M is called pseudo-symmetric in the sense of Deszcz [10] if the Riemannian curvature tensor R satisfies the following relation

$$(1.3) \quad (R(X, Y) \cdot R)(U, V)W = L_R((X \wedge_g Y) \cdot R)(U, V)W,$$

for all the vector fields $X, Y, Z, U, V, W \in TM$. Where L_R is a smooth function on M and $X \wedge_g Y$ is an endomorphism defined by

$$(1.4) \quad (X \wedge_g Y)Z = g(Y, Z)X - g(X, Z)Y.$$

The notion of semi-symmetric metric connection has been weakened by many geometers such as [2, 3, 5, 9, 15, 17] etc., with different structures of manifolds and submanifolds. In particular, De [1] and Bagewadi et. al. [4] studied semi-symmetric metric connection on Kenmotsu manifolds with a projective curvature tensor. Also in [16], Singh et. al. studied the semi-symmetric metric connection in an ϵ -Kenmotsu manifold.

The projective curvature tensor \bar{P} with respect to the semi-symmetric metric connection on a Kenmotsu manifold is defined by [1]

$$(1.5) \quad \bar{P}(X, Y)Z = \bar{R}(X, Y)Z - \frac{1}{n-1}[\bar{S}(Y, Z)X - \bar{S}(X, Y)Z],$$

for $X, Y, Z \in \chi(M)$. Here \bar{S} is the Ricci tensor with respect to the semi-symmetric metric connection.

Further, a relation between the curvature tensor \bar{R} of the semi-symmetric metric connection $\bar{\nabla}$ and the curvature tensor R of the Levi-Civita connection ∇ is given by [18]

$$(1.6) \quad \begin{aligned} \bar{R}(X, Y)Z &= R(X, Y)Z - \alpha(Y, Z)X + \alpha(X, Z)Y \\ &- g(Y, Z)LX + g(X, Z)LY, \end{aligned}$$

where α is a tensor field of type (0,2) and L is a tensor field of type (1,1) which is given by

$$(1.7) \quad \alpha(Y, Z) = g(LY, Z) = (\nabla_Y \eta)(Z) - \eta(Y)\eta(Z) + \frac{1}{2}\eta(\xi)g(Y, Z),$$

for any vector fields $X, Y, Z \in \chi(M)$. From (1.6), it follows that

$$(1.8) \quad \bar{S}(Y, Z) = S(Y, Z) - (n-2)\alpha(Y, Z) - ag(Y, Z),$$

where \bar{S} denotes the Ricci tensor with respect to $\bar{\nabla}$ and $a = \text{trace of } \alpha$.

Motivated by these studies, we investigate the semi-symmetric metric connection due to Yano [18] on Kenmotsu manifolds. The paper is organized as follows. After giving preliminaries and basic results of the Kenmotsu manifold in Section

2, in Section 3 we study pseudo-symmetric Kenmotsu manifolds with respect to the semi-symmetric metric connection, proving that either $L_{\bar{R}} = -2$ or the manifold is η -Einstein. In the next section we prove that in a Ricci pseudo-symmetric Kenmotsu manifold with respect to the semi-symmetric metric connection, either $L_{\bar{S}} = -2$ or the manifold is η -Einstein. Sections 5 and 6 are devoted to the study of projective pseudo-symmetric and ϕ -projective semi-symmetric Kenmotsu manifolds with respect to the semi-symmetric metric connection. Finally, we construct an example of a 3-dimensional Kenmotsu manifold admitting the semi-symmetric metric connection and verify the results.

2. Preliminaries

Let M be an n -dimensional almost contact Riemannian manifold equipped with the almost contact metric structure (ϕ, ξ, η, g) , where ϕ is a $(1,1)$ tensor field, ξ is a characteristic vector field, η is a 1-form and g is the Riemannian metric satisfying the following conditions [7];

$$(2.1) \quad \phi^2(X) = -X + \eta(X)\xi, \quad \eta(\xi) = 1, \quad \eta \circ \phi = 0, \quad \phi\xi = 0, \quad g(X, \xi) = \eta(X),$$

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

for all vector fields X, Y on M . If an almost contact metric manifold satisfies

$$(2.3) \quad (\nabla_X \phi)(Y) = g(\phi X, Y)\xi - \eta(Y)\phi X,$$

then M is called a Kenmotsu manifold [14]. Here ∇ denotes the operator of covariant differentiation with respect to g . From (2.3), it follows that

$$(2.4) \quad \nabla_X \xi = X - \eta(X)\xi,$$

$$(2.5) \quad (\nabla_X \eta)(Y) = g(X, Y) - \eta(X)\eta(Y).$$

In a Kenmotsu manifold M , the following relations hold:

$$(2.6) \quad \eta(R(X, Y)Z) = [g(X, Z)\eta(Y) - g(Y, Z)\eta(X)],$$

$$(2.7) \quad (a) R(\xi, X)Y = [\eta(Y)X - g(X, Y)\xi], \quad (b) R(X, Y)\xi = [\eta(X)Y - \eta(Y)X],$$

$$(2.8) \quad (a) S(X, Y) = -(n-1)g(X, Y), \quad (b) QX = -(n-1)X,$$

$$(2.9) \quad (a) S(X, \xi) = -(n-1)\eta(X), \quad (b) S(\xi, \xi) = -(n-1), \quad (c) Q\xi = -(n-1)\xi,$$

$$(2.10) \quad (\nabla_W R)(X, Y)\xi = g(W, X)Y - g(W, Y)X - R(X, Y)W,$$

$$(2.11) \quad S(\phi X, \phi Y) = S(X, Y) + (n-1)\eta(X)\eta(Y).$$

Now by using (1.7), (2.1) and (2.5) in (1.6), we have the following relation

$$(2.12) \quad \begin{aligned} \bar{R}(X, Y)Z &= R(X, Y)Z - 3[g(Y, Z)X - g(X, Z)Y] + 2[\eta(Y)X \\ &- \eta(X)Y]\eta(Z) + 2[g(Y, Z)\eta(X) - g(X, Z)\eta(Y)]\xi. \end{aligned}$$

Contracting X in (2.12), we get

$$(2.13) \quad \bar{S}(Y, Z) = S(Y, Z) - (3n-5)g(Y, Z) + 2(n-2)\eta(Y)\eta(Z).$$

Again contracting Y and Z in (2.13), we get

$$(2.14) \quad \bar{r} = r - (n - 1)(3n - 4),$$

where \bar{r} and r are the scalar curvatures with respect to the semi-symmetric metric connection and the Levi-Civita connection respectively.

3. Pseudo-symmetric Kenmotsu manifold with respect to the semi-symmetric metric connection

Definition: An n -dimensional Kenmotsu manifold M is said to be pseudosymmetric with respect to semi-symmetric metric connection if the curvature tensor \bar{R} of $\bar{\nabla}$ satisfies the condition

$$(3.1) \quad (\bar{R}(X, Y) \cdot \bar{R})(U, V)W = L_{\bar{R}}((X \wedge_g Y) \cdot \bar{R})(U, V)W,$$

where $L_{\bar{R}}$ is a function on M . From (3.1), we have

$$(3.2) \quad \begin{aligned} & \bar{R}(X, Y)(\bar{R}(U, V)W) - \bar{R}(\bar{R}(X, Y)U, V)W - \bar{R}(U, \bar{R}(X, Y)V)W \\ & - \bar{R}(U, V)(\bar{R}(X, Y)W) = L_{\bar{R}}[(X \wedge_g Y)(\bar{R}(U, V)W) - \bar{R}((X \wedge_g Y)U, V)W \\ & - \bar{R}(U, (X \wedge_g Y)V)W - \bar{R}(U, V)(X \wedge_g Y)W]. \end{aligned}$$

Replacing X by ξ in (3.2), we get

$$(3.3) \quad \begin{aligned} & \bar{R}(\xi, Y)(\bar{R}(U, V)W) - \bar{R}(\bar{R}(\xi, Y)U, V)W - \bar{R}(U, \bar{R}(\xi, Y)V)W \\ & - \bar{R}(U, V)(\bar{R}(\xi, Y)W) = L_{\bar{R}}[(\xi \wedge_g Y)(\bar{R}(U, V)W) - \bar{R}((\xi \wedge_g Y)U, V)W \\ & - \bar{R}(U, (\xi \wedge_g Y)V)W - \bar{R}(U, V)(\xi \wedge_g Y)W]. \end{aligned}$$

Using (1.4) and (2.12) in (3.3) and then taking the inner product with ξ , we obtain

$$(3.4) \quad \begin{aligned} & (L_{\bar{R}} + 2)[- \bar{R}(U, V, W, Y) + \eta(\bar{R}(U, V)W)\eta(Y) + 2g(Y, U)\eta(V)\eta(W) \\ & - 2g(Y, U)g(V, W) - \eta(\bar{R}(Y, V)W)\eta(U) - 2g(Y, V)\eta(U)\eta(W) \\ & + 2g(Y, V)g(U, W) - \eta(\bar{R}(U, Y)W)\eta(V) - \eta(\bar{R}(U, V)Y)\eta(W)] = 0. \end{aligned}$$

On plugging $U = Y = e_i$ in (3.4) and taking summation over i , we get

$$(3.5) \quad (L_{\bar{R}} + 2)[S(V, W) - (n - 5)g(V, W) + 2(n - 1)\eta(V)\eta(W)] = 0.$$

This implies that either $L_{\bar{R}} = -2$ or

$$(3.6) \quad S(V, W) = (n - 5)g(V, W) + 2(1 - n)\eta(V)\eta(W).$$

On contracting (3.6), we get

$$(3.7) \quad r = n(n - 7) + 2.$$

Hence we can state the following:

Theorem 3.1. Let M be an n -dimensional pseudo-symmetric Kenmotsu manifold with respect to semi-symmetric metric connection. Then either $L_{\bar{R}} = -2$ or the manifold is η -Einstein with constant scalar curvature $r = n(n - 7) + 2$ with respect to Levi-Civita connection.

4. Ricci pseudo-symmetric Kenmotsu manifold with respect to the semi-symmetric metric connection

Definition: An n -dimensional Kenmotsu manifold M is said to be Ricci pseudo-symmetric with respect to semi-symmetric metric connection, if

$$(4.1) \quad (\bar{R}(X, Y) \cdot \bar{S})(Z, U) = L_{\bar{S}}Q(g, \bar{S})(Z, U; X, Y),$$

holds true on M , where $L_{\bar{S}}$ is some function and $Q(g, S)$ is the Tachibana tensor on M . From (4.1), it follows that

$$(4.2) \quad \begin{aligned} & \bar{S}(\bar{R}(X, Y)Z, U) + \bar{S}(Z, \bar{R}(X, Y)U) \\ & = L_{\bar{S}}[\bar{S}((X \wedge_g Y)Z, U) + \bar{S}(Z, (X \wedge_g Y)U)]. \end{aligned}$$

Putting $Y = U = \xi$ in (4.2), we have

$$(4.3) \quad \bar{S}(\bar{R}(X, \xi)Z, \xi) + \bar{S}(Z, \bar{R}(X, \xi)\xi) = L_{\bar{S}}[\bar{S}((X \wedge \xi)Z, \xi) + \bar{S}(Z, (X \wedge \xi)\xi)].$$

Using (1.4), (2.12), (2.13) and (2.7) in (4.3), we can get

$$(4.4) \quad (L_{\bar{S}} + 2)[S(X, Z) - (n - 3)g(X, Z) + 2(n - 2)\eta(X)\eta(Z)] = 0.$$

This implies that either $L_{\bar{S}} = -2$ or

$$(4.5) \quad S(X, Z) = (n - 3)g(X, Z) + 2(2 - n)\eta(X)\eta(Z).$$

On contracting (4.5) over X and Z , we get

$$(4.6) \quad r = (n - 1)(n - 4).$$

Thus we can state the following theorem:

Theorem 4.1. If a Kenmotsu manifold M is Ricci pseudo-symmetric with respect to semi-symmetric metric connection, then either $L_{\bar{S}} = -2$ or the manifold is η -Einstein with constant scalar curvature $r = (n - 1)(n - 4)$ with respect to Levi-Civita connection.

5. Projective pseudo-symmetric Kenmotsu manifold with respect to the semi-symmetric metric connection

Definition: An n -dimensional Kenmotsu manifold M is said to be projective pseudo-symmetric with respect to semi-symmetric metric connection if

$$(5.1) \quad (\bar{R}(X, Y) \cdot \bar{P})(U, V)W = L_{\bar{P}}((X \wedge_g Y) \cdot \bar{P})(U, V)W,$$

holds on M . Putting $Y = W = \xi$ in (5.1), we get

$$(5.2) \quad (\bar{R}(X, \xi) \cdot \bar{P})(U, V)\xi = L_{\bar{P}}((X \wedge_g \xi) \cdot \bar{P})(U, V)\xi.$$

Now right hand side of (5.2) can be written as

$$(5.3) \quad \begin{aligned} L_{\bar{P}}((X \wedge_g \xi) \cdot \bar{P})(U, V)\xi &= L_{\bar{P}}[((X \wedge_g \xi)\bar{P})(U, V)\xi - \bar{P}((X \wedge_g \xi)U, V)\xi \\ &- \bar{P}(U, (X \wedge_g \xi)V)\xi - \bar{P}(U, V)(X \wedge_g \xi)\xi]. \end{aligned}$$

By virtue of (1.4), (1.5), (2.12), (2.13) and (2.7) in (5.3), we obtain

$$(5.4) \quad L_{\bar{P}}((X \wedge_g \xi) \cdot \bar{P})(U, V)\xi = -L_{\bar{P}} \cdot \bar{P}(U, V)X.$$

Next by considering left hand side of (5.2), we have

$$(5.5) \quad \begin{aligned} (\bar{R}(X, \xi) \cdot \bar{P})(U, V)\xi &= \bar{R}(X, \xi)\bar{P}(U, V)\xi - \bar{P}(\bar{R}(X, \xi)U, V)\xi \\ &- \bar{P}(U, \bar{R}(X, \xi)V)\xi - \bar{P}(U, V)\bar{R}(X, \xi)\xi. \end{aligned}$$

Again using (1.5), (2.12), (2.13) and (2.7) in (5.5), we get

$$(5.6) \quad (\bar{R}(X, \xi) \cdot \bar{P})(U, V)\xi = 2\bar{P}(U, V)X.$$

Substituting (5.4) and (5.6) in (5.2), we obtain

$$(5.7) \quad (L_{\bar{P}} + 2)\bar{P}(U, V)X = 0.$$

This leads us to the following:

Theorem 5.1. If an n -dimensional Kenmotsu manifold is projective pseudo-symmetric with respect to the semi-symmetric metric connection, then either $L_{\bar{P}} = -2$ or the manifold is projectively flat.

Also, in a Kenmotsu manifold, Bagewadi, Prakasha and Venkatesha [4] proved the following:

Lemma 5.1. [4] If the projective curvature tensor of a Kenmotsu manifold M admitting the semi-symmetric metric connection vanishes, then M reduces to an Einstein manifold with the constant scalar curvature $-n(n-1)$.

Hence from **Theorem 5.1.** and **Lemma 5.1.**, we conclude that:

Corollary 5.1. A projective pseudo-symmetric Kenmotsu manifold admitting the semi-symmetric metric connection is an Einstein manifold with the constant scalar curvature with respect to the Levi-Civita connection provided $L_{\bar{P}} \neq -2$.

6. ϕ -projective semi-symmetric Kenmotsu manifold with respect to the semi-symmetric metric connection

Definition: An n -dimensional Kenmotsu manifold M is said to be ϕ -projectively semi-symmetric with respect to the semi-symmetric metric connection if $\bar{P}(X, Y) \cdot \phi = 0$.

Let us consider an n -dimensional Kenmotsu manifold M which is ϕ -projective semi-symmetric. Then we have

$$(6.1) \quad \bar{P}(X, Y)\phi Z - \phi\bar{P}(X, Y)Z = 0,$$

for any vector fields X, Y and Z on M .

By virtue of (1.5) in (6.1) gives

$$(6.2) \quad \begin{aligned} & \bar{R}(X, Y)\phi Z - \phi\bar{R}(X, Y)Z + \frac{1}{n-1}[\bar{S}(Y, \phi Z)X \\ & - \bar{S}(X, \phi Z)Y + \bar{S}(Y, Z)\phi X - \bar{S}(X, Z)\phi Y] = 0. \end{aligned}$$

On plugging $Y = \xi$ in (6.2) and then using (2.12), (2.13) and (2.7), we obtain

$$(6.3) \quad 2g(X, \phi Z)\xi - \frac{1}{n-1}\bar{S}(X, \phi Z)\xi = 0.$$

Now taking the inner product of the above equation with ξ , we get

$$(6.4) \quad 2g(X, \phi Z) - \frac{1}{n-1}\bar{S}(X, \phi Z) = 0.$$

Replacing Z by ϕZ in (6.4) and then by virtue of (2.1) and (2.13), we obtain

$$(6.5) \quad S(X, Z) = Ag(X, Z) + B\eta(X)\eta(Z),$$

where $A = 5n - 7$ and $B = -2(3n - 5)$.

Hence we can state the following:

Theorem 6.1. An n -dimensional ϕ -projective semi-symmetric Kenmotsu manifold with respect to the semi-symmetric metric connection is η -Einstein with respect to the Levi-Civita connection.

7. Example

Consider a 3-dimensional manifold $M = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : z \neq 0\}$, where (x, y, z) are the standard coordinates in \mathbb{R}^3 . We choose the vector fields

$$E_1 = -e^{-z}\frac{\partial}{\partial x}, \quad E_2 = e^{-z}\frac{\partial}{\partial y}, \quad E_3 = \frac{\partial}{\partial z},$$

which are linearly independent at each point of M . Let g be the Riemannian metric defined by

$$(7.1) \quad g = e^{2z}(dx \otimes dx + dy \otimes dy) + \eta \otimes \eta,$$

where η is the 1-form defined by $\eta(X) = g(X, E_3)$, for any vector field X on M . Then $\{E_1, E_2, E_3\}$ is an orthonormal basis of M . We define a $(1, 1)$ tensor field ϕ as

$$(7.2) \quad \phi \left(X \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + Y \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right) + Z \frac{\partial}{\partial z} = \left(Y \frac{\partial}{\partial x} - X \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right).$$

Thus, we have

$$(7.3) \quad \phi(E_1) = E_2, \quad \phi(E_2) = -E_1 \quad \text{and} \quad \phi(E_3) = 0.$$

The linearity property of ϕ and g yields that

$$\begin{aligned}\eta(E_3) &= 1, & \phi^2 X &= -X + \eta(X)E_3, \\ g(\phi X, \phi Y) &= g(X, Y) - \eta(X)\eta(Y),\end{aligned}$$

for any vector fields X, Y on M .

Moreover, we get

$$[E_i, \xi] = E_i, \quad [E_i, E_j] = 0, \quad i, j = 1, 2$$

Using Koszul's formula, we obtain

$$\nabla_{E_i} E_i = -\xi, \quad \nabla_{E_i} \xi = E_i, \quad i = 1, 2.$$

and others are zero. Thus for $E_3 = \xi$, $M(\phi, \xi, \eta, g)$ is a Kenmotsu manifold. Now, the non-zero terms of the semi-symmetric metric connection on M become

$$(7.4) \quad \bar{\nabla}_{E_i} E_i = -2\xi, \quad \bar{\nabla}_{E_i} \xi = 2E_i \quad i = 1, 2.$$

With the help of the above results it can be easily verified that

$$\begin{aligned}R(E_1, E_2)E_3 &= 0, & R(E_2, E_3)E_3 &= -E_2, & R(E_1, E_3)E_3 &= -E_1, \\ R(E_1, E_2)E_2 &= -E_1, & R(E_2, E_3)E_2 &= E_3, & R(E_1, E_3)E_2 &= 0, \\ R(E_1, E_2)E_1 &= E_2, & R(E_2, E_3)E_1 &= 0, & R(E_1, E_3)E_1 &= E_3.\end{aligned}$$

and

$$(7.5) \quad \begin{aligned}\bar{R}(E_1, E_2)E_3 &= 0, & \bar{R}(E_2, E_3)E_3 &= -2E_2, & \bar{R}(E_1, E_3)E_3 &= -2E_1, \\ \bar{R}(E_1, E_2)E_2 &= -4E_1, & \bar{R}(E_2, E_3)E_2 &= 2E_3, & \bar{R}(E_1, E_3)E_2 &= 0, \\ \bar{R}(E_1, E_2)E_1 &= 4E_2, & \bar{R}(E_2, E_3)E_1 &= 0, & \bar{R}(E_1, E_3)E_1 &= 2E_3.\end{aligned}$$

In view of (1.1), one can obtain the torsion tensor \bar{T} with respect to the semi-symmetric metric connection as

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{T}(E_i, E_i) &= 0 \quad \text{for } i = 1, 2, 3; \\ \bar{T}(E_1, E_2) &= 0, \quad \bar{T}(E_1, E_3) = E_1, \quad \bar{T}(E_2, E_3) = E_2.\end{aligned}$$

Since E_1, E_2, E_3 forms a basis, the vector fields $X, Y, Z \in \chi(M)$ can be written as

$$(7.6) \quad \begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \\ Z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 & b_1 & c_1 \\ a_2 & b_2 & c_2 \\ a_3 & b_3 & c_3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} E_1 \\ E_2 \\ E_3 \end{pmatrix},$$

where $a_i, b_i, c_i \in \mathbb{R}^+$ (the set of all positive real numbers), $i = 1, 2, 3$. Using the expressions of the curvature tensors, we find values of the Riemannian curvature and Ricci curvature with respect to the semi-symmetric metric connection as;

$$(7.7) \quad \begin{aligned}\bar{R}(X, Y)Z &= [-4\{a_1 b_2 - b_1 a_2\}b_3 + 2\{c_1 a_2 - a_1 c_2\}c_3]E_1 \\ &+ [-4\{b_1 a_2 - a_1 b_2\}a_3 + 2\{c_1 b_2 - b_1 c_2\}c_3]E_2 \\ &+ [-2\{c_1 a_2 - a_1 c_2\}a_3 - 2\{c_1 b_2 - b_1 c_2\}b_3]E_3,\end{aligned}$$

$$(7.8) \quad \bar{S}(E_1, E_1) = \bar{S}(E_2, E_2) = -6, \quad \bar{S}(E_3, E_3) = -4.$$

In view of the expression of the endomorphism $(E_i \wedge_g E_j)E_w = g(E_j, E_w)E_i - g(E_i, E_w)E_j$ for $1 \leq i, j, w \leq 3$ and equations (7.5) and (7.8), one can easily verify that

$$(7.9) \quad \begin{aligned} \bar{S}(\bar{R}(E_i, E_3)E_j, E_3) + \bar{S}(E_j, \bar{R}(E_i, E_3)E_3) &= -2[\bar{S}((E_i \wedge_g E_3)E_j, E_3) \\ &+ \bar{S}(E_j, (E_i \wedge_g E_3)E_3)], \end{aligned}$$

in view of the above equation **Theorem 4.1**. is verified.

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