

ON F -STRUCTURE MANIFOLD

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Summary

The first part of this paper is devoted to the study of F -structure satisfying: $F^K + (-)^{K+1} F = 0$ and $F^W + (-)^{W+1} F \neq 0$, for $1 < W < K$. The case when K is odd and $K (\geq 3)$ has been considered. In the later part some structures involving Lie-derivatives, exterior and co-derivatives have been studied.

1. Introduction

Let F be a non zero tensor field of type (1,1) and of class C^∞ on M^n such that [(2)]

$$(1.1) \quad F^K + (-)^{K+1} F = 0 \text{ and } F^W + (-)^{W+1} F \neq 0 \text{ for } 1 < W < K, \text{ where } K > 2.$$

Such a structure on M^n is called an F -structure of rank ' r ' and degree K . If the rank of F is constant and $r = r(F)$, then M^n is called an F -manifold of degree $K (\geq 3)$.

Let the operators on M^n be defined as follows [(2)]

$$(1.2) \quad \pi = (-)^K F^{K-1} \text{ and } m = I + (-)^{K+1} F^{K-1}, \text{ where } I \text{ is the identity operator on } M^n.$$

Now we state the following theorems

THEOREM 1.1. *From the operators defined by (1.2) we have $\pi + m = I$, $\pi^2 = \pi$ and $m^2 = m$. For F satisfying (1.1), there exist complementary distributions L and M corresponding to the projection operators π and m respectively. If the rank of F is constant and is equal to r everywhere on n -dimensional manifold M^n then $\dim L = r$ and $\dim M = (n - r)$.*

THEOREM 1.2. *We have (a) $F\pi = \pi F$, and $Fm = mF = 0$, (b) $F^{K-1}\pi = -\pi$ and $F^{K-1}m = 0$.*

Thus $F^{\frac{K-1}{2}}$ acts on L as an almost complex structure and on M as a null operator.

PROOF. The proofs of theorems (1.1) and (1.2) are obvious in view of equations (1.1) and (1.2).

Let $\mathcal{F}(M)$ be the ring of real valued differentiable functions on M and $\mathcal{X}(M)$ be the module of derivatives of $\mathcal{F}(M)$. Then $\mathcal{X}(M)$ is Lie algebra over the real numbers and the elements of $\mathcal{X}(M)$ are called *vector fields*. Then M is equipped with (1, 1) tensor field F which is a linear map such that

$$F : \mathcal{X}(M) \longrightarrow \mathcal{X}(M).$$

Let M^n be of degree K and let K be a positive odd integer greater than 2 then we consider a positive definite Riemannian metric w.r.t. which L and M are orthogonal, so that

$$(1.3) \quad g(X, Y) = g(HX, HY) + g(mX, Y), \quad \text{where } H = F^{\frac{K-1}{2}},$$

for all $X, Y \in \mathcal{X}(M)$.

Since the distributions L and M are orthogonal, using theorem (1.2) b, we obtain

$$(1.4) \quad g(HX, Y) = g(H^2X, HY) \quad \text{and}$$

$$(1.5) \quad g(X, HY) = g(HX, H^2Y) + g(mX, HY).$$

A 2-form has been defined as follows [(2)]

$$(1.6) \quad H(X, Y) = -H(Y, X) = g(HX, Y).$$

In view of the definition of a Riemannian connection on M^n and Lie derivative L_X we have

$$(1.7) \quad \begin{aligned} \text{a) } \nabla_X (F)(Y) &= \nabla_X (FY) - F \nabla_X Y, \\ \text{b) } (L_X F)(Y) &= [X, FY] - F[X, Y]. \end{aligned}$$

Making use of the theorem (1.2) a, and equations (1.7) a, b, we obtain

$$m(\nabla_X F)(mY) = 0, \quad \text{and } m(L_X F)(mY) = 0.$$

Since F^{K-1} is a (1, 1) tensor field we have

$$(1.8) \quad \nabla_X (F^{K-1})(Y) = \nabla_X (F^{K-1}(Y)) - F^{K-1} \nabla_X Y.$$

The covariant and exterior derivative in M^n are defined as

$$(1.9) \quad \nabla_X (H)(Y, Z) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} g(\nabla_X (F)(Y), Z) \quad \text{and}$$

$$(1.10) \quad dH(X, Y, Z) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\nabla_X H)(Y, Z) + (\nabla_Y H)(Z, X) + (\nabla_Z H)(X, Y).$$

In view of equation (1.7) a, we have the following identities,

$$(1.11) \quad \nabla_X (H)(FY, F^{K-1}Z) = \nabla_X (H)(F^{K-1}Y, FZ),$$

$$(1.12) \quad \nabla_X (H)(F^{K-1}Y, F^{K-1}Z) = -\nabla_X (H)(FY, FZ).$$

2. We have the following definitions [(1)]

$$(2.1) \quad F\text{-Kählerian manifold iff } \nabla_{FX} F \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} 0.$$

$$(2.2) \quad F\text{-almost Kählerian manifold iff } dH(FX, FY, FZ) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} 0.$$

$$(2.3) \quad F\text{-nearly Kählerian manifold iff}$$

$$\nabla_{FX}(F)(FY) + \nabla_{FY}(F)(FX) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} 0$$

$$(2.4) \quad F\text{-quasi Kählerian manifold iff}$$

$$\nabla_{FX}(F)(FY) + \nabla_{FK-1X}(F)(F^{K-1}Y) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} 0$$

$$(2.5) \quad F\text{-Hermitian manifold iff } N(FX, FY, FZ) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} 0, \\ \text{for all } X, Y, Z \in \mathcal{X}(M).$$

THEOREM 2.1. *The necessary and sufficient condition for an F -structure manifold to be an F -nearly Kählerian manifold is that*

$$(2.6) \quad (-)^K F^{K-2} \{ \nabla_X(F(FY)) + \nabla_{FY}(F(FX)) \} = \pi \{ \nabla_{FX}(FY) + \nabla_{FY}(FX) \}.$$

PROOF. We have

$$\begin{aligned} (\nabla_{FX}F)(FY) &= \nabla_{FY}(F(FY)) - F\nabla_{FX}(FY). \text{ Thus,} \\ \nabla_{FX}(F(FY)) + \nabla_{FY}(F(FX)) &= (\nabla_{FX}F)(FY) + F\nabla_{FX}(FY) \\ &\quad + (\nabla_{FY}F)(FX) + F\nabla_{FY}(FY). \end{aligned}$$

In view of equation (2.3) we get

$$\nabla_{FX}(F(FY)) + \nabla_{FY}(F(FX)) = F \{ \nabla_{FX}(FY) + \nabla_{FY}(FX) \}.$$

Operating above equation by $(-)^K F^{K-2}$ and on using (1.2) we obtain the result. The converse follows in an obvious manner.

THEOREM 2.2. *The necessary and sufficient condition for an F -structure manifold to be an F -quasi Kählerian manifold is that*

$$(2.7) \quad (-)^{K+1} F^{K-2} \{ \nabla_{FX}(F(FY)) + \nabla_{FK-1X}(F(F^{K-1}Y)) \} + \\ \pi \{ \nabla_{FX}(FY) + \nabla_{FK-1X}(F^{K-1}Y) \} = 0.$$

PROOF. In consequence of (1.7) a, we get;

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla_{FX}(F(FY)) &= (\nabla_{FX}F)(FY) + F\nabla_{FX}(FY), \text{ and} \\ \nabla_{FK-1X}(F(F^{K-1}Y)) &= (\nabla_{FK-1X}F)(F^{K-1}Y) + F\nabla_{FK-1X}(F^{K-1}Y). \end{aligned}$$

Adding the last two equations and making use of (2.4) we get

$$\nabla_{FX}(F(FY)) + \nabla_{FK-1X}(F(F^{K-1}Y)) = F \{ \nabla_{FX}(FY) + \nabla_{FK-1X}(F^{K-1}Y) \}.$$

Which on operating by $(-)^{K+1} F^{K-2}$ yields the result.

THEOREM 2.3. *The necessary and sufficient condition for an F-quasi Kählerian manifold to be F-Kählerian is that*

$$(2.8) \quad \nabla_{FX}(FY) + \nabla_{FK-1_X}(F^{K-1}Y) = 0$$

PROOF. By virtue of (2.4) we have $\nabla_{FX}F(FY) + \nabla_{FK-1_X}(F)(F^{K-1}Y) = 0$ which in consequence of (1.7) a, yields

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla_{FX}(F(FY)) - F\nabla_{FX}(FY) + \nabla_{FK-1_X}(F(F^{K-1}Y)) \\ - F\nabla_{FK-1_X}(F^{K-1}Y) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

which in view of definition (2.4) gives the required result.

THEOREM 2.4. *For an F-structure manifold, if any two of the following properties hold, the third is also satisfied,*

- a) *it is F-nearly Kählerian,*
- b) *it is F-quasi Kählerian, and*
- c) *it is F-structure manifold for which*

$$(2.9) \quad \nabla_{FY}F(FX) = \nabla_{FK-1_X}F(F^{K-1}Y).$$

PROOF. From definitions (2.3), (2.4), on subtraction and making use of (2.9) we get the result.

THEOREM 2.5. *The necessary and sufficient condition for an F-structure manifold to be an F-almost Kählerian is that*

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla_{FK-1_X}(H)(F^{K-1}Y, FZ) + \nabla_{FK-1_Y}(H)(F^{K-1}Z, FX) \\ + \nabla_{FK-1_Z}(H)(F^{K-1}X, FY) = 0. \end{aligned}$$

PROOF. By virtue of equation (2.2) we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla_{FK-1_X}(H)(F^{K-1}Y, FZ) = -\nabla_{FK-1_Y}(H)(FZ, F^{K-1}X) \\ - \nabla_{FZ}(H)(F^{K-1}X, F^{K-1}Y), \\ (2.10) \quad \nabla_{FK-1_X}(H)(F^{K-1}Y, FZ) = -\nabla_{FK-1_Y}(H)(FZ, F^{K-1}X) \\ + \nabla_{FZ}(H)(FX, FY). \end{aligned}$$

Similarly we get

$$(2.11) \quad \begin{aligned} \nabla_{FK-1_Y}(H)(F^{K-1}Z, FX) = -\nabla_{FK-1_Z}(H)(FX, F^{K-1}Y) \\ + \nabla_{FX}(H)(FY, FZ), \text{ and} \end{aligned}$$

$$(2.12) \quad \nabla_{F^K-1_Z}(H)(F^{K-1}X, FY) = -\nabla_{F^K-1_X}(H)(FY, F^{K-1}Z) + \nabla_{FY}(H)(FZ, FX).$$

Adding (2.10), (2.11), (2.12) and using (1.11) we get

$$2\{\nabla_{F^K-1_X}(H)(F^{K-1}Y, FZ) + \nabla_{F^K-1_Y}(H)(F^{K-1}Z, FX) + \nabla_{F^K-1_Z}(H)(F^{K-1}X, FY)\} = dH(FX, FY, FZ)$$

which on using (2.2) yields

$$\nabla_{F^K-1_X}(H)(F^{K-1}Y, FZ) + \nabla_{F^K-1_Y}(H)(F^{K-1}Z, FX) + \nabla_{F^K-1_Z}(H)(F^{K-1}X, FY) = 0.$$

Gray [(1)] defined connection preserving structures for a Hermitian manifold.

We shall now define an F -structure which is connection preserving as follows

$$(2.13) \quad \nabla_{F^K-2_X}(F^{K-2}Y) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \nabla_X Y$$

THEOREM 2.6. *If F -structure is connection preserving then F -quasi Kählerian manifold is F -Kählerian.*

PROOF. Let the manifold be F -quasi Kählerian then

$$\nabla_{FX}F(FY) = -\nabla_{F^K-1_X}F(F^{K-1}Y)$$

which with the help of (1.7)a, gives

$$\nabla_{FX}F(FY) = -\{\nabla_{F^K-1_X}F(F^{K-1}Y) - F\nabla_{F^K-1_X}(F^{K-1}Y)\}.$$

which on arrangement of F^{K-1} etc. becomes

$$= -\{\nabla_{F^K-2_{(FX)}}F^2(F^{K-2}Y) - F\nabla_{F^K-2_{(FX)}}F(F^{K-2}Y)\}$$

This equation on using (2.1), (2.13) and (1.7) a, yields

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla_{FX}F(FY) &= -\{\nabla_{FX}(F^2Y) - F\nabla_{FX}(FY)\} \\ &= -\nabla_{FX}F(FY), \text{ or } 2\nabla_{FX}F(FY) = 0, \end{aligned}$$

which in view of definition (2.1) shows that the manifold is F -Kählerian.

3. Operators $P(X, Y, Z)$ and $Q(X, Y, Z)$

Let us define the following operators

$$(3.1) \quad P(X, Y, Z) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \nabla_X(H)(Y, Z) + \nabla_Y(H)(X, Z) \text{ and}$$

$$(3.2) \quad Q(X, Y, Z) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \nabla_X(H)(Y, Z) + \nabla_Y(H)(Z, X) + \nabla_Z(H)(X, Y).$$

THEOREM 3.1. For an F -almost Kählerian manifold we have

$$(3.3) \quad P(FX, F^{K-1}Y, F^{K-1}Z) + P(FY, F^{K-1}Z, F^{K-1}X) \\ + P(FZ, F^{K-1}X, F^{K-1}Y) = 0.$$

PROOF. In view of (3.1) we get

$$P(FX, F^{K-1}Y, F^{K-1}Z) = \nabla_{FX}(H)(F^{K-1}Y, F^{K-1}Z) \\ + \nabla_{F^{K-1}Y}(H)(FX, F^{K-1}Z); \text{ thus} \\ P(FX, F^{K-1}Y, F^{K-1}Z) + P(FY, F^{K-1}Z, F^{K-1}X) \\ + P(FZ, F^{K-1}X, F^{K-1}Y) \\ = -\{\nabla_{FX}(H)(FY, FZ) + \nabla_{FY}(H)(FZ, FX) + \nabla_{FZ}(H)(FX, FY)\} \\ = -\{\nabla_{F^{K-1}X}(H)(F^{K-1}Y, FZ) + \nabla_{F^{K-1}Y}(H)(F^{K-1}Z, FX) \\ + \nabla_{F^{K-1}Z}(H)(F^{K-1}X, FY)\}.$$

Now in consequence of the theorem (2.5) and the equation (2.2) we obtain theorem (3.1).

THEOREM 3.2. If an F -structure manifold has the following two properties, i.e.

- a) it is an F -almost Kählerian manifold,
- b) it is an F -nearly Kählerian manifold then

$$(3.4) \quad \nabla_{F^{K-1}Z}(H)(FX, F^{K-1}Y) = 2\nabla_{FX}(H)(FY, FZ).$$

PROOF. In view of equation (2.2) we have

$$(3.5) \quad Q(FX, FY, FZ) = \nabla_{FX}(H)(FY, FZ) + \nabla_{FY}(H)(FZ, FX) \\ + \nabla_{FZ}(H)(FX, FY)$$

$$(3.6) \quad P(FX, FY, FZ) = \nabla_{FX}(H)(FY, FZ) + \nabla_{FY}(H)(FX, FZ)$$

Adding (3.5) and (3.6) we obtain

$$Q(FX, FY, FZ) + P(FX, FY, FZ) = 2\nabla_{FX}(H)(FY, FZ) \\ + \nabla_{FZ}(H)(FX, FY)$$

which for an F -almost Kählerian and F -nearly Kählerian manifold gives

$$2\nabla_{FX}(H)(FY, FZ) + \nabla_{FZ}(H)(FX, FY) = 0.$$

$$\text{or, } 2\nabla_{FX}(H)(FY, FZ) = -\nabla_{FZ}(H)(FX, FY)$$

$$\text{or, } -2\nabla_{FX}(H)(F^{K-1}Y, F^{K-1}Z) = \nabla_{F^{K-1}Z}(H)(FX, F^{K-1}Y)$$

$$\text{or, } 2\nabla_{FX}(H)(FY, FZ) = \nabla_{F^{K-1}Z}(H)(FX, F^{K-1}Y).$$

COROLLARY. For an F -nearly Kählerian manifold we have

$$(3.7) \quad \nabla_{F^{K-1}X}(H) (F^{K-1}Y, FZ) + \nabla_{F^{K-1}Y}(H) (F^{K-1}X, FZ) = 0$$

PROOF. The proof follows immediately, making use of (1.11).

THEOREM 3.3. For an F -nearly Kählerian manifold we have

$$(3.8) \quad Q(FX, F^{K-1}Y, F^{K-1}Z) + Q(FY, F^{K-1}X, F^{K-1}Z) \\ = \nabla_{F^{K-1}X}(H) (F^{K-1}Y, FZ) + \nabla_{F^{K-1}Y}(H) (F^{K-1}Z, FX).$$

PROOF. In consequence of equation (3.2) we have

$$Q(FX, F^{K-1}Y, F^{K-1}Z) + Q(FY, F^{K-1}X, F^{K-1}Z) \\ = - \{ \nabla_{FX}(H) (FY, FZ) + \nabla_{FY}(H) (FX, FZ) \} \\ + \nabla_{F^{K-1}Y}(H) (F^{K-1}Z, FX) + \nabla_{F^{K-1}X}(H) (FY, F^{K-1}Z) \\ + \nabla_{F^{K-1}Z}(H) (FY, F^{K-1}X) + \nabla_{F^{K-1}Z}(H) (FX, F^{K-1}Y)$$

which with the help of (1.11) and (2.3) give the result.

THEOREM 3.4. For an F -nearly Kählerian manifold

$$P(F^{K-1}X, F^{K-1}Y, FZ) + P(FX, F^{K-1}Y, F^{K-1}Z) \\ + P(F^{K-1}X, FY, F^{K-1}Z) = 0.$$

PROOF. The proof follows at once after making use of equations (3.1), (1.11), (1.12), and (3.7).

COROLLARY. In an F -structure manifold following identities hold

$$(3.9) \quad Q(F^{K-1}X, F^{K-1}Y, FZ) = Q(FY, FX, FZ),$$

$$(3.10) \quad Q(FX, F^{K-1}Y, FZ) = Q(FY, F^{K-1}X, FZ),$$

$$(3.11) \quad Q(F^{K-1}X, F^{K-1}Y, F^{K-1}Z) = Q(FY, FX, F^{K-1}Z).$$

PROOF. The proof is obvious.

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