

A CONFORMAL CURVATURE TENSOR FIELD ON HERMITIAN MANIFOLDS

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In 1949 ([B]), S. Bochner has introduced “Bochner curvature tensor” on a kaehler manifold analogous to the Weyl conformal curvature tensor on a riemannian manifold. However, we have not known the exact meaning of his tensor yet. In this paper, we define a new tensor field on a hermitian manifold which is conformally invariant and study some properties of this new tensor field.

It is well known ([Be]) that the decomposition theorem of the curvature tensor R of a kaehler manifold;

$$(\#) \quad R = \frac{s}{2m^2} \omega \otimes \omega + \frac{1}{m} \omega \otimes \rho_0 + \frac{1}{m} \rho_0 \otimes \omega + B,$$

$$(\#\#) \quad B = \frac{\text{tr } B}{m^2 - 1} \text{Id} | A_0^{1,1} M + B_0.$$

In this paper, we shall prove the above decomposition of the curvature tensor field of the hermitian connection on a hermitian manifold and B_0 is invariant under the conformal change of the hermitian metrics.

1. Notations and preliminaries

Let (M, g, J) be a hermitian manifold of complex dimension m . The complex structure J induces the splitting of the complexified tangent bundle $T_{\mathbb{C}}M \simeq TM \otimes_{\mathbb{R}} \mathbb{C}$ into two complementary subbundles, conjugate to each other:

$$(1.1) \quad T_{\mathbb{C}}M \simeq T^{1,0}M \oplus T^{0,1}M,$$

where at each point x of M , the fiber $T_x^{1,0}M$ (resp. $T_x^{0,1}M$) is the eigenspace of J_x relative to eigenvalue $\sqrt{-1}$ (resp. $-\sqrt{-1}$). The elements of $T^{1,0}M$ (resp. $T^{0,1}M$) are the (complex) vectors of type

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(1, 0) (resp. of type (0, 1)).

The above splitting (1, 1) of the complexified tangent bundle $T_{\mathbb{C}}M$ extends a splitting into types of the whole tensor bundle. In particular, we have

$$(1.2) \quad \Lambda_{\mathbb{C}}^r M = \sum_{p+q=r} \Lambda^p(T^{1,0}M)^* \otimes \Lambda^q(T^{0,1}M)^*,$$

where $\Lambda_{\mathbb{C}}^r M$ is the bundle of the \mathbb{C} -valued r -forms and $\Lambda^p(T^{1,0}M)^*$ (resp. $\Lambda^q(T^{0,1}M)^*$) denotes the bundle of the \mathbb{C} -linear p -forms (resp. q -forms) on $T^{1,0}M$ (resp. $T^{0,1}M$).

Sections of the bundle $\Lambda_{\mathbb{C}}^{p,q} M := \Lambda^p(T^{1,0}M)^* \otimes \Lambda^q(T^{0,1}M)^*$ are (complex) forms of type (p, q) . In particular, if $p=q$, we denote by $\Lambda^{p,p} M$ the bundle of the real forms of type (p, p) .

The fundamental 2-form ω of a hermitian manifold (M, g, J) is defined by

$$(1.3) \quad \omega(X, Y) = g(JX, Y)$$

for any vector fields X and Y on M . By means of ω , we may define the linear operators L and its formal adjoint \wedge acting on forms; for any form φ ,

$$(1.4) \quad L\varphi = \omega \wedge \varphi.$$

A form φ is said to be primitive if $\wedge\varphi = 0$. Then we have the following Lefschetz decomposition theorem on forms.

PROPOSITION 1.1. *Every r -form φ on a hermitian manifold of complex dimension m has a unique representation as a sum*

$$(1.5) \quad \varphi = \sum_{p \geq (r-m)^+} L^p \varphi_p \quad (r-m)^+ := \max(0, r-m),$$

where φ_p are primitive $(r-2p)$ -forms.

REMARK 1.2. For a 2-form φ of type (1, 1), the Lefschetz decomposition reduces to

$$(1.6) \quad \varphi = \frac{\wedge\varphi}{m} \omega + \varphi_0,$$

where φ_0 is the primitive part of φ .

2. Decomposition of the curvature tensor fields

Let (M, g, J) be a hermitian manifold of complex dimension m . The

hermitian connection ∇ of M is a unique affine connection such that g and J are parallel and the torsion tensor T satisfies;

$$T(JX, Y) = T(X, JY) \text{ for any vector fields } X \text{ and } Y \text{ on } M.$$

Let R be the curvature tensor of the hermitian connection ∇ of M ;

$$(2.1) \quad R(X, Y) = [\nabla_X, \nabla_Y] - \nabla_{[X, Y]}.$$

Then the curvature tensor R satisfies the following relations;

$$(2.2) \quad R(X, Y) \circ J = J \circ R(X, Y),$$

$$(2.3) \quad R(JX, JY) = R(X, Y)$$

for any vector fields X and Y on M .

We may consider that the curvature tensor R have the following properties;

(A) R is a section of the vector bundle $A^{1,1}M \otimes A^{1,1}M$.

(B) R is an endomorphism of the vector bundle $A^{1,1}M$.

Let z^1, \dots, z^m be a complex local coordinate system in M . The indices i, j, k, \dots run through $1, \dots, m$ and the indices A, B, C, \dots run through $1, \dots, m, 1^*, \dots, m^*$, and we also use the Einstein convention.

We set $Z_i = \partial / \partial z^i$, $Z_{i^*} = \partial / \partial \bar{z}^i$ and

$$(2.4) \quad R(Z_C, Z_D)Z_B = R_{BCD}{}^A Z_A.$$

We also define

$$(2.5) \quad R_{ABCD} = g(R(Z_C, Z_D)Z_B, Z_A),$$

so that

$$(2.6) \quad R_{ABCD} = g_{AE} R_{BCD}{}^E.$$

The only nonvanishing components of the curvature tensor R of a hermitian connection ∇ are

$$R_{ij^*kl^*}, R_{ij^*k^*l}, R_{i^*jkl^*}, R_{i^*jk^*l}.$$

Furthermore, we have

$$(2.7) \quad R_{ij^*kl^*} = \frac{\partial^2 g_{ij^*}}{\partial z^k \partial \bar{z}^l} - g^{st^*} \frac{\partial g_{it^*}}{\partial z^k} \frac{\partial g_{sj^*}}{\partial \bar{z}^l} \quad (\text{see [G]}).$$

Since the hermitian connection ∇ has the torsion, there are three distinct Ricci tensors of ∇ ;

$$(2.8) \quad R_{ij^*} = -g^{kl^*} R_{il^*kj^*},$$

$$(2.9) \quad S_{ij^*} = -g^{kl^*} R_{ij^*kl^*},$$

$$(2.10) \quad T_{ij^*} = -g^{kl^*} R_{kl^*ij^*}.$$

And we also have three distinct scalar curvatures of \mathcal{V} ;

$$(2.11) \quad s' = 2g^{ij*}R_{ij*},$$

$$(2.12) \quad s = 2g^{ij*}S_{ij*},$$

$$(2.13) \quad t = 2g^{ij*}T_{ij*}.$$

Note that $s=t$.

By means of (A), R may be written locally as followings;

$$(2.14) \quad R = R_{ij*kl*} dz^i \wedge d\bar{z}^j \otimes dz^k \wedge d\bar{z}^l.$$

Fixed k, l , $R_{ij*kl*} dz^i \wedge d\bar{z}^j$ is a real 2-form of type (1,1). The Lefschetz decomposition (1.6) implies that

$$(2.15) \quad \begin{aligned} R_{ij*kl*} dz^i \wedge d\bar{z}^j \\ = -\frac{1}{m} T_{kl*} g_{ij*} dz^i \wedge d\bar{z}^j + {}^{0,1}R_{ij*kl*} dz^i \wedge d\bar{z}^j, \end{aligned}$$

where ${}^{0,1}R_{ij*kl*} dz^i \wedge d\bar{z}^j$ is the primitive part of $R_{ij*kl*} dz^i \wedge d\bar{z}^j$, and similarly

$$(2.16) \quad \begin{aligned} R_{ij*kl*} dz^k \wedge d\bar{z}^l \\ = -\frac{1}{m} S_{ij*} g_{kl*} dz^k \wedge d\bar{z}^l + {}^{1,0}R_{ij*kl*} dz^k \wedge d\bar{z}^l, \end{aligned}$$

where ${}^{1,0}R_{ij*kl*} dz^k \wedge d\bar{z}^l$ is the primitive part of $R_{ij*kl*} dz^k \wedge d\bar{z}^l$.

REMARK 2.1. The linear operator \wedge can be written locally as followings;

$$(2.17) \quad \wedge = \sqrt{-1} g^{kl*} i(Z_k) i(Z_l^*).$$

Therefore we have

$$(2.18) \quad \begin{aligned} 2R &= R_{ij*kl*} dz^i \wedge d\bar{z}^j \otimes dz^k \wedge d\bar{z}^l \\ &\quad + dz^i \wedge d\bar{z}^j \otimes R_{ij*kl*} dz^k \wedge d\bar{z}^l \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{-1}}{m} g_{ij*} dz^i \wedge d\bar{z}^j \otimes \sqrt{-1} T_{kl*} dz^k \wedge d\bar{z}^l \\ &\quad + dz^i \wedge d\bar{z}^j \otimes {}^{0,1}R_{ij*kl*} dz^k \wedge d\bar{z}^l \\ &\quad + \frac{\sqrt{-1}}{m} S_{ij*} dz^i \wedge d\bar{z}^j \otimes \sqrt{-1} g_{kl*} dz^k \wedge d\bar{z}^l \\ &\quad + {}^{1,0}R_{ij*kl*} dz^i \wedge d\bar{z}^j \otimes dz^k \wedge d\bar{z}^l. \end{aligned}$$

Since $\sqrt{-1} T_{kl*} dz^k \wedge d\bar{z}^l$, $\sqrt{-1} S_{ij*} dz^i \wedge d\bar{z}^j$, ${}^{0,1}R_{ij*kl*} dz^k \wedge d\bar{z}^l$ and ${}^{1,0}R_{ij*kl*} dz^i \wedge d\bar{z}^j$ are all real 2-forms of type (1,1), we have, by (1.6),

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$$(2.19) \quad \sqrt{-1} T_{kl^*} dz^k \wedge d\bar{z}^l = \frac{s}{2m} \omega + \rho_{t,0},$$

$$(2.20) \quad \sqrt{-1} S_{ij^*} dz^i \wedge d\bar{z}^j = \frac{s}{2m} \omega + \rho_{s,0},$$

$$(2.21) \quad \begin{aligned} & {}^{0,1}R_{ij^*kl^*} dz^k \wedge d\bar{z}^l \\ &= \left(R_{ij^*kl^*} + \frac{1}{m} T_{kl^*} g_{ij^*} \right) dz^k \wedge d\bar{z}^l \\ &= \left(-\frac{1}{m} S_{ij^*} + \frac{s}{2m^2} g_{ij^*} \right) g_{kl^*} dz^k \wedge d\bar{z}^l \\ &\quad + {}^{0,1}B_{ij^*kl^*} dz^k \wedge d\bar{z}^l, \end{aligned}$$

$$(2.22) \quad \begin{aligned} & {}^{1,0}R_{ij^*kl^*} dz^i \wedge d\bar{z}^j \\ &= \left(R_{ij^*kl^*} + \frac{1}{m} S_{ij^*} g_{kl^*} \right) dz^i \wedge d\bar{z}^j \\ &= \left(-\frac{1}{m} T_{kl^*} + \frac{s}{2m^2} g_{kl^*} \right) g_{ij^*} dz^i \wedge d\bar{z}^j \\ &\quad + {}^{1,0}B_{ij^*kl^*} dz^i \wedge d\bar{z}^j, \end{aligned}$$

where $\rho_{t,0}$, $\rho_{s,0}$, ${}^{0,1}B_{ij^*kl^*} dz^k \wedge d\bar{z}^l$ and ${}^{1,0}B_{ij^*kl^*} dz^i \wedge d\bar{z}^j$ are the primitive parts, respectively. Substituting (2.19)~(2.22) to (2.18), we have

$$(2.23) \quad \begin{aligned} 2R &= \frac{1}{m} \omega \otimes \left(\frac{s}{2m} \omega + \rho_{t,0} \right) \\ &\quad + \frac{\sqrt{-1}}{m} \left(S_{ij^*} - \frac{s}{2m} g_{ij^*} \right) dz^i \wedge d\bar{z}^j \otimes \sqrt{-1} g_{kl^*} dz^k \wedge d\bar{z}^l \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{m} \left(\frac{s}{2m} \omega + \rho_{s,0} \right) \otimes \omega \\ &\quad + \frac{\sqrt{-1}}{m} g_{ij^*} dz^i \wedge d\bar{z}^j \otimes \sqrt{-1} \left(T_{kl^*} - \frac{s}{2m} g_{kl^*} \right) dz^k \wedge d\bar{z}^l \\ &\quad + {}^{0,1}B_{ij^*kl^*} dz^i \wedge d\bar{z}^j \otimes dz^k \wedge d\bar{z}^l \\ &\quad + {}^{1,0}B_{ij^*kl^*} dz^i \wedge d\bar{z}^j \otimes dz^k \wedge d\bar{z}^l \\ &= \frac{s}{m^2} \omega \otimes \omega + \frac{2}{m} \omega \otimes \rho_{t,0} + \frac{2}{m} \rho_{s,0} \otimes \omega + {}^{0,1}B + {}^{1,0}B. \end{aligned}$$

However we can easily check that ${}^{0,1}B = {}^{1,0}B$, and so we can set $B : = {}^{0,1}B = {}^{1,0}B$. Thus we have the decomposition of R ;

$$(2.24) \quad R = \frac{s}{2m^2} \omega \otimes \omega + \frac{1}{m} \omega \otimes \rho_{t,0} + \frac{1}{m} \rho_{s,0} \otimes \omega + B,$$

where B is a section of the subbundle $\Lambda_0^{1,1}M \otimes \Lambda_0^{1,1}M$ and $\Lambda_0^{1,1}M$ is

the vector bundle of real primitive 2-forms of type (1, 1).

By means of complex local coordinates, B can be written as followings;

$$(2.25) \quad B_{ij^*k^*} = R_{ij^*k^*} + \frac{1}{m}(g_{ij^*}T_{k^*} + S_{ij^*}g_{k^*}) - \frac{s}{2m^2}g_{ij^*}g_{k^*}.$$

By means of (B), we have

$$(2.26) \quad \text{tr } R = R^{ij^*}_{ij^*} = \frac{s'}{2}, \quad \text{tr } R := \text{the trace of } R.$$

Now, by means of the Lefschetz decomposition (1.6), the bundle $\Lambda^{1,1}M$ decomposes as followings;

$$(2.27) \quad \Lambda^{1,1}M = \Lambda_0^{1,1}M \oplus \mathbf{R} \cdot \omega$$

where $\mathbf{R} \cdot \omega$ denotes the trivial (real) line subbundle of $\Lambda^{1,1}M$ generated by the fundamental 2-form ω . Considered as an endomorphism of $\Lambda^{1,1}M$, we have $B(\mathbf{R} \cdot \omega) = 0$. Therefore the trace of B as an endomorphism of $\Lambda^{1,1}M$ is equal to one as an endomorphism of $\Lambda_0^{1,1}M$. Thus (2.25) implies that

$$(2.28) \quad \text{tr } B = B^{ij^*}_{ij^*} = \frac{ms' - s}{2m}.$$

Similarly considered as an endomorphism of $\Lambda_0^{1,1}M$, the tensor B decomposes as followings;

$$(2.29) \quad B = \frac{\text{tr } B}{m^2 - 1} \text{Id} | \Lambda_0^{1,1}M + B_1 \\ = \frac{ms' - s}{2m(m^2 - 1)} \text{Id} | \Lambda_0^{1,1}M + B_0,$$

where the trace of B_0 is null.

By means of complex local coordinates, B_0 is written as followings;

$$(2.30) \quad B_{0,ij^*k^*} = B_{ij^*k^*} + \frac{ms' - s}{2m(m^2 - 1)} \left(g_{il^*}g_{kj^*} - \frac{1}{m}g_{ij^*}g_{k^*} \right) \\ = R_{ij^*k^*} + \frac{1}{m}(g_{ij^*}T_{k^*} + S_{ij^*}g_{k^*}) \\ - \frac{ms' + (m^2 - 2)s}{2m^2(m^2 - 1)} g_{ij^*}g_{k^*} \\ + \frac{ms' - s}{2m(m^2 - 1)} g_{il^*}g_{kj^*}.$$

In particular, if M is kaehler, then the Ricci tensor R_{ij^*} , S_{ij^*} , T_{ij^*} are equal to each other and so necessarily $s' = s$. Therefore the decomposition (2.24) coincides with (#) and B_0 is written locally as followings;

$$(2.31) \quad B_{0,ij^*kl^*} = R_{ij^*kl^*} + \frac{1}{m}(g_{ij^*}R_{kl^*} + R_{ij^*}g_{kl^*}) \\ - \frac{(m+2)s}{2m^2(m+1)}g_{ij^*}g_{kl^*} + \frac{s}{2m(m+1)}g_{il^*}g_{kj^*}.$$

3. Conformal invariance of B_0

Let (M, g, J) be a hermitian manifold with hermitian metric g , and $\tilde{g} = e^\sigma g$ be a conformal change of g where σ is any smooth real-valued function on M . Then we have

$$(3.1) \quad \tilde{R}_{ij^*kl^*} = e^\sigma \left(R_{ij^*kl^*} + \frac{\partial^2 \sigma}{\partial z^i \partial \bar{z}^l} g_{ij^*} \right),$$

$$(3.2) \quad \tilde{R}_{ij^*} = R_{ij^*} - \frac{\partial^2 \sigma}{\partial z^i \partial \bar{z}^j},$$

$$(3.3) \quad \tilde{S}_{ij^*} = S_{ij^*} - \frac{\partial^2 \sigma}{\partial z^i \partial \bar{z}^l} g^{st^*} g_{ij^*},$$

$$(3.4) \quad \tilde{T}_{ij^*} = T_{ij^*} - m \frac{\partial^2 \sigma}{\partial z^i \partial \bar{z}^j},$$

$$(3.5) \quad \tilde{s}' = e^{-\sigma} \left(s' - 2 \frac{\partial^2 \sigma}{\partial z^i \partial \bar{z}^l} g^{st^*} \right),$$

$$(3.6) \quad \tilde{s} = e^{-\sigma} \left(s - 2m \frac{\partial^2 \sigma}{\partial z^i \partial \bar{z}^l} g^{st^*} \right).$$

By means of (3.1)~(3.6), we have

$$(3.7) \quad \tilde{B}_{0,ij^*kl^*} = e^\sigma B_{0,ij^*kl^*},$$

so that

$$(3.8) \quad \tilde{B}_{0,jkl^*i} = B_{0,jkl^*i}.$$

Summing up, we have

THEOREM A. *Let (M, g, J) be a hermitian manifold of complex dimension m ($m \geq 2$). Then B_0 is conformally invariant.*

If (M, g, J) is kaehler and B_0 vanishes everywhere, then we have

$$(3.9) \quad R_{ij^*kl^*} = -\frac{1}{m}(g_{ij^*}R_{kl^*} + R_{ij^*}g_{kl^*})$$

$$+\frac{(m+2)s}{2m^2(m+1)}g_{ij^*}g_{kl^*}-\frac{s}{2m(m+1)}g_{il^*}g_{kj^*}.$$

Transvecting g^{kj^*} to (3.9), we have

$$-R_{il^*}=-\frac{2}{m}R_{il^*}+\frac{(m+2)s}{2m^2(m+1)}g_{il^*}-\frac{s}{2(m+1)}g_{il^*}.$$

Thus, if $m \geq 3$, we have

$$(3.10) \quad R_{il^*}=\frac{s}{2m}g_{il^*}.$$

Since (3.10) represents the 1st Chern class, s is constant. Substituting (3.10) to (3.9), we have

$$(3.11) \quad R_{ij^*kl^*}=-\frac{s}{2m(m+1)}(g_{ij^*}g_{kl^*}+g_{il^*}g_{kj^*}).$$

Summing up, we have

THEOREM B. *Let (M, g, J) be a kaehler manifold of complex dimension m ($m \geq 3$). Then M is of constant holomorphic sectional curvature if and only if B_0 vanishes everywhere.*

COMMENTS. The tensor field B_0 is conformally invariant even if $m=2$. However, when $m=2$, we can not have an assertion of Theorem B.

If M is a kaehler-Einstein manifold and $m=2$, then Theorem B holds good.

4. Real version of the tensor field B_0

Let (M, g, J) be a kaehler manifold of complex dimension m . The indices $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \dots$, run through $1, \dots, 2m$. We set the metric $g := (g_{\alpha\beta})$ and $J := (J_{\alpha\beta})$ in real coordinates, which satisfy the following relations;

$$(4.1) \quad g_{\gamma\epsilon}J_{\alpha\gamma}J_{\beta\epsilon} = g_{\alpha\beta}, \quad J_{\gamma}^{\alpha}J_{\beta\gamma} = -\delta_{\beta}^{\alpha}.$$

And we set $J_{\alpha\beta} = g_{\alpha\gamma}J_{\beta\gamma}$, so that $J_{\alpha\beta} = -J_{\beta\alpha}$.

Let $R = (R_{\beta\gamma\epsilon}^{\alpha})$ be the riemannian curvature tensor and $\rho = (R_{\alpha\beta}) = (R_{\alpha\gamma\beta\gamma})$ the Ricci tensor, s the scalar curvature. Then it is well known that

$$(4.2) \quad R_{\alpha\beta\lambda\mu}J_{\gamma}^{\lambda}J_{\epsilon}^{\mu} = R_{\alpha\beta\gamma\epsilon}, \quad R_{\alpha\beta}J_{\gamma}^{\alpha}J_{\epsilon}^{\beta} = R_{\gamma\epsilon}.$$

We set $S_{\alpha\beta} = R_{\alpha\tau}J_{\beta}{}^{\tau}$, so that $S_{\alpha\beta} = -S_{\beta\alpha}$.

The real version of conformal invariant curvature tensor field B_0 is given by

$$(4.3) \quad B_{0, \alpha\beta\gamma\epsilon} \\ = R_{\alpha\beta\gamma\epsilon} + \frac{1}{2m} (g_{\alpha\tau}R_{\beta\epsilon} - g_{\alpha\epsilon}R_{\beta\tau} + R_{\alpha\tau}g_{\beta\epsilon} - R_{\alpha\epsilon}g_{\beta\tau} \\ - J_{\alpha\tau}S_{\beta\epsilon} + J_{\alpha\epsilon}S_{\beta\tau} - S_{\alpha\tau}J_{\beta\epsilon} + S_{\alpha\epsilon}J_{\beta\tau} - 2J_{\alpha\beta}S_{\tau\epsilon} - 2S_{\alpha\beta}J_{\tau\epsilon}) \\ + \frac{(m+2)s}{4m^2(m+1)} (J_{\alpha\tau}J_{\beta\epsilon} - J_{\alpha\epsilon}J_{\beta\tau} + 2J_{\alpha\beta}J_{\tau\epsilon}) \\ - \frac{(3m+2)s}{4m^2(m+1)} (g_{\alpha\tau}g_{\beta\epsilon} - g_{\alpha\epsilon}g_{\beta\tau}).$$

Let b_0 denote the Ricci contraction of B_0 , i. e.,

$$(4.4) \quad b_{0, \alpha\beta} = B_{0, \alpha\tau\beta}{}^{\tau}.$$

Transvecting $g^{\alpha\tau}$ to (4.3), we have

$$(4.5) \quad b_{0, \alpha\beta} = \frac{2(m-2)}{m} \left(R_{\alpha\beta} - \frac{s}{2m} g_{\alpha\beta} \right).$$

LEMMA 4.1. *If $m \geq 3$, then the Ricci contraction b_0 of B_0 vanishes everywhere if and only if M is Einstein.*

Moreover we have

$$(4.6) \quad \nabla_{\tau} b_{0, \alpha\beta} = \frac{2(m-2)}{m} \left(\nabla_{\tau} R_{\alpha\beta} - \frac{1}{2m} g_{\alpha\beta} \nabla_{\tau} s \right).$$

If $m \geq 3$ and b_0 is parallel, then we have

$$(4.7) \quad \nabla_{\tau} R_{\alpha\beta} = \frac{1}{2m} g_{\alpha\beta} \nabla_{\tau} s.$$

Transvecting $g^{\beta\tau}$ to (4.7), we have

$$(4.8) \quad \nabla_{\tau} R_{\alpha}{}^{\tau} = \frac{1}{2m} \nabla_{\alpha} s.$$

On the other hand, by means of the second Bianchi identity, we have

$$(4.9) \quad \nabla_{\tau} R_{\alpha}{}^{\tau} = \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{\alpha} s.$$

(4.8) together with (4.9) means

$$(4.10) \quad \nabla_{\alpha} s = 0$$

and so that the Ricci tensor is parallel.

LEMMA 4.2. *If $m \geq 3$, then the Ricci contraction b_0 of B_0 is parallel if and only if the Ricci tensor is parallel.*

The following classification theorem ([S]) is well known; the only (simply connected) complete Einstein complex hypersurfaces M in \mathbf{C}^{m+1} (resp. $D^{m+1}(\mathbf{C})$), $m \geq 2$, are \mathbf{C}^m (resp. $D^m(\mathbf{C})$). The only complete Einstein complex hypersurfaces M in $P^{m+1}(\mathbf{C})$, $m \geq 2$, are $P^m(\mathbf{C})$ or complex quadric $Q^m(\mathbf{C})$. T. Takahashi ([T]) showed that the condition that M is Einstein can be relaxed to the condition that the Ricci tensor ρ of M is parallel.

Therefore we have the following corollaries.

COROLLARY 4.3. *If $m \geq 2$, then there are no (simply connected) complete Einstein complex hypersurfaces with nonvanishing B_0 in \mathbf{C}^{m+1} and $D^{m+1}(\mathbf{C})$.*

COROLLARY 4.4. *If $m \geq 2$, then the complex quadric $Q^m(\mathbf{C})$ is the only complete Einstein complex hypersurface with nonvanishing B_0 in $P^{m+1}(\mathbf{C})$.*

COROLLARY 4.5. *If $m \geq 3$, then there are no (simply connected) complete complex hypersurfaces with nonvanishing B_0 in \mathbf{C}^{m+1} and D^{m+1} such that b_0 is parallel.*

COROLLARY 4.6. *If $m \geq 3$, then the complex quadric $Q^m(\mathbf{C})$ is the only complex hypersurface with nonvanishing B_0 in $P^{m+1}(\mathbf{C})$ such that b_0 is parallel.*

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