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# ON SOME TENSOR CONDITIONS OF NEARLY KENMOTSU $f\text{-}\mathrm{MANIFOLDS}$

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ABSTRACT. In this paper, we continue to study on nearly Kenmotsu f-manifolds motivated by previous study. In this time, we prove that a second-order symmetric closed recurrent tensor is a multiple of the associated metric tensor on nearly Kenmotsu f-manifolds. Then, we get some necessary condition under which a vector field on a nearly Kenmotsu f-manifold will be a strict generalized contact or Killing vector field. Finally, we show that every  $\varphi$ recurrent nearly Kenmotsu f-manifold is an Einstein manifold of globally framed type and every locally  $\varphi$ -recurrent nearly Kenmotsu f-manifold is a manifold of constant curvature.

#### 1. INTRODUCTION

The studies on complex manifold is initiated by Schouten and van Dantzig in 1930 [20]. In 1933, Kähler introduced an important class of complex manifolds, which is called Kähler manifold [13]. Then, Weil proved that the existence of (1, 1) tensor field J on complex manifold, which satisfies

$$J^2 = -I,$$

where I denotes the identity transformation [23]. In 1950, Ehresmann defined almost complex manifolds, using this tensor field J. He proved that every complex manifold is an almost complex manifold, but the converse is not true [7].

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In 1970, A. Gray introduced nearly Kähler manifolds which are not Kähler, using the covariant derivative of almost complex structure J with respect to any vector field on manifold [11]. Nearly Kähler manifolds satisfy

$$\left(\nabla_X J\right) X = 0,$$

for each vector field X. Then, using this definition, Blair introduced nearly cosymplectic manifold in 1971 [4] and Blair et al. defined nearly Sasakian structure in 1976 [5]. Recently, Balkan carried this notion on globally framed metric f-manifolds and he introduced and studied on nearly C manifolds [2] and nearly Kenmotsu f-manifolds [1].

The notion of globally framed manifold or globally framed f-manifold, which is generalization of complex and contact manifolds, was introduced by Nakagawa in 1966 [16]. Then, Blair defined three classes of globally framed manifolds, called K-manifold, S-manifold and C-manifold [3]. Many researchers studied on these manifolds. Falcitelli and Pastore introduced almost Kenmotsu f-manifolds in 2007 [8]. In 2014, Öztürk et al. defined almost  $\alpha$ -cosymplectic f-manifolds, which are generalization of almost C-manifolds and almost Kenmotsu f-manifolds [18].

Tensor properties are so important in differential geometry, in particular in Riemannian geometry. Many researchers focused on many aspect of this topic. Wong studied recurrent tensor fields on a manifold endowed with a linear connection [24]. Levy proved that on a space of constant curvature, second order symmetric parallel non-singular tensors are constant multiples of the metric tensor [15]. Najafi and Hosseinpour Kashani considered this topic for nearly Kenmotsu f manifolds [17].

Now, let (M, g) be a Riemannian manifold. If a (0, 2)-tensor field  $\alpha$  satisfies  $\nabla \alpha = \lambda \otimes \alpha$ for some 1-form  $\lambda$ , then it is said to be a recurrent tensor field on (M, g). Here, the 1-form  $\lambda$  is called the recurrence co-vector of  $\alpha$ . It is easy to see that every multiple of the metric tensor is a recurrent tensor. Furthermore, if  $\alpha$  is called a closed recurrent tensor. Also we can say that the set of closed recurrent tensors contains the set of parallel tensors as a subset, for  $\lambda = 0$  ([24], [25]).

In the present study, we focus on nearly Kenmotsu f-manifolds motivated by previous studies. Firstly, we prove that a second-order symmetric closed recurrent tensor is a multiple of the associated metric tensor on nearly Kenmotsu f-manifolds. Then, we get some necessary condition under which a vector field on a nearly Kenmotsu f-manifold will be a strict generalized contact or Killing vector field. Finally, we show that every  $\varphi$ -recurrent nearly Kenmotsu f-manifold is an Einstein manifold of globally framed type and every locally  $\varphi$ -recurrent nearly Kenmotsu f-manifold is a manifold of constant curvature -1.

#### 2. Preliminaries

Let M be (2n + s)-dimensional manifold and  $\varphi$  is a non-null (1, 1) tensor field on M. If  $\varphi$  satisfies

$$\varphi^3 + \varphi = 0, \tag{2.1}$$

then  $\varphi$  is called an *f*-structure and *M* is called *f*-manifold [26]. If  $rank\varphi = 2n$ , namely s = 0,  $\varphi$  is called almost complex structure and if  $rank\varphi = 2n + 1$ , namely s = 1, then  $\varphi$  reduces an almost contact structure [10].  $rank\varphi$  is always constant [21].

On an f-manifold M,  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  operators are defined by

$$P_1 = -\varphi^2, \quad P_2 = \varphi^2 + I,$$
 (2.2)

which satisfy

$$P_1 + P_2 = I,$$
  $P_1^2 = P_1,$   $P_2^2 = P_2,$   
 $\varphi P_1 = P_1 \varphi = \varphi,$   $P_2 \varphi = \varphi P_2 = 0.$  (2.3)

These properties show that  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  are complement projection operators. There are D and  $D^{\perp}$  distributions with respect to  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  operators, respectively [27]. Also, dim (D) = 2n and dim  $(D^{\perp}) = s$ .

Let M be (2n + s)-dimensional f-manifold and  $\varphi$  is a (1, 1) tensor field,  $\xi_i$  is vector field and  $\eta^i$  is 1-form for each  $1 \le i \le s$  on M, respectively. If  $(\varphi, \xi_i, \eta^i)$  satisfy

$$\eta^j\left(\xi_i\right) = \delta_i^j,\tag{2.4}$$

$$\varphi^2 = -I + \sum_{i=1}^s \eta^i \otimes \xi_i, \qquad (2.5)$$

then  $(\varphi, \xi_i, \eta^i)$  is called globally framed *f*-structure or simply framed *f*-structure and *M* is called globally framed *f*-manifold or simply framed *f*-manifold [16]. For a framed *f*-manifold *M*, the following properties are satisfied [16]:

$$\varphi \xi_i = 0, \tag{2.6}$$

$$\eta^i \circ \varphi = 0. \tag{2.7}$$

If on a framed f-manifold M, there exists a Riemannian metric which satisfies

$$\eta^{i}(X) = g(X, \xi_{i}), \qquad (2.8)$$

and

$$g(\varphi X, \ \varphi Y) = g(X, \ Y) - \sum_{i=1}^{s} \eta^{i}(X) \eta^{i}(Y), \qquad (2.9)$$

for all vector fields X, Y on M, then M is called framed metric f-manifold [9]. On a framed metric f-manifold, fundamental 2-form  $\Phi$  defined by

$$\Phi(X, Y) = g(X, \varphi Y), \qquad (2.10)$$

for all vector fields X,  $Y \in \chi(M)$  [9]. For a framed metric *f*-manifold,

$$N_{\varphi} + 2\sum_{i=1}^{s} d\eta^{i} \otimes \xi_{i}, \qquad (2.11)$$

is satisfied, M is called normal framed metric f-manifold, where  $N_{\varphi}$  denotes the Nijenhuis torsion tensor of  $\varphi$  [12].

A globally framed metric f-manifold M is called Kenmotsu f-manifold if it satisfies

$$(\nabla_X \varphi) Y = \sum_{k=1}^{s} \left\{ g(\varphi X, Y) \xi_k - \eta^k(Y) \varphi X \right\}, \qquad (2.12)$$

for all vector fields X,  $Y \in \chi(M)$  [18]. Furthermore, if a globally framed metric *f*-manifold M satisfies

$$(\nabla_X \varphi) Y + (\nabla_Y \varphi) X = -\sum_{k=1}^s \left\{ \eta^k (X) \varphi Y + \eta^k (Y) \varphi X \right\}$$
(2.13)

then it is called nearly Kenmotsu f-manifold. It is easily seen that every Kenmotsu fmanifold is a nearly Kenmotsu f-manifold, but the converse is not true. When a normal Kenmotsu f-manifold M is normal, it is Kenmotsu f-manifold [1]. On a nearly Kenmotsu f-manifold M, the following identities hold:

$$R(\xi_i, X) Y = \sum_{k=1}^{s} \left\{ -g(X, Y) \xi_k + \eta^k(Y) X \right\}, \qquad (2.14)$$

$$R(X, Y)\xi_{i} = \sum_{k=1}^{s} \left\{ \eta^{k}(X)Y - \eta^{k}(Y)X \right\},$$
(2.15)

$$S(\varphi X, \ \varphi Y) = S(X, \ Y) + (2n+s-1)\sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k}(X) \ \eta^{k}(Y), \qquad (2.16)$$

$$(\nabla_X \eta^i) Y = g(X, Y) - \sum_{k=1}^s \eta^k(X) \eta^k(Y),$$
 (2.17)

$$\sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} \left( R\left(X, Y\right) Z \right) = \sum_{k=1}^{s} \left\{ g\left(X, Z\right) \eta^{k} \left(Y\right) - g\left(Y, Z\right) \eta^{k} \left(X\right) \right\},$$
(2.18)

for any vector fields X, Y on M [1].

A vector field X on a nearly Kenmotsu f-manifold M is said to be a generalized contact vector field, if

$$L_X \eta^k \left( Y \right) = \sigma \eta^k \left( Y \right) \tag{2.19}$$

or a conformal vector field, if

$$L_X g\left(Y, \ Z\right) = \rho g\left(Y, \ Z\right), \tag{2.20}$$

for any vector fields Y and Z on M, where  $\sigma$  and  $\rho$  are scalar function defined on M and  $L_X$ denotes the Lie derivative along X. Moreover, X is called strict generalized contact vector field or Killing vector field if  $\sigma = 0$  or  $\rho = 0$ .

# 3. Recurrent Tensor Fields of the Second Order On Nearly Kenmotsuf-manifolds

**Theorem 3.1.** Let M be a nearly Kenmotsu f-manifold. Then a second-order symmetric closed recurrent tensor field whose recurrence co-vector annihilates  $\xi_k$  is a multiple of the metric tensor g for each  $1 \le k \le s$ .

**Proof.** We suppose that M is a nearly Kenmotsu f-manifold and  $\alpha$  is a closed recurrent (0, 2)-tensor on M which satisfies  $\lambda(\xi_k) = 0$ , for each  $1 \le k \le s$ . After a straightforward calculation, we obtain

$$\alpha \left( R\left(W, X\right)Y, Z \right) + \alpha \left(Y, R\left(W, X\right)Z \right) = \lambda \left(W\right) \alpha \left(\nabla_X Y, Z\right) - \lambda \left(X\right) \alpha \left(\nabla_W Y, Z\right), (3.21)$$

for any vector fields X, Y, Z, W on M. Putting  $Y = Z = W = \xi_i$  in (3.21) and using  $\nabla_X \xi_i = -\varphi^2 X$ , then in view of  $\lambda(\xi_i) = 0$  we have

$$\alpha \left( R\left(\xi_k, \ X\right)\xi_k, \ \xi_k \right) + \alpha \left(\xi_k, \ R\left(\xi_k, \ X\right)\xi_k \right) = 0.$$
(3.22)

By using (2.14) and (2.15) in (3.22), we get

$$g(X, \xi_i) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \{ \alpha(\xi_k, \xi_i) + \alpha(\xi_i, \xi_k) \} - \alpha(X, \xi_i) - \alpha(\xi_i, X) = 0$$
(3.23)

Differentiating (3.23) along Y and using  $\nabla_{\xi_k} \xi_k = 0$ , it follows that

$$\{g\left(\nabla_{Y}X,\ \xi_{i}\right)+g\left(X,\ \nabla_{Y}\xi_{i}\right)\}\sum_{k=1}^{s}\left\{\alpha\left(\xi_{k},\ \xi_{i}\right)+\alpha\left(\xi_{i},\ \xi_{k}\right)\right\}$$

$$=\alpha\left(\nabla_{Y}X,\ \xi_{i}\right)+\alpha\left(X,\ \nabla_{Y}\xi_{i}\right)+\alpha\left(\nabla_{Y}\xi_{i},\ X\right)+\alpha\left(\xi_{i},\ \nabla_{Y}X\right).$$
(3.24)

Replacing X by  $\nabla_Y X$  in (3.24), we derive

$$g(\nabla_Y X, \xi_i) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \{ \alpha(\xi_k, \xi_i) + \alpha(\xi_i, \xi_k) \} - \alpha(\nabla_Y X, \xi_i) - \alpha(\xi_i, \nabla_Y X) = 0$$
(3.25)

From (3.24) and (3.25), we deduce

$$g(X, \nabla_Y \xi_i) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \{ \alpha(\xi_k, \xi_i) + \alpha(\xi_i, \xi_k) \} = \alpha(X, \nabla_Y \xi_i) + \alpha(\nabla_Y \xi_i, X).$$
(3.26)

Taking in account of  $\nabla_X \xi_i = -\varphi^2 X$ , then we conclude that

$$g\left(X, \ Y - \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k}(Y) \xi_{k}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \left\{\alpha\left(\xi_{k}, \ \xi_{i}\right) + \alpha\left(\xi_{i}, \ \xi_{k}\right)\right\}$$
(3.27)

$$= \alpha \left( X, Y - \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) \xi_{k} \right) + \alpha \left( Y - \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) \xi_{k}, X \right)$$
(3.28)

Using (3.23) and (3.27), we find

$$\alpha^{\circ}(X, Y) = \sum_{k=1}^{s} \alpha^{*}(\xi_{k}, \xi_{i}) g(X, Y).$$
(3.29)

Here,  $\alpha^{\circ}$  denotes the symmetric part of  $\alpha$  defined by

$$\alpha^{\circ}(X, Y) = \frac{s}{2} \{ \alpha(X, Y) + (Y, X) \}$$

and  $\alpha^*(\xi_k, \xi_i) = \alpha(\xi_k, \xi_i) + \alpha(\xi_i, \xi_k)$ . Furthermore, by using (3.23) and  $\nabla \alpha = \lambda \otimes \alpha$ , then we have  $\nabla_X \mu = \lambda(X) \mu$ , where X is an arbitrary vector field on M and

$$\mu = \sum_{k=1}^{s} \alpha^* \left(\xi_k, \xi_i\right).$$

Hence, if  $\alpha$  is a parallel tensor or equivalently  $\lambda = 0$ , so we can say  $\mu$  is a constant function, but in general  $\mu$  is not a constant function. Additionally, if  $\alpha$  is symmetric, i.e. $\alpha = \alpha^{\circ}$ , then we conclude  $\alpha = \mu g$  and  $\lambda = d\mu$ .

## 4. Geometric Vector Fields on Nearly Kenmotsu f-manifolds

**Theorem 4.1.** Every generalized contact vector field on a nearly Kenmotsu f-manifold leaving the Ricci tensor invariant is a generalized strict contact vector field.

**Proof.** Let us suppose that a generalized contact vector field X leaves the Ricci tensor invariant, i.e.

$$L_X S(Y, Z) = 0, (4.30)$$

for any vector fields Y and Z on M. Taking  $Y = \xi_i$  in (4.30), it implies that

$$L_X(S(Y, \xi_i)) = S(L_XY, \xi_i) + S(Y, L_X\xi_i).$$
(4.31)

By using (2.16), (2.19) and (4.31), then we have

$$(1 - (2n + s)) \sigma \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) = S(Y, L_{X}\xi_{i}).$$
(4.32)

Taking  $Y = \xi_j$  in (4.32) and using (2.16), then we obtain

$$\sigma = \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^k \left( L_X \xi_i \right). \tag{4.33}$$

On the other hand, substituting  $\xi_i$  for Y in (2.19) it follows that

$$\sigma = -\sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^k \left( L_X \xi_i \right), \tag{4.34}$$

which means  $\sigma = 0$ .

**Theorem 4.2.** Every vector field on a nearly Kenmotsu *f*-manifold leaving the curvature tensor invariant is a Killing vector field.

**Proof.** For a vector field X on a nearly Kenmotsu *f*-manifold, we assume that  $L_X R = 0$ . It is well-known that the curvature tensor of g satisfies

$$g(R(U, V)Y, Z) + g(R(U, V)Z, Y) = 0,$$
(4.35)

for all vector fields U, V, Y, Z on M. Applying  $L_X$  to (4.35), we have

$$L_X g(R(U, V)Y, Z) + L_X g(R(U, V)Z, Y) = 0.$$
(4.36)

Setting  $U = Y = Z = \xi_i$  in (4.36) and using (2.14), we derive

$$L_X g(V, \xi_i) = \eta^i(V) L_X g(\xi_i, \xi_i).$$
(4.37)

On the other hand, putting  $U = Y = \xi_i$  in (4.36) and using (2.14), it implies that

$$0 = L_X g(V, Z) - \eta^i(V) \sum_{k=1}^s L_X g(\xi_k, Z)$$

$$+ L_X g(\xi_i, V) \sum_{k=1}^s \eta^k(Z) - g(V, Z) L_X g(\xi_i, \xi_i)$$
(4.38)

From (4.37) and (4.38), then we get

$$L_X g\left(V, \ Z\right) = \rho g\left(V, \ Z\right), \tag{4.39}$$

where  $\rho = g(\xi_i, \xi_i)$ . Under the assumption  $L_X R = 0$ , we see that  $L_X S = 0$ . Furthermore, it is said to be

$$\rho = -2g\left(L_X\xi_i, \ \xi_i\right) = \frac{2}{2n+s-1}S\left(L_X\xi_i, \ \xi_i\right) = \frac{1}{(1-2n-s)}L_XS\left(\xi_i, \ \xi_i\right) = 0.$$
(4.40)

#### 5. $\varphi$ -Recurrent Nearly Kenmotsu f-manifolds

Firstly, we give some basic definitions.

**Definition 5.1.** A nearly Kenmotsu f-manifold M is said to be locally  $\varphi$ -symmetric manifold in the sense of Takahashi [22] if it satisfies

$$\varphi^2\left(\left(\nabla_W R\right)(X, Y)Z\right) = 0, \tag{5.41}$$

for all vector fields X, Y, Z, W orthogonal to  $\xi_k$ , for each  $1 \le k \le s$ .

**Definition 5.2.** A nearly Kenmotsu f-manifold M is said to be  $\varphi$ -recurrent manifold in the sense of Takahashi [22] (locally  $\varphi$ -recurrent manifold, resp.) if there exists a nonzero 1-form B such that

$$\varphi^2\left(\left(\nabla_W R\right)(X, Y)Z\right) = B\left(W\right)R\left(X, Y\right)Z,\tag{5.42}$$

for arbitrary vector fields X, Y, Z, W (for all X, Y, Z, W orthogonal to  $\xi_k$ , for each  $1 \le k \le s$ ).

**Theorem 5.1.** Let M be an  $\eta$ -Einstein nearly Kenmotsu f-manifold. If at least one of the coefficients is constant function, then M is an Einstein manifold.

**Proof.** From (5.42), we have

$$(\nabla_W R)(X, Y)Z = \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^k ((\nabla_W R)(X, Y)Z)\xi_k - B(W)R(X, Y)Z.$$
(5.43)

By using (5.43) and Bianchi identity, we obtain

$$B(W)\sum_{k=1}^{s}\eta^{k}(R(X, Y)Z) + B(X)\sum_{k=1}^{s}\eta^{k}(R(Y, W)Z) + B(Y)\sum_{k=1}^{s}\eta^{k}(R(W, X)Z) = 0.$$
(5.44)

Now, let  $\{e_i\}$ ,  $1 \le i \le 2n + s$  be an orthonormal basis of the tangent space at any point of the manifold. Setting  $Y = Z = e_i$  in (5.44) and taking summation over *i*, in view of (2.14) and (2.15), then we conclude that

$$B(W)\sum_{k=1}^{s}\eta^{k}(X) = B(X)\sum_{k=1}^{s}\eta^{k}(W), \qquad (5.45)$$

for any vector fields X, W. Replacing X by  $\xi_i$  in (5.45), it implies that

$$B(W) = \eta^{i}\left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k}(W), \qquad (5.46)$$

where  $B(\xi_i) = g(\xi_i, \widehat{B}) = \eta^i(\widehat{B})$ . Now, let us suppose that M is  $\eta$ -Einstein, the we can write

$$S(X, Y) = ag(X, Y) + b\sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k}(X) \eta^{k}(Y), \qquad (5.47)$$

where a and b are scalar functions on M. Taking  $Y = \xi_i$  in (2.17), from (5.47) we deduce

$$a + b = 1 - 2n - s. \tag{5.48}$$

Using local coordinate, we can rewrite (5.47) as follows:

$$R_{ij} = ag_{ij} + b\sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta_i^k \eta_j^k,$$
(5.49)

which implies

$$r = (2n+s)a + sb. (5.50)$$

Taking the covariant derivative with respect to g from (5.49), we derive

$$R_{ij,m} = a_{,m}g_{ij} + \sum_{k=1}^{s} \left\{ b_{,m}\eta_i^k\eta_j^k + b\eta_{i,m}^k\eta_j^k + b\eta_i^k\eta_{j,m}^k \right\}.$$
 (5.51)

By contracting (5.51) with  $g^{im}$ , we get

$$R_{j,m}^{m} = a_{,j} + \sum_{k=1}^{s} \left\{ b_{,m} \xi^{m} \eta_{j}^{k} + b \eta_{i,m}^{k} g^{im} \eta_{j}^{k} + b \eta_{i}^{k} \eta_{j,m}^{k} g^{im} \right\}.$$
 (5.52)

We know that  $R_{j,m}^m = \frac{1}{2}r_{,j}$ . Thus we have

$$r_{,j} = 2\left\{a_{,j} + \sum_{k=1}^{s} \left[b_{,m}\xi^m + 2nb\right]\eta_j^k\right\}.$$
(5.53)

Here, we use (2.17) and  $\eta_{i,m}g^{im} = \{g_{im} - \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta_i^k \eta_m^k\} g^{im} = 2n$ . Moreover, taking the covariant derivative of (5.48) and from (5.50), then we obtain

$$r_{,j} = 2na_{,j}.$$
 (5.54)

Substituting (5.54) into (5.53), it follows that

$$na_{,j} = a_{,j} + \sum_{k=1}^{s} \left[ b_{,m} \xi^m + 2nb \right] \eta_j^k.$$
(5.55)

By contracting (5.55) with  $\xi^{j}$  and using (5.48), we deduce

$$b_{,m}\xi^m = -2b.$$
 (5.56)

Moreover, if b or a is a constant function, then (5.56) implies that b = 0. Hence, M is an Einstein manifold.

**Theorem 5.2.** Every  $\varphi$ -recurrent nearly Kenmotsu f-manifold is an Einstein manifold.

**Proof.** By using (5.43), we obtain  $-g((\nabla_W R)(X, Y)Z, U) + \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^k ((\nabla_W R)(X, Y)Z) \eta^k (U) = B(W) g(R(X, Y)Z, U).$ (5.57)

Let  $\{e_i\}$ ,  $1 \le i \le 2n + s$  be an orthonormal basis of the tangent space at any point of the manifold M. Setting  $X = U = e_i$  in (5.57) and taking summation over i, then we deduce that

$$-(\nabla_W S)(Y, Z) + \sum_{i=1}^{2n+s} \eta^i ((\nabla_W R)(e_i, Y)Z) \eta^i(e_i) = B(W) S(Y, Z).$$
 (5.58)

Replacing Z by  $\xi_k$  in (5.58), we have

$$-(\nabla_W S)(Y, \xi_k) + \sum_{i=1}^{2n+s} \eta^i ((\nabla_W R)(e_i, Y)\xi_k) \eta^i(e_i) = B(W)S(Y, \xi_k).$$
(5.59)

Now, we will show that  $\sum_{i=1}^{2n+s} \eta^i ((\nabla_W R)(e_i, Y)\xi_k) \eta^i(e_i)$  vanishes identically. Firstly, we recall

$$\sum_{i=1}^{2n+s} \eta^{i} \left( \left( \nabla_{W} R \right) (e_{i}, Y) \xi_{k} \right) \eta^{i} (e_{i}) = \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} \left( \left( \nabla_{W} R \right) (e_{i}, Y) \xi_{k} \right)$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{s} g \left( \left( \nabla_{W} R \right) (e_{k}, Y) \xi_{k}, \xi_{k} \right),$$
(5.60)

where we use  $\eta^{i}(e_{i}) = 0$  for  $i = 1, \ldots, 2n$ . From the properties, we find

$$\sum_{k=1}^{s} g\left( (\nabla_{W}R) (e_{k}, Y) \xi_{k}, \xi_{k} \right)$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{s} \left\{ g\left( \nabla_{W}R (e_{k}, Y) \xi_{k}, \xi_{k} \right) - g\left( R\left( \nabla_{W}e_{k}, Y\right) \xi_{k}, \xi_{k} \right) \right.$$

$$-g\left( R\left( e_{k}, \nabla_{W}Y \right) \xi_{k}, \xi_{k} \right) - g\left( R\left( e_{k}, Y \right) \nabla_{W}\xi_{k}, \xi_{k} \right) \right\}.$$
(5.61)

Making use of (5.61) at  $p \in M$  and using  $g_{ij}(p) = \delta_{ij}$ , we conclude that  $\nabla_W e_k(p) = 0$ . On the other hand, we get

$$\sum_{k=1}^{s} g\left(R\left(e_{k}, \ \nabla_{W}Y\right)\xi_{k}, \ \xi_{k}\right) = -\sum_{k=1}^{s} g\left(R\left(\xi_{k}, \ \xi_{k}\right)\nabla_{W}Y, \ e_{k}\right) = 0, \tag{5.62}$$

since R skew-symmetric. By virtue of (5.62) and  $\nabla_W e_k(p) = 0$  in (5.61), we derive

$$\sum_{k=1}^{s} g\left( (\nabla_W R) \left( e_k, \ Y \right) \xi_k, \ \xi_k \right) = \sum_{k=1}^{s} \left\{ g\left( \nabla_W R \left( e_k, \ Y \right) \xi_k, \ \xi_k \right) - g\left( R \left( e_k, \ Y \right) \nabla_W \xi_k, \ \xi_k \right) \right\}.$$
(5.63)

By using  $g(R(e_k, Y)\xi_k, \xi_k) = -g(R(\xi_k, \xi_k)Y, e_k) = 0$ , we find

$$\sum_{k=1}^{s} \left\{ g\left( \nabla_{W} R\left(e_{k}, Y\right) \xi_{k}, \xi_{k} \right) - g\left( R\left(e_{k}, Y\right) \xi_{k}, \nabla_{W} \xi_{k} \right) \right\} = 0,$$
(5.64)

which implies

$$0 = \sum_{k=1}^{s} g((\nabla_{W}R)(e_{k}, Y)\xi_{k}, \xi_{k})$$

$$= -\sum_{k=1}^{s} \{g(R(e_{k}, Y)\xi_{k}, \nabla_{W}\xi_{k}) + g(R(e_{k}, Y)\nabla_{W}\xi_{k}, \xi_{k})\},$$
(5.65)

since R skew-symmetric. Hence, we prove  $\sum_{i=1}^{2n+s} \eta^i \left( (\nabla_W R) \left( e_i, Y \right) \xi_k \right) \eta^i \left( e_i \right) = 0$  and from (5.59) we have

$$- (\nabla_W S) (Y, \xi_k) = B (W) S (Y, \xi_k).$$
(5.66)

Furthermore, it is well-known that

$$\left(\nabla_{W}S\right)\left(Y,\ \xi_{k}\right) = \nabla_{W}S\left(Y,\ \xi_{k}\right) - S\left(\nabla_{W}Y,\ \xi_{k}\right) - S\left(Y,\ \nabla_{W}\xi_{k}\right).$$
(5.67)

By applying (2.16), (2.17) and  $\nabla_X \xi_i = -\varphi^2 X$  in (5.67), it follows

$$(\nabla_W S)(Y, \xi_k) = -(2n+s-1)g(Y, W) - S(Y, W).$$
(5.68)

Plugging (5.68) into (5.66) and using (5.46), we conclude that

$$S(Y, W) = (1 - 2n - s) g(Y, W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) (W) + (1 - 2n - s) \eta^{i} \left(\widehat{B}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} (Y) ($$

which means the manifold  $\eta$ -Einstein of globally framed type with a = (1 - 2n - s) is constant. By Theorem 4., it is said to be M is an Einstein manifold

**Theorem 5.3.** A locally  $\varphi$ -recurrent nearly Kenmotsu f-manifold has constant curvature -1.

**Proof.** Differentiating (2.15) with respect to any vector field W and taking in account of (2.17), after an easy calculation we find

$$(\nabla_W R) (X, Y) \xi_i = g (W, X) Y - g (W, Y) X - R (X, Y) W.$$
(5.69)

By using (2.18) and from (5.69), we get

$$\sum_{k=1}^{s} \eta^{k} \left( \left( \nabla_{W} R \right) (X, Y) \xi_{k} \right) = 0.$$
(5.70)

From (5.69) and (5.70), we have from (5.43)

$$\sum_{k=1}^{s} (\nabla_{W} R) (X, Y) \xi_{k} = B(W) \sum_{k=1}^{s} R(X, Y) \xi_{k}.$$
 (5.71)

By virtue of (5.69), it implies that

$$-g(W, X)Y + g(W, Y)X + R(X, Y)W = B(W)\sum_{k=1}^{s} R(X, Y)\xi_{k}.$$
 (5.72)

Thus, if X and Y are orthogonal to  $\xi_k$  for each  $1 \leq k \leq s$ , we derive

$$\sum_{k=1}^{s} R(X, Y) \xi_{k} = 0.$$
(5.73)

Hence, for all vector fields X, Y and W, we deduce

$$R(X, Y)W = -\{g(W, X)Y + g(W, Y)X\},\$$

which gives us desired result.

## 6. Example

Let M be a 6-dimensional manifold given by

$$M = \{ (x_1, x_2, y_1, y_2, z_1, z_2) \in \mathbb{R}^6 : z_1, z_2 \neq 0 \}$$

where  $(x_1, x_2, y_1, y_2, z_1, z_2)$  are standard coordinates in  $\mathbb{R}^6$ . We choose the vector fields as in the following:

$$e_{1} = e^{-(z_{1}+z_{2})} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{1}}, \quad e_{2} = e^{-(z_{1}+z_{2})} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{2}},$$
$$e_{3} = e^{-(z_{1}+z_{2})} \frac{\partial}{\partial y_{1}}, \quad e_{4} = e^{-(z_{1}+z_{2})} \frac{\partial}{\partial y_{2}},$$
$$e_{5} = \frac{\partial}{\partial z_{1}}, \qquad e_{6} = \frac{\partial}{\partial z_{2}}.$$

which are linearly independent at any point of M. Denote g the Riemannian metric defined by

$$g = e^{2(z_1 + z_2)} \sum_{i=1}^{2} \left\{ dx_i \otimes dx_i + dy_i \otimes dy_i + dz_i \otimes dz_i \right\}$$

Let  $\eta_1$  and  $\eta_2$  be 1-forms given by  $\eta_1(X) = g(X, e_5)$  and  $\eta_2(X) = g(X, e_6)$  for any vector field on M, respectively. Thus  $\{e_1, e_2, e_3, e_4, e_5, e_6\}$  is an orthornormal basis of tangent space at any point on M. We define the (1, 1)-tensor field  $\varphi$  as follows:

$$\varphi\left(\sum_{i=1}^{2}\left(x_{i}\frac{\partial}{\partial x_{i}}+y_{i}\frac{\partial}{\partial y_{i}}+z_{i}\frac{\partial}{\partial z_{i}}\right)\right)=\sum_{i=1}^{2}\left(x_{i}\frac{\partial}{\partial y_{i}}-y_{i}\frac{\partial}{\partial x_{i}}\right).$$

Hence we derive

$$\varphi e_1 = e_3, \quad \varphi e_2 = e_4, \quad \varphi e_3 = -e_1, \quad \varphi e_4 = -e_2, \quad \varphi e_5 = 0, \quad \varphi e_6 = 0.$$

By virtue of the linearity of g and  $\varphi$ , we deduce that

$$\eta_1(e_5) = 1, \quad \eta_2(e_6) = 1, \quad \varphi^2 X = -X + \eta_1(X) e_5 + \eta_2(X) e_6$$
$$g(\varphi X, \ \varphi Y) = g(X, \ Y) - \eta_1(X) \eta_1(Y) - \eta_2(X) \eta_2(Y).$$

Then for  $\xi_1 = e_5$  and  $\xi_2 = e_6$ ,  $(\varphi, \xi_i, \eta^i, g)$  defines a globally framed metric *f*-structure on *M*. It is clear that the 1-forms are closed. On the other hand, we get

$$\Phi\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_i}, \frac{\partial}{\partial y_i}\right) = g\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_i}, \varphi\frac{\partial}{\partial y_i}\right) = g\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_i}, -\frac{\partial}{\partial x_i}\right) = e^{-2(z_1+z_2)}$$

which means that  $\Phi = -e^{2(z_1+z_2)}$ . Therefore, we obtain

$$d\Phi = -2e^{2(z_1+z_2)} (dz_1 + dz_2) \wedge dx \wedge dy = 2(\eta_1 + \eta_2) \wedge \Phi$$

which gives us M is an almost Kenmotsu f-manifold. After some easy computations, it is clearly seen that the Nijenhuis tensor field vanishes identically, that is, M is normal. So M is a Kenmotsu f-manifold. It is well-known that every Kenmotsu f-manifold is a nearly Kenmotsu f-manifold (see [2]). Thus we conclude that M is a nearly Kenmotsu f-manifold

Furthermore we have

$$[e_1, e_5] = [e_1, e_6] = e_1,$$
  

$$[e_2, e_5] = [e_2, e_6] = e_2,$$
  

$$[e_3, e_5] = [e_3, e_6] = e_3,$$
  

$$[e_4, e_5] = [e_4, e_6] = e_3$$

and remaining terms  $[e_i, e_j] = 0$  for all  $1 \le i, j \le 6$ 

The Riemannian connection  $\nabla$  of the metric tensor g is given by Koszul's formula which is defined by

$$\begin{array}{lll} 2g\left(\nabla_{X}Y,\ Z\right) &=& Xg\left(Y,\ Z\right) + Yg\left(Z,\ X\right) - Zg\left(X,\ Y\right) \\ && -g\left(X,\ [Y,\ Z]\right) - g\left(Y,\ [X,\ Z]\right) + g\left(Z,\ [X,\ Y]\right) \end{array}$$

By using this Koszul's formula, then we obtain

$$\nabla_{e_1} e_1 = \nabla_{e_2} e_2 = \nabla_{e_3} e_3 = \nabla_{e_4} e_4 = -(e_5 + e_6)$$

and the other terms  $\nabla_{e_i} e_j = 0$  for all  $1 \le i, j \le 6$ . It is welknown that Riemannian curvature tensor is defined by

$$R(X, Y)Z = \nabla_X \nabla_Y Z - \nabla_Y \nabla_X Z - \nabla_{[X, Y]} Z$$
(6.74)

for any vector fields on M. By the above results, we can easily get the non-vanishing components of the Riemannian curvature tensors as in the following:

$$R(e_{1}, e_{5})e_{1} = R(e_{1}, e_{6})e_{1} = e_{5} + e_{6},$$

$$R(e_{2}, e_{5})e_{2} = R(e_{2}, e_{6})e_{2} = e_{5} + e_{6},$$

$$R(e_{3}, e_{5})e_{3} = R(e_{3}, e_{6})e_{3} = e_{5} + e_{6},$$

$$R(e_{4}, e_{5})e_{4} = R(e_{4}, e_{6})e_{4} = e_{5} + e_{6}.$$
(6.75)

Now, let X, Y and Z be three vector fields given by

$$X = a_1e_1 + a_2e_2 + a_3e_3 + a_4e_4 + a_5e_5 + a_6e_6,$$
  

$$Y = b_1e_1 + b_2e_2 + b_3e_3 + b_4e_4 + b_5e_5 + b_6e_6,$$
  

$$Z = c_1e_1 + c_2e_2 + c_3e_3 + c_4e_4 + c_5e_5 + c_6e_6$$

where  $a_i$ ,  $b_i$  and  $c_i$  are all non-zero real numbers for all  $i = 1, \ldots, 6$ . By taking into account of (6.75) in (6.74), then we get

$$R(X, Y)Z = \{a_1c_1 + a_2c_2 + a_3c_3 + a_4c_4\}(b_5 + b_6)(e_5 + e_6).$$

Again by using (6.75), then we obtain the scalar curvature r = 8. By these considerations, it is said that the 6-dimensional manifold M satisfies Theorem 2 and Theorem 3.

#### 7. Conclusion

In this paper, we study some tensor conditions on nearly Kenmotsu f-manifold and we generalize some previous results obtain by Najafi and Hosseinpour in [17] since a nearly Kenmotsu f-manifold is a nice generalization of nearly Kenmotsu one. Additionally, we construct an example satisfying some corresponding results.

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