

## Totally Contact Umbilical *GCR*-Lightlike Submanifolds Indefinite Sasakian Manifolds

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**Abstract.** In the present paper we find the conditions for the integrability of the distributions  $\bar{D}$  and  $D \oplus \{V\}$  of a *GCR*-lightlike submanifold  $M$  of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$ . We find the conditions for the distributions  $\bar{D}$  and  $D \oplus \{V\}$  to define totally geodesic foliation in  $M$  and for the characterization of the connection  $\nabla$  to be a metric connection on the lightlike submanifold  $M$ . Finally, we study totally contact umbilical *GCR*-lightlike submanifolds and prove that a totally contact umbilical *GCR*-lightlike submanifold is a totally contact geodesic and a totally geodesic *GCR*-lightlike submanifold.

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### 1. Introduction

In 1978, Bejancu [1] introduced CR-submanifolds of Kaehler manifolds as a result in the process of generalization of invariant and anti-invariant submanifolds. Contact CR-submanifolds of Sasakian manifolds were introduced by Bejancu et al. [3] in 1981. Since contact geometry has vital role in the theory of differential equations, optics and phase spaces of a dynamical system, therefore contact geometry with definite and indefinite metric becomes the topic of main discussion.

Theory of contact CR-lightlike and contact SCR-lightlike submanifolds of indefinite Sasakian manifolds was introduced by Duggal and Sahin [11], but there does not exist any inclusion relation between invariant and screen real submanifolds so new class of submanifolds called, Generalized Cauchy-Riemann (*GCR*)-lightlike submanifolds of indefinite Sasakian manifolds (which is an umbrella of invariant, screen real, contact CR lightlike submanifolds) were derived by Duggal and Sahin [10].

The objective of this paper is to further elaborate the existing theory of *GCR*-lightlike submanifold of indefinite Sasakian manifolds. In section 3, we prove conditions for the integrability of the distributions, for the distributions to define totally geodesic foliation in submanifold and find a condition for the induced connection to be a metric connection. In section 4, we study totally contact umbilical *GCR*-lightlike submanifolds and prove that a totally contact umbilical *GCR*-lightlike submanifold is a totally contact geodesic and a totally geodesic *GCR*-lightlike submanifold.

## 2. Lightlike Submanifolds

We recall notations and fundamental equations for lightlike submanifolds, which are due to the book [7] by Duggal and Bejancu.

Let  $(\bar{M}, \bar{g})$  be a real  $(m+n)$ -dimensional semi-Riemannian manifold of constant index  $q$  such that  $m, n \geq 1, 1 \leq q \leq m+n-1$  and  $(M, g)$  be an  $m$ -dimensional submanifold of  $\bar{M}$  and  $g$  the induced metric of  $\bar{g}$  on  $M$ . If  $\bar{g}$  is degenerate on the tangent bundle  $TM$  of  $M$  then  $M$  is called a lightlike submanifold of  $\bar{M}$ . For a degenerate metric  $g$  on  $M$

$$TM^\perp = \cup\{u \in T_x\bar{M} : \bar{g}(u, v) = 0, \forall v \in T_xM, x \in M\}, \quad (1)$$

is a degenerate  $n$ -dimensional subspace of  $T_x\bar{M}$ . Thus, both  $T_xM$  and  $T_xM^\perp$  are degenerate orthogonal subspaces but no longer complementary. In this case, there exists a subspace  $RadT_xM = T_xM \cap T_xM^\perp$  which is known as radical (null) subspace. If the mapping

$$RadTM : x \in M \longrightarrow RadT_xM, \quad (2)$$

defines a smooth distribution on  $M$  of rank  $r > 0$  then the submanifold  $M$  of  $\bar{M}$  is called an  $r$ -lightlike submanifold and  $RadTM$  is called the radical distribution on  $M$ .

Let  $S(TM)$  be a screen distribution which is a semi-Riemannian complementary distribution of  $Rad(TM)$  in  $TM$ , that is,

$$TM = RadTM \perp S(TM), \quad (3)$$

and  $S(TM^\perp)$  is a complementary vector subbundle to  $RadTM$  in  $TM^\perp$ . Let  $tr(TM)$  and  $ltr(TM)$  be complementary (but not orthogonal) vector bundles to

$TM$  in  $T\bar{M}|_M$  and to  $RadTM$  in  $S(TM^\perp)^\perp$  respectively. Then we have

$$tr(TM) = ltr(TM) \perp S(TM^\perp). \quad (4)$$

$$T\bar{M}|_M = TM \oplus tr(TM) = (RadTM \oplus ltr(TM)) \perp S(TM) \perp S(TM^\perp). \quad (5)$$

Let  $u$  be a local coordinate neighborhood of  $M$  and consider the local quasi-orthonormal fields of frames of  $\bar{M}$  along  $M$ , on  $u$  as

$$\{\xi_1, \dots, \xi_r, W_{r+1}, \dots, W_n, N_1, \dots, N_r, X_{r+1}, \dots, X_m\},$$

where  $\{\xi_1, \dots, \xi_r\}, \{N_1, \dots, N_r\}$  are local lightlike bases of

$$\{\Gamma(RadTM|_u), \Gamma(ltr(TM)|_u)\}$$

and

$$\{W_{r+1}, \dots, W_n\}, \{X_{r+1}, \dots, X_m\}$$

are local orthonormal bases of  $\Gamma(S(TM^\perp)|_u)$  and  $\Gamma(S(TM)|_u)$  respectively. For this quasi-orthonormal fields of frames, we have

**Theorem 2.1.** ([7]) *Let  $(M, g, S(TM), S(TM^\perp))$  be an  $r$ -lightlike submanifold of a semi-Riemannian manifold  $(\bar{M}, \bar{g})$ . Then there exists a complementary vector bundle  $ltr(TM)$  of  $RadTM$  in  $S(TM^\perp)^\perp$  and a basis of  $\Gamma(ltr(TM)|_u)$  consisting of smooth sections  $\{N_i\}$  of  $S(TM^\perp)^\perp|_u$ , where  $u$  is a coordinate neighborhood of  $M$ , such that*

$$\bar{g}(N_i, \xi_j) = \delta_{ij}, \quad \bar{g}(N_i, N_j) = 0, \quad \text{for any } i, j \in \{1, 2, \dots, r\}, \quad (6)$$

where  $\{\xi_1, \dots, \xi_r\}$  is a lightlike basis of  $\Gamma(Rad(TM))$ .

Let  $\bar{\nabla}$  be the Levi-Civita connection on  $\bar{M}$ . Then according to the decomposition (5), the Gauss and Weingarten formulas are given by

$$\bar{\nabla}_X Y = \nabla_X Y + h(X, Y), \quad \forall X, Y \in \Gamma(TM), \quad (7)$$

$$\bar{\nabla}_X U = -A_U X + \nabla_X^\perp U, \quad \forall X \in \Gamma(TM), U \in \Gamma(tr(TM)), \quad (8)$$

where  $\{\nabla_X Y, A_U X\}$  and  $\{h(X, Y), \nabla_X^\perp U\}$  belong to  $\Gamma(TM)$  and  $\Gamma(tr(TM))$ , respectively. Here  $\nabla$  is a torsion-free linear connection on  $M$ ,  $h$  is a symmetric bilinear form on  $\Gamma(TM)$  which is called second fundamental form,  $A_U$  is a linear operator on  $M$ , known as shape operator.

According to (4), considering the projection morphisms  $L$  and  $S$  of  $tr(TM)$  on  $ltr(TM)$  and  $S(TM^\perp)$ , respectively then (7) and (8) give

$$\bar{\nabla}_X Y = \nabla_X Y + h^l(X, Y) + h^s(X, Y), \quad (9)$$

$$\bar{\nabla}_X U = -A_U X + D_X^l U + D_X^s U, \quad (10)$$

where we put  $h^l(X, Y) = L(h(X, Y)), h^s(X, Y) = S(h(X, Y)), D_X^l U = L(\nabla_X^\perp U), D_X^s U = S(\nabla_X^\perp U)$ .

As  $h^l$  and  $h^s$  are  $\Gamma(\text{ltr}(TM))$ -valued and  $\Gamma(S(TM^\perp))$ -valued respectively, therefore they are called as the lightlike second fundamental form and the screen second fundamental form on  $M$ . In particular

$$\bar{\nabla}_X N = -A_N X + \nabla_X^l N + D^s(X, N), \quad (11)$$

$$\bar{\nabla}_X W = -A_W X + \nabla_X^s W + D^l(X, W), \quad (12)$$

where  $X \in \Gamma(TM)$ ,  $N \in \Gamma(\text{ltr}(TM))$  and  $W \in \Gamma(S(TM^\perp))$ . By using (4)-(5) and (9)-(12), we obtain

$$\bar{g}(h^s(X, Y), W) + \bar{g}(Y, D^l(X, W)) = g(A_W X, Y), \quad (13)$$

$$\bar{g}(h^l(X, Y), \xi) + \bar{g}(Y, h^l(X, \xi)) + g(Y, \nabla_X \xi) = 0, \quad (14)$$

$$\bar{g}(A_N X, N') + \bar{g}(N, A_{N'} X) = 0, \quad (15)$$

for any  $\xi \in \Gamma(\text{Rad}TM)$ ,  $W \in \Gamma(S(TM^\perp))$  and  $N, N' \in \Gamma(\text{ltr}(TM))$ .

Let  $P$  be the projection morphism of  $TM$  on  $S(TM)$ . Then using (3), we can induce some new geometric objects on the screen distribution  $S(TM)$  on  $M$  as

$$\nabla_X P Y = \nabla_X^* P Y + h^*(X, Y), \quad (16)$$

$$\nabla_X \xi = -A_\xi^* X + \nabla_X^{*t} \xi, \quad (17)$$

for any  $X, Y \in \Gamma(TM)$  and  $\xi \in \Gamma(\text{Rad}TM)$ , where  $\{\nabla_X^* P Y, A_\xi^* X\}$  and  $\{h^*(X, Y), \nabla_X^{*t} \xi\}$  belong to  $\Gamma(S(TM))$  and  $\Gamma(\text{Rad}TM)$ , respectively.  $\nabla^*$  and  $\nabla^{*t}$  are linear connections on complementary distributions  $S(TM)$  and  $\text{Rad}TM$ , respectively.  $h^*$  and  $A^*$  are  $\Gamma(\text{Rad}TM)$ -valued and  $\Gamma(S(TM))$ -valued bilinear forms and called as the second fundamental forms of distributions  $S(TM)$  and  $\text{Rad}TM$ , respectively.

Next, we recall some basic definitions and results of indefinite Sasakian manifolds. An odd dimensional semi-Riemannian manifold  $(\bar{M}, \bar{g})$  is called an  $\epsilon$ -contact metric manifold, if there are a  $(1, 1)$  tensor field  $\phi$ , a vector field  $V$ , called characteristic vector field and a 1-form  $\eta$  such that

$$\bar{g}(\phi X, \phi Y) = \bar{g}(X, Y) - \epsilon \eta(X) \eta(Y), \quad \bar{g}(V, V) = \epsilon, \quad (18)$$

$$\phi^2(X) = -X + \eta(X)V, \quad \bar{g}(X, V) = \epsilon \eta(X), \quad (19)$$

$$d\eta(X, Y) = \bar{g}(X, \phi Y), \quad (20)$$

for any  $X, Y \in \Gamma(TM)$ , where  $\epsilon = \pm 1$  then it follows that

$$\phi V = 0, \quad (21)$$

$$\eta \circ \phi = 0, \quad \eta(V) = 1. \quad (22)$$

Then  $(\phi, V, \eta, \bar{g})$  is called an  $\epsilon$ -contact metric structure of  $\bar{M}$ . We say that  $\bar{M}$  has a normal contact structure if  $N_\phi + d\eta \otimes V = 0$ , where  $N_\phi$  is Nijenhuis tensor

field of  $\phi$ . A normal  $\epsilon$ -contact metric manifold is called an  $\epsilon$ -Sasakian manifold and for this we have

$$\bar{\nabla}_X V = \phi X, \quad (23)$$

$$(\bar{\nabla}_X \phi)Y = -\bar{g}(X, Y)V + \epsilon\eta(Y)X. \quad (24)$$

### 3. Generalized Cauchy-Riemann ( $\overline{GCR}$ )-Lightlike Submanifold

Calin[6], proved that if the characteristic vector field  $V$  is tangent to  $(M, g, S(TM))$  then it belongs to  $S(TM)$ . We assume the characteristic vector field  $V$  is tangent to  $M$  throughout this paper.

**Definition 3.1.** Let  $(M, g, S(TM))$  be a real lightlike submanifold of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $(\overline{M}, \bar{g})$  then  $M$  is called a generalized Cauchy-Riemann ( $\overline{GCR}$ )-lightlike submanifold if the following conditions are satisfied

(A) There exist two subbundles  $D_1$  and  $D_2$  of  $Rad(TM)$  such that

$$Rad(TM) = D_1 \oplus D_2, \quad \phi(D_1) = D_1, \quad \phi(D_2) \subset S(TM). \quad (25)$$

(B) There exist two subbundles  $D_0$  and  $\bar{D}$  of  $S(TM)$  such that

$$S(TM) = \{\phi D_2 \oplus \bar{D}\} \perp D_0 \perp V, \quad \phi(\bar{D}) = L \perp S, \quad (26)$$

where  $D_0$  is an invariant non degenerate distribution on  $M$ ,  $\{V\}$  is the one dimensional distribution spanned by  $V$  and  $L, S$  are vector subbundles of  $ltr(TM)$  and  $S(TM)^\perp$ , respectively.

Then the tangent bundle  $TM$  of  $M$  is decomposed as

$$TM = \{D \oplus \bar{D} \oplus \{V\}\}, \quad D = Rad(TM) \oplus D_0 \oplus \phi(D_2). \quad (27)$$

Let  $Q, P_1, P_2$  be the projection morphisms on  $D, \phi S, \phi L$  respectively, therefore

$$X = QX + V + P_1X + P_2X, \quad (28)$$

for  $X \in \Gamma(TM)$ . Applying  $\phi$  to (28), we obtain

$$\phi X = fX + \omega P_1X + \omega P_2X, \quad (29)$$

where  $fX \in \Gamma(D)$ ,  $\omega P_1X \in \Gamma(S)$  and  $\omega P_2X \in \Gamma(L)$ , or, we can write (29), as

$$\phi X = fX + \omega X, \quad (30)$$

where  $fX$  and  $\omega X$  are the tangential and transversal components of  $\phi X$ , respectively.

Similarly,

$$\phi U = BU + CU, \quad U \in \Gamma(tr(TM)), \quad (31)$$

where  $BU$  and  $CU$  are the sections of  $TM$  and  $tr(TM)$ , respectively.

Differentiating (29) and using (11)-(14) and (31), we have

$$D^l(X, \omega P_1 Y) = -\nabla_X^l \omega P_2 Y + \omega P_2 \nabla_X Y - h^l(X, fY) + Ch^l(X, Y), \quad (32)$$

$$D^s(X, \omega P_2 Y) = -\nabla_X^s \omega P_1 Y + \omega P_1 \nabla_X Y - h^s(X, fY) + Ch^s(X, Y), \quad (33)$$

for all  $X, Y \in \Gamma(TM)$ . By using Sasakian property of  $\bar{\nabla}$  with (9) and (10), we have the following lemmas.

**Lemma 3.2.** *Let  $M$  be a GCR-lightlike submanifold of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$  then we have*

$$(\nabla_X f)Y = A_{\omega Y}X + Bh(X, Y) - g(X, Y)V + \epsilon\eta(Y)X, \quad (34)$$

and

$$(\nabla_X^t \omega)Y = Ch(X, Y) - h(X, fY), \quad (35)$$

where  $X, Y \in \Gamma(TM)$  and

$$(\nabla_X f)Y = \nabla_X fY - f\nabla_X Y, \quad (36)$$

$$(\nabla_X^t \omega)Y = \nabla_X^t \omega Y - \omega \nabla_X Y. \quad (37)$$

**Lemma 3.3.** *Let  $M$  be a GCR-lightlike submanifold of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$  then we have*

$$(\nabla_X B)U = A_{CU}X - fA_U X, \quad (38)$$

and

$$(\nabla_X^t C)U = -\omega A_U X - h(X, BU), \quad (39)$$

where  $X \in \Gamma(TM)$  and  $U \in \Gamma(tr(TM))$  and

$$(\nabla_X B)U = \nabla_X BU - B\nabla_X^t U, \quad (40)$$

$$(\nabla_X^t C)U = \nabla_X^t CU - C\nabla_X^t U. \quad (41)$$

**Lemma 3.4.** *For  $Y \in \Gamma(\bar{D})$  and  $Z \in \Gamma(D)$ , we have  $g(\nabla_X Y, Z) = g(fA_{\omega Y}X, Z)$ .*

*Proof.* Using (34), for any  $Y \in \Gamma(\bar{D})$ , we have  $-f\nabla_X Y = A_{\omega Y}X + Bh(X, Y) - g(X, Y)V$ . Let  $Z \in \Gamma(D)$  then  $\phi Z \in \Gamma(D)$ , therefore  $g(f\nabla_X Y, \phi Z) = -g(A_{\omega Y}X, \phi Z)$ . Hence using (18) the assertion follows.

Particularly, let  $Z \in \Gamma(D_0)$ , then the non degeneracy of the distribution  $D_0$  implies that  $\nabla_X Y = fA_{\omega Y}X$ , for any  $Y \in \Gamma(\bar{D})$ . ■

**Theorem 3.5.** *Let  $M$  be a GCR-lightlike submanifold of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$  then*

(A) *The distribution  $D \oplus \{V\}$  is integrable, if and only if*

$$h(X, fY) = h(Y, fX), \quad \forall X, Y \in \Gamma(D \oplus \{V\}). \quad (42)$$

(B) The distribution  $\overline{D}$  is integrable, if and only if

$$A_{\phi Z}U = A_{\phi U}Z, \quad \forall Z, U \in \Gamma(\overline{D}). \quad (43)$$

*Proof.* Using (32) and (33), we have  $\omega P\nabla_X Y = h(X, fY) - Ch(X, Y)$ , for any  $X, Y \in \Gamma(D \oplus \{V\})$ . Here replacing  $X$  by  $Y$  and subtracting the resulting equation from this equation, we get  $\omega[X, Y] = h(X, fY) - h(Y, fX)$ , which proves (A).

Next, from (34) and (36), we have

$$-f(\nabla_Z U) = A_{\omega U}Z - g(Z, U)V + \epsilon\eta(U)Z + Bh(Z, U), \quad (44)$$

for all  $Z, U \in \Gamma(\overline{D})$ . Then, similarly as above, we have

$$f[Z, U] = A_{\phi Z}U - A_{\phi U}Z, \quad (45)$$

which completes the proof of (B).  $\blacksquare$

**Theorem 3.6.** *Let  $M$  be a GCR-lightlike submanifold of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\overline{M}$ . Then the distribution  $D \oplus \{V\}$  defines a totally geodesic foliation in  $M$ , if and only if,  $Bh(X, \phi Y) = 0$ , for any  $X, Y \in D \oplus \{V\}$ .*

*Proof.* Since  $\overline{D} = \phi(L \perp S)$ , therefore  $D \oplus \{V\}$  defines a totally geodesic foliation in  $M$ , if and only if

$$g(\nabla_X Y, \phi\xi) = g(\nabla_X Y, \phi W) = 0, \quad (46)$$

for any  $X, Y \in \Gamma(D \oplus \{V\})$ ,  $\xi \in \Gamma(D_2)$  and  $W \in \Gamma(S)$ .

Using (9) and (24), we have

$$g(\nabla_X Y, \phi\xi) = -\bar{g}(\overline{\nabla}_X \phi Y, \xi) = -\bar{g}(h^l(X, fY), \xi), \quad (47)$$

$$g(\nabla_X Y, \phi W) = -\bar{g}(\overline{\nabla}_X \phi Y, W) = -\bar{g}(h^s(X, fY), W). \quad (48)$$

Hence, from (47) and (48) the assertion follows.  $\blacksquare$

**Theorem 3.7.** *Let  $M$  be a GCR-lightlike submanifold of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\overline{M}$ . Then the distribution  $\overline{D}$  defines a totally geodesic foliation in  $M$ , if and only if,  $A_N X$  has no component in  $\phi S \perp \phi D_2$  and  $A_{\omega Y} X$  has no component in  $D_2 \perp D_0$ , for any  $X, Y \in \Gamma(\overline{D})$  and  $N \in \Gamma(\text{ltr}(TM))$ .*

*Proof.* We know that  $\overline{D}$  defines a totally geodesic foliation in  $M$ , if and only if

$$g(\nabla_X Y, N) = g(\nabla_X Y, \phi N_1) = g(\nabla_X Y, V) = g(\nabla_X Y, \phi Z) = 0, \quad (49)$$

for  $X, Y \in \Gamma(\overline{D})$ ,  $N \in \Gamma(\text{ltr}(TM))$ ,  $Z \in \Gamma(D_0)$  and  $N_1 \in \Gamma(L)$ . Using (9) and (11), we have

$$g(\nabla_X Y, N) = \bar{g}(\bar{\nabla}_X Y, N) = -\bar{g}(Y, \bar{\nabla}_X N) = g(Y, A_N X). \quad (50)$$

Using (9), (10) and (24), we obtain

$$g(\nabla_X Y, \phi N_1) = -g(\phi \bar{\nabla}_X Y, N_1) = -g(\bar{\nabla}_X \omega Y, N_1) = g(A_{\omega Y} X, N_1), \quad (51)$$

and

$$g(\nabla_X Y, \phi Z) = -g(\phi \bar{\nabla}_X Y, Z) = -g(\bar{\nabla}_X \omega Y, Z) = g(A_{\omega Y} X, Z), \quad (52)$$

also

$$g(\nabla_X Y, V) = g(\bar{\nabla}_X Y, V) = -g(Y, \bar{\nabla}_X V) = g(Y, \phi X) = 0. \quad (53)$$

Thus from (50)-(53), the result follows.  $\blacksquare$

**Theorem 3.8.** *Let  $M$  be a GCR-lightlike submanifold of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$ . Then the induced connection  $\nabla$  is a metric connection, if and only if*

$$\begin{aligned} A_{\phi\xi}^* X - \nabla_X^{*t} \phi\xi &\in \Gamma(\phi D_2 \perp D_1), \quad \text{for } \xi \in \Gamma(D_1), \\ \nabla_X^* \phi\xi + h^*(X, \phi\xi) &\in \Gamma(\phi D_2 \perp D_1), \quad \text{for } \xi \in \Gamma(D_2), \\ h(X, \phi\xi) &\in \Gamma(L \perp S)^\perp \quad \text{and} \quad A_\xi^* X \in \Gamma(\bar{D} \perp D_0 \perp \phi D_2), \end{aligned}$$

for  $\xi \in \Gamma(\text{Rad}(TM))$  and  $X \in \Gamma(TM)$ .

*Proof.* For any  $X \in \Gamma(TM)$  and  $\xi \in \Gamma \text{Rad}(TM)$ , using (24), we have

$$\bar{\nabla}_X \phi\xi = \phi \bar{\nabla}_X \xi, \quad (54)$$

then using (17) and (19), we obtain

$$\nabla_X \xi + h(X, \xi) = -\phi(\nabla_X \phi\xi + h(X, \phi\xi)) - \epsilon g(A_\xi^* X, V)V. \quad (55)$$

Let  $\xi \in \Gamma(D_1)$  then  $\phi\xi \in \Gamma(D_1)$ , again using (17) in (55), we obtain

$$\nabla_X \xi + h(X, \xi) = -\phi(-A_{\phi\xi}^* X + \nabla_X^{*t} \phi\xi + h(X, \phi\xi)) - \epsilon g(A_\xi^* X, V)V. \quad (56)$$

Equating tangential components of the above equation both sides, we get

$$\nabla_X \xi = f A_{\phi\xi}^* X - f \nabla_X^{*t} \phi\xi - B h(X, \phi\xi) - \epsilon g(A_\xi^* X, V)V, \quad (57)$$

therefore  $\nabla_X \xi \in \Gamma(\text{Rad}TM)$  if and only if  $B h(X, \phi\xi) = 0$ ,  $f A_{\phi\xi}^* X - f \nabla_X^{*t} \phi\xi \in \Gamma(\text{Rad}TM)$  and  $g(A_\xi^* X, V) = 0$  or if and only if

$$h(X, \phi\xi) \in \Gamma(L \perp S)^\perp, \quad A_{\phi\xi}^* X - \nabla_X^{*t} \phi\xi \in \Gamma(\phi D_2 \perp D_1), \quad (58)$$

and

$$A_\xi^* X \in \Gamma(\bar{D} \perp D_0 \perp \phi D_2). \quad (59)$$

Similarly, let  $\xi \in \Gamma(D_2)$  then using (16) in (55) and then compare the tangential components of the resulting equation, we obtain



$$\nabla_X \xi = -f\nabla_X^* \phi\xi - fh^*(X, \phi\xi) - Bh(X, \phi\xi) - \epsilon g(A_\xi^* X, V)V, \quad (60)$$

therefore  $\nabla_X \xi \in \Gamma(\text{Rad}TM)$  if and only if  $Bh(X, \phi\xi) = 0$ ,  $f\nabla_X^* \phi\xi + fh^*(X, \phi\xi) \in \Gamma(\text{Rad}TM)$  and  $g(A_\xi^* X, V) = 0$  or if and only if

$$h(X, \phi\xi) \in \Gamma(L \perp S)^\perp, \quad \nabla_X^* \phi\xi + h^*(X, \phi\xi) \in \Gamma(\phi D_2 \perp D_1) \quad (61)$$

and

$$A_\xi^* X \in \Gamma(\overline{D} \perp D_0 \perp \phi D_2). \quad (62)$$

Hence from (58), (59), (61) and (62) the assertion follows.  $\blacksquare$

#### 4. Totally Contact Umbilical GCR-Lightlike Submanifolds

**Definition 4.1.** ([14]). If the second fundamental form  $h$  of a submanifold tangent to the characteristic vector field  $V$ , of an infinite Sasakian manifold  $\overline{M}$  is of the form

$$h(X, Y) = \{g(X, Y) - \eta(X)\eta(Y)\}\alpha + \eta(X)h(Y, V) + \eta(Y)h(X, V), \quad (63)$$

for any  $X, Y \in \Gamma(TM)$ , where  $\alpha$  is a vector field transversal to  $M$ , then  $M$  is called a totally contact umbilical and totally contact geodesic if  $\alpha = 0$ .

The above definition also holds for a lightlike submanifold  $M$ . For a totally contact umbilical lightlike submanifold  $M$ , we have

$$h^l(X, Y) = \{g(X, Y) - \eta(X)\eta(Y)\}\alpha_L + \eta(X)h^l(Y, V) + \eta(Y)h^l(X, V), \quad (64)$$

$$h^s(X, Y) = \{g(X, Y) - \eta(X)\eta(Y)\}\alpha_S + \eta(X)h^s(Y, V) + \eta(Y)h^s(X, V), \quad (65)$$

where  $\alpha_L \in \Gamma(\text{ltr}(TM))$  and  $\alpha_S \in \Gamma(S(TM^\perp))$ .

**Lemma 4.2.** Let  $M$  be a GCR-lightlike submanifold of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\overline{M}$  then  $\nabla_X X \in \Gamma(D \oplus \{V\})$ , for any  $X \in \Gamma(D \oplus \{V\})$ .

*Proof.* Since  $\overline{D} = \phi(L \perp S)$  therefore  $\nabla_X X \in \Gamma(D \oplus \{V\})$  if and only if

$$g(\nabla_X X, \phi\xi) = g(\nabla_X X, \phi W) = 0, \quad (66)$$

for any  $\xi \in \Gamma(D_2)$  and  $W \in \Gamma(S)$ . Since  $M$  is a totally contact umbilical GCR-lightlike submanifold therefore using (7), (9), (24) and (64), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} g(\nabla_X X, \phi\xi) &= \bar{g}(\overline{\nabla}_X X, \phi\xi) \\ &= -\bar{g}(\overline{\nabla}_X \phi X - (\overline{\nabla}_X \phi)X, \xi) \\ &= -\bar{g}(\nabla_X \phi X + h^s(X, \phi X) + h^l(X, \phi X), \xi) \\ &\quad + \bar{g}(-g(X, X)V + \epsilon \eta(X)X, \xi) \\ &= -\bar{g}(h^l(X, \phi X), \xi) \\ &= -\bar{g}(X, \phi X)\bar{g}(\alpha_L, \xi) \end{aligned}$$

$$= 0. \quad (67)$$

Also

$$\begin{aligned}
g(\nabla_X X, \phi W) &= \bar{g}(\bar{\nabla}_X X, \phi W) \\
&= -\bar{g}(\bar{\nabla}_X \phi X - (\bar{\nabla}_X \phi)X, W) \\
&= -\bar{g}(\nabla_X \phi X + h^l(X, \phi X) + h^s(X, \phi X), W) \\
&\quad + \bar{g}(-g(X, X)V + \epsilon\eta(X)X, W) \\
&= -\bar{g}(h^s(X, \phi X), W) \\
&= -\bar{g}(X, \phi X)\bar{g}(\alpha_s, W) \\
&= 0. \quad (68)
\end{aligned}$$

Hence using (67) and (68), the assertion follows.  $\blacksquare$

**Theorem 4.3.** *Let  $M$  be a totally contact umbilical GCR-lightlike submanifold of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$  then  $\alpha \in \Gamma(L\perp S)$ .*

*Proof.* Using (33) for  $X \in \Gamma(D_0)$ , we obtain  $h^s(X, fX) = \omega P_1 \nabla_X X + Ch^s(X, X)$ , further using (65) we get  $\alpha_S g(X, \phi X) = \omega P_1 \nabla_X X + g(X, X)C\alpha_S$ . Using the above lemma, we get  $g(X, X)C\alpha_S = 0$ , then the non degeneracy of  $D_0$  implies  $C\alpha_S = 0$ . Hence  $\alpha_S \in \Gamma(S)$ .

Similarly by using (32) and (64) we can prove  $\alpha_L \in \Gamma(L)$ . Hence  $\alpha \in \Gamma(L\perp S)$ .  $\blacksquare$

**Remark 4.4.** Since  $\alpha \in \Gamma(L\perp S)$  therefore for  $X \in D_0$ , using (63), we have  $h(X, X) = g(X, X)\alpha$ , this implies that  $h(X, X) \in \Gamma(L\perp S)$ .

**Theorem 4.5.** *Let  $M$  be a totally contact umbilical GCR-lightlike submanifold of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$  then  $\alpha_L = 0$ .*

*Proof.* Since  $M$  is a totally contact umbilical GCR-lightlike submanifold then, by direct calculations, using (9), (10) and (24) and then taking tangential parts of the resulting equation, we obtain

$$A_{\phi Z}Z + f\nabla_Z Z + Bh^l(Z, Z) + Bh^s(Z, Z) = g(Z, Z)V, \quad (69)$$

where  $Z \in \phi(S)$ . Hence for  $\xi \in \Gamma(D_2)$ , we obtain

$$\bar{g}(A_{\phi Z}Z, \phi\xi) + \bar{g}(h^l(Z, Z), \xi) = 0. \quad (70)$$

Using (13), we get

$$\bar{g}(h^s(Z, \phi\xi), \phi Z) + \bar{g}(h^l(Z, Z), \xi) = 0. \quad (71)$$

Thus, from (64) and (65) we derive  $g(Z, Z)\bar{g}(\alpha_L, \xi) = 0$  then the non degeneracy of  $\phi S$  implies that  $\alpha_L = 0$ , which completes the proof.  $\blacksquare$

**Lemma 4.6.** *Let  $M$  be a GCR-lightlike submanifold of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$  then  $\nabla_X \phi X = \phi \nabla_X X$ , for any  $X \in \Gamma(D_0)$ .*

*Proof.* For any  $X \in \Gamma(D_0)$  using (35) and (37), we have  $\omega \nabla_X X = h(X, fX) - Ch(X, X)$ . Since  $M$  is totally contact umbilical therefore using (65), we have  $\omega \nabla_X X = g(X, \phi X) \alpha_S - Ch(X, X)$ , then using Remark 4.4, we get  $\omega \nabla_X X = 0$ . Hence

$$\nabla_X X \in \Gamma(D). \quad (72)$$

Let  $X, Y \in \Gamma(D_0)$  then using (24), we have

$$g(\nabla_X \phi X, Y) = \bar{g}(\bar{\nabla}_X \phi X, Y) = \bar{g}(\phi \bar{\nabla}_X X, Y), \quad (73)$$

using (18) and (19), we further have

$$g(\nabla_X \phi X, Y) = -\bar{g}(\bar{\nabla}_X X, \phi Y) = -g(\nabla_X X, \phi Y) = g(\phi \nabla_X X, Y), \quad (74)$$

this implies  $g(\nabla_X \phi X - \phi \nabla_X X, Y) = 0$ , then the non degeneracy of the distribution  $D_0$  gives the result. ■

**Theorem 4.7.** *Let  $M$  be a totally contact umbilical GCR-lightlike submanifold of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$  then  $\alpha_S = 0$ .*

*Proof.* For  $W \in \Gamma(S(TM^\perp))$  and  $X \in \Gamma(D_0)$ , using (24), (63) and Lemma 4.6 we have

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{g}(\phi \bar{\nabla}_X X, \phi W) &= \bar{g}(\bar{\nabla}_X \phi X + g(X, X)V - \epsilon \eta(X)X, \phi W) \\ &= \bar{g}(\bar{\nabla}_X \phi X, \phi W) \\ &= \bar{g}(\nabla_X \phi X, \phi W) + \bar{g}(h(X, \phi X), \phi W) \\ &= \bar{g}(\phi \nabla_X X, \phi W) + \bar{g}(X, \phi X)g(\alpha, \phi W) \\ &= \bar{g}(\nabla_X X, W) \\ &= 0. \end{aligned} \quad (75)$$

Also using (65), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{g}(\phi \bar{\nabla}_X X, \phi W) &= \bar{g}(\bar{\nabla}_X X, W) - \eta(\phi W)\eta(\phi \bar{\nabla}_X X) \\ &= \bar{g}(\nabla_X X + h^s(X, X) + h^l(X, X), W) \\ &= \bar{g}(\nabla_X X, W) + \bar{g}(h^s(X, X), W) \\ &= g(X, X)g(\alpha_S, W). \end{aligned} \quad (76)$$

Therefore using (75) and (76), we get  $g(X, X)g(\alpha_S, W) = 0$ , then the non degeneracy of  $D_0$  and  $S(TM^\perp)$  implies that  $\alpha_S = 0$ . ■

**Theorem 4.8.** *Let  $M$  be a totally contact umbilical GCR-lightlike submanifold of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$  then  $M$  is a totally contact geodesic GCR-lightlike submanifold.*

*Proof.* From Theorem 4.5 and Theorem 4.7 the result follows. ■

**Theorem 4.9.** *Let  $M$  be a totally contact umbilical GCR-lightlike submanifold of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$  such that  $\bar{\nabla}_X V \in \Gamma(TM)$  then the induced connection  $\nabla$  is a metric connection on  $M$ .*

*Proof.* Using Theorem 4.5, we have  $\alpha_L = 0$ . Since  $\bar{\nabla}_X V \in \Gamma(TM)$  this implies  $h^l(X, V) = 0$  therefore from (64) we get

$$h^l = 0, \quad (77)$$

then using Theorem 2.2 in [7, page 159], the induced connection  $\nabla$  becomes a metric connection on  $M$ . ■

**Theorem 4.10.** *Let  $M$  be a totally contact umbilical GCR-lightlike submanifold of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$  such that  $\bar{\nabla}_X V \in \Gamma(TM)$  then  $M$  is a totally geodesic GCR-lightlike submanifold.*

*Proof.* Using Theorem 4.7, we have  $\alpha_S = 0$ . Since  $\bar{\nabla}_X V \in \Gamma(TM)$ , this implies  $h^s(X, V) = 0$ . Therefore from (65), we obtain

$$h^s = 0. \quad (78)$$

Then using (77) and (78), the assertion follows. ■

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