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Pseudo-Slant Submanifolds of a Generalised Almost Contact Metric Structure Manifold

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Abstract

In this paper we have studied pseudo-slant submanifolds of a Generalised almost contact metric structure manifold and established integrability conditions of distributions and some interesting results on this submanifold.

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1. Introduction

The geometry of slant submanifolds was initiated by B. Y. Chen. He defined slant immersions in the complex geometry as a natural generalization of both holomorphic and totally real immersions [4]. A. Lotta introduced the notion of slant immersions of a Riemannian manifold into an almost contact metric manifold [5]. In [2], J. L. Cabrerizo et. al. studied and characterised slant submanifolds of K-contact and Sasakian manifolds with several examples. Recently Khan and Khan studied Pseudo-slant submanifolds of a Sasakian manifold [5].

The purpose of this paper is to study pseudo-slant submanifolds of Generalised almost contact metric structure manifold. In section 3 we defined slant immersions and slant distributions on Generalised almost contact metric structure manifold and Hyperbolic Hermite manifold and proved some characterisation theorem. In section 4 we defined pseudo-slant submanifolds of these manifolds and established a relation between them. We also worked out integrability conditions of distributions on pseudo-slant submanifolds of Generalised almost contact metric structure manifold.

2. Preliminaries

First we define a Generalised almost contact metric structure manifold.

Definition (2.1) [8]. An odd dimensional Riemannian manifold (\overline{M}, g) is said to be a Generalised almost contact metric structure manifold if, there exists a tensor ϕ of the type $(1, 1)$ and a global vector field ξ and a 1-form η satisfying the following equations:

$$\phi^2 X = a^2 X + \eta(X)\xi \quad (1)$$

$$\eta(\phi X) = 0 \quad (2)$$

$$\eta(\xi) = -a^2 \quad (3)$$

$$\phi(\xi) = 0 \quad (4)$$

$$\eta(X) = g(X, \xi) \quad (5)$$

$$g(\phi X, \phi Y) = -a^2 g(X, Y) - \eta(X)\eta(Y), \quad (6)$$

where $X, Y \in T\overline{M}$, a be a complex number and g be the metric of \overline{M} .

From above definition it is clear that almost contact metric manifold is a particular case of a Generalised almost contact metric structure manifold for $a^2 = -1$.

If $'\Phi$ is a 2-form defined on \overline{M} as

$$' \Phi(X, Y) = g(\phi X, Y),$$

then $'\Phi$ is alternating i.e.

$$' \Phi(Y, X) = -' \Phi(X, Y)$$

or

$$g(\phi X, Y) = -g(\phi Y, X). \quad (7)$$

Now let M be a submanifold immersed in \overline{M} and we denote by the same symbol g the induced metric on M . let TM be the Lie algebra of the vector fields in M and $T^\perp M$ denote the set of all vector fields normal to M . Then, the Gauss and Weingarten equations are given by

$$\overline{\nabla}_X Y = \nabla_X Y + h(X, Y) \quad (8)$$

$$\overline{\nabla}_X V = -A_V X + \nabla^\perp_X V, \quad (9)$$

for all $X, Y \in TM$, $V \in T^\perp M$.

Where $\bar{\nabla}$, ∇ are respectively the Levi-Civita connexions on \bar{M} and M and ∇^\perp is induced connexion in normal bundle of M i.e. $T^\perp M$, h is symmetric bilinear vector valued function called second fundamental form and A_V is the shape operator associated with V . The second fundamental form h and the shape operator A are related by

$$g(A_V X, Y) = g(h(X, Y), V). \quad (10)$$

For any $X \in TM$, we write,

$$\phi X = TX + NX, \quad (11)$$

where TX is the tangential component of ϕX and NX is the normal component of ϕX . Similarly for any V in $T^\perp M$, we write

$$\phi V = tV + nV, \quad (12)$$

where tV (resp. nV) denotes the tangential (resp. normal) component of ϕV .

The submanifold M is said to be an invariant submanifold if N is identically zero i.e. $\phi X = TX$ for any $X \in TM$. On the other hand the submanifold M is called anti-invariant submanifold in T is identically zero i.e. $\phi X = NX$.

The covariant derivatives of T and N are defined as

$$(\bar{\nabla}_X T)Y = \nabla_X(TY) - T(\nabla_X Y) \quad (13)$$

and

$$(\bar{\nabla}_X N)Y = \nabla_X^\perp(NY) - N(\nabla_X Y). \quad (14)$$

The distribution spanned by the structure vector ξ is denoted by $\langle \xi \rangle$.

3. Slant distributions and slant immersions

Let M be a Riemannian manifold, isometrically immersed in a Generalised almost contact metric structure manifold $(\bar{M}, \phi, g, a, \eta, \xi)$. Suppose that the structure vector ξ is tangent to M . if we denote by D the orthogonal distribution to ξ in TM . Then

$$TM = D \oplus \langle \xi \rangle.$$

For each nonzero vector X tangent to M at x , such that X is not proportional to ξ_x , we denote by $\theta(X)$ the angle between ϕX and $T_x M$. Since $\phi(\xi) = 0$, thus $\theta(X)$ is the angle between ϕX and D_x .

Definition (3.1) : M is said to be slant if the angle $\theta(X)$ is constant, i.e. which is independent of the choice of $x \in M$ and $X \in TM - \langle \xi_x \rangle$. The angle θ of a slant immersion is called the slant angle of the immersion.

From this definition, it is evident that invariant and anti-invariant immersions slant immersions with slant angle $\theta = 0$ and $\theta = \pi/2$ respectively. A slant immersion, which is neither invariant nor anti-invariant, is called proper slant immersion.

A useful characterization of slant submanifolds in Generalised almost contact metric structure manifold is given by the following theorem.

Theorem (3.1) : Let M be a submanifold isometrically immersed in a Generalised almost contact metric structure manifold $(\overline{M}, \phi, g, a, \eta, \xi)$ such that $\xi \in TM$, then M is slant if and only if there exists a constant $\lambda \in [0, 1]$ such that

$$T^2 = a^2 \lambda I + \lambda \eta \otimes \xi. \quad (15)$$

Furthermore, in this case, if θ is slant angle of M , then $\lambda = \cos^2 \theta$.

Proof : Let $X, Y \in TM$, then for any slant submanifold, we have

$$\begin{aligned} g(TX, TY) &= \cos^2 \theta \cdot g(\phi X, \phi Y) \\ \Leftrightarrow g(TX, TY) &= \cos^2 \theta \cdot [-a^2 g(X, Y) - \eta(X)\eta(Y)] \text{ from (6)} \\ \Leftrightarrow -g(T^2 X, Y) &= -\cos^2 \theta \cdot [a^2 g(X, Y) + \eta(X)\eta(Y)] \quad \ominus \quad g(TX, Y) = -g(X, TY) \\ \Leftrightarrow g(T^2 X, Y) &= \cos^2 \theta \cdot [a^2 g(X, Y) + \eta(X)\eta(Y)] \quad \forall Y \in TM \\ \Leftrightarrow T^2 X &= \cos^2 \theta \cdot [a^2 X + \eta(X)\xi] \quad \forall X \in TM \\ \Leftrightarrow T^2 &= \cos^2 \theta \cdot [a^2 I + \eta \otimes \xi] \\ \Leftrightarrow T^2 &= a^2 \lambda I + \lambda \eta \otimes \xi \end{aligned}$$

where $\lambda = \cos^2 \theta$, θ is the slant angle.

Hence the theorem.

Now we define slant distributions.

Definition (3.2) : A differentiable distribution ν on M is said to be a slant distribution if for each $x \in M$ and each nonzero vector $X \in \nu_x$, the angle $\theta_\nu(X)$ between ϕX and the vector space ν_x is constant, i.e. which is independent of the choice of $x \in M$ and $X \in \nu_x$. In this case the constant angle θ_ν is called the slant angle of the distribution ν .

Thus we see that if a submanifold is slant, then there exists a slant distribution on M .

The following theorem provides a useful characterization for the existence of a slant distribution on a Generalised almost contact metric structure manifold.

Theorem (3.2) : Let ν be a distribution on M , orthogonal to ξ . Then ν is slant if and only if there exists a constant $\lambda \in [0, 1]$ such that $(PT)^2X = a^2\lambda X$, for any $X \in \nu$.

Furthermore, in this case, if θ is slant angle of M , then $\lambda = \cos^2\theta$.

Proof : The proof is straightforward and may be obtained from theorem (3.1).

Now we define slant distributions on a submanifold of Hyperbolic Hermite manifold.

Definition (3.2) : Given a submanifold S , isometrically immersed in a Hyperbolic Hermite manifold (\bar{S}, J, g_1) , a differentiable distribution D on S is said to be a slant distribution if for any nonzero vector $X \in D_x$, $x \in S$, the angle between JX and the vector space D_x is constant, i.e. which is independent of the choice of $x \in S$ and $X \in D_x$. In this case the constant angle is called the slant angle of the distribution D (compare with the definition (3.2)).

4. Pseudo-slant submanifolds of Generalised almost contact metric structure manifold

We first define pseudo-slant submanifolds of Hyperbolic Hermite manifold.

Definition (4.1) : A submanifold S of a Hyperbolic Hermite manifold (\bar{S}, J, g_1) is called a pseudo-slant submanifold, if there exists on S , two differentiable orthogonal distributions D_1 and D_2 such that $TM = D_1 \oplus D_2$, where D_1 is totally real distribution i.e. $JD_1 \subset T^\perp S$ and D_2 is slant distribution with slant angle $\theta \neq \pi/2$, in particular if $\dim D_1 = 0$ and $\theta \in (0, \pi/2)$, then S is proper slant submanifold of (\bar{S}, J, g_1) .

In the following paragraph we show that there is a relationship between slant submanifold of Generalised almost contact metric structure manifold and pseudo-slant submanifolds of Hyperbolic Hermite manifold.

Let $(\bar{M}, \phi, g, a, \eta, \xi)$ be a Generalised almost contact metric structure manifold. Then we consider the manifold $\bar{M} \times R$. We denote by $(X, f \frac{d}{dt})$ a vector

field on $\overline{M} \times R$, where X is tangent to \overline{M} , t is the coordinate of R and f is a differentiable function on $\overline{M} \times R$.

If we define a tensor J of type $(1, 1)$ on $\overline{M} \times R$ defined by

$$J \left(X, f \frac{d}{dt} \right) = \frac{1}{a} \left(\phi X - f\xi, \eta(X) \frac{d}{dt} \right) \quad (16)$$

Then we have, $J^2 \left(X, f \frac{d}{dt} \right) = \frac{1}{a} J \left(\phi X - f\xi, \eta(X) \frac{d}{dt} \right)$ from (16)

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{a} \cdot \frac{1}{a} \left(\phi(\phi X - f\xi) - \eta(X)\xi, \eta(\phi X - f\xi) \frac{d}{dt} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{a^2} \left(\phi^2 X - f\phi\xi - \eta(X)\xi, (\eta(\phi X) - f\eta(\xi)) \frac{d}{dt} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{a^2} \left(a^2 X, (a^2 f) \frac{d}{dt} \right), \text{ from (1), (2), (3) and (4)} \\ &= \left(X, f \frac{d}{dt} \right) \end{aligned}$$

i.e.

$$J^2 \left(X, f \frac{d}{dt} \right) = \left(X, f \frac{d}{dt} \right). \quad (17)$$

Now we define the metric g_1 on $\overline{M} \times R$ as

$$g_1 \left[\left(X, f \frac{d}{dt} \right), \left(Y, h \frac{d}{dt} \right) \right] = g(X, Y) + fh. \quad (18)$$

Then we obtain

$$g_1 \left[J \left(X, f \frac{d}{dt} \right), J \left(Y, h \frac{d}{dt} \right) \right] = g_1 \left[\frac{1}{a} (\phi X - f\xi, \eta(X) \frac{d}{dt}), \frac{1}{a} (\phi Y - h\xi, \eta(Y) \frac{d}{dt}) \right], \quad \text{by (16)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{a^2} g_1 \left[(\phi X - f\xi, \eta(X) \frac{d}{dt}), (\phi Y - h\xi, \eta(Y) \frac{d}{dt}) \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{a^2} [g(\phi X - f\xi, \phi Y - h\xi) + \eta(X)\eta(Y)] \text{ by (18)} \\ &= \frac{1}{a^2} [g(\phi X, \phi Y) - g(\phi X, h\xi) - g(f\xi, \phi Y) + g(f\xi, h\xi) + \eta(X)\eta(Y)] \\ &= \frac{1}{a^2} [-a^2 g(X, Y) - \eta(X)\eta(Y) - a^2 fh + \eta(X)\eta(Y)], \end{aligned}$$

by (3), (4), (5), (6) and (7)

$$\begin{aligned} &= -[g(X, Y) + fh] \\ &= -g_1 \left[\left(X, f \frac{d}{dt} \right), \left(Y, h \frac{d}{dt} \right) \right], \text{ by (18)} \end{aligned}$$

Therefore we have

$$g_1 \left[J \left(X, f \frac{d}{dt} \right), J \left(Y, h \frac{d}{dt} \right) \right] = -g_1 \left[\left(X, f \frac{d}{dt} \right), \left(Y, h \frac{d}{dt} \right) \right], \quad (19)$$

from (17) and (19), we see that $(\overline{M} \times R, J, g_1)$ is a Hyperbolic Hermite structure manifold.

Now we state the following theorem, which provides a method to obtain a pseudo-slant submanifold of $\overline{M} \times R$ from slant submanifold of \overline{M} .

Theorem (4.1) : Let M be a non anti-invariant slant submanifold of a Generalised almost contact metric structure manifold \overline{M} with slant distribution D and ξ is orthogonal to M . then $M \times R$ is a pseudo-slant submanifold of the Hyperbolic Hermite manifold $\overline{M} \times R$ with totally real distribution $D_1 = \{(0, \frac{d}{dt})\}$ and slant distribution $D_2 = \{(X, 0) | X \in D\}$.

Proof : Since we have,

$$g_1 \left[(X, 0), \left(0, \frac{d}{dt} \right) \right] = g(X, 0) + 0 = 0.$$

and $(X, f \frac{d}{dt}) = (X, 0) + f(0, \frac{d}{dt})$, $\forall (X, f \frac{d}{dt}) \in T(M \times R)$,

therefore $T(M \times R) = D_1 \oplus D_2$ is an orthogonal direct decomposition.

Also $J(0, \frac{d}{dt}) = \frac{1}{a}(-\xi, 0) \subset T^\perp(M \times R)$ from (16)

$\therefore D_1$ is totally real distribution. It is easy to see that D_2 is slant distribution with slant angle θ (which is slant angle of D) in the sense of Papaghuic [9].

To introduce pseudo-slant submanifold of a Generalised almost contact metric structure manifold; first we define bislant submanifolds of a Generalised almost contact metric structure manifold.

Definition (4.2) : M is said to be a bislant submanifold of a Generalised almost contact metric structure manifold \overline{M} if there exists two orthogonal distributions D_1 and D_2 such that

- (i) TM admits the orthogonal direct decomposition $TM = D_1 \oplus D_2 \oplus \langle \xi \rangle$
- (ii) The distribution D_1 is slant with angle θ_1
- (iii) The distribution D_2 is slant with angle θ_2 .

Now we define pseudo-slant submanifold of a Generalised almost contact metric structure manifold as a particular case of bislant submanifold.

Definition (4.3) : M is said to be a pseudo-slant submanifold of a Generalised almost contact metric structure manifold \overline{M} if there exists two orthogonal distributions D_1 and D_2 , such that

- (i) TM admits the orthogonal direct decomposition $TM = D_1 \oplus D_2 \oplus \langle \xi \rangle$
- (ii) The distribution D_1 is anti-invariant i.e. $\phi D_1 \subset T^\perp M$
- (iii) The distribution D_2 is slant with angle $\theta \neq \pi/2$.

If we denote by d_i , the dimension of D_i , for $i = 1, 2$, then we find the following cases

- (a) If $d_2 = 0$, then M is an anti-invariant submanifold.
- (b) If $d_1 = 0$ and $\theta = 0$, then M is an invariant submanifold.
- (c) If $d_1 = 0$ and $\theta \neq 0$, then M is a proper slant submanifold with slant angle θ .
- (d) If $d_1 \neq 0$ and $\theta = 0$, then M is a semi invariant submanifold.

Let M be a pseudo-slant submanifold of a Generalised almost contact metric structure manifold \overline{M} . Then, for any $X \in TM$, we write

$$X = P_1 X + P_2 X + \eta(X)\xi \quad (20)$$

where P_i denotes the projection map on the distribution D_i , $i = 1, 2$.

Now operating on both sides of the equ. (20), we obtain

$$\phi X = NP_1 X + TP_2 X + NP_2 X, \quad (21)$$

because

$$\phi P_1 X = NP_1 X, \quad TP_1 X = 0. \quad (22)$$

It is easy to see that

$$TX = TP_2 X + NX = NP_1 X + NP_2 X \quad (23)$$

and

$$TP_2 X \in D_2. \quad (24)$$

Since D_2 is slant distribution, by theorem (3.2)

$$T^2 X = a^2 \cos^2 \theta X, \quad \forall X \in D_2. \quad (25)$$

Now we have the following theorem.

Theorem (4.2) : Let M be a submanifold of a Generalised almost contact metric structure manifold \overline{M} , such that $\xi \in TM$. Then M is a pseudo-slant submanifold is and only if there exists a constant $\lambda \in (0, 1]$, such that

- (i) $D = \{X \in TM | T^2X = a^2\lambda X\}$ is a distribution on M .
- (ii) For any $X \in TM$, orthogonal to D , $TX = 0$.

Furthermore, in this case, $\lambda = \cos^2\theta$ where θ denotes the slant angle of D .

Proof : Putting $\lambda = \cos^2\theta$, it is obvious that for any $X \in D$, $T^2X = a^2\cos^2\theta X$ therefore $D = D_2$ from equ. (25).

Thus D is a distribution on M .

Also for any $X \in TM$, orthogonal to D , we have

$$\phi X \in T^\perp M \text{ and } \phi\xi = 0, \text{ i.e. } TX = 0.$$

Hence the condition is necessary.

Conversely, consider the orthogonal direct decomposition $TM = D \oplus D^\perp \oplus \langle \xi \rangle$, then by (i) and theorem (3.2), we find D is a slant distribution. From (ii) it is evident that D^\perp is an anti-invariant distribution.

Therefore M is a pseudo-slant submanifold, hence the theorem.

In the following paragraph, we discuss on the integrability conditions of the distributions involved in a pseudo-slant submanifolds of \overline{M} .

If μ be the invariant subspace of $T^\perp M$, then in case of pseudo-slant submanifold, consider the direct decomposition of $T^\perp M$ as

$$T^\perp M = \mu \oplus ND_1 \oplus ND_2 \quad (26)$$

Since D_1 and D_2 are orthogonal, therefore $g(Z, X) = 0, \forall X \in D_1, Z \in D_2$

This implies that $g(NZ, NX) = g(\phi Z, \phi X) = 0$ $\&$ $g(TZ, NX) = 0$.

Therefore (26) gives orthogonal direct decomposition of $T^\perp M$.

First, we prove some important lemmas.

Lemma (4.1) : $A_{\phi X}Y = A_{\phi Y}X$, if and only if

$$g((\overline{\nabla}_z\phi)X, Y) = 0, \quad \forall X, Y \in D_1, Z \in TM.$$

Proof : Let $X, Y \in D_1$ and $Z \in TM$, then

$$\begin{aligned}
 g(A_{\phi Y}X, Z) &= g(h(X, Z), \phi Y) \\
 &= g(h(Z, X), \phi Y) = g(\bar{\nabla}_Z X - \nabla_Z X, \phi Y) = g(\bar{\nabla}_Z X, \phi Y) = -g(\phi(\bar{\nabla}_Z X), Y) \\
 &= -g(\bar{\nabla}_Z(\phi X) - (\bar{\nabla}_Z \phi)X, Y) = -g(-A_{\phi X}Z + \nabla_Z^\perp \phi X, Y) + g((\bar{\nabla}_Z \phi)X, Y) \\
 &= g(A_{\phi X}Z, Y) + g((\bar{\nabla}_Z \phi)X, Y) = g(A_{\phi X}Y, Z) + g((\bar{\nabla}_Z \phi)X, Y) \quad (27)
 \end{aligned}$$

By (27), we have the lemma.

Lemma (4.2) : $[X, \xi] \in D_1$ if and only if

$$g((\nabla_X \phi)\xi, Z) = g((\nabla_\xi \phi)X, Z), \quad \forall X \in D_1, Z \in D_2.$$

Proof : For any $X \in D_1$ and $Z \in D_2$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 g([X, \xi], TZ) &= g(\bar{\nabla}_X \xi - \bar{\nabla}_\xi X, TZ) \\
 &= g(\nabla_X \xi - \nabla_\xi X, \phi Z) = -g(\phi(\nabla_X \xi - \nabla_\xi X), Z) \text{ using equ. (8)} \\
 &= g((\nabla_X \phi)\xi + \nabla_\xi(\phi X) - (\nabla_\xi \phi)X, Z) = g((\nabla_X \phi)\xi - (\nabla_\xi \phi)X, Z).
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence the lemma is followed by last equation.

Lemma (4.3) : For any $X, Y \in D_1 \oplus D_2$, $[X, Y] \in D_1 \oplus D_2$, if and only if

$$g(\phi Y, (\bar{\nabla}_X \phi)\xi) = g(\phi X, (\bar{\nabla}_Y \phi)\xi).$$

Proof : We have for any $X, Y \in D_1 \oplus D_2$,

$$g([X, Y], \xi) = g(\bar{\nabla}_X Y - \bar{\nabla}_Y X, \xi). \quad (28)$$

Now

$$g(Y, \xi) = 0 \Rightarrow g(\bar{\nabla}_X Y, \xi) = -g(Y, \bar{\nabla}_X \xi) \quad (29)$$

and $g(\phi Y, \phi Z) = -a^2 g(Y, Z) \quad \forall Z \in \overline{TM}$.

Replacing Z by $\bar{\nabla}_X \xi$ in the last equ., we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 g(Y, \bar{\nabla}_X \xi) &= -\frac{1}{a^2} g(\phi Y, \phi(\bar{\nabla}_X \xi)) \\
 &= \frac{1}{a^2} g(\phi Y, (\bar{\nabla}_X \phi)\xi), \quad (30)
 \end{aligned}$$

making the use of (29) and (30) in (28), we obtain

$$g([X, Y], \xi) = \frac{1}{a^2} [g(\phi X, (\bar{\nabla}_Y \phi)\xi) - g(\phi Y, (\bar{\nabla}_X \phi)\xi)],$$

but $[X, Y] \in D_1 \oplus D_2$, if and only if $g([X, Y], \xi) = 0$.

Hence the lemma follows from last equation.

For any $X, Y \in D_1$ and $Z \in TM$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 g([X, Y], TP_2Z) &= -g(\phi[X, Y], P_2Z) = -g(\phi(\bar{\nabla}_X Y - \bar{\nabla}_Y X), P_2Z) \\
 &= -g(\bar{\nabla}_X(\phi Y) - (\bar{\nabla}_X \phi)Y - \bar{\nabla}_Y(\phi X) + (\bar{\nabla}_Y \phi)X, P_2Z) \\
 &= -g(-A_{\phi Y}X + \nabla_X^\perp(\phi Y) + A_{\phi X}Y - \nabla_Y^\perp(\phi X) - (\bar{\nabla}_X \phi)Y + (\bar{\nabla}_Y \phi)X, P_2Z), \\
 &\quad \text{using (27)} \\
 &= g((\bar{\nabla}_X \phi)Y - (\bar{\nabla}_Y \phi)X, P_2Z) + g(\bar{\nabla}_{P_2Z} \phi)X, Y), \quad (31)
 \end{aligned}$$

Since, $[X, Y] \in D_1$ if and only if $g([X, Y], TP_2Z) = 0$.

Thus, the required integrability conditions are obtained from (31) and lemma (4.1).

Similarly, for the distribution $D_1 \oplus \langle \xi \rangle$, the integrability conditions are obtained from (31) and lemma (4.2).

Now, for any $X, Y \in D_2$ and $Z \in D_1$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 g(\phi[X, Y], \phi Z) &= -a^2 g([X, Y], Z) \\
 \Rightarrow a^2 g([X, Y], Z) &= -g(\phi[X, Y], NZ) = -g(\bar{\nabla}_X(\phi Y) - \bar{\nabla}_Y(\phi X) - (\bar{\nabla}_X \phi)Y \\
 &\quad + (\bar{\nabla}_Y \phi)X, NZ) \\
 &= g(h(Y, TX) - h(X, TY) + \nabla_Y^\perp NX - \nabla_X^\perp NY + (\bar{\nabla}_X \phi)Y - (\bar{\nabla}_Y \phi)X, NZ). \quad (32)
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, the integrability of the slant distribution D_2 is obtained from lemma (4.3), and the fact that ND_1 and ND_2 are orthogonal in the equ. (32).

In similar manner we easily find the integrability conditions for the distribution $D_2 \oplus \langle \xi \rangle$.

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