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# On Contact CR-Lightlike Submanifolds of Indefinite Sasakian Manifolds

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**Abstract.** In the present paper we obtain a condition for an invariant lightlike submanifold of indefinite Sasakian space form to be of constant  $\phi$ -sectional curvature. Then, we study contact CR-lightlike submanifolds of  $(\epsilon)$ -Sasakian manifolds extensively and concluded with the study of totally contact umbilical contact CR-lightlike submanifolds.

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#### 1. Introduction

Cauchy Riemann (CR) submanifolds of Kaehlerian manifolds with Riemannian metric were introduced by Bejancu in 1978, [2]. Then, contact CR-submanifolds of Sasakian manifolds with definite metric were introduced and studied by Yano-Kon in 1982, [9]. Recently, Duggal-Sahin [6] introduced the theory of contact CR-lightlike submanifolds of indefinite Sasakian manifolds and studied the integrability conditions of their distributions and investigated the geometry of leaves of the distributions involved in the induced contact CR-structure. They also studied geometric conditions for an irrotational contact CR-lightlike submanifold of an indefinite Sasakian manifold to be a contact CR-lightlike product. Contact

geometry has a significant role in optics, phase spaces of a dynamical system and many more, see [1, 8]. So, we study geometry of contact submanifolds, in particular, contact CR-lightlike submanifolds of indefinite Sasakian manifolds.

### 2. Lightlike Submanifolds

We recall notations and fundamental equations for lightlike submanifolds, which are due to the book [5] by Duggal-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

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

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  $\operatorname{Rad}(T_xM) = T_xM \cap T_xM^{\perp}$  which is known as radical (null) subspace. If the mapping

$$\operatorname{Rad}(TM): x \in M \longrightarrow \operatorname{Rad}(T_xM),$$

defines a smooth distribution on M of rank r > 0 then the submanifold M of  $\bar{M}$  is called r-lightlike submanifold and  $\mathrm{Rad}(TM)$  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,

$$TM = \operatorname{Rad}(TM) \perp S(TM),\tag{1}$$

 $S(TM^{\perp})$  is a complementary vector subbundle to  $\operatorname{Rad}(TM)$  in  $TM^{\perp}$ . Let  $\operatorname{tr}(TM)$  and  $\operatorname{ltr}(TM)$  be complementary (but not orthogonal) vector bundles to TM in  $T\bar{M}\mid_{M}$  and to  $\operatorname{Rad}(TM)$  in  $S(TM^{\perp})^{\perp}$  respectively. Then, we have

$$tr(TM) = ltr(TM) \perp S(TM^{\perp}), \tag{2}$$

$$T\bar{M}\mid_{M} = TM \oplus \operatorname{tr}(TM) = (\operatorname{Rad}(TM) \oplus \operatorname{ltr}(TM)) \perp S(TM) \perp S(TM^{\perp}).$$
 (3)

Let u be a local coordinate neighborhood of M and consider the local quasiorthonormal fields of frames of M along M, on u as

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

where  $\{\xi_1,\ldots,\xi_r\}$ ,  $\{N_1,\ldots,N_r\}$  are local lightlike bases of  $\Gamma(\operatorname{Rad}(TM)\mid_u)$ ,  $\Gamma(\operatorname{ltr}(TM)\mid_u)$  and  $\{W_{r+1},\ldots,W_n\}$ ,  $\{X_{r+1},\ldots,X_m\}$  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.** [5] 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 Rad(TM) in  $S(TM^{\perp})^{\perp}$  and a basis of  $\Gamma(ltr(TM)|_{\mathbf{u}})$  consisting of smooth section  $\{N_i\}$  of  $S(TM^{\perp})^{\perp}|_{\mathbf{u}}$ , where  $\mathbf{u}$  is a coordinate neighborhood of M, such that

$$\bar{g}(N_i, \xi_j) = \delta_{ij}, \quad \bar{g}(N_i, N_j) = 0,$$

$$(4)$$

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

Let  $\bar{\nabla}$  be the Levi-Civita connection on  $\bar{M}$ . Then, according to decomposition (3), the Gauss and Weingarten formulas are given by

$$\bar{\nabla}_X Y = \nabla_X Y + h(X, Y), \ \forall X, Y \in \Gamma(TM), \tag{5}$$

$$\bar{\nabla}_X U = -A_U X + \nabla_X^{\perp} U, \ \forall X \in \Gamma(TM), U \in \Gamma(\operatorname{tr}(TM)), \tag{6}$$

where  $\{\nabla_X Y, A_U X\}$  and  $\{h(X,Y), \nabla_X^{\perp} U\}$  belongs to  $\Gamma(TM)$  and  $\Gamma(\operatorname{tr}(TM))$ , 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,  $A_V$  is a linear operator on M, known as shape operator.

According to (2), considering the projection morphisms L and S of tr(TM) on ltr(TM) and  $S(TM^{\perp})$ , respectively, (5) and (6) give

$$\bar{\nabla}_X Y = \nabla_X Y + h^l(X, Y) + h^s(X, Y), \tag{7}$$

$$\bar{\nabla}_X U = -A_U X + D_X^l U + D_X^s U, \tag{8}$$

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

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

$$\bar{\nabla}_X N = -A_N X + \nabla_Y^l N + D^s(X, N), \tag{9}$$

$$\bar{\nabla}_X W = -A_W X + \nabla_X^s W + D^l(X, W), \tag{10}$$

where  $X \in \Gamma(TM), N \in \Gamma(\operatorname{ltr}(TM))$  and  $W \in \Gamma(S(TM^{\perp}))$ .

Using (2)-(3) and (7)-(10), we obtain

$$\bar{g}(h^s(X,Y),W) + \bar{g}(Y,D^l(X,W)) = g(A_WX,Y),$$
 (11)

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

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

$$\bar{g}(A_N X, \bar{P}Y) = \bar{g}(N, \bar{\nabla}_X \bar{P}Y), \tag{12}$$

for any  $\xi \in \Gamma(\text{Rad}(TM))$ ,  $W \in \Gamma(S(TM^{\perp}))$  and  $N, N' \in \Gamma(\text{ltr}(TM))$ .  $\bar{P}$  is a projection of TM on S(TM).

Now, we consider decomposition (1), we can write

$$\nabla_X \bar{P}Y = \nabla_X^* \bar{P}Y + h^*(X, \bar{P}Y), \tag{13}$$

$$\nabla_X \xi = -A_{\varepsilon}^* X + \nabla_X^{*\perp} \xi, \tag{14}$$

for any  $X,Y \in \Gamma(TM)$  and  $\xi \in \Gamma(\operatorname{Rad}(TM))$ , where  $\{\nabla_X^* \bar{P}Y, A_{\xi}^* X\}$  and  $\{h^*(X, \bar{P}Y), \nabla_X^{*\perp} \xi\}$  belong to  $\Gamma(S(TM))$  and  $\Gamma(\operatorname{Rad}(TM))$ , respectively. Here  $\nabla^*$  and  $\nabla_X^{*\perp}$  are linear connections on S(TM) and  $\operatorname{Rad}(TM)$  respectively. By using (7)-(8) and (13)-(14), we obtain

$$\bar{g}(h^l(X, \bar{P}Y), \xi) = g(A_{\xi}^* X, \bar{P}Y),$$

$$\bar{g}(h^*(X, \bar{P}Y), N) = \bar{g}(A_N X, \bar{P}Y). \tag{15}$$

# 3. Invariant Lightlike Submanifolds

Let  $\bar{M}$  be a real (2n+1)-dimensional differentiable manifold endowed with an almost contact structure  $(\phi, \eta, V)$ , where  $\phi$  is a tensor field of type (1,1),  $\eta$  is a 1-form and V is a characteristic vector field on M, such that

$$\phi^{2}(X) = -X + \eta(X)V; \qquad \eta(V) = 1.$$
 (16)

It follows that

$$\eta(\phi(X)) = 0; \qquad \phi(V) = 0; \qquad \operatorname{rank}\phi = 2n, \tag{17}$$

then  $\bar{M}$  is called an almost contact manifold. If there exists a semi-Riemannian metric  $\bar{g}$  satisfying

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

where  $\epsilon \pm 1$ , then  $(\phi, \eta, V, \bar{g})$  is called an  $(\epsilon)$ -almost contact metric structure and  $\bar{M}$  is called an  $(\epsilon)$ -almost contact manifold [4, 7]. Here

$$\eta(X) = \epsilon \bar{g}(X, V); \qquad \epsilon = \bar{g}(V, V).$$
(18)

If  $d\phi(X,Y) = \bar{g}(X,\phi Y)$ , then  $\bar{M}$  is said to have  $(\epsilon)$ -contact Riemannian structure  $(\phi,V,\eta,\bar{g})$ . If, moreover, this structure is normal then it is known an  $(\epsilon)$ -Sasakian structure and  $\bar{M}$  is known an  $(\epsilon)$ -Sasakian manifold. Also, an  $(\epsilon)$ -almost contact metric structure is  $(\epsilon)$ -Sasakian, if and only if,

$$(\bar{\nabla}_X \phi) Y = -\bar{q}(X, Y) V + \epsilon \eta(Y) X, \tag{19}$$

$$\bar{\nabla}_X V = \phi X. \tag{20}$$

Let  $(M, g, S(TM), S(TM^{\perp}))$  be a lightlike submanifold of  $(\overline{M}, \overline{g})$ . For any vector field X tangent to M, we put

$$\phi X = PX + FX,\tag{21}$$

where PX and FX are the tangential and transversal components of  $\phi X$ , respectively. Therefore, (17) implies that PV = 0 and FV = 0.

Let M be tangent to structure vector field V, then  $V \in \Gamma(S(TM))$ , [3]. It follows that M is invariant in  $\overline{M}$  if  $\phi X \in \Gamma(TM)$ , that is,  $\phi X = PX$ , for all  $X \in \Gamma(TM)$ . For any  $\lambda \in \Gamma(\operatorname{tr}(TM))$ , we put

$$\phi \lambda = t\lambda + f\lambda$$

where  $t\lambda$  and  $f\lambda$  are the tangential and transversal components of  $\phi\lambda$ , respectively. Clearly, M tangent to the structure vector field V is invariant in  $\bar{M}$  if  $\phi\lambda=f\lambda$ . Therefore, if M is an invariant submanifold of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$  then F=0 and t=0. For any vector fields  $\lambda,\dot{\lambda}\in \Gamma(\operatorname{tr}(TM))$ , we have  $\bar{g}(\phi\lambda,\dot{\lambda})=\bar{g}(f\lambda,\dot{\lambda})$ , this implies  $\bar{g}(f\lambda,\dot{\lambda})$  is skew-symmetric. Also, for any  $X\in\Gamma(TM)$ , we have

$$\bar{g}(FX,\lambda) + g(X,t\lambda) = 0.$$

Define covariant derivatives of P, t, F and f, respectively as

$$(\nabla_X P)Y = \nabla_X (PY) - P(\nabla_X Y), \tag{22}$$

$$(\nabla_X t)\lambda = \nabla_X (t\lambda) - t(\nabla_X^{\perp} \lambda),$$

$$(\nabla_X F)Y = \nabla_X^{\perp} (FY) - F(\nabla_X Y),$$

$$(\nabla_X f)\lambda = \nabla_X^{\perp} (f\lambda) - f(\nabla_X^{\perp} \lambda).$$
(23)

From (19), we have

$$\begin{split} -\bar{g}(X,Y)V + \epsilon \eta(Y)X &= \bar{\nabla}_X(\phi Y) - \phi(\bar{\nabla}_X Y) \\ &= \nabla_X(PY) + h(X,PY) - A_{FY}X + \nabla_X^{\perp}(FY) \\ &- P(\nabla_X Y) - F(\nabla_X Y) - th(X,Y) - fh(X,Y). \end{split}$$

Use (22) and (23), then compare the tangential and transversal components, we get

$$(\nabla_X P)Y = -q(X, Y)V + \epsilon \eta(Y)X + A_{FY}X + th(X, Y), \tag{24}$$

$$(\nabla_X F)Y = -h(X, PY) + fh(X, Y). \tag{25}$$

Similarly, we can obtain

$$(\nabla_X t)\lambda = A_{f\lambda} X - P A_{\lambda} X,$$

$$(\nabla_X f)\lambda = -F A_{\lambda} X - h(X, t\lambda).$$
(26)

**Lemma 3.1.** Let M be an invariant lightlike submanifold of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$ . Then,

$$h^{l}(X, V) = 0,$$
  $h^{s}(X, V) = 0,$   $A_{N}V = 0,$   $A_{W}V = 0,$  
$$\phi h(X, Y) = h(\phi X, Y) = h(X, \phi Y). \tag{27}$$

*Proof.* For an invariant lightlike submanifold, (7) and (20) give

$$\nabla_X V = PX, \qquad h^l(X, V) = 0, \qquad h^s(X, V) = 0.$$
 (28)

Let  $N \in \Gamma(\operatorname{ltr}(TM))$ , then  $\bar{g}(N, \phi X) = \bar{g}(N, \bar{\nabla}_X V)$ . Since M is tangent to the structure vector field V and  $\bar{\nabla}$  is metric connection, we have  $\bar{g}(\bar{\nabla}_X N, V) + \bar{g}(N, \bar{\nabla}_X V) = 0$ , therefore

$$\bar{g}(N,\phi X) = -\bar{g}(\bar{\nabla}_X N, V) = \bar{g}(A_N X, V). \tag{29}$$

Using (7), we also have

$$\bar{g}(N, \phi X) = \bar{g}(N, \nabla_X V) + \bar{g}(N, h^l(X, V)). \tag{30}$$

Therefore, from (29) and (30), we obtain

$$\bar{g}(A_N X, V) = \bar{g}(N, \nabla_X V) + \bar{g}(N, h^l(X, V)). \tag{31}$$

Using (28) in (31), we get

$$\bar{g}(A_N X, V) = \bar{g}(N, PX). \tag{32}$$

Replace X by V and use V being a non-null vector field then we get

$$A_N V = 0.$$

Similarly, let  $W \in \Gamma(S(TM^{\perp}))$ , then we have

$$\bar{g}(W, \phi X) = \bar{g}(A_W X, V), \tag{33}$$

and

$$\bar{g}(W, \phi X) = \bar{g}(W, h^s(X, V)). \tag{34}$$

Therefore, from (33) and (34), we have

$$\bar{g}(A_W X, V) = \bar{g}(W, h^s(X, V)). \tag{35}$$

Using (28) in (35), we get

$$A_W X = 0,$$

in particular, we have

$$A_W V = 0. (36)$$

Since for an invariant lightlike submanifold, F = 0, therefore (25) implies (27).

The Screen distribution S(TM) is said to define the totally geodesic foliation in M, if and only if,  $\nabla_X Y \in \Gamma(S(TM))$ , for any  $X, Y \in \Gamma(S(TM))$ .

**Lemma 3.2.** Let M be an invariant lightlike submanifold of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\overline{M}$  such that the screen distribution defines the totally geodesic foliation in M. Then,

$$\phi A_N X = -A_N \phi X = A_{\phi N} X, \tag{37}$$

$$\phi A_W X = -A_W \phi X = A_{\phi W} X. \tag{38}$$

Proof. Replace X by  $\phi X$  in (31) and using the hypothesis, we get  $\bar{g}(A_N \phi X, V) = -\bar{g}(A_{\phi N}X, V)$ . Moreover, for invariant lightlike submanifolds t = 0, therefore (37) follows from (26) with above equation, by using the non-degeneracy of vector field V.

Similarly, we can obtain (38), replacing X by  $\phi X$  in (35).

**Theorem 3.3.** Let  $(M, g, S(TM), S(TM^{\perp}))$  be an invariant lightlike submanifold of an indefinite Sasakian space form  $\overline{M}(c)$ . Then, M is of constant  $\phi$ -sectional curvature c if M is totally geodesic.

*Proof.* Denote by  $\bar{R}$  and R the curvature tensors of  $\bar{\nabla}$  and  $\nabla$ , respectively, then by straightforward calculations [5], we have

$$\bar{R}(X,Y)Z = R(X,Y)Z + A_{h^l(X,Z)}Y - A_{h^l(Y,Z)}X + A_{h^s(X,Z)}Y 
- A_{h^s(Y,Z)}X + (\nabla_X h^l)(Y,Z) - (\nabla_Y h^l)(X,Z) + (\nabla_X h^s)(Y,Z) 
- (\nabla_Y h^s)(X,Z) + D^l(X,h^s(Y,Z)) - D^l(Y,h^s(X,Z)) 
+ D^s(X,h^l(Y,Z)) - D^s(Y,h^l(X,Z)).$$
(39)

The Gauss equation is

$$\bar{R}(X,Y)Z = R(X,Y)Z + A_{h^l(X,Z)}Y - A_{h^l(Y,Z)}X + A_{h^s(X,Z)}Y - A_{h^s(Y,Z)}X,$$
(40)

then using (16), (18), (27), (36), (37), and (38), we have

$$\bar{g}(\bar{R}(X,\phi X)\phi X,X) = g(R(X,\phi X)\phi X,X) + 2\bar{g}(A_{h^l(X,X)}X,X)$$

$$-2\epsilon \eta(A_{h^l(X,X)}X)\eta(X).$$

$$(41)$$

Further using (32), we have

$$\bar{g}(\bar{R}(X,\phi X)\phi X,X) = g(R(X,\phi X)\phi X,X) + 2\bar{g}(A_{h^l(X,X)}X,X) - 2\bar{g}(h^l(X,X),PX)\eta(X). \tag{42}$$

Hence, the proof follows from the above equation.

## 4. Contact CR-lightlike submanifolds

**Definition 4.1.** [6] Let  $(M, g, S(TM), S(TM^{\perp}))$  be a lightlike submanifold, tangent to the structure vector field V, immersed in an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $(\bar{M}, \bar{g})$ . Then, M is a contact CR-lightlike submanifold of  $\bar{M}$  if the following conditions are satisfied:

- (i)  $\operatorname{Rad}(TM)$  is a distribution on M such that  $\operatorname{Rad}(TM) \cap \phi(\operatorname{Rad}(TM)) = \{0\},\$
- (ii) there exist vector bundles  $D_0$  and D' over M such that

$$S(TM) = \{\phi(\text{Rad}(TM)) \oplus D'\} \perp D_0 \perp \{V\},$$
  
$$\phi D_0 = D_0, \qquad \phi D' = L_1 \perp \text{ltr}(TM),$$

where  $D_0$  is nondegenerate and  $L_1$  is a vector subbundle of  $S(TM^{\perp})$ . Therefore we have

$$TM = D \oplus \{V\} \oplus D',$$
  

$$D = \text{Rad}(TM) \perp \phi(\text{Rad}(TM)) \perp D_0.$$
(43)

A contact CR-lightlike submanifold is said to be proper if  $D_0 \neq \{0\}$  and  $L_1 \neq \{0\}$ . If  $D_0 = \{0\}$ , then M is said to be a totally real lightlike submanifold.

**Example 4.2.** [6] Let M be a lightlike hypersurface of  $\overline{M}$ , then for  $\xi \in \Gamma(\operatorname{Rad}(TM))$ , we have  $\overline{g}(\phi\xi,\xi)=0$ . Hence  $\phi\xi\in\Gamma(TM)$ . Thus, we get a rank-1 distribution  $\phi(TM^{\perp})$  on M such that  $\phi(TM^{\perp})\cap TM^{\perp}=\{0\}$  and  $\phi(TM^{\perp})\in S(TM)$ . Now, let  $N\in\Gamma(\operatorname{ltr}(TM))$  such that  $\overline{g}(\phi N,\xi)=-\overline{g}(N,\phi\xi)=0$  and  $\overline{g}(\phi N,N)=0$ . Thus,  $\phi N\in\Gamma(S(TM))$ . Let  $D'=\phi(\operatorname{tr}(TM))$ , we obtain  $S(TM)=\{\phi(TM^{\perp})\oplus D'\}\perp D_0$ , where  $D_0$  is a nondegenerate distribution and  $\phi D'=\operatorname{tr}(TM)$ . Hence, M is a contact CR-lightlike hypersurface.

Using (16), we have

$$P^2 = -I - tF + \eta \otimes V, \tag{44}$$

$$FP + fF = 0,$$

$$f^2 = -I - Ft, (45)$$

$$Pt + tf = 0.$$

**Lemma 4.3.** In a contact CR-lightlike submanifold M of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\overline{M}$ , in order to a vector field X tangent to M belongs to  $D \oplus \{V\}$ , it is necessary and sufficient that FX = 0.

*Proof.* The proof follows from (21).

**Theorem 4.4.** In a contact CR-lightlike submanifold M of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$ , the distribution  $D \oplus \{V\}$  has an almost contact metric structure  $(P, V, \eta, g)$  and hence the dimension of D is even.

*Proof.* From (44), we have

$$P^2X = -X - tFX + \eta(X)V.$$

Let  $X, Y \in \Gamma(D \oplus \{V\})$ , then we obtain

$$P^2X = -X + \eta(X)V.$$

Since PV = 0 and  $g(PX, PY) = \bar{g}(\phi X, \phi Y) = g(X, Y) - \epsilon \eta(X) \eta(Y)$ , then  $D \oplus \{V\}$  has an almost contact metric structure  $(P, V, \eta, g)$ .

Define the orthogonal complement subbundle to the vector subbundle  $L_1$  in  $S(TM^{\perp})$  by  $L_1^{\perp}$ . Therefore

$$\operatorname{tr}(TM) = \phi D' \oplus L_1^{\perp},$$

so put

$$\phi W = BW + CW, \quad \forall \, W \in \Gamma(S(TM^{\perp})),$$

where  $BW \in \Gamma(\phi L_1)$  and  $CW \in \Gamma(L_1^{\perp})$ .

**Theorem 4.5.** For a contact CR-lightlike submanifold M of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$ , the subbundle  $L_1^{\perp}$  has an almost complex structure f and hence the dimension of  $L_1^{\perp}$  is even.

*Proof.* For any  $\lambda \in \Gamma(L_1^{\perp})$ , from (45) we have  $f^2\lambda = -\lambda - Ft\lambda$ , this implies  $f^2\lambda = -\lambda$ , which completes the proof.

**Lemma 4.6.** In a contact CR-lightlike submanifold M of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$ ,  $\nabla_X V \in \Gamma(S(TM))$  for any  $X \in D_0$ .

*Proof.* Let  $N \in \Gamma(\operatorname{ltr}(TM))$  then  $\bar{g}(\nabla_X V, N) = \bar{g}(\bar{\nabla}_X V, N) = \bar{g}(\phi X, N) = 0$ . Hence, from (4) the result follows.

**Theorem 4.7.** In a contact CR-lightlike submanifold M of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$ , the distribution  $D_0$  has K-contact metric structure  $(P, V, \eta, g)$ .

*Proof.* Use (6) and (19) for any  $X \in \Gamma(TM)$  and  $Z \in \Gamma(D')$ , we have

$$\phi(\nabla_X Z + h(X, Z)) = -A_{\phi Z} X + \nabla_X^{\perp} \phi Z + g(X, Z) V. \tag{46}$$

Let  $Y \in \Gamma(D_0 \perp \{V\})$ , then we have

$$\bar{g}(\nabla_X Z, \phi Y) = \bar{g}(A_{\phi Z} X, Y) - \epsilon g(X, Z) \eta(Y).$$

Therefore, in particular, for  $X \in \Gamma(D_0)$  and Y = V, we have

$$\bar{g}(A_{\phi Z}X, V) = 0. \tag{47}$$

Since  $\phi D' = L_1 \perp \operatorname{ltr}(TM)$  therefore using (47) in (31) and (35) with Lemma 4.6, we have  $\bar{g}(h^l(X, V), \phi Z) = 0$  and  $\bar{g}(h^s(X, V), \phi Z) = 0$ .

Let  $U \in \Gamma(L_1^{\perp})$  and  $X \in \Gamma(D_0)$ , then

$$\bar{g}(h^l(X, V), U) = 0,$$

and

$$\bar{g}(h^s(X, V), U) = \bar{g}(\bar{\nabla}_X V - \nabla_X V - h^l(X, V), U) = \bar{g}(\phi X, U) = \bar{g}(X, U) = 0.$$

Thus, we have  $h^l(X, V) = 0$ ,  $h^s(X, V) = 0$  for any  $X \in \Gamma(D_0)$ . Since for any  $X \in \Gamma(D_0)$ , we have  $\nabla_X V = \nabla_X V + h^l(X, V) + h^l(X, V)$ , therefore,  $\nabla_X V = \nabla_X V$  or  $PX = \nabla_X V$ . Thus, with Theorem 4.4, the proof follows.

**Lemma 4.8.** For any  $\lambda \in \Gamma(\operatorname{tr}(TM))$ , if  $t\lambda = 0$  then  $\lambda \in \Gamma(L_1^{\perp})$ .

*Proof.* For any  $\lambda \in \Gamma(\operatorname{tr}(TM))$ , put  $\phi \lambda = t\lambda + f\lambda$  and let  $t\lambda = 0$ . Then, for any  $X \in \Gamma(D')$ , we have  $\bar{g}(\phi X, \lambda) = -\bar{g}(X, \phi \lambda) = -\bar{g}(X, f\lambda) = 0$ . This implies that  $\lambda \in \Gamma(L_1^{\perp})$ .

**Theorem 4.9.** In a contact CR-lightlike submanifold M of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$ , the almost contact structure  $(P, V, \eta, g)$  is Sasakian, if and only if, th(X,Y) = 0 for any  $X, Y \in \Gamma(D)$  or, if and only if,  $h(X,Y) \in \Gamma(L_{\perp}^{\perp})$ .

*Proof.* By virtue of the above lemma and (24), the proof follows.

In [6], Duggal and Sahin studied the integrability of distributions of contact CR-lightlike submanifolds of indefinite Sasakian manifolds and proved

**Theorem 4.10.** Let M be a contact CR-lightlike submanifold of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\overline{M}$ . Then, D and  $D' \oplus D$  are not integrable.

**Theorem 4.11.** Let M be a contact CR-lightlike submanifold of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$ . Then,  $D \oplus \{V\}$  is integrable, if and only if,  $h(X, \phi Y) = h(\phi X, Y)$ , for any  $X, Y \in \Gamma(D \oplus \{V\})$ .

Next, we discuss the integrability of the distribution D'.

**Lemma 4.12.** For any  $X, Z \in \Gamma(D')$ ,  $\nabla_X^{\perp} \phi Z - \nabla_Z^{\perp} \phi X \in \Gamma(\phi D')$ .

*Proof.* Let  $U \in \Gamma(L_1^{\perp})$ . Then

$$\bar{g}(\nabla_X^{\perp}\phi Z - \nabla_Z^{\perp}\phi X, U) = \bar{g}(\bar{\nabla}_X\phi Z - \bar{\nabla}_Z\phi X, U) 
= \bar{g}((\bar{\nabla}_X\phi)Z + \phi\bar{\nabla}_X Z - (\bar{\nabla}_Z\phi)X - \phi\bar{\nabla}_Z X, U) 
= \bar{g}(\phi(\bar{\nabla}_X Z - \bar{\nabla}_Z X) + (\bar{\nabla}_X\phi)Z - (\bar{\nabla}_Z\phi)X, U).$$
(48)

From (19), for any  $X, Z \in \Gamma(D')$ , we have  $(\bar{\nabla}_X \phi)Z = -g(X, Z)V$  then using the symmetric property of the second fundamental form, the above equation gives

$$\begin{split} \bar{g}(\nabla_X^{\perp}\phi Z - \nabla_Z^{\perp}\phi X, U) &= -\bar{g}(\bar{\nabla}_X Z - \bar{\nabla}_Z X, \phi U) \\ &= -\bar{g}(\nabla_X Z - \nabla_Z X, \phi U) = 0. \end{split}$$

Therefore,  $\nabla_X^{\perp} \phi Z - \nabla_Z^{\perp} \phi X \in \Gamma(\phi D')$ .

**Theorem 4.13.** In a contact CR-lightlike submanifold M of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$ , the distribution D' is integrable.

*Proof.* Since  $\nabla$  is torsion free then for any  $X, Z \in \Gamma(D')$ , from (46), we have

$$\phi([X,Z]) = A_{\phi X}Z - A_{\phi Z}X + \nabla_X^{\perp}\phi Z - \nabla_Z^{\perp}\phi X. \tag{49}$$

For any  $Y \in \Gamma(D')$ , (46) gives  $\bar{g}(A_{\phi Z}X^*, Y) = \bar{g}(\bar{\nabla}_{X^*}Z, \phi Y)$ , for any  $X^* \in \Gamma(TM)$ ,  $Z \in \Gamma(D')$ . Then, particularly from (12), we obtain

$$\bar{g}(A_{\phi Z}X^{\star}, Y) = \bar{g}(A_{\phi Y}X^{\star}, Z). \tag{50}$$

For any  $\bar{P}X \in \Gamma(S(TM))$ , (15) gives

$$\bar{g}(h^*(\bar{P}X,\bar{P}Y),N) = \bar{g}(A_N\bar{P}X,\bar{P}Y),$$

since  $h^*$  is bilinear and symmetric, therefore

$$\bar{g}(A_N \bar{P}X, \bar{P}Y) = \bar{g}(\bar{P}X, A_N \bar{P}Y). \tag{51}$$

Choose, particularly  $X^* \in \Gamma(D_0)$ , then from (50) and (51), we obtain

$$\bar{g}(X^{\star}, A_{\phi Z}Y) = \bar{g}(X^{\star}, A_{\phi Y}Z),$$

then the non-degeneracy of  $D_0$  implies that

$$A_{\phi Z}Y = A_{\phi Y}Z,\tag{52}$$

for any  $Y, Z \in \Gamma(D')$ . Thus, from (49), (52) and Lemma 4.12, the proof follows.

## 5. Totally Contact Umbilical Contact CR-lightlike submanifolds

**Definition 5.1.** [10] If the second fundamental form h of a submanifold, tangent to the structure vector field V, of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\overline{M}$  is of the form

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

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

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

$$h^{l}(X,Y) = \{g(X,Y) - \eta(X)\eta(Y)\}\alpha_{L} + \eta(X)h^{l}(Y,V) + \eta(Y)h^{l}(X,V), \quad (53)$$

$$h^{s}(X,Y) = \{g(X,Y) - \eta(X)\eta(Y)\}\alpha_{s} + \eta(X)h^{s}(Y,V) + \eta(Y)h^{s}(X,V), \quad (54)$$

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

**Lemma 5.2.** [6] Let M be a totally contact umbilical proper contact CR-lightlike submanifold of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$ . Then,  $\alpha_L = 0$ .

The distribution D' is said to define totally geodesic foliation in M, if and only if,  $\nabla_X Y \in \Gamma(D')$ , for any  $X, Y \in \Gamma(D')$ .

**Theorem 5.3.** Let M be a totally contact umbilical proper contact CR-lightlike submanifold of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$  such that D' defines totally geodesic foliation in M. Then, M is totally contact geodesic or  $\alpha_s \in \Gamma(L_1^{\perp})$  or  $\dim D' = 1$ .

*Proof.* For any  $X, Y \in \Gamma(D')$ , from (53) and (54), we have

$$h^{l}(X,Y) = 0, \quad h^{s}(X,Y) = g(X,Y)\alpha_{s},$$
 (55)

then (7) implies

$$\bar{\nabla}_X Y = \nabla_X Y + g(X, Y)\alpha_s. \tag{56}$$

Use (55) in (11), we get

$$A_W X = \bar{q}(\alpha_s, W) X, \quad W \in \Gamma(S(TM^{\perp})),$$

then (10) implies

$$\bar{\nabla}_X W = -\bar{g}(\alpha_s, W)X + \nabla_X^s W + D^l(X, W). \tag{57}$$

Since  $Y \in \Gamma(D')$  so particularly let  $W = \phi Y \in \Gamma(L_1)$  then

$$\bar{\nabla}_X \phi Y = -\bar{g}(\alpha_s, \phi Y) X + \nabla_X^s \phi Y + D^l(X, \phi Y). \tag{58}$$

Since  $(\bar{\nabla}_X \phi)Y = \bar{\nabla}_X \phi Y - \phi \bar{\nabla}_X Y$ , then, from (19), we have

$$\bar{\nabla}_X \phi Y = \phi \bar{\nabla}_X Y - g(X, Y)V. \tag{59}$$

Use (56) and (59) in (58), we get

$$\phi \nabla_X Y + q(X,Y)\phi \alpha_s - q(X,Y)V = -\bar{q}(\alpha_s,\phi Y)X + \nabla_Y^s \phi Y + D^l(X,\phi Y).$$

Taking inner product with X and then use the hypothesis, we get

$$\bar{g}(\alpha_s, \phi Y)||X||^2 = g(X, Y)\bar{g}(\alpha_s, \phi X). \tag{60}$$

Change the role of X and Y, we get

$$\bar{g}(\alpha_s, \phi X)||Y||^2 = g(X, Y)\bar{g}(\alpha_s, \phi Y),$$

using (60) in the above equation, we get

$$\bar{g}(\alpha_s, \phi Y) = \frac{g(X, Y)^2}{||X||^2 ||Y||^2} \bar{g}(\alpha_s, \phi Y). \tag{61}$$

Then, possible solutions of equation (61) are  $\alpha_s = 0$  or  $\alpha_s \perp \phi Y$  or X||Y, which completes the proof.

**Lemma 5.4.** Let M be a totally contact umbilical contact CR-lightlike submanifold of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$ . Then,  $\nabla_X \phi W \in \Gamma(D')$  if  $\alpha_s \in \Gamma(L_1^\perp)$ ,  $W \in \Gamma(\phi D')$  and  $X \in \Gamma(D_0)$ .

*Proof.* Taking into account of (43), it is clear that  $\nabla_X \phi W \in \Gamma(D')$ , if and only if,  $\bar{g}(\nabla_X \phi W, N) = \bar{g}(\nabla_X \phi W, Y) = \bar{g}(\nabla_X \phi W, \phi N) = 0$ , for any  $N \in \Gamma(\operatorname{ltr}(TM)), Y \in \Gamma(D_0)$ .

Let  $X, Y \in \Gamma(D_0), W \in \Gamma(\phi D')$  then, from  $(\bar{\nabla}_X \phi)W = \bar{\nabla}_X \phi W - \phi \bar{\nabla}_X W$  and (19), we get  $\bar{\nabla}_X \phi W = \phi \bar{\nabla}_X W$ . Then,  $\bar{g}(\nabla_X \phi W, N) = \bar{g}(\bar{\nabla}_X \phi W, N) - \bar{g}(h^l(X, \phi W), N) = -\bar{g}(\bar{\nabla}_X W, \phi N)$ , by using (53). This further gives

$$\bar{q}(\nabla_X \phi W, N) = q(A_W X, \phi N) = 0,$$

by the use of (11) and (54).

Next, since  $Y \in \Gamma(D_0)$  so let  $\phi Y = Y' \in \Gamma(D_0)$ , then

$$g(\nabla_X \phi W, Y) = \bar{g}(\phi \bar{\nabla}_X W, Y) = -\bar{g}(\bar{\nabla}_X W, \phi Y)$$
  
=  $-\bar{g}(\bar{\nabla}_X W, Y') = \bar{g}(A_W X, Y') = \bar{g}(h^s(X, Y'), W),$  (62)

by using (11). Now, for  $X, Y \in \Gamma(D_0)$ , from (54), we have  $h^s(X, Y) = g(X, Y)\alpha_s$ , then (62) gives  $g(\nabla_X \phi W, Y) = g(X, Y')\bar{g}(\alpha_s, W)$ , since  $\alpha_s \in \Gamma(L_1^{\perp})$ . Therefore,  $\bar{g}(\nabla_X \phi W, Y) = 0$ .

Similarly, by using (11) and (54), finally, we can prove that  $\bar{g}(\nabla_X \phi W, \phi N) = 0$ . This completes the proof.

**Theorem 5.5.** Let M be a totally contact umbilical contact CR-lightlike submanifold of an indefinite Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$  and the lightlike transversal vector bundle is parallel with respect to  $\nabla^{\perp}$ . Then, M is totally real lightlike submanifold if  $\alpha_S \neq 0$  and  $\alpha_s \in \Gamma(L_1^{\perp})$ .

*Proof.* Here, for  $X, Y \in \Gamma(D_0), W \in \Gamma(\phi D')$ , we have

$$\begin{split} \bar{\nabla}_X \phi W &= \phi \bar{\nabla}_X W \\ \nabla_X \phi W + h(X, \phi W) &= -\phi A_W X + \phi \nabla_X^\perp W \end{split}$$

$$\nabla_X \phi W + g(X, \phi W) \alpha_s = -\phi \bar{g}(\alpha_s, W) X + \phi \nabla_X^{\perp} W$$
$$\nabla_X \phi W - g(\phi X, W) \alpha_s = \phi \nabla_X^{\perp} W,$$

this gives

$$\nabla_X \phi W = \phi \nabla_X^{\perp} W, \tag{63}$$

then, by using the above lemma with (63), we get  $\nabla_X^{\perp}W \in \Gamma(\phi D')$ . By hypothesis, the lightlike transversal vector bundle  $\operatorname{ltr}(TM)$  is parallel with respect to  $\nabla^{\perp}$  then, by [5, Theorem 2.3, p. 159],  $\nabla^{\perp}$  gives a metric connection on  $\operatorname{tr}(TM)$ . Then,  $\bar{g}(W, \nabla_X^{\perp} \alpha_s) = \bar{g}(\nabla_X^{\perp} W, \alpha_s)$ . But  $\nabla_X^{\perp} W \in \Gamma(\phi D')$ , then  $\bar{g}(W, \nabla_X^{\perp} \alpha_s) = 0$ . Hence for any  $X \in \Gamma(D_0)$ , we have  $\nabla_X^{\perp} \alpha_s \in \Gamma(L_1^{\perp})$ . Now, for  $X \in \Gamma(D_0)$ , we have

$$\bar{\nabla}_X \phi \alpha_s = \phi \bar{\nabla}_X \alpha_s. \tag{64}$$

Replace W by  $\alpha_s$  in (57), we get

$$\bar{\nabla}_X \alpha_s = -\bar{g}(\alpha_s, \alpha_s) X + \nabla_X^{\perp} \alpha_s. \tag{65}$$

Use (65) in (64), we get

$$\nabla_X^{\perp} \phi \alpha_s = -\bar{g}(\alpha_s, \alpha_s) \phi X + \phi \nabla_X^{\perp} \alpha_s. \tag{66}$$

Therefore, by hypothesis and  $\nabla_X^{\perp} \alpha_s \in \Gamma(L_1^{\perp})$ , then from (66), it follows that  $\phi X = 0$  for all  $X \in \Gamma(D_0)$ . Hence  $D_0 = \{0\}$ , which completes the proof.

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