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## SKEW SEMI-INVARIANT SUBMANIFOLDS OF GENERALIZED QUASI-SASAKIAN MANIFOLDS

In the present paper, we study a new class of submanifolds of a generalized Quasi-Sasakian manifold, called skew semi-invariant submanifold. We obtain integrability conditions of the distributions on a skew semi-invariant submanifold and also find the condition for a skew semi-invariant submanifold of a generalized Quasi-Sasakian manifold to be mixed totally geodesic. Also it is shown that a skew semi-invariant submanifold of a generalized Quasi-Sasakian manifold will be anti-invariant if and only if  $A_{\xi} = 0$ ; and the submanifold will be skew semi-invariant submanifold if  $\nabla w = 0$ . The equivalence relations for the skew semi-invariant submanifold of a generalized Quasi-Sasakian manifold are given. Furthermore, we have proved that a skew semi-invariant  $\xi^{\perp}$ -submanifold of a normal almost contact metric manifold and a generalized Quasi-Sasakian manifold with non-trivial invariant distribution is  $CR$ -manifold. An example of dimension 5 is given to show that a skew semi-invariant  $\xi^{\perp}$  submanifold is a  $CR$ -structure on the manifold.

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### INTRODUCTION

The theory of submanifolds in spaces endowed with additional structure is very interesting topic in the field of differential geometry [5]. The theory of  $CR$ -submanifolds has been introduced by A. Bejancu for almost contact geometry [1] and also for almost complex geometry [2], after that several papers have been appeared in this field. M. Barros et al. [5], B. Y. Chen [6, 7], A. Bejancu and N. Papaghuic [3], V. Mangione [10] and N. Papaghiuc [11] have studied semi-invariant submanifolds in Sasakian manifolds and the study was also extended to other ambient spaces. Moreover, some related topics were studied by V. V. Goldberg and R. Rosca [16–20]. In 2012, C. Calin et al. [8] have studied the semi-invariant  $\xi^{\perp}$ -submanifold of a generalized quasi-Sasakian manifold. Later on, A. Bejancu defined and studied a semi-invariant submanifold of a locally product manifold [4]. Recently, L. Ximin and F. M. Shao [12] have discussed a new class of submanifolds of a locally product manifold, that is, known as skew semi-invariant submanifolds. The purpose of the present work is to investigate some interesting results on the skew semi-invariant submanifolds of a generalized Quasi-Sasakian manifold.

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1 PRELIMINARIES

Let  $\bar{M}$  be a real  $(2n + 1)$ -dimensional smooth manifold equipped with an almost contact metric structure  $(\varphi, \xi, \eta, g)$ , where  $\varphi$  is  $(1, 1)$ -tensor field,  $\xi$  is a vector field,  $\eta$  is a 1-form and  $g$  is a Riemannian metric such that [1]

$$\varphi^2 = -I + \eta \otimes \xi, \quad \eta(\xi) = 1, \quad \varphi(\xi) = 0, \quad \eta \circ \varphi = 0, \tag{1}$$

$$g(\varphi X, Y) = -g(X, \varphi Y), \quad g(X, \xi) = \eta(X), \quad g(\xi, \xi) = 1 \tag{2}$$

for all  $X, Y$  on space  $M$ . The almost contact manifold  $\bar{M}(\varphi, \xi, \eta)$  is said to be normal, if

$$N_\varphi(X, Y) + 2d\eta(X, Y)\xi = 0$$

for all  $X, Y \in (TM)$ , where

$$N_\varphi(X, Y) = [\varphi X, \varphi Y] + \varphi^2[X, Y] - \varphi[\varphi X, Y] - \varphi[X, \varphi Y]$$

is the Nijenhuis tensor field corresponding to the tensor field  $\varphi$ . The fundamental 2-form  $\Phi$  on  $\bar{M}$  is defined by

$$\Phi(X, Y) = g(X, \varphi Y). \tag{3}$$

S. S. Eum [9], considered the hypersurface of an almost contact metric manifold  $\bar{M}$  whose structure tensor field satisfy the following relation:

$$(\bar{\nabla}_X \varphi)Y = g(\bar{\nabla}_{\varphi X} \xi, Y)\xi - \eta(Y)\bar{\nabla}_{\varphi X} \xi, \tag{4}$$

where  $\bar{\nabla}$  is the Levi-Civita connection of metric tensor  $g$ . For the sake of simplicity we say that a manifold  $\bar{M}$  with an almost contact metric structure satisfying (4) is a generalized Quasi-Sasakian manifold. We define a  $(1, 1)$ -tensor field  $F$  by

$$FX = -\bar{\nabla}_X \xi.$$

Now, we assume that  $\bar{M}$  is a generalized Quasi-Sasakian manifold and  $M$  is an  $m$ -dimensional submanifold isometrically immersed in  $\bar{M}$ . Denote by  $g$  the induced metric on  $M$  and by  $\nabla$  its Levi-Civita connection. For  $p \in M$  and the tangent vector  $X_p \in T_p M$ , we can write

$$FX_p = PX_p + QX_p, \tag{5}$$

where  $PX_p \in T_p M$  and  $QX_p \in T_p^\perp M$ . For any two vectors  $X_p, Y_p \in T_p M$ , we have  $g(FX_p, Y_p) = g(PX_p, Y_p)$ , which implies that  $g(PX_p, Y_p) = g(X_p, PY_p)$ . Therefore  $P$  and  $P^2$  are all symmetric operators on the tangent space  $T_p M$ . If  $\alpha(p)$  is the eigen value of  $P^2$  at  $p \in M$ , since  $P^2$  is a composition of an isometry and a projection, then  $\alpha(p) \in [0, 1]$ .

For each  $p \in M$ , we set

$$D_p^\alpha = \text{Ker}(P^2 - \alpha(p)I),$$

where  $I$  is an identity transformation on  $T_p M$  and  $\alpha(p)$  an eigenvalue of  $P^2$  at  $p \in M$ . Obviously, we have  $D_p^0 = \text{Ker} P$  and  $D_p^1 = \text{Ker} Q$ , where  $D_p^1$  is the maximal  $F$ -invariant subspace of  $T_p M$  and  $D_p^0$  is the maximal  $F$ -anti invariant subspace of  $T_p M$ . If  $\alpha_1(p), \dots, \alpha_k(p)$  are all eigenvalues of  $P^2$  at  $p$ , then  $T_p M$  can be decomposed as the direct sum of the mutually orthogonal eigenspaces, *i.e.*,

$$T_p M = D_p^{\alpha_1} \oplus \dots \oplus D_p^{\alpha_k}.$$

**Definition 1** ([12]). A submanifold  $M$  of a generalized quasi-Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$  is said to be skew semi-invariant submanifold, if there exists an integer  $k$  and the functions  $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_k$  defined on  $M$  with values in  $(0, 1)$  such that

(1) each  $\alpha_1(x), \dots, \alpha_k(x)$  are distinct eigenvalues of  $P^2$  at each  $p \in M$  with

$$T_p M = D_p^1 \oplus D_p^0 \oplus D_p^{\alpha_1} \oplus \dots \oplus D_p^{\alpha_k};$$

(2) the dimensions of  $D_p^0, D_p^1, D_p^{\alpha_1}, \dots, D_p^{\alpha_k}$  are independent of  $p \in M$ .

**Remark 1.** (i) From the second case of Definition 1, we can also define  $P$ -invariant mutually orthogonal distributions

$$D^\alpha = \bigcup_{p \in M} D_p^\alpha, \quad \alpha \in \{0, \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_k, 1\}$$

on  $M$  and  $TM = D^1 \oplus D^0 \oplus D^{\alpha_1} \oplus \dots \oplus D^{\alpha_k}$  are differentiable (see [7]).

(ii) If  $k = 0$  in Definition 1, then it follows that  $P$  is a structure of type  $f(3, -1)$  on  $M$  [13] and  $\dim(D_p^1) = \text{rank}(P_p)$ ,  $\dim(D_p^0)$  are independent of  $p \in M$  [14].

(iii) If  $k = 0$ , (1) implies (2), then  $M$  is called a semi-invariant  $\zeta^\perp$ -submanifold.

(iv) If  $k = 0$  and  $D_p^1 = \{0\}$  (resp.,  $D_p^0 = \{0\}$ ), then  $M$  is called an anti-invariant (resp., invariant)  $\zeta^\perp$ -submanifold.

(v) If  $D_p^1 = \{0\} = D_p^0$ ,  $k = 1$  and  $\alpha_1^2(x)$  is constant, then  $M$  may be said to be a  $\theta$ -slant submanifold with slant angle  $\cos \theta = \alpha_1$ .

**Example 1.** We consider the Euclidean space  $R^9$  and denote its points by  $y = (y^j)$ . Let  $(e_j), j = 1, \dots, 9$  be the natural basis defined by  $e^j = \partial/\partial y^j$ . We define a vector field  $\xi$  and a 1-form  $\eta$  by  $\xi = \partial/\partial y^9$  and  $\eta = dy^9$  respectively and  $\varphi$  is  $(1, 1)$  tensor field defined by

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi e_1 &= e_2, \quad \varphi e_2 = e_1, \quad \varphi e_3 = e_8, \quad \varphi e_8 = e_3, \\ \varphi e_4 &= \text{cost}(y)e_5 - \text{sint}(y)e_6, \quad \varphi e_5 = \text{cost}(y)e_4 + \text{sint}(y)e_7, \\ \varphi e_6 &= -\text{sint}(y)e_4 + \text{cost}(y)e_7, \quad \varphi e_7 = \text{sint}(y)e_5 + \text{cost}(y)e_6, \quad \varphi e_9 = 0, \end{aligned}$$

where  $t : R^9 \rightarrow (0, \pi/2)$  is a smooth function. Then it is easy to verify that  $R^9$  is an almost contact metric manifold with almost contact structure  $(\varphi, \xi, \eta, g)$  with associated metric  $g$  given by  $g(e_i, e_j) = \delta_{ij}$ . The submanifold

$$M = \left\{ (y^1, \dots, y^9) \in R^9 \mid y^6, y^7, y^8, y^9 = 0 \right\}$$

of  $R^9$  is a skew semi-invariant submanifold with

$$D^1 = \text{Span} \{e_1, e_2\}, \quad D^0 = \text{Span} \{e_3\}, \quad D^\alpha = \text{Span} \{e_4, e_5\},$$

where for  $x \in M$  one has  $\alpha(y) = \text{cost}(y)$ .

Denote the induced connection in  $M$  by  $\nabla$ , then the Gauss and Weingarten equations are given respectively by

$$\bar{\nabla}_X Y = \nabla_X Y + h(X, Y), \quad \bar{\nabla}_X N = -A_N X + \nabla_X^\perp N, \quad X, Y \in TM; N \in T^\perp M, \quad (6)$$

where  $\bar{\nabla}$ ,  $\nabla$  and  $\nabla^\perp$  are the Riemannian, induced Riemannian and induced normal connections in  $M$ ,  $\bar{M}$  and the normal bundle  $T^\perp M$  of  $\bar{M}$  respectively and  $h$  is the second fundamental form related to  $A$  by the equation

$$g(h(X, Y), N) = g(A_N X, Y). \quad (7)$$

Let  $M$  be a submanifold of a generalized Quasi-Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$  for  $X, Y \in TM, N \in T^\perp M$ . By using

$$\varphi X = tX + wX, \quad tX \in TM, wX \in T^\perp M, \quad (8)$$

$$\varphi N = BN + CN, \quad BN \in TM, CN \in T^\perp M, \quad (9)$$

we have

$$(\bar{\nabla}_X \varphi)Y = ((\nabla_X t)Y - A_{wY}X - Bh(X, Y)) + ((\nabla_X w)Y + h(X, tY) - Ch(X, Y)), \quad (10)$$

$$(\bar{\nabla}_X \varphi)N = ((\nabla_X B)N - A_{BN}X + BA_N X) + ((\nabla_X C)N + h(X, BN) + wA_N X),$$

where

$$(\nabla_X t)Y = \nabla_X tY - t\nabla_X Y, \quad (\nabla_X w)Y = \nabla_X^\perp wY - w\nabla_X Y,$$

$$(\nabla_X B)N = \nabla_X BN - t\nabla_X^\perp N, \quad (\nabla_X C)N = \nabla_X^\perp CN - C\nabla_X^\perp N.$$

Comparing the tangential and normal components in (10), we obtain

$$t\nabla_X Y = \nabla_X tY - Bh(X, Y) - A_{wY}X, \quad (11)$$

$$\nabla_X tY = h(X, tY) + \nabla_X^\perp wY - Ch(X, Y). \quad (12)$$

From (11) and (12) we have

$$t[X, Y] = \nabla_X tY - \nabla_Y tX + A_{wX}Y - A_{wY}X, \quad (13)$$

$$w[X, Y] = h(X, tY) - h(tX, Y) + \nabla_Y^\perp wX - \nabla_X^\perp wY. \quad (14)$$

Thus from (11), (12), (13) and (14), we have the following lemmas.

**Lemma 1** ([8]). *Let  $M$  be a skew semi-invariant submanifold of a generalized quasi-Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$ . Then, we have*

$$(\nabla_X t)Y = A_{wY}X + Bh(X, Y), \quad (\nabla_X w)Y = Ch(X, Y) - h(X, tY) + g(FX, \varphi Y)\xi \quad (15)$$

for all  $X, Y \in TM$ .

*Proof.* The Lemma follows from (10)–(11) by taking into the consideration decomposition of  $TM^\perp$ .  $\square$

**Lemma 2** ([8]). *Let  $M$  be a skew semi-invariant submanifold of a generalized quasi-Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$ . Then we have for any  $N \in TM^\perp$*

- 1)  $BN \in D^0$ ,
- 2)  $CN \in D^1$ .

**Lemma 3** ([8]). *Let  $M$  be a skew semi-invariant submanifold of a generalized quasi-Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$ , then the distribution  $D^0$  is integrable if and only if*

$$A_{wZ}W = A_{wW}Z, \text{ for all } X, Y \in D^0. \tag{16}$$

The following results give necessary and sufficient conditions for the integrability of the distributions  $D^0$  and  $D^1$ .

**Theorem 1.** *Let  $M$  be a skew semi-invariant submanifold of a generalized quasi-Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$ . Then the distribution  $D^0$  is integrable.*

*Proof.* Let  $Z, W \in D^0$ , then from (8), (15) and (16), we deduce that

$$t[Z, W] = A_{wZ}W - A_{wW}Z = 0.$$

Hence the conclusion. □

**Theorem 2.** *Let  $M$  be a skew semi-invariant submanifold of a generalized quasi-Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$ , then the distribution  $D^1$  is integrable if and only if*

$$h(tX, Y) - h(X, tY) = (L_{\xi}g)(X, \varphi Y)\xi \text{ for all } X, Y \in D^1. \tag{17}$$

*Proof.* The statement yields from (15)

$$w([tX, Y]) = h(X, tY) - h(tX, Y) + (L_{\xi}g)(X, \varphi Y)\xi \text{ for all } X, Y \in D^1. \tag{18}$$

□

**Proposition 1.** *If  $M$  is a skew semi-invariant submanifold of a generalized quasi-Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$ , then the following relations take place:*

$$-A_{\xi}X = t^2X, \tag{19}$$

$$\nabla_X^{\perp}\xi = w^2X, \tag{20}$$

$$\eta(h(X, Y)) = g(X, t^2Y), \tag{21}$$

$$\eta(H) = -\frac{1}{n} \text{trace}(t^2)$$

for any  $X, Y \in TM$ , where  $H$  is the mean curvature vector.

*Proof.* Form equation (18), it follows that  $\bar{\nabla}_X\xi = \varphi^2X = -X + \eta(X)\xi$ .

Using (19), (8) and  $\eta(X) = 0$  in (6), we get

$$-A_{\xi}X + \nabla_X^{\perp}\xi = t^2X + w^2X. \tag{22}$$

Equating tangential and normal part of (22), we get (19) and (20), respectively. From (2), (7) and (15) it follows that

$$\eta(h(X, Y)) = g(h(X, Y), \xi) = g(A_{\xi}X, Y) = -g(t^2X, Y),$$

which gives (21). If  $\{e_1, e_2, \dots, e_n\}$ ,  $n = \dim M$  is a local orthonormal frame field, then from (17) we get

$$\eta(H) = \frac{1}{n}\eta\left(\sum_{i=1}^n h(e_i, e_i)\right) = -\frac{1}{n}\left(\sum_{i=1}^n g(P^2e_i, e_i)\right).$$

Therefore (16) holds. □

From (16), we have the following.

**Corollary 1.** *Let  $M$  be skew semi-invariant submanifold of a generalized quasi-Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$ . If  $\text{trace}(t^2) \neq 0$ , then  $M$  can not be minimal.*

In view of (16), we have the following theorem.

**Theorem 3** ([8]). *Let  $M$  be a skew semi-invariant submanifold of a generalized quasi-Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$ . Then  $M$  is anti-invariant if and only if  $A_{\xi} = 0$ .*

Let  $D^1$  and  $D^2$  be two distributions defined on a manifold  $\bar{M}$ . We say that  $D^1$  is parallel to  $D^2$  for all  $X \in D^2$  and  $Y \in D^1$ , we have

$$\nabla_X Y \in D^1.$$

If  $D^1$  is parallel then for  $X \in TM$  and  $Y \in D^1$ , we have  $\nabla_X Y \in D^1$ . It is easy to verify that  $D^1$  is parallel if and only if the orthogonal complementary distribution of  $D^1$  is also parallel.

Let  $M$  be a skew semi-invariant submanifold of  $\bar{M}$ . A distribution  $D$  is said to be totally geodesic, if  $h(X, Y) = 0$  for all  $X, Y \in D$ . The distributions  $D^1$  and  $D^2$  are said to be  $D^1$ - $D^2$ -mixed totally geodesic, if  $h(X, Y) = 0$  for all  $X \in D^1$  and  $Y \in D^2$ .

**Proposition 2.** *Let  $M$  be a skew semi-invariant submanifold of generalized quasi-Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$ . For any distribution  $D^\alpha$ , if*

$$A_N tX = tA_N X \text{ for all } X \in D^\alpha, N \in T^\perp M,$$

*then  $M$  is  $D^\alpha$ - $D^\beta$ -mixed totally geodesic, where  $\alpha \neq \beta$ .*

*Proof.* From the assumption, we have

$$t^2 A_N X - \alpha A_N X = 0.$$

This implies that  $A_N X \in D^\alpha$ . So for all  $Y \in D^\beta, N \in T^\perp M, \alpha \neq \beta$ , we have

$$g(A_N X, Y) = g(h(X, Y), N) = 0.$$

Therefore  $h(X, Y) = 0$ . Hence  $M$  is  $D^\alpha$ - $D^\beta$ -mixed totally geodesic. □

Now from (5), (8) and (9), we find

$$CwX_p = -wtX_p, \quad wBN = N - C^2N \tag{23}$$

for all  $X_p \in T_p M, N \in T_p^\perp M$ . Furthermore for  $X_p \in D_p^{\alpha_i}, \alpha \in \{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_k\}$ , we have

$$C^2wX_p = \alpha_i wX_p.$$

Also, if  $X_p \in D_p^0$ , then it is clear that  $t^2wX_p = 0$ . Thus if  $X_p$  is an eigenvector of  $t^2$  corresponding to the eigenvalue  $\alpha(p) \neq 1$ , then  $wX_p$  is an eigenvector of  $C^2$  with the same eigenvalue  $\alpha(p)$ . Thus, (23) implies that  $\alpha(p)$  is an eigenvalue of  $B^2$  if and only if  $\gamma(p) = 1 - \alpha(p)$  is an eigenvalue of  $wt$ . Since  $wB$  and  $f^2$  are symmetric operators on the normal bundle  $T^\perp M$ , then their eigenspaces are orthogonal. The dimension of the eigenspace of  $wB$  corresponding to the eigenvalue  $1 - \alpha(p)$  is equal to the dimension of  $D_p^\alpha$  if  $\alpha(p) \neq 1$ . Consequently, we have the following lemma.

**Lemma 4.** *A submanifold  $M$  is a skew semi-invariant submanifold of generalized quasi-Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$  if and only if the eigenvalues of  $wB$  are constant and the eigenspaces of  $wB$  have constant dimension.*

## 2 SKEW SEMI-INVARIANT SUBMANIFOLD

**Theorem 4.** *Let  $M$  be a submanifold of a generalized quasi-Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$ . If  $\nabla t = 0$ , then  $M$  is a skew semi-invariant submanifold. Furthermore each of the  $t$ -invariant distributions  $D^0, D^1$  and  $D^{\alpha_i}, 1 \leq i \leq k$  are parallel.*

*Proof.* For a fix  $p \in M$  any  $Y_p \in D^{\alpha_i p}$  and  $X \in TM$ . Let  $Y$  be the parallel translation of  $Y_p$  along with the integral curve of  $X$ . Since  $(\nabla_X t)Y = 0$  and from (11) we have

$$\nabla_X(t^2 - \alpha(p)Y) = t^2\nabla_X Y - \alpha(p)\nabla_X Y = 0.$$

Since  $(t^2Y - \alpha(p)Y) = 0$  at  $p$ , it is identical to 0 on  $\bar{M}$ . Thus the eigenvalues of  $t^2$  are constant. Moreover, parallel translation of  $T_p M$  along any curve is an isometry which preserves each  $D^\alpha$ . Thus the dimension of  $D^\alpha$  is constant and  $\bar{M}$  is a skew semi-invariant submanifold.

Now if  $Y$  is any vector field in  $D^\alpha$ , then we have  $t^2Y = \alpha Y$  ( $\alpha$  constant), i.e,  $t^2\nabla_X Y = \alpha\nabla_X Y$  which implies that  $D^\alpha$  is parallel.  $\square$

Now, we see the vanishing of  $\nabla w$ . For  $X, Y \in TM$  if  $(\nabla_X w)Y = 0$ , then (21) yields

$$Ch(X, Y) = h(X, tY) - g(FX, \varphi Y)\xi. \quad (24)$$

In particular if  $Y \in D^\alpha$ , then (24) implies

$$C^2h(X, Y) = \alpha h(X, Y) - \alpha g(FX, \varphi Y)\xi.$$

Consequently we have the following proposition.

**Proposition 3.** *Let  $M$  be a skew semi-invariant submanifold of a generalized quasi-Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$ , if  $\nabla w = 0$ , then  $M$  is  $D^\alpha$ - $D^\beta$ -mixed totally geodesic for all  $\alpha \neq \beta$ . Moreover, if  $X \in D^\alpha$  then either  $h(X, X) = 0$  or  $h(X, X)$  is an eigenvector of  $C^2$  with eigenvalue  $\alpha$ .*

**Lemma 5.** *Let  $M$  be a submanifold of a generalized quasi-Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$ , then  $\nabla w = 0$  if and only if  $\nabla_X BN = B\nabla^\perp N$  for all  $X \in TM$  and  $N \in T^\perp M$ .*

**Theorem 5.** *Let  $M$  be a submanifold of a generalized quasi-Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$ . If  $\nabla w = 0$ , then  $M$  is a skew semi-invariant submanifold.*

*Proof.* If  $TM = D^1$ , then we are done. Otherwise, we may find a point  $p \in M$  and a vector  $X_p \in D_p^\alpha, \alpha \neq 1$ . Set  $N_p = wX_p$ , then  $N_p$  is an eigenvector of  $wB$  with eigenvalue  $\mu(p) = 1 - \alpha(p)$ . Now, let  $Y \in TM$  and  $N$  be the translation of  $N_p$  in the normal bundle  $T^\perp M$  along with integral curve of  $Y$ , we have

$$\nabla_Y^\perp(wBN - \mu(p)N) = \nabla_Y^\perp wBN - \mu(p)\nabla_Y^\perp N = w(\nabla_Y BN) - \mu(p)\nabla_Y^\perp N.$$

In view of Lemma 5,

$$\nabla_Y^\perp(wBN - \mu(p)N) = \nabla_Y^\perp wBN - \mu(p)\nabla_Y^\perp N = 0.$$

Since  $wBN - \mu(p)N = 0$  at  $p$  and  $tBN - \mu(p)N = 0$  on  $M$ . It follows from Lemma 4 that  $M$  is a skew semi-invariant submanifold.  $\square$

**Theorem 6.** *Let  $M$  be a skew semi-invariant submanifold of a generalized quasi-Sasakian manifold  $\bar{M}$ , then the following relations are equivalent.*

1.  $(\nabla_X w)Y - (\nabla_Y w)X = 0$  for all  $X, Y \in D^\alpha$ .
2.  $h(tX, Y) = h(X, tY)$  for all  $X, Y \in D^\alpha$ .
3.  $w[X, Y] = \nabla_X^\perp wY - \nabla_Y^\perp wX$  for all  $X, Y \in D^\alpha$ .
4.  $A_N tY - tA_N Y$  is perpendicular to  $D^\alpha$  for all  $Y \in D^\alpha$  and  $N \in T^\perp N$ .

*Proof.* The proof is trivial, hence we omit it. □

### 3 CR-STRUCTURE

Let  $\bar{M}$  be a differentiable manifold and  $T^c \bar{M}$  be the complexified tangent bundle to  $\bar{M}$ . A CR-structure on  $M$  is complex subbundle  $H$  of  $T^c \bar{M}$  such that  $H \cap \bar{H} = \{0\}$  and  $H$  is involutive [15]. A manifold endowed with a CR-structure is called a CR-manifold. It is known that a differentiable manifold  $\bar{M}$  admits a CR-structure [1] if and only if there is a differentiable distribution  $\bar{D}$  and a  $(1, 1)$  tensor field  $P$  on  $M$  such that for all  $X, Y \in \bar{D}$

$$P^2 X = -X, [P, P](X, Y) \equiv [PX, PY] - [X, Y] - P[PX, Y] - P[X, PY] = 0, [PX, PY] - [X, Y] \in \bar{D}.$$

**Definition 2.** *A differentiable manifold  $\bar{M}$  is said to admit a CR-structure if there is a differentiable distribution  $\bar{D}$  and a  $(1, 1)$  tensor field  $P$  on  $\bar{M}$  such that for all  $X, Y \in \bar{D}$*

$$P^2 X = X, [P, P](X, Y) \equiv [PX, PY] + [X, Y] - P[PX, Y] - P[X, PY] = 0, [PX, PY] = [X, Y] \in D.$$

*A manifold equipped with a CR-structure is called a CR-manifold.*

**Lemma 6.** *An almost contact metric structure  $(\varphi, \xi, \eta, g)$  is normal if the Nijenhuis tensor  $[\varphi, \varphi]$  of  $\varphi$  satisfies [3]*

$$[\varphi, \varphi] + 2d\eta \otimes \xi = 0. \tag{25}$$

Now, we prove the following theorem.

**Theorem 7.** *If  $M$  is a skew semi-invariant  $\xi^\perp$ -submanifold of a normal almost contact metric manifold  $\bar{M}$  with non-trivial invariant distribution, then  $\bar{M}$  possesses a CR-structure.*

*Proof.* Since  $M$  is normal for  $X, Y \in \bar{D}^\perp$ , we get  $P^2 X = -X$  and in view of (25), we have

$$0 = [P, P](X, Y) - Q([X, PY] + [PX, Y])$$

from which it follows that  $Q([PX, Y] + [X, PY]) = 0$ , that is,  $[PX, Y] + [X, PY] \in \bar{D}^1$ . Thus

$$[PX, PY] + [X, Y] = P([PX, Y] + [X, PY]) \in \bar{D}^1$$

and hence  $(\bar{D}^1, P)$  is a CR-structure on  $M$ . □

**Theorem 8.** *A skew semi-invariant  $\xi^\perp$ -submanifold of a generalized quasi-Sasakian manifold with non-trivial invariant distribution is a CR-manifold.*

*Proof.* Since every generalized quasi-Sasakian manifold is normal (see [8], Theorem 7), the proof is obvious.  $\square$

From Theorem 7, it is obvious that normality of  $\bar{M}$  is a sufficient condition for a skew semi-invariant submanifold with nontrivial invariant distribution to carry a CR-structure. However, this is not necessary, and now we give an example of skew semi-invariant submanifold.

**Example 2.** We consider the Euclidean space  $R^5$  and denote its points by  $x = (x^i)$ . Let  $(e_j), j = 1, \dots, 5$  be the natural basis defined by  $e^j = \partial/\partial x^j$ . We define a vector field  $\xi$  and a 1-form  $\eta$  by  $\xi = \partial/\partial x^5$  and  $\eta = dx^5$  respectively. For each  $x \in R^5$ , and  $g$  the canonical metric defined by  $g(e_i, e_j) = \delta_{ij}, i, j = 1, \dots, 5$ , the set  $E_j$  defined by

$$E_1 = e_1, \quad E_2 = \cos(x^1)e_2 + \sin(x^1)e_3, \quad E_3 = -\sin(x^1)e_2 + \cos(x^1)e_3, \quad E_4 = e_4, \quad E_5 = e_5$$

forms an orthonormal basis. As the point  $x$  varies in  $R^5$ , the above set of equations defines 5 vector fields also denoted by  $(E_j)$  and  $\varphi$  is  $(1, 1)$  tensor field defined by

$$\varphi(E_1) = E_2, \quad \varphi(E_2) = E_1, \quad \varphi(E_3) = E_4, \quad \varphi(E_4) = E_3, \quad \varphi(E_5) = 0.$$

Then  $(\varphi, \xi, \eta, g)$  defines an almost contact metric structure on  $R^5$ . Since

$$[\varphi, \varphi](E_1, E_4) + 2d\eta(E_1, E_4)\xi = E_1 \neq 0,$$

then, the almost contact structure is not normal. The submanifold

$$M = \left\{ x \in R^5 : x^4, x^5 = 0 \right\}$$

is a skew semi-invariant submanifold of  $R^5$  with  $D^1 = \text{Span} \{E_1, E_2\}$  and  $D^0 = \text{Span} \{E_3\}$  such that  $(D^1, \varphi)$  is a CR-structure on  $M$ . Moreover,  $D^1$  is not integrable because  $D^0 = E_3$ .

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У цій роботі ми вивчаємо новий клас підмноговидів узагальнених квазі-Сасакаєвих многовидів, що називаються антинапівінваріантними підмноговидами. Нами отримано умови інтегровності розподілів на антинапівінваріантному підмноговиді, а також знайдемо умову того, що антинапівінваріантний підмноговид узагальненого квазі-Сасакаєвого многовиду є змішаним цілком геодезичним. Також показано, що антинапівінваріантний підмноговид узагальненого квазі-Сасакаєвого многовиду буде антиінваріантним тоді і тільки тоді, якщо  $A(\xi) = 0$ ; і підмноговид буде антинапівінваріантним підмноговидом, якщо  $\nabla w = 0$ . Отримано співвідношення еквівалентності для антинапівінваріантного підмноговиду узагальненого квазі-Сасакаєвого многовиду. Більше того, ми довели, що антинапівінваріантний  $\xi^\perp$ -підмноговид нормального майже контактного метричного многовиду та узагальненого квазі-Сасакаєвого многовиду з нетривіальним інваріантним розподілом є  $CR$ -многовидом. Наведено приклад розмірності 5 для того, щоб показати, що антинапівінваріантний  $\xi^\perp$ -підмноговид є  $CR$ -структурою на многовиді.

*Ключові слова і фрази:* антинапівінваріантний многовид, узагальнений квазі-Сасакаєвий многовид, умови інтегровності розподілів,  $CR$ -структура.