

## C-Totally Real Submanifolds with Parallel Mean Curvature Vector of Sasakian Space Form \*

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**Abstract:** We have discussed the C-totally real submanifolds with parallel mean curvature vector of Sasakian space form, obtained a formula of J.Simons type, and improved one result of S.Yamaguchi.

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### 1. Introduction

Let  $\overline{M}^{2n+1}(k)$  be a  $(2n+1)$ -dimensional Sasakian manifold with constant  $\phi$ -sectional curvature  $k$ ,  $M^n$  be a compact and without boundary C-totally real submanifold immersed in  $\overline{M}^{2n+1}(k)$ .  $S$  and  $H$  respectively denoted the square of the norm of the second fundamental form and the mean curvature. S.Yamaguchi have studied C-totally real minimal submanifolds of  $\overline{M}^{2n+1}(k)$ , obtained a formula of J.Simons type and the following theorem(see [1])

**Theorem A** *Let  $\overline{M}^{2n+1}(k)$  be a  $(2n+1)$ -dimensional Sasakian manifold with constant  $\phi$ -holomorphic sectional curvature  $k$ ,  $M^n$  a compact  $n$ -dimensional C-totally real minimal submanifold of  $\overline{M}^{2n+1}(k)$ . If  $S \leq \frac{1}{4}n(n+1)(k+3)/2n+1$ , then  $M$  is totally geodesic.*

In this paper we discuss compact C-totally real submanifolds with parallel mean curvature vector field in a Sasakian space form. We shall prove the following theorems:

**Theorem 1** *Let  $M^n$  be the compact  $n$ -dimensional C-totally real submanifold with parallel mean curvature vector field in a Sasakian space form  $\overline{M}^{2n+1}(k)$ , then*

$$\int_{M^n} \left[ -\frac{1}{4}(n+1)(k+3)S + \frac{k+1}{2}n^2H^2 + \frac{3}{2}\Phi^2 + \frac{n(n-2)H}{\sqrt{n(n-1)}}\Phi^{\frac{3}{2}} - nH^2\Phi \right] * 1 \geq 0,$$

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where  $\Phi = S - nH^2$ .

**Theorem 2** Let  $M^n$  be a compact  $n$ -dimensional  $C$ -totally real minimal submanifold of a Sasakian space form  $\overline{M}^{2n+1}(k)$ . If  $S < \frac{1}{8}(n+1)(k+3)$ , then  $M^n$  is totally geodesic.

## 2. Preliminaries and lemmas

Let  $\overline{M}^{2n+1}$  be a  $(2n+1)$ -dimensional ( $n > 2$ ) Sasakian manifold with structure tensors  $(\phi, \xi, \eta, g)$ . Then the structure tensors satisfy the following equations:

$$\phi^2 X = -X + \eta(X)\xi, \phi\xi = 0, \eta(\phi X) = 0, \eta(X) = g(X, \xi), \eta(\xi) = 1,$$

$$g(\phi X, Y) + g(X, \phi Y) = 0, \nabla_X \xi = -\phi X, (\nabla_X \phi)Y = g(X, Y)\xi - \eta(Y)X$$

for any vector fields  $X, Y$  on  $\overline{M}^{2n+1}$ . A Sasakian manifold  $\overline{M}^{2n+1}$  is a Sasakian space form if  $\overline{M}^{2n+1}$  has constant  $\phi$ -holomorphic sectional curvature  $k$ , and will be denoted by  $\overline{M}^{2n+1}(k)$  and the curvature tensor is given by

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{R}(X, Y)Z = & \frac{1}{4}(k+3)[g(Y, Z)X - g(X, Z)Y] + \frac{1}{4}(k-1)[\eta(X)\eta(Z)Y - \eta(Y)\eta(Z)X + \\ & g(X, Z)\eta(Y)\xi - g(Y, Z)\eta(X)\xi + g(\phi Y, Z)\phi X - g(\phi X, Z)\phi Y + 2g(X, \phi(Y))\phi(Z)]. \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

The Pfaffian equation  $\eta = 0$  determines in  $\overline{M}^{2n+1}$  a  $2n$ -dimensional distribution. It is called the contact distribution. We shall call the integral submanifold  $M$  of the contact distribution of a Sasakian manifold a  $C$ -totally real submanifold. Then we have  $\dim M \leq n$  and the following (see [2])

**Theorem B** Let  $M^m (m \leq n)$  be a  $C$ -totally real submanifold of a Sasakian manifold  $\overline{M}^{2n+1}$ . Then

- (i) the second fundamental form of  $\xi$  direction is identically zero;
- (ii) if  $X \in TM$ , then  $\phi X \in T^\perp(M)$ ;
- (iii) for all  $X, Y, Z \in TM$ ,  $g(\phi X, B(Y, Z)) = g(\phi Y, B(X, Z))$ .

Let  $M^n$  be a  $C$ -totally real submanifold of a Sasakian space form  $\overline{M}^{2n+1}(k)$ . We choose a local field of orthonormal frames  $e_1, \dots, e_n, e_{n+1} = \phi e_1, \dots, e_{2n} = \phi e_n, e_{2n+1} = \xi$  in  $\overline{M}^{2n+1}(k)$  such that, restricted to  $M^n$ , the vectors  $e_1, \dots, e_n$  are tangent to  $M^n$ . We make the following convention on range of indices  $1 \leq i, j, k, \dots \leq n; n+1 \leq \alpha, \beta, \gamma, \dots \leq 2n+1$ .

Let  $\omega^1, \dots, \omega^{2n}, \omega^{2n+1} = \eta$  be the field of dual frames, we restricted these forms to  $M_n$ , then  $\omega^\alpha = 0, \omega_j^\alpha = \sum h_{ij}^\alpha \omega^i, h_{ij}^\alpha = h_{ji}^\alpha$ .

The Laplacian  $\Delta h_{ij}^\alpha$  of the second fundamental form  $h_{ij}^\alpha$  is defined by  $\Delta h_{ij}^\alpha = \sum_k h_{ijk}^\alpha$ . A straightforward computation gives the following (see [3])

$$\begin{aligned} \sum h_{ij}^\alpha \Delta h_{ij}^\alpha = & \sum (h_{ij}^\alpha h_{kij}^\alpha - \overline{R}_{\alpha i j \beta} h_{ij}^\alpha h_{kk}^\beta + 4\overline{R}_{\alpha \beta k i} h_{ij}^\alpha h_{jk}^\beta - \overline{R}_{\alpha k \beta k} h_{ij}^\alpha h_{ij}^\beta + \\ & 2\overline{R}_{m k i k} h_{mj}^\alpha h_{ij}^\alpha + 2\overline{R}_{m i j k} h_{mk}^\alpha h_{ij}^\alpha) - \sum (h_{ik}^\alpha h_{jk}^\beta - h_{jk}^\alpha h_{ik}^\beta)(h_{il}^\alpha h_{jl}^\beta - h_{jl}^\alpha h_{il}^\beta) - \\ & h_{ij}^\alpha h_{kl}^\alpha h_{ij}^\beta h_{kl}^\beta + h_{ij}^\alpha h_{ki}^\alpha h_{kj}^\beta h_{li}^\beta. \end{aligned}$$

In general, for a matrix  $A = (a_{ij})$  we denote by  $N(A)$  the square of the norm of  $A$ , i.e.,  $N(A) = \text{tr}(A^t A) = \sum_{i,j} a_{ij}^2$ .

**Lemma 1**<sup>[4]</sup> Let  $A_{n+1}, A_{n+2}, \dots, A_{n+p}$  be  $(n \times n)$ -symmetric matrices and let  $S_{\alpha\beta} = \text{tr}(A_\alpha^t A_\beta)$ ,  $S_\alpha = S_{\alpha\alpha} = N(A_\alpha)$ , then  $\sum_{\alpha,\beta} N(A_\alpha A_\beta - A_\beta A_\alpha) + \sum_{\alpha,\beta} S_{\alpha\beta}^2 \leq (1 + \frac{1}{2}\text{sgn}(p-1))(\sum_\alpha S_\alpha)^2$ , where  $\text{sgn}(\cdot)$  is the symbolic function.

**Lemma 2**<sup>[5]</sup> Let  $A, B : R^n \rightarrow R^n$  be symmetric linear maps such that  $[A, B] = 0$  and  $\text{tr} A = \text{tr} B = 0$ . Then  $-\frac{n-2}{\sqrt{n(n-1)}}(\text{tr} A^2)(\text{tr} B^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} \leq \text{tr} A^2 B \leq \frac{n-2}{\sqrt{n(n-1)}}(\text{tr} A^2)(\text{tr} B^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}$ .

**Lemma 3** Let  $\overline{M}^{2n+1}$  be a Sasakian space form, and  $M^n$  an  $n$ -dimensional  $C$ -totally real submanifold. The second fundamental form of  $M^n$  is  $B = \sum h_{ij}^\alpha \omega^i \otimes \omega^j \otimes e_\alpha$ , Then  $h_{kj}^{n+i} = h_{ij}^{n+k}$ .

**Proof** From (iii) of the theorem B we have

$$h_{ij}^{n+k} = g(\phi e_k, B(e_i, e_j)) = g(\phi e_i, B(e_k, e_j)) = g(e_{n+i}, h_{kj}^\alpha e_\alpha) = h_{kj}^{n+i}.$$

### 3. Proof of Theorems

In the case that  $H \neq 0$  we can choose a local field in such a way that  $e_{n+1} = \phi e_1 = h/H$ , then  $\text{tr} H_{n+1} = nH$ ,  $\text{tr} H_\alpha = 0$  ( $\alpha \neq n+1$ ), where  $h$  is the mean curvature vector and  $H_\alpha = (h_{ij}^\alpha)$ . By use of (1), Theorem B and Lemma 3, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum h_{ij}^\alpha \triangle h_{ij}^\alpha &= \sum h_{ij}^\alpha h_{kkij}^\alpha + \frac{nk+3n+k-1}{4} S - \frac{k+1}{2} n^2 H^2 - \\ &\quad \sum (h_{ik}^\alpha h_{jk}^\beta - h_{jk}^\alpha h_{ik}^\beta)(h_{il}^\alpha h_{jl}^\beta - h_{jl}^\alpha h_{il}^\beta) - \sum h_{ij}^\alpha h_{kl}^\alpha h_{ij}^\beta h_{kl}^\beta + \\ &\quad \sum h_{ij}^\alpha h_{ki}^\alpha h_{kj}^\beta h_{il}^\beta. \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

Take  $b_{ij}^{n+1} = h_{ij}^{n+1} - H\delta_{ij}$ ,  $b_{ij}^\alpha = h_{ij}^\alpha$  ( $\alpha = n+2, \dots, 2n+1$ ),  $B_\alpha = (b_{ij}^\alpha)$ , then we have  $\text{tr} B_\alpha = 0$ ,  $\Phi := \sum_{\alpha,i,j} (b_{ij}^\alpha)^2 = S - nH^2$ . Therefore from (2) we get

$$\begin{aligned} \sum h_{ij}^\alpha \triangle h_{ij}^\alpha &= \sum h_{ij}^\alpha h_{kkij}^\alpha + \frac{nk+3n+k-1}{4} S - \frac{k+1}{2} n^2 H^2 - \\ &\quad \sum (b_{ik}^\alpha b_{jk}^\beta - b_{jk}^\alpha b_{ik}^\beta)(b_{il}^\alpha b_{jl}^\beta - b_{jl}^\alpha b_{il}^\beta) - \sum b_{ij}^\alpha b_{kl}^\alpha b_{ij}^\beta b_{kl}^\beta + \\ &\quad nH \sum b_{ij}^\alpha b_{ki}^\alpha b_{kj}^{n+1} + nH^2 \sum (b_{ij}^\alpha)^2. \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

From Lemma 1 we have  $-\sum (b_{ik}^\alpha b_{jk}^\beta - b_{jk}^\alpha b_{ik}^\beta)(b_{il}^\alpha b_{jl}^\beta - b_{jl}^\alpha b_{il}^\beta) - \sum b_{ij}^\alpha b_{kl}^\alpha b_{ij}^\beta b_{kl}^\beta \geq -\frac{3}{2}(S - nH^2)^2$ . Since  $\nabla^\perp h = 0$ , by use of Lemma 2, we get

$$nH \sum b_{ij}^\alpha b_{ki}^\alpha b_{kj}^{n+1} + nH^2 \sum (b_{ij}^\alpha)^2 \geq nH \left[ -\frac{n-2}{\sqrt{n(n-1)}}(S - nH^2)^{3/2} \right] + nH^2(S - nH^2).$$

On the other hand, we have  $\sum h_{ij}^\alpha h_{kkij}^\alpha = 0$ . Combining (3) and the above information, we conclude that

$$\sum h_{ij}^\alpha \triangle h_{ij}^\alpha \geq \frac{nk+3n+k-1}{4} S - \frac{k+1}{2} n^2 H^2 - \frac{3}{2} \Phi^2 - \frac{n(n-2)H}{\sqrt{n(n-1)}} \Phi^{3/2} + nH^2 \Phi.$$

Since  $\langle \nabla^2 A, A \rangle = \sum h_{ij}^\alpha \triangle h_{ij}^\alpha$ , and  $M^n$  are a compact submanifold, then(see[6])

$$\int_{M^n} \langle \nabla^2 A, A \rangle * 1 = - \int_{M^n} \langle \nabla A, \nabla A \rangle * 1.$$

Since (see [2])  $\langle \nabla A, \nabla A \rangle - |A|^2 \geq 0$ , we have

$$\int_{M^n} \left( - \sum h_{ij}^\alpha \triangle h_{ij}^\alpha - |A|^2 \right) * 1 = \int_{M^n} \left( \langle \nabla A, \nabla A \rangle - |A|^2 \right) * 1 \geq 0.$$

Hence

$$\int_{M^n} \left[ -\frac{1}{4}(n+1)(k+3)S + \frac{k+1}{2}n^2H^2 + \frac{3}{2}\Phi^2 + \frac{n(n-2)H}{\sqrt{n(n-1)}}\Phi^{3/2} - nH^2\Phi \right] * 1 \geq 0. \quad (4)$$

We complete the proof of Theorem 1.

When  $M^n$  is an  $n$ -dimensional  $C$ -totally real minimal submanifold, by use of the same method as before, we get

$$\int_{M^n} \left[ -\frac{1}{4}(n-1)(k+3)S + \frac{3}{2}S^2 \right] * 1 \geq 0. \quad (5)$$

From (5) we can easily get Theorem 2.

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## Sasakian 空间形式中具有平行平均曲率向量的 C- 全实子流形

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**摘 要:** 本文讨论了 Sasakian 空间形式中具有平行平均曲率向量的  $C$ - 全实子流形, 得到了一个 Simons 型公式并且改进了 S.Yamaguchi 等的一个结果.