Hypersurfaces of a Finsler space with exponential form of $(\alpha,\beta)\text{-}$ metric

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ABSTRACT. In the present paper we have studied the Finslerian hypersurfaces of a Finsler space with the special form of exponential (α, β) - metric such as $L(\alpha, \beta) = \alpha e^{\frac{\beta}{\alpha}} + \beta e^{-\frac{\beta}{\alpha}}$. We also examined the hypersurfaces of this special exponential metric as a hyperplane of first, second and third kinds.

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1. Introduction

We consider an n-dimensional Finsler space $F^n = (M^n, L)$, i.e., a pair consisting of an n-dimensional differential manifold M^n equipped with a fundamental function L(x, y).

Definition 1.1. A Finsler space F^n of dimension n is a differentiable manifold such that the length s of the curve $x^i(t)$ of F^n is defined by $S = \int L(x, y) dt$. The fundamental function $L(x, y) = L(x^1, ..., x^n, y^1, ..., y^n)$ is supposed to be differentiable for $y \neq (0)$ and satisfies the following condition:-

(i) Positively homogeneous: L(x, py) = pL(x, y), p > 0.

(*ii*) Positive: $L(x, y) > 0, y \neq 0$.

(*iii*)Positive definite metric $g_{ij} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial^2 L}{\partial y^i \partial y^j} > 0.$

The interesting and important examples of an (α, β) - metric are Randers metric $\alpha + \beta$, Kropina metric $\frac{\alpha^2}{\beta}$ and Matsumoto metric [9] $\frac{\alpha^2}{(\alpha - \beta)}$. The notion of an (α, β) metric was introduced by M. Matsumoto [7] and has been studied by many authors.

Definition 1.2. A Finsler metric $L(\alpha, \beta)$ in a differentiable manifold M^n is called an (α, β) -metric, if L is a positively homogeneous function of degree one of a Riemannian metric $\alpha = (a_{ij}(x)y^iy^j)^{\frac{1}{2}}$ and a one-form $\beta = b_i(x)y^i$ on M^n .

Definition 1.3. A Hypersurface is a generalization of the concept of hyperplane. Suppose an enveloping manifold M has n dimension, then any submanifold of M of (n-1) dimension is a hypersurface. The co-dimension of hypersurface is one. If m > n, then V_n is called a subspace of V_m . V_m is also enveloping space of V_n if m > n. In particular if m = n + 1, then V_n is called hypersurface of the enveloping space V_{n+1} .

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A hypersurface M^{n-1} of the M^n may be represented parametrically by the equation $x^i = x^i(u^{\alpha}), \alpha = 1, 2, 3, ..., (n-1)$, where u are Gaussian coordinates on M^{n-1} . If the supporting element y^i at a point u^{α} of M^{n-1} is assumed to be tangential to M^{n-1} , we may then write $y^i = B^i_{\alpha}(u)v^{\alpha}$, so that v^{α} thought of as the supporting element of M^{n-1} at a point (u^{α}) . Since the function $\underline{L}(u,v) := L(x(u), y(u,v))$ gives rise to a Finsler metric of M^{n-1} , we get an (n-1)-dimensional Finsler space $F^{(n-1)} = (M^{n-1}, \underline{L}(u,v))$.

The concept of Finslerian hypersurface is first introduced by Matsumoto in the year 1985 and further he defined three types of hypersurfaces that were called a hyperplane of the first, second and third kinds. Further many authors studied these hyperplanes in different changes of the Finsler metric [2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 10, 11] and obtained different results.

In the present paper we consider exponential form of special Finsler (α, β) -metric and determine Induced Riemannian metric, second fundamental v tensor also examined the hypersurfaces of this special metric as a hyperplane of first, second and third kinds.

2. Preliminaries

In the present paper we consider an n-dimensional Finsler space $F^n = \{M^n, L(\alpha, \beta)\}$, that is, a pair consisting of an n- dimensional differentiable manifold M^n equipped with a Fundamental function L as a special Finsler Space with the metric

$$L(\alpha,\beta) = \alpha e^{\frac{\beta}{\alpha}} + \beta e^{-\frac{\beta}{\alpha}}$$
(1)

Differentiating equation (1) partially with respect to α and β are given by

$$\begin{split} L_{\alpha} &= e^{\frac{\beta}{\alpha}} - \frac{\beta}{\alpha} e^{\frac{\beta}{\alpha}} + \frac{\beta^2}{\alpha^2} e^{-\frac{\beta}{\alpha}}, \qquad \qquad L_{\beta} &= e^{\frac{\beta}{\alpha}} - e^{-\frac{\beta}{\alpha}} - \frac{\beta}{\alpha^2} e^{-\frac{\beta}{\alpha}} \\ L_{\alpha\alpha} &= \frac{\beta^2}{\alpha^3} e^{\frac{\beta}{\alpha}} - \frac{2\beta^2}{\alpha^3} e^{-\frac{\beta}{\alpha}} + \frac{\beta^3}{\alpha^4} e^{-\frac{\beta}{\alpha}}, \qquad \qquad L_{\beta\beta} &= \frac{1}{\alpha} e^{\frac{\beta}{\alpha}} - \frac{2}{\alpha} e^{-\frac{\beta}{\alpha}} + \frac{\beta}{\alpha^2} e^{-\frac{\beta}{\alpha}} \\ L_{\alpha\beta} &= \frac{\beta}{\alpha^2} e^{-\frac{\beta}{\alpha}} - \frac{\beta^2}{\alpha^3} e^{-\frac{\beta}{\alpha}}, \end{split}$$

where $L_{\alpha} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \alpha}$, $L_{\beta} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \beta}$, $L_{\alpha\alpha} = \frac{\partial L_{\alpha}}{\partial \alpha}$, $L_{\beta\beta} = \frac{\partial L_{\beta}}{\partial \beta}$, $L_{\alpha\beta} = \frac{\partial L_{\alpha}}{\partial \beta}$.

In Finsler space $F^n = \{M^n, L(\alpha, \beta)\}$ the normalized element of support $l_i = \partial_i L$ and angular metric tensor h_{ij} are given by [8]:

$$l_{i} = \alpha^{-1}L_{\alpha}Y_{i} + L_{\beta}b_{i}$$

$$h_{ij} = pa_{ij} + q_{0}b_{i}b_{j} + q_{-1}(b_{i}Y_{j} + b_{j}Y_{i}) + q_{-2}Y_{i}Y_{j}$$

where $Y_i = a_{ij}y^j$. For the fundamental metric function (1) above constants are

$$p = \frac{\beta}{\alpha} + (1 - \frac{\beta}{\alpha})e^{\frac{2\beta}{\alpha}} + \frac{\beta^3}{\alpha^3}e^{-\frac{2\beta}{\alpha}},$$

$$q_0 = -2 + \frac{2\beta}{\alpha} + e^{\frac{2\beta}{\alpha}} - (2 - \frac{\beta}{\alpha})\frac{\beta}{\alpha}e^{-\frac{2\beta}{\alpha}},$$

$$q_{-1} = (1 - \frac{\beta}{\alpha})\{\frac{\beta}{\alpha^2} + \frac{\beta^2}{\alpha^3}e^{-\frac{2\beta}{\alpha}}\},$$

$$q_{-2} = \frac{1}{\alpha^6}\{2\alpha\beta^3 - \alpha^3\beta - 2\alpha^2\beta^2 + (\alpha^2\beta^2 - \alpha^4 + \alpha^3\beta)e^{\frac{2\beta}{\alpha}} + (\beta^4 - 3\alpha\beta^3)e^{-\frac{2\beta}{\alpha}}\}.$$
 (2)

Fundamental metric tensor $g_{ij} = \frac{1}{2} \dot{\partial}_i \dot{\partial}_j L^2$ and its reciprocal tensor g^{ij} for $L = L(\alpha, \beta)$ are given by [8]

$$g_{ij} = pa_{ij} + p_0 b_i b_j + p_{-1} (b_i Y_j + b_j Y_i) + p_{-2} Y_i Y_j,$$
(3)

where

$$p_{0} = q_{0} + L_{\beta}^{2},$$

$$p_{-1} = q_{-1} + L^{-1}pL_{\beta},$$

$$p_{-2} = q_{-2} + p^{2}L^{-2}.$$
(4)

The reciprocal tensor g^{ij} of g_{ij} is given by

$$g^{ij} = p^{-1}a^{ij} - s_0b^ib^j - s_{-1}(b^iy^j + b^jy^i) - s_{-2}y^iy^j,$$
(5)

where $b^i = a^{ij}b_i$ and $b^2 = a_{ij}b^ib^j$

$$s_{0} = \frac{1}{\tau p} \{ pp_{0} + (p_{0}p_{-2} - p_{-1}^{2})\alpha^{2} \},$$

$$s_{-1} = \frac{1}{\tau p} \{ pp_{-1} + (p_{0}p_{-2} - p_{-1}^{2})\beta \},$$

$$s_{-2} = \frac{1}{\tau p} \{ pp_{-2} + (p_{0}p_{-2} - p_{-1}^{2})b^{2} \},$$

$$\tau = p(p + p_{0}b^{2} + p_{-1}\beta) + (p_{0}p_{-2} - p_{-1}^{2})(\alpha^{2}b^{2} - \beta^{2}).$$
(6)

The hv-torsion tensor $C_{ijk} = \frac{1}{2} \partial_k g_{ij}$ is given by [11]

$$2pC_{ijk} = p_{-1}(h_{ij}m_k + h_{jk}m_i + h_{ki}m_j) + \gamma_1 m_i m_j m_k,$$
(7)

where

$$\gamma_1 = p \frac{\partial p_0}{\partial \beta} - 3p_{-1}q_0, \quad m_i = b_i - \alpha^{-2}\beta Y_i.$$
(8)

Here m_i is a non-vanishing covariant vector orthogonal to the element of support y^i .

Let $\{i_{jk}\}$ be the component of Christoffel symbols of the associated Riemannian space \mathbb{R}^n and ∇_k be the covariant derivative with respect to x^k relative to this Christoffel symbol. Now we define,

$$2E_{ij} = b_{ij} + b_{ji}, \qquad 2F_{ij} = b_{ij} - b_{ji}$$
 (9)

where $b_{ij} = \bigtriangledown_j b_i$. Let $C\Gamma = (\Gamma_{jk}^{*i}, \Gamma_{0k}^{*i}, \Gamma_{jk}^{i})$ be the Cartan connection of F^n . The difference tensor $D_{jk}^i = \Gamma_{jk}^{*i} - {i \atop jk}$ of the special Finsler space F^n is given by

$$D_{jk}^{i} = B^{i}E_{jk} + F_{k}^{i}B_{j} + F_{j}^{i}B_{k} + B_{j}^{i}b_{0k} + B_{k}^{i}b_{0j} - b_{0m}g^{im}B_{jk} - C_{jm}^{i}A_{k}^{m} - C_{km}^{i}A_{j}^{m} + C_{jkm}A_{s}^{m}g^{is} + \lambda^{s}(C_{jm}^{i}C_{sk}^{m} + C_{km}^{i}C_{sj}^{m} - C_{jk}^{m}C_{ms}^{i})$$
(10)

where

$$B_{k} = p_{0}b_{k} + p_{-1}Y_{k}, \quad B^{i} = g^{ij}B_{j}, \quad F_{i}^{k} = g^{kj}F_{ji},$$

$$B_{ij} = \frac{1}{2} \left[p_{-1}(a_{ij} - \alpha^{-2}Y_{i}Y_{j}) + \frac{\partial p_{0}}{\partial \beta}m_{i}m_{j} \right], \quad B_{i}^{k} = g^{kj}B_{ji},$$

$$A_{k}^{m} = B_{k}^{m}E_{00} + B^{m}E_{k0} + B_{k}F_{0}^{m} + B_{0}F_{k}^{m},$$

$$\lambda^{m} = B^{m}E_{00} + 2B_{0}F_{0}^{m}, \quad B_{0} = B_{i}y^{i},$$
(11)

where '0' denote contraction with y^i except for the quantities p_0, q_0 and s_o .

3. Induced Cartan Connection

Let F^{n-1} be a hypersurface of F^n given by the equation $x^i = x^i(u^{\alpha})$ where $\{\alpha = 1, 2, 3...(n-1)\}$. The element of support y^i of F^n is to be taken tangential to F^{n-1} , that is [8],

$$y^i = B^i_\alpha(u)v^\alpha \tag{12}$$

the metric tensor $g_{\alpha\beta}$ and hv-tensor $C_{\alpha\beta\gamma}$ of F^{n-1} are given by

$$g_{\alpha\beta} = g_{ij}B^i_{\alpha}B^j_{\beta}, \quad C_{\alpha\beta\gamma} = C_{ijk}B^i_{\alpha}B^j_{\beta}B^k_{\gamma},$$

and at each point (u^{α}) of F^{n-1} , a unit normal vector $N^{i}(u, v)$ is defined by

$$g_{ij}\{x(u,v), y(u,v)\}B^i_{\alpha}N^j = 0, \quad g_{ij}\{x(u,v), y(u,v)\}N^iN^j = 1.$$

Angular metric tensor $h_{\alpha\beta}$ of the hypersurface are given by

$$h_{\alpha\beta} = h_{ij}B^i_{\alpha}B^j_{\beta}, \quad h_{ij}B^i_{\alpha}N^j = 0, \quad h_{ij}N^iN^j = 1,$$
(13)

 (B_i^{α}, N_i) inverse of (B_{α}^i, N^i) is given by

$$\begin{split} B_i^{\alpha} &= g^{\alpha\beta} g_{ij} B_{\beta}^j, \quad B_{\alpha}^i B_i^{\beta} = \delta_{\alpha}^{\beta}, \quad B_i^{\alpha} N^i = 0, \quad B_{\alpha}^i N_i = 0, \\ N_i &= g_{ij} N^j, \quad B_i^k = g^{kj} B_{ji}, \quad B_{\alpha}^i B_j^{\alpha} + N^i N_j = \delta_j^i. \end{split}$$

The induced connection $IC\Gamma = (\Gamma^{*\alpha}_{\beta\gamma}, G^{\alpha}_{\beta}, C^{\alpha}_{\beta\gamma})$ of F^{n-1} from the Cartan's connection $C\Gamma = (\Gamma^{*i}_{jk}, \Gamma^{*i}_{0k}, C^{*i}_{jk})$ is given by [8].

$$\begin{split} \Gamma^{*\alpha}_{\beta\gamma} &= B^{\alpha}_{i} (B^{i}_{\beta\gamma} + \Gamma^{*i}_{jk} B^{j}_{\beta} B^{k}_{\gamma}) + M^{\alpha}_{\beta} H_{\gamma}, \\ G^{\alpha}_{\beta} &= B^{\alpha}_{i} (B^{i}_{0\beta} + \Gamma^{*i}_{0j} B^{j}_{\beta}), \quad C^{\alpha}_{\beta\gamma} = B^{\alpha}_{i} C^{i}_{jk} B^{j}_{\beta} B^{k}_{\gamma}, \end{split}$$

where

$$M_{\beta\gamma} = N_i C^i_{jk} B^j_{\beta} B^k_{\gamma}, \quad M^{\alpha}_{\beta} = g^{\alpha\gamma} M_{\beta\gamma}, \quad H_{\beta} = N_i (B^i_{0\beta} + \Gamma^{*i}_{oj} B^j_{\beta}),$$

and

$$B^i_{\beta\gamma} = rac{\partial B^i_{eta}}{\partial u^{\gamma}}, \quad B^i_{0eta} = B^i_{lphaeta}v^{lpha}$$

The quantities $M_{\beta\gamma}$ and H_{β} are called the second fundamental v-tensor and normal curvature vector respectively [8]. The second fundamental h-tensor $H_{\beta\gamma}$ is defined as [8]

$$H_{\beta\gamma} = N_i (B^i_{\beta\gamma} + \Gamma^{*i}_{jk} B^j_{\beta} B^k_{\gamma}) + M_{\beta} H_{\gamma}, \qquad (14)$$

where

$$M_{\beta} = N_i C^i_{jk} B^j_{\beta} N^k.$$
⁽¹⁵⁾

The relative h and v-covariant derivatives of projection factor B^i_{α} with respect to $IC\Gamma$ are given by

 $B^i_{\alpha|\beta} = H_{\alpha\beta}N^i, \quad B^i_{\alpha}|_{\beta} = M_{\alpha\beta}N^i.$

It is obvious form the equation (14) that $H_{\beta\gamma}$ is generally not symmetric and

$$H_{\beta\gamma} - H_{\gamma\beta} = M_{\beta}H_{\gamma} - M_{\gamma}H_{\beta}.$$
 (16)

The above equation yield

$$H_{0\gamma} = H_{\gamma}, \quad H_{\gamma 0} = H_{\gamma} + M_{\gamma} H_0. \tag{17}$$

We shall use following lemmas which are due to Matsumoto [8] in the coming section

Lemma 3.1. The normal curvature $H_0 = H_\beta v^\beta$ vanishes if and only if the normal curvature vector H_β vanishes.

Lemma 3.2. A hypersurface $F^{(n-1)}$ is a hyperplane of the first kind with respect to connection $C\Gamma$ if and only if $H_{\alpha} = 0$.

Lemma 3.3. A hypersurface $F^{(n-1)}$ is a hyperplane of the second kind with respect to connection $C\Gamma$ if and only if $H_{\alpha} = 0$ and $H_{\alpha\beta} = 0$.

Lemma 3.4. A hypersurface $F^{(n-1)}$ is a hyperplane of the third kind with respect to connection $C\Gamma$ if and only if $H_{\alpha} = 0$ and $H_{\alpha\beta} = M_{\alpha\beta} = 0$.

4. Hypersurface $F^{(n-1)}(c)$ of a exponential form of $(\alpha,\beta)\text{-metric in Finsler space}$

Let us consider a Finsler space with exponential form of (α, β) -metric $L(\alpha, \beta) = \alpha e^{\frac{\beta}{\alpha}} + \beta e^{-\frac{\beta}{\alpha}}$, where, $\alpha = \sqrt{a_{ij}(x)y^iy^j}$ is a Riemannian metric and vector field $b_i(x) = \frac{\partial b}{\partial x^i}$ is a gradient of some scalar function b(x). Now we consider a hypersurface $F^{(n-1)}(c)$ given by equation b(x) = c, a constant [11].

From the parametric equation $x^i = x^i(u^{\alpha})$ of $F^{n-1}(c)$, we get

$$\frac{\partial b(x)}{\partial u^{\alpha}} = 0, \qquad \frac{\partial b(x)}{\partial x^{i}} \frac{\partial x^{i}}{\partial u^{\alpha}} = 0, \qquad b_{i} B^{i}_{\alpha} = 0.$$

Above shows that $b_i(x)$ are covariant component of a normal vector field of hypersurface $F^{n-1}(c)$. Further, we have

$$b_i B^i_{\alpha} = 0$$
 and $b_i y^i = 0$ i.e. $\beta = 0,$ (18)

and induced matric L(u, v) of $F^{n-1}(c)$ is given by

$$L(u,v) = a_{\alpha\beta}v^{\alpha}v^{\beta}, a_{\alpha\beta} = a_{ij}B^{i}_{\alpha}B^{j}_{\beta}$$
⁽¹⁹⁾

which is a Riemannian metric.

Writing $\beta = 0$ in the equations (2), (3) and (5) we get

$$p = 1, \quad q_0 = -1, \quad q_{-1} = 0, \quad q_{-2} = -\alpha^{-2},$$

$$p_0 = 3, \quad p_{-1} = 2\alpha^{-1}, \quad p_{-2} = 0, \quad \tau = 1 - b^2,$$

$$s_0 = -\frac{1}{1 - b^2}, \quad s_{-1} = \frac{2}{\alpha(1 - b^2)} \quad s_{-2} = -\frac{4b^2}{\alpha^2(1 - b^2)}, \quad (20)$$

from (4) we get,

$$g^{ij} = a^{ij} + \frac{1}{1 - b^2} b^i bj - \frac{2}{\alpha(1 - b^2)} (b^i y^j + b^j y^i) - \frac{4b^2}{\alpha^2(1 - b^2)} y^i y^j$$
(21)

thus along $F^{n-1}(c)$, (21) and (18) leads to

$$g^{ij}b_ib_j = \frac{b^2}{(1-b^2)}$$

So we get

$$b_i(x(u)) = \sqrt{\frac{b^2}{(1-b^2)}} N_i, \quad b^2 = a^{ij} b_i b_j,$$
 (22)

where b is the length of the vector b^i .

Again from (21) and (22), we get

$$b^{i} = a^{ij}b_{j} = (1 - b^{2})N^{i} + \frac{2b^{2}y^{i}}{\alpha},$$
(23)

thus we have,

Theorem 4.1. The exponential form of (α, β) -metric, $L(\alpha, \beta) = \alpha e^{\frac{\beta}{\alpha}} + \beta e^{-\frac{\beta}{\alpha}}$ in a Finsler hypersurface $F^{(n-1)}(c)$, the Induced Riemannian metric is given by (19) and the scalar function b(x) is given by (22) and (23).

Now the angular metric tensor h_{ij} and metric tensor g_{ij} of F^n are given by

$$h_{ij} = a_{ij} - b_i b_j - \frac{1}{\alpha^2} Y_i Y_j$$
 and $g_{ij} = a_{ij} + 3b_i b_j + \frac{2}{\alpha} (b_i Y_j + b_j Y_i)$ (24)

From equation (18), (24) and (13) it follows that if $h_{\alpha\beta}^{(a)}$ denote the angular metric tensor of the Riemannian $a_{ij}(x)$ then we have along $F_{(c)}^{n-1}$, $h_{\alpha\beta} = h_{\alpha\beta}^{(a)}$.

Thus along $F_{(c)}^{n-1}$, $\frac{\partial p_0}{\partial \beta} = -\frac{2}{\alpha}$, from equation (8) we get

$$r_1 = \frac{2}{\alpha}, \quad m_i = b_i,$$

then hv-torsion tensor becomes

$$C_{ijk} = \frac{1}{\alpha} (h_{ij}b_k + h_{jk}b_i + h_{ki}b_j) + \frac{1}{\alpha} b_i b_j b_k$$
(25)

in the exponential form of (α, β) -metric of a Finsler hypersurface $F_{(c)}^{(n-1)}$. Due to fact from (13), (14), (15), (18) and (25) we have

$$M_{\alpha\beta} = \frac{1}{\alpha} \sqrt{\frac{b^2}{(1-b^2)}} h_{\alpha\beta} \quad \text{and} \quad M_{\alpha} = 0.$$
(26)

Therefore from equation (17) it follows that $H_{\alpha\beta}$ is symmetric. Thus we have

Theorem 4.2. The second fundamental v-tensor of the exponential form of (α, β) metric with Finsler hypersurface $F_{(c)}^{(n-1)}$ is given by (26) and the second fundamental h-tensor $H_{\alpha\beta}$ is symmetric.

Now from (18) we have $b_i B^i_{\alpha} = 0$. Then we have

$$b_{i|\beta}B^i_{\alpha} + b_i B^i_{\alpha|\beta} = 0$$

Therefore, from (16) and using $b_{i|\beta} = b_{i|j}B^j_{\beta} + b_i|_j N^j H_{\beta}$, we have

$$b_{i|j}B^i_{\alpha}B^j_{\beta} + b_{i|j}B^i_{\alpha}N^jH_{\beta} + b_iH_{\alpha\beta}N^i = 0,$$
⁽²⁷⁾

since $b_i|_j = -b_h C_{ij}^h$, we get

$$b_{i|j}B^i_{\alpha}N^j = 0$$

Therefore from equation (27) we have,

$$\sqrt{\frac{b^2}{(1-b^2)}}H_{\alpha\beta} + b_{i|j}B^i_{\alpha}B^j_{\beta} = 0$$
(28)

because $b_{i|j}$ is symmetric. Now contracting (28) with v^{β} and using (12) we get

$$\sqrt{\frac{b^2}{(1-b^2)}}H_{\alpha} + b_{i|j}B^i_{\alpha}y^j = 0.$$
(29)

Again contracting by v^{α} equation (29) and using (12), we have

$$\sqrt{\frac{b^2}{(1-b^2)}}H_0 + b_{i|j}y^i y^j = 0.$$
(30)

From Lemma 3.1 and 3.2, it is clear that exponential (α, β) -metric with Finsler hypersurface $F_{(c)}^{(n-1)}$ is a hyperplane of first kind if and only if $H_0 = 0$. Thus from (29) it is obvious that $F_{(c)}^{n-1}$ is a hyperplane of first kind if and only if $b_{i|j}y^iy^j = 0$. This $b_{i|j}$ being the covariant derivative with respect to $C\Gamma$ of F^n defined on y^i , but $b_{ij} = \nabla_j b_i$ is the covariant derivative with respect to Riemannian connection $\{i_{ik}\}$ constructed from $a_{ij}(x)$. Hence b_{ij} does not depend on y^i . We shall consider the difference $b_{i|j} - b_{ij}$ where $b_{ij} = \bigtriangledown_j b_i$ in the following. The difference tensor $D_{jk}^i = \Gamma_{jk}^{*i} - \{_{jk}^i\}$ is given by (10). Since b_i is a gradient vector, then from (9) we have

$$E_{ij} = b_{ij}, \quad F_{ij} = 0, \text{ and } F_i^i = 0.$$

Thus (10) reduces to

$$D_{jk}^{i} = B^{i}b_{jk} + B_{j}^{i}b_{0k} + B_{k}^{i}b_{0j} - b_{0m}g^{im}B_{jk} - C_{jm}^{i}A_{k}^{m} - C_{km}^{i}A_{j}^{m} + C_{jkm}A_{s}^{m}g^{is} + \lambda^{s}(C_{jm}^{i}C_{sk}^{m} + C_{km}^{i}C_{sj}^{m} - C_{jk}^{m}C_{ms}^{i}),$$
(31)

where

$$B_{i} = 3b_{i} + 2\alpha^{-1}Y_{i}, \quad B^{i} = -\frac{1}{(1-b^{2})}b^{i} + \frac{2(1-8b^{2})}{\alpha(1-b^{2})}y^{i},$$

$$B_{i}B^{i} = \frac{4-35b^{2}}{1-b^{2}}, \lambda^{m} = B^{m}b_{00}, \quad B_{ij} = \frac{1}{\alpha}(a_{ij} - \frac{Y_{i}Y_{j}}{\alpha^{2}}) - \frac{1}{\alpha}b_{i}b_{j},$$

$$B_{j}^{i} = \frac{1}{\alpha}(\delta_{j}^{i} - \alpha^{-2}Y^{i}Y_{j}) - \frac{4}{\alpha^{2}}b^{i}Y_{j} - \frac{2(1+b^{2})}{\alpha^{2}}b_{j}y^{i} - \frac{8b^{2}}{\alpha^{3}(1-b^{2})}y^{i}Y_{j},$$

$$A_{k}^{m} = B_{k}^{m}b_{00} + B^{m}b_{k0}.$$
(32)

In view of (20) and (21), the relation in (11) becomes to by virtue of (32) we have $B_0^i = 0, \ B_{i0} = 0$ which leads $A_0^m = B^m b_{00}$. Now contracting (31) by y^k we get

$$D_{j0}^{i} = B^{i}b_{j0} + B_{j}^{i}b_{00} - B^{m}C_{jm}^{i}b_{00}.$$

Again contracting the above equation with respect to y^j we have

$$D_{00}^{i} = B^{i}b_{00} = \{-\frac{1}{(1-b^{2})}b^{i} + \frac{2(1-8b^{2})}{\alpha(1-b^{2})}y^{i}\}b_{00}$$

Paying attention to (18), along $F_{(c)}^{(n-1)}$, we get

$$b_i D_{j0}^i = -\frac{b^2}{(1-b^2)} b_{j0} + \frac{1}{\alpha} b_j b_{00} - \frac{4b^2}{\alpha^2 (1-b^2)} Y_j b_{00} - \frac{b^2}{1-b^2} b_i b^m C_{jm}^i b_{00}.$$
 (33)

Now we contract (33) by y^j we have

$$b_i D_{00}^i = -\frac{5b^2}{1-b^2} b_{00}.$$
(34)

From (14), (22), (23), (26) and $M_{\alpha} = 0$, we have

$$b_i b^m C^i_{jm} B^j_\alpha = b^2 M_\alpha = 0.$$

Thus the relation $b_{i|j} = b_{ij} - b_r D_{ij}^r$ the equation (33) and (34) gives

$$b_{i|j}y^iy^j = b_{00} - b_r D_{00}^r = \frac{1+4b^2}{1-b^2}b_{00}$$

Consequently (29) and (30) may be written as

$$\sqrt{\frac{b^2}{1-b^2}}H_{\alpha} + \frac{1+4b^2}{1-b^2}b_{i0}B_{\alpha}^i = 0, \quad \sqrt{\frac{b^2}{1-b^2}}H_0 + \frac{1+4b^2}{1-b^2}b_{00} = 0.$$
(35)

Thus the condition $H_0 = 0$ is equivalent to $b_{00} = 0$. Using the fact $\beta = b_i y^i = 0$ the condition $b_{00} = 0$ can be written as $b_{ij}y^iy^j = b_iy^ib_jy^j$ for some $c_j(x)$. Thus we can write,

$$2b_{ij} = b_i c_j + b_j c_i. aga{36}$$

Now from (18) and (36) we get

$$b_{00} = 0, \quad b_{ij} B^i_{\alpha} B^j_{\beta} = 0, \quad b_{ij} B^i_{\alpha} y^j = 0.$$

Hence from (35) we get $H_{\alpha} = 0$, again from (36) and (32) we get $b_{i0}b^i = \frac{c_0b^2}{2}$, $\lambda^m = 0$, $A^i_j B^j_{\beta} = 0$ and $B_{ij} B^i_{\alpha} B^j_{\beta} = \frac{1}{\alpha} h_{\alpha\beta}$.

Now we use equation (14), (21), (22), (23), (26) and (31) then we have

$$b_r D^r_{ij} B^i_{\alpha} B^j_{\beta} = -\frac{c_0 b^3}{2\alpha (1-b^2)^{3/2}} h_{\alpha\beta}.$$
(37)

Thus the equation (28) reduces to

$$H_{\alpha\beta} + \frac{c_0 b^2}{2\alpha (1 - b^2)} h_{\alpha\beta} = 0.$$
 (38)

Hence the hypersurface $F_{(c)}^{n-1}$ is umbilical.

Theorem 4.3. The necessary and sufficient condition for a exponential form of (α, β) -metric in Finsler hypersurface $F_{(c)}^{(n-1)}$ to be a hyperplane of first kind is (36). In this case the second fundamental tensor of $F_{(c)}^{n-1}$ is proportional to its angular metric tensor.

Now from Lemma 3.3, $F_{(c)}^{(n-1)}$ is a hyperplane of second kind if and only if $H_{\alpha} = 0$ and $H_{\alpha\beta} = 0$. Thus from (37), we get

$$c_0 = c_i(x)y^i = 0.$$

Therefore there exists a function $\psi(x)$ such that

$$c_i(x) = \psi(x)b_i(x)$$

Therefore (36) we get

$$2b_{ij} = b_i(x)\psi(x)b_j(x) + b_j(x)\psi(x)b_i(x)$$

This can also be written as

$$b_{ij} = \psi(x)b_i b_j.$$

Theorem 4.4. The necessary and sufficient condition for a exponential form of (α,β) -metric in Finsler hypersurface $F_{(c)}^{(n-1)}$ to be a hyperplane of second kind is (38).

Again Lemma 4.4, together with (26) and $M_{\alpha} = 0$ shows that $F_{(c)}^{n-1}$ does not become a hyperplane of third kind.

Theorem 4.5. The exponential form of (α, β) -metric in a Finsler hypersurface $F_{(c)}^{(n-1)}$ is not a hyperplane of the third kind.

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