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## Certain Properties of Mixed Super Quasi Einstein Manifolds

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#### **Abstract**

In this paper we have defined mixed super quasi –Einstein manifold  $MS(QE)_n$  which is more generalized form of Einstein manifold, quasi –Einstein manifold, generalized quasi –Einstein manifold and super quasi –Einstein manifold. In this paper it has been shown that  $MS(QE)_n(n > 3)$  is a  $MS(QC)_n$  if it is conformally flat. Moreover, it is shown that  $MS(QC)_n(n > 3)$  is a conformally flat  $MS(QE)_n$  and an example of mixed super quasi Einstein manifold is also given. Properties of the curvature tensor in a conformally flat, projectively flat and conharmonically flat manifold have been discussed.

It has also been shown that a totally umbilical hypersurface of a conharmonically flat  $MS(QE)_n(n > 3)$  is a manifold of mixed super quasi-constant curvature.

**Keywords**: Quasi- Einstein manifolds, Mixed super quasi-Einstein manifolds, Projectively flat, Conharmonically flat, Totally umbilical.

#### 1 Preliminaries

A non-flat Riemannian manifold  $(M^n, g)(n \ge 3)$  is called quasi Einstein manifold if its Ricci tensor S of type (0,2) is not identically zero and satisfies

$$(1.1) S(X,Y) = ag(X,Y) + bA(X)A(Y)$$

where a, b are scalars  $b \neq 0$  and A is a non-zero 1-form such that

(1.2) 
$$g(X,U) = A(X), \quad \forall X \text{ tangents to } M^n$$

and U is a unit vector field. In such case a,b are called the associated 1-forms and U the generator of the manifold. Such an n-dimensional manifold is denoted by  $(QE)_n$ .

The notion of mixed generalized quasi Einstein manifold was introduced by A.Bhattacharya, T.De and D.Debnath in their paper [1].A non- flat Riemannian manifold  $(M^n, g)(n \ge 3)$  is called mixed generalized quasi Einstein manifold if the Ricci tensor S of type (0,2) is not identically zero and satisfies

(1.3) 
$$S(X,Y) = ag(X,Y) + bA(X)A(Y) + cB(X)B(Y) + d[A(X)B(Y) + A(Y)B(X)]$$

where a,b,c,d are scalars,  $b \neq 0, c \neq 0, d \neq 0$  and A,B are two non-zero 1-forms such that

(1.4) 
$$g(X,U) = A(X)$$
,  $g(X,V) = B(X)$ ,  $\forall X$  tangents to  $M^n$  and

$$g(U,V) = 0$$

where U,V are unit vector fields. In such a case a.b,c,d are called associated scalars, A,B the associated 1-forms and U,V the generators of the manifold. Such n-dimensional manifold is denoted by  $MG(QE)_n$ .

As a further generalization of quasi-Einstein manifold we introduce the notion of mixed super quasi-Einstein manifold. A non flat Riemannian manifold  $(M^n, g)(n \ge 3)$  will be called a mixed super quasi-Einstein manifold if its Ricci tensor S of type (0,2) is not identically zero and satisfies the condition

(1.5) 
$$S(X,Y) = ag(X,Y) + bA(X)A(Y) + cB(X)B(Y) + d[A(X)B(Y) + A(Y)B(X)] + eD(X,Y)$$

where a,b,c,d,e are scalars and  $b \neq 0,c \neq 0,d \neq 0,e \neq 0$ . A, B are `two non zero 1-forms such that (1.4) is satisfied , U,V mutually orthogonal unit vector fields and D is a symmetric (0,2) type of tensor field with zero trace and satisfies

(1.6) 
$$D(X,U) = 0$$
,  $\forall X \text{ tangents to } M^n$ .

In such a case a,b,c,d,e are called associated scalars . A,B the associated 1-forms U,V the generators and D the associated tensor of the manifold . Such an n-dimensional manifold will be denoted by  $MS(QE)_n$ .

Chen and Yano [2] introduced the notion of a manifold of quasi constant curvature. According to them a non-flat Riemannian manifold  $(M^n, g)(n > 2)$  is said to be of quasi -constant curvature if its curvature tensor R of type (0,4) satisfies the condition

(1.7) 
$$R(X,Y,Z,W) = a[g(Y,Z)g(X,W) - g(X,Z)g(Y,W)] + b[g(Y,Z)A(X)A(W) - g(X,Z)A(Y)A(W)]$$

$$+g(X,W)A(Y)A(Z)-g(Y,W)A(X)A(Z)$$

where a,b are scalars of which  $b \neq 0$  and A is a non zero 1-form defined by (1.2) and U a unit vector field. In such a case a,b are called the associated scalars, A is called the associated 1-form and U the generator of the manifold. Such an n-dimensional manifold is denoted by the symbol  $(QC)_n$ .

The idea of mixed generalised quasi-constant curvature was introduced by Bhatt , De and Debnath in their paper [1].

Let us call a non-flat Riemannian manifold  $(M^n, g)(n \ge 3)$  a manifold of mixed super quasiconstant curvature if its curvature tensor R of type (0, 4) satisfies

$$(1.8) \qquad R(X,Y,Z,W) = a[g(Y,Z)g(X,W) - g(X,Z)g(Y,W)] \\ +b[g(Y,Z)A(X)A(W) - g(X,Z)A(Y)A(W) \\ +g(X,W)A(Y)A(Z) - g(Y,W)A(X)A(Z)] \\ +c[g(Y,Z)B(X)B(W) - g(X,Z)B(Y)B(W) \\ +g(X,W)B(Y)B(Z) - g(Y,W)B(X)B(Z)] \\ +d[g(Y,Z)\{A(X)B(W) + A(W)B(X)\} \\ -g(X,Z)\{A(Y)B(W) + A(W)B(Y)\} \\ +g(X,W)\{A(Y)B(Z) + A(Z)B(Y)\} \\ -g(Y,W)\{A(X)B(Z) + A(Z)B(X)\}] \\ +e[g(Y,Z)D(X,W) - g(X,Z)D(Y,W) \\ +g(X,W)D(Y,Z) - g(Y,W)D(X,Z)]$$

where a,b,c,d,e are scalars such that  $b \neq 0, c \neq 0, d \neq 0, e \neq 0$  and A,B are two non-zero1- forms defined by(1.4), U,V being two unit vector fields such that g(U,V)=0 and D is a symmetric tensor of type (0,2) defined as (1.6). Such an n-dimensional manifold shall be denoted by the symbol  $MS(QC)_n$ .

If in (1.8) e = 0 then the manifold becomes a manifold of mixed generalized quasi-constant curvature  $MS(QC)_n$ .

## 2 Some Results on Mixed Super Quasi Einstein manifold MS(QE),

We consider an  $MS(QE)_n(n > 2)$  with associated scalars  $a,b,c,d,e(b \ne 0,c \ne 0,d \ne o,e \ne 0)$  associated 1-forms A,B generators U,V and associated symmetric (0,2) tensor field D.

Then equations (1.4),(1.5) and (1.6) will hold good. Since U,V are mutually orthogonal unit vector fields, we have

$$g(U,U)=1, \qquad \qquad g(V,V)=1, \qquad \qquad g(U,V)=0 \, .$$
 Further

(2.2) traceD=0 and D(X,U) = 0, D(X,V) = 0  $\forall X$  tangents to  $M^n$ .

By virtue of the equation (1.4), we can write the equation (2.1) in the form

(2.3) 
$$A(U) = 1, B(V) = 1, A(V) = 0, B(U) = 0$$

Now contracting (1.5) over X and Y we get

r = na + b + c, where r denotes the scalar curvature.

Again from (1.5) we get

$$S(U,U) = a+b, \qquad S(V,V) = a+c+eD(V,V)$$
 
$$S(U,V) = d$$

Let L and l be the symmetric endomorphisms of the tangent space at each point corresponding to the Ricci tensor S and the associated tensor D respectively. Then

$$g(LX,Y) = S(X,Y)$$

And

$$\forall X, Y \text{ tangents to } M^n$$
.

$$(2.4) g(lX,Y) = D(X,Y)$$

In an n-dimensional (n > 2) Riemannian manifold the quasi-conformal curvature tensor is defined as [5]

(2.5) 
$$C(X,Y,Z,W) = a_1 R(X,Y,Z,W) + b_1 [S(Y,Z)g(X,W) - S(X,Z)g(Y,W) + g(Y,Z)S(X,W) - g(X,Z)S(Y,W)] - \frac{r}{n} [\frac{a_1}{n-1} + 2b_1][g(Y,Z)g(X,W) - g(X,Z)g(Y,W)]$$

where

$$g(C(X,Y)Z,W) = C(X,Y,Z,W)$$

If  $a_1 = 1$ ,  $b_1 = \frac{-1}{n-2}$  then (2.5) takes the form of conformal curvature tensor, where

(2.6) 
$$C(X,Y,Z,W) = R(X,Y,Z,W) + \frac{-1}{(n-2)} [S(Y,Z)g(X,W) - S(X,Z)g(Y,W) + g(Y,Z)S(X,W) - g(X,Z)S(Y,W)] - \frac{r}{(n-1)(n-2)} [g(Y,Z)g(X,W) - g(X,Z)g(Y,W)]$$

The conharmonic curvature tensor in an n-dimensional Riemannian manifold (n > 2) is defined as

(2.7) 
$$H(X,Y,Z,W) = R(X,Y,Z,W) - \frac{1}{(n-2)} [S(Y,Z)g(X,W) - S(X,Z)g(Y,W) + g(Y,Z)S(X,W) - g(X,Z)S(Y,W)]$$

The projective curvature tensor in an n-dimensional Riemannian manifold (n > 2) is defined as

(2.8) 
$$P(X,Y,Z,W) = R(X,Y,Z,W) - \frac{1}{(p-1)} [S(Y,Z)g(X,W) - S(X,Z)g(Y,W)]$$

## **3** Conformally Flat $MS(QE)_n(n > 3)$

In this section we consider a conformally flat  $MS(QE)_n (n > 3)$  and it has been shown that such a  $MS(QE)_n$  is a  $MS(QC)_n$ .

It is clear that [4] in a conformally flat Riemannian manifold  $(M^n, g)(n > 3)$  the curvature tensor R of type (0,4) has the following form:

(3.1) 
$$R(X,Y,Z,W) = \frac{1}{(n-2)} [S(Y,Z)g(X,W) - S(X,Z)g(Y,W) + g(Y,Z)S(X,W) - g(X,Z)S(Y,W)] - \frac{r}{(n-1)(n-2)} [g(Y,Z)g(X,W) - g(X,Z)g(Y,W)]$$

where R is defined earlier.

Now using (1.5) we can express (3.1) as follows

$$(3.2) R(X,Y,Z,W) = a_1[g(Y,Z)g(X,W) - g(X,Z)g(Y,W)]$$

$$+b_1[g(Y,Z)A(X)A(W) - g(X,Z)A(Y)A(W)$$

$$+g(X,W)A(Y)A(Z) - g(Y,W)A(X)A(Z)]$$

$$+c_1[g(Y,Z)B(X)B(W) - g(X,Z)B(Y)B(W)$$

$$+g(X,W)B(Y)B(Z) - g(Y,W)B(X)B(Z)]$$

$$+d_1[g(Y,Z)\{A(X)B(W) + A(W)B(X)\}$$

$$-g(X,Z)\{A(Y)B(W) + A(W)B(Y)\}$$

$$+g(X,W)\{A(Y)B(Z) + A(Z)B(Y)\}$$

$$-g(Y,W)\{A(X)B(Z) + A(Z)B(X)\}]$$

$$+e_1[g(Y,Z)D(X,W) - g(X,Z)D(Y,W)$$

$$+g(X,W)D(Y,Z) - g(Y,W)D(X,Z)]$$

where

$$a_1 = \frac{2a(n-1)-r}{(n-1)(n-2)},$$
  $b_1 = \frac{b}{(n-2)},$   $c_1 = \frac{c}{(n-2)},$  
$$d_1 = \frac{d}{(n-2)},$$
  $e_1 = \frac{e}{(n-2)}.$ 

In view of (1.8) it follows from (3.2) that the manifold under consideration is a  $MS(QC)_n(b_1 \neq 0, c_1 \neq 0, d_1 \neq 0, e_1 \neq 0)$ . Therefore we have the following theorem:

**Theorem 1**: Every conformally flat  $MS(QE)_n (n > 3)$  is a  $MS(QC)_n$ .

Also, we proved that every  $MS(QC)_n (n \ge 3)$  is a  $MS(QE)_n$ . Contracting (1.8) over Y and Z we get

(3.3) 
$$S(X,W) = [a(n-1)+b+c]g(X,W)+b(n-2)A(X)A(W) + c(n-2)B(X)B(W)+d(n-2)[A(X)B(W)+A(W)B(X)] + e(n-2)D(X,W)$$

In virtue of (1.5), it follows that a  $MS(QC)_n (n \ge 3)$  is a  $MS(QE)_n$ . (Since  $b \ne 0, c \ne 0, d \ne 0, e \ne 0$ ).

Again contracting (3.3) over X and W, we have (3.4) r = (n-1)(na+2b+2c)

In a Riemannian manifold  $(M^n, g)(n > 3)$  the conformal curvature tensor C of type (0,4) has the following form:

(3.5) 
$$C(X,Y,Z,W) = R(X,Y,Z,W) - \frac{1}{(n-2)} [S(Y,Z)g(X,W) - S(X,Z)g(Y,W) + g(Y,Z)S(X,W) - g(X,Z)S(Y,W)] + \frac{r}{(n-1)(n-2)} [g(Y,Z)g(X,W) - g(X,Z)g(Y,W)]$$

Using (1.8), (3.3) and (3.4) it follows from (3.5) that

$$C(X,Y,Z,W)=0$$

i.e the manifold under consideration is conformally flat. Thus we can state the following theorem:

**Theorem 2**: Every  $MS(QC)_n (n \ge 3)$  is a  $MS(QE)_n$  while every  $MS(QC)_n (n > 3)$  is a conformally flat  $MS(QE)_n$ .

**Example**: A manifold of mixed super quasi constant curvature is a mixed super quasi Einstein manifold.

#### 4 **Projectively Flat** $MS(QE)_n(n > 2)$

Let R be the curvature tensor of type (1,3) of a projectively flat  $MS(QE)_n (n > 2)$ . Then from (2.8) we have

(4.1) 
$$R(X,Y,Z,W) = \frac{1}{(n-1)} [g(X,W)S(Y,Z) - g(Y,W)S(X,Z)]$$

where R is defined earlier.

From (1.5) and (4.1) we have

$$(4.2) \qquad R(X,Y,Z,W) = a_{2}[g(Y,Z)g(X,W) - g(X,Z)g(Y,W)]$$

$$+b_{2}[g(X,W)A(Y)A(Z) - g(Y,W)A(X)A(Z)]$$

$$+c_{2}[g(X,W)B(Y)B(Z) - g(Y,W)B(X)B(Z)]$$

$$+d_{2}[g(X,W)\{A(Y)B(Z) + A(Z)B(Y)\}$$

$$-g(Y,W)\{A(X)B(Z) + A(Z)B(X)\}]$$

$$+e_{2}[g(X,W)D(Y,Z) - g(Y,W)D(X,Z)]$$

where  $a_2 = \frac{a}{(n-1)}$ ,  $b_2 = \frac{b}{(n-1)}$ ,  $c_2 = \frac{c}{(n-1)}$ ,  $d_2 = \frac{d}{(n-1)}$ ,  $e_2 = \frac{e}{(n-1)}$ .

Let  $U^{\perp}$  be the (n-1) distribution orthogonal to U in a projectively flat  $MS(QE)_n$ . Then g(X,U)=0 if  $X \in U^{\perp}$ .

Hence from (4.2) we have the following properties of R

(4.3) 
$$R(X,Y,Z) = a_2[g(Y,Z)X - g(X,Z)Y] + c_2[B(Y)B(Z)X - B(X)B(Z)Y] + e_3[D(Y,Z)X - D(X,Z)Y]$$

when  $X, Y, Z \in U^{\perp}$  and  $a_2 = \frac{a}{(n-1)}$ ,  $c_2 = \frac{c}{(n-1)}$ ,  $e_2 = \frac{e}{(n-1)}$ . Also

$$(4.4) R(X,U,U) = a_2 X, \text{when } X \in U^{\perp}.$$

Therefore we can state the following theorem:

**Theorem 3**: A projectively flat  $MS(QE)_n(n > 2)$  is a manifold of mixed super quasi constant cuvature and the curvature tensor R of type (1,3) satisfies the properties given by (4.3) and (4.4).

#### 5 Conharmonically Flat $MS(QE)_n (n > 3)$

Let R be the curvature tensor of type (1,3) of a Conharmonically flat  $MS(QE)_n (n > 3)$ . Then from (2.7) we have

(5.1) 
$$R(X,Y,Z,W) = \frac{1}{(n-2)} [S(Y,Z)g(X,W) - S(X,Z)g(Y,W) + g(Y,Z)S(X,W) - g(X,Z)S(Y,W)]$$

where R is defined earlier. From (1.5) and (5.1) we have

$$(5.2) \qquad R(X,Y,Z,W) = a_3[g(Y,Z)g(X,W) - g(X,Z)g(Y,W)]$$

$$+b_3[g(Y,Z)A(X)A(W) - g(X,Z)A(Y)A(W)$$

$$+g(X,W)A(Y)A(Z) - g(Y,W)A(X)A(Z)]$$

$$+c_3[g(Y,Z)B(X)B(W) - g(X,Z)B(Y)B(W)$$

$$+g(X,W)B(Y)B(Z) - g(Y,W)B(X)B(Z)]$$

$$+d_3[g(Y,Z)\{A(X)B(W) + A(W)B(X)\}$$

$$-g(X,Z)\{A(Y)B(W) + A(W)B(Y)\}$$

$$+g(X,W)\{A(Y)B(Z) + A(Z)B(Y)\}$$

$$-g(Y,W)\{A(X)B(Z) + A(Z)B(X)\}]$$

$$+e_3[g(Y,Z)D(X,W) - g(X,Z)D(Y,W)$$

$$+g(X,W)D(Y,Z) - g(Y,W)D(X,Z)]$$

where 
$$a_3 = \frac{2a}{(n-2)}$$
,  $b_3 = \frac{b}{(n-2)}$ ,  $c_3 = \frac{c}{(n-2)}$ ,  $d_3 = \frac{d}{(n-2)}$ ,  $e_3 = \frac{e}{(n-2)}$ .

Let  $U^{\perp}$  be the (n-1) distribution orthogonal to U in a conharmonically flat  $MS(QE)_n (n > 3)$ . Then g(X,U) = 0 if  $X \in U^{\perp}$ .

Hence from (5.2) we get the following properties of R

(5.3) 
$$R(X,Y,Z) = a_{3}[Xg(Y,Z) - Yg(X,Z)]$$

$$+c_{3}[XB(Y)B(Z) - YB(X)B(Z)$$

$$+g(Y,Z)B(X)V - g(X,Z)B(Y)V]$$

$$+d_{3}[g(Y,Z)UB(X) - g(X,Z)UB(Y)]$$

$$+e_{3}[XD(Y,Z) - YD(X,Z)$$

$$+g(Y,Z)lX - g(X,Z)lY]$$

when  $X, Y, Z \in U^{\perp}$  and  $a_3 = \frac{2a}{(n-2)}$ ,  $c_3 = \frac{c}{(n-2)}$ ,  $d_3 = \frac{d}{(n-2)}$ ,  $e_3 = \frac{e}{(n-2)}$ . Also

(5.4) 
$$R(X,U,U) = a_3X + c_3B(X)V + d_3B(X)U + e_3lX$$
, where  $X \in U^{\perp}$ .

Therefore we can state the following theorem:

**Theorem 4**: A conharmonically flat  $MS(QE)_n(n>3)$  is a manifold of mixed super quasi constant curvature and the curvature tensor R of type (1,3) satisfies the property given by (5.3) and (5.4).

# **Totally Umbilical Hypersurfaces of a Conharmonically Flat** $MS(QE)_n (n > 3)$

In this section we consider a hypersurface  $(\overline{M}^{n-1}, \overline{g})$  of a conharmonically flat  $MS(QE)_n (n > 3)$  and denote its curvature tensor of the hypersurface by  $\overline{R}$ . Then we have the following theorem of Gauss [4].

(6.1) 
$$g(R(X,Y,Z),W) = \overline{g}(\overline{R}(X,Y,Z),W) - \overline{g}[h(X,W),h(Y,Z)] + \overline{g}[h(Y,W),h(X,Z)]$$

where R is the curvature tensor of  $MS(QE)_n$ ,  $\overline{g}$  is the metric tensor of the hypersurface and h is the second fundamental form of the hypersurface and X,Y,Z,W are vector fields tangent to the hypersurface.

If 
$$h(X,Y) = \overline{g}(X,Y)\mu$$

where  $\mu$  is mean curvature of  $\overline{M}$ , then hypersurface is said to be totally umbilical [7]. Let us suppose that hypersurface  $\overline{M}$  under consideration is totally umbilical then using (5.2) we can express (6.1) as follows

(6.2) 
$$\overline{g}(\overline{R}(X,Y,Z),W) = g(R(X,Y,Z),W) + \overline{g}[h(X,W),h(Y,Z)]$$
$$-\overline{g}[h(Y,W),h(X,Z)]$$
$$= (a_3 + |\mu|^2)[\overline{g}(Y,Z)\overline{g}(X,W) - \overline{g}(X,Z)\overline{g}(Y,W)]$$
$$+b_3[\overline{g}(X,W)A(Y)A(Z) - \overline{g}(Y,W)A(X)A(Z)$$

$$\begin{split} &+ \overline{g}(Y,Z)A(X)A(W) - \overline{g}(X,Z)A(Y)A(W)] \\ &+ c_3[\overline{g}(X,W)B(Y)B(Z) - \overline{g}(Y,W)B(X)B(Z) \\ &+ \overline{g}(Y,Z)B(X)B(W) - \overline{g}(X,Z)B(Y)B(W)] \\ &+ d_3[\overline{g}(X,W)\{A(Y)B(Z) + A(Z)B(Y)\} \\ &- \overline{g}(Y,W)\{A(X)B(Z) + A(Z)B(X)\} \\ &+ \overline{g}(Y,Z)\{A(X)B(W) + A(W)B(X)\} \\ &- \overline{g}(X,Z)\{A(Y)B(W) + A(W)B(Y)\}] \\ &+ e_3[\overline{g}(X,W)D(Y,Z) - \overline{g}(Y,W)D(X,Z) \\ &+ \overline{g}(Y,Z)D(X,W) - \overline{g}(X,Z)D(Y,W)] \end{split}$$

where 
$$a_3 = \frac{2a}{n-2}$$
,  $b_3 = \frac{b}{n-2}$ ,  $c_3 = \frac{c}{n-2}$ ,  $d_3 = \frac{d}{n-2}$ ,  $e_3 = \frac{e}{n-2}$ .

In virtue of (1.8) it follows from (6.2) that the hypersurface under consideration is mixed super quasi constant curvature. Hence we have the following theorem:

**Theorem 5**: A totally umbilical hypersurface of a conharmonically flat  $MS(QE)_n(n > 3)$  is a manifold of mixed super quasi constant curvature.

#### 7 Necessary Condition for the Validity of the Relation R(X,Y).S=0

In a  $MS(QE)_n$  we can write

(7.1) 
$$[R(X,Y).S](Z,W) = -S(R(X,Y)Z,W) - S(Z,R(X,Y)W)$$

Making use of the equation (1.5), we can write (1.7) as

$$[R(X,Y).S](Z,W) = -[ag(R(X,Y)Z,W) + bA(R(X,Y)Z)A(W) \\ + cB(R(X,Y)Z)B(W) + dA(R(X,Y)Z)B(W) \\ + dA(W)B(R(X,Y)Z) + eD(R(X,Y)Z,W)] \\ -[ag(Z,R(X,Y)W) + bA(Z)A(R(X,Y)W) \\ + cB(Z)B(R(X,Y)W) + dA(Z)B(R(X,Y)W) \\ + dA(R(X,Y)W)B(Z) + eD(Z,R(X,Y)W)] \\ = -[bA(R(X,Y)Z)A(W) + cB(R(X,Y)Z)B(W) \\ + dA(R(X,Y)Z)B(W) + dA(W)B(R(X,Y)Z) \\ + eD(R(X,Y)Z,W)] \\ -[bA(Z)A(R(X,Y)W) + cB(Z)B(R(X,Y)W) \\ + dA(Z)B(R(X,Y)W) + dA(R(X,Y)W)B(Z) \\ + eD(Z,R(X,Y)W)]$$

In general R(X,Y).S=0 does not hold good. The necessary condition for the validity of the relation R(X,Y).S=0 for any vector fields X and Y is

(7.2) 
$$bA(R(X,Y)Z)A(W) + cB(R(X,Y)Z)B(W) + dA(R(X,Y)Z)B(W) + dA(W)B(R(X,Y)Z) + eD(R(X,Y)Z,W)] + bA(Z)A(R(X,Y)W) + cB(Z)B(R(X,Y)W) + dA(Z)B(R(X,Y)W) + dA(R(X,Y)W)B(Z) + eD(Z,R(X,Y)W) = 0$$

Putting W = U in (7.2) we get

(7.3) 
$$bA(R(X,Y)Z) + dB(R(X,Y)Z) - eA(R(X,Y)IZ) = 0$$

Therefore we can state the following theorem:

**Theorem 6**: In a  $MS(QE)_n$  the necessary condition for the validity of the relation R(X,Y).S = 0 is given by equation (7.3).

#### 8 Necessary Condition for the Validity of the Relation R(X,Y).D=0

(8.1) 
$$[R(X,Y)D](Z,W) = D(R(X,Y)Z,W) + D(R(X,Y)W,Z)$$

$$= g(lR(X,Y)Z,W) + g(lR(X,Y)W,Z)$$
 (using (2.4))

It is clear from equation (8.1) that in the  $MS(QE)_n$  the relation R(X,Y).D=0 does not hold good.

Therefore necessary condition for the validity of the relation R(X,Y).D=0 for any vector fields X and Y is

(8.2) 
$$g(lR(X,Y)Z,W) + g(lR(X,Y)W,Z) = 0$$

Putting W = U in (8.2) we have

$$g(lR(X,Y)Z,U) + g(lR(X,Y)U,Z) = 0$$
 or, 
$$g(R(X,Y)U,lZ) = 0$$
 (using(1.6)) or, 
$$-g(R(X,Y)lZ,U) = 0$$

From above equation it follows that

(8.3) 
$$A(R(X,Y)lZ) = 0$$
 (using(1.2))

Therefore we can state the following theorem:

Theorem7: In a  $MS(QE)_n$  the necessary condition for the validity of the relation R(X,Y).D=0 is given by equation (8.3).

#### 9 Physical Interpretation

P.Chakraborti, M.Bandyopadhyay and M.Barua in [9] and S.Guha in [10] found that a perfect fluid space- time satisfying Einstein's equation without cosmological constant is a 4-dimensional semi-Riemannian quasi-Einstein manifold and a non-viscous fluid space time admitting heat flux satisfying Einstein's equation without cosmological constant is a 4-dimensional semi-Riemannian generalized quasi-Einstein manifold.

The importance of  $MS(QE)_n$  is that such a four dimensional semi-Riemannian manifold is relevant to the study of general relativistic viscous fluid space- time admitting heat flux, where U is taken as the velocity vector field of the fluid, V is taken as the heat flux vector field and D as the anisotropic pressure tensor of the fluid.

The energy momentum tensor of type (0,2) in [8] representing the matter distribution of a viscous fluid space-time admitting heat flux is of the form

(9.1) 
$$T(X,Y) = (\sigma + \rho)\{A(X)A(Y) + B(X)B(Y)\} + \rho g(X,Y) + [A(X)B(Y) + A(Y)B(X)] + D(X,Y)$$

where  $\sigma, \rho$  denote the density and isotropic pressure and D denotes the anisotropic pressure tensor of the fluid, U is the unit time like velocity vector field of the fluid such that g(X,U) = A(X) and V is the heat flux vector field such that g(X,V) = B(X), U and V being mutually orthogonal. Then

(9.2) 
$$g(U,U) = -1$$
,  $g(V,V) = 1$ ,  $g(U,V) = 0$   
(9.3)  $D(X,Y) = D(Y,X)$  trace  $D = O$  and  $D(X,U) = 0$   $\forall X$ .

Now, Einstein's equation without cosmological constant is of the form [11]

(9.4) 
$$S(X,Y) - \frac{1}{2}rg(X,Y) = kT(X,Y)$$

where k is the gravitational constant.

Using equations (9.1) and (9.4) we get

$$S(X,Y) - \frac{1}{2}rg(X,Y) = k(\sigma + \rho)\{A(X)A(Y) + B(X)B(Y)\}$$
  
 
$$+ k\rho g(X,Y) + k[A(X)B(Y) + A(Y)B(X)] + kD(X,Y)$$

Therefore

(9.5) 
$$S(X,Y) = (k\rho + \frac{1}{2}r)g(X,Y) + k(\sigma + \rho)\{A(X)A(Y) + B(X)B(Y)\} + k[A(X)B(Y) + A(Y)B(X)] + kD(X,Y)$$

Using (9.2), (9.3) and (9.5) we get

$$(9.6) S(U,U) = \frac{k}{2}(\sigma + 3\rho)$$

(9.7) 
$$S(V,V) = \frac{k}{2}(\sigma + \rho) + kD(V,V)$$

$$(9.8) S(U,V) = -k$$

Solving equations (9.6), (9.7) and (9.8) we get

(9.9) 
$$\sigma = \frac{S(U,U)}{S(U,V)} - 3\frac{S(V,V)}{S(U,V)} - 3D(V,V)$$

And

(9.10) 
$$\rho = -\frac{S(U,U)}{S(U,V)} + \frac{S(V,V)}{S(U,V)} + D(V,V)$$

Therefore we can state the following theorem:

**Theorem 8**: In a viscous fluid space-time admitting heat flux with an anisotropic tensor field D and satisfying Einstein's equation without cosmological constant the energy density and the isotropic pressure are given by (9.9) and (9.10) respectively.

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