

RIEMANNIAN CURVATURES OF THE FOUR BASIC CLASSES OF REAL HYPERSURFACES OF A COMPLEX SPACE FORM

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Abstract. Any real hypersurface of a Kähler manifold carries a natural almost contact metric structure. There are four basic classes of real hypersurfaces of a Kähler manifold with respect to the induced almost contact metric structure. In this paper we study the basic classes of real hypersurfaces of a complex space form in terms of their Riemannian curvatures.

1. Introduction

Let $\bar{M}^{2n+2}(J, G)$ be an almost Hermitian manifold with almost complex structure J and Riemannian metric $G: J^2 = -\text{Id}$, $G(J\bar{X}, J\bar{Y}) = G(\bar{X}, \bar{Y})$, $\bar{X}, \bar{Y} \in \mathfrak{X}\bar{M}^{2n+2}$.

If M^{2n+1} is a hypersurface in \bar{M}^{2n+2} with a unit normal vector field N , then there arises naturally an almost contact metric structure (φ, ξ, η, g) on M^{2n+1} in the following way [3, 10, 12]:

$$\begin{aligned} \xi &= -JN, \quad g = G|_M, \quad \varphi = J - \eta \otimes N, \\ \eta(X) &= g(\xi, X), \quad X \in \mathfrak{X}M^{2n+1}. \end{aligned}$$

Let ∇ and ∇' be the Levi-Civita connections on M^{2n+1} and \bar{M}^{2n+2} , respectively. We denote by Φ the fundamental 2-form of the structure (φ, ξ, η, g)

$$\Phi(X, Y) = g(X, \varphi Y), \quad X, Y \in \mathfrak{X}M^{2n+1}$$

and by $F' = -\nabla'\Phi$, $F = \nabla\Phi$. If A is the shape operator and $h(X, Y) = g(AX, Y)$, $X, Y \in \mathfrak{X}M^{2n+1}$ is the second fundamental tensor of M^{2n+1} ,