

Natural tensor fields of type $(0, 2)$ on the tangent and cotangent bundles of a Fedosov manifold

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Abstract. To any $(0,2)$ -tensor field on the tangent and cotangent bundles of a Fedosov manifold, we associate a global matrix function ‘mutatis mutandis’ as in the semi-Riemannian case. Based on this fact, natural $(0,2)$ -tensor fields on these bundles are defined and characterized.

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1 Introduction

Let M be a manifold of dimension $2n$, $\omega \in \Omega^2(M)$ a non-degenerate closed 2-form on M and ∇ a free of torsion linear connection compatible with ω ; i.e., $X\omega(Y, Z) = \omega(\nabla_X Y, Z) + \omega(Y, \nabla_X Z)$ for any vector fields on M , $X, Y, Z \in \mathfrak{X}(M)$.

The triple (M, ω, ∇) is called a Fedosov manifold. For a detailed study of these manifolds we refer to [3]. Fedosov manifolds constitute a natural generalization of Kähler manifolds. In fact, let \langle, \rangle be a semi-Riemannian metric on M with Levi-Civita connection ∇ and J an almost complex structure on M which satisfies $\langle J(X), J(Y) \rangle = \langle X, Y \rangle$ and $J(\nabla_X Y) = \nabla_X JY$ for any $X, Y \in \mathfrak{X}(M)$; i.e., (M, \langle, \rangle, J) is a Kähler manifold.

By defining $\omega(X, Y) = \langle J(X), Y \rangle$, it follows that (M, ω, ∇) is a Fedosov manifold.

In contrast, there are Fedosov manifolds which do not admit Kähler structure ([2]).

In [1], we lifted to suitable bundles $(0,2)$ -tensor fields defined on tangent and cotangent bundles over manifolds endowed with semi-Riemannian metrics so as to look at them as global matrix functions. These matrix representations allowed us to define and classify natural $(0,2)$ -tensor fields with respect to semi-Riemannian metrics. The main result that lets us characterize these tensor fields is Theorem 2.1 of [1]. In this paper, the main result is Theorem 2.1. We apply this result to characterize natural $(0,2)$ -tensor fields on tangent (Proposition 3.1) and cotangent (Proposition 4.1) bundles over Fedosov manifolds.

Throughout, all geometric objects are assumed to be differentiable, i.e. C^∞ .

2 The main result

For any integer $n \geq 1$, let $S = (s_{ij}) \in \mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2n}$ be the matrix

$$S = \left(\begin{array}{c|c} 0 & I_n \\ \hline -I_n & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

where $I_n \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ is the unit matrix. Hence,

$$s_{ij} = \begin{cases} -1 & \text{if } i - j = n \\ 1 & \text{if } j - i = n \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Let $\mathcal{G} = S_p(2n)$ be the real symplectic group ; i.e., $a \in \mathcal{G}$ if and only if $a.S.a^t = S$.

Theorem 2.1. *Let $A : \mathbb{R}^{2n} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2n}$ be a differentiable map which satisfies*

$$A(x) = a.A(x.a).a^t$$

for any $a \in \mathcal{G}$ and $x \in \mathbb{R}^{2n}$. Then, there exist $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$ such that

$$A(x) = \alpha.S + \beta.(x.S)^t.(x.S)$$

where $y^t y = (y_{ij}) \in \mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2n}$ is the matrix defined by $y_{ij} = y_i.y_j$, if $y = (y_1, \dots, y_{2n})$.

We will prove this theorem using the following two results

Proposition 2.2. *If $x, y \in \mathbb{R}^{2n}$ are non-zero vectors, there exists $a \in \mathcal{G}$ such that $y = x.a$.*

Proof. Let $e_1, \dots, e_{2n} \in \mathbb{R}^{2n}$ be the canonical basis. We need only to check the case when $x = e_1$.

It is well known (see [4]) that there exists a symplectic basis v_1, \dots, v_{2n} of \mathbb{R}^{2n} ; i.e.,

$$(2.2.1) \quad v_i S v_j^t = s_{ij} \quad , \quad 1 \leq i, j \leq 2n$$

such that $v_1 = y$.

Let us define $a \in GL(2n, \mathbb{R})$ by $e_i.a = v_i$ if $1 \leq i \leq 2n$, hence from (2.2.1) it follows that $a \in \mathcal{G}$. \square

Proposition 2.3. *Let \mathcal{G}_1 be the stabilizer of e_1 in \mathcal{G} ; i.e., $\mathcal{G}_1 = \{a \in \mathcal{G} / e_1.a = e_1\}$. The centralizer Z of \mathcal{G}_1 in $\mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2n}$ is the set*

$$Z = \{\alpha.I_{2n} + \beta.e_{n+1}^t.e_1/\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

Proof. Let $\sigma \in Z$. Hence, for any $a \in \mathcal{G}_1$ we have

$$(2.2.2) \quad a.\sigma = \sigma.a$$

Let $\mathcal{D} \subset GL(2n, \mathbb{R})$ be the set of diagonal matrices $d = (d_{ij})$ such that $d_{11} = 1$ and $d_{(n+i)(n+i)} = d_{ii}^{-1}$ for $1 \leq i \leq n$.

Let \mathcal{S} be the set of matrices $a \in \mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2n}$ such that

$$a = \left(\begin{array}{c|c} I_n & 0 \\ \hline s & I_n \end{array} \right)$$

where $s \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ is symmetric matrix.

Clearly $\mathcal{D} \subset \mathcal{G}_1$ and $\mathcal{S} \subset \mathcal{G}_1$. Writing $\sigma \in Z$ in the block form

$$\sigma = \left(\begin{array}{c|c} \sigma_1 & \sigma_2 \\ \hline \sigma_4 & \sigma_3 \end{array} \right)$$

where $\sigma_i \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$, $1 \leq i \leq 4$, condition (2.2.2) applied to any $a \in \mathcal{S}$ implies that $\sigma_2 = 0$ and $\sigma_1 = \sigma_3 = \alpha I_n$ for some $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$.

Now, condition (2.2.2) applied to any $a \in \mathcal{D}$ implies that $\sigma_4 = (a_{ij})$ satisfies $a_{ij} = 0$ if $(i, j) \neq (1, 1)$. Writing $\beta = a_{11}$, one gets

$$(2.2.3) \quad \sigma = \alpha I_{2n} + \beta e_{n+1}^t \cdot e_1$$

Conversely, if σ is of the form (2.2.3), it is clear that $\sigma \in Z$ if and only if $e_{n+1}^t \cdot e_1 \in Z$.

Let $a \in \mathcal{G}_1$, then

$$\begin{aligned} a \cdot e_{n+1}^t \cdot e_1 &= a \cdot (e_1 \cdot S)^t \cdot e_1 = a \cdot S^t \cdot e_1^t \cdot e_1 = -a \cdot S \cdot e_1^t \cdot e_1 \\ &= -S(a^{-1})^t \cdot e_1^t \cdot e_1 = -S(e_1 \cdot a^{-1})^t \cdot e_1 \\ &= -S \cdot e_1^t \cdot e_1 = e_{n+1}^t \cdot e_1 = e_{n+1}^t \cdot e_1 \cdot a \end{aligned}$$

□

Proof of Theorem 2.1. Let $A : \mathbb{R}^{2n} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2n}$ be a differentiable function satisfying

$$(2.2.4) \quad A(x) = a \cdot A(x \cdot a) \cdot a^t$$

for any $a \in \mathcal{G}$ and $x \in \mathbb{R}^{2n}$.

Let $x \in \mathbb{R}^{2n}$ be a non zero vector. According to Proposition 2.2, there exists $b \in \mathcal{G}$ such that $x \cdot b = e_1$; hence,

$$(2.2.5) \quad A(x) = b \cdot A(e_1) \cdot b^t$$

Equality (2.2.4) applied to any $a \in \mathcal{G}_1$ implies that $A(e_1) = a \cdot A(e_1) \cdot a^t$. Since $a \cdot S \cdot a^t = S$, it follows that $a^t = S^{-1} \cdot a^{-1} \cdot S$; and consequently

$$(2.2.6) \quad A(e_1) \cdot S^{-1} \cdot a = a \cdot A(e_1) \cdot S^{-1}$$

Equality (2.2.6) shows that $A(e_1) \cdot S^{-1} \in Z$; hence, by Proposition 2.3, there exist $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$ such that $A(e_1) \cdot S^{-1} = \alpha I_{2n} + \beta e_{n+1}^t \cdot e_1$; or, equivalently

$$(2.2.7) \quad A(e_1) = \alpha \cdot S + \beta \cdot e_{n+1}^t \cdot e_1 \cdot S$$

Since $e_1 \cdot S = e_{n+1}$, from (2.2.5) and (2.2.6) one gets

$$\begin{aligned} A(x) &= b \cdot (\alpha \cdot S + \beta \cdot e_{n+1}^t \cdot e_1 \cdot S) \cdot b^t = \alpha \cdot b \cdot S \cdot b^t + \beta \cdot b \cdot e_{n+1}^t \cdot e_1 \cdot S \cdot b^t \\ &= \alpha \cdot S + \beta \cdot b \cdot (e_1 \cdot S)^t \cdot e_1 \cdot b^{-1} \cdot b \cdot S \cdot b^t \\ &= \alpha \cdot S + \beta \cdot b \cdot S^t \cdot e_1^t \cdot e_1 \cdot b^{-1} \cdot S \\ &= \alpha \cdot S + \beta \cdot (e_1 \cdot b^{-1} \cdot S)^t \cdot e_1 \cdot b^{-1} \cdot S \end{aligned}$$

Since $x.b = e_1$, it follows that

$$(2.2.8) \quad A(x) = \alpha.S + \beta.(x.S)^t.(x.S)$$

Continuity of A implies that (2.2.8) holds for any $x \in \mathbb{R}^{2n}$.

□

3 Natural (0,2)-tensor fields on tangent bundles

Let (M, ω, ∇) be a Fedosov manifold of dimension $2n$ and $\pi : TM \rightarrow M$ be the tangent bundle over M .

If $\mathcal{L}(M)$ denotes the frame bundle over M , let

$$\mathcal{S}(M) = \{(p, u_1, \dots, u_{2n}) \in \mathcal{L}(M) / \omega(p)(u_i, u_j) = s_{ij}\}$$

be the symplectic frame bundle over M and $\psi : \mathbf{N} = \mathcal{S}(M) \times \mathbb{R}^{2n} \rightarrow TM$ the map

defined by $\psi(p, u, \xi) = \sum_{i=1}^{2n} \xi^i \cdot u_i$ where $(p, u) = (p, u_1, \dots, u_{2n})$ and $\xi = (\xi^1, \dots, \xi^{2n})$.

The family of maps $R_a : \mathbf{N} \rightarrow \mathbf{N}$, $a \in \mathcal{G}$, given by

$$R_a(p, u, \xi) = (p, ua, \xi.(a^t)^{-1})$$

where

$$ua = \left(\sum_{i=1}^{2n} a_1^i \cdot u_i, \dots, \sum_{i=1}^{2n} a_{2n}^i \cdot u_i \right) \quad , \quad a = \begin{pmatrix} a_1^1 & \dots & a_{2n}^1 \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_1^{2n} & \dots & a_{2n}^{2n} \end{pmatrix}$$

define the action of \mathcal{G} on \mathbf{N} . Clearly $\psi \circ R_a = \psi$.

Let $K : TTM \rightarrow TM$ be the connection map induced by ∇ and for any $p \in M$ and any $v \in M_p$, let $\pi_{*v} : (TM)_v \rightarrow M_p$ be the differential map of π at v , and $K_v : (TM)_v \rightarrow M_p$ the restriction of K to $(TM)_v$.

Since the linear map $\pi_{*v} \times K_v : (TM)_v \rightarrow M_p \times M_p$ defined by $\pi_{*v} \times K_v(b) = (\pi_{*v}(b), K_v(b))$ is an isomorphism that maps isomorphically the horizontal subspace H_v (= kernel of K_v) onto $M_p \times (0_p)$ and the vertical subspace V_v (= kernel of π_{*v}) onto $(0_p) \times M_p$, where 0_p denotes the zero vector, we define –as in [1]– the differentiable mappings $e_i, e_{2n+i} : \mathbf{N} \rightarrow TTM$ for $1 \leq i \leq 2n$ by

$$e_i(p, u, \xi) = (\pi_{*v} \times K_v)^{-1}(u_i, 0_p) \quad \text{and} \quad e_{2n+i}(p, u, \xi) = (\pi_{*v} \times K_v)^{-1}(0_p, u_i)$$

where $v = \psi(p, u, \xi)$.

Since $(TM)_v = H_v \oplus V_v$, any vector field X on TM may be written in the form $X = X^h + X^v$, where

$$X^h(v) = (\pi_{*v} \times K_v)^{-1}(\pi_{*v}(X(v)), 0_p) \quad , \quad X^v(v) = (\pi_{*v} \times K_v)^{-1}(0_p, K_v(X(v)))$$

if $v \in M_p$. Hence, the mappings e_i, e_{2n+i} let us view X as the function $\nabla X = (x^1, \dots, x^{4n}) : \mathbf{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{4n}$ where $x^\ell : \mathbf{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ are determined –for $v = \psi(p, u, \xi)$ – by

$$(3.3.1) \quad \begin{aligned} x^i(p, u, \xi) &= \omega(p)(\pi_{*v}(X(v)), u_{n+i}) \\ x^{n+i}(p, u, \xi) &= \omega(p)(\pi_{*v}(X(v)), u_i) \end{aligned}$$

and

$$(3.3.2) \quad \begin{aligned} x^{2n+i}(p, u, \xi) &= \omega(p)(K_v(X(v)), u_{n+i}) \\ x^{3n+i}(p, u, \xi) &= -\omega(p)(K_v(X(v)), u_i) \end{aligned}$$

for $1 \leq i \leq n$.

From (3.3.1) and (3.3.2) one gets that

$$(3.3.3) \quad \nabla X \circ R_a = \nabla X \cdot \begin{pmatrix} (a^t)^{-1} & 0 \\ 0 & (a^t)^{-1} \end{pmatrix}$$

for any $a \in \mathcal{G}$.

As in [1], for any $(0, 2)$ -tensor field G on TM we define the differentiable function

$$\nabla G = \begin{pmatrix} A_1 & A_2 \\ A_4 & A_3 \end{pmatrix} : \mathbf{N} \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^{4n \times 4n}$$

as follows: if $(p, u, \xi) \in \mathbf{N}$ and $v = \psi(p, u, \xi)$, let $\nabla G(p, u, \xi)$ be the matrix of the bilinear form $G_v : (TM)_v \times (TM)_v \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}$ induced by G on $(TM)_v$ with respect to the basis $\{e_1(p, u, \xi), \dots, e_{4n}(p, u, \xi)\}$. Hence, for any pair of vector fields X, Y on TM one gets

$$(3.3.4) \quad G(X, Y) \circ \psi = \nabla X \cdot \nabla G \cdot (\nabla Y)^t$$

Equalities (3.3.3) and (3.3.4) imply that each $A_i : \mathbf{N} \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2n}$ satisfies the following \mathcal{G} -invariance property

$$(3.3.5) \quad A_i \circ R_a = a^t \cdot A_i \cdot a \quad (i = 1, 2, 3, 4)$$

We shall call ∇G the matrix of G with respect to (ω, ∇) . Hence, we get a one to one correspondence " $\nabla G \longleftrightarrow T$ " between $(0, 2)$ -tensor fields on TM and differentiable functions $T = \begin{pmatrix} A_1 & A_2 \\ A_4 & A_3 \end{pmatrix} : \mathbf{N} \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^{4n \times 4n}$ where each A_i satisfies (3.3.5).

The differentiability of G -for T given- follows from (3.3.4) and the fact that ψ is a submersion.

Just as we did in [1], we define G to be natural with respect to (ω, ∇) if ∇G only depends on ξ .

Proposition 3.1. *Let G be a $(0, 2)$ -tensor field on TM and $\nabla G = \begin{pmatrix} A_1 & A_2 \\ A_4 & A_3 \end{pmatrix}$ the matrix of G with respect to (ω, ∇) . Then G is natural with respect to (ω, ∇) if there exist real numbers $\alpha_i, \beta_i \in \mathbb{R}$ ($i = 1, 2, 3, 4$) such that*

$$A_i(p, u, \xi) = \alpha_i \cdot S + \beta_i \cdot (\xi \cdot S)^t \cdot (\xi \cdot S)$$

or, equivalently, if for any vector fields X, Y on TM , the following equalities are satisfied

$$\begin{aligned}
G(X^h, Y^h)(v) &= \alpha_1 \cdot \omega(p)(\pi_{*v}(X(v)), \pi_{*v}(Y(v))) \\
&\quad + \beta_1 \cdot \omega(p)(v, \pi_{*v}(X(v))) \cdot \omega(p)(v, \pi_{*v}(Y(v))) \\
G(X^h, Y^v)(v) &= \alpha_2 \cdot \omega(p)(\pi_{*v}(X(v)), K_v(Y(v))) \\
&\quad + \beta_2 \cdot \omega(p)(v, \pi_{*v}(X(v))) \cdot \omega(p)(v, K_v(Y(v))) \\
G(X^v, Y^h)(v) &= \alpha_4 \cdot \omega(p)(K_v(X(v)), \pi_{*v}(Y(v))) \\
&\quad + \beta_4 \cdot \omega(p)(v, K_v(X(v))) \cdot \omega(p)(v, \pi_{*v}(Y(v))) \\
G(X^v, Y^v)(v) &= \alpha_3 \cdot \omega(p)(K_v(X(v)), K_v(Y(v))) \\
&\quad + \beta_3 \cdot \omega(p)(v, K_v(X(v))) \cdot \omega(p)(v, K_v(Y(v)))
\end{aligned}$$

Proof. According to (3.3.5), if G is natural, each matrix function A_i can be viewed as a function $B : \mathbb{R}^{2n} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2n}$ which satisfies $B(\xi.(a^{-1})^t) = a^t.B(\xi).a$ for any $\xi \in \mathbb{R}^{2n}$ and any $a \in \mathcal{G}$; or, equivalently, $B(\xi) = (a^{-1})^t.B(\xi.(a^{-1})^t).a^{-1}$.

Since $b \in \mathcal{G}$ implies that $b^t \in \mathcal{G}$, it follows that $B(\xi) = aB(\xi.a)a^t$ for any $a \in \mathcal{G}$. Consequently, by Theorem 2.1, there exist $\alpha_i, \beta_i \in \mathbb{R}$ ($i = 1, 2, 3, 4$) such that

$$A_i(p, u, \xi) = \alpha_i.S + \beta_i(\xi.S)^t, (\xi.S)$$

The expression of G applied to vector fields is now a consequence of (3.3.1), (3.3.2) and (3.3.4). \square

4 Natural $(0, 2)$ -tensor fields on cotangent bundles

For any $p \in M$, let M_p^* be the dual space of M_p and let $\pi : T^*M \rightarrow M$ be the cotangent bundle of M .

For any $(p, u) \in \mathcal{S}(M)$, we denote with (p, u^*) the dual basis and $\mathcal{S}^*(M)$ the bundle consisting of all those ordered dual basis. Set $\mathcal{N} = \mathcal{S}^*(M) \times \mathbb{R}^{2n}$ and let $\psi : \mathcal{N} \rightarrow T^*M$ be the map defined by

$$\psi(p, u^*, \xi) = \sum_{i=1}^{2n} \xi_i.u^i$$

if $u^* = \{u^1, \dots, u^{2n}\}$ and $\xi = (\xi_1, \dots, \xi_{2n})$.

The family of maps $R_a : \mathcal{N} \rightarrow \mathcal{N}$, $a \in \mathcal{G}$, given by

$$R_a(p, u^*, \xi) = (p, (ua)^*, \xi.a)$$

defines the action of \mathcal{G} on \mathcal{N} . Clearly, $\psi \circ R_a = \psi$. Let $K^* : T(T^*M) \rightarrow T^*M$ be the dual connection map. We'll recall that for any $p \in M$ and any co-vector $w \in M_p^*$, the restriction $K_w^* : (T^*M)_w \rightarrow M_p^*$ of K^* to $(T^*M)_w$ is a surjective linear map characterized by the fact that for any 1-form θ on M such that $\theta(p) = w$ and any vector $v \in M_p$, it satisfies $K_w^*(\theta_{*p}(v)) = \nabla_v \theta$ where $\theta_{*p} : M_p \rightarrow (T^*M)_w$ denotes the differential map of θ at p .

Since the linear map $\pi_{*w} \times K_w^* : (T^*M)_w \rightarrow M_p \times M_p^*$ defined by $\pi_{*w} \times K_w^*(b) = (\pi_{*w}(b), K_w^*(b))$ is an isomorphism that maps the horizontal subspace H_w (= kernel of K_w^*) onto $M_p \times (0_p)$ and the vertical subspace V_w (= kernel of π_{*w}), where 0_p denotes indistinctly the zero vector and the zero co-vector, we define -as in [1]- the differentiable mappings $e_i, e_{2n+i} : \mathcal{N} \rightarrow T(T^*M)$ for $1 \leq i \leq 2n$ by

$$e_i(p, u^*, \xi) = (\pi_{*w} \times K_w^*)^{-1}(u_i, 0_p) \quad \text{and} \quad e_{2n+i}(p, u^*, \xi) = (\pi_{*w} \times K_w^*)^{-1}(0_p, u^i)$$

where $w = \psi(p, u^*, \xi)$.

Since $(T^*M)_w = H_w \oplus V_w$, any vector field X on T^*M may be written in the form $X = X^h + X^v$, where

$$X^h(w) = (\pi_{*w} \times K_w^*)^{-1}(\pi_{*w}(X(w)), 0_p) \quad , \quad X^v(w) = (\pi_{*w} \times K_w^*)^{-1}(0_p, K_w^*(X(w)))$$

if $w \in M_p^*$. Hence, the mappings e_i, e_{2n+i} let us view X as the function $\nabla X = (x^1, \dots, x^{4n}) : \mathcal{N} \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^{4n}$, where $x^\ell : \mathcal{N} \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}$ are determined –for $w = \psi(p, u^*, \xi)$ – by

$$(4.4.1) \quad \begin{aligned} x^i(p, u^*, \xi) &= u^i(\pi_{*w}(X(w))) \\ x^{2n+i}(p, u^*, \xi) &= K_w^*(X(w))(u_i) \end{aligned}$$

for $1 \leq i \leq 2n$.

From (4.4.1), one gets that

$$(4.4.2) \quad \nabla X \circ R_a = \nabla X \cdot \begin{pmatrix} (a^t)^{-1} & 0 \\ 0 & a \end{pmatrix}$$

for any $a \in \mathcal{G}$.

As in [1], for any $(0, 2)$ –tensor field G on T^*M , we define the differentiable function

$$\nabla G = \begin{pmatrix} A_1 & A_2 \\ A_4 & A_3 \end{pmatrix} : \mathcal{N} \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^{4n \times 4n}$$

as follows: if $(p, u^*, \xi) \in \mathcal{N}$ and $w = \psi(p, u^*, \xi)$, let $\nabla G(p, u^*, \xi)$ be the matrix of the bilinear form $G_w : (T^*M)_w \times (T^*M)_w \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}$ induced by G on $(T^*M)_w$ with respect to the basis $\{e_1(p, u^*, \xi), \dots, e_{4n}(p, u^*, \xi)\}$.

Hence, for any pair of vector fields X, Y on T^*M one gets

$$(4.4.3) \quad G(X, Y) \circ \psi = \nabla X \cdot \nabla G \cdot (\nabla Y)^t$$

Equalities (4.4.2) and (4.4.3) imply that each $A_i : \mathcal{N} \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2n}$ satisfies the following \mathcal{G} –invariance property

$$(4.4.4) \quad \begin{aligned} A_1 \circ R_a &= a^t \cdot A_1 \cdot a \\ A_2 \circ R_a &= a^t \cdot A_2 \cdot (a^t)^{-1} \\ A_3 \circ R_a &= a^{-1} \cdot A_3 \cdot (a^{-1})^t \\ A_4 \circ R_a &= a^{-1} \cdot A_4 \cdot a \end{aligned}$$

We shall call ∇G the matrix of G with respect to (ω, ∇) . Hence, we get a one to one correspondence “ $\nabla G \longleftrightarrow T''$ ” between $(0, 2)$ –tensor fields on T^*M and differentiable functions $T = \begin{pmatrix} A_1 & A_2 \\ A_4 & A_3 \end{pmatrix} : \mathcal{N} \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^{4n \times 4n}$ where A_i satisfies (4.4.4). The differentiability of G –for T given– follows from (4.4.3) and the fact that ψ is a submersion.

We define G to be natural with respect to (ω, ∇) if ∇G only depends on ξ .

Proposition 4.1. *Let G be a $(0, 2)$ -tensor field on T^*M and $\nabla G = \begin{pmatrix} A_1 & A_2 \\ A_4 & A_3 \end{pmatrix}$ the matrix of G with respect to (ω, ∇) . Then, G is natural wigh respect to (ω, ∇) if there exist real numbers $\alpha_i, \beta_i \in \mathbb{R}$ ($i = 1, 2, 3, 4$) such that*

$$(4.4.5) \quad A_1(p, u^*, \xi) = \alpha_1 \cdot S + \beta_1 \cdot (\xi^t) \cdot \xi$$

$$(4.4.6) \quad A_2(p, u^*, \xi) = \alpha_2 \cdot I_{2n} + \beta_2 \cdot (\xi^t) \cdot (\xi \cdot S)$$

$$(4.4.7) \quad A_3(p, u^*, \xi) = \alpha_3 \cdot S + \beta_3 \cdot (\xi \cdot S)^t \cdot (\xi \cdot S)$$

$$(4.4.8) \quad A_4(p, u^*, \xi) = \alpha_4 \cdot I_{2n} + \beta_4 \cdot (\xi \cdot S)^t \cdot \xi$$

Proof. By setting $B_i(\xi) = A_i(p, u^*, \xi)$, from (4.4.4) it follows that the functions $B_i : \mathbb{R}^{2n} \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2n}$ satisfy

$$(4.4.9) \quad B_1(\xi \cdot a) = a^t \cdot B_1(\xi) \cdot a$$

$$(4.4.10) \quad B_2(\xi \cdot a) = a^t \cdot B_2(\xi) \cdot (a^t)^{-1}$$

$$(4.4.11) \quad B_3(\xi \cdot a) = a^{-1} \cdot B_3(\xi) \cdot (a^{-1})^t$$

$$(4.4.12) \quad B_4(\xi \cdot a) = a^{-1} \cdot B_4(\xi) \cdot a$$

Since $a^{-1} = -S \cdot a^t \cdot S$ if $a \in \mathcal{G}$, equalities (4.4.9) to (4.4.12) imply that the matrix functions $S \cdot B_1 \cdot S$, $S \cdot B_2$, B_3 and $B_4 \cdot S$ satisfy Theorem 2.1. This implies equalities (4.4.5) to (4.4.8). \square

Remark 4.1. Let θ be the canonical 1-form on T^*M which is defined for any vector field X on T^*M an any co-vector $w \in T^*M$ by

$$(4.4.13) \quad \theta(X)(w) = w(\pi_{*w}(X(w)))$$

On the other hand, for any $p \in M$, let $L_p : M_p \longrightarrow M_p^*$ be the isomorphism induced by ω ; i.e.,

$$L_p(v)(u) = \omega(p)(v, u) \quad \text{for any } v, u \in M_p$$

Hence, ω induces a $(2, 0)$ -tensor field ω^* on M by defining

$$(4.4.14) \quad \omega^*(p)(w, \gamma) = \omega(p)(L_p^{-1}(w), L_p^{-1}(\gamma))$$

for any $w, \gamma \in M_p^*$.

In terms of θ, ω and ω^* , one gets

Corollary 4.2. *Let G be a $(0, 2)$ -tensor field on T^*M . Then, G is natural if there exist real numbers $\alpha_i, \beta_i \in \mathbb{R}$ such that for any vector fields X, Y on T^*M , the following equalities hold*

$$\begin{aligned} G(X^h, Y^h)(w) &= \alpha_1 \cdot \omega(p)(\pi_{*w}(X(w)), \pi_{*w}(Y(w))) \\ &\quad + \beta_1 \cdot \theta(X)(w) \cdot \theta(Y)(w) \\ G(X^h, Y^v)(w) &= \alpha_2 \cdot K_w^*(Y(w))(\pi_{*w}(X(w))) \\ &\quad + \beta_2 \cdot \theta(X)(w) \cdot \omega^*(p)(w, K_w^*(Y(w))) \\ G(X^v, Y^h)(w) &= \alpha_4 \cdot K_w^*(X(w))(\pi_{*w}(Y(w))) \\ &\quad + \beta_4 \cdot \theta(Y)(w) \cdot \omega^*(p)(w, K_w^*(X(w))) \\ G(X^v, Y^v)(w) &= \alpha_3 \cdot \omega^*(p)(K_w^*(X(w)), K_w^*(Y(w))) \\ &\quad + \beta_3 \cdot \omega^*(p)(w, K_w^*(X(w))) \cdot \omega^*(p)(w, K_w^*(Y(w))) \end{aligned}$$

if $w \in M_p^*$

Remark 4.2. Let $\phi : TM \longrightarrow T^*M$ be the diffeomorphism induced by ω ; i.e., $\phi(v)(u) = \omega(p)(v, u)$ if $v, u \in M_p$.

Since the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} (TM)_v & \xrightarrow{K_v} & M_p \\ \phi_*v \downarrow & & \downarrow L_P \\ (T^*M)_w & \xrightarrow{K_w^*} & M_p^* \end{array}$$

commutes, where $w = \phi(v)$. From Proposition 3.1 and Corollary 4.2, it follows that naturality of $(0, 2)$ -tensor fields on TM and T^*M is preserved under the pull-back of ϕ .

Remark 4.3. Assume that (M, \langle, \rangle, J) is a Semi-Riemannian Kähler manifold. As we pointed out in the Introduction, (M, ω, J) is then a Fedosov manifold. From Proposition 3.1 and Proposition 3.1 of [1], it follows —after a straightforward computation— that the only $(0, 2)$ -tensor field on TM which is natural with respect to (M, \langle, \rangle) and (M, ω) is the null tensor. Consequently, by Remark above, this is also true for $(0, 2)$ -tensor fields on T^*M .

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