

# ON HOLOMORPHICALLY PROJECTIVE FLAT PARABOLICALLY-KÄHLERIAN SPACES \*

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We consider holomorphically projective mappings of parabolically-Kählerian spaces and define holomorphically projective flat parabolically-Kählerian spaces. We found the tensor characteristic of these spaces and obtained their metric tensors.

## 1. Introduction

Many authors studied holomorphically projective mappings of Kählerian spaces and their generalizations [1, 17]. Some facts from the theory of holomorphically projective mappings of parabolically-Kählerian spaces  $K_n^{o(m)}$  were published in [2, 9]–[15].

A (pseudo-) Riemannian space  $K_n^{o(m)}$  is said to be *parabolically-Kählerian space* if together with a metric tensor  $g_{ij}(x)$  it possesses an affinor structure  $F_i^h(x)$  of rank  $m \geq 2$  satisfying the following relations

$$a) \quad F_\alpha^h F_i^\alpha = 0, \quad b) \quad g_{i\alpha} F_j^\alpha + g_{j\alpha} F_i^\alpha = 0, \quad c) \quad F_{i,j}^h = 0, \quad (1)$$

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where the comma denotes the covariant derivation.

**2. Holomorphically projective mappings of parabolically-Kählerian spaces**

The following criteria from the papers [10, 13] hold for holomorphically projective mappings from a parabolically-Kählerian space  $K_n^{o(m)}$  onto a parabolically-Kählerian space  $\bar{K}_n^{o(m)}$ .

An *analytically planar curve* of the parabolically-Kählerian space  $K_n^{o(m)}$  is a curve defined by the equations  $x^h = x^h(t)$  which tangent vector  $\lambda^h = dx^h/dt$ , being translated, remains in the area element formed by the tangent vector  $\lambda^h$  and its conjugate  $\lambda^\alpha F_\alpha^h$ , i.e., the conditions

$$\frac{d\lambda^h}{dt} + \Gamma_{\alpha\beta}^h \lambda^\alpha \lambda^\beta = \rho_1(t)\lambda^h + \rho_2(t)\lambda^\alpha F_\alpha^h,$$

are fulfilled. Here  $\Gamma_{ij}^h$  is the Christoffel symbol and  $\rho_1, \rho_2$  are functions of the argument  $t$ .

The diffeomorphism  $f$  of  $K_n^{o(m)}$  onto  $\bar{K}_n^{o(m)}$  is a *holomorphically projective mapping*, if it transform all analytically planar curves of  $K_n^{o(m)}$  into analytically planar curves of  $\bar{K}_n^{o(m)}$ .

Consider a concrete mapping  $f: K_n^{o(m)} \rightarrow \bar{K}_n^{o(m)}$ , both spaces being referred to the general coordinate system  $x$  with respect to this mapping. This is a coordinate system where two corresponding points  $M \in K_n^{o(m)}$  and  $f(M) \in \bar{K}_n^{o(m)}$  have equal coordinates  $x = (x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n)$ ; the corresponding geometric objects in  $\bar{K}_n^{o(m)}$  will be marked with a bar. For example,  $\Gamma_{ij}^h$  and  $\bar{\Gamma}_{ij}^h$  are components of the Christoffel symbols on  $K_n^{o(m)}$  and  $\bar{K}_n^{o(m)}$ , respectively.

Structures of  $K_n^{o(m)}$  and  $\bar{K}_n^{o(m)}$  are preserved under  $f$ , i.e.  $\bar{F}_i^h(x) = F_i^h(x)$ . Among others, the structure  $F_i^h$  is covariantly constant, and  $\bar{g}_{i\alpha} F_j^\alpha + \bar{g}_{j\alpha} F_i^\alpha = 0$  holds.

It is proved in [10, 13] that a parabolically-Kählerian space  $K_n^{o(m)}$  admits a *holomorphically projective mapping*  $f$  onto a parabolically-Kählerian space  $\bar{K}_n^{o(m)}$  if and only if the following conditions (in the common coordinate system  $x$ ) hold:

$$\bar{\Gamma}_{ij}^h(x) = \Gamma_{ij}^h(x) + \psi_i \delta_j^h + \psi_j \delta_i^h + \varphi_i F_j^h + \varphi_j F_i^h, \tag{2}$$

where  $\varphi_i$  is a covector,  $\psi_i = \varphi_\alpha F_i^\alpha$ , and  $\psi_i(x)$  is a gradient, i.e. there is a function  $\psi(x)$ , such that  $\psi_i(x) = \partial\psi(x)/\partial x^i$ .

If  $\varphi_i \neq 0$  then a holomorphically projective mapping is called *nontrivial*; otherwise it is said to be *trivial* or *affine*.

Condition (2) is equivalent to

$$\bar{g}_{ij,k} = 2\psi_k \bar{g}_{ij} + \psi_i \bar{g}_{jk} + \psi_j \bar{g}_{ik} + \varphi_i \bar{g}_{j\alpha} F_k^\alpha + \varphi_j \bar{g}_{i\alpha} F_k^\alpha. \quad (3)$$

Under a holomorphically projective mapping  $f: K_n^{o(m)} \longrightarrow \bar{K}_n^{o(m)}$ , the following conditions hold:

$$\bar{R}_{ijk}^h = R_{ijk}^h + \psi_{ij} \delta_k^h - \psi_{ik} \delta_j^h + \varphi_{ij} F_k^h - \varphi_{ik} F_j^h - (\varphi_{jk} - \varphi_{kj}) F_i^h, \quad (4)$$

where  $R_{ijk}^h$  and  $\bar{R}_{ijk}^h$  are Riemannian tensors of  $K_n^{o(m)}$  and  $\bar{K}_n^{o(m)}$ ,

$$\varphi_{ij} = \varphi_{i,j} - \psi_i \varphi_j - \varphi_i \psi_j, \quad \psi_{ij} = \varphi_{\alpha j} F_i^\alpha \quad (= \psi_{ji} = \psi_{i,j} - \psi_i \psi_j). \quad (5)$$

### 3. Holomorphically projective flat parabolically-Kählerian space

A parabolically-Kählerian space  $K_n^{o(m)}$  is said to be *holomorphically projective flat*, if it admits a holomorphically projective mapping onto a flat space, i.e. the space with the vanishing Riemannian tensor.

We have the following theorem.

**Theorem 3.1** *The parabolically-Kählerian space  $K_n^{o(m)}$  is holomorphically projective flat if and only if the following conditions are true for the Riemannian tensor*

$$R_{hijk} = c(2F_{hi}F_{jk} + F_{hj}F_{ik} - F_{hk}F_{ij}) \quad (6)$$

where  $c = \text{const}$ ,  $F_{ij} = g_{i\alpha} F_j^\alpha$ .

**Proof.** Let a parabolically-Kählerian space  $K_n^{o(m)}$  admit a holomorphically projective mapping onto a flat space  $\bar{V}_n$  ( $\bar{R}_{ijk}^h = 0$ ), which should be a parabolically-Kählerian space  $\bar{K}_n^{o(m)}$  same.

If  $\bar{R}_{ijk}^h = 0$  then after omitting the index  $h$  (4) takes the form

$$R_{hijk} = -\psi_{ij} g_{kh} + \psi_{ik} g_{jh} - \varphi_{ij} F_{hk} + \varphi_{ik} F_{hj} + (\varphi_{jk} - \varphi_{kj}) F_{hi}. \quad (7)$$

Let us symmetrize (7) at indices  $h$  and  $i$ . Then, using the properties of the Riemannian tensor we get:

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= -\psi_{ij} g_{kh} + \psi_{ik} g_{jh} - \varphi_{ij} F_{hk} + \varphi_{ik} F_{hj} - \psi_{hj} g_{ki} \\ &\quad + \psi_{hk} g_{ji} - \varphi_{hj} F_{ik} + \varphi_{hk} F_{ij}. \end{aligned}$$

Analyzing of this formula, we obtain  $\psi_{ij} = 0$  and

$$\varphi_{ij} = c F_{ij}, \tag{8}$$

where  $c$  is a certain function. Thus (8) takes the form (6).

On the basis (5), formula (8) takes the form

$$\varphi_{i,j} = \psi_i \varphi_j + \varphi_i \psi_j + c F_{ij}. \tag{9}$$

The condition of integrability takes the form:  $c_{,k} F_{ij} - c_{,j} F_{ik} = 0$ . From foregoing one it is implied, that  $c_{,i} = 0$  and  $c = \text{const}$ .

So, we have shown that the Riemannian tensor at all holomorphically projective flat parabolically-Kählerian spaces  $K_n^{o(m)}$  satisfies (6).

It is easy to check that any parabolically-Kählerian space  $K_n^{o(m)}$ , in which the Riemannian tensor satisfies (6), admits holomorphically projective mapping onto a flat space  $\bar{K}_n^{o(m)}$ .

Make sure that the system of equations (3) and (9) is completely integrable in this  $K_n^{o(m)}$  and has the solution  $\bar{g}_{ij}(x)$ ,  $\varphi_i(x)$  for any initial conditions

$$\bar{g}_{ij}(x_o) = \overset{o}{g}_{ij} \quad \text{and} \quad \varphi_i(x_o) = \overset{o}{\varphi}_i \tag{10}$$

for which  $\det \| \overset{o}{g}_{ij} \| \neq 0$ ,  $\overset{o}{g}_{ij} = \overset{o}{g}_{ji}$  and  $\overset{o}{g}_{i\alpha} F_j^\alpha(x_o) + \overset{o}{g}_{j\alpha} F_i^\alpha(x_o) = 0$ .

Consequently, the space  $K_n^{o(m)}$  admits a holomorphically projective mapping onto a space  $\bar{K}_n^{o(m)}$  with the metric tensor  $\bar{g}_{ij}(x)$  and the structure  $F_i^h(x)$ . Using (4) we can see, that  $\bar{R}_{ijk}^h = 0$ , hence  $\bar{K}_n^{o(m)}$  is a flat space. This completes the proof.

The direct analysis of (6) leads us to the following

**Lemma 3.1** *A holomorphically projective flat parabolically-Kählerian space  $K_n^{o(m)}$  is a Ricci flat symmetric space, i.e. a Ricci tensor is vanishing and the Riemannian tensor is covariantly constant in this  $K_n^{o(m)}$ .*

#### 4. On isometries between holomorphically projective flat parabolically-Kählerian spaces

We denote  $K_n^{o(m,c)}$  a holomorphically projective flat parabolically-Kählerian space, which determined by (6), and prove the following theorem.

**Theorem 4.1** *Two holomorphically projective flat parabolically-Kählerian spaces  $K_n^{o(m,c)}$  and  $\bar{K}_n^{o(\bar{m},\bar{c})}$  are locally isometric if and only if  $\bar{m} = m$ , the metric signatures are coincident, and the constants  $c$  and  $\bar{c}$  have the same sign.*

**Proof.** Let us consider the given spaces  $K_n^{o(m,c)}$  and  $\bar{K}_n^{o(\bar{m},\bar{c})}$  which are related to the coordinate systems  $x$  and  $\bar{x}$  respectively. It is natural to consider the case, when the constants  $c$  and  $\bar{c}$  are not equal to zero.

We will search an isometric mapping  $f: K_n^{o(m,c)} \rightarrow \bar{K}_n^{o(\bar{m},\bar{c})}$ . As it is known, the mapping  $f: \bar{x}^h = \bar{x}^h(x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n)$  is an isometric mapping if and only if

$$g_{ij}(x) = \bar{g}_{\alpha\beta}(\bar{x}(x))\partial_i\bar{x}^\alpha\partial_j\bar{x}^\beta. \tag{11}$$

Denote  $\bar{x}_i^h \equiv \partial_i\bar{x}^h$ . From (11) it follows that

$$\partial_i\bar{x}^h = \bar{x}_i^h, \quad \partial_j\bar{x}_i^h = \bar{\Gamma}_{\alpha\beta}^h\bar{x}_i^\alpha\bar{x}_j^\beta - \Gamma_{ij}^\alpha\bar{x}_\alpha^h, \tag{12}$$

where  $\Gamma_{ij}^h$  and  $\bar{\Gamma}_{ij}^h$  are the Christoffel symbols of  $K_n^{o(m,c)}$  and  $\bar{K}_n^{o(\bar{m},\bar{c})}$ .

The system (12) for the unknown functions  $\bar{x}^h(x)$ ,  $\bar{x}_i^h(x)$  has a solution for initial conditions  $\bar{x}^h(x_o) = \bar{x}_o^h$  and  $\bar{x}_i^h(x_o) = y_i^h$ , where the following properties are satisfied

$$\bar{g}_{\alpha\beta}(\bar{x}_o)y_i^\alpha y_j^\beta = g_{ij}(x_o), \quad F_i^\alpha(x_o)y_\alpha^h = \sqrt{\bar{c}/c} \bar{F}_\alpha^h(\bar{x}_o)y_i^\alpha, \tag{13}$$

where  $F_i^h$  and  $\bar{F}_i^h$  are the structures of  $K_n^{o(m,c)}$  and  $\bar{K}_n^{o(m,c)}$ , respectively.

Initial conditions  $y_i^h$  from (13) exist if only if  $\bar{m} = m$ , the signatures of the metric  $g$  and  $\bar{g}$  are coincident, and the constants  $c$  and  $\bar{c}$  have the same sign. Conditions (13) follow from (11) and from an integrability condition of system (12):  $R_{hijk} = \bar{R}_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}\bar{x}_h^\alpha\bar{x}_i^\beta\bar{x}_j^\gamma\bar{x}_k^\delta$ .

### 5. Holomorphically projective mappings of holomorphically projective flat parabolically-Kählerian spaces

We can prove the next theorem in the similar way as Theorem 3.1.

**Theorem 5.1** *If the holomorphically projective flat parabolically-Kählerian space  $K_n^{o(m,c)}$  admits a holomorphically projective mapping onto some parabolically-Kählerian space  $\bar{K}_n^{o(\bar{m})}$ , then  $\bar{K}_n^{o(\bar{m})}$  is a holomorphically projective flat parabolically-Kählerian space  $\bar{K}_n^{o(m,\bar{c})}$  too.*

In addition the next theorem holds

**Theorem 5.2** *Any holomorphically projective flat parabolically-Kählerian space  $K_n^{o(m,c)}$  admits a nontrivial holomorphically projective mapping onto some holomorphically projective flat parabolically-Kählerian space  $\bar{K}_n^{o(m,\bar{c})}$  with a given constant  $\bar{c}$  and a given signature of the metric  $\bar{g}_{ij}$ .*

**Proof.** The availability of this theorem follows from the existence of the solutions  $\bar{g}_{ij}(x)$  and  $\varphi_i(x)$  of equations (3) and

$$\varphi_{i,j} = \psi_i\varphi_j + \varphi_i\psi_j + cF_{ij} - \bar{c}\bar{F}_{ij},$$

where  $\bar{F}_{ij} = \bar{g}_{i\alpha}F_j^\alpha$ , for any initial conditions (10) for which  $\det \|\overset{\circ}{g}_{ij}\| \neq 0$ ,  $\overset{\circ}{g}_{ij} = \overset{\circ}{g}_{ji}$  and  $\overset{\circ}{g}_{i\alpha}F_j^\alpha(x_o) + \overset{\circ}{g}_{j\alpha}F_i^\alpha(x_o) = 0$ , in the space  $K_n^{o(m,c)}$ .

**Theorem 5.3** *Between any holomorphically projective flat parabolically-Kählerian spaces it is possible to establish a nontrivial holomorphically projective mapping.*

**Proof.** Let us have two arbitrary holomorphically projective flat parabolically-Kählerian spaces  $K_n^{o(m,c)}$  and  $\bar{K}_n^{o(m,\bar{c})}$ . By Theorem 5.2, there exists some space  $\tilde{K}_n^{o(m,c)}$  with a signature of a metric of  $\bar{K}_n^{o(m,\bar{c})}$ , on which  $K_n^{o(m,c)}$  admits nontrivial holomorphically projective mapping. By Theorem 4.1, the spaces  $\bar{K}_n^{o(m,\bar{c})}$  and  $\tilde{K}_n^{o(m,c)}$  are isometric, which prove the theorem.

### 6. Metric of holomorphically projective flat parabolically-Kählerian spaces

In a symmetric space its a metric tensor may be rebuilt in some Riemannian coordinate system  $(y^1, y^2, \dots, y^n)$  at a point  $x_o$  by the known formulas [5]

$$g_{ij} = \overset{\circ}{g}_{ij} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k 2^{2k+2}}{(2k+2)!} m_i^{\sigma_1} m_{\sigma_1}^{\sigma_2} \dots m_{\sigma_{k-1}}^{\sigma_k}, \tag{14}$$

where  $m_{ij} = \overset{\circ}{R}_{i\alpha j\beta} y^\alpha y^\beta$ ,  $m_j^i = m_{i\alpha} \overset{\circ}{g}^{\alpha i}$  and  $\overset{\circ}{g}_{ij}$ ,  $\overset{\circ}{g}^{ij}$  and  $\overset{\circ}{R}_{hijk}$  are the components of the metric, its inverse and Riemannian tensors at the point  $x_o$ .

Taking into account the representation of Riemannian tensor (6) and properties of structures  $F_i^h$  the formulas (14) take the form:

$$g_{ij} = \overset{\circ}{g}_{ij} - c F_i F_j, \tag{15}$$

where  $F_i = \overset{\circ}{F}_{i\alpha} y^\alpha$ ,  $\overset{\circ}{F}_{ij}$  are the components of tensor  $F_{ij}$  at  $x_o$ .

Note, that for a given point  $x_o$  of holomorphically projective flat parabolically-Kählerian space  $K_n^{o(m,c)}$  the metric and structure tensors may be simultaneously reduced to the form:

$$\overset{\circ}{g}_{ij} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & b_{ab} \\ 0 & * & 0 \\ b_{ab}^T & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \overset{\circ}{F}_i^h = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ E_m & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix},$$



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