

Finsler Space Admitting Torse-Forming Vector Field

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Abstract

Torse-forming infinitesimal transformation $\bar{x}^i = x^i + v^i(x)dt$, $v_{ij}^i = v^i \mu_j + \alpha \delta_j^i$ and torse-forming curvature inheritance in a Finsler space have been studied by Mishra and Mishra[2], Mishra and Lodhi[3] respectively. They established some basic and useful results under Torse-forming infinitesimal transformation.

The object of present paper is to study the Torse-forming infinitesimal transformation for cartan's curvature. We have established the condition under which Cartan's curvature generates non-flat space under aforesaid Torse-forming infinitesimal transformation. Some useful results have been investigated in the paper.

Keywords

Finsler space, Cartan's Curvature, Torse-forming Transformation.

Introduction

Let us consider an n-dimensional an affinely connected finsler space F_n [4] with a symmetric connection parameter $\Gamma_{jk}^{*i}(x, \dot{x})$.

The covariant derivative of $T_j^i(x, \dot{x})$ with respect to x^k in the sense of Cartan's is given by

$$(1.1) \quad T_{j|k}^i = \partial_k T_j^i - \dot{\partial}_m T_j^i G_k^m + T_j^m \Gamma_{mk}^{*i} - T_m^i \Gamma_{jk}^{*m}$$

$$(1.2) \quad T_{l|j}^i = \partial_j T_l^i + T_l^r G_{rj}^i - T_r^i G_{lj}^r$$

Where $|j$ denote the h-covariant differentiation

$$(1.3) \quad T_{l|j}^i = \dot{\partial}_j T_l^i + T_l^r V_{rj}^i - T_r^i V_{lj}^r$$

Where $\dot{\Gamma}_j$ denote the V-covariant differentiation.

Cartan's connection coefficient $\Gamma_{jk}^{*i}(x, \dot{x})$ satisfy the following relations.

$$(1.4) \quad (a) \quad \dot{\partial}_h \Gamma_{jk}^{*i} \dot{x}^h = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad (b) \quad \dot{\partial}_h \Gamma_{jk}^{*i} = \dot{\partial}_j \Gamma_{hk}^{*i}$$

We have the following commutatio formula involving cartan's covariant derivative.

$$(1.5) \quad 2 T_{j[hk]}^i = - \dot{\partial}_f T_j^i K_{hk}^f + T_j^s K_{shk}^i - T_s^i K_{jhk}^s$$

Where

$$(1.6) \quad K_{hjk}^i(x, \dot{x}) \underline{\text{def}} 2 \left\{ \dot{\partial}_k \Gamma_{j]h}^{*i} + \dot{\partial}_s \Gamma_{h[j}^{*i} G_{kj}^s + \Gamma_{h[j}^{*s} \Gamma_{k]s}^{*i} \right\}$$

The commutation formula for a tensor T_j^i will show the role of curvature tensor and torsion tensor as follows.

$$(1.7) \quad T_{l|k|j}^i - T_{l|j|k}^i = T_l^h R_{hkj}^i - T_h^i R_{lkj}^h - T_{l|h}^i R_{kj}^h$$

where R_{hkj}^i is called cartan third curvature tensor.

$$(1.8) \quad T_{l|k|j}^i - T_{l|j|k}^i = T_l^h S_{hkj}^i - T_h^i S_{lkj}^h$$

where S_{hkj}^i is called cartan first curvature tensor.

Torse-Forming Vector Field

Definition (2.1) : A vector field v_i said to be a torse-forming vector field in Finsler space F_n . If it satisfies the condition.

$$(2.1) \quad V_{|j}^i = V_j^i + \alpha \delta_j^i$$

where α is non zero scalar function and $\dot{\Gamma}_j$ being any non-null vector field.

The scalar function α appearing in (2.1) is a point function and satisfy following

$$(2.2) \quad \dot{\partial}_j(\alpha) = 0 \quad [3]$$

and

$$(2.3) \quad \alpha_{|h} = \alpha_h$$

Definition 2.2: We consider an infinitesimal transformation of the form.

$$(2.4) \quad \bar{x}^i = x^i + v^i(x) dt, \quad v_{|j}^i = v^i_{\ j} + \alpha \delta_j^i$$

Such a transformation is called a torse-forming infinitesimal transformation.

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Differentiating (2.1) Covariantly with respect to x^k , we get

$$(3.1) \quad V_{|j|k}^i = v_{|k\ j}^i + v^i_{\ j|k} + \alpha_{|k} \delta_j^i$$

Or

$$V_{|j|k}^i = (v^i_{\ k} + \alpha \delta_k^i)_{\ j} + v^i_{\ j|k} + \alpha_{|k} \delta_j^i$$

$$(3.2) \quad V_{|j|k}^i = v^i_{\ k\ j} + \alpha_{\ j} \delta_k^i + v^i_{\ j|k} + \alpha_{|k\ j} \delta_j^i$$

interchanging k and j in equation (2.3), we get

$$(3.3) \quad V_{|k|j}^i = v^i_{\ j\ k} + \alpha_{\ k} \delta_j^i + v^i_{\ k|j} + \alpha_{|j} \delta_k^i$$

Subtracting equation (3.2) and (3.3), we get

$$(3.4) \quad V_{|j|k}^i - V_{|k|j}^i + \alpha \left(\delta_j^i - \delta_k^i \right) + v^i \left(\delta_{j|k} - \delta_{k|j} \right) + \alpha_{|k} \delta_j^i - \alpha_{|j} \delta_k^i$$

using equation (2.3) in equation (3.4), we get

$$(3.5) \quad V_{|j|k}^i - V_{|k|j}^i = \alpha \left(\delta_j^i - \delta_k^i \right) + v^i \left(\delta_{j|k} - \delta_{k|j} \right) + \alpha_{|k} \delta_j^i - \alpha_{|j} \delta_k^i$$

we obtain to the commutation formula (1.5)

$$(3.6) \quad V_{|j|k}^i - V_{|k|j}^i = \partial_T^i V^r_{\ jk} + V^s K^i_{\ sjk}$$

In view of (3.5) and (3.6), we get

$$(3.7) \quad \alpha \left(\delta_k^i - \delta_j^i \right) + v^i \left(j|k - k|j \right) + \alpha_k \delta_j^i - \alpha_j \delta_k^i = - \dot{\partial}_T V^i K_{jk}^r + V^s K_{sjk}^i$$

or

$$(3.8) \quad V^s K_{sjk}^i = \dot{\partial}_s V^i K_{jk}^r + \alpha \left(\delta_k^i - \delta_j^i \right) + V^i \left(j|k - k|j \right) + \alpha_k \delta_j^i - \alpha_j \delta_k^i$$

or

$$(3.9) \quad V^s K_{sjk}^i = \dot{\partial}_T V^i K_{jk}^r + \alpha A + jk V^i + C$$

Where

$$(a) \quad A = \delta_k^i - \delta_j^i$$

$$(b) \quad jk = j|k - k|j$$

$$(c) \quad C = \alpha_k \delta_j^i - \alpha_j \delta_k^i$$

Thus, we have

THEOREM (3.1) : In a Finsler space F_n , the torse forming transformation (2.1) generators non-flat space.

In view of (3.9b) if jk is symmetric, then we have,

$$(3.10) \quad jk = j|k - k|j = 0$$

Introducing (3.10) in equation (3.8), we get

$$(3.11) \quad V^s K_{sjk}^i = \dot{\partial}_T V^i K_{jk}^r + \alpha \left(\delta_k^i - \delta_j^i \right) + \alpha_k \delta_j^i - \alpha_j \delta_k^i$$

Contracting the above equation with respect to the indices i and k , we get

$$(3.12) \quad V^s K_{sj} = \dot{\partial}_T V^i K_{ji}^r + \alpha \left(n_j - j \right) + \alpha_j - n \alpha_j$$

or

$$(3.13) \quad V^s K_{sj} = \dot{\partial}_T V^i K_{ji}^r + (n-1) \alpha_j - (n-1) \alpha_j$$

$$(3.14) \quad j = \frac{V^s K_{sj} - \partial_r V^i K_{ji}^r + (n-1)\alpha_j}{(n-1)\alpha}$$

Hence we can state :

THEOREM (3.2): In a Finsler space F_n equipped with torse-forming transformation (2.4)

in view of certain curvature tensor K_{hjk}^i , the is non-null vector field j is given by (3.14) if j^k is symmetric.

Torse Forming Curvature R_{hjk}^i :

Introducing equation (2.4) in (1.7), we get

$$3.15 \quad V_{|j|k}^i - V_{|k|j}^i = V_{|h}^i R_{kj}^h - V^h R_{hkj}^i$$

Using equation (3.5) in (3.15), we get

$$3.16 \quad \alpha \left(j \delta_k^i - k \delta_j^i \right) + V^i \left(j|k - k|j \right) + \alpha_k \delta_j^i - \alpha_j \delta_k^i = V_{|h}^i R_{kj}^h - V^h R_{hkj}^i$$

In view of (2.4) and (3.16), we get

$$3.3 \quad \alpha \left(j \delta_k^i - k \delta_j^i \right) + V^i \left(j|k - k|j \right) + \alpha_k \delta_j^i - \alpha_j \delta_k^i = \left(V^i \quad h + \alpha \delta_h^i \right) R_{kj}^h - V^h R_{hkj}^i$$

$$3.18 \quad \alpha \left(j \delta_k^i - k \delta_j^i \right) + V^i \left(j|k - k|j \right) + \alpha_k \delta_j^i - \alpha_j \delta_k^i = \left(V^i \quad h + R_h^i \right) R_{kj}^h - V^h R_{hkj}^i$$

$$3.19 \quad V^h R_{hkj}^i = V^i \quad h R_{kj}^h + \alpha R_{kj}^i + \alpha \left(k \delta_j^i - j \delta_k^i \right) + V^i \left(k|j - j|k \right) + \alpha_j \delta_k^i - \alpha_k \delta_j^i$$

Hence we can state.

Theorem 3.3: In a Finsler space F_n equipped with torse-forming transformation (2.4), the torse-forming vector V_i satisfies the relation (3.19)

Contracting the above equation with respect to the indices i and j , we get

$$3.20 \quad V^h R_{hki}^i = V^i \left({}_h R_{ki}^h + \alpha R_{ki}^i + \alpha \left({}_k \delta_i^i - {}_i \delta_k^i \right) + V^i \left({}_{k|i} - {}_{i|k} \right) + \alpha_i \delta_k^i - \alpha_k \delta_i^i \right)$$

or

$$3.21 \quad V^h R_{hk} = {}_h \left(V^i R_{ki}^h \right) + \alpha R_{ki}^i + \alpha \left(n_{k} - {}_k \right) + V^i \left({}_{k|i} - {}_{i|k} \right) + \alpha_k h \alpha_k$$

or

$$3.22 \quad V^h R_{hk} = {}_h \left(V^i R_{ki}^h \right) + \alpha R_{ki}^i + \alpha \left(n-1 \right) {}_k + V^i \left({}_{k|i} - {}_{i|k} \right) + \left(n-1 \right) \alpha_k$$

$$3.23 \quad V^i \left({}_{k|i} - {}_{i|k} + {}_h R_{ki}^h \right) + \alpha \left(n-1 \right) {}_k + \alpha R_{ki}^i - \left(n-1 \right) \alpha_k - V^h R_{hk} = 0$$

Thus we have following.

THEOREM 3.4 : In Finsler space F_n equipped with torse-forming transformation (2.4), the non-null vector field V^j satisfy differential equation (3.23)

Introducing (2.4) in commutation formula (1.8), we get

$$3.24 \quad V_{|k|j}^i - V_{|j|k}^i = V^h S_{hkj}^i$$

or

$$3.25 \quad V_{|j|k}^i - V_{|k|j}^i = -V^h S_{hkj}^i$$

using equation (3.5) in equation (3.25), we get

$$3.26 \quad \alpha \left({}_j \delta_k^i - {}_k \delta_j^i \right) + V^i \left({}_{j|k} - {}_{k|j} \right) + \alpha_k \delta_j^i - \alpha_j \delta_k^i = -V^h S_{hkj}^i$$

$$3.27 \quad V^h S_{hkj}^i = \alpha \left(\delta_{kj}^i - \delta_{jk}^i \right) + V^i \left(\delta_{k|j} - \delta_{j|k} \right) + \alpha_j \delta_k^i - \alpha_k \delta_j^i$$

Hence, we can state:

Theorem 3.5: In Finsler space F_n . The Cartain first curvature tensor S_{hkj}^i with torse-forming transformation (2.4) generates non-flat space.

Contracting i and j in equation (3.27)

$$3.28 \quad V^h S_{hki}^i = \alpha \left(\delta_{ki}^i - \delta_{ik}^i \right) + V^i \left(\delta_{k|i} - \delta_{i|k} \right) + \alpha_i \delta_k^i - \alpha_k \delta_i^i$$

or

$$3.29 \quad V^h S_{shk} + \alpha \left(h_{k-} - \delta_{k-} \right) + V^i \left(\delta_{k|i} - \delta_{i|k} \right) + \alpha_k - n \alpha_k$$

$$3.30 \quad V^h S_{hk} + (n-1) \alpha_k - V^i \left(\delta_{k|i} - \delta_{i|k} \right) - \alpha \left(n_{k-} - \delta_{k-} \right) = 0$$

$$3.31 \quad V^h S_{hk} - V^i \left(\delta_{k|i} - \delta_{i|k} \right) - \alpha \left(n-1 \right)_{k-} + (n-1) \alpha_k = 0$$

Hence we can state.

THEOREM 3.6 : In Finsler space F_n equipped with torse-forming transformation (2.4) the non-null vector field ξ^j satisfy the relation (3.31).

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