

Gradient Ricci Solitons in *δ***- Lorentzian Trans-Sasakian manifolds with semi-symmetric metric connection**

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Abstract The aim of the present research paper is to study the *δ*-Lorentzian Trans Sasakian manifolds endowed semi-symmetric metric connections addmitting the gradient Ricci Solitons, *η*-Ricci Solitons and Ricci Solitions. Initialy, it is shown that the *δ*-Lorentzian trans Sasakian manifolds with a semi-symmetric-metric connection. We have found the expressions for curvature tensors, Ricci curvature tensors and scalar curvature of the *δ*-Lorentzian trans Sasakian manifolds with a semi-symmetric-metric and metric connection. Also, we have discussed some results on quasi-projectively flat and *ϕ*-projectively flat manifolds endowed with a semi-symmetric-metric connection. It shown that the manifold satisfying $\bar{R}\cdot\bar{S}=0$, $\bar{P}, \bar{S}=0$. Moreover, we have obtained the conditions for the *δ*-Lorentzian Trans Sasakian manifolds with a semi-symmetric-metric connection to be conformally flat and *ξ*-conformally flat.

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1. INTRODUCTION

The Study of differentiable manifolds with Lorentizain metric is a natural and interesting topic in differential geometry. In 1996, Ikawa and Erdogan studied Lorentzian Sasakian manifold [20]. Also Lorentzian para contact manifolds were introduced by Matsumoto [23]. Trans Lorentzian para Sasakian manifolds have been used by Gill and Dube [15]. In [40] Yildiz et. al. studied Lorentzian *α*- Sasakian manifold and Lorentzian *β*-Kenmotsu manifold studied by Funda et. al. in [39]. After that in 2011, S. S Pujar and V. J. Khairnar [27] have initiated the study of Lorentzian Trans-Sasakian manifolds and

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studied the some basic results with some of its properties. Earlier to this S. S. Pujar [28] has initiated the study of *δ*-Lorentzian *α* Sasakian manifolds and *δ*-Lorentzian *β* Kenmotsu manifolds[28].

The study of manifolds with indefinite metrics is of interest from the standpoint of physics and relatively. In 1969, Takahashi [35] has introduced the notion of almost contact metric manifolds equipped with pseudo Riemannian metric. These indefinite almost conatct metric manifolds and indefinite Sasakian manifolds are known as (ϵ) -almost contact metric manifolds. The concept of (ε) -Sasakian manifolds was initiated by Bejancu and Duggal [6]. U. C. De and A. Sarkar [11] studied the notion of (*ε*)-Kenmotsu manifolds. In [38], X. Xufeng and C. Xiaoli studied *ε*-Sasakian manifolds. Later, S.S. Shukla and D. D. Singh [31] extended the study to (*ε*)-Trans-Sasakian manifolds with indefinite metric. The semi Riemannian manifolds has the index 1 and the structure vector field *ξ* is always a time like. Siddiqi et. al. [32] also studied some properties of Indefinite trans-Sasakian manifolds which is closely related to this topic. This motivated the Thripathi and others [34] to introduced (ε) -almost para contact structure where the vector filed ξ is space like or time like according as $(\varepsilon) = 1$ or $(\varepsilon) = -1$.

When *M* has a Lorentzian metric g , that is, a symmetric non degenerate $(0, 2)$ tensor field of index 1, then *M* is called a Lorentzian manifold. Since the Lorentzian metric is of index 1, Lorentzian manifold M has not only spacelike vector fields but also timelike and lightlike vector fields. This difference with the Riemannian case give interesting properties on the Lorentzian manifold. A differentiable manifold *M* has a Lorentzian metric if and only if *M* has a 1- dimensional distribution. Hence odd dimensional manifold is able to have a Lorentzian metric. Inspired by the above results In 2014, S. M Bhati [8] introduced the notion of *δ*-Lorentzian Trans Sasakian manifolds.

In 1924, the idea of semi-symmetric linear connection on a differentiable manifold was introduced by A. Friedmann and J. A. Schouten [13]. In 1930, Bartolotti [5] gave a geometrical meaning of such a connection. In 1932, H. A. Hayden [16] defined and studied semi-symmetric metric connection. In 1970, K. Yano [41], started a systematic study of the semi-symmetric metric connection in a Riemannian manifold and this was further studied by various authors such as Sharfuddin Ahmad and S. I. Hussain [30], M. M. Tripathi [33], I. E. Hirică and L. Nicolescu $([17], [18])$, G. Pathak and U.C. De [26].

Let *∇* be a linear connection in an *n*-dimensional differentiable manifold *M.* The torsion tensor *T* and the curvature tensor *R* of ∇ are given respectively by

$$
T(X,Y) = \nabla_X Y - \nabla_Y X - [X,Y],
$$

$$
R(X,Y)Z = \nabla_X \nabla_Y Z - \nabla_Y \nabla_X Z - \nabla_{[X,Y]} Z.
$$

The connection ∇ is said to be symmetric if its torsion tensor *T* vanishes, otherwise it is non-symmetric. The connection *∇* is said to be metric connection if there is a Riemannian metric *g* in *M* such that $\nabla g = 0$, otherwise it is non-metric. It is well known that a linear connection is symmetric and metric if it is the Levi-Civita connection.

A linear connection *∇* is said to be semi-symmetric connection if its torsion tensor *T* is of the form

 $T(X, Y) = \eta(Y)X - \eta(X)Y,$

where η is a 1-form.

Semi-symmetric connections play an important role in the study of Riemannian manifolds. There are various physical problems involving the semi-symmetric metric connection. For example, if a man is moving on the surface of the earth always facing one definite point, say Jaruselam or Mekka or the North pole, then this displacement is semisymmetric and metric [13].

In 1982, Hamilton [19] introduced that the Rici solitons move under the Ricci flow simply by diffeomorphisms of the initial metric that is they are sationary points of the Ricci flow is given by

$$
\frac{\partial g}{\partial t} = -2Ric(g). \tag{1.1}
$$

Definition 1.1. *A Ricci soliton* (g, V, λ) *on a Riemannian manifold is defined by*

$$
L_V g + 2S + 2\lambda = 0,\t\t(1.2)
$$

where S is the Ricci tensor, L^V is the Lie derivative along the vector field V on M and λ is a real scalar. Ricci soliton is said to be shrinking, steady or expanding according as $\lambda < 0, \lambda = 0$ *and* $\lambda > 0$ *, respectively.*

In 1925, Levy [21] obtained the necessary and sufficient conditions for the existence of such tensors. later, R. Sharma [29] initiated the study of Ricci solitons in contact Riemannian geometry . After that, Nagaraja et. al. [24] and others like C. S. Bagewadi et. al. [4] and O. chodosh and others extensively studied Ricci soliton. In 2009, J. T. Cho and m. Kimura [11] introduced the notion of *η*-Ricci solitons and gave a classification of real hypersurfaces in non-flat complex space forms admitting *η*-Ricci solitons. Later *η*-Ricci solitons in (ϵ) almost paracontact metric manifolds have been studied by A. M. Blaga et. al. [3]. A. M. Blaga and various others authors also have been studied *η*-Ricci solitons in different structures (see [1], [2]) Recently in 2017, K. Venu and G. Nagaraja [37] study the *η*-Ricci solitns in trans-Sasakian maanifolds with semi-symmetric metric connection. It is natural and interesting to study *η*-Ricci soliton in *δ*-Lorentzian Trans-Sasakian manifolds with semi-symmetric metric connection not as real hypersurfaces of complex space forms but a special contact structures. In this paper we derive the condition for a 3 dimensional *δ*-Lorentzian Trans-Sasakian manifolds with semi-symmetric metric connection as an *η*-Ricci soliton and derive expression for the scalar curvature.

2. Preliminaries

Let *M* be an δ -almost contact metric manifold equipped with δ -almost contact metric structure $(\phi, \xi, \eta, g, \delta)$ consisting of a (1, 1) tensor field ϕ , a vector field ξ , a 1-form η and an indefinite metric *g* such that

$$
\phi^2 = X + \eta(X)\xi, \ \ \eta \circ \phi = 0, \ \ \phi\xi = 0,
$$
\n(2.1)

$$
\eta(\xi) = -1,\tag{2.2}
$$

$$
g(\xi, \xi) = -\delta,\tag{2.3}
$$

$$
\eta(X) = \delta g(X, \xi),\tag{2.4}
$$

$$
g(\phi X, \phi Y) = g(X, Y) + \delta \eta(X)\eta(Y),\tag{2.5}
$$

for all $X, Y \in M$, where δ is such that $\delta^2 = 1$ so that $\delta = \pm 1$. The above structure $(\phi, \xi, \eta, g, \delta)$ on *M* is called the δ Lorentzian structure on *M*. If $\delta = 1$ and this is usual Lorentzian structure [27] on *M*, the vector field ξ is the time like [38], that is *M* contains a time like vector field.

In [36], Tano classified the connected almost contact metric manifold. For such a manifold the sectional curvature of the plane section containing *ξ* is constant, say *c*. He showed that they can be divided into three classes. (1) homogeneous normal contact Riemannian manifolds with $c > 0$. Other two classes can be seen in Tano [36].

In Grey and Harvella [14], the classification of almost Hermitian manifolds, there appears a class *W*⁴ of Hermitian manifolds which are closely related to the conformal Kaehler manifolds. The class $C_6 \oplus C_5$ [25] coincides with the class of trans-Sasakian structure of type (α, β) . In fact, the local nature of the two sub classes, namely C_6 and C_5 of trans-Sasakian structures are characterized completely. An almost conatct metric structure on *M* is called a trans-Sasakian (see [7], [22], [25]) if $(M \times R, J, G)$ belongs to the class W_4 , where *J* is the almost complex structure on $M \times R$ defined by

$$
J\left(X, f\frac{d}{dt}\right) = \left(\phi(X) - f\xi, \eta(X)\frac{d}{dt}\right)
$$

for all vector fields X on M and smooth functions f on $M \times R$ and G is the product metric on $M \times R$. This may be expressed by the condition

$$
(\nabla_X \phi)Y = \alpha(g(X, Y)\xi - \eta(Y)X) + \beta(g(\phi X, Y)\xi - \eta(Y)\phi X)
$$
\n(2.6)

for any vector fields *X* and *Y* on M , ∇ denotes the Levi-Civita connection with respect to *g*, α and β are smooth functions on *M*. The existence of condition (2.3) is ensure by the above discussion.

With the above literature now we define the *δ*-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifolds [28] as follows.

Definition 2.1. *A* δ -Lorentzian manifold with structure $(\phi, \xi, \eta, g, \delta)$ is said to be δ -*Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold of type* (*α, β*) *if it satisfies the condition*

$$
(\nabla_X \phi)Y = \alpha(g(X, Y)\xi - \delta\eta(Y)X) + \beta(g(\phi X, Y)\xi - \delta\eta(Y)\phi X) \tag{2.7}
$$

for any vector fields X and Y on M.

If $\delta = 1$, then the *δ*-Lorentzian trans Sasakian manifold is the usual Lorentzian trans Sasakian manifold of type (α, β) [25]. *δ*-Lorentzian trans Sasakian manifold of type $(0, 0)$, (0*, β*) (*α,* 0) are the Lorentzian cosymplectic, Lorentzian *β*-Kenmotsu and Lorentzian *α*-Sasakian manifolds respectively. In particular if $\alpha = 1$, $\beta = 0$ and $\alpha = 0$, $\beta = 1$, the *δ*-Lorentzian trans Sasakian manifolds reduces to *δ*-Lorentzian Sasakian and *δ*-Lorentzian Kenmotsu manifolds respectively.

Form (2.4), we have

$$
\nabla_X \xi = \delta \left\{ -\alpha \phi(X) - \beta(X + \eta(X)\xi \right\},\tag{2.8}
$$

and

$$
(\nabla_X \eta)Y = \alpha g(\phi X, Y) + \beta[g(X, Y) + \delta \eta(X)\eta(Y)].
$$
\n(2.9)

In a δ -Lorentzian trans Sasakian manifold M , we have the following relations:

$$
R(X,Y)\xi = (\alpha^2 + \beta^2)[\eta(Y)X - \eta(X)Y] + 2\alpha\beta[\eta(Y)\phi X - \eta(X)\phi Y]
$$
(2.10)
+ $\delta[(Y\alpha)\phi X - (X\alpha)\phi Y + (Y\beta)\phi^2 X - (X\beta)\phi^2 Y],$

$$
R(\xi,Y)X = (\alpha^2 + \beta^2)[\delta g(X,Y)\xi - \eta(X)Y]
$$

$$
+ \delta(X\alpha)\phi Y + \delta g(\phi X, Y)(grad\alpha)
$$

$$
+ \delta(X\beta)(Y + \eta(Y)\xi) - \delta g(\phi Y, \phi X))(grad\beta)
$$

$$
+ 2\alpha\beta[\delta g(\phi X, Y)\xi + \eta(X)\phi Y],
$$

$$
\eta(R(X,Y)Z) = \delta(\alpha^2 + \beta^2)[\eta(X)g(Y,Z) - \eta(Y)g(X,Z)
$$

+2\delta\alpha\beta[-\eta(X)g(\phi Y, Z) + \eta(Y)g(\phi X, Z)]
-[(Y\alpha)g(\phi X, Z) + (X\alpha)g(Y, \phi Z)]
-(Y\beta)g(\phi^2 X, Z) + (X\beta)g(\phi^2 Y, Z)], (X\beta)g(Y, Z) = (Y\beta)g(Y, Z) + (Y\beta)g(Y, Z) +

$$
S(X,\xi) = [((n-1)(\alpha^2 + \beta^2) - (\xi\beta)]\eta(X) + \delta((\phi X)\alpha) + (n-2)\delta(X\beta), \qquad (2.12)
$$

$$
S(\xi, \xi) = (n-1)(\alpha^2 + \beta^2) - \delta(n-1)(\xi\beta),
$$
\n(2.13)

$$
Q\xi = (\delta(n-1)(\alpha^2 + \beta^2) - (\xi\beta))\xi + \delta\phi(grad\alpha) - \delta(n-2)(grad\beta),
$$
\n(2.14)

where *R* is curvature tensor, while *Q* is the Ricci operator given by $S(X, Y) = g(QX, Y)$. Further in an *δ*-Lorentzian trans Sasakian manifold , we have

$$
\delta\phi(grad\alpha) = \delta(n-2)(grad\beta),\tag{2.15}
$$

and

$$
2\alpha\beta - \delta(\xi\alpha) = 0.\tag{2.16}
$$

The *ξ*-sectional curvature *K^ξ* of *M* is the sectional curvature of the plane spanned by *ξ* and a unit vector field X . From (2.11) , we have

$$
K_{\xi} = g(R(\xi, X), \xi, X) = (\alpha^2 + \beta^2) - \delta(\xi \beta).
$$
\n(2.17)

It follows from (2.17) that *ξ*-sectional curvature does not depend on *X*. From (2.11)

$$
g(R(\xi, Y)Z, \xi) = [(\alpha^2 + \beta^2) - \delta(\xi \beta)]g(Y, Z)
$$

$$
+ [(\xi \beta) - \delta(\alpha^2 + \beta^2)]\eta(Y)\eta(Z) + [2\alpha\beta + \delta(\delta \alpha)]g(\phi Y, Z),
$$
\n(2.18)

$$
C(X,Y)Z = R(X,Y)Z - \frac{1}{(n-2)}[S(Y,Z)X - S(X,Z)Y]
$$
\n(2.19)

$$
+g(Y,Z)QX-g(X,Z)QY] + \frac{r}{(n-1)(n-2)}[g(Y,Z)X - g(X,Z)Y],
$$

An affine connection ∇ in *M* i called semi-symmetric connection [13], it its torsion tensor satisfies the following relations

$$
\overline{T}(X,Y) = \overline{\nabla}_X Y - \overline{\nabla}_Y X - [X,Y],\tag{2.20}
$$

and

$$
\overline{T}(X,Y) = \eta(X)Y - \eta(Y)X.
$$
\n(2.21)

Moreover, a semi-symmetric connection is called semi-symmetric metric connection if

$$
(\bar{g})(X,Y) = 0.\tag{2.22}
$$

If *∇* is metric connection and *∇*¯ is the semi-symmetric metric connection with nonvanishing torsion tensor T in M , then we have

$$
T(X,Y) = \eta * YX - \eta(X)Y,
$$
\n
$$
(2.23)
$$

$$
\bar{\nabla}_X Y - \nabla_X Y = \frac{1}{2} [T(X, Y) + T'(X, Y) + T'(X, Y)],
$$
\n(2.24)

where

$$
g(T(Z, X), Y) = g(T^{'}(X, Y), Z).
$$
\n(2.25)

By using (2.4), (2.23) and (2.25), we get

$$
g(T^{'}(X,Y),Z) = g(\eta(X)Z - \eta(Z)X,Y),
$$

\n
$$
g(T^{'}(X,Y),Z) = \eta(X)g(Z,Y) - \delta g(X,Y)g(\xi,Z),
$$

\n
$$
T^{'}(X,Y) = \eta(X)Y - \delta g(X,Y)\xi,
$$
\n(2.26)

$$
T'(Y,X) = \eta(Y)X - \delta g(X,Y)\xi.
$$
\n
$$
(2.27)
$$

From (2.23) , (2.24) , (2.26) and (2.27) , we get

$$
\overline{\nabla}_X Y = \nabla_X Y + \eta(Y)X - \delta g(X, Y)\xi.
$$

Let *M* be an-*n*-dimensional *δ*-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold and *∇* be the metric connection on *M*. The relation between the semi-symmetric metric connection *∇*¯ and the metric connection ∇ on M is given by

$$
\overline{\nabla}_X Y = \nabla_X Y + \eta(Y) X - \delta g(X, Y) \xi.
$$
\n(2.28)

3. Curvature tensor on *δ*-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian mnaifold WITH SEMI-SYMMETRIC METRIC CONNECTION

Let *M* be an *n*-dimensional *δ*-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold. The curvature tensor \bar{R} of *M* with respect to the semi-symmetric metric connection $\bar{\nabla}$ is defined by

$$
\bar{R}(X,Y)Z = \bar{\nabla}_X \bar{\nabla}_Y Z - \bar{\nabla}_Y \bar{\nabla}_X Z - \bar{\nabla}_{[X,Y]} Z.
$$
\n(3.1)

By using (2.4) , (2.4) , (2.28) and $(3,1)$, we get

$$
\bar{R}(X,Y)Z = R(X,Y)Z + (\delta)[g(X,Z)Y - g(Y,Z)X] + (\beta + \delta)[g(Y,Z)\eta(X) - g(X,Z)\eta(Y)]\xi
$$
\n(3.2)

$$
-(\beta \delta - 1)[\eta(Y)X - \eta(X)Y]\eta(Z),
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$$
+\alpha[g(\phi X,Z)Y - g(\phi Y,Z)X - g(X,Z)\phi Y + g(Y,Z)\phi X],
$$

where

$$
R(X,Y)Z=\nabla_X\nabla_YZ-\nabla_Y\nabla_XZ-\nabla_{[X,Y]}Z
$$

is the Riemannian curvature tensor of connection *∇*.

Lemma 3.1. *Let M be an n-dimensional δ-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold with a semi-symmetric metric connection, then*

$$
(\bar{\nabla}_X \phi)(Y) = \alpha(g(\phi X, Y)\xi - \delta \eta(Y)X + \beta(g(\phi X, Y)\xi - (\delta \beta + \delta)\eta(Y)\phi X, \quad (3.3)
$$

$$
\bar{\nabla}_X \xi = -(1 + \delta \beta)X - (1 + \delta \beta)\eta(X)\xi - \delta \alpha \phi X,\tag{3.4}
$$

$$
(\bar{\nabla}_X \eta)Y = \alpha g(\phi X, Y) + (\beta + \delta)g(X, Y) - (1 + \beta \delta)\eta(X)\eta(Y). \tag{3.5}
$$

Proof. By the covariant differentiation of ϕY with respect to *X*, we have

 $\overline{\nabla}_X \phi Y = (\overline{\nabla}_X \phi) + \phi (\overline{\nabla}_X Y).$

By using (2.1) and (2.28) , we have

$$
(\bar{\nabla}_X \phi)Y = (\nabla_X \phi)Y - \eta(Y)\phi X.
$$

In view of (2.7) , the last equation gives

$$
(\bar{\nabla}_X \phi)(Y) = \alpha(g(\phi X, Y)\xi - \delta \eta(Y)X + \beta(g(\phi X, Y)\xi - (\delta \beta + \delta)\eta(Y)\phi X).
$$

To prove (3.4), we replace $Y = \xi$ in (2.28) and we have

 $\overline{\nabla}_X \xi = \nabla_X \xi + \eta(\xi)X - \delta g(X, \xi)\xi.$

By using (2.2) , (2.4) and (2.8) , the above equation gives

$$
\overline{\nabla}_X \xi = -(1 + \delta \beta)X - (1 + \delta \beta)\eta(X)\xi - \delta \alpha \phi X.
$$

In order to prove (3.5), we differentiate $\eta(Y)$ covariantly with respect to X and using (2.28) , we have

$$
\overline{\nabla}_X \eta(Y) = (\nabla_X \eta) Y + g(X, Y) - \eta(X)\eta(Y).
$$

Using (2.9) in above equation, we get

$$
(\bar{\nabla}_X\eta)Y=\alpha g(\phi X,Y)+(\beta+\delta)g(X,Y)-(1+\beta\delta)\eta(X)\eta(Y).
$$

Lemma 3.2. *Let M be an n-dimensional δ-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold with a semi-symmetric metric connection, then*

$$
\bar{R}(X,Y)\xi = (\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta\beta)[\eta(X)Y - \eta(Y)X].
$$
\n
$$
+ (2\alpha\beta + \delta\alpha)[\eta(Y)\phi X - \eta(X)\phi Y]
$$
\n
$$
+ \delta[(Y\alpha)\phi X - (-X\alpha)\phi Y - (X\beta)\phi^2 Y + (Y\beta)\phi^2 X].
$$
\n(3.6)

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Proof. By replacing $Z = \xi$ in (3.2), we have

$$
\bar{R}(X,Y)\xi = R(X,Y)\xi + (\delta)[g(X,\xi)Y - g(Y,\xi)X]
$$

$$
+ (\beta + \delta)[g(Y,\xi)\eta(X) - g(X,\xi)\eta(Y)]\xi
$$

$$
- (\beta\delta - 1)[\eta(Y)X - \eta(X)Y]\eta(\xi).
$$

$$
+ \alpha[g(\phi X,\xi)Y - g(\phi Y,\xi)X - g(X,\xi)\phi Y + g(Y,\xi)\phi X]
$$
In view of (2.2), (2.4) and (2.10), the above equation reduces to

$$
\bar{R}(X,Y)\xi = (\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta\beta)[\eta(X)Y - \eta(Y)X].
$$

+(2\alpha\beta + \delta\alpha)[\eta(Y)\phi X - \eta(X)\phi Y]
+ \delta[(Y\alpha)\phi X - (X\alpha)\phi Y - (X\beta)\Phi^2 Y + (Y\beta)\phi^2 X].

Remark 1. Replace
$$
Y = \xi
$$
 and using (3.2), (2.11), (2.2) and (2.4), we obtain
\n
$$
\bar{R}(X,\xi)\xi = (\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta\beta)[-X - \eta(X)Y].
$$
\n
$$
+ (2\alpha\beta + \delta\alpha + \delta(\xi\alpha))[\phi X + \delta(\xi\beta)\phi^2 X].
$$
\n(3.7)

Remark 2. Now, again replace
$$
X = \xi
$$
 in (3.6), using (2.1), (2.2) and (2.4), we obtain

$$
\bar{R}(\xi, Y)\xi = (\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta\beta)[-\eta(Y)\xi - Y].
$$
\n
$$
-(2\alpha\beta + \delta\alpha + \delta(\xi\alpha))[\phi Y - \delta(\xi\beta)\phi^2 Y].
$$
\n(3.8)

Remark 3. Replace $Y = X$ in (3.8), we get

$$
\bar{R}(\xi, X)\xi = -(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta\beta)[-X - \eta(X)\xi].
$$
\n
$$
-(2\alpha\beta + \delta\alpha + \delta(\xi\alpha))[\phi X - \delta(\xi\beta)\phi^2 X].
$$
\n(3.9)

From (3.7) and (3.10) , we obtain

$$
\bar{R}(X,\xi)\xi = -\bar{R}(\xi,X)\xi.
$$
\n(3.10)

Now, contracting *X* in (3.2), we get

$$
\bar{S}(Y,Z) = S(Y,Z) - [(\delta)(n-2) + \beta]g(Y,Z)
$$
\n
$$
-(\beta\delta - 1)(n-2)\eta(Z)\eta(Y) - \alpha(n-2)g(\phi Y, Z),
$$
\n(3.11)

where \bar{S} and *S* are the Ricci tensors of the connections $\bar{\nabla}$ and ∇ , respectively on *M*. This gives

$$
\overline{Q}Y = QY - [(\delta)(n-2) + \beta]Y
$$

-($\beta\delta - 1$)($n - 2$) η (Y) $\xi - \alpha$ ($n - 2$) ϕ Y, (3.12)

where \overline{Q} and Q are Ricci operator with respect to the semi-symmetric metric connection and metric connection respectively and define as $g(\overline{Q}Y, Z) = \overline{S}(Y, Z)$ and $g(QY, Z) =$ *S*(*Y, Z*) respectively.

Replace $Y = \xi$ in (3.12) and using (2.15), we get

$$
\overline{Q}\xi = \delta(n-1)(\alpha^2 + \beta^2)\xi - (\xi\beta)\xi - 2\delta(n-2)\xi
$$

$$
+ \delta\phi(grad\alpha) - \delta(n-2)(grad\beta) - \beta(n-1)\xi.
$$
\n(3.13)

Putting $Y = Z = e_i$ and taking summation over $i, 1 \le i \le n - 1$ in (3.11), using (2.14) and also the relations $r = S(e_i, e_i) = \sum_{i=1}^n \delta_i R(e_i, e_i, e_i, e_i)$, we get

$$
\bar{r} = r - (n - 1)[(\delta)(n - 2) + 2\beta],\tag{3.14}
$$

where \bar{r} and r are the scalar curvatures of the connections $\bar{\nabla}$ and ∇ , respectively on *M*. Now, we have the following lemmas.

Lemma 3.3. *Let M be an n-dimensional δ-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold with the semi-symmetric metric connection, then*

$$
\bar{S}(\phi Y, Z) = -\delta(\phi^2 Y)\alpha - \delta(n-2)(\phi Y)\beta - \alpha(n-2)g(\phi Y, \phi Z), \qquad (3.15)
$$

$$
\bar{S}(Y,\xi) = [(n-1)(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta(\xi\beta) - \delta\beta(n-1)]\eta(Y)
$$
\n
$$
+\delta(n-2)(Y\beta) + \delta(\phi Y)\beta,
$$
\n(3.16)

$$
\bar{S}(\xi,\xi) = [(n-1)(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta(\xi\beta) - \delta\beta(n-1)]\eta(Y). \tag{3.17}
$$

Proof. By replacing $Y = \phi Y$ in equation (3.11) and using (2.13) and (2.5), we have (3.15). Taking $Y = \xi$ in (3.11) and using (2.13) we get (3.16). (3.17) follows from considering $Y = \xi$ in (3.16) we get (3.17). \blacksquare

Lemma 3.4. *Let M be an n-dimensional δ-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold with the semi-symmetric metric connection, then*

$$
\bar{S}(grad\alpha,\xi) = \delta(n-1)(\alpha^2 + \beta^2(\xi\beta) - \beta(n-1)(\xi\alpha) - (\xi\alpha)(\xi\beta)
$$
\n(3.18)

 $+\delta(\phi \text{grad}\alpha)\alpha + \delta(n-2)q(\text{grad}\alpha, \text{grad}\beta),$

$$
\bar{S}(grad\beta,\xi) = \delta(n-1)(\alpha^2 + \beta^2(\xi\beta) - \beta(n-1)(\xi\beta) - (\xi\beta)^2
$$
\n(3.19)

$$
+\delta(\phi grad \beta)\alpha + \delta(n-2)g(grad \beta)^2.
$$

Proof. From equation (3.11) and (3.16) and using $Y = \text{grad}\alpha$ we have (3.18). Similarly taking $\xi = \text{grad}\beta$ in (3.11) and using (3.16), we get (3.19).

Using (3.6), (3.13) and (3.16), for constant α and β , we have

$$
\bar{R}(X,Y)\xi = (\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta(\xi\beta)[\eta(Y)X - \eta(X)Y],\tag{3.20}
$$

$$
\bar{S}(X,Y) = [(n-1)(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta(\xi\beta) - \delta\beta(n-1)]\eta(Y),
$$
\n(3.21)

$$
\bar{Q}X = \delta(n-1)(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 \xi - \delta(\xi \beta)\xi - 2\delta(n-2) - \beta(n-1)\xi).
$$
 (3.22)

4. Quasi-projectively flat *δ*-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold with semi-symmetric metric connection

Let *M* be an *n*-dimensional *δ*-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold. If there exists a one to one correspondence between each co-ordinate neighborhood of *M* and a domain in Euclidean space such that any geodesic of *δ*-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold corresponds to a straight line in the Euclidean space, then *M* is said to be locally projectively flat. The projective curvature tensor \bar{P} with respect to semi-symmetric metric connection is defined by

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

Definition 4.1. *A δ-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold M is said to be quasi-projectively flat with respect to semi-symmetric metric connection, if*

$$
g(\bar{P}(\phi X, Y)Z, \phi U) = 0,\t\t(4.2)
$$

where \bar{P} is the projective curvature tensor with respect to semi-symmetric metric connec*tion.*

Now, from (4.1) taking inner product with *U*, we get

$$
g(\bar{P}(X,Y)Z,U) = g(\bar{R}(X,Y)Z,U) - \frac{1}{(n-1)}
$$
\n
$$
[\bar{S}(Y,Z)g(X,U) - \bar{S}(X,Z)g(Y,U)].
$$
\n(4.3)

Replace $X = \phi X$ and $U = \phi U$ in (4.3), we get

$$
g(\bar{P}(\phi X, Y)Z, \phi U) = g(\bar{R}(\phi X, Y)Z, \phi U) - \frac{1}{(n-1)}
$$
(4.4)

$$
[\bar{S}(Y, Z)g(\phi X, \phi U) - \bar{S}(\phi X, Z)g(Y, \phi U)].
$$

From (4.2) and (4.4) , we have

$$
g(\overline{R}(\phi X, Y)Z, \phi U) = \frac{1}{(n-1)}[\overline{S}(Y, Z)g(\phi X, \phi U) - \overline{S}(\phi X, Z)g(Y, \phi U)].
$$

Now, using equations (2.1) , (2.4) , (3.11) and (3.15) in equation (4.5) , we have

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

$$
-\frac{(\delta + \beta)}{(n-1)}g(\phi X, Z)g(Y, \phi U) + \frac{(\delta + \beta)}{(n-1)}g(Y, Z)g(\phi X, \phi U)
$$

$$
-\frac{(\delta \beta - 1)}{(n-1)}\eta(Y)\eta(Z)g(\phi X, \phi U) + \frac{(\delta \alpha)}{(n-1)}\eta(X)\eta(Z)g(\phi X, \phi U)
$$

$$
-\frac{\alpha}{(n-1)}g(X, Z)g(Y, \phi U) - \frac{\alpha}{(n-1)}g(\phi Y, Z)g(\phi X, \phi U)
$$

$$
+\alpha g(Y, Z)g(X, \phi U) + \alpha g(\phi X, Z)g(\phi X, \phi U).
$$

Let $\{e_1, e_2, \ldots, e_{n-1}, \xi\}$ be a local orthonormal basis of vector fileds on *δ*-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold *M*, then $\{\phi e_1, \phi e_2, \ldots, \phi e_{n-1}, \xi\}$ is also a local orthonormal basis

of vector fields on δ -Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold *M*. Now putting $X = U = e_i$ in equation (4.6) and using (2.2) , (2.3) , (2.19) , (3.11) and (3.16) , we have

$$
S(Y, Z) = [(n - 2)(\beta + \delta) + \delta(n - 1)(\alpha^{2} + \beta^{2}) - (n - 1)(\xi\beta)]g(Y, Z)
$$

+
$$
[\delta(n - 2)(\xi\beta) + (n - 2)(\beta\delta - 1)]\eta(Y)\eta(Z)
$$

-
$$
[2\delta(n - 1)\alpha\beta + (n - 1)(\xi\alpha) - \alpha]g(\phi Y, Z)
$$

-
$$
\delta\eta(Y)(\phi Z)\alpha - \delta(n - 2)(\xi\beta)\eta(Y).
$$
 (4.5)

If $\alpha = 0$ and $\beta = constant$ in (4.7), we get

$$
S(Y,Z) = [(n-2)(\beta + \delta) + (n-1)\delta\beta^{2}]g(Y,Z) + (\beta\delta - 1)(2 - n)\eta(Y)\eta(Z). \tag{4.6}
$$

Therefor, we have

$$
S(Y, Z) = ag(Y, Z) + b\eta(Y)\eta(Z),
$$

where $a = (n-2)(\beta + \delta) + (n-1)\delta\beta^2$ and $b = (\beta\delta - 1)(2 - n)$.

This results shows that the manifold under the consideration is an *η*-Einstein manifold. Thus we can state the following theorem:

Theorem 4.2. *An n-dimensional quasi projectively flat δ-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold M with respect to a semi-symmetric metric connection is an η-Einstein manifold if* $\alpha = 0$ *and* $\beta = constant$ *.*

5. *ϕ*-Projectively flat *δ*-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold with semi-symmetric metric connection satisfying

An *n*-dimensional *δ*-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold with semi-symmetric metric connection is said to be *ϕ*-projectively flat if

$$
\phi^2(\bar{P}(\phi, X, \phi Y)\phi Z) = 0,\tag{5.1}
$$

where \bar{P} is the projective curvature tensor of *M* n-dimensional δ -Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold with respect to a semi-symmetric metric connection. Suppose *M* be *ϕ*-projectively flat *δ*-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold with respect to a semi-symmetric metric connection. It is know that $\phi^2(\bar{P}(\phi, X, \phi Y)\phi Z) = 0$ holds if and only if

$$
g(\bar{P}(\phi X, \phi Y)\phi Z, \phi U) = 0,\tag{5.2}
$$

for any *X, Y, Z, U* $\in TM$. Replace *Y* = ϕ *Y* and *U* ϕ *U* in (4.4), we have

$$
g(\bar{P}(\phi X, \phi Y)\phi Z, \phi U) = g(\bar{R}(\phi X, \phi Y)\phi Z, \phi U) - \frac{1}{(n-1)}
$$
\n(5.3)

$$
[\bar{S}(\phi Y, \phi Z)g(\phi X, \phi U) - \bar{S}(\phi X, \phi Z)g(\phi Y, \phi U)].
$$

From (5.2) and (5.3) , we have

$$
g(\bar{R}(\phi X, \phi Y)\phi Z, \phi U) = \frac{1}{(n-1)} [\bar{S}(\phi Y, \phi Z)g(\phi X, \phi U) -\bar{S}(\phi X, \phi Z)g(\phi Y, \phi U)].
$$
\n(5.4)

Now, using $(2.1),(2.2),(2.4),(2.5),(3.2)$ and (3.11) in equation (5.4) , we have

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

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$$
-\frac{(\delta+\beta)}{(n-1)}g(\phi Y,\phi Z)g(\phi X,\phi U)+\frac{(\delta+\beta)}{(n-1)}g(\phi X,\phi Z)g(\phi Y,\phi U)-\frac{\alpha}{(n-1)}g(Y,\phi Z)g(\phi X,\phi U)-\frac{\alpha}{(n-1)}g(X,\phi Y Z)g(\phi X,\phi U)+\alpha g(\phi Y,\phi Z)g(X,\phi U)-\alpha g(\phi X,\phi Z)g(Y,\phi U).
$$

Let $\{e_1, e_2 \ldots e_{n-1}, \xi\}$ be a local orthonormal basis of vector fileds on δ -Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold *M*, then $\{\phi e_1, \phi e_2$ $\phi e_{n-1}, \xi\}$ is also a local orthonormal basis of vector fields on δ -Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold *M*. Now putting $X = U = e_i$ in equation (5.5) and using (2.1) – (2.5) , (2.19) , (3.11) and (3.16) , we have

$$
S(Y, Z) = [(n - 2)(\beta + \delta) + \delta(n - 1)(\alpha^{2} + \beta^{2}) - (n - 1)(\xi\beta)]g(Y, Z) + [2\delta(n - 2)(\xi\beta) + (n - 2)(\beta\delta - 1)]\eta(Y)\eta(Z) + [\alpha - 2\delta\alpha\beta(n - 1) - (n - 1)(\xi\alpha)]g(\phi Y, Z) - [\delta(\phi Z)\alpha + \delta(n - 2)(Z\beta)]\eta(Y) - [\delta(\phi Y)\alpha + \delta(n - 2)(Y\beta)]\eta(Z),
$$

If $\alpha = 0$ and $\beta = constant$ in (5.6), we get

$$
S(Y, Z) = [(n-2)(\beta + \delta) + (n-1)\delta\beta^{2}]g(Y, Z) + (\beta\delta - 1)(2 - n)\eta(Y)\eta(Z). \tag{5.5}
$$

Therefore,

$$
S(Y, Z) = ag(Y, Z) + b\eta(Y)\eta(Z),
$$

where $a = (n-2)(\beta + \delta) + (n-1)\delta\beta^2$ and $b = (\beta\delta - 1)(2 - n)$. This results shows that the manifold under the consideration is an *η*-Einstein manifold. Thus we can state the following theorem:

Theorem 5.1. *An n-dimensional ϕ-projectively flat δ-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold M with respect to a semi-symmetric metric connection is an η-Einstein manifold if* $\alpha = 0$ *and* $\beta = constant$ *.*

6. *δ*-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold with semi-symmetric METRIC CONNECTION SATISFYING $\overline{R}.\overline{S}=0$

Now, suppose that *M* be an *n*-dimensional *δ*-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold with semi-symmetric metric connection satisfying the condition:

$$
\bar{R}(X,Y).\bar{S} = 0.\tag{6.1}
$$

Then, we have

$$
\bar{S}(\bar{R}(X,Y)Z,U) + \bar{S}(Z,\bar{R}(X,Y)U) = 0.
$$
\n(6.2)

Now, we replace $X = \xi$ in equation (6.2), using equations (2.11) and (6.2), we have

$$
\delta(\alpha^{2} + \beta^{2})g(Y, Z)\bar{S}(\xi, U) - (\alpha^{2} + \beta^{2})\eta(Z)\bar{S}(Y, U) - 2\delta\alpha\beta g(\phi Y, Z)\bar{S}(\xi, U)
$$
(6.3)
+2 $\alpha\beta\eta(Z)\bar{S}(\phi Y, U) + \delta(Z\alpha)\bar{S}(\phi Y, U) - \delta g(\phi Y, Z)\bar{S}(grad\alpha, U)$
- $\delta g(\phi Y, \phi Z)\bar{S}(grad\beta, U) + \delta(Z\beta)\bar{S}(Y, U) - \delta(Z\beta)\eta(Y)\bar{S}(\xi, U)$
- $\delta g(Y, Z)\bar{S}(\xi, U) + \delta\eta(Z)\bar{S}(Y, U) + \alpha g(\phi Y, Z)\bar{S}(\xi, U) - \delta\alpha\eta(Z)\bar{S}(\phi Y, U)$
+ $\delta(\alpha^{2} + \beta^{2})g(Y, U)\bar{S}(\xi, Z) - (\alpha^{2} + \beta^{2})\eta(U)\bar{S}(Y, Z) - 2\delta\alpha\beta g(\phi Y, U)\bar{S}(\xi, Z)$
+2 $\alpha\beta\eta(U)\bar{S}(\phi Y, Z) + \delta(U\alpha)\bar{S}(\phi Y, Z) - \delta g(\phi Y, U)\bar{S}(grad\alpha, Z)$
- $\delta g(\phi Y, \phi U)\bar{S}(grad\beta, Z) + \delta(U\beta)\bar{S}(Y, Z) - \delta(U\beta)\eta(Y)\bar{S}(\xi, Z)$
- $\delta g(Y, U)\bar{S}(\xi, Z) + \delta\eta(U)\bar{S}(Y, Z) + \alpha g(\phi Y, U)\bar{S}(\xi, Z) - \delta\alpha\eta(U)\bar{S}(\phi Y, Z) = 0.$

Using equations (2.1) – (2.5) , (2.13) , (2.14) , (3.11) and (3.15) – (3.19) in equation (6.3)

$$
[(\alpha^{2} + \beta^{2}) - \delta(\xi\beta) - \delta\beta]S(Y, Z)
$$

\n
$$
= [\delta(n - 1)(\alpha^{2} + \beta^{2}) - 2\beta(n - 1)(\alpha^{2} + \beta^{2}) - 2(n - 1)(\alpha^{2} + \beta^{2})(\xi\beta)
$$

\n
$$
+2\delta\beta(n - 1)(\xi\beta) - \delta(\xi\beta)^{2} + (\phi\gamma rad\beta)\alpha + (n - 2)(\gamma rad\beta)^{2}
$$

\n
$$
+ \delta\beta^{2}(n - 2) + \delta(n - 2)(\alpha^{2} + \beta^{2}) + \beta(\alpha^{2} + \beta^{2})
$$

\n
$$
-2\alpha^{2}\beta(n - 2) - \delta\alpha(\xi\alpha) - (n - 2)(\xi\beta) - \delta\beta(\xi\beta)
$$

\n
$$
-\beta(n - 2) + \delta\alpha^{2}(n - 2)]g(Y, Z) + [-\delta(\phi\gamma rad\beta)\alpha
$$

\n
$$
-\delta(n - 2)(\gamma rad\beta)^{2} + (n - 2)(\beta\delta - 1)(\alpha^{2} + \beta^{2})
$$

\n
$$
+2\delta\alpha^{2}\beta(n - 2) + \alpha(n - 2)(\xi\alpha) + (\beta + \delta)(n - 2)(\xi\beta)
$$

\n
$$
+ \beta(\beta + \delta)(n - 2) - \alpha^{2}(n - 2)]\eta(Y)\eta(Z) + [-2\delta\alpha\beta(n - 1)(\alpha^{2} + \beta^{2})
$$

\n
$$
+2(n - 2)\alpha\beta^{2} + 2\alpha\beta(n - 2)(\xi\beta) - (n - 1)(\alpha^{2} + \beta^{2})(\xi\alpha)
$$

\n
$$
+ \delta\beta(n - 2)(\xi\alpha) + \delta(\xi\alpha)(\xi\beta) + (\phi\gamma rad\alpha)\alpha + (n - 2)(g(\gamma rad\alpha, \gamma rad\beta)
$$

\n
$$
+ \alpha(\alpha^{2} + \beta^{2}) - \delta\alpha(\xi \text{ beta}) - 2\alpha\beta(n - 2)(\delta) - (n - 2)(\delta\alpha) + \alpha(n - 2)]g(\phi Y, Z)
$$

\n
$$
+ [\delta(\alpha^{2} + \beta^{2})(\phi Z)\alpha - \delta(n
$$

If $\alpha = 0$ and $\beta = constant$ in (5.6), we get

$$
S(Y, Z) = ag(Y, Z) + b\eta(Y)\eta(Z),
$$

where $a = -\left[\frac{(n-1)\delta\beta^4 + (n-2)(\text{grad}\beta)^2 + (n-2)\delta\beta^2 + (n-2)\delta\beta^2 - (n-2)\beta + (2n-3)\beta^3}{(\beta+\delta)\beta}\right]$ $\frac{-2}{\beta + \delta}$ *β* + (*n*-2)*o*_{*β*} - (*n*-2)*p*+(2*n*-3)*p*³</sup>
(*β*+*δ*)*β* and $b = -\left[\frac{(n-2)(\beta\delta-1)\beta^2 + (n-2)(\beta+\delta)\beta - (n-2)\delta(grad\beta^2}{(\beta+\delta)\beta}\right]$. This show that M is an η -Einstein manifold. Thus,we can state the following theorem:

Theorem 6.1. *An n-dimensional δ-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold M with respect to a semi-symmetric metric connection* $\overline{\nabla}$ *satisfies* $\overline{R}.\overline{S} = 0$, *then* δ *-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold M is an η*-*Einstein manifold if* $\alpha = 0$ *and* $\beta = constant$ *.*

7. *δ*-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold with semi-symmetric METRIC CONNECTION SATISFYING $\overline{P} \cdot \overline{S} = 0$

Now, we consider *δ*-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold with semi-symmetric metric connection satisfying

$$
(\bar{P}(X,Y).\bar{S})(Z,U) = 0.
$$
\n(7.1)

where \bar{P} is the projective curvature tensor and \bar{S} is the Ricci tensor with semi-symmetric metric connection.Then, we have

$$
\bar{S}(\bar{P}(X,Y)Z,U) + \bar{S}(Z,\bar{P}(X,Y)U) = 0.
$$
\n(7.2)

Replace $X = \xi$ in the equation (7.2), we get

$$
\bar{S}(\bar{P}(\xi, Y)Z, U) + \bar{S}(Z, \bar{P}(\xi, Y)U) = 0.
$$
\n(7.3)

Putting $X = \xi$ in (4.1), we get

$$
\bar{P}(\xi, Y)Z = \bar{R}(\xi, Y)Z - \frac{1}{(n-1)}[\bar{S}(Y, Z)\xi - \bar{S}(\xi, Z)Y].
$$
\n(7.4)

Using (2.1) , (2.2) , (2.4) , (2.11) , (3.2) , (3.11) , (3.17) and (7.4) in (7.3) , we get

$$
\frac{\delta(\alpha^2 + \beta^2)(n-1) + (\beta + \delta)(n-2)}{(n-1)}g(Y, Z)\bar{S}(\xi, U) - \frac{1}{(n-1)}S(Y, Z)\bar{S}(\xi, U)
$$
 (7.5)
\n
$$
-\frac{(n-2)}{(n-1)}(\beta\delta - 1)\eta(Y)\eta(Z)\bar{S}(\xi, U) + \frac{\alpha - 2\delta\alpha\beta(n-1)}{(n-1)}g(\phi Y, Z)\bar{S}(\xi, U)
$$
\n
$$
-\delta g(\phi Y, Z)\bar{S}(grad\alpha, U) - \delta g(\phi Y, \phi Z)\bar{S}(grad\beta, U) + 2\alpha\beta\eta(Z)\bar{S}(\phi Y, U)
$$
\n
$$
+ \delta(Z\alpha)\bar{S}(\phi Y, U) + \delta(Z\beta)\bar{S}(Y, U) - \delta(Z\beta)\eta(Y)\bar{S}(\xi, U) - \delta\alpha\eta(Z)\bar{S}(\phi Y, U)
$$
\n
$$
-\frac{1}{(n-1)}\delta(\xi\beta)\eta(Z)\bar{S}(Y, U)\frac{(n-2)}{(n-1)}\delta(Z\beta)\bar{S}(Y, U) - \frac{1}{(n-1)}\delta(\phi Z)\alpha\bar{S}(Y, U)
$$
\n
$$
\frac{\delta(\alpha^2 + \beta^2)(n-1) + (\beta + \delta)(n-2)}{(n-1)}g(Y, U)\bar{S}(\xi, Z) - \frac{1}{(n-1)}S(Y, U)\bar{S}(\xi, Z)
$$
\n
$$
-\frac{(n-2)}{(n-1)}(\beta\delta - 1)\eta(Y)\eta(U)\bar{S}(\xi, Z) + \frac{\alpha - 2\delta\alpha\beta(n-1)}{(n-1)}g(\phi Y, U)\bar{S}(\xi, Z)
$$
\n
$$
+ \delta(U\alpha)\bar{S}(\phi Y, Z) + \delta(Z\beta)\bar{S}(Y, Z) - \delta(U\beta)\eta(Y)\bar{S}(\xi, Z) - \delta\alpha\eta(U)\bar{S}(\phi Y, Z)
$$
\n
$$
+ \delta(U\alpha)\bar{S}(\phi Y, Z) + \delta(Z\beta)\bar{S}(Y, Z) - \delta(U\beta)\eta(Y)\bar{S}(\xi, Z) - \delta\alpha\eta(U)\bar{S}(\phi Y, Z)
$$
\n
$$
-\frac{1}{(n-1)}\delta(\xi\beta)\eta(Z)\bar{S}(Y, Z
$$

$$
-2\delta\alpha\beta(n-2) - (n-1)(\xi\alpha) + \alpha(n-2) - (n-1)(\alpha^2 + \beta^2)(\xi\alpha) + (n-1)\delta\beta(\xi\alpha)
$$

+ $\delta(\xi\alpha)(\xi\beta) + (\phi\gamma\alpha d\alpha)\alpha + n - 2)g(\gamma\alpha d\alpha, \gamma\alpha d\beta)g(\phi Y, z) + [\delta\alpha + \delta(\xi\alpha) - \delta\alpha]S(\phi Y, Z)$
+ $[\delta(n+3)(\alpha^2 + \beta^2)(Z\beta) + \beta(n-2)(Z\beta) - delta(\alpha^2 + \beta^2)(\phi Z)\alpha$
+ $(n-1)\beta(\phi Z)\alpha + (\xi\beta)(\phi Z)\alpha] \eta(Y) + [-2\delta\alpha\beta(\phi^2 Y)\alpha - 2\delta\alpha\beta(n-2)(\phi Y\beta)$
+ $\alpha(\phi^2 Y)\alpha + \alpha(n-2)(\phi Y\beta) + \delta(\alpha^2 + \beta^2)(\phi Y)\alpha + \delta(n-2)(\alpha^2 + \beta^2)(Y\beta)$
- $\beta(\phi Y)\alpha - \beta(n-2)(Y\beta)]\eta(Z)$
- $(Z\alpha)(\phi^2 Y)\alpha - (n-2)(Z\beta)(\phi Y\beta) - (Z\beta)(\phi Y)\alpha - \beta(n-2)(Y\beta).$
If $\alpha = 0$ and $\beta = constant$ in (7.6), we get

 $S(Y, Z) = ag(Y, Z) + b\eta(Y)\eta(Z),$ (7.7) where $a = -\frac{(n-1)\beta^4 + (n-2)\beta^2(\beta\delta) + (n-1)\beta^3 - (n-2)\beta(\beta\delta-1) + (n-1)\beta\beta + (n-2)(grad\beta)^2}{\beta(\beta\delta)}$ $\left[\frac{(n-2)\beta(\beta\delta-1)+(n-1)\beta\beta+(n-2)(grad\beta)}{\beta(\beta\delta)}\right]$ $b = -\left[\frac{(n-2)\beta(\beta+\delta)+(n-2)\beta^2-(n-2)\delta(grad\beta)^2}{\beta(\beta+\delta)}\right]$

and

 $\frac{\beta(\beta+\delta)}{\beta(\beta+\delta)}$. This result showw that the manifold under the consideration is an *η*-Einstein manifold. Thus we have the following theorem:

Theorem 7.1. *An n-dimensional δ-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold M with respect* to *a semi-symmetric metric connection* $\overline{\nabla}$ *satisfies* $\overline{P}.\overline{S} = 0$ *, then* δ *-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold M is an η*-*Einstein manifold if* $\alpha = 0$ *and* $\beta = constant$ *.*

8. Weyl conformal curvature tensor on *δ*-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold with semi-symmetric metric connection

The Weyl conformal curvature tensor \overline{C} of type (1,3) of *M* an *n*-dimensional δ -Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold with semi-symmetric metric connection *∇*¯ is given by [42]

$$
\bar{C}(X,Y)Z = \bar{R}(X,Y)Z - \frac{1}{(n-2)}[\bar{S}(Y,Z)X - \bar{S}(X,Z)Y]
$$
\n(8.1)

$$
+g(Y,Z)\bar{Q}X-g(X,Z)\bar{Q}Y] + \frac{\bar{r}}{(n-1)(n-2)}[g(Y,Z)X - g(X,Z)Y],
$$

where \overline{Q} is the Ricci operator with respect to the semi-symmetric metric connection $\overline{\nabla}$. Let *M* ba an *n*-dimensional *δ*-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold. The Weyl conformal curvature tensor \bar{C} of *M* with respect to the semi-symmetric metric connection $\bar{\nabla}$ is defined in equation (8.1).

Now, taking inner product with *U* in (8.1), we get

$$
g(\bar{C}(X,Y)Z,U) = g(\bar{R}(X,Y)Z,U) - \frac{1}{(n-2)}[\bar{S}(Y,Z)g(X,U) - \bar{S}(X,Z)g(Y,U) +g(Y,Z)g(\bar{Q}X,U) - g(X,Z)g(\bar{Q}Y,U)] + \frac{\bar{r}}{(n-1)(n-2)}
$$
(8.2)

$$
[g(Y,Z)g(X,U) - g(X,Z)g(Y,U)].
$$

Using (2.4) , (3.2) , (3.11) , (3.12) and (3.14) in (8.2) , we get

$$
\bar{C}(X,Y,Z,U) = g(\bar{R}(X,Y)Z,U) - \frac{1}{(n-2)}[S(Y,Z)g(X,U) - S(X,Z)g(Y,U) \quad (8.3)
$$

$$
+g(Y,Z)g(QX,U) - g(X,Z)g(QY,U)] + \frac{r}{(n-1)(n-2)}
$$

$$
[g(Y,Z)g(X,U) - g(X,Z)g(Y,U)],
$$

where $q(\bar{C}(X, Y)Z, U) = \bar{C}(X, Y, Z, U)$ and $R(X, Y)Z, U) = C(X, Y, Z, U)$ are Weyl curvature tensor with respect to semi-symmetric metric connection respectively, we have

$$
\overline{C}(X,Y,Z,U) = C(X,Y,Z,U),\tag{8.4}
$$

where

$$
C(X, Y, Z, U) = g(\bar{R}(X, Y)Z, U) - \frac{1}{(n-2)}[S(Y, Z)g(X, U) - S(X, Z)g(Y, U) \quad (8.5)
$$

$$
+ g(Y, Z)g(QX, U) - g(X, Z)g(QY, U)] + \frac{r}{(n-1)(n-2)}
$$

$$
[g(Y, Z)g(X, U) - g(X, Z)g(Y, U)],
$$

Theorem 8.1. *The Weyl conformal curvature tensor of a δ-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold M with respect to a metric connection is equal to the Weyl curvature of with respect to the semi-symmetric metric connection.*

9. *δ*-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold with Weyl conformal flat conditions with semi-symmetric metric connection

Let us consider that the *δ*-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold *M* with respect to the semi-symmetric metric connection is Weyl conformally flat, that is $C = 0$. Then from equation (8.1), we get

$$
\bar{R}(X,Y)Z = \frac{1}{(n-2)}[\bar{S}(Y,Z)X - \bar{S}(X,Z)Y]
$$
\n(9.1)

$$
+g(Y,Z)\bar{Q}X-g(X,Z)\bar{Q}Y]+\frac{\bar{r}}{(n-1)(n-2)}[g(Y,Z)X-g(X,Z)Y],
$$

Now, taking the inner product of equation (9.1) with U. then we get

$$
g(\bar{R}(X,Y)Z,U) = \frac{1}{(n-2)} [\bar{S}(Y,Z)g(X,U) - \bar{S}(X,Z)g(Y,U) +g(Y,Z)g(\bar{Q}X,U) - g(X,Z)g(\bar{Q}Y,U)] - \frac{\bar{r}}{(-1)(1-\bar{Q})}
$$
(9.2)

+
$$
g(Y, Z)g(QX, U) - g(X, Z)g(QY, U) - \frac{(n-1)(n-2)}{(n-1)(n-2)}
$$

[$g(Y, Z)g(X, U) - g(X, Z)g(Y, U)$].

Using equations (2.4) , (3.2) , (3.11) , (3.12) and (3.14) in equation (9.2) , we get

$$
g(R(X,Y)Z,U) = \frac{1}{(n-2)}[S(Y,Z)g(X,U) - S(X,Z)g(Y,U) +g(Y,Z)g(QX,U) - g(X,Z)g(QY,U)] - \frac{r}{(n-1)(n-2)}[g(Y,Z)g(X,U) - g(X,Z)g(Y,U)].
$$
\n(9.3)

Putting $X = U = \xi$ in equation (9.3) and using (2.2), (2.3) and (2.4), we get

$$
g(R(\xi, Y)Z, \xi) = \frac{1}{(n-2)} [\delta S(Y, Z) - \delta \eta(Y)S(\xi, Z) + g(Y, Z)S(\xi, \xi) - \delta \eta(Z)S(Y, \xi)] - \frac{r}{(n-1)(n-2)} [\delta g(Y, Z) - \eta(Y)\eta(Z)],
$$
\n(9.4)

where $g(QY, Z) = S(Y, Z)$.

Now, using equations (2.13) , (2.14) and (2.16) , we get

$$
S(Y, Z) = [(\delta(\alpha^2 + \beta^2) - (\xi \beta)] + \frac{r}{(n-1)}]g(Y, Z) + [\delta(n-4)(\xi \beta) \tag{9.5}
$$

$$
+ n(\alpha^2 + \beta^2) - \frac{\delta}{2}(n-1)]\eta(Y)\eta(Z) - [2\delta\alpha\beta(n-2) + (n-2)(\xi\alpha)]
$$

$$
g(\phi Y,Z) - [\delta(\phi Z)\alpha + \delta(Z\beta)(n-2)]\eta(Y) - [\delta(\phi Y)\alpha + \delta(n-2)(Y\beta)]\eta(Z).
$$

If $\alpha = 0$ andd $\beta = constant$ in (7.6), we get

$$
S(Y,Z) = [\delta \beta^2 + \frac{r}{(n-1)}]g(Y,Z) + [n\beta^2 - \frac{\delta r}{(n-1)}]\eta(Y)\eta(Z). \tag{9.6}
$$

There fore

 $S(Y, Z) = ag(Y, Z) + b\eta(Y)\eta(Z),$

where $a = [\delta \beta^2 + \frac{r}{(n-1)}]$ and $b = [n\beta^2 - \frac{\delta r}{(n-1)}]$. This shows that *M* is an *η*-Einstein manifold. Thus we can state the following theorem:

Theorem 9.1. *Let M ba an n-dimensional Weyl conformally flat δ-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold with respect to semi-symmetric metric connection* $\overline{\nabla}$ *is an η*-Einstein *manifold if* $\alpha = 0$ *and* $\beta = constant$ *.*

Now, taking equation (8.1)

$$
\bar{C}(X,Y)Z = \bar{R}(X,Y)Z - \frac{1}{(n-2)}[\bar{S}(Y,Z)X - \bar{S}(X,Z)Y]
$$
\n(9.7)

$$
+g(Y,Z)\bar{Q}X-g(X,Z)\bar{Q}Y]+\frac{\bar{r}}{(n-1)(n-2)}[g(Y,Z)X-g(X,Z)Y].
$$

Using $(2.20), (3.2), (3.11), (3.12)$ and (3.14) in equation (9.7) , we get

$$
\bar{C}(X,Y)Z = C(X,Y)Z + \delta[g(X,Z)Y - g(Y,Z)X]
$$
(9.8)

$$
+ (\delta + \beta)[\eta(X)g(Y,Z) - \eta(Y)g(X,Z)]\xi
$$

$$
- (\beta\delta - 1)\eta(Z)[\eta(Y)X - \eta(X)Y] + \alpha[g(\phi X, Z)Y
$$

$$
-g(\phi, Z)X - g(Y,Z)\phi X + g(X,Z)\phi Y] + \frac{1}{(n-2)}
$$

$$
(\beta\delta - 1)(n-2)\eta(Y)\eta(Z) - ((\delta)(n-2) + \beta)g(Y,Z)X
$$

$$
+ \alpha(n-2)g(\phi Y, Z)X + ((\delta)(n-2) + \beta)g(X,Z)Y
$$

$$
+ (\beta\delta - 1)(n-2)\eta(X)\eta(Z)Y - \alpha(n-2)g(\phi X, Z)Y
$$

$$
- ((\delta)(n-2) + \beta)g(Y,Z)X + (\beta + \delta)(n-2)g(Y,Z)\eta(X)\xi
$$

$$
\alpha(n-2)g(Y,Z)\phi X + ((\delta)(n-2) + \beta)g(X,Z)Y
$$

$$
- (\beta + \delta)(n-2)g(X,Z)\eta(Y)\xi - \alpha(n-2)g(X,Z)\phi Y]
$$
 (9.8)

$$
-\frac{\beta+\delta+(n-2)}{(n-2)}[g(Y,Z)X-g(X,Z)Y].
$$

Let *X* and *Y* are orthogonal basis to *ξ*. Putting $Z = \xi$ and using (2.1), (2.2) and (2.4) in (9.8), we get

$$
\bar{C}(X,Y)\xi = C(X,Y)\xi.
$$

Theorem 9.2. *An n-dimensinal δ-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold M is Weyl ξconformally flat with respect to the semi-symmetric metric connection if and only if the manifold is also Weyl ξ-conformally flat with respect to the metric connection provided that the vector fields are horizontal vector fields.*

10. *η*-Ricci Solitons and Ricci Solitons in *δ*-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold with semi-symmetric metric connection

Let *M* be 3-dimensional *δ*-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold with semi-symmetric metric connection and *V* be pointwise collinear with ξ *i.e.* $V = b\xi$, where *b* is a function. Then consider the equation [11]

$$
L_V g + 2\bar{S} + 2\lambda g + 2\mu \eta \otimes \eta = 0, \qquad (10.1)
$$

where L_V is the Lie derivative operator along the vector field V, \overline{S} is the Ricci curvature tensor field of the metric *g* and λ and μ are real constants. Then equation (10.1) implies,

$$
g(\bar{\nabla}_X b\xi, Y) + g(\bar{\nabla}_Y b\xi, X) + 2\bar{S}(X, Y) + 2\lambda g(X, Y) + 2\mu \eta(X)\eta(Y) = 0,\tag{10.2}
$$

or

$$
bg(\bar{\nabla}_X\xi, Y) + (Xb)\eta(Y) + bg(\bar{\nabla}_Y\xi, X) + (Yb)\eta(X)
$$
\n
$$
+2\bar{\beta}(X,Y) + 2\lambda(X,Y) + 2\lambda(X,Y
$$

$$
+2S(X,Y) + 2\lambda g(X,Y) + 2\mu \eta(X)\eta(Y) = 0.
$$

Using
$$
(3.4)
$$
 in (10.3) , we get

$$
bg[-(1+\delta\beta)X - (1+\delta\beta)\eta(X)\xi - \delta\alpha\phi X, Y] + (Xb)\eta(Y)
$$

+
$$
+bg[-(1+\delta\beta)Y - (1+\delta\beta)\eta(Y)\xi - \delta\alpha\phi Y, X] + (Yb)\eta(X)
$$

+
$$
2\bar{S}(X,Y) + 2\lambda g(X,Y) + 2\mu\eta(X)\eta(Y) = 0.
$$
 (10.4)

$$
-2b(1+\delta\beta)g(X,Y) - 2b(1+\delta\beta)\eta(Y)\eta(X) + (Xb)\eta(Y) + (Yb)\eta(X)
$$
\n
$$
+2\bar{S}(X,Y) + 2\lambda g(X,Y) + 2\mu\eta(X)\eta(Y) = 0.
$$
\n(10.5)

With the substitution of *Y* with ξ in (10.5) and using (3.21) for constants α and β , it follows that

$$
(Xb) + (\xi b)\eta(X) - 4b(1 + \delta\beta)\eta(X) + 2[2(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta(\xi\beta)) - 2\delta\beta]\eta(X)
$$
 (10.6)
+2 $\lambda\eta(X) + 2\mu\eta(X) = 0.$

or

$$
(Xb) + (\xi b)\eta(X) +
$$

\n
$$
[-4b(1+\delta\beta) + 2(2(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta(\xi\beta)) - 2\delta\beta + 2\lambda + 2\mu]\eta(X) = 0.
$$
\n(10.7)

Again replacing $X = \xi$ in (10.7), we obtain

$$
\xi b = -[-2b(1 + \delta\beta) + (2(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta(\xi\beta)) - \delta\beta + \lambda + \mu]
$$
\n(10.8)

$$
db = [2b(1 + \delta\beta) - (2(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta(\xi\beta)) - \delta\beta - \lambda - \mu]\eta.
$$
\n(10.9)

By applying *d* on (10.9), we get

$$
[2b(1+\delta\beta) - (2(\alpha^2+\beta^2-\delta(\xi\beta)) - \delta\beta - \lambda - \mu]d\eta = 0.
$$
\n(10.10)

Since $d\eta \neq 0$ from (10.10), we have

$$
[2b(1 + \delta\beta) - (2(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta(\xi\beta)) - \delta\beta - \lambda - \mu] = 0.
$$
 (10.11)

By using (10.9) and (10.11), we obtain that *b* is a constant. Hence from (10.5) it is verified

$$
\bar{S}(X,Y) = [b(1+\delta\beta) - \lambda]g(X,Y) + [b(1+\delta\beta) - \mu]\eta(X)\eta(Y). \tag{10.12}
$$

which implies that *M* is an *η*-Einstien manifold. This lead to the following:

Theorem 10.1. *In a* 3*-dimensional δ-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold with semisymmetric metric connection, the metric g is an η-Ricci soliton and V is a positive collinear with ξ, then V is a constant multiple of ξ and g is an η-Einstien manifold of the form (10.12) and η-Ricci soliton is expanding or shrinking according as the following relation is positive and negative*

$$
\lambda = -[2b(1 + \delta\beta) - (2(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta(\xi\beta)) - \delta\beta - \mu].
$$
\n(10.13)

For $\mu = 0$, we deduce equation (10.12)

$$
\bar{S}(X,Y) = [b(1+\delta\beta) - \lambda]g(X,Y) + [b(1+\delta\beta)]\eta(X)\eta(Y).
$$
 (10.14)

Now, we have the following corollary:

Corollary 10.2. *In a* 3*-dimensional δ-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold with semisymmetric metric connection, the metric g is a Ricci soliton and V is a positive collinear with ξ, then V is a constant multiple of ξ and g is an η-Einstien manifold and Ricci soliton is shrinking according as the following relation is negative. For* $\mu = 0$, (10.13) *reduce to*

$$
\lambda = -[2b(1 + \delta\beta) - (2(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta(\xi\beta)) - \delta\beta].
$$
\n(10.15)

Here is an example of *η*-Ricci soliton on *δ*-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold with semi-symmetric metric connection.

Example: We consider the three dimensional manifold $M = [(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid z \neq 0]$, where (x, y, z) are the cartesian coordinates in $R³$. Choosing the vector fields

$$
e_1 = z \frac{\partial}{\partial x}, e_2 = z \frac{\partial}{\partial y}, e_3 = -z \frac{\partial}{\partial z},
$$

which are linearly independent at each point of *M.* Let *g* be the Riemannian metric define by

$$
g(e_1, e_3) = g(e_2, e_3) = g(e_2, e_2) = 0, \ g(e_1, e_1) = g(e_2, e_2) = g(e_3, e_3) = \delta,
$$

where $\delta = \pm 1$. Let η be the 1-form defined by $\eta(Z) = \epsilon g(Z, e_3)$ for any vector field Z on *TM*. Let ϕ be the (1,1) tensor field defined by $\phi(e_1) = -e_2$, $\phi(e_2) = e_1$, $\phi(e_3) = 0$. Then by the linearity property of ϕ and g , we have

$$
\phi^2 Z = Z + \eta(Z)e_3
$$
, $\eta(e_3) = 1$ and $g(\phi Z, \phi W) = g(Z, W) - \delta \eta(Z)\eta(W)$

for any vector fields *Z, W* on *M*.

Let *∇* be the Levi-Civita connection with respect to the metric *g*. Then we have

$$
[e_1, e_2] = 0, [e_1, e_3] = \delta e_1, [e_2, e_3] = \delta e_2.
$$

The Riemannian connection *∇* with respect to the metric *g* is given by

$$
2g(\nabla_X Y, Z) = Xg(Y, Z) + Yg(Z, X) - Zg(X, Y) + g([X, Y], Z) - g([Y, Z], X) + g([Z, X], Y).
$$

From above equation which is known as Koszul's formula, we have

$$
\nabla_{e_1} e_3 = \delta e_1, \ \nabla_{e_2} e_3 = \delta e_2, \ \nabla_{e_3} e_3 = 0,
$$
\n
$$
\nabla_{e_1} e_2 = 0, \ \nabla_{e_2} e_2 = -\delta e_3, \ \nabla_{e_3} e_2 = 0,
$$
\n
$$
\nabla_{e_1} e_1 = -\delta e_3, \ \nabla_{e_2} e_1 = 0, \ \nabla_{e_3} e_1 = 0.
$$
\n(10.16)

Using the above relations, for any vector field *X* on *M*, we have

$$
\nabla_X \xi = \delta \left\{ \beta (X + \eta(X)\xi) \right\},\
$$

for $\xi \in e_3$, $\alpha = 0$ and $\beta = 1$. Hence the manifold *M* under consideration is an *δ*-Lorentzian trans Sasakian of type (0*,* 1) manifold of dimension three.

Now, we consider at this example for semi-symmetric metric connection from (2.9) and (10.14) , we obtain:

$$
\begin{aligned}\n\bar{\nabla}_{e_1} e_3 &= (1 + \delta)e_1, \ \bar{\nabla}_{e_2} e_3 = (1 + \delta)e_2, \ \bar{\nabla}_{e_3} e_3 = 0, \\
\bar{\nabla}_{e_1} e_2 &= 0, \ \bar{\nabla}_{e_2} e_2 = -(1 + \delta)e_3, \ \bar{\nabla}_{e_3} e_2 = 0, \\
\bar{\nabla}_{e_1} e_1 &= -(1 + \delta)e_3, \ \bar{\nabla}_{e_2} e_1 = 0, \ \bar{\nabla}_{e_3} e_1 = 0.\n\end{aligned}\n\tag{10.17}
$$

Then the Riemannian and the Ricci curvature tensor fields with respect to semi-symmetric metric connection are given by:

$$
\bar{R}(e_1, e_2)e_2 = -(1+\delta)^2 e_1, \ \bar{R}(e_1, e_3)e_3 = -\delta(1+\delta)e_2, \ \bar{R}(e_2, e_1)e_1 = -(1+\delta)^2 e_2,
$$
\n
$$
\bar{R}(e_2, e_3)e_3 = -\delta(1+\delta)e_2, \ \bar{R}(e_3, e_1)e_1 = \delta(1+\delta)e_3, \ \bar{R}(e_3, e_2)e_2 = -\delta(1+\delta)e_3,
$$
\n
$$
\bar{S}(e_1, e_1) = \bar{S}(e_2, e_2) = -(1+\delta)(1+2\delta), \ \bar{S}(e_3, e_3) = 2\delta(1+\delta).
$$

From (10.14), for $\lambda = \frac{(1+\delta)^2}{\delta}$ $\frac{F^{0}}{\delta}$ and *μ* = −(1 + *δ*)(1 + 3*δ*), the data (*g*, *ξ*, *λ*, *μ*) is an *η*-Ricci soliton on (M, ϕ, ξ, η, g) .

11. Gradient Ricci Solitons in 3-dimensional *δ*-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold with semi-symmetric metric connection $(N=3)$

If the vector field V is the gradient of a potential function $-\psi$ then g is called a gradient Ricci soliton and (1.2) assume the form

$$
\nabla \nabla \psi = S + \lambda g. \tag{11.1}
$$

This reduces to

$$
\nabla_Y D \psi = QY + \lambda Y,\tag{11.2}
$$

where D denoted the gradient operator of g . From (11.2) it follows

$$
\bar{R}(X,Y)D\psi = (\bar{\nabla}_X Q)Y - (\bar{\nabla}_Y Q)X.
$$
\n(11.3)

Differentiating (3.12) and using (3.22)

$$
(\bar{\nabla}_W Q)X = \frac{dr(W)}{2}(X - \eta(X)\xi) - (\frac{r}{2} - 3(\alpha^2 + \beta^2))(\alpha(g(\phi W, X)) + (\beta + \delta)g(W, X) - (1 + \delta\beta)\eta(X)\eta(W)) + \eta(X)\bar{\nabla}_W\xi.
$$
\n(11.4)

In (11.4) replacing $W = \xi$, we obtain

$$
(\bar{\nabla}_{\xi}Q)X = \frac{dr(\xi)}{2}(X - \eta(X)\xi)).
$$
\n(11.5)

Then we have

$$
g((\bar{\nabla}_{\xi}Q)X - (\bar{\nabla}_{X}Q)(\xi, \xi)
$$

= $g(\frac{dr(\xi)}{2}(X - \eta(X)\xi, \xi)) = \frac{dr(\xi)}{2}(g(X, \xi) - \eta(X))) = 0.$ (11.6)

Using (11.6) and (11.5) , we obtain

$$
g(\bar{R}(\xi, X)D\psi, \xi) = 0. \tag{11.7}
$$

From (3.20)

$$
g(\bar{R}(\xi, Y)D\psi, \xi) = (\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta(\xi\beta)(g(Y, D\psi) - \eta(Y)\eta(D\psi)).
$$

Using (11.7) , we get

$$
(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta(\xi \beta)(g(Y, D\psi) - \eta(Y)\eta(D\psi)) = 0
$$

$$
(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta(\xi \beta)(g(Y, D\psi) - \eta(Y)g(D\psi, \xi)) = 0,
$$

or

$$
(g(Y, D\psi) - g(Y, \xi)g(D\psi, \xi)) = 0,
$$

which implies

$$
D\psi = (\xi\psi)\xi, \quad \text{since} \quad \alpha^2 + \beta^2 \neq \delta(\xi\beta). \tag{11.8}
$$

Using (11.8) and (11.2)

$$
\begin{aligned} \bar{S}(X,Y) + \lambda g(X,Y) &= g(\bar{\nabla}_Y D\psi, X) = g(\bar{\nabla}_Y(\xi \psi)\xi, X) \\ &= (\xi \psi)g(\bar{\nabla}_Y \xi, X) + Y(\xi \psi)\eta(X) \\ &= (\xi \psi)g(-\delta \alpha \phi Y - (1 + \delta \beta)Y - (1 + \delta \beta)\eta(Y)\xi, X) + Y(\xi \psi)\eta(X) \end{aligned}
$$

$$
\bar{S}(X,Y) + \lambda g(X,Y) = -\delta \alpha(\xi \psi)g(\phi Y, X) - (1 + \delta \beta)(\xi \psi)g(Y, X)
$$
\n
$$
-(1 + \delta \beta)(\xi \psi)\eta(Y)\eta(X) + Y(\xi \psi)\eta(X). \tag{11.9}
$$

Putting $X = \xi$ in (11.9) and using (3.21) we get

$$
\bar{S}(Y,\xi)+\lambda\eta(Y)=Y(\xi\psi)=[\lambda+2\delta(1+\delta\beta)+2(\alpha^2+\beta^2-\delta(\xi\beta))-2\delta\beta]\eta(Y). \tag{11.10}
$$
Interchanging X and Y in (11.9), we get

$$
\bar{S}(X,Y) + \lambda g(X,Y) = -\delta \alpha(\xi \psi)g(Y,\phi X) - (1+\delta \beta)(\xi \psi)g(X,Y) \tag{11.11}
$$

$$
-(1+\delta \beta)(\xi \psi)\eta(Y)\eta(X) + X(\xi \psi)\eta(Y).
$$

Adding (11.9) and (11.11) we get

$$
2\bar{S}(X,Y) + 2\lambda g(X,Y) = -2(1+\delta\beta)(\xi\psi)g(X,Y) + Y(\xi\psi)\eta(X)
$$
\n(11.12)

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$$
-2(1+\delta\beta)(\xi\psi)\eta(X)\eta(Y) + X(\xi\psi)\eta(Y).
$$

Using (11.10) in (11.12) we have

$$
\bar{S}(X,Y) + \lambda g(X,Y) = -(1 + \delta \beta)(\xi \psi)[g(X,Y) - \eta(X)\eta(Y)]
$$
\n(11.13)

$$
+[\lambda + (1+\delta\beta) + 2(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta(\xi\beta)) - 2(\delta\beta)]\eta(X)\eta(Y).
$$

Then using (11.2) we have

$$
\bar{\nabla}_Y D \psi = -(1 + \delta \beta)(\xi \psi)(Y - \eta(Y)\xi)
$$
\n(11.14)

$$
+[\lambda+(1+\delta\beta)+2(\alpha^2+\beta^2-\delta(\xi\beta))-2(\delta\beta)]\eta(Y)\xi.
$$

Using (11.14) we calculate

$$
\bar{R}(X,Y)D\psi = \bar{\nabla}_X\bar{\nabla}_Y D\psi - \bar{\nabla}_Y\bar{\nabla}_X D\psi - \bar{\nabla}_{[X,Y]}D\psi
$$

$$
= -(1 + \delta\beta)X(\xi\psi)Y + (1 + \delta\beta)Y(\xi\psi)X
$$
\n
$$
- (1 + \delta\beta)Y(\xi\psi)\eta(X)\xi + (1 + \delta\beta)X(\xi\psi)\eta(Y)\xi
$$
\n
$$
+ [\lambda + (1 + \delta\beta) + 2(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta(\xi\beta)) - 2(\delta\beta)]((\nabla_X \eta)(Y)\xi - (\nabla_Y \eta)(X)\xi)
$$
\n
$$
+ [\lambda + (1 + \delta\beta) + 2(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta(\xi\beta)) - 2(\delta\beta)]((\nabla_X \xi)\eta(Y)\xi - (\nabla_Y \xi)\eta(X)).
$$
\nThen, no dust, with ξ in (11.15), we get

Taking inner product with ξ in (11.15), we get

$$
0 = g(\bar{R}(X,Y)D\psi,\xi) = 2\delta\alpha[\lambda + (1+\delta\beta) + 2(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta(\xi\beta)) - 2(\delta\beta)]g(\phi Y, X).
$$
\n(11.16)

Thus we have $2\delta\alpha[\lambda + (1 + \delta\beta) + 2(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta(\xi\beta)) - 2(\delta\beta)] = 0.$

Now we consider the following cases:

Case (i) $\delta \alpha = 0$, or *Case (ii)* $[\lambda + (1 + \delta\beta) + 2(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta(\xi\beta)) - 2(\delta\beta)] = 0$,

Case (iii) $\alpha = 0$ and $[\lambda + (1 + \delta\beta) + 2(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta(\xi\beta)) - 2(\delta\beta)] = 0.$

Case (i) If $\alpha = 0$, the manifold reduces to a *δ*-Lorentzian *β*-Kenmotsu manifold with respect to a semi-symmetric metric connection.

Case (ii) Let $[\lambda + (1 + \delta\beta) + 2(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta(\xi\beta)) - 2(\delta\beta)] = 0$. If we use this in (11.10) we get $Y(\xi\psi) = -(1 + \delta\beta)(\xi\psi)\eta(Y)$. Substitute this value in (11.12) we obtain

$$
\bar{S}(X,Y) + \lambda g(X,Y) = -(1+\delta\beta)(\xi\psi)g(X,Y) - 2(1+\delta)\eta(X)\eta(Y). \tag{11.17}
$$

Now, contracting (11.17), we get

$$
\bar{r} + 3\lambda = -3(1 + \delta\beta)(\xi\psi) - 2(1 + \delta\beta),\tag{11.18}
$$

which implies

$$
(\xi \psi) = \frac{\bar{r}}{-3(1 + \delta \beta)} + \frac{\lambda}{-(1 + \delta \beta)} + \frac{2}{-3}.
$$
\n(11.19)

If \bar{r} = *constant*, then $(\xi \psi)$ = *constant* = *k*(*say*). Therefore from (11.8) we have $D\psi$ = $(\xi \psi)\xi = k\xi$. This we can write this equation as

$$
g(D\psi, X) = k\eta(X),\tag{11.20}
$$

which means that $d\psi(X) = k\eta(X)$. Applying *d* this, we get $k d\eta = 0$. Since $d\eta \neq 0$, we have $k = 0$. Hence we get $D\psi = 0$. This means that $\psi = constant$ Therefore equation (11.1) reduces to

$$
\bar{S}(X,Y) = 2(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta(\xi\beta)) - 2\delta\beta)g(X,Y),
$$

that is *M* is an *Einstein* manifold.

Case (iii) Using $\alpha = 0$ and $[\lambda + (1 + \delta\beta) + 2(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \delta(\xi\beta)) - 2(\delta\beta)] = 0$. in (11.10) we obtain $Y(\xi\psi) = -(1 + \delta\beta)(\xi\psi)\eta(Y)$. Now as in *Case (ii)* we conclude that the manifold is an *Einstein* manifold.

Thus we have the following :

Theorem 11.1. *If a* 3*-dimensional δ-Lorentzian trans Sasakian manifold with a semi symmetric metric connection with constant scalar curvature admits gradient Ricci soliton, then the manifold is either a δ-Lorentzian β-Kenmotsu manifold or an Einstein manifold provided* $\alpha, \beta = constant$.

In [12] it was proved that if a 3-dimensional compact connected trans-Sasakian manifold is of constant curvature, then it is either *α*-Sasakian or *β*-Kenmotsu. Since for a 3-dimensional Riemannian manifold constant curvature and Einstein manifold are equivalent, therefore from the Theorem 3 we state the following:

Corollary 11.2. *If a compact 3-dimensional δ-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold with a semi-symmetric metric connection with constant scalar curvature admits Ricci soliton, then the manifold is either δ-Lorentzian α-Sasakian or δ-Lorentzian β-Kenmotsu.*

Also in [12], authors proved that a 3-dimensional connected trans-Sasakian manifold is locally *ϕ*-symmetric if and only if the scalar curvature is constant provided *α* and *β* are constants. Hence from Theorem 3 we obtain the following:

Corollary 11.3. *If a locally ϕ-symmetric 3-dimensional connected δ-Lorentzian trans-Sasakian manifold with respect to a semi symmeyric metric connection ith admits gradient Ricci soliton, then manifold is either δ-Lorentzian β-Kenmotsu or Einstein manifold provided* $\alpha, \beta = constant$ *.*

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