#### CHEBYSHEV NETS IN A SUBSPACE OF A GENERALIZED WEYL SPACE

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### ABSTRACT

Let  $GW_m$  be m dimensional subspace of an n-dimensional subspace of an n-dimensional generalized Weyl space  $GW_n$  and let  $\delta = (v_1, v_2, ..., v_m)$  be a net in  $GW_m$ . In this paper the necessary and the sufficient condition that the net  $\delta$  is to be a chebyshev net and a geodesic net relative to  $GW_m$  and  $GW_n$  is obtained. **Keywords:** Generalized Weyl Space, Chebyshev Net, Geodesic Net. **MSC number/numarasi:** 53A40.

### GENELLEŞTİRİLMİŞ WEYL UZAYININ ALT UZAYLARINDA CHEBYSHEV ŞEBEKELERİ

#### ÖZET

n boyutlu  $GW_n$  genellleştirilmiş Weyl uzayının m boyutlu  $GW_m$  alt uzayına ait bir şebeke  $\delta = (v_1, v_2, ..., v_m)$  olsun. Bu çalışmada  $\delta$  şebekesinin  $GW_m$  ve  $GW_n$  e göre Chebyshev şebekesi ve jeodezik şebeke olması için gerek ve yeter koşullar elde edilmiştir. **Anahtar Sözcükler:** Genelleştirilmiş weyl uzayı, Chebyshey şebekesi Geodesic şebeke.

## 1. INTRODUCTION

An *m* dimentional  $GW_m$  is said to be generalized Weyl space if it has an asymmetric conformal metric tensor  $g_{ij}$  and an asymmetric connection  $\nabla_k$  satisfying the compatibility condition given by equation

 $\nabla_k g_{ij} = 2T_k g_{ij} \tag{1.1}$ 

where  $T_k$  denotes a covariant vector field and  $\nabla_k$  denotes the usual covariant derivative

Under a renormalization of the fundamental tensor of the form  $\breve{g}_{ij} = \lambda^2 g_{ij}$ , the complementary vector field  $T_k$  is transformed by the law  $\breve{T}_k = T_k + \partial_k \ln \lambda$ , where  $\lambda$  is a scalar function on  $GW_m$ .

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Let  $L_{jk}^{i}$  be denote the coefficients of the asymmetric connection  $\nabla_{k}$ . So, a generalized Weyl space is shortly written as  $GW_{m}$  ( $L_{jk}^{i}$ ,  $g_{ij}$ ,  $T_{k}$ ).

The main properties of  $GW_m$  (  $L^i_{jk}$  ,  $g_{ij}$  ,  $T_k$  ) can be expressed as follows

$$g_{ij} = g_{(ij)} + g_{[ij]} \tag{1.2}$$

$$\nabla_k g_{(ij)} = 2 g_{(ij)} T_k \tag{1.3}$$

$$\nabla_k g_{[ij]} = 2 g_{[ij]} T_k \tag{1.4}$$

$$g_{(ik)}g^{(kl)} = \delta_i^l \tag{1.5}$$

$$\nabla_k g^{(ij)} = -2T_k g^{(ij)} \tag{1.6}$$

where  $g_{(ij)}$  and  $g_{[ij]}$  denote symmetric and antisymmetric parts of  $g_{ij}$  respectively.

The symmetric part of the connection coefficients  $L^{i}_{jk}$  are given as ([1], [2], [3], [4])

$$L^{i}_{(jk)} = W^{i}_{jk} = \begin{bmatrix} i \\ jk \end{bmatrix} - (\delta^{i}_{j}T_{k} + \delta^{i}_{k}T_{j} - g_{(jk)}g^{(mi)}T_{m})$$

$$(1.7)$$

where  $\begin{bmatrix} i \\ jk \end{bmatrix}$  are second kind Christoffel symbols defined by

$$\begin{bmatrix} i\\ jk \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} g^{(ir)} \left[ \frac{\partial g_{(jr)}}{\partial x^k} + \frac{\partial g_{(kr)}}{\partial x^j} - \frac{\partial g_{(jk)}}{\partial x^r} \right]$$
(1.8)

A quantity A is called a satellite of weight  $\{p\}$  of tensor  $g_{ij}$ , if it admits a transformation of the form

$$\tilde{A} = \lambda^p A \tag{1.9}$$

The prolonged covariant derivative of a satellite A of the tensor  $g_{ij}$  of weight  $\{p\}$  is defined by

$$\nabla_k A = \nabla_k A - p T_k A \tag{1.10}$$

Let  $GW_m(L^i_{jk}, g_{ij}, T_k)$  be a subspace, with coordinates  $u^i$ , of the Weyl space  $GW_n(L^{\alpha}_{\beta\gamma}, g_{\alpha\beta}, T_{\gamma})$  with coordinates  $x^{\alpha}$ . Suppose that the metrics of  $GW_m(L^i_{jk}, g_{ij}, T_k)$  and  $GW_n(L^{\alpha}_{\beta\gamma}, g_{\alpha\beta}, T_{\gamma})$  are elliptic and that they are given, respectively, by  $g_{ij} du^i du^j$  and  $g_{\alpha\beta} du^{\alpha} du^{\beta}$  which are connected by the relations

$$g_{ij} = g_{\alpha\beta} \, x_i^{\alpha} x_j^{\beta} \tag{1.11}$$

where  $x_i^{\alpha}$  denotes the covariant derivative of  $x^{\alpha}$  with respect to  $u^i$ .

Let  $v_r^i$  (r = 1, 2, ..., m) be the contravariant components of the *m* independent vector fields  $v_r$  in  $GW_m$  which are normalized by the condition  $g_{ij} v_r^i v_r^j = 1$ . The vector fields  $v_1, v_2, ..., v_m$  determine a net  $(v_1, v_2, ..., v_m)$  in  $GW_m$ .

Corresponding to the vector fields v; the covector fields v are defined by the conditions

$$v_r^i v_j^r = \delta_j^i \quad , \quad v_r^i v_i^p = \delta_r^p \tag{1.12}$$

Denote by  $n_{\sigma}^{\alpha}$  (1, 2, ..., n - m), the contravariant components of the n - m linear independent unit vector fields n in  $GW_n$  normal to  $GW_m$ .

The moving frame  $\{x_{\alpha}^{i}, \overset{\sigma}{n}_{\alpha}\}$  on  $GW_{m}$ , reciprocal to the moving frame  $\{x_{i}^{\alpha}, \overset{\sigma}{n}_{\alpha}\}$  is defined by the relations

On the other hand, if the components of  $v_r$  and  $v_r$  relative to  $GW_n$ , are respectively denoted by  $v_r^{\alpha}$  and  $v_{\alpha}^{r}$ , we have

$$v_r^{\alpha} = v_i^i x_i^{\alpha} , \quad v_{\alpha} = v_i^r x_{\alpha}^i$$
(1.14)

The derivation formula for  $v_r$  and  $v_r$  are given by [3], [5]

$$\stackrel{\bullet}{\nabla}_{k} \underset{r}{v}_{i}^{i} = \underset{r}{\overset{p}{T}}_{k} \underset{p}{\overset{v}{v}}_{i}^{i} , \quad \stackrel{\bullet}{\nabla}_{k} \underset{p}{\overset{r}{v}}_{i}^{r} = - \underset{p}{\overset{r}{T}}_{k} \underset{p}{\overset{p}{v}}_{i}^{p}$$
(1.15)

Taking the prolonged covariant derivative of  $(1.13)_4$  with respect to  $u^k$  and remembering that [5]

$$\stackrel{\bullet}{\nabla}_{k} x_{i}^{\alpha} = \sum_{\sigma=1}^{n-m} \stackrel{\sigma}{w_{ik}} n^{\alpha} + A^{h}_{ik} x_{h}^{\alpha}$$
(1.16)

where  $W_{ik}$  are the components of second fundemental form related to the normal n of  $GW_m$  defined by

$$\overset{\sigma}{W_{ik}} = \overset{\sigma}{n_{\alpha}} \overset{\bullet}{\nabla}_{k} x_{i}^{\alpha}$$
(1.17)

and  $A_{ik}^h$  are defined by

$$A_{ik}^{h} = x_{\alpha}^{h} \stackrel{\bullet}{\nabla}_{k} x_{i}^{\alpha} \tag{1.18}$$

From  $(1.16)_4$ , we have

$$\nabla_k x^j_{\alpha} = \sum_{\sigma=1}^{n-m} \Omega_{\beta}^{j} n^{\sigma}_{\alpha} - A^j_{hk} x^h_{\alpha} \quad , \quad \Omega_{\sigma}^{i}_{k} = n^{\alpha} \nabla_k x^j_{\alpha} \tag{1.19}$$

For the definition of the Chebyshev nets of the first and second kind, and that the bnets and c-nets, the reader is referred to [3].

## 2. CHEBYSHEV NETS IN A GENERALIZED WEYL SUBSPACE

Consider the net (v, v, ..., v) in  $GW_m$  determined by the vector fields v, v, ..., v. Let  $\overline{a}_{rp}^{\alpha}$ ,  $a_{rp}^i$ ;  $\frac{r}{b}_{\alpha}$ ,  $\frac{r}{b_i}$  and  $\overline{c}_r^{\alpha}$ ,  $c_r^i$ ; be the covariant components of the chebyshev vector fields of the first and the second kind and the geodesic vector fields of the given net relative to  $GW_n$  and  $GW_m$ , respectively.

**Theorem 2.1.** For the Chebyshev vector fields of the first and second kind and the geodesic vector fields of the net  $(v, v, ..., v_m)$  in  $GW_m$  we have

(i) 
$$\overline{a}_{p}^{\alpha} = v^{\gamma} \stackrel{\bullet}{\nabla}_{\gamma} A = \sum_{\sigma=1}^{n-m} \stackrel{\sigma}{w_{ik}} v^{k} v^{i} n^{\alpha} + a^{h} x^{\alpha}_{h} + A^{h}_{ik} v^{i} v^{k} x^{\alpha}_{h}$$
$$\stackrel{\sigma}{w_{ik}} = g_{(\alpha\beta)} n^{\beta} \stackrel{\bullet}{\nabla}_{k} x^{\alpha}_{i} \qquad (r \neq p)$$
(ii) 
$$\stackrel{\circledast}{b}_{\alpha} = v^{\gamma} \stackrel{\bullet}{\nabla}_{\gamma} \stackrel{\circledast}{v}_{\alpha} = -\sum_{\sigma=1}^{n-m} \Omega^{i}_{k} \stackrel{\circledast}{v_{i}} v^{k} n_{\alpha} + b^{r}_{h} x^{h}_{\alpha} + A^{i}_{hk} x^{h}_{\alpha} \stackrel{w}{v_{i}} \stackrel{w}{\otimes}^{k}$$
$$\frac{\Omega}{\sigma} \stackrel{j}{k} = n^{\alpha} \stackrel{\bullet}{\nabla}_{k} x^{i}_{\alpha}$$
(iii) 
$$\overline{c}_{r}^{\alpha} = v^{\gamma} \stackrel{\bullet}{\nabla}_{\gamma} v^{\alpha}_{r} = \sum_{\sigma=1}^{n-m} w_{ik} v^{i} v^{k} n^{\alpha} + x^{\alpha}_{h} c^{h}_{r} + A^{h}_{ik} v^{i} v^{k} x^{\alpha}_{h}$$

where the symbol  $\mathbb{B}$  indicates that the summation on R will not be made.

**Proof.** (i) Taking the prolonged covariant derivative of each side of  $(1.14)_1$  with respect to  $u^k$  and using (1.15) and (1.16), we get

$$\nabla_k v_r^{\alpha} = v_r^i (\nabla_k x_i^{\alpha}) + x_i^{\alpha} (\nabla_k v_r^i) = v_r^i (\sum_{\sigma=1}^{n-m} w_{ik} n_{\sigma}^{\alpha} + A_{ik}^h x_h^{\alpha}) + x_i^{\alpha} (T_k^p v_r^i)$$

$$(2.1)$$

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$$v_{l}^{k} \stackrel{\bullet}{\nabla}_{k} v_{r}^{\alpha} = \sum_{\sigma=1}^{n-m} \frac{\sigma}{w_{ik}} v_{r}^{i} v_{k}^{k} n_{\sigma}^{\alpha} + A_{ik}^{h} v_{r}^{i} v_{k}^{k} x_{h}^{\alpha} + x_{i}^{\alpha} (T_{k}^{p} v_{k}^{k}) v_{r}^{i} v_{r}^{k} (T_{k}^{p} v_{k}^{k}) v_{r}^{i}$$
(2.2)

In view of

$$v_l^k \stackrel{\bullet}{\nabla}_k = v_l^\gamma \stackrel{\bullet}{\nabla}_\gamma \quad , \quad \prod_{\substack{k \ r}}^p v_l^k = \stackrel{p}{\tau}_{rl} \tag{2.3}$$

the last relation becomes

$$v_{l}^{k} \stackrel{\bullet}{\nabla}_{\gamma} v_{r}^{\alpha} = \sum_{\sigma=1}^{n-m} \stackrel{\sigma}{w_{ik}} v_{l}^{i} v_{k}^{k} n^{\alpha} + A_{ik}^{h} v_{r}^{i} v_{k}^{k} x_{h}^{\alpha} + x_{i}^{\alpha} (\stackrel{p}{\tau} v^{i})$$
(2.4)

where the functions  $\frac{p}{r_l}$   $(r \neq l)$  are the chebyshev curvatures of the first kind of the curves of the net

$$a_{rp} = \mathop{\tau}\limits_{rp}^{s} \mathop{v}\limits_{s}^{i}$$
(2.5)

So that (2.4) reduces to

$$\overline{a}_{rl}^{\alpha} = v_{l}^{\gamma} \stackrel{\bullet}{\nabla}_{\gamma} A = \sum_{\sigma=1}^{n-m} w_{ik} v_{l}^{k} v_{\sigma}^{i} n^{\alpha} + a_{rl}^{h} x_{h}^{\alpha} + A_{ik}^{h} v_{r}^{i} v_{l}^{k} x_{h}^{\alpha} \quad (r \neq l)$$

$$(2.6)$$

(ii) Differentiating covariantly both sides of  $(1.14)_2$  with respect to  $u^k$  and taking (1.19) and  $(1.15)_2$  into consideration we obtain

$$\begin{array}{l} \stackrel{\bullet}{\nabla}_{k} \stackrel{r}{v_{\alpha}} = \stackrel{\bullet}{\nabla}_{k} \stackrel{r}{(v_{i} x_{\alpha}^{i})} = (\stackrel{\bullet}{\nabla}_{k} \stackrel{r}{v_{i}}) x_{\alpha}^{i} + \stackrel{r}{v_{i}} (\stackrel{\bullet}{\nabla}_{k} x_{\alpha}^{i}) \\ = (\sum_{\sigma=1}^{n-m} \Omega_{k}^{i} \stackrel{\sigma}{n_{\alpha}} - A_{hk}^{i} x_{\alpha}^{h}) \stackrel{r}{v_{i}} - \stackrel{r}{T}_{k}^{p} v_{i} x_{\alpha}^{i} \\ p \end{array}$$

$$(2.7)$$

Multiplying (2.7) by  $v_{\otimes}^k$  and remembering that  $\stackrel{\bullet}{\nabla}_k v_{\alpha} = x_k^{\gamma} \stackrel{\bullet}{\nabla}_{\gamma} v_{\alpha}$ , we have

$$v_{\mathbb{R}}^{\gamma} \nabla_{\gamma} v_{\alpha} = \sum_{\sigma=1}^{n-m} \Omega_{k}^{i} n_{\alpha} v_{i} v_{k}^{k} - A_{hk}^{i} v_{i} v_{\alpha}^{k} x_{\alpha}^{h} - \frac{r}{T_{k}} v_{i} v_{i}^{k} v_{\alpha}^{i} x_{\alpha}^{i}$$

$$(2.8)$$

Since the Chebyshev curvatures  $\rho_l^r$  of the second kind of the curves belonging to the net  $(v_1, v_2, ..., v_m)$  are defined by

$$\sum_{l}^{r} = T_{k}^{\otimes} v^{k}$$

$$(2.9)$$

The last relation takes the form

$$v^{\gamma} \nabla_{\gamma} \nabla_{\alpha} = \sum_{\sigma=1}^{n-m} \Omega_{k}^{i} \alpha_{\alpha} v_{i} v^{k} - A_{hk}^{i} v_{i} v^{k} x^{h} - (\stackrel{r}{\rho} v_{i}) x^{i}_{\alpha}$$
(2.10)

or, in terms of the chebyshev vector fields of the second kind, (2.10) becomes

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$$\frac{\overset{r}{b}}{}_{\alpha} = -\sum_{\sigma=1}^{n-m} \Omega_{k}^{i} \overset{\text{\tiny (B)}}{v_{i}} \overset{\text{\tiny (B)}}{v_{i}} \overset{\text{\tiny (B)}}{v_{i}} n_{\alpha} - b_{h}^{r} x_{\alpha}^{h} - A_{hk}^{i} x_{\alpha}^{h} \overset{\text{\tiny (B)}}{v_{i}} \overset{\text{\tiny (B)}}{v_{i}} \overset{\text{\tiny (B)}}{v_{i}}$$

$$(2.11)$$

where  $\overset{r}{b}_{i}$  is defined by  $\overset{r}{b}_{i} = \overset{r}{\rho} \overset{s}{v}_{i}$ .

(iii) If we multiply (2.1) by  $v_r^k$  and sum for k, we find

$$v_{r}^{k} \stackrel{\bullet}{\nabla}_{k} v_{r}^{\alpha} = \sum_{\sigma=1}^{n-m} {w_{ik} v_{r}^{i} v_{r}^{k} n^{\alpha} + (T_{k}^{p} v_{r}^{k}) v_{r}^{i} x_{i}^{\alpha} + A_{ik}^{h} v_{r}^{i} v_{r}^{k} x_{h}^{\alpha}}$$
(2.12)

or using (1.14)<sub>1</sub> and the fact that  $\overset{\bullet}{\nabla}_{k} = x_{k}^{\gamma} \overset{\bullet}{\nabla}_{\gamma}$ , we transform the last equation into

$$v_{r}^{\gamma} \nabla_{\gamma} v_{r}^{\alpha} = \sum_{\sigma=1}^{n-m} \sum_{r=r}^{\sigma} w_{ik} v_{r}^{i} v_{r}^{k} n^{\alpha} + \sum_{r=p}^{p} v_{r}^{i} x_{i}^{\alpha} + A_{ik}^{h} v_{r}^{i} v_{r}^{k} x_{h}^{\alpha}$$
(2.13)

where  $S_r^p$  are geodesic curvatures of the curves belonging to the net considered and are defined by

$$S_r = T_k v_r^k .$$

In terms of the geodesic vector fields of the net, (2.13) reduces to

$$\overline{c}_{r}^{\alpha} = \sum_{\sigma=1}^{n-m} \frac{\sigma}{w_{ik}} v_{r}^{i} v_{r}^{k} n^{\alpha} + x_{h}^{\alpha} c_{r}^{h} + A_{ik}^{h} v_{r}^{i} v_{r}^{k} x_{h}^{\alpha}$$
(2.14)

where  $c_{r}^{i}$  is the geodesic vector field, relative to  $GW_{m}$ , of the r – th family of the net defined by

$$c_r^i = \sum_{r=p}^p v_p^i \quad .$$

The relations (2.6), (2.11), (2.14), allow us to state the following theorem:

**Theorem 2.2. (i)** A neccessary and the sufficient condition the net  $\delta = (v, v, ..., v)$  in  $GW_m$  which is a chebyshev net of the first kind with respect to  $GW_n$  to be a chebyshev net of the first kind with respect to  $GW_m$  is that

$$\sum_{\sigma=1}^{n-m} \bigvee_{l=1}^{\sigma} w_{ik} v^{i} v^{i} v^{i} = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad A^{h}_{ik} v^{i} v^{k} = 0$$

(ii) A neccessary and the sufficient condition the net  $\delta = (v, v, ..., v)$  in  $GW_m$  which is a chebyshev net of the second kind with respect to  $GW_n$  to be a chebyshev net of the second kind with respect to  $GW_m$  is that

$$\sum_{\sigma=1}^{n-m} \Omega_k^i \overset{\otimes}{v_i} \overset{v}{v_i}^k = 0 \text{ and } A_{hk}^i \overset{\otimes}{v_i} \overset{v}{v_i}^k = 0$$

(iii) A neccessary and the sufficient condition the net  $\delta = (v, v, ..., v)$  in  $GW_m$  which is a geodesic net relative  $GW_n$  to be a geodesic net relative to  $GW_m$  is that

$$\sum_{\sigma=1}^{n-m} \sum_{v=1}^{\sigma} w_{ik} v^{i} v^{k} = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad A^{h}_{ik} v^{i} v^{k} = 0$$

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