

Homogeneous para-Kähler Einstein manifolds

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See ArXiv 0806.2272, where also a survey of recent results on para-complex geometry is given. It includes
para-complex and generalized para-complex structures,
para-hypercomplex (complex product structure) and 3-webs,
almost para-Hermitian and para-Hermitian structures,
para-Kähler (bi-Lagrangian) structures,
para hyperKähler and para hyperKähler with torsion structures,
para-quaternionic Kähler and para-quaternionic Kähler with torsion structures,
para-CR and para-quaternionic CR structures.

Para-complex structures on a real vector space

The algebra of **para-complex numbers** is defined by

$$C = \mathbb{R} + e\mathbb{R} \simeq \mathbb{R}^2, \quad e^2 = 1.$$

Para-complex structure in a vector space V :

$$K : V \rightarrow V, \quad K^2 = 1$$

such that

$$V = V^+ \oplus V^-, \quad \dim V^+ = \dim V^-.$$

Para-complexification of (V, K) is

$$V^C := V \otimes C.$$

Holomorphic and antiholomorphic subspaces are defined by

$$V^{1,0} = \{v \in V^C \mid Kv = ev\} = \{v + eKv \mid v \in V\},$$

$$V^{0,1} = \{v \in V^C \mid Kv = -ev\} = \{v - eKv \mid v \in V\},$$

$$\text{Then } V^C = V^{1,0} \oplus V^{0,1}.$$

Exterior forms

The dual space

$$(V^*)^C = V^* \otimes C = V_{1,0} \oplus V_{0,1},$$

where

$$V_{1,0} = \{\alpha \in V^{*C} \mid K^* \alpha = e\alpha\} = \{\alpha + eK^* \alpha \mid \alpha \in V^*\},$$
$$V_{0,1} = \{\alpha \in V^{*C} \mid K^* \alpha = -e\alpha\} = \{\alpha - eK^* \alpha \mid \alpha \in V^*\}.$$

Denote by $\wedge^{p,q} V^{*C}$ the subspace of $\wedge V^{*C}$ spanned by $\alpha \wedge \beta$, with $\alpha \in \wedge^p V_{1,0}$ and $\beta \in \wedge^q V_{0,1}$. Then

$$\wedge^r V^{*C} = \bigoplus_{p+q=r} \wedge^{p,q} V^{*C}.$$

Para-Hermitian forms

Definition 1 A para-Hermitian form on V^C is a map $h : V^C \times V^C \rightarrow C$ such that:

i) h is C -linear in the first entry and C -antilinear in the second entry;

ii) $h(W, Z) = \overline{h(Z, W)}$.

Definition 2 A para-Hermitian symmetric form on V^C is a symmetric C -bilinear form $h : V^C \times V^C \rightarrow C$ such that

$$\begin{aligned} h(V^{1,0}, V^{1,0}) &= h(V^{0,1}, V^{0,1}) = 0, \\ h(\overline{Z}, \overline{W}) &= \overline{h(Z, W)} \end{aligned}$$

for any $Z, W \in V^C$.

It is called non-degenerate if it has trivial kernel.

If $h(Z, W)$ is a para-Hermitian symmetric form, then $\hat{h}(Z, W) = h(Z, \overline{W})$ is a para-Hermitian form.

Lemma 3 *There exists a natural 1 – 1 correspondence between pseudo-Euclidean metric g on a vector space V such that*

$$g(KX, KY) = -g(X, Y), \quad X, Y \in V$$

and non-degenerate para-Hermitian symmetric forms $h = g^C$ in V^C , where g^C is the natural extension of g to C -bilinear symmetric form. Moreover, the natural C -extension ω^C of the two form $\omega = g \circ K$ coincides with the $(1, 1)$ -form $g^C \circ K$.

Para-complex manifolds

Definition 4 A *para-complex structure* on a $2n$ -dimensional manifold M is a field K of para-complex structures such that the ± 1 -eigen-distributions $T^\pm M$ are involutive.

A map $f : (M, K) \rightarrow (M', K')$ between two para-complex manifolds is said to be *para-holomorphic* if

$$df \circ K = K' \circ df . \quad (1)$$

By Frobenius theorem, there are local coordinates (called adapted coordinates) (z_+^α, z_-^α) $\alpha = 1, \dots, n$ on M , such that

$$T^+ M = \text{span} \left\{ \frac{\partial}{\partial z_+^\alpha}, \alpha = 1, \dots, n \right\}$$

$$T^- M = \text{span} \left\{ \frac{\partial}{\partial z_-^\alpha}, \alpha = 1, \dots, n \right\} .$$

$(p+, q-)$ -decomposition of real differential forms) The cotangent bundle T^*M splits as $T^*M = T_+^*M \oplus T_-^*M$, and , moreover,

$$\wedge^r T^*M = \bigoplus_{p+q=r} \wedge_{+-}^{p,q} T^*M,$$

where $\wedge_{+-}^{p,q} T^*M = \wedge^p(T_+^*M) \otimes \wedge^q(T_-^*M)$. We put

$$\partial_+ = \text{pr}_{\wedge_{+-}^{p+1,q}(M)} \circ d : \wedge_{+-}^{p,q}(M) \rightarrow \wedge_{+-}^{p+1,q}(M)$$

$$\partial_- = \text{pr}_{\wedge_{+-}^{p,q+1}(M)} \circ d : \wedge_{+-}^{p,q}(M) \rightarrow \wedge_{+-}^{p,q+1}(M).$$

Then exterior differential d can be decomposed as $d = \partial_+ + \partial_-$ and, since $d^2 = 0$, we have

$$\partial_+^2 = \partial_-^2 = 0, \quad \partial_+ \partial_- + \partial_- \partial_+ = 0.$$

Para-holomorphic coordinates

Let (z_+^α, z_-^α) be adapted local coordinates on (M, K) . Then

$$z^\alpha = \frac{z_+^\alpha + z_-^\alpha}{2} + e \frac{z_+^\alpha - z_-^\alpha}{2}, \quad \alpha = 1, \dots, n. \quad (2)$$

z^α are para-holomorphic functions in the sense of (1) and the transition functions between two para-holomorphic coordinate systems are para-holomorphic. The real part x^α and the imaginary part y^α of the functions z^α , given by

$$x^\alpha = \frac{1}{2}(z^\alpha + \bar{z}^\alpha) = \frac{1}{2}(z_+^\alpha + z_-^\alpha),$$

$$y^\alpha = \frac{1}{2e}(z^\alpha - \bar{z}^\alpha) = \frac{1}{2}(z_+^\alpha - z_-^\alpha),$$

are not necessarily real analytic.

Para-complex differential forms

The para-complex tangent bundle

$T^C M = TM \otimes C$ is decomposed into a direct sum

$$T_p^C M = T_p^{1,0} M \oplus T_p^{0,1} M, \quad (3)$$

of para-holomorphic and para-anti-holomorphic bundles, where

$$T_p^{1,0} M = \{Z \in T_p^C M \mid KZ = eZ\} =$$

$$\{X + eKX \mid X \in T_p M\}$$

$$T_p^{0,1} M = \{Z \in T_p^C M \mid KZ = -eZ\} =$$

$$\{X - eKX \mid X \in T_p M\}$$

are the "eigenspaces" of K with "eigenvalues" $\pm e$.

Similar

$$(T^C)^*M = \wedge^{1,0}(M) \oplus \wedge^{0,1}(M),$$

where 1-forms

$$dz^\alpha = dx^\alpha + edy^\alpha \quad \text{and} \quad d\bar{z}^\alpha = dx^\alpha - edy^\alpha$$

form a basis of $\wedge^{1,0}(M)$ and $\wedge^{0,1}(M)$ dual to the bases $\frac{\partial}{\partial z^\alpha}$ and $\frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{z}^\alpha}$ respectively.

The last decomposition induces a splitting of the bundle $\wedge^r(T^C)^*M$ of para-complex r -forms on (M, K) given by

$$\wedge^r(T^C)^*M = \bigoplus_{p+q=r} \wedge^{p,q}(M).$$

The sections of $\wedge^{p,q}(M)$ are called (p, q) -forms on the para-complex manifold (M, K) . We have

$$\wedge_{+-}^{1,1}(M) = \{\omega \in \wedge^{1,1}(M) \mid \omega = \bar{\omega}\}. \quad (4)$$

The exterior derivative $d : \wedge^r T^* M^C \rightarrow \wedge^{r+1} T^* M^C$ splits as $d = \partial + \bar{\partial}$, where

$$\partial = \text{pr}_{\wedge^{p+1,q}(M)} \circ d : \wedge^{p,q}(M) \rightarrow \wedge^{p+1,q}(M),$$

$$\bar{\partial} = \text{pr}_{\wedge^{p,q+1}(M)} \circ d : \wedge^{p,q}(M) \rightarrow \wedge^{p,q+1}(M),$$

and

$$\partial^2 = 0, \quad \bar{\partial}^2 = 0, \quad \partial\bar{\partial} + \bar{\partial}\partial = 0.$$

The operators $\partial, \bar{\partial}$ are related to ∂_+, ∂_- by

$$\partial = \frac{1}{2}((\partial_+ + \partial_-) + e(\partial_+ - \partial_-))$$

$$\bar{\partial} = \frac{1}{2}((\partial_+ + \partial_-) - e(\partial_+ - \partial_-)).$$

In particular,

$$\partial\bar{\partial} = e\partial_+\partial_-.$$

Dolbeault lemma

(V.Cortes, C. Mayer, Th. Mohaupt, F.Sauressig)

Lemma 5 *Let (M, K) be a para-complex manifold and ω be a closed 2-form belonging to $\Lambda_{+-}^{1,1}(M)$. Then locally there exists a real-valued function F (called potential) such that*

$$\omega = \partial_+ \partial_- F = e \partial \bar{\partial} F .$$

The potential F is defined up to addition of a function f satisfying the condition $\partial_+ \partial_- f = 0$.

Para-Kähler manifolds

Definition 6 A para-Kähler manifold is given equivalently by:

- i) a pseudo-Riemannian manifold (M, g) together with a skew-symmetric para-complex structure K which is parallel with respect to the Levi-Civita connection;
- ii) a symplectic manifold (M, ω) together with two complementary involutive Lagrangian distributions L^\pm .
- iii) a para-complex manifold (M, K) together with a symplectic form ω which belongs to $\wedge_{+ -}^{1,1}(M)$;

Curvature and Ricci curvature of a para-Kähler manifold

Proposition 7 *The curvature R and the Ricci tensor S of a para-Kähler metric g satisfy the following*

$$R(X, Y) \circ K = K \circ R(X, Y) \quad R(KX, KY) = -R(X, Y)$$

$$S(KX, KY) = -S(X, Y)$$

for any vector fields $X, Y \in \mathfrak{X}(M)$.

We define the *Ricci form* ρ of the para-Kähler metric g by

$$\rho := \text{Ric} \circ K. \tag{5}$$

It is a 2-form. Its para-complex extension ρ has type $(1, 1)$ and in local para-holomorphic coordinates is given by

$$\rho = 2e \text{Ric}_{\alpha\bar{\beta}} dz^\alpha \wedge d\bar{z}^\beta.$$

Proposition 8 *The Ricci form of a para-Kähler manifold is a closed (1, 1)-form and can be represented by*

$$\rho = e \partial \bar{\partial} \log(\det(g_{\alpha\bar{\beta}})). \quad (6)$$

In particular,

$$\text{Ric}_{\alpha\bar{\beta}} = -\frac{\partial^2 \log(\det(g_{\alpha\bar{\beta}}))}{\partial z^\alpha \partial \bar{z}^\beta}. \quad (7)$$

The canonical form of a para-complex manifold with a volume form

Let (M, K, vol) be an oriented manifold with para-complex structure K and a (real) volume form vol .

Let $z = (z^1, \dots, z^n)$ be local para-holomorphic coordinates and (x^α, y^α) corresponding real coordinates, where $z^\alpha = x^\alpha + ey^\alpha$.

Then

$$\begin{aligned} \text{vol} &= V(z, \bar{z}) dz^1 \wedge d\bar{z}^1 \wedge \dots \wedge dz^n \wedge d\bar{z}^n \quad (8) \\ &= U(x, y) dx^1 \wedge dy^1 \wedge \dots \wedge dx^n \wedge dy^n. \end{aligned}$$

We may assume that $U(x, y) > 0$, as M is oriented.

Then

$$V(z, \bar{z}) = (-2e)^n U(x, y).$$

In particular, the function $\tilde{V} = (-e)^n V$ is positive.

Definition of the canonical 2-form

Lemma 9 *The formula*

$$\rho = e \partial \bar{\partial} \log ((-e)^n V) \quad (9)$$

defines a real global closed 2-form of type (1, 1) on the oriented para-complex manifold (M, K, vol) .

The form ρ is called the **canonical form** of (M, K, vol) .

Corollary 10 *Let (M, K, ω, g) be an oriented para-Kähler manifold and denote by vol^g the volume form associated with the metric g . Then the Ricci form ρ of the para-Kähler manifold M coincides with the canonical form associated with the volume form vol^g . In particular ρ depends only on the para-complex structure and the volume form.*

A formula for the canonical form ρ in term of divergence

Lemma 11 *Let X, Y be real vector fields with $\operatorname{div} X = \operatorname{div} Y = 0$. Assume that the fields $X^c = X + eKX$, $Y^c = Y + eKY$ are paraholomorphic. Then*

$$2\rho(X, Y) = \operatorname{div} (K[X, Y]). \quad (10)$$

Koszul formula for the canonical form ρ of a homogeneous para-complex manifold $(M = G/H, K)$ with an invariant volume form vol .

Given $(M = G/H, K, vol)$. Let \mathfrak{m} be a complementary subspace to the Lie subalgebra $\mathfrak{h} = LieH$ in the Lie algebra $\mathfrak{g} = LieG$. We identify \mathfrak{m} with the tangent space $T_o(G/H)$, $o = eH$ and extend $K_o \in End(\mathfrak{m})$ to an endomorphism \tilde{K} of \mathfrak{g} with kernel \mathfrak{h} .

Then the pull back ρ of the canonical 2-form associated with (vol, K) at the point $e \in G$ is given by

$$2\rho_e(X, Y) = \sum \omega^i \left([\tilde{K}[X, Y], X_i] - \tilde{K}[[X, Y], X_i] \right).$$

In particular,

$$\rho_e = d\psi,$$

where $\psi \in \mathfrak{g}^*$ is the $Ad_{\mathfrak{h}}$ -invariant 1-form on \mathfrak{g} given by

$$\psi(X) = -\text{tr}_{\mathfrak{g}/\mathfrak{h}} \left(\text{ad}_{\tilde{K}X} - \tilde{K}\text{ad}_X \right), \quad \forall X \in \mathfrak{g}. \quad (11)$$

The 1-form $\psi \in \mathfrak{g}^*$ is called the **Koszul form**.

A description of homogeneous para-Kähler manifolds $(M = G/H, \omega, L^\pm)$ of a semisimple Lie group

We recall an important characterization of homogeneous manifolds $M = G/H$ of a semisimple Lie group G which admit invariant para-Kähler structure (ω, L^\pm) .

Theorem 12 (Hou-Deng-Kaneyuki-Nishiyama, 97)

A homogeneous manifold $M = G/H$ of a semisimple group G admits an invariant para-Kähler structure (ω, L^\pm) iff it is a covering of the adjoint orbit $\text{Ad}_G h = G/Z_G(h)$ of a semisimple element $h \in \mathfrak{g}$.

The proof follows from a result by Ozeki and Wakimoto (1972) that any polarization of a semisimple Lie algebra is a parabolic subalgebra and a classical result by Dixmier that the intersection of two parabolic subalgebras has maximal rank. Indeed, the subalgebras

$$\mathfrak{p}^{\pm} := \{X \in \mathfrak{g} \mid X_o^* \in L^{\pm}|_o\}$$

are polarizations for 1-form $\xi \in \mathfrak{g}^*$ such that $\omega_o = d\xi$, that is maximal isotropic subspaces with respect to $\omega_o = d\xi \in \Lambda^2 \mathfrak{g}^*$.

Fundamental gradations of a semisimple Lie algebra

A \mathbb{Z} -gradation

$$\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{g}^{-k} + \dots + \mathfrak{g}^{-1} + \mathfrak{g}^0 + \mathfrak{g}^1 + \dots + \mathfrak{g}^k \quad [\mathfrak{g}^i, \mathfrak{g}^j] \subset \mathfrak{g}^{i+j} \quad (12)$$

of a (real or complex) semi-simple Lie algebra \mathfrak{g} is called

fundamental if the subalgebra

$$\mathfrak{g}^- = \mathfrak{g}^{-k} + \dots + \mathfrak{g}^{-1}$$

is generated by \mathfrak{g}^{-1} .

There exist unique element $d \in \mathfrak{g}$ (called the **grading element**) such that

$$\text{Ad}_d|_{\mathfrak{g}^j} = j \text{Id}.$$

We set

$$\mathfrak{g}^\pm = \sum_{\pm j > 0} \mathfrak{g}^j.$$

Then $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{g}^- + \mathfrak{g}^0 + \mathfrak{g}^+$ (associated decomposition)

Examples. Fundamental gradations of $\mathfrak{sl}(V)$

Let V be a (complex or real) vector space and $V = V^1 + \dots + V^k$ a decomposition of V into a direct sum of subspaces. It defines a fundamental gradation $\mathfrak{sl}(V) = \sum_{i=-k}^k \mathfrak{g}^i$ of the Lie algebra $\mathfrak{sl}(V)$, where

$$\mathfrak{g}^i = \{ A \in \mathfrak{sl}(V), AV^j \subset V^{i+j}, j = 1, \dots, k \} .$$

A generalized Gauss decomposition A direct space decomposition

$$\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{n}^- + \mathfrak{h} + \mathfrak{n}^+$$

is called a **generalized Gauss decomposition** if $\mathfrak{p}^\pm := \mathfrak{n}^\pm + \mathfrak{h}$ are parabolic subalgebras with nilradical \mathfrak{n}^\pm and reductive part \mathfrak{h} .

Proposition 13 *Any generalized Gauss decomposition ($\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{p}^- + \mathfrak{h} + \mathfrak{p}^+$) is associated with a unique fundamental gradation i.e. $\mathfrak{n}^\pm = \mathfrak{g}^\pm$, $\mathfrak{h} = \mathfrak{g}^0$.*

Invariant para-Kähler structures and generalized Gauss decompositions

Proposition 14 *Let $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{n}^- + \mathfrak{h} + \mathfrak{n}^+$ be a generalized Gauss decomposition associated with a fundamental gradation, defined by a grading element $d \in \mathfrak{g}$. Let G be a Lie group with the Lie algebra \mathfrak{g} and H a closed subgroup of G with $\text{Lie}H = \mathfrak{h}$ which preserves $d \in \mathfrak{g}$. Then $M = G/H$ has an invariant para-complex structure K defined by $K|_{\mathfrak{n}^\pm} = \pm \text{Id}$. Moreover, any Ad_H -invariant element $h \in \mathfrak{h}$ with $Z_{\mathfrak{g}}(h) = \mathfrak{h}$ defines an invariant symplectic form ω^h on $M = G/H$ (where $\omega_o^h = dB \circ h$ and B is the Killing form) which is consistent with K , i.e. (K, ω) is an invariant para-Kähler structure.*

Moreover, any invariant para-Kähler structure can be obtained by this construction.

Fundamental gradations of a complex semisimple Lie algebra \mathfrak{g}

Let $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{h} + \sum_{\alpha \in R} \mathfrak{g}_\alpha$ be a **root space decomposition** of a complex semisimple Lie algebra \mathfrak{g} with respect to a **Cartan subalgebra** \mathfrak{h} . We fix a **system of simple roots** $\Pi = \{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_\ell\} \subset R$

Any **disjoint decomposition** $\Pi = \Pi^0 \cup \Pi^1$ of Π defines a fundamental gradation of \mathfrak{g} as follows.

We define the **function** $d : R \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$ by

$$d|_{\Pi^0} = 0, \quad d|_{\Pi^1} = 1, \quad d(\alpha) = \sum k_i d(\alpha_i), \quad \forall \alpha = \sum k_i \alpha_i.$$

Then the fundamental gradation is given by

$$\mathfrak{g}^0 = \mathfrak{h} + \sum_{\alpha \in R, d(\alpha)=0} \mathfrak{g}_\alpha, \quad \mathfrak{g}^i = \sum_{\alpha \in R, d(\alpha)=i} \mathfrak{g}_\alpha.$$

Any fundamental gradation of \mathfrak{g} is conjugated to a unique gradation of such form.

Fundamental gradations of a real semisimple Lie algebra

Any real semisimple Lie algebra $\hat{\mathfrak{g}}$ is a real form of a complex semisimple Lie algebra \mathfrak{g} , that is it is the fixed point set $\hat{\mathfrak{g}} = \mathfrak{g}^\sigma$ of some **antilinear involution** σ of \mathfrak{g} , i.e. an antilinear involutive map $\sigma : \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \mathfrak{g}$, which is an automorphism of \mathfrak{g} as a Lie algebra over \mathbb{R} .

We can always assume that σ preserves a Cartan subalgebra \mathfrak{h} of \mathfrak{g} and induces an automorphism of the root system R . A root $\alpha \in R$ is called **compact** (or **black**) if $\sigma\alpha = -\alpha$. It is always possible to choose a system of simple roots $\Pi = \{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_\ell\}$ such that, for any non compact root $\alpha_i \in \Pi$, the corresponding root $\sigma\alpha_i$ is a sum of one non-compact root $\alpha_j \in \Pi$ and a linear combination of compact roots from Π . The roots α_i and α_j are called **equivalent**.

Theorem 15 (Djoković) *Let \mathfrak{g} be a complex semisimple Lie algebra \mathfrak{g} , $\sigma : \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \mathfrak{g}$ an antilinear involution and \mathfrak{g}^σ the corresponding real form. The gradation of \mathfrak{g} , associated with a decomposition $\Pi = \Pi^0 \cup \Pi^1$, defines a gradation $\mathfrak{g}^\sigma = \sum (\mathfrak{g}^i)^\sigma$ of \mathfrak{g}^σ if and only if Π^1 consists of non compact roots and any two equivalent roots are either both in Π^0 or both in Π^1 .*

Example. Fundamental gradations of \mathfrak{g}_2

The root system of the complex exceptional Lie algebra \mathfrak{g}_2 has the form

$$R = \{\pm\varepsilon_i, \pm(\varepsilon_i - \varepsilon_j), i, j = 2, 3\}$$

where the vectors ε_i satisfy

$$\varepsilon_1 + \varepsilon_2 + \varepsilon_3 = 0, \varepsilon_i^2 = 2/3, (\varepsilon_i, \varepsilon_j) = -1/3, i \neq j.$$

Consider the system of simple roots $\Pi = \{\alpha_1 = -\varepsilon_2, \alpha_2 = \varepsilon_2 - \varepsilon_3\}$. The corresponding system of positive roots is

$$R^+ = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_1 + \alpha_2, 2\alpha_1 + \alpha_2, 3\alpha_1 + \alpha_2, 3\alpha_1 + 2\alpha_2\}.$$

There are three fundamental gradations for the complex Lie algebra \mathfrak{g}_2 .

Calculation of the fundamental form $\rho = d\psi$ of a homogeneous para-complex manifold $(M = G/H, K)$ associated with a generalized Gauss decomposition

Now we compute the Koszul form for the homogeneous para-complex manifold

$$(M = G^\sigma / H^\sigma, K_M, \text{vol}),$$

where M is a covering of an adjoint orbit of a real semisimple Lie group G^σ ,

K_M is the invariant para-complex structure defined by a gradation of the Lie algebra \mathfrak{g}^σ and vol is an invariant volume form.

First of all, we describe the Koszul form ψ on the Lie algebra

$$\mathfrak{g}^\sigma = \mathfrak{g}_{-k}^\sigma + \cdots + \mathfrak{g}_{-1}^\sigma + \mathfrak{g}_0^\sigma + \mathfrak{g}_1^\sigma + \cdots + \mathfrak{g}_k^\sigma.$$

or, equivalently, its complex extension ψ to the complex Lie algebra \mathfrak{g} (defined by the same formula).

We choose a Cartan subalgebra $\mathfrak{a} \subset \mathfrak{g}_0$ of the Lie algebra \mathfrak{g} and denote by R the root system of $(\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{a})$. Let

$$\Pi = \Pi^0 \cup \Pi^1, \quad P = P^0 \cup P^1$$

be the decomposition of a simple root system Π of the root system R which corresponds to the gradation and the corresponding decomposition of the fundamental weights.

Let R^+ be the set of positive roots defined by the basis Π . We put

$$R_0^+ = \{\alpha \in R^+ \mid \mathfrak{g}_\alpha \subset \mathfrak{g}_0\}.$$

The following lemma describes the Koszul form in terms of fundamental weights.

Lemma 16 *The 1-form ψ is equal to*

$$\psi = 2(\delta^{\mathfrak{g}} - \delta^{\mathfrak{h}})$$

where

$$\delta^{\mathfrak{g}} = \sum_{\alpha \in R^+} \alpha, \quad \delta^{\mathfrak{h}} = \sum_{\alpha \in R_0^+} \alpha,$$

and the linear forms on the Cartan subalgebra \mathfrak{a} are considered as linear forms on \mathfrak{g} which vanish on root spaces \mathfrak{g}_α .

Proposition 17 *Let $\Pi = \Pi^0 \cup \Pi^1 = \{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_\ell\}$ be the simple root system (corresponding to the gradation) and denote by π_i the fundamental weight corresponding to the simple root α_i , namely*

$$2 \frac{(\pi_i, \alpha_j)}{(\alpha_j, \alpha_j)} = \delta_{ij}.$$

If $P^1 = \{\pi_{i_1}, \dots, \pi_{i_r}\}$, then the Koszul form ψ is equal to

$$\psi = 2 \sum_{\pi \in P^1} n_\pi \pi = 2 \sum_{h=1}^r a_{i_h} \pi_{i_h}, \quad (13)$$

where

$$a_{i_h} = 2 + b_{i_h}, \quad \text{with} \quad b_{i_h} = -2 \frac{(\delta^h, \alpha_{i_h})}{(\alpha_{i_h}, \alpha_{i_h})} \geq 0. \quad (14)$$

The main theorem

Theorem 18 *Let R be a root system of a complex semisimple Lie algebra \mathfrak{g} with respect to a Cartan subalgebra \mathfrak{a} and $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{g}_{-k} + \cdots + \mathfrak{g}_k$ the fundamental gradation associated with a decomposition $\Pi = \Pi^0 \cup \Pi^1$ of a simple root system $\Pi \subset R$. Let σ be an admissible anti-involution of \mathfrak{g} which defines the graded real form \mathfrak{g}^σ of \mathfrak{g} and ψ be the corresponding Koszul form on \mathfrak{g} . Let $(M = G^\sigma/H^\sigma, K)$ be a homogeneous manifold of a real semisimple Lie group G^σ with Lie algebra \mathfrak{g}^σ such that the stability subalgebra $\mathfrak{h} = \mathfrak{g}_0^\sigma$ and H^σ preserves the generalized Gauss decomposition. Denote by K the invariant para-complex structure on M associated with the gGd and by $\rho = d\psi$ the invariant symplectic form on M defined by $d\psi$. Then for any $\lambda \neq 0$ the pair $(K, \lambda\rho)$ is an invariant para-Kähler Einstein structure on M and this construction exhausts all homogeneous para-Kähler Einstein manifolds of real semisimple Lie groups.*