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Three additional families of Lagrangian surfaces of constant curvature in complex projective plane

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Abstract

Three additional families of Lagrangian surfaces of constant curvature in complex projective plane $CP^2(4)$ shall be added to the list of Theorem 1 in my article [B.-Y. Chen, Classification of Lagrangian surfaces of constant curvature in complex projective planes, J. Geom. Phys. 53 (2005) 428–460]. © 2005 Published by Elsevier B.V.

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1. Three additional families

Beside (1)–(29), the following three families of Lagrangian surfaces of constant curvature shall be added to the list in Theorem 1 of my earlier article [1].

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(30) Lagrangian surfaces of positive curvature b^2 defined by $\pi \circ L$ with

$$L = ((\sin bs)^{1 - iab^{-1}}, (\cos bs)^{1 - iab^{-1}}z(t))$$

with $a = \sqrt{1 - b^2}$, $b \in (0, 1)$, and z(t) is a unit speed Legendre curve in $S^3(1) \subset \mathbb{C}^2$.

(31) Lagrangian surfaces of negative curvature $-b^2$ defined by $\pi \circ L$ with

$$L = \left(a\cosh bs + i\sqrt{c^2 - a^2\sinh^2 bs}\right)^{a/b} \\ \times \left(\frac{z(t)\sinh bs}{e^{ib^{-1}c\tanh^{-1}(c\cosh bs/\sqrt{c^2 - a^2\sinh^2 bs})}, \frac{\sqrt{b^2 + c^2 - \sinh^2 bs}}{e^{-(ia^2(b^2 + c^2)/(b^2(a^2 + c^2)))\cot^{-1}(b\cosh bs/\sqrt{c^2 - a^2\sinh^2 bs})}}{\sqrt{b^2 + c^2}(a^2 + c^2)^{a/2b}e^{(ic^2/(b^2(a^2 + c^2)))\tan^{-1}(b\cosh bs/\sqrt{c^2 - a^2\sinh^2 bs})}}\right)$$

where c is a positive number, $a = \sqrt{1+b^2}$ and z(t) is a Legendre curve of constant speed $(a^2 + b^2)^{-a/2b}$ in $S^3(r) \subset \mathbb{C}^2$ with radius $r = (a^2 + c^2)^{-a/2b}/\sqrt{b^2 + c^2}$. (32) Lagrangian surfaces of negative curvature $-b^2$ defined by $\pi \circ L$ with

$$L = \left(z(t) \left(a + i\sqrt{c^2 e^{-2bs} - a^2} \right)^{a/b} e^{(a+b)s - ib^{-1}\sqrt{c^2 e^{-2bs} - a^2}} \right),$$
$$\frac{(c^2 - e^{2bs}) \left(c^2 - 2 e^{2bs} \left(a^2 + ia\sqrt{c^2 e^{-2bs} - a^2} \right) \right)^{a/2b}}{c^{(a+b)/b} \left(c^2 - e^{2bs} \left(a^2 + b^2 + 2ib\sqrt{c^2 e^{-2bs} - a^2} \right) \right)^{1/2}} \right),$$

where c is a positive number, $a = \sqrt{1 + b^2}$ and z(t) is a Legendre curve with speed $e^{\theta(t)} c^{-a/b}$ in $S^3(r) \subset \mathbb{C}^2$, $r = c^{-1-a/b}$.

2. Remarks

We follow the same notation as [1]. For Case (I.ii.b.2.3) in article [1], the solution (5.56) of system (5.55) is degenerated whenever $c^2 = a^2$. So Case (23) in Theorem 1 of [1] occurs only under the condition $a^2 \neq c^2$.

When $a^2 = c^2$, system (5.55) reduces to

$$L_{ss} = ia(\tan bs - \cot bs)Ls - L, \quad a = \sqrt{1 - b^2}, \qquad L_{st} = (ia - b)\tan bsL_t,$$

$$L_{tt} = (b + ia)\sin bs\cos bsL_s + if(t)L_t - \cos^2 bsL.$$
(2.1)

After solving the first two equations of this PDE system we obtain

$$L = c_1 (\sin bs)^{1 - ia/b} + z(t) (\cos bs)^{1 - ia/b}$$
(2.2)

for some constant vector c_1 and vector function z(t). By substituting (2.2) into the last equation in (2.1) we have z''(t) - if(t)z'(t) + z(t) = 0. By applying these and the metric tensor of the Lagrangian surface we may obtain $|z| = |c_1|^2 = |z'(t)| = 1$ and $\langle c_1, z \rangle = \langle c_1, iz \rangle = \langle z', iz \rangle = 0$. Hence we obtain Case (30) after choosing suitable initial conditions.

For Case (1.ii.b.4) the following two metric tensors shall also be considered:

$$g = ds \otimes ds + \sinh^2(bs + \theta(t)) dt \otimes dt,$$
(2.3)

$$g = \mathrm{d}s \otimes \mathrm{d}s + \mathrm{e}^{2bs + 2\theta(t)} \,\mathrm{d}t \otimes \mathrm{d}t. \tag{2.4}$$

If (2.3) holds, Eq. (5.34) of [1] yields $\mu^2 = p^2(t) \operatorname{csch}^2(bs + \theta(t)) - a^2$ with $a = \sqrt{1+b^2}$ for some p(t) > 0. Since $\mu = \mu(s)$, we see that $p(t) \operatorname{csch}(bs + \theta(t))$ depend on *s*. Thus p(t) and $\theta(t)$ must be both constant as in Case (1.ii.c.1) of [1]. So we may assume $\theta = 0$ by applying a suitable translation. Let us denote the constant *p* by *c*. Thus the PDE system corresponding to (5.72) of [1] becomes

$$L_{ss} = i \frac{c^2 \operatorname{csch}^2 bs - 2a^2}{\sqrt{c^2 \operatorname{csch}^2 bs - a^2}} L_s - L,$$

$$L_{st} = \left(i \sqrt{c^2 \operatorname{csch}^2 bs - a^2} + b \operatorname{coth} bs \right) L_t,$$

$$L_{tt} = \left(i \sqrt{c^2 - a^2 \sinh^2 bs} - b \cosh bs \right) \sinh bs L_s + i f(t) L_t - \sinh^2 bs L \qquad (2.5)$$

with $a = \sqrt{b^2 + 1}$. After solving the first two equations of this system we obtain

$$L = \left(a\cosh bs + i\sqrt{c^2 - a^2\sinh^2 bs}\right)^{a/b} \\ \times \left\{ \frac{z(t)\sinh bs}{e^{ib^{-1}c\tanh^{-1}(c\cosh bs/\sqrt{c^2 - a^2\sinh^2 bs})} \\ + c_1 \frac{\sqrt{b^2 + c^2 - \sinh^2 bs} e^{-(ia^2(b^2 + c^2)/b^2(a^2 + c^2))\cot^{-1}(b\cosh bs/\sqrt{c^2 - a^2\sinh^2 bs})}{e^{(ic^2/b^2(a^2 + c^2))\tan^{-1}(b\cosh bs/\sqrt{c^2 - a^2\sinh^2 bs})} \right\}$$
(2.6)

for some vector $c_1 \in \mathbb{C}^3$ and vector function z(t). By substituting (2.6) into the last equation in (2.5) we obtain

$$z''(t) - if(t)z'(t) + (b^2 + c^2)z(t) = 0.$$

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Since $|L| = |L_s| = 1$, $|L_t| = \sinh bs$ and $\langle L_s, iL_y \rangle = 0$, we obtain from (2.6) that

$$|z|^2 = |c_1|^2 = \frac{b^2 + c^2}{(a^2 + c^2)^{a/b}}, \qquad |z'|^2 = \frac{1}{(a^2 + c^2)^{a/b}}, \qquad \langle z, c_1 \rangle = \langle z, ic_1 \rangle = 0.$$

Hence the Lagrangian immersion L is congruent to Case (31).

If the metric tensor is given by (2.4), then the corresponding PDE system is given by

$$L_{ss} = i \frac{c^2 e^{-2bs} - 2a^2}{\sqrt{c^2 e^{-2bs} - a^2}} L_s - L, \qquad L_{st} = (i \sqrt{c^2 e^{-2bs} - a^2} + b) L_t,$$

$$L_{tt} = (i \sqrt{c^2 e^{-2bs} - a^2} - b) e^{2bs + 2\theta(t)} L_s + (i f(t) + \theta'(t)) L_t - e^{2bs + 2\theta(t)} L \qquad (2.7)$$

with $a = \sqrt{1 + b^2}$. After solving the first two equations of (2.7) we have

$$L = z(t)(a + i\sqrt{c^2 e^{-2bs} - a^2})^{a/b} e^{(a+b)s - ib^{-1}\sqrt{c^2 e^{-2bs} - a^2}} + c_1 \frac{(c^2 - e^{2bs})(c^2 - 2e^{2bs}(a^2 + ia\sqrt{c^2 e^{-2bs} - a^2}))^{a/2b}}{(c^2 - e^{2bs}(a^2 + b^2 + 2ib\sqrt{c^2 e^{-2bs} - a^2}))^{1/2}}$$
(2.8)

for some vector c_1 and vector function z. By substituting (2.8) into the last equation of (2.7) we obtain

$$z''(t) - (if(t) + \theta'(t))z'(t) + c^2 e^{2\theta(t)}z(t) = 0.$$

Moreover, it follows from (2.8) and the metric tensor that

$$|z| = |c_1| = c^{-(a+b)/b}, \qquad |z'| = e^{\theta(t)} c^{-a/b}, \qquad \langle z, c_1 \rangle = \langle z, ic_1 \rangle = 0.$$

Therefore we may conclude that L is congruent to Case (32).

It is straightforward to verify that the three immersions defined in Cases (30)–(32) are Lagrangian surfaces of constant curvature in $CP^2(4)$.

Reference

 B.-Y. Chen, Classification of Lagrangian surfaces of constant curvature in complex projective planes, J. Geom. Phys. 53 (2005) 428–460.