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1. INTRODUCTION

We note above all about that the idea of this paper came to us from the proof of structure theorem of complete Riemannian flags of H. Diallo being in [7].

Let $(M_1, \mathcal{F}_1), (M_2, \mathcal{F}_2), \dots, (M_q, \mathcal{F}_q)$ be q codimension 1 transversal orientable Riemannian foliations, let $M = M_1 \times M_2 \times \dots \times M_q$, let $\tilde{\mathcal{F}}_k = \mathcal{F}_1 \times \mathcal{F}_2 \times \dots \times \mathcal{F}_k \times M_{k+1} \times M_2 \times \dots \times M_q$, let $(U_i^k, f_i^k, T^k, \gamma_{ij}^k)_{i \in I^k}$ be a foliated cocycle defining (M_k, \mathcal{F}_k) , $\tilde{T}^k = T^1 \times T^2 \times \dots \times T^k$, let p_s be the projection of M on M_s , let \bar{p}_s be the projection of \tilde{T}^q on T^s , let $\tilde{U}_i^k = U_i^1 \times U_i^2 \times \dots \times U_i^k \times M_{k+1} \times M_2 \times \dots \times M_q$, let $\tilde{f}_i^k = (f_i^1 \circ p_1, f_i^2 \circ p_2, \dots, f_i^k \circ p_k)$ and let $\tilde{\gamma}_{ij}^k = (\gamma_{ij}^1 \circ \bar{p}_1, \gamma_{ij}^2 \circ \bar{p}_2, \dots, \gamma_{ij}^k \circ \bar{p}_k)$.

We easily verify that $(\tilde{U}_i^k, \tilde{f}_i^k, \tilde{T}^k, \tilde{\gamma}_{ij}^k)$ is a foliated cocycle defining the codimension k Riemannian foliation $\tilde{\mathcal{F}}_k$.

We have $\tilde{\mathcal{F}}_q \subset \tilde{\mathcal{F}}_{q-1} \subset \dots \subset \tilde{\mathcal{F}}_1$. We say that the sequence $\mathcal{D}_{\tilde{\mathcal{F}}_q} = (\tilde{\mathcal{F}}_{q-1}, \dots, \tilde{\mathcal{F}}_1)$ is a completed flag of Riemannian extension of Riemannian foliation $\tilde{\mathcal{F}}_q$ on M .

Specifically, being given a codimension q foliation \mathcal{F}_q on a manifold M , a flag of extensions of a foliation \mathcal{F}_q is a sequence $\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{F}_q}^k = (\mathcal{F}_{q-1}, \mathcal{F}_{q-2}, \dots, \mathcal{F}_k)$ of foliations on M such as $\mathcal{F}_q \subset \mathcal{F}_{q-1} \subset \mathcal{F}_{q-2} \subset \dots \subset \mathcal{F}_k$ and each foliation \mathcal{F}_s is a codimension s foliation.

For $k = 1$, the flag of extensions $\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{F}_q}^k$ will be called complete and will be noted $\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{F}_q}$.

If each foliation \mathcal{F}_s is Riemannian, the flag of extensions $\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{F}_q}^k$ will be called flag of Riemannian extensions of \mathcal{F}_q .

That said, is denoted by X_k the unitary field of T^k orienting T^k and $(X_k)^{h_k}$ the lifted of X_k on the tangent bundle $T\tilde{T}^q$ of \tilde{T}^q .

One checks easily [10] that $[(X_k)^{h_k}, (X_s)^{h_s}] = 0$ for $k \neq s$. There is thus obtained a coordinates system (x_1, \dots, x_q) on \tilde{T}^q such as $\frac{\partial}{\partial x_k} = (X_k)^{h_k}$. As each γ_{ij}^k is an local isometry of T^k then relative to the coordinates system (x_1, \dots, x_q) the Jacobian matrix $J_{\tilde{\gamma}_{ij}^k}$ of $\tilde{\gamma}_{ij}^k$ checked:

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$$J_{\gamma_{ij}^k} = \begin{pmatrix} \varepsilon_{ij}^1 & 0 & \dots & \dots & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & \varepsilon_{ij}^2 & 0 & \dots & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \varepsilon_{ij}^3 & 0 & \dots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & 0 & \cdot & \cdot & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \cdot & \cdot & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & \varepsilon_{ij}^k \end{pmatrix} \text{ where } \varepsilon_{ij}^r = \pm 1.$$

From the foregoing the foliation $\tilde{\mathcal{F}}_k$ will be said Riemannian transversely diagonal.

Specifically a foliation \mathcal{F} on a manifold N is said transversely diagonal if and only if it is defined by a foliated cocycle $(U_i, f_i, T, \gamma_{ij})_{i \in I}$ such as the opens U_i are \mathcal{F} -distinguished and on each open $f_i(U_i)$ it exists a local \mathcal{F} -transverse coordinates system $(y_q^i, y_2^i, \dots, y_1^i)$ such as relatively to local \mathcal{F} -transverse coordinates systems $((y_q^i, y_2^i, \dots, y_1^i))_{i \in I}$ on the opens $f_i(U_i)$,

the Jacobian matrix $J_{\gamma_{ij}}$ of γ_{ij} is diagonal. In the case where there exists a metric h_T on the transverse manifold T such as the γ_{ij}^s are local isometries for this transverse metric, we say that \mathcal{F} is Riemannian transversely diagonal.

The primary purpose of this paper is to show that the existence of a transversely diagonal foliation \mathcal{F} on a manifold implies the existence of a complete flag of extensions of \mathcal{F} . The second purpose of this paper is to prove the existence of Riemannian transversely diagonal foliation *nontrivial*. Indeed, we show that if \mathcal{F}_q is a codimension q Riemannian foliation having a complete flag of Riemannian extensions $\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{F}_q} = (\mathcal{F}_{q-1}, \mathcal{F}_{q-2}, \dots, \mathcal{F}_1)$ on a connected manifold N and if there exists a metric h that is bundlelike for any foliation \mathcal{F}_s of this flag then each foliation \mathcal{F}_s is Riemannian transversely diagonal.

In all that follows, the manifolds considered are supposed connected and differentiability is C^∞ .

II. REMINDERS

In this paragraph, we reformulate in the direction that is helpful to us some definitions and theorems that are in ([2], [3], [5], [7], [8], [10]).

Definition 2.1 Let M be a manifold.

An extension of a codimension q foliation (M, \mathcal{F}) is a codimension q' foliation (M, \mathcal{F}') such that $0 < q' < q$ and (M, \mathcal{F}') leaves are (M, \mathcal{F}) leaves meetings (it is noted $\mathcal{F} \subset \mathcal{F}'$).

We show ([2], [6]) that if (M, \mathcal{F}') is a simple extension of a simple foliation (M, \mathcal{F}) and if (M, \mathcal{F}) and (M, \mathcal{F}') are defined respectively by submersions $\pi : M \rightarrow T$ and $\pi' : M \rightarrow T'$, then there exists a submersion $\theta : T \rightarrow T'$ such that $\pi' = \theta \circ \pi$.

We say that the submersion θ is a bond between the foliation (M, \mathcal{F}) and its extension foliation (M, \mathcal{F}') .

It is shown in [3] that if the foliation (M, \mathcal{F}) and its extension (M, \mathcal{F}') are defined respectively by the cocycles $(U_i, f_i, T, \gamma_{ij})_{i \in I}$ and $(U_i, f'_i, T', \gamma'_{ij})_{i \in I}$ then we have

$$f'_i = \theta_i \circ f_i \text{ and } \gamma'_{ij} \circ \theta_j = \theta_i \circ \gamma_{ij}$$

where θ_s is a bond between the foliation (U_s, \mathcal{F}) and its extension foliation (U_s, \mathcal{F}') .

Proposition 2.2 Given a foliation (M, \mathcal{F}) having T for model transverse foliation, let T' be a dimension $q' > 0$ manifold. If the local diffeomorphisms of transition of \mathcal{F} preserve the fibers of a submersion of T on T' , then the foliation \mathcal{F} admits a codimension q' extension having T' for model transverse manifold.

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3. C. Dadi, 2008. "Sur les extensions des feuilletages". Thèse unique, Université de Cocody, Abidjan.

The following theorem is demonstrated in the same way that the structure theorem of complete Riemannian flags being in [7] :

Theorem 2.3 Let $(M; h)$ be a connected Riemannian manifold not necessarily compact and let $\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{F}_q} = (\mathcal{F}_{q-1}, \mathcal{F}_{q-2}, \dots, \mathcal{F}_1)$ be a complete flag of riemannian extensions of a codimension q Riemannian foliation \mathcal{F}_q having T^q for transverse manifold and having h for bundlelike metric.

If the metric h is bundlelike for any foliation of $\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{F}_q} = (\mathcal{F}_{q-1}, \mathcal{F}_{q-2}, \dots, \mathcal{F}_1)$ then:

1) Each foliation \mathcal{F}_k is transversally parallelizable. The vector fields of parallelism \mathcal{F}_k -transverse $(\bar{Y}_s)_{0 \leq s \leq k-1}$ are orthogonal. For $s \neq 0$, each vector field \bar{Y}_s is an unitary section of $(T\mathcal{F}_{s+1})^\perp \cap (T\mathcal{F}_s)$ and \bar{Y}_0 is an unitary section of $(T\mathcal{F}_1)^\perp$ where $(T\mathcal{F}_k)^\perp$ is the orthogonal bundle of $T\mathcal{F}_k$. Additionally each vector field \bar{Y}_s directs the flow it generates.

2) The induced parallelism $(Y_s)_{0 \leq s \leq q-1}$ of T^q by $(\bar{Y}_s)_{0 \leq s \leq q-1}$ satisfies the equality $[Y_s, Y_r] = k_{sr} Y_s$ for $q-1 \geq s > r \geq 0$. Functions k_{sr} are called structure functions of $\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{F}_q}$.

Note that the parallelism $(Y_s)_{0 \leq s \leq q-1}$ of T^q will be said parallelism \mathcal{F}_q -transverse of Diallo associated to $\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{F}_q}$.

We note also, relatively to the transverse induced metric h_T by h on T^q , that vectors fields Y_s are unitary and orthogonal two by two.

We end these reminders by the following proposition being in [10]. It will allow us to construct local coordinate systems in the proof of the theorem 3.2 which is the main theorem of this paper in the following paragraph.

Proposition 2.4 Let $M \times N$ be the product of two manifolds M and N , let $X_i \in \mathcal{X}(M)$ and let $Y_j \in \mathcal{X}(N)$ then

$$[X_1^{h_1}, X_2^{h_1}] = [X_1, X_2]^{h_1}, [Y_1^{h_2}, Y_2^{h_2}] = [Y_1, Y_2]^{h_2} \text{ and } [X_1^{h_1}, Y_2^{h_2}] = 0$$

where

$$R^{h_1} : \begin{matrix} T_x M & \rightarrow & T_{(x,y)} M \times N \\ u & \mapsto & u^{h_1} = (u, 0) \end{matrix} \text{ and } R^{h_2} : \begin{matrix} T_x N & \rightarrow & T_{(x,y)} M \times N \\ w & \mapsto & w^{h_2} = (0, w) \end{matrix}.$$

III. MATRIX EXPRESSION OF A COMPLETE FLAG OF RIEMANNIAN EXTENSIONS ON A MANIFOLD

There is a link between transversally diagonal foliations and complete flags of extensions.

Specifically we have:

Proposition 3.1 Let \mathcal{F}_q be a codimension q transversally diagonal foliation on a manifold M .

Then \mathcal{F}_q admits a complete flag of extensions $\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{F}_q} = (\mathcal{F}_{q-1}, \mathcal{F}_{q-2}, \dots, \mathcal{F}_1)$.

Proof. Let $(U_i^q, f_i^q, T^q, \gamma_{ji}^q)_{i \in I}$ be a foliated cocycle defining the transversally diagonal foliation \mathcal{F}_q and let $((y_i^q, y_{q-1}^q, \dots, y_1^q))_{i \in I}$ be \mathcal{F}_q -transverse coordinates systems on opens $f_i^q(U_i^q)$ such as the Jacobian matrix $J_{\gamma_{ij}^q}$ is diagonal. Let also

$$P^{q_i}(x) = \bigoplus_{k=1}^{q-1} \left\langle \frac{\partial}{\partial y_k^i}(x) \right\rangle$$

be the integrable differential system on $f_i^q(U_i^q)$ and let \mathcal{U}_i^{q-1} be a leaf of this differential system.

It is clear that the foliation defined by the integrable differential system $x \rightarrow P^{q_i}(x)$ is transverse for the flow $\mathcal{F}_{\partial y_i^q}$ of $\frac{\partial}{\partial y_i^q}$.

That said, quits to reduce the "size" of opens U_i^q , it may be considered an open recovering $(U_i^q)_{i \in I}$ of M such as in each $f_i^q(U_i^q)$ the flow $\mathcal{F}_{\partial y_q^i}$ of $\frac{\partial}{\partial y_q^i}$ and the integrable differential system $x \rightarrow P^{q_i}(x)$ define simple foliations so that \mathcal{U}_i^{q-1} is diffeomorphic to quotient manifold of simple foliation $\mathcal{F}_{\partial y_q^i}$.

Let $\theta_i^q : f_i^q(U_i^q) \rightarrow \mathcal{U}_i^{q-1}$ be the projection on \mathcal{U}_i^{q-1} following the flow $\mathcal{F}_{\partial y_q^i}$ of $\frac{\partial}{\partial y_q^i}$.

The manifold T^q can be regarded as a disjoint union of $f_i^q(U_i^q)$. Therefore we can say that submersions θ_i^q defines a submersion θ^q on T^q whose restriction to each $f_i^q(U_i^q)$ is θ_i^q .

Note that $J_{\gamma_{ji}^q} = (\lambda_{jirs}^q)_{rs}$ being a invertible and diagonal matrix has all its diagonal elements non-zero.

As

$$\left(\gamma_{ji}^q\right)_* \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial y_q^i}\right) = (\lambda_{jirs}^q)_{rs} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial y_q^i}\right) = \lambda_{ji11}^q \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial y_q^j} \quad \text{and} \quad \lambda_{ji11}^q \neq 0$$

then the γ_{ji}^q preserve the fibers of the submersion θ^q .

It follows from this ([3], [5]) (cf. prop. 2.2) that the codimension q foliation \mathcal{F}_q have an codimension $q-1$ extension \mathcal{F}_{q-1} .

We set

$$f_i^{q-1} = \theta_i^q \circ f_i^q \quad \text{and} \quad T^{q-1} = \bigcup_{i \in I} \mathcal{U}_i^{q-1} \quad \text{and} \quad f_r^{q-1}(U_r^q \cap U_s^q) = \mathcal{V}_{rs}^{q-1}$$

for $U_r^q \cap U_s^q \neq \emptyset$.

As γ_{ji}^q preserves the fibers of the submersion θ^q then γ_{ji}^q induces a local diffeomorphism $\gamma_{ji}^{q-1} : \mathcal{V}_{ij}^{q-1} \rightarrow \mathcal{V}_{ji}^{q-1}$ and this diffeomorphism checks ([3], [5]) (cf def. 2.1) the equality

$$\gamma_{ji}^{q-1} \circ \theta_i^q = \theta_j^q \circ \gamma_{ji}^q.$$

We easily verify that $(U_i^q, f_i^{q-1}, T^{q-1}, \gamma_{ji}^{q-1})_{i \in I}$ is a foliated cocycle defining the extension \mathcal{F}_{q-1} of \mathcal{F}_q .

We now show that the foliation \mathcal{F}_{q-1} is transversaly diagonal.

We have $\left[\frac{\partial}{\partial y_q^i}, \frac{\partial}{\partial y_k^i}\right] = 0$ for all k . Hence the $q-1$ vectors fields $\frac{\partial}{\partial y_{q-1}^i}, \frac{\partial}{\partial y_{q-2}^i}, \dots, \frac{\partial}{\partial y_1^i}$ are foliated for the flow of $\frac{\partial}{\partial y_q^i}$. Therefore $(\theta^q)_* \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial y_k^i}\right)$ is a vectors field on \mathcal{U}_i^{q-1} for all $k \leq q-1$.

But the $q-1$ vector fields $\frac{\partial}{\partial y_{q-1}^i}, \frac{\partial}{\partial y_{q-2}^i}, \dots, \frac{\partial}{\partial y_1^i}$ are tangent to \mathcal{U}_i^{q-1} at any point in \mathcal{U}_i^{q-1} so for $k \neq q$ and $a \in f_i^q(U_i^q)$ we have $(\theta_i^q)_{*a} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial y_k^i}\right) = \frac{\partial}{\partial y_k^i}(\theta_i^q(a))$.

Therefore the $q-1$ vector fields $\frac{\partial}{\partial y_{q-1}^i}, \frac{\partial}{\partial y_{q-2}^i}, \dots, \frac{\partial}{\partial y_1^i}$ define a coordinates system $\mathcal{F}_{\partial y_q^i}$ -transverse on \mathcal{U}_i^{q-1} and this coordinates system is the restriction to \mathcal{U}_i^{q-1} of $(y_q^i, y_{q-1}^i, \dots, y_1^i)$. So it will be noted yet $(y_{q-1}^i, \dots, y_1^i)$.

For clarity in the presentation we note for following $(\theta_i^q)_* \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial y_k^i}\right) = \frac{\partial}{\partial y_k^i} / \mathcal{U}_i^{q-1}$.

Using equality $\gamma_{ji}^{q-1} \circ \theta_i^q = \theta_j^q \circ \gamma_{ji}^q$ we obtain for $k \neq q$,

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\gamma_{ji}^{q-1}\right)_* \frac{\partial}{\partial y_k^i / \mathcal{U}_i^{q-1}} &= \left(\gamma_{ji}^{q-1}\right)_* \circ (\theta_i^q)_* \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial y_k^i}\right) \\ &= (\theta_j^q)_* \circ \left(\gamma_{ji}^q\right)_* \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial y_k^i}\right) \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
 &= (\theta_j^q)_* \left(\lambda_{ij(q-k+1)(q-k+1)}^q \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial y_k^j} \right) \\
 &= \lambda_{ij(q-k+1)(q-k+1)}^q (\theta_j^q)_* \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial y_k^j} \right) \\
 &= \lambda_{ij(q-k+1)(q-k+1)}^q \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial y_k^j / \mathcal{U}_j^{q-1}}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus the foliation \mathcal{F}_{q-1} is transversally diagonal.
Before closing we note that equality

$$\gamma_{ji}^{q-1} \circ \theta_i^q = \theta_j^q \circ \gamma_{ji}^q \text{ show that } J_{\gamma_{ji}^{q-1}} \cdot J_{\theta_i^q} = J_{\theta_j^q} \cdot J_{\gamma_{ji}^q}$$

where $J_{\theta_i^q}$ is the Jacobian matrix of θ_i^q . But

$$J_{\theta_i^q} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & \dots & \dots & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \dots & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & \dots & : \\ : & : & 0 & . & . & : \\ : & : & : & . & . & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

so $J_{\gamma_{ij}^{q-1}}$ is obtained by removing the first line and the first collonne of $J_{\gamma_{ij}^q}$.

We are constructing $\mathcal{F}_{q-2}, \mathcal{F}_{q-3}, \dots, \mathcal{F}_1$ using the same technical of construction of \mathcal{F}_{q-1} .

We note that each foliation \mathcal{F}_k will be defined by $(U_i^q, f_i^k, T^k, \gamma_{ji}^k)_{i \in I}$ a foliated cocycle where θ_i^k is defined in the same way as θ_i^q , $f_i^{k-1} = \theta_i^k \circ f_i^k$, $T^k = \bigcup_{i \in I} \mathcal{U}_i^k$ with \mathcal{U}_i^k defined in the same way as \mathcal{U}_i^{q-1} and $\gamma_{ji}^{k-1} \circ \theta_i^k = \theta_j^k \circ \gamma_{ji}^k$.

We note that if the transversally diagonal foliation \mathcal{F}_q is Riemannian relatively to a transverse metric h_T and if local vector fields $\frac{\partial}{\partial y_k^i}$ are Killing vector fields for h_T for all i and all k then the foliations of complete flag of extensions $\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{F}_q} = (\mathcal{F}_{q-1}, \mathcal{F}_{q-2}, \dots, \mathcal{F}_1)$ are Riemannian transversally diagonal and there existe a common metric bundlelike for any foliation \mathcal{F}_k . Indeed in this case the submersions θ_i^k are Riemannian submersions for all i and all k . And, the equality $\gamma_{ji}^{k-1} \circ \theta_i^k = \theta_j^k \circ \gamma_{ji}^k$ implies that γ_{ji}^{k-1} is a local isometry once γ_{ji}^k is a local isometry.

Under certain conditions specified in Theorem 3.2, the previous proposal admits a reciprocal.

In the proof of the following result is given matrix expression of a complete flag of Riemannian extensions of a Riemannian foliation .

Theorem 3.2 Let \mathcal{F}_q be a codimension q Riemannian foliation on a connected manifold M and h a metric \mathcal{F}_q -bundlelike on M .

If \mathcal{F}_q admits a complete flag of Riemannian extensions $\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{F}_q} = (\mathcal{F}_{q-1}, \dots, \mathcal{F}_1)$ such as the métric h is bundlelike for any Riemannian foliation \mathcal{F}_k then each foliation \mathcal{F}_k is Riemannian transversally diagonal.

Proof. We assume that the foliation \mathcal{F}_q admits a complete flag of Riemannian extensions $\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{F}_q} = (\mathcal{F}_{q-1}, \mathcal{F}_{q-2}, \dots, \mathcal{F}_1)$ such as the metric h is bundlelike for any Riemannian foliation \mathcal{F}_k .

We denote by T^q a transverse manifold of \mathcal{F}_q .

According to the theorem 2.3 each foliation \mathcal{F}_k is transversally parallelizable. The vector fields of \mathcal{F}_k -transverse parallelism $(\bar{Y}_s)_{0 \leq s \leq k-1}$ are orthogonal. For $s \neq 0$, each vector fields \bar{Y}_s is an unitary section of $(T\mathcal{F}_{s+1})^\perp \cap (T\mathcal{F}_s)$ and \bar{Y}_0 is an unitary section of $(T\mathcal{F}_1)^\perp$ where $(T\mathcal{F}_1)^\perp$ is the orthogonal bundle of $T\mathcal{F}_1$. Additionally each vector field \bar{Y}_s directs the flow it generates and the induced parallelism $(Y_s)_{0 \leq s \leq q-1}$ of T^q by $(\bar{Y}_s)_{0 \leq s \leq q-1}$ satisfies the equality $[Y_s, Y_r] = k_{sr}Y_s$ for $q-1 \geq s > r \geq 0$.

We have $T(T^q) = \bigoplus_{s=0}^{q-1} \langle Y_s \rangle$ where $T(T^q)$ is the tangent bundle of T^q and $\langle Y_s \rangle$ is the tangent bundle of flow of Y_s .

The differential system

$$S^k(x) = \bigoplus_{\substack{s=0 \\ s \neq k}}^{q-1} \langle Y_s(x) \rangle$$

is integrable because $[Y_s, Y_r] = k_{sr}Y_s$ for $s > r$. It then defines a foliation \mathcal{S}_k .

For $k \neq r$, one checks easily that \mathcal{S}_r is an extension of flow \mathcal{F}_{Y_k} of unitary vector field Y_k . On the other side \mathcal{F}_{Y_k} is transverse for the foliation \mathcal{S}_k because for all $x \in T^q$, $T_x(T^q) = T_x\mathcal{S}_k \oplus \langle Y_k(x) \rangle$.

That said, for all $x_i \in T^q$ there exists an open V_i of T^q containing x_i , distinguished for each foliation \mathcal{S}_k and for each flow \mathcal{F}_{Y_k} .

Let s_k^i be a submersion defining \mathcal{S}_k on V_i .

As \mathcal{F}_{Y_k} is transverse to the foliation \mathcal{S}_k and $\dim(\mathcal{F}_{Y_k}) = \text{codim}(\mathcal{S}_k)$ then the open V_i can be chosen such that for all maximal plaques (for the natural relation of inclusion) $L_{Y_k}^i$ and $P_{Y_k}^i$ for \mathcal{F}_{Y_k} contained in V_i we have $s_k^i(L_{Y_k}^i) = s_k^i(V_i) = s_k^i(P_{Y_k}^i)$.

Thus, we can assume that $s_k^i(V_i) = L_{Y_k}^i$ because $s_k^i(L_{Y_k}^i)$ is diffeomorphic to $L_{Y_k}^i$.

It follows from the foregoing that the application $\mu^i : V_i \rightarrow L_{Y_{q-1}}^i \times \dots \times L_{Y_0}^i$ such as for all $x \in V_i$, $\mu^i(x) = (s_{q-1}^i(x), s_{q-1}^i(x), \dots, s_0^i(x))$ is a diffeomorphism.

It is easy to verify that the leaves of $\left((\mu^i)^{-1}\right)^* (\mathcal{F}_{Y_k/V_i})$ are of the form $\{p\} \times L_{Y_k}^i \times \{p'\}$ where $p \in L_{Y_{q-1}}^i \times L_{Y_{q-2}}^i \times \dots \times L_{Y_{k+1}}^i$ and $p' \in L_{Y_{k-1}}^i \times L_{Y_{k-2}}^i \times \dots \times L_{Y_0}^i$.

This being, is considered in what follows a recovery $(U_i)_{i \in I}$ of opens of the manifold M such as each open U_i is \mathcal{F}_k -distinguished for each k and if $(U_i, f_i^q, T^q, \gamma_{ji}^q)_{i \in I}$ is a foliated cocycle defining \mathcal{F}_q then there exists a diffeomorphism $\mu_q^i : f_i^q(U_i) \rightarrow L_{Y_{q-1}}^i \times L_{Y_{q-2}}^i \times \dots \times L_{Y_0}^i$ such as the leaves of $\left((\mu_q^i)^{-1}\right)^* (\mathcal{F}_{Y_k/V_i})$ are of the form $\{p\} \times L_{Y_k}^i \times \{p'\}$ where $p \in L_{Y_{q-1}}^i \times L_{Y_{q-2}}^i \times \dots \times L_{Y_{k+1}}^i$ and $p' \in L_{Y_{k-1}}^i \times L_{Y_{k-2}}^i \times \dots \times L_{Y_0}^i$.

Let h_T be the metric \mathcal{F}_q -transverse associated to the metric \mathcal{F}_q -bundlelike h and let $Y_{L_k}^i$ be the unitary vector field tangent to the leaf $L_{Y_k}^i$ induced by the unitary vector field Y_k of \mathcal{F}_q -transverse parallelism $(Y_s)_{0 \leq s \leq q-1}$ of Diallo of T^q .

We note in passing that the vector fields $Y_{L_k}^i$ are orthogonal two by two relatively to the metric h_T .

We now consider $a = (a_{q-1}^i, \dots, a_0^i) \in L_{Y_{q-1}}^i \times \dots \times L_{Y_0}^i$.

We set

$$\begin{aligned} R_{a_k}^{h_k} : T_{a_k}^i L_{Y_k}^i &\rightarrow T_{a_{q-1}}^i L_{Y_{q-1}}^i \times \dots \times T_{a_0}^i L_{Y_0}^i \\ X_{a_k}^i &\mapsto (X_{a_k}^i)_{a^q} = (0_{a_{q-1}}^i, \dots, 0_{a_{k+1}}^i, X_{a_k}^i, 0_{a_{k-1}}^i, \dots, 0_{a_0}^i) \end{aligned}$$

where $0_{a_t^i}$ is the null vector of $T_{a_t^i}L_{Y_t}$.

Let $\mathcal{X}(L_{Y_k}^i)$ be the Lie algebra of vector fields tangent to $L_{Y_k}^i$ and let $X_k^i \in \mathcal{X}(L_{Y_k}^i)$.

By varying $a_k^i \in L_{Y_k}^i$, the lifted $R_{a_k^i}^{h_k}((X_k^i)_{a_k^i})$ of $(X_k^i)_{a_k^i}$ in $TL_{Y_{q-1}}^i \times \dots \times TL_{Y_0}^i$ define a vector field on $L_{Y_{q-1}}^i \times \dots \times L_{Y_0}^i$. We will note it by $(X_k^i)^{h_k}$. So, we have $(X_k^i)_a^{h_k} = (X_k^i)^{h_k}(a) = R_a^{h_k}((X_k^i)_{a_k^i})$.

Is shown in [10] (cf.prop.2.4) that for $X_k^i \in \mathcal{X}(L_{Y_k}^i)$ and $X_s^i \in \mathcal{X}(L_{Y_s}^i)$ we have $[(Y_k^i)^{h_k}, (Y_s^i)^{h_s}] = 0$ for $k \neq s$. It follows from this, $Y_{L_r}^i$ being the unitary vector field on $L_{Y_r}^i$ induced by Y_r of \mathcal{F}_q -transverse parallelism $(Y_s)_{0 \leq s \leq q-1}$ of Diallo, that $[(Y_{L_k}^i)^{h_k}, (Y_{L_s}^i)^{h_s}] = 0$ for $k \neq s$.

Thus, $\mu_q^i : f_i^q(U_i) \rightarrow L_{Y_{q-1}}^i \times L_{Y_{q-2}}^i \times \dots \times L_{Y_0}^i$ being a diffeomorphism, the vector fields $((\mu_q^i)^{-1})^*((Y_{L_s}^i)^{h_s})$ define on $f_i^q(U_i)$ a coordinated system \mathcal{F}_q -transverse.

In the following $((\mu_q^i)^{-1})^*((Y_{L_s}^i)^{h_s})$ is noted $\frac{\partial}{\partial y_s^i}$.

We note in passing that if we denote by Y_s^i the restriction of Y_s at $f_i^q(U_i)$ and $p_k^i : L_{Y_{q-1}}^i \times L_{Y_{q-2}}^i \times \dots \times L_{Y_0}^i \rightarrow L_{Y_k}^i$ the projection on $L_{Y_k}^i$ then:

1) We have $(p_k^i)_*((Y_k^i)^{h_k}) = Y_{L_k}^i$ and $(p_k^i)_*((Y_s^i)^{h_s}) = 0$ for $s \neq k$.

2) The projections $(p_s^i)_*$ not being necessarily Riemannian submersions. Therefore the vector fields $(Y_s^i)^{h_s}$ are not necessarily unitary (relatively to the metric $((\mu_q^i)^{-1})^*h_T$ on the product $L_{Y_{q-1}}^i \times \dots \times L_{Y_0}^i$) despite the fact that $Y_{L_s}^i$ is unitary on $L_{Y_s}^i$.

3) For all $p \in L_{Y_{q-1}}^i \times \dots \times L_{Y_{s+1}}^i$ and $p' \in L_{Y_{s-1}}^i \times \dots \times L_{Y_0}^i$ we have $(\mu_q^i)_*(Y_s^i)$ which is tangent to $\{p\} \times L_{Y_s}^i \times \{p'\}$. Hence the vector fields $(Y_{L_s}^i)^{h_s}$ and $(\mu_q^i)_*(Y_s^i)$ are collinear. And that implies that $\frac{\partial}{\partial y_s^i}$ and Y_s^i are also collinear.

4) Y_s^i coincides with $\frac{\partial}{\partial y_s^i}$ on $L_{Y_s}^i$ however, the values of these two fields on $V_i^q \setminus L_{Y_s}^i$ are not necessarily identical where $f_i^q(U_i) = V_i^q$.

One checks easily that the vector fields $\frac{\partial}{\partial y_s^i}$ on $f_i^q(U_i) = V_i^q$ are orthogonal two by two.

Let $\mathcal{F}_k^i = \mathcal{F}_k/U_i$ and $\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{F}_q^i} = (\mathcal{F}_{q-1}^i, \mathcal{F}_{q-2}^i, \dots, \mathcal{F}_1^i)$ the restriction of $\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{F}_q} = (\mathcal{F}_{q-1}, \mathcal{F}_{q-2}, \dots, \mathcal{F}_1)$ at the open U_i .

The flag $\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{F}_q^i} = (\mathcal{F}_{q-1}^i, \mathcal{F}_{q-2}^i, \dots, \mathcal{F}_1^i)$ is projected on $f_i^q(U_i) = V_i^q$ following the leaves of \mathcal{F}_q^i in a complete Riemannian flag $\overline{\mathcal{D}}_i = (\overline{\mathcal{F}}_1^i, \overline{\mathcal{F}}_2^i, \dots, \overline{\mathcal{F}}_{q-1}^i)$ where $\overline{\mathcal{F}}_k^i = f_i^q(\mathcal{F}_{q-k}^i)$.

We have $T\overline{\mathcal{F}}_k^i = \bigoplus_{s=k}^{q-1} \langle Y_s^i \rangle = \bigoplus_{s=k}^{q-1} \langle \frac{\partial}{\partial y_s^i} \rangle$. Thus on each open U_i the submersion $p_{k-1}^{iq} \circ \mu_q^i \circ f_i^q$ defines the foliation \mathcal{F}_k^i where p_{k-1}^{iq} is the projection of $L_{Y_{q-1}}^i \times \dots \times L_{Y_0}^i$ on $L_{Y_{k-1}}^i \times L_{Y_{k-2}}^i \times \dots \times L_{Y_0}^i$.

Let θ_k^{iq} be the Riemannian bond between the Riemannian foliations \mathcal{F}_q^i and \mathcal{F}_k^i , let θ_k^{k-1} be the Riemannian bond between the Riemannian foliations \mathcal{F}_k^i and \mathcal{F}_{k-1}^i and let $p_{k-2}^{i(k-1)}$ be the projection of $L_{Y_{k-1}}^i \times L_{Y_{k-2}}^i \times \dots \times L_{Y_0}^i$ on $L_{Y_{k-2}}^i \times \dots \times L_{Y_0}^i$.

We note [3] that fibers of θ_i^{qk} are leaves of foliation $\overline{\mathcal{F}}_k$ and fibers of θ_i^{k-1} are leaves of flow $\mathcal{F}_{\partial y_{k-1}^i}$ of $\frac{\partial}{\partial y_{k-1}^i}$.

For all s , it follows from the above that there exists a diffeomorphism $\mu_s^i : f_i^s(U_i) \rightarrow L_{Y_{s-1}}^i \times L_{Y_{s-2}}^i \times \dots \times L_{Y_0}^i$ making the following diagram commutative

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} U_i & \xrightarrow{f_i^q} & f_i^q(U_i) & \xrightarrow{\mu_q^i} & L_{Y_{q-1}}^i \times \dots \times L_{Y_0}^i & & \\ Id \downarrow & & \downarrow \theta_i^{qk} & & \downarrow p_{k-1}^{iq} & & \\ U_i & \xrightarrow{f_i^k} & f_i^k(U_i) & \xrightarrow{\mu_k^i} & L_{Y_{k-1}}^i \times \dots \times L_{Y_0}^i & (*) & \\ Id \downarrow & & \downarrow \theta_i^{k-1} & & \downarrow p_{k-2}^{i(k-1)} & & \\ U_i & \xrightarrow{f_i^{k-1}} & f_i^{k-1}(U_i) & \xrightarrow{\mu_{k-1}^i} & L_{Y_{k-2}}^i \times \dots \times L_{Y_0}^i & & \end{array}$$

Let $a_k^i \in L_{Y_{q-1}}^i \times \dots \times L_{Y_k}^i$ and $\tau_{a_k^i}$ the immersion of $L_{Y_{k-1}}^i \times \dots \times L_{Y_0}^i$ in $L_{Y_{q-1}}^i \times \dots \times L_{Y_0}^i$ such as $\tau_{a_k^i}(b) = a_k^i \times b$ for all $b \in L_{Y_{k-1}}^i \times \dots \times L_{Y_0}^i$.

We have $(\mu_q^i)^{-1} \circ \tau_{a_k^i} \circ \mu_k^i$ which is an immersion of $f_i^k(U_i)$ in $f_i^q(U_i)$.

Thus, quits to replace f_i^k by $(\mu_q^i)^{-1} \circ \tau_{a_k^i} \circ \mu_k^i \circ f_i^k$, we can suppose that $f_i^k(U_i)$ is an immersed submanifold of $f_i^q(U_i)$ and this submanifold is a leaf of differential integrable system $P^k(x) = \bigoplus_{s=0}^{k-1} \langle Y_s^i(x) \rangle = \bigoplus_{s=0}^{k-1} \langle \frac{\partial}{\partial y_s^i}(x) \rangle$ on $f_i^q(U_i)$.

Using the same arguments one can assume that $f_i^1(U_i) \subset f_i^2(U_i) \subset \dots \subset f_i^q(U_i)$.

That said, it is assumed in what follows that $f_i^1(U_i) \subset f_i^2(U_i) \subset \dots \subset f_i^q(U_i)$ and $f_i^k(U_i)$ is a leaf of differential integrable system $x \rightarrow P^k(x)$ on $f_i^q(U_i)$.

We have $\left[\frac{\partial}{\partial y_s^i}, \frac{\partial}{\partial y_k^i} \right] = 0$ for all (k, s) and $T\overline{\mathcal{F}}_k^i = \bigoplus_{s=k}^{q-1} \langle \frac{\partial}{\partial y_s^i} \rangle$. Hence the vector fields $\frac{\partial}{\partial y_s^i}$ are foliate for the foliation $\overline{\mathcal{F}}_k^i$ for $s < k$. Therefore $\left(\theta_i^{qk} \right)_* \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial y_s^i} \right)$ is a vector field on $f_i^k(U_i)$ for all $s < k$ because θ_i^{qk} is the projection of $f_i^q(U_i)$ on $f_i^k(U_i)$ following the leaves of $\overline{\mathcal{F}}_k^i$.

But for $s < k$ the vector fields $\frac{\partial}{\partial y_s^i}$ are tangent to $f_i^k(U_i)$ at any point of $f_i^k(U_i)$ so for $s < k$ and $a \in f_i^q(U_i)$ we have $\left(\theta_i^{qk} \right)_{*a} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial y_s^i} \right) = \frac{\partial}{\partial y_s^i} \left(\theta_i^{qk}(a) \right)$.

Therefore for $s < k$ the vector fields $\frac{\partial}{\partial y_s^i}$ define a coordinate system $\overline{\mathcal{F}}_k^i$ -transverse on $f_i^k(U_i)$ and this coordinates system is the restriction of $(y_{q-1}^i, \dots, y_0^i)$ to $f_i^k(U_i)$. It will be noted therefore $(y_{k-1}^i, \dots, y_0^i)$.

We can write that $\left(\theta_i^{qk} \right) (y_{q-1}^i, \dots, y_0^i) = (y_{k-1}^i, \dots, y_0^i)$.

Using the diagram (*) it is easy to verify that $\theta_i^{q(k-1)} = \theta_i^{k-1} \circ \theta_i^{qk}$. Which causes that

$$\begin{aligned} \theta_i^{k-1} (y_{k-1}^i, y_{k-2}^i, \dots, y_0^i) &= \left(\theta_i^{k-1} \circ \theta_i^{qk} \right) (y_{q-1}^i, \dots, y_0^i) \\ &= \theta_i^{q(k-1)} (y_{q-1}^i, \dots, y_0^i) \\ &= (y_{k-2}^i, \dots, y_0^i) . \end{aligned}$$

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For $U_i \cap U_j \neq \emptyset$, we set:

$$\gamma_{ij}^k \left(y_{k-1}^j, y_{k-2}^j, \dots, y_0^j \right) = \left(\gamma_{k-1}^{ki}, \gamma_{k-2}^{ki}, \dots, \gamma_0^{ki} \right).$$

We have [3] the equality,

$$f_i^{k-1} = \theta_i^{k-1} \circ f_i^k \quad \text{and} \quad \gamma_{ij}^{k-1} \circ \theta_j^{k-1} = \theta_i^{k-1} \circ \gamma_{ij}^k$$

that is to say that the following diagram is commutative

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} U_i \cap U_j & \xrightarrow{f_j^k} & f_j^k(U_i \cap U_j) & \xrightarrow{\theta_j^{k-1}} & f_j^{k-1}(U_i \cap U_j) \\ Id_{U_i \cap U_j} \downarrow & & \downarrow \gamma_{ij}^k & & \downarrow \gamma_{ij}^{k-1} \\ U_i \cap U_j & \xrightarrow{f_i^k} & f_i^k(U_i \cap U_j) & \xrightarrow{\theta_i^{k-1}} & f_i^{k-1}(U_i \cap U_j) \end{array}.$$

From where the equality $\theta_i^{k-1} \left(y_{k-1}^i, y_{k-2}^i, \dots, y_0^i \right) = \left(y_{k-2}^i, \dots, y_0^i \right)$ causes that:

$$\begin{aligned} \gamma_{ij}^{k-1} \left(y_{k-2}^j, \dots, y_0^j \right) &= \gamma_{ij}^{k-1} \circ \theta_j^{k-1} \left(y_{k-1}^j, y_{k-2}^j, \dots, y_0^j \right) \\ &= \theta_i^{k-1} \circ \gamma_{ij}^k \left(y_{k-1}^j, y_{k-2}^j, \dots, y_0^j \right) \\ &= \theta_i^{k-1} \left(\gamma_{k-1}^{ki}, \gamma_{k-2}^{ki}, \dots, \gamma_0^{ki} \right) \\ &= \left(\gamma_{k-2}^{ki}, \dots, \gamma_0^{ki} \right) \end{aligned}$$

but

$$\gamma_{ij}^{k-1} \left(y_{k-2}^j, \dots, y_0^j \right) = \left(\gamma_{k-2}^{(k-1)i}, \dots, \gamma_0^{(k-1)i} \right) \quad \text{so} \quad \left(\gamma_{k-2}^{(k-1)i}, \dots, \gamma_0^{(k-1)i} \right) = \left(\gamma_{k-2}^{ki}, \dots, \gamma_0^{ki} \right).$$

Which implies $\gamma_r^{si} = \gamma_r^{ti}$ for all r, s and t .

We can set

$$\gamma_{ij}^k \left(y_{k-1}^j, y_{k-2}^j, \dots, y_0^j \right) = \left(\gamma_{k-1}^i, \gamma_{k-2}^i, \dots, \gamma_0^i \right).$$

The equality

$$\gamma_{ij}^{k-1} \left(y_{k-2}^j, \dots, y_0^j \right) = \left(\gamma_{k-2}^{ki}, \dots, \gamma_0^{ki} \right) = \left(\gamma_{k-1}^i, \gamma_{k-2}^i, \dots, \gamma_0^i \right)$$

show that

$$\gamma_{ij}^k \left(y_{k-1}^j, y_{k-2}^j, \dots, y_0^j \right) = \left(\gamma_{k-1}^i, \gamma_{k-2}^i, \dots, \gamma_0^i \right)$$

with

$$\left(\gamma_{k-s-1}^i, \gamma_{k-s-2}^i, \dots, \gamma_0^i \right) = \gamma_{ij}^{k-s} \left(y_{k-s-1}^j, \dots, y_0^j \right) \quad \text{for } s \in \{1, \dots, k-1\}.$$

It follows from the foregoing that the Jacobian matrix $J_{\gamma_{ij}^k}$ of γ_{ij}^k satisfies the equality:

$$J_{\gamma_{ij}^k} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial \gamma_{k-1}^i}{\partial y_{k-1}^j} & \frac{\partial \gamma_{k-1}^i}{\partial y_{k-2}^j} & \dots & \dots & \dots & \frac{\partial \gamma_{k-1}^i}{\partial y_0^j} \\ 0 & \frac{\partial \gamma_{k-2}^i}{\partial y_{k-2}^j} & \frac{\partial \gamma_{k-2}^i}{\partial y_{k-3}^j} & \dots & \dots & \frac{\partial \gamma_{k-2}^i}{\partial y_0^j} \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{\partial \gamma_{k-3}^i}{\partial y_{k-3}^j} & \dots & \dots & \frac{\partial \gamma_{k-3}^i}{\partial y_0^j} \\ \vdots & \vdots & 0 & \cdot & \cdot & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \cdot & \cdot & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & \frac{\partial \gamma_0^i}{\partial y_0^j} \end{pmatrix}.$$

Therefore

$$\left(\gamma_{ij}^k\right)_* \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial y_{k-r}^j}\right) = \sum_{t=1}^r \frac{\partial \gamma_{k-t}^i}{\partial y_{k-r}^j} \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial y_{k-t}^i}.$$

The matrix $J_{\gamma_{ij}^k}$ is invertible and triangular. From where all diagonal element of $J_{\gamma_{ij}^k}$ is nonzero that is to say that $\frac{\partial \gamma_{k-r}^i}{\partial y_{k-r}^j} \neq 0$ for all r .

As γ_{ij}^k is an isometric for the transverse metric h_T and as the vector fields $\frac{\partial}{\partial y_{k-1}^j}$ are orthogonal two by two then

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= h_T \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial y_{k-1}^j}, \frac{\partial}{\partial y_{k-2}^j} \right) \\ &= h_T \left(\left(\gamma_{ij}^k\right)_* \frac{\partial}{\partial y_{k-1}^j}, \left(\gamma_{ij}^k\right)_* \frac{\partial}{\partial y_{k-2}^j} \right) \\ &= \frac{\partial \gamma_{k-1}^i}{\partial y_{k-2}^j} \cdot \frac{\partial \gamma_{k-1}^i}{\partial y_{k-1}^j} h_T \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial y_{k-1}^i}, \frac{\partial}{\partial y_{k-1}^i} \right). \end{aligned}$$

But

$$\frac{\partial \gamma_{k-1}^i}{\partial y_{k-1}^j} \neq 0 \text{ and } h_T \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial y_{k-1}^i}, \frac{\partial}{\partial y_{k-1}^i} \right) \neq 0 \text{ so } \frac{\partial \gamma_{k-1}^i}{\partial y_{k-2}^j} = 0.$$

Let $r_0 \in \{1, 2, \dots, k\}$. Suppose by recurrence that for all $r \leq r_0$ and all $s < r$, $\frac{\partial \gamma_{k-s}^i}{\partial y_{k-r}^j} = 0$.

We have for all $s < r_0 + 1$

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= h_T \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial y_{k-s}^j}, \frac{\partial}{\partial y_{k-(r_0+1)}^j} \right) \\ &= h_T \left(\left(\gamma_{ij}^k\right)_* \frac{\partial}{\partial y_{k-s}^j}, \left(\gamma_{ij}^k\right)_* \frac{\partial}{\partial y_{k-(r_0+1)}^j} \right) \\ &= h_T \left(\frac{\partial \gamma_{k-s}^i}{\partial y_{k-s}^j} \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial y_{k-s}^i}, \sum_{t=1}^{r_0+1} \frac{\partial \gamma_{k-t}^i}{\partial y_{k-(r_0+1)}^j} \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial y_{k-t}^i} \right) \\ &= \frac{\partial \gamma_{k-s}^i}{\partial y_{k-(r_0+1)}^j} \cdot \frac{\partial \gamma_{k-s}^i}{\partial y_{k-s}^j} \cdot h \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial y_{k-s}^i}, \frac{\partial}{\partial y_{k-s}^i} \right). \end{aligned}$$

But

$$\frac{\partial \gamma_{k-s}^i}{\partial y_{k-s}^j} \neq 0 \text{ and } h_T \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial y_{k-s}^i}, \frac{\partial}{\partial y_{k-s}^i} \right) \neq 0$$

so

$$\frac{\partial \gamma_{k-s}^i}{\partial y_{k-(r_0+1)}^j} = 0 \text{ for all } s < r_0 + 1.$$

In conclusion

$$\frac{\partial \gamma_{k-s}^i}{\partial y_{k-r}^j} = 0 \text{ for all } s < r \text{ and } \frac{\partial \gamma_{k-r}^i}{\partial y_{k-r}^j} \neq 0 \text{ for all } r.$$

It follows from the foregoing that

$$J\gamma_{ij}^k = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial \gamma_{k-1}^i}{\partial y_{k-1}^j} & 0 & \dots & \dots & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{\partial \gamma_{k-2}^i}{\partial y_{k-2}^j} & 0 & \dots & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{\partial \gamma_{k-3}^i}{\partial y_{k-3}^j} & 0 & \dots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & 0 & \cdot & \cdot & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \cdot & \cdot & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & \frac{\partial \gamma_0^i}{\partial y_0^j} \end{pmatrix} \text{ with } \frac{\partial \gamma_{k-r}^i}{\partial y_{k-r}^j} \neq 0 \text{ for all } r.$$

Thus \mathcal{F}_k is Riemannian transversely diagonal.

We will say that the covering of opens $(U_i)_{i \in I}$ of the manifold M and the local \mathcal{F}_k -transverse coordinates system $((y_{k-1}^i, \dots, y_0^i))_{i \in I}$ are compatible with the flag $\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{F}_q}$.

We show in [4] that if \mathcal{F}_q is a foliation with dense leaves then the local compatible \mathcal{F}_k -transverse coordinates system with $\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{F}_q}$ is a global \mathcal{F}_k -transverse coordinates system on any \mathcal{F}_k -transverse manifold. And, in this case it is not necessary to specify in the previous theorem the fact that the \mathcal{F}_q -bundlelike metric h is bundlelike for each foliation \mathcal{F}_k of $\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{F}_q}$ for $k < q$.

We note that for any \mathcal{F}_k -transverse manifold T^k there exists k foliations $\mathcal{H}_1, \mathcal{H}_2, \dots, \mathcal{H}_k$ and $\dim(\mathcal{H}_r) = 1$ for each r (just write $\mathcal{H}_{r+1} = \mathcal{F}_{Y_r}$ where \mathcal{F}_{Y_r} is the flow of unitary field Y_r) such as:

i) $T(T^k) = \bigoplus_{r=0}^k T\mathcal{H}_r$ and each foliation \mathcal{H}_r is invariant by the changers γ_{ij}^k of \mathcal{F}_k -transverse coordinates,

ii) the differential system $S^{(k,t)}(x) = \bigoplus_{r=1}^k T_x \mathcal{H}_r$ is integrable.

We say that a n dimension manifold N is *almost produces p -type multi-foliate* if and only if there exists p foliations $\mathcal{H}_1, \mathcal{H}_2, \dots, \mathcal{H}_p$ where $p \leq n$ such as $TN = \bigoplus_{r=0}^k T\mathcal{H}_r$ and the differential system $S^{(k,t)}(x) = \bigoplus_{r=1}^k T_x \mathcal{H}_r$ is integrable.

A such manifold is locally diffeomorphic to $L_1 \times L_2 \times \dots \times L_p$ where L_r is a plaque of \mathcal{H}_r (Cf. proof of theorem 3.2).

That said, we now consider a codimension q foliation \mathcal{F} having N^q for \mathcal{F} -transverse manifold.

The proofs of proposition 3.1 and of theorem 3.2 allow us to see that \mathcal{F} is transversely diagonal if and only if N^q is *almost produces n -type multi-foliate* and the foliations \mathcal{H}_r allowing the decomposition of TN^q are invariant by the changers γ_{ij} of \mathcal{F} -transverse coordinates.

In the case where the \mathcal{F} -transverse manifold N^q is *almost produces p -type multi-foliate* with $p < n$, if the foliations \mathcal{H}_r allowing the decomposition of TN^q are invariant by the changers γ_{ij} of \mathcal{F} -transverse coordinates then using Proposition 2.4 we can construct as in the proof of Theorem 3.2 a family of local \mathcal{F} -transverse coordinates system $((y_n^i, \dots, y_1^i))_{i \in I}$ on N^q and following this family we have

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$$J_{\gamma_{ij}} = \begin{pmatrix} J_{ij}^1 & 0 & \dots & \dots & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & J_{ij}^2 & 0 & \dots & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & . & 0 & \dots & : \\ : & : & 0 & . & . & : \\ : & : & : & . & . & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & J_{ij}^p \end{pmatrix}$$

where $J_{\gamma_{ij}}$ is the Jacobian matrix of γ_{ij} and J_{ij}^r is a square matrix of order n_r where $n_r = \dim(\mathcal{H}_r)$.

We say in this case that the foliation \mathcal{F} is *transversaly diagonal by block*.

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