

2-Type Surfaces of Constant Curvature in S^n

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§0. Introduction.

Let M be a compact C^∞ -Riemannian manifold, $C^\infty(M)$ the space of all smooth functions on M , and Δ the Laplacian on M . Then Δ is a self-adjoint elliptic differential operator acting on $C^\infty(M)$, which has an infinite discrete sequence of eigenvalues:

$$\text{Spec}(M) = \{0 = \lambda_0 < \lambda_1 < \lambda_2 < \cdots < \lambda_k < \cdots \uparrow \infty\}.$$

Let $V_k = V_k(M)$ be the eigenspace of Δ corresponding to the k -th eigenvalue λ_k . Then V_k is finite-dimensional. We define an inner product $(,)$ on $C^\infty(M)$ by

$$(f, g) = \int_M fg \, dV,$$

where dV denotes the volume element on M . Then $\sum_{i=0}^{\infty} V_i$ is dense in $C^\infty(M)$ and the decomposition is orthogonal with respect to the inner product $(,)$. Thus we have

$$C^\infty(M) = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} V_i(M) \quad (\text{in } L^2\text{-sense}).$$

Since M is compact, V_0 is the set of all constant functions which is 1-dimensional.

Let \tilde{M} be another compact C^∞ -Riemannian manifold, and assume that M is a submanifold of \tilde{M} which is immersed by an isometric immersion φ . We have the decomposition

$$C^\infty(\tilde{M}) = \sum_{s=0}^{\infty} V_s(\tilde{M}) \quad (\text{in } L^2\text{-sense})$$

with respect to the Laplacian $\Delta_{\tilde{M}}$ of \tilde{M} . We denote by φ^* the pull-back,

i.e., φ^* is an R -linear map of $C^\infty(\tilde{M})$ into $C^\infty(M)$ such that

$$(\varphi^*F)(p) = F(\varphi(p)), \quad p \in M, \quad F \in C^\infty(\tilde{M}).$$

For each integer s , $\varphi^*V_s(\tilde{M})$ is a subspace of $C^\infty(M)$. Then we have a decomposition

$$\varphi^*V_s(\tilde{M}) \subset \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} W_i, \quad W_i = W_i(M, \tilde{M}, \varphi, s) \subset V_i(M),$$

where each W_i is the minimal subspace of $V_i(M)$ such that $\sum_{i=0}^{\infty} W_i$ contains $\varphi^*V_s(\tilde{M})$.

We say that φ (or M) is of *finite-type with respect to $V_s(\tilde{M})$* , if $\#\{t \geq 1 \mid W_t \neq (0)\}$ is finite, and if it is not finite, we say that φ (or M) is of *infinite-type with respect to $V_s(\tilde{M})$* . If $\#\{t \geq 1 \mid W_t \neq (0)\}$ is equal to k , then we say that φ (or M) is of *k -type with respect to $V_s(\tilde{M})$* . Furthermore, we say that φ (or M) is *mass-symmetric with respect to $V_s(\tilde{M})$* if $W_0 = (0)$.

In this paper, we consider the case where \tilde{M} is an n -sphere $S^n(1)$ of constant curvature 1, and $s=1$. So we omit the terms "with respect to $V_1(S^n)$ " in conditions for immersions of M into S^n .

These definitions are compatible with those in B. Y. Chen [8, Chap. 6]. In [8], he shows that a minimal immersion into S^n is mass-symmetric. By T. Takahashi [14]'s result, a mass-symmetric 1-type immersion into $S^n(1)$ is minimal. Moreover, a 1-type immersion into $S^n(1)$ is either a minimal immersion into $S^n(1)$ or a minimal immersion into a small hypersphere of $S^n(1)$.

In this sense, it seems that the next simplest condition for immersions into $S^n(1)$ is "mass-symmetric 2-type". We therefore study mass-symmetric 2-type immersions of compact surfaces into $S^n(1)$ in this paper. First, B. Y. Chen [8, p. 279] shows that the Riemannian product of two plane circles of suitable different radii is the only mass-symmetric 2-type surface in S^3 . M. Barros and O. J. Garay [3] show that this result holds without the assumption of mass-symmetry. M. Barros and B. Y. Chen [1] show that there exist no mass-symmetric 2-type surfaces which lie fully in $S^4(1)$. Other results and examples are found in [1] and [8].

The purpose of this paper is to give the classification of mass-symmetric 2-type immersions of surfaces of constant curvature into $S^n(1)$.

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§1. Statement of results.

Let M be an n -dimensional compact C^∞ -Riemannian manifold, $C^\infty(M)$ the space of all smooth functions on M , and Δ the Laplacian on M . In a natural manner, Δ can act on \mathbf{R}^m -valued functions on M . We assume that M is a submanifold of a unit N -sphere $S^N(1)$ centered at the origin, which is immersed by an isometric immersion f . We denote by $\iota: S^N \rightarrow E^{N+1}$ the standard imbedding. If f is of k -type, then the E^{N+1} -valued function $F = \iota \circ f$ has the decomposition

$$(1.1) \quad F = F_0 + \sum_{j=1}^k F_j, \quad \Delta F_j = \lambda_j F_j, \quad F_j \neq 0, \quad j = 1, \dots, k, \\ 0 < \lambda_1 < \lambda_2 < \dots < \lambda_k,$$

where F_0 is a constant map. In this case, we note that λ_j denotes some positive eigenvalue of Δ which is not necessarily the j -th eigenvalue. f is mass-symmetric if and only if $F_0 = 0$.

Even if M is not compact, we say that f (or M) is of k -type if f has the decomposition (1.1), and that f (or M) is mass-symmetric if $F_0 = 0$ in (1.1).

Let f_1 and f_2 be isometric immersions of M into E^n and $E^{n'}$ respectively. Then the map $f: M \rightarrow E^{n+n'}$; $p \mapsto (\alpha f_1(p), \beta f_2(p))$, $\alpha^2 + \beta^2 = 1$ is an isometric immersion. We say that f is a diagonal sum of f_1 and f_2 . If f_1 and f_2 are minimal immersions of M into $S^n \subset E^{n+1}$ and $S^{n'} \subset E^{n'+1}$ respectively, then a diagonal sum of f_1 and f_2 is a mass-symmetric immersion of M into $S^{n+n'+1}$ which is of 1 or 2-type.

We obtain the following main results.

THEOREM A. *Let $f: M^2(K) \rightarrow S^N(1)$ be a mass-symmetric 2-type immersion of a surface $M^2(K)$ of constant positive curvature K into $S^N(1)$. Then f is a diagonal sum of two different standard minimal immersions of $M^2(K)$ into spheres.*

THEOREM B. *There exist no mass-symmetric 2-type immersions of a surface of constant negative curvature into a sphere.*

REMARK. R. L. Bryant [5] shows that there exist no minimal immersions of a surface of constant negative curvature into a sphere.

For the case of $K=0$, we have the following.

THEOREM C. *Let D be a small disk about the origin in the Euclidean plane E^2 and $f: D \rightarrow S^N(1)$ be a mass-symmetric 2-type full immersion. Then*

- (1) N is odd,
 (2) f extends uniquely to a mass-symmetric 2-type immersion of E^2 into $S^N(1)$,
 (3) f can be written in terms of a suitable complex coordinate z on $C \simeq E^2$ in the form

$$f(z) = \sqrt{A_1} \sum_{k=1}^m \left\{ P_k \exp \frac{\sqrt{\lambda_1}}{2} (\mu_k z - \bar{\mu}_k \bar{z}) + \bar{P}_k \exp \frac{\sqrt{\lambda_1}}{2} (-\mu_k z + \bar{\mu}_k \bar{z}) \right\} \\ + \sqrt{A_2} \sum_{j=1}^{m'} \left\{ Q_j \exp \frac{\sqrt{\lambda_2}}{2} (\eta_j z - \bar{\eta}_j \bar{z}) + \bar{Q}_j \exp \frac{\sqrt{\lambda_2}}{2} (-\eta_j z + \bar{\eta}_j \bar{z}) \right\},$$

where $\lambda_1, \lambda_2 \in \mathbf{R}$, $A_1 = (\lambda_2 - 2)/(\lambda_2 - \lambda_1)$, $A_2 = (2 - \lambda_1)/(\lambda_2 - \lambda_1)$, $\{\pm \mu_k\}_{k=1}^m$ (resp. $\{\pm \eta_j\}_{j=1}^{m'}$) are $2m$ (resp. $2m'$) distinct complex numbers of norm 1, $N = 2(m + m') - 1$, and $P_k, Q_j \in (E^{N+1})^c$ are nonzero vectors satisfying

$$\langle P_k, P_l \rangle = 0 \quad \text{for } \forall k, l, \quad \langle P_k, \bar{P}_l \rangle = 0 \quad \text{for } k \neq l, \quad \sum_{k=1}^m \langle P_k, \bar{P}_k \rangle = \frac{1}{2}, \\ \langle Q_j, Q_i \rangle = 0 \quad \text{for } \forall j, i, \quad \langle Q_j, \bar{Q}_i \rangle = 0 \quad \text{for } j \neq i, \quad \sum_{j=1}^{m'} \langle Q_j, \bar{Q}_j \rangle = \frac{1}{2}, \\ \langle P_k, Q_j \rangle = \langle P_k, \bar{Q}_j \rangle = 0 \quad \text{for } \forall k, j, \\ \lambda_1 A_1 \sum_{k=1}^m \mu_k^2 \langle P_k, \bar{P}_k \rangle + \lambda_2 A_2 \sum_{j=1}^{m'} \eta_j^2 \langle Q_j, \bar{Q}_j \rangle = 0.$$

REMARK. This theorem says that $f(M)$ is an orbit of an abelian subgroup of $SO(2(m + m'))$. Let G be the abelian group of parallel displacements of \mathbf{R}^2 . Then f is G -equivariant.

COROLLARY. Let $f: M^2(K) \rightarrow S^n(1)$ be a mass-symmetric 2-type immersion. If the immersion is full, then n is odd.

Let M be an n -dimensional submanifold of S^N and let σ and H be the second fundamental form and the mean curvature vector of M . We define a normal vector field $\mathcal{B}(H)$ by

$$\mathcal{B}(H) = \sum_{i,j=1}^n \langle \sigma(e_i, e_j), H \rangle \sigma(e_i, e_j),$$

where $\{e_1, \dots, e_n\}$ is an orthonormal basis at each point of M . We put $\mathcal{B}(H) = \alpha H + \mathcal{A}(H)$ where $H \perp \mathcal{A}(H)$ and α is some real number. $\mathcal{A}(H)$ is called the allied mean curvature vector. We say that M is a Chen submanifold if $\mathcal{A}(H)$ vanishes identically. If f is an isometric immersion of M into S^N which is a diagonal sum of two minimal immersions of M into spheres, then M is a Chen submanifold of S^N . Conversely, for flat

surfaces, we obtain the following.

THEOREM D. *Let M be a flat surface and f be a full mass-symmetric 2-type Chen immersion of M into $S^N(1)$. If $N \geq 9$, then f is a diagonal sum of two different minimal immersions into spheres.*

REMARK. If $N=3$, then M is an open subset of the Riemannian product of two plane circles of different radii (cf. B. Y. Chen [8, p. 279]). For $N=5$ or 7 , we classify f later. In the case of $N=7$, there exists a full mass-symmetric 2-type Chen immersion which is not a diagonal sum of minimal immersions (See §4.)

Regard \mathbf{R}^n as an n -dimensional vector space. Let $v_1, \dots, v_r \in \mathbf{R}^n$ be linearly independent. We put $\Lambda = \{\sum_{i=1}^r m_i v_i \mid m_i \text{ integers}\}$. Then Λ is a free abelian group generated by v_1, \dots, v_r . Λ is called a discrete lattice of \mathbf{R}^n and the integer r is called the rank of Λ . Acting on \mathbf{R}^n as translation, Λ acts properly discontinuously and freely on \mathbf{R}^n . The quotient space \mathbf{R}^n/Λ with the canonical metric is a flat n -dimensional Riemannian manifold. If the rank of Λ is equal to n , then \mathbf{R}^n/Λ is compact and is called a flat n -torus.

We obtain a criterion for the existence of mass-symmetric 2-type immersions of flat 2-tori as follows.

PROPOSITION E. *Let $\Lambda \subset \mathbf{R}^2$ be a discrete lattice of rank 2 and Λ^* the dual lattice of Λ , i.e., $\Lambda^* = \{u \in \mathbf{R}^2 \mid \langle u, v \rangle \equiv 0 \pmod{2\pi} \text{ for all } v \in \Lambda\}$. For $r > 0$, let*

$$c(\Lambda, r) = \{(a+ib)^2 \mid a^2+b^2=r^2 \text{ and } (a, b) \in \Lambda^*\}.$$

Then a flat torus \mathbf{R}^2/Λ admits a mass-symmetric 2-type full immersion $f: \mathbf{R}^2/\Lambda \rightarrow S^N(1)$ with respect to some $\lambda, \lambda' \in \text{Spec}(\mathbf{R}^2/\Lambda)$ if and only if there exist m distinct elements $\{\alpha_k\} \subset c(\Lambda, \sqrt{\lambda})$ and m' distinct elements $\{\beta_j\} \subset c(\Lambda, \sqrt{\lambda'})$, where $N=2(m+m')-1$, satisfying

$$(\lambda' - 2) \sum_k \alpha_k R_k + (2 - \lambda) \sum_j \beta_j R'_j = 0$$

for some R_k and $R'_j > 0$ with $\sum_k R_k = 1$ and $\sum_j R'_j = 1$.

REMARK. Let $H(\Lambda, r)$ be the convex hull of $c(\Lambda, r)$. \mathbf{R}^2/Λ admits a minimal immersion into $S^N(1)$ for some N if and only if $0 \in H(\Lambda, \sqrt{2})$ (cf. Bryant [5]).

Let $(S^6(1), J, \tilde{g})$ be a nearly Kaehler manifold with a canonical almost complex structure on S^6 . The automorphism group is the compact simple

Lie group G_2 . For two imbedded submanifolds M_1 and M_2 of S^6 , we say that $M_1 \sim M_2$ if there exists an element φ of G_2 satisfying $\varphi(M_1) = M_2$. Then the relation \sim is an equivalence relation. We denote by $[M_1]$ the equivalence class of M_1 .

Let T be a maximal torus of G_2 . Since G_2 is of rank 2, any T -orbit in S^6 is a flat surface or a circle or a point. We put

$\mathfrak{F} = \{T\text{-orbit which is totally real mass-symmetric 2-type}\},$

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Then we obtain the following.

THEOREM F. (1) *If $M \in \mathfrak{F}$, then M is a Chen surface of S^6 .*

(2) *Both \mathfrak{F}_s/\sim and \mathfrak{F}_s/\sim form 1-parameter families. \mathfrak{F}/\sim is a disjoint union of \mathfrak{F}_s/\sim and \mathfrak{F}_s/\sim .*

(3) *If $M \in \mathfrak{F}_s$, then M lies fully in a totally real and totally geodesic sphere $S^3(1)$ of $S^6(1)$.*

(4) *Suppose that $M \in \mathfrak{F}$ and denote by H the mean curvature vector field of M in S^6 . Then, JH is a normal vector field of M if and only if $M \in \mathfrak{F}_s$, and JH is a tangent vector field of M if and only if $M \in \mathfrak{F}_s$.*

Conversely, we obtain the following.

THEOREM G. *Suppose that M is a complete totally real mass-symmetric 2-type Chen surface in S^6 which is imbedded by isometric imbedding f . We denote by H the mean curvature vector of f .*

(1) *If JH is a normal vector field of M , then $M \in \mathfrak{F}_s$, and*

(2) *if JH is a tangent vector field of M , then $M \in \mathfrak{F}_s$.*

The local version of this result also holds.

REMARK. If $M \in \mathfrak{F}_s$, then M is the Riemannian product of two plane circles of suitable different radii (cf. B. Y. Chen [8, p. 279]). If $M \in \mathfrak{F}_s$, then we will show in §5 that M is not stationary in S^6 and is not the Riemannian product of circles. This means that M ($M \in \mathfrak{F}_s$) is a new example (See §5).

§2. A lemma.

Let M be an n -dimensional C^∞ -manifold, and f a mass-symmetric 2-type immersion of M into an N -sphere $S^N(1)$ of constant curvature 1. Let $\iota: S^N(1) \rightarrow E^{N+1}$ be the canonical imbedding and put $F = \iota \circ f$. By de-

inition, we have

$$(2.1) \quad F = F_1 + F_2, \quad \Delta F_i = \lambda_i F_i, \quad F_i \neq 0, \quad i = 1, 2, \quad 0 < \lambda_1 < \lambda_2.$$

We give the following lemma for later use.

LEMMA 2.1.

$$(2.2) \quad \langle F_1, F_1 \rangle = \frac{\lambda_2 - n}{\lambda_2 - \lambda_1}, \quad \langle F_2, F_2 \rangle = \frac{n - \lambda_1}{\lambda_2 - \lambda_1}, \quad \langle F_1, F_2 \rangle = 0,$$

at any point of M , where $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$ denotes the canonical inner product on E^{N+1} .

PROOF. We denote by H (resp. H') the mean curvature vector of M in E^{N+1} (resp. in $S^N(1)$). Then $H = H' - F$, $\Delta F = -nH$. So we have

$$(2.3) \quad \langle F, F \rangle = 1, \quad \langle \Delta F, F \rangle = n,$$

at any point of M . Let D be the Riemannian connection of E^{N+1} , and $\{e_1, \dots, e_n\}$ an orthonormal frame of M . Then

$$(2.4) \quad \begin{aligned} \langle \Delta^2 F, F \rangle &= -n \langle \Delta H, F \rangle = -n \langle \Delta H', F \rangle + n \langle \Delta F, F \rangle \\ &= -n \Delta \langle H', F \rangle + n \langle H', \Delta F \rangle - 2n \langle DH', DF \rangle + n \langle \Delta F, F \rangle \\ &= n^2 \|H'\|^2 + n^2 \\ &= n^2 \|H\|^2 = \langle \Delta F, \Delta F \rangle, \end{aligned}$$

where $\langle DH', DF \rangle = \sum_{i=1}^n \langle D_{e_i} H', D_{e_i} F \rangle$. (2.1), (2.3) and (2.4) imply (2.2).
Q.E.D.

§3. A 2-type surface of constant Gaussian curvature.

3.1. In this section, we prove Theorems A, B and C by using Bryant's methods. Let (M^2, g) be an oriented, connected C^∞ -surface with a C^∞ -metric g , and $\pi: \mathcal{F} \rightarrow M$ be the bundle of oriented orthonormal frames. Thus $f \in \mathcal{F}$ is a triplet $f = (x; e_1, e_2)$, where x is a point of M and $e_1, e_2 \in T_x(M)$ form an oriented orthonormal basis. The canonical 1-forms ω^1, ω^2 on \mathcal{F} are the unique 1-forms satisfying

$$d\pi = e_1 \omega^1 + e_2 \omega^2.$$

It is well-known that there exists a unique 1-form ρ satisfying

$$d\omega^1 = -\rho \wedge \omega^2, \quad d\omega^2 = \rho \wedge \omega^1,$$

and we have the formula $d\rho = K\omega^1 \wedge \omega^2$, where K is the Gaussian curvature

of (M, g) . From now on, we shall assume that K is constant.

It will be convenient to use a complex form so that we set $\omega = \omega^1 + i\omega^2$ and rewrite the structure equations as

$$d\omega = i\rho \wedge \omega, \quad d\rho = \frac{i}{2}K\omega \wedge \bar{\omega},$$

where $g = \omega \cdot \bar{\omega}$.

Let $\tau \rightarrow M$ be the complex line bundle of 1-forms which are multiples of ω and let $\tau^{-1} \rightarrow M$ be the complex line bundle of 1-forms which are multiples of $\bar{\omega}$. For $m \geq 0$, let $\tau^m \rightarrow M$ (resp. $\tau^{-m} \rightarrow M$) be the m -th tensor product of τ (resp. τ^{-1}) as a complex line bundle. Using the identification $\omega^{-m} = (\bar{\omega})^m$ for all m , we have a canonical pairing $\tau^m \times \tau^k \rightarrow \tau^{m+k}$ for all m and k . If σ is any section of \mathcal{F} , then we may write $\sigma = s(\omega)^m$ for a unique function s on τ^m . One easily compute that $ds = -mis\rho + s'\omega + s''\bar{\omega}$ for some unique functions s' and s'' on \mathcal{F} . Moreover, by differentiating this equation, we deduce that the forms $s'(\omega)^{m+1} = \sigma'$ and $s''(\omega)^{m-1} = \sigma''$ are well-defined sections on τ^{m+1} and τ^{m-1} respectively. This allows us to define operators $\partial_m: C^\infty(\tau^m) \rightarrow C^\infty(\tau^{m+1})$ and $\bar{\partial}_m: C^\infty(\tau^m) \rightarrow C^\infty(\tau^{m-1})$ by $\partial_m\sigma = \sigma'$ and $\bar{\partial}_m\sigma = \sigma''$, where we denote by $C^\infty(\tau^k)$ the space of all sections of τ^k for any $k \in \mathbf{Z}$. Let I_m be the identity map of $C^\infty(\tau^m)$. Set $\mathcal{F} = \bigoplus_m C^\infty(\tau^m)$ as a \mathbf{Z} -graded vector space and define the operators

$$X = \bigoplus_m \partial_m, \quad Y = \bigoplus_m \bar{\partial}_m, \quad H = \bigoplus_m mI_m.$$

So Bryant [5] shows the following.

PROPOSITION 3.1.

$$[H, X] = X, \quad [H, Y] = -Y, \quad [X, Y] = -\frac{K}{2}H.$$

Moreover, $\Delta = -2(XY + YX)$, where $\Delta: \mathcal{F} \rightarrow \mathcal{F}$ is the Laplace-Beltrami operator on each graded piece.

Let V be a real vector space with a Euclidean inner product $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle: V \times V \rightarrow \mathbf{R}$. In a natural way, we may set $\mathcal{V} = V \otimes_{\mathbf{R}} \mathcal{F}$ and extend the operators X, Y and H to \mathcal{V} and extend the given $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$ to a bi-linear map $\mathcal{V} \times \mathcal{V} \rightarrow \mathcal{F}$. If σ is a section of the m -th graded piece of \mathcal{V} , then we may write $\sigma = s(\omega)^m$ for a unique V^c -valued function on \mathcal{F} , where V^c denotes the complexification of V . We define conjugation in \mathcal{V} by setting $\bar{\sigma} = \bar{s}(\omega)^{-m}$. Then we have $X\bar{\sigma} = \overline{Y\sigma}$, $Y\bar{\sigma} = \overline{X\sigma}$, $H\bar{\sigma} = -\overline{H\sigma}$. So we have

PROPOSITION 3.2 (Bryant [5]). Let V be a Euclidean vector space of

dimension $N+1$ and S^N the unit sphere in V . Let $F: M \rightarrow V$ be a smooth map. In order that F be an isometric immersion, it is necessary and sufficient that $\langle XF, XF \rangle \equiv 0$, $\langle XF, \overline{XF} \rangle \equiv 1/2$. In addition, $F(M) \subset S^N$ if and only if $\langle F, F \rangle \equiv 1$. Finally $F(M) \subset S^N$ is minimal if and only if $\Delta F = 2F$.

LEMMA 3.3. Suppose that $F: M \rightarrow V$ satisfies $\Delta F = \lambda F$. Then, for $m > 0$,

$$YX^m F = D_m X^{m-1} F, \quad XY^m F = D_m Y^{m-1} F,$$

where D_m is a constant depending on m and K given by

$$D_m = \frac{1}{2} \left[\binom{m}{2} K - \frac{\lambda}{2} \right].$$

Bryant [5] shows this lemma in the case of $\lambda = 2$. We obtain this lemma in the same way as Bryant [5].

In order to prove Theorem A, we assume that $f: M^2(K) \rightarrow S^n(1)$ is a mass-symmetric 2-type full immersion and $K > 0$. We put $V = E^{n+1}$ and let $\iota: S^n(1) \rightarrow V$ be the canonical imbedding. By definition in §1, we have

$$(3.1) \quad \iota \circ f = F = F_1 + F_2, \quad \Delta F_1 = \lambda_1 F_1, \quad \Delta F_2 = \lambda_2 F_2, \quad 0 < \lambda_1 < \lambda_2.$$

We note F_1 and F_2 are smooth maps of M into V . We put $A_1 = (\lambda_2 - 2)/(\lambda_2 - \lambda_1)$ and $A_2 = (2 - \lambda_1)/(\lambda_2 - \lambda_1)$ so that $\langle F_1, F_1 \rangle = A_1$ and $\langle F_2, F_2 \rangle = A_2$ by Lemma 2.1.

Let $g^* = \rho_1^2 g$, $\rho_1 = \sqrt{\lambda_1/2}$, be a homothetic change of the metric g . Then the Laplacian Δ^* and the Gaussian curvature K^* of (M, g^*) satisfy

$$\Delta^* = \rho_1^{-2} \Delta, \quad K^* = \rho_1^{-2} K$$

so that $\Delta^* F_1 = 2F_1$. On the other hand, by Lemma 2.1, $\langle F_1/\sqrt{A_1}, F_1/\sqrt{A_1} \rangle = 1$. By Theorems 1.5 and 1.6 in Bryant [5], there exists some $p \geq 1$ such that $K^{*-1} = \binom{p+1}{2}$ and $(F_1/\sqrt{A_1})(M)$ lies fully in a $(2p+1)$ -dimensional vector space $V' \subset V$ and the map $F_1/\sqrt{A_1}: (M, g^*) \rightarrow S^{2p}(1) \subset V'$ is a minimal isometric immersion, i.e., $(F_1/\sqrt{A_1})(M)$ is an open subset of the Boruvka sphere $S^2(K^*) \rightarrow S^{2p}(1)$. Moreover, we have $X^k F_1 = 0$ for any $k > p$, $X^k F_1 \neq 0$ for $0 \leq k \leq p$, $\langle X^k F_1, X^j F_1 \rangle = 0$ for $0 \leq k, j \leq p$, $k+j > 0$, and $\langle X^k F_1, \overline{X^j F_1} \rangle = 0$ for $0 \leq k, j \leq p$, $k \neq j$.

For $0 \leq k \leq p$, set $X^k F_1 = P_k(\omega)^k$ for some V^c -valued functions P_k . Then $V^c \subset V^c$ is spanned by $\{P_k, \overline{P_k}\}_{k=1}^p \cup \{P_0\}$. Furthermore $\lambda_1 = p(p+1)K$ and $F_1/(\rho_1 \sqrt{A_1})$ is a minimal isometric immersion of $(M^2(K), g)$ into $S^{2p}(\rho_1^2) \subset$

$V' \subset V$.

We put $\rho_2 = \sqrt{\lambda_2/2}$ and $X^j F_2 = Q_j(\omega)^j$ for $0 \leq j \leq q$. Thus, in the same way, we see that $\lambda_2 = q(q+1)K$ and $F_2/(\rho_2\sqrt{A_2})$ is a minimal isometric immersion of $(M^2(K), g)$ into $S^{2q}(\rho_2^2) \subset V'' \subset V$, where V'' is a $(2q+1)$ -dimensional vector space such that $V''^c \subset V^c$ is spanned by $\{Q_j, \bar{Q}_j\}_{j=1}^q \cup \{Q_0\}$.

One notes that $(F_1/(\rho_1\sqrt{A_1}))(M)$ and $(F_2/(\rho_2\sqrt{A_2}))(M)$ are open subsets of the Boruvka spheres $S^2(K) \rightarrow S^{2p}(\rho_1^2)$ and $S^2(K) \rightarrow S^{2q}(\rho_2^2)$ respectively. Then we can see that these maps extend uniquely to the p -th and q -th standard immersions of $S^2(K)$ respectively. Note that $p < q$.

It is easy to see that $A_1 + A_2 = 1$ and $\rho_1^2 A_1 + \rho_2^2 A_2 = 1$. Then F is a diagonal sum of $F_1/(\rho_1\sqrt{A_1})$ and $F_2/(\rho_2\sqrt{A_2})$ if and only if $V' \perp V''$, i.e.,

$$(3.2) \quad \langle P_k, Q_j \rangle = \langle P_k, \bar{Q}_j \rangle = 0 \quad \text{for any } 0 \leq k \leq p, \quad 0 \leq j \leq q.$$

To show the following is sufficient to complete the proof of Theorem A. To be convenient, we set $X^{-h} = \bar{X}^h$ for integer h .

LEMMA 3.4. (1) For each $0 \leq k \leq p$,

$$[k]_1: \langle X^k F_1, X^j F_2 \rangle = \langle X^k F_1, \bar{X}^j F_2 \rangle = 0 \quad \text{for any } 0 \leq j \leq k.$$

(2) For each $0 \leq j \leq q$,

$$[j]_2: \langle X^k F_1, X^j F_2 \rangle = \langle \bar{X}^k F_1, X^j F_2 \rangle = 0 \quad \text{for any } 0 \leq k \leq \min(j, p).$$

PROOF. $[0]_1$ and $[0]_2$ is clear by Lemma 2.1. We shall prove (1) for $k \geq 1$ by induction on k . To be convenient, we put $a_i = \rho_i\sqrt{A_i}$ and $D_{i,m} = \frac{1}{2} \left[\binom{m}{2} K - \frac{\lambda_i}{2} \right]$, $i=1, 2$. Since F_i/a_i and F are isometric immersions,

$$\langle XF_i, XF_i \rangle = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \langle XF_i, \bar{X}F_i \rangle = \frac{1}{2} a_i^2, \quad i=1, 2,$$

$$\langle XF, XF \rangle = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \langle XF, \bar{X}F \rangle = \frac{1}{2},$$

hold by Proposition 3.2 so that we have

$$(3.3) \quad \langle XF_1, XF_2 \rangle = 0.$$

Applying X to $\langle F_1, F_2 \rangle = 0$, we get

$$\langle XF_1, F_2 \rangle + \langle F_1, XF_2 \rangle = 0.$$

Applying \bar{X} to (3.3) gives

$$D_{1,1} \langle F_1, XF_2 \rangle + D_{2,1} \langle XF_1, F_2 \rangle = 0.$$

Since $\lambda_1 < \lambda_2$, we have $\langle XF_1, F_2 \rangle = 0$. Applying \bar{X} to this equation, we have $\langle XF_1, \bar{X}F_2 \rangle = 0$. So we obtain [1]₁.

We assume $[m]_1$ is true for $m \geq 1$. Applying X to $\langle X^m F_1, \bar{X}^m F_2 \rangle = 0$ gives $\langle X^{m+1} F_1, \bar{X}^m F_2 \rangle + D_{2,m} \langle X^m F_1, \bar{X}^{m-1} F_2 \rangle = 0$. By the assumption of induction, we obtain

$$\langle X^{m+1} F_1, \bar{X}^m F_2 \rangle = 0 .$$

Applying \bar{X} to this, we get

$$\langle X^{m+1} F_1, \bar{X}^{m+1} F_2 \rangle = 0 .$$

For $0 \leq h \leq 2(m+1)$, we put $\sigma_h = \langle X^{m+1} F_1, \bar{X}^{m+1-h} F_2 \rangle$ so that σ_h is a section of the complex line bundle τ^h over $S^2(K)$. We get $\sigma_0 = 0$ and $\sigma_1 = 0$ and, for $2 \leq h \leq 2(m+1)$,

$$(3.4) \quad \bar{X}\sigma_h = D_{1,m+1} \langle X^m F_1, \bar{X}^{m+1-h} F_2 \rangle + \langle X^{m+1} F_1, \bar{X}(\bar{X}^{m+1-h} F_2) \rangle .$$

On the other hand, we see that

$$(3.5) \quad \begin{aligned} \langle X^m F_1, \bar{X}^{m+1-2(m+1)} F_2 \rangle &= \langle X^m F_1, X^{m+1} F_2 \rangle \\ &= X \langle X^m F_1, X^m F_2 \rangle - \langle X^{m+1} F_1, X^m F_2 \rangle \\ &= -\sigma_{2m+1} . \end{aligned}$$

By the assumption of induction, (3.4) and (3.5), we obtain

$$(3.6) \quad \bar{X}\sigma_h = \begin{cases} \sigma_{h-1} & \text{if } 2 \leq h \leq m+1 \\ D_{2,h-(m+1)} \sigma_{h-1} & \text{if } m+2 \leq h \leq 2m+1 \\ (D_{2,m+1} - D_{1,m+1}) \sigma_{2m+1} & \text{if } h = 2(m+1) . \end{cases}$$

Since $\sigma_1 = 0$, we get $\bar{X}\sigma_2 = 0$ so that σ_2 is a holomorphic section of τ^2 . By Riemann-Roch theorem, σ_2 must be the zero section. Similarly, we see that other sections σ_h are zero by induction, i.e.,

$$\sigma_0 = \sigma_1 = \sigma_2 = \dots = \sigma_{2(m+1)} = 0 .$$

This implies $[m+1]_1$ so that we obtain (1). (2) is proved similarly. Q.E.D.

3.2. To prove Theorem B, we assume $K < 0$. Let g^* be a homothetic change of the given metric g as in §3.1. Then F_1 is a V -valued C^∞ -function of M satisfying $\Delta^* F_1 = 2F_1$ and $\langle F_1, F_1 \rangle = A_1$. By Theorem 2.3 in Bryant [5], there is no solution to the above equations. Therefore Theorem B is proved.

3.3. Let D be a small disk about $0 \in D \subset E^2$ with the canonical

Euclidean metric $g=(dx)^2+(dy)^2$, and $f: D \rightarrow S^N(1)$ be a mass-symmetric 2-type full immersion. Then we have the decomposition (3.1). To be convenient, we consider $E^2 \simeq \mathbb{C}$, $z=x+iy \in \mathbb{C}$ ($(x, y) \in E^2$) so that $g=dz \cdot d\bar{z}$. Put $\rho_i = \sqrt{\lambda_i/2}$, $g_i^* = \rho_i^2 g$, $i=1, 2$. Each g_i^* is a homothetic change of the metric g . Δ_i^* denotes the Laplacian of (D, g_i^*) . It satisfies $\Delta_i^* = \rho_i^{-2} \Delta$. So we get $\Delta_i^* F_i = 2F_i$ and $\langle F_i, F_i \rangle = A_i$. Then by Theorem 3.1 in Bryant [5], we obtain the following.

LEMMA 3.5. *We assume $F_i(D)$ is fully contained in a subspace V_i of V . For each i , take a complex coordinate $w = \rho_i z / \sqrt{2}$ so that $g_i^* = \rho_i^2 dz \cdot d\bar{z} = 2dw \cdot d\bar{w}$. Then*

(1) *the dimension of V_i is even so that $F_i(D) \subset S^{2m_i-1}(1/A_i)$ fully, where $2m_i = \dim(V_i)$,*

(2) *F_i extends uniquely to a map $C \rightarrow S^N(1)$ satisfying $\Delta_i^* F_i = 2F_i$ and $\langle F_i, F_i \rangle = A_i$,*

(3) *after rotating w if necessary, F_i can be written in the form*

$$F_i(w) = \sqrt{A_i} \sum_{k=1}^{m_i} \{P_{i,k} \exp(\mu_{i,k} w - \overline{\mu_{i,k} w}) + \bar{P}_{i,k} \exp(-\mu_{i,k} w + \overline{\mu_{i,k} w})\},$$

where $\{\pm \mu_{i,k}\}_{k=1}^{m_i}$ are $2m_i$ distinct complex numbers of norm 1 and $P_{i,k} \in V^c \subset V^c$ are nonzero constant vectors satisfying

$$\begin{aligned} \langle P_{i,k}, P_{i,l} \rangle &= 0 \quad \text{for } \forall k, l, & \langle P_{i,k}, \bar{P}_{i,l} \rangle &= 0 \quad \text{for } k \neq l, \\ \sum_{k=1}^{m_i} \langle P_{i,k}, \bar{P}_{i,k} \rangle &= \frac{1}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

We put $m = m_1$, $m' = m_2$, $P_k = P_{1,k}$, $Q_j = P_{2,j}$, $\mu_k = \mu_{1,k}$ and $\eta_j = \mu_{2,j}$. Then after changing a parameter from w to z , F can be written in the form

$$(3.7) \quad F(z) = F_1(z) + F_2(z),$$

$$F_1(z) = \sqrt{A_1} \sum_{k=1}^m \{P_k \exp r(\mu_k z - \overline{\mu_k z}) + \bar{P}_k \exp r(-\mu_k z + \overline{\mu_k z})\},$$

$$F_2(z) = \sqrt{A_2} \sum_{j=1}^{m'} \{Q_j \exp R(\eta_j z - \overline{\eta_j z}) + \bar{Q}_j \exp R(-\eta_j z + \overline{\eta_j z})\},$$

where $r = \rho_1 / \sqrt{2}$ and $R = \rho_2 / \sqrt{2}$. By Lemma 2.1, we have $\langle F_1, F_2 \rangle = 0$ which is equivalent to

$$(3.8) \quad \sum_{k,j} \{ \operatorname{Re}(\langle P_k, Q_j \rangle) \cos(2 \operatorname{Im}(r\mu_k + R\eta_j)z) - \operatorname{Im}(\langle P_k, Q_j \rangle) \sin(2 \operatorname{Im}(r\mu_k + R\eta_j)z) \\ + \operatorname{Re}(\langle P_k, \bar{Q}_j \rangle) \cos(2 \operatorname{Im}(r\mu_k - R\eta_j)z) \\ - \operatorname{Im}(\langle P_k, \bar{Q}_j \rangle) \sin(2 \operatorname{Im}(r\mu_k - R\eta_j)z) \} = 0$$

for all $z \in C$.

On the other hand, F is isometric, i.e., $\langle dF, dF \rangle = dz \cdot d\bar{z}$. This is equivalent to the following

$$(3.9) \quad \sum_{k,j} \operatorname{Re}(\mu_k \bar{\eta}_j) \{ -\operatorname{Re}(\langle P_k, Q_j \rangle) \cos(2 \operatorname{Im}(r\mu_k + R\eta_j)z) \\ + \operatorname{Im}(\langle P_k, Q_j \rangle) \sin(2 \operatorname{Im}(r\mu_k + R\eta_j)z) \\ + \operatorname{Re}(\langle P_k, \bar{Q}_j \rangle) \cos(2 \operatorname{Im}(r\mu_k - R\eta_j)z) \\ - \operatorname{Im}(\langle P_k, \bar{Q}_j \rangle) \sin(2 \operatorname{Im}(r\mu_k - R\eta_j)z) \} = 0$$

and

$$(3.10) \quad -\rho_1^2 A_1 \sum_k \mu_k^2 \langle P_k, \bar{P}_k \rangle - \rho_2^2 A_2 \sum_j \eta_j^2 \langle Q_j, \bar{Q}_j \rangle \\ + \sqrt{A_1 A_2 \lambda_1 \lambda_2} \sum_{k,j} \mu_k \eta_j \{ \operatorname{Re}(\langle P_k, Q_j \rangle) \cos(2 \operatorname{Im}(r\mu_k + R\eta_j)z) \\ - \operatorname{Im}(\langle P_k, Q_j \rangle) \sin(2 \operatorname{Im}(r\mu_k + R\eta_j)z) \\ - \operatorname{Re}(\langle P_k, \bar{Q}_j \rangle) \cos(2 \operatorname{Im}(r\mu_k - R\eta_j)z) \\ + \operatorname{Im}(\langle P_k, \bar{Q}_j \rangle) \sin(2 \operatorname{Im}(r\mu_k - R\eta_j)z) \} = 0$$

for all $z \in \mathcal{C}$.

Put $\mathcal{A} = \{ \pm(r\mu_k + R\eta_j), \pm(r\mu_k - R\eta_j) \mid k=1, \dots, m, j=1, \dots, m' \}$. If $\alpha \in \mathcal{A}$, then α can be written in the form $\alpha = \pm(r\mu_k + R\eta_j)$ or $\pm(r\mu_k - R\eta_j)$ for some μ_k and η_j and hence α has at most two different representations. Suppose that $\alpha \in \mathcal{A}$ has only one representation. For instance, if $\alpha = r\mu_k + R\eta_j$, then the independence of exponentials in (3.8) implies $\langle P_k, Q_j \rangle = 0$. In the next place, we assume that $\alpha \in \mathcal{A}$ has two different representations. For instance, if

$$(3.11) \quad \alpha = r\mu_k + R\eta_j = r\mu_l + R\eta_i, \quad k \neq l, j \neq i,$$

then the independence of exponentials in (3.8) and (3.10) implies

$$(3.12) \quad \langle P_k, Q_j \rangle + \langle P_l, Q_i \rangle = 0, \quad \mu_k \eta_j \langle P_k, Q_j \rangle + \mu_l \eta_i \langle P_l, Q_i \rangle = 0.$$

Put $\theta = \arg(\alpha)$ so that (3.11) implies $\mu_k = e^{i(\theta - \varphi)}$, $\mu_l = e^{i(\theta + \varphi)}$, $\eta_j = e^{i(\theta + \psi)}$, $\eta_i = e^{i(\theta - \psi)}$ for some φ and ψ . If $\mu_k \eta_j - \mu_l \eta_i = 0$, then we see that $\varphi \equiv \psi \pmod{\pi}$, so that (3.11) implies $\mu_k = \mu_l$. This is a contradiction. Thus $\mu_k \eta_j - \mu_l \eta_i \neq 0$. So by (3.12), we have $\langle P_k, Q_j \rangle = \langle P_l, Q_i \rangle = 0$. Finally, we get $\langle P_k, Q_j \rangle = \langle P_k, \bar{Q}_j \rangle = 0$ for any k and j . It means $V_1 \perp V_2$ so that $N = 2(m + m') - 1$. From (3.10) we have

$$\lambda_1 A_1 \sum_k \mu_k^2 \langle P_k, \bar{P}_k \rangle + \lambda_2 A_2 \sum_j \eta_j^2 \langle Q_j, \bar{Q}_j \rangle = 0.$$

The proof of Theorem C is completed.

3.4. Let Λ be a discrete lattice of rank 2 of \mathbf{R}^2 and Λ^* the dual lattice of Λ , i.e.,

$$\Lambda^* = \{u \in \mathbf{R}^2 \mid \langle u, v \rangle \equiv 0 \pmod{2\pi}, \text{ for all } v \in \Lambda\},$$

where \langle, \rangle denotes the canonical inner product of \mathbf{R}^2 . Denote by T^2 a flat torus \mathbf{R}^2/Λ . Then we have

$$\text{Spec}(T^2) = \{\|u\|^2 \mid u \in \Lambda^*\}.$$

Regarding $\mathbf{R}^2 \simeq \mathbf{C}$, we obtain

$$\langle z, w \rangle = \text{Re}(z\bar{w}) = \text{Im}(\sqrt{-1}z\bar{w})$$

for $z, w \in \mathbf{C}$. For a complex number μ of norm 1 and a positive real number λ , we define a function φ on \mathbf{R}^2 by

$$\varphi(z) = \exp \frac{\sqrt{\lambda}}{2} (\mu z - \bar{\mu} \bar{z}) = \exp \sqrt{-1} \langle \sqrt{-\lambda} \bar{\mu}, z \rangle, \quad z \in \mathbf{C}.$$

φ is a function on T^2 if and only if $\sqrt{-\lambda} \bar{\mu} \in \Lambda^*$. In this case, φ is an eigenfunction with respect to the eigenvalue λ .

Putting $\lambda = \lambda_1$, $\lambda' = \lambda_2$, $\alpha_k = -\lambda \bar{\mu}_k^2$, $\beta_j = -\lambda' \bar{\eta}_j^2$, $R_k = 2\langle P_k, \bar{P}_k \rangle$ and $R'_j = 2\langle Q_j, \bar{Q}_j \rangle$ in Theorem C, we easily obtain Proposition E.

§4. Flat 2-type Chen surfaces in S^n .

In this section, we study a flat mass-symmetric 2-type Chen surface in $S^N(1)$ and prove Theorem D.

Let M be a flat mass-symmetric 2-type surface in $S^N(1)$ which is immersed fully by an isometric immersion f and we denote by σ and H the second fundamental form and the mean curvature vector, respectively. By Theorem C, we can see $M \simeq \mathbf{R}^2$ and f can be written in the form

$$(4.1) \quad f(z) = F_1(z) + F_2(z),$$

$$F_1(z) = \sqrt{A_1} \sum_{k=1}^m 2\text{Re} \left\{ \sqrt{R_k} u_k \exp \frac{\sqrt{\lambda_1}}{2} (\mu_k z - \bar{\mu}_k \bar{z}) \right\},$$

$$F_2(z) = \sqrt{A_2} \sum_{j=1}^{m'} 2\text{Re} \left\{ \sqrt{R'_j} u_{m+j} \exp \frac{\sqrt{\lambda_2}}{2} (\eta_j z - \bar{\eta}_j \bar{z}) \right\},$$

$$u_l = \frac{1}{2} (E_{2l-1} - \sqrt{-1} E_{2l}), \quad l = 1, \dots, m + m' (= (N+1)/2),$$

where $\{E_1, \dots, E_{N+1}\}$ is an orthonormal basis of E^{N+1} , $A_1 = (\lambda_2 - 2)/(\lambda_2 - \lambda_1)$, $A_2 = (2 - \lambda_1)/(\lambda_2 - \lambda_1)$, $\{\pm \mu_k\}_{k=1}^m$ (resp. $\{\pm \eta_j\}_{j=1}^{m'}$) are $2m$ (resp. $2m'$) distinct

complex numbers of norm 1, $N=2(m+m')-1$ and R_k and R'_j are positive constants such that $\sum R_k = \sum R'_j = 1$ and

$$\lambda_1 A_1 \sum_{k=1}^m \mu_k^2 R_k + \lambda_2 A_2 \sum_{j=1}^{m'} \eta_j^2 R'_j = 0 .$$

For convenience, we put $\varphi = \sum \bar{\mu}_k^2 R_k$ and $\psi = \sum \bar{\eta}_j^2 R'_j$ so that

$$(4.2) \quad \lambda_1 A_1 \varphi + \lambda_2 A_2 \psi = 0 .$$

Let $\{e_1, e_2\}$ be an orthonormal basis of M . We can see that $e_1 = \partial/\partial x$ and $e_2 = \partial/\partial y$ so that $\partial/\partial z = (1/2)\{\partial/\partial x - \sqrt{-1}\partial/\partial y\}$. Let $\nabla, \bar{\nabla}$ and D be the Riemannian connections of M, S^N and E^{N+1} respectively. We have

$$\begin{aligned} D_{e_i} D_{e_j} f &= D_{e_i} e_j = \bar{\nabla}_{e_i} e_j - \langle e_i, e_j \rangle f \\ &= \nabla_{e_i} e_j + \sigma(e_i, e_j) - \langle e_i, e_j \rangle f . \end{aligned}$$

Then

$$\sigma(e_i, e_j) = D_{e_i} D_{e_j} f + \langle e_i, e_j \rangle f .$$

So we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma(e_1, e_1) &= \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial z^2} + 2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial z \partial \bar{z}} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial \bar{z}^2} + f , \\ \sigma(e_2, e_2) &= -\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial z^2} + 2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial z \partial \bar{z}} - \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial \bar{z}^2} + f , \\ \sigma(e_1, e_2) &= \sqrt{-1} \left(\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial z^2} - \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial \bar{z}^2} \right) . \end{aligned}$$

Furthermore we obtain after simple computation

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma(e_1, e_1) &= \sqrt{A_1} \sum_{k=1}^m \left\{ \frac{\lambda_1}{4} (\mu_k^2 + \bar{\mu}_k^2 - 2) + 1 \right\} 2 \operatorname{Re} \left\{ \sqrt{R_k} u_k \exp \frac{\sqrt{\lambda_1}}{2} (\mu_k z - \bar{\mu}_k \bar{z}) \right\} \\ &\quad + \sqrt{A_2} \sum_{j=1}^{m'} \left\{ \frac{\lambda_2}{4} (\eta_j^2 + \bar{\eta}_j^2 - 2) + 1 \right\} 2 \operatorname{Re} \left\{ \sqrt{R'_j} u_{m+j} \exp \frac{\sqrt{\lambda_2}}{2} (\eta_j z - \bar{\eta}_j \bar{z}) \right\} , \\ \sigma(e_2, e_2) &= \sqrt{A_1} \sum_{k=1}^m \left\{ \frac{\lambda_1}{4} (-\mu_k^2 - \bar{\mu}_k^2 - 2) + 1 \right\} 2 \operatorname{Re} \left\{ \sqrt{R_k} u_k \exp \frac{\sqrt{\lambda_1}}{2} (\mu_k z - \bar{\mu}_k \bar{z}) \right\} \\ &\quad + \sqrt{A_2} \sum_{j=1}^{m'} \left\{ \frac{\lambda_2}{4} (-\eta_j^2 - \bar{\eta}_j^2 - 2) + 1 \right\} 2 \operatorname{Re} \left\{ \sqrt{R'_j} u_{m+j} \exp \frac{\sqrt{\lambda_2}}{2} (\eta_j z - \bar{\eta}_j \bar{z}) \right\} , \\ \sigma(e_1, e_2) &= \sqrt{A_1} \sum_{k=1}^m \frac{\lambda_1}{4} \sqrt{-1} (\mu_k^2 - \bar{\mu}_k^2) 2 \operatorname{Re} \left\{ \sqrt{R_k} u_k \exp \frac{\sqrt{\lambda_1}}{2} (\mu_k z - \bar{\mu}_k \bar{z}) \right\} \\ &\quad + \sqrt{A_2} \sum_{j=1}^{m'} \frac{\lambda_2}{4} \sqrt{-1} (\eta_j^2 - \bar{\eta}_j^2) 2 \operatorname{Re} \left\{ \sqrt{R'_j} u_{m+j} \exp \frac{\sqrt{\lambda_2}}{2} (\eta_j z - \bar{\eta}_j \bar{z}) \right\} . \end{aligned}$$

Moreover, we get

$$(4.3) \quad H = -\sqrt{A_1} \sum_{k=1}^m \frac{\lambda_1 - 2}{2} 2\operatorname{Re} \left\{ \sqrt{R_k} u_k \exp \frac{\sqrt{\lambda_1}}{2} (\mu_k z - \bar{\mu}_k \bar{z}) \right\} \\ - \sqrt{A_2} \sum_{j=1}^{m'} \frac{\lambda_2 - 2}{2} 2\operatorname{Re} \left\{ \sqrt{R_j} u_{m+j} \exp \frac{\sqrt{\lambda_2}}{2} (\eta_j z - \bar{\eta}_j \bar{z}) \right\}.$$

So we have

$$(4.4) \quad \mathcal{B}(H) = \sum_{h,i=1}^2 \langle \sigma(e_h, e_i), H \rangle \sigma(e_h, e_i) \\ = \sqrt{A_1} \sum_{k=1}^m \frac{\lambda_1 - 2}{2} \left[\frac{\lambda_1 \lambda_2}{2} \operatorname{Re}(\psi \mu_k^2) - d \right] 2\operatorname{Re} \left\{ \sqrt{R_k} u_k \exp \frac{\sqrt{\lambda_1}}{2} (\mu_k z - \bar{\mu}_k \bar{z}) \right\} \\ + \sqrt{A_2} \sum_{j=1}^{m'} \frac{\lambda_2 - 2}{2} \left[\frac{\lambda_1 \lambda_2}{2} \operatorname{Re}(\varphi \eta_j^2) - d \right] 2\operatorname{Re} \left\{ \sqrt{R_j} u_{m+j} \exp \frac{\sqrt{\lambda_2}}{2} (\eta_j z - \bar{\eta}_j \bar{z}) \right\}$$

where

$$d = \frac{(\lambda_1 - 2)^2}{2} A_1 + \frac{(\lambda_2 - 2)^2}{2} A_2.$$

In order to prove Theorem D, we assume that M is a Chen surface in $S^N(1)$ so that $\mathcal{B}(H)$ is parallel to H . By (4.3) and (4.4), we have the following.

LEMMA 4.1. *A mass-symmetric 2-type immersion f of R^2 into S^N is a Chen immersion if and only if*

$$(4.5) \quad \operatorname{Re}(\psi \mu_k^2) = \operatorname{Re}(\varphi \eta_j^2) \quad \text{for } \forall k=1, \dots, m \text{ and } j=1, \dots, m'.$$

PROOF OF THEOREM D. Suppose $\varphi \neq 0$ so that $\psi \neq 0$ by (4.2). By (4.5), $\operatorname{Re}(\psi \mu_k^2) = \operatorname{Re}(\psi \mu_l^2)$. If $k \neq l$, then we get $\psi \mu_k^2 = \overline{\psi} \mu_l^2$ so that $\mu_k^2 = (\overline{\psi}/\psi) \mu_l^2$. This implies $m \leq 2$. Similarly we get $m' \leq 2$ so that $N \leq 7$.

Finally, if $N \geq 9$, then we have $\varphi = \psi = 0$. We put $\rho_i = \sqrt{\lambda_i}/2$, $i=1, 2$. By (4.1) and Theorem 3.1 and Corollary 3.2 in Bryant [5] (or by direct computation), $F_1/(\rho_1 \sqrt{A_1})$ (resp. $F_2/(\rho_2 \sqrt{A_2})$) is a minimal immersion of M into $S^{2m-1}(\rho_1^2)$ (resp. $S^{2m'-1}(\rho_2^2)$) and f is a diagonal sum of these two minimal immersions. The proof of Theorem D is completed.

For $0 < \nu_1 < 2 < \nu_2$, we put $c(\nu_1, \nu_2) = (\nu_2(2 - \nu_1))/(\nu_1(\nu_2 - 2)) (> 0)$. In the case of $\varphi \neq 0$, we obtain the following.

PROPOSITION 4.2. *Let M be a flat surface in $S^5(1)$ which is immersed fully by an isometric immersion f . If M is a mass-symmetric 2-type Chen surface, then we get $c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) \neq 1$ and we have, in (4.1), either*

(1) $R_1=R_2=1/2$, $R'_1=1$ and $\cos 2\nu = -c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2)$ (if $m=2$ and $m'=1$),

or

(2) $R_1=1$, $R'_1=R'_2=1/2$ and $\cos 2\nu = -(c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2))^{-1}$
(if $m=1$ and $m'=2$),

where ν is the angle between μ_1 and η_1 .

PROOF. We assume that $m=2$ and $m'=1$. We have $R'_1=1$, $\psi = \bar{\eta}_1^2$ and $\mu_2^2 = (\eta_1^2 / \bar{\eta}_1^2) \bar{\mu}_1^2$. By (4.1) and (4.2), we get

$$(4.6) \quad \left(\frac{\mu_1^2}{\eta_1^2}\right)R_1 + \overline{\left(\frac{\mu_1^2}{\eta_1^2}\right)}R_2 = -\frac{\lambda_2 A_2}{\lambda_1 A_1}, \quad R_1 + R_2 = 1.$$

If $(\mu_1^2/\eta_1^2) - \overline{(\mu_1^2/\eta_1^2)} = 0$, then we have $\mu_1^2 = \alpha \eta_1^2$ for some real number α so that $\mu_2^2 = \mu_1^2$. This is a contradiction. Since R_1 and R_2 are real, we get $R_1 = R_2 = 1/2$ by (4.6). Moreover we get $\text{Re}(\mu_1^2/\eta_1^2) = -(\lambda_2 A_2)/(\lambda_1 A_1) = -c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2)$ and $\text{Im}(\mu_1^2/\eta_1^2) \neq 0$. This implies $\cos 2\nu = -c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) \neq -1$ where ν is the angle between μ_1 and η_1 . Therefore we get (1). (2) is proved similarly. Q.E.D.

PROPOSITION 4.3. For any two constants λ_1 and λ_2 such that $0 < \lambda_1 < 2 < \lambda_2$ and $\lambda_1 \lambda_2 - \lambda_1 - \lambda_2 \neq 0$, there exists only one mass-symmetric 2-type full Chen immersion f of \mathbf{R}^2 into $S^5(1)$ with respect to eigenvalues λ_1 and λ_2 . $m=2$ and $m'=1$ (resp. $m=1$ and $m'=2$) in (4.1) if and only if $c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) < 1$ (resp. $c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) > 1$). Moreover f is doubly periodic if and only if either

$$Q = \left(\frac{\lambda_2(\lambda_2 - 2)}{\lambda_1 \lambda_2 - \lambda_1 - \lambda_2}\right)^{1/2} \text{ is rational (if } c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) < 1),$$

or

$$Q' = \left(\frac{\lambda_1(\lambda_1 - 2)}{\lambda_1 \lambda_2 - \lambda_1 - \lambda_2}\right)^{1/2} \text{ is rational (if } c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) > 1).$$

PROOF. $\lambda_1 \lambda_2 - \lambda_1 - \lambda_2 \neq 0$ implies $c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) \neq 1$. We prove the case of $c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) < 1$. We put $\cos 2\nu = -c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2)$, $\mu_1 = 1$, $\mu_2 = e^{2\nu i}$, $\eta_1 = e^{\nu i}$, $R_1 = R_2 = 1/2$ and $R'_1 = 1$. By Lemma 4.1, the map f in (4.1) is a mass-symmetric 2-type full Chen immersion of \mathbf{R}^2 into $S^5(1)$ with respect to eigenvalues λ_1 and λ_2 . By Proposition 4.2, this immersion is unique up to the action of the isometries of the domain and range. We define

$$\begin{aligned} \Lambda_f &= \{z \in \mathbf{R}^2 \mid f(z) = f(0)\} \\ &= \{z \mid \langle i\sqrt{\lambda_1} \bar{\mu}_1, z \rangle \equiv \langle i\sqrt{\lambda_1} \bar{\mu}_2, z \rangle \equiv \langle i\sqrt{\lambda_2} \bar{\eta}_1, z \rangle \equiv 0 \pmod{2\pi}\}. \end{aligned}$$

Clearly $\Lambda_f \subset \mathbf{R}^2$ is a discrete lattice. After rotating \mathbf{R}^2 if necessary, we may put $i\bar{\mu}_1 = 1$, $i\bar{\mu}_2 = e^{2\nu i}$, $i\bar{\eta}_1 = e^{\nu i}$ and $0 < \nu < \pi/2$. Set

$$x_1 = \left(\frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{\lambda_1}}, \frac{-2\pi \cos 2\nu}{\sqrt{\lambda_1 \sin 2\nu}} \right), \quad x_2 = \left(0, \frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{\lambda_1 \sin 2\nu}} \right).$$

Then we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \langle i\sqrt{\lambda_1}\bar{\mu}_1, nx_1 + mx_2 \rangle &= 2\pi n, & \langle i\sqrt{\lambda_1}\bar{\mu}_2, nx_1 + mx_2 \rangle &= 2\pi m, \\ \text{and } \langle i\sqrt{\lambda_2}\bar{\eta}_1, nx_1 + mx_2 \rangle &= 2\pi \frac{Q}{2}(n+m). \end{aligned}$$

So we get

$$A_f = \left\{ nx_1 + mx_2 \mid \frac{Q}{2}(n+m) \in \mathbf{Z} \text{ for } n, m \in \mathbf{Z} \right\}.$$

If f is doubly periodic, then there exists an element x of A_f such that $x = nx_1 + mx_2$, $n+m \neq 0$. Therefore we see that f is doubly periodic if and only if Q is rational.

The case of $c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) > 1$ is proved similarly. In this case, we have $\cos 2\nu = -c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2)^{-1}$ and

$$\begin{aligned} A_f &= \{z \in \mathbf{R}^2 \mid f(z) = f(0)\} \\ &= \left\{ nx'_1 + mx'_2 \mid \frac{Q'}{2}(n+m) \in \mathbf{Z} \text{ for } n, m \in \mathbf{Z} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

where

$$x'_1 = \left(\frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{\lambda_2}}, \frac{-2\pi \cos 2\nu}{\sqrt{\lambda_2 \sin 2\nu}} \right) \quad \text{and} \quad x'_2 = \left(0, \frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{\lambda_2 \sin 2\nu}} \right). \quad \text{Q.E.D.}$$

REMARK. (1) If Q and Q' are not rational, then A_f is of rank 1. In this case, f induces a mass-symmetric 2-type full Chen imbedding of a cylinder \mathbf{R}^2/A_f into $S^3(1)$.

(2) If $\lambda_1\lambda_2 - \lambda_1 - \lambda_2 = 0$, then there exist no mass-symmetric 2-type full Chen immersions of \mathbf{R}^2 into $S^3(1)$ with respect to λ_1 and λ_2 . But such an immersion into $S^3(1)$ always satisfies $\lambda_1\lambda_2 - \lambda_1 - \lambda_2 = 0$.

Let λ_1 and λ_2 be two constants such that $0 < \lambda_1 < 2 < \lambda_2$ and $c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) \neq 1$. We define a discrete lattice $A(\lambda_1, \lambda_2)$ as follows.

In the case of $c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) < 1$, we put $Q/2 = q'/q$, where q and q' are relatively prime, and $q > 0$ if Q is rational. We put

$$\begin{aligned} u = v = x_1 - x_2 & \quad (\text{if } Q \text{ is irrational}), \\ u = x_1 \quad \text{and} \quad v = x_2 & \quad (\text{if } q = 1), \\ u = x_1 + x_2 \quad \text{and} \quad v = x_1 - x_2 & \quad (\text{if } q = 2), \\ u = (q-1)x_1 + x_2 \quad \text{and} \quad v = (q-2)x_1 + 2x_2 & \quad (\text{if } q \geq 3). \end{aligned}$$

In the case of $c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) > 1$, we put $Q'/2 = q'/q$, where q and q' are relatively prime, and $q > 0$ if Q' is rational. We put

$$\begin{aligned} u = v = x_1 - x_2 & \quad (\text{if } Q' \text{ is irrational}), \\ u = x'_1 \text{ and } v = x'_2 & \quad (\text{if } q = 1), \\ u = x'_1 + x'_2 \text{ and } v = x'_1 - x'_2 & \quad (\text{if } q = 2), \\ u = (q-1)x'_1 + x'_2 \text{ and } v = (q-2)x'_1 + 2x'_2 & \quad (\text{if } q \geq 3). \end{aligned}$$

We define a discrete lattice $A(\lambda_1, \lambda_2)$ in \mathbf{R}^2 by

$$A(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) = \{ku + lv \mid k, l \in \mathbf{Z}\}.$$

A_f in Proposition 4.3 is congruent to $A(\lambda_1, \lambda_2)$.

COROLLARY 4.4. *Let A be a discrete lattice of rank 2 in \mathbf{R}^2 and $T^2 \simeq \mathbf{R}^2/A$ a flat torus generated by A . Let λ_1 and λ_2 be any eigenvalues such that $\lambda_1 < 2 < \lambda_2$.*

Then T^2 admits a mass-symmetric 2-type full Chen immersion into $S^5(1)$ with respect to λ_1 and λ_2 if and only if $c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) \neq 1$ and A is an abelian subgroup of $A(\lambda_1, \lambda_2)$.

In particular, T^2 admits such an imbedding if and only if $c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) \neq 1$ and A is congruent to $A(\lambda_1, \lambda_2)$.

PROOF. Let f_0 be a mass-symmetric 2-type full Chen immersion of T^2 into $S^5(1)$ with respect to λ_1 and λ_2 . Then f_0 can be extended uniquely to such an immersion f of the universal covering \mathbf{R}^2 of T^2 . By Proposition 4.2, we have $c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) \neq 1$, and by the definition, we obtain

$$A(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) = \{z \in \mathbf{R}^2 \mid f(z) = f(0)\}.$$

Since f is the extension of f_0 , we see that A is an abelian subgroup of $A(\lambda_1, \lambda_2)$.

Conversely, we assume that $c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) \neq 1$ and A is an abelian subgroup of $\tilde{A} = A(\lambda_1, \lambda_2)$ so that \tilde{A} is of rank 2. By Proposition 4.3, we get a mass-symmetric 2-type full Chen imbedding \tilde{f} of a flat torus \mathbf{R}^2/\tilde{A} into $S^5(1)$ with respect to λ_1 and λ_2 . Let $\pi: T^2 \simeq \mathbf{R}^2/A \rightarrow \mathbf{R}^2/\tilde{A}$ be a Riemannian covering map and put $f_0 = \tilde{f} \circ \pi$. Then f_0 is a mass-symmetric 2-type full Chen immersion of T^2 into $S^5(1)$ with respect to λ_1 and λ_2 .

Q.E.D.

For the case $N=7$, we obtain the following.

PROPOSITION 4.5. *Let M be a flat surface in $S^7(1)$ which is immersed*

fully by an isometric immersion f . If M is a mass-symmetric 2-type Chen surface, then we have $m=m'=2$ and $R_1=R_2=R'_1=R'_2=1/2$ in (4.1) and either

(1) f is a diagonal sum of two minimal immersions of M into S^3 ,
or

(2) $\cos \alpha = -c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) \cos \beta$, where α (resp. β) is the angle between μ_1^2 (resp. η_1^2) and φ .

PROOF. Put $N=7$ in (4.1). If $\varphi=0$ in (4.1), then we get (1) in a way similar to the proof of Theorem D. Since F'_1 and F'_2 are immersions and since $2(m+m')-1=7$, we get $m=m'=2$. By (4.1) and (4.2), we have

$$\mu_1^2 R_1 + \mu_2^2 R_2 = 0, \quad R_1 + R_2 = 1.$$

Since $\mu_2 \neq \pm \mu_1$, we obtain $R_1=R_2=1/2$ and $\mu_2^2 = -\mu_1^2$. Similarly, we obtain $R'_1=R'_2=1/2$ and $\eta_1^2 = -\eta_2^2$.

Assume $\varphi \neq 0$. Then in the proof of Theorem D, we get $m=m'=2$ and

$$\mu_2^2 = \frac{\bar{\psi}}{\psi} \bar{\mu}_1^2, \quad \eta_2^2 = \frac{\bar{\varphi}}{\varphi} \bar{\eta}_1^2.$$

By (4.1) and (4.2), we get

$$(4.7) \quad \left(\frac{\mu_1^2}{\psi}\right)R_1 + \overline{\left(\frac{\mu_1^2}{\psi}\right)}R_2 = -\frac{\lambda_2 A_2}{\lambda_1 A_1}, \quad R_1 + R_2 = 1.$$

If $(\mu_1^2/\psi) - \overline{(\mu_1^2/\psi)} = 0$, then we have $\mu_1^2 = \alpha \bar{\psi}$ for some real number α so that $\mu_2^2 = \mu_1^2$. This is a contradiction. Since R_1 and R_2 are real, we get $R_1=R_2=1/2$ by (4.7). Similarly, we get

$$\left(\frac{\eta_1^2}{\varphi}\right)R'_1 + \overline{\left(\frac{\eta_1^2}{\varphi}\right)}R'_2 = -\frac{\lambda_1 A_1}{\lambda_2 A_2}, \quad R'_1 + R'_2 = 1,$$

and $R'_1=R'_2=1/2$. After rotating R^2 and changing an orthonormal basis of E^3 if necessary, we assume that φ is real, $\mu_1^2 = e^{i\alpha}$ and $\eta_1^2 = e^{i\beta}$. Then, by (4.2), we see that $\cos \alpha = -c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) \cos \beta$. Q.E.D.

REMARK. After rotating R^2 and changing an orthonormal basis of E^3 , we may assume $0 < \alpha < \pi/2 < \beta < \pi$.

For any three constants λ_1, λ_2 and t such that $0 < \lambda_1 < 2 < \lambda_2$ and $0 \leq t \leq \pi/4$, we define two mass-symmetric 2-type Chen immersions of R^2 into $S^7(1)$ with respect to eigenvalues λ_1 and λ_2 as follows.

Put $R_1=R_2=R'_1=R'_2=1/2$, $\mu_1=1$, $\mu_2=e^{i\pi/2}$, $\eta_1=e^{it}$ and $\eta_2=e^{i(t+\pi/2)}$. Then for maps F_1 and F_2 defined in (4.1), we see that $F_1/(\rho_1\sqrt{A_1})$ and $F_2/(\rho_2\sqrt{A_2})$ are minimal immersions of \mathbf{R}^2 into $S^3(\rho_1^2)$ and $S^3(\rho_2^2)$ respectively, where $\rho_i=\sqrt{\lambda_i}/2$, $i=1, 2$. We put

$$f_1=f_1(\lambda_1, \lambda_2, t)=F_1+F_2.$$

f_1 is a diagonal sum of these two minimal immersions so that f_1 is a mass-symmetric 2-type full Chen immersion into $S^7(1)$ with respect to eigenvalues λ_1 and λ_2 .

Put $c=c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2)$. We define two constants α and β ($0\leq\alpha\leq\pi/2\leq\beta\leq\pi$) as follows.

If $c<1$, then we put $\alpha=\cos^{-1}(c\cdot\cos(2t))$ and $\beta=\pi-2t$.

If $c\geq 1$, then we put $\alpha=2t$ and $\beta=\pi-\cos^{-1}((1/c)\cos(2t))$.

Put $R_1=R_2=R'_1=R'_2=1/2$, $\mu_1=e^{i\alpha/2}$, $\eta_1=e^{i\beta/2}$, $\mu_2=\bar{\mu}_1$ and $\eta_2=\bar{\eta}_1$ and denote by $f_2(\lambda_1, \lambda_2, t)$ (or f_2) a map defined in (4.1). By Lemma 4.1, f_2 is a mass-symmetric 2-type Chen immersion of \mathbf{R}^2 into $S^7(1)$ with respect to eigenvalues λ_1 and λ_2 . Moreover, f_2 is a full immersion into $S^3(1)$ if and only if $c=1$ and $t=0$, f_2 is a full immersion into $S^5(1)$ if and only if $c\neq 1$ and $t=0$, f_2 is a full immersion into $S^7(1)$ if and only if $t>0$ and f_2 is a diagonal sum of two minimal immersions of \mathbf{R}^2 into S^3 if and only if $t=\pi/4$, i.e., $f_2(\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \pi/4)$ is congruent to $f_1(\lambda_1, \lambda_2, 0)$ up to the action of the isometries of the domain and range. Finally, if $t\neq 0$ or $\pi/4$, then f_2 is a mass-symmetric 2-type full Chen immersion of \mathbf{R}^2 into $S^7(1)$ which is not a diagonal sum of two minimal immersions of \mathbf{R}^2 into S^3 .

Let f be a mass-symmetric 2-type full Chen immersion of \mathbf{R}^2 into $S^7(1)$ with respect to eigenvalues λ_1 and λ_2 , and assume f is not a diagonal sum of two minimal immersions of \mathbf{R}^2 into S^3 . In the proof of Proposition 4.5, put $t=(\pi-\beta)/2$ (if $c<1$) or $t=\alpha/2$ (if $c\geq 1$). Thus, we see $0<t<\pi/4$. (See last Remark.) By Proposition 4.5 and the definition of f_2 , f is congruent to $f_2(\lambda_1, \lambda_2, t)$ up to the action of the isometries of the domain and range.

Combining the above with Proposition 4.3, we obtain the following.

THEOREM H. *For any constants λ_1, λ_2 such that $0<\lambda_1<2<\lambda_2$, there exists a one-to-one correspondence between mass-symmetric 2-type Chen immersions of \mathbf{R}^2 into $S^7(1)$ with respect to eigenvalues λ_1 and λ_2 and a family*

$$\{f_1(\lambda_1, \lambda_2, t) \mid 0\leq t\leq\pi/4\} \cup \{f_2(\lambda_1, \lambda_2, t) \mid 0\leq t<\pi/4\}$$

up to the action of isometries of the domain and range.

§5. Totally real 2-type surfaces in S^6 .

In this section, we apply our results to some surfaces in S^6 and prove Theorems F and G.

5.0. Totally real submanifolds of S^6 . We realize an 8-dimensional Euclidean space E^8 as the underlying vector space of Cayley division algebra $\mathbb{C} = \{e_0=1, e_i (1 \leq i \leq 7)\}$. The automorphism group of \mathbb{C} is the compact simple Lie group G_2 . Let \mathbb{C}_+ be the subspace of \mathbb{C} consisting of all pure imaginary Cayley numbers. Then \mathbb{C}_+ is identified with a 7-dimensional Euclidean space E^7 and stable under the action of G_2 . A vector cross product for vectors in $\mathbb{C}_+ = E^7$ is defined by

$$x \times y = \langle x, y \rangle e_0 + x \cdot y,$$

where \cdot denotes the multiplication as Cayley algebra and $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$ is the canonical Euclidean inner product. The multiplication table is as follows:

(5.1)

$j \backslash k$	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	0	e_8	$-e_2$	e_5	$-e_4$	e_7	$-e_6$
2	$-e_3$	0	e_1	$-e_6$	e_7	e_4	$-e_5$
3	e_2	$-e_1$	0	e_7	e_6	$-e_5$	$-e_4$
4	$-e_5$	e_6	$-e_7$	0	e_1	$-e_2$	e_3
5	e_4	$-e_7$	$-e_6$	$-e_1$	0	e_3	e_2
6	$-e_7$	$-e_4$	e_5	e_2	$-e_3$	0	e_1
7	e_6	e_5	e_4	$-e_3$	$-e_2$	$-e_1$	0

$e_j \times e_k =$

Regarding $S^6(1)$ as $\{x \in \mathbb{C}_+ \mid \langle x, x \rangle = 1\}$, we may define an almost complex structure J on S^6 by

$$JX = x \times X,$$

where $x \in S^6$ and $X \in T_x(S^6)$ (the tangent space of S^6 at x). Let \tilde{g} be the metric on S^6 induced from E^7 so that \tilde{g} is a Hermitian metric of the almost complex manifold (S^6, J) . We have

$$(5.2) \quad (\tilde{\nabla}_x J)Y = X \times Y + \tilde{g}(X, JY)x$$

for $x \in S^6$ and $X, Y \in T_x(S^6)$, where $\tilde{\nabla}$ is the Riemannian connection of (S^6, \tilde{g}) . Thus the almost Hermitian manifold (S^6, J, \tilde{g}) is a nearly Kaehlerian manifold, i.e., $(\tilde{\nabla}_x J)X = 0$ for any tangent vector X of S^6 . We note that the Lie group G_2 is the group of all automorphisms of the nearly Kaehlerian manifold (S^6, J, \tilde{g}) .

For any vector fields X and Y of S^6 , we put $G(X, Y) = (\tilde{\nabla}_x J)Y$ so that G is a skew-symmetric tensor field of type (1, 2) on S^6 . We have the following. See Gray [11] and [12].

LEMMA 5.1.

- (1) $G(X, JY) = G(JX, Y) = -JG(X, Y)$,
- (2) $(\tilde{\nabla}_x G)(Y, Z) = \tilde{g}(Y, JZ)X + \tilde{g}(X, Z)JY - \tilde{g}(X, Y)JZ$,
- (3) $\|G(X, Y)\|^2 = \|X\|^2 \cdot \|Y\|^2 - \tilde{g}(X, Y)^2 - \tilde{g}(X, JY)^2$,

for any X, Y and $Z \in \mathfrak{X}(S^6)$ (the vector space of all vector fields on S^6).

Let (M, g) be a submanifold of (S^6, J, \tilde{g}) , and $T_x^\perp(M)$ the normal space of M at a point x of M . From now on, we assume that M is a totally real submanifold of S^6 , i.e., $JX \in T_x^\perp(M)$ for any $x \in M$ and any $X \in T_x(M)$. Note that the dimension of M is 2 or 3.

Denote by ∇ the Riemannian connection of M , and by h , A and ∇^\perp the second fundamental form, the Weingarten map and the normal connection of M in S^6 respectively. We have the Gauss' formula and the Weingarten's formula:

$$\tilde{\nabla}_x Y = \nabla_x Y + h(X, Y), \quad \tilde{\nabla}_x \xi = -A_\xi X + \nabla_x^\perp \xi,$$

where X, Y and Z are tangent vector fields and ξ is a normal vector field. Moreover, we see

$$g(A_\xi X, Y) = \tilde{g}(h(X, Y), \xi).$$

LEMMA 5.2. $G(X, Y) \in T_x^\perp(M)$ for any $X, Y \in T_x(M)$.

Ejiri [9] shows this lemma in the case of $\dim(M) = 3$. But the proof in [9] is also true in the case of $\dim(M) = 2$. We obtain the following.

LEMMA 5.3. If X and Y ($\in T_x(M)$) are linearly independent, then $JG(X, Y)$ is perpendicular to both X and Y in $T_x(S^6)$.

PROOF. By Lemma 5.1 (1), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
(\tilde{\nabla}_x G)(JY, JZ) &= \tilde{\nabla}_x \cdot G(JY, JZ) - G(\tilde{\nabla}_x \cdot JY, JZ) - G(JY, \tilde{\nabla}_x \cdot JZ) \\
&= -\tilde{\nabla}_x \cdot G(Y, Z) - G(G(X, Y), JZ) - G(J \cdot \tilde{\nabla}_x Y, JZ) \\
&\quad - G(JY, G(X, Z)) - G(JY, J \cdot \tilde{\nabla}_x Z) \\
&= -\tilde{\nabla}_x \cdot G(Y, Z) + JG(G(X, Y), Z) + G(\tilde{\nabla}_x Y, Z) \\
&\quad + JG(Y, G(X, Z)) + G(Y, \tilde{\nabla}_x Z).
\end{aligned}$$

Thus, we obtain

$$G(Y, G(Z, X)) + G(Z, G(X, Y)) = J(\tilde{\nabla}_x G)(JY, JZ) + J(\tilde{\nabla}_x G)(Y, Z)$$

for any X, Y and $Z \in \mathfrak{X}(S^6)$. It follows from Lemma 5.1 (2) that

$$(5.3) \quad \begin{aligned} &G(Y, G(Z, X)) + G(Z, G(X, Y)) \\ &= 2\tilde{g}(Y, JZ)JX - \tilde{g}(X, JZ)JY - \tilde{g}(X, Z)Y + \tilde{g}(X, JY)JZ + \tilde{g}(X, Y)Z, \end{aligned}$$

$$(5.4) \quad \begin{aligned} &G(Z, G(X, Y)) + G(X, G(Y, Z)) \\ &= 2\tilde{g}(Z, JX)JY - \tilde{g}(Y, JX)JZ - \tilde{g}(Y, X)Z + \tilde{g}(Y, JZ)JX + \tilde{g}(Y, Z)X, \end{aligned}$$

$$(5.5) \quad \begin{aligned} &G(X, G(Y, Z)) + G(Y, G(Z, X)) \\ &= 2\tilde{g}(X, JY)JZ - \tilde{g}(Z, JY)JX - \tilde{g}(Z, Y)X + \tilde{g}(Z, JX)JY + \tilde{g}(Z, X)Y. \end{aligned}$$

Computing $(-(5.3) + (5.4) + (5.5))$, we have

$$(5.6) \quad G(X, G(Y, Z)) = \tilde{g}(X, Z)Y - \tilde{g}(X, Y)Z + \tilde{g}(X, JY)JZ - \tilde{g}(X, JZ)JY,$$

or

$$G(Z, G(X, Y)) = \tilde{g}(Z, Y)X - \tilde{g}(Z, X)Y + \tilde{g}(Z, JX)JY - \tilde{g}(Z, JY)JX,$$

for any X, Y and $Z \in \mathfrak{X}(S^6)$. Hence we assume that $X, Y \in T_x(M)$ and $Z = JG(X, Y)$. This equation, together with Lemma 5.1 (1) and 5.2, implies

$$(5.7) \quad \begin{aligned} 0 &= JG(Z, Z) = G(Z, G(X, Y)) \\ &= \tilde{g}(Z, Y)X - \tilde{g}(Z, X)Y + \tilde{g}(G(X, Y), X)JY - \tilde{g}(G(X, Y), Y)JX \\ &= \tilde{g}(Z, Y)X - \tilde{g}(Z, X)Y. \end{aligned}$$

Now, we assume that X and Y are linearly independent. Then (5.7) implies $\tilde{g}(Z, X) = \tilde{g}(Z, Y) = 0$. Q.E.D.

REMARK. This lemma in the case of $\dim(M) = 3$ is shown by Ejiri [9].

5.1. Proof of Theorem F. Let T be a maximal torus of G_2 . Then, for $\sigma \in G_2$, $\sigma T \sigma^{-1}$ is also a maximal torus. Therefore we may put

$$(5.8) \quad T = \left(\begin{array}{cccccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos a & \sin a & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -\sin a & \cos a & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cos b & \sin b & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -\sin b & \cos b & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cos c & \sin c \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -\sin c & \cos c \end{array} \right) \left. \begin{array}{l} a, b, c \in \mathbf{R} \\ a+b+c=0 \end{array} \right\}$$

with respect to the basis $\{e_1, \dots, e_7\}$.

Let $x = \sum_{i=1}^7 x^i e_i$ be a point of S^6 so that $\sum_{i=1}^7 (x^i)^2 = 1$. We assume that an orbit Tx is a flat surface of S^6 . We have $|x^i| \neq 1$ for any i , and Tx lies in a hypersphere $S^5 = S^5(1/(1-(x^1)^2))$. After changing parameters a and b if necessary, we may assume $x^3 = x^5 = 0$. Thus, we have

$$Tx = \{\varphi(u^1, u^2) \mid u^1, u^2 \in \mathbf{R}\},$$

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi(u^1, u^2) = & x^1 e_1 + (x^2 \cos u^1) e_2 - (x^2 \sin u^1) e_3 + (x^4 \cos u^2) e_4 - (x^4 \sin u^2) e_5 \\ & + (x^6 \cos(u^1 + u^2) - x^7 \sin(u^1 + u^2)) e_6 + (x^6 \sin(u^1 + u^2) + x^7 \cos(u^1 + u^2)) e_7. \end{aligned}$$

Note that $\varphi(0, 0) = x$. For $i = 1, 2$, denote $(\partial\varphi/\partial u^i)(0, 0)$ by φ_i . Then we get

$$\varphi_1 = -x^2 e_3 - x^7 e_6 + x^6 e_7, \quad \varphi_2 = -x^4 e_5 - x^7 e_6 + x^6 e_7.$$

Since Tx is a surface, we see

$$(5.9) \quad (x^2)^2 + (x^4)^2 \neq 0, \quad (x^2)^2 + (x^6)^2 + (x^7)^2 \neq 0, \quad \text{and} \quad (x^4)^2 + (x^6)^2 + (x^7)^2 \neq 0.$$

Put $g_{ij} = \langle \varphi_i, \varphi_j \rangle$ so that

$$g_{11} = (x^2)^2 + (x^6)^2 + (x^7)^2,$$

$$g_{22} = (x^4)^2 + (x^6)^2 + (x^7)^2,$$

$$g_{12} = g_{21} = (x^6)^2 + (x^7)^2,$$

and put $g = \sum_{i,j=1}^2 g_{ij} du^i \otimes du^j$. Then φ can be considered as an isometric immersion of $\mathbf{R}^2 = \{(u^1, u^2) \mid u^1, u^2 \in \mathbf{R}\}$ with metric tensor g into S^6 .

Let Δ be the Laplacian of (\mathbf{R}^2, g) , and let $(g^{ij}) = (g_{ij})^{-1}$. Then we get $\Delta = -\sum_{i,j=1}^2 g^{ij} (\partial^2/\partial u^i \partial u^j)$. It is easy to show the following.

LEMMA 5.4. *A T -orbit Tx whose dimension is 2 is mass-symmetric in S^5 and at most of 3-type.*

In particular, Tx is mass-symmetric in S^6 if and only if $x^1 = 0$, and

Tx is of 2-type if and only if Tx is not minimal in S^6 and x satisfies one of the following:

- (1) $x^2=0$ or $x^4=0$ or $x^6=x^7=0$,
- (2) $(x^2)^2=(x^4)^2$,
- (3) $(x^2)^2=(x^6)^2+(x^7)^2$,
- (4) $(x^4)^2=(x^6)^2+(x^7)^2$.

By the definition, we have

$$\begin{aligned} J\varphi_1 &= \varphi(0, 0) \times \varphi_1 \\ &= (-(x^2)^2 + (x^6)^2 + (x^7)^2)e_1 + (x^1x^2 + x^4x^7)e_2 \\ &\quad + x^4x^6e_3 - 2x^2x^7e_4 - 2x^2x^6e_5 - x^1x^6e_8 + (x^2x^4 - x^1x^7)e_7. \end{aligned}$$

Hence we obtain

$$\tilde{g}(J\varphi_1, \varphi_2) = 3x^2x^4x^6.$$

This implies the following.

LEMMA 5.5. Tx is totally real if and only if $x^2x^4x^6=0$.

Denote by h and H the second fundamental form and the mean curvature vector of Tx in S^6 . After long but simple computation, we have, at the base point x ,

$$h(\varphi_i, \varphi_j) = \frac{\partial^2 \varphi}{\partial u^i \partial u^j}(0, 0) + g_{ij}\varphi(0, 0)$$

or

$$\begin{aligned} h(\varphi_1, \varphi_1) &= -x^2e_2 - x^6e_6 - x^7e_7 + g_{11}x, \\ h(\varphi_2, \varphi_2) &= -x^4e_4 - x^6e_6 - x^7e_7 + g_{22}x, \\ h(\varphi_1, \varphi_2) &= -x^6e_6 - x^7e_7 + g_{12}x, \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} H &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j=1}^2 g^{ij}h(\varphi_i, \varphi_j) \\ &= \frac{1}{2D} (2Dx^1e_1 + (2D - g_{22})x^2e_2 + (2D - g_{11})x^4e_4 \\ &\quad + (2D - g_{11} - g_{22} + 2g_{12})x^6e_6 + (2D - g_{11} - g_{22} + 2g_{12})x^7e_7) \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
(5.10) \quad JH &= x \times H \\
&= \frac{1}{2D} ((g_{22} - 2g_{12})x^4x^6e_2 + ((-g_{22} + 2g_{12})x^4x^7 - g_{22}x^1x^2)e_3 \\
&\quad + (-g_{11} + 2g_{12})x^2x^6e_4 + ((g_{11} - 2g_{12})x^2x^7 - g_{11}x^1x^4)e_5 \\
&\quad + ((g_{11} - g_{22})x^2x^4 + (g_{11} + g_{22} - 2g_{12})x^1x^7)e_6 \\
&\quad + (-g_{11} - g_{22} + 2g_{12})x^1x^6e_7),
\end{aligned}$$

where $D = \det(g_{ij})$.

From now on, we assume that Tx is a totally real mass-symmetric 2-type surface in S^6 . From Lemmas 5.4 and 5.5, we see that $x^1=0$ and $x^2x^4x^6=0$. Hence one of the following four cases occurs:

- (case A) $x^2=0$,
- (case B) $x^4=0$,
- (case C) $x^2 \neq 0, x^4 \neq 0, x^6 = x^7 = 0$,
- (case D) $x^2 \neq 0, x^4 \neq 0, x^6 = 0, x^7 \neq 0$.

LEMMA 5.6. Suppose that Tx is totally real and mass-symmetric in S^6 , i.e., $x^1=0$ and $x^2x^4x^6=0$. Then

- (1) JH is normal to Tx if and only if

$$\begin{aligned}
&x^2=0 \text{ or } x^4=0 \text{ or } x^6=x^7=0 \\
&\text{or } (x^6=0 \text{ and } (x^2)^2=(x^4)^2=(x^7)^2=1/3).
\end{aligned}$$

In the last case, Tx is minimal in S^6 .

- (2) JH is tangent to Tx if and only if

$$(5.11) \quad (x^2)^2=(x^4)^2 \text{ or } (x^2)^2=(x^6)^2+(x^7)^2 \text{ or } (x^4)^2=(x^6)^2+(x^7)^2.$$

PROOF. (1) From (5.10), we easily see that

$$\begin{aligned}
2D\tilde{g}(JH, \varphi_1) &= (2g_{22} - g_{11} - 2g_{12})x^2x^4x^7 \\
&= (2(x^4)^2 - (x^2)^2 - (x^6)^2 - (x^7)^2)x^2x^4x^7
\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
2D\tilde{g}(JH, \varphi_2) &= -(2g_{11} - g_{22} - 2g_{12})x^2x^4x^7 \\
&= -(2(x^2)^2 - (x^4)^2 - (x^6)^2 - (x^7)^2)x^2x^4x^7.
\end{aligned}$$

If JH is normal to Tx , then $\tilde{g}(JH, \varphi_1) = \tilde{g}(JH, \varphi_2) = 0$. If $x^2x^4x^7 \neq 0$, we have $x^6 = 0$ and $(x^2)^2 = (x^4)^2 = (x^7)^2$. Since $(x^2)^2 + (x^4)^2 + (x^7)^2 = 1$, we have $(x^2)^2 = (x^4)^2 = (x^7)^2 = 1/3$ so that Tx is minimal in S^6 . It is easy to see the converse.

(2) Suppose that JH is tangent to Tx . Assume $x^2=0$ so that (5.9) and (5.10) imply

$$JH = \frac{1}{2D} x^4 ((x^4)^2 - (x^6)^2 - (x^7)^2) (x^6 e_2 - x^7 e_3) \quad \text{and} \quad x^4 \neq 0.$$

On the other hand, Lemma 5.6 (1) implies that JH is normal so that $JH=0$. If $(x^4)^2 \neq (x^6)^2 + (x^7)^2$, then we have $x^2 = x^6 = x^7 = 0$. This contradicts (5.9). Therefore we have $(x^4)^2 = (x^6)^2 + (x^7)^2$. Similarly, $x^4=0$ implies $(x^2)^2 = (x^6)^2 + (x^7)^2$.

Assume $x^2 x^4 \neq 0$ so that $x^6=0$. From (5.10), we have

$$JH = \frac{1}{2D} (((x^7)^2 - (x^4)^2) x^4 x^7 e_3 + ((x^2)^2 - (x^7)^2) x^2 x^7 e_5 + ((x^2)^2 - (x^4)^2) x^2 x^4 e_6).$$

Define a tangent vector $\not\leftarrow$ by

$$\begin{aligned} \not\leftarrow &= -\frac{((x^7)^2 - (x^4)^2) x^4 x^7}{x^2} \varphi_1 - \frac{((x^2)^2 - (x^7)^2) x^2 x^7}{x^4} \varphi_2 \\ &= ((x^7)^2 - (x^4)^2) x^4 x^7 e_3 + ((x^2)^2 - (x^7)^2) x^2 x^7 e_5 \\ &\quad + \frac{(x^7)^2}{x^2 x^4} ((x^2)^2 - (x^4)^2) \{ (x^2)^2 + (x^4)^2 - (x^7)^2 \} e_6. \end{aligned}$$

Since JH is tangent to Tx , we have $JH = (1/(2D)) \not\leftarrow$ so that

$$\{ (x^2)^2 - (x^4)^2 \} \{ (x^4)^2 - (x^7)^2 \} \{ (x^7)^2 - (x^2)^2 \} = 0.$$

Conversely, we assume (5.11). If $x^2=0$, then, from (5.9) and (5.11), we see $JH=0$. Similarly, if $x^4=0$, then we see $JH=0$. If $x^2 x^4 \neq 0$, then we see $JH=2D \not\leftarrow$ so that JH is tangent to Tx . Q.E.D.

Immediately, Lemmas 5.4 and 5.6 imply the following.

LEMMA 5.7. *Suppose that Tx is totally real and mass-symmetric and is not minimal in S^6 . Then Tx is of 2-type if and only if JH is either a normal vector or a tangent vector of S^6 . If JH is normal, then Tx is of (case A) or (case B) or (case C). If JH is tangent, then Tx is of (case D).*

We assume that Tx is of (case A) and put

$$\cos \theta = \frac{x^6}{((x^6)^2 + (x^7)^2)^{1/2}}, \quad \sin \theta = \frac{x^7}{((x^6)^2 + (x^7)^2)^{1/2}},$$

so that $\varphi(-\theta, 0) = x^4 e_4 + ((x^6)^2 + (x^7)^2)^{1/2} e_5$ and $\varphi(-\theta - \pi, \pi) = -x^4 e_4 + ((x^6)^2 +$

$(x^7)^2)^{1/2}e_6$. Thus we may put $x^4 = \alpha$, $x^6 = (1 - \alpha^2)^{1/2}$ and $x^7 = 0$ for $0 < \alpha < 1$. Put $x_\alpha = \alpha e_4 + (1 - \alpha^2)^{1/2} e_6$.

Define an isometry σ_1 of S^6 by

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_1(e_1) &= e_1, & \sigma_1(e_2) &= -e_2, & \sigma_1(e_3) &= -e_3, & \sigma_1(e_4) &= e_6, \\ \sigma_1(e_5) &= e_7, & \sigma_1(e_6) &= e_4, & \sigma_1(e_7) &= e_5. \end{aligned}$$

From table (5.1), σ_1 is an element of G_2 . Therefore, for $0 < \alpha < 1/\sqrt{2}$, Tx_α and Tx_β , $\beta = (1 - \alpha^2)^{1/2}$, are congruent to each other under the action of σ_1 . Note that Tx_α , $\alpha = 1/\sqrt{2}$, is a minimal surface of S^6 .

It is easy to see that Tx_α lies in a totally geodesic $S^3(1) = \{y \in S^6(1) \mid \langle y, e_i \rangle = 0, i = 1, 2, 3\}$. From table (5.1), $S^3(1)$ is totally real in $S^6(1)$. In particular, JH is a normal vector field of Tx_α in S^6 . Since Tx_α is a hypersurface of $S^3(1)$, Tx_α is a Chen surface of S^3 (also of S^6).

Define $\sigma_2 \in G_2$ by

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_2(e_1) &= e_1, & \sigma_2(e_2) &= e_4, & \sigma_2(e_3) &= e_5, & \sigma_2(e_4) &= e_2, \\ \sigma_2(e_5) &= e_3, & \sigma_2(e_6) &= -e_6, & \sigma_2(e_7) &= -e_7. \end{aligned}$$

It is clear that $\sigma_i^{-1}T\sigma_i = T$, $i = 1, 2$. $\sigma_1(x)$ is of (case B) if x is of (case C), and $\sigma_2(x)$ is of (case A) if x is of (case B). Therefore, (case B) and (case C) reduce to (case A).

Let Tx be an orbit of (case D). From Lemma 5.4, we have

$$(x^2)^2 = (x^4)^2 \quad \text{or} \quad (x^2)^2 = (x^7)^2 \quad \text{or} \quad (x^4)^2 = (x^7)^2.$$

Define $\sigma_3 \in G_2$ by

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_3(e_1) &= e_1, & \sigma_3(e_2) &= e_7, & \sigma_3(e_3) &= -e_6, & \sigma_3(e_4) &= -e_4, \\ \sigma_3(e_5) &= -e_5, & \sigma_3(e_6) &= -e_3, & \sigma_3(e_7) &= e_2. \end{aligned}$$

Using σ_2 and σ_3 , we can assume $(x^2)^2 = (x^4)^2$. Since

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi(0, 0) &= x = x^2 e_2 + x^4 e_4 + x^7 e_7, & \varphi(\pi, 0) &= -x^2 e_2 + x^4 e_4 - x^7 e_7, \\ \varphi(0, \pi) &= x^2 e_2 - x^4 e_4 - x^7 e_7, & \text{and } \varphi(\pi, \pi) &= -x^2 e_2 - x^4 e_4 + x^7 e_7, \end{aligned}$$

we may assume $x^2 = x^4 > 0$. Moreover, applying σ_2 , we can assume $x^7 > 0$. Finally, it is sufficient to study the case where

$$x = y_\beta = \beta e_2 + \beta e_4 + \gamma e_4, \quad 0 < \beta < 1/\sqrt{2}, \quad \gamma = (1 - 2\beta^2)^{1/2}.$$

Note that Ty_β is minimal if $\beta = 1/\sqrt{3}$. By Lemma 5.6, JH is tangent to Ty_β . h and H are given by

$$\begin{aligned}h(\varphi_1, \varphi_1) &= -\beta^3 e_2 + (1-\beta^2)\beta e_4 - \beta^2 \gamma e_7, \\h(\varphi_2, \varphi_2) &= (1-\beta^2)\beta e_2 - \beta^3 e_4 - \beta^2 \gamma e_7, \\h(\varphi_1, \varphi_2) &= \beta \gamma^2 e_2 + \beta \gamma^2 e_4 - 2\beta^2 \gamma e_7,\end{aligned}$$

and

$$H = \frac{1-3\beta^2}{2\beta^2(2-3\beta^2)}(-\beta \gamma^2 e_2 - \beta \gamma^2 e_4 + 2\beta^2 \gamma e_7).$$

By direct computation, we see

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{B}(H) &= \sum_{i,j,k,l=1}^2 g^{ik} g^{jl} \tilde{g}(h(\varphi_i, \varphi_j), H) \cdot h(\varphi_k, \varphi_l) \\ &= \frac{\gamma^2(2-6\beta^2+9\beta^4)}{\beta^2(2-3\beta^2)^2} H.\end{aligned}$$

Therefore, $T\gamma_\beta$ is a Chen surface of S^6 .

Now, we see that

$$\begin{aligned}\mathfrak{F}_3/\sim &= \{Tx_\alpha \mid 0 < \alpha < 1/\sqrt{2}\} \quad \text{and} \\ \mathfrak{F}_3/\sim &= \{T\gamma_\beta \mid 0 < \beta < 1/\sqrt{2}, \beta \neq 1/\sqrt{3}\}.\end{aligned}$$

Theorem F is proved completely.

5.2. Proof of Theorem G. Let M be a totally real surface of a nearly Kaehler manifold $(S^6(1), J, \tilde{g})$. Let $\tilde{\nabla}, \nabla, h, A, \nabla^\perp$ etc. be as in §5.0.

Let $\{e_1, e_2\}$ be a (local) orthonormal frame field of M . Put

$$(5.12) \quad \xi_3 = J e_1, \quad \xi_4 = J e_2, \quad \xi_5 = J G(e_1, e_2), \quad \xi_6 = -G(e_1, e_2).$$

By Lemmas 5.1, 5.2 and 5.3, $\{\xi_3, \dots, \xi_6\}$ is a normal orthonormal frame field.

Throughout this section, we use the following convention on the range of indices:

$$A, B, C, \dots = 1, \dots, 6; \quad i, j, k, \dots = 1, 2; \quad r, s, t, \dots = 3, \dots, 6.$$

Let $\{\omega^1, \omega^2\}$ be a dual frame of $\{e_1, e_2\}$. Define 1-forms ω^A_B by

$$\tilde{\nabla} e_i = \sum_j \omega^j_i e_j + \sum_r \omega^r_i \xi_r, \quad \tilde{\nabla} \xi_r = \sum_j \omega^j_r e_j + \sum_s \omega^s_r \xi_s.$$

It is well-known that the structure equations of M are given by

$$(5.13) \quad d\omega^t = -\sum_j \omega^t_j \wedge \omega^j,$$

$$(5.13) \quad d\omega^t_j = -\sum_A \omega^t_A \wedge \omega^A_j + \omega^t \wedge \omega^j,$$

$$(5.14) \quad d\omega^r_j = -\sum_A \omega^r_A \wedge \omega^A_j,$$

$$(5.15) \quad d\omega^r_A = -\sum_A \omega^r_A \wedge \omega^A,$$

$$\omega^A_B + \omega^B_A = 0,$$

$$(5.16) \quad \omega^r_i = \sum_j h^r_{ij} \omega^j, \quad h^r_{ij} = h^r_{ji}.$$

By the definition, we get

$$h^r_{ij} = \tilde{g}(h(e_i, e_j), \xi_r).$$

First, we obtain the following lemma.

LEMMA 5.8. *A frame $\{e_1, e_2, \xi_3, \dots, \xi_6\}$ defined by (5.12) satisfies*

$$(5.17) \quad \begin{aligned} \omega^3_2 &= \omega^4_1, & \omega^4_3 &= \omega^2_1, & \omega^5_3 &= -\omega^6_1, & \omega^6_3 &= \omega^5_1 + \omega^2, \\ \omega^5_4 &= -\omega^6_2, & \omega^6_4 &= \omega^5_2 - \omega^1, & \omega^6_5 &= -\omega^3_1 - \omega^4_2. \end{aligned}$$

PROOF. From $G(e_1, e_1) = 0$, we see

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= G(e_1, e_1) = \tilde{\nabla}_{e_1} \xi_3 - J \tilde{\nabla}_{e_1} e_1 \\ &= -A_{\xi_3} e_1 + \nabla_{e_1} \xi_3 - J \nabla_{e_1} e_1 - Jh(e_1, e_1) \\ &= (-h_{12}^3 + h_{11}^4) e_2 + \sum \omega^r_3(e_1) \xi_r - \omega^2_1(e_1) \xi_4 - h_{11}^5 \xi_6 + h_{11}^6 \xi_5. \end{aligned}$$

Thus we have

$$(5.18) \quad h_{12}^3 = h_{11}^4, \quad \omega^4_3(e_1) = \omega^2_1(e_1), \quad \omega^5_3(e_1) = -h_{11}^6, \quad \omega^6_3(e_1) = h_{11}^5.$$

Similarly, from $G(e_2, e_2) = 0$, we get

$$(5.19) \quad h_{22}^3 = h_{12}^4, \quad \omega^4_3(e_2) = \omega^2_1(e_2), \quad \omega^5_4(e_2) = -h_{22}^6, \quad \omega^6_4(e_2) = h_{22}^5.$$

Moreover, from

$$-\xi_6 = G(e_1, e_2) = \tilde{\nabla}_{e_1} \xi_4 - J \tilde{\nabla}_{e_1} e_2$$

and

$$\xi_6 = G(e_2, e_1) = \tilde{\nabla}_{e_2} \xi_3 - J \tilde{\nabla}_{e_2} e_1,$$

we have

$$(5.20) \quad \begin{aligned} \omega_4^5(e_1) &= -h_{12}^5, & \omega_4^6(e_1) &= h_{12}^5 - 1, \\ \omega_3^5(e_2) &= -h_{12}^5, & \omega_3^6(e_2) &= h_{12}^5 + 1. \end{aligned}$$

Using Lemma 5.1 (1), (2) and (5.6), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{\nabla}_{e_1} \xi_3 &= \tilde{\nabla}_{e_1} (JG(e_1, e_2)) \\ &= (\tilde{\nabla}_{e_1} J)G(e_1, e_2) + J(\tilde{\nabla}_{e_1} G)(e_1, e_2) \\ &\quad + JG(\tilde{\nabla}_{e_1} e_1, e_2) + JG(e_1, \tilde{\nabla}_{e_1} e_2) \\ &= G(e_1, G(e_1, e_2)) + J(\tilde{\nabla}_{e_1} G)(e_1, e_2) \\ &\quad + JG(\nabla_{e_1} e_1, e_2) + JG(h(e_1, e_1), e_2) \\ &\quad + JG(e_1, \nabla_{e_1} e_2) + JG(e_1, h(e_1, e_2)) \\ &= -h_{11}^5 e_1 - h_{12}^5 e_2 + h_{11}^6 \xi_3 + h_{12}^6 \xi_4 + (-h_{11}^3 - h_{12}^4) e_6. \end{aligned}$$

So we have

$$(5.21) \quad \omega_5^6(e_1) = -h_{11}^3 - h_{12}^4.$$

Similarly, computing $\tilde{\nabla}_{e_2} \xi_5$, we have

$$(5.22) \quad \omega_5^6(e_2) = -h_{12}^3 - h_{22}^4.$$

From (5.18), (5.19), (5.20), (5.21) and (5.22), we have (5.17).

Q.E.D.

For convenience, we put

$$a = h_{11}^3, \quad b = h_{12}^3 = h_{11}^4, \quad c = h_{22}^3 = h_{12}^4, \quad d = h_{22}^4$$

and

$$A_r = A_{\xi_r},$$

so that, with respect to $\{e_1, e_2\}$, we have

$$(5.23) \quad A_3 = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ b & c \end{pmatrix}, \quad A_4 = \begin{pmatrix} b & c \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad A_r = \begin{pmatrix} h_{11}^r & h_{12}^r \\ h_{21}^r & h_{22}^r \end{pmatrix}, \quad r=5, 6.$$

Let H be the mean curvature vector of M in S^6 and put

$$H = \sum_r \epsilon^r \xi_r$$

so that

$$\epsilon^3 = \frac{a+c}{2}, \quad \epsilon^4 = \frac{b+d}{2} \quad \text{and} \quad \epsilon^r = \frac{h_{11}^r + h_{22}^r}{2}, \quad r=5, 6,$$

and

$$\omega^6 = -2\kappa^3\omega^1 - 2\kappa^4\omega^2 .$$

Define functions β_1 and β_2 by

$$\omega^2_1 = \beta_1\omega^1 + \beta_2\omega^2 .$$

From (5.13), (5.14) and (5.17), we have

$$(5.24) \quad e_2(\beta_1) - e_1(\beta_2) = 1 + \sum_r \det A_r + \beta_1^2 + \beta_2^2 ,$$

$$(5.25) \quad -e_2(a) + e_1(b) = (-a + 2c)\beta_1 - 3b\beta_2 + 2h_{11}^5 h_{12}^6 - 2h_{12}^5 h_{11}^6 - h_{11}^6 ,$$

$$(5.26) \quad -e_2(b) + e_1(c) = (-2b + d)\beta_1 + (a - 2c)\beta_2 + h_{11}^5 h_{22}^6 - h_{22}^5 h_{11}^6 - h_{12}^6 ,$$

$$(5.27) \quad -e_2(c) + e_1(d) = -3c\beta_1 + (2b - d)\beta_2 + 2h_{12}^5 h_{22}^6 - 2h_{22}^5 h_{12}^6 - h_{22}^6 ,$$

$$(5.28) \quad -e_2(h_{11}^5) + e_1(h_{12}^5) = -(h_{11}^5 - h_{22}^5)\beta_1 - 2h_{12}^5\beta_2 + b(h_{11}^6 - h_{22}^6) \\ - (a - c)h_{12}^6 - 2\kappa^3 h_{12}^6 + 2\kappa^4 h_{11}^6 ,$$

$$(5.29) \quad -e_2(h_{12}^5) + e_1(h_{22}^5) = -2h_{12}^5\beta_1 + (h_{11}^5 - h_{22}^5)\beta_2 + c(h_{11}^6 - h_{22}^6) \\ - (b - d)h_{12}^6 - 2\kappa^3 h_{22}^6 + 2\kappa^4 h_{12}^6 ,$$

$$(5.30) \quad -e_2(h_{11}^6) + e_1(h_{12}^6) = -(h_{11}^6 - h_{22}^6)\beta_1 - 2h_{12}^6\beta_2 - b(h_{11}^5 - h_{22}^5) \\ + (a - c)h_{12}^5 + 2\kappa^3(h_{12}^5 + 1) - 2\kappa^4 h_{11}^5 ,$$

$$(5.31) \quad -e_2(h_{12}^6) + e_1(h_{22}^6) = -2h_{12}^6\beta_1 + (h_{11}^6 - h_{22}^6)\beta_2 - c(h_{11}^5 - h_{22}^5) \\ + (b - d)h_{12}^5 + 2\kappa^3 h_{22}^5 - 2\kappa^4(h_{12}^5 - 1) .$$

From now on, we assume that M is a complete totally real mass-symmetric 2-type Chen surface which is imbedded by an isometric imbedding f . Suppose that f is of 2-type with respect to eigenvalues λ_1 and λ_2 , $0 < \lambda_1 < \lambda_2$. B. Y. Chen shows the following. See Chen [8, p. 274] and [7].

LEMMA 5.9. *The mean curvature α of M in S^6 is constant and given by*

$$(5.32) \quad \alpha^2 = (2 - \lambda_1)(\lambda_2 - 2)/4 ,$$

and the mean curvature vector H satisfies

$$(5.33) \quad \text{tr}(A_{\nabla^\perp H}) = \sum_i (A_{\nabla^\perp_{e_i} H})e_i = 0 ,$$

$$(5.34) \quad \Delta^\perp H + \mathcal{A}(H) + (\|A_\xi\|^2 + 2)H = (\lambda_1 + \lambda_2)H ,$$

where $\Delta^\perp H = \sum_i \{\nabla_{\nabla^\perp_{e_i} H}^\perp - \nabla_{e_i}^\perp \nabla_{e_i}^\perp H\}$, $\mathcal{A}(H)$ is the allied mean curvature vector in S^6 and $\xi = H/\alpha$.

Barros and Chen [1] show the following.

LEMMA 5.10. *H satisfies*

$$(5.35) \quad \|\nabla^\perp H\|^2 = \alpha^2\{\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 - \|A_\xi\|^2 - 2\},$$

where $\xi = H/\alpha$, and for an orthonormal normal frame $\{\xi_3, \dots, \xi_6\}$ such that $\xi_3 = \xi$, we have

$$(5.36) \quad \mathcal{A}(H) = \alpha \sum_{r=4}^6 \{\text{tr}(\nabla \omega^r) - \langle \nabla^\perp \xi_3, \nabla^\perp \xi_r \rangle\} \xi_r,$$

where $\langle \nabla^\perp \xi_3, \nabla^\perp \xi_r \rangle = \sum_{i=1}^2 \langle \nabla_{\xi_i}^\perp \xi_3, \nabla_{\xi_i}^\perp \xi_r \rangle$.

On the other hand, by the definition of the allied mean curvature, we obtain

$$(5.37) \quad \mathcal{A}(H) = \sum_{r=4}^6 \text{tr}(A_H A_r) \xi_r$$

where $\{\xi_r\}$ is an orthonormal normal frame such that $\xi_3 = H/\alpha$.

5.2.1. The case that JH is normal. Assume that JH is a normal vector field of M in S^6 . Choosing a frame defined by (5.12), we easily see that $\kappa^3 = \kappa^4 = 0$, $c = -a$, $d = -b$ and $\omega_3^6 = 0$. By Lemma 5.8, we see

$$\nabla^\perp H = (\kappa^5 \omega_1^6 - \kappa^6(\omega_1^5 + \omega^2)) \xi_3 + (\kappa^5 \omega_2^6 - \kappa^6(\omega_2^5 - \omega^1)) \xi_4 + d \kappa^5 \cdot \xi_5 + d \kappa^6 \cdot \xi_6.$$

Combining this with (5.33), we have

$$(5.38) \quad e_1(\kappa^5)h_{11}^5 + e_1(\kappa^6)h_{11}^6 + e_2(\kappa^5)h_{12}^5 + e_2(\kappa^6)h_{12}^6 \\ + a(\kappa^5(h_{11}^6 - h_{22}^6) - \kappa^6(h_{11}^5 - h_{22}^5)) + 2b(\kappa^5 h_{12}^6 - \kappa^6 h_{12}^5) = 0$$

and

$$(5.39) \quad e_1(\kappa^5)h_{12}^5 + e_1(\kappa^6)h_{12}^6 + e_2(\kappa^5)h_{22}^5 + e_2(\kappa^6)h_{22}^6 \\ + b(\kappa^5(h_{11}^6 - h_{22}^6) - \kappa^6(h_{11}^5 - h_{22}^5)) - 2a(\kappa^5 h_{12}^6 - \kappa^6 h_{12}^5) = 0.$$

Put $\eta_5 = H/\alpha$ and $\eta_6 = (-\kappa^6 \xi_5 + \kappa^5 \xi_6)/\alpha$ so that $\{\xi_3, \xi_4, \eta_5, \eta_6\}$ is an orthonormal normal frame. From (5.37), we see that

$$(5.40) \quad a(\kappa^5(h_{11}^5 - h_{22}^5) + \kappa^6(h_{11}^6 - h_{22}^6)) + 2b(\kappa^5 h_{12}^5 + \kappa^6 h_{12}^6) = 0$$

and

$$(5.41) \quad b(\kappa^5(h_{11}^5 - h_{22}^5) + \kappa^6(h_{11}^6 - h_{22}^6)) - 2a(\kappa^5 h_{12}^5 + \kappa^6 h_{12}^6) = 0.$$

From (5.25) and (5.27), we get

$$(5.42) \quad (h_{11}^5 - h_{22}^5)h_{12}^6 - (h_{11}^6 - h_{22}^6)h_{12}^5 = \kappa^6 .$$

Assume $a^2 + b^2 \neq 0$. From (5.40) and (5.41), we have

$$(5.43) \quad \begin{cases} \kappa^5(h_{11}^5 - h_{22}^5) + \kappa^6(h_{11}^6 - h_{22}^6) = 0 , \\ \kappa^5 h_{12}^5 + \kappa^6 h_{12}^6 = 0 . \end{cases}$$

Combining $(\kappa^5)^2 + (\kappa^6)^2 = \alpha^2 \neq 0$ with (5.42) and (5.43), we see $\kappa^6 = 0$. Hence we can choose e_1 and e_2 in such a way that $\kappa^5 = \alpha$. From (5.43), we have $h_{11}^5 = h_{22}^5 = \alpha$ and $h_{12}^5 = 0$. So, from (5.38) and (5.39), we get $h_{11}^6 = h_{22}^6 = h_{12}^6 = 0$. Therefore we have $\nabla^\perp H = 0$. From (5.32) and (5.35), we obtain $\alpha^2 = (2 - \lambda_1)(\lambda_2 - 2)/4$ and $\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 - 2\alpha^2 - 2 = 0$ so that $\lambda_1 \lambda_2 = 0$. This is a contradiction. So we obtain $a = b = 0$.

Assume $\kappa^6 \neq 0$. From (5.25), (5.26) and (5.27), we have

$$(5.44) \quad 2h_{11}^5 h_{12}^6 - 2h_{12}^5 h_{11}^6 = h_{11}^6 ,$$

$$(5.45) \quad 2h_{12}^5 h_{22}^6 - 2h_{22}^5 h_{12}^6 = h_{22}^6 ,$$

$$(5.46) \quad h_{11}^5 h_{22}^6 - h_{22}^5 h_{11}^6 = h_{12}^6 .$$

From (5.44) and (5.45), we see

$$(5.47) \quad (h_{11}^5 - h_{22}^5)h_{12}^6 - (h_{11}^6 - h_{22}^6)h_{12}^5 = \kappa^6 ,$$

$$(5.48) \quad 4\kappa^5 h_{12}^6 - 4\kappa^6 h_{12}^5 = h_{11}^6 - h_{22}^6 .$$

Since $\kappa^5 e_i(\kappa^5) + \kappa^6 e_i(\kappa^6) = 0$ ($i = 1, 2$), we get from (5.38), (5.39), (5.46) and (5.48),

$$(5.49) \quad \begin{cases} -h_{12}^6 e_1(\kappa^6) + \frac{1}{2}(h_{11}^6 - h_{22}^6) e_2(\kappa^6) = 0 , \\ \frac{1}{2}(h_{11}^6 - h_{22}^6) e_1(\kappa^6) + h_{12}^6 e_2(\kappa^6) = 0 . \end{cases}$$

Up to sign, a normal vector field $\xi_6 = -G(e_1, e_2)$ is independent of the choice of e_1 and e_2 . So we can choose e_1 and e_2 in such a way that $h_{12}^5 \geq 0$ and A_6 is diagonal, i.e., $h_{12}^6 = 0$. From (5.47) and (5.49), we see that $h_{11}^6 - h_{22}^6 \neq 0$ and κ^6 is non-zero constant. Thus, from (5.47) and (5.48), we get $4(h_{12}^5)^2 \kappa^6 = \kappa^6$ so that $h_{12}^5 = 1/2$. Therefore, using (5.44) and (5.46), we obtain

$$(5.50) \quad \begin{aligned} h_{11}^5 = h_{11}^6 = 0 , \quad h_{22}^5 = 2\kappa^5 = \text{constant} , \quad h_{22}^6 = 2\kappa^6 = \text{constant} , \\ h_{12}^5 = 1/2 , \quad h_{12}^6 = 0 . \end{aligned}$$

Combining this with (5.30) and (5.31), we have

$$(5.51) \quad \beta_1 = \beta_2 = 0 .$$

(5.50) and (5.51) contradict (5.24). Therefore we obtain $\alpha^6 = 0$.

We can choose e_1 and e_2 in such a way that

$$A_3 = A_4 = 0 , \quad A_5 = \begin{pmatrix} h_{11}^5 & 0 \\ 0 & h_{22}^5 \end{pmatrix} , \quad A_6 = \begin{pmatrix} h_{11}^6 & h_{12}^6 \\ h_{12}^6 & -h_{11}^6 \end{pmatrix} , \\ h_{11}^5 + h_{22}^5 = 2\alpha .$$

From (5.25), (5.26) and (5.27), we have

$$2h_{11}^5 h_{12}^6 - h_{11}^6 = 0 , \quad 2h_{22}^5 h_{12}^6 - h_{11}^6 = 0 , \quad 2\alpha h_{11}^6 + h_{12}^6 = 0 .$$

These imply $h_{11}^6 = h_{12}^6 = 0$. Therefore the first normal space N is spanned by ξ_5 . By Lemma 5.8, N is parallel with respect to the normal connection ∇^\perp . By Erbacher [10], M lies in a totally geodesic $S^3(1)$. By Chen [8, p. 279], M is flat.

Let $p \in M$ so that $S^3 = S^6 \cap \text{Span}\{p, e_1, e_2, \xi_5\}$. From (5.2), Lemma 5.1 and (5.6), we get

$$(5.52) \quad \begin{aligned} p \times e_1 &= \xi_3 , & p \times e_2 &= \xi_4 , & p \times \xi_3 &= -e_1 , & p \times \xi_4 &= -e_2 , \\ p \times \xi_5 &= \xi_6 , & p \times \xi_6 &= -\xi_5 , & e_1 \times e_2 &= -\xi_6 , & e_1 \times \xi_3 &= p , \\ e_1 \times \xi_4 &= -\xi_5 , & e_1 \times \xi_5 &= \xi_4 , & e_1 \times \xi_6 &= e_2 , & e_2 \times \xi_3 &= \xi_5 , \\ e_2 \times \xi_4 &= p , & e_2 \times \xi_5 &= -\xi_3 , & e_2 \times \xi_6 &= -e_1 , & \xi_3 \times \xi_4 &= \xi_6 , \\ \xi_3 \times \xi_5 &= e_2 , & \xi_3 \times \xi_6 &= -\xi_4 , & \xi_4 \times \xi_5 &= -e_1 , & \xi_4 \times \xi_6 &= \xi_3 , \\ \xi_5 \times \xi_6 &= p , \end{aligned}$$

so that $p \times e_1, p \times e_2, p \times \xi_5, e_1 \times e_2, e_1 \times \xi_5$ and $e_2 \times \xi_5$ are contained in $\text{Span}\{\xi_3, \xi_4, \xi_6\}$. This implies that S^3 is totally real in S^6 .

By Theorem C, f can be extended to a map of \mathbf{R}^2 into S^3 and is given by

$$f(x, y) = \sqrt{1/\lambda_1} \cos(\sqrt{\lambda_1} x) E_2 + \sqrt{1/\lambda_1} \sin(\sqrt{\lambda_1} x) E_3 \\ + \sqrt{1/\lambda_2} \cos(\sqrt{\lambda_2} y) E_4 + \sqrt{1/\lambda_2} \sin(\sqrt{\lambda_2} y) E_5 , \quad (x, y) \in \mathbf{R}^2 , \\ \lambda_1 \lambda_2 - \lambda_1 - \lambda_2 = 0 ,$$

where $\{E_1, \dots, E_7\}$ is an orthonormal basis of E^7 . Since M is complete and f is an imbedding of M , M is a flat torus \mathbf{R}^2/A , where

$$A = \{(x, y) \mid f(x, y) = f(0, 0)\} .$$

We may assume that $f(0, 0) = p$, $(e_1)_p = (\partial/\partial x)_p$ and $(e_2)_p = (\partial/\partial y)_p$. By direct computation, we have

$$\begin{aligned} p &= \sqrt{1/\lambda_1} E_2 + \sqrt{1/\lambda_2} E_4, & (e_1)_p &= E_3, & (e_2)_p &= E_5, \\ H/\alpha &= \sqrt{1/\lambda_2} E_2 - \sqrt{1/\lambda_1} E_4. \end{aligned}$$

Since ξ_5 is parallel to H , after changing the sign of E_3 or E_5 , we may assume $(\xi_5)_p = -\sqrt{1/\lambda_2} E_2 + \sqrt{1/\lambda_1} E_4$.

Define vectors f_1, \dots, f_7 in E^7 as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} f_1 &= -\sqrt{1/\lambda_1} (\xi_3)_p - \sqrt{1/\lambda_2} (\xi_4)_p, \\ f_2 &= \sqrt{1/\lambda_1} p - \sqrt{1/\lambda_2} (\xi_5)_p, \\ f_3 &= -(e_1)_p, \\ f_4 &= \sqrt{1/\lambda_2} p + \sqrt{1/\lambda_1} (\xi_5)_p, \\ f_5 &= -(e_2)_p, \\ f_6 &= -(\xi_6)_p, \\ f_7 &= \sqrt{1/\lambda_2} (\xi_3)_p - \sqrt{1/\lambda_1} (\xi_4)_p. \end{aligned}$$

Using (5.52), we see that $\{f_1, \dots, f_7\}$ satisfies Table (5.1). Moreover, we have $E_2 = f_2$, $E_3 = -f_3$, $E_4 = f_4$, $E_5 = -f_5$ so that

$$\begin{aligned} f(x, y) &= \sqrt{1/\lambda_1} \cos(\sqrt{\lambda_1} x) f_2 - \sqrt{1/\lambda_1} \sin(\sqrt{\lambda_1} x) f_3 \\ &\quad + \sqrt{1/\lambda_2} \cos(\sqrt{\lambda_2} y) f_4 - \sqrt{1/\lambda_2} \sin(\sqrt{\lambda_2} y) f_5. \end{aligned}$$

This implies that $M (=f(M))$ is an orbit of a maximal torus of G_2 in S^6 . Therefore we see that $M \in \mathfrak{F}_3$.

5.2.2. The case that JH is tangent. Assume that JH is a tangent vector field of M in S^6 . We may choose a frame $\{e_1, e_2, \xi_3, \dots, \xi_6\}$ satisfying

$$\begin{aligned} e_1 &= -JH/\alpha, \\ \xi_3 &= Je_1, \quad \xi_4 = Je_2, \quad \xi_5 = JG(e_1, e_2), \quad \xi_6 = -G(e_1, e_2), \end{aligned}$$

so that $H = \alpha \xi_3$, $a + c = 2\alpha$, $d = -b$, $h_{22}^r = -h_{11}^r$ ($r = 5, 6$). From (5.37), we easily see that $b = d = 0$ and

$$(5.53) \quad (\alpha - c)h_{11}^r = 0, \quad r = 5, 6.$$

By Lemma 5.8,

$$\nabla^\perp H = \alpha(\omega_1^2 \xi_4 - \omega_1^6 \xi_5 + (\omega_1^5 + \omega^2) \xi_6).$$

Combining this with (5.33), we have

$$(5.54) \quad h_{12}^6 = -c\beta_2,$$

$$(5.55) \quad 2h_{11}^5 h_{12}^6 - 2h_{12}^5 h_{11}^6 = -c\beta_1 + h_{11}^6.$$

From (5.36), we have

$$(5.56) \quad e_1(\beta_1) + e_2(\beta_2) = -2h_{11}^5,$$

$$(5.57) \quad e_1(h_{11}^6) + e_2(h_{12}^6) = 2\alpha h_{11}^5,$$

$$(5.58) \quad e_1(h_{11}^5) + e_2(h_{12}^5) = 2\beta_1 - 2\alpha h_{11}^6.$$

From (5.25), (5.27) and (5.55), we get

$$e_2(a) = (a-c)\beta_1, \quad e_2(c) = 4c\beta_1 - 2h_{11}^6.$$

Combining this with $a+c=2\alpha$, we have

$$(5.59) \quad h_{11}^6 = (a+3c)\beta_1/2.$$

From (5.25), (5.26) and (5.54), we have

$$(5.60) \quad \begin{cases} e_1(a) = -(a-c)\beta_2, & e_1(c) = (a-c)\beta_2, \\ e_2(a) = (a-c)\beta_1, & e_2(c) = -(a-c)\beta_1. \end{cases}$$

From (5.31), (5.57), (5.54) and (5.59), we have

$$(5.61) \quad ch_{11}^5 = (a+5c)\beta_1\beta_2/2.$$

From (5.29), (5.58) and (5.59), we obtain

$$(5.62) \quad \beta_1 h_{12}^5 = \beta_1 + \beta_2 h_{11}^5 + c(a+3c)\beta_1/2.$$

Let ψ be a C^∞ -function on M defined by

$$\psi(x) = (\|A_{H/\alpha}\|_x^2 - 2\det(A_{H/\alpha}_x)), \quad x \in M.$$

Using the above frame, we see that ψ is given by $\psi = (a-c)^2$.

LEMMA 5.11. $M_0 = \{x \in M \mid \psi(x) = 0\}$ does not contain any interior points.

PROOF. Assume that there exists an open neighborhood U on which $\psi \equiv 0$. From (5.54), (5.59), (5.61) and (5.62), we obtain

$$(5.63) \quad \begin{cases} a=c=\alpha, & h_{11}^6 = 2\alpha\beta_1, & h_{12}^6 = -\alpha\beta_2, \\ h_{11}^5 = 3\beta_1\beta_2, & \beta_1 h_{12}^5 = \beta_1(1+3\beta_2^2+2\alpha^2). \end{cases}$$

Multiplying (5.55) by β_1 and using (5.63), we obtain $\beta_1=0$ so that $h_{11}^5=h_{11}^6=0$. From (5.24), we get

$$e_1(\beta_2)=(\alpha^2-1)\beta_2^2-1+(h_{11}^5)^2.$$

On the other hand, from (5.30) and (5.63), we have

$$e_1(\beta_2)=-2\beta_2^2-2h_{12}^5-2.$$

These two equations imply $(\alpha^2+1)\beta_2^2+(h_{12}^5+1)^2=0$ so that $\beta_2=0$, $h_{12}^5=-1$ and $h_{12}^6=0$. Therefore we get $\nabla^\perp H=0$. From (5.32) and (5.35), we obtain

$$\alpha^2=(2-\lambda_1)(\lambda_2-2)/4, \quad \lambda_1+\lambda_2-2\alpha^2-2=0$$

so that $\lambda_1\lambda_2=0$. This is a contradiction.

Q.E.D.

LEMMA 5.12. Choose a frame $\{e_1, e_2, \xi_3, \dots, \xi_6\}$ satisfying (5.12) with e_1 parallel to JH . Then $a=g(A_{\xi_3}e_1, e_1)$ is constant and $a \neq 0, \pm 1/\sqrt{2}$. Moreover, we obtain

$$(5.64) \quad \{\lambda_1, \lambda_2\} = \left\{ \frac{2(\alpha^2+1)(2\alpha^2+1)}{4\alpha^2+1}, \frac{4(\alpha^2+1)}{4\alpha^2+1} \right\},$$

$$(5.65) \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \alpha = \left| \frac{a(2\alpha^2-1)}{4\alpha^2+1} \right|, \\ A_3 = \begin{pmatrix} a & 0 \\ 0 & c \end{pmatrix}, \quad A_4 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & c \\ c & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad A_5 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & h \\ h & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad A_6 = 0, \\ \omega_1^2 = \omega_3^4 = \omega_3^5 = \omega_4^5 = 0, \\ \omega_3^6 = (h+1)\omega^2, \quad \omega_4^6 = (h-1)\omega^1, \quad \omega_5^6 = -\frac{2a(2\alpha^2-1)}{4\alpha^2+1}\omega^1, \end{array} \right.$$

where

$$c = -\frac{3a}{4\alpha^2+1} \quad \text{and} \quad h = -\frac{2\alpha^2-1}{4\alpha^2+1}.$$

PROOF. Let U be an open neighborhood such that $\psi(y) \neq 0$ for any y of U . Choose a frame $\{e_1, e_2, \xi_3, \dots, \xi_6\}$ on U satisfying (5.12) and $e_1 = -JH/\alpha$. $\psi \neq 0$ implies $a \neq c$ on U . From (5.53) and (5.59), we see that $h_{11}^5 = h_{11}^6 = 0$ and $(a+3c)\beta_1 = 0$ on U .

Assume that $\beta_1 \neq 0$ at some point x of U . There exists an open neighborhood $V (\subset U)$ of x such that $\beta_1 \neq 0$ on V . We get $a+3c=0$ so that $a=3\alpha$ and $c=-\alpha$ on V . By (5.60), we have $\beta_1=0$. This is a contradiction. Therefore $\beta_1=0$ identically on U .

From (5.24), (5.28), (5.30) and (5.54), we get

$$(5.66) \quad \begin{cases} e_1(\beta_2) = -(\beta_2)^2 - 1 - ac + c^2 + (h_{12}^5)^2 + c^2\beta_2^2, \\ e_1(h_{12}^5) = (-2h_{12}^5 + 2ac)\beta_2, \\ e_1(h_{12}^6) = 2c\beta_2^2 + 2ah_{12}^5 + 2\alpha. \end{cases}$$

On the other hand, from (5.35), we have

$$(5.67) \quad \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 - 2 = a^2 + c^2 + \beta_2^2 + (h_{12}^6)^2 + (h_{12}^5 + 1)^2.$$

Differentiating (5.67) by e_1 and combining (5.60) and (5.66), we have

$$\beta_2\{(a-c)^2 + \beta_2^2 + (h_{12}^5 + 1)^2 + c^2\beta_2^2\} = 0.$$

This implies $\beta_2 = 0$ on U .

(5.60) implies that a is constant on U . From (5.54), we see that $h_{12}^6 = 0$ on U . The third of (5.66) implies $a \neq 0$ and $h_{12}^5 = -\alpha/a$. The first of (5.66) implies $1 + ac - c^2 - (h_{12}^5)^2 = 0$. Therefore we get

$$(4a^2 + 1)c^2 - 2a(2a^2 - 1)c - 3a^2 = 0.$$

Since $a \neq c$, we have

$$(5.68) \quad c = -\frac{3a}{4a^2 + 1}, \quad \alpha = \frac{a+c}{2} = \frac{a(2a^2 - 1)}{4a^2 + 1}, \quad h_{12}^5 = -\frac{2a^2 - 1}{4a^2 + 1}.$$

Therefore (5.65) is shown for the frame $\{e_1, e_2, \xi_3, \dots, \xi_\delta\}$ on U .

Combining (5.67) and (5.32), we have

$$\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = \frac{2}{4a^2 + 1}(a^2 + 1)(2a^2 + 3), \quad \lambda_1\lambda_2 = \frac{8}{(4a^2 + 1)^2}(a^2 + 1)^2(2a^2 + 1).$$

These imply (5.64).

(5.68) implies $-1/\sqrt{2} < a < 0$ or $1/\sqrt{2} < a$. Choose a frame $\{e'_1, e'_2, \xi'_3, \dots, \xi'_\delta\}$ satisfying (5.12) and $e'_1 = JH/\alpha$. Clearly, we see that $e'_2 = e_2$ or $-e_2$. It is easy to show (5.64) and (5.65) for $\{e'_i, \xi'_i\}$ on U . In this case, we get $a \neq 0, \pm 1/\sqrt{2}$. Therefore (5.64) and (5.65) are shown for any frame on $M \setminus M_0$ satisfying (5.12) with e_1 parallel to JH .

By the continuity of ψ and Lemma 5.11, we get Lemma 5.12 on M . Q.E.D.

REMARK. a is determined as

$$|a| = \max\{|\tilde{g}(h(X, X), JX)| ; X \in T(M), \|X\| = 1\}.$$

Lemma 5.12 says that M is flat. Moreover, we obtain the following.

LEMMA 5.13. *M lies fully in a totally geodesic 5-sphere of S^6 .*

PROOF. Choose a frame $\{e_i, \xi_r\}$ satisfying (5.12) and $e_1 = -JH/\alpha$. Put $r = (c^2 + h^2)^{1/2}$, $\eta_4 = (1/r)(c\xi_4 + h\xi_5)$ and $\eta_5 = (1/r)(-h\xi_4 + c\xi_5)$. Then $\{\xi_3, \eta_4, \eta_5, \xi_6\}$ is an orthonormal normal frame of M , and we see $A_{\xi_3} \neq 0$, $A_{\eta_4} \neq 0$ and $A_{\eta_5} = A_{\xi_6} = 0$. Therefore the first normal space N_1 is spanned by ξ_3 and η_4 . By Lemma 5.12, we see

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla^\perp \xi_3 &= (h+1)\omega^2 \xi_6 \quad (\neq 0), \\ \nabla^\perp \eta_4 &= \frac{1}{r}(c(h-1) - 2\alpha h)\omega^1 \xi_6 \quad (\neq 0).\end{aligned}$$

Then the second normal space N_2 is spanned by ξ_6 and

$$\nabla^\perp \xi_6 = -(h+1)\omega^2 \xi_3 - \frac{1}{r}(c(h-1) - 2\alpha h)\omega^1 \eta_4.$$

Therefore $N_1 \oplus N_2$ is parallel with respect to the normal connection ∇^\perp . By Erbacher [10], M lies fully in a totally geodesic

$$S^6(1) = \{x \in S^6(1) \mid \langle x, \eta_5 \rangle = 0\}. \quad \text{Q.E.D.}$$

From now on, we fix a point p of M and a frame $\{e_i, \xi_r\}$ around p satisfying (5.12) and $e_1 = -JH/\alpha$ so that we can assume $-1/\sqrt{2} < a < 0$ or $1/\sqrt{2} < a$ in (5.64) and (5.65). Define vectors f_1, \dots, f_7 in E^7 as follows:

$$(5.69) \quad \begin{aligned}f_1 &= \sqrt{q/k}\{-h\xi_4 + c\xi_5\}, \\ f_2 &= \{\sqrt{1/k}(p - a\xi_3) - \sqrt{q/k}(c\xi_4 + h\xi_5)\}/\sqrt{2}, \\ f_3 &= \{-e_1 - \sqrt{1/q}(e_2 - 2a\xi_6)\}/\sqrt{2}, \\ f_4 &= \{\sqrt{1/k}(p - a\xi_3) + \sqrt{q/k}(c\xi_4 + h\xi_5)\}/\sqrt{2}, \\ f_5 &= \{e_1 - \sqrt{1/q}(e_2 - 2a\xi_6)\}/\sqrt{2}, \\ f_6 &= \{-2ae_2 - \xi_6\}/\sqrt{q}, \\ f_7 &= \{ap + \xi_3\}/\sqrt{k},\end{aligned}$$

where $k = a^2 + 1$ and $q = 4a^2 + 1$. Using (5.52), we see that $\{f_1, \dots, f_7\}$ satisfies Table (5.1).

We put

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda_{(1)} &= \frac{2(a^2+1)(2a^2+1)}{4a^2+1}, & \lambda_{(2)} &= \frac{4(a^2+1)}{4a^2+1}, \\ A_{(1)} &= \frac{\lambda_{(2)} - 2}{\lambda_{(2)} - \lambda_{(1)}} = \frac{1}{k} \quad \text{and} \quad A_{(2)} &= \frac{2 - \lambda_{(1)}}{\lambda_{(2)} - \lambda_{(1)}} = \frac{a^2}{k}.\end{aligned}$$

If $-1/\sqrt{2} < a < 0$, then $\lambda_1 = \lambda_{(1)}$, $\lambda_2 = \lambda_{(2)}$, $c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) = 2a^2/(2a^2+1) < 1$ and $Q = (\lambda_2(\lambda_2-2)/(\lambda_1\lambda_2-\lambda_1-\lambda_2))^{1/2} = 2$.

If $a > 1/\sqrt{2}$, then $\lambda_1 = \lambda_{(2)}$, $\lambda_2 = \lambda_{(1)}$, $c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) = (2a^2+1)/(2a^2) > 1$ and $Q' = (\lambda_1(\lambda_1-2)/(\lambda_1\lambda_2-\lambda_1-\lambda_2))^{1/2} = 2$.

By Theorem C, Proposition 4.2 and Lemma 5.13, f can be extended to a map of \mathbf{R}^2 into $S^5(1)$ and is given by

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= \sqrt{A_{(1)}/2} \sum_{k=1}^2 2\operatorname{Re} \left\{ u_k \exp \frac{\sqrt{\lambda_{(1)}}}{2} (\mu_k z - \bar{\mu}_k \bar{z}) \right\} \\ &\quad + \sqrt{A_{(2)}} 2\operatorname{Re} \left\{ u_3 \exp \frac{\sqrt{\lambda_{(2)}}}{2} (\eta z - \bar{\eta} \bar{z}) \right\}, \\ u_j &= \frac{1}{2} \{ E_{2j} - \sqrt{-1} E_{2j+1} \}, \quad j=1, 2, 3, \end{aligned}$$

where $\{E_1, \dots, E_7\}$ is some orthonormal basis of E^7 and μ_1, μ_2, η are complex numbers satisfying

$$\eta = e^{i\beta}, \quad \mu_1 = e^{i(\alpha+\beta)}, \quad \mu_2 = e^{i(-\alpha+\beta)}, \quad \cos 2\alpha = -\frac{2a^2}{2a^2+1}.$$

By Proposition 4.3, $f: \mathbf{R}^2 \rightarrow S^5$ is doubly periodic. Moreover, since M is complete and since f is an imbedding of M , M is a flat torus \mathbf{R}^2/Λ , $\Lambda = \{z \mid f(z) = f(0)\}$. We may assume that $f(0) = p$, $(e_1)_p = (\partial/\partial x)_p$, $(e_2)_p = (\partial/\partial y)_p$, $\pi/4 < \alpha < \pi/2$ and $-\pi/2 < \beta \leq \pi/2$. So we get

$$\sin 2\alpha = \frac{(4a^2+1)^{1/2}}{2a^2+1}, \quad \cos \alpha = \left(\frac{1}{2(2a^2+1)} \right)^{1/2}, \quad \sin \alpha = \left(\frac{4a^2+1}{2(2a^2+1)} \right)^{1/2}.$$

First, we see

$$\begin{aligned} p &= \sqrt{A_{(1)}/2} E_2 + \sqrt{A_{(1)}/2} E_4 + \sqrt{A_{(2)}} E_6 \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2k}} E_2 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2k}} E_4 + \frac{|a|}{\sqrt{k}} E_6. \end{aligned}$$

By direct computation, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} (e_1)_p &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(0) = \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial \bar{z}} \right)(0) \\ &= \sqrt{A_{(1)\lambda_{(1)}/2}} \sin(\alpha+\beta) E_3 + \sqrt{A_{(1)\lambda_{(1)}/2}} \sin(-\alpha+\beta) E_5 \\ &\quad + \sqrt{A_{(2)\lambda_{(2)}}} \sin(\beta) E_7, \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
(e_2)_p &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(0) = \sqrt{-1} \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial f}{\partial \bar{z}} \right) (0) \\
&= \sqrt{A_{(1)} \lambda_{(1)} / 2} \cos(\alpha + \beta) E_3 + \sqrt{A_{(1)} \lambda_{(1)} / 2} \cos(-\alpha + \beta) E_5 \\
&\quad + \sqrt{A_{(2)} \lambda_{(2)}} \cos(\beta) E_7.
\end{aligned}$$

From (4.3), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
H &= -\sqrt{A_{(1)} / 2} \frac{\lambda_{(1)} - 2}{2} \sum_{k=1}^2 2\operatorname{Re} \left\{ u_k \exp \frac{\sqrt{\lambda_{(1)}}}{2} (\mu_k z - \bar{\mu}_k \bar{z}) \right\} \\
&\quad - \sqrt{A_{(2)}} \frac{\lambda_{(2)} - 2}{2} 2\operatorname{Re} \left\{ u_3 \exp \frac{\sqrt{\lambda_{(2)}}}{2} (\eta z - \bar{\eta} \bar{z}) \right\},
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
(5.70) \quad \xi_3 &= H/\alpha = 2H/\sqrt{(2 - \lambda_{(1)})(\lambda_{(2)} - 2)} \\
&= -\frac{\alpha}{|a|} \sqrt{A_{(2)} / 2} \sum_{k=1}^2 2\operatorname{Re} \left\{ u_k \exp \frac{\sqrt{\lambda_{(1)}}}{2} (\mu_k z - \bar{\mu}_k \bar{z}) \right\} \\
&\quad + \frac{\alpha}{|a|} \sqrt{A_{(1)}} 2\operatorname{Re} \left\{ u_3 \exp \frac{\sqrt{\lambda_{(2)}}}{2} (\eta z - \bar{\eta} \bar{z}) \right\}.
\end{aligned}$$

In particular, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
(5.71) \quad (\xi_3)_p &= -\frac{\alpha}{|a|} \sqrt{A_{(2)} / 2} E_2 - \frac{\alpha}{|a|} \sqrt{A_{(2)} / 2} E_4 + \frac{\alpha}{|a|} \sqrt{A_{(1)}} E_6 \\
&= -\frac{\alpha}{\sqrt{2k}} E_2 - \frac{\alpha}{\sqrt{2k}} E_4 + \frac{\alpha}{|a|\sqrt{k}} E_6.
\end{aligned}$$

From Lemma 5.12, we have

$$(5.72) \quad \sigma(e_1, e_1)_p = \alpha(\xi_3)_p.$$

On the other hand, we have in §4

$$\begin{aligned}
\sigma(e_1, e_1)_p &= \left(\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial z^2} + 2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial z \partial \bar{z}} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial \bar{z}^2} + f \right) (0) \\
&= \sqrt{A_{(1)} / 2} \left\{ \frac{\lambda_{(1)}}{4} (\mu_1^2 + \bar{\mu}_1^2 - 2) + 1 \right\} E_2 \\
&\quad + \sqrt{A_{(1)} / 2} \left\{ \frac{\lambda_{(1)}}{4} (\mu_2^2 + \bar{\mu}_2^2 - 2) + 1 \right\} E_4 \\
&\quad + \sqrt{A_{(2)}} \left\{ \frac{\lambda_{(2)}}{4} (\eta^2 + \bar{\eta}^2 - 2) + 1 \right\} E_6.
\end{aligned}$$

Combining this with (5.71) and (5.72), we get

$$\sqrt{A_{(2)}} \left\{ \frac{\lambda_{(2)}}{4} (\eta^2 + \bar{\eta}^2 - 2) + 1 \right\} = \frac{a^2}{|a|} \sqrt{A_{(1)}}$$

so that we have $(\eta^2 + \bar{\eta}^2)/2 = 1$, $\cos(2\beta) = 1$, $\beta = 0$ and $\eta = 1$. Therefore we obtain

$$(e_1)_p = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} E_3 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} E_5, \quad (e_2)_p = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2q}} E_3 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2q}} E_5 + \frac{2|a|}{\sqrt{q}} E_7.$$

By direct computation, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma(e_1, e_2)_p &= \sqrt{-1} \left(\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial z^2} - \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial \bar{z}^2} \right) (0) \\ &= \sqrt{A_{(1)}/2} \frac{\lambda_{(1)}}{4} \sqrt{-1} (\mu_1^2 - \bar{\mu}_1^2) E_2 + \sqrt{A_{(1)}/2} \frac{\lambda_{(1)}}{4} \sqrt{-1} (\mu_2^2 - \bar{\mu}_2^2) E_4 \\ &= -\sqrt{A_{(1)}/2} \frac{\lambda_{(1)}}{4} \sin(2\alpha) E_2 + \sqrt{A_{(1)}/2} \frac{\lambda_{(1)}}{2} \sin(2\alpha) E_4 \\ &= \sqrt{k/q} \left\{ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} E_2 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} E_4 \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

From Lemma 5.12, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} (\eta_4)_p &= \sqrt{q/k} (c\xi_4 + h\xi_5)_p = \frac{\sigma(e_1, e_2)_p}{\|\sigma(e_1, e_2)\|} \\ &= -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} E_2 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} E_4. \end{aligned}$$

From (5.70), we get

$$\begin{aligned} (\nabla_{e_2}^\perp \xi_3)_p &= \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial y} \xi_3 \right)_p + (A_{\xi_3} e_2)_p \\ &= \left[\sqrt{-1} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{z}} \right) \xi_3 \right] (0) + c(e_2)_p \\ &= \sqrt{\lambda_{(1)}/2} \cos(\alpha) \left\{ -\frac{a}{|a|} \sqrt{A_{(2)}} + c\sqrt{A_{(1)}} \right\} E_3 \\ &\quad + \sqrt{\lambda_{(1)}/2} \cos(\alpha) \left\{ -\frac{a}{|a|} \sqrt{A_{(2)}} + c\sqrt{A_{(1)}} \right\} E_5 \\ &\quad + \sqrt{\lambda_{(2)}} \left\{ \frac{a}{|a|} \sqrt{A_{(1)}} + c\sqrt{A_{(2)}} \right\} E_7 \\ &= \frac{2k}{q} \left(-\frac{2a}{\sqrt{2q}} E_3 - \frac{2a}{\sqrt{2q}} E_5 + \frac{a}{|a|\sqrt{q}} E_7 \right). \end{aligned}$$

On the other hand, from Lemma 5.12, we see

$$(\nabla_{e_2}^\perp \xi_3)_p = (h+1)(\xi_3)_p = \frac{2k}{q}(\xi_3)_p.$$

So we have

$$(\xi_3)_p = -\frac{2a}{\sqrt{2q}}E_3 - \frac{2a}{\sqrt{2q}}E_5 + \frac{a}{|a|\sqrt{q}}E_7.$$

From the proof of Lemma 5.13, we may assume

$$E_1 = \eta_5 = \sqrt{q/k}\{-h\xi_4 + c\xi_5\}.$$

From (5.69), we obtain

$$(5.73) \quad \begin{aligned} f_1 &= E_1, & f_2 &= E_2, & f_3 &= -E_3, & f_4 &= E_4, \\ f_5 &= -E_5, & f_6 &= -\frac{a}{|a|}E_7, & f_7 &= \frac{a}{|a|}E_6. \end{aligned}$$

Define functions on M as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi_j(z) &= \langle \sqrt{-\lambda_{(1)}} \bar{\mu}_j, z \rangle = -\sqrt{-1} \frac{\sqrt{\lambda_{(1)}}}{2} (\mu_j z - \bar{\mu}_j \bar{z}), & j &= 1, 2, \\ \varphi_3(z) &= \langle \sqrt{-\lambda_{(2)}}, z \rangle = -\sqrt{-1} \frac{\sqrt{\lambda_{(2)}}}{2} (z - \bar{z}). \end{aligned}$$

Then f is given by

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= \sqrt{A_{(1)}/2} \{ \cos(\varphi_1(z))E_2 + \sin(\varphi_1(z))E_3 \\ &\quad + \cos(\varphi_2(z))E_4 + \sin(\varphi_2(z))E_5 \} \\ &\quad + \sqrt{A_{(2)}} \{ \cos(\varphi_3(z))E_6 + \sin(\varphi_3(z))E_7 \}. \end{aligned}$$

Using the frame (5.73), we have

$$\begin{aligned} f &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2k}} \{ \cos(\varphi_1)f_2 - \sin(\varphi_1)f_3 + \cos(\varphi_2)f_4 - \sin(\varphi_2)f_5 \} \\ &\quad + \frac{a}{\sqrt{k}} \{ -\sin(\varphi_3)f_6 + \cos(\varphi_3)f_7 \}, \end{aligned}$$

so that we have

$$p = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2k}}f_2 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2k}}f_4 + \frac{a}{\sqrt{k}}f_7.$$

Put, for any $z \in C$,

$$T(z) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos \varphi_1 & \sin \varphi_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -\sin \varphi_1 & \cos \varphi_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cos \varphi_2 & \sin \varphi_2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -\sin \varphi_2 & \cos \varphi_2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cos(-\varphi_3) & \sin(-\varphi_3) \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -\sin(-\varphi_3) & \cos(-\varphi_3) \end{pmatrix}$$

with respect to the basis $\{f_1, \dots, f_7\}$. Hence we easily see that

$$\sqrt{\lambda_{(1)}}(\bar{\mu}_1 + \bar{\mu}_2) = 2\sqrt{\lambda_{(1)}} \cos(\alpha) = \sqrt{\lambda_{(2)}}$$

so that

$$\varphi_1 + \varphi_2 - \varphi_3 = 0.$$

This implies that $T = \{T(z) \mid z \in \mathbb{C}\}$ is a maximal torus of G_2 . Since f is given by $f(z) = T(z)p$, $f(M)$ is a T -orbit. Since f is an imbedding of M , $M = Tp$ so that $M \in \mathfrak{F}_5$.

The proof of Theorem G is completed.

5.3. Some remarks. Suppose that M is a flat surface such that $M \in \mathfrak{F}_5$. By Theorem F, M is a Chen surface in S^6 . Denote by f an isometric imbedding of M into $S^6(1)$.

In §5.2.2, we see that $Q=2$ (if $c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) < 1$) and $Q'=2$ (if $c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) > 1$). By Theorem C, f can be extended to an isometric immersion of \mathbb{R}^2 into $S^6(1)$. By Proposition 4.3, we see that $f: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow S^6$ is doubly periodic. Put $A = \{z \mid f(z) = f(0)\}$ so that M is a flat torus \mathbb{R}^2/A . Since f is an imbedding of M into S^6 , we obtain by Corollary 4.4

$$A = A(\lambda_1, \lambda_2),$$

where $A(\lambda_1, \lambda_2)$ is a lattice of rank 2 defined in §4.

In the case of $c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) < 1$, $A(\lambda_1, \lambda_2)$ is generated by x_1 and x_2 as follows:

$$A(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) = \{kx_1 + lx_2 \mid k, l \in \mathbb{Z}\},$$

$$x_1 = \left(\frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{\lambda_1}}, \frac{-2\pi \cos 2\nu}{\sqrt{\lambda_1} \sin 2\nu} \right), \quad x_2 = \left(0, \frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{\lambda_1} \sin 2\nu} \right),$$

$$\cos 2\nu = -c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2).$$

It is easy to see that $\langle x_1, x_2 \rangle \neq 0$ so that a flat torus \mathbb{R}^2/A is not a Riemannian product of two circles.

We apply similar argument to the case of $c(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) > 1$. Therefore we have the following.

PROPOSITION 5.14. *If $M \in \mathfrak{F}_5$, then M is not a Riemannian product of two circles.*

A surface M in $S^n(1)$ is called *stationary* if the mean curvature α of M in S^n satisfies

$$\delta \left(\int_M (\alpha^2 + 1) dV \right) = 0$$

for any δ , where δ is a normal variation. In Barros and Chen [1], we can see many results for stationary 2-type surfaces in S^n . Weiner [15] shows that M is stationary if and only if

$$(5.74) \quad \Delta^\perp H = -2\alpha^2 H + \frac{1}{\alpha^2} \|A_H\|^2 H + \mathcal{A}(H).$$

(See also Barros and Chen [1].) We obtain the following.

PROPOSITION 5.15. *If $M \in \mathfrak{F}_5$, then M is not stationary.*

PROOF. Assume that M ($\in \mathfrak{F}_5$) is stationary. By Theorem F, M is a Chen surface of S^3 , i.e., $\mathcal{A}(H) = 0$. Therefore we obtain from (5.74) and Lemma 5.12,

$$\Delta^\perp H = \frac{8a^2(a^2+1)^2}{(4a^2+1)^2} H.$$

On the other hand, by Lemma 5.12, we get

$$\Delta^\perp H = \sum_{i=1}^2 (\nabla_{\bar{v}_{e_i} e_i}^\perp H - \nabla_{e_i}^\perp \nabla_{e_i}^\perp H) = \frac{4(a^2+1)^2}{(4a^2+1)^2} H.$$

Therefore we have $a = \pm 1/\sqrt{2}$. This is a contradiction.

Q.E.D.

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