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DEFORMATIONS OF PLANE PSEUDOCONGRUENCES  
WITH PROJECTIVE CONNECTION

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Using basic ideas, conceptions and results introduced in [1], [2], [3], the elementary and projective deformations of pseudocongruences of planes with projective connection are studied and mutual relations among individual deformations are characterized.

1. A special König space  $\mathcal{P}_{2,5}^3$  let be constructed according to [1], p. 71–72. Using the notation of GEJDELMAN ([4], p. 281), we shall call these spaces plane pseudocongruences with projective connection.

Let a plane pseudocongruence  $\mathcal{L}$  with projective connection be given by the equations

$$(1.1) \quad \nabla A_i = \sum_{j=1}^6 \omega_{ij} A_j$$

$$\omega_{ij} = a_{ij}^1(u_1, u_2, u_3) \omega_1 + a_{ij}^2(u_1, u_2, u_3) \omega_2 + a_{ij}^3(u_1, u_2, u_3) \omega_3$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^6 \omega_{ii} = 0 \quad (i, j = 1, 2 \dots 6)$$

where  $\omega_1, \omega_2, \omega_3$  are the Pfaff forms in the differentials  $du_1, du_2, du_3$ ,  $\omega_1 \wedge \omega_2 \wedge \omega_3 \neq 0$ . The planes of the pseudocongruence are  $P_2 = (A_1, A_2, A_3)$ . We call the developable varieties  $\mathcal{R}_3$  of  $\mathcal{L}$  (corresponding to the curves of  $\Omega_3$ ) varieties with developable developments. The development of the variety  $\mathcal{R}_3$  generated by planes  $P_2(u_1, u_2, u_3)$  where  $u_i = u_i(t)$ , ( $i = 1, 2, 3$ ) is a developable variety if the dimension of their tangent spaces along a generating plane  $P_2$  is less than five. In this case, each plane intersects each consecutive plane at least at the point which is called the focus. The equation of developable varieties of the pseudocongruence  $\mathcal{L}$  is ([2], p. 58)

$$(1.2) \quad [A_1, A_2, A_3, \nabla A_1, \nabla A_2, \nabla A_3] = 0.$$

The first term of (1.2) is a cubical form in  $du_i$  ( $i = 1, 2, 3$ ). We restrict ourselves to such pseudocongruences whose form mentioned above is the product of three

independent forms in  $du_i$ . Let us denote them by  $\omega_1, \omega_2, \omega_3$ . The equation (1.2) reduces to

$$\omega_1 \omega_2 \omega_3 = 0.$$

Let us introduce an important convention. If nothing other is mentioned then in all our considerations it will be always

$$(1.3) \quad s = i + 1, \quad i + 2 \quad (i = 1, 2, 3)$$

and the indices  $i, i + 1, \dots, i + 5$  change according to the scheme

$$(1.4) \quad \begin{array}{c} \left| \begin{array}{cccc} & i & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ i + 1 & & 2 & 3 & 1 \\ i + 2 & & 3 & 1 & 2 \\ i + 3 & & 4 & 5 & 6 \\ i + 4 & & 5 & 6 & 4 \\ i + 5 & & 6 & 4 & 5 \end{array} \right| \end{array}$$

where always  $i = 1, 2, 3$ .

We shall deal with such pseudocongruences  $\mathcal{L}$  only where for  $\omega_i = 0$  ( $\omega_{i+1}, \omega_{i+2}$  - arbitrary) there exists just one focus and the three foci considered do not lie on one straight line. Let us choose these foci to be the points  $A_1, A_2, A_3$ .

A point  $A_i$  to be a focus then

$$[(\nabla A_i)_{\omega_i=0}, A_1, A_2, A_3] = 0,$$

i.e.

$$a_{i,i+3}^s = a_{i,i+4}^s = a_{i,i+5}^s = 0.$$

The fundamental equations are

$$\nabla A_i = \sum_{j=1}^3 \omega_{ij} A_j + \sum_{j=4}^6 a_{ij}^i A_j \omega_i.$$

Using the specialization

$$\sum_{j=4}^6 a_{ij}^i A_j \rightarrow A_{i+3}$$

we obtain the fundamental equations in the form

$$(1.5) \quad \begin{aligned} \nabla A_i &= \omega_i A_{i+3} + \sum_{j=1}^3 \omega_{ij} A_j, \\ \nabla A_{i+3} &= \sum_{j=1}^6 \omega_{i+3,j} A_j. \end{aligned}$$

If we substitute (in each local space of the pseudocongruence  $\mathcal{L}$ ) the plane  $P_2 = (A_1, A_2, A_3)$  by the point  $A_i$ , we obtain a variety with projective connection, the

s.c. focal variety ( $A_i$ ) of  $\mathcal{L}$ . Let  $A_i$  be a fixed point of the focal variety ( $A_i$ ). The developments of all the curves of the focal variety into the focal space of  $A_i$  are curves with tangents lying in the plane ( $A_1, A_2, A_3, A_{i+3}$ ), the s.c. tangent plane of the focal variety ( $A_i$ ). This is the focal plane of  $\mathcal{L}$ .

2. Let  $\mathcal{L}$  be a plane pseudocongruence with projective connection given by the equations (1.1). We restrict our consideration to the case when all three focal varieties are of the dimension three. After a suitable specialization of frames, we obtain (1.5). Without any loss of generality, we may assume

$$\omega_i = du_i$$

and we have the equations

$$(2.1) \quad \begin{aligned} \nabla A_i &= du_i A_{i+3} + \sum_{j=1}^3 \omega_{ij} A_j, \\ \omega_{ij} &= a_{ij}^1 du_1 + a_{ij}^2 du_2 + a_{ij}^3 du_3. \end{aligned}$$

The variation of parameters and local frames is said to be compatible with some system of equations in  $\omega_{ij}$  if the transformed formes  $\bar{\omega}_{ij}$  satisfy the same system of equations.

The variations of parameters and local frames compatible with

$$(2.2) \quad \omega_{i,i+3} = du_i, \quad \omega_{i,s+3} = 0$$

are given by

$$(2.3) \quad u_i = \bar{u}_i(\bar{u}_i)$$

$$(2.4) \quad A_i = \mu_{ii} \bar{A}_i, \quad A_{i+3} = \sum_{j=1}^6 \mu_{i+3,j} \bar{A}_j$$

where

$$\mu_{11} \mu_{22} \mu_{33} \det |\mu_{i+3,j}| = 1, \quad (j = 4, 5, 6).$$

Substituting into (2.1), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_{ii} \nabla \bar{A}_i &= \omega_{i,i+1} \mu_{i+1,i+1} \bar{A}_{i+1} + \omega_{i,i+2} \mu_{i+2,i+2} \bar{A}_{i+2} + \\ &+ du_i (\mu_{i+3,i+1} \bar{A}_{i+1} + \mu_{i+3,i+2} \bar{A}_{i+2} + \\ &+ \mu_{i+3,i+3} \bar{A}_{i+3} + \mu_{i+3,i+4} \bar{A}_{i+4} + \mu_{i+3,i+5} \bar{A}_{i+5}) \pmod{\bar{A}_i} \end{aligned}$$

and

$$(2.5) \quad \begin{aligned} \bar{\omega}_{is} &= \mu_{ii}^{-1} (\omega_{is} \mu_{ss} + du_i \mu_{i+3,s}), \\ \mu_{i+3,i+3} &= \mu_{ii} \frac{d\bar{u}_i}{du_i}, \\ \mu_{i+3,s+3} &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

**Lemma 1.** *The variations compatible with (2.2) are given by (2.3) and*

$$(2.6) \quad A_i = \mu_{ii} \bar{A}_i, \quad A_{i+3} = \mu_{ii} \frac{d\bar{u}_i}{du_i} \bar{A}_{i+3} + \sum_{j=1}^3 \mu_{i+3,j} \bar{A}_j$$

where with respect to (2.4), (2.5),

$$\mu_{11}^2 \mu_{22}^2 \mu_{33}^2 \frac{d\bar{u}_1}{du_1} \frac{d\bar{u}_2}{du_2} \frac{d\bar{u}_3}{du_3} = 1.$$

From (2.5), we get

$$(2.7) \quad \begin{aligned} \bar{a}_{i,i+1}^i &= \mu_{ii}^{-1} (\mu_{i+1,i+1} a_{i,i+1}^i + \mu_{i+3,i+1}) \frac{du_i}{d\bar{u}_i}, \\ a_{is}^s &= \mu_{ii}^{-1} \mu_{ss} a_{is}^s \frac{du_s}{d\bar{u}_s}. \end{aligned}$$

Substituting (2.6) into (1.5<sub>4,5,6</sub>), we get

$$\begin{aligned} &\mu_{i+3,i} \nabla \bar{A}_i + \mu_{i+3,i+1} \nabla \bar{A}_{i+1} + \mu_{i+3,i+2} \nabla \bar{A}_{i+2} + \mu_{ii} \frac{d\bar{u}_i}{du_i} \nabla \bar{A}_{i+3} \equiv \\ &\equiv \omega_{i+3,i+4} \mu_{i+1,i+1} \frac{d\bar{u}_{i+1}}{du_{i+1}} \bar{A}_{i+4} + \omega_{i+3,i+5} \mu_{i+2,i+2} \frac{d\bar{u}_{i+2}}{du_{i+2}} \bar{A}_{i+5} \\ &\quad (\text{mod } \bar{A}_1, \bar{A}_2, \bar{A}_3, \bar{A}_{i+3}) \end{aligned}$$

and

$$(2.8) \quad \begin{aligned} \bar{a}_{i+3,i+4}^i &= \mu_{ii}^{-1} \mu_{i+1,i+1} \left( \frac{du_i}{d\bar{u}_i} \right)^2 \frac{d\bar{u}_{i+1}}{du_{i+1}} a_{i+3,i+4}^i \\ \bar{a}_{i+3,i+4}^{i+1} &= \mu_{ii}^{-1} (\mu_{i+1,i+1} a_{i+3,i+4}^{i+1} - \mu_{i+3,i+1}) \frac{du_i}{d\bar{u}_i} \\ \bar{a}_{i+3,i+4}^{i+2} &= \mu_{ii}^{-1} \mu_{i+1,i+1} \frac{du_i}{d\bar{u}_i} \frac{d\bar{u}_{i+1}}{du_{i+1}} \frac{d\bar{u}_{i+2}}{du_{i+2}} a_{i+3,i+4}^{i+2}. \end{aligned}$$

From (2.7) and (2.8), we obtain

$$\bar{a}_{is}^i - \bar{a}_{i+3,s+3}^s = \mu_{ii}^{-1} [\mu_{ss} (a_{is}^i - a_{i+3,s+3}^s) + 2\mu_{i+3,s}] \frac{du_i}{d\bar{u}_i}.$$

We may specialize the frames in such a way that

$$(2.9) \quad a_{is}^i - a_{i+3,s+3}^s = 0$$

and

$$\mu_{i+3,s} = 0.$$

We obtain

$$(2.10) \quad A_i = \mu_{ii} \bar{A}_i, \quad A_{i+3} = \mu_{i+3,i} \bar{A}_i + \mu_{ii} \frac{d\bar{u}_i}{du_i} \bar{A}_{i+3}.$$

Let us introduce the notation

$$(2.11) \quad \begin{aligned} h_{is} &= a_{is}^i = a_{i+3,s+3}^s, \\ \nabla \alpha_{is} &= a_{is}^{i+1} du_{i+1} + a_{is}^{i+2} du_{i+2}, \\ \nabla \beta_{is} &= a_{i+3,s+3}^i du_i + a_{i+3,s+3}^s du_s. \end{aligned}$$

**Lemma 2.** *We may specialize the frames of a pseudocongruence  $\mathcal{L}$  with projective connection in such a way that  $\mathcal{L}$  is given by the equations*

$$(2.12) \quad \begin{aligned} \nabla A_i &= \omega_{ii} A_i + (h_{i,i+1} du_i + \nabla \alpha_{i,i+1}) A_{i+1} + \\ &\quad + (h_{i,i+2} du_i + \nabla \alpha_{i,i+2}) A_{i+2} + du_i A_{i+3}, \\ \nabla A_{i+3} &= \omega_{i+3,1} A_1 + \omega_{i+3,2} A_2 + \omega_{i+3,3} A_3 + \omega_{i+3,i+3} A_{i+3} + \\ &\quad + (h_{i,i+1} du_{i+1} + \nabla \beta_{i,i+1}) A_{i+4} + (h_{i,i+2} du_{i+2} + \nabla \beta_{i,i+2}) A_{i+5}. \end{aligned}$$

The most general variation compatible with (2.2) and (2.9) is (2.3) and (2.10). After these variations we obtain

$$(2.13) \quad \begin{aligned} \bar{h}_{is} &= \mu_{ii}^{-1} \mu_{ss} \frac{du_i}{d\bar{u}_i} h_{is} \\ \nabla \bar{\alpha}_{is} &= \mu_{ii}^{-1} \mu_{ss} \nabla \alpha_{is}, \quad \nabla \bar{\beta}_{is} = \mu_{ii}^{-1} \mu_{ss} \frac{du_i}{d\bar{u}_i} \frac{d\bar{u}_s}{du_s} \nabla \beta_{is}. \end{aligned}$$

3. The dualization  $\mathcal{L}^*$  of  $\mathcal{L}$  is defined by the construction B ([1], p. 73).  $\mathcal{L}^*$  is again a plane pseudocongruence with projective connection. Using the dual frames

$$(3.1) \quad E^j = (-1)^{j+1} [A_1 \dots A_{j-1}, A_{j+1} \dots A_6], \quad (j = 1, 2 \dots 6),$$

the pseudocongruence  $\mathcal{L}^*$  is formed by the planes  $P_2^* = [E^4, E^5, E^6]$  ( $P_2^*$  being the local centers of  $\mathcal{L}^*$ ) and the connection is given by the equations

$$(3.2) \quad \begin{aligned} \nabla E^{i+3} &= - du_i E^i - \omega_{i+3,i+3} E^{i+3} - (h_{i+1,i} du_i + \nabla \beta_{i+1,i}) E^{i+4} - \\ &\quad - (h_{i+2,i} du_i + \nabla \beta_{i+2,i}) E^{i+5}, \\ \nabla E^i &= - \omega_{ii} E^i - (h_{i+1,1} du_{i+1} + \nabla \alpha_{i+1,i}) E^{i+1} - \\ &\quad - (h_{i+2,i} du_{i+2} + \nabla \alpha_{i+2,i}) E^{i+2} - \omega_{4,i} E^4 - \omega_{5,i} E^5 - \omega_{6,i} E^6. \end{aligned}$$

As a consequence of passing to the dualization, we obtain the following substitution

$$(3.3) \quad \begin{array}{c} \left\{ \begin{array}{cccccc} \mathcal{L} & A_i & A_{i+3} & E^i & E^{i+3} & du_i h_{is} & \nabla\alpha_{is} & \nabla\beta_{is} \\ \mathcal{L}^* & E^{i+3} & E^i & A_{i+3} & A_i & -du_i h_{si} & -\nabla\beta_{si} & -\nabla\alpha_{si} \end{array} \right\} \\ \left\{ \begin{array}{cccccc} \mathcal{L} & \omega_{ii} & \omega_{i+3,i+3} & \omega_{i+3,i} & \omega_{i+4,i} & & & \\ \mathcal{L}^* & \omega_{i+3,i+3} & \omega_{ii} & \omega_{i+3,i} & \omega_{i+3,i+1} & & & \end{array} \right\} \\ \left\{ \begin{array}{cccccc} \mathcal{L} & \omega_{i+5,i} & \omega_{i+3,i+1} & \omega_{i+3,i+2} & & & & \\ \mathcal{L}^* & \omega_{i+3,i+2} & \omega_{i+1,i} & \omega_{i+5,i} & & & & \end{array} \right\} \end{array}$$

The natural correspondence  $\mathcal{L} \rightarrow \mathcal{L}^*$  is hence developable.

Let us find the asymptotic curves of the focal varieties of the pseudocongruence  $\mathcal{L}$  and  $\mathcal{L}^*$ . The asymptotic curves on the focal variety  $(A_i)$  are given by the equation

$$[A_1, A_2, A_3, \nabla^2 A_i] = 0$$

and they are

$$(3.4) \quad (h_{is} du_i + \nabla\alpha_{is}) du_s + (h_{is} du_{i+2} + \nabla\beta_{is}) du_i = 0.$$

The asymptotic lines on the focal variety  $(E^{i+3})$  are

$$(3.5) \quad (h_{si} du_s + \nabla\alpha_{si}) du_i + (h_{si} du_i + \nabla\beta_{si}) du_s = 0.$$

On  $(A_i)$  let us choose a layer  $du_{i+2} = 0$  or  $du_{i+1} = 0$  and let us consider the bundle of nets determined by the nets  $du_i du_{i+1} = 0$  or  $du_i du_{i+2} = 0$  and (3.4<sub>1</sub>) or (3.4<sub>2</sub>) respectively. In this bundle, there exists a net apolar to the net  $du_i du_{i+1} = 0$  or  $du_i du_{i+2} = 0$  respectively. This net is given by the equations

$$(3.6) \quad \nabla\alpha_{is} du_s + \nabla\beta_{is} du_i = 0.$$

Let us call the curves determined by (3.6) pseudoasymptotic curves on the variety  $(A_i)$ .

The pseudoasymptotic curves on the variety  $(E^{i+3})$  will be given by the equations

$$(3.7) \quad \nabla\alpha_{si} du_i + \nabla\beta_{si} du_s = 0.$$

Using (2.13) we obtain invariant forms which are important for the study of deformations of pseudocongruences. They are: Point forms

$$(3.8) \quad \begin{aligned} \varphi_i &= \nabla\alpha_{i+1,i+2} \nabla\alpha_{i+2,i+1} \\ J_1 &= \nabla\alpha_{12} \nabla\alpha_{23} \nabla\alpha_{31}, \quad J_2 = \nabla\alpha_{21} \nabla\alpha_{32} \nabla\alpha_{13}. \end{aligned}$$

These forms are not independent. If we know any four of them, we may derive the fifth one. Their complex is called a point element of the pseudocongruence  $\mathcal{L}$ .

Hyperplanar forms

$$(3.9) \quad \begin{aligned} \varphi_i^* &= \nabla\beta_{i+1,i+2} \nabla\beta_{i+2,i+1} \\ J_1^* &= \nabla\beta_{12} \nabla\beta_{23} \nabla\beta_{31}, \quad J_2^* = \nabla\beta_{21} \nabla\beta_{32} \nabla\beta_{13}. \end{aligned}$$

These forms are dependent, too. Using any four of them, the fifth may be derived. Their complex is called a hyperplanar element of the pseudocongruence  $\mathcal{L}$ .

Focal forms

$$(3.10) \quad F_{is} = \nabla\alpha_{is} \nabla\beta_{si} \frac{du_s}{du_i},$$

pseudoasymptotic forms

$$(3.11) \quad G_{is} = \frac{\nabla\alpha_{is} du_s}{\nabla\beta_{is} du_i},$$

point and hyperplanar forms of the kind “i”

$$(3.12) \quad g_{is} = \frac{h_{is} du_i}{\nabla\alpha_{is}}, \quad g_{is}^* = \frac{h_{is} du_s}{\nabla\beta_{is}},$$

where

$$g_{is}^* = g_{is} G_{is}.$$

Finally let us add a group of invariant forms which are necessary for the study of projective deformations. Substituting from (2.6) into (2.12), we get

$$\begin{aligned} d\mu_{ii}\bar{A}_i + \mu_{ii} \nabla\bar{A}_i &\equiv (\mu_{ii}\omega_{ii} + \mu_{i+3,i} du_i) \bar{A}_i, \quad (\text{mod } \bar{A}_{i+1}, \bar{A}_{i+2}, \bar{A}_{i+3}), \\ \mu_{i+3,i} \nabla\bar{A}_i + d\left(\mu_{ii} \frac{d\bar{u}_i}{du_i}\right) \bar{A}_{i+3} + \mu_{ii} \frac{d\bar{u}_i}{du_i} \nabla\bar{A}_{i+3} &\equiv \\ \equiv \omega_{i+3,i+3} \mu_{ii} \frac{d\bar{u}_i}{du_i} \bar{A}_{i+3}, \quad (\text{mod } \bar{A}_1, \bar{A}_2, \bar{A}_3, \bar{A}_{i+4}, \bar{A}_{i+5}). \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$\bar{a}_{i+3,i+3}^s - \bar{a}_{ii}^s = (a_{i+3,i+3}^s - a_{ii}^s) \frac{du_s}{d\bar{u}_s}$$

and finally we obtain the invariant forms

$$(3.13) \quad \psi_{is} = (a_{i+3,i+3}^s - a_{ii}^s) du_s.$$

The substitution (3.3) will be completed by

$$(3.14) \quad \left\langle \begin{array}{cccccccc} \mathcal{L} & \varphi_i & \varphi_i^* & J_1 & J_2 & J_1 & J_2 & F_{is} & G_{is} & \psi_{is} \\ \mathcal{L}^* & \varphi_i^* & \varphi_i & -J_2 & -J_1 & -J_2 & -J_1 & F_{is} & 1/G_{is} & \psi_{is} \end{array} \right\rangle.$$



4. Let  $\mathcal{L}$  be a plane pseudocongruence with projective connection given by (2.12). Let  $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  be another pseudocongruence; we denote all expressions connected with  $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  by a tilde. Let the frames associated with  $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  be specialized in the same way as those associated with  $\mathcal{L}$ .

Let  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  be a correspondence between  $\mathcal{L}$  and  $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  given by the equations

$$(4.1) \quad du_i = \sum_{j=1}^3 m_{ij} du_j$$

where

$$\det |m_{ij}| \neq 0.$$

The correspondence associates to a plane  $P_2 \in \mathcal{L}$  a plane  $\tilde{P}_2 \in \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$

$$CP_2 = \tilde{P}_2.$$

The correspondence  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  is called the projective deformation of order  $k$  if for each plane  $P_2$  of the pseudocongruence  $\mathcal{L}$  there exists a collineation  $K : P_5 \rightarrow \tilde{P}_5$  such that the pseudocongruences  $K\mathcal{L}$  and  $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  have the analytic contact of order  $k$  along the plane  $\tilde{P}_2 = CP_2$ . We say that  $K$  realizes the projective deformation  $C$  of order  $k$ .

Now, we attend to the deformation of the first order. The conditions for the correspondence  $C$  to be a projective deformation of the first order consist in the existence of the collineation

$$K\tilde{A}_j = \sum_{r=1}^6 c_{jr}A_r, \quad (j = 1, 2, \dots, 6)$$

and such a form  $\vartheta_1$  that it holds

$$(4.2) \quad \begin{aligned} K[\tilde{A}_1, \tilde{A}_2, \tilde{A}_3] &= [A_1, A_2, A_3] \\ K \nabla[\tilde{A}_1, \tilde{A}_2, \tilde{A}_3] &= \nabla[A_1, A_2, A_3] + \vartheta_1[A_1, A_2, A_3]. \end{aligned}$$

From (4.2<sub>1</sub>) we get

$$\begin{aligned} K\tilde{A}_i &= \sum_{r=1}^3 c_{ir}A_r, \\ \det |c_{ir}| &= 1. \end{aligned}$$

From (4.2<sub>2</sub>) it follows

$$\begin{aligned} &\sum_{i=1}^3 \sum_{r=4}^6 A_i A_{i+1} A_r \{ c_{i+3,r} (c_{i+1,i} c_{i+2,i+1} - c_{i+1,i+1} c_{i+2,i}) d\tilde{u}_i + \\ &\quad + c_{i+4,r} (c_{i+2,i} c_{i,i+1} - c_{i,i} c_{i+2,i+1}) d\tilde{u}_{i+1} + \\ &\quad + c_{i+5,r} (c_{i,i} c_{i+1,i+1} - c_{i,i+1} c_{i+1,i}) d\tilde{u}_{i+2} \} \equiv \sum_{i=1}^3 A_{i+1} A_{i+2} A_{i+3} du_i. \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$c_{i,s} = c_{i+3,s+3} = 0$$

$$du_i = c_{i+1,i+1}c_{i+2,i+2}c_{i+3,i+3} d\tilde{u}_i$$

and (4.1) may be reduced to

$$du_i = d\tilde{u}_i.$$

**Proposition 1.** *The correspondence  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  is the projective deformation of the first order if and only if  $C$  is developable. The collineation realizing this deformation transforms the focal formations of the pseudocongruence  $\mathcal{L}$  into the corresponding focal formations of the pseudocongruence  $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}$ .*

The tangent collineation  $K$  is of the form

$$(4.3) \quad K\tilde{A}_i = \varrho_i A_i$$

$$K\tilde{A}_{i+3} = c_{i+3,i}A_i + c_{i+3,i+1}A_{i+1} + c_{i+3,i+2}A_{i+2} + \varrho_i A_{i+3}$$

where

$$(4.4) \quad \varrho_1 \varrho_2 \varrho_3 = 1$$

and

$$(4.5) \quad \tau_{ij} = \tilde{\omega}_{ij} - \omega_{ij},$$

$$\vartheta_1 = \sum_{i=1}^3 (\tau_{ii} - \varrho_i^{-1} c_{i+3,i} du_i).$$

The dual collineation  $K^* : P_5^* \rightarrow \tilde{P}_5^*$  is given by

$$(4.6) \quad K\tilde{E}^{*i+3} = \varrho_i^{-1} E^{i+3},$$

$$K\tilde{E}^{*i} = -\varrho_i^{-2} c_{i+3,i} E^{i+3} - \varrho_{i+2} c_{i+4,i} E^{i+4} - \varrho_{i+1} c_{i+5,i} E^{i+5} + \varrho_i^{-1} E^i.$$

This collineation is tangent to the correspondence  $C : \mathcal{L}^* \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}^*$ .

With respect to Proposition 1 we shall suppose in further considerations that  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  is a developable correspondence. Let it be given by

$$(4.7) \quad d\tilde{u}_i = du_i.$$

The correspondence  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  induces correspondences between  $\mathcal{L}, \mathcal{L}^*, (A_i), (E^{i+3})$  and  $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}, \tilde{\mathcal{L}}^*, (\tilde{A}_i), (\tilde{E}^{i+3})$ . Let us denote them by  $C$ , too.

The tangent collineation of  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \mathcal{L}$  or  $C : \mathcal{L}^* \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}^*$  is determined by (4.3), (4.4), (4.6).

The collineations  $K_1, K_1^*$  of the form (4.3), (4.6) realizes the analytic contact of the first order of  $(A_i) \rightarrow (\tilde{A}_i), (E^{i+3}) \rightarrow (\tilde{E}^{i+3})$ , if

$$K_1 \tilde{A}_i = \varrho_i A_i, \quad K_1 \nabla \tilde{A}_i = \varrho_i \nabla A_i + \theta_i A_i$$

$$K_1^* \tilde{E}^{i+3} = \varrho_i^{-1} E^{i+3}, \quad K_1^* \nabla \tilde{E}^{i+3} = \varrho_i^{-1} \nabla E^{i+3} + \theta_i^* E^{i+3} \quad \text{respectively.}$$

Using (2.12), (2.11) or (4.3), (4.6), we get

$$\begin{aligned}
K_1 \nabla \tilde{A}_i &= \varrho_i \nabla A_i + (\varrho_i \tau_{ii} + c_{i+3,i} du_i) A_i + \\
&+ [\text{du}_i(c_{i+3,i+1} + \varrho_{i+1} \tilde{h}_{i,i+1} - \varrho_i h_{i,i+1}) + \varrho_{i+1} \nabla \tilde{\alpha}_{i,i+1} - \varrho_i \nabla \alpha_{i,i+1}] A_{i+1} + \\
&+ [\text{du}_i(c_{i+3,i+2} + \varrho_{i+2} \tilde{h}_{i,i+2} - \varrho_i h_{i,i+2}) + \varrho_{i+2} \nabla \tilde{\alpha}_{i,i+2} - \varrho_i \nabla \alpha_{i,i+2}] A_{i+2}, \\
K_1^* \nabla \tilde{E}^{i+3} &= \varrho_i^{-1} \nabla E^{i+3} + (-\varrho_i^{-1} \tau_{i+3,i+3} + \varrho_i^{-2} c_{i+3,i} du_i) E^{i+3} + \\
&+ [\text{du}_i(\varrho_{i+2} c_{i+1,i} - \varrho_{i+1}^{-1} \tilde{h}_{i+1,i} + \varrho_i^{-1} h_{i+1,i}) + \\
&\quad + \varrho_{i+1}^{-1} \nabla \tilde{\beta}_{i+1,i} - \varrho_i^{-1} \nabla \beta_{i+1,i}] E^{i+4} + \\
&+ [\text{du}_i(\varrho_{i+1} c_{i+5,i} - \varrho_{i+2}^{-1} \tilde{h}_{i+2,i} + \varrho_i^{-1} h_{i+2,i}) + \\
&\quad + \varrho_{i+2}^{-1} \nabla \tilde{\beta}_{i+2,i} - \varrho_i^{-1} \nabla \beta_{i+2,i}] E^{i+5}
\end{aligned}$$

respectively.

**Lemma 3.** Let  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  or  $C : \mathcal{L}^* \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}^*$  be a developable correspondence. Tangent collineation  $K_1 : \tilde{P}_5 \rightarrow P_5$  of the correspondence  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$ , or  $K_1^* : \tilde{P}_5^* \rightarrow P_5^*$  of the correspondence  $C : \mathcal{L}^* \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}^*$  realizes the analytic contact of the first order of focal varieties  $(A_i) \rightarrow (\tilde{A}_i)$  or  $(E^{i+3}) \rightarrow (\tilde{E}^{i+3})$ , if and only if it holds

$$(4.7) \quad \varrho_s \nabla \tilde{\alpha}_{i,s} = \varrho_i \nabla \alpha_{i,s}, \quad c_{i+3,s} = \varrho_i h_{i,s} - \varrho_s \tilde{h}_{i,s},$$

$$(4.8) \quad \varrho_i \nabla \tilde{\beta}_{s,i} = \varrho_s \nabla \beta_{s,i}, \quad c_{s+3,i} = \varrho_i \tilde{h}_{s,i} - \varrho_s h_{s,i}$$

respectively.

In a similar way, we find the conditions for the analytic contact of the first order of line complexes  $[A_i A_{i+1}] \rightarrow [\tilde{A}_i \tilde{A}_{i+1}]$  and plane complexes  $[E^{i+3} E^{i+4}] \rightarrow [\tilde{E}^{i+3} \tilde{E}^{i+4}]$ . We obtain

**Lemma 4.** Let  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  or  $C : \mathcal{L}^* \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}^*$  be a developable correspondence. The tangent collineation  $K_2 : \tilde{P}_5 \rightarrow P_5$  of the correspondence  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  or  $K_2^* : \tilde{P}_5^* \rightarrow P_5^*$  of the correspondence  $C : \mathcal{L}^* \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}^*$  realizes the analytic contact of the first order of line complexes  $[A_i A_{i+1}] \rightarrow [\tilde{A}_i \tilde{A}_{i+1}]$  or plane complexes  $[E^{i+3} E^{i+4}] \rightarrow [\tilde{E}^{i+3} \tilde{E}^{i+4}]$ , if and only if it holds

$$(4.9) \quad \begin{aligned} \varrho_{i+2} \nabla \tilde{\alpha}_{s-1,i+2} &= \varrho_{s-1} \nabla \alpha_{s-1,i+2} \\ c_{s+2,i+2} &= \varrho_{s-1} h_{s-1,i+2} - \varrho_{i+2} \tilde{h}_{s-1,i+2}, \end{aligned}$$

$$(4.10) \quad \begin{aligned} \varrho_{s-1} \nabla \tilde{\beta}_{i+2,s-1} &= \varrho_{i+2} \nabla \beta_{i+2,s-1} \\ c_{i+5,s-1} &= \varrho_{s-1} \tilde{h}_{i+2,s-1} - \varrho_{i+2} h_{i+2,s-1} \end{aligned}$$

respectively.

5. Let  $\mathcal{L}$  and  $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  be plane pseudocongruences with projective connection. Let a one-to-one correspondence  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  (plane  $\rightarrow$  plane) be given by the equations

$\tilde{u}_i = \tilde{u}_i(u_1, u_2, u_3)$ . We shall say that  $C^b$  is the point extension of  $C$  if a collineation

$$\begin{aligned} \Pi &= \Pi(u_1, u_2, u_3) : P_2(u_1, u_2, u_3) \rightarrow \\ &\rightarrow \tilde{P}_2[\tilde{u}_1(u_1, u_2, u_3), \tilde{u}_2(u_1, u_2, u_3), \tilde{u}_3(u_1, u_2, u_3)] \end{aligned}$$

is given for every pair of corresponding planes  $P_2 \in \mathcal{L}$ ,  $CP_2 = \tilde{P}_2 \in \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$ .

The correspondence  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  is called a point deformation if and only if there exists a point extension  $C^b$  of  $C$  given by the collineation  $\Pi$  such that the following condition holds: Let  $P_2^0 \in \mathcal{L}$  be a fixed plane,  $\mathcal{R}$  an arbitrary plane variety in  $\mathcal{L}$  passing through  $P_2^0$ . Let  $A(R_2)$  be an arbitrarily chosen point in the plane  $R_2 \in \mathcal{R}$ . If  $R_2$  runs through the variety  $\mathcal{R}$ , the points  $A(R_2)$  describe a curve  $\gamma$ ; let  $\tilde{\gamma}$  be its development into  $P_5(P_2^0)$ . The points  $\tilde{A}(R_2) = \Pi A(R_2)$  describe a curve  $\tilde{\gamma}$  on the plane variety  $\tilde{\mathcal{R}} = C\mathcal{R}$ ; let  $\tilde{\tilde{\gamma}}$  be its development into the local space  $\tilde{P}_5(CP_2^0)$ . A collineation  $H(P_2^0) : P_5(P_2^0) \rightarrow \tilde{P}_5(CP_2^0)$  exists for each  $P_2^0 \in \mathcal{L}$  such that the curves  $H(P_2^0) \tilde{\gamma}, \tilde{\tilde{\gamma}}$  have an analytic contact of the first order.

We shall say that  $H$  realizes the point deformation. Let a correspondence  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  be given by the equations (4.1) and let a point extension  $C^b$  of  $C$  be given by the collineation

$$(5.1) \quad \Pi \tilde{A}_i = \sum_{j=1}^3 b_{ij} A_j, \quad \det |b_{ij}| \neq 0.$$

Suppose that  $C$  is a point deformation and  $C^b$  is the corresponding point extension of  $C$ . The collineation  $H$  realizing the point deformation should be of the form

$$(5.2) \quad \begin{aligned} H \tilde{A}_i &= \sum_{j=1}^3 b_{ij} A_j \\ H \tilde{A}_{i+3} &= \sum_{j=1}^6 b_{i+3,j} A_j, \quad \det |b_{rj}| \neq 0 \quad (r, j = 1, 2, \dots, 6). \end{aligned}$$

Let the curve  $\tilde{\gamma}$  be described by the point

$$A = \sum_{i=1}^3 x_i(t) A_i(u_1, u_2, u_3); \quad u_i = u_i(t).$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} H \nabla \tilde{A} &= \sum_{i=1}^3 \sum_{s=1}^3 \sum_{j=1}^3 (dx_i b_{ij} + x_i \tilde{\omega}_{is} b_{sj}) A_j + \sum_{i=1}^3 \sum_{j=1}^6 x_i du_i b_{i+3,j} A_j \\ \nabla(C^b \tilde{A}) &= \sum_{i=1}^3 \sum_{s=1}^3 \sum_{j=1}^3 [(dx_i b_{ij} + x_i db_j + x_i b_{is} \omega_{sj}) A_j + x_i b_{ij} du_j A_{j+3}]. \end{aligned}$$

If  $C$  is a point deformation, there are  $b_{ij}, \lambda_i$  satisfying

$$H \nabla \tilde{A} = \nabla(C^b \tilde{A}) + (\lambda_1 du_1 + \lambda_2 du_2 + \lambda_3 du_3) C^b \tilde{A}$$

identically in  $x_i, du_i$ . Comparing the coefficients of  $dx_i A_{j+3}$ , we get

$$(5.3) \quad b_{i+3, j+3} d\tilde{u}_i = b_{ij} du_j \quad (i, j = 1, 2, 3)$$

or

$$\det |b_{i+3, j+3}| d\tilde{u}_1 d\tilde{u}_2 d\tilde{u}_3 = \det |b_{ij}| du_1 du_2 du_3 \quad (i, j = 1, 2, 3).$$

Consequently the correspondence  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  is developable in the sense that it transforms developable varieties into developable varieties again.

From (5.3) it follows that  $m_{is} = 0$  and, without any loss of generality, we may suppose that the developable correspondence  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  is given by

$$(5.4) \quad d\tilde{u}_i = du_i.$$

Further we obtain

$$(5.5) \quad b_{ii} = b_{i+3, i+3}, \quad b_{is} = b_{i+3, s+3} = 0.$$

Let us denote  $b_{ii} = \varrho_i$ . Comparing the coefficient of  $x_i A_j$  ( $i, j = 1, 2, 3$ ), we find

$$b_{i+3, i} du_i = d\varrho_i - \varrho_i \tau_{ii} + \lambda \varrho_i \quad \text{where} \quad \lambda = \sum_{i=1}^3 \lambda_i du_i,$$

and further

$$b_{i+3, s} du_i = \varrho_i \omega_{is} - \varrho_s \tilde{\omega}_{is}.$$

Comparing the coefficient of  $du_i$ , we obtain

$$(5.6) \quad \varrho_s \nabla \tilde{\alpha}_{is} = \varrho_i \nabla \alpha_{is}, \quad b_{i+3, s} = \varrho_i h_{is} - \varrho_s \tilde{h}_{is}$$

$$(5.7) \quad b_{i+3, i} = \varrho_i \left( \lambda_i + \frac{\partial \lg \varrho_i}{\partial u_i} - \tilde{a}_{ii}^i + a_{ii}^i \right)$$

$$(5.8) \quad \lambda_i = \tilde{a}_{ss}^i - a_{ss}^i - \frac{\partial \lg \varrho_s}{\partial u_i}.$$

Eliminating  $\varrho_i$  from (5.6), we get

$$(5.9) \quad \nabla \tilde{\alpha}_{i+1, i+2} \nabla \tilde{\alpha}_{i+2, i+1} = \nabla \alpha_{i+1, i+2} \nabla \alpha_{i+2, i+1}$$

and further

$$(5.10) \quad \begin{aligned} \nabla \tilde{\alpha}_{12} \nabla \tilde{\alpha}_{23} \nabla \tilde{\alpha}_{31} &= \nabla \alpha_{12} \nabla \alpha_{23} \nabla \alpha_{31} \\ \nabla \tilde{\alpha}_{21} \nabla \tilde{\alpha}_{32} \nabla \tilde{\alpha}_{13} &= \nabla \alpha_{21} \nabla \alpha_{32} \nabla \alpha_{13}. \end{aligned}$$

With respect to (3.8), the relations (5.9) and (5.10) assume the form

$$(5.11) \quad \tilde{\varphi}_i = \varphi_i, \quad \tilde{J}_1 = J_1, \quad \tilde{J}_2 = J_2.$$

Conversely, let us suppose (5.9) and (5.10). From (5.9) it follows

$$\nabla \tilde{\alpha}_{i+1,i+2} = k_i \nabla \alpha_{i+1,i+2}; \quad \nabla \tilde{\alpha}_{i+2,i+1} = k_i^{-1} \nabla \alpha_{i+2,i+1}.$$

Substituting into (5.10), we obtain  $k_1 k_2 k_3^! = 1$ ; if we write  $k_i = \varrho_{i+1} \varrho_{i+2}^{-1}$  the presumption of (5.9), (5.10) yields (5.6).

**Proposition 2.** *The correspondence  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  is a point deformation if and only if  $C$  is developable and pseudocongruences  $\mathcal{L}$  and  $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  have the same point elements. The collineation  $H$  realizing this deformation is determined uniquely by equations (5.5), (5.6) and (5.7).*

Comparing (4.7), (4.9) with the results (5.6), we obtain

**Proposition 3.** *Let  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  be a developable correspondence. The correspondence is a point deformation if and only if the induced correspondences  $C : (A_i) \rightarrow (\tilde{A}_i)$  and  $C : [A_i A_{i+1}] \rightarrow [\tilde{A}_i \tilde{A}_{i+1}]$  are simultaneously projective deformations of the first order and are realized by the same collineation.*

Let us carry out dual considerations and let us introduce s.c. hyperplanar deformation. Using (3.3) and (3.14), we derive the necessary and sufficient conditions for the hyperplanar deformation  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  in the form

$$(5.12) \quad b_{ii}^* = b_{i+3,i+3}^*, \quad b_{is}^* = b_{i+3,s+3}^* = 0,$$

$$(5.13) \quad \varrho_i \nabla \tilde{\beta}_{si} = \varrho_s \nabla \beta_{si}, \quad b_{s+3,i}^* = \varrho_i \tilde{h}_{si} - \varrho_s h_{si},$$

$$(5.14) \quad b_{i+3,i}^* = \varrho_i \left( \lambda_i^* + \tilde{a}_{i+3,i+3}^i - a_{i+3,i+3}^i - \frac{\partial \lg \varrho_i}{\partial u_i} \right),$$

$$(5.15) \quad \lambda_i^* = a_{s+3,s+3}^i - \tilde{a}_{s+3,s+3}^i + \frac{\partial \lg \varrho_s}{\partial u_i},$$

and consequently

$$\nabla \tilde{\beta}_{i+1,i+2} \nabla \tilde{\beta}_{i+2,i+1} = \nabla \beta_{i+1,i+2} \nabla \beta_{i+2,i+1},$$

$$\nabla \tilde{\beta}_{12} \nabla \tilde{\beta}_{23} \nabla \tilde{\beta}_{31} = \nabla \beta_{12} \nabla \beta_{23} \nabla \beta_{31},$$

$$\nabla \tilde{\beta}_{21} \nabla \tilde{\beta}_{32} \nabla \tilde{\beta}_{13} = \nabla \beta_{21} \nabla \beta_{32} \nabla \beta_{13};$$

it means

$$\tilde{\varphi}_i^* = \varphi_i^*, \quad \tilde{J}_1^* = J_1^*, \quad \tilde{J}_2^* = J_2^*.$$

**Proposition 4.** *The correspondence  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  is a hyperplanar deformation if and only if  $C$  is developable and pseudocongruences  $\mathcal{L}$  and  $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  have the same hyperplanar elements. The collineation  $H^*$  realizing this deformation is uniquely determined by the equations (5.12), (5.13), (5.14) and (5.15).*

Comparing (4.8), (4.10) with the results (5.13), we get

**Proposition 5.** *Let  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  be a developable correspondence. The correspondence is a hyperplanar deformation if and only if the induced correspondences  $C : (E^{i+3}) \rightarrow (\tilde{E}^{i+3})$ ,  $C : [E^{i+3}E^{i+4}] \rightarrow [\tilde{E}^{i+3}\tilde{E}^{i+4}]$  are simultaneously projective deformations of the first order and are realized by the same collineation.*

6. Let  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  be a developable correspondence given by the equations (4.7) and let  $K$  of the form (4.3) be its tangent collineation. The correspondence  $C$  is said to be a focal deformation of the kind “ $i$ ” if and only if the tangent collineation realizing this deformation realizes simultaneously the analytic contact of the first order of local varieties  $(A_i) \rightarrow (\tilde{A}_i)$  and  $(E^{i+3}) \rightarrow (\tilde{E}^{i+3})$ .

From (4.7) and (4.8) we get

$$(6.1) \quad \varrho_s \nabla \tilde{\alpha}_{is} = \varrho_i \nabla \alpha_{is}, \quad \varrho_i \nabla \tilde{\beta}_{si} = \varrho_s \nabla \beta_{si}$$

$$(6.2) \quad c_{i+3,s} = \varrho_i h_{is} - \varrho_s \tilde{h}_{is}, \quad c_{s+3,i} = \varrho_i \tilde{h}_{si} - \varrho_s h_{si}$$

and consequently

$$(6.3) \quad \nabla \tilde{\alpha}_{is} \nabla \tilde{\beta}_{si} = \nabla \alpha_{is} \nabla \beta_{si}$$

i.e.

$$\tilde{F}_{is} = F_{is}.$$

The conditions are necessary and sufficient.

**Proposition 6.** *Let  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  be a developable correspondence. The correspondence is a focal deformation of the kind “ $i$ ” if and only if pseudocongruences  $\mathcal{L}$  and  $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  have the same focal forms  $\tilde{F}_{is} = F_{is}$ . The collineation realizing this deformation is determined by the equations (6.2).*

We shall say that a developable correspondence  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  is quasifocal of the kind “ $i$ ” if and only if its tangent collineation realizes simultaneously the analytic contact of the first order of  $[A_{i+1}A_{i+2}] \rightarrow [\tilde{A}_{i+1}\tilde{A}_{i+2}]$ ,  $[E^{i+4}E^{i+5}] \rightarrow [\tilde{E}^{i+4}\tilde{E}^{i+5}]$ . From (4.9) and (4.10) we obtain

$$(6.4) \quad \varrho_i \nabla \tilde{\alpha}_{si} = \varrho_s \nabla \alpha_{si}, \quad \varrho_s \nabla \tilde{\beta}_{is} = \varrho_i \nabla \beta_{is}$$

$$(6.5) \quad c_{s+3,i} = \varrho_s h_{si} - \varrho_i \tilde{h}_{si}, \quad c_{i+3,s} = \varrho_s \tilde{h}_{is} - \varrho_i h_{is}$$

and

$$(6.6) \quad \nabla \tilde{\alpha}_{si} \nabla \tilde{\beta}_{is} = \nabla \alpha_{si} \nabla \beta_{is}, \quad \text{i.e. } \tilde{F}_{si} = F_{si}.$$

**Proposition 7.** Let  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  be a developable correspondence. The correspondence is a quasifocal deformation of the kind "i" if and only if pseudocongruences  $\mathcal{L}$  and  $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  have the same focal forms  $\tilde{F}_{si} = F_{si}$ . The collineation realizing this deformation is given by the equations (6.5).

Let  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  be simultaneously a focal and quasifocal deformation of the kind "i". From (6.1), (6.4) and (3.11) we get

$$(6.7) \quad \frac{\nabla \tilde{\alpha}_{is}}{\nabla \tilde{\beta}_{is}} = \frac{\nabla \alpha_{is}}{\nabla \beta_{is}}, \quad \frac{\nabla \tilde{\alpha}_{si}}{\nabla \tilde{\beta}_{si}} = \frac{\nabla \alpha_{si}}{\nabla \beta_{si}},$$

i.e.

$$\tilde{G}_{is} = G_{is}, \quad \tilde{G}_{si} = G_{si}.$$

From (6.2), (6.5) and (3.12) it follows

$$(6.8) \quad c_{s+3,i} = c_{i+3,s} = 0$$

and consequently

$$(6.9) \quad \frac{\nabla \tilde{\alpha}_{is}}{\tilde{h}_{is}} = \frac{\nabla \alpha_{is}}{h_{is}}, \quad \frac{\nabla \tilde{\beta}_{si}}{\tilde{h}_{si}} = \frac{\nabla \beta_{si}}{h_{si}},$$

$$(6.10) \quad \frac{\nabla \tilde{\alpha}_{si}}{\tilde{h}_{si}} = \frac{\nabla \alpha_{si}}{h_{si}}, \quad \frac{\nabla \tilde{\beta}_{is}}{\tilde{h}_{is}} = \frac{\nabla \beta_{is}}{h_{is}},$$

i.e.

$$\tilde{g}_{is} = g_{is}, \quad \tilde{g}_{is}^* = g_{is}^*, \quad \tilde{g}_{si} = g_{si}, \quad \tilde{g}_{si}^* = g_{si}^*.$$

From (6.7), (3.4) and (3.5) it follows that the pseudoasymptotic curves of the varieties  $(A_i) \rightarrow (\tilde{A}_i)$  and  $(E^{i+3}) \rightarrow (\tilde{E}^{i+3})$  correspond to each other.

Using (3.6), (3.7), (6.10) and (6.9) we may see that also the asymptotic curves of the varieties  $(A_i) \rightarrow (\tilde{A}_i)$  and  $(E^{i+3}) \rightarrow (\tilde{E}^{i+3})$  correspond to each other.

**Proposition 8.** Let  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  be simultaneously a focal and quasifocal deformation of the kind "i". Then the pseudoasymptotic and asymptotic curves of focal varieties  $(A_i) \rightarrow (\tilde{A}_i)$  and  $(E^{i+3}) \rightarrow (\tilde{E}^{i+3})$  are corresponding to each other. The collineation realizing this deformation is given by (6.8).

7. Now, let us deal with a projective deformation of the second order. The pseudocongruences  $\mathcal{L}$  and  $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  let be given by (2.12), (2.12̃) and let  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  be a correspondence.  $C$  is a projective deformation of the second order if and only if there exists (for each plane  $P_2 \in \mathcal{L}$ ) a tangent collineation  $K$  satisfying (4.2) and

$$(7.1) \quad K \nabla^2[\tilde{A}_1, \tilde{A}_2, \tilde{A}_3] = \nabla^2[A_1, A_2, A_3] + 2\vartheta_1 \nabla[A_1, A_2, A_3] + (\cdot) [A_1, A_2, A_3]$$

where

$$\vartheta_1 = \sum_{i=1}^3 (\tau_{ii} - \varrho_i^{-1} c_{i+3,i} du_i).$$



With respect to Proposition 1, the projective deformation is a developable correspondence and we may suppose (4.7) and (4.3). There is

(7.2)

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla[A_1, A_2, A_3] &= [A_1, A_2, A_3](\omega_{11} + \omega_{22} + \omega_{33}) + \\ &+ \sum_{i=1}^3 [A_i, A_{i+1}, A_{i+5}] du_{i+2}, \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla[A_{i+1}, A_{i+2}, A_{i+3}] &= [A_{i+1}, A_{i+2}, A_{i+3}](\omega_{i+1,i+1} + \omega_{i+2,i+2} + \omega_{i+3,i+3}) + \\ &+ [A_i, A_{i+2}, A_{i+3}](h_{i+1,i} du_{i+1} + \nabla\alpha_{i+1,i}) + \\ &+ [A_{i+1}, A_{i+2}, A_{i+4}](h_{i,i+1} du_{i+1} + \nabla\beta_{i,i+1}) + \\ &+ [A_{i+1}, A_i, A_{i+3}](h_{i+2,i} du_{i+2} + \nabla\alpha_{i+2,i}) + \\ &+ [A_{i+1}, A_{i+2}, A_{i+5}](h_{i,i+2} du_{i+2} + \nabla\beta_{i,i+2}) + \\ &+ [A_{i+2}, A_{i+3}, A_{i+4}] du_{i+1} + [A_{i+3}, A_{i+1}, A_{i+5}] du_{i+2} + \\ &+ [A_i, A_{i+1}, A_{i+2}] \omega_{i+3,i} \end{aligned}$$

and consequently

(7.3)

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla^2[A_1, A_2, A_3] &= (\cdot)[A_1, A_2, A_3] + 2 \sum_{i=1}^3 du_i du_{i+1} [A_{i+2}, A_{i+3}, A_{i+4}] + \\ &+ \sum_{i=1}^3 [A_{i+1}, A_i, A_{i+3}](\nabla\alpha_{i+2,i} du_i - \nabla\beta_{i+2,i} du_{i+2}) + \\ &+ \sum_{i=1}^3 [A_{i+1}, A_i, A_{i+4}] \cdot \\ &\cdot (\nabla\alpha_{i+2,i+1} du_{i+1} - \nabla\beta_{i+2,i+1} du_{i+2}) + \\ &+ \sum_{i=1}^3 [A_i, A_{i+1}, A_{i+5}] \{d^2u_{i+2} + (2\omega_{ii} + 2\omega_{i+1,i+1} + \\ &+ \omega_{i+2,i+2} + \omega_{i+5,i+5}) du_{i+2}\}. \end{aligned}$$

From (7.3), an analogous equation for  $\nabla^2[\tilde{A}_1, \tilde{A}_2, \tilde{A}_3]$  and (4.5) we obtain

(7.4)

$$\begin{aligned} K \nabla^2[\tilde{A}_1, \tilde{A}_2, \tilde{A}_3] &= \nabla^2[A_1, A_2, A_3] + 2\vartheta_1 \nabla[A_1, A_2, A_3] + (\cdot)[A_1, A_2, A_3] + \\ &+ \sum_{r=i}^{i+2} \sum_{i=1}^3 \Phi_{i+1,i+2}^r [A_{i+1}, A_{i+2}, A_{r+3}] \end{aligned}$$

where

(7.5)

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi_{i+1,i+2}^i &= (\tau_{i+3,i+3} - \tau_{ii}) du_i - 2\varrho_i^{-1} c_{i+3,i} du_i^2 \\ \Phi_{i+1,i+2}^s &= \nabla\alpha_{is} du_s - \nabla\beta_{is} du_i - \varrho_s \varrho_i^{-1} (\nabla\check{\alpha}_{is} du_s - \nabla\check{\beta}_{is} du_i) - \\ &- 2\varrho_i^{-1} c_{i+3,s} du_i du_s. \end{aligned}$$

If  $C$  is a projective deformation of the second order then there exist such functions  $c_{i+3,i}$ ,  $c_{i+3,s}$  that

$$(7.6) \quad \Phi_{i+1,i+2}^i = \Phi_{i+1,i+2}^s = 0.$$

From (7.5) and (7.6) it follows

$$(7.7) \quad c_{i+3,s} = 0$$

$$(7.8) \quad 2c_{i+3,i} = \varrho_i(\tilde{a}_{i+3,i+3}^i - \tilde{a}_{ii}^i - a_{i+3,i+3}^i + a_{ii}^i)$$

$$(7.9) \quad \nabla\alpha_{is} = \varrho_i^{-1}\varrho_s \nabla\tilde{\alpha}_{is}, \quad \nabla\beta_{is} = \varrho_i^{-1}\varrho_s \nabla\tilde{\beta}_{is}$$

$$(7.10) \quad \tilde{a}_{i+3,i+3}^s - \tilde{a}_{ii}^s = a_{i+3,i+3}^s - a_{ii}^s.$$

Eliminating  $\varrho_i$  from (7.9), we get

$$(7.11) \quad \begin{aligned} \nabla\tilde{\alpha}_{is} \nabla\tilde{\alpha}_{si} &= \nabla\alpha_{is} \nabla\alpha_{si} \\ \nabla\tilde{\alpha}_{12} \nabla\tilde{\alpha}_{23} \nabla\tilde{\alpha}_{31} &= \nabla\alpha_{12} \nabla\alpha_{23} \nabla\alpha_{31}, \quad \nabla\tilde{\alpha}_{21} \nabla\tilde{\alpha}_{32} \nabla\tilde{\alpha}_{13} = \nabla\alpha_{21} \nabla\alpha_{32} \nabla\alpha_{13} \end{aligned}$$

$$(7.12) \quad \begin{aligned} \nabla\tilde{\beta}_{is} \nabla\tilde{\beta}_{si} &= \nabla\beta_{is} \nabla\beta_{si} \\ \nabla\tilde{\beta}_{12} \nabla\tilde{\beta}_{23} \nabla\tilde{\beta}_{31} &= \nabla\beta_{12} \nabla\beta_{23} \nabla\beta_{31}, \quad \nabla\tilde{\beta}_{21} \nabla\tilde{\beta}_{32} \nabla\tilde{\beta}_{13} = \nabla\beta_{21} \nabla\beta_{32} \nabla\beta_{13} \end{aligned}$$

$$(7.13) \quad \nabla\tilde{\alpha}_{is} \nabla\tilde{\beta}_{si} = \nabla\alpha_{is} \nabla\beta_{si}$$

$$(7.14) \quad \frac{\nabla\tilde{\alpha}_{is}}{\nabla\tilde{\beta}_{is}} = \frac{\nabla\alpha_{is}}{\nabla\beta_{is}}.$$

With respect to (3.8)–(3.13) we have

$$(7.15) \quad \tilde{\varphi}_i = \varphi_i, \quad \tilde{J}_1 = J_1, \quad \tilde{J}_2 = J_2, \quad \tilde{\varphi}_i^* = \varphi_i^*, \quad \tilde{J}_1^* = J_1^*, \quad \tilde{J}_2^* = J_2^*, \\ \tilde{F}_{is} = F_{is}, \quad \tilde{G}_{is} = G_{is}, \quad \tilde{\psi}_{is} = \psi_{is}.$$

Conversely, let (7.15) hold. From (7.11) and (7.12) it follows

$$\nabla\tilde{\alpha}_{is} = k_i \nabla\alpha_{is}, \quad \nabla\tilde{\alpha}_{si} = k_i^{-1} \nabla\alpha_{is}, \quad \nabla\tilde{\beta}_{is} = g_i \nabla\beta_{is}, \quad \nabla\tilde{\beta}_{si} = g_i^{-1} \nabla\beta_{si}.$$

Substituting into (7.13) or (7.14), we get  $k_i = g_i$  and using (7.12) we have  $k_1 k_2 k_3 = 1$ . If we put  $k_i = \varrho_{i+1}\varrho_{i+2}^{-1}$ , then the presumption of (7.15) yields (7.9).

**Proposition 9.** *The correspondence  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  is a projective deformation of the second order if and only if*

$$\tilde{\varphi}_i = \varphi_i, \quad \tilde{J}_1 = J_1, \quad \tilde{J}_2 = J_2, \quad \tilde{\varphi}_i^* = \varphi_i^*, \quad \tilde{J}_1^* = J_1^*, \quad \tilde{J}_2^* = J_2^*, \\ \tilde{F}_{is} = F_{is}, \quad \tilde{G}_{is} = G_{is}, \quad \tilde{\psi}_{is} = \psi_{is}.$$

Substitution (3.3) and (3.14) yields

**Proposition 10.** *Let  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  be a projective deformation of the second order. The correspondence  $C : \mathcal{L}^* \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}^*$  is also a projective deformation of the second order.*

8. Let  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  be a projective deformation of the second order. According to (4.3), (4.4), (7.7) and (7.8), the osculating collineation realizing this deformation is

$$(8.1) \quad K\tilde{A}_i = \varrho_i A_i, \quad K\tilde{A}_{i+3} = c_{i+3,i} A_i + \varrho_i A_{i+3}$$

where  $c_{i+3,i}$  is determined by (7.8).

The dualization  $C : \mathcal{L}^* \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}^*$  is also a projective deformation of the second order and the osculating collineation realizing this deformation is

$$(8.2) \quad K\tilde{E}^{i+3} = \varrho_i^{-1} E^{i+3}, \quad K\tilde{E}^i = -\varrho_i^{-2} c_{i+3,i} E^{i+3} + \varrho_i^{-1} E^i$$

where  $c_{i+3,i}$  are determined by (7.8).

If expressed in terms of points, relations (8.2) give (8.1).

**Lemma 5.** *Let  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  be a projective deformation of the second order and (8.1) be its osculating collineation. The correspondence  $C : \mathcal{L}^* \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}^*$  has the same osculating collineation.*

According to Lemma 2, we may change the local frames using equations (2.10) and putting  $d\bar{u}_i/du_i = 1$ .

We get

$$K\tilde{A}_i = \varrho_i \mu_{ii} \bar{A}_i, \\ K\tilde{A}_{i+3} = \left[ \frac{1}{2} \varrho_i (\bar{a}_{i+3,i+3}^i - a_{i+3,i+3}^i - \bar{a}_{ii}^i + a_{ii}^i) \mu_{ii} + \varrho_i \mu_{i+3,i} \right] \bar{A}_i + \varrho_i \mu_{ii} \bar{A}_{i+3}.$$

By a suitable choice

$$\mu_{ii} = \varrho_i^{-1}, \quad \mu_{i+3,i} = \frac{1}{2} \varrho_i^{-i} (a_{i+3,i+3}^i - a_{ii}^i - \bar{a}_{i+3,i+3}^i + \bar{a}_{ii}^i)$$

we obtain

**Lemma 6.** *If  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  is a projective deformation of the second order, it is possible to attain by a suitable choice of local frames that*

$$(8.3) \quad K\tilde{A}_i = A_i, \quad K\tilde{A}_{i+3} = A_{i+3}$$

is the osculating collineation. In this case, we have (7.9) and (7.10) and

$$(8.4) \quad \varrho_i = 1, \quad \bar{a}_{i+3,i+3}^i - \bar{a}_{ii}^i = a_{i+3,i+3}^i - a_{ii}^i.$$

Let us suppose that  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  is a projective deformation of the second order and that the osculating collineation realizing this deformation is determined by (8.3).  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  is, of course, a point deformation and also a hyperplanar deformation. Let us determine collineations  $H$  and  $H^*$  realizing these deformations. Using (8.4), (7.8), (7.9), (7.10) and substituting into (5.6) and (5.7), we get

**Lemma 7.** If  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  is a projective deformation of the second order and (8.3) is the osculating collineation, then the osculating collineations  $H, H^*$  realizing the point deformation and the hyperplanar deformation respectively are given by

$$(8.5) \quad \begin{aligned} H\tilde{A}_i &= A_i, \\ H\tilde{A}_{i+3} &= c_{i+3,i}A_i + (h_{i,i+1} - \tilde{h}_{i,i+1})A_{i+1} + \\ &\quad + (h_{i,i+2} - \tilde{h}_{i,i+2})A_{i+2} + A_{i+3}, \end{aligned}$$

$$(8.6) \quad \begin{aligned} H^*\tilde{A}_i &= A_i, \\ H^*\tilde{A}_{i+3} &= -c_{i+3,i}A_i + (\tilde{h}_{i,i+1} - h_{i,i+1})A_{i+1} + \\ &\quad + (\tilde{h}_{i,i+2} - h_{i,i+2})A_{i+2} + A_{i+3} \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} c_{i+3,i} &= \tilde{a}_{i+2,i+2}^i - \tilde{a}_{ii}^i - a_{i+2,i+2}^i - a_{ii}^i = \\ &= \tilde{a}_{i+1,i+1}^i - \tilde{a}_{ii}^i - a_{i+1,i+1}^i - a_{ii}^i. \end{aligned}$$

Collineations  $K, H, H^*$  are mutually different. If any two of them coincide, then all three are coinciding. Using (8.7), we have from (8.5) and (8.6)

**Proposition 11.** Let  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  be a projective deformation of the second order. Pseudocongruences  $\mathcal{L}$  and  $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  are simultaneously subjected to the point and hyperplanar deformation. All these three deformations are realized by the same collineation, if and only if  $\tilde{h}_{is} = h_{is}$ ,  $\tilde{a}_{ss}^i - \tilde{a}_{ii}^i = a_{ss}^i - a_{ii}^i$ .

9. Let  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  be a projective deformation of the second order; suppose that (7.9), (7.10) and (8.4) hold. The osculating collineation  $K$  is (8.3). We shall say that  $C$  is 1) weakly singular, 2) singular, 3) strongly singular of the kind “ $i$ ”, if  $C : (A_i) \rightarrow (\tilde{A}_i)$  is a projective deformation of order 1) one, 2) two, 3) three and it is possible to realize the deformation  $C$  by the same collineation  $K$ . If  $C$  is (weakly, strongly) singular of all three kinds simultaneously,  $C$  is said to be (weakly, strongly) singular.

There is

$$\begin{aligned} K\tilde{A}_i &= A_i, \quad K\nabla\tilde{A}_i = \nabla A_i + \tau_{ii}A_i + (\tilde{h}_{i,i+1} - h_{i,i+1})du_iA_{i+1} + \\ &\quad + (\tilde{h}_{i,i+2} - h_{i,i+2})du_iA_{i+2}. \end{aligned}$$

The deformation  $C$  is weakly singular of the kind “ $i$ ”, if and only if

$$(9.1) \quad \tilde{h}_{is} = h_{is}.$$

Let  $\tilde{\sigma}_i = [\tilde{A}_i, \tilde{A}_{i+1}, \tilde{A}_{i+2}] + \lambda_i[\tilde{A}_i, \tilde{A}_{i+1}, \tilde{A}_{i+3}] + \mu_i[\tilde{A}_i, \tilde{A}_{i+2}, \tilde{A}_{i+3}]$  be an arbitrary tangent plane of the variety  $(\tilde{A}_i)$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} K\tilde{\sigma}_i &= [A_i, A_{i+1}, A_{i+2}] + \lambda_i[A_i, A_{i+1}, A_{i+3}] + \mu_i[A_i, A_{i+2}, A_{i+3}] \\ H\tilde{\sigma}_i &= \tilde{H}\tilde{\sigma}_i + [\lambda_i(h_{i,i+2} - \tilde{h}_{i,i+2}) + \mu_i(h_{i,i+1} - \tilde{h}_{i,i+1})] [A_i, A_{i+1}, A_{i+2}] \\ H^*\tilde{\sigma}_i &= K\tilde{\sigma}_i + [\lambda_i(\tilde{h}_{i,i+2} - h_{i,i+2}) + \mu_i(\tilde{h}_{i,i+1} - h_{i,i+1})] [A_i, A_{i+1}, A_{i+2}]. \end{aligned}$$

We obtain

**Proposition 12.** *Let  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  be a projective deformation of the second order. The collineations  $K, H, H^*$  induce the same collineation of the bundle of tangent planes of the focal variety  $(A_i)$ , if and only if  $C$  is weakly singular of the kind “ $i$ ”.*

Let  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  be weakly singular. We get

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla^2 A_i &= \sum_{r=i}^{i+2} A_r (d\omega_{ir} + \omega_{ii}\omega_{ir} + \omega_{i,i+1}\omega_{i+1,r} + \omega_{i,i+2}\omega_{i+2,r} + du_i\omega_{i+3,r}) + \\ &\quad + A_{i+3}(d^2u_i + \omega_{ii} du_i + \omega_{i+3,i+3} du_i) + \\ &\quad + A_{i+4}(\omega_{i,i+1} du_{i+1} + \omega_{i+3,i+4} du_i) + \\ &\quad + A_{i+5}(\omega_{i,i+2} du_{i+2} + \omega_{i+3,i+5} du_i). \end{aligned}$$

$$K\tilde{A}_i = A_i, \quad K \nabla \tilde{A}_i = \nabla A_i + \tau_{ii} A_i,$$

$$\begin{aligned} K \nabla^2 \tilde{A}_i &= \nabla^2 A_i + 2\tau_{ii} A_i + (\cdot) A_i + \\ &\quad + [(c_{i+3,i} du_i - c_{i+4,i+1} du_{i+1}) \omega_{i,i+1} + \tau_{i+3,i+1} du_i] A_{i+1} + \\ &\quad + [(c_{i+3,i} du_i - c_{i+5,i+2} du_{i+2}) \omega_{i,i+2} + \tau_{i+3,i+2} du_i] A_{i+2}. \end{aligned}$$

The correspondence  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  is singular of the kind “ $i$ ” if and only if

$$(9.2) \quad \begin{aligned} c_{s+3,s} &= 0, \quad h_{is}c_{i+3,i} + \tilde{a}_{i+3,s}^i - a_{i+3,s}^i = 0 \\ a_{is}^{i+1}c_{i+3,i} + \tilde{a}_{i+3,s}^{i+1} - a_{i+3,s}^{i+1} &= 0 \\ a_{is}^{i+2}c_{i+3,i} + \tilde{a}_{i+3,s}^{i+2} - a_{i+3,s}^{i+2} &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

where  $c_{i+3,i}$  is given by (8.7).

If  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  is singular, we get from (7.9), (7.10), (8.4) and (8.7),  $\tilde{h}_{is} = h_{is}$ , (9.2) the following relations:

$$\tau_{is} = 0, \quad \tau_{i+3,s} = 0, \quad \tau_{ii} = 0, \quad \tau_{i+3,i+3} = 0.$$

Further, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 K\tilde{A}_i &= A_i, \quad K \nabla \tilde{A}_i = \nabla A_i, \quad K \nabla^2 \tilde{A}_i = \nabla^2 A_i + du_i \tau_{i+3,i} A_i, \\
 K \nabla^3 A_i &= \nabla^3 A_i + 3du_i \tau_{i+3,i} A_i + (\cdot) A_i + \\
 &\quad + A_{i+1} \{-2du_i \omega_{i,i+1} \tau_{i+3,i} + (\omega_{i,i+1} du_{i+1} + \omega_{i+3,i+4} du_i) \tau_{i+4,i+1}\} + \\
 &\quad + A_{i+2} \{-2du_i \omega_{i,i+2} \tau_{i+3,i} + (\omega_{i,i+2} du_{i+2} + \omega_{i+3,i+5} du_i) \tau_{i+5,i+2}\}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Let  $C$  be strongly singular e.g. of the first kind. Then

$$(9.3) \quad \tau_{41} = 0, \quad (\omega_{12} du_2 + \omega_{45} du_1) \tau_{52} = 0, \quad (\omega_{13} du_3 + \omega_{46} du_1) \tau_{63} = 0.$$

Equations  $\omega_{12} du_2 + \omega_{45} du_1 = 0$ ,  $\omega_{13} du_3 + \omega_{46} du_1 = 0$  are equations of the asymptotic curves on the variety  $(A_1)$  and hence are not satisfied identically. Therefore, we obtain from (9.3)

$$(9.4) \quad \tau_{52} = \tau_{63} = 0.$$

In this case, we have  $\tau_{ij} = 0$  for all  $i, j = 1, 2, \dots, 6$ . The same result follows when we begin with the variety  $(A_2)$  or  $(A_3)$ .

**Proposition 13.** *If  $C : \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  is a strongly singular projective deformation of the kind "i", pseudocongruences  $\mathcal{L}$  and  $\tilde{\mathcal{L}}$  are identical.*

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