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ON CONVERGENCE THEOREMS IN METRIC SPACES

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ABSTRACT. In this paper, we establish some convergence theorems to a unique fixed point for any map in metric spaces. These theorems generalize and unify the results of Ahmed [1] and Ahmed et al [3, 4].

1. INTRODUCTION

In the last two decades, some convergence theorems to a unique fixed point for generalized types of quasi-nonexpansive mappings in metric spaces have appeared (see, e.g., [2, 3], [10, 11, 12]). On the other hand, in 2007, Ahmed [1] introduced a new iteration and proved a convergence theorem of this iteration to a unique fixed point for any map in metric spaces. Also, there are some remarks on convergence theorems such as Kirk [7]. Following [1, 2, 3], let (X, d) be a metric space. Assume that $T: D \subseteq X \longrightarrow X$ is any map and F(T) is the set of all fixed points of T.

Definition 1.1 The mapping $T: D \longrightarrow X$ is said to be quasi-nonexpansive w.r.t. a sequence $\{x_n\}$ if $\{x_n\} \subseteq D$ and for all $n \in N \cup \{0\}$ (N := the set of all positive integers) and for each $p \in F(T)$, $d(x_{n+1}), p) \leq d(x_n, p)$. is defined by [2].

As in [2, 3] the quasi-nonexpansiveness w.r.t. a sequence $\{x_n\} \Rightarrow$ the weak quasinonexpansive w.r.t. a sequence $\{x_n\}$ but the converse of the last implication may not be true.

Definition 2.1 A subset D of a normed space X is called balanced (or circled) if $x \in D$ and $|\gamma| \leq 1$ implies $\gamma x \in D$ is defined by [13].

Following [8], we assume that $L_c := \{x \in X : F(x) \le c\}$, where $F : X \to R$. We use the symbol μ to denote the usual Kuratowski measure of noncompactness. For some properties of μ , see Zeidler ([14], pages 493-495).

The following definitions is given by Angrisani and Clavelli [6]. **Definition 3.1** Let D be a topological space. The function $F: X \to R$ is said to be a regular-global-inf (r.g.i) at $x \in X$ if $F(x) > \inf_X(F)$ implies that there

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exists $\epsilon > 0$ such that $\epsilon < F(x) - \inf_X(F)$ and a neighborhood N_X of x such that $F(y) > F(x) - \epsilon$ for each $y \in N_x$. If this condition holds for each $x \in X$, then F is said to be an r.g.i on X.

Definition 4.1 Let *D* be a convex subset of a normed space *X*. A mapping $T: D \to D$ is called directionally nonexpansive if $||T(x) - T(m)|| \le ||x - m||$ for each $x \in D$ and for all $m \in [x, T(x)]$ where [x, y] denotes the segment joining *x* and *y*; that is, $[x, y] = \{\lambda x + (1 - \lambda)y : 0 \le \lambda \le 1\}.$

2. Main Results

First we state and prove our main results as follows. **Theorem 2.1** Let $\{x_n\}$ be a sequence in a subset D of a metric space (X, d) and $T: D \longrightarrow X$ any map such that $F(T) \neq \emptyset$. Assume that F(T) is a closed set. Then $\{x_n\}$ converges to a unique point in F(T) if and only if $\lim_{n \to \infty} ?d(x_n, F(T)) = 0$. **Proof.** (\Rightarrow) Suppose that $\{x_n\}$ converges to a unique point in F(T). In this case,

From: (\Rightarrow) suppose that $\{x_n\}$ converges to a unique point in F(T). In this case, $\lim_{n \to \infty} ?x_n$ exists in F(T). From the closedness of F(T), we find that $\lim_{n \to \infty} ?x_n \in F(T) = \overline{F(T)}$.

Hence, we obtain that $d(\lim_{n\to\infty} ?x_n, F(T)) = 0$. Since $d : X \times 2^X \longrightarrow [0,\infty)$ is a uniformly continuous (see, [5], page 49), we get that

$$\lim_{n\to\infty}?d(x_n,F(T))=d(\lim_{n\to\infty}?x_n,F(T))=0.$$

 (\Leftarrow) Suppose that $\lim_{n\to\infty} d(x_n, F(T)) = 0$. Since d is uniformly continuous, then

$$d(\lim_{n \to \infty} ?x_n, F(T)) = \lim_{n \to \infty} ?d(x_n, F(T)) = 0$$

Therefore, we have that $\lim_{n \to \infty} ?x_n \in \overline{F(T)}$. The closedness of F(T) leads to $\lim_{n \to \infty} ?x_n \in F(T)$.

Remark 2.1 Theorem 2.1 generalizes and improves each of Theorem 2.1 [1], Theorem 2.1 [3] and Theorem 2.1 [4] for certain reasons. These reasons are the following:

- (1) The completeness of X is superfluous in Theorem 2.1 [3, 4];
- (2) The existence of $\lim_{n \to \infty} (\gamma T)^n(x_0), |\gamma| \le 1$, is superfluous in Theorem 2.1 [1];

(3) The quasi-nonexpansiveness of T w.r.t. a sequence $\{x_n\}$ (resp., The weak quasinonexpansiveness of T w.r.t. a sequence $\{x_n\}$) in Theorem 2.1 [3] (resp., Theorem 2.1 [4]) is superfluous.

Corollary 2.1 Let F(T) be nonempty closed set. Then

(i) $\lim_{n \to \infty} ?d(x_n, F(T)) = 0$ if $\{x_n\}$ converges to a point in F(T).

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(ii) $\{x_n\}$ converges to a point in F(T) if $\lim_{n\to\infty} d(x_n, F(T)) = 0$, T is quasi nonexpansive w.r.t $\{x_n\}$ and X is complete.

Corollary 2.2 Let $F(\gamma T), |\gamma| \leq 1$, be a nonempty set. Then

(i) $\lim_{n\to\infty} ?d((\gamma T)^n(x_0), F(\gamma T)) = 0$ if $\{(\gamma T)^n(x_0)\}$ converges to a unique point in $F(\gamma T)$,

(ii) $\{(\gamma T)^n(x_0)\}$ converges to a unique point in $F(\gamma T)$ if $\lim_{n \to \infty} ?d((\gamma T)^n(x_0), F(\gamma T)) = 0$, $T((\gamma T)^{n-1}(x_0))$ for all $n \in N$ and for some $x_0 \in D$, $F(\gamma T)$ is a closed set and $\lim_{n \to \infty} ?(\gamma T)^n(x_0)$ exists.

Corollary 2.3 Let $\{x_n\}$ be sequence in a subset D of a metric space (X, d) and let $T: D \longrightarrow X$ be a map such that $F(T) \neq \emptyset$. then

(i) $\lim_{n \to \infty} d(x_n, F(T)) = 0$ if $\{x_n\}$ converges to a point in F(T);

(ii) $\{x_n\}$ converges to a point in F(T) if $\lim_{n \to \infty} ?d(x_n, F(T)) = 0$ is closed set, T is weakly quasi-nonexpansive with respect to $\{x_n\}$, and X is complete.

As a consequence of Theorem 2.1, We state and prove the following theorem

Theorem 2.2 Let $\{x_n\}$ be a sequence in a subset D of a metric space (X, d) and $T: D \longrightarrow X$ any map such that $F(T) \neq \emptyset$. Assume that

(i) F(T) is closed set;

(ii) $d(x_n, F(T))$ is monotonically decreasing sequence in $[0, \infty)$;

(iii) $\lim_{n \to \infty} ?d(x_n, x_{n+1}) = 0$;

(iv) If the sequence $\{y_n\}$ satisfies $\lim_{n \to \infty} d(y_n, y_{n+1}) = 0$, then

$$\liminf_{n \to \infty} d(y_n, F(T)) = 0 \text{ or } \limsup_{n \to \infty} d(y_n, F(T)) = 0.$$

Then $\{x_n\}$ converges to a unique point in F(T).

proof. From (ii) and the boundedness from below by zero of the sequence $d(x_n, F(T))$, we find that $\lim_{n \to \infty} d(x_n, F(T))$ exists and equals say, y. Therefore,

$$\liminf_{n\to\infty} d(y_n, F(T)) = \limsup_{n\to\infty} d(y_n, F(T)) = y.$$

The conditions (iii) and (iv) asserts that $\liminf_{n \to \infty} 2d(x_n, F(T)) = 0$ or $\limsup_{n \to \infty} 2d(x_n, F(T)) = 0$.

From the uniqueness of y, then $\lim_{n\to\infty} ?d(x_n, F(T)) = 0$. Applying Theorem 2.1, we conclude that $\{x_n\}$ converges to unique point in F(T).

Corollary 2.4 Let $\{x_n\}$ be a complete metric space and let F(T) be nonempty closed set. Assume that

(i) T is quasi-nonexpansive with respect to $\{x_n\}$;

(ii)
$$\lim_{n \to \infty} d(x_n, x_{n+1}) = 0$$
, equivalently, $\{x_n\}$ is cauchy sequence;

(iii) if the sequence $\{y_n\}$ satisfies $\lim_{n \to \infty} d(y_n, y_{n+1}) = 0$, then

$$\liminf_{n \to \infty} d(y_n, F(T)) = 0 \text{ or } \limsup_{n \to \infty} d(y_n, F(T)) = 0.$$

Then $T^n(x_0)$ converges to a point in F(T).

Corollary 2.5 Let *D* be balanced subset of normed space *X* and let $F(\gamma T), |\gamma| \leq 1$, be a nonempty closed set. Assume that

(i) $T((\gamma T)^{n-1}(x_0)) \in D$ for all $n \in N$ and (γT) is quasi-nonexpansive w.r.t. $\{(\gamma T)^n(x_0)\};$

(ii) (γT) is asymptotically regular at $x_0 \in D$;

(iii) if the sequence $\{y_n\}$ in D satisfies $\lim_{n \to \infty} ||(I - \gamma T)(y_n)|| = 0$, then

$$\liminf_{n} d(y_n, F(\gamma T)) = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad \limsup_{n} d(y_n, F(\gamma T)) = 0.$$

If $\lim_{n\to\infty} (\gamma T)^n(x_0)$ exists, then $\{(\gamma T)^n(x_0)\}$ converges to a unique point in $F(\gamma T)$.

Corollary 2.6 Let $\{x_n\}$ be a sequence in a subset D of a complete metric space (X, d) and $T: D \longrightarrow X$ be a map such that $F(T) \neq \emptyset$ is a closed set. Assume that

(i) T is weakly quasi-nonexpansive with respect to $\{x_n\}$;

(ii) $\{d(x_n, F(T))\}$ is monotonically decreasing sequence in $[0, \infty)$;

- (iii) $\lim_{n \to \infty} d(x_n, x_{n+1}) = 0$;
- (iv) If the sequence $\{y_n\}$ satisfies $\lim_{n\to\infty} ?d(y_n, y_{n+1}) = 0$, then

$$\liminf_{n\to\infty} ?d(y_n,F(T)) = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad \limsup_{n\to\infty} ?d(y_n,F(T)) = 0.$$

Then $\{x_n\}$ converges to a point in F(T).

From ([8], Corollary 2.4) and Theorem 2.1, we state and prove the following theorem.

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- (i) $d(T(x), T^2(x)) \le hd(x, T(x))$ for some $h \in (0, 1)$ and for all $x \in X$;
- (*ii*) $\mu(T(L_c)) \leq k\mu(L_c)$ for some k < 1 and for all c > 0;
- (iii) F is an r.g.i. on X;
- $(iv) \quad \{x_n\} \text{ is a sequence in} X \text{such that} \lim_{n \to \infty} d(x_n, Tx_n) = 0.$

Then $\{x_n\}$ converges to a unique point in F(T).

Proof. Using ([8], Corollary 2.4) and the conditions (i), (ii) and (iii) lead to the nonemptyness and closdness of F(T). Since the condition (iv) holds, then $\lim_{n\to\infty} d(x_n, F(T)) = 0$. Applying Theorem 2.1, we obtain that $\{x_n\}$ converges to a unique point in F(T).

Corollary 2.7 Let $T: X \longrightarrow X$ be a mapping of a complete metric space (X, d) satisfying

- (i) $d(T(x), T^2(x)) \le hd(x, T(x))$ for some $h \in (0, 1)$ and for all $x \in X$;
- (ii) $\mu(T(L_c)) \leq k\mu(L_c)$ for some k < 1 and for all c > 0;
- (iii) F is an r.g.i. on X;

(iv) $\{x_n\}$ is a sequence in X such that $\lim_{n\to\infty} d(x_n, Tx_n) = 0$ and T is weakly quasinonexpansive with respect to $\{x_n\}$. Then $\{x_n\}$ converges to a point F(T).

From ([8], Theorem 3.3) and Theorem 2.2, we state the following theorem without proof.

Theorem 2.4 Let D be a bounded closed subset of a Banach space X. Suppose $T: D \to D$ satisfies

- (i) $||T(x) T^2(x)|| \le h ||x T(x)||$ for some $h \in (0, 1)$ and for all $x \in X$;
- (*ii*) $\mu(T(L_c)) \leq k\mu(L_c)$ for some k < 1 and for all c > 0;
- (iii) F is an r.g.i. on X;
- (*iv*) $\{x_n\} \subseteq D$ satisfies $\lim_{n \to \infty} ||x_n Tx_n|| = 0.$

Then $\{x_n\}$ converges to a unique point in F(T).

3. Applications

Motivated by the paper of Ahmed [2], we apply Theorem 2.1 and Theorem 2.2 for obtaining convergence theorems in metric spaces.

Definition 3.1 Let *D* be a nonempty subset of a metric space (X, d). A point $q \in D \subseteq X$ is closed fixed point of $T: D \times D \longrightarrow X$ if q = T(q, u) for some $u \in D$ is defined by [2].

Theorem 3.1 Let $\{x_n\}$ be a sequence in a subset D of a metric space (X, d)and let $T: D \times D \longrightarrow X$ be any map such that $F(T) \neq \emptyset$. Assume that F(T) is closed set $\{x_n\}$ converges to a unique point in F(T) if and only if

$$\liminf_{n \to \infty} d(x_n, F(T)) = 0.$$

Theorem 3.2 Let $\{x_n\}$ be a sequence in a subset D of a metric space (X, d)and $T: D \times D \longrightarrow X$ be any map such that $F(T) \neq \emptyset$. Assume that

- (i) F(T) is closed set;
- (ii) $d(x_n, F(T))$ is monotonically decreasing sequence in $[0, \infty)$;
- (iii) $\lim_{n \to \infty} ?d(x_n, x_{n+1}) = 0$;

(iv) If the sequence $\{y_n\}$ satisfies $\lim_{n\to\infty} d(y_n, y_{n+1}) = 0$, then

$$\liminf_{n\to\infty}?d(y_n,F(T))=0\quad \text{or}\quad \limsup_{n\to\infty}?d(y_n,F(T))=0.$$

Then $\{x_n\}$ converges to a point in F(T).

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