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Fixed Point Theorem for Set Valued Mapping with Rational Condition

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Abstract

In this paper, we generalized the principle of Banach contractive to the relative formula and then used this formula to prove that the set valued mapping has a fixed point in a complete partial metric space. We also showed that the set-valued mapping can have a fixed point in a complete partial metric space without satisfying the contraction condition. Additionally, we justified an example for our proof.

Keywords: partial metric space, Hausdorff metric, usual metric, lower semi continuous function and Banach contraction principle.

نظرية النقطة الثابتة للدالة المتعددة مع شرط الانكماش الكسري

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الخلاصة

عممنا في بحثنا مبدأ باناخ الانكماش الى الصيغة الكسرية ثم استخدمنا هذه الصيغة في اثبات ان الدالة المتعددة تمتلك نقطة ثابتة في الفضاء المترى الجزئي الكامل. كذلك اثبتنا انه من الممكن ان تمتلك الدالة المتعددة نقطة ثابتة في الفضاء المترى الجزئي الكامل من غير ان تحقق شرط الانكماش ثم اعطينا مثال يعزز هذا الاثبات

1-Introduction and preliminaries

Studying the set valued mappings started with the work of Nadler in 1969 [1] who proved that a set valued contractive mapping of complete metric space X into the family of closed bounded subsets of X has a fixed point. Later in the same year, several authors provided some new set-valued fixed point results by considering the δ -distance. In 2018, Sokol [2] presented a Kennan-type fixed point theorem for multivalued mapping defined on complete metric spaces. The existence and uniqueness of common fixed points of a family of self-mappings, which satisfies the generalization of the rational contractive condition in 2-Banach spaces, was established [3]. In 1994, Mathews [4] introduced the partial metric space, which is a metric space with a non-self-distance property, and obtained a Banach-type fixed point theorem on complete partial metric space. After that, many authors studied the partial metric space and the fixed point theory in this space. Jukrapong and Suthep [5] introduced two new types of monotone set-valued mappings in a partial metric space and proved some fixed point theorems of these two types. The aim of this paper is to prove that the set-valued mapping which satisfies the generalization of the rational contractive condition can have a fixed point in complete partial metric spaces.

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A partial metric on a nonempty set X is a function $p : X \times X \rightarrow [0, +\infty)$ such that the following conditions hold: for all $u, v, w \in X$,

- (1) $p(u, u) = p(v, v) = p(u, v)$ if and only if $u = v$,
- (2) $p(u, u) \leq p(u, v)$,
- (3) $p(u, v) = p(v, u)$,
- (4) $p(u, w) \leq p(u, v) + p(v, w) - p(v, v)$.

The pair (X, p) is called a partial metric space.

The definitions from the theory of metric spaces, such as those of Cauchy sequences, convergent sequences, complete space and others, can be generalized to a partial metric space [6].

Definition 1.1

A sequence $x = (x_n)$ of points in a partial metric space (X, p) is Cauchy if there exists $a \geq 0$, such that for each $\varepsilon > 0$ there exists a positive integer k , such that for all $n, m > k$, $|p(x_n, x_m) - a| < \varepsilon$. That is, if $\lim_{n,m \rightarrow \infty} p(x_n, x_m) = a$.

Definition 1.2

A sequence $x = (x_n)$ of points in a partial metric space (X, p) converges to x_0 in X , If $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} p(x_n, x_0) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} p(x_n, x_n) = p(x_0, x_0)$.

Definition 1.3

A partial metric space (X, p) is complete if every Cauchy sequence converges.

Remark 1.4 [7]

If p is a partial metric on X , then the function $p^s : X \times X \rightarrow [0, +\infty)$ such that $p^s(x, y) = 2p(x, y) - p(x, x) - p(y, y)$ defines a usual metric on X .

The relation between the partial metric space (X, p) and the usual metric space (X, p^s) is given by the following lemma.

Lemma 1.5 [6]

Let (X, p) be a partial metric space. Then,

- (a) A sequence (x_n) in X is Cauchy in (X, p) if and only if it is Cauchy in (X, p^s) .
- (b) A partial metric space (X, p) is complete if and only if the usual metric space (X, p^s) is complete.

Remark 1.6 [8]

- 1- $CB(X)$ is the collection of all nonempty closed bounded subsets of X .
- 2- $C(X)$ is the collection of all closed subsets of X .
- 3- $P(x, N) = \inf \{p(x, a), a \in N\}$
- 4- $\delta_p(M, N) = \sup \{p(a, N), a \in M\}$, $\delta_p(N, M) = \sup \{p(b, M), b \in N\}$
- 5- For $M, N \in CB(X)$, $H_p(M, N) = \max \{\delta_p(M, N), \delta_p(N, M)\}$
- 6- H_p is said to be partial Hausdorff metric on $CB(X)$.
- 7- H_p is said to be generalized partial Hausdorff metric on $C(X)$

Lemma 1.7 [9]

For $M, N, W \in CB(X)$, we have :

- (a) $HP(M, M) \leq HP(M, N)$
- (b) $HP(M, N) = HP(N, M)$
- (c) $HP(M, N) \leq HP(M, W) + HP(W, N) - \inf \{p(w, w) : w \in W\}$

Lemma 1.8 [10]

Let (X, P) be a partial metric space, if $M, N \in CB(X)$, then for any $a \in M$, there exists $b = b(a) \in N$, such that $p(a, b) \leq h H_p(M, N)$, where $h > 1$.

2 – Banach contraction principle for the set valued mapping in partial metric spaces

The principle of Banach contraction plays an important role in the fixed point theory for a single-valued mapping in a complete metric space.

This principle is used to prove that the set-valued mapping in a complete partial metric space has a fixed point, as we see in the following main result in this section.

Theorem 2.1

Let (X, P) be a complete partial metric space and T be a set-valued mapping from X into all nonempty closed bounded subsets of X , such that :

$$(1) H(Tx, Ty) \leq \frac{ap(y, Ty) [1+p(x, Tx)]}{1+p(x, y)} + b p(x, y),$$

For each $x, y \in X, a, b \in (0,1)$, such that $a + b < 1$

(2) For some $x_0 \in X$, the sequence $\{T^n(x_0)\}$ has a subsequence $\{T^{nk}(x_0)\}$ with $x^* = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} T^{nk}(x_0)$, then T has a fixed point, that is $x^* \in T(x^*)$.

Proof:

Let $x_0 \in X$ and $x_1 \in Tx_0$, then by Lemma (1.8) there exists $x_2 \in Tx_1$, such that $p(x_1, x_2) \leq h H(Tx_0, Tx_1)$ with $h = \frac{1}{\sqrt{a+b}}$.

Again, there exists $x_3 \in Tx_2$ such that $p(x_2, x_3) \leq h H(Tx_1, Tx_2)$.

If we continue in this process, then, for each $n \geq 1$, there exists

$$x_{n+1} \in Tx_n \text{ with } p(x_n, x_{n+1}) \leq h H(Tx_{n-1}, Tx_n)$$

Now, since

$$H(Tx_{n-1}, Tx_n) \leq \frac{ap(x_n, Tx_n) [1+p(x_{n-1}, Tx_{n-1})]}{1+p(x_{n-1}, x_n)} + b p(x_{n-1}, x_n)$$

then,
$$p(x_n, x_{n+1}) \leq h \left[\frac{ap(x_n, Tx_n) [1+p(x_{n-1}, Tx_{n-1})]}{1+p(x_{n-1}, x_n)} + b p(x_{n-1}, x_n) \right]$$

$$\leq h \left[\frac{ap(x_n, x_{n+1}) [1+p(x_{n-1}, x_n)]}{1+p(x_{n-1}, x_n)} + b p(x_{n-1}, x_n) \right]$$

Hence, $(1-ha) p(x_n, x_{n+1}) \leq hb p(x_{n-1}, x_n)$

$$\begin{aligned} p(x_n, x_{n+1}) &\leq \frac{hb}{(1-ha)} p(x_{n-1}, x_n) \\ &\leq \frac{hb}{(1-ha)} \left[\frac{hb}{(1-ha)} p(x_{n-2}, x_{n-1}) \right] \\ &\leq \dots \\ &\leq \left(\frac{hb}{(1-ha)} \right)^n p(x_0, x_1). \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, by choosing the two natural numbers n, m , such that $m > n$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} p(x_n, x_{n+m}) &\leq \left[\left(\frac{hb}{(1-ha)} \right)^n + \left(\frac{hb}{(1-ha)} \right)^{n+1} + \dots + \left(\frac{hb}{(1-ha)} \right)^{n+m-1} \right] p(x_0, x_1) \\ &\leq \frac{\left(\frac{hb}{(1-ha)} \right)^n}{1 - \left(\frac{hb}{(1-ha)} \right)} P(x_0, x_1) \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty \text{ due to } \left(\frac{hb}{(1-ha)} \right) < 1. \end{aligned}$$

On the other hand,

by the definition of $p^s(x, y) = 2p(x, y) - p(x, x) - p(y, y)$, we get for any $m \in N$

$$\begin{aligned} p^s(x_n, x_{n+m}) &= 2p(x_n, x_{n+m}) - p(x_n, x_n) - p(x_m, x_m) \\ &\leq 2 p(x_n, x_{n+m}) \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty \end{aligned}$$

This yields that (x_n) is a Cauchy sequence in (X, p^s) .

Since (X, p) is complete partial metric space, then, from Lemma 1.5, (X, p^s) is a complete metric space and hence (x_n) converges to some x_0 in X with respect to (X, p^s) , so $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} p^s(x_n, x_0) = 0$.

Furthermore, the sequence (x_n) converges in (X, p^s) to a point x_0 in X if and only if

$$\lim_{n, m \rightarrow \infty} p(x_n, x_m) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} p(x_n, x_0) = p(x_0, x_0).$$

That is, $p(x_0, x_0) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} p(x_n, x_0) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} p(x_n, x_n) = 0$.

Now, by using the fourth property of a partial metric space for each i , we have

$$\begin{aligned} p(x_{0i}, T_i x_{0i}) &\leq p(x_{0i}, Tx_n) + p(Tx_n, T_i x_{0i}) - H(Tx_n, Tx_n) \\ &\leq p(x_{0i}, Tx_n) + p(Tx_n, T_i x_{0i}) - \frac{ap(x_n, Tx_n) [1+p(x_n, Tx_n)]}{1+p(x_n, x_n)} \end{aligned}$$

$b p(x_n, x_n) \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$.

That is $x_{0i} \in T_i x_{0i}$ for each i , and this completes the proof.

Remark 2.2

In a previous study [3], Theorem 2.1 for a single valued mapping in a complete metric space was proved. Note that, if we have a sequence of set valued mapping (T_i) converging point-wise, to T such that T has a fixed point, then this fixed point represents the limit point of the sequence of fixed points of the sequence of set-valued mapping $\{T_i\}$.

We state and proof this main result in the following theorem.

Theorem 2.3

Let $\{T_i\}$ be a sequence of set-valued mapping from a complete partial metric space X into the set of all closed bounded subsets of X convergence point-wise to T , and

$$H(T_i x, T_i y) \leq \frac{a p(y, T_i y)[1+p(x, T_i x)]}{1+p(x, y)} + b p(x, y), \quad \text{for each } x, y \in X, a, b \in (0,1), \text{ such}$$

that $a + b < 1, i = 1, 2, \dots$

If each T_i has a fixed point x_{0i} and T has a fixed point x_0 , then the sequence $\{x_{0n}\}$ convergence to x_0 .

Proof

Since H is a Hausdorff metric space, then, by using Lemma (1.7), we get

$$H(T(x_0), T_n(x_{0n})) \leq H(T(x_0), T_n(x_0)) + H(T_n(x_0), T_n(x_{0n})) - \inf\{p(y, y) : y \in T_n(x_0)\}$$

$$\leq H(T(x_0), T_n(x_0)) + \frac{a p(x_{0n}, T_n(x_{0n}))[1+p(x_0, T_n(x_0))]}{1+p(x_0, x_{0n})} + b p(x_0, x_{0n})$$

But, $p(x_0, x_{0n}) \leq H(T(x_0), T_n(x_{0n}))$

Hence,

$$p(x_0, x_{0n}) \leq H(T(x_0), T_n(x_0)) + \frac{a p(x_{0n}, T_n(x_{0n}))[1+p(x_0, T_n(x_0))]}{1+p(x_0, x_{0n})} + b p(x_0, x_{0n})$$

That is, $(1-b) p(x_0, x_{0n}) \leq H(T(x_0), T_n(x_0)) + \frac{a p(x_{0n}, T_n(x_{0n}))[1+p(x_0, T_n(x_0))]}{1+p(x_0, x_{0n})}$

Then, $p(x_0, x_{0n}) \leq \frac{H(T(x_0), T_n(x_0))}{(1-b)} \rightarrow 0$ as $T_n(x_0) \rightarrow T(x_0)$.

Hence, $x_{0n} \rightarrow x_0$

Now, $p(x_{0i}, T_i x_{0i}) \leq p(x_{0i}, T_i x_n) + p(T_i x_n, T_i x_{0i}) - H(T_i x_n, T_i x_n)$

$$\leq p(x_{0i}, T_i x_n) + p(T_i x_n, T_i x_{0i}) - \frac{a p(x_n, T_i(x_n))[1+p(x_n, T_i(x_n))]}{1+p(x_n, x_n)} - b p(x_n, x_n)$$

$$\leq p(x_{0i}, x_{n+1}) + p(x_{n+1}, T_i x_{0i}) - \frac{a p(x_n, x_{n+1})[1+p(x_n, T_i(x_n))]}{1+p(x_n, x_n)} - b p(x_n, x_n)$$

$$\leq p(x_{0i}, x_{n+1}) + p(x_{n+1}, T_i x_{0i}) \rightarrow 0$$

Hence, $p(x_{0i}, T_i x_{0i}) \rightarrow 0$

That is, $x_{0i} \in T_i x_{0i}$ for each i , and this completes the proof.

3- Fixed point theorem for the set-valued mapping in a partial metric space

Nadler [1] proved that a contraction set-valued mapping in a complete metric space has a fixed point. In another study [7], it was proved that a contractive set-valued mapping in a complete partial metric space has a fixed point.

In this section, we proved the existence of a fixed point for set-valued mapping in a complete partial metric space without using the contraction condition.

Let (X, p) be a complete partial metric space and $N(X)$ be a set of all nonempty subsets of X . Let $T: X \rightarrow N(X)$ be set-valued mapping. A point $x_0 \in X$ is said to be fixed point of T if $x_0 \in T x_0$.

Define $g: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ by $g(x) = p(x, T(x))$. g is lower semi-continuous, if for any $(x_n) \subset X$ and $x \in X$, if $x_n \rightarrow x$ then, $g(x) \leq \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} g(x_n)$.

For a positive constant $a \in (0, 1)$, define the set $I_a^x \subset X$ as:

$$I_a^x = \{y \in T(x) : a p(x, y) \leq p(x, T(x))\}.$$

Theorem 3.1

Let (X, p) be a complete partial metric space and $T: X \rightarrow C(X)$ be a set-valued mapping. If there exists a constant $k \in (0, 1)$, such that for any $x \in X$ there is $y \in I_a^x$ satisfying $p(y, T(y)) \leq k p(x, y)$, then T has a fixed point in X , provided that $k < a$ and f is lower semi-continuous.

Proof

Since $T(x) \in C(X)$ for any $x \in X$, I_a^x is nonempty for any constant $a \in (0, 1)$, then for any initial point $x_0 \in X$ there exists $x_1 \in I_a^{x_0}$, such that $p(x_1, T(x_1)) \leq k p(x_0, x_1)$ and, for $x_1 \in X$, there is $x_2 \in I_a^{x_1}$ satisfying $p(x_2, T(x_2)) \leq k p(x_1, x_2)$.

By continuing this process, we can get an iterative sequence $(x_n)_{n=0}^\infty$ where $x_{n+1} \in I_a^{x_n}$ and

$$p(x_{n+1}, T(x_{n+1})) \leq k p(x_n, x_{n+1}) \quad n=0,1,2,3,\dots \tag{1}$$

Since, $x_{n+1} \in I_a^{x_n}$, then $a p(x_n, x_{n+1}) \leq p(x_n, T(x_n))$ (2)

By the above two inequalities, we have

$$p(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}) \leq \frac{k}{a} p(x_n, T(x_n)) \quad , n=0, 1, 2, \dots$$

Now, look at the following inequality

$$\begin{aligned} p(x_{n+1}, x_{n+1}) &\leq \frac{k}{a} \left[\frac{k}{a} p(x_{n-1}, T(x_{n-1})) \right] \\ &\leq \left(\frac{k}{a}\right)^2 \left[\frac{k}{a} p(x_{n-2}, T(x_{n-2})) \right] \\ &\vdots \\ &\leq \left(\frac{k}{a}\right)^n p(x_0, T(x_0)) \end{aligned}$$

By using the fourth property for the partial metric space for any $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} p(x_n, x_{n+m}) &\leq \left[\left(\frac{k}{a}\right)^n + \left(\frac{k}{a}\right)^{n+1} + \dots + \left(\frac{k}{a}\right)^{n+m-1} \right] p(x_0, x_1) \\ &\leq \frac{\left(\frac{k}{a}\right)^n}{1-\frac{k}{a}} P(x_0, x_1) \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty \text{ due to } \frac{k}{a} < 1. \end{aligned}$$

By the definition of $p^s(x, y) = 2p(x, y) - p(x, x) - p(y, y)$, we get for any $m \in \mathbb{N}$,

$$\begin{aligned} p^s(x_n, x_{n+m}) &= 2p(x_n, x_{n+m}) - p(x_n, x_n) - p(x_m, x_m) \\ &\leq 2 p(x_n, x_{n+m}) \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty \end{aligned}$$

This yields that (x_n) is a Cauchy sequence in (X, p^s) .

Since (X, p) is complete partial metric space, then, from lemma 1.5, (X, p^s) is a complete metric space and hence (x_n) converges to some x_0 in X with respect to p^s , so $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} p^s(x_n, x_0) = 0$.

Again, the sequence (x_n) converges in (X, p^s) to a point x_0 in X if and only if

$$\lim_{n,m \rightarrow \infty} p(x_n, x_m) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} p(x_n, x_0) = p(x_0, x_0)$$

That is, $p(x_0, x_0) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} p(x_n, x_0) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} p(x_n, x_n) = 0$.

Furthermore,

Since $\{g(x_n)\}_{n=0}^\infty = \{p(x_n, T(x_n))\}_{n=0}^\infty$ is decreasing, then its converges to zero

Since f is lower semi continuous, then $0 \leq g(x_0) \leq \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} g(x_n) = 0$.

Hence, $g(x) = 0$ and then $p(x_0, T(x_0)) = 0$.

That is, $x_0 \in T(x_0)$, and this completes the proof.

Now, we would like to give an example for the set-valued mapping in a complete partial metric space which has a fixed point and in the same time does not satisfy the contraction condition.

Example 3.2

Let $X = \left\{ \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{9}, \dots, \frac{1}{3^n}, \dots \right\} \cup \{0, 1\}$

$P(x, y) = \max \{x, y\}$, for $x, y \in X$; then X is a complete partial metric space.

Let us define the mapping $T: X \rightarrow C(X)$ as:

$$T(x) = \begin{cases} \left\{ \frac{1}{3^n}, 1 \right\}, & x = \frac{1}{3^n}, n = 0, 1, 2, \dots \\ \left\{ 0, \frac{1}{3} \right\}, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

Obviously, T is not a contractive mapping, but it has a fixed point.

To show this, let $x = \frac{1}{3^n}$, $y = 0$, then

$$p(x, y) = \max \{x, y\} = \frac{1}{3^n}, \quad H(T(x), T(y)) = \max \left\{ \frac{1}{3^n}, 1 \right\} = 1$$

That is, there is no $k \in (0, 1)$, satisfying the following inequality of contraction condition

$$1 = H(Tx, Ty) \leq k (p(x, y) = k \left(\frac{1}{3^n} \right))$$

On the other hand, it is easy to show that T has a fixed point by using the previous theorem

$$f(x) = p(x, Tx) = \inf \{p(x, y), y \in Tx\} = \inf \{ \max(x, y), y \in Tx \}$$

Then,

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{3^n} & x = \frac{1}{3^n}, n = 1, 2, 3, \dots \\ 0 & x = 0 \\ 1 & x = 1 \end{cases}$$

Hence, f is continuous.

Furthermore, by the definition of $I_a^x = \{y \in T(x) : ap(x, y) \leq p(x, T(x))\}$.

There exists $y \in I_{0.3}^x$ such that $p(y, T(y)) = \frac{1}{3} p(x, y)$.

Hence, the existence of a fixed point follows from Theorem 3.1.

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