

# An $\alpha$ -Fixed Point Theorem in Complete Metric Spaces with Ordering by Iterations

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**Abstract** The aim of this present work is to generalize the notion of weakly isotone increasing mappings and prove an  $\alpha$ -fixed point theorems for  $\alpha$ -weakly isotone increasing self mappings which satisfy some inequality in complete metric spaces endow with partially ordering.

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## 1. Introduction and Mathematical preliminaries

The purpose of this paper is to prove an  $\alpha$ -fixed point is an extensions of ordinary fixed points with the help of some function  $\alpha$ . It was introduced in [11] wherein a result on this was also established.

In partially ordered metric spaces the study of analytic fixed point theory is of relatively recent origin. Ran and Reurings [10] applied some results on partially ordered metric spaces to solving matrix equations. Over the time the theory has developed through important works like [4, 7-10].

Below are mathematical preliminaries required for the discussion in this paper.

**Definition 1.1** Let  $(X, \leq)$  be a partially ordered set. Then:

- (a) elements  $x, y \in X$  are called comparable if  $x \leq y$  or  $y \leq x$  holds;
- (b) a subset  $K$  of  $X$  is said to be well ordered if every two elements of  $K$  are comparable;
- (c) a mapping  $T : X \rightarrow X$  is called nondecreasing w.r.t.  $\leq$  if  $x \leq y$  implies  $Tx \leq Ty$ .

**Definition 1.2** Let  $X$  be a nonempty set. Then  $(X, d, \leq)$  is called a partially ordered metric space if:

- i.  $(X, d)$  is a metric space, and
- ii.  $(X, \leq)$  is a partially ordered set.

**Definition 1.3** Let  $(X, d, \leq)$  be a partially ordered metric space. Then a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in  $X$  is said to be non-decreasing sequence in  $X$  if  $x_1 \leq x_2 \leq \dots \leq x_n$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

**Definition 1.4** [9] Let  $(X, d, \leq)$  be a partially ordered metric space. We say that  $X$  is regular if the following hypothesis holds: if  $\{z_n\}$  is a non-decreasing sequence in  $X$  with respect to  $\leq$  such that  $z_n \rightarrow z \in X$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , then  $z_n \leq z$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

**Definition 1.5 ( $\alpha$ -fixed point)** Let  $\alpha : X \rightarrow X$ , a point  $x$  is said to be a  $\alpha$ -fixed point of a mapping  $T : X \rightarrow X$  if  $\alpha x = \alpha T(x)$ .

**Definition 1.6** [9] Let  $(X, \leq)$  be a partially ordered set. A pair of mappings  $S, T : X \rightarrow X$  is said to be weakly increasing if  $Sx \leq T Sx$  and  $T x \leq S T x$  for all  $x \in X$ .

**Definition 1.7** [9] Let  $(X, \leq)$  be a partially ordered set and let  $S, T : X \rightarrow X$  be two mappings. The mapping  $S$  is said to be  $T$ -weakly isotone increasing if for all  $x \in X$  we have  $Sx \leq T Sx \leq S T Sx$ .

**Definition 1.8 ( $\alpha$ -weakly isotone increasing)** Let  $(X, \leq)$  be a partially ordered set and let  $\alpha : X \rightarrow X$ , and  $S, T$  be two self mappings of  $X$ . The mapping  $S$  is said to be  $T, \alpha$ -weakly isotone increasing if for all  $x \in X$  we have  $(\alpha \circ S)x \leq (\alpha \circ T)(\alpha \circ S)x \leq (\alpha \circ S)(\alpha \circ T)(\alpha \circ S)x$ .

**Remark 1.2** If  $S, T : X \rightarrow X$  are weakly increasing, then  $S$  is  $T$ -weakly isotone increasing.

In the forth coming section we prove a common  $\alpha$ -fixed points result in metric spaces.

## 2. Main Results

The common  $\alpha$ -fixed point result in partially ordered metric spaces satisfying the isotone increasing property, goes as follows.

**Theorem 2.1** Let  $(X, \leq)$  be a partially ordered set and suppose that there exists a metric  $d$  on  $X$  such that  $(X, d)$  is a complete metric space. Let  $\alpha : X \rightarrow X$  and let  $T$  and  $S$  be two self mappings of  $(X, d)$  such that for comparable  $x, y \in X$ .

$$ad(\alpha o T(x), \alpha o S(y)) + bd(\alpha o T(x), \alpha(x)) + cd(\alpha(y), \alpha o S(y)) - \min\{d(\alpha o T(x), \alpha(y)), d(\alpha o S(y), \alpha(x))\} \\ \leq q \max\{d(\alpha(x), \alpha(y)), d(\alpha o T(x), \alpha(x)), d(\alpha(y), \alpha o S(y)), \frac{1}{2} d(\alpha o T(x), \alpha(y))\}$$

where  $a, b, c \geq 0, q > 0$  with  $a > q$ .

We suppose the following hypotheses:

- (a)  $S$  is  $T, \alpha$ -weakly isotone increasing,
- (b)  $X$  is regular.

Then  $S$  and  $T$  have a unique common  $\alpha$ -fixed point.

**Proof :** Let  $x_0 \in X$  be an arbitrary point. We generate a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  with respect to  $\alpha$  such that

$$x_{2n+2} = \alpha o T(x_{2n+1}) = T_\alpha(x_{2n+1}) \text{ and } x_{2n+1} = \alpha o S(x_{2n}) = S_\alpha(x_{2n}) \text{ for } n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

Let  $d_n = d(\alpha o(x_n), \alpha o(x_{n+1})) > 0, n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$

Since  $S_\alpha$  is  $T_\alpha$ -weakly isotone increasing, we have

$$x_1 \leq \alpha o S(x_0) \leq \alpha o T(\alpha o S(x_0)) = \alpha o T(x_1) = x_2 \leq (\alpha o S)(\alpha o T(\alpha o S(x_0))) = \alpha o S(\alpha o T(x_1)) = \alpha o S(x_2) = x_3 \\ x_3 \leq \alpha o S(x_2) \leq \alpha o T(\alpha o S(x_2)) = \alpha o T(x_3) = x_4 \leq (\alpha o S)(\alpha o T(\alpha o S(x_2))) = \alpha o S(\alpha o T(x_3)) = \alpha o S(x_4) = x_5, \dots$$

and continuing this process we get,  $x_1 \leq x_2 \leq x_3, \dots \leq x_n \leq x_{n+1} \leq \dots$

Since  $x_{2n} \leq x_{2n+1}$  for all  $n=0, 1, 2, \dots$ , from (ii), putting  $x = x_{2n+1}$  and  $y = x_{2n}$ , we have

$$[ad(\alpha o T(x_{2n+1}), \alpha o S(x_{2n})) + bd(\alpha o T(x_{2n+1}), x_{2n+2}) + cd(x_{2n}, \alpha o S(x_{2n})) \\ - \min\{d(\alpha o T(x_{2n+1}), x_{2n}), d(\alpha o S(x_{2n}), x_{2n+1})\}] \\ \leq q \max\{d(x_{2n+1}, x_{2n}), d(\alpha o T(x_{2n+1}), x_{2n+1}), \\ d(x_{2n}, \alpha o S(x_{2n})), \frac{1}{2} d(\alpha o T(x_{2n+1}), x_{2n})\}$$

or,

$$[ad(x_{2n+2}, x_{2n+1}) + bd(x_{2n+2}, x_{2n+1}) + cd(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1}) - \min\{d(x_{2n}, x_{2n+2}), d(x_{2n+1}, x_{2n+1})\}] \\ \leq q \max\{d(x_{2n+1}, x_{2n}), d(x_{2n+2}, x_{2n+1}), d(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1}), \frac{1}{2} d(x_{2n+2}, x_{2n})\}$$

or,

$$ad_{2n+1} + bd_{2n+1} + cd_{2n} - \min\{(d_{2n} + d_{2n+1}), 0\} \leq q \max\{d_{2n}, d_{2n+1}, \frac{1}{2}(d_{2n} + d_{2n+1})\} \dots (iii)$$

Putting  $k = \max\{d_{2n}, d_{2n+1}\}$ , we have  $d_{2n} \leq k$  and  $d_{2n+1} \leq k$  implying

$$\frac{1}{2}(d_{2n} + d_{2n+1}) \leq k.$$

Therefore,

$$\max\{d_{2n}, d_{2n+1}, \frac{1}{2}(d_{2n} + d_{2n+1})\} \leq k = \max\{d_{2n}, d_{2n+1}\}$$

Thus we have from (iii),

$$(a+b) d_{2n+1} + cd_{2n} \leq q \max\{d_{2n}, d_{2n+1}\}$$

If  $d_{2n} \leq d_{2n+1}$  then  $(a+b) d_{2n+1} + cd_{2n} \leq q d_{2n+1}$

$$\Rightarrow (a+b-q) d_{2n+1} \leq -c d_{2n}$$

$$\Rightarrow d_{2n+1} \leq p d_{2n} \text{ where } p = \frac{-c}{a+b-q} < 1$$

If  $d_{2n+1} \leq d_{2n}$ , then

$$(a+b)d_{2n+1} + cd_{2n} \leq q d_{2n}$$

$$\Rightarrow d_{2n+1} \leq \frac{q-c}{a+b} d_{2n}$$

$$\Rightarrow d_{2n+1} \leq p d_{2n} \text{ where } p = \frac{q-c}{a+b} < 1$$

Therefore,

$$d_{2n+1} \leq p d_{2n} \leq p^2 d_{2n-1} \leq \dots \leq p^{2n+1} d_0 \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty.$$

Thus  $\{x_{2n}\}$  is a Cauchy sequence in  $X$  and since  $X$  is complete, there exists a point  $u \in X$  such that  $\{x_{2n}\}$  converges to  $u$ . Hence

$$\lim(\alpha \circ T)(x_{2n+1}) = \lim x_{2n+2} = u$$

and

$$\lim(\alpha \circ S)(x_{2n}) = \lim x_{2n+1} = u.$$

Since  $\{x_{2n}\}$  is a nondecreasing sequence, if  $X$  is regular, it follows that  $x_{2n} \leq u$  for all  $n$ .

Now putting  $x = x_{2n+1}$  and  $y = u$  in (ii), we have

$$\begin{aligned} & [ad((\alpha \circ T) x_{2n+1}, (\alpha \circ S) u) + bd(x_{2n+1}, (\alpha \circ T) x_{2n+1}) + cd(u, (\alpha \circ S) u) - \\ & \quad \min \{d((\alpha \circ T)(x_{2n+1}), u), d((\alpha \circ S) u, x_{2n+1})\}] \\ & \leq q \max \{d(x_{2n+1}, u), d((\alpha \circ T)(x_{2n+1}), x_{2n+1}), d(u, (\alpha \circ S) u), \frac{1}{2} d((\alpha \circ T)(x_{2n+1}), u)\} \end{aligned}$$

In the limiting case, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & ad(u, \alpha \circ S(u)) + bd(u, u) + cd(u, \alpha \circ S(u)) - \min \{d(u, u), d(u, \alpha \circ S(u))\} \\ & \leq q \max \{d(u, u), d(u, u), d(u, \alpha \circ S(u)), \frac{1}{2} d(u, u)\} \end{aligned}$$

or,  $(a + c - q) d(u, \alpha \circ S(u)) \leq 0$

or,  $\alpha \circ S(u) = u$ .

Since  $a > 1+q$ . Thus  $u$  is a fixed point of  $S$ .

Similarly by considering  $x = u$ ,  $y = x_{2n}$  we can get  $\alpha \circ u = \alpha \circ T(u)$ . Thus  $u$  is a common  $\alpha$ -fixed point of  $T$  and  $S$ .

From (ii) it is easy to show the uniqueness of the common  $\alpha$ -fixed point and this completes the proof.

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