

Common Fixed Point Theorem for New Contractive Condition

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ABSTRACT: We prove a common fixed point theorem for eight mappings using a contractive condition via occasionally weakly biased maps.

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Introduction

Jungck [4] extended commuting and weakly commuting mappings by giving the concept of compatible mappings. Many researchers including Jungck, Murthy and Cho [7], Pathak and Khan [8], Pathak, Cho, Kang and Madharia [9], Ciric, Samet and Vetro [3] gave different types of mapping and proved common fixed point theorem. Jungck and Rhoades[5] introduced the notion of weakly compatible mappings. Jungck and Pathak[6] introduced the concept of biased and weakly biased mappings. Bouhadjera and Djoudi[2] introduced the concept of occasionally weakly biased mappings.

In this paper, we prove a common fixed point theorem for eight mappings using a contractive condition via occasionally weakly biased mapping.

Preliminaries

Definition 1 : [4] Let (X,d) be a metric space. Self maps f and g are said to be compatible if

$$\lim d(fgx_n, gfx_n) = 0,$$

whenever $\{x_n\}$ is a sequence in X such that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} fx_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} gx_n = t \text{ for some } t \in X.$$

Definition 2 : [5] Self mappings f and g of a metric space (X,d) are said to be weakly compatible if they commute at their coincidence points, i.e. $ft=gt$ for some $t \in X$, then $fgt = gft$.

Definition 3 : [1] Two self maps f and g of a set X are occasionally weakly compatible iff, there is a point t in X

which is a coincidence point of f and g at which f and g commute.

Definition 4 : [6] The pair $\{f,g\}$ is g -biased and f -biased, respectively, iff whenever $\{x_n\}$ is a sequence in X and $fx_n, gx_n \rightarrow t \in X$, then

$$\alpha d(gfx_n, gx_n) \leq \alpha d(fgx_n, fx_n),$$

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respectively, if $\alpha = \liminf$ and if $\alpha = \limsup$.

The pair $\{f,g\}$ is compatible then it is both f and g biased. However the converse is not true in general.

Definition 5 : [6] The pair $\{f,g\}$ is weakly g -biased and f -biased, respectively, iff $fp = gp$ implies

$$d(gfp, gp) = d(fgp, fp),$$

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respectively. Clearly, every biased maps are weakly biased maps respectively, but the converse is false in general.

Definition 6 : [2] Let f and g be self-maps of a set X . The pair $\{f,g\}$ is said to be occasionally weakly g -biased and f -biased, respectively, iff there exists a point p in X such that $fp = gp$ implies

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respectively. Clearly, every f -biased and g -biased maps is occasionally weakly f -biased and occasionally weakly g -biased respectively.

However the converse is not true in general.

To this end consider the following.

Example 1 : Let $X = [0, \infty)$ with the usual metric $d(x, y) = |x - y|$.

Define $f, g: X \rightarrow X$ by

$$fx = \begin{cases} 9x^2 & \text{if } x \in [0,1] \\ 16/x & \text{if } x \in (1,8) \end{cases} \quad gx = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x \in [0,1] \\ 4x & \text{if } x \in (1,8) \end{cases}$$

we have $fx = gx$ iff $x = 1/3$ or $x = 2$ and

$$6 = d(fg(2), f(2)) \leq d(gf(2), g(2)) = 24$$

i.e. the pair $\{f, g\}$ is occasionally weakly f -biased, but

$$8 = d(fg(1/3), f(1/3)) \not\leq d(gf(1/3), g(1/3)) = 0$$

i.e. the pair $\{f, g\}$ is not weakly f -biased.

On the other hand we have

$$0 = d(gf(1/3), g(1/3)) \leq d(fg(1/3), f(1/3)) = 8$$

i.e. the pair $\{f, g\}$ is occasionally weakly g -biased, but as

$$24 = d(fg(2), g(2)) \not\leq d(fg(2), f(2)) = 6$$

then f and g are not weakly g -biased.

Remark 1 : Note that from the preceding example we have

$$fg(2) = 2 \neq 32 = gf(2)$$

$$\text{and } fg(1/3) = 9 \neq 1 = gf(1/3)$$

i.e. f and g are not occasionally weakly compatible maps.

On the other hand it is clear from the definitions that if f and g are occasionally weakly compatible maps then f, g are both occasionally weakly f -biased and g -biased.

Therefore, occasionally weakly compatible map is a subclass of occasionally weakly biased maps.

Main Result

Theorem 1 : Let f, g, h, k, t, u, v, w be self mappings of a metric space (X, d) such that

$$1.1 \quad f(X) \cap w(X), g(X) \cap v(X), h(X) \cap u(X), k(X) \cap t(X);$$

$$1.2 \quad (a) \quad d(fx, gy) = \alpha d(tx, uy) + \beta [d(fx, tx) + d(gy, uy)] + \gamma [d(tx, gy) + d(uy, fx)],$$

$$(b) \quad d(gx, hy) = \alpha d(ux, vy) + \beta [d(gx, ux) + d(hy, vy)] + \gamma [d(ux, hy) + d(vy, gx)],$$

$$(c) \quad d(hx, ky) = \alpha d(vx, wy) + \beta [d(hx, vx) + d(ky, wy)] + \gamma [d(vx, ky) + d(wy, hx)],$$

$$(d) \quad d(kx, fy) = \alpha d(wx, ty) + \beta [d(kx, wx) + d(fy, ty)] + \gamma [d(wx, fy) + d(ty, kx)],$$

for all $x, y \in X$ and α, β , and γ be non – negative reals such that

$$\alpha + 2\beta + 2\gamma < 1;$$

1.3 $(f, t), (g, u), (h, v), (k, w)$ are occasionally weakly t -biased, occasionally weakly u -biased, occasionally weakly v -biased and occasionally weakly w -biased maps respectively.

Then f, g, h, k, t, u, v, w have a unique common fixed point.

Proof : Since pairs of mappings $(f, t), (g, u), (h, v), (k, w)$ are occasionally weakly t -biased, occasionally weakly u -biased, occasionally weakly v -biased and occasionally weakly w -biased maps respectively, then there exists four points a, b, c and d are in X s.t.

$$fa = ta \text{ implies } d(tfa, ta) \leq d(fa, fa),$$

$$gb = ub \text{ implies } d(ugb, ub) \leq d(gb, gb),$$

$$hc = vc \text{ implies } d(vhc, vc) \leq d(hc, hc),$$

$$kd = wd \text{ implies } d(wkd, wd) \leq d(kd, kd).$$

First, we will prove that $fa = gb = hc = kd$.

First, we prove that $fa = gb$. From inequality 1.2(a), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 d(fa, gb) &= \alpha d(ta, ub) + \beta[d(fa, ta) + d(gb, ub)] + \gamma[d(ta, gb) + d(ub, fa)] \\
 &= \alpha d(fa, gb) + \beta[d(fa, fa) + d(gb, gb)] + \gamma[d(fa, gb) + d(gb, fa)] \\
 &= (\alpha + 2\gamma) d(fa, gb) \\
 &= d(fa, gb), \text{ a contradiction.}
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, $fa = gb$.

Now, we prove that $gb = hc$. From inequality 1.2 (b), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 d(gb, hc) &= \alpha d(ub, vc) + \beta[d(gb, ub) + d(hc, vc)] + \gamma[d(ub, hc) + d(vc, gb)] \\
 &= \alpha d(gb, hc) + \beta[d(ub, ub) + d(vc, vc)] + \gamma[d(gb, hc) + d(hc, gb)] \\
 &= (\alpha + 2\gamma) d(gb, hc) \\
 &= d(gb, hc), \text{ a contradiction.}
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, $gb = hc$.

Now, we prove that $hc = kd$. From inequality 1.2(c), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 d(hc, kd) &= \alpha d(vc, wd) + \beta[d(hc, vc) + d(kd, wd)] + \gamma[d(vc, kd) + d(wd, hc)] \\
 &= \alpha d(hc, kd) + \beta[d(hc, hc) + d(kd, kd)] + \gamma[d(hc, kd) + d(kd, hc)] \\
 &= (\alpha + 2\gamma) d(hc, kd) \\
 &= d(hc, kd), \text{ a contradiction.}
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, $hc = kd$.

Now, we prove that $kd = fa$. From inequality 1.2(d), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 d(kd, fa) &= \alpha d(wd, ta) + \beta[d(kd, wd) + d(fa, ta)] + \gamma[d(wd, fa) + d(ta, kd)] \\
 &= \alpha d(kd, fa) + \beta[d(kd, kd) + d(fa, fa)] + \gamma[d(kd, fa) + d(fa, kd)] \\
 &= (\alpha + 2\gamma) d(kd, fa) \\
 &= d(kd, fa), \text{ a contradiction.}
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore $kd = fa$.

Hence $fa = gb = hc = kd$.

Now occasionally weakly t -biased of (f, t) implies $d(tfa, ta) = d(fa, fa)$,
occasionally weakly u -biased of (g, u) implies $d(ugb, ub) = d(gb, gb)$,
occasionally weakly v -biased of (h, v) implies $d(vhc, vc) = d(hc, hc)$,
occasionally weakly w -biased of (k, w) implies $d(wkd, wd) = d(kd, kd)$.

On the other hand, we obtain

$fa = ta$ implies $ffa = fta, tfa = tta$,

$ub = gb$ implies $gub = ggb, uub = ugb$,

$vc = hc$ implies $hvc = hhc$, $vvc = vhc$ and

$wd = kd$ implies $kwd = kkd$, $wwd = wkd$.

Now, we show that fa is a common fixed point of f, g, h, k, t, u, v, w using 1.2(a), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 d(ffa, fa) = d(ffa, gb) &= \alpha d(tfa, ub) + \beta [d(ffa, tfa) + d(gb, ub)] + \gamma [d(tfa, gb) + d(ub, ffa)] \\
 &= \alpha d(tfa, ta) + \beta [d(ffa, ta) + d(ta, tfa) + 0] + \gamma [d(tfa, ta) + d(fa, ffa)] \\
 &= \alpha d(fta, fa) + \beta [d(ffa, fa) + d(fta, fa)] + \gamma [d(fta, fa) + d(ffa, fa)] \\
 &= \alpha d(ffa, fa) + \beta [d(ffa, fa) + d(ffa, fa)] + \gamma [d(ffa, fa) + d(ffa, fa)] \\
 &= (\alpha + 2\beta + 2\gamma) d(ffa, fa) \\
 &< d(ffa, fa), \text{ a contradiction.}
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, $ffa = fa$.

Hence, fa is a fixed point of f . Further, it is easy to show that fa is also a fixed point of t . Thus, fa is a common fixed point of $\{f, t\}$. Similarly, one can show that gb is a common fixed point of $\{g, u\}$, hc and kd is a common fixed point of $\{h, v\}$ and $\{k, w\}$ respectively. Since $fa = gb = hc = kd$ we therefore conclude that fa is a common fixed point of f, g, h, k, t, u, v, w . The proof is similar.

Now check the uniqueness of common fixed point. Put $fa = r$ therefore r is a common fixed point of mapping f, g, h, k, t, u, v, w . Now, let r and s be two different common fixed point of mappings f, g, h, k, t, u, v, w i.e.

$$fr = gr = hr = kr = tr = ur = vr = wr = r \text{ and } fs = gs = hs = ks = ts = us = vs = ws = s \quad 5$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 d(r, s) &= d(fr, gs) \\
 &= \alpha d(tr, us) + \beta [d(fr, tr) + d(gs, us)] + \gamma [d(tr, gs) + d(us, fr)] \\
 &= \alpha [d(r, s)] + \beta [d(r, r) + d(s, s)] + \gamma [d(r, s) + d(s, r)] \\
 &= (\alpha + 2\gamma) d(r, s) \\
 &= d(r, s), \text{ a contradiction.}
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, $r = s$.

Hence fa is a common fixed point of f, g, h, k, t, u, v, w .

This completes the proof of the theorem.

Now, we give an example to illustrate the above theorem.

Example 2: Let $X = [0, \infty)$ with usual metric $d(x, y) = |x - y|$.

Define $f = g = h = k, t, u, v, w : X \rightarrow X$ by

$$f(x) = g(x) = h(x) = k(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x \in [0, 1] \\ 5x & \text{if } x \in (1, 8) \end{cases}$$

$$t(x) = \begin{cases} 3x^2 & \text{if } x \in [0,1] \\ 25/x & \text{if } x \in (1,8) \end{cases} \quad u(x) = \begin{cases} 6x^2 & \text{if } x \in [0,1] \\ 35/x & \text{if } x \in (1,8) \end{cases}$$

$$v(x) = \begin{cases} 8x^2 & \text{if } x \in [0,1] \\ 55/x & \text{if } x \in (1,8) \end{cases} \quad w(x) = \begin{cases} 9x^2 & \text{if } x \in [0,1] \\ 75/x & \text{if } x \in (1,8) \end{cases}$$

Clearly, 1.1 $f(X) \neq w(X)$, $g(X) \neq v(X)$, $h(X) \neq u(X)$, $k(X) \neq t(X)$;

1.2 (a),(b),(c),(d) is true for all $x,y \in X$;

Now we shall show that (f,t) is occasionally weakly t -biased,

we have $f(x) = t(x)$ iff $x = 1/\sqrt{3}$ or $x = \sqrt{5}$

$$4\sqrt{5} = d(tf\sqrt{5}, t\sqrt{5}) = d(ft\sqrt{5}, f\sqrt{5}) = 20\sqrt{5}$$

$$2 = d(tf1/\sqrt{3}, t1/\sqrt{3}) \neq d(ft1/\sqrt{3}, f1/\sqrt{3}) = 0$$

i.e. the pair (f,t) is occasionally weakly t -biased,

$$\text{but } ft\sqrt{5} = 125/\sqrt{5} \neq 5/\sqrt{5} = tf\sqrt{5}$$

$$\text{and } ft1/\sqrt{3} = 1 \neq 3 = tf1/\sqrt{3}$$

i.e. f and t are not occasionally weakly compatible maps.

similarly (g,u) is occasionally weakly u -biased,

we have $g(x) = u(x)$ iff $x = 1/\sqrt{6}$ or $x = \sqrt{7}$

$$4\sqrt{7} = d(ug\sqrt{7}, u\sqrt{7}) = d(gu\sqrt{7}, g\sqrt{7}) = 20\sqrt{7}$$

$$5 = d(ug1/\sqrt{6}, u1/\sqrt{6}) \neq d(gu1/\sqrt{6}, g1/\sqrt{6}) = 0$$

i.e. the pair (g,u) is occasionally weakly u -biased,

$$\text{but } gu\sqrt{7} = 175/\sqrt{7} \neq 7/\sqrt{7} = ug\sqrt{7}$$

$$\text{and } gu1/\sqrt{6} = 1 \neq 6 = ug1/\sqrt{6}$$

i.e. g and u are not occasionally weakly compatible maps.

similarly (h,v) is occasionally weakly v -biased,

we have $h(x) = v(x)$ iff $x = 1/\sqrt{8}$ or $x = \sqrt{11}$

$$4\sqrt{11} = d(vh\sqrt{11}, v\sqrt{11}) = d(hv\sqrt{11}, h\sqrt{11}) = 20\sqrt{11}$$

$$7 = d(vh1/\sqrt{8}, v1/\sqrt{8}) = d(hv1/\sqrt{8}, h1/\sqrt{8}) = 0$$

i.e. the pair (h,v) is occasionally weakly v-biased,

$$\text{but } hv\sqrt{11} = 275/\sqrt{11} \neq 11/\sqrt{11} = vh\sqrt{11}$$

$$\text{and } hv1/\sqrt{8} = 1 \neq 8 = vh1/\sqrt{8}$$

i.e. h and v are not occasionally weakly compatible maps.

similarly (k,w) is occasionally weakly w-biased,

$$\text{we have } k(x) = w(x) \text{ iff } x = 1/3 \text{ or } x = \sqrt{15}$$

$$4\sqrt{15} = d(wk\sqrt{15}, w\sqrt{15}) = d(kw\sqrt{15}, k\sqrt{15}) = 20\sqrt{15}$$

$$8 = d(wk1/3, w1/3) \neq d(kw1/3, k1/3) = 0$$

i.e. the pair (k,w) is occasionally weakly w-biased,

$$\text{but } kw\sqrt{15} = 375/\sqrt{15} \neq 15/\sqrt{15} = wk\sqrt{15}$$

$$\text{and } kw1/3 = 1 \neq 9 = wk1/3$$

i.e. k and w are not occasionally weakly compatible maps.

Then f,g,h,k,t,u,v and w satisfy all the conditions of the above Theorem 1 and have a unique common fixed point at $x = 1$.

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