

# A fixed point theorem on compact metric space using hybrid generalized $\varphi$ - weak contraction

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## Abstract

In this paper we obtain common fixed points of two self mappings defined on a compact metric space using the hybrid generalized  $\varphi$ -weak contractions.

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## 1. Introduction

Many mathematical researcher obtained fixed points and fixed point results on contractive mappings viz, Song [12, 13, 14], Al-Thagafi and Shahzad [10], Reich [4], Kalinke [5], Paliwal [7] Rhoades [8], Hussain and Jungck [11] and

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others. The concept of weak contraction in fixed point theory was introduced by Alber and Guerre – Delabriere [6] in 1997 for single – value mappings in Hilbert space and proved existence of fixed points using  $\varphi$ - weak contraction on a complete metric space. He also highlighted the relation between  $\varphi$  - weak contraction with that of Boyd and Wong type [2] and the Reich type contraction [4]. Qingnian Zhang, Yisheng Song [16] proved the existence of fixed point in complete metric space for generalized  $\varphi$  - weak contraction.

The aim of this paper is to prove the existence of a unique common fixed point of a hybrid generalized  $\varphi$ - weak contraction mappings for a pair a pair of self-mappings in compact metric space.

Before proving the main results we need the following definitions for our main results.

**Definition 1.1** Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space and  $f : X \rightarrow X$  be a mapping  $f$  is said to be contractive if for each  $x, y \in X$  there exists  $k \in (0, 1)$  such that  $d(fx, fy) \leq k d(x, y)$ .

**Definition 1.2** A self – mapping  $g$  from a metric space  $(X, d)$  into itself is called a  $\varphi$ - weak contraction if for each  $x, y \in X$  there exists a function  $\varphi : [0, \infty) \rightarrow (0, \infty)$  such that  $\varphi(t) > 0$  for all  $t \in [0, \infty)$  and  $\varphi(0) = 0$  and

$$d(gx, gy) \leq d(x, y) - \varphi(d(x, y)).$$

**Definition 1.3** Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space and  $f : X \rightarrow X$  be a self-mapping  $f$  is said to have a fixed point on  $X$  if there exists  $x \in X$  such that  $fx = x$ .

**Example 1.1** Let  $(X, d), X = \mathbb{R}$  be the usual metric space. For  $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  defined by  $fx = x^3 \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$  the fixed points of  $\mathbb{R}$  are 0, 1 and  $-1$ . This shows that the fixed point, if exists may not be unique.

**Definition 1.4** Let  $S$  and  $T$  be two self-mappings from a metric space  $(X, d)$  into itself A point  $x \in X$  will be a coincident point of  $S$  and  $T$  if  $Sx = Tx$ .

**Example 1.2** Consider  $Sx = x^2, Tx = x^3$  defined on  $(\mathbb{R}, d)$ . The points  $x = 0$  and  $x = 1$  are coincident points of the mappings  $S$  and  $T$ . Since  $STx = S(Tx) = S(x^3) = x^6$  and  $TSx = T(Sx) = T(x^2) = x^6$ , therefore  $STx = TSx \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$  and hence  $S$  and  $T$  are also commutative on  $\mathbb{R}$ .

## 2. Main results

**Theorem 2.1** Let  $(X, d)$  be a compact metric space and  $S, T : X \rightarrow X$  be two mappings such that for all  $x, y \in X$  :

$$(i) \quad S(X) \text{ or } T(X) \text{ is a closed subspace of } X \text{ and } \dots \quad (2.1.1)$$

$$(ii) \quad d(Sx, Ty) \leq C(x, y) - \varphi(C(x, y)) \quad (2.1.2)$$

where  $\varphi : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  is a lower semi-continuous with  $\varphi(t) > 0$  and  $\varphi(0) = 0$  and,

$$C(x, y) = \max \left\{ d(x, y), \frac{d(Sx, x) + d(y, Ty)}{2}, \frac{d(x, Ty) + d(y, Sx)}{2} \right\} \quad (2.1.3)$$

then  $S$  and  $T$  have coincident points  $z \in X$  which are also the unique common fixed points of the mappings  $S$  and  $T$ .

*Proof:* Let  $x \in X$  be any arbitrary point. There exists point  $x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots$  in  $X$  such that

$$x_1 = Tx_0, x_2 = Sx_1, x_3 = Tx_2, \dots,$$

Inductively, we have,

$$x_{2n+2} = Sx_{2n+1}, x_{2n+1} = Tx_{2n}, \text{ for all } n \geq 0.$$

Choosing  $x_{n+1}, x_n$  for  $x$  and  $y$  when  $n$  is odd

$$\begin{aligned} d(x_{n+1}, x_n) &= d(Sx_n, Tx_{n-1}) \\ &\leq C(x_n, x_{n-1}) - \varphi(C(x_n, x_{n-1})) \quad (\text{using (ii)}) \\ &\leq C(x_n, x_{n-1}) \\ &\leq \max \left\{ d(x_n, x_{n-1}), \frac{d(Sx_n, x_n) + d(Tx_{n-1}, x_{n-1})}{2}, \right. \\ &\quad \left. \frac{d(x_n, Tx_{n-1}) + d(x_{n-1}, Sx_n)}{2} \right\} \\ &\leq \max \left\{ d(x_n, x_{n-1}), \frac{d(x_{n+1}, x_n) + d(x_n, x_{n-1})}{2}, \right. \\ &\quad \left. \frac{d(x_n, x_n) + d(x_{n-1}, x_{n+1})}{2} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

If  $d(x_{n+1}, x_n) > d(x_n, x_{n-1})$

then  $C(x_n, x_{n-1}) = d(x_{n+1}, x_n)$

Also,  $d(x_{n+1}, x_n) = d(Sx_n, Tx_{n-1})$

$$\begin{aligned} &\leq C(x_n, x_{n-1}) - \varphi(C(x_n, x_{n-1})) \\ &= d(x_{n+1}, x_n) - \varphi(C(x_n, x_{n-1})) \end{aligned} \quad (2.1.4)$$

which is a contradiction. Similarly, we have another contradiction if  $n$  is taken an even number. Thus,

$$d(x_{n+1}, x_n) \leq C(x_n, x_{n-1}) \leq d(x_n, x_{n-1}) \quad \forall n \geq 0 \quad (2.1.5)$$

Since  $d(x_n, x_{n-1}) \leq d(x_{n-1}, x_{n-2})$  therefore, the sequence  $\{d(x_n, x_{n-1})\}_{n \geq 0}$  is non-increasing on  $R^+$ , the set of all positive real which is bounded from below i.e., there exists a positive real number  $r \geq 0$  such that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} d(x_{n+1}, x_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} C(x_n, x_{n-1}) = r \quad (2.1.6)$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi(r) &= \varphi\left(\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} C(x_n, x_{n-1})\right) \\ &\leq \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \varphi(C(x_n, x_{n-1})). \end{aligned}$$

From (2.1.4), we have,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} d(x_{n+1}, x_n) \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} C(x_n, x_{n-1}) - \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \varphi(C(x_n, x_{n-1}))$$

$$\text{i.e., } r \leq r - \varphi(r)$$

$$\text{i.e., } \varphi(r) \leq 0$$

$$\text{i.e., } \varphi(r) = 0$$

Thus,

$$r = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} d(x_{n+1}, x_n) = 0 \quad (2.1.7)$$

To prove that  $\{x_n\}$  is a Cauchy sequence. If not, there exists some  $m, n \geq N(\epsilon)$  a large number for a given  $\epsilon > 0$  such that

$$d(x_{n+1}, x_{m+1}) > \epsilon$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} &\epsilon < d(x_{n+1}, x_{m+1}) \\ &= d(Sx_n, Tx_m) \\ &\leq C(x_n, x_m) - \varphi(C(x_n, x_m)) \end{aligned}$$

Letting  $m, n \rightarrow \infty$ , we have  $\epsilon < 0$  which is a contradiction and hence  $\{x_n\}$  is a Cauchy sequence. As  $S(X)$  or  $T(X)$  is a closed subset of  $(X, d)$  which is

bounded the sequence  $(x_n)$  has a convergent subsequence  $\{x_{n(k)}\}$  as  $k \rightarrow \infty$  converging to some point  $z \in X$  as  $T(X)$  of  $S(X)$  is a compact subspace of  $(X, d)$

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} x_{n(k)+1} \rightarrow z. \quad \text{or} \quad \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} Sx_{n(k)} \rightarrow z \Rightarrow Sz = z$$

We shall prove that  $Tz = z$ . If not,

$$\begin{aligned} d(z, Tz) &\leq d(Sz, Tx_{2n+1}) \\ &\leq C(z, x_{2n+1}) \\ &\leq \max \left\{ d(z, x_{2n+1}), \frac{d(z, Sz) + d(x_{2n+1}, Tx_{2n+1})}{2}, \frac{d(z, Tx_{2n+1}) + d(x_{2n+1}, Sz)}{2} \right\} \\ &\leq \max \left\{ d(z, z), \frac{d(z, z) + d(z, Tz)}{2}, \frac{d(z, Tz) + d(z, Sz)}{2} \right\} \\ &\leq \max \left\{ d(z, z), \frac{d(z, Tz)}{2}, \frac{d(z, Tz)}{2} \right\} \\ &\leq \frac{d(z, Tz)}{2} \end{aligned}$$

which is a contradiction and hence,  $Tz = z$ . Thus,  $Sz = Tz = z \Rightarrow z$  is a common fixed point of the mappings  $S$  and  $T$ .

For uniqueness, let there be another fixed point of the mappings  $S$  and  $T$  and  $z'$  such that  $Sz' = Tz' = z'$ . To prove  $z = z'$

$$\begin{aligned} d(z, z') &= d(Sz, Tz') \\ &\leq C(z, z') \\ &\leq \max \left\{ d(z, z'), \frac{d(Sz, z) + d(z', Tz')}{2}, \frac{d(z, Tz') + d(z', Tz)}{2} \right\} \\ &= \max \left\{ d(z, z'), \frac{d(z, z) + d(z', z')}{2}, \frac{d(z, z') + d(z', z)}{2} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= d(z, z') \\
\Rightarrow & d(z, z') < d(z, z') \\
\Rightarrow & \text{a contradiction} \quad \Rightarrow \quad z = z'
\end{aligned}$$

Thus, the fixed point is unique. □

**Theorem 2.2** Let  $(X, d)$  be a compact metric space and  $S, T : X \rightarrow X$  be two mappings such that for all  $x, y \in X$ .

- (i)  $S(X)$  or  $T(X)$  is a closed subspace of  $X$  and
- (ii)  $d(Sx, Ty) \leq C(x, y) - \varphi(C(x, y))$  where  $\varphi : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$

is a lower semi-continuous with  $\varphi(t) > 0$  and  $\varphi(0) = 0$  and

$$C(x, y) = \max \left\{ d(x, y), d(x, Sx), d(y, Ty), \frac{d(x, Ty) + \varphi(y, Sx)}{2} \right\}$$

then  $S$  and  $T$  have a unique common fixed point  $z \in X$  such that  $Sz = Tz = z$ .

**Theorem 2.3** Let  $(X, d)$  be a complete metric space and  $S, T : X \rightarrow X$  be two mappings such that for all  $x, y \in X$

$$d(Sx, Ty) \leq C(x, y) - \varphi(C(x, y))$$

where  $\varphi : (0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  is a lower semi-continuous with  $\varphi(t) > 0$  and  $\varphi(0) = 0$

$$\text{and } C(x, y) = \max \left\{ d(x, y), \frac{d(x, Sx) + d(y, Ty)}{2}, \frac{d(x, Ty) + d(y, Sx)}{2} \right\}$$

they  $S$  and  $T$  have a unique common fixed point  $z \in X$  such that  $Sz = Tz = z$ .

**Theorem 2.4** Let  $(X, d)$  be a compact metric space and  $S : X \rightarrow X$  a mapping defined on  $X$  such that for  $x, y \in X$ .

$$d(Sx, Sy) \leq C(x, y) - \varphi(C(x, y))$$

where  $\varphi: [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  is a lower semi-continuous function with

$\varphi(t) > 0, \varphi(0) = 0$  and

$$C(x, y) = \max \left\{ d(x, y), \frac{d(x, Sx) + d(y, Sy)}{2}, \frac{d(x, Sy) + d(y, Sx)}{2} \right\}$$

then there exists a unique point  $z \in X$  such that  $Sz = z$ .

*Proof:* The details of the proofs of the Theorems 2.2, 2.3 and also 2.4 are omitted.

□

**Example 2.1** Let  $X = [0, 1] = \mathbb{R}$ , a closed and bounded subset of  $\mathbb{R}$  equipped with the usual metric  $d(x, y) = |x - y|$  consider the mappings  $S: X \rightarrow X$  and  $T: X \rightarrow X$  defined by

$$Sx = \frac{1}{2}x^2, Tx = 0$$

For  $x, y \in X$ ,

$$C(x, y) = \max \left\{ d(x, y), \frac{d(x, Sx) + d(y, Ty)}{2}, \frac{d(x, Ty) + d(y, Sx)}{2} \right\}$$

$$= \max \left\{ |x - y|, \frac{\left| x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 \right| + |y|}{2}, \frac{|x| + \left| y - \frac{1}{2}x^2 \right|}{2} \right\}$$

$$= x - y, \quad 0 \leq y \leq \frac{1}{2}x^2$$

$$= x + y - \frac{1}{2}x^2, \left( \frac{1}{2}x^2 \leq y \leq x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 \right)$$

$$= x + y - \frac{1}{2}x^2, x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 \leq y$$



Taking  $\varphi(t) = \frac{1}{6}t^2, t > 0$

the mappings  $S'$  and  $T$  satisfy all the condition of Theorem of 2.1 and hence  $x = 0$  is the unique common fixed points of  $S$  and  $T$ .

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