# ON SOME FIXED POINT THEOREMS IN 2-UNIFORM SPACES

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#### **ABSTRACT**

In this paper, some fixed point theorems in 2-uniform spaces are established and contraction type mappings in 2 – uniform spaces are introduced.

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### INTRODUCTION

In this paper we introduce contraction type mappings in 2 – uniform spaces and we present some fixed point theorems of operators in 2 – uniform spaces. These theorems generalize the results of many authors such as Lal and Singh, Das and Sharma etc.

In what follows X and  $\mathbb{R}$  stand for a non-empty set and the real line respectively and  $X^3 = X \times X \times X$ . If A and B are any two sets then by the symbol  $A \leq B$  we mean that A is contained in B.

### 1. PRELIMINARIES

- **1.1 Definition:** A pseudo 2-metric for X is a mapping  $\rho: X^3 \to \mathbb{R}$  such that for all a,b,c and d in X we have
- (i)  $\rho(a,b,c) > 0$  and  $\rho(a,b,c) = 0$  if at least two of a,b,c are equal.
- (ii)  $\rho(a,b,c) = \rho(b,c,a) = \rho(c,a,b) = ...$
- (iii)  $\rho(a,b,c) \le \rho(a,b,d) + \rho(a,d,c) + \rho(d,b,c)$

A set X together with a pseudo 2 – metric  $\rho$  is called a pseudo 2 – metric space  $(X, \rho)$ .

- **1.2 Definition:** If U is any subset of  $X^3$  then  $U^{-1} = \{(z, y, x)/(x, y, z) \in U\}$ . We define the diagonal of  $X^3$  to be the set  $\Delta = \{(x, x, x)/x \in X\}$ .
- **1.3 Definition:** A 2 uniformity for X is a non-void family  $\mathcal{U}$  of subsets of  $X^3$  such that
- (i) each member of  $\mathscr U$  contains  $\Delta$
- (ii) if  $U \in \mathcal{U}$  then  $V \circ V \circ V \leq U$  for some V in  $\mathcal{U}$
- (iii) if U and V are two members of U then  $U \cap V \in \mathcal{U}$
- (iv) if  $U \in \mathcal{U}$  and  $U \leq V \leq X^3$  then  $V \in \mathcal{U}$

By a 2 – uniform space we mean a non-empty set X together with a 2 – uniformity  $\mathscr U$  on X and we denote it by  $(X,\mathscr U)$ .

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- **1.4 Definition:** If  $(X, \mathcal{U})$  is 2 uniform space then a subset  $\mathcal{B}$  of  $\mathcal{U}$  is called a basis for  $(X, \mathcal{U})$
- (i) if each member of  $\mathcal{B}$  contains the diagonal  $\Delta$
- (ii)  $U \in \mathcal{B}$  then  $U^{-1}$  contains a member of  $\mathcal{B}$
- (iii) if  $U \in \mathcal{B}$  then  $V \circ V \circ V \leq U$  for some V in  $\mathcal{B}$
- (iv) the intersection of two members of  $\mathcal{B}$  contains a member of  $\mathcal{B}$
- **1.5 Remark:** By  $V \circ V \circ V$  we mean that the composition by treating V as a relation in the order  $V: X \to X \times X$ ,  $V: X \times X \to X$  and  $V: X \to X \times X$  respectively.
- **1.6 Definition:** A 2 uniform space  $(X, \mathcal{U})$  is said to be sequentially complete if every cauchy sequence in X converges to a point in X.
- **1.7 Definition:** If  $(X, \rho)$  is a pseudo 2-metric space and if r is a positive real number then we define  $V_{(\rho,r)} = \{(x,y,z) \in X^3 / \rho(x,y,z) < r\}$ .

# 1.8 Notation:

- 1. We denote  $\mathcal{P}$  for the family of pseudo 2 metrics on X generating the uniformity.
- 2.  $\mathcal{V}$  denotes family of all sets of the form  $\bigcap_{i=1}^{n} V_{(\rho_i, r_i)}$  where  $\rho_i \in \mathcal{P}$  and  $r_i$  is a positive real number for i=1,2,3,...n (n is not fixed).
- 3. If  $V \in \mathcal{V}$  then  $V = \bigcap_{i=1}^n V_{(\rho_i, r_i)}$ . If  $\alpha$  is positive then  $\alpha V = \bigcap_{i=1}^n V_{(\rho_i, \alpha r_i)}$ .
- **1.9 Definition:** Let  $\mathcal{B}$  be a basis for the 2 uniform space  $(X, \mathcal{U})$  and let f be a mapping from X into itsself.
- (a) f said to be a contraction with respect to  $\mathcal{B}$  if  $(f(x), f(y), z) \in U$  whenever  $(x, y, z) \in U \in \mathcal{B}$ .
- (b) f said to be an expansion with respect to  $\mathcal{B}$  if  $(x, y, z) \in U$  whenever  $(f(x), f(y), z) \in U \in \mathcal{B}$ .

# 2. SOME PRELIMINARY LEMMAS

- **2.1 Lemma:** If  $V \in \mathcal{V}$  and  $\alpha, \beta$  are positive then  $\alpha(\beta V) = (\alpha \beta)V$ .
- **2.2 Lemma:** If  $V \in \mathcal{V}$  and  $\alpha, \beta$  are positive then  $\alpha V \leq \beta V$  whenever  $\alpha \leq \beta$ .
- **2.3 Lemma:** Let  $\rho$  be any pseudo 2 metric on X and  $\alpha, \beta$  be any two positive real numbers. If  $(x, y, z) \in \alpha V_{(\rho, r_1)} \circ \beta V_{(\rho, r_2)}$  then  $\rho(x, y, z) < \alpha r_1 + \beta r_2$ .
- **2.4 Lemma:** If  $V \in \mathcal{V}$  and  $\alpha, \beta$  are two positive real numbers then  $\alpha V \circ \beta V \leq (\alpha \beta)V$ .
- **2.5 Lemma:** Let  $(x, y, z) \in X^3$ . Then for every  $V \in \mathcal{V}$  there exists a positive real number  $\alpha$  such that  $(x, y, z) \in \alpha V$
- **2.6 Lemma:** If  $V \in \mathcal{V}$  then there exists a pseudo 2 metric  $\rho$  on X such that  $V = V_{(\rho,1)}$ .

### 3. SOME FIXED POINT THEOREMS OF OPERATORS

In this section, we assume that  $(X, \mathcal{U})$  is a 2 – uniform space which is also sequentially complete Hausdorff space.

- **3.1 Theorem:** Let  $\mathcal{A} = \{S_1, S_2, ..., S_p\}$  and  $\mathcal{B} = \{T_1, T_2, ..., T_q\}$  be two sets of operators such that
- (a) each  $S_i$  and  $T_i$  map X into itself
- $(b) \ S_i S_j = S_j S_i \ \text{for} \ 1 \leq i, j \leq p \ \text{and} \ T_\alpha T_\beta = T_\beta T_\alpha \ \text{for} \ 1 \leq \alpha, \beta \leq q$

(c) for all  $x,y\in X$ , for every  $a\in X$  and each  $\rho\in\mathcal{P}$  and for any five members  $V_1,V_2,V_3,V_4,V_5$  in  $\mathcal{V}$ ,  $(S(x),T(y),a)\in\alpha_1V_1\circ\alpha_2V_2\circ\alpha_3V_3\circ\alpha_4V_4\circ\alpha_5V_5$  where  $S\in\mathcal{A}$  and  $T\in\mathcal{B}$  and each  $\alpha_i$  is a non negative real number independent of  $x,y,a,V_1,V_2,V_3,V_4$  and  $V_5$  such that

$$0 < \frac{\alpha_1 + \alpha_3 + \alpha_5}{1 - \alpha_2 - \alpha_3}, \frac{\alpha_2 + \alpha_4 + \alpha_5}{1 - \alpha_1 - \alpha_4} < 1, 1 - \alpha_2 - \alpha_3 \neq 0, 1 - \alpha_1 - \alpha_4 \neq 0.$$

 $\text{If } \big(x,S(x),a\big) \in V_1, \big(y,T(x),a\big) \in V_2, \big(x,T(y),a\big) \in V_3, \big(y,S(x),a\big) \in V_4, \big(x,y,a\big) \in V_5 \text{ then all } S_i (1 \leq i \leq p)$  and  $T_i (1 \leq j \leq q)$  have a common unique fixed point.

**Proof:** Clearly  $\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \alpha_3 + \alpha_4 + \alpha_5 < 1$ . Suppose that  $k_1 = \frac{\alpha_1 + \alpha_3 + \alpha_5}{1 - \alpha_2 - \alpha_3}$  and  $k_2 = \frac{\alpha_2 + \alpha_4 + \alpha_5}{1 - \alpha_1 - \alpha_4}$ . Let  $V \in \mathcal{V}$  and  $\rho \in \mathcal{P}$  suppose that x, y, a are any three points of X. Put  $\rho(x, S(x), a) = r_1$ ,  $\rho(y, T(y), a) = r_2$ ,  $\rho(x, T(y), a) = r_3$ ,  $\rho = (y, S(x), a) = r_4$  and  $\rho(x, y, a) = r_5$  and take  $\varepsilon > 0$ , then  $(x, S(x), a) \in (r_1 + \varepsilon) V$ ,  $(y, T(y), a) \in (r_2 + \varepsilon) V$ ,  $(x, S(x), a) \in (r_3 + \varepsilon) V$ ,  $(y, T(y), a) \in (r_4 + \varepsilon) V$ ,  $(x, y, a) \in (r_5 + \varepsilon) V$ .

Then we have

$$(S(x), T(y), a) \in \alpha_1(r_1 + \varepsilon) V \circ \alpha_2(r_2 + \varepsilon) V \circ \alpha_3(r_3 + \varepsilon) V \circ \alpha_3(r_3 + \varepsilon) V \circ \alpha_4(r_4 + \varepsilon) V \circ \alpha_5(r_5 + \varepsilon)$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho(S(x), T(y), a) \le \alpha_1(r_1 + \varepsilon) + \alpha_2(r_2 + \varepsilon) + \alpha_3(r_3 + \varepsilon) + \alpha_4(r_4 + \varepsilon) + \alpha_5(r_5 + \varepsilon)$$

$$= \alpha_1 r_1 + \alpha_2 r_2 + \alpha_3 r_3 + \alpha_4 r_4 + \alpha_5 r_5 + (\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \alpha_3 + \alpha_4 + \alpha_5)\varepsilon$$

Since  $\varepsilon > 0$  is arbitrary, we have  $\rho(S(x), T(y), a) \le \alpha_1 r_1 + \alpha_2 r_2 + \alpha_3 r_3 + \alpha_4 r_4 + \alpha_5 r_5$ .

Fix  $x_0 \notin X$ . Construct a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in X such that  $x_{2n+1} = S(x_{2n})$  and  $x_{2n+2} = T(x_{2n+1})$  where  $n = 0, 1, 2, 3, \ldots$ 

Clearly  $\{x_n\}$  is a Cauchy sequence in X and hence there exists a point u in X such that  $u=\lim_{n\to\infty}x_n$ . Then

$$\begin{split} \rho(u,S(u),a) &\leq \rho(u,S(u),x_{2n}) + \rho(u,x_{2n},a) + \rho(x_{2n},S(u),a) \\ &= \rho(u,S(u),x_{2n}) + \rho(u,x_{2n},a) + \rho(T(x_{2n-1}),S(u),a) \\ &\leq \rho(u,S(u),x_{2n}) + \rho(u,x_{2n},a) + \alpha_1\rho(u,S(u),a) + \alpha_2\rho(x_{2n-1},T(x_{2n-1}),a) \\ &+ \alpha_3\rho(u,x_{2n-1},a) + \alpha_4\rho(x_{2n-1},S(u),a) + \alpha_5\rho(x_{2n},a) \end{split}$$

Letting 
$$n \to \infty$$
, we get  $(1 - \alpha_1 - \alpha_4) \rho(u, S(u), a) \le 0 \Rightarrow \rho(u, S(u), a) = 0 \Rightarrow u = S(u)$   
 $\Rightarrow u \text{ is a fixed point of } S.$ 

Similarly u is a fixed point of T. Furthermoer u is unique common fixed point of S and T.

**3.2 Theorem:** Suppose that  $S: X \to X$  and  $T: X \to X$  are two operators such that (a) ST = TS (b) For all  $x, y, z_1, z_2$  in X, for each  $\rho \in \mathcal{P}$  and for any six members  $V_1, V_2, V_3, V_4, V_5, V_6$  in  $\mathcal{V}$ ,  $\left(S(x), T(y), a\right) \in \alpha_1 V_1 \circ \alpha_2 V_2 \circ \alpha_3 V_3 \circ \alpha_4 V_4 \circ \alpha_5 V_5 \circ \alpha_6 V_6$ .

$$\begin{split} &\text{If } \left(x,S^k(z_1),a\right) \in V_1, \left(y,T^k(z_2),a\right) \in V_2, \left(x,S^k(z_2),a\right) \in V_3, \left(y,S^k(z_2),a\right) \in V_4, \left(S^k(z_1),T^k(z_2),a\right) \in V_5 \\ &\text{and } \left(x,y,a\right) \in V_6 \text{ where } k \text{ is a positive integer and } \sum_{i=1}^6 \alpha_i > 1 \text{ then } S \text{ and } T \text{ have a unique common fixed point in } X. \end{split}$$

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$$\begin{split} &\text{If } \left(x,S^k(z_1),a\right) \in V_1, \left(y,T^k(z_2),a\right) \in V_2, \left(x,S^k(z_2),a\right) \in V_3, \left(y,S^k(z_2),a\right) \in V_4, \left(x,y,a\right) \in V_5 \quad \text{where } k \\ &\text{is a positive integer and } \sum_{i=1}^5 \alpha_i > 1 \text{ then } S \text{ and } T \text{ have a unique common fixed point in } X \;. \end{split}$$

**3.4 Theorem:** Suppose that  $S: X \to X$  and  $T: X \to X$  are two operators such that (a) ST = TS (b) For all  $x, y, z_1, z_2, z_3, z_4$  in X, for each  $\rho \in \mathcal{P}$  and for any four members  $V_1, V_2, V_3, V_4$  in  $\mathcal{V}$ ,  $\left(S(x), T(y), a\right) \in \alpha_1 V_1 \circ \alpha_2 V_2 \circ \alpha_3 V_3 \circ \alpha_4 V_4$ .

$$\begin{split} &\text{If } \left(x,S^k(z_1),a\right) \in V_1, \left(y,T^k(z_2),a\right) \in V_2, \left(S(z_1),S^k(z_3),a\right) \in V_3, \left(T(y),S^k(z_4),a\right) \in V_4 \quad \text{where } k \text{ is a positive integer and } \sum_{i=1}^4 \alpha_i > 1 \text{ then } S \text{ and } T \text{ have a unique common fixed point in } X \,. \end{split}$$

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