

Common Fixed Points for Two Contractive Mappings of Integral Type in Metric Spaces

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Abstract

In this paper, we obtain unique common fixed point theorems for two mappings satisfying the variable coefficient linear contraction of integral type and the implicit contraction of integral type respectively in metric spaces.

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Contractive Mapping of Integral Type, Common Fixed Point, Metric Space

1. Introduction and Preliminaries

Throughout this paper, we assume that $R^+ = [0, \infty)$ and $\Phi = \{\phi | \phi : R^+ \to R^+ \text{ satisfying that } \phi \text{ is Lebesgue integral, summable on each compact subset of } R^+ \text{ and } \int_0^\varepsilon \phi(t) dt > 0 \text{ for each } \varepsilon > 0\}$.

The famous Banach's contraction principle is as follows:

Theorem 1.1 ([1]). Let f be a self mapping on a complete metric space (X,d) satisfying

$$d(fx, fy) \le cd(x, y) \text{ for all } x, y \in X,$$
(1.1)

where $c \in [0,1)$ is a constant. Then f has a unique fixed point $\tilde{x} \in X$ such that $\lim_{n \to \infty} f^n(x) = \tilde{x}$ for each $x \in X$.

It is known that the Banach contraction principle has a lot of generalizations and various applications in many directions; see, for examples, [2]-[15] and the references cited therein. In 1962, Rakotch [11] extended the Banach contraction principle with replacing the contraction constant c in (1.1) by a contraction function γ and obtained the next theorem.

Theorem 1.2 ([11]). Let f be a self-mapping on a complete metric space (X,d) satisfying

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$$d(fx, fy) \le \gamma (d(x, y)) d(x, y) \text{ for all } x, y \in X,$$
(1.2)

where $\gamma: R^+ \to [0,1)$ is a monotonically decreasing function. Then f has a unique fixed point $\tilde{x} \in X$ such that $\lim_{n\to\infty} f^n(x) = \tilde{x}$ for each $x \in X$.

In 2002, Branciari [12] gave an integral version of Theorem 1.1 as follows.

Theorem 1.3 ([12]). Let f be a self-mapping on a complete metric space (X,d) satisfying

$$\int_{0}^{d(fx,fy)} \phi(t) dt \le c \int_{0}^{d(x,y)} \phi(t) dt \quad \text{for all } x, y \in X,$$
(1.3)

where $c \in [0,1)$ is a constant and $\phi \in \Phi$. Then f has a unique fixed point $\tilde{x} \in X$ such that $\lim_{n \to \infty} f^n(x) = \tilde{x}$ for each $x \in X$.

In 2011, Liu and Li [13] modified the method of Rakotch to generalize the Branciari's fixed point theorem with replacing the contraction constant c in (1.3) by contraction functions α and β and established the following fixed point theorem:

Theorem 1.4 ([13]). Let f be a self-mapping on a complete metric space (X,d) satisfying

$$\int_{0}^{d(fx,fy)} \phi(t) dt \le \alpha \left(d(x,y)\right) \int_{0}^{d(x,fx)} \phi(t) dt + \beta \left(d(x,y)\right) \int_{0}^{d(y,fy)} \phi(t) dt \text{ for all } x, y \in X,$$

$$(1.4)$$

where $\phi \in \Phi$ and $\alpha, \beta : R^+ \to [0,1)$ are two functions with

$$\alpha\left(t\right)+\beta\left(t\right)<1 \quad \text{for all} \quad t\in R^{+}\,; \quad \limsup_{s\to 0^{+}}\,\beta\left(s\right)<1\,; \quad \limsup_{s\to t^{+}}\frac{1-\alpha\left(s\right)}{\beta\left(s\right)}<1 \quad \text{for all} \quad t>0\,.$$

Then f has a unique fixed point $\tilde{x} \in X$ such that $\lim_{n \to \infty} f^n(x) = \tilde{x}$ for each $x \in X$.

Here, we will use the methods in [3] [9] [13] to discuss the unique existence problems of common fixed points for two self-mappings satisfying two different contractive conditions of integral type in a complete metric space.

2. Common Fixed Point Theorems

Lemma 2.1 ([13]). Let $\phi \in \Phi$ and $\{r_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be a nonnegative sequence with $\lim_{n \to \infty} r_n = r$. Then

$$\lim_{n\to\infty}\int_0^{r_n}\phi(t)dt=\int_0^r\phi(t)dt.$$

Lemma 2.2([13]). Let $\phi \in \Phi$ and $\{r_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be a nonnegative sequence. Then

$$\lim_{n\to\infty}\int_0^{r_n}\phi(t)\,\mathrm{d}t=0 \Leftrightarrow \lim_{n\to\infty}r_n=0.$$

Now, we will give the first main result in this paper.

Theorem 2.1. Let (X,d) be a complete metric space, $f,g:X\to X$ two mappings. If for each $x,y\in X$,

$$\int_{0}^{d(fx,gy)} \phi(t) dt \le \alpha \left(d(x,y) \right) \int_{0}^{d(x,y)} \phi(t) dt + \beta \left(d(x,y) \right) \int_{0}^{d(x,fx)} \phi(t) dt
+ \gamma \left(d(x,y) \right) \int_{0}^{d(y,gy)} \phi(t) dt,$$
(2.1)

where $\phi \in \Phi$ and $\alpha, \beta, \gamma : \mathbb{R}^+ \to [0,1)$ are three functions satisfying the following conditions

$$\alpha(t) + \beta(t) + \gamma(t) < 1 \text{ for all } t \in [0, \infty), \max \left\{ \limsup_{s \to 0^+} \beta(s), \limsup_{s \to 0^+} \gamma(s) \right\} < 1$$
 (2.2)

$$\max \left\{ \lim \sup_{s \to t^{+}} \alpha(t), \lim \sup_{s \to t^{+}} \frac{\alpha(t) + \gamma(t)}{1 - \beta(t)}, \lim \sup_{s \to t^{+}} \frac{\alpha(t) + \beta(t)}{1 - \gamma(t)} \right\} < 1 \text{ for all } t \in [0, \infty).$$
 (2.3)

Then f and g have a unique common fixed point u, and the sequence $\left\{x_n\right\}_{n\in N}$ defined by $x_{2n+1}=fx_{2n}$, $x_{2n+2}=gx_{2n+1}$ for any $x_0\in X$ converges to u.

Proof.

Let $x_0 = x \in X$. We construct a sequence $\{x_n\}_{n \in N}$ satisfying the following conditions $x_{2n+1} = fx_{2n}$, $x_{2n+2} = gx_{2n+1}$ for all $n \in N \cup \{0\}$. Let $d_n = d(x_n, x_{n+1})$ for all $n \in N \cup \{0\}$. For $n \in N \cup \{0\}$, by (2.1),

$$\begin{split} &\int_{0}^{d_{2n}} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t \\ &= \int_{0}^{d(f_{2n}, g_{x_{2n-1}})} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t \leq \alpha \left(d\left(x_{2n}, x_{2n-1}\right) \right) \int_{0}^{d(x_{2n}, x_{2n-1})} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t \\ &+ \beta \left(d\left(x_{2n}, x_{2n-1}\right) \right) \int_{0}^{d(x_{2n}, f_{x_{2n}})} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t + \gamma \left(d\left(x_{2n}, x_{2n-1}\right) \right) \int_{0}^{d(x_{2n-1}, g_{x_{2n-1}})} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t \\ &= \left[\alpha \left(d\left(x_{2n}, x_{2n-1}\right) \right) + \gamma \left(d\left(x_{2n}, x_{2n-1}\right) \right) \right] \int_{0}^{d_{2n-1}} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t + \beta \left(d\left(x_{2n}, x_{2n-1}\right) \right) \int_{0}^{d_{2n}} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t, \end{split}$$

hence by (2.3),

$$\int_{0}^{d_{2n}} \phi(t) dt \le \frac{\alpha \left(d\left(x_{2n}, x_{2n-1}\right) \right) + \gamma \left(d\left(x_{2n}, x_{2n-1}\right) \right)}{1 - \beta \left(d\left(x_{2n}, x_{2n-1}\right) \right)} \int_{0}^{d_{2n-1}} \phi(t) dt \le \int_{0}^{d_{2n-1}} \phi(t) dt. \tag{2.4}$$

Similarly, by (2.1),

$$\begin{split} &\int_{0}^{d_{2n+1}} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t = \int_{0}^{d(f_{2n}, g_{x_{2n+1}})} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t \\ &\leq \left[\alpha \left(d\left(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1} \right) \right) + \beta \left(d\left(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1} \right) \right) \right] \int_{0}^{d_{2n}} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t \\ &+ \gamma \left(d\left(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1} \right) \right) \int_{0}^{d_{2n+1}} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t, \end{split}$$

hence by (2.3),

$$\int_{0}^{d_{2n+1}} \phi(t) dt \le \frac{\alpha(d(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1})) + \beta(d(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1}))}{1 - \gamma(d(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1}))} \int_{0}^{d_{2n}} \phi(t) dt \le \int_{0}^{d_{2n}} \phi(t) dt.$$
(2.5)

Combining (2.4) and (2.5), we have

$$\int_0^{d_{n+1}} \phi(t) dt \le \int_0^{d_n} \phi(t) dt \quad \text{for all } n \in N \cup \{0\}.$$
 (2.6)

Now, we prove that

$$d_{n+1} \le d_n \quad \text{for all } n \in N \cup \{0\}. \tag{2.7}$$

Otherwise, there exists $n_0 \in N$ such that

$$d_{n_0} > d_{n_0-1}. (2.8)$$

Obviously, $d_{n_0} > 0$. If $n_0 = 2k$, then by (2.3), (2.4), (2.6) and (2.8),

$$0 < \int_{0}^{d_{n_{0}}} \phi(t) dt \le \int_{0}^{d_{n_{0}-1}} \phi(t) dt \le \int_{0}^{d_{n_{0}}} \phi(t) dt = \int_{0}^{d_{2k}} \phi(t) dt$$

$$\le \frac{\alpha \left(d\left(x_{2k}, x_{2k-1}\right)\right) + \gamma \left(d\left(x_{2k}, x_{2k-1}\right)\right)}{1 - \beta \left(d\left(x_{2k}, x_{2k-1}\right)\right)} \int_{0}^{d_{2k-1}} \phi(t) dt$$

$$< \int_{0}^{d_{2k-1}} \phi(t) dt = \int_{0}^{d_{n_{0}-1}} \phi(t) dt$$

which is a contradiction. Similarly, if $n_0 = 2k + 1$, then by (2.3), (2.5), (2.6) and (2.8),

$$0 < \int_{0}^{d_{n_{0}}} \phi(t) dt \le \int_{0}^{d_{n_{0}-1}} \phi(t) dt \le \int_{0}^{d_{n_{0}}} \phi(t) dt = \int_{0}^{d_{2k+1}} \phi(t) dt$$

$$\le \frac{\alpha \left(d\left(x_{2k}, x_{2k+1}\right)\right) + \beta \left(d\left(x_{2k}, x_{2k+1}\right)\right)}{1 - \gamma \left(d\left(x_{2k}, x_{2k+1}\right)\right)} \int_{0}^{d_{2k}} \phi(t) dt < \int_{0}^{d_{2k}} \phi(t) dt = \int_{0}^{d_{n_{0}-1}} \phi(t) dt$$

which is also a contradiction. Hence (2.7) holds. Therefore there exists $u \ge 0$ such that $\lim_{n\to\infty} d_n = u$. If u > 0, then by Lemma 2.1, (2.3) and (2.4),

$$0 < \int_{0}^{u} \phi(t) dt = \lim_{n \to \infty} \int_{0}^{d_{2n}} \phi(t) dt$$

$$\leq \lim \sup \left[\frac{\alpha(d(x_{2k}, x_{2k-1})) + \gamma(d(x_{2k}, x_{2k-1}))}{1 - \beta(d(x_{2k}, x_{2k-1}))} \int_{0}^{d_{2n-1}} \phi(t) dt \right]$$

$$\leq \lim \sup \left[\frac{\alpha(d(x_{2k}, x_{2k-1})) + \gamma(d(x_{2k}, x_{2k-1}))}{1 - \beta(d(x_{2k}, x_{2k-1}))} \right] \limsup_{n \to \infty} \int_{0}^{d_{2n-1}} \phi(t) dt$$

$$< \int_{0}^{u} \phi(t) dt$$

which is a contradiction. Therefore u = 0, that is, $\lim_{n \to \infty} d_n = 0$.

We claim that $\{x_n\}_{n\in\mathbb{N}}$ is a Cauchy sequence. Otherwise, there $\varepsilon>0$ such that for $k\in\mathbb{N}$, there exist $m(k), n(k)\in\mathbb{N}$ with m(k)>n(k) such that the parity of m(k) and n(k) is different and

$$d\left(x_{m(k)}, x_{n(k)}\right) > \varepsilon.$$

For k, let m(k) denotes the least integer exceeding n(k) and satisfying the above, then

$$d\left(x_{m(k)}, x_{n(k)}\right) > \varepsilon, d\left(x_{m(k)-2}, x_{n(k)}\right) \le \varepsilon, \text{ for all } k \in \mathbb{N},$$

$$(2.9)$$

hence

$$\varepsilon < d\left(x_{m(k)}, x_{n(k)}\right) \le d\left(x_{n(k)}, x_{m(k)-2}\right) + d_{m(k)-2} + d_{m(k)-1} \le \varepsilon + d_{m(k)-2} + d_{m(k)-1}. \tag{2.10}$$
Let $k \to \infty$, then we obtain $\varepsilon = \lim_{k \to \infty} d\left(x_{m(k)}, x_{n(k)}\right) = \lim_{k \to \infty} d\left(x_{m(k)-2}, x_{n(k)}\right)$. But
$$\left|d\left(x_{m(k)+1}, x_{n(k)}\right) - d\left(x_{m(k)}, x_{n(k)}\right)\right| \le d_{m(k)},$$

$$\left|d\left(x_{m(k)+1}, x_{n(k)+1}\right) - d\left(x_{m(k)+1}, x_{n(k)}\right)\right| \le d_{n(k)},$$

$$\left|d\left(x_{m(k)}, x_{n(k)}\right) - d\left(x_{m(k)}, x_{n(k)+1}\right)\right| \le d_{n(k)},$$

hence we obtain

$$\varepsilon = \lim_{k \to \infty} d\left(x_{m(k)}, x_{n(k)}\right) = \lim_{k \to \infty} d\left(x_{m(k)}, x_{n(k)+1}\right)$$

$$= \lim_{k \to \infty} d\left(x_{m(k)+1}, x_{n(k)}\right) = \lim_{k \to \infty} d\left(x_{m(k)+1}, x_{n(k)+1}\right). \tag{2.11}$$

If m(k) is even and n(k) is odd, then by Lemma 2.1, (2.11) and (2.1),

$$\begin{split} &0 < \int_{0}^{\varepsilon} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t = \limsup_{k \to \infty} \int_{0}^{d\left(x_{m(k)+1}, x_{n(k)+1}\right)} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t = \limsup_{k \to \infty} \int_{0}^{d\left(fx_{m(k)}, gx_{n(k)}\right)} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t \\ &\leq \limsup_{k \to \infty} \left[\alpha \left(d\left(x_{m(k)}, x_{n(k)}\right) \right) \int_{0}^{d\left(x_{m(k)}, x_{n(k)}\right)} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t \right. \\ &+ \beta \left(d\left(x_{m(k)}, x_{n(k)}\right) \right) \int_{0}^{d\left(x_{m(k)}, fx_{m(k)}\right)} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t + \gamma \left(d\left(x_{m(k)}, x_{n(k)}\right) \right) \int_{0}^{d\left(x_{n(k)}, gx_{n(k)}\right)} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t \right] \\ &= \limsup_{k \to \infty} \left[\alpha \left(d\left(x_{m(k)}, x_{n(k)}\right) \right) \int_{0}^{d\left(x_{m(k)}, x_{n(k)}\right)} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t \right. \\ &+ \beta \left(d\left(x_{m(k)}, x_{n(k)}\right) \right) \int_{0}^{d\left(x_{m(k)}, x_{n(k)}\right)} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t + \gamma \left(d\left(x_{m(k)}, x_{n(k)}\right) \right) \int_{0}^{d_{n(k)}} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t \right] \\ &\leq \limsup_{s \to \varepsilon} \alpha(s) \int_{0}^{\varepsilon} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t \, \left(\because d_{n(k)} \to 0, d_{m(k)} \to 0 \right) < \int_{0}^{\varepsilon} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t \right. \end{split}$$

which is a contradiction. Similarly, we obtain the same contradiction for the case that m(k) is odd and n(k) is even. Hence $\{x_n\}$ is a Cauchy sequence, therefore $\lim_{n\to\infty} x_n = x^*$ for some $x^* \in X$ by the completeness of X.

If
$$fx^* \neq x^*$$
, then $d(fx^*, x^*) > 0$, hence by (2.1) and Lemma 2.1,

$$0 < \int_{0}^{d(fx^{*},x^{*})} \phi(t) dt = \limsup_{k \to \infty} \int_{0}^{d(fx^{*},gx_{2n+1})} \phi(t) dt$$

$$\leq \limsup_{k \to \infty} \left[\alpha \left(d\left(x^{*}, x_{2n+1} \right) \right) \int_{0}^{d\left(x^{*}, x_{2n+1} \right)} \phi(t) dt \right.$$

$$\left. + \beta \left(d\left(x^{*}, x_{2n+1} \right) \right) \int_{0}^{d\left(x^{*}, fx^{*} \right)} \phi(t) dt + \gamma \left(d\left(x^{*}, x_{2n+1} \right) \right) \int_{0}^{d\left(x_{2n+1}, gx_{2n+1} \right)} \phi(t) dt \right]$$

$$\leq \limsup_{s \to 0^{+}} \beta(s) \int_{0}^{d\left(fx^{*}, x^{*} \right)} \phi(t) dt \quad \left(\because d\left(x^{*}, x_{2n+1} \right) \to 0, d_{2n+1} \to 0 \right)$$

$$< \int_{0}^{d\left(fx^{*}, x^{*} \right)} \phi(t) dt$$

which is a contradiction, hence $fx^* = x^*$. Similarly, we obtain $gx^* = x^*$. Therefore x^* is a common fixed point of f and g.

If y^* is another common fixed point of f and g, then $d(x^*, y^*) > 0$, hence by (2.1),

$$0 < \int_{0}^{d(x^{*}, y^{*})} \phi(t) dt = \int_{0}^{d(fx^{*}, gy^{*})} \phi(t) dt$$

$$\leq \alpha \left(d(x^{*}, y^{*}) \right) \int_{0}^{d(x^{*}, y^{*})} \phi(t) dt + \beta \left(d(x^{*}, y^{*}) \right) \int_{0}^{d(x^{*}, fx^{*})} \phi(t) dt$$

$$+ \gamma \left(d(x^{*}, y^{*}) \right) \int_{0}^{d(y^{*}, gy^{*})} \phi(t) dt$$

$$= \alpha \left(d(x^{*}, y^{*}) \right) \int_{0}^{d(x^{*}, y^{*})} \phi(t) dt < \int_{0}^{d(x^{*}, y^{*})} \phi(t) dt$$

which is a contradiction, hence $x^* = y^*$, i.e., x^* is the unique common fixed point of f and g.

From Theorem 2.1, we obtain the next more general common fixed point theorem.

Theorem 2.2. Let (X,d) be a complete metric space, $m,n \in \mathbb{N}$ and $f,g:X \to X$ two mappings. If for each $x,y \in X$,

$$\int_{0}^{d\left(f^{m}x,g^{n}y\right)} \phi(t) dt \leq \alpha \left(d\left(x,y\right)\right) \int_{0}^{d\left(x,y\right)} \phi(t) dt + \beta \left(d\left(x,y\right)\right) \int_{0}^{d\left(x,f^{m}x\right)} \phi(t) dt + \gamma \left(d\left(x,y\right)\right) \int_{0}^{d\left(y,g^{n}y\right)} \phi(t) dt, \tag{2.12}$$

where $\phi \in \Phi$, $\alpha, \beta, \gamma : R^+ \to [0,1)$ are three functions satisfying (2.2) and (2.3). Then f and g have a unique common fixed point u, and the sequence $\left\{x_k\right\}_{k \in \mathbb{N}}$ defined by $x_{2n+1} = f^m x_{2n}, x_{2n+2} = g^n x_{2n+1}$ for any $x_0 \in X$ converges to u.

Proof.

Let $F = f^m$ and $G = g^n$, then F and G satisfy all of the conditions of Theorem 2.1, hence there exists an unique element $u \in X$ such that $f^m u = Fu = u = Gu = g^n u$. If $fu \neq u$, then d(fu, u) > 0, hence by (2.12),

$$0 < \int_{0}^{d(fu,u)} \phi(t) dt = \int_{0}^{d(f^{m}fu,g^{n}u)} \phi(t) dt \le \alpha (d(fu,u)) \int_{0}^{d(fu,u)} \phi(t) dt < \int_{0}^{d(fu,u)} \phi(t) dt$$

which is a contradiction, hence fu = u. Similarly, gu = u. So u is a common fixed point of f and g. The uniqueness is obvious.

From now on, we will discuss the second common fixed point problem for two mappings with implicit contraction of integral type.

Let $\psi \in \Psi$ if and only if $\psi : (R^+)^5 \to R^+$ is a continuous and non-decreasing function about the 4th and 5th variables and satisfying the following conditions:

- (i) There exists $h_1 \in (0,1)$ such that $u \le \psi(v,u,v,0,u+v)$ implies $u \le h_1 v$;
- (ii) There exists $h_2 \in (0,1)$ such that $u \le \psi(v,v,u,u+v,0)$ implies $u \le h_2 v$;
- (iii) $\psi(t,0,0,t,t) < t, \psi(0,t,0,0,t) < t, \psi(0,0,t,t,0) < t$ for all t > 0.

Example 2.1. Define $\psi: (R^+)^5 \to R^+$ as follows

$$\psi(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5) = \sum_{i=1}^{5} a_i x_i$$
 for all $x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5 \in R^+$,

where $a_i \ge 0$ for all i = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and $a_1 + a_2 + a_3 + 2a_4 + 2a_5 < 1$. Then $\psi \in \Psi$. The function $\phi \in \Phi$ is called to be sub-additive if and only if for all $a, b \ge 0$,

$$\int_0^{a+b} \phi(t) dt \le \int_0^a \phi(t) dt + \int_0^b \phi(t) dt.$$

Example 2.2. Let $\phi(t) = \frac{1}{1+t}$ for each $t \ge 0$. Then obviously $\phi \in \Phi$ and for all $a, b \ge 0$,

$$\int_0^{a+b} \phi(t) dt = \ln^{(1+a+b)} \le \ln^{(1+a)(1+b)} = \int_0^a \phi(t) dt + \int_0^b \phi(t) dt.$$

Hence ϕ is a sub-additive function.

Theorem 2.3. Let (X,d) be a complete metric space, $f,g:X\to X$ two mappings. If for each $x,y\in X$,

$$\int_{0}^{d(fx,gy)} \phi(t) dt \le \psi \left(\int_{0}^{d(x,y)} \phi(t) dt, \int_{0}^{d(x,fx)} \phi(t) dt, \int_{0}^{d(y,gy)} \phi(t) dt, \int_{0}^{d(x,gy)} \phi(t) dt, \int_{0}^{d(fx,gy)} \phi(t) dt \right), \tag{2.13}$$

where $\phi \in \Phi$ is sub-additive and $\psi \in \Psi$. Then f and g have a unique common fixed point.

Proof.

We take any element $x_0 \in X$ and consider the sequence $\{x_k\}$ constructed by $x_{2k+1} = fx_{2k}$ and $x_{2k+2} = gx_{2k+1}$ for all $k \in N \cup \{0\}$. Let $d_n = d(x_n, x_{n+1})$ for all $n \in N \cup \{0\}$.

$$\begin{split} &\int_{0}^{d_{2n}} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t = \int_{0}^{d(f_{2n}, g_{x_{2n-1}})} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t \\ &\leq \psi \left(\int_{0}^{d(x_{2n}, x_{2n-1})} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t, \int_{0}^{d(x_{2n}, f_{x_{2n}})} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t, \int_{0}^{d(x_{2n-1}, g_{x_{2n-1}})} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t, \int_{0}^{d(x_{2n-1}, g_{x_{2n-1}})} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t, \int_{0}^{d(f_{x_{2n}, x_{2n-1}})} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t, \int_{0}^{d(f_{x_{2n}, x_{2n-1})})} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t, \int_{0}^{d(f_{x_{2n}, x_{2n-1}})} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t, \int_{0}^{d(f_{x_{2n}, x_{2n-1})})} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t, \int_{0}^{d(f_{x_{2n},$$

So by (i),

$$\int_{0}^{d_{2n}} \phi(t) dt \le h_{1} \int_{0}^{d_{2n-1}} \phi(t) dt \text{ for all } n \in N \cup \{0\}.$$
 (2.14)

Similarly,

$$\begin{split} &\int_{0}^{d_{2n+1}} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t = \int_{0}^{d(f_{2n}, g_{x_{2n+1}})} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t \\ &\leq \psi \left(\int_{0}^{d(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1})} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t, \int_{0}^{d(x_{2n}, f_{x_{2n}})} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t, \int_{0}^{d(x_{2n+1}, g_{x_{2n+1}})} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t, \int_{0}^{d(x_{2n}, g_{x_{2n+1}})} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t, \int_{0}^{d(f_{x_{2n}, x_{2n+1}})} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t, \int_{0}^{d(f_{x_{2n}, x_{2n+1})}} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t, \int_{0}^{d(f_{x_{2n}, x_{2n+1})})} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t, \int_{0}^{d(f_{x_{2n}, x_{2n+1})}} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t, \int_{0}^{d(f_{$$

So by (ii),

$$\int_{0}^{d_{2n+1}} \phi(t) dt \le h_2 \int_{0}^{d_{2n}} \phi(t) dt \quad \text{for all } n \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}.$$
 (2.15)

Combining (2.14) and (2.15), we have

$$\int_{0}^{d_{n+1}} \phi(t) dt \le \max\{h_1, h_2\} \int_{0}^{d_n} \phi(t) dt < \int_{0}^{d_n} \phi(t) dt \text{ for all } n \in N \cup \{0\}.$$
 (2.16)

Obviously, $d_{n+1} \neq d_n$ for all $n \in N \cup \{0\}$. If there exits n_0 such that $d_{n_0} > d_{n_0-1}$, then $d_{n_0} > 0$. If $n_0 = 2k$, then by (2.14) and (2.16)

$$0 < \int_0^{d_{n_0}} \phi(t) dt < \int_0^{d_{n_0-1}} \phi(t) dt \le \int_0^{d_{n_0}} \phi(t) dt \le h_1 \int_0^{d_{n_0-1}} \phi(t) dt < \int_0^{d_{n_0-1}} \phi(t) dt,$$

which is a contradiction. Similarly, if $n_0 = 2k + 1$, then by (2.15) and (2.16)

$$0 < \int_0^{d_{n_0}} \phi(t) dt < \int_0^{d_{n_0-1}} \phi(t) dt \le \int_0^{d_{n_0}} \phi(t) dt \le h_2 \int_0^{d_{n_0-1}} \phi(t) dt < \int_0^{d_{n_0-1}} \phi(t) dt,$$

which is also a contradiction. Hence we have

$$d_{n+1} < d_n$$
 for all $n \in N \cup \{0\}$.

Therefore there exists $u \ge 0$ $\lim_{n\to\infty} x_n = u$. If u > 0, then

$$0 < \int_0^u \phi(t) dt = \lim_{n \to \infty} \int_0^{d_{2n}} \phi(t) dt \le \lim_{n \to \infty} h_1 \int_0^{d_{2n-1}} \phi(t) dt \le h_1 \int_0^u \phi(t) dt < \int_0^u \phi(t) dt,$$

which is a contradiction. Therefore, u = 0, i.e., $\lim_{n \to \infty} d_n = 0$.

We claim that $\{x_n\}$ is Cauchy. Otherwise, just as the line of proof of Theorem 2.1, there exists $\varepsilon > 0$ such that for $k \in \mathbb{N}$ there exist $m(k), n(k) \in \mathbb{N}$ with m(k) > n(k) such that the parity of m(k) and n(k) is different and (2.11) holds.

If m(k) is even and n(k) is odd, then by Lemma 2.1, (2.11), (2.13) and (iii),

$$0 < \int_{0}^{\varepsilon} \phi(t) dt = \lim_{k \to \infty} \int_{0}^{d(x_{m(k)+1}, x_{n(k)+1})} \phi(t) dt = \lim_{k \to \infty} \int_{0}^{d(f_{x_{m(k)}}, g_{x_{n(k)}})} \phi(t) dt$$

$$\leq \lim_{k \to \infty} \psi \left(\int_{0}^{d(x_{m(k)}, x_{n(k)})} \phi(t) dt, \int_{0}^{d(x_{m(k)}, f_{x_{m(k)}})} \phi(t) dt, \int_{0}^{d(x_{n(k)}, g_{x_{n(k)}})} \phi(t) dt, \int_{0}^{d(x_{m(k)}, g_{x_{n(k)}})} \phi(t) dt, \int_{0}^{d(f_{x_{m(k)}}, g_{x_{n(k)}})} \phi(t) dt, \int_{0}^{d(f_{x_{m(k)}}, g_{x_{n(k)}})} \phi(t) dt, \int_{0}^{d(f_{x_{m(k)}}, g_{x_{n(k)}})} \phi(t) dt, \int_{0}^{d(f_{x_{m(k)}}, g_{x_{n(k)}})} \phi(t) dt \right)$$

$$\leq \psi \left(\int_{0}^{\varepsilon} \phi(t) dt, 0, 0, \int_{0}^{\varepsilon} \phi(t) dt, \int_{0}^{\varepsilon} \phi(t) dt \right) < \int_{0}^{\varepsilon} \phi(t) dt.$$

This is a contradiction. Similarly, we obtain the same contradiction for the case that m(k) is odd and n(k) is even. Therefore, $\{x_n\}$ is a Cauchy sequence. Let $\lim_{n\to\infty} x_n = x^*$.

If $fx^* \neq x^*$, then $d(fx^*, x^*) > 0$, hence by Lemma 2.1 and (2.13) and (iii),

$$\begin{split} &0 < \int_{0}^{d\left(fx^{*},x^{*}\right)} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t = \lim_{n \to \infty} \int_{0}^{d\left(fx^{*},gx_{2n+1}\right)} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t \\ &\leq \lim_{n \to \infty} \psi\left(\int_{0}^{d\left(x^{*},x_{2n+1}\right)} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t, \int_{0}^{d\left(x^{*},fx^{*}\right)} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t, \int_{0}^{d\left(x_{2n+1},gx_{2n+1}\right)} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t, \int_{0}^{d\left(x^{*},gx_{2n+1}\right)} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t, \int_{0}^{d\left(fx^{*},x_{2n+1}\right)} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t \right) \\ &= \psi\left(0, \int_{0}^{d\left(x^{*},fx^{*}\right)} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t, 0, 0 \int_{0}^{d\left(x^{*},fx^{*}\right)} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t\right) < \int_{0}^{d\left(x^{*},fx^{*}\right)} \phi(t) \, \mathrm{d}t \end{split}$$

which is a contradiction, hence $fx^* = x^*$. Similarly, we obtain $gx^* = x^*$. Therefore, x^* is a common fixed point of f and g.

If y^* is another common fixed point of f and g, then $d(x^*, y^*) > 0$, hence by (2.13) and (iii),

$$0 < \int_{0}^{d(x^{*},y^{*})} \phi(t) dt = \int_{0}^{d(fx^{*},gy^{*})} \phi(t) dt$$

$$\leq \psi \left(\int_{0}^{d(x^{*},y^{*})} \phi(t) dt, \int_{0}^{d(x^{*},fx^{*})} \phi(t) dt, \int_{0}^{d(y^{*},gy^{*})} \phi(t) dt, \int_{0}^{d(x^{*},gy^{*})} \phi(t) dt, \int_{0}^{d(fx^{*},y^{*})} \phi(t) dt \right)$$

$$= \psi \left(\int_{0}^{d(x^{*},y^{*})} \phi(t) dt, 0, 0, \int_{0}^{d(x^{*},y^{*})} \phi(t) dt, \int_{0}^{d(x^{*},y^{*})} \phi(t) dt \right) < \int_{0}^{d(x^{*},y^{*})} \phi(t) dt.$$

This is a contradiction. Hence x^* is the unique common fixed point of f and g. Using Theorem 2.3 and the Example 2.2, we have the next result.

Theorem 2.4. Let (X,d) be a complete metric space, $f,g:X\to X$ two mappings. If

$$\ln^{\left(1+d\left(fx,gy\right)\right)} \leq \psi\left(\ln^{\left(1+d\left(x,y\right)\right)},\ln^{\left(1+d\left(x,fx\right)\right)},\ln^{\left(1+d\left(y,gy\right)\right)}\ln^{\left(1+d\left(x,gy\right)\right)},\ln^{\left(1+d\left(fx,g\right)\right)}\right) \text{ for all } x,y \in X$$

where $\psi \in \Psi$. Then f and g have a unique common fixed point u.

Combining Theorem 2.4 and Example 2.1, we obtain the following result.

Theorem 2.5. Let (X,d) be a complete metric space, $f,g:X\to X$ two mappings. If for each $x,y\in X$,

$$1 + d(fx, gy) \le (1 + d(x, y))^{a_1} (1 + d(x, fx))^{a_2} (1 + d(y, gy))^{a_3} (1 + d(x, gy))^{a_4} (1 + d(fx, y))^{a_5} (1 + d(fx, y)$$

where $a_i \ge 0$ for all $i = 1, \dots, 5$ and $a_1 + a_2 + a_3 + 2a_4 + 2a_5 < 1$. Then f and g have a unique common.

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