

Common fixed point theorems in the function weighted b -metric spaces and their application

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Abstract

The aim of this paper is to propose and prove some properties and theorems of common fixed point in the function weighted b - metric spaces and its application, its space is a generalization of the function weighted metric spaces.

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1. Introduction

Bakhtin in 1989 [1] firstly introduced b -metric space and Czerwik in 1993 utilized to the fixed point theorems of Banach contractive mappings [2]. While, the metrizable property of b -metric space was shown by Dung in 2019 [3]. In 2020, the rectangular b -metric space was introduced by George et al. [4]. Then in 2020, Branciari introduced the rectangular b -metric space and utilized on the existence of points in the Banach contractive mappings and the Kannan contractive type [5]. Khamsi in 2010 developed the rectangular metric space

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became $b(n)$ -metric space [6]. Kamran, Samreen, and Ain introduced an extended b -metric space for the existence of a fixed point in the Banach contracted function [7]. Asim, Imdad, and Radenovic generalized the extended b -metric space to the extended rectangular b -metric space for fixed point results and an application [8]. Cobzas and Czerwik in 2020 generalized b -metric spaces become s -relaxed b -metric space [9] and Stella Eke and Bishop in [10] proposed and prove that there is a unique fixed point of C_E generalized contraction mapping in metric space [10]. In 2018, Jleli and Samet introduced a function weighted metric ($\mathfrak{F}$ -metric) space from the generalized metric space [11]. Nurwahyu, Aris and Firman in 2023 introduced $\mathfrak{F}$ b -metric space (function weighted b - metric space) [13]. In this study, we showed several properties of $\mathfrak{F}$ b -metric space and the fixed point theorems for some generalized contraction mappings in the $\mathfrak{F}$ b -metric space and its application.

2. Preliminaries

Definition 1: [11]. Let $I = (0, +\infty)$ and $\varphi: I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be an increasing function. If

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \varphi(t) = -\infty,$$

φ is called logarithmic-like.

Let $\mathfrak{F} = \{ \varphi: I \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \mid \varphi \text{ is an increasing and logarithmic - like } \}$.

If $\varphi \in \mathfrak{F}$, it is clear that for any $s > 0$ and $\beta \geq 0$, there exists $\gamma > 0$, such that for every $0 < t < \gamma$, we have $\varphi(t) < \varphi(s) - \beta$.

Example 1: [11] $\varphi(s) = \ln s$, $\varphi(s) = s - \frac{1}{s}$, $\varphi(s) = s - e^{\frac{1}{s}}$, $s \in (0, +\infty)$ are logarithmic-like.

Definition 2: [11] Let $Z \neq \emptyset$, $\varphi \in \mathfrak{F}$, $0 \leq \beta < +\infty$. A function $\sigma: Z \times Z \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$ is said a function weighted metric ($\mathfrak{F}$ -metric), if for all $v, w \in Z$, σ has the following conditions:

C1. $\sigma(v, w) = 0 \Leftrightarrow v = w$,

C2. $\sigma(v, w) = \sigma(w, u)$,

C3. If $\sigma(v, w) > 0$ then $\varphi(\sigma(x, y)) \leq \varphi(\sum_{j=1}^{n-1} \sigma(c_j, c_{j+1})) + \beta$,

for every $\{c_1 = v, c_2, c_3, \dots, c_n = w\} \subset Z, n \geq 2$.

The pair (Z, σ) is said a function weighted metric space ($\mathfrak{F}$ - metric space).

Definition 3: [13] Let $Z \neq \emptyset$, $\varphi \in \mathfrak{F}$, and $0 \leq \beta < +\infty$, $s \geq 1$. A function $\tau: Z \times Z \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$ is said a function weighted b -metric, if for all $v, w \in Z$, and τ has the following conditions:

D1. $\tau(v, w) = 0 \Leftrightarrow v = w$,

D2. $\tau(v, w) = \tau(w, v)$,

D3. If $\tau(v, w) > 0$ then $\varphi(\tau(v, w)) \leq \varphi(\sum_{j=1}^{n-1} s^j \tau(c_j, c_{j+1})) + \beta$,

for every $\{c_1 = v, c_2, c_3, \dots, c_n = w\} \subset Z, n \geq 2$.

The pair (Z, τ) is called a *function weighted b-metric space* ($\mathfrak{F}b$ -metric space) with $s \geq 1$.

Remarks: It is clear that function weighted metric is the function weighted b -metric (if $s = 1$), but not vice versa. It is show in Example 2 as follows:

Example 2: Let $\tau(r, t) = |r - t|^a$ with $a \geq 2$ for every $r, t \in \mathbb{R}$, then τ is $\mathfrak{F}b$ -metric space but τ is not the $\mathfrak{F}$ -metric space.

Suppose τ is a $\mathfrak{F}$ -metric space, it means there exists a function $\varphi \in \mathfrak{F}$ that satisfies C3.

Let $s_j = \frac{2j}{k}$, for $k \in \mathbb{N}, j = 0, 1, 2, \dots, k$. From C3, we have

$$\begin{aligned}\varphi(\tau(0, 2)) &\leq \varphi(\sum_{j=1}^k |s_j - s_{j-1}|^a) + \beta = \sum_{j=1}^k |s_j - s_{j-1}|^a - \frac{1}{\sum_{j=1}^k |s_j - s_{j-1}|^a} \\ \varphi(\tau(0, 2)) &\leq \varphi(\sum_{j=1}^k |s_j - s_{j-1}|^a) + \beta = \varphi(\sum_{j=1}^k \left| \frac{2j}{k} - \frac{2(j-1)}{k} \right|^a) + \beta \\ &= \varphi(\frac{1}{k^a} \sum_{j=1}^k |2j - 2(j-1)|^a) + \beta \leq \varphi(\frac{2^a}{k^{a-1}}) + \beta.\end{aligned}\quad (1)$$

So, from (1) we get

$$\varphi(2^a) = \varphi(\tau(0, 2)) \leq \varphi\left(\frac{2^a}{k^{a-1}}\right) + \beta. \quad (2)$$

Since φ has a *logarithm-like property*, then we have $\frac{2^a}{k^{a-1}} \rightarrow 0$, as $k \rightarrow +\infty$, then from (2) we can get $\varphi(\frac{2^a}{k^{a-1}}) + \beta \rightarrow -\infty$, as $k \rightarrow +\infty$. This is a contradiction, because $\varphi(\frac{2^a}{k^{a-1}}) \geq \varphi(2^a) - \beta$. Thus τ is not a $\mathfrak{F}$ -metric space.

We will show that τ is $\mathfrak{F}b$ -metric space.

It is obvious that τ satisfies D1 and D2.

To prove condition D3, we use a property for $a \geq 1$, it holds

$$|r - t|^a \leq 2^{a-1}(|r - u|^a + |u - t|^a).$$

Let $\{c_1 = r, c_2, c_3, \dots, c_n = t\} \subset \mathbb{R}, v \neq w, n \geq 2$.

Then we have

$$\begin{aligned}\tau(r, t) &= |r - t|^a = |c_1 - c_2 + c_2 - c_3 + c_3 - c_4 + c_4 - \dots c_{n-1} - c_n|^a \\ &\leq (2^{a-1}|c_1 - c_2|^a + (2^{a-1})^2|c_2 - c_3|^a + (2^{a-1})^3|c_3 - c_4|^a + \dots \\ &\quad + (2^{a-1})^{n-1}|c_{n-1} - c_n|^a) \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} (2^{a-1})^j |c_j - c_{j+1}|^a = \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} (2^{a-1})^j \tau(c_j, c_{j+1}).\end{aligned}\quad (3)$$

From (3) we get

$$\tau(r, t) \leq 1 \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} (2^{a-1})^j \tau(c_j, c_{j+1}).$$

Suppose $\tau(r, t) > 0$, so we have

$$\ln \tau(r, t) \leq \ln \left(\sum_{j=1}^{n-1} (2^{a-1})^j \tau(c_j, c_{j+1}) \right) + \ln 1$$

Hence, τ is a $\mathfrak{F}b$ -metric space with $\varphi(v) = \ln v$, $s = 2^{a-1}$ and $\beta = \ln 1 = 0$.

Definition 4: [12] Let X be non-empty set and $T_1, T_2: X \rightarrow X$ are functions that satisfy: If $T_1x = T_2x = y$ for an $x \in X$, then x is called a *coincidence point* of T_1 , T_2 , and y is called a *point of coincidence* of T_1 and T_2 .

Definition 5: [12] Let X be non-empty set and $T_1, T_2: X \rightarrow X$ are functions that satisfy: for every $x \in X$, if $T_1x = T_2x$, it holds $T_2T_1x = T_1T_2x$, then $\{T_1, T_2\}$ is called a weakly compatible.

Definition 6: Let (X, ρ) be a function weighted b -metric space and (a_n) be a sequence in X .

- i. (a_n) is called a convergent sequence ($\mathfrak{F}b$ -convergent) to $a \in X$, if $\rho(a_n, a) \rightarrow 0$, as $n \rightarrow +\infty$.
- ii. (a_n) is called a Cauchy sequence ($\mathfrak{F}b$ -Cauchy) in X , if $\rho(a_n, a_m) \rightarrow 0$, as $n, m \rightarrow +\infty$.

If every Cauchy sequence in $\mathfrak{F}b$ -metric space is convergent in X , then (X, ρ) is called a *complete*.

Definition 7: Let (X, ρ) be a function weighted b -metric and $p \in X$, then $N_r(p) = \{x \in X \mid \rho(x, p) < r\}$ is called an open neighborhood of p ($\mathfrak{F}b$ -open neighborhood of p) in X .

$G \subset X$ is called an *open set* ($\mathfrak{F}b$ -open set) in X , if for any $y \in G$, there exists $N_r(y)$, such that $N_r(y) \subset G$. Furthermore, if K is a $\mathfrak{F}b$ -open in X , then K^c is called $\mathfrak{F}b$ -closed in X .

Proposition 1: [13] Let $(\varphi, \beta) \in \mathfrak{F} \times [0, +\infty)$ and (X, ρ) be a complete $\mathfrak{F}b$ -metric space.

If (a_n) is a convergent in X , then limit of (a_n) is unique.

Proposition 2: [13] Let $(\varphi, \beta) \in \mathfrak{F} \times [0, +\infty)$ and (X, ρ) be a complete $\mathfrak{F}b$ -metric space with $s \geq 1$. If (d_k) be a sequence in X which satisfies:

$$\rho(d_k, d_{k+1}) \leq \frac{\delta}{s} \rho(d_{k-1}, d_k), \quad (4)$$

for $0 < \delta < 1$, then (d_k) is a Cauchy sequence in X .

3. Main Results

In this section, some prepositions are presented to support the proof of the given fixed point theorems.

Proposition 3: Let $(\varphi, \beta) \in \mathfrak{F} \times [0, +\infty)$ and (X, ρ) be a $\mathfrak{F}b$ -metric space. with $s \geq 1$. Let $V_r(p) = \{x \in X \mid \rho(x, p) \leq r\}$, $r > 0$. If for any sequence

$(a_n) \subset X$ holds a property: For any $\tau > 0$, there exists a positive integer N such that $\rho(a_N, p) < \tau$, then $V_r(p)$ is closed in X .

Proof: Let (a_n) be a sequence in $V_r(p)$ that converges to $a \in X$. We will show that $a \in V_r(p)$.

Since $(a_n) \subset V_r(p)$, then we have $\rho(a_n, p) \leq r$. Since $r > 0$ and φ is logarithmic-like, then there is a $\delta > 0$ such that for any $0 < t < \delta$, $\varphi(t) < \varphi(r) - \beta$. Likewise, it is true that $\rho(a_{N_\delta}, p) < \frac{\delta}{3s}$ for a non-negative integer N_δ .

Since $\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \rho(a_n, a) = 0$, then we have $\rho(a_n, a) < \frac{\delta}{3s} < \delta$ for any $n \geq N_\delta$, for a non-negative integer N_δ .

By using D3, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi(\rho(a, p)) &\leq \varphi\left(s\left(\rho(a, a_{N_\delta}) + \rho(a_{N_\delta}, p)\right)\right) + \beta < \varphi\left(s\left(\frac{\delta}{3s} + \frac{\delta}{3s}\right)\right) + \beta \\ &= \varphi\left(\frac{\delta}{3} + \frac{\delta}{3}\right) + \beta = \varphi\left(\frac{2\delta}{3}\right) + \beta < \varphi(r) - \beta + \beta = \varphi(r). \end{aligned}$$

Since φ increasing, then we get $\rho(a, p) \leq r$, it means that $a \in V_r(p)$. It concludes that $V_r(p)$ is closed in X .

Proposition 4: Suppose $(\varphi, \beta) \in \mathfrak{F} \times [0, +\infty)$ and (X, ρ) be a $\mathfrak{F}b$ -metric space with $s \geq 1$. If $\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} \varphi(t) = +\infty$, then for any $t > 0$ there exists $M > t$ such that $\varphi(t) < \varphi(M) - \beta$.

Proof: Since φ is an increasing and unbounded, we can choose $M > t$ such that $\varphi(M) - \varphi(t) > \beta$.

Theorem 1: Let $(\varphi, \beta) \in \mathfrak{F} \times [0, +\infty)$ and (X, ρ) be a complete $\mathfrak{F}b$ -metric space with $s \geq 1$. If $\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} \varphi(t) = +\infty$ and $(a_n) \subset X$ is a Cauchy sequence, then (a_n) is bounded in X .

Proof: Suppose (a_n) is a Cauchy sequence in X , then there is a positive integer N , such that $\rho(a_n, a_N) < \frac{1}{s}$ for any $n \geq N$. Suppose $c \in X$ such that $\rho(a_n, c) > 0$ and $K = \max\{s\rho(a_1, a_N), s\rho(a_2, a_N), \dots, s\rho(a_{N-1}, a_N), \frac{1}{s}\}$.

For $\rho(a_n, c) > 0$, then using D3, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi(\rho(a_n, c)) &\leq \varphi\left(s\left(\rho(a_n, a_N) + \rho(a_N, c)\right)\right) + \beta \\ &\leq \varphi\left(s\left(K + \rho(a_N, c)\right)\right) + \beta. \end{aligned} \tag{5}$$

Since $\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} \varphi(t) = +\infty$ and φ is an increasing, using Proposition 4, then there is $M > K + s\rho(a_N, c) > 0$ such that $\varphi\left((K + s\rho(a_N, c))\right) < \varphi(M) - \beta$.

So, from (5) we get

$$\varphi(\rho(a_n, c)) \leq \varphi\left((K + s\rho(a_N, c))\right) + \beta < \varphi(M).$$

Since φ is an increasing, we get $\rho(a_n, c) < M$, for every $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$.
Thus, (a_n) is bounded in X .

Theorem 2: Let $(\varphi, \beta) \in \mathfrak{F} \times [0, +\infty)$ and let (X, ρ) be a complete $\mathfrak{F}b$ -metric space with $s \geq 1$. Let $T: X \rightarrow X$ be a function that satisfies as follows

$$\rho(T(x), T(y)) \leq \frac{1}{s} \left(a\rho(x, y) + c\rho(y, T(y)) + \frac{d\rho(x, T(y))\rho(T(x), y)}{1 + \rho(T(x), y)} \right), \quad (6)$$

where $0 < a + c + d < 1$, and for all $x, y \in X$.

Then T has a unique fixed point in X .

Proof: Let $b_0 \in X$, define a sequence $(b_n) \subset X$ as follows:

$$b_n = T(b_{n-1})$$

From (6) we get

$$\begin{aligned} \rho(b_n, b_{n+1}) &= \rho(T(b_{n-1}), T(b_n)) \\ &\leq \frac{1}{s} \left(a\rho(b_{n-1}, b_n) + c\rho(b_n, b_{n+1}) + \frac{d\rho(b_{n-1}, b_{n+1})\rho(b_n, b_n)}{1 + \rho(b_n, b_n)} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{s} \left(a\rho(b_{n-1}, b_n) + c\rho(b_n, b_{n+1}) \right) \end{aligned}$$

So, we have

$$\rho(b_n, b_{n+1}) \leq \gamma \rho(b_{n-1}, b_n), \quad (7)$$

where $\gamma = \frac{a}{s(1-c)}$.

Since $0 < a + c + d < 1$, and $s \geq 1$, we have $0 < \gamma < 1$.

Therefore, from (7) we get

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \rho(b_n, b_{n+1}) = 0. \quad (8)$$

From (8) and using Proposition 2, we get (b_n) is a Cauchy sequence in X .

Since (X, ρ) is a complete $\mathfrak{F}b$ -metric space, then there exists $b^* \in X$ such that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \rho(b_n, b^*) = 0. \quad (9)$$

Next, we show b^* is the fixed point of T .

Suppose $T(b^*) \neq b^*$, so we have $\rho(T(b^*), b^*) > 0$, then from of D3, it holds that

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi(\rho(T(b^*), b^*)) &\leq \varphi \left(s \left(\rho(T(b^*), T(b_n)) + \rho(T(b_n), b^*) \right) \right) + \beta \\ &= \varphi \left(s \left(\rho(T(b^*), T(b_n)) + \rho(b_{n+1}, b^*) \right) \right) + \beta. \end{aligned}$$

From (6), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi(\rho(T(b^*), b^*)) &\leq \varphi \left(s \left(\frac{1}{s} \left(a\rho(b^*, b_n) + c\rho(b_n, b_{n+1}) + \frac{d\rho(b^*, b_{n+1})\rho(T(b^*), b_n)}{1 + \rho(T(b^*), b_n)} \right) + \right. \right. \\ &\quad \left. \left. \rho(b_{n+1}, b^*) \right) \right) + \beta \end{aligned}$$

$$\leq \varphi \left(s \left(\frac{1}{s} (a\rho(b^*, b_n) + c\rho(b_n, b_{n+1}) + d\rho(b^*, b_{n+1})) + \rho(b_{n+1}, b^*) \right) \right) + \beta$$

$$= \varphi(\rho(b^*, b_n) + c\rho(b_n, b_{n+1}) + d\rho(b^*, b_{n+1}) + s\rho(b_{n+1}, b^*)) + \beta. \quad (10)$$

From (10) and applying (8) and (9), we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \rho(b^*, b_n) + c\rho(b_n, b_{n+1}) + d\rho(b^*, b_{n+1}) + s\rho(b_{n+1}, b^*) = 0.$$

By using the logarithmic-like property of φ , we get

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \varphi(\rho(b^*, b_n) + c\rho(b_n, a_{n+1}) + s\rho(b_{n+1}, b^*)) + \beta = -\infty.$$

Which is a contradiction.

Thus, we have b^* is a fixed point of T .

Next, we show that the fixed point is unique.

Suppose $b^*, c^* \in X$ as the fixed point of T and $b^* \neq c^*$.

From (6) we have

$$\begin{aligned} \rho(b^*, c^*) &= \rho(T(b^*), T(c^*)) \\ &\leq \frac{1}{s} \left(a\rho(b^*, c^*) + c\rho(b^*, T(b^*)) + \frac{d\rho(b^*, T(c^*))\rho(T(a^*), c^*)}{1 + \rho(T(b^*), c^*)} \right) \\ &\leq \frac{1}{s} \left(a\rho(b^*, c^*) + c\rho(b^*, T(b^*)) + d\rho(b^*, T(c^*)) \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{s} (a\rho(b^*, c^*) + c\rho(b^*, b^*) + d\rho(b^*, c^*)) = \frac{a+d}{s} \rho(b^*, c^*) < \rho(b^*, c^*). \end{aligned} \quad (11)$$

Since $s \geq 1$ and $0 < a + c + d < 1$, we have $0 < \frac{a+d}{s} < 1$. Thus, from (11), we get

$$\rho(a^*, c^*) \leq \frac{a+d}{s} \rho(a^*, c^*) < \rho(a^*, c^*).$$

Which is a contradiction.

The following is the corollary of Theorem 3 regarding to the fixed point in the Banach contraction principle in $\mathfrak{F}$ b-metric space.

Corollary 1: Suppose $(\varphi, \beta) \in \mathfrak{F} \times [0, +\infty)$ and let (X, ρ) be a complete $\mathfrak{F}$ b-metric space with $s \geq 1$. Let $T: X \rightarrow X$ be a function that satisfies

$$\rho(T(x), T(y)) \leq \frac{a}{s} \rho(x, y),$$

where $0 < \frac{a}{s} < 1$, and for all $x, y \in X$.

Then T has a unique fixed point in X .

Proof: The proof can be obtained directly from Theorem 1, by taking $c = 0$ and $d = 0$.

Theorem 3: Suppose $(\varphi, \beta) \in \mathfrak{F} \times [0, +\infty)$ and let (X, ρ) be a complete $\mathfrak{F}$ b-metric space with $s \geq 1$. Let $c_0 \in X, r > 0, N_r(c_0) = \{x \in X \mid \rho(x, c_0) \leq r\}$.

Let $T: N_r(c_0) \rightarrow X$ be a function that satisfies as follows

$$\rho(T(x), T(y)) \leq \frac{\delta}{s^2} \rho(x, y),$$

where $0 < \delta < 1$ and $x, y \in N_r(c_0)$.

If $\rho(T(c_0), c_0) < \frac{(1-\delta)r}{s^2}$, then T has a unique fixed point in $N_r(c_0)$.

Proof: Firstly, we will show that $T(N_r(a_0)) \subset N_r(c_0)$.

Let $y \in T(N_r(a_0))$, it means there is $x_0 \in N_r(a_0)$ such that $y = T(x_0)$.

Since $x_0 \in N_r(c_0)$, then $\rho(x_0, c_0) \leq r$. If $T(x_0) = c_0$, it is clear that $y = T(x_0) = c_0 \in N_r(c_0)$.

If $T(x_0) \neq c_0$, so we have $\rho(T(x_0), c_0) > 0$. By using D3, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi(\rho(T(x_0), c_0)) &\leq \varphi\left(s\left(\rho(T(x_0), T(c_0)) + \rho(T(c_0), c_0)\right)\right) + \beta \\ &\leq \varphi\left(s\left(\frac{\delta r}{s^2} + \frac{(1-\delta)r}{s^2}\right)\right) + \beta = \varphi\left(\frac{r}{s}\right) + \beta \end{aligned}$$

Since $\varphi \in \mathfrak{F}$, and $r > 0$, then there exists $\gamma > 0$ such that $\varphi\left(\frac{r}{s}\right) < \varphi(r) - \beta$, for $0 < \frac{r}{s} < \gamma$. Therefore, then we get

$$\varphi(\rho(T(x_0), c_0)) < \varphi(r) - \beta + \beta = \varphi(r).$$

Since φ is increasing, then we get $\rho(T(x_0), c_0) \leq r$. Thus, $y = T(x_0) \in N_r(c_0)$, so we have $T(N_r(c_0)) \subset N_r(c_0)$.

Using Proposition 3, we have $N_r(c_0)$ is $\mathfrak{F}$ -closed in X .

Since (X, ρ) is $\mathfrak{F}$ -complete, then $N(c_0)$ is complete.

By using Corollary 1, it can be concluded that T has a unique fixed point in $N_r(c_0)$.

Theorem 4: Suppose $(\varphi, \beta) \in \mathfrak{F} \times [0, +\infty)$ and let (X, ρ) be a complete $\mathfrak{F}$ -b-metric space with $s \geq 1$. Let $\pi, \omega: X \rightarrow X$ be the functions, such that $\pi(X) \subseteq \omega(X)$, and $\omega(X)$ is closed, and for all $x, y \in X$, satisfy as follows

$$\begin{aligned} \rho(\pi(x), \pi(y)) &\leq \\ \frac{1}{s} \left(p\rho(\omega(x), \omega(y)) + q\rho(\pi(y), \omega(y)) + r\rho(\omega(x), \pi(y)) \frac{\rho(\pi(x), \omega(y))}{1 + \rho(\pi(x), \omega(y))} \right), \quad (12) \end{aligned}$$

for any $p, q, r > 0$, $0 < p + q + r < 1$.

Then π and ω have a unique coincidence point in X .

Proof: Let $x_0 \in X$, since $\pi(X) \subseteq \omega(X)$, we define sequence $\{x_n\}$ and $\{y_n\}$ in X , such that $y_n = \pi(x_n) = \omega(x_{n+1})$, for $n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$.

If $y_n = y_{n+1}$ for some $n \in \mathbb{N}$, then $\omega(x_{n+1}) = y_n = y_{n+1} = \pi(x_{n+1})$. It means π, ω have a coincidence point.

Let $y_n \neq y_{n+1}$ for every $n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$. From (6), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\rho(y_n, y_{n+1}) &= \rho(\pi(x_n), \pi(x_{n+1})) \leq \\
&\frac{1}{s} \left(p\rho(\omega(x_n), \omega(x_{n+1})) + q\rho(\pi(x_{n+1}), \omega(x_{n+1})) + \right. \\
&r\rho(\omega(x_n), \pi(x_{n+1})) \frac{\rho(\pi(x_n), \omega(x_{n+1}))}{1+\rho(\pi(x_n), \omega(x_{n+1}))} \Big) = \frac{1}{s} \left(p\rho(y_{n-1}, y_n) + q\rho(y_{n+1}, y_n) + \right. \\
&r\rho(x_{n-1}, x_{n+1}) \frac{\rho(y_n, y_n)}{1+\rho(y_n, y_n)} \Big) \\
&= \frac{1}{s} (p\rho(y_{n-1}, y_n) + q\rho(y_{n+1}, y_n)).
\end{aligned} \tag{13}$$

From (13) we get

$$\rho(y_n, y_{n+1}) \leq \frac{p}{s-q} \rho(y_{n-1}, y_n). \tag{14}$$

Since $s \geq 1$, $p, q, r > 0$ and $0 < p + q + r < 1$, then we have $0 < \frac{p}{s-q} < 1$. So from (14), we get

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \rho(y_n, y_{n+1}) = 0. \tag{15}$$

Using Proposition 2, (y_n) is a Cauchy sequence in X .

Since (X, ρ) is complete, there exists $y^* \in X$ such that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \rho(y_n, y^*) = 0. \tag{16}$$

Since $\omega(X)$ is closed, then $y^* \in \omega(X)$.

Let $\omega(x^*) = y^*$ for an $x^* \in X$.

We will show that $\pi(x^*) = \omega(x^*)$.

Suppose $\pi(x^*) \neq \omega(x^*)$, then $\rho(\pi(x^*), \omega(x^*)) > 0$. By using of D3, we can get

$$\begin{aligned}
&\varphi \left(\rho(\pi(x^*), \omega(x^*)) \right) \leq \varphi \left(s\rho(\pi(x^*), \pi(x_{n+1})) + s^2\rho(\pi(x_{n+1}), \omega(x_{n+1})) + \right. \\
&s^2\rho(\omega(x_{n+1}), \omega(x^*)) \Big) + \beta \\
&\leq \varphi \left(s(p\rho(\pi(x^*), \pi(x_{n+1})) + q\rho(\pi(x_{n+1}), \omega(x_{n+1})) + r\rho(\omega(x^*), \pi(x_{n+1})) \right. \\
&\left. \frac{\rho(\pi(x^*), \omega(x_{n+1}))}{1+\rho(\pi(x^*), \omega(x_{n+1}))} \right) + s^2\rho(y_{n+1}, y_n) + s^2\rho(\omega(x_{n+1}), \omega(x^*)) \Big) + \beta \\
&= \varphi \left(s \left(p\rho(y^*, y_n) + q\rho(y_{n+1}, y_n) + r\rho(y^*, y_{n+1}) \frac{\rho(\pi(x^*), y_n)}{1+\rho(\pi(x^*), y_n)} \right) + \right. \\
&s^2\rho(y_{n+1}, y_n) + s^2\rho(y_n, y^*) \Big) + \beta \\
&\leq \varphi \left(s(p\rho(y^*, y_n) + q\rho(y_{n+1}, y_n) + r\rho(y^*, y_{n+1})) + s^2\rho(y_{n+1}, y_n) + \right. \\
&s^2\rho(y_n, y^*) \Big) + \beta.
\end{aligned} \tag{17}$$

From (15) and (16), then we get

$$\begin{aligned}
&\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \left(s(p\rho(y^*, y_n) + q\rho(y_{n+1}, y_n) + r\rho(y^*, y_{n+1})) + s^2\rho(y_{n+1}, y_n) + \right. \\
&s^2\rho(y_n, y^*) \Big) = 0.
\end{aligned} \tag{18}$$

From (17), (18) and since $\varphi \in \mathfrak{F}$, we get

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \varphi \left(s(p\rho(y^*, y_n) + q\rho(y_{n+1}, y_n) + r\rho(y^*, y_{n+1})) + s^2\rho(y_{n+1}, y_n) + s^2\rho(y_n, y^*) \right) + \beta = -\infty.$$

Which is a contradiction. So, we have $\pi(x^*) = \omega(x^*) = y^*$. Thus x^* is a coincidence point of π and ω .

We will show uniqueness of coincidence point of π and ω .

Suppose $u^* \in X$ is another coincidence point of π and ω , such that $\pi(u^*) = \omega(u^*) = v^*$, for a $v^* \in X$.

Suppose $v^* \neq y^*$, then by using (12), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \rho(y^*, v^*) &= \rho(\pi(x^*), \pi(u^*)) \\ &\leq \frac{1}{s} \left(p\rho(\omega(x^*), \omega(u^*)) + q\rho(\pi(u^*), \omega(u^*)) + r\rho(\omega(x^*), \pi(u^*)) \frac{\rho(\pi(x^*), \omega(u^*))}{1 + \rho(\pi(x^*), \omega(u^*))} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{s} \left(p\rho(y^*, v^*) + q\rho(v^*, v^*) + r\rho(y^*, v^*) \frac{\rho(y^*, v^*)}{1 + \rho(y^*, v^*)} \right) \\ &\leq \frac{1}{s} (p\rho(y^*, v^*) + r\rho(y^*, v^*)) \\ &= \frac{p+r}{s} (\rho(y^*, v^*)). \end{aligned} \quad (18)$$

From (18) we get $\rho(y^*, v^*) \leq \frac{p+r}{s} (\rho(y^*, v^*))$.

Since $s \geq 1$ and $0 < p + q + r < 1$, we have $0 < \frac{p+r}{s} < 1$. Thus, we get

$$\rho(y^*, v^*) \leq \frac{p+r}{s} (\rho(y^*, v^*)) < \rho(y^*, v^*).$$

Which is a contradiction.

Theorem 5: Suppose $(\varphi, \beta) \in \mathfrak{F} \times [0, +\infty)$ and let (X, ρ) be a complete $\mathfrak{F}b$ -metric space with $s \geq 1$. Let $\pi, \gamma : X \rightarrow X$ be the functions, such that $\pi(X) \subseteq \gamma(X)$, $\gamma(X)$ be closed, and for all $x, y \in X$, satisfy as follows

$$\rho(\pi(x), \pi(y)) \leq \frac{1}{s} \left(p\rho(\gamma(x), \gamma(y)) + q\rho(\pi(y), \gamma(y)) + r\rho(\gamma(x), \pi(y)) \frac{\rho(\pi(x), \gamma(y))}{1 + \rho(\pi(x), \gamma(y))} \right), \quad (19)$$

for any $p, q, r > 0$ and $0 < p + q + r < 1$.

If $\{\pi, \gamma\}$ is weakly compatible, then π and γ have a unique common fixed point in X .

Proof: From Theorem 4, π and γ have a point of coincidence in X .

Let u^* be a point of coincidence of π and γ , so we have $\pi(v^*) = \gamma(v^*) = u^*$, for $v^* \in X$.

Since $\{\pi, \gamma\}$ is weakly compatible, then $\gamma\pi(v^*) = \pi\gamma(v^*) = \pi(u^*) = \gamma(u^*)$.

We will show u^* is a common fixed point of π and γ .

Suppose $\pi(u^*) \neq u^*$, from (19) we get

$$\begin{aligned}
& \rho(\pi(u^*), u^*) = \rho(\pi(u^*), \pi(v^*)) \\
& \leq \frac{1}{s} \left(p\rho(\gamma(u^*), \gamma(v^*)) + q\rho(\pi(v^*), \gamma(v^*)) + r\rho(\gamma(u^*), \pi(v^*)) \frac{\rho(\pi(u^*), \gamma(v^*))}{1+\rho(\pi(u^*), \gamma(v^*))} \right) \\
& = \frac{1}{s} \left(p\rho(\gamma(u^*), u^*) + q\rho(u^*, u^*) + r\rho(\gamma(u^*), u^*) \frac{\rho(\pi(u^*), u^*)}{1+\rho(\pi(u^*), u^*)} \right) \\
& \leq \frac{1}{s} (p\rho(\gamma(u^*), u^*) + r\rho(\gamma(u^*), u^*)) \leq \frac{p+r}{s} \rho(\gamma(u^*), u^*). \quad (20)
\end{aligned}$$

Since $\{\pi, \gamma\}$ is weakly compatible and $0 < \frac{p+r}{s} < 1$, then from (20) we get

$$\rho(\pi(u^*), u^*) \leq \frac{p+r}{s} \rho(\gamma(u^*), u^*) = \frac{p+r}{s} \rho(\pi(u^*), u^*) < \rho(\pi(u^*), u^*).$$

Which is a contradiction. Hence, u^* is a fixed point of π . Since $\pi(u^*) = \gamma(u^*)$, then u^* is a common fixed point of π and γ .

We will show that u^* is a unique common fixed point of π and γ .

Suppose there exists another common fixed point of π and γ , namely $t^* \in X$. So, from (19) we have

$$\begin{aligned}
& \rho(t^*, u^*) = \rho(\pi(t^*), \pi(u^*)) \\
& \leq \frac{1}{s} \left(p\rho(\gamma(t^*), \gamma(u^*)) + q\rho(\pi(u^*), \gamma(u^*)) + r\rho(\gamma(t^*), \pi(u^*)) \frac{\rho(\pi(t^*), \gamma(u^*))}{1+\rho(\pi(t^*), \gamma(u^*))} \right) \\
& \leq \frac{1}{s} (p\rho(t^*, u^*) + q\rho(u^*, u^*) + r\rho(t^*, u^*)).
\end{aligned}$$

Since $0 < \frac{p+r}{s} < 1$, then we get

$$\rho(t^*, u^*) \leq \frac{p+r}{s} \rho(t^*, u^*) < \rho(t^*, u^*).$$

Which is a contradiction.

4. The application

The application of Theorem 5 is shown below in Theorem 6.

Theorem 6: Let $n \geq 2$ be an even natural number and $s, x \geq 1$. The equation

$$(n^3 - 1)x^{n+1} - n^3x^n + n^3x - n^3 + 1 = 0 \quad (21)$$

$$(n^3 - 1)x^{n+1} - (n^3 + 8s^2 - 1)x^n + 2n^3x - 2n^3 + 4s^2 = 0$$

has a unique common real solution.

Proof: Let $X = [1, +\infty)$ and $\rho(r, t) = |r - t|^2$. From Example 2, (X, ρ) is a $\mathfrak{F}b$ -metric space and complete. From (21) we can get

$$(n^3 - 1)x^{n+1} - n^3x^n + n^3x - n^3 + 1 = 0 \Leftrightarrow x = 1 + \frac{x^{n-1}}{(n^3-1)x^n + n^3}, \text{ and}$$

$$(n^3 - 1)x^{n+1} - (n^3 + 8s^2 - 1)x^n + 2n^3x - 2n^3 + 4s^2 = 0 \Leftrightarrow x = 1 + \frac{4s^2(2x^n - 1)}{(n^3-1)x^n + 2n^3}$$

$X = [1, +\infty)$ Define a function $\pi, \gamma: X \rightarrow X$ with $s \geq 1, n \geq 2$ and n is even natural number.

$$\pi x = 1 + \frac{(x^n-1)}{(n^3-1)x^n+n^3}$$

$$\gamma x = 1 + \frac{4s^2(2x^n-1)}{(n^3-1)x^n+2n^3}$$

If $y \in \pi(X)$, then there exist $x \in X$ such that $y = 1 + \frac{(x^n-1)}{(n^3-1)x^n+n^3}$. Now, we will find $z \in X$ such that $y = 1 + \frac{2s^2(2z^n+1)}{(n^3-1)z^n+2n^3}$. So, we have

$$\frac{(x^n-1)}{(n^3-1)x^n+n^3} = \frac{4s^2(2z^n-1)}{(n^3-1)z^n+2n^3}$$

So, we get $z^n = \frac{2(n^3+2(n^3-1)s^2)x^n+2n^3(2s^2-1)}{(n^3-1)x^n(8s^2-1)+8s^2+(n^3-1)} > 0$, and it implies $y = 1 + \frac{2s^2(2z^n+1)}{(n^3-1)z^n+2n^3} \in [1, +\infty)$. It shows that $\pi(X) \subseteq \gamma(X)$. It is clear that $\gamma(X)$ is closed.

We will show that hypothesis (12) is satisfied. From (12) and choose $p = q = r = \frac{1}{4}$.

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{4s} \left(\rho(\gamma(x), \gamma(y)) + \rho(\pi(y), \gamma(y)) + \rho(\gamma(x), \pi(y)) \frac{\rho(\pi(x), \gamma(y))}{1 + \rho(\pi(x), \gamma(y))} \right) = \\ & \geq \frac{1}{4s} \left(p\rho(\gamma(x), \gamma(y)) + q\rho(\pi(y), \gamma(y)) \right) = \\ & = \frac{1}{4s} \left| \frac{4s^2(2x^n-1)}{(n^3-1)x^n+2n^3} - \frac{4s^2(2y^n-1)}{(n^3-1)y^n+2n^3} \right|^2 + \left| \frac{4s^2(2y^n-1)}{(n^3-1)y^n+2n^3} - \frac{(y^n-1)}{(n^3-1)y^n+n^3} \right|^2 \end{aligned}$$

Since $x, y, s \geq 1$ then we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{4s} \left(p\rho(\gamma(x), \gamma(y)) + q\rho(\pi(y), \gamma(y)) \right) \geq \frac{1}{8s} \left| \frac{4s^2(2x^n-1)}{(n^3-1)x^n+2n^3} - \frac{(y^n-1)}{(n^3-1)y^n+n^3} \right|^2 \geq \\ & \frac{1}{8s} \left| \frac{4s^2(2x^n-1)}{(n^3-1)x^n+2n^3} - \frac{4s(y^n-1)}{(n^3-1)y^n+n^3} \right|^2 \\ & \geq \frac{16s^2}{8s} \left| \frac{s(x^n-1)}{(n^3-1)x^n+2n^3} - \frac{(y^n-1)}{(n^3-1)y^n+n^3} \right|^2 \geq 2s \left| \frac{s(x^n-1)}{(n^3-1)x^n+2n^3} - \frac{(y^n-1)}{(n^3-1)y^n+n^3} \right|^2 \\ & \geq \left| \frac{s(x^n-1)}{(n^3-1)x^n+2n^3} - \frac{(y^n-1)}{(n^3-1)y^n+n^3} \right|^2 \geq \left| \frac{(x^n-1)}{(n^3-1)x^n+2n^3} - \frac{(y^n-1)}{(n^3-1)y^n+n^3} \right|^2 \\ & = \rho(\pi(x), \pi(y)). \end{aligned}$$

Hence, hypothesis (12) is satisfied for $p = q = r = \frac{1}{4}$.

Therefore, by using Theorem 5, then (21) has a unique common real solution.

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