

Some fixed point theorem for asymptotically regular maps in N_b -Fuzzy Metric space

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Abstract: - In this paper, we proved two fixed point theorems in N_b -fuzzy metric space for asymptotically regular maps. These results extend and generalize theorem 2.5 and 2.6 of Goswami et. al. [7] in the setting of N_b -fuzzy metric space.

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Introduction and Preliminaries

In the history of Mathematical analysis asymptotically regularity was introduced by Browder and Petryshyn [1] in 1966, these maps play a great role in fixed point theory.

On the other hand, Due to wide applications many generalizations of metric spaces exist in Mathematics. Some of important generalizations are given in [2,4,5,6,8-19]. Recently in 2022, Fernandez et. al. [3] defined N_b -fuzzy metric space, quasi N_b -fuzzy metric space and pseudo N_b -fuzzy metric spaces. They proved various theorems related to convergence of sequences and analyze topology of symmetric N_b -fuzzy metric spaces. Very recently Malviya [11] define asymptotically regular sequence and maps in N_b -fuzzy metric spaces and proved a fixed point theorem.

In this paper, we proved two fixed point theorems for generalized condition using asymptotically regular maps in N_b -fuzzy metric space.

DEFINITION 1.1[20]:- A mapping $*$: $[0, 1] \times [0, 1] \times [0, 1] \rightarrow [0, 1]$ is called a continuous t-norm if $([0,1], *)$ is an abelian topological monoid with unit 1 such that $a * b \leq c * d$ for $a \leq c, b \leq d$. Examples of t-norms are $a * b = \min\{a, b\}$, $a * b = ab$ and $a * b = \max\{a + b - 1, 0\}$

DEFINITION 1.2[3]:- A triplet $(X, N_b, *, k)$ is an N_b -fuzzy metric space, if X is an arbitrary set, $*$ is a continuous t-norm, $k \geq 1$ is a real number and N_b is a fuzzy set on $X^3 \times (0, \infty)$ satisfying the following conditions for all $x, y, z, a, \in X$ and $r, s, t > 0$

- (1) $N_b(x, y, z, t) > 0$
- (2) $N_b(x, y, z, t) = 1$ if and only if $x = y = z$
- (3) $N_b(x, y, z, k(r + s + t)) \geq N(x, x, a, r) * N(y, y, a, s) * N(z, z, a, t)$
- (4) $N_b(x, y, z, \cdot): (0, \infty) \rightarrow (0, 1)$ is a continuous function.

For other definitions related to N_b Fuzzy metric Space reader can refer [2]

DEFINITION 1.3[20]:- A mapping $\phi : [0, 1] \rightarrow [0, 1]$ is called an altering distance function if

- (i) ϕ is strictly decreasing and left continuous.
- (ii) $\phi(\lambda) = 0$ if and only if $\lambda = 1$
i.e, $\lim_{\phi \rightarrow 1^-} \phi(1) = 0$.

DEFINITION 2.1[11] :- Let p and q be self mappings on a N_b - fuzzy metric space $(X, N_b, *, k)$ and $\{x_n\}$ be a sequence in X . p is said to be asymptotically regular at a point $x_0 \in X$ if

$$\left(\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} N_b(p^n(x_0), p^n(x_0), p^{n+1}(x_0), t) \right) = 1, \forall t > 0.$$

Also the sequence $\{x_n\}$ is said to be asymptotically regular with respect to the pair (p, q) if

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} N_b(p(x_n), p(x_n), q(x_n), t) = 1, \forall t > 0.$$

Main Results :

THEOREM [2.1]:- Let $p: X \rightarrow X$ be a mapping on a complete symmetric N_b fuzzy metric space $(X, N_b, *, k)$ and ϕ is the altering distance function. If p is asymptotically regular at a point $x_0 \in X$ and p satisfies,

$$\begin{aligned} & \phi(N_b(p(x), p(x), p(y), t)) \\ & \leq h_1 \min\{\phi(N_b(x, x, y, t)), \phi(N_b(p(x), p(x), x, t)), \phi(N_b(p(x), p(x), y, t))\} \\ & + h_2 \min\{\phi(N_b(x, x, y, t)), \phi(N_b(p(y), p(y), y, t)), \phi(N_b(x, x, p(y), t))\} \dots \dots (1) \end{aligned}$$

For all $x, y \in X, t > 0$, where $h_1, h_2 > 0$ are constants such that $h_1 + h_2 < 1$, Then p has a unique fixed point in X .

Proof. We construct a sequence $\{x_n\}$ in X by $x_{n+1} = p(x_n) \forall n \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$, where $x_0 \in X$. If there exists n with $x_n = x_{n+1}$, then x_n is a fixed point of p . Suppose that $x_n \neq x_{n+1}$ for all n .

To show that $\{x_n\}$ is a Cauchy sequence.

Let $m, n \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$. From (1)

$$\begin{aligned} & \phi(N_b(p(x_n), p(x_n), p(x_m), t)) \\ & \leq h_1 \min\{\phi(N_b(x_n, x_n, x_m, t)), \phi(N_b(p(x_n), p(x_n), x_n, t)), \phi(N_b(p(x_n), p(x_n), x_m, t))\} \\ & + h_2 \min\{\phi(N_b(x_n, x_n, x_m, t)), \phi(N_b(p(x_m), p(x_m), x_m, t)), \phi(N_b(x_n, x_n, p(x_m), t))\} \end{aligned}$$

Since, p is asymptotically regular at $x_0 \in X$, taking $n, m \rightarrow \infty$.

$$\lim_{n,m \rightarrow \infty} \phi(N_b(p(x_n), p(x_n), p(x_m), t)) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n,m \rightarrow \infty} N_b(p(x_n), p(x_n), p(x_m), t) = 1.$$

i.e. $\{x_n\}$ is a Cauchy sequence in $(X, N_b, *, k)$, since X is complete, therefore $x_n \rightarrow z$ (say) in X as $n, \rightarrow \infty$.

Existence of fixed point :Using (1)

$$\begin{aligned} \phi(N_b(x_{n+1}, x_{n+1}, p(z), t)) &= \phi(N_b(p(x_n), p(x_n), p(z), t)) \\ &\leq h_1 \min\{\phi(N_b(x_n, x_n, z, t)), \phi(N_b(p(x_n), p(x_n), x_n, t)), (N_b(p(x_n), p(x_n), z, t)) \\ &\quad + h_2 \min\{\phi(N_b(x_n, x_n, z, t)), \phi(N_b(p(z), p(z), z, t)), \phi(N_b(x_n, x_n, p(z), t))\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \phi(N_b(z, z, p(z), t)) = 0$$

$\Rightarrow p(z) = z$, establishes that z is a fixed point for p .

Uniqueness can be shown easily.

Hence, z is the unique fixed point of p .

THEOREM [2.2] :- Let $(X, N_b, *, k)$ be a complete symmetric N_b fuzzy metric space, ϕ be the altering distance function and p and q be two commutative self-mappings on X such that

$$\begin{aligned} \phi(N_b(p(x), p(x), p(y), t)) &\leq k_1[\phi(N_b(q(x), q(x), q(y), t)) + \\ &k_2 ((\phi(N_b(q(x), q(x), p(y), t)) + \phi(N_b(q(y), q(y), p(y), t)))] \text{-----}(2) \end{aligned}$$

Where $x, y \in X, t > 0$ and $k_i : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow [0, 1)$ for $i = 1, 2$ and $0 < k_1, k_2 < 1$.

Moreover if

- (i) p and q are asymptotically regular at x_0 .
- (ii) $p(X) \subseteq q(X)$,
- (iii) $p(X)$ or $q(X)$ is a complete subspace of X ,

then p and q have a unique common fixed point.

Proof. Let $x_0 \in X$. Since $p(X) \subseteq q(X)$, define a sequence $\{u_n\}$ by $u_{n+1} = p(x_n) = q(x_{n+1}), n \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$. Again since p and q are asymptotically regular at x_0 ,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \phi(N_b(u_n, u_n, u_{n+1}, t)) = 0 \text{-----}(3)$$

To show that the sequence $\{u_n\}$ is cauchy.

Suppose, there exists $0 < \epsilon < 1$ and two sequence of integers $\{r_n\}$ and $\{s_n\}$ such that $r_n > s_n > n$,
 $N_b(u_{r_n}, u_{r_n}, u_{s_n}, t) \leq 1 - \epsilon$,
 $N_b(u_{r_n-1}, u_{r_n-1}, u_{s_n-1}, t) > 1 - \epsilon$,
 $N_b(u_{r_n-1}, u_{r_n-1}, u_{s_n}, t) > 1 - \epsilon, \forall n \in N \cup \{0\}$. ----- (4)

Following the technique applied in theorem 2.2 of [11] we can show that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} N_b(u_{r_n}, u_{r_n}, u_{s_n}, t) = 1 - \epsilon, t > 0 \text{ -----(5)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \phi(N_b(u_{r_{n+1}}, u_{r_{n+1}}, u_{s_{n+1}}, t)) &= \phi(N_b(p(x_{r_n}), p(x_{r_n}), p(x_{s_n}), t)) \\ &\leq k_1[\phi(N_b(q(x_{r_n}), q(x_{r_n}), q(x_{s_n}))) \\ &\quad + k_2(\phi(N_b(q(x_{r_n}), q(x_{r_n}), p(x_{r_n}), t)) \\ &\quad + \phi(N_b((q(x_{s_n}), q(x_{s_n}), p(x_{s_n}), t)))] \end{aligned}$$

Taking $n \rightarrow \infty$ and using (3) and (5) we have
 $\phi(1 - \epsilon) \leq k_1 \phi(1 - \epsilon) < \phi(1 - \epsilon)$

a contradiction. Hence $\{u_n\}$ is Cauchy sequence.

Suppose that $q(X)$ is complete, then there exist $v \in q(X)$ such that

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n = v$. Also, for some $z \in X$ we have $q(z) = v$.

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} \phi(N_b(p(z), p(z), u_{n+1}, t)) &= \phi(N_b(p(z), p(z), p(x_n), t)) \\ &\leq k_1[\phi(N_b(q(z), q(z), q(x_n), t)) \\ &\quad + k_2(\phi(N_b(p(z), p(z), q(z), t)) + \phi(N_b(p(x_n), p(x_n), q(x_n), t)))] \end{aligned}$$

For $n \rightarrow \infty$,

$$\begin{aligned} \phi(N_b(p(z), p(z), v, t)) &\leq k_1[k_2 \phi(N_b(p(z), p(z), v, t))] \\ &\Rightarrow (1 - k_1.k_2)\phi(N_b(p(z), p(z), v, t)) = 0 \\ &\Rightarrow \phi(N_b(p(z), p(z), v, t)) = 0 \\ &\Rightarrow p(z) = v \end{aligned}$$

Therefore $p(z) = v = q(z)$ i.e., z is the coincident point of p and q .

Next, from (2),

$$\begin{aligned} & \phi(N_b(p(p(z)), p(p(z)), p(z), t)) \\ & \leq k_1 [\phi(N_b(q(p(z)), q(p(z)), q(z), t)) \\ & \quad + k_2 (\phi(N_b(p(p(z)), p(p(z)), q(p(z)), t) + \phi(N_b(p(z), p(z), q(z), t)))] \\ & = k_1 [\phi(N_b(p(q(z)), p(q(z)), q(z), t)) \\ & \quad + k_2 (\phi(N_b(p(p(z)), p(p(z)), p(q(z)), t) + \phi(N_b(p(z), p(z), q(z), t)))] \\ & \hspace{20em} (\text{since } pq = qp) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & = k_1 [\phi(N_b(p(p(z)), p(p(z)), p(z), t)) \\ & \quad + k_2 (\phi(N_b(p(p(z)), p(p(z)), p(p(z)), t) + \phi(N_b(p(z), p(z), p(z), t)))] \\ & = k_1 \phi(N_b(p(p(z)), p(p(z)), p(z), t)) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 - k_1) \phi(N_b(p(p(z)), p(p(z)), p(z), t)) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \phi(N_b(p(p(z)), p(p(z)), p(z), t)) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow p(p(z)) = p(z) = v$$

Similarly, $q(q(z)) = q(z) = v$.

Hence v is a common fixed point of p and q . If v_1 is another common point fixed point of p and q , then

$$\begin{aligned} & \phi(N_b(p(v), p(v), p(v_1), t)) \\ & \leq k_1 [\phi(N_b(q(v), q(v), q(v_1), t)) \\ & \quad + k_2 (\phi(N_b(p(v), p(v), q(v), t) + \phi(N_b(p(v_1), p(v_1), q(v_1), t)))] \\ & \Rightarrow \phi(N_b(v, v, v_1, t)) \\ & \leq k_1 [\phi(N_b(v, v, v_1, t)) + k_2 (\phi(N_b(v, v, v, t) + \phi(N_b(v_1, v_1, v_1, t)))] \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 - k_1) \phi(N_b(v, v, v_1, t)) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow v = v_1$$

Hence p and q have a unique common fixed point in X .

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