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# **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  $\mathscr{U}$  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  $(X, \mathscr{U})$ .

Corresponding author: \*V. Srinivasa kumar \*Assistant Professor, Department of Mathematics, JNTUH College of Engineering, JNTU, Hyderabad-500085, A.P., India **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  ${\mathscr B}$  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  $\mathscr{B}$  contains a member of  $\mathscr{B}$

**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  $(X, \mathcal{X})$  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  $T_j$  map X into itself
- (b)  $S_i S_j = S_j S_i$  for  $1 \le i, j \le p$  and  $T_\alpha T_\beta = T_\beta T_\alpha$  for  $1 \le \alpha, \beta \le q$

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(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  $\mathcal{V}$ ,  $(S(x), T(y), a) \in \alpha_1 V_1 \circ \alpha_2 V_2 \circ \alpha_3 V_3 \circ \alpha_4 V_4 \circ \alpha_5 V_5$  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

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

If  $(x, S(x), a) \in V_1, (y, T(x), a) \in V_2, (x, T(y), a) \in V_3, (y, S(x), a) \in V_4, (x, y, a) \in V_5$  then all  $S_i (1 \le i \le p)$  and  $T_j (1 \le j \le q)$  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  $(x, S(x), a) \in (r_1 + \varepsilon) V$ ,  $(y, T(y), a) \in (r_2 + \varepsilon) V$ ,  $(x, S(x), a) \in (r_3 + \varepsilon) V$ ,  $(y, T(y), a) \in (r_4 + \varepsilon) V$ ,  $(x, y, a) \in (r_5 + \varepsilon) V$ .

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

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, ...

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  $Q(u \ S(u) \ a) \le Q(u \ S(u) \ x_n) + Q(u \ x_n \ a) + Q(x_n \ S(u) \ a)$ 

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

Letting  $n \to \infty$ , we get  $(1 - \alpha_1 - \alpha_4)\rho(u, S(u), a) \le 0 \Rightarrow \rho(u, S(u), a) = 0 \Rightarrow u = S(u)$  $\Rightarrow u$  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  $\mathcal{V}$ ,  $(S(x), T(y), a) \in \alpha_1 V_1 \circ \alpha_2 V_2 \circ \alpha_3 V_3 \circ \alpha_4 V_4 \circ \alpha_5 V_5 \circ \alpha_6 V_6$ .

If 
$$(x, S^{k}(z_{1}), a) \in V_{1}, (y, T^{k}(z_{2}), a) \in V_{2}, (x, S^{k}(z_{2}), a) \in V_{3}, (y, S^{k}(z_{2}), a) \in V_{4}, (S^{k}(z_{1}), T^{k}(z_{2}), a) \in V_{5}$$

and  $(x, y, a) \in V_6$  where k is a positive integer and  $\sum_{i=1}^{n} \alpha_i > 1$  then S and T have a unique common fixed point in X.

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If 
$$(x, S^{k}(z_{1}), a) \in V_{1}, (y, T^{k}(z_{2}), a) \in V_{2}, (x, S^{k}(z_{2}), a) \in V_{3}, (y, S^{k}(z_{2}), a) \in V_{4}, (x, y, a) \in V_{5}$$
 where  $k$ 

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

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