

COMMON FIXED POINT, MULTIMAPS IN FUZZY METRIC SPACE

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ABSTRACT The purpose of this paper is to obtain some common fixed point theorems for multivalued mappings in fuzzy metric space. Of course this is a new result on this line.

1. Introduction and Preliminaries

In 1965, the concept of fuzzy sets was introduced initially by Zadeh [10]. Since then many authors have expansively developed the theory of fuzzy sets and applications. Especially, Deng [24], Erceg [12], Kaleva and Seikkala [15], Kramosil and Michalek [5] have introduced the concept of fuzzy metric space in different ways.

Recently, many authors have also studied the fixed point theory in these fuzzy metric spaces are Badard [16], Chang, Cho, Lee, Jung, and Kang [18], Fang [7], Grabiec [11], Hadzic [13], [14], Jung, Cho and Kim [8], Jung, Cho, Chang, and Kang [9], Sharma [22], [23], Mishra, Sharma, and Singh [21] and for fuzzy mappings are Bose and Sahani [2], Butnariu [4], Chang [17], Chang, Cho, Lee and Lee [19], Heilpern [20]. In this note we extend result of Grabiec [11] and others for multivalued mappings introduced by Kubiacyk and Sharma [6].

Now we begin with some definitions:

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DEFINITION 1 [3]. A binary operation $*$: $[0, 1] \times [0, 1] \rightarrow [0, 1]$ is called a continuous t-norm if $([0, 1], *)$ is an abelian topological monoid with unit 1 such that $a * b \leq c * d$ whenever $a \leq c$ and $b \leq d$ for all $a, b, c, d \in [0, 1]$.

Examples of t-norm are $a * b = ab$ and $a * b = \min\{a, b\}$.

DEFINITION 2 [5]. The 3-tuple $(X, M, *)$ is called a fuzzy metric space (shortly, FM-space) if X is an arbitrary set, $*$ is a continuous t-norm and M is a fuzzy set in $X^2 \times [0, \infty)$ satisfying the following conditions: for all $x, y, z \in X$ and $s, t > 0$,

$$(FM-1) \quad M(x, y, 0) = 0,$$

$$(FM-2) \quad M(x, y, t) = 1, \text{ for all } t > 0 \text{ if and only if } x = y,$$

$$(FM-3) \quad M(x, y, t) = M(y, x, t),$$

$$(FM-4) \quad M(x, y, t) * M(y, z, s) \leq M(x, z, t + s),$$

$$(FM-5) \quad M(x, y, \cdot) : [0, 1] \rightarrow [0, 1] \text{ is left continuous.}$$

In what follows, $(X, M, *)$ will denote a fuzzy metric space. Note that $M(x, y, t)$ can be thought of as the degree of nearness between x and y with respect to t . We identify $x = y$ with $M(x, y, t) = 1$ for all $t > 0$ and $M(x, y, t) = 0$ with ∞ , and we can find some topological properties and examples of fuzzy metric spaces in paper of George and Veeramani [1].

In the following example, we know that every metric induces a fuzzy metric.

EXAMPLE 1 [1]. Let (X, d) be a metric space. Define $a * b = ab$ (or $a * b = \min\{a, b\}$) and for all $x, y \in X$ and $t > 0$,

$$M(x, y, t) = \frac{t}{t + d(x, y)}. \quad (1.a)$$

Then $(X, M, *)$ is a fuzzy metric space. We call this fuzzy metric M induced by the metric d the standard fuzzy metric. On the other hand, note that there exists no metric on X satisfying (1.a).

LEMMA 1 [11]. For all $x, y \in X$, $M(x, y, \cdot)$ is nondecreasing.

DEFINITION 3 [11]. Let $(X, M, *)$ be a fuzzy metric space:

(1) A sequence $\{x_n\}$ in X is said to be convergent to a point $x \in X$, (denoted by $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = x$), if

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} M(x_n, x, t) = 1$$

for all $t > 0$.

(2) A sequence $\{x_n\}$ in X is called a Cauchy sequence if

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} M(x_{n+p}, x_n, t) = 1$$

for all $t > 0$ and $p > 0$.

(3) A fuzzy metric space in which every Cauchy sequence is convergent is said to be complete.

REMARK 1. Since $*$ is continuous, it follows from (FM-4) that the limit of the sequence in FM-space is uniquely determined.

Let $(X, M, *)$ is a fuzzy metric space with the following condition:

$$(FM-6) \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} M(x, y, t) = 1 \text{ for all } x, y \in X.$$

LEMMA 2 [21]. *Let $\{y_n\}$ be a sequence in a fuzzy metric space $(X, M, *)$ with $t * t \geq t$ for all $t \in [0, 1]$ and the condition (FM-6). If there exists a number $q \in (0, 1)$ such that*

$$M(y_{n+2}, y_{n+1}, qt) \geq M(y_{n+1}, y_n, t)$$

for all $t > 0$ and $n = 1, 2, \dots$ then $\{y_n\}$ is a Cauchy sequence in X .

LEMMA 3 [21] *If, for all $x, y \in X$, $t > 0$ and for a number $q \in (0, 1)$,*

$$M(x, y, qt) \geq M(x, y, t)$$

then $x = y$.

Kubiaczyk and Sharma [6] introduced the following concept of multivalued mappings in the sense of Kramosil and Michalek [5].

We denote by $CB(X)$ the set of all non-empty, bounded and closed subsets of X . We have

$$M^\nabla(B, y, t) = \max\{M(b, y, t) : b \in B\}$$

$$M_\nabla(A, B, t) = \min\{\min_{a \in A}\{M^\nabla(a, B, t)\}, \min_{b \in B}\{M^\nabla(A, b, t)\}\}$$

for all A, B in X and $t > 0$.

2. Main Results

THEOREM 1. *Let $(X, M, *)$ be a complete fuzzy metric space with $t * t \geq t$ for all $t \in [0, 1]$ and the condition (FM-6). Let $F_1, F_2 : X \rightarrow CB(X)$ satisfying:*

(1.1) *there exists a number $q \in (0, 1)$ such that*

$$M_\nabla(F_1x, F_2y, qt) \geq \min\{M(x, y, t), M^\nabla(x, F_1x, t), M^\nabla(y, F_2y, t), \\ M^\nabla(x, F_2y, (2 - \alpha)t), M^\nabla(y, F_1x, t)\}$$

for all $x, y \in X$ and all $\alpha \in (0, 2)$, $t > 0$. Then F_1 and F_2 have a common fixed point.

PROOF. Let x_0 is an arbitrary point in X and $x_1 \in X$ is such that $x_1 \in F_1x_0$ and

$$M(x_0, x_1, qt) \geq M^\nabla(x_0, F_1x_0, qt) - \varepsilon,$$

$x_2 \in X$ is such that $x_2 \in F_2x_1$ and

$$M(x_1, x_2, qt) \geq M^\nabla(x_1, F_2x_1, qt) - \frac{\varepsilon}{2}.$$

Inductively $x_{2n+1} \in X$ is such that $x_{2n+1} \in F_1x_{2n}$ and

$$M(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1}, qt) \geq M^\nabla(x_{2n}, F_1x_{2n}, qt) - \frac{\varepsilon}{2^{2n}}.$$

$x_{2n+2} \in X$ is such that $x_{2n+2} \in F_2x_{2n+1}$ and

$$M(x_{2n+1}, x_{2n+2}, qt) \geq M^\nabla(x_{2n+1}, F_2x_{2n+1}, qt) - \frac{\varepsilon}{2^{2n+1}}.$$

Now we show that $\{y_n\}$ is a Cauchy sequence.

By (1.1) for all $t > 0$ and $\alpha = 1 - k$ with $k \in (0, 1)$, we write

$$\begin{aligned} M(x_{2n+1}, x_{2n+2}, qt) &\geq M^\nabla(x_{2n+1}, F_2x_{2n+1}, qt) - \frac{\varepsilon}{2^{2n+1}} \\ &\geq M_\nabla(F_1x_{2n}, F_2x_{2n+1}, qt) - \frac{\varepsilon}{2^{2n+1}} \\ &\geq \min\{M(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1}, t), M^\nabla(x_{2n}, F_1x_{2n}, t), M^\nabla(x_{2n+1}, F_2x_{2n+1}, t), \\ &\quad M^\nabla(x_{2n}, F_2x_{2n+1}, (2 - \alpha)t), M^\nabla(x_{2n+1}, F_1x_{2n}, t)\} - \frac{\varepsilon}{2^{2n+1}} \\ &\geq \min\{M(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1}, t), M(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1}, t), M(x_{2n+1}, x_{2n+2}, t), \\ &\quad M(x_{2n}, x_{2n+2}, (1 + k)t), M(x_{2n+1}, x_{2n+1}, t)\} - \frac{\varepsilon}{2^{2n+1}} \end{aligned}$$

Now using (FM-4), we write

$$(1.2) \quad \begin{aligned} &\geq \min\{M(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1}, t), M(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1}, t), M(x_{2n+1}, x_{2n+2}, t), \\ &\quad M(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1}, t) * M(x_{2n+1}, x_{2n+2}, kt), 1\} - \frac{\varepsilon}{2^{2n+1}}. \end{aligned}$$

Since t -norm $*$ is continuous and $M(x, y, \cdot)$ is left continuous, letting $k \rightarrow 1$ in (1.2), we have

$$(1.3) \quad M(x_{2n+1}, x_{2n+2}, qt) \geq \min\{M(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1}, t), M(x_{2n+1}, x_{2n+2}, t)\} - \frac{\varepsilon}{2^{2n+1}}.$$

Similarly we have also

$$(1.4) \quad M(x_{2n+2}, x_{2n+3}, qt) \geq \min\{M(x_{2n+1}, x_{2n+2}, t), M(x_{2n+2}, x_{2n+3}, t)\} - \frac{\varepsilon}{2^{2n+2}}$$

Thus from (1.3) and (1.4), it follows that

$$M(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}, qt) \geq \min\{M(x_n, x_{n+1}, t), M(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}, t)\} - \frac{\varepsilon}{2^{n+1}}$$

for $n = 1, 2, \dots$ and so, for positive integers n, p ,

$$M(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}, qt) \geq \min\left\{M(x_n, x_{n+1}, t), M(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}, \frac{t}{q^p})\right\} - \frac{\varepsilon}{2^{n+1}}.$$

Thus since $M(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}, \frac{t}{q^p}) \rightarrow 1$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$, we have

$$M(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}, qt) \geq M(x_n, x_{n+1}, t) - \frac{\varepsilon}{2^{n+1}}.$$

ε is arbitrary making $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$, we obtain

$$M(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}, qt) \geq M(x_n, x_{n+1}, t).$$

Therefore by Lemma 2, $\{x_n\}$ converges to a point $z \in X$.

Now by (1.1) with $\alpha = 1$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} M^\nabla(x_{2n+2}, F_1z, qt) &\geq M_\nabla(F_1z, F_2x_{2n+1}, qt) \\ &\geq \min\{M(z, x_{2n+1}, t), M^\nabla(z, F_1z, t), M^\nabla(x_{2n+1}, F_2x_{2n+1}, t), \\ &\quad M^\nabla(z, F_2x_{2n+1}, t), M^\nabla(x_{2n+1}, F_1z, t)\} \\ &\geq \min\{M(z, x_{2n+1}, t), M^\nabla(z, F_1z, t), M(x_{2n+1}, x_{2n+2}, t), \\ &\quad M(z, x_{2n+2}, t), M^\nabla(x_{2n+1}, F_1z, t)\}. \end{aligned}$$

Letting $n \rightarrow \infty$, we obtain

$$M^\nabla(z, F_1z, qt) \geq \min\{1, M^\nabla(z, F_1z, t), 1, 1, M^\nabla(z, F_1z, t)\}.$$

This gives

$$M^\nabla(z, F_1z, qt) \geq M^\nabla(z, F_1z, t).$$

Therefore by Lemma 3, $z \in F_1z$. Similarly we can prove that $z \in F_2z$.

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