

STRONG CONVERGENCE OF SOME EXPLICIT ITERATIVE PROCESSES WITH MEAN ERRORS FOR A CLASS OF QUASICONTRACTIVE OPERATORS

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Abstract. The purpose of this paper is to establish a strong convergence of two explicit iteration processes with mean errors to a common fixed point for a finite family of quasi-contractive operators in normed spaces or in generalized convex metric spaces. The results presented have generalize and improve the corresponding results of Berinde [1]-[2], Gu Feng [15], Rafiq [3]-[4], Rhoades [14], Şoltuz [10]-[11] and Zamfirescu [17].

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1. INTRODUCTION AND PRELIMINARIES

Let (X, d) be a metric space. A mapping $T : X \rightarrow X$ is said to be a *quasicontraction* if T has at least one fixed point ($F(T) \neq \emptyset$) and, for each fixed point q , we have

$$d(Tx, q) \leq hd(x, q) \tag{Q}$$

for all $x \in X$, where $h \in (0, 1)$.

Clearly, if T is a quasicontraction then T has a unique fixed point. Supposing that p is another fixed point of T we obtain by (Q) that $d(p, q) \leq hd(p, q)$, so $d(p, q) = 0$, which means $p = q$.

Zamfirescu [17] proved the following result.

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Theorem 1.1. Let (X, d) be a complete metric space and $T : X \rightarrow X$ a mapping for which there exist real numbers a, b, c satisfying $a \in (0, 1)$, $b, c \in (0, 1/2)$ such that for each pair $x, y \in X$, at least one of the following conditions holds:

- (i) $d(Tx, Ty) \leq ad(x, y)$,
- (ii) $d(Tx, Ty) \leq b[d(x, Tx) + d(y, Ty)]$,
- (iii) $d(Tx, Ty) \leq c[d(x, Ty) + d(y, Tx)]$.

Then T has a unique fixed point p and the Picard iteration $\{x_n\}$ defined by

$$x_{n+1} = Tx_n$$

converges to p for any arbitrary fixed $x_0 \in X$.

An operator T satisfying the contractive conditions (i) – (iii) in the above theorem is called a Z -operator. The conditions (i) – (iii) can be written in the following equivalent form

$$d(Tx, Ty) \leq h \max \left\{ d(x, y), \frac{d(x, Tx) + d(y, Ty)}{2}, \frac{d(x, Ty) + d(y, Tx)}{2} \right\},$$

so it results the class of Z -operators is a subclass of Ćirić mapping [6] satisfying the following condition

$$d(Tx, Ty) \leq h \max \left\{ d(x, y), \frac{d(x, Tx) + d(y, Ty)}{2}, d(x, Ty), d(y, Tx) \right\} \quad (\text{CR})$$

for all $x, y \in X$, considered recently by Rafiq [3]. Rafiq proved that a Ćirić operator satisfies the following condition

$$d(Tx, Ty) \leq hd(x, y) + L \min \{d(x, Tx), d(y, Ty)\} \quad (\text{OS})$$

for all $x, y \in X$, where $h \in (0, 1)$ and $L \geq 0$, introduced by Osilike in [8]

Berinde [1] proved that this class is wider than the class of Z -operators and used the Mann iteration process to approximate fixed points of this class of operators in a normed space. Taking $y = q$ in (OS) we get the condition (Q), so we obtain that Osilike operators, Ćirić operators and Z -operators are quasicontractions.

Takahashi [16] introduced the notion of convex metric spaces and studied the fixed point theory for nonexpansive mappings in such a setting.

Definition 1.1. [16] Let (X, d) be a metric space. A mapping $W : X \times X \times [0, 1] \rightarrow X$ is said to be a *convex structure* on X if, for each $(x, y, \lambda) \in$

$X \times X \times [0, 1]$ and $u \in X$

$$d(u, W(x, y, \lambda)) \leq \lambda d(u, x) + (1 - \lambda)d(u, y) \tag{T}$$

The metric space X together with W is called a *convex metric space*.

Definition 1.2. [16] Let X be a convex metric space. A nonempty subset A of X is said to be *convex* if $W(x, y, \lambda) \in A$ whenever $(x, y, \lambda) \in A \times A \times [0, 1]$.

All normed spaces and their convex subsets are convex metric spaces with $W(x, y, \lambda) = \lambda x + (1 - \lambda)y$.

Rafiq [5] introduced the notion of generalized convex metric spaces.

Definition 1.3. [5] Let (X, d) be a metric space. A mapping $W : X \times X \times X \times [0, 1] \times [0, 1] \times [0, 1] \rightarrow X$ is said to be a *generalized convex structure* on X if, for each $(x, y, z, a, b, c) \in X \times X \times X \times [0, 1] \times [0, 1] \times [0, 1]$ and $u \in X$,

$$d(u, W(x, y, z; a, b, c)) \leq ad(u, x) + bd(u, y) + cd(u, z) \tag{R}$$

where $a+b+c = 1$. The metric space X together with W is called a *generalized convex metric space*.

Definition 1.4. [5] Let X be a generalized convex metric space. A nonempty subset A of X is said to be *generalized convex* if $W(x, y, z; a, b, c) \in A$ whenever $(x, y, z; a, b, c) \in A \times A \times A \times [0, 1] \times [0, 1] \times [0, 1]$.

Clearly every generalized convex metric space is a convex space, every generalized convex set is a convex set. All normed spaces and their generalized convex subsets are generalized convex metric spaces with $W(x, y, z; a, b, c) = ax + by + cz$.

Let D be a nonempty closed generalized convex subset of a generalized convex metric space X , $T : D \rightarrow D$ and $T_i : D \rightarrow D$ a finite family of mappings ($i = 1, 2, \dots, N$).

Algorithm 1. The Xu-Ori [13] iteration with errors is defined by $x_0 \in D$ and

$$x_{n+1} = W(x_n, T_n x_n, u_n; \alpha_n, \beta_n, \gamma_n), n \geq 0,$$

where $\{\alpha_n\}, \{\beta_n\}, \{\gamma_n\}$ are sequences in $[0,1]$ with $\alpha_n + \beta_n + \gamma_n = 1$ and $T_n = T_{n(mod N)}$.

For $N = 1$ we obtained the Xu - Mann iteration with errors [12].

Algorithm 2. The Xu multistep procedure with errors is defined by $x_0 \in D$ and

$$\begin{aligned}x_{n+1} &= W(x_n, Ty_n^1, u_n^1; \alpha_n^1, \beta_n^1, \gamma_n^1), \\y_n^i &= W(x_n, Ty_n^{i+1}, u_n^{i+1}; \alpha_n^{i+1}, \beta_n^{i+1}, \gamma_n^{i+1}), \\y_n^{p-1} &= W(x_n, Tx_n, u_n^p; \alpha_n^p, \beta_n^p, \gamma_n^p),\end{aligned}\tag{1.1}$$

where $i = 1, 2, \dots, p-2, \{\alpha_n^i\}, \{\beta_n^i\}, \{\gamma_n^i\} \subset [0, 1]$ such that $\alpha_n^i + \beta_n^i + \gamma_n^i = 1$, $i = 1, 2, \dots, p$, and $\{u_n^i\}$ are bounded sequences in D .

If X is a normed space, taking $W(x, y, z; a, b, c) = ax + by + cz$ and $\gamma_n^i = 0$ we obtain the multistep procedure introduced by Rhoades and Şoltuz [14] in 2004. In this case, for $p = 3$ we get the Noor procedure, for $p = 2$ we have the Ishikawa procedure [7] and for $p = 1$ we obtain the Mann procedure [9]. If X is a normed space and $W(x, y, z; a, b, c) = ax + by + cz$ then for $p = 2$ we get the Xu - Ishikawa procedure with errors [12] and for $p = 1$ we obtain the Xu - Mann procedure with errors [12].

In order to prove the main results of this paper, we need the following Lemma:

Lemma 1.1. [1] *Suppose that $\{a_n\}, \{b_n\}, \{c_n\}$ are three nonnegative real sequences satisfying the following condition:*

$$a_{n+1} \leq (1 - \lambda_n)a_n + b_n + c_n$$

for all $n \geq n_0$, $\lambda_n \in [0, 1]$, $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \lambda_n = \infty$, $b_n = o(\lambda_n)$ and $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n < \infty$. Then $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 0$.

2. MAIN RESULTS

We are now able to prove our main results in this paper.

Theorem 2.1. *Let D be a nonempty closed generalized convex subset of a generalized convex metric space X . Let $T_i : D \rightarrow D$ be a finite family of quasicontractions, $i = 1, 2, \dots, N$, with $F = \bigcap F(T_i) \neq \emptyset$. Let $\{\alpha_n\}, \{\beta_n\}, \{\gamma_n\}$ be sequences in $[0, 1]$ with $\alpha_n + \beta_n + \gamma_n = 1$ and $T_n = T_{n(\text{mod}N)}$ such that*

- (i) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \beta_n = \infty$,
- (ii) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \gamma_n < \infty$ or $\gamma_n = o(\beta_n)$.

Let $\{u_n\}$ be a bounded sequence in D , $x_0 \in D$ and $\{x_n\}$ the Xu-Ori iteration with errors defined by Algorithm 1. Then $\{x_n\}$ converges strongly to a common fixed point of $\{T_i\}$.

Proof. Let q be a common fixed point of T_i . By (Q) we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 d(x_{n+1}, q) &= d(W(x_n, T_n x_n, u_n; \alpha_n, \beta_n, \gamma_n), q) \\
 &\leq \alpha_n d(x_n, q) + \beta_n d(T_n x_n, q) + \gamma_n d(u_n, q) \\
 &\leq \alpha_n d(x_n, q) + \beta_n h_n d(x_n, q) + \gamma_n d(u_n, q) \tag{2.1} \\
 &\leq (\alpha_n + \beta_n h) d(x_n, q) + \gamma_n d(u_n, q) \\
 &\leq (1 - \beta_n(1 - h)) d(x_n, q) + \gamma_n d(u_n, q),
 \end{aligned}$$

where h_i is the coefficient of quasicontractivity of T_i , $i = 1, 2, \dots, N$ and $h = \max \{h_1, h_2, \dots, h_N\}$.

From the conditions (i)-(ii), using the relation (2.1) and Lemma 1.1 we have $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} d(x_n, q) = 0$, and so $\{x_n\}$ converges strongly to q . \square

Corollary 2.1. (Theorem 2.1, [15]) *Let D be a nonempty closed convex subset of a normed space X . Let $T_i : D \rightarrow D (i = 1, 2, \dots, N)$ be a finite family of operators satisfying the condition (CR) with $F = \bigcap F(T_i) \neq \emptyset$. Let $\{\alpha_n\}, \{\beta_n\}, \{\gamma_n\}$ be sequences in $[0, 1]$ with $\alpha_n + \beta_n + \gamma_n = 1$ and $T_n = T_{n(\text{mod}N)}$ such that*

- (i) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \beta_n = \infty$,
- (ii) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \gamma_n < \infty$ or $\gamma_n = o(\beta_n)$.

Let $\{u_n\}$ be a bounded sequence in D , $x_0 \in D$ and $\{x_n\}$ the Xu - Ori iteration with errors defined by

$$x_{n+1} = \alpha_n x_n + \beta_n T_n x_n + \gamma_n u_n, n \geq 1.$$

Then $\{x_n\}$ converges strongly to a common fixed point of $\{T_i\}$.

Proof. Since every Ćirić operator is a quasicontraction, the conclusion of Corollary 2.1 can be obtained from Theorem 2.1 immediately. \square

Corollary 2.2. (Theorem 2.2, [15]) *Let D be a nonempty closed convex subset of a normed space X . Let $T_i : D \rightarrow D (i = 1, 2, \dots, N)$ be a finite family of operators satisfying the condition (CR) with $F = \bigcap F(T_i) \neq \emptyset$. Let $\{\alpha_n\}, \{\beta_n\}$ be sequences in $[0, 1]$ with $\alpha_n + \beta_n = 1$ and $T_n = T_{n(\text{mod}N)}$ such that*

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \beta_n = \infty.$$

Let $x_0 \in D$ and $\{x_n\}$ the sequence defined by

$$x_{n+1} = \alpha_n x_n + \beta_n T_n x_n, n \geq 1.$$

Then $\{x_n\}$ converges strongly to a common fixed point of $\{T_i\}$.

Proof. Taking $\gamma_n = 0$ in the previous Corollary, the conclusion of Corollary 2.2 can be obtained immediately. \square

Corollary 2.3. (Corollary 2.2, [15]) *Let D be a nonempty closed convex subset of a normed space X . Let $T_i : D \rightarrow D$ ($i = 1, 2, \dots, N$) be a finite family of operators satisfying the condition (OS) with $F = \bigcap F(T_i) \neq \emptyset$. Let $\{\alpha_n\}, \{\beta_n\}, \{\gamma_n\}$ be sequences in $[0, 1]$ with $\alpha_n + \beta_n + \gamma_n = 1$ and $T_n = T_{n(\text{mod}N)}$ such that*

- (i) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \beta_n = \infty$,
- (ii) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \gamma_n < \infty$ or $\gamma_n = o(\beta_n)$.

Let $\{u_n\}$ be a bounded sequence in D , $x_0 \in D$ and $\{x_n\}$ the sequence defined by

$$x_{n+1} = \alpha_n x_n + \beta_n T_n + \gamma_n u_n, n \geq 1.$$

Then $\{x_n\}$ converges strongly to a common fixed point of $\{T_i\}$.

Proof. Since every Osilike operator is a quasicontraction, the conclusion of Corollary 2.2 can be obtained from Theorem 2.1 immediately. \square

Theorem 2.2. *Let D be a nonempty closed generalized convex subset of a generalized convex metric space X . Let $T : D \rightarrow D$ be a quasicontraction. Let $\{\alpha_n^i\}, \{\beta_n^i\}, \{\gamma_n^i\}$ be sequences in $[0, 1]$ with $\alpha_n^i + \beta_n^i + \gamma_n^i = 1$, $i = 1, 2, \dots, p$ and $\{u_n^i\}$ bounded sequence in D , $i = 1, 2, \dots, p$. Suppose further that $x_0 \in D$ and $\{x_n\}$ is the multistep procedure with errors defined by Algorithm 2. If the following conditions*

- (i) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \beta_n^1 = \infty$,
- (ii) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \gamma_n^1 < \infty$ or $\gamma_n^1 = o(\beta_n^1)$,
- (iii) $\gamma_n^2 \rightarrow 0, \beta_n^2 \rightarrow 0$ or $\gamma_n^i \rightarrow 0, i = 1, 2, \dots, s, \beta_n^s \rightarrow 0, s \leq p$,

hold, then $\{x_n\}$ converges strongly to the unique fixed point of T .

Proof. Since T is a quasicontraction we have by (R), (Q) and Algorithm 2:

$$\begin{aligned} d(y_n^{p-1}, q) &\leq \alpha_n^p d(x_n, q) + \beta_n^p d(Tx_n, q) + \gamma_n^p d(u_n^p, q) \\ &\leq (\alpha_n^p + h\beta_n^p) d(x_n, q) + \gamma_n^p d(u_n^p, q) \\ &\leq d(x_n, q) + \gamma_n^p d(u_n^p, q) \end{aligned} \tag{2.2}$$

Also

$$\begin{aligned}
 d(y_n^{p-2}, q) &\leq \alpha_n^{p-1}d(x_n, q) + \beta_n^{p-1}d(Ty_n^{p-1}, q) + \gamma_n^{p-1}d(u_n^{p-1}, q) \\
 &\leq \alpha_n^{p-1}d(x_n, q) + h\beta_n^{p-1}d(y_n^{p-1}, q) + \gamma_n^{p-1}d(u_n^{p-1}, q) \\
 &\leq (\alpha_n^{p-1} + h\beta_n^{p-1})d(x_n, q) + h\beta_n^{p-1}\gamma_n^p d(u_n^p, q) + \gamma_n^{p-1}d(u_n^{p-1}, q) \\
 &\leq d(x_n, q) + \beta_n^{p-1}\gamma_n^p d(u_n^p, q) + \gamma_n^{p-1}d(u_n^{p-1}, q).
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{2.3}$$

Inductively, we obtain that

$$\begin{aligned}
 d(y_n^1, q) &\leq d(x_n, q) + \beta_n^2\beta_n^3\dots\beta_n^{p-1}\gamma_n^p d(u_n^p, q) + \\
 &\quad \beta_n^2\beta_n^3\dots\beta_n^{p-2}\gamma_n^{p-1}d(u_n^{p-1}, q) + \dots + \gamma_n^2d(u_n^2, q),
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{2.4}$$

so we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 d(x_{n+1}, q) &\leq \alpha_n^1d(x_n, q) + \beta_n^1d(Ty_n^1, q) + \gamma_n^1d(u_n^1, q) \\
 &\leq \alpha_n^1d(x_n, q) + h\beta_n^1d(y_n^1, q) + \gamma_n^1d(u_n^1, q) \\
 &\leq (\alpha_n^1 + h\beta_n^1)d(x_n, q) + h\beta_n^1[\beta_n^2\beta_n^3\dots\beta_n^{p-1}\gamma_n^p d(u_n^p, q) \\
 &\quad + \beta_n^2\beta_n^3\dots\beta_n^{p-2}\gamma_n^{p-1}d(u_n^{p-1}, q) + \dots + \gamma_n^2d(u_n^2, q)] + \gamma_n^1d(u_n^1, q) \\
 &\leq [1 - \beta_n^1(1 - h)]d(x_n, q) + \gamma_n^1d(u_n^1, q) + h\beta_n^1[\beta_n^2\beta_n^3\dots\beta_n^{p-1}\gamma_n^p d(u_n^p, q) \\
 &\quad + \beta_n^2\beta_n^3\dots\beta_n^{p-2}\gamma_n^{p-1}d(u_n^{p-1}, q) + \dots + \gamma_n^2d(u_n^2, q)].
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{2.5}$$

From the condition (i) - (iii), using Lemma 1.1 and the relation from above we get $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} d(x_n, q) = 0$, and so $\{x_n\}$ converges strongly to q . \square

Corollary 2.4. (Theorem 3, [3]) *Let D be a nonempty closed generalized convex subset of a generalized convex metric space X . Let $T : D \rightarrow D$ be an operator satisfying the condition (CR). The sequence $\{x_n\}$ defined by $x_0 \in D$ and*

$$x_{n+1} = W(x_n, Tx_n, u_n; \alpha_n, \beta_n, \gamma_n), n \geq 0,$$

where $\{\alpha_n\}, \{\beta_n\}, \{\gamma_n\}$ are sequences in $[0, 1]$ with $\alpha_n + \beta_n + \gamma_n = 1$ and $\{u_n\}$ is a bounded sequence in D , converges strongly to the unique fixed point of T provided that

- (i) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \beta_n = \infty$,
- (ii) $\gamma_n = o(\beta_n)$.

Proof. Taking $p = 1$ in Theorem 2.2 we obtain immediately the conclusion of Corollary 2.4. \square

Corollary 2.5. *Let D be a nonempty closed convex subset of a normed space X . Let $T : D \rightarrow D$ be an operator with $F(T) \neq \emptyset$ and satisfying the condition (Z). Let $\{\alpha_n^i\}, \{\beta_n^i\} \subset [0, 1]$ be such that $\alpha_n^i + \beta_n^i = 1, i = 1, 2, \dots, p$ and $\{u_n^i\}$ bounded sequences in D . Suppose that $x_0 \in D$ and $\{x_n\}$ is the multistep procedure defined by*

$$\begin{aligned} x_{n+1} &= \alpha_n^1 x_n + \beta_n^1 T y_n^1, \\ y_n^i &= \alpha_n^{i+1} x_n + \beta_n^{i+1} T y_n^{i+1}, \\ y_n^{p-1} &= \alpha_n^p x_n + \beta_n^p T x_n. \end{aligned} \quad (2.6)$$

If the following condition

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \beta_n^1 = \infty,$$

holds, then $\{x_n\}$ converges strongly to the unique fixed point of T .

Proof. Taking $W(x, y, z; a, b, c) = ax + by + cz$ and $\gamma_n^i = 0, i = 1, 2, \dots, p$ in Theorem 2.2 we get the conclusion of Corollary 2.5. \square

Corollary 2.6. (Theorem 2, [2]) *Let D be a nonempty closed convex subset of a normed space X . Let $T : D \rightarrow D$ be an operator with $F(T) \neq \emptyset$ and satisfying the condition (Z). Let $\{\alpha_n\}, \{\beta_n\} \subset [0, 1], x_0 \in D$ and $\{x_n\}$ the Ishikawa procedure defined by*

$$\begin{aligned} x_{n+1} &= (1 - \alpha_n)x_n + \alpha_n T y_n, \\ y_n &= (1 - \beta_n)x_n + \beta_n T x_n. \end{aligned} \quad (2.7)$$

If the following condition

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \alpha_n = \infty,$$

holds, then $\{x_n\}$ converges strongly to the unique fixed point of T .

Proof. Taking $p = 1$ in Corollary 2.5 we get the conclusion of Corollary 2.6. \square

Remark 2.1. Under conditions of Corollary 2.6 Şoltuz [10] proved that the Mann iteration (Ishikawa iteration with $\beta_n = 0$) converges strongly to the unique fixed point of T if and only if the Ishikawa iteration converges strongly to the unique fixed point of T . But, by Corollary 2.6 it results that both always converge to the unique fixed point of T .

Remark 2.2. Under conditions of Corollary 2.5 Şoltuz [11] proved that the multistep procedure converges strongly to the unique fixed point of T if and only if the Mann iteration converges strongly to the unique fixed point of T . But, by Corollary 2.5 and 2.6 it results that both always converge to the unique fixed point of T .

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