

Fixed Point Theorems for (ε, λ) -Uniformly Locally Generalized Contractions

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Abstract

In this paper, we define a class called (ε, λ) -uniformly locally generalized contractions and establish a fixed point theorem for such contractions.

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Introduction:

- 1. Definition:** A selfmap f of a D^* -metric space (X, D^*) is called a (ε, λ) -uniformly locally generalized contraction, if there is a number q with $0 \leq q < 1$ and a positive constant ε , such that

$$(1.1) \quad D^*(fx, fy, fz) \leq q.D^*(x, y, y) + r.D^*(x, fx, fx) + s.D^*(y, fy, fy) + t.\{D^*(x, fy, fy) + D^*(y, fx, fx)\}$$

for all $x, y \in X$ with $D^*(x, y, y) < \varepsilon$, where $\sup_{x, y \in X} \{q + r + s + 2t\} = \lambda < 1$.

We now prove

Main Theorem:

- 2. Theorem:** Suppose f is a (ε, λ) -uniformly locally generalized contraction of a D^* -metric space (X, D^*) and X is f -orbitally complete. Then for every $x \in X$,
either

(2.1) $D^*(f^s x, f^{s+1} x, f^{s+1} x) \geq \varepsilon$ for all integers $s \geq 0$

or

(2.2) the sequence $\{f^n x\}$ converges to u , which is a fixed point of f . Also there is no other fixed point $v \in X$ with $D^*(u, v, v) < \varepsilon$.

Proof: For any $x \in X$, consider $\{D^*(f^s x, f^{s+1} x, f^{s+1} x)\}_{s=0}^\infty$. Then we have either each of the term in this sequence is greater than or equal to ε or for some term in it is less than ε .

In the first case, the alternative of (2.1) of the hypothesis holds.

Let for some integer $s = s_0$, $D^*(f^{s_0} x, f^{s_0+1} x, f^{s_0+1} x) < \varepsilon$. Since f is a (ε, λ) -uniformly locally generalized contraction and $D^*(f^{s_0} x, f^{s_0+1} x, f^{s_0+1} x) < \varepsilon$, we get numbers q, r, s , and t (all depending on x and y) such that

$$\begin{aligned} D^*(f^{s_0+1} x, f^{s_0+2} x, f^{s_0+2} x) &= D^*(ff^{s_0} x, ff^{s_0+1} x, ff^{s_0+1} x) \\ &\leq q.D^*(f^{s_0} x, f^{s_0+1} x, f^{s_0+1} x) + r.D^*(f^{s_0} x, f^{s_0+1} x, f^{s_0+1} x) \\ &\quad + s.D^*(f^{s_0+1} x, f^{s_0+2} x, f^{s_0+2} x) \\ &\quad + t\{D^*(f^{s_0} x, f^{s_0+2} x, f^{s_0+2} x) + D^*(f^{s_0+1} x, f^{s_0+1} x, f^{s_0+1} x)\} \\ &\leq q.D^*(f^{s_0} x, f^{s_0+1} x, f^{s_0+1} x) + r.D^*(f^{s_0} x, f^{s_0+1} x, f^{s_0+1} x) \\ &\quad + s.D^*(f^{s_0+1} x, f^{s_0+2} x, f^{s_0+2} x) \\ &\quad + t\{D^*(f^{s_0} x, f^{s_0+1} x, f^{s_0+1} x) + D^*(f^{s_0+1} x, f^{s_0+2} x, f^{s_0+2} x)\} \\ &\leq (q+r+t).D^*(f^{s_0} x, f^{s_0+1} x, f^{s_0+1} x) \\ &\quad + (s+t).D^*(f^{s_0+1} x, f^{s_0+2} x, f^{s_0+2} x) \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$(1-s-t).D^*(f^{s_0+1} x, f^{s_0+2} x, f^{s_0+2} x) \leq (q+r+t).D^*(f^{s_0} x, f^{s_0+1} x, f^{s_0+1} x)$$

This implies that

$$D^*(f^{s_0+1}, f^{s_0+2}, f^{s_0+2}) \leq \frac{(q+r+t)}{(1-s-t)} \cdot D^*(f^{s_0}x, f^{s_0+1}x, f^{s_0+1}x)$$

$$\leq \lambda \cdot D^*(f^{s_0}x, f^{s_0+1}x, f^{s_0+1}x)$$

Also we get by repeated use of the above inequality that

$$D^*(f^{s_0+p}, f^{s_0+p+1}, f^{s_0+p+1}) \leq \lambda \cdot D^*(f^{s_0+p-1}x, f^{s_0+p}x, f^{s_0+p}x)$$

$$\leq \lambda^2 \cdot D^*(f^{s_0+p-2}x, f^{s_0+p-1}x, f^{s_0+p-1}x)$$

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$$\leq \lambda^p \cdot D^*(f^{s_0}x, f^{s_0+1}x, f^{s_0+1}x)$$

That is, $D^*(f^{s_0+p}x, f^{s_0+p+1}x, f^{s_0+p+1}x) < \varepsilon$ for every integer $p = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots$ and hence for $n \geq s_0$, we have

$$D^*(f^n x, f^{n+p} x, f^{n+p} x) \leq D^*(f^n x, f^{n+1} x, f^{n+1} x) + D^*(f^{n+1} x, f^{n+2} x, f^{n+2} x)$$

$$+ \dots + D^*(f^{n+p-1} x, f^{n+p} x, f^{n+p} x)$$

$$\leq (\lambda^{n-s_0} + \lambda^{n-s_0+1} + \dots + \lambda^{n-s_0+p-1}) D^*(f^{s_0} x, f^{s_0+1} x, f^{s_0+1} x)$$

$$\leq (\lambda^{n-s_0} + \lambda^{n-s_0+1} + \dots + \lambda^{n-s_0+p-1} + \dots) D^*(f^{s_0} x, f^{s_0+1} x, f^{s_0+1} x)$$

$$D^*(f^n x, f^{n+p} x, f^{n+p} x) \leq \frac{\lambda^{n-s_0}}{1-\lambda} D^*(f^{s_0} x, f^{s_0+1} x, f^{s_0+1} x)$$

$$\rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty$$

Thus the sequence $\{f^n x\}$ is a Cauchy sequence in a f -orbitally complete D^* -metric space (X, D^*) and hence there exists $u \in X$ such that

$$u = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f^n x = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f^{s_0+p}$$

Therefore there is an integer $n_0 > s_0$ such that

$$D^*(f^n x, u, u) < \varepsilon \text{ for all } n \geq n_0$$

Now

$$\begin{aligned} D^*(fu, ff^n x, ff^n x) &\leq qD^*(u, f^n x, f^n x) + rD^*(u, fu, fu) + sD^*(f^n x, f^{n+1} x, f^{n+1} x) \\ &\quad + t\{D^*(u, f^{n+1} x, f^{n+1} x) + D^*(f^n x, fu, fu)\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} D^*(fu, f^{n+1} x, f^{n+1} x) &\leq qD^*(u, f^n x, f^n x) + rD^*(u, f^{n+1} x, f^{n+1} x) \\ &\quad + rD^*(f^{n+1} x, fu, fu) + sD^*(f^n x, f^{n+1} x, f^{n+1} x) \\ &\quad + tD^*(u, f^{n+1} x, f^{n+1} x) + tD^*(f^n x, f^{n+1} x, f^{n+1} x) \\ &\quad + tD^*(f^{n+1} x, fu, fu) \\ &\leq qD^*(u, f^n x, f^n x) + (r+t)D^*(u, f^{n+1} x, f^{n+1} x) \\ &\quad + (s+t)D^*(f^n x, f^{n+1} x, f^{n+1} x) \\ &\quad + (r+t)D^*(fu, f^{n+1} x, f^{n+1} x) \\ &\leq \lambda D^*(u, f^n x, f^n x) + \lambda D^*(u, f^{n+1} x, f^{n+1} x) \\ &\quad + \lambda D^*(f^n x, f^{n+1} x, f^{n+1} x) + \lambda D^*(fu, f^{n+1} x, f^{n+1} x) \end{aligned}$$

which gives

$$\begin{aligned} (1-\lambda)D^*(fu, f^{n+1} x, f^{n+1} x) &\leq \lambda\{ D^*(u, f^n x, f^n x) + D^*(u, f^{n+1} x, f^{n+1} x) \\ &\quad + D^*(f^n x, f^{n+1} x, f^{n+1} x) \} \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$D^*(fu, f^{n+1}x, f^{n+1}x) \leq \frac{\lambda}{(1-\lambda)} \{D^*(u, f^n x, f^n x) + D^*(u, f^{n+1}x, f^{n+1}x) + D^*(f^n x, f^{n+1}x, f^{n+1}x)\}$$

Now letting $n \rightarrow \infty$, it follows that $D^*(fu, u, u) = 0$ which implies that $fu = u$, showing that the sequence $\{f^n x\}$ converges to some point of X .

To prove the uniqueness of fixed point of f , suppose that $fv = v$ for some $v \in X$ and $D^*(u, v, v) < \varepsilon$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} D^*(u, v, v) &= D^*(fu, fv, fv) \\ &\leq qD^*(u, v, v) + rD^*(u, fu, fu) + sD^*(v, fv, fv) \\ &\quad + t\{D^*(u, fv, fv) + D^*(v, fu, fu)\} \\ &= qD^*(u, v, v) + rD^*(u, u, u) + sD^*(v, v, v) \\ &\quad + t\{D^*(u, v, v) + D^*(v, u, u)\} \\ &= (q + 2t)D^*(u, v, v) = \lambda D^*(u, v, v) \end{aligned}$$

which implies that $D^*(u, v, v) = 0$, since $\lambda < 1$ and hence $u = v$, proving the second part of (2.2).

2.2 Corollary: Suppose f is a (ε, λ) -uniformly locally generalized contraction of a D^* -metric space (X, D^*) and X is f -orbitally complete. If for every $x \in X$, there is an integer $n(x)$ such that

(2.2.1) $D^*(f^{n(x)}x, f^{n(x)+1}x, f^{n(x)+1}x) < \varepsilon$

Then f has a unique fixed point, provided any two fixed points u, v of f are such that $D^*(u, v, v) < \varepsilon$.

Also the sequence $\{f^n x\}$ for any $x \in X$ converges to the unique fixed point of f .

Proof: Follows from Theorem 1.1.

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