



# A new approximation method for common fixed points of a finite family of nonexpansive non-self mappings in Banach spaces

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## Abstract

In this paper, we introduce a new iterative scheme to approximate a common fixed point for a finite family of nonexpansive non-self mappings. Strong convergence theorems of the proposed iteration in Banach spaces.

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## 1. Introduction

Let  $X$  be a real Banach space,  $C$  a nonempty closed convex subset of a Banach space  $X$  and let  $P : X \rightarrow C$  be the *nonexpansive retraction* of  $X$  onto  $C$ ,  $T : C \rightarrow X$  a given mapping.  $T$  is said to be *nonexpansive* if  $\|Tx - Ty\| \leq \|x - y\|$  for all  $x, y \in C$ . The fixed point set of  $T$  denoted by  $F(T)$  such that  $F(T) = \{x \in C : x = Tx\}$  and  $f$  is called *contraction* if there exists a constant  $\alpha \in (0, 1)$  such that  $\|f(x) - f(y)\| \leq \alpha\|x - y\|$  for all  $x, y \in C$ .

In 1953, Mann [7] introduced *Mann iteration process* define as follows:  $x_1 \in C$  and

$$x_{n+1} = (1 - \alpha_n)x_n + \alpha_nTx_n, \forall n \geq 1,$$

where  $\{\alpha_n\} \subset (0, 1)$ . Later, in 1974, Ishikawa [5] proposed the following two-step iteration:  $x_1 \in C$  and

$$\begin{aligned} y_n &= (1 - \beta_n)x_n + \beta_nTx_n, \\ x_{n+1} &= (1 - \alpha_n)x_n + \alpha_nTy_n, \quad \forall n \geq 1, \end{aligned}$$

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where  $\{\alpha_n\}$  and  $\{\beta_n\}$  are sequences in  $(0, 1)$ . This method is often called the *Ishikawa iteration process*.

Very recently, Agarwal et al. [2] introduced a new iteration process as follows:  $x_1 \in C$  and

$$\begin{aligned} y_n &= (1 - \beta_n)x_n + \beta_nTx_n, \\ x_{n+1} &= (1 - \alpha_n)Tx_n + \alpha_nTy_n, \quad \forall n \geq 1, \end{aligned}$$

where  $\{\alpha_n\}$  and  $\{\beta_n\}$  are sequences in  $(0, 1)$ . This method is called the *S-iteration process*.

Motivated by Agarwal et al. [2], we have the aim to introduce and study a new mapping defined by the following definition.

**Definition 1.1.** *Let  $X$  be a real Banach space,  $C$  a nonempty closed convex subset of a real Banach space  $X$  and let  $P : X \rightarrow C$  be the nonexpansive retraction of  $X$  onto  $C$ . Let  $T_1, T_2, \dots, T_N$  be a finite family of nonexpansive non-self mappings of  $C$  onto  $X$ , and let  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_N \in [0, 1]$  for all  $i = 1, 2, \dots, N$ . Define the mapping  $Y : X \rightarrow X$  as follows:*

$$\begin{aligned} U_1 &= \lambda_1PT_1 + (1 - \lambda_1)I, \\ U_2 &= \lambda_2PT_2U_1 + (1 - \lambda_2)PT_1, \\ U_3 &= \lambda_3PT_3U_2 + (1 - \lambda_3)PT_2, \\ &\vdots \\ U_{N-1} &= \lambda_{N-1}PT_{N-1}U_{N-2} + (1 - \lambda_{N-1})PT_{N-2}, \\ Y = U_N &= \lambda_NPT_NU_{N-1} + (1 - \lambda_N)PT_{N-1}, \end{aligned} \tag{1.1}$$

such that a mapping  $Y$  is called the *Y-mapping generated by  $T_1, T_2, \dots, T_N$  and  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_N$  and  $I : X \rightarrow X$  be identity mapping*.

First, we use the definition above, study weak convergence of the following Mann-type iteration process in a uniformly convex Banach space with a Fréchet differentiable norm:  $x_1 \in C$

$$x_{n+1} = (1 - \alpha_n)x_n + \alpha_nY_nx_n, \quad \forall n \geq 1, \tag{1.2}$$

where  $Y_n$  is a *Y-mapping generated by  $T_1, T_2, \dots, T_N$  and  $\lambda_{n,1}, \lambda_{n,2}, \dots, \lambda_{n,N}$* .

Finally, we discuss strong convergence of the iteration scheme involving the modified viscosity approximation method [8] define as follows:  $x_1 \in C$  and

$$x_{n+1} = \alpha_n f(x_n) + \beta_n x_n + \lambda_n Y_n x_n, \quad \forall n \geq 1, \tag{1.3}$$

where  $\{\alpha_n\}, \{\beta_n\}$  and  $\{\lambda_n\}$  are sequences in  $(0, 1)$  and  $f \in \Sigma_C$ .

The aim of this paper is to obtain weak and strong convergence results for the iterative process (1.1) of a nonexpansive non-self mappings in Banach spaces. This paper, we use the notation as follows:

- i  $\rightharpoonup$  for weak convergence and  $\rightarrow$  for strong convergence;
- ii  $\omega_\omega(x_n) = \{x : x_{n_i} \rightharpoonup\}$  denote the weak  $\omega$ -limit set of  $\{x_n\}$ .

## 2. Preliminaries

In this section, we give some definitions and lemmas used in the main results.[1]

Let  $X$  be a real Banach space and let  $U = \{x \in X : \|x\| = 1\}$  be the unit sphere of  $X$ . A Banach space  $X$  is said to be *strictly convex* if for any  $x, y \in U$ ,

$$x \neq y \quad \text{implies} \quad \left\| \frac{x + y}{2} \right\| < 1.$$

It also said to be *uniformly convex* if for each  $\epsilon \in (0, 2]$ , there exists  $\delta > 0$  such that for any  $x, y \in U$ ,

$$\|x - y\| \geq \epsilon \quad \text{implies} \quad \left\| \frac{x + y}{2} \right\| < 1 - \delta.$$

It is known that a uniformly convex Banach space is reflexive and strictly convex. Define a function  $\delta : [0, 2] \rightarrow [0, 1]$  called the *modulus of convexity* of  $X$  as follows:

$$\delta(\epsilon) = \inf \left\{ 1 - \left\| \frac{x + y}{2} \right\| : x, y \in X, \|x\| = \|y\| = 1, \|x - y\| \geq \epsilon \right\}.$$

Then  $X$  is uniformly convex if and only if  $\delta(\epsilon) > 0$  for all  $\epsilon \in (0, 2]$ . A Banach space  $X$  is said to be *smooth* if the limit

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\|x + ty\| - \|x\|}{t} \tag{2.1}$$

exist for all  $x, y \in U$ . The norm is said to be *uniformly Gâteaux differentiable*, if for  $y \in U$ , the limit is attained uniformly for  $x \in U$ . It is said to be *Fréchet differentiable*, if for  $x \in U$ , the limit is attained uniformly for  $y \in U$ . It is said to be *uniformly smooth* or *uniformly Fréchet differentiable* if the limit (2.1) is attained uniformly for  $x, y \in U$ . The *normalized duality mapping*  $J : X \rightarrow 2^{X^*}$  is defined by

$$J(x) = \{x^* \in X^* : \langle x, x^* \rangle = \|x\|^2 = \|x^*\|^2\} \tag{2.2}$$

for all  $x \in X$ . It is know that  $X$  is smooth if and only if the duality mapping  $J$  is single valued and that if  $X$  has a uniformly Gâteaux differentiable norm,  $J$  is uniformly norm-to-weak continuous on each bounded subset of  $X$ . A Banach space  $X$  is said to satisfy Opial’s condition [9]. If  $x \in X$  and  $x_n \rightharpoonup x$ , then

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - x\| < \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - y\|, \quad \forall y \in X, x \neq y. \tag{2.3}$$

Let  $T : C \rightarrow C$ . Then  $I - T$  is demiclosed at 0 if for all sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in  $C$ ,  $x_n \rightharpoonup q$  and  $\|x_n - T_n\| \rightarrow 0$  imply  $q = Tq$ . It is known that if  $X$  is uniformly convex,  $C$  is nonempty closed and convex, and  $T$  is nonexpansive, then  $I - T$  is demiclosed at 0 [3].

The following lemmas are needed for proving our main results.

**Lemma 2.1.** (Agarwal et al. [1]) Let  $X$  be a Banach space. Then the following hold:

1.  $\|x + y\|^2 \geq \|x\|^2 + 2\langle y, J(x) \rangle$  for all  $x, y \in X$ ;
2.  $\|x + y\|^2 \leq \|x\|^2 + 2\langle y, J(x + y) \rangle$  for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Lemma 2.2.** (Takahashi [11]) In a strictly convex Banach space  $X$ , if

$$\|x\| = \|y\| = \|\lambda x + (1 - \lambda)y\|$$

for all  $x, y \in X$  and  $\lambda \in (0, 1)$ , then  $x = y$

**Lemma 2.3.** (Suzuki [10]) Let  $\{x_n\}$  and  $\{z_n\}$  be two sequences in a Banach space  $E$  such that

$$x_{n+1} = \beta_n x_n + (1 - \beta_n) z_n, \quad n \geq 1,$$

where  $\{\beta_n\}$  satisfies the condition  $0 < \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \beta_n \leq \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \beta_n < 1$ .  
 If  $\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\|z_{n+1} - z_n\| - \|x_{n+1} - x_n\|) \leq 0$ , then  $\|z_n - x_n\| \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .

**Lemma 2.4.** (Tan and Xu [12]) Let  $X$  be a uniformly convex Banach space with a Fréchet differentiable norm. Let  $G$  be a closed convex subset of  $X$  and let  $\{S_n\}_{n=1}^\infty$  be a family of  $L_n$ -Lipschitzian self-mappings on  $C$  such that  $\sum_{n=1}^\infty (L_n - 1) < \infty$  and  $F \cap \bigcap_{n=1}^\infty F(S_n) \neq \emptyset$ . For arbitrary  $x_1 \in C$ , define  $x_{n+1} = S_n x_n$  for all  $n \geq 1$ . Then, for every  $p, q \in F$ ,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle x_n, J(p - q) \rangle$  exists, in particular, for all  $u, v \in \omega_\omega(x_n)$  and  $p, q \in F$ ,  $\langle u - v, J(p - q) \rangle = 0$ .

**Lemma 2.5.** (Jung and Sahu [6]) Let  $X$  be a reflexive and strictly uniformly convex Banach space with a uniformly Gâteaux differentiable norm, let  $C$  be a closed convex subset of  $X$  and let  $A : C \rightarrow C$  be a continuous strongly pseudocontractive mapping with constant  $k \in [0, 1)$ , and let  $T : C \rightarrow X$  be a continuous pseudocontractive mapping satisfying the weakly inward condition. If  $T$  has a fixed point in  $C$ , then the path  $\{x_t\}$  defined by

$$x_t = tAx_t + (1 - t)Tx_t,$$

converges strongly to a fixed point  $q$  of  $T$  as  $t \rightarrow 0$ , which is a unique solution of the variational inequality

$$\langle (I - A)q, J(q - p) \rangle \leq 0, \quad \forall p \in F(T).$$

**Lemma 2.6.** (Xu [13]) Assume that  $\{a_n\}$  is a sequence of nonnegative real numbers such that

$$a_{n+1} \leq (1 - c_n)a_n + b_n, \quad \forall n \geq 1,$$

where  $\{c_n\}$  is a sequence in  $(0, 1)$  and  $\{b_n\}$  is a sequence such that

1.  $\sum_{n=1}^\infty c_n = \infty$ ;
2.  $\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{b_n}{c_n} \leq 0$  or  $\sum_{n=1}^\infty |b_n| < \infty$ .

Then  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 0$ .

### 3. Weak convergence in Banach spaces

In this section, we use the concept of  $Y$ -mapping and study weak convergence of the sequence generated by Mann-type iteration process (1.2).

**Lemma 3.1.** Let  $C$  be a nonempty, closed and convex subset of a strictly convex Banach space  $X$  and let  $P : X \rightarrow C$  be a nonexpansive retraction of  $X$  onto  $C$ . Let  $\{T_i\}_{i=1}^N$  be a finite family of nonexpansive non-self mappings of  $C$  into  $X$  such that  $\bigcap_{i=1}^N F(T_i) \neq \emptyset$ , and let  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_N$  be  $s$  real numbers such that  $0 < \lambda_i < 1$  for all  $i = 1, 2, \dots, N - 1$  and  $0 < \lambda_N \leq 1$ . Let  $Y$  be the  $Y$ -mapping generated by  $T_1, T_2, \dots, T_N$  and  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_N$ . Then the following hold:

1.  $F(Y) = \bigcap_{i=1}^N F(T_i)$ ;
2.  $Y$  is nonexpansive.

**Proof .**

1. Since  $\bigcap_{i=1}^N F(T_i) \subset F(Y)$  is trivial, it suffices to show that  $F(Y) \subset \bigcap_{i=1}^N F(T_i)$ . To this end, let  $p \in F(Y)$  and  $p^* \in \bigcap_{i=1}^N F(T_i)$ . Then we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 \|p - p^*\| &= \|Yp - p^*\| \\
 &= \|\lambda_N(PT_N U_{N-1}p - p^*) + (1 - \lambda_N)\lambda_N(PT_N p - p^*)\| \\
 &\leq \lambda_N \|U_{N-1}p - p^*\| + (1 - \lambda_N)\|p - p^*\| \\
 &= \lambda_N \|\lambda_{N-1}(PT_{N-1} U_{N-2}p - p^*) + (1 - \lambda_{N-1})(PT_{N-2}p - p^*)\| \\
 &\quad + (1 - \lambda_N)\|p - p^*\| \\
 &\leq \lambda_N \lambda_{N-1} \|U_{N-2}p - p^*\| + (1 - \lambda_N \lambda_{N-1})\|p - p^*\| \\
 &= \lambda_N \lambda_{N-1} \|\lambda_{N-2}(PT_{N-2} U_{N-3}p - p^*) + (1 - \lambda_{N-2})(PT_{N-3}p - p^*)\| \\
 &\quad + (1 - \lambda_N \lambda_{N-1})\|p - p^*\| \\
 &\quad \vdots \\
 &= \lambda_N \lambda_{N-1} \dots \lambda_3 \|\lambda_2(PT_2 U_1 p - p^*) + (1 - \lambda_2)(PT_1 p - p^*)\| \\
 &\quad + (1 - \lambda_N \lambda_{N-1} \dots \lambda_3)\|p - p^*\| \\
 &\leq \lambda_N \lambda_{N-1} \dots \lambda_2 \|PT_2 U_1 p - p^*\| + (1 - \lambda_N \lambda_{N-1} \dots \lambda_2)\|p - p^*\| \\
 &\leq \lambda_N \lambda_{N-1} \dots \lambda_2 \|U_1 p - p^*\| + (1 - \lambda_N \lambda_{N-1} \dots \lambda_2)\|p - p^*\| \\
 &= \lambda_N \lambda_{N-1} \dots \lambda_2 \|\lambda_1(PT_1 p - p^*) + (1 - \lambda_1)(p - p^*)\| \\
 &\quad + (1 - \lambda_N \lambda_{N-1} \dots \lambda_2)\|p - p^*\| \\
 &\leq \lambda_N \lambda_{N-1} \dots \lambda_2 \lambda_1 \|PT_1 p - p^*\| + (1 - \lambda_N \lambda_{N-1} \dots \lambda_2 \lambda_1)\|p - p^*\| \\
 &\leq \lambda_N \lambda_{N-1} \dots \lambda_2 \lambda_1 \|p - p^*\| + (1 - \lambda_N \lambda_{N-1} \dots \lambda_2 \lambda_1)\|p - p^*\| \\
 &= \|p - p^*\|.
 \end{aligned} \tag{3.1}$$

This show that

$$\|p - p^*\| = \lambda_N \lambda_{N-1} \dots \lambda_2 \|\lambda_1(PT_1 p - p^*) + (1 - \lambda_1)(p - p^*)\| + (1 - \lambda_N \lambda_{N-1} \dots \lambda_2)\|p - p^*\|,$$

which turns out to be

$$\|p - p^*\| = \|\lambda_1(PT_1 p - p^*) + (1 - \lambda_1)(p - p^*)\|.$$

By (3.1), we see that

$$\|p - p^*\| = \|PT_1 p - p^*\|$$

and thus

$$\|p - p^*\| = \|PT_1 p - p^*\| = \|\lambda_1(PT_1 p - p^*) + (1 - \lambda_1)(p - p^*)\|.$$

Using Lemma 2.2, we get that  $PT_1 = p$  and hence  $U_1 p = p$ . Again by (3.1), we have

$$\|p - p^*\| = \lambda_N \lambda_{N-1} \dots \lambda_3 \|\lambda_2(PT_2 U_1 p - p^*) + (1 - \lambda_2)(PT_1 p - p^*)\| + (1 - \lambda_N \lambda_{N-1} \dots \lambda_3)\|p - p^*\|,$$

which implies that

$$\|p - p^*\| = \|\lambda_2(PT_2 U_1 p - p^*) + (1 - \lambda_2)(PT_1 p - p^*)\|.$$

From (3.1), we see that

$$\|U_1p - p^*\| = \|PT_2U_1p - p^*\|.$$

Since  $U_1p = p$  and  $PT_1p = p$ ,

$$\|p - p^*\| = \|PT_2p - p^*\| = \|\lambda_2(PT_2p - p^*) + (1 - \lambda_2)(p - p^*)\|.$$

Again by (2.2), we get that  $PT_2p = p$  and hence  $U_2p = p$ . By continuing this process, we can show that  $PT_i p = p$  and  $U_i p = p$  for all  $i = 1, 2, \dots, N - 1$ . Finally, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \|p - T_N p\| &\leq \|p - Y p\| + \|Y p - T_N p\| \\ &= \|p - Y p\| + (1 - \lambda_N)\|p - T_N p\|, \end{aligned}$$

which yields that  $p = PT_N p$ , since  $p \in F(Y)$ . Hence  $p = PT_1 p = PT_2 p = \dots = PT_N p$  and thus  $p \in \bigcap_{i=1}^N F(T_i)$ .

2. The proof follows directly from (1).

□

**Lemma 3.2.** *Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed and convex subset of a strictly convex Banach space  $X$  and let  $P : X \rightarrow C$  be a nonexpansive retraction of  $X$  onto  $C$ . Let  $\{T_i\}_{i=1}^N$  be a finite family of nonexpansive non-self mappings of  $C$  into  $X$  such that  $\bigcap_{i=1}^N F(T_i) \neq \emptyset$  and let  $Y$  be the  $Y$ -mapping generated by  $T_1, T_2, \dots, T_N$  and  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_N$ . Let  $\{\lambda_{n,i}\}_{i=1}^N$  be real sequence in  $(0, 1)$ . For every  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , let  $Y_n$  be the  $Y$ -mapping generated by  $T_1, T_2, \dots, T_N$  and  $\lambda_{n,1}, \lambda_{n,2}, \dots, \lambda_{n,N}$  as follows;*

$$\begin{aligned} U_{n,1} &= \lambda_{n,1}PT_1 + (1 - \lambda_{n,1})I, \\ U_{n,2} &= \lambda_{n,2}PT_2U_1 + (1 - \lambda_{n,2})PT_1, \\ U_{n,3} &= \lambda_{n,3}PT_3U_2 + (1 - \lambda_{n,3})PT_2, \\ &\vdots \\ U_{n,N-1} &= \lambda_{n,N-1}PT_{N-1}U_{N-2} + (1 - \lambda_{n,N-1})PT_{N-2}, \\ Y_n = U_{n,N} &= \lambda_{n,N}PT_NU_{N-1} + (1 - \lambda_{n,N})PT_N. \end{aligned}$$

If  $\lambda_{n,i} \rightarrow \lambda_i \in (0, 1)$  for all  $i = 1, 2, \dots, N$  then

1.  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} Y_n x = Y x$  for all  $x \in C$ ,
2.  $Y_n$  is nonexpansive.

**Proof .**

1. Let  $x \in C$ ,  $U_k$  be generated by  $T_1, T_2, \dots, T_k$  and  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_k$  and let  $U_{n,k}$  be generated by  $T_1, T_2, \dots, T_k$  and  $\lambda_{n,1}, \lambda_{n,2}, \dots, \lambda_{n,k}$ , respectively. Then

$$\|U_{n,1}x - U_1x\| = \|(\lambda_{n,1} - \lambda_1)(PT_1x - x)\| \leq |\lambda_{n,1} - \lambda_1|\|PT_1x - x\|.$$

Let  $k \in \{2, 3, \dots, N\}$  and  $M = \max\{\|PT_k U_{k-1}x\| : k = 2, 3, \dots, N\}$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} \|U_{n,k}x - U_kx\| &= \|\lambda_{n,k}PT_k U_{n,k-1}x + (1 - \lambda_{n,k})PT_{k-1}x - \lambda_k PT_k U_{k-1}x - (1 - \lambda_k)PT_{k-1}x\| \\ &= \|\lambda_{n,k}PT_k U_{n,k-1}x - \lambda_{n,k}PT_{k-1}x - \lambda_k PT_k U_{k-1}x + \lambda_k PT_{k-1}x\| \\ &\leq \lambda_{n,k}\|PT_k U_{n,k-1}x - PT_k U_{k-1}x\| + |\lambda_{n,k} - \lambda_k|\|PT_k U_{k-1}x\| \\ &\quad + |\lambda_{n,k} - \lambda_k|\|PT_{k-1}x\| \\ &\leq \|U_{n,k-1}x - U_{k-1}x\| + |\lambda_{n,k} - \lambda_k|M. \end{aligned}$$

It follows that

$$\begin{aligned} \|Y_n x - Yx\| &= \|U_{n,N}x - U_Nx\| \\ &= \|U_{n,N-1}x - U_{N-1}x\| + |\lambda_{n,N} - \lambda_N|M \\ &\leq \|U_{n,N-2}x - U_{N-2}x\| + |\lambda_{n,N-1} - \lambda_{N-1}|M + |\lambda_{n,N} - \lambda_N|M \\ &\vdots \\ &\leq \|U_{n,1}x - U_1x\| + |\lambda_{n,2} - \lambda_2|M + \dots + |\lambda_{n,N-1} - \lambda_{N-1}|M + |\lambda_{n,N} - \lambda_N|M \\ &\leq |\lambda_{n,1} - \lambda_1| \|PT_1x - x\| + |\lambda_{n,2} - \lambda_2|M + \dots + |\lambda_{n,N-1} - \lambda_{N-1}|M \\ &\quad + |\lambda_{n,N} - \lambda_N|M. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $\lambda_{n,i} \rightarrow \lambda_i$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  ( $i = 1, 2, \dots, N$ ), we thus complete the proof.

2. It is easily see that for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $Y_n$  is nonexpansive.

□

**Lemma 3.3.** *Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed and convex subset of a real Banach space  $X$  and let  $P : X \rightarrow C$  be a nonexpansive retraction of  $X$  onto  $C$ . Let  $\{T_i\}_{i=1}^N$  be a finite family of nonexpansive non-self mappings of  $C$  into  $X$  such that  $\bigcap_{i=1}^N F(T_i) \neq \emptyset$ . Let  $\{\lambda_{n,i}\}_{i=1}^N$  be a real sequence in  $(0, 1)$ , for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , let  $Y_n$  be the  $Y$ -mapping generated by  $T_1, T_2, \dots, T_N$  and  $\lambda_{n,1}, \lambda_{n,2}, \dots, \lambda_{n,N}$ .*

*If  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |\lambda_{n+1,i} - \lambda_{n,i}| = 0$  for all  $i = 1, 2, \dots, N$ , then*

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|Y_{n+1}z_n - Y_nz_n\| = 0$$

for each bounded sequence  $\{z_n\} \in C$ .

**Proof .** Let  $\{z_n\}$  be a bounded sequence in  $C$ . For  $j \in \{0, 1, \dots, N - 2\}$  and for some  $M > 0$ , we have that

$$\begin{aligned} \|U_{n+1,N-j}z_n - U_{n,N-j}z_n\| &= \|\lambda_{n+1,N-j}PT_{N-j}U_{n+1,N-j-1}z_n + 1 - \lambda_{n+1,N-j}PT_{N-j-1}z_n \\ &\quad - \lambda_{n,N-j}PT_{N-j}U_{n,N-j-1}z_n - 1 - \lambda_{n,N-j}PT_{N-j-1}z_n\| \\ &\leq \lambda_{n+1,N-j}\|PT_{N-j}U_{n+1,N-j-1}z_n - PT_{N-j}U_{n,N-j-1}z_n\| \\ &\quad + |\lambda_{n+1,N-j} - \lambda_{n,N-j}|\|PT_{N-j}U_{n,N-j-1}z_n\| \\ &\quad + |\lambda_{n+1,N-j} - \lambda_{n,N-j}|\|PT_{N-j-1}z_n\| \\ &\leq \|U_{n+1,N-j-1}z_n - U_{n,N-j-1}z_n\| + |\lambda_{n+1,N-j} - \lambda_{n,N-j}|M. \end{aligned}$$

Using the relation above, we can show that

$$\begin{aligned} \|Y_{n+1}z_n - Y_nz_n\| &= \|U_{n+1,N}z_n - U_{n,N}z_n\| \\ &\leq M \sum_{j=2}^N |\lambda_{n+1,j} - \lambda_{n,j}| + |\lambda_{n+1,1} - \lambda_{n,1}|(\|z_n\| + \|T_1z_n\|). \end{aligned}$$

Since  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |\lambda_{n+1,i} - \lambda_{n,i}| = 0$  for all  $i = 1, 2, \dots, N$ , we obtain the desired result. □

**Theorem 3.4.** *Let  $X$  be a uniformly convex Banach space having a Fréchet differentiable norm. Let  $C$  be a nonempty, closed and convex subset of  $X$  and let  $P : X \rightarrow C$  be a nonexpansive retraction of*

$X$  onto  $C$ . Let  $\{T_i\}_{i=1}^N$  be a finite family of nonexpansive non-self mappings of  $C$  into  $X$  such that  $\bigcap_{i=1}^N F(T_i) \neq \emptyset$ . Let  $\{\lambda_{n,i}\}_{i=1}^N$  be a real sequence in  $(0, 1)$  such that  $\lambda_{n,i} \rightarrow \lambda_i (i = 1, 2, \dots, N)$ . For every  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , let  $Y_n$  be the  $Y$ -mapping generated by  $T_1, T_2, \dots, T_N$  and  $\lambda_{n,1}, \lambda_{n,2}, \dots, \lambda_{n,N}$ . Let  $\{\alpha_n\}$  be a sequence in  $(0, 1)$  satisfying  $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n(1 - \alpha_n) > 0$ . Let  $\{x_n\}$  be generated by  $x_1 \in C$  and

$$x_{n+1} = (1 - \alpha_n)x_n + \alpha_n Y_n x_n, \quad \forall n \geq 1.$$

Then  $\{x_n\}$  converges weakly to  $x^* \in \bigcap_{i=1}^N F(T_i)$ .

**Proof .** Let  $p \in \bigcap_{i=1}^N F(T_i)$ . Then  $p = Y_n p$  for all  $n \geq 1$  and hence

$$\|x_{n+1} - p\| \leq (1 - \alpha_n)\|x_n - p\| + \alpha_n\|Y_n x_n - p\| \leq \|x_n - p\|.$$

It follows that  $\{\|x_n - p\|\}$  is nonincreasing; consequently,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - p\|$  exists. Assume that  $\|x_n - p\| > 0$ . Since  $X$  is uniformly convex, it follows (see, for example, [4]) that

$$\|x_{n+1} - p\| \leq \|x_n - p\| \left\{ 1 - 2 \min\{\alpha_n, 1 - \alpha_n\} \delta_X \left( \frac{\|x_n - Y_n x_n\|}{\|x_n - p\|} \right) \right\},$$

which implies that

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha_n(1 - \alpha_n)\|x_n - p\| \delta_X \left( \frac{\|x_n - Y_n x_n\|}{\|x_n - p\|} \right) &\leq \min\{\alpha_n, 1 - \alpha_n\} \|x_n - p\| \delta_X \left( \frac{\|x_n - Y_n x_n\|}{\|x_n - p\|} \right) \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2} (\|x_n - p\| - \|x_{n+1} - p\|). \end{aligned}$$

Since  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - p\|$  exists and  $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n(1 - \alpha_n) > 0$ , by the continuity of  $\delta_X$ , we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - Y_n x_n\| = 0.$$

Since  $\delta_{n,i} \rightarrow \lambda_i (i = 1, 2, \dots, \lambda_N)$ , let the mapping  $Y : X \rightarrow X$  be generated by  $T_1, T_2, \dots, T_N$  and  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_N$ . Then, by Lemma 3.2, we have  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|Y_n x - Y x\| = 0$  for all  $x \in X$ . So we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|x_n - Y x_n\| &\leq \|x_n - Y_n x_n\| + \|Y_n x_n - Y x_n\| \\ &\leq \|x_n - Y_n x_n\| + \sup_{z \in \{x_n\}} \|Y_n z - Y z\| \\ &\rightarrow 0. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $Y$  is nonexpansive and  $X$  is uniformly convex, by the demiclosedness principle,  $\omega_\omega(x_n) \subset F(Y)$ . Moreover,  $F(Y) = \bigcap_{i=1}^N F(T_i)$  by Lemma 3.1 (i). Next, we show that  $\omega_\omega(x_n)$  is a singleton. Indeed, suppose that  $x^*, y^* \in \omega_\omega(x_n) \subset \bigcap_{i=1}^N F(T_i)$ . Define  $S_n : X \rightarrow X$  by

$$S_n x = (1 - \alpha_n)x + \alpha_n Y_n x, \quad x \in X.$$

Then  $S_n$  is nonexpansive and  $x^*, y^* \in \bigcap_{i=1}^\infty F(S_n)$ . Using Lemma 2.4, we have  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle x_n, J(x^* - y^*) \rangle$  exists. Suppose that  $\{x_{n_k}\}$  and  $\{x_{m_k}\}$  are subsequence of  $\{x_n\}$  such that  $x_{n_k} \rightharpoonup x^*$  and  $x_{m_k} \rightharpoonup y^*$ . Then

$$\|x^* - y^*\|^2 = \langle x^* - y^*, J(x^* - y^*) \rangle = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \langle x_{n_k} - x_{m_k}, J(x^* - y^*) \rangle = 0.$$

This shows that  $x^* = y^*$ . The proof is completes.  $\square$



### 4. Strong convergence in Banach spaces

In this section, strong convergence results for the iterative process (1.1) on strictly convex and reflexive Banach space having a uniformly Gâteaux differentiable norm involving the modified viscosity approximation method [8].

**Theorem 4.1.** *Let  $X$  be a strictly convex and reflexive Banach space having a uniformly Gâteaux differentiable norm. Let  $C$  be a nonempty, closed and convex subset of  $X$  and let  $P : X \rightarrow C$  be a nonexpansive retraction of  $X$  onto  $C$ . Let  $\{T_i\}_{i=1}^N$  be a finite family of nonexpansive non-self mappings of  $C$  into  $X$  such that  $\bigcap_{i=1}^N F(T_i) \neq \emptyset$ . Let  $\{\lambda_{n,i}\}_{i=1}^N$  be a real sequence in  $(0, 1)$  such that  $\lambda_{n,i} \rightarrow \lambda_i$  ( $i = 1, 2, \dots, N$ ). For every  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , let  $Y_n$  be the  $Y$ -mapping generated by  $T_1, T_2, \dots, T_N$  and  $\lambda_{n,1}, \lambda_{n,2}, \dots, \lambda_{n,N}$ . Let  $\{\alpha_n\}, \{\beta_n\}$  and  $\{\gamma_n\}$  be sequence in  $(0, 1)$  which satisfy the conditions:*

- (A1)  $\alpha_n + \beta_n + \gamma_n = 1$ ;
- (A2)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n = 0$  and  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \alpha_n = \infty$ ;
- (A3)  $0 < \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \beta_n \leq \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \beta_n < 1$ .

Let  $f \in \sum_C$  and define the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  by  $x_1 \in C$  and

$$x_{n+1} = \alpha_n f(x_n) + \beta_n x_n + \gamma_n Y_n x_n, \quad \forall n \geq 1.$$

Then  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $q \in \bigcap_{i=1}^N F(T_i)$ , where  $q$  also the unique solution of the variational inequality

$$\langle (I - f)(q), J(q - p) \rangle \leq 0, \quad \forall p \in \bigcap_{i=1}^N F(T_i). \tag{4.1}$$

**Proof .** We divide the proof into the following steps.

**Step 1.** We show that  $\{x_n\}$  is bounded. Let  $p \in \bigcap_{i=1}^N F(T_i)$ . Then  $p = Y_n p$  for all  $n \geq 1$  and hence, by the nonexpansiveness of  $\{Y_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|x_{n+1} - p\| &= \|\alpha_n(f(x_n) - p) + \beta_n(x_n - p) + \gamma_n(Y_n x_n - p)\| \\ &\leq \alpha_n \|f(x_n) - p\| + \beta_n \|x_n - p\| + \gamma_n \|x_n - p\| \\ &\leq \alpha_n \|f(x_n) - f(p)\| + \alpha_n \|f(p) - p\| + (1 - \alpha_n) \|x_n - p\| \\ &\leq \alpha_n \alpha \|x_n - p\| + \alpha_n \|f(p) - p\| + (1 - \alpha_n) \|x_n - p\| \\ &= (1 - \alpha_n(1 - \alpha)) \|x_n - p\| + \alpha_n \|f(p) - p\| \\ &\leq \max \left\{ \|x_n - p\|, \frac{1}{1 - \alpha} \|f(p) - p\| \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

By induction, we can conclude that  $\{x_n\}$  is bounded. So are  $\{f(x_n)\}$  and  $\{Y_n x_n\}$ .

**Step 2.** We show that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_{n+1} - x_n\| = 0$ . To this end, we define  $z_n = \frac{x_{n+1} - \beta_n x_n}{1 - \beta_n}$ . From  $x_{n+1} = \alpha_n f(x_n) + \beta_n x_n + \gamma_n Y_n x_n, \forall n \geq 1$ , where  $\{\alpha_n\}, \{\beta_n\}$  and  $\{\gamma_n\}$  are sequences in  $(0, 1)$ , and  $f \in \sum_C$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|z_{n+1} - z_n\| &= \left\| \frac{\alpha_{n+1} f(x_{n+1}) + \gamma_{n+1} Y_{n+1} x_{n+1}}{1 - \beta_{n+1}} - \frac{\alpha_n f(x_n) + \gamma_n Y_n x_n}{1 - \beta_n} \right\| \\ &= \left\| \frac{\alpha_{n+1}}{1 - \beta_{n+1}} (f(x_{n+1}) - Y_n x_n) + \frac{\alpha_n}{1 - \beta_n} (Y_n x_n - f(x_n)) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{\gamma_{n+1}}{1 - \beta_{n+1}} (Y_{n+1} x_{n+1} - Y_n x_n) \right\| \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\leq \frac{\alpha_{n+1}}{1 - \beta_{n+1}}M + \frac{\alpha_n}{1 - \beta_n}M + \|Y_{n+1}x_{n+1} - Y_nx_n\| \\ &\leq \left(\frac{\alpha_{n+1}}{1 - \beta_{n+1}} + \frac{\alpha_n}{1 - \beta_n}\right)M + \|Y_{n+1}x_{n+1} - Y_nx_n\| \\ &\leq \left(\frac{\alpha_{n+1}}{1 - \beta_{n+1}} + \frac{\alpha_n}{1 - \beta_n}\right)M + \|x_{n+1} - x_n\| + \|Y_{n+1}x_{n+1} - Y_nx_n\| \end{aligned}$$

for some  $M > 0$ . It turns out that

$$\|z_{n+1} - z_n\| - \|x_{n+1} - x_n\| \leq \left(\frac{\alpha_{n+1}}{1 - \beta_{n+1}} + \frac{\alpha_n}{1 - \beta_n}\right)M + \|Y_{n+1}x_n - y_nx_n\|.$$

From conditions (A2), (A3) and Lemma 3.3, we have

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\|z_{n+1} - z_n\| - \|x_{n+1} - x_n\|) \leq 0.$$

Lemma 2.3 yields that  $\|z_n - x_n\| \rightarrow 0$  and hence

$$\|x_{n+1} - x_n\| = (1 - \beta_n)\|z_n - x_n\| \rightarrow 0.$$

**Step 3.** We show that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|Yx_n - x_n\| = 0$ . Indeed, noting that

$$Y_nx_n - x_n = \frac{1}{\gamma_n}(x_{n+1} - x_n) + \alpha_n(x_n - f(x_n)),$$

we have, by (A2) and (A3),

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|Y_nx_n - x_n\| = 0.$$

Let  $Y : C \rightarrow C$  be the  $Y$ -mapping generated by  $T_1, T_2, \dots, T_N$  and  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_N$ . So, by Lemma 3.2, we have  $Y_nx \rightarrow Yx$  for all  $x \in C$ . It also follows that

$$\begin{aligned} \|Yx_n - x_n\| &\leq \|Yx_n - Y_nx_n\| + \|Y_nx_n - x_n\| \\ &\leq \sup_{z \in \{x_n\}} \|Yz - Y_nz\| + \|Y_nx_n - x_n\| \rightarrow 0. \end{aligned}$$

For  $t \in (0, 1)$ , we define a contraction as follows:

$$S_t x = tf(x) + (1 - t)Yx.$$

Then there exists a unique path  $x_t \in C$  such that

$$x_t = tf(x_t) + (1 - t)Yx_t.$$

From Lemma 2.4, we know that  $x_t \rightarrow q$  as  $t \rightarrow 0$ , where  $q \in F(Y)$ . Lemma 3.1 (i) also yields that  $q \in F(Y) = \cap_{i=1}^N F(T_i)$ . Moreover,  $q$  is the unique solution of variational inequality (4.1).

**Step 4.** We show that  $\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle f(q) - q, J(x_n - q) \rangle \leq 0$ . We see that

$$x_t - x_n = (1 - t)(Yx_t - x_n) + t(f(x_t) - x_n).$$

It follows, by Lemma 2.1 (ii) that

$$\begin{aligned} \|x_t - x_n\|^2 &\leq (1 - t)^2 \|Yx_t - x_n\|^2 + 2t \langle f(x_t) - x_n, J(x_t - x_n) \rangle \\ &\leq (1 - 2t + t^2) (\|x_t - x_n\|^2 \\ &\quad + \|Yx_n - x_n\|^2) + 2t \langle f(x_t) - x_n, J(x_t - x_n) \rangle + 2t \|x_t - x_n\|^2, \end{aligned}$$

which gives

$$\langle f(x_t) - x_t, J(x_n - x_t) \rangle \leq \frac{(1 + t^2)\|x_n - Yx_n\|}{2t} (2\|x_t - x_n\| + \|x_n - Yx_n\|) + \frac{t}{2}\|x_t - x_n\|^2.$$

So we have

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle f(x_t) - x_t, J(x_n - x_t) \rangle \leq \frac{t}{2}M \tag{4.2}$$

for some  $M > 0$ . Since  $X$  has a uniformly Gâteaux differentiable norm,  $J$  is norm-to-weak\* uniformly continuous in bounded subsets of  $E$ . So have

$$\langle f(q) - q, J(x_n - q) - J(x_n - x_t) \rangle \rightarrow 0 \tag{4.3}$$

and

$$\langle f(q) - f(x_t) + x_t - q, J(x_n - x_t) \rangle \rightarrow 0 \tag{4.4}$$

as  $t \rightarrow 0$ . On the other hand, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \langle f(q) - q, J(x_n - q) \rangle &= \langle f(x_t) - x_t, J(x_n - x_t) \rangle + \langle f(q) - f(x_t) + x_t - q, J(x_n - x_t) \rangle \\ &\quad + \langle f(q) - q, J(x_n - q) - J(x_n - x_t) \rangle. \end{aligned} \tag{4.5}$$

Since  $\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty}$  and  $\lim_{t \rightarrow 0}$  are interchangeable, using (4.2)–(4.5), we obtain

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle f(q) - q, J(x_n - q) \rangle \leq 0.$$

**Step 5.** We show that  $x_n \rightarrow q$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . In fact, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|x_{n+1}\| &= \alpha_n \langle f(x_n) - q, J(x_{n+1} - q) \rangle + \beta_n \langle x_n - q, J(x_{n+1} - q) \rangle + \gamma_n \langle Y_n x_n - q, J(x_{n+1} - q) \rangle \\ &\leq \alpha_n \alpha \|x_n - q\| \|x_{n+1} - q\| + \alpha_n \langle f(q) - q, J(x_{n+1} - q) \rangle \\ &\quad + \beta_n \|x_n - q\| \|x_{n+1} - q\| + \gamma_n \|x_n - q\| \|x_{n+1} - q\| \\ &= (1 - \alpha_n(1 - \alpha)) \|x_n - q\| \|x_{n+1} - q\| + \alpha_n \langle f(q) - q, J(x_{n+1} - q) \rangle \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2}(1 - \alpha_n(1 - \alpha)) (\|x_n - q\|^2 + \|x_{n+1} - q\|^2) + \alpha_n \langle f(q) - q, J(x_{n+1} - q) \rangle, \end{aligned}$$

which implies that

$$\begin{aligned} \|x_{n+1} - q\|^2 &\leq \frac{1 - \alpha_n(1 - \alpha)}{1 + \alpha_n(1 - \alpha)} \|x_n - q\|^2 + \frac{2\alpha_n}{1 + \alpha_n(1 - \alpha)} \langle f(q) - q, J(x_{n+1} - q) \rangle \\ &= \left(1 - \frac{2\alpha_n(1 - \alpha)}{1 + \alpha_n(1 - \alpha)}\right) \|x_n - q\|^2 + \frac{2\alpha_n}{1 + \alpha_n(1 - \alpha)} \langle f(q) - q, J(x_{n+1} - q) \rangle. \end{aligned}$$

Put  $c_n = \frac{2\alpha_n(1-\alpha)}{1+\alpha_n(1-\alpha)}$  and  $b_n = \frac{2\alpha_n}{1+\alpha_n(1-\alpha)} \langle f(q) - q, J(x_{n+1} - q) \rangle$ . So it is easy to check that  $\{c_n\}$  is a sequence in  $(0, 1)$  such that  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n = \infty$  and  $\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{b_n}{c_n} \leq 0$ . Hence, By Lemma 2.6, we conclude that  $x_n \rightarrow q$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . The proof is completes.  $\square$

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