

Partial Metric Space with Modulation of Fixed Point Theorems in Generalized Contractions Mapping

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Abstract

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1 Introduction

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2 Preliminary Notes

A modulation of standard metric spaces is given in a partial metric space. By adding additional modifications, in 1992, Matthews [2, 5] invented the notion of a partial metric space in which $d(x, x)$ are not necessarily zero. Dhanorkar and Salunke [3] have proved fixed point theorem on partial metric space using continuous and monotonically non-decreasing mapping $\phi, \psi : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ with $\phi(0) = \psi(0) = 0$. Many and many researchers [4, 7, 8, 9].

In 2011 M.R.Ahmadi Zand and A.Dehghan Nezhad [1] introduce generalization of partial metric space. Dhanorkar and Salunke [4] proved a fixed point theorem in generalized partial metric spaces with nondecreasing map $\phi : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ with $\phi(t) < t$, for each $t > 0$.

Definition 2.1 [1] Let X be a nonempty set. Suppose a mapping $g_{dp} : X \times X \times X \rightarrow [0, +\infty)$ satisfies

- (1) $0 \leq g_{dp}(x, x, x) \leq g_{dp}(x, x, y) \leq g_{dp}(x, y, z)$ for all $x, y, z \in X$;
- (2) $g_{dp}(x, y, z) = g_{dp}(z, x, y) = g_{dp}(x, z, y)$ (Symmetric in all three variables);
- (3) $g_{dp}(x, y, z) \leq g_{dp}(x, a, a) + g_{dp}(a, y, z) - g_{dp}(a, a, a)$ for all $x, y, z, a \in X$;
- (4) $x = y = z$ if $g_{dp}(x, y, z) = g_{dp}(x, x, x) = g_{dp}(y, y, y) = g_{dp}(z, z, z)$ for all $x, y, z \in X$.

Then (X, g_{dp}) is called generalized partial metric space i.e. GP-metric space.

Example 2.2 Let $X = [0, +\infty)$, and let $g_{dp} : X \times X \times X \rightarrow [0, +\infty)$, by $g_{dp}(x, y, z) = d(x, y) + d(y, z) + d(z, x)$. Clearly (X, g_{dp}) is not a G-metric space.

Example 2.3 Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$, and let $g_{dp} : X \times X \times X \rightarrow [0, +\infty)$, defined by $g_{dp}(x, y, z) = 1$, if $x = y = z$;

$$\begin{aligned} g_{dp}(a, b, b) &= g_{dp}(b, a, a) = 10; \\ g_{dp}(a, c, c) &= g_{dp}(c, a, a) = 15; \\ g_{dp}(b, c, c) &= g_{dp}(c, b, b) = 17; \\ g_{dp}(a, b, c) &= 20. \end{aligned}$$

Clearly (X, g_{dp}) is not a G-metric space.

Proposition 2.4 [1] Let (X, g_{dp}) be a GP-metric space and for x, y, z , and $a \in X$ then the following relations are true:

- (i) $g_{dp}(x, y, z) \leq g_{dp}(x, x, y) + g_{dp}(x, x, z) - g_{dp}(x, x, x)$;
- (ii) $g_{dp}(x, y, y) \leq 2g_{dp}(x, x, y) - g_{dp}(x, x, x)$;
- (iii) $g_{dp}(x, y, z) \leq g_{dp}(x, a, z) + g_{dp}(z, a, a) - g_{dp}(a, a, a)$;
- (iv) $g_{dp}(x, y, z) \leq g_{dp}(a, a, x) + g_{dp}(a, a, y) + g_{dp}(a, a, z) - 2g_{dp}(a, a, a)$;
- (v) $g_{dp}(x, y, z) + g_{dp}(a, a, a) \leq (2/3)(g_{dp}(x, y, a) + g_{dp}(x, a, z) + g_{dp}(a, y, z))$.

Proposition 2.5 [1] Every GP-metric space (X, g_{dp}) defines a metric space $(X, d_{g_{dp}})$ as follows:

$$d_{g_{dp}}(x, y) = g_{dp}(x, y, y) + g_{dp}(y, x, x) - g_{dp}(x, x, x) - g_{dp}(y, y, y),$$

for all $x, y \in X$.

Definition 2.6 (i) A point $x \in X$ in GP-metric space (X, g_{dp}) is said to be the limit of the sequence $\{x_n\}$ or $x_n \rightarrow x$, if $\lim_{n,m \rightarrow \infty} g_{dp}(x, x_n, x_m) = g_{dp}(x, x, x)$. In this case, we say that the sequence $\{x_n\}$ is GP-convergent to x .

(ii) A sequence $\{x_n\}$ in GP-metric space (X, g_{dp}) is said to be Cauchy iff $\lim_{n,m,l \rightarrow \infty} g_{dp}(x_n, x_m, x_l)$ is finite.

(iii) A GP-metric space (X, g_{dp}) is said to be complete if every Cauchy sequence $\{x_n\}$ in X converges to a point $x \in X$ such that $\lim_{n,m,l \rightarrow \infty} g_{dp}(x_n, x_m, x_l) = g_{dp}(x, x, x)$.

Proposition 2.7 Let (X, g_{dp}) GP-metric space. Then for sequence then following are equivalent :

- (i) $\{x_n\}$ is GP-convergent to x ,
- (ii) $g_{dp}(x_n, x_n, x) \rightarrow g_{dp}(x, x, x)$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$,
- (iii) $g_{dp}(x_n, x, x) \rightarrow g_{dp}(x, x, x)$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$.

for all $x, y \in X$.

Main results

According to [[6, 9]], denote by Θ the set of functions $\theta : (0, \infty) \rightarrow (1, \infty)$ satisfying the following conditions:

- (Θ_1) θ is nondecreasing,
- (Θ_2) For each sequence $\{t_n\} \subset (0, \infty)$, $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \theta(t_n) = 1$ if and only if $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (t_n) = 0^+$,
- (Θ_3) θ is continuous on $(0, \infty)$.

And Φ the set of functions $\phi : [1, \infty) \rightarrow [1, \infty)$ satisfying the following conditions

- (Φ_1) ϕ is nondecreasing,
- (Φ_2) For each $t > 1$, $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\phi^n) = 1$,
- (Φ_3) ϕ is continuous on $[1, \infty)$.

Lemma 2.8 [9]. If $\phi \in \Phi$, then $\phi(1) = 1$ and $\phi(t) < t$ for each $t > 1$.

Definition 2.9 Let (X, g_{dp}) be a partial metric space. A mapping $T : X \rightarrow X$ is said to be a generalized $\theta - \phi$ contraction if there exist $\theta \in \Theta$ and $\phi \in \Phi$ such that, for any $x, y, z \in X$

$$g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Tz) \neq 0 \Rightarrow \theta(g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Tz)) \leq \phi(\theta(M(x, y, z))) \quad (2.1)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} M(x, y, z) = \max \Big\{ & g_{dp}(x, y, z), g_{dp}(x, Tx, Tx), g_{dp}(y, Ty, Ty), g_{dp}(z, Tz, Tz), \\ & \frac{1}{2}g_{dp}(x, Ty, Ty), \frac{1}{2}g_{dp}(y, Tz, Tz), \frac{1}{2}g_{dp}(z, Tx, Tx), \\ & \frac{1}{3}[g_{dp}(x, Ty, Ty) + g_{dp}(y, Tz, Tz) + g_{dp}(z, Tx, Tx)] \Big\} \end{aligned} \quad (2.2)$$

Theorem 2.10 Let (X, g_{dp}) be a complete partial metric space and let $T : X \rightarrow X$ is generalized $\theta - \phi$ contraction. Then T has a unique fixed point x^* , such that the sequence $\{T_n(x)\}$ converges to x^* for every $x \in X$.

Let $x_0 \in X$ be an arbitrary point and define the sequence x_n in X by $Tx_n = x_{n+1}, \forall n \in N$. If $x_n = x_{n+1}$ for some $n \in N$, then $x_n = x^*$ is a fixed point for T . Now if , we $x_n \neq x_{n+1}$ for all $n \in N$.Then clearly $g_{dp}(Tx_n, Tx_{n+1}, Tx_{n+1}) > 0$ for all n . From 2.1, we get

$$\theta(g_{dp}(Tx_n, Tx_{n+1}, Tx_{n+1})) \leq \phi(\theta(M(x_n, x_{n+1}, x_{n+1}))) \quad (2.3)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} M(x_n, x_{n+1}, x_{n+1}) &= \max \left\{ g_{dp}(x_n, x_{n+1}, x_{n+1}), g_{dp}(x_n, x_{n+1}, x_{n+1}), g_{dp}(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}, x_{n+2}), \right. \\ &\quad g_{dp}(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}, x_{n+2}), \frac{1}{2}g_{dp}(x_n, x_{n+2}, x_{n+2}), \frac{1}{2}g_{dp}(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}, x_{n+2}), \frac{1}{2}g_{dp}(x_{n+1}, x_{n+1}, x_{n+1}), \\ &\quad \left. \frac{1}{3}[g_{dp}(x_n, x_{n+1}, x_{n+1}) + g_{dp}(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}, x_{n+2}) + g_{dp}(x_{n+1}, x_{n+1}, x_{n+1})] \right\} \\ &= \max \left\{ g_{dp}(x_n, x_{n+1}, x_{n+1}), g_{dp}(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}, x_{n+2}), \frac{1}{2}g_{dp}(x_n, x_{n+2}, x_{n+2}), \frac{1}{2}g_{dp}(x_{n+1}, x_{n+1}, x_{n+1}), \right. \\ &\quad \left. \frac{1}{3}[g_{dp}(x_n, x_{n+1}, x_{n+1}) + g_{dp}(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}, x_{n+2}) + g_{dp}(x_{n+1}, x_{n+1}, x_{n+1})] \right\} \\ &= \max \left\{ g_{dp}(x_n, x_{n+1}, x_{n+1}), g_{dp}(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}, x_{n+2}) \right\} \end{aligned} \quad (2.4)$$

If $M(x, y, z) = g_{dp}(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}, x_{n+2})$, then using condition 2.1, we get

$$\begin{aligned} (g_{dp}(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}, x_{n+2})) &= \theta(g_{dp}(Tx_n, Tx_{n+1}, Tx_{n+1})) \\ &\leq \phi(\theta(M(x_n, x_{n+1}, x_{n+1}))) \\ &= \phi(\theta(g_{dp}(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}, x_{n+2}))) \\ &< \theta(g_{dp}(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}, x_{n+2})) \quad (\because 2.8) \end{aligned} \quad (2.5)$$

which is contradiction. Hence we can write for all $n \in N$, If $M(x, y, z) = g_{dp}(x_n, x_{n+1}, x_{n+1})$, then using condition 2.1, we get $\theta(g_{dp}(Tx_n, Tx_{n+1}, Tx_{n+1})) \leq \phi(\theta(g_{dp}(x_n, x_{n+1}, x_{n+1})))$ using this we get iterative sequence as

$$\begin{aligned} (g_{dp}(x_n, x_{n+1}, x_{n+1})) &= \theta(g_{dp}(Tx_{n-1}, Tx_n, Tx_n)) \\ &\leq \phi(\theta(g_{dp}(x_{n-1}, x_n, x_n))) \\ &\leq \phi^2(\theta(g_{dp}(x_{n-2}, x_{n-1}, x_{n-1}))) \\ &\leq \phi^3(\theta(g_{dp}(x_{n-3}, x_{n-2}, x_{n-2}))) \\ &\vdots \\ &\leq \phi^n(\theta(g_{dp}(x_0, x_1, x_1))) \end{aligned} \quad (2.6)$$

By the condition of Θ and Φ , we get

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \phi^n(\theta(g_{dp}(x_0, x_1, x_1))) = 1 \quad (2.7)$$

$$\text{and } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (g_{dp}(x_n, x_{n+1}, x_{n+1})) = 0 \quad (2.8)$$

Hence $\{x_n\}$ cauchy in complete metric space (X, g_{dp}) . There exist x^* in X such that $x_n \rightarrow x^*$ such that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} g_{dp}(x_n, x^*, x^*) = 0$. we can write

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} g_{dp}(x_{n+1}, Tx^*, Tx^*) = g_{dp}(x^*, Tx^*, Tx^*) \quad (2.9)$$

If $g_{dp}(x^{n+1}, Tx^*, Tx^*) \neq 0$, then by 2.1, we get

$$\theta(g_{dp}(x^{n+1}, Tx^*, Tx^*)) \leq \phi(\theta(M(x_n, x^*, x^*))) \quad (2.10)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} M(x_n, x^*, x^*) &= \max \left\{ g_{dp}(x_n, x^*, x^*), g_{dp}(x_n, x_{n+1}, x_{n+1}), g_{dp}(x^*, Tx^*, Tx^*), g_{dp}(x^*, Tx^*, Tx^*), \right. \\ &\quad \frac{1}{2}g_{dp}(x_n, Tx^*, Tx^*), \frac{1}{2}g_{dp}(x^*, Tx^*, Tx^*), \frac{1}{2}g_{dp}(x^*, x_{n+1}, x_{n+1}), \\ &\quad \left. \frac{1}{3}[g_{dp}(x_n, Tx^*, Tx^*) + g_{dp}(x^*, Tx^*, Tx^*) + g_{dp}(x^*, x_{n+1}, x_{n+1})] \right\} \\ &= g_{dp}(x^*, Tx^*, Tx^*) \quad (\text{as } n \rightarrow \infty) \end{aligned} \quad (2.11)$$

above condition 2.10 becomes

$$\begin{aligned} \theta(g_{dp}(x^{n+1}, Tx^*, Tx^*)) &\leq \phi(\theta(g_{dp}(x^*, Tx^*, Tx^*))) \\ &< g_{dp}(x^*, Tx^*, Tx^*) \end{aligned}$$

which is a contradiction, hence $Tx^* = x^*$.

Uniqueness: If suppose there exist y^* such that $y^* \neq x^*$ and $Ty^* = y^*$. Therefore $g_{dp}(Tx^*, Ty^*, Ty^*) = g_{dp}(x^*, y^*, y^*) > 0$ and $M(x^*, y^*, y^*) = g_{dp}(x^*, y^*, y^*)$, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \theta(g_{dp}(x^*, y^*, y^*)) &= \theta(g_{dp}(Tx^*, Ty^*, Ty^*)) \\ &\leq \phi(\theta(M(x^*, y^*, y^*))) \\ &= \leq \phi(\theta(g_{dp}(x^*, y^*, y^*))) \\ &< g_{dp}(x^*, y^*, y^*) \end{aligned}$$

which is a contradiction. Hence, T having unique fixed point.

Theorem 2.11 Let (X, g_{dp}) be a complete partial metric space and let $T : X \rightarrow X$ is generalized $\theta - \phi$ contraction such that for $x, y \in X$

$$g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Ty) \neq 0 \Rightarrow \theta(g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Ty)) \leq \phi(\theta(M(x, y, y))) \quad (2.12)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} M(x, y, y) = \max & \left\{ g_{dp}(x, y, y), g_{dp}(x, Tx, Tx), g_{dp}(y, Ty, Ty), \frac{1}{2}g_{dp}(x, Ty, Ty), \right. \\ & \left. \frac{1}{2}g_{dp}(y, Tx, Tx), \frac{1}{3}[g_{dp}(x, Ty, Ty) + g_{dp}(y, Ty, Ty) + g_{dp}(y, Tx, Tx)] \right\} \end{aligned} \quad (2.13)$$

Then T has a unique fixed point x^* , such that the sequence $\{T_n(x)\}$ converges to x^* for every $x \in X$.

One can prove easily using 2.10.

Theorem 2.12 Let (X, g_{dp}) be a complete partial metric space and let $T : X \rightarrow X$ satisfying following condition such that for all $x, y \in X$

$$\begin{aligned} g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Ty) \leq \max & \left\{ ag_{dp}(x, y, y), b(g_{dp}(x, Tx, Tx) + 2g_{dp}(y, Ty, Ty)), \right. \\ & \left. b(g_{dp}(x, Ty, Ty) + g_{dp}(y, Ty, Ty) + g_{dp}(y, Tx, Tx)) \right\} \end{aligned} \quad (2.14)$$

where $0 \leq a < 1$ and $0 \leq b < \frac{1}{3}$. Then T has a unique fixed point x^* such that the sequence $\{T^n(x)\}$ converges to x^* for every $x \in X$.

To prove this result we will use $\theta-\phi$ contraction by defining $\theta(t) = e^t$, $\phi(t) = t^\lambda$, where $\lambda = \max a, 3b$, then $0 \leq \lambda < 1$. Clearly $\theta \in \Theta$ and $\phi \in \Phi$. Since

$$\begin{aligned} & \max \left\{ ag_{dp}(x, y, y), b(g_{dp}(x, Tx, Tx) + 2g_{dp}(y, Ty, Ty)), \right. \\ & \left. b(g_{dp}(x, Ty, Ty) + g_{dp}(y, Ty, Ty) + g_{dp}(y, Tx, Tx)) \right\} \\ & \leq \lambda \max \left\{ g_{dp}(x, y, y), \frac{1}{3}(g_{dp}(x, Tx, Tx) + 2g_{dp}(y, Ty, Ty)), \right. \\ & \left. \frac{1}{3}(g_{dp}(x, Ty, Ty) + g_{dp}(y, Ty, Ty) + g_{dp}(y, Tx, Tx)) \right\} \\ & \leq \lambda \max \left\{ g_{dp}(x, y, y), g_{dp}(x, Tx, Tx) + g_{dp}(y, Ty, Ty), \right. \\ & \left. \frac{1}{3}(g_{dp}(x, Ty, Ty) + g_{dp}(y, Ty, Ty) + g_{dp}(y, Tx, Tx)) \right\} \\ & \leq \lambda M(x, y, y). \end{aligned} \quad (2.15)$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \theta(g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Ty)) &= e^{g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Ty)} \leq e^{\lambda M(x, y, y)} \\ &= (e^{M(x, y, y)})^\lambda = \phi(\theta(M(x, y, y))) \end{aligned} \quad (2.16)$$

using theorem 2.10, we get T has a unique fixed point x^* such that the sequence $\{T^n(x)\}$ converges to x^* for every $x \in X$.

Theorem 2.13 Let (X, g_{dp}) be a complete partial metric space and let $T : X \rightarrow X$ satisfying following condition such that for all $x, y \in X$

$$g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Ty) \leq k \max \left\{ g_{dp}(x, y, y), g_{dp}(x, Tx, Tx), g_{dp}(y, Ty, Ty), g_{dp}(z, Tz, Tz), g_{dp}(x, Ty, Ty), g_{dp}(y, Tz, Tz), g_{dp}(z, Tx, Tx) \right\} \quad (2.17)$$

where $0 \leq k < \frac{1}{2}$. Then T has a unique fixed point x^* such that the sequence $\{T^n(x)\}$ converges to x^* for every $x \in X$.

To prove this result, we will use $\theta - \phi$ contraction by defining $\theta(t) = e^t$, $\phi(t) = t^\lambda$, where $\lambda = 2k$, then $0 \leq \lambda < 1$. Clearly $\theta \in \Theta$ and $\phi \in \Phi$. Since

$$\begin{aligned} & k \max \left\{ g_{dp}(x, y, y), g_{dp}(x, Tx, Tx), g_{dp}(y, Ty, Ty), g_{dp}(z, Tz, Tz), g_{dp}(x, Ty, Ty), g_{dp}(y, Tz, Tz), g_{dp}(z, Tx, Tx) \right\} \\ & \leq \lambda \left\{ \frac{1}{2} g_{dp}(x, y, y), \frac{1}{2} g_{dp}(x, Tx, Tx), \frac{1}{2} g_{dp}(y, Ty, Ty), \frac{1}{2} g_{dp}(z, Tz, Tz), \right. \\ & \quad \left. \frac{1}{2} g_{dp}(x, Ty, Ty), \frac{1}{2} g_{dp}(y, Tz, Tz), \frac{1}{2} g_{dp}(z, Tx, Tx) \right\} \\ & \leq \lambda M(x, y, z). \end{aligned} \quad (2.18)$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \theta(g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Tz)) &= e^{g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Tz)} \leq e^{\lambda M(x, y, z)} \\ &= (e^{M(x, y, z)})^\lambda = \phi(\theta(M(x, y, z))) \end{aligned} \quad (2.19)$$

using theorem 2.10, we get T has a unique fixed point x^* such that the sequence $\{T^n(x)\}$ converges to x^* for every $x \in X$.

Now by using definition 2.9, we can easily prove following theorem.

Theorem 2.14 Let (X, g_{dp}) be a complete partial metric space and let $T : X \rightarrow X$ be a self mapping, there exist $\theta \in \Theta$ and $\phi \in \Phi$ such that for all $x, y, z \in X$

$$g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Tz) \neq 0 \Rightarrow \theta(g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Tz)) \leq \phi(\theta(g_{dp}(x, y, z))) \quad (2.20)$$

Then T has a unique fixed point x^* such that the sequence $\{T^n(x)\}$ converges to x^* for every $x \in X$.

Using Theorem 2.14, we can easily prove theorem stated by Mustafa, Khandagji and Shatanawi [?] as

Theorem 2.15 Let (X, g_{dp}) be a complete partial metric space and let $T : X \rightarrow X$ be a self mapping, there exist $\lambda \in [0, 1)$ such that

$$g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Tz) \leq \lambda g_{dp}(x, y, z) \quad (2.21)$$

for all $x, y, z \in X$. Then T has a unique fixed point x^* such that the sequence $\{T^n(x)\}$ converges to x^* for every $x \in X$.

Proof: Let $\theta(t) = e^t$ and $\phi(t) = t^\lambda$, then $\theta \in \Theta$ and $\phi \in \Phi$. Since

$$g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Tz) \leq \lambda g_{dp}(x, y, z)$$

gives $e^{g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Tz)} \leq e^{\lambda g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Tz)} = (e^{g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Tz)})^\lambda$, follows $\theta(g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Tz)) \leq \phi(\theta(g_{dp}(x, y, z)))$.

using theorem 2.15, we get T has a unique fixed point x^* such that the sequence $\{T^n(x)\}$ converges to x^* for every $x \in X$.

Corollary 2.16 Let (X, g_{dp}) be a complete partial metric space and let $T : X \rightarrow X$ be a self mapping, there exist $\theta \in \Theta$ and $\phi \in \Phi$ such that for all $x, y, z \in X$

$$g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Ty) \neq 0 \Rightarrow \theta(g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Ty)) \leq \phi(\theta(g_{dp}(x, y, y))) \quad (2.22)$$

Then T has a unique fixed point x^* such that the sequence $\{T^n(x)\}$ converges to x^* for every $x \in X$.

Corollary 2.17 Let (X, g_{dp}) be a complete partial metric space and let $T : X \rightarrow X$ be a self mapping, there exist $\theta \in \Theta$ and $\phi \in \Phi$ such that for all $x, y, z \in X$

$$g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Tz) \neq 0 \Rightarrow \theta(g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Tz)) \leq \phi\left(\theta\left(\frac{g_{dp}(x, Tx, Tx) + g_{dp}(y, Ty, Ty) + g_{dp}(z, Tz, Tz)}{3}\right)\right) \quad (2.23)$$

Then T has a unique fixed point x^* such that the sequence $\{T^n(x)\}$ converges to x^* for every $x \in X$.

Corollary 2.18 Let (X, g_{dp}) be a complete partial metric space and let $T : X \rightarrow X$ be a self mapping, there exist $\theta \in \Theta$ and $\phi \in \Phi$ such that for all $x, y \in X$

$$g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Ty) \neq 0 \Rightarrow \theta(g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Ty)) \leq \phi\left(\theta\left(\frac{g_{dp}(x, Tx, Tx) + g_{dp}(y, Ty, Ty)}{2}\right)\right) \quad (2.24)$$

Then T has a unique fixed point x^* such that the sequence $\{T^n(x)\}$ converges to x^* for every $x \in X$.

Example 2.19 Let $X = \{0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 3, \dots\}$ and metric $g_{dp}(x, y, z) = \max\{|x|, |y|, |z|\}$ for all $x, y, z \in X$. Then (X, g_{dp}) is a complete g_{dp} -metric space. Define the

mapping $T : X \rightarrow X$ by $Tx = \begin{cases} 0, & x=0; \\ -(n-1), & x=n; \\ (n-1), & x=-n. \end{cases}$

Now, let the function $\theta : (0, \infty) \rightarrow (1, \infty)$ defined by $\theta(t) = 5^t$ and the function $\phi : [1, \infty) \rightarrow [1, \infty)$ defined by $\phi(t) = \begin{cases} 3, & 1 \leq t \leq 2; \\ t^2 - 1, & t \geq 2. \end{cases}$

Clearly $\theta \in \Theta$ and $\phi \in \Phi$.

We consider following cases

Case 1: If $(x = n \geq 1, y = 0 \text{ or } x = -n (n \geq 1), y = 0)$.

$$\begin{aligned} g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Ty) &= n - 1, \\ g_{dp}(x, Tx, Tx) &= n, \\ g_{dp}(y, Ty, Ty) &= 0, \\ \theta(g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Ty)) &= \theta(n - 1) = 5^{n-1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \phi\left(\theta\left(\frac{g_{dp}(x, Tx, Tx) + g_{dp}(y, Ty, Ty)}{2}\right)\right) &= \phi\left(\theta\left(\frac{n}{2}\right)\right) \\ &= \phi\left(5^{\frac{n}{2}}\right) = 5^n - 1 \\ &\geq 5^{n-1} = \theta(g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Ty)) \end{aligned} \tag{2.25}$$

Case 2: $(x = n > y = m \geq 1 \text{ or } x = -n < y = -m \leq -1)$.

$$\begin{aligned} g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Ty) &= n - 1, \\ g_{dp}(x, Tx, Tx) &= n, \\ g_{dp}(y, Ty, Ty) &= m, \\ \theta(g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Ty)) &= \theta(n - 1) = 5^{n-1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \phi\left(\theta\left(\frac{g_{dp}(x, Tx, Tx) + g_{dp}(y, Ty, Ty)}{2}\right)\right) &= \phi\left(\theta\left(\frac{n+m}{2}\right)\right) \\ &= \phi\left(5^{\left(\frac{n+m}{2}\right)}\right) = 5^{n+m} - 1 \\ &\geq 5^{n-1} = \theta(g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Ty)) \end{aligned} \tag{2.26}$$

Case 3: $(x = n, y = -m, n > m \geq 1 \text{ or } x = -n, y = m, n \geq m \geq 1)$.

$$\begin{aligned} g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Ty) &= n - 1, \\ g_{dp}(x, Tx, Tx) &= n, \\ g_{dp}(y, Ty, Ty) &= m, \\ \theta(g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Ty)) &= \theta(n - 1) = 5^{n-1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \phi\left(\theta\left(\frac{g_{dp}(x, Tx, Tx) + g_{dp}(y, Ty, Ty)}{2}\right)\right) = \phi\left(\theta\left(\frac{n+m}{2}\right)\right) \\
 &= \phi\left(5^{\left(\frac{n+m}{2}\right)}\right) = 5^{n+m} - 1 \\
 &\geq 5^{n-1} = \theta(g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Ty))
 \end{aligned} \tag{2.27}$$

From 2.25, 2.26 and 2.27, we get for all $x, y \in X$,

$$\theta(g_{dp}(Tx, Ty, Ty)) \leq \phi\left(\theta\left(\frac{g_{dp}(x, Tx, Tx) + g_{dp}(y, Ty, Ty)}{2}\right)\right)$$

This gives Corollary 2.18 satisfied, thus T has a fixed point at $x = 0$.

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