



FIXED POINT RESULTS FOR GENERALIZED RATIONAL α -GERAGHTY CONTRACTION

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Abstract. In this paper, an effort has been made to improve the notion of α -Geraghty contraction type mappings and establish some common fixed point theorems for a pair of α -admissible mappings under the improved approach of generalized rational α -Geraghty contractive type condition in a complete metric space. An example has been constructed to demonstrate the novelty of these results.

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1. PRELIMINARIES AND SCOPE

In 1973, Geraghty [3] studied a generalization of Banach contraction principle. He generalized the Banach contraction principle in a different way than it was done by different investigators. In 2012, Samet et al. [16], introduced a concept of $\alpha - \psi$ -contractive type mappings and established various fixed point theorems for mappings in complete metric spaces. Afterwards, Karapinar [11], refined the notion and obtained various fixed point results. See more results in [9]. Hussain et al. [7], generalized the concept of α -admissible mappings and proved fixed point theorems. Subsequently, Abdeljawad [1] introduced a pair of α -admissible mappings satisfying new sufficient contractive conditions different from those in [7], [16] and obtained fixed point and common fixed point theorems. Salimi et al. [15], modified the concept of $\alpha - \psi$ -contractive mappings and established fixed point results. Recently, Hussain et al. [8] proved some fixed point results for single and set-valued $\alpha - \eta - \psi$ -contractive mappings in the setting of complete metric space. Mohammadi et al. [13], introduced a new notion of $\alpha - \phi$ -contractive mappings and showed that it was a real generalization for some old results. Thereafter, many papers have published on geraghty contractions. For more detail see [4–6, 8, 11, 14] and references therein.

Definition 1 ([16]). Let $S : X \rightarrow X$ and $\alpha : X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$. We say that S is α -admissible if $x, y \in X$, $\alpha(x, y) \geq 1 \Rightarrow \alpha(Sx, Sy) \geq 1$.

Example 1 ([12]). Consider $X = [0, \infty)$, and define $S : X \rightarrow X$ and $\alpha : X \times X \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ by $Sx = 2x$, for all $x, y \in X$ and

$$\alpha(x, y) = \begin{cases} e^{\frac{y}{x}}, & \text{if } x \geq y, x \neq 0 \\ 0, & \text{if } x < y. \end{cases}$$

Then S is α -admissible.

Definition 2 ([1]). Let $S, T : X \rightarrow X$ and $\alpha : X \times X \rightarrow [0, +\infty)$. We say that the pair (S, T) is α -admissible if $x, y \in X$ such that $\alpha(x, y) \geq 1$, then we have $\alpha(Sx, Ty) \geq 1$ and $\alpha(Tx, Sy) \geq 1$.

Definition 3 ([10]). Let $S : X \rightarrow X$ and $\alpha : X \times X \rightarrow [0, +\infty)$. We say that S is triangular α -admissible if $x, y \in X$, $\alpha(x, z) \geq 1$ and $\alpha(z, y) \geq 1 \Rightarrow \alpha(x, y) \geq 1$.

Definition 4 ([10]). Let $S : X \rightarrow X$ and $\alpha : X \times X \rightarrow (-\infty, +\infty)$. We say that S is a triangular α -admissible mapping if

- (T1) $\alpha(x, y) \geq 1$ implies $\alpha(Sx, Sy) \geq 1$, $x, y \in X$,
- (T2) $\alpha(x, z) \geq 1$, $\alpha(z, y) \geq 1$, implies $\alpha(x, y) \geq 1$, $x, y, z \in X$.

Definition 5 ([1]). Let $S, T : X \rightarrow X$ and $\alpha : X \times X \rightarrow (-\infty, +\infty)$. We say that a pair (S, T) is triangular α -admissible if

- (T1) $\alpha(x, y) \geq 1$, implies $\alpha(Sx, Ty) \geq 1$ and $\alpha(Tx, Sy) \geq 1$, $x, y \in X$.
- (T2) $\alpha(x, z) \geq 1$, $\alpha(z, y) \geq 1$, implies $\alpha(x, y) \geq 1$, $x, y, z \in X$.

Definition 6 ([15]). Let $S : X \rightarrow X$ and let $\alpha, \eta : X \times X \rightarrow [0, +\infty)$ be two functions. We say that T is α -admissible mapping with respect to η if $x, y \in X$, $\alpha(x, y) \geq \eta(x, y) \Rightarrow \alpha(Sx, Sy) \geq \eta(Sx, Sy)$. Note that if we take $\eta(x, y) = 1$, then this definition reduces to definition in [16]. Also if we take $\alpha(x, y) = 1$, then we says that S is an η -subadmissible mapping.

Lemma 1 ([2]). Let $S : X \rightarrow X$ be a triangular α -admissible mapping. Assume that there exists $x_0 \in X$ such that $\alpha(x_0, Sx_0) \geq 1$. Define a sequence $\{x_n\}$ by $x_{n+1} = Sx_n$. Then we have $\alpha(x_n, x_m) \geq 1$ for all $m, n \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$ with $n < m$.

Lemma 2. Let $S, T : X \rightarrow X$ be a triangular α -admissible mapping. Assume that there exists $x_0 \in X$ such that $\alpha(x_0, Sx_0) \geq 1$. Define sequence $x_{2i+1} = Sx_{2i}$, and $x_{2i+2} = Tx_{2i+1}$, where $i = 0, 1, 2, \dots$. Then we have $\alpha(x_n, x_m) \geq 1$ for all $m, n \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$ with $n < m$.

We denote by Ω the family of all functions $\beta : [0, +\infty) \rightarrow [0, 1)$ such that, for any bounded sequence $\{t_n\}$ of positive reals, $\beta(t_n) \rightarrow 1$ implies $t_n \rightarrow 0$.

Theorem 1 ([3]). Let (X, d) be a metric space. Let $S : X \rightarrow X$ be a self mapping. Suppose that there exists $\beta \in \Omega$ such that for all $x, y \in X$,

$$d(Sx, Sy) \leq \beta(d(x, y))d(x, y).$$

then S has a fixed unique point $p \in X$ and $\{S^n x\}$ converges to p for each $x \in X$.

2. RESULTS

In this section, we prove some fixed point theorems satisfying generalized rational α -Geraghty contraction type mappings in complete metric space. Let (X, d) be a metric space, and let $\alpha : X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a function. Let $S, T : X \rightarrow X$ is called a pair of generalized rational α -Geraghty contraction type mappings if there exists $\beta \in \Omega$ such that for all $x, y \in X$,

$$\alpha(x, y)d(Sx, Ty) \leq \beta (M(x, y)) M(x, y) \tag{2.1}$$

where

$$M(x, y) = \max \left\{ d(x, y), \frac{d(x, Sx)d(y, Ty)}{1 + d(x, y)}, \frac{d(x, Sx)d(y, Ty)}{1 + d(Sx, Ty)} \right\}.$$

If $S = T$ then T is called generalized rational α -Geraghty contraction type mappings if there exists $\beta \in \Omega$ such that for all $x, y \in X$,

$$\alpha(x, y)d(Tx, Ty) \leq \beta (N(x, y)) N(x, y)$$

where

$$N(x, y) = \max \left\{ d(x, y), \frac{d(x, Tx)d(y, Ty)}{1 + d(x, y)}, \frac{d(x, Tx)d(y, Ty)}{1 + d(Tx, Ty)} \right\}.$$

Theorem 2. Let (X, d) be a complete metric space, $\alpha : X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a function. Let $S, T : X \rightarrow X$ be two mappings then suppose that the following holds:

- (i) (S, T) is pair of generalized rational α -Geraghty contraction type mapping;
- (ii) (S, T) is triangular α -admissible;
- (iii) there exists $x_0 \in X$ such that $\alpha(x_0, Sx_0) \geq 1$;
- (iv) S and T are continuous;

Then (S, T) have common fixed point.

Proof. Let x_1 in X be such that $x_1 = Sx_0$ and $x_2 = Tx_1$. Continuing this process, we construct a sequence x_n of points in X such that,

$$x_{2i+1} = Sx_{2i}, \text{ and } x_{2i+2} = Tx_{2i+1}, \text{ where } i = 0, 1, 2, \dots \tag{2.2}$$

By assumption $\alpha(x_0, x_1) \geq 1$ and pair (S, T) is α -admissible, by Lemma 2, we have

$$\alpha(x_n, x_{n+1}) \geq 1 \text{ for all } n \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}. \tag{2.3}$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} d(x_{2i+1}, x_{2i+2}) &= d(Sx_{2i}, Tx_{2i+1}) \leq \alpha(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1})d(Sx_{2i}, Tx_{2i+1}) \\ &\leq \beta (M(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1})) M(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1}), \end{aligned}$$

for all $i \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$. Now

$$\begin{aligned} M(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1}) &= \max \left\{ d(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1}), \frac{d(x_{2i}, Sx_{2i})d(x_{2i+1}, Tx_{2i+1})}{1 + d(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1})}, \frac{d(x_{2i}, Sx_{2i})d(x_{2i+1}, Tx_{2i+1})}{1 + d(Sx_{2i}, Tx_{2i+1})} \right\} \\ &= \max \left\{ d(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1}), \frac{d(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1})d(x_{2i+1}, x_{2i+2})}{1 + d(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1})}, \frac{d(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1})d(x_{2i+1}, x_{2i+2})}{1 + d(x_{2i+1}, x_{2i+2})} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\leq \max \{d(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1}), d(x_{2i+1}, x_{2i+2})\}.$$

Thus

$$\begin{aligned} d(x_{2i+1}, x_{2i+2}) &\leq \beta(M(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1})) M(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1}) \\ &\leq \beta(d(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1})) d((x_{2i}, x_{2i+1}) < d(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1})). \end{aligned}$$

so that,

$$d((x_{2i+1}, x_{2i+2}) < d(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1}). \quad (2.4)$$

This implies that

$$d(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}) < d(x_n, x_{n+1}), \text{ for all } n \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}. \quad (2.5)$$

So, sequence $\{d(x_n, x_{n+1})\}$ is nonnegative and nonincreasing. Now, we prove that $d(x_n, x_{n+1}) \rightarrow 0$. It is clear that $\{d(x_n, x_{n+1})\}$ is a decreasing sequence. Therefore, there exists some positive number r such that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} d(x_n, x_{n+1}) = r$. From (2.4), we have

$$\frac{d(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2})}{d(x_n, x_{n+1})} \leq \beta(d(x_n, x_{n+1})) \leq 1.$$

Now by taking limit $n \rightarrow \infty$, we have

$$1 \leq \beta(d(x_n, x_{n+1})) \leq 1,$$

that is

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \beta(d(x_n, x_{n+1})) = 1.$$

By the property of β , we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} d(x_n, x_{n+1}) = 0. \quad (2.6)$$

Now, we show that sequence $\{x_n\}$ is Cauchy sequence. Suppose on contrary that $\{x_n\}$ is not a Cauchy sequence. Then there exists $\epsilon > 0$ and sequences $\{x_{m_k}\}$ and $\{x_{n_k}\}$ such that, for all positive integers k , we have $m_k > n_k > k$,

$$d(x_{m_k}, x_{n_k}) \geq \epsilon \quad (2.7)$$

and

$$d(x_{m_k}, x_{n_{k-1}}) < \epsilon. \quad (2.8)$$

By the triangle inequality, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \epsilon &\leq d(x_{m_k}, x_{n_k}) \\ &\leq d(x_{m_k}, x_{n_{k-1}}) + d(x_{n_{k-1}}, x_{n_k}) \\ &< \epsilon + d(x_{n_{k-1}}, x_{n_k}). \end{aligned}$$

That is,

$$\epsilon < \epsilon + d(x_{n_{k-1}}, x_{n_k}) \quad (2.9)$$

for all $k \in \mathbb{N}$. In the view of (2.9), (2.6), we have

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} d(x_{m_k}, x_{n_k}) = \epsilon. \quad (2.10)$$

Again using triangle inequality, we have

$$d(x_{m_k}, x_{n_k}) \leq d(x_{m_k}, x_{m_{k+1}}) + d(x_{m_{k+1}}, x_{n_{k+1}}) + d(x_{n_{k+1}}, x_{n_k})$$

and

$$d(x_{m_{k+1}}, x_{n_{k+1}}) \leq d(x_{m_{k+1}}, x_{m_k}) + d(x_{m_k}, x_{n_k}) + d(x_{n_k}, x_{n_{k+1}}).$$

Taking limit as $k \rightarrow +\infty$ and using (2.6) and (2.10), we obtain

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow +\infty} d(x_{m_{k+1}}, x_{n_{k+1}}) = \epsilon. \tag{2.11}$$

By Lemma 2, $\alpha(x_{n_k}, x_{m_{k+1}}) \geq 1$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} d(x_{n_{k+1}}, x_{m_{k+2}}) &= d(Sx_{n_k}, Tx_{m_{k+1}}) \leq \alpha(x_{n_k}, x_{m_{k+1}})d(Sx_{n_k}, Tx_{m_{k+1}}) \\ &\leq \beta(M(x_{n_k}, x_{m_{k+1}}))M(x_{n_k}, x_{m_{k+1}}). \end{aligned}$$

Finally, we conclude that

$$\frac{d(x_{n_{k+1}}, x_{m_{k+2}})}{M(x_{n_k}, x_{m_{k+1}})} \leq \beta(M(x_{n_k}, x_{m_{k+1}})).$$

By using (2.6), taking limit as $k \rightarrow +\infty$ in the above inequality, we obtain

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \beta(d(x_{n_k}, x_{m_{k+1}})) = 1. \tag{2.12}$$

So, $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} d(x_{n_k}, x_{m_{k+1}}) = 0 < \epsilon$, which is a contradiction. Hence $\{x_n\}$ is a Cauchy sequence. Since X is complete so there exists $p \in X$ such that $x_n \rightarrow p$ implies that $x_{2i+1} \rightarrow p$ and $x_{2i+2} \rightarrow p$. As S and T are continuous, so we get $Tx_{2i+1} \rightarrow Tp$ and $Sx_{2i+2} \rightarrow Sp$. Thus $p = Sp$ similarly, $p = Tp$, we have $Sp = Tp = p$. Then (S, T) have common fixed point. \square

In the following Theorem, we dropped continuity.

Theorem 3. Let (X, d) be a complete metric space, $\alpha : X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a function. Let $S, T : X \rightarrow X$ be two mappings then suppose that the following holds:

- (i) (S, T) is a pair of generalized rational α -Geraghty contraction type mapping;
- (ii) (S, T) is triangular α -admissible;
- (iii) there exists $x_0 \in X$ such that $\alpha(x_0, Sx_0) \geq 1$;
- (iv) if $\{x_n\}$ is a sequence in X such that $\alpha(x_n, x_{n+1}) \geq 1$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$ and $x_n \rightarrow p \in X$ as $n \rightarrow +\infty$, then there exists a subsequence $\{x_{n_k}\}$ of $\{x_n\}$ such that $\alpha(x_{n_k}, p) \geq 1$ for all k .

Then (S, T) have common fixed point.

Proof. Follows the similar lines of the Theorem 2. Define a sequence $x_{2i+1} = Sx_{2i}$, and $x_{2i+2} = Tx_{2i+1}$, where $i = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ converges to $p \in X$. By the hypotheses of (iv) there exists a subsequence $\{x_{n_k}\}$ of $\{x_n\}$ such that $\alpha(x_{2n_k}, p) \geq 1$ for all k . Now by using (2.1) for all k , we have

$$d(x_{2n_k+1}, Tp) = d(Sx_{2n_k}, Tp) \leq \alpha(x_{2n_k}, p)d(Sx_{2n_k}, Tp)$$

$$\leq \beta (M(x_{2n_k}, p)) M(x_{2n_k}, p).$$

so that,

$$d(x_{2n_k+1}, Tp) \leq \beta (M(x_{2n_k}, p)) M(x_{2n_k}, p). \quad (2.13)$$

On the other hand, we obtain

$$M(x_{2n_k}, p) = \max \left\{ d(x_{2n_k}, p), \frac{d(x_{2n_k}, Sx_{2n_k}), d(p, Tp)}{1 + d(x_{2n_k}, p)}, \frac{d(x_{2n_k}, Sx_{2n_k}), d(p, Tp)}{1 + d(Sx_{2n_k}, Tp)} \right\}.$$

Letting $k \rightarrow \infty$ then we have

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} M(x_{2n_k}, p) = \max \{d(p, Sp), d(p, Tp)\}. \quad (2.14)$$

Case I.

$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} M(x_{2n_k}, p) = d(p, Tp)$. Suppose that $d(p, Tp) > 0$. From (2.14), for a large k , we have $M(x_{2n_k}, p) > 0$, which implies that

$$\beta(M(x_{2n_k}, p)) < M(x_{2n_k}, p).$$

Then, we have

$$d(x_{2n_k}, Tp) < M(x_{2n_k}, p) \quad (2.15)$$

Letting $k \rightarrow \infty$ in (2.15), we obtain that $d(p, Tp) < d(p, Tp)$, which is a contradiction. Thus, we find that $d(p, Tp) = 0$, implies $p = Tp$.

Case II.

$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} M(x_{2n_k}, p) = d(p, Sp)$. Similarly $p = Sp$. Thus $p = Tp = Sp$. \square

If $M(x, y) = \max \left\{ d(x, y), \frac{d(x, Sx)d(y, Sy)}{1 + d(x, y)}, \frac{d(x, Sx)d(y, Sy)}{1 + d(Sx, Sy)} \right\}$ and $S = T$ in Theorem 2 and Theorem 3, we have the following corollaries.

Corollary 1. Let (X, d) be a complete metric space and let S is α -admissible mappings such that the following holds:

- (i) S is a generalized rational α -Geraghty contraction type mapping;
- (ii) S is triangular α -admissible;
- (iii) there exists $x_0 \in X$ such that $\alpha(x_0, T(x_0)) \geq 1$;
- (iv) S is continuous;

Then S has a fixed point $p \in X$, and S is a Picard operator, that is, $\{S^n x_0\}$ converges to p .

Corollary 2. Let (X, d) be a complete metric space and let S is α -admissible mappings such that the following holds:

- (i) S is a generalized rational α -Geraghty contraction type mapping;
- (ii) S is triangular α -admissible;
- (iii) there exists $x_0 \in X$ such that $\alpha(x_0, Sx_0) \geq 1$;
- (iv) if $\{x_n\}$ is a sequence in X such that $\alpha(x_n, x_{n+1}) \geq 1$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$ and $x_n \rightarrow p \in X$ as $n \rightarrow +\infty$, then there exists a subsequence $\{x_{n_k}\}$ of $\{x_n\}$ such that $\alpha(x_{n_k}, p) \geq 1$ for all k .

Then S has a fixed point $p \in X$, and S is a Picard operator, that is, $\{S^n x_0\}$ converges to p .

If $M(x, y) = \max \{d(x, y), d(x, Sx), d(y, Sy)\}$ in Theorem 1, Theorem 2, we obtain the following corollaries.

Corollary 3 ([2]). Let (X, d) be a complete metric space, $\alpha : X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a function. Let $S : X \rightarrow X$ be a mapping then suppose that the following holds:

- (i) S is a generalized α -Geraghty contraction type mapping;
- (ii) S is triangular α -admissible;
- (iii) there exists $x_0 \in X$ such that $\alpha(x_0, Sx_0) \geq 1$;
- (iv) S is continuous;

Then S has a fixed point $p \in X$, and S is a Picard operator, that is, $\{S^n x_0\}$ converges to p .

Corollary 4 ([2]). Let (X, d) be a complete metric space, $\alpha : X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a function. Let $S : X \rightarrow X$ be a mapping then suppose that the following holds:

- (i) S is a generalized α -Geraghty contraction type mapping;
- (ii) S is triangular α -admissible;
- (iii) there exists $x_0 \in X$ such that $\alpha(x_0, Sx_0) \geq 1$;
- (iv) if $\{x_n\}$ is a sequence in X such that $\alpha(x_n, x_{n+1}) \geq 1$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$ and $x_n \rightarrow p \in X$ as $n \rightarrow +\infty$, then there exists a subsequence $\{x_{n_k}\}$ of $\{x_n\}$ such that $\alpha(x_{n_k}, p) \geq 1$ for all k .

Then S has a fixed point $p \in X$, and S is a Picard operator, that is, $\{S^n x_0\}$ converges to p .

Let (X, d) be a metric space, and let $\alpha, \eta : X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a function. A map $S, T : X \rightarrow X$ is called a pair of generalized rational α -Geraghty contraction type mappings if there exists $\beta \in \Omega$ such that for all $x, y \in X$,

$$\alpha(x, y) \geq \eta(x, y) \Rightarrow d(Sx, Ty) \leq \beta (M(x, y)) M(x, y) \tag{2.16}$$

where

$$M(x, y) = \max \left\{ d(x, y), \frac{d(x, Sx)d(y, Ty)}{1 + d(x, y)}, \frac{d(x, Sx)d(y, Ty)}{1 + d(Sx, Ty)} \right\}.$$

Theorem 4. Let (X, d) be a complete metric space. Let S is α -admissible mappings with respect to η such that the following holds:

- (i) (S, T) is a generalized rational α -Geraghty contraction type mapping;
- (ii) (S, T) is triangular α -admissible;
- (iii) there exists $x_0 \in X$ such that $\alpha(x_0, Sx_0) \geq \eta(x_0, Sx_0)$;
- (iv) S and T are continuous;

Then (S, T) have common fixed point.

Proof. Let x_1 in X be such that $x_1 = Sx_0$ and $x_2 = Tx_1$. Continuing this process, we construct a sequence x_n of points in X such that,

$$x_{2i+1} = Sx_{2i}, \text{ and } x_{2i+2} = Tx_{2i+1}, \text{ where } i = 0, 1, 2, \dots \quad (2.17)$$

By assumption $\alpha(x_0, x_1) \geq \eta(x_0, x_1)$ and the pair (S, T) is α -admissible with respect to η , we have, $\alpha(Sx_0, Tx_1) \geq \eta(Sx_0, Tx_1)$ from which we deduce that $\alpha(x_1, x_2) \geq \eta(x_1, x_2)$ which also implies that $\alpha(Tx_1, Sx_2) \geq \eta(Tx_1, Sx_2)$. Continuing in this way we obtain $\alpha(x_n, x_{n+1}) \geq \eta(x_n, x_{n+1})$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$.

$$\begin{aligned} d(x_{2i+1}, x_{2i+2}) &= d(Sx_{2i}, Tx_{2i+1}) \leq \alpha(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1})d(Sx_{2i}, Tx_{2i+1}) \\ &\leq \beta(M(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1}))M(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1}), \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$d(x_{2i+1}, x_{2i+2}) \leq \alpha(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1})d(Sx_{2i}, Tx_{2i+1}) \quad (2.18)$$

for all $i \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$. Now

$$\begin{aligned} M(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1}) &= \max \left\{ d(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1}), \frac{d(x_{2i}, Sx_{2i})d(x_{2i+1}, Tx_{2i+1})}{1+d(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1})}, \frac{d(x_{2i}, Sx_{2i})d(x_{2i+1}, Tx_{2i+1})}{1+d(Sx_{2i}, Tx_{2i+1})} \right\} \\ &= \max \left\{ d(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1}), \frac{d(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1})d(x_{2i+1}, x_{2i+2})}{1+d(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1})}, \frac{d(x_{2i}, Sx_{2i})d(x_{2i+1}, Tx_{2i+1})}{1+d(x_{2i+1}, x_{2i+2})} \right\} \\ &\leq \max \{d(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1}), d(x_{2i+1}, x_{2i+2})\}. \end{aligned}$$

From the definition of β , the case $M(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1}) = d(x_{2i+1}, x_{2i+2})$ is impossible.

$$\begin{aligned} d(x_{2i+1}, x_{2i+2}) &\leq \beta(M(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1}))M(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1}) \\ &\leq \beta(d(x_{2i+1}, x_{2i+2}))d(x_{2i+1}, x_{2i+2}) < d(x_{2i+1}, x_{2i+2}). \end{aligned}$$

Which is a contradiction. Otherwise, in other case

$$\begin{aligned} d(x_{2i+1}, x_{2i+2}) &\leq \beta(M(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1}))M(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1}) \\ &\leq \beta(d(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1}))d((x_{2i}, x_{2i+1})) < d(x_{2i}, x_{2i+1}). \end{aligned}$$

This, implies that

$$d(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}) < d(x_n, x_{n+1}), \text{ for all } n \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}. \quad (2.19)$$

Follows the similar lines of the Theorem 2. Hence p is common fixed point of S and T . \square

Theorem 5. Let (X, d) be a complete metric space and let (S, T) are α -admissible mappings with respect to η such that the following holds:

- (i) (S, T) is a generalized rational α -Geraghty contraction type mapping;
- (ii) (S, T) is triangular α -admissible;
- (iii) there exists $x_0 \in X$ such that $\alpha(x_0, Sx_0) \geq \eta(x_0, Sx_0)$;
- (iv) if $\{x_n\}$ is a sequence in X such that $\alpha(x_n, x_{n+1}) \geq \eta(x_n, x_{n+1})$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$ and $x_n \rightarrow p \in X$ as $n \rightarrow +\infty$, then there exists a subsequence $\{x_{n_k}\}$ of $\{x_n\}$ such that $\alpha(x_{n_k}, p) \geq \eta(x_{n_k}, p)$ for all k .

Then S and T has common fixed point.

Proof. Follows the similar line of the Theorem 3. □

If $M(x, y) = \max \left\{ d(x, y), \frac{d(x, Sx)d(y, Sy)}{1 + d(x, y)}, \frac{d(x, Sx)d(y, Sy)}{1 + d(Sx, Sy)} \right\}$ and $S = T$ in the Theorem 4, Theorem 5, we get the following corollaries.

Corollary 5. *Let (X, d) be a complete metric space and let S is α -admissible mappings with respect to η such that the following holds:*

- (i) S is a generalized rational α -Geraghty contraction type mapping;
- (ii) S is triangular α -admissible;
- (iii) there exists $x_0 \in X$ such that $\alpha(x_0, Sx_0) \geq \eta(x_0, Sx_0)$;
- (iv) S is continuous;

Then S has a fixed point $p \in X$, and S is a Picard operator, that is, $\{S^n x_0\}$ converges to p .

Corollary 6. *Let (X, d) be a complete metric space and let S is α -admissible mappings with respect to η such that the following holds:*

- (i) S is a generalized rational α -Geraghty contraction type mapping;
- (ii) S is triangular α -admissible;
- (iii) there exists $x_0 \in X$ such that $\alpha(x_0, Sx_0) \geq \eta(x_0, Sx_0)$;
- (iv) if $\{x_n\}$ is a sequence in X such that $\alpha(x_n, x_{n+1}) \geq \eta(x_n, x_{n+1})$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$ and $x_n \rightarrow p \in X$ as $n \rightarrow +\infty$, then there exists a subsequence $\{x_{n_k}\}$ of $\{x_n\}$ such that $\alpha(x_{n_k}, p) \geq \eta(x_{n_k}, p)$ for all k .

Then S has a fixed point $p \in X$, and S is a Picard operator, that is, $\{S^n x_0\}$ converges to p .

Example 2. Let $X = \{1, 2, 3\}$ with metric

$$d(1, 3) = d(3, 1) = \frac{5}{7} \quad d(1, 1) = d(2, 2) = d(3, 3) = 0$$

$$d(1, 2) = d(2, 1) = 1, \quad d(2, 3) = d(3, 2) = \frac{4}{7}$$

$$\alpha(x, y) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } x, y \in X, \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}.$$

Define the mappings $S, T : X \rightarrow X$ as follows:

$$Sx = 1 \text{ for each } x \in X.$$

$$T(1) = T(3) = 1, \quad T(2) = 3.$$

and $\beta : [0, +\infty) \rightarrow [0, 1]$, then

$$\alpha(x, y)d(Tx, Ty) \leq \beta(M(x, y))M(x, y).$$

Let $x = 2$ and $y = 3$ then condition (2.1) is not satisfied.

$$d(T(2), T(3)) = d(3, 1) = \frac{5}{7}$$

$$\begin{aligned} M(x, y) &= \max \{d(2, 3), d(2, T(2)), d(3, T(3))\} \\ &= \max \left\{ \frac{4}{7}, \frac{4}{7}, \frac{5}{7} \right\} = \frac{5}{7} \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\alpha(2, 3)d(T(2), T(3)) \not\leq \beta(M(x, y))M(x, y).$$

If

$$\begin{aligned} M(x, y) &= \max \left\{ d(2, 3), \frac{d(2, T(2))d(3, T(3))}{1 + d(2, 3)}, \frac{d(2, T(2))d(3, T(3))}{1 + d(T(2), T(3))} \right\} \\ &= \max \left\{ \frac{4}{7}, \frac{20}{77}, \frac{20}{84} \right\} = \frac{4}{7} \end{aligned}$$

Then the contractions does not holds.

$$\alpha(2, 3)d(T(2), T(3)) \not\leq \beta(M(x, y))M(x, y).$$

We prove that Theorem 1 can be applied to S and T . Let $x, y \in X$, clearly (S, T) is α -admissible mapping such that $\alpha(x, y) \geq 1$. Let $x, y \in X$ and so that $Sx, Ty \in X$ and $\alpha(Sx, Ty) = 1$. Hence (S, T) is α -admissible. We show that condition (2.1) of Theorem 1 is satisfied. If $x, y \in X$ then $\alpha(x, y) = 1$, we have

$$\alpha(x, y)d(Sx, Ty) \leq \beta(M(x, y))(M(x, y)).$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} M(x, y) &= \max \left\{ d(2, 3), \frac{d(2, S(2))d(3, T(3))}{1 + d(2, 3)}, \frac{d(2, S(2))d(3, T(3))}{1 + d(S(2), T(3))} \right\} \\ &= \max \left\{ \frac{4}{7}, \frac{20}{77}, \frac{20}{49} \right\} = \frac{4}{7} \end{aligned}$$

and

$$d(S(2), T(3)) = d(1, 1) = 0.$$

$$\alpha(x, y)d(Sx, Ty) \leq \beta(M(x, y))(M(x, y)).$$

Hence all the hypothesis of the Theorem 1 is satisfied, So S, T have a common fixed point.

Remark 1. More detail, applications and examples see in [2] and references there in. Our results are more general than those in [2], [15] and improve several results existing in the literature.

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