



## SOME SUZUKI TYPE FIXED POINT THEOREMS IN COMPLETE CONE $b$ -METRIC SPACES OVER A SOLID VECTOR SPACE

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**Abstract.** In this paper, we prove some new Suzuki type fixed point theorems in complete cone  $b$ -metric spaces over a solid vector space. Our result complements recent results announced by many others.

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### 1. Introduction and preliminaries

In this paper, we study some new Suzuki type fixed point theorems in complete cone  $b$ -metric spaces over solid vector spaces. Cone metric spaces have a long history (see Collatz [7], Du and E. Karapnar [10], Kumam et al. [19], Zabrejko [36], Janković et al. [18], Proinov [22], P.P. Zabrejko [36] and references therein). A unified theory of cone metric spaces over a solid vector space was developed in a recent paper of Proinov [22]. Recall that an ordered vector space with convergence structure  $(Y, \preceq)$  is called a solid vector space if it can be endowed with a strict vector ordering  $(\prec)$ . The metric spaces with vector valued metric are known under various names such as pseudometric spaces [7], K-metric spaces [12, 36, 20], generalized metric spaces [30, 14], vector-valued metric spaces [3], cone-valued metric spaces [5, 6], cone metric spaces [15, 18].

In 2007, Huang and Zhang [15] introduced cone metric spaces as a generalization of metric spaces and extended the Banach contraction principle to cone metric spaces over a normal solid cone, being unaware that the cone metric spaces are known in the literature under various names, in particular, "K-metric space" comes from Russian and means in English exactly Cone metric space because "Cone" in Russian is "Konus". In the general theory of cone metric spaces (see [36] and [22]) the cone metric takes values in an ordered space with a convergence structure. In other words, Huang and Zhang consider only a special convergence structure on a solid vector space.

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Moreover, in the literature the convergence via interior points of the cone is one of the oldest (see for example, [5]). After them many authors have studied cone metric spaces over solid cone and fixed point theorems in such spaces (see [4, 8, 2, 18, 9, 23, 25, 27, 22, 28, 26, 29, 32, 33] and the references therein). The first paper is a survey of the paper on fixed point theorems in cone metric spaces obtained in 2007-2011. The second one gives a theory of cone metric spaces over a solid vector space.

In [17], Hussain and Shah introduced cone  $b$ -metric spaces as a generalization of  $b$ -metric spaces and cone metric spaces. They established some topological properties in such spaces and improved some recent results about KKM mappings in the setting of a cone  $b$ -metric space. Very recently, several papers have dealt with the cone  $b$ -metric space structure and fixed point theory or the variational principle for single-valued and multi-valued operators in cone  $b$ -metric spaces (see [1, 13, 16, 31] and the references therein).

In this paper, motivated and inspired by ideas of some recent papers such as Kadelburg et.al, [9], Edelstein [11], Piri and Marasi [21] Rezapour Hambarani [29], Suzuki [34] and Wong [35], , we obtain some fixed point theorems of contractive mappings in cone  $b$ -metric spaces. The results greatly generalize and improve the work of Kadelburg et al. [9], Huang and Zhang [15], Huang and Xu [16], Rezapour Hambarani [29] and many others.

**Definition 1.1.** [22] Let  $Y$  be a real vector space and  $S$  be the set of all infinite sequences in  $Y$ . A binary relation between  $S$  and  $Y$  is called a convergence on  $Y$  if it satisfies the following axioms:

- (C1) If  $x_n \rightarrow x$  and  $y_n \rightarrow y$ , then  $x_n + y_n \rightarrow x + y$ .
- (C2) If  $x_n \rightarrow x$  and  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ , then  $\lambda x_n \rightarrow \lambda x$ .
- (C3) If  $\lambda_n \rightarrow \lambda$  in  $\mathbb{R}$  and  $x \in Y$ , then  $\lambda_n x \rightarrow \lambda x$ .

The pair  $(Y, \rightarrow)$  is said to be a vector space with convergence. If  $x_n \rightarrow x$ , then  $\{x_n\}$  is said to be a convergent sequence in  $Y$ , and the vector  $x$  is said to be a limit of  $\{x_n\}$ .

**Definition 1.2.** [22] Let  $(Y, \rightarrow)$  be a vector space with convergence. An ordering  $\preceq$  on  $Y$  is said to be a vector ordering if it is compatible with the algebraic and convergence structures on  $Y$  in the sense that the following are true:

- (V1) If  $x \preceq y$ , then  $x + z \preceq y + z$ , for every  $z \in Y$ .
- (V2) If  $\lambda \geq 0$  and  $x \preceq y$ , then  $\lambda x \preceq \lambda y$ .
- (V3) If  $x_n \rightarrow x$ ,  $y_n \rightarrow y$ ,  $x_n \preceq y_n$  for all  $n$ , then  $x \preceq y$ .

A vector space with convergence  $(Y, \rightarrow)$  equipped with a vector ordering  $\preceq$  is called an ordered vector space with convergence and is denoted by  $(Y, \preceq, \rightarrow)$ .

**Definition 1.3.** [22] Let  $(Y, \preceq, \rightarrow)$  be an ordered vector space with convergence. A strict ordering  $\prec$  on  $Y$  is said to be a strict vector ordering if it is compatible with the vector ordering, the algebraic structure and the convergence structure on  $Y$  in the sense that the following are true:

- (S1) If  $x \prec y$ , then  $x \preceq y$ .
- (S2) If  $x \preceq y$  and  $y \prec z$ , then  $x \prec z$ .
- (S3) If  $x \prec y$ , then  $x + z \prec y + z$ , for every  $z \in Y$ .
- (S4) If  $\lambda > 0$  and  $x \prec y$ , then  $\lambda x \prec \lambda y$ .
- (S5) If  $x_n \rightarrow x$ ,  $y_n \rightarrow y$  and  $x \prec y$ , then  $x_n \prec y_n$  for all but finitely many  $n$ .

An ordered vector space with convergence  $(Y, \preceq, \rightarrow)$  equipped with a strict vector ordering  $\prec$  is denoted by  $(Y, \preceq, \prec, \rightarrow)$ .

**Lemma 1.4.** [22] *Strict vector ordering  $\prec$  on a ordered vector space with convergence  $(Y, \preceq, \rightarrow)$  satisfies also the following properties:*

- (S6) If  $\lambda < 0$  and  $x \prec y$ , then  $\lambda x \succ \lambda y$ .
- (S7) If  $\lambda < \mu$  and  $x \succ 0$ , then  $\lambda x \prec \mu x$ .
- (S8) If  $\lambda < \mu$  and  $x \prec 0$ , then  $\lambda x \succ \mu x$ .
- (S9) If  $x \prec y$  and  $y \preceq z$ , then  $x \prec z$ .
- (S10) If  $x \preceq y$  and  $u \prec v$ , then  $x + u \prec y + v$ .
- (S11) If  $x \prec c$  for each  $c \succ 0$ , then  $x \prec 0$ .

It turns out that an ordered vector space can be endowed with at most one strict vector ordering (see Proinov [22, Theore 5.1]).

**Definition 1.5.** [22] (Solid vector space) An ordered vector space with convergence endowed with a strict vector ordering is said to be a solid vector space.

**Definition 1.6.** (Cone  $b$ -metric space) Let  $X$  be a nonempty set,  $s \geq 1$  be a given real number and let  $(Y, \preceq, \rightarrow)$  be an ordered vector space with convergence. A vector-valued function  $d: X \times X \rightarrow Y$  is said to be a cone metric on  $Y$  if the following conditions hold:

- (d<sub>1</sub>)  $d(x, y) \succeq 0$  for all  $x, y \in X$  and  $d(x, y) = 0$  if and only if  $x = y$ ;
- (d<sub>2</sub>)  $d(x, y) = d(y, x)$  for all  $x, y \in X$ ;
- (d<sub>3</sub>)  $d(x, y) \preceq s[d(x, z) + d(z, y)]$  for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

The pair  $(X, d)$  is called a cone  $b$ -metric space with coefficient  $s$  over  $Y$ .

Let  $(X, d)$  be a cone  $b$ -metric space with coefficient  $s$  over a solid vector space  $(Y, \preceq, \rightarrow)$ . Then a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  of points in  $X$  converges to  $x \in X$  if and only if for every vector  $c \in Y$  with  $c \succ 0$ ,  $d(x_n, x) \prec c$  for all but finitely many  $n$ . Recall also that a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in  $X$  is called a Cauchy sequence if for every  $c \in Y$  with  $c \succ 0$ , there is  $N \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $d(x_n, x_m) \prec c$  for all  $n, m > N$ . A cone metric space  $X$  is called complete if each Cauchy sequence in  $X$  is convergent.

By the careful analysis of the proof of Theorem 9.9 of [22], we obtain the following theorem. Because its proof is much similar to the proof of Theorem 9.9 of [22], we omit its proof.

**Theorem 1.7.** *Let  $(X, d)$  be a complete cone  $b$ -metric space with coefficient  $s$  over a solid vector space  $(Y, \preceq, \prec, \rightarrow)$ . Suppose  $\{x_n\}$  is a sequence in  $X$  satisfying*

$$(1) \quad d(x_n, x_m) \preceq b_n, \text{ for all } n, m \in \mathbb{N} \text{ with } m \geq n,$$

where  $\{b_n\}$  is a sequence in  $Y$  which converges to 0. Then  $\{x_n\}$  converges to a point  $x \in X$  with error estimate  $d(x_n, x) \preceq sb_n$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

**Definition 1.8.** Let  $(Y, \preceq, \prec, \rightarrow)$  be a solid vector space and  $x, y \in Y$ . We say that  $x \succeq y$  if  $x \prec y$  not established.

## 2. Main results

**Theorem 2.1.** *Let  $s$  be a real number such that  $s \geq 1$  and let  $T$  be a self mapping on a complete cone  $b$ -metric space  $(X, d)$  with coefficient  $s$  over a normed solid vector space  $(Y, \preceq, \prec, \rightarrow)$ . Let  $k$  be a real number in  $[0, 1)$  and suppose that there exist functions  $\alpha_i$ ,  $i = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5$  of  $Y$  into  $[0, \infty)$  such that*

$$(A) \quad \alpha_1(t) + 2\alpha_2(t) + \alpha_3(t) + \alpha_4(t) + 2\alpha_5(t) \leq \frac{k}{s} \|t\|, \text{ for all } t \in Y,$$

$$(B) \quad \text{for any distinct } x, y \in X, \frac{1}{2s}d(x, Tx) \prec d(x, y) \text{ implies that}$$

$$(2) \quad \begin{aligned} \|d(x, y) \| d(Tx, Ty) \preceq & \alpha_1(d(x, y))d(x, y) + \alpha_2(d(x, y))d(x, Ty) + \alpha_3(d(x, y))d(Tx, y) \\ & + \alpha_4(d(x, y))d(x, Tx) + \alpha_5(d(x, y))d(y, Ty). \end{aligned}$$

Then  $T$  has a unique fixed point.

**Proof.** Chose  $x_0 \in X$ . Set  $x_n = T^n x_0$  for every  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . If there exists  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $x_n = Tx_n$  the proof is complete.

So we assume that

$$(3) \quad d(x_n, Tx_n) \succ 0, \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N},$$

therefore,

$$(4) \quad \frac{1}{2s}d(x_n, Tx_n) \prec d(x_n, Tx_n), \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

From assumption of theorem, we have,

$$\begin{aligned}
\|d(x_n, Tx_n)\| \|d(Tx_n, T^2x_n)\| &\leq \alpha_1(d(x_n, Tx_n))d(x_n, Tx_n) + \alpha_2(d(x_n, Tx_n))d(x_n, T^2x_n) \\
&\quad + \alpha_3(d(x_n, Tx_n))d(Tx_n, Tx_n) + \alpha_4(d(x_n, Tx_n))d(x_n, Tx_n) \\
&\quad + \alpha_5(d(x_n, Tx_n))d(Tx_n, T^2x_n) \\
&\leq \alpha_1(d(x_n, Tx_n))d(x_n, Tx_n) + s\alpha_2(d(x_n, Tx_n))d(x_n, Tx_n) \\
&\quad + s\alpha_2(d(x_n, Tx_n))d(Tx_n, T^2x_n) + \alpha_4(d(x_n, Tx_n))d(x_n, Tx_n) \\
&\quad + \alpha_5(d(x_n, Tx_n))d(Tx_n, T^2x_n),
\end{aligned}$$

which implies that

$$d(Tx_n, T^2x_n) \leq \frac{\alpha_1(d(x_n, Tx_n) + s\alpha_2(d(x_n, Tx_n)) + \alpha_4(d(x_n, Tx_n)))}{\|d(x_n, Tx_n)\| - s\alpha_2(d(x_n, Tx_n)) - \alpha_5(d(x_n, Tx_n))} d(x_n, Tx_n).$$

From A, we get

$$(5) \quad d(Tx_n, T^2x_n) = d(x_{n+1}, Tx_{n+1}) \leq kd(x_n, Tx_n).$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned}
d(x_n, x_{n+1}) &\leq kd(x_{n-1}, x_{n-2}) \\
&\leq k^2d(x_{n-2}, x_{n-3}) \\
&\leq k^3d(x_{n-3}, x_{n-4}) \\
&\vdots \\
(6) \quad &\leq k^nd(x_0, x_1).
\end{aligned}$$

On the other hand for  $m > n$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned}
d(x_m, x_n) &= d(x_n, x_m) \\
&\leq s[d(x_n, x_{n+1}) + d(x_{n+1}, x_m)] \\
&\leq sd(x_n, x_{n+1}) + s^2[d(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}) + d(x_{n+2}, x_m)] \\
&\leq sd(x_n, x_{n+1}) + s^2d(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}) + s^3[d(x_{n+2}, x_{n+3}) + d(x_{n+3}, x_m)] \\
(7) \quad &\leq sd(x_n, x_{n+1}) + s^2d(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}) + \cdots + s^{m-n}d(x_{m-1}, x_m).
\end{aligned}$$

From (6) and (7), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 d(x_m, x_n) &\preceq [sk^n + s^2k^{n+1} + s^3k^{n+2} + \dots + s^{m-n-1}k^{m-2} + s^{m-n}k^{m-1}]d(x_0, x_1) \\
 &= sk^n[1 + sk + (sk)^2 + (sk)^3 + \dots + (sk)^{m-n-2} + (sk)^{m-n-1}]d(x_0, x_1) \\
 &= sk^n\left[\frac{1 - (sk)^{m-n}}{1 - sk}\right]d(x_0, x_1) \\
 (8) \quad &\preceq sk^n\left[\frac{1}{1 - sk}\right]d(x_0, x_1).
 \end{aligned}$$

Since  $k^n\left[\frac{1}{1-sk}\right] \rightarrow 0$  in  $\mathbb{R}$ , we find from (C3) and Theorem 1.7 that there exists a point  $x \in X$  such that

$$(9) \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = x \text{ and } d(x_n, x) < sk^n\left[\frac{1}{1-sk}\right]d(x_0, x_1), \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

Now, we claim that

$$\begin{aligned}
 (I) \quad &\frac{1}{2s}d(x_n, Tx_n) \prec d(x_n, x), \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}, \\
 (10) \quad &\text{or} \\
 (II) \quad &\frac{1}{2s}d(Tx_n, T^2x_n) \prec d(Tx_n, x), \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Arguing by contradiction, we assume that there exists  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  such that

$$(11) \quad \frac{1}{2s}d(x_n, Tx_n) \succeq d(x_n, x) \text{ and } \frac{1}{2s}d(Tx_n, T^2x_n) \succeq d(Tx_n, x).$$

Using (5) and (11), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 d(x_n, Tx_n) &\preceq s[d(x_n, x) + d(x, Tx_n)] \\
 &\preceq s\left[\frac{1}{2s}d(x_n, Tx_n) + \frac{1}{2s}d(Tx_n, T^2x_n)\right] \\
 &\preceq \frac{1}{2}d(x_n, Tx_n) + \frac{1}{2}kd(x_n, Tx_n).
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore  $\frac{1-k}{2}d(x_n, Tx_n) \leq 0$ . Since  $k \in [0, 1)$ , we get  $d(x_n, Tx_n) \leq 0$ , which is contradiction with (3). From part (I) of (10) and (B), we get

$$\begin{aligned}
\|d(x_n, x)\| d(Tx_n, Tx) &\leq \alpha_1(d(x_n, x))d(x_n, x) + \alpha_2(d(x_n, x))d(x_n, Tx) \\
&\quad + \alpha_3(d(x_n, x))d(Tx_n, x) + \alpha_4(d(x_n, x))d(x_n, Tx_n) \\
&\quad + \alpha_5(d(x_n, x))d(x, Tx) \\
&\leq \alpha_1(d(x_n, x))d(x_n, x) + s\alpha_2(d(x_n, x))d(x_n, Tx_n) \\
&\quad + s\alpha_2(d(x_n, x))d(Tx_n, Tx) + \alpha_3(d(x_n, x))d(Tx_n, x) \\
&\quad + s\alpha_4(d(x_n, x))d(x_n, Tx_n) + s\alpha_5(d(x_n, x))d(x, Tx_n) \\
&\quad + s\alpha_5(d(x_n, x))d(Tx_n, Tx),
\end{aligned}$$

which implies that

$$\begin{aligned}
d(Tx_n, Tx) &\leq \frac{\alpha_1(d(x_n, x))}{\|d(x_n, x)\| - s\alpha_2(d(x_n, x)) - s\alpha_5(d(x_n, x))} d(x_n, x) \\
&\quad + \frac{s\alpha_2(d(x_n, x)) + \alpha_4(d(x_n, x))}{\|d(x_n, x)\| - s\alpha_2(d(x_n, x)) - s\alpha_5(d(x_n, x))} d(x_n, Tx_n) \\
&\quad + \frac{\alpha_3(d(x_n, x)) + s\alpha_5(d(x_n, x))}{\|d(x_n, x)\| - s\alpha_2(d(x_n, x)) - s\alpha_5(d(x_n, x))} d(x, Tx_n).
\end{aligned}$$

So, from (A), we get

$$\begin{aligned}
d(Tx_n, Tx) &\leq kd(x_n, x) + kd(x_n, Tx_n) + kd(x, Tx_n) \\
&\leq kd(x_n, x) + ks[d(x_n, x) + d(x, Tx_n)] + kd(x, Tx_n) \\
&= (s+1)kd(x_n, x) + (s+1)kd(x, Tx_n) \\
(12) \quad &= (s+1)kd(x_n, x) + (s+1)kd(x, x_{n+1}).
\end{aligned}$$

Let  $0 < c$  be arbitrary. Since  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = x$ , we find there exists  $N_1 \in \mathbb{N}$  such that

$$(13) \quad d(x_n, x) < \frac{1}{2(s+1)k}c, \quad \forall n > N_1.$$

It follows from (12) and (13) that

$$(14) \quad d(Tx_n, Tx) < (s+1)k \frac{1}{2(s+1)k}c + (s+1)k \frac{1}{2(s+1)k}c = c, \quad \forall n > N_1.$$

So, from (13) and (14), for  $n > N_1$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned}
d(x, Tx) &\leq s[d(x, Tx_n) + d(Tx_n, Tx)] \\
&\leq s \frac{1}{2(s+1)k}c + sc \\
&= s \left( \frac{1}{2(s+1)k} + 1 \right) c
\end{aligned}$$

Since  $0 \prec c$  is arbitrary, we get  $x = Tx$ . From part (II) of (10) and (B), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\|d(x_n, x)\| \|d(T^2x_n, Tx)\| &\preceq \alpha_1(d(Tx_n, x))d(Tx_n, x) + \alpha_2(d(Tx_n, x))d(Tx_n, Tx) \\
&\quad + \alpha_3(d(Tx_n, x))d(T^2x_n, x) + \alpha_4(d(Tx_n, x))d(Tx_n, T^2x_n) \\
&\quad + \alpha_5(d(Tx_n, x))d(x, Tx) \\
&\preceq \alpha_1(d(Tx_n, x))d(Tx_n, x) + s\alpha_2(d(Tx_n, x))d(Tx_n, T^2x_n) \\
&\quad + s\alpha_2(d(Tx_n, x))d(T^2x_n, Tx) + \alpha_3(d(Tx_n, x))d(T^2x_n, x) \\
&\quad + \alpha_4(d(Tx_n, x))d(Tx_n, T^2x_n) + s\alpha_5(d(Tx_n, x))d(x, T^2x_n) \\
&\quad + s\alpha_5(d(Tx_n, x))d(T^2x_n, Tx),
\end{aligned}$$

which implies that

$$\begin{aligned}
d(T^2x_n, Tx) &\preceq \frac{\alpha_1(d(Tx_n, x))}{\|d(Tx_n, x)\| - s\alpha_2(d(Tx_n, x)) - s\alpha_5(d(Tx_n, x))}d(Tx_n, x) \\
&\quad + \frac{s\alpha_2(d(Tx_n, x)) + \alpha_4(d(Tx_n, x))}{\|d(Tx_n, x)\| - s\alpha_2(d(Tx_n, x)) - s\alpha_5(d(Tx_n, x))}d(Tx_n, T^2x_n) \\
(15) \quad &\quad + \frac{\alpha_3(d(Tx_n, x)) + s\alpha_5(d(Tx_n, x))}{\|d(Tx_n, x)\| - s\alpha_2(d(Tx_n, x)) - s\alpha_5(d(Tx_n, x))}d(x, T^2x_n).
\end{aligned}$$

From (15) and (A), we get

$$\begin{aligned}
d(T^2x_n, Tx) &\preceq kd(Tx_n, x) + kd(Tx_n, T^2x_n) + kd(x, T^2x_n) \\
&\preceq kd(Tx_n, x) + ks[d(Tx_n, x) + d(x, T^2x_n)] + kd(x, T^2x_n) \\
&\preceq ksd(Tx_n, x) + ks[d(Tx_n, x) + d(x, T^2x_n)] + ksd(x, T^2x_n) \\
(16) \quad &= (1+s)kd(x_{n+1}, x) + (1+s)kd(x_{n+2}, x).
\end{aligned}$$

Using (13) and (16), we obtain

$$(17) \quad d(T^2x_n, Tx) \preceq (1+s)k \frac{1}{2(1+s)k} c + (1+s)k \frac{1}{2(1+s)k} c = c, \quad \forall n > N_1.$$

Therefore, from (13) and (17), for  $n > N_1$ , we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
d(x, Tx) &\preceq s[d(x, T^2x_n) + d(T^2x_n, Tx)] \\
&= sd(x, x_{n+2}) + sd(T^2x_n, Tx) \\
&\preceq s \frac{1}{2(1+s)k} c + sc \\
&= s \left( \frac{1}{2(1+s)k} + 1 \right) c.
\end{aligned}$$

Since  $0 \prec c$  is arbitrary, we get  $x = Tx$ .

Suppose that  $y$  is another fixed point of  $T$  such that  $x \neq y$ . Therefore

$$\frac{1}{2s}d(x, Tx) \prec d(x, y),$$

so from (B), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \|d(x, y)\| \|d(x, y)\| &= \|d(x, y)\| \|d(Tx, Ty)\| \preceq \alpha_1(d(x, y))d(x, y) + \alpha_2(d(x, y))d(x, Ty) \\ &\quad + \alpha_3(d(x, y))d(Tx, y) + \alpha_4(d(x, y))d(x, Tx) \\ &\quad + \alpha_5(d(x, y))d(y, Ty) \\ &= \alpha_1(d(x, y))d(x, y) + \alpha_2(d(x, y))d(x, y) \\ &\quad + \alpha_3(d(x, y))d(x, y) + \alpha_4(d(x, y))d(x, x) \\ &\quad + \alpha_5(d(x, y))d(y, y) \\ &= [\alpha_1(d(x, y)) + \alpha_2(d(x, y)) + \alpha_3(d(x, y))]d(x, y) \\ &\preceq \frac{k}{s} \|d(x, y)\| \|d(x, y)\|. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,  $(1 - \frac{k}{s}) \|d(x, y)\| \|d(x, y)\| \preceq 0$ . Since  $0 \leq (1 - \frac{k}{s}) \|d(x, y)\|$ , we get  $d(x, y) \preceq 0$ . But  $d(x, y) \succ 0$ . Therefore  $x = y$ .

**Remark 2.2.** Theorem extends Theorem 3.8 of [9], Theorem 1, Theorem 3 and Theorem 4 of [15], Theorem 2.1 and Theorem 2.7 of [16] and Theorem 2.3, Theorem 2.6, Theorem 2.7 and Theorem 2.8 of [29].

**Example 2.3.** Let  $s = 1$  and  $k = 0.99999$ . Let  $Y = C_{\mathbb{R}}^1[0, 1]$  endowed with the norm  $\|f\| = \|f\|_{\infty} + \|f'\|_{\infty}$ . Define the pointwise ordering  $\preceq$  and  $\prec$  on  $Y$  by means of

$$x \preceq y \text{ if and only if } x(t) \leq y(t) \text{ for each } t \in [0, 1],$$

$$x \prec y \text{ if and only if } x(t) < y(t) \text{ for each } t \in [0, 1].$$

Then  $(Y, \preceq, \prec, \rightarrow)$  is a normed solid vector space. Let  $X = \{0\} \cup [2.5, 3]$  and  $d : X \times X \rightarrow Y$  defined by  $d(x, y) = f_{x,y}$  where  $f_{x,y}(t) = |x - y| e^t$ . We define the self-mapping  $T : X \rightarrow X$  as follows:

$$Tx = \begin{cases} 2.5, & x \in \{0\} \cup [2.5, 3), \\ 2.6, & x = 3. \end{cases}$$

For  $i = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5$ , we define the mappings  $\alpha_i : Y \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha_1(f) &= \frac{9}{1000} \|f\|, \quad \alpha_2(f) = \frac{9}{200} \|f\|, \quad \alpha_3(f) = \frac{9}{20} \|f\|, \\ \alpha_4(f) &= \frac{9}{20} \|f\|, \quad \alpha_5(f) = \frac{9}{20000} \|f\|. \end{aligned}$$

Obviously, we have

$$\alpha_1(f) + 2\alpha_2(f) + \alpha_3(f) + \alpha_4(f) + 2\alpha_5(f) \leq \frac{k}{s} \|f\|.$$

We now consider the inequality

$$(18) \quad \frac{1}{2s}d(x, Tx) = \frac{1}{2}d(x, Tx) \prec d(x, y),$$

when  $x \neq y$ , and the inequality

$$(19) \quad \begin{aligned} \|d(x, y) \| d(Tx, Ty) \preceq & \alpha_1(d(x, y))d(x, y) + \alpha_2(d(x, y))d(x, Ty) + \alpha_3(d(x, y))d(Tx, y) \\ & + \alpha_4(d(x, y))d(x, Tx) + \alpha_5(d(x, y))d(y, Ty) \end{aligned}$$

for those  $x, y \in X$  (with  $x \neq y$ ) which satisfy (18).

**Case 1:** For  $x = 0$  and  $y = 3$ , we have

$$\frac{1}{2}f_{0,T0}(t) = \frac{1}{2}f_{0,2.5}(t) = 2.5e^t < 3e^t = f_{0,3}(t), \text{ for each } t \in [0, 1].$$

Hence, (18) holds. Also we observe that

$$\begin{aligned} & \alpha_1(f_{0,3})f_{0,3}(t) + \alpha_2(f_{0,3})f_{0,2.6}(t) + \alpha_3(f_{0,3})f_{2.5,3}(t) + \alpha_4(f_{0,3})f_{0,2.5}(t) + \alpha_5(f_{0,3})f_{3,2.6}(t) \\ & = \|f_{0,3}\| \left[ \frac{9}{1000} \times 3 + \frac{9}{200} \times 2.6 + \frac{9}{20} \times 0.5 + \frac{9}{20} \times 2.5 + \frac{9}{20000} \times 0.4 \right] e^t \\ & = \|f_{0,3}\| \left[ \frac{27}{1000} + \frac{234}{200} + \frac{45}{200} + \frac{225}{200} + \frac{36}{200000} \right] e^t \\ & = \|f_{0,3}\| \frac{5400 + 234000 + 45000 + 225000 + 36}{200000} e^t \\ & = \|f_{0,3}\| \frac{509436}{20000} e^t > \|f_{0,3}\| \frac{1}{10} e^t = \|f_{0,3}\| f_{2.5,2.6}(t) = \|f_{0,3}\| f_{T0,T3}(t). \end{aligned}$$

Hence, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|d(0, 3) \| d(T0, T3) \prec & \alpha_1(d(0, 3))d(0, 3) + \alpha_2(d(0, 3))d(0, T3) + \alpha_3(d(0, 3))d(T0, 3) \\ & + \alpha_4(d(0, 3))d(0, T3) + \alpha_5(d(0, 3))d(3, T3). \end{aligned}$$

So, (19) holds.

**Case 2:** For  $x = 3$  and  $y = 0$ , we have we have

$$\frac{1}{2}f_{3,T3}(t) = \frac{1}{2}f_{3,2.6}(t) = 0.4e^t < 3e^t = f_{3,0}(t), \text{ for each } t \in [0, 1].$$

Hence, (18) holds. Also we observe that

$$\begin{aligned}
& \alpha_1(f_{3,0})f_{3,0}(t) + \alpha_2(f_{3,0})f_{3,2.5}(t) + \alpha_3(f_{2.5,0})f_{2.6,0}(t) + \alpha_4(f_{3,0})f_{3,2.5}(t) + \alpha_5(f_{3,0})f_{0,2.5}(t) \\
&= \|f_{3,0}\| \left[ \frac{9}{1000} \times 3 + \frac{9}{200} \times 2.5 + \frac{9}{20} \times 2.6 + \frac{9}{20} \times 0.5 + \frac{9}{20000} \times 2.5 \right] e^t \\
&= \|f_{3,0}\| \left[ \frac{27}{1000} + \frac{225}{2000} + \frac{234}{200} + \frac{45}{200} + \frac{225}{200000} \right] e^t \\
&= \|f_{3,0}\| \frac{5400 + 22500 + 234000 + 45000 + 225}{200000} e^t = \|f_{3,0}\| \frac{307125}{200000} e^t \\
&> \|f_{3,0}\| 0.1 e^t = \|f_{3,0}\| f_{2.6,2.5}(t) = \|f_{3,0}\| f_{T3,T0}(t).
\end{aligned}$$

Hence, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\|d(3,0)\| \|d(T3,T0)\| &< \alpha_1(d(3,0))d(3,0) + \alpha_2(d(3,0))d(3,T0) + \alpha_3(d(3,0))d(T3,0) \\
&+ \alpha_4(d(3,0))d(3,T0) + \alpha_5(d(3,0))d(0,T0).
\end{aligned}$$

So, (19) holds.

Case 3: For  $x \in [2.5, 3)$  and  $y = 0$ , we have

$$\frac{1}{2} f_{x,Tx}(t) = \frac{1}{2} |x - 2.5| e^t < 2.5e^t \leq xe^t = f_{x,0}(t), \text{ for each } t \in [0, 1].$$

Hence, (18) holds. Also we observe that

$$\begin{aligned}
& \alpha_1(f_{x,0})f_{x,0}(t) + \alpha_2(f_{x,0})f_{x,2.5}(t) + \alpha_3(f_{x,0})f_{2.5,0}(t) + \alpha_4(f_{x,0})f_{x,2.5}(t) + \alpha_5(f_{x,0})f_{0,2.5}(t) \\
&= \|f_{x,0}\| \left[ \frac{9}{1000} \times x + \frac{9}{200} \times |x - 2.5| + \frac{9}{20} \times 2.5 + \frac{9}{20} \times |x - 0.5| + \frac{9}{20000} \times 2.5 \right] e^t \\
&\geq \|f_{x,0}\| \left[ \frac{9}{1000} \times \frac{25}{10} + 0 + \frac{9}{20} \times 2.5 + 0 + \frac{9}{20000} \times \frac{25}{10} \right] e^t \\
&= \|f_{x,0}\| \left[ \frac{225}{10000} + \frac{225}{200} + \frac{225}{200000} \right] e^t \\
&= \|f_{x,0}\| \frac{2250 + 225000 + 225}{200000} e^t \\
&= \|f_{x,0}\| \frac{227475}{200000} e^t \\
&> 0 = \|f_{x,0}\| f_{2.5,2.5} = \|f_{x,0}\| f_{Tx,T0}.
\end{aligned}$$

Hence, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\|d(x,0)\| \|d(Tx,T0)\| &< \alpha_1(d(x,0))d(x,0) + \alpha_2(d(x,0))d(x,T0) + \alpha_3(d(x,0))d(Tx,0) \\
&+ \alpha_4(d(x,0))d(x,Tx) + \alpha_5(d(x,0))d(0,T0).
\end{aligned}$$

So, (19) holds.

Case 4: For  $x = 0$  and  $y \in [2.5, 3)$ , note (18) is clear. Also, (19) holds (similar to Case 3).

Case 5: For  $x = 3$  and  $y \in [2.5, 3)$ , if  $y \in [2.5, 2.8)$ , we have

$$\frac{1}{2}f_{3,T3}(t) = \frac{4}{20}e^t < |3 - y| e^t = f_{3,y}(t), \text{ for each } t \in [0, 1].$$

Hence, (18) holds. Also we observe that

$$\begin{aligned} & \alpha_1(f_{3,y})f_{3,y}(t) + \alpha_2(f_{3,y})f_{3,2.5}(t) + \alpha_3(f_{3,y})f_{2.6,y}(t) + \alpha_4(f_{3,y})f_{3,2.6}(t) + \alpha_5(f_{3,y})f_{y,2.5}(t) \\ &= \|f_{3,y}\| \left[ \frac{9}{1000} \times |3 - y| + \frac{9}{200} \times 0.5 + \frac{9}{20} \times |y - 2.6| + \frac{9}{20} \times 0.4 + \frac{9}{20000} \times |y - 2.5| \right] e^t \\ &\geq \|f_{3,y}\| \left[ \frac{45}{2000} + \frac{36}{200} \right] e^t \\ &> \|f_{3,y}\| \frac{1}{10} e^t = \|f_{3,y}\| f_{T3,Ty}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|d(3,y)\| d(T3,Ty) &< \alpha_1(d(3,y))d(3,y) + \alpha_2(d(3,y))d(3,Ty) + \alpha_3(d(3,y))d(Tx,y) \\ &\quad + \alpha_4(d(T3,3))d(x,Tx) + \alpha_5(d(3,y))d(y,Ty). \end{aligned}$$

So, (19) holds. If  $y \in [2.8, 3)$  then (18) is not true so we do not need to check (19).

Case 6: For  $x \in [2.5, 3)$  and  $y = 3$ , if  $x \in [2.5, 2.83)$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2}f_{x,Tx}(t) - f_{x,y}(t) &= \left( \frac{1}{2} |x - 2.5| - |3 - x| \right) e^t \\ &= \left( \frac{3}{2}x - 4.25 \right) e^t \\ &< \left( \frac{3}{2} \cdot 2.8 - 4.25 \right) e^t \\ &= (4.2 - 4.25) e^t < 0, \text{ for each } t \in [0, 1]. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, (18) holds. Also we observe that

$$\begin{aligned} & \alpha_1(f_{x,3})f_{x,3}(t) + \alpha_2(f_{x,3})f_{x,2.6}(t) + \alpha_3(f_{x,3})f_{2.6,3}(t) + \alpha_4(f_{x,3})f_{x,2.5}(t) + \alpha_5(f_{x,3})f_{3,2.6}(t) \\ &= \|f_{x,3}\| \left[ \frac{9}{1000} \times |x - 3| + \frac{9}{200} \times |x - 2.6| + \frac{9}{20} \times 0.4 + \frac{9}{20} \times |x - 0.5| + \frac{9}{20000} \times 0.4 \right] e^t \\ &\geq \|f_{x,3}\| \left[ \frac{36}{200} + \frac{36}{200000} \right] e^t \\ &= \|f_{x,3}\| \frac{36000 + 36}{200000} e^t \\ &= \|f_{x,3}\| \frac{36036}{200000} e^t \\ &> \|f_{x,3}\| \times 0.1 = \|f_{x,3}\| f_{2.5,2.6} = \|f_{x,0}\| f_{Tx,T3}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|d(x, 3) \| d(Tx, T3) < \alpha_1(d(x, 3))d(x, 3) + \alpha_2(d(x, 3))d(x, T3) + \alpha_3(d(x, 3))d(Tx, 3) \\ + \alpha_4(d(x, 3))d(x, Tx) + \alpha_5(d(x, 3))d(3, T3). \end{aligned}$$

So, (19) holds. If  $x \in [2.8, 3)$  then (18) is not true so we do not need to check (19). Hence  $T$  satisfies in assumption of Theorem 2.1 and 2.5 is the unique fixed point of  $T$ .

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