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## HARDY-ROGERS-TYPE FIXED POINT THEOREMS FOR $\alpha$ -GF-CONTRACTIONS

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ABSTRACT. The aim of this paper is to introduce some new fixed point results of Hardy-Rogers-type for  $\alpha$ - $\eta$ -GF-contraction in a complete metric space. We extend the concept of  $F$ -contraction into an  $\alpha$ - $\eta$ -GF-contraction of Hardy-Rogers-type. An example has been constructed to demonstrate the novelty of our results.

### 1. INTRODUCTION

The Banach contraction principle [3] is one of the earliest and most important results in fixed point theory. Because of its importance and simplicity, a lot of authors have improved generalized and extended the Banach contraction principle in the literature (see [1–24]) and the references therein.

In [21] Samet et al. introduced a concept of  $\alpha$ - $\psi$ -contractive type mappings and established various fixed point theorems for mappings in complete metric spaces. Afterwards Karapınar et al. [16], refined the notion and obtained various fixed point results. Hussain et al. [11], extended the concept of  $\alpha$ -admissible mappings and obtained useful fixed point theorems. Subsequently, Abdeljawad [1] introduced pairs of  $\alpha$ -admissible mappings satisfying new sufficient contractive conditions different from those in [11, 21], and proved fixed point and common fixed point theorems. Lately, Salimi et al. [20], modified the concept of  $\alpha$ - $\psi$ -contractive mappings and established fixed point results. Throughout the article we denote by  $\mathbb{R}$  the set of all real numbers, by  $\mathbb{R}^+$  the set of all positive real numbers and by  $\mathbb{N}$  the set of all positive integers.

**Definition 1** ([21]). Let  $T: X \rightarrow X$  and  $\alpha: X \times X \rightarrow [0, +\infty)$ . We say that  $T$  is  $\alpha$ -admissible if  $x, y \in X$ ,  $\alpha(x, y) \geq 1$  implies that  $\alpha(Tx, Ty) \geq 1$ .

**Definition 2** ([20]). Let  $T: X \rightarrow X$  and  $\alpha, \eta: X \times X \rightarrow [0, +\infty)$  two functions. We say that  $T$  is  $\alpha$ -admissible mapping with respect to  $\eta$  if  $x, y \in X$ ,  $\alpha(x, y) \geq \eta(x, y)$  implies that  $\alpha(Tx, Ty) \geq \eta(Tx, Ty)$ .

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If  $\eta(x, y) = 1$ , then above definition reduces to Definition 1. If  $\alpha(x, y) = 1$ , then  $T$  is called an  $\eta$ -subadmissible mapping.

**Definition 3** ([13]). Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space. Let  $T: X \rightarrow X$  and  $\alpha, \eta: X \times X \rightarrow [0, +\infty)$  be two functions. We say that  $T$  is  $\alpha$ - $\eta$ -continuous mapping on  $(X, d)$  if for given  $x \in X$ , and sequence  $\{x_n\}$  with

$$x_n \rightarrow x \quad \text{as } n \rightarrow \infty, \quad \alpha(x_n, x_{n+1}) \geq \eta(x_n, x_{n+1}) \\ \text{for all } n \in \mathbb{N} \Rightarrow Tx_n \rightarrow Tx.$$

In [6] Edelstein proved the following version of the Banach contraction principle.

**Theorem 4** ([6]). Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space and  $T: X \rightarrow X$  be a self mapping. Assume that

$$d(Tx, Ty) < d(x, y), \quad \text{holds for all } x, y \in X \quad \text{with } x \neq y.$$

Then  $T$  has a unique fixed point in  $X$ .

In [24] Wardowski introduced a new type of contractions called  $F$ -contractions and proved fixed point theorems concerning  $F$ -contractions as a generalization of the Banach contraction principle as follows.

**Definition 5** ([24]). Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space. A mapping  $T: X \rightarrow X$  is said to be an  $F$ -contraction if there exists  $\tau > 0$  such that

$$(1.1) \quad \forall x, y \in X, \quad d(Tx, Ty) > 0 \Rightarrow \tau + F(d(Tx, Ty)) \leq F(d(x, y)),$$

where  $F: \mathbb{R}_+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a mapping satisfying the following conditions:

(F1)  $F$  is strictly increasing, i.e. for all  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}_+$  such that  $x < y$ ,  $F(x) < F(y)$ ;

(F2) For each sequence  $\{\alpha_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  of positive numbers,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n = 0$  if and only if

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} F(\alpha_n) = -\infty;$$

(F3) There exists  $k \in (0, 1)$  such that  $\lim_{\alpha \rightarrow 0^+} \alpha^k F(\alpha) = 0$ .

We denote by  $F$ , the set of all functions satisfying the conditions (F1)–(F3).

**Example 6** ([24]). Let  $F: \mathbb{R}_+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be given by the formula  $F(\alpha) = \ln \alpha$ . It is clear that  $F$  satisfied (F1)–(F2)–(F3) for any  $k \in (0, 1)$ . Each mapping  $T: X \rightarrow X$  satisfying (1.1) is an  $F$ -contraction such that

$$d(Tx, Ty) \leq e^{-\tau} d(x, y), \quad \text{for all } x, y \in X, \quad Tx \neq Ty.$$

It is clear that for  $x, y \in X$  such that  $Tx = Ty$  the inequality  $d(Tx, Ty) \leq e^{-\tau} d(x, y)$ , also holds, i.e.  $T$  is a Banach contraction.

**Example 7** ([24]). If  $F(r) = \ln r + r$ ,  $r > 0$  then  $F$  satisfies (F1)–(F3) and the condition (1.1) is of the form

$$\frac{d(Tx, Ty)}{d(x, y)} \leq e^{d(Tx, Ty) - d(x, y)} \leq e^{-\tau}, \quad \text{for all } x, y \in X, \quad Tx \neq Ty.$$

**Remark 8.** From (F1) and (1.1) it is easy to conclude that every  $F$ -contraction is necessarily continuous.

**Theorem 9** ([24]). *Let  $(X, d)$  be a complete metric space and let  $T: X \rightarrow X$  be an  $F$ -contraction. Then  $T$  has a unique fixed point  $x^* \in X$  and for every  $x \in X$  the sequence  $\{T^n x\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$  converges to  $x^*$ .*

In [5] Cosentino et al. presented some fixed point results for  $F$ -contraction of Hardy-Rogers-type for self-mappings on complete metric spaces.

**Definition 10** ([5]). Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space. a mapping  $T: X \rightarrow X$  is called an  $F$ -contraction of Hardy-Rogers-type if there exists  $F \in \mathcal{F}$  and  $\tau > 0$  such that

$$\tau + F(d(Tx, Ty)) \leq F(\kappa d(x, y) + \beta d(x, Tx) + \gamma d(y, Ty) + \delta d(x, Ty) + Ld(y, Tx)),$$

for all  $x, y \in X$  with  $d(Tx, Ty) > 0$ , where  $\kappa, \beta, \gamma, \delta, L \geq 0, \kappa + \beta + \gamma + 2\delta = 1$  and  $\gamma \neq 1$ .

**Theorem 11** ([5]). *Let  $(X, d)$  be a complete metric space and let  $T: X \rightarrow X$ . Assume there exists  $F \in \mathcal{F}$  and  $\tau > 0$  such that  $T$  is an  $F$ -contraction of Hardy-Rogers-type, that is*

$$\tau + F(d(Tx, Ty)) \leq F(\kappa d(x, y) + \beta d(x, Tx) + \gamma d(y, Ty) + \delta d(x, Ty) + Ld(y, Tx)),$$

for all  $x, y \in X$  with  $d(Tx, Ty) > 0$ , where  $\kappa, \beta, \gamma, \delta, L \geq 0, \kappa + \beta + \gamma + 2\delta = 1$  and  $\gamma \neq 1$ . Then  $T$  has a fixed point. Moreover, if  $\kappa + \delta + L \leq 1$ , then the fixed point of  $T$  is unique.

Hussain et al. [11] introduced a family of functions as follows.

Let  $\Delta_G$  denotes the set of all functions  $G: \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$  satisfying:

(G) for all  $t_1, t_2, t_3, t_4 \in \mathbb{R}^+$  with  $t_1 t_2 t_3 t_4 = 0$  there exists  $\tau > 0$  such that  $G(t_1, t_2, t_3, t_4) = \tau$ .

**Example 12** ([14]). If  $G(t_1, t_2, t_3, t_4) = \tau e^{v \min\{t_1, t_2, t_3, t_4\}}$  where  $v \in \mathbb{R}^+$  and  $\tau > 0$ , then  $G \in \Delta_G$ .

**Definition 13** ([14]). Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space and  $T$  be a self mapping on  $X$ . Also suppose that  $\alpha, \eta: X \times X \rightarrow [0, +\infty)$  be two functions. We say that  $T$  is  $\alpha$ - $\eta$ -GF-contraction if for  $x, y \in X$ , with  $\eta(x, Tx) \leq \alpha(x, y)$  and  $d(Tx, Ty) > 0$  we have

$$G(d(x, Tx), d(y, Ty), d(x, Ty), d(y, Tx)) + F(d(Tx, Ty)) \leq F(d(x, y)),$$

where  $G \in \Delta_G$  and  $F \in \Delta_{\mathcal{F}}$ .

On the other hand Seclean [22] proved the following lemma and replaced condition (F2) by an equivalent but a more simple condition (F2').

**Lemma 14** ([22]). *Let  $F: \mathbb{R}^+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be an increasing map and  $\{\alpha_n\}_{n=1}^\infty$  be a sequence of positive real numbers. Then the following assertions hold:*

- (a) *if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} F(\alpha_n) = -\infty$  then  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n = 0$ ;*
- (b) *if  $\inf F = -\infty$  and  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n = 0$ , then  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} F(\alpha_n) = -\infty$ .*

He replaced the following condition.

$$(F2') \quad \inf F = -\infty$$

or, also, by

$$(F2'') \quad \text{there exists a sequence } \{\alpha_n\}_{n=1}^\infty \text{ of positive real numbers such that } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} F(\alpha_n) = -\infty.$$

Recently Piri [19] replaced the following condition (F3') instead of the condition (F3) in Definition 5.

$$(F3') \quad F \text{ is continuous on } (0, \infty).$$

We denote by  $\Delta_{\mathcal{F}}$  the set of all functions satisfying the conditions (F1), (F2') and (F3').

For  $p \geq 1$ ,  $F(\alpha) = -\frac{1}{\alpha^p}$  satisfies in (F1) and (F2) but it does not apply in (F3) while satisfy conditions (F1), (F2) and (F3'). Also,  $a > 1$ ,  $t \in (0, \frac{1}{a})$ ,  $F(\alpha) = \frac{-1}{(\alpha + [\alpha])^t}$ , where  $[\alpha]$  denotes the integral part of  $\alpha$ , satisfies the condition (F1) and (F2) but it does not satisfy (F3'), while it satisfies the condition (F3) for any  $k \in (\frac{1}{a}, 1)$ . Therefore  $F \cap \Delta_{\mathcal{F}} = \emptyset$ .

**Theorem 15** ([19]). *Let  $T$  be a self-mapping of a complete metric space  $X$  into itself. Suppose  $F \in \Delta_{\mathcal{F}}$  and there exists  $\tau > 0$  such that*

$$\forall x, y \in X, \quad d(Tx, Ty) > 0 \Rightarrow \tau + F(d(Tx, Ty)) \leq F(d(x, y)).$$

*Then  $T$  has a unique fixed point  $x^* \in X$  and for every  $x \in X$  the sequence  $\{T^n x\}_{n=1}^\infty$  converges to  $x^*$ .*

**Definition 16.** Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space and  $T$  be a self mapping on  $X$ . Also suppose that  $\alpha, \eta: X \times X \rightarrow [0, +\infty)$  be two functions. We say that  $T$  is an  $\alpha$ - $\eta$ -GF-contraction of Hardy-Rogers-type if for  $x, y \in X$ , with  $\eta(x, Tx) \leq \alpha(x, y)$  and  $d(Tx, Ty) > 0$  we have

$$(1.2) \quad G(d(x, Tx), d(y, Ty), d(x, Ty), d(y, Tx)) + F(d(Tx, Ty)) \leq F(\kappa d(x, y) + \beta d(x, Tx) + \gamma d(y, Ty) + \delta d(x, Ty) + Ld(y, Tx)),$$

where  $G \in \Delta_G$ ,  $F \in \Delta_{\mathcal{F}}$ ,  $\kappa, \beta, \gamma, \delta, L \geq 0$ ,  $\kappa + \beta + \gamma + 2\delta = 1$  and  $\gamma \neq 1$ .

## 2. MAIN RESULT

In this paper, we establish new some fixed point theorems for  $\alpha$ - $\eta$ -GF-contraction of Hardy-Rogers-type in a complete metric space.

**Theorem 17.** *Let  $(X, d)$  be a complete metric space. Let  $T$  be a self mapping satisfying the following assertions:*

- (i)  *$T$  is an  $\alpha$ -admissible mapping with respect to  $\eta$ ;*
- (ii)  *$T$  is an  $\alpha$ - $\eta$ -GF-contraction of Hardy-Rogers-type;*

(iii) there exists  $x_0 \in X$  such that  $\alpha(x_0, Tx_0) \geq \eta(x_0, Tx_0)$ ;

(iv)  $T$  is  $\alpha$ - $\eta$ -continuous.

Then  $T$  has a fixed point in  $X$ . Moreover,  $T$  has a unique fixed point when  $\alpha(x, y) \geq \eta(x, x)$  for all  $x, y \in \text{Fix}(T)$  and  $\kappa + \delta + L \leq 1$ .

**Proof.** Let  $x_0$  in  $X$ , such that  $\alpha(x_0, Tx_0) \geq \eta(x_0, Tx_0)$ . For  $x_0 \in X$ , we construct a sequence  $\{x_n\}_{n=1}^\infty$  such that  $x_1 = Tx_0, x_2 = Tx_1 = T^2x_0$ . Continuing this process,  $x_{n+1} = Tx_n = T^{n+1}x_0$ , for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Now since,  $T$  is an  $\alpha$ -admissible mapping with respect to  $\eta$  then  $\alpha(x_0, x_1) = \alpha(x_0, Tx_0) \geq \eta(x_0, Tx_0) = \eta(x_0, x_1)$ . By continuing in this process, we have

$$(2.1) \quad \eta(x_{n-1}, Tx_{n-1}) = \eta(x_{n-1}, x_n) \leq \alpha(x_{n-1}, x_n), \quad \text{for all } n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

If there exists  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $d(x_n, Tx_n) = 0$ , there is nothing to prove. So, we assume that  $x_n \neq x_{n+1}$  with

$$(2.2) \quad d(Tx_{n-1}, Tx_n) = d(x_n, Tx_n) > 0, \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

Since,  $T$  is an  $\alpha$ - $\eta$ -GF-contraction of Hardy-Rogers-type, for any  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , we have

$$G \left( \begin{matrix} d(x_{n-1}, Tx_{n-1}), d(x_n, Tx_n), \\ d(x_{n-1}, Tx_n), d(x_n, Tx_{n-1}) \end{matrix} \right) + F(d(Tx_{n-1}, Tx_n)) \leq F \left( \begin{matrix} \kappa d(x_{n-1}, x_n) + \beta d(x_{n-1}, Tx_{n-1}) + \gamma d(x_n, Tx_n) \\ + \delta d(x_{n-1}, Tx_n) + Ld(x_n, Tx_{n-1}) \end{matrix} \right)$$

which implies

$$(2.3) \quad G(d(x_{n-1}, x_n), d(x_n, x_{n+1}), d(x_{n-1}, x_{n+1}), 0) + F(d(Tx_{n-1}, Tx_n)) \leq F \left( \begin{matrix} \kappa d(x_{n-1}, x_n) + \beta d(x_{n-1}, Tx_{n-1}) + \gamma d(x_n, Tx_n) \\ + \delta d(x_{n-1}, Tx_n) + Ld(x_n, Tx_{n-1}) \end{matrix} \right).$$

Now since,  $d(x_{n-1}, x_n) \cdot d(x_n, x_{n+1}) \cdot d(x_{n-1}, x_{n+1}) \cdot 0 = 0$ , so from (G) there exists  $\tau > 0$  such that,

$$G(d(x_{n-1}, x_n), d(x_n, x_{n+1}), d(x_{n-1}, x_{n+1}), 0) = \tau.$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} F(d(x_n, x_{n+1})) &= F(d(Tx_{n-1}, Tx_n)) \\ &\leq F \left( \begin{matrix} \kappa d(x_{n-1}, x_n) + \beta d(x_{n-1}, Tx_{n-1}) + \gamma d(x_n, Tx_n) \\ + \delta d(x_{n-1}, Tx_n) + Ld(x_n, Tx_{n-1}) \end{matrix} \right) - \tau \\ &= F \left( \begin{matrix} \kappa d(x_{n-1}, x_n) + \beta d(x_{n-1}, x_n) + \gamma d(x_n, x_{n+1}) \\ + \delta d(x_{n-1}, x_{n+1}) + Ld(x_n, x_n) \end{matrix} \right) - \tau \\ &\leq F \left( \begin{matrix} \kappa d(x_{n-1}, x_n) + \beta d(x_{n-1}, x_n) + \gamma d(x_n, x_{n+1}) \\ + \delta d(x_{n-1}, x_n) + \delta d(x_n, x_{n+1}) \end{matrix} \right) - \tau \\ &= F((\kappa + \beta + \delta) d(x_{n-1}, x_n) + (\gamma + \delta) d(x_n, x_{n+1})) - \tau \end{aligned}$$

Since  $F$  is strictly increasing, we deduce

$$d(x_n, x_{n+1}) < (\kappa + \beta + \delta) d(x_{n-1}, x_n) + (\gamma + \delta) d(x_n, x_{n+1}).$$

This implies

$$(1 - \gamma - \delta) d(x_n, x_{n+1}) < (\kappa + \beta + \delta) d(x_{n-1}, x_n) \quad \text{for all } n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

From  $\kappa + \beta + \gamma + 2\delta = 1$  and  $\gamma \neq 1$ , we deduce that  $1 - \gamma - \delta > 0$  and so

$$d(x_n, x_{n+1}) < \frac{(\kappa + \beta + \delta)}{(1 - \gamma - \delta)} d(x_{n-1}, x_n) = d(x_{n-1}, x_n) \quad \text{for all } n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

Consequently

$$(2.4) \quad F(d(x_n, x_{n+1})) \leq F(d(x_{n-1}, x_n)) - \tau.$$

Continuing this process, we get

$$\begin{aligned} F(d(x_n, x_{n+1})) &\leq F(d(x_{n-1}, x_n)) - \tau \\ &= F(d(Tx_{n-2}, Tx_{n-1})) - \tau \\ &\leq F(d(x_{n-2}, x_{n-1})) - 2\tau \\ &= F(d(Tx_{n-3}, Tx_{n-2})) - 2\tau \\ &\leq F(d(x_{n-3}, x_{n-2})) - 3\tau \\ &\vdots \\ &\leq F(d(x_0, x_1)) - n\tau. \end{aligned}$$

This implies that

$$(2.5) \quad F(d(x_n, x_{n+1})) \leq F(d(x_0, x_1)) - n\tau.$$

And so  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} F(d(Tx_{n-1}, Tx_n)) = -\infty$ , which together with (F2') and Lemma 14 gives that

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

Now, we claim that  $\{x_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  is a Cauchy sequence. Arguing by contradiction, we have that there exists  $\epsilon > 0$  and sequence  $\{p(n)\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  and  $\{q(n)\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  of natural numbers such that

$$(2.7) \quad p(n) > q(n) > n, \quad d(x_{p(n)}, x_{q(n)}) \geq \epsilon, \quad d(x_{p(n)-1}, x_{q(n)}) < \epsilon \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

So, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \epsilon &\leq d(x_{p(n)}, x_{q(n)}) \leq d(x_{p(n)}, x_{p(n)-1}) + d(x_{p(n)-1}, x_{q(n)}) \\ (2.8) \quad &\leq d(x_{p(n)}, x_{p(n)-1}) + \epsilon = d(x_{p(n)-1}, Tx_{p(n)-1}) + \epsilon. \end{aligned}$$

Letting  $n \rightarrow \infty$  in (2.8) and using (2.6), we obtain

$$(2.9) \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} d(x_{p(n)}, x_{q(n)}) = \epsilon.$$

Also, from (2.6) there exists a natural number  $n_1 \in \mathbb{N}$  such that

$$(2.10) \quad d(x_{p(n)}, Tx_{p(n)}) < \frac{\epsilon}{4} \quad \text{and} \quad d(x_{q(n)}, Tx_{q(n)}) < \frac{\epsilon}{4}, \quad \forall n \geq n_1.$$

Next, we claim that

$$(2.11) \quad d(Tx_{p(n)}, Tx_{q(n)}) = d(x_{p(n)+1}, x_{q(n)+1}) > 0 \quad \forall n \geq n_1.$$

Arguing by contradiction, there exists  $m \geq n_1$  such that

$$(2.12) \quad d(x_{p(m)+1}, x_{q(m)+1}) = 0.$$

It follows from (2.7), (2.10) and (2.12) that

$$\begin{aligned} \epsilon &\leq d(x_{p(m)}, x_{q(m)}) \leq d(x_{p(m)}, x_{p(m)+1}) + d(x_{p(m)+1}, x_{q(m)}) \\ &\leq d(x_{p(m)}, x_{p(m)+1}) + d(x_{p(m)+1}, x_{q(m)+1}) + d(x_{q(m)+1}, x_{q(m)}) \\ &= d(x_{p(m)}, Tx_{p(m)}) + d(x_{p(m)+1}, x_{q(m)+1}) + d(x_{q(m)}, Tx_{q(m)}) \\ &< \frac{\epsilon}{4} + 0 + \frac{\epsilon}{4}. \end{aligned}$$

This contradiction establishes the relation (2.11) it follows from (2.11) and (1.2) that

$$\begin{aligned} &G \left( d(x_{p(n)}, Tx_{p(n)}), d(x_{q(n)}, Tx_{q(n)}), \right) + F(d(Tx_{p(n)}, Tx_{q(n)})) \\ &\leq F \left( \begin{array}{c} \kappa d(x_{p(n)}, x_{q(n)}) + \beta d(x_{p(n)}, Tx_{p(n)}) + \gamma d(x_{q(n)}, Tx_{q(n)}) \\ + \delta d(x_{p(n)}, Tx_{q(n)}) + Ld(x_{q(n)}, Tx_{p(n)}) \end{array} \right) \quad \forall n \geq n_1, \end{aligned}$$

which implies,

$$\begin{aligned} &G \left( d(x_{p(n)}, x_{p(n)+1}), d(x_{q(n)}, x_{q(n)+1}), \right) + F(d(x_{p(n)+1}, x_{q(n)+1})) \\ &\leq F \left( \begin{array}{c} \kappa d(x_{p(n)}, x_{q(n)}) + \beta d(x_{p(n)}, x_{p(n)+1}) + \gamma d(x_{q(n)}, x_{q(n)+1}) \\ + \delta d(x_{p(n)}, x_{q(n)+1}) + Ld(x_{q(n)}, x_{p(n)+1}) \end{array} \right). \end{aligned}$$

Now since,  $0 \cdot d(x_{q(n)}, Tx_{q(n)}) \cdot d(x_{p(n)}, Tx_{q(n)}) \cdot d(x_{q(n)}, Tx_{p(n)}) = 0$ , so from (G) there exists  $\tau > 0$  such that,

$$G(0, d(x_{q(n)}, Tx_{q(n)}), d(x_{p(n)}, Tx_{q(n)}), d(x_{q(n)}, Tx_{p(n)})) = \tau.$$

Therefore,

$$(2.13) \quad \begin{aligned} &\tau + F(d(Tx_{p(n)}, Tx_{q(n)})) \\ &\leq F \left( \begin{array}{c} \kappa d(x_{p(n)}, x_{q(n)}) + \beta d(x_{p(n)}, Tx_{p(n)}) + \gamma d(x_{q(n)}, Tx_{q(n)}) \\ + \delta d(x_{p(n)}, Tx_{q(n)}) + Ld(x_{q(n)}, Tx_{p(n)}) \end{array} \right) \end{aligned}$$

So from (F3'), (2.6), (2.9) and (2.13), we have

$$\tau + F(\epsilon) \leq F((\kappa + \delta + L)\epsilon) = F(\epsilon).$$

This contradiction show that  $\{x_n\}_{n=1}^\infty$  is a Cauchy sequence. By completeness of  $(X, d)$ ,  $\{x_n\}_{n=1}^\infty$  converges to some point  $x$  in  $X$ . Since  $T$  is an  $\alpha$ - $\eta$ -continuous and  $\eta(x_{n-1}, x_n) \leq \alpha(x_{n-1}, x_n)$ , for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , then  $x_{n+1} = Tx_n \rightarrow Tx$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . That



is,  $x = Tx$ . Hence  $x$  is a fixed point of  $T$ . Let  $x, y \in \text{Fix}(T)$  where  $x \neq y$ , then from

$$\begin{aligned} & G(d(x, Tx), d(y, Ty), d(x, Ty), d(y, Tx)) + F(d(Tx, Ty)) \\ & \leq F(\kappa d(x, y) + \beta d(x, Tx) + \gamma d(y, Ty) + \delta d(x, Ty) + Ld(y, Tx)) \\ & = F((\kappa + \delta + L) d(x, y)). \end{aligned}$$

Which is a contradiction, if  $\kappa + \delta + L \leq 1$  and hence  $x = y$ . □

**Theorem 18.** *Let  $(X, d)$  be a complete metric space. Let  $T$  be a self mapping satisfying the following assertions:*

- (i)  $T$  is an  $\alpha$ -admissible mapping with respect to  $\eta$ ;
- (ii)  $T$  is an  $\alpha$ - $\eta$ -GF-contraction of Hardy-Rogers-type;
- (iii) there exists  $x_0 \in X$  such that  $\alpha(x_0, Tx_0) \geq \eta(x_0, Tx_0)$ ;
- (iv) if  $\{x_n\}$  is a sequence in  $X$  such that  $\alpha(x_n, x_{n+1}) \geq \eta(x_n, x_{n+1})$  with  $x_n \rightarrow x$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  then either

$$\alpha(Tx_n, x) \geq \eta(Tx_n, T^2x_n) \quad \text{or} \quad \alpha(T^2x_n, x) \geq \eta(T^2x_n, T^3x_n)$$

holds for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

Then  $T$  has a fixed point in  $X$ . Moreover,  $T$  has a unique fixed point when  $\alpha(x, y) \geq \eta(x, x)$  for all  $x, y \in \text{Fix}(T)$  and  $\kappa + \delta + L \leq 1$ .

**Proof.** As similar lines of the Theorem 17, we can conclude that

$$\alpha(x_n, x_{n+1}) \geq \eta(x_n, x_{n+1}) \quad \text{and} \quad x_n \rightarrow x \quad \text{as} \quad n \rightarrow \infty.$$

Since, by (iv), either

$$\alpha(Tx_n, x) \geq \eta(Tx_n, T^2x_n) \quad \text{or} \quad \alpha(T^2x_n, x) \geq \eta(T^2x_n, T^3x_n),$$

holds for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . This implies

$$\alpha(x_{n+1}, x) \geq \eta(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}) \quad \text{or} \quad \alpha(x_{n+2}, x) \geq \eta(x_{n+2}, x_{n+3}).$$

Then there exists a subsequence  $\{x_{n_k}\}$  of  $\{x_n\}$  such that

$$\eta(x_{n_k}, Tx_{n_k}) = \eta(x_{n_k}, x_{n_k+1}) \leq \alpha(x_{n_k}, x)$$

and from (1.2), we deduce that

$$\begin{aligned} & G(d(x_{n_k}, Tx_{n_k}), d(x, Tx), d(x_{n_k}, Tx), d(x, Tx_{n_k})) + F(d(Tx_{n_k}, Tx)) \\ & \leq F(\kappa d(x_{n_k}, x) + \beta d(x_{n_k}, Tx_{n_k}) + \gamma d(x, Tx) + \delta d(x_{n_k}, Tx) + Ld(x, Tx_{n_k})). \end{aligned}$$

This implies

$$\begin{aligned} (2.14) \quad & F(d(Tx_{n_k}, Tx)) \\ & \leq F(\kappa d(x_{n_k}, x) + \beta d(x_{n_k}, x_{n_k+1}) + \gamma d(x, Tx) + \delta d(x_{n_k}, Tx) + Ld(x, x_{n_k+1})). \end{aligned}$$

From (F1) we have

$$\begin{aligned} (2.15) \quad & d(x_{n_k+1}, Tx) \\ & < \kappa d(x_{n_k}, x) + \beta d(x_{n_k}, x_{n_k+1}) + \gamma d(x, Tx) + \delta d(x_{n_k}, Tx) + Ld(x, x_{n_k+1}). \end{aligned}$$

By taking the limit as  $k \rightarrow \infty$  in (2.15), we obtain

$$(2.16) \quad d(x, Tx) < (\gamma + \delta) d(x, Tx) < d(x, Tx).$$

Which implies that  $d(x, Tx) = 0$ , implies  $x$  is a fixed point of  $T$ . Uniqueness follows similarly as in Theorem 17.  $\square$

**Theorem 19.** *Let  $T$  be a continuous selfmapping on a complete metric space  $X$ . If for  $x, y \in X$  with  $d(x, Tx) \leq d(x, y)$  and  $d(Tx, Ty) > 0$ , we have*

$$\begin{aligned} & G(d(x, Tx), d(y, Ty), d(x, Ty), d(y, Tx)) + F(d(Tx, Ty)) \\ & \leq F(\kappa d(x, y) + \beta d(x, Tx) + \gamma d(y, Ty) + \delta d(x, Ty) + Ld(y, Tx)), \end{aligned}$$

where  $G \in \Delta_G$ ,  $F \in \Delta_{\mathcal{F}}$ ,  $\kappa, \beta, \gamma, \delta, L \geq 0$ ,  $\kappa + \beta + \gamma + 2\delta = 1$  and  $\gamma \neq 1$ . Then  $T$  has a fixed point in  $X$ .

**Proof.** Let us define  $\alpha, \eta: X \times X \rightarrow [0, +\infty)$  by

$$\alpha(x, y) = d(x, y) \quad \text{and} \quad \eta(x, y) = d(x, y) \quad \text{for all } x, y \in X.$$

Now,  $d(x, y) \leq d(x, y)$  for all  $x, y \in X$ , so  $\alpha(x, y) \geq \eta(x, y)$  for all  $x, y \in X$ . That is, conditions (i) and (iii) of Theorem 17 hold true. Since  $T$  is continuous, so  $T$  is  $\alpha$ - $\eta$ -continuous. Let  $\eta(x, Tx) \leq \alpha(x, y)$  and  $d(Tx, Ty) > 0$ , we have  $d(x, Tx) \leq d(x, y)$  with  $d(Tx, Ty) > 0$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} & G(d(x, Tx), d(y, Ty), d(x, Ty), d(y, Tx)) + F(d(Tx, Ty)) \\ & \leq F(\kappa d(x, y) + \beta d(x, Tx) + \gamma d(y, Ty) + \delta d(x, Ty) + Ld(y, Tx)). \end{aligned}$$

That is,  $T$  is an  $\alpha$ - $\eta$ -GF-contraction mapping of Hardy-Rogers-type. Hence, all conditions of Theorem 17 satisfied and  $T$  has a fixed point.  $\square$

**Corollary 20.** *Let  $T$  be a continuous selfmapping on a complete metric space  $X$ . If for  $x, y \in X$  with  $d(x, Tx) \leq d(x, y)$  and  $d(Tx, Ty) > 0$ , we have*

$$\tau + F(d(Tx, Ty)) \leq F(\kappa d(x, y) + \beta d(x, Tx) + \gamma d(y, Ty) + \delta d(x, Ty) + Ld(y, Tx)),$$

where  $\tau > 0$ ,  $\kappa, \beta, \gamma, \delta, L \geq 0$ ,  $\kappa + \beta + \gamma + 2\delta = 1$  and  $\gamma \neq 1$  and  $F \in \Delta_{\mathcal{F}}$ . Then  $T$  has a fixed point in  $X$ .

**Corollary 21.** *Let  $T$  be a continuous selfmapping on a complete metric space  $X$ . If for  $x, y \in X$  with  $d(x, Tx) \leq d(x, y)$  and  $d(Tx, Ty) > 0$ , we have*

$$\begin{aligned} & \tau e^{v \min\{d(x, Tx), d(y, Ty), d(x, Ty), d(y, Tx)\}} + F(d(Tx, Ty)) \\ & \leq F((\kappa d(x, y) + \beta d(x, Tx) + \gamma d(y, Ty) + \delta d(x, Ty) + Ld(y, Tx))), \end{aligned}$$

where  $\tau > 0$ ,  $\kappa, \beta, \gamma, \delta, L, v \geq 0$ ,  $\kappa + \beta + \gamma + 2\delta = 1$ ,  $\gamma \neq 1$  and  $F \in \Delta_{\mathcal{F}}$ . Then  $T$  has a fixed point in  $X$ .

**Example 22.** Let  $S_n = \frac{n(n+1)(n+2)}{3}$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $X = \{S_n : n \in \mathbb{N}\}$  and  $d(x, y) = |x - y|$ . Then  $(X, d)$  is a complete metric space. Define the mapping  $T: X \rightarrow X$ , by  $T(S_1) = S_1$  and  $T(S_n) = S_{n-1}$ , for all  $n > 1$  and  $\alpha(x, y) = 1$  for all  $x \in X$ ,  $\eta(x, Tx) = \frac{1}{2}$  for all  $x \in X$ ,  $G(t_1, t_2, t_3, t_4) = \tau$  where  $\tau = \frac{7}{2} > 0$ . Since  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{d(T(S_n), T(S_1))}{d(S_n, S_1)} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{S_{n-1} - 2}{S_n - 2} = \frac{(n-1)n(n+1) - 6}{n(n+1)(n+2) - 6} = 1$ ,  $T$  is not Banach

contraction. On the other hand taking  $F(r) = \frac{-1}{r} + r \in \Delta_{\mathcal{F}}$ , we obtain the result that  $T$  is an  $\alpha$ - $\eta$ -GF-contraction of Hardy-Rogers-type with  $\kappa = \beta = \frac{1}{3}$ ,  $\gamma = \frac{1}{6}$ ,  $\delta = \frac{1}{12}$  and  $L = \frac{7}{12}$ . To see this, let us consider the following calculation. We conclude the following three cases:

*Case 1:* For every  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $m > n = 1$ , then  $\alpha(S_m, S_n) \geq \eta(S_m, T(S_m))$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} |T(S_m) - T(S_1)| &= |S_1 - T(S_m)| = |S_{m-1} - S_1| = 2 \times 3 + 3 \times 4 + \dots + (m-1)m, \\ |S_m - S_1| &= 2 \times 3 + 3 \times 4 + \dots + m(m+1), \\ |S_m - T(S_m)| &= |S_m - S_{m-1}| = m(m+1), \\ |S_1 - T(S_1)| &= |S_1 - S_1| = 0. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $m > 1$  and

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{-1}{2 \times 3 + \dots + (m-1)m} \\ &< \frac{-1}{\left[ \frac{1}{3}(2 \times 3 + \dots + m(m+1)) + \frac{1}{3}m(m+1) \right.} \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{1}{12}(2 \times 3 + \dots + m(m+1)) + \frac{7}{12}(2 \times 3 + \dots + (m-1)m) \right]}. \end{aligned}$$

We have

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{7}{2} - \frac{1}{2 \times 3 + 3 \times 4 + \dots + (m-1)m} + [2 \times 3 + 3 \times 4 + \dots + (m-1)m] \\ &< \frac{7}{2} - \frac{1}{\left[ \frac{1}{3}(2 \times 3 + \dots + m(m+1)) + \frac{1}{3}m(m+1) \right.} \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{1}{12}(2 \times 3 + \dots + m(m+1)) + \frac{7}{12}(2 \times 3 + \dots + (m-1)m) \right]} \\ &\quad + [2 \times 3 + 3 \times 4 + \dots + (m-1)m] \\ &\leq - \frac{1}{\left[ \frac{1}{3}(2 \times 3 + \dots + m(m+1)) + \frac{1}{3}m(m+1) \right.} \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{1}{12}(2 \times 3 + \dots + m(m+1)) + \frac{7}{12}(2 \times 3 + \dots + (m-1)m) \right]} \\ &\quad + \left[ \frac{1}{3}(2 \times 3 + \dots + m(m+1)) + \frac{1}{3}m(m+1) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{1}{12}(2 \times 3 + \dots + m(m+1)) + \frac{7}{12}(2 \times 3 + \dots + (m-1)m) \right]. \end{aligned}$$

So, we get

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{7}{2} - \frac{1}{|T(S_m) - T(S_1)|} + |T(S_m) - T(S_1)| \\ &< - \frac{1}{\frac{1}{3}|S_m - S_1| + \frac{1}{3}|S_m - T(S_m)| + \frac{1}{6}|S_1 - T(S_1)| + \frac{1}{12}|S_m - T(S_1)| + \frac{7}{12}|S_1 - T(S_m)|} \\ &\quad + \left[ \frac{1}{3}|S_m - S_1| + \frac{1}{3}|S_m - T(S_m)| + \frac{1}{6}|S_1 - T(S_1)| + \frac{1}{12}|S_m - T(S_1)| + \frac{7}{12}|S_1 - T(S_m)| \right]. \end{aligned}$$

Case 2: For  $1 \leq m < n$ , similar to Case 1.

Case 3: For  $m > n > 1$ , then  $\alpha(S_m, S_n) \geq \eta(S_m, T(S_m))$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} |T(S_m) - T(S_n)| &= n \times (n + 1) + (n + 1)(n + 2) + \dots + (m - 1)m, \\ |S_m - S_n| &= (n + 1)(n + 2) + (n + 2)(n + 3) + \dots + m(m + 1), \\ |S_m - T(S_m)| &= |S_m - S_{m-1}| = m(m + 1), \\ |S_n - T(S_n)| &= |S_n - S_{n-1}| = n(n + 1), \\ |S_m - T(S_n)| &= |S_m - S_{n-1}| = n(n + 1) + \dots + m(m + 1), \\ |S_n - T(S_m)| &= |S_n - S_{m-1}| = (n + 1)(n + 2) + \dots + (m - 1)m. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $m > n > 1$ , and

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{-1}{n \times (n + 1) + (n + 1)(n + 2) + \dots + (m - 1)m} \\ < \frac{-1}{\left[ \frac{1}{3}((n + 1)(n + 2) + \dots + m(m + 1)) + \frac{1}{3}m(m + 1) + \frac{1}{6}n(n + 1) \right.} \\ & \left. + \frac{1}{12}(n(n + 1) + \dots + (m - 1)m) + \frac{7}{12}((n + 1)(n + 2) + \dots + (m - 1)m) \right]}. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{7}{2} - \frac{1}{n \times (n + 1) + (n + 1)(n + 2) + \dots + (m - 1)m} \\ & + [n \times (n + 1) + (n + 1)(n + 2) + \dots + (m - 1)m] \\ < \frac{7}{2} - \frac{1}{\left[ \frac{1}{3}((n + 1)(n + 2) + \dots + m(m + 1)) + \frac{1}{3}m(m + 1) + \frac{1}{6}n(n + 1) \right.} \\ & \left. + \frac{1}{12}(n(n + 1) + \dots + (m - 1)m) + \frac{7}{12}((n + 1)(n + 2) + \dots + (m - 1)m) \right]} \\ & + [n \times (n + 1) + (n + 1)(n + 2) + \dots + (m - 1)m] \\ \leq & - \frac{1}{\left[ \frac{1}{3}((n + 1)(n + 2) + \dots + m(m + 1)) + \frac{1}{3}m(m + 1) + \frac{1}{6}n(n + 1) \right.} \\ & \left. + \frac{1}{12}(n(n + 1) + \dots + (m - 1)m) + \frac{7}{12}((n + 1)(n + 2) + \dots + (m - 1)m) \right]} \\ & + \left[ \frac{1}{3}((n + 1)(n + 2) + \dots + m(m + 1)) + \frac{1}{3}m(m + 1) + \frac{1}{6}n(n + 1) \right. \\ & \left. + \frac{1}{12}(n(n + 1) + \dots + (m - 1)m) + \frac{7}{12}((n + 1)(n + 2) + \dots + (m - 1)m) \right]. \end{aligned}$$

So, we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{7}{2} - \frac{1}{|T(S_m) - T(S_n)|} + |T(S_m) - T(S_n)| \\ < & - \frac{1}{\frac{1}{3}|S_m - S_n| + \frac{1}{3}|S_m - T(S_m)| + \frac{1}{6}|S_n - T(S_n)| + \frac{1}{12}|S_m - T(S_n)| + \frac{7}{12}|S_n - T(S_m)|} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + \left[ \frac{1}{3} |S_m - S_n| + \frac{1}{3} |S_m - T(S_m)| + \frac{1}{6} |S_n - T(S_n)| + \frac{1}{12} |S_m - T(S_n)| \right. \\
& \left. + \frac{7}{12} |S_n - T(S_m)| \right].
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned}
& \frac{7}{2} + F(d(T(S_m), T(S_n))) \\
& \leq F\left(\frac{1}{3} d(S_m, S_n) + \frac{1}{3} d(S_m, T(S_m)) + \frac{1}{6} d(S_n, T(S_n)) \right. \\
& \quad \left. + \frac{1}{12} d(S_m, T(S_n)) + \frac{7}{12} d(S_n, T(S_m))\right).
\end{aligned}$$

for all  $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Hence all condition of theorems are satisfied,  $T$  has a fixed point.

Let  $(X, d, \preceq)$  be a partially ordered metric space. Let  $T: X \rightarrow X$  is such that for  $x, y \in X$ , with  $x \preceq y$  implies  $Tx \preceq Ty$ , then the mapping  $T$  is said to be non-decreasing. We derive following important result in partially ordered metric spaces.

**Theorem 23.** *Let  $(X, d, \preceq)$  be a complete partially ordered metric space. Assume that the following assertions hold true:*

- (i)  $T$  is nondecreasing and ordered  $GF$ -contraction of Hardy-Rogers-type;
- (ii) there exists  $x_0 \in X$  such that  $x_0 \preceq Tx_0$ ;
- (iii) either for a given  $x \in X$  and sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in  $X$  such that  $x_n \rightarrow x$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  and  $x_n \preceq x_{n+1}$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  we have  $Tx_n \rightarrow Tx$  or if  $\{x_n\}$  is a sequence in  $X$  such that  $x_n \preceq x_{n+1}$  with  $x_n \rightarrow x$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  then either

$$Tx_n \preceq x \text{ or } T^2x_n \preceq x$$

holds for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

Then  $T$  has a fixed point in  $X$ .

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