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## Research Article

# An Iterative Scheme with a Countable Family of Nonexpansive Mappings for Variational Inequality Problems in Hilbert Spaces

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We introduce a new iterative scheme with a countable family of nonexpansive mappings for the variational inequality problems in Hilbert spaces and prove some strong convergence theorems for the proposed schemes.

#### 1. Introduction

Let H be a Hilbert space and C be a nonempty closed convex subset of H. Let  $F: H \to H$  be a nonlinear mapping. The classical variational inequality problem (for short, VI(F,C)) is to find a point  $x \in C$  such that

$$\langle F(x^*), x - x^* \rangle \ge 0, \quad \forall x^* \in C.$$
 (1.1)

This variational inequality was initially studied by Kinderlehrer and Stampacchia [1]. Since then, many authors have introduced and studied many kinds of the variational inequality problems (inclusions) and applied them to many fields.

It is well known that, if F is a strongly monotone and Lipschitzian mapping on C, then the VI(F, C) has a unique solution (see [2]).

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Let  $T: H \to H$  be a mapping. Recall that a mapping  $T: H \to H$  is nonexpansive if

$$||Tx - Ty|| \le ||x - y||, \quad \forall x, y \in H.$$
 (1.2)

The set of fixed points of T is denoted by F(T). Recently, the iterative methods for nonexpansive mappings and some kinds of nonlinear mappings have been applied to solve the convex minimization problems (see [3–7]).

A typical problem is to minimize a quadratic function over the set of the fixed points of a nonexpansive mapping on *H*:

$$\min_{x \in C} \frac{1}{2} \langle Ax, x \rangle - \langle x, b \rangle, \tag{1.3}$$

where *C* is the fixed point set of a nonexpansive mapping *T* on H, *b* is a given point in *H* and *A* is a strongly positive operator, that is, there is a constant  $\overline{\gamma} > 0$  such that

$$\langle Ax, x \rangle \ge \overline{\gamma} ||x||^2, \quad \forall x \in H.$$
 (1.4)

Recently, for solving the variational inequality on *A*, Marino and Xu [8] introduced the following general iterative scheme:

$$x_{n+1} = (I - \alpha_n A) T x_n + \alpha_n \gamma f(x_n), \quad \forall n \ge 0, \tag{1.5}$$

where *A* is a strongly positive linear bounded operator on *H*, *f* is a contraction on *H* and  $\{\alpha_n\} \subset (0,1)$ .

More precisely, they gave the following result.

**Theorem MX** (see [8, Theorem 3.4]). Let  $\{x_n\}$  be generated by algorithm (1.5) with the sequence  $\{\alpha_n\}$  satisfying the following conditions:

- (C1)  $\lim_{n\to\infty}\alpha_n=0$ ,
- (C2)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \alpha_n = \infty$ ,
- (C3) either  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} |\alpha_{n+1} \alpha_n| < \infty$  or  $\lim_{n \to \infty} \alpha_{n+1} / \alpha_n = 1$ .

Then the scheme  $\{x_n\}$  defined by (1.5) converges strongly to an element  $x^* \in C = F(T)$  which is the unique solution of the variational inequality (for short,  $VI(A - \gamma f, C)$ ):

$$\langle (A - \gamma f) x^*, x - x^* \rangle \ge 0, \quad \forall x \in C. \tag{1.6}$$

Let  $f: H \to H$  be a contraction with coefficient  $0 < \alpha < 1$  and let  $A, B: H \to H$  be two strongly positive linear bounded operators with coefficients  $\overline{\gamma} \in (0,1)$  and  $\beta > 0$ , respectively.

Motivated and inspired by the iterative sheme (1.5), Ceng et al. [9] introduced the following so-called *hybrid viscosity-like approximation algorithms* with variable parameters for nonexpansive mappings in Hilbert spaces.

**Theorem CGY1** (see [9, Theorem 3.1]). Let  $0 < \gamma \alpha < \beta$  and  $\overline{\gamma} \in (0,1)$ . Let  $\{\lambda_n\}$  be a sequence in (0,1) and  $\{\mu_n\}$  be a sequence in  $(0,\min\{1,\|B\|^{-1}\})$ . Starting with an arbitrary initial guess  $x_0 \in H$ , generate a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  by the following iterative scheme:

$$x_{n+1} = (I - \lambda_{n+1}A)Tx_n + \lambda_{n+1}[Tx_n - \mu_{n+1}(BTx_n - \gamma f(x_n))], \quad \forall n \ge 0.$$
 (1.7)

Assume that

- (i)  $\lim_{n\to\infty}\lambda_n=0$ ,
- (ii)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \lambda_n = \infty$ ,
- (iii) either  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\lambda_{n+1} \lambda_n| < \infty$  or  $\lim_{n \to \infty} \lambda_n / \lambda_{n+1} = 1$ ,
- (iv)  $(1 \overline{\gamma})/(\beta \gamma \alpha) < \lim_{n \to \infty} \mu_n = \mu < (2 \overline{\gamma})/(\beta \gamma \alpha)$ .

Then the scheme  $\{x_n\}$  defined by (1.7) converges strongly to an element  $x^* \in C = F(T)$  which is the unique solution of the variational inequality (for short,  $VI(A - I + \mu(B - \gamma f), C)$ ):

$$\langle [A - I + \mu(B - \gamma f)] x^*, x - x^* \rangle \ge 0, \quad \forall x \in C.$$
 (1.8)

**Theorem CGY2** (see [9, Theorem 3.2]). Let  $0 < \gamma \alpha < \beta$  and  $\overline{\gamma} \in (0,1)$ . Let  $\{\lambda_n\}$  be a sequence in (0,1) and  $\{\mu_n\}$  be a sequence in  $(0, \min\{1, \|B\|^{-1}\})$ . Starting with an arbitrary initial guess  $x_0 \in H$ , generate a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  by the following iterative scheme:

$$x_{n+1} = (I - \lambda_{n+1}A)T_{[n+1]}x_n + \lambda_{n+1}[T_{[n+1]}x_n - \mu_{n+1}(BT_{[n+1]}x_n - \gamma f(x_n))], \quad \forall n \ge 0.$$
 (1.9)

Assume that

- (i)  $\lim_{n\to\infty} \lambda_n = 0$
- (ii)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \lambda_n = \infty$
- (iii) either  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\lambda_{n+N} \lambda_n| < \infty$  or  $\lim_{n \to \infty} \lambda_n / \lambda_{n+N} = 1$ ,
- (iv)  $(1 \overline{\gamma})/(\beta \gamma \alpha) < \lim_{n \to \infty} \mu_n = \mu < (2 \overline{\gamma})/(\beta \gamma \alpha)$ .

In addition, assume that

$$C = \bigcap_{i=1}^{N} F(T_i) = F(T_1 T_2 \cdots T_N) = F(T_N T_1 \cdots T_2)$$

$$= \cdots = F(T_2 T_3 \cdots T_N T_1).$$
(1.10)

Then the scheme  $\{x_n\}$  defined by (1.9) converges strongly to an element  $x^* \in C = F(T)$  which is the unique solution of the variational inequality (for short,  $VI(A - I + \mu(B - \gamma f), C)$ ):

$$\langle [A - I + \mu(B - \gamma f)] x^*, x - x^* \rangle \ge 0, \quad \forall x \in C.$$
 (1.11)

In this paper, motivated and inspired by the above research results, we introduce a new iterative process with a countable family of nonexpansive mappings for the variational inequality problem in Hilbert spaces.

More precisely, let H be a Hilbert space and  $\{T_i\}_{i=1}^{\infty}$  be a countable family of nonexpansive mappings from H to H such that  $C = \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(T_i) \neq \emptyset$ . Let  $f: H \to H$  be a contraction with coefficient  $0 < \alpha < 1$  and A, B be strongly positive linear bounded operators with coefficients  $\eta \in (0,1)$  and  $\beta > 0$ , respectively. Let  $\{\lambda_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty} \subset (0,1)$  and  $\{\alpha_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty} \subset (0,1]$  with  $\alpha_0 = 1$ . Take three fixed numbers  $\gamma$ ,  $\mu_1$  and  $\mu_2$  such that  $0 < \gamma\alpha < \beta$ ,  $\mu_1 \in (0,1]$  and  $\mu_2 \in ((1 - \eta\mu_1)/(\beta - \gamma\alpha), \min\{1, \|B\|^{-1}, (2 - \eta\mu_1)/(\beta - \gamma\alpha)\}]$ . For any  $x_1 \in H$ , generate the iterative scheme  $\{x_n\}$  by

$$x_{n+1} = \alpha_n [(I - \lambda_n \mu_1 A) x_n + \lambda_n [x_n - \mu_2 (Bx_n - \gamma f(x_n))]] + \sum_{i=1}^n (\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_i) T_i x_n, \quad \forall n \ge 1.$$
(1.12)

We prove that the iterative scheme  $\{x_n\}$  defined by (1.12) strongly converges to an element  $x^* \in C$  which is the unique solution of the variational inequality (for short,  $VI(\mu_1 A - I + \mu_2(B - \gamma f), C)$ ):

$$\langle \left[ \mu_1 A - I + \mu_2 (B - \gamma f) \right] x^*, x - x^* \rangle \ge 0, \quad \forall x \in C.$$
 (1.13)

#### 2. Preliminaries

Let *H* be a Hilbert space and *T* be a nonexpansive mapping of *H* into itself such that  $F(T) \neq \emptyset$ . For all  $\hat{x} \in F(T)$  and  $x \in H$ , we have

$$||x - \widehat{x}||^{2} \ge ||Tx - T\widehat{x}||^{2} = ||Tx - \widehat{x}||^{2} = ||Tx - x + (x - \widehat{x})||^{2}$$

$$= ||Tx - x||^{2} + ||x - \widehat{x}||^{2} + 2\langle Tx - x, x - \widehat{x} \rangle$$
(2.1)

and hence

$$||Tx - x||^2 \le 2\langle x - Tx, x - \widehat{x} \rangle, \quad \forall \widehat{x} \in F(T), \ x \in H.$$
 (2.2)

Let  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence in a Hilbert space H and let  $x \in H$ . Throughout this paper,  $x_n \to x$  and  $x_n \to x$  denote that  $\{x_n\}$  strongly converges to  $x \in H$  and  $\{x_n\}$  converges weakly to a point  $x \in H$ , respectively.

**Lemma 2.1** (see [10]). Let C be a closed convex subset of a Hilbert space H and T be a nonexpansive mapping from C into itself. Then I - T is demiclosed at zero, that is,

$$x_n \rightarrow x$$
,  $x_n - Tx_n \rightarrow 0$  implies  $x = Tx$ . (2.3)

The following lemma is an immediate consequence of the equality:

$$||x+y||^2 = ||x||^2 + 2\langle y, x+y \rangle - ||y||^2, \quad \forall x, y \in H.$$
(2.4)

**Lemma 2.2.** Let H be a real Hilbert space. Then the following identity holds:

$$||x+y||^2 \le ||x||^2 + 2\langle y, x+y \rangle, \quad \forall x, y \in H.$$
 (2.5)

**Lemma 2.3** (see [4, 11]). Let  $\{s_n\}$ ,  $\{c_n\}$  be the sequences of nonnegative real numbers and let  $\{a_n\} \subset (0, 1)$ . Suppose that  $\{b_n\}$  is a sequence of real numbers such that

$$s_{n+1} \le (1 - a_n)s_n + b_n + c_n, \quad \forall n \ge 0.$$
 (2.6)

Assume that  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n < \infty$ . Then the following results hold.

- (1) If  $b_n \leq \beta a_n$ , where  $(\beta \geq 0)$ , then  $\{s_n\}$  is a bounded sequence.
- (2) If one has

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n = \infty, \qquad \limsup_{n \to \infty} \frac{b_n}{a_n} \le 0, \tag{2.7}$$

then  $\lim_{n\to\infty} s_n = 0$ .

**Lemma 2.4** (see [8]). Let H be a real Hilbert space,  $f: H \to H$  be a contraction with coefficient  $0 < \alpha < 1$  and B be a strongly positive linear bounded operator with coefficient  $\beta > 0$ . Then, for any  $\gamma$  with  $0 < \gamma < \beta/\alpha$ ,

$$\langle x - y, (B - \gamma f)x - (B - \gamma f)y \rangle \ge (\beta - \gamma \alpha) \|x - y\|^2, \quad \forall x, y \in H, \tag{2.8}$$

that is,  $B - \gamma f$  is strongly monotone with coefficient  $\beta - \gamma \alpha$ .

**Lemma 2.5.** Assume A is a strongly monotone linear bounded operator on a Hilbert space H with coefficient  $\alpha > 0$ . Take a fixed number  $\rho$  such that  $0 < \rho \le ||A||^{-1}$ . Then  $||I - \rho A|| \le 1 - \rho \alpha$ .

*Proof.* The proof method is mainly from the idea of Marino and Xu [8, Lemma 2.5]. It is known that the norm of a linear bounded self-adjoint operator *V* on *H* is as follows:

$$||V|| = \sup\{|\langle Vx, x \rangle| : x \in H, ||x|| = 1\}.$$
(2.9)

Now, for all  $x \in H$  with ||x|| = 1, we see that (here 0 denotes zero point in H)

$$||I - \rho A|| = \sup\{\langle (I - \rho A)x, x \rangle : x \in H, ||x|| = 1\}$$

$$= \sup\{\langle (I - \rho A)x - (I - \rho A)0, x - 0 \rangle : x \in H, ||x|| = 1\}$$

$$= \sup\{\langle (x - 0) - \rho (Ax - A0), x - 0 \rangle : x \in H, ||x|| = 1\}$$

$$= \sup\{||x||^2 - \rho \langle (Ax - A0), x - 0 \rangle : x \in H, ||x|| = 1\}$$

$$\leq \sup\{1 - \rho \alpha ||x - 0||^2 : x \in H, ||x|| = 1\}$$

$$= 1 - \rho \alpha.$$
(2.10)

This completes the proof.

Remark 2.6. Lemma 2.5 still holds if *A* is a strongly positive linear bounded operator (see [8, Lemma 2.5]). That is, Lemma 2.5 in this section and Lemma 2.5 in [8] both hold when *A* is a strongly monotone linear bounded operator or a strongly positive linear bounded one because an operator on a Hilbert space is strongly monotone linear if and only if it is strongly positive linear.

In fact, if *A* is a strongly monotone linear operator with coefficient  $\alpha > 0$  on a Hilbert space *H*, then, for all  $x \in H$ ,

$$\langle Ax, x \rangle = \langle Ax - A0, x - 0 \rangle \ge \alpha ||x - 0||^2 = \alpha ||x||^2,$$
 (2.11)

which shows that A is strongly positive linear. Assume that A is a strongly positive linear operator with coefficient  $\alpha > 0$  on H. Then, for all  $x, y \in H$ ,

$$\langle Ax - Ay, x - y \rangle = \langle A(x - y), x - y \rangle \ge \alpha \|x - y\|^2,$$
 (2.12)

which shows that *A* is strongly monotone and linear.

#### 3. Main Results

Let H be a Hilbert space and C be a nonempty closed and convex subset of H. Let  $f: H \to H$  be a contraction with coefficient  $0 < \alpha < 1$ . Let  $A, B: H \to H$  be strongly positive linear bounded operator with coefficient  $\eta \in (0,1)$  and  $\beta > 0$ , respectively. Take a fixed number  $\gamma$  such that  $0 \le \gamma \alpha < \beta$ . Then, from Lemma 2.4, it follows that  $B - \gamma f$  is strongly monotone with

coefficient  $\beta - \gamma \alpha > 0$ . For any fixed numbers  $\sigma_1 \in (0,1]$  and  $\sigma_2 \in ((1 - \eta \sigma_1)/(\beta - \gamma \alpha), (2 - \eta \sigma_1)/(\beta - \gamma \alpha))$ , we have  $\theta = \eta \sigma_1 - 1 + \sigma_2(\beta - \gamma \alpha) \in (0,1)$ , which can be seen easily from the following:

$$\sigma_{2} < \frac{2 - \eta \sigma_{1}}{\beta - \gamma \alpha} \iff \sigma_{2}(\beta - \gamma \alpha) < 2 - \eta \sigma_{1}$$

$$\iff \theta = \eta \sigma_{1} - 1 + \sigma_{2}(\beta - \gamma \alpha) < 1,$$
(3.1)

$$\frac{1 - \eta \sigma_1}{\beta - \gamma \alpha} < \sigma_2 \iff \sigma_2(\beta - \gamma \alpha) + \eta \sigma_1 > 1$$

$$\iff \theta = \eta \sigma_1 - 1 + \sigma_2(\beta - \gamma \alpha) > 0.$$
(3.2)

Moreover, observe that

$$\|(\sigma_{1}A - I + \sigma_{2}(B - \gamma f))x - (\sigma_{1}A - I + \sigma_{2}(B - \gamma f))y\|$$

$$= \|(\sigma_{1}A - I)(x - y) + \sigma_{2}(B - \gamma f)(x - y)\|$$

$$\leq \|\sigma_{1}A - I\|\|x - y\| + \sigma_{2}[\|B(x - y)\| + \gamma\|fx - fy\|]$$

$$\leq [\|\sigma_{1}A - I\| + \sigma_{2}(\|B\| + \gamma \alpha)]\|x - y\|,$$
(3.3)

which implies that  $\sigma_1 A - I + \sigma_2 (B - \gamma f)$  is Lipschitzian with coefficient  $\|\sigma_1 A - I\| + \sigma_2 (\|B\| + \gamma \alpha) > 0$ .

On the other hand, from Lemma 2.4, it follows that

$$\langle (\sigma_{1}A - I + \sigma_{2}(B - \gamma f))x - (\sigma_{1}A - I + \sigma_{2}(B - \gamma f))y, x - y \rangle$$

$$= \sigma_{1}\langle Ax - Ay, x - y \rangle + \sigma_{2}\langle (B - \gamma f)x - (B - \gamma f)y, x - y \rangle - \|x - y\|^{2}$$

$$\geq \sigma_{1}\eta \|x - y\|^{2} + \sigma_{2}(\beta - \gamma \alpha) \|x - y\|^{2} - \|x - y\|^{2}$$

$$= \theta \|x - y\|^{2},$$
(3.4)

which implies that  $\sigma_1 A - I + \sigma_2 (B - \gamma f)$  is strongly monotone with coefficient  $\theta > 0$ . Hence the variational inequality (for short,  $VI(\sigma_1 A - I + \sigma_2 (B - \gamma f), C)$ )

$$\langle \sigma_1 A - I + \sigma_2 (B - \gamma f) x^*, x - x^* \rangle \ge 0, \quad \forall x \in C$$
 (3.5)

has the unique solution.

Let  $\hat{T}: H \to H$  be a nonexpansive mapping. Take two fixed numbers  $\mu_1$  and  $\mu_2$  such that  $\mu_1 \in (0,1]$  and  $\mu_2 \in (0,\min\{1,\|B\|^{-1}\}]$  and, for all  $\lambda \in (0,\min\{1,\|A\|^{-1}/\mu_1\})$ , define a mapping  $T^{\lambda}: H \to H$  by

$$T^{\lambda}x = (I - \lambda \mu_1 A)Tx + \lambda [Tx - \mu_2 (BTx - \gamma f(x))], \quad \forall x \in H.$$
 (3.6)

Then we have the following results.

**Lemma 3.1.** If  $\mu_2 \in ((1-\eta\mu_1)/(\beta-\gamma\lambda), (2-\eta\mu_1)/(\beta-\gamma\lambda))$ , then  $T^{\lambda}$  is a contraction with coefficient  $1-\lambda\tau$ , where  $\tau=\eta\mu_1-1+\mu_2(\beta-\gamma\alpha)\in(0,1)$ , that is,

$$||T^{\lambda}x - T^{\lambda}y|| \le (1 - \lambda \tau)||x - y||, \quad \forall x, y \in H.$$
(3.7)

*Proof.* From Lemma 2.5 and Remark 2.6, it follows that, for all  $x, y \in H$ ,

$$||T^{\lambda}x - T^{\lambda}y|| = ||(I - \lambda\mu_{1}A)Tx + \lambda[Tx - \mu_{2}(BTx - \gamma f(x))]|$$

$$-(I - \lambda\mu_{1}A)Ty - \lambda[Ty - \mu_{2}(BTy - \gamma f(y))]||$$

$$\leq ||(I - \lambda\mu_{1}A)Tx - (I - \lambda\mu_{1}A)Ty||$$

$$+ \lambda||Tx - \mu_{2}(BTx - \gamma f(x)) - [Ty - \mu_{2}(BTy - \gamma f(y))]||$$

$$\leq ||(I - \lambda\mu_{1}A)|||Tx - Ty||$$

$$+ \lambda[||(I - \mu_{2}B)Tx - (I - \mu_{2}B)Ty|| + \mu_{2}\gamma||f(x) - f(y)||]$$

$$\leq (1 - \lambda\mu_{1}\eta)||x - y|| + \lambda[||I - \mu_{2}B|||Tx - Ty|| + \mu_{2}\gamma\alpha||x - y||]$$

$$\leq \{1 - \lambda\mu_{1}\eta + \lambda[1 - \mu_{2}(\beta - \gamma\alpha)]\}||x - y||$$

$$= \{1 - \lambda[\mu_{1}\eta - 1 + \mu_{2}(\beta - \gamma\alpha)]\}||x - y||$$

$$= (1 - \lambda\tau)||x - y||.$$
(3.8)

This completes the proof.

Let  $\{T_i\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  be a countable family of nonexpansive mappings from H into itself such that  $C = \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} F(T_i) \neq \emptyset$ . Since each  $F(T_i)$  is closed and convex, then C is closed and convex.

Throughout this paper, let  $f: H \to H$  be a contraction with coefficient  $0 < \alpha < 1$ . Let  $A, B: H \to H$  be strongly positive linear bounded mapping with coefficient  $\eta \in (0,1)$  and  $\beta > 0$ , respectively. Take a fixed number  $\gamma$  such that  $0 < \gamma\alpha < \beta$ . Suppose that  $\mu_1 \in (0,1]$ ,  $\mu_2 \in ((1-\eta\mu_1)/(\beta-\gamma\alpha), \min\{1,\|B\|^{-1},(2-\eta\mu_1)/(\beta-\gamma\alpha)\})$  (assuming that  $(1-\eta\mu_1)/(\beta-\gamma\alpha) < \min\{1,\|B\|^{-1}\}$  such that  $((1-\eta\mu_1)/(\beta-\gamma\lambda), \min\{1,\|B\|^{-1},(2-\eta\mu_1)/(\beta-\gamma\lambda)\}]$  is nonempty),  $\{\lambda_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty} \subset (0,\min\{1,\|A\|^{-1}/\mu_1\})$  with  $\liminf_{n\to\infty} \lambda_n > 0$  and  $\{\alpha_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty} \subset (0,1]$  with  $\alpha_0 = 1$ .

Now, we can rewrite the iterative scheme (1.12) as follows:

$$x_{n+1} = \alpha_n T^{\lambda_n} x_n + \sum_{i=1}^n (\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_i) T_i x_n, \quad \forall n \ge 1,$$
 (3.9)

where  $T^{\lambda_n}x_n=(I-\lambda_n\mu_1A)x_n+\lambda_n[x_n-\mu_2(Bx_n-\gamma f(x_n))]$ . Then, by Lemma 3.1, for all  $x,y\in H$ , we have

$$\left\| T_n^{\lambda_n} x - T_n^{\lambda_n} y \right\| \le (1 - \lambda_n \tau) \|x - y\|, \quad \forall n \ge 1,$$
(3.10)

where  $\tau = \eta \mu_1 - 1 + \mu_2(\beta - \gamma \alpha) \in (0, 1)$ .

**Lemma 3.2.** If  $\{\alpha_n\}$  is strictly decreasing, then the scheme  $\{x_n\}$  defined by (3.9) is bounded.

*Proof.* Since  $||T^{\lambda_n}p - p|| = \lambda_n ||(\mu_1 A - I + \mu_2 (B - \gamma f))p||$ , it follows from (3.10) that, for all  $p \in C$ ,

$$||x_{n+1} - p|| = ||\alpha_n (T^{\lambda_n} x_n - p) + \sum_{i=1}^n (\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_i) (T_i x_n - p)||$$

$$\leq \alpha_n ||T^{\lambda_n} x_n - p|| + \sum_{i=1}^n (\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_i) ||T_i x_n - p||$$

$$\leq \alpha_n ||T^{\lambda_n} x_n - T^{\lambda_n} p|| + \alpha_n ||T^{\lambda_n} p - p|| + (1 - \alpha_n) ||x_n - p||$$

$$\leq \alpha_n (1 - \lambda_n \tau) ||x_n - p|| + \alpha_n \lambda_n ||(\mu_1 A - I + \mu_2 (B - \gamma f)) p|| + (1 - \alpha_n) ||x_n - p||$$

$$= (1 - \alpha_n \lambda_n \tau) ||x_n - p|| + \alpha_n \lambda_n ||(\mu_1 A - I + \mu_2 (B - \gamma f)) p||.$$
(3.11)

By induction, we obtain

$$||x_{n+1} - p|| \le \max \left\{ ||x_1 - p||, \frac{1}{\tau}|| (\mu_1 A - I + \mu_2 (B - \gamma f))p|| \right\}.$$
 (3.12)

Hence  $\{x_n\}$  is bounded and so are  $\{T^{\lambda_n}x_n\}$  and  $\{T_ix_n\}$  for each  $i \geq 1$ . This completes the proof.

**Lemma 3.3.** *If*  $\{\alpha_n\}$  *is strictly decreasing and the following conditions hold:* 

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \alpha_n = \infty, \qquad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\lambda_n - \lambda_{n+1}| < \infty, \tag{3.13}$$

then  $\lim_{n\to\infty} ||x_{n+1} - x_n|| = 0$ .

*Proof.* By the iterative scheme (3.9), we have

$$\begin{split} x_{n+1} - x_n &= \alpha_n T^{\lambda_n} x_n + \sum_{i=1}^n (\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_i) T_i x_n - \left( \alpha_{n-1} T^{\lambda_{n-1}} x_{n-1} + \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} (\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_i) T_i x_{n-1} \right) \\ &= \alpha_n \left( T^{\lambda_n} x_n - T^{\lambda_n} x_{n-1} \right) + \sum_{i=1}^n (\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_i) (T_i x_n - T_i x_{n-1}) \\ &+ \sum_{i=1}^n (\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_i) T_i x_{n-1} - \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} (\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_i) T_i x_{n-1} + \alpha_n T^{\lambda_n} x_{n-1} - \alpha_{n-1} T^{\lambda_{n-1}} x_{n-1} \\ &= \alpha_n \left( T^{\lambda_n} x_n - T^{\lambda_n} x_{n-1} \right) + \sum_{i=1}^n (\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_i) (T_i x_n - T_i x_{n-1}) \\ &+ (\alpha_{n-1} - \alpha_n) T_n x_{n-1} + (\alpha_{n-1} \lambda_{n-1} - \alpha_n \lambda_n) \left[ (\mu_1 A - I + \mu_2 (B - \gamma f)) x_{n-1} \right] \\ &+ (\alpha_n - \alpha_{n-1}) x_{n-1} \end{split}$$

$$= \alpha_{n} \Big( T^{\lambda_{n}} x_{n} - T^{\lambda_{n}} x_{n-1} \Big) + \sum_{i=1}^{n} (\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_{i}) (T_{i} x_{n} - T_{i} x_{n-1})$$

$$+ (\alpha_{n-1} - \alpha_{n}) T_{n} x_{n-1} + (\alpha_{n} - \alpha_{n-1}) x_{n-1}$$

$$+ [(\alpha_{n-1} - \alpha_{n}) \lambda_{n} + (\lambda_{n-1} - \lambda_{n}) \alpha_{n-1}] [(\mu_{1} A - I + \mu_{2} (B - \gamma f)) x_{n-1}]$$
(3.14)

and hence

$$||x_{n+1} - x_n|| \le \alpha_n ||T^{\lambda_n} x_n - T^{\lambda_n} x_{n-1}|| + \sum_{i=1}^n (\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_n) ||T_i x_n - T_i x_{n-1}||$$

$$+ (\alpha_{n-1} - \alpha_n) ||T_n x_{n-1}|| + (\alpha_{n-1} - \alpha_n) ||x_{n-1}||$$

$$+ [(\alpha_{n-1} - \alpha_n) \lambda_n + |\lambda_{n-1} - \lambda_n |\alpha_{n-1}|] ||(\mu_1 A - I + \mu_2 (B - \gamma f)) x_{n-1}||$$

$$\le \alpha_n (1 - \lambda_n \tau) ||x_n - x_{n-1}|| + (1 - \alpha_n) ||x_n - x_{n-1}||$$

$$+ (\alpha_{n-1} - \alpha_n) ||T_n x_{n-1}|| + (\alpha_{n-1} - \alpha_n) ||x_{n-1}||$$

$$+ [(\alpha_{n-1} - \alpha_n) + |\lambda_{n-1} - \lambda_n|] ||(\mu_1 A - I + \mu_2 (B - \gamma f)) x_{n-1}||$$

$$\le (1 - \alpha_n \lambda_n \tau) ||x_n - x_{n-1}|| + (\alpha_{n-1} - \alpha_n) M + |\lambda_{n-1} - \lambda_n| M,$$

$$(3.15)$$

where M is a constant. Since  $\{\lambda_n\} \subset (0, \min\{1, \|A\|^{-1}/\mu_1\})$ , there exists a constant  $\lambda' > 0$  such that  $\lambda_n \geq \lambda'$  for all  $n \geq 1$ . Therefore, we have

$$||x_{n+1} - x_n|| \le (1 - \alpha_n \lambda' \tau) ||x_n - x_{n-1}|| + [(\alpha_{n-1} - \alpha_n) + |\lambda_{n-1} - \lambda_n|] M.$$
 (3.16)

Put  $c_n = [(\alpha_{n-1} - \alpha_n) + |\lambda_{n-1} - \lambda_n|]M$ . Since  $\{\alpha_n\}$  is a strictly decreasing sequence and  $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} |\lambda_{n-1} - \lambda_n| < \infty$ , we have  $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} c_n < \infty$ . By Lemma 2.3, it follows that  $||x_{n+1} - x_n|| \to 0$  as  $n \to \infty$ . This completes the proof.

**Lemma 3.4.** *If*  $\{\alpha_n\}$  *is strictly decreasing and the following conditions hold:* 

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \alpha_n = 0, \qquad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \alpha_n = \infty, \qquad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\lambda_n - \lambda_{n+1}| < \infty$$
 (3.17)

then  $\lim_{n\to\infty} ||x_n - T_i x_n|| = 0$ , for all  $i \ge 1$ .

*Proof.* By the iterative scheme (3.9), we have

$$x_{n+1} + \sum_{i=1}^{n} (\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_i)(x_n - T_i x_n) - (1 - \alpha_n)x_n = \alpha_n T^{\lambda_n} x_n,$$
 (3.18)

that is,

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} (\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_i)(x_n - T_i x_n) = \alpha_n \left( T^{\lambda_n} x_n - x_n \right) + (x_n - x_{n+1}). \tag{3.19}$$

Hence, for any  $p \in C$ , we get

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} (\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_i) \langle x_n - T_i x_n, x_n - p \rangle = \alpha_n \langle T^{\lambda_n} x_n - x_n, x_n - p \rangle + \langle x_n - x_{n+1}, x_n - p \rangle. \tag{3.20}$$

Since each  $T_i$  is nonexpansive, it follows from (2.2) that

$$||T_i x_n - x_n||^2 \le 2\langle x_n - T_i x_n, x_n - p \rangle.$$
 (3.21)

Hence, combining (3.21) with (3.20), it follows that

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} (\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_i) ||T_i x_n - x_n||^2 \le 2 \sum_{i=1}^{n} (\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_i) \langle x_n - T_i x_n, x_n - p \rangle$$

$$= 2\alpha_n \langle T^{\lambda_n} x_n - x_n, x_n - p \rangle + 2\langle x_n - x_{n+1}, x_n - p \rangle,$$
(3.22)

which implies that

$$\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^{n} (\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_i) \|T_i x_n - x_n\|^2 \le \alpha_n \left\langle T^{\lambda_n} x_n - x_n, x_n - p \right\rangle + \left\langle x_n - x_{n+1}, x_n - p \right\rangle. \tag{3.23}$$

Since each  $(\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_i) ||T_i x_n - x_n||^2 \ge 0$  and  $\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_i > 0$ , then we have

$$\frac{1}{2}(\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_i) \|T_i x_n - x_n\|^2 \le \alpha_n \left\langle T^{\lambda_n} x_n - x_n, x_n - p \right\rangle + \left\langle x_n - x_{n+1}, x_n - p \right\rangle, \tag{3.24}$$

that is,

$$||T_{i}x_{n} - x_{n}||^{2} \le \frac{2\alpha_{n}}{\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_{i}} \langle T^{\lambda_{n}}x_{n} - x_{n}, x_{n} - p \rangle + \frac{2}{\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_{i}} \langle x_{n} - x_{n+1}, x_{n} - p \rangle.$$
(3.25)

Since  $\{x_n\}$  and  $\{T^{\lambda_n}x_n\}$  are both bounded, there exists a constant M'>0 such that

$$||T_i x_n - x_n||^2 \le M' \left( \frac{\alpha_n}{\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_i} + \frac{1}{\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_i} ||x_n - x_{n+1}|| \right).$$
 (3.26)

By Lemma 3.3 and the assumption condition  $\lim_{n\to\infty} a_n = 0$ , it follows that

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} ||T_i x_n - x_n|| = 0, \quad \forall i \ge 1.$$
 (3.27)

This completes the proof.

Finally, we give the main result in this paper.

**Theorem 3.5.** *If*  $\{\alpha_n\}$  *is strictly decreasing and the following conditions hold:* 

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \alpha_n = 0, \qquad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \alpha_n = \infty, \qquad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\lambda_n - \lambda_{n+1}| < \infty, \tag{3.28}$$

then the scheme  $\{x_n\}$  defined by (3.9) converges strongly to an element  $x^* \in C$  which is the unique solution of the variational inequality  $(VI(\mu_1 A - I + \mu_2 (B - \gamma f), C))$ :

$$\langle \left[ \mu_1 A - I + \mu_2 (B - \gamma f) \right] x^*, x - x^* \rangle \ge 0, \quad \forall x \in C.$$
 (3.29)

*Proof.* First, we prove that  $\limsup_{n\to\infty} \langle -[\mu_1 A - I + \mu_2 (B - \gamma f)] x^*, x_{n+1} - x^* \rangle \le 0$ . To prove this, we pick a subsequence  $\{x_{n_i}\}$  of  $\{x_n\}$  such that

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \sup \langle -[\mu_1 A - I + \mu_2 (B - \gamma f)] x^*, x_n - x^* \rangle = \lim_{i \to \infty} \langle -[\mu_1 A - I + \mu_2 (B - \gamma f)] x^*, x_{n_i} - x^* \rangle.$$
(3.30)

Without loss of generality, we may, further, assume that  $x_{n_i} \rightharpoonup \widehat{x}$  for some  $\widehat{x} \in H$ . From Lemmas 2.1 and 3.3, it follows that  $\widehat{x} \in F(T_i)$  for each  $i \ge 1$  and so  $\widehat{x} \in C = \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(T_i)$ . Since  $x^*$  is the unique solution of the problem  $VI(\mu_1 A - I + \mu_2 (B - \gamma f), C)$ , we obtain

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \sup \left\langle -\left[\mu_{1} A - I + \mu_{2} (B - \gamma f)\right] x^{*}, x_{n} - x^{*} \right\rangle = \left\langle -\left[\mu_{1} A - I + \mu_{2} (B - \gamma f)\right] x^{*}, \widehat{x} - x^{*} \right\rangle \leq 0.$$
(3.31)

It follows from Lemma 2.2 and (3.10) that

$$||x_{n+1} - x^*||^2 = \left\| \left[ \alpha_n \left( T^{\lambda_n} x_n - T^{\lambda_n} x^* \right) + \sum_{i=1}^n (\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_n) (T_i x_n - x^*) \right] + \alpha_n \left( T^{\lambda_n} x^* - x^* \right) \right\|^2$$

$$\leq \left\| \alpha_n \left( T^{\lambda_n} x_n - T^{\lambda_n} x^* \right) + \sum_{i=1}^n (\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_n) (T_i x_n - x^*) \right\|^2$$

$$+ 2\alpha_n \left\langle T^{\lambda_n} x^* - x^*, x_{n+1} - x^* \right\rangle$$

$$\leq \left[ \alpha_n (1 - \lambda_n \tau) ||x_n - x^*|| + (1 - \alpha_n) ||x_n - x^*||^2$$

$$+ 2\alpha_n \left\langle - \left[ \mu_1 A - I + \mu_2 (B - \gamma f) \right] x^*, x_{n+1} - x^* \right\rangle$$

$$\leq (1 - \alpha_n \lambda_n \tau) ||x_n - x^*||^2 + 2\alpha_n \left\langle - \left[ \mu_1 A - I + \mu_2 (B - \gamma f) \right] x^*, x_{n+1} - x^* \right\rangle$$

$$\leq (1 - \alpha_n \lambda' \tau) ||x_n - x^*||^2 + 2\alpha_n \left\langle - \left[ \mu_1 A - I + \mu_2 (B - \gamma f) \right] x^*, x_{n+1} - x^* \right\rangle,$$

where  $\lambda' > 0$  is a constant such that  $\lambda_n \geq \lambda'$  for all  $n \geq 1$ . Since  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \alpha_n = \infty$  and  $\limsup_{n \to \infty} \langle -[\mu_1 A - I + \mu_2 (B - \gamma f)] x^*, x_{n+1} - x^* \rangle \leq 0$ , by Lemma 2.3, we conclude that the scheme  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $x^*$ . This completes the proof.

Remark 3.6. (1) For each  $n \ge 1$ , a simple example on control parameters is  $\alpha_n = 1/n$  and  $\lambda_n = \lambda$ , where  $\lambda$  is a constant in  $(0, \min\{1, ||A||^{-1}/\mu_1\})$ .

(2) We obtain the desired results without any assumptions on the family  $\{T_i\}_{i=1}^{\infty}$ . Foe example, in Theorem CGY2, the authors gave the strong condition (1.10).

*Remark 3.7.* (1) If  $T_1 = T_2 = \cdots = T_n = \cdots = T$  in (3.9), then we have the following iterative scheme:

$$x_{n+1} = \alpha_n [(I - \lambda_n \mu_1 A) x_n + \lambda_n (x_n - \mu_2 (B x_n - \gamma f(x_n)))] + (1 - \alpha_n) T x_n, \quad \forall n \ge 1,$$
 (3.33)

and the scheme  $\{x_n\}$  defined by (3.33) converges strongly to an element  $x^* \in C$  which is the unique solution of the variational inequality  $(\text{VI}(\mu_1 A - I + \mu_2 (B - \gamma f), C))$ :

$$\langle \left[ \mu_1 A - I + \mu_2 (B - \gamma f) \right] x^*, x - x^* \rangle \ge 0, \quad \forall x \in C. \tag{3.34}$$

(2) If A = I and  $\mu_1 = 1$  in (3.33), then we have the following iterative scheme:

$$x_{n+1} = \alpha_n (I - \lambda_n \mu_2 (B - \gamma f)) x_n + \sum_{i=1}^n (\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_i) T_i x_n, \quad \forall n \ge 1,$$
 (3.35)

and the scheme  $\{x_n\}$  defined by (3.35) converges strongly to an element  $x^* \in C$  which is the unique solution of the variational inequality  $(VI(B - \gamma f, C))$ :

$$\langle (\mu_2(B - \gamma f)) x^*, x - x^* \rangle \ge 0, \quad \forall x \in C.$$
 (3.36)

(3) Furthermore, if  $\mu_2 = 1$  and  $\gamma = 0$  in (3.35), then we have the following iterative scheme:

$$x_{n+1} = \alpha_n (I - \lambda_n B) x_n + \sum_{i=1}^n (\alpha_{i-1} - \alpha_i) T_i x_n, \quad \forall n \ge 1,$$
 (3.37)

and the scheme  $\{x_n\}$  defined by (3.37) converges strongly to an element  $x^* \in C$  which is the unique solution of the variational inequality (VI(B,C)), which is Stampacchia's variational inequality:

$$\langle Bx^*, x - x^* \rangle \ge 0, \quad \forall x \in C.$$
 (3.38)

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