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# Strong convergence theorems for a countable family of totally quasi- $\phi$ -asymptotically nonexpansive nonself mappings in Banach spaces with applications

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## **Abstract**

In this paper, we introduce a class of totally quasi- $\phi$ -asymptotically nonexpansive nonself mappings and study the strong convergence under a limit condition only in the framework of Banach spaces. Meanwhile, our results are applied to study the approximation problem of a solution to a system of equilibrium problems. The results presented in the paper improve and extend the corresponding results of Chang *et al.* (Appl. Math. Comput. 218:7864-7870, 2012).

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# 1 Introduction

Assume that X is a real Banach space with the dual  $X^{\circ}$ , D is a nonempty closed convex subset of X. We also denote by J the normalized duality mapping from X to  $2^{X^{\circ}}$  which is defined by

$$J(x) = \{f^* \in X^* : \langle x, f^* \rangle = ||x||^2 = ||f^*||^2\}, \quad x \in X,$$

where  $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$  denotes the generalized duality pairing.

Let D be a nonempty closed subset of a real Banach space X. A mapping  $T: D \to D$  is said to be nonexpansive if  $||Tx - Ty|| \le ||x - y||$  for all  $x, y \in D$ . An element  $p \in D$  is called a fixed point of  $T: D \to D$  if p = T(p). The set of fixed points of T is represented by F(T).

A Banach space X is said to be strictly convex if  $\|\frac{x+y}{2}\| \le 1$  for all  $x, y \in X$  with  $\|x\| = \|y\| = 1$  and  $x \ne y$ . A Banach space is said to be uniformly convex if  $\lim_{n\to\infty} \|x_n - y_n\| = 0$  for any two sequences  $\{x_n\}, \{y_n\} \subset X$  with  $\|x_n\| = \|y_n\| = 1$  and  $\lim_{n\to\infty} \|\frac{x_n+y_n}{2}\| = 0$ .

The norm of a Banach space X is said to be Gâteaux differentiable if for each  $x, y \in S(x)$ , the limit

$$\lim_{t \to 0} \frac{\|x + ty\| - \|x\|}{t} \tag{1.1}$$



exists, where  $S(x) = \{x : ||x|| = 1, x \in X\}$ . In this case, X is said to be smooth. The norm of a Banach space X is said to be Fréchet differentiable if for each  $x \in S(x)$ , the limit (1.1) is attained uniformly for  $y \in S(x)$  and the norm is uniformly Fréchet differentiable if the limit (1.1) is attained uniformly for  $x, y \in S(x)$ . In this case, X is said to be uniformly smooth.

A subset D of X is said to be a retract of X if there exists a continuous mapping  $P: X \to D$  such that Px = x for all  $x \in X$ . It is well known that every nonempty closed convex subset of a uniformly convex Banach space X is a retract of X. A mapping  $P: X \to D$  is said to be a retraction if  $P^2 = P$ . It follows that if a mapping P is a retraction, then Py = y for all y in the range of P. A mapping  $P: X \to D$  is said to be a nonexpansive retraction if it is nonexpansive and it is a retraction from X to D.

Next, we assume that X is a smooth, strictly convex and reflexive Banach space and D is a nonempty closed convex subset of X. In the sequel, we always use  $\phi: X \times X \to R^+$  to denote the Lyapunov functional defined by

$$\phi(x, y) = ||x||^2 - 2\langle x, Jy \rangle + ||y||^2, \quad x, y \in X.$$
(1.2)

It is obvious from the definition of the function  $\phi$  that

$$(\|x\| - \|y\|)^2 \le \phi(x, y) \le (\|x\| + \|y\|)^2, \tag{1.3}$$

$$\phi(y,x) = \phi(y,z) + \phi(z,x) + 2\langle z - y, Jx - Jz \rangle, \quad x, y, z \in X,$$
(1.4)

and

$$\phi(x, J^{-1}(\lambda Jy + (1 - \lambda)Jz)) \le \lambda \phi(x, y) + (1 - \lambda)\phi(x, z) \tag{1.5}$$

for all  $\lambda \in [0,1]$  and  $x, y, z \in X$ .

Following Alber [1], the generalized projection  $\Pi_D: X \to D$  is defined by

$$\Pi_D(x) = \arg\inf_{y \in D} \phi(y, x), \quad \forall x \in X.$$
(1.6)

Many problems in nonlinear analysis can be reformulated as a problem of finding a fixed point of a nonexpansive mapping.

In the sequel, we denote the strong convergence and weak convergence of the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  by  $x_n \to x$  and  $x_n \to x$ , respectively.

**Lemma 1.1** (see [1]) Let X be a smooth, strictly convex and reflexive Banach space and D be a nonempty closed convex subset of X. Then the following conclusions hold:

- (a)  $\phi(x, y) = 0$  if and only if x = y;
- (b)  $\phi(x, \Pi_D y) + \phi(\Pi_D y, y) \le \phi(x, y), \forall x, y \in D$ ;
- (c) if  $x \in X$  and  $z \in D$ , then  $z = \prod_D x$  if and only if  $\langle z y, Jx Jz \rangle \ge 0$ ,  $\forall y \in D$ .

**Remark 1.1** (see [2]) Let  $\Pi_D$  be the generalized projection from a smooth, reflexive and strictly convex Banach space X onto a nonempty closed convex subset D of X. Then  $\Pi_D$  is a closed and quasi- $\phi$ -nonexpansive from X onto D.

**Remark 1.2** (see [2]) If H is a real Hilbert space, then  $\phi(x,y) = ||x-y||^2$ , and  $\Pi_D$  is the metric projection of H onto D.

**Definition 1.1** Let  $P: X \to D$  be a nonexpansive retraction.

(1) A nonself mapping  $T: D \to X$  is said to be quasi- $\phi$ -nonexpansive if  $F(T) \neq \Phi$ , and

$$\phi(p, T(PT)^{n-1}x) \le \phi(p, x), \quad \forall x \in D, p \in F(T), \forall n \ge 1; \tag{1.7}$$

(2) A nonself mapping  $T: D \to X$  is said to be quasi- $\phi$ -asymptotically nonexpansive if  $F(T) \neq \Phi$ , and there exists a real sequence  $k_n \subset [1, +\infty)$ ,  $k_n \to 1$  (as  $n \to \infty$ ), such that

$$\phi(p, T(PT)^{n-1}x) \le k_n \phi(p, x), \quad \forall x \in D, p \in F(T), \forall n \ge 1; \tag{1.8}$$

(3) A nonself mapping  $T: D \to X$  is said to be totally quasi- $\phi$ -asymptotically nonexpansive if  $F(T) \neq \Phi$ , and there exist nonnegative real sequences  $\{\nu_n\}$ ,  $\{\mu_n\}$  with  $\nu_n$ ,  $\mu_n \to 0$  (as  $n \to \infty$ ) and a strictly increasing continuous function  $\zeta: R^+ \to R^+$  with  $\zeta(0) = 0$  such that

$$\phi(p, T(PT)^{n-1}x) \le \phi(p, x) + \nu_n \xi[\phi(p, x)] + \mu_n, \quad \forall x \in D, \forall n \ge 1, p \in F(T).$$

$$(1.9)$$

**Remark 1.3** From the definitions, it is obvious that a quasi- $\phi$ -nonexpansive nonself mapping is a quasi- $\phi$ -asymptotically nonexpansive nonself mapping, and a quasi- $\phi$ -asymptotically nonexpansive nonself mapping is a totally quasi- $\phi$ -asymptotically nonexpansive nonself mapping, but the converse is not true.

Next, we present an example of a quasi- $\phi$ -nonexpansive nonself mapping.

**Example 1.1** (see [2]) Let H be a real Hilbert space, D be a nonempty closed and convex subset of H and  $f: D \times D \to R$  be a bifunction satisfying the conditions: (A1) f(x,x) = 0,  $\forall x \in D$ ; (A2)  $f(x,y) + f(y,x) \leq 0$ ,  $\forall x,y \in D$ ; (A3) for each  $x,y,z \in D$ ,  $\lim_{t\to 0} f(tz+(1-t)x,y) \leq f(x,y)$ ; (A4) for each given  $x \in D$ , the function  $y \longmapsto f(x,y)$  is convex and lower semicontinuous. The so-called equilibrium problem for f is to find an  $x^* \in D$  such that  $f(x^*,y) \geq 0$ ,  $\forall y \in D$ . The set of its solutions is denoted by EP(f).

Let r > 0,  $x \in H$  and define a mapping  $T_r : D \to D \subset H$  as follows:

$$T_r(x) = \left\{ z \in D, f(z, y) + \frac{1}{r} \langle y - z, z - x \rangle \ge 0, \forall y \in D \right\}, \quad \forall x \in D \subset H,$$
 (1.10)

then (1)  $T_r$  is single-valued, and so  $z = T_r(x)$ ; (2)  $T_r$  is a relatively nonexpansive nonself mapping, therefore it is a closed quasi- $\phi$ -nonexpansive nonself mapping; (3)  $F(T_r) = EP(f)$  and  $F(T_r)$  is a nonempty and closed convex subset of D; (4)  $T_r: D \to D$  is nonexpansive. Since  $F(T_r)$  is nonempty, and so it is a quasi- $\phi$ -nonexpansive nonself mapping from D to H, where  $\phi(x,y) = \|x-y\|^2$ ,  $x,y \in H$ .

Now, we give an example of a totally quasi- $\phi$ -asymptotically nonexpansive nonself mapping.

**Example 1.2** (see [2]) Let D be a unit ball in a real Hilbert space  $l^2$ , and let  $T: D \to l^2$  be a nonself mapping defined by

$$T:(x_1,x_2,\ldots)\to (0,x_1^2,a_2x_2,a_3x_3,\ldots)\in l^2, \quad \forall (x_1,x_2,\ldots)\in D,$$

where  $\{a_i\}$  is a sequence in (0,1) such that  $\prod_{i=2}^{\infty} a_i = \frac{1}{2}$ .

It is proved in Goebal and Kirk [3] that

- (i)  $||Tx Ty|| \le 2||x y||, \forall x, y \in D$ ;
- (ii)  $||T^n x T^n y|| \le 2 \prod_{j=2}^n a_j, \forall x, y \in D, n \ge 2.$

Let  $\sqrt{k_1} = 2$ ,  $\sqrt{k_n} = 2 \prod_{j=2}^n a_j$ ,  $n \ge 2$ , then  $\lim_{n \to \infty} k_n = 1$ . Letting  $\nu_n = k_n - 1$  ( $n \ge 2$ ),  $\zeta(t) = t$  ( $t \ge 0$ ) and  $\{\mu_n\}$  be a nonnegative real sequence with  $\mu_n \to 0$ , then from (i) and (ii) we have

$$||T^n x - T^n y||^2 \le ||x - y||^2 + \nu_n \zeta(||x - y||^2) + \mu_n, \quad \forall x, y \in D.$$

Since *D* is a unit ball in a real Hilbert space  $l^2$ , it follows from Remark 1.2 that  $\phi(x, y) = ||x - y||^2$ ,  $\forall x, y \in D$ . The above inequality can be written as

$$\phi(T^n x, T^n y) \le \phi(x, y) + \nu_n \zeta(\phi(x, y)) + \mu_n, \quad \forall x, y \in D.$$

Again, since  $0 \in D$  and  $0 \in F(T)$ , this implies that  $F(T) \neq \Phi$ . From above inequality, we get that

$$\phi(p, T(PT)^{n-1}x) < \phi(p, x) + \nu_n \zeta(\phi(p, x)) + \mu_n, \quad \forall p \in F(T), x \in D,$$

where P is the nonexpansive retraction. This shows that the mapping T defined as above is a totally quasi- $\phi$ -asymptotically nonexpansive nonself mapping.

**Lemma 1.2** (see [4]) Let X be a uniformly convex and smooth Banach space, and let  $\{x_n\}$  and  $\{y_n\}$  be two sequences of X such that  $\{x_n\}$  and  $\{y_n\}$  are bounded; if  $\phi(x_n, y_n) \to 0$ , then  $\|x_n - y_n\| \to 0$ .

**Lemma 1.3** Let X be a smooth, strictly convex and reflexive Banach space and D be a nonempty closed convex subset of X. Let  $T:D\to X$  be a totally quasi- $\phi$ -asymptotically nonexpansive nonself mapping with  $\mu_1=0$ , then F(T) is a closed and convex subset of D.

*Proof* Let  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence in F(T) such that  $x_n \to p$ . Since T is a totally quasi- $\phi$ -asymptotically nonexpansive nonself mapping, we have

$$\phi(x_n, Tp) \le \phi(x_n, p) + \nu_1 \zeta(\phi(x_n, Tp))$$

for all  $n \in N$ . Therefore,

$$\phi(p,Tp) = \lim_{n \to \infty} \phi(x_n,Tp) \le \lim_{n \to \infty} \phi(x_n,p) + \nu_1 \zeta(\phi(x_n,p)) = \phi(p,p) = 0.$$

By Lemma 1.2, we obtain Tp = p. So, we have  $p \in F(T)$ . This implies F(T) is closed.

Let  $p, q \in F(T)$  and  $t \in (0,1)$ , and put w = tp + (1-t)q. We prove that  $w \in F(T)$ . Indeed, in view of the definition of  $\phi$ , let  $\{u_n\}$  be a sequence generated by  $u_1 = Tw$ ,  $u_2 = T(PT)w$ ,  $u_3 = T(PT)^2w$ ,...,  $u_n = T(PT)^{n-1}w = TPu_{n-1}$ , we have

$$\phi(w, u_n) = ||w||^2 - 2\langle w, Ju_n \rangle + ||u_n||^2$$

$$= ||w||^2 - 2\langle tp + (1 - t)q, Ju_n \rangle + ||u_n||^2$$

$$= ||w||^2 + t\phi(p, u_n) + (1 - t)\phi(q, u_n) - t||p||^2 - (1 - t)||q||^2.$$
(1.11)

Since

$$t\phi(p, u_n) + (1 - t)\phi(q, u_n)$$

$$\leq t \Big[\phi(p, w) + \nu_n \zeta \Big[\phi(p, w)\Big] + \mu_n\Big] + (1 - t) \Big[\phi(q, w) + \nu_n \zeta \Big[\phi(q, w)\Big] + \mu_n\Big]$$

$$= t \Big\{ \|p\|^2 - 2\langle p, Jw \rangle + \|w\|^2 + \nu_n \zeta \Big[\phi(p, w)\Big] + \mu_n \Big\}$$

$$+ (1 - t) \Big\{ \|q\|^2 - 2\langle q, Jw \rangle + \|w\|^2 + \nu_n \zeta \Big[\phi(q, w)\Big] + \mu_n \Big\}$$

$$= t \|p\|^2 + (1 - t) \|q\|^2 - \|w\|^2 + t\nu_n \zeta \Big[\phi(p, w)\Big] + (1 - t)\nu_n \zeta \Big[\phi(q, w)\Big] + \mu_n. \tag{1.12}$$

Substituting (1.10) into (1.11) and simplifying it, we have

$$\phi(w, u_n) \le t v_n \zeta \left[ \phi(p, w) \right] + (1 - t) v_n \zeta \left[ \phi(q, w) \right] + \mu_n \to 0 \quad \text{(as } n \to \infty).$$

Hence, we have  $u_n \to w$ . This implies that  $u_{n+1} \to w$ . Since TP is closed and  $u_{n+1} = T(PT)^n w = TPu_n$ , we have TPw = w. Since  $w \in C$ , and so Tw = w, *i.e.*,  $w \in F(T)$ . This implies F(T) is convex. This completes the proof of Lemma 1.3.

**Definition 1.2** (1) (see [5]) A countable family of nonself mappings  $\{T_i\}: D \to X$  is said to be uniformly quasi- $\phi$ -asymptotically nonexpansive if  $\bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(T_i) \neq \Phi$ , and there exist nonnegative real sequences  $k_n \subset [1, +\infty)$ ,  $k_n \to 1$ , such that for each  $i \ge 1$ ,

$$\phi(p, T_i(PT_i)^{n-1}x) \le k_n \phi(p, x), \quad \forall x \in D, \forall n \ge 1, p \in F(T).$$

$$\tag{1.13}$$

(2) A countable family of nonself mappings  $\{T_i\}: D \to X$  is said to be uniformly totally quasi- $\phi$ -asymptotically nonexpansive if  $\bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(T_i) \neq \Phi$ , and there exist nonnegative real sequences  $\{\nu_n\}$ ,  $\{\mu_n\}$  with  $\nu_n, \mu_n \to 0$  (as  $n \to \infty$ ) and a strictly increasing continuous function  $\zeta: R^+ \to R^+$  with  $\zeta(0) = 0$  such that for each  $i \ge 1$ ,

$$\phi(p, T_i(PT_i)^{n-1}x) \le \phi(p, x) + \nu_n \zeta \left[\phi(p, x)\right] + \mu_n, \quad \forall x \in D, \forall n \ge 1, p \in F(T).$$

$$(1.14)$$

(3) (see [5]) A nonself mapping  $T:D\to X$  is said to be uniformly L-Lipschitz continuous if there exists a constant L>0 such that

$$||T(PT)^{n-1}x - T(PT)^{n-1}y|| \le L||x - y||, \quad \forall x, y \in D, \forall n \ge 1.$$
(1.15)

Considering the strong and weak convergence of asymptotically nonexpansive self or nonself mappings, relatively nonexpansive, quasi- $\phi$ -nonexpansive and quasi- $\phi$ -asymptotically nonexpansive self or nonself mappings have been considered extensively by several authors in the setting of Hilbert or Banach spaces (see [4–19]).

The purpose of this paper is to modify the Halpern and Mann-type iteration algorithm for a family of totally quasi- $\phi$ -asymptotically nonexpansive nonself mappings to have the strong convergence under a limit condition only in the framework of Banach spaces. As an application, we utilize our results to study the approximation problem of solution to a system of equilibrium problems. The results presented in the paper improve and extend the corresponding results of Chang *et al.* [5, 6, 20, 21], Su *et al.* [16], Kiziltunc *et al.* [10], Yildirim *et al.* [11], Yang *et al.* [22], Wang [18, 19], Pathak *et al.* [14], Thianwan [17], Qin *et al.* [15], Hao *et al.* [9], Guo *et al.* [7], Nilsrakoo *et al.* [13] and others.

### 2 Main results

**Theorem 2.1** Let X be a real uniformly smooth and uniformly convex Banach space, D be a nonempty closed convex subset of X. Let  $\{T_i\}: D \to X$  be a family of uniformly totally quasi- $\phi$ -asymptotically nonexpansive nonself mappings with sequences  $\{v_n\}$ ,  $\{\mu_n\}$ , with  $v_n, \mu_n \to 0$  (as  $n \to \infty$ ), and a strictly increasing continuous function  $\zeta: R^+ \to R^+$  with  $\zeta(0) = 0$  such that for each  $i \ge 1$ ,  $\{T_i\}: D \to X$  is uniformly  $L_i$ -Lipschitz continuous. Let  $\{\alpha_n\}$  be a sequence in  $\{0,1\}$  and  $\{\beta_n\}$  be a sequence in  $\{0,1\}$  satisfying the following conditions:

- (i)  $\lim_{n\to\infty} \alpha_n = 0$ ;
- (ii)  $0 < \lim_{n \to \infty} \inf \beta_n \le \lim_{n \to \infty} \sup \beta_n < 1$ .

Let  $x_n$  be a sequence generated by

$$\begin{cases} x_{1} \in X \text{ is arbitrary;} & D_{1} = D, \\ y_{n,i} = J^{-1}[\alpha_{n}Jx_{1} + (1 - \alpha_{n})(\beta_{n}Jx_{n} + (1 - \beta_{n})JT_{i}(PT_{i})^{n-1}x_{n})] & (i \geq 1), \\ D_{n+1} = \{z \in D_{n} : \sup_{i \geq 1} \phi(z, y_{n,i}) \leq \alpha_{n}\phi(z, x_{1}) + (1 - \alpha_{n})\phi(z, x_{n}) + \xi_{n}\}, \\ x_{n+1} = \Pi_{D_{n+1}}x_{1} & (n = 1, 2, \ldots), \end{cases}$$

$$(2.1)$$

where  $\xi_n = \nu_n \sup_{p \in \mathcal{F}} \zeta(\phi(p, x_n)) + \mu_n$ ,  $\mathcal{F} = \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(T_i)$ ,  $\Pi_{D_{n+1}}$  is the generalized projection of X onto  $D_{n+1}$ . If  $\mathcal{F}$  is nonempty, then  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $\Pi_{\mathcal{F}} x_1$ .

*Proof* (I) First, we prove that  $\mathcal{F}$  and  $D_n$  are closed and convex subsets in D.

In fact, by Lemma 1.3 for each  $i \ge 1$ ,  $F(T_i)$  is closed and convex in D. Therefore,  $\mathcal{F}$  is a closed and convex subset in D. By the assumption that  $D_1 = D$  is closed and convex, suppose that  $D_n$  is closed and convex for some  $n \ge 1$ . In view of the definition of  $\phi$ , we have

$$\begin{split} D_{n+1} &= \left\{ z \in D_n : \sup_{i \ge 1} \phi(z, y_{n,i}) \le \alpha_n \phi(z, x_1) + (1 - \alpha_n) \phi(z, x_n) + \xi_n \right\} \\ &= \bigcap_{i \ge 1} \left\{ z \in D : \sup_{i \ge 1} \phi(z, y_{n,i}) \le \alpha_n \phi(z, x_1) + (1 - \alpha_n) \phi(z, x_n) + \xi_n \right\} \cap D_n \\ &= \bigcap_{i \ge 1} \left\{ z \in D : 2\alpha_n \langle z, Jx_1 \rangle + 2(1 - \alpha_n) \langle z, Jx_n \rangle - 2\langle z, Jy_{n,i} \rangle \\ &\le \alpha_n \|x_1\|^2 + (1 - \alpha_n) \|x_n\|^2 - \|y_{n,i}\|^2 \right\} \cap D_n. \end{split}$$

This shows that  $D_{n+1}$  is closed and convex. The conclusions are proved.

(II) Next, we prove that  $\mathcal{F} \subset D_n$  for all  $n \geq 1$ .

In fact, it is obvious that  $\mathcal{F} \subset D_1$ . Suppose that  $\mathcal{F} \subset D_n$ .

Let  $w_{n,i} = J^{-1}(\beta_n J x_n + (1 - \beta_n) J T_i (PT_i)^{n-1} x_n)$ . Hence for any  $u \in \mathcal{F} \subset D_n$ , by (1.5), we have

$$\phi(u, y_{n,i}) = \phi(u, J^{-1}(\alpha_n J x_1 + (1 - \alpha_n) J w_{n,i}))$$

$$\leq \alpha_n \phi(u, x_1) + (1 - \alpha_n) \phi(u, w_{n,i})$$
(2.2)

and

$$\phi(u, w_{n,i}) = \phi(u, J^{-1}(\beta_n J x_n + (1 - \beta_n) J T_i (PT_i)^{n-1} x_n))$$

$$\leq \beta_n \phi(u, x_n) + (1 - \beta_n) \phi(u, T_i (PT_i)^{n-1} x_n)$$

$$\leq \beta_{n}\phi(u,x_{n}) + (1-\beta_{n})\{\phi(u,x_{n}) + \nu_{n}\zeta[\phi(u,x_{n})] + \mu_{n}\}$$

$$= \phi(u,x_{n}) + (1-\beta_{n})\nu_{n}\zeta[\phi(u,x_{n})] + (1-\beta_{n})\mu_{n}. \tag{2.3}$$

Therefore, we have

$$\sup_{i\geq 1} \phi(u, y_{n,i}) \leq \alpha_n \phi(u, x_1) + (1 - \alpha_n) \left[ \phi(u, x_n) + (1 - \beta_n) \nu_n \zeta \left[ \phi(u, x_n) \right] + (1 - \beta_n) \mu_n \right] \\
\leq \alpha_n \phi(u, x_1) + (1 - \alpha_n) \phi(u, x_n) + \nu_n \sup_{p \in \mathcal{F}} \zeta \left[ \phi(p, x_n) \right] \\
= \alpha_n \phi(z, x_1) + (1 - \alpha_n) \phi(z, x_n) + \xi_n, \tag{2.4}$$

where  $\xi_n = \nu_n \sup_{p \in \mathcal{F}} \zeta(\phi(p, x_n)) + \mu_n$ . This shows that  $u \in \mathcal{F} \subset D_{n+1}$  and so  $\mathcal{F} \subset D_n$ . The conclusion is proved.

(III) Now, we prove that  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to some point  $p^*$ .

Since  $x_n = \prod_{D_n} x_1$ , from Lemma 1.1(c), we have

$$\langle x_n - y, Jx_1 - Jx_n \rangle \ge 0, \quad \forall y \in D_n.$$

Again since  $\mathcal{F} \subset D_n$ , we have

$$\langle x_n - u, Jx_1 - Jx_n \rangle \ge 0, \quad \forall u \in \mathcal{F}.$$

It follows from Lemma 1.1(b) that for each  $u \in \mathcal{F}$  and for each n > 1,

$$\phi(x_n, x_1) = \phi(\Pi_{D_n} x_1, x_1) \le \phi(u, x_1) - \phi(u, x_n) \le \phi(u, x_1). \tag{2.5}$$

Therefore,  $\{\phi(x_n, x_1)\}$  is bounded, and so is  $\{x_n\}$ . Since  $x_n = \Pi_{D_n} x_1$  and  $x_{n+1} = \Pi_{D_{n+1}} x_1 \in D_{n+1} \subset D_n$ , we have  $\phi(x_n, x_1) \leq \phi(x_{n+1}, x_1)$ . This implies that  $\{\phi(x_n, x_1)\}$  is nondecreasing. Hence,  $\lim_{n\to\infty} \phi(x_n, x_1)$  exists.

By the construction of  $\{D_n\}$ , for any  $m \ge n$ , we have  $D_m \subset D_n$  and  $x_m = \prod_{D_m} x_1 \in D_n$ . This shows that

$$\phi(x_m, x_n) = \phi(x_m, \Pi_{D_m} x_1) < \phi(x_m, x_1) - \phi(x_n, x_1) \to 0 \quad (as \ n \to \infty).$$

It follows from Lemma 1.2 that  $\lim_{n\to\infty} \|x_m - x_n\| = 0$ . Hence,  $\{x_n\}$  is a Cauchy sequence in D. Since D is complete, without loss of generality, we can assume that  $\lim_{n\to\infty} x_n = p^*$  (some point in D).

By the assumption, it is easy to see that

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \xi_n = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left[ \nu_n \sup_{p \in \mathcal{F}} \zeta \left( \phi(p, x_n) \right) + \mu_n \right] = 0.$$
 (2.6)

(IV) Now, we prove that  $p^* \in \mathcal{F}$ .

Since  $x_{n+1} \in D_{n+1}$ , from (2.1) and (2.6), we have

$$\sup_{i\geq 1} \phi(x_{n+1}, y_{n,i}) \leq \alpha_n \phi(x_{n+1}, x_1) + (1 - \alpha_n) \phi(x_{n+1}, x_n) + \xi_n \to 0.$$
 (2.7)

Since  $x_n \to p^*$ , it follows from (2.7) and Lemma 1.2 that

$$y_{n,i} \to p^*. \tag{2.8}$$

Since  $\{x_n\}$  is bounded and  $\{T_i\}$  is a family of uniformly total quasi- $\phi$ -asymptotically non-expansive nonself mappings, we have

$$\phi(p, T_i(PT_i)^{n-1}x_n) \le \phi(p, x_n) + \nu_n \zeta[\phi(p, x_n)] + \mu_n, \quad \forall x \in D, \forall n, i \ge 1, p \in F(T_i).$$

This implies that  $\{T_i(PT_i)^{n-1}x_n\}$  is uniformly bounded. Since

$$\|w_{n,i}\| = \|J^{-1}(\beta_n J x_n + (1 - \beta_n) J T_i (PT_i)^{n-1} x_n)\|$$

$$\leq \beta_n \|x_n\| + (1 - \beta_n) \|T_i (PT_i)^{n-1} x_n\|$$

$$\leq \|x_n\| + \|T_i (PT_i)^{n-1} x_n\|,$$

this implies that  $\{w_{n,i}\}$  is also uniformly bounded.

In view of  $\alpha_n \to 0$ , from (2.1), we have that

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} ||Jy_{n,i} - Jw_{n,i}|| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \alpha_n ||Jx_1 - Jw_{n,i}|| = 0$$
(2.9)

for each i > 1.

Since  $J^{-1}$  is uniformly continuous on each bounded subset of  $X^*$ , it follows from (2.8) and (2.9) that

$$w_{n,i} \rightarrow p^*$$
 (2.10)

for each  $i \ge 1$ . Since *J* is uniformly continuous on each bounded subset of *X*, we have

$$0 = \lim_{n \to \infty} \|Jw_{n,i} - JP^*\|$$

$$= \lim_{n \to \infty} \|(\beta_n Jx_n + (1 - \beta_n) JT_i (PT_i)^{n-1} x_n) - Jp^*\|$$

$$= \lim_{n \to \infty} \|\beta_n (Jx_n - Jp^*) + (1 - \beta_n) (JT_i (PT_i)^{n-1} x_n - Jp^*)\|$$

$$= \lim_{n \to \infty} (1 - \beta_n) \|JT_i (PT_i)^{n-1} x_n - Jp^*\|.$$
(2.11)

By condition (ii), we have that

$$\lim_{n\to\infty} \left\| JT_i (PT_i)^{n-1} x_n - JP^* \right\| = 0.$$

Since *J* is uniformly continuous, this shows that

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} T_i (PT_i)^{n-1} x_n = P^*$$
 (2.12)

for each  $i \ge 1$ . Again, by the assumption that  $\{T_i\}: D \to X$  is uniformly  $L_i$ -Lipschitz continuous for each  $i \ge 1$ , thus we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \| T_{i}(PT_{i})^{n}x_{n} - T_{i}(PT_{i})^{n-1}x_{n} \| \\ & \leq \| T_{i}(PT_{i})^{n}x_{n} - T_{i}(PT_{i})^{n}x_{n+1} \| + \| T_{i}(PT_{i})^{n}x_{n+1} - x_{n+1} \| \\ & + \| x_{n+1} - x_{n} \| + \| x_{n} - T_{i}(PT_{i})^{n-1}x_{n} \| \\ & \leq (L_{i} + 1) \| x_{n+1} - x_{n} \| + \| T_{i}(PT_{i})^{n}x_{n+1} - x_{n+1} \| + \| x_{n} - T_{i}(PT_{i})^{n-1}x_{n} \| \end{aligned}$$

$$(2.13)$$

for each i > 1.

We get  $\lim_{n\to\infty} ||T_i(PT_i)^n x_n - T_i(PT_i)^{n-1} x_n|| = 0$ . Since  $\lim_{n\to\infty} T_i(PT_i)^{n-1} x_n = P^*$  and  $\lim_{n\to\infty} x_n = p^*$ , we have  $\lim_{n\to\infty} T_i PT_i(PT_i)^{n-1} x_n = p^*$ .

In view of the continuity of  $T_iP$ , it yields that  $T_iPp^*=p^*$ . Since  $p^*\in C$ , it implies that  $T_ip^*=p^*$ . By the arbitrariness of  $i\geq 1$ , we have  $p^*\in \mathcal{F}$ .

(V) Finally, we prove that  $p^* = \Pi_{\mathcal{F}} x_1$  and so  $x_n \to \Pi_{\mathcal{F}} x_1 = p^*$ .

Let  $w = \Pi_{\mathcal{F}} x_1$ . Since  $w \in \mathcal{F} \subset D_n$  and  $x_n = \Pi_{D_n} x_1$ , we have  $\phi(x_n, x_1) \leq \phi(w, x_1)$ . This implies that

$$\phi(p^*, x_1) = \lim_{n \to \infty} \phi(x_n, x_1) \le \phi(w, x_1), \tag{2.14}$$

which yields that  $p^* = w = \Pi_{\mathcal{F}} x_1$ . Therefore,  $x_n \to \Pi_{\mathcal{F}} x_1$ . The proof of Theorem 3.1 is completed.

By Remark 1.3, the following corollary is obtained.

**Corollary 2.1** Let X, D,  $\{\alpha_n\}$ ,  $\{\beta_n\}$  be the same as in Theorem 2.1. Let  $\{T_i\}: D \to X$  be a family of uniformly quasi- $\phi$ -asymptotically nonexpansive nonself mappings with the sequence  $k_n \subset [1, +\infty)$ ,  $k_n \to 1$ , such that for each  $i \ge 1$ ,  $\{T_i\}: D \to X$  is uniformly  $L_i$ -Lipschitz continuous.

Let  $x_n$  be a sequence generated by

$$\begin{cases} x_{1} \in X \text{ is arbitrary;} & D_{1} = D, \\ y_{n,i} = J^{-1}[\alpha_{n}Jx_{1} + (1 - \alpha_{n})(\beta_{n}Jx_{n} + (1 - \beta_{n})JT_{i}(PT_{i})^{n-1}x_{n})] & (i \geq 1), \\ D_{n+1} = \{z \in D_{n} : \sup_{i \geq 1} \phi(z, y_{n,i}) \leq \alpha_{n}\phi(z, x_{1}) + (1 - \alpha_{n})\phi(z, x_{n}) + \xi_{n}\}, \\ x_{n+1} = \Pi_{D_{n+1}}x_{1} & (n = 1, 2, ...), \end{cases}$$

$$(2.15)$$

where  $\xi_n = (k_n - 1) \sup_{p \in \mathcal{F}} \phi(p, x_n)$ ,  $\mathcal{F} = \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(T_i)$ ,  $\Pi_{D_{n+1}}$  is the generalized projection of X onto  $D_{n+1}$ . If  $\mathcal{F}$  is nonempty, then  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $\Pi_{\mathcal{F}} x_1$ .

### 3 Application

In this section we utilize Corollary 2.1 to study a modified Halpern iterative algorithm for a system of equilibrium problems. We have the following result.

**Theorem 3.1** *Let* H *be a real Hilbert space,* D *be a nonempty closed and convex subset of* H.  $\{\alpha_n\}$ ,  $(\beta_n)$  *be the same as in Theorem 2.1. Let*  $\{f_i\}$  :  $D \times D \rightarrow R$  *be a countable family of* 

bifunctions satisfying conditions (A1)-(A4) as given in Example 1.1. Let  $\{T_{r,i}: D \to D \subset H\}$  be the family of mappings defined by (1.9), i.e.,

$$T_{r,i}(x) = \left\{ z \in D, f_i(z, y) + \frac{1}{r} \langle y - z, z - x \rangle \ge 0, \forall y \in D \right\}, \quad \forall x \in D \subset H.$$

Let  $\{x_n\}$  be the sequence generated by

$$\begin{cases} x_{1} \in D \text{ is arbitrary;} & D_{1} = D, \\ f_{i}(u_{n,i}, y) + \frac{1}{r} \langle y - u_{n,i}, u_{n,i} - x_{n} \rangle \geq 0, & \forall y \in D, r > 0, i \geq 1, \\ y_{n,i} = \alpha_{n} x_{1} + (1 - \alpha_{n}) [\beta_{n} x_{n} + (1 - \beta_{n}) u_{n,i}], \\ D_{n+1} = \{z \in D_{n} : \sup_{i \geq 1} \|z - y_{n,i}\|^{2} \leq \alpha_{n} \|z - x_{1}\|^{2} + (1 - \alpha_{n}) \|z - x_{n}\|^{2} \}, \\ x_{n+1} = \Pi_{D_{n+1}} x_{1} \quad (n = 1, 2, \ldots). \end{cases}$$

$$(3.1)$$

If  $\mathcal{F} = \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(T_{r,i}) \neq \Phi$ , then  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $\Pi_{\mathcal{F}} x_1$ , which is a common solution of the system of equilibrium problems for f.

*Proof* In Example 1.1, we have pointed out that  $u_{n,i} = T_{r,i}(x_n)$ ,  $F(T_{r,i}) = EP(f_i)$  is nonempty and convex for all  $i \ge 1$ ,  $T_{r,i}$  is a countable family of quasi- $\phi$ -nonexpansive nonself mappings. Since  $F(T_{r,i})$  is nonempty, so  $T_{r,i}$  is a countable family of quasi- $\phi$ -nonexpansive mappings and for all  $i \ge 1$ ,  $T_{r,i}$  is a uniformly 1-Lipschitzian mapping. Hence, (3.1) can be rewritten as follows:

$$\begin{cases} x_{1} \in H \text{ is arbitrary;} & D_{1} = D, \\ y_{n,i} = \alpha_{n}x_{1} + (1 - \alpha_{n})[\beta_{n}x_{n} + (1 - \beta_{n})T_{r,i}x_{n}], \\ D_{n+1} = \{z \in D_{n} : \sup_{i \geq 1} \|z - y_{n,i}\|^{2} \leq \alpha_{n}\|z - x_{1}\|^{2} + (1 - \alpha_{n})\|z - x_{n}\|^{2}\}, \\ x_{n+1} = \Pi_{D_{n+1}}x_{1} \quad (n = 1, 2, \ldots). \end{cases}$$
(3.2)

Therefore, the conclusion of Theorem 3.1 can be obtained from Corollary 2.1.  $\Box$ 

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