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Strong convergence theorems for solutions of fixed point and variational inequality problems

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Abstract

The purpose of this paper is to investigate viscosity approximation methods for finding a common element in the set of fixed points of a strict pseudocontraction and in the set of solutions of a generalized variational inequality in the framework of Banach spaces.

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1 Introduction

Let C be a nonempty, closed and convex subset of a real Hilbert space H , and let P_C be the metric projection of H onto C . Recall that a mapping $A : C \rightarrow H$ is said to be monotone iff

$$\langle Ax - Ay, x - y \rangle \geq 0 \quad \forall x, y \in C.$$

Recall that a mapping $A : C \rightarrow H$ is said to be inverse-strongly monotone iff there exists a positive real number $\alpha > 0$ such that

$$\langle Ax - Ay, x - y \rangle \geq \alpha \|Ax - Ay\|^2 \quad \forall x, y \in C.$$

For such a case, A is said to be α -inverse-strongly monotone.

Recall that the classical variational inequality problem, denoted by $VI(C, A)$, is to find $u \in C$ such that

$$\langle Au, v - u \rangle \geq 0 \quad \forall v \in C. \tag{1.1}$$

It is clear that variational inequality problem (1.1) is equivalent to a fixed point problem. u is a solution of the above inequality iff it is a fixed point of the mapping $P_C(I - rA)$, where I is the identity and r is some positive real number.

Variational inequality problems have emerged as an effective and powerful tool for studying a wide class of problems which arise in economics, finance, image reconstruction, ecology, transportation, and network. Recently, many authors studied the solutions of inequality (1.1) based on iterative methods; see [1–17] and the references therein.

Let $S : C \rightarrow C$ be a mapping. In this paper, we denote by $F(S)$ the set of fixed points of the mapping S .

Recall that S is said to be nonexpansive iff

$$\|Sx - Sy\| \leq \|x - y\| \quad \forall x, y \in C.$$

Recall that S is said to be a strict pseudocontraction iff there exists a positive constant λ such that

$$\|Sx - Sy\|^2 \leq \|x - y\|^2 + \lambda \|(I - S)x - (I - S)y\|^2 \quad \forall x, y \in C.$$

It is clear that the class of strict pseudocontractions includes the class of nonexpansive mappings as a special case.

Recently, many authors have investigated the problems of finding a common element in the set of solution of variational inequalities for an inverse-strongly monotone mapping and in the set of fixed points of nonexpansive mappings or strict pseudocontractions; see [18–25] and the references therein. However, most of the results are in the framework of Hilbert spaces. In this paper, we investigate a common element problem in the framework of Banach spaces. A strong convergence theorem for common solutions to fixed point problems of strict pseudocontractions and solution problems of variational inequality (1.1) is established in uniformly convex and 2-uniformly smooth Banach spaces. The results presented in this paper improve and extend the corresponding results announced by Iiduka and Takahashi [5] and Hao [26].

2 Preliminaries

Let C be a nonempty closed and convex subset of a Banach space E . Let E^* be the dual space of E , and let $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$ denote the pairing between E and E^* . For $q > 1$, the generalized duality mapping $J_q : E \rightarrow 2^{E^*}$ is defined by

$$J_q(x) = \{f \in E^* : \langle x, f \rangle = \|x\|^q, \|f\| = \|x\|^{q-1}\}$$

for all $x \in E$. In particular, $J = J_2$ is called the normalized duality mapping. It is known that $J_q(x) = \|x\|^{q-2}J(x)$ for all $x \in E$. If E is a Hilbert space, then $J = I$, the identity mapping. The normalized duality mapping J has the following properties:

- (1) if E is smooth, then J is single-valued;
- (2) if E is strictly convex, then it is one-to-one and $\langle x - y, x^* - y^* \rangle > 0$ holds for all $(x, x^*), (y, y^*) \in J$ with $x \neq y$;
- (3) if E is reflexive, then J is surjective;
- (4) if E is uniformly smooth, then J is uniformly norm-to-norm continuous on each bounded subset of E .

Let $U = \{x \in X : \|x\| = 1\}$. A Banach space E is said to be uniformly convex if, for any $\epsilon \in (0, 2]$, there exists $\delta > 0$ such that, for any $x, y \in U$,

$$\|x - y\| \geq \epsilon \quad \text{implies} \quad \left\| \frac{x + y}{2} \right\| \leq 1 - \delta.$$

It is known that a uniformly convex Banach space is reflexive and strictly convex. Hilbert spaces are 2-uniformly convex, while L^p is $\max\{p, 2\}$ -uniformly convex for every $p > 1$.

A Banach space E is said to be smooth if the limit

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\|x + ty\| - \|x\|}{t} \tag{2.1}$$

exists for all $x, y \in U$. It is also said to be uniformly smooth if the limit (2.1) is attained uniformly for $x, y \in U$. The norm of E is said to be Fréchet differentiable if, for any $x \in U$, the limit (2.1) is attained uniformly for all $y \in U$. The modulus of smoothness of E is defined by

$$\rho(\tau) = \sup \left\{ \frac{1}{2} (\|x + y\| + \|x - y\|) - 1 : x, y \in X, \|x\| = 1, \|y\| = \tau \right\},$$

where $\rho : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ is a function. It is known that E is uniformly smooth if and only if $\lim_{\tau \rightarrow 0} \frac{\rho(\tau)}{\tau} = 0$. Let q be a fixed real number with $1 < q \leq 2$. A Banach space E is said to be q -uniformly smooth if there exists a constant $c > 0$ such that $\rho(\tau) \leq c\tau^q$ for all $\tau > 0$.

We remark that all Hilbert spaces, L_p (or l_p) spaces ($p \geq 2$) and the Sobolev spaces W_m^p ($p \geq 2$) are 2-uniformly smooth, while L_p (or l_p) and W_m^p spaces ($1 < p \leq 2$) are p -uniformly smooth. Typical examples of both uniformly convex and uniformly smooth Banach spaces are L^p , where $p > 1$. More precisely, L^p is $\min\{p, 2\}$ -uniformly smooth for every $p > 1$.

Recall that a mapping S is said to be λ -strictly pseudocontractive iff there exist a constant $\lambda \in (0, 1)$ and $j(x - y) \in J(x - y)$ such that

$$\langle Sx - Sy, j(x - y) \rangle \leq \|x - y\|^2 - \lambda \|(I - S)x - (I - S)y\|^2 \quad \forall x, y \in C. \tag{2.2}$$

It is clear that (2.2) is equivalent to the following:

$$\langle (I - S)x - (I - S)y, j(x - y) \rangle \geq \lambda \|(I - S)x - (I - S)y\|^2 \quad \forall x, y \in C. \tag{2.3}$$

Next, we assume that E is a smooth Banach space. Let C be a nonempty closed convex subset of E . Recall that an operator A of C into E is said to be accretive iff

$$\langle Ax - Ay, J(x - y) \rangle \geq 0 \quad \forall x, y \in C.$$

An accretive operator A is said to be m -accretive if the range of $I + rA$ is E for all $r > 0$. In a real Hilbert space, an operator A is m -accretive if and only if A is maximal monotone.

Recall that an operator A of C into E is said to be α -inverse strongly accretive iff there exists a real constant $\alpha > 0$ such that

$$\langle Ax - Ay, J(x - y) \rangle \geq \alpha \|Ax - Ay\|^2 \quad \forall x, y \in C.$$

Evidently, the definition of an inverse-strongly accretive operator is based on that of an inverse-strongly monotone operator.

Let D be a subset of C and Q be a mapping of C into D . Then Q is said to be sunny if

$$Q(Qx + t(x - Qx)) = Qx,$$

whenever $Qx + t(x - Qx) \in C$ for $x \in C$ and $t \geq 0$. A mapping Q of C into itself is called a retraction if $Q^2 = Q$. If a mapping Q of C into itself is a retraction, then $Qz = z$ for all $z \in R(Q)$, where $R(Q)$ is the range of Q . A subset D of C is called a sunny nonexpansive retract of C if there exists a sunny nonexpansive retraction from C onto D .

The following result describes a characterization of sunny nonexpansive retractions on a smooth Banach space.

Proposition 2.1 [27] *Let E be a smooth Banach space, and let C be a nonempty subset of E . Let $Q: E \rightarrow C$ be a retraction, and let J be the normalized duality mapping on E . Then the following are equivalent:*

- (1) Q_C is sunny and nonexpansive;
- (2) $\|Q_Cx - Q_Cy\|^2 \leq \langle x - y, J(Q_Cx - Q_Cy) \rangle \quad \forall x, y \in E$;
- (3) $\langle x - Q_Cx, J(y - Q_Cx) \rangle \leq 0 \quad \forall x \in E, y \in C$.

Proposition 2.2 [28] *Let C be a nonempty closed convex subset of a uniformly convex and uniformly smooth Banach space E , and let T be a nonexpansive mapping of C into itself with $F(T) \neq \emptyset$. Then the set $F(T)$ is a sunny nonexpansive retract of C .*

Recently, Aoyama *et al.* [29] considered the following generalized variational inequality problem.

Let C be a nonempty closed convex subset of E , and let A be an accretive operator of C into E . Find a point $u \in C$ such that

$$\langle Au, J(v - u) \rangle \geq 0 \quad \forall v \in C. \tag{2.4}$$

Next, we use $BVI(C, A)$ to denote the set of solutions of variational inequality problem (2.4).

Aoyama *et al.* [29] proved that variational inequality (2.4) is equivalent to a fixed point problem. The element $u \in C$ is a solution of variational inequality (2.4) iff $u \in C$ is a fixed point of the mapping $Q_C(I - rA)$, where $r > 0$ is a constant and Q_C is a sunny nonexpansive retraction from E onto C .

The following lemmas also play an important role in this paper.

Lemma 2.3 [30] *Assume that $\{\alpha_n\}$ is a sequence of nonnegative real numbers such that*

$$\alpha_{n+1} \leq (1 - \gamma_n)\alpha_n + \delta_n + e_n,$$

where $\{\gamma_n\}$ is a sequence in $(0, 1)$, $\{e_n\}$ and $\{\delta_n\}$ are sequences such that

- (1) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \gamma_n = \infty$;
- (2) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} e_n < \infty$;
- (3) $\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \delta_n / \gamma_n \leq 0$ or $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\delta_n| < \infty$.

Then $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n = 0$.

Lemma 2.4 [31] *Let E be a real 2-uniformly smooth Banach space with the best smooth constant K . Then the following inequality holds:*

$$\|x + y\|^2 \leq \|x\|^2 + 2\langle y, Jx \rangle + 2\|Ky\|^2 \quad \forall x, y \in E.$$

Lemma 2.5 [29] *Let C be a nonempty closed convex subset of a smooth Banach space E . Let Q_C be a sunny nonexpansive retraction from E onto C , and let A be an accretive operator of C into E . Then, for all $\lambda > 0$,*

$$\text{BVI}(C, A) = F(Q_C(I - \lambda A)).$$

Lemma 2.6 [32] *Let C be a closed convex subset of a real strictly convex Banach space E and $S_i : C \rightarrow C$ ($i = 1, 2$) be two nonexpansive mappings such that $F = F(S_1) \cap F(S_2) \neq \emptyset$. Define $Sx = \delta S_1x + (1 - \delta)S_2x$, where $\delta \in (0, 1)$. Then $S : C \rightarrow C$ is a nonexpansive mapping with $F(S) = F \neq \emptyset$.*

Lemma 2.7 [33] *Let C be a nonempty subset of a real 2-uniformly smooth Banach space E , and let $T : C \rightarrow C$ be a κ -strict pseudocontraction. For $\alpha \in (0, 1)$, we define $T_\alpha x = (1 - \alpha)x + \alpha Tx$ for every $x \in C$. Then, as $\alpha \in (0, \frac{\kappa}{K^2}]$, T_α is nonexpansive such that $F(T_\alpha) = F(T)$.*

Lemma 2.8 [34] *Let E be a real uniformly smooth Banach space, and let C be a nonempty closed convex subset of E . Let $T : C \rightarrow C$ be a nonexpansive mapping with a fixed point, and let $f : C \rightarrow C$ be a contraction. For each $t \in (0, 1)$, let z_t be the unique solution of the equation $x = tf(x) + (1 - t)Tx$. Then $\{z_t\}$ converges to a fixed point of T as $t \rightarrow 0$ and $Q(f) = s\text{-}\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} z_t$ defines the unique sunny nonexpansive retraction from C onto $F(T)$.*

3 Main results

Theorem 3.1 *Let E be a uniformly convex and 2-uniformly smooth Banach space with the best smooth constant K , and let C be a nonempty, closed and convex subset of E . Let Q_C be a sunny nonexpansive retraction from E onto C , and let $A : C \rightarrow E$ be an α -inverse strongly accretive mapping. Let $S : C \rightarrow C$ be a λ -strict pseudocontraction with a fixed point. Assume that $F := F(S) \cap \text{BVI}(C, A) \neq \emptyset$. Let $\{\alpha_n\}$, $\{\beta_n\}$ and $\{\gamma_n\}$ be real number sequences in $(0, 1)$. Suppose that $x_1 = x \in C$ and that $\{x_n\}$ is given by*

$$x_{n+1} = \alpha_n f(x_n) + \beta_n [\mu S_t x_n + (1 - \mu)Q_C(x_n - \lambda Ax_n)] + \gamma_n Q_C e_n, \quad n \geq 1,$$

where $S_t = (1 - t)x + tSx$, $t \in (0, \frac{\lambda}{K^2}]$, $f : C \rightarrow C$ is a κ -contractive mapping, $\{e_n\}$ is a bounded computational error in E , $\lambda \in (0, \alpha/K^2]$ and $\mu \in (0, 1)$. Assume that the following restrictions are satisfied:

- (a) $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n = 0$, $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \alpha_n = \infty$ and $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\alpha_{n+1} - \alpha_n| < \infty$;
- (b) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \gamma_n < \infty$.

Then $\{x_n\}$ converges strongly to $x = Q_F f(x)$, where Q_F is a sunny nonexpansive retraction from C onto F .

Proof Fixing $x^* \in F$, we find that $x^* = Q_C(x^* - \lambda Ax^*)$ and $Sx^* = x^*$. It follows from Lemma 2.7 that $S_t x^* = x^*$. Put $y_n = Q_C(x_n - \lambda Ax_n)$. In view of Lemma 2.4, we find that

$$\begin{aligned} \|y_n - x^*\|^2 &\leq \|(x_n - x^*) - \lambda(Ax_n - Ax^*)\|^2 \\ &\leq \|x_n - x^*\|^2 - 2\lambda \langle Ax_n - Ax^*, J(x_n - x^*) \rangle \\ &\quad + 2K^2 \lambda^2 \|Ax_n - Ax^*\|^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\leq \|x_n - x^*\|^2 - 2\lambda\alpha \|Ax_n - Ax^*\|^2 + 2K^2\lambda^2 \|Ax_n - Ax^*\|^2 \\ &= \|x_n - x^*\|^2 + 2\lambda(\lambda K^2 - \alpha) \|Ax_n - Ax^*\|^2. \end{aligned}$$

Since $\lambda \in (0, \alpha/K^2]$, we have that

$$\|y_n - x^*\| \leq \|x_n - x^*\|.$$

This implies that $Q_C(I - \lambda A)$ is a nonexpansive mapping. Hence, we have

$$\begin{aligned} &\|x_{n+1} - x^*\| \\ &= \|\alpha_n f(x_n) + \beta_n [\mu Sx_n + (1 - \mu)Q_C(x_n - \lambda Ax_n)] + \gamma_n Q_C e_n - x^*\| \\ &\leq \alpha_n \|f(x_n) - x^*\| + \beta_n \|\mu Sx_n + (1 - \mu)Q_C(x_n - \lambda Ax_n) - x^*\| \\ &\quad + \gamma_n \|Q_C e_n - x^*\| \\ &\leq \alpha_n \|f(x_n) - x^*\| + \beta_n \mu \|x_n - x^*\| + \beta_n (1 - \mu) \|x_n - x^*\| \\ &\quad + \gamma_n \|Q_C e_n - x^*\| \\ &\leq \alpha_n \kappa \|x_n - x^*\| + \alpha_n \|f(x^*) - x^*\| + \beta_n \|x_n - x^*\| \\ &\quad + \gamma_n \|e_n - x^*\| \\ &\leq (1 - \alpha_n(1 - \kappa)) \|x_n - x^*\| + \alpha_n \|f(x^*) - x^*\| + \gamma_n \|e_n - x^*\| \\ &\leq \max \left\{ \|x_n - x^*\|, \frac{\|f(x^*) - x^*\|}{1 - \kappa} \right\} + \gamma_n \|e_n - x^*\|, \end{aligned}$$

which implies that the sequence $\{x_n\}$ is bounded, so is $\{y_n\}$. Define

$$t_n = \mu S_t x_n + (1 - \mu)Q_C(x_n - \lambda Ax_n).$$

It follows that

$$\begin{aligned} &\|t_n - t_{n-1}\| \\ &= \|\mu S_t x_n + (1 - \mu)Q_C(I - \lambda A)x_n - [\mu S_t x_{n-1} + (1 - \mu)Q_C(I - \lambda A)x_{n-1}]\| \\ &\leq \mu \|S_t x_n - S_t x_{n-1}\| + (1 - \mu) \|Q_C(I - \lambda A)x_n - Q_C(I - \lambda A)x_{n-1}\| \\ &\leq \mu \|x_n - x_{n-1}\| + (1 - \mu) \|x_n - x_{n-1}\| \\ &= \|x_n - x_{n-1}\|. \end{aligned} \tag{3.1}$$

On the other hand, we have

$$\begin{aligned} &\|x_{n+1} - x_n\| \\ &\leq \alpha_n \|f(x_n) - f(x_{n-1})\| + |\alpha_n - \alpha_{n-1}| \|f(x_{n-1})\| \\ &\quad + \beta_n \|t_n - t_{n-1}\| + |\beta_n - \beta_{n-1}| \|t_{n-1}\| + \gamma_n \|Q_C e_n - Q_C e_{n-1}\| \\ &\quad + |\gamma_n - \gamma_{n-1}| \|Q_C e_n\|. \end{aligned} \tag{3.2}$$

Substituting (3.1) into (3.2), we see that

$$\begin{aligned} & \|x_{n+1} - x_n\| \\ & \leq (1 - \alpha_n(1 - \kappa))\|x_n - x_{n-1}\| + |\alpha_n - \alpha_{n-1}|\|f(x_{n-1})\| \\ & \quad + |\beta_n - \beta_{n-1}|\|t_{n-1}\| + \gamma_n\|Q_C e_n - Q_C e_{n-1}\| \\ & \quad + |\gamma_n - \gamma_{n-1}|\|Q_C e_n\| \\ & \leq (1 - \alpha_n(1 - \kappa))\|x_n - x_{n-1}\| + |\alpha_n - \alpha_{n-1}|(\|f(x_{n-1})\| + \|t_{n-1}\|) \\ & \quad + |\gamma_n - \gamma_{n-1}|(\|t_{n-1}\| + \|Q_C e_n\|) + \gamma_n\|Q_C e_n - Q_C e_{n-1}\|. \end{aligned}$$

In view of Lemma 2.3, we find from the restrictions (a) and (b) that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_{n+1} - x_n\| = 0. \tag{3.3}$$

Note that

$$\begin{aligned} \|x_n - t_n\| & \leq \|x_n - x_{n+1}\| + \|x_{n+1} - t_n\| \\ & \leq \|x_n - x_{n+1}\| + \alpha_n\|f(x_n) - t_n\| + \gamma_n\|Q_C e_n - t_n\|. \end{aligned}$$

Using (3.3), we find from the restrictions (a) and (b) that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - t_n\| = 0. \tag{3.4}$$

Define a mapping V by

$$Vx = \mu S_t x + (1 - \mu)Q_C(I - \lambda A)x \quad \forall x \in C.$$

Using Lemma 2.6, we see that the mapping V is a nonexpansive mapping with

$$F(V) = F(S_t) \cap F(Q_C(I - \lambda A)) = F(S_t) \cap \text{BVI}(C, A) = F(S) \cap \text{BVI}(C, A) = F.$$

From (3.4), we see that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - Vx_n\| = 0. \tag{3.5}$$

Next, we show that

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle f(x) - x, J(x_n - x) \rangle \leq 0, \tag{3.6}$$

where $x = Q_F f(x)$, and Q_F is a sunny nonexpansive retraction from C onto F , the strong limit of the sequence z_t defined by

$$z_t = tf(z_t) + (1 - t)Vz_t.$$

It follows that

$$\|z_t - x_n\| = \|(1 - t)(Vz_t - x_n) + t(f(z_t) - x_n)\|.$$

For any $t \in (0, 1)$, we see that

$$\begin{aligned} \|z_t - x_n\|^2 &\leq (1 - t)^2 \|Vz_t - x_n\|^2 + 2t \langle f(z_t) - x_n, j(z_t - x_n) \rangle \\ &\leq (1 - t)^2 (\|Vz_t - Vx_n\|^2 + \|Vx_n - x_n\|^2 \\ &\quad + 2\|Vz_t - Vx_n\| \|Vx_n - x_n\|) + 2t \langle f(z_t) - z_t, j(z_t - x_n) \rangle \\ &\quad + 2t \langle z_t - x_n, j(z_t - x_n) \rangle \\ &\leq (1 - t)^2 \|z_t - x_n\|^2 + \lambda_n(t) + 2t \langle f(z_t) - z_t, j(z_t - x_n) \rangle \\ &\quad + 2t \|z_t - x_n\|^2, \end{aligned} \tag{3.7}$$

where

$$\lambda_n(t) = \|Vx_n - x_n\|^2 + 2\|z_t - x_n\| \|Vx_n - x_n\|.$$

It follows from (3.7) that

$$\langle z_t - f(z_t), j(z_t - x_n) \rangle \leq \frac{t}{2} \|z_t - x_n\|^2 + \frac{1}{2t} \lambda_n(t).$$

This implies that

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle z_t - f(z_t), j(z_t - x_n) \rangle \leq \frac{t}{2} \|z_t - x_n\|^2.$$

Since E is 2-uniformly smooth, $j : E \rightarrow E^*$ is uniformly continuous on any bounded sets of E , which ensures that the $\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty}$ and $\limsup_{t \rightarrow 0}$ are interchangeable, hence

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle f(x) - x, j(x_n - x) \rangle \leq 0.$$

This shows that (3.6) holds.

Finally, we show that $x_n \rightarrow x$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$. Note that

$$\begin{aligned} \|x_{n+1} - x\|^2 &= \alpha_n \langle f(x_n) - x, j(x_{n+1} - x) \rangle + \beta_n \langle t_n - x, j(x_{n+1} - x) \rangle \\ &\quad + \gamma_n \langle Q_C e_n - x, j(x_{n+1} - x) \rangle \\ &\leq \alpha_n \langle f(x_n) - x, j(x_{n+1} - x) \rangle + \beta_n \|t_n - x\| \|x_{n+1} - x\| \\ &\quad + \gamma_n \|Q_C e_n - x\| \|x_{n+1} - x\| \\ &\leq \alpha_n \kappa \|x_n - x\| \|x_{n+1} - x\| + \alpha_n \langle f(x) - x, j(x_{n+1} - x) \rangle \\ &\quad + \beta_n \|x_n - x\| \|x_{n+1} - x\| + \gamma_n \|Q_C e_n - x\| \|x_{n+1} - x\| \\ &\leq \frac{\alpha_n \kappa + \beta_n}{2} (\|x_n - x\|^2 + \|x_{n+1} - x\|^2) + \alpha_n \langle f(x) - x, j(x_{n+1} - x) \rangle \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & + \frac{\gamma_n}{2} (\|e_n - x\|^2 + \|x_{n+1} - x\|^2) \\ \leq & \frac{\alpha_n \kappa + \beta_n}{2} \|x_n - x\|^2 + \frac{1 - \alpha_n(1 - \kappa)}{2} \|x_{n+1} - x\|^2 \\ & + \alpha_n \langle f(x) - x, j(x_{n+1} - x) \rangle + \frac{\gamma_n}{2} \|e_n - x\|^2. \end{aligned}$$

It follows that

$$\begin{aligned} \|x_{n+1} - x\|^2 \leq & (1 - \alpha_n(1 - \kappa)) \|x_n - x\|^2 \\ & + 2\alpha_n \langle f(x) - x, j(x_{n+1} - x) \rangle + \gamma_n \|e_n - x\|^2. \end{aligned}$$

Using Lemma 2.3, we find from the restrictions (a) and (b) that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - x\| = 0.$$

This completes the proof. \square

Remark 3.2 The framework of the space in Theorem 3.1 can be applicable to L^p , $p \geq 2$.

4 Applications

In this section, we always assume that E is a uniformly convex and 2-uniformly smooth Banach space. Let C be a nonempty, closed and convex subset of E .

First, we consider common fixed points of two strict pseudocontractions.

Theorem 4.1 *Let E be a uniformly convex and 2-uniformly smooth Banach space with the best smooth constant K , and let C be a nonempty closed convex subset of E . Let Q_C be a sunny nonexpansive retraction from E onto C , and let $T : C \rightarrow C$ be an α -strict pseudocontraction. Let $S : C \rightarrow C$ be a λ -strict pseudocontraction. Assume that $F := F(S) \cap F(T) \neq \emptyset$. Let $\{\alpha_n\}$, $\{\beta_n\}$ and $\{\gamma_n\}$ be real number sequences in $(0, 1)$. Suppose that $x_1 = x \in C$ and that $\{x_n\}$ is given by*

$$x_{n+1} = \alpha_n f(x_n) + (1 - \alpha_n) [\mu S_t x_n + (1 - \mu)((1 - \alpha)x_n + \alpha T x_n)], \quad n \geq 1,$$

where $S_t = (1 - t)x + tSx$, $t \in (0, \frac{\lambda}{K^2}]$, $f : C \rightarrow C$ is a κ -contractive mapping, $\{e_n\}$ is a bounded computational error in E , $\lambda \in (0, \alpha/K^2]$ and $\mu \in (0, 1)$. Assume that the following restrictions are satisfied:

- (a) $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n = 0$, $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \alpha_n = \infty$ and $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\alpha_{n+1} - \alpha_n| < \infty$;
- (b) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \gamma_n < \infty$.

Then $\{x_n\}$ converges strongly to $x = Q_F f(x)$, where Q_F is a sunny nonexpansive retraction from C onto F .

Proof Since $(I - T)$ is an α -inverse strongly accretive mapping, we find from Theorem 3.1 the desired conclusion. \square

Closely related to the class of pseudocontractive mappings is the class of accretive mappings. Recall that an operator B with domain $D(B)$ and range $R(B)$ in E is accretive if for

each $x_i \in D(B)$ and $y_i \in Bx_i$ ($i = 1, 2$),

$$\langle y_2 - y_1, J(x_2 - x_1) \rangle \geq 0.$$

An accretive operator B is m -accretive if $R(I + rB) = E$ for each $r > 0$. Next, we assume that B is m -accretive and has a zero (i.e., the inclusion $0 \in B(z)$ is solvable). The set of zeros of B is denoted by Ω . Hence,

$$\Omega = \{z \in D(B) : 0 \in B(z)\} = B^{-1}(0).$$

For each $r > 0$, we denote by J_r the resolvent of B , i.e., $J_r = (I + rB)^{-1}$. Note that if B is m -accretive, then $J_r : E \rightarrow E$ is nonexpansive and $F(J_r) = \Omega$ for all $r > 0$.

From the above, we have the following theorem.

Theorem 4.2 *Let E be a uniformly convex and 2-uniformly smooth Banach space with the best smooth constant K , and let C be a nonempty, closed and convex subset of E . Let Q_C be a sunny nonexpansive retraction from E onto C , and let $A : C \rightarrow E$ be an α -inverse strongly accretive mapping. Let $B : C \rightarrow C$ be an m -accretive operator. Assume that $F := A^{-1}(0) \cap B^{-1}(0) \neq \emptyset$. Let $\{\alpha_n\}$, $\{\beta_n\}$ and $\{\gamma_n\}$ be real number sequences in $(0, 1)$. Suppose that $x_1 = x \in C$ and that $\{x_n\}$ is given by*

$$x_{n+1} = \alpha_n f(x_n) + \beta_n [\mu J_r x_n + (1 - \mu)(x_n - \lambda A x_n)] + \gamma_n Q_C e_n, \quad n \geq 1,$$

where $J_r = (I + rB)^{-1}$, $f : C \rightarrow C$ is a κ -contractive mapping, $\{e_n\}$ is a bounded computational error in E , $\lambda \in (0, \alpha/K^2]$ and $\mu \in (0, 1)$. Assume that the following restrictions are satisfied:

- (a) $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n = 0$, $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \alpha_n = \infty$ and $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\alpha_{n+1} - \alpha_n| < \infty$;
- (b) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \gamma_n < \infty$.

Then $\{x_n\}$ converges strongly to $x = Q_F f(x)$, where Q_F is a sunny nonexpansive retraction from C onto F .

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