

**STRONG CONVERGENCE OF AN ITERATIVE  
ALGORITHM FOR SYSTEMS OF VARIATIONAL  
INEQUALITIES AND FIXED POINT PROBLEMS IN  
 $q$ -UNIFORMLY SMOOTH BANACH SPACES**

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ABSTRACT. In this paper, we introduce a new iterative scheme to investigate the problem of finding a common element of nonexpansive mappings and the set of solutions of generalized variational inequalities for a  $k$ -strict pseudo-contraction by relaxed extra-gradient methods. Strong convergence theorems are established in  $q$ -uniformly smooth Banach spaces.

## 1. Introduction

Throughout this paper, we assume that  $E$  is a real Banach space and  $E^*$  the dual space of  $E$ . Let  $C$  be a subset of  $E$  and  $T$  be a self mapping of  $C$ . Denote by  $Fix(T)$  the set of fixed points of  $T$ , that is,  $Fix(T) = \{x \in C : Tx = x\}$ . When  $\{x_n\}$  is a sequence in  $E$ ,  $x_n \rightarrow x$  ( $x_n \rightharpoonup x$ ) will denote strong(weak) convergence of the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  to  $x$ .

Let  $q > 1$  be a real number. The duality mapping  $J_q : E \rightarrow 2^{E^*}$  is defined by

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

In particular,  $J = J_2$  is called the normalized duality mapping and  $J_q(x) = \|x\|^{q-2}J_2(x)$  for  $x \neq 0$ . If  $E$  is a Hilbert space, then  $J = I$ , where  $I$  is the identity mapping.

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Recall that a mapping  $T$  is said to be nonexpansive if

$$\|Tx - Ty\| \leq \|x - y\|$$

for all  $x, y \in C$ . A mapping  $T$  is called a pseudo-contraction if there exists some  $j_q(x - y) \in J_q(x - y)$  such that

$$\langle Tx - Ty, j_q(x - y) \rangle \leq \|x - y\|^q$$

for all  $x, y \in C$ .  $T$  is said to be a  $k$ -strict pseudo-contraction in the terminology of Browder and Petryshyn [1] if there exists a constant  $k > 0$  such that

$$(1.1) \quad \langle Tx - Ty, j_q(x - y) \rangle \leq \|x - y\|^q - k\|(I - T)x - (I - T)y\|^q$$

for every  $x, y \in C$  and for some  $j_q(x - y) \in J_q(x - y)$ .

**REMARK 1.1.** From (1.1) we can prove that if  $T$  is  $k$ -strict pseudo-contraction, then  $T$  is Lipschitz continuous with the Lipschitz constant  $L = \frac{1+k}{k}$ . A Banach space  $E$  is called uniformly convex if for each  $\varepsilon > 0$  there is a  $\delta > 0$  such that for  $x, y \in E$  with  $\|x\|, \|y\| \leq 1$  and  $\|x - y\| \geq \varepsilon$ ,  $\|x + y\| \leq 2(1 - \delta)$  holds. It is known that a uniformly convex Banach space is reflexive and strictly convex. Let  $S(E) = \{x \in E : \|x\| = 1\}$ .  $E$  is said to be Gâteaux differentiable if the limit

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

exists for each  $x, y \in S(E)$ . In this case,  $E$  is called smooth. Let  $\rho_E : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  be the modulus of smoothness of  $E$  defined by

$$\rho_E(t) = \sup \left\{ \frac{1}{2}(\|x + y\| + \|x - y\|) - 1 : x \in S(E), \|y\| \geq t \right\}.$$

A Banach space  $E$  is said to be uniformly smooth if  $\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\rho(t)}{t} = 0$ . Let  $q > 1$ . A Banach space  $E$  is said to be  $q$ -uniformly smooth if there exists a fixed constant  $c > 0$  such that  $\rho(t) \leq ct^q$ . Recall that construction of fixed points for nonexpansive mappings and  $\lambda$ -strict pseudo-contractions via the Mann's iterative algorithm has been extensively investigated by many authors (see [3,6,7,8]). The Mann iteration is extensively and successfully used to approximate fixed points of nonexpansive mappings.

However, iterative methods for strict pseudo-contractions are far less developed than for nonexpansive mappings. On the other hand, strict pseudo-contractions have more powerful applications than nonexpansive mappings do in solving inverse problems (see [11]). Therefore it is

interesting to develop the theory of iterative methods for strict pseudo-contractions. In 1967, Halpern [4] introduced the following explicit iteration scheme for a nonexpansive mapping  $T$  which was referred to Halpern iteration: for  $u, x_0 \in K$ ,  $\alpha_n \in [0, 1]$ ,

$$x_{n+1} = \alpha_n u + (1 - \alpha_n)Tx_n.$$

Recently, Zhou [17] obtained strong convergence theorem for the following iterative sequence in a 2-uniformly smooth Banach space  $E$ : for  $u, x_0 \in E$  and a  $\lambda$ -strict pseudo-contraction  $T$ ,

$$x_{n+1} = \beta_n u + \gamma_n x_n + (1 - \beta_n - \gamma_n)[\alpha_n T x_n + (1 - \alpha_n)x_n],$$

where  $\{\alpha_n\}$ ,  $\{\beta_n\}$  and  $\{\gamma_n\}$  in  $(0,1)$  satisfy

- (i)  $a \leq \alpha_n \leq \frac{\lambda}{K^2}$  for some  $a > 0$  and for all  $n \geq 0$ ;
- (ii)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \beta_n = 0$  and  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \beta_n = \infty$ ;
- (iii)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |\alpha_{n+1} - \alpha_n| = 0$ ;
- (iv)  $0 < \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \gamma_n \leq \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \gamma_n < 1$ .

Very recently, Zhang and Shu [16] extended Zhou's results to  $q$ -uniformly smooth Banach space.

Motivated and inspired by the above works, in this paper, we consider the problem of convergence of an iterative algorithm for a system of generalized variational inequalities involving strictly pseudo-contractions and a nonexpansive mapping. We prove the strong convergence of purposed iterative scheme in uniformly convex and  $q$ -uniformly smooth Banach spaces.

## 2. Preliminaries

Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of a Banach space  $E$  and  $E^*$  the dual space of  $E$ .

**DEFINITION 2.1.** *Let  $E$  be a real Banach space,  $C$  a nonempty closed and convex subset of  $E$  and  $K$  a nonempty subset of  $C$ . Let  $Q$  be a mapping of  $C$  into  $K$ . Then  $Q$  is said to be:*

- (1) *sunny if for each  $x \in C$  and  $t \in [0, 1]$  we have*

$$Q(tx + (1 - t)x) = Qx;$$

- (2) *a retraction of  $C$  onto  $K$  if*

$$Qx = x, \quad \forall x \in K;$$

- (3) a sunny nonexpansive retraction if  $Q$  is sunny nonexpansive and a retraction onto  $K$ .

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

PROPOSITION 2.1. ([9]) Let  $E$  be a smooth Banach space and let  $K$  be a nonempty subset of  $E$ . Let  $Q : E \rightarrow K$  be a retraction and let  $J$  be the normalized duality mapping on  $E$ . Then the following are equivalent:

- (a)  $Q$  is sunny and nonexpansive;  
 (b)  $\|Qx - Qy\|^2 \leq \langle x - y, J(Qx - Qy) \rangle, \quad \forall x, y \in E$ ;  
 (c)  $\langle x - Qx, J(y - Qx) \rangle \leq 0, \quad \forall x \in E, y \in K$ .

PROPOSITION 2.2. ([5]) Let  $K$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of a uniformly convex and uniformly smooth Banach space  $E$  and  $S$  a nonexpansive mapping of  $C$  into itself with  $Fix(S) \neq \phi$ . Then the set  $Fix(S)$  is a sunny nonexpansive retract of  $C$ . Reich [10], in 1980, proved the following behavior for nonexpansive mappings.

PROPOSITION 2.3. Let  $E$  be a real uniformly smooth Banach space and  $C$  a nonempty closed convex subset of  $E$ . Let  $T : C \rightarrow C$  be a nonexpansive mapping with a fixed point and let  $z \in C$ . For each  $t \in (0, 1)$ , let  $z_t$  be the unique solution of the equation  $x = tz + (1-t)Tx$ . Then  $\{z_t\}$  converges to a fixed point of  $T$  as  $t \rightarrow 0$  and

$$Qz = s - \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} z_t$$

defines the unique sunny nonexpansive retraction from  $C$  onto  $Fix(T)$ , that is,  $Q$  satisfies the property:

$$\langle u - Qu, J(y - Qu) \rangle \leq 0, \quad \forall u \in C, y \in Fix(T).$$

Motivated by Wang and Chen [13], we consider the following general system of variational inequalities in a uniformly smooth Banach space  $E$ . Let  $S : C \rightarrow C$  be a  $k$ -strict pseudo-contraction. Find  $(x^*, y^*) \in C \times C$  such that

$$(2.1) \quad \begin{cases} \langle \lambda(I - S)y^* + x^* - y^*, J(x - x^*) \rangle \geq 0, & \forall x \in C, \\ \langle \mu(I - S)x^* + y^* - x^*, J(x - x^*) \rangle \geq 0, & \forall x \in C. \end{cases}$$

In order to prove our main results, we need the following lemmas.

LEMMA 2.1. ([14]) Let  $E$  be a real  $q$ -uniformly smooth Banach space. Then there exists a constant  $c_q > 0$  such that

$$\|x + y\|^q \leq \|x\|^q + q\langle y, j_q(x) \rangle + c_q\|y\|^q$$

for all  $x, y \in E$ .

LEMMA 2.2. ([12]) Let  $\{z_n\}$  and  $\{w_n\}$  be two bounded sequences in a Banach space  $E$  such that

$$z_{n+1} = (1 - \gamma_n)z_n + \gamma_n w_n, \quad n \geq 1,$$

where  $\{\gamma_n\}$  satisfies condition:  $0 < \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \gamma_n \leq \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \gamma_n < 1$ . If  $\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\|w_{n+1} - w_n\| - \|z_{n+1} - z_n\|) \leq 0$ , then  $w_n - z_n \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .

LEMMA 2.3. ([2]) Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of a real Banach space  $E$ . Let  $T_1$  and  $T_2$  be nonexpansive mappings from  $C$  into itself with a common fixed point. Define a mapping  $T : C \rightarrow C$  by

$$Tx = \delta T_1 x + (1 - \delta)T_2 x, \quad \forall x \in C,$$

where  $\delta$  is a constant in  $(0, 1)$ . Then  $T$  is nonexpansive and  $\text{Fix}(T) = \text{Fix}(T_1) \cap \text{Fix}(T_2)$ .

LEMMA 2.4. ([15]) Assume that  $\{\alpha_n\}$  is a sequence of nonnegative real numbers such that

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

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

- (a)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \gamma_n = \infty$ ;
- (b)  $\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\delta_n}{\gamma_n} \leq 0$  or  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\delta_n| < \infty$ . Then  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n = 0$ .

LEMMA 2.5. For given  $(x^*, y^*) \in C \times C$ , where  $y^* = Q_C(x^* - \mu(I - S)x^*)$ ,  $(x^*, y^*)$  is a solution of problem (2.1) if and only if  $x^*$  is a fixed point of the mapping  $D : C \rightarrow C$  defined by

$$D(x) = Q_C[Q_C(x - \mu(I - S)x) - \lambda(I - S)Q_C(x - \mu(I - S)x)], \quad \forall x \in C,$$

where  $\lambda, \mu > 0$  are constants and  $Q_C$  is a sunny nonexpansive retraction from  $E$  onto  $C$ .

*Proof.* Observe that

$$\begin{cases} \langle \lambda(I - S)y^* + x^* - y^*, J(x - x^*) \rangle \geq 0, & \forall x \in C, \\ \langle \mu(I - S)x^* + y^* - x^*, J(x - x^*) \rangle \geq 0, & \forall x \in C. \end{cases}$$

$\Leftrightarrow$

$$\begin{cases} x^* = Q_C(y^* - \lambda(I - S)y^*), \\ y^* = Q_C(x^* - \mu(I - S)x^*). \end{cases}$$

$\Leftrightarrow$

$$x^* = Q_C[Q_C(x^* - \mu(I - S)x^*) - \lambda(I - S)Q_C(x^* - \mu(I - S)x^*)].$$

□

### 3. Main results

Now, we consider the following main result of this paper.

**THEOREM 3.1.** *Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of a uniformly convex and  $q$ -uniformly smooth Banach space  $E$  and  $Q_C$  a sunny nonexpansive retraction from  $E$  onto  $C$ . Let  $S : C \rightarrow C$  be a  $k$ -strict pseudo-contraction such that  $\text{Fix}(S) \neq \phi$  and  $T : C \rightarrow C$  a nonexpansive mapping with  $\text{Fix}(T) \neq \phi$ . Assume that  $F = \text{Fix}(T) \cap \text{Fix}(D) \neq \phi$ , where  $D$  is defined as Lemma 2.5. Let a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  be generated by*

$$(3.1) \quad \begin{cases} x_1 = u \in C, \\ y_n = Q_C(x_n - \mu(I - S)x_n), \\ x_{n+1} = \alpha_n u + \beta_n x_n + \gamma_n [\delta T x_n + (1 - \delta)Q_C(y_n - \lambda(I - S)y_n)], n \geq 1, \end{cases}$$

where  $\delta \in (0, 1)$ ,  $\lambda, \mu \in (0, \min\{1, (\frac{qk}{c_q})^{\frac{1}{q-1}}\})$  and  $\{\alpha_n\}$ ,  $\{\beta_n\}$  and  $\{\gamma_n\}$  are sequences in  $[0, 1]$  such that

- (H1)  $\alpha_n + \beta_n + \gamma_n = 1, \quad \forall n \geq 1,$
- (H2)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n = 0, \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \alpha_n = \infty;$
- (H3)  $0 < \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \beta_n \leq \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \beta_n < 1.$

Then  $\{x_n\}$  defined by (3.1) converges strongly to  $\bar{x} = Q_F u$  and  $(\bar{x}, \bar{y})$ , where  $\bar{y} = Q_C(\bar{x} - \mu(I - S)\bar{x})$  and  $Q_F$  is the unique sunny nonexpansive retraction from  $C$  onto  $F$ , is a solution of the problem (2.1).

*Proof.* We divide our proofs into several steps as follows.

(Step 1.) First, we show that  $F$  is closed and convex.

It is well known that  $\text{Fix}(T)$  is closed and convex. Next, we show that  $\text{Fix}(D)$  is closed and convex. For any  $\lambda, \mu \in (0, M]$ ,  $M = \min\{1, (\frac{qk}{c_q})^{\frac{1}{q-1}}\}$ ,

we have that the mappings  $I - \mu(I - S)$  and  $I - \lambda(I - S)$  are nonexpansive mappings. Indeed, from Lemma 2.1, we have for all  $x, y \in C$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
& \|(I - \lambda(I - S))x - (I - \lambda(I - S))y\|^q \\
&= \|x - y - \lambda(x - y - (Sx - Sy))\|^q \\
&\leq \|x - y\|^q - q\lambda\langle x - y - (Sx - Sy), J_q(x - y) \rangle \\
&\quad + c_q\lambda^q\|x - y - (Sx - Sy)\|^q \\
&\leq \|x - y\|^q - q\lambda\|x - y\|^q + q\lambda\langle Sx - Sy, J_q(x - y) \rangle \\
&\quad + c_q\lambda^q\|x - y - (Sx - Sy)\|^q \\
&\leq \|x - y\|^q - q\lambda\|x - y\|^q + q\lambda[\|x - y\|^q - k\|(I - S)x - (I - S)y\|^q] \\
&\quad + c_q\lambda^q\|x - y - (Sx - Sy)\|^q \\
&= \|x - y\|^q - \lambda(qk - c_q\lambda^{q-1})\|x - y - (Sx - Sy)\|^q \\
&\leq \|x - y\|^q,
\end{aligned}$$

which shows that  $I - \lambda(I - S)$  is a nonexpansive mapping. So is  $I - \mu(I - S)$ . By Lemma 2.5, we can see that

$$\begin{aligned}
D &= Q_C[Q_C(I - \mu(I - S)) - \lambda(I - S)Q_C(I - \mu(I - S))] \\
&= Q_C(I - \lambda(I - S))Q_C(I - \mu(I - S))
\end{aligned}$$

is nonexpansive. Thus,  $F = \text{Fix}(T) \cap \text{Fix}(D)$  is closed and convex.

(Step 2.) The sequences  $\{x_n\}$  is bounded.

For  $x^* \in F = \text{Fix}(T) \cap \text{Fix}(D)$ , we have that

$$x^* = Q_C[Q_C(x^* - \mu(I - S)x^*) - \lambda(I - S)Q_C(x^* - \mu(I - S)x^*)].$$

Set  $y^* = Q_C(x^* - \mu(I - S)x^*)$ . We obtain  $x^* = Q_C(y^* - \lambda(I - S)y^*)$ .

Since  $y_n = Q_C(x_n - \mu(I - S)x_n)$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.2) \quad \|y_n - y^*\| &= \|Q_C(x_n - \mu(I - S)x_n) - Q_C(x^* - \mu(I - S)x^*)\| \\
&\leq \|x_n - x^*\|.
\end{aligned}$$

For the sake of simplicity, let  $u_n = \delta Tx_n + (1 - \delta)Q_C(y_n - \lambda(I - S)y_n)$  for each  $n \geq 1$ . By (3.2), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.3) \quad \|u_n - x^*\| &= \|\delta Tx_n + (1 - \delta)Q_C(y_n - \lambda(I - S)y_n) - x^*\| \\
&\leq \delta\|Tx_n - x^*\| \\
&\quad + (1 - \delta)\|Q_C(y_n - \lambda(I - S)y_n) - Q_C(y^* - \lambda(I - S)y^*)\| \\
&\leq \delta\|x_n - x^*\| + (1 - \delta)\|y_n - y^*\| \\
&\leq \delta\|x_n - x^*\| + (1 - \delta)\|x_n - x^*\| \\
&= \|x_n - x^*\|.
\end{aligned}$$

Then we have

$$\begin{aligned}\|x_{n+1} - x^*\| &= \|\alpha_n u + \beta_n x_n + \gamma_n u_n - x^*\| \\ &\leq \alpha_n \|u - x^*\| + \beta_n \|x_n - x^*\| + \gamma_n \|u_n - x^*\| \\ &\leq \alpha_n \|u - x^*\| + (1 - \alpha_n) \|x_n - x^*\| \\ &\leq \max\{\|u - x^*\|, \|x_n - x^*\|\}.\end{aligned}$$

By induction, we get

$$\|x_n - x^*\| \leq \max\{\|u - x^*\|, \|x_1 - x^*\|\}.$$

Thus,  $\{x_n\}$  is bounded, so are  $\{y_n\}$  and  $\{u_n\}$ .

(Step 3.)  $x_{n+1} - x_n \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . We now define  $w_n = \frac{x_{n+1} - \beta_n x_n}{1 - \beta_n}$ .

Set  $M_1 = \|u\| + \sup\{\|u_n\|\}$ . By using (3.1), we get

$$\begin{aligned}(3.4) \quad \|w_{n+1} - w_n\| &= \left\| \frac{\alpha_{n+1}u + \gamma_{n+1}u_{n+1}}{1 - \beta_{n+1}} - \frac{\alpha_n u + \gamma_n u_n}{1 - \beta_n} \right\| \\ &= \left\| \left( \frac{\alpha_{n+1}}{1 - \beta_{n+1}} - \frac{\alpha_n}{1 - \beta_n} \right) u + \left( \frac{\alpha_{n+1}}{1 - \beta_{n+1}} - \frac{\alpha_n}{1 - \beta_n} \right) u_n \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \left( \frac{\alpha_{n+1}}{1 - \beta_{n+1}} - \frac{\alpha_n}{1 - \beta_n} \right) u_n + \frac{\gamma_{n+1}}{1 - \beta_{n+1}} u_{n+1} - \frac{\gamma_n}{1 - \beta_n} u_n \right\| \\ &\leq \left| \frac{\alpha_{n+1}}{1 - \beta_{n+1}} - \frac{\alpha_n}{1 - \beta_n} \right| (\|u\| + \|u_n\|) + \frac{\gamma_{n+1}}{1 - \beta_{n+1}} \|u_{n+1} - u_n\| \\ &\leq M_1 \left| \frac{\alpha_{n+1}}{1 - \beta_{n+1}} - \frac{\alpha_n}{1 - \beta_n} \right| + \|u_{n+1} - u_n\|\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}(3.5) \quad \|u_{n+1} - u_n\| &= \|\delta T x_{n+1} + (1 - \delta) Q_C(y_{n+1} - \lambda(I - S)y_{n+1}) \\ &\quad - (\delta T x_n + (1 - \delta) Q_C(y_n - \lambda(I - S)y_n))\| \\ &\leq \delta \|T x_{n+1} - T x_n\| \\ &\quad + (1 - \delta) \|Q_C(y_{n+1} - \lambda(I - S)y_{n+1}) - Q_C(y_n - \lambda(I - S)y_n)\| \\ &\leq \delta \|x_{n+1} - x_n\| + (1 - \delta) \|y_{n+1} - y_n\| \\ &\leq \delta \|x_{n+1} - x_n\| + (1 - \delta) \|x_{n+1} - x_n\| \\ &= \|x_{n+1} - x_n\|.\end{aligned}$$

Substituting (3.5) into (3.4) yields

$$\|w_{n+1} - w_n\| \leq M_1 \left| \frac{\alpha_{n+1}}{1 - \beta_{n+1}} - \frac{\alpha_n}{1 - \beta_n} \right| + \|x_{n+1} - x_n\|.$$

By the assumptions on  $\{\alpha_n\}$  and  $\{\beta_n\}$ , we get

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\|w_{n+1} - w_n\| - \|x_{n+1} - x_n\|) \leq 0.$$



By using Lemma 2.2, we conclude that  $w_n - x_n \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . Noting that  $x_{n+1} - x_n = (1 - \beta_n)(w_n - x_n)$ , we get  $x_{n+1} - x_n \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .

(Step 4.) There exists a continuous path  $\{x_t\}$  such that  $x_t \rightarrow \bar{x}$  as  $t \rightarrow 0$ , where  $\bar{x} = Q_F u$  and  $Q_F : C \rightarrow F$  is the unique sunny nonexpansive retraction from  $C$  onto  $F$ . Define a mapping  $T_\delta : C \rightarrow C$  by

$$T_\delta x = \delta T x + (1 - \delta) Q_C(I - \lambda(I - S)) Q_C(I - \mu(I - S)) x, \quad \forall x \in C.$$

Then  $T_\delta$  is nonexpansive and

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Fix}(T_\delta) &= \text{Fix}(T) \cap \text{Fix}(Q_C(I - \lambda(I - S)) Q_C(I - \mu(I - S))) \\ &= \text{Fix}(T) \cap \text{Fix}(D) \\ &= F \end{aligned}$$

by Lemma 2.3. For  $t \in (0, 1)$  we define a contraction via

$$T_\delta^t x = t u + (1 - t) T_\delta x, \quad \forall x \in C.$$

Then, the Banach contraction mapping principle ensures that there exists a unique path  $x_t \in C$  such that

$$x_t = t u + (1 - t) T_\delta x_t$$

for every  $t \in (0, 1)$ . By Proposition 2.3, we know that  $x_t \rightarrow \bar{x} \in \text{Fix}(T_\delta)$  as  $t \rightarrow \infty$ . Further, if we define  $Q_{\text{Fix}(T_\delta)} u = \bar{x}$ , then  $Q_{\text{Fix}(T_\delta)} : C \rightarrow \text{Fix}(T_\delta)$  is a unique sunny nonexpansive retraction from  $C$  onto  $\text{Fix}(T_\delta)$ . Noting that  $\text{Fix}(T_\delta) = F$ , we see that  $Q_F : C \rightarrow F$  is indeed the unique sunny nonexpansive retraction from  $C$  onto  $F$ .

(Step 5.)  $\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle u - \bar{x}, J(x_n - \bar{x}) \rangle \leq 0$ , where  $\bar{x} = Q_F u$ .

We note that

$$\begin{aligned} \|x_n - T_\delta x_n\| &\leq \|x_n - x_{n+1}\| + \|x_{n+1} - T_\delta x_n\| \\ &\leq \|x_n - x_{n+1}\| + \alpha_n \|u - T_\delta x_n\| + \beta_n \|x_n - T_\delta x_n\|. \end{aligned}$$

This implies that

$$(1 - \beta_n) \|x_n - T_\delta x_n\| \leq \|x_n - x_{n+1}\| + \alpha_n \|u - T_\delta x_n\|.$$

It follows from conditions (H2), (H3) and Step 3 that  $x_n - T_\delta x_n \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . Since

$$\begin{aligned} x_t - x_n &= t u + (1 - t) T_\delta x_t - x_n \\ &= (1 - t) (T_\delta x_t - x_n) + t (u - x_n), \end{aligned}$$

then

$$\begin{aligned}
\|x_t - x_n\|^2 &= (1-t)\langle T_\delta x_t - x_n, J(x_t - x_n) \rangle + t\langle u - x_n, J(x_t - x_n) \rangle \\
&= (1-t)[\langle T_\delta x_t - T_\delta x_n, J(x_t - x_n) \rangle + \langle T_\delta x_n - x_n, J(x_t - x_n) \rangle] \\
&\quad + t\langle u - x_t, J(x_t - x_n) \rangle + t\langle x_t - x_n, J(x_t - x_n) \rangle \\
&\leq (1-t)(\|x_t - x_n\|^2 + \|T_\delta x_n - x_n\|\|x_t - x_n\|) \\
&\quad + t\langle u - x_t, J(x_t - x_n) \rangle + t\|x_t - x_n\|^2 \\
&= \|x_t - x_n\|^2 + \|T_\delta x_n - x_n\|\|x_t - x_n\| + t\langle u - x_t, J(x_t - x_n) \rangle.
\end{aligned}$$

It turns out that

$$\langle x_t - u, J(x_t - x_n) \rangle \leq \frac{1}{t}\|T_\delta x_n - x_n\|\|x_t - x_n\|, \quad \forall t \in (0, 1).$$

By the above inequality, we have

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle x_t - u, J(x_t - x_n) \rangle \leq 0.$$

Since  $J$  is strong to weak\* uniformly continuous on bounded subset of  $E$ , we see that

$$\begin{aligned}
&|\langle u - \bar{x}, J(x_n - \bar{x}) \rangle - \langle x_t - u, J(x_t - x_n) \rangle| \\
&\leq |\langle u - \bar{x}, J(x_n - \bar{x}) \rangle - \langle u - \bar{x}, J(x_n - x_t) \rangle| \\
&\quad + |\langle u - \bar{x}, J(x_n - x_t) \rangle - \langle x_t - u, J(x_t - x_n) \rangle| \\
&= |\langle u - \bar{x}, J(x_n - \bar{x}) - J(x_n - x_t) \rangle| + |\langle x_t - \bar{x}, J(x_n - x_t) \rangle| \\
&\leq \|u - \bar{x}\|\|J(x_n - \bar{x}) - J(x_n - x_t)\| + \|x_t - \bar{x}\|\|x_n - x_t\| \\
&\rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } t \rightarrow 0.
\end{aligned}$$

For any  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exists  $\delta > 0$  such that for every  $t \in (0, \delta)$

$$\langle u - \bar{x}, J(x_n - \bar{x}) \rangle \leq \langle x_t - u, J(x_t - x_n) \rangle + \varepsilon.$$

Therefore

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle u - \bar{x}, J(x_n - \bar{x}) \rangle \leq \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle x_t - u, J(x_t - x_n) \rangle + \varepsilon.$$

This implies that

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle u - \bar{x}, J(x_n - \bar{x}) \rangle \leq 0.$$

(Step 6.)  $x_n \rightarrow \bar{x} \in Q_F u$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . By using (3.3) we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 \|x_{n+1} - \bar{x}\|^2 &= \langle \alpha_n u + \beta_n x_n + \gamma_n u_n - \bar{x}, J(x_{n+1} - \bar{x}) \rangle \\
 &= \alpha_n \langle u - \bar{x}, J(x_{n+1} - \bar{x}) \rangle + \beta_n \langle x_n - \bar{x}, J(x_{n+1} - \bar{x}) \rangle \\
 &\quad + \gamma_n \langle u_n - \bar{x}, J(x_{n+1} - \bar{x}) \rangle \\
 &\leq \alpha_n \langle u - \bar{x}, J(x_{n+1} - \bar{x}) \rangle + \beta_n \|x_n - \bar{x}\| \|x_{n+1} - \bar{x}\| \\
 &\quad + \gamma_n \|u_n - \bar{x}\| \|x_{n+1} - \bar{x}\| \\
 &\leq \alpha_n \langle u - \bar{x}, J(x_{n+1} - \bar{x}) \rangle + \beta_n \|x_n - \bar{x}\| \|x_{n+1} - \bar{x}\| \\
 &\quad + \gamma_n \|x_n - \bar{x}\| \|x_{n+1} - \bar{x}\| \\
 &\leq \alpha_n \langle u - \bar{x}, J(x_{n+1} - \bar{x}) \rangle + (1 - \alpha_n) \|x_n - \bar{x}\| \|x_{n+1} - \bar{x}\| \\
 &\leq \alpha_n \langle u - \bar{x}, J(x_{n+1} - \bar{x}) \rangle + \frac{1 - \alpha_n}{2} (\|x_n - \bar{x}\|^2 + \|x_{n+1} - \bar{x}\|^2),
 \end{aligned}$$

which implies that

$$\|x_{n+1} - \bar{x}\|^2 \leq (1 - \alpha_n) \|x_n - \bar{x}\|^2 + 2\alpha_n \langle u - \bar{x}, J(x_{n+1} - \bar{x}) \rangle$$

and hence  $x_n \rightarrow \bar{x}$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  by virtue of Lemma 2.4. This completes the proof.  $\square$

REMARK 3.1. Since  $L^p(1 < p \leq 2)$  is uniformly convex and  $p$ -uniformly smooth, we see that Theorem 3.1 is applicable to  $L^p$  for  $1 < p \leq 2$ .

#### 4. Applications

In real Hilbert spaces, Lemma 2.3 is reduced to the following.

LEMMA 4.1. Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of a Hilbert space  $H$ . For given  $(\bar{x}, \bar{y}) \in C \times C$ , where  $\bar{y} = P_C(\bar{x} - \mu(I - S)\bar{x})$ ,  $(\bar{x}, \bar{y})$  is a solution of the following problem:

$$(4.1) \quad \begin{cases} \langle \lambda(I - S)\bar{y} + \bar{x} - \bar{y}, x - \bar{x} \rangle \geq 0, & \forall x \in C, \\ \langle \mu(I - S)\bar{x} + \bar{y} - \bar{x}, x - \bar{x} \rangle \geq 0, & \forall x \in C, \end{cases}$$

if and only if  $\bar{x}$  is a fixed point of the mapping  $\bar{D} : C \rightarrow C$  defined by

$$\bar{D}(x) = P_C[P_C(x - \mu(I - S)x) - \lambda(I - S)P_C(x - \mu(I - S)x)],$$

where  $P_C$  is a metric projection  $H$  onto  $C$ . Utilizing Theorem 3.1 we can obtain the following results.

**THEOREM 4.1.** *Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of a Hilbert space  $H$ . Let  $S : C \rightarrow C$  be a  $k$ -strict pseudo-contraction such that  $Fix(S) \neq \phi$  and  $T : C \rightarrow C$  a nonexpansive mapping with  $Fix(T) \neq \phi$ . Assume that  $F = Fix(T) \cap Fix(\overline{D}) \neq \phi$ , where  $\overline{D}$  is defined as Lemma 4.1. Let a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  be generated by*

$$(4.2) \quad \begin{cases} x_1 = u \in C, \\ y_n = P_C(x_n - \mu(I - S)x_n), \\ x_{n+1} = \alpha_n u + \beta_n x_n + \gamma_n[\delta T x_n + (1 - \delta)P_C(y_n - \lambda(I - S)y_n)], \quad n \geq 1, \end{cases}$$

where  $\delta \in (0, 1)$ ,  $\lambda, \mu \in (0, 2k)$  and  $\{\alpha_n\}$ ,  $\{\beta_n\}$  and  $\{\gamma_n\}$  are sequences in  $[0, 1]$  such that

- (H1)  $\alpha_n + \beta_n + \gamma_n = 1, \quad \forall n \geq 1,$   
 (H2)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n = 0, \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \alpha_n = \infty,$   
 (H3)  $0 < \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \beta_n \leq \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \beta_n < 1.$

Then  $\{x_n\}$  defined by (4.2) converges strongly to  $\bar{x} = P_F u$  and  $(\bar{x}, \bar{y})$  is a solution of problem (4.1), where  $\bar{y} = P_C(\bar{x} - \mu(I - S)\bar{x})$ .

**THEOREM 4.2.** *Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of  $H$ . Let  $T, S : C \rightarrow C$  be a nonexpansive mapping such that  $Fix(T) \neq \phi$  and  $Fix(S) \neq \phi$ . Assume that  $F = Fix(T) \cap Fix(\overline{D}) \neq \phi$ , where  $\overline{D}$  is defined as Lemma 4.1. Let the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  generated by (4.2) such that the conditions (H1), (H2), (H3) hold. Then  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $\bar{x} = P_F u$  and  $(\bar{x}, \bar{y})$  is a solution of problem (4.1), where  $\bar{y} = P_C(\bar{x} - \mu(I - S)\bar{x})$ .*

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