



# Some Fixed Point Theorems in C-complete Complex Valued Metric Spaces

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**Abstract.** In this paper, we prove common fixed point theorems for a pair of mappings satisfying rational inequality in C-complete complex valued metric spaces. The results of this paper generalize and extend the known results in C-complete complex valued metric spaces.

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## 1. Introduction and Preliminaries

The concept of complex valued metric space was introduced by Azam *et al.* [1], proving some fixed point results for mappings satisfying a rational inequality in complex valued metric spaces. Afterwards, several papers have dealt with fixed point theory in complex valued metric spaces (see [3], [4], [6] and references therein).

Recently, Sintunavarat *et al.* [7] introduced the notion of a C-cauchy sequence in C-complete complex valued metric space and established the existence of common fixed point theorems in C-complete complex valued metric spaces. In sequel, Kumar *et al.* [5] proved common fixed point theorems for weakly compatible maps, weakly compatible along with (CLR) and E.A. Properties in C-complete complex valued metric spaces.

The aim of this paper is to establish and prove common fixed point theorems for a pair of mappings satisfying rational expressions having control functions as coefficients in C-complete complex valued metric spaces. Our results generalize and extend the results of Dubey *et al.* [2], Kumar *et al.* [5], and Sintunavarat *et al.* [7].

Consistent with Azam *et al.* [1], the following definitions and results will be needed in the sequel. Let  $\mathbb{C}$  be the set of complex numbers and  $z_1, z_2 \in \mathbb{C}$ . Define a partial order  $\preceq$  on  $\mathbb{C}$  as follows:

$z_1 \preceq z_2$  if and only if  $Re(z_1) \leq Re(z_2)$  and  $Im(z_1) \leq Im(z_2)$ , that is  $z_1 \preceq z_2$  if one of the following holds:

$$(C_1) \quad Re(z_1) = Re(z_2) \text{ and } Im(z_1) = Im(z_2);$$

$$(C_2) \quad Re(z_1) < Re(z_2) \text{ and } Im(z_1) = Im(z_2);$$

$$(C_3) \quad Re(z_1) = Re(z_2) \text{ and } Im(z_1) < Im(z_2);$$

$$(C_4) \quad Re(z_1) < Re(z_2) \text{ and } Im(z_1) < Im(z_2).$$

In particular, we will write  $z_1 \succ z_2$  if  $z_1 \neq z_2$  and one of  $(C_2)$ ,  $(C_3)$  and  $(C_4)$  is satisfied and we will write  $z_1 < z_2$  if only  $(C_4)$  is satisfied.

**Remark 1.1.** We note that the following statements hold:

- (i)  $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $a \leq b \implies az \preceq bz \quad \forall z \in \mathbb{C}$ .
- (ii)  $0 \preceq z_1 \succ z_2 \implies |z_1| < |z_2|$ .
- (iii)  $z_1 \preceq z_2$  and  $z_2 < z_3 \implies z_1 < z_3$ .

**Definition 1.2** ([1]). Let  $X$  be a nonempty set. Suppose that the mapping  $d : X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  satisfies the following conditions;

$$(d1) \quad 0 \preceq d(x, y) \text{ for all } x, y \in X \text{ and } d(x, y) = 0 \text{ if and only if } x = y;$$

$$(d2) \quad d(x, y) = d(y, x) \text{ for all } x, y \in X;$$

$$(d3) \quad d(x, y) \preceq d(x, z) + d(z, y) \text{ for all } x, y, z \in X.$$

Then  $d$  is called a complex valued metric on  $X$  and  $(X, d)$  is called a complex valued metric space.

**Example 1.3.** Let  $X = \mathbb{C}$ . Define the mapping  $d : X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  by

$$d(z_1, z_2) = |x_1 - x_2| + i |y_1 - y_2|,$$

where  $z_1 = x_1 + iy_1$  and  $z_2 = x_2 + iy_2$ . Then  $(X, d)$  is a complex-valued metric space.

**Definition 1.4** ([1]). Let  $(X, d)$  be a complex valued metric space.

- (1) A point  $x \in X$  is called an interior point of a set  $A \subseteq X$  whenever there exists  $0 < r \in \mathbb{C}$  such that  $B(x, r) = \{y \in X : d(x, y) < r\} \subseteq A$ .
- (2) A point  $x \in X$  is called a limit point of  $A$  whenever, for all  $0 < r \in \mathbb{C}$ ,

$$B(x, r) \cap (A - \{x\}) \neq \emptyset.$$

- (3) A set  $A \subseteq X$  is called open set whenever each element of  $A$  is an interior point of  $A$ .

- (4) A set  $A \subseteq X$  is called closed set whenever each limit point of  $A$  belongs to  $A$ .
- (5) A sub-basis for a Hausdorff topology  $\tau$  on  $X$  is the family

$$F = \{B(x, r) : x \in X \text{ and } 0 < r\}.$$

**Definition 1.5** ([1]). Let  $(X, d)$  be a complex valued metric space,  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence in  $X$  and let  $x \in X$ .

- (1) If for any  $c \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $0 < c$ , there exists  $N \in \mathbb{N}$  such that for all  $n > N$ ,  $d(x_n, x) < c$ , then  $\{x_n\}$  is said to be convergent to a point  $x \in X$  or  $\{x_n\}$  converges to a point  $x \in X$  and  $x$  is the limit point of  $\{x_n\}$ . We denote this by  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = x$  or  $x_n \rightarrow x$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .
- (2) If for any  $c \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $0 < c$ , there exists  $N \in \mathbb{N}$  such that for all  $n > N$ ,  $d(x_n, x_{n+m}) < c$ , where  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ , then  $\{x_n\}$  is called a Cauchy sequence in  $X$ .
- (3) If for every Cauchy sequence in  $X$  is convergent, then  $(X, d)$  is said to be complete complex valued metric space.

**Lemma 1.6** ([1]). Let  $(X, d)$  be a complex valued metric space and  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence in  $X$ . Then  $\{x_n\}$  converges to  $x$  if and only if  $|d(x_n, x)| \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .

**Lemma 1.7** ([1]). Let  $(X, d)$  be a complex valued metric space and let  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence in  $X$ . Then  $\{x_n\}$  is a Cauchy sequence if and only if  $|d(x_n, x_{n+m})| \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  where  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ .

Further, In 2013, Sintunavarat *et al.* [7] introduced the notion of a C-Cauchy sequence in C-complete complex valued metric space as follows:

**Definition 1.8** ([7]). Let  $(X, d)$  be a complex valued metric space and  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence in  $X$  and  $x \in X$ .

- (i) If for any  $c \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $0 < c$ , there exists  $k \in \mathbb{N}$  such that for all  $m, n > k$ ,  $d(x_n, x_m) < c$ , then  $\{x_n\}$  is called a C-Cauchy sequence in  $X$ .
- (ii) If every C-Cauchy sequence in  $X$  is convergent, then  $(X, d)$  is said to be a C-complete complex valued metric space.

## 2. Main Results

Throughout this paper,  $\mathbb{R}$  denotes a set of real numbers,  $\mathbb{C}_+$  denotes a set  $\{c \in \mathbb{C} : 0 \preceq c\}$  and  $\Gamma$  denotes the class of all functions  $\mu : \mathbb{C}_+ \times \mathbb{C}_+ \rightarrow [0, 1)$  which satisfies the condition:

$$\begin{aligned} &\text{for } (x_n, y_n) \text{ in } \mathbb{C}_+ \times \mathbb{C}_+, \\ &\mu(x_n, y_n) \rightarrow 1 \implies (x_n, y_n) \rightarrow 0. \end{aligned}$$

In 2013, Sintunavarat *et al.* [7] proved the following fixed point result:

Let  $S$  and  $T$  be self mappings of a C-complete complex valued metric space  $(X, d)$ . If there exists mappings  $\alpha, \beta : \mathbb{C}_+ \rightarrow [0, 1)$  such that for all  $x, y \in X$  :

- (a)  $\alpha(x) + \beta(x) < 1$ ,
- (b) the mapping  $\gamma : \mathbb{C}_+ \rightarrow [0, 1)$  defined by  $\gamma(x) = \frac{\alpha(x)}{1 - \beta(x)}$  belongs to  $\Gamma$ ,

$$(c) \ d(Sx, Ty) \preceq \alpha(d(x, y))d(x, y) + \beta(d(x, y)) \frac{d(x, Sx)d(y, Ty)}{1+d(x, y)}.$$

Then  $S$  and  $T$  have a unique common fixed point. Next, we prove our main results.

**Theorem 2.1.** Let  $S$  and  $T$  be self mappings of a  $C$ -complete complex valued metric space  $(X, d)$ . If there exists mappings  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma: \mathbb{C}_+ \times \mathbb{C}_+ \rightarrow [0, 1)$  such that for all  $x, y$  in  $X$ :

$$(i) \ \alpha(x, y) + \beta(x, y) + \gamma(x, y) < 1, \quad (2.1)$$

$$(ii) \ \text{the mapping } \mu: \mathbb{C}_+ \times \mathbb{C}_+ \rightarrow [0, 1) \text{ defined by } \mu(x, y) := \frac{\alpha(x, y)}{1-\beta(x, y)} \text{ belongs to } \Gamma, \quad (2.2)$$

$$(iii) \ d(Sx, Ty) \preceq \alpha(x, y)d(x, y) + \beta(x, y) \frac{d(y, Ty)[1+d(x, Sx)]}{1+d(x, y)} + \gamma(x, y) \frac{d(y, Sx)[1+d(x, Ty)]}{1+d(x, y)}. \quad (2.3)$$

Then  $S$  and  $T$  have a unique common fixed point.

*Proof.* Let  $x_0$  be an arbitrary point in  $X$ . We construct the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in  $X$  such that

$$x_{2n+1} = Sx_{2n}, \quad x_{2n+2} = Tx_{2n+1}, \quad \text{for all } n \geq 0. \quad (2.4)$$

For  $n \geq 0$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned} d(x_{2n+1}, x_{2n+2}) &= d(Sx_{2n}, Tx_{2n+1}) \\ &\preceq \alpha(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1})d(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1}) \\ &\quad + \beta(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1}) \frac{d(x_{2n+1}, Tx_{2n+1})[1+d(x_{2n}, Sx_{2n})]}{1+d(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1})} \\ &\quad + \gamma(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1}) \frac{d(x_{2n+1}, Sx_{2n})[1+d(x_{2n}, Tx_{2n+1})]}{1+d(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1})} \\ &= \alpha(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1})d(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1}) \\ &\quad + \beta(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1}) \frac{d(x_{2n+1}, x_{2n+2})[1+d(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1})]}{1+d(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1})} \\ &\quad + \gamma(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1}) \frac{d(x_{2n+1}, x_{2n+1})[1+d(x_{2n}, x_{2n+2})]}{1+d(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1})} \\ &\preceq \alpha(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1})d(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1}) + \beta(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1})d(x_{2n+1}, x_{2n+2}), \end{aligned}$$

which implies that

$$d(x_{2n+1}, x_{2n+2}) \preceq \mu(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1})d(x_{2n}, x_{2n+1}) \quad (2.5)$$

where  $\mu(x, y) = \frac{\alpha(x, y)}{1-\beta(x, y)}$ .

Similarly, for  $n \geq 0$ , we get

$$d(x_{2n+2}, x_{2n+3}) \preceq \mu(x_{2n+1}, x_{2n+2})d(x_{2n+1}, x_{2n+2}). \quad (2.6)$$

From (2.5) and (2.6), we get

$$d(x_n, x_{n+1}) \preceq \mu(x_{n-1}, x_n)d(x_{n-1}, x_n) \quad \text{for all } n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

Therefore, we get

$$|d(x_n, x_{n+1})| \leq \mu(x_{n-1}, x_n)|d(x_{n-1}, x_n)| \leq |d(x_{n-1}, x_n)|, \quad (2.7)$$

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

This implies that the sequence  $\{|d(x_{n-1}, x_n)|\}$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  is monotone non-increasing and bounded below, therefore,

$$|d(x_{n-1}, x_n)| \rightarrow r \text{ for some } r \geq 0.$$

Next, we claim that  $r = 0$ . Assume to the contrary that  $r > 0$ . Proceeding limit as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , we have from (2.7),  $\mu(x_{n-1}, x_n) \rightarrow 1$ . Since  $\mu \in \Gamma$ , we get  $(x_{n-1}, x_n) \rightarrow 0$ , that is

$$|d(x_{n-1}, x_n)| \rightarrow 0, \text{ which is a contradiction.}$$

Therefore, we have  $r = 0$ , that is

$$|d(x_{n-1}, x_n)| \rightarrow 0. \tag{2.8}$$

Next, we show that  $\{x_n\}$  is a C-Cauchy sequence. According to (2.8), it is sufficient to prove that the subsequence  $\{x_{2n}\}$  is a C-Cauchy sequence. Let, if possible,  $\{x_{2n}\}$  is not a C-Cauchy sequence. So there is  $c \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $0 < c$ , for which, for all  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ , there exists  $m(k) > n(k) \geq k$ , such that

$$d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)}) \not\preceq c. \tag{2.9}$$

Further, corresponding to  $n(k)$ , we can choose  $m(k)$  in such a way that it is the smallest integer with  $m(k) > n(k) \geq k$  satisfying (2.9). Then, we have

$$d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)}) \not\preceq c \tag{2.10}$$

and

$$d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)-2}) < c. \tag{2.11}$$

From (2.10) and (2.11), we have

$$\begin{aligned} c &\preceq d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)}) \\ &\preceq d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)-2}) + d(x_{2m(k)-2}, x_{2m(k)-1}) + d(x_{2m(k)-1}, x_{2m(k)}) \\ &< c + d(x_{2m(k)-2}, x_{2m(k)-1}) + d(x_{2m(k)-1}, x_{2m(k)}). \end{aligned}$$

This implies that

$$|c| \leq |d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)})| \leq |c| + |d(x_{2m(k)-2}, x_{2m(k)-1})| + |d(x_{2m(k)-1}, x_{2m(k)})|.$$

Letting  $k \rightarrow \infty$ , we get

$$|d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)})| \rightarrow |c|. \tag{2.12}$$

Further, we have

$$\begin{aligned} d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)}) &\preceq d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1}) + d(x_{2m(k)+1}, x_{2m(k)}) \\ &\preceq d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)}) + d(x_{2m(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1}) + d(x_{2m(k)+1}, x_{2m(k)}), \end{aligned}$$

implies that

$$|d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)})| \leq |d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)})| + |d(x_{2m(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1})| + |d(x_{2m(k)+1}, x_{2m(k)})|.$$

Letting  $k \rightarrow \infty$  and using (2.8) and (2.12), we get

$$|d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1})| \rightarrow |c|. \tag{2.13}$$

Now

$$d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1}) \preceq d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2n(k)+1}) + d(x_{2n(k)+1}, x_{2m(k)+2}) + d(x_{2m(k)+2}, x_{2m(k)+1})$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2n(k)+1}) + d(Sx_{2n(k)}, Tx_{2m(k)+1}) + d(x_{2m(k)+2}, x_{2m(k)+1}) \\
&\preceq d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2n(k)+1}) + \alpha(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1}) d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1}) \\
&\quad + \beta(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1}) \frac{d(x_{2m(k)+1}, Tx_{2m(k)+1}) [1 + d(x_{2n(k)}, Sx_{2n(k)})]}{1 + d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1})} \\
&\quad + \gamma(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1}) \frac{d(x_{2m(k)+1}, Sx_{2n(k)}) [1 + d(x_{2n(k)}, Tx_{2m(k)+1})]}{1 + d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1})} \\
&\quad + d(x_{2m(k)+2}, x_{2m(k)+1}) \\
&= d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2n(k)+1}) + \alpha(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1}) d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1}) \\
&\quad + \beta(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1}) \frac{d(x_{2m(k)+1}, x_{2m(k)+2}) [1 + d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2n(k)+1})]}{1 + d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1})} \\
&\quad + \gamma(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1}) \frac{d(x_{2m(k)+1}, x_{2n(k)+1}) [1 + d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+2})]}{1 + d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1})} \\
&\quad + d(x_{2m(k)+2}, x_{2m(k)+1})
\end{aligned}$$

implies that

$$\begin{aligned}
|d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1})| &\leq |d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2n(k)+1})| + \alpha(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1}) |d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1})| \\
&\quad + \beta(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1}) \left| \frac{d(x_{2m(k)+1}, x_{2m(k)+2}) [1 + d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2n(k)+1})]}{1 + d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1})} \right| \\
&\quad + \gamma(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1}) \left| \frac{d(x_{2m(k)+1}, x_{2n(k)+1}) [1 + d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+2})]}{1 + d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1})} \right| \\
&\quad + |d(x_{2m(k)+2}, x_{2m(k)+1})| \\
&\leq |d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2n(k)+1})| + \alpha(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1}) |d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1})| \\
&\quad + \left| \frac{d(x_{2m(k)+1}, x_{2m(k)+2}) [1 + d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2n(k)+1})]}{1 + d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1})} \right| \\
&\quad + \left| \frac{d(x_{2m(k)+1}, x_{2n(k)+1}) [1 + d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+2})]}{1 + d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1})} \right| + |d(x_{2m(k)+2}, x_{2m(k)+1})| \\
&\leq |d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2n(k)+1})| + \frac{\alpha(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1})}{1 - \beta(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1})} |d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1})| \\
&\quad + \left| \frac{d(x_{2m(k)+1}, x_{2m(k)+2}) [1 + d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2n(k)+1})]}{1 + d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1})} \right| \\
&\quad + \left| \frac{d(x_{2m(k)+1}, x_{2n(k)+1}) [1 + d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+2})]}{1 + d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1})} \right| + |d(x_{2m(k)+2}, x_{2m(k)+1})| \\
&\leq |d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2n(k)+1})| + \mu(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1}) |d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1})| \\
&\quad + \left| \frac{d(x_{2m(k)+1}, x_{2m(k)+2}) [1 + d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2n(k)+1})]}{1 + d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1})} \right| \\
&\quad + \left| \frac{d(x_{2m(k)+1}, x_{2n(k)+1}) [1 + d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+2})]}{1 + d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1})} \right| + |d(x_{2m(k)+2}, x_{2m(k)+1})|.
\end{aligned}$$

Letting limit as  $k \rightarrow \infty$ , we get

$$|c| \leq \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \mu(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1})|c| \leq |c|,$$

which implies that  $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \mu(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1}) = 1$ .

Since  $\mu \in \Gamma$ , we get  $(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)}) \rightarrow 0$ , that is  $|d(x_{2n(k)}, x_{2m(k)+1})| \rightarrow 0$ , which contradicts  $0 < c$ . Therefore, we can conclude that  $\{x_{2n}\}$  is C-Cauchy sequence and hence  $\{x_n\}$  is a C-Cauchy sequence in  $X$  and  $X$  is complete, so there exists a point  $z$  in  $X$  such that  $x_n \rightarrow z$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .

Next, we prove that  $Sz = z$ . If  $Sz \neq z$  then  $d(Sz, z) > 0$ .

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} d(z, Sz) &\preceq d(z, x_{2n+2}) + d(x_{2n+2}, Sz) \\ &= d(z, x_{2n+2}) + d(Tx_{2n+1}, Sz) \\ &= d(z, x_{2n+2}) + d(Sz, Tx_{2n+1}) \\ &\preceq d(x_{2n+2}, z) + \alpha(z, x_{2n+1})d(z, x_{2n+1}) + \beta(z, x_{2n+1}) \frac{d(x_{2n+1}, Tx_{2n+1})[1 + d(z, Sz)]}{1 + d(z, x_{2n+1})} \\ &\quad + \gamma(z, x_{2n+1}) \frac{d(x_{2n+1}, Sz)[1 + d(z, Tx_{2n+1})]}{1 + d(z, x_{2n+1})} \\ &= d(x_{2n+2}, z) + \alpha(z, x_{2n+1})d(z, x_{2n+1}) \\ &\quad + \beta(z, x_{2n+1}) \frac{d(x_{2n+1}, x_{2n+2})[1 + d(z, Sz)]}{1 + d(z, x_{2n+1})} + \gamma(z, x_{2n+1}) \frac{d(x_{2n+1}, Sz)[1 + d(z, x_{2n+2})]}{1 + d(z, x_{2n+1})}. \end{aligned}$$

Letting  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , we get

$$d(z, Sz) \preceq d(z, z) + \alpha(z, z)d(z, z) + \beta(z, z) \frac{d(z, z)[1 + d(z, Sz)]}{1 + d(z, z)} + \gamma(z, z) \frac{d(z, Sz)[1 + d(z, z)]}{1 + d(z, z)}$$

that is  $|d(z, Sz)| \leq \gamma(z, z)|d(z, Sz)|$ , which is a contradiction.

Thus, we get  $Sz = z$ . Similarly, we get  $Tz = z$ . Therefore  $z = Sz = Tz$ , that is,  $z$  is a common fixed point of  $S$  and  $T$ .

Finally, we show that  $z$  is the unique common fixed point of  $S$  and  $T$ . Assume that there exists another point  $\omega$  such that  $\omega = S\omega = T\omega$ . From (2.3), we have

$$\begin{aligned} d(z, \omega) &= d(Sz, T\omega) \\ &\preceq \alpha(z, \omega)d(z, \omega) + \beta(z, \omega) \frac{d(\omega, T\omega)[1 + d(z, Sz)]}{1 + d(z, \omega)} + \gamma(z, \omega) \frac{d(\omega, Sz)[1 + d(z, T\omega)]}{1 + d(z, \omega)} \\ &= \alpha(z, \omega)d(z, \omega) + \gamma(z, \omega) \frac{d(\omega, Sz)[1 + d(z, T\omega)]}{1 + d(z, \omega)} \\ &\preceq [\alpha(z, \omega) + \gamma(z, \omega)]d(z, \omega), \end{aligned}$$

that is

$$|d(z, \omega)| \leq [\alpha(z, \omega) + \gamma(z, \omega)]|d(z, \omega)|,$$

which implies that  $\alpha(z, \omega) + \gamma(z, \omega) \geq 1$ , which is contradiction and hence  $z = \omega$ . Therefore,  $z$  is a unique common fixed point of  $S$  and  $T$ . □

**Corollary 2.2.** Let  $S$  and  $T$  be self mappings of a  $C$ -complete complex valued metric space  $(X, d)$  satisfying the following:

$$d(Sx, Ty) \preceq ad(x, y) + b \frac{d(y, Ty)[1 + d(x, Sx)]}{1 + d(x, y)} + c \frac{d(y, Sx)[1 + d(x, Ty)]}{1 + d(x, y)} \quad (2.14)$$

for all  $x, y$  in  $X$ , where  $a, b, c$  are non-negative reals with  $a + b + c < 1$ . Then  $S$  and  $T$  have a unique common fixed point.

*Proof.* By putting  $\alpha(x, y) = a$ ,  $\beta(x, y) = b$ ,  $\gamma(x, y) = c$  in Theorem 2.1, we get the required result.  $\square$

**Corollary 2.3.** Let  $T$  be self map of a  $C$ -complete complex valued metric space  $(X, d)$ . If there exists mappings  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma : \mathbb{C}_+ \times \mathbb{C}_+ \rightarrow [0, 1)$  satisfying (2.1), (2.2) and the following:

$$d(Tx, Ty) \preceq \alpha(x, y)d(x, y) + \beta(x, y) \frac{d(y, Ty)[1 + d(x, Tx)]}{1 + d(x, y)} + \gamma(x, y) \frac{d(y, Tx)[1 + d(x, Ty)]}{1 + d(x, y)} \quad (2.15)$$

for all  $x, y$  in  $X$ . Then  $T$  has a unique fixed point in  $X$ .

*Proof.* By putting  $S = T$  in Theorem 2.1, we get the required result.  $\square$

**Corollary 2.4.** Let  $T$  be self mapping of a  $C$ -complete complex valued metric space  $(X, d)$  satisfying the following:

$$d(Tx, Ty) \preceq ad(x, y) + b \frac{d(y, Ty)[1 + d(x, Tx)]}{1 + d(x, y)} + c \frac{d(y, Tx)[1 + d(x, Ty)]}{1 + d(x, y)} \quad (2.16)$$

for all  $x, y$  in  $X$ , where  $a, b, c$  are non-negative reals with  $a + b + c < 1$ . Then  $T$  has a unique fixed point in  $X$ .

*Proof.* By putting  $\alpha(x, y) = a$ ,  $\beta(x, y) = b$ ,  $\gamma(x, y) = c$  in Corollary 2.3, we get the required result.  $\square$

**Theorem 2.5.** Let  $T$  be self map of a  $C$ -complete complex valued metric space  $(X, d)$ . If there exists mappings  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma : \mathbb{C}_+ \times \mathbb{C}_+ \rightarrow [0, 1)$  satisfying (2.1), (2.2) and the following:

$$d(T^n x, T^n y) \preceq \alpha(x, y)d(x, y) + \beta(x, y) \frac{d(y, T^n y)[1 + d(x, T^n x)]}{1 + d(x, y)} + \gamma(x, y) \frac{d(y, T^n x)[1 + d(x, T^n y)]}{1 + d(x, y)} \quad (2.17)$$

for all  $x, y$  in  $X$  some  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then  $T$  has a unique fixed point in  $X$ .

*Proof.* From Corollary 2.3,  $T^n$  has a fixed point  $z$ . But  $T^n$  has a fixed point  $Tz$ , since  $T^n(Tz) = T(T^n z) = Tz$ . Therefore  $Tz = z$  by the uniqueness of a fixed point  $T^n$ . Therefore,  $z$  is also a fixed point of  $T$ . Since the fixed point of  $T$  is also a fixed point of  $T^n$ , the fixed point of  $T$  is also unique.  $\square$



**Corollary 2.6.** Let  $T$  be self mapping of a C-complete complex valued metric space  $(X, d)$  satisfying the following:

$$d(T^n x, T^n y) \preceq ad(x, y) + b \frac{d(y, T^n y)[1 + d(x, T^n x)]}{1 + d(x, y)} + c \frac{d(y, T^n x)[1 + d(x, T^n y)]}{1 + d(x, y)} \quad (2.18)$$

where  $a, b, c$  are non-negative reals with  $a + b + c < 1$ . Then  $T$  has a unique fixed point in  $X$ .

*Proof.* By putting  $\alpha(x, y) = a$ ,  $\beta(x, y) = b$ ,  $\gamma(x, y) = c$  in Theorem 2.5, we get the required result. □

**Theorem 2.7.** Let  $S$  and  $T$  be self mappings of a C-complete complex valued metric space  $(X, d)$ . If there exists mapping  $\alpha, \beta: \mathbb{C}_+ \rightarrow [0, 1)$  such that for all  $x, y$  in  $X$ :

$$(i) \alpha(x) + \beta(x) < 1, \quad (2.19)$$

$$(ii) \text{ the mapping } \mu: \mathbb{C}_+ \rightarrow [0, 1) \text{ defined by } \mu(x) = \frac{\alpha(x)}{1 - \beta(x)} \text{ belongs to } \Gamma, \quad (2.20)$$

$$(iii) d(Sx, Ty) \preceq \alpha(d(x, y))d(x, y) + \beta(d(x, y)) \frac{d(y, Ty)[1 + d(x, Sx)]}{1 + d(x, y)}. \quad (2.21)$$

Then  $S$  and  $T$  have a unique common fixed point in  $X$ .

*Proof.* Define  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma: \mathbb{C}_+ \times \mathbb{C}_+ \rightarrow [0, 1)$  by

$$\alpha(x, y) = \alpha(d(x, y)), \quad \beta(x, y) = \beta(d(x, y)), \quad \gamma(x, y) = 0 \text{ for all } x, y \text{ in } X.$$

Now using Theorem 2.1, we get the required result. □

**Corollary 2.8.** Let  $S$  and  $T$  be self mappings of a C-complete complex valued metric space  $(X, d)$  satisfying the following:

$$d(Sx, Ty) \preceq ad(x, y) + b \frac{d(y, Ty)[1 + d(x, Sx)]}{1 + d(x, y)}, \quad (2.22)$$

for all  $x, y$  in  $X$ , where  $a, b$  are non-negative reals with  $a + b < 1$ . Then  $S$  and  $T$  have a unique common fixed point.

*Proof.* By putting  $\alpha(x) = a$ ,  $\beta(x) = b$  in Theorem 2.7, we get the required result. □

**Corollary 2.9.** Let  $T$  be a self map of a C-complete complex valued metric space  $(X, d)$ . If there exists mappings  $\alpha, \beta: \mathbb{C}_+ \rightarrow [0, 1)$  satisfying (2.19), (2.20) and the following:

$$d(Tx, Ty) \preceq \alpha(d(x, y))d(x, y) + \beta(d(x, y)) \frac{d(y, Ty)[1 + d(x, Tx)]}{1 + d(x, y)}, \quad (2.23)$$

for all  $x, y$  in  $X$ . Then  $T$  has a unique fixed point in  $X$ .

*Proof.* By putting  $S = T$  in Theorem 2.7, we get the required result. □

**Corollary 2.10.** Let  $T$  be self mapping of a C-complete complex valued metric space  $(X, d)$  satisfying the following:

$$d(Tx, Ty) \preceq ad(x, y) + b \frac{d(y, Ty)[1 + d(x, Tx)]}{1 + d(x, y)}, \quad (2.24)$$

for all  $x, y$  in  $X$ , where  $a, b$  are non-negative reals with  $a + b < 1$ . Then  $T$  has a unique fixed point in  $X$ .

*Proof.* By putting  $\alpha(x) = a$ ,  $\beta(x) = b$  in Corollary 2.9, we get the required result.  $\square$

**Theorem 2.11.** Let  $T$  be self map of a C-complete complex valued metric space  $(X, d)$ . If there exists mapping  $\alpha, \beta : \mathbb{C}_+ \rightarrow [0, 1)$  satisfying (2.19), (2.20) and the following:

$$d(T^n x, T^n y) \preceq \alpha(d(x, y))d(x, y) + \beta(d(x, y)) \frac{d(y, T^n y)[1 + d(x, T^n x)]}{1 + d(x, y)}, \quad (2.25)$$

for all  $x, y$  in  $X$  and some  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then  $T$  has a unique fixed point in  $X$ .

*Proof.* From Corollary 2.9,  $T^n$  has a fixed point  $Z$ . Since  $T^n(Tz) = T(T^n z) = Tz$ , we get  $Tz$  is a fixed point of  $T^n$ . Therefore,  $Tz = Z$  by the uniqueness of a fixed point  $T^n$ . Therefore,  $z$  is also a fixed point of  $T$ . Since the fixed point of  $T$  is also a fixed point of  $T^n$ , we get that fixed point of  $T$  is also unique.  $\square$

**Corollary 2.12.** Let  $T$  be self mapping of a C-complete complex valued metric space  $(X, d)$  satisfying the following:

$$d(T^n x, T^n y) \preceq ad(x, y) + b \frac{d(y, T^n y)[1 + d(x, T^n x)]}{1 + d(x, y)}, \quad (2.26)$$

for all  $x, y$  in  $X$  and some  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , where  $a, b$  are non-negative reals with  $a + b < 1$ . Then  $T$  has a unique fixed point in  $X$ .

*Proof.* By putting  $\alpha(x) = a$ ,  $\beta(x) = b$  in Theorem 2.11, we get the required result.  $\square$

### 3. Conclusion

The aim of this paper is to investigate common fixed point theorems for a pair of mappings satisfying rational inequality in the framework of C-complex valued metric spaces. The future scope of our results, to obtain the existence and uniqueness of a common solution of the system of Urysohn integral equations. The integral equation plays very significant and important role in mathematical analysis and has various applications in real world problems.

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