

# Fixed Point Theorem of Self mapping in a Complete 2-Banach Space

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**Abstract:** This paper deals with few common fixed point theorems of self mapping in complete 2-Banach space which generalize the results of Som (2005), Amalendu Choudhury and T. Som (2011) and Mukti Gangopadhyay, Mantu Saha & A.P. Baisnab (2009).

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

The concept of 2-Banach space and some basic fixed point results are given by Gahler in 1960. In this paper I find some results in fixed point theory in a 2-Banach space by working with self mapping in a complete 2-Banach space.

## 2. PRELIMINARIES

### Definition 2.1 :

Let  $X$  be a real linear space and  $\| \cdot, \cdot \|$  be a non-negative real valued function defined on  $X$  satisfying the following conditions.

- (i)  $\|x, y\| = 0$  if and only if  $x$  and  $y$  are linearly independent.
- (ii)  $\|x, y\| = \|y, x\|$  for all  $x, y \in X$
- (iii)  $\|x, ay\| = |a|\|x, y\|$ ,  $a$  being real, for all  $x, y \in X$
- (iv)  $\|x, y + z\| \leq \|x, y\| + \|x, z\|$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$

Then  $\| \cdot, \cdot \|$  is called a 2-norm and the pair  $(X, \| \cdot, \cdot \|)$  is called a linear 2-normed space. So, a 2-norm  $\|x, y\|$  always satisfies  $\|x, y + ax\| = \|x, y\|$  for all  $x, y \in X$  and all scalars  $a$ .

### Definition 2.2:

A sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in a 2-normed linear space  $(X, \| \cdot, \cdot \|)$  is said to be convergent to an element  $x \in X$  if  $\|x_n - x, a\| = 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  and for all  $a \in X$ .

### Definition 2.3:

If the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  converges to  $x$  then  $\|x_n - a, b\| = \|x - a, b\|$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  & for all  $a, b \in X$ .

**Definition 2.4:**

A sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in a 2-normed linear space  $(X, \|\cdot, \cdot\|)$  is a Cauchy sequence if  $\|x_m - x_n, a\| = 0$  as  $m, n \rightarrow \infty$  and for all  $a \in X$ .

**Definition 2.5:**

If a sequence is convergent in a 2-normed linear space, then it is a Cauchy sequence.

**Definition 2.6:**

A 2-normed linear space  $(X, \|\cdot, \cdot\|)$  is said to be complete if every Cauchy sequence in  $X$  is convergent.

### 3. PROPOSITIONS

**3.1 :** If a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in a 2-normed linear space converges to  $x$  then every subsequence of  $\{x_n\}$  also converges to the same limit  $x$ .

**3.2 :** Limit of a sequence in a 2-normed linear space if it exists is unique.

### 4. MAIN RESULTS

**Theorem 4.1 :** Let  $(X, \|\cdot, \cdot\|)$  be a complete 2-normed linear space. Let  $T$  be a self map on  $X$  satisfying conditions:

$$\|T^i(x) - T^i(y), a\| \leq \beta_i[\|y - Ty, a\| + \|y - Tx, a\|] + \gamma_i[\|x - y, a\|] \text{ for all } x, y, a \in X. \dots(1)$$

$$\text{Let } \beta_i \geq 0, 0 \leq \gamma_i \leq 1 \text{ (} i = 1, 2, 3, \dots \text{) with } \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} (\beta_i + \gamma_i) < \infty.$$

Then  $T$  has a unique fixed point in  $X$ .

Proof : Let any  $x \in X$ .

$$\text{Let } x_n = T^n x_0$$

$$\text{Then } \|Tx_0 - T^2x_0, a\| = \|Tx_0 - TTx_0, a\|$$

$$\leq \beta_1[\|Tx_0 - TTx_0, a\| + \|Tx_0 - Tx_0, a\|] + \gamma_1[\|x_0 - Tx_0, a\|] \text{ (From (1))}$$

$$= \beta_1[\|Tx_0 - T^2x_0, a\| + \|x_1 - x_1, a\|] + \gamma_1[\|x_0 - Tx_0, a\|]$$

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$$\|Tx_0 - T^2x_0, a\| \leq \beta_1 [\|Tx_0 - T^2x_0, a\|] + \gamma_1 [\|x_0 - Tx_0, a\|]$$

$$\|Tx_0 - T^2x_0, a\| - \beta_1 [\|Tx_0 - T^2x_0, a\|] \leq \gamma_1 [\|x_0 - Tx_0, a\|]$$

$$\|Tx_0 - T^2x_0, a\| [1 - \beta_1] \leq \gamma_1 [\|x_0 - Tx_0, a\|]$$

$$\|Tx_0 - T^2x_0, a\| \leq \frac{\gamma_1}{[1-\beta_1]} [\|x_0 - Tx_0, a\|] \dots (2)$$

Now,  $\|x_n - x_{n+1}, a\| = \|T^n x_0 - T^{n+1} x_0, a\|$

$$= \|T^n x_0 - T^n T x_0, a\|$$

$$\leq \beta_n [\|T x_0 - T T x_0, a\| + \|T x_0 - T x_0, a\|] + \gamma_n \|x_0 - T x_0, a\|$$

$$= \beta_n \|T x_0 - T^2 x_0, a\| + \gamma_n \|x_0 - T x_0, a\|$$

$$\|x_n - x_{n+1}, a\| \leq \beta_n \|T x_0 - T^2 x_0, a\| + \gamma_n \|x_0 - T x_0, a\|$$

$$\leq \beta_n \frac{\gamma_1}{1 - \beta_1} \|x_0 - T x_0, a\| + \gamma_n \|x_0 - T x_0, a\| \text{ [From (2)]}$$

$$= \left( \beta_n \frac{\gamma_1}{1 - \beta_1} + \gamma_n \right) \|x_0 - T x_0, a\|$$

$$\therefore \|x_n - x_{n+1}, a\| \leq \left( \beta_n \frac{\gamma_1}{1 - \beta_1} + \gamma_n \right) \|x_0 - T x_0, a\| \dots (3)$$

$$\|x_n - x_{n+2}, a\| = \|x_n - x_{n+1} + x_{n+1} - x_{n+2}, a\|$$

$$\leq \|x_n - x_{n+1}, a\| + \|x_{n+1} - x_{n+2}, a\|$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^1 \|x_{n+k} - x_{n+k+1}, a\|$$

$$\|x_n - x_{n+3}, a\| = \|x_n - x_{n+1} + x_{n+1} - x_{n+3}, a\|$$

$$\leq \|x_n - x_{n+1}, a\| + \|x_{n+1} - x_{n+3}, a\|$$

$$= \|x_n - x_{n+1}, a\| + \|x_{n+1} - x_{n+2} + x_{n+2} - x_{n+3}, a\|$$

$$\leq \|x_n - x_{n+1}, a\| + \|x_{n+1} - x_{n+2}, a\| + \|x_{n+2} - x_{n+3}, a\|$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^2 \|x_{n+k} - x_{n+k+1}, a\|$$

So for any positive integer p,

$$\begin{aligned} \|x_n - x_{n+p}, a\| &\leq \sum_{k=0}^{p-1} \|x_{n+k} - x_{n+k+1}, a\| \\ \|x_n - x_{n+p}, a\| &= \|x_{n+p} - x_n, a\| \\ &\leq \sum_{k=0}^{p-1} \|x_{n+k} - x_{n+k+1}, a\| \\ &\leq \left\{ \sum_{k=0}^{p-1} \left( \frac{\gamma_1}{1 - \beta_1} \right) \beta_{n+k} + \gamma_{n+k} \right\} \|x_0 - Tx_0, a\| \quad \text{From (3)} \\ &= \left( \frac{\gamma_1}{1 - \beta_1} \right) \left\{ \sum_{k=0}^{p-1} \beta_{n+k} + \sum_{k=0}^{p-1} \gamma_{n+k} \right\} \|x_0 - Tx_0, a\| \end{aligned}$$

Since  $\sum_n (\beta_n + \gamma_n) < \infty$ ,  $\|x_{n+p} - x_n, a\| \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$

Since,  $\{x_n\}$  is a Cauchy sequence in X and X is complete,  $\|x_n - u, a\| = 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$

Again  $\|x_{n+1} - Tu, a\| = \|T^{n+1}x_0 - Tu, a\|$

$$= \|TT^n x_0 - Tu, a\|$$

$$\leq \beta_1 [\|u - Tu, a\| + \|u - TT^n x_0, a\|] + \gamma_1 [\|T^n x_0 - u, a\|] \quad [\text{From (1)}]$$

$$= \beta_1 [\|u - Tu, a\| + \|u - T^{n+1}x_0, a\|] + \gamma_1 [\|T^n x_0 - u, a\|]$$

$$= \beta_1 [\|u - Tu, a\| + \|u - x_{n+1}, a\|] + \gamma_1 [\|x_n - u, a\|]$$

$$\|x_{n+1} - Tu, a\| \leq \beta_1 [\|u - Tu, a\| + \|u - x_{n+1}, a\|] + \gamma_1 [\|x_n - u, a\|]$$

Taking the limit as  $n \rightarrow \infty$

$$\|x_n - u, a\| \rightarrow 0 \text{ \& \ } \|u - x_{n+1}, a\| \rightarrow 0$$

$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_{n+1} - Tu, a\| \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \beta_1 \|u - Tu, a\|$$

$$\text{i.e., } \|u - Tu, a\| \leq \beta_1 \|u - Tu, a\|$$

$$0 \leq \beta_1 \|u - Tu, a\| - \|u - Tu, a\|$$

$$= (\beta_1 - 1) \|u - Tu, a\|$$

$$\therefore (\beta_1 - 1) \|u - Tu, a\| \geq 0$$

Since,  $0 \leq \beta_i \leq 1, \|u - Tu, a\| = 0$

$$\therefore Tu = u$$

Thus  $u$  is a fixed point of  $T$ .

To prove the uniqueness.

Let  $u$  and  $v$  be two fixed points of  $T$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \|u - v, a\| &= \|Tu - Tv, a\| \\ &\leq \beta_1 [\|v - Tv, a\| + \|v - Tu, a\|] + \gamma_1 \|u - v, a\| \\ &= \beta_1 \|v - Tv, a\| + \beta_1 \|v - Tu, a\| + \gamma_1 \|u - v, a\| \\ &\leq \gamma_1 \|u - v, a\| \\ \therefore \|u - v, a\| &\leq \gamma_1 \|u - v, a\| \end{aligned}$$

Since,  $0 \leq \gamma_i \leq 1, u = v$ .

$\therefore$  The fixed point of  $T$  is unique.

**Theorem 4.2:**

Let  $(X, \|\cdot, \cdot\|)$  be a complete 2-normed linear space. Let  $T$  be a self-mapping on  $X$  satisfying the conditions:

$$\|T^i x - T^i y, a\| \leq \beta_i [\|y - Ty, a\| + \|y - Tx, a\|] + \gamma_i \|x - y, a\| \text{ for all } x, y, a \in X \text{ and}$$

$$0 \leq \beta_i, \gamma_i < 1 \ (i = 1, 2, 3, \dots \text{ with } \sum_n (\beta_n + \gamma_n) < \infty.$$

If for some  $x \in X, \{T^n(x_n)\}$  has a subsequence  $\{T^{n_k}(x)\}$  with  $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \{T^{n_k}(x)\} = u \in X$ . Then  $u$  is a unique fixed point of  $T$ .

**Proof :** We have for  $u, x, a \in X$

$$\begin{aligned} \|u - Tu, a\| &= \|u - T^{n_k+1}x + T^{n_k+1}x - Tu, a\| \\ &\leq \|u - T^{n_k+1}x, a\| + \|T^{n_k+1}x - Tu, a\| \\ \|T^{n_k+1}x - Tu, a\| &= \|TT^{n_k}x - Tu, a\| \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\leq \beta_1 [\|u - Tu, a\| + \|u - T^{n_{k+1}}x, a\|] + \gamma_1 \|T^{n_k}x - u, a\| \\ &= \beta_1 \|u - Tu, a\| + \beta_1 \|u - T^{n_{k+1}}x, a\| + \gamma_1 \|T^{n_k}x - u, a\| \end{aligned}$$

Taking the limit as  $k \rightarrow \infty$

$$\begin{aligned} \|u - Tu, a\| &\leq \beta_1 \|u - Tu, a\| \\ 0 &\leq \beta_1 \|u - Tu, a\| - \|u - Tu, a\| \\ 0 &\leq (\beta_1 - 1) \|u - Tu, a\| \\ (\beta_1 - 1) \|u - Tu, a\| &\geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

Since,  $0 \leq \beta_i \leq 1$ ,  $\|u - Tu, a\| = 0$

$$\therefore u = Tu$$

Hence  $u$  is a fixed point of  $T$ .

Clearly, the fixed point of  $T$  is unique.

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