

**COMMON FIXED POINT THEOREM ON M-FUZZY METRIC SPACE
USING THE CONCEPT OF COMPATIBILITY OF TYPE (P)**

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ABSTRACT

In this paper we prove a common fixed point theorem for compatible mappings of type (P) in M-fuzzy metric space modifying the result of M.Koireng and YumnamRohen [6] proved in fuzzy metric space.

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1. INTRODUCTION

In 1965, Zadeh [15] introduced the concept of fuzzy sets. In 1975, this basic tool impressed Kramosil and Michalek[7] to introduce the concept of fuzzy metric space, which was further extended by many authors as in 1994 George and Veeramani [4], in 1988 Grabiec [5], in 1995 Subrahmanyam[12] and in 1999 Vasuki[13]. Following the track in 1992 Dhage [1, 2, 3] put forward the theory of D- metric space to prove fixed point theorems which were un fortunately not valid. Keeping in mind in beginning of the century Sedgian Shobe [8] introduced D*-metric space by altering the tetrahedron inequality in D-metric and using D*-metric analogy, they defined M-fuzzy metric space and studied some fixed point theorems. Being the active field of research, researchers as S. S. Chauhan[9], S. S. Chauhan and Nidhi Joshi [10], S. S. Chauhan and Kiran Utreja [11]T. Veerapandi [14] proved their results in fixed point theorems using different contractive conditions. In this paper we are extending the result proved by M. Koireng and Yumnam Rohen [6] using the concept of compatible mappings in Fuzzy Metric Space to M-Fuzzy Metric Space.

2. PRELIMINARIES

Definition: 2.1 A binary operation $*: [0, 1] \times [0, 1] \rightarrow [0, 1]$ is a continuous t- norm if it satisfies the following conditions

- i. *is associative and commutative,
- ii. * is continuous,
- iii. $a^*1 = a$ for all $a \in [0, 1]$,
- iv. $a^*b \leq c^*d$ whenever $a \leq c$ and $b \leq d \forall a, b, c, d \in [0, 1]$.

Definition: 2.2 A 3-tuple $(X, M, *)$ is called a M_ fuzzy metric space if X is an arbitrary (non- empty) set, * is a continuous t- norm, and M is a fuzzy set on $X^3 \times (0, \infty)$, satisfying the following conditions for each $x, y, z, a \in X$ and $t, s > 0$,

- i. $M(x, y, z, t) > 0$,
- ii. $M(x, y, z, t) = 1$ if and only if $x = y = z$,
- iii. $M(x, y, z, t) = M(p\{x, y, z\}, t)$, (symmetry) where p is a permutation function,
- iv. $M(x, y, a, t) * M(a, z, z, s) \leq M(x, y, z, t+s)$,
- v. $M(x, y, z, .): (0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1]$ is a continuous,
- vi. $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} M(x, y, z, t) = 1$.

Lemma2.1. Let $(X, M, *)$ be M- fuzzy metric space, then for each $t > 0$ and for every $x, y \in X$ we have $M(x, x, y, t) = M(x, y, y, t)$.

Lemma2.2 Let $(X, M, *)$ be M- fuzzy metric space, then $M(x, y, z, t)$ is non-decreasing w.r.t t $\forall x, y, z, a \in X$.

Proof: For each $x, y, z, a \in X$ and $s, t > 0$, we have $M(x, y, a, t) * M(a, z, z, s) \leq M(x, y, z, t+s)$.

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If we set $a = z$, we get $M(x, y, z, t) * M(z, z, z, s) \leq M(x, y, z, t+s)$.

This implies $M(x, y, z, t) * 1 \leq M(x, y, z, t+s)$.

This implies $M(x, y, z, t+s) \geq M(x, y, z, t)$.

Thus $M(x, y, z, t)$ is a non-decreasing with respect to $t \forall x, y, z, a \in X$.

Lemma2.3. Let $\{x_n\}$ be a sequence in M-fuzzy metric space $(X, M, *)$ with the vi condition . If there exists a number $q \in (0, 1)$ such that

$M(x_n, x_n, x_{n+1}, t) \geq M(x_{n-1}, x_{n-1}, x_n, t/q) \forall t > 0$ and $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$ then $\{x_n\}$ is a Cauchy sequence.

Proof: By the simple induction, we have $\forall t > 0$ and $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$

$$\begin{aligned} M(x_n, x_n, x_{n+1}, t) &\geq M(x_{n-1}, x_{n-1}, x_n, t/q) \\ &\geq M(x_{n-2}, x_{n-2}, x_{n-1}, t/q^2) \\ &\dots \\ &\geq M(x_0, x_0, x_1, t/q^n). \end{aligned}$$

$$M(x_n, x_n, x_{n+1}, t) \geq M(x_0, x_0, x_1, t/q^n).$$

Thus by axiom iv and i for any positive integer p and $t > 0$, we get

$$\begin{aligned} M(x_n, x_n, x_{n+p}, t) &\geq M(x_n, x_n, x_{n+1}, t/p)* \dots p\text{-times} \dots M(x_{n+p-1}, x_{n+p-1}, x_{n+p}, t/p) \\ &\geq M(x_0, x_0, x_1, t/pq^n) \dots p\text{-times} \dots M(x_0, x_0, x_1, t/pq^{n+p-1}) \end{aligned}$$

Thus by (vi) axiom, we get $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} M(x_n, x_n, x_{n+p}, t) \geq 1 * \dots p - \text{times} \dots * 1$.

Which implies that $\{x_n\}$ is a Cauchy sequence in M-fuzzy metric space X .

Lemma2.4. Let $(X, M, *)$ be M-fuzzy metric space with the condition (vi). If for all $x, y, z \in X, t > 0$ with positive number $q \in (0, 1)$ and $M(x, y, z, qt) \geq M(x, y, z, t)$, then $x = y = z$.

Proof: $M(x, y, z, t) \geq M(x, y, z, t/q)$

$$\begin{aligned} &\dots \\ &\dots \\ &\geq M(x, y, z, t/q^n) \rightarrow 1 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty. \end{aligned}$$

Hence by ii, $x = y = z$.

Definition: 2.3 Let $(X, M, *)$ be M-fuzzy metric space and $\{x_n\}$ be a sequence in X .

- (a) $\{x_n\}$ is said to converges to a point $x \in X$ if $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} M(x, x, x_n, t) = 1 \forall t > 0$.
- (b) $\{x_n\}$ is said to Cauchy sequence if $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} M(x_{n+p}, x_{n+p}, x_n, t) = 1 \forall t > 0$ and $p > 0$.
- (c) An M-fuzzy metric space in which every Cauchy sequence is convergent is said to be complete.

3. MAIN THEOREM

Theorem 3.1: Let $(X, M, *)$ be a complete M-fuzzy metric space and let A, B, P, Q, S and T be self-mappings of X satisfying the following conditions:

- i. $P(X) \subseteq ST(X); Q(X) \subseteq AB(X)$;
- ii. The pair $\{P, AB\}$ and $\{Q, ST\}$ are compatible mappings of type P.
- iii. ST is continuous;
- iv. $M(Px, Qz, Qt) \geq \min \{M(ABx, Py, Qy, t), M(ABx, Py, STz, t), M(Qy, STz, Py, t), M(ABx, Qy, STz, t)\}$

then the mappings P, Q, AB and ST have a common fixed point in X .

Proof: Let x_0 be any arbitrary point in X . Thus we construct a sequence $\{y_n\}$ in X such that $y_{2n-1} = STx_{2n-1} = Px_{2n-2}$ and $y_{2n} = ABx_{2n} = Qx_{2n-1}$

Put $x = x_{2n-1}$, $y = x_{2n-1}$, $z = x_{2n}$.

$$M(Px_{2n-1}, Qx_{2n}, Qx_{2n}, qt) \geq \min \{M(ABx_{2n-1}, Px_{2n-1}, Qx_{2n-1}, t), M(ABx_{2n-1}, Px_{2n-1}, STx_{2n}, t), \\ M(Qx_{2n-1}, STx_{2n}, Px_{2n-1}, t), M(ABx_{2n-1}, Qx_{2n-1}, STx_{2n}, t)\}.$$

$$M(y_{2n}, y_{2n+1}, y_{2n+1}, qt) \geq \min \{M(y_{2n-1}, y_{2n}, y_{2n}, t), M(y_{2n-1}, y_{2n}, y_{2n}, t), M(y_{2n}, y_{2n}, y_{2n}, t), \\ M(y_{2n-1}, y_{2n}, y_{2n}, t)\}.$$

$$M(y_{2n}, y_{2n+1}, y_{2n+1}, qt) \geq M(y_{2n-1}, y_{2n}, y_{2n}, t).$$

This implies that $M(y_{2n}, y_{2n+1}, y_{2n+1}, t)$ is an increasing sequence of positive real numbers. Now to prove that $M(y_n, y_{n+1}, y_{n+1}, t)$ converges to 1 as $n \rightarrow \infty$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{By lemma (3)} \quad M(y_n, y_{n+1}, y_{n+1}, t) &\geq M(y_{n-1}, y_n, y_n, t/q) \\ &\geq M(y_{n-2}, y_{n-1}, y_{n-1}, t/q^2) \\ &\dots \\ &\geq M(y_0, y_1, y_1, t/q^n). \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Thus } M(y_n, y_{n+1}, y_{n+1}, t) \geq M(y_0, y_1, y_1, t/q^n).$$

Then by axiom (iv) of M-fuzzy metric space.

$$\begin{aligned} M(y_n, y_{n+p}, y_{n+p}, t) &\geq M(y_n, y_{n+1}, y_{n+1}, t/p)^* \dots p\text{-times} \dots M(y_{n+p-1}, y_{n+p-1}, y_{n+p}, t/p) \\ &\geq M(y_0, y_1, y_1, t/q^n)^* \dots p\text{-times} \dots M(y_0, y_1, y_1, t/pq^{n+p-1}) \end{aligned}$$

Thus by vi axiom of M-fuzzy metric space,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} M(y_n, y_{n+p}, y_{n+p}, t) \geq 1^* \dots p\text{-times} \dots 1 \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} M(y_n, y_{n+p}, y_{n+p}, t) = 1.$$

Thus $\{y_n\}$ is a Cauchy sequence in M-fuzzy metric space X. Since X is complete, there exist a point $u \in X$ such that $y_n \rightarrow u$.

Thus $\{ABx_{2n}\}, \{Qx_{2n-1}\}, \{STx_{2n-1}\}, \{Px_{2n-2}\}$ are Cauchy sequences converging to u.

Put $x = ABx_{2n}$, $y = u$, $z = STx_{2n-1}$ in (iv), we get

$$M(PABx_{2n}, QSTx_{2n-1}, QSTx_{2n-1}, qt) \geq \min \{M(ABABx_{2n}, Pu, Qu, t), M(ABABx_{2n}, Pu, STSTx_{2n-1}, t), \\ M(Qu, STSTx_{2n-1}, Pu, t), M(ABABx_{2n}, Qu, STSTx_{2n-1}, t)\}.$$

Now take the limit as $n \rightarrow \infty$ and using (ii) we get

$$M(Pu, Qu, Qu, qt) \geq \min \{M(Pu, Pu, Qu, t), M(Pu, Pu, Qu, t), M(Qu, Qu, Pu, t), M(Pu, Qu, Qu, t)\}.$$

Then by lemma (i) we get

$$M(Pu, Qu, Qu, qt) \geq M(Pu, Qu, Qu, t).$$

Therefore $Pu = Qu$.

Now put $x = ABx_{2n}$, $y = x_{2n-1}$, $z = x_{2n-1}$ in (iv), we get

$$\begin{aligned} M(PABx_{2n}, Qx_{2n-1}, Qx_{2n-1}, qt) &\geq \min \{M(ABABx_{2n}, Px_{2n-1}, Qx_{2n-1}, t), M(ABABx_{2n}, Px_{2n-1}, STx_{2n-1}, t), \\ &\quad M(Qx_{2n-1}, STx_{2n-1}, Px_{2n-1}, t), M(ABABx_{2n}, Qx_{2n-1}, STx_{2n-1}, t)\}. \end{aligned}$$

Now on taking the limit as $n \rightarrow \infty$ and using (ii) we get

$$M(Pu, u, u, qt) \geq \min \{M(Pu, u, u, t), M(Pu, u, u, t), M(u, u, u, t), M(Pu, u, u, t)\}.$$

Thus we have $M(Pu, u, u, qt) \geq M(Pu, u, u, t)$.

Therefore $Pu = u$.

This implies $Pu = Qu = u$.

Now put $x = Px_{2n-2}$, $y = Px_{2n-2}$, $z = u$ in (iv) we get

$$M(Px_{2n-2}, Qu, Qu, qt) \geq \min \{M(ABPx_{2n-2}, PPx_{2n-2}, QPx_{2n-2}, t), M(ABPx_{2n-2}, PPx_{2n-2}, STu, t), \\ M(QPx_{2n-2}, STu, PPx_{2n-2}, t), M(ABPx_{2n-2}, QPx_{2n-2}, STu, t)\}.$$

Now take the limit as $n \rightarrow \infty$ and on using (ii) & (iii) we get

$$M(ABu, u, u, qt) \geq \min \{M(ABu, ABu, u, t), M(ABu, ABu, u, t), M(Qu, u, ABu, t), M(ABu, Qu, u, t)\}.$$

This implies $M(ABu, u, u, qt) \geq \min \{M(ABu, ABu, u, t), M(ABu, ABu, u, t), M(u, u, ABu, t), M(ABu, u, u, t)\}$.

Therefore by lemma 1 we have $ABu = u$.

Thus $Pu = Qu = ABu = u$.

Put $x = u$, $y = u$, $z = Qx_{2n-1}$ in (iv) we get

$$M(Pu, QQx_{2n-1}, QQx_{2n-1}, qt) \geq \min \{M(ABu, Pu, Qu, t), M(ABu, Pu, STQx_{2n-1}, t), \\ M(Qu, STQx_{2n-1}, Pu, t), M(ABu, Qu, STQx_{2n-1}, t)\}.$$

Take the limit as limit as $n \rightarrow \infty$ and on using (ii) & (iii) we get

$$M(u, STu, STu, qt) \geq \min \{M(u, u, u, t), M(u, u, STu, t), M(u, STu, u, t), M(u, u, STu, t)\}.$$

On using lemma 1 we have $M(STu, STu, u, qt) \geq M(STu, STu, u, t)$.

Thus $STu = u$.

We get $Pu = Qu = ABu = STu = u$.

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