

# Viscosity Approximative Methods for Nonexpansive Nonsself-Mappings without Boundary Conditions in Banach Spaces

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**Abstract.** Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of a uniformly smooth Banach space  $E$ ,  $T : C \rightarrow E$  be a nonexpansive mapping and  $P$  be a sunny nonexpansive retraction of  $E$  onto  $C$ . For  $x_0 \in C$ , the explicit iterative sequence  $\{x_n\}$  is given by

$$x_{n+1} = P(\alpha_n f(x_n) + (1 - \alpha_n)(\beta_n x_n + (1 - \beta_n)Tx_n)) \text{ for } n = 0, 1, 2, \dots,$$

where  $\{\alpha_n\}$  and  $\{\beta_n\}$  are sequences in  $(0, 1)$  and  $[0, 1)$  respectively satisfying appropriate conditions, and  $f : C \rightarrow C$  is a fixed contractive mapping. We prove that  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to a fixed point of  $T$  without boundary conditions. The results presented extend and improve the corresponding ones announced by Chen et al. [2], and others.

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of a Banach space  $E$ , and let  $T : C \rightarrow C$  be a nonexpansive mapping (i.e.,  $\|Tx - Ty\| \leq \|x - y\|$  for all  $x, y \in C$ ). We use  $Fix(T)$  to denote the set of fixed points of  $T$ ; that is,  $Fix(T) = \{x \in C : x = Tx\}$ . Recall that a selfmapping  $f : C \rightarrow C$  is a contraction on  $C$  if there exists a constant  $\beta \in (0, 1)$  such that

$$\|f(x) - f(y)\| \leq \beta \|x - y\|, \quad \forall x, y \in C. \quad (1.1.1)$$

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Xu [8] defined the following two viscosity iterations for nonexpansive mappings:

$$x_t = tf(x_t) + (1 - t)Tx_t \quad (1.1.2)$$

and

$$x_{n+1} = \alpha_n f(x_n) + (1 - \alpha_n)Tx_n \quad (1.1.3)$$

where  $\{\alpha_n\}$  is a sequence in  $(0, 1)$ . Xu proved the strong convergence of  $\{x_t\}$  defined by (1.1.2) as  $t \rightarrow 0$  and  $\{x_n\}$  defined by (1.1.3) in both Hilbert space and uniformly smooth Banach space.

Recently, Song and Chen [4] proved if  $C$  is a closed subset of a real reflexive Banach space  $E$  which admits a weakly sequentially continuous duality mapping from  $E$  to  $E$ , and if  $T : C \rightarrow E$  is a nonexpansive nonself-mapping satisfying the weakly inward condition,  $F(T) \neq \emptyset$ ,  $f : C \rightarrow C$  is a fixed contractive mapping, and  $P$  is a sunny nonexpansive retraction of  $E$  onto  $C$ , then the sequences  $\{x_t\}$  and  $\{x_n\}$  defined by

$$x_t = P(tf(x_t) + (1 - t)Tx_t) \quad (1.1.4)$$

and

$$x_{n+1} = P(\alpha_n f(x_n) + (1 - \alpha_n)Tx_n) \quad (1.1.5)$$

strongly converge to a fixed point of  $T$ . Very recently, Chen and Zhu [2] established the strong convergence of both  $\{x_t\}$  and  $\{x_n\}$  defined by (1.1.4) and (1.1.5) respectively, for a nonexpansive nonself-mapping  $T$  in a uniformly smooth Banach space.

Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of a uniformly smooth Banach space  $E$ ,  $T : C \rightarrow E$  be a nonexpansive nonself-mapping and  $P$  be a sunny nonexpansive retraction of  $E$  onto  $C$ , the purpose of this paper is to use the following iterative process :  $x_0 \in C$ ,

$$x_{n+1} = P(\alpha_n f(x_n) + (1 - \alpha_n)(\beta_n x_n + (1 - \beta_n)Tx_n)) \text{ for } n = 0, 1, 2, \dots, \quad (1.1.6)$$

where  $\{\alpha_n\}$  and  $\{\beta_n\}$  are sequences in  $(0, 1)$  and  $[0, 1)$  respectively, and  $f : C \rightarrow C$  is a fixed contractive mapping, to approximate to the fixed point of nonexpansive mapping  $T$  without boundary conditions. Our results extend and improve the corresponding ones announced by Chen et al. [2], and others.

## 2. PRELIMINARIES

Let  $E$  be a real Banach space and let  $J$  denote the normalized duality mapping from  $E$  into  $2^{E^*}$  given by

$$J(x) = \{f \in E^* : \langle x, f \rangle = \|x\| \|f\| = \|x\| = \|f\|\}, \forall x \in E$$

where  $E^*$  be the dual space of  $E$  and  $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$  denotes the generalized duality pairing. In the sequence, we will denote the single-valued duality mapping by  $j$ , and  $x_n \rightarrow x$  will denote strong convergence of the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  to  $x$ .

In Banach space  $E$ , the following result (*the Subdifferential Inequality*) is well known (Theorem 4.2.1 of [5]):  $\forall x, y \in E, \forall j(x+y) \in J(x+y), \forall j(x) \in J(x)$ ,

$$\|x\|^2 + 2\langle y, j(x) \rangle \leq \|x+y\|^2 \leq \|x\|^2 + \langle y, j(x+y) \rangle. \tag{2.2.1}$$

Recall that the norm of  $E$  is said to be Gâteaux differentiable if the limit

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\|x+ty\| - \|x\|}{t} \tag{2.2.2}$$

exists for each  $x, y$  in its unit sphere  $U = \{x \in E : \|x\| = 1\}$ . Such a Banach space  $E$  is called *smooth*. The norm of a Banach space  $E$  is also said to be *uniformly Gâteaux differentiable* if for each  $y \in U$ , the limit of (2.2.2) is attained uniformly for  $x \in U$ . Finally, the norm is said to be uniformly Fréchet differentiable (and  $E$  is said to be uniformly smooth) if the limit in (2.2.2) is attained uniformly for  $(x, y) \in U \times U$ . A Banach space  $E$  is said to be smooth if and only if  $J$  is single valued. It is also well known that if  $E$  is uniformly smooth,  $J$  is uniformly norm-to-norm continuous. These concepts may be found in [5].

If  $C$  and  $D$  are nonempty subsets of a Banach space  $E$  such that  $C$  is nonempty closed convex and  $D \subset C$ , then a mapping  $P : C \rightarrow D$  is called a retraction from  $C$  to  $D$  if  $P^2 = P$ . It is easily known that a mapping  $P : C \rightarrow D$  is retraction, then  $Px = x$ , for all  $x \in D$ . A mapping  $P : C \rightarrow D$  is called sunny if

$$P(Px + t(x - Px)) = Px, \forall x \in C, \tag{2.2.3}$$

whenever  $Px + t(x - Px) \in C$  for  $x \in C$  and  $t \geq 0$ . A subset  $D$  of  $C$  is said to be a *sunny nonexpansive retract* of  $C$  if there exists a sunny nonexpansive retraction from  $C$  onto  $D$ . For more detail, see [5]

The following lemma is well known [5].

**Lemma 2.1.** *Let  $C$  be a nonempty convex subset of a smooth Banach space  $E$ ,  $D \subset C$ ,  $J : E \rightarrow E^*$  the (normalized) duality mapping of  $E$ , and  $P : C \rightarrow D$  a retraction. Then the following are equivalent:*

- (i)  $\langle x - Px, j(y - Px) \rangle \leq 0$  for all  $x \in C$  and  $y \in D$
- (ii)  $P$  is both sunny and nonexpansive.

Let  $C$  be a nonempty convex subset of a Banach space  $E$ , then for  $x \in C$ , the inward set is given by [6, 7]

$$I_C(x) = \{y \in E : y = x + \lambda(z - x), z \in C, \lambda \geq 0\}. \tag{2.2.4}$$

A mapping  $T : C \rightarrow E$  is said to be satisfying the inward condition if  $Tx \in I_C(x)$  for all  $x \in C$ .  $T$  is also said to be satisfying the weakly inward condition if for each  $x \in C$ ,  $Tx \in \overline{I_C(x)}$  where  $I_C(x)$  is the closure of  $I_C(x)$ . Very recently for a nonself-mapping  $T$  from  $C$  into  $E$ , Matsushita and Takahashi [3] studied the following condition:

$$Tx \in S_x^c \tag{2.2.5}$$

for all  $x \in C$ , where  $S_x = \{y \in C : y \neq x, Py = x\}$  and  $P$  is a sunny nonexpansive retraction from  $E$  onto  $C$ . Then they proved the following three lemmas.

**Lemma 2.2.** [3, Lemma 3.1] *Let  $C$  be a closed convex subset of a smooth Banach space  $E$  and let  $T$  be a mapping from  $C$  into  $E$ . Suppose that  $C$  is a sunny nonexpansive retract of  $E$ . If  $T$  satisfies the condition (2.2.5), then  $F(T) = F(PT)$ , where  $P$  is a sunny nonexpansive retraction from  $E$  onto  $C$ .*

**Lemma 2.3.** [3, Lemma 3.2] *Let  $C$  be a closed convex subset of a smooth Banach space  $E$  and let  $T$  be a mapping from  $C$  into  $E$ . Suppose that  $C$  is a sunny nonexpansive retract of  $E$ . If  $T$  satisfies the weakly inward condition, then  $T$  satisfies the condition (2.2.5).*

**Lemma 2.4.** [3, Lemma 3.3] *Let  $C$  be a closed convex subset of a strictly convex Banach space  $E$  and let  $T$  be a nonexpansive mapping from  $C$  into  $E$ . Suppose that  $C$  is a sunny nonexpansive retract of  $E$ . If  $F(T) \neq \emptyset$  then  $T$  satisfies the condition (2.2.5).*

The following lemma can be founded in [1].

**Lemma 2.5.** [1] *Let  $\{s_n\}$  be a sequence of nonnegative real numbers,  $\{\gamma_n\}$  a sequence of  $[0, 1]$  with  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \gamma_n = \infty$ ,  $\{\beta_n\}$  a sequence of nonnegative real numbers with  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \beta_n < \infty$  and  $\{\alpha_n\}$  a sequence of real numbers with  $\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n \leq 0$ . Suppose that*

$$s_{n+1} \leq (1 - \gamma_n)s_n + \gamma_n\alpha_n + \beta_n$$

for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} s_n = 0$ .

The following lemma can be founded in [8].

**Theorem 2.6.** [8] *Let  $X$  be a uniformly smooth Banach space,  $C$  a closed convex subset of  $X$ ,  $T : C \rightarrow C$  a nonexpansive mapping with  $\text{Fix}(T) \neq \emptyset$ , and  $f : C \rightarrow C$  a contractive mapping. Then as  $t \rightarrow 0$ ,  $\{x_t\}$  defined by*

$$x_t = tf(t) + (1 - t)Tx_t \quad (2.2.6)$$

converges strongly to a fixed point  $q$  of  $T$  such that  $q$  is the unique solution in  $F(T)$  to the following variational inequality:

$$\langle (f - I)q, j(q - u) \rangle \leq 0 \text{ for all } u \in F(T). \quad (2.2.7)$$

### 3. MAIN RESULTS

**Theorem 3.1.** *Let  $X$  be a uniformly smooth Banach space,  $C$  a closed convex subset of  $X$ . Suppose that  $C$  is a sunny nonexpansive retract of  $E$  with  $P$  a nonexpansive retraction. Let  $T : C \rightarrow E$  a nonexpansive nonself-mapping with  $\text{Fix}(T) \neq \emptyset$ , and  $f : C \rightarrow C$  be a contractive mapping. Then as  $t \rightarrow 0$ ,  $\{x_t\}$  defined by*

$$x_t = tf(t) + (1 - t)PTx_t \quad (3.3.1)$$

converges strongly to a fixed point  $q$  of  $T$  such that  $q$  is the unique solution in  $F(T)$  to the following variational inequality:

$$\langle (f - I)q, j(q - u) \rangle \leq 0 \text{ for all } u \in F(T). \tag{3.3.2}$$

*Proof.* Applying the Theorem 2.6 with the nonexpansive self-mapping  $PT$ , we obtain that  $\{x_t\}$  converges strongly as  $t \rightarrow 0$  to a fixed point of  $PT$ . Since  $F(T) \neq \emptyset$ , using Lemma 2.2 and 2.4, we obtain  $F(T) = F(PT)$ . The proof is complete.  $\square$

**Theorem 3.2.** *Let  $E$  be a uniformly smooth Banach space,  $C$  is a nonempty closed convex subset of  $E$ . Suppose that  $C$  is a sunny nonexpansive retract of  $E$ . Let  $T : C \rightarrow E$  be a nonexpansive nonself-mapping with  $F(T) \neq \emptyset$ , and  $f : C \rightarrow C$  a fixed contractive mapping with coefficient  $\beta \in (0, 1)$ . The sequence  $\{x_n\}$  is defined by (1.1.6), where  $P$  is the sunny nonexpansive retraction of  $E$  onto  $C$ ,  $\{\alpha_n\} \subset (0, 1)$  and  $\{\beta_n\} \subset [0, 1)$ , and satisfying the following conditions:*

- (i)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n = 0$ ;
- (ii)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \alpha_n = \infty$ ;
- (iii)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \beta_n = 0$ ;
- (iv)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} |\beta_n - \beta_{n-1}| < +\infty$ ;
- (v) either  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} |\alpha_n - \alpha_{n-1}| < +\infty$  or  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\alpha_{n+1}/\alpha_n) = 1$ .

Then as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to a fixed point  $q$  of  $T$  such that  $q$  is the unique solution in  $F(T)$  to the variational inequality (3.3.2).

*Proof.* First we show that  $\{x_n\}$  is bounded. Take  $u \in F(T)$ , it follows that

$$\begin{aligned} \|x_{n+1} - u\| &= \|P(\alpha_n f(x_n) + (1 - \alpha_n)(\beta_n x_n + (1 - \beta_n)Tx_n)) - Pu\| \\ &\leq \|\alpha_n f(x_n) + (1 - \alpha_n)(\beta_n x_n + (1 - \beta_n)Tx_n) - u\| \\ &\leq \alpha_n \|f(x_n) - u\| + (1 - \alpha_n) \|\beta_n(x_n - u) + (1 - \beta_n)(Tx_n - u)\| \\ &\leq \alpha_n \beta \|x_n - u\| + \alpha_n \|f(u) - u\| + (1 - \alpha_n) \beta_n \|x_n - u\| \\ &\quad + (1 - \beta_n)(1 - \alpha_n) \|x_n - u\| \\ &= (1 - (1 - \beta_n)\alpha_n) \|x_n - u\| + \alpha_n \|f(u) - u\| \\ &\leq \max\{\|x_n - u\|, \frac{1}{1 - \beta} \|f(u) - u\|\}. \end{aligned}$$

By induction, we have

$$\|x_n - u\| \leq \max\{\|x_0 - u\|, \frac{1}{1 - \beta} \|f(u) - u\|\}, \forall n \geq 0.$$

Therefore  $\{x_n\}$  is bounded, so are  $\{Tx_n\}$  and  $\{f(x_n)\}$ . Then we get that

$$\begin{aligned} \|x_{n+1} - PTx_n\| &= \|P(\alpha_n f(x_n) + (1 - \alpha_n)(\beta_n x_n + (1 - \beta_n)Tx_n)) - PTx_n\| \\ &\leq \|\alpha_n f(x_n) + (1 - \alpha_n)(\beta_n x_n + (1 - \beta_n)Tx_n) - Tx_n\| \\ &\leq \alpha_n \|f(x_n) - Tx_n\| + (1 - \alpha_n) \|\beta_n x_n + (1 - \beta_n)Tx_n - Tx_n\| \\ &= \alpha_n \|f(x_n) - Tx_n\| + (1 - \alpha_n) \beta_n \|x_n - Tx_n\| \end{aligned}$$

$$\longrightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \longrightarrow \infty. \tag{3.3.3}$$

Next we shall show that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_{n+1} - x_n\| = 0. \tag{3.3.4}$$

Indeed we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|x_{n+1} - x_n\| &= \|P(\alpha_n f(x_n) + (1 - \alpha_n)(\beta_n x_n + (1 - \beta_n)Tx_n)) \\ &\quad - P(\alpha_{n-1} f(x_{n-1}) + (1 - \alpha_{n-1})(\beta_{n-1} x_{n-1} + (1 - \beta_{n-1})Tx_{n-1}))\| \\ &\leq \alpha_n \|f(x_n) - f(x_{n-1})\| + |\alpha_n - \alpha_{n-1}| \|f(x_{n-1})\| \\ &\quad + (1 - \alpha_n) \|\beta_n x_n + (1 - \beta_n)Tx_n - \beta_{n-1} x_{n-1} - (1 - \beta_{n-1})Tx_{n-1}\| \\ &\quad + |\alpha_n - \alpha_{n-1}| \|\beta_{n-1} x_{n-1} + (1 - \beta_{n-1})Tx_{n-1}\| \\ &\leq \alpha_n \beta \|x_n - x_{n-1}\| + |\alpha_n - \alpha_{n-1}| \|f(x_{n-1})\| \\ &\quad + (1 - \alpha_n) [\beta_n \|x_n - x_{n-1}\| + |\beta_n - \beta_{n-1}| \|x_{n-1}\| + (1 - \beta_n) \|x_n - x_{n-1}\| \\ &\quad + |\beta_n - \beta_{n-1}| \|Tx_{n-1}\|] + |\alpha_n - \alpha_{n-1}| \|\beta_{n-1} x_{n-1} - (1 - \beta_{n-1})Tx_{n-1}\| \\ &= \alpha_n \beta \|x_n - x_{n-1}\| + (1 - \alpha_n) \|x_n - x_{n-1}\| + |\alpha_n - \alpha_{n-1}| [\|f(x_{n-1})\| \\ &\quad + \|\beta_{n-1} x_{n-1} - (1 - \beta_{n-1})Tx_{n-1}\|] + (1 - \alpha_n) |\beta_n - \beta_{n-1}| [\|x_{n-1}\| + \|Tx_{n-1}\|] \\ &= (1 - (1 - \beta)\alpha_n) \|x_n - x_{n-1}\| + K_n. \end{aligned}$$

where  $K_n = |\alpha_n - \alpha_{n-1}| [\|f(x_{n-1})\| + \|\beta_{n-1} x_{n-1} - (1 - \beta_{n-1})Tx_{n-1}\|] + (1 - \alpha_n) |\beta_n - \beta_{n-1}| [\|x_{n-1}\| + \|Tx_{n-1}\|]$ . Since  $\{x_n\}$  is bounded, there exists a positive constant  $K$  such that

$$K_n \leq K(|\alpha_n - \alpha_{n-1}| + |\beta_n - \beta_{n-1}|),$$

thus,

$$\|x_{n+1} - x_n\| \leq (1 - (1 - \beta)\alpha_n) \|x_n - x_{n-1}\| + K(|\alpha_n - \alpha_{n-1}| + |\beta_n - \beta_{n-1}|) \tag{3.3.5}$$

Assume that  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} |\alpha_n - \alpha_{n-1}| < +\infty$ . By Lemma 2.5 and the conditions on  $\{\alpha_n\}$  and  $\{\beta_n\}$  we get the required result.

Assume that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\alpha_{n+1}/\alpha_n) = 1$ . Then from (3.3.5), we have

$$\|x_{n+1} - x_n\| \leq (1 - (1 - \beta)\alpha_n) \|x_n - x_{n-1}\| + \alpha_n |1 - \frac{\alpha_{n-1}}{\alpha_n}| K + K |\beta_n - \beta_{n-1}|. \tag{3.3.6}$$

By Lemma 2.5 and the conditions on  $\{\alpha_n\}$  and  $\{\beta_n\}$  we also get the required result. Using (3.3.3) and (3.3.4), we get

$$\|x_n - PTx_n\| \leq \|x_n - x_{n+1}\| + \|x_{n+1} - PTx_n\| \longrightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \longrightarrow \infty. \tag{3.3.7}$$

Let  $q = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} x_t$ , where  $\{x_t\}$  is defined in Theorem 3.1, we get that  $q$  is the unique solution in  $F(T)$  the following variational inequality:

$$\langle (f - I)q, j(q - u) \rangle \leq 0 \text{ for all } u \in F(T). \tag{3.3.8}$$

Next we shall show that

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle f(q) - q, j(x_n - q) \rangle \leq 0. \tag{3.3.9}$$

From (3.3.1) we can write

$$x_t - x_n = t(f(x_t) - x_n) + (1 - t)(PTx_t - x_n). \quad (3.3.10)$$

It follows from (3.3.7) that

$$b_n(t) = \|x_n - PTx_n\|(\|x_n - PTx_n\| + 2\|x_n - x_t\|) \longrightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \longrightarrow \infty. \quad (3.3.11)$$

Using the inequality (2.2.1), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|x_t - x_n\|^2 &\leq (1 - t)^2 \|PTx_t - x_n\|^2 + 2t \langle f(x_t) - x_n, j(x_t - x_n) \rangle \\ &\leq (1 - t)^2 \|PTx_t - PTx_n + PTx_n - x_n\|^2 + 2t \langle f(x_t) - x_t, j(x_t - x_n) \rangle \\ &\quad + 2t \|x_t - x_n\|^2 \\ &\leq (1 - t)^2 \|x_t - x_n\|^2 + (1 - t)^2 \|x_n - PTx_n\|^2 \\ &\quad + 2(1 - t)^2 \|PTx_n - x_n\| \|x_t - x_n\| + 2t \langle f(x_t) - x_t, j(x_t - x_n) \rangle \\ &\quad + 2t \|x_t - x_n\|^2 \\ &\leq (1 + t)^2 \|x_t - x_n\|^2 + b_n(t) + 2t \langle f(x_t) - x_t, j(x_t - x_n) \rangle. \end{aligned} \quad (3.3.12)$$

The last inequality implies

$$\langle f(x_t) - x_t, j(x_n - x_t) \rangle \leq \frac{t}{2} \|x_t - x_n\|^2 + \frac{1}{2t} b_n(t). \quad (3.3.13)$$

It follows from (3.3.11) that

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle f(x_t) - x_t, j(x_n - x_t) \rangle \leq M \cdot \frac{t}{2}, \quad (3.3.14)$$

where  $M$  is a constant such that  $M \geq \|x_t - x_n\|^2$  for all  $t \in (0, 1)$ . By letting  $t \rightarrow 0$  in the last inequality we have

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle f(x_t) - x_t, j(x_n - x_t) \rangle \leq 0. \quad (3.3.15)$$

On the other hand, for all  $\varepsilon > 0$  there exists a positive  $\delta_1$  such that  $t \in (0, \delta_1)$ ,

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle f(x_t) - x_t, j(x_n - x_t) \rangle \leq \frac{\varepsilon}{2}. \quad (3.3.16)$$

On the other hand,  $\{x_t\}$  converges strongly to  $q$ , as  $t \rightarrow \infty$ , the set  $\{x_t - x_n\}$  is bounded, and the duality map  $J$  is norm-to-norm uniformly continuous on bounded sets of uniformly smooth space  $E$ ; from  $x_t \rightarrow q$  as  $t \rightarrow 0$ , we get

$$\|f(q) - q - (f(x_t) - x_t)\| \longrightarrow 0 \text{ as } t \longrightarrow 0,$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} &\| \langle f(q) - q, j(x_n - q) \rangle - \langle f(x_t) - x_t, j(x_n - x_t) \rangle \| \\ &= \| \langle f(q) - q, j(x_n - q) - j(x_n - x_t) \rangle + \langle f(q) - q - (f(x_t) - x_t), j(x_n - x_t) \rangle \| \\ &\leq \|f(q) - q\| \|j(x_n - q) - j(x_n - x_t)\| \\ &\quad + \|f(q) - q - (f(x_t) - x_t)\| \|j(x_n - x_t)\| \longrightarrow 0 \text{ as } t \longrightarrow 0 \end{aligned} \quad (3.3.17)$$

Hence for the above  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exists  $\delta_2 > 0$  such that for all  $t \in (0, \delta_2)$ , for all  $n$ , we have

$$\|\langle f(q) - q, j(x_n - q) \rangle - \langle f(x_t) - x_t, j(x_n - x_t) \rangle\| \leq \frac{\varepsilon}{2}. \quad (3.3.18)$$

Therefore, we have

$$\|\langle f(q) - q, j(x_n - q) \rangle\| \leq \langle f(x_t) - x_t, j(x_n - x_t) \rangle + \frac{\varepsilon}{2}. \quad (3.3.19)$$

Taking  $\delta = \min\{\delta_1, \delta_2\}$ , for all  $t \in (0, \delta)$ , we have

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle f(q) - q, j(x_n - q) \rangle \leq \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\langle f(x_t) - x_t, j(x_n - x_t) \rangle + \frac{\varepsilon}{2}) \leq \frac{\varepsilon}{2} + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} = \varepsilon. \quad (3.3.20)$$

Since  $\varepsilon$  is arbitrary, we get the required inequality (3.3.9). Finally, we shall show that  $x_n \rightarrow q$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . We note that

$$x_{n+1} - (\alpha_n f(x_n) + (1 - \alpha_n)q) = (x_{n+1} - q) - \alpha_n(f(x_n - q)).$$

Using the inequality (2.2.1), we have,

$$\begin{aligned} \|x_{n+1} - q\|^2 &= \|x_{n+1} - (\alpha_n f(x_n) + (1 - \alpha_n)q) + \alpha_n(f(x_n - q))\|^2 \\ &\leq \|x_{n+1} - P(\alpha_n f(x_n) + (1 - \alpha_n)q)\|^2 + 2\alpha_n \langle f(x_n) - q, j(x_{n+1} - q) \rangle \\ &\leq \|x_{n+1} - P(\alpha_n f(x_n) + (1 - \alpha_n)q)\|^2 + 2\alpha_n \langle f(x_n) - q, j(x_{n+1} - q) \rangle \\ &\leq \|\alpha_n f(x_n) + (1 - \alpha_n)(\beta_n x_n + (1 + \beta_n)Tx_n) - (\alpha_n f(x_n) + (1 - \alpha_n)q)\|^2 \\ &\quad + 2\alpha_n \langle f(x_n) - f(q), j(x_{n+1} - q) \rangle + 2\alpha_n \langle f(q) - q, j(x_{n+1} - q) \rangle \\ &\leq (1 - \alpha_n)^2 [\beta_n \|x_n - q\| + (1 + \beta_n) \|Tx_n - q\|]^2 \\ &\quad + 2\alpha_n \langle f(x_n) - f(q), j(x_{n+1} - q) \rangle + 2\alpha_n \langle f(q) - q, j(x_{n+1} - q) \rangle \\ &\leq (1 - \alpha_n)^2 \|x_n - q\|^2 + 2\alpha_n \|f(x_n) - f(q)\| \|x_{n+1} - q\| \\ &\quad + 2\alpha_n \langle f(q) - q, j(x_{n+1} - q) \rangle \\ &\leq (1 - \alpha_n)^2 \|x_n - q\|^2 + \alpha_n (\|f(x_n) - f(q)\|^2 + \|x_{n+1} - q\|^2) \\ &\quad + 2\alpha_n \langle f(q) - q, j(x_{n+1} - q) \rangle. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore we have

$$(1 - \alpha_n) \|x_{n+1} - q\|^2 \leq (1 - 2\alpha_n + \alpha_n^2) \|x_n - q\|^2 + \alpha_n \beta \|x_n - q\|^2 + 2\alpha_n \langle f(q) - q, j(x_{n+1} - q) \rangle.$$

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} \|x_{n+1} - q\|^2 &\leq \left(1 - \frac{1 - \beta^2}{1 - \alpha_n} \alpha_n\right) \|x_n - q\|^2 + \frac{\alpha_n^2}{1 - \alpha_n} \|x_n - q\|^2 \\ &\quad + \frac{2\alpha_n}{1 - \alpha_n} \langle f(q) - q, j(x_{n+1} - q) \rangle \\ &\leq (1 - \gamma_n) \|x_n - q\|^2 + \lambda \gamma_n \alpha_n + \frac{2}{1 - \beta_n^2} \gamma_n \langle f(q) - q, j(x_{n+1} - q) \rangle, \end{aligned}$$

where  $\gamma_n = \frac{1 - \beta^2}{1 - \alpha_n} \alpha_n$  and  $\lambda$  is a constant such that  $\lambda > \frac{1}{1 - \beta_n} \|x_n - q\|^2$ . Hence

$$\|x_{n+1} - q\|^2 \leq (1 - \gamma_n) \|x_n - q\|^2$$



$$+ \gamma_n(\lambda\alpha_n + \frac{2}{1 - \beta_n^2}\gamma_n\langle f(q) - q, j(x_{n+1} - q) \rangle). \tag{3.3.21}$$

It is easily seen that  $\gamma_n \rightarrow 0, \sum_{n=1}^\infty \gamma_n = \infty$ , and noting that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\lambda\alpha_n + \frac{2}{1 - \beta_n^2}\gamma_n\langle f(q) - q, j(x_{n+1} - q) \rangle) \leq 0.$$

Applying Lemma 2.5 onto (3.3.21), we have  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $q$ . The proof is complete.  $\square$

If in Theorem 3.2,  $\beta_n = 0$  for all  $n \geq 0$ , then the iteration (1.1.6) reduces to the iteration (1.1.5). Note that, the weakly inward conditions on the mapping  $T$  can be dropped. In fact, the following Corollary can be obtained from Theorem 3.2 immediately.

**Corollary 3.3.** [2, Theorem 3.4] *Let  $E$  be a uniformly smooth Banach space,  $C$  is a nonempty closed convex subset of  $E$ , let  $T : C \rightarrow E$  be a nonexpansive nonself-mapping satisfying the weakly inward conditions, and  $F(T) \neq \emptyset$ . Let  $f : C \rightarrow C$  a fixed contractive mapping. The sequence  $\{x_n\}$  is defined by (1.1.5), where  $P$  is the sunny nonexpansive retraction of  $E$  onto  $C$ , and  $\{\alpha_n\} \subset (0, 1)$ , and satisfying the following conditions:*

- (i)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n = 0$ ;
- (ii)  $\sum_{n=0}^\infty \alpha_n = \infty$ ;
- (iii) either  $\sum_{n=0}^\infty |\alpha_n - \alpha_{n-1}| < +\infty$  or  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\alpha_{n+1}/\alpha_n) = 1$ .

Then as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to a fixed point  $q$  of  $T$  such that  $q$  is the unique solution in  $F(T)$  to the following variational inequality:

$$\langle (f - I)q, j(q - u) \rangle \leq 0 \text{ for all } u \in F(T).$$

If in Theorem 3.2,  $T : C \rightarrow C$  is the nonexpansive mapping and  $\beta_n = 0$  for all  $n \geq 0$ , then the iteration (1.1.6) reduces to the iteration (1.1.3). In fact, the following Corollary can be obtained from Theorem 3.2 immediately.

**Corollary 3.4.** [8, Theorem 4.2] *Let  $E$  be a uniformly smooth Banach space,  $C$  is a nonempty closed convex subset of  $E$ , let  $T : C \rightarrow C$  be a nonexpansive mapping with  $F(T) \neq \emptyset$ . Let  $f : C \rightarrow C$  a fixed contractive mapping. The sequence  $\{x_n\}$  is defined by (1.1.3) and  $\{\alpha_n\} \subset (0, 1)$  satisfying the following conditions:*

- (i)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n = 0$ ;
- (ii)  $\sum_{n=0}^\infty \alpha_n = \infty$ ;
- (iii) either  $\sum_{n=0}^\infty |\alpha_n - \alpha_{n-1}| < +\infty$  or  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\alpha_{n+1}/\alpha_n) = 1$ .

Then as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to a fixed point  $q$  of  $T$  such that  $q$  is the unique solution in  $F(T)$  to the following variational inequality:

$$\langle (f - I)q, j(q - u) \rangle \leq 0 \text{ for all } u \in F(T).$$

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