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# Common fixed point theorems under rational contractions in complex valued extended *b*-metric spaces

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# Abstract

In this paper, we discuss the existence and uniqueness of fixed point and common fixed point theorems in complex valued extended b-metric space for a pair of mappings satisfying some rational contraction conditions which generalize and unify some well known results in the literature.

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# 1. Introduction

The Fixed point theory is a well known research field in mathematical sciences. Fixed point technique is an important tool in the area of the non-linear analysis. The Banach contraction mapping principle [3] plays a vital role in fixed point theory. In 1969, Nadler [13] developed the fixed point theorems for multi-valued mappings. Huange and Zhange [9] initiated the concept of cone metric space as a generalization of metric spaces. The well-known fixed point results involving rational contractions could not be extended in cone metric spaces. To rectify this restriction, Azam et al. [1] developed the concept of complex valued metric spaces and introduced sufficient conditions involving rational expressions. In 1989 Bakhtin [2] presented a new space called b-metric space which is the generalization of metric space. Czerwik [7] extended the Banach principle in b-metric space. Many researchers proved fixed point theorems on single valued and multi valued mapping in b-metric space

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[5] [10]. Rao et al. [14] introduced complex valued b-metric space, continuously Mukheimer [12], A. K. Dubey [8], Dayana [15], Carmel [6] verified the existence of some common fixed point theorems in complex valued b-metric space. In 2017, Kamran et al [11] introduced extended b- metric space and Naimat Ullah and et al [16] initiated the concept of complex valued extended b-metric spaces. In this paper, we prove fixed point theorems in complex valued extended b-metric space by using rational contractions.

# 2. Preliminaries

**Definition 2.1.** [1] Let  $\mathbb{C}$  be the set of complex numbers and  $z_1, z_2 \in \mathbb{C}$ . Define a partial order  $\leq$  on  $\mathbb{C}$  as follows:  $z_1 \leq z_2$  if and only if  $Re(z_1) \leq Re(z_2)$  and  $Im(z_1) \leq Im(z_2)$ . Thus  $z_1 \leq z_2$  if one of the following holds:

1.  $Re(z_1) = Re(z_2)$  and  $Im(z_1) = Im(z_2)$ ; 2.  $Re(z_1) < Re(z_2)$  and  $Im(z_1) = Im(z_2)$ ; 3.  $Re(z_1) = Re(z_2)$  and  $Im(z_1) < Im(z_2)$ ; 4.  $Re(z_1) < Re(z_2)$  and  $Im(z_1) < Im(z_2)$ ;

We will write  $z_1 \gtrsim z_2$  if  $z_1 \neq z_2$  and one of (2), (3), and (4) is satisfied; also we will write  $z_1 \prec z_2$  if only (4) is satisfied. It follows that

- (i)  $0 \leq z_1 \gtrsim z_2$  implies  $|z_1| < |z_2|$ ;
- (ii)  $z_1 \leq z_2$  and  $z_2 \prec z_3$  imply  $z_1 \prec z_3$ ;
- (iii)  $0 \preceq z_1 \preceq z_2$  implies  $|z_1| \leq |z_2|$ ;
- (iv) if  $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $0 \le a \le b$  and  $z_1 \preceq z_2$  then  $az_1 \prec bz_2$  for all  $z_1, z_2 \in \mathbb{C}$ .

**Definition 2.2.** [1] Let W be a non-empty set. A function  $d_{cv} : W \times W \to \mathbb{C}$  is called a complex valued metric on W, if for all  $l, m, n \in W$ , the following conditions are satisfied:

- (i)  $0 \leq d_{cv}(l,m)$  and  $d_{cv}(l,m) = 0$  if and only if l = m; (ii)  $d_{cv}(l,m) = d_{cv}(m,l)$ ;
- (iii)  $d_{cv}(l,m) \preceq d_{cv}(l,n) + d_{cv}(n,m).$

Then the pair  $(W, d_{cv})$  is called a complex valued metric space.

**Example 2.3.** [1] Let W = [0, 1] and  $l, m \in W$ . Define  $d_{cv} : W \times W \to \mathbb{C}$  by

$$d_{cv}(l,m) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } l = m\\ \frac{i}{2} & \text{if } l \neq m \end{cases}$$
(2.1)

Then  $d_{cv}$  is a complex valued metric and hence  $(W, d_{cv})$  is a complex valued metric space.

**Definition 2.4.** [1] Let  $(W, d_{cv})$  be a complex valued metric space.

(i) We say that a point  $l \in W$  is an interior point of a set  $M \subseteq W$ , whenever there exists  $0 \prec r \in \mathbb{C}$  such that

$$B(l,r) = m \in W : d_{cv}(m,l) \prec r,$$

(ii) We say that a point  $l \in W$  is a limit point of a set  $M \subseteq W$ , whenever for every  $0 \prec r \in \mathbb{C}$  such that

$$B(l,r) \cap M - l \neq \emptyset.$$

**Definition 2.5.** [2][7]Let W be a non-empty set and  $s \ge 1$  be a given real number. A function  $d_b: W \times W \to [0,\infty)$  is called b-metric on W if for all  $l, m, n \in W$ , the following conditions are satisfied:

(b1)  $d_b(l,m) = 0$  if and only if l = m; (b2)  $d_b(l,m) = d_b(m,l)$ ; (b3)  $d_b(l,m) \le s[d_b(l,n) + d_b(n,m)]$ .

Then the pair  $(W, d_b)$  is called a b-metric space.

**Example 2.6.** [4] Let  $W = L_p[0,1]$  be the space of all real functions  $l(t), t \in [0,1]$  such that  $\int_{0}^{1} |l(t)|^p < \infty$  with  $0 . Define <math>d_b : W \times W \to \mathbb{R}^+$  as:

$$d_b(l,m) = \left(\int_0^1 |l(t) - m(t)|^p dt\right)^{\frac{1}{p}}$$

then  $(W, d_b)$  is b-metric space with coefficient  $s = 2^{\frac{1}{p}}$ .

**Definition 2.7.** [14] Let W be a non-empty set and let  $s \ge 1$  be a given real number. A function  $d_{cvb}: W \times W \to \mathbb{C}$  is called a complex valued b-metric on W if for all  $l, m, n \in W$ , the following conditions are satisfied:

- (i)  $0 \leq d_{cvb}(l,m)$  and  $d_{cvb}(l,m) = 0$  if and only if l = m;
- (*ii*)  $d_{cvb}(l,m) = d_{cvb}(m,l);$
- (iii)  $d_{cvb}(l,m) \preceq s[d_{cvb}(l,n) + d_{cvb}(n,m)].$

Then the pair  $(W, d_{cvb})$  is called a complex valued b-metric space.

**Example 2.8.** [14] If W = [0, 1], define the mapping  $d_{cvb} : W \times W \to \mathbb{C}$  by

 $(l,m) = |l-m|^2 + i|l-m|^2$ 

for all  $l, m \in W$ . Then  $(W, d_{cvb})$  is a complex valued b-metric space with s = 2.

**Definition 2.9.** [11] Let W be a non-empty set and  $\lambda : W \times W \to [1, \infty)$  be a function. Then  $d_{\lambda} : W \times W \to [0, \infty)$  is called an extended b-metric if for all  $l, m, n \in W$  it satisfies:

- (i)  $d_{\lambda}(l,m) = 0$  if and only if l = m; (ii)  $d_{\lambda}(l,m) = d_{\lambda}(m,l)$ ;
- (iii)  $d_{\lambda}(l,n) \leq \lambda(l,n)[d_{\lambda}(l,m) + d_{\lambda}(m,n)].$

Then the pair  $(W, d_{\lambda})$  is called an extended b-metric space.

**Example 2.10.** Let W = 1, 2, 3. Define  $\lambda : W \times W \to \mathbb{R}^+$  and  $d_{\lambda} : W \times W \to \mathbb{R}^+$  as:

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda(l,m) &= 1 + l + m \\ d_{\lambda}(1,1) &= d_{\lambda}(2,2) = d_{\lambda}(3,3) = 0 \\ d_{\lambda}(1,2) &= d_{\lambda}(2,1) = 80, d_{\lambda}(1,3) = d_{\lambda}(3,1) = 1000 \\ d_{\lambda}(2,3) &= d_{\lambda}(3,2) = 600 \end{aligned}$$

then  $(W, d_{\lambda})$  is an extended b-metric space.

**Definition 2.11.** [11] Let  $(W, d_{\lambda})$  be an extended b-metric space.

- (i) A sequence  $\{l_n\}$  in W is said to converge to  $l \in W$ , if for every  $\epsilon > 0$  there exists  $N = N(\epsilon) \in \mathbb{N}$ such that  $d_{\lambda}(l_n, l) < \epsilon$ , for all  $n \ge N$ . In this case, we write  $\lim_{n \to \infty} l_n = l$ .
- (ii) A sequence  $\{l_n\}$  in W is said to be Cauchy, if for every  $\epsilon > 0$  there exists  $N = N(\epsilon) \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $d_{\lambda}(l_m, l_n) < \epsilon$ , for all  $m, n \ge N$ .
- (iii) If every Cauchy sequence in W is convergent, then  $(W, d_{\lambda})$  is said to be a complete extended b-metric space.

**Lemma 2.12.** [11] Let  $(W, d_{\lambda})$  be an extended b-metric space. If  $d_{\lambda}$  is continuous, then every convergent sequence has a unique limit.

**Definition 2.13.** [16] Let W be a non-empty set and  $\theta : W \times W \to [1, \infty)$  be a function. Then  $d_{\theta} : W \times W \to \mathbb{C}$  is known as a complex valued b-metric space if the following conditions are satisfied for all  $l, m, n \in W$ :

- (i)  $0 \leq d_{\theta}(l,m)$  and  $d_{\theta}(l,m) = 0$  if and only if l = m;
- (*ii*)  $d_{\theta}(l,m) = d_{\theta}(m,l);$
- (*iii*)  $d_{\theta}(l,n) \leq \theta(l,n)[d_{\theta}(l,m) + d_{\theta}(m,n)].$

Then the pair  $(W, d_{\theta})$  is called a complex valued extended b-metric space.

**Example 2.14.** If W be a non-empty set and  $\theta: W \times W \to [1, \infty]$  be defined as:

$$\theta(l,m) = \frac{1+l+m}{l+m}$$

further, Let

(i) 
$$d_{\theta}(l,m) = \frac{i}{lm}$$
 for all  $l, m \in (0,1]$ ;  
(ii)  $d_{\theta}(l,m) = 0 \iff l = m$  for all  $l, m \in [0,1]$ ;  
(iii)  $d_{\theta}(l,0) = d_{\theta}(0,l) = \frac{i}{l}$  for all  $l \in (0,1]$ .

Then the pair  $(W, d_{\theta})$  is known as a complex valued extended b-metric space.

**Example 2.15.** Let  $W = [0, \infty)$ .  $\theta : W \times W \to [1, \infty)$  be a function defined by  $\theta(l, m) = 1 + l + m$ and  $d_{\theta} : W \times W \to \mathbb{C}$  be given as

$$d_{\theta}(l,m) = \left\{ \begin{array}{cc} 0 & \text{if } l = m \\ i & \text{if } l \neq m \end{array} \right\}$$

Then  $(W, d_{\theta})$  is a complex valued extended b - metric space.

## 3. Main results

**Theorem 3.1.** Let  $(W, d_{\theta})$  be a complete complex valued extended b-metric space; let  $\theta : W \times W \rightarrow [1, \infty)$  and let U, V be self-mappings from W into itself satisfy the following inequality:

$$d_{\theta}(Ul, Vm) \leq \mu_1 d_{\theta}(l, m) + \mu_2 \frac{d_{\theta}(l, Ul) d_{\theta}(m, Vm)}{d_{\theta}(l, Vm) + d_{\theta}(m, Ul) + d_{\theta}(l, m)}$$
(3.1)

for all  $l, m \in W$ , such that  $l \neq m$ ,  $d_{\theta}(l, Vm) + d_{\theta}(m, Ul) + d_{\theta}(l, m) \neq 0$  where  $\mu_1$  and  $\mu_2$  are non negative reals with  $\mu_1 + \mu_2 \theta(l_1, l_2) < 1$ ,  $\zeta = \mu_1 + \mu_2 \theta(l_1, l_2)$  where  $\zeta \in [0, \infty)$ ,  $\lim_{n,m\to\infty} \theta(l_n, l_m) < \frac{1}{\zeta}$ . or  $d_{\theta}(Ul, Vm) = 0$  if  $d_{\theta}(l, Vm) + d_{\theta}(m, Ul) + d_{\theta}(l, m) = 0$ . Then U and V have a unique common fixed point in W.

**Proof**. For any arbitrary point  $l_0 \in W$ , define a sequence  $\{l_n\}$  in W such that

$$l_{2n+1} = U l_{2n} \text{ and } l_{2n+2} = V l_{2n+1} \quad \forall n \ge 0$$
 (3.2)

Now we prove that  $\{l_n\}$  is a Cauchy sequence. Let  $l = l_0, m = l_1$  in (3.1)

$$\begin{aligned} d_{\theta}(l_{1}, l_{2}) &= d_{\theta}(Ul_{0}, Vl_{1}) \\ &\preceq \mu_{1} d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1}) + \mu_{2} \frac{d_{\theta}(l_{0}, Ul_{0}) d_{\theta}(l_{1}, Vl_{1})}{d_{\theta}(l_{0}, Vl_{1}) + d_{\theta}(l_{1}, Ul_{0}) + d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1})} \\ &= \mu_{1} d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1}) + \mu_{2} \frac{d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1}) d_{\theta}(l_{1}, l_{2})}{d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{2}) + d_{\theta}(l_{1}, l_{1}) + d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1})} \\ &= \mu_{1} d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1}) + \mu_{2} \frac{d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1}) d_{\theta}(l_{1}, l_{2})}{d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{2}) + d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1})}. \end{aligned}$$

Then

$$|d_{\theta}(l_1, l_2)| = \mu_1 |d_{\theta}(l_0, l_1)| + \mu_2 \frac{|d_{\theta}(l_0, l_1)| |d_{\theta}(l_1, l_2)|}{|d_{\theta}(l_0, l_2)| + |d_{\theta}(l_0, l_1)|}$$

Using triangular inequality

$$\begin{aligned} d_{\theta}(l_{1}, l_{2}) &\leq \theta(l_{1}, l_{2})[d_{\theta}(l_{1}, l_{0}) + d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{2})] \\ |d_{\theta}(l_{1}, l_{2})| &\leq \mu_{1} |d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1})| + \mu_{2} \frac{|d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1})||d_{\theta}(l_{1}, l_{2})|}{|d_{\theta}(l_{1}, l_{2})|} |\theta(l_{1}, l_{2})| \\ &= (\mu_{1} + \mu_{2}\theta(l_{1}, l_{2}))|d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1})| \\ |d_{\theta}(l_{1}, l_{2})| &\leq (\mu_{1} + \mu_{2}\theta(l_{1}, l_{2}))|d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1})|. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $|d_{\theta}(l_1, l_2)| < 1 + |d_{\theta}(l_1, l_2)|$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} |d_{\theta}(l_{1}, l_{2})| &\leq \zeta |d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1})| \\ |d_{\theta}(l_{2}, l_{3})| &\leq \zeta^{2} |d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1})| \\ |d_{\theta}(l_{3}, l_{4})| &\leq \zeta^{3} |d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1})| \\ &\vdots \\ |d_{\theta}(l_{n}, l_{n+1})| &\leq \zeta^{n} |d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1})| \end{aligned}$$

Now, by triangular inequality, for any  $m > n, m, n \in \mathbb{N}$ , we have

$$d_{\theta}(l_{n}, l_{m}) \leq \theta(l_{n}, l_{m})\zeta^{n}d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1}) + \theta(l_{n}, l_{m})\theta(l_{n+1}, l_{m})\zeta^{n+1}d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1}) \dots + \theta(l_{n}, l_{m})\theta(l_{n+1}, l_{m}) \dots \theta(l_{m-2}, l_{m})\theta(l_{m-1}, l_{m})\zeta^{m-1}d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1}).$$

Then

$$d_{\theta}(l_{n}, l_{m}) \leq d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1}) [\theta(l_{n}, l_{m})\zeta^{n} + \theta(l_{n}, l_{m})\theta(l_{n+1}, l_{m})\zeta^{n+1} \dots + \theta(l_{n}, l_{m})\theta(l_{n+1}, l_{m}) \dots \theta(l_{m-2}, l_{m})\theta(l_{m-1}, l_{m})\zeta^{m-1}]$$

Since,  $\lim_{n,m\to\infty} \theta(l_n, l_m)\zeta < 1$ , so the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \zeta^n \prod_{i=1}^n \theta(l_i, l_m)$  converges by ratio test for each  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ . Let

$$S = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \zeta^n \prod_{i=1}^n \theta(l_i, l_m), \ S_n = \sum_{j=1}^n \zeta^j \prod_{i=1}^j \theta(l_i, l_m)$$

Thus, for m > n, the above can be written as

$$d_{\theta}(l_n, l_m) \preceq d_{\theta}(l_0, l_1)[S_{m-1} - S_n]$$
 and

$$|d_{\theta}(l_n, l_m)| \le |d_{\theta}(l_0, l_1)|[S_{m-1} - S_n]$$

Letting  $n \to \infty$ , we obtain

$$|d_{\theta}(l_n, l_m)| \to 0.$$

Thus,  $\{l_n\}$  is a Cauchy sequence in W. Since W is complete there exists some  $t \in W$  such that  $l_n \to t$  as  $n \to \infty$ .

Assume not, then there exits  $z \in W$  such that

$$|d_{\theta}(t, Ut)| = |z| > 0. \tag{3.3}$$

So by using the triangular inequality and (3.1), we have

$$\begin{split} z &= d_{\theta}(t, Ut) \\ &\preceq \theta(t, Ut) d_{\theta}(t, l_{2n+2}) + \theta(t, Ut) d_{\theta}(l_{2n+2}, Ut) \\ &= \theta(t, Ut) d_{\theta}(t, l_{2n+2}) + \theta(t, Ut) d_{\theta}(Vl_{2n+1}, Ut) \\ &\preceq \theta(t, Ut) d_{\theta}(t, l_{2n+2}) + \theta(t, Ut) \mu_{1} d_{\theta}(t, l_{2n+1}) \\ &\quad + \theta(t, Ut) \mu_{2} \frac{d_{\theta}(t, Ut) d_{\theta}(l_{2n+1}, Vl_{2n+1})}{d_{\theta}(t, Vl_{2n+1}) + d_{\theta}(l_{2n+1}, Ut) + d_{\theta}(t, l_{2n+1})} \\ &= \theta(t, Ut) d_{\theta}(t, l_{2n+2}) + \theta(t, Ut) \mu_{1} d_{\theta}(t, l_{2n+1}) \\ &\quad + \theta(t, Ut) \mu_{2} \frac{d_{\theta}(t, Ut) d_{\theta}(l_{2n+1}, l_{2n+2})}{d_{\theta}(t, l_{2n+2}) + d_{\theta}(l_{2n+1}, Ut) + d_{\theta}(t, l_{2n+1})} \end{split}$$

$$\begin{aligned} |z| &= |d_{\theta}(t, Ut)| \leq \theta(t, Ut) |d_{\theta}(t, l_{2n+2})| + \theta(t, Ut) \mu_{1} |d_{\theta}(t, l_{2n+1})| \\ &+ \theta(t, Ut) \mu_{2} \frac{|d_{\theta}(t, Ut)| |d_{\theta}(l_{2n+1}, l_{2n+2})|}{|d_{\theta}(t, l_{2n+2})| + |d_{\theta}(l_{2n+1}, Ut)| + |d_{\theta}(t, l_{2n+1})|} \end{aligned}$$

As  $n \to \infty$ , we obtain that  $|z| = |d_{\theta}(t, Ut)| \le 0$ , a contradiction. Thus, |z| = 0.

Hence, Ut = t. Similarly, we obtain Vt = t.

Now, we show that U and V have a unique common fixed point. To prove this, assume that  $t' \neq t$  is another common fixed point of U and V. Then

$$d_{\theta}(t,t') = d_{\theta}(Ut,Vt')$$
  

$$\leq \mu_1 d_{\theta}(t,t') + \mu_2 \frac{d_{\theta}(t,Ut)d_{\theta}(t',Vt')}{d_{\theta}(t,Vt') + d_{\theta}(t',Ut) + d_{\theta}(t,t')}$$

Then,

$$\begin{aligned} |d_{\theta}(t,t')| &\leq \mu_1 |d_{\theta}(t,t')| + \mu_2 \frac{|d_{\theta}(t,Ut)| |d_{\theta}(t',Vt')|}{|d_{\theta}(t,Vt')| + |d_{\theta}(t',Ut)| + |d_{\theta}(t,t')|} \\ |d_{\theta}(t,t')| &\leq \mu_1 |d_{\theta}(t,t')|, \end{aligned}$$

which is a contradiction.

Hence, t = t', which shows the uniqueness of common fixed point in W.

Now, we consider the second case:

 $d_{\theta}(l, Vm) + d_{\theta}(m, Ul) + d_{\theta}(l, m) = 0.$  $l = l_{2n}$  and  $m = l_{2n+1}$ .  $d_{\theta}(l_{2n}, V l_{2n+1}) + d_{\theta}(l_{2n+1}, U l_{2n}) + d_{\theta}(l_{2n}, l_{2n+1}) = 0$  $d_{\theta}(Ul_{2n}, Vl_{2n+1}) = 0$ So that  $l_{2n} = Ul_{2n} = l_{2n+1} = Vl_{2n+1} = l_{2n+2}$ Thus, we have  $l_{2n+1} = Ul_{2n} = l_{2n}$ , so there exist  $E_1$  and  $f_1$  such that  $E_1 = Uf_1 = f_1$  where  $E_1 = l_{2n+1}$  and  $f_1 = l_{2n}$ . Using foregoing arguments, we show that there exist  $E_2$  and  $f_2$ such that  $E_2 = V f_2 = f_2$  where  $E_2 = l_{2n+2}$  and  $f_2 = l_{2n+1}$ . As,  $d_{\theta}(f_1, Vf_2) + d_{\theta}(f_2, Uf_1) + d_{\theta}(f_1, f_2) = 0$  which implies  $d_{\theta}(Uf_1, Vf_2) = 0. \ E_1 = Uf_1 = Vf_2 = E_2.$ Thus we obtain  $E_1 = Uf_1 = UE_1$ . Similarly, we have  $E_2 = VE_2$ . As  $E_1 = E_2 \Rightarrow UE_1 = VE_1 = E_1$ , Hence  $E_1 = E_2$  is common fixed point of U and V. For uniqueness of common fixed point, assume that  $E'_1$  in W is another common fixed point of U and V. Then we have  $UE'_1 = VE'_1 = E'_1$ As  $d_{\theta}(E_1, VE_1) + d_{\theta}(E_1, UE_1) + d_{\theta}(E_1, E_2) = 0$ , therefore  $d_{\theta}(E_1, E'_1) = d_{\theta}(UE_1, VE'_1) = 0$ This implies that  $E_1 = E'_1$ . This completes the proof of the theorem.  $\Box$ 

**Corollary 3.2.** Let  $(W, d_{\theta})$  be a complete complex valued extended b-metric space; let  $\theta : W \times W \rightarrow [1, \infty)$  and let  $V : W \rightarrow W$  be a mapping satisfying:

$$d_{\theta}(Vl, Vm) \leq \mu_1 d_{\theta}(l, m) + \mu_2 \frac{d_{\theta}(l, Vl) d_{\theta}(m, Vm)}{d_{\theta}(l, Vm) + d_{\theta}(m, Vl) + d_{\theta}(l, m)}$$
(3.4)

for all  $l, m \in W$ , such that  $l \neq m$ ,  $d_{\theta}(l, Vm) + d_{\theta}(m, Vl) + d_{\theta}(l, m) \neq 0$  where  $\mu_1$  and  $\mu_2$  are non negative reals with  $\mu_1 + \mu_2 \theta(l_1, l_2) < 1$ ,  $\zeta = \mu_1 + \mu_2 \theta(l_1, l_2)$  where  $\zeta \in [0, \infty)$ ,  $\lim_{n,m\to\infty} \theta(l_n, l_m) < \frac{1}{\zeta}$ . or  $d_{\theta}(Vl, Vm) = 0$  if  $d_{\theta}(l, Vm) + d_{\theta}(m, Vl) + d_{\theta}(l, m) = 0$ . Then V has a unique fixed point in W.

**Proof**. By using theorem 3.1 with U = V, we can prove this result.  $\Box$ 

**Corollary 3.3.** Let  $(W, d_{\theta})$  be a complete complex valued extended b-metric space; let  $\theta : W \times W \rightarrow [1, \infty)$  and let  $V : W \rightarrow W$  be a mapping satisfying (for some fixed n),

$$d_{\theta}(V^{n}l, V^{n}m) \leq \mu_{1}d_{\theta}(l, m) + \mu_{2}\frac{d_{\theta}(l, V^{n}l)d_{\theta}(m, V^{n}m)}{d_{\theta}(l, V^{n}m) + d_{\theta}(m, V^{n}l) + d_{\theta}(l, m)}$$
(3.5)

for all  $l, m \in W$ , such that  $l \neq m$ ,  $d_{\theta}(l, V^n m) + d_{\theta}(m, V^n l) + d_{\theta}(l, m) \neq 0$  where  $\mu_1$  and  $\mu_2$  are non negative reals with  $\mu_1 + \mu_2 \theta(l_1, l_2) < 1$ ,  $\zeta = \mu_1 + \mu_2 \theta(l_1, l_2)$  where  $\zeta \in [0, \infty)$ ,  $\lim_{n,m\to\infty} \theta(l_n, l_m) < \frac{1}{\zeta}$ . or  $d_{\theta}(V^n l, V^n m) = 0$  if

 $d_{\theta}(l, V^{n}m) + d_{\theta}(m, V^{n}l) + d_{\theta}(l, m) = 0.$  Then V has a unique fixed point in W.

**Proof**. By using corollary 3.2 with  $V = V^n$ , we can prove this result.  $\Box$ 

**Example 3.4.** Let  $W = [0, \infty)$ . Define  $\theta : W \times W \to [1, \infty)$  by

$$\theta(l,m) = \frac{2+l+m}{1+l+m} \text{ for all } l,m \in W,$$

and  $d_{\theta}: W \times W \to \mathbb{C}$  by

$$d_{\theta}(l,m) = |l-m|^2 + i|l-m|^2 \text{ for all } l,m \in W$$

Then  $(W, d_{\theta})$  is a complex valued extended b - metric space with s = 2. Consider the mappings  $U, V : W \to W$  defined by

$$Ul = \begin{cases} \left[0, \frac{l}{5}\right], & if \ l \in [0, 1] \\ \\ \left[l, 3l\right], & otherwise. \end{cases}$$
$$Vl = \begin{cases} \left[0, \frac{l}{10}\right], & if \ l \in [0, 1] \\ \\ \\ \left[3l, 7l\right], & otherwise. \end{cases}$$

If l = m = 0, conditions of Theorem 3.1 hold trivially. Suppose l and m are non zero with l < m. Then

$$d_{\theta}(l, Ul) = |l - \frac{l}{5}|^{2} + i|l - \frac{l}{5}|^{2},$$
  

$$d_{\theta}(m, Vm) = |m - \frac{m}{10}|^{2} + i|m - \frac{m}{10}|^{2},$$
  

$$d_{\theta}(m, Ul) = |m - \frac{l}{5}|^{2} + i|m - \frac{l}{5}|^{2},$$
  

$$d_{\theta}(l, Vm) = |l - \frac{m}{10}|^{2} + i|l - \frac{m}{10}|^{2},$$
  

$$s(Ul, Vm) = s\left(|\frac{l}{5} - \frac{m}{10}|^{2} + i|\frac{l}{5} - \frac{m}{10}|^{2}\right)$$

By taking  $\mu_1 = \frac{1}{2}$  and  $\mu_2 = 0$ , it can be verified that all the conditions of Theorem 3.1 are satisfied. Hence 0 is a common fixed point of U and V. **Theorem 3.5.** Let  $(W, d_{\theta})$  be a complete complex valued extended b-metric space; let and let U, V be self-mappings from W into itself satisfy the following inequality,

$$d_{\theta}(Ul, Vm) \leq \mu_1 d_{\theta}(l, m) + \mu_2 [d_{\theta}(l, Ul) + d_{\theta}(m, Vm)] + \mu_3 \frac{[d_{\theta}^2(l, Vm) + d_{\theta}^2(m, Ul)]}{d_{\theta}(l, Vm) + d_{\theta}(m, Ul)}$$
(3.6)

for all  $l, m \in W$ , such that  $l \neq m$ ,  $d_{\theta}(l, Vm) + d_{\theta}(m, Ul) \neq 0$  where  $\mu_1, \mu_2$  and  $\mu_3$  are non negative reals with  $\mu_1 + 2\mu_2 + 2\theta(l_0, l_2)\mu_3 < 1$ ,  $\zeta(1 - \mu_2 - \mu_3\theta(l_0, l_2)) = (\mu_1 + \mu_2 + \mu_3\theta(l_0, l_2))$  where  $\zeta \in [0, \infty)$ ,  $\lim_{n,m\to\infty} \theta(l_n, l_m) < \frac{1}{\zeta}$  or  $d_{\theta}(Ul, Vm) = 0$  if  $d_{\theta}(l, Vm) + d_{\theta}(m, Ul) = 0$ . Then U and V have a unique common fixed point in W.

**Proof**. For any arbitrary point  $l_0 \in W$ , define a sequence  $\{l_n\}$  in W such that

$$l_{2n+1} = U l_{2n} \text{ and } l_{2n+2} = V l_{2n} \quad \forall n \ge 0$$
 (3.7)

Now we prove that  $\{l_n\}$  is a Cauchy sequence. Let  $l = l_0, m = l_1$  in(3.6).

$$\begin{aligned} d_{\theta}(l_{1},l_{2}) &= d_{\theta}(Ul_{0},Vl_{1}) \\ &\preceq \mu_{1}d_{\theta}(l_{0},l_{1}) + \mu_{2}[d_{\theta}(l_{0},Ul_{0}) + d_{\theta}(l_{1},Vl_{1})] + \mu_{3}\frac{[d_{\theta}^{2}(l_{0},Vl_{1}) + d_{\theta}^{2}(l_{1},Ul_{0})]}{d_{\theta}(l_{0},Vl_{1}) + d_{\theta}(l_{1},Ul_{0})} \\ &= \mu_{1}d_{\theta}(l_{0},l_{1}) + \mu_{2}[d_{\theta}(l_{0},l_{1}) + d_{\theta}(l_{1},l_{2})] + \mu_{3}\frac{[d_{\theta}^{2}(l_{0},l_{2}) + d_{\theta}^{2}(l_{1},l_{1})]}{d_{\theta}(l_{0},l_{2}) + d_{\theta}(l_{1},l_{1})} \\ &= \mu_{1}d_{\theta}(l_{0},l_{1}) + \mu_{2}[d_{\theta}(l_{0},l_{1}) + d_{\theta}(l_{1},l_{2})] + \mu_{3}\frac{[d_{\theta}^{2}(l_{0},l_{2}) + d_{\theta}^{2}(l_{1},l_{1})]}{d_{\theta}(l_{0},l_{2})} \end{aligned}$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} |d_{\theta}(l_{1}, l_{2})| &\leq \mu_{1} |d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1})| + \mu_{2} [|d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1})| + |d_{\theta}(l_{1}, l_{2})|] + \mu_{3} \frac{[|d_{\theta}^{2}(l_{0}, l_{2})|]}{|d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{2})|} \\ |d_{\theta}(l_{1}, l_{2})| &\leq \mu_{1} |d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1})| + \mu_{2} [|d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1})| + |d_{\theta}(l_{1}, l_{2})|] + \mu_{3} |d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{2})| \end{aligned}$$

Using triangular inequality, we have

$$\begin{aligned} d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{2})| &\leq \theta(l_{0}, l_{2})[d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1}) + d_{\theta}(l_{1}, l_{2})] \\ d_{\theta}(l_{1}, l_{2})| &\leq \mu_{1}|d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1})| + \mu_{2}[|d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1}) + d_{\theta}(l_{1}, l_{2})] + \mu_{3}\theta(l_{0}, l_{2})[|d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1})| + |d_{\theta}(l_{1}, l_{2})|] \\ &= (\mu_{1} + \mu_{2} + \mu_{3}\theta(l_{0}, l_{2}))|d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1})| + (\mu_{2} + \mu_{3}\theta(l_{0}, l_{2}))|d_{\theta}(l_{1}, l_{2})| \\ d_{\theta}(l_{1}, l_{2})| &= \frac{(\mu_{1} + \mu_{2} + \mu_{3}\theta(l_{0}, l_{2}))}{(1 - \mu_{2} - \mu_{3}\theta(l_{0}, l_{2}))}|d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1})| \end{aligned}$$

Then, we obtain

$$|d_{\theta}(l_1, l_2)| \leq \zeta |d_{\theta}(l_0, l_1)|$$

Similarly,

$$\begin{aligned} |d_{\theta}(l_{1}, l_{2})| &\leq \zeta |d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1})| \\ |d_{\theta}(l_{2}, l_{3})| &\leq \zeta^{2} |d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1})| \\ |d_{\theta}(l_{3}, l_{4})| &\leq \zeta^{3} |d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1})| \\ &\vdots \\ |d_{\theta}(l_{n}, l_{n+1})| &\leq \zeta^{n} |d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1})| \end{aligned}$$

Now, by triangular inequality, for any  $m > n, m, n \in \mathbb{N}$  we have

$$d_{\theta}(l_{n}, l_{m}) \leq \theta(l_{n}, l_{m})\zeta^{n}d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1}) + \theta(l_{n}, l_{m})\theta(l_{n+1}, l_{m})\zeta^{n+1}d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1}) \dots + \theta(l_{n}, l_{m})\theta(l_{n+1}, l_{m}) \dots \theta(l_{m-2}, l_{m})\theta(l_{m-1}, l_{m})\zeta^{m-1}d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1})$$

Then

$$d_{\theta}(l_{n}, l_{m}) \leq d_{\theta}(l_{0}, l_{1}) [\theta(l_{n}, l_{m})\zeta^{n} + \theta(l_{n}, l_{m})\theta(l_{n+1}, l_{m})\zeta^{n+1} \dots + \theta(l_{n}, l_{m})\theta(l_{n+1}, l_{m}) \dots \theta(l_{m-2}, l_{m})\theta(l_{m-1}, l_{m})\zeta^{m-1}].$$

Since,  $\lim_{n,m\to\infty} \theta(l_n, l_m)\zeta < 1$ , series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \zeta^n \prod_{i=1}^n \theta(l_i, l_m)$  converges by ratio test for each  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ . Let

$$S = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \zeta^n \prod_{i=1}^n \theta(l_i, l_m), \ S_n = \sum_{j=1}^n \zeta^j \prod_{i=1}^j \theta(l_i, l_m)$$

Thus, for m > n, the above expression can be written as

$$d_{\theta}(l_n, l_m) \preceq d_{\theta}(l_0, l_1)[S_{m-1} - S_n]$$

and

$$|d_{\theta}(l_n, l_m)| \le |d_{\theta}(l_0, l_1)| [S_{m-1} - S_n]$$

Letting  $n \to \infty$ , we get

$$|d_{\theta}(l_n, l_m)| \to 0.$$

Thus,  $\{l_n\}$  is a Cauchy sequence in W. Since W is complete there exists some  $t \in W$  such that  $\{l_n\} \to t$  as  $n \to \infty$ .

Assume not, then there exits  $z \in W$  such that

$$|d_{\theta}(t, Ut)| = |z| > 0.$$
(3.8)

Using the triangular inequality, we have

$$\begin{split} z &= d_{\theta}(t, Ut) \\ &\preceq \theta(t, Ut) d_{\theta}(t, l_{2n+2}) + \theta(t, Ut) d_{\theta}(l_{2n+2}, Ut) \\ &= \theta(t, Ut) d_{\theta}(t, l_{2n+2}) + \theta(t, Ut) d_{\theta}(V l_{2n+1}, Ut) \\ &\preceq \theta(t, Ut) d_{\theta}(t, l_{2n+2}) + \theta(t, Ut) \mu_{1} d_{\theta}(t, l_{2n+1}) + \theta(t, Ut) \mu_{2}[d_{\theta}(t, Ut) + d_{\theta}(l_{2n+1}, V l_{2n+1})] \\ &\quad + \theta(t, Ut) \mu_{3} \frac{[d_{\theta}^{2}(t, V l_{2n+1}) + d_{\theta}^{2}(l_{2n+1}, Ut)]}{d_{\theta}(t, V l_{2n+1}) + d_{\theta}(l_{2n+1}, Ut)} \\ &= \theta(t, Ut) d_{\theta}(t, l_{2n+2}) + \theta(t, Ut) \mu_{1} d_{\theta}(t, l_{2n+1}) + \theta(t, Ut) \mu_{2}[d_{\theta}(t, Ut) + d_{\theta}(l_{2n+1}, l_{2n+2})] \\ &\quad + \theta(t, Ut) \mu_{3} \frac{[d_{\theta}^{2}(t, l_{2n+2}) + d_{\theta}^{2}(l_{2n+1}, Ut)]}{d_{\theta}(t, l_{2n+2}) + d_{\theta}(l_{2n+1}, Ut)} \end{split}$$

$$\begin{aligned} |z| &= |d_{\theta}(t, Ut)| \leq |\theta(t, Ut)| \left( |d_{\theta}(t, l_{2n+2})| + \mu_{1} |d_{\theta}(t, l_{2n+1}) + \mu_{2} \left[ |d_{\theta}(t, Ut)| + |d_{\theta}(l_{2n+1}, l_{2n+2})| \right] \\ &+ \mu_{3} \frac{\left[ |d_{\theta}^{2}(t, l_{2n+2})| + |d_{\theta}^{2}(l_{2n+1}, Ut)| \right]}{|d_{\theta}(t, l_{2n+2})| + |d_{\theta}(l_{2n+1}, Ut)|} \end{aligned}$$

As  $n \to \infty$ , we obtain that  $|z| = |d_{\theta}(t, Ut)| \le 0$ , a contradiction. Thus, |z| = 0.

Hence, Ut = t. Similarly, we obtain Vt = t.

Now, we show that U and V have a unique common fixed point. To prove this, assume that  $t' \neq t$  is another common fixed point of U and V. Then

$$d_{\theta}(t,t') = d_{\theta}(Ut,Vt') \\ \leq \mu_1 d_{\theta}(t,t') + \mu_2 [d_{\theta}(t,Ut) + d_{\theta}(t',Vt')] + \mu_3 \frac{[d_{\theta}^2(t,Vt') + d_{\theta}^2(t',Ut)]}{d_{\theta}(t,Vt') + d_{\theta}(t',Ut)}$$

Then,

$$|d_{\theta}(t,t')| \leq \mu_{1}|d_{\theta}(t,t')| + \mu_{2}[|d_{\theta}(t,Ut)| + |d_{\theta}(t',Vt')|] + \mu_{3}\frac{[|d_{\theta}^{2}(t,Vt')| + |d_{\theta}^{2}(t',Ut)|]}{|d_{\theta}(t,Vt')| + |d_{\theta}(t',Ut)|} |d_{\theta}(t,t')| \leq (\mu_{1} + \mu_{3})|d_{\theta}(t,t')|,$$

which is a contradiction. Hence t = t' which shows the uniqueness of common fixed point in W. For the second case,  $d_{\theta}(Ul, Vm) = 0$  if  $d_{\theta}(l, Vm) + d_{\theta}(m, Ul) = 0$ , the proof of unique common fixed point can be completed in the line of Theorem 3.1. This completes the proof of the theorem.  $\Box$ 

**Corollary 3.6.** Let  $(W, d_{\theta})$  be a complete complex valued extended b-metric space; let  $\theta : W \times W \rightarrow [1, \infty)$  and let V be self-mapping from W into itself satisfy the following inequality,

$$d_{\theta}(Vl, Vm) \leq \mu_{1}d_{\theta}(l, m) + \mu_{2}[d_{\theta}(l, Vl) + d_{\theta}(m, Vm)] + \mu_{3}\frac{[d_{\theta}^{2}(l, Vm) + d_{\theta}^{2}(m, Vl)]}{d_{\theta}(l, Vm) + d_{\theta}(m, Vl)}$$

for all  $l, m \in W$ , such that  $l \neq m$ ,  $d_{\theta}(l, Vm) + d_{\theta}(m, Vl) \neq 0$  where  $\mu_1, \mu_2$  and  $\mu_3$  are non negative reals with  $\mu_1 + 2\mu_2 + 2\theta(l_0, l_2)\mu_3 < 1$ ,  $\zeta(1 - \mu_2 - \mu_3\theta(l_0, l_2)) = (\mu_1 + \mu_2 + \mu_3\theta(l_0, l_2))$  where  $\zeta \in [0, \infty)$ ,  $\lim_{\substack{n,m\to\infty\\n,m\to\infty}} \theta(l_n, l_m) < \frac{1}{\zeta}$ . or  $d_{\theta}(Vl, Vm) = 0$  if  $d_{\theta}(l, Vm) + d_{\theta}(m, Vl) = 0$  Then V has a unique fixed point in W.

**Proof**. By using the theorem 3.5 with U = V, we can prove this result.  $\Box$ 

**Corollary 3.7.** Let  $(W, d_{\theta})$  be a complete complex valued extended b-metric space; let  $\theta : W \times W \rightarrow [1, \infty)$  and let  $V : W \rightarrow W$  be a mapping satisfying (for some fixed n)

$$d_{\theta}(V^{n}l, V^{n}m) \leq \mu_{1}d_{\theta}(l, m) + \mu_{2}[d_{\theta}(l, V^{n}l) + d_{\theta}(m, V^{n}m)] + \mu_{3}\frac{[d_{\theta}^{2}(l, V^{n}m) + d_{\theta}^{2}(m, V^{n}l)]}{d_{\theta}(l, V^{n}m) + d_{\theta}(m, V^{n}l)}$$

for all  $l, m \in W$ , such that  $l \neq m$ ,  $d_{\theta}(l, V^n m) + d_{\theta}(m, V^n l) \neq 0$  where  $\mu_1, \mu_2$  and  $\mu_3$  are non negative reals with  $\mu_1 + 2\mu_2 + 2\theta(l_0, l_2)\mu_3 < 1$ ,  $\zeta(1 - \mu_2 - \mu_3\theta(l_0, l_2)) = (\mu_1 + \mu_2 + \mu_3\theta(l_0, l_2))$  where  $\zeta \in [0, \infty)$ ,  $\lim_{\substack{n,m\to\infty\\point\ in\ W}} \theta(l_n, l_m) < \frac{1}{\zeta}$ . or  $d_{\theta}(V^n l, V^n m) = 0$  if  $d_{\theta}(l, V^n m) + d_{\theta}(m, V^n l) = 0$  Then V has a unique fixed point in W.

**Proof**. By using the corollary 3.6 with  $V = V^n$ , we can prove this result.  $\Box$ 

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