



## Fixed point theorems for $\Theta$ -contractions in left $K$ -complete $T_1$ -quasi metric space



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### Abstract

The aim of this paper is to define  $\Theta_\beta^u = \{v \in \mathcal{T}u : \Theta(\varrho(u, v)) \leq [\Theta(\varrho(u, \mathcal{T}u))]^\beta\}$  and establish some new fixed point theorems in the setting of left  $K$ -complete  $T_1$ -quasi metric space. Our theorems generalize, extend, and unify several results of literature.

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### 1. Introduction and preliminaries

**Definition 1.1** ([7]). Let  $\mathcal{E} \neq \emptyset$ . A function  $\varrho : \mathcal{E} \times \mathcal{E} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$  is said to be a quasi-pseudo metric so that  $\forall u, v, w \in \mathcal{E}$ :

- $\varrho(u, v) = 0$ ;
- $\varrho(u, v) \leq \varrho(u, w) + \varrho(w, v)$ .

If it satisfies:

- $\varrho(u, v) = \varrho(v, u) = 0 \Rightarrow u = v$ ,

then  $\varrho$  is called  $T_1$ -quasi metric.

**Remark 1.2** ([7]).

- Each metric is a  $T_1$ -quasi metric.
- Each  $T_1$ -quasi metric is a quasi metric.
- Each quasi metric is a quasi-pseudo metric.

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**Definition 1.3** ([7]). Assume that a quasi-pseudo metric space  $(\mathcal{E}, \varrho)$ . Given  $u_0 \in \mathcal{E}$  as centre and  $\epsilon > 0$  as radius, then

$$B_\varrho(u_0, \epsilon) = \{v \in \mathcal{E} : \varrho(u_0, v) < \epsilon\}$$

denotes the open ball and

$$\bar{B}_\varrho(u_0, \epsilon) = \{v \in \mathcal{E} : \varrho(u_0, v) \leq \epsilon\}$$

denotes the closed ball.

Every quasi-pseudo metric  $\varrho$  on  $\mathcal{E}$  originate a topology  $\tau_\varrho$  on  $\mathcal{E}$ . If  $\varrho$  is a quasi metric on  $\mathcal{E}$ , then the originated topology  $\tau_\varrho$  must be  $T_0$ . If  $\varrho$  is a  $T_1$ -quasi metric, then the generated topology  $\tau_\varrho$  is a  $T_1$ .

If  $\varrho$  is a quasi-pseudo metric on  $\mathcal{E}$ , then define  $\varrho^{-1}$ ,  $\varrho^s$ , and  $\varrho_+$  as

$$\varrho^{-1}(u, v) = \varrho(v, u), \quad \varrho^s(u, v) = \max\{\varrho(u, v), \varrho^{-1}(u, v)\}, \quad \text{and} \quad \varrho_+(u, v) = \varrho(u, v) + \varrho^{-1}(u, v).$$

All these metrics are also quasi-pseudo metrics on  $\mathcal{E}$ . Moreover, if  $\varrho$  satisfies

$$u \neq v \implies \varrho(u, v) + \varrho^{-1}(u, v) > 0,$$

then  $\varrho_+$  (and also  $\varrho^s$ ) is a metric on  $\mathcal{E}$ . Here  $\text{cl}_\varrho(A)$ ,  $\text{cl}_{\varrho^{-1}}(A)$ , and  $\text{cl}_{\varrho^s}(A)$  denote the closure of  $A$  in  $\mathcal{E}$  with respect to  $\tau_\varrho$ ,  $\tau_{\varrho^{-1}}$ , and  $\tau_{\varrho^s}$ , respectively.

We give the following examples in which the mapping  $\varrho : \mathcal{E} \times \mathcal{E} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$  is a quasi metric but not a  $T_1$ -quasi metric.

**Example 1.4** ([7]).

(i) Let  $\mathcal{E} = \mathbb{R}$ . Define  $\varrho : \mathcal{E} \times \mathcal{E} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$  as follows

$$\varrho(u, v) = \max\{v - u, 0\}$$

$$\forall u, v \in \mathcal{E}.$$

(ii) Let  $\mathcal{E} = \mathbb{R}$  and

$$\varrho(u, v) = \begin{cases} 0, & u = v, \\ |v|, & u \neq v, \end{cases}$$

$$\forall u, v \in \mathcal{E}.$$

We give the following example in which the mapping  $\varrho : \mathcal{E} \times \mathcal{E} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$  is a  $T_1$ -quasi metric although not a metric on  $\mathcal{E}$ .

**Example 1.5** ([7]). Let  $\mathcal{E} = \mathbb{R}$  and

$$\varrho(u, v) = \begin{cases} v - u, & u \leq v, \\ 1, & u > v, \end{cases}$$

$$\forall u, v \in \mathcal{E}.$$

Let  $(\mathcal{E}, \varrho)$  be a quasi metric space,  $B$  a nonempty subset of  $\mathcal{E}$ , and  $u \in \mathcal{E}$ . Then

$$u \in \text{cl}_\varrho(A) \iff \varrho(u, B) = \inf\{\varrho(u, a) : a \in B\} = 0.$$

Likewise,

$$u \in \text{cl}_{\varrho^{-1}}(A) \iff \varrho(B, u) = \inf\{\varrho(a, u) : a \in B\} = 0.$$

If  $B$  is compact subset of  $\mathcal{E}$  and  $(\mathcal{E}, \varrho)$  is a metric space, then for each  $u \in \mathcal{E}$ ,  $\exists a \in B$  so that

$$\varrho(u, a) = \varrho(u, B).$$

But this property does not hold in a quasi metric space  $(\mathcal{E}, \varrho)$ .

However, if  $(\mathcal{E}, \varrho)$  is a quasi metric space and  $A$  is a  $\tau_{\varrho^{-1}}$ -compact subset of  $\mathcal{E}$ , then this property holds. Let  $(\mathcal{E}, \varrho)$  be a quasi metric space and  $u \in \mathcal{E}$ . A sequence  $\{u_n\}$  converges to  $u$  regarding  $\tau_{\varrho}$  is said to be  $\varrho$ -convergence and denoted by  $u_n \xrightarrow{\varrho} u$  and is defined by

$$\varrho(u, u_n) \rightarrow 0,$$

as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . Similarly, the convergence of  $\{u_n\}$  to  $u$  regarding  $\tau_{\varrho^{-1}}$  is said to be  $\varrho^{-1}$ -convergence and denoted by  $u_n \xrightarrow{\varrho^{-1}} u$  and is defined by

$$\varrho^{-1}(u_n, u) \rightarrow 0,$$

as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . Finally, the convergence of  $\{u_n\}$  to  $u$  regarding  $\tau_{\varrho^s}$  is said to be  $\varrho^s$ -convergence and denoted by  $u_n \xrightarrow{\varrho^s} u$  and is defined by

$$\varrho^s(u_n, u) \rightarrow 0,$$

as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . It is clear that  $u_n \xrightarrow{\varrho^s} u \iff u_n \xrightarrow{\varrho} u$  and  $u_n \xrightarrow{\varrho^{-1}} u$ .

**Definition 1.6** ([7]). Assume that  $(\mathcal{E}, \varrho)$  is a quasi metric space (QMS).

(i) If  $\forall \epsilon > 0, \exists n_0 \in \mathbb{N}$  so that

$$\forall n, k, n \geq k \geq n_0, \varrho(u_k, u_n) < \epsilon,$$

then  $\{u_n\}$  in  $\mathcal{E}$  is called a left  $K$ -Cauchy.

(ii) If  $\forall \epsilon > 0, \exists n_0 \in \mathbb{N}$  so that

$$\forall n, k, n \geq k \geq n_0, \varrho(u_n, u_k) < \epsilon,$$

then  $\{u_n\}$  in  $\mathcal{E}$  is called a right  $K$ -Cauchy.

(iii) If  $\forall \epsilon > 0, \exists n_0 \in \mathbb{N}$  so that

$$\forall n, k \geq n_0, \varrho(u_n, u_k) < \epsilon,$$

then  $\{u_n\}$  in  $\mathcal{E}$  is said to be  $\varrho^s$ -Cauchy.

**Definition 1.7** ([7]). Assume that  $(\mathcal{E}, \varrho)$  be a QMS.

- If each left (right)  $K$ -Cauchy sequence is  $\varrho$ -convergent then  $(\mathcal{E}, \varrho)$  is called a left (right)  $K$ -complete.
- If each left (right)  $K$ -Cauchy sequence is  $\varrho^{-1}$ -convergent then  $(\mathcal{E}, \varrho)$  is called a left (right)  $M$ -complete.
- If each left (right)  $K$ -Cauchy sequence is  $\varrho^s$ -convergent then  $(\mathcal{E}, \varrho)$  is called a left (right) Smyth complete.

Currently, Jleli and Samet [12] initiated a contemporary kind of contraction and proved a new result for this contraction in the framework of generalized metric spaces.

**Definition 1.8.** Let  $\Theta : (0, \infty) \rightarrow (1, \infty)$  be a function satisfying:

( $\Theta_1$ )  $\Theta$  is nondecreasing;

( $\Theta_2$ ) for each sequence  $\{\alpha_n\} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^+, \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \Theta(\alpha_n) = 1 \iff \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n = 0$ ;

( $\Theta_3$ )  $\exists 0 < k < 1$  and  $l \in (0, \infty]$  such that  $\lim_{\alpha \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\Theta(\alpha) - 1}{\alpha^k} = l$ .

A mapping  $\mathcal{J} : \mathcal{E} \rightarrow \mathcal{E}$  is said to be  $\Theta$ -contraction if there exist the function  $\Theta$  satisfying ( $\Theta_1$ )-( $\Theta_3$ ) and  $\alpha \in (0, 1)$  so that  $\forall u, v \in \mathcal{E}$ ,

$$\varrho(\mathcal{J}u, \mathcal{J}v) \neq 0 \implies \Theta(\varrho(\mathcal{J}u, \mathcal{J}v)) \leq [\Theta(\varrho(u, v))]^\alpha.$$

**Theorem 1.9 ([12]).** If  $\mathcal{J}$  be a  $\Theta$ -contraction on be a complete metric space  $(\mathcal{E}, \varrho)$ , then  $u^* = \mathcal{J}u^*$ .

To be consistent with Samet et al. [12], we denote by  $\Omega$  the set of all functions  $\Theta : (0, \infty) \rightarrow (1, \infty)$  satisfying the above conditions.

Many researchers [1–6, 9–11, 13–16] have generalized various theorems on metric space by taking the class  $\Omega$ .

Subsequently Hancer et al. [8] extended the above definition and added one more condition in this way.

$$(\Theta_4) \quad \Theta(\inf A) = \inf \Theta(A), \forall A \subset (0, \infty) \text{ with } \inf A > 0.$$

We denote by  $\Omega^*$  the set of all functions  $\Theta$  satisfying  $(\Theta_1)$ – $(\Theta_4)$ .

The purpose of this manuscript is to define a new family  $\Theta_\beta^u$  for a multivalued mapping and obtain some fixed point theorems.

## 2. Main Result

Let  $(\mathcal{E}, \varrho)$  be a quasi metric space,  $\mathcal{J} : \mathcal{E} \rightarrow P(\mathcal{E})$ ,  $\Theta \in \Omega$ , and  $\beta \geq 0$ . For  $u \in \mathcal{E}$  with  $\varrho(u, \mathcal{J}u) > 0$ , define the set  $\Theta_\beta^u \subseteq \mathcal{E}$  as

$$\Theta_\beta^u = \left\{ v \in \mathcal{J}u : \Theta(\varrho(u, v)) \leq [\Theta(\varrho(u, \mathcal{J}u))]^\beta \right\}.$$

It is obvious that, if  $\beta_1 \leq \beta_2$ , then  $\Theta_{\beta_1}^u \subseteq \Theta_{\beta_2}^u$ . Now, we explore these cases for  $\Theta_\beta^u$ .

If  $\mathcal{J} : \mathcal{E} \rightarrow A_\varrho(\mathcal{E})$ , then it is clear that  $\Theta_\beta^u \neq \emptyset$ ,  $\forall \beta \geq 0$  and  $u \in \mathcal{E}$  with  $\varrho(u, \mathcal{J}u) > 0$ .

In this section, we defined  $\Theta$ -contraction with respect to a self mapping and establish a common fixed point theorem using the concept of dominating and dominated mappings.

**Theorem 2.1.** Let  $(\mathcal{E}, \varrho)$  be a left  $K$ -complete  $T_1$ -quasi metric space,  $\Theta \in \Omega$  and  $\mathcal{J} : \mathcal{E} \rightarrow A_\varrho(\mathcal{E})$ . If  $\exists \alpha \in (0, 1)$  such that for any  $u \in \mathcal{E}$  with  $\varrho(u, \mathcal{J}u) > 0$  and  $v \in \Theta_\beta^u$  satisfying

$$\Theta(\varrho(v, \mathcal{J}v)) \leq [\Theta(\varrho(u, v))]^\alpha,$$

then  $u^* \in \mathcal{J}u^*$  provided that  $\alpha < \beta$  and  $u \rightarrow \varrho(u, \mathcal{J}u)$  is lower semi-continuous regarding  $\tau_\varrho$ .

*Proof.* Let  $u^* \notin \mathcal{J}u^*$ . Now,  $\forall u \in \mathcal{E}$  we get  $\varrho(u, \mathcal{J}u) > 0$ . (Note that if  $\varrho(u, \mathcal{J}u) = 0$ , then since  $\mathcal{J}u \in A_\varrho(\mathcal{E})$ , there exists  $a \in \mathcal{J}u$  such that

$$\varrho(u, a) = \varrho(u, \mathcal{J}u) = 0.$$

So,  $a = u \in \mathcal{J}u$  because  $\varrho$  is a  $T_1$ -quasi metric). Now, since  $\mathcal{J}u \in A_\varrho(\mathcal{E})$  for every  $u \in \mathcal{E}$ , so the set  $\Theta_\beta^u$  is nonempty. Let  $u_0 \in \mathcal{E}$ , be an arbitrary initial point, then  $\exists u_1 \in \Theta_{\beta}^{u_0}$  so that

$$\Theta(\varrho(u_1, \mathcal{J}u_1)) \leq [\Theta(\varrho(u_0, u_1))]^\alpha,$$

and for  $u_1 \in \mathcal{E}$ ,  $\exists u_2 \in \Theta_{\beta}^{u_1}$  satisfying

$$\Theta(\varrho(u_2, \mathcal{J}u_2)) \leq [\Theta(\varrho(u_1, u_2))]^\alpha.$$

Pursuing in this way, we have a sequence  $\{u_n\}$ , where  $u_{n+1} \in \Theta_{\beta}^{u_n}$  and

$$\Theta(\varrho(u_{n+1}, \mathcal{J}u_{n+1})) \leq [\Theta(\varrho(u_n, u_{n+1}))]^\alpha. \quad (2.1)$$

Now, we will prove that  $\{u_n\}$  is a left  $K$ -Cauchy sequence. As  $u_{n+1} \in \Theta_{\beta}^{u_n}$ , we have

$$\Theta(\varrho(u_n, u_{n+1})) \leq [\Theta(\varrho(u_n, \mathcal{J}u_n))]^\beta. \quad (2.2)$$

From (2.1) and (2.2), we have

$$\Theta(\varrho(u_{n+1}, \mathcal{J}u_{n+1})) \leq [\Theta(\varrho(u_n, \mathcal{J}u_n))]^{\alpha\beta},$$

and

$$\Theta(\varrho(u_{n+1}, u_{n+2})) \leq [\Theta(\varrho(u_n, u_{n+1}))]^{\alpha\beta}.$$

By this way we can obtain

$$\Theta(\varrho(u_n, u_{n+1})) \leq [\Theta(\varrho(u_0, u_1))]^{(\alpha\beta)^n}, \quad (2.3)$$

and

$$\Theta(\varrho(u_n, \mathcal{J}u_n)) \leq [\Theta(\varrho(u_0, \mathcal{J}u_0))]^{(\alpha\beta)^n}. \quad (2.4)$$

By  $n \rightarrow \infty$  in (2.3), we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \Theta(\varrho(u_n, u_{n+1})) = 1,$$

which implies that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \varrho(u_n, u_{n+1}) = 0,$$

by  $(\Theta_2)$ . From the condition  $(\Theta_3)$ ,  $\exists 0 < k < 1$  and  $l \in (0, \infty]$  so that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\Theta(\varrho(u_n, u_{n+1})) - 1}{\varrho(u_n, u_{n+1})^k} = l.$$

Let  $l < \infty$  and  $\lambda_1 = \frac{l}{2} > 0$ . By definition of the limit,  $\exists n_1 \in \mathbb{N}$  so that

$$\left| \frac{\Theta(\varrho(u_n, u_{n+1})) - 1}{\varrho(u_n, u_{n+1})^k} - l \right| \leq \lambda_1$$

$\forall n > n_1$ , which implies that

$$\frac{\Theta(\varrho(u_n, u_{n+1})) - 1}{\varrho(u_n, u_{n+1})^k} \geq l - \lambda_1 = \frac{l}{2} = \lambda_1$$

$\forall n > n_1$ . Then

$$n\varrho(u_n, u_{n+1})^k \leq \lambda_2 n [\Theta(\varrho(u_n, u_{n+1})) - 1],$$

$\forall n > n_1$ , where  $\lambda_2 = \frac{1}{\lambda_1}$ . Now we suppose that  $l = \infty$ . Let  $\lambda_1 > 0$ . By the definition of the limit,  $\exists n_1 \in \mathbb{N}$  so that

$$\lambda_1 \leq \frac{\Theta(\varrho(u_n, u_{n+1})) - 1}{\varrho(u_n, u_{n+1})^k}$$

$\forall n > n_1$ , which implies that

$$n\varrho(u_n, u_{n+1})^k \leq \lambda_2 n [\Theta(\varrho(u_n, u_{n+1})) - 1]$$

$\forall n > n_1$ , where  $\lambda_2 = \frac{1}{\lambda_1}$ . Hence, in any case,  $\exists \lambda_2 > 0$  and  $n_1 \in \mathbb{N}$  so that

$$n\varrho(u_n, u_{n+1})^k \leq \lambda_2 n [\Theta(\varrho(u_n, u_{n+1})) - 1] \quad (2.5)$$

$\forall n > n_1$ . Thus by (2.3) and (2.5), we get

$$n\varrho(u_n, u_{n+1})^k \leq \lambda_2 n ([\Theta(\varrho(u_0, u_1))]^{(\alpha\beta)^n} - 1).$$

Taking  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , we obtain

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n\varrho(u_n, u_{n+1})^k = 0.$$

Hence  $\exists n_2 \in \mathbb{N}$  so that

$$\varrho(u_n, u_{n+1}) \leq \frac{1}{n^{1/k}}$$

$\forall n > n_2$ . Now for  $m > n > n_2$  we get

$$\begin{aligned} \varrho(u_n, u_m) &\leq \varrho(u_n, u_{n+1}) + \varrho(u_{n+1}, u_{n+2}) + \cdots + \varrho(u_{m-1}, u_m) \\ &= \sum_{i=n}^{m-1} \varrho(u_i, u_{i+1}) \leq \sum_{i=n}^{\infty} \varrho(u_i, u_{i+1}) \leq \sum_{i=n}^{\infty} \frac{1}{i^{1/k}}. \end{aligned}$$

Since,  $0 < k < 1$  and  $\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{i^{1/k}}$  is convergent. So taking  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , we have  $\varrho(u_n, u_m) \rightarrow 0$ . Hence  $\{u_n\}$  is left  $K$ -Cauchy in  $(\mathcal{E}, \varrho)$ . As  $(\mathcal{E}, \varrho)$  is a left  $K$ -complete, so  $\exists u^* \in \mathcal{E}$  such that  $\{u_n\}$  is  $\varrho$ -convergent to  $u^*$ , that is,  $\varrho(u^*, u_n) \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .  $\square$

On the other hand, from (2.4) and  $(\Theta_2)$  we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \varrho(u_n, \mathcal{J}u_n) = 0.$$

Since  $u \rightarrow \varrho(u, \mathcal{J}u)$  is lower semi-continuous regarding  $\tau_{\varrho}$ , then

$$0 < \varrho(u^*, \mathcal{J}u^*) \leq \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \varrho(u_n, \mathcal{J}u_n) = 0,$$

which contradicts to the supposition. Thus  $u^* \in \mathcal{J}u^*$ .

**Remark 2.2.** As  $K_{\varrho^{-1}}(\mathcal{E}) \subseteq A_{\varrho}(\mathcal{E})$ , we can take  $\mathcal{J}u \in K_{\varrho^{-1}}(\mathcal{E})$ ,  $\forall u \in \mathcal{E}$  in the overhead result.

**Theorem 2.3.** Let  $(\mathcal{E}, \varrho)$  be a left  $M$ -complete  $T_1$ -quasi metric space,  $\Theta \in \Omega$ , and  $\mathcal{J} : \mathcal{E} \rightarrow A_{\varrho}(\mathcal{E})$ . If  $\exists \alpha \in (0, 1)$  so that for any  $u \in \mathcal{E}$  with  $\varrho(u, \mathcal{J}u) > 0$ ,  $\exists v \in \Theta_{\beta}^u$  satisfying

$$\Theta(\varrho(v, \mathcal{J}v)) \leq [\Theta(\varrho(u, v))]^{\alpha},$$

then  $u^* \in \mathcal{J}u^*$  provided that  $\alpha < \beta$  and  $u \rightarrow \varrho(u, \mathcal{J}u)$  is lower semi-continuous regarding  $\tau_{\varrho^{-1}}$ .

*Proof.* Let  $u^* \notin \mathcal{J}u^*$ . Then  $\varrho(u^*, \mathcal{J}u^*) > 0$ . By Theorem 2.1, there exists left  $K$ -Cauchy sequence  $\{u_n\}$ . By the left  $M$ -completeness of  $(\mathcal{E}, \varrho)$ ,  $\exists u^* \in \mathcal{E}$  so that,  $\varrho(u_n, u^*) \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . As

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \varrho(u_n, \mathcal{J}u_n) = 0,$$

and  $u \rightarrow \varrho(u, \mathcal{J}u)$  is lower semi-continuous regarding  $\tau_{\varrho^{-1}}$ , then

$$0 < \varrho(u^*, \mathcal{J}u^*) \leq \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \varrho(u_n, \mathcal{J}u_n) = 0,$$

which contradicts the supposition. Thus  $u^* \in \mathcal{J}u^*$ .  $\square$

If  $C_{\varrho}(\mathcal{E})$  is considered on the place of  $A_{\varrho}(\mathcal{E})$  in the overhead results with the given conditions, then  $\mathcal{J}$  may not have a fixed point. But, if we consider  $\Omega^*$  on the place of  $\Omega$ , then the fixed point of  $J$  must exist.

**Theorem 2.4.** Let  $(\mathcal{E}, \varrho)$  be a left  $K$ -complete quasi metric space,  $\Theta \in \Omega^*$ , and  $\mathcal{J} : \mathcal{E} \rightarrow C_{\varrho}(\mathcal{E})$ . If  $\exists \alpha \in (0, 1)$  so that for any  $u \in \mathcal{E}$  with  $\varrho(u, \mathcal{J}u) > 0$  and  $v \in \Theta_{\beta}^u$  satisfying

$$\Theta(\varrho(v, \mathcal{J}v)) \leq [\Theta(\varrho(u, v))]^{\alpha},$$

then  $u^* \in \mathcal{J}u^*$  provided that  $\alpha < \beta$  and  $u \rightarrow \varrho(u, \mathcal{J}u)$  is lower semi-continuous regarding  $\tau_{\varrho}$ .

*Proof.* Let  $\mathcal{J}$  has no fixed point. Then,  $\forall u \in \mathcal{E}$  we get  $\varrho(u, \mathcal{J}u) > 0$ . (But if  $\varrho(u, \mathcal{J}u) = 0$ , then  $u \in C_{\varrho}(\mathcal{E}) = \mathcal{J}u$ ). Since  $\Theta \in \Omega^*$ , for every  $u \in \mathcal{E}$ , so the set  $\Theta_{\beta}^u$  is nonempty. Let  $u_0 \in \mathcal{E}$ , be an arbitrary initial point, then  $\exists u_1 \in \Theta_{\beta}^{u_0}$  so that

$$\Theta(\varrho(u_1, \mathcal{J}u_1)) \leq [\Theta(\varrho(u_0, u_1))]^{\alpha}.$$

Considering the condition  $(\Theta_4)$ , we can write

$$\Theta(\varrho(u_1, \mathcal{J}u_1)) = \inf_{v \in \mathcal{J}u_1} \Theta(\varrho(u_1, v)).$$

Thus from

$$\Theta(\varrho(u_1, \mathcal{J}u_1)) \leq [\Theta(\varrho(u_0, u_1))]^\alpha,$$

we have

$$\inf_{v \in \mathcal{J}u_1} \Theta(\varrho(u_1, v)) \leq [\Theta(\varrho(u_0, u_1))]^\alpha < [\Theta(\varrho(u_0, u_1))]^\gamma,$$

where  $0 < \alpha < \gamma < 1$ . Therefore,  $\exists u_2 \in \mathcal{J}u_1$  so that

$$\Theta(\varrho(u_1, u_2)) \leq [\Theta(\varrho(u_0, u_1))]^\gamma.$$

Doing the same as the proof of Theorem 2.1 by considering the  $\mathcal{J}u^* \in C_\varrho(\mathcal{E})$ . □

Following theorem generalized the Feng-Liu's fixed point theorem.

**Theorem 2.5.** Let  $(\mathcal{E}, \varrho)$  be a left  $M$ -complete quasi metric space,  $\Theta \in \Omega^*$ , and  $\mathcal{J} : \mathcal{E} \rightarrow C_\varrho(\mathcal{E})$ . If  $\exists \alpha \in (0, 1)$  such that for any  $u \in \mathcal{E}$  with  $\varrho(u, \mathcal{J}u) > 0$  and  $v \in \Theta_\beta^u$  satisfying

$$\Theta(\varrho(v, \mathcal{J}v)) \leq [\Theta(\varrho(u, v))]^\alpha,$$

then  $u^* \in \mathcal{J}u^*$  provided that  $\alpha < \beta$  and  $u \rightarrow \varrho(u, \mathcal{J}u)$  is lower semi-continuous regarding  $\tau_{\varrho^{-1}}$ .

*Proof.* Let there does not exist  $u^* \in \mathcal{E}$  such that  $u^* \in \mathcal{J}u^*$ . From Theorem 2.4, there exists  $\{u_n\}$  which is left  $K$ -Cauchy. As  $(\mathcal{E}, \varrho)$  is left  $M$ -complete, so  $\exists u^* \in \mathcal{E}$  so that,  $\varrho(u_n, u^*) \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . Now as

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \varrho(u_n, \mathcal{J}u_n) = 0.$$

Since  $u \rightarrow \varrho(u, \mathcal{J}u)$  is lower semi-continuous regarding  $\tau_{\varrho^{-1}}$ , then

$$0 < \varrho(u^*, \mathcal{J}u^*) \leq \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \varrho(u_n, \mathcal{J}u_n) = 0,$$

which contradicts the supposition. Thus  $u^* \in \mathcal{J}u^*$ . □

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