## COUPLED FIXED POINT RESULTS FOR NONLINEAR CONTRACTION IN *b*-FUZZY METRIC SPACE ENDOWED WITH GRAPH WITH APPLICATION

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In 1987, Guo and Lakshmikantham [1] introduced the notion of coupled fixed point. By using this notion, Bhaskar and Lakshmikantham [2] gave sufficient conditions to solve some differential equations by introducing and proving many nice results for coupled fixed points.

In this presentation, we endowed a complete *b*-fuzzy metric space with a graph. We derive some new coupled fixed point theorems under some conditions. Then we apply our results to give sufficient conditions to guarantee an existence of a continuous solution for a system of fractional differential equation.

Let (X, M, \*, G) stands to a complete *b*-fuzzy metric space with constant  $s \ge 1$  (introducing by Sedghi and Shobe [3]) such that  $a * a \ge a^2$  and  $\lim_{t\to\infty} M(x, y, t) = 1$ , endowed with directed graph *G* such that V(G) = X,  $E(G) \supseteq \Delta$  and *G* has no parallel edges. Further, we endow the product space  $X \times X$  by another graph denoted also by *G*, such that

$$((x, y), (u, v)) \in E(G) \Leftrightarrow (x, u) \in E(G) \text{ and } (v, y) \in E(G),$$

for any  $(x, y), (u, v) \in X \times X$ .

We denote by  $\Omega$  the set of function  $\varphi \colon \mathbb{R}^+ \to \mathbb{R}^+$  that meets all of the following criteria

- 1.  $\varphi$  is nondecreasing;
- 2. for all  $a \in \mathbb{R}^+$  and  $t \in \mathbb{R}^+$  we have  $\varphi(at) = a\varphi(t)$ ;
- 3.  $\sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \varphi^i(t)$  converges for all t > 0.

**Definition 1.** The mapping  $T: X \times X \to X$  is called  $\varphi$ -fuzzy contraction if there exist  $\varphi \in \Omega$  such that

1. for all  $x, y, u, v \in X$ , T is edge preserving, i.e.,

$$((x, y), (u, v)) \in E(G)$$
 then  $((T(x, y), T(y, x)), (T(u, v), T(v, u))) \in E(G);$ 

2. for all  $(x, y), (u, v) \in X \times X$  such that  $((x, y), (u, v)) \in E(G)$ ,

$$M(T(x,y), T(u,v), \varphi(t)) \ge M(x,u,st)^{\frac{1}{2}} * M(y,v,st)^{\frac{1}{2}}.$$

We proved the following results.

**Theorem 1.** On (X, M, \*), suppose that T is continuous mapping and  $\varphi$ -fuzzy contraction mapping. If there exist  $x_0, y_0 \in X$  such that  $((x_0, y_0), (T(x_0, y_0), T(y_0, x_0))) \in E(G)$ , then T possesses a coupled fixed point.

The continuity of T in Theorem 1 can be discarded by adding some new conditions. Assume that (X, d, G) possess the following property

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- 1. For any  $\{x_n\}_{n\in\mathbb{N}}$  in X such that  $(x_n, x_{n+1}) \in E(G)$  and  $\lim_{n\to+\infty} x_n = x$ , then  $(x_n, x) \in E(G)$ .
- 2. For any  $\{x_n\}_{n\in\mathbb{N}}$  in X such that  $(x_{n+1}, x_n) \in E(G)$  and  $\lim_{n\to+\infty} x_n = x$  then  $(x, x_n) \in E(G)$ .

**Theorem 2.** Endowed (X, M, G) with the previous property. Suppose that T is  $\varphi$ -fuzzy contraction. If there exist  $x_0, y_0 \in X$  such that  $((x_0, y_0), (T(x_0, y_0), T(y_0, x_0))) \in E(G)$ , then T possesses a coupled fixed point.

**Theorem 3.** In addition to the hypothesis of both Theorem 1 and Theorem 2, suppose that for every (x, y),  $(x^*, y^*) \in X \times X$  there exists  $(u, v) \in X \times X$  such that  $((x, y), (u, v)) \in E(G)$ and  $((x^*, y^*), (u, v)) \in E(G)$ . Then T has unique coupled fixed point.

Then, we studied the existence of a solution to the following system.

$$D^{\alpha}x(t) = f(t, x(t), y(t)), \quad D^{\alpha}y(t) = f(t, y(t), x(t)), \quad t \in J,$$
(1)

$$x(0) = x_0 = y(0). (2)$$

Here the symbol  $D^{\alpha}$  denotes the Caputo fractional derivative of order  $\alpha \in (0, 1)$ , J := [0, L],  $f : J \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$  is a given function satisfying the following assumptions

- 1. f is continuous;
- 2. For all  $x, y, u, v \in \mathbb{R}$ , with  $x \leq u$  and  $v \leq y$  we have

$$f(t, x, y) \le f(t, u, v), \quad \text{for all } t \in J;$$

3. For each  $t \in J$ ,  $x, y, u, v \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $x \leq u$  and  $v \leq y$ , we have

$$|f(t, x, y) - f(t, u, v)|^2 \le \frac{1}{8} (|x - u|^2 + |y - v|^2);$$

4. We suppose that  $K = \frac{L^{2\alpha-1}}{\Gamma(\alpha)^2} < 1$ .

**Theorem 4.** Consider the system (1)-(2) and suppose that the previous assumptions are satisfied. Assume that there exists  $(u_0, v_0) \in X \times X$  such that

$$u_0(t) \le x_0 + \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{\alpha-1} f(s, u_0(s), v_0(s)) ds$$

and

$$v_0(t) \ge x_0 + \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{\alpha-1} f(s, v_0(s), u_0(s)) ds, \ t \in J.$$

Then, there exists a unique solution of the system (1)-(2).

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