## **Common Coincidence Point in Fuzzy Metric Space**

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#### **Abstract**

We prove common coincidence point in fuzzy metric space .We extend result of Sharma and others for multivalued mappings introduced by Kubiaczyk and Sharma . Servet and Sharma further extended this result to intuitionistic fuzzy metric space.

**Key Words : Weakly compatible, multivalued mappings.** 

#### Introduction

In 1965, the concept of fuzzy sets was introduced initially by Zadeh [xxxvi] since then to use this concept in topology and analysis many authors have expansively developed the theory of fuzzy sets and applications. Especially, Deng [vi], Erceg [vii], Kaleva and Seikkala [xvii], Kramosil and Michalek [xviii] have introduced the concept of fuzzy metric spaces in different ways. Many authors have also studied the fixed point theory in these fuzzy metric spaces are, Chang, Cho, Lee, Jung and Kang[iii], Fang[viii], Grabiec[x], Hadzic[xi],[xii], Jung, Cho and Kim [xiv], Jung, Cho, Chang and Kang [xv], Sharma [xxiii],[xxiv],[xxv], Mishra [xxviii], Sharma and Singh, Sharma and Bamboria [xxvi], Sharma and Deshpande [xxviii],[xxix],[xxxi], Sharma and Bagwan [xxviii], Sharma and Tiwari [xxxiii],[xxxiv], Sharma and Patidar [xxxii] and for fuzzy mappings are Bose and Sahani [i], Butnariu [ii], Chang[iv] Chang, Cho, Lee and Lee [v], Heilpern [xiii], Sharma [xxiii].

In this note we extend results of Sharma [xxiii] and others for multivalued mappings introduced by Kubiaczyk and Sharma [xix]. Servet and Sharma [xxii] further extended this result to intuitionistic fuzzy metric space.

#### **Preliminaries**

**Definition 1.[21]** . A binary operation  $*:[0,1]\times[0,1]$   $\rightarrow [0,1]$  is called a continuous t-norm if ([0,1],\*) is an abelian topological monoid with unit 1 such that  $a*b \le c*d$  whenever  $a \le c$  and  $b \le d$  for all  $a,b,c,d \in [0,1]$  Example of t-norm are a\*b = ab and  $a*b = min\{a,b\}$ .

**Definition 2.[18]**. The 3-tuple  $(X, M, ^*)$  is called a fuzzy metric space if X is an arbitrary set,  $^*$  is a continuous t-norm and M is a fuzzy set in  $X^2 \times [0, \infty)$  satisfying the following conditions: for all x, y,  $z \in X$  and s, t > 0,

(FM-1) M(x, y, 0) = 0,

(FM-2) M(x, y, t) = 1, for all t > 0 if and only if x = y,

(FM-3) M(x, y, t) = M(y x, t),

(FM-4)  $M(x, y, t) * M(y, z, s) \le M(x, z, t+s),$ 

(FM-5)  $M(x,y,.):[0,1) \rightarrow [0,1]$  is left continuous.

Note that M(x, y, t) can be thought of as the degree of nearness between x and y with respect to t. We identify x = y with M(x, y, t) = 1 for all t > 0 and M(x, y, t) = 0 with  $\infty$  and we can find some topological properties and examples of fuzzy metric spaces in [9].

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In the following example, we know that every metric induces a fuzzy metric.

**Example** 1.[9] Let (X,d) be a metric space. Define a\*b = ab (or  $a*b = min\{a,b\}$ ) and for all  $x,y \in X$  and t > 0,

$$M(x,y,t) = \frac{t}{t + d(x,y)}$$
 (1.a)

Then (X,M,\*) is a fuzzy metric space. We call this fuzzy metric M induced by the metric d the standard fuzzy metric. **Lemma 1**[10]. For all  $x,y \in X$ , M(x,y,.) is non decreasing.

**Definition** 3[10]. Let (X,M,\*) is a fuzzy metric space :

(1) A sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in X is said to be convergent to a point  $x \in X$  (denoted by  $\lim_{n \to \infty} x_n = x$ ), if  $\lim_{n \to \infty} M(x_{n,x},x,t) = 1$ , for all t > 0.

(2) A sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in X is called a Cauchy sequence if  $\lim_{n\to\infty}\ M(x_{n+p},x_n,t)=1,$  for all t>0 and p>0.

(3) A fuzzy metric space in which every Cauchy sequence is convergent is said to be complete.

**Remark 1.** Since \* is continuous, it follows from (FM-4) that the limit of the sequence in FM-space is uniquely determined.

Let (X,M,\*) is a fuzzy metric space with the following condition:

 $(FM\text{-}6) \; lim_{\,n\to\infty} \;\; M(x,y,t) \; = \; 1 \;\; for \; all \; x,y \; \in \; X \; . \label{eq:fm-}$ 

**Lemma 2 [20]** . Let  $\{y_n\}$  be a sequence in a fuzzy metric space (X,M,\*) with the condition (FM-6). If there exists a number  $k \in (0,1)$  such that

$$\begin{split} M(y_{n+2},y_{n+1},kt) &\geq M(y_{n+1},y_n,t) \\ \text{for all } t>0 \text{ and } n=1,2,... \text{ then } \{y_n\} \text{ is a Cauchy sequence in } X. \end{split}$$

**Lemma 3** [16]. If for all  $x,y \in X$ , t > 0 and for a number  $k \in (0,1)$ ,

$$M(x,y,kt) \ge M(x,y,t)$$

then x = y.

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**Definition 4**[19].Two maps A and B are said to be weakly compatible in fuzzy metric space if they commute at coincidence point.

**Definition 5** [19]. Let (X, M, \*) be a fuzzy metric space with  $t*t \ge t$  for all  $t \in [0,1]$ . Consider  $S: X \to X$  and  $P: X \to CB(X)$ . A point  $z \in X$  is called a coincidence point of S and P if and only if  $Sz \in Pz$ .

Kubiaczyk and Sharma [xxxiii] introduced the following concept of multivalued mappings in the sense of Kramosil and Michalek [xviii].

We denote by CB(X) the set of all non-empty, bounded and closed subsets of X. We have

$$M^{\nabla}(B,\,y,\,t) \ = max\{\ M(b,\,y,\,t): b \in B\ \}$$

$$M_{\overline{V}}(A,\,B,\,t) \; = min\{\; min\; M^{\overline{V}}(a,\,B,\,t)\;,\; min\; M^{\overline{V}}(A,\,b,\,t) \;\;\}$$

 $a \in A$   $b \in B$ 

for all A, B in X and t > 0.

#### **Main Results**

Kubiaczyk and Sharma [xxxv] proved the following:

**Theorem** A. Let (X,M,) be a complete fuzzy metric space with  $t*t \ge t$  for all  $t \in [0,1]$  and condition (FM-6). Let P,Q:  $X \to CB(X)$  be continuous and there exists mappings S,T:  $X \to X$  satisfying:

- (i) SP = PS, QT = TQ,
- (ii)  $P(X) \subset S(X)$  and  $Q(X) \subset T(X)$ ,
- (iii) the pairs {P,S} and {Q,T} are compatible,
- (iv) there exists a number  $k \in (0,1)$  such that

 $M_{\nabla}(Px, Qy, kt) \ge \min\{M^{\nabla}(Sx, Tx, t), M^{\nabla}(Px, Sx, t), M^{\nabla}(Qy, Ty, t),$ 

 $M^{\nabla}(Px, Ty, (2-\alpha)t), M^{\nabla}(Qy, Sx, t)$ 

for all  $x,y \in X$ ,  $\alpha \in (0,2)$ , t > 0.

Then P, Q, S and T have a common coincidence point, i.e.

 $Sz \in Pz$  and

 $Tz \in Qz$ .

In this chapter we improve Theorem A, by removing condition (i) and continuity of the mappings. We prove the following:

**Theorem 1**: Let (X,M, \*) be a complete fuzzy metric space with  $t*t \ge t$  for all  $t \in [0,1]$  and condition (FM-6).

Let  $P,Q:X\to CB(X)$  be mappings and there exists mappings  $S,T:X\to X$  satisfying :

- (1.1)  $P(X) \subset S(X)$  and  $Q(X) \subset T(X)$ ,
- (1.2) The pairs  $\{P,S\}$  and  $\{Q,T\}$  are weakly compatible,
- (1.3) there exists a number  $k \in (0,1)$  such that

$$\begin{split} M_\nabla(Px,\,Qy,\,kt) &\geq \min\{M^\nabla(Sx,\,Tx,\,t),\,M^\nabla(Px,\,Sx,\,t),\,M^\nabla(Qy,\,Ty,\,t),\\ M^\nabla(Px,\,Ty,\,(2\text{-}\,\alpha)t),\,M^\nabla(Qy,\,Sx,\,t)\} \\ &\quad \text{for all } x,y \in X,\,\alpha \in (0,2),\,t>0. \end{split}$$

Then P, Q, S and T have a common coincidence point, i.e.  $Sz \in Pz$  and  $Tz \in Qz$ .

**Proof** . Let  $x_0$  be arbitrary point in X and  $x_1 \in X$  is such that,  $Sx_1 \in Px_0$  and  $y_1 = Sx_1$ ,  $k \in (0,1)$  and the inequality hold

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 $M(x_0, y_1, kt) = M(x_0, Sx_1, kt) \ge M^{\nabla}(x_0, Px_0, kt) - \in$ 

 $x_2 \in X$  is such that  $Tx_2 \in Qx_1$ ,  $y_2 = Tx_2$  and

 $M(y_1,y_2,kt)=M(Sx_1,Tx_2,kt)\geq M^{\nabla}(y_1\,,Qx_1,kt)$  -  $\in\!/2.$  Inductively

 $\begin{array}{lll} M(y_{2n+1},y_{2n},\ kt) \ = \ M(Sx_{2n+1},\ Tx_{2n},\ kt) \ \geq \ M^\nabla(y_{2n+1}\ ,Qx_{2n-1},\ kt) \ - \\ \in &/2^{2n-1} \end{array}$ 

and  $M(y_{2n+1}, y_{2n+2}, kt) = M(Sx_{2n+1}, Tx_{2n+2}, kt) \ge M^{\nabla}(y_{2n+1}, Qx_{2n+1}, kt) - \epsilon/2^{2n+1}$ Now we show that  $\{y_n\}$  is a Cauchy sequence.

By (1.3), for all t > 0 and  $\alpha = 1 - q$  with  $q \in (0,1)$ , we write

 $M(y_{2n}, y_{2n+1}, kt) \ge M^{\nabla}(y_{2n}, Px_{2n}, kt) - \epsilon/2^{2n}$ 

 $\geq \ M_\nabla(Px_{2n} \ , \ Qx_{2n\text{-}1} \ , \ kt) \ \ \text{-} \ \ \in /2^{2n}$ 

 $\geq \ min\{M^{\nabla}(Sx_{2n}\ ,\ Tx_{2n\text{-}1},\ t),\ M^{\nabla}(Px_{2n},\ Sx_{2n},$ 

t),  $M^{\nabla}(Qx_{2n-1}, Tx_{2n-1}, t), M^{\nabla}(Px_{2n}, Tx_{2n1}, (2-\alpha)t),$ 

$$M^{\nabla}(Qx_{2n-1}, Sx_{2n}, t)\} - \in /2^{2n}$$

 $\geq \min\{M(y_{2n}\;,\;y_{2n\text{-}1},\;t),\;M(y_{2n+1},\;y_{2n},\;t),M(y_{2n},\;y_{2n\text{-}1},\\t),\;M(y_{2n+1},\;y_{2n\text{-}1},\;(2\text{-}\;\alpha)t),\;M(y_{2n},\;y_{2n},\;t)\}\;-\;\in/2^{2n}$ 

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

 $M(y_{2n+1},\,y_{2n-1},\,(1+k)t),1\,\}\,\,\text{-}\,\,\in\!/2^{2n}$ 

Now using (FM-4), we have

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

(1.4)  $M(y_{2n}, y_{2n-1}, kt), \} - \in /2^{2n}$ 

Since t-norm \* is continuous and M(x,y, .) is left continuous, letting  $k \to 1$  in (1.4), we have

(1.5)  $M(y_{2n}, y_{2n+1}, kt) \ge \min\{M(y_{2n-1}, y_{2n}, t), M(y_{2n}, y_{2n+1}, t)\} - \epsilon/2^{2n}$ 

similarly we also have

 $(1.6) \ M(y_{2n+1}, y_{2n+2}, kt) \ge \min\{M(y_{2n}, y_{2n+1}, t), M(y_{2n+1}, y_{2n+2}, t)\} - \epsilon/2^{2n+1}$ 

Thus from (1.5) and (1.6) it follows that

 $M(y_{n+1}, y_{n+2}, kt) \ge \min\{M(y_n, y_{n+1}, t), M(y_{n+1}, y_{n+2}, t)\} - \in /2^{n+1},$ 

for n = 1,2,... and so for positive integers n,p,

 $M(y_{n+1}, y_{n+2}, kt) \ge min\{M(y_n, y_{n+1}, t), M(y_{n+1}, y_{n+2}, t/k^p)\} - \epsilon/2^{n+1}$ 

Thus, since  $M(y_{n+1}, y_{n+2}, t/k^p) \to 1$  as  $n \to \infty$ , we have

$$M(y_{n+1},y_{n+2}, kt) \ge M(y_n, y_{n+1},t) - \epsilon/2^{n+1}$$
.

Since  $\in$  is arbitrary making  $\in \rightarrow 0$ , we obtain

$$M(y_{n+1},y_{n+2},\,kt)\ \geq\ M(y_n,\,y_{n+1},t)$$

Therefore, by Lemma 2,  $\{y_n\}$  is a Cauchy sequence in X. Since X is complete,  $\{y_n\}$  converges to a point z in X.

We observe that

 $\lim_{n\to\infty} Sx_{2n+1} = z \in \lim_{n\to\infty} Px_{2n}$ 

and

 $lim_{n\to\infty} \ Tx_{2n+2} \ = \ z \ \in \ lim_{n\to\infty} \ Qx_{2n+1}$ 

Hence by weak compatibility of S and P we have  $Sz \in Pz$ . Similarly,  $Tz \in Qz$ .

Thus  $z \in X$  is a coincidence point of P, Q, S and T.

This completes the proof of the theorem.

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Yildiz, Sharma and Servet [xxxv] , further extended this definition of multivalued function for intuitionistic fuzzy metric space.

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