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## ABSTRACT

In this paper, i have generalized the result of Murthy et al. [15] in metric spaces by replacing the containment condition and giving the shorter proof than of the authors in the main result.

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

Aamri and Moutawakil [1] introduced the concept of property (E.A.) which was perhaps inspired by the condition of compatibility introduced by Jungck [11] and further Imdad and Ali[10] extended this result . Recently Babu and Alemayehu [7, 8,9] proved common fixed point theorem for occasionally weakly compatible maps satisfying property (E.A.) using an inequality involving quadratic terms. Aliouche[4] proved a common fixed point theorem of Gregus type weakly compatible mappings satisfying generalized contractive conditions.

Abbas [2] established a common fixed point for Lipschitzian mapping satisfying rational contractive conditions.

## 2. PRELIMINARIES

Throughout this paper  $(X, d)$  is a metric space which is denoted by  $X$ .

**Definition 2.1:** [Jungck and Rhoades [13]]. Let  $A$  and  $S$  be selfmaps of a set  $X$ . If  $Au = Su = \omega$  (say),  $\omega \in X$ , for some  $u$  in  $X$ , then  $u$  is called a coincidence point of  $A$

and  $S$  and the set of coincidence points of  $A$  and  $S$  is denoted by  $C(A, S)$ , and  $\omega$  is called a point of coincidence of  $A$  and  $S$ .

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**Definition 2.2:** Let  $A, B, S$  and  $T$  be self maps of a set  $X$ . If  $u \in C(A, S)$  and  $v \in C(B, T)$  for some  $u, v \in X$  and  $Au = Su = Bv = Tv = z$  (say), then  $z$  is called a common point of coincidence of the pairs  $(A, S)$  and  $(B, T)$ .

**Definition 2.3:** The pair  $(A, S)$  is said to be

- (I) Satisfy property  $(E.A.)$  [1] if there exists a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in  $X$  such that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} Ax_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} Sx_n = t$  for some  $t$  in  $X$ .
- (II) Copatible [11] if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} d(ASx_n, SAsx_n) = 0$ , for some  $t$  in  $X$  whenever  $\{x_n\}$  is a sequence in  $X$  such that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} Ax_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} Sx_n = t$ .
- (III) Weakly compatible [12], if they commute at their coincidence point.
- (IV) Occasionally weakly compatible (owc) [3,5,6] if  $ASx = SAs$  for some  $x \in C(A, S)$ .

**Remark 2.4**

- (I) Every compatible pair is weakly compatible but its converse need not be true [12].
- (II) Weak compatibility and property  $(E.A.)$  are independent of each other [16].
- (III) Every weakly compatible pair is occasionally weakly compatible but its converse need not be true [11].
- (IV) Occasionally weakly compatible and property  $(E.A.)$  are independent of each other [8].

**Definition 2.5:** [14] Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space and  $A, B, S$  and  $T$  be four selfmaps on  $X$ . The pairs  $(A, S)$  and  $(B, T)$  are said to satisfy common property  $(E.A.)$  if there exists two sequences  $\{x_n\}$  and  $\{y_n\}$  in  $X$  such that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} Ax_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} Sx_n = t = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} By_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} Ty_n$  for some  $t$  in  $X$ .

**Remark 2.6:** Let  $A, B, S$  and  $T$  be self maps of a set  $X$ . If the pairs  $(A, S)$  and  $(B, T)$  have common point of coincidence in  $X$  then  $C(A, S) \neq \emptyset$  and  $C(B, T) \neq \emptyset$ . But converse is not true.

**Example 2.7:** Let  $X = [0, \infty)$  with usual metric and  $A, B, S$  and  $T$  self maps on  $x$  and defined by  $Ax = 1 - x^2; Sx = 1 - x; Bx = \frac{1}{2} + x^2; Tx = \frac{1+x}{2}$  for all  $x \in X$ .

It is easy to observe that  $C(A, S) = \{0, 1\}$  and  $C(B, T) = \left\{0, \frac{1}{2}\right\}$  but the pairs  $(A, S)$  and  $(B, T)$  not having common point of coincidence.

**Remark 2.8:** The converse of the remark 2.6 is true provided it satisfies inequality (3.1). This is given as in proposition 3.1 in section III.

**Proposition 2.9:** [2] Let  $A$  and  $S$  be two self maps of a set  $X$  and the pair  $(A, S)$  is satisfies occasionally weakly compatible (owc) condition. If the pairs  $(A, S)$  have unique point of coincidence  $Ax = Sx = z$  then  $z$  is the unique common fixed point of  $A$  and  $S$ .

**Proof:** To be given  $Ax = Sx = \{z\}$  (say) for any  $x \in C(A, S)$  (2.1)

Since the pair  $(A, S)$  satisfies the property owc, therefore

$$Az = ASx = SAs = Sz \text{ implies that } z \in C(A, S)$$

From (2.1), we get  $Az = Sz = z$ . Hence proposition follows.

In 1996, Tas et al. [17] proved the following.

**Theorem 2.10:** Let  $A, B, S$  and  $T$  be selfmaps of a complete metric space  $(X, d)$  such that  $A(X) \subseteq T(X)$  and  $B(X) \subseteq S(X)$  and satisfying the inequality.

$$\begin{aligned} [d(Ax, By)]^2 &\leq C_1 \max \{ [d(Sx, Ax)]^2, [d(Ty, By)]^2, [d(Sx, Ty)]^2 \} \\ &\quad + C_2 \max \{ d(Sx, Ax)d(Sx, By), d(Ty, Ax)d(Ty, By) \} \\ &\quad + C_3 d(Sx, By)d(Ty, Ax) \end{aligned}$$

for all  $x, y \in X$ , where  $C_1 + C_3, C_2, C_3 \geq 0, C_1 + 2C_2 < 1, C_1 + C_3 < 1$ . Further, assume that the pairs  $(A, S)$  and  $(B, T)$  are compatible on  $X$ . If one of the mappings  $A, B, S$  and  $T$  is continuous then  $A, B, S$  and  $T$  have a unique common fixed point in  $X$ .

### 3. MAIN RESULTS

**Proposition 3.1.** Let  $A, B, S$  and  $T$  be self maps of a metric space  $(X, d)$  and satisfying the inequality.

$$\begin{aligned} [d(Ax, By)]^2 &\leq \alpha[d(Sx, Axd)(Ty, By) + d(Ty, Ax)d(Sx, By)] \\ &\quad + \beta[d(Sx, Ax)d(Sx, By) + d(Ty, By)d(Ty, Ax)] \\ &\quad + \gamma d(Sx, By)d(Ty, Ax) \end{aligned} \quad (3.1)$$

for all  $x, y \in X$ , where  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma \geq 0$  and  $\alpha + \gamma < 1$ . Then the pairs  $(A, S)$  and  $(B, T)$  have common point of coincidence in  $X$  if and only if  $C(A, S) \neq \emptyset$  and  $C(B, T) \neq \emptyset$ .

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Only if part: Assume  $C(A, S) \neq \emptyset$  and  $C(B, T) \neq \emptyset$ .

Then there is a  $u \in C(A, S)$  and  $v \in C(B, T)$  such that

$$Au = Su = p \quad (\text{say}) \quad (3.2)$$

$$Bv = Tv = q \quad (\text{say}) \quad (3.3)$$

on taking  $x = u$  and  $y = v$  in (3.1), we get

$$\begin{aligned} [d(Au, Bv)]^2 &\leq \alpha [d(Su, Au)d(Tv, Bv) + d(Tv, Au)d(Su, Bv)] \\ &\quad + \beta [d(Su, Au)d(Su, Bv) + d(Tv, Bv)d(Tv, Au)] \\ &\quad + \gamma d(Su, Bv)d(Tv, Au) \end{aligned}$$

Using (3.2) and (3.3), we get

$$[d(p, q)]^2 \leq (\alpha + \gamma)[d(p, q)]^2, \text{ a contradiction. Thus } p = q$$

Therefore  $A, B, S$  and  $T$  have common point of coincidence in  $X$ .

In The proposition (2.1) of Babu et al. [9], we can obtain some more conclusions of in their paper. Therefore our result improves and strengthen proposition 3.1 and subsequent theorems in metric spaces.

**Proposition 3.2:** Let  $A, B, S$  and  $T$  be four self maps of a metric space  $(X, d)$  satisfying the inequality (3.1). Suppose that either

- (i)  $B(X) \subseteq S(X)$ , the pair  $(B, T)$  satisfies property (E.A.) and  $T(X)$  is a closed subspace of  $X$ ; or
- (ii)  $A(X) \subseteq T(X)$ , the pair  $(A, S)$  satisfies property (E.A.) and  $S(X)$  is a closed subspace of  $X$  holds.

Then the pair  $(A, S)$  and  $(B, T)$  are satisfies the common property (E.A), also both the pairs  $(A, S)$  and  $(B, T)$  have common point of coincidence in  $X$ .

We have shorten the proof of theorem 2.2 of [9] by relaxing many lines:

**Theorem 3.3:** (Improved version of theorem 2.2 of [9])

Let  $A, B, S$  and  $T$  are satisfying all the conditions given in proposition 3.2 with the following additional assumption.

The pairs  $(A, S)$  and  $(B, T)$  are owc on  $X$ .

Then  $A, B, S$  and  $T$  have a unique common fixed point in  $X$ .

**Proof:** By proposition 3.2 the pairs  $(A, S)$  and  $(B, T)$  have common point of coincidence. Therefore there is  $u \in C(A, S)$  and  $v \in C(B, T)$  such that

$$Au = Su = z \text{ (say)} = Bv = Tv \quad (3.4)$$

Now, we show that  $z$  is unique common point of coincidence of the pairs  $(A, S)$  and  $(B, T)$ .

Let if possible  $z'$  is another point of coincidence of  $A, B, S$  and  $T$ . Then there is  $u' \in C(A, S)$  and  $v' \in C(B, T)$  such that

$$Au' = Su' = z' \text{ (say)} = Bv' = Tv' \quad (3.5)$$

Putting  $x = u$  and  $y = v'$  in inequality (3.1), we have

$$\begin{aligned} [d(Au, Bv')]^2 &\leq \alpha[d(Su, Au)d(Tv', Bv') + d(Tv', Au)d(Su, Bv')] \\ &\quad + \beta[d(Su, Au)d(Su, Bv') + d(Tv', Bv')d(Tv', Au)] \\ &\quad + \gamma d(Su, Bv')d(Tv', Au) \end{aligned}$$

Now using (3.4) and (3.5), we get

$[d(z, z')]^2 \leq (\alpha + \gamma)[d(z, z')]^2$ , and arrive at a contradiction. Hence  $z = z'$  and we have  $C(A, S) = \{z\} = C(B, T)$ . By proposition 2.9,  $z$  is the unique common fixed point of  $A, B, S$  and  $T$  in  $X$ .

**Remark 3.4:** Proposition 2.5 of [9] and theorem 2.6 of [9] are remain true, if we replace completeness of  $S(X)$  and  $T(X)$  by the completeness of  $S(X) \cap T(X)$  in  $X$ .

For this we have given an example 2.7 in the following manner without proof.

Now we rewriting the proposition 2.5 and theorem 2.6 of [9]

**Proposition 3.5:** Let  $A, B, S$  and  $T$  be four self maps of a metric. Space  $(X, d)$  satisfying the inequality (3.1) of proposition 3.1. Suppose that  $(A, S)$  and  $(B, T)$  satisfy a common property (E.A) and  $S(X) \cap T(X)$  are closed subset of  $X$ , then  $A, B, S$  and  $T$  have unique common point of coincidence. Theorem 3.6. In addition to the above proposition 3.5 on  $A, B, S$  and  $T$ , if both the pairs  $(A, S)$  and  $(B, T)$  are owc mapson  $X$ , then the point of coincidence is a unique common point of  $A, B, S$  and  $T$ .

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