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# A New Iterative Method for Common Fixed Points of a Finite Family of Nonexpansive Mappings

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Let  $X$  be a real uniformly convex Banach space and  $C$  a closed convex nonempty subset of  $X$ . Let  $\{T_i\}_{i=1}^r$  be a finite family of nonexpansive self-mappings of  $C$ . For a given  $x_1 \in C$ , let  $\{x_n\}$  and  $\{x_n^{(i)}\}$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$ , be sequences defined  $x_n^{(0)} = x_n$ ,  $x_n^{(1)} = a_{n1}^{(1)}T_1x_n^{(0)} + (1 - a_{n1}^{(1)})x_n^{(0)}$ ,  $x_n^{(2)} = a_{n2}^{(2)}T_2x_n^{(1)} + a_{n1}^{(2)}T_1x_n^{(1)} + (1 - a_{n2}^{(2)} - a_{n1}^{(2)})x_n^{(1)}$ ,  $\dots$ ,  $x_{n+1}^{(r)} = a_{nr}^{(r)}T_rx_n^{(r-1)} + a_{n(r-1)}^{(r)}T_{r-1}x_n^{(r-2)} + \dots + a_{n1}^{(r)}T_1x_n^{(r)} + (1 - a_{nr}^{(r)} - a_{n(r-1)}^{(r)} - \dots - a_{n1}^{(r)})x_n^{(r)}$ ,  $n \geq 1$ , where  $a_{ni}^{(j)} \in [0, 1]$  for all  $j \in \{1, 2, \dots, r\}$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $i = 1, 2, \dots, j$ . In this paper, weak and strong convergence theorems of the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  to a common fixed point of a finite family of nonexpansive mappings  $T_i$  ( $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$ ) are established under some certain control conditions.

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## 1. Introduction

Let  $X$  be a real Banach space,  $C$  a nonempty closed convex subset of  $X$ , and  $T : C \rightarrow C$  a mapping. Recall that  $T$  is nonexpansive if  $\|Tx - Ty\| \leq \|x - y\|$  for all  $x, y \in C$ . Let  $T_i : C \rightarrow C$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$ , be nonexpansive mappings. Let  $\text{Fix}(T_i)$  denote the fixed points set of  $T_i$ , that is,  $\text{Fix}(T_i) := \{x \in C : T_ix = x\}$ , and let  $F := \bigcap_{i=1}^r \text{Fix}(T_i)$ .

For a given  $x_1 \in C$ , and a fixed  $r \in \mathbb{N}$  ( $\mathbb{N}$  denote the set of all positive integers), compute the iterative sequences  $\{x_n^{(0)}\}$ ,  $\{x_n^{(1)}\}$ ,  $\{x_n^{(2)}\}$ ,  $\dots$ ,  $\{x_n^{(r)}\}$  by

$$\begin{aligned}x_n^{(0)} &= x_n, \\x_n^{(1)} &= a_{n1}^{(1)}T_1x_n^{(0)} + (1 - a_{n1}^{(1)})x_n^{(0)}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
x_n^{(2)} &= a_{n2}^{(2)} T_2 x_n^{(1)} + a_{n1}^{(2)} T_1 x_n + \left(1 - a_{n2}^{(2)} - a_{n1}^{(2)}\right) x_n, \\
&\vdots \\
x_{n+1} &= x_n^{(r)} = a_{nr}^{(r)} T_r x_n^{(r-1)} + a_{n(r-1)}^{(r)} T_{r-1} x_n^{(r-2)} + \cdots + a_{n1}^{(r)} T_1 x_n \\
&\quad + \left(1 - a_{nr}^{(r)} - a_{n(r-1)}^{(r)} - \cdots - a_{n1}^{(r)}\right) x_n, \quad n \geq 1,
\end{aligned} \tag{1.1}$$

where  $a_{ni}^{(j)} \in [0, 1]$  for all  $j \in \{1, 2, \dots, r\}$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $i = 1, 2, \dots, j$ . If  $a_{ni}^{(j)} := 0$ , for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $j \in \{1, 2, \dots, r-1\}$  and  $i = 1, 2, \dots, j$ , then (1.1) reduces to the iterative scheme

$$x_{n+1} = S_n x_n, \quad n \geq 1, \tag{1.2}$$

where  $S_n := a_{nr}^{(r)} T_r + a_{n(r-1)}^{(r)} T_{r-1} + \cdots + a_{n1}^{(r)} T_1 + (1 - a_{nr}^{(r)} - a_{n(r-1)}^{(r)} - \cdots - a_{n1}^{(r)}) I$ ,  $a_{ni}^{(r)} \in [0, 1]$  for all  $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$  and  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

If  $a_{ni}^{(j)} := 0$ , for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $j \in \{1, 2, \dots, r-1\}$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, j$  and  $a_{ni}^{(r)} := \alpha_i$ , for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  for all  $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$ , then (1.1) reduces to the iterative scheme defined by Liu et al. [1]

$$x_{n+1} = S x_n, \quad n \geq 1, \tag{1.3}$$

where  $S := \alpha_r T_r + \alpha_{r-1} T_{r-1} + \cdots + \alpha_1 T_1 + (1 - \alpha_r - \alpha_{r-1} - \cdots - \alpha_1) I$ ,  $\alpha_i \geq 0$  for all  $i = 2, 3, \dots, r$  and  $1 - \alpha_r - \alpha_{r-1} - \cdots - \alpha_1 > 0$ . They showed that  $\{x_n\}$  defined by (1.3) converges strongly to a common fixed point of  $T_i$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$ , in Banach spaces, provided that  $T_i$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$  satisfy condition A. The result improves the corresponding results of Kirk [2], Maiti and Saha [3] and Sentor and Dotson [4].

If  $r = 2$  and  $a_{n1}^{(2)} := 0$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , then (1.1) reduces to a generalization of Mann and Ishikawa iteration given by Das and Debata [5] and Takahashi and Tamura [6]. This scheme deals with two mappings:

$$\begin{aligned}
x_n^{(1)} &= a_{n1}^{(1)} T_1 x_n + \left(1 - a_{n1}^{(1)}\right) x_n, \\
x_{n+1} &= x_n^{(2)} = a_{n2}^{(2)} T_2 x_n^{(1)} + \left(1 - a_{n2}^{(2)}\right) x_n, \quad n \geq 1,
\end{aligned} \tag{1.4}$$

where  $\{a_{n1}^{(1)}\}, \{a_{n2}^{(2)}\}$  are appropriate sequences in  $[0, 1]$ .

The purpose of this paper is to establish strong convergence theorems in a uniformly convex Banach space of the iterative sequence  $\{x_n\}$  defined by (1.1) to a common fixed point of  $T_i$  ( $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$ ) under some appropriate control conditions in the case that one of  $T_i$  ( $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$ ) is completely continuous or semicompact or  $\{T_i\}_{i=1}^r$  satisfies condition (B). Moreover, weak convergence theorem of the iterative scheme (1.1) to a common fixed point of  $T_i$  ( $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$ ) is also established in a uniformly convex Banach spaces having the Opial's condition.

## 2. Preliminaries

In this section, we recall the well-known results and give a useful lemma that will be used in the next section.

Recall that a Banach space  $X$  is said to satisfy *Opial's condition* [7] if  $x_n \rightarrow x$  weakly as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  and  $x \neq y$  imply that  $\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - x\| < \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - y\|$ . A finite family of mappings  $T_i : C \rightarrow C$  ( $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$ ) with  $F := \bigcap_{i=1}^r \text{Fix}(T_i) \neq \emptyset$  is said to satisfy *condition (B)* [8] if there is a nondecreasing function  $f : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  with  $f(0) = 0$  and  $f(t) > 0$  for all  $t \in (0, \infty)$  such that  $\max_{1 \leq i \leq r} \{\|x - T_i x\|\} \geq f(d(x, F))$  for all  $x \in C$ , where  $d(x, F) = \inf\{\|x - p\| : p \in F\}$ .

**Lemma 2.1** (see [9, Theorem 2]). *Let  $p > 1$ ,  $r > 0$  be two fixed numbers. Then a Banach space  $X$  is uniformly convex if and only if there exists a continuous, strictly increasing, and convex function  $g : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ ,  $g(0) = 0$  such that*

$$\|\lambda x + (1 - \lambda)y\|^p \leq \lambda\|x\|^p + (1 - \lambda)\|y\|^p - w_p(\lambda)g(\|x - y\|), \quad (2.1)$$

for all  $x, y$  in  $B_r = \{x \in X : \|x\| \leq r\}$ ,  $\lambda \in [0, 1]$ , where

$$w_p(\lambda) = \lambda(1 - \lambda)^p + \lambda^p(1 - \lambda). \quad (2.2)$$

**Lemma 2.2** (see [10, Lemma 1.6]). *Let  $X$  be a uniformly convex Banach space,  $C$  a nonempty closed convex subset of  $X$ , and  $T : C \rightarrow C$  nonexpansive mapping. Then  $I - T$  is demiclosed at 0, that is, if  $x_n \rightarrow x$  weakly and  $x_n - Tx_n \rightarrow 0$  strongly, then  $x \in \text{Fix}(T)$ .*

**Lemma 2.3** (see [11, Lemma 2.7]). *Let  $X$  be a Banach space which satisfies Opial's condition and let  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence in  $X$ . Let  $u, v \in X$  be such that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - u\|$  and  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - v\|$  exist. If  $\{x_{n_k}\}$  and  $\{x_{m_k}\}$  are subsequences of  $\{x_n\}$  which converge weakly to  $u$  and  $v$ , respectively, then  $u = v$ .*

**Lemma 2.4.** *Let  $X$  be a uniformly convex Banach space and  $B_r = \{x \in X : \|x\| \leq r\}$ ,  $r > 0$ . Then for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , there exists a continuous, strictly increasing, and convex function  $g : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ ,  $g(0) = 0$  such that*

$$\left\| \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i x_i \right\|^2 \leq \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i \|x_i\|^2 - \alpha_1 \alpha_2 g(\|x_1 - x_2\|), \quad (2.3)$$

for all  $x_i \in B_r$  and all  $\alpha_i \in [0, 1]$  ( $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ ) with  $\sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i = 1$ .

*Proof.* Clearly (2.3) holds for  $n = 1, 2$ , by Lemma 2.1. Next, suppose that (2.3) is true when  $n = k - 1$ . Let  $x_i \in B_r$  and  $\alpha_i \in [0, 1]$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, k$  with  $\sum_{i=1}^k \alpha_i = 1$ . Then  $\alpha_{k-1} / (1 - \sum_{i=1}^{k-2} \alpha_i) x_{k-1} + \alpha_k / (1 - \sum_{i=1}^{k-2} \alpha_i) x_k \in B_r$ . By Lemma 2.1, we obtain that

$$\left\| \frac{\alpha_{k-1}}{1 - \sum_{i=1}^{k-2} \alpha_i} x_{k-1} + \frac{\alpha_k}{1 - \sum_{i=1}^{k-2} \alpha_i} x_k \right\|^2 \leq \frac{\alpha_{k-1}}{1 - \sum_{i=1}^{k-2} \alpha_i} \|x_{k-1}\|^2 + \frac{\alpha_k}{1 - \sum_{i=1}^{k-2} \alpha_i} \|x_k\|^2. \quad (2.4)$$

By the inductive hypothesis, there exists a continuous, strictly increasing and convex function  $g : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ ,  $g(0) = 0$  such that

$$\left\| \sum_{i=1}^{k-1} \beta_i y_i \right\|^2 \leq \sum_{i=1}^{k-1} \beta_i \|y_i\|^2 - \beta_1 \beta_2 g(\|y_1 - y_2\|) \quad (2.5)$$

for all  $y_i \in B_r$  and all  $\beta_i \in [0, 1]$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, k-1$  with  $\sum_{i=1}^{k-1} \beta_i = 1$ . It follows that

$$\begin{aligned} \left\| \sum_{i=1}^k \alpha_i x_i \right\|^2 &= \left\| \sum_{i=1}^{k-2} \alpha_i x_i + \left(1 - \sum_{i=1}^{k-2} \alpha_i\right) \left( \frac{\alpha_{k-1} x_{k-1}}{1 - \sum_{i=1}^{k-2} \alpha_i} + \frac{\alpha_k x_k}{1 - \sum_{i=1}^{k-2} \alpha_i} \right) \right\|^2 \\ &\leq \sum_{i=1}^{k-2} \alpha_i \|x_i\|^2 + \left(1 - \sum_{i=1}^{k-2} \alpha_i\right) \left\| \frac{\alpha_{k-1} x_{k-1}}{1 - \sum_{i=1}^{k-2} \alpha_i} + \frac{\alpha_k x_k}{1 - \sum_{i=1}^{k-2} \alpha_i} \right\|^2 - \alpha_1 \alpha_2 g(\|x_1 - x_2\|) \\ &\leq \sum_{i=1}^{k-2} \alpha_i \|x_i\|^2 + \left(1 - \sum_{i=1}^{k-2} \alpha_i\right) \left( \frac{\alpha_{k-1} \|x_{k-1}\|^2}{1 - \sum_{i=1}^{k-2} \alpha_i} + \frac{\alpha_k \|x_k\|^2}{1 - \sum_{i=1}^{k-2} \alpha_i} \right) - \alpha_1 \alpha_2 g(\|x_1 - x_2\|) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^k \alpha_i \|x_i\|^2 - \alpha_1 \alpha_2 g(\|x_1 - x_2\|). \end{aligned} \quad (2.6)$$

Hence, we have the lemma.  $\square$

### 3. Main Results

In this section, we prove weak and strong convergence theorems of the iterative scheme (1.1) for a finite family of nonexpansive mappings in a uniformly convex Banach space. In order to prove our main results, the following lemmas are needed.

The next lemma is crucial for proving the main theorems.

**Lemma 3.1.** *Let  $X$  be a Banach space and  $C$  a nonempty closed and convex subset of  $X$ . Let  $\{T_i\}_{i=1}^r$  be a finite family of nonexpansive self-mappings of  $C$ . Let  $a_{ni}^{(j)} \in [0, 1]$  for all  $j \in \{1, 2, \dots, r\}$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $i = 1, 2, \dots, j$ . For a given  $x_1 \in C$ , let the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  be defined by (1.1). If  $F \neq \emptyset$ , then  $\|x_{n+1} - p\| \leq \|x_n - p\|$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - p\|$  exists for all  $p \in F$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $p \in F$ . For each  $n \geq 1$ , we note that

$$\begin{aligned} \|x_n^{(1)} - p\| &= \|a_{n1}^{(1)} T_1 x_n + (1 - a_{n1}^{(1)}) x_n - p\| \\ &\leq a_{n1}^{(1)} \|T_1 x_n - p\| + (1 - a_{n1}^{(1)}) \|x_n - p\| \\ &\leq a_{n1}^{(1)} \|x_n - p\| + (1 - a_{n1}^{(1)}) \|x_n - p\| \\ &= \|x_n - p\|. \end{aligned} \quad (3.1)$$

It follows from (3.1) that

$$\begin{aligned}
 \|x_n^{(2)} - p\| &= \|a_{n2}^{(2)}T_2x_n^{(1)} + a_{n1}^{(2)}T_1x_n + (1 - a_{n2}^{(2)} - a_{n1}^{(2)})x_n - p\| \\
 &\leq a_{n2}^{(2)}\|T_2x_n^{(1)} - p\| + a_{n1}^{(2)}\|T_1x_n - p\| + (1 - a_{n2}^{(2)} - a_{n1}^{(2)})\|x_n - p\| \\
 &\leq a_{n2}^{(2)}\|x_n^{(1)} - p\| + a_{n1}^{(2)}\|x_n - p\| + (1 - a_{n2}^{(2)} - a_{n1}^{(2)})\|x_n - p\| \\
 &\leq \|x_n - p\|.
 \end{aligned} \tag{3.2}$$

By (3.1) and (3.2), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 \|x_n^{(3)} - p\| &= \|a_{n3}^{(3)}T_3x_n^{(2)} + a_{n2}^{(3)}T_2x_n^{(1)} + a_{n1}^{(3)}T_1x_n + (1 - a_{n3}^{(3)} - a_{n2}^{(3)} - a_{n1}^{(3)})x_n - p\| \\
 &\leq a_{n3}^{(3)}\|T_3x_n^{(2)} - p\| + a_{n2}^{(3)}\|T_2x_n^{(1)} - p\| + a_{n1}^{(3)}\|T_1x_n - p\| \\
 &\quad + (1 - a_{n3}^{(3)} - a_{n2}^{(3)} - a_{n1}^{(3)})\|x_n - p\| \\
 &\leq a_{n3}^{(3)}\|x_n^{(2)} - p\| + a_{n2}^{(3)}\|x_n^{(1)} - p\| + a_{n1}^{(3)}\|x_n - p\| \\
 &\quad + (1 - a_{n3}^{(3)} - a_{n2}^{(3)} - a_{n1}^{(3)})\|x_n - p\| \\
 &\leq \|x_n - p\|.
 \end{aligned} \tag{3.3}$$

By continuing the above argument, we obtain that

$$\|x_n^{(i)} - p\| \leq \|x_n - p\| \quad \forall i = 1, 2, \dots, r. \tag{3.4}$$

In particular, we get  $\|x_{n+1} - p\| \leq \|x_n - p\|$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , which implies that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - p\|$  exists.  $\square$

**Lemma 3.2.** Let  $X$  be a uniformly convex Banach space and  $C$  a nonempty closed and convex subset of  $X$ . Let  $\{T_i\}_{i=1}^r$  be a finite family of nonexpansive self-mappings of  $C$  with  $F \neq \emptyset$  and  $a_{ni}^{(j)} \in [0, 1]$  for all  $j \in \{1, 2, \dots, r\}$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $i = 1, 2, \dots, j$  such that  $\sum_{i=1}^j a_{ni}^{(j)}$  are in  $[0, 1]$  for all  $j \in \{1, 2, \dots, r\}$  and  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . For a given  $x_1 \in C$ , let  $\{x_n\}$  be defined by (1.1). If  $0 < \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_{ni}^{(r)} \leq \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} (a_{n(r)}^{(r)} + a_{n(r-1)}^{(r)} + \dots + a_{n1}^{(r)}) < 1$ , then

- (i)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|T_i x_n^{(i-1)} - x_n\| = 0$  for all  $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$ ,
- (ii)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|T_i x_n - x_n\| = 0$  for all  $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$ ,
- (iii)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n^{(i)} - x_n\| = 0$  for all  $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$ .

*Proof.* (i) Let  $p \in F$ , by Lemma 3.1,  $\sup_n \|x_n - p\| < \infty$ . Choose a number  $s > 0$  such that  $\sup_n \|x_n - p\| < s$ , it follows by (3.4) that  $\{x_n^{(i)} - p\}, \{T_i x_n^{(i-1)} - p\} \subseteq B_s$ , for all  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, r\}$ .  $\square$

By Lemma 2.4, there exists a continuous strictly increasing convex function  $g : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ ,  $g(0) = 0$  such that

$$\left\| \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i x_i \right\|^2 \leq \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i \|x_i\|^2 - \alpha_1 \alpha_2 g(\|x_1 - x_2\|), \quad (3.5)$$

for all  $x_i \in B_s$ ,  $\alpha_i \in [0, 1]$  ( $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ ) with  $\sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i = 1$ . By (3.4) and (3.5), we have for  $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \|x_{n+1} - p\|^2 &= \left\| a_{nr}^{(r)} T_r x_n^{(r-1)} + a_{n(r-1)}^{(r)} T_{r-1} x_n^{(r-2)} + \dots + a_{n1}^{(r)} T_1 x_n \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \left( 1 - a_{n(r)}^{(r)} - a_{n(r-1)}^{(r)} - \dots - a_{n1}^{(r)} \right) x_n - p \right\|^2 \\ &\leq a_{nr}^{(r)} \|T_r x_n^{(r-1)} - p\|^2 + a_{n(r-1)}^{(r)} \|T_{r-1} x_n^{(r-2)} - p\|^2 + \dots \\ &\quad + a_{n1}^{(r)} \|T_1 x_n - p\|^2 + \left( 1 - a_{n(r)}^{(r)} - a_{n(r-1)}^{(r)} - \dots - a_{n1}^{(r)} \right) \|x_n - p\|^2 \\ &\quad - a_{ni}^{(r)} \left( 1 - a_{n(r)}^{(r)} - a_{n(r-1)}^{(r)} - \dots - a_{n1}^{(r)} \right) g(\|T_i x_n^{(i-1)} - x_n\|) \\ &\leq a_{nr}^{(r)} \|x_n^{(r-1)} - p\|^2 + a_{n(r-1)}^{(r)} \|x_n^{(r-2)} - p\|^2 + \dots + a_{n1}^{(r)} \|x_n - p\|^2 \\ &\quad + \left( 1 - a_{n(r)}^{(r)} - a_{n(r-1)}^{(r)} - \dots - a_{n1}^{(r)} \right) \|x_n - p\|^2 \\ &\quad - a_{ni}^{(r)} \left( 1 - a_{n(r)}^{(r)} - a_{n(r-1)}^{(r)} - \dots - a_{n1}^{(r)} \right) g(\|T_i x_n^{(i-1)} - x_n\|) \\ &\leq a_{nr}^{(r)} \|x_n - p\|^2 + a_{n(r-1)}^{(r)} \|x_n - p\|^2 + \dots + a_{n1}^{(r)} \|x_n - p\|^2 \\ &\quad + \left( 1 - a_{n(r)}^{(r)} - a_{n(r-1)}^{(r)} - \dots - a_{n1}^{(r)} \right) \|x_n - p\|^2 \\ &\quad - a_{ni}^{(r)} \left( 1 - a_{n(r)}^{(r)} - a_{n(r-1)}^{(r)} - \dots - a_{n1}^{(r)} \right) g(\|T_i x_n^{(i-1)} - x_n\|) \\ &= \|x_n - p\|^2 - a_{ni}^{(r)} \left( 1 - a_{n(r)}^{(r)} - a_{n(r-1)}^{(r)} - \dots - a_{n1}^{(r)} \right) g(\|T_i x_n^{(i-1)} - x_n\|). \end{aligned} \quad (3.6)$$

Therefore

$$a_{ni}^{(r)} \left( 1 - a_{n(r)}^{(r)} - a_{n(r-1)}^{(r)} - \dots - a_{n1}^{(r)} \right) g(\|T_i x_n^{(i-1)} - x_n\|) \leq \|x_n - p\|^2 - \|x_{n+1} - p\|^2 \quad (3.7)$$

for all  $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$ . Since  $0 < \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_{ni}^{(r)} \leq \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} (a_{n(r)}^{(r)} + a_{n(r-1)}^{(r)} + \dots + a_{n1}^{(r)}) < 1$ , it implies by Lemma 3.1 that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} g(\|T_i x_n^{(i-1)} - x_n\|) = 0$ . Since  $g$  is strictly increasing and continuous at 0 with  $g(0) = 0$ , it follows that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|T_i x_n^{(i-1)} - x_n\| = 0$  for all  $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$ .

(ii) For  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, r\}$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|T_i x_n - x_n\| &\leq \|T_i x_n - T_i x_n^{(i-1)}\| + \|T_i x_n^{(i-1)} - x_n\| \\ &\leq \|x_n - x_n^{(i-1)}\| + \|T_i x_n^{(i-1)} - x_n\| \\ &\leq \sum_{j=1}^{i-1} a_{nj}^{(i-1)} \|T_j x_n^{(j-1)} - x_n\| + \|T_i x_n^{(i-1)} - x_n\|. \end{aligned} \quad (3.8)$$

It follows from (i) that

$$\|T_i x_n - x_n\| \longrightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } n \longrightarrow \infty. \quad (3.9)$$

(iii) For  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, r\}$ , it follows from (i) that

$$\|x_n^{(i)} - x_n\| \leq \sum_{j=1}^i a_{nj}^{(i)} \|T_j x_n^{(j-1)} - x_n\| \longrightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } n \longrightarrow \infty. \quad (3.10)$$

**Theorem 3.3.** Let  $X$  be a uniformly convex Banach space and  $C$  a nonempty closed and convex subset of  $X$ . Let  $\{T_i\}_{i=1}^r$  be a finite family of nonexpansive self-mappings of  $C$  with  $F \neq \emptyset$ . Let the sequence  $\{a_{ni}^{(j)}\}_{n=1}^\infty$  be as in Lemma 3.2. For a given  $x_1 \in C$ , let sequences  $\{x_n\}$  and  $\{x_n^{(i)}\}$  ( $i = 0, 1, \dots, r$ ) be defined by (1.1). If one of  $\{T_i\}_{i=1}^r$  is completely continuous then  $\{x_n\}$  and  $\{x_n^{(j)}\}$  converge strongly to a common fixed point of  $\{T_i\}_{i=1}^r$  for all  $j = 1, 2, \dots, r$ .

*Proof.* Suppose that  $T_{i_0}$  is completely continuous where  $i_0 \in \{1, 2, \dots, r\}$ . Then there exists a subsequence  $\{x_{n_k}\}$  of  $\{x_n\}$  such that  $\{T_{i_0} x_{n_k}\}$  converges.  $\square$

Let  $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} T_{i_0} x_{n_k} = q$  for some  $q \in C$ . By Lemma 3.2 (ii),  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|T_{i_0} x_n - x_n\| = 0$ . It follows that  $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} x_{n_k} = q$ . Again by Lemma 3.2(ii), we have  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|T_i x_n - x_n\| = 0$  for all  $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$ . It implies that  $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} T_i x_{n_k} = q$ . By continuity of  $T_i$ , we get  $T_i q = q$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$ . So  $q \in F$ . By Lemma 3.1,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - q\|$  exists, it follows that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - q\| = 0$ . By Lemma 3.2(iii), we have  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n^{(j)} - x_n\| = 0$  for each  $j \in \{1, 2, \dots, r\}$ . It follows that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n^{(j)} = q$  for all  $j = 1, 2, \dots, r$ .

**Theorem 3.4.** Let  $X$  be a uniformly convex Banach space and  $C$  a nonempty closed and convex subset of  $X$ . Let  $\{T_i\}_{i=1}^r$  be a finite family of nonexpansive self-mappings of  $C$  with  $F \neq \emptyset$ . Let the sequence  $\{a_{ni}^{(j)}\}_{n=1}^\infty$  be as in Lemma 3.2. For a given  $x_1 \in C$ , let sequences  $\{x_n\}$  and  $\{x_n^{(i)}\}$  ( $i = 0, 1, \dots, r$ ) be defined by (1.1). If the family  $\{T_i\}_{i=1}^r$  satisfies condition (B) then  $\{x_n\}$  and  $\{x_n^{(j)}\}$  converge strongly to a common fixed point of  $\{T_i\}_{i=1}^r$  for all  $j = 1, 2, \dots, r$ .

*Proof.* Let  $p \in F$ . Then by Lemma 3.1,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - p\|$  exists and  $\|x_{n+1} - p\| \leq \|x_n - p\|$  for all  $n \geq 1$ . This implies that  $d(x_{n+1}, F) \leq d(x_n, F)$  for all  $n \geq 1$ , therefore, we get  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} d(x_n, F)$  exists. By Lemma 3.2(ii), we have  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|T_i x_n - x_n\| = 0$  for each  $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$ . It follows, by the condition (B) that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f(d(x_n, F)) = 0$ . Since  $f$  is nondecreasing and  $f(0) = 0$ , therefore, we get  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} d(x_n, F) = 0$ . Next we show that  $\{x_n\}$  is a Cauchy sequence. Since

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} d(x_n, F) = 0$ , given any  $\epsilon > 0$ , there exists a natural number  $n_0$  such that  $d(x_n, F) < \epsilon/2$  for all  $n \geq n_0$ . In particular,  $d(x_{n_0}, F) < \epsilon/2$ . Then there exists  $q \in F$  such that  $\|x_{n_0} - q\| < \epsilon/2$ . For all  $n \geq n_0$  and  $m \geq 1$ , it follows by Lemma 3.1 that

$$\|x_{n+m} - x_n\| \leq \|x_{n+m} - q\| + \|x_n - q\| \leq \|x_{n_0} - q\| + \|x_{n_0} - q\| < \epsilon. \quad (3.11)$$

This shows that  $\{x_n\}$  is a Cauchy sequence in  $C$ , hence it must converge to a point of  $C$ . Let  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = p^*$ . Since  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} d(x_n, F) = 0$  and  $F$  is closed, we obtain  $p^* \in F$ . By Lemma 3.2(iii),  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n^{(j)} - x_n\| = 0$  for each  $j \in \{1, 2, \dots, r\}$ . It follows that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n^{(j)} = p^*$  for all  $j = 1, 2, \dots, r$ .  $\square$

In Theorem 3.4, if  $a_{ni}^{(j)} := 0$ , for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $j \in \{1, 2, \dots, r-1\}$  and  $i = 1, 2, \dots, j$ , we obtain the following result.

**Corollary 3.5.** *Let  $X$  be a uniformly convex Banach space and  $C$  a nonempty closed and convex subset of  $X$ . Let  $\{T_i\}_{i=1}^r$  be a finite family of nonexpansive self-mappings of  $C$  with  $F \neq \emptyset$  and  $a_{ni}^{(r)} \in [0, 1]$  for all  $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$  and  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $\sum_{i=1}^r a_{ni}^{(r)}$  are in  $[0, 1]$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . For a given  $x_1 \in C$ , let the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  be defined by (1.2). If the family  $\{T_i\}_{i=1}^r$  satisfies condition (B) and  $0 < \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_{ni}^{(r)} \leq \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} (a_{n(r)}^{(r)} + a_{n(r-1)}^{(r)} + \dots + a_{n1}^{(r)}) < 1$ , then the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to a common fixed point of  $\{T_i\}_{i=1}^r$ .*

*Remark 3.6.* In Corollary 3.5, if  $a_{ni}^{(r)} = \alpha_i$ , for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and for all  $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$ , the iterative scheme (1.2) reduces to the iterative scheme (1.3) defined by Liu et al. [1] and we obtain strong convergence of the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  defined by Liu et al. when  $\{T_i\}_{i=1}^r$  satisfies condition (B) which is different from the condition (A) defined by Liu et al. and we note that the result of Senter and Dotson [4] is a special case of Theorem 3.4 when  $r = 1$ .

In the next result, we prove weak convergence for the iterative scheme (1.1) for a finite family of nonexpansive mappings in a uniformly convex Banach space satisfying Opial's condition.

**Theorem 3.7.** *Let  $X$  be a uniformly convex Banach space which satisfies Opial's condition and  $C$  a nonempty closed and convex subset of  $X$ . Let  $\{T_i\}_{i=1}^r$  be a finite family of nonexpansive self-mappings of  $C$  with  $F \neq \emptyset$ . For a given  $x_1 \in C$ , let  $\{x_n\}$  be the sequence defined by (1.1). If the sequence  $\{a_{ni}^{(j)}\}_{n=1}^\infty$  is as in Lemma 3.2, then the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  converges weakly to a common fixed point of  $\{T_i\}_{i=1}^r$ .*

*Proof.* By Lemma 3.2(ii),  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|T_i x_n - x_n\| = 0$  for all  $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$ . Since  $X$  is uniformly convex and  $\{x_n\}$  is bounded, without loss of generality we may assume that  $x_n \rightarrow u$  weakly as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  for some  $u \in C$ . By Lemma 2.2, we have  $u \in F$ . Suppose that there are subsequences  $\{x_{n_k}\}$  and  $\{x_{m_k}\}$  of  $\{x_n\}$  that converge weakly to  $u$  and  $v$ , respectively. From Lemma 2.2, we have  $u, v \in F$ . By Lemma 3.1,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - u\|$  and  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - v\|$  exist. It follows from Lemma 2.3 that  $u = v$ . Therefore  $\{x_n\}$  converges weakly to a common fixed point of  $\{T_i\}_{i=1}^r$ .  $\square$

For  $a_{ni}^{(j)} := 0$ , for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $j \in \{1, 2, \dots, r-1\}$  and  $i = 1, 2, \dots, j$  in Theorem 3.7, we obtain the following result.



**Corollary 3.8.** Let  $X$  be a uniformly convex Banach space which satisfies Opial's condition and  $C$  a nonempty closed and convex subset of  $X$ . Let  $\{T_i\}_{i=1}^r$  be a finite family of nonexpansive self-mappings of  $C$  with  $F \neq \emptyset$  and  $a_{ni}^{(r)} \in [0, 1]$  for all  $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$  and  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $\sum_{i=1}^r a_{ni}^{(r)}$  are in  $[0, 1]$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . For a given  $x_1 \in C$ , let  $\{x_n\}$  be the sequence defined by (1.2). If  $0 < \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_{ni}^{(r)} \leq \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} (a_{n(r)}^{(r)} + a_{n(r-1)}^{(r)} + \dots + a_{n1}^{(r)}) < 1$ , then the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  converges weakly to a common fixed point of  $\{T_i\}_{i=1}^r$ .

**Remark 3.9.** In Corollary 3.8, if  $a_{ni}^{(r)} = \alpha_i$ , for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and for all  $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$ , then we obtain weak convergence of the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  defined by Liu et al. [1].

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