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# Convergence Theorems for Equilibrium Problems and Fixed-Point Problems of an Infinite Family of $k_i$ -Strictly Pseudocontractive Mapping in Hilbert Spaces

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We first extend the definition of  $W_n$  from an infinite family of nonexpansive mappings to an infinite family of strictly pseudocontractive mappings, and then propose an iterative scheme by the viscosity approximation method for finding a common element of the set of solutions of an equilibrium problem and the set of fixed points of an infinite family of  $k_i$ -strictly pseudocontractive mappings in Hilbert spaces. The results obtained in this paper extend and improve the recent ones announced by many others. Furthermore, a numerical example is presented to illustrate the effectiveness of the proposed scheme.

## 1. Introduction

Let  $H$  be a real Hilbert space with inner product  $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$  and induced norm  $\| \cdot \|$ . Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of  $H$  and let  $F : C \times C \rightarrow R$  be a bifunction. We consider the following equilibrium problem (EP) which is to find  $z \in C$  such that

$$\text{EP} : F(z, y) \geq 0, \quad \forall y \in C. \quad (1.1)$$

Denote the set of solutions of EP by  $\text{EP}(F)$ . Given a mapping  $T : C \rightarrow H$ , let  $F(x, y) = \langle Tx, y - x \rangle$  for all  $x, y \in C$ . Then,  $z \in \text{EP}(F)$  if and only if  $\langle Tx, y - x \rangle \geq 0$  for all  $y \in C$ , that is,  $z$  is a solution of the variational inequality. Numerous problems in physics, optimization, and

economics reduce to find a solution of (1.1). Some methods have been proposed to solve the equilibrium problem [1–13].

A mapping  $B : C \rightarrow C$  is called  $\theta$ -Lipschitzian if there exists a positive constant  $\theta$  such that

$$\|Bx - By\| \leq \theta \|x - y\|, \quad \forall x, y \in C. \quad (1.2)$$

$B$  is said to be  $\eta$ -strongly monotone if there exists a positive constant  $\eta$  such that

$$\langle Bx - By, x - y \rangle \geq \eta \|x - y\|^2, \quad \forall x, y \in C. \quad (1.3)$$

A mapping  $S : C \rightarrow C$  is said to be  $k$ -strictly pseudocontractive mapping if there exists a constant  $0 \leq k < 1$  such that

$$\|Sx - Sy\|^2 \leq \|x - y\|^2 + k \|(I - S)x - (I - S)y\|^2, \quad (1.4)$$

for all  $x, y \in C$  and  $F(S)$  denotes the set of fixed point of the mapping  $S$ , that is  $F(S) = \{x \in C : Sx = x\}$ .

If  $k = 1$ , then  $S$  is said to a pseudocontractive mapping, that is,

$$\|Sx - Sy\|^2 \leq \|x - y\|^2 + \|(I - S)x - (I - S)y\|^2, \quad (1.5)$$

is equivalent to

$$\langle (I - S)x - (I - S)y, x - y \rangle \geq 0, \quad (1.6)$$

for all  $x, y \in C$ .

The class of  $k$ -strict pseudo-contractive mappings extends the class of nonexpansive mappings (A mapping  $T$  is said to be nonexpansive if  $\|Tx - Ty\| \leq \|x - y\|$ , for all  $x, y \in C$ ). That is,  $S$  is nonexpansive if and only if  $S$  is a 0-strict pseudocontractive mapping. Clearly, the class of  $k$ -strictly pseudocontractive mappings falls into the one between classes of nonexpansive mappings and pseudo-contractive mapping.

In 2006, Marino and Xu [14] introduced the general iterative method and proved that for a given  $x_0 \in H$ , the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  generated by the algorithm

$$x_{n+1} = \alpha_n \gamma f(x_n) + (I - \alpha_n B)Tx_n, \quad n \in \mathbb{N}, \quad (1.7)$$

where  $T$  is a self-nonexpansive mapping on  $H$ ,  $f$  is an  $\alpha$ -contraction of  $H$  into itself (i.e.,  $\|f(x) - f(y)\| \leq \alpha \|x - y\|$ , for all  $x, y \in H$  and  $\alpha \in (0, 1)$ ),  $\{\alpha_n\} \subset (0, 1)$  satisfies certain conditions,  $B$  is strongly positive bounded linear operator on  $H$ , and converges strongly to fixed point  $x^*$  of  $T$  which is the unique solution to the following variational inequality:

$$\langle (\gamma f - B)x^*, x^* - x \rangle \leq 0, \quad \forall x \in F(T). \quad (1.8)$$

Tian [15] considered the following iterative method, for a nonexpansive mapping  $T:H \rightarrow H$  with  $F(T) \neq \emptyset$ ,

$$x_{n+1} = \alpha_n \gamma f(x_n) + (I - \mu \alpha_n F) T x_n, \quad n \in N, \quad (1.9)$$

where  $F$  is  $k$ -Lipschitzian and  $\eta$ -strongly monotone operator. The sequence  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to fixed-point  $q$  in  $F(T)$  which is the unique solution to the following variational inequality:

$$\langle (\gamma f - \mu F)q, p - q \rangle \leq 0, \quad p \in F(T). \quad (1.10)$$

For finding a common element of  $EP(F) \cap F(S)$ , S. Takahashi and W. Takahashi [16] introduced an iterative scheme by the viscosity approximation method for finding a common element of the set of solution (1.1) and the set of fixed points of a nonexpansive mapping in a Hilbert space. Let  $S : C \rightarrow H$  be a nonexpansive mapping. Starting with arbitrary initial point  $x_1 \in H$ , define sequences  $\{x_n\}$  and  $\{u_n\}$  recursively by

$$\begin{aligned} F(u_n, y) + \frac{1}{r_n} \langle y - u_n, u_n - x_n \rangle &\geq 0, \quad \forall y \in C, \\ x_{n+1} &= \alpha_n f(x_n) + (1 - \alpha_n) S u_n, \quad \forall n \in N. \end{aligned} \quad (1.11)$$

They proved that under certain appropriate conditions imposed on  $\{\alpha_n\}$  and  $\{r_n\}$ , the sequences  $\{x_n\}$  and  $\{u_n\}$  converge strongly to  $z \in F(S) \cap EP(F)$ , where  $z = P_{F(S) \cap EP(F)} f(z)$ .

Liu [17] introduced the following scheme:  $x_1 \in H$  and

$$\begin{aligned} F(u_n, y) + \frac{1}{r_n} \langle y - u_n, u_n - x_n \rangle &\geq 0, \quad \forall y \in C, \\ y_n &= \beta_n u_n + (1 - \beta_n) S u_n, \\ x_{n+1} &= \alpha_n \gamma f(x_n) + (I - \alpha_n B) y_n, \quad \forall n \in N, \end{aligned} \quad (1.12)$$

where  $S$  is a  $k$ -strict pseudo-contractive mapping and  $B$  is a strongly positive bounded linear operator. They proved that under certain appropriate conditions imposed on  $\{\alpha_n\}$ ,  $\{\beta_n\}$ , and  $\{r_n\}$ , the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z \in F(S) \cap EP(F)$ , where  $z = P_{F(S) \cap EP(F)} (I - B + \gamma f)(z)$ .

In [18], the concept of  $W$  mapping had been modified for a countable family  $\{T_n\}_{n \in N}$  of nonexpansive mappings by defining the sequence  $\{W_n\}_{n \in N}$  of  $W$ -mappings generated by  $\{T_n\}_{n \in N}$  and  $\{\lambda_n\} \subset (0, 1)$ , proceeding backward

$$\begin{aligned} U_{n,n+1} &:= I, \\ U_{n,n} &:= \lambda_n T_n U_{n,n+1} + (1 - \lambda_n) I, \\ &\dots \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
U_{n,k} &:= \lambda_k T_k U_{n,k+1} + (1 - \lambda_k)I, \\
&\dots \\
U_{n,2} &:= \lambda_2 T_2 U_{n,3} + (1 - \lambda_2)I, \\
W_n = U_{n,1} &:= \lambda_1 T_1 U_{n,2} + (1 - \lambda_1)I.
\end{aligned} \tag{1.13}$$

Yao et al. [19] using this concept, introduced the following algorithm:  $x_1 \in H$  and

$$\begin{aligned}
F(u_n, y) + \frac{1}{r_n} \langle y - u_n, u_n - x_n \rangle &\geq 0, \quad \forall y \in C, \\
x_{n+1} &= \alpha_n f(x_n) + \beta_n x_n + (1 - \alpha_n - \beta_n) W_n u_n, \quad \forall n \in N.
\end{aligned} \tag{1.14}$$

They proved that under certain appropriate conditions imposed on  $\{\alpha_n\}$  and  $\{r_n\}$ , the sequences  $\{x_n\}$  and  $\{u_n\}$  converge strongly to  $z \in \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(T_i) \cap \text{EP}(F)$ .

Colao and Marino [20] considered the following explicit viscosity scheme

$$\begin{aligned}
F(u_n, y) + \frac{1}{r_n} \langle y - u_n, u_n - x_n \rangle &\geq 0, \quad \forall y \in C, \\
x_{n+1} &= \alpha_n r f(x_n) + \beta_n x_n + ((1 - \beta_n)I - \alpha_n A) W_n u_n, \quad \forall n \in N,
\end{aligned} \tag{1.15}$$

where  $A$  is a strongly positive operator on  $H$ . Under certain appropriate conditions, the sequences  $\{x_n\}$  and  $\{u_n\}$  converge strongly to  $z \in \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(T_i) \cap \text{EP}(F)$ .

Motivated and inspired by these facts, in this paper, we first extend the definition of  $W_n$  from an infinite family of nonexpansive mappings to an infinite family of strictly pseudo-contractive mappings, and then propose the iteration scheme (3.2) for finding an element of  $\text{EP}(F) \cap \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(S_i)$ , where  $\{S_i\}$  is an infinite family of  $k_i$ -strictly pseudo-contractive mappings of  $C$  into itself. Finally, the convergence theorem of the iteration scheme is obtained. Our results include Yao et al. [19], Colao and Marino [20] as some special cases.

## 2. Preliminaries

Throughout this paper, we always assume that  $C$  is a nonempty closed convex subset of a Hilbert space  $H$ . We write  $x_n \rightharpoonup x$  to indicate that the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  converges weakly to  $x$ .  $x_n \rightarrow x$  implies that  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $x$ . We denote by  $N$  and  $R$  the sets of positive integers and real numbers, respectively. For any  $x \in H$ , there exists a unique nearest point in  $C$ , denoted by  $P_C x$ , such that

$$\|x - P_C x\| \leq \|x - y\|, \quad \forall y \in C. \tag{2.1}$$

Such a  $P_C$  is called the metric projection of  $H$  onto  $C$ . It is known that  $P_C$  is nonexpansive. Furthermore, for  $x \in H$  and  $u \in C$ ,

$$u = P_C x \iff \langle x - u, u - y \rangle \geq 0, \quad \forall y \in C. \tag{2.2}$$

It is widely known that  $H$  satisfies Opial's condition [21], that is, for any sequence  $\{x_n\}$  with  $x_n \rightharpoonup x$ , the inequality

$$\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - x\| < \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - y\| \quad (2.3)$$

holds for every  $y \in H$  with  $y \neq x$ .

In order to solve the equilibrium problem for a bifunction  $F : C \times C \rightarrow R$ , we assume that  $F$  satisfies the following conditions:

- (A1)  $F(x, x) = 0$ , for all  $x \in C$ .
- (A2)  $F$  is monotone, that is,  $F(x, y) + F(y, x) \leq 0$ , for all  $x, y \in C$ .
- (A3)  $\lim_{t \downarrow 0} F(tz + (1-t)x, y) \leq F(x, y)$ , for all  $x, y, z \in C$ .
- (A4) For each  $x \in C$ ,  $y \mapsto F(x, y)$  is convex and lower semicontinuous.

Let us recall the following lemmas which will be useful for our paper.

**Lemma 2.1** (see [22]). *Let  $F$  be a bifunction from  $C \times C$  into  $R$  satisfying (A1), (A2), (A3), and (A4). Then, for any  $r > 0$  and  $x \in H$ , there exists  $z \in C$  such that*

$$F(z, y) + \frac{1}{r}(y - z, z - x) \geq 0, \quad \forall y \in C. \quad (2.4)$$

Furthermore, if  $T_r x = \{z \in C : F(z, y) + (1/r)(y - z, z - x) \geq 0, \forall y \in C\}$ , then the following hold:

- (1)  $T_r$  is single-valued.
- (2)  $T_r$  is firmly nonexpansive, that is,

$$\|T_r x - T_r y\|^2 \leq \langle T_r x - T_r y, x - y \rangle, \quad \forall x, y \in H. \quad (2.5)$$

- (3)  $F(T_r) = EP(F)$ .
- (4)  $EP(F)$  is closed and convex.

**Lemma 2.2** (see [23]). *Let  $S : C \rightarrow H$  be a  $k$ -strictly pseudo-contractive mapping. Define  $T : C \rightarrow H$  by  $Tx = \lambda x + (1 - \lambda)Sx$  for each  $x \in C$ . Then, as  $\lambda \in [k, 1)$ ,  $T$  is nonexpansive mapping such that  $F(T) = F(S)$ .*

**Lemma 2.3** (see [24]). *In a Hilbert space  $H$ , there holds the inequality*

$$\|x + y\|^2 \leq \|x\|^2 + 2\langle y, x + y \rangle, \quad \forall x, y \in H. \quad (2.6)$$

**Lemma 2.4** (see [25]). *Let  $H$  be a Hilbert space and  $C$  be a closed convex subset of  $H$ , and  $T : C \rightarrow C$  a nonexpansive mapping with  $F(T) \neq \emptyset$ . If  $\{x_n\}$  is a sequence in  $C$  weakly converging to  $x$  and if  $\{(I - T)x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $y$ , then  $(I - T)x = y$ .*

**Lemma 2.5** (see [26]). Let  $\{x_n\}$  and  $\{z_n\}$  be bounded sequences in a Banach space  $E$  and  $\{\gamma_n\}$  be a sequence in  $[0, 1]$  satisfying the following condition

$$0 < \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \gamma_n \leq \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \gamma_n < 1. \quad (2.7)$$

Suppose that  $x_{n+1} = \gamma_n x_n + (1 - \gamma_n) z_n$ ,  $n \geq 0$  and  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sup(\|z_{n+1} - z_n\| - \|x_{n+1} - x_n\|) \leq 0$ . Then  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - x_n\| = 0$ .

**Lemma 2.6** (see [27]). Assume that  $\{a_n\}$  is a sequence of nonnegative real numbers such that

$$a_{n+1} \leq (1 - b_n) a_n + b_n \delta_n, \quad n \geq 0, \quad (2.8)$$

where  $\{b_n\}$  is a sequence in  $(0, 1)$  and  $\{\delta_n\}$  is a sequence in  $\mathbb{R}$ , such that

- (i)  $\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} b_i = \infty$ .
- (ii)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sup \delta_n \leq 0$  or  $\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} |b_n \delta_n| < \infty$ .

Then,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 0$ .

Let  $\{S_i\}$  be an infinite family of  $k_i$ -strictly pseudo-contractive mappings of  $C$  into itself, we define a mapping  $W_n$  of  $C$  into itself as follows,

$$\begin{aligned} U_{n,n+1} &:= I, \\ U_{n,n} &:= \tau_n S'_n U_{n,n+1} + (1 - \tau_n) I, \\ &\dots \\ U_{n,k} &:= \tau_k S'_k U_{n,k+1} + (1 - \tau_k) I, \\ &\dots \\ U_{n,2} &:= \tau_2 S'_2 U_{n,3} + (1 - \tau_2) I, \\ W_n = U_{n,1} &:= \tau_1 S'_1 U_{n,2} + (1 - \tau_1) I, \end{aligned} \quad (2.9)$$

where  $0 \leq \tau_i \leq 1$ ,  $S'_i = \sigma_i I + (1 - \sigma_i) S_i$  and  $\sigma_i \in [k_i, 1)$  for  $i \in N$ . We can obtain  $S'_i$  is a nonexpansive mapping and  $F(S_i) = F(S'_i)$  by Lemma 2.2. Furthermore, we obtain that  $W_n$  is a nonexpansive mapping.

*Remark 2.7.* If  $k_i = 0$ , and  $\sigma_i = 0$  for  $i \in N$ , then the definition of  $W_n$  in (2.9) reduces to the definition of  $W_n$  in (1.13).

To establish our results, we need the following technical lemmas.

**Lemma 2.8** (see [18]). Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of a strictly convex Banach space. Let  $\{S'_i\}$  be an infinite family of nonexpansive mappings of  $C$  into itself and let  $\{\tau_i\}$  be a real sequence such that  $0 < \tau_i \leq b < 1$  for every  $i \in N$ . Then, for every  $x \in C$  and  $k \in N$ , the limit  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} U_{n,k} x$  exists.

In view of the previous lemma, we will define

$$Wx := \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} W_n x = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} U_{n,1} x, \quad x \in C. \quad (2.10)$$

**Lemma 2.9** (see [18]). *Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of a strictly convex Banach space. Let  $\{S'_i\}$  be an infinite family of nonexpansive mappings of  $C$  into itself such that  $\bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(S'_i) \neq \emptyset$  and let  $\{\tau_i\}$  be a real sequence such that  $0 < \tau_i \leq b < 1$  for every  $i \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then,  $F(W) = \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(S'_i) \neq \emptyset$ .*

The following lemmas follow from Lemmas 2.2, 2.8, and 2.9.

**Lemma 2.10.** *Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of a strictly convex Banach space. Let  $\{S_i\}$  be an infinite family of  $k_i$ -strictly pseudo-contractive mappings of  $C$  into itself such that  $\bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(S_i) \neq \emptyset$ . Define  $S'_i = \sigma_i I + (1 - \sigma_i)S_i$  and  $\sigma_i \in [k_i, 1)$  and let  $\{\tau_i\}$  be a real sequence such that  $0 < \tau_i \leq b < 1$  for every  $i \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then,  $F(W) = \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(S_i) = \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(S'_i) \neq \emptyset$ .*

**Lemma 2.11** (see [28]). *Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of a Hilbert space. Let  $\{S'_i\}$  be an infinite family of nonexpansive mappings of  $C$  into itself such that  $\bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(S'_i) \neq \emptyset$  and let  $\{\tau_i\}$  be a real sequence such that  $0 < \tau_i \leq b < 1$  for every  $i \in \mathbb{N}$ . If  $K$  is any bounded subset of  $C$ , then*

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sup_{x \in K} \|Wx - W_n x\| = 0. \quad (2.11)$$

### 3. Main Results

Let  $H$  be a real Hilbert space and  $F$  be a  $k$ -Lipschitzian and  $\eta$ -strongly monotone operator with  $k > 0$ ,  $\eta > 0$ ,  $0 < \mu < 2\eta/k^2$  and  $0 < t < 1$ . Then, for  $t \in \min\{0, \{1, 1/\tau\}\}$ ,  $S = (I - t\mu F) : H \rightarrow H$  is a contraction with contractive coefficient  $1 - t\tau$  and  $\tau = (1/2)\mu(2\eta - \mu k^2)$ .

In fact, from (1.2) and (1.3), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \|Sx - Sy\|^2 &= \|x - y - t\mu(Fx - Fy)\|^2 \\ &= \|x - y\|^2 + t^2\mu^2\|Fx - Fy\|^2 - 2t\mu\langle Fx - Fy, x - y \rangle \\ &\leq \|x - y\|^2 + k^2 t^2 \mu^2 \|x - y\|^2 - 2t\eta\mu \|x - y\|^2 \\ &\leq \left(1 - t\mu(2\eta - \mu k^2)\right) \|x - y\|^2 \\ &\leq (1 - t\tau)^2 \|x - y\|^2. \end{aligned} \quad (3.1)$$

Thus,  $S = (I - t\mu F)$  is a contraction with contractive coefficient  $1 - t\tau \in (0, 1)$ .

Now, we show the strong convergence results for an infinite family  $k_i$ -strictly pseudo-contractive mappings in Hilbert space.

**Theorem 3.1.** *Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of a real Hilbert space  $H$  and  $F$  be a bifunction from  $C \times C \rightarrow R$  satisfying (A1)–(A4). Let  $S_i : C \rightarrow C$  be a  $k_i$ -strictly pseudo-contractive mapping with  $\bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(S_i) \cap EP \neq \emptyset$  and  $\{\tau_i\}$  be a real sequence such that  $0 < \tau_i \leq b < 1$ ,  $i \in \mathbb{N}$ . Let  $f$  be a contraction of  $H$  into itself with  $\beta \in (0, 1)$  and  $B$  be  $k$ -Lipschitzian and  $\eta$ -strongly monotone*

operator on  $H$  with coefficients  $k, \eta > 0, 0 < \mu < 2\eta/k^2, 0 < r < (1/2)\mu(2\eta - \mu k^2)/\beta = (\tau/\beta)$  and  $\tau < 1$ . Let  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence generated by

$$\begin{aligned} F(u_n, y) + \frac{1}{\lambda_n} \langle y - u_n, u_n - x_n \rangle &\geq 0, \quad \forall y \in C, \\ y_n &= \delta_n u_n + (1 - \delta_n) W_n u_n, \\ x_{n+1} &= \alpha_n r f(x_n) + \beta_n x_n + ((1 - \beta_n)I - \mu \alpha_n B) y_n, \quad \forall n \in N, \end{aligned} \tag{3.2}$$

where  $u_n = T_{\lambda_n} x_n$  and  $\{W_n : C \rightarrow C\}$  is the sequence defined by (2.9). If  $\{\alpha_n\}, \{\beta_n\}, \{\delta_n\}$ , and  $\{\lambda_n\}$  satisfy the following conditions:

- (i)  $\{\alpha_n\} \subset (0, 1), \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n = 0, \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \alpha_n = \infty$ ,
- (ii)  $0 < \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \inf \beta_n \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sup \beta_n < 1$ ,
- (iii)  $0 < \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \inf \delta_n \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sup \delta_n < 1, \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |\delta_{n+1} - \delta_n| = 0$ ,
- (iv)  $\{\lambda_n\} \subset (0, \infty), \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lambda_n > 0, \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |\lambda_{n+1} - \lambda_n| = 0$ .

Then  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z \in \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(S_i) \cap EP \neq \emptyset$ , where  $z$  is the unique solution of variational inequality

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle (rf - \mu B)z, p - z \rangle \leq 0, \quad \forall p \in \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(S_i) \cap EP \neq \emptyset, \tag{3.3}$$

that is,  $z = P_{F(W) \cap EP(F)}(I - \mu B + rf)z$ , which is the optimality condition for the minimization problem

$$\min_{z \in \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(S_i) \cap EP} \frac{1}{2} \langle \mu B z, z \rangle - h(z), \tag{3.4}$$

where  $h$  is a potential function for  $rf$  (i.e.,  $h'(z) = rf(z)$  for  $z \in H$ ).

*Proof.* We divide the proof into five steps.

*Step 1.* We prove that  $\{x_n\}$  is bounded.

Noting the conditions (i) and (ii), we may assume, without loss of generality, that  $\alpha_n/(1 - \beta_n) \leq \min\{1, 1/\tau\}$ . For  $x, y \in C$ , we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} &\|((1 - \beta_n)I - \alpha_n \mu B)x - ((1 - \beta_n)I - \alpha_n \mu B)y\| \\ &\leq (1 - \beta_n) \left\| \left( I - \frac{\alpha_n}{1 - \beta_n} \mu B \right) x - \left( I - \frac{\alpha_n}{1 - \beta_n} \mu B \right) y \right\| \\ &\leq (1 - \beta_n) \left( 1 - \frac{\alpha_n}{1 - \beta_n} \tau \right) \|x - y\| \\ &= (1 - \beta_n - \alpha_n \tau) \|x - y\|. \end{aligned} \tag{3.5}$$



Take  $p \in \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(S_i) \cap EP \neq \emptyset$ . Since  $u_n = T_{\lambda_n} x_n$  and  $p = T_{\lambda_n} p$ , then from Lemma 2.1, we know that, for any  $n \in N$ ,

$$\|u_n - p\| = \|T_{\lambda_n} x_n - T_{\lambda_n} p\| \leq \|x_n - p\|. \quad (3.6)$$

Furthermore, since  $W_n p = p$  and (3.6), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|y_n - p\| &= \|\delta_n u_n + (1 - \delta_n) W_n u_n - p\| \\ &= \|\delta_n (u_n - p) + (1 - \delta_n) (W_n u_n - p)\| \\ &\leq \delta_n \|u_n - p\| + (1 - \delta_n) \|W_n u_n - p\| \\ &\leq \|u_n - p\| \leq \|x_n - p\|. \end{aligned} \quad (3.7)$$

Thus, it follows from (3.7) that

$$\begin{aligned} \|x_{n+1} - p\| &= \|\alpha_n r f(x_n) + \beta_n x_n + ((1 - \beta_n)I - \mu \alpha_n B) y_n - p\| \\ &= \|\alpha_n r (f(x_n) - f(p)) + \alpha_n (r f(p) - \mu B p) \\ &\quad + \beta_n (x_n - p) + ((1 - \beta_n)I - \mu \alpha_n B) (y_n - p)\| \\ &\leq \alpha_n r \beta \|x_n - p\| + \alpha_n \|r f(p) - \mu B p\| + \beta_n \|x_n - p\| \\ &\quad + (1 - \beta_n - \tau \alpha_n) \|y_n - p\| \\ &\leq (1 - \alpha_n (\tau - r \beta)) \|x_n - p\| + \alpha_n \|r f(p) - \mu B p\| \\ &\leq \max \left\{ \|x_n - p\|, \frac{\|r f(p) - \mu B p\|}{\tau - r \beta} \right\}. \end{aligned} \quad (3.8)$$

By induction, we have

$$\|x_n - p\| \leq \max \left\{ \|x_1 - p\|, \frac{\|r f(p) - \mu B p\|}{\tau - r \beta} \right\}, \quad n \geq 1. \quad (3.9)$$

Hence,  $\{x_n\}$  is bounded and we also obtain that  $\{u_n\}$ ,  $\{W_n u_n\}$ ,  $\{y_n\}$ ,  $\{B y_n\}$ , and  $\{f(x_n)\}$  are all bounded. Without loss of generality, we can assume that there exists a bounded set  $K \subset C$  such that  $\{u_n\}$ ,  $\{W_n u_n\}$ ,  $\{y_n\}$ ,  $\{B y_n\}$ ,  $\{f(x_n)\} \in K$ , for all  $n \in N$ .

*Step 2.* We show that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - x_{n+1}\| = 0$ .

Let  $x_{n+1} = (1 - \beta_n) z_n + \beta_n x_n$ . We note that

$$z_n = \frac{x_{n+1} - \beta_n x_n}{1 - \beta_n} = \frac{\alpha_n r f(x_n) + ((1 - \beta_n)I - \mu \alpha_n B) y_n}{1 - \beta_n}, \quad (3.10)$$

and then

$$\begin{aligned}
 z_{n+1} - z_n &= \frac{\alpha_{n+1}rf(x_{n+1}) + ((1 - \beta_{n+1})I - \mu\alpha_{n+1}B)y_{n+1}}{1 - \beta_{n+1}} \\
 &\quad - \frac{\alpha_nrf(x_n) + ((1 - \beta_n)I - \mu\alpha_nB)y_n}{1 - \beta_n} \\
 &= \frac{\alpha_{n+1}}{1 - \beta_{n+1}}(rf(x_{n+1}) - \mu By_{n+1}) - \frac{\alpha_n}{1 - \beta_n}(rf(x_n) - \mu By_n) + y_{n+1} - y_n.
 \end{aligned} \tag{3.11}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned}
 \|z_{n+1} - z_n\| &\leq \frac{\alpha_{n+1}}{1 - \beta_{n+1}}(\|rf(x_{n+1})\| + \|\mu By_{n+1}\|) \\
 &\quad + \frac{\alpha_n}{1 - \beta_n}(\|rf(x_n)\| + \|\mu By_n\|) + \|y_{n+1} - y_n\|.
 \end{aligned} \tag{3.12}$$

It follows from (3.2) that

$$\begin{aligned}
 \|y_{n+1} - y_n\| &= \|\delta_{n+1}u_{n+1} + (1 - \delta_{n+1})W_{n+1}u_{n+1} - (\delta_n u_n + (1 - \delta_n)W_n u_n)\| \\
 &\leq |\delta_{n+1} - \delta_n|\|u_n\| + \delta_{n+1}\|u_{n+1} - u_n\| + (1 - \delta_{n+1})\|W_{n+1}u_{n+1} - W_n u_n\| \\
 &\quad + |\delta_{n+1} - \delta_n|\|W_n u_n\|.
 \end{aligned} \tag{3.13}$$

We will estimate  $\|u_{n+1} - u_n\|$ . From  $u_{n+1} = T_{\lambda_{n+1}}x_{n+1}$  and  $u_n = T_{\lambda_n}x_n$ , we obtain

$$F(u_{n+1}, y) + \frac{1}{\lambda_{n+1}}\langle y - u_{n+1}, u_{n+1} - y_{n+1} \rangle \geq 0, \quad \forall y \in C, \tag{3.14}$$

$$F(u_n, y) + \frac{1}{\lambda_n}\langle y - u_n, u_n - y_n \rangle \geq 0, \quad \forall y \in C. \tag{3.15}$$

Taking  $y = u_n$  in (3.14) and  $y = u_{n+1}$  in (3.15), we have

$$F(u_{n+1}, u_n) + \frac{1}{\lambda_{n+1}}\langle u_n - u_{n+1}, u_{n+1} - x_{n+1} \rangle \geq 0, \tag{3.16}$$

$$F(u_n, u_{n+1}) + \frac{1}{\lambda_n}\langle u_{n+1} - u_n, u_n - x_n \rangle \geq 0.$$

So, from (A2), one has

$$\left\langle u_{n+1} - u_n, \frac{u_n - x_n}{\lambda_n} - \frac{u_{n+1} - x_{n+1}}{\lambda_{n+1}} \right\rangle \geq 0, \tag{3.17}$$

furthermore,

$$\left\langle \mathbf{u}_{n+1} - \mathbf{u}_n, \mathbf{u}_n - \mathbf{u}_{n+1} - \mathbf{x}_n - \frac{\lambda_n}{\lambda_{n+1}}(\mathbf{u}_{n+1} - \mathbf{x}_{n+1}) \right\rangle \geq 0. \quad (3.18)$$

Since  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lambda_n > 0$ , we assume that there exists a real number such that  $\lambda_n > a > 0$  for all  $n \in N$ . Thus, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \|\mathbf{u}_{n+1} - \mathbf{u}_n\|^2 &\leq \left\langle \mathbf{u}_{n+1} - \mathbf{u}_n, \mathbf{x}_{n+1} - \mathbf{x}_n + \left(1 - \frac{\lambda_n}{\lambda_{n+1}}\right)(\mathbf{u}_{n+1} - \mathbf{x}_{n+1}) \right\rangle \\ &\leq \|\mathbf{u}_{n+1} - \mathbf{u}_n\| \left\{ \|\mathbf{x}_{n+1} - \mathbf{x}_n\| + \left|1 - \frac{\lambda_n}{\lambda_{n+1}}\right| \|\mathbf{u}_{n+1} - \mathbf{x}_{n+1}\| \right\}, \end{aligned} \quad (3.19)$$

which means

$$\begin{aligned} \|\mathbf{u}_{n+1} - \mathbf{u}_n\| &\leq \|\mathbf{x}_{n+1} - \mathbf{x}_n\| + \left|1 - \frac{\lambda_n}{\lambda_{n+1}}\right| \|\mathbf{u}_{n+1} - \mathbf{x}_{n+1}\| \\ &\leq \|\mathbf{x}_{n+1} - \mathbf{x}_n\| + \frac{1}{a} |\lambda_{n+1} - \lambda_n| \|\mathbf{u}_{n+1} - \mathbf{x}_{n+1}\| \\ &\leq \|\mathbf{x}_{n+1} - \mathbf{x}_n\| + L_1 |\lambda_{n+1} - \lambda_n|, \end{aligned} \quad (3.20)$$

where  $L_1 = \sup\{\|\mathbf{u}_{n+1} - \mathbf{x}_{n+1}\| : n \in N\}$ .

Next, we estimate  $\|W_{n+1}\mathbf{u}_{n+1} - W_n\mathbf{u}_n\|$ . Notice that

$$\begin{aligned} \|W_{n+1}\mathbf{u}_{n+1} - W_n\mathbf{u}_n\| &= \|W_{n+1}\mathbf{u}_{n+1} - W_{n+1}\mathbf{u}_n + W_{n+1}\mathbf{u}_n - W_n\mathbf{u}_n\| \\ &\leq \|\mathbf{u}_{n+1} - \mathbf{u}_n\| + \|W_{n+1}\mathbf{u}_n - W_n\mathbf{u}_n\|. \end{aligned} \quad (3.21)$$

From (2.9), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \|W_{n+1}\mathbf{u}_n - W_n\mathbf{u}_n\| &= \|\tau_1 S'_1 U_{n+1,2}\mathbf{u}_n - \tau_1 S'_1 U_{n,2}\mathbf{u}_n\| \\ &\leq \tau_1 \|U_{n+1,2}\mathbf{u}_n - U_{n,2}\mathbf{u}_n\| \\ &= \tau_1 \|\tau_2 S'_2 U_{n+1,3}\mathbf{u}_n - \tau_2 S'_2 U_{n,3}\mathbf{u}_n\| \\ &\leq \tau_1 \tau_2 \|U_{n+1,3}\mathbf{u}_n - U_{n,3}\mathbf{u}_n\| \\ &\leq \dots \\ &\leq \tau_1 \tau_2 \dots \tau_n \|U_{n+1,n+1}\mathbf{u}_n - U_{n,n+1}\mathbf{u}_n\| \\ &\leq L_2 \prod_{i=1}^n \tau_i, \end{aligned} \quad (3.22)$$

where  $L_2 \geq 0$  is a constant such that  $\|U_{n+1,n+1}\mathbf{u}_n - U_{n,n+1}\mathbf{u}_n\| \leq L_2$ , for all  $n \in N$ .

Substituting (3.20) and (3.22) into (3.21), we obtain

$$\|W_{n+1}u_{n+1} - W_n u_n\| \leq \|x_{n+1} - x_n\| + L_1|\lambda_{n+1} - \lambda_n| + L_2 \prod_{i=1}^n \tau_i. \quad (3.23)$$

Hence, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|y_{n+1} - y_n\| &\leq |\delta_{n+1} - \delta_n|(\|u_n\| + \|W_n u_n\|) + \|x_{n+1} - x_n\| \\ &\quad + (1 - \delta_{n+1})L_2 \prod_{i=1}^n \tau_i + L_1|\lambda_{n+1} - \lambda_n| \\ &\leq L_3|\delta_{n+1} - \delta_n| + \|x_{n+1} - x_n\| + (1 - \delta_{n+1})L_2 \prod_{i=1}^n \tau_i + L_1|\lambda_{n+1} - \lambda_n|, \end{aligned} \quad (3.24)$$

where  $L_3 = \sup\{\|u_n\| + \|W_n u_n\| : n \in N\}$ .

Furthermore,

$$\begin{aligned} \|z_{n+1} - z_n\| &\leq \frac{\alpha_{n+1}}{1 - \beta_{n+1}}(\|rf(x_{n+1})\| + \|\mu B y_{n+1}\|) \\ &\quad + \frac{\alpha_n}{1 - \beta_n}(\|rf(x_n)\| + \|\mu B y_n\|) \\ &\quad + \|x_{n+1} - x_n\| + L_1|\lambda_{n+1} - \lambda_n| + L_2(1 - \delta_{n+1}) \prod_{i=1}^n \tau_i \\ &\quad + L_3|\delta_{n+1} - \delta_n|. \end{aligned} \quad (3.25)$$

It follows from (3.25) that

$$\begin{aligned} &\|z_{n+1} - z_n\| - \|x_{n+1} - x_n\| \\ &\leq \frac{\alpha_{n+1}}{1 - \beta_{n+1}}(\|rf(x_{n+1})\| + \|\mu B y_{n+1}\|) + \frac{\alpha_n}{1 - \beta_n}(\|rf(x_n)\| + \|\mu B y_n\|) \\ &\quad + L_1|\lambda_{n+1} - \lambda_n| + L_2(1 - \delta_{n+1}) \prod_{i=1}^n \tau_i + L_3|\delta_{n+1} - \delta_n|. \end{aligned} \quad (3.26)$$

By the conditions (i), (iii), and (iv), we obtain

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\|z_{n+1} - z_n\| - \|x_{n+1} - x_n\|) \leq 0. \quad (3.27)$$

Hence, by Lemma 2.5, one has

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - x_n\| = 0, \quad (3.28)$$

which implies

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_{n+1} - x_n\| = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (1 - \beta_n) \|z_n - x_n\| = 0. \quad (3.29)$$

Step 3. We claim that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|Wu_n - u_n\| = 0$ .

Notice that

$$\begin{aligned} \|Wu_n - u_n\| &= \|Wu_n - W_n u_n + W_n u_n - u_n\| \\ &\leq \|Wu_n - W_n u_n\| + \|W_n u_n - u_n\| \\ &\leq \sup_{u \in K} \|Wu - W_n u\| + \|W_n u_n - u_n\|. \end{aligned} \quad (3.30)$$

It follows from (3.2) that

$$\begin{aligned} \|W_n u_n - u_n\| &= \|W_n u_n - y_n + y_n - u_n\| \\ &\leq \|y_n - u_n\| + \|W_n u_n - y_n\| \\ &= \|y_n - u_n\| + \delta_n \|W_n u_n - u_n\| \\ &\leq \|x_n - u_n\| + \|y_n - x_n\| + \delta_n \|W_n u_n - u_n\|. \end{aligned} \quad (3.31)$$

By the condition (iii), we obtain

$$\|W_n u_n - u_n\| \leq \frac{1}{1 - \delta_n} (\|x_n - u_n\| + \|y_n - x_n\|). \quad (3.32)$$

First, we show  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - u_n\| = 0$ . From (3.2), for all  $p \in \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(S_i) \cap \text{EP}(F)$ , applying Lemma 2.3 and noting that  $\|\cdot\|$  is convex, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \|x_{n+1} - p\|^2 &= \|\alpha_n r f(x_n) + \beta_n x_n + ((1 - \beta_n)I - \mu \alpha_n B)y_n - p\|^2 \\ &= \|\alpha_n (r f(x_n) + \mu B y_n) + \beta_n (x_n - p) + (1 - \beta_n)(y_n - p)\|^2 \\ &\leq \|\beta_n (x_n - p) + (1 - \beta_n)(y_n - p)\|^2 + 2\alpha_n \langle r f(x_n) + \mu B y_n, x_{n+1} - p \rangle \\ &\leq \beta_n \|x_n - p\|^2 + (1 - \beta_n) \|y_n - p\|^2 + 2\alpha_n \|r f(x_n) + \mu B y_n\| \|x_{n+1} - p\| \\ &\leq \beta_n \|x_n - p\|^2 + (1 - \beta_n) \|u_n - p\|^2 + 2\alpha_n \|r f(x_n) + \mu B y_n\| \|x_{n+1} - p\|. \end{aligned} \quad (3.33)$$

Since  $u_n = T_{\lambda_n} x_n$ ,  $p = T_{\lambda_n} p$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|u_n - p\|^2 &= \|T_{\lambda_n} x_n - T_{\lambda_n} p\|^2 \leq \langle x_n - p, u_n - p \rangle \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (\|x_n - p\|^2 + \|u_n - p\|^2 - \|x_n - u_n\|^2), \end{aligned} \quad (3.34)$$

which implies

$$\|u_n - p\|^2 \leq \|x_n - p\|^2 - \|x_n - u_n\|^2. \quad (3.35)$$

Substituting (3.35) into (3.33), we have

$$\|x_{n+1} - p\|^2 \leq \|x_n - p\|^2 - (1 - \beta_n)\|x_n - u_n\|^2 + 2\alpha_n \|rf(x_n) + \mu B y_n\| \|x_{n+1} - p\|, \quad (3.36)$$

which means

$$\begin{aligned} (1 - \beta_n)\|x_n - u_n\|^2 &\leq \|x_n - p\|^2 - \|x_{n+1} - p\|^2 + 2\alpha_n \|rf(x_n) + \mu B y_n\| \|x_{n+1} - p\| \\ &\leq \|x_{n+1} - x_n\| (\|x_n - p\| + \|x_{n+1} - p\|) + 2\alpha_n \|rf(x_n) + \mu B y_n\| \|x_{n+1} - p\|. \end{aligned} \quad (3.37)$$

Noticing  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n = 0$  and  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \inf(1 - \beta_n) > 0$ , we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - u_n\| = 0. \quad (3.38)$$

Second, we show  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|y_n - x_n\| = 0$ . It follows from (3.2) that

$$\begin{aligned} \|y_n - x_n\| &\leq \|y_n - x_{n+1}\| + \|x_{n+1} - x_n\| \\ &= \|\alpha_n rf(x_n) + \beta_n x_n + ((1 - \beta_n)I - \mu \alpha_n B)y_n - y_n\| + \|x_{n+1} - x_n\| \\ &\leq \alpha_n \|rf(x_n) + \mu B y_n\| + \beta_n \|x_n - y_n\| + \|x_{n+1} - x_n\|. \end{aligned} \quad (3.39)$$

This implies that

$$(1 - \beta_n)\|y_n - x_n\| \leq \alpha_n \|rf(x_n) + \mu B y_n\| + \|x_{n+1} - x_n\|. \quad (3.40)$$

Noticing  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n = 0$ ,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \inf(1 - \beta_n) > 0$  and (3.30), we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|y_n - x_n\| = 0. \quad (3.41)$$

Thus, substituting (3.41) and (3.38) into (3.32), we obtain

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|W_n u_n - u_n\| = 0. \quad (3.42)$$

Furthermore, (3.42), (3.30), and Lemma 2.11 lead to

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|W u_n - u_n\| = 0. \quad (3.43)$$

Step 4. Letting  $z = P_{F(W) \cap EP(F)}(I - \mu B + rf)z$ , we show

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle (rf - \mu B)z, x_n - z \rangle \leq 0. \quad (3.44)$$

We know that  $P_{F(W) \cap EP(F)}(I - \mu B + rf)$  is a contraction. Indeed, for any  $x, y \in H$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \|P_{F(W) \cap EP(F)}(I - \mu B + rf)x - P_{F(W) \cap EP(F)}(I - \mu B + rf)y\| \\ & \leq \|(I - \mu B + rf)x - (I - \mu B + rf)y\| \\ & \leq (1 - \tau + r\beta)\|x - y\|, \end{aligned} \quad (3.45)$$

and hence  $P_{F(W) \cap EP(F)}(I - \mu B + rf)$  is a contraction due to  $(1 - \tau + r\beta) \in (0, 1)$ . Thus, Banach's Contraction Mapping Principle guarantees that  $P_{F(W) \cap EP(F)}(I - \mu B + rf)$  has a unique fixed point, which implies  $z = P_{F(W) \cap EP(F)}(I - \mu B + rf)z$ .

Since  $\{u_{n_i}\} \subset \{u_n\}$  is bounded in  $C$ , without loss of generality, we can assume that  $\{u_{n_i}\} \rightharpoonup \omega$ , it follows from (3.43) that  $Wu_{n_i} \rightharpoonup \omega$ . Since  $C$  is closed and convex,  $C$  is weakly closed. Thus we have  $\omega \in C$ .

Let us show  $\omega \in F(W)$ . For the sake of contradiction, suppose that  $\omega \notin F(W)$ , that is,  $W\omega \neq \omega$ . Since  $\{u_{n_i}\} \rightharpoonup \omega$ , by the Opial condition, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|u_{n_i} - \omega\| & < \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|u_{n_i} - W\omega\| \\ & \leq \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \{\|u_{n_i} - Wu_{n_i}\| + \|Wu_{n_i} - W\omega\|\} \\ & \leq \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \{\|u_{n_i} - Wu_{n_i}\| + \|u_{n_i} - \omega\|\}. \end{aligned} \quad (3.46)$$

It follows (3.43) that

$$\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|u_{n_i} - \omega\| < \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|u_{n_i} - \omega\|. \quad (3.47)$$

This is a contradiction, which shows that  $\omega \in F(W)$ .

Next, we prove that  $\omega \in EP(F)$ . By (3.2), we obtain

$$F(u_n, y) + \frac{1}{\lambda_n} \langle y - u_n, u_n - x_n \rangle \geq 0. \quad (3.48)$$

It follows from (A2) that

$$\frac{1}{\lambda_n} \langle y - u_n, u_n - x_n \rangle \geq F(y, u_n). \quad (3.49)$$

Replacing  $n$  by  $n_i$ , we have

$$\left\langle y - u_{n_i}, \frac{1}{\lambda_{n_i}} (u_{n_i} - x_{n_i}) \right\rangle \geq F(y, u_{n_i}). \quad (3.50)$$

Since  $(1/\lambda_{n_i})(u_{n_i} - x_{n_i}) \rightarrow 0$  and  $\{u_{n_i}\} \rightarrow \omega$ , it follows from (A4) that  $F(y, \omega) \geq 0$  for all  $y \in C$ . Put  $z_t = ty + (1-t)\omega$  for all  $t \in (0, 1]$  and  $y \in C$ . Then, we have  $z_t \in C$  and then  $F(z_t, \omega) \geq 0$ . Hence, from (A1) and (A4), we have

$$0 = F(z_t, z_t) \leq tF(z_t, y) + (1-t)F(z_t, \omega) \leq tF(z_t, y), \quad (3.51)$$

which means  $F(z_t, y) \geq 0$ . From (A3), we obtain  $F(\omega, y) \geq 0$  for  $y \in C$  and then  $\omega \in EP(F)$ . Therefore,  $\omega \in F(W) \cap EP(F)$ .

Since  $z = P_{F(W) \cap EP(F)}(I - \mu B + rf)z$ , it follows from (3.38), (3.42), and Lemma 2.11 that

$$\begin{aligned} \limsup_{i \rightarrow \infty} \langle (rf - \mu B)z, x_n - z \rangle &\leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle (rf - \mu B)z, x_{n_i} - z \rangle \\ &= \lim_{i \rightarrow \infty} \langle (rf - \mu B)z, x_{n_i} - u_{n_i} \rangle \\ &\quad + \lim_{i \rightarrow \infty} \langle (rf - \mu B)z, u_{n_i} - W_{n_i}u_{n_i} \rangle \\ &\quad + \lim_{i \rightarrow \infty} \langle (rf - \mu B)z, W_{n_i}u_{n_i} - Wu_{n_i} \rangle \\ &\quad + \lim_{i \rightarrow \infty} \langle (rf - \mu B)z, Wu_{n_i} - z \rangle \\ &= \langle (rf - \mu B)z, \omega - z \rangle \leq 0. \end{aligned} \quad (3.52)$$

*Step 5.* Finally we prove that  $x_n \rightarrow \omega$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . In fact, from (3.2) and (3.7), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \|x_{n+1} - \omega\|^2 &= \|\alpha_n rf(x_n) + \beta_n x_n + ((1 - \beta_n)I - \mu\alpha_n B)y_n - \omega\|^2 \\ &= \|\alpha_n r(f(x_n) - f(\omega)) + \alpha_n (rf(\omega) - \mu B\omega) \\ &\quad + \beta_n(x_n - \omega) + ((1 - \beta_n)I - \mu\alpha_n B)(y_n - \omega)\|^2 \\ &= \alpha_n r \langle f(x_n) - f(\omega), x_{n+1} - \omega \rangle + \alpha_n \langle rf(\omega) - \mu B\omega, x_{n+1} - \omega \rangle \\ &\quad + \beta_n \langle x_n - \omega, x_{n+1} - \omega \rangle + \langle ((1 - \beta_n)I - \mu\alpha_n B)(y_n - \omega), x_{n+1} - \omega \rangle \\ &\leq \alpha_n r \beta \frac{\|x_n - \omega\|^2 + \|x_{n+1} - \omega\|^2}{2} + \alpha_n \langle rf(\omega) - \mu B\omega, x_{n+1} - \omega \rangle \\ &\quad + \beta_n \frac{\|x_n - \omega\|^2 + \|x_{n+1} - \omega\|^2}{2} + (1 - \beta_n - \alpha_n \tau) \frac{\|y_n - \omega\|^2 + \|x_{n+1} - \omega\|^2}{2} \\ &\leq \frac{1 - \alpha_n(\tau - r\beta)}{2} (\|x_n - \omega\|^2 + \|x_{n+1} - \omega\|^2) + \alpha_n \langle rf(\omega) - \mu B\omega, x_{n+1} - \omega \rangle, \end{aligned} \quad (3.53)$$



which implies

$$\begin{aligned} \|x_{n+1} - \omega\|^2 &\leq \frac{1 - \alpha_n(\tau - r\beta)}{1 + \alpha_n(\tau - r\beta)} \|x_n - \omega\|^2 \\ &\quad + \frac{2\alpha_n(\tau - r\beta)}{(1 + \alpha_n(\tau - r\beta))(\tau - r\beta)} \langle rf(\omega) - \mu B\omega, x_{n+1} - \omega \rangle \\ &\leq (1 - \alpha_n(\tau - r\beta)) \|x_n - \omega\|^2 \\ &\quad + \frac{2\alpha_n(\tau - r\beta)}{(1 + \alpha_n(\tau - r\beta))(\tau - r\beta)} \langle rf(\omega) - \mu B\omega, x_{n+1} - \omega \rangle. \end{aligned} \tag{3.54}$$

From condition (i) and (3.7), we know that  $\sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_n(\tau - r\beta) = \infty$  and  $\lim_{i \rightarrow \infty} \sup(2/(1 + \alpha_n(\tau - r\beta))(\tau - r\beta)) \langle rf(\omega) - \mu B\omega, x_{n+1} - \omega \rangle \leq 0$ . We can conclude from Lemma 2.6 that  $x_n \rightarrow \omega$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . This completes the proof of Theorem 3.1.  $\square$

*Remark 3.2.* If  $r = 1, \mu = 1, B = I$  and  $\delta_i = 0, k_i = 0, \sigma_i = 0$  for  $i \in N$ , then Theorem 3.1 reduces to Theorem 3.5 of Yao et al. [19]. Furthermore, we extend the corresponding results of Yao et al. [19] from one infinite family of nonexpansive mapping to an infinite family of strictly pseudo-contractive mappings.

*Remark 3.3.* If  $\mu = 1$  and  $\delta_i = 0, k_i = 0, \sigma_i = 0$  for  $i \in N$ , then Theorem 3.1 reduces to Theorem 10 of Colao and Marino [20]. Furthermore, we extend the corresponding results of Colao and Marino [20] from one infinite family of nonexpansive mapping to an infinite family of strictly pseudo-contractive mappings, and from a strongly positive bounded linear operator  $A$  to a  $k$ -Lipschitzian and  $\eta$ -strongly monotone operator  $B$ .

**Theorem 3.4.** Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of a real Hilbert space  $H$  and  $F$  be a bifunction from  $C \times C \rightarrow R$  satisfying (A1)–(A4). Let  $S : C \rightarrow C$  be a nonexpansive mapping with  $F(S) \cap EP \neq \emptyset$ . Let  $f$  be a contraction of  $H$  into itself with  $\beta \in (0, 1)$  and  $B$  be  $k$ -Lipschitzian and  $\eta$ -strongly monotone operator on  $H$  with coefficients  $k, \eta > 0, 0 < \mu < 2\eta/k^2, 0 < r < (1/2)\mu(2\eta - \mu k^2)/\beta = \tau/\beta$  and  $\tau < 1$ . Let  $\{x_n\}$  be sequence generated by

$$\begin{aligned} F(u_n, y) + \frac{1}{\lambda_n} \langle y - u_n, u_n - x_n \rangle &\geq 0, \quad \forall y \in C, \\ y_n &= \delta_n u_n + (1 - \delta_n) S_n u_n, \end{aligned} \tag{3.55}$$

$$x_{n+1} = \alpha_n r f(x_n) + \beta_n x_n + ((1 - \beta_n)I - \mu \alpha_n B) y_n, \quad \forall n \in N,$$

where  $u_n = T_{\lambda_n} x_n$ . If  $\{\alpha_n\}, \{\beta_n\}, \{\delta_n\}$ , and  $\{\lambda_n\}$  satisfy the following conditions:

- (i)  $\{\alpha_n\} \subset (0, 1), \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n = 0, \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \alpha_n = \infty$ ,
- (ii)  $0 < \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \inf \beta_n \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sup \beta_n < 1$ ,
- (iii)  $0 < \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \inf \delta_n \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sup \delta_n < 1, \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |\delta_{n+1} - \delta_n| = 0$ ,
- (iv)  $\{\lambda_n\} \subset (0, \infty), \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lambda_n > 0, \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |\lambda_{n+1} - \lambda_n| = 0$ .

Then  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z \in F(S) \cap EP \neq \emptyset$ , where  $z$  is the unique solution of variational inequality

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle (rf - \mu B)z, p - z \rangle \leq 0, \quad \forall p \in F(S) \cap EP \neq \emptyset, \quad (3.56)$$

that is,  $z = P_{F(S) \cap EP(F)}(I - \mu B + rf)z$ .

*Proof.* By Theorem 3.1, letting  $k_i = 0$ ,  $\sigma_i = 0$ ,  $\tau_i = 1$  and  $S_i = S$  for  $i \in N$ , we can obtain Theorem 3.4.  $\square$

#### 4. Numerical Example

Now, we present a numerical example to illustrate our theoretical analysis results obtained in Section 3.

*Example 4.1.* Let  $H = \mathbb{R}$ ,  $C = [-1, 1]$ ,  $S_n = I$ ,  $\tau_n = \tau \in (0, 1)$ ,  $\lambda_n = 1$ ,  $n \in N$ ,  $F(x, y) = 0$ , for all  $x, y \in C$ ,  $B = I$ ,  $r = \mu = 1$ ,  $f(x) = (1/10)x$ , for all  $x$ , with contraction coefficient  $\beta = 1/5$ ,  $\delta_n = 1/2$ ,  $\alpha_n = 1/n$ ,  $\beta_n = 1/4 + 1/2n$  for every  $n \in N$ . Then  $\{x_n\}$  is the sequence generated by

$$x_{n+1} = \left(1 - \frac{9}{10n}\right)x_n, \quad (4.1)$$

and  $\{x_n\} \rightarrow 0$ , as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , where 0 is the unique solution of the minimization problem

$$\min_{x \in C} \frac{9}{20}x^2 + c. \quad (4.2)$$

*Proof.* We divide the proof into four steps.

*Step 1.* We show

$$T_{\lambda_n}x = P_Cx, \quad \forall x \in H, \quad (4.3)$$

where

$$P_Cx = \begin{cases} \frac{x}{|x|}, & x \notin C, \\ x, & x \in C. \end{cases} \quad (4.4)$$

Since  $F(x, y) = 0$ , for all  $x, y \in C$ , due to the definition of  $T_{\lambda_n}(x)$ , for all  $x \in H$ , by Lemma 2.1, we obtain

$$T_{\lambda_n}x = \{z \in C : (y - z, z - x) \geq 0, \forall y \in C\}. \quad (4.5)$$

By the property of  $P_C$ , for  $x \in C$ , we have  $T_{\lambda_n}x = P_Cx = Ix$ . Furthermore, it follows from (3) in Lemma 2.1 that

$$EP(F) = C. \quad (4.6)$$

Step 2. We show that

$$W_n = I. \quad (4.7)$$

It follows from (2.9) that

$$\begin{aligned} W_1 &= U_{1,1} = \tau_1 S'_1 U_{1,2} + (1 - \tau_1)I = \tau_1 S'_1 + (1 - \tau_1)I, \\ W_2 &= U_{2,1} = \tau_1 S'_1 U_{2,2} + (1 - \tau_1)I \\ &= \tau_1 S'_1 (\tau_2 S'_2 U_{2,3} + (1 - \tau_2)I) + (1 - \tau_1)I \\ &= \tau_1 \tau_2 S'_1 S'_2 + \tau_1 (1 - \tau_2) S'_1 + (1 - \tau_1)I, \\ W_3 &= U_{3,1} = \tau_1 S'_1 U_{3,2} + (1 - \tau_1)I \quad (4.8) \\ &= \tau_1 S'_1 (\tau_2 S'_2 U_{3,3} + (1 - \tau_2)I) + (1 - \tau_1)I \\ &= \tau_1 \tau_2 S'_1 S'_2 U_{3,3} + \tau_1 (1 - \tau_2) S'_1 + (1 - \tau_1)I \\ &= \tau_1 \tau_2 S'_1 S'_2 (\tau_3 S'_3 U_{3,4} + (1 - \tau_3)I) + \tau_1 (1 - \tau_2) S'_1 + (1 - \tau_1)I \\ &= \tau_1 \tau_2 \tau_3 S'_1 S'_2 S'_3 + \tau_1 \tau_2 (1 - \tau_3) S'_1 S'_2 + \tau_1 (1 - \tau_2) S'_1 + (1 - \tau_1)I. \end{aligned}$$

Furthermore, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} W_n &= U_{n,1} = \tau_1 \tau_2 \tau_3 \cdots \tau_n S'_1 S'_2 S'_3 \cdots S'_n + \tau_1 \tau_2 \cdots \tau_{n-1} (1 - \tau_n) S'_1 S'_2 \cdots S'_{n-1} \\ &\quad + \tau_1 \tau_2 \cdots \tau_{n-2} (1 - \tau_{n-1}) S'_1 S'_2 \cdots S'_{n-2} + \cdots + \tau_1 (1 - \tau_2) S'_1 + (1 - \tau_1)I. \end{aligned} \quad (4.9)$$

Since  $S'_i = I$ ,  $\tau_i = \tau$  for  $i \in N$ , one has

$$W_n = \left[ \tau^n + \tau^{n-1} (1 - \tau) + \cdots + \tau (1 - \tau) + (1 - \tau) \right] I = I. \quad (4.10)$$

Step 3. We show that

$$x_{n+1} = \left( 1 - \frac{9}{10n} \right) x_n, \quad (4.11)$$

$\{x_n\} \rightarrow 0$ , as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , where 0 is the unique solution of the minimization problem

$$\min_{x \in C} \frac{9}{20} x^2 + c. \quad (4.12)$$

**Table 1:** This table shows the value of sequence  $\{x_n\}$  on each iteration step (initial value  $x_1 = 0.2$ ).

$n$	$x_n$	$n$	$x_n$
1	0.2000	17	0.0017
2	0.0200	18	0.0016
3	0.0110	19	0.0016
4	0.0077	20	0.0015
5	0.0060	21	0.0014
$\vdots$	$\vdots$	$\vdots$	$\vdots$
9	0.0032	26	0.0012
10	0.0029	27	0.0011
$\vdots$	$\vdots$	$\vdots$	$\vdots$
14	0.0021	30	0.0010
15	0.0019	31	0.0009
16	0.0018	32	0.0009

In fact, we can see that  $B = I$  is  $k$ -Lipschitzian and  $\eta$ -strongly monotone operator on  $H$  with coefficient  $k = 1$ ,  $\eta = 3/4$  such that  $0 < \mu < 2\eta/k^2$ ,  $0 < r < (1/2)\mu(2\eta - \mu k^2)/\beta = \tau/\beta$ , so we take  $r = \mu = 1$ . Since  $S'_n = I$ ,  $n \in N$ , we have

$$\bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(S_i) = H. \quad (4.13)$$

Furthermore, we obtain

$$\bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(S_i) \cap \text{EP}(F) = C = [-1, 1]. \quad (4.14)$$

Next, we need prove  $\{x_n\} \rightarrow 0$ , as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . Since  $y_n = u_n$  for all  $n \in N$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} x_{n+1} &= \alpha_n r f(x_n) + \beta_n x_n + ((1 - \beta_n)I - \mu \alpha_n B) y_n \\ &= \left(1 - \frac{9}{10n}\right) x_n, \end{aligned} \quad (4.15)$$

for all  $n \in N$ .

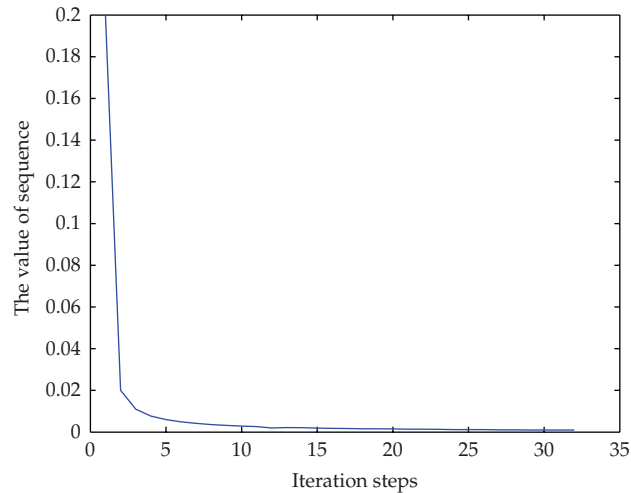
Thus, we obtain a special sequence  $\{x_n\}$  of (3.2) in Theorem 3.1 as follows

$$x_{n+1} = \left(1 - \frac{9}{10n}\right) x_n. \quad (4.16)$$

By Lemma 2.6, it is obviously that  $x_n \rightarrow 0$ , 0 is the unique solution of the minimization problem

$$\min_{x \in C} \frac{9}{20} x^2 + c, \quad (4.17)$$

where  $c$  is a constant number.



**Figure 1:** The corresponding graph at  $x = 0.2$ .

*Step 4.* Finally, we use software Matlab 7.0 to give the numerical experiment results and then obtain Table 1 which show that the iteration process of the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  is a monotonedecreasing sequence and converges to 0. From Table 1 and the corresponding graph Figure 1, we show that the more the iteration steps are, the more slowly the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  converges to 0.  $\square$

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