

**STRONG CONVERGENCE THEOREMS BY THE HYBRID METHOD  
 FOR FAMILIES OF NONEXPANSIVE MAPPINGS IN HILBERT SPACES**

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**Abstract.** Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of a real Hilbert space and let  $\{T_n\}$  be a family of mappings of  $C$  into itself such that the set of all common fixed points of  $\{T_n\}$  is nonempty. We consider a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  generated by the hybrid method in mathematical programming and give the conditions of  $\{T_n\}$  under which  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to a common fixed point of  $\{T_n\}$ .

1. INTRODUCTION

Throughout this paper, let  $H$  be a real Hilbert space with inner product  $(\cdot, \cdot)$  and norm  $\|\cdot\|$  and let  $\mathbf{N}$  and  $\mathbf{R}$  be the set of all positive integers and the set of all real numbers, respectively. Haugazeau [7] introduced a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  generated by the hybrid method, that is, let  $\{T_n\}$  be a family of mappings of  $H$  into itself with  $\bigcap_{n=0}^{\infty} F(T_n) \neq \emptyset$ , where  $F(T_n)$  is the set of all fixed points of  $T_n$  and let  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence generated by

$$(1) \quad \begin{cases} x_0 = x \in H, \\ y_n = T_n x_n, \\ C_n = \{z \in H \mid (x_n - y_n, y_n - z) \geq 0\}, \\ Q_n = \{z \in H \mid (x_n - z, x_0 - x_n) \geq 0\}, \\ x_{n+1} = P_{C_n \cap Q_n}(x_0) \end{cases}$$

for each  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ , where  $P_{C_n \cap Q_n}$  is the metric projection onto  $C_n \cap Q_n$ . He proved a strong convergence theorem when  $T_n = P_{n(\text{mod } m)+1}$  for every  $n \in$

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$\mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ , where  $P_i$  is the metric projection onto a nonempty closed convex subset  $C_i$  of  $H$  for each  $i = 1, 2, \dots, m$  and  $\bigcap_{i=1}^m C_i \neq \emptyset$ . Later, Solodov and Svaiter [21] proved a strong convergence theorem for a maximal monotone operator and Bauschke and Combettes [4] proved the following theorem: Let  $\{T_n\}$  be a family of mappings of  $H$  into itself with  $\bigcap_{n=0}^{\infty} F(T_n) \neq \emptyset$  which satisfies the following conditions: (I)  $(x - T_n x, T_n x - z) \geq 0$  for every  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ ,  $x \in H$  and  $z \in F(T_n)$ ; (II) (coherent) for every bounded sequence  $\{z_n\}$  in  $H$ , there holds that  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \|z_{n+1} - z_n\|^2 < \infty$  and  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \|z_n - T_n z_n\|^2 < \infty$  imply  $\omega_w(z_n) \subset \bigcap_{n=0}^{\infty} F(T_n)$ , where  $\omega_w(z_n)$  is the set of all weak cluster points of  $\{z_n\}$ . Then,  $\{x_n\}$  generated by (1) converges strongly to  $z_0 = P_F(x_0)$ , where  $F = \bigcap_{n=0}^{\infty} F(T_n)$ . On the other hand, Nakajo and Takahashi [13] proved the following theorem: Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of  $H$  and let  $T$  be a nonexpansive mapping of  $C$  into itself such that  $F(T) \neq \emptyset$ . Let  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence generated by

$$(2) \quad \begin{cases} x_0 = x \in C, \\ y_n = \alpha_n x_n + (1 - \alpha_n) T x_n, \\ C_n = \{z \in C \mid \|y_n - z\| \leq \|x_n - z\|\}, \\ Q_n = \{z \in C \mid (x_n - z, x_0 - x_n) \geq 0\}, \\ x_{n+1} = P_{C_n \cap Q_n}(x_0) \end{cases}$$

for each  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ , where  $\{\alpha_n\} \subset [0, a]$  for some  $a \in [0, 1)$ . Then,  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z_0 = P_{F(T)}(x_0)$ . Later, Nakajo and Takahashi [14], Kikkawa and Takahashi [11], Atsushiba and Takahashi [3], Iiduka, Takahashi and Toyoda [9] and Iiduka and Takahashi [10] studied strong convergence of  $\{x_n\}$  generated by type (2). And recently, Nakajo, Shimoji and Takahashi [15] studied strong convergence by type (1) and (2).

Motivated by Bauschke and Combettes [4] and Nakajo, Shimoji and Takahashi [15], in this paper, we consider unification of types of (1) and (2) and prove a strong convergence theorem.

## 2. PRELIMINARIES AND LEMMAS

We write  $x_n \rightharpoonup x$  to indicate that a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  converges weakly to  $x$ . Similarly,  $x_n \rightarrow x$  will symbolize strong convergence. We know that  $H$  satisfies Opial's condition [16], that is, for any sequence  $\{x_n\} \subset H$  with  $x_n \rightharpoonup x$ , the inequality  $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - x\| < \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - y\|$  holds for every  $y \in H$  with  $y \neq x$ . It is known that  $\|\lambda x + (1 - \lambda)y\|^2 = \lambda \|x\|^2 + (1 - \lambda) \|y\|^2 - \lambda(1 - \lambda) \|x - y\|^2$  for each  $x, y \in H$  and  $\lambda \in \mathbf{R}$ . We also know that the norm is lower semicontinuous, that is, for any sequence  $\{x_n\} \subset H$  with  $x_n \rightharpoonup x$ ,  $\|x\| \leq \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n\|$  holds. Further, it is known that for any sequence  $\{x_n\} \subset H$  with  $x_n \rightharpoonup x$  and

$\|x_n\| \rightarrow \|x\|$ ,  $x_n \rightarrow x$  holds. Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of  $H$  and let  $T$  be a mapping of  $C$  into itself.  $T$  is said to be firmly nonexpansive if  $\|Tx - Ty\|^2 \leq \|x - y\|^2 - \|(I - T)x - (I - T)y\|^2$  for every  $x, y \in C$ , where  $I$  is the identity mapping.  $T$  is said to be nonexpansive if  $\|Tx - Ty\| \leq \|x - y\|$  for every  $x, y \in C$ . If  $T$  is firmly nonexpansive,  $T$  is nonexpansive. We know that  $P_C$  is firmly nonexpansive. It is known that  $F(T)$  is closed and convex if  $T$  is a nonexpansive mapping of  $C$  into itself.

An operator  $A : H \rightarrow 2^H$  is said to be monotone if  $(x_1 - x_2, y_1 - y_2) \geq 0$  whenever  $y_1 \in Ax_1$  and  $y_2 \in Ax_2$ . A monotone operator  $A$  is said to be maximal if the graph of  $A$  is not properly contained in the graph of any other monotone operator. It is known that a monotone operator  $A$  is maximal if and only if  $R(I + \lambda A) = H$  for every  $\lambda > 0$ , where  $R(I + \lambda A)$  is the range of  $I + \lambda A$ . It is also known that a monotone operator  $A$  is maximal if and only if for  $(u, v) \in H \times H$ ,  $(x - u, y - v) \geq 0$  for every  $(x, y) \in A$  implies  $v \in Au$ . For a maximal monotone operator  $A$ , we know that  $A^{-1}0 = \{x \in H \mid 0 \in Ax\}$  is closed and convex. If  $A$  is monotone, then we can define, for each  $\lambda > 0$ , a mapping  $J_\lambda : R(I + \lambda A) \rightarrow D(A)$  by  $J_\lambda = (I + \lambda A)^{-1}$ , where  $D(A)$  is the domain of  $A$ .  $J_\lambda$  is called the resolvent of  $A$ . We also define the Yosida approximation  $A_\lambda$  by  $A_\lambda = (I - J_\lambda)/\lambda$ ; see [24, 25] for more details. The following are the fundamental results for resolvents of monotone operators; see [17, 24, 25].

**Lemma 2.1.** *Let  $A : H \rightarrow 2^H$  be a monotone operator and  $\lambda > 0$ . Then, the following hold:*

- (i)  $F(J_\lambda) = A^{-1}0$ ;
- (ii)  $\|J_\lambda x - J_\lambda y\|^2 \leq \|x - y\|^2 - \|(I - J_\lambda)x - (I - J_\lambda)y\|^2$  for every  $x, y \in R(I + \lambda A)$ .

Let  $\alpha > 0$  and let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of  $H$ . An operator  $A : C \rightarrow H$  is said to be  $\alpha$ -inverse-strongly-monotone [5, 12, 14] if  $(x - y, Ax - Ay) \geq \alpha \|Ax - Ay\|^2$  for all  $x, y \in C$ . We have the following lemma for inverse-strongly-monotone operators; see [14].

**Lemma 2.2.** *Let  $\alpha > 0$ . Let  $A : H \rightarrow H$  be an  $\alpha$ -inverse-strongly-monotone operator with  $D(A) = H$  and let  $B : H \rightarrow 2^H$  be a maximal monotone operator such that  $(A + B)^{-1}0 \neq \emptyset$ . Then the following hold:*

- (i)  $A$  is maximal monotone;
- (ii)  $A + B$  is maximal monotone and  $(A + B)^{-1}0$  is closed and convex;
- (iii) for every  $\lambda \in [0, 2\alpha]$ ,  $I - \lambda A : H \rightarrow H$  is nonexpansive;
- (iv) for every  $\lambda \in (0, \infty)$ ,  $T_\lambda \equiv J_\lambda^B(I - \lambda A)$  is well defined and  $(A + B)^{-1}0 = F(T_\lambda)$ , where  $J_\lambda^B = (I + \lambda B)^{-1}$  and  $F(T_\lambda)$  is the set of all fixed points of  $T_\lambda$ ;
- (v) for every  $\lambda \in (0, 2\alpha]$ ,  $T_\lambda$  is nonexpansive.

Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of  $H$  and let  $A$  be a mapping of  $C$  into  $H$ . Then, an element  $x$  in  $C$  is a solution of the variational inequality of  $A$  if  $(y - x, Ax) \geq 0$  for all  $y \in C$ . It is known that for  $\lambda > 0$ ,  $x \in C$  is a solution of the variational inequality of  $A$  if and only if  $x = P_C(I - \lambda A)x$ . We denote by  $VI(C, A)$  the set of all solutions of the variational inequality of  $A$ . We know that  $VI(C, A)$  is a closed convex subset of  $C$  if  $A$  is monotone and continuous. We also have the following result for inverse-strongly  $\alpha$ -monotone operators.

**Lemma 2.3.** *Let  $\alpha > 0$  and  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of  $H$ . Let  $A : C \rightarrow H$  be an  $\alpha$ -inverse-strongly-monotone operator with  $VI(C, A) \neq \emptyset$ . Then, for every  $\lambda > 0$ ,  $x \in C$  and  $z \in VI(C, A)$ ,  $\|P_C(I - \lambda A)x - z\|^2 \leq \|x - z\|^2 - \frac{2\alpha - \lambda}{2\alpha} \|x - P_C(I - \lambda A)x\|^2$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $\lambda > 0$ ,  $x \in C$  and  $z \in VI(C, A)$ . We have

$$\begin{aligned} & \|P_C(I - \lambda A)x - z\|^2 \\ & \leq \|(I - \lambda A)x - (I - \lambda A)z\|^2 - \|(I - P_C)(I - \lambda A)x - (I - P_C)(I - \lambda A)z\|^2 \\ & = \|(x - z) - \lambda(Ax - Az)\|^2 - \|(x - P_C(I - \lambda A)x) - \lambda(Ax - Az)\|^2 \\ & \leq \|x - z\|^2 - 2\alpha\lambda\|Ax - Az\|^2 + 2\lambda\|Ax - Az\| \\ & \quad \cdot \|x - P_C(I - \lambda A)x\| - \|x - P_C(I - \lambda A)x\|^2 \\ & = \|x - z\|^2 - 2\alpha\lambda\left\{\|Ax - Az\| - \frac{1}{2\alpha}\|x - P_C(I - \lambda A)x\|\right\}^2 \\ & \quad - \frac{2\alpha - \lambda}{2\alpha}\|x - P_C(I - \lambda A)x\|^2 \\ & \leq \|x - z\|^2 - \frac{2\alpha - \lambda}{2\alpha}\|x - P_C(I - \lambda A)x\|^2. \quad \blacksquare \end{aligned}$$

Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of  $H$ . Let  $\{S_n\}$  be a family of mappings of  $C$  into itself and let  $\{\beta_{n,k} : n, k \in \mathbf{N}, 1 \leq k \leq n\}$  be a sequence of real numbers such that  $0 \leq \beta_{i,j} \leq 1$  for every  $i, j \in \mathbf{N}$  with  $i \geq j$ . Then, for any  $n \in \mathbf{N}$ , Takahashi [19, 23, 25] introduced a mapping  $W_n$  of  $C$  into itself as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} U_{n,n} &= \beta_{n,n}S_n + (1 - \beta_{n,n})I, \\ U_{n,n-1} &= \beta_{n,n-1}S_{n-1}U_{n,n} + (1 - \beta_{n,n-1})I, \\ &\vdots \\ U_{n,k} &= \beta_{n,k}S_kU_{n,k+1} + (1 - \beta_{n,k})I, \\ &\vdots \\ U_{n,2} &= \beta_{n,2}S_2U_{n,3} + (1 - \beta_{n,2})I, \\ W_n = U_{n,1} &= \beta_{n,1}S_1U_{n,2} + (1 - \beta_{n,1})I. \end{aligned}$$

Such a mapping  $W_n$  is called the  $W$ -mapping generated by  $S_n, S_{n-1}, \dots, S_1$  and  $\beta_{n,n}, \beta_{n,n-1}, \dots, \beta_{n,1}$ . The following lemma was proved by Takahashi and Shimoji [26] (see also [25]).

**Lemma 2.4.** *Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of  $H$ . Let  $S_1, S_2, \dots, S_n$  be nonexpansive mappings of  $C$  into itself with  $\bigcap_{i=1}^n F(S_i) \neq \emptyset$  and let  $\beta_{n,1}, \beta_{n,2}, \dots, \beta_{n,n}$  be real numbers with  $0 < \beta_{n,i} < 1$  for every  $i = 2, \dots, n$  and  $0 < \beta_{n,1} \leq 1$ . Let  $W_n$  be the  $W$ -mapping generated by  $S_n, S_{n-1}, \dots, S_1$  and  $\beta_{n,n}, \beta_{n,n-1}, \dots, \beta_{n,1}$ . Then,  $F(W_n) = \bigcap_{i=1}^n F(S_i)$ .*

We have that if  $\beta_{n,k} = \beta_k$  ( $\forall n = k, k+1, \dots$ ) for every  $k \in \mathbf{N}$  such that  $0 < \beta_k \leq b < 1$  ( $\forall k \in \mathbf{N}$ ) for some  $b \in (0, 1)$  and  $\{S_n\}$  is a family of nonexpansive mappings of  $C$  into itself with  $\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} F(S_n) \neq \emptyset$ ,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} U_{n,k}x$  exists for every  $x \in C$  and  $k \in \mathbf{N}$ ; see [19]. By this, we define a mapping  $W$  of  $C$  into itself as follows:

$$Wx = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} W_n x = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} U_{n,1}x$$

for every  $x \in C$ . Such a  $W$  is called the  $W$ -mapping generated by  $S_1, S_2, \dots$  and  $\beta_1, \beta_2, \dots$ . We have that  $F(W) = \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(S_i)$ ; see [19].

Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of  $H$ . A family  $\mathcal{S} = \{T(s) \mid 0 \leq s < \infty\}$  of mappings of  $C$  into itself is called a one-parameter nonexpansive semigroup on  $C$  if it satisfies the following conditions:

- (i)  $T(0)x = x$  for all  $x \in C$ ;
- (ii)  $T(s+t) = T(s)T(t)$  for every  $s, t \geq 0$ ;
- (iii)  $\|T(s)x - T(s)y\| \leq \|x - y\|$  for each  $s \geq 0$  and  $x, y \in C$ ;
- (iv) for all  $x \in C$ ,  $s \mapsto T(s)x$  is continuous.

We denote by  $F(\mathcal{S})$  the set of all common fixed points of  $\mathcal{S}$ , that is,  $F(\mathcal{S}) = \bigcap_{0 \leq s < \infty} F(T(s))$ . It is known that  $F(\mathcal{S})$  is closed and convex. The following lemma was proved by Shimizu and Takahashi [18]; see also [2, 6, 20].

**Lemma 2.5.** *Let  $C$  be a nonempty bounded closed convex subset of  $H$  and let  $\mathcal{S} = \{T(s) \mid 0 \leq s < \infty\}$  be a one-parameter nonexpansive semigroup on  $C$ . Then, for any  $h \geq 0$ ,*

$$\limsup_{t \rightarrow \infty} \sup_{x \in C} \left\| \frac{1}{t} \int_0^t T(s)x \, ds - T(h) \left( \frac{1}{t} \int_0^t T(s)x \, ds \right) \right\| = 0.$$

Let  $S$  be a semigroup and let  $B(S)$  be the Banach space of all bounded real valued functions on  $S$  with supremum norm. Then, for every  $s \in S$  and  $f \in B(S)$ ,

we can define  $r_s f \in B(S)$  and  $l_s f \in B(S)$  by  $(r_s f)(t) = f(ts)$  and  $(l_s f)(t) = f(st)$  for each  $t \in S$ , respectively. We also denote by  $r_s^*$  and  $l_s^*$  the conjugate operators of  $r_s$  and  $l_s$ , respectively. Let  $D$  be a subspace of  $B(S)$  containing constants and let  $\mu$  be an element of  $D^*$ . A linear functional  $\mu$  is called a mean on  $D$  if  $\|\mu\| = \mu(1) = 1$ . Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of  $H$ . A family  $\mathcal{S} = \{T(s) \mid s \in S\}$  of mappings of  $C$  into itself is called a nonexpansive semigroup on  $C$  if it satisfies the following conditions:

- (i)  $T(st) = T(s)T(t)$  for all  $s, t \in S$ ;
- (ii)  $\|T(s)x - T(s)y\| \leq \|x - y\|$  for every  $s \in S$  and  $x, y \in C$ .

It is known that  $F(\mathcal{S})$  is closed and convex. Takahashi [22] proved the following; see also [8].

**Lemma 2.6.** *Let  $S$  be a semigroup. Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of  $H$  and let  $\mathcal{S} = \{T(s) \mid s \in S\}$  be a nonexpansive semigroup on  $C$  such that  $F(\mathcal{S}) \neq \emptyset$ . Let  $D$  be a subspace of  $B(S)$  such that  $D$  contains constants and  $(T(\cdot)x, y) \in D$  for every  $x \in C$  and  $y \in H$ . Then, for any mean  $\mu$  on  $D$  and  $x \in C$ , there exists a unique element  $T_\mu x$  in  $C$  such that  $(T_\mu x, z) = \mu_s(T(s)x, z)$  for all  $z \in H$ . And  $T_\mu$  is a nonexpansive mapping of  $C$  into itself.*

Further, Atsushiba and Takahashi [1] proved the following.

**Lemma 2.7.** *Let  $C$  be a nonempty bounded closed convex subset of  $H$  and let  $S$  be a semigroup. Let  $\mathcal{S} = \{T(s) \mid s \in S\}$  be a nonexpansive semigroup on  $C$  and let  $D$  be a subspace of  $B(S)$  containing constants and invariant under  $l_s$  for all  $s \in S$ . Suppose that for every  $x \in C$  and  $z \in H$ , the function  $t \mapsto (T(t)x, z)$  is in  $D$ . Let  $\{\mu_n\}$  be a sequence of means on  $D$  such that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|\mu_n - l_s^* \mu_n\| = 0$  for each  $s \in S$ . Then,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sup_{x \in C} \|T_{\mu_n} x - T(t)T_{\mu_n} x\| = 0$  for all  $t \in S$ .*

### 3. STRONG CONVERGENCE THEOREMS

Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of  $H$  and let  $\{T_n\}$  be a family of mappings of  $C$  into itself with  $\bigcap_{n=0}^{\infty} F(T_n) \neq \emptyset$  which satisfies the following condition: There exists  $\{a_n\} \subset (-1, \infty)$  such that

$$(3) \quad \|T_n x - z\|^2 \leq \|x - z\|^2 - a_n \|(I - T_n)x\|^2$$

for every  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ ,  $x \in C$  and  $z \in F(T_n)$ . Then, we know that  $\bigcap_{n=0}^{\infty} F(T_n)$  is closed (see [15]). We also have that  $\bigcap_{n=0}^{\infty} F(T_n)$  is convex. In fact, let  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$  and let  $z_1, z_2 \in F(T_n)$ ,  $0 \leq \alpha \leq 1$  and  $x = \alpha z_1 + (1 - \alpha)z_2$ . Suppose that  $x \neq T_n x$ . For some  $\beta \in (0, 1)$  with  $a_n > -\beta$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned}
\|\beta x + (1-\beta)T_n x - z_1\|^2 &= \beta\|x - z_1\|^2 + (1-\beta)\|T_n x - z_1\|^2 - \beta(1-\beta)\|x - T_n x\|^2 \\
&\leq \beta\|x - z_1\|^2 + (1-\beta)\{\|x - z_1\|^2 - a_n\|x - T_n x\|^2\} \\
&\quad - \beta(1-\beta)\|x - T_n x\|^2 \\
&= \|x - z_1\|^2 - (1-\beta)(a_n + \beta)\|x - T_n x\|^2 < \|x - z_1\|^2.
\end{aligned}$$

Similarly,  $\|\beta x + (1-\beta)T_n x - z_2\| < \|x - z_2\|$  holds. So, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
\|z_1 - z_2\| &\leq \|z_1 - \{\beta x + (1-\beta)T_n x\}\| + \|\{\beta x + (1-\beta)T_n x\} - z_2\| \\
&< \|x - z_1\| + \|x - z_2\| = (1-\alpha)\|z_1 - z_2\| + \alpha\|z_1 - z_2\| = \|z_1 - z_2\|.
\end{aligned}$$

This is a contradiction. Therefore,  $F(T_n)$  is convex. Let us define a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  as follows:

$$(4) \begin{cases} x_0 = x \in C, \\ y_n = T_n P_C(x_n + \varepsilon_n), \\ C_n = \{z \in C \mid \|y_n - z\|^2 \leq \|x_n + \varepsilon_n - z\|^2 - a_n \|P_C(x_n + \varepsilon_n) - y_n\|^2\}, \\ Q_n = \{z \in C \mid (x_n - z, x_0 - x_n) \geq 0\}, \\ x_{n+1} = P_{C_n \cap Q_n}(x_0) \end{cases}$$

for each  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ , where  $\{\varepsilon_n\} \subset H$  and  $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n > -1$ . Now, we get the following.

**Theorem 3.1.** *The followings hold:*

- (i) A sequence  $\{x_n\}$  generated by (4) is well defined and  $\{x_n\} \subset C$ ;
- (ii) assume that  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \|\varepsilon_n\|^2 < \infty$  and for every bounded sequence  $\{z_n\}$  in  $C$ , there holds that  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \|z_{n+1} - z_n\|^2 < \infty$  and  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \|z_n - T_n z_n\|^2 < \infty$  imply  $\omega_w(z_n) \subset \bigcap_{n=0}^{\infty} F(T_n)$ . Then,  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z_0 = P_F(x_0)$ , where  $F = \bigcap_{n=0}^{\infty} F(T_n)$ ;
- (iii) assume that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|\varepsilon_n\| = 0$  and for every bounded sequence  $\{z_n\}$  in  $C$ , there holds that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - T_n z_n\| = 0$  implies  $\omega_w(z_n) \subset \bigcap_{n=0}^{\infty} F(T_n)$ . Then,  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z_0 = P_F(x_0)$ .

*Proof.* As in the proof of [15, Theorem 4.2], we get that  $\{x_n\}$  is well defined,  $\{x_n\} \subset C$  and  $F \subset C_n \cap Q_n$  for each  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ . So, the proof of (i) is complete. We have, for  $z_0 = P_F(x_0)$ ,

$$(5) \quad \|x_{n+1} - x_0\| \leq \|z_0 - x_0\|$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
 \|x_{n+1} - x_n\|^2 &= \|(x_{n+1} - x_0) + (x_0 - x_n)\|^2 \\
 &= \|x_{n+1} - x_0\|^2 + 2(x_{n+1} - x_0, x_0 - x_n) + \|x_0 - x_n\|^2 \\
 &= \|x_{n+1} - x_0\|^2 - \|x_n - x_0\|^2 + 2(x_{n+1} - x_n, x_0 - x_n) \\
 &\leq \|x_{n+1} - x_0\|^2 - \|x_n - x_0\|^2
 \end{aligned}$$

for every  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$  by  $(x_0 - x_n, x_{n+1} - x_n) \leq 0$ . So, we obtain that  $\{x_n\}$  is bounded and the limit

$$(6) \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - x_0\|$$

exists. We get

$$(7) \quad \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \|x_{n+1} - x_n\|^2 < \infty.$$

From  $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n > -1$ , there exists  $a \in (0, 1)$  such that  $a_n \geq -a$  for all  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ . Let  $\beta \in (0, \frac{1-a}{a})$  and  $\alpha = \frac{1-a(1+\beta)}{a} (> 0)$ . We have

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\|P_C(x_n + \varepsilon_n) - y_n\|^2 \\
 &\leq \|x_n + \varepsilon_n - y_n\|^2 \leq (\|x_n + \varepsilon_n - x_{n+1}\| + \|x_{n+1} - y_n\|)^2 \\
 &\leq \left(1 + \frac{1}{\alpha}\right) \|x_n + \varepsilon_n - x_{n+1}\|^2 + (1 + \alpha) \|x_{n+1} - y_n\|^2 \\
 &\leq \left(1 + \frac{1}{\alpha}\right) \|x_n + \varepsilon_n - x_{n+1}\|^2 + (1 + \alpha) \|x_n + \varepsilon_n - x_{n+1}\|^2 \\
 &\quad - (1 + \alpha) a_n \|P_C(x_n + \varepsilon_n) - y_n\|^2
 \end{aligned}$$

which implies

$$\begin{aligned}
 a\beta \|P_C(x_n + \varepsilon_n) - y_n\|^2 &= \{1 - (1 + \alpha)a\} \|P_C(x_n + \varepsilon_n) - y_n\|^2 \\
 &\leq \{1 + (1 + \alpha)a_n\} \|P_C(x_n + \varepsilon_n) - y_n\|^2 \\
 &\leq \left(2 + \alpha + \frac{1}{\alpha}\right) \|x_n + \varepsilon_n - x_{n+1}\|^2
 \end{aligned}$$

for each  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ . So, we get

$$(8) \quad \|P_C(x_n + \varepsilon_n) - y_n\|^2 \leq \frac{2(2 + \alpha + \frac{1}{\alpha})}{a\beta} (\|x_n - x_{n+1}\|^2 + \|\varepsilon_n\|^2)$$

for every  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ .



(ii) Assume that  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \|\varepsilon_n\|^2 < \infty$ . If  $z_n = P_C(x_n + \varepsilon_n)$ , we have that  $\{z_n\}$  is bounded and

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \|z_n - T_n z_n\|^2 = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \|P_C(x_n + \varepsilon_n) - y_n\|^2 < \infty$$

from (7) and (8). Further we obtain

$$\|z_n - z_{n+1}\|^2 \leq \|(x_n + \varepsilon_n) - (x_{n+1} + \varepsilon_{n+1})\|^2 \leq 3\|x_n - x_{n+1}\|^2 + 3\|\varepsilon_n\|^2 + 3\|\varepsilon_{n+1}\|^2$$

for all  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$  which implies  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \|z_n - z_{n+1}\|^2 < \infty$ . Therefore, we have  $\omega_w(z_n) \subset F$ . As  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - z_n\| = 0$  from  $\|x_n - z_n\| \leq \|\varepsilon_n\|$  for every  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ , we get  $\omega_w(x_n) \subset F$ . So, assume that a subsequence  $\{x_{n_i}\}$  of  $\{x_n\}$  converges weakly to  $w_1 \in F$ . We have

$$\|x_0 - z_0\| \leq \|x_0 - w_1\| \leq \lim_{i \rightarrow \infty} \|x_0 - x_{n_i}\| \leq \|x_0 - z_0\|$$

by the lower semicontinuity of the norm, (5) and (6). Thus, we obtain  $\lim_{i \rightarrow \infty} \|x_{n_i} - x_0\| = \|x_0 - w_1\| = \|x_0 - z_0\|$ . This implies

$$x_{n_i} \rightarrow w_1 = z_0.$$

Therefore, we have  $x_n \rightarrow z_0$ . So, the proof of (ii) is complete.

(iii) Assume  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|\varepsilon_n\| = 0$ . If  $z_n = P_C(x_n + \varepsilon_n)$ , we get that  $\{z_n\}$  is bounded,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - z_n\| = 0$  and  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - T_n z_n\| = 0$  by (7) and (8). Therefore, we obtain  $\omega_w(x_n) \subset F$ . As in the proof of (ii), we have  $x_n \rightarrow z_0$ . So, the proof of (iii) is complete. ■

The following is the result proved by Bauschke and Combettes [4].

**Theorem 3.2.** *Let  $\{T_n\}$  be a family of mappings of  $H$  into itself with  $\bigcap_{n=0}^{\infty} F(T_n) \neq \emptyset$  which satisfies the following conditions: (I)  $(x - T_n x, T_n x - z) \geq 0$  for every  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ ,  $x \in H$  and  $z \in F(T_n)$ ; (II) (coherent) for every bounded sequence  $\{z_n\}$  in  $H$ , there holds that  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \|z_{n+1} - z_n\|^2 < \infty$  and  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \|z_n - T_n z_n\|^2 < \infty$  imply  $\omega_w(z_n) \subset \bigcap_{n=0}^{\infty} F(T_n)$ . Then,  $\{x_n\}$  generated by (I) converges strongly to  $z_0 = P_F(x_0)$ , where  $F = \bigcap_{n=0}^{\infty} F(T_n)$ .*

*Proof.* If  $C = H$ ,  $a_n = 1$  and  $\varepsilon_n = 0$  for every  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$  in Theorem 3.1, we have

$$\|T_n x - z\|^2 \leq \|x - z\|^2 - \|x - T_n x\|^2 \iff (x - T_n x, T_n x - z) \geq 0$$

for each  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ ,  $x \in H$  and  $z \in F(T_n)$  and  $C_n = \{z \in H \mid (x_n - y_n, y_n - z) \geq 0\}$  for all  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ . Further,  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \|\varepsilon_n\|^2 < \infty$ . Therefore,  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z_0 = P_F(x_0)$  from (ii) in Theorem 3.1. ■

The following is a generalization of the result proved by Solodov and Svaiter [21].

**Theorem 3.3.** *Let  $A : H \rightarrow 2^H$  be a maximal monotone operator such that  $A^{-1}0 \neq \emptyset$  and let  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence generated by*

$$\begin{cases} x_0 = x \in H, \\ y_n = J_{\lambda_n}(x_n + \varepsilon_n), \\ C_n = \{z \in H \mid (x_n - y_n + \varepsilon_n, y_n - z) \geq 0\}, \\ Q_n = \{z \in H \mid (x_n - z, x_0 - x_n) \geq 0\}, \\ x_{n+1} = P_{C_n \cap Q_n}(x_0) \end{cases}$$

for every  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ , where  $\{\lambda_n\} \subset (0, \infty)$  and  $J_{\lambda_n} = (I + \lambda_n A)^{-1}$  for each  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ . If (i)  $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lambda_n > 0$  and  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|\varepsilon_n\| = 0$  or (ii)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \lambda_n^2 = \infty$  and  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \|\varepsilon_n\|^2 < \infty$ , then,  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z_0 = P_{A^{-1}0}(x_0)$ .

*Proof.* If  $C = H$  and  $T_n = J_{\lambda_n}$  for all  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$  in Theorem 3.1, we have  $F(T_n) = A^{-1}0$  and  $a_n = 1$  for every  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$  by (i) and (ii) in Lemma 2.1. So we get  $C_n = \{z \in H \mid (x_n - y_n + \varepsilon_n, y_n - z) \geq 0\}$  for each  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ .

(i) Assume that  $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lambda_n > 0$  and  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|\varepsilon_n\| = 0$ . There exists  $\lambda > 0$  with  $\lambda_n \geq \lambda$  for each  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ . Let  $\{z_n\}$  be a bounded sequence in  $H$  which satisfies  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - J_{\lambda_n} z_n\| = 0$ . And suppose that  $z_n \rightharpoonup w$ . For all  $(u, v) \in A$ , we obtain

$$\left( J_{\lambda_n} z_n - u, \frac{z_n - J_{\lambda_n} z_n}{\lambda_n} - v \right) \geq 0$$

which implies

$$\begin{aligned} (9) \quad (J_{\lambda_n} z_n - u, -v) &\geq \frac{1}{\lambda_n} (J_{\lambda_n} z_n - u, J_{\lambda_n} z_n - z_n) \\ &\geq -\frac{1}{\lambda_n} \|J_{\lambda_n} z_n - u\| \cdot \|J_{\lambda_n} z_n - z_n\| \end{aligned}$$

for every  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ . As a sequence  $\{\frac{1}{\lambda_n} \|J_{\lambda_n} z_n - u\|\}$  is bounded, we have  $(w - u, -v) \geq 0$  for each  $(u, v) \in A$ . Therefore,  $w \in A^{-1}0$  from maximality of  $A$ . By (iii) in Theorem 3.1,  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z_0$ .

(ii) Assume that  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \lambda_n^2 = \infty$  and  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \|\varepsilon_n\|^2 < \infty$ . Let  $\{z_n\}$  be a bounded sequence in  $H$  which satisfies  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \|z_{n+1} - z_n\|^2 < \infty$  and  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \|z_n - J_{\lambda_n} z_n\|^2 < \infty$ . And suppose that  $z_n \rightharpoonup w$ . We get  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - J_{\lambda_n} z_n\| = \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\lambda_n} \|z_n - J_{\lambda_n} z_n\| = 0$  by  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \lambda_n^2 (\frac{1}{\lambda_n} \|z_n - J_{\lambda_n} z_n\|)^2 < \infty$ . From (9), we obtain

$$(w - u, -v) \geq -\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\lambda_n} \|J_{\lambda_n} z_n - z_n\| \cdot \|J_{\lambda_n} z_n - u\| = 0$$

for all  $(u, v) \in A$ . So, we have  $w \in A^{-1}0$ . By (ii) in Theorem 3.1,  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z_0$ . ■

The following is a generalization of the result proved by Nakajo and Takahashi [13].

**Theorem 3.4.** *Let  $A : H \rightarrow 2^H$  be a maximal monotone operator such that  $A^{-1}0 \neq \emptyset$  and let  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence generated by*

$$\begin{cases} x_0 = x \in H, \\ y_n = J_{\lambda_n}(x_n + \varepsilon_n), \\ C_n = \{z \in H \mid \|y_n - z\| \leq \|x_n + \varepsilon_n - z\|\}, \\ Q_n = \{z \in H \mid (x_n - z, x_0 - x_n) \geq 0\}, \\ x_{n+1} = P_{C_n \cap Q_n}(x_0) \end{cases}$$

for every  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ , where  $\{\lambda_n\} \subset (0, \infty)$  and  $J_{\lambda_n} = (I + \lambda_n A)^{-1}$  for each  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ . If (i)  $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lambda_n > 0$  and  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|\varepsilon_n\| = 0$  or (ii)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \lambda_n^2 = \infty$  and  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \|\varepsilon_n\|^2 < \infty$ , then,  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z_0 = P_{A^{-1}0}(x_0)$ .

*Proof.* If  $C = H$  and  $T_n = J_{\lambda_n}$  for all  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$  in Theorem 3.1, we can select  $a_n = 0$  for every  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ . As in the proof of Theorem 3.3,  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z_0$ . ■

The following is the result proved by Nakajo and Takahashi [13].

**Theorem 3.5.** *Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of  $H$  and let  $T$  be a nonexpansive mapping of  $C$  into itself such that  $F(T) \neq \emptyset$ . Let  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence generated by*

$$\begin{cases} x_0 = x \in C, \\ y_n = \alpha_n x_n + (1 - \alpha_n) T x_n, \\ C_n = \{z \in C \mid \|y_n - z\| \leq \|x_n - z\|\}, \\ Q_n = \{z \in C \mid (x_n - z, x_0 - x_n) \geq 0\}, \\ x_{n+1} = P_{C_n \cap Q_n}(x_0) \end{cases}$$

for each  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ , where  $\{\alpha_n\} \subset [0, a]$  for some  $a \in [0, 1)$ . Then,  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z_0 = P_{F(T)}(x_0)$ .

*Proof.* If  $T_n = \alpha_n I + (1 - \alpha_n) T$  and  $\varepsilon_n = 0$  for all  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$  in Theorem 3.1, we have that  $F(T_n) = F(T)$  and  $a_n = 0$  for every  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ . Let  $\{z_n\}$  be a bounded sequence in  $C$  which satisfies  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - T_n z_n\| = 0$ . We obtain

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - Tz_n\| = 0$ . So, by Opial's condition, we get  $\omega_w(z_n) \subset F(T)$ . Therefore,  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z_0$  from (ii) or (iii) in Theorem 3.1. ■

The following is a generalization of the result proved by Nakajo and Takahashi [14].

**Theorem 3.6.** *Let  $\alpha > 0$ . Let  $A : H \rightarrow H$  be an  $\alpha$ -inverse-strongly-monotone operator with  $D(A) = H$  and let  $B : H \rightarrow 2^H$  be a maximal monotone operator such that  $(A + B)^{-1}0 \neq \emptyset$ . Let  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence generated by*

$$\begin{cases} x_0 = x \in H, \\ y_n = J_{\lambda_n}^B(I - \lambda_n A)x_n, \\ C_n = \{z \in H \mid \|y_n - z\| \leq \|x_n - z\|\}, \\ Q_n = \{z \in H \mid (x_n - z, x_0 - x_n) \geq 0\}, \\ x_{n+1} = P_{C_n \cap Q_n}(x_0) \end{cases}$$

for every  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ , where  $\{\lambda_n\} \subset (0, 2\alpha]$  with  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \lambda_n^2 = \infty$ . Then,  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z_0 = P_{(A+B)^{-1}0}(x_0)$ .

*Proof.* If  $C = H$ ,  $T_n = J_{\lambda_n}^B(I - \lambda_n A)$  and  $\varepsilon_n = 0$  for all  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$  in Theorem 3.1, we have  $F(T_n) = (A + B)^{-1}0$  and  $a_n = 0$  for every  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$  by (iv) and (v) in Lemma 2.2. Let  $\{z_n\}$  be a bounded sequence in  $H$  which satisfies  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \|z_{n+1} - z_n\|^2 < \infty$  and  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \|z_n - J_{\lambda_n}^B(I - \lambda_n A)z_n\|^2 < \infty$ . We obtain  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - J_{\lambda_n}^B(I - \lambda_n A)z_n\| = 0$  and  $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\lambda_n} \|z_n - J_{\lambda_n}^B(I - \lambda_n A)z_n\| = 0$  from  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \lambda_n^2 \left\{ \frac{1}{\lambda_n} \|z_n - J_{\lambda_n}^B(I - \lambda_n A)z_n\| \right\}^2 < \infty$ . Assume that  $z_n \rightharpoonup w$ . As in the proof of [14, Theorem 3.1], we get

$$\left( u_n - u, \frac{z_n - u_n}{\lambda_n} - Az_n - (v - Au) \right) \geq 0$$

for every  $(u, v) \in A + B$  and  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ , where  $u_n = J_{\lambda_n}^B(I - \lambda_n A)z_n$  for all  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ . So, we have

$$\begin{aligned} (u_n - u, -v) &\geq \left( u_n - u, \frac{u_n - z_n}{\lambda_n} + (Az_n - Au) \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{\lambda_n} (u_n - u, (I - \lambda_n A)u_n - (I - \lambda_n A)z_n) + (u_n - u, Au_n - Au) \\ &\geq -\frac{1}{\lambda_n} \|u_n - u\| \cdot \|(I - \lambda_n A)u_n - (I - \lambda_n A)z_n\| \\ &\geq -\frac{1}{\lambda_n} \|u_n - u\| \cdot \|u_n - z_n\| \end{aligned}$$

by (iii) in Lemma 2.2 which implies

$$(w - u, -v) \geq -\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\lambda_n} \|u_n - u\| \cdot \|u_n - z_n\| = 0$$

for every  $(u, v) \in A + B$  since a sequence  $\{u_n - u\}$  is bounded. Therefore,  $w \in (A + B)^{-1}0$  as  $A + B$  is maximal monotone from (ii) in Lemma 2.2. Therefore,  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z_0$  by (ii) in Theorem 3.1. ■

The following is a generalization of the result proved by Iiduka, Takahashi and Toyoda [9].

**Theorem 3.7.** *Let  $\alpha > 0$  and let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of  $H$ . Let  $A : C \rightarrow H$  be an  $\alpha$ -inverse-strongly-monotone operator such that  $VI(C, A) \neq \emptyset$ . Let  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence generated by*

$$\begin{cases} x_0 = x \in C, \\ y_n = P_C(I - \lambda_n A)x_n, \\ C_n = \{z \in C \mid \|y_n - z\| \leq \|x_n - z\|\}, \\ Q_n = \{z \in C \mid (x_n - z, x_0 - x_n) \geq 0\}, \\ x_{n+1} = P_{C_n \cap Q_n}(x_0) \end{cases}$$

for every  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ , where  $\{\lambda_n\} \subset (0, 2\alpha]$  with  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \lambda_n^2 = \infty$ . Then,  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z_0 = P_{VI(C,A)}(x_0)$ .

*Proof.* If  $T_n = P_C(I - \lambda_n A)$  and  $\varepsilon_n = 0$  for all  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$  in Theorem 3.1, we have  $F(T_n) = VI(C, A)$  for every  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ . Further, we get  $a_n = 0$  for each  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$  from Lemma 2.3. Let  $\{z_n\}$  be a bounded sequence in  $C$  which satisfies  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \|z_{n+1} - z_n\|^2 < \infty$  and  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \|z_n - v_n\|^2 < \infty$ , where  $v_n = P_C(I - \lambda_n A)z_n$  for all  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ . We get  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - v_n\| = 0$  and  $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\lambda_n} \|z_n - v_n\| = 0$  from  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \lambda_n^2 \left\{ \frac{1}{\lambda_n} \|z_n - v_n\| \right\}^2 < \infty$ . Assume that  $z_n \rightarrow w$ . For every  $u \in C$ , we have

$$(z_n - \lambda_n A z_n - v_n, v_n - u) \geq 0$$

which implies

$$\begin{aligned} (Au, u - v_n) &\geq (Av_n - Au, v_n - u) + \frac{1}{\lambda_n} ((I - \lambda_n A)v_n - (I - \lambda_n A)z_n, v_n - u) \\ &\geq -\frac{1}{\lambda_n} \|v_n - u\| \cdot \|(I - \lambda_n A)v_n - (I - \lambda_n A)z_n\| \end{aligned}$$

for all  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$  since  $A$  is monotone. And we obtain

$$\|(I - \lambda_n A)v_n - (I - \lambda_n A)z_n\|^2 \leq \|v_n - z_n\|^2 + \lambda_n(\lambda_n - 2\alpha) \|Av_n - Az_n\|^2 \leq \|v_n - z_n\|^2$$

and hence

$$(Au, u - v_n) \geq -\frac{1}{\lambda_n} \|v_n - u\| \cdot \|v_n - z_n\|$$

for every  $u \in C$  and  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ . So, we get  $(Au, u - w) \geq 0$  for each  $u \in C$  as a sequence  $\{v_n - u\}$  is bounded. Since  $A$  is continuous, we obtain  $(u - w, Aw) \geq 0$  for all  $u \in C$ , that is,  $w \in VI(C, A)$ . Therefore,  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z_0$  by (ii) in Theorem 3.1.  $\blacksquare$

The following are the results by Iiduka and Takahashi [10].

**Theorem 3.8.** *Let  $\alpha > 0$  and let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of  $H$ . Let  $T$  be a nonexpansive mapping of  $C$  into itself and let  $A : C \rightarrow H$  be an  $\alpha$ -inverse-strongly-monotone operator such that  $F(T) \cap VI(C, A) \neq \emptyset$ . Let  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence generated by*

$$\begin{cases} x_0 = x \in C, \\ y_n = P_C(I - \lambda_n A)Tx_n, \\ C_n = \{z \in C \mid \|y_n - z\| \leq \|x_n - z\|\}, \\ Q_n = \{z \in C \mid (x_n - z, x_0 - x_n) \geq 0\}, \\ x_{n+1} = P_{C_n \cap Q_n}(x_0) \end{cases}$$

for every  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ , where  $\{\lambda_n\} \subset [a, b]$  for some  $a, b \in (0, 2\alpha)$  with  $a \leq b$ . Then,  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z_0 = P_{F(T) \cap VI(C, A)}(x_0)$ .

*Proof.* If  $T_n = P_C(I - \lambda_n A)T$  and  $\varepsilon_n = 0$  for all  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$  in Theorem 3.1, we have  $F(T_n) = F(T) \cap VI(C, A)$  for every  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ . In fact,  $F(T) \cap VI(C, A) \subset F(T_n)$  is trivial. Let  $z \in F(T_n)$  and  $u \in F(T) \cap VI(C, A)$ . We get

$$\begin{aligned} \|z - u\|^2 &= \|P_C(I - \lambda_n A)Tz - u\|^2 \leq \|Tz - u\|^2 - \frac{2\alpha - \lambda_n}{2\alpha} \|Tz - P_C(I - \lambda_n A)Tz\|^2 \\ &\leq \|z - u\|^2 - \frac{2\alpha - b}{2\alpha} \|Tz - P_C(I - \lambda_n A)Tz\|^2 \end{aligned}$$

from Lemma 2.3. So we obtain  $Tz = P_C(I - \lambda_n A)Tz$  which implies  $Tz = z$ . And we have  $P_C(I - \lambda_n A)z = P_C(I - \lambda_n A)Tz = z$ . Therefore,  $F(T_n) \subset F(T) \cap VI(C, A)$ . And we get  $a_n = 0$  for each  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$  by nonexpansivity of  $T$  and Lemma 2.3. Let  $\{z_n\}$  be a bounded sequence in  $C$  which satisfies

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - T_n z_n\| = 0$  and let  $u \in F(T) \cap VI(C, A)$ . We obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \|z_n - u\|^2 &\leq (\|z_n - T_n z_n\| + \|T_n z_n - u\|)^2 \\ &= \|z_n - T_n z_n\|^2 + 2\|z_n - T_n z_n\| \\ &\quad \cdot \|P_C(I - \lambda_n A)Tz_n - u\| + \|P_C(I - \lambda_n A)Tz_n - u\|^2 \\ &\leq \|z_n - T_n z_n\|^2 + 2\|z_n - T_n z_n\| \cdot \|Tz_n - u\| \\ &\quad + \left\{ \|Tz_n - u\|^2 - \frac{2\alpha - \lambda_n}{2\alpha} \|Tz_n - P_C(I - \lambda_n A)Tz_n\|^2 \right\} \\ &\leq \|z_n - T_n z_n\|^2 + 2\|z_n - T_n z_n\| \cdot \|z_n - u\| \\ &\quad + \|z_n - u\|^2 - \frac{2\alpha - b}{2\alpha} \|Tz_n - T_n z_n\|^2 \end{aligned}$$

for all  $n \in \mathbf{N}$  from Lemma 2.3. So, we have

$$\frac{2\alpha - b}{2\alpha} \|Tz_n - T_n z_n\|^2 \leq \|z_n - T_n z_n\|^2 + 2\|z_n - T_n z_n\| \cdot \|z_n - u\|$$

for every  $n \in \mathbf{N}$  and hence  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|Tz_n - T_n z_n\| = 0$ . Therefore,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - Tz_n\| = 0$  by  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - T_n z_n\| = 0$ . From Opial's condition, we get  $\omega_w(z_n) \subset F(T)$ . Further, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \|z_n - P_C(I - \lambda_n A)z_n\| &\leq \|z_n - Tz_n\| + \|Tz_n - P_C(I - \lambda_n A)Tz_n\| \\ &\quad + \|P_C(I - \lambda_n A)Tz_n - P_C(I - \lambda_n A)z_n\| \\ &\leq 2\|z_n - Tz_n\| + \|Tz_n - P_C(I - \lambda_n A)Tz_n\| \end{aligned}$$

for every  $n \in \mathbf{N}$  by nonexpansivity of  $P_C(I - \lambda_n A)$  and hence  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - P_C(I - \lambda_n A)z_n\| = 0$ . As in the proof of Theorem 3.7, we have  $\omega_w(z_n) \subset VI(C, A)$ . So,  $\omega_w(z_n) \subset F(T) \cap VI(C, A)$ . Therefore,  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z_0$  by (ii) or (iii) in Theorem 3.1.  $\blacksquare$

**Theorem 3.9.** *Let  $\alpha > 0$  and let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of  $H$ . Let  $T$  be a nonexpansive mapping of  $C$  into itself and let  $A : C \rightarrow H$  be an  $\alpha$ -inverse-strongly-monotone operator such that  $F(T) \cap VI(C, A) \neq \emptyset$ . Let  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence generated by*

$$\begin{cases} x_0 = x \in C, \\ y_n = TP_C(I - \lambda_n A)x_n, \\ C_n = \{z \in C \mid \|y_n - z\| \leq \|x_n - z\|\}, \\ Q_n = \{z \in C \mid (x_n - z, x_0 - x_n) \geq 0\}, \\ x_{n+1} = P_{C_n \cap Q_n}(x_0) \end{cases}$$

for every  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ , where  $\{\lambda_n\} \subset [a, b]$  for some  $a, b \in (0, 2\alpha)$  with  $a \leq b$ . Then,  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z_0 = P_{F(T) \cap VI(C, A)}(x_0)$ .

*Proof.* If  $T_n = TP_C(I - \lambda_n A)$  and  $\varepsilon_n = 0$  for all  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$  in Theorem 3.1, we have  $F(T_n) = F(T) \cap VI(C, A)$  for every  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ . In fact, similarly in Theorem 3.8, we get

$$\|z - u\|^2 \leq \|P_C(I - \lambda_n A)z - u\|^2 \leq \|z - u\|^2 - \frac{2\alpha - b}{2\alpha} \|z - P_C(I - \lambda_n A)z\|^2$$

for  $z \in F(T_n)$  and  $u \in F(T) \cap VI(C, A)$ . Hence we obtain  $z = P_C(I - \lambda_n A)z$  and further  $z = Tz$ , too. And we have  $a_n = 0$  for each  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$  by Lemma 2.3. Let  $\{z_n\}$  be a bounded sequence in  $C$  which satisfies  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - T_n z_n\| = 0$  and let  $u \in F(T) \cap VI(C, A)$ . Similarly in Theorem 3.8, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \|z_n - u\|^2 &\leq \|z_n - T_n z_n\|^2 + 2\|z_n - T_n z_n\| \\ &\quad \cdot \|z_n - u\| + \|z_n - u\|^2 - \frac{2\alpha - b}{2\alpha} \|z_n - P_C(I - \lambda_n A)z_n\|^2 \end{aligned}$$

for all  $n \in \mathbf{N}$ . So, we obtain  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - P_C(I - \lambda_n A)z_n\| = 0$  which implies  $\omega_w(z_n) \subset VI(C, A)$ . Further, we have

$$\|z_n - Tz_n\| \leq \|z_n - T_n z_n\| + \|T_n z_n - Tz_n\| \leq \|z_n - T_n z_n\| + \|P_C(I - \lambda_n A)z_n - z_n\|$$

for every  $n \in \mathbf{N}$ . Therefore,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - Tz_n\| = 0$ . By Opial's condition, we get  $\omega_w(z_n) \subset F(T)$ . So,  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z_0$  from (ii) or (iii) in Theorem 3.1.  $\blacksquare$

The following theorem contains the result proved by Kikkawa and Takahashi [11].

**Theorem 3.10.** *Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of  $H$ . Let  $\{S_n\}$  be a family of nonexpansive mappings of  $C$  into itself with  $\bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(S_i) \neq \emptyset$  and let  $\{\beta_{n,k} : n, k \in \mathbf{N}, 1 \leq k \leq n\} \subset (0, 1)$  be a sequence of real numbers such that (i)  $\beta_{n,k} = \beta_k$  ( $\forall n = k, k+1, \dots$ ) for every  $k \in \mathbf{N}$  such that  $0 < \beta_k \leq b < 1$  ( $\forall k \in \mathbf{N}$ ) for some  $b \in (0, 1)$  or (ii)  $a \leq \beta_{i,j} \leq b$  for every  $i, j \in \mathbf{N}$  ( $i \geq j$ ) for some  $a, b \in (0, 1)$  with  $a \leq b$ . Let  $W_n$  ( $n = 1, 2, \dots$ ) be the  $W$ -mapping generated by  $S_n, S_{n-1}, \dots, S_1$  and  $\beta_{n,n}, \beta_{n,n-1}, \dots, \beta_{n,1}$ . Let  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence generated by*

$$\begin{cases} x_1 = x \in C, \\ y_n = W_n x_n, \\ C_n = \{z \in C \mid \|y_n - z\| \leq \|x_n - z\|\}, \\ Q_n = \{z \in C \mid (x_n - z, x_1 - x_n) \geq 0\}, \\ x_{n+1} = P_{C_n \cap Q_n}(x_1) \end{cases}$$



for each  $n \in \mathbf{N}$ . Then,  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z_0 = P_{\cap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(S_i)}(x_1)$ .

*Proof.* If  $T_n = W_n$  and  $\varepsilon_n = 0$  for all  $n \in \mathbf{N}$  in Theorem 3.1, we have  $\cap_{n=1}^{\infty} F(T_n) = \cap_{n=1}^{\infty} F(W_n) = \cap_{i=1}^{\infty} F(S_i)$  and  $a_n = 0$  for every  $n \in \mathbf{N}$  by Lemma 2.4 and nonexpansivity of  $W_n$ . Let  $\{z_n\}$  be a bounded sequence in  $C$  which satisfies  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - T_n z_n\| = 0$ .

(i) Let  $W$  be the  $W$ -mapping generated by  $S_1, S_2, \dots$  and  $\beta_1, \beta_2, \dots$ . Assume that  $z_n \rightarrow w$ . As in the proof of [11, Theorem 3.1], if we suppose that  $w \neq Ww$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - w\| &< \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - Ww\| \\ &\leq \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\|z_n - W_n z_n\| + \|W_n z_n - W_n w\| + \|W_n w - Ww\|) \\ &\leq \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\|z_n - W_n z_n\| + \|z_n - w\| + \|W_n w - Ww\|) \\ &= \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - w\| \end{aligned}$$

by Opial's condition. This is a contradiction. So, we get  $\omega_w(z_n) \subset F(W) = \cap_{n=1}^{\infty} F(S_n)$ .

(ii) We get  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - S_1 U_{n,2} z_n\| = 0$  from  $0 < a \leq \beta_{n,1}$ . Let  $z \in \cap_{n=1}^{\infty} F(S_n)$ . We obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \|z_n - z\|^2 &\leq (\|z_n - S_1 U_{n,2} z_n\| + \|S_1 U_{n,2} z_n - z\|)^2 \\ &= \|z_n - S_1 U_{n,2} z_n\| (\|z_n - S_1 U_{n,2} z_n\| \\ &\quad + 2\|S_1 U_{n,2} z_n - z\|) + \|S_1 U_{n,2} z_n - z\|^2 \\ &\leq M \|z_n - S_1 U_{n,2} z_n\| + \|U_{n,2} z_n - z\|^2 \\ &= M \|z_n - S_1 U_{n,2} z_n\| + \beta_{n,2} \|S_2 U_{n,3} z_n - z\|^2 \\ &\quad + (1 - \beta_{n,2}) \|z_n - z\|^2 - \beta_{n,2} (1 - \beta_{n,2}) \|S_2 U_{n,3} z_n - z_n\|^2 \\ &\leq M \|z_n - S_1 U_{n,2} z_n\| + \|z_n - z\|^2 - \beta_{n,2} (1 - \beta_{n,2}) \|S_2 U_{n,3} z_n - z_n\|^2 \end{aligned}$$

for each  $n \in \mathbf{N}$ , where  $M = \sup_{n \in \mathbf{N}} \{\|z_n - S_1 U_{n,2} z_n\| + 2\|S_1 U_{n,2} z_n - z\|\}$ . So, we obtain  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|S_2 U_{n,3} z_n - z_n\| = 0$ . By induction, we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|S_m U_{n,m+1} z_n - z_n\| = 0$$

for all  $m \in \mathbf{N}$ . Since

$$\begin{aligned} \|z_n - S_m z_n\| &\leq \|z_n - S_m U_{n,m+1} z_n\| + \|S_m U_{n,m+1} z_n - S_m z_n\| \\ &\leq \|z_n - S_m U_{n,m+1} z_n\| + \|U_{n,m+1} z_n - z_n\| \\ &= \|z_n - S_m U_{n,m+1} z_n\| + \beta_{n,m+1} \|S_{m+1} U_{n,m+2} z_n - z_n\| \\ &\leq \|z_n - S_m U_{n,m+1} z_n\| + b \|S_{m+1} U_{n,m+2} z_n - z_n\| \end{aligned}$$

for every  $n \in \mathbf{N}$ , we get  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - S_m z_n\| = 0$  for all  $m \in \mathbf{N}$ . By Opial's condition,  $\omega_w(z_n) \subset F(S_m)$  for each  $m \in \mathbf{N}$  which implies  $\omega_w(z_n) \subset \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} F(T_n)$ . Therefore,  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z_0$  from (ii) or (iii) in Theorem 3.1. ■

The following is the result proved by Nakajo and Takahashi [13].

**Theorem 3.11.** *Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of  $H$  and let  $\mathcal{S} = \{T(s) \mid 0 \leq s < \infty\}$  be a one-parameter nonexpansive semigroup on  $C$  such that  $F(\mathcal{S}) \neq \emptyset$ . Let  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence generated by*

$$\begin{cases} x_0 = x \in C, \\ y_n = \alpha_n x_n + (1 - \alpha_n) \frac{1}{t_n} \int_0^{t_n} T(s) x_n ds, \\ C_n = \{z \in C \mid \|y_n - z\| \leq \|x_n - z\|\}, \\ Q_n = \{z \in C \mid (x_n - z, x_0 - x_n) \geq 0\}, \\ x_{n+1} = P_{C_n \cap Q_n}(x_0) \end{cases}$$

for every  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ , where  $\{\alpha_n\} \subset [0, a]$  for some  $a \in [0, 1)$  and  $\{t_n\}$  is a positive real divergent sequence. Then,  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z_0 = P_{F(\mathcal{S})}(x_0)$ .

*Proof.* If  $T_n x = \alpha_n x + (1 - \alpha_n) \frac{1}{t_n} \int_0^{t_n} T(s) x ds$  ( $\forall x \in C$ ) and  $\varepsilon_n = 0$  for all  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$  in Theorem 3.1, we have that  $T_n : C \rightarrow C$  for every  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ ,  $\bigcap_{n=0}^{\infty} F(T_n) = F(\mathcal{S})$  and  $a_n = 0$  for each  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ . Let  $\{z_n\}$  be a bounded sequence in  $C$  which satisfies  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - T_n z_n\| = 0$ . At first, we have

$$(1 - a) \left\| z_n - \frac{1}{t_n} \int_0^{t_n} T(s) z_n ds \right\| \leq (1 - \alpha_n) \left\| z_n - \frac{1}{t_n} \int_0^{t_n} T(s) z_n ds \right\| = \|z_n - T_n z_n\|$$

for all  $n \in \mathbf{N}$  which implies

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left\| z_n - \frac{1}{t_n} \int_0^{t_n} T(s) z_n ds \right\| = 0.$$

And as in the proof of [13, Theorem 4.1], we have, for every  $h \geq 0$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \|z_n - T(h)z_n\| &\leq \left\| z_n - \frac{1}{t_n} \int_0^{t_n} T(s) z_n ds \right\| \\ &\quad + \left\| \frac{1}{t_n} \int_0^{t_n} T(s) z_n ds - T(h) \left( \frac{1}{t_n} \int_0^{t_n} T(s) z_n ds \right) \right\| \\ &\quad + \left\| T(h)z_n - T(h) \left( \frac{1}{t_n} \int_0^{t_n} T(s) z_n ds \right) \right\| \\ &\leq 2 \left\| z_n - \frac{1}{t_n} \int_0^{t_n} T(s) z_n ds \right\| \end{aligned}$$

$$+ \left\| \frac{1}{t_n} \int_0^{t_n} T(s)z_n ds - T(h) \left( \frac{1}{t_n} \int_0^{t_n} T(s)z_n ds \right) \right\|$$

for each  $n \in \mathbf{N}$ . So, we get

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - T(h)z_n\| = 0$$

for all  $h \geq 0$  by Lemma 2.5. By Opial's condition, we obtain  $\omega_w(z_n) \subset F(S)$ . Therefore,  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z_0$  from (ii) or (iii) in Theorem 3.1. ■

The following is the result proved by Atsushiba and Takahashi [3].

**Theorem 3.12.** *Let  $C$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of  $H$  and let  $S$  be a commutative semigroup. Let  $\mathcal{S} = \{T(t) \mid t \in S\}$  be a nonexpansive semigroup on  $C$  such that  $F(\mathcal{S}) \neq \emptyset$ . Let  $D$  be a subspace of  $B(S)$  such that  $D$  contains constants,  $D$  is invariant under  $r_s$  for every  $s \in S$  and  $t \mapsto (T(t)x, y)$  is in  $D$  for each  $x \in C$  and  $y \in H$ . Let  $\{\mu_n\}$  be a sequence of means on  $D$  such that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|\mu_n - r_s^* \mu_n\| = 0$  for all  $s \in S$ . Let  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence generated by*

$$\begin{cases} x_0 = x \in C, \\ y_n = \alpha_n x_n + (1 - \alpha_n) T_{\mu_n} x_n, \\ C_n = \{z \in C \mid \|y_n - z\| \leq \|x_n - z\|\}, \\ Q_n = \{z \in C \mid (x_n - z, x_0 - x_n) \geq 0\}, \\ x_{n+1} = P_{C_n \cap Q_n}(x_0) \end{cases}$$

for every  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$ , where  $\{\alpha_n\} \subset [0, a]$  for some  $a \in (0, 1)$ . Then,  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z_0 = P_{F(\mathcal{S})}(x_0)$ .

*Proof.* If  $T_n = \alpha_n I + (1 - \alpha_n) T_{\mu_n}$  and  $\varepsilon_n = 0$  for all  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$  in Theorem 3.1, we have  $T_n : C \rightarrow C$ ,  $a_n = 0$  for every  $n \in \mathbf{N} \cup \{0\}$  and  $\bigcap_{n=0}^{\infty} F(T_n) = F(\mathcal{S})$  from Lemmas 2.6 and 2.7. Let  $\{z_n\}$  be a bounded sequence in  $C$  which satisfies  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - T_n z_n\| = 0$ . At first, we get

$$(1 - a) \|z_n - T_{\mu_n} z_n\| \leq (1 - \alpha_n) \|z_n - T_{\mu_n} z_n\| = \|z_n - T_n z_n\|$$

for each  $n \in \mathbf{N}$  which implies

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - T_{\mu_n} z_n\| = 0.$$

And for all  $t \in S$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \|z_n - T(t)z_n\| &\leq \|z_n - T_{\mu_n} z_n\| + \|T_{\mu_n} z_n - T(t)T_{\mu_n} z_n\| \\ &\quad + \|T(t)T_{\mu_n} z_n - T(t)z_n\| \\ &\leq 2\|z_n - T_{\mu_n} z_n\| + \|T_{\mu_n} z_n - T(t)T_{\mu_n} z_n\|. \end{aligned}$$

So, we obtain  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - T(t)z_n\| = 0$  for every  $t \in S$  by Lemma 2.7. By Opial's condition, we get  $\omega_w(z_n) \subset F(S)$ . Therefore,  $\{x_n\}$  converges strongly to  $z_0$  by (ii) or (iii) in Theorem 3.1. ■

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