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# Some New Fixed Point Theorems in Complex Valued $G$ -Metric Spaces

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Some new fixed point theorems are established in the setting of complex valued  $G$ -metric spaces. These new results improve and generalize Kang et al.'s results, the Banach contraction principle, and some well-known results in the literature.

## 1. Introduction and Preliminaries

It is well known that Banach contraction principle [1] plays an important role in various fields of applied mathematical analysis and scientific applications and has been generalized and improved in many various different directions; see [2–16] and references therein. In 2011, Azam et al. [2] introduced so-called complex valued metric spaces and proved the existence of fixed points under some contraction conditions. In 2006, Mustafa and Sims [3] introduced the concept of  $G$ -metric spaces to extend and generalize the notion of metric spaces. In 2013, Kang et al. [8] introduced the concept of complex valued  $G$ -metric spaces to generalize and improve the notion of  $G$ -metric spaces. In [8], the authors gave a complex valued  $G$ -metric version of Banach contraction principle.

In what follows we will give some definitions and known results which will be needed in the sequel. Throughout the present paper, the symbols  $\mathbb{N}$ ,  $\mathbb{R}$ , and  $\mathbb{C}$  are used to denote the sets of positive integers, real numbers, and complex numbers, respectively.

In 2006, Mustafa and Sims [3] introduced a new class of metric spaces called generalized metric spaces or  $G$ -metric spaces as follows.

**Definition 1** (see [3]). Let  $X$  be a nonempty set and let  $G : X \times X \times X \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  be a function satisfying the following:

- (G1)  $G(x, y, z) = 0$  if  $x = y = z$ ,
- (G2)  $0 < G(x, y, z)$  for all  $x, y \in X$  with  $x \neq y$ ,

- (G3)  $G(x, x, y) \leq G(x, y, z)$  for all  $x, y, z \in X$  with  $y \neq z$ ,
- (G4)  $G(x, y, z) = G(x, z, y) = G(y, z, x) = \dots$  (symmetry in all three variables),
- (G5)  $G(x, y, z) \leq G(x, a, a) + G(a, y, z)$  for all  $x, y, z, a \in X$  (rectangle inequality).

Then the function  $G$  is called a generalized metric or a  $G$ -metric on  $X$  and the pair  $(X, G)$  is called a  $G$ -metric space.

**Example 2** (see [3]). Let  $(X, d)$  be a usual metric space. Then  $(X, G_1)$  and  $(X, G_2)$  are all  $G$ -metric spaces, where

$$\begin{aligned} G_1(x, y, z) &= d(x, y) + d(y, z) + d(z, x), \\ G_2(x, y, z) &= \max\{d(x, y), d(y, z), d(z, x)\} \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

For any  $z_1, z_2 \in \mathbb{C}$ , we can define a partial order  $\leq$  on  $\mathbb{C}$  as follows:

$$z_1 \leq z_2 \iff \operatorname{Re}(z_1) \leq \operatorname{Re}(z_2), \quad \operatorname{Im}(z_1) \leq \operatorname{Im}(z_2). \quad (2)$$

So, it is easy to see that  $z_1 \leq z_2$  holds if one of the following conditions is satisfied:

- (C1)  $\operatorname{Re}(z_1) = \operatorname{Re}(z_2)$  and  $\operatorname{Im}(z_1) = \operatorname{Im}(z_2)$ ,
- (C2)  $\operatorname{Re}(z_1) < \operatorname{Re}(z_2)$  and  $\operatorname{Im}(z_1) = \operatorname{Im}(z_2)$ ,

(C3)  $\text{Re}(z_1) = \text{Re}(z_2)$  and  $\text{Im}(z_1) < \text{Im}(z_2)$ ,

(C4)  $\text{Re}(z_1) < \text{Re}(z_2)$  and  $\text{Im}(z_1) < \text{Im}(z_2)$ .

In particular, we will write  $z_1 \preceq z_2$  if  $z_1 \neq z_2$  and one of (C2), (C3), and (C4) is satisfied and we will write  $z_1 < z_2$  if only (C4) is satisfied.

*Remark 3.* It is obvious that the following statements hold.

(1) If  $0 \leq z_1 \preceq z_2$ , then  $|z_1| < |z_2|$ .

(2) If  $z_1 \leq z_2$  and  $z_2 < z_3$ , then  $z_1 < z_3$ .

The idea of complex metric space was initiated by Azam et al. [2].

*Definition 4.* Let  $X$  be a nonempty set. Suppose that the mapping  $d : X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  satisfies

(C1)  $0 \leq d(x, y)$  for all  $x, y \in X$  and  $d(x, y) = 0$  if and only if  $x = y$ ,

(C2)  $d(x, y) = d(y, x)$  for all  $x, y \in X$ ,

(C3)  $d(x, y) \leq d(x, z) + d(z, y)$  for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

Then  $d$  is called a complex valued metric on  $X$  and the pair  $(X, d)$  is called a complex valued metric space.

*Example 5* (see [6, Example 2]). Let  $X = X_1 \cup X_2$  where

$$X_1 = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \text{Re}(z) \geq 0, \text{Im}(z) = 0\}, \tag{3}$$

$$X_2 = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \text{Re}(z) = 0, \text{Im}(z) \geq 0\}.$$

Define  $d : X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  as follows:

$$d(z_1, z_2) = \begin{cases} \frac{2}{3} |x_1 - x_2| + \frac{i}{2} |x_1 - x_2|, & \text{if } z_1, z_2 \in X_1, \\ \frac{1}{2} |y_1 - y_2| + \frac{i}{3} |y_1 - y_2|, & \text{if } z_1, z_2 \in X_2, \\ \left(\frac{2}{3}x_1 + \frac{1}{2}y_2\right) + i\left(\frac{1}{2}x_1 + \frac{1}{3}y_2\right), & \text{if } z_1 \in X_1, z_2 \in X_2, \\ \left(\frac{1}{2}y_1 + \frac{2}{3}x_2\right) + i\left(\frac{1}{3}y_1 + \frac{1}{2}x_2\right), & \text{if } z_1 \in X_2, z_2 \in X_1, \end{cases} \tag{4}$$

where  $z_1 = x_1 + iy_1, z_2 = x_2 + iy_2 \in X$ . Then  $(X, d)$  is a complete complex valued metric space.

The notion of complex valued  $G$ -metric space was introduced by Kang et al. [8] to generalize the notion of complex valued metric space and  $G$ -metric space as follows.

*Definition 6* (see [8]). Let  $X$  be a nonempty set and let  $G_c : X \times X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  be a function satisfying the following:

(CG1)  $G_c(x, y, z) = 0$  if  $x = y = z$ ,

(CG2)  $0 \preceq G_c(x, x, y)$  for all  $x, y \in X$  with  $x \neq y$ ,

(CG3)  $G_c(x, x, y) \leq G_c(x, y, z)$  for all  $x, y, z \in X$  with  $y \neq z$ ,

(CG4)  $G_c(x, y, z) = G_c(x, z, y) = G_c(y, z, x) = \dots$  (symmetry in all three variables),

(CG5)  $G_c(x, y, z) \leq G_c(x, a, a) + G_c(a, y, z)$  for all  $x, y, z, a \in X$  (rectangle inequality).

Then the function  $G_c$  is called a complex valued generalized metric or a complex valued  $G$ -metric on  $X$ . We call the pair  $(X, G_c)$  a complex valued  $G$ -metric space.

*Remark 7.* In fact, condition (CG2) defined in [8] was stated as follows:

(CG2)  $0 < G_c(x, x, y)$  for all  $x, y \in X$  with  $x \neq y$ .

In this paper, we use the weak version of (CG2) as in Definition 6.

*Example 8.* Let  $X = \mathbb{C}$  and  $G_c : X \times X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  be defined by

$$G_c(z_1, z_2, z_3) = (|x_1 - x_2| + |x_2 - x_3| + |x_3 - x_1|) + i(|y_1 - y_2| + |y_2 - y_3| + |y_3 - y_1|), \tag{5}$$

where  $z_i = x_i + iy_i \in \mathbb{C}$  for any  $i \in \{1, 2, 3\}$ . Then  $(X, G_c)$  is a complex valued  $G$ -metric space.

*Definition 9.* Let  $(X, G_c)$  be a complex valued  $G$ -metric space. A point  $v$  in  $X$  is a fixed point of a mapping  $T : X \rightarrow X$  if  $v = Tv$ . The set of fixed points of  $T$  is denoted by  $\mathcal{F}(T)$ .

*Definition 10* (see [8]). Let  $(X, G_c)$  be a complex valued  $G$ -metric space and let  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence in  $X$ . We say that  $\{x_n\}$  is *complex value  $G$ -convergent* to  $x \in X$  if, for every  $c \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $0 < c$ , there exists  $k \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $G_c(x, x_n, x_m) < c$  for all  $n, m \geq k$ . We refer to  $x$  as the limit of the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  and we write  $x_n \rightarrow x$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .

*Definition 11* (see [8]). Let  $(X, G_c)$  be a complex valued  $G$ -metric space.

(i) A sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in  $X$  is said to be *complex valued  $G$ -Cauchy* if, for every  $c \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $0 < c$ , there exists  $k \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $G_c(x_n, x_m, x_l) < c$  for all  $n, m, l \geq k$ .

(ii)  $(X, G_c)$  is said to be *complete* if every complex valued  $G$ -Cauchy sequence in  $X$  is complex valued  $G$ -convergent in  $X$ .

Some crucial facts in complex valued  $G_c$ -metric spaces are listed as follows. First, the following proposition follows easily due to (CG5).

**Proposition 12** (see [8]). *Let  $(X, G_c)$  be a complex valued  $G$ -metric space. Then, for any  $x, y, z \in X$ , the following hold:*

(1)  $G_c(x, y, z) \leq G_c(x, x, y) + G_c(x, x, z)$ ,

(2)  $G_c(x, y, y) \leq 2G_c(y, x, y)$ .

**Proposition 13** (see [8]). *Let  $(X, G)$  be a complex valued G-metric space. Then, for a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in  $X$  and point  $x \in X$ , the following are equivalent.*

- (1)  $\{x_n\}$  is complex valued G-convergent to  $x$ .
- (2)  $|G_c(x_n, x_n, x)| \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .
- (3)  $|G_c(x_n, x, x)| \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .
- (4)  $|G_c(x_m, x_n, x)| \rightarrow 0$  as  $m, n \rightarrow \infty$ .

**Proposition 14** (see [8]). *Let  $(X, G)$  be a complex valued G-metric space and let  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence in  $X$ . Then  $\{x_n\}$  is complex valued G-Cauchy sequence if and only if  $|G(x_n, x_m, x_l)| \rightarrow 0$  as  $n, m, l \rightarrow \infty$ .*

**Proposition 15** (see [8]). *Let  $(X, G)$  be a complex valued G-metric space. Then the function  $G(x, y, z)$  is jointly continuous in all three of its variables.*

The main aim of this paper is to establish some new fixed point theorems which extend and generalize Kang et al.'s results in [8], the Banach contraction principle, and some well-known results in the literature.

## 2. Main Results

Recall that a function  $\varphi : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1)$  is said to be an  $\mathcal{MT}$ -function (or  $\mathcal{R}$ -function) [11–16] if

$$\limsup_{s \rightarrow t^+} \varphi(s) < 1 \quad \forall t \in [0, \infty). \tag{6}$$

It is obvious that if  $\varphi : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1)$  is a nondecreasing function or a nonincreasing function, then  $\varphi$  is an  $\mathcal{MT}$ -function. So the set of  $\mathcal{MT}$ -functions is a rich class.

Recently, Du [13] first proved the following characterizations of  $\mathcal{MT}$ -functions.

**Theorem 16** (see [13]). *Let  $\varphi : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1)$  be a function. Then the following statements are equivalent.*

- (a)  $\varphi$  is an  $\mathcal{MT}$ -function.
- (b) For each  $t \in [0, \infty)$ , there exist  $r_t^{(1)} \in [0, 1)$  and  $\varepsilon_t^{(1)} > 0$  such that  $\varphi(s) \leq r_t^{(1)}$  for all  $s \in (t, t + \varepsilon_t^{(1)})$ .
- (c) For each  $t \in [0, \infty)$ , there exist  $r_t^{(2)} \in [0, 1)$  and  $\varepsilon_t^{(2)} > 0$  such that  $\varphi(s) \leq r_t^{(2)}$  for all  $s \in [t, t + \varepsilon_t^{(2)}]$ .
- (d) For each  $t \in [0, \infty)$ , there exist  $r_t^{(3)} \in [0, 1)$  and  $\varepsilon_t^{(3)} > 0$  such that  $\varphi(s) \leq r_t^{(3)}$  for all  $s \in (t, t + \varepsilon_t^{(3)})$ .
- (e) For each  $t \in [0, \infty)$ , there exist  $r_t^{(4)} \in [0, 1)$  and  $\varepsilon_t^{(4)} > 0$  such that  $\varphi(s) \leq r_t^{(4)}$  for all  $s \in [t, t + \varepsilon_t^{(4)}]$ .
- (f) For any nonincreasing sequence  $\{x_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$  in  $[0, \infty)$ , we have  $0 \leq \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \varphi(x_n) < 1$ .
- (g)  $\varphi$  is a function of contractive factor; for any strictly decreasing sequence  $\{x_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$  in  $[0, \infty)$ , we have  $0 \leq \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \varphi(x_n) < 1$ .

The following new fixed point theorem is one of the main results of this paper. It can be considered as a complex valued G-metric version of Banach contraction principle and will generalize and improve [8, Theorem 2.5] and some well-known results in the literature.

**Theorem 17.** *Let  $(X, G_c)$  be a complete complex valued G-metric space and let  $T : X \rightarrow X$  be a mapping on  $X$ . Suppose that there exists a  $\mathcal{MT}$ -function  $\varphi : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1)$  such that*

$$G_c(Tx, Ty, Tz) \preceq \varphi(|G_c(x, y, z)|) G_c(x, y, z) \quad \forall x, y, z \in X. \tag{7}$$

Then  $T$  has a unique fixed point on  $X$ .

*Proof.* Let  $x_0 \in X$  be given. Define the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  by

$$x_n = T^n x_0 = T x_{n-1} \quad \text{for each } n \in \mathbb{N}. \tag{8}$$

For each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , by (7), we have

$$G_c(x_n, x_{n+1}, x_{n+1}) \preceq \varphi(|G_c(x_{n-1}, x_n, x_n)|) G_c(x_{n-1}, x_n, x_n) \tag{9}$$

which implies

$$|G_c(x_n, x_{n+1}, x_{n+1})| \leq \varphi(|G_c(x_{n-1}, x_n, x_n)|) |G_c(x_{n-1}, x_n, x_n)|. \tag{10}$$

Let  $\alpha_n = |G_c(x_{n-1}, x_n, x_n)|$  for  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then, by (10), we have

$$\alpha_{n+1} \leq \varphi(\alpha_n) \alpha_n < \alpha_n \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}. \tag{11}$$

So we know that  $\{\alpha_n\}$  is a strictly decreasing sequence in  $[0, \infty)$ . Applying (g) of Theorem 16, we obtain

$$0 \leq \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \varphi(\alpha_n) < 1. \tag{12}$$

That is,

$$0 \leq \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \varphi(|G_c(x_{n-1}, x_n, x_n)|) < 1. \tag{13}$$

Let

$$\lambda = \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \varphi(|G_c(x_{n-1}, x_n, x_n)|). \tag{14}$$

Then  $\lambda \in [0, 1)$ . For each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , by (10) again, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & |G_c(x_n, x_{n+1}, x_{n+1})| \\ & \leq \varphi(|G_c(x_{n-1}, x_n, x_n)|) |G_c(x_{n-1}, x_n, x_n)| \\ & \leq \lambda |G_c(x_{n-1}, x_n, x_n)| \leq \lambda^2 |G_c(x_{n-2}, x_{n-1}, x_{n-1})| \\ & \leq \dots \leq \lambda^n |G_c(x_0, x_1, x_1)|. \end{aligned} \tag{15}$$

For any  $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$  with  $m > n$ , by the last inequality and repeated use of (CG5), we get

$$\begin{aligned} & |G_c(x_n, x_m, x_m)| \\ & \leq |G_c(x_n, x_{n+1}, x_{n+1})| + |G_c(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}, x_{n+2})| \\ & \quad + \cdots + |G_c(x_{m-1}, x_m, x_m)| \\ & \leq (\lambda^n + \lambda^{n+1} + \cdots + \lambda^{m-1}) |G_c(x_0, x_1, x_1)| \\ & < \frac{\lambda^n}{1 - \lambda} |G_c(x_0, x_1, x_1)|. \end{aligned} \quad (16)$$

Since  $\lambda \in [0, 1)$ ,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\lambda^n / (1 - \lambda)) |G_c(x_0, x_1, x_1)| = 0$ . Hence, by the last inequality, we obtain

$$|G_c(x_n, x_m, x_m)| \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } m, n \rightarrow \infty. \quad (17)$$

For any  $n, m, l \in \mathbb{N}$ , by Proposition 12, we obtain

$$G_c(x_n, x_m, x_l) \leq G_c(x_n, x_m, x_m) + G_c(x_l, x_m, x_m), \quad (18)$$

which implies

$$|G_c(x_n, x_m, x_l)| \leq |G_c(x_n, x_m, x_m)| + |G_c(x_l, x_m, x_m)|. \quad (19)$$

From (17) and (19), we get  $|G_c(x_n, x_m, x_l)| \rightarrow 0$  as  $n, m, l \rightarrow \infty$ . Applying Proposition 14,  $\{x_n\}$  is a complex valued  $G$ -Cauchy sequence in  $(X, G_c)$ . By the completeness of  $(X, G_c)$ , there exists  $v \in X$  such that  $\{x_n\}$  is complex valued  $G$ -convergent to  $v$ .

Next, we prove that  $Tv = v$ . Assume that  $Tv \neq v$ . For each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , by (7), we have

$$G_c(x_{n+1}, Tv, Tv) \leq \varphi(|G_c(x_n, v, v)|) G_c(x_n, v, v) \quad (20)$$

which deduces

$$\begin{aligned} |G_c(x_{n+1}, Tv, Tv)| & \leq \varphi(|G_c(x_n, v, v)|) |G_c(x_n, v, v)| \\ & < |G_c(x_n, v, v)|. \end{aligned} \quad (21)$$

Since  $x_n \rightarrow v$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  and  $G$  is continuous in all three of its variables, from Proposition 15 and by taking limit from both sides of (21), we get

$$|G_c(v, Tv, Tv)| \leq |G_c(v, v, v)| = 0. \quad (22)$$

Since  $0 \not\preceq G_c(v, Tv, Tv)$ , by Remark 3, we know

$$0 < |G_c(v, Tv, Tv)|. \quad (23)$$

Hence, taking into account (22) and (23), we have

$$0 < |G_c(v, Tv, Tv)| \leq 0 \quad (24)$$

which is a contradiction. Therefore  $Tv = v$  or  $v \in \mathcal{F}(T)$ .

Finally, we want to show the uniqueness of fixed point of  $T$  (i.e.,  $\mathcal{F}(T)$  is a singleton set). We have shown  $v \in \mathcal{F}(T)$ , so

it suffices to show that  $\mathcal{F}(T) = \{v\}$ . Let  $w \in \mathcal{F}(T)$ . Suppose  $w \neq v$ . By (7), we obtain

$$G_c(v, v, w) = G_c(Tv, Tv, Tw) \leq \varphi(|G_c(v, v, w)|) G_c(v, v, w) \quad (25)$$

which implies

$$|G_c(v, v, w)| \leq \varphi(|G_c(v, v, w)|) |G_c(v, v, w)|. \quad (26)$$

By (26), we have

$$(1 - \varphi(|G_c(v, v, w)|)) |G_c(v, v, w)| \leq 0. \quad (27)$$

Since  $\varphi(|G_c(v, v, w)|) \in [0, 1)$ , we have

$$|G_c(v, v, w)| \leq 0 \quad (28)$$

which deduces

$$|G_c(v, v, w)| = 0 \quad (29)$$

and hence  $G_c(v, v, w) = 0$ . This contradicts (CG2). Therefore, it must be  $w = v$  and so  $\mathcal{F}(T) = \{v\}$ . The proof is completed.  $\square$

Here, we give a simple example illustrating Theorem 17.

*Example 18.* Let  $X = \mathbb{C}$  and  $G_c : X \times X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  be defined by

$$\begin{aligned} G_c(z_1, z_2, z_3) & = (|x_1 - x_2| + |x_2 - x_3| + |x_3 - x_1|) \\ & \quad + i(|y_1 - y_2| + |y_2 - y_3| + |y_3 - y_1|), \end{aligned} \quad (30)$$

where  $z_i = x_i + iy_i \in \mathbb{C}$  for any  $i \in \{1, 2, 3\}$ . Then  $(X, G_c)$  is a complex valued  $G$ -metric space. Define  $T : X \rightarrow X$  and  $\varphi : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1)$  by

$$\begin{aligned} Tz & = \frac{1}{10}z \quad \text{for } z \in X, \\ \varphi(t) & := \begin{cases} \frac{4}{5}, & \text{if } t = 0, \\ \frac{1}{3}, & \text{if } t > 0. \end{cases} \end{aligned} \quad (31)$$

Then  $\varphi$  is a  $\mathcal{MT}$ -function. For any  $z_1, z_2, z_3 \in \mathbb{C}$ , where  $z_i = x_i + iy_i$ , we have

$$Tz_i = \frac{1}{10}z_i = \frac{x_i}{10} + i\frac{y_i}{10} \quad \text{for any } i \in \{1, 2, 3\}. \quad (32)$$

By a routine calculation, one can verify that

$$G_c(Tz_1, Tz_2, Tz_3) \leq \varphi(|G_c(z_1, z_2, z_3)|) G_c(z_1, z_2, z_3). \quad (33)$$

So all the hypotheses of Theorem 17 are fulfilled. It is therefore possible to apply Theorem 17 to get the fact that  $T$  has a unique fixed point on  $X$  (precisely speaking, 0 is the unique fixed point of  $T$ ).

The following fixed point theorem established in  $G$ -metric space is immediate from Theorem 17.

**Theorem 19.** Let  $(X, G)$  be a complete  $G$ -metric space and let  $T : X \rightarrow X$  be a mapping on  $X$ . Suppose that there exists a  $\mathcal{MT}$ -function  $\varphi : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1)$  such that

$$G(Tx, Ty, Tz) \leq \varphi(G(x, y, z))G(x, y, z) \quad \forall x, y, z \in X. \quad (34)$$

Then  $T$  has a unique fixed point on  $X$ .

Since any nondecreasing function or any nonincreasing function  $\varphi : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1)$  is an  $\mathcal{MT}$ -function, by applying Theorem 17, we have the following results.

**Corollary 20.** Let  $(X, G_c)$  be a complete complex valued  $G$ -metric space and let  $T : X \rightarrow X$  be a mapping on  $X$ . Suppose that there exists a nondecreasing function  $\varphi : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1)$  such that

$$G_c(Tx, Ty, Tz) \preceq \varphi(|G_c(x, y, z)|)G_c(x, y, z) \quad \forall x, y, z \in X. \quad (35)$$

Then  $T$  has a unique fixed point on  $X$ .

**Corollary 21.** Let  $(X, G)$  be a complete  $G$ -metric space and let  $T : X \rightarrow X$  be a mapping on  $X$ . Suppose that there exists a nondecreasing function  $\varphi : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1)$  such that

$$G(Tx, Ty, Tz) \leq \varphi(G(x, y, z))G(x, y, z) \quad \forall x, y, z \in X. \quad (36)$$

Then  $T$  has a unique fixed point on  $X$ .

**Corollary 22.** Let  $(X, G_c)$  be a complete complex valued  $G$ -metric space and let  $T : X \rightarrow X$  be a mapping on  $X$ . Suppose that there exists a nonincreasing function  $\varphi : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1)$  such that

$$G_c(Tx, Ty, Tz) \preceq \varphi(|G_c(x, y, z)|)G_c(x, y, z) \quad \forall x, y, z \in X. \quad (37)$$

Then  $T$  has a unique fixed point on  $X$ .

**Corollary 23.** Let  $(X, G)$  be a complete  $G$ -metric space and let  $T : X \rightarrow X$  be a mapping on  $X$ . Suppose that there exists a nonincreasing function  $\varphi : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1)$  such that

$$G(Tx, Ty, Tz) \leq \varphi(G(x, y, z))G(x, y, z) \quad \forall x, y, z \in X. \quad (38)$$

Then  $T$  has a unique fixed point on  $X$ .

**Corollary 24** (see [8, Theorem 2.5]). Let  $(X, G_c)$  be a complete complex valued  $G$ -metric space and let  $T : X \rightarrow X$  be a contraction mapping on  $X$ ; that is,

$$G_c(Tx, Ty, Tz) \preceq kG_c(x, y, z) \quad (39)$$

for all  $x, y, z \in X$ , where  $k \in [0, 1)$ . Then  $T$  has a unique fixed point.

## Conflict of Interests

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