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Strong Convergence Theorems for Solutions of Equations of Hammerstein Type

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We consider an auxiliary operator, defined in a real Hilbert space in terms of K and F , that is, monotone and Lipschitz mappings (resp., monotone and bounded mappings). We use an explicit iterative process that converges strongly to a solution of equation of Hammerstein type. Furthermore, our results improve related results in the literature.

1. Introduction

Let H be a real Hilbert space. A mapping $A : D(A) \subseteq H \rightarrow H$ is said to be monotone if $\langle Ax - Ay, x - y \rangle \geq 0$ for every $x, y \in D(A)$. A is called maximal monotone if it is monotone and the $R(I + rA) = H$, the range of $(I + rA)$, for each $r > 0$, where I is the identity mapping on H . A is said to satisfy the range condition if $\text{cl}(D(A)) \subseteq R(I + rA)$ for each $r > 0$. For monotone mappings, there are many related equations of evolution. Several problems that arise in differential equations, for instance, elliptic boundary value problems whose linear parts possess Green's function, can be put in operator form as

$$u + KF u = 0, \quad (1)$$

where K and F are monotone mappings. In fact, (1) comes from the following integral equation of Hammerstein type [1]:

$$u(x) + \int_{\Omega} k(x, y) f(y, u(y)) dy = h(x), \quad (2)$$

where dy is a σ -finite measure on the measure space Ω ; the real kernel is defined by $\Omega \times \Omega$, f is a real-valued function defined on $\Omega \times \mathbb{R}$ and is, in general, nonlinear, and h is a given function on Ω . If we now define an operator K by

$$Kv(x) = \int_{\Omega} k(x, y) v(y) dy, \quad x \in \Omega, \quad (3)$$

and the so-called superposition or Nemytskii operator by $Fu(y) := f(y, u(y))$, then (2) can be put in (1) (without loss of generality, we may assume that $h \equiv 0$).

Note that equations of Hammerstein type play a crucial role in the theory of optimal control systems and in automation and network theory, and several existence and uniqueness theorems have been proved for equations of the Hammerstein type. For details, one can refer to [2–7].

In 2005, Chidume and Zegeye [8] constructed an iterative process as follows:

$$u_{n+1} = u_n - \lambda_n (Fu_n - v_n) - \lambda_n \theta_n (u_n - w), \quad (4)$$

$$v_{n+1} = v_n - \lambda_n (Kv_n + u_n) - \lambda_n \theta_n (v_n - w), \quad n \in \mathbb{N},$$

where H is a real Hilbert space, F and $K: H \rightarrow H$ are bounded monotone mappings satisfying the range condition, $w \in H$, and $\{\lambda_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{\theta_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ are sequences in $(0, 1)$. Chidume and Zegeye [8] show that this sequence converges strongly to the solution of (1) under suitable conditions.

In 2011, Chidume and Ofoedu [9] introduced a coupled explicit iterative process as follows:

$$u_{n+1} = u_n - \lambda_n \alpha_n (Fu_n - v_n) - \lambda_n \theta_n (u_n - u_1),$$

$$v_{n+1} = v_n - \lambda_n \alpha_n (Kv_n + u_n) - \lambda_n \theta_n (v_n - v_1), \quad n \in \mathbb{N}, \quad (5)$$

where E is a uniformly smooth real Banach space, F and $K: E \rightarrow E$ are bounded and monotone mappings, and $\{\lambda_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$,

$\{\theta_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$, and $\{\alpha_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ are sequences in $(0, 1)$. Chidume and Ofoedu [9] gave a strong convergence theorem for approximation of the solution of (1) under suitable conditions.

In 2012, Chidume and Djitté [10] consider the following iterative process:

$$\begin{aligned} u_{n+1} &= u_n - \lambda_n (Fu_n - v_n) - \lambda_n \theta_n (u_n - u_1), \\ v_{n+1} &= v_n - \lambda_n (Kv_n + u_n) - \lambda_n \theta_n (v_n - v_1), \quad n \in \mathbb{N}, \end{aligned} \tag{6}$$

where H is a real Hilbert space, K and F are bounded and maximal monotone mappings, $\{\lambda_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{\theta_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ are sequences in $(0, 1)$ and Chidume and Djitté [10] show that this iterative process converges to an approximate solution of nonlinear equations of Hammerstein type under suitable conditions.

Motivated by the previous works, in this paper, we consider an auxiliary operator, defined in a real Hilbert space in terms of K and F , that is monotone and Lipschitz mapping, or monotone and bounded mappings. We use an explicit iterative process that converges strongly to a solution of equation of Hammerstein type. Furthermore, our results improve related results in the literature.

2. Preliminaries

Throughout this paper, let \mathbb{N} be the set of positive integers and let \mathbb{R} be the set of real numbers. Let H be a (real) Hilbert space with inner product $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$ and norm $\| \cdot \|$, respectively.

Lemma 1. *Let H be a real Hilbert space. One has $\|x + y\|^2 \leq \|x\|^2 + 2\langle y, x + y \rangle$ for all $x, y \in H$.*

Lemma 2 (see [11]). *Let $\{a_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be a sequence of nonnegative real numbers, $\{\alpha_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ a sequence of real numbers in $[0, 1]$ with $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \alpha_n = \infty$, and $\{u_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ a sequence of nonnegative real numbers with $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n < \infty$, $\{t_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ a sequence of real numbers with $\limsup t_n \leq 0$. Suppose that $a_{n+1} \leq (1 - \alpha_n)a_n + \alpha_n t_n + u_n$ for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Then, $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 0$.*

Let ℓ^∞ be the Banach space of bounded sequences with the supremum norm. A linear functional μ on ℓ^∞ is called a mean if $\mu(e) = \|\mu\| = 1$, where $e = (1, 1, 1, \dots)$. For $x = (x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots)$, the value $\mu(x)$ is also denoted by $\mu_n(x_n)$. A mean μ on ℓ^∞ is called a Banach limit if it satisfies $\mu_n(x_n) = \mu_n(x_{n+1})$. If μ is a Banach limit on ℓ^∞ , then for $x = (x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots) \in \ell^\infty$,

$$\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n \leq \mu_n(x_n) \leq \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n. \tag{7}$$

In particular, if $x = (x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots) \in \ell^\infty$ and $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = a \in \mathbb{R}$, then we have $\mu(x) = \mu_n(x_n) = a$. For details, we can refer to [12].

Lemma 3 (see [13]). *Let α be a real number and $(x_0, x_1, \dots) \in \ell^\infty$ such that $\mu_n x_n \leq \alpha$ for all Banach limit μ on ℓ^∞ . If $\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} (x_{n+1} - x_n) \leq 0$, then, $\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n \leq \alpha$.*

Lemma 4 (see [14]). *Let C be a nonempty closed convex subset of a Hilbert space H , let $\{x_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be a bounded sequence in H ,*

and let μ be a Banach limit on ℓ^∞ . Let $g : C \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be defined by $g(z) = \mu_n \|x_n - z\|^2$ for each $z \in C$. Then there exists a unique $z_0 \in C$ such that $g(z_0) = \min\{g(z) : z \in C\}$.

Lemma 5 (see [15]). *Let H be a Hilbert space, let $\{x_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be a bounded sequence in H , and let μ be a mean on ℓ^∞ . Then, there exists a unique point $z_0 \in H$ such that $\mu_n \langle x_n, y \rangle = \langle z_0, y \rangle$ for each $y \in H$. Indeed, $z_0 \in \overline{\text{co}}\{x_n : n \in \mathbb{N}\}$.*

Let H be a real Hilbert space. Let $W := H \times H$ with norm

$$\|z\| := (\|u\|^2 + \|v\|^2)^{1/2}, \quad \text{where } z = (u, v) \in W. \tag{8}$$

Hence, W is a real Hilbert space with inner product $\langle w_1, w_2 \rangle = \langle u_1, u_2 \rangle + \langle v_1, v_2 \rangle$ for all $w_1 = (u_1, v_1), w_2 = (u_2, v_2) \in W$ [8].

Lemma 6. *Let H be a real Hilbert space, and let $W := H \times H$. Let $F, K : H \rightarrow H$ be two mappings, and let $A : W \rightarrow W$ be defined by*

$$Aw := (Fu - v, Kv + u) \quad \text{for each } w = (u, v) \in W. \tag{9}$$

- (i) *If F and K are monotone mappings, then A is a monotone mapping [8, Lemma 3.1].*
- (ii) *If F and K are bounded mappings, then A is a bounded mapping [8, Lemma 3.1].*
- (iii) *If F and K are Lipschitz mappings with Lipschitz constants L_1 and L_2 , respectively, then A is a Lipschitz mapping. Indeed, the Lipschitz constant of A is $2(L + 1)$, where $L := \max\{L_1, L_2\}$ [16, Remark 13.6].*

3. Main Results (I)

Let H be a real Hilbert space. Let $F, K : H \rightarrow H$ be two mappings, and let $A : H \times H \rightarrow H \times H$ be defined by $Aw = (Fu - v, Kv + u)$ for each $w = (u, v) \in H \times H$. Then, we observe that $\bar{u} \in H$ is a solution of $u + KFu = 0$ if and only if $\bar{w} = (\bar{u}, \bar{v})$ is a solution of $Aw = 0$ in $H \times H$ for $\bar{v} = F\bar{u}$.

Theorem 7. *Let H be a real Hilbert space. Let $F, K : H \rightarrow H$ be Lipschitz and monotone mappings. Suppose that $u + KFu = 0$ has a solution in H . Let $\{\lambda_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be a sequence in $(0, 1)$. Let $\{\alpha_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{\theta_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be sequences in $(0, 1)$. Let $\{u_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{v_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be sequences in H defined iteratively from arbitrary $u_1, v_1 \in H$ by*

$$\begin{aligned} u_{n+1} &= u_n - \lambda_n \alpha_n (Fu_n - v_n) - \lambda_n \theta_n (u_n - u_1), \\ v_{n+1} &= v_n - \lambda_n \alpha_n (Kv_n + u_n) - \lambda_n \theta_n (v_n - v_1), \quad n \in \mathbb{N}. \end{aligned} \tag{10}$$

Suppose that one of the following conditions holds:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(i)} \quad & \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\alpha_n^2}{\theta_n} \right) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lambda_n \alpha_n = 0; \\ \text{(ii)} \quad & \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\lambda_n}{\theta_n} \right) = 0; \\ \text{(iii)} \quad & \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\alpha_n}{\theta_n} \right) = 0. \end{aligned} \quad (11)$$

Then, the sequences $\{u_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$, $\{v_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$, $\{Fu_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$, and $\{Kv_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ are bounded.

Proof. Since F and K are Lipschitz mappings, we may assume that the Lipschitz constants of F and K are L_1 and L_2 , respectively. Let

$$L = \max \{L_1, L_2\}, \quad r_0 := \frac{1}{32(L+1)^2}. \quad (12)$$

Let $W := H \times H$ with the norm $\|w\| := (\|u\|^2 + \|v\|^2)^{1/2}$ for each $w = (u, v) \in H \times H$. Take any $\bar{u} \in H$ such that \bar{u} is solution of $u + KFu = 0$, and let \bar{u} be fixed. Let $\bar{v} = F\bar{u}$ and $\bar{w} = (\bar{u}, \bar{v})$. We observe that $\bar{u} = -K\bar{v}$. For each $n \in \mathbb{N}$, let $w_n := (u_n, v_n)$.

For each $n \in \mathbb{N}$, it follows from Lemma 1 that

$$\begin{aligned} & \|u_{n+1} - \bar{u}\|^2 \\ &= \|(1 - \lambda_n \theta_n)(u_n - \bar{u}) + \lambda_n(\theta_n u_1 - \alpha_n Fu_n + \alpha_n v_n - \theta_n \bar{u})\|^2 \\ &\leq (1 - \lambda_n \theta_n)^2 \|u_n - \bar{u}\|^2 \\ &\quad + 2\lambda_n \langle \theta_n u_1 - \alpha_n Fu_n + \alpha_n v_n - \theta_n \bar{u}, u_{n+1} - \bar{u} \rangle \\ &\leq (1 - \lambda_n \theta_n) \|u_n - \bar{u}\|^2 \\ &\quad + 2\lambda_n \langle \theta_n u_1 - \alpha_n Fu_n + \alpha_n v_n - \theta_n \bar{u}, u_{n+1} - \bar{u} \rangle. \end{aligned} \quad (13)$$

Similarly, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \|v_{n+1} - \bar{v}\|^2 \\ &\leq (1 - \lambda_n \theta_n) \|v_n - \bar{v}\|^2 \\ &\quad + 2\lambda_n \langle \theta_n v_1 - \alpha_n Kv_n - \alpha_n u_n - \theta_n \bar{v}, v_{n+1} - \bar{v} \rangle. \end{aligned} \quad (14)$$

For each $n \in \mathbb{N}$, by (13) and (14), we know that

$$\begin{aligned} & \|w_{n+1} - \bar{w}\|^2 \\ &\leq (1 - \lambda_n \theta_n) \|w_n - \bar{w}\|^2 \\ &\quad + 2\lambda_n \langle \theta_n w_1 - \alpha_n Aw_n - \theta_n \bar{w}, w_{n+1} - \bar{w} \rangle \\ &= (1 - \lambda_n \theta_n) \|w_n - \bar{w}\|^2 + 2\lambda_n \theta_n \langle w_1 - \bar{w}, w_{n+1} - \bar{w} \rangle \\ &\quad - 2\lambda_n \alpha_n \langle Aw_n, w_{n+1} - \bar{w} \rangle. \end{aligned} \quad (15)$$

For each $n \in \mathbb{N}$, since A is monotone and $A\bar{w} = 0$, we know that

$$\begin{aligned} & \langle Aw_n, w_{n+1} - \bar{w} \rangle \\ &= \langle Aw_n, w_n - \lambda_n \alpha_n Aw_n - \lambda_n \theta_n (w_n - w_1) - \bar{w} \rangle \\ &= \langle Aw_n, w_n - \bar{w} \rangle + \langle Aw_n, -\lambda_n \alpha_n Aw_n - \lambda_n \theta_n (w_n - w_1) \rangle \\ &\geq \langle Aw_n, -\lambda_n \alpha_n Aw_n - \lambda_n \theta_n (w_n - w_1) \rangle. \end{aligned} \quad (16)$$

Hence, for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$, it follows from (15) and (16) that

$$\begin{aligned} & \|w_{n+1} - \bar{w}\|^2 \\ &\leq (1 - \lambda_n \theta_n) \|w_n - \bar{w}\|^2 + 2\lambda_n \theta_n \langle w_1 - \bar{w}, w_{n+1} - \bar{w} \rangle \\ &\quad - 2\lambda_n \alpha_n \langle Aw_n, w_{n+1} - \bar{w} \rangle \\ &\leq (1 - \lambda_n \theta_n) \|w_n - \bar{w}\|^2 + 2\lambda_n \theta_n \langle w_1 - \bar{w}, w_{n+1} - \bar{w} \rangle \\ &\quad + 2\lambda_n \alpha_n \langle Aw_n, \lambda_n \alpha_n Aw_n + \lambda_n \theta_n w_n - \lambda_n \theta_n w_1 \rangle \\ &\leq (1 - \lambda_n \theta_n) \|w_n - \bar{w}\|^2 + 2\lambda_n \theta_n \langle w_1 - \bar{w}, w_{n+1} - \bar{w} \rangle \\ &\quad + 2\lambda_n \alpha_n \|Aw_n\| \cdot (\lambda_n \alpha_n \|Aw_n\| + \lambda_n \theta_n \|w_n - w_1\|) \\ &\leq (1 - \lambda_n \theta_n) \|w_n - \bar{w}\|^2 + 2\lambda_n \theta_n \langle w_1 - \bar{w}, w_{n+1} - \bar{w} \rangle \\ &\quad + 4\lambda_n \alpha_n (L+1) \|w_n - \bar{w}\| \\ &\quad \cdot (2\lambda_n \alpha_n (L+1) \|w_n - \bar{w}\| + \lambda_n \theta_n \|w_n - w_1\|) \\ &= (1 - \lambda_n \theta_n) \|w_n - \bar{w}\|^2 + 2\lambda_n \theta_n \langle w_1 - \bar{w}, w_{n+1} - \bar{w} \rangle \\ &\quad + 8\lambda_n^2 \alpha_n^2 (L+1)^2 \|w_n - \bar{w}\|^2 \\ &\quad + 4\lambda_n^2 \alpha_n \theta_n (L+1) \|w_n - \bar{w}\| \cdot \|w_n - w_1\|. \end{aligned} \quad (17)$$

For conditions (i)–(iii), we only need to consider one case since the proof is similar. Now, we assume that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\lambda_n / \theta_n) = 0$. Then, there exists $n_0 \in \mathbb{N}$ such that $\lambda_n / \theta_n < r_0$ for each $n \geq n_0$. Choose $r > 0$ such that $w_1 \in B(\bar{w}, r/4)$ and $w_{n_0} \in B(\bar{w}, r/4)$. Let $B := \overline{B(\bar{w}, r)}$.

Now, we want to show that $w_n \in B$ for each $n \geq n_0$. Clearly, $w_{n_0} \in B(\bar{w}, r)$. Suppose that $w_n \in B$ for some $n \geq n_0$. Then, $w_{n+1} \in B$. Indeed, if not, then we have

$$\|w_n - \bar{w}\| \leq r < \|w_{n+1} - \bar{w}\|. \quad (18)$$

Hence, by (17) and (18), we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \|w_{n+1} - \bar{w}\|^2 \leq (1 - \lambda_n \theta_n) \|w_{n+1} - \bar{w}\|^2 \\ &\quad + 2\lambda_n \theta_n \|w_1 - \bar{w}\| \cdot \|w_{n+1} - \bar{w}\| \\ &\quad + 8\lambda_n^2 \alpha_n^2 (L+1)^2 \|w_n - \bar{w}\| \cdot \|w_{n+1} - \bar{w}\| \\ &\quad + 4\lambda_n^2 \alpha_n \theta_n (L+1) \|w_{n+1} - \bar{w}\| \cdot \|w_n - w_1\|. \end{aligned} \quad (19)$$

By (19), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
& \lambda_n \theta_n \|w_{n+1} - \bar{w}\| \\
& \leq 2\lambda_n \theta_n \|w_1 - \bar{w}\| + 8\lambda_n^2 \alpha_n^2 (L+1)^2 \|w_n - \bar{w}\| \\
& \quad + 4\lambda_n^2 \alpha_n \theta_n (L+1) \|w_n - w_1\| \\
& \leq 2\lambda_n \theta_n \cdot \frac{r}{4} + 8\lambda_n^2 \alpha_n^2 (L+1)^2 r + 4\lambda_n^2 \alpha_n \theta_n (L+1) \\
& \quad \cdot (\|w_n - \bar{w}\| + \|w_1 - \bar{w}\|) \\
& \leq 2\lambda_n \theta_n \cdot \frac{r}{4} + 8\lambda_n^2 \alpha_n^2 (L+1)^2 r + 4\lambda_n^2 \alpha_n \theta_n (L+1) \cdot \frac{5r}{4}. \tag{20}
\end{aligned}$$

This implies that

$$\begin{aligned}
r & < \|w_{n+1} - \bar{w}\| \\
& \leq \frac{1}{2}r + 8\lambda_n \frac{\alpha_n^2}{\theta_n} (L+1)^2 r + \frac{5\lambda_n \alpha_n \theta_n}{\theta_n} (L+1) r \\
& \leq \frac{1}{2}r + \frac{8\lambda_n}{\theta_n} (L+1)^2 r + \frac{8\lambda_n}{\theta_n} (L+1) r \\
& \leq r.
\end{aligned} \tag{21}$$

This leads to a contradiction. So, $w_{n+1} \in B$. Hence, by mathematical induction, we know that $\{w_n\}_{n \geq n_0} \subseteq B$. Therefore, $\{u_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{v_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ are bounded sequences. Furthermore, $\{Fu_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{Kv_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ are bounded sequences since F and K are Lipschitz mappings. For conditions (ii) and (iii), the proof is similar. Therefore, the proof is completed. \square

Remark 8. (i) Theorem 7 improves the conditions of [17, Theorem 3.1] if the space E in [17] is reduced to a real Hilbert space. Indeed, [17, Theorem 3.1] assumes that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lambda_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\lambda_n / \theta_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\alpha_n / \theta_n) = 0$.

(ii) Furthermore, we know that it is impossible to assume that $\alpha_n = \theta_n = 1$ in [17, Theorem 3.1]. However, we can choose $\alpha_n = \theta_n = 1$ in our result. Indeed, if $\alpha_n = \theta_n = 1$ and $\lambda_n = \beta_n$, then we have the following result as a special case of Theorem 7.

Corollary 9. Let H be a real Hilbert space. Let $F, K : H \rightarrow H$ be Lipschitz and monotone mappings. Suppose that $u + KF u = 0$ has a solution in H . Let $\{\beta_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be a sequence in $(0, 1)$. Let $\{u_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{v_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be sequences in H defined iteratively from arbitrary $u_1, v_1 \in H$ by

$$\begin{aligned}
u_{n+1} &= u_n - \beta_n (Fu_n - v_n) - \beta_n (u_n - u_1), \\
v_{n+1} &= v_n - \beta_n (Kv_n + u_n) - \beta_n (v_n - v_1), \quad n \in \mathbb{N}.
\end{aligned} \tag{22}$$

If $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \beta_n = 0$, then the sequences $\{u_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$, $\{v_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$, $\{Fu_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$, and $\{Kv_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ are bounded.

In fact, following the same argument as the proof of Theorem 7, we can get the following result.

Theorem 10. Let H be a real Hilbert space. Let $F, K : H \rightarrow H$ be Lipschitz and monotone mappings. Suppose that $u + KF u = 0$ has a solution in H . Let $\{\alpha_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{\theta_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be sequences in $(0, 1)$. Let $\{u_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{v_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be sequences in H defined iteratively from arbitrary $u_1, v_1 \in H$ by

$$\begin{aligned}
u_{n+1} &= u_n - \alpha_n (Fu_n - v_n) - \theta_n (u_n - u_1), \\
v_{n+1} &= v_n - \alpha_n (Kv_n + u_n) - \theta_n (v_n - v_1), \quad n \in \mathbb{N}.
\end{aligned} \tag{23}$$

Suppose that one of the following conditions holds:

$$\begin{aligned}
& \text{(i) } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\alpha_n^2}{\theta_n} \right) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n = 0; \\
& \text{(ii) } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\alpha_n}{\theta_n} \right) = 0.
\end{aligned} \tag{24}$$

Then, the sequences $\{u_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$, $\{v_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$, $\{Fu_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$, and $\{Kv_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ are bounded.

Remark 11. Corollary 9 is also a special case of Theorem 10.

Theorem 12. Let H be a real Hilbert space. Let $F, K : H \rightarrow H$ be Lipschitz and monotone mappings. Suppose that $u + KF u = 0$ has a solution in H . Let $\{\lambda_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be a sequence in $(0, 1)$. Let $\{\alpha_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{\theta_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be sequences in $(0, 1)$. Let $\{u_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{v_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be sequences in H defined iteratively from arbitrary $u_1, v_1 \in H$ by

$$\begin{aligned}
u_{n+1} &= u_n - \lambda_n \alpha_n (Fu_n - v_n) - \lambda_n \theta_n (u_n - u_1), \\
v_{n+1} &= v_n - \lambda_n \alpha_n (Kv_n + u_n) - \lambda_n \theta_n (v_n - v_1), \quad n \in \mathbb{N}.
\end{aligned} \tag{25}$$

Assume that

$$\begin{aligned}
& \text{(i) } \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \lambda_n \theta_n = \infty; \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lambda_n \alpha_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lambda_n \theta_n = 0; \\
& \text{(ii) one of the following conditions holds:}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \text{(a) } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\alpha_n^2}{\theta_n} \right) = 0; \\
& \text{(b) } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\lambda_n}{\theta_n} \right) = 0; \\
& \text{(c) } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\alpha_n}{\theta_n} \right) = 0;
\end{aligned} \tag{26}$$

(iii) one of the following conditions holds:

$$\begin{aligned}
& \text{(d) } \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \lambda_n^2 \alpha_n^2 < \infty; \\
& \text{(e) } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\lambda_n \alpha_n^2}{\theta_n} \right) = 0.
\end{aligned} \tag{27}$$

Then, there exists a subset K_{\min} of $H \times H$ such that if $(\bar{u}, \bar{v}) \in K_{\min}$ with $\bar{v} = F\bar{u}$, then the sequence $\{u_n\}$ converges strongly to \bar{u} .

Proof. Let B and n_0 be the same as the proof of Theorem 7. Let μ be a Banach limit on ℓ^∞ . Let $\{x_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be a sequence with $x_1 = w_1$ and $x_n = w_{n_0+n-2}$ for each $n \geq 2$. Clearly, $\{x_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subseteq B$. By Lemma 4, there is a unique $x \in B$ such that

$$\mu_n \|x_n - x\|^2 = \min_{y \in B} \mu_n \|x_n - y\|^2. \quad (28)$$

Let $K_{\min} = \{x\}$, and we assume that $\bar{w} = (\bar{u}, \bar{v}) \in K_{\min}$. Let $t \in [0, 1]$. Then, $tw_1 + (1-t)\bar{w} \in B$. Hence, for each $t \in (0, 1)$, it follows from Lemma 1 that

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_n \|x_n - \bar{w}\|^2 &\leq \mu_n \|x_n - tw_1 - (1-t)\bar{w}\|^2 \\ &\leq \mu_n \|x_n - \bar{w}\|^2 \\ &\quad - 2t\mu_n \langle w_1 - \bar{w}, x_n - tw_1 - (1-t)\bar{w} \rangle. \end{aligned} \quad (29)$$

By Lemma 5, there exists $z_0 \in H$ such that $\mu_n \langle x_n, y \rangle = \langle z_0, y \rangle$ for each $y \in H$. By (29), for each $t \in (0, 1)$,

$$\begin{aligned} \langle w_1 - \bar{w}, z_0 - tw_1 - (1-t)\bar{w} \rangle \\ = \mu_n \langle w_1 - \bar{w}, x_n - tw_1 - (1-t)\bar{w} \rangle \leq 0. \end{aligned} \quad (30)$$

In (30), letting $t \rightarrow 0$, we get

$$\mu_n \langle w_1 - \bar{w}, x_n - \bar{w} \rangle = \langle w_1 - \bar{w}, z_0 - \bar{w} \rangle \leq 0. \quad (31)$$

Clearly,

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\langle w_1 - \bar{w}, x_{n+1} - \bar{w} \rangle - \langle w_1 - \bar{w}, x_n - \bar{w} \rangle) \leq 0. \quad (32)$$

By (31), (32), and Lemma 3, we know that $\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle w_1 - \bar{w}, x_n - \bar{w} \rangle \leq 0$.

Hence,

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle w_1 - \bar{w}, w_n - \bar{w} \rangle \leq 0. \quad (33)$$

By (17), (33), and Lemma 2, we know that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|w_n - \bar{w}\| = 0$. Therefore, $\{u_n\}$ converges strongly to \bar{u} . \square

Remark 13. (i) The conclusion of Theorem 12 is still true if $\sum_{n=1}^\infty \lambda_n \theta_n = \infty$, $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\alpha_n^2 / \theta_n) = 0$, and $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lambda_n \alpha_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lambda_n \theta_n = 0$.

(ii) The conclusion of Theorem 12 is still true if $\sum_{n=1}^\infty \lambda_n \theta_n = \infty$, $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\alpha_n / \theta_n) = 0$, and $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lambda_n = 0$.

Remark 14. Following the same argument as in Remark 8, we know that Theorem 12 improves the conditions of [17, Theorem 3.2] if the space E is reduced to a real Hilbert space.

In Theorem 12, if $\alpha_n = \theta_n = 1$ and $\lambda_n = \beta_n$ for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$, then we have the following result.

Corollary 15. *Let H be a real Hilbert space. Let $F, K : H \rightarrow H$ be Lipschitz and monotone mappings. Suppose that $u + KF u = 0$ has a solution \bar{u} in H . Let $\{\beta_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be a sequence*

in $(0, 1)$. Let $\{u_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{v_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be sequences in H defined iteratively from arbitrary $u_1, v_1 \in H$ by

$$u_{n+1} = u_n - \beta_n (F u_n - v_n) - \beta_n (u_n - u_1), \quad (34)$$

$$v_{n+1} = v_n - \beta_n (K v_n + u_n) - \beta_n (v_n - v_1), \quad n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

Assume that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \beta_n = 0$ and $\sum_{n=1}^\infty \beta_n = \infty$. Then there exists a subset K_{\min} of $H \times H$ such that if $(\bar{u}, \bar{v}) \in K_{\min}$ with $\bar{v} = F\bar{u}$, then the sequence $\{u_n\}$ converges strongly to \bar{u} .

In Theorem 12, if $\alpha_n = 1$ for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$, then we have the following result.

Corollary 16. *Let H be a real Hilbert space. Let $F, K : H \rightarrow H$ be Lipschitz and monotone mappings. Suppose that $u + KF u = 0$ has a solution in H . Let $\{\lambda_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be a sequence in $(0, 1)$. Let $\{\theta_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be a sequence in $(0, 1)$. Let $\{u_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{v_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be sequences in H defined iteratively from arbitrary $u_1, v_1 \in H$ by*

$$u_{n+1} = u_n - \lambda_n (F u_n - v_n) - \lambda_n \theta_n (u_n - u_1),$$

$$v_{n+1} = v_n - \lambda_n (K v_n + u_n) - \lambda_n \theta_n (v_n - v_1), \quad n \in \mathbb{N}. \quad (35)$$

Assume that $\sum_{n=1}^\infty \lambda_n \theta_n = \infty$, $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lambda_n \theta_n = 0$, and $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\lambda_n / \theta_n) = 0$. Then, there exists a subset K_{\min} of $H \times H$ such that if $(\bar{u}, \bar{v}) \in K_{\min}$ with $\bar{v} = F\bar{u}$, then the sequence $\{u_n\}$ converges strongly to \bar{u} .

In fact, following the same argument as the proof of Theorem 12, we get the following result.

Theorem 17. *Let H be a real Hilbert space. Let $F, K : H \rightarrow H$ be Lipschitz and monotone mappings. Suppose that $u + KF u = 0$ has a solution in H . Let $\{\alpha_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{\theta_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be sequences in $(0, 1)$. Let $\{u_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{v_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be sequences in H defined iteratively from arbitrary $u_1, v_1 \in H$ by*

$$u_{n+1} = u_n - \alpha_n (F u_n - v_n) - \theta_n (u_n - u_1), \quad (36)$$

$$v_{n+1} = v_n - \alpha_n (K v_n + u_n) - \theta_n (v_n - v_1), \quad n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

Assume that $\sum_{n=1}^\infty \theta_n = \infty$, $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \theta_n = 0$, and $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\alpha_n^2 / \theta_n) = 0$. Then, there exists a subset K_{\min} of $H \times H$ such that if $(\bar{u}, \bar{v}) \in K_{\min}$ with $\bar{v} = F\bar{u}$, then the sequence $\{u_n\}$ converges strongly to \bar{u} .

Remark 18. Corollary 15 is also a special case of Theorem 17.

4. Main Results (II)

In this section, we consider that F and K are bounded mappings.

Theorem 19. *Let H be a real Hilbert space. Let $F, K : H \rightarrow H$ be bounded and monotone mappings. Suppose that $u + KF u = 0$ has a solution in H . Let $\{\lambda_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be a sequence in $(0, 1)$. Let $\{\alpha_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{\theta_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be sequences in $(0, 1)$. Let $\{u_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and*

$\{v_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be sequences in H defined iteratively from arbitrary $u_1, v_1 \in H$ by

$$\begin{aligned} u_{n+1} &= u_n - \lambda_n \alpha_n (Fu_n - v_n) - \lambda_n \theta_n (u_n - u_1), \\ v_{n+1} &= v_n - \lambda_n \alpha_n (Kv_n + u_n) - \lambda_n \theta_n (v_n - v_1), \quad n \in \mathbb{N}. \end{aligned} \quad (37)$$

Suppose that one of the following conditions holds:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(i)} \quad & \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\alpha_n^2}{\theta_n} \right) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lambda_n \alpha_n = 0; \\ \text{(ii)} \quad & \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\lambda_n}{\theta_n} \right) = 0; \\ \text{(iii)} \quad & \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\lambda_n}{\theta_n} \right) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lambda_n \alpha_n = 0; \\ \text{(iv)} \quad & \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\alpha_n}{\theta_n} \right) = 0. \end{aligned} \quad (38)$$

Then, the sequences $\{u_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$, $\{v_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$, $\{Fu_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$, and $\{Kv_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ are bounded.

Proof. Since F and K are bounded, we know that A is bounded. Hence, $\|A\| < \infty$. From the proof of Theorem 7, we know that

$$\begin{aligned} & \|w_{n+1} - \bar{w}\|^2 \\ & \leq (1 - \lambda_n \theta_n) \|w_n - \bar{w}\|^2 + 2\lambda_n \theta_n \langle w_1 - \bar{w}, w_{n+1} - \bar{w} \rangle \\ & \quad + 2\lambda_n \alpha_n \|Aw_n\| \cdot (\lambda_n \alpha_n \|Aw_n\| + \lambda_n \theta_n \|w_n - w_1\|) \\ & \leq (1 - \lambda_n \theta_n) \|w_n - \bar{w}\|^2 + 2\lambda_n \theta_n \langle w_1 - \bar{w}, w_{n+1} - \bar{w} \rangle \\ & \quad + 2\lambda_n^2 \alpha_n^2 \|A\|^2 \cdot \|w_n\|^2 + 2\lambda_n^2 \alpha_n \theta_n \|A\| \cdot \|w_n\| \cdot \|w_n - w_1\| \end{aligned} \quad (39)$$

for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$.

Choose $r_0 > 0$ such that $\max\{\|w_1\|, \|\bar{w}\|\} \leq r_0/8$. For conditions (i)–(iv), we only need to consider one case since the proof is similar. Now, we assume that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\lambda_n/\theta_n) = 0$. Then, there exists $n_0 \in \mathbb{N}$ such that

$$\frac{\lambda_n}{\theta_n} < \max \left\{ \frac{8}{81\|A\|^2}, \frac{1}{10\|A\|} \right\} \quad (40)$$

for each $n \geq n_0$. Choose $r > 1$ such that $r_0 < r$ and $\|w_{n_0}\| \leq r/8$. Let $B := B(\bar{w}, r)$. Clearly, $\|w_{n_0} - \bar{w}\| \leq r/4$.

Now, we want to show that $w_n \in B$ for each $n \geq n_0$. Clearly, $w_{n_0} \in B(\bar{w}, r)$. Suppose that $w_n \in B$ for some $n \geq n_0$. Then, $w_{n+1} \in B$. Indeed, if not, then we have

$$\|w_n - \bar{w}\| \leq r < \|w_{n+1} - \bar{w}\|. \quad (41)$$

Clearly, $\|w_n\| \leq \|w_n - \bar{w}\| + \|\bar{w}\| \leq 9r/8$. Hence, by (39) and (41), we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \|w_{n+1} - \bar{w}\|^2 \\ & \leq (1 - \lambda_n \theta_n) \|w_n - \bar{w}\|^2 + 2\lambda_n \theta_n \|w_1 - \bar{w}\| \cdot \|w_{n+1} - \bar{w}\| \\ & \quad + 2\lambda_n^2 \alpha_n^2 \|A\|^2 \cdot \|w_n\|^2 + 2\lambda_n^2 \alpha_n \theta_n \|A\| \cdot \|w_n\| \cdot \|w_n - w_1\| \\ & \leq (1 - \lambda_n \theta_n) r^2 + 2\lambda_n \theta_n \frac{r}{4} \cdot \|w_{n+1} - \bar{w}\| \\ & \quad + 2\lambda_n^2 \alpha_n^2 \|A\|^2 \cdot \frac{81}{64} r^2 + 2\lambda_n^2 \alpha_n \theta_n \|A\| \cdot \frac{10}{8} r^2 \\ & \leq (1 - \lambda_n \theta_n) \|w_{n+1} - \bar{w}\|^2 + \lambda_n \theta_n \frac{r}{2} \cdot \|w_{n+1} - \bar{w}\| \\ & \quad + \lambda_n^2 \alpha_n^2 \|A\|^2 \cdot \frac{81}{32} r^2 + \lambda_n^2 \alpha_n \theta_n \|A\| \cdot \frac{5}{2} r^2. \end{aligned} \quad (42)$$

This implies that

$$\begin{aligned} \|w_{n+1} - \bar{w}\|^2 & \leq \frac{r}{2} \cdot \|w_{n+1} - \bar{w}\| + \frac{81}{32} \cdot \frac{\lambda_n \alpha_n^2}{\theta_n} \|A\|^2 \cdot r^2 \\ & \quad + \frac{5}{2} \cdot \frac{\lambda_n \alpha_n \theta_n}{\theta_n} \|A\| \cdot r^2. \end{aligned} \quad (43)$$

Furthermore, we get

$$\begin{aligned} r < \|w_{n+1} - \bar{w}\| & \leq \frac{r}{2} + \frac{81}{32} \frac{\lambda_n \alpha_n^2}{\theta_n} \|A\|^2 \cdot r + \frac{5}{2} \cdot \frac{\lambda_n \alpha_n \theta_n}{\theta_n} \|A\| \cdot r \\ & \leq \frac{r}{2} + \frac{81}{32} \frac{\lambda_n}{\theta_n} \|A\|^2 \cdot r + \frac{5}{2} \cdot \frac{\lambda_n}{\theta_n} \|A\| \cdot r \\ & \leq r. \end{aligned} \quad (44)$$

This leads to a contradiction. So, $w_{n+1} \in B$. Hence, by mathematical induction, we know that $\{w_n\}_{n \geq n_0} \subseteq B$. Therefore, $\{u_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{v_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ are bounded sequences. Furthermore, $\{Fu_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{Kv_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ are bounded sequences since F and K are bounded mappings. \square

Remark 20. (i) Theorem 19 improves the conditions of [9, Theorem 3.1] if the space E is reduced to a real Hilbert space. Indeed, [9, Theorem 3.1] assumes that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\lambda_n/\theta_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\alpha_n/\theta_n) = 0$.

(ii) Furthermore, we know that it is impossible to assume that $\alpha_n = \theta_n = 1$ in [9, Theorem 3.1]. However, we can choose $\alpha_n = \theta_n = 1$ in our result. Indeed, if $\alpha_n = \theta_n = 1$ and $\lambda_n = \beta_n$, then we have the following result as special case of Theorem 19.

Corollary 21. *Let H be a real Hilbert space. Let $F, K : H \rightarrow H$ be bounded and monotone mappings. Suppose that $u + KF u = 0$ has a solution in H . Let $\{\beta_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be a sequence in $(0, 1)$.*

Let $\{u_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{v_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be sequences in H defined iteratively from arbitrary $u_1, v_1 \in H$ by

$$\begin{aligned} u_{n+1} &= u_n - \beta_n (Fu_n - v_n) - \beta_n (u_n - u_1), \\ v_{n+1} &= v_n - \beta_n (Kv_n + u_n) - \beta_n (v_n - v_1), \quad n \in \mathbb{N}. \end{aligned} \tag{45}$$

If $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \beta_n = 0$, then the sequences $\{u_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$, $\{v_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$, $\{Fu_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$, and $\{Kv_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ are bounded.

Following the same argument as the proof of Theorem 19, we get the following result. Note that Corollary 21 is also a special case of the following result.

Theorem 22. Let H be a real Hilbert space. Let $F, K : H \rightarrow H$ be bounded and monotone mappings. Suppose that $u + KF u = 0$ has a solution in H . Let $\{\alpha_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{\theta_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be sequences in $(0, 1]$. Let $\{u_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{v_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be sequences in H defined iteratively from arbitrary $u_1, v_1 \in H$ by

$$\begin{aligned} u_{n+1} &= u_n - \alpha_n (Fu_n - v_n) - \theta_n (u_n - u_1), \\ v_{n+1} &= v_n - \alpha_n (Kv_n + u_n) - \theta_n (v_n - v_1), \quad n \in \mathbb{N}. \end{aligned} \tag{46}$$

Suppose that one of the following conditions holds:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(i)} \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\alpha_n^2}{\theta_n} \right) &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n = 0; \\ \text{(ii)} \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\alpha_n}{\theta_n} \right) &= 0. \end{aligned} \tag{47}$$

Then, the sequences $\{u_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$, $\{v_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$, $\{Fu_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$, and $\{Kv_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ are bounded.

Following the similar argument as the proof of Theorem 12, we get the following result.

Theorem 23. Let H be a real Hilbert space. Let $F, K : H \rightarrow H$ be bounded and monotone mappings. Suppose that $u + KF u = 0$ has a solution in H . Let $\{\lambda_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be a sequence in $(0, 1)$. Let $\{\alpha_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{\theta_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be sequences in $(0, 1]$. Let $\{u_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{v_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be sequences in H defined iteratively from arbitrary $u_1, v_1 \in H$ by

$$\begin{aligned} u_{n+1} &= u_n - \lambda_n \alpha_n (Fu_n - v_n) - \lambda_n \theta_n (u_n - u_1), \\ v_{n+1} &= v_n - \lambda_n \alpha_n (Kv_n + u_n) - \lambda_n \theta_n (v_n - v_1), \quad n \in \mathbb{N}. \end{aligned} \tag{48}$$

Assume that

- (i) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \lambda_n \theta_n = \infty$; $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lambda_n \alpha_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lambda_n \theta_n = 0$;
- (ii) one of the following conditions holds:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a)} \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\alpha_n^2}{\theta_n} \right) &= 0; \\ \text{(b)} \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\lambda_n}{\theta_n} \right) &= 0; \\ \text{(c)} \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\alpha_n}{\theta_n} \right) &= 0; \end{aligned} \tag{49}$$

(iii) one of the following conditions holds:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(d)} \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \lambda_n^2 \alpha_n^2 < \infty; \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \lambda_n^2 \alpha_n \theta_n < \infty; \\ \text{(e)} \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \lambda_n^2 \alpha_n < \infty; \\ \text{(f)} \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\lambda_n \alpha_n^2}{\theta_n} \right) &= 0. \end{aligned} \tag{50}$$

Then, there exists a subset K_{\min} of $H \times H$ such that if $(\bar{u}, \bar{v}) \in K_{\min}$ with $\bar{v} = F\bar{u}$, then the sequence $\{u_n\}$ converges strongly to \bar{u} .

Remark 24. (i) The conclusion of Theorem 23 is still true if $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \lambda_n \theta_n = \infty$, $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\alpha_n^2 / \theta_n) = 0$, and $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lambda_n \alpha_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lambda_n \theta_n = 0$. Furthermore, the conclusion of Theorem 23 is still true if $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \lambda_n \theta_n = \infty$, $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\alpha_n / \theta_n) = 0$, and $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lambda_n = 0$.

(ii) Theorem 23 improves the conditions of [9, Theorem 3.2] if the space E is reduced to a real Hilbert space. Indeed, [9, Theorem 3.2] assumes that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\lambda_n / \theta_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\alpha_n / \theta_n) = 0$.

The following is a special case of Theorem 23.

Corollary 25. Let H be a real Hilbert space. Let $F, K : H \rightarrow H$ be bounded and monotone mappings. Suppose that $u + KF u = 0$ has a solution in H . Let $\{\beta_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be a sequence in $(0, 1)$. Let $\{u_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{v_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be sequences in H defined iteratively from arbitrary $u_1, v_1 \in H$ by

$$\begin{aligned} u_{n+1} &= u_n - \beta_n (Fu_n - v_n) - \beta_n (u_n - u_1), \\ v_{n+1} &= v_n - \beta_n (Kv_n + u_n) - \beta_n (v_n - v_1), \quad n \in \mathbb{N}. \end{aligned} \tag{51}$$

Assume that $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \beta_n = \infty$ and $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \beta_n = 0$. Then, there exists a subset K_{\min} of $H \times H$ such that if $(\bar{u}, \bar{v}) \in K_{\min}$ with $\bar{v} = F\bar{u}$, then the sequence $\{u_n\}$ converges strongly to \bar{u} .

The following is also a special case of Theorem 23.

Corollary 26. Let H be a real Hilbert space. Let $F, K : H \rightarrow H$ be bounded and monotone mappings. Suppose that $u + KF u = 0$ has a solution in H . Let $\{\lambda_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be a sequence in $(0, 1)$. Let $\{\theta_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be a sequence in $(0, 1]$. Let $\{u_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{v_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be sequences in H defined iteratively from arbitrary $u_1, v_1 \in H$ by

$$\begin{aligned} u_{n+1} &= u_n - \lambda_n \alpha_n (Fu_n - v_n) - \lambda_n \theta_n (u_n - u_1), \\ v_{n+1} &= v_n - \lambda_n \alpha_n (Kv_n + u_n) - \lambda_n \theta_n (v_n - v_1), \quad n \in \mathbb{N}. \end{aligned} \tag{52}$$

Assume that $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \lambda_n \theta_n = \infty$, $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lambda_n \theta_n = 0$, and $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\lambda_n / \theta_n) = 0$. Then, there exists a subset K_{\min} of $H \times H$ such that if $(\bar{u}, \bar{v}) \in K_{\min}$ with $\bar{v} = F\bar{u}$, then the sequence $\{u_n\}$ converges strongly to \bar{u} .

Furthermore, we get the following result. Note that Corollary 25 is also a special case of the following result.

Theorem 27. *Let H be a real Hilbert space. Let $F, K : H \rightarrow H$ be bounded and monotone mappings. Suppose that $u + KF u = 0$ has a solution in H . Let $\{\alpha_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{\theta_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be sequences in $(0, 1]$. Let $\{u_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{v_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be sequences in H defined iteratively from arbitrary $u_1, v_1 \in H$ by*

$$\begin{aligned} u_{n+1} &= u_n - \alpha_n (F u_n - v_n) - \theta_n (u_n - u_1), \\ v_{n+1} &= v_n - \alpha_n (K v_n + u_n) - \theta_n (v_n - v_1), \quad n \in \mathbb{N}. \end{aligned} \quad (53)$$

Assume that $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \theta_n = \infty$, $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \theta_n = 0$, and $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\alpha_n^2 / \theta_n) = 0$. Then, there exists a subset K_{\min} of $H \times H$ such that if $(\bar{u}, \bar{v}) \in K_{\min}$ with $\bar{v} = F\bar{u}$, then the sequence $\{u_n\}$ converges strongly to \bar{u} .

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