

Stability Results for Multistep Iteration Satisfying a General Contractive Condition of Integral Type in a Normed Linear Space

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Abstract

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In this paper, we prove some stability results for multistep iteration scheme by using maps satisfying contractive condition of integral type in a normed linear space. Our results are generalizations and extensions of some of the results of Berinde [1], Olatinwo [2], Osilike and Udomene [3], Rhoades [4, 5] and some other numerous results in the literature.

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1.0 Introduction

Let  $E$  be a normed space and  $T : E \rightarrow E$  a self map of  $E$ . For  $x_0 \in E$ , the Mann Iteration scheme [6] is the sequence  $\{x_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty}$  given by

$$x_{n+1} = (1 - \alpha_n)x_n + \alpha_nTx_n, \tag{1.1}$$

where  $\{\alpha_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty} \subset [0,1]$  such that  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \alpha_n \rightarrow \infty$ .

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$$\begin{aligned} x_{n+1} &= (1 - \alpha_n)x_n + \alpha_nTy_n \\ y_n &= (1 - \beta_n)x_n + \beta_nTx_n, \quad n \geq 0 \end{aligned} \tag{1.2}$$

where  $\{\alpha_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty}$  and  $\{\beta_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty}$  are appropriate sequences in  $[0,1]$  such that  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \alpha_n \rightarrow \infty$  is called the Ishikawa iteration scheme [7].

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$$\begin{aligned} x_{n+1} &= (1 - \alpha_n)x_n + \alpha_nTy_n \\ y_n &= (1 - \beta_n)x_n + \beta_nTz_n \\ z_n &= (1 - \gamma_n)x_n + \gamma_nTx_n, \quad n \geq 0 \end{aligned} \tag{1.3}$$

where  $\{\alpha_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty}$ ,  $\{\beta_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty}$  and  $\{\gamma_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty}$  are appropriate sequences in  $[0,1]$  such that  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \alpha_n \rightarrow \infty$  is called the Noor iteration scheme [8].

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For  $x_0 \in E$ , the sequence  $\{x_n\}_{n=0}^\infty$  defined by

$$\begin{aligned} x_{n+1} &= (1 - \alpha_n)x_n + \alpha_n T y_n^1 \\ y_n^i &= (1 - \beta_n^i)x_n + \beta_n^i T y_n^{i+1}, \quad i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, k - 2 \\ y_n^{k-1} &= (1 - \beta_n^{k-1})x_n + \beta_n^{k-1} T x_n, \quad k \geq 2 \end{aligned} \tag{1.4}$$

where  $\{\alpha_n\}_{n=0}^\infty, \{\beta_n^i\}_{n=0}^\infty, i = 1, 2, \dots, k - 1$  are appropriate sequences in  $[0, 1]$  such that  $\sum_{n=0}^\infty \alpha_n \rightarrow \infty$  is called a multistep iteration scheme [9].

**Definition 1.1.** Let  $(X, d)$  be a complete metric space and  $T : X \rightarrow X$  a selfmap of  $X$ . Suppose that  $F_T = \{p \in X : T_p = p\}$  is the set of fixed points of  $T$ . Let  $\{x_n\}_{n=0}^\infty \subset X$  be the sequence generated by an iteration scheme involving  $T$  which is defined by

$$x_{n+1} = f(T, x_n), \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \dots \tag{1.5}$$

where  $x_0 \in X$  is the initial approximation and  $f$  is some function. Suppose  $\{x_n\}_{n=0}^\infty$  converges to a fixed point  $p$  of  $T$ . Let  $\{y_n\}_{n=0}^\infty \subset X$  and set  $\varepsilon_n = d(y_{n+1}, f(T, y_n)), n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ . Then the iteration scheme (1.5) is T-stable if and only if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} y_n = p$ .

If in (1.5),  $f(T, x_n) = T x_n, n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ , then we have the Picard iteration scheme, while we obtain the Mann iteration scheme if

$$f(T, x_n) = (1 - \alpha_n)x_n + \alpha_n T x_n, \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \dots, \alpha_n \in [0, 1]. \tag{1.6}$$

Finally, if  $f(T, x_n) = (1 - \alpha_n)x_n + \alpha_n T y_n^1$

$$\begin{aligned} y_n^i &= (1 - \beta_n^i)x_n + \beta_n^i T y_n^{i+1}, \quad i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, k - 2 \\ y_n^{k-1} &= (1 - \beta_n^{k-1})x_n + \beta_n^{k-1} T x_n, \quad k \geq 2, \end{aligned} \tag{1.7}$$

we obtain the multistep iteration process.

**Definition 1.2 [2].** Let  $(X, d)$  be a complete metric space and  $T : X \rightarrow X$  a selfmap of  $X$ , there exists  $a \in [0, 1)$  and a monotone increasing function  $\varphi : R^+ \rightarrow R^+$  with  $\varphi(0) = 0$  such that

$$d(Tx, Ty) \leq ad(x, y) + \varphi(d(x, Tx)), \quad \forall x, y \in X. \tag{1.8}$$

Motivated by the contractive condition given by Olatinwo [2], Branciari [10] and Rhoades [11] gave the following contractive definition:

**Definition 1.3 [2].** For a selfmapping  $T : X \rightarrow X$ , there exists a real number  $c \in [0, 1)$  and a monotone increasing functions  $\nu, \psi : R^+ \rightarrow R^+$  such that  $\psi(0) = 0$  and  $\forall x, y \in X$ , we have

$$\int_0^{d(Tx,Ty)} \varphi(t)dv(t) \leq \psi\left(\int_0^{d(x,Tx)} \varphi(t)dv(t)\right) + c \int_0^{d(x,y)} \varphi(t)dv(t) \tag{1.9}$$

where  $\varphi : R^+ \rightarrow R^+$  is a Lebesgue-Stieltjes integrable mapping which is summable, nonnegative and such that for each

$$\varepsilon > 0, \int_0^\varepsilon \varphi(t)dv(t) > 0. \tag{1.10}$$

**Remark 1.4.** If in (1.10),  $\varphi(t) = 1$  and  $v(t) = t$ , we have condition (1.8).

**Lemma 1.5 [1].** If  $\delta$  is a real number such that  $0 \leq \delta < 1$ , and  $\{\varepsilon_n^{-1}\}_{n=0}^\infty$  is a sequence of positive numbers such that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \varepsilon_n^{-1} > 0$ , then for any sequence of positive numbers  $\{u_n\}_{n=0}^\infty$  satisfying

$$u_{n+1} \leq \delta u_n + \varepsilon_n^{-1}, n = 0,1,2,\dots, \tag{1.11}$$

we have  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n = 0$ .

**Lemma 1.6 [2].** Let  $(X, d)$  be a complete metric space and  $\varphi : R^+ \rightarrow R^+$  a Lebesgue Stieltjes integrable mapping which

is summable, nonnegative and such that for each  $\varepsilon > 0, \int_0^\varepsilon \varphi(t)dv(t) > 0$ . Suppose that  $\{u_n\}_{n=0}^\infty, \{v_n\}_{n=0}^\infty \subset X$  and

$\{a_n\}_{n=0}^\infty \subset (0,1)$  are sequences such that

$$\left| d(u_n, v_n) - \int_0^{d(u_n, v_n)} \varphi(t)dv(t) \right| \leq a_n, \tag{1.12}$$

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

$$d(u_n, v_n) - a_n \leq \int_0^{d(u_n, v_n)} \varphi(t)dv(t) \leq d(u_n, v_n) + a_n. \tag{1.13}$$

**Proof:**

By letting  $y = d(u_n, v_n) - \int_0^{d(u_n, v_n)} \varphi(t)dv(t)$  and using the definition of modulus function in  $|y|$ , we have (1.13).

**Remark 1.7 [2].** Lemma 1.6 is also applicable in normed linear space since metric is induced by a norm. that is

$$d(x, y) = \|x - y\|, \forall x, y \in X, \text{ whenever we are working in a normed linear space.}$$

Several authors have obtained different stability results for various maps in literature. It has been shown that the recent stability results of Olatinwo [2] generalizes and extends some other known results like that of Berinde [1], Osilike and Udomene [3], Rhoades [4, 5] and Harder and Hicks [12].

The main aim of this paper is to establish the stability of multistep iteration schemes (1.4) satisfying a general contractive condition of integral type in a normed linear space, thereby generalizing and extending the results of Olatinwo [8], which is in turn a generalization of other known stability results in the literature.

2 Main Results

**Theorem 2.1.** Let  $(E, \| \cdot \|)$  be a normed space and  $T : E \rightarrow E$  a self mapping of  $E$  satisfying

$$\int_0^{d(Tx, Ty)} \varphi(t) d\nu(t) \leq \psi \left( \int_0^{d(x, Tx)} \varphi(t) d\nu(t) \right) + c \int_0^{d(x, y)} \varphi(t) d\nu(t), \tag{2.1}$$

where  $c \in [0, 1)$  and  $\nu, \psi$  are monotonic increasing functions defined by  $\nu, \psi : \mathbb{R}^+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$  such that  $\psi(0) = 0, \forall x, y \in E$  and  $\varphi : \mathbb{R}^+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$  is a Lebesgue-Stieltjes integrable mapping which is summable, nonnegative and such that for each  $\varepsilon > 0, \int_0^\varepsilon \varphi(t) d\nu(t) > 0$ . Suppose  $T$  has a fixed point  $p$ . For  $x_0 \in E$ , Let  $\{x_n\}_{n=0}^\infty$  be the multistep iteration schemes defined by (1.4), where  $\{\alpha_n\}_{n=0}^\infty, \{\beta_n\}_{n=0}^\infty$  are sequences in  $[0, 1]$  such that  $0 < \beta^1 < \beta_n^1 (n = 0, 1, 2, \dots)$ . Then the multistep iteration schemes (1.4) is  $T$  – stable.

**Proof:**

Let  $\{z_n\}_{n=0}^\infty, \{u_n^i\}_{n=0}^\infty$  for  $i = 1, 2, \dots, k - 1$  be real sequences in  $E$ . Suppose  $\varepsilon_n = \| z_{n+1} - (1 - \alpha_n)z_n - \alpha_n T w_n^1 \|, n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$  (2.2)

where

$$w_n^1 = (1 - \beta_n^i)z_n + \beta_n^i T w_n^{i+1}, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, k - 2$$

$$w_n^{k-1} = (1 - \beta_n^{k-1})z_n + \beta_n^{k-1} T z_n, \quad k \geq 2, \tag{2.3}$$

and let  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \varepsilon_n = 0$ , then we shall show that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} z_n = p$ .

Let  $\{a_n\}_{n=0}^\infty \subset (0, 1)$ , then by Lemma (1.6), we have

$$\int_0^{\|z_{n+1} - p\|} \varphi(t) d\nu(t) \leq \| z_{n+1} - p \| + a_n$$

$$\leq (\| z_{n+1} - (1 - \alpha_n)z_n - \alpha_n T w_n^1 \| - a_n) + (1 - \alpha_n)(\| z_n - p \| - a_n)$$

$$+ \alpha_n (\| T p - T w_n^1 \| - a_n) + 3a_n \tag{2.4}$$

$$\leq \int_0^{\varepsilon_n} \varphi(t) d\nu(t) + (1 - \alpha_n) \int_0^{\|z_n - p\|} \varphi(t) d\nu(t) + \psi \left( \int_0^{\|p - T p\|} \varphi(t) d\nu(t) \right)$$

$$+ c \int_0^{\|p - w_n^1\|} \varphi(t) d\nu(t) + 3a_n. \tag{2.5}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \|w_n^1 - p\| &\leq (1 - \beta_n^1) \|z_n - p\| + \beta_n^1 \|Tw_n^2 - p\| \\ &\leq (1 - (1 - c)\beta_n^1 - (1 - c)c\beta_n^1\beta_n^2 - (1 - c)c^2\beta_n^1\beta_n^2\beta_n^3 \\ &\quad - \dots - (1 - c)c^{k-2}\beta_n^1\beta_n^2\beta_n^3 \dots \beta_n^{k-1}) \|z_n - p\| \\ &\leq (1 - (1 - c)\beta_n^1) \|z_n - p\|. \end{aligned} \tag{2.6}$$

Substituting (2.6) in (2.5), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\|z_{n+1}-p\|} \varphi(t)dv(t) &\leq \int_0^{\varepsilon_n} \varphi(t)dv(t) + (1 - \alpha_n) \int_0^{\|z_n-p\|} \varphi(t)dv(t) \\ &\quad + c\alpha_n(1 - (1 - c)\beta_n^1) \int_0^{\|z_n-p\|} \varphi(t)dv(t) + 3a_n. \end{aligned} \tag{2.7}$$

$$\int_0^{\|z_{n+1}-p\|} \varphi(t)dv(t) \leq (1 - (1 - c)\alpha_n - (1 - c)c\alpha_n\beta_n^1) \int_0^{\|z_n-p\|} \varphi(t)dv(t) + \int_0^{\varepsilon_n} \varphi(t)dv(t) + 3a_n. \tag{2.8}$$

Since  $0 < \alpha < \alpha_n$  and  $0 < \beta^1 < \beta_n^1$  for  $n \geq 1$ , we have

$$\int_0^{\|z_n-p\|} \varphi(t)dv(t) \leq (1 - (1 - c)\alpha - (1 - c)c\alpha\beta^1) \int_0^{\|z_n-p\|} \varphi(t)dv(t) + \int_0^{\varepsilon_n} \varphi(t)dv(t) + 3a_n. \tag{2.9}$$

Using Lemma 1.5, where

$$0 \leq \mathcal{D} = 1 - (1 - c)\alpha - (1 - c)c\alpha\beta^1 < 1, \tag{2.10}$$

$$u_n = \int_0^{\|z_n-p\|} \varphi(t)dv(t) \tag{2.11}$$

and  $\varepsilon_n^1 = \int_0^{\varepsilon_n} \varphi(t)dv(t) + 3a_n, \tag{2.12}$

with  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \varepsilon_n^1 = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\int_0^{\varepsilon_n} \varphi(t)dv(t) + 3a_n) = 0. \tag{2.13}$

and the fact that  $\int_0^\varepsilon \varphi(t)dv(t) > 0$ , for each  $\varepsilon > 0$  by Lemma 1.6, we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^{\|z_n-p\|} \varphi(t)dv(t) = 0. \text{ This implies that } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|z_n - p\| = 0. \text{ That is } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} z_n = p.$$

Conversely, let  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} z_n = p$ , by the contractive condition in Theorem 2.1, Lemma 1.6 and triangular inequality, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\varepsilon_n} \varphi(t) d\nu(t) &= \int_0^{\|z_{n+1}-p+(1-\alpha_n)z_n-\alpha_n Tw_n^{-1}\|} \varphi(t) d\nu(t) \leq \int_0^{\|z_{n+1}-p\|} \varphi(t) d\nu(t) + \int_0^{\|p-(1-\alpha_n)z_n-\alpha_n Tw_n^{-1}\|} \varphi(t) d\nu(t) \\ &\leq \int_0^{\|z_{n+1}-p\|} \varphi(t) d\nu(t) + (1-(1-c)\alpha_n - (1-c)c\alpha_n\beta_n^{-1}) \int_0^{\|z_n-p\|} \varphi(t) d\nu(t) + 3a_n \\ &\leq \int_0^{\|z_{n+1}-p\|} \varphi(t) d\nu(t) + (1-(1-c)\alpha - (1-c)c\alpha\beta^{-1}) \int_0^{\|z_n-p\|} \varphi(t) d\nu(t) + 3a_n. \end{aligned} \quad (2.14)$$

Since by assumption,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} z_n = p$  implies  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^{\|z_{n+1}-p\|} \varphi(t) d\nu(t) = 0$  and that

$$1 - (1-c)\alpha - (1-c)c\alpha\beta^{-1} < 1, \text{ it follows that}$$

$\int_0^\varepsilon \varphi(t) d\nu(t) = 0$  implies  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \varepsilon_n = 0$ . This completes the proof.

Theorem 2.1 leads to the following Corollaries:

**Corollary 2.2.** Let  $(E, \| \cdot \|)$  be a normed space and  $T : E \rightarrow E$  a self mapping of  $E$  satisfying

$$\int_0^{d(Tx,Ty)} \varphi(t) d\nu(t) \leq \psi \left( \int_0^{d(x,Tx)} \varphi(t) d\nu(t) \right) + c \int_0^{d(x,y)} \varphi(t) d\nu(t), \text{ where } c \in [0,1) \text{ and } \nu, \psi \text{ are monotonic increasing}$$

functions defined by  $\nu, \psi : R^+ \rightarrow R^+$  such that  $\psi(0) = 0, \forall x, y \in E$  and  $\varphi : R^+ \rightarrow R^+$  is a Lebesgue-Stieltjes

integrable mapping which is summable, nonnegative and such that for each  $\varepsilon > 0, \int_0^\varepsilon \varphi(t) d\nu(t) > 0$ . Suppose  $T$  has a

fixed point  $p$ . For  $x_0 \in E$ , Let  $\{x_n\}_{n=0}^\infty$  be the Noor iteration schemes defined by (1.3), where  $\{\alpha_n\}_{n=0}^\infty, \{\beta_n\}_{n=0}^\infty$  and  $\{\gamma_n\}_{n=0}^\infty$ , are sequences in  $[0,1]$  such that and  $0 < \alpha < \alpha_n (n = 0,1,2,\dots)$ . Then the Noor iteration scheme (1.3) is  $T$ -stable.

**Corollary 2.3.** Let  $(E, \| \cdot \|)$  be a normed space and  $T : E \rightarrow E$  a self mapping of  $E$  satisfying

$$\int_0^{d(Tx,Ty)} \varphi(t) d\nu(t) \leq \psi \left( \int_0^{d(x,Tx)} \varphi(t) d\nu(t) \right) + c \int_0^{d(x,y)} \varphi(t) d\nu(t), \text{ where } c \in [0,1) \text{ and } \nu, \psi \text{ are monotonic increasing}$$

functions defined by  $\nu, \psi : R^+ \rightarrow R^+$  such that  $\psi(0) = 0, \forall x, y \in E$  and  $\varphi : R^+ \rightarrow R^+$  is a Lebesgue-Stieltjes

integrable mapping which is summable, nonnegative and such that for each  $\varepsilon > 0, \int_0^\varepsilon \varphi(t) d\nu(t) > 0$ . Suppose  $T$  has a

fixed point  $p$ . For  $x_0 \in E$ , Let  $\{x_n\}_{n=0}^\infty$  be the Ishikawa iteration scheme defined by (1.2), where  $\{\alpha_n\}_{n=0}^\infty, \{\beta_n\}_{n=0}^\infty$  are

sequences in  $[0,1]$  such that and  $0 < \alpha < \alpha_n$  ( $n = 0,1,2,\dots$ ). Then the Ishikawa iteration scheme (1.2) is  $T$  – stable.

**Corollary 2.4.** Let  $(E, \| \cdot \|)$  be a normed space and  $T : E \rightarrow E$  a self mapping of  $E$  satisfying

$$\int_0^{d(Tx,Ty)} \varphi(t)dv(t) \leq \psi \left( \int_0^{d(x,Tx)} \varphi(t)dv(t) \right) + c \int_0^{d(x,y)} \varphi(t)dv(t),$$

where  $c \in [0,1]$  and  $\nu, \psi$  are monotonic increasing

functions defined by  $\nu, \psi : R^+ \rightarrow R^+$  such that  $\psi(0) = 0, \forall x, y \in E$  and  $\varphi : R^+ \rightarrow R^+$  is a Lebesgue-Stieltjes integrable mapping which is summable, nonnegative and such that for each  $\varepsilon > 0, \int_0^\varepsilon \varphi(t)dv(t) > 0$ . Suppose  $T$  has a

fixed point  $p$ . For  $x_0 \in E$ , Let  $\{x_n\}_{n=0}^\infty$  be the Mann iteration schemes defined by (1.1), where  $\{\alpha_n\}_{n=0}^\infty$  is sequence in  $[0,1]$  such that and  $0 < \alpha < \alpha_n$  ( $n = 0,1,2,\dots$ ). Then the Mann iteration scheme (1.1) is  $T$  – stable.

**Corollary 2.5.** Let  $(E, \| \cdot \|)$  be a normed space and  $T : E \rightarrow E$  a self mapping of  $E$  satisfying

$$\int_0^{d(Tx,Ty)} \varphi(t)dv(t) \leq \psi \left( \int_0^{d(x,Tx)} \varphi(t)dv(t) \right) + c \int_0^{d(x,y)} \varphi(t)dv(t),$$

where  $c \in [0,1]$  and  $\nu, \psi$  are monotonic increasing

functions defined by  $\nu, \psi : R^+ \rightarrow R^+$  such that  $\psi(0) = 0, \forall x, y \in E$  and  $\varphi : R^+ \rightarrow R^+$  is a Lebesgue-Stieltjes integrable mapping which is summable, nonnegative and such that for each  $\varepsilon > 0, \int_0^\varepsilon \varphi(t)dv(t) > 0$ . Suppose  $T$  has a

fixed point  $p$ . For  $x_0 \in E$ , Let  $\{x_n\}_{n=0}^\infty$  be the Picard iteration scheme defined by (1.5). Then the Picard iteration scheme (1.5) is  $T$  – stable.

**Conclusion 2.6.** Theorem 2.1 is a generalization and extension of Theorem 3 of Berinde [1], Theorem 3.1 and Theorem 3.2 of Olatinwo [2], Theorem 24 of Rhoades [4], Theorem 2 of Rhoades [5] and Theorem 3 of Harder and Hicks [12] in the sense that it considered the multistep iteration schemes which is more general than the Noor, Ishikawa, Mann and Picard iteration schemes considered by various other authors.

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