Journal of Nonlinear and Convex Analysis Volume 10, Number 3, 2009, 487–502



STRONG CONVERGENCE THEOREMS BY MONOTONE HYBRID METHOD FOR A FAMILY OF HEMI-RELATIVELY NONEXPANSIVE MAPPINGS IN BANACH SPACES

CHAKKRID KLIN-EAM, SUTHEP SUANTAI, AND WATARU TAKAHASHI

ABSTRACT. In this paper, we prove a strong convergence theorem by using monotone hybrid method for a family of hemi-relatively nonexpansive mappings. Using this theorem, we get some new results for a hemi-relatively nonexpansive mapping or a family of hemi-relatively nonexpansive mappings in a Banach space. Consequently, we obtain strong convergence theorems for a nonexpansive mapping or a family of nonexpansive mappings in a Hilbert space.

1. INTRODUCTION

Let *E* be a real Banach space with $\|\cdot\|$ and let *C* be a nonempty closed convex subset of *E*. Then a mapping *T* of *C* into itself is called *nonexpansive* if $\|Tx - Ty\| \leq \|x - y\|$ for all $x, y \in C$. We denote by F(T) the set of fixed points of *T*, that is, $F(T) = \{x \in C : x = Tx\}$. A mapping *T* of *C* into itself is called *quasi-nonexpansive* if F(T) is nonempty and $\|Tx - y\| \leq \|x - y\|$ for all $x \in C$ and $y \in F(T)$. It is easy to see that if *T* is nonexpansive with $F(T) \neq \emptyset$, then it is quasi-nonexpansive.

The theory of nonexpansive mappings is an important subject which can be applied widely in applied areas, in particular, in image recovery and signal processing [3-4]. However, the Picard's sequence $\{T^n x\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ of iterates of a nonexpansive mapping T at a point $x \in C$ may not converge even in the weak topology. In 1953, Mann [13] introduced an iterative scheme which is now known as Mann's iteration process. This iteration is defined as follows:

(1.1)
$$x_{n+1} = \alpha_n x_n + (1 - \alpha_n) T x_n, \ n \ge 0,$$

where the initial guess $x_0 \in C$ is chosen arbitrarily and the sequence $\{\alpha_n\}$ is in the interval [0, 1]. However, we note that Mann's iteration has only weak convergence even in a Hilbert space.

In 2003, Nakajo and Takahashi [18] proposed the following modification of Mann's iteration process (1.1), by using the following hybrid method in mathematical programming, for a single nonexpansive mapping $T: C \to C$ in a Hilbert space H: Let

²⁰⁰⁰ Mathematics Subject Classification. 47H05, 47H10.

Key words and phrases. Monotone hybrid method, hemi-relatively nonexpansive mapping, NSTcondition, fixed point, Banach space, generalized projection.

The authors would like to thank the Thailand Research Fund (RGJ Project) and Commission on Higher Education for their financial support during the preparation of this paper. The first author was supported by the Royal Golden Jubilee Grant PHD/0018/2550 and the Graduate School, Chiang Mai University, Thailand.

 $x_1 = x \in C$ and define $\{x_n\}$ by

(1.2)
$$\begin{cases} u_n = \alpha_n x_n + (1 - \alpha_n) T x_n, \\ C_n = \{ z \in C : ||z - u_n|| \le ||z - x_n|| \}, \\ Q_n = \{ z \in C : \langle x_n - z, x - x_n \rangle \ge 0 \}, \\ x_{n+1} = P_{C_n \cap Q_n} x \end{cases}$$

for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, where $\{\alpha_n\} \subset [0, 1]$. They proved that the sequence $\{x_n\}$ generated by (1.2) converges strongly to a fixed point of T under an appropriate control condition on the sequence $\{\alpha_n\}$.

In 2008, Takahashi, Takeuchi and Kubota [28] proposed the following modification of the iteration method (1.2) for a family of nonexpansive mappings $T_n : C \to C$ in a Hilbert space H: Let $x_1 = x \in C$ and define $\{x_n\}$ by

(1.3)
$$\begin{cases} u_n = \alpha_n x_n + (1 - \alpha_n) T_n x_n, \\ C_n = \{ z \in C : \| z - u_n \| \le \| z - x_n \| \}, \\ Q_n = \{ z \in C : \langle x_n - z, x - x_n \rangle \ge 0 \}, \\ x_{n+1} = P_{C_n \cap Q_n} x \end{cases}$$

for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, where $\{\alpha_n\} \subset [0, 1]$. They proved strong convergence of the sequence $\{x_n\}$ generated by (1.3) under an appropriate control condition on the sequence $\{\alpha_n\}$ and under the condition that the families $\{T_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ satisfies the NST-condition.

In 2008, Qin and Su [19] proposed the following modification of the iteration (1.2) called the *monotone hybrid method* for a nonexpansive mapping T in a Hilbert space as follows: Define $\{x_n\}$ by

(1.4)
$$\begin{cases} x_1 = x \in C, \ C_0 = Q_0 = C, \\ u_n = \alpha_n x_n + (1 - \alpha_n) T x_n, \\ C_n = \{ z \in C_{n-1} \cap Q_{n-1} : \| z - u_n \| \le \| z - x_n \| \}, \\ Q_n = \{ z \in C_{n-1} \cap Q_{n-1} : \langle x_n - z, x - x_n \rangle \ge 0 \}, \\ x_{n+1} = P_{C_n \cap Q_n} x \end{cases}$$

for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, where $\{\alpha_n\} \subset [0, 1]$. By using this method, they proved a strong convergence theorem under a control condition on the sequence $\{\alpha_n\}$ but the technic they used in this paper is different from Nakajo and Takahashi [18]. More precisely, they can show that the sequence $\{x_n\}$ generated by (1.4) is a Cauchy sequence, without the use of demiclosedness principle, Opial's condition and the Kadec-Klee property.

Recently, Su, Wang and Shang [25] proposed the following monotone hybrid method with generalized projection for a hemi-relatively noexpansive mapping T in a Banach space: Define $\{x_n\}$ by

(1.5)
$$\begin{cases} x_1 = x \in C, \ C_0 = Q_0 = C, \\ u_n = J^{-1} (\alpha_n J x_n + (1 - \alpha_n) J T x_n), \\ C_n = \{ z \in C_{n-1} \cap Q_{n-1} : \phi(z, u_n) \le \phi(z, x_n) \}, \\ Q_n = \{ z \in C_{n-1} \cap Q_{n-1} : \langle x_n - z, J x - J x_n \rangle \ge 0 \}, \\ x_{n+1} = \prod_{C_n \cap Q_n} x \end{cases}$$

489

where J is the duality mapping on E and $\{\alpha_n\} \subset [0,1]$. They proved that if $\limsup_{n\to\infty} \alpha_n < 1$, then the sequence $\{x_n\}$ generated by (1.5) converges strongly to $\Pi_{F(T)}^{n\to\infty} x_0$, where $\Pi_{F(T)}$ is the generalized projection from C onto F(T).

Employing the ideas of Qin and Su [19] and of Takahashi et al. [28] and Su et al. [25], we modify iterations (1.3), (1.4) and (1.5) for a countable family of hemi-relatively nonexpansive mappings in a Banach space and prove a strong convergence theorem in a Banach space. Using this theorem, we obtain some strong convergence theorems for a countable family of hemi-relatively nonexpansive mappings in a Banach space. Consequently, we obtain strong convergence theorems for a nonexpansive mapping or a family of nonexpansive mappings in a Hilbert space.

2. Preliminaries

Throughout this paper, all linear spaces are real. Let \mathbb{N} and \mathbb{R} be the sets of all positive integers and real numbers, respectively. Let E be a Banach space and let E^* be the dual space of E. For a sequence $\{x_n\}$ of E and a point $x \in E$, the weak convergence of $\{x_n\}$ to x and the strong convergence of $\{x_n\}$ to x are denoted by $x_n \to x$ and $x_n \to x$, respectively. The duality mapping J from E into 2^{E^*} is defined by

$$Jx = \{x^* \in E^* : \langle x, x^* \rangle = \|x\|^2 = \|x^*\|^2\}, \ \forall x \in E.$$

Let S(E) be the unit sphere centered at the origin of E. Then the space E is said to be *smooth* if the limit

$$\lim_{t \to 0} \frac{\|x + ty\| - \|x\|}{t}$$

exists for all $x, y \in S(E)$. It is also said to be *uniformly smooth* if the limit exists uniformly in $x, y \in S(E)$. A Banach space E is said to be *strictly convex* if $\|\frac{x+y}{2}\| < 1$ whenever $x, y \in S(E)$ and $x \neq y$. It is said to be *uniformly convex* if for each $\epsilon \in (0, 2]$, there exists $\delta > 0$ such that $\|\frac{x+y}{2}\| < 1 - \delta$ whenever $x, y \in S(E)$ and $\|x-y\| \geq \epsilon$. We know the following; see [26]:

(i) If E is smooth, then J is single-valued;

- (ii) if E is reflexive, then J is onto;
- (iii) if E is strictly convex, then J is one-to-one;
- (iv) if E is strictly convex, then J is strictly monotone;
- (v) if E is uniformly smooth, then J is uniformly norm-to-norm continuous on each bounded subset of E.

Let E be a smooth, strictly convex and reflexive Banach space and let C be a closed convex subset of E. Throughout this paper, define the function $\phi : E \times E \to \mathbb{R}$ by

(2.1)
$$\phi(y,x) = \|y\|^2 - 2\langle y, Jx \rangle + \|x\|^2, \ \forall y, x \in E.$$

Observe that, in a Hilbert space H, $\phi(x, y) = ||x - y||^2$ for all $x, y \in H$. It is obvious from the definition of the function ϕ that, for all $x, y \in E$,

- $(1) (||x|| ||y||)^2 \le \phi(x, y) \le (||x|| + ||y||)^2,$
- $(2) \phi(x,y) = \phi(x,z) + \phi(z,y) + 2\langle x-z, Jz Jy \rangle,$
- $(3) \phi(x, y) = \langle x, Jx Jy \rangle + \langle y x, Jy \rangle \le ||x|| ||Jx Jy|| + ||y x|| ||y||.$

Following Alber [1], the generalized projection Π_C from E onto C is a map that assigns to an arbitrary point $x \in E$ the minimum point \bar{x} of the functional $\phi(y, x)$, that is, \bar{x} is the solution to the minimization problem

$$\phi(\bar{x}, x) = \min_{y \in C} \phi(y, x).$$

Existence and uniqueness of the operator Π_C follow from the properties of the functional $\phi(x, y)$ and strict monotonicity of the mapping J. In a Hilbert space, Π_C is the metric projection of H onto C.

Let C be a closed convex subset of a Banach space E, and let T be a mapping from C into itself. We denote by F(T) the set of fixed points of T, that is, $F(T) = \{x \in C : x = Tx\}$. Recall that a self-mapping $T : C \to C$ is hemi-relatively nonexpansive if $\phi(u, Tx) \leq \phi(u, x)$ for all $x \in C$ and $u \in F(T)$.

A point $u \in C$ is said to be an *asymptotic* fixed point of T [21] if C contains a sequence $\{x_n\}$ which converges weakly to u and $\lim_{n\to\infty} ||x_n - Tx_n|| = 0$. We denote the set of all asymptotic fixed points of T by $\widehat{F}(T)$. A hemi-relatively nonexpansive mapping $T: C \to C$ is said to be *relatively nonexpansive* if $\widehat{F}(T) = F(T) \neq \emptyset$. The asymptotic behavior of a relatively nonexpansive mapping was studied in [2].

We need the following lemmas for the proofs of our main results.

Lemma 2.1 (Kamimura and Takahashi [8]). Let *E* be a uniformly convex and smooth Banach space and let $\{x_n\}$ and $\{y_n\}$ be two sequences in *E* such that either $\{x_n\}$ or $\{y_n\}$ is bounded. If $\lim_{n\to\infty} \phi(x_n, y_n) = 0$, then $\lim_{n\to\infty} \|x_n - y_n\| = 0$.

Lemma 2.2 (Matsushita and Takahashi [16]). Let C be a closed convex subset of a smooth, strictly convex, and reflexive Banach space E and let T be a hemi-relatively nonexpansive mapping from C into itself. Then F(T) is closed and convex.

Lemma 2.3 (Alber [1], Kamimura and Takahashi [8]). Let C be a closed convex subset of a smooth, strictly convex and reflexive Banach space, $x \in E$ and let $z \in C$. Then, $z = \prod_C x$ if and only if $\langle y - z, Jx - Jz \rangle \leq 0$ for all $y \in C$.

Lemma 2.4 (Alber [1], Kamimura and Takahashi [8]). Let C be a closed convex subset of a smooth, strictly convex and reflexive Banach space. Then

$$\phi(x, \Pi_C y) + \phi(\Pi_C y, y) \le \phi(x, y), \ \forall x \in C, \ y \in E.$$

Lemma 2.5 (Kamimura and Takahashi [8]). Let E be a uniformly convex and smooth Banach space and let r > 0. Then there exists a strictly increasing, continuous and convex function $g: [0, \infty) \to [0, \infty)$ such that g(0) = 0 and

$$g(\|x - y\|) \le \phi(x, y)$$

for all $x, y \in B_r(0)$, where $B_r(0) = \{z \in E : ||z|| \le r\}$.

Lemma 2.6 (Zalinescu [29]). Let E be a uniformly convex Banach space and let r > 0. Then there exists a strictly increasing, continuous and convex function $g: [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ such that g(0) = 0 and

$$||tx + (1-t)y||^2 \le t||x||^2 + (1-t)||y||^2 - t(1-t)g(||x-y||)$$

for all $x, y \in B_r(0)$ and $t \in [0, 1]$, where $B_r(0) = \{z \in E : ||z|| \le r\}$.

Lemma 2.7 (Kohsaka and Takahashi [11]). Let E be a reflexive, strictly convex and smooth Banach space, let $z \in E$ and let $\{t_i\}_{i=1}^m \subset (0,1)$ with $\sum_{i=1}^m t_i = 1$. If $\{x_i\}_{i=1}^m$ is a finite sequence in E such that

$$\phi(z, J^{-1}(\sum_{i=1}^{m} t_i J x_i)) = \sum_{i=1}^{m} t_i \phi(z, x_i),$$

then $x_1 = x_2 = \cdots = x_m$.

3. NST-CONDITION

Let E be a real Banach space and let C be a closed convex subset of E. Motivated by Nakajo, Shimoji and Takahashi [17], we give the following definitions: Let $\{T_n\}$ and \mathcal{T} be two families of hemi-relatively noexpansive mappings of C into E such that $\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} F(T_n) = F(\mathcal{T}) \neq \emptyset$, where $F(T_n)$ is the set of all fixed points of T_n and \mathcal{T} is the set of all common fixed points of \mathcal{T} . Then, $\{T_n\}$ is said to satisfy the *NST-condition* with \mathcal{T} if for each bounded sequence $\{x_n\} \subset C$,

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \|x_n - T_n x_n\| = 0 \Rightarrow \lim_{n \to \infty} \|x_n - T x_n\| = 0, \text{ for all } T \in \mathcal{T}.$$

In particular, if $\mathcal{T} = \{T\}$, i.e., \mathcal{T} consists of one mapping T, then $\{T_n\}$ is said to satisfy the NST-condition with T. It is obvious that $\{T_n\}$ with $T_n = T$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$ satisfies the NST-condition with $\mathcal{T} = \{T\}$.

Lemma 3.1. Let C be a closed convex subset of a uniformly smooth and uniformly convex Banach space E and let T be a hemi-relatively nonexpansive mapping from C into E with $F(T) \neq \emptyset$. Let $\{\beta_n\} \subset [0,1]$ satisfy $\liminf_{n \to \infty} \beta_n(1-\beta_n) > 0$. For $n \in \mathbb{N}$, define a mapping T_n from C into E by

$$T_n x = J^{-1} \left(\beta_n J x + (1 - \beta_n) J T x \right)$$

for all $x \in C$, where J is the duality mapping on E. Then, $\{T_n\}$ is a countable family of hemi-relatively nonexpansive mappings satisfying the NST-condition with T.

Proof. First, we can show that $F(T_n) = F(T)$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Then $\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} F(T_n) = F(T)$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$ and T_n is a hemi-relatively nonexpansive mapping. Indeed, for $u \in F(T_n)$ and $x \in C$, we obtain that

$$\phi(u, T_n x) = \phi(u, J^{-1}(\beta_n J x + (1 - \beta_n) J T x))$$

= $||u||^2 - 2\langle u, \beta_n J x + (1 - \beta_n) J T x \rangle + ||\beta_n J x + (1 - \beta_n) J T x||^2$
 $\leq ||u||^2 - 2\beta_n \langle u, J x \rangle - 2(1 - \beta_n) \langle u, J T x \rangle + \beta_n ||x||^2 + (1 - \beta_n) ||T x||^2$
= $\beta_n \phi(u, x) + (1 - \beta_n) \phi(u, T x)$
 $\leq \beta_n \phi(u, x) + (1 - \beta_n) \phi(u, x) = \phi(u, x)$

for all $x \in C$. Hence T_n is hemi-relatively nonexpansive.

Next, we show that $\lim_{n\to\infty} ||x_n - Tx_n|| = 0$ whenever $\{x_n\}$ is a bounded sequence in C such that $\lim_{n\to\infty} ||x_n - T_nx_n|| = 0$. To show this, suppose that $\{x_n\}$ a bounded sequence in C such that $\lim_{n\to\infty} ||x_n - T_nx_n|| = 0$. Since $\{x_n\}$ is bounded, we obtain that $\{Jx_n\}$ and $\{JTx_n\}$ are also bounded. Put r = $\max\{\sup_n ||x_n||, \sup_n ||Jx_n||, \sup_n ||JTx_n||\}$. Then there exists r > 0 such that $\{x_n\}, \{Jx_n\}, \{JTy_n\} \subset B_r(0)$. Therefore Lemma 2.6 is applicable and we observe that for $u \in \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} F(T_n)$,

$$\begin{split} \phi(u, T_n x_n) &= \phi(u, J^{-1} \big(\beta_n J x_n + (1 - \beta_n) J T x_n \big) \big) \\ &= \| u \|^2 - 2 \langle u, \beta_n J x_n + (1 - \beta_n) J T x_n \rangle + \| \beta_n J x_n + (1 - \beta_n) J T x_n \|^2 \\ &\leq \| u \|^2 - 2 \beta_n \langle u, J x_n \rangle - 2 (1 - \beta_n) \langle u, J T x_n \rangle + \beta_n \| x_n \|^2 + (1 - \beta_n) \| T x_n \|^2 \\ &- \beta_n (1 - \beta_n) g(\| J x_n - J T x_n \|) \\ &= \beta_n \phi(u, x_n) + (1 - \beta_n) \phi(u, T x_n) - \beta_n (1 - \beta_n) g(\| J x_n - J T x_n \|) \\ &\leq \beta_n \phi(u, x_n) + (1 - \beta_n) \phi(u, x_n) - \beta_n (1 - \beta_n) g(\| J x_n - J T x_n \|) \\ &= \phi(u, x_n) - \beta_n (1 - \beta_n) g(\| J x_n - J T x_n \|). \end{split}$$

That is, we have

(3.1)
$$\beta_n(1-\beta_n)g(\|Jx_n-JTx_n\|) \le \phi(u,x_n) - \phi(u,T_nx_n).$$

Let $\{\|x_{n_k} - Tx_{n_k}\|\}$ be any subsequence of $\{\|x_n - Tx_n\|\}$. Since $\{x_{n_k}\}$ is bounded, there exists a subsequence $\{x_{n'_i}\}$ of $\{x_{n_k}\}$ such that

$$\lim_{j \to \infty} \phi(u, x_{n'_j}) = \limsup_{k \to \infty} \phi(u, x_{n_k}) = a,$$

where $u \in \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} F(T_n)$. Using properties (2) and (3) of ϕ , we have

$$\begin{split} \phi(u, x_{n'_j}) &= \phi(u, T_{n'_j} x_{n'_j}) + \phi(T_{n'_j} x_{n'_j}, x_{n'_j}) + 2\langle u - T_{n'_j} x_{n'_j}, J T_{n'_j} x_{n'_j} - J x_{n'_j} \rangle \\ &\leq \phi(u, T_{n'_j} x_{n'_j}) + \|T_{n'_j} x_{n'_j}\| \|J T_{n'_j} x_{n'_j} - J x_{n'_j}\| + \|T_{n'_j} x_{n'_j} - x_{n'_j}\| \|x_{n'_j}\| \\ &+ 2\|u - T_{n'_j} x_{n'_j}\| \|J T_{n'_j} x_{n'_j} - J x_{n'_j}\|. \end{split}$$

Since $\lim_{n\to\infty} ||x_n - T_n x_n|| = 0$ and E is uniformly smooth, we have

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \|Jx_n - JT_n x_n\| = 0.$$

So, it follows that

$$a = \liminf_{j \to \infty} \phi(u, x_{n'_j}) \le \liminf_{j \to \infty} \phi(u, T_{n'_j} x_{n'_j}).$$

Since $\phi(u, T_n x_n) \leq \phi(u, x_n)$, we have

$$\limsup_{j \to \infty} \phi(u, T_{n'j} x_{n'_j}) \le \limsup_{j \to \infty} \phi(u, x_{n'_j}) = a.$$

Hence

$$\lim_{j \to \infty} \phi(u, x_{n'_j}) = \lim_{j \to \infty} \phi(u, T_{n'_j} x_{n'_j}) = a.$$

Since $\liminf_{n\to\infty} \beta_n(1-\beta_n) > 0$, it follows from (3.1) that

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} g(\|Jx_{n_j} - JTx_{n_j}\|) = 0.$$

By properties of the function g, we have $\lim_{j\to\infty} \|Jx_{n'_j} - JTx_{n'_j}\| = 0$. Since J^{-1} is also uniformly norm-to-norm continuous on bounded sets, we obtain $\lim_{j\to\infty} \|x_{n'_j} - Tx_{n'_j}\| = 0$ and then $\lim_{n\to\infty} \|x_n - Tx_n\| = 0$.

Lemma 3.2. Let C be a closed convex subset of a uniformly smooth and uniformly convex Banach space E and let S and T be hemi-relatively nonexpansive mappings from C into E with $F(S) \cap F(T) \neq \emptyset$. Let $\{\beta_n\} \subset [0,1]$ satisfy $\liminf_{n \to \infty} \beta_n(1-\beta_n) > 0$. For $n \in \mathbb{N}$, define a mapping T_n from C into E by

$$T_n x = J^{-1} \left(\beta_n J S x + (1 - \beta_n) J T x \right)$$

for all $x \in C$, where J is the duality mapping on E. Then, $\{T_n\}$ is a countable family of hemi-relatively nonexpansive mappings satisfying the NST-condition with $\mathcal{T} = \{S, T\}.$

Proof. First, we can easily show that $\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} F(T_n) = F(\mathcal{T})$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$ and T_n is a hemi-relatively nonexpansive mapping. Indeed, note that $F(\mathcal{T}) = F(S) \cap F(T) \subset \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} F(T_n)$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$. For $u \in F(S) \cap F(T)$ and $x \in C$, we obtain that

$$\phi(u, T_n x) = \phi(u, J^{-1}(\beta_n JSx + (1 - \beta_n)JTx))$$

= $||u||^2 - 2\langle u, \beta_n JSx + (1 - \beta_n)JTx \rangle + ||\beta_n JSx + (1 - \beta_n)JTx||^2$
 $\leq ||u||^2 - 2\beta_n \langle u, JSx \rangle - 2(1 - \beta_n) \langle u, JTx \rangle + \beta_n ||Sx||^2 + (1 - \beta_n) ||Tx||^2$
= $\beta_n \phi(u, Sx) + (1 - \beta_n) \phi(u, Tx)$
 $\leq \beta_n \phi(u, x) + (1 - \beta_n) \phi(u, x)$
= $\phi(u, x).$

Then, for all $v \in F(T_n)$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \phi(u,v) &= \phi(u, T_n v) = \phi(u, J^{-1}(\beta_n J S v + (1 - \beta_n) J T v)) \\ &= \|u\|^2 - 2\langle u, \beta_n J S v + (1 - \beta_n) J T v \rangle + \|\beta_n J S v + (1 - \beta_n) J T v\|^2 \\ &\leq \|u\|^2 - 2\beta_n \langle u, J S x \rangle - 2(1 - \beta_n) \langle u, J T v \rangle + \beta_n \|S v\|^2 + (1 - \beta_n) \|T v\|^2 \\ &= \beta_n \phi(u, S v) + (1 - \beta_n) \phi(u, T v) \\ &\leq \beta_n \phi(u, v) + (1 - \beta_n) \phi(u, v) = \phi(u, v). \end{aligned}$$

That is, we have

$$\phi(u, J^{-1}(\beta n J Sv + (1 - \beta_n) J Tv)) = \beta_n \phi(u, Sv) + (1 - \beta_n) \phi(u, Tv) = \phi(u, v).$$

By Lemma 2.7, we have $v = Sv = Tv$. So $F(T_n) \subset F(S) \cap F(T)$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$. This implies that $\bigcap_{n \in \mathbb{N}}^{\infty} F(T_n) = F(T)$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$

implies that $\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} F(T_n) = F(\mathcal{T})$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Next, we show that $\lim_{n\to\infty} ||x_n - Tx_n|| = \lim_{n\to\infty} ||x_n - Sx_n|| = 0$ if $\{x_n\}$ is a bounded sequence in C such that $\lim_{n\to\infty} ||x_n - T_nx_n|| = 0$. By Lemma 2.6, we have that for $u \in \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} F(T_n)$,

$$\begin{split} \phi(u, T_n x_n) &= \phi(u, J^{-1} \big(\beta_n J S x_n + (1 - \beta_n) J T x_n \big) \big) \\ &= \|u\|^2 - 2 \langle u, \beta_n J S x_n + (1 - \beta_n) J T x_n \rangle + \|\beta_n J S x_n + (1 - \beta_n) J T x_n \|^2 \\ &\leq \|u\|^2 - 2 \beta_n \langle u, J S x_n \rangle - 2(1 - \beta_n) \langle u, J T x_n \rangle + \beta_n \|S x_n\|^2 \\ &+ (1 - \beta_n) \|T x_n\|^2 - \beta_n (1 - \beta_n) g(\|J S x_n - J T x_n\|) \\ &= \beta_n \phi(u, S x_n) + (1 - \beta_n) \phi(u, T x_n) - \beta_n (1 - \beta_n) g(\|J S x_n - J T x_n\|) \\ &\leq \beta_n \phi(u, x_n) + (1 - \beta_n) \phi(u, x_n) - \beta_n (1 - \beta_n) g(\|J S x_n - J T x_n\|) \\ &= \phi(u, x_n) - \beta_n (1 - \beta_n) g(\|J S x_n - J T x_n\|), \end{split}$$

where $g: [0, \infty) \to [0, \infty)$ is a continuous strictly increasing and convex function with g(0) = 0. That is

(3.2)
$$\beta_n(1-\beta_n)g(\|JSx_n-JTx_n\|) \le \phi(u,x_n) - \phi(u,T_nx_n).$$

Let $\{\|Sx_{n_k} - Tx_{n_k}\|\}$ be any subsequence of $\{\|Sx_n - Tx_n\|\}$. Since $\{x_{n_k}\}$ is bounded, there exists a subsequence $\{x_{n'_i}\}$ of $\{x_{n_k}\}$ such that

$$\lim_{j \to \infty} \phi(u, x_{n'_j}) = \limsup_{k \to \infty} \phi(u, x_{n_k}) = a,$$

where $u \in \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} F(T_n)$. Using properties (2) and (3) of ϕ , we have

$$\begin{split} \phi(u, x_{n'_j}) &= \phi(u, T_{n'_j} x_{n'_j}) + \phi(T_{n'_j} x_{n'_j}, x_{n'_j}) + 2\langle u - T_{n'_j} x_{n'_j}, JT_{n'_j} x_{n'_j} - Jx_{n'_j} \rangle \\ &\leq \phi(u', T_{n'_j} x_{n'_j}) + \|T_{n'_j} x_{n'_j}\| \|JT_{n'_j} x_{n'_j} - Jx_{n'_j}\| + \|T_{n'_j} x_{n'_j} - x_{n'_j}\| \|x_{n'_j}\| \\ &+ 2\|u - T_{n'_j} x_{n'_j}\| \|JT_{n'_j} x_{n'_j} - Jx_{n'_j}\|. \end{split}$$

Since $\lim_{n\to\infty} ||x_n - T_n x_n|| = 0$ and E is uniformly smooth, we have

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \|Jx_n - JT_n x_n\| = 0.$$

So, it follows that

$$a = \liminf_{j \to \infty} \phi(u, x_{n'_j}) \leq \liminf_{j \to \infty} \phi(u, T_{n'_j} x_{n'_j}).$$

Since $\phi(u, T_n x_n) \leq \phi(u, x_n)$, we have

$$\limsup_{j\to\infty}\phi(u,T_{n'_j}x_{n'_j})\leq\limsup_{j\to\infty}\phi(u,x_{n'_j})=a.$$

It follows that

$$\lim_{j \to \infty} \phi(u, x_{n'_j}) = \lim_{j \to \infty} \phi(u, T_{n'_j} x_{n'_j}) = a.$$

Since $\liminf_{n\to\infty} \beta_n(1-\beta_n) > 0$, it follows from (3.2) that

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} g(\|JSx_{n'_j} - JTx_{n'_j}\|) = 0.$$

By properties of the function g, we have $\lim_{j\to\infty} \|JSx_{n'_j} - JTx_{n'_j}\| = 0$. Since J^{-1} is also uniformly norm-to-norm continuous on bounded sets, we obtain $\lim_{j\to\infty} \|Sx_{n'_j} - Tx_{n'_j}\| = 0$ and then $\lim_{n\to\infty} \|Sx_n - Tx_n\| = 0$. Since

$$||Jx_n - JSx_n|| \le ||Jx_n - JT_nx_n|| + ||JT_nx_n - JSx_n|| = ||Jx_n - JT_nx_n|| + (1 - \beta_n)||JSx_n - JTx_n||.$$

we obtain $\lim_{n\to\infty} ||Jx_n - JSx_n|| = 0$. Hence, we have $\lim_{n\to\infty} ||Jx_n - JTx_n|| = 0$. Since J^{-1} is also uniformly norm-to-norm continuous on bounded sets, we obtain $\lim_{n\to\infty} ||x_n - Sx_n|| = 0$ and hence, $\lim_{n\to\infty} ||x_n - Tx_n|| = 0$.

4. Strong convergence theorem

In this section, we prove a strong convergence theorem for a family of hemirelatively nonexpansive mappings in a Banach space by using the monotone hybrid method. Recall that an operator T in a Banach space is called *closed*, if $x_n \to x$ and $Tx_n \to y$, then Tx = y.

Theorem 4.1. Let E be a uniformly convex and uniformly smooth Banach space and let C be a nonempty closed convex subset of E. Let $\{T_n\}$ be a countable family of hemi-relatively nonexpansive mappings from C into E and let \mathcal{T} be a family of closed hemi-relatively nonexpansive mappings from C into E such that $\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} F(T_n) =$ $F(\mathcal{T}) \neq \emptyset$. Suppose that $\{T_n\}$ satisfies the NST-condition with \mathcal{T} . Let $\{x_n\}$ be a sequence generated by

$$\begin{array}{l} x_1 = x \in C, \ C_0 = Q_0 = C, \\ u_n = J^{-1} \big(\alpha_n J x_n + (1 - \alpha_n) J T_n x_n \big), \\ C_n = \{ z \in C_{n-1} \cap Q_{n-1} : \phi(z, u_n) \leq \phi(z, x_n) \}, \\ Q_n = \{ z \in C_{n-1} \cap Q_{n-1} : \langle x_n - z, J x - J x_n \rangle \geq 0 \}, \\ x_{n+1} = \prod_{C_n \cap Q_n} x \end{array}$$

for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, where J is the duality mapping on E and $\{\alpha_n\}$ is a sequence in [0,1]satisfying $\liminf_{n\to\infty}(1-\alpha_n) > 0$. Then, $\{x_n\}$ converges strongly to $\Pi_{F(\mathcal{T})}x$, where $\Pi_{F(\mathcal{T})}$ is the generalized projection from C onto $F(\mathcal{T})$.

Proof. We first show that C_n and Q_n are closed and convex for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. From the definitions of C_n and Q_n , it is obvious that C_n is closed and Q_n is closed and convex for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Next, we prove that C_n is convex. This follows since $\phi(z, u_n) \leq \phi(z, x_n)$ is equivalent to

$$0 \le ||x_n||^2 - ||u_n||^2 - 2\langle z, Jx_n - Ju_n \rangle,$$

which is affine in z, and hence C_n is convex. So, $C_n \cap Q_n$ is a closed and convex subset of E for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$. It is clear that $F(\mathcal{T}) \subset C = C_0 \cap Q_0$. Next, we show that $F(\mathcal{T}) \subset C_n \cap Q_n$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Suppose that $F(\mathcal{T}) \subset C_{k-1} \cap Q_{k-1}$ for $k \in \mathbb{N}$. Let $u \in F(\mathcal{T})$. Since T_n are hemi-relatively nonexpansive mappings for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, we have

$$\begin{split} \phi(u, u_k) &= \phi(u, J^{-1}(\alpha_k J x_k + (1 - \alpha_k) J T_k x_k)) \\ &= \|u\|^2 - 2\langle u, \alpha_k J x_k + (1 - \alpha_n) J T_k x_k \rangle + \|\alpha_k J x_k + (1 - \alpha_n) J T_k x_k \|^2 \\ &\leq \|u\|^2 - 2\alpha_n \langle u, J x_k \rangle - 2(1 - \alpha_k) \langle u, J T_k x_k \rangle + \alpha_k \|x_k\|^2 + (1 - \alpha_k) \|T_k x_k\|^2 \\ &= \alpha_k \phi(u, x_k) + (1 - \alpha_k) \phi(u, T_k x_k) \\ &\leq \alpha_k \phi(u, x_k) + (1 - \alpha_k) \phi(u, x_k) \\ &= \phi(u, x_k). \end{split}$$

This implies that $F(\mathcal{T}) \subset C_k$. Since x_k is the projection of x onto $C_{k-1} \cap Q_{k-1}$, by Lemma 2.3 we have

$$\langle x_k - z, Jx - Jx_k \rangle \ge 0, \quad \forall z \in C_{k-1} \cap Q_{k-1}.$$

Since $F(\mathcal{T}) \subset C_{k-1} \cap Q_{k-1}$, we have

$$\langle x_k - z, Jx - Jx_k \rangle \ge 0, \quad \forall z \in F(\mathcal{T}).$$

This together with definition of Q_k implies that $F(\mathcal{T}) \subset Q_k$ and hence $F(\mathcal{T}) \subset C_k \cap Q_k$. By induction, we obtain $F(\mathcal{T}) \subset C_n \cap Q_n$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$. This implies that $\{x_n\}$ is well defined. From $x_n = \prod_{Q_n} x$ and $x_{n+1} = \prod_{C_n \cap Q_n} x \in C_n \cap Q_n \subset Q_n$, we have

$$\phi(x_n, x) \le \phi(x_{n+1}, x), \quad \forall n \ge 0.$$

Therefore, $\{\phi(x_n, x)\}\$ is nondecreasing. It follows from Lemma 2.4 and $x_n = \prod_{Q_n} x$ that

$$\phi(x_n, x) = \phi(\Pi_{Q_n} x, x) \le \phi(u, x) - \phi(u, \Pi_{Q_n} x) \le \phi(u, x)$$

for all $u \in F(\mathcal{T}) \subset Q_n$. Therefore, $\{\phi(x_n, x)\}$ is bounded. Moreover, by the definition of ϕ , we know that $\{x_n\}$ is bounded. So, the limit of $\{\phi(x_n, x)\}$ exists. For any positive integer k, we have from $x_n = \prod_{Q_n} x$ that

$$\phi(x_{n+k}, x_n) = \phi(x_{n+k}, \Pi_{Q_n} x) \le \phi(x_{n+k}, x) - \phi(\Pi_{Q_n} x, x) = \phi(x_{n+k}, x) - \phi(x_n, x).$$

This implies that $\lim_{n\to\infty} \phi(x_{n+k}, x_n) = 0$. Using Lemma 2.5, we have that, for $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$ with m > n,

$$g(\|x_m - x_n\|) \le \phi(x_m, x_n) \le \phi(x_m, x) - \phi(x_n, x),$$

where $g: [0, \infty) \to [0, \infty)$ is a continuous, strictly increasing and convex function with g(0) = 0. Then the properties of the function g yield that $\{x_n\}$ is a Cauchy sequence in C, so there exists $w \in C$ such that $x_n \to w$. In view of $x_{n+1} = \prod_{C_n \cap Q_n} x \in C_n$ and the definition of C_n , we also have

$$\phi(x_{n+1}, u_n) \le \phi(x_{n+1}, x_n).$$

It follows that $\lim_{n\to\infty} \phi(x_{n+1}, u_n) = \lim_{n\to\infty} \phi(x_{n+1}, x_n) = 0$. Since *E* is uniformly convex and smooth, we have from Lemma 2.1 that

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \|x_{n+1} - x_n\| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \|x_{n+1} - u_n\| = 0.$$

So, we have $\lim_{n\to\infty} ||x_n - u_n|| = 0$. Since J is uniformly norm-to-norm continuous on bounded sets, we have

(4.1)
$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \|Jx_{n+1} - Jx_n\| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \|Jx_{n+1} - Ju_n\| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \|Jx_n - Ju_n\| = 0.$$

On the other hand, we have

$$||Jx_{n+1} - Ju_n|| = ||Jx_{n+1} - \alpha_n Jx_n - (1 - \alpha_n)JT_n x_n||$$

= $||\alpha_n (Jx_{n+1} - Jx_n) + (1 - \alpha_n) (Jx_{n+1} - JT_n x_n)||$
= $||(1 - \alpha_n) (Jx_{n+1} - JT_n x_n) - \alpha_n (Jx_n - Jx_{n+1})||$
 $\ge (1 - \alpha_n) ||Jx_{n+1} - JT_n x_n|| - \alpha_n ||Jx_n - Jx_{n+1}||.$

This means that

$$||Jx_{n+1} - JT_n x_n|| \le \frac{1}{1 - \alpha_n} (||Jx_{n+1} - Ju_n|| + \alpha_n ||Jx_n - Jx_{n+1}||).$$

From (4.1) and $\liminf_{n\to\infty} (1-\alpha_n) > 0$, we obtain that $\lim_{n\to\infty} ||Jx_{n+1} - JT_nx_n|| = 0$. Since J^{-1} is uniformly norm-to-norm continuous on bounded sets, we have

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \|x_{n+1} - T_n x_n\| = 0.$$

From

$$||x_n - T_n x_n|| \le ||x_n - x_{n+1}|| + ||x_{n+1} - T_n x_n||_{2}$$

we have

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \|x_n - T_n x_n\| = 0.$$

Since $\{T_n\}$ satisfies the NST-condition with \mathcal{T} , we have that

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \|x_n - Tx_n\| = 0$$

for all $T \in \mathcal{T}$. Since $x_n \to w$ and T is closed, w is a fixed point of T. From Lemma 2.4, we have

$$\phi(w, \Pi_{F(\mathcal{T})}x) + \phi(\Pi_{F(\mathcal{T})}x, x) \le \phi(w, x).$$

Since $x_{n+1} = \prod_{C_n \cap Q_n} x$ and $w \in F(\mathcal{T}) \subset C_n \cap Q_n$, we get from Lemma 2.4 that

$$\phi(\Pi_{F(\mathcal{T})}x, x_{n+1}) + \phi(x_{n+1}, x) \le \phi(\Pi_{F(\mathcal{T})}x, x).$$

By the definition of ϕ , it follows that $\phi(w, x) \leq \phi(\Pi_{F(\mathcal{T})}x, x)$ and $\phi(w, x) \geq \phi(\Pi_{F(\mathcal{T})}x, x)$, hence $\phi(w, x) = \phi(\Pi_{F(\mathcal{T})}x, x)$. Therefore, it follows from the uniqueness of the $\Pi_{F(\mathcal{T})}x$ that $w = \Pi_{F(\mathcal{T})}x$. This completes the proof. \Box

5. Deduced results

In this section, using Theorem 4.1, we obtain some new strong convergence theorems for hemi-relatively nonexpansive mappings and a family of hemi-relatively nonexpansive mappings in a Banach space.

Theorem 5.1 (Su, Wang and Shang [25, Theorem 3.1]). Let E be a uniformly convex and uniformly smooth Banach space and let C be a nonempty closed convex subset of E. Let T be a closed hemi-relatively nonexpansive mapping of C into Esuch that $F(T) \neq \emptyset$. Let $\{x_n\}$ be a sequence generated by

$$\begin{cases} x_1 = x \in C, \ C_0 = Q_0 = C, \\ u_n = J^{-1} (\alpha_n J x_n + (1 - \alpha_n) J T x_n), \\ C_n = \{ z \in C_{n-1} \cap Q_{n-1} : \phi(z, u_n) \le \phi(z, x_n) \}, \\ Q_n = \{ z \in C_{n-1} \cap Q_{n-1} : \langle x_n - z, J x - J x_n \rangle \ge 0 \}, \\ x_{n+1} = \prod_{C_n \cap Q_n} x \end{cases}$$

for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, where J is the duality mapping on E and $\{\alpha_n\}$ is a sequence in [0,1]satisfying $\liminf_{n\to\infty}(1-\alpha_n) > 0$. Then, $\{x_n\}$ converges strongly to $\Pi_{F(T)}x$, where $\Pi_{F(T)}$ is the generalized projection from C onto F(T).

Proof. Define $T_n = T$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$. It obvious that $\{T_n\}$ satisfies the NST-condition with T. So, we obtain the desired result by using Theorem 4.1.

Theorem 5.2. Let E be a uniformly convex and uniformly smooth Banach space and let C be a nonempty closed convex subset of E. Let T be a closed hemi-relatively nonexpansive mapping of C into E such that $F(T) \neq \emptyset$. Let $\{x_n\}$ be a sequence generated by

$$\begin{array}{l} x_1 = x \in C, \ C_0 = Q_0 = C, \\ u_n = J^{-1} \big(\alpha_n J x_n + (1 - \alpha_n) (\beta_n J x_n + (1 - \beta_n) J T x_n) \big), \\ C_n = \{ z \in C_{n-1} \cap Q_{n-1} : \phi(z, u_n) \leq \phi(z, x_n) \}, \\ Q_n = \{ z \in C_{n-1} \cap Q_{n-1} : \langle x_n - z, J x - J x_n \rangle \geq 0 \}, \\ x_{n+1} = \prod_{C_n \cap Q_n} x \end{array}$$

for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, where J is the duality mapping on E and $\{\alpha_n\}$ and $\{\beta_n\}$ are sequences in [0,1] satisfying $\liminf_{n\to\infty} (1-\alpha_n) > 0$ and $\liminf_{n\to\infty} \beta_n(1-\beta_n) > 0$. Then, $\{x_n\}$ converges strongly to $\Pi_{F(T)}x$, where $\Pi_{F(T)}$ is the generalized projection from C onto F(T).

Proof. Define $T_n x = J^{-1}(\alpha_n J x + (1 - \alpha_n) J T x)$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$ and $x \in C$. By Lemma 3.1, we know that $\{T_n\}$ satisfies the NST-condition with T. So, we obtain the desired result by using Theorem 4.1.

Theorem 5.3. Let E be a uniformly convex and uniformly smooth Banach space and let C be a nonempty closed convex subset of E. Let S and T be closed hemirelatively nonexpansive mappings of C into E such that $F(S) \cap F(T) \neq \emptyset$. Let $\{x_n\}$ be a sequence generated by

$$\begin{cases} x_1 = x \in C, \ C_0 = Q_0 = C, \\ u_n = J^{-1} (\alpha_n J x_n + (1 - \alpha_n) (\beta_n J S x_n + (1 - \beta_n) J T x_n)), \\ C_n = \{ z \in C_{n-1} \cap Q_{n-1} : \phi(z, u_n) \le \phi(z, x_n) \}, \\ Q_n = \{ z \in C_{n-1} \cap Q_{n-1} : \langle x_n - z, J x - J x_n \rangle \ge 0 \}, \\ x_{n+1} = \prod_{C_n \cap Q_n} x \end{cases}$$

for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, where J is the duality mapping on E and $\{\alpha_n\}$ and $\{\beta_n\}$ are sequences in [0,1] satisfying $\liminf_{n\to\infty} (1-\alpha_n) > 0$ and $\liminf_{n\to\infty} \beta_n(1-\beta_n) > 0$. Then, $\{x_n\}$ converges strongly to $\prod_{F(S)\cap F(T)} x$, where $\prod_{F(S)\cap F(T)}$ is the generalized projection from C onto $F(S) \cap F(T)$.

Proof. Define $T_n x = J^{-1}(\alpha_n JSx + (1 - \alpha_n)JTx)$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$ and $x \in C$. By Lemma 3.2, we know that $\{T_n\}$ satisfies the NST-condition with $\mathcal{T} = \{S, T\}$. So, we obtain the desired result by using Theorem 4.1.

6. Applications

In this section, we prove strong convergence theorems for families of nonexpansive mappings in Hilbert spaces. In a Hilbert space, we know that $\phi(x, y) = ||x - y||^2$ for all $x, y \in H$ and every nonexpansive mapping with a fixed point is hemi-relatively nonexpansive and closed. The following two lemmas are directly obtained by Lemma 3.1 and Lemma 3.2, respectively.

Lemma 6.1 ([28, Lemma 2.1]). Let C be a closed convex subset of a Hilbert space H and let T be a nonexpansive mapping from C into itself with $F(T) \neq \emptyset$. Let $\{\beta_n\} \subset [0,1]$ satisfy $\liminf_{n \to \infty} \beta_n(1-\beta_n) > 0$. For $n \in \mathbb{N}$, define a mapping T_n of C into itself by

$$T_n x = \beta_n x + (1 - \beta_n) T x$$

for all $x \in C$. Then, $\{T_n\}$ is a countable family of nonexpansive mappings satisfying the NST-condition with T.

Lemma 6.2 ([28, Lemma 2.3]). Let C be a closed convex subset of a Hilbert space H and let S and T be nonexpansive mappings from C into itself with $F(S) \cap F(T) \neq \emptyset$. Let $\{\beta_n\} \subset [0,1]$ satisfy $\liminf_{n \to \infty} \beta_n(1-\beta_n) > 0$. For $n \in \mathbb{N}$, define a mapping T_n of C into itself by

$$T_n x = \beta_n S x + (1 - \beta_n) T x$$

for all $x \in C$. Then, $\{T_n\}$ is a countable family of nonexpansive mappings satisfying the NST-condition with $\{S, T\}$.

Theorem 6.3. Let H be a Hilbert space and let C be a nonempty closed convex subset of H. Let $\{T_n\}$ and \mathcal{T} be families of nonexpansive mappings of C into itself such that $\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} F(T_n) = F(\mathcal{T}) \neq \emptyset$. Suppose that $\{T_n\}$ satisfies the NST-condition with \mathcal{T} . Let $\{x_n\}$ be a sequence generated by

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 &= x \in C, \ C_0 = Q_0 = C, \\ u_n &= \alpha_n x_n + (1 - \alpha_n) T_n x_n, \\ C_n &= \{ z \in C_{n-1} \cap Q_{n-1} : \| z - u_n \| \le \| z - x_n \| \}, \\ Q_n &= \{ z \in C_{n-1} \cap Q_{n-1} : \langle x_n - z, x - x_n \rangle \ge 0 \}, \\ x_{n+1} &= \Pi_{C_n \cap Q_n} x \end{aligned}$$

 $\begin{cases} Q_n = \{z \in \mathbb{C}_{n-1} \mid Q_{n-1} : \langle x_n - z, x - x_n \rangle \ge 0\}, \\ x_{n+1} = \Pi_{C_n \cap Q_n} x \end{cases}$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, where $\{\alpha_n\} \subset [0, 1]$ satisfies $\liminf_{n \to \infty} (1 - \alpha_n) > 0$. Then, $\{x_n\}$ converges strongly to $\Pi_{F(\mathcal{T})} x$, where $\Pi_{F(\mathcal{T})}$ is the metric projection from C onto $F(\mathcal{T})$.

Proof. In a Hilbert space, we know that $\phi(x, y) = ||x - y||^2$ for all $x, y \in H$. We also know that every nonexpansive mapping with a fixed point is hemi-relatively nonexpansive and closed. By using Theorem 4.1, we are easily able to obtain the desired conclusion.

Theorem 6.4 (Su and Qin [19]). Let H be a Hilbert space and let C be a nonempty closed convex subset of H. Let T be a nonexpansive mapping of C into itself such that $F(T) \neq \emptyset$. Let $\{x_n\}$ be a sequence generated by

$$x_{1} = x \in C, \ C_{0} = Q_{0} = C,$$

$$u_{n} = \alpha_{n}x_{n} + (1 - \alpha_{n})Tx_{n},$$

$$C_{n} = \{z \in C_{n-1} \cap Q_{n-1} : ||z - u_{n}|| \le ||z - x_{n}||\},$$

$$Q_{n} = \{z \in C_{n-1} \cap Q_{n-1} : \langle x_{n} - z, x - x_{n} \rangle \ge 0\},$$

$$x_{n+1} = \prod_{C_{n} \cap Q_{n}} x$$

for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, where $\{\alpha_n\} \subset [0,1]$ satisfies $\liminf_{n \to \infty} (1-\alpha_n) > 0$. Then, $\{x_n\}$ converges strongly to $\Pi_{F(T)}x$, where $\Pi_{F(T)}$ is the metric projection from C onto F(T).

Proof. Define $T_n = T$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$. It obvious that $\{T_n\}$ satisfies the NST-condition with T. So, we obtain the desired result by using Theorem 6.3.

Theorem 6.5. Let H be a Hilbert space and let C be a nonempty closed convex subset of H. Let T be a nonexpansive mapping of C into itself such that $F(T) \neq \emptyset$. Let $\{x_n\}$ be a sequence generated by

$$x_{1} = x \in C, \ C_{0} = Q_{0} = C,$$

$$u_{n} = \alpha_{n}x_{n} + (1 - \alpha_{n})(\beta_{n}x_{n} + (1 - \beta_{n})Tx_{n}),$$

$$C_{n} = \{z \in C_{n-1} \cap Q_{n-1} : ||z - u_{n}|| \le ||z - x_{n}||\},$$

$$Q_{n} = \{z \in C_{n-1} \cap Q_{n-1} : \langle x_{n} - z, x - x_{n} \rangle \ge 0\},$$

$$x_{n+1} = \prod_{C_{n} \cap Q_{n}} x$$

for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, where $\{\alpha_n\}$ and $\{\beta_n\}$ are sequences in [0,1] satisfying $\liminf_{n \to \infty} (1-\alpha_n) > 0$ and $\liminf_{n \to \infty} \beta_n (1-\beta_n) > 0$. Then, $\{x_n\}$ converges strongly to $\Pi_{F(T)}x$, where $\Pi_{F(T)}$ is the metric projection from C onto F(T).

Proof. Define $T_n x = \alpha_n x + (1 - \alpha_n)Tx$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$ and $x \in C$. By Lemma 6.1, we know that $\{T_n\}$ satisfies the NST-condition with T. So, we obtain the desired result by using Theorem 6.3.

Theorem 6.6. Let H be a Hilbert space and let C be a nonempty closed convex subset of H. Let S and T be nonexpansive mappings of C into itself such that $F(S) \cap F(T) \neq \emptyset$. Let $\{x_n\}$ be a sequence generated by

$$\begin{cases} x_1 = x \in C, \ C_0 = Q_0 = C, \\ u_n = \alpha_n x_n + (1 - \alpha_n)(\beta_n S x_n + (1 - \beta_n) T x_n), \\ C_n = \{z \in C_{n-1} \cap Q_{n-1} : \|z - u_n\| \le \|z - x_n\|\}, \\ Q_n = \{z \in C_{n-1} \cap Q_{n-1} : \langle x_n - z, Jx - Jx_n \rangle \ge 0\}, \\ x_{n+1} = \prod_{C_n \cap Q_n} x \end{cases}$$

for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, where $\{\alpha_n\}$ and $\{\beta_n\}$ are sequences in [0,1] satisfying $\liminf_{n \to \infty} (1-\alpha_n) > 0$ and $\liminf_{n \to \infty} \beta_n (1-\beta_n) > 0$. Then, $\{x_n\}$ converges strongly to $\prod_{F(S) \cap F(T)} x$, where $\prod_{F(S) \cap F(T)}$ is the metric projection from C onto $F(S) \cap F(T)$.

Proof. Define $T_n x = \alpha_n S x + (1 - \alpha_n) T x$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$ and $x \in C$. By Lemma 6.2, we know that $\{T_n\}$ satisfies the NST-condition with $\mathcal{T} = \{S, T\}$. So, we obtain the desired result by using Theorem 6.3.

References

- Y. I. Alber, Metric and generalized projection operators in Banach space: properties and applications, in Theory and Applications of Nonlinear Operators of Accretive and Monotone Type, A. G. Katrosatos (ed.), Marcel Dekker, New York, 1996, pp. 15–50.
- [2] D. Butnariu, S. Reich and A. J. Zaslavski, Asymptotic behavior of relatively nonexpansive operators in Banach spaces, J. Appl. Anal. 7 (2001), 151–174.
- [3] C. Byrne, A unified treatment of some iterative algorithms in signal processing and image reconstruction, Inverse Problems **20** (2004) 103–120.

- [4] M. I. Sezan and H. Stark, Applications of convex projection theory to image recovery in tomography and related areas, in Image Recovery Theory and Applications, Academic Press, Orlando, 1987, pp. 415–562.
- [5] B. Halpern Fixed points of nonexpanding maps, Bull. Amer. Math. Soc. 73 (1967), 957–961.
- [6] G. Inoue, W. Takahashi and K. Zembayashi, Strong convergence theorems by hybrid methods for maximal monotone operator and relatively nonexpansive mappings in Banach spaces, J. Convex Anal. 16 (2009), 791–806.
- [7] S. Kamimura and W. Takahashi, Approximating solutions of maximal monotone operators in Hilbert spaces, J. Approx. Theory 106 (2000), 226–240.
- [8] S. Kamimura and W. Takahashi, Strong convergence of proximal-type algorithm in a Banach space, SIAM J. Optim. 13 (2002), 938–945.
- [9] S. Kamimura, F. Kohsaka and W. Takahashi, Weak and strong convergence theorems for maximal monotone operators in a Banach space, Set-valued Anal. 12 (2004), 417–429.
- [10] F. Kohsaka and W. Takahashi, Strong convergence of an iterative sequence for maximal monotone operators in a Banach space, Abstr. Appl. Anal. 2004 (2004), 239–249.
- [11] F. Kohsaka and W. Takahashi, Block iterative methods for a finite family of relatively nonexpansive mappings in Banach spaces, Fixed Point Theory Appl., vol. 2007, Article ID 21972, 18 pages, 2007.
- [12] F. Kohsaka and W. Takahashi, Existence and approximation of fixed points of firmly nonexpansive-type mappings in Banach spaces, SIAM J. Optim. 19 (2008), 824–835.
- [13] W. R. Mann, Mean vauled methods in iteration, Proc. Amer. Math. Soc. 4 (1953), 506–510.
- [14] C. Martinez-Yanes and H. K. Xu, Strong convergence of the CQ method for fixed point iteration processes, Nonlinear Anal. 64 (2006), 2400–2411.
- [15] S. Matsushita and W. Takahashi, Weak and strong convergence theorems for relatively nonexpansive mappings in Banach spaces, Fixed Point Theory Appl. 2004 (2004), 37–47.
- [16] S. Matsushita and W. Takahashi, A strong convergence theorem for relatively nonexpansive mappings in a Banach space, J. Approx. Theory, 134 (2005), 257–266.
- [17] K. Nakajo, K. Shimoji and W. Takahashi, Strong convergence theorems to common fixed points of families of nonexpansive mappings in Banach spaces, J. Nonlinear Convex Anal. 8 (2007), 11–34.
- [18] K. Nakajo and W. Takahashi, Strong convergence theorems for nonexpansive mappings and nonexpansive semigroups, J. Math. Anal. Appl. 279 (2003), 372–379.
- [19] X. Qin and Y. Su, Strong convergence of monotone hybrid method for fixed point iteration processes, Jrl Syst Sci and Complexity, 21 (2008), 474–482.
- [20] X. Qin and Y. Su, Strong convergence theorems for relatively nonexpansive mappings in a Banach space, Nonlinear Anal. 67 (2007), 1958–1965.
- [21] S. Reich, A weak convergence theorem for the alternative method with Bregman distance, in Theory and Applications of Nonlinear Operators of Accretive and Monotone Type, A. G. Kartsatos (ed.), Marcel Dekker, New York, 1996, pp. 313–318.
- [22] R. T. Rockafellar, On the maximality of sums of nonlinear monotone operators, Trans. Amer. Math. Soc. 194 (1970), 75–88.
- [23] R. T. Rockafellar, Monotone operators and the proximal point algorithm, SIAM J. Control Oprim. 14 (1976), 877–898.
- [24] M. V. Solodov and B. F. Svaiter, Forcing strong convergence of proximal point iterations in a Hilbert space, Math. Program. 87 (2000), 189–202.
- [25] Y. Su, D. Wang and M. Shang, Strong convergence of monotone hybrid algorithm for hemirelatively nonexpansive mappings, Fixed Point Theory Appl. vol. 2008, Article ID 284613, 8 pages, 2008.
- [26] W. Takahashi, Nonlinear Functional Analysis Fixed Point Theory and its Applications, Yokohama Publishers, Yokohama, 2000.
- [27] W. Takahashi, Convex Analysis and Application of Fixed Points, Yokohama Publishers, Yokohama, 2000 (Japanese).

- [28] W. Takahashi, Y. Takeuchi and R. Kubota, Strong convergence theorems by hybrid methods for families of nonexpansive mappings in Hilbert spaces, J. Math. Anal. Appl. 341 (2008), 276–286.
- [29] C. Zalinescu, On uniformly convex functions, J. Math. Anal. Appl. 95 (1983), 344–374.

Manuscript received May 20, 2009 revised July 31, 2009

Chakkrid Klin-eam

Department of Mathematics, Faculty of Science, Chiang Mai University, Chiang Mai, 50200, Thailand

E-mail address: chakkrid_jak35@hotmail.com

SUTHEP SUANTAI

Department of Mathematics, Faculty of Science, Chiang Mai University, Chiang Mai, 50200, Thailand

 $E\text{-}mail\ address:\ \texttt{scmti005@chiangmai.ac.th}$

Wataru Takahashi

Department of Mathematical and Computing Sciences, Tokyo Institute of Technology, Tokyo, 152-8552, Japan

E-mail address: wataru@is.titech.ac.jp