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# Common fixed point theorem for compatible mappings of type (A-1) in complete fuzzy metric space

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# ABSTRACT

The purpose of this paper is to obtain common fixed point theorem for compatible maps of type (A-1) on complete fuzzy metric space .Our result improves the result of Khan M.S. [7].

**Keywords:** Common fixed point, Compatible Mappings, Compatible Mappings of type (A-1), Fuzzy Metric Space, Complete Fuzzy Metric Space **2010 AMS Subject Classification :** 47H10, 54H25.

## INTRODUCTION

The concept of fuzzy sets was first given by Zadeh [14] in 1965. Then Kramosil and Michalek[8] introduced the concept of fuzzy metric space and George and Veeramani[4] modified the notion of fuzzy metric with help of continuous t-norms.

The improving commutativity in fixed point theorems by using weakly commuting maps in metric space was initiated by Sessa [10].Later on , this method was enlarged to compatible maps by Jungck[5]. Cho[2,3] introduced the concept of compatible maps of type ( $\alpha$ ) and compatible maps of type ( $\beta$ ) in fuzzy metric space. Singhet.al.[12] proved fixed pointtheorems in a fuzzy metric space. Recently in 2012 Jain et.al.[6] proved various fixed point theorems using the concept of semi compatible mapping

The concept of type A-compatible and S-compatible was given by Pathak and Khan [7]. Pathak et.al. [9] renamed A-compatible and S- compatible as compatible mappings of type (A-1) and compatible mappings of type (A-2) respectively.

B.Singh et.al.[12] proved fixed point theorems in fuzzy metric space and Menger space using the concept of semicompatibility ,weak compatibility and compatibility of type ( $\beta$ ) respectively. The idea of fuzzy 2- metric space and fuzzy 3- metric space were used by

Sushil Sharma [11] and obtained some fruitful results.

**Preliminaries Definition 1.1 [13 ]** Let X be any set . A Fuzzy set A in X is a function with domain X and Values in [0,1].

**Definition 1.2[4]** A Binary operation  $* : [0,1] \times [0,1] \rightarrow [0,1]$  is called a continuous t-norms if an topological monoid with unit 1 such that  $a*b \le c*d$  whenever  $a \le c$  and  $b \le d$ , for all a,b,c,d in [0,1].

**Definition 1.3[ 4]** The triplet (X,M, \*) is said to be a Fuzzy metric space if, X is an arbitrary set, \* is a continuous t-norm and M is a fuzzy set on  $X^2 \times (0,\infty)$  satisfying the following conditions; for all x,y,z in X and s,t > 0, (i) M(x,y,0) = 0, M(x,y,t) > 0, (ii) M(x,y,t) = 1, for all t > 0 if and only if x=y, (iii) M(x,y,t) = M(y,x,t),

 $(iv) \ M(x,y,t) \ ^{*} M(\ y,z,s) \leq \ M(\ x,z,\ t+s),$ 

(v)  $M(x,y,t) : [0,\infty) \rightarrow [0,1]$  is left continuous.

**Definition 1.4 [4]** A sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in a fuzzy metric space (X,M,\*) is called a Cauchy Sequence if ,  $\lim_{n\to\infty} M(X_{n+p},X_n,t) = 1$  for every t.>0 and for each p>0. A fuzzy metric space(X, M,\*) is Complete if ,every Cauchy sequence in X converges in X.

**Definition 1.5 [4]** A sequence  $\{X_n\}$  in a fuzzy metric space (X,M,\*) is said to be Convergent to x in X if ,  $\lim_{n\to\infty} M(X_n,X,t) = 1$ , for each t>0.

**Definition 1.6 [4]** Two self mappings P and Q of a fuzzy metric space (X,M,\*) are said to be Compatible , if  $\lim_{n\to\infty} M(PQx_n,QPx_n,t) = 1$  whenever  $\{x_n\}$  is a sequence such that  $\lim_{n\to\infty} Px_n = \lim_{n\to\infty} Qx_n = z$ , for some z in X.

**Definition 1.7 [1]** Self mappings P and Q of a fuzzy metric space (X, M, \*) are said to be Compatible of type (A) if  $\lim_{n\to\infty} M (PQx_n, QQx, t) = \lim_{n\to\infty} (QPx_n, PPx_n, t) = 1$  for all t>0, whenever  $\{x_n\}$  is a sequence such that  $\lim_{n\to\infty} Px_n = \lim_{n\to\infty} Qx_n = z$ , for some z in X.

**Definition 1.8 [ 5]** Self mappings P and Q of a fuzzy metric space are said to be compatible of type (A-1), if  $\lim_{n\to\infty} (QPx_n, PPx_n, t) = 1$  for all t>0, whenever  $\{x_n\}$  is a sequence such that  $\lim_{n\to\infty} Px_n = \lim_{n\to\infty} Qx_n = z$ , for some z in X.

**Lemma 1.10 [ 2]** If for two points x, y in X and a positive number k < 1 M(x,y,kt)  $\ge$  M(x,y,t), then x = y. Next we give some properties of compatible mappings of type (A-1) which will be used in our main theorem.

**Proposition 1.11[7]** Let S and T be self maps of an FM- space X. If the pair (S,T) are Compatible of type (A-1) and Sz = Tz for some z in X then STz = TTz.

**Proposition 1.12[7]** Let S and T be self maps of an FM –space X with t\*t >t for all t in [0,1]. If the pair (S,T) are compatible of type (A-1) and  $Sx_n,Tx_n \rightarrow z$  for some z in X and a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in X then  $TTx_n \rightarrow Sz$  if S is continuous at z.

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### **Main Result**

We prove the following theorem.

**Theorem 2.1 :** Let A ,B, S and T be self maps on a complete fuzzy metric space (X, M, \*) where \* is continuous tnorm defined by  $a^*b = \min \{a,b\}$  satisfying the following conditions (i).  $A(X) \subseteq T(X)$  and  $B(X) \subseteq S(X)$ (ii). S and T are continuous. (iii). For each x, y  $\epsilon X$  and t > 0,

 $M(Ax, By,t) \geq \phi[\min\{M(Sx, Ty,t) . M(By, Sx,t)\}, \frac{1}{2}\{M(Ax, Ty,t) + M(By, Ay, t)\}]$ 

Where  $\phi : [0,1] \rightarrow [0,1]$  is a continuous function such that  $\phi(1) = 1$ ,  $\phi(0) = 0$ 

and  $\phi(a) > a$ , for each 0 < a < 1.

If (A,S) and (B,T) are compatible mappings of type (A-1), then A,B,S and T have a unique common fixed point in X.

**Proof**: Let  $x_0 \in X$  be any arbitrary point. Then there exist  $x_1$  and  $x_2 \in X$  such that  $Ax_0 = Tx_1$  and  $Bx_1 = Sx_2$ 

Thus , we can construct a sequence a sequence  $\{y_n\}$  and  $\{x_n\}$  in X such that

 $y_{2n+1} = Ax_{2n} = Tx_{2n+1}$ ,

 $y_{2n+2} = Bx_{2n+1} = Sx_{2n+2}$ , for n = 0, 1, 2, ...

Then, by (iii) , put  $x = x_{2n}$  and  $y = x_{2n+1}$  we get

 $M(Ax_{2n}, Bx_{2n+!}, t) \ge \emptyset \ [ \min \{ M(Sx_{2n}, Tx_{2n+1}, t) . M(Bx_{2n}, Sx_{2n+1}, t) \},\$ 

 $\frac{1}{2} \{ M(Ax_{2n}, Tx_{2n+1}, t) + M(Bx_{2n+1}, Ax_{2n+1}, t) \} ]$ 

 $M(y_{2n+1}, y_{2n+2}, t) \geq \emptyset \ [ \ min \ \{M \ ( \ y_{2n}, \ y_{2n+1}, t) \ . \ M(y_{2n+2}, \ y_{2n}, t) \ \},$ 

 $\frac{1}{2} \{ M(y_{2n+1}, y_{2n+1}, t) + M(y_{2n+2}, y_{2n+2}, t) \} ]$ 

 $M(y_{2n+1}, y_{2n+2}, t) \ge \emptyset \ [ \ min \ \{ \ M \ ( \ y_{2n}, \ y_{2n+1}, t) \ . \ M(y_{2n+2}, \ y_{2n}, t) \ \}, 1 \ \} ]$ 

Hence , by the definition of  $\emptyset$  , we get

 $M(y_{2n+1}, y_{2n+2}, t) \ge M(y_{2n}, y_{2n+1}, t)$ 

Similarly, we have

 $M(y_{2n+2}, y_{2n+3}, t) \geq M(y_{2n+1}, y_{2n+2}, t),$ 

In general

 $M(y_{n+1}, y_n, t) \ge M(y_n, y_{n-1}, t)$ 

Therefore, {  $M(y_{n+1,}y_n\!,\!t)$  } is an increasing sequence of positive real numbers , in [0,1] and tends to limit  $L\le 1$  . If  $L\!<\!l$  then

 $M(y_{n+1},y_n,t) \ge M(y_n, y_{n-1},t)$ . On letting  $n \rightarrow \infty$  we get

 $\lim_{n \to \infty} M(y_{n+1}, y_n, t) \geq \emptyset (\lim_{n \to \infty} M(y_n, y_{n-1}, t))$ 

 $L \ge \emptyset(L) = L$  (Since  $\emptyset(a) > a$ ), a contradiction.

Now for any positive integer m,

 $M(y_n, y_{n+m}, t) \ge M(y_n, y_{n+1}, t/m) * M(y_{n+1}, y_{n+2}, t/m) * \dots * \dots * M(y_{n+m-1}, y_{n+m}, t/m)$ 

Letting  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , we have

 $\lim_{n\to\infty} M(y_n, y_{n+m}, t) = 1*1*1*...*1 = 1.$ 

Thus ,	
$lim_{n\to\infty}M(y_n,y_{n+m},t)=1$	
This shows that $\{y_n\}$ is a Cauchy sequence in X , which is complete .	
Therefore , $\{y_n\}$ converges to a point $z_1$ in X . Hence the subsequence $\{Ax_{2n}\}, \{Sx_{2n}\}, $	
${Tx_{2n+!}}$ and ${Bx_{2n+1}}$ also converges to $z_1$ .	
Since, (A,S) and (B,T) are Compatible mappings of type (A-1), and	
From proposition 1.12, we have	
$AAx_{2n} \rightarrow Sz_1.$	(1)
$BBx_{2n+1} \rightarrow Tz_1$	(2)
Now, by (iii),	
$ \begin{aligned} M(AAx_{2n}, BBx_{2n+1}, t) &\geq \ \emptyset \ [ \ min \ \{M(SAx_{2n}, TBx_{2n+1}, t) \ . \ M(BBx_{2n}, SAx_{2n}, t) \ \}, \ \frac{1}{2} \ \{ \ M(AAx_{2n}, TABx_{2n+1}, t) \} \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned} $	$\mathbf{B}\mathbf{x}_{2n},\mathbf{t})+\mathbf{M}(\mathbf{B}\mathbf{B}\mathbf{x}_{2n+1},$
Now, letting $n \rightarrow \infty$ and using (1),(2) and proposition 1.11, we get	
$M(Sz_{1,}Tz_{1,}t) \ge \emptyset [\min\{M(Sz_{1,}Tz_{1,}t), M(Tz_{1,}Sz_{1,}t)\}, \frac{1}{2}\{M(Sz_{1,}Tz_{1,}t) + M(Tz_{1,}Sz_{1,}t)\}]$	
$M(Sz_{1,}Tz_{1,}t) \ge \emptyset \ [ \ \min \ \{ \ M(Sz_{1,}Tz_{1,}t) \ , \ 1 \ \} \ ]$	
$M(Sz_1,Tz_1,t) \geq M(Sz_1,Tz_1,t)$	
It follows that $Sz_1 = Tz_1$	(3)
Now by (iii) putting $x = z_1$ and $y = Bx_{2n+1}$ , we get	
$\begin{array}{llllllllllllllllllllllllllllllllllll$	$Az_1, TBx_{2n+1}, t) + M($
Again taking limit as $n \rightarrow \infty$ , using (1) and (2), we have	
$M(Az_{1},Tz_{1},t) \geq \emptyset \left[ \min\{M(Sz_{1},Tz_{1},t) . M(Tz_{1},Sz_{1},t)\}, \frac{1}{2} \left\{ M(Az_{1},Tz_{1},t) + M(Tz_{1},Az_{1},t) \right\} \right]$	
$M(Az_{1,}Tz_{1},t) \geq M(Sz_{1},Tz_{1},t)$	
It follows that $Az_1 = Sz_1$	(4)
Now by (iii) putting $x = z_1$ and $y = z_1$ , we get	
$M(Az_1, Bz_1, t) \ge \emptyset[\min\{M(Sz_1, Tz_1, t), M(Bz_1, Sz_1, t)\}, \frac{1}{2}\{M(Az_1, Tz_1, t) + M(Bz_1, Az_1, t)\}]$	
$M(Az_1, Bz_1, t) \ge \emptyset \ [\min\{M(Sz_1, Sz_1, t) \ . \ M(Bz_1 \ Az_1, t)\}, \frac{1}{2} \ \{M(Az_1, Tz_1, t) + M(Tz_1, \ Az_1, t)\}]$	
$M(Az_1, Bz_1, t) \ge \emptyset \ [ \min \{ 1.M(Bz_1, Az_1, t) \}, 1 \} ]$	
$M(Az_1,Bz_1,t) \geq M(Bz_1,Az_1,t)$	

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It follows that $Az_1 = Bz_1$		(5)
Hence , from (3), (4) and (5) , we get		
$Az_1 = Bz_1 = Sz_1 = Tz_1$		(6)
Now , we have to show that $Bz_1 = z_1$		
From (iii) putting $x=x_{2n}$ and $y=z_1$ , we get		
$M(Ax_{2n}, Bz_1, t) \ge \emptyset \text{ [min } M(Sx_{2n}, Tz_1, t).M(Bz_1, t)$	$Sx_{2n},t)$ , $\frac{1}{2}$ { $M(Ax_{2n},Tz_1,t)+M(Bz_1,Az_1,t)$ }]	
Taking limit $n \rightarrow \infty$ , and using (6), we get		
$M(z_1, Bz_1, t) \ge \emptyset \text{ [min{ M(z_1, Bz_1, t).M(Bz_1, z_1, t)}]}$	}, $\frac{1}{2} \{M(z_1, Bz_1, t) + M(Bz_1, Bz_1, t)\}]$	
$M(z_1,Bz,t) \geq M(z_1,Bz,t)$		
And , hence we get $z_1 = Bz_1$		
Thus we have $z_1 = Az_1 = Bz_1 = Sz_1 = Tz_1$ .		
Hence $z_1$ is a common fixed point of A,B,S and	d T.	
<b>Uniqueness</b> – Let $z_2$ be another fixed point of A	A,B,S and T. Then	
$M(z_1,z_2,t)=M(Az_1,Bz_2,t)$		
$\geq \emptyset$ [ min{ M(Sz <sub>1</sub> ,Tz <sub>2</sub> ,t) . M(Bz <sub>2</sub> ,Sz <sub>1</sub> ,t)}, ½ { M(	$(Az_1, Tz_2, t) + M(Bz_2, Az_2, t)\}]$	
$\geq \emptyset \; [\min \; \{ M(z_1, z_2, t) \; . M(z_2, z_1, t) \;$	}, ½ {M(z <sub>1</sub> ,z <sub>2</sub> ,t)+ M(z <sub>1</sub> ,z <sub>2</sub> ,t)}]	

 $\geq M(z_1, z_2, t)$ 

Therefore by lemma 1.10 ,we get  $z_1 = z_2$ .

Hence z<sub>1</sub> is the unique common fixed point of A,B ,S and T.

#### CONCLUSION

In this paper we introduce the concept of compatible mapping of type (A-1) in fuzzy metric space .

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