



# Fixed Point Theorems for $s - \alpha$ Contractions in Dislocated and $b$ -Dislocated Metric Spaces

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**Abstract :** In this paper, we prove some unique fixed point results for quasicontraction and  $T$ -Hardy Rogers contraction in the setting of complete dislocated and  $b$ -dislocated metric spaces. Our theorems involve one and two self-mappings and extend and generalize some several known results of literature in a wider class as  $b$ -spaces.

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## 1 Introduction

Fixed point theory is one of the cornerstones in the development of mathematics since it plays a basic role in applications of many branches of mathematics. The famous Banach contraction principle is one of the power tools to study in this field. In 1989, Bakhtin [1] (and also Czerwik [2]) introduced the concept of  $b$ -metric space and presented the contraction mapping in  $b$ -metric spaces that is a generalization of Banach contraction principle in metric spaces. Recently there are

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a number of generalizations of metric space. Some of them are the notions of dislocated metric spaces and  $b$ -dislocated metric spaces where the distance of a point in the self may not be zero, introduced and studied by Hitzler and Seda [3], Nawab Hussain et.al [4]. Also in [4] are presented some topological aspects and properties of  $b$ -dislocated metrics. Subsequently, several authors have studied the problem of existence and uniqueness of a fixed point for single-valued and set-valued mappings and different types of contractions in these spaces. Quasicontractions and  $g$ -quasicontractions in metric spaces were first studied in [2, 5]. The purpose of this paper is to present some fixed point theorems for  $s - \alpha$ -quasicontractions and  $T$ -Hardy-Rogers contractions in the context of dislocated and  $b$ -dislocated metric spaces. The presented theorems extend and generalize some comparable results in the literature in a larger class of spaces.

## 2 Preliminaries

**Definition 2.1.** [6] Let  $X$  be a nonempty set and a mapping  $d_l : X \times X \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  is called a dislocated metric (or simply  $d_l$ -metric) if the following conditions hold for any  $x, y, z \in X$ :

1. If  $d_l(x, y) = 0$ , then  $x = y$ ;
2.  $d_l(x, y) = d_l(y, x)$ ;
3.  $d_l(x, y) \leq d_l(x, z) + d_l(z, y)$ .

The pair  $(X, d_l)$  is called a dislocated metric space (or  $d$ -metric space for short). Note that when  $x = y$ ,  $d_l(x, y)$  may not be 0.

**Example 2.2.** If  $X = R$ , then  $d(x, y) = |x| + |y|$  defines a dislocated metric on  $X$ .

**Definition 2.3.** [6] A sequence  $(x_n)$  in  $d_l$ -metric space  $(X, d_l)$  is called: (1) a Cauchy sequence if, for given  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exists  $n_0 \in N$  such that for all  $m, n \geq n_0$ , we have  $d_l(x_m, x_n) < \varepsilon$  or  $\lim_{n, m \rightarrow \infty} d_l(x_n, x_m) = 0$ , (2) convergent with respect to  $d_l$  if there exists  $x \in X$  such that  $d_l(x_n, x) \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . In this case,  $x$  is called the limit of  $(x_n)$  and we write  $x_n \rightarrow x$ .

A  $d_l$ -metric space  $X$  is called complete if every Cauchy sequence in  $X$  converges to a point in  $X$ .

**Definition 2.4.** [7] Let  $X$  be a nonempty set and a mapping  $b_d : X \times X \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  is called a  $b$ -dislocated metric (or simply  $b_d$ -dislocated metric) if the following conditions hold for any  $x, y, z \in X$  and  $s \geq 1$ :

1. If  $b_d(x, y) = 0$ , then  $x = y$ ;
2.  $b_d(x, y) = b_d(y, x)$ ;

$$3. \quad b_d(x, y) \leq s [b_d(x, z) + b_d(z, y)].$$

The pair  $(X, b_d)$  is called a  $b$ -dislocated metric space. And the class of  $b$ -dislocated metric space is larger than that of dislocated metric spaces, since a  $b$ -dislocated metric is a dislocated metric when  $s = 1$ .

In [7] it was showed that each  $b_d$ -metric on  $X$  generates a topology  $\tau_{b_d}$  whose base is the family of open  $b_d$ -balls  $B_{b_d}(x, \varepsilon) = \{y \in X : b_d(x, y) < \varepsilon\}$ .

Also in [7] there are presented some topological properties of  $b_d$ -metric spaces.

**Definition 2.5.** Let  $(X, b_d)$  be a  $b_d$ -metric space, and  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence of points in  $X$ . A point  $x \in X$  is said to be the limit of the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_d(x_n, x) = 0$  and we say that the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  is  $b_d$ -convergent to  $x$  and denote it by  $x_n \rightarrow x$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .

The limit of a  $b_d$ -convergent sequence in a  $b_d$ -metric space is unique [7, Proposition 1.27].

**Definition 2.6.** A sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in a  $b_d$ -metric space  $(X, b_d)$  is called a  $b_d$ -Cauchy sequence iff, given  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exists  $n_0 \in \mathbb{N}$  such that for all  $n, m > n_0$ , we have  $b_d(x_n, x_m) < \varepsilon$  or  $\lim_{n, m \rightarrow \infty} b_d(x_n, x_m) = 0$ . Every  $b_d$ -convergent sequence in a  $b_d$ -metric space is a  $b_d$ -Cauchy sequence.

**Remark 2.7.** The sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in a  $b_d$ -metric space  $(X, b_d)$  is called a  $b_d$ -Cauchy sequence iff  $\lim_{n, m \rightarrow \infty} b_d(x_n, x_{n+p}) = 0$  for all  $p \in \mathbb{N}^*$

**Definition 2.8.** A  $b_d$ -metric space  $(X, b_d)$  is called complete if every  $b_d$ -Cauchy sequence in  $X$  is  $b_d$ -convergent.

In general a  $b_d$ -metric is not continuous, as in Example 1.31 in [7] showed.

**Definition 2.9.** [8] Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space. A mapping  $T : X \rightarrow X$  is said to be sequentially convergent (respectively, subsequentially convergent) if, for a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in  $X$  for which  $\{Tx_n\}$  is convergent,  $\{x_n\}$  is also convergent (respectively,  $\{x_n\}$  has a convergent subsequence).

**Lemma 2.10.** Let  $(X, b_d)$  be a  $b$ -dislocated metric space with parameters  $\geq 1$ . Suppose that  $\{x_n\}$  and  $\{y_n\}$  are  $b_d$ -convergent to  $x, y \in X$ , respectively. Then we have

$$\frac{1}{s^2} b_d(x, y) \leq \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_d(x_n, y_n) \leq \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_d(x_n, y_n) \leq s^2 b_d(x, y)$$

In particular, if  $b_d(x, y) = 0$ , then we have  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_d(x_n, y_n) = 0 = b_d(x, y)$ .

Moreover, for each  $z \in X$ , we have

$$\frac{1}{s} b_d(x, z) \leq \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_d(x_n, z) \leq \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_d(x_n, z) \leq s b_d(x, z)$$

In particular, if  $b_d(x, z) = 0$ , then we have  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_d(x_n, z) = 0 = b_d(x, z)$ .

Some examples in the literature shows that in general a  $b$ -dislocated metric is not continuous.

**Example 2.11.** Let  $X = R^+ \cup \{0\}$  and any constant  $\alpha > 0$ . Define the function  $d_l : X \times X \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  by  $d_l(x, y) = \alpha(x + y)$ . Then, the pair  $(X, d_l)$  is a dislocated metric space.

**Example 2.12.** If  $X = R^+ \cup \{0\}$ , then  $b_d(x, y) = (x + y)^2$  defines a  $b$ -dislocated metric on  $X$  with parameter  $s = 2$ .

### 3 Main Results

Based in the definition of quasi-contraction from Ciric we introduced the following definition in the setting of  $b$ -dislocated metric space.

**Definition 3.1.** Let  $(X, b_d)$  be complete  $b$ -dislocated metric space with parameter  $s \geq 1$ . If  $T : X \rightarrow X$  is a self mapping that satisfies:

$$s^2 b_d(Tx, Ty) \leq \alpha \max \{b_d(x, y), b_d(x, Tx), b_d(y, Ty), b_d(x, Ty), b_d(y, Tx)\} \quad (3.1)$$

for all  $x, y \in X$  and  $\alpha \in [0, \frac{1}{2})$ . Then  $T$  is called a  $s - \alpha$  quasi-contraction.

In this section, we obtain the existence of some fixed point theorems for  $s - \alpha$  quasi-contraction mappings in a class of space which is larger than metric and  $b$ -metric spaces.

**Theorem 3.2.** Let  $(X, b_d)$  be complete  $b$ -dislocated metric space with parameter  $s \geq 1$ . If  $T : X \rightarrow X$  is a self mapping that is a  $s - \alpha$  quasi-contraction, then  $T$  has a unique fixed point in  $X$ .

*Proof.* Let  $x_0$  be an arbitrary point in  $X$ . Define the iterative sequence  $\{x_n\}$  as follows:  $x_1 = T(x_0), x_2 = T(x_1), \dots, x_{n+1} = T(x_n), \dots$

If assume that  $x_{n+1} = x_n$  for some  $n \in N$ , then we have  $x_n = x_{n+1} = T(x_n)$ , so  $x_n$  is a fixed point of  $T$  and the proof is completed. From now on we will assume that for each  $n \in N$ ,  $x_{n+1} \neq x_n$ . By condition (3.1) we have:

$$\begin{aligned} s^2 b_d(x_n, x_{n+1}) &= s^2 b_d(Tx_{n-1}, Tx_n) \\ &\leq \alpha \max \{b_d(x_{n-1}, x_n), b_d(x_{n-1}, Tx_{n-1}), \\ &\quad b_d(x_n, Tx_n), b_d(x_{n-1}, Tx_n), b_d(x_n, Tx_{n-1})\} \\ &= \alpha \max \{b_d(x_{n-1}, x_n), b_d(x_{n-1}, x_n), \\ &\quad b_d(x_n, x_{n+1}), b_d(x_{n-1}, x_{n+1}), b_d(x_n, x_n)\} \\ &\leq \alpha \max \left\{ \begin{array}{l} b_d(x_{n-1}, x_n), b_d(x_{n-1}, x_n), b_d(x_n, x_{n+1}), \\ s[b_d(x_{n-1}, x_n) + b_d(x_n, x_{n+1})], 2sb_d(x_{n-1}, x_n) \end{array} \right\}. \end{aligned} \quad (3.2)$$

If  $b_d(x_{n-1}, x_n) \leq b_d(x_n, x_{n+1})$  for some  $n \in N$ , then from the above inequality (3.2) we have

$$b_d(x_n, x_{n+1}) \leq \frac{2\alpha}{s} b_d(x_n, x_{n+1}) \text{ a contradiction since } \frac{2\alpha}{s} < 1.$$

Hence for all  $n \in N$ ,  $b_d(x_n, x_{n+1}) \leq b_d(x_{n-1}, x_n)$  and also by the above inequality (3.2) we get

$$b_d(x_n, x_{n+1}) \leq \frac{2\alpha}{s} b_d(x_{n-1}, x_n). \tag{3.3}$$

Similarly by the contractive condition of theorem we have:

$$b_d(x_{n-1}, x_n) \leq \frac{2\alpha}{s} b_d(x_{n-2}, x_{n-1}). \tag{3.4}$$

Generally from (3.3) and (3.4) we have for all  $n \geq 2$

$$b_d(x_n, x_{n+1}) \leq c b_d(x_{n-1}, x_n) \leq \dots \leq c^n b_d(x_0, x_1) \tag{3.5}$$

where  $c = \frac{2\alpha}{s}$  and  $0 \leq c < 1$ . Taking limit as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  in (3.5) we have

$$b_d(x_n, x_{n+1}) \rightarrow 0. \tag{3.6}$$

Now, we prove that  $\{x_n\}$  is a  $b_d$ -Cauchy sequence, and to do this let be  $m, n > 0$  with  $m > n$ , and using definition 2.4 (3) we have

$$\begin{aligned} b_d(x_n, x_m) &\leq s [b_d(x_n, x_{n+1}) + b_d(x_{n+1}, x_m)] \\ &\leq s b_d(x_n, x_{n+1}) + s^2 b_d(x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}) + s^3 b_d(x_{n+2}, x_{n+3}) + \dots \\ &\leq s c^n b_d(x_0, x_1) + s^2 c^{n+1} b_d(x_0, x_1) + s^3 c^{n+2} b_d(x_0, x_1) + \dots \\ &= s c^n b_d(x_0, x_1) \left[ 1 + sc + (sc)^2 + (sc)^3 + \dots \right] \\ &\leq \frac{sc^n}{1-sc} b_d(x_0, x_1). \end{aligned}$$

On taking limit for  $n, m \rightarrow \infty$  we have  $b_d(x_n, x_m) \rightarrow 0$  as  $cs < 1$ . Therefore  $\{x_n\}$  is a  $b_d$ -Cauchy sequence in complete  $b$ -dislocated metric space  $(X, b_d)$ . So there is some  $u \in X$  such that  $\{x_n\}$  dislocated converges to  $u$ .

If  $T$  is a continuous mapping we get:

$T(u) = T(\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} T(x_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (x_{n+1}) = u$ . Thus  $u$  is a fixed point of  $T$ .

If the self-map  $T$  is not continuous then, we consider,

$$\begin{aligned} s^2 b_d(x_{n+1}, Tu) &= s^2 b_d(Tx_n, Tu) \\ &\leq \alpha \max \{b_d(x_n, u), b_d(x_n, Tx_n), b_d(u, Tu), b_d(x_n, Tu), b_d(u, Tx_n)\} \\ &= \alpha \max \{b_d(x_n, u), b_d(x_n, x_{n+1}), b_d(u, Tu), b_d(x_n, Tu), b_d(u, x_{n+1})\}. \end{aligned} \tag{3.7}$$

Using Lemma 2.10, result 3.6 and taking the upper limit in (3.7) follows that

$$s^2 \frac{1}{s} b_d(u, Tu) \leq \alpha s b_d(u, Tu).$$

From this inequality have  $b_d(u, Tu) \leq \alpha b_d(u, Tu)$  and this implies  $Tu = u$  since  $\alpha < \frac{1}{2}$ . Hence  $u$  is a fixed point of  $T$ .

**Uniqueness:** Let us suppose that  $u$  and  $v$  are two fixed points of  $T$  where  $Tu = u$  and  $Tv = v$ . Using condition (3.1), we have:

$$\begin{aligned} s^2b_d(u, v) &= s^2b_d(Tu, Tv) \\ &\leq \alpha \max \{b_d(u, v), b_d(u, Tu), b_d(v, Tv), b_d(u, Tv), b_d(v, Tu)\} \\ &= \alpha \max \{b_d(u, v), b_d(u, u), b_d(v, v), b_d(u, v), b_d(v, u)\} \\ &\leq 2\alpha sb_d(u, v). \end{aligned}$$

So  $b_d(u, v) \leq cb_d(u, v)$  where  $c = \frac{2\alpha}{s}$ , since  $0 \leq c < 1$  we get  $b_d(u, v) = 0$ . Therefore,  $b_d(u, v) = b_d(v, u) = 0$  implies  $u = v$ . Hence the fixed point is unique.  $\square$

**Example 3.3.** Let  $X = [0, 1]$  and  $b_d(x, y) = (x + y)^2$  for all  $x, y \in X$ . It is clear that  $b_d$  is a  $b$ -dislocated metric on  $X$  with parameter  $s = 2$  and  $(X, b_d)$  is complete. Also  $b_d$  is not a dislocated metric or a  $b$ -metric or a metric on  $X$ . Define the self-mapping  $T : X \rightarrow X$  by  $Tx = \frac{x}{5}$ . For  $x, y \in [0, 1]$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} s^2b_d(Tx, Ty) &= 2^2 \left(\frac{x}{5} + \frac{y}{5}\right)^2 \\ &= 4 \frac{(x+y)^2}{25} \\ &= \frac{4}{25} b_d(x, y) \\ &\leq \alpha \max \{b_d(x, y), b_d(x, Tx), b_d(y, Ty), b_d(x, Ty), b_d(y, Tx)\} \end{aligned}$$

for  $\frac{4}{25} \leq \alpha < \frac{1}{2}$ . Clearly  $x = 0$  is a unique fixed point of  $T$ .

If we take parameter  $s = 1$  in Theorem 3.2, we obtain the following corollary in the setting of dislocated metric spaces.

**Corollary 3.4.** *Let  $(X, d_l)$  be a complete dislocated metric space. If  $T : X \rightarrow X$  is a self mapping that satisfies:*

$$d_l(Tx, Ty) \leq \alpha \max \{d_l(x, y), d_l(x, Tx), d_l(y, Ty), d_l(x, Ty), d_l(y, Tx)\}$$

for all  $x, y \in X$  and  $\alpha \in [0, \frac{1}{2})$ . Then  $T$  has a unique fixed point in  $X$ .

The following example shows that Theorem 3.4 is a proper generalization.

**Example 3.5.** Let  $X = [0, 1]$  and  $d_l : X^2 \rightarrow R^+$  by  $d_l(x, y) = (x + y)$  for all  $x, y \in X$ . It is clear that  $d_l$  is a dislocated metric on  $X$  and  $(X, d_l)$  is complete. Also  $d_l$  is not a metric on  $X$ . Define the self-mapping  $T : X \rightarrow X$  by

$$Tx = \begin{cases} \frac{x}{8}, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ \frac{1}{16}, & x = 1. \end{cases}$$

We have the following cases.

Case 1. For  $x = y = 0$  have  $d_l(Tx, Ty) = d_l(0, 0) = 0 \leq d_l(0, 0)$ .

Case2. If  $1 > x = y > 0$ , then

$$d_l(Tx, Ty) = d_l\left(\frac{x}{8}, \frac{x}{8}\right) = \frac{2x}{8} = \frac{1}{8}2x = \frac{1}{8}d_l(x, y) < d_l(x, y).$$

Case 3. If  $x = 1, y = \frac{1}{2}$ , then

$$d_l(Tx, Ty) = d_l\left(T(1), T\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\right) = d_l\left(\frac{1}{16}, \frac{1}{16}\right) = \frac{1}{8} < \frac{3}{2} = d_l(x, y).$$

Case 4. if  $0 < x < y = 1$ , then

$$d_l(Tx, T1) = d_l\left(\frac{x}{8}, \frac{1}{16}\right) = \frac{x}{8} + \frac{1}{16} < \frac{x}{8} + \frac{1}{8} = \frac{1}{8}(x + 1) = \frac{1}{8}d_l(x, 1) < d_l(x, 1).$$

Case 5. If  $1 > x > y > 0$ , then

$$d_l(Tx, Ty) = d_l\left(\frac{x}{8}, \frac{y}{8}\right) = \frac{x}{8} + \frac{y}{8} = \frac{1}{8}(x + y) < d_l(x, y).$$

Thus all conditions of theorem are satisfied and  $T$  has  $x = 0$  a unique fixed point in  $X$ .

Therefore, we note that for  $x = 1$  and  $y = \frac{99}{100}$  in the usual metric space  $(X, d)$  where  $d(x, y) = |x - y|$  in the special case of Banach contraction, we have

$$d\left(T(1), T\left(\frac{99}{100}\right)\right) = d\left(\frac{1}{16}, \frac{99}{800}\right) = \frac{49}{800} \leq \alpha \frac{1}{100} = d\left(1, \frac{99}{100}\right).$$

This inequality implies that  $\alpha \geq \frac{49}{8}$  and this means that the contractive condition is not true in the usual metric on  $X$ . Also, this example shows that the contractive condition of theorem failed in the setting of  $b$ -metric space  $(X, d)$  where  $d(x, y) = |x - y|^2$ .

In the following we are giving a result in which  $T$  is not continuous in  $X$ , but  $T^p$  is continuous for some positive integer  $p$ .

**Theorem 3.6.** *Let  $(X, b_d)$  be a complete  $b$ -dislocated metric space with parameter  $s \geq 1$  and  $T : X \rightarrow X$  a self-mapping satisfying the condition (3.1)*

$$s^2 b_d(Tx, Ty) \leq \alpha \max \{b_d(x, y), b_d(x, Tx), b_d(y, Ty), b_d(x, Ty), b_d(y, Tx)\}$$

for all  $x, y \in X$  and  $\alpha \in [0, \frac{1}{2})$ . If for some positive integer  $p$ ,  $T^p$  is continuous, then  $T$  has a unique fixed point in  $X$ .

*Proof.* Similarly as in above theorem we can construct a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  and conclude that the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  converges to some point  $u \in X$ . Thus its subsequence  $\{x_{n_k}\}$  ( $n_k = k_p$ ) converges to  $u$ . Also, we have

$$T^p(u) = T^p\left(\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} x_{n_k}\right) = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} (T^p(x_{n_k})) = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} x_{n_{k+1}} = u.$$

Therefore,  $u$  is a fixed point of  $T^p$ . Further we have to show that  $u$  is a fixed point of  $T$ .

Let  $m$  be the smallest positive integer such that  $T^m u = u$ . If suppose that  $m > 1$  we consider:

$$\begin{aligned} s^2 b_d(u, Tu) &= s^2 b_d(T^m u, Tu) \\ &= s^2 b_d(TT^{m-1}u, Tu) \\ &\leq \alpha \max \{ b_d(T^{m-1}u, u), b_d(T^{m-1}u, T^m u), b_d(u, Tu), b_d(T^{m-1}u, Tu), b_d(u, T^m u) \} \\ &= \alpha \max \{ b_d(T^{m-1}u, u), b_d(T^{m-1}u, u), b_d(u, Tu), b_d(T^{m-1}u, Tu), b_d(u, u) \} \\ &\leq \alpha \max \left\{ \begin{array}{l} b_d(T^{m-1}u, u), b_d(T^{m-1}u, u), b_d(u, Tu), \\ s [b_d(T^{m-1}u, u) + b_d(u, Tu)], 2sb_d(T^{m-1}u, u) \end{array} \right\} \\ &\leq 2\alpha sb_d(T^{m-1}u, u) \Rightarrow b_d(u, Tu) < b_d(T^{m-1}u, u) \end{aligned}$$

Again from the condition of theorem, have

$$\begin{aligned} s^2 b_d(T^{m-1}u, u) &= s^2 b_d(T^{m-1}u, T^m u) \\ &= s^2 b_d(TT^{m-2}u, T^m u) \\ &\leq \alpha \max \{ b_d(T^{m-2}u, u), b_d(T^{m-2}u, TT^{m-2}u), \\ &\quad b_d(u, T^m u), b_d(T^{m-2}u, T^m u), b_d(u, TT^{m-2}u) \} \\ &= \alpha \max \{ b_d(T^{m-2}u, u), b_d(T^{m-2}u, T^{m-1}u), \\ &\quad b_d(u, u), b_d(T^{m-2}u, u), b_d(u, T^{m-1}u) \} \\ &\leq \alpha \max \left\{ \begin{array}{l} b_d(T^{m-2}u, u), s [b_d(T^{m-2}u, u) + b_d(u, T^{m-1}u)], \\ 2\alpha sb_d(u, T^{m-2}u), b_d(T^{m-2}u, u), b_d(u, T^{m-1}u) \end{array} \right\} \\ &\leq 2\alpha sb_d(T^{m-2}u, u) \Rightarrow \\ &b_d(T^{m-1}u, u) < b_d(T^{m-2}u, u). \end{aligned}$$

In general using this process inductively, we get

$$b_d(u, Tu) < b_d(T^{m-1}u, u) < b_d(T^{m-2}u, T^{m-1}u) < \dots < b_d(u, Tu).$$

As a result we have,  $b_d(u, Tu) < b_d(u, Tu)$  that is a contradiction. Hence  $Tu = u$  and  $u$  is a fixed point of  $T$ .

Clearly the uniqueness of fixed point follows as in above theorem. □

**Theorem 3.7.** Let  $(X, b_d)$  be a complete  $b$ -dislocated metric space with parameter  $s \geq 1$  and  $T : X \rightarrow X$  a self-mapping such that for some positive integer  $m$ ,  $T$  satisfies the following condition (3.1):

$$\begin{aligned} s^2 b_d(T^m x, T^m y) \\ \leq \alpha \max \{ b_d(x, y), b_d(x, T^m x), b_d(y, T^m y), b_d(x, T^m y), b_d(y, T^m x) \} \end{aligned}$$

for all  $x, y \in X$  and  $\alpha \in [0, \frac{1}{2})$ . If  $T^m$  is continuous, then  $T$  has a unique fixed point in  $X$ .

*Proof.* If we set  $F = T^m$ , then from Theorem 3.2  $F$  has a unique fixed point. We call it  $u$ . Then  $T^m u = u$  and this implies,

$$T^{m+1}u = T^m(Tu) = T(T^m u) = Tu.$$

From this  $Tu$  is a fixed point of  $T^m$ . Since  $T^m$  has a unique fixed point, then  $Tu = u$ .

**Uniqueness.** From condition of theorem, we get the uniqueness of fixed point  $u$ . □



If we take the parameter  $s = 1$  in Theorem 3.6 and 3.7, we reduce the following corollaries in the setting of dislocated metric spaces.

**Corollary 3.8.** *Let  $(X, d_l)$  be a complete dislocated metric space and  $T : X \rightarrow X$  a self- mapping satisfying the condition:*

$$d_l(Tx, Ty) \leq \alpha \max \{d_l(x, y), d_l(x, Tx), d_l(y, Ty), d_l(x, Ty), d_l(y, Tx)\}$$

for all  $x, y \in X$  and  $\alpha \in [0, \frac{1}{2})$ . If for some positive integer  $p$ ,  $T^p$  is continuous, then  $T$  has a unique fixed point in  $X$ .

**Corollary 3.9.** *Let  $(X, d_l)$  be a complete dislocated metric space and  $T : X \rightarrow X$  a self- mapping such that for some positive integer  $m$ ,  $T$  satisfies the following condition:*

$$d_l(T^m x, T^m y) \leq \alpha \max \{d_l(x, y), d_l(x, T^m x), d_l(y, T^m y), d_l(x, T^m y), d_l(y, T^m x)\}$$

for all  $x, y \in X$  and  $\alpha \in [0, \frac{1}{2})$ . If  $T^m$  is continuous, then  $T$  has a unique fixed point in  $X$ .

Further we prove existence of unique fixed point for a mapping that is said to be a  $T$ -Hardy-Rogers contraction in the setup of a  $b$ -dislocated metric space.

**Theorem 3.10.** *Let  $(X, b_d)$  be a complete  $b$ -dislocated metric space with parameter  $s \geq 1$  and  $T, f : X \rightarrow X$  are such that  $T$  is one-to-one, continuous and the contractive condition,*

$$s^2 b_d(Tfx, Tfy) \leq A b_d(Tx, Ty) + B b_d(Tx, Tfx) + C b_d(Ty, Tfy) + D b_d(Tx, Tfy) + E b_d(Ty, Tfx)$$

holds for all  $x, y \in X$ , where the constants  $A, B, C, D, E$  are non negative and  $0 \leq A + B + C + 2D + 2E < 1$ . Then we have the following:

1. For every  $x_0 \in X$  the sequence  $\{T f^n x_0\}$  is convergent;
2. If  $T$  is subsequentially convergent, then  $f$  has a unique fixed point in  $X$ ;
3. If  $T$  is sequentially convergent, then for each  $x_0 \in X$  the sequence  $\{f^n x_0\}$  converges to the fixed point of  $f$ .

*Proof.* Let  $x_0 \in X$  be an arbitrary point. We define the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  by  $x_{n+1} = f x_n = f^{n+1} x_0, n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ . If there exists  $n \in N$  such that  $x_n = x_{n+1}$  then we get  $x_n = x_{n+1} = f x_n$  thus  $f$  has a fixed point and the proof is completed. Thus we can suppose  $x_n \neq x_{n+1}$  for all  $n \in N$ .

From contractive condition of theorem, we have:

$$\begin{aligned} s^2 b_d(Tx_{n+1}, Tx_n) &= s^2 b_d(Tfx_n, Tfx_{n-1}) \\ &\leq A b_d(Tx_n, Tx_{n-1}) + B b_d(Tx_n, Tfx_n) + C b_d(Tx_{n-1}, Tfx_{n-1}) + \\ &\quad + D b_d(Tx_n, Tfx_{n-1}) + E b_d(Tx_{n-1}, Tfx_n) \\ &= A b_d(Tx_n, Tx_{n-1}) + B b_d(Tx_n, Tx_{n+1}) + C b_d(Tx_{n-1}, Tx_n) + \\ &\quad + D b_d(Tx_n, Tx_n) + E b_d(Tx_{n-1}, Tx_{n+1}) \\ &\leq A b_d(Tx_n, Tx_{n-1}) + B b_d(Tx_n, Tx_{n+1}) + C b_d(Tx_{n-1}, Tx_n) + \\ &\quad + 2s D b_d(Tx_n, Tx_{n-1}) + s E [b_d(Tx_{n-1}, Tx_n) + b_d(Tx_n, Tx_{n+1})]. \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned}
 & b_d(Tx_{n+1}, Tx_n) \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{s^2} \left[ sAb_d(Tx_n, Tx_{n-1}) + sBb_d(Tx_n, Tx_{n+1}) + sCb_d(Tx_{n-1}, Tx_n) + \right. \\
 & \quad \left. + 2sDb_d(Tx_n, Tx_{n-1}) + sE[b_d(Tx_{n-1}, Tx_n) + b_d(Tx_n, Tx_{n+1})] \right] \\
 & = \frac{1}{s} \left[ Ab_d(Tx_n, Tx_{n-1}) + Bb_d(Tx_n, Tx_{n+1}) + Cb_d(Tx_{n-1}, Tx_n) + \right. \\
 & \quad \left. + 2Db_d(Tx_n, Tx_{n-1}) + E[b_d(Tx_{n-1}, Tx_n) + b_d(Tx_n, Tx_{n+1})] \right]. \tag{3.8}
 \end{aligned}$$

If  $b_d(Tx_n, Tx_{n-1}) \leq b_d(Tx_{n+1}, Tx_n)$  for some  $n \in N$ , then from the above inequality (3.8) we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 & b_d(Tx_{n+1}, Tx_n) \\
 & \leq \frac{1}{s} \left[ Ab_d(Tx_n, Tx_{n+1}) + Bb_d(Tx_n, Tx_{n+1}) + Cb_d(Tx_{n+1}, Tx_n) + \right. \\
 & \quad \left. + 2Db_d(Tx_n, Tx_{n+1}) + E[b_d(Tx_{n+1}, Tx_n) + b_d(Tx_n, Tx_{n+1})] \right] \\
 & = \frac{1}{s} [A + B + C + 2D + 2E] b_d(Tx_{n+1}, Tx_n) \\
 & < b_d(Tx_{n+1}, Tx_n).
 \end{aligned}$$

That is a contradiction, since  $0 \leq A + B + C + 2D + 2E < 1$ . Thus, we have  $b_d(Tx_{n+1}, Tx_n) \leq b_d(Tx_n, Tx_{n-1})$  for all  $n \in N$ . As a result we get,

$$b_d(Tx_{n+1}, Tx_n) \leq \frac{1}{s} [A + B + C + 2D + 2E] b_d(Tx_n, Tx_{n-1}). \tag{3.9}$$

Also in a same way we have

$$b_d(Tx_n, Tx_{n-1}) \leq \frac{1}{s} [A + B + C + 2D + 2E] b_d(Tx_{n-1}, Tx_{n-2}). \tag{3.10}$$

Now from (3.9) and (3.10) we have

$$b_d(Tx_{n+1}, Tx_n) \leq kb_d(Tx_n, Tx_{n-1}) \leq \dots \leq k^n b_d(Tx_1, Tx_0) \tag{3.11}$$

where  $k = \frac{A+B+C+2D+2E}{s}$ , so  $0 < k < 1$  as  $s \geq 1$ . Taking in limit in inequality (3.11) we get

$$b_d(Tx_{n+1}, Tx_n) \rightarrow 0. \tag{3.12}$$

Let we prove that  $\{Tx_n\}$  is a  $b_d$ -Cauchy sequence.

By the triangle inequality, for  $m \geq n$  we have:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & b_d(Tx_n, Tx_m) \leq s [b_d(Tx_n, Tx_{n+1}) + b_d(Tx_{n+1}, Tx_m)] \\
 & \leq sb_d(Tx_n, Tx_{n+1}) + s^2 b_d(Tx_{n+1}, Tx_{n+2}) + s^3 b_d(Tx_{n+2}, Tx_{n+3}) + \dots \\
 & \leq sk^n b_d(Tx_0, Tx_1) + s^2 k^{n+1} b_d(Tx_0, Tx_1) + s^3 k^{n+2} b_d(Tx_0, Tx_1) + \dots \\
 & = sk^n b_d(Tx_0, Tx_1) \left[ 1 + sk + (sk)^2 + (sk)^3 + \dots \right] \\
 & \leq \frac{sk^n}{1-sk} b_d(Tx_0, Tx_1).
 \end{aligned}$$

As  $0 \leq sk < 1$  letting  $n, m \rightarrow \infty$ , we have  $\lim_{n,m \rightarrow \infty} b_d(Tx_n, Tx_m) = 0$ . So  $\{Tx_n\}$  is a  $b_d$ -Cauchy sequence in  $X$ .

Since  $(X, b_d)$  is a complete  $b$ -dislocated metric space then  $\{Tx_n\} = \{Tf^n x_0\}$  is a  $b_d$ -Cauchy convergent sequence, so there exists a point  $z \in X$  such that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} Tf^n x_0 = z. \quad (3.13)$$

Assuming that  $T$  is subsequentially convergent then  $\{f^n x_0\}$  has a  $b_d$ -convergent subsequence. Hence there exists  $u \in X$  and a subsequence  $\{n_i\}$  such that  $\lim_{i \rightarrow \infty} f^{n_i} x_0 = u$ . Since the mapping  $T$  is continuous, we obtain

$$\lim_{i \rightarrow \infty} Tf^{n_i} x_0 = Tu \quad (3.14)$$

and by (3.13), (3.14) we conclude that  $Tu = z$ .

In the contractive condition of theorem, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & s^2 b_d(Tfu, Tf x_n) \\ & \leq Ab_d(Tu, Tx_n) + Bb_d(Tu, Tfu) + Cb_d(Tx_n, Tf x_n) + Db_d(Tu, Tf x_n) \\ & \quad + Eb_d(Tf x_n, Tfu). \end{aligned}$$

Taking upper limit as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  and using Lemma 2.10, and results in (3.12) and (3.13), we have

$$\begin{aligned} & s^2 \frac{1}{s} b_d(Tfu, Tu) \\ & \leq Bb_d(Tu, Tfu) + sCb_d(Tu, Tfu) + sDb_d(Tu, Tfu) + sEb_d(Tu, Tfu) \\ & \leq s(B + E) b_d(Tu, Tfu) \\ & \leq s(A + B + C + 2D + 2E) b_d(Tu, Tfu) \end{aligned}$$

which implies that

$$b_d(Tfu, Tu) \leq (A + B + C + 2D + 2E) b_d(Tfu, Tu).$$

Since  $0 \leq A + B + C + 2D + 2E < 1$  we obtain  $b_d(Tfu, Tu) = 0$  that means  $Tfu = Tu$ .

As  $T$  is one-to-one, we get  $fu = u$ . Thus  $f$  has a fixed point.

Also if  $T$  is sequentially convergent, similarly we get that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f^n x_0 = u$  replacing  $\{n\}$  with  $\{n_i\}$ .

**Uniqueness.** Firstly we will prove that if  $u$  is a fixed point of  $f$  then  $b_d(Tu, Tu) = 0$ . Using the contractive condition of Theorem 3.10 replacing  $x = y = u$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} & s^2 b_d(Tu, Tu) \\ & = s^2 b_d(Tfu, Tfu) \\ & \leq Ab_d(Tu, Tu) + Bb_d(Tu, Tfu) + Cb_d(Tu, Tfu) + Db_d(Tu, Tfu) \\ & \quad + Eb_d(Tu, Tfu) \\ & = Ab_d(Tu, Tu) + Bb_d(Tu, Tu) + Cb_d(Tu, Tu) + Db_d(Tu, Tu) + Eb_d(Tu, Tu) \\ & = (A + B + C + D + E) b_d(Tu, Tu) \\ & \leq (A + B + C + 2D + 2E) b_d(Tu, Tu) \end{aligned}$$

From this inequality we get,

$b_d(Tu, Tu) \leq \frac{A+B+C+2D+2E}{s^2} b_d(Tu, Tu)$  and this implies  $b_d(Tu, Tu) = 0$  since  $0 \leq \frac{A+B+C+2D+2E}{s^2} < 1$ .

If we assume that  $w$  is another fixed point of  $f$ , then we have,

$$\begin{aligned} & s^2 b_d(Tu, Tw) \\ &= s^2 b_d(Tfu, Tfw) \\ &\leq Ab_d(Tu, Tw) + Bb_d(Tu, Tfu) + Cb_d(Tw, Tfw) + Db_d(Tu, Tfw) \\ &\quad + Eb_d(Tw, Tfu) \\ &= Ab_d(Tu, Tw) + Bb_d(Tu, Tu) + Cb_d(Tw, Tw) + Db_d(Tu, Tw) \\ &\quad + Eb_d(Tw, Tu) \\ &= Ab_d(Tu, Tw) + Db_d(Tu, Tw) + Eb_d(Tw, Tu) \\ &\leq (A + B + C + 2D + 2E) b_d(Tu, Tw). \end{aligned}$$

The above inequality implies that

$b_d(Tu, Tw) \leq \frac{A+B+C+2D+2E}{s^2} b_d(Tu, Tw)$  and this implies  $b_d(Tu, Tw) = 0$  and by property 2, we have  $Tu = Tw$ . Since  $T$  is continuous and one-to-one, we get  $u = w$ .

Thus the fixed point is unique. □

**Example 3.11.** Let  $X = [0, \infty)$  be equipped with the  $b$ -dislocated metric  $b_d(x, y) = (x + y)^2$  for all  $x, y \in X$ , where  $s = 2$ . It is clear that  $(X, b_d)$  is a complete  $b$ -dislocated metric space. Also let be the self-mappings  $T, f : X \rightarrow X$  defined by  $T(x) = \frac{x}{3}, f(x) = \frac{x}{6}$ . We note, that  $f$  is a  $T$ -Hardy-Rogers contraction, also  $T$  is continuous and subsequentially convergent.

For each  $x, y \in X$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} s^2 b_d(Tfx, Tfy) &= 2^2 b_d\left(\frac{x}{18}, \frac{y}{18}\right) \\ &= 4 \frac{(x+y)^2}{324} \\ &\leq 4 \frac{(x+y)^2}{144} \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \frac{(x+y)^2}{9} \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{x}{3} + \frac{y}{3}\right)^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{4} b_d(Tx, Ty) \\ &\leq Ab_d(Tx, Ty) + Bb_d(Tx, Tfx) + Cb_d(Ty, Tfy) \\ &\quad + Db_d(Tx, Tfy) + Eb_d(Ty, Tfx). \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $T, f$  satisfy all the conditions of Theorem 3.10. Moreover 0 is the unique fixed point of  $f$ .

As a consequence of Theorem 3.10 for taking the parameter  $s = 1$  or the identity mapping  $Tx = x$  we can establish the following corollaries.

**Corollary 3.12.** Let  $(X, d_l)$  be a complete dislocated metric space and  $T, f : X \rightarrow X$  are such that  $T$  is one-to-one, continuous and the contractive condition

$$\begin{aligned} & d_l(Tfx, Tfy) \\ &\leq Ad_l(Tx, Ty) + Bd_l(Tx, Tfx) + Cd_l(Ty, Tfy) + Dd_l(Tx, Tfy) \\ &\quad + Ed_l(Ty, Tfx) \end{aligned}$$

holds for all  $x, y \in X$ , where the constants  $A, B, C, D, E$  are non negative and  $0 \leq A + B + C + 2D + 2E < 1$ . Then we have the following

1. For every  $x_0 \in X$  the sequence  $\{Tf^n x_0\}$  is convergent;
2. If  $T$  is subsequentially convergent, then  $f$  has a unique fixed point in  $X$ ;
3. If  $T$  is sequentially convergent, then for each  $x_0 \in X$  the sequence  $\{f^n x_0\}$  converges to the fixed point of  $f$ .

**Corollary 3.13.** Let  $(X, b_d)$  be a complete  $b$ -dislocated metric space with parameter  $s \geq 1$  and  $f : X \rightarrow X$  is a self-mapping such that the contractive condition

$$s^2 b_d(fx, fy) \leq A b_d(x, y) + B b_d(x, fx) + C b_d(y, fy) + D b_d(x, fy) + E b_d(y, fx)$$

holds for all  $x, y \in X$ , where the constants  $A, B, C, D, E$  are non negative and  $0 \leq A + B + C + 2D + 2E < 1$ . Then  $f$  has a unique fixed point in  $X$ .

**Corollary 3.14.** Let  $(X, b_d)$  be a complete dislocated metric space and  $f : X \rightarrow X$  is a self-mapping such that the contractive condition

$$b_d(fx, fy) \leq A b_d(x, y) + B b_d(x, fx) + C b_d(y, fy) + D b_d(x, fy) + E b_d(y, fx)$$

holds for all  $x, y \in X$ , where the constants  $A, B, C, D, E$  are non negative and  $0 \leq A + B + C + 2D + 2E < 1$ . Then  $f$  has a unique fixed point in  $X$ .

**Remark 3.15.** From Theorem 3.10 and its corollaries by specifying condition on the given constants we derive as corollaries (special cases) fixed point results for  $T$ -Kannan contraction,  $T$ -Chatterjea contractions and  $T$ -Reich contraction in the framework of  $b$ -dislocated metric spaces.

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