

## Viscosity Approximation Methods for Nonexpansive Multimaps in Banach Spaces

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**Abstract** We prove strong convergence of the viscosity approximation process for nonexpansive nonself multimaps. Furthermore, an explicit iteration process which converges strongly to a fixed point of multimap  $T$  is constructed. It is worth mentioning that, unlike other authors, we do not impose the condition “ $Tz = \{z\}$ ” on the map  $T$ .

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### 1 Introduction

Let  $D$  be a nonempty closed convex subset of a Banach space  $E := (E, \|\cdot\|)$  and let  $K(D)$  and  $KC(D)$  denote the family of nonempty compact subsets and nonempty compact convex subsets of  $D$ , respectively. Let  $T : D \rightarrow K(E)$ . Then  $T$  is said to be a *contraction* if there exists  $0 \leq k < 1$  such that  $H(Tx, Ty) \leq k\|x - y\|$  for  $x, y \in D$ , where  $H$  is the Hausdorff metric induced by  $\|\cdot\|$ . If  $k = 1$ , then  $T$  is called *nonexpansive*. A point  $x^*$  is a *fixed point of  $T$*  if  $x^* \in Tx^*$ . The set of fixed points of  $T$  is denoted by  $F(T)$ .

Let  $T : D \rightarrow K(D)$  be nonexpansive. Given a  $u \in D$  and a  $t \in (0, 1)$ , let  $G_t : D \rightarrow K(D)$  be defined by

$$G_t x := tTx + (1 - t)u, \quad x \in D.$$

Then  $G_t$  is a contraction and, by the Nadler contraction principle [1], has a fixed point  $x_t \in D$ , that is,

$$x_t \in tTx_t + (1 - t)u. \tag{1.1}$$

Let

$$P_T(x) = \{u_x \in Tx : \|x - u_x\| = d(x, Tx)\},$$

where  $d(x, A) := \inf\{\|x - a\| : a \in A \subset E\}$ . Then  $P_T : D \rightarrow K(E)$  is a multimap having nonempty compact values.