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Strong convergence theorems for the split variational inclusion problem in Hilbert spaces

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Abstract

In this paper, we first consider a split variational inclusion problem and give several strong convergence theorems in Hilbert spaces, like the Halpern-Mann type iteration method and the regularized iteration method. As applications, we consider the algorithms for a split feasibility problem and a split optimization problem and give strong convergence theorems for these problems in Hilbert spaces. Our results for the split feasibility problem improve the related results in the literature.

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1 Introduction

In 1994, the split feasibility problem in finite dimensional Hilbert spaces was first introduced by Censor and Elfving [1] for modeling inverse problems which arise from medical image reconstruction. Since then, the split feasibility problem has received much attention due to its applications in signal processing, image reconstruction, approximation theory, control theory, biomedical engineering, communications, and geophysics. For examples, one can refer to [1–5] and related literature.

We know that the split feasibility problem can be formulated as the following problem:

$$(SFP) \quad \text{Find } \bar{x} \in H_1 \text{ such that } \bar{x} \in C \text{ and } A\bar{x} \in Q,$$

where C and Q are nonempty closed convex subsets of Hilbert spaces H_1 and H_2 , respectively, and $A : H_1 \rightarrow H_2$ is an operator. It is worth noting that a special case of problem (SFP) is the convexly constrained linear inverse problem in the finite dimensional Hilbert space [6]:

$$(CLIP) \quad \text{Find } \bar{x} \in C \text{ such that } A\bar{x} = b, \text{ where } b \in H_2.$$

Originally, problem (SFP) was considered in Euclidean spaces. (Note that if H_1 and H_2 are two Euclidean spaces, then A is a matrix.) In 1994, problem (SFP) in finite dimensional Hilbert spaces was first introduced by Censor and Elfving [1] for modeling inverse problems which arise from medical image reconstruction. Since then, many researchers have

studied (SFP) in finite dimensional or infinite dimensional Hilbert spaces. For example, one can see [2, 7–16] and related literature.

In 2002, Byrne [2] first introduced the following recursive procedure:

$$x_{n+1} = P_C(x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - P_Q)Ax_n), \tag{1.1}$$

where the stepsize τ_n is chosen in the interval $(0, 2/\|A\|^2)$, and P_C and P_Q are the metric projections onto $C \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$ and $Q \subseteq \mathbb{R}^m$, respectively. This algorithm is called CQ algorithm. Note that A may be not invertible. In 2010, Wang and Xu [11] modified Byrne's CQ algorithm and gave a weak convergence theorem in infinite dimensional Hilbert spaces.

In 2004, motivated by the works on CQ algorithm (1.1), Yang [14] considered (SFP) under the following conditions:

$$C := \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : c(x) \leq 0\} \quad \text{and} \quad Q := \{x \in \mathbb{R}^m : q(x) \leq 0\},$$

where $c : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $q : \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ are convex and lower semicontinuous functions. In fact, Yang [14] studied the following problem, and we call this problem the relaxed split feasibility problem:

$$\text{(RSFP)} \quad \text{Find } \bar{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n \text{ such that } c(\bar{x}) \leq 0 \text{ and } q(A\bar{x}) \leq 0.$$

In 2010, Xu [13] modified and extended Yang's algorithm and gave a weak convergence theorem in infinite dimensional Hilbert spaces.

On the other hand, let H be a real Hilbert space, and B be a set-valued mapping with domain $\mathcal{D}(B) := \{x \in H : B(x) \neq \emptyset\}$. Recall that B is called monotone if $\langle u - v, x - y \rangle \geq 0$ for any $u \in Bx$ and $v \in By$; B is maximal monotone if its graph $\{(x, y) : x \in \mathcal{D}(B), y \in Bx\}$ is not properly contained in the graph of any other monotone mapping. An important problem for set-valued monotone mappings is to find $\bar{x} \in H$ such that $0 \in B\bar{x}$. Here, \bar{x} is called a zero point of B . A well-known method for approximating a zero point of a maximal monotone mapping defined in a real Hilbert space is the proximal point algorithm first introduced by Martinet [17] and generated by Rockafellar [18]. This is an iterative procedure, which generates $\{x_n\}$ by $x_1 = x \in H$ and

$$x_{n+1} = J_{\beta_n}^B x_n, \quad n \in \mathbb{N}, \tag{1.2}$$

where $\{\beta_n\} \subseteq (0, \infty)$, B is a maximal monotone mapping in a real Hilbert space, and J_r^B is the resolvent mapping of B defined by $J_r^B = (I + rB)^{-1}$ for each $r > 0$. In 1976, Rockafellar [18] proved the following in the Hilbert space setting: If the solution set $B^{-1}(0)$ is nonempty and $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \beta_n > 0$, then the sequence $\{x_n\}$ in (1.2) converges weakly to an element of $B^{-1}(0)$. In particular, if B is the subdifferential ∂f of a proper lower semicontinuous and convex function $f : H \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, then (1.2) is reduced to

$$x_{n+1} = \arg \min_{y \in H} \left\{ f(y) + \frac{1}{2\beta_n} \|y - x_n\|^2 \right\}, \quad n \in \mathbb{N}. \tag{1.3}$$

In this case, $\{x_n\}$ converges weakly to a minimizer of f . Later, many researchers have studied the convergence theorems of the proximal point algorithm in Hilbert spaces. For examples, one can refer to [19–24] and references therein.

Let H_1 and H_2 be two real Hilbert spaces, $B_1 : H_1 \rightrightarrows H_1$ and $B_2 : H_2 \rightrightarrows H_2$ be two set-valued maximal monotone mappings, $A : H_1 \rightarrow H_2$ be a linear and bounded operator, and A^* be the adjoint of A . In this paper, motivated by the works in [13, 14] and related literature, we consider the following split variational inclusion problem:

$$(SFVIP) \quad \text{Find } \bar{x} \in H_1 \text{ such that } 0 \in B_1(\bar{x}) \text{ and } 0 \in B_2(A\bar{x}).$$

Clearly, we know that the following split variational inclusion problem (SFVIP) is a generalization of variational inclusion problem. Further, we observed that problem (SFVIP) was introduced by Moudafi [25], and Moudafi [25] gave a weak convergence theorem for problem (SFVIP). The following is an iteration process given by Moudafi [25]:

$$x_{n+1} := J_{\lambda}^{B_1} (x_n + \gamma A^* (J_{\lambda}^{B_2} - I) A x_n).$$

It is worth noting that λ and γ are fixed numbers. Hence, it is important to establish generalized iteration processes and the related strong convergence theorems for problem (SFVIP).

Besides, we know that the following problems are special cases of problem (SFVIP).

(SFOP) Find $\bar{x} \in H_1$ such that $f(\bar{x}) = \min_{y \in H_1} f(y)$ and $g(A\bar{x}) = \min_{z \in H_2} g(z)$, where $f : H_1 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $g : H_2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ are two proper, lower semicontinuous, and convex functions.

(SFP) Find $\bar{x} \in H_1$ such that $\bar{x} \in C$ and $A\bar{x} \in Q$, where C and Q are two nonempty closed convex subsets of real Hilbert spaces H_1 and H_2 , respectively.

In this paper, we first consider a split variational inclusion problem and give several strong convergence theorems in Hilbert spaces, like the Halpern-Mann type iteration method, the regularized iteration method. As applications, we consider algorithms for a split feasibility problem and a split optimization problem and give strong convergence theorems for these problems in Hilbert spaces. Our results for the split feasibility problem improve the related results in the literature.

2 Preliminaries

Throughout this paper, let \mathbb{N} be the set of positive integers and let \mathbb{R} be the set of real numbers. Let H be a (real) Hilbert space with the inner product $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$ and the norm $\| \cdot \|$, respectively. We denote the strong convergence and the weak convergence of $\{x_n\}$ to $x \in H$ by $x_n \rightarrow x$ and $x_n \rightharpoonup x$, respectively. From [26], for each $x, y \in H$ and $\lambda \in [0, 1]$, we have

$$\| \lambda x + (1 - \lambda)y \|^2 = \lambda \|x\|^2 + (1 - \lambda) \|y\|^2 - \lambda(1 - \lambda) \|x - y\|^2.$$

Hence, we also have

$$2 \langle x - y, u - v \rangle = \|x - v\|^2 + \|y - u\|^2 - \|x - u\|^2 - \|y - v\|^2$$

for all $x, y, u, v \in H$. Furthermore, we know that

$$\| \alpha x + \beta y + \gamma z \|^2 = \alpha \|x\|^2 + \beta \|y\|^2 + \gamma \|z\|^2 - \alpha\beta \|x - y\|^2 - \alpha\gamma \|x - z\|^2 - \beta\gamma \|y - z\|^2$$

for each $x, y, z \in H$ and $\alpha, \beta, \gamma \in [0, 1]$ with $\alpha + \beta + \gamma = 1$ [27].

Lemma 2.1 [28] *Let H be a (real) Hilbert space, and let $x, y \in H$. Then $\|x + y\|^2 \leq \|x\|^2 + 2\langle y, x + y \rangle$.*

Let C be a nonempty closed convex subset of a real Hilbert space H , and let $T : C \rightarrow H$ be a mapping. Let $\text{Fix}(T) := \{x \in C : Tx = x\}$. Then T is said to be a nonexpansive mapping if $\|Tx - Ty\| \leq \|x - y\|$ for every $x, y \in C$. T is said to be a quasi-nonexpansive mapping if $\text{Fix}(T) \neq \emptyset$ and $\|Tx - y\| \leq \|x - y\|$ for every $x \in C$ and $y \in \text{Fix}(T)$. It is easy to see that $\text{Fix}(T)$ is a closed convex subset of C if T is a quasi-nonexpansive mapping. Besides, T is said to be a firmly nonexpansive mapping if $\|Tx - Ty\|^2 \leq \langle x - y, Tx - Ty \rangle$ for every $x, y \in C$, that is, $\|Tx - Ty\|^2 \leq \|x - y\|^2 - \|(I - T)x - (I - T)y\|^2$ for every $x, y \in C$.

Lemma 2.2 [29] *Let C be a nonempty closed convex subset of a real Hilbert space H . Let $T : C \rightarrow H$ be a nonexpansive mapping, and let $\{x_n\}$ be a sequence in C . If $x_n \rightarrow w$ and $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - Tx_n\| = 0$, then $Tw = w$.*

Let C be a nonempty closed convex subset of a real Hilbert space H . Then, for each $x \in H$, there is a unique element $\bar{x} \in C$ such that $\|x - \bar{x}\| = \min_{y \in C} \|x - y\|$. Here, we set $P_C x = \bar{x}$ and P_C is said to be the metric projection from H onto C .

Lemma 2.3 [30] *Let C be a nonempty closed convex subset of a Hilbert space H . Let P_C be the metric projection from H onto C . Then, for each $x \in H$ and $z \in C$, we know that $z = P_C x$ if and only if $\langle x - z, z - y \rangle \geq 0$ for all $y \in C$.*

The following result is an important tool in this paper. For similar results, one can see [31].

Lemma 2.4 *Let H be a real Hilbert space. Let $B : H \rightrightarrows H$ be a set-valued maximal monotone mapping, $\beta > 0$, and let J_β^B be a resolvent mapping of B .*

- (i) *For each $\beta > 0$, J_β^B is a single-valued and firmly nonexpansive mapping;*
- (ii) *$\mathcal{D}(J_\beta^B) = H$ and $\text{Fix}(J_\beta^B) = \{x \in \mathcal{D}(B) : 0 \in Bx\}$;*
- (iii) *$\|x - J_\beta^B x\| \leq \|x - J_\gamma^B x\|$ for all $0 < \beta \leq \gamma$ and for all $x \in H$;*
- (iv) *$(I - J_\beta^B)$ is a firmly nonexpansive mapping for each $\beta > 0$;*
- (v) *Suppose that $B^{-1}(0) \neq \emptyset$. Then $\|x - J_\beta^B x\|^2 + \|J_\beta^B x - \bar{x}\|^2 \leq \|x - \bar{x}\|^2$ for each $x \in H$, each $\bar{x} \in B^{-1}(0)$, and each $\beta > 0$.*
- (vi) *Suppose that $B^{-1}(0) \neq \emptyset$. Then $\langle x - J_\beta^B x, J_\beta^B x - w \rangle \geq 0$ for each $x \in H$ and each $w \in B^{-1}(0)$, and each $\beta > 0$.*

Lemma 2.5 *Let H_1 and H_2 be two real Hilbert spaces, $A : H_1 \rightarrow H_2$ be a linear operator, and A^* be the adjoint of A , and let $\beta > 0$ be fixed. Let $B : H_2 \rightrightarrows H_2$ be a set-valued maximal monotone mapping, and let J_β^B be a resolvent mapping of B . Let $T : H_1 \rightarrow H_1$ be defined by $Tx := A^*(I - J_\beta^B)Ax$ for each $x \in H_1$. Then*

- (i) *$\|(I - J_\beta^B)Ax - (I - J_\beta^B)Ay\|^2 \leq \langle Tx - Ty, x - y \rangle$ for all $x, y \in H_1$;*
- (ii) *$\|A^*(I - J_\beta^B)Ax - A^*(I - J_\beta^B)Ay\|^2 \leq \|A\|^2 \cdot \langle Tx - Ty, x - y \rangle$ for all $x, y \in H_1$.*

Proof (i) By Lemma 2.4,

$$\begin{aligned} \langle Tx - Ty, x - y \rangle &= \langle A^*(I - J_\beta^B)Ax - A^*(I - J_\beta^B)Ay, x - y \rangle \\ &= \langle (I - J_\beta^B)Ax - (I - J_\beta^B)Ay, Ax - Ay \rangle \\ &\geq \|(I - J_\beta^B)Ax - (I - J_\beta^B)Ay\|^2 \end{aligned}$$

for all $x, y \in H_1$. (ii) Further, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|A^*(I - J_\beta^B)Ax - A^*(I - J_\beta^B)Ay\|^2 &\leq \|A\|^2 \cdot \|(I - J_\beta^B)Ax - (I - J_\beta^B)Ay\|^2 \\ &\leq \|A\|^2 \cdot \langle Tx - Ty, x - y \rangle \end{aligned}$$

for all $x, y \in H_1$. Therefore, the proof is completed. \square

Lemma 2.6 *Let H_1 and H_2 be two real Hilbert spaces, $A : H_1 \rightarrow H_2$ be a linear operator, and A^* be the adjoint of A , and let $\beta > 0$ be fixed, and let $\rho \in (0, \frac{2}{\|A\|^2})$. Let $B_2 : H_2 \rightrightarrows H_2$ be a set-valued maximal monotone mapping, and let $J_\beta^{B_2}$ be a resolvent mapping of B_2 . Then*

$$\begin{aligned} &\|[x - \rho A^*(I - J_\beta^{B_2})Ax] - [y - \rho A^*(I - J_\beta^{B_2})Ay]\|^2 \\ &\leq \|x - y\|^2 - (2\rho - \rho^2\|A\|^2) \|(I - J_\beta^{B_2})Ax - (I - J_\beta^{B_2})Ay\|^2 \end{aligned}$$

for all $x, y \in H_1$. Furthermore, $I - \rho A^*(I - J_\beta^{B_2})A$ is a nonexpansive mapping.

Proof For all $x, y \in H_1$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} &\|[x - \rho A^*(I - J_\beta^{B_2})Ax] - [y - \rho A^*(I - J_\beta^{B_2})Ay]\|^2 \\ &= \|x - y\|^2 - 2\rho \langle x - y, A^*(I - J_\beta^{B_2})Ax - A^*(I - J_\beta^{B_2})Ay \rangle \\ &\quad + \rho^2 \|A^*(I - J_\beta^{B_2})Ax - A^*(I - J_\beta^{B_2})Ay\|^2 \\ &= \|x - y\|^2 - 2\rho \langle Ax - Ay, (I - J_\beta^{B_2})Ax - (I - J_\beta^{B_2})Ay \rangle \\ &\quad + \rho^2 \|A^*(I - J_\beta^{B_2})Ax - A^*(I - J_\beta^{B_2})Ay\|^2. \end{aligned} \tag{2.1}$$

Hence, it follows from (2.1) and Lemma 2.4 that

$$\begin{aligned} &\|[x - \rho A^*(I - J_\beta^{B_2})Ax] - [y - \rho A^*(I - J_\beta^{B_2})Ay]\|^2 \\ &\leq \|x - y\|^2 - 2\rho \|(I - J_\beta^{B_2})Ax - (I - J_\beta^{B_2})Ay\|^2 \\ &\quad + \rho^2 \|A^*(I - J_\beta^{B_2})Ax - A^*(I - J_\beta^{B_2})Ay\|^2 \\ &\leq \|x - y\|^2 - (2\rho - \rho^2\|A\|^2) \|(I - J_\beta^{B_2})Ax - (I - J_\beta^{B_2})Ay\|^2 \end{aligned}$$

for all $x, y \in H_1$. Therefore, the proof is completed. \square

The following is a very important result for various strong convergence theorems. Recently, many researchers have studied Halpern's type strong convergence theorems by using the following lemma and got many generalized results. For examples, one can see [32, 33]. In this paper, we also use this result to get our strong convergence theorems, and our results for the split feasibility problem improve the results in the literature.

Lemma 2.7 [34] *Let $\{a_n\}$ be a sequence of real numbers such that there exists a subsequence $\{n_i\}$ of $\{n\}$ such that $a_{n_i} < a_{n_i+1}$ for all $i \in \mathbb{N}$. Then there exists a nondecreasing sequence $\{m_k\} \subseteq \mathbb{N}$ such that $m_k \rightarrow \infty$, $a_{m_k} \leq a_{m_k+1}$ and $a_k \leq a_{m_k+1}$ are satisfied by all (sufficiently large) numbers $k \in \mathbb{N}$. In fact, $m_k = \max\{j \leq k : a_j < a_{j+1}\}$.*

Lemma 2.8 [35] *Let $\{a_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be a sequence of nonnegative real numbers, $\{\alpha_n\}$ be a sequence of real numbers in $[0, 1]$ with $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \alpha_n = \infty$, $\{u_n\}$ be a sequence of nonnegative real numbers with $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n < \infty$, $\{t_n\}$ be a sequence of real numbers with $\limsup t_n \leq 0$. Suppose that $a_{n+1} \leq (1 - \alpha_n)a_n + \alpha_n t_n + u_n$ for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Then $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 0$.*

3 Halpern-Mann type algorithm with perturbations

In this section, we first give the following result.

Lemma 3.1 *Let H_1 and H_2 be two real Hilbert spaces, $A : H_1 \rightarrow H_2$ be a linear and bounded operator, and let A^* denote the adjoint of A . Let $B_1 : H_1 \rightrightarrows H_1$, and $B_2 : H_2 \rightrightarrows H_2$ be two set-valued maximal monotone mappings, and let $\beta > 0$ and $\gamma > 0$. Given any $\bar{x} \in H_1$.*

- (i) *If \bar{x} is a solution of (SFVIP), then $J_{\beta}^{B_1}(\bar{x} - \gamma A^*(I - J_{\beta}^{B_2})A\bar{x}) = \bar{x}$.*
- (ii) *Suppose that $J_{\beta}^{B_1}(\bar{x} - \gamma A^*(I - J_{\beta}^{B_2})A\bar{x}) = \bar{x}$ and the solution set of (SFVIP) is nonempty. Then \bar{x} is a solution of (SFVIP).*

Proof (i) Suppose that $\bar{x} \in H_1$ is a solution of (SFVIP). Then $\bar{x} \in B_1^{-1}(0)$ and $A\bar{x} \in B_2^{-1}(0)$. By Lemma 2.4, it is easy to see that

$$J_{\beta}^{B_1}(\bar{x} - \gamma A^*(I - J_{\beta}^{B_2})A\bar{x}) = J_{\beta}^{B_1}(\bar{x} - \gamma A^*(A\bar{x} - J_{\beta}^{B_2}A\bar{x})) = J_{\beta}^{B_1}(\bar{x}) = \bar{x}.$$

- (ii) Suppose that \bar{w} is a solution of (SFVIP) and $J_{\beta}^{B_1}(\bar{x} - \gamma A^*(I - J_{\beta}^{B_2})A\bar{x}) = \bar{x}$. By Lemma 2.4,

$$\langle (\bar{x} - \gamma A^*(I - J_{\beta}^{B_2})A\bar{x}) - \bar{x}, \bar{x} - w \rangle \geq 0 \quad \text{for each } w \in B_1^{-1}(0).$$

That is,

$$\langle A^*(I - J_{\beta}^{B_2})A\bar{x}, \bar{x} - w \rangle \leq 0 \quad \text{for each } w \in B_1^{-1}(0). \tag{3.1}$$

By (3.1) and A^* is the adjoint of A ,

$$\langle A\bar{x} - J_{\beta}^{B_2}A\bar{x}, A\bar{x} - Aw \rangle \leq 0 \quad \text{for each } w \in B_1^{-1}(0). \tag{3.2}$$

On the other hand, by Lemma 2.4 again,

$$\langle A\bar{x} - J_{\beta}^{B_2}A\bar{x}, v - J_{\beta}^{B_2}A\bar{x} \rangle \leq 0 \quad \text{for each } v \in B_2^{-1}(0). \tag{3.3}$$

By (3.2) and (3.3),

$$\langle A\bar{x} - J_{\beta}^{B_2}A\bar{x}, v - J_{\beta}^{B_2}A\bar{x} + A\bar{x} - Aw \rangle \leq 0 \tag{3.4}$$

for each $w \in B_1^{-1}(0)$ and each $v \in B_2^{-1}(0)$. That is,

$$\|A\bar{x} - J_{\beta}^{B_2}A\bar{x}\|^2 \leq \langle A\bar{x} - J_{\beta}^{B_2}A\bar{x}, Aw - v \rangle \tag{3.5}$$

for each $w \in B_1^{-1}(0)$ and each $v \in B_2^{-1}(0)$. Since \bar{w} is a solution of (SFVIP), $\bar{w} \in B_1^{-1}(0)$ and $A\bar{w} \in B_2^{-1}(0)$. So, it follows from (3.5) that $A\bar{x} = J_{\beta}^{B_2}A\bar{x}$. So, $A\bar{x} \in \text{Fix}(J_{\beta}^{B_2}) = B_2^{-1}(0)$. Further,

$$\bar{x} = J_{\beta}^{B_1}(\bar{x} - \gamma A^*(I - J_{\beta}^{B_2})A\bar{x}) = J_{\beta}^{B_1}(\bar{x}).$$

Then $\bar{x} \in \text{Fix}(J_{\beta}^{B_1}) = B_1^{-1}(0)$. Therefore, \bar{x} is a solution of (SFVIP). □

Theorem 3.1 *Let H_1 and H_2 be two real Hilbert spaces, $A : H_1 \rightarrow H_2$ be a linear and bounded operator, and let A^* denote the adjoint of A . Let $B_1 : H_1 \rightarrow H_1$ and $B_2 : H_2 \rightarrow H_2$ be two set-valued maximal monotone mappings. Let $\{a_n\}$, $\{b_n\}$, $\{c_n\}$, and $\{d_n\}$ be sequences of real numbers in $[0,1]$ with $a_n + b_n + c_n + d_n = 1$ and $0 < a_n < 1$ for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Let $\{\beta_n\}$ be a sequence in $(0, \infty)$. Let $\{v_n\}$ be a bounded sequence in H . Let $u \in H$ be fixed. Let $\{\rho_n\} \subseteq (0, \frac{2}{\|A\|^2+1})$. Let Ω be the solution set of (SFVIP) and suppose that $\Omega \neq \emptyset$. Let $\{x_n\}$ be defined by*

$$x_{n+1} := a_n u + b_n x_n + c_n J_{\beta_n}^{B_1} [x_n - \rho_n A^* (I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2}) A x_n] + d_n v_n$$

for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Assume that:

- (i) $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{d_n}{a_n} = 0$; $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n = \infty$; $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} d_n < \infty$;
- (ii) $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} c_n \rho_n > 0$, $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n c_n > 0$, $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \beta_n > 0$.

Then $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = \bar{x}$, where $\bar{x} = P_{\Omega} u$.

Proof Let $\bar{x} = P_{\Omega} u$, where P_{Ω} is the metric projection from H_1 onto Ω . Then, for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$, it follows from Lemma 2.6 that

$$\begin{aligned} & \|x_{n+1} - \bar{x}\| \\ & \leq a_n \|u - \bar{x}\| + b_n \|x_n - \bar{x}\| + d_n \|v_n - \bar{x}\| \\ & \quad + c_n \|J_{\beta_n}^{B_1} [x_n - \rho_n A^* (I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2}) A x_n] - \bar{x}\| \\ & \leq a_n \|u - \bar{x}\| + b_n \|x_n - \bar{x}\| + d_n \|v_n - \bar{x}\| + c_n \|[x_n - \rho_n A^* (I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2}) A x_n] \\ & \quad - [\bar{x} - \rho_n A^* (I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2}) A \bar{x}]\| \\ & \leq a_n \|u - \bar{x}\| + (b_n + c_n) \|x_n - \bar{x}\| + d_n \|v_n - \bar{x}\|. \end{aligned}$$

This implies that $\{x_n\}$ is a bounded sequence. Besides, by Lemmas 2.4 and 2.6, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \|J_{\beta_n}^{B_1} [x_n - \rho_n A^* (I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2}) A x_n] - \bar{x}\|^2 \\ & \leq \|[x_n - \rho_n A^* (I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2}) A x_n] - [\bar{x} - \rho_n A^* (I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2}) A \bar{x}]\|^2 \\ & \leq \|x_n - \bar{x}\|^2 - (2\rho_n - \rho_n^2 \|A\|^2) \|(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2}) A x_n - (I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2}) A \bar{x}\|^2 \\ & = \|x_n - \bar{x}\|^2 - (2\rho_n - \rho_n^2 \|A\|^2) \|(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2}) A x_n\|^2. \end{aligned} \tag{3.6}$$

Hence, it follows from Lemma 2.1 that

$$\begin{aligned} & \|x_{n+1} - \bar{x}\|^2 \\ & = \|a_n u + b_n x_n + c_n J_{\beta_n}^{B_1} [x_n - \rho_n A^* (I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2}) A x_n] + d_n v_n - \bar{x}\|^2 \\ & \leq \|b_n(x_n - \bar{x}) + c_n (J_{\beta_n}^{B_1} [x_n - \rho_n A^* (I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2}) A x_n] - \bar{x}) + d_n(v_n - \bar{x})\|^2 \\ & \quad + 2a_n \langle u - \bar{x}, x_{n+1} - \bar{x} \rangle \\ & = (1 - a_n)^2 \|b'_n(x_n - \bar{x}) + c'_n (J_{\beta_n}^{B_1} [x_n - \rho_n A^* (I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2}) A x_n] - \bar{x}) + d'_n(v_n - \bar{x})\|^2 \\ & \quad + 2a_n \langle u - \bar{x}, x_{n+1} - \bar{x} \rangle, \end{aligned} \tag{3.7}$$

where $b'_n := \frac{b_n}{b_n+c_n+d_n}$, $c'_n := \frac{c_n}{b_n+c_n+d_n}$, $d'_n := \frac{d_n}{b_n+c_n+d_n}$. Further, by (3.6) and (3.7), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \|x_{n+1} - \bar{x}\|^2 \\
 & \leq b_n \|x_n - \bar{x}\|^2 + c_n \|J_{\beta_n}^{B_1}[x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax] - \bar{x}\|^2 + d_n \|v_n - \bar{x}\|^2 \\
 & \quad + 2a_n \langle u - \bar{x}, x_{n+1} - v \rangle - b_n c_n \|x_n - J_{\beta_n}^{B_1}[x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax]\|^2 \\
 & \leq b_n \|x_n - \bar{x}\|^2 + c_n (\|x_n - \bar{x}\|^2 - (2\rho_n - \rho_n^2 \|A\|^2) \|Ax_n - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2} Ax_n\|^2) \\
 & \quad + d_n \|v_n - \bar{x}\|^2 + 2a_n \langle u - \bar{x}, x_{n+1} - v \rangle - b_n c_n \|x_n - J_{\beta_n}^{B_1}[x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax]\|^2 \\
 & = (b_n + c_n) \|x_n - \bar{x}\|^2 + d_n \|v_n - \bar{x}\|^2 + 2a_n \langle u - \bar{x}, x_{n+1} - \bar{x} \rangle \\
 & \quad - c_n (2\rho_n - \rho_n^2 \|A\|^2) \|Ax_n - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2} Ax_n\|^2 \\
 & \quad - b_n c_n \|x_n - J_{\beta_n}^{B_1}[x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax]\|^2. \tag{3.8}
 \end{aligned}$$

Since $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \beta_n > 0$, we may assume that $\beta_n > \beta > 0$ for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Next, we consider two cases.

Case 1: There exists a natural number N such that $\|x_{n+1} - \bar{x}\| \leq \|x_n - \bar{x}\|$ for each $n \geq N$. So, $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - \bar{x}\|$ exists. Hence, it follows from (3.8) and (i) that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} c_n (2\rho_n - \rho_n^2 \|A\|^2) \|Ax_n - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2} Ax_n\|^2 = 0.$$

Clearly, $c_n (2\rho_n - \rho_n^2 \|A\|^2) \geq \frac{c_n \rho_n}{\|A\|^2 + 1}$. Since $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} c_n \rho_n > 0$, we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|Ax_n - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2} Ax_n\| = 0. \tag{3.9}$$

By (3.9) and Lemma 2.4,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|Ax_n - J_{\beta}^{B_2} Ax_n\| = 0. \tag{3.10}$$

Similarly, we know that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - J_{\beta_n}^{B_1}[x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n]\| = 0. \tag{3.11}$$

Further, there exists a subsequence $\{x_{n_k}\}$ of $\{x_n\}$ such that $x_{n_k} \rightharpoonup z$ for some $z \in C$ and

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle u - \bar{x}, x_{n+1} - \bar{x} \rangle = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \langle u - \bar{x}, x_{n_k} - \bar{x} \rangle = \langle u - \bar{x}, z - \bar{x} \rangle. \tag{3.12}$$

Clearly, $Ax_{n_k} \rightharpoonup Az$. By (3.10), Lemmas 2.2 and 2.4, we know that $Az \in B_2^{-1}(0)$. Besides, it follows from Lemma 2.4 that

$$\|J_{\beta_n}^{B_1}[x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n] - J_{\beta_n}^{B_1} x_n\| \leq \rho_n \|A\| \cdot \|Ax_n - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2} Ax_n\|. \tag{3.13}$$

By (3.9) and (3.13),

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|J_{\beta_n}^{B_1}[x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n] - J_{\beta_n}^{B_1} x_n\| = 0. \tag{3.14}$$

By (3.11) and (3.14),

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - J_{\beta_n}^{B_1} x_n\| = 0. \tag{3.15}$$

By (3.15) and Lemma 2.4,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - J_{\beta}^{B_1} x_n\| = 0. \tag{3.16}$$

Then it follows from (3.16) and Lemma 2.2 that $z \in B_1^{-1}(0)$. So, z is a solution of (SFVIP). By (3.12) and Lemma 2.3,

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle u - \bar{x}, x_{n+1} - \bar{x} \rangle \leq 0. \tag{3.17}$$

By assumptions, (3.8), (3.17), and Lemma 2.8, we know that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = \bar{x}$.

Case 2: Suppose that there exists $\{n_i\}$ of $\{n\}$ such that $\|x_{n_i} - \bar{x}\| \leq \|x_{n_{i+1}} - \bar{x}\|$ for all $i \in \mathbb{N}$. By Lemma 2.7, there exists a nondecreasing sequence $\{m_k\}$ in \mathbb{N} such that $m_k \rightarrow \infty$,

$$\|x_{m_k} - \bar{x}\| \leq \|x_{m_{k+1}} - \bar{x}\| \quad \text{and} \quad \|x_k - \bar{x}\| \leq \|x_{m_{k+1}} - \bar{x}\| \tag{3.18}$$

for all $k \in \mathbb{N}$. By (3.8) and (3.18), we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \|x_{m_k} - \bar{x}\| \\ & \leq \|x_{m_{k+1}} - \bar{x}\|^2 \\ & \leq (b_{m_k} + c_{m_k}) \|x_{m_k} - \bar{x}\|^2 + d_{m_k} \|v_{m_k} - \bar{x}\|^2 + 2a_{m_k} \langle u - \bar{x}, x_{m_{k+1}} - \bar{x} \rangle \\ & \quad - c_{m_k} (2\rho_{m_k} - \rho_{m_k}^2 \|A\|^2) \|Ax_{m_k} - J_{\beta_{m_k}}^{B_2} Ax_{m_k}\|^2 \\ & \quad - b_{m_k} c_{m_k} \|x_{m_k} - J_{\beta_{m_k}}^{B_1} [x_{m_k} - \rho_{m_k} A^* (I - J_{\beta_{m_k}}^{B_2}) Ax_{m_k}]\|^2. \end{aligned} \tag{3.19}$$

Following a similar argument as the proof of Case 1, we have

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \|x_{m_k} - J_{\beta_{m_k}}^{B_1} [x_{m_k} - \rho_{m_k} A^* (I - J_{\beta_{m_k}}^{B_2}) Ax_{m_k}]\| = 0, \tag{3.20}$$

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \|Ax_{m_k} - J_{\beta}^{B_2} Ax_{m_k}\| = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \|x_{m_k} - J_{\beta}^{B_1} x_{m_k}\| = 0 \tag{3.21}$$

and

$$\limsup_{k \rightarrow \infty} \langle u - \bar{x}, x_{m_{k+1}} - \bar{x} \rangle \leq 0. \tag{3.22}$$

By (3.19),

$$\|x_{m_k} - \bar{x}\|^2 \leq \frac{d_{m_k}}{a_{m_k}} \|v_{m_k} - \bar{x}\|^2 + 2 \langle u - \bar{x}, x_{m_{k+1}} - \bar{x} \rangle. \tag{3.23}$$

By assumption, (3.22), and (3.23),

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \|x_{m_k} - \bar{x}\| = 0. \tag{3.24}$$

Besides, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \|x_{m_k+1} - x_{m_k}\| \\ & \leq a_{m_k} \|u - x_{m_k}\| + c_{m_k} \|x_{m_k} - J_{\beta_{m_k}^{B_1}} [x_{m_k} - \rho_{m_k} A^* (I - J_{\beta_{m_k}^{B_2}}) A x_{m_k}]\| \\ & \quad + d_{m_k} \|v_{m_k} - x_{m_k}\|. \end{aligned} \tag{3.25}$$

By assumptions, (3.20), and (3.25),

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \|x_{m_k+1} - x_{m_k}\| = 0. \tag{3.26}$$

By (3.24) and (3.26),

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \|x_{m_k+1} - \bar{x}\| = 0. \tag{3.27}$$

By (3.18) and (3.27),

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \|x_k - \bar{x}\| = 0.$$

Therefore, the proof is completed. \square

In Theorem 3.1, if we set $v_n = 0$ and $d_n = 0$ for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$, then we get the following result.

Corollary 3.1 *Let H_1 and H_2 be two real Hilbert spaces, $A : H_1 \rightarrow H_2$ be a linear and bounded operator, and let A^* denote the adjoint of A . Let $B_1 : H_1 \rightrightarrows H_1$ and $B_2 : H_2 \rightrightarrows H_2$ be two set-valued maximal monotone mappings. Let $\{a_n\}$, $\{b_n\}$, and $\{c_n\}$ be sequences of real numbers in $[0, 1]$ with $a_n + b_n + c_n = 1$ and $0 < a_n < 1$ for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Let $\{\beta_n\}$ be a sequence in $(0, \infty)$. Let $u \in H$ be fixed. Let $\{\rho_n\} \subseteq (0, \frac{2}{\|A\|^2+1})$. Let Ω be the solution set of (SFVIP) and suppose that $\Omega \neq \emptyset$. Let $\{x_n\}$ be defined by*

$$x_{n+1} := a_n u + b_n x_n + c_n J_{\beta_n}^{B_1} [x_n - \rho_n A^* (I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2}) A x_n]$$

for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Assume that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 0$, $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n = \infty$, $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} c_n \rho_n > 0$, $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n c_n > 0$, and $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \beta_n > 0$. Then $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = \bar{x}$, where $\bar{x} = P_{\Omega} u$.

Further, we can get the following result by Corollary 3.1 and Lemma 2.8. In fact, Corollary 3.1 and Theorem 3.2 are equivalent.

Theorem 3.2 *Let H_1 and H_2 be two real Hilbert spaces, $A : H_1 \rightarrow H_2$ be a linear and bounded operator, and let A^* denote the adjoint of A . Let $B_1 : H_1 \rightrightarrows H_1$ and $B_2 : H_2 \rightrightarrows H_2$ be two set-valued maximal monotone mappings. Let $\{a_n\}$, $\{b_n\}$, and $\{c_n\}$ be sequences of real numbers in $[0, 1]$ with $a_n + b_n + c_n = 1$ and $0 < a_n < 1$ for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Let $\{\beta_n\}$ be a sequence in $(0, \infty)$. Let $\{v_n\}$ be a bounded sequence in H . Let $u \in H$ be fixed. Let $\{\rho_n\} \subseteq (0, \frac{2}{\|A\|^2+1})$. Let Ω be the solution set of (SFVIP) and suppose that $\Omega \neq \emptyset$. Let $\{v_n\}$ be a bounded sequence. Let $\{x_n\}$ be defined by*

$$x_{n+1} := a_n u + b_n x_n + c_n J_{\beta_n}^{B_1} [x_n - \rho_n A^* (I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2}) A x_n] + v_n$$

for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Assume that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 0$, $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n = \infty$, $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \|v_n\| < \infty$, $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} c_n \times \rho_n > 0$, $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n c_n > 0$, and $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \beta_n > 0$. Then $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = \bar{x}$, where $\bar{x} = P_{\Omega}u$.

Proof Let $\{y_n\}$ be defined by

$$y_{n+1} := a_n u + b_n y_n + c_n J_{\beta_n}^{B_1} [y_n - \rho_n A^* (I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2}) A y_n].$$

By Corollary 3.1, $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} y_n = \bar{x}$, where $\bar{x} = P_{\Omega}u$. Besides, we know that

$$\begin{aligned} & \|x_{n+1} - y_{n+1}\| \\ & \leq c_n \|J_{\beta_n}^{B_1} [x_n - \rho_n A^* (I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2}) A x_n] - J_{\beta_n}^{B_1} [y_n - \rho_n A^* (I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2}) A y_n]\| \\ & \quad + b_n \|x_n - y_n\| + \|v_n\| \\ & \leq (b_n + c_n) \|x_n - y_n\| + \|v_n\| \\ & = (1 - a_n) \|x_n - y_n\| + \|v_n\|. \end{aligned} \tag{3.28}$$

By (3.28) and Lemma 2.8, $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - y_n\| = 0$. So, $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = \bar{x}$, where $\bar{x} = P_{\Omega}u$. Therefore, the proof is completed. \square

4 Regularized method for (SFVIP)

Lemma 4.1 *Let H_1 and H_2 be two real Hilbert spaces, $A : H_1 \rightarrow H_2$ be a linear and bounded operator, and let A^* denote the adjoint of A . Let $B_1 : H_1 \rightrightarrows H_1$ and $B_2 : H_2 \rightrightarrows H_2$ be two set-valued maximal monotone mappings. Let $\beta > 0$, $a \in (0, 1)$, and $\rho \in (0, 2/(\|A\|^2 + 2))$. Then*

$$\|J_{\beta}^{B_1} [(1 - a\rho)x - \rho A^* (I - J_{\beta}^{B_2}) A x] - J_{\beta}^{B_1} [(1 - a\rho)y - \rho A^* (I - J_{\beta}^{B_2}) A y]\| \leq (1 - a\rho) \|x - y\|$$

for all $x, y \in H_1$.

Proof For each $x, y \in H_1$, it follows from Lemma 2.4 and Lemma 2.5 that

$$\begin{aligned} & \|J_{\beta}^{B_1} ((1 - a\rho)x - \rho A^* (I - J_{\beta}^{B_2}) A x) - J_{\beta}^{B_1} ((1 - a\rho)y - \rho A^* (I - J_{\beta}^{B_2}) A y)\|^2 \\ & \leq \|(1 - a\rho)(x - y) - \rho(A^*(I - J_{\beta}^{B_2})Ax - A^*(I - J_{\beta}^{B_2})Ay)\|^2 \\ & = (1 - a\rho)^2 \|x - y\|^2 - 2(1 - a\rho)\rho \langle x - y, A^*(I - J_{\beta}^{B_2})Ax - A^*(I - J_{\beta}^{B_2})Ay \rangle \\ & \quad + \rho^2 \|A^*(I - J_{\beta}^{B_2})Ax - A^*(I - J_{\beta}^{B_2})Ay\|^2 \\ & \leq (1 - a\rho) \|x - y\|^2 - 2(1 - a\rho)\rho \frac{1}{\|A\|^2} \|A^*(I - J_{\beta}^{B_2})Ax - A^*(I - J_{\beta}^{B_2})Ay\|^2 \\ & \quad + \rho^2 \|A^*(I - J_{\beta}^{B_2})Ax - A^*(I - J_{\beta}^{B_2})Ay\|^2. \end{aligned}$$

If $\rho \in (0, 2/(\|A\|^2 + 2))$, then $2(1 - a\rho)\rho(1/\|A\|^2) \geq \rho^2$. This implies that the conclusion of Lemma 4.1 holds. \square

Theorem 4.1 *Let H_1 and H_2 be two real Hilbert spaces, $A : H_1 \rightarrow H_2$ be a linear and bounded operator, and let A^* denote the adjoint of A . Let $B_1 : H_1 \rightrightarrows H_1$ and $B_2 : H_2 \rightrightarrows H_2$ be two set-valued maximal monotone mappings. Let $\{\beta_n\}$ be a sequence in $(0, \infty)$, $\{a_n\} \subseteq (0, 1)$,*

and $\{\rho_n\} \subseteq (0, 2/(\|A\|^2 + 2))$. Let Ω be the solution set of (SFVIP) and suppose that $\Omega \neq \emptyset$. Let $\{x_n\}$ be defined by

$$x_{n+1} := J_{\beta_n}^{B_1}[(1 - a_n \rho_n)x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n]$$

for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Assume that:

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 0, \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \rho_n = \infty, \quad \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \rho_n > 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \beta_n > 0.$$

Then $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = \bar{x}$, where $\bar{x} = P_{\Omega}0$, i.e., \bar{x} is the minimal norm solution of (SFVIP).

Proof Let $\bar{x} = P_{\Omega}0$. Take any $w \in \Omega$ and let w be fixed. Then we know that

$$\begin{aligned} & \|x_{n+1} - w\| \\ &= \|J_{\beta_n}^{B_1}[(1 - a_n \rho_n)x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n] - w\| \\ &= \|J_{\beta_n}^{B_1}[(1 - a_n \rho_n)x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n] - J_{\beta_n}^{B_1}[w - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Aw]\| \\ &\leq \|J_{\beta_n}^{B_1}[(1 - a_n \rho_n)x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n] - J_{\beta_n}^{B_1}[(1 - a_n \rho_n)w - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Aw]\| \\ &\quad + \|J_{\beta_n}^{B_1}[(1 - a_n \rho_n)w - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Aw] - J_{\beta_n}^{B_1}[w - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Aw]\| \\ &\leq (1 - a_n \rho_n)\|x_n - w\| + a_n \rho_n \|w\| \end{aligned}$$

for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Then $\{x_n\}$ is a bounded sequence. Further, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \|x_{n+1} - w\|^2 \\ &= \|J_{\beta_n}^{B_1}[(1 - a_n \rho_n)x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n] - J_{\beta_n}^{B_1}[w - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Aw]\|^2 \\ &\leq \|[(1 - a_n \rho_n)x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n] - [w - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Aw]\|^2 \\ &= \|[x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n] - [w - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Aw] - a_n \rho_n x_n\|^2 \\ &= \|[x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n] - [w - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Aw]\|^2 \\ &\quad - 2a_n \rho_n \langle [x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n] - [w - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Aw], x_n \rangle \\ &\quad + a_n \rho_n \|x_n\|^2 \end{aligned} \tag{4.1}$$

for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. By (4.1) and Lemma 2.6,

$$\begin{aligned} & \|x_{n+1} - w\|^2 \\ &\leq \|x_n - w\|^2 - (2\rho_n - \rho_n^2 \|A\|^2) \|(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n - (I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Aw\|^2 \\ &\quad - 2a_n \rho_n \langle [x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n] - [w - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Aw], x_n \rangle \\ &\quad + a_n \rho_n \|x_n\|^2 \\ &\leq \|x_n - w\|^2 - (2\rho_n - \rho_n^2 \|A\|^2) \|Ax_n - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2} Ax_n\|^2 + a_n \rho_n \|x_n\|^2 \\ &\quad + 2a_n \rho_n \|[x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n] - [w - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Aw]\| \cdot \|x_n\| \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\leq \|x_n - w\|^2 - (2\rho_n - \rho_n^2 \|A\|^2) \|Ax_n - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2} Ax_n\|^2 + a_n \rho_n \|x_n\|^2 \\ &\quad + 2a_n \rho_n \|x_n - w\| \cdot \|x_n\| \end{aligned} \tag{4.2}$$

for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. By (4.1)-(4.2), Lemma 2.4, we know that

$$\begin{aligned} &\|(1 - a_n \rho_n)x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n - x_{n+1}\|^2 + \|x_{n+1} - w\|^2 \\ &\leq \|(1 - a_n \rho_n)x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n - w\|^2 \\ &= \|(1 - a_n \rho_n)x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n - w + \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Aw\|^2 \\ &\leq \|x_n - w\|^2 + 2a_n \rho_n \|x_n - w\| \cdot \|x_n\| + a_n \rho_n \|x_n\|^2 \end{aligned} \tag{4.3}$$

for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Next, we know that

$$\begin{aligned} &\|(1 - a_n \rho_n)x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n - x_{n+1}\|^2 \\ &= \|x_n - x_{n+1}\|^2 + \|a_n \rho_n x_n + \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n\|^2 \\ &\quad - 2\langle x_n - x_{n+1}, a_n \rho_n x_n + \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n \rangle \end{aligned} \tag{4.4}$$

for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$, and

$$\begin{aligned} &\|x_{n+1} - J_{\beta_n}^{B_1} x_n\| \\ &= \|J_{\beta_n}^{B_1} [(1 - a_n \rho_n)x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n] - J_{\beta_n}^{B_1} x_n\| \\ &\leq \|[(1 - a_n \rho_n)x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n] - x_n\| \\ &\leq a_n \rho_n \|x_n\| + \rho_n \|A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n\| \\ &\leq a_n \rho_n \|x_n\| + \rho_n \|A\| \cdot \|Ax_n - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2} Ax_n\| \end{aligned} \tag{4.5}$$

for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Further, we have

$$\begin{aligned} &\|x_{n+1} - \bar{x}\|^2 \\ &= \|J_{\beta_n}^{B_1} [(1 - a_n \rho_n)x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n] - \bar{x}\|^2 \\ &\leq \langle (1 - a_n \rho_n)x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n - \bar{x} + \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})A\bar{x}, x_{n+1} - \bar{x} \rangle \\ &= \langle (1 - a_n \rho_n)x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n - (1 - a_n \rho_n)\bar{x} + \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})A\bar{x}, x_{n+1} - \bar{x} \rangle \\ &\quad - a_n \rho_n \langle \bar{x}, x_{n+1} - \bar{x} \rangle \end{aligned} \tag{4.6}$$

for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Hence,

$$\begin{aligned} &\|x_{n+1} - \bar{x}\|^2 \\ &\leq \|(1 - a_n \rho_n)x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})Ax_n - (1 - a_n \rho_n)\bar{x} + \rho_n A^*(I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2})A\bar{x}\| \cdot \|x_{n+1} - \bar{x}\| \\ &\quad + a_n \rho_n \langle -\bar{x}, x_{n+1} - \bar{x} \rangle \\ &\leq (1 - a_n \rho_n) \|x_n - \bar{x}\| \cdot \|x_{n+1} - \bar{x}\| + a_n \rho_n \langle -\bar{x}, x_{n+1} - \bar{x} \rangle \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\leq \frac{(1 - a_n \rho_n)^2}{2} \|x_n - \bar{x}\|^2 + \frac{1}{2} \|x_{n+1} - \bar{x}\|^2 + a_n \rho_n \langle -\bar{x}, x_{n+1} - \bar{x} \rangle \\ &\leq \left(\frac{1 - a_n \rho_n}{2} \right) \|x_n - \bar{x}\|^2 + \frac{1}{2} \|x_{n+1} - \bar{x}\|^2 + a_n \rho_n \langle -\bar{x}, x_{n+1} - \bar{x} \rangle \end{aligned}$$

for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. This implies that

$$\|x_{n+1} - \bar{x}\|^2 \leq (1 - a_n \rho_n) \|x_n - \bar{x}\|^2 + 2a_n \rho_n \langle -\bar{x}, x_{n+1} - \bar{x} \rangle \tag{4.7}$$

for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$.

Case 1: There exists a natural number N such that $\|x_{n+1} - \bar{x}\| \leq \|x_n - \bar{x}\|$ for each $n \geq N$. So, $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - \bar{x}\|$ exists.

Hence, it follows from $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - \bar{x}\|$ exists and (4.2) that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (2\rho_n - \rho_n^2 \|A\|^2) \|Ax_n - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2} Ax_n\|^2 = 0. \tag{4.8}$$

Clearly,

$$2\rho_n - \rho_n^2 \|A\|^2 = \rho_n (2 - \rho_n \|A\|^2) \geq \rho_n \left(2 - \frac{2\|A\|^2}{\|A\|^2 + 2} \right) = \frac{4\rho_n}{\|A\|^2 + 2}. \tag{4.9}$$

By assumption, (4.8), and (4.9),

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|Ax_n - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2} Ax_n\| = 0. \tag{4.10}$$

Without loss of generality, we may assume that $\beta_n \geq \beta > 0$ for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. By (4.10) and Lemma 2.4,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|Ax_n - J_{\beta}^{B_2} Ax_n\| = 0. \tag{4.11}$$

By assumption, (4.5), and (4.10),

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_{n+1} - J_{\beta_n}^{B_1} x_n\| = 0. \tag{4.12}$$

By assumption, $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - \bar{x}\|$ exists, $\{x_n\}$ is a bounded sequence, and (4.3), we know that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|(1 - a_n \rho_n)x_n - \rho_n A^* (I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2}) Ax_n - x_{n+1}\| = 0. \tag{4.13}$$

Clearly,

$$\|a_n \rho_n x_n + \rho_n A^* (I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2}) Ax_n\| \leq a_n \rho_n \|x_n\| + \rho_n \|A\| \cdot \|Ax_n - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2} Ax_n\| \tag{4.14}$$

for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. By assumption, (4.10), and (4.14),

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|a_n \rho_n x_n + \rho_n A^* (I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2}) Ax_n\| = 0. \tag{4.15}$$

By (4.15),

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle x_n - x_{n+1}, a_n \rho_n x_n + \rho_n A^* (I - J_{\beta_n}^{B_2}) A x_n \rangle = 0. \tag{4.16}$$

By (4.4), (4.13), (4.15), and (4.16), we know that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_{n+1} - x_n\| = 0. \tag{4.17}$$

By (4.12) and (4.17),

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - J_{\beta_n}^{B_1} x_n\| = 0. \tag{4.18}$$

Since $\{x_n\}$ is a bounded sequence, there exists a subsequence $\{x_{n_j}\}$ of $\{x_n\}$ such that $x_{n_j} \rightharpoonup z$ for some $z \in H_1$ and

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle -\bar{x}, x_{n+1} - \bar{x} \rangle = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle -\bar{x}, x_{n_j} - \bar{x} \rangle = \langle -\bar{x}, z - \bar{x} \rangle.$$

Then $Ax_{n_j} \rightharpoonup Az \in H_2$. By (4.11), (4.18), Lemma 2.2, and Lemma 2.4, we know that $z \in B_1^{-1}(0)$ and $Az \in B_2^{-1}(0)$. That is, $z \in \Omega$. By Lemma 2.3,

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle -\bar{x}, x_{n+1} - \bar{x} \rangle = \langle -\bar{x}, z - \bar{x} \rangle \leq 0. \tag{4.19}$$

By (4.7), (4.19), and Lemma 2.8, we know that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = \bar{x}$, where $\bar{x} = P_{\Omega}0$.

Case 2: Suppose that there exists $\{n_i\}$ of $\{n\}$ such that $\|x_{n_i} - \bar{x}\| \leq \|x_{n_i+1} - \bar{x}\|$ for all $i \in \mathbb{N}$. By Lemma 2.7, there exists a nondecreasing sequence $\{m_k\}$ in \mathbb{N} such that $m_k \rightarrow \infty$,

$$\|x_{m_k} - \bar{x}\| \leq \|x_{m_k+1} - \bar{x}\| \quad \text{and} \quad \|x_k - \bar{x}\| \leq \|x_{m_k+1} - \bar{x}\| \tag{4.20}$$

for each $k \in \mathbb{N}$. By (4.2), we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \|x_{m_k+1} - \bar{x}\|^2 \\ & \leq \|x_{m_k} - \bar{x}\|^2 - (2\rho_{m_k} - \rho_{m_k}^2 \|A\|^2) \|Ax_{m_k} - J_{\beta_{m_k}}^{B_2} Ax_{m_k}\|^2 \\ & \quad + a_{m_k} \rho_{m_k} \|x_{m_k}\|^2 + 2a_{m_k} \rho_{m_k} \|x_{m_k} - \bar{x}\| \cdot \|x_{m_k}\| \end{aligned} \tag{4.21}$$

for each $k \in \mathbb{N}$. By (4.20) and (4.21),

$$\begin{aligned} & (2\rho_{m_k} - \rho_{m_k}^2 \|A\|^2) \|Ax_{m_k} - J_{\beta_{m_k}}^{B_2} Ax_{m_k}\|^2 \\ & \leq \|x_{m_k} - \bar{x}\|^2 - \|x_{m_k+1} - \bar{x}\|^2 + a_{m_k} \rho_{m_k} \|x_{m_k}\|^2 + 2a_{m_k} \rho_{m_k} \|x_{m_k} - \bar{x}\| \cdot \|x_{m_k}\| \\ & \leq a_{m_k} \rho_{m_k} \|x_{m_k}\|^2 + 2a_{m_k} \rho_{m_k} \|x_{m_k} - \bar{x}\| \cdot \|x_{m_k}\| \end{aligned} \tag{4.22}$$

for each $k \in \mathbb{N}$. Then following the same argument as the above, we know that

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \|Ax_{m_k} - J_{\beta_{m_k}}^{B_2} Ax_{m_k}\| = 0, \tag{4.23}$$

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \|Ax_{m_k} - J_{\beta}^{B_2} Ax_{m_k}\| = 0, \tag{4.24}$$

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \|x_{m_{k+1}} - J_{\beta_{m_k}}^{B_1} Ax_{m_k}\| = 0. \tag{4.25}$$

By (4.3),

$$\begin{aligned} & \|(1 - a_{m_k} \rho_{m_k})x_{m_k} - \rho_{m_k} A^*(I - J_{\beta_{m_k}}^{B_2})Ax_{m_k} - x_{m_{k+1}}\|^2 \\ & \leq \|x_{m_k} - \bar{x}\|^2 - \|x_{m_{k+1}} - \bar{x}\|^2 + 2a_{m_k} \rho_{m_k} \|x_{m_k} - \bar{x}\| \cdot \|x_{m_k}\| + a_{m_k} \rho_{m_k} \|x_{m_k}\|^2 \\ & \leq 2a_{m_k} \rho_{m_k} \|x_{m_k} - \bar{x}\| \cdot \|x_{m_k}\| + a_{m_k} \rho_{m_k} \|x_{m_k}\|^2 \end{aligned} \tag{4.26}$$

for each $k \in \mathbb{N}$. This implies that

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \|(1 - a_{m_k} \rho_{m_k})x_{m_k} - \rho_{m_k} A^*(I - J_{\beta_{m_k}}^{B_2})Ax_{m_k} - x_{m_{k+1}}\|^2 = 0. \tag{4.27}$$

Following the same argument as the above, we know that

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \|x_{m_{k+1}} - x_{m_k}\| = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \|x_{m_k} - J_{\beta_{m_k}}^{B_1} x_{m_k}\| = 0 \tag{4.28}$$

and

$$\limsup_{k \rightarrow \infty} \langle -\bar{x}, x_{m_{k+1}} - \bar{x} \rangle = \langle -\bar{x}, z - \bar{x} \rangle \leq 0. \tag{4.29}$$

By (4.7) and (4.20),

$$\begin{aligned} a_{m_k} \rho_{m_k} \|x_{m_k} - \bar{x}\|^2 & \leq \|x_{m_k} - \bar{x}\|^2 - \|x_{m_{k+1}} - \bar{x}\|^2 + 2a_{m_k} \rho_{m_k} \langle -\bar{x}, x_{m_{k+1}} - \bar{x} \rangle \\ & \leq 2a_{m_k} \rho_{m_k} \langle -\bar{x}, x_{m_{k+1}} - \bar{x} \rangle \end{aligned}$$

for each $k \in \mathbb{N}$. This implies that

$$\|x_{m_k} - \bar{x}\|^2 \leq 2 \langle -\bar{x}, x_{m_{k+1}} - \bar{x} \rangle \tag{4.30}$$

for each $k \in \mathbb{N}$. By (4.29) and (4.30),

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \|x_{m_k} - \bar{x}\| = 0. \tag{4.31}$$

By (4.28) and (4.31),

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \|x_{m_{k+1}} - \bar{x}\| \leq \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \|x_{m_k} - x_{m_{k+1}}\| + \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \|x_{m_k} - \bar{x}\| = 0. \tag{4.32}$$

By (4.20) and (4.32),

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \|x_k - \bar{x}\| = 0. \tag{4.33}$$

Therefore, the proof is completed. □

5 Applications: (SFOP) and (SFP)

We get the following results by Theorems 3.1 and 3.2, respectively.

Theorem 5.1 *Let H_1 and H_2 be two real Hilbert spaces, $A : H_1 \rightarrow H_2$ be a linear and bounded operator, and let A^* denote the adjoint of A . Let $f : H_1 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $g : H_2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be two proper lower semicontinuous and convex functions. Let $\{a_n\}$, $\{b_n\}$, $\{c_n\}$, and $\{d_n\}$ be sequences of real numbers in $[0, 1]$ with $a_n + b_n + c_n + d_n = 1$ and $0 < a_n < 1$ for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Let $\{\beta_n\}$ be a sequence in $(0, \infty)$. Let $\{v_n\}$ be a bounded sequence in H . Let $u \in H$ be fixed. Let $\{\rho_n\} \subseteq (0, \frac{2}{\|A\|^2+1})$. Let Ω be the solution set of (SFOP) and suppose that $\Omega \neq \emptyset$. Let $\{x_n\}$ be defined by*

$$\begin{cases} y_n = \arg \min_{z \in H_2} \{g(z) + \frac{1}{2\beta_n} \|z - Ax_n\|^2\}, \\ z_n = x_n - \rho_n A^*(Ax_n - y_n), \\ w_n = \arg \min_{y \in H_1} \{f(y) + \frac{1}{2\beta_n} \|y - z_n\|^2\}, \\ x_{n+1} := a_n u + b_n x_n + c_n w_n + d_n v_n, \quad n \in \mathbb{N}. \end{cases}$$

Assume that:

- (i) $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{d_n}{a_n} = 0$; $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n = \infty$; $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} d_n < \infty$;
- (ii) $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} c_n \rho_n > 0$; $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n c_n > 0$; $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \beta_n > 0$.

Then $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = \bar{x}$, where $\bar{x} = P_{\Omega} u$.

Theorem 5.2 *Let H_1 and H_2 be two real Hilbert spaces, $A : H_1 \rightarrow H_2$ be a linear and bounded operator, and let A^* denote the adjoint of A . Let $f : H_1 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $g : H_2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be two proper lower semicontinuous and convex functions. Let $\{a_n\}$, $\{b_n\}$, and $\{c_n\}$ be sequences of real numbers in $[0, 1]$ with $a_n + b_n + c_n = 1$ and $0 < a_n < 1$ for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Let $\{\beta_n\}$ be a sequence in $(0, \infty)$. Let $\{v_n\}$ be a bounded sequence in H . Let $u \in H$ be fixed. Let $\{\rho_n\} \subseteq (0, \frac{2}{\|A\|^2+1})$. Let Ω be the solution set of (SFOP) and suppose that $\Omega \neq \emptyset$. Let $\{x_n\}$ be defined by*

$$\begin{cases} y_n = \arg \min_{z \in H_2} \{g(z) + \frac{1}{2\beta_n} \|z - Ax_n\|^2\}, \\ z_n = x_n - \rho_n A^*(Ax_n - y_n), \\ w_n = \arg \min_{y \in H_1} \{f(y) + \frac{1}{2\beta_n} \|y - z_n\|^2\}, \\ x_{n+1} := a_n u + b_n x_n + c_n w_n + v_n, \quad n \in \mathbb{N}. \end{cases}$$

Assume that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 0$, $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n = \infty$, $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \|v_n\| < \infty$, $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} c_n \rho_n > 0$, $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n c_n > 0$, $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \beta_n > 0$. Then $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = \bar{x}$, where $\bar{x} = P_{\Omega} u$.

By Theorem 4.1, we get the following result.

Theorem 5.3 *Let H_1 and H_2 be two real Hilbert spaces, $A : H_1 \rightarrow H_2$ be a linear and bounded operator, and let A^* denote the adjoint of A . Let $f : H_1 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $g : H_2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be two proper lower semicontinuous and convex functions. Let $\{\beta_n\}$ be a sequence in $(0, \infty)$, $\{a_n\} \subseteq (0, 1)$, and $\{\rho_n\} \subseteq (0, 2/(\|A\|^2 + 2))$. Let Ω be the solution set of (SFOP) and suppose that $\Omega \neq \emptyset$. Let $\{x_n\}$ be defined by*

$$\begin{cases} y_n = \arg \min_{z \in H_2} \{g(z) + \frac{1}{2\beta_n} \|z - Ax_n\|^2\}, \\ z_n = (1 - a_n \rho_n) x_n - \rho_n A^*(Ax_n - y_n), \\ x_{n+1} = \arg \min_{y \in H_1} \{g(y) + \frac{1}{2\beta_n} \|y - z_n\|^2\}, \quad n \in \mathbb{N}. \end{cases}$$

Assume that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 0$, $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \rho_n = \infty$, $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \rho_n > 0$, and $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \beta_n > 0$. Then $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = \bar{x}$, where $\bar{x} = P_{\Omega}0$, i.e., \bar{x} is the minimal norm solution of (SFOP).

Let H be a Hilbert space and let g be a proper lower semicontinuous convex function of H into $(-\infty, \infty)$. Then the subdifferential ∂g of g is defined as follows:

$$\partial g(x) = \{z \in H : g(x) + \langle z, y - x \rangle \leq g(y), \forall y \in H\}$$

for all $x \in H$. Let C be a nonempty closed convex subset of a real Hilbert space H , and i_C be the indicator function of C , i.e.,

$$i_C x = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x \in C, \\ \infty & \text{if } x \notin C. \end{cases}$$

Further, we also define the normal cone $N_C u$ of C at u as follows:

$$N_C u = \{z \in H : \langle z, v - u \rangle \leq 0, \forall v \in C\}.$$

Then i_C is a proper lower semicontinuous convex function on H , and the subdifferential ∂i_C of i_C is a maximal monotone operator. So, we can define the resolvent $J_{\lambda}^{\partial i_C}$ of ∂i_C for $\lambda > 0$, i.e.,

$$J_{\lambda}^{\partial i_C} x = (I + \lambda \partial i_C)^{-1} x$$

for all $x \in H$. By definitions, we know that

$$\begin{aligned} \partial i_C x &= \{z \in H : i_C x + \langle z, y - x \rangle \leq i_C y, \forall y \in H\} \\ &= \{z \in H : \langle z, y - x \rangle \leq 0, \forall y \in C\} \\ &= N_C x \end{aligned}$$

for all $x \in C$. Hence, for each $\beta > 0$, we have that

$$\begin{aligned} u = J_{\beta}^{\partial i_C} x &\Leftrightarrow x \in u + \beta \partial i_C u \Leftrightarrow x - u \in \beta N_C u \\ &\Leftrightarrow \langle x - u, y - u \rangle \leq 0, \quad \forall y \in C \\ &\Leftrightarrow u = P_C x. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, we have the following result by Theorem 3.2.

Theorem 5.4 *Let C and Q be two nonempty closed convex subsets of H_1 and H_2 , respectively. Let $A : H_1 \rightarrow H_2$ be a linear and bounded operator, and let A^* denote the adjoint of A . Let $\{a_n\}$, $\{b_n\}$, and $\{c_n\}$ be sequences of real numbers in $[0, 1]$ with $a_n + b_n + c_n = 1$ and $0 < a_n < 1$ for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Let $\{\beta_n\}$ be a sequence in $(0, \infty)$. Let $\{v_n\}$ be a bounded sequence in H . Let $u \in H$ be fixed. Let $\{\rho_n\} \subseteq (0, \frac{2}{\|A\|^2 + 1})$. Let Ω be the solution set of (SFP) and suppose that $\Omega \neq \emptyset$. Let $\{x_n\}$ be defined by*

$$x_{n+1} := a_n u + b_n x_n + c_n P_C [x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - P_Q) A x_n] + v_n$$

for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Assume that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 0$, $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n = \infty$, $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} c_n \rho_n > 0$, and $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n c_n > 0$. Then $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = \bar{x}$, where $\bar{x} = P_{\Omega} u$.

By Theorem 4.1, we get the following result.

Theorem 5.5 *Let C and Q be two nonempty closed convex subsets of H_1 and H_2 , respectively. Let $A : H_1 \rightarrow H_2$ be a linear and bounded operator, and let A^* denote the adjoint of A . Let $\{\beta_n\}$ be a sequence in $(0, \infty)$, $\{a_n\} \subseteq (0, 1)$, and $\{\rho_n\} \subseteq (0, 2/(\|A\|^2 + 2))$. Let Ω be the solution set of (SFP) and suppose that $\Omega \neq \emptyset$. Let $\{x_n\}$ be defined by*

$$x_{n+1} := P_C[(1 - a_n \rho_n)x_n - \rho_n A^*(I - P_Q)Ax_n]$$

for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Assume that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 0$, $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \rho_n = \infty$, $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \rho_n > 0$, and $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \beta_n > 0$. Then $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = \bar{x}$, where $\bar{x} = P_{\Omega} 0$, i.e., \bar{x} is the minimal norm solution of (SFP).

Remark 5.1 Theorem 5.5 improves some conditions of [13, Theorem 5.5].

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