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A NOTE ON THE "A CONTRACTION THEOREM IN MENGER PROBABILISTIC METRIC SPACES"

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ABSTRACT. We point out an error in the paper Shakeri [J. Nonlinear Sci. Appl. 1 (2008), no. 3, 189–193].

We point out an error in the paper [2]: the proof of the fact that the sequence $\{f(x_n)\}$ is Cauchy is not correct.

Thus, Theorem 2.2 in [2] is not true unless T is of Hadžić-type (see Example 2.1 in [1]). Under this additional condition, the result of Shakeri can be obtained as a corollary of the following theorem:

Theorem 0.1. ([1], Theorem 2.1) Let (X, M, T) be a left complete Menger PQM-space with T of Hadžić-type, such that every convergent sequence in X has a unique limit.

Let f, g be two selfmappings of X satisfying the following conditions:

- (i) $g(X) \subset f(X)$.
- (ii) f is continuous.
- (iii) There is $k \in (0,1)$ such that $F_{g(x)g(y)}(kt) \ge F_{f(x)f(y)}(t)$ for all $x, y \in X$ and t > 0. Then f and g have a unique common fixed point provided f and g commute.

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