

## ON THE CONVERGENCE OF KING-WERNER ITERATION METHOD IN BANACH SPACE\*<sup>1)</sup>

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### Abstract

In this paper, a Kantorovitch-Ostrowski type convergence theorem and an error estimate of  $\frac{\|f'(z_0)^{-1}f(x_{n+1})\|}{\|f'(z_0)^{-1}f(x_n)\|}$  using the information of higher derivatives at the center between initial points for King-Werner iteration method in Banach space are established.

*Key words:* Information at the center between initial points, King-Werner iteration method, Convergence, Error estimate.

### 1. Introduction

Let

$$f(x) = 0 \quad (1.1)$$

where  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  is a nonlinear operator which maps Banach space  $X$  into Banach space  $Y$ . The well-known iteration methods for solving (1.1) are the Newton method and very kinds of its improvement methods. One of them is the so called King-Werner method defined by

$$kw(P, x_0, y_0) : \begin{cases} z_n = \frac{x_n + y_n}{2} \\ x_{n+1} = x_n - f'(z_n)^{-1}f(x_n) \\ y_{n+1} = x_{n+1} - f'(z_n)^{-1}f(x_{n+1}) \end{cases} \quad \forall n \in N_0, \quad (1.2)$$

which is established by King in [7], Werner in [12] in different formulas, respectively. It is interesting that the method (1.2) is of order  $1 + \sqrt{2}$  with the same function computation cost and two times combination cost as that of Newton method. Define

$$\omega(x, z) = x - f'(z)^{-1}f(x),$$

then (1.2) can be rewritten as

$$kw(P, x_0, y_0) : \begin{cases} z_n = \frac{x_n + y_n}{2} \\ x_{n+1} = \omega(x_n, z_n) \\ y_{n+1} = \omega(x_{n+1}, z_n) \end{cases} \quad \forall n \in N_0. \quad (1.3)$$

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There are a number of papers concerning the convergence of Newton method and its improvement methods under the condition of Kantorovitch theorem or relatively close ones (e.g.[2],[6],[8]-[11],[13] etc.). In [4] [5], Kantorovich type convergence theorems and estimates of Newton method and two Newton-like methods using higher derivatives information are proved, respectively, if  $f$  has higher derivatives, though they are not used in iteration process. The idea of using higher derivatives at initial points is also used for Halley method in [14], and for a class of parameter based Chebyshev-Halley type methods in [3], where the higher derivatives are used in iteration process.

In this paper, a convergence theorem of Kantorovitch-Ostrowski type using higher derivatives at the center between initial points for King-Werner method (1.2) is established. Also, an error estimate of the decreasing speed of  $\frac{\|f'(z_0)^{-1}f(x_{n+1})\|}{\|f'(z_0)^{-1}f(x_n)\|}$  is obtained. We put forth the main results in §2 and give the proofs and an example in §3.

### 2. Main Results

Define  $\overline{O(z, t)} = \{x \in X \mid \|x - z\| \leq t\}$ ,  $O(z, t) = \{x \in X \mid \|x - z\| < t\}$ , where  $z \in X$ .

**Theorem 2.1.** *Let  $X, Y$  be Banach spaces,  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  have first- and second-order Frechet derivatives, which are bounded linear operators from  $X$  to  $Y$  and  $X$  to  $L(X, Y)$ , respectively. Suppose  $x_0, y_0 \in D \subset X$ , a convex subset of  $X$ ,  $z_0 = \frac{x_0 + y_0}{2}$ , and*

$$\begin{aligned} \|x_0 - y_0\| &\leq \tau, & \|x_1 - y_0\| &\leq \eta, \\ \|f'(z_0)^{-1}f''(z_0)\| &\leq \gamma, \\ \|f'(z_0)^{-1}[f''(x) - f''(y)]\| &\leq K\|x - y\| \quad \forall x, y \in D. \end{aligned}$$

If  $\overline{O(z_0, t^* - \frac{\tau}{2})} \subset D$ ,

$$3(\eta + \psi(\tau))\gamma \leq \frac{\gamma + 2\sqrt{\gamma^2 + 2K}}{\gamma + \sqrt{\gamma^2 + 2K} + K} \tag{2.1}$$

and

$$\frac{K}{2}(\frac{\tau}{2} + \eta)^2 + \gamma(\frac{\tau}{2} + \eta) - 1 < 0, \tag{2.2}$$

where  $\psi(\tau) = \frac{1}{48}K\tau^3 - \frac{1}{8}\gamma\tau^2 + \frac{1}{2}\tau$ , then

- i) the sequence  $kw(f; x_0, y_0)$  defined by (1.2) starting from  $x_0, y_0$  converges to the unique solution of  $f(x)$  in  $\overline{O(z_0, t^* - \frac{\tau}{2})} \cup O(z_0, t^{**} - \frac{\tau}{2}) \cap D$ , where  $0 < t^* \leq t^{**}$  are two positive zeros of the polynomial

$$\phi(t) = \frac{K}{6}(t - \frac{\tau}{2})^3 + \frac{1}{2}\gamma(t - \frac{\tau}{2})^2 - (t - \frac{\tau}{2}) + \frac{\tau}{2} + \eta - \frac{\gamma}{8}\tau^2 + \frac{K}{48}\tau^3. \tag{2.3}$$

- ii)

$$\|x_n - x^*\| \leq t^* - t_n \quad \|x^* - y_n\| \leq t^* - s_n \quad \forall n \in N_0$$

where  $t_n, s_n \in kw(\phi; 0, \tau)$ , which is defined by

$$kw(\phi; 0, \tau) : \begin{cases} r_n = \frac{t_n + s_n}{2} \\ t_{n+1} = t_n - \phi'(r_n)^{-1} \phi(t_n) \\ s_{n+1} = t_{n+1} - \phi'(r_n)^{-1} \phi(t_{n+1}) \end{cases} \quad (2.4)$$

$$t_0 = 0, s_0 = \tau, t_1 = \tau + \eta.$$

When  $\tau = 0$ , that is,  $kw(P; x_0, y_0)$  is generated from one point  $x_0 = y_0$ , it follows that

**Theorem 2.2.** *Let  $X, Y$  be Banach spaces,  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  have first- and second-order Frechet derivatives, which are bounded linear operators from  $X$  to  $Y$  and  $X$  to  $L(X, Y)$ , respectively. Suppose  $x_0 \in D \subset X$ , a convex subset of  $X$ , and*

$$\begin{aligned} \|f'(x_0)^{-1} f(x_0)\| &\leq \eta, & \|f'(x_0)^{-1} f''(x_0)\| &\leq \gamma, \\ \|f'(x_0)^{-1} [f''(x) - f''(y)]\| &\leq K \|x - y\| & \forall x, y \in D. \end{aligned}$$

If  $\overline{O(x_0, t^*)} \subset D$ ,

$$3\eta\gamma \leq \frac{\gamma + 2\sqrt{\gamma^2 + 2K}}{\gamma + \sqrt{\gamma^2 + 2K} + K} \quad (2.5)$$

then

- i) the sequence  $kw(f; x_0, x_0)$  defined by (1.2) starting from  $x_0$  converges to the unique solution of  $f(x)$  in  $\overline{O(x_0, t^*)} \cup O(x_0, t^{**}) \cap D$ , where  $0 < t^* \leq t^{**}$  are two positive zeros of the polynomial

$$\phi_0(t) = \frac{K}{6} t^3 + \frac{1}{2} \gamma t^2 - t + \eta. \quad (2.6)$$

- ii)

$$\|x_n - x^*\| \leq t^* - t_n \quad \|x^* - y_n\| \leq t^* - s_n \quad \forall n \in N_0$$

where  $t_n, s_n \in kw(\phi_0; 0, 0)$ , which is defined by

$$kw(\phi_0; 0, \tau) \begin{cases} r_n = \frac{t_n + s_n}{2} \\ t_{n+1} = t_n - \phi_0'(r_n)^{-1} \phi_0(t_n) \\ s_{n+1} = t_{n+1} - \phi_0'(r_n)^{-1} \phi_0(t_{n+1}). \end{cases} \quad (2.7)$$

The condition in Theorem 2.2 is just the same as that one obtained for Newton method in [4]. Note that when  $\tau = 0$ , (2.2) is satisfied, if (2.1) is satisfied (We shall point out in an example that this is not true for  $\tau \neq 0$ ). So, Theorem 2.2 is a special case of Theorem 2.1, and we only proof the Theorem 2.1 in §3.

Further more, we get the following theorem

**Theorem 2.3.** *Under the condition of Theorem 2.1, we have*

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\|f'(z_0)^{-1} f(x_{n+1})\|}{\|f'(z_0)^{-1} f(x_n)\|} &\leq \frac{\phi(t_{n+1})}{\phi(t_n)} \\ &\leq \frac{t_{n+2} - t_{n+1}}{t_{n+1} - t_n} \quad \forall n \in N_0. \end{aligned}$$

which says that the error estimates of  $\|f'(z_0)^{-1}f(x_n)\|$  can be controlled by itself step by step.

### 3. Proofs

At first, we use the King-Werner method to determine the smaller positive zero of polynomial (2.3). We have

**Lemma 3.1.** *Under (2.1) and (2.2), the polynomial (2.3) has two positive zeros satisfying  $0 < t^* \leq t^{**}$ .*

The proof of Lemma 3.1 is as similar as that in [4-5], and is omitted.

**Lemma 3.2.** *If condition (2.1) and (2.2) are satisfied,  $kw(\phi; 0, \tau)$  is defined by (2.4), then*

$$0 = t_0 < s_0 < t_1 < \cdots < t_n < s_n < \cdots < t^* \leq t^*$$

and

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} t_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} s_n = t^* \tag{3.1}$$

*Proof.* (2.1) and (2.2) imply that  $\phi(\tau + \eta) > 0$  and  $\phi'(\tau + \eta) < 0$ , that is,  $\tau + \eta < t^*$ . So, (3.1) follows by induction.

**Lemma 3.3.** *If  $x \in D$ , then*

$$\begin{aligned} \|f'(z_0)^{-1}f''(x)\| &\leq \phi''(t), & \text{if } \|x - z_0\| \leq t - \frac{\tau}{2} < t^{**} - \frac{\tau}{2}, \\ \|[f'(z_0)^{-1}f'(x)]^{-1}\| &\leq -\phi'(t)^{-1}, & \text{if } \|x - z_0\| \leq t - \frac{\tau}{2} < t^* - \frac{\tau}{2}. \end{aligned} \tag{3.2}$$

*Proof.* In fact,

$$\begin{aligned} \|f'(z_0)^{-1}f''(x)\| &\leq \|f'(z_0)^{-1}f''(z_0)\| + \|f'(z_0)^{-1}[f''(x) - f''(z_0)]\| \\ &\leq \phi''(t) & \left(\frac{\tau}{2} \leq t < t^{**}\right). \end{aligned}$$

Since  $\phi'(t) < 0$  on  $[0, t^*)$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned} \|I - f'(z_0)^{-1}f'(x)\| &\leq \int_0^1 K\theta d\theta \|x - z_0\|^2 + \gamma \|x - z_0\| \\ &\leq 1 + \phi'(t) < 1 & \left(\frac{\tau}{2} \leq t < t^*\right), \end{aligned}$$

so that  $[f'(z_0)^{-1}f'(x)]^{-1}$  exists and

$$\|[f'(z_0)^{-1}f'(x)]^{-1}\| \leq \frac{1}{1 - \|I - f'(z_0)^{-1}f'(x)\|} \leq -\phi'(t)^{-1} \quad \left(\frac{\tau}{2} \leq t < t^*\right)$$

holds by Neumann's Theorem.

**Lemma 3.4.** *If  $x, y, u, v \in D$  satisfy*

$$\begin{aligned} \|x - x_0\| &\leq t, \|y - y_0\| \leq s - \tau, \\ \|u - x\| &\leq p - t, \|v - y\| \leq q - s, \end{aligned}$$

where  $0 < t < s < p < q < t^*$ , then

$$\|f'(z_0)^{-1}[f'(\frac{x+y}{2}) - f'(\frac{u+v}{2})]\| \leq -[\phi'(\frac{s+t}{2}) - \phi'(\frac{p+q}{2})]. \tag{3.4}$$

*Proof.* Since

$$f'(\frac{x+y}{2}) - f'(\frac{u+v}{2}) = A + B,$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} A &= -\int_0^1 [f''(\frac{x+y}{2} + \theta(\frac{u+v-x-y}{2})) - f''(\frac{x+y}{2})]d\theta(\frac{u+v-x-y}{2}), \\ B &= -f''(\frac{x+y}{2})(\frac{u+v-x-y}{2}). \end{aligned}$$

So,

$$\begin{aligned} \|f'(z_0)^{-1}[f'(\frac{x+y}{2}) - f'(\frac{u+v}{2})]\| &\leq \|f'(z_0)^{-1}A\| + \|f'(z_0)^{-1}B\| \\ &\leq \int_0^1 K\theta d\theta(\frac{p-t+q-s}{2})^2 + \phi''(\frac{s+t}{2})(\frac{p-t+q-s}{2}) \\ &= -[\phi'(\frac{s+t}{2}) - \phi'(\frac{p+q}{2})] \end{aligned}$$

follows by Lemma 3.3.

For the proof of Theorems, we need the following expansion of  $f(u)$ : If  $x, y \in D, u = \omega(x, \frac{x+y}{2})$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} f(u) &= f(u) - f(x) - f'(\frac{x+y}{2})(u-x) \\ &= \int_0^1 f''(y + \theta(u-y))(1-\theta)d\theta(u-y)^2 + \int_0^1 f''(\frac{x+y}{2} + \theta\frac{y-x}{2})d\theta\frac{(y-x)(u-y)}{2} \\ &\quad + \int_0^1 C(x, y)(1-\theta)d\theta(\frac{y-x}{2})^2 + \int_0^1 \int_0^1 D(x, y)d\tau(1-\theta)d\theta\frac{(y-x)^2}{2}, \end{aligned} \tag{3.5}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} C(x, y) &= f''(\frac{x+y}{2} + \theta\frac{y-x}{2}) - f''(\frac{x+y}{2}), \\ D(x, y) &= f''(\frac{x+y}{2}) - f''(x + \frac{\theta - \tau\theta + \tau}{2}(y-x)). \end{aligned}$$

**Proof of Theorem 1.** Let us prove that

$$(1) \quad x_n \in \overline{O(x_0, t_n)} \tag{3.6}$$

$$(2) \quad \|y_n - x_n\| \leq s_n - t_n \tag{3.7}$$

$$(3) \quad y_n \in \overline{O(z_0, s_n - \frac{\tau}{2})} \tag{3.8}$$

$$(4) \quad \|[f'(z_0)^{-1}f'(z_n)]^{-1}\| \leq -\phi'(r_n)^{-1} \tag{3.9}$$

$$(5) \quad \|x_{n+1} - y_n\| \leq t_{n+1} - s_n \tag{3.10}$$

hold for all  $x_n, y_n, z_n \in kw(P; x_0, y_0)$ , where  $t_n, s_n, r_n$  are defined by (2.4). In fact, they hold for  $n = 0$ . Given they be true for  $n = 0, 1, \dots, k$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} \|x_{k+1} - x_0\| &\leq \|x_{k+1} - y_k\| + \|y_k - x_k\| + \|x_k - x_0\| \leq t_{k+1}. \\ \|y_k - x_0\| &\leq \|y_k - x_k\| + \|x_k - x_0\| \leq s_k, \\ \|y_k + \theta(x_{k+1} - y_k) - z_0\| &\leq s_k + \theta(t_{k+1} - s_k) - \frac{\tau}{2} \leq t^* - \frac{\tau}{2}, \\ \|z_k - z_0\| &\leq r_k - \frac{\tau}{2} \leq t^* - \frac{\tau}{2}, \\ \|z_k + \theta\frac{y_k - x_k}{2} - z_0\| &\leq r_k + \theta\frac{s_k - t_k}{2} - \frac{\tau}{2} \leq t^* - \frac{\tau}{2}, \quad 0 \leq \theta \leq 1. \end{aligned} \tag{3.11}$$

By Lemma 3.3 and Lemma 3.4,

$$\begin{aligned} &\|f'(z_0)^{-1}f(x_{k+1})\| \\ &\leq \int_0^1 \|f'(z_0)^{-1}f''(y_k + \theta(x_{k+1} - y_k))\|(1 - \theta)d\theta \|x_{k+1} - y_k\|^2 \\ &\quad + \int_0^1 \|f'(z_0)^{-1}f''(z_k + \theta\frac{y_k - x_k}{2})\|d\theta \frac{\|(y_k - x_k)(x_{k+1} - y_k)\|}{2} \\ &\quad + \int_0^1 \|f'(z_0)^{-1}C(x_k, y_k)\|(1 - \theta)d\theta (\frac{\|y_k - x_k\|}{2})^2 \\ &\quad + \int_0^1 \int_0^1 \|f'(z_0)^{-1}D(x_k, y_k)\|d\tau(1 - \theta)d\theta \frac{\|y_k - x_k\|^2}{2} \\ &\leq \int_0^1 \phi''(s_k + \theta(t_{k+1} - s_k))(1 - \theta)d\theta (t_{k+1} - s_n)^2 \\ &\quad + \int_0^1 \phi''(r_k + \theta\frac{s_k - t_k}{2})d\theta \frac{(s_k - t_k)(t_{k+1} - s_k)}{2} \\ &\quad + \int_0^1 K\theta(\frac{s_k - t_k}{2})(1 - \theta)d\theta (\frac{s_k - t_k}{2})^2 \\ &\quad + \int_0^1 \int_0^1 K\frac{(1 - \tau)(1 - \theta)}{2}(s_k - t_k)d\tau(1 - \theta)d\theta (\frac{s_k - t_k}{2})^2, \\ &= \phi(t_{k+1}), \end{aligned} \tag{3.12}$$

which yields

$$\begin{aligned} \|y_{k+1} - x_{k+1}\| &\leq \|[f'(z_0)^{-1}f'(z_k)]^{-1}\| \|f'(z_0)^{-1}f(x_{k+1})\| \\ &\leq -\phi'(r_k)^{-1}\phi(t_{k+1}) \\ &= s_{k+1} - t_k. \end{aligned} \tag{3.13}$$

It follows that

$$\begin{aligned} \|y_{k+1} - x_0\| &\leq \|y_{k+1} - x_n\| + \|x_k - x_0\| \\ &\leq s_{k+1} - t_k + t_k - t_0 = s_{k+1} \\ &\leq t^* \end{aligned} \tag{3.14.}$$

and

$$\|z_{k+1} - z_0\| \leq r_{k+1} - \frac{\tau}{2} \leq t^* - \frac{\tau}{2}.$$

By Lemma 3.2, we get

$$\|[f'(z_0)^{-1}f'(z_{k+1})]^{-1}\| \leq -\phi'(r_{k+1})^{-1}. \tag{3.15}$$

Since

$$\begin{aligned} x_{n+2} - y_{n+1} &= (f'(z_k)^{-1} - f'(z_{k+1})^{-1})f(x_{n+1}) \\ &= -[f'(z_0)^{-1}f'(z_k)]^{-1} \cdot f'(z_0)^{-1}[f'(z_k) - f'(z_{k+1})] \\ &\quad \times [-f'(z_{k+1})^{-1}f(x_{k+1})]. \end{aligned}$$

By Lemma 3.3, Lemma 3.4, it follows that

$$\begin{aligned} \|x_{n+2} - y_{n+1}\| &\leq \|[f'(z_0)^{-1}f'(z_k)]^{-1}\| \cdot \|f'(z_0)^{-1}[f'(z_k) - f'(z_{k+1})]\| \\ &\quad \times \|-f'(z_{k+1})^{-1}f(x_{k+1})\| \\ &\leq -\phi'(r_k)^{-1} \cdot [\phi'(r_k) - \phi'(r_{k+1})] \cdot [-\phi'(r_{k+1})^{-1}\phi(t_{k+1})] \\ &= [\phi'(r_k)^{-1} - \phi'(r_{k+1})^{-1}]\phi(t_{k+1}) \\ &= t_{k+2} - s_{k+1}. \end{aligned} \tag{3.16}$$

(3.11),(3.13),(3.14) and (3.15),(3.16) show that (3.6)-(3.10) hold for  $n = k + 1$ . By induction, the proof of (3.6)-(3.10) is completed.

Lemma 3.2 implies that the sequence  $kw(\phi; 0, \tau)$  is a Cauchy sequence. From (3.6)-(3.10),  $kw(f; x_0, y_0)$  becomes a Cauchy sequence, too. Then it follows that

$$\exists x^* \in \overline{O(z_0, t^* - \frac{\tau}{2})} \subset \overline{O(x_0, t^*)} \quad \text{such that} \quad x_n \rightarrow x^*, y_n \rightarrow x^*, n \rightarrow \infty,$$

and

$$\|x_n - x^*\| \leq t^* - t_n, \quad \|y_n - x^*\| \leq t^* - s_n. \tag{3.17}$$

From (3.12),  $f(x^*) = 0$ . Now to complete the proof of Theorem 1, it is sufficient to proof that there is an unique solution of (1.1) in  $O(z_0, t^* - \frac{\tau}{2}) \cup O(z_0, t^{**} - \frac{\tau}{2}) \cap D$ . Suppose

$$\exists \tilde{x} \in \overline{O(z_0, t^* - \frac{\tau}{2}) \cup O(z_0, t^{**} - \frac{\tau}{2}) \cap D}, \quad \text{such that} \quad f(\tilde{x}) = 0,$$

Let  $\xi_\theta := x^* - z_0 + \theta(\tilde{x} - x^*)$ , then for  $0 \leq \theta \leq 1$ , holds  $\|\xi_\theta\| < t^{**} - \frac{\tau}{2}$ . Since

$$\begin{aligned} & \left\| \int_0^1 f'(z_0)^{-1} f'(x^* + \theta(\tilde{x} - x^*)) d\theta - I \right\| \\ & \leq \int_0^1 d\theta \int_0^1 \|f'(z_0)^{-1} f''(z_0 + \kappa \xi_\theta)\| d\kappa \|\xi_\theta\| \\ & < \int_0^1 d\theta \int_0^1 \phi''(\frac{\tau}{2} + \kappa(t^* - \frac{\tau}{2} + \theta(t^{**} - t^*))) d\kappa (t^* - \frac{\tau}{2} + \theta(t^{**} - t^*)) \\ & = \int_0^1 \phi'(t^* + \theta(t^{**} - t^*)) d\theta + 1 = 1. \end{aligned}$$

So,  $[\int_0^1 f'(z_0)^{-1} f'(x^* + \theta(\tilde{x} - x^*)) d\theta]^{-1}$  exists by Neumann's Theorem, it follows that the operator equation

$$\int_0^1 f'(z_0)^{-1} f'(x^* + \theta(\tilde{x} - x^*)) d\theta (\tilde{x} - x^*) = f'(z_0)^{-1} (f(\tilde{x}) - f(x^*)) = 0$$

has an unique solution  $\tilde{x} - x^* = 0$ , that is,  $\tilde{x} = x^*$ .

**Proof of Theorem 2.3.** Using Taylor expansion at  $x_n$ , we have

$$f(x_{n+1}) = (E + F)G \cdot [f'(z_0)^{-1} f(x_n)]$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} E &= \int_0^1 f''(x_n + \theta z_n) d\theta (\frac{y_n - x_n}{2}) \\ F &= \int_0^1 f''(x_n + \theta(x_{n+1} - x_n))(1 - \theta) d\theta (x_{n+1} - x_n) \\ G &= [-f'(z_0)^{-1} f'(z_n)]^{-1}. \end{aligned}$$

By Lemma 3.2 and the proof of Theorem 1,

$$\begin{aligned} \|f'(z_0)^{-1} f(x_{n+1})\| & \leq \|f'(z_0)^{-1} (E + F)G\| \cdot \|f'(z_0)^{-1} f(x_n)\| \\ & \leq [\int_0^1 \phi''(t_n + \theta r_n) d\theta \frac{s_n - t_n}{2} \\ & \quad + \int_0^1 \phi''(t_n + \theta(t_{n+1} - t_n))(1 - \theta) d\theta (t_{n+1} - t_n)] \\ & \quad \times [-\phi'(r_n)^{-1}] \|f'(z_0)^{-1} f(x_n)\| \\ & = \frac{\phi(t_{n+1})}{\phi(t_n)} \|f'(z_0)^{-1} f(x_n)\|. \end{aligned}$$



It follows that,

$$\frac{\|f'(z_0)^{-1}f(x_{n+1})\|}{\|f'(z_0)^{-1}f(x_n)\|} \leq \frac{\phi(t_{n+1})}{\phi(t_n)} \quad (3.18)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{\phi'(r_{n+1})}{\phi'(r_n)} \cdot \frac{t_{n+2} - t_{n+1}}{t_{n+1} - t_n} \\ &\leq \frac{t_{n+2} - t_{n+1}}{t_{n+1} - t_n}, \end{aligned} \quad (3.19)$$

which completes the proof by induction.

**Example 1.** If  $\tau \neq 0$ , that condition (2.1) is true does not imply that the condition (2.2) is true (It is different from the case  $\tau = 0$ ).

Let

$$K = 0, \eta = \frac{4 - \sqrt{15}}{6}, \gamma = 2, \tau = \sqrt{\frac{5}{3}},$$

we have

$$\gamma\eta + \psi(\tau)\gamma = \frac{1}{2},$$

and

$$\gamma\left(\frac{\tau}{2} + \eta\right) - 1 = \frac{1}{3} > 0.$$

That is, the condition (2.1) is true, but the condition (2.2) is not true.

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