



Existence of solutions of nonlocal fractional mixed type integro-differential equations with non-instantaneous impulses in Banach space

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Abstract

The key purpose of this manuscript is to examine the existence and uniqueness of *PC*-mild solution of nonlocal fractional mixed type integro-differential equations with non-instantaneous impulses in Banach space. Based on the general Banach contraction principle, we develop the main results.

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1. Introduction

Differential equations of fractional order have currently proven to be useful methods for modeling multiple phenomena in different fields of science and engineering [1–3, 5, 7]. Significant advances in fractional differential equations have occurred in recent years; see the monographs by Kilbas et al. [5] and the papers by Zhou and Jio [8, 9] and the references cited therein.

Motivated by [1, 4, 6, 7], in this paper we consider a class of nonlocal fractional order mixed type integro-differential systems with non-instantaneous impulses of the form

$$\begin{aligned} {}^C D^\alpha x(t) &= f(t, x(t), K_1 x(t), K_2 x(t)), \\ & t \in (s_i, t_{i+1}], i = 0, 1, 2, \dots, m \\ x(t) &= g_i(t, x(t)), \quad t \in (t_i, s_i], i = 1, 2, \dots, m \end{aligned} \quad (1.1)$$

$$x(0) + h(x) = x_0,$$

where ${}^C D^\alpha$ is the Caputo fractional derivative of order $0 < \alpha \leq 1, t \in [0, T]; x_0 \in X, 0 = t_0 = s_0 < t_1 \leq s_1 < t_2 \leq s_2 < \dots < t_m \leq s_m < t_{m+1} = T$ are fixed numbers, $g_i \in C((t_i, s_i] \times X; X)$, $f : [0, T] \times X^3 \rightarrow X$ is a nonlinear function, $h : PC(J, X) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and the functions K_1 and K_2 are defined by

$$K_1 x(t) = \int_0^t u(t, s, x(s)) ds \quad \text{and} \quad K_2 x(t) = \int_0^T \tilde{u}(t, s, x(s)) ds,$$

$u, \tilde{u} : \Delta \times X \rightarrow X$, where $\Delta = \{(x, s) : 0 \leq s \leq x \leq \tau\}$ are given functions which satisfies assumptions to be specified later on.

The rest of the paper is organized as follows. In Section 2, we present the notations, definitions and preliminary results needed in the following sections. In Section 3 is concerned with the existence results of problem (1.1).

2. Preliminaries

Let us set $J = [0, T], J_0 = [0, t_1], J_1 = (t_1, t_2], \dots, J_{m-1} = (t_{m-1}, t_m], J_m = (t_m, t_{m+1}]$ and introduce the space $PC(J, X) := \{u : J \rightarrow X \mid u \in C(J_k, X), k = 0, 1, 2, \dots, m, \text{ and there exist } u(t_k^+) \text{ and } u(t_k^-), k = 1, 2, \dots, m, \text{ with } u(t_k^-) = u(t_k)\}$. It is clear that $PC(J, X)$ is a Banach space with the norm $\|u\|_{PC} = \sup\{\|u(t)\| : t \in J\}$.

Let us recall the following well-known definitions [5].

Definition 2.1. A real function $f(t)$ is said to be in the space $C_\alpha, \alpha \in \mathbb{R}$, if there exists a real number $p > \alpha$, such that

$f(t) = t^p g(t)$, where $g \in C[0, \infty)$ and it is said to be in the space C_α^n if and only if $f^{(n)} \in C_\alpha, n \in \mathbb{N}$.

Definition 2.2. The Riemann-Liouville derivative of order $\alpha > 0$ for a function $f \in C_\alpha^n, n \in \mathbb{N}$, is defined as

$$D_t^\alpha f(t) = D^n D^{\alpha-n} f(t) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(n-\alpha)} \frac{d^n}{dt^n} \int_0^t (t-s)^{n-\alpha-1} f(s) ds, t > 0, n-1 < \alpha < n.$$

Definition 2.3. The Caputo fractional derivative of order $\alpha > 0$ for a function $f \in C_\alpha^n, n \in \mathbb{N}$, is defined as

$$CD_t^\alpha f(t) = D^{\alpha-n} D^n f(t) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(n-\alpha)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{n-\alpha-1} f^{(n)}(s) ds, t > 0, n-1 < \alpha < n.$$

Lemma 2.4. Let $f : J \rightarrow X$ be a continuous function. A function $x \in C(J, X)$ is a solution of the fractional integral equation

$$x(t) = x_b - \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^b (b-s)^{\alpha-1} f(s) ds + \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{\alpha-1} f(s) ds$$

if and only if $x(t)$ is a solution of the following fractional Cauchy problem:

$$CD^\alpha x(t) = f(t), \quad t \in J \\ x(b) = x_b, \quad b > 0$$

Now, we recall the following important Lemma which is very useful to prove our main result.

Lemma 2.5. [7] Let $0 < \rho < 1, \gamma > 0$,

$$S = \rho^n + D_n^1 \rho^{n-1} \gamma + \frac{D_n^2 \rho^{n-2} \gamma^2}{2!} + \dots + \frac{\gamma^n}{n!}, \quad n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

Then, for all constant $0 < \xi < 1$ and all real number $s > 1$, we get

$$S \leq O\left(\frac{\xi^n}{\sqrt{n}}\right) + O\left(\frac{1}{n^s}\right) = O\left(\frac{1}{n^s}\right), \quad n \rightarrow +\infty.$$

In view of the Lemma 2.1, we define the PC-mild solution for the given system (1.1).

Definition 2.6. A function $x \in PC(J, X)$ is a mild solution of the problem (1.1) if $x(0) + h(x) = x_0, x(t) = g_i(t, x(t)), t \in (t_i, s_i], i = 1, 2, \dots, m$ and

$$x(t) = x_0 - h(x) + \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{\alpha-1} f(s, x(s), K_1(x(s)), K_2(x(s))) ds, \quad t \in [0, t_1]$$

and

$$x(t) = g_i(s_i, x(s_i)) - \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^{s_i} (s_i-t)^{\alpha-1} f(s, x(s), K_1(x(s)), K_2(x(s))) ds + \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{\alpha-1} f(s, x(s), K_1(x(s)), K_2(x(s))) ds,$$

where, $t \in (s_i, t_{i+1}]$.

3. Existence and Uniqueness Results

In this section, we present and prove the existence and uniqueness of the system (1.1) under Banach contraction principle fixed point theorem.

To establish our results on the existence of solutions, we consider the following hypotheses:

(A1) The function $f \in C(J \times X^3; X)$ and there exist positive constants $L_{f_k} \in L^1(J, \mathbb{R}^+)$ ($k = 1, 2, 3$) such that

$$\|f(t, x_1, x_2, x_3) - f(t, y_1, y_2, y_3)\| \leq L_{f_1}(t) \|x_1 - y_1\| + L_{f_2}(t) \|x_2 - y_2\| + L_{f_3}(t) \|x_3 - y_3\|$$

for all $(x_1, x_2, x_3), (y_1, y_2, y_3) \in X$ and every $t \in J$.

(A2) The functions $u, \tilde{u} : \Delta \times X \rightarrow X$ are continuous and there exist constants $L_u, L_{\tilde{u}} > 0$ such that

$$\left\| \int_0^t [u(t, s, x(s)) - u(t, s, y(s))] ds \right\| \leq L_u \|x - y\|,$$

for all, $x, y \in X$; and

$$\left\| \int_0^T [\tilde{u}(t, s, x(s)) - \tilde{u}(t, s, y(s))] ds \right\| \leq L_{\tilde{u}} \|x - y\|,$$

for all, $x, y \in X$;

(A3) For $i = 1, 2, \dots, m$, the functions $g_i \in C((t_i, s_i] \times \mathbb{R}; \mathbb{R})$ and there exists $L_{g_i} \in C(J, \mathbb{R}^+)$ such that

$$|g_i(t, x) - g_i(t, y)| \leq L_{g_i} |x - y|$$

for all $x, y \in X$ and $t \in (t_i, s_i]$.

(A4) $h : PC(J, X) \rightarrow X$ is continuous and there exists a positive constant $L_h > 0$ such that

$$\|h(x) - h(y)\| \leq L_h \|x - y\|_{PC}, \quad \text{for all } x, y \in PC(J, X).$$

Theorem 3.1. If hypotheses (A1) – (A4) hold and $0 \leq \Lambda < 1$ ($\Lambda = \max \{L_h, L_{g_i}\}$), then problem (1.1) has a unique PC-mild solution $x^* \in PC(J, X)$.

Proof. From Definition 2.4, we define an operator $\Upsilon : PC(J, X) \rightarrow PC(J, X)$ as $(\Upsilon x)(t) = (\Upsilon_1 x)(t) + (\Upsilon_2 x)(t)$, where

$$(\Upsilon_1 x)(t) = \begin{cases} x_0 - h(x), & t \in [0, t_1] \\ g_i(t, x(t)), & t \in (t_i, s_i] \\ g_i(s_i, x(s_i)), & t \in (s_i, t_{i+1}], \end{cases} \quad (3.1)$$

and

$$(\Upsilon_2 x)(t) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{\alpha-1} f(s, x(s), K_1(x(s)), K_2(x(s))) ds, & t \in [0, t_1] \\ 0, & t \in (t_i, s_i] \\ -\frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^{s_i} (s_i-t)^{\alpha-1} f(s, x(s), K_1(x(s)), K_2(x(s))) ds + \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{\alpha-1} f(s, x(s), K_1(x(s)), K_2(x(s))) ds, & t \in (s_i, t_{i+1}]. \end{cases} \quad (3.2)$$



For any $x, y \in PC(J, X)$, by (3.1) we sustain

$$\begin{aligned} & \|(\Upsilon_1 x)(t) - (\Upsilon_1 y)(t)\| \\ & \leq \begin{cases} \Lambda \|x - y\|_{PC}, & t \in [0, t_1] \\ \Lambda \|x - y\|_{PC}, & t \in (t_i, s_i], i = 1, 2, \dots, m, \\ \Lambda \|x - y\|_{PC}, & t \in (s_i, t_{i+1}], i = 1, 2, \dots, m, \end{cases} \end{aligned} \quad (3.3)$$

which means

$$\|(\Upsilon_1 x)(t) - (\Upsilon_1 y)(t)\| \leq \Lambda \|x - y\|_{PC},$$

where $t \in [0, t_1] \cup (t_i, s_i] \cup (s_i, t_{i+1}], i = 1, 2, \dots, m$. Then we obtain

$$\|(\Upsilon_1^2 x)(t) - (\Upsilon_1^2 y)(t)\| \leq \Lambda^2 \|x - y\|_{PC},$$

where $t \in [0, t_1] \cup (t_i, s_i] \cup (s_i, t_{i+1}], i = 1, 2, \dots, m$. It is clear that, we have

$$\|(\Upsilon_1^n x)(t) - (\Upsilon_1^n y)(t)\| \leq \Lambda^n \|x - y\|_{PC}, \quad (3.4)$$

where $t \in [0, t_1] \cup (t_i, s_i] \cup (s_i, t_{i+1}], i = 1, 2, \dots, m$.

For any real number $0 < \varepsilon < 1$, there exists a continuous function $\phi(s)$ such that $\frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^T (t-s)^{\alpha-1} |\ell(s) - \phi(s)| ds < \varepsilon$, where $\ell(s) = [L_{f_1}(s) + L_{f_2}(s)L_u + L_{f_3}(s)L_{\bar{u}}]$ is a Lebesgue integrable function. For any $t \in [0, t_1], x, y \in PC(J, X)$ and by (3.2), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & \|(\Upsilon_2 x)(t) - (\Upsilon_2 y)(t)\| \\ & \leq \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{\alpha-1} \|f(s, x(s), K_1(x(s)), K_2(x(s))) \\ & - f(s, y(s), K_1(y(s)), K_2(y(s)))\| ds \\ & \leq \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{\alpha-1} [L_{f_1}(s) + L_{f_2}(s)L_k + L_{f_3}(s)L_{\bar{k}}] \\ & \|x(s) - y(s)\| ds \\ & \leq \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{\alpha-1} \ell(s) ds \|x - y\|_{PC} \\ & \leq \left(\frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{\alpha-1} |\ell(s) - \phi(s)| ds \right. \\ & \left. + \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{\alpha-1} |\phi(s)| ds \right) \|x - y\|_{PC} \\ & \leq (\varepsilon + \lambda t) \|x - y\|_{PC} \\ & = \left(D_1^0 \varepsilon^1 + D_1^1 \frac{(\lambda t)^1}{1!} \right) \|x - y\|_{PC}, \end{aligned}$$

where $\max_{t \in J} \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} (t-s)^{\alpha-1} |\phi(t)| = \lambda$.

Assume that, for any natural number k , we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \|(\Upsilon_2^k x)(t) - (\Upsilon_2^k y)(t)\| \\ & \leq \left(D_k^0 \varepsilon^k + D_k^1 \varepsilon^{k-1} \frac{(\lambda t)^1}{1!} + \dots + D_k^k \varepsilon^{k-k} \frac{(\lambda t)^k}{k!} \right) \|x - y\|_{PC}. \end{aligned}$$

From the above inequality and the formula $D_k^m = D_k^m + D_k^{m-1}$, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & \|(\Upsilon_2^{k+1} x)(t) - (\Upsilon_2^{k+1} y)(t)\| \\ & \leq \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{\alpha-1} [L_{f_1}(s) + L_{f_2}(s)L_u + L_{f_3}(s)L_{\bar{u}}] \\ & \|(\Upsilon_2^k x)(s) - (\Upsilon_2^k y)(s)\| ds \\ & = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^t \ell(s) \|(\Upsilon_2^k x)(s) - (\Upsilon_2^k y)(s)\| ds \\ & \leq \left(\frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{\alpha-1} |\ell(s) - \phi(s)| \left(D_k^0 \varepsilon^k + D_k^1 \varepsilon^{k-1} \frac{(\lambda s)^1}{1!} \right. \right. \\ & \left. \left. + \dots + D_k^k \varepsilon^{k-k} \frac{(\lambda s)^k}{k!} \right) ds \right) \|x - y\|_{PC} \\ & \quad + \left(\frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{\alpha-1} |\phi(s)| \left(D_k^0 \varepsilon^k + D_k^1 \varepsilon^{k-1} \frac{(\lambda s)^1}{1!} \right. \right. \\ & \left. \left. + \dots + D_k^k \varepsilon^{k-k} \frac{(\lambda s)^k}{k!} \right) ds \right) \|x - y\|_{PC} \\ & \leq \varepsilon \left(D_k^0 \varepsilon^k + D_k^1 \varepsilon^{k-1} \frac{(\lambda t)^1}{1!} + \dots + D_k^k \varepsilon^{k-k} \frac{(\lambda t)^k}{k!} \right) \|x - y\|_{PC} \\ & \quad + \lambda \int_0^t \left(D_k^0 \varepsilon^k + D_k^1 \varepsilon^{k-1} \frac{(\lambda s)^1}{1!} + \dots + D_k^k \varepsilon^{k-k} \frac{(\lambda s)^k}{k!} \right) ds \\ & \|x - y\|_{PC} \\ & \leq \left(D_{k+1}^0 \varepsilon^{k+1} + D_{k+1}^1 \varepsilon^k \frac{(\lambda t)^1}{1!} + \dots \right. \\ & \left. + D_{k+1}^{k+1} \varepsilon^{(k+1)-(k+1)} \frac{(\lambda t)^{k+1}}{(k+1)!} \right) \|x - y\|_{PC}. \end{aligned}$$

By mathematical methods of induction, for any natural number n , we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \|\Upsilon_2^n x - \Upsilon_2^n y\|_{PC} \\ & \leq \left(D_n^0 \varepsilon^n + D_n^1 \varepsilon^{n-1} \frac{\zeta^1}{1!} + \dots + D_n^n \varepsilon^{n-n} \frac{\zeta^n}{n!} \right) \|x - y\|_{PC}, \end{aligned}$$

where $\zeta = \lambda T$. By Lemma 2.2, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|\Upsilon_2^n x - \Upsilon_2^n y\|_{PC} & \leq \left[O\left(\frac{\eta^n}{\sqrt{n}}\right) + O\left(\frac{1}{h^\mu}\right) \right] \|x - y\|_{PC} \\ & = O\left(\frac{1}{n^\mu}\right) \|x - y\|_{PC}, \quad (n \rightarrow +\infty), \end{aligned} \quad (3.5)$$

where $0 < \eta < 1, \mu > 1$. It is easy to see that the above equation (3.5) holds for $t \in (s_i, t_{i+1}], i = 1, 2, \dots, m$. By (3.4) and (3.5), we obtain

$$\|\Upsilon^n x - \Upsilon^n y\|_{PC} \leq \left(\Lambda^n + O\left(\frac{1}{n^\mu}\right) \right) \|x - y\|_{PC}, \quad \forall n > n_0.$$

Thus, for any fixed constant $\mu > 1$, we can find a positive integer n_0 such that, for any $n > n_0$, we get $0 < \Lambda^n + \frac{1}{n^\mu} < 1$. Therefore, for any $x, y \in PC(J, X)$, we have

$$\|\Upsilon^n x - \Upsilon^n y\|_{PC} \leq \left(\Lambda^n + \frac{1}{n^\mu} \right) \|x - y\|_{PC} \leq \|x - y\|_{PC}, \quad \forall n > n_0.$$



By the general Banach contraction mapping principle, we get that the operator Υ has a unique fixed point $x^* \in PC(J, X)$, which means that problem (1.1) has a unique PC -mild solution.

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