

CAPUTO-FABRIZIO FRACTIONAL DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS IN FRÉCHET SPACES

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Abstract

This paper deals with some existence and uniqueness of solutions for a class of functional Caputo-Fabrizio fractional differential equations. Some applications are made of a generalization of the classical Darbo fixed point theorem for Fréchet spaces associate with the concept of measure of noncompactness. The last section illustrates our results with some examples.

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1 Introduction

There has been a significant development in the area of the theory of fractional calculus and fractional differential equations [31]. For some fundamental results in this subject, we refer the reader to the monographs [3, 6, 7, 29, 23, 36], and the papers [4, 12]. These fractional differential equations involves Riemann-Liouville, Caputo, Hadamard and Hilfer fractional differential operators.

In recent times, a new fractional differential operator having a kernel with exponential decay has been introduced by Caputo and Fabrizio [15]. This approach of fractional derivative is known as the Caputo-Fabrizio operator which has attracted many research scholars due to the fact that it has a non-singular kernel. Several mathematicians were recently busy in development of Caputo-Fabrizio fractional differential equations, see; [11, 16, 20, 21, 22, 24, 30, 33], and the references therein.

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Recently, several researchers obtained other results by application of the technique of measure of noncompactness; see [9, 10, 32], and the references therein. In [1, 2, 5], Abbas *et al.* considered several classes of fractional differential equations in Fréchet spaces. Motivated by the above papers, in this article we discuss the existence of solutions for the following Caputo-Fabrizio fractional differential equation

$$({}^{CF}D_0^r u)(t) = f(t, u(t)); t \in \mathbb{R}_+ := [0, \infty), \quad (1)$$

with the following initial condition

$$u(0) = u_0 \in E, \quad (2)$$

where $T > 0$, $(E, \|\cdot\|)$ is a (real or complex) Banach space, $r \in (0, 1)$, $f : \mathbb{R}_+ \times E \rightarrow E$ is a given function, and ${}^{CF}D_0^r$ is the Caputo-Fabrizio fractional derivative of order $r \in (0, 1)$.

Next, we discuss the existence of solutions for the fractional differential equation (1), with the following nonlocal condition

$$u(0) + Q(u) = u_0, \quad (3)$$

where $u_0 \in E$, $Q : C(\mathbb{R}_+, E) \rightarrow E$ is a given function. Nonlocal problems are used to represent mathematical models for evolution of various phenomena, such as nonlocal neural networks, nonlocal pharmacokinetics, nonlocal pollution and nonlocal combustion, see; [14, 17, 25, 34, 35], and the references therein.

This paper initiates the existence of solutions for functional differential equations involving the Caputo-Fabrizio fractional derivative in Fréchet spaces.

2 Preliminaries

Let C be the Banach space of all continuous functions v from $I := [0, T]$; $T > 0$ into E with the supremum (uniform) norm

$$\|v\|_\infty := \sup_{t \in I} \|v(t)\|.$$

By $L^1(I)$, we denote the space of Bochner-integrable functions $v : I \rightarrow E$ with the norm

$$\|v\|_1 = \int_0^T \|v(t)\| dt.$$

Let $X := C(\mathbb{R}_+)$ be the Fréchet space of all continuous functions v from \mathbb{R}_+ into E , equipped with the family of seminorms

$$\|v\|_n = \sup_{t \in [0, n]} \|v(t)\|; n \in \mathbb{N},$$

and the distance

$$d(u, v) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 2^{-n} \frac{\|u - v\|_n}{1 + \|u - v\|_n}; u, v \in X.$$

Definition 1. A nonempty subset $B \subset X$ is said to be bounded if

$$\sup_{v \in B} \|v\|_n < \infty; \text{ for } n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

We recall the following definition of the notion of a sequence of measures of noncompactness [18, 19].

Definition 2. Let \mathcal{M}_F be the family of all nonempty and bounded subsets of a Fréchet space F . A family of functions $\{\mu_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ where $\mu_n : \mathcal{M}_F \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ is said to be a family of measures of noncompactness in the real Fréchet space F if it satisfies the following conditions for all $B, B_1, B_2 \in \mathcal{M}_F$:

- (a) $\{\mu_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ is full, that is: $\mu_n(B) = 0$ for $n \in \mathbb{N}$ if and only if B is precompact,
- (b) $\mu_n(B_1) \leq \mu_n(B_2)$ for $B_1 \subset B_2$ and $n \in \mathbb{N}$,
- (c) $\mu_n(\text{Conv}B) = \mu_n(B)$ for $n \in \mathbb{N}$,
- (d) If $\{B_i\}_{i=1, \dots}$ is a sequence of closed sets from \mathcal{M}_F such that $B_{i+1} \subset B_i$; $i = 1, \dots$ and if $\lim_{i \rightarrow \infty} \mu_n(B_i) = 0$, for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$, then the intersection set $B_\infty := \bigcap_{i=1}^\infty B_i$ is nonempty.

Some Properties:

- (e) We call the family of measures of noncompactness $\{\mu_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ to be homogeneous if $\mu_n(\lambda B) = |\lambda| \mu_n(B)$; for $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ and $n \in \mathbb{N}$.
- (f) If the family $\{\mu_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ satisfied the condition $\mu_n(B_1 \cup B_2) \leq \mu_n(B_1) + \mu_n(B_2)$, for $n \in \mathbb{N}$, it is called subadditive.
- (g) It is sublinear if both conditions (e) and (f) hold.
- (h) We say that the family of measures $\{\mu_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ has the maximum property if

$$\mu_n(B_1 \cup B_2) = \max\{\mu_n(B_1), \mu_n(B_2)\},$$

- (i) The family of measures of noncompactness $\{\mu_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ is said to be regular if if the conditions (a), (g) and (h) hold; (full sublinear and has maximum property).

Example 1. [18], [27] For $B \in \mathcal{M}_X$, $x \in B$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$ and $\epsilon > 0$, let us denote by $\omega^n(x, \epsilon)$ the modulus of continuity of the function x on the interval $[0, n]$; that is,

$$\omega^n(x, \epsilon) = \sup\{\|x(t) - x(s)\| : t, s \in [0, n], |t - s| \leq \epsilon\}.$$

Further, let us put

$$\begin{aligned} \omega^n(B, \epsilon) &= \sup\{\omega^n(x, \epsilon) : x \in B\}, \\ \omega_0^n(B) &= \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0^+} \omega^n(B, \epsilon), \end{aligned}$$

$$\bar{\alpha}^n(B) = \sup_{t \in [0, n]} \alpha(B(t)) := \sup_{t \in [0, n]} \alpha(\{x(t) : x \in B\}),$$

and

$$\beta_n(B) = \omega_0^n(B) + \bar{\alpha}^n(B).$$

The family of mappings $\{\beta_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ where $\beta_n : \mathcal{M}_X \rightarrow [0, \infty)$, satisfies the conditions (a)-(d) fom Definition 2.

Lemma 1. [13] If Y is a bounded subset of a Banach space F , then for each $\epsilon > 0$, there is a sequence $\{y_k\}_{k=1}^\infty \subset Y$ such that

$$\mu(Y) \leq 2\mu(\{y_k\}_{k=1}^\infty) + \epsilon,$$

where μ is the Kuratowskii measure of noncompactness.

Lemma 2. [26] If $\{u_k\}_{k=1}^\infty \subset L^1([0, n])$ is uniformly integrable, then $\mu_n(\{u_k\}_{k=1}^\infty)$ is measurable for $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$, and

$$\mu \left(\left\{ \int_1^t u_k(s) ds \right\}_{k=1}^\infty \right) \leq 2 \int_1^t \mu(\{u_k(s)\}_{k=1}^\infty) ds,$$

for each $t \in [0, n]$.

Definition 3. Let Ω be a nonempty subset of a Fréchet space F , and let $A : \Omega \rightarrow F$ be a continuous operator which transforms bounded subsets of onto bounded ones. One says that A satisfies the Darbo condition with constants $(k_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ with respect to a family of measures of noncompactness $\{\mu_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$, if

$$\mu_n(A(B)) \leq k_n \mu_n(B)$$

for each bounded set $B \subset \Omega$ and $n \in \mathbb{N}$.

If $k_n < 1$; $n \in \mathbb{N}$ then A is called a contraction with respect to $\{\mu_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$.

Definition 4. [15, 24] The Caputo-Fabrizio fractional integral of order $0 < r < 1$ for a function $h \in L^1(I)$ is defined by

$${}^{CF}I^r h(\tau) = \frac{2(1-r)}{M(r)(2-r)} h(\tau) + \frac{2r}{M(r)(2-r)} \int_0^\tau h(x) dx, \quad \tau \geq 0$$

where $M(r)$ is normalization constant depending on r .

Definition 5. [15, 24] The Caputo-Fabrizio fractional derivative for a function $h \in C^1(I)$ of order $0 < r < 1$, is defined by

$${}^{CF}D^r h(\tau) = \frac{(2-r)M(r)}{2(1-r)} \int_0^\tau \exp\left(-\frac{r}{1-r}(\tau-x)\right) h'(x) dx; \quad \tau \in I.$$

Note that $({}^{CF}D^r)(h) = 0$ if and only if h is a constant function.

Lemma 3. *Let $h \in L^1(I)$. A function $u \in \mathcal{C}$ is a solution of problem*

$$\begin{cases} ({}^{CF}D_0^r u)(t) = h(t); & t \in I \\ u(0) = u_0, \end{cases} \tag{4}$$

if and only if u satisfies the following integral equation

$$u(t) = C + a_r h(t) + b_r \int_0^t h(s) ds, \tag{5}$$

where

$$a_r = \frac{2(1-r)}{(2-r)M(r)}, \quad b_r = \frac{2r}{(2-r)M(r)}, \quad C = u_0 - a_r h(0).$$

Proof. Suppose that u satisfies (4). From Proposition 1 in [24]; the equation

$$({}^{CF}D_0^r u)(t) = h(t)$$

implies that

$$u(t) - u(0) = a_r(h(t) - h(0)) + b_r \int_0^t h(s) ds.$$

Thus from the initial condition $u(0) = u_0$, we obtain

$$u(t) = u_0 - a_r h(0) + a_r h(t) + b_r \int_0^t h(s) ds.$$

Hence we get (5).

Conversely, if u satisfies (5), then $({}^{CF}D_0^r u)(t) = h(t)$; for $t \in I$, and $u(0) = u_0$. \square

In the sequel we will make use of the following generalization of the classical Darbo fixed point theorem for Fréchet spaces.

Theorem 1. [18, 19] *Let Ω be a nonempty, bounded, closed, and convex subset of a Fréchet space F and let $V : \Omega \rightarrow \Omega$ be a continuous mapping. Suppose that V is a contraction with respect to a family of measures of noncompactness $\{\mu_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$. Then V has at least one fixed point in the set Ω .*

3 Existence Results

Now, we shall prove the main results concerning the existence of solutions of our problems.

Let us introduce the following hypotheses.

(H_1) The function $t \mapsto f(t, u)$ is measurable on \mathbb{R}_+ for each $u \in E$, and the function $u \mapsto f(t, u)$ is continuous on E for a.e. $t \in \mathbb{R}_+$.

(H_2) There exists a continuous function $p : \mathbb{R}_+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_+$ such that

$$\|f(t, u)\| \leq p(t)(1 + \|u\|); \text{ for a.e. } t \in \mathbb{R}_+, \text{ and each } u \in E.$$

(H₃) For each bounded set $B \subset E$ and for each $t \in \mathbb{R}_+$, we have

$$\mu(f(t, B)) \leq p(t)\mu(B),$$

where μ is a measure of noncompactness on the Banach space E .

(H₄) The function $Q : C(\mathbb{R}_+, E) \rightarrow E$ is continuous, and there exists a constant $q^* > 0$, such that

$$\|Q(u)\| \leq q^*(1 + \|u\|_\infty); \text{ for each } u \in C(\mathbb{R}_+, E).$$

Moreover, for each bounded set $B_1 \subset X$, we have

$$\mu(Q(B_1)) \leq q^* \sup_{t \in I_n} \mu(B_1(t)),$$

where $B_1(t) = \{u(t) : u \in B_1\}$; $t \in I_n$; $n \in \mathbb{N}$.

For $n \in \mathbb{N}$, let

$$p_n^* = \sup_{t \in [0, n]} p(t),$$

and define on $X := C(\mathbb{R}_+, E)$ the family of measure of noncompactness by

$$\mu_n(D) = \omega_0^n(D) + \sup_{t \in [0, n]} \mu(D(t)),$$

where $D(t) = \{v(t) \in E : v \in D\}$; $t \in [0, n]$.

3.1 The Initial Value Problem

In this section, we are concerned with the existence results of the problem (1)-(2).

Definition 6. *By a solution of the problem (1)-(2) we mean a continuous function $u \in X$ that satisfies the integral equation*

$$u(t) = c + a_r f(t, u(t)) + b_r \int_0^t f(s, u(s)) ds,$$

where $c = u_0 - a_r f(0, u_0)$.

Theorem 2. *Assume that the hypotheses (H₁) – (H₃) hold.*

If

$$\ell_n := p_n^*(2a_r + 4nb_r) < 1;$$

for each $n \in \mathbb{N}^$, then the problem (1)-(2) has at least one solution.*

Proof. Consider the operator $N : X \rightarrow X$ defined by:

$$(Nu)(t) = c + a_r f(t, u(t)) + b_r \int_0^t f(s, u(s)) ds. \quad (6)$$

Clearly, the fixed points of the operator N are solution of the problem (1)-(2).

For any $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$, we set

$$R_n \geq \frac{\|c\| + p_n^*(a_r + nb_r)}{1 - p_n^*(a_r + nb_r)},$$

and we consider the ball

$$B_{R_n} := B(0, R_n) = \{w \in X : \|w\|_n \leq R_n\}.$$

For any $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$, and each $u \in B_{R_n}$ and $t \in [0, n]$ we have

$$\begin{aligned} |(Nu)(t)| &\leq \|c\| + a_r \|f(t, u(t))\| + b_r \int_0^t \|f(s, u(s))\| ds \\ &\leq \|c\| + a_r p(t)(1 + \|u(t)\|) + b_r \int_0^t p(s)(1 + \|u(s)\|) ds \\ &\leq \|c\| + a_r p_n^*(1 + R_n) + b_r p_n^*(1 + R_n) \int_0^t ds \\ &\leq \|c\| + p_n^*(a_r + nb_r)(1 + R_n) \\ &\leq R_n. \end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$\|N(u)\|_n \leq R_n. \tag{7}$$

This proves that N transforms the ball B_{R_n} into itself. We shall show that the operator $N : B_{R_n} \rightarrow B_{R_n}$ satisfies all the assumptions of Theorem 1. The proof will be given in two steps.

Step 1. $N(B_{R_n})$ is bounded and $N : B_{R_n} \rightarrow B_{R_n}$ is continuous.

Since $N(B_{R_n}) \subset B_{R_n}$ and B_{R_n} is bounded, then $N(B_{R_n})$ is bounded.

Let $\{u_k\}_{k \in \mathbb{N}}$ be a sequence such that $u_k \rightarrow u$ in B_{R_n} . Then, for each $t \in [0, n]$, we have

$$\|(Nu_k)(t) - (Nu)(t)\| \leq a_r \|f(t, u_k(t)) - f(t, u(t))\| + b_r \int_0^t \|f(s, u_k(s)) - f(s, u(s))\| ds.$$

Since $u_k \rightarrow u$ as $k \rightarrow \infty$, the Lebesgue dominated convergence theorem implies that

$$\|N(u_k) - N(u)\|_n \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } k \rightarrow \infty.$$

Step 2. For each bounded equicontinuous subset D of B_{R_n} , $\mu_n(N(D)) \leq \ell_n \mu_n(D)$.

From Lemmas 1 and 2, for any $D \subset B_{R_n}$ and any $\epsilon > 0$, there exists a sequence

$\{u_k\}_{k=0}^\infty \subset D$, such that for all $t \in [0, n]$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mu((ND)(t)) &= \mu\left(\left\{c + a_r f(t, u(t)) + b_r \int_0^t f(s, u(s)) ds; u \in D\right\}\right) \\ &\leq 2\mu(\{a_r f(t, u_k(t))\}_{k=1}^\infty) + 2\mu\left(\left\{b_r \int_0^t f(s, u_k(s)) ds\right\}_{k=1}^\infty\right) + \epsilon \\ &\leq 2a_r \mu(\{f(t, u_k(t))\}_{k=1}^\infty) + 4b_r \int_0^t \mu(\{f(s, u_k(s))\}_{k=1}^\infty) ds + \epsilon \\ &\leq 2a_r p(t) \mu(\{u_k(t)\}_{k=1}^\infty) + 4b_r \int_0^t p(s) \mu(\{u_k(s)\}_{k=1}^\infty) ds + \epsilon \\ &\leq 2a_r p_n^* \mu_n(D) + 4nb_r p_n^* \mu_n(D) + \epsilon \\ &= (2a_r + 4nb_r) p_n^* \mu_n(D) + \epsilon. \end{aligned}$$

Since $\epsilon > 0$ is arbitrary, then

$$\mu((ND)(t)) \leq p_n^* (2a_r + 4nb_r) \mu_n(D).$$

Thus

$$\mu_n(N(D)) \leq p_n^* (2a_r + 4nb_r) \mu_n(D).$$

As a consequence of steps 1 and 2 together with Theorem 1, we can conclude that N has at least one fixed point in B_{R_n} which is a solution of problem (1)-(2). \square

3.2 The Problem with Nonlocal Condition

Now, we are concerned with the existence results of the problem (1),(3).

Definition 7. By a solution of the problem (1),(3) we mean a continuous function $u \in X$ that satisfies the integral equation

$$u(t) = c - Q(u) + a_r f(t, u(t)) + b_r \int_0^t f(s, u(s)) ds,$$

where $c = u_0 - a_r f(0, u_0)$.

Now, we shall prove the following theorem concerning the existence of solutions of problem (1),(3).

Theorem 3. Assume that the hypotheses $(H_1) - (H_4)$ hold.

If

$$\lambda_n := 2q^* + p_n^* (2a_r + 4nb_r) < 1,$$

for each $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$, then the problem (1),(3) has at least one solution.

Proof. Consider the operator $N : X \rightarrow X$ defined by:

$$(Gu)(t) = c - Q(u) + a_r f(t, u(t)) + b_r \int_0^t f(s, u(s)) ds. \tag{8}$$

Clearly, the fixed points of the operator G are solution of the problem (1),(3).

For any $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$, we set

$$\rho_n \geq \frac{\|c\| + q^* + p_n^*(a_r + nb_r)}{1 - q^* - p_n^*(a_r + nb_r)},$$

and we consider the ball

$$B_{\rho_n} := B(0, \rho_n) = \{w \in X : \|w\|_n \leq \rho_n\}.$$

For any $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$, and each $u \in B_{\rho_n}$ and $t \in [0, n]$ we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|(Gu)(t)\| &\leq \|c\| + \|Q(u)\| + a_r \|f(t, u(t))\| + b_r \int_0^t \|f(s, u(s))\| ds \\ &\leq \|c\| + q^*(1 + \|u\|_\infty) + a_r p(t)(1 + \|u(t)\|) + b_r \int_0^t p(s)(1 + \|u(s)\|) ds \\ &\leq \|c\| + q^*(1 + \rho_n) + a_r p_n^*(1 + \rho_n) + b_r p_n^*(1 + \rho_n) \int_0^t ds \\ &\leq \|c\| + q^*(1 + \rho_n) + p_n^*(a_r + nb_r)(1 + \rho_n) \\ &\leq \rho_n. \end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$\|G(u)\|_n \leq \rho_n. \tag{9}$$

This proves that G transforms the ball B_{R_n} into itself. As in the proof of Theorem 2, we can show that the operator $G : B_{\rho_n} \rightarrow B_{\rho_n}$ satisfies all the assumptions of Theorem 1. Indeed; $G(B_{\rho_n})$ is bounded, and we can easily prove that $G : B_{\rho_n} \rightarrow B_{\rho_n}$ is continuous. Next, from Lemmas 1 and 2, for any $D \subset B_{\rho_n}$ and any $\epsilon > 0$,

there exists a sequence $\{u_k\}_{k=0}^\infty \subset D$, such that for all $t \in [0, n]$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mu((GD)(t)) &= \mu\left(\left\{c - Q(u) + a_r f(t, u(t)) + b_r \int_0^t f(s, u(s)) ds; u \in D\right\}\right) \\
 &\leq 2\mu(\{Q(u) + a_r f(t, u_k(t))\}_{k=1}^\infty) \\
 &\quad + 2\mu\left(\left\{b_r \int_0^t f(s, u_k(s)) ds\right\}_{k=1}^\infty\right) + \epsilon \\
 &\leq 2\mu(\{Q(u_k)\}_{k=1}^\infty) + 2a_r \mu(\{f(t, u_k(t))\}_{k=1}^\infty) \\
 &\quad + 4b_r \int_0^t \mu(\{f(s, u_k(s))\}_{k=1}^\infty) ds + \epsilon \\
 &\leq 2q^* \mu(\{u_k(t)\}_{k=1}^\infty) + 2a_r p(t) \mu(\{u_k(t)\}_{k=1}^\infty) \\
 &\quad + 4b_r \int_0^t p(s) \mu(\{u_k(s)\}_{k=1}^\infty) ds + \epsilon \\
 &\leq 2q^* \mu_n(D) + 2a_r p_n^* \mu_n(D) + 4nb_r p_n^* \mu_n(D) + \epsilon \\
 &= [2q^* + p_n^*(2a_r + 4nb_r)] \mu_n(D) + \epsilon.
 \end{aligned}$$

Since $\epsilon > 0$ is arbitrary, then

$$\mu((GD)(t)) \leq [2q^* + p_n^*(2a_r + 4nb_r)] \mu_n(D).$$

Thus

$$\mu_n(G(D)) \leq [2q^* + p_n^*(2a_r + 4nb_r)] \mu_n(D).$$

Hence, from Theorem 1, we can conclude that G has at least one fixed point in B_{ρ_n} which is a solution of problem(1),(3). \square

4 Examples

Let

$$l^1 = \left\{ u = (u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n, \dots), \sum_{k=1}^\infty |u_k| < \infty \right\}$$

be the Banach space with the norm

$$\|u\| = \sum_{k=1}^\infty |u_k|,$$

and $C(\mathbb{R}_+, l^1)$ be the Fréchet space of all continuous functions v from \mathbb{R}_+ into l^1 , equipped with the family of seminorms

$$\|v\|_n = \sup_{t \in [0, n]} \|v(t)\|; n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

Example 1. Consider the following problem of Caputo-Fabrizio fractional differential equations

$$\begin{cases} ({}^{CF}D_0^{\frac{1}{2}}u_k)(t) = f_k(t, u(t)); t \in \mathbb{R}_+, \\ u(0) = (1, 2^{-1}, 2^{-2}, \dots, 2^{-n}, \dots); t \in \mathbb{R}_+, k = 1, 2, \dots, \end{cases} \tag{10}$$

where

$$\begin{cases} f_k(t, u) = \frac{(2^{-k} + u_k(t)) \sin t}{64(a_{\frac{1}{2}} + 2nb_{\frac{1}{2}})(1 + \sqrt{t})}; t \in (0, +\infty), u \in l^1, \\ f_k(0, u) = 0; u \in l^1, \end{cases}$$

for each $t \in [0, n]$; $n \in \mathbb{N}$, with

$$f = (f_1, f_2, \dots, f_k, \dots), \text{ and } u = (u_1, u_2, \dots, u_k, \dots).$$

The hypothesis (H_2) is satisfied with

$$\begin{cases} p(t) = \frac{|\sin t|}{64(a_{\frac{1}{2}} + 2nb_{\frac{1}{2}})(1 + \sqrt{t})}; t \in (0, +\infty), \\ p(0) = 0. \end{cases}$$

So; for any $n \in \mathbb{N}$, we have $p_n^* = \frac{1}{64(a_{\frac{1}{2}} + 2nb_{\frac{1}{2}})}$, and

$$\ell_n := p_n^*(2a_r + 4nb_r) = \frac{1}{64(a_{\frac{1}{2}} + 2nb_{\frac{1}{2}})}(2a_{\frac{1}{2}} + 4nb_{\frac{1}{2}}) = \frac{1}{32} < 1.$$

Simple computations show that all conditions of Theorem 2 are satisfied. Consequently, the problem (10) has at least one solution defined on \mathbb{R}_+ .

Example 2. Consider now the following problem of Caputo-Fabrizio fractional differential equations

$$\begin{cases} ({}^{CF}D_0^{\frac{1}{2}}u_k)(t) = f_k(t, u(t)); t \in \mathbb{R}_+, \\ u(0) + Q(u) = (1, 2^{-1}, 2^{-2}, \dots, 2^{-n}, \dots); t \in \mathbb{R}_+, k = 1, 2, \dots, \end{cases} \tag{11}$$

where $Q = (Q_1, Q_2, \dots, Q_k, \dots)$, $Q : C(\mathbb{R}_+, l^1) \rightarrow l^1$, and

$$Q_k(u) = \frac{2^{-k} + u_k}{64}; k = 1, 2, \dots.$$

In addition to hypotheses $(H_1) - (H_3)$, the hypothesis (H_4) is satisfied with $q^* = \frac{1}{64}$. Also we have

$$\lambda_n := 2q_n^* + p_n^*(2a_r + 4nb_r) = \frac{1}{32} + \frac{1}{64(a_{\frac{1}{2}} + 2nb_{\frac{1}{2}})}(2a_{\frac{1}{2}} + 4nb_{\frac{1}{2}}) = \frac{1}{16} < 1.$$

Simple computations show that all conditions of Theorem 3 are satisfied. Consequently, the problem (11) has at least one solution defined on \mathbb{R}_+ .

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