



## Sufficient conditions for existence of mild solutions for nondensely defined conformable fractional evolution equations in Banach spaces

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**Abstract.** The main crux of this paper is to give some new sufficient conditions for the existence and uniqueness of solutions to a class of conformable fractional evolution equations with nondense domain in a Banach space. The proofs of our main results are based on some basic tools of conformable fractional calculus, conformable semigroup and Hile-Yosida theorem. As an application, a nontrivial example is given to illustrate the theoretical results.

### 1. Introduction

The main crux of this work is to study the existence and uniqueness of solutions for the following nonlinear conformable fractional evolution equation:

$$\begin{cases} D^\alpha u(t) = A_\alpha u(t) + f(t, u(t)), & t \in [0, T], \\ u(0) = u_0 + g(u), \end{cases} \quad (1)$$

where  $D^\alpha$  is the conformable fractional derivative of order  $\alpha \in (0, 1)$  and  $A_\alpha$  is a nondensely  $\alpha$ -infinitesimal generator of  $\alpha - C_0$ -semigroup  $T_\alpha(t)$  on a given Banach space  $X$  which will be defined in the sequel. The case when  $A_\alpha$  is densely defined operator has been widely studied in in [4] by G.D. Prato and E. Sines-trari. They showed that the density is not necessary to solve their problem. A great number of researchers considered evolution problems with nondensely defined operators. On the other hand, fractional calculus has become the point of interest of a lot of mathematicians. In particular, the conformable derivative, which was introduced in [11], has been extensively used in applied mathematics. Its main characteristics are its natural form, (i.e. its forme is very close to the form of the usual derivative), and the fact that it satisfies most of the properties of the usual derivative, like the derivative of the product and the quotient of two functions. In [5], the authors studied a class of nondensely defined fractional semilinear differential

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equation, they proved that under some assumptions, it has a unique integral solution. In [6], Y. Zhou et al considered a nonhomogeneous fractional order evolution equation with nondensely defined operator, they proved that the proposed problem is equivalent to an integral solution, by using the Laplace transform and they showed that this problem has at least one solution by using the method of noncompact measure.

Motivated by the works mentioned above, we establish the existence and uniqueness results for the following nonlinear conformable fractional evolution problem (1) by using the conformable Laplace transform, fractional conformable semigroup and some suitable assumptions. The reader is advised to consult the articles [1, 2, 7–10] and the references therein for more details on the existence and uniqueness results for fractional differential equations.

Our paper is organized as follows. In Section 2, we will recall some basic definitions and properties concerning fractional conformable derivative, conformable semigroup, fractional Laplace transform and the Hille-Yosida theorem associated to the conformable semigroup. In Section 3, we establish the existence of solutions for the conformable fractional problem (1). As application, an illustrative example is presented in Section 4 followed by conclusion in Section 5.

## 2. Auxiliary results

The aim of this section, is to introduce some basic definitions and properties concerning the conformable derivative, the fractional Laplace transform, the conformable semigroup, and the Hille-Yosida theorem associated with the conformable semigroup.

### 2.1. Conformable derivatives

In this subsection, we introduce the definition of the fractional conformable derivative adopted in this work, but also the associated fractional integral.

**Definition 2.1.** [11] Let  $\alpha \in (n, n + 1]$  and  $f : [0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be  $n$ -differentiable at  $t > 0$ , then the conformable fractional derivative of  $g$  of order  $\alpha$  is defined by

$$g^{(\alpha)}(t) = \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \frac{g^{(n)}(t + \epsilon t^{n+1-\alpha}) - g^{(n)}(t)}{\epsilon},$$

$$g^{(\alpha)}(0) = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} g^{(\alpha)}(t).$$

One of the main properties of the conformable derivative is the following result.

**Remark 2.2.** [11] Using the previous definition one can easily show that

$$g^{(\alpha)}(t) = t^{n+1-\alpha} g^{(n+1)}(t).$$

where  $\alpha \in (n, n + 1]$ , and  $g$  is  $(n + 1)$ -differentiable at  $t > 0$ .

The fractional integral is defined as follows.

**Definition 2.3.** [11] Let  $\alpha \in (0, 1]$ , the fractional integral is giving by

$$(I^\alpha g)(t) = \int_0^t s^{\alpha-1} g(s) ds.$$

The composition of the fractional conformable derivative and the fractional integral is given in the following theorem.

**Theorem 2.4.** [11] The fractional integral satisfies the following property,

$$(I^\alpha g)^{(\alpha)}(t) = g(t),$$

for  $t \geq 0$ .

**Example 2.5.** We have,

$$I^\alpha t^p = \frac{t^{\alpha+p}}{\alpha + p},$$

and,

$$I^\alpha(\sin(t)) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(2n + 1)!} \frac{t^{\alpha+2n+1}}{\alpha + 2n + 1}.$$

If we take  $\alpha = \frac{1}{2}$ , we get

$$I^{\frac{1}{2}}(\sin(t)) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n t^{2n+\frac{3}{2}}}{(2n + \frac{3}{2})(2n + 1)!}.$$

### 2.2. Conformable fractional Laplace transform

The aim of this paragraph, is to give the definition of the fractional Laplace transform that will be used in this work.

**Definition 2.6.** [7] Let  $a \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $0 < \alpha \leq 1$  and  $f : [0, \infty) \rightarrow X$  be an  $X$ -valued Bochner function. The fractional Laplace transform of order  $\alpha$  is given by

$$\mathcal{L}_a^\alpha f(\lambda) = \int_a^\infty e^{-s \frac{(t-a)^\alpha}{\alpha}} f(t)(t - a)^{\alpha-1} dt.$$

Now, we give the definition of the fractional convolution.

**Definition 2.7.** [7] Let  $0 < \alpha \leq 1$ , and  $u, v$  be two  $X$ -valued Bochner functions. We define the fractional convolution of  $u$  and  $v$  of order  $\alpha$  by

$$(u *_\alpha v)(t) = \int_0^t u((t^\alpha - \tau^\alpha)^{\frac{1}{\alpha}})v(\tau)\tau^{\alpha-1} d\tau.$$

As in the case of the classical Laplace transform, the fractional Laplace transform satisfies the following property.

**Proposition 2.8.** [7] Let  $0 < \alpha \leq 1$  and  $u, v$  two Bochner functions, then we have

$$\mathcal{L}_0^\alpha(u *_\alpha v)(\lambda) = \mathcal{L}_0^\alpha(u)(\lambda)\mathcal{L}_0^\alpha(v)(\lambda).$$

### 2.3. Conformable semigroup and its associated Hille-Yosida theorem

The purpose of this subsection is to introduce the definition of the conformable semigroup, the conformable  $\alpha$ -resolvent and the Hille-Yosida theorem for the  $\alpha$ -semigroup. All the results that we are going to present in this paragraph were first introduced in [9], [8], and [5]. So for more details see these references. We begin by defining the notion of  $\alpha$ -semigroup.

**Definition 2.9.** [9] Let  $\alpha > 0$ . For a Banach space  $X$ , a family  $\{T_\alpha(t)\}_{t \geq 0} \subset \mathcal{L}(X, X)$  is called a fractional  $\alpha$ -semigroup if:

1.  $T_\alpha(0) = I$ ,
2.  $T_\alpha\left((s + t)^\frac{1}{\alpha}\right) = T_\alpha\left(s^\frac{1}{\alpha}\right)T_\alpha\left(t^\frac{1}{\alpha}\right)$ , for all  $s, t \in [0, \infty)$ .

**Example 2.10.** [9] Let  $A$  be a bounded linear operator on  $X$ . Define  $T_\alpha(t) = e^{2\sqrt{t}A}$ . Then  $T_\alpha(t)_{t \geq 0}$  is a  $\frac{1}{2}$  semigroup. Indeed:

1.  $T_\alpha(0) = e^{0A} = I$ .

$$2. \forall s, t \in [0, \infty), T_\alpha((s+t)^2) = e^{2(t+s)A} = e^{2tA}e^{2sA} = T_\alpha(s^2)T_\alpha(t^2).$$

As in the case of the classical semigroup, we define the notion of an  $\alpha - C_0$ -semigroup.

**Definition 2.11.** [9] An  $\alpha$ -semigroup  $T_\alpha(t)$  is called a  $\alpha$ - $C_0$ -semigroup if, for each fixed  $x \in X, T_\alpha(t)x \rightarrow x$  as  $t \rightarrow 0^+$ .

The conformable  $\alpha$ -derivative of an  $\alpha$ -semigroup  $T_\alpha(t)$  at  $t = 0$  is called the infinitesimal generator of  $T_\alpha(t)$  which we denote  $A_\alpha$  and its domain is giving by

$$D(A_\alpha) = \left\{ x \in X, \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} T_\alpha^{(\alpha)}(t)x \text{ exists} \right\}.$$

A  $C_0$ - $\alpha$ -semigroup, and its  $\alpha$ -infinitesimal generator satisfy the following results.

**Theorem 2.12.** [9] Let  $T_\alpha(t)$  be a  $C_0$ - $\alpha$ -semigroup with the infinitesimal generator  $A_\alpha$  and  $x \in D(A_\alpha)$ , then

$$T_\alpha^{(\alpha)}(t)x = A_\alpha T_\alpha(t)x = T_\alpha(t)A_\alpha x.$$

**Theorem 2.13.** [8] Let  $T_\alpha(t)$  be a  $C_0 - \alpha$ -semigroup where  $\alpha \in (0, 1]$ . There exist constants  $\omega \geq 0$  and  $M \geq 1$  such that

$$\|T_\alpha(t)\| \leq Me^{\omega t}, \quad \text{for } 0 \leq t \leq \infty.$$

**Corollary 2.14.** [8] If  $T_\alpha(t)$  is a  $C_0 - \alpha$ -semigroup, then for every  $x \in X, t \rightarrow T_\alpha(t)x$  is a continuous function from  $\mathbb{R}_0^+$  (the nonnegative real line) into  $X$ .

**Theorem 2.15.** [8] Let  $T_\alpha(t)$  be a  $C_0 - \alpha$ -semigroup where  $\alpha \in (0, 1]$  and let  $A_\alpha$  be its  $\alpha$ -infinitesimal generator. Then

- For  $x \in X$

$$\lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \int_t^{t+\varepsilon t^{1-\alpha}} \frac{1}{s^{1-\alpha}} T_\alpha(s)x ds = T(t)x, \quad \text{for every } t > 0.$$

- For  $x \in X, \int_0^t \frac{1}{s^{1-\alpha}} T_\alpha(s)x ds \in D(A_\alpha)$  and

$$A_\alpha \left( \int_0^t \frac{1}{s^{1-\alpha}} T_\alpha(s)x ds \right) = T(t)x - x.$$

- For  $x \in D(A_\alpha), T_\alpha(t)x \in D(A_\alpha)$  and

$$\frac{d^\alpha}{dt^\alpha} T_\alpha(t)x = A_\alpha T_\alpha(t)x = T_\alpha(t)A_\alpha x.$$

- For  $x \in D(A_\alpha)$

$$T_\alpha(t)x - T_\alpha(s)x = \int_s^t \frac{1}{u^{1-\alpha}} T_\alpha(u)A_\alpha x du = \int_s^t \frac{1}{u^{1-\alpha}} A_\alpha T_\alpha(u)x du.$$

**Corollary 2.16.** [8] Let  $A_\alpha$  be an  $\alpha$ -infinitesimal generator of a  $C_0 - \alpha$ -semigroup  $T_\alpha(t)$ . Then  $A_\alpha$  is closed and densely defined linear operator.

**Theorem 2.17.** [8] Let  $T_\alpha(t)$  and  $S_\alpha(t)$  be fractional  $C_0 - \alpha$ -semigroups of bounded linear operators, where  $A_\alpha$  and  $B_\alpha$  are their infinitesimal generators, respectively. If  $A_\alpha = B_\alpha$ , then  $T_\alpha(t) = S_\alpha(t)$  for  $t \geq 0$ .

Before announcing the Hille-Yosida theorem for the  $\alpha$ -semigroup, we define the notion of an  $\alpha$ -resolvent.

**Definition 2.18.** [5, 8] The resolvent of  $A_\alpha$  is set of all  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$  satisfying

$$\begin{aligned} R_\alpha(\lambda, A_\alpha)x &= (\lambda I - A_\alpha)^{-1}x \\ &= \int_0^\infty \frac{e^{-\frac{\lambda t^\alpha}{\alpha}} T_\alpha(t)}{t^{1-\alpha}} x dt \end{aligned}$$

$\forall x \in D(A_\alpha)$ .

**Theorem 2.19.** [5] A linear operator  $A_\alpha$  is an  $\alpha$ -infinitesimal generator of a  $\alpha$ - $c_0$ -semigroup if only if

1.  $A_\alpha$  is closed.
2.  $\mathbb{R}^+ \subset \rho(A_\alpha)$  and for every  $\lambda > 0$

$$\|R_\alpha(\lambda, A_\alpha)\| \leq \frac{1}{\lambda}.$$

### 3. Main results

We will use the above results to define the integral solution to the problem given in the following lemma.

**Lemma 3.1.** The problem

$$\begin{cases} D^\alpha u(t) = A_\alpha u(t) + h(t), & t \in [0, T], \\ u(0) = u_0 + g(u), \end{cases} \tag{2}$$

is equivalent to the following integral equation

$$u(t) = u_0 + g(u) + I^\alpha (A_\alpha u(t)) + I^\alpha (h(t)). \tag{3}$$

*Proof.* By applying  $D^\alpha$  to (3), we obtain the problem (2). conversaly, if we apply  $I^\alpha$  to the problem (2), we get

$$u(t) - u_0 - g(u) = I^\alpha (A_\alpha u(t)) + I^\alpha (h(t)).$$

Which completes the proof.  $\square$

We begin by introducing some notations which we will use throughout this paper. We denote by  $I$  the following time interval  $I = [0, T]$ , by  $X$  a real Banach space, and by  $C$  the set of all continuous functions from  $I$  into  $X$ , with the norm  $\|x\| = \sup_{t \in I} |x(t)|$ . For  $r > 0$ , we set  $C_r(I, X) = \{f \in C, t^r f \in C\}$ . Notice that  $C_r(I, X)$  endowed with the norm  $\|f\|_{C_r} = \sup_{t \in I} \|t^r f(t)\|$  is a Banach space.

Now, let  $A_0^\alpha$  the part of  $A_\alpha$  in  $\overline{D(A_\alpha)}$  defined by

$$\begin{cases} D(A_0^\alpha) = \{x \in D(A_\alpha), A_\alpha x \in \overline{D(A_\alpha)}\}, \\ A_0^\alpha x = A_\alpha x. \end{cases} \tag{4}$$

We need the following assumption to ensure that  $A_0^\alpha$  generates a  $C_0$ - $\alpha$ -semigroup.

- $(H_1)$  the operator  $A_\alpha : D(A_\alpha) \subset X \rightarrow X$  satisfies the Hille-Yosida condition, i.e, there is  $M > 0$  and  $\omega > 0$  such that  $(\omega, \infty) \subset \rho(A_\alpha)$ , and

$$\sup \{(\lambda - \omega)^n \|R_\alpha(\lambda, A_\alpha)\| : n \in \mathbb{N}, \lambda > \omega\} \leq M. \tag{5}$$

Then  $A_0^\alpha$  generates a  $c_0$ - $\alpha$ -semigroup  $\{T_\alpha(t)\}_{t \geq 0}$  on  $\overline{D(A_\alpha)}$ . The following assumption will also be useful to prove the existence of the integral solution.

- $(H_2)$  The operator  $T_\alpha(t)$  generated by  $A_0^\alpha$  is compact in  $\overline{D(A_\alpha)}$  when  $t > 0$ , continuous in the uniform topology, and

$$\sup_{t \in I} \|T_\alpha(t)\| \leq M_T.$$

Let us first introduce the definition of the integral solution to the problem (2).

**Definition 3.2.** We say that a function  $u : I \rightarrow X$  is an integral solution of (2) on  $I$  if the following conditions are satisfied:

1.  $u \in C_r, r < \alpha$ .
2.  $(I^\alpha u)(t) \in D(A_\alpha)$ .
- 3.

$$u(t) = u_0 + g(u) + A_\alpha \int_0^t \frac{u(s)}{s^{1-\alpha}} ds + I^\alpha h(t), \quad t \in I. \tag{6}$$

**Lemma 3.3.** If  $u$  is an integral solution of (2) on  $I$ , then  $u(t) \in \overline{D(A_\alpha)}$ , in particular  $u(0) \in \overline{D(A_\alpha)}$ .

*Proof.* For  $h > 0$  satisfying  $t + h \in I$ . We have

$$\frac{1}{h} \int_t^{t+h} u(s) s^{\alpha-1} ds \in D(A_\alpha),$$

since  $I^\alpha u(t) \in D(A_\alpha)$ . Thus,

$$u(t) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{h} \int_t^{t+h} u(s) s^{\alpha-1} ds \in \overline{D(A_\alpha)},$$

and in particular,  $u(0) \in \overline{D(A_\alpha)}$ .  $\square$

**Definition 3.4.** [6] The following function,

$$M_q(\theta) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-\theta)^{n-1}}{(n-1)! \gamma(1-qn)},$$

is called the Wright function, and satisfies

$$\int_0^\infty \theta^\delta M_q(\theta) d\theta = \frac{\Gamma(1+\delta)}{\Gamma(1+q\delta)}, \quad \text{for } \delta \geq 0.$$

Let us consider the following notation,

$$B_\lambda^\alpha = \lambda R_\alpha(\lambda, A_\alpha).$$

**Remark 3.5.** The operator  $B_\lambda^\alpha$  satisfies,

$$\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} \|B_\lambda^\alpha\| \leq M.$$

*Proof.* Under the assumption  $(H_0)$  we have

$$\|B_\lambda^\alpha\| = \|\lambda R_\alpha(\lambda, A_\alpha)\| \leq \frac{\lambda M}{\lambda - \omega},$$

which implies the result.  $\square$

Let us now consider the following auxiliary problem

$$\begin{cases} u^{(\alpha)}(t) = A_0^\alpha u(t) + h(t), & t \in I \\ u(0) = u_0 + g(u). \end{cases} \tag{7}$$

By Definition 3.2, the integral solution of (7) is given by

$$u(t) = u_0 + g(u) + A_0^\alpha \int_0^t \frac{u(s)}{s^{1-\alpha}} ds + I^\alpha h(t), \tag{8}$$

for  $u(0) \in \overline{D(A_\alpha)}$  and  $t \in I$ . The fractional Laplace transform allows us to introduce an equivalent form of (8).

**Lemma 3.6.** *If  $h$  is  $\overline{D(A_\alpha)}$ -valued, then (8) can be rewritten in the following way*

$$u(t) = Q_\alpha(t^\alpha)(u_0 + g(u)) + \alpha \int_0^t Q_\alpha(t^\alpha - \tau^\alpha)h(\tau)\tau^{\alpha-1} d\tau, \tag{9}$$

where,

$$Q_\alpha(t) = \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{\theta^\alpha} \psi_1(\theta) T_\alpha\left(\left(\frac{t}{\theta}\right)^\frac{1}{\alpha}\right) d\theta. \tag{10}$$

*Proof.* We begin by applying the fractional Laplace transform to (8), we obtain

$$\mathcal{L}_\alpha(u(t))(\lambda) = \frac{1}{\lambda}(u_0 + g(u)) + \frac{1}{\lambda} A_0^\alpha \mathcal{L}_\alpha(u(t))(\lambda) + \frac{1}{\lambda} \mathcal{L}_\alpha(h(t))(\lambda).$$

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_\alpha(u(t))(\lambda) &= (\lambda I - A_0^\alpha)^{-1}(u_0 + g(u)) + (\lambda I - A_0^\alpha)^{-1} \mathcal{L}_\alpha(h(t))(\lambda) \\ &= I_1 + I_2. \end{aligned}$$

We have

$$\begin{aligned} I_1 &= (\lambda I - A_0^\alpha)^{-1}(u_0 + g(u)) \\ &= \int_0^\infty e^{-\lambda \frac{t^\alpha}{\alpha}} T_\alpha(t) t^{\alpha-1} (u_0 + g(u)) dt \\ &= \frac{1}{\alpha} \int_0^\infty e^{-\lambda \frac{s^\alpha}{\alpha}} T_\alpha(s^\frac{1}{\alpha}) (u_0 + g(u)) dt \end{aligned}$$

By using the fact that,

$$\int_0^\infty e^{-\lambda \theta} \psi_q(\theta) d\theta = e^{-\lambda q}, \tag{11}$$

we get,

$$\begin{aligned} I_1 &= \frac{1}{\alpha} \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty e^{-\frac{\lambda s \theta}{\alpha}} \psi_1(\theta) T_\alpha(s^\frac{1}{\alpha}) (u_0 + g(u)) d\theta ds \\ &= \int_0^\infty e^{-\frac{\lambda t}{\alpha}} \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{\alpha \theta} \psi_1(\theta) T_\alpha\left(\left(\frac{t}{\theta}\right)^\frac{1}{\alpha}\right) (u_0 + g(u)) d\theta dt \\ &= Q_\alpha(t^\alpha)(u_0 + g(u)). \end{aligned}$$

In the other hand, we have

$$\begin{aligned} I_2 &= (\lambda I - A_0^\alpha)^{-1} \mathcal{L}_\alpha(f(t, u(t)))(\lambda) \\ &= \int_0^\infty e^{-\lambda \frac{t^\alpha}{\alpha}} T_\alpha(t) t^{\alpha-1} \mathcal{L}_\alpha(h(t))(\lambda) dt \\ &= \frac{1}{\alpha} \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty e^{-\frac{\lambda t^\alpha}{\alpha}} \frac{1}{\theta} \psi_1(\theta) T_\alpha\left(\left(\frac{\tau}{\theta}\right)^{\frac{1}{\alpha}}\right) e^{-\frac{\lambda \tau^\alpha}{\alpha}} h(\tau) \tau^{\alpha-1} d\theta dt d\tau \\ &= \alpha \mathcal{L}_\alpha(Q_\alpha(t^\alpha))(\lambda) \mathcal{L}_\alpha(h(t))(\lambda). \end{aligned}$$

By applying the inverse Laplace transform as well as its properties we obtain the result.  $\square$

**Proposition 3.7.** [13] Under the assumption  $(H_2)$ ,  $Q_\alpha(t)$  is continuous in the uniform topology.

**Remark 3.8.** According to [13],

$$\int_0^\infty \frac{1}{\theta^q} \psi_q(\theta) d\theta = \frac{1}{\Gamma(1+q)},$$

thus, under the assumption  $(H_2)$  we have,

$$|Q_\alpha(t)x| \leq M_T|x|.$$

If we assume that  $h$  is  $\overline{D(A_\alpha)}$ -valued, then (9) can have the following form,

$$u(t) = Q_\alpha(t^\alpha)(u_0 + g(u)) + \alpha \int_0^t Q_\alpha(t^\alpha - \tau^\alpha) \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} B_\lambda^\alpha h(\tau) \tau^{\alpha-1} d\tau. \tag{12}$$

Or,

$$u(t) = Q_\alpha(t^\alpha)(u_0 + g(u)) + \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} \alpha \int_0^t Q_\alpha(t^\alpha - \tau^\alpha) B_\lambda^\alpha h(\tau) \tau^{\alpha-1} d\tau. \tag{13}$$

Due to the fact that

$$\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow +\infty} B_\lambda^\alpha x = x,$$

for  $x \in \overline{D(A_\alpha)}$ .

**Remark 3.9.** If the values of  $h$  are in  $X$  and not in  $\overline{D(A_\alpha)}$ , then the limit in (13) exists, however the limit in (12) does not exist.

**Lemma 3.10.** The solutions of (6) which are  $\overline{D(A_\alpha)}$ -valued can be represented by (13).

*Proof.* Let us first consider the following notations,

$$u_\lambda^\alpha(t) = B_\lambda^\alpha u(t), \quad h_\lambda^\alpha(t, u(t)) = B_\lambda^\alpha h(t), \quad u_\lambda^\alpha = B_\lambda^\alpha(u_0 + g(u)).$$

We begin by applying  $B_\lambda^\alpha$  to (6), we obtain

$$u(t) = u_0 + g(u) + A_0^\alpha I^\alpha u(t) + I^\alpha h_\lambda^\alpha(t).$$

Using the Lemma 3.6, we get

$$u_\lambda^\alpha(t) = Q_\alpha(t^\alpha)u_\lambda + \alpha \int_0^t Q_\alpha(t^\alpha - \tau^\alpha)h_\lambda^\alpha(\tau)d\tau,$$

since  $u(t), u_0 + g(u) \in \overline{D(A_\alpha)}$ , then

$$u_\lambda^\alpha(t) \rightarrow u(t), \quad u_\lambda^\alpha \rightarrow u_0 + g(u), \quad Q_\alpha(t)u_\lambda \rightarrow Q_\alpha(u_0 + g(u)), \quad \text{as } \lambda \rightarrow \infty.$$

Which implies the result.  $\square$

We define the following operator,

$$\mathcal{X}_\alpha(t)x = \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} \alpha \int_0^t Q_\alpha(t^\alpha - \tau^\alpha) B_\lambda^\alpha x \tau^{\alpha-1} d\tau = \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} \alpha \int_0^t Q_\alpha(\tau^\alpha) B_\lambda^\alpha x \tau^{\alpha-1} d\tau, \tag{14}$$

for  $x \in X$ , and  $t \geq 0$ .

**Proposition 3.11.** *If  $x \in X$  and  $t \geq 0$ , then the limit in (14) exists. Furthermore,  $\mathcal{X}_\alpha(t)$  is a bounded linear operator.*

*Proof.* We begin by defining the operator

$$\mathcal{X}_\alpha^0(t)x = \alpha \int_0^t s^{\alpha-1} Q_\alpha(t^\alpha - s^\alpha) x ds = \alpha \int_0^t s^{\alpha-1} Q_\alpha(s^\alpha) x ds, \tag{15}$$

for  $x \in \overline{D(A_\alpha)}$  and  $t \geq 0$ . Then

$$\mathcal{X}_\alpha = (\lambda I - A) \mathcal{X}_\alpha^0(t) (\lambda I - A)^{-1}.$$

for  $\lambda > \omega$ , which implies that  $\mathcal{X}_\alpha(t)$  extends  $\mathcal{X}_\alpha^0(t)$  from  $\overline{D(A_\alpha)}$  to  $X$ . Since  $\mathcal{X}_\alpha(t)$  maps  $X$  into  $\overline{D(A_\alpha)}$ , then

$$\mathcal{X}_\alpha(t)x = \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} B_\lambda^\alpha \mathcal{X}_\alpha(t)x = \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} \mathcal{X}_\alpha^0(t) B_\lambda^\alpha x.$$

Which completes the proof.  $\square$

**Proposition 3.12.** *Let  $x \in \overline{D(A_\alpha)}$  and  $t \geq 0$ , then  $D^\alpha \mathcal{X}_\alpha^0(t)x = I^{1-\alpha}(\alpha Q_\alpha(t^\alpha))x$  and  $Q_\alpha(t^\alpha)x = A \mathcal{X}_\alpha^0(t)x + x$ .*

*Proof.* We have

$$\begin{aligned} D^\alpha \mathcal{X}_\alpha^0(t)x &= D^\alpha \alpha \int_0^t s^{\alpha-1} Q_\alpha(t^\alpha - s^\alpha) x ds \\ &= D^\alpha \alpha \int_0^t s^{\alpha-1} Q_\alpha(s^\alpha) x ds \\ &= I^{1-\alpha}(\alpha Q_\alpha(t^\alpha))x. \end{aligned}$$

Let us now prove the second point of the proposition,

$$\begin{aligned} A \mathcal{X}_\alpha^0(t)x &= A \left( \int_0^t \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{\theta} \psi_1(\theta) T_\alpha\left(\frac{s}{\theta^\alpha}\right) d\theta s^{\alpha-1} x ds \right) \\ &= \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{\theta} \psi_1(\theta) A \left( \int_0^t T_\alpha\left(\frac{s}{\theta^\alpha}\right) s^{\alpha-1} ds \right) d\theta \\ &= Q_\alpha(t^\alpha)x - x. \end{aligned}$$

$\square$

**Lemma 3.13.** 1. *Let  $x \in X$  and  $t \geq 0$ , then  $I^\alpha(W)_\alpha(t) \in D(A_\alpha)$ , and*

$$\mathcal{X}_\alpha(t)x = A_\alpha(I^\alpha \mathcal{X}_\alpha(t)x) + \frac{t^\alpha}{\alpha} x.$$

2. *Let  $x \in D(A_\alpha)$ , then*

$$\mathcal{X}(t)A_\alpha x + x = Q_\alpha(t^\alpha)x.$$

*Proof.* 1. Let  $x \in X$  and  $t \geq 0$ , we consider the following function

$$W(t) = \lambda I^\alpha \mathcal{X}_\alpha^0(t)(\lambda I - A)^{-1}x + \frac{1}{\alpha} t^\alpha (\lambda I - A)^{-1}x - \mathcal{X}_\alpha^0(t)(\lambda I - A)^{-1}x.$$

Obviously,  $W(0) = 0$ . And we have

$$\begin{aligned} D^\alpha W(t)x &= \lambda \mathcal{X}_\alpha^0(t)(\lambda I - A)^{-1}x + (\lambda I - A)^{-1}x - D^\alpha \mathcal{X}_\alpha^0(t)(\lambda I - A)^{-1}x \\ &= \lambda \mathcal{X}_\alpha^0(t)(\lambda I - A)^{-1}x + (\lambda I - A)^{-1}x - Q_\alpha(t^\alpha)(\lambda I - A)^{-1}x \\ &= \lambda \mathcal{X}_\alpha^0(t)(\lambda I - A)^{-1}x + (\lambda I - A)^{-1}x - A_\alpha \mathcal{X}_\alpha^0(t)(\lambda I - A)^{-1}x - (\lambda I - A)^{-1}x \\ &= \lambda \mathcal{X}_\alpha^0(t)(\lambda I - A)^{-1}x - A_\alpha \mathcal{X}_\alpha^0(t)(\lambda I - A)^{-1}x \\ &= (\lambda I - A) \mathcal{X}_\alpha^0(t)(\lambda I - A)^{-1}x \\ &= \mathcal{X}_\alpha(t)x. \end{aligned}$$

Then,

$$W(t) = I^\alpha \mathcal{X}_\alpha(t)x + W(0) = I^\alpha \mathcal{X}_\alpha(t)x,$$

and,

$$\begin{aligned} (\lambda I - A)W(t) &= (\lambda I - A)I^\alpha \mathcal{X}_\alpha(t)x \\ &= \lambda I^\alpha \mathcal{X}_\alpha(t)x - AI^\alpha \mathcal{X}_\alpha(t)x \\ &= \lambda I^\alpha \mathcal{X}_\alpha(t)x - I^\alpha Q_\alpha(t^\alpha)x + I^\alpha x \\ &= \lambda I^\alpha \mathcal{X}_\alpha(t)x - \mathcal{X}_\alpha^0(t)x + \frac{1}{\alpha} t^\alpha x \end{aligned}$$

2. Let  $x \in D(A_\alpha)$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{X}_\alpha(t)Ax &= \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} \alpha \int_0^t Q_\alpha(\tau^\alpha) B_\lambda^\alpha A x \tau^{\alpha-1} d\tau \\ &= A \mathcal{X}_\alpha^0(t)x \\ &= Q_\alpha(t^\alpha)x - x. \end{aligned}$$

Which completes the proof.

□

**Theorem 3.14.**  $u(t)$  is an integral solution of (2) if and only if

$$u(t) = Q_\alpha(t^\alpha)(u_0 + g(u)) + \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} \alpha \int_0^t Q_\alpha(t^\alpha - \tau^\alpha) B_\lambda^\alpha h(\tau) \tau^{\alpha-1} d\tau, \tag{16}$$

for  $t \in I$  and  $u(0) \in \overline{D(A_\alpha)}$ .

*Proof.* It is sufficient to show that (16) is an integral solution to problem (2). We only need to prove that it is true for  $u(0) = 0$ . To this end, we will proceed as follows

**Step 1**

If  $f$  is continuously differentiable, then for  $t \in I$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} u_\lambda(t) &= \alpha \int_0^t Q_\alpha(s^\alpha) B_\lambda^\alpha h(s) d_\alpha s \\ &= \alpha \int_0^t Q_\alpha(s^\alpha) B_\lambda^\alpha (h(0) + \int_0^s h'(\tau) d\tau) d_\alpha s \\ &= \alpha \int_0^t Q_\alpha(s^\alpha) B_\lambda^\alpha h(0) d_\alpha s + \alpha \int_0^t Q_\alpha(s^\alpha) B_\lambda^\alpha \left( \int_0^s h'(\tau) d\tau \right) d_\alpha s \\ &= \mathcal{X}_\alpha^0(t) B_\lambda^\alpha h(0) + \int_0^t \mathcal{X}_\alpha^0(t - \tau) B_\lambda^\alpha h'(\tau) d\tau. \end{aligned}$$

And we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 u(t) &= \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow +\infty} u_\lambda(t) \\
 &= \mathcal{X}_\alpha(t)h(0) + \int_0^t \mathcal{X}_\alpha(t-s)h'(s)ds \\
 &= A_\alpha(I^\alpha(t)h(0)) + \frac{t^\alpha}{\alpha}h(0) \\
 &\quad + \int_0^t \left[ A_\alpha(I^\alpha \mathcal{X}_\alpha(t-s)h'(s)) + \frac{(t-s)^\alpha}{\alpha}h'(s) \right] ds \\
 &= A_\alpha \left( I^\alpha \mathcal{X}_\alpha(t)h(0) + \int_0^t I^\alpha \mathcal{X}_\alpha(t-s)h'(s)ds \right) \\
 &\quad + \frac{t^\alpha}{\alpha}h(0) + \int_0^t \frac{(t-s)^\alpha}{\alpha}h'(s)ds \\
 &= A_\alpha I_\alpha u(t) + I^\alpha h(t).
 \end{aligned}$$

**Step 2**

In this step, we consider an approximation of  $h$  by continuously differentiable functions  $h_n$  such that

$$\sup_{t \in I} |h(t) - h_n(t)| \rightarrow 0, \text{ as } n \rightarrow +\infty.$$

We set

$$u_n(t) = \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow +\infty} \alpha \int_0^t Q_\alpha(t^\alpha) B_\lambda^\alpha h_n(s) ds.$$

According to the first step, we have

$$u_n(t) = A_\alpha(I^\alpha u_n(t)) + I^\alpha h_n(t). \tag{17}$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned}
 |u_n(t) - u_m(t)| &= \left| \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow +\infty} \int_0^t \alpha Q_\alpha(t^\alpha) B_\lambda^\alpha (h_n(s) - h_m(s)) ds \right| \\
 &\leq \alpha M_T M \int_0^t |h_n(s) - h_m(s)| ds \\
 &\leq \alpha M_T M T \|h_n - h_m\|,
 \end{aligned}$$

hence,  $\{u_n\}$  is a Cauchy sequence, and it has a limit which we denote by  $u(t)$ .

By passing to the limit in (17), we get

$$u(t) = A_\alpha(I^\alpha u(t)) + I^\alpha h(t).$$

Consequently, (16) is the integral solution of (2).  $\square$

The following part of this paper is dedicated to study the existence and uniqueness of solutions for the problem (1).

We will need the following hypotheses:

- $(H_3)$   $f : I \times X \rightarrow X$  is continuous and for any  $k > 0$  there exists a positive function  $\mu_k \in L^\infty(I, \mathbb{R}^+)$  such that

$$\sup_{\|x\| \leq k} \|f(t, x)\| \leq \mu_k(t)$$

- $(H_4)$   $g : C \rightarrow \overline{D(A)}$  is continuous, and there exists a constant  $\eta$  such that

$$\|g(x) - g(y)\| \leq \eta \|x - y\| \quad \forall x, y \in X$$

According to Theorem 3.14, the integral solution to problem (1) is equal to the solution of

$$u(t) = Q_\alpha(t^\alpha)(u_0 + g(u)) + \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} \alpha \int_0^t Q_\alpha(t^\alpha - \tau^\alpha) B_\lambda^\alpha f(\tau, u(\tau)) \tau^{\alpha-1} d\tau. \tag{18}$$

**Theorem 3.15.** [5] Let  $B$  be a closed convex and nonempty subset of a Banach space  $X$ . Let  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  be two operators such that

1.  $L_1x + L_2y \in B$  whenever  $x, y \in B$ .
  2.  $L_1$  is contracting mapping.
  3.  $L_2$  is compact and continuous.
- Then there exists  $z \in B$  such that  $z = L_1z + L_2z$

In this section we set

- $(L_1u)(t) = Q_\alpha(t^\alpha)(u_0 + g(u)),$
- $(L_2u)(t) = \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} \alpha \int_0^t \tau^{\alpha-1} Q_\alpha(t^\alpha - \tau^\alpha) B_\lambda^\alpha f(\tau, u(\tau)) d\tau.$

**Theorem 3.16.** Assume that  $H_1 - H_4$  hold. If  $M_T\eta < 1$  then (1) has at least one integral solution on  $I$ .

*Proof.* **Step 1.**

Choose  $r \geq \frac{M_T}{1-M_T\eta} (\|u_0\| + \|g(0)\| + \frac{M_T^\alpha}{\alpha} \|\mu\|_{L^\infty(I, \mathbb{R}^+)})$ , we set  $B_r$  the unit ball of  $(C, \|\cdot\|_C)$ . And, let  $u, v \in B_r$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \|(L_1u)(t) + (L_2v)(t)\| &\leq M_T(\|u_0 + g(u)\|) + \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} \alpha \int_0^t s^{\alpha-1} \|Q_\alpha(t^\alpha - s^\alpha) B_\lambda^\alpha f(s, u(s))\| ds \\ &\leq M_T(\|u_0\| + \|g(0)\| + \eta r) + MM_T T^\alpha \|\mu_r\|_{L^\infty(I, \mathbb{R}^+)} \\ &\leq r \end{aligned}$$

And for  $t \in I, u, v \in C$  we have

$$\|(L_1u)(t) - (L_1v)(t)\| \leq M_T\eta \|u - v\|.$$

However  $M_T\eta < 1$ , then  $L_1$  is a contraction.

**Step 2.**

Let  $(U_n)$  be a sequence in  $B_r$ , such that  $u_n \rightarrow u$  in  $B_r$ .

As  $f$  is continuous,

$$f(\tau, u_n(\tau)) \rightarrow f(\tau, u(\tau)), \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty.$$

In other hand, we have

$$\forall t \in I, \|\tau^{\alpha-1}(f(\tau, u_n(\tau)) - f(\tau, u(\tau)))\| \leq 2\tau^{\alpha-1} \|\eta_r\|_{L^1} \in L^1(I, \mathbb{R}^+).$$

Then, by the Lebesgue dominated convergence theorem we obtain that,

$$\|\tau^{\alpha-1}(f(\tau, u_n(\tau)) - f(\tau, u(\tau)))\| \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty,$$

which implies that  $L_2$  is continuous.

Now, we will show that  $\{(L_2u)(t), u \in B_r\}$ , is compact. To this end, we will show that  $\{(L_2u)(t), u \in B_r\}$  is equicontinuous and uniformly bounded and for any  $t \in I, \{(L_2u)(t), u \in B_r\}$  is relatively compact in  $X$ .

Let  $0 < t_1 < t_2 < T$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|(L_2u)(t_2) - (L_2u)(t_1)\| &\leq \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} \left\| \alpha \int_{t_1}^{t_2} Q_\alpha(t_2^\alpha - \tau^\alpha) B_\lambda^\alpha f(\tau, u(\tau)) \tau^{\alpha-1} d\tau \right\| \\ &\quad + \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} \left\| \alpha \int_0^{t_1} (Q_\alpha(t_2^\alpha - \tau^\alpha) - Q_\alpha(t_1^\alpha - \tau^\alpha)) B_\lambda^\alpha f(\tau, u(\tau)) \tau^{\alpha-1} d\tau \right\| \\ &\leq M_T M \|\mu\|_{L^\infty(I, \mathbb{R})} \\ &\quad + T^\alpha \|\mu\|_{L^\infty(I, \mathbb{R})} \sup_{s \in [0, t_1]} |Q_\alpha(t_2^\alpha - s^\alpha) - Q_\alpha(t_1^\alpha - s^\alpha)| \end{aligned}$$

According to Proposition 3.7, the second term in the right hand side of the last inequality tends to 0 as  $t_1$  tends to  $t_2$ .

Hence,  $\{(L_2u)(t), u \in B_r\}$  is equicontinuous.

Further, we have  $(L_2u)$  is uniformly bounded.

Let us prove that  $\forall t \in I, V(t) = \{(L_2u)(t), u \in B_r\}$  is relatively compact in  $X$ .

Let  $t \in (0, T]$  be fixed, for each  $h \in (0, t)$ , for each  $\delta > 0$  and  $u \in B_r$ , we define the operator

$$\begin{aligned} (L_{h,\delta}u)(t) &= \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} \alpha \int_0^{t-h} \int_\delta^\infty \frac{1}{\theta} \psi_1(\theta) T_\alpha\left(\left(\frac{t^\alpha - \tau^\alpha}{\theta}\right)^{\frac{1}{\alpha}}\right) \tau^{\alpha-1} f(\tau, u(\tau)) d\theta d\tau \\ &= T_\alpha\left(\left(\frac{h}{\delta}\right)^{\frac{1}{\alpha}}\right) \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} \alpha \int_0^{t-h} \int_\delta^\infty \frac{1}{\theta} \psi_1(\theta) T_\alpha\left(\left(\frac{t^\alpha - \tau^\alpha}{\theta}\right)^{\frac{1}{\alpha}} - \left(\frac{h}{\delta}\right)^{\frac{1}{\alpha}}\right) \tau^{\alpha-1} f(\tau, u(\tau)) d\theta d\tau \end{aligned}$$

where  $u \in B_r$ . The compactness of  $T_\alpha\left(\left(\frac{h}{\delta}\right)^{\frac{1}{\alpha}}\right)$  implies that the set  $\{(L_{h,\delta}u)(t), u \in B_r\}$  is relatively compact in  $X$ ,  $\forall h \in (0, t)$  and  $\delta > 0$ . Furthermore, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|(L_2u)(t) - (L_{h,\delta}u)(t)\| &= \alpha \left\| \int_0^t \int_0^\delta \frac{1}{\theta} \psi_1(\theta) \tau^{\alpha-1} T_\alpha\left(\left(\frac{t^\alpha - \tau^\alpha}{\delta}\right)^{\alpha-1}\right) \tau^{\alpha-1} f(\tau, u(\tau)) d\theta d\tau \right. \\ &\quad + \int_0^t \int_\delta^\infty \frac{1}{\theta} \tau^{\alpha-1} \psi_1(\theta) T_\alpha\left(\left(\frac{t^\alpha - \tau^\alpha}{\delta}\right)^{\alpha-1}\right) f(\tau, u(\tau)) d\theta d\tau \\ &\quad \left. - \int_0^{t-h} \int_\delta^\infty \frac{1}{\theta} \tau^{\alpha-1} \psi_1(\theta) T_\alpha\left(\left(\frac{t^\alpha - \tau^\alpha}{\delta}\right)^{\alpha-1}\right) f(\tau, u(\tau)) d\theta d\tau \right\| \\ &\leq \alpha \left\| \int_0^t \int_0^t \int_0^\delta \frac{1}{\theta} \tau^{\alpha-1} \psi_1(\theta) T_\alpha\left(\left(\frac{t^\alpha - \tau^\alpha}{\delta}\right)^{\alpha-1}\right) f(\tau, u(\tau)) d\theta d\tau \right\| \\ &\quad + \left\| \int_{t-\delta}^t \int_\delta^\infty \frac{1}{\theta} \tau^{\alpha-1} \psi_1(\theta) T_\alpha\left(\left(\frac{t^\alpha - \tau^\alpha}{\delta}\right)^{\alpha-1}\right) f(\tau, u(\tau)) d\theta d\tau \right\| \\ &\leq M_T \|\mu_t\|_{L^\infty(I, \mathbb{R}^+)} + M_T \|\mu_t\|_{L^\infty(I, \mathbb{R}^+)} T^\alpha + (T - \delta)^\alpha. \end{aligned}$$

We conclude that  $V(t), t \in (0, T]$  is relatively compact, and  $V(0)$  is also relatively compact, then according to Arzela-Ascoli theorem,  $\{(L_2u)(t), u \in B_r\}$  is completely continuous  $\forall t \in I$ .

Hence, Krasnoselskii’s theorem implies that  $L_1 + L_2$  has at least one fixed point on  $B_r$ . Therefore, our nonlocal Cauchy problem (1) has at least one mild solution.  $\square$

In what follows, we are going to give additional assumptions under which the existence of the mild solution of problem (1) is unique.

**Theorem 3.17.** We suppose that  $f : I \times X \rightarrow X$  is continuous and there exists a functions  $\mu \in L^\infty(I, \mathbb{R}^+)$  such that

$$\|f(t, x) - f(t, y)\| \leq \mu_1(t) \|x - y\|, \forall t \in I, x, y \in X$$

and the function  $\varphi : t \rightarrow M_T (\eta + t^\alpha M_T \|\mu_1\|_{L^1(I, \mathbb{R}^+)}) : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$ , satisfies

$$0 < \varphi(t) < \tau < 1, \forall t \in I$$

Then under  $H_1 - H_4$  and if  $u(0) \in \overline{D(A_\alpha)}$  the problem (1) has a unique integral solution in  $C$ .

*Proof.* Define  $P : C \rightarrow C$  by

$$(Pu)(t) = Q_\alpha(t^\alpha)(u_0 + g(u)) + \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} \alpha \int_0^t s^{\alpha-1} Q_\alpha(t^\alpha - s^\alpha) B^\alpha f_\lambda(s, u(s)) ds$$

Observing that  $P$  is well defined on  $C$ .  
 Now take  $t \in I$  and  $x, y \in C$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|(Pu)(t) - (Pv)(t)\| &\leq \eta \|Q_\alpha(t)\| \|u - v\| \\ &\quad + \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^t s^{\alpha-1} \|Q_\alpha(t^\alpha f - s^\alpha f)\| \|B_\lambda^\alpha\| \|f(s, u(s)) - f(s, v(s))\| ds \\ &\leq M_T (\eta + t^\alpha M_T \|\mu_1\|_{L^1(I, \mathbb{R}^+)}) \|u - v\| \\ &< \tau \|u - v\| \end{aligned}$$

□

#### 4. An illustrative example

In this section, we give an example to illustrate the above results. Consider the following conformable fractional equation

$$\begin{cases} \frac{\partial^\alpha u(t,x)}{\partial t^\alpha} = \frac{\partial u(t,x)}{\partial x} + f(t, u(t,x)), & 0 \leq t \leq T, 0 \leq x \leq \pi, \\ u(t, 0) = u(t, \pi) = 0, & t \in [0, T], \\ u(x, 0) = g(u), & 0 \leq x \leq \pi. \end{cases} \tag{19}$$

Where

$$f(t, u(t,x)) = e^{-t}u(t,x) + e^{-t}$$

and  $g$  is a continuous  $\overline{D(A_\alpha)}$ -valued function defined by

$$g(u)(x) = \sum_s^{j=1} p_j u(t_j, x), \quad 0 < t_1 < \dots < t_s < T, \quad x \in [0, \pi],$$

with

$$\sum_{j=1}^s |p_j| \leq \frac{1}{2}.$$

Let  $m(t) = e^{-t}$ , we have

$$\sup_{|u(t,x)| \leq k} |f(t, u(t,x))| \leq \mu_k(t) = (k + 1)m(t), \quad \text{for } k > 0.$$

which implies that  $(H_3)$  is satisfied.

On the other hand, we have

$$|g(u_1) - g(u_2)| \leq \sum_{j=1}^s |p_j| \|u_1 - u_2\|_X.$$

Hence,  $(H_4)$  is satisfied. Let  $X = C[0, \pi]$  and consider the following operator

$$A_\alpha : D(A_\alpha) \subset X \longrightarrow X,$$

defined by

$$D(A_\alpha) = \{u \in C^1[0, \pi], u(0) = u(\pi) = 0\}.$$

and

$$A_\alpha u = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} u, \quad \forall u \in D(A_\alpha).$$

Note that

$$\overline{D(A_\alpha)} = \{u \in C[0, \pi], u(0) = u(\pi) = 0\} \neq X.$$

In the other hand, we have

$$(\lambda - A_\alpha)^{-1}u(t) = \int_0^{+\infty} e^{-\frac{\lambda t^\alpha}{\alpha}} t^{\alpha-1} u(t) dt,$$

it is easy to see that

$$\|(\lambda - A_\alpha)^{-1}u\|_X \leq \frac{1}{\alpha} \|u\|_X.$$

Thus our assumption (H<sub>1</sub>) is satisfied, and the part  $A_0^\alpha$  of  $A_\alpha$  generates a  $C_0 - \alpha$ -semigroup  $T_\alpha(t)$ . And according to [9],  $A_0^\alpha$  generates the following  $C_0 - \alpha$ -semigroup

$$T_\alpha(t)u(s) = u\left(s + \frac{t^\alpha}{\alpha}\right), \quad \forall t \geq 0, \forall s \in [0, T].$$

Observe that  $T_\alpha$  maps any bounded set to a bounded set, then the assumption (H<sub>2</sub>) is also satisfied. Then the conditions of the Theorem 3.16 are satisfied, consequently our problem has at least one integral solution given by

$$u(t) = Q_\alpha(t^\alpha)(u_0 + g(u)) + \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} \alpha \int_0^t Q_\alpha(t^\alpha - \tau^\alpha) B_\lambda^\alpha f(\tau, u(\tau)) \tau^{\alpha-1} d\tau.$$

Where

$$Q_\alpha(t^\alpha)u(s) = \int_0^{+\infty} \frac{1}{\theta^\alpha} \psi_1(\theta) u\left(s + \frac{t}{\theta^\alpha}\right) d\theta.$$

## 5. Conclusion

The existence and uniqueness of solutions for conformable fractional evolution equations with nondense domain in Banach spaces is demonstrated in this article. As a preliminary step, we construct a generic structure of solutions associated with our proposed model utilizing conformable fractional calculus tools and some basic properties of conformable fractional derivative and conformable fractional integral. Our main results are established by using Hile-Yosida theorem associated with conformable fractional semigroup. Finally, by using an appropriate example, the investigation of our theoretical result has been illustrated.

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