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Stability of a general *p*-radical functional equation related to additive mappings in 2-Banach spaces

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Abstract:

In this paper, we introduce and solve a new general p-radical functional equation

$$f\left(\sqrt[p]{\sum_{i=1}^k x_i^p}\right) = \sum_{i=1}^k f(x_i), \quad k, p \in \mathbf{N}_2.$$

Also, we investigate some stability and hyperstability results for the considered equation in 2-Banach spaces. In addition, we prove the hyperstability of the inhomogeneous p-radical functional equation

$$f\left(\sqrt[p]{\sum_{i=1}^k x_i^p}\right) = \sum_{i=1}^k f(x_i) + G(x_1, x_2, ..., x_k).$$

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1. Introduction

Throughout this paper, we will denote the set of natural numbers by \mathbf{N} , the set of real numbers by \mathbf{R} and $\mathbf{R}_{+} = [0, \infty)$ the set of nonnegative real numbers. By \mathbf{N}_{m} , $m \in \mathbf{N}$, we will denote the set of all natural numbers greater than or equal to m.

The notion of linear 2-normed spaces was introduced by Gähler [16],[17] in the middle of 1960s. We need to recall some basic facts concerning 2- normed spaces and some preliminary results.

Definition 1.1. Let X be a real linear space with dim X > 1 and $\|., .\|$: $X \times X \longrightarrow [0, \infty)$ be a function satisfying the following properties:

- 1. ||x,y|| = 0 if and only if x and y are linearly dependent,
- $2. \|x,y\| = \|y,x\|,$
- 3. $\|\lambda x, y\| = |\lambda| \|x, y\|$,
- 4. $||x, y + z|| \le ||x, y|| + ||x, z||$,

for all $x, y, z \in X$ and $\lambda \in \mathbf{R}$. Then the function $\|.,.\|$ is called a 2-norm on X and the pair $(X, \|.,.\|)$ is called a linear 2-normed space. Sometimes the condition (4) called the triangle inequality.

Example 1.2. For $x = (x_1, x_2)$, $y = (y_1, y_2) \in X = \mathbf{R}^2$, the Euclidean 2-norm $||x, y||_{\mathbf{R}^2}$ is defined by

$$||x,y||_{\mathbf{R}^2} = |x_1y_2 - x_2y_1|.$$

Lemma 1.3. Let $(X, \|., .\|)$ be a 2-normed space. If $x \in X$ and $\|x, y\| = 0$, for all $y \in X$, then x = 0.

Definition 1.4. A sequence $\{x_k\}$ in a 2-normed space X is called a convergent sequence if there is an $x \in X$ such that

$$\lim_{k \to \infty} ||x_k - x, y|| = 0,$$

for all $y \in X$. If $\{x_k\}$ converges to x, write $x_k \longrightarrow x$ with $k \longrightarrow \infty$ and call x the limit of $\{x_k\}$. In this case, we also write $\lim_{k\to\infty} x_k = x$.

Definition 1.5. A sequence $\{x_k\}$ in a 2-normed space X is said to be a Cauchy sequence with respect to the 2-norm if

$$\lim_{k,l\to\infty} ||x_k - x_l, y|| = 0,$$

for all $y \in X$. If every Cauchy sequence in X converges to some $x \in X$, then X is said to be complete with respect to the 2-norm. Any complete 2-normed space is said to be a 2-Banach space.

Now, we state the following results as lemma (See [22] for the details).

Lemma 1.6. Let X be a 2-normed space. Then,

- 1. $||x, z|| ||y, z|| \le ||x y, z||$ for all $x, y, z \in X$,
- 2. if ||x, z|| = 0 for all $z \in X$, then x = 0,
- 3. for a convergent sequence x_n in X,

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} ||x_n, z|| = \left\| \lim_{n \to \infty} x_n, z \right\|$$

for all $z \in X$.

The basic notion of stability for a functional equation emerges when defining, in some way, the class of approximate solutions of the given functional equation, one can ask whether each mapping from this class can be somehow approximated by an exact solution of the considered equation. In other words, when one replaces a functional equation by an inequality which acts as a perturbation of the considered equation.

The study of stability problems of functional equations was motivated by a question of S. M. Ulam [26] asked in 1940.

Ulam's problem:

Let $(G_1, *_1)$ be a group and let $(G_2, *_2)$ be a metric group with a metric d(.,.). Given $\varepsilon > 0$, does there exists a $\delta > 0$ such that if a mapping $h: G_1 \to G_2$ satisfies the inequality

$$d\Big(h(x*_1y),h(x)*_2h(y)\Big)<\delta$$

for all $x, y \in G_1$, then there exists a homomorphism $H: G_1 \to G_2$ with

$$d(h(x), H(x)) < \varepsilon$$

for all $x \in G_1$?

Since then, this question has attracted the attention of many researchers. The first result giving a partial answer to this question is due to D. H. Hyers [19]. Subsequently, this result was extended and generalized in several ways. The following theorem is the most classical result concerning the Hyers-Ulam stability:

Theorem 1.7. Let X and Y be two normed spaces, Y be complete, $c \ge 0$ and p = 1 be a real number. Let $f: X \to Y$ be an operator such that

$$(1.1) \quad \left\| f(x+y) - f(x) - f(y) \right\| \le c \left(\|x\|^p + \|y\|^p \right), \quad x, y \in X \setminus \{0\}.$$

Then there exists an additive mapping $T: X \to Y$ with

(1.2)
$$||f(x) - T(x)|| \le \frac{c}{|1 - 2^{p-1}|} ||x||^p, \quad x \in X \setminus \{0\}.$$

It is due to T. Aoki [5] (for 0), Z. Gajda [18] (for <math>p > 1) and Th. M. Rassias [25] (for p < 0). Moreover, an example is given in [18] from which it follows that analogous result for p = 1 is not true. For p = 0 it is the first result of stability proved by Hyers [19]. Another generalization of the result of Hyers was considered by J. M. Rassias who has proved the following theorem:

Theorem 1.8. [23]-[24] Let X and Y be two normed spaces, Y be complete, $c \geq 0$ and r, s be a real numbers such that q = r + s = 1. Let $f: X \to Y$ be an operator such that

(1.3)
$$||f(x+y) - f(x) - f(y)|| \le c||x||^r ||y||^s, \quad x, y \in X \setminus \{0\}.$$

Then there exists an additive mapping $T: X \to Y$ with

(1.4)
$$||f(x) - T(x)|| \le \frac{c}{|2^q - 2|} ||x||^q, \quad x \in X \setminus \{0\}.$$

Now, it is known that for p < 0 we have the hyperstability result, that is f satisfying (1.1) must be additive (see [9]). Also, J. Brzdęk [6] showed that estimation (1.2) is optimal for $p \ge 0$ in the general case.

[9]Recently, Brzdek showed that Theorem 1.7 can be significantly improved; namely, in the case p < 0, each $f : E_1 \rightarrow E_2$ satisfying (1.1) must actually be additive, and the assumption of completeness of E_2 is not necessary. It is regrettable that this result does not remain valid if we restrict the domain of f (see the further detail in [11]). But then again, several mathematicians showed that the fixed point method is an another very efficient and convenient tool for proving the Hyers-Ulam stability for a quite wide class of functional equations (see [10]). Brzdęk et al. [7] proved the fixed point theorem for a nonlinear operator in metric spaces and used this result to study the Hyers-Ulam stability of some functional equations in non-Archimedean metric spaces. In this work, they also obtained the fixed point result in arbitrary metric spaces as follows:

Theorem 1.9. [7] Let X be a nonempty set, (Y, d) be a complete metric space, and $\Lambda: Y^X \to Y^X$ be a non-decreasing operator satisfying the hypothesis

$$\lim_{n\to\infty} \Lambda \delta_n = 0$$

for every sequence $\{\delta_n\}_{n\in\mathbb{N}}$ in Y^X with

$$\lim_{n\to\infty}\delta_n=0.$$

Suppose that $T: Y^X \to Y^X$ is an operator satisfying the inequality

$$(1.5) d(\mathcal{T}\xi(x), \mathcal{T}\mu(x)) \le \Lambda(\Delta(\xi, \mu))(x), \quad \xi, \mu \in Y^X, \ x \in X,$$

where $\Delta: Y^X \times Y^X \to \mathbf{R}_+^X$ is a mapping which is defined by

(1.6)
$$\Delta(\xi,\mu)(x) := d\Big(\xi(x),\mu(x)\Big) \quad \xi,\mu \in Y^X, \ x \in X.$$

If there exist functions $\varepsilon: X \to \mathbf{R}_+$ and $\varphi: X \to Y$ such that

(1.7)
$$d\bigg((\mathcal{T}\varphi)(x),\varphi(x)\bigg) \le \varepsilon(x)$$

and

(1.8)
$$\varepsilon^*(x) := \sum_{n \in \mathbf{N}_0} \left(\Lambda^n \varepsilon \right) (x) < \infty$$

for all $x \in X$, then the limit

(1.9)
$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \left((\mathcal{T}^n \varphi) \right) (x)$$

exists for each $x \in X$. Moreover, the function $\psi \in Y^X$ defined by

(1.10)
$$\psi(x) := \lim_{n \to \infty} \left((\mathcal{T}^n \varphi) \right) (x)$$

is a fixed point of \mathcal{T} with

(1.11)
$$d(\varphi(x), \psi(x)) \le \varepsilon^*(x)$$

for all $x \in X$.

In 2013, Brzdęk [8] gave the fixed point result by applying Theorem 1.9 as follows:

Theorem 1.10. [8] Let X be a nonempty set, (Y, d) be a complete metric space, $f_1, ..., f_r : X \to X$ and $L_1, ..., L_r : X \to \mathbf{R}_+$ be given mappings. Suppose that $\mathcal{T} : Y^X \to Y^X$ and $\Lambda : \mathbf{R}_+^X \to \mathbf{R}_+^X$ are two operators satisfying the conditions

$$(1.12) d\Big(\mathcal{T}\xi(x), \mathcal{T}\mu(x)\Big) \leq \sum_{i=1}^{r} L_i(x)d\Big(\xi\Big(f_i(x)\Big), \mu\Big(f_i(x)\Big)\Big)$$

for all $\xi, \mu \in Y^X$, $x \in X$ and

(1.13)
$$\Lambda \delta(x) := \sum_{i=1}^{r} L_i(x) \delta(f_i(x)), \quad \delta \in \mathbf{R}_+^X, \ x \in X.$$

If there exist functions $\varepsilon: X \to \mathbf{R}_+$ and $\varphi: X \to Y$ such that

(1.14)
$$d\bigg(\mathcal{T}\varphi(x),\varphi(x)\bigg) \le \varepsilon(x)$$

and

(1.15)
$$\varepsilon^*(x) := \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\Lambda^n \varepsilon \right)(x) < \infty$$

for all $x \in X$, then the limit (1.9) exists for each $x \in X$. Moreover, the function (1.10) is a fixed point of \mathcal{T} with (1.11) for all $x \in X$.

Then by using this theorem, Brzdęk [8] improved, extended and complemented several earlier classical stability results concerning the additive Cauchy equation (in particular Theorem 1.7). Over the last few years, many mathematicians have investigated various generalizations, extensions and applications of the Hyers-Ulam stability of a number of functional equations (see, for instance, [10], [11] and references therein), in particular, the stability problem of the radical functional equations in various spaces was proved in [1, 2, 3, 14, 15, 20, 21].

In 2019, M. Almahalebi et al. [4] stated and proved an analogue of Theorem 1.10 in 2-Banach spaces as follows:

Theorem 1.11. [4] Let X be a nonempty set, $(Y, \|\cdot, \cdot\|)$ be a 2-Banach space, $g: X \to Y$ be a surjective mapping and let $f_1, ..., f_r: X \to X$ and $L_1, ..., L_r: X \to \mathbf{R}_+$ be given mappings. Suppose that $T: Y^X \to Y^X$ and $\Lambda: \mathbf{R}_+^{X \times X} \to \mathbf{R}_+^{X \times X}$ are two operators satisfying the conditions

$$(1.16) \left\| \mathcal{T}\xi(x) - \mathcal{T}\mu(x), g(z) \right\| \le \sum_{i=1}^{r} L_i(x) \left\| \xi(f_i(x)) - \mu(f_i(x)), g(z) \right\|$$

for all $\xi, \mu \in Y^X$, $x, z \in X$ and

(1.17)
$$\Lambda\delta(x,z) := \sum_{i=1}^{r} L_i(x)\delta(f_i(x),z), \quad \delta \in \mathbf{R}_+^{X \times X}, \ x,z \in X.$$

If there exist functions $\varepsilon: X \times X \to \mathbf{R}_+$ and $\varphi: X \to Y$ such that

(1.18)
$$\left\| \mathcal{T}\varphi(x) - \varphi(x), g(z) \right\| \le \varepsilon(x, z)$$

and

(1.19)
$$\varepsilon^*(x,z) := \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (\Lambda^n \varepsilon)(x,z) < \infty$$

for all $x, z \in X$, then the limit

(1.20)
$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \left((\mathcal{T}^n \varphi) \right) (x)$$

exists for each $x \in X$. Moreover, the function $\psi: X \to Y$ defined by

(1.21)
$$\psi(x) := \lim_{n \to \infty} \left((\mathcal{T}^n \varphi) \right)(x)$$

is a fixed point of \mathcal{T} with

(1.22)
$$\|\varphi(x) - \psi(x), g(z)\| \le \varepsilon^*(x, z)$$

for all $x, z \in X$.

This theorem is the main tool to prove our stability results. Another version of Theorem 1.11 in 2-Banach space can be found in [13].

In this paper, we achieve the general solutions of the following general p-radical functional equation:

(1.23)
$$f\left(\sqrt[p]{\sum_{i=1}^k x_i^p}\right) = \sum_{i=1}^k f(x_i), \quad k, p \in \mathbf{N}_2$$

related to additive mapping and discuss the Hyers-Ulam stability problem in 2-Banach spaces by using Brzdęks fixed point result. Also, we investigate some hyperstability results for the considered equation.

2. Solution of the equation (1.23)

In this section, we give the general solution of functional equation (1.23). The proof of the following theorem has been patterned on the reasoning in [12].

Theorem 2.1. Let Y be a linear space. A function $f : \mathbf{R} \to Y$ satisfies the functional equation (1.23) if and only if

$$(2.1) f(x) = F(x^p), \quad x \in \mathbf{R},$$

with some additive function $F: \mathbf{R} \to Y$.

Proof. Indeed, It is not hard to check without any problem that if $f: \mathbf{R} \to Y$ satisfies (2.1), then it is a solution to (1.23). On the other hand, if $f: \mathbf{R} \to Y$ is a solution of (1.23), then we consider the following two cases:

Case 1: p is even:

We write $F_0(x) = f(\sqrt[p]{x})$, for $x \in [0, +\infty)$, then from (1.23) we obtain that

$$F_0\left(\sum_{i=1}^k x_i\right) = \sum_{i=1}^k F_0(x_i)$$

for all $x_i \in [0, +\infty)$ with i = 1, 2, ..., k. Letting $x_1 = x$ and $x_i = 0$ for i = 2, 3, ..., k in (1.23), we obtain that f is even. So, $f(-x) = f(x) = F_0(x^p)$, for all $x \in [0, +\infty)$. Now, it is enough to observe that there is an additive $F: \mathbf{R} \to Y$ with $F(x) = F_0(x)$ for all $x \in [0, +\infty)$.

Case 2: p is odd:

By similar method in case 1, we can write $F(x) = f(\sqrt[p]{x})$, for all $x \in \mathbf{R}$. Then, we get that there exists an additive $F : \mathbf{R} \to Y$ with $F(x) = F_0(x)$ for all $x \in \mathbf{R}$. This completes the proof. \square

3. Approximation of the p-radical functional equation (1.23)

In the following two theorems, we use Theorem 1.11 to investigate the generalized Hyers-Ulam stability of the p-radical functional equation (1.23) in 2-Banach spaces. Hereafter, we assume that $(Y, \|\cdot, \cdot\|)$ is a 2-Banach space.

Theorem 3.1. Let $h_i: \mathbf{R} \times \mathbf{R} \to \mathbf{R}_+$ be functions such that

$$\mathcal{U} := \left\{ n \in \mathbf{N} : \alpha_n := \prod_{i=1}^k \lambda_i \Big((k-1)n^p + 1 \Big) + (k-1) \prod_{i=1}^k \lambda_i (n^p) < 1 \right\} \neq \phi,$$
(3.1)
where

(3.2)
$$\lambda_i(n) := \inf \left\{ t \in \mathbf{R}_+ : h_i(nx^p, z) \le t \ h_i(x^p, z), \ x, z \in \mathbf{R} \right\}$$

for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, with i = 1, 2, ..., k. Assume that $f : \mathbb{R} \to Y$ satisfies the inequality

(3.3)
$$\left\| f\left(\sqrt[p]{\sum_{i=1}^{k} x_i^p}\right) - \sum_{i=1}^{k} f(x_i), g(z) \right\| \le \prod_{i=1}^{k} h_i(x^p, z)$$

for all $x_i, z \in \mathbf{R}$, with i = 1, 2, ..., k, where $g: X \to Y$ be a surjective mapping. Then there exists a unique p-radical function $F: \mathbf{R} \to Y$ such that

(3.4)
$$||f(x) - F(x), g(z)|| \le \lambda_0 \prod_{i=1}^k h_i(x^p, z)$$

for all $x, z \in \mathbf{R}$, where

$$\lambda_0 := \inf_{n \in \mathcal{U}} \left\{ \frac{\prod_{i=1}^{k-1} \lambda_i(n^p)}{1 - \prod_{i=1}^k \lambda_i ((k-1)n^p + 1) - (k-1) \prod_{i=1}^k \lambda_i(n^p)} \right\}.$$

For i = 1, 2, ..., (k-1), replacing x_i with mx and x_k with x, where $x_i \in \mathbf{R}$ and $m \in \mathbf{N}$, in inequality (3.3), we get

$$\left\| f\left(\sqrt[p]{\left((k-1)m^p+1\right)x^p}\right) - (k-1)f(mx) - f(x), g(z) \right\| \le h_k(x^p, z) \prod_{i=1}^{k-1} h_i(m^p x^p, z)$$
(3.5)

for all $x, z \in \mathbf{R}$. For each $m \in \mathbf{N}$, we define the operator $\mathcal{T}_m : Y^{\mathbf{R}} \to Y^{\mathbf{R}}$

$$(3.6)\mathcal{T}_m\xi(x) := \xi\left(\sqrt[p]{\left((k-1)m^p+1\right)x^p}\right) - (k-1)\xi(mx), \quad \xi \in Y^{\mathbf{R}}, x \in \mathbf{R}.$$

Further put

(3.7)
$$\varepsilon_m(x,z) := h_k(x^p,z) \prod_{i=1}^{k-1} h_i(m^p x^p,z), \quad x,z \in \mathbf{R}$$

and observe that

$$\varepsilon_m(x,z) = h_k(x^p, z) \prod_{i=1}^{k-1} h_i(m^p x^p, z) \le \prod_{i=1}^{k-1} \lambda_i(m^p) \prod_{i=1}^k h_i(x^p, z), \quad x, z \in \mathbf{R}, m \in \mathbf{N}.$$
(3.8)

Then the inequality (3.5) takes the form

(3.9)
$$\|T_m f(x) - f(x), g(z)\| \le \varepsilon_m(x, z), \quad x, z \in \mathbf{R}.$$

Furthermore, for every
$$x, z \in \mathbf{R}$$
, $\xi, \mu \in Y^{\mathbf{R}}$, we obtain
$$\left\| \mathcal{T}_{m} \xi(x) - \mathcal{T}_{m} \mu(x), g(z) \right\| = \left\| \xi \left(\sqrt[p]{\left((k-1)m^{p} + 1 \right) x^{p}} \right) - (k-1)\xi(mx) - \mu \left(\sqrt[p]{\left((k-1)m^{p} + 1 \right) x^{p}} \right) + (k-1)\mu(mx), g(z) \right\|$$

$$\leq \left\| (\xi - \mu) \left(\sqrt[p]{\left((k-1)m^{p} + 1 \right) x^{p}} \right), g(z) \right\|$$

$$+ (k-1) \left\| (\xi - \mu)(mx), g(z) \right\|$$

This brings us to define the operator $\Lambda_m: \mathbf{R}_+^{\mathbf{R} \times \mathbf{R}} \to \mathbf{R}_+^{\mathbf{R} \times \mathbf{R}}$ by

$$\Lambda_m \delta(x, z) := \delta \left(\sqrt[p]{\left((k-1)m^p + 1 \right) x^p}, z \right) + (k-1)\delta(mx, z), \quad \delta \in \mathbf{R}_+^{\mathbf{R} \times \mathbf{R}}, x, z \in \mathbf{R}.$$
(3.10)

For each $m \in \mathbf{N}$, the above operator has the form described in (1.17) with $f_1(x) = \sqrt[p]{\left((k-1)m^p+1\right)}x^p$, $f_2(x) = mx$ and $L_1(x) = 1$, $L_2(x) = k-1$ for all $x \in \mathbf{R}$. By induction, we will show that for each $x, z \in \mathbf{R}$, $n \in \mathbf{N}_0$, and $m \in \mathcal{U}$ we have

(3.11)
$$\Lambda_m^n \varepsilon_m(x,z) \le \prod_{i=1}^{k-1} \lambda_i(m^p) \alpha_m^n \prod_{i=1}^k h_i(x^p,z),$$

where α_m^n is given by (3.1). From (3.7) and (3.8), we obtain that the inequality (3.11) holds for n = 0. Next, we will assume that (3.11) holds for n = r, where $r \in \mathbb{N}$. Then we have

$$\begin{split} \left(\Lambda_{m}^{r+1}\varepsilon_{m}\right)&(x,z) &= \Lambda_{m}\bigg(\Big(\Lambda_{m}^{r}\varepsilon_{m}\Big)(x,z)\bigg) \\ &= \Big(\Lambda_{m}^{r}\varepsilon_{m}\Big)\left(\sqrt[p]{\Big((k-1)m^{p}+1\Big)x^{p}},z\right) \\ &+ (k-1)\Big(\Lambda_{m}^{r}\varepsilon_{m}\Big)(mx,z) \\ &\leq \prod_{i=1}^{k-1}\lambda_{i}(m^{p})\alpha_{m}^{r}\prod_{i=1}^{k}h_{i}\bigg(\Big((k-1)m^{p}+1\Big)x^{p},z\bigg) \\ &+ (k-1)\prod_{i=1}^{k-1}\lambda_{i}(m^{p})\alpha_{m}^{r}\prod_{i=1}^{k}h_{i}(m^{p}x^{p},z) \\ &\leq \prod_{i=1}^{k-1}\lambda_{i}(m^{p})\alpha_{m}^{r}\prod_{i=1}^{k}h_{i}(x^{p},z)\left(\prod_{i=1}^{k}\lambda_{i}\Big((k-1)m^{p}+1\right) \\ &+ (k-1)\prod_{i=1}^{k}\lambda_{i}(m^{p}) \\ &= \prod_{i=1}^{k-1}\lambda_{i}(m^{p})\alpha_{m}^{r+1}\prod_{i=1}^{k}h_{i}(x^{p},z) \end{split}$$

for all $x, z \in \mathbf{R}$, $m \in \mathcal{U}$. This shows that (3.11) holds for n = r + 1. Now we can conclude that the inequality (3.11) holds for all $n \in \mathbf{N}_0$. Hence, we obtain

$$\varepsilon_m^*(x,z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\Lambda_m^n \varepsilon_m \right) (x,z)$$

$$\leq \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\prod_{i=1}^{k-1} \lambda_i(m^p) \alpha_m^n \prod_{i=1}^k h_i(x^p,z) \right)$$

$$= \frac{\prod_{i=1}^{k-1} \lambda_i(m^p) \prod_{i=1}^k h_i(x^p,z)}{1-\alpha_m} < \infty$$

for all $x, z \in \mathbf{R}$, $m \in \mathcal{U}$. Therefore, according to Theorem 1.11 with $\varphi = f$ and $X = \mathbf{R}$, we get that the limit

$$F_m(x) := \lim_{n \to \infty} \left(\mathcal{T}_m^n f \right)(x)$$

exists for each $x, z \in \mathbf{R}$ and $m \in \mathcal{U}$, and

$$(3.12) \left\| f(x) - F_m(x), g(z) \right\| \le \frac{\prod_{i=1}^{k-1} \lambda_i(m^p) \prod_{i=1}^k h_i(x^p, z)}{1 - \alpha_m}, \ x, z \in \mathbf{R}, \ m \in \mathcal{U}.$$

To prove that F_m satisfies the functional equation (1.23), just prove the following inequality

(3.13)
$$\| \mathcal{T}_m^n f\left(\sqrt[p]{\sum_{i=1}^k x_i^p}\right) - \sum_{i=1}^k \mathcal{T}_m^n f(x_i), g(z) \|_{*} \le \alpha_m^n \prod_{i=1}^k h_i(x^p, z)$$

for every $x_i, z \in \mathbf{R}$, $n \in \mathbf{N}_0$, and $m \in \mathcal{U}$. Since the case n = 0 is just (3.3), take $r \in \mathbf{N}$ and assume that (3.13) holds for n = r and every $x_i, z \in \mathbf{R}$, $m \in \mathcal{U}$. Then, for each $x_i, z \in \mathbf{R}$ and $m \in \mathcal{U}$, we get

$$\begin{split} & \left\| \mathcal{T}_{m}^{r+1} f\left(\sqrt[p]{\sum_{i=1}^{k} x_{i}^{p}}\right) - \sum_{i=1}^{k} \mathcal{T}_{m}^{r+1} f(x_{i}), g(z) \right\| \\ & = \left\| \mathcal{T}_{m}^{r} f\left(\sqrt[p]{\left((k-1)m^{p}+1\right)\sum_{i=1}^{k} x_{i}^{p}}\right) - \sum_{i=1}^{k} \mathcal{T}_{m}^{r} f\left(\sqrt[p]{\left((k-1)m^{p}+1\right)x_{i}^{p}}\right) \right. \\ & - (k-1)\mathcal{T}_{m}^{r} f\left(m\sqrt[p]{\sum_{i=1}^{k} x_{i}^{p}}\right) - \sum_{i=1}^{k} \mathcal{T}_{m}^{r} f\left(\sqrt[p]{\left((k-1)m^{p}+1\right)x_{i}^{p}}\right) \\ & + (k-1)\sum_{i=1}^{k} \mathcal{T}_{m}^{r} f\left(\sqrt[p]{\left((k-1)m^{p}+1\right)\sum_{i=1}^{k} x_{i}^{p}}\right) - \sum_{i=1}^{k} \mathcal{T}_{m}^{r} f\left(mx_{i}\right), g(z) \\ & + (k-1)\left\|\mathcal{T}_{m}^{r} f\left(m\sqrt[p]{\sum_{i=1}^{k} x_{i}^{p}}\right) - \sum_{i=1}^{k} \mathcal{T}_{m}^{r} f(mx_{i}), g(z)\right\| \\ & \leq \alpha_{m}^{r} \prod_{i=1}^{k} h_{i}\left(\left((k-1)m^{p}+1\right)x^{p}, z\right) + (k-1)\alpha_{m}^{r} \prod_{i=1}^{k} h_{i}(m^{p}x^{p}, z) \\ & \leq \alpha_{m}^{r} \prod_{i=1}^{k} h_{i}(x^{p}, z)\left(\prod_{i=1}^{k} \lambda_{i}\left(\left((k-1)m^{p}+1\right)\right) + (k-1)\prod_{i=1}^{k} \lambda_{i}(m^{p})\right) \\ & = \alpha_{m}^{r+1} \prod_{i=1}^{k} h_{i}(x^{p}, z) \end{split}$$

Thus, by induction, we have shown that (3.13) holds for every $x_i, z \in \mathbf{R}$, $n \in \mathbf{N}_0$, and $m \in \mathcal{U}$. Letting $n \to \infty$ in (3.13), we obtain the equality

(3.14)
$$F_m\left(\sqrt[p]{\sum_{i=1}^k x_i^p}\right) = \sum_{i=1}^k F_m(x_i), \quad x_i \in \mathbf{R}, m \in \mathcal{U}.$$

This implies that $F_m: \mathbf{R} \to Y$, defined in this way, is a solution of the equation

(3.15)
$$F(x) = F\left(\sqrt[p]{((k-1)m^p + 1)x^p}\right) - (k-1)F(mx), \quad x \in \mathbf{R}, m \in \mathcal{U}.$$

Next, we will prove that each p-radical function $F: \mathbf{R} \to Y$ satisfying the inequality

(3.16)
$$||f(x) - F(x), g(z)|| \le L \prod_{i=1}^{k} h_i(x^p, z), \quad x, z \in \mathbf{R}$$

with some L > 0, is equal to F_m for each $m \in \mathcal{U}$. To this end, we fix $m_0 \in \mathcal{U}$ and $F : \mathbf{R} \to Y$ satisfying (3.16). From (3.12), for each $x, z \in \mathbf{R}$, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \|F(x) - F_{m_0}(x), g(z)\| &\leq \|F(x) - f(x), g(z)\| + \|f(x) - F_{m_0}(x), g(z)\| \\ &\leq L \prod_{i=1}^k h_i(x^p, z) + \varepsilon_{m_0}^*(x, z) \\ &\leq L_0 \prod_{i=1}^k h_i(x^p, z) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \alpha_{m_0}^n, \end{aligned}$$

where $L_0 := (1 - \alpha_{m_0})L + \prod_{i=1}^{k-1} \lambda_i(m_0^p) > 0$ and we exclude the case that $h_i(x^p, z) \equiv 0$ which is trivial. Observe that F and F_{m_0} are solutions to equation (3.15) for all $m \in \mathcal{U}$. Next, we show that, for each $j \in \mathbf{N}_0$, we have

(3.17)
$$\|F(x) - F_{m_0}(x), g(z)\| \le L_0 \prod_{i=1}^k h_i(x^p, z) \sum_{n=j}^{\infty} \alpha_{m_0}^n, \ x, z \in \mathbf{R}.$$

The case j=0 is exactly (3.17). We fix $k \in \mathbb{N}$ and assume that (3.18) holds for j=k. Then, in view of (3.17), for each $x, z \in \mathbb{R}$, we get

$$||F(x) - F_{m_0}(x), g(z)|| = ||F\left(\sqrt[p]{((k-1)m_0^p + 1)x^p}\right) - (k-1)F(m_0x) - F_{m_0}\left(\sqrt[p]{((k-1)m_0^p + 1)x^p}\right) + (k-1)F_{m_0}(m_0x), g(z)||$$

$$\leq ||F\left(\sqrt[p]{((k-1)m_0^p + 1)x^p}\right) - F_{m_0}\left(\sqrt[p]{((k-1)m_0^p + 1)x^p}\right), g(z)||$$

$$+ (k-1)||F(m_0x) - F_{m_0}(m_0x), g(z)||$$

$$\leq L_0 \prod_{i=1}^k h_i\left(\left((k-1)m_0^p + 1\right)x^p, z\right) \sum_{n=k}^\infty \alpha_{m_0}^n$$

$$+ (k-1)L_0 \prod_{i=1}^k h_i\left(m_0^p x^p, z\right) \sum_{n=k}^\infty \alpha_{m_0}^n$$

$$= L_0 \left(\prod_{i=1}^k h_i\left(((k-1)m_0^p + 1\right)x^p, z\right) + (k-1)\prod_{i=1}^k h_i\left(m_0^p x^p, z\right) \sum_{n=k}^\infty \alpha_{m_0}^n$$

$$\leq L_0 \alpha_{m_0} \prod_{i=1}^k h_i(x^p, z) \sum_{n=k+1}^\infty \alpha_{m_0}^n$$

$$= L_0 \prod_{i=1}^k h_i(x^p, z) \sum_{n=k+1}^\infty \alpha_{m_0}^n$$

This shows that (3.18) holds for j = k + 1. Now we can conclude that the inequality (3.18) holds for all $j \in \mathbf{N}_0$. Now, letting $j \to \infty$ in (3.18), we get

$$(3.18) F = F_{m_0}.$$

Thus, we have also proved that $F_m = F_{m_0}$ for each $m \in \mathcal{U}$, which (in view of (3.12)) yields

$$(3.19) \left\| f(x) - F_{m_0}(x), g(z) \right\| \le \frac{\prod_{i=1}^{k-1} \lambda_i(m^p) \prod_{i=1}^k h_i(x^p, z)}{1 - \alpha_m}, \ x, z \in \mathbf{R}, \ m \in \mathcal{U}.$$

This implies (3.4) with $F=F_{m_0}$ and (3.19) confirms the uniqueness of F. \square

In the following theorem, we investigate the stability of the equation (1.23) using a similar method of proof of Theorem 3.1.

Theorem 3.2. Let $h: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}_+$ be a function such that

(3.20)
$$\mathcal{U} := \left\{ n \in \mathbb{N} : \beta_n := \lambda \left((k-1)n^p + 1 \right) + (k-1)\lambda(n^p) < 1 \right\} \neq \phi,$$

where

(3.21)
$$\lambda(n) := \inf \{ t \in \mathbf{R}_+ : h(nx^p, z) \le t \ h(x^p, z), \ x, z \in \mathbf{R} \}$$

for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Assume that $f : \mathbb{R} \to Y$ satisfies the inequality

(3.22)
$$\left\| f\left(\sqrt[p]{\sum_{i=1}^k x_i^p}\right) - \sum_{i=1}^k f(x_i), g(z) \right\| \le \sum_{i=1^k} h(x_i^p, z)$$

for all $x_i, z \in \mathbf{R}$ with i = 1, 2, ..., k, where $g : X \to Y$ be a surjective mapping. Then there exists a unique p-radical function $F : \mathbf{R} \to Y$ such that

(3.23)
$$||f(x) - F(x), g(z)|| \le \lambda_0 h(x^p, z)$$

for all $x, z \in \mathbf{R}$, where

$$\lambda_0 := \inf_{n \in \mathcal{U}} \left\{ \frac{1 + (k-1)\lambda(n^p)}{1 - \lambda((k-1)n^p + 1) - (k-1)\lambda(n^p)} \right\}.$$

Proof. For i = 1, 2, ..., (k-1), replacing in inequality (3.23) x_i with mx and x_k with x, where $x_i \in \mathbf{R}$ and $m \in \mathbf{N}$, we get

$$\left\| f\left(\sqrt[p]{\left((k-1)m^p + 1\right)x^p}\right) - (k-1)f(mx) - f(x), g(z) \right\| \le \left(1 + (k-1)\lambda(m^p)\right)h(x^p, z)$$
(3.24)

for all $x, z \in \mathbf{R}$. For each $m \in \mathbf{N}$, we define

$$(3.25) \, \mathcal{T}_m \xi(x) := \xi \left(\sqrt[p]{((k-1)m^p + 1)x^p} \right) - (k-1)\xi(mx), \quad \xi \in Y^{\mathbf{R}}, x \in \mathbf{R},$$

$$\Lambda_m \delta(x, z) := \delta \left(\sqrt[p]{\left((k-1)m^p + 1 \right) x^p}, z \right) + (k-1)\delta(mx, z), \quad \delta \in \mathbf{R}_+^{\mathbf{R} \times \mathbf{R}}, x, z \in \mathbf{R},$$
(3.26)

(3.27)
$$\varepsilon_m(x,z) := \left(1 + (k-1)\lambda(m^p)\right)h(x^p,z), \quad x,z \in \mathbf{R}.$$

As in Theorem 3.1 we observe that (3.25) takes form

(3.28)
$$||f(x) - \mathcal{T}_m f(x), g(z)|| \le \varepsilon_m(x, z), \quad x, z \in \mathbf{R}$$

and Λ_m has the form described in (1.17) and (1.16) is valid for every $\xi, \mu \in Y^{\mathbf{R}}$, $x, z \in \mathbf{R}$. It is not hard to show that

$$\left(\Lambda_m^n \varepsilon_m \right) (x, z) \le \left(1 + (k - 1)\lambda(m^p) \right) h(x^p, z) \left(\lambda \left((k - 1)m^p + 1 \right) + (k - 1)\lambda(m^p) \right)^n$$
 (3.29)

for all $x, z \in \mathbf{R}$ and $n \in \mathbf{N}_0$. Therefore

$$\varepsilon_m^*(x,z) = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \left(\Lambda_m^n \varepsilon_m \right) (x,z)$$

$$\leq \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \left(1 + (k-1)\lambda(m^p) \right) h(x^p,z) \beta_m^n$$

$$= \frac{\left(1 + (k-1)\lambda(m^p) \right) h(x^p,z)}{1 - \beta_m} < \infty$$

for all $x, z \in \mathbf{R}$ and $m \in \mathcal{U}$, where

$$\beta_m = \left(\lambda \left((k-1)m^p + 1 \right) + (k-1)\lambda(m^p) \right).$$

Also the remaining reasonings are analogous as in the proof of Theorem 3.1. \square

The following theorem concerns the η -hyperstability of (1.23) in 2-Banach spaces. Namely, We consider functions $f: \mathbf{R} \to Y$ fulfilling (1.23) approximately, i.e., satisfying the inequality

(3.30)
$$\left\| f\left(\sqrt[p]{\sum_{i=1}^{k} x_i^p}\right) - \sum_{i=1}^{k} f(x_i), g(z) \right\| \le \eta(x, y, z), \quad x, y, z \in \mathbf{R},$$

with $\eta: \mathbf{R}^{k+1} \to \mathbf{R}_+$ is a given mapping. Then we find a unique p-radical function $F: \mathbf{R} \to Y$ which is close to f. Then, under some additional assumptions on η , we prove that the conditional functional equation (1.23) is η -hyperstable in the class of functions $f: \mathbf{R} \to Y$, i.e., each $f: \mathbf{R} \to Y$ satisfying inequality (3.31), with such η , must fulfil equation (1.23).

Theorem 3.3. Let h_i and \mathcal{U} be as in Theorem 3.1. Assume that

(3.31)
$$\begin{cases} \lim_{n\to\infty} \prod_{i=1}^{k-1} \lambda_i(n) = 0, \\ \lim_{n\to\infty} \prod_{i=1}^k \lambda_i(n) = 0. \end{cases}$$

Then every $f: \mathbf{R} \to Y$ satisfying (3.3) is a solution of (1.23).

Proof. Suppose that $f: \mathbf{R} \to Y$ satisfies (3.3). Then, by Theorem 3.1, there exists a mapping $F: \mathbf{R} \to Y$ satisfies (1.23) and

(3.32)
$$||f(x) - F(x), g(z)|| \le \lambda_0 \prod_{i=1}^k h_i(x^p, z)$$

for all $x, z \in \mathbf{R}$, where

$$\lambda_0 := \inf_{n \in \mathcal{U}} \left\{ \frac{\prod_{i=1}^{k-1} \lambda_i(n^p)}{1 - \prod_{i=1}^k \lambda_i ((k-1)n^p + 1) - (k-1) \prod_{i=1}^k \lambda_i(n^p)} \right\}.$$

Since, in view of (3.32), $\lambda_0 = 0$. This means that f(x) = F(x) for all $x \in \mathbf{R}$, whence

$$f\left(\sqrt[p]{\sum_{i=1}^k x_i^p}\right) = \sum_{i=1}^k f(x_i), \quad x_i \in \mathbf{R}$$

which implies that f satisfies the functional equation (1.23) on \mathbf{R} . \square

4. Some particular cases

According to above theorems, we derive some particular cases from our main results.

Corollary 4.1. For i = 1, 2, ..., k, let $h_i : \mathbf{R}^2 \to (0, \infty)$ be as in Theorem 3.1 such that

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \inf \sup_{x,z \in \mathbf{R}} \frac{\prod_{i=1}^k h_i \Big((k-1)n^p + 1 \big) x^p, z \Big) + \prod_{i=1}^k h_i (n^p x^p, z)}{\prod_{i=1}^k h_i (x^p, z)} = 0, \quad x, z \in \mathbf{R}.$$
(4.1)

Assume that $f: \mathbf{R} \to Y$ satisfies (1.23). Then there exist a unique p-radical function $F: \mathbf{R} \to Y$ and a unique constant $a \in \mathbf{R}_+$ with

(4.2)
$$||f(x) - F(x), g(z)|| \le a \prod_{i=1}^{k} h_i(x^p, z), \quad x, z \in \mathbf{R}.$$

Proof. By the definition of $\lambda_i(n)$ in Theorem 3.1, we observe that

$$\prod_{i=1}^{k} \lambda_{i} \Big((k-1)n^{p} + 1 \Big) = \sup_{x,z \in \mathbf{R}} \frac{\prod_{i=1}^{k} h_{i} \Big((k-1)n^{p} + 1 \big) x^{p}, z \Big)}{\prod_{i=1}^{k} h_{i} (x^{p}, z)}$$

$$\leq \sup_{x,z \in \mathbf{R}} \frac{\prod_{i=1}^{k} h_{i} \Big((k-1)n^{p} + 1 \big) x^{p}, z \Big) + \prod_{i=1}^{k} h_{i} (n^{p} x^{p}, z)}{\prod_{i=1}^{k} h_{i} (x^{p}, z)}$$
and
$$\prod_{i=1}^{k} \lambda_{i} \Big(n^{p} \Big) = \sup_{x,z \in \mathbf{R}} \frac{\prod_{i=1}^{k} h_{i} (n^{p} x^{p}, z)}{\prod_{i=1}^{k} h_{i} (x^{p}, z)}$$

$$\leq \sup_{x,z \in \mathbf{R}} \frac{\prod_{i=1}^{k} h_{i} \Big((k-1)n^{p} + 1 \big) x^{p}, z \Big) + \prod_{i=1}^{k} h_{i} (n^{p} x^{p}, z)}{\prod_{i=1}^{k} h_{i} (x^{p}, z)}.$$
Moreover,

$$(k-1) \prod_{i=1}^{k} \lambda_i(n^p) \le (k-1) \sup_{x,z \in \mathbf{R}} \frac{\prod_{i=1}^{k} h_i \Big((k-1)n^p + 1 \Big) x^p, z \Big) + \prod_{i=1}^{k} h_i \Big(n^p x^p, z \Big)}{\prod_{i=1}^{k} h_i \Big(x^p, z \Big)}$$

$$(4.3)$$

Combining inequalities (4.5) and (4.6), we get

$$\prod_{i=1}^{k} \lambda_{i} \left((k-1)n^{p} + 1 \right) + (k-1) \prod_{i=1}^{k} \lambda_{i}(n^{p})$$

$$\leq k \sup_{x,z \in \mathbf{R}} \frac{\prod_{i=1}^k h_i \Big((k-1)n^p + 1 \Big) x^p, z \Big) + \prod_{i=1}^k h_i (n^p x^p, z)}{\prod_{i=1}^k h_i (x^p, z)}.$$

$$\omega_n := \sup_{x,z \in \mathbf{R}} \frac{\prod_{i=1}^k h_i \Big((k-1)n^p + 1 \Big) x^p, z \Big) + \prod_{i=1}^k h_i \Big(n^p x^p, z \Big)}{\prod_{i=1}^k h_i \Big(x^p, z \Big)}.$$

From (4.1), there is a subsequence $\{\omega_{n_r}\}$ of a sequence $\{\omega_n\}$ such that $\lim_{r\to\infty}\omega_{n_r}=0$, that is,

(4.4)
$$\lim_{r \to \infty} \sup_{x,z \in \mathbf{R}} \frac{\prod_{i=1}^k h_i((k-1)n_r^p + 1)x^p, z) + \prod_{i=1}^k h_i(n_r^p x^p, z)}{\prod_{i=1}^k h_i(x^p, z)} = 0.$$

From (4.6) and (4.7), we find that

(4.5)
$$\lim_{r \to \infty} \prod_{i=1}^{k} \lambda_i \Big((k-1)n_r^p + 1 \Big) + (k-1) \prod_{i=1}^{k} \lambda_i (n_r^p) = 0.$$

This implies that

$$\lim_{r \to \infty} \prod_{i=1}^k \lambda_i(n_r^p) = 0$$

and hence

$$\lim_{r \to \infty} \frac{\prod_{i=1}^{k-1} \lambda_i(n_r^p)}{1 - \prod_{i=1}^k \lambda_i \left((k-1) n_r^p + 1 \right) - (k-1) \prod_{i=1}^k \lambda_i(n_r^p)} = \lim_{r \to \infty} \prod_{i=1}^{k-1} \lambda_i(n_r^p) := a$$

which means that λ_0 defined in Theorem 3.1 is equal to a. \square

By a similar method, we can prove the following corollary where a=1.

Corollary 4.2. Let $h: \mathbb{R}^2 \to (0, \infty)$ be as in Theorem 3.2 such that

$$(4.6)\lim_{n\to\infty} \inf \sup_{x,z\in\mathbf{R}} \frac{h\Big(((k-1)n^p+1)x^p,z\Big) + h(n^px^p,z)}{h(x^p,z)} = 0, \quad x,z\in\mathbf{R}.$$

Assume that $f: \mathbf{R} \to Y$ satisfies (1.23). Then there exist a unique p-radical function $F: \mathbf{R} \to Y$ such that

(4.7)
$$||f(x) - F(x), g(z)|| \le h(x^p, z), \quad x, z \in \mathbf{R}.$$

Corollary 4.3. Let $\theta \geq 0$, $r \geq 0$ and $q_i \in \mathbf{R}$ with i = 1, 2, ..., k such that $\sum_{i=1}^{k} q_i < 0$. Suppose that $f : \mathbf{R} \to Y$ such that f(0) = 0 and satisfies the inequality

$$(4.8) \left\| f\left(\sqrt[p]{\sum_{i=1}^k x_i^p}\right) - \sum_{i=1}^k f(x_i), g(z) \right\| \le \theta \prod_{i=1}^k \left| x^p \right|^{q_i} \left| z \right|^r, \quad x_i, z \in \mathbf{R} \setminus \{0\},$$

where p is odd, or f is even function satisfies (4.11) where p is even integer. Then f satisfies (1.23) on \mathbf{R} .

Proof. The proof follows from Theorem 3.1 by defining $h_i : \mathbf{R}^2 \to \mathbf{R}_+$ by $h_i(x_i^p, z) = \theta_i \left| x_i^p \right|^{q_i} \left| z \right|^r$ with $\theta_i, r \in \mathbf{R}_+$ and $q_i \in \mathbf{R}$ such that $\prod_{i=1}^k \theta_i = \theta$ and $\sum_{i=1}^k q_i < 0$.

For each $n \in \mathbb{N}$, we have

each
$$n \in \mathbf{N}$$
, we have
$$\lambda_i(n) = \inf \left\{ t \in \mathbf{R}_+ : h_i(nx^p, z) \le t \ h_i(x^p, z), \ x, z \in \mathbf{R} \right\}$$

$$= \inf \left\{ t \in \mathbf{R}_+ : \theta_i \left| nx^p \right|^{q_i} \le t \ \theta_i \left| x^p \right|^{q_i} \left| z \right|^r, \ x, z \in \mathbf{R} \setminus \{0\} \right\}$$

$$= n^{q_i}.$$

Clearly, we can find $n_0 \in \mathbf{N}$ such that

$$\prod_{i=1}^{k} \lambda_i \Big((k-1)n^p + 1 \Big) + (k-1) \prod_{i=1}^{k} \lambda_i (n^p) = \Big((k-1)n^p + 1 \Big)^{\sum_{i=1}^{k} q_i}$$

$$+ (k-1) \Big(n^p \Big)^{\sum_{i=1}^{k} q_i} < 1, \quad n \ge n_0.$$

According to Theorem 3.1, there exists a unique p-radical function $F:\mathbf{R}\to Y$ such that

for all $x, z \in \mathbf{R}$, where

$$\lambda_0 := \inf_{n \ge n_0} \left\{ \frac{\prod_{i=1}^{k-1} \lambda_i(n^p)}{1 - \prod_{i=1}^k \lambda_i ((k-1)n^p + 1) - (k-1) \prod_{i=1}^k \lambda_i(n^p)} \right\}.$$

On the other hand, Since $\sum_{i=1}^{k} q_i < 0$, one of q_i must be positive. Assume that $q_k > 0$. Then

(4.11)
$$\begin{cases} \lim_{n \to \infty} \prod_{i=1}^{k-1} \lambda_i(n) = \lim_{n \to \infty} n^{\sum_{i=1}^{k-1} q_i} = 0, \\ \lim_{n \to \infty} \prod_{i=1}^{k} \lambda_i(n) = \lim_{n \to \infty} n^{\sum_{i=1}^{k} q_i} = 0. \end{cases}$$

Thus by Theorem 3.3, we get the desired results. \Box

The next corollary prove the hyperstability results for the inhomogeneous p-radical functional equation.

Corollary 4.4. Let $\theta, r, q_i \in \mathbf{R}$ such that $\theta \geq 0$, $r \geq 0$ and $\sum_{i=1}^k q_i < 0$. Assume that $G : \mathbf{R}^k \to Y$ and $f : \mathbf{R} \to Y$ such that f(0) = 0 satisfy the inequality

$$(4.12) \quad \left\| f\left(\sqrt[p]{\sum_{i=1}^k x_i^p}\right) - \sum_{i=1}^k f(x_i) - G(x_1, x_2, ..., x_k), g(z) \right\| \le \theta \prod_{i=1}^k \left| x^p \right|^{q_i} \left| z \right|^r$$

for all $x_i, z \in \mathbf{R} \setminus \{0\}$ where p is odd, or f is even function satisfies (4.15) where p is even integer. If the functional equation

(4.13)
$$f\left(\sqrt[p]{\sum_{i=1}^k x_i^p}\right) = \sum_{i=1}^k f(x_i) + G(x_1, x_2, ..., x_k), \quad x_1, x_2, ..., x_k \in \mathbf{R} \setminus \{0\},$$

has a solution $f_0: \mathbf{R} \to Y$, then f is a solution to (4.16).

Proof. From (4.15) we get that the function $K : \mathbf{R} \to Y$ defined by $K := f - f_0$ satisfies (4.11). Consequently, Corollary 4.3 implies that K is a solution to p-radical functional equation (1.23). Therefore,

$$f\left(\sqrt[p]{\sum_{i=1}^{k} x_i^p}\right) - \sum_{i=1}^{k} f(x_i) - G(x_1, x_2, ..., x_k)$$

$$= K\left(\sqrt[p]{\sum_{i=1}^{k} x_i^p}\right) + f_0\left(\sqrt[p]{\sum_{i=1}^{k} x_i^p}\right)$$

$$- \sum_{i=1}^{k} K(x_i) - \sum_{i=1}^{k} f_0(x_i) - G(x_1, x_2, ..., x_k)$$

$$= 0$$

for all $x_1, x_2, ..., x_k \in \mathbf{R} \setminus \{0\}$ which means f is a solution to (4.16). \square

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