

## FRACTIONAL NONLOCAL INTEGRODIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS AND ITS OPTIMAL CONTROL IN BANACH SPACES

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**ABSTRACT.** In this paper, a class of fractional integrodifferential equations of mixed type with nonlocal conditions is considered. First, using contraction mapping principle and Krasnosel'skii's fixed point theorem via Gronwall's inequality, the existence and uniqueness of mild solution are given. Second, the existence of optimal pairs of systems governed by fractional integrodifferential equations of mixed type with nonlocal conditions is also presented.

### 1. INTRODUCTION

The fractional differential equations has recently been proved to be valuable tools in the modeling of many phenomena in various fields of engineering, physics, economy and science. We can find numerous applications in viscoelasticity, electrochemistry, control, porous media, electromagnetic, etc. [11, 13, 14, 15, 24, 25]. In recent years, there has been a significant development in fractional differential equations. One can see the monographs of Kilbas et al. [18], Miller and Ross [23], Podlubny [28], Lakshmikantham et al. [20], and the papers on abstract fractional differential equations [7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 17, 21, 22, 26, 27] and the references therein. On the other hand, the study of initial value problems with nonlocal conditions arises to deal specially with some situations in physics. For the comments and motivations of nonlocal Cauchy problem in different fields, we refer the reader to [1, 6] and the references contained therein.

Very recently, the fractional differential equations with nonlocal conditions on infinite dimensional spaces attracted some authors such as Benchohra, Mophou, N'Guérékata, Sakthivel

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and etc. However, to our knowledge, the fractional integrodifferential equations of mixed type with nonlocal initial conditions and its optimal control on infinite dimensional Banach spaces are not studied extensively. Motivated by the works [27, 29], the main purpose of this paper is to consider the following more general fractional nonlocal integrodifferential equations of mixed type and its optimal control

$$D^q x(t) = Ax(t) + t^n f(t, x(t), (Kx)(t), (Hx)(t)), \quad t \in J, \quad n \in \mathbb{Z}^+, \quad q \in (0, 1), \quad (1.1)$$

$$x(0) = g(x) + x_0 \quad (1.2)$$

where  $J = [0, T]$  in a general Banach space  $(X, \|\cdot\|)$ , where the operator  $A$  is the infinitesimal generator of a  $C_0$ -semigroup  $\{T(t), t \geq 0\}$  on  $X$ ,  $x_0 \in X$ ,  $f: J \times X \times X \times X \rightarrow X$  is a nonlinear function, and  $g: C(J, X) \rightarrow X$  constitutes a nonlocal Cauchy problem. The derivative  $D^q$  is understood here in the Riemann-Liouville sense. Operators  $K$  and  $H$  are nonlinear integral operators given by

$$(Kx)(t) = \int_0^t k(t, s, x(s))ds, \quad (Hx)(t) = \int_0^T h(t, s, x(s))ds.$$

The rest of this paper is organized as follows. In Section 2, we give some preliminaries and introduce the mild solution of system (1.1)-(1.2). In Section 3, we study the existence and uniqueness of mild solutions for system (1.1)-(1.2) using Banach contraction principle and Krasnoselskii's fixed point theorem *vis* Gronwall's inequality. At last, we introduce a class of admissible controls and an existence result of optimal controls for a Lagrange problem (P) is proved.

## 2. PRELIMINARIES

Let  $L_b(X)$  be the Banach space of all linear and bounded operators on  $X$ .  $C(J, X)$  be the Banach space of all  $X$ -valued continuous functions from  $J$  into  $X$  endowed with the norm  $\|x\|_C = \sup_{t \in J} \|x(t)\|$ .

Let us recall the following known definitions. For more details see [28].

**Definition 2.1.** A real function  $f(t)$  is said to be in the space  $C_\alpha$ ,  $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$  if there exists a real number  $\kappa > \alpha$ , such that  $f(t) = t^\kappa g(t)$ , where  $g \in C[0, \infty)$  and it is said to be in the space  $C_\alpha^m$  iff  $f^{(m)} \in C_\alpha$ ,  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ .

**Definition 2.2.** The Riemann-Liouville fractional integral operator of order  $\gamma \geq 0$  of a function  $f \in C_\alpha$ ,  $\alpha \geq -1$  is defined as

$$I^\gamma f(t) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\gamma)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{\gamma-1} f(s) ds$$

where  $\Gamma(\cdot)$  is the Euler gamma function.

**Definition 2.3.** If the function  $f \in C_{-1}^m$ ,  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ , the fractional derivative of order  $\gamma > 0$  of a function  $f(t)$  is in the Caputo sense is given by

$$\frac{d^\gamma f(t)}{dt^\gamma} = \frac{1}{\Gamma(m-\gamma)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{m-\gamma-1} f^{(m)}(s) ds, \quad m-1 < \gamma \leq m.$$

Now, we can introduce the mild solution of system (1.1)-(1.2).

**Definition 2.4.** A mild solution of system (1.1)-(1.2) to be a function in  $C(J, X)$  such that

$$x(t) = T(t)(x_0 + g(x)) + \frac{1}{\Gamma(q)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{q-1} s^n T(t-s) f(s, x(s), (Kx)(s), (Hx)(s)) ds.$$

### 3. MAIN RESULTS

In this section, we give the existence and uniqueness of the mild solutions for system (1.1)-(1.2).

We need the following assumptions.

[HA]:  $A$  is the infinitesimal generator of a strongly continuous semigroup  $\{T(t), t \geq 0\}$  on  $X$  with domain  $D(A)$ .

[Hf]:  $f : J \times X \times X \times X \rightarrow X$  is continuous and there exists a function  $m_1, m_2, m_3 \in L^1_{Loc}(J, R^+)$  such that

$$\|f(t, x_1, x_2, x_3) - f(t, y_1, y_2, y_3)\| \leq m_1(t)\|x_1 - y_1\| + m_2(t)\|x_2 - y_2\| + m_3(t)\|x_3 - y_3\|$$

for all  $x_i, y_i \in X, i = 1, 2, 3$  and  $t \in J$ .

[Hk]: Let  $D_k = \{(t, s) \in R^2; 0 \leq s \leq t \leq T\}$ . The function  $k : D_k \times X \rightarrow X$  is continuous and there exists a  $m_k(t, s) \in C(D_k, R^+)$  and

$$K^* = \sup_{t \in J} \int_0^t m_k(t, s) ds < \infty$$

such that

$$\|k(t, s, x) - k(t, s, y)\| \leq m_k(t, s)\|x - y\|$$

for each  $(t, s) \in D_k$  and  $x, y \in X$ .

[Hh]: Let  $D_h = \{(t, s) \in R^2; 0 \leq s, t \leq T\}$ . The function  $h : D_h \times X \rightarrow X$  is continuous and there exists a  $m_h(t, s) \in C(D_h, R^+)$  and

$$H^* = \sup_{t \in J} \int_0^T m_h(t, s) ds < \infty$$

such that

$$\|h(t, s, x) - h(t, s, y)\| \leq m_h(t, s)\|x - y\|$$

for each  $(t, s) \in D_h$  and  $x, y \in X$ .

[Hg]:  $g : C(J, X) \rightarrow X$  is a continuous and there exists a constant  $l_g > 0$  such that

$$\|g(x) - g(y)\| \leq l_g\|x - y\|_C,$$

for arbitrary  $x, y \in C(J, X)$ , where  $\|\cdot\|_C$  denotes  $\|\cdot\|_{C(J, X)}$ .

[H $\Omega_n$ ]: The function  $\Omega_n : J \rightarrow R^+, n \in Z^+$ , defined by

$$\Omega_n = M \left[ l_g + \frac{t^n T^q}{(n+1)\Gamma(q)} (\|m_1\|_{L^1_{Loc}(J, R^+)} + K^* \|m_2\|_{L^1_{Loc}(J, R^+)} + H^* \|m_3\|_{L^1_{Loc}(J, R^+)}) \right],$$

satisfies  $0 < \Omega_n \leq \omega < 1$ , for all  $t \in J$ .

Now we are ready to give our first result which is based on the Banach contraction mapping principle.

**Theorem 3.1.** *Assume that the conditions [HA], [Hf], [Hk], [Hh], [Hg] and [HΩ<sub>n</sub>] are satisfied. Then system (1.1)-(1.2) has a unique mild solution.*

*Proof.* We consider the operator  $\Gamma : C(J, X) \rightarrow C(J, X)$  defined by

$$\begin{aligned} (\Gamma x)(t) &= T(t)[x_0 + g(x)] \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{\Gamma(q)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{q-1} s^n T(t-s) f(s, x(s), (Kx)(s), (Hx)(s)) ds, \end{aligned} \quad (3.1)$$

for all  $t \in J$ . Note that  $\Gamma$  is well defined on  $C(J, X)$ .

Now, take  $t \in J$  and  $x, y \in C(J, X)$ . Then we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|\Gamma x(t) - \Gamma y(t)\| &\leq \|T(t)(g(x) - g(y))\| \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{\Gamma(q)} \left\| \int_0^t (t-s)^{q-1} s^n T(t-s) [f(s, x(s), (Kx)(t), (Hx)(t)) \right. \\ &\quad \left. - f(s, y(s), (Ky)(t), (Hy)(t))] ds \right\|. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, we get

$$\begin{aligned} &\|\Gamma x(t) - \Gamma y(t)\| \\ &\leq M \|g(x) - g(y)\| \\ &\quad + M \frac{T^{q-1}}{\Gamma(q)} \int_0^t s^n \|f(s, x(s), (Kx)(t), (Hx)(t)) - f(s, y(s), (Ky)(t), (Hy)(t))\| ds, \end{aligned}$$

where  $M = \sup_{t \in J} \{\|T(t)\|_{L_b(X)}\}$  and  $L_b(X)$  be the Banach space of all linear and bounded operators on  $X$ .

According to [Hf] and [Hg], we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} &\|\Gamma x(t) - \Gamma y(t)\| \\ &\leq M l_g \|x - y\|_C + M \frac{T^{q-1}}{\Gamma(q)} \int_0^t s^n m_1(s) \|x(s) - y(s)\| ds \\ &\quad + M \frac{T^{q-1}}{\Gamma(q)} \int_0^t s^n m_2(s) \|(Kx)(s) - (Ky)(s)\| ds \\ &\quad + M \frac{T^{q-1}}{\Gamma(q)} \int_0^t s^n m_3(s) \|(Hx)(s) - (Hy)(s)\| ds \\ &\leq M l_g \|x - y\|_C + M \frac{T^{q-1}}{\Gamma(q)} \|x - y\|_C \int_0^t s^n [m_1(s) + K^* m_2(s) + H^* m_3(s)] ds. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, we can deduce that

$$\|\Gamma x(t) - \Gamma y(t)\| \leq \Omega_n(t) \|x - y\|_C.$$

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Hence, assumption  $[H\Omega_n]$  allows us to conclude in view of the contraction mapping principle, that  $\Gamma$  has a unique fixed point  $x \in C(J, X)$ , and

$$x(t) = T(t)[x_0 + g(x)] + \frac{1}{\Gamma(q)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{q-1} s^n T(t-s) f(s, x(s), (Kx)(s), (Hx)(s)) ds$$

which is the unique mild solution of system (1.1)-(1.2).  $\square$

Our second result uses the following Krasnoselskii fixed point theorem.

**Theorem 3.2.** *Let  $\mathfrak{B}$  be a closed convex and nonempty subsets of Banach space  $X$ . Let  $\mathcal{L}$  and  $\mathcal{N}$  be two operators such that*

- (1)  $\mathcal{L}x + \mathcal{N}y \in \mathfrak{B}$  whenever  $x, y \in \mathfrak{B}$ ;
- (2)  $\mathcal{L}$  is a contraction mapping;
- (3)  $\mathcal{N}$  is compact and continuous.

*Then there exists  $z \in \mathfrak{B}$  such that  $z = \mathcal{L}z + \mathcal{N}z$ .*

Suppose that

$[Hf']$ :  $f : J \times X \times X \times X \rightarrow X$ , for a.e.  $t \in J$ , the function  $f(t, \cdot, \cdot, \cdot) : X \times X \times X \rightarrow X$  is continuous and for all  $x, y, z \in X$ , the function  $f(\cdot, x, y, z) : J \rightarrow X$  is measurable. There exists a function  $\rho \in L^1_{Loc}(J, R^+)$  such that

$$\|f(t, x, y, z)\| \leq \rho(t)$$

for all  $x, y, z \in X$  and  $t \in J$ .

$[HK']$ : Let  $D_k = \{(t, s) \in J \times J; 0 \leq s \leq t \leq T\}$ . The function  $k : D_k \times X \rightarrow X$  is continuous and there exists a  $m_k(t, s) \in C(D_k, R^+)$  such that

$$\|k(t, s, x)\| \leq m_k(t, s)$$

for each  $(t, s) \in D_k$  and  $x \in X$ .

$[Hh']$ : Let  $D_h = \{(t, s) \in J \times J; 0 \leq s \leq t \leq T\}$ . The function  $h : D_h \times X \rightarrow X$  is continuous and there exists a  $m_h(t, s) \in C(D_h, R^+)$  such that

$$\|h(t, s, x)\| \leq m_h(t, s)$$

for each  $(t, s) \in D_h$  and  $x \in X$ .

Now we are ready to state and prove the following existence result.

**Theorem 3.3.** *Assume that the conditions  $[HA], [Hf'], [HK'], [Hh'], [Hg]$  are satisfied. Then system (1.1)-(1.2) has at least one mild solution on  $J$  provided that*

$$Ml_g < 1.$$

*Proof.* Let us choose

$$r = M(\|x_0\| + G) + M \frac{T^{n+q}}{(n+1)\Gamma(q)} \|\rho\|_{L^1_{Loc}(J, R^+)} + Mc_0 + c_2 \frac{T^{n+q}}{n+1}$$

with

$$G = \sup_{x \in C(J, X)} \{\|g(x)\|\}, \quad (3.2)$$

$c_0$  and  $c_2$  defined respectively by (3.3) and (3.4) below.

Consider the ball

$$B_r = \{x \in C(J, X) \mid \|x\| \leq r\}.$$

Define on  $B_r$  the operators  $\Gamma_1$  and  $\Gamma_2$  by

$$(\Gamma_1 x)(t) = T(t)[x_0 + g(x)],$$

and

$$(\Gamma_2 x)(t) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(q)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{q-1} s^n T(t-s) f(s, x(s), (Kx)(s), (Hx)(s)) ds.$$

Step 1. Let us observe that if  $x, y \in B_r$  then  $\Gamma_1 x + \Gamma_2 y \in B_r$ .

In fact,

$$\begin{aligned} & \|(\Gamma_1 x)(t) + (\Gamma_2 y)(t)\| \\ & \leq M\|x_0 + g(x)\| + \frac{1}{\Gamma(q)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{q-1} s^n \|f(s, y(s), (Ky)(s), (Hy)(s))\| ds \\ & \leq M(\|x_0\| + \|g(x)\|) + M \frac{T^{q-1}}{\Gamma(q)} \int_0^t s^n \|f(s, y(s), (Ky)(s), (Hy)(s))\| ds, \end{aligned}$$

which according to (3.2), gives

$$\|(\Gamma_1 x)(t) + (\Gamma_2 y)(t)\| \leq M(\|x_0\| + G) + M \frac{T^{n+q}}{(n+1)\Gamma(q)} \|\rho\|_{L^1_{Loc}(J, R^+)} \leq r.$$

Hence, we can deduce that

$$\|\Gamma_1 x + \Gamma_2 x\|_C \leq r.$$

Step 2. We show that  $\Gamma_1$  is a contraction mapping.

For any  $t \in J$ ,  $x, y \in C(J, X)$  we have

$$\|(\Gamma_1 x)(t) - (\Gamma_1 y)(t)\| \leq M\|g(x) - g(y)\|$$

which in view of [Hg], gives

$$\|(\Gamma_1 x)(t) - (\Gamma_1 y)(t)\| \leq Ml_g \|x - y\|_C,$$

which implies that

$$\|\Gamma_1 x - \Gamma_1 y\| \leq Ml_g \|x - y\|_C.$$

Since  $Ml_g < 1$ , then  $\Gamma_1$  is a contraction mapping.

Step 3. Let us prove that  $\Gamma_2$  is continuous and compact.

For this purpose, we assume that  $x_n \rightarrow x$  in  $C(J, X)$ . It comes from the continuity of  $k$  and  $h$  that

$$\begin{aligned} k(t, s, x_n(s)) &\rightarrow k(t, s, x(s)) & \text{and} & \quad \|k(t, s, x_n(s)) - k(t, s, x(s))\| \leq 2K^*, \\ h(t, s, x_n(s)) &\rightarrow h(t, s, x(s)) & \text{and} & \quad \|h(t, s, x_n(s)) - h(t, s, x(s))\| \leq 2H^*. \end{aligned}$$

By the dominated convergence theorem,

$$\int_0^t h(t, s, x_n(s)) ds \rightarrow \int_0^t h(t, s, x(s)) ds, \quad \int_0^T k(t, s, x_n(s)) ds \rightarrow \int_0^T k(t, s, x(s)) ds,$$

as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . Then by [Hf'], we have

$$f(s, x_n(s), (Kx_n)(s), (Hx_n)(s)) \rightarrow f(s, x(s), (Kx)(s), (Hx)(s)) \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty, s \in J.$$

$$\|f(s, x_n(s), (Kx_n)(s), (Hx_n)(s))\| \leq \rho(s), s \in J.$$

By the dominated convergence theorem again, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \|(\Gamma_2 x_n)(t) - (\Gamma_2 x)(t)\| \\ & \leq \frac{MT^{n+q}}{(n+1)\Gamma(q)} \int_0^t \|f(s, x_n(s), (Kx_n)(s), (Hx_n)(s)) - f(s, x(s), (Kx)(s), (Hx)(s))\| ds \\ & \rightarrow 0, \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty, \end{aligned}$$

which implies that  $\Gamma_2$  is continuous.

To prove that  $\Gamma_2$  is a compact operator, we observe that  $\Gamma_2$  is a composition of two operators, that is,  $\Gamma_2 = U \circ V$  where

$$(Vx)(s) = T(t-s)f(s, x(s), (Kx)(s), (Hx)(s)), t \in J, 0 < s < t,$$

and

$$(Uy)(t) = \int_0^t (t-s)^{q-1} s^n y(s) ds, t \in J.$$

Since for the same reason as  $\Gamma_2$ , the operator  $V$  is also continuous, it suffices to prove that  $V$  is uniformly bounded and  $U$  is compact to prove that  $\Gamma_2$  is compact.

Let  $x \in B_r$ . Then  $(Kx)(t) \in B'_r = \{v \in C \mid \|v\|_C \leq K^*\}$  and  $(Hx)(t) \in B''_r = \{v \in C \mid \|v\|_C \leq H^*\}$ . In view of [Hf'],  $f$  is bounded on the compact set  $J \times B_r \times B'_r \times B''_r$ . Therefore, we set

$$c_0 = \sup_{(t,x,y,z) \in J \times B'_r \times B''_r} \|f(t, x(t), y(t), z(t))\| < \infty. \quad (3.3)$$

Then, using (3.3), we get

$$\|(Vx)(s)\| \leq \|T(t-s)\| \|f(s, x(s), (Kx)(s), (Hx)(s))\| \leq Mc_0 \leq r,$$

from which we deduce that  $\|Vx\|_C \leq r$ . This means that  $V$  is uniformly bounded on  $B_r$ .

Since  $y \in C(J, X)$ , we set

$$c_2 = \sup_{t \in J} \|y(t)\| < \infty. \quad (3.4)$$

Then, on the other hand, we have

$$\|(Uy)(t)\| = \left\| \int_0^t (t-s)^{q-1} s^n y(s) ds \right\| \leq c_2 \int_0^t (t-s)^{q-1} s^n ds \leq c_2 \frac{T^{n+q}}{n+1} \leq r$$

and on the other hand, for  $0 < s < t_2 < t_1 < T$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
& \| (Uy)(t_1) - (Uy)(t_2) \| \\
&= \left\| \int_0^{t_1} (t_1 - s)^{q-1} s^n y(s) ds - \int_0^{t_2} (t_2 - s)^{q-1} s^n y(s) ds \right\| \\
&\leq \left\| \int_0^{t_2} [(t_1 - s)^{q-1} - (t_2 - s)^{q-1}] s^n y(s) ds \right\| + \left\| \int_{t_1}^{t_2} (t_1 - s)^{q-1} s^n y(s) ds \right\| \\
&\leq \int_0^{t_2} |(t_1 - s)^{q-1} - (t_2 - s)^{q-1}| s^n \|y(s)\| ds + \int_{t_1}^{t_2} (t_1 - s)^{q-1} s^n \|y(s)\| ds \\
&\leq \frac{c_2 T^n}{q} |2(t_1 - t_2)^q + t_2^q - t_1^q| \\
&\leq 2 \frac{c_2 T^n}{q} |t_1 - t_2|^q,
\end{aligned}$$

which does not depend on  $y$ . So  $UB_r$  is relatively compact. By the Arzela-Ascoli Theorem,  $U$  is compact. In short, we have proven that  $\Gamma_2$  is continuous and compact,  $\Gamma_1$  is a contraction mapping and  $\Gamma_1 x + \Gamma_2 y \in B_r$  if  $x, y \in B_r$ . Hence, the Krasnoselskii theorem allows us to conclude that system (1.1)-(1.2) has at least one mild solution on  $J$ .  $\square$

**Corollary 3.4.** *In addition to the assumptions of Theorem 3.3, assumptions [Hf], [Hk], [Hh] also hold. Then system (1.1)-(1.2) has a unique mild solution on  $J$ .*

*Proof.* To prove the uniqueness of  $x(t)$ , let  $y(t)$  be another mild solution of system (1.1)-(1.2) with nonlocal condition  $y_0 + g(y)$ . It comes from

$$\begin{aligned}
\|x(t) - y(t)\| &\leq M \|x_0 - y_0\| + M l_g \|g(x) - g(y)\| \\
&\quad + M \frac{T^{n+q+1}}{(n+1)\Gamma(q)} \int_0^t (m_1(t) + m_2(t)K^* + m_3(t)H^*) \|x(s) - y(s)\| ds
\end{aligned}$$

that

$$\begin{aligned}
& \|x(t) - y(t)\| \\
&\leq \frac{M}{1 - M l_g} \|x_0 - y_0\| \\
&\quad + M T \frac{T^{n+q}}{(n+1)\Gamma(q)(1 - M l_g)} \int_0^t (m_1(t) + m_2(t)K^* + m_3(t)H^*) \|x(s) - y(s)\| ds \\
&\leq \frac{M}{1 - M l_g} \|x_0 - y_0\| + M T \frac{T^{n+q}}{(n+1)\Gamma(q)(1 - M l_g)} \widehat{M} \int_0^t \|x(s) - y(s)\| ds,
\end{aligned}$$

which implies by Gronwall's inequality

$$\|x(t) - y(t)\| \leq \widetilde{M} \frac{M}{1 - M l_g} \|x_0 - y_0\|$$

which yield the uniqueness of  $x(\cdot)$ .  $\square$



## 4. EXISTENCE OF OPTIMAL CONTROLS

We suppose that  $Y$  is another separable reflexive Banach space from which the controls  $u$  take the value. We denote a class of nonempty closed and convex subsets of  $Y$  by  $W_f(Y)$ . The multifunction  $\omega : J \rightarrow W_f(Y)$  is measurable and  $\omega(\cdot) \subset E$  where  $E$  is bounded set of  $Y$ , the admissible control set  $U_{ad} = S_\omega^p = \{u \in L^p(E) \mid u(t) \in \omega(t) \text{ a.e.}\}$ ,  $1 < p < \infty$ . Then  $U_{ad} \neq \emptyset$  (see P142 Proposition 1.7 and P174 Lemma 3.2 of [16]).

Consider the following controlled system

$$\begin{cases} D^q x(t) = Ax(t) + t^n f(t, x(t), (Kx)(t), (Hx)(t)) + C(t)u(t), \\ t \in J, u \in U_{ad}, n \in Z^+, q \in (0, 1), \\ x(0) = g(x) + x_0. \end{cases} \quad (4.1)$$

Assumption [HC]:  $C \in L_\infty(J; L(Y, X))$ .

It is easy to see that  $Cu \in L^p(J; X)$  for all  $u \in U_{ad}$ .

By Theorem 3.3, we have the following result.

**Theorem 4.1.** *In addition to assumptions of Theorem 3.3, suppose assumption [HC] holds. For every  $u \in U_{ad}$ , system (4.1) has a mild solution corresponding to  $u$  given by the solution of the following integral equation*

$$\begin{aligned} x^u(t) &= T(t)[x_0 + g(x)] + \frac{1}{\Gamma(q)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{q-1} s^n T(t-s) f(s, x(s), (Kx)(s), (Hx)(s)) ds \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{\Gamma(q)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{q-1} s^n T(t-s) C(s) u(s) ds \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* Compared with Theorem 3.3, the key step is to check the term containing control policy. Consider

$$\xi(t) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(q)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{q-1} s^n T(t-s) C(s) u(s) ds,$$

using Hölder inequality, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|\xi(t)\| &\leq M \frac{T^{q-1}}{\Gamma(q)} \int_0^t s^n \|C(s)u(s)\| ds \\ &\leq M \|C\|_\infty \frac{T^{n+q}}{(n+1)\Gamma(q)} \int_0^t \|u(s)\|_Y ds \\ &\leq M \|C\|_\infty \frac{T^{n+q}}{(n+1)\Gamma(q)} \left( \int_0^t 1^{\frac{p-1}{p}} ds \right)^{\frac{p-1}{p}} \left( \int_0^t \|u(s)\|_Y^p ds \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \\ &\leq M \|C\|_\infty \frac{T^{n+q}}{(n+1)\Gamma(q)} \|u\|_{L^p(J, Y)}, \end{aligned}$$

where  $\|C\|_\infty$  is the norm of operator  $C$  in Banach space  $L_\infty(J, L(Y, X))$ . It is easy to see that  $\|T(t-\cdot)C(\cdot)u(\cdot)\|$  is integrable. Hence  $\xi(\cdot) \in C(J, X)$ . Using Theorem 3.3, one can verify it immediately.  $\square$

Assumption [HL]:

[HL1] The functional  $l : J \times X \times Y \longrightarrow R \cup \{\infty\}$  is Borel measurable.

[HL2]  $l(t, \cdot, \cdot)$  is sequentially lower semicontinuous on  $X \times Y$  for almost all  $t \in J$ .

[HL3]  $l(t, x, \cdot)$  is convex on  $Y$  for each  $x \in X$  and almost all  $t \in J$ .

[HL4] There exist constants  $d \geq 0$ ,  $e > 0$ ,  $\varphi$  is nonnegative and  $\varphi \in L^1(J; R)$  such that

$$l(t, x, u) \geq \varphi(t) + d\|x\| + e\|u\|_Y^p.$$

We consider the Lagrange problem (P):

Find  $(x^0, u^0) \in C(J, X) \times U_{ad}$  such that

$$J(x^0, u^0) \leq J(x^u, u), \text{ for all } u \in U_{ad},$$

where

$$J(x^u, u) = \int_0^T l(t, x^u(t), u(t)) dt,$$

and  $x^u(\cdot, x^*)$  denotes the mild solution of system (4.1) corresponding to the control  $u \in U_{ad}$ .

In order to obtain the existence of optimal controls we need the following important lemma.

**Lemma 4.2.** (See Lemma 4.1 of [19]) Suppose that  $A$  is the infinitesimal generator of a compact semigroup  $\{T(t), t \geq 0\}$  in  $X$ . Then the operator  $\mathcal{Q} : L^p(J; Y) \longrightarrow C(J; X)$  with  $p > 1$ , given by

$$(\mathcal{Q}f)(\cdot) = \int_0^\cdot T(\cdot - s)f(s) ds$$

is strongly continuous.

Now we can give another main result of this paper, the existence of optimal controls for problem (P).

**Theorem 4.3.** Suppose  $X$  is a separable reflexive Banach space and  $A$  is the infinitesimal generator of a compact semigroup  $\{T(t), t \geq 0\}$  in  $X$ . If the assumption [HL] and the assumptions of Theorem 4.1 holds, then the problem (P) admits at least one optimal pair.

*Proof.* If  $\inf\{J(x^u, u) \mid u \in U_{ad}\} = +\infty$ , there is nothing to prove.

Assume that  $\inf\{J(x^u, u) \mid u \in U_{ad}\} = m < +\infty$ . Using assumption [HL], we have  $m > -\infty$ . By definition of infimum there exists a minimizing sequence feasible pair  $\{(x^n, u^n)\} \subset A_{ad} \equiv \{(x, u) \mid x \text{ is a mild solution of system (4.1) corresponding to } u \in U_{ad}\}$ , such that  $J(x^n, u^n) \longrightarrow m$  as  $n \longrightarrow +\infty$ . Since  $\{u_n\} \subseteq U_{ad}$ ,  $\{u_n\}$  is bounded in  $L^p(J; Y)$ , there exists a subsequence, relabeled as  $\{u^n\}$ , and  $u^0 \in L^p(J; Y)$  such that

$$u^n \xrightarrow{w} u^0 \text{ in } L^p(J; Y).$$

Then, since  $U_{ad}$  is closed and convex, thanks to Marzur Lemma,  $u^0 \in U_{ad}$ .

Suppose  $x^n$  is the mild solution of system (4.1) corresponding to  $u^n$  ( $n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ ),  $x^n$  satisfies the following integral equation

$$\begin{aligned} x^n(t) &= T(t)[x_0 + g(x^n)] \\ &+ \frac{1}{\Gamma(q)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{q-1} s^n T(t-s) f(s, x^n(s), (Kx^n)(s), (Hx^n)(s)) ds \\ &+ \frac{1}{\Gamma(q)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{q-1} s^n T(t-s) C(s) u^n(s) ds \end{aligned}$$

Let  $f_n(\theta) \equiv f(\theta, x^n(\theta), (Kx^n)(\theta), (Hx^n)(\theta))$ , by assumption [Hf'], we obtain that  $f_n$  is a bounded continuous operator from in  $J$  into  $X$ , hence  $f_n(\cdot) \in L^p(J; X)$ . Furthermore,  $\{f_n(\cdot)\} \subseteq X$ ,  $\{f_n(\cdot)\}$  is bounded in  $L^p(J; X)$ , there exists a subsequence, relabeled as  $\{f_n(\cdot)\}$ , and  $\hat{f}(\cdot) \in L^p(J; X)$  such that

$$f_n(\cdot) \xrightarrow{w} \hat{f}(\cdot) \text{ in } L^p(J; X)$$

By Lemma 4.2, we have

$$\mathcal{Q}f_n \xrightarrow{s} \mathcal{Q}\hat{f} \text{ in } C(J; X)$$

We consider the following system

$$\begin{cases} D^q x(t) = Ax(t) + t^n \hat{f}(t) + C(t)u^0(t), t \in J, u \in U_{ad}, n \in Z^+, \\ x(0) = g(x) + x_0. \end{cases} \quad (4.2)$$

By Theorem 4.1, we know that system (4.2) has a mild solution

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{x}(t) &= T(t)[x_0 + g(\hat{x})] + \frac{1}{\Gamma(q)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{q-1} s^n T(t-s) \hat{f}(s) ds \\ &+ \frac{1}{\Gamma(q)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{q-1} s^n T(t-s) C(s) u^0(s) ds. \end{aligned}$$

Define

$$\eta_n(t) = \left\| \frac{1}{\Gamma(q)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{q-1} s^n T(t-s) \left[ (f_n(s) - \hat{f}(s)) + C(s) (u^n(s) - u^0(s)) \right] ds \right\|,$$

then

$$\eta_n(t) \leq \frac{T^{n+q}}{(n+1)\Gamma(q)} \int_0^t \left\| T(t-s) \left[ (f_n(s) - \hat{f}(s)) + C(s) (u^n(s) - u^0(s)) \right] \right\| ds.$$

Using Lemma 4.2 again, we have

$$\eta_n \longrightarrow 0 \text{ in } C(J; R) \text{ as } n \longrightarrow \infty.$$

It comes from

$$\begin{aligned} & \|x^n(t) - \widehat{x}(t)\| \\ & \leq \|T(t)[g(x^n) - g(\widehat{x})]\| \\ & \quad + \left\| \frac{1}{\Gamma(q)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{q-1} s^n T(t-s) \left[ (f_n(s) - \widehat{f}(s)) + C(s)(u^n(s) - u^0(s)) \right] ds \right\| \\ & \leq Ml_g \|x^n - \widehat{x}\|_C + \eta_n \end{aligned}$$

and  $Ml_g < 1$ , one has

$$0 \leq (1 - Ml_g) \|x^n - \widehat{x}\|_C \leq \eta_n.$$

Then we obtain

$$x^n \longrightarrow \widehat{x} \text{ in } C(J; X) \text{ as } n \longrightarrow \infty.$$

Furthermore, using assumptions [Hf'], [HK'] and [Hh'], we also obtain

$$f_n(\cdot) \rightarrow f(\cdot, \widehat{x}(\cdot), (K\widehat{x})(\cdot), (H\widehat{x})(\cdot)) \text{ in } C(J; X) \text{ as } n \longrightarrow \infty.$$

Using the uniqueness of limit, we have

$$\widehat{f}(t) = f(t, \widehat{x}, (K\widehat{x})(t), (H\widehat{x})(t)).$$

Thus,  $\widehat{x}$  can be given by

$$\begin{aligned} \widehat{x}(t) &= T(t)[x_0 + g(\widehat{x})] + \frac{1}{\Gamma(q)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{q-1} s^n T(t-s) f(s, \widehat{x}, (K\widehat{x})(s), (H\widehat{x})(s)) ds \\ & \quad + \frac{1}{\Gamma(q)} \int_0^t (t-s)^{q-1} s^n T(t-s) C(s) u^0(s) ds, \end{aligned}$$

is which just a mild solution of system (4.1) corresponding to  $u^0$ .

Since  $C(J; X) \hookrightarrow L^1(J; X)$ , using the assumption [HL] and Balder's theorem, we can obtain

$$m = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^T l(t, x^n(t), u^n(t)) dt \geq \int_0^T l(t, \widehat{x}(t), u^0(t)) dt = J(\widehat{x}, u^0) \geq m.$$

This show that  $J$  attains its minimum at  $u^0 \in U_{ad}$ .  $\square$

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