

ON SECOND ORDER NONCONVEX SWEEPING PROCESS WITH NONCONVEX PERTURBATION

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ABSTRACT. This paper deals with the existence result of solutions of a second order functional differential inclusion, governed by a class of nonconvex sweeping process, with a nonconvex perturbation.

1. Introduction

Let H be a real separable Hilbert space with the norm $\|\cdot\|$ and the scalar product $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$. For I a segment in \mathbb{R} , we denote by $\mathcal{C}(I, H)$ the Banach space of continuous functions from I to H equipped with the norm $\|x(\cdot)\|_\infty := \sup\{\|x(t)\| : t \in I\}$. For a a positive number, we put $\mathcal{C}_a := \mathcal{C}([-a, 0], H)$ and for any $t \in [0, T]$, $T > 0$, we define the operator $T(t)$ from $\mathcal{C}([-a, T], H)$ to \mathcal{C}_a with $(T(t)(x(\cdot)))(s) := (T(t)x)(s) := x(t+s)$, $s \in [-a, 0]$. For $x \in H$ and $r > 0$ let $B(x, r) := \{y \in H : \|y - x\| < r\}$ be the open ball centered at x with radius r and $\overline{B}(x, r)$ be its closure and put $B = B(0, 1)$. For $\varphi \in \mathcal{C}_a$ and $r > 0$ let $B_a(\varphi, r) := \{\psi \in H : \|\psi - \varphi\| < r\}$ be the open ball centered at φ with radius r and $\overline{B}_a(\varphi, r)$ be its closure. For $x \in H$ and for nonempty subsets A, B of H we denote $d_A(x)$ or $d(x, A)$ the real $\inf\{\|y - x\| : y \in A\}$, $e(A, B) := \sup\{d_B(x) : x \in A\}$ and $H(A, B) = \max\{e(A, B), e(B, A)\}$. A multifunction is said to be measurable if its graph is measurable. For more details on measurability theory, we refer the reader to book of Castaing-Valadier [11].

In this paper, we study the existence of solutions of the following nonconvex differential inclusions

$$(1.1) \quad \begin{cases} \ddot{x}(t) \in -N_{C(x(t))}^p(\dot{x}(t)) + F(t, T(t)x, T(t)\dot{x}) & \text{a.e. on } [0, T]; \\ \dot{x}(t) = \bar{\varphi}(t) & \forall t \in [-a, 0]; \\ \dot{x}(t) \in C(x(t)) & \forall t \in [0, T]; \\ x(t) = \varphi(t) & \forall t \in [-a, 0], \end{cases}$$

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where C is a set-valued mapping, $N_{C(x(t))}^p(\dot{x}(t))$ denotes a prescribed normal cone to the set $C(x(t))$ at $\dot{x}(t)$, F is a set-valued mapping, measurable with respect to the first argument and Lipschitz continuous with respect to the third argument, φ and $\bar{\varphi}$ are two continuous functions.

Convex sweeping process was introduced and studied by Moreau (see for example [19]). We refer to [18] and [15] for a complete bibliography on the subject. Note that, the sweeping process is related to the modelization of elasto-plastic materials (see for example [20, 21]). For the sweeping process without convexity, we refer the reader to [1, 4] and the references therein.

The second order sweeping process has been studied by several authors. Castaing [9] studied, for the first time, the particular type of second order differential inclusions, $\ddot{x}(t) \in -N_{C(x(t))}(\dot{x}(t))$, $\dot{x}(t) \in C(x(t))$, where C is a convex compact set-valued mapping. Bounkhel and Laouir-Azzam [6] studied, in finite dimensional space, the perturbed problem $\ddot{x}(t) \in -N_{C(x(t))}(\dot{x}(t)) + F(t, \dot{x}(t))$ when C is nonconvex and the multifunction F is bounded with convex values. The same authors proved existence results, in Hilbert space, for the following perturbed problem $\ddot{x}(t) \in -N_{C(x(t))}(\dot{x}(t)) + F(t, x(t))$ when C is nonconvex and F is nonconvex and continuous. Bounkhel [5] proved several existence theorems, in separable Hilbert space, for the following general problem, which covers all the problems studied before and mentioned above, $\ddot{x}(t) \in -N_{C(x(t))}^p(\dot{x}(t)) + F(t, x(t), \dot{x}(t)) + G(t, x(t), \dot{x}(t))$, where C is nonconvex such that $C(x)$ is contained in compact convex set or C is anti-monotone and $C(x) \subset lB$ ($l \in \mathbb{R}$), F is a scalarly upper semicontinuous convex compact set-valued mapping, and G is a nonconvex compact continuous set-valued mapping. Azzam-Laouir [3] proved, in finite dimensional, the existence of solutions of the following problem $\ddot{x}(t) \in -N_{C(x(t))}(\dot{x}(t)) + F(t, x(t), \dot{x}(t))$ when F is mixed semicontinuous, C is Lipschitz and $C(x)$ is uniformly ρ -prox-regular. Bounkhel and Yarou [8] studied the second order sweeping process with delay $\ddot{x}(t) \in -N_{C(x(t))}(\dot{x}(t)) + F(t, T(t)x, T(t)\dot{x})$ when C is Lipschitz, $C(x)$ is uniformly ρ -prox-regular, $C(x)$ is contained in compact convex set, and F is scalarly upper semicontinuous with convex weakly compact values.

In this paper, our main purpose is to obtain the existence of solutions of the general problem (1.1), in the case when the perturbation F is a measurable multifunction with respect to the first argument and Lipschitz continuous with respect to the third argument with closed values, and C is Lipschitz multifunction such that $C(x)$ is uniformly ρ -prox-regular and $C(x)$ is contained in compact set. Note that the hypotheses imposed on the right-hand side, and methods of the proof are different from the above cited works. Indeed, in this paper

- F is not continuous (contrary to [5]), it is nonconvex (contrary to [6, 8]) and it is noncompact (contrary to [5, 8]).
- C is nonconvex and not contained in convex set (contrary to [5, 8, 9]).
- The space of states is infinite-dimensional (contrary to [3, 6]).

Furthermore, the construction of the sequence of approximate solutions is different from that used in [3, 5, 6, 8, 9].

The paper is organized as follows. In Section 2, we recall some preliminary facts that we need in the sequel while in Section 3, we prove our main result.

2. Preliminaries and statement of the main result

We need first to recall some notations and definitions that will be used in all the paper.

Let $V : H \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \cup \{+\infty\}$ be a lower semicontinuous function and x be any point where V is finite. The proximal subdifferential $\partial^p V(x)$ of V at x is the set of all $y \in H$, for which there exist $\delta, \sigma > 0$ such that for all $x' \in x + \delta \overline{B}$

$$\langle y, x' - x \rangle \leq V(x') - V(x) + \sigma \|x' - x\|^2.$$

Let S be a nonempty closed subset of H and x be a point in S . We recall (see [13]) that the proximal normal cone of S at x is defined by $N_S^p(x) := \partial^p \psi_S(x)$, where $\psi_S(\cdot)$ denotes the indicator function of S , i.e., $\psi_S(x) = 0$ if $x \in S$ and $+\infty$ otherwise.

Recall now that for a given $\rho \in]0, +\infty]$, a subset S is uniformly ρ -prox-regular (see [22]), or equivalently ρ -proximally smooth (see [13]), if and only if every nonzero proximal normal to S can be realized by an ρ -ball, this means that for all $\bar{x} \in S$ and all $\xi \in N_S^p(\bar{x}) \setminus \{0\}$ one has

$$\left\langle \frac{\xi}{\|\xi\|}, x - \bar{x} \right\rangle \leq \frac{1}{2\rho} \|x - \bar{x}\|^2$$

for all $x \in S$. We make the convention $\frac{1}{\rho} = 0$ for $\rho = +\infty$. Recall that for $\rho = +\infty$ the uniform ρ -prox-regularity of S is equivalent to the convexity of S .

The following propositions summarize some important consequences of uniform prox-regularity needed in the sequel.

Proposition 2.1 ([22]). *Let S be a nonempty closed subset in H and $x \in S$. The following assertions hold:*

- (i) $\partial^p d(x, S) = N_S^p(x) \cap \overline{B}$;
- (ii) *Let $\rho \in]0, +\infty]$. If S is uniformly ρ -prox-regular, then for all $x \in H$ with $d(x, S) < \rho$ one has $\text{Proj}_S(x) \neq \emptyset$ and $\partial^P d(x, S) = \partial^C d(x, S)$, where $\partial^C d(x, S)$ is the Clarke subdifferential of $d(\cdot, S)$ at x . So, in such a case, the subdifferential $\partial d(x, S) := \partial^P d(x, S) = \partial^C d(x, S)$ is a closed convex set in H .*
- (iii) *If S is uniformly ρ -prox-regular, then for all $x_i \in S$ and all $v_i \in N_S^p(x_i)$ with $\|v_i\| \leq \rho$ ($i = 1, 2$) one has*

$$\langle v_1 - v_2, x_1 - x_2 \rangle \geq -\|x_1 - x_2\|^2.$$

As a consequence of (iii) we get that for uniformly ρ -prox-regular sets, the proximal normal cone to S coincides with all the normal cones contained in the

Clarke normal cone at all points $x \in S$, i.e., $N_S^P(x) = N_S^C(x)$. In such a case, we put $N_S(x) := N_S^P(x) = N_S^C(x)$.

Proposition 2.2 ([7]). *Let $\rho \in]0, +\infty]$ and Ω be an open subset in H and let $C : \Omega \rightarrow 2^H$ be a Hausdorff-continuous set-valued mapping. Assume that C has uniformly ρ -prox-regular values. Then, the set-valued mapping given by $(z, x) \rightarrow \partial d_{C(z)}(x)$ from $\Omega \times H$ (endowed with the strong topology) to H (endowed with the weak topology) is upper semicontinuous, which is equivalent to the upper semicontinuous of the function $(z, x) \rightarrow \sigma(\partial d_{C(z)}(x), p)$ for any $p \in H$. Here $\sigma(S, p)$ denotes the support function associated with S , i.e., $\sigma(S, p) = \sup_{s \in S} \langle s, p \rangle$.*

Let us recall the following lemmas that will be used in the sequel.

Lemma 2.3 ([23]). *Let Ω be a nonempty set in H . Assume that $F : [a, b] \times \Omega \rightarrow 2^H$ is a multifunction with nonempty closed values satisfying:*

- *For every $x \in \Omega$, $F(\cdot, x)$ is measurable on $[a, b]$;*
- *For every $t \in [a, b]$, $F(t, \cdot)$ is (Hausdorff) continuous on Ω .*

Then for any measurable function $x(\cdot) : [a, b] \rightarrow \Omega$, the multifunction $F(\cdot, x(\cdot))$ is measurable on $[a, b]$.

Lemma 2.4 ([23]). *Let $G : [a, b] \rightarrow 2^H$ be a measurable multifunction and $y(\cdot) : [a, b] \rightarrow H$ a measurable function. Then for any positive measurable function $r(\cdot) : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$, there exists a measurable selection $g(\cdot)$ of G such that for almost all $t \in [a, b]$*

$$\|g(t) - y(t)\| \leq d(y(t), G(t)) + r(t).$$

If B is a bounded set of H , then the Kuratowski's measure of noncompactness of B , $\beta(B)$, is defined by

$$\beta(B) = \inf\{d > 0 : B \text{ admits a finite number of sets with diameter less than } d\}.$$

In the following lemma we recall some useful properties for the measure of noncompactness β . For instance see Proposition 9.1 [14].

Lemma 2.5. *Let X be an infinite dimensional real Banach space and D_1, D_2 be two bounded subsets of X .*

- (i) $\beta(D_1) = 0 \Leftrightarrow D_1$ is relatively compact.
- (ii) $\beta(\lambda D_1) = |\lambda| \beta(D_1)$; $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$.
- (iii) $D_1 \subseteq D_2 \Rightarrow \beta(D_1) \leq \beta(D_2)$.
- (iv) $\beta(D_1 + D_2) \leq \beta(D_1) + \beta(D_2)$.
- (v) If $x_0 \in X$ and r is a positive real number, then $\beta(B(x_0, r)) = 2r$.

Assume that the following hypotheses hold:

- (H1) $C : H \rightarrow 2^H$ is a k -Lipschitz set-valued map with nonempty closed values satisfying

- (a) For each $x \in H$, $C(x)$ is ρ -prox-regular for some fixed $\rho \in]0, +\infty]$;
- (b) There exists a compact subset L of H such that $C(x) \subseteq L$ for all $x \in H$;
- (H2) $F : [0, b] \times \mathcal{C}_a \times \mathcal{C}_a \rightarrow 2^H$ is a set-valued map with nonempty closed values satisfying
 - (i) For each $\psi, \phi \in \mathcal{C}_a$, $t \mapsto F(t, \psi, \phi)$ is measurable;
 - (ii) There exists a function $m(\cdot) \in L^1([0, b], \mathbb{R}^+)$ such that for all $t \in [0, b]$ and for all $\psi, \phi_1, \phi_2 \in \mathcal{C}_a$

$$H(F(t, \psi, \phi_1), F(t, \psi, \phi_2)) \leq m(t)\|\phi_1 - \phi_2\|_\infty;$$

- (iii) For all bounded subset S of $\mathcal{C}_a \times \mathcal{C}_a$, there exist three functions $g_S(\cdot), p_S(\cdot), q_S(\cdot) \in L^1([0, b], \mathbb{R}^+)$ such that for all $t \in [0, b]$ and for all $(\psi, \phi) \in S$

$$F(t, \psi, \phi) \cap \overline{B}(0, g_S(t) + p_S(t)\|\psi\|_\infty + q_S(t)\|\phi\|_\infty) \neq \emptyset.$$

We established the following result:

Theorem 2.6. *If assumptions (H1) and (H2) are satisfied, then for all $\varphi, \bar{\varphi} \in \mathcal{C}_a$ such that $\bar{\varphi}(0) \in C(\varphi(0))$, there exist $T > 0$, $r > 0$, $M > 0$, and a continuous function $x(\cdot) : [-a, T] \rightarrow H$ such that $x(\cdot)$ and $\dot{x}(\cdot)$ are absolutely continuous on $[0, T]$, $\dot{x}(\cdot)$ is continuous on $[-a, T]$, and $x(\cdot)$ is a solution of*

$$(2.1) \quad \begin{cases} \ddot{x}(t) \in -N_{C(x(t))}^p(\dot{x}(t)) + F(t, T(t)x, T(t)\dot{x}) & \text{a.e. on } [0, T]; \\ \dot{x}(t) = \bar{\varphi}(t), & \forall t \in [-a, 0]; \\ \dot{x}(t) \in C(x(t)), & \forall t \in [0, T]; \\ x(t) = \varphi(t), & \forall t \in [-a, 0], \end{cases}$$

and satisfies

$$\|\dot{x}(t)\| \leq kM + 2g(t) + 2p(t)(\|\varphi\|_\infty + r) + 2q(t)(\|\bar{\varphi}\|_\infty + r)$$

for almost all $t \in [0, T]$.

3. Proof of the main result

Fix $\varphi, \bar{\varphi} \in \mathcal{C}_a$ such that $\bar{\varphi}(0) \in C(\varphi(0))$. Let $r > 0$ and $g(\cdot), p(\cdot), q(\cdot) \in L^1([0, b], \mathbb{R}^+)$ such that for all $(t, \psi, \phi) \in [0, b] \times \overline{B}_a(\varphi, r) \times \overline{B}_a(\bar{\varphi}, r)$

$$F(t, \psi, \phi) \cap \overline{B}(0, g(t) + p(t)\|\psi\|_\infty + q(t)\|\phi\|_\infty) \neq \emptyset.$$

The set L is compact in H and so there exists $M > 0$ such that $L \subset M\overline{B}$. For simplification, set $\delta(t) = g(t) + p(t)(\|\varphi\|_\infty + r) + q(t)(\|\bar{\varphi}\|_\infty + r)$ for all $t \in [0, b]$. Let $T_1 > 0$ such that

$$(3.1) \quad \int_0^{T_1} (kM + 2\delta(s)) ds < \inf \left\{ \frac{r}{2}, \frac{\rho}{2} \right\}.$$

For $\varepsilon > 0$ set
(3.2)

$$\begin{aligned} & \eta(\varepsilon) \\ = & \sup \left\{ \gamma \in]0, \varepsilon] : \left| \int_{t_1}^{t_2} (kM + 2\delta(s)) ds \right| < \varepsilon, \right. \\ & \left. \|\varphi(t_1) - \varphi(t_2)\| < \varepsilon \text{ and } \|\bar{\varphi}(t_1) - \bar{\varphi}(t_2)\| < \varepsilon \text{ if } |t_1 - t_2| < \gamma \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Put

$$(3.3) \quad T = \min \left\{ T_1, \frac{1}{2} \eta\left(\frac{r}{2}\right), b, \frac{r}{2M} \right\}.$$

We will used the following lemma to prove main result.

Lemma 3.1. *If assumptions (H1) and (H2) are satisfied, then for all $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$ and for all $y(\cdot) \in L^1([0, T], H)$, there exist two continuous mappings $x_n(\cdot) : [-a, T] \rightarrow H$, $u_n(\cdot) : [-a, T] \rightarrow H$, a step functions $\theta_n(\cdot), \bar{\theta}_n(\cdot) : [0, T] \rightarrow [0, T]$ and $f_n(\cdot) \in L^1([0, T], H)$ such that*

- (a) $f_n(t) \in F(t, T(\theta_n(t))x_n, T(\theta_n(t))u_n) \cap \bar{B}(0, g(t) + p(t)\|T(\theta_n(t))x_n\|_\infty + q(t)\|T(\theta_n(t))u_n\|_\infty)$, $u_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t)) \in C(x_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t)))$ for all $t \in [0, T]$;
- (b) $\|f_n(t) - y(t)\| \leq d(y(t), F(t, T(\theta_n(t))x_n, T(\theta_n(t))u_n)) + \frac{1}{n}$ for all $t \in [0, T]$;
- (c) $(\dot{u}_n(t) - f_n(t)) \in -N_{C(x_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t)))}(u_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t)))$ for almost all $t \in [0, T]$;
- (d) $\|\dot{u}_n(t) - f_n(t)\| \leq kM + \delta(t)$ for almost every $t \in [0, T]$.

Proof. Fix $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$ and let $y(\cdot) : [0, T] \rightarrow H$ be a measurable function. Consider a sequence $(P_n)_n$ of subdivisions of $[0, T]$:

$$P_n = \{0 = t_0^n < t_1^n < \dots < t_i^n < \dots < t_{2^n}^n = T\},$$

where $t_i^n = i \frac{T}{2^n}$, $0 < i < 2^n$. Let us define the sequences $(x_n)_n$ and $(u_n)_n$ of approximate solutions as follows. Set $x_n(s) = \varphi(s)$ and $u_n(s) = \bar{\varphi}(s)$ for all $s \in [-a, 0]$. Put $x_0^n = \varphi(0)$ and $u_0^n = \bar{\varphi}(0) \in C(x_n(t_0^n))$. By Lemma 2.3, $t \mapsto F(t, T(0)x_n, T(0)u_n)$ is a measurable multifunction, then by Theorem III.40 and Theorem III.41 in [11]

$$t \mapsto F(t, T(0)x_n, T(0)u_n) \cap \bar{B}(0, g(t) + p(t)\|T(0)x_n\|_\infty + q(t)\|T(0)u_n\|_\infty)$$

is a measurable multifunction. In view of Lemma 2.4, there exists a function $f_0^n \in L^1([t_0^n, t_1^n], H)$ such that

$$f_0^n(t) \in F(t, T(0)x_n, T(0)u_n) \cap \bar{B}(0, g(t) + p(t)\|T(0)x_n\|_\infty + q(t)\|T(0)u_n\|_\infty)$$

and

$$\|f_0^n(t) - y(t)\| \leq d(y(t), F(t, T(0)x_n, T(0)u_n)) + \frac{1}{n}$$

for all $t \in [t_0^n, t_1^n]$. Set

$$x_n(t) = x_0^n + (t - t_0^n)u_0^n, \quad \forall t \in [t_0^n, t_1^n]$$

and put $x_n(t_1^n) = x_1^n$. By (H1) and (3.1), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
& d_{C(x_n(t_1^n))} \left(u_0^n + \int_{t_0^n}^{t_1^n} f_0^n(s) ds \right) \\
& \leq H(C(x_n(t_1^n)), C(x_n(t_0^n))) + \int_{t_0^n}^{t_1^n} \|f_0^n(s)\| ds \\
& \leq k \|x_n(t_1^n) - x_n(t_0^n)\| + \int_{t_0^n}^{t_1^n} \|f_0^n(s)\| ds \\
& \leq k \int_{t_0^n}^{t_1^n} \|u_0^n\| ds + \int_{t_0^n}^{t_1^n} \|f_0^n(s)\| ds \\
& \leq \int_{t_0^n}^{t_1^n} (kM + g(s) + p(s)\|\varphi\|_\infty + q(s)\|\bar{\varphi}\|_\infty) ds \\
& \leq \frac{\rho}{2}.
\end{aligned}$$

As C has uniformly ρ -prox-regular values, by Proposition 2.1, we have

$$Proj_{C(x_n(t_1^n))} \left(u_0^n + \int_{t_0^n}^{t_1^n} f_0^n(s) ds \right) \neq \emptyset.$$

Then, one can choose a point u_1^n in

$$Proj_{C(x_n(t_1^n))} \left(u_0^n + \int_{t_0^n}^{t_1^n} f_0^n(s) ds \right).$$

Note that $u_1^n \in C(x_n(t_1^n))$ and

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left\| u_1^n - \left(u_0^n + \int_{t_0^n}^{t_1^n} f_0^n(s) ds \right) \right\| \\
& = d_{C(x_n(t_1^n))} \left(u_0^n + \int_{t_0^n}^{t_1^n} f_0^n(s) ds \right) \\
& \leq \int_{t_0^n}^{t_1^n} (kM + g(s) + p(s)\|\varphi\|_\infty + q(s)\|\bar{\varphi}\|_\infty) ds.
\end{aligned}$$

On the other hand, by (3.1), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
& \|u_1^n - \bar{\varphi}(0)\| \\
& \leq \left\| u_1^n - \left(u_0^n + \int_{t_0^n}^{t_1^n} f_0^n(s) ds \right) \right\| + \int_{t_0^n}^{t_1^n} \|f_0^n(s)\| ds \\
& \leq \int_{t_0^n}^{t_1^n} (kM + 2g(s) + 2p(s)\|\varphi\|_\infty + 2q(s)\|\bar{\varphi}\|_\infty) ds \\
& \leq \frac{r}{2}.
\end{aligned}$$

Then $u_1^n \in \overline{B}(\bar{\varphi}(0), r)$. Now, set

$$u_n(t) = u_0^n + \frac{\alpha(t) - \alpha(t_0^n)}{\alpha(t_1^n) - \alpha(t_0^n)} \left(u_1^n - u_0^n - \int_{t_0^n}^{t_1^n} f_0^n(s) ds \right) + \int_{t_0^n}^t f_0^n(s) ds$$

for all $t \in [t_0^n, t_1^n]$, where

$$\alpha(t) = \int_0^t (kM + \delta(s)) ds, \quad \forall t \in [0, T].$$

So for all $t \in [t_0^n, t_1^n]$

$$\begin{aligned} & \|u_n(t) - \bar{\varphi}(0)\| \\ & \leq \frac{\alpha(t) - \alpha(t_0^n)}{\alpha(t_1^n) - \alpha(t_0^n)} \left\| u_1^n - u_0^n - \int_{t_0^n}^{t_1^n} f_0^n(s) ds \right\| + \int_{t_0^n}^t \|f_0^n(s)\| ds \\ & \leq \alpha(t) - \alpha(t_0^n) + \int_{t_0^n}^t \delta(s) ds \\ & \leq \int_{t_0^n}^t (kM + 2\delta(s)) ds \\ & \leq \frac{r}{2} \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\|x_n(t) - \varphi(0)\| = \left\| \int_{t_0^n}^t u_0^n ds \right\| \leq \int_{t_0^n}^t \|u_0^n\| ds \leq \int_{t_0^n}^t M ds \leq \frac{r}{2}$$

which equivalent to $u_n(t) \in \overline{B}(\bar{\varphi}(0), \frac{r}{2})$ and $x_n(t) \in \overline{B}(\varphi(0), \frac{r}{2})$ for all $t \in [t_0^n, t_1^n]$. Now, we have to estimate $\|(T(t_1^n)x_n)(s) - \varphi(s)\|$ and $\|(T(t_1^n)u_n)(s) - \bar{\varphi}(s)\|$ for each $s \in [-a, 0]$. If $-t_1^n \leq s \leq 0$, then $t_1^n + s \in [t_0^n, t_1^n]$. Thus, by the fact that $|s| \leq t_1^n \leq T < \eta(\frac{r}{2})$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|(T(t_1^n)x_n)(s) - \varphi(s)\| &= \|x_n(t_1^n + s) - \varphi(s)\| \\ &\leq \|x_n(t_1^n + s) - \varphi(0)\| + \|\varphi(s) - \varphi(0)\| \\ &\leq r \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \|(T(t_1^n)u_n)(s) - \bar{\varphi}(s)\| &= \|u_n(t_1^n + s) - \bar{\varphi}(s)\| \\ &\leq \|u_n(t_1^n + s) - \bar{\varphi}(0)\| + \|\bar{\varphi}(s) - \bar{\varphi}(0)\| \\ &\leq r. \end{aligned}$$

If $-a \leq s \leq -t_1^n$, then $t_1^n + s \in [-a, 0]$. So

$$\|(T(t_1^n)x_n)(s) - \varphi(s)\| = \|\varphi(t_1^n + s) - \varphi(s)\| \leq r$$

and

$$\|(T(t_1^n)u_n)(s) - \bar{\varphi}(s)\| = \|\bar{\varphi}(t_1^n + s) - \bar{\varphi}(s)\| \leq r.$$

Therefore, $T(t_1^n)x_n \in \overline{B}_a(\varphi, r)$ and $T(t_1^n)u_n \in \overline{B}_a(\bar{\varphi}, r)$.

We reiterate this process for constructing sequences $(f_i^n(\cdot))_i, (x_i^n)_i, (u_i^n)_i$ satisfying, for all $0 \leq i \leq 2^n - 1$ and for all $t \in [t_i^n, t_{i+1}^n]$, the following assertions:

$$\begin{aligned} f_i^n(t) &\in F(t, T(t_i^n)x_n, T(t_i^n)u_n) \\ &\cap \overline{B}(0, g(t) + p(t)\|T(t_i^n)x_n\|_\infty + q(t)\|T(t_i^n)u_n\|_\infty), \\ u_0^n &\in C(x_n(t_0^n)), u_{i+1}^n \in C(x_n(t_{i+1}^n)) \cap \overline{B}(\bar{\varphi}(0), r), \\ x_n(t) &\in \overline{B}(\varphi(0), \frac{r}{2}), T(t_i^n)x_n \in \overline{B}_a(\varphi, r), \\ u_n(t) &\in \overline{B}(\bar{\varphi}(0), \frac{r}{2}), T(t_i^n)u_n \in \overline{B}_a(\bar{\varphi}, r), \\ \|f_i^n(t) - y(t)\| &\leq d(y(t), F(t, T(t_i^n)x_n, T(t_i^n)u_n)) + \frac{1}{n}, \end{aligned}$$

$$(3.4) \quad u_{i+1}^n \in Proj_{C(x_n(t_{i+1}^n))} \left(u_i^n + \int_{t_i^n}^{t_{i+1}^n} f_i^n(s) ds \right),$$

$$(3.5) \quad \left\| u_{i+1}^n - \left(u_i^n + \int_{t_i^n}^{t_{i+1}^n} f_i^n(s) ds \right) \right\| \leq \int_{t_i^n}^{t_{i+1}^n} (kM + \delta(s)) ds,$$

$$u_n(t) = u_i^n + \frac{\alpha(t) - \alpha(t_i^n)}{\alpha(t_{i+1}^n) - \alpha(t_i^n)} \left(u_{i+1}^n - u_i^n - \int_{t_i^n}^{t_{i+1}^n} f_i^n(s) ds \right) + \int_{t_i^n}^t f_i^n(s) ds.$$

$$x_n(t) = x_i^n + (t - t_i^n)u_i^n.$$

Now, we define the functions $\theta_n(\cdot), \bar{\theta}_n(\cdot) : [0, T] \rightarrow [0, T]$ and $f_n(\cdot) \in L^1([0, T], H)$ by setting for all $t \in [t_i^n, t_{i+1}^n]$

$$\theta_n(t) = t_i^n, \theta_n(T) = T, f_n(t) = f_i^n(t), f_n(T) = f_{2^n-1}^n(T),$$

and for all $t \in]t_i^n, t_{i+1}^n]$

$$\bar{\theta}_n(t) = t_{i+1}^n, \bar{\theta}_n(0) = 0.$$

At this stage, the assertions (a)-(b) in Lemma 3.1 are satisfied. Next, we claim that $x_n(\cdot)$ and $u_n(\cdot)$ are absolutely continuous. Indeed, for all $0 \leq i \leq 2^n - 1$ and for all t and s in $[t_i^n, t_{i+1}^n]$, $s < t$, one has

$$x_n(t) - x_n(s) = (t - s)u_i^n$$

and

$$u_n(t) - u_n(s) = \frac{\alpha(t) - \alpha(s)}{\alpha(t_{i+1}^n) - \alpha(t_i^n)} \left(u_{i+1}^n - u_i^n - \int_{t_i^n}^{t_{i+1}^n} f_i^n(s) ds \right) + \int_s^t f_i^n(\tau) d\tau.$$

Then, by (3.5) we get

$$(3.6) \quad \|x_n(t) - x_n(s)\| \leq (t - s)M$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \|u_n(t) - u_n(s)\| \\
 (3.7) \quad &= \frac{\alpha(t) - \alpha(s)}{\alpha(t_{i+1}^n) - \alpha(t_i^n)} \left\| u_{i+1}^n - u_i^n - \int_{t_i^n}^{t_{i+1}^n} f_i^n(s) ds \right\| + \int_s^t \delta(\tau) d\tau \\
 &\leq \int_s^t (kM + 2\delta(\tau)) d\tau.
 \end{aligned}$$

By addition, this last inequalities hold for all $s, t \in [0, T]$ with $s < t$. Hence $x_n(\cdot)$ and $u_n(\cdot)$ are absolutely continuous. Remark that for all $0 \leq i \leq 2^n - 1$ and for almost every t in $[t_i^n, t_{i+1}^n]$,

$$(3.8) \quad \dot{u}_n(t) = \frac{\dot{\alpha}(t)}{\alpha(t_{i+1}^n) - \alpha(t_i^n)} \left(u_{i+1}^n - u_i^n - \int_{t_i^n}^{t_{i+1}^n} f_i^n(s) ds \right) + f_n(t).$$

Then, by (3.5) we obtain for almost every $t \in [0, T]$

$$\|\dot{u}_n(t) - f_n(t)\| \leq kM + \delta(t).$$

Also by construction and the relation (3.4), we have for almost every $t \in [0, T]$

$$(\dot{u}_n(t) - f_n(t)) \in -N_{C(x_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t)))}(u_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t))).$$

Then the proof is complete. \square

Proof of Theorem 2.6. In view of Lemma 3.1, we can define inductively sequences $(f_n(\cdot))_{n \geq 1} \subset L^1([0, T], H)$, $(x_n(\cdot))_{n \geq 1}$, $(u_n(\cdot))_{n \geq 1} \subset \mathcal{C}([-a, T], H)$ and $(\theta_n(\cdot))_{n \geq 1}$, $(\bar{\theta}_n(\cdot))_{n \geq 1} \subset S([0, T], [0, T])$; where $S([0, T], [0, T])$ denotes the space of step functions from $[0, T]$ into $[0, T]$; such that

- (1) $f_n(t) \in F(t, T(\theta_n(t))x_n, T(\theta_n(t))u_n) \cap \overline{B}(0, g(t) + p(t)\|T(\theta_n(t))x_n\|_\infty + q(t)\|T(\theta_n(t))u_n\|_\infty)$, $u_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t)) \in C(x_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t)))$ for all $t \in [0, T]$;
- (2) $\|f_{n+1}(t) - f_n(t)\| \leq d(f_n(t), F(t, T(\theta_{n+1}(t))x_{n+1}, T(\theta_{n+1}(t))u_{n+1})) + \frac{1}{n+1}$ for all $t \in [0, T]$;
- (3) $(\dot{u}_n(t) - f_n(t)) \in -N_{C(x_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t)))}(u_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t)))$ for almost all $t \in [0, T]$;
- (4) $\|\dot{u}_n(t) - f_n(t)\| \leq kM + \delta(t)$ for almost every $t \in [0, T]$.

Firstly, note that

$$x_n(t) = x_0 + \int_0^t \bar{u}_n(s) ds, \quad \forall t \in [0, T],$$

where $\bar{u}_n(t) = u_i^n \in L$ for all $t \in [t_i^n, t_{i+1}^n]$ and for all $0 \leq i \leq 2^n - 1$. Then for all $t \in [0, T]$, $x_n(t) \in x_0 + [0, T]L$ which is compact. Since $\|\dot{x}_n(t)\| \leq M$, for almost every $t \in [0, T]$, by Arzela-Ascoli's Theorem (see [2]), we can select a subsequence, again denoted by $(x_n(\cdot))_n$ which converges uniformly to an absolutely continuous function $x(\cdot)$ on $[0, T]$, moreover $\dot{x}_n(\cdot)$ converges weakly to $\dot{x}(\cdot)$ in $L^1([0, T], H)$. Also, since all functions $x_n(\cdot)$ agree with $\varphi(\cdot)$ on $[-a, 0]$, we can obviously say that $x_n(\cdot)$ converges uniformly to $x(\cdot)$ on $[-a, T]$, if we

extend $x(\cdot)$ in such a way that $x(\cdot) \equiv \varphi(\cdot)$ on $[-a, 0]$. Secondly, from (4) we deduce

$$(3.9) \quad \|\dot{u}_n(t)\| \leq kM + 2\delta(t)$$

for almost every $t \in [0, T]$. In order to apply Arzela-Ascoli's Theorem we are going to show that for every $t \in [0, T]$ the set $Z(t) = \{u_n(t) : n \geq 1\}$ is relatively compact in H . By construction we have for all $n \geq 1$ and all $t \in [0, T]$, $u_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t)) \in C(x_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t))) \subset L$. Thus for all $t \in [0, T]$ the set $\{u_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t)) : n \geq 1\}$ is relatively compact in H . Now, for all $t \in [0, T]$

$$\begin{aligned} \beta(Z(t)) &= \beta\{u_n(t) : n \geq 1\} \\ &= \beta\{u_n(t) - u_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t)) + u_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t)) : n \geq 1\}. \end{aligned}$$

From (iv) of Lemma 2.5 we get

$$\beta(Z(t)) \leq \beta\{u_n(t) - u_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t)) : n \geq 1\} + \beta\{u_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t)) : n \geq 1\}.$$

Since the set $\{u_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t)) : n \geq 1\}$ is relatively compact in H , by (i) of Lemma 2.5, $\beta\{u_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t)) : n \geq 1\} = 0$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} \beta(Z(t)) &\leq \beta\{u_n(t) - u_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t)) : n \geq 1\} \\ &\leq \beta\left\{\int_t^{\bar{\theta}_n(t)} \dot{u}_n(s) ds : n \geq 1\right\}. \end{aligned}$$

By relation (3.9) and (v) of Lemma 2.5 we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \beta(Z(t)) &\leq \beta\left\{B\left(0, \int_t^{\bar{\theta}_n(t)} (kM + 2\delta(s)) ds\right)\right\} \\ &= 2 \int_t^{\bar{\theta}_n(t)} (kM + 2\delta(s)) ds. \end{aligned}$$

Since the right term of the above inequality converges to 0 as $n \rightarrow \infty$, $\beta(Z(t)) = 0$. Hence $Z(t)$ is relatively compact in H . By Arzela-Ascoli's Theorem, we can select a subsequence, again denoted by $(u_n(\cdot))_n$ which converges uniformly to an absolutely continuous function $u(\cdot)$ on $[0, T]$, moreover $\dot{u}_n(\cdot)$ converges weakly to $\dot{u}(\cdot)$ in $L^1([0, T], H)$. Also, since all functions $u_n(\cdot)$ agree with $\bar{\varphi}(\cdot)$ on $[-a, 0]$, we can say, as above, that $u_n(\cdot)$ converges uniformly to $u(\cdot)$ on $[-a, T]$. Additionally, observe that $x_n(\bar{\theta}_n(\cdot))$ converges uniformly to $x(\cdot)$ and $u_n(\bar{\theta}_n(\cdot))$ converges uniformly to $u(\cdot)$ on $[0, T]$. Indeed, by (3.6) and (3.7) for all $t \in [0, T]$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|x_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t)) - x(t)\| &\leq \|x_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t)) - x_n(t)\| + \|x_n(t) - x(t)\| \\ &\leq (t - \bar{\theta}_n(t))M + \|x_n(t) - x(t)\| \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \|u_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t)) - u(t)\| &\leq \|u_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t)) - u_n(t)\| + \|u_n(t) - u(t)\| \\ &\leq \int_t^{\bar{\theta}_n(t)} (kM + 2\delta(s))ds + \|u_n(t) - u(t)\|. \end{aligned}$$

The right term of the above inequalities converge to 0, it follows that $x_n(\bar{\theta}_n(\cdot))$ converges uniformly to $x(\cdot)$ and $u_n(\bar{\theta}_n(\cdot))$ converges uniformly to $u(\cdot)$ on $[0, T]$. Therefore, for all $t \in [0, T]$, there exists $0 \leq i \leq 2^n - 1$ such that $t \in [t_i^n, t_{i+1}^n]$. By (H1) and (3.6), we have

$$\begin{aligned} d(u_n(t), C(x(t))) &\leq \|u_n(t) - u_n(t_i^n)\| + d(u_n(t_i^n), C(x(t))) \\ &\leq \|u_n(t) - u_n(t_i^n)\| + H(C(x_n(t_i^n)), C(x(t))) \\ &\leq \int_{t_i^n}^t (kM + 2\delta(\tau))d\tau + k\|x_n(t_i^n) - x(t)\|. \end{aligned}$$

The right term of the above inequality converges to 0 if $n \rightarrow +\infty$. Then we conclude that $u(t) \in C(x(t))$ for all $t \in [0, T]$.

Claim 3.2. $\dot{x}(t) = u(t)$ for almost all $t \in [0, T]$.

Proof. Let $t \in [0, T]$ such that $\dot{x}_n(t)$ and $\dot{x}(t)$ exist. There exists $0 \leq i \leq 2^n - 1$ such that $t \in [t_i^n, t_{i+1}^n]$. By construction we have

$$\begin{aligned} &\|\dot{x}_n(t) - u_n(t)\| \\ &\leq \left\| \frac{\alpha(t) - \alpha(t_i^n)}{\alpha(t_{i+1}^n) - \alpha(t_i^n)} \left(u_{i+1}^n - u_i^n - \int_{t_i^n}^{t_{i+1}^n} f_i^n(s)ds \right) \right\| + \left\| \int_{t_i^n}^t f_i^n(s)ds \right\| \\ &\leq \alpha(t) - \alpha(t_i^n) + \int_{t_i^n}^t \delta(s)ds \\ &\leq \int_{t_i^n}^t (kM + 2\delta(s))ds. \end{aligned}$$

Let $\varepsilon > 0$. Since $\frac{T}{2^n}$ converges to 0, there exists $n_0 \in \mathbb{N}$ such that for all $n \geq n_0$, $|t_i^n - t| \leq \frac{T}{2^n} < \eta(\frac{\varepsilon}{2})$. Hence by (3.2)

$$\|\dot{x}_n(t) - u_n(t)\| \leq \varepsilon, \quad \forall n \geq n_0.$$

Now, since

$$\|\dot{x}_n(t) - u(t)\| \leq \|\dot{x}_n(t) - u_n(t)\| + \|u_n(t) - u(t)\|,$$

we deduce that $\dot{x}_n(\cdot)$ converges uniformly to $u(\cdot)$, so $\dot{x}(t) = u(t)$ and $\ddot{x}(t) = \dot{u}(t)$ for almost all $t \in [0, T]$. \square

Claim 3.3. $T(\theta_n(t))x_n$ converges to $T(t)x$ and $T(\theta_n(t))u_n$ converges to $T(t)u$ in \mathcal{C}_a .

Proof. Let us denote the modulus continuity of a function $\psi(\cdot)$ defined on interval I of \mathbb{R} by

$$\omega(\psi(\cdot), I, \eta) := \sup \{ \|\psi(t) - \psi(s)\| : s, t \in I, |s - t| < \eta \}.$$

Let $\varepsilon > 0$ and let $t, t' \in [0, T]$, assume that $0 \leq t' - t < \eta(\frac{\varepsilon}{2})$. By (3.2), (3.6) and (3.7), we have

$$\|x_n(t) - x_n(t')\| \leq (t' - t)M \leq \frac{\varepsilon}{2}$$

and

$$\|u_n(t) - u_n(t')\| \leq \int_t^{t'} (kM + 2\delta(s))ds \leq \frac{\varepsilon}{2}.$$

Hence

$$\omega\left(x_n(\cdot), [0, T], \eta\left(\frac{\varepsilon}{2}\right)\right) \leq \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \text{ and } \omega\left(u_n(\cdot), [0, T], \eta\left(\frac{\varepsilon}{2}\right)\right) \leq \frac{\varepsilon}{2}.$$

Also for $t, t' \in [-a, 0]$ such that $|t' - t| < \eta(\frac{\varepsilon}{2})$, by (3.2) we have

$$\|\varphi(t) - \varphi(t')\| < \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \text{ and } \|\bar{\varphi}(t) - \bar{\varphi}(t')\| < \frac{\varepsilon}{2}.$$

Then

$$\omega\left(\varphi(\cdot), [-a, 0], \eta\left(\frac{\varepsilon}{2}\right)\right) \leq \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \text{ and } \omega\left(\bar{\varphi}(\cdot), [-a, 0], \eta\left(\frac{\varepsilon}{2}\right)\right) \leq \frac{\varepsilon}{2}.$$

Now, let $t \in [0, T]$, since $\theta_n(t)$ converges to t , there exists $n_0 \in \mathbb{N}$ such that for all $n \geq n_0$, $|\theta_n(t) - t| < \eta(\frac{\varepsilon}{2})$. Then, for all $n \geq n_0$

$$\begin{aligned} & \|T(\theta_n(t))x_n - T(t)x_n\|_\infty \\ &= \sup_{-a \leq s \leq 0} \|x_n(\theta_n(t) + s) - x_n(t + s)\| \\ &\leq \omega\left(x_n(\cdot), [-a, T], \eta\left(\frac{\varepsilon}{2}\right)\right) \\ &\leq \omega\left(\varphi(\cdot), [-a, 0], \eta\left(\frac{\varepsilon}{2}\right)\right) + \omega\left(x_n(\cdot), [0, T], \eta\left(\frac{\varepsilon}{2}\right)\right) \\ &\leq \varepsilon \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} & \|T(\theta_n(t))u_n - T(t)u_n\|_\infty \\ &= \sup_{-a \leq s \leq 0} \|u_n(\theta_n(t) + s) - u_n(t + s)\| \\ &\leq \omega\left(u_n(\cdot), [-a, T], \eta\left(\frac{\varepsilon}{2}\right)\right) \\ &\leq \omega\left(\varphi(\cdot), [-a, 0], \eta\left(\frac{\varepsilon}{2}\right)\right) + \omega\left(u_n(\cdot), [0, T], \eta\left(\frac{\varepsilon}{2}\right)\right) \\ &\leq \varepsilon, \end{aligned}$$

hence $\|T(\theta_n(t))x_n - T(t)x_n\|_\infty$ and $\|T(\theta_n(t))u_n - T(t)u_n\|_\infty$ converge to 0 as $n \rightarrow +\infty$. Therefore, since the uniform convergence of $x_n(\cdot)$ to $x(\cdot)$ and the uniform convergence of $u_n(\cdot)$ to $u(\cdot)$ on $[-a, T]$ imply that $T(t)x_n$ converges

to $T(t)x$ and $T(t)u_n$ converges to $T(t)u$ uniformly on $[-a, 0]$, we deduce that $T(\theta_n(t))x_n$ converges to $T(t)x$ and $T(\theta_n(t))u_n$ converges to $T(t)u$ in \mathcal{C}_a . \square

Porposition 3.4. $x(\cdot)$ is a solution of (2.1).

Proof. Let $t \in [0, T]$, from (1) and (2) we deduce

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \|f_{n+1}(t) - f_n(t)\| \\
 & \leq H(F(t, T(\theta_n(t))x_n, T(\theta_n(t))u_n), F(t, T(\theta_{n+1}(t))x_{n+1}, \\
 (3.10) \quad & T(\theta_{n+1}(t))u_{n+1})) + \frac{1}{n+1} \\
 & \leq m(t)\|T(\theta_n(t))u_n - T(\theta_{n+1}(t))u_{n+1}\|_\infty + \frac{1}{n+1}.
 \end{aligned}$$

By Claim 3.3, $\|T(\theta_n(t))u_n - T(\theta_{n+1}(t))u_{n+1}\|_\infty$ converges to 0, then the right term of the relation (3.10) converges to 0. Hence $(f_n(t))_{n \geq 1}$ is a Cauchy sequence and $f_n(t)$ converges to $f(t)$. Moreover, observe that by (1),

$$\begin{aligned}
 & d(f(t), F(t, T(t)x, T(t)u)) \\
 & \leq \|f(t) - f_n(t)\| + H(F(t, T(\theta_n(t))x_n, T(\theta_n(t))u_n), F(t, T(t)x, T(t)u)) \\
 & \leq \|f(t) - f_n(t)\| + m(t)\|T(\theta_n(t))u_n - T(t)u\|_\infty.
 \end{aligned}$$

Since $f_n(t)$ converges to $f(t)$ and by Claim 3.3, the last term converges to 0. So that $f(t) \in F(t, T(t)x, T(t)u)$ for all $t \in [0, T]$. Now, the weak convergence of $\dot{u}_n(\cdot)$ to $\dot{u}(\cdot)$ in $L^1([0, T], H)$ and the Mazur's Lemma entail

$$\dot{u}(t) - f(t) \in \bigcap_n \bar{co} \{ \dot{u}_m(t) - f_m(t) : m \geq n \} \text{ for a.e. on } [0, T].$$

Fix any $t \in [0, T]$ and $y \in H$, we have

$$\langle y, \dot{u}(t) - f(t) \rangle \leq \inf_n \sup_{k \geq n} \langle y, \dot{u}_k(t) - f_k(t) \rangle.$$

By (3) and (4), one has

$$(\dot{u}_n(t) - f_n(t)) \in -N_{C(x_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t)))}(u_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t))) \cap \gamma(t)\bar{B},$$

where $\gamma(t) = kM + \delta(t)$. Hence, by Proposition 2.1 we get

$$(\dot{u}_n(t) - f_n(t)) \in -\gamma(t)\partial d_{C(x_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t)))}(u_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t))).$$

In view of Proposition 2.2, we deduce

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \langle y, \dot{u}(t) - f(t) \rangle \\
 & \leq \gamma(t) \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sigma \left(y, -\partial d_{C(x_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t)))}(u_n(\bar{\theta}_n(t))) \right) \\
 & \leq \gamma(t) \sigma \left(y, -\partial d_{C(x(t))}(u(t)) \right).
 \end{aligned}$$

So, the convexity and the closedness of the set $\partial d_{C(x(t))}(u(t))$ ensure

$$(\dot{u}(t) - f(t)) \in -\gamma(t)\partial d_{C(x(t))}(u(t)) \subset -N_{C(x(t))}(u(t)).$$

Finally, we have

$$\dot{u}(t) \in -N_{C(x(t))}(u(t)) + F(t, T(t)x, T(t)u)$$

and $u(t) \in C(x(t))$. By Claim 3.2, we get

$$\ddot{x}(t) \in -N_{C(x(t))}(\dot{x}(t)) + F(t, T(t)x, T(t)\dot{x})$$

and $\dot{x}(t) \in C(x(t))$. The proof is complete. \square

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