

---

**Research article**

## Solving functional integrodifferential equations with Liouville-Caputo fractional derivatives by fixed point techniques

**Manal Elzain Mohamed Abdalla<sup>1</sup> and Hasanen A. Hammad<sup>2,\*</sup>**

<sup>1</sup> Department of Mathematics, College of Science and Arts, King Khalid University, Mahayil, Saudi Arabia

<sup>2</sup> Department of Mathematics, College of Science, Qassim University, Buraydah 51452, Saudi Arabia

\* **Correspondence:** Email: h.abdelwareth@qu.edu.sa.

**Abstract:** The existence and uniqueness of solutions to fractional-order functional and neutral functional integrodifferential equations with infinite delay and multi-term fractional integral boundary conditions are investigated in this paper. Rigorous mathematical frameworks for analyzing these hybrid equations are established utilizing fixed point theorems. Notably, the fractional derivative is defined in the Liouville-Caputo sense, allowing for a comprehensive examination of nonlocal dynamics. Illustrative examples are provided to complement the theoretical results and demonstrate the applicability and practicality of the main results.

**Keywords:** fractional derivative; fixed point technique; existence result; evolution metrics; boundary value problem; phase space

**Mathematics Subject Classification:** 26A33, 34B10, 34B15, 74H10

---

### Abbreviations

FDE, fractional differential equation

LC, Liouville-Caputo

RL, Riemann-Liouville

BS, Banach space

FFIDE, fractional functional integrodifferential equation

BVP, boundary value problems

## 1. Introduction

The theory of fractional differential equations (FDEs) generalizes classical differential equations by introducing fractional derivatives, enabling the modeling of complex phenomena exhibiting non-locality, memory, and power-law behavior [1, 2]. FDEs have been extensively developed using various fractional derivatives, such as Riemann-Liouville (RL), Caputo, and Grünwald-Letnikov [3]. These equations describe anomalous diffusion, relaxation, and oscillation processes, making them suitable for modeling real-world problems in physics, engineering, and biology. FDEs have diverse applications across disciplines, including viscoelasticity [4], chaotic dynamics [5], image processing [6], model financial systems [7], population dynamics [8], and electrical circuits [9]. Recent studies have explored fractional-order controllers in robotics [10] and biomedical signal processing [11]. These applications demonstrate the versatility and potential of FDEs in describing complex systems.

Fractional calculus and fixed point theory have emerged as powerful tools in addressing optimization and inverse problems across various scientific and engineering disciplines. Fractional derivatives and integrals, with their inherent nonlocal properties, are particularly well-suited for modeling systems exhibiting memory effects and long-range dependencies, which are often encountered in optimization problems involving complex systems. Furthermore, fixed point (FP) methods, especially those tailored for non-smooth or set-valued mappings, provide robust frameworks for solving inverse problems, including those arising in image processing and signal reconstruction. The combination of fractional calculus and FP theory offers a synergistic approach, enabling the analysis and solution of challenging optimization and inverse problems that are often intractable using classical techniques. See [12–16] for more information.

Recent years have witnessed significant interest in boundary value problems (BVPs) of FDEs, encompassing various boundary conditions such as the existence and uniqueness of solutions to fractional boundary value problems [17–20], the existence and uniqueness of solutions to hybrid fractional systems under multi-point, periodic, and anti-periodic boundary conditions [21, 22], and the stability of mixed integral fractional delay dynamic system equations and pantograph differential equations under impulsive effects and nonlocal conditions [23, 24]. Integral boundary conditions, in particular, have far-reaching implications in applied fields like heat conduction, electric power networks, elastic stability, telecommunications and electric railway systems. Multi-point BVPs, arising from practical applications, also warrant attention. For example, the existence results for FDEs are established in [25–29]. Also, the existence of solutions to fractional functional differential equations [30], semilinear fractional differential inclusions [31], Hadamard fractional integro-differential equations [32], systems of multi-point boundary value problems [33], fractional hybrid delay differential equations [34], and nonlinear Atangana-Baleanu-type fractional differential equations [35–38] have been established. The theory of fractional functional BVPs remains underdeveloped, necessitating further research in mathematical modeling, numerical methods, and computational simulations to address the unresolved aspects.

Benchohra et al. [26] proved the existence of a solution via Leray-Schauder nonlinear alternative and uniqueness via Banach's FP theorem for fractional functional differential equations with infinite delay. Chauhan et al. [20] explored existence solutions for fractional integro-differential equations with impulses, infinite delay, and integral boundary conditions. Dabas and Gautam [39] examined existence results for impulsive neutral fractional integrodifferential equations featuring state-dependent delays

and integral boundary conditions.

Inspired by the contributions of [20, 26, 39], first, our study focuses on establishing existence and uniqueness results for a fractional functional integrodifferential equation (FFIDE) featuring infinite delay. It takes the form

$$\begin{cases} {}^{LC}D_s^p \varpi(s) = g(s, \varpi_s, \int_0^s \Omega(s, \vartheta, \varpi_\vartheta) d\vartheta, \int_0^\sigma \Upsilon(s, \vartheta, \varpi_\vartheta) d\vartheta), \quad p \in (2, 3], \quad s \in U = [0, \sigma] \\ \varpi(s) = \psi(s), \quad s \in (-\infty, 0] \\ \varpi(\sigma) = \sum_{j=1}^u b_j (I_{0^+}^{q_j} \varpi)(\lambda_j), \quad 0 < \lambda_1 < \lambda_2 < \dots < \lambda_u < \sigma, \end{cases} \quad (1.1)$$

where  ${}^{LC}D_s^p$  is the Liouville-Caputo (LC) fractional derivative with order  $p$ . Assume that  $\mathcal{U} = \{(\vartheta, \varpi_\vartheta) : 0 \leq \vartheta \leq s \leq \sigma\}$ ,  $\Xi$  is a BS, and  $\Theta$  is a phase space. Then  $g : U \times \Theta \times \Xi \rightarrow \Xi$ ,  $\Omega, \Upsilon : \mathcal{U} \times \Theta \rightarrow \Xi$  are continuous functions and  $\psi \in \Theta$ . Furthermore,  $I_{0^+}^{q_j}$  refers to the RL fractional integral of order  $q_j > 0$ , and  $b_j$  represents suitable real constants for  $j = 1, 2, \dots, u$ .

Supposing that  $\varpi : (-\infty, \sigma] \rightarrow \Theta$  and  $s \in U$ , we denote  $\varpi_s \in \Theta$  as an element defined by

$$\varpi_s(\xi) = \varpi(s + \xi), \quad \xi \in (-\infty, 0].$$

Throughout this manuscript, we suppose that  $\varpi_s(\cdot)$  is the historical state trajectory from time  $-\infty$  to  $s$ , and  $\varpi_s \in \Theta$ , where  $\Theta$  is an abstract phase space.

The second main result here is to investigate the existence and uniqueness of solutions to the neutral FFIDE with BVPs. It takes the form

$$\begin{cases} {}^{LC}D_s^p \left[ \varpi(s) - \int_0^s \frac{(s-\vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} h \left( \vartheta, \varpi_\vartheta, \int_0^\vartheta \Omega_1(\vartheta, \mu, \varpi_\mu) d\mu, \int_0^\sigma \Upsilon_1(\vartheta, \mu, \varpi_\mu) d\mu \right) \right] \\ = g(s, \varpi_s, \int_0^s \Omega_2(s, \vartheta, \varpi_\vartheta) d\vartheta, \int_0^\sigma \Upsilon_2(s, \vartheta, \varpi_\vartheta) d\vartheta) \quad p \in (2, 3], \quad s, \vartheta \in U = [0, \sigma] \\ \varpi(s) = \psi(s), \quad s \in (-\infty, 0] \\ \varpi(\sigma) = \sum_{j=1}^u b_j (I_{0^+}^{q_j} \varpi)(\lambda_j), \quad 0 < \lambda_1 < \lambda_2 < \dots < \lambda_u < \sigma, \end{cases} \quad (1.2)$$

where  $h, g : U \times \Theta \times \Xi \rightarrow \Xi$ ,  $\Omega_1, \Upsilon_1, \Omega_2$ , and  $\Upsilon_2 : \mathcal{U} \times \Theta \rightarrow \Xi$  are continuous functions.

- This paper provides a systematic exploration of fractional functional integrodifferential equations.
- Section 2 lays the groundwork by establishing the foundational definitions, notation, and preliminary results.
- Existence and uniqueness criteria for FFIDEs are developed in Section 3, employing both Krasnoselskii's FP and Banach's FP theorem.
- Building upon these findings, Section 4 extends the existence and uniqueness results to neutral FFIDEs with BVPs.
- The applicability and practicality of the theoretical framework are demonstrated through illustrative examples provided in Section 5.

## 2. Preliminary work

This section presents fundamental definitions, notation, and lemmas essential for the subsequent analysis. Let  $\Xi$  denote a BS equipped with the norm  $\|\cdot\|$ . Furthermore,  $C(U, \Xi)$  represents the BS of continuous functions from the interval  $U$  to  $\Xi$ , endowed with a uniform convergence topology and the norm  $\|\cdot\|_C$ .

**Definition 2.1.** [2] For the function  $g \in L^1(\mathbb{R}_+)$

(i) The RL fractional integral of order  $p > 0$  is given by

$$I_{0^+}^p g(\varsigma) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(p)} \int_0^\varsigma (\varsigma - \vartheta)^{p-1} g(\vartheta) d\vartheta,$$

whenever the integral exists.

(ii) The LC fractional derivative of order  $p \in (v-1, v]$  is described as

$${}^{LC}D_\varsigma^p g(\varsigma) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(v-p)} \int_0^\varsigma (\varsigma - \vartheta)^{v-p-1} g^{(v)}(\vartheta) d\vartheta,$$

where  $g$  has absolutely continuous derivatives up to order  $(v-1)$ .

**Remark 2.2.** It should be noted that, if we take  $v = 1$  in Definition 2.1 (ii), we have  $0 < p \leq 1$  and

$${}^{LC}D_\varsigma^p g(\varsigma) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(1-p)} \int_0^\varsigma (\varsigma - \vartheta)^p g'(\vartheta) d\vartheta,$$

where  $g'(\vartheta) = \frac{dg(\vartheta)}{d\vartheta}$ .

Now, for simplicity, we denote  ${}^{LC}D_\varsigma^p$  and  $I_{0^+}^p$  by  ${}^{LC}D^p$  and  $I^p$ , respectively.

**Lemma 2.3.** [2] Assume that  $p, q \geq 0$ , and  $g \in L^1[b, c]$ . Then, for all  $\varsigma \in [b, c]$ , we have

- (i)  $I^q I^p g(\varsigma) = I^{q+p} g(\varsigma) = I^p I^q g(\varsigma);$
- (ii)  ${}^{LC}D_\varsigma^p I^q g(\varsigma) = g(\varsigma).$

**Theorem 2.4.** [40] (Krasnoselskii's theorem) Assume that  $\Lambda \neq \emptyset$  is a closed and convex subset of a BS  $\Xi$  and that  $\mathfrak{I}, \mathfrak{R}$  are two operators satisfying

- (i) for  $\varpi, \varrho \in \Lambda$ ,  $\mathfrak{I}\varpi + \mathfrak{R}\varrho \in \Lambda$ ,
- (ii)  $\mathfrak{I}$  is continuous and compact,
- (iii)  $\mathfrak{R}$  is a contraction.

Then,  $w \in \Lambda$  exists such that  $w = \mathfrak{I}w + \mathfrak{R}w$ .

This paper considers a seminormed linear state space  $(\Theta, \|\cdot\|_\Theta)$  of functions from  $(-\infty, 0]$  to  $\Xi$  satisfying the following hypotheses of Hale and Kato [41]:

**(H<sub>1</sub>)** On the interval  $(-\infty, \sigma]$ , if  $\varpi : (-\infty, \sigma] \rightarrow \Xi$  is continuous and  $\varpi_0 \in \Theta$ , then for  $\varsigma \in U$ , we have the following stipulations:

- (1)  $\varpi_\varsigma \in \Theta$ ,
- (2)  $\|\varpi(\varsigma)\|_\Theta \leq \kappa \|\varpi_\varsigma\|_\Theta$ , where  $\kappa$  is a non-negative constant and is independent of  $\varpi(\cdot)$ ,
- (3) There is a continuous function  $N_1 : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  and a locally bounded function  $N_2 : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  in order that

$$\|\varpi_\varsigma\|_\Theta \leq N_1(\varsigma) \sup \{\|\varpi(\vartheta)\| : 0 \leq \vartheta \leq \varsigma\} + N_2(\varsigma) \|\varpi(\cdot)\|_\Theta,$$

where  $N_1$  and  $N_2$  are independent of  $\varpi(\cdot)$ .

**(H<sub>2</sub>)** The space  $\Theta$  is complete.

**(H<sub>3</sub>)** On the interval  $U$ ,  $\varpi_\varsigma$  is a B-valued continuous function, where  $\varpi(\cdot)$  is described in **(H<sub>1</sub>)**.

Here, we consider  $N_1^* = \sup_{\varsigma \in U} N_1(\varsigma)$  and  $N_2^* = \sup_{\varsigma \in U} N_2(\varsigma)$ .

### 3. Solving the FFIDE

This section is devoted to investigating the existence and uniqueness of solution to the considered problem (1.1) by applying Krasnoselskii's and Banach's FP theorems.

Assume the space

$$\widetilde{\mathcal{U}} = \{\varpi : (-\infty, \sigma] \rightarrow \Xi : \varpi_{(-\infty, 0]} \in \Theta \text{ and } \varpi_U \text{ is continuous}\},$$

and select  $P\varpi(\varsigma) = \int_0^\varsigma \Omega(\varsigma, \vartheta, \varpi_\vartheta) d\vartheta$ , and  $Q\varpi(\varsigma) = \int_0^\sigma \Upsilon(\varsigma, \vartheta, \varpi_\vartheta) d\vartheta$ .

**Definition 3.1.** We say that the function  $\varpi \in \widetilde{\mathcal{U}}$  is a solution to the FFIDE (1.1) if it fulfills the problem

$$\begin{cases} {}^{LC}D^p \varpi(\varsigma) = g(\varsigma, \varpi_\varsigma, P\varpi(\varsigma), Q\varpi(\varsigma)), \\ \varpi(\varsigma) = \psi(\varsigma), \varsigma \in (-\infty, 0], \\ \varpi(\sigma) = \sum_{j=1}^u b_j (I^{q_j} \varpi)(\lambda_j), 0 < \lambda_1 < \lambda_2 < \dots < \lambda_u < \sigma. \end{cases}$$

We initiate our analysis of the nonlinear problem (1.1) by examining its linear counterpart, thereby obtaining a foundational solution.

**Lemma 3.2.** Assume that  $\varpi(\varsigma) \in C(U, \Xi)$  satisfies the following problem:

$$\begin{cases} {}^{LC}D^p \varpi(\varsigma) = g(\varsigma), p \in (2, 3], \varsigma \in U, \\ \varpi(\varsigma) = \psi(\varsigma), \varsigma \in (-\infty, 0], \\ \varpi(\sigma) = \sum_{j=1}^u b_j (I^{q_j} \varpi)(\lambda_j), 0 < \lambda_1 < \lambda_2 < \dots < \lambda_u < \sigma. \end{cases} \quad (3.1)$$

Then the unique solution of the fractional BVP (3.1) can be written as

$$\varpi(\varsigma) = \begin{cases} \psi(\varsigma), \varsigma \in (-\infty, 0], \\ I^p g(\varsigma) + \frac{\varsigma}{B} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u b_j I^{q_j+p} g(\lambda_j) - I^p g(\sigma) \right) \\ + \psi(0) \left( 1 + \frac{\varsigma}{B} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u \frac{b_j \lambda_j^{q_j}}{\Gamma(q_j+1)} - 1 \right) \right), \varsigma \in U, \end{cases}$$

where  $B = \sigma - \sum_{j=1}^u \frac{b_j \lambda_j^{q_j+1}}{\Gamma(q_j+2)} \neq 0$ , provided that  $\sum_{j=1}^u \frac{b_j \lambda_j^{q_j}}{\Gamma(q_j+1)} > 1$ .

*Proof.* Suppose that  $\rho_0, \rho_1 \in \Xi$  are vector constants. Based on [2], the solution of (3.1) takes the form

$$\varpi(\varsigma) = I^p g(\varsigma) + \rho_0 + \rho_1 \varsigma. \quad (3.2)$$

Applying the condition  $\varpi(\varsigma) = \psi(\varsigma)$ , we get

$$\rho_0 = \psi(0). \quad (3.3)$$

Using the condition  $\varpi(\sigma) = \sum_{j=1}^u b_j (I^{q_j} \varpi)(\lambda_j)$ , we have

$$\rho_1 = \frac{1}{\left( \sigma - \sum_{j=1}^u \frac{b_j \lambda_j^{q_j+1}}{\Gamma(q_j+2)} \right)} \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^u b_j I^{q_j+p} g(\lambda_j) + \psi(0) \left( \sum_{j=1}^u \frac{b_j \lambda_j^{q_j}}{\Gamma(q_j+1)} - 1 \right) - I^p g(\sigma) \right\}. \quad (3.4)$$

From (3.3) and (3.4) in (3.2), we can write

$$\varpi(\varsigma) = I^p g(\varsigma) + \frac{\varsigma}{B} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u b_j I^{q_j+p} g(\lambda_j) - I^p g(\sigma) \right) + \psi(0) \left( 1 + \frac{\varsigma}{B} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u \frac{b_j \lambda_j^{q_j}}{\Gamma(q_j+1)} - 1 \right) \right).$$

□

After that, we need the following assertions:

(A<sub>1</sub>) For all  $\varsigma, \vartheta \in U, \psi_1, \psi_2 \in \Theta$  and  $\varpi_1, \varpi_2, \widetilde{\varpi}_1, \widetilde{\varpi}_2 \in \Xi, \ell_g, \ell_P, \ell_Q$  exist in order that

$$\begin{cases} \|g(\varsigma, \psi_1, \varpi_1, \widetilde{\varpi}_1) - g(\varsigma, \psi_2, \varpi_2, \widetilde{\varpi}_2)\|_{\Xi} \leq \ell_g (\|\psi_1 - \psi_2\|_{\Theta} + \|\varpi_1 - \varpi_2\|_{\Xi} + \|\widetilde{\varpi}_1 - \widetilde{\varpi}_2\|_{\Xi}), \\ \|P(\varsigma, \vartheta, \psi_1) - P(\varsigma, \vartheta, \psi_2)\|_{\Xi} \leq \ell_P \|\psi_1 - \psi_2\|_{\Theta}, \\ \|Q(\varsigma, \vartheta, \psi_1) - Q(\varsigma, \vartheta, \psi_2)\|_{\Xi} \leq \ell_Q \|\psi_1 - \psi_2\|_{\Theta}. \end{cases}$$

(A<sub>2</sub>) For all  $(\varsigma, \psi, \varpi_1, \varpi_2) \in U \times \Theta \times \Xi \times \Xi$  and  $(\varsigma, \vartheta, \psi) \in \mathfrak{U} \times \Theta, V_j \in L^1(U, \mathbb{R}_+)$  ( $j = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5$ ) exists such that

$$\begin{cases} \|g(\varsigma, \psi, \varpi_1, \varpi_2)\|_{\Xi} \leq V_1(\varsigma) \|\psi\|_{\Theta} + V_2(\varsigma) \|\varpi_1\|_{\Xi} + V_3(\varsigma) \|\varpi_2\|_{\Xi}, \\ \|P(\varsigma, \vartheta, \psi)\|_{\Xi} \leq V_4(\varsigma) \|\psi\|_{\Theta}, \\ \|Q(\varsigma, \vartheta, \psi)\|_{\Xi} \leq V_5(\varsigma) \|\psi\|_{\Theta}. \end{cases}$$

(A<sub>3</sub>) We consider  $S = \ell_g N_1^* \{\xi_1 + \xi_2 (\ell_P + \ell_Q)\} < 1$ , where

$$\begin{cases} \xi_1 = \left(1 + \frac{\sigma}{|B|}\right) v_1 + \frac{\sigma}{|B|} v_3, \\ \xi_2 = \left(1 + \frac{\sigma}{|B|}\right) v_2 + \frac{\sigma}{|B|} v_4, \\ v_1 = \frac{\sigma^p}{\Gamma(1+p)}, \quad v_2 = \frac{\sigma^{p+1}}{\Gamma(2+p)}, \\ v_3 = \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \frac{\lambda_j^{q_j+p}}{\Gamma(q_j+p+1)}, \quad v_4 = \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \frac{\lambda_j^{q_j+p+1}}{\Gamma(q_j+p+2)}. \end{cases}$$

Now, the first main result in this part is as follows:

**Theorem 3.3.** *Under Assertions (A<sub>1</sub>) and (A<sub>2</sub>), the BVP (1.1) has at least one solution on  $(-\infty, \sigma]$ , provided that*

$$\ell = \frac{\sigma}{|B|} \ell_g N_1^* \{(v_1 + v_3) + (v_2 + v_4) (\ell_P + \ell_Q)\} < 1.$$

*Proof.* The FP technique involves equating a given operator to the problem at hand and seeking a unique FP, which corresponds to the problem's unique solution. Therefore, we convert the BVP (1.1) to an FP problem. Define the operator  $M : \widetilde{\mathfrak{U}} \rightarrow \widetilde{\mathfrak{U}}$  as

$$(M\varpi)(\varsigma) = \begin{cases} \psi(\varsigma), \quad \varsigma \in (-\infty, 0], \\ \int_0^{\varsigma} \frac{(\varsigma-\vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} g(\vartheta, \varpi_{\vartheta}, P\varpi(\vartheta), Q\varpi(\vartheta)) d\vartheta \\ + \frac{\varsigma}{B} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u b_j \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j-\vartheta)^{q_j+p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j+p)} g(\vartheta, \varpi_{\vartheta}, P\varpi(\vartheta), Q\varpi(\vartheta)) d\vartheta \right. \\ \left. - \int_0^{\sigma} \frac{(\sigma-\vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} g(\vartheta, \varpi_{\vartheta}, P\varpi(\vartheta), Q\varpi(\vartheta)) d\vartheta \right) + \psi(0) \left( 1 + \frac{\varsigma}{B} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u \frac{b_j \lambda_j^{q_j}}{\Gamma(q_j+1)} - 1 \right) \right), \quad \varsigma \in U. \end{cases} \quad (3.5)$$

Assume that  $\varrho(\cdot) : (-\infty, \sigma] \rightarrow \Xi$  is a function described as

$$\varrho(\varsigma) = \begin{cases} \psi(\varsigma), & \varsigma \in (-\infty, 0], \\ 0, & \varsigma \in U. \end{cases}$$

It is clear that  $\varrho_0 = 0$ . For every  $\omega \in C(U, \Xi)$  with  $\omega(0) = 0$ , we select

$$\tilde{\omega}(\varsigma) = \begin{cases} 0, & \varsigma \in (-\infty, 0], \\ \omega(\varsigma), & \varsigma \in U. \end{cases}$$

If  $\varpi(\cdot)$  fulfills (3.5), then we decompose  $\varpi(\cdot)$  as  $\varpi(\varsigma) = \varrho(\varsigma) + \tilde{\omega}(\varsigma)$ , which leads to  $\varpi_\varsigma = \varrho_\varsigma + \tilde{\omega}_\varsigma$  for all  $\varsigma \in U$ , and  $\omega(\cdot)$  satisfies

$$\begin{aligned} \omega(\varsigma) = & \int_0^\varsigma \frac{(\varsigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) d\vartheta \\ & + \frac{\varsigma}{B} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u b_j \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j - \vartheta)^{q_j+p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j+p)} g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) d\vartheta \right. \\ & \left. - \int_0^\sigma \frac{(\sigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) d\vartheta \right) \\ & + \psi(0) \left( 1 + \frac{\varsigma}{B} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u \frac{b_j \lambda_j^{q_j}}{\Gamma(q_j+1)} - 1 \right) \right). \end{aligned}$$

Put  $G_0 = \{\omega \in C(U, \Xi) : \omega_0 = 0\}$  and consider  $\|\cdot\|_{G_0}$  to be the seminorm in  $G_0$  given by

$$\|\omega\|_{G_0} = \sup_{\varsigma \in U} \|\omega(\varsigma)\|_\Xi + \|\omega_0\|_\Theta = \sup_{\varsigma \in U} \|\omega(\varsigma)\|_\Xi, \quad \omega \in G_0.$$

Hence,  $(G_0, \|\cdot\|_{G_0})$  is a BS. Describe the operator  $\Phi : G_0 \rightarrow G_0$  as

$$\begin{aligned} (\Phi\omega)(\varsigma) = & \int_0^\varsigma \frac{(\varsigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) d\vartheta \\ & + \frac{\varsigma}{B} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u b_j \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j - \vartheta)^{q_j+p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j+p)} g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) d\vartheta \right. \\ & \left. - \int_0^\sigma \frac{(\sigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) d\vartheta \right) \\ & + \psi(0) \left( 1 + \frac{\varsigma}{B} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u \frac{b_j \lambda_j^{q_j}}{\Gamma(q_j+1)} - 1 \right) \right). \end{aligned}$$

The existence of an FP for an operator  $M$  is equivalent to the operator  $\Phi$  having an FP. Hence, we focus on establishing the existence of an FP for  $\Phi$ .

Consider the set  $H_s = \{\omega \in G_0 : \|\omega\|_{G_0} \leq s\}$ . Hence,  $H_s$  is a bounded, closed, and convex subset of  $G_0$ . Assume that there is a positive constant  $\varepsilon$  such that  $\varepsilon < s$ , where

$$\varepsilon = \|q\|_{L^1} s^* \left[ \left( 1 + \frac{\sigma}{|B|} \right) (\nu_1 + \nu_2) + \frac{\sigma}{|B|} (\nu_3 + \nu_4) \right]$$

$$+ \|\psi(0)\| \left( 1 + \frac{\varsigma}{|B|} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u \frac{b_j \lambda_j^{q_i}}{\Gamma(q_i + 1)} - 1 \right) \right).$$

Now, we decompose  $\Phi$  as  $\Phi_1 + \Phi_2$  on  $H_s$ , where

$$(\Phi_1 \omega)(\varsigma) = \int_0^\varsigma \frac{(\varsigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) d\vartheta,$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} (\Phi_2 \omega)(\varsigma) &= \frac{\varsigma}{B} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u b_j \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j - \vartheta)^{q_j + p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j + p)} g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) d\vartheta \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \int_0^\sigma \frac{(\sigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) d\vartheta \right) \\ &\quad + \psi(0) \left( 1 + \frac{\varsigma}{B} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u \frac{b_j \lambda_j^{q_i}}{\Gamma(q_i + 1)} - 1 \right) \right). \end{aligned}$$

Now, if we let  $\omega, \omega^* \in H_s$  and  $\varsigma \in U$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned} &\|(\Phi_1 \omega)(\varsigma) + (\Phi_2 \omega^*)(\varsigma)\|_\Xi \\ &\leq \int_0^\varsigma \frac{(\varsigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \|g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)])\|_\Xi d\vartheta \\ &\quad + \frac{\varsigma}{|B|} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j - \vartheta)^{q_j + p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j + p)} \|g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*, P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)], Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)])\|_\Xi d\vartheta \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \int_0^\sigma \frac{(\sigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \|g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*, P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)], Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)])\|_\Xi d\vartheta \right) \\ &\quad + \|\psi(0)\| \left( 1 + \frac{\varsigma}{|B|} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u \frac{|b_j| \lambda_j^{q_i}}{\Gamma(q_i + 1)} - 1 \right) \right) \\ &\leq \int_0^\varsigma \frac{(\varsigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \left[ V_1(\vartheta) \|\varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta\|_\Theta + V_2(\vartheta) \|P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]\|_\Xi + V_3(\vartheta) \|Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]\|_\Xi \right] \\ &\quad + \frac{\varsigma}{|B|} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j - \vartheta)^{q_j + p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j + p)} \left( V_1(\vartheta) \|\varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*\|_\Theta + V_2(\vartheta) \|P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)]\|_\Xi \right. \right. \\ &\quad \left. \left. + V_3(\vartheta) \|Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)]\|_\Xi \right) d\vartheta \right) \\ &\quad + \int_0^\sigma \frac{(\sigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \left( V_1(\vartheta) \|\varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*\|_\Theta + V_2(\vartheta) \|P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)]\|_\Xi \right. \\ &\quad \left. + V_3(\vartheta) \|Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)]\|_\Xi \right) d\vartheta \\ &\quad + \|\psi(0)\| \left( 1 + \frac{\varsigma}{|B|} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u \frac{|b_j| \lambda_j^{q_i}}{\Gamma(q_i + 1)} - 1 \right) \right) \\ &\leq \|V\|_{L^1} s^* \left[ \left( 1 + \frac{\sigma}{|B|} \right) (\nu_1 + \nu_2) + \frac{\sigma}{|B|} (\nu_3 + \nu_4) \right] + \|\psi(0)\| \left( 1 + \frac{\varsigma}{|B|} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u \frac{b_j \lambda_j^{q_i}}{\Gamma(q_i + 1)} - 1 \right) \right) \\ &= \varepsilon. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,

$$\|\Phi_1\omega + \Phi_2\omega^*\|_{\Xi} \leq \varepsilon, \quad (3.6)$$

where  $V(\varsigma) = \max\{V_1(\varsigma), V_2(\varsigma), V_3(\varsigma), V_4(\varsigma)\}$  and

$$\begin{aligned} \|\varrho_{\vartheta} + \tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta}\|_{\Theta} &\leq \|\varrho_{\vartheta}\|_{\Theta} + \|\tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta}\|_{\Theta} \\ &\leq N_1(\vartheta) \sup_{0 \leq \mu \leq \vartheta} \|\varrho(\mu)\| + N_2(\vartheta) \|\varrho(0)\| + N_1(\vartheta) \sup_{0 \leq \mu \leq \vartheta} \|\tilde{\omega}(\mu)\| + N_2(\vartheta) \|\tilde{\omega}(0)\| \\ &\leq N_1^* s + N_2^* \|\psi\|_{\Theta} \leq s^*. \end{aligned}$$

It follows from (3.6) that  $\Phi_1\omega + \Phi_2\omega^* \in H_s$ . Now, we show that  $\Phi_2$  is a contraction. For this, assume that  $\omega, \omega^* \in H_s$ , and  $\varsigma \in U$ . We then

$$\begin{aligned} &\|(\Phi_2\omega)(\varsigma) - (\Phi_2\omega^*)(\varsigma)\|_{\Xi} \\ &\leq \frac{S}{|B|} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j - \vartheta)^{q_j+p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j + p)} \|g(\vartheta, \varrho_{\vartheta} + \tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta}, P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)])\| d\vartheta + \int_0^{\sigma} \frac{(\sigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \right. \\ &\quad \times \|g(\vartheta, \varrho_{\vartheta} + \tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta}, P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)])\| d\vartheta \\ &\quad \left. - g(\vartheta, \varrho_{\vartheta} + \tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta}^*, P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)], Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)])\| d\vartheta \right) \\ &\leq \frac{S}{|B|} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j - \vartheta)^{q_j+p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j + p)} \ell_g \left( \|\varrho_{\vartheta} + \tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta} - (\varrho_{\vartheta} + \tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta}^*)\|_{\Theta} \right. \right. \\ &\quad + \|P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)] - P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)]\|_{\Xi} + \|Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)] - Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)]\|_{\Xi} \big) d\vartheta \\ &\quad + \int_0^{\sigma} \frac{(\sigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \ell_g \left( \|\varrho_{\vartheta} + \tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta} - (\varrho_{\vartheta} + \tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta}^*)\|_{\Theta} \right. \\ &\quad + \|P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)] - P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)]\|_{\Xi} + \|Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)] - Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)]\|_{\Xi} \big) d\vartheta \big) \\ &\leq \frac{S}{|B|} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j - \vartheta)^{q_j+p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j + p)} \ell_g \left( \|\tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta} - \tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta}^*\|_{\Theta} + \ell_P \|\tilde{\omega}_{\mu} - \tilde{\omega}_{\mu}^*\|_{\Theta} \vartheta + \ell_Q \|\tilde{\omega}_{\mu} - \tilde{\omega}_{\mu}^*\|_{\Theta} \vartheta \right) d\vartheta \right. \\ &\quad + \int_0^{\sigma} \frac{(\sigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \ell_g \left( \|\tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta} - \tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta}^*\|_{\Theta} + \ell_P \|\tilde{\omega}_{\mu} - \tilde{\omega}_{\mu}^*\|_{\Theta} \vartheta + \ell_Q \|\tilde{\omega}_{\mu} - \tilde{\omega}_{\mu}^*\|_{\Theta} \vartheta \right) d\vartheta \big) \\ &\leq \frac{S}{|B|} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j - \vartheta)^{q_j+p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j + p)} \ell_g \left( N_1^* \sup_{\vartheta \in [0, \varsigma]} \|\omega(\vartheta) - \omega^*(\vartheta)\| + \ell_P N_1^* \sup_{\mu \in [0, \vartheta]} \|\omega(\mu) - \omega^*(\mu)\| \vartheta \right. \right. \\ &\quad + \ell_Q N_1^* \sup_{\mu \in [0, \vartheta]} \|\omega(\mu) - \omega^*(\mu)\| \vartheta \big) d\vartheta + \int_0^{\sigma} \frac{(\sigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \ell_g \left( N_1^* \sup_{\vartheta \in [0, \varsigma]} \|\omega(\vartheta) - \omega^*(\vartheta)\| \right. \\ &\quad \left. \left. + \ell_P N_1^* \sup_{\mu \in [0, \vartheta]} \|\omega(\mu) - \omega^*(\mu)\| \vartheta + \ell_Q N_1^* \sup_{\mu \in [0, \vartheta]} \|\omega(\mu) - \omega^*(\mu)\| \vartheta \right) d\vartheta \right) \\ &\leq \frac{S}{|B|} N_1^* \ell_g \left( \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \frac{(\lambda_j)^{q_j+p}}{\Gamma(q_j + p + 1)} + (\ell_P + \ell_Q) \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \frac{(\lambda_j)^{q_j+p+1}}{\Gamma(q_j + p + 2)} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + \frac{\sigma^p}{\Gamma(p+1)} + (\ell_P + \ell_Q) \frac{\sigma^p + 1}{\Gamma(p+2)} \Big) \|\omega - \omega^*\|_{G_0} \\
& \leq \frac{\sigma}{|B|} \ell_g N_1^* \{(\nu_1 + \nu_3) + (\nu_2 + \nu_4) (\ell_P + \ell_Q)\} \|\omega - \omega^*\|_{G_0} \\
& = \ell \|\omega - \omega^*\|_{G_0}.
\end{aligned}$$

It follows that

$$\|\Phi_2 \omega - \Phi_2 \omega^*\|_{G_0} \leq \ell \|\omega - \omega^*\|_{G_0}.$$

Since  $\ell < 1$ , then,  $\Phi_2$  is contraction. Because  $g$ ,  $P$  and  $Q$  are continuous, and thus  $\Phi_1$  is continuous. Consider

$$\begin{aligned}
& \|(\Phi_1 \omega)(\varsigma)\|_{\Xi} \\
& \leq \int_0^{\varsigma} \frac{(\varsigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \|g(\vartheta, \varrho_{\vartheta} + \tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta}, P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)])\|_{\Xi} d\vartheta \\
& \leq \int_0^{\varsigma} \frac{(\varsigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \left[ V_1(\vartheta) \|\varrho_{\vartheta} + \tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta}\|_{\Theta} + V_2(\vartheta) \|P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]\|_{\Xi} + V_3(\vartheta) \|Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]\|_{\Xi} \right] d\vartheta \\
& \leq \|V\|_{L^1} s^* (\nu_1 + \nu_2).
\end{aligned}$$

This proves that  $\Phi_1$  is uniformly bounded on  $H_s$ . Finally, we prove that  $\Phi_1$  is compact. Indeed, we claim that  $\Phi_1$  is equicontinuous. For  $\varsigma_1, \varsigma_2 \in U$ , with  $\varsigma_1 < \varsigma_2$  and  $\omega \in H_s$ , one can write

$$\begin{aligned}
& \|(\Phi_1 \omega)(\varsigma_2) - (\Phi_1 \omega)(\varsigma_1)\|_{\Xi} \\
& \leq \int_0^{\varsigma_1} \frac{(\varsigma_2 - \vartheta)^{p-1} - (\varsigma_1 - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \|g(\vartheta, \varrho_{\vartheta} + \tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta}, P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)])\|_{\Xi} d\vartheta \\
& \quad + \int_{\varsigma_1}^{\varsigma_2} \frac{(\varsigma_2 - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \|g(\vartheta, \varrho_{\vartheta} + \tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta}, P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)])\|_{\Xi} d\vartheta \\
& \leq \int_0^{\varsigma_1} \frac{(\varsigma_2 - \vartheta)^{p-1} - (\varsigma_1 - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \left[ V_1(\vartheta) \|\varrho_{\vartheta} + \tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta}\|_{\Theta} + V_2(\vartheta) \|P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]\|_{\Xi} \right. \\
& \quad \left. + V_3(\vartheta) \|Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]\|_{\Xi} \right] d\vartheta + \int_{\varsigma_1}^{\varsigma_2} \frac{(\varsigma_2 - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \left[ V_1(\vartheta) \|\varrho_{\vartheta} + \tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta}\|_{\Theta} \right. \\
& \quad \left. + V_2(\vartheta) \|P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]\|_{\Xi} + V_3(\vartheta) \|Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]\|_{\Xi} \right] d\vartheta \\
& \leq \|V\|_{L^1} s^* \left( \int_0^{\varsigma_1} \frac{(\varsigma_2 - \vartheta)^{p-1} - (\varsigma_1 - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} (1 + \vartheta) d\vartheta + \int_{\varsigma_1}^{\varsigma_2} \frac{(\varsigma_2 - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} (1 + \vartheta) d\vartheta \right).
\end{aligned}$$

Clearly,  $\|(\Phi_1 \omega)(\varsigma_2) - (\Phi_1 \omega)(\varsigma_1)\|_{\Xi} \rightarrow 0$  as  $\varsigma_1 \rightarrow \varsigma_2$ . Consequently,  $\Phi_1$  is equicontinuous. Applying the Arzelà-Ascoli theorem, we establish that  $\Phi_1$  is compact on  $H_s$ . Consequently, invoking Krasnoselskii's FP theorem, we prove the existence of an FP  $\omega \in G_0$ , satisfying  $\Phi\omega = \omega$ , thereby yielding a solution to the fractional BVP (1.1).  $\square$

Now, for the uniqueness, we apply Banach's FP theorem as follows:

**Theorem 3.4.** *Via Assertions  $(A_1)$  and  $(A_3)$ , the BVP (1.1) owns a unique solution on  $(-\infty, \sigma]$ .*

*Proof.* Recall the set  $H_s = \{\omega \in G_0 : \|\omega\|_{G_0} \leq s\}$  and assume that  $\omega, \omega^* \in G_0$ . For  $\varsigma \in U$ , one has

$$\begin{aligned}
& \|(\Phi\omega)(\varsigma) - (\Phi\omega^*)(\varsigma)\|_{\Xi} \\
& \leq \int_0^{\varsigma} \frac{(\varsigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \left\| g(\vartheta, \varrho_{\vartheta} + \tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta}, P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) \right. \\
& \quad \left. - g(\vartheta, \varrho_{\vartheta} + \tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta}^*, P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)], Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)]) \right\|_{\Xi} d\vartheta \\
& \quad + \frac{S}{|B|} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j - \vartheta)^{q_j+p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j+p)} \left\| g(\vartheta, \varrho_{\vartheta} + \tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta}, P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. - g(\vartheta, \varrho_{\vartheta} + \tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta}^*, P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)], Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)]) \right\|_{\Xi} d\vartheta \right. \\
& \quad \left. + \int_0^{\sigma} \frac{(\sigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \left\| g(\vartheta, \varrho_{\vartheta} + \tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta}, P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. - g(\vartheta, \varrho_{\vartheta} + \tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta}^*, P[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)], Q[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)]) \right\|_{\Xi} d\vartheta \right) \\
& \leq \int_0^{\varsigma} \frac{(\varsigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \ell_g \left( \|\tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta} - \tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta}^*\|_{\Theta} + \ell_P \|\tilde{\omega}_{\mu} - \tilde{\omega}_{\mu}^*\|_{\Theta} \vartheta + \ell_Q \|\tilde{\omega}_{\mu} - \tilde{\omega}_{\mu}^*\|_{\Theta} \vartheta \right) d\vartheta \\
& \quad + \frac{S}{|B|} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j - \vartheta)^{q_j+p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j+p)} \ell_g \left( \|\tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta} - \tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta}^*\|_{\Theta} + \ell_P \|\tilde{\omega}_{\mu} - \tilde{\omega}_{\mu}^*\|_{\Theta} \vartheta + \ell_Q \|\tilde{\omega}_{\mu} - \tilde{\omega}_{\mu}^*\|_{\Theta} \vartheta \right) d\vartheta \right. \\
& \quad \left. + \int_0^{\sigma} \frac{(\sigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \ell_g \left( \|\tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta} - \tilde{\omega}_{\vartheta}^*\|_{\Theta} + \ell_P \|\tilde{\omega}_{\mu} - \tilde{\omega}_{\mu}^*\|_{\Theta} \vartheta + \ell_Q \|\tilde{\omega}_{\mu} - \tilde{\omega}_{\mu}^*\|_{\Theta} \vartheta \right) d\vartheta \right) \\
& \leq \int_0^{\varsigma} \frac{(\varsigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \ell_g \left( N_1^* \|\omega - \omega^*\|_{G_0} + \ell_P \|\omega - \omega^*\|_{G_0} \vartheta + \ell_Q \|\omega - \omega^*\|_{G_0} \vartheta \right) \\
& \quad + \frac{S}{|B|} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j - \vartheta)^{q_j+p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j+p)} \ell_g \left( N_1^* \|\omega - \omega^*\|_{G_0} + \ell_P \|\omega - \omega^*\|_{G_0} \vartheta + \ell_Q \|\omega - \omega^*\|_{G_0} \vartheta \right) d\vartheta \right. \\
& \quad \left. + \int_0^{\sigma} \frac{(\sigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \ell_g \left( N_1^* \|\omega - \omega^*\|_{G_0} + \ell_P \|\omega - \omega^*\|_{G_0} \vartheta + \ell_Q \|\omega - \omega^*\|_{G_0} \vartheta \right) d\vartheta \right) \\
& \leq \ell_g N_1^* \left\{ \left[ \frac{\sigma^p}{\Gamma(p+1)} + \frac{\sigma}{|B|} \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \frac{(\lambda_j)^{q_j+p}}{\Gamma(q_j+p+1)} + \frac{\sigma^{p+1}}{|B| \Gamma(p+1)} \right] \right. \\
& \quad \left. + (\ell_P + \ell_Q) \left[ \frac{\sigma^{p+1}}{\Gamma(p+2)} + \frac{\sigma}{|B|} \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \frac{(\lambda_j)^{q_j+p+1}}{\Gamma(q_j+p+2)} + \frac{\sigma^{p+2}}{|B| \Gamma(p+2)} \right] \right\} \|\omega - \omega^*\|_{G_0} \\
& \leq \ell_g N_1^* \{ \xi_1 + \xi_2 (\ell_P + \ell_Q) \} \|\omega - \omega^*\|_{G_0} \\
& = S \|\omega - \omega^*\|_{G_0}.
\end{aligned}$$

Hence,

$$\|\Phi(\omega) - \Phi(\omega^*)\|_{G_0} \leq S \|\omega - \omega^*\|_{G_0}.$$

By (A<sub>3</sub>),  $S < 1$ ,  $\Phi$  is a contraction. By Banach's FP theorem,  $\Phi$  possesses a unique FP, which is a unique solution to the problem (1.1) on the interval  $(-\infty, \sigma]$ .  $\square$

#### 4. Solving the neutral FFIDE

In this section, we discuss the existence and uniqueness of solution to the considered problem (1.2) by applying Krasnoselskii's and Banach's FP theorems.

Assume that the space  $\widetilde{\mathcal{U}}$  is defined as in the section above and choose

$$\begin{cases} P_1\varpi(\varsigma) = \int_0^\varsigma \Omega_1(\varsigma, \vartheta, \varpi_\vartheta) d\vartheta, \\ P_2\varpi(\varsigma) = \int_0^\varsigma \Omega_2(\varsigma, \vartheta, \varpi_\vartheta) d\vartheta, \\ Q_1\varpi(\varsigma) = \int_0^\sigma \Upsilon_1(\varsigma, \vartheta, \varpi_\vartheta) d\vartheta, \\ Q_2\varpi(\varsigma) = \int_0^\sigma \Upsilon_2(\varsigma, \vartheta, \varpi_\vartheta) d\vartheta. \end{cases}$$

**Definition 4.1.** We say that the function  $\varpi \in \widetilde{\mathcal{U}}$  is a solution to the FFIDE (1.1) if it fulfills the problem

$$\begin{cases} {}^{LC}D^p \left[ \varpi(\varsigma) - \int_0^{\varsigma} \frac{(\varsigma-\vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} h(\vartheta, \varpi_\vartheta, P_1\varpi(\vartheta), Q_1\varpi(\vartheta)) \right] = g(\varsigma, \varpi_\varsigma, P_2\varpi(\varsigma), Q_2\varpi(\varsigma)), \varsigma \in U, \\ \varpi(\varsigma) = \psi(\varsigma), \varsigma \in (-\infty, 0], \\ \varpi(\sigma) = \sum_{j=1}^u b_j (I^{q_j} \varpi)(\lambda_j), 0 < \lambda_1 < \lambda_2 < \dots < \lambda_u < \sigma. \end{cases}$$

With the aid of Lemma 3.2, the solution of the neutral FFIDE (1.2) takes the form

$$\varpi(\varsigma) = \begin{cases} \psi(\varsigma), \varsigma \in (-\infty, 0], \\ \int_0^\varsigma \frac{(\varsigma-\vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} g(\vartheta, \varpi_\vartheta, P_2\varpi(\vartheta), Q_2\varpi(\vartheta)) + \int_0^\varsigma \frac{(\varsigma-\vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} h(\vartheta, \varpi_\vartheta, P_1\varpi(\vartheta), Q_1\varpi(\vartheta)) \\ + \frac{\varsigma}{B} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u b_j \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j-\vartheta)^{q_j+p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j+p)} g(\vartheta, \varpi_\vartheta, P_2\varpi(\vartheta), Q_2\varpi(\vartheta)) \right. \\ \left. + \sum_{j=1}^u b_j \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j-\vartheta)^{q_j+p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j+p)} h(\vartheta, \varpi_\vartheta, P_2\varpi(\vartheta), Q_2\varpi(\vartheta)) - \int_0^\sigma \frac{(\sigma-\vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} g(\vartheta, \varpi_\vartheta, P_2\varpi(\vartheta), Q_2\varpi(\vartheta)) \right. \\ \left. - \int_0^\sigma \frac{(\sigma-\vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} h(\vartheta, \varpi_\vartheta, P_1\varpi(\vartheta), Q_1\varpi(\vartheta)) \right) \\ + \psi(0) \left( 1 + \frac{\varsigma}{B} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u \frac{b_j \lambda_j^{q_j+1}}{\Gamma(q_j+1)} - 1 \right) \right), \varsigma \in U, \end{cases}$$

$$\text{where } B = \sigma - \sum_{j=1}^u \frac{b_j \lambda_j^{q_j+1}}{\Gamma(q_j+2)} \neq 0.$$

To accomplish our main task here, we needs the following assertions:

(A<sub>4</sub>) For all  $\varsigma, \vartheta \in U, \psi_1, \psi_2 \in \Theta$  and  $\varpi_1, \varpi_2, \widetilde{\varpi}_1, \widetilde{\varpi}_2 \in \Xi, \ell_g, \ell_h, \ell_{P_1}, \ell_{P_2}, \ell_{Q_1}, \ell_{Q_2}$  exist such that

$$\begin{cases} \|g(\varsigma, \psi_1, \varpi_1, \widetilde{\varpi}_1) - g(\varsigma, \psi_2, \varpi_2, \widetilde{\varpi}_2)\|_\Xi \leq \ell_g (\|\psi_1 - \psi_2\|_\Theta + \|\varpi_1 - \varpi_2\|_\Xi + \|\widetilde{\varpi}_1 - \widetilde{\varpi}_2\|_\Xi), \\ \|h(\varsigma, \psi_1, \varpi_1, \widetilde{\varpi}_1) - h(\varsigma, \psi_2, \varpi_2, \widetilde{\varpi}_2)\|_\Xi \leq \ell_h (\|\psi_1 - \psi_2\|_\Theta + \|\varpi_1 - \varpi_2\|_\Xi + \|\widetilde{\varpi}_1 - \widetilde{\varpi}_2\|_\Xi), \\ \|P_1(\varsigma, \vartheta, \psi_1) - P_1(\varsigma, \vartheta, \psi_2)\|_\Xi \leq \ell_{P_1} \|\psi_1 - \psi_2\|_\Theta, \\ \|P_2(\varsigma, \vartheta, \psi_1) - P_2(\varsigma, \vartheta, \psi_2)\|_\Xi \leq \ell_{P_2} \|\psi_1 - \psi_2\|_\Theta, \\ \|Q_1(\varsigma, \vartheta, \psi_1) - Q_1(\varsigma, \vartheta, \psi_2)\|_\Xi \leq \ell_{Q_1} \|\psi_1 - \psi_2\|_\Theta, \\ \|Q_2(\varsigma, \vartheta, \psi_1) - Q_2(\varsigma, \vartheta, \psi_2)\|_\Xi \leq \ell_{Q_2} \|\psi_1 - \psi_2\|_\Theta. \end{cases}$$

(A<sub>5</sub>) For all  $(\varsigma, \psi, \varpi_1, \varpi_2) \in U \times \Theta \times \Xi \times \Xi$  and  $(\varsigma, \vartheta, \psi) \in \mathcal{U} \times \Theta, V_j \in L^1(U, \mathbb{R}_+)$  ( $j = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5$ )

exists in order that

$$\begin{cases} \|g(\varsigma, \psi, \varpi_1, \varpi_2)\|_{\Xi} \leq V_1(\varsigma) \|\psi\|_{\Theta} + V_2(\varsigma) \|\varpi_1\|_{\Xi} + V_3(\varsigma) \|\varpi_2\|_{\Xi}, \\ \|h(\varsigma, \psi, \varpi_1, \varpi_2)\|_{\Xi} \leq V_4(\varsigma) \|\psi\|_{\Theta} + V_5(\varsigma) \|\varpi_1\|_{\Xi} + V_6(\varsigma) \|\varpi_2\|_{\Xi}, \\ \|P_1(\varsigma, \vartheta, \psi)\|_{\Xi} \leq V_7(\varsigma) \|\psi\|_{\Theta}, \\ \|P_2(\varsigma, \vartheta, \psi)\|_{\Xi} \leq V_8(\varsigma) \|\psi\|_{\Theta}, \\ \|Q_1(\varsigma, \vartheta, \psi)\|_{\Xi} \leq V_9(\varsigma) \|\psi\|_{\Theta}, \\ \|Q_2(\varsigma, \vartheta, \psi)\|_{\Xi} \leq V_{10}(\varsigma) \|\psi\|_{\Theta}. \end{cases}$$

(A<sub>6</sub>) Assume that  $S^* = \ell_g N_1^* \{\xi_1 + \xi_2 (\ell_{P_2} + \ell_{Q_2})\} + \ell_h N_1^* \{\xi_1 + \xi_2 (\ell_{P_1} + \ell_{Q_1})\} < 1$ , where

$$\begin{cases} \xi_1 = \left(1 + \frac{\sigma}{|B|}\right) \nu_1 + \frac{\sigma}{|B|} \nu_3, \\ \xi_2 = \left(1 + \frac{\sigma}{|B|}\right) \nu_2 + \frac{\sigma}{|B|} \nu_4, \\ \nu_1 = \frac{\sigma^p}{\Gamma(1+p)}, \quad \nu_2 = \frac{\sigma^{p+1}}{\Gamma(2+p)}, \\ \nu_3 = \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \frac{\lambda_j^{q_i+p}}{\Gamma(q_i+p+1)}, \quad \nu_4 = \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \frac{\lambda_j^{q_i+p+1}}{\Gamma(q_i+p+2)}. \end{cases}$$

**Theorem 4.2.** *Under Assertions (A<sub>4</sub>) and (A<sub>5</sub>), the neutral BVP (1.2) has at least one solution on  $(-\infty, \sigma]$ , provided that*

$$\ell^* = \frac{\sigma N_1^*}{|B|} \left( \ell_g [(v_1 + \nu_3) + (\ell_{P_2} + \ell_{Q_2})(v_2 + \nu_4)] + \ell_h [(v_1 + \nu_3) + (\ell_{P_1} + \ell_{Q_1})(v_2 + \nu_4)] \right) < 1.$$

*Proof.* Define the operator  $\mathcal{D} : \tilde{\mathcal{U}} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{U}}$  as

$$(\mathcal{D}\varpi)(\varsigma) = \begin{cases} \psi(\varsigma), \quad \varsigma \in (-\infty, 0], \\ \int_0^{\varsigma} \frac{(\varsigma-\vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} g(\varsigma, \varpi_{\varsigma}, P_2 \varpi(\varsigma), Q_2 \varpi(\varsigma)) d\vartheta \\ + \int_0^{\varsigma} \frac{(\varsigma-\vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} h(\vartheta, \varpi_{\vartheta}, P_1 \varpi(\vartheta), Q_1 \varpi(\vartheta)) d\vartheta \\ + \frac{\varsigma}{B} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u b_j \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j-\vartheta)^{q_j+p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j+p)} g(\varsigma, \varpi_{\varsigma}, P_2 \varpi(\varsigma), Q_2 \varpi(\varsigma)) d\vartheta \right. \\ \left. + \sum_{j=1}^u b_j \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j-\vartheta)^{q_j+p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j+p)} h(\vartheta, \varpi_{\vartheta}, P_1 \varpi(\vartheta), Q_1 \varpi(\vartheta)) d\vartheta \right) \\ - \int_0^{\sigma} \frac{(\sigma-\vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} g(\varsigma, \varpi_{\varsigma}, P_2 \varpi(\varsigma), Q_2 \varpi(\varsigma)) d\vartheta \\ - \int_0^{\sigma} \frac{(\sigma-\vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} h(\vartheta, \varpi_{\vartheta}, P_1 \varpi(\vartheta), Q_1 \varpi(\vartheta)) d\vartheta \\ + \psi(0) \left( 1 + \frac{\varsigma}{B} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u \frac{b_j \lambda_j^{q_i}}{\Gamma(q_i+1)} - 1 \right) \right), \quad \varsigma \in U. \end{cases} \quad (4.1)$$

Analogous to Theorem 3.3, define the operator  $\mathfrak{R} : G_0 \rightarrow G_0$  as

$$(\mathfrak{R}\varpi)(\varsigma) = \begin{cases} \int_0^\varsigma \frac{(\varsigma-\vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) \\ + \int_0^\varsigma \frac{(\varsigma-\vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} h(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) \\ + \frac{\varsigma}{B} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u b_j \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j-\vartheta)^{q_j+p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j+p)} g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) \right. \\ \left. + \sum_{j=1}^u b_j \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j-\vartheta)^{q_j+p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j+p)} h(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) \right. \\ \left. - \int_0^\sigma \frac{(\sigma-\vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) \right. \\ \left. - \int_0^\sigma \frac{(\sigma-\vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} h(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) \right) \\ + \psi(0) \left( 1 + \frac{\varsigma}{B} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u \frac{b_j \lambda_j^{q_j}}{\Gamma(q_j+1)} - 1 \right) \right), \quad \varsigma \in U. \end{cases}$$

Describe the set  $H_{\tilde{s}}$  as  $H_{\tilde{s}} = \{\omega \in G_0 : \|\omega\|_{G_0} \leq \tilde{s}\}$ . Let there be a positive constant  $\varepsilon^*$  such that  $\varepsilon^* < \tilde{s}$ , where

$$\varepsilon^* = 2 \|V^*\|_{L^1} \tilde{s}^* [\xi_1 + \xi_2] + \|\psi(0)\| \left( 1 + \frac{\varsigma}{|B|} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u \frac{b_j \lambda_j^{q_j}}{\Gamma(q_j+1)} - 1 \right) \right),$$

where

$$V^*(\varsigma) = \max \{V_1(\varsigma), V_2(\varsigma), V_3(\varsigma), V_4(\varsigma), V_5(\varsigma), V_6(\varsigma), V_7(\varsigma), V_8(\varsigma), V_9(\varsigma), V_{10}(\varsigma)\}.$$

Now, we decompose  $\mathfrak{R}$  as  $\mathfrak{R}_1 + \mathfrak{R}_2$  on  $H_{\tilde{s}}$ , where

$$(\mathfrak{R}_1\varpi)(\varsigma) = \begin{cases} \int_0^\varsigma \frac{(\varsigma-\vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) \\ + \int_0^\varsigma \frac{(\varsigma-\vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} h(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]), \end{cases}$$

and

$$(\mathfrak{R}_2\varpi)(\varsigma) = \begin{cases} \frac{\varsigma}{B} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u b_j \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j-\vartheta)^{q_j+p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j+p)} g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) \right. \\ \left. + \sum_{j=1}^u b_j \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j-\vartheta)^{q_j+p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j+p)} h(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) \right. \\ \left. - \int_0^\sigma \frac{(\sigma-\vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) \right. \\ \left. - \int_0^\sigma \frac{(\sigma-\vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} h(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) \right) \\ + \psi(0) \left( 1 + \frac{\varsigma}{B} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u \frac{b_j \lambda_j^{q_j}}{\Gamma(q_j+1)} - 1 \right) \right), \quad \varsigma \in U. \end{cases}$$

Now, for  $\omega, \omega^* \in H_{\tilde{s}}$  and  $\varsigma \in U$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \|(\mathfrak{R}_1\omega)(\varsigma) + (\mathfrak{R}_2\omega^*)(\varsigma)\|_{\Xi} \\ & \leq \int_0^\varsigma \frac{(\varsigma-\vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \|g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)])\|_{\Xi} d\vartheta \\ & \quad + \int_0^\varsigma \frac{(\varsigma-\vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \|h(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)])\|_{\Xi} d\vartheta \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + \frac{\varsigma}{|B|} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j - \vartheta)^{q_j+p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j + p)} \|g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*, P_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)], Q_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)])\|_\Xi d\vartheta \right. \\
& + \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j - \vartheta)^{q_j+p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j + p)} \|h(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*, P_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)], Q_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)])\|_\Xi d\vartheta \\
& + \int_0^\sigma \frac{(\sigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \|g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*, P_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)], Q_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)])\|_\Xi d\vartheta \\
& + \int_0^\sigma \frac{(\sigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \|h(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*, P_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)], Q_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)])\|_\Xi d\vartheta \Big) \\
& + \|\psi(0)\| \left( 1 + \frac{\varsigma}{|B|} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u \frac{|b_j| \lambda_j^{q_i}}{\Gamma(q_i + 1)} - 1 \right) \right) \\
\leq & \int_0^\varsigma \frac{(\varsigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \left[ V_1(\vartheta) \|\varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta\|_\Theta + V_2(\vartheta) \|P_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]\|_\Xi + V_3(\vartheta) \|Q_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]\|_\Xi \right. \\
& + V_4(\vartheta) \|\varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta\|_\Theta + V_5(\vartheta) \|P_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]\|_\Xi + V_6(\vartheta) \|Q_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]\|_\Xi \Big] d\vartheta \\
& + \frac{\varsigma}{|B|} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j - \vartheta)^{q_j+p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j + p)} \left[ V_1(\vartheta) \|\varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta\|_\Theta + V_2(\vartheta) \|P_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]\|_\Xi \right. \right. \\
& + V_3(\vartheta) \|Q_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]\|_\Xi + V_4(\vartheta) \|\varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta\|_\Theta + V_5(\vartheta) \|P_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]\|_\Xi \\
& + V_6(\vartheta) \|Q_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]\|_\Xi d\vartheta + \int_0^\sigma \frac{(\sigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \left[ V_1(\vartheta) \|\varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta\|_\Theta \right. \\
& + q_2(\vartheta) \|P_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]\|_\Xi + q_3(\vartheta) \|Q_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]\|_\Xi + V_4(\vartheta) \|\varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta\|_\Theta \\
& + V_5(\vartheta) \|P_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]\|_\Xi + V_6(\vartheta) \|Q_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]\|_\Xi \Big] d\vartheta \\
& + \|\psi(0)\| \left( 1 + \frac{\varsigma}{|B|} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u \frac{|b_j| \lambda_j^{q_i}}{\Gamma(q_i + 1)} - 1 \right) \right) \\
\leq & 2 \|V^*\|_{L^1} \widehat{s}^* [\xi_1 + \xi_2] + \|\psi(0)\| \left( 1 + \frac{\varsigma}{|B|} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u \frac{|b_j| \lambda_j^{q_i}}{\Gamma(q_i + 1)} - 1 \right) \right) \\
= & \varepsilon^*,
\end{aligned}$$

where  $V^*(\varsigma) = \max \{V_1(\varsigma), V_2(\varsigma), V_3(\varsigma), V_4(\varsigma), V_5(\varsigma), V_6(\varsigma)\}$  and

$$\|\varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta\|_\Theta \leq N_1^* \widehat{s} + N_2^* \widehat{s} \|\psi(0)\|_\Theta \leq \widehat{s}^*.$$

Hence,

$$\|\mathfrak{R}_1 \omega + \mathfrak{R}_2 \omega^*\|_{G_0} \leq \varepsilon^*.$$

Thus,  $\mathfrak{R}_1 \omega + \mathfrak{R}_2 \omega^* \in H_{\widehat{s}}$ . Now, we prove that  $\mathfrak{R}_2$  is a contraction. Let  $\omega, \omega^* \in H_{\widehat{s}}$  and  $\varsigma \in U$ . We then

$$\begin{aligned}
& \|(\mathfrak{R}_2 \omega)(\varsigma) - (\mathfrak{R}_2 \omega^*)(\varsigma)\|_\Xi \\
\leq & \frac{\varsigma}{|B|} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j - \vartheta)^{q_j+p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j + p)} \left[ \|g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)])\|_\Xi \right. \right. \\
& \left. \left. + \|h(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)])\|_\Xi \right] d\vartheta \right)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& -g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*, P_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)], Q_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)])\|_\Xi \\
& + \|h(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) \\
& - h(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*, P_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)], Q_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)])\|_\Xi \Big] d\vartheta \\
& + \int_0^\sigma \frac{(\sigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \left[ \|g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)])\|_\Xi \right. \\
& - g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*, P_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)], Q_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)])\|_\Xi \\
& + \|h(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) \\
& - g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*, P_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)], Q_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)])\|_\Xi \Big] d\vartheta \\
\leq & \frac{\varsigma}{|B|} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j - \vartheta)^{q_j+p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j+p)} \left[ \ell_g \left( \|\tilde{\omega}_\vartheta - \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*\|_\Theta + \ell_{P_2} \|\tilde{\omega}_\mu - \tilde{\omega}_\mu^*\|_\Theta \vartheta + \ell_{Q_2} \|\tilde{\omega}_\mu - \tilde{\omega}_\mu^*\|_\Theta \vartheta \right) \right. \right. \\
& + \ell_h \left( \|\tilde{\omega}_\vartheta - \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*\|_\Theta + \ell_{P_1} \|\tilde{\omega}_\mu - \tilde{\omega}_\mu^*\|_\Theta \vartheta + \ell_{Q_1} \|\tilde{\omega}_\mu - \tilde{\omega}_\mu^*\|_\Theta \vartheta \right) \Big] d\vartheta \\
& + \int_0^\sigma \frac{(\sigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \left[ \ell_g \left( \|\tilde{\omega}_\vartheta - \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*\|_\Theta + \ell_{P_2} \|\tilde{\omega}_\mu - \tilde{\omega}_\mu^*\|_\Theta \vartheta + \ell_{Q_2} \|\tilde{\omega}_\mu - \tilde{\omega}_\mu^*\|_\Theta \vartheta \right) \right. \\
& + \ell_h \left( \|\tilde{\omega}_\vartheta - \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*\|_\Theta + \ell_{P_1} \|\tilde{\omega}_\mu - \tilde{\omega}_\mu^*\|_\Theta \vartheta + \ell_{Q_1} \|\tilde{\omega}_\mu - \tilde{\omega}_\mu^*\|_\Theta \vartheta \right) \Big] d\vartheta \Big) \\
\leq & \frac{\sigma N_1^*}{|B|} \left[ \begin{array}{l} \ell_g \{(\nu_1 + \nu_3) + (\nu_2 + \nu_4)(\ell_{P_2} + \ell_{Q_2})\} \\ + \ell_h \{(\nu_1 + \nu_3) + (\nu_2 + \nu_4)(\ell_{P_1} + \ell_{Q_1})\} \end{array} \right] \|\omega - \omega^*\|_{G_0} \\
= & \ell^* \|\omega - \omega^*\|_{G_0}.
\end{aligned}$$

It follows that

$$\|\mathfrak{R}_2 \omega - \mathfrak{R}_2 \omega^*\|_{G_0} \leq \ell^* \|\omega - \omega^*\|_{G_0}.$$

Since  $\ell^* < 1$ , then,  $\mathfrak{R}_2$  is contraction. Since  $g, P_1, P_2, Q_1$  and  $Q_2$  are continuous, then  $\mathfrak{R}_1$  is continuous. Furthermore,

$$\begin{aligned}
& \|(\mathfrak{R}_1 \omega)(\varsigma)\|_\Xi \\
\leq & \int_0^\varsigma \frac{(\varsigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \|g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)])\|_\Xi d\vartheta \\
& + \int_0^\varsigma \frac{(\varsigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \|h(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)])\|_\Xi d\vartheta \\
\leq & \int_0^\varsigma \frac{(\varsigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \left[ V_1(\vartheta) \|\varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta\|_\Theta + V_2(\vartheta) \|P_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]\|_\Xi + V_3(\vartheta) \|Q_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]\|_\Xi \right] d\vartheta \\
& + \int_0^\varsigma \frac{(\varsigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \left[ V_4(\vartheta) \|\varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta\|_\Theta + V_5(\vartheta) \|P_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]\|_\Xi + V_6(\vartheta) \|Q_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]\|_\Xi \right] d\vartheta \\
\leq & 2 \|q^*\|_{L^1} \tilde{s}^* (\nu_1 + \nu_2).
\end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $\mathfrak{R}_1$  is uniformly bounded on  $H_s$ . Ultimately, we claim that  $\mathfrak{R}_1$  is compact. Indeed, we prove that  $\mathfrak{R}_1$  is equicontinuous. For  $\varsigma_1, \varsigma_2 \in U$ , with  $\varsigma_1 < \varsigma_2$  and  $\omega \in H_{\tilde{s}}$ , one has

$$\begin{aligned}
& \|(\mathfrak{R}_1 \omega)(\varsigma_2) - (\mathfrak{R}_1 \omega)(\varsigma_1)\|_\Xi \\
\leq & \int_0^{\varsigma_1} \frac{(\varsigma_2 - \vartheta)^{p-1} - (\varsigma_1 - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \left[ \|g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)])\|_\Xi \right.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + \left\| h(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) \right\|_{\Xi} d\vartheta \\
& + \int_{\varsigma_1}^{\varsigma_2} \frac{(\varsigma_2 - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \left[ \left\| g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) \right\|_{\Xi} \right. \\
& \quad \left. + \left\| h(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) \right\|_{\Xi} \right] d\vartheta \\
& \leq \int_0^{\varsigma_1} \frac{(\varsigma_2 - \vartheta)^{p-1} - (\varsigma_1 - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} [V_1(\vartheta)\tilde{s}^* + V_2(\vartheta)V_8(\vartheta)\tilde{s}^*\vartheta + V_3(\vartheta)V_{10}(\vartheta)\tilde{s}^*\vartheta \\
& \quad + V_4(\vartheta)\tilde{s}^* + V_5(\vartheta)V_7(\vartheta)\tilde{s}^*\vartheta + V_6(\vartheta)V_9(\vartheta)\tilde{s}^*\vartheta] d\vartheta \\
& \quad + \int_{\varsigma_1}^{\varsigma_2} \frac{(\varsigma_2 - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} [V_1(\vartheta)\tilde{s}^* + V_2(\vartheta)V_8(\vartheta)\tilde{s}^*\vartheta + V_3(\vartheta)V_{10}(\vartheta)\tilde{s}^*\vartheta \\
& \quad + V_4(\vartheta)\tilde{s}^* + V_5(\vartheta)q_7(\vartheta)\tilde{s}^*\vartheta + V_6(\vartheta)V_9(\vartheta)\tilde{s}^*\vartheta] d\vartheta \\
& \leq 2\|V^*\|_{L^1} \tilde{s}^* \left( \int_0^{\varsigma_1} \frac{(\varsigma_2 - \vartheta)^{p-1} - (\varsigma_1 - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} (1 + \vartheta) d\vartheta + \int_{\varsigma_1}^{\varsigma_2} \frac{(\varsigma_2 - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} (1 + \vartheta) d\vartheta \right).
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore,  $\|(\mathfrak{R}_1\omega)(\varsigma_2) - (\mathfrak{R}_1\omega)(\varsigma_1)\|_{\Xi} \rightarrow 0$  as  $\varsigma_1 \rightarrow \varsigma_2$ . Hence,  $\Phi_1$  is equicontinuous. By the Arzelà-Ascoli theorem, we establish that  $\mathfrak{R}_1$  is compact on  $H_{\tilde{s}}$ . Consequently, invoking Krasnoselskii's FP theorem,  $\omega \in G_0$  exists such that  $\mathfrak{R}\omega = \omega$ , which is a solution the neutral BVP (1.2).  $\square$

For the uniqueness, we have the following theorem:

**Theorem 4.3.** *Via Assertions (A<sub>4</sub>) and (A<sub>6</sub>), the neutral BVP (1.2) has a unique solution on  $(-\infty, \sigma]$ .*

*Proof.* Define the set  $H_{\tilde{s}} = \{\omega \in G_0 : \|\omega\|_{G_0} \leq s\}$  and assume that  $\omega, \omega^* \in G_0$ . For  $\varsigma \in U$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned}
& \|(\mathfrak{R}\omega)(\varsigma) - (\mathfrak{R}\omega^*)(\varsigma)\|_{\Xi} \\
& \leq \int_0^{\varsigma} \frac{(\varsigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \left\| g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) \right. \\
& \quad \left. - g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*, P_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)], Q_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)]) \right\|_{\Xi} d\vartheta \\
& \quad + \int_0^{\varsigma} \frac{(\varsigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \left\| h(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) \right. \\
& \quad \left. - h(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*, P_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)], Q_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)]) \right\|_{\Xi} d\vartheta \\
& \quad + \frac{\varsigma}{|B|} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j - \vartheta)^{q_j+p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j+p)} \left\| g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. - g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*, P_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)], Q_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)]) \right\|_{\Xi} d\vartheta \right. \\
& \quad \left. + \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j - \vartheta)^{q_j+p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j+p)} \left\| h(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. - h(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*, P_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)], Q_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)]) \right\|_{\Xi} d\vartheta \right) \\
& \quad + \int_0^{\sigma} \frac{(\sigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \left\| g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) \right. \\
& \quad \left. - g(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*, P_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)], Q_2[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)]) \right\|_{\Xi} d\vartheta \\
& \quad + \int_0^{\sigma} \frac{(\sigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \left\| h(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta, P_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)], Q_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}(\vartheta)]) \right. \\
& \quad \left. - h(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*, P_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)], Q_1[\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)]) \right\|_{\Xi} d\vartheta
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& - h(\vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta + \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*, P_1 [\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)], Q_1 [\varrho(\vartheta) + \tilde{\omega}^*(\vartheta)]) \Big\|_{\Xi} d\vartheta \Big) \\
& \leq \int_0^{\sigma} \frac{(\varsigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \left[ \ell_g \left( \|\tilde{\omega}_\vartheta - \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*\|_{\Theta} + (\ell_{P_2} + \ell_{Q_2}) \|\tilde{\omega}_\mu - \tilde{\omega}_\mu^*\|_{\Theta} \vartheta \right) \right. \\
& \quad \left. + \ell_h \left( \|\tilde{\omega}_\vartheta - \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*\|_{\Theta} + (\ell_{P_1} + \ell_{Q_1}) \|\tilde{\omega}_\mu - \tilde{\omega}_\mu^*\|_{\Theta} \vartheta \right) \right] d\vartheta \\
& \quad + \frac{\varsigma}{|B|} \left( \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \int_0^{\lambda_j} \frac{(\lambda_j - \vartheta)^{q_j+p-1}}{\Gamma(q_j+p)} \left[ \ell_g \left( \|\tilde{\omega}_\vartheta - \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*\|_{\Theta} + (\ell_{P_2} + \ell_{Q_2}) \|\tilde{\omega}_\mu - \tilde{\omega}_\mu^*\|_{\Theta} \vartheta \right) \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. + \ell_h \left( \|\tilde{\omega}_\vartheta - \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*\|_{\Theta} + (\ell_{P_1} + \ell_{Q_1}) \|\tilde{\omega}_\mu - \tilde{\omega}_\mu^*\|_{\Theta} \vartheta \right) \right] d\vartheta \right. \\
& \quad \left. + \int_0^{\sigma} \frac{(\sigma - \vartheta)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p)} \left[ \ell_g \left( \|\tilde{\omega}_\vartheta - \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*\|_{\Theta} + (\ell_{P_2} + \ell_{Q_2}) \|\tilde{\omega}_\mu - \tilde{\omega}_\mu^*\|_{\Theta} \vartheta \right) \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. + \ell_h \left( \|\tilde{\omega}_\vartheta - \tilde{\omega}_\vartheta^*\|_{\Theta} + (\ell_{P_1} + \ell_{Q_1}) \|\tilde{\omega}_\mu - \tilde{\omega}_\mu^*\|_{\Theta} \vartheta \right) \right] d\vartheta \right) \\
& \leq \left\{ \ell_g N_1^* \left[ \frac{\sigma^p}{\Gamma(p+1)} + \frac{\sigma}{|B|} \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \frac{(\lambda_j)^{q_j+p}}{\Gamma(q_j+p+1)} + \frac{\sigma^{p+1}}{|B| \Gamma(p+1)} \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. + (\ell_{P_2} + \ell_{Q_2}) \left( \frac{\sigma^{p+1}}{\Gamma(p+2)} + \frac{\sigma}{|B|} \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \frac{(\lambda_j)^{q_j+p+1}}{\Gamma(q_j+p+2)} + \frac{\sigma^{p+2}}{|B| \Gamma(p+2)} \right) \right] \right. \\
& \quad \left. + \ell_h N_1^* \left[ \frac{\sigma^p}{\Gamma(p+1)} + \frac{\sigma}{|B|} \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \frac{(\lambda_j)^{q_j+p}}{\Gamma(q_j+p+1)} + \frac{\sigma^{p+1}}{|B| \Gamma(p+1)} \right. \right. \\
& \quad \left. \left. + (\ell_{P_1} + \ell_{Q_1}) \left( \frac{\sigma^{p+1}}{\Gamma(p+2)} + \frac{\sigma}{|B|} \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \frac{(\lambda_j)^{q_j+p+1}}{\Gamma(q_j+p+2)} + \frac{\sigma^{p+2}}{|B| \Gamma(p+2)} \right) \right] \right\} \|\omega - \omega^*\|_{G_0} \\
& \leq \ell_g N_1^* \{\xi_1 + \xi_2 (\ell_{P_2} + \ell_{Q_2})\} + \ell_h N_1^* \{\xi_1 + \xi_2 (\ell_{P_1} + \ell_{Q_1})\} \|\omega - \omega^*\|_{G_0} \\
& = S^* \|\omega - \omega^*\|_{G_0}.
\end{aligned}$$

Hence,

$$\|\mathfrak{R}(\omega) - \mathfrak{R}(\omega^*)\|_{G_0} \leq S^* \|\omega - \omega^*\|_{G_0}.$$

By (A<sub>6</sub>),  $S^* < 1$ . Thus,  $\mathfrak{R}$  is a contraction. By Banach's FP theorem,  $\mathfrak{R}$  has a unique FP, which is a unique solution to the problem (1.2) on  $(-\infty, \sigma]$ .  $\square$

## 5. Supportive examples

This section is devoted to testing the conditions of the proposed systems and their effectiveness, which leads to supporting and enhancing the theoretical results we obtained.

**Example 5.1.** Assume the following FFIDE:

$$\begin{cases} LC D^{\frac{5}{2}} \varpi(\varsigma) = \frac{1}{(\varsigma+7)^2} e^{-\nu\varsigma} \frac{|\varpi_\varsigma|}{1+|\varpi_\varsigma|} + \frac{1}{32} \int_0^{\varsigma} \frac{\varsigma^\vartheta e^{-\nu\varsigma}}{16(1+\vartheta)} \frac{\cos(\varpi_\vartheta)}{1+\cos(\varpi_\vartheta)} d\vartheta + \frac{1}{64} \int_0^{\sigma} \frac{\varsigma^\vartheta e^{-\nu\varsigma}}{20(1+\vartheta)} \frac{\sin(\varpi_\vartheta)}{1+\sin(\varpi_\vartheta)} d\vartheta, \quad \varsigma \in [0, 1], \\ \varpi(\varsigma) = \psi(\varsigma), \quad \varsigma \in (-\infty, 0], \\ \varpi(1) = \sum_{j=1}^3 b_j (I_{0^+}^{q_j} \varpi)(\lambda_j), \quad 0 < \lambda_1 < \lambda_2 < \lambda_3 < 1, \end{cases} \quad (5.1)$$

where  $\nu > 0$  is a real constant and define the set  $H_\nu$  as

$$H_\nu = \left\{ \omega \in C((-\infty, 0], \mathbb{R}) : \lim_{\phi \rightarrow -\infty} e^{\nu\phi} \omega(\phi) \text{ exists in } \mathbb{R} \right\},$$

under the norm

$$\|\omega\|_\nu = \sup_{\phi \in (-\infty, 0]} e^{\nu\phi} |\omega(\phi)|.$$

Assume that  $\varpi : (-\infty, \sigma] \rightarrow \Xi$  in order that  $\varpi_0 = \psi \in H_\nu$ . Then

$$\lim_{\phi \rightarrow -\infty} e^{\nu\phi} \omega_\varsigma(\phi) = \lim_{\phi \rightarrow -\infty} e^{\nu\phi} \omega(\varsigma + \phi) = \lim_{\phi \rightarrow -\infty} e^{\nu(\phi-\varsigma)} \omega(\phi) = e^{-\nu\varsigma} \lim_{\phi \rightarrow -\infty} e^{\nu\phi} \omega_0(\phi) < \infty.$$

Therefore,  $\omega_\varsigma \in H_\nu$ . Select  $N_1 = N_2 = \kappa = 1$ . Hence, we show the condition

$$\|\omega_\varsigma\|_\nu \leq N_1(\varsigma) \sup \{|\varpi(\vartheta)| : 0 \leq \vartheta \leq \varsigma\} + N_2(\varsigma) \|\varpi_0\|_\nu.$$

Clearly,  $|\omega_\varsigma(\phi)| = |\omega(\varsigma + \phi)|$ . If  $\varsigma + \phi \leq 0$ , we get

$$|\omega_\varsigma(\phi)| \leq \sup \{|\varpi(\vartheta)| : -\infty < \vartheta \leq 0\}.$$

In the case of  $\varsigma + \phi \geq 0$ , we have

$$|\omega_\varsigma(\phi)| \leq \sup \{|\varpi(\vartheta)| : 0 < \vartheta \leq \varsigma\}.$$

Hence, if  $\varsigma + \phi \in [0, 1]$ , we can write

$$|\omega_\varsigma(\phi)| \leq \sup \{|\varpi(\vartheta)| : -\infty < \vartheta \leq 0\} + \sup \{|\varpi(\vartheta)| : 0 \leq \vartheta \leq \varsigma\},$$

which implies that

$$\|\omega_\varsigma\|_\nu \leq \sup \{|\varpi(\vartheta)| : 0 \leq \vartheta \leq \varsigma\} + \|\varpi_0\|_\nu.$$

Furthermore, the pair  $(H_\nu, \|\omega\|)$  is a BS and  $H_\nu$  is a phase space. Here,  $p = \frac{5}{2}$ ,  $u = 3$ , and we choose

$$\begin{aligned} b_1 &= \frac{1}{6}, & b_2 &= \frac{1}{8}, & b_3 &= 4, \\ \lambda_1 &= \frac{1}{9}, & \lambda_2 &= \frac{1}{4}, & \lambda_3 &= \frac{7}{11}, \\ q_1 &= \frac{1}{3}, & q_2 &= \frac{1}{2}, & q_3 &= \frac{6}{5}. \end{aligned}$$

By simple calculation, we have

$$\begin{cases} B = \sigma - \sum_{j=1}^u \frac{b_j \lambda_j^{q_j+1}}{\Gamma(q_j+2)} = 1 - \sum_{j=1}^3 \frac{b_j \lambda_j^{q_j+1}}{\Gamma(q_j+2)} \approx 0.3729 \neq 0, \\ \nu_1 = \frac{\sigma^p}{\Gamma(1+p)} \approx 0.3009, \nu_2 = \frac{\sigma^{p+1}}{\Gamma(2+p)} \approx 0.0859, \\ \nu_3 = \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \frac{\lambda_j^{q_j+p}}{\Gamma(q_j+p+1)} \approx 0.0088, \nu_4 = \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \frac{\lambda_j^{q_j+p+1}}{\Gamma(q_j+p+2)} \approx 0.0008, \\ \xi_1 = \left(1 + \frac{\sigma}{|B|}\right) \nu_1 + \frac{\sigma}{|B|} \nu_3 \approx 1.1314, \\ \xi_2 = \left(1 + \frac{\sigma}{|B|}\right) \nu_2 + \frac{\sigma}{|B|} \nu_4 \approx 0.3184. \end{cases}$$

From (5.1), we have

$$g(\varsigma, \varpi_\varsigma, P(\varsigma), Q(\varsigma)) = \frac{1}{(\varsigma + 7)^2} e^{-\nu\varsigma} \frac{|\varpi_\varsigma|}{1 + |\varpi_\varsigma|} + \frac{1}{32} P\varpi(\varsigma) + \frac{1}{64} Q\varpi(\varsigma),$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} P\varpi(\varsigma) &= \int_0^\varsigma \frac{\varsigma^\vartheta e^{-\nu\varsigma}}{16(1 + \vartheta)} \frac{\cos(\varpi_\vartheta)}{1 + \cos(\varpi_\vartheta)} d\vartheta, \\ Q\varpi(\varsigma) &= \int_0^\varsigma \frac{\varsigma^\vartheta e^{-\nu\varsigma}}{20(1 + \vartheta)} \frac{\sin(\varpi_\vartheta)}{1 + \sin(\varpi_\vartheta)} d\vartheta. \end{aligned}$$

Now, for  $\varpi_\varsigma, \varrho_\varsigma \in H_\nu$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} |P(\varsigma, \vartheta, \varpi_\vartheta) - P(\varsigma, \vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta)| &= \left| \frac{\varsigma^\vartheta e^{-\nu\varsigma}}{16(1 + \vartheta)} \frac{\cos(\varpi_\vartheta)}{1 + \cos(\varpi_\vartheta)} - \frac{\varsigma^\vartheta e^{-\nu\varsigma}}{16(1 + \vartheta)} \frac{\cos(\varrho_\vartheta)}{1 + \cos(\varrho_\vartheta)} \right| \\ &\leq \frac{1}{16} \|\varpi - \varrho\|_\nu, \end{aligned} \quad (5.2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} |Q(\varsigma, \vartheta, \varpi_\vartheta) - Q(\varsigma, \vartheta, \varrho_\vartheta)| &= \left| \frac{\varsigma^\vartheta e^{-\nu\varsigma}}{20(1 + \vartheta)} \frac{\sin(\varpi_\vartheta)}{1 + \sin(\varpi_\vartheta)} - \frac{\varsigma^\vartheta e^{-\nu\varsigma}}{20(1 + \vartheta)} \frac{\sin(\varrho_\vartheta)}{1 + \sin(\varrho_\vartheta)} \right| \\ &\leq \frac{1}{20} \|\varpi - \varrho\|_\nu, \end{aligned} \quad (5.3)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &|g(\varsigma, \varpi_\varsigma, P\varpi(\varsigma), Q\varpi(\varsigma)) - g(\varsigma, \varrho_\varsigma, P\varrho(\varsigma), Q\varrho(\varsigma))| \\ &\leq \frac{1}{(\varsigma + 7)^2} e^{-\nu\varsigma} \frac{|\varpi_\varsigma - \varrho_\varsigma|}{(1 + |\varpi_\varsigma|)(1 + |\varrho_\varsigma|)} + \frac{1}{32} |P\varpi(\varsigma) - P\varrho(\varsigma)| + \frac{1}{64} |Q\varpi(\varsigma) - Q\varrho(\varsigma)| \\ &\leq \frac{1}{64} \left( \|\varpi - \varrho\|_\nu + \frac{1}{8} \|\varpi - \varrho\|_\nu + \frac{1}{20} \|\varpi - \varrho\|_\nu \right), \end{aligned} \quad (5.4)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &|g(\varsigma, \psi, \varpi, \varrho)| \\ &= \left| \frac{1}{(\varsigma + 7)^2} e^{-\nu\varsigma} \frac{|\psi_\varsigma|}{1 + |\psi_\varsigma|} + \frac{1}{32} \int_0^\varsigma \frac{\varsigma^\vartheta e^{-\nu\varsigma}}{16(1 + \vartheta)} \frac{\cos(\varpi_\vartheta)}{1 + \cos(\varpi_\vartheta)} d\vartheta + \frac{1}{64} \int_0^\varsigma \frac{\varsigma^\vartheta e^{-\nu\varsigma}}{20(1 + \vartheta)} \frac{\sin(\varrho_\vartheta)}{1 + \sin(\varrho_\vartheta)} d\vartheta \right| \\ &\leq \frac{1}{64} |\psi| + \frac{1}{32} |\varpi| + \frac{1}{64} |\varrho|, \end{aligned} \quad (5.5)$$

$$|P(\varsigma, \vartheta, \varpi)| = \left| \frac{\varsigma^\vartheta e^{-\nu\varsigma}}{16(1 + \vartheta)} \frac{\cos(\varpi_\vartheta)}{1 + \cos(\varpi_\vartheta)} \right| \leq \frac{1}{32} |\varpi|, \quad (5.6)$$

and

$$|Q(\varsigma, \vartheta, \varpi)| = \left| \frac{\varsigma^\vartheta e^{-\nu\varsigma}}{20(1 + \vartheta)} \frac{\sin(\varpi_\vartheta)}{1 + \sin(\varpi_\vartheta)} \right| \leq \frac{1}{40} |\varpi|. \quad (5.7)$$

It follows from (5.2)–(5.7) that  $\ell_g = \frac{1}{64}$ ,  $\ell_P = \frac{1}{16}$ ,  $\ell_Q = \frac{1}{20}$ ,  $V_1(\varsigma) = \frac{1}{64}$ ,  $V_2(\varsigma) = \frac{1}{32}$ ,  $V_3(\varsigma) = \frac{1}{64}$ ,  $V_4(\varsigma) = \frac{1}{32}$ ,  $V_5(\varsigma) = \frac{1}{40}$ , and  $N_1^* = 1$ . Hence

$$\ell = \frac{\sigma}{|B|} \ell_g N_1^* \{(\nu_1 + \nu_3) + (\nu_2 + \nu_4)(\ell_P + \ell_Q)\} \approx 0.0138 < 1,$$

and

$$S = \ell_g N_1^* \{ \xi_1 + \xi_2 (\ell_P + \ell_Q) \} \approx 0.0182 < 1.$$

Therefore, all the requirements of Theorems 3.3 and 3.4 are satisfied. Then, the considered problem (5.1) has a unique solution on  $(-\infty, \sigma]$ .

**Example 5.2.** Assume the following neutral FFIDE:

$$\begin{cases} LC D_s^{\frac{5}{2}} \left[ \varpi(s) - \int_0^s \sqrt{\frac{(s-\vartheta)^{p-1}}{\pi}} \left( \frac{e^{-\nu s}}{20} \frac{\varpi_s^2}{1+\varpi_s^2} + \frac{1}{20} \int_0^s \frac{e^{-\nu s}}{6} \ln(1+\varpi_s) d\vartheta + \frac{1}{25} \int_0^\sigma \frac{e^{-\nu s}}{4} \frac{\tan^{-1}(\varpi_s)}{1+\tan^{-1}(\varpi_s)} d\vartheta \right) \right] \\ = \frac{(1+e^{-s})e^{-\nu s}}{(34+e^s)} \frac{|\varpi_s|}{1+|\varpi_s|} + \frac{1}{15} \int_0^s e^{-\nu s} \cos\left(\frac{\varpi_\vartheta}{5}\right) d\vartheta + \frac{1}{35} \int_0^\sigma e^{-\nu s} \sin\left(\frac{\varpi_\vartheta}{6}\right) d\vartheta, \quad s \in [0, 1], \\ \varpi(s) = \psi(s), \quad s \in (-\infty, 0], \\ \varpi(1) = \sum_{j=1}^3 b_j (I_{0^+}^{q_j} \varpi)(\lambda_j), \quad 0 < \lambda_1 < \lambda_2 < \lambda_3 < 1. \end{cases} \quad (5.8)$$

Assume that  $H_\nu$  is the phase space, which is defined in Example 5.1, where  $p = \frac{5}{2}$ ,  $u = 3$ , and

$$\begin{aligned} b_1 &= \frac{1}{5}, & b_2 &= \frac{1}{4}, & b_3 &= 5, \\ \lambda_1 &= \frac{1}{7}, & \lambda_2 &= \frac{1}{2}, & \lambda_3 &= \frac{7}{12}, \\ q_1 &= \frac{1}{2}, & q_2 &= \frac{1}{3}, & q_3 &= \frac{7}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

By simple calculation, we have

$$\begin{cases} B \approx 0.5231 \neq 0, \\ \nu_1 = \frac{\sigma^p}{\Gamma(1+p)} \approx 0.4187, \quad \nu_2 = \frac{\sigma^{p+1}}{\Gamma(2+p)} \approx 0.3979, \\ \nu_3 = \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \frac{\lambda_j^{q_j+p}}{\Gamma(q_j+p+1)} \approx 0.0132, \quad \nu_4 = \sum_{j=1}^u |b_j| \frac{\lambda_j^{q_j+p+1}}{\Gamma(q_j+p+2)} \approx 0.0037, \\ \xi_1 = \left(1 + \frac{\sigma}{|B|}\right) \nu_1 + \frac{\sigma}{|B|} \nu_3 \approx 1.5841, \\ \xi_2 = \left(1 + \frac{\sigma}{|B|}\right) \nu_2 + \frac{\sigma}{|B|} \nu_4 \approx 0.7239. \end{cases}$$

From (5.8), one can write

$$\begin{aligned} g(s, \varpi_s, P_2(s), Q_2(s)) &= \frac{(1+e^{-s})e^{-\nu s}}{(34+e^s)} \frac{|\varpi_s|}{1+|\varpi_s|} + \frac{1}{15} P_2 \varpi(s) + \frac{1}{35} Q_2 \varpi(s), \\ h(s, \varpi_s, P_1(s), Q_1(s)) &= \frac{e^{-\nu s}}{20} \frac{\varpi_s^2}{1+\varpi_s^2} + \frac{1}{20} P_1 \varpi(s) + \frac{1}{25} Q_1 \varpi(s), \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} P_2 \varpi(s) &= \int_0^s \frac{e^{-\nu s}}{6} \ln(1+\varpi_s) d\vartheta, \\ Q_2 \varpi(s) &= \int_0^\sigma \frac{e^{-\nu s}}{4} \frac{\tan^{-1}(\varpi_s)}{1+\tan^{-1}(\varpi_s)} d\vartheta, \\ P_1 \varpi(s) &= \int_0^s e^{-\nu s} \cos\left(\frac{\varpi_\vartheta}{5}\right) d\vartheta, \end{aligned}$$

$$Q_1\varpi(\varsigma) = \int_0^\sigma e^{-\nu\varsigma} \sin\left(\frac{\varpi_\theta}{6}\right) d\theta.$$

Now, for  $\varpi_\varsigma, \varrho_\varsigma \in H_\nu$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} |P_2(\varsigma, \vartheta, \varpi_\theta) - P_2(\varsigma, \vartheta, \varrho_\theta)| &= \left| \frac{e^{-\nu\varsigma}}{6} \ln(1 + \varpi_\varsigma) - \frac{e^{-\nu\varsigma}}{6} \ln(1 + \varrho_\varsigma) \right| \\ &\leq \frac{1}{6} \|\varpi - \varrho\|_\nu, \end{aligned} \quad (5.9)$$

$$\begin{aligned} |Q_2(\varsigma, \vartheta, \varpi_\theta) - Q_2(\varsigma, \vartheta, \varrho_\theta)| &= \left| \frac{e^{-\nu\varsigma}}{4} \frac{\tan^{-1}(\varpi_\varsigma)}{1 + \tan^{-1}(\varpi_\varsigma)} d\vartheta - \frac{e^{-\nu\varsigma}}{4} \frac{\tan^{-1}(\varpi_\varsigma)}{1 + \tan^{-1}(\varpi_\varsigma)} d\vartheta \right| \\ &\leq \frac{1}{4} \|\varpi - \varrho\|_\nu, \end{aligned} \quad (5.10)$$

$$\begin{aligned} |P_1(\varsigma, \vartheta, \varpi_\theta) - P_1(\varsigma, \vartheta, \varrho_\theta)| &= \left| e^{-\nu\varsigma} \cos\left(\frac{\varpi_\theta}{5}\right) - e^{-\nu\varsigma} \cos\left(\frac{\varrho_\theta}{5}\right) \right| \\ &\leq \frac{1}{5} \|\varpi - \varrho\|_\nu, \end{aligned} \quad (5.11)$$

$$\begin{aligned} |Q_1(\varsigma, \vartheta, \varpi_\theta) - Q_1(\varsigma, \vartheta, \varrho_\theta)| &= \left| e^{-\nu\varsigma} \sin\left(\frac{\varpi_\theta}{6}\right) - e^{-\nu\varsigma} \sin\left(\frac{\varrho_\theta}{6}\right) \right| \\ &\leq \frac{1}{6} \|\varpi - \varrho\|_\nu, \end{aligned} \quad (5.12)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &|g(\varsigma, \varpi_\varsigma, P_2\varpi(\varsigma), Q_2\varpi(\varsigma)) - g(\varsigma, \varrho_\varsigma, P_2\varrho(\varsigma), Q_2\varrho(\varsigma))| \\ &\leq \frac{(1 + e^{-\varsigma}) e^{-\nu\varsigma}}{(34 + e^\varsigma)} \frac{|\varpi_\varsigma - \varrho_\varsigma|}{(1 + |\varpi_\varsigma|)(1 + |\varrho_\varsigma|)} + \frac{1}{15} |P_2\varpi(\varsigma) - P_2\varrho(\varsigma)| + \frac{1}{35} |Q_2\varpi(\varsigma) - Q_2\varrho(\varsigma)| \\ &\leq \frac{1}{5} \left( \|\varpi - \varrho\|_\nu + \frac{1}{3} \|\varpi - \varrho\|_\nu + \frac{1}{7} \|\varpi - \varrho\|_\nu \right), \end{aligned} \quad (5.13)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &|h(\varsigma, \varpi_\varsigma, P_1\varpi(\varsigma), Q_1\varpi(\varsigma)) - h(\varsigma, \varrho_\varsigma, P_1\varrho(\varsigma), Q_1\varrho(\varsigma))| \\ &\leq \frac{e^{-\nu\varsigma}}{20} \frac{\varpi_\varsigma^2}{1 + \varpi_\varsigma^2} + \frac{1}{20} |P_1\varpi(\varsigma) - P_1\varrho(\varsigma)| + \frac{1}{25} |Q_1\varpi(\varsigma) - Q_1\varrho(\varsigma)| \\ &\leq \frac{1}{4} \left( \|\varpi - \varrho\|_\nu + \frac{1}{5} \|\varpi - \varrho\|_\nu + \frac{1}{5} \|\varpi - \varrho\|_\nu \right), \end{aligned} \quad (5.14)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &|g(\varsigma, \psi, \varpi, \varrho)| \\ &= \left| \frac{(1 + e^{-\varsigma}) e^{-\nu\varsigma}}{(34 + e^\varsigma)} \frac{|\psi_\varsigma|}{1 + |\psi_\varsigma|} + \frac{1}{15} \int_0^\varsigma e^{-\nu\varsigma} \cos\left(\frac{\varpi_\theta}{5}\right) d\theta + \frac{1}{35} \int_0^\sigma e^{-\nu\varsigma} \sin\left(\frac{\varrho_\theta}{6}\right) d\theta \right| \end{aligned}$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{35} |\psi| + \frac{1}{15} |\varpi| + \frac{1}{35} |\varrho|, \quad (5.15)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & |h(\varsigma, \psi, \varpi, \varrho)| \\ &= \left| \frac{e^{-\nu\varsigma}}{20} \frac{\psi_\varsigma^2}{1 + \psi_\varsigma^2} + \frac{1}{20} \int_0^\varsigma \frac{e^{-\nu\varsigma}}{6} \ln(1 + \varpi_\varsigma) d\vartheta + \frac{1}{25} \int_0^\sigma \frac{e^{-\nu\varsigma}}{4} \frac{\tan^{-1}(\varrho_\varsigma)}{1 + \tan^{-1}(\varrho_\varsigma)} d\vartheta \right| \\ &\leq \frac{1}{20} |\psi| + \frac{1}{160} |\varpi| + \frac{1}{100} |\varrho|, \end{aligned} \quad (5.16)$$

$$|P_2(\varsigma, \vartheta, \varpi)| = \left| \frac{e^{-\nu\varsigma}}{6} \ln(1 + \varpi_\varsigma) \right| \leq \frac{1}{6} |\varpi|, \quad (5.17)$$

$$|Q_2(\varsigma, \vartheta, \varpi)| = \left| \frac{e^{-\nu\varsigma}}{4} \frac{\tan^{-1}(\varpi_\varsigma)}{1 + \tan^{-1}(\varpi_\varsigma)} \right| \leq \frac{1}{4} |\varpi|, \quad (5.18)$$

$$|P_1(\varsigma, \vartheta, \varpi)| = \left| e^{-\nu\varsigma} \cos\left(\frac{\varpi_\vartheta}{5}\right) \right| \leq \frac{1}{5} |\varpi|, \quad (5.19)$$

and

$$|Q_1(\varsigma, \vartheta, \varpi)| = \left| e^{-\nu\varsigma} \sin\left(\frac{\varpi_\vartheta}{6}\right) \right| \leq \frac{1}{60} |\varpi|. \quad (5.20)$$

From (5.9)–(5.20), we have  $\ell_g = \ell_{P_1} = V_7(\varsigma) = \frac{1}{5}$ ,  $\ell_h = \ell_{Q_2} = V_{10}(\varsigma) = \frac{1}{4}$ ,  $\ell_{P_2} = \ell_{Q_1} = V_8(\varsigma) = \frac{1}{6}$ ,  $V_1(\varsigma) = V_3(\varsigma) = \frac{1}{35}$ ,  $V_2(\varsigma) = \frac{1}{15}$ ,  $V_4(\varsigma) = \frac{1}{20}$ ,  $V_5(\varsigma) = \frac{1}{160}$ ,  $V_6(\varsigma) = \frac{1}{100}$ ,  $V_9(\varsigma) = \frac{1}{60}$ ,  $N_1^* = 1$ . Thus, we can write

$$S^* = \ell_g N_1^* \{ \xi_1 + \xi_2 (\ell_{P_2} + \ell_{Q_2}) \} + \ell_h N_1^* \{ \xi_1 + \xi_2 (\ell_{P_1} + \ell_{Q_1}) \} \approx 0.8395 < 1,$$

and

$$\ell^* = \frac{\sigma N_1^*}{|B|} \left( \ell_g [(\nu_1 + \nu_3) + (\ell_{P_2} + \ell_{Q_2})(\nu_2 + \nu_4)] + \ell_h [(\nu_1 + \nu_3) + (\ell_{P_1} + \ell_{Q_1})(\nu_2 + \nu_4)] \right) \approx 0.5059 < 1.$$

Hence, all the assertions of Theorems 3.4 and 4.2 are fulfilled. Therefore, the supposed problem (5.8) has a unique solution on  $(-\infty, \sigma]$ .

## 6. Conclusions and future work

The study of FFIDEs presents a formidable challenge due to the inherent complexities arising from the interplay of fractional-order derivatives, functional arguments, and integral operators. Traditional methods often fall short in addressing these equations due to the non-local nature of fractional derivatives and the intricate dependence on past states introduced by functional arguments. Overcoming these difficulties requires the development and application of sophisticated mathematical tools, including specialized FP theorems tailored for fractional settings, careful treatment of infinite delay, and the construction of appropriate function spaces that accommodate the combined effects of these operators. Furthermore, the presence of multi-term fractional integral boundary conditions adds another layer of complexity, demanding innovative techniques for handling the non-local and distributed nature of the boundary constraints. Successfully navigating these hurdles necessitates a deep understanding of fractional calculus, functional analysis, and operator theory, ultimately paving

the way for a more comprehensive understanding of the dynamics governed by FFIDEs. This paper investigates the existence and uniqueness of solutions for a class of hybrid fractional-order functional and neutral functional integrodifferential equations, featuring infinite delay and multi-term fractional integral boundary conditions. A rigorous mathematical framework is developed, leveraging FP theorems, to analyze these complex equations. The LC definition of fractional derivatives is employed, facilitating a comprehensive study of nonlocal dynamics. Illustrative examples are provided to demonstrate the applicability and practical relevance of the theoretical results. Future work includes exploring more complex equations (e.g., variable-order, generalized functional arguments), investigating stability, controllability, and numerical methods, and applying these equations to real-world problems. Developing new fixed point theorems tailored for fractional functional integrodifferential equations and studying associated inverse problems are also promising research avenues. Finally, we also look forward to extending the study period outside the proposed period [2,3].

### Author contributions

Manal Elzain Mohamed Abdalla: Writing–review-editing, formal analysis, funding acquisition; Hasanen A. Hammad: Writing–original draft, conceptualization, investigation, methodology. All authors have read and approved the final version of the manuscript for publication.

### Use of Generative-AI tools declaration

The authors declare they have not used artificial intelligence (AI) tools in the creation of this article.

### Data availability statement

Data sharing is not applicable to the article as no data sets were generated or analyzed during the current study.

### Acknowledgments

The authors extend their appreciation to the Deanship of Research and Graduate Studies at King Khalid University for funding this work through the Large Research Project under grant number R.G.P. 2/217/45.

### Conflict of interest

All authors confirm that they have no conflict of interest.

### References

1. I. Podlubny, *Fractional differential equations*, New York: Academic Press, 1999.
2. A. A. Kilbas, H. M. Srivastava, J. J. Trujillo, *Theory and applications of fractional differential equations*, Elsevier, 2006.

3. K. Diethelm, *The analysis of fractional differential equations*, Berlin, Heidelberg: Springer, 2010. <https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-642-14574-2>
4. F. Mainardi, *Fractional calculus and waves in linear viscoelasticity*, World Scientific, 2022. <https://doi.org/10.1142/p926>
5. X. Gao, J. Yu, Chaos in the fractional order periodically forced complex Duffing's oscillators, *Chaos Soliton Fract.*, **24** (2005), 1097–1104. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.chaos.2004.09.090>
6. J. Che, Q. Guan, X. Wang, Image denoising based on adaptive fractional partial differential equations, In: *2013 6th International congress on image and signal processing*, 2013, 288–292. <https://doi.org/10.1109/CISP.2013.6744004>
7. E. Scalas, R. Gorenflo, F. Mainardi, Fractional calculus and continuous-time finance, *Physica A*, **284** (2000), 376–384. [https://doi.org/10.1016/S0378-4371\(00\)00255-7](https://doi.org/10.1016/S0378-4371(00)00255-7)
8. H. Jafari, R. M. Ganji, N. S. Nkomo, Y. P. Lv, A numerical study of fractional order population dynamics model, *Results Phys.*, **27** (2021), 104456. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.rinp.2021.104456>
9. B. Zhang, X. Shu, *Fractional-order electrical circuit theory*, Singapore: Springer, 2022. <https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-16-2822-1>
10. M. Kaur, S. Sondhi, V. K. Yanumula, Design of fractional order PDD controller for robotic arm using partial cancellation of non minimum phase zero, *Alex. Eng. J.*, **110** (2025), 203–214. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.aej.2024.09.121>
11. Y. Ferdi, Some applications of fractional order calculus to design filters for biomedical signal processing, *J. Mech. Med. Bio.*, **12** (2012), 1240008. <https://doi.org/10.1142/S0219519412400088>
12. H. W. Engl, M. Hanke, A. Neubauer, *Regularization of inverse problems*, Dordrecht: Springer, 2000.
13. B. Ross, *Fractional calculus and its applications*, Berlin, Heidelberg: Springer, 1975. <https://doi.org/10.1007/BFb0067095>
14. Y. Zhang, B. Hofmann, On fractional asymptotical regularization of linear ill-posed problems in Hilbert spaces, *Fract. Calc. Appl. Anal.*, **22** (2019), 699–721. <https://doi.org/10.1515/fca-2019-0039>
15. D. H. Chen, J. Li, Y. Zhang, A posterior contraction for Bayesian inverse problems in Banach spaces, *Inverse Prob.*, **40** (2024), 045011. <https://doi.org/10.1088/1361-6420/ad2a03>
16. A. Shcheglov, J. Li, C. Wang, A. Ilin, Y. Zhang, Reconstructing the Absorption function in a quasi-linear sorption dynamic model via an iterative regularizing algorithm, *Adv. Appl. Math. Mech.*, **16** (2023), 237–252. <https://doi.org/10.4208/aamm.OA-2023-0020>
17. T. Abdeljawad, P. O. Mohammed, H. M. Srivastava, E. Al-Sarairah, A. Kashuri, K. Nonlaopon, Some novel existence and uniqueness results for the Hilfer fractional integro-differential equations with non-instantaneous impulsive multi-point boundary conditions and their application, *AIMS Mathematics*, **8** (2023), 3469–3483. <https://doi.org/10.3934/math.2023177>
18. B. Ahmad, R. P. Agarwal, Some new versions of fractional boundary value problems with slit-strips conditions, *Bound. Value Prob.*, **2014** (2014), 175. <https://doi.org/10.1186/s13661-014-0175-6>

19. A. Alsaedi, M. Alsulami, H. M. Srivastava, B. Ahmad, S. K. Ntouyas, Existence theory for nonlinear third-order ordinary differential equations with nonlocal multi-point and multi-strip boundary conditions, *Symmetry*, **11** (2019), 281. <https://doi.org/10.3390/sym11020281>

20. A. Chauhan, J. Dabas, M. Kumar, Integral boundary-value problem for impulsive fractional functional differential equations with infinite delay, *Electron. J. Differ. Equ.*, **2012** (2012), 229.

21. Y. Chen, D. Chen, Z. Lv, The existence results for a coupled system of nonlinear fractional differential equations with multi-point boundary conditions, *Bull. Iran. Math. Soc.*, **38** (2012), 607–624.

22. S. Choudhary, V. Daftardar-Gejji, Nonlinear multi-order fractional differential equations with periodic/anti-periodic boundary conditions, *Fract. Calc. Appl. Anal.*, **17** (2014), 333–347. <https://doi.org/10.2478/s13540-014-0172-6>

23. H. A. Hammad, M. De la Sen, Stability and controllability study for mixed integral fractional delay dynamic systems endowed with impulsive effects on time scales, *Fractal Frac.*, **7** (2023), 92. <https://doi.org/10.3390/fractfract7010092>

24. H. A. Hammad, R. A. Rashwan, A. Nafea, M. E. Samei, S. Noeiaghdam, Stability analysis for a tripled system of fractional pantograph differential equations with nonlocal conditions, *J. Vib. Control*, **30** (2024), 632–647. <https://doi.org/10.1177/10775463221149232>

25. K. Balachandran, S. Kiruthika, Existence results for fractional integrodifferential equations with nonlocal condition via resolvent operators, *Comput. Math. Appl.*, **62** (2011), 1350–1358. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.camwa.2011.05.001>

26. M. Benchohra, J. Henderson, S. K. Ntouyas, A. Ouahab, Existence results for fractional order functional differential equations with infinite delay, *J. Math. Anal. Appl.*, **338** (2008), 1340–1350. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jmaa.2007.06.021>

27. Y. Jalilian, R. Jalilian, Existence of solution for delay fractional differential equations, *Mediterr. J. Math.*, **10** (2013), 1731–1747. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s00009-013-0281-1>

28. T. Jankowski, Initial value problems for neutral fractional differential equations involving a Riemann-Liouville derivative, *Appl. Math. Comput.*, **219** (2013), 7772–7776. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.amc.2013.02.001>

29. T. Jankowski, Existence results to delay fractional differential equations with nonlinear boundary conditions, *Appl. Math. Comput.*, **219** (2013), 9155–9164. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.amc.2013.03.045>

30. H. Wang, Existence results for fractional functional differential equations with impulses, *J. Appl. Math. Comput.*, **38** (2012), 85–101. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s12190-010-0465-9>

31. V. Obukhovskii, G. Petrosyan, M. Soroka, J. C. Yao, On topological properties of solution sets of semilinear fractional differential inclusions with non-convex right-hand side, *J. Nonlinear Var. Anal.*, **8** (2024), 95–108. <https://doi.org/10.23952/jnva.8.2024.1.05>

32. C. Zhai, L. Bai, Positive solutions for a new system of Hadamard fractional integro-differential equations on an infinite interval, *J. Nonlinear Funct. Anal.*, **2024** (2024), 27. <https://doi.org/10.23952/jnfa.2024.27>

33. H. A. Hammad, H. Aydi, M. Zayed, Involvement of the topological degree theory for solving a tripled system of multi-point boundary value problems, *AIMS Mathematics*, **8** (2023), 2257–2271. <https://doi.org/10.3934/math.2023117>

34. H. A. Hammad, R. A. Rashwan, A. Nafea, M. E. Samei, M. De la Sen, Stability and existence of solutions for a tripled problem of fractional hybrid delay differential equations, *Symmetry*, **14** (2022), 2579. <https://doi.org/10.3390/sym14122579>

35. H. A. Hammad, M. Zayed, Solving systems of coupled nonlinear Atangana-Baleanu-type fractional differential equations, *Bound. Value Probl.*, **2022** (2022), 101. <https://doi.org/10.1186/s13661-022-01684-0>

36. G. Wang, W. Liu, C. Ren, Existence of solutions for multi-point nonlinear differential equations of fractional orders with integral boundary conditions, *Electron. J. Differ. Equ.*, **2012** (2012), 54.

37. Z. Yang, J. Cao, Initial value problems for arbitrary order fractional differential equations with delay, *Commun. Nonlinear Sci. Numer. Simul.*, **18** (2013), 2993–3005. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cnsns.2013.03.006>

38. X. Zhang, X. Huang, Z. Liu, The existence and uniqueness of mild solutions for impulsive fractional equations with nonlocal conditions and infinite delay, *Nonlinear Anal. Hybri.*, **4** (2010), 775–781. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.nahs.2010.05.007>

39. J. Dabas, G. Ram, Impulsive neutral fractional integro-differential equations with state dependent delays and integral condition, *Electron. J. Differ. Equ.*, **2013** (2013), 273.

40. A. Granas, J. Dugundji, *Fixed point theory*, New York: Springer, 2003. <https://doi.org/10.1007/978-0-387-21593-8>

41. J. Hale, J. Kato, Phase space for retarded equations with infinite delay, *Funkc. Ekvacioj*, **21** (1978), 11–41.



AIMS Press

© 2025 the Author(s), licensee AIMS Press. This is an open access article distributed under the terms of the Creative Commons Attribution License (<http://creativecommons.org/licenses/by/4.0>)