

Let $\alpha = \lim X_n$.

Then

$$\begin{aligned}\alpha &= \lim X_n \\ &= \lim \frac{1}{2} \left(X_{n-1} + \frac{C}{X_{n-1}} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \lim \left(X_{n-1} + \frac{C}{X_{n-1}} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \lim X_{n-1} + \frac{1}{2} \lim \frac{C}{X_{n-1}} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \alpha + \frac{1}{2} \frac{C}{\alpha}, \text{ provided } \alpha \neq 0.\end{aligned}$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned}\alpha &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\alpha + \frac{C}{\alpha} \right) \\ 2\alpha &= \alpha + \frac{C}{\alpha}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}2\alpha - \alpha &= \frac{C}{\alpha} \\ \alpha &= \frac{C}{\alpha}\end{aligned}$$

$$\alpha^2 = C$$

$$\alpha = \sqrt{C}$$

$$\lim X_n = \sqrt{C}.$$

Provided $\alpha \neq 0$
shown below.

Let $C \geq 1$ and $x_0 = 1$, and $X_n = \frac{1}{2} \left(X_{n-1} + \frac{C}{X_{n-1}} \right)$.

Then $1 \leq X_0 \leq C$.

Claim: If $1 \leq X_k \leq C$
 $1 \leq X_{k+1} \leq C$, for all $k \in \mathbb{N}$.

No bigger than C , $X_{k+1} = \frac{1}{2} \left(X_k + \frac{C}{X_k} \right)$
 $\leq \frac{1}{2} (C + C) = C$.

Also, no less than 1, $X_{k+1} = \frac{1}{2} \left(X_k + \frac{C}{X_k} \right)$
 $\geq \frac{1}{2} (1 + 1) = 1$.

So $1 \leq X_n \leq C$ for
all $n \in \mathbb{N}$.

In particular,
 $\alpha = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} X_n > 0$.