

# Convex Optimization

## Lab 6: Convex Functions

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# General steps in Two-phase Simplex

## A Stage-1: Solve the auxiliary problem

- 1 Set  $k=1$ , Repeat
- 2 Find out  $r$  by  $\operatorname{argmin}_r \{B^{-1} \cdot b. / B^{-1} \cdot N(:, k)\}$
- 3 Swap-in  $N(:, k)$  to  $B$ , Swap-out  $B(:, r)$  to  $N_2$
- 4  $C_n(k) \Leftarrow C_b(r)$
- 5 Find out  $k$  by  $\operatorname{argmin}_k \{C_b \cdot B^{-1} N - C_n\}$

## B State-2: Solve the original problem

- 1 Set  $C_b = [0 \ \cdots \ 0]$ ,  $C_n = -C \cdot N \cdot B^{-1}$
- 2  $B_2 = N$ ,  $N_2 = B^{-1}$ ,  $b = B^{-1} \cdot b$
- 3 Repeat
- 4 Find out  $k$  by  $\operatorname{argmin}_k \{C_b \cdot B_2^{-1} N_2 - C_n\}$
- 5 Find out  $r$  by  $\operatorname{argmin}_r \{B_2^{-1} \cdot b. / B_2^{-1} \cdot N_2(:, k)\}$
- 6 Swap-in  $N_2(:, k)$  to  $B_2$ , Swap-out  $B_2(:, r)$  to  $N_2$
- 7  $C_n(k) \Leftarrow C_b(r)$

# Linear Programming: implement Two-phase Simplex (2)

- ① Implement function `phase1()`, return  $B, N, b$
- ② Implement function `phase2()`, return  $B, N, b$

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1 function [fval, Xb]=simplexP2(A, b, C)
2     %design a loop to run the Simplex procedure
3     %define matrix B
4     %define matrix N
5     %define Cb, Cn
6     %k=1
7     %[B, N, b] = phase1(B, Cb, N, Cn, b);
8     %Cb = [0 0 0];
9     %Cn=-C*N*inv(B);
10    %[B, N, b] = phase2(B, Cb, N, Cn, b);
11    %fval = C*b;
12 end

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# Linear Programming: implement Two-phase Simplex (3)

- 1 Implement function `phase1()`, return  $B, N, b$
- 2 Implement function `phase2()`, return  $B, N, b$

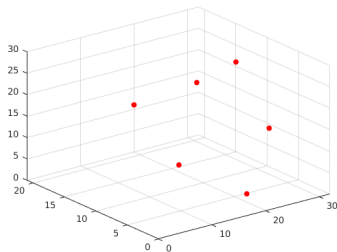
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13 function [B, N, b] = phase1(B, Cb, N, Cn, b)
14     %k=1
15 end
16
17 function [B, N, b] = phase2(B, Cb, N, Cn, b)
18     %implement by yourself
19 end
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# Display the Convex Hull of following 3D points (1)

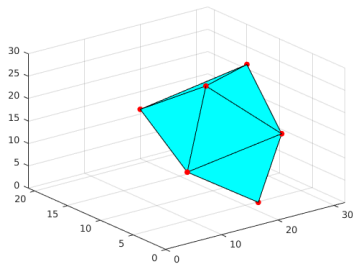
- [5 1 15;23 2 17;32 15 21;20 21 11;13 5 29;20 3 2]
- Display a group of 3D points and their convex hull

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1 function con hull()
2     clf;
3     P = [5 1 15;23 2 17;32 15 21;20 21 11;13 5 29;20 3 2];
4     [k, vol] = convhulln(P);
5     trisurf(k,P(:,1),P(:,2),P(:,3),'FaceColor','cyan')
6 end
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# Display the Convex Hull of following 3D points (2)



(a)



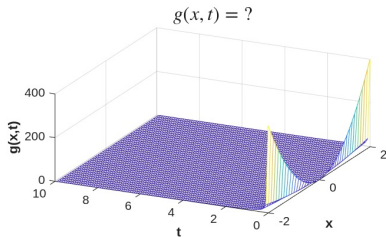
(b)

# Draw following functions by Matlab

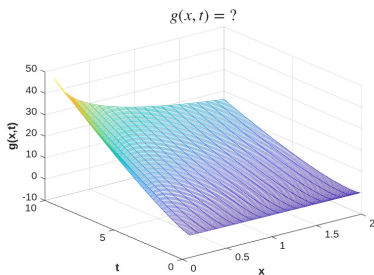
- 1 Exponential function:  $f(x) = e^{2x}$ ,  $x \in [-5, 5]$
- 2 Power function:  $f(x) = x^{1.1}$ ,  $x \in (0, 5]$
- 3 Power function:  $f(x) = x^{0.5}$ ,  $x \in (0, 5]$
- 4 Absolute power:  $f(x) = |x|^{1.5}$ ,  $x \in [-5, 5]$
- 5 Logarithmic:  $f(x) = \ln(x)$ ,  $x \in (0, 50]$
- 6 Negative entropy:  $f(x) = x \log_2(x)$ ,  $x \in (0, 10]$

# Draw Perspective Projection functions by Matlab

- ①  $f(x) = x^2$ , Perspective Proj.  $g(x, t) = ?$ ,  $x \in [-2, 2]$ ,  $t \in (0, 10]$
- ②  $f(x) = -\log(x)$ , Perspective Proj.  $g(x, t) = ?$ ,  $x \in (0, 2]$ ,  $t \in (0, 10]$



(c)



(d)

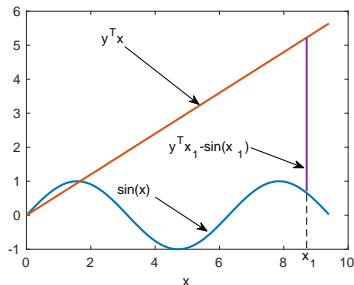


# Draw Conjugate functions by Matlab (1)

- Given function  $f(x), R^n \rightarrow R$ , the conjugate function is defined as

$$f^*(y) = \sup_x (y^T x - f(x)), R^n \rightarrow R \quad (1)$$

- Given  $f(x) = x^2$
- Given  $f(x) = x \ln(x)$



# Draw Conjugate functions by Matlab (2)

- Given function  $f(x), R^n \rightarrow R$ , the conjugate function is defined as

$$f^*(y) = \sup_x (y^T x - f(x)), R^n \rightarrow R \quad (2)$$

① Given  $f(x) = x^2 \rightarrow f^*(y) = y \cdot x - x^2$

② Given  $f(x) = x \ln(x) \rightarrow f^*(y) = y \cdot x - x \ln(x)$

Now, let's try to find out the superum of the functions w.r.t  $x$

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③  $\frac{\partial f^*(y)}{\partial x} = y - 2x = 0 \rightarrow x = \frac{y}{2}$

④  $\frac{\partial f^*(y)}{\partial x} = y - 1 - \ln(x) = 0 \rightarrow x = e^{y-1}$

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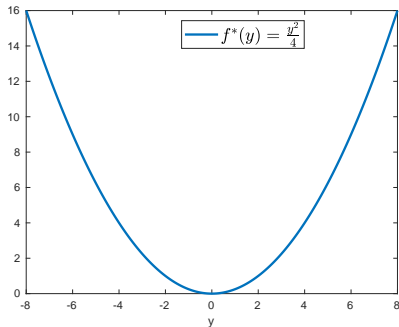
⑤  $f^*(y) = \frac{y^2}{4}$

⑥  $f^*(y) = e^{y-1}$

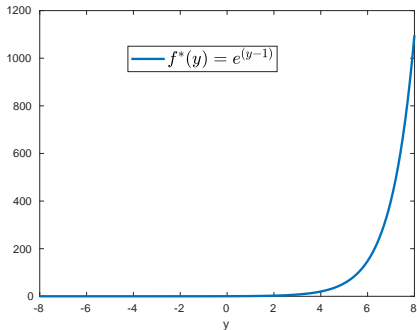
# Draw Conjugate functions by Matlab (3)

5  $f^*(y) = \frac{y^2}{4}$

6  $f^*(y) = e^{y-1}$



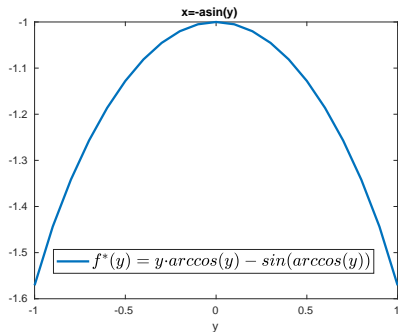
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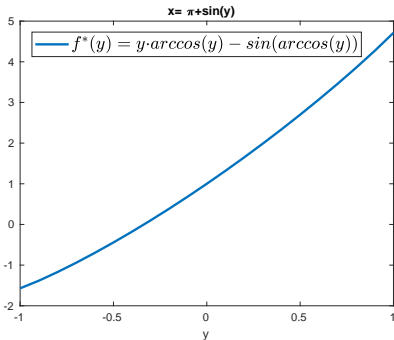
(f)

# Draw Conjugate functions by Matlab (4)

- Given  $f(x) = \cos(x)$ , plot out  $f^*(y) = \sup_x (y \cdot x - \cos(x))$
- Given  $f(x) = \sin(x)$ , plot out  $f^*(y) = \sup_x (y \cdot x - \sin(x))$
- Given  $f(x) = e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}}$ , plot out  $f^*(y) = \sup_x (y \cdot x - e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}})$



(g)



(h)