

Danny Abraham

CMPS 351

Assignment 5

```
In [1]: import numpy as np
from numpy import linalg as la
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from scipy.optimize import linprog as lp
```

Exercise in R^3

Lagrangian

```
In [2]: def lagrangian(x, l):
    f = x[0]*x[1] + x[1]*x[2]
    h1 = l[0]*(x[0]**2 + x[1]**2 - 2)
    h2 = l[1]*(x[0]**2 + x[2]**2 - 2)
    return f + h1 + h2
```

Objective Function

```
In [3]: def lagrangian_grad(x, l):
    g = np.zeros(5)
    g[0] = x[1] + 2*l[0]*x[0] + 2*l[1]*x[0]
    g[1] = x[0] + x[2] + 2*l[0]*x[1]
    g[2] = x[1] + 2*l[1]*x[2]
    g[3] = x[0]**2 + x[1]**2 - 2
    g[4] = x[0]**2 + x[2]**2 - 2
    return g
```

Gradient

```
In [4]: def lagrangian_hess(x, l):
    h = np.zeros([5, 5])
    h[0] = np.array([2*l[0] + 2*l[1], 1, 0, 2*x[0], 2*x[0]])
    h[1] = np.array([1, 2*l[0], 1, 2*x[1], 0])
    h[2] = np.array([0, 1, 2*l[1], 0, 2*x[2]])
    h[3] = np.array([2*x[0], 2*x[1], 0, 0, 0])
    h[4] = np.array([2*x[0], 0, 2*x[2], 0, 0])
    return h
```

Globally Convergent Newton

```
In [5]: def backtrack_linesearch(f, gk, pk, xk, alpha = 0.01, beta = 0.6):
        t = 1
        while (la.norm(f((xk + t*pk)[:2], (xk + t*pk)[3:]))/2 > la.norm(f(xk[:2],
        t *= beta
        return t
```

```
In [6]: def newton_method(x0, tol = 1e-6):
        x = x0
        history = np.array([x0])
        while (la.norm(lagrangian_grad(x[:2], x[3:])) >= tol):
            p = la.solve(lagrangian_hess(x[:2], x[3:]), -lagrangian_grad(x[:2], x[3:]))
            t = backtrack_linesearch(lagrangian_grad, lagrangian_grad(x[:2], x[3:]),
            x += t * p
            history = np.append(history, [x])
            #print(la.norm(lagrangian_grad(x[:2], x[3:])))
        return x, history
```

```
In [7]: x0 = np.array([0.1, 0.0000001, 0.0000001, 1, 1])
        xstar, history = newton_method(x0)
        print(xstar)
```

```
[ 1.30656297 -0.5411961 -0.5411961  0.70710679 -0.50000001]
```

Significance of the Lagrange Multipliers

The Taylor series of the constraint gives us

$$h_i(x^k + \Delta x) = h(x^k) + \nabla h_i(x^k)^t \Delta x$$

The modified constraint $h[i]$ is shifted by ϵ

$$h_i(x^k + \Delta x) - h(x^k) = \nabla h_i(x^k)^t \Delta x$$

$$h_i(x^k + \Delta x) - h(x^k) = \epsilon$$

$$\nabla h_j(x) \Delta x = 0 \text{ for all } i \neq j$$

For a feasible direction, we need to move on the surface perpendicular to the gradients of the constraints

$$h_i(x^k + \Delta x) = h(x^k) + \nabla h_i(x^k)^t \Delta x$$

Taylor series of the objective function

$$f(x^k + \Delta x) = f(x^k) + \nabla f(x^k)^t \Delta x$$

But the graient of the bjective function can be written as

$$f(x^k + \Delta x) = f(x^k) - (A(x^k)^t \lambda)^t \Delta x$$

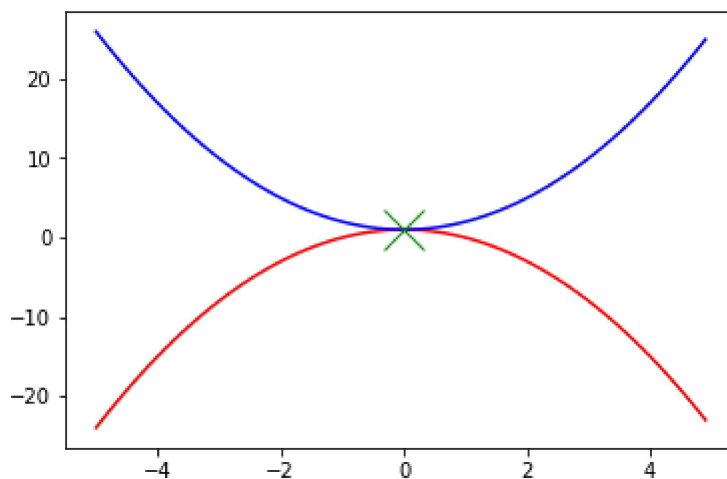
$$\Delta f = -(A(x^k)^t \lambda)^t \Delta x = -\lambda \epsilon$$

Nonnegativity of the Lagrange Multipliers

```
In [8]: f1 = lambda x : 1 - x**2
f2 = lambda x : 1 + x**2

x = np.arange(-5., 5., 0.1)
plt.plot(x, f1(x), color='red')
plt.plot(x, f2(x), color='blue')
plt.plot(f1(0), marker='x', color='green', ms=20)
```

```
Out[8]: [matplotlib.lines.Line2D at 0x1eb4fc95e48>]
```



When the inequality constraint is inactive, $\lambda = 0$

When the inequality constraint is active, the gradient of the objective function and the gradient of the constraint are aligned but have opposite directions. This is demonstrated in the example above with f_1 and f_2 .

$$\nabla f_0(x) + \lambda_i \nabla f_i(x) = 0$$

Because the gradients are aligned and opposite, λ must be positive

Necessary but not Sufficient Conditions

Lagrangian

```
In [9]: def lag(x, l):
return x[0] - x[1] + l*(x[0]*x[1] + 4)
```

Lagrangian Gradient

```
In [10]: def lag_grad(x, l):
          g = np.zeros(3)
          g[0] = l*x[1] + 1
          g[1] = l*x[0] - 1
          g[2] = x[0]*x[1] + 4
          return g
```

```
In [11]: x = np.array([2, -2])
          l = 0.5
          print(lag_grad(x, l))
          x = np.array([-2, 2])
          l = -0.5
          print(lag_grad(x, l))
```

```
[0. 0. 0.]
[0. 0. 0.]
```

For $x = [2, -2]$ and for $x = [-2, 2]$ the first order optimality conditions are satisfied, however neither are the optimal points because $x = [-4, 1]$ achieves a smaller value for the primal problem at $f(x) = -5$ and it satisfies the constraint

Healthy Snack

```
In [12]: c = [50, 80]
          A = [[-3, 0],
               [-2, -4],
               [-2, -5]]
          b = [-6, -10, -8]
          res = lp(c, A_ub=A, b_ub=b, options = { "disp" : True } )
```

```
Optimization terminated successfully.
      Current function value: 220.000000
      Iterations: 2
```

```
In [13]: print(res)

          con: array([], dtype=float64)
          fun: 220.0
          message: 'Optimization terminated successfully.'
          nit: 2
          slack: array([0. , 0. , 3.5])
          status: 0
          success: True
          x: array([2. , 1.5])
```

Lagrangian:

$$L = 50x_1 + 80x_2 + \lambda_1(-3x_1 + 6) + \lambda_2(-2x_1 - 4x_2 + 10) + \lambda_3(-2x_1 - 5x_2 + 8)$$

Optimality conditions:

$$-3\lambda_1 - 2\lambda_2 - 2\lambda_3 = -50$$

$$-4\lambda_2 - 5\lambda_3 = -80$$

Since the third constraint is not active λ_3 is equal to 0.

Solving for λ_1 and λ_2 we get $10/3$ and 20 respectively.

The lagrange multipliers represent the sensitivity towards a certain constraint. For example here we know optimality will more if we change the second constraint than if we change the third constraint. Also the changing the first constraint won't change optimality. This is of course for small changes.