

8.ex.8

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Question:

A wire of length 28 m is to be cut into two pieces. One of the pieces is to be made into a square and the other into a circle. What should be the length of the two pieces so that the combined area of the square and the circle is minimum?

Solution:

Description	Parameter or Value
length of the wire	28m
Radius of Circle	x
Side of the square	s

TABLE 0: Parameters or Values

• Theoretical Solution:

length of the circle is its circumference

length of the circle = $2\pi x$

$$s = 28 - 2\pi x \quad (0.1)$$

The least value of $2\pi x$ can be 0 and the greatest value can be 28

$$x \in \left[0, \frac{14}{\pi}\right] \quad (0.2)$$

$$x_0 = 0 \quad (0.3)$$

Let $f(x)$ is function of sum of areas of circle and square

$$f(x) = s^2 + \pi x^2 \quad (0.4)$$

$$= (28 - 2\pi x)^2 + \pi x^2 \quad (0.5)$$

$$= 784 - 112\pi x + (4\pi^2 + \pi)x^2 \quad (0.6)$$

$$f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c \quad (0.7)$$

$$f'(x) = -112\pi + 2(4\pi^2 + \pi)x \quad (0.8)$$

$$f'(x) = 2ax + b \quad (0.9)$$

$$f''(x) = 2(4\pi^2 + \pi) \quad (0.10)$$

$$a = 4\pi^2 + \pi \quad (0.11)$$

$$b = -112\pi \quad (0.12)$$

$$c = 784 \quad (0.13)$$

Critical points,

$$f' = 0 \quad (0.14)$$

$$-112\pi + 2(4\pi^2 + \pi)x = 0 \quad (0.15)$$

$$x = \frac{56}{4\pi + 1} \quad (0.16)$$

For

$$\text{Local Minimum } f'' > 0 \quad (0.17)$$

$$\text{Local Maximum } f'' < 0 \quad (0.18)$$

$$\text{Inflection Point } f'' = 0 \quad (0.19)$$

Hence (0.16) is critical point.

$$\text{Length of circle} = \frac{112\pi}{4\pi + 1} \quad (0.20)$$

$$\text{Length of square} = \frac{28}{4\pi + 1} \quad (0.21)$$

- **Computational Solution:** We use the method of gradient descent to find the minimum/maximum of the given function, since the objective function is convex. Since the coefficient of $x^2 > 0$, we expect to find a local minimum.

$$x_{n+1}x_n - \alpha f'(x_n) \quad (0.22)$$

$$x_{n+1} = x_n - \alpha(2ax_n + b) \quad (0.23)$$

$$x_{n+1} = x_n(1 - 2a\alpha) + \alpha b \quad (0.24)$$

Applying unilateral z-transform over the equation (0.24)

$$zX(z) - zx_0 = X(z)(1 - 2a\alpha) + \frac{\alpha b}{1 - z^{-1}} \quad (0.25)$$

$$X(z)[z - (1 - 2a\alpha)] = \frac{\alpha b}{1 - z^{-1}} \quad (0.26)$$

$$X(z) = \frac{\alpha b}{[z - (1 - 2a\alpha)][1 - z^{-1}]} \quad (0.27)$$

$$X(z) = \frac{b}{2a} \left[\frac{1}{1 - z^{-1}} - \frac{1}{1 - (1 - 2a\alpha)z^{-1}} \right] \quad (0.28)$$

$$= \frac{b}{2a} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} [1 - (1 - 2a\alpha)^n] z^{-n} u(n) \quad (0.29)$$

From the equation (0.29), ROC is

$$|z| > \max\{1, |1 - 2a\alpha|\} \quad (0.30)$$

$$0 < |1 - 2a\alpha| < 1 \quad (0.31)$$

$$(0.32)$$

$$\alpha \in \left(0, \frac{1}{a}\right) \setminus \left\{\frac{1}{2a}\right\} \quad (0.33)$$

$$\alpha \in \left(0, \frac{1}{4\pi^2 + \pi}\right) \setminus \left\{\frac{1}{2(4\pi^2 + \pi)}\right\} \quad (0.34)$$

If α satisfies the previous equation then

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_{n+1} - x_n\| = 0 \quad (0.35)$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|\alpha(2ax_n + b)\| = 0 \quad (0.36)$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|2ax_n + b\| = 0 \quad (0.37)$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} 2ax_n = -b \quad (0.38)$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = \frac{-b}{2a} \quad (0.39)$$

$$x_{min} = \frac{-b}{2a} \quad (0.40)$$

$$x_{min} = \frac{56}{1 + 4\pi} \quad (0.41)$$

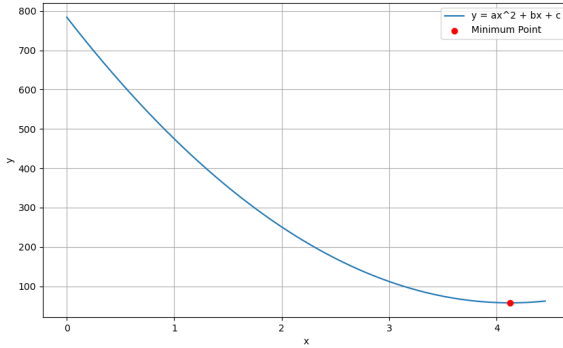


Fig. 0.1: Minimum of the function