

Theorem

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Theorem 1. *Every accumulation point of sequence $x_k = [z_k, \theta_k^1, \dots, \theta_k^t]_{k=1}^\infty$ produced by gradient descent with following Armijo-rules is a Pareto critical point:*

$$\mathcal{L}^t(z - \eta d_z, \theta^t - \eta \nabla_{\theta^t} \mathcal{L}^t) \leq \mathcal{L}^t - \eta \beta \left\| \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}^t}{\partial \theta^t} \right\|^2 \quad \forall t \quad (1)$$

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Proof.

1. Let $u^t = \nabla_{\theta^t} L^t$. Let $x = [\bar{z}, \bar{\theta}^1, \dots, \bar{\theta}^n]$ be an accumulation point of $x_k = [z_k, \theta_k^1, \dots, \theta_k^n]_{k=1}^\infty$. Then, there exists a subsequence $x_{k_j} = [z_{k_j}, \theta_{1k_j}, \dots, \theta_{nk_j}]_{j=1}^\infty$ converging to x . As L continuous: $L(x_{k_j}) \rightarrow L(\bar{x})$. Consequently, $\eta \beta \|u^t\|^2 \rightarrow 0$. There is an alternative:

- $\limsup \eta > 0$
- $\lim \eta = 0$

In the first case $\|u^t\|^2 \rightarrow 0$, hence, $\frac{\partial L^t}{\partial z} = u^t \frac{\partial \theta^t}{\partial z} \rightarrow 0$ and this point is Pareto stationary.

In the second case suppose that accumulation point x is not Pareto critical. Then, there exists d_z a minimizing direction. As $\lim \eta = 0$ then for every constant step size η_n from some j_0 we can't satisfy Armijo condition at least for one function:

$$\forall \eta_n = \frac{1}{n} \exists j_0 : \forall j \geq j_0 \exists t_n L^{t_n}(z_{k_j} - \eta_n s_{k_j}, \theta_{k_j} - \eta_n u_j^{t_n}) \geq L^{t_n}(z_{k_j}) - \eta_n \beta \|u_j^{t_n}\|^2$$

As consequence of indices $\{t_n\}$ is bounded by number of tasks T , one can get sub-sequence of indices $\{t_{n_m}\}$, which converges to some index t_0 .

Hence, starting from some j_0 we get that for L^{t_0} is true

$$\forall j \geq j_0 \quad L^{t_0}(z_{k_j} - \eta_n s_{k_j}, \theta_{k_j}^{t_0} - \eta_n u_j^{t_0}) \geq L^{t_0}(z_{k_j}) - \eta_n \beta \|u_j^{t_0}\|^2$$

As $L^{t_0} \in C^1$ and $x_{k_j} \rightarrow x$ so $s_{k_j} \rightarrow s$ and we get

$$L^{t_0}(\bar{z} - \eta_n \bar{s}, \bar{\theta}^{t_0} - \eta_n \bar{u}^{t_0}) \geq L^{t_0}(\bar{z}) - \eta_n \beta \|\bar{u}^{t_0}\|^2$$

As it is true $\forall \eta_n = \frac{1}{n}$, where $n \in \mathbb{N}$ we get contradiction with Armijo rule: because If $\left[\frac{\partial L}{\partial \theta}, \frac{\partial L}{\partial z}\right] \left[\frac{\partial L}{\partial \theta}, s\right]^T \preceq 0$, then $\exists \bar{\eta} : \forall t \ L^t(\bar{z} - \eta \bar{s}, \bar{\theta}^t - \eta \bar{u}^t) \leq L^t(\bar{z}) - \eta \beta \|u^t\|^2 - \eta \beta \frac{\partial L^t}{\partial z}^T s$. So $\bar{s} = 0$ and \bar{x} — Pareto critical point.

2. For this Armijo-rule proof can be gained by following modifications. As $L(x_{k_j}) \rightarrow L(x)$ we have $\eta \beta \frac{\partial L^t}{\partial z}^T \bar{s} \rightarrow 0$.

In the first variant of alternative we have $\forall t \ \frac{\partial L^t}{\partial z}^T \bar{s} = 0$. As $\frac{\partial L^t}{\partial z}$ isn't singular matrix, then $\bar{s} = 0$ and this is Pareto stationary point.

In the second variant of alternative we can change all $\eta \beta \|u_{t_0}\|^2$ on $\eta \beta \frac{\partial L^t}{\partial z}^T s$ and proof doesn't change.

3. For this Armijo-rule proof can be gained by following modifications. As $L(x_{k_j}) \rightarrow L(x)$ we have $\eta \beta \frac{\partial L^t}{\partial z}^T \bar{s} + \eta \beta \|u^t\|^2 \rightarrow 0$. Both terms are non-negative so we have same alternative.

In the first variant of alternative we have that $s = 0, u^t = 0$, so x — Pareto stationary point.

In the second variant of alternative we can change all $\eta \beta \|u^t\|^2$ on $\eta \beta \frac{\partial L^t}{\partial z}^T \bar{s} + \eta \beta \|u^t\|^2$ and proof doesn't change.

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