

# EN.553.761: Nonlinear Optimization I

## Homework Assignment #1

**Exercise 1.1:** Compute  $\nabla f(x)$  and  $\nabla^2 f(x)$  for the following functions  $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ .

**Answer:** In Multivariate Calculus, we know that

$$df = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i} dx_i = \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial \mathbf{x}} \right)^T d\mathbf{x} \quad (1)$$

Thus, once we write the  $df$  in the form,

$$df = (\nabla f(x))^T d\mathbf{x} \quad (2)$$

we can obtain  $\nabla f(x)$ .

(a)  $f(x) = \frac{1}{2}x^T H x$ , where  $H \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  is a fixed matrix. What if  $H$  is symmetric?

$$\begin{aligned} df &= \frac{1}{2} \left[ (d\mathbf{x})^T H x + x^T H d\mathbf{x} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left[ (Hx)^T d\mathbf{x} + x^T H d\mathbf{x} \right] \quad (u^T v = v^T u \text{ if both } u \text{ and } v \text{ are vectors}) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left[ (Hx)^T + x^T H \right] d\mathbf{x} \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

According to (2), the  $\nabla f(x)$  can be obtained by taking the transpose of  $\frac{1}{2} \left[ (Hx)^T + x^T H \right]$

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla f(x) &= \frac{1}{2} \left[ (Hx)^T + x^T H \right]^T \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (Hx + H^T x) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (H + H^T) x \end{aligned} \quad (4)$$

Thus,  $\nabla f(x) = \frac{1}{2} (H + H^T) x = g(x)$ , which will be used to compute  $\nabla^2 f(x)$  in the following:

$$\begin{aligned} g(x) &= \nabla f(x) \\ \nabla^2 f(x) &= \nabla g(x) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} dg &= \frac{1}{2} (H + H^T) d\mathbf{x} \\ \nabla g(x) &= \left[ \frac{1}{2} (H + H^T) \right]^T \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (H^T + H) \end{aligned}$$

Thus,  $\nabla^2 f(x) = \nabla g(x) = \frac{1}{2} (H^T + H)$ .

If  $H$  is symmetric, then  $H^T = H$ , then  $\nabla f(x) = Hx$  and  $\nabla^2 f(x) = H$ .

(b)  $f(x) = b^T Ax - \frac{1}{2} x^T A^T Ax$ , where  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$  is a fixed matrix and  $b \in \mathbb{R}^m$  is a fixed vector.

According to the distributive rule of differentiation,  $\nabla f(x)$  can be computed by following equation:

$$\nabla f(x) = \nabla (b^T Ax) - \nabla \left( \frac{1}{2} x^T A^T Ax \right) \quad (5)$$

$\nabla (b^T Ax)$  can be computed by following:

$$\begin{aligned} d(b^T Ax) &= (b^T A) d\mathbf{x} \\ \nabla (b^T Ax) &= (b^T A)^T \\ &= A^T b \end{aligned} \quad (6)$$

For the reason that  $A^T A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ ,  $\nabla \left( \frac{1}{2} x^T A^T Ax \right)$  can be computed based on Question 1 by the following:

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla \left( \frac{1}{2} x^T A^T Ax \right) &= \frac{1}{2} [(A^T A) + (A^T A)^T] x \\ &= A^T Ax \end{aligned} \quad (7)$$

From (6) and (7), we can compute  $\nabla f(x)$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla f(x) &= \nabla (b^T Ax) - \nabla \left( \frac{1}{2} x^T A^T Ax \right) \\ &= A^T b - A^T Ax \end{aligned} \quad (8)$$

Thus,  $\nabla f(x) = A^T b - A^T Ax = g(x)$ , which will be used to compute  $\nabla^2 f(x)$  in the following:

$$\begin{aligned} g(x) &= \nabla f(x) \\ \nabla^2 f(x) &= \nabla g(x) \\ dg &= -A^T A d\mathbf{x} \\ \nabla g(x) &= -(A^T A)^T \\ &= -A^T A \end{aligned} \quad (9)$$

Because  $A^T A$  is symmetric. Thus,  $\nabla^2 f(x) = \nabla g(x) = -A^T A$ .

(c)  $f(x) = \|x\|_2 = (\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2)^{1/2}$

$df(x)$  can be simplified by the following equation:

$$df(x) = \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{x}\|_2^{-1} d\|\mathbf{x}\|_2^2 \quad (10)$$

$d\|\mathbf{x}\|_2^2$  is computed by the following:

$$\begin{aligned} d\|\mathbf{x}\|_2^2 &= d(\mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{x}) \\ &= (d\mathbf{x})^T \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{x}^T d\mathbf{x} \\ &= \mathbf{x}^T d\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{x}^T d\mathbf{x} \quad ((d\mathbf{x})^T \in \mathbb{R}^n) \\ &= 2\mathbf{x}^T d\mathbf{x} \end{aligned} \quad (11)$$

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} df(x) &= \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{x}\|_2^{-1} 2\mathbf{x}^T d\mathbf{x} \\ &= \|\mathbf{x}\|_2^{-1} \mathbf{x}^T d\mathbf{x} \end{aligned} \quad (12)$$

According to (2), the  $\nabla f(x)$  can be obtained by taking the transpose of  $\|\mathbf{x}\|_2^{-1} \mathbf{x}^T$

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla f(x) &= (\|\mathbf{x}\|_2^{-1} \mathbf{x}^T)^T \\ &= \|\mathbf{x}\|_2^{-1} \mathbf{x} \end{aligned} \quad (13)$$

Thus,  $\nabla f(x) = \|\mathbf{x}\|_2^{-1} \mathbf{x} = g(x)$ , which will be used to compute  $\nabla^2 f(x)$  in the following:

$$\begin{aligned} g(x) &= \nabla f(x) \\ \nabla^2 f(x) &= \nabla g(x) \\ dg &= \mathbf{x} d\|\mathbf{x}\|_2^{-1} + \|\mathbf{x}\|_2^{-1} d\mathbf{x} \\ &= \mathbf{x} (-\|\mathbf{x}\|_2^{-2}) d\|\mathbf{x}\|_2 + \|\mathbf{x}\|_2^{-1} d\mathbf{x} \\ &= -\|\mathbf{x}\|_2^{-2} \mathbf{x} \|\mathbf{x}\|_2^{-1} \mathbf{x}^T d\mathbf{x} + \|\mathbf{x}\|_2^{-1} d\mathbf{x} \\ dg &= -\|\mathbf{x}\|_2^{-3} \mathbf{x} \mathbf{x}^T d\mathbf{x} + \|\mathbf{x}\|_2^{-1} d\mathbf{x} \\ &= (-\|\mathbf{x}\|_2^{-3} \mathbf{x} \mathbf{x}^T + \|\mathbf{x}\|_2^{-1} \mathbf{I}) d\mathbf{x} \\ \nabla g(x) &= (-\|\mathbf{x}\|_2^{-3} \mathbf{x} \mathbf{x}^T + \|\mathbf{x}\|_2^{-1} \mathbf{I})^T \\ &= -\|\mathbf{x}\|_2^{-3} \mathbf{x} \mathbf{x}^T + \|\mathbf{x}\|_2^{-1} \mathbf{I} \end{aligned}$$

Thus,  $\nabla^2 f(x) = \nabla g(x) = -\|\mathbf{x}\|_2^{-3} \mathbf{x} \mathbf{x}^T + \|\mathbf{x}\|_2^{-1} \mathbf{I}$ .

(d)  $f(x) = \|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2$ , where  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$  is a fixed matrix and  $\mathbf{b} \in \mathbb{R}^m$  is a fixed vector.

$df(x)$  can be simplified by the following equation:

$$df(x) = \frac{1}{2} \|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^{-1} d\|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^2 \quad (14)$$

$d\|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^2$  is computed by the following:

$$\begin{aligned} d\|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^2 &= d \left[ (A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b})^T (A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}) \right] \\ &= d (\mathbf{x}^T A^T A \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{x}^T A^T \mathbf{b} - \mathbf{b}^T A \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{b}) \\ &= (2\mathbf{x}^T A^T A - 2\mathbf{b}^T A) d\mathbf{x} \quad (\text{From previous result in (6) and (7)}) \end{aligned} \quad (15)$$

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} df(x) &= \frac{1}{2} \|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^{-1} (2\mathbf{x}^T A^T A - 2\mathbf{b}^T A) d\mathbf{x} \\ &= \|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^{-1} (\mathbf{x}^T A^T A - \mathbf{b}^T A) d\mathbf{x} \end{aligned} \quad (16)$$

According to (2), the  $\nabla f(x)$  can be obtained by taking the transpose of  $\|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^{-1} (\mathbf{x}^T A^T A - \mathbf{b}^T A)$

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla f(x) &= (\|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^{-1} (\mathbf{x}^T A^T A - \mathbf{b}^T A))^T \\ &= \|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^{-1} (A^T A \mathbf{x} - A^T \mathbf{b}) \end{aligned} \quad (17)$$

Thus,  $\nabla f(x) = \|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^{-1} (A^T A\mathbf{x} - A^T \mathbf{b}) = g(x)$ , which will be used to compute  $\nabla^2 f(x)$  in the following:

$$\begin{aligned} g(x) &= \nabla f(x) \\ \nabla^2 f(x) &= \nabla g(x) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} dg &= (A^T A\mathbf{x} - A^T \mathbf{b}) d\|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^{-1} + \|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^{-1} d(A^T A\mathbf{x} - A^T \mathbf{b}) \\ &= (A^T A\mathbf{x} - A^T \mathbf{b}) (-\|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^{-2}) d\|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2 + \|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^{-1} A^T A d\mathbf{x} \\ &= -\|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^{-2} (A^T A\mathbf{x} - A^T \mathbf{b}) \|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^{-1} (\mathbf{x}^T A^T A - \mathbf{b}^T A) d\mathbf{x} + \|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^{-1} A^T A d\mathbf{x} \\ dg &= -\|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^{-3} (A^T A\mathbf{x} - A^T \mathbf{b}) (\mathbf{x}^T A^T A - \mathbf{b}^T A) d\mathbf{x} + \|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^{-1} A^T A d\mathbf{x} \\ &= [-\|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^{-3} (A^T A\mathbf{x}\mathbf{x}^T A^T A - 2A^T \mathbf{b}\mathbf{x}^T A^T A + A^T \mathbf{b}\mathbf{b}^T A) + \|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^{-1} A^T A] d\mathbf{x} \\ \nabla g(x) &= [-\|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^{-3} (A^T A\mathbf{x}\mathbf{x}^T A^T A - 2A^T \mathbf{b}\mathbf{x}^T A^T A + A^T \mathbf{b}\mathbf{b}^T A) + \|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^{-1} A^T A]^T \\ &= -\|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^{-3} (A^T A\mathbf{x}\mathbf{x}^T A^T A - 2A^T A\mathbf{x}\mathbf{b}^T A + A^T \mathbf{b}\mathbf{b}^T A) + \|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^{-1} A^T A \end{aligned}$$

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla^2 f(x) &= \nabla g(x) = -\|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^{-3} (A^T A\mathbf{x}\mathbf{x}^T A^T A - 2A^T A\mathbf{x}\mathbf{b}^T A + A^T \mathbf{b}\mathbf{b}^T A) + \|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^{-1} A^T A \\ &= -\|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^{-3} A^T (A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b})(A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b})^T A + \|A\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^{-1} A^T A \end{aligned}$$

**Exercise 1.2:** Let  $\mathcal{S} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $f : \mathcal{S} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ . Let  $x \in \mathcal{S}$  and  $s \in \mathbb{R}^n$  be such that  $[x, x + s] \in \mathcal{S}$ .

(a) By defining  $\phi(\alpha) = f(x + \alpha s)$  and using the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus:

$$\phi(1) = \phi(0) + \int_0^1 \phi'(\alpha) d\alpha,$$

show that

$$|f(x + s) - f(x) - g(x)^T s| \leq \frac{1}{2} \gamma^L \|s\|_2^2$$

whenever  $f$  has a Lipschitz continuous gradient with Lipschitz constant  $\gamma^L$  on  $\mathcal{S}$ .

**Answer:**

With Fix  $s$  and  $\phi(\alpha) = f(x + \alpha s)$ ,  $f(x + s)$  can be rewrote as following form:

$$\begin{aligned} f(x + s) &= \phi(1) = \phi(0) + \int_0^1 \phi'(\alpha) d\alpha \\ &= \phi(0) + \phi'(0) + \int_0^1 \phi'(t) - \phi'(0) dt \\ \phi(1) - \phi(0) - \phi'(0) &= \int_0^1 \phi'(t) - \phi'(0) dt \end{aligned} \tag{18}$$

Then by taking the absolute value of both size, the equation can be rewrote as following:

$$|\phi(1) - \phi(0) - \phi'(0)| = \left| \int_0^1 \phi'(t) - \phi'(0) dt \right| \leq \int_0^1 |\phi'(t) - \phi'(0)| dt \tag{19}$$

$$|\phi(1) - \phi(0) - \phi'(0)| \leq \int_0^1 |\phi'(t) - \phi'(0)| dt = \int_0^1 |\nabla f(x + ts)^T s - \nabla f(x)^T s| dt \tag{20}$$

With Cauchy-Schwartz inequality and Lipschitz continuous property:

$$\int_0^1 |\nabla f(x+ts)^T s - \nabla f(x)^T s| dt \leq \int_0^1 \|s\|_2 \|\nabla f(x+ts)^T - \nabla f(x)^T\|_2 dt \leq \int_0^1 \|s\|_2 \gamma^L \|x+ts-x\|_2 dt \quad (21)$$

Thus, combining (20) and (21), the equation can be rewrote as following:

$$|\phi(1) - \phi(0) - \phi'(0)| \leq \gamma^L \|s\|_2^2 \int_0^1 t dt = \frac{1}{2} \gamma^L \|s\|_2^2 \quad (22)$$

$$|f(x+s) - f(x) - g(x)^T s| \leq \frac{1}{2} \gamma^L \|s\|_2^2 \quad (23)$$

(b) Justify the formula

$$\phi(1) = \phi(0) + \phi'(0) + \int_0^1 \int_0^\alpha \phi''(t) dt d\alpha.$$

Hence, show that

$$|f(x+s) - f(x) - g(x)^T s - \frac{1}{2} s^T H(x) s| \leq \frac{1}{6} \gamma^Q \|s\|_2^3,$$

whenever  $f$  has a Lipschitz continuous Hessian with Lipschitz constant  $\gamma^Q$  on  $\mathcal{S}$ .

**Answer:**

First, let's justify the formula.

$$RHS = \phi(0) + \phi'(0) + \int_0^1 \int_0^\alpha \phi''(t) dt d\alpha = \phi(0) + \phi'(0) + \int_0^1 [\phi'(t)|_0^\alpha] d\alpha \quad (24)$$

$$= \phi(0) + \phi'(0) + \int_0^1 (\phi'(\alpha) - \phi'(0)) d\alpha = \phi(0) + \phi'(0) + \phi(\alpha)|_0^1 - \phi'(0) \quad (25)$$

$$= \phi(0) + \phi'(0) + \phi(1) - \phi(0) - \phi'(0) = \phi(1) = LHS \quad (26)$$

Thus, this formula is justified.

With Fix  $s$  and  $\phi(\alpha) = f(x + \alpha s)$ ,  $f(x+s)$  can be rewrote as following form:

$$\begin{aligned} f(x+s) &= \phi(1) = \phi(0) + \phi'(0) + \frac{1}{2} \phi''(0) + \int_0^1 \int_0^\alpha \phi''(t) - \phi''(0) dt d\alpha \\ \phi(1) - \phi(0) - \phi'(0) - \frac{1}{2} \phi''(0) &= \int_0^1 \int_0^\alpha \phi''(t) - \phi''(0) dt d\alpha \end{aligned} \quad (27)$$

Because

$$\int_0^1 \int_0^\alpha -\phi''(0) dt d\alpha = -\frac{1}{2} \phi''(0)$$

Then by taking the absolute value of both size, the equation can be rewrote as following:

$$|\phi(1) - \phi(0) - \phi'(0) - \frac{1}{2} \phi''(0)| = \left| \int_0^1 \int_0^\alpha \phi''(t) - \phi''(0) dt d\alpha \right| \leq \int_0^1 \int_0^\alpha |\phi''(t) - \phi''(0)| dt d\alpha \quad (28)$$

$$|\phi(1) - \phi(0) - \phi'(0) - \frac{1}{2} \phi''(0)| \leq \int_0^1 \int_0^\alpha |\phi''(t) - \phi''(0)| dt d\alpha = \int_0^1 \int_0^\alpha |s^T H(x+ts)s - s^T H(x)s| dt d\alpha \quad (29)$$

With Cauchy-Schwartz inequality and Lipschitz continuous property:

$$\int_0^1 \int_0^\alpha |s^T H(x+ts)s - s^T H(x)s| dt d\alpha \leq \int_0^1 \int_0^\alpha \|s\|_2^2 \|H(x+ts) - H(x)\|_2 dt d\alpha \leq \int_0^1 \int_0^\alpha \|s\|_2^2 \gamma^Q \|x+ts-x\|_2 dt d\alpha \quad (30)$$

Thus, combining (29) and (30), the equation can be rewrote as following:

$$|\phi(1) - \phi(0) - \phi'(0) - \frac{1}{2}\phi''(0)| \leq \gamma^Q \|s\|_2^3 \int_0^1 \int_0^\alpha t dt = \gamma^Q \|s\|_2^3 \int_0^1 \frac{1}{2}\alpha^2 d\alpha = \frac{1}{6}\gamma^Q \|s\|_2^3 \quad (31)$$

$$|f(x+s) - f(x) - g(x)^T s - \frac{1}{2}s^T H(x)s| \leq \frac{1}{6}\gamma^Q \|s\|_2^3 \quad (32)$$

### This is the output for Ex 1.3

This file calls “my\_func” and “newton”  
Functions, which are both attached below.

```
tol      = 1.0e-14 ; % VERY tight stopping tolerance
maxit    = 50      ; % maximum number of iterations allowed
x0       = [-10; 10] ; % initial guess at a solution
printlevel = 1;

[x,F,J,iter,status] = newton('my_func',x0,maxit,printlevel,tol);

sprintf('The final x is')
disp(x)
sprintf('The final Function value is')
disp(F)
sprintf('The final Jacobian matrix is')
disp(J)
```

iter	F	J
1	3.005102e+02	1.326500e+02
2	8.879244e+01	5.848417e+01
3	2.608146e+01	2.577306e+01
4	8.833433e+00	1.223421e+01
5	2.734851e+00	5.770677e+00
6	1.018182e+00	2.561776e+00
7	3.670292e-01	1.210689e+00
8	8.555974e-02	1.560064e+00
9	5.522496e-03	1.585249e+00
10	2.743997e-05	1.594009e+00
11	7.882539e-10	1.594037e+00
12	0.000000e+00	1.594037e+00

ans =

*'The final x is'*

-0.2366  
-0.5132

ans =

*'The final Function value is'*

0  
0

ans =

*'The final Jacobian matrix is'*

0.1679    -1.0000  
-1.0000    -1.0265

# my\_func Function

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```
% referenced from matlab demo2
% http://www.ams.jhu.edu/~abasu9/AMS_553-761/demos_lecture03_661.m
function [F,J]=my_func(X)
    x1 = X(1);
    x2 = X(2);

    F = [x1^3 - x2 - 0.5;
        -x1 + x2^2 - 0.5];
    J = [3*x1^2, -1;
        -1, 2*x2];
end
```

*Not enough input arguments.*

*Error in my\_func (line 4)*  
    *x1 = X(1);*

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# Newton Function

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```
% referenced from matlab demo2
% http://www.ams.jhu.edu/~abasu9/AMS_553-761/demos_lecture03_661.m

function [x,F,J,iter,status] = newton(Fun,x0,maxit,printlevel,tol)
% cast Fun from string to a Function
func = str2func(Fun);
%
iter    = 0          ;
[F0,J0] = func(x0);
F       = F0         ;
J       = J0         ;
x       = x0         ;
if printlevel == 1
    flag = 1;

while norm(F) > tol*norm(F0) && iter < maxit

    iter    = iter + 1 ;
    s       = J\(-F) ;
    x       = x + s    ;
    [F,J]   = func(x) ;

    if printlevel == 1
        if flag == 1
            fprintf('\n iter          |F|          |J| \n');
            flag = 0;
        end
        fprintf(' %4g  %13.6e  %13.6e \n', iter, norm(F), norm(J))
    end
end

if iter == maxit
    status = 1;
else
    status = 0;
end

end

Not enough input arguments.

Error in newton (line 6)
func = str2func(Fun);
```

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EX 1.4 (a)

We can regard the  $\lambda$  as the  $n + 1$ th variable (like  $x_{n+1}$ ) in the iteration using Newton's method. So the  $n + 1$  nonlinear equations should be like below:

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{1,1}x_1 + a_{1,2}x_2 + \dots + a_{1,n}x_n - \lambda x_1 \\ a_{2,1}x_1 + a_{2,2}x_2 + \dots + a_{2,n}x_n - \lambda x_2 \\ \vdots \\ a_{n,1}x_1 + a_{n,2}x_2 + \dots + a_{n,n}x_n - \lambda x_n \\ x_1^2 + x_2^2 + \dots + x_n^2 - 1 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

Then,

$$F = \begin{bmatrix} a_{1,1}x_1 + a_{1,2}x_2 + \dots + a_{1,n}x_n - \lambda x_1 \\ a_{2,1}x_1 + a_{2,2}x_2 + \dots + a_{2,n}x_n - \lambda x_2 \\ \vdots \\ a_{n,1}x_1 + a_{n,2}x_2 + \dots + a_{n,n}x_n - \lambda x_n \\ x_1^2 + x_2^2 + \dots + x_n^2 - 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$J = \begin{bmatrix} a_{1,1} - \lambda & a_{1,2} & a_{1,3} & \dots & a_{1,n} & -x_1 \\ a_{2,1} & a_{2,2} - \lambda & a_{2,3} & \dots & a_{2,n} & -x_2 \\ & & \vdots & & & \\ a_{n,1} & a_{n,2} & a_{n,3} & \dots & a_{n,n} - \lambda & -x_n \\ 2x_1 & 2x_2 & 2x_3 & \dots & 2x_n & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Now we could solve the Newton's method equation:

$$x_{k+1} = x - J^{-1}F$$

Where  $x_{k+1} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \\ \lambda \end{bmatrix}$

This is the output for Ex 1.4b

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This file calls “Fun” and “newton” Functions,  
which are both attached below.

```
global A
A = [4,2,1 ; 2,3,0 ; 1,0,1];
x0 = [1/5;-1/5;4/5];
lambda0 = 1;
x0 = [x0;lambda0];
tol      = 1.0e-14 ; % VERY tight stopping tolerance
maxit    = 50      ; % maximum number of iterations allowed
printlevel = 1;

[x,F,J,iter,status] = newton('Fun',x0,maxit,printlevel,tol);

sprintf('The final x is')
disp(x(1:3))
sprintf('The final lambda is')
disp(x(4))
sprintf('The final Function value is')
disp(F)
sprintf('The final Jacobian matrix is')
disp(J)
```

<i>iter</i>	$ F $	$ J $
1	3.789240e+03	1.193503e+02
2	9.471708e+02	5.969302e+01
3	2.366601e+02	2.988274e+01
4	5.906209e+01	1.501784e+01
5	1.691411e+01	8.181787e+00
6	2.239788e+01	9.467221e+00
7	1.171360e+01	7.114551e+00
8	3.012441e+00	4.006215e+00
9	5.654165e-01	3.874784e+00
10	5.105603e-02	3.874622e+00
11	6.200240e-04	3.874588e+00
12	9.604808e-08	3.874587e+00
13	2.455074e-15	3.874587e+00

*ans* =

*'The final x is'*

0.4318  
-0.7331  
0.5255

*ans* =

*'The final lambda is'*

1.8218

---

`ans =`

`'The final Function value is'`

`1.0e-14 *`

`-0.0111`

`-0.0222`

`0`

`0.2442`

`ans =`

`'The final Jacobian matrix is'`

`2.1782      2.0000      1.0000      -0.4318`

`2.0000      1.1782           0      0.7331`

`1.0000           0      -0.8218      -0.5255`

`0.8637      -1.4661      1.0510           0`

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# Fun Function

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```
function [F,J] = Fun(X)
    global A
    x = X(1:3);
    lambda = X(4);
    F = [A*x-lambda*x; sum(x.^2)-1];
    A_size = size(A);
    J = [A-lambda*eye(A_size(1)),-x; 2*x',0];

end
```

*Not enough input arguments.*

*Error in Fun (line 3)*  
    *x = X(1:3);*

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# Newton Function

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```
% referenced from matlab demo2
% http://www.ams.jhu.edu/~abasu9/AMS_553-761/demos_lecture03_661.m

function [x,F,J,iter,status] = newton(Fun,x0,maxit,printlevel,tol)
% cast Fun from string to a Function
func = str2func(Fun);
%
iter    = 0          ;
[F0,J0] = func(x0);
F       = F0         ;
J       = J0         ;
x       = x0         ;
if printlevel == 1
    flag = 1;

while norm(F) > tol*norm(F0) && iter < maxit

    iter    = iter + 1 ;
    s       = J\(-F) ;
    x       = x + s    ;
    [F,J]   = func(x) ;

    if printlevel == 1
        if flag == 1
            fprintf('\n iter          |F|          |J| \n');
            flag = 0;
        end
        fprintf(' %4g  %13.6e  %13.6e \n', iter, norm(F), norm(J))
    end
end

if iter == maxit
    status = 1;
else
    status = 0;
end

end

Not enough input arguments.

Error in newton (line 6)
func = str2func(Fun);
```

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