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Comparison of dimensionality reduction schemes for derivative-free global optimization algorithms

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Problem statement

$$\min\{f(y) : y \in D\}, D = \{y \in \mathbb{R}^n : a_i \leq y_i \leq b_i, 1 \leq i \leq n\},$$

where $f(y)$ is a vector-function.

Solution of the problem is a set of non-dominated points (Slater set):

$$S(D) = \{y \in D : \nexists z \in D, f_i(z) < f_i(y), 1 \leq i \leq m\}$$

Assume objectives to satisfy Lipschitz condition in D :

$$|f_i(y_1) - f_i(y_2)| \leq L_i \|y_1 - y_2\|, y_1, y_2 \in D, 0 < L_i < \infty, 1 \leq i \leq m$$

Dimension reduction

Peano-type curve $y(x)$ allows to reduce dimension of the original multi-objective problem:

$$\begin{aligned} \{y \in \mathbb{R}^N : -2^{-1} \leq y_i \leq 2^{-1}, 1 \leq i \leq N\} &= \{y(x) : 0 \leq x \leq 1\} \\ \min\{f(y) : y \in D\} &= \min\{f(y(x)) : x \in [0, 1]\} \end{aligned}$$

Conclusion and future work

Already done:



Future work:



Q&A

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