2 Existence of optimal solutions and optimality conditions

Existence of global optima

Theorem (Weierstrass)

If the objective function f is continuous and the feasible region Ω is closed and bounded, then there exists a global optimum.

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Proof. Let v * = \inf f(x). Define a minimizing sequence \{x \ k \} \subseteq \Omega s.t. f(x \ k) \to v *. x \in \Omega
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Since $\{x \ k \}$ is bounded, the Bolzano-Weierstrass theorem guarantees that there exists a subsequence $\{x \ kp \}$ converging to some point x *. Since Ω is closed, we get $x * \in \Omega$. Finally, $f(x \ kp) \to f(x *)$ since f is continuous. Therefore, f(x *) = v *, i.e., x * is a global optimum.

Corollary 1

If all the functions f, gi, hj are continuous, the domain D is closed and the feasible region Ω is bounded, then there exists a global optimum.

Corollary 2

If the objective function f is continuous, the feasible region Ω is closed and there exists $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ such that the α -sublevel set $S\alpha$ (f) = { $x \in \Omega : f(x) \le \alpha$ } is nonempty and bounded, then there exists a global optimum.

Corollary 3

If the objective function f is continuous and coercive, i.e., $\lim_{k \to \infty} f(x) = +\infty$, $kxk \to \infty$ and the feasible region Ω is closed, then there exists a global optimum.

Proof. Any sublevel set of f is bounded, then use Corollary 2.

Corollary 4

IIf f is strongly convex and Ω is closed, then there exists a global optimum. IIf f is strongly convex and Ω is closed and convex, then there exists a unique global optimum.

3 Lagrangian Dual

```
clear; close all; clc;

%% Primal problem

x = -1: 0.01: 3;
y = 2*x.^4+x.^3-20*x.^2+x;
[xopt,vp]=fminbnd(@(x) 2*x^4+x^3-20*x^2+x,-1,3);
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plot(x,y,'b-',x,vp*ones(length(x),1),'b-','LineWidth',1.5);
title('Primal problem: min 2x^4+x^3-20x^2+x s.t. x^2-2x-3 \leq 0');
axis([-1 3 -45 15]);
pause
%% Dual problem
x = -4 : 0.01 : 4;
phi = [];
figure;
for lam = 0 : 0.01 : 5
y = 2*x.^4+x.^3-20*x.^2+x + lam*(x.^2-2.*x-3);
[-,v1]=fminbnd(@(x) 2*x^4+x^3-20*x^2+x+lam*(x^2-2*x-3),-3,0);
[-,v|2]=fminbnd(@(x) 2*x^4+x^3-20*x^2+x+lam*(x^2-2*x-3),0,3);
vl = min(vl1,vl2);
phi = [phi ; vl];
plot(x,y,'r-',x,vl*ones(length(x),1),'r-',x,vp*ones(length(x),1),'b-','LineWidth',1.5);
title(['Lagrangian function with \lambda = ',num2str(lam)]);
axis([-4 4 -70 50]);
if lam == 0
pause
else
pause(0.03)
end
end
vd = max(phi);
figure;
plot(0:0.01:5,phi,'r-',0:0.01:5,vd*ones(length(0:0.01:5),1),'r-',...
0:0.01:5,vp*ones(length(0:0.01:5),1),'b-','LineWidth',1.5);
title('Dual problem');
```

4 SVM for classification problems

%% Exercise 4.1

```
close all; clear; clc;
%% data
A=[ 0.4952 6.8088
2.2699 7.1371];
B=[7.2450 3.4422
9.8621 4.3674 ];
nA = size(A, 1);
nB = size(B, 1);
% training points
T = [A; B];
%% Linear SVM - primal model
% define the optimization problem
Q = [100;
010;
0 0 0 1:
D = [-A - ones(nA, 1);
B ones(nB,1) ];
d = -ones(nA+nB,1);
% solve the problem
options = optimset('Largescale','off','display','off');
sol = quadprog(Q, zeros(3,1), D, d, [], [], [], [], [], options);
w = sol(1:2)
b = sol(3)
% plot the solution
xx = 0:0.1:10;
uu = (-w(1)/w(2)).*xx - b/w(2);
vv = (-w(1)/w(2)).*xx + (1-b)/w(2);
vvv = (-w(1)/w(2)).*xx + (-1-b)/w(2);
plot(A(:,1),A(:,2),'bo',B(:,1),B(:,2),'ro',xx,uu,'k-',xx,vv,'b-',xx,vvv,'r-','Linewidth',1.5)
axis([0 10 0 10])
title('Optimal separating hyperplane (primal model)')
```

%% Classification problems - Exercise 4.2

```
close all; clear; clc;
%% data
A=[ 0.4952 6.8088
2.2699 7.1371];
B=[7.2450 3.4422
9.8621 4.3674 ];
nA = size(A, 1);
nB = size(B,1);
% training points
T = [A; B];
%% Linear SVM - dual model
% define the problem
y = [ones(nA,1); -ones(nB,1)]; % labels
I = length(y);
Q = zeros(I,I);
for i = 1:I
for j = 1 : I
Q(i,j) = y(i)*y(j)*(T(i,:))*T(j,:)';
end
end
% solve the problem
options = optimset('Largescale','off','display','off');
la = quadprog(Q, -ones(I,1), [], [], y', 0, zeros(I,1), [], [], options);
% compute vector w
wD = zeros(2,1);
for i = 1 : I
wD = wD + la(i)*y(i)*T(i,:)';
end
wD
% compute scalar b
ind = find(la > 1e-3);
i = ind(1);
bD = 1/y(i) - wD'*T(i,:)'
% plot the solution
```

```
xx = 0:0.1:10;
uuD = (-wD(1)/wD(2)).*xx - bD/wD(2);
vvD = (-wD(1)/wD(2)).*xx + (1-bD)/wD(2);
vvvD = (-wD(1)/wD(2)).*xx + (-1-bD)/wD(2);
figure
plot(A(:,1),A(:,2),'bo',B(:,1),B(:,2),'ro',...
xx,uuD,'k-',xx,vvD,'b-',xx,vvvD,'r-','Linewidth',1.5)
axis([0 10 0 10])
title('Optimal separating hyperplane (dual model)')
%% support vectors
supp = find(la > 1e-3);
suppA = supp(supp <= nA);
suppB = supp(supp > nA)-nA;
hold on
plot(A(suppA,1),A(suppA,2),'bo',...
B(suppB,1),B(suppB,2),'ro','Linewidth',5)
legend('Support vectors of A', 'Support vectors of B', 'Location', 'NorthEastOutside')
```

%% Classification problems - Exercise 4.4

```
close all; clear; clc;
%% data
A=[ 0.4952 6.8088
4.5000 2.0000];
B=[7.2450 3.4422
2.0000 3.0000 ];
nA = size(A, 1);
nB = size(B,1);
% training points
T = [A; B];
%% Linear SVM with soft margin - dual model
% define the problem
C = 10:
y = [ones(nA,1); -ones(nB,1)]; % labels
I = length(y);
Q = zeros(I,I);
for i = 1 : I
for j = 1 : I
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Q(i,j) = y(i)*y(j)*(T(i,:))*T(j,:)';
end
end
% solve the problem
options = optimset('Largescale','off','display','off');
la = quadprog(Q, -ones(I, 1), [], [], y', 0, zeros(I, 1), C*ones(I, 1), [], options);
% compute vector w
wD = zeros(2,1);
for i = 1 : I
wD = wD + la(i)*y(i)*T(i,:)';
end
wD
% compute scalar b
ind = find((la > 1e-3) & (la < C-1e-3));
i = ind(1);
bD = 1/y(i) - wD'*T(i,:)'
%% plot the solution
xx = 0:0.1:10;
uuD = (-wD(1)/wD(2)).*xx - bD/wD(2);
vvD = (-wD(1)/wD(2)).*xx + (1-bD)/wD(2);
vvvD = (-wD(1)/wD(2)).*xx + (-1-bD)/wD(2);
plot(A(:,1),A(:,2),'b.',B(:,1),B(:,2),'r.',...
xx,uuD,'k-',xx,vvD,'b-',xx,vvvD,'r-','Linewidth',1.5)
axis([0 10 0 10])
title('Optimal separating hyperplane (soft margin)')
%% support vectors
supp = find(la > 1e-3);
suppA = supp(supp <= nA);
suppB = supp(supp > nA)-nA;
hold on
plot(A(suppA,1),A(suppA,2),'bo',...
B(suppB,1),B(suppB,2),'ro','Linewidth',5)
legend('Support vectors of A', 'Support vectors of B', 'Location', 'NorthEastOutside')
%% Classification problems - Exercise 4.5
```

```
%% Nonlinear SVM
% parameter
C = 1;
```

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% Gaussian kernel
gamma = 1;
K = zeros(I,I);
for i = 1 : I
for j = 1 : I
K(i,j) = \exp(-gamma*norm(T(i,:)-T(j,:))^2);
end
end
% define the problem
Q = zeros(I,I);
for i = 1 : I
for j = 1 : I
Q(i,j) = y(i)*y(j)*K(i,j);
end
end
% solve the problem
options = optimset('Largescale','off','display','off');
[la,ov] = quadprog(Q,-ones(I,1),[],[],y',0,zeros(I,1),C*ones(I,1),[],options);
% compute b
ind = find((la > 1e-3) & (la < C-1e-3));
i = ind(1);
b = 1/y(i) ;
for j = 1 : I
b = b - la(j)*y(j)*K(i,j);
end
%% plot the surface
AA=[];
BB=[1;
for xx = -2 : 0.05 : 2
for yy = -2 : 0.05 : 2
s = 0;
for i = 1 : I
s = s + la(i)*y(i)*exp(-gamma*norm(T(i,:)-[xx yy])^2);
end
s = s + b;
if s > 0
AA = [AA ; xx yy];
else
BB = [BB ; xx yy];
end
end
end
plot(A(:,1),A(:,2),'bo',B(:,1),B(:,2),'ro','Linewidth',5)
hold on
plot(AA(:,1),AA(:,2),'b.',BB(:,1),BB(:,2),'r.','Linewidth',0.01);
```

5 Regression problems

```
data = [-5.0000 - 96.2607]
5.0000 89.1652];
x = data(:,1);
y = data(:,2);
I = length(x);
n = 4;
% Vandermonde matrix
A = [ ones(I,1) \times x.^2 \times.^3 ];
%% 2-norm problem
z2 = (A'*A)\setminus (A'*y)
p2 = A*z2;
%% 1-norm problem
% define the problem
c = [zeros(n,1); ones(l,1)];
D = [A - eye(I); -A - eye(I)];
d = [y; -y];
% solve the problem
sol1 = linprog(c,D,d);
z1 = sol1(1:n)
p1 = A*z1;
%% inf-norm problem
% define the problem
c = [zeros(n,1); 1];
D = [A - ones(I,1); -A - ones(I,1)];
% solve the problem
solinf = linprog(c,D,d);
zinf = solinf(1:n)
pinf = A*zinf;
```

```
plot(x,y,'b.',x,p2,'r-',x,p1,'k-',x,pinf,'g-')
legend('Data','2-norm','1-norm','inf-norm',...
'Location','NorthWest');
```

```
close all; clear; clc;
%% data
data = [ 0 2.5584
  10.0000 7.2537];
x = data(:,1);
y = data(:,2);
I = length(x); % number of points
%% linear regression - primal problem
% parameter
epsilon = 0.5;
% define the problem
Q = [10]
    00];
c = [0;0];
D = [-x - ones(I,1)]
    x ones(1,1);
d = epsilon*ones(2*I,1) + [-y;y];
% solve the problem
sol = quadprog(Q,c,D,d);
% compute w
w = sol(1);
% compute b
b = sol(2);
% find regression and epsilon-tube
z = w.*x + b;
zp = w.*x + b + epsilon;
zm = w.*x + b - epsilon;
%% plot the solution
plot(x,y,'b.',x,z,'k-',x,zp,'r-',x,zm,'r-');
legend('Data','regression','\epsilon-tube',...
   'Location', 'NorthWest')
```

```
data = [ 0 2.5584
 10.0000 7.2537];
x = data(:,1);
y = data(:,2);
I = length(x); % number of points
%% linear regression - primal problem with slack variables
% parameters
epsilon = 0.2;
C = 10;
% define the problem
Q = [1]
                zeros(1,2*I+1)
   zeros(2*l+1,1) zeros(2*l+1) ];
c = [0; 0; C*ones(2*1,1)];
D = [-x - ones(I,1) - eye(I) zeros(I)]
   x ones(I,1) zeros(I) -eye(I)];
d = epsilon*ones(2*l,1) + [-y;y];
% solve the problem
sol = quadprog(Q,c,D,d,[],[],[-inf;-inf;zeros(2*I,1)],[]);
% compute w
w = sol(1);
% compute b
b = sol(2);
% compute slack variables xi+ and xi-
xip = sol(3:2+1);
xim = sol(3+1:2+2*1);
% find regression and epsilon-tube
z = w.*x + b;
zp = w.*x + b + epsilon;
zm = w.*x + b - epsilon;
%% plot the solution
plot(x,y,'b.',x,z,'k-',x,zp,'r-',x,zm,'r-');
legend('Data','regression',...
  '\epsilon-tube','Location','NorthWest')
```

```
close all; clear; clc; %% data
```

```
data = [0 2.5584]
  10.0000 7.2537];
x = data(:,1);
y = data(:,2);
\dot{I} = length(x); % number of points
%% linear regression - dual problem
% parameters
epsilon = 0.2;
C = 10;
% define the problem
X = zeros(I,I);
for i = 1 : I
  for i = 1 : I
     X(i,j) = x(i)*x(j);
  end
end
Q = [X -X; -X X];
c = epsilon*ones(2*l,1) + [-y;y];
% solve the problem
sol = quadprog(Q,c,[],[],[ones(1,l) - ones(1,l)],0,zeros(2*l,1),C*ones(2*l,1));
lap = sol(1:l);
lam = sol(l+1:2*l);
% compute w
w = (lap-lam)'*x;
% compute b
ind = find(lap > 1e-3 \& lap < C-1e-3);
if ~isempty(ind)
  i = ind(1);
  b = y(i) - w*x(i) - epsilon;
else
  ind = find(lam > 1e-3 \& lam < C-1e-3);
  i = ind(1);
  b = y(i) - w*x(i) + epsilon;
end
% find regression and epsilon-tube
z = w.*x + b:
zp = w.*x + b + epsilon;
zm = w.*x + b - epsilon;
%% plot the solution
% find support vectors
sv = [find(lap > 1e-3); find(lam > 1e-3)];
sv = sort(sv);
plot(x,y,'b.',x(sv),y(sv),...
  'ro',x,z,'k-',x,zp,'r-',x,zm,'r-');
legend('Data','Support vectors',...
  'regression','\epsilon-tube',...
  'Location', 'NorthWest')
```

```
close all; clear; clc;
%% data
data = [-5.0000 -96.2607]
  5.0000 89.1652];
x = data(:,1);
y = data(:,2);
I = length(x); % number of points
%% nonlinear regression - dual problem
epsilon = 10;
C = 10;
% define the problem
X = zeros(I,I);
for i = 1 : I
  for j = 1:I
     X(i,j) = kernel(x(i),x(j));
  end
end
Q = [X - X; - XX];
c = epsilon*ones(2*I,1) + [-y;y];
% solve the problem
sol = quadprog(Q,c,[],[],...
  [ones(1,l) - ones(1,l)],0,...
  zeros(2*l,1),C*ones(2*l,1));
lap = sol(1:l);
lam = sol(l+1:2*l);
% compute b
ind = find(lap > 1e-3 \& lap < C-1e-3);
if ~isempty(ind)
  i = ind(1);
  b = y(i) - epsilon;
  for i = 1 : I
     b = b - (lap(j)-lam(j))*kernel(x(i),x(j));
  end
else
  ind = find(lam > 1e-3 \& lam < C-1e-3);
  i = ind(1);
  b = y(i) + epsilon;
  for j = 1 : I
     b = b - (lap(j)-lam(j))*kernel(x(i),x(j));
  end
end
% find regression and epsilon-tube
z = zeros(1,1);
for i = 1 : I
  z(i) = b;
  for j = 1 : I
     z(i) = z(i) + (lap(j)-lam(j))*kernel(x(i),x(j));
  end
end
```

```
zp = z + epsilon;
zm = z - epsilon;
%% plot the solution
% find support vectors
sv = [find(lap > 1e-3); find(lam > 1e-3)];
sv = sort(sv);
plot(x,y,'b.',x(sv),y(sv),...
  'ro',x,z,'k-',x,zp,'r-',x,zm,'r-');
legend('Data','Support vectors',...
   'regression','\epsilon-tube',...
  'Location', 'NorthWest')
%% kernel function
function v = kernel(x,y)
p = 4;
v = (x'*y + 1)^p;
end
```

```
close all; clear; clc;
%% data
data = [0]
            0.0620
 10.0000 0.9881];
x = data(:,1);
y = data(:,2);
I = length(x); % number of points
%% nonlinear regression - dual problem
epsilon = 0.2;
C = 10;
% define the problem
X = zeros(I,I);
for i = 1:I
  for j = 1 : I
     X(i,j) = kernel(x(i),x(j));
end
Q = [X -X; -X X];
c = epsilon*ones(2*I,1) + [-y;y];
% solve the problem
sol = quadprog(Q,c,[],[],[ones(1,l) - ones(1,l)],0,zeros(2*l,1),C*ones(2*l,1));
lap = sol(1:l);
lam = sol(l+1:2*l);
% compute b
```

```
ind = find(lap > 1e-3 \& lap < C-1e-3);
if ~isempty(ind)
  i = ind(1);
  b = y(i) - epsilon;
  for j = 1 : I
     b = b - (lap(j)-lam(j))*kernel(x(i),x(j));
  end
else
  ind = find(lam > 1e-3 \& lam < C-1e-3);
  i = ind(1);
  b = y(i) + epsilon;
  for j = 1 : I
     b = b - (lap(j)-lam(j))*kernel(x(i),x(j));
  end
end
% find regression and epsilon-tube
z = zeros(1,1);
for i = 1 : I
  z(i) = b;
  for j = 1 : I
     z(i) = z(i) + (lap(j)-lam(j))*kernel(x(i),x(j));
  end
end
zp = z + epsilon;
zm = z - epsilon;
%% plot the solution
% find support vectors
sv = [find(lap > 1e-3); find(lam > 1e-3)];
sv = sort(sv);
plot(x,y,'b.',x(sv),y(sv),...
  'ro',x,z,'k-',x,zp,'r-',x,zm,'r-');
legend('Data','Support vectors',...
  'regression','\epsilon-tube',...
  'Location','NorthEast')
%% kernel function
function v = kernel(x,y)
gamma = 1;
v = \exp(-gamma*norm(x-y)^2);
end
```

6 Clustering problems

%% Clustering problem - Exercise 6.1

```
data = [ 1.2734 6.2721
  3.7431 2.9852];
I = size(data,1); % number of patterns
% plot patterns
plot(data(:,1),data(:,2),'ko');
axis([0 10 0 10])
title('k-means algorithm');
hold on
k = 3: % number of clusters
% initialize centroids
x = [5 7; 6 3; 4 3]; \% part a)
% x = [5 7; 6 3; 4 4]; % part b)
                        % part c)
% x = 10*rand(3,2);
% plot centroids
plot(x(1,1),x(1,2), b^{-1},...
  x(2,1),x(2,2),r^{-1},...
x(3,1),x(3,2),g^{-1};
pause
% initialize clusters
cluster = zeros(1,1);
for i = 1:I
  d = inf;
  for j = 1 : k
     if norm(data(i,:)-x(j,:)) < d
        d = norm(data(i,:)-x(j,:));
        cluster(i) = j;
     end
  end
end
% plot cluster
c1 = data(cluster==1,:);
c2 = data(cluster==2,:);
c3 = data(cluster == 3,:);
plot(c1(:,1),c1(:,2),'bo',c2(:,1),c2(:,2),'ro',...
  c3(:,1),c3(:,2),'go');
% compute the objective function value
v = 0;
for i = 1 : I
  v = v + norm(data(i,:)-x(cluster(i),:))^2;
title(['k-means algoritm: objective function = ',num2str(v)]);
pause
```

while true

```
% delete old centroids
  plot(x(1,1),x(1,2), w^{,...}
     x(2,1),x(2,2),'w^',...
     x(3,1),x(3,2), w^{(1)};
  % update centroids
  for j = 1 : k
     ind = find(cluster == j);
     if ~isempty(ind)
       x(j,:) = mean(data(ind,:));
     end
  end
  % plot new centroids
  plot(x(1,1),x(1,2),'b^',...
     x(2,1),x(2,2),r^{'},...
     x(3,1),x(3,2),'g^{'});
  pause
  % update clusters
  for i = 1 : I
     d = inf;
     for j = 1 : k
        if norm(data(i,:)-x(j,:)) < d
          d = norm(data(i,:)-x(j,:));
          cluster(i) = j;
        end
     end
  end
  % plot cluster
  c1 = data(cluster==1,:);
  c2 = data(cluster == 2,:);
  c3 = data(cluster == 3,:);
  plot(c1(:,1),c1(:,2),'bo',c2(:,1),c2(:,2),...
     'ro',c3(:,1),c3(:,2),'go');
  % update objective function
  vnew = 0;
  for i = 1 : I
     vnew = vnew + norm(data(i,:)-x(cluster(i),:))^2;
  title(['k-means algoritm: objective function = ',num2str(vnew)]);
  pause
  % stopping criterion
  if v - vnew < 1e-5
     break
  else
     v = vnew;
  end
end
```

%% Clustering problem - Exercise 6.2

```
data = [ 1.2734 6.2721
  3.7431 2.9852];
I = size(data,1); % number of patterns
% plot patterns
plot(data(:,1),data(:,2),'ko');
axis([0 10 0 10])
title('k-median algoritm');
hold on
pause
k = 3; % number of clusters
% initialize centroids
x = [5 7; 6 3; 4 3]; % part a)
% x = [5 7; 6 3; 4 4]; % part b)
% x = 10*rand(3,2);
                        % part c)
% plot centroids
plot(x(1,1),x(1,2),'b^',...
  x(2,1),x(2,2),r^{'},...
  x(3,1),x(3,2),'g^{'});
pause
% initialize clusters
cluster = zeros(1,1);
for i = 1 : I
  d = inf;
  for j = 1 : k
     if norm(data(i,:)-x(j,:),1) < d
       d = norm(data(i,:)-x(j,:),1);
        cluster(i) = j;
     end
  end
end
% plot cluster
c1 = data(cluster = = 1,:);
c2 = data(cluster==2,:);
c3 = data(cluster == 3,:);
plot(c1(:,1),c1(:,2),'bo',c2(:,1),c2(:,2),'ro',c3(:,1),c3(:,2),'go');
% compute the objective function value
v = 0;
for i = 1 : I
  v = v + norm(data(i,:)-x(cluster(i),:),1);
title(['k-median algoritm: objective function = ',num2str(v)]);
pause
while true
```

```
% delete old centroids
  plot(x(1,1),x(1,2),'w^',...
     x(2,1),x(2,2),w^{\prime},...
     x(3,1),x(3,2), w^i);
  % update centroids
  for j = 1 : k
     ind = find(cluster == j);
     if ~isempty(ind)
        x(j,:) = median(data(ind,:));
     end
  end
  % plot new centroids
  plot(x(1,1),x(1,2),'b^',...
x(2,1),x(2,2),'r^',...
     x(3,1),x(3,2),'g^{'});
  pause
  % update clusters
  for i = 1:I
     d = inf;
     for j = 1 : k
        if norm(data(i,:)-x(j,:),1) < d
           d = norm(data(i,:)-x(j,:),1);
           cluster(i) = j;
        end
     end
  end
  % plot cluster
  c1 = data(cluster==1,:);
  c2 = data(cluster==2,:);
  c3 = data(cluster == 3,:);
  plot(c1(:,1),c1(:,2),'bo',c2(:,1),c2(:,2),'ro',c3(:,1),c3(:,2),'go');
  % update objective function
  vnew = 0;
  for i = 1 : I
     vnew = vnew + norm(data(i,:)-x(cluster(i),:),1);
  title(['k-median algoritm: objective function = ',num2str(vnew)]);
  pause
  % stopping criterion
  if v - vnew < 1e-5
     break
  else
     v = vnew;
  end
end
```

7 Solution methods for unconstrained optimization

%% Unconstrained optimization -- Exercise 7.1

```
clear; close all; clc;
%% data
Q = [6 \quad 0 \quad -4 \quad 0]
   0 6 0 -4
  -4 0 6 0
   0 -4 0 6];
c = [1-12-3]';
x0 = [10 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0]';
tolerance = 1e-6;
%% method
fprintf('Gradient method with exact line search\n\n');
fprintf('iter \t f(x) \t\t ||grad f(x)||\n\n');
iter = 0;
% starting point
x = x0:
while true
  v = 0.5*x'*Q*x + c'*x;
  q = Q*x + c;
  fprintf('%2.0f \t %2.13f \t %1.9f\n',iter,v,norm(g));
  % stopping criterion
  if norm(g) < tolerance
    break
  end
  % search direction
  d = -g;
  % step size
  t = (-g'*d)/(d'*Q*d);
  % new point
  x = x + t*d;
  iter = iter + 1;
```

```
clear; close all; clc;
%% data
% the objective function is defined in f.m
alpha = 0.1;
gamma = 0.9;
tbar = 1;
```

```
x0 = [0; 0];
tolerance = 1e-3;
%% method
fprintf('Gradient method with Armijo inexact line search\n\n');
fprintf('iter \t f(x) \t ||grad f(x)|| \n\n');
iter = 0;
x = x0;
while true
  [v, g] = f(x);
  fprintf('%2.0f \t %1.9f \t %1.7f\n',iter,v,norm(g));
  % stopping criterion
  if norm(g) < tolerance
     break
  end
  % search direction
  d = -g;
  % Armijo inexact line search
  t = tbar;
  while f(x+t*d) > v + alpha*g'*d*t
     t = gamma*t;
  end
  % new point
  x = x + t*d;
  iter = iter + 1;
end
```

```
clear; close all; clc;
%% data
Q = [6 \quad 0 \quad -4
  0 6 0 -4
  -4 0 6 0
  0 -4 0
               6];
c = [1-12-3]';
x0 = [0000]';
tolerance = 1e-6;
%% method
fprintf('Conjugate Gradient method\n\n');
fprintf('iter \t f(x) \t ||grad f(x)|| \n\n');
iter = 0;
% starting point
x = x0;
while true
```

```
v = 0.5*x'*Q*x + c'*x;
  g = Q*x + c;
  fprintf('%1.0f \t %1.4f \t %1.4e\n',iter,v,norm(g));
  % stopping criterion
  if norm(g) < tolerance
    break
  end
  % search direction
  if iter == 0
    d = -g;
  else
    beta = (norm(g)^2)/(norm(g prev)^2);
    d = -g + beta*d prev;
  end
  % step size
  t = (norm(g)^2)/(d'*Q*d);
  % new point
  iter = iter + 1;
  x = x + t*d;
  d_prev = d;
  g_prev = g;
end
```

```
clear; close all; clc;
%% data
% the objective function is defined in f.m
alpha = 0.1;
gamma = 0.9;
tbar = 1;
x0 = [00]';
tolerance = 1e-3;
%% method
fprintf('Newton method with line search\n\n');
fprintf('iter \t f(x) \t ||grad f(x)|| \n');
iter = 0;
x = x0;
while true
  [v, g, H] = f(x);
  fprintf('%1.0f \t %1.7f \t %1.4e\n',iter,v,norm(g));
  % stopping criterion
  if norm(g) < tolerance</pre>
     break
  end
  % search direction H*d = -g
  d = -H\backslash g;
```

```
% Armijo inexact line search
t = tbar;
while f(x+t*d) > v + alpha*g'*d*t
    t = gamma*t;
end
% new point
x = x + t*d;
iter = iter + 1;
```

```
clear; close all; clc;
%% data
% the objective function is defined in f.m
x0 = [0; 0];
t0 = 5;
beta = 0.5;
epsilon = 1e-5;
D = [10-10;
   010-1];
%D = [10-1;
% 01-11;
%% method
fprintf('Directional direct-search method\n\n');
fprintf('x(1) tt x(2) tt f(x) nn');
x = x0;
t = t0;
v = f(x);
fprintf('%1.6f \t %1.6f\n',x(1),x(2),v);
plot(x(1), x(2), r');
axis([-6 6 -6 6])
hold on;
pause
iter = 0;
while t > epsilon
  iter = iter + 1;
  newv = v;
  i = 0;
  while (newv \geq= v) && (i < size(D,2))
    i = i + 1;
    newx = x+t*D(:,i);
    newv = f(newx);
    if newv >= v
       plot(newx(1),newx(2),'bs');
       pause
    end
```

```
end
if newv < v
    x = newx;
    v = newv;
    plot(x(1), x(2), 'r.');
    fprintf('%1.6f \t %1.6f \t %1.6f\n', x(1), x(2), v);
    pause
else
    t = beta*t;
end
end</pre>
```

8 Solution methods for constrained optimization:

```
clear; close all; clc;
%% data
global Q c A b eps;
%% data
Q = [10;02];
c = [-3; -4];
A = [-2 1; 11; 0-1];
b = [0; 4; 0];
tau = 0.1;
eps0 = 5;
tolerance = 1e-6;
%% method
fprintf('Penalty method\n\n');
fprintf('iter \t eps \t\t x(1) \t x(2) \t max(Ax-b)\n\n');
options = optimoptions('fminunc','GradObj','on',...
  'Algorithm', 'quasi-newton', 'Display', 'off');
eps = eps0;
x = [0;0];
iter = 0;
while true
  x = fminunc(@p_eps,x,options);
  infeas = max(A*x-b);
  fprintf('%2.0f \t %1.2e \t %1.6f \t %1.3e\n',iter,eps,x(1),x(2),infeas);
  if infeas < tolerance
     break
  else
     eps = tau*eps;
     iter = iter + 1;
  end
end
```

```
clear; close all; clc;
%% data
global Q c A b eps;
Q = [10;02];
c = [-3; -4];
A = [-2 1; 11; 0-1];
b = [0; 4; 0];
delta = 1e-6;
tau = 0.1;
eps1 = 1;
x0 = [1;1];
%% method
fprintf('Logarithmic barrier method\n\n');
fprintf('eps \t\ x(1) \t\ x(2) \t\ gap \n\n');
options = optimoptions('fminunc','GradObj','on',...
  'Algorithm', 'quasi-newton', 'Display', 'off');
x = x0;
eps = eps1;
m = size(A,1);
while true
  x = fminunc(@logbar,x,options);
  gap = m*eps;
  fprintf('%1.2e \t %1.6f \t %1.6f \t %1.2e\n',eps,x(1),x(2),gap);
  if gap < delta
     break
  else
     eps = eps*tau;
  end
end
%% logarithmic barrier function
function[v,g] = logbar(x)
```

```
global Q c A b eps  v = 0.5*x'*Q*x + c'*x; \\ g = Q*x + c; \\ for i = 1 : length(b) \\ v = v - eps*log(b(i)-A(i,:)*x); \\ g = g + (eps/(b(i)-A(i,:)*x))*A(i,:)'; \\ end \\ end
```

9 Multiobjective optimization

```
close all; clear; clc;
%% data
C = [1 \ 2 \ -3];
  -1 -1 -1;
   -4 -2 1];
A = [1 1 1;
   0 0 1;
   -eye(3) ];
b = [10;5;0;0;0];
% given point
% y = [5;0;5];
\% y = [4;4;2];
y = [1; 4; 4];
%% solve the problem
n = size(C,2);
p = size(C,1);
m = size(A,1);
% check if y is a minimum
c = [zeros(n,1); -ones(p,1)];
P = [C eye(p);
  A zeros(m,p);
  zeros(n,n) -eye(p)];
q = [C*y ; b ; zeros(p,1)];
options = optimset('Display','off');
[\sim, v\_minimum] = linprog(c,P,q,[],[],[],[],[],options)
% check if y is a weak minimum
```

```
c = [ zeros(n,1) ; zeros(p,1) ; -1 ] ;
P = [zeros(p,n) -eye(p) ones(p,1) ;
    C eye(p) zeros(p,1) ;
    A zeros(m,p) zeros(m,1);
    zeros(n,n) -eye(p) zeros(p,1) ] ;
q = [zeros(p,1) ; C*y ; b ; zeros(p,1)] ;
[~,v_weak_minimum] = linprog(c,P,q,[],[],[],[],[],options)
```

%% Multiobjective optimization -- Exercise 9.4

```
close all; clear; clc; hold on
%% data
A = [-2 \ 1;
   -1 -1;
    5 -1 ];
b = [0;0;6];
%% plot the feasible region
plot([0\ 2],[0\ 4],'-k');
plot([2 1],[4 -1],'-k');
plot([1 0],[-1 0],'-k');
\%\% solve the scalarized problem with 0 < alfa < 1
options = optimset('Display','off');
for alfa = 0.001:0.001:0.999
  x = linprog([1 ; 1-2*alfa],A,b,[],[],[],[],options);
  plot(x(1),x(2),'g.');
end
\%\% solve the scalarized problem with alfa = 0
alfa = 0;
x0 = linprog([1 ; 1-2*alfa],A,b,[],[],[],[],options);
plot(x0(1),x0(2),'ro');
\%\% solve the scalarized problem with alfa = 1
alfa = 1;
x1 = Iinprog([1 ; 1-2*alfa],A,b,[],[],[],[],options);
plot(x1(1),x1(2),'bo');
```

```
close all; clear; clc; hold on
%% data
A = [ -1 0;
     0 -1;
     1 1];
b = [ 0; 0; 2 ];
```

```
%% plot the feasible region
plot([0\ 0],[0\ 2],'-k');
plot([0\ 2],[2\ 0],'-k');
plot([2 0],[0 0],'-k');
\%\% solve the scalarized problem with 0 < alfa < 1
options = optimset('Display','off');
for alfa = 0.001 : 0.001 : 0.999
  x = quadprog([2*alfa 0 ; 0 2*alfa],[1-3*alfa ; 0],A,b,...
     [],[],[],[],options);
  plot(x(1),x(2),'g.');
end
%% solve the scalarized problem with alfa = 0
alfa = 0;
x0 = quadprog([2*alfa 0 ; 0 2*alfa],[1-3*alfa ; 0],A,b,...
  [],[],[],[],options);
plot(x0(1),x0(2),'ro');
\%\% solve the scalarized problem with alfa = 1
alfa = 1;
x1 = quadprog([2*alfa 0 ; 0 2*alfa],[1-3*alfa ; 0],A,b,...
     [],[],[],[],options);
plot(x1(1),x1(2),'bo');
```

```
close all; clear; clc; hold on
%% data
A = [0 -1;
   -2 1;
   2 1];
b = [0;0;4];
%% plot the feasible region
plot([0 2],[0 0],'-k');
plot([2 1],[0 2],'-k');
plot([1 0],[2 0],'-k');
%% solve the scalarized problem with 0 \le alfa \le 1
options = optimset('Display','off');
for alfa = 0:0.001:1
  x = quadprog([2 0; 0 2],[8*alfa-6; -4],A,b,...
     [],[],[],[],options);
  plot(x(1),x(2),'g.');
end
```

```
close all; clear; clc;
%% data
C = [1 \ 2 \ -3];
   -1 -1 -1;
   -4 -2 1];
A = [1 1 1;
    0 0 1
    -eye(3) ];
b = [10; 5; 0; 0; 0];
%% ideal point
p = size(C,1);
n = size(C,2);
m = size(A,1);
options = optimset('Display','off');
z = zeros(p,1);
for i = 1 : p
  [\sim,z(i)] = Iinprog(C(i,:)',A,b,[],[],[],[],[],options);
end
Z
%% goal method
% 1-norm
gm1 = linprog([zeros(n,1);ones(p,1)], [C-eye(p); -C-eye(p); A zeros(m,p)],[z;-z;b],...
  [],[],[],[],options);
gm1 = gm1(1:n)
% 2-norm
gm2 = quadprog(C'*C,-C'*z,A,b,[],[],[],[],[],options)
% inf-norm
[gminf, vinf] = linprog([zeros(n,1);1], [C-ones(p,1); -C-ones(p,1); A zeros(m,1)], [z;-z;b],...
  [],[],[],[],options);
gminf = gminf(1:n)
% check if gminf is a minimum
c = [zeros(n,1); -ones(p,1)];
P = [C eye(p);
   A zeros(m,p);
   zeros(n,n) -eye(p)];
q = [C*gminf ; b ; zeros(p,1)];
[\sim,v_{minimum}] = linprog(c,P,q,[],[],[],[],[],options)
```

10 Game theory

%% Noncooperative game theory -- Exercise 10.2

%% Noncooperative game theory -- Exercise 10.5

```
clear; close all; clc;
global C1 C2
%% data
C1 = [3 \ 3]
    4 1
    6 0];
C2 = [3 \ 4]
    4 0
    3 5];
[m,n] = size(C1);
%% check if w is a Nash equilibrium
W = [ 1/3 1/3 1/3 1/2 1/2 ]';
gap(w)
reggap(w,1)
Dgap(w,1,10)
%% find a local minimum of the regularized gap function
fprintf('Regularized gap function - local minimum\n');
```

```
alfa = 1;
% find a local minimum
options = optimset('Display','off');
[locmin,optval] = fmincon(@(z) reggap(z,alfa),w,[],[],...
  [ones(1,m) zeros(1,n); zeros(1,m) ones(1,n)], [1;1],...
  zeros(m+n,1),[],[],options)
%% try to find a global minimum of the regularized gap function
% with a multistart approach
fprintf('Regularized gap function - multistart approach\n');
for i = 1:100
  % starting point
  x0 = rand(m+n,1);
  x0(1:m) = x0(1:m)/sum(x0(1:m));
  x0(m+1:m+n) = x0(m+1:m+n)/sum(x0(m+1:m+n));
  % find a local minimum
  [locmin,optval] = fmincon(@(z) reggap(z,alfa),x0,[],[],...
    [ones(1,m) zeros(1,n); zeros(1,m) ones(1,n)],...
    [1;1],zeros(m+n,1),ones(m+n,1),[],options);
  if optval < 1e-4
    locmin
    optval
    break
  end
end
%% try to find a global minimum of the D-gap function
% with a multistart approach
fprintf('D-gap function - multistart approach\n');
alfa = 1;
beta = 10;
for i = 1:100
  % starting point
  x0 = rand(m+n,1);
  x0(1:m) = x0(1:m)/sum(x0(1:m));
  x0(m+1:m+n) = x0(m+1:m+n)/sum(x0(m+1:m+n));
  % find a local minimum
  [locmin,optval] = fminunc(@(z) Dgap(z,alfa,beta),x0,options);
  if optval < 1e-4
    locmin
    optval
    break
  end
end
```

$$C = \left(\begin{array}{cccc} 6 & 9 & 1 & 4 \\ 3 & 4 & 12 & 7 \end{array}\right)$$

```
close all;
clear;
clc;
C = [6914]
   3 4 12 71
Cr = [9 1 4]
    4 12 7]
[m, n] = size(C);
% No Nash equilibrium
% Linear programming
f = [zeros(m,1)]
   1];
A = [C' - ones(n,1)];
b = [zeros(n,1)];
Aeq = [ones(m,1)' 0];
beq = 1;
lb = [zeros(m,1)]
   -inf];
up = [];
options = optimset('Display', 'off');
[sol,Val,exitflag,output,lambda] = linprog(f,A,b,Aeq,beq,lb,up,options)
x = sol(1:m)
y = lambda.ineqlin
% Player 1
```

No Dominated Strategies

% Player 2

Strategy 1 is dominated by Strategy 2

% Solve The linear programming

$$C = \left(\begin{array}{rrr} 1 & 5 & 11 & 9 \\ 10 & 9 & 8 & 7 \end{array}\right)$$

```
close all;
clear;
clc;
C = [15119]
   10 9 8 7]
Cr = [1511]
    10 9 8]
[m,n] = size(C);
f = [zeros(m,1)]
   1];
A = [C' - ones(n,1)];
b = [zeros(n,1)]'
Aeq = [ones(m,1)' 0];
beq = 1;
lb = [zeros(m,1)]
  -inf];
up = [];
options = optimset('Display', 'off');
[sol,value, flag, output, lambda] = linprog(f,A,b,Aeq,beq,lb,up,options);
x = sol(1:m)
y = lambda.ineqlin
% No Nash Equilibrium
% Player 1
% Player 2
```

Strategy 4 is dominated by Strategy 3

$$C = \left(\begin{array}{cccc} 7 & 15 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 2 & 3 & 10 \\ 5 & 3 & 4 & 12 \end{array}\right)$$

No dominated Strategy. Strategy 3, x3 = 0.

% Player 2

Strategy 3 is dominated by Strategy 4. Strategy 1, y1 = 0. Strategy 3, y3 = 0.

 $C = \left(\begin{array}{cccc} 5 & 2 & 11 & 15 \\ 1 & 13 & 5 & 1 \end{array}\right)$

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```
up = [];
options = optimset('Display', 'off');
[sol, value, flag, output, lambda] = linprog(f,A,b,Aeq,beq,lb,up,options)

x = sol(1:m)
y = lambda.ineqlin
% No Nash Equilibrium
% No Strictrly dominance
% Player 2 y1 = 0 and y3 = 0
```

$$C = \left(\begin{array}{ccc} 3 & 10 & 3 & 8 \\ 13 & 6 & 7 & 2 \end{array}\right)$$

```
close all;
clear;
clc;
C = [3\ 10\ 3\ 8]
   13 6 7 2]
Cr = [3 10 3]
    10 6 7]
[m,n] = size(C);
f = [zeros(m,1)]
   1];
A = [C' - ones(n,1)];
b = [zeros(n,1)];
Aeq = [ones(m,1)' 0];
beq = 1;
lb = [zeros(m,1)]
   -inf];
up = [];
options = optimset('Display', 'off');
[sol, value, flag, output, lambda] = linprog(f,A,b,Aeq,beq,lb,up,options);
x = sol(1:m)
y = lambda.ineqlin
% No Nash Equilibrium
% Player 1 No dominated strategy
% Player 2
```

Strategy 4 is dominated by Strategy 2

$$C = \left(\begin{array}{cccc} 10 & 7 & 12 & 10 \\ 7 & 10 & 6 & 7 \end{array}\right)$$

```
close all;
clear;
clc;
C = [107 1210]
  7 10 6 7]
[m,n] = size(C);
f = [zeros(m,1)]
   1];
A = [C' - ones(n,1)];
b = [zeros(n,1)];
Aeq = [ones(m,1)' 0];
beq = 1;
lb = [zeros(m,1)]
  -inf];
up = [];
options = optimset('Display', 'off');
[sol, value, flag, output, lambda] = linprog(f,A,b,Aeq, beq, lb, up, options)
x = sol(1:m)
y = lambda.ineqlin
% No Nash equilibrium
% No dominated strategies
```

1.
$$C_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 8 & 1 & 3 \\ 6 & 3 & 1 \\ 5 & 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$
 $C_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 9 & 5 & 6 \\ 3 & 7 & 8 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$

```
close all;
clear;
clc;
syms x y x1 x2 x3 y1 y2 y3 mu1 mu2

C1 = [8 1 3
6 3 1
5 2 0]

C2 = [9 5 6
3 7 8
```

```
1 2 3]
Cr1 = [8 \ 3]
    6 1]
Cr2 = [9 6]
    3 8]
x = [x1]
   x2
   x3];
y = [y1]
  y2
   y3];
equation = [C1*y + mu1 >= 0]
        C2'*x + mu2 >= 0
        x.*(C1*y + mu1) == 0
        y.*(C2'*x + mu2) == 0
        x >= 0
        y >= 0
        x1 + x2 + x3 == 1
        y1 + y2 + y3 == 1
```

 $(x_1(1) \ x_2(1) \ x_3(1) \ y_1(1) \ y_2(1) \ y_3(1) \ \mu_1(1) \ \mu_2(1)) = (1 \ 0 \ 0 \ 1 \ 0 \ -1 \ -5)$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_1(2) & x_2(2) & x_3(2) & y_1(2) & y_2(2) & y_3(2) & \mu_1(2) & \mu_2(2) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & -5 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_1(3) & x_2(3) & x_3(3) & y_1(3) & y_2(3) & y_3(3) & \mu_1(3) & \mu_2(3) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{5} & 0 & \frac{4}{5} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{3}{4} & 0 & -\frac{11}{4} & -\frac{13}{5} \end{pmatrix}$$

% Dominance

Player 1

Strategy 3 is dominated by Strategy 2.

Player 2

Strategy 2 is dominated by Strategy 3