

Multidimensional Newton's Method

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1 Methodology and Implementation

Consider a system of nonlinear equations given by the function

$$F : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$$

We need to find a solution of $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ such that $F(x) = \mathbf{0}$.

For the two-dimensional case with 2 functions, the function F and its system is given below:

$$F(x, y) = \begin{pmatrix} f(x, y) \\ g(x, y) \end{pmatrix}$$

The Jacobian matrix J of F is a square matrix of all first-order derivatives of components of F , shown below:

$$J(x, y) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \\ \frac{\partial g}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial g}{\partial y} \end{pmatrix}$$

The Newton iteration in multidimensional with the Jacobian matrix is given by

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_{n+1} \\ y_{n+1} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_n \\ y_n \end{pmatrix} - J^{-1}(x_n, y_n)F(x_n, y_n)$$

where x and y are approximations.

1.1 Example 1

$$F(x, y) = \begin{pmatrix} x \sin(y) \\ \cos(x) + \sin(y^2) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$J(x, y) = \begin{pmatrix} \sin(y) & x \cos(y) \\ -\sin(x) & 2y \cos(y^2) \end{pmatrix}$$

In Python, we need to firstly define the functions of F and their corresponding Jacobian matrix.

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1 # Define the function F(x, y) = [f(x, y), g(x, y)]
2 def F(x, y):
3     return np.array([x * np.sin(y), np.cos(x) + np.sin(y**2)])
4
5 # Define the Jacobian matrix of F
6 def J(x, y):
7     return np.array([[np.sin(y), x * np.cos(y)],
8                     [-np.sin(x), 2 * y * np.cos(y**2)]])

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For the implementation of the Multidimensional Newton's method, we need to perform iterations for solving for the updated step **b**. Instead of calculating the inverse of the Jacobian, we can solve the system:

$$J(x_n, y_n)\mathbf{b} = -F(x_n, y_n)$$

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1 # Multidimensional Newton's method for 2 functions
2 def newtons_method(F, J, x0, y0, tol):
3     x, y = x0, y0
4
5     # initialize the step size vector b with infinity to enter the while
    loop
6     b = np.array([np.inf, np.inf])
7
8     # iterating until b is smaller than the tolerance
9     while np.linalg.norm(b) >= tol:
10
11         # solve the linear system J(x, y) * b = -F(x, y)
12         b = np.linalg.solve(J(x,y), -F(x,y))
13
14         # update the guesses for x and y
15         x, y = x + b[0], y + b[1]
16
17     return x, y

```

The above function can be applied to solve for the example system with the initial guess of $x_0, y_0 = (\frac{\pi}{2}, \pi)$:

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1 # Initial guess
2 x0, y0 = np.pi/2, np.pi
3
4 # Apply Newton's method
5 solution = newtons_method(F, J, x0, y0, 1e-6)
6
7 # Print the solution
8 print("Solution: x = {:.}, y = {:.}".format(solution[0], solution[1]))

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The returned solution is Solution: Solution: x = 1.1259698864749177, y = 3.141592653589793.

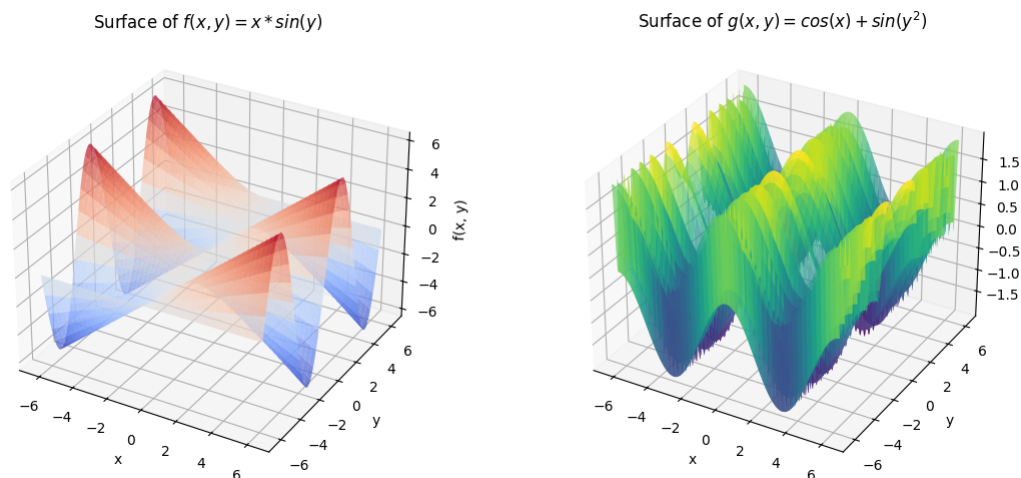


Figure 1: C.13 Example

Actually, the given example functions have multiple roots as shown in figure 1. and the

returned solution is highly depended on the initial guess. If we try to solve with the initial guess of $(x_1, y_1) = (1.0, 1.0)$:

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1 # Initial guess
2 x1, y1 = 1.0, 1.0
3
4 # Apply Newton's method
5 solution1 = newtons_method(F, J, x1, y1, 1e-6)
6
7 # Print the solution
8 print("Solution: x = {:.}, y = {:.}".format(solution1[0], solution1[1]))

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The solution is changed to be Solution: x = 1.5707963267948966, y = -6.64410208813345e-25.

The Multidimensional Newton's Method can converge to different solutions based on our initial guess. We also need to ensure that the given functions are differentiable and the Jacobian matrix is non-singular at the beginning and is invertible at each iteration, otherwise, the method might fail to converge.

1.2 Example 2

The new functions are given below:

$$F(x, y) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 + x^2 - y^2 + e^x \cos(y) \\ 2xy + e^x \sin(y) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$J(x, y) = \begin{pmatrix} 2x + e^x \cos(y) & -2y - e^x \sin(y) \\ 2y + e^x \sin(y) & 2x + e^x \cos(y) \end{pmatrix}$$

```

1 # Define the function F(x, y) = [f(x, y), g(x, y)]
2 def F(x, y):
3     return np.array([1 + x**2 - y**2 + np.exp(x)*np.cos(y), 2*x*y + np.exp
4         (x)*np.sin(y)])
5
6 # Define the Jacobian matrix of F
7 def J(x, y):
8     return np.array([[2*x + np.exp(x)*np.cos(y), -2*y - np.exp(x)*np.sin(y)
9         ],
10         [2*y + np.exp(x)*np.sin(y), 2*x + np.exp(x)*np.cos(y)
11         ]])
12
13 # Initial guess
14 x0, y0 = 1, 1
15
16 # Apply Newton's method
17 solution = newtons_method(F, J, x0, y0, 1e-6)
18
19 # Print the solution
20 print("Solution: x = {:.}, y = {:.}".format(solution[0], solution[1]))

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Then solution with initial guess of $(x, y) = (1, 1)$ is Solution: x = -0.2931626870672417, y = 1.1726598176735787.

Think about a case of more functions:

$$F(x) = \begin{pmatrix} f_1(x) \\ f_2(x) \\ \vdots \\ f_k(x) \end{pmatrix}$$

Then, the Jacobian matrix will be:

$$J(x) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_1}(x) & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_2}(x) & \cdots & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_n}(x) \\ \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_1}(x) & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_2}(x) & \cdots & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_n}(x) \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial f_k}{\partial x_1}(x) & \frac{\partial f_k}{\partial x_2}(x) & \cdots & \frac{\partial f_k}{\partial x_n}(x) \end{pmatrix}$$

Thus, the Multidimensional Newton's Method solves for

$$x_{n+1} = x_n - J(x_n)^{-1}F(x_n)$$

where x represents the approximations in a vector

In Python, the general function is shown below:

```

1 # General Multidimensional Newton's Method
2 # Can implement with any number of given functions
3
4 def multidimensional_newton(funcs, jacobian, initial_guess, tol=1e-10):
5     # Initialize the guess
6     x_k = np.array(initial_guess)
7
8     while True:
9         # Evaluate the functions
10        F_k = np.array([func(*x_k) for func in funcs])
11
12        # Evaluate the Jacobian matrix
13        J_k = jacobian(*x_k)
14
15        # Check if the Jacobian is near singular
16        if np.linalg.cond(J_k) > 1 / np.finfo(float).eps:
17            print("Jacobian is near singular at the initial guess. Newton's
18            method may not converge.")
19            return None
20
21        # Solve the system J_k * b = -F to find delta
22        b, residuals, rank, s = np.linalg.lstsq(J_k, -F_k, rcond=None)
23
24        # If the system is underdetermined or overdetermined, no solution
25        # was found
26        if residuals.size > 0 and np.any(residuals > tol):
27            print("The system does not have a solution.")
28            return None

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28     if rank < J_k.shape[0]:
29         print("Jacobian matrix is rank deficient at the initial guess,
        and the Newton's method may not converge.")
30
31     # Update the guess
32     x_k += b
33
34     # Check for convergence
35     if np.linalg.norm(b) < tol:
36         break
37
38     return x_k

```

Apply the functions in C.15 with an initial guess of [1.0, 1.0]:

```

1 # C. 15 example, where the number of functions is 2
2 def f1(x, y):
3     return 1 + x**2 - y**2 + np.exp(x)*np.cos(y)
4
5 def g1(x, y):
6     return 2*x*y + np.exp(x)*np.sin(y)
7
8 F = [f1, g1]
9 initial = [1.0, 1.0]
10 sol = multidimensional_newton(F, J, initial)
11 print("Solution:", sol)

```

The solution is given as: Solution: [-0.29316269 1.17265982].

1.3 Example 3

The given functions are:

$$F(x) = \begin{pmatrix} x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 100 \\ xyz - 1 \\ x - y - \sin(z) \end{pmatrix}$$

Then, the Jacobian matrix is shown below:

$$J(x) = \begin{pmatrix} 2x & 2y & 2z \\ yz & xz & xy \\ 1 & -1 & -\cos(z) \end{pmatrix}$$

With the initial guess of $(x, y, z) = (1.0, 1.0, \pi)$, we can implement the multidimensional newton's method:

```

1 def f(x, y, z):
2     return x**2 + y**2 + z**2 - 100
3
4 def g(x, y, z):
5     return x*y*z - 1
6
7 def h(x, y, z):
8     return x - y - np.sin(z)
9

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10 def Jacobian(x, y, z):
11     return np.array([[2*x, 2*y, 2*z],
12                     [y*z, x*z, x*y],
13                     [1, -1, -np.cos(z)]])
14
15 F_new = [f, g, h]
16 initial = [1.0, 1.0, np.pi]
17
18 # Apply the method which allows any number of functions
19 sol = multidimensional_newton(F_new, Jacobian, initial)
20 print(f"Solution: {sol}")

```

The solution is given as [-7.06104719 -7.08104601 0.02000016].

1.4 Example 4

The system of differential equations is:

$$\begin{aligned}x' &= \alpha x - \beta xy \\ y' &= \delta y + \gamma xy\end{aligned}$$

where $\alpha = 1$, $\beta = 0.05$, $\gamma = 0.01$ and $\delta = 1$

The Jacobian matrix is defined:

$$J(x, y) = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha - \beta y & -\beta x \\ \gamma y & \delta + \gamma x \end{pmatrix}$$

To find the equilibrium points, we set x' and y' to zero and solve for x and y . This gives the following system of algebraic equations:

$$\begin{cases} 0 = x - 0.05xy \\ 0 = y + 0.01xy \end{cases}$$

From this system of equations, the first equation indicates that either $x = 0$ or $y = \frac{\alpha}{\beta} = 20$. The second equation indicates that either $y = 0$ or $x = -\frac{\delta}{\gamma} = -100$.

Therefore, our potential initial guesses for equilibrium points can be:

$$\begin{cases} (x, y) = (0, 0) \\ (x, y) = (0, 20) \\ (x, y) = (-100, 0) \\ (x, y) = (\text{nonzero}, \text{nonzero}) \end{cases}$$

To solve this system, we can use the multidimensional Newton's method with an initial guesses of [0.0, 0.0], [0.0, 20.0], [-100.0, 0], $[-\frac{\delta}{\gamma + (\frac{\gamma\alpha}{\beta})}, \frac{\alpha}{\beta}]$.

```

1 # Parameters for the system
2 alpha, beta, gamma, delta = 1, 0.05, 0.01, 1
3

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4 # Defining the functions for the system
5 def f1(x, y):
6     return alpha * x - beta * x * y
7
8 def f2(x, y):
9     return delta * y + gamma * x * y
10
11 # Defining the Jacobian matrix for the system
12 def jacobian(x, y):
13     return np.array([[alpha - beta * y, -beta * x],
14                     [gamma * y, delta + gamma * x]])
15
16 F = [f1, f2]
17 initial0 = [0.0, 0.0]
18 initial1 = [0.0, alpha/beta]
19 initial2 = [-delta/gamma, 0.0]
20
21 # substitute y = alpha / beta in the second equation
22 initial3 = [-delta / (gamma + (gamma * alpha / beta)), alpha/beta]
23 sol0 = multidimensional_newton(F, jacobian, initial0)
24 sol1 = multidimensional_newton(F, jacobian, initial1)
25 sol2 = multidimensional_newton(F, jacobian, initial2)
26 sol3 = multidimensional_newton(F, jacobian, initial3)
27
28 print("Solution:", sol0)
29 print("Solution:", sol1)
30 print("Solution:", sol2)
31 print("Solution:", sol3)

```

The output is:

Jacobian is singular at the initial guess.

Newton's method may not converge with the initial guess of [0.0, 20.0].

Jacobian is singular at the initial guess.

Newton's method may not converge with the initial guess of [-100.0, 0.0].

Solution: [0. 0.] with initial guess of [0.0, 0.0]

Solution: None with initial guess of [0.0, 20.0]

Solution: None with initial guess of [-100.0, 0.0]

Solution: [-100. 20.] with initial guess of [-4.761904761904762, 20.0]

Therefore, we have 2 equilibrium points as solutions: [0, 0] and [-100, 20].

1.5 Example 5

The system of differential equations is defined as:

$$x' = -0.1xy - x$$

$$y' = -x + 0.9y$$

$$z' = \cos(y) - xz$$

The Jacobian matrix is defined as:

$$J(x, y, z) = \begin{pmatrix} -0.1y - 1 & -0.1x & 0 \\ -1 & 0.9 & 0 \\ -z & -\sin(y) & -x \end{pmatrix}$$

Set x', y', z' to zero and solve for x, y, z . The following shows the algebraic equations:

$$\begin{cases} 0 = -0.1xy - x \\ 0 = -x + 0.9y \\ 0 = \cos(y) - xz \end{cases}$$

From the first equation, either $x = 0$ or $y = -10$ since $x(-0.1y - 1) = 0$.

From the second equation, either both x, y are zero or nonzero, yielding $y = \frac{x}{0.9}$.

For the third equation, if x is zero, z can be any value and $\cos(y)$ needs to be zero. If $x \neq 0$, we need to define $z = \frac{\cos(y)}{x}$.

After applying multiple initial guesses, most of them give a singular Jacobian matrix, which cannot be solved through the multidimensional newton's method, unless applying the initial guess of $(x', y', z') = (1.0, -10.0, 1.0)$.

```

1 def f20(x, y, z):
2     return -0.1*x*y - x
3
4 def g20(x, y, z):
5     return -x + 0.9 * y
6
7 def h20(x, y, z):
8     return np.cos(y) - x*z
9
10 def Jaco(x, y, z):
11     return np.array([[ -0.1*y - 1, -0.1*x, 0],
12                     [-1, 0.9, 0],
13                     [-z, -np.sin(y), -x]])
14
15
16 F = [f20, g20, h20]
17 initial0 = [1.0, -10.0, 1.0]
18 sol0 = multidimensional_newton(F, Jaco, initial0)
19 print(sol0)

```

The solution is approximated as $[-9. -10. 0.09323017]$.

2 General Function in Python

```

1 import numpy as np
2
3 # General Multidimensional Newton's Method
4 def multidimensional_newton(funcs, jacobian, initial_guess, tol=1e-10):
5     """
6     funcs: list of functions, the system of nonlinear equations
7     jacobian: function that computes the Jacobian matrix
8     initial_guess: initial guess for the variables
9     tolerance: tolerance for the convergence criterion
10    """
11    # Initialize the guess
12    x_k = np.array(initial_guess)
13
14    while True:
15        # Evaluate the functions
16        F_k = np.array([func(*x_k) for func in funcs])
17
18        # Evaluate the Jacobian matrix
19        J_k = jacobian(*x_k)
20
21        # Check if the Jacobian is near singular
22        if np.linalg.cond(J_k) > 1 / np.finfo(float).eps:
23            # If the Jacobian is near singular, Newton's method may not
24            converge
25            print(f"Jacobian is singular at the initial guess. Newton's
26            method may not converge with the initial guess of {initial_guess}.")
27            return None
28
29        # Solve the system J_k * b = -F to find delta
30        b = np.linalg.solve(J_k, -F_k)
31
32        # Update the guess
33        x_k += b
34
35        # Check for convergence
36        if np.linalg.norm(b) < tol:
37            break
38
39    return x_k

```

3 Example solution in Summary

```

1 # C. 13 example
2 def f(x, y):
3     return x * np.sin(y)
4 def g(x, y):
5     return np.cos(x) + np.sin(y**2)
6 def jacobian(x, y):
7     return np.array([[np.sin(y), x * np.cos(y)],

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8         [-np.sin(x), 2 * y * np.cos(y**2)]]
9 funcs = [f, g]
10 initial = [np.pi/2, np.pi]
11 sol = multidimensional_newton(funcs, jacobian, initial)
12 print(f"C.13 example: {sol} with initial guess of {initial}")
13 #####
14
15 # C. 15 example
16 def f1(x, y):
17     return 1 + x**2 - y**2 + np.exp(x)*np.cos(y)
18 def g1(x, y):
19     return 2*x*y + np.exp(x)*np.sin(y)
20 # Define the Jacobian matrix of F
21 def jacobian1(x, y):
22     return np.array([[2*x + np.exp(x)*np.cos(y), -2*y - np.exp(x)*np.sin(y)
23                     ],
24                     [2*y + np.exp(x)*np.sin(y), 2*x + np.exp(x)*np.cos(y)
25                     ]])
26 funcs1 = [f1, g1]
27 initial1 = [1.0, 1.0]
28 sol1 = multidimensional_newton(funcs1, jacobian1, initial1)
29 print(f"C.15 example: {sol1} with initial guess of {initial1}")
30 #####
31
32 # C.17 example
33 def f(x, y, z):
34     return x**2 + y**2 + z**2 - 100
35 def g(x, y, z):
36     return x*y*z - 1
37 def h(x, y, z):
38     return x - y - np.sin(z)
39 def Jacobian(x, y, z):
40     return np.array([[2*x, 2*y, 2*z],
41                     [y*z, x*z, x*y],
42                     [1, -1, -np.cos(z)]])
43 F_new = [f, g, h]
44 initial = [1.0, 1.0, np.pi]
45 sol = multidimensional_newton(F_new, Jacobian, initial)
46 print(f"C.17 example: {sol} with initial guess of {initial}")
47 #####
48
49 #C.19 example
50 alpha, beta, gamma, delta = 1, 0.05, 0.01, 1
51 def f1(x, y):
52     return alpha * x - beta * x * y
53 def f2(x, y):
54     return delta * y + gamma * x * y
55 def jacobian(x, y):
56     return np.array([[alpha - beta * y, -beta * x],
57                     [gamma * y, delta + gamma * x]])
58 F = [f1, f2]
59 initial0 = [0.0, 0.0]
60 initial1 = [0.0, alpha/beta]

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60 initial2 = [-delta/gamma, 0.0]
61
62 # substitute y = alpha / beta in the second equation
63 initial3 = [-delta / (gamma + (gamma * alpha / beta)), alpha/beta]
64
65 print("\nC.19 example:")
66 sol0 = multidimensional_newton(F, jacobian, initial0)
67 sol1 = multidimensional_newton(F, jacobian, initial1)
68 sol2 = multidimensional_newton(F, jacobian, initial2)
69 sol3 = multidimensional_newton(F, jacobian, initial3)
70
71 print("Solution:", sol0, "with initial guess of", initial0)
72 print("Solution:", sol1, "with initial guess of", initial1)
73 print("Solution:", sol2, "with initial guess of", initial2)
74 print("Solution:", sol3, "with initial guess of", initial3)
75 #####
76
77 # C.20 example
78 def f20(x, y, z):
79     return -0.1*x*y - x
80 def g20(x, y, z):
81     return -x + 0.9 * y
82 def h20(x, y, z):
83     return np.cos(y) - x*z
84
85 def Jaco(x, y, z):
86     return np.array([[-0.1*y - 1, -0.1*x, 0],
87                     [-1, 0.9, 0],
88                     [-z, -np.sin(y), -x]])
89 F = [f20, g20, h20]
90 initial0 = [1.0, -10.0, 1.0]
91 sol0 = multidimensional_newton(F, Jaco, initial0)
92 print(f"\nC.20 example: {sol0} with initial guess of {initial0}")
93
94 #####
95 The outputs are:
96 C.13 example: [1.12596989 3.14159265] with initial guess of
97               [1.5707963267948966, 3.141592653589793]
98 C.15 example: [-0.29316269 1.17265982] with initial guess of [1.0, 1.0]
99 C.17 example: [-7.06104719 -7.08104601 0.02000016] with initial guess of
100               [1.0, 1.0, 3.141592653589793]
101
102 C.19 example:
103 Jacobian is singular at the initial guess. Newton's method may not
104 converge with the initial guess of [0.0, 20.0].
105 Jacobian is singular at the initial guess. Newton's method may not
106 converge with the initial guess of [-100.0, 0.0].
107 Solution: [0. 0.] with initial guess of [0.0, 0.0]
108 Solution: None with initial guess of [0.0, 20.0]
109 Solution: None with initial guess of [-100.0, 0.0]
110 Solution: [-100. 20.] with initial guess of [-4.761904761904762, 20.0]
111
112 C.20 example: [ -9.          -10.          0.09323017] with initial guess
113               of [1.0, -10.0, 1.0]

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