

GENETIC EVOLUTIONARY AND LEARNING ALGORITHMS

ASSIGNMENT 1#

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Three versions of implementation have been implemented to maximize the fitness function. The pseudo-code of the three implementation have been discussed below:

Genetic Algorithm version 1:

#population initialization

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For i in range(population size):
    population[i].values=random.rand([varmin1,varmin2],[varmax1,varmax2])
    population[i].fitness=fitness function(population[i].values)
    If population[i].fitness > best.fitness:
        Best.fitness=population[i].fitness
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for i in range(generation):

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    for j in range(population//2):
        #parent selection
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        parent1,parent2=random selection(population)
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            #offspring generation
            child1,child2=crossover(parent1,parent2)
            child1_mutate=mutate(child1)
            child2_mutate=mutate(child2)
            child1_mutate,child2_mutate=apply bounds(child1_mutate,child2_mutate)
            child1_mutate.fitness=fitness function(child1_mutate.value)
            child2_mutate.fitness=fitness function(child2_mutate.value)
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            if child1_mutate.fitness>best.fitness:
                best=child1_mutate
            if child2_mutate.fitness>best.fitness:
                best=child2_mutate
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            child population.append(child1_mutate)
            child population.append(child2_mutate)
            parent population.append(parent1)
            parent population.append(parent2)
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#population survival selection
population=parent population+child population
population=sorting(population.fitness)
population=population(population size-1:end)
average value=average(population.fitness)
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Genetic Algorithm version 2

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For i in range(population size):
    population[i].values=random.rand([varmin1,varmin2],[varmax1,varmax2])
    population[i].fitness=fitness function(population[i].values)
    If population[i].fitness > best.fitness:
        Best.fitness=population[i].fitness
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for i in range(generation):
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```
    for j in range(population size//2):
        #parent selection
```

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        parent1,parent2=fitness based selection (population size, population,cumulative
distribution)
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            #offspring generation
            child1,child2=crossover(parent1,parent2,0.2)
            child1_mutate=mutate(child1,0.3)
            child2_mutate=mutate(child2,0.3)
            child1_mutate,child2_mutate=apply bounds(child1_mutate,child2_mutate)
            child1_mutate.fitness=fitness function(child1_mutate.value)
            child2_mutate.fitness=fitness function(child2_mutate.value)
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            if child1_mutate.fitness>best.fitness:
                best=child1_mutate
            if child2_mutate.fitness>best.fitness:
                best=child2_mutate
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            child population.append(child1_mutate)
            child population.append(child2_mutate)
            parent population.append(parent1)
            parent population.append(parent2)
```

```
#population survival selection
population=parent population+child population
population=sorting(population.fitness)
population=population(population size-1:end)
average value=average(population.fitness)
```

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Function fitness based selection (population size,population,cumulative distribution value)
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    rand1=random value(0,1)
    rand2=random value(0,1)
    for i in range(population size):
        if rand1<cummulative distribution value[i]:
            parent1=population[i]
            break
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for j in range(population size):
    if rand2<cummulative distribution value[i]:
        parent2=population[j]
        break
return parent1,parent2

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Function cross over(parent1,parent2,gamma=0):
    Alpha=uniform random distribution(-gamma,1+gamma)
    Child1=parent1*alpha+(1-alpha)*parent2
    Child2=parent2*alpha+(1-alpha)*parent1
    Return child1,child2

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Function mutation(child1,mutation rate)
    Mutated child=child1+mutation rate* random normal distribution(1)
    Return mutated child

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-----GA version 3---

The difference between GA2 and GA3 is parent selection technique used:
Hence pseudo code of parent selection used

Function Random selection tournament and fitness based(population size, population,cumulative distribution):

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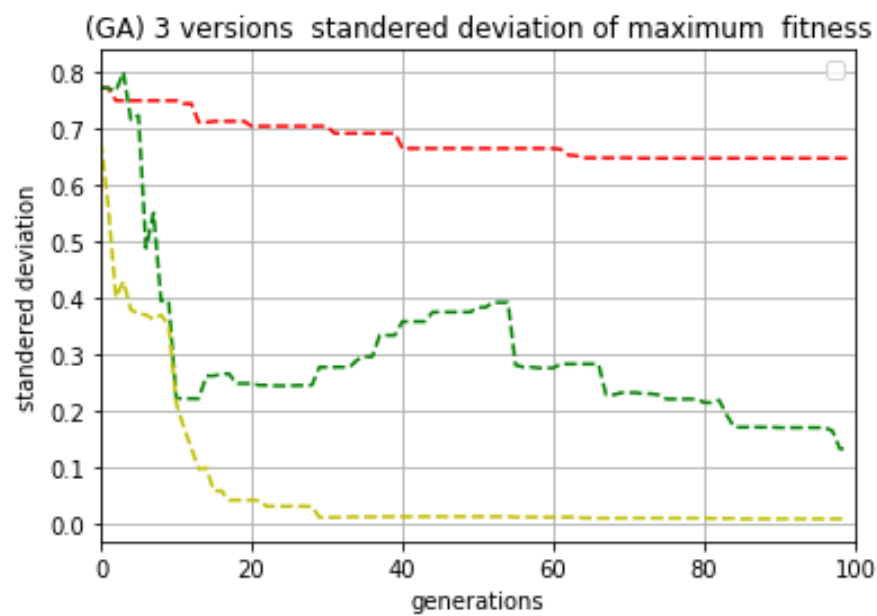
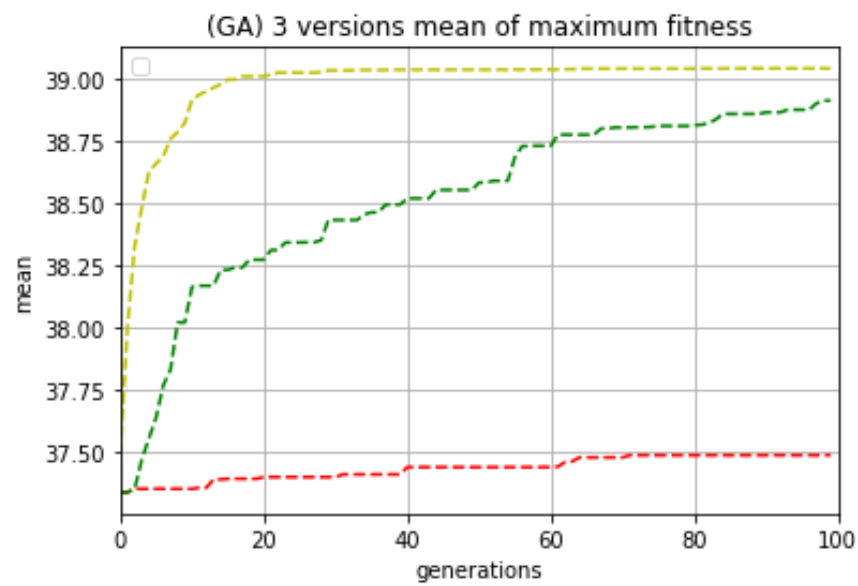
    Selector=uniform random distribution(0,1)
    K=no.of members in group
    If selector <threshold
        #tournament based selection
        G1=permutation(population size)
        G2=permuation(population size)
        Group1=G1(0:k)
        Group2=G2(0:k)
        Parent1=maximum(group1)#based on fitness value
        Parent2=maximum(group2)

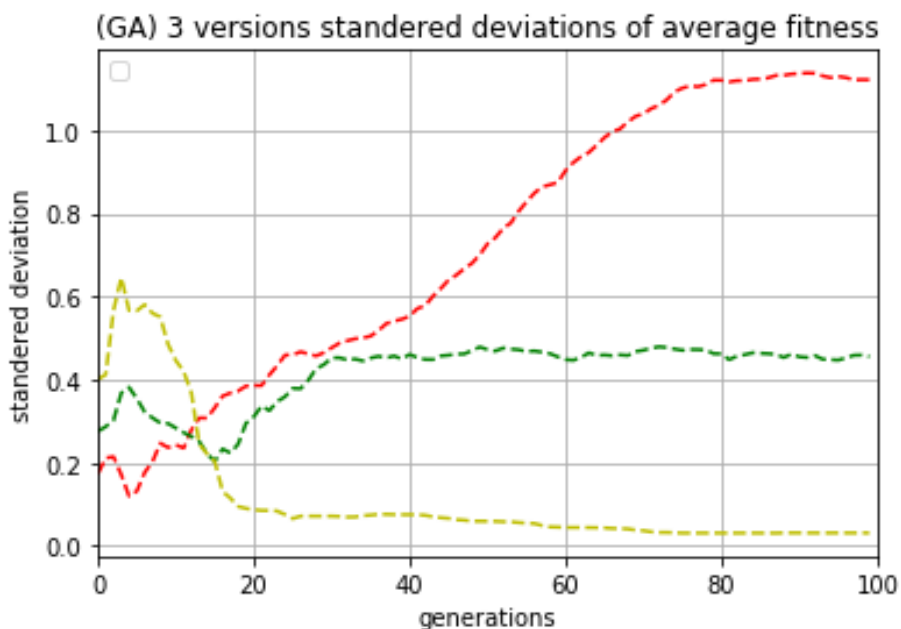
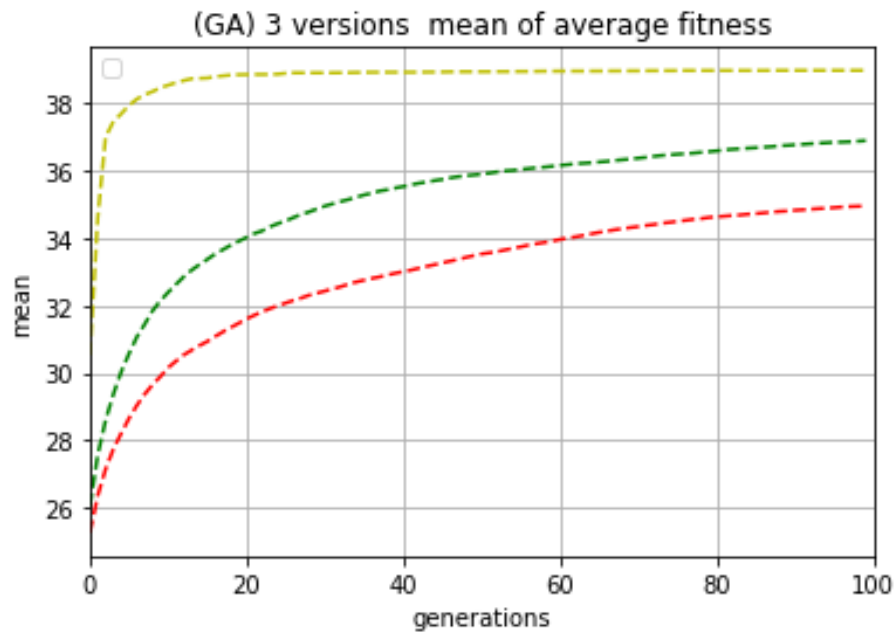
    Else:
        Parent1,parent2=Fitness based selction(population size,population,cumulative
distribution)

Return parent1,parent2

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Results:





Among the lines shown, the red line corresponds to output of GA1, Green corresponds to GA2 and Yellow corresponds to GA3.

As can be observed GA 3 is outperforming GA2 due to superiority in parent selection, where as GA2 is superior over GA1 due to performance parameters like mutation rate increase, gamma in cross over and parent selection based on fitness rather than random in nature which GA1 is implemented on.

Due to the inherent flaw in fitness based selection to be trapped in local optima, tournament based selection has been implemented which indeed excels in performance when compared to only fitness based selection, to further increase the performance the selection between tournament and fitness based selection is random in nature. This increase the performance of mean of maximum and average figures as

shown above. When standard deviation is seen due to random nature of GA1 the standard deviation is unusually high compared to GA2 and GA3. The standard deviation is reduced using probability based selection used in GA2 which

iteration	GA1 maximum value	&	GA1 X value
0	37.96748638315932	&	[-11.65109435 5.91853687]
1	38.27097943834607	&	[11.14339906 -5.92476306]
2	36.8924283763652	&	[11.15618397 -5.12711478]
3	37.007760453665774	&	[-10.62537044 5.21925162]
4	36.334945251963546	&	[-10.61585524 -4.71816008]
5	38.18859787393021	&	[11.63681797 -5.73204317]
6	36.99000441703785	&	[-9.62508605 5.92731119]
7	37.87750669850659	&	[-11.63781128 -5.02135422]
8	37.835209357068806	&	[-11.62240804 4.9204299]
9	37.48885403996839	&	[-11.12412548 4.92753004]
iteration	GA2 maximum value	&	GA2 X value
0	39.01759826006463	&	[11.63118342 5.92449481]
1	38.98344898673817	&	[11.62995176 5.9270911]
2	39.04845877530025	&	[11.62565813 5.92464791]
3	38.876425013481	&	[11.63829312 5.92650185]
4	38.59315608341425	&	[-11.62967029 -5.52699787]
5	38.97023232956454	&	[-11.6296232 5.92739826]
6	39.010319316469214	&	[-11.63208318 5.92529371]
7	38.88576537615887	&	[-11.62721601 -5.82736666]
8	38.83801514728558	&	[-11.62405902 5.72599686]
9	38.90692717967361	&	[-11.63195686 5.82574325]

iteration	GA3 maximum value	&	GA3 X value
0	39.035663450122925	&	[-11.62229908 5.92569421]
1	39.042322037526745	&	[11.6272161 -5.92436273]
2	39.04692419230269	&	[11.62391525 -5.92532512]
3	39.04872192839223	&	[-11.62600272 5.92469933]
4	39.03250898758491	&	[-11.62938858 5.92444195]
5	39.046386834067164	&	[11.62600859 -5.92447954]
6	39.04787717279859	&	[11.62714102 -5.92512399]
7	39.049813666673245	&	[-11.62529791 -5.92485231]
8	39.04690676794988	&	[-11.625891 -5.92557208]
9	39.02724846876741	&	[-11.62067353 -5.92537305]

Conclusion:

From the three version implementation, following conclusions can be made:

During implementation of first version, random selection of parents led to high standard deviation due to its inherent random nature and no parameter tuning limiting the performance of finding the maximum value.

During implementation of version two, to decrease the standard deviation, fitness based selection used which reduced irregularity in output values as can be seen from graphs of standard deviation. Fitness based selection has a setback in its implementation which is there is a good probability of the selection method to get stuck in local optima, hence to over come it we try to increase mutation rate parameter and gamma for cross over which could help to algorithm to perform better.

During implementation three, tournament based selection is used which increased the maximum value compared to version 2. To further enhance the algorithm there is random probability of selection between tournament based and fitness based selection which further increased the maximum value attained by the algorithm in minimum generations possible.