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对于任意优化问题

$$(P) \min f_0(x) \\ \text{s.t. } f_i(x) \leq 0, i=1, \dots, m \quad p^* \\ h_i(x) = 0, i=1, \dots, p.$$

$$L(x, \lambda, v) = f_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^m \lambda_i f_i(x) + \sum_{i=1}^p v_i h_i(x).$$

$$g(\lambda, v) = \inf_{x \in D} L(x, \lambda, v).$$

$$(D) \max g(\lambda, v) \quad \mathbb{R}^{m+p} \quad d^* \\ \text{s.t. } \lambda \geq 0.$$

(1) 对偶问题一定是凸优化问题!

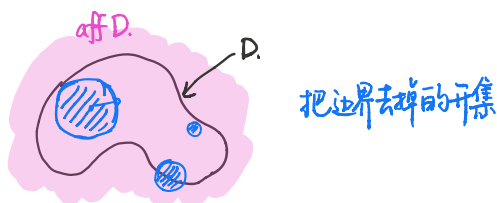
(2)  $d^* \leq p^*$  (weak duality, 一定成立).

$d^* = p^*$  (strong duality).

$p^* - d^*$  (duality gap).

$D$  的 Relative Interior. (相对内部).

$$\text{Relint } D = \{x \in D \mid \exists r > 0, B(x, r) \cap \text{aff } D \subseteq D\}.$$



Slater's Condition ( $p^* = d^*$  的充分条件).

若有凸问题

$$\min f_0(x) \\ \text{s.t. } f_i(x) \leq 0, i=1, \dots, m. \\ Ax = b.$$

其中  $f_i(x)$  为凸,  $\forall i$

当  $\exists x \in \text{relint } D$ , 使  $f_i(x) < 0, i=1, \dots, m, Ax = b$ . 满足时,  $p^* = d^*$ .

A weaker Slater's Condition. (充分条件).

若不等式约束为仿射时, 只要可行域非空, 必有  $p^* = d^*$

$$cx + d \leq 0. \quad cx + d = 0 \quad Ax = b. \\ \text{半空间} \quad \text{超平面}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{relint } D &= \text{relint} \left\{ \text{dom } f_0 \cap \bigcap_i \text{dom } f_i \right\} \\ &= \text{relint} \{ \text{dom } f_0 \}. \end{aligned}$$

线性规划问题若可行, 必有  $p^* = d^*$

例:  $\min X^T X \quad p^* = d^*.$   
s.t.  $AX = b$

$$\Leftrightarrow (D) \max_V -\frac{1}{4} U^T A A^T U - b^T V$$

例: QCQP.

$$\begin{cases} \min \frac{1}{2} X^T P_0 X + q_0^T X + r_0. \\ \text{s.t. } \frac{1}{2} X^T P_i X + q_i^T X + r_i \leq 0, i=1, \dots, m. \end{cases}$$

$$P_0 \in S_{++}^n, P_i \in S_+^n$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow L(X, \lambda) &= \frac{1}{2} X^T P_0 X + q_0^T X + r_0 + \sum_{i=1}^m \left( \frac{1}{2} \lambda_i X^T P_i X + \lambda_i q_i^T X + \lambda_i r_i \right). \\ &= \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} X^T (P_0 + \sum_{i=1}^m \lambda_i P_i) X}_{P} + \underbrace{(q_0 + \sum_{i=1}^m \lambda_i q_i)^T X}_{Q} + \underbrace{(r_0 + \sum_{i=1}^m \lambda_i r_i)}_{R}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow g(\lambda) = \inf_X L(X, \lambda).$$

$$\stackrel{\lambda \geq 0}{=} -\frac{1}{2} Q^T(\lambda) P^{-1}(\lambda) Q(\lambda) + R(\lambda)$$

$$\begin{cases} \max -\frac{1}{2} Q^T(\lambda) P^{-1}(\lambda) Q(\lambda) + R(\lambda) \\ \text{s.t. } \lambda \geq 0. \end{cases}$$

$\exists X \in D = \mathbb{R}^n; \frac{1}{2} X^T P_i X + q_i^T X + r_i < 0, i=1, \dots, m$  则  $p^* = d^*$

若  $q_i = 0, r_i = 0, \frac{1}{2} X^T P_i X < 0$ . 此时  $p^* = d^* = 0$ .

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几何解释  $p^* = d^*$ .

$$\min f_0(x) \quad x \in D.$$

$$\text{s.t. } f_i(x) \leq 0, i=1, \dots, m.$$

几何解释  $\min f_0(x)$   
s.t.  $f_1(x) \leq 0.$

$$G = \{ (f_1(x), f_0(x)) \mid x \in D \}.$$

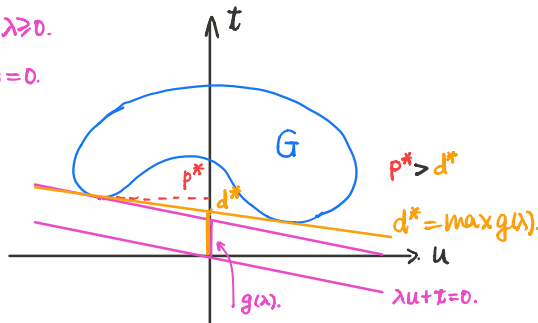
$$p^* = \inf \{ t \mid (u, t) \in G, u \leq 0 \}$$

$$g(\lambda) = \inf \{ \lambda \cdot u + t \mid (u, t) \in G \}.$$

$L(x, \lambda)$

$$g(\lambda) \geq 0.$$

$$\lambda u + t = 0.$$



$$p^* > d^*$$

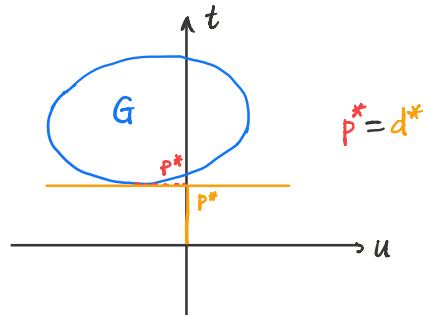
$$d^* = \max g(\lambda).$$

$$g(\lambda).$$

$$\lambda u + t = 0.$$

固定 $\lambda$ , 将 $\lambda u + t$ 往上平移直到与 $G$ 相接触 (inf).

此时, 截距为 $g(\lambda)$ .



$$p^* = d^*$$

鞍点的解释. Saddle Point.

$$L(x, \lambda).$$

$$g(\lambda).$$

$$\inf_{x \in D} \sup_{\lambda \geq 0} L(x, \lambda) = \sup_{\lambda \geq 0} \inf_{x \in D} L(x, \lambda).$$

$$d^* = \max g(\lambda).$$

$$(x^*, \lambda^*).$$

$$d^* = \sup_{\lambda \geq 0} \inf_{x \in D} L(x, \lambda)$$

$$p^* = \inf_{x \in D} \sup_{\lambda \geq 0} L(x, \lambda).$$

$$\min f_0(x).$$

$$\text{s.t. } f_i(x) \leq 0, i=1, \dots, m.$$

$$\sup_{\lambda \geq 0} f_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^m \lambda_i f_i(x) = \begin{cases} f_0(x) + 0 & \forall i, f_i(x) \leq 0 \\ +\infty & \exists i, f_i(x) > 0 \end{cases} \inf_{x \in D} \sup_{\lambda \geq 0} L(x, \lambda).$$

多目标优化解释.

$$\min \{ f_0(x), f_1(x), \dots, f_m(x) \}.$$

$$\{\lambda_i\} \Rightarrow \min f_0(x) + \sum_i \lambda_i f_i(x).$$

$$\min f_0(x).$$

$$L(x, \lambda).$$

$$\text{s.t. } f_i(x) \leq 0, i=1, \dots, m$$

给定  $\lambda$ ,  $\min_{x \in D} L(x, \lambda) \rightarrow \tilde{\alpha}$

$\max_{\lambda \geq 0} g(\lambda) \rightarrow \tilde{\lambda}$

$\min_{x \in D} L(x, \tilde{\lambda}) \rightarrow x^* \leftarrow \{\lambda_i\} \Rightarrow \min f_0(x) + \sum_i \tilde{\lambda}_i f_i(x).$

经济学的解释.

$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \min f_0(x) \\ \text{s.t. } f_i(x) \leq 0, i=1, \dots, m. \end{array} \right\}$  计划经济 (原材料不能动, 可能多余, 可能不够).

$x$ : 产品数量  $-f_0(x)$ : 利润  $f_0(x)$ : 损失  $f_i(x)$ : 原材料的约束.

设原材料可交易,  $\lambda_i \geq 0$ .

$\min_x f_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^m \lambda_i f_i(x) = g(\lambda)$

市场经济 (原材料可交易).

$(x^*, \lambda^*)$ .

最大损失  $\max_{\lambda \geq 0} g(\lambda) \Rightarrow d^*$

$d^* \leq p^*$  市场经济  $\geq$  计划经济.  
 $d^* = p^*$