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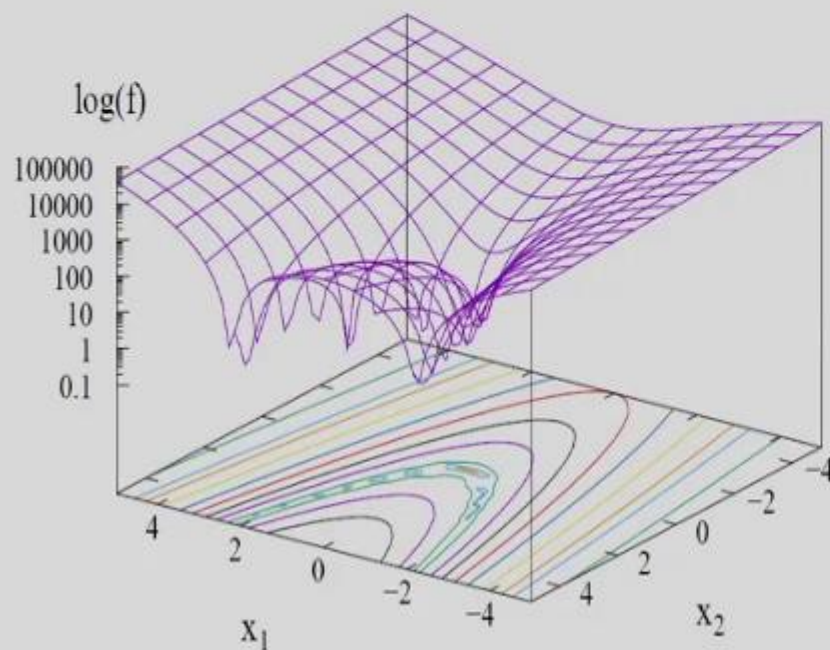


Rosenbrock Function

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Rosenbrock Function

Minimize $f(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \sum_{i=1}^n (100(x_{i+1} - x_i^2)^2 + (1 - x_i)^2)$,
bounds $-5 \leq x_i \leq 5$ and $i = 1, \dots, n$.

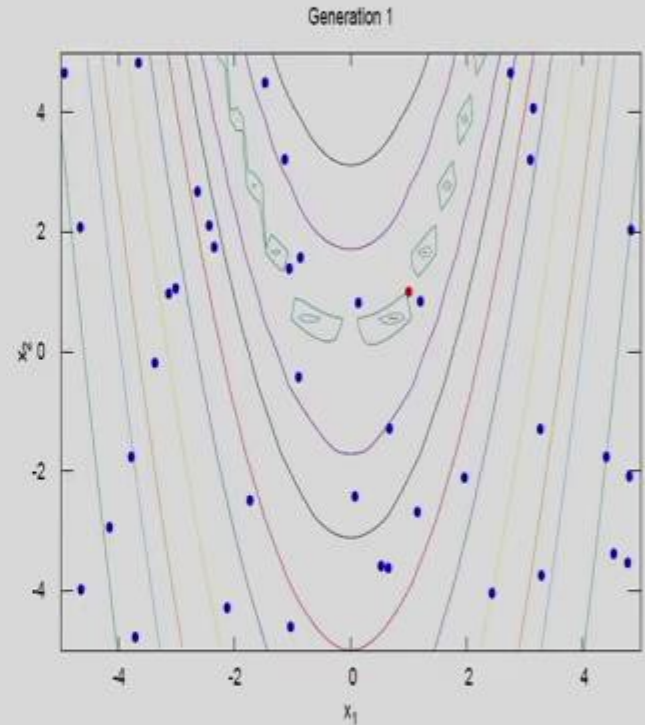


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Rosenbrock Function

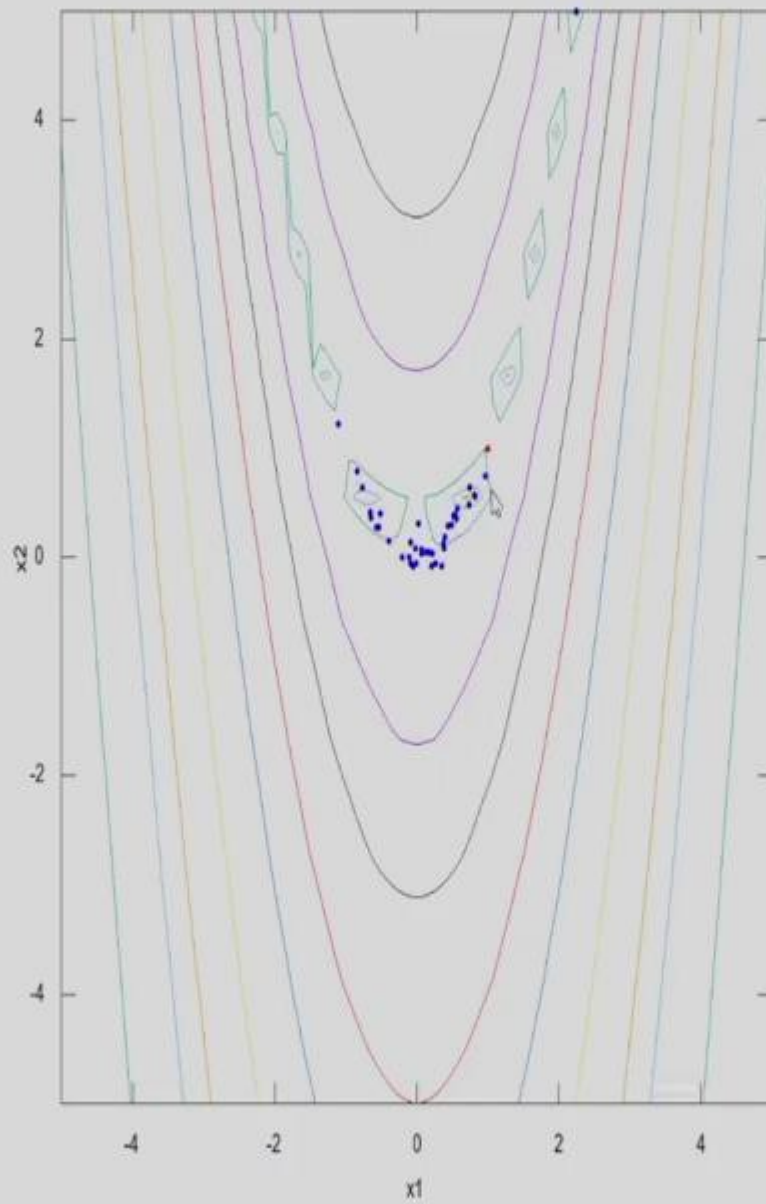
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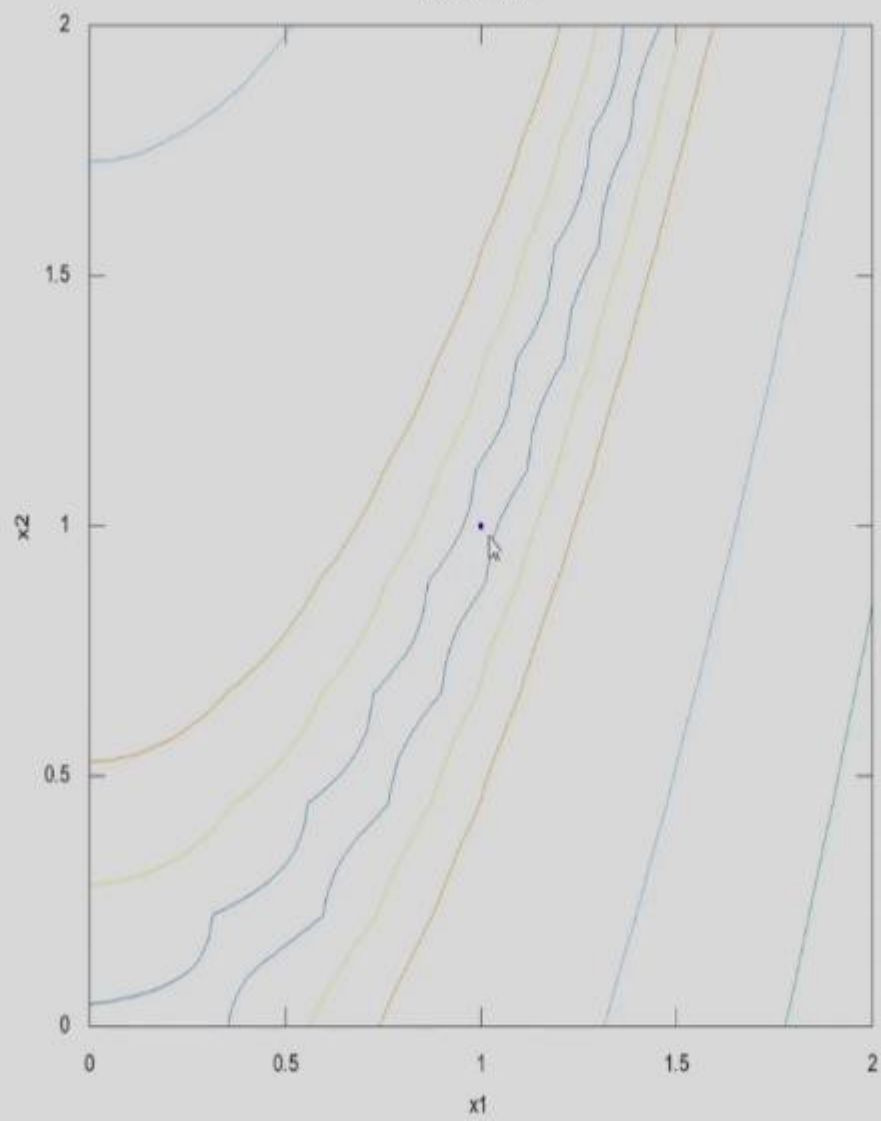


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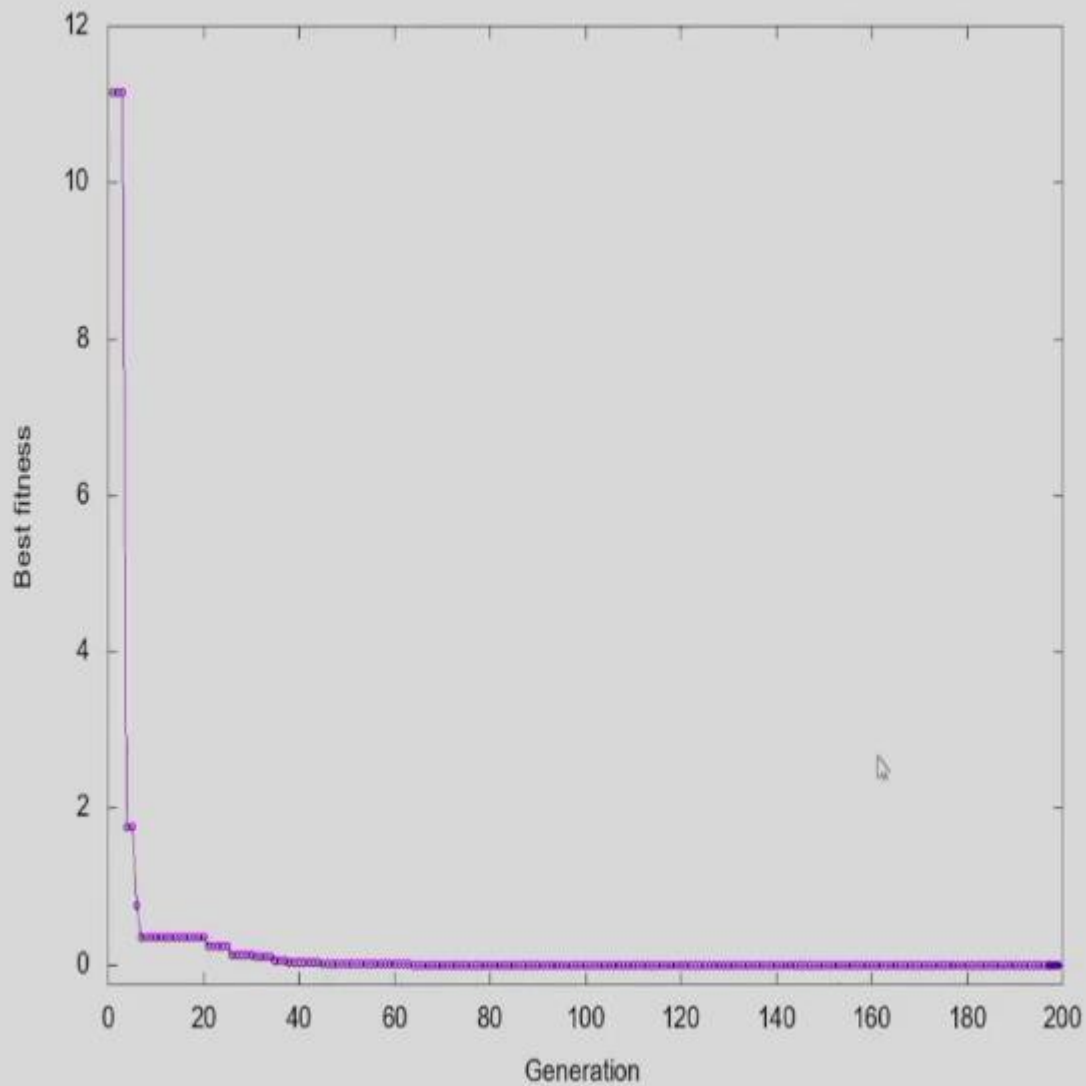
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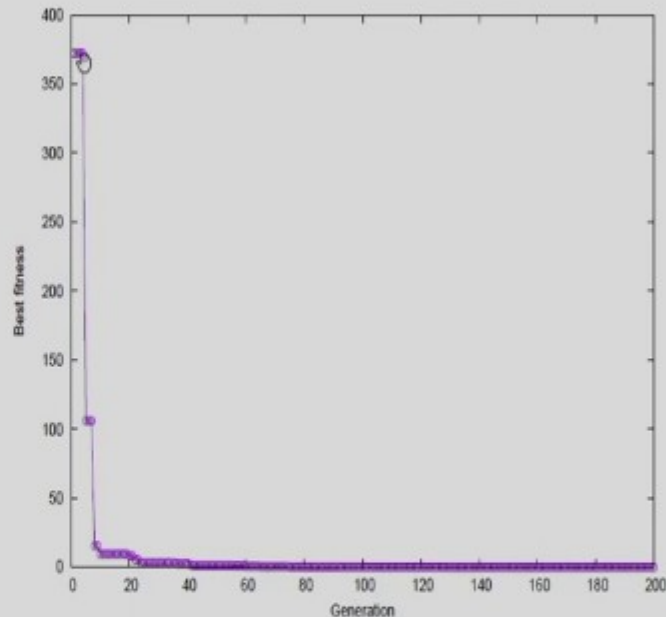
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Rosenbrock Function

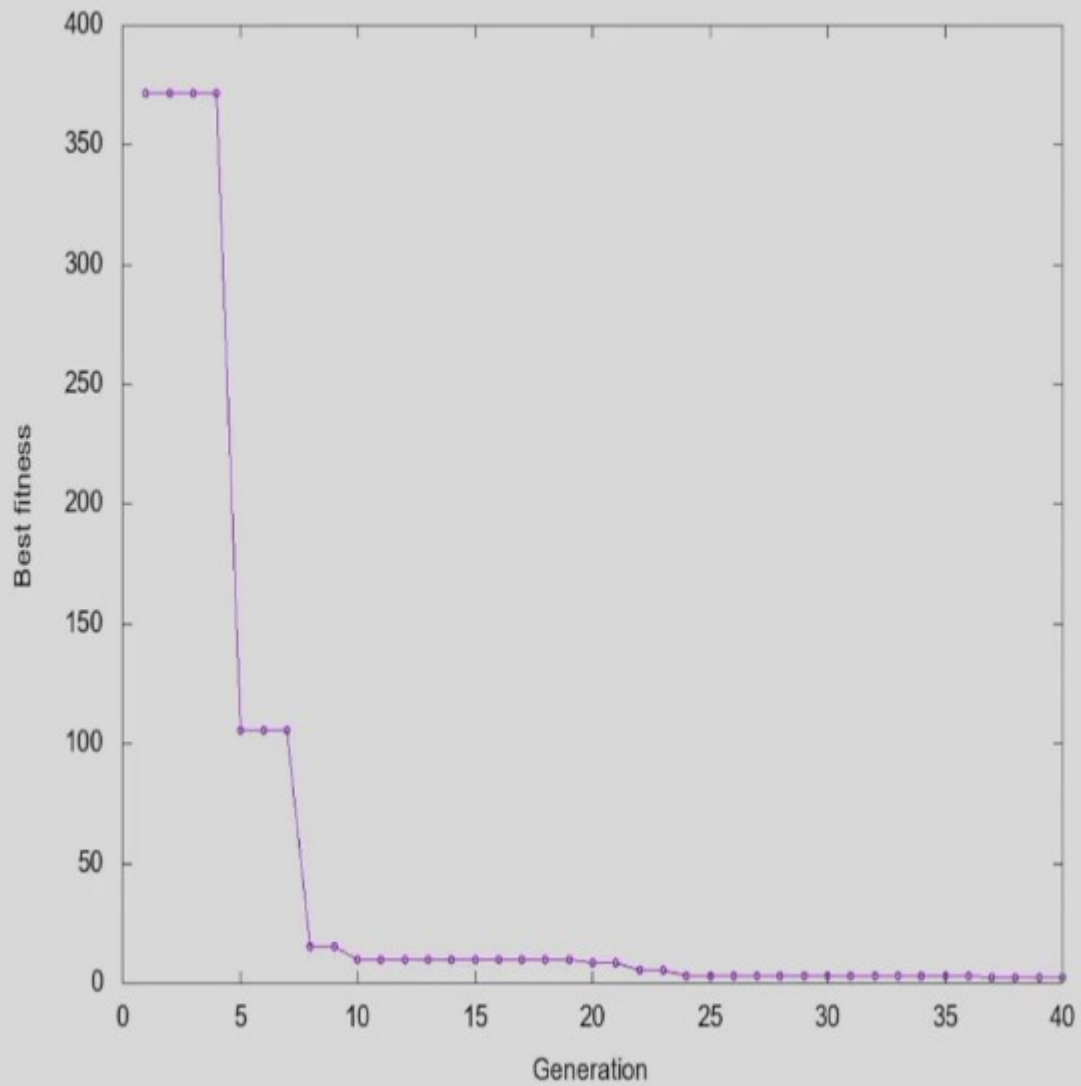
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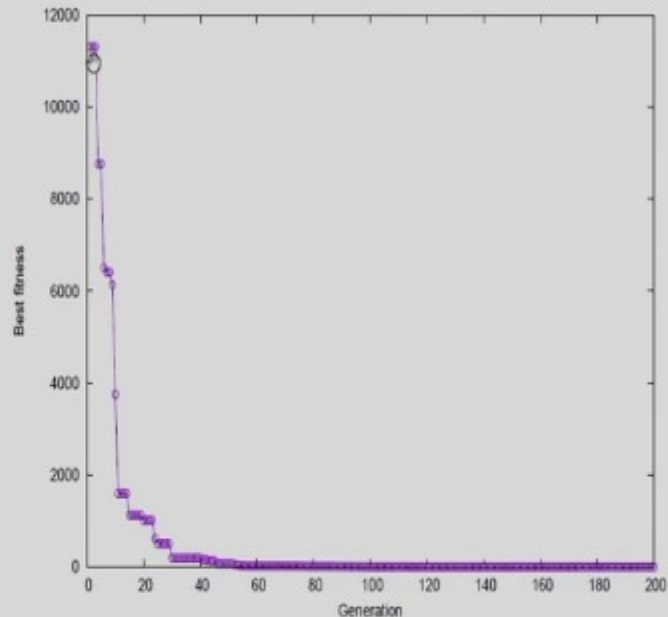
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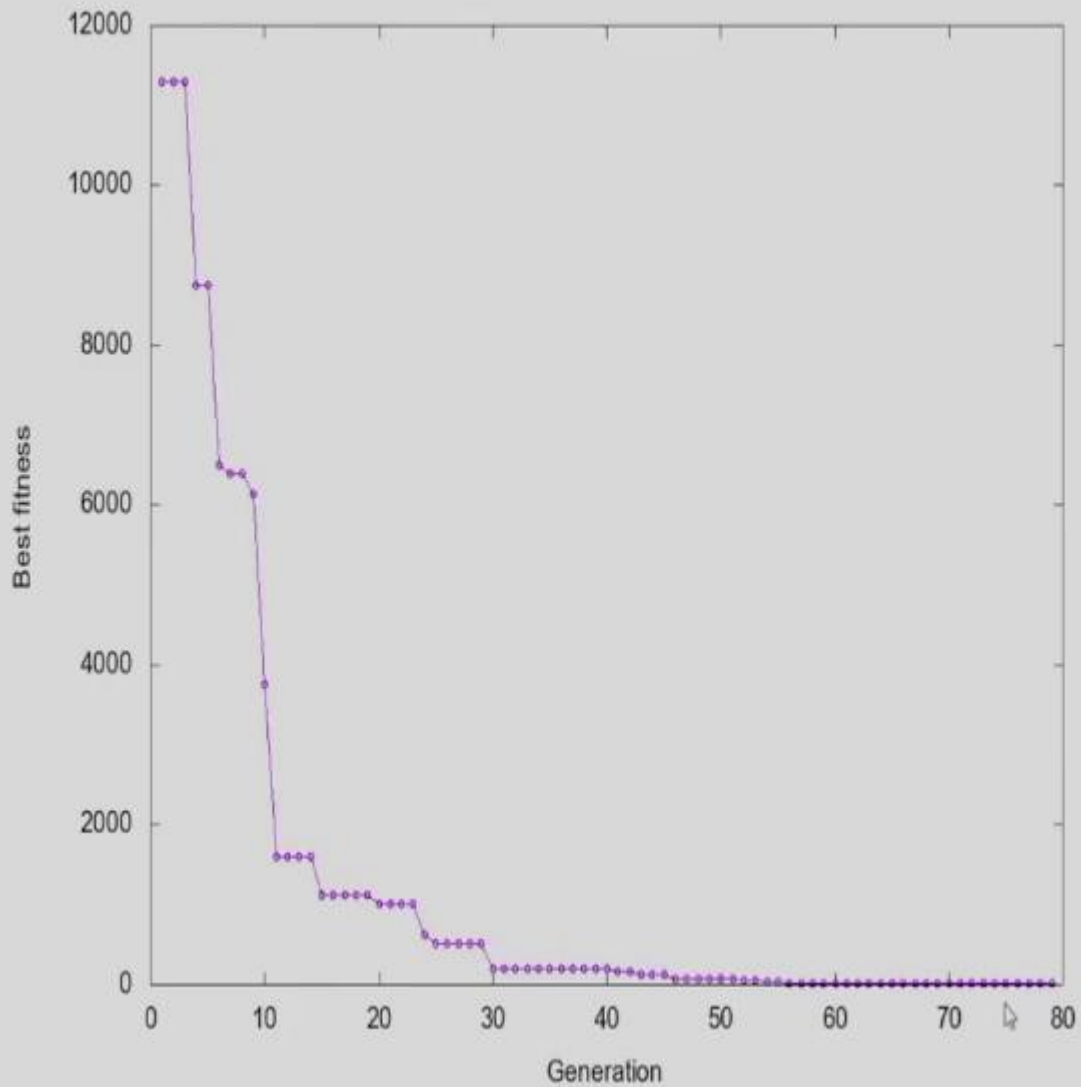
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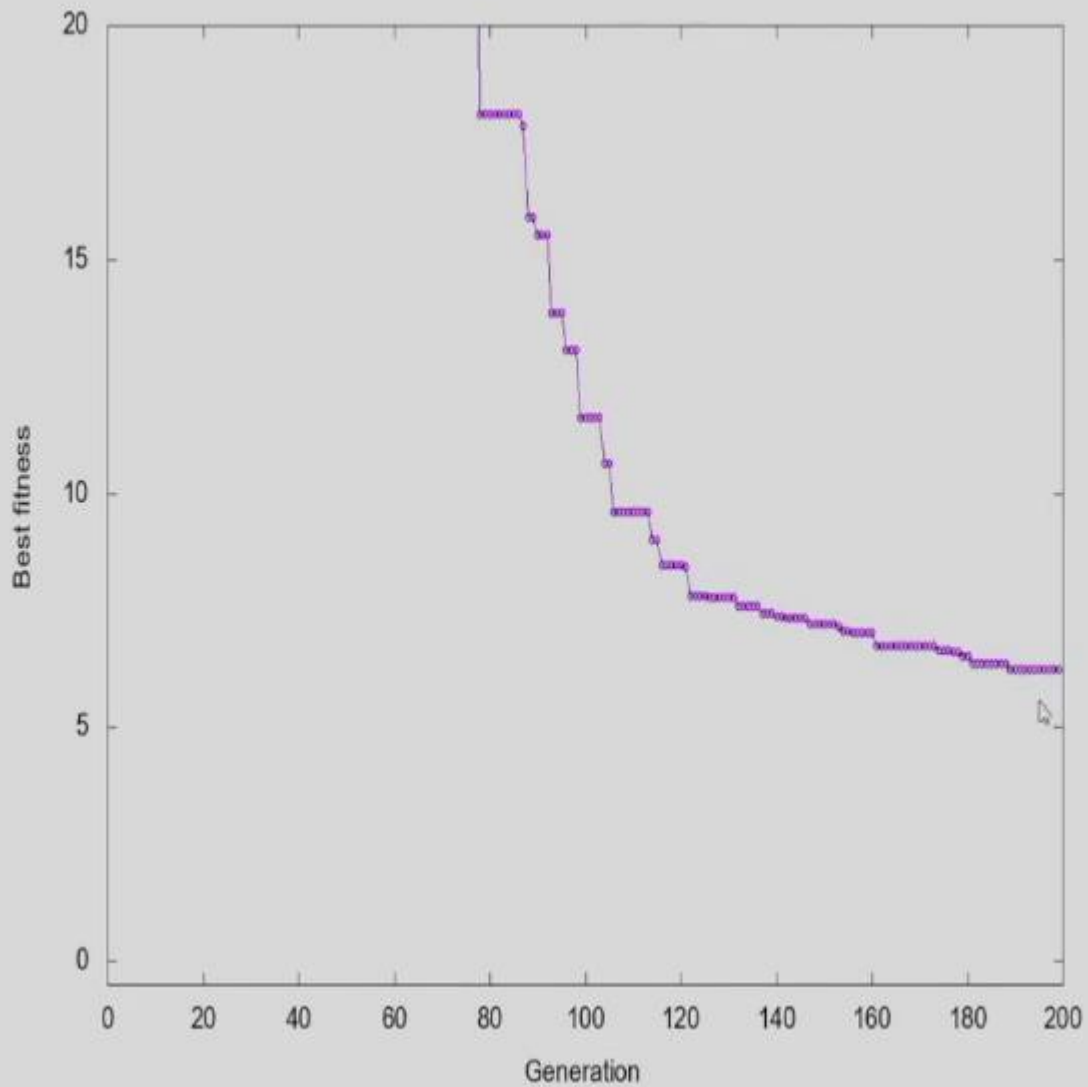


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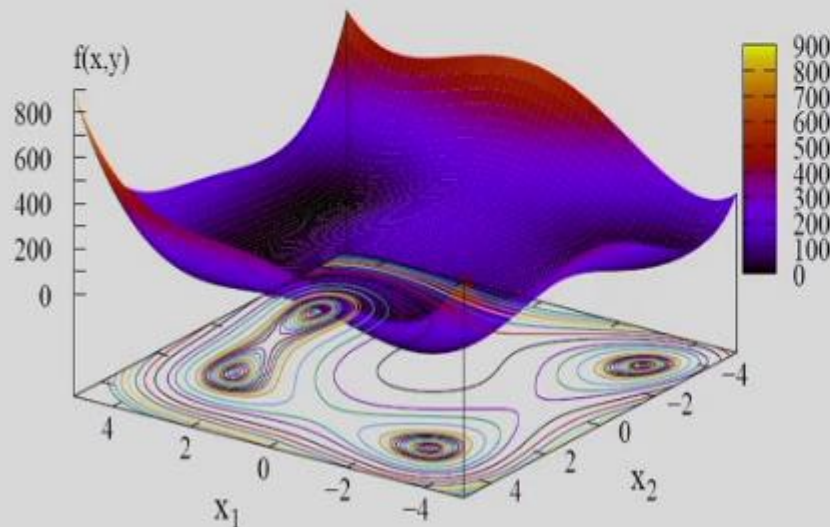


Himmelblau Function

Himmelblau Function

Minimize $f(x_1, x_2) = (x_1^2 + x_2 - 11)^2 + (x_1 + x_2^2 - 7)^2$,

bounds $-5 \leq x_1 \leq 5$ and $-5 \leq x_2 \leq 5$.

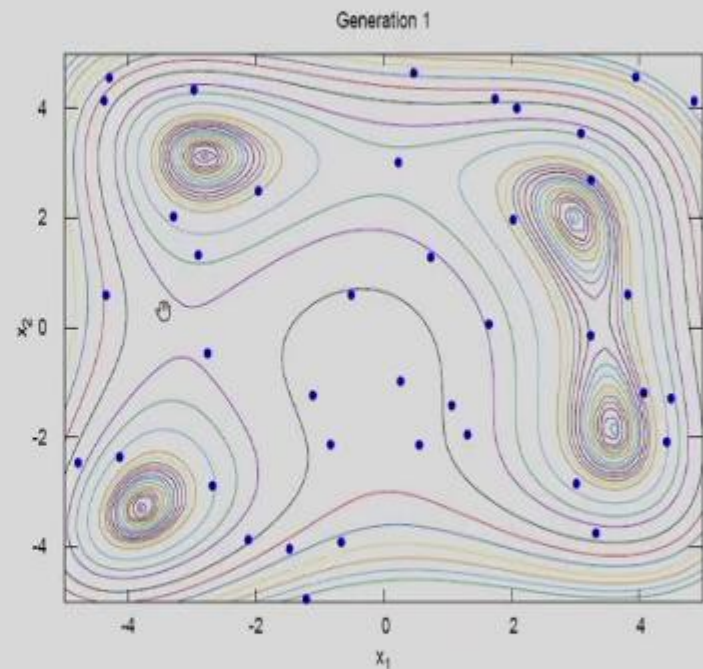


- Multi-modal function: it has 4 minimum points
- First optimal solution is $x^* = (3, 2)^T$ and $f(x) = 0$
- Second optimal solution is $x^* = (-2.805, 3.131)^T$ and $f(x) = 0$
- Third optimal solution is $x^* = (-3.779, -3.283)^T$ and $f(x) = 0$
- Fourth optimal solution is $x^* = (3.584, -1.848)^T$ and $f(x) = 0$

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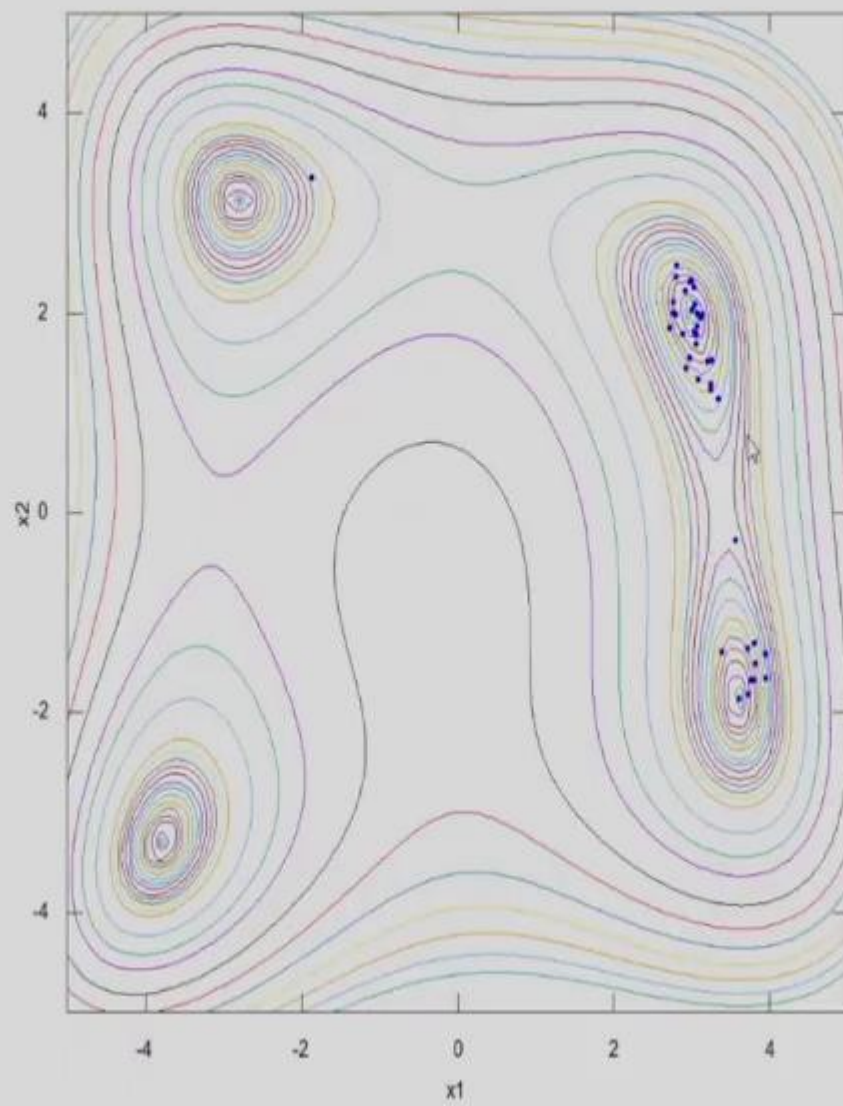
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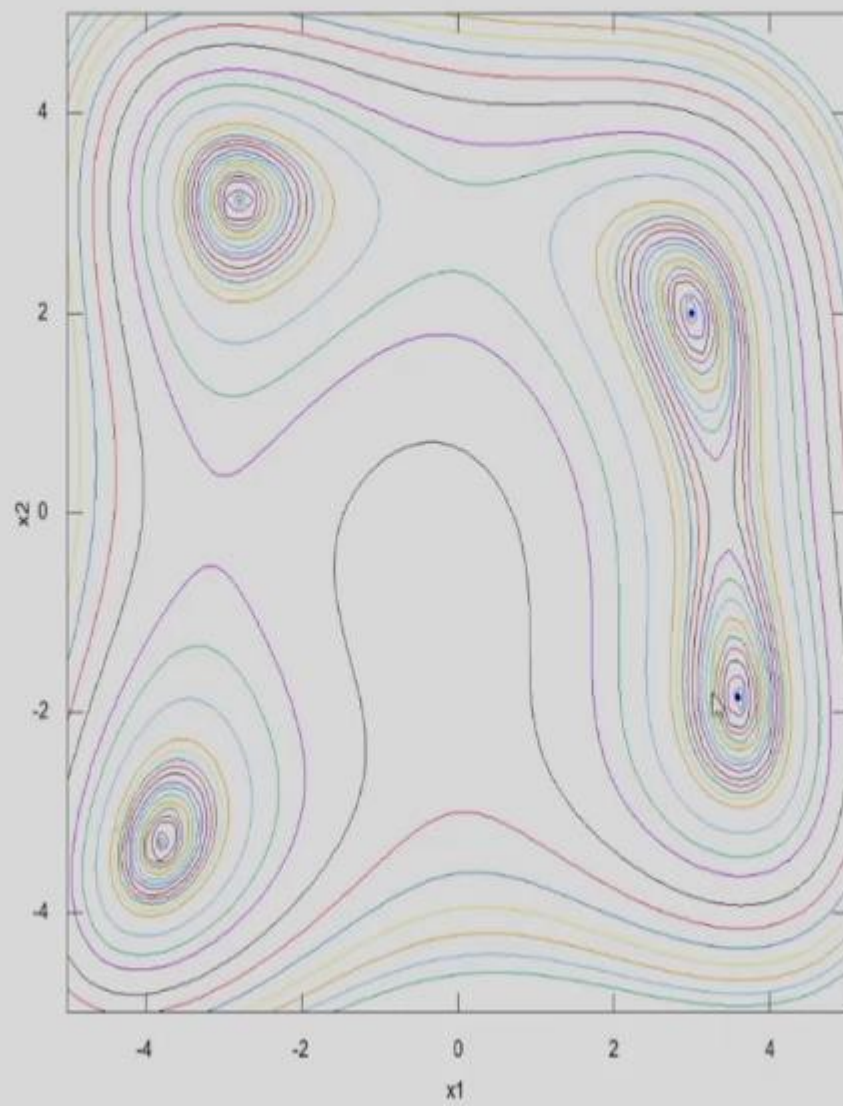


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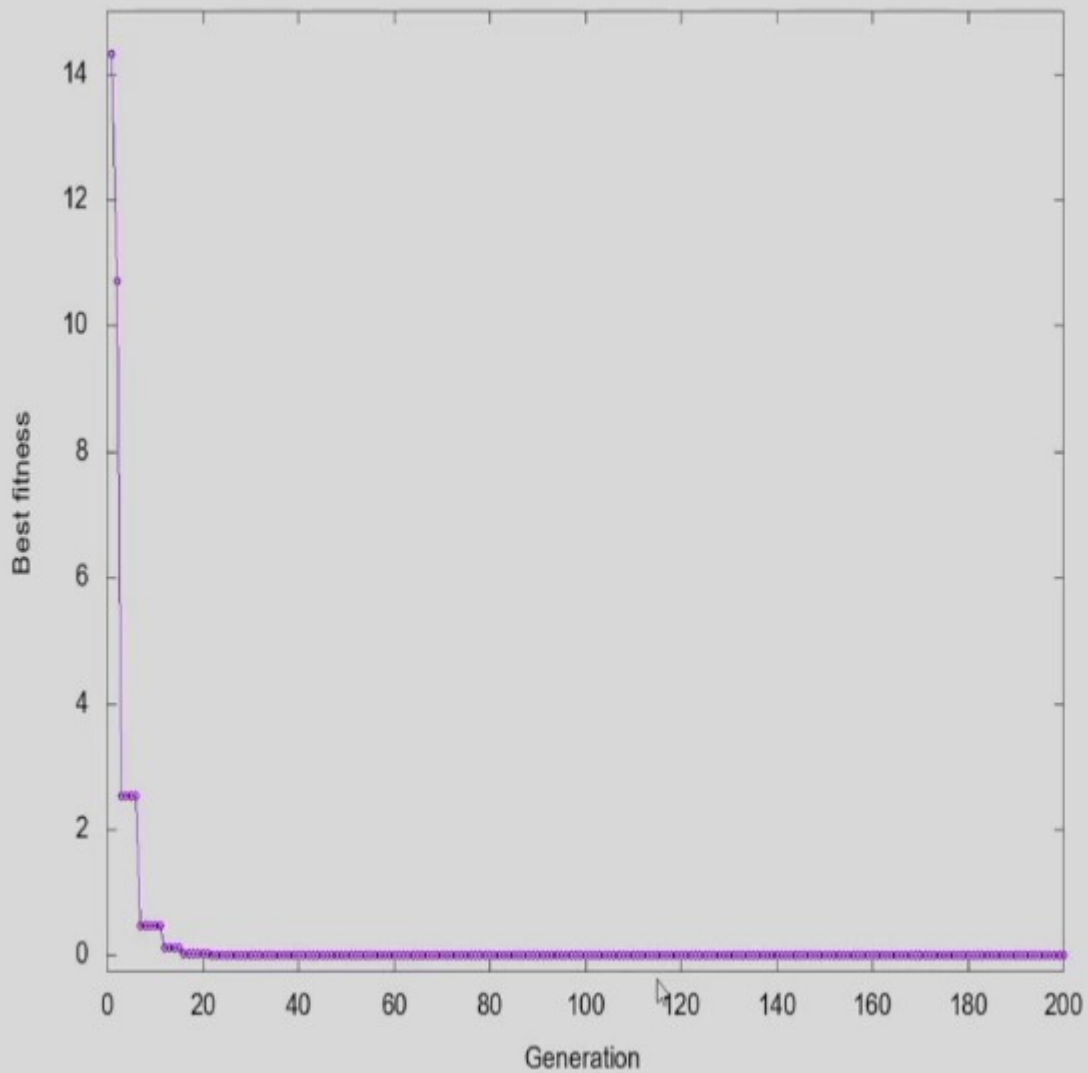
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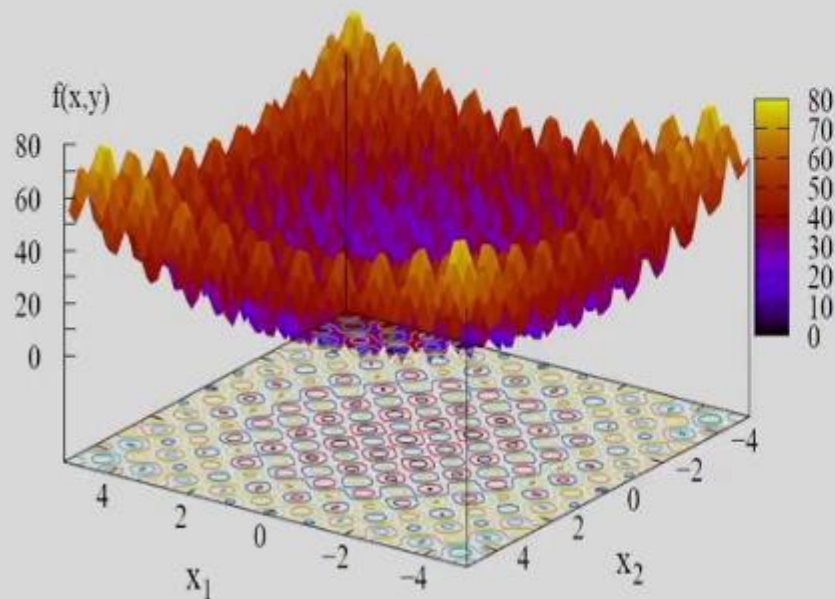
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Rastrigin Function

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Minimize $f(x_1, \dots, x_n) = 10n + \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i^2 - 10 \cos(2 * \pi x_i))$,
bounds $-5.12 \leq x_i \leq 5.12$ and $i \in (1, \dots, n)$.

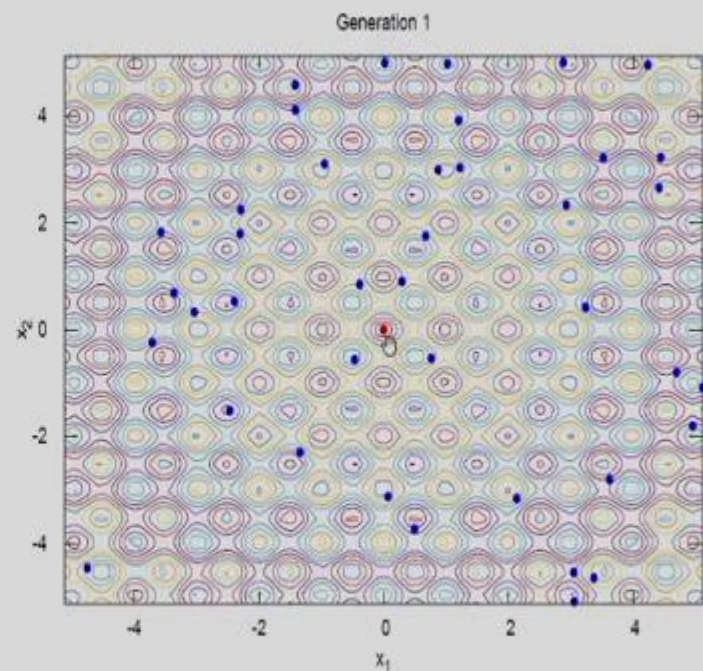


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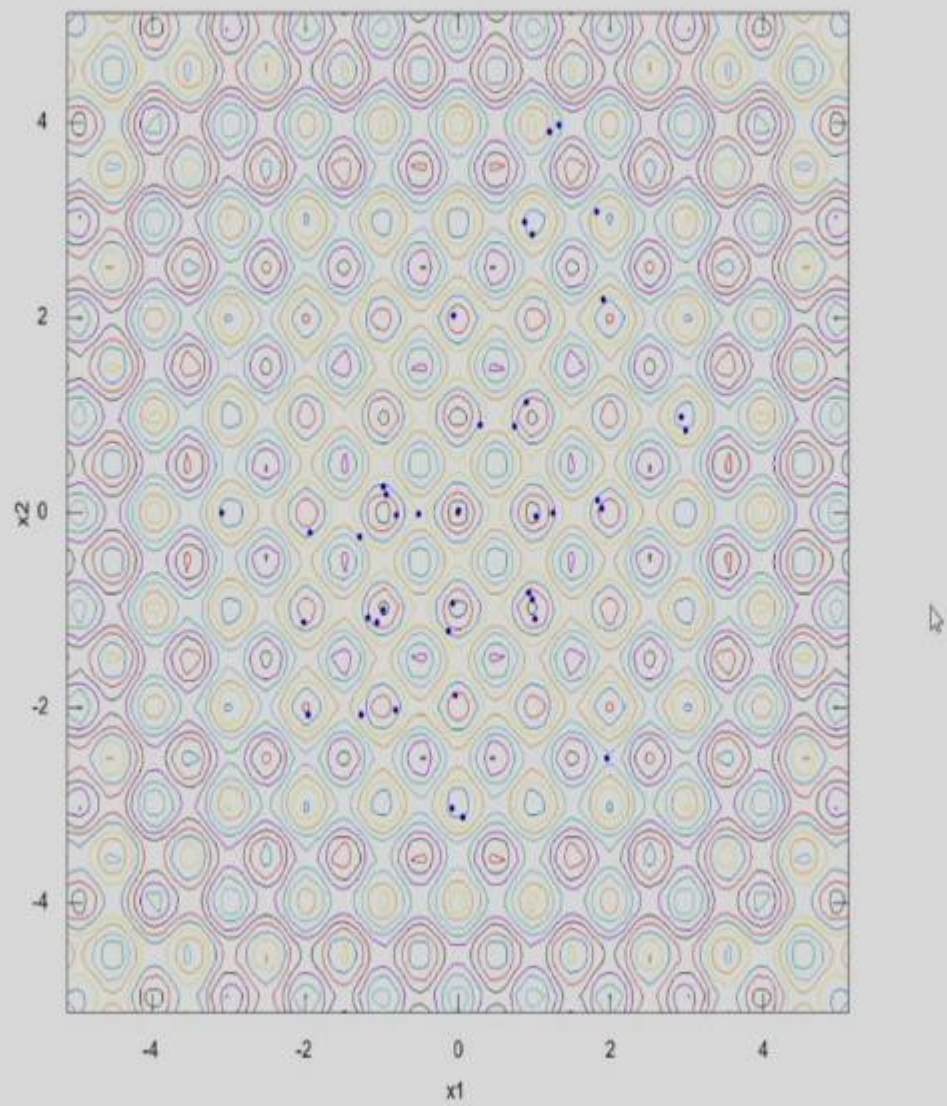
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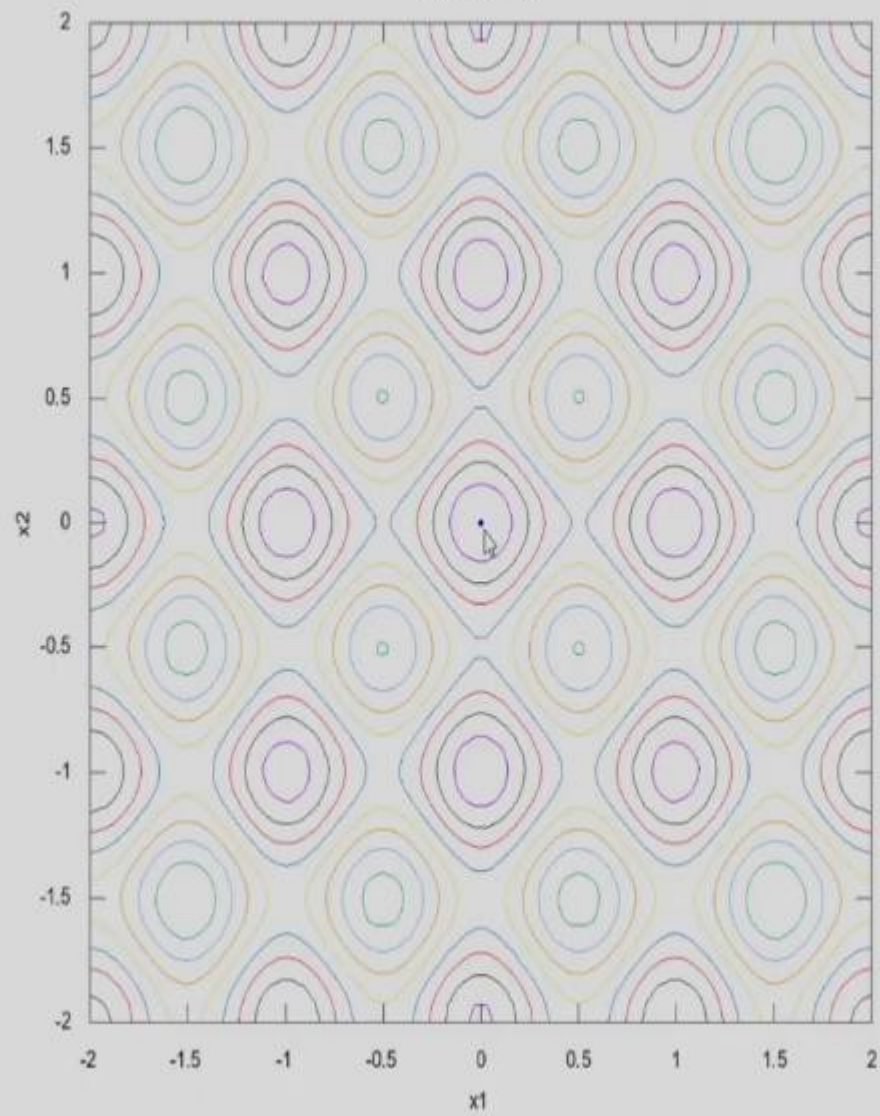


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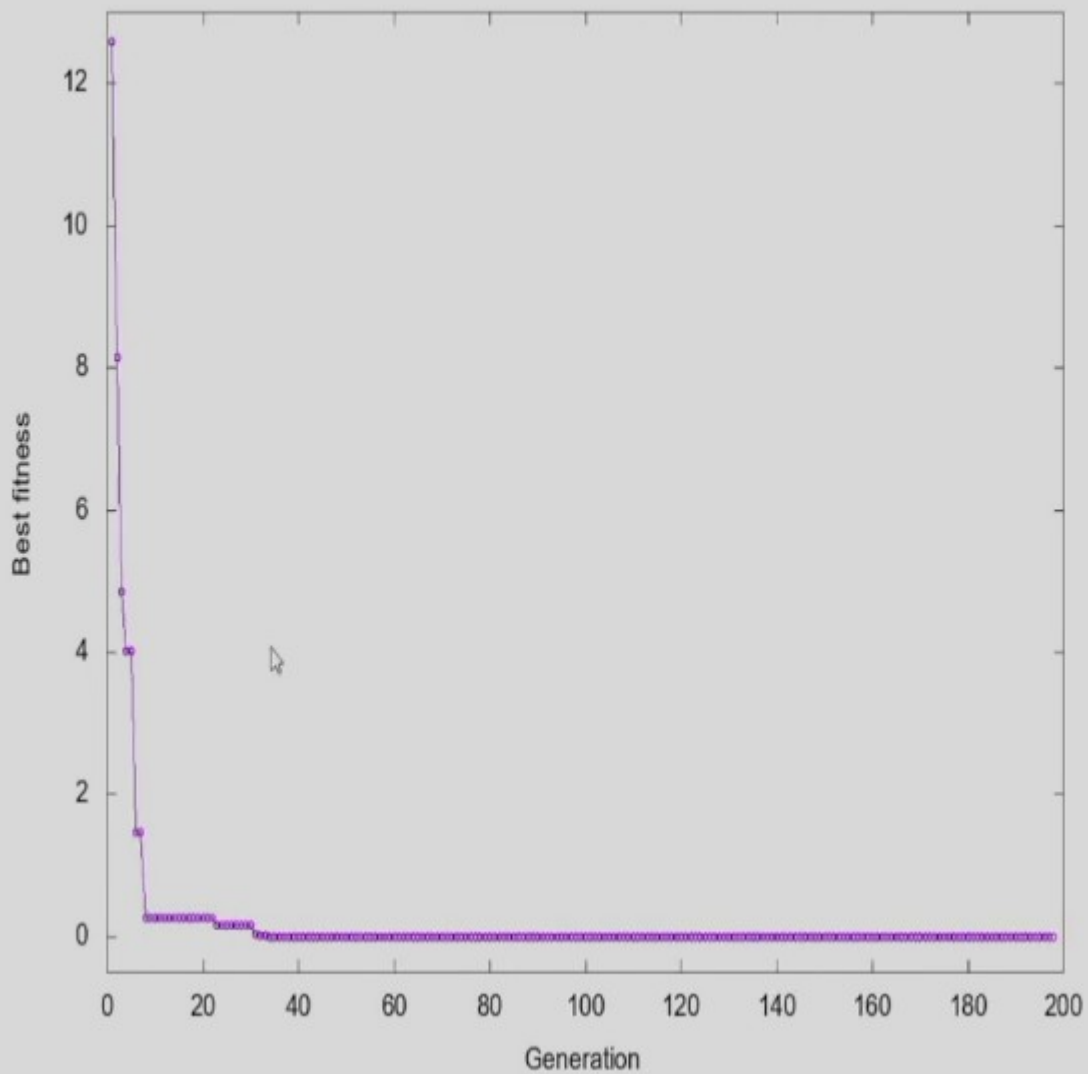
Generation 8



Generation 75



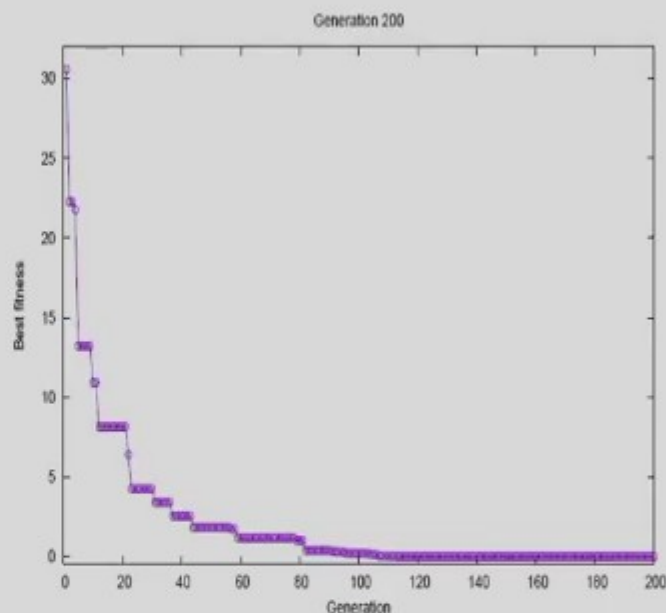
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Rastrigin Function

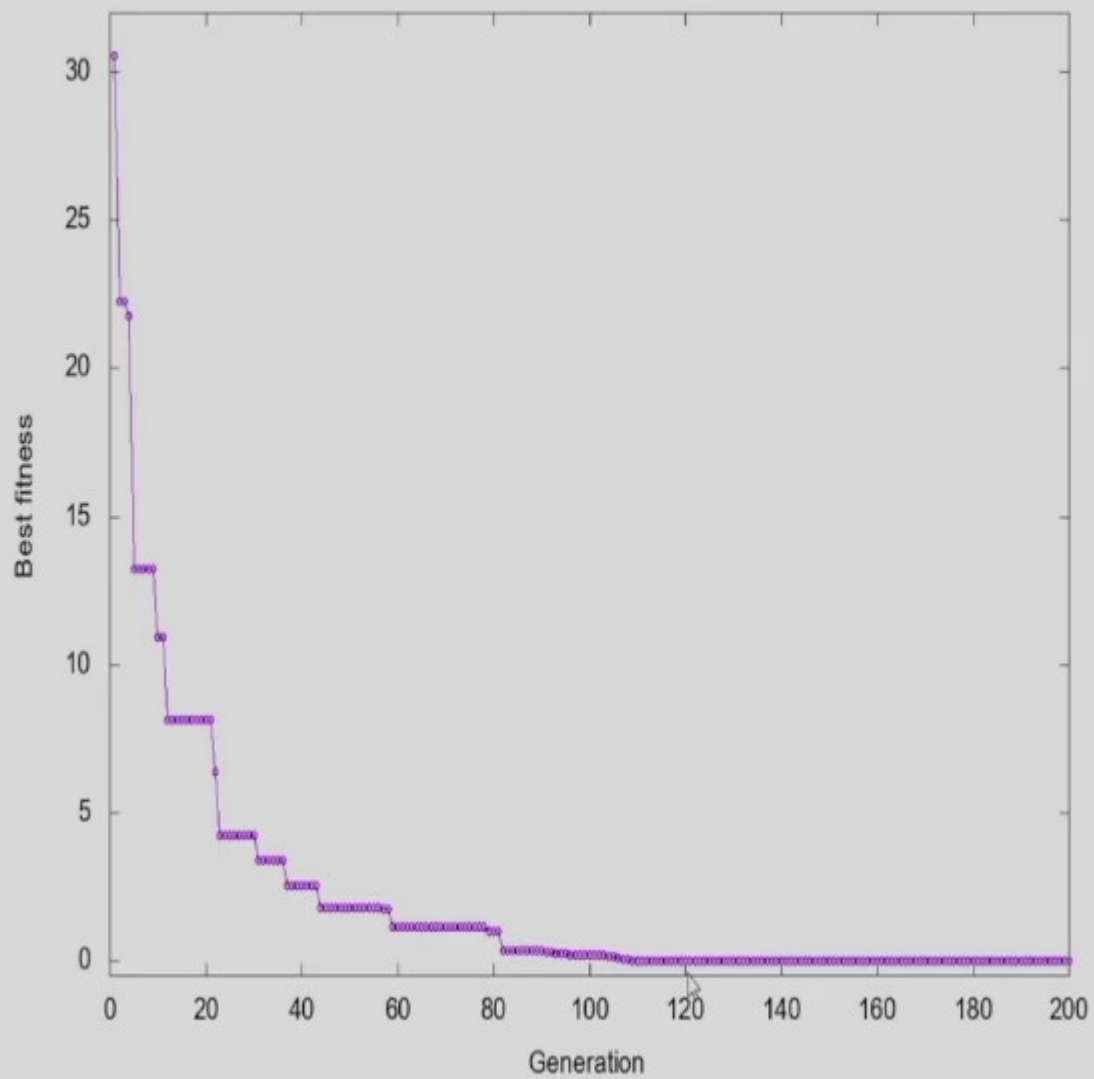
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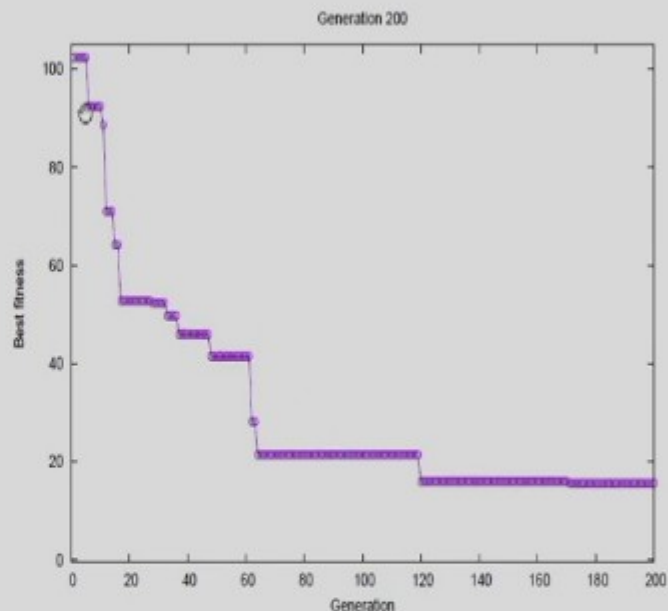
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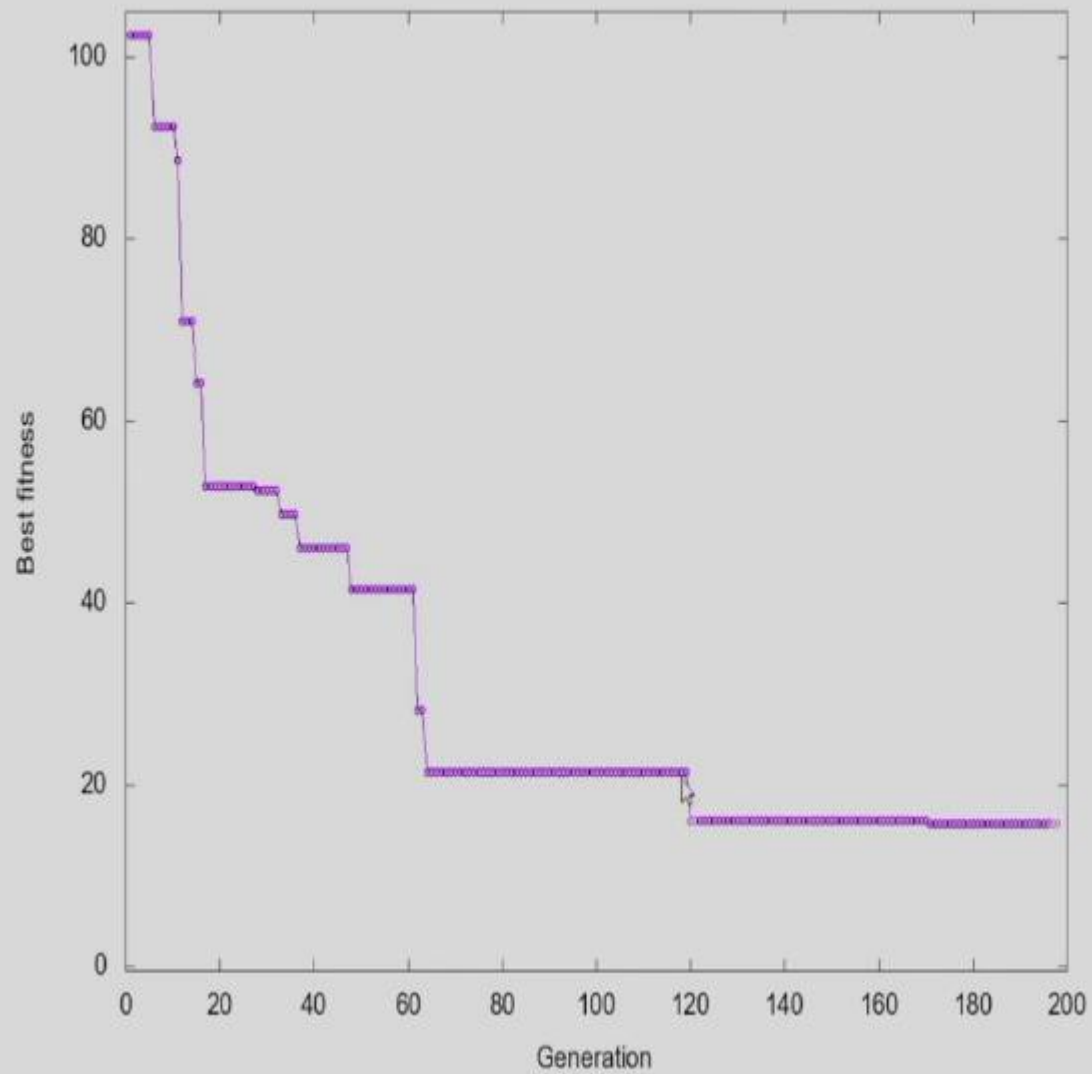
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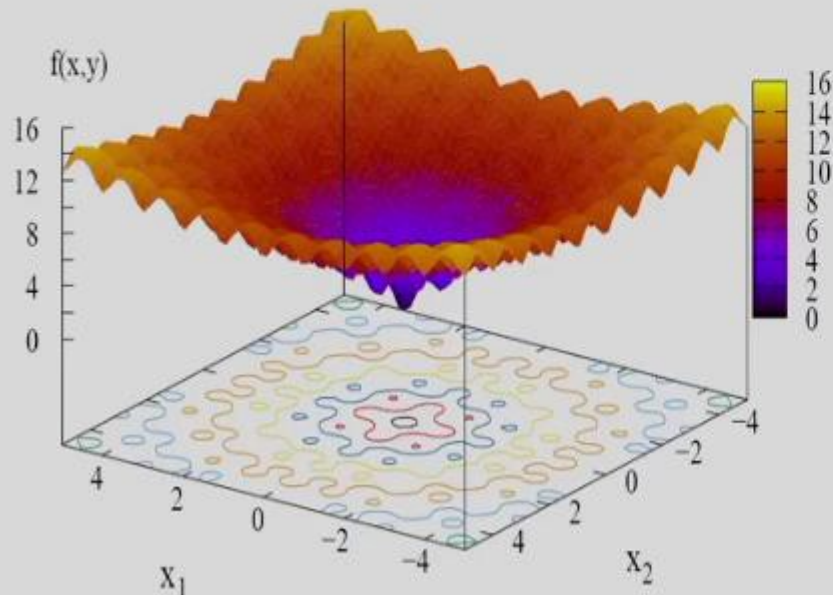
Generation 197



Ackley Function

Ackley Function

Minimize $f(x_1, x_2) = -20 \exp \left(-0.2 \sqrt{0.5(x_1^2 + x_2^2)} \right) - \exp(0.5(\cos(2\pi x_1) + \cos(2\pi x_2))) + \exp(1) + 20, \circ$
bounds $-5 \leq x_1 \leq 5$ and $-5 \leq x_2 \leq 5$.

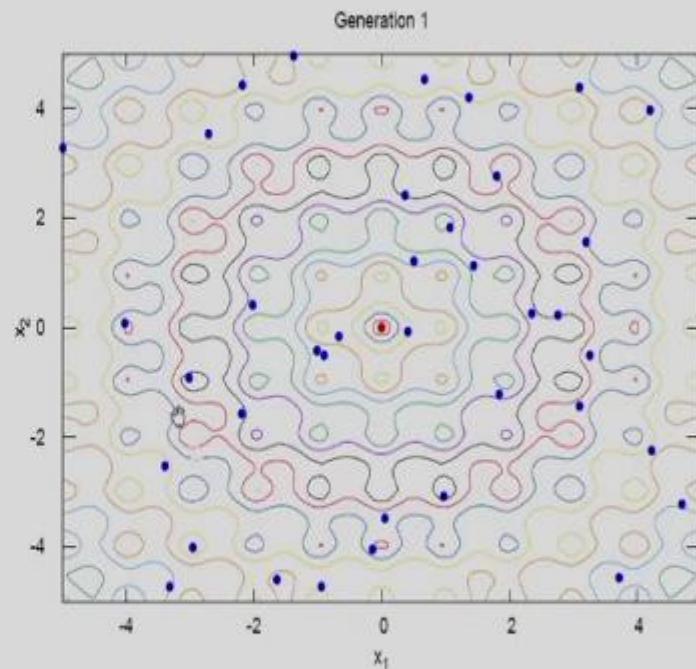


- Optimal solution is $x^* = (0, 0)^T$ and $f(x) = 0$

Ackley Function

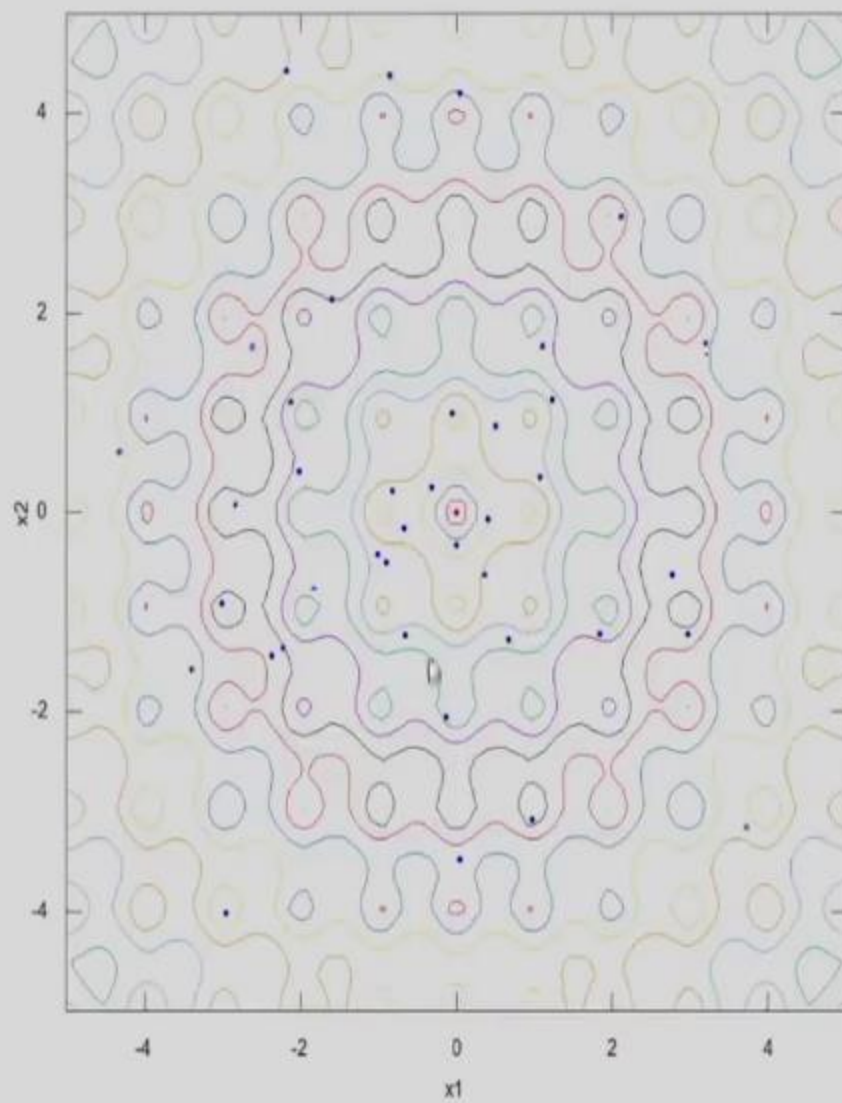
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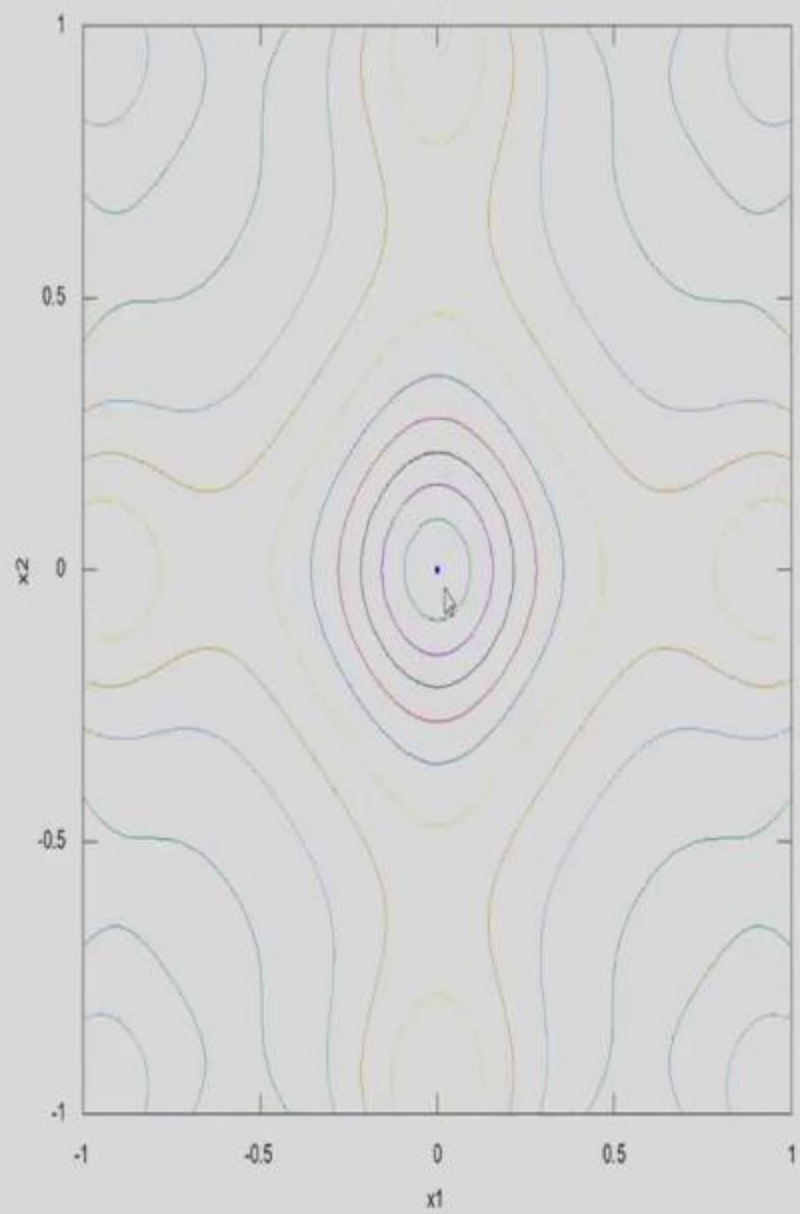


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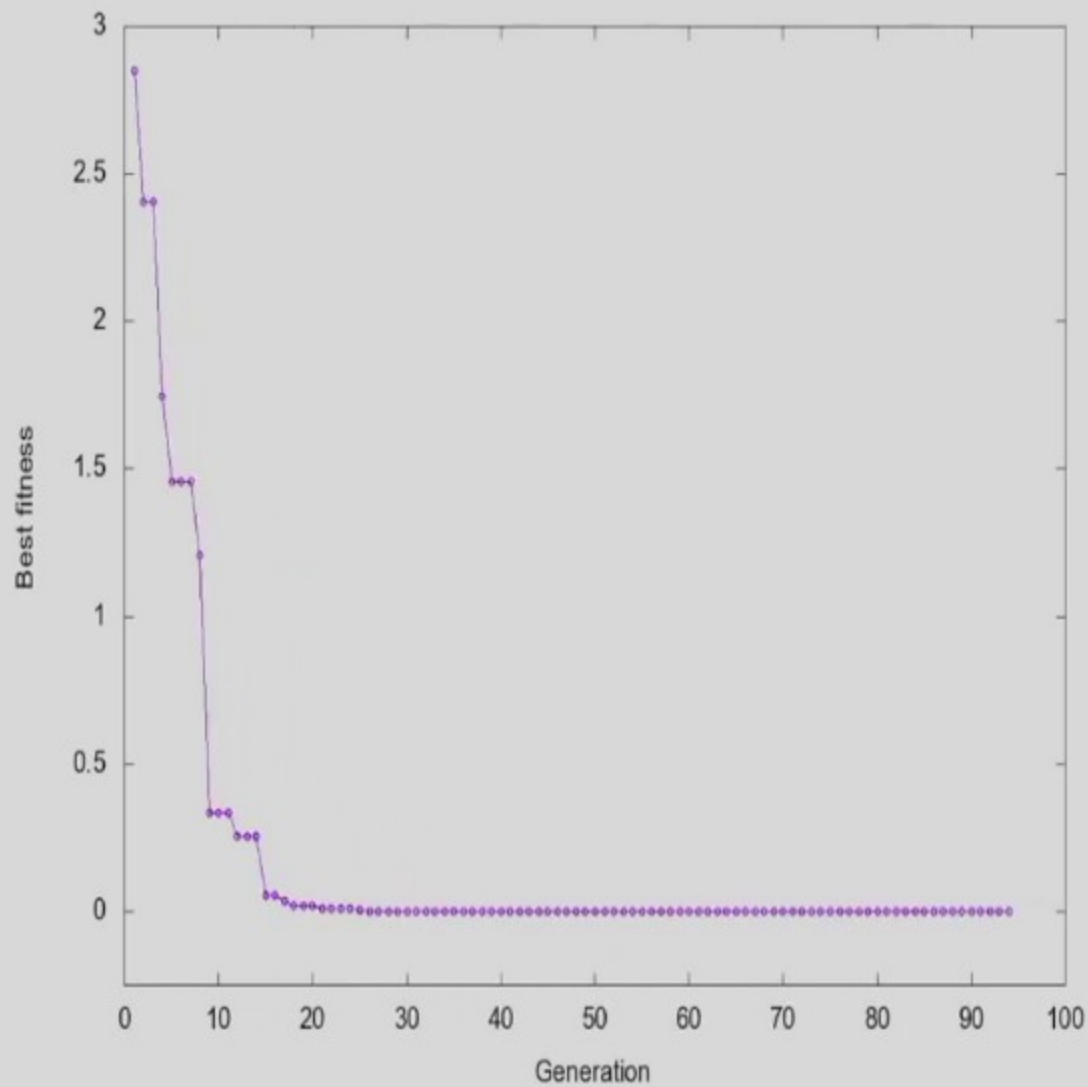
Generation 1



Generation 50



Generation 93



Generalized Framework of EC Techniques

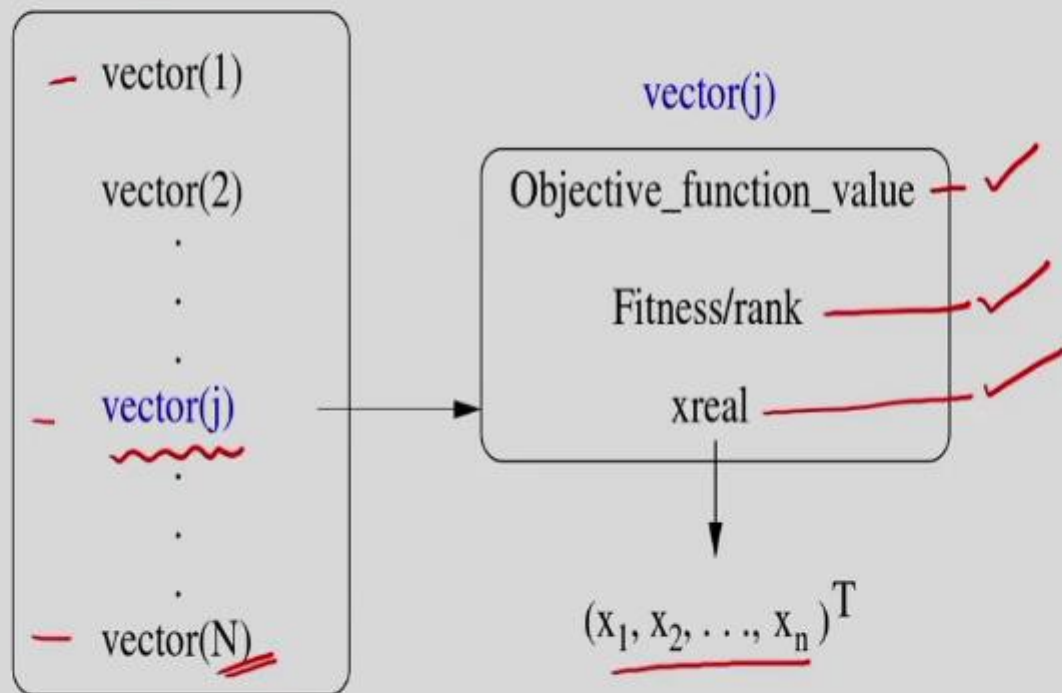
Algorithm 1 Generalized Framework for DE

1. ✓ Solution representation % Genetics
2. ✓ **Input:** $t := 1$ (Generation counter), Maximum allowed generation = T
3. ✓ Initialize random population ($P(t)$); % Population
4. ✓ Evaluate ($P(t)$); % Evaluate objective, constraints and assign fitness
5. ✓ **while** $t \leq T$ **do**
6. ✓ \rightarrow **for** ($i = 1; i \leq N; i++$) **do**
7. ✓ Find the mutant vector ($v_i^{(t+1)}$) for target vector (i); \rightarrow % Mutation
8. ✓ Find the trail vector ($u_i^{(t+1)}$) for target vector (i); \rightarrow % Crossover
9. ✓ \rightarrow Evaluate ($u_i^{(t+1)}$);
10. ✓ $x_i^{(t+1)} := \text{Survivor}(x_i^{(t)}, u_i^{(t+1)})$; % Selection
11. ✓ \rightarrow **end for**
12. ✓ \rightarrow $t := t + 1$;
13. **end while**

Data Structure for DE

- Data Structure for population

Population ✓



- `datatype Population target_vectors, mutant_vectors, trial_vectors;`

▶ `target_vectors(j).objective_function_value;`

Input to DE

Algorithm 2 Input

- ✓ 1. Population size: N
- ✓ 2. Number of generations: T
- ✓ 3. Number of real variables: n

✓ 4. **for** ($j = 1; j \leq \underline{n}; j++$) **do**

%For each variable

5. Lower and upper bounds on x_j that are $x_j^{(L)}$ and $x_j^{(U)}$

6. **end for**

✓ 7. Other parameters: F , p_c

✓ 8. Variant of DE

Initialize random population

Algorithm 3 Initialize random population

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1: ✓ Input:  $N$ : population size,  $n$ : number of variables
2: ✓ for ( $i = 1; i \leq N; i++$ ) do                                     %For each vector in the population
3: ✓   for ( $j = 1; j \leq n; j++$ ) do                                   %For each variable of a vector
4:        $x_j$  = Generate real number randomly between  $x_j^{(L)}$  and  $x_j^{(U)}$ 
5:   end for
6: end for
```

Evaluate Particle

Algorithm 4 Evaluate Population

1. **Input:** $\text{vector}(j)$
 2. Evaluate $f(x^{(j)})$
%Extract $x^{(j)} = (x_1, \dots, x_n)^T$ from the data structure of a $\text{vector}(j)$
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- Assign fitness same as the function value
 - $\text{target_vectors}(j).\text{objective_function_value} = f(x_1, \dots, x_n);$
 - $\text{target_vectors}(j).\text{fitness} = \text{target_vectors}(j).\text{objective_function_value};$

Mutant Vector for each target vector^(j)

Algorithm 5 Mutant Vector for each target vector^(j)

- 1: **Input:** Three random vectors (r_1, r_2, r_3) from the population such that $(r_1 \neq r_2 \neq r_3 \neq j)$
- 2: Generate mutant vector (v_j) for the target vector (x_j) using

$$v_j = x_{r_1} + F \times (x_{r_2} - x_{r_3})$$

✓ %Vector operations

Trial Vector

Algorithm 6 Trial Vector(j)

1: **Input:** target vector (x_j), mutant vector (v_j), n : number of variables

2: **for** ($i = 1; i \leq n; i++$) **do**

%For each variable (i)

3: **if** ($\text{if}(\text{rand_no} \leq p_c)$ or $i = \text{rnbr}(j)$) **then**

4: $\rightarrow u_{ji} = v_{ji}$

5: **end if**

6: \rightarrow **if** ($\text{if}(\text{rand_no} > p_c)$ and $i \neq \text{rnbr}(j)$) **then**

7: $u_{ji} = x_{ji}$

8: **end if**

9: **end for**

u_{ji} \leftarrow j -th vector
 j_i \leftarrow i -th variable

Greedy Selection of DE

Algorithm 7 Trial Vector(j)

- 1: **Input:** target vector (x_j), trial vector (u_j)
- 2: **if** ($f(u_j) < f(x_j)$) **then**
- 3: $x_j = u_j$ ←
- 4: **end if**

%Comparison of fitness

%Adding trial vector

Copy Vector

Algorithm 8 Copy Vectors

- ✓ 1. **Input:** vector 1, vector 2
 - ✓ 2. Copy objective function value of vector 1 to vector 2
 - ✓ 3. Copy fitness/rank of vector 1 to vector 2
 - ✓ 4. Copy x_j of vector 1 to x_j of vector 2
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- Copy the complete data structure

Closure

- Simulations

- ▶ Rosenbrock function with $n = 2, 4, 10$ variables
- ▶ Rastrigin function with $n = 2, 4, 10$ variables
- ▶ Himmelblau multi-modal function
- ▶ Ackley function

- Algorithmic Implementation of DE

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- ▶ ~~copy particle~~ *vector*