

MultiObjective Meta Heuristics

Topic: Handling non-dominated points

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Planning:

- September 27: Lecture (2h)
- September 27: Exercices (2h, individual work)

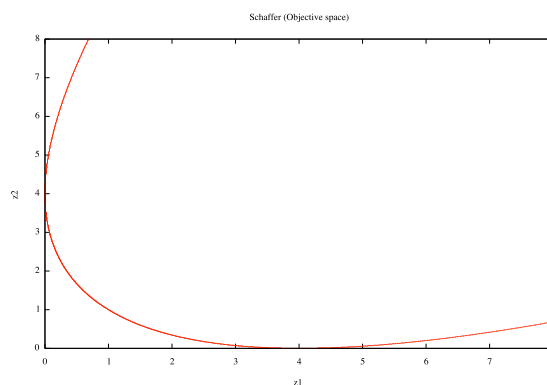
Context

A piece of software aiming to bootstrap your work is provided. It is written in language C, and available on Madoc.

1. it computes the outcome set $Y = z(X)$ for the Schaffer problem:

$$\begin{aligned} \min z^1(x) &= x^2 \\ \min z^2(x) &= (x-2)^2 \\ \text{subject to} & \quad -10 \leq x \leq 10 \\ & \quad x \in \mathbb{R} \end{aligned}$$

2. it plots the outcome set with gnuplot:



Develop the software components issued from the exercices 1–3 for $z \in \mathbb{R}$ or $z \in \mathbb{N}$ or again mixed, and implement them in Julia (or C) language. They will be reused later as a routine of MOMH.

Exercise 1: filtering procedure which extract Y_N from Y

For the Schaffer's NLP problem¹ ($p \in \{2\}$), write a piece of code:

- for computing the outcome set for some values of $x \in [-10, 10]$
- for computing the non-dominated points Y_N

Exercise 2: procedure splitting Y_N into Y_{SN} and Y_{NN}

For the Kim's NLP problem² ($p \in \{2\}$):

A problem with 2 objectives and 2 variables with bound constraints

$$\left[\begin{array}{ll} \min & f_1(x) = \begin{array}{l} -(3(1-x_1)^2 \exp(-x_1^2 - (x_2+1)^2) \\ -10(x_1/5.0 - x_1^3 - x_2^5) \exp(-x_1^2 - x_2^2) \\ -3 \exp(-(x_1+2)^2 - x_2^2) + 0.5(2x_1+x_2)) \end{array} \\ \min & f_2(x) = \begin{array}{l} -(3(1+x_2)^2 \exp(-x_2^2 - (1-x_1)^2) \\ -10(-x_2/5.0 + x_2^3 + x_1^5) \exp(-x_1^2 - x_2^2) \\ -3 \exp(-(2-x_2)^2 - x_1^2)) \end{array} \end{array} \right],$$

with $-3 \leq \{x_1, x_2\} \leq 3$.

write a piece of code:

- for computing the outcome set for some random values (x_1, x_2)
- for computing the non-dominated points Y_N
- for splitting Y_N in supported and non-supported points (resp. Y_{SN} and Y_{NN})

Note: The Jarvis algorithm is designed to compute the convex envelop of a set of discrete points of \mathbb{R}^2 . It can be used for the identification of Y_{SN} and Y_{NN} .

¹David Schaffer. Multiple Objective Optimization with Vector Evaluated Genetic Algorithms. In *Proceedings of the 1st International Conference on Genetic Algorithms*, L. Erlbaum Associates Inc. pp. 93–100, 1985. <http://dl.acm.org/citation.cfm?id=645511.657079>,

²I.Y. Kim and O.L. de Weck. Adaptive weighted-sum method for bi-objective optimization: Pareto front generation. *Structural and Multidisciplinary Optimization*. Vol. 29, Num. 2, pp. 149–158, 2005. <https://link.springer.com/article/10.1007/s00158-004-0465-1>

Additional Exercise 1:

filtering procedure which extract Y_N from Y

For the Przybylski's instance of linear assignment problem^{3 4} with $p \in \{2, 3\}$:

$$C^1 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 & 4 & 7 \\ 3 & 3 & 5 & 7 \\ 3 & 8 & 4 & 2 \\ 6 & 5 & 2 & 5 \end{pmatrix}, \quad C^2 = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 3 & 6 & 2 \\ 5 & 3 & 7 & 3 \\ 5 & 2 & 7 & 4 \\ 4 & 6 & 3 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad C^3 = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 2 & 5 & 3 \\ 5 & 3 & 4 & 3 \\ 4 & 3 & 5 & 2 \\ 6 & 4 & 7 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

write a piece of code:

- for computing the outcome set for some values
- for computing the non-dominated points Y_N

Additional Exercise 2

For the Mavrotas's MILP problem⁵ with $p \in \{2, 3\}$:

$$\begin{aligned} & \max \{ 17x_1 - 12x_2 - 12x_3 - 19x_4 - 6x_5 - 73\delta_1 \\ & \qquad \qquad \qquad - 99\delta_2 - 81\delta_3 \}, \\ & \max \{ 2x_1 - 6x_2 - 12x_4 + 13x_5 - 61\delta_1 - 79\delta_2 \\ & \qquad \qquad \qquad - 53\delta_3 \}, \\ & \max \{ -20x_1 + 7x_2 - 16x_3 - x_5 - 72\delta_1 \\ & \qquad \qquad \qquad - 54\delta_2 - 79\delta_3 \} \\ & \text{subject to:} \\ & \delta_1 + \delta_2 + \delta_3 \leq 1, \\ & -x_2 + 6x_5 + 25\delta_1 \leq 52, \\ & -x_1 + 18x_4 + 18x_5 + 8\delta_2 \leq 77, \\ & 7x_4 + 9x_5 + 19\delta_3 \leq 66, \\ & 16x_1 + 20x_5 \leq 79, \\ & 13x_2 + 7x_4 \leq 86, \\ & x_j \geq 0 \text{ and } \delta_j = 0 \text{ or } 1. \end{aligned}$$

write a piece of code:

- for computing the outcome set for some values
- for computing the non-dominated points Y_N

³Anthony Przybylski, Xavier Gandibleux, Matthias Ehrgott. Two phase algorithms for the bi-objective assignment problem. *European Journal of Operational Research*, Vol. 185, Iss. 2, pp. 509–533, 2008. <http://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S0377221707000781>

⁴Anthony Przybylski, Xavier Gandibleux, Matthias Ehrgott. A two phase method for multi-objective integer programming and its application to the assignment problem with three objectives. *Discrete Optimization*, Vol. 7, Iss. 3, pp. 149–165, 2010. <http://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S1572528610000125>

⁵G. Mavrotas, D. Diakoulaki. A branch and bound algorithm for mixed zero-one multiple objective linear programming. *European Journal of Operational Research*, 107, pp. 530–541, 1998. <http://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S0377221797000775>