

Most real-world problems are nonlinear

∴ Nonlinear programming forms an important part of mathematical optimization methods

An optimization problem in which objective function Z or some/all constraints are non-linear (which means power is higher than 1) is called NLPP.

3 types

- ① No constraints
- ② Equality constraints
- ③ Inequality constraints

No constraints, we already saw some examples

Newton's method

Equality constraints

General methods available to solve. Few of the important are

- 1) Direct substitution method
- 2) Constrained variation method
- 3) Lagrange multipliers method



Direct substitution method

→ least complex method

Method is restricted to models that contain only equality constraints

Method involves solving the constraint equation for one variable in term of another

This new expression is then substituted into the objective function, effectively eliminating the constraint

A constrained optimization is converted / transformed into an unconstrained model.

Problem has n variables & m equality constraints

($m \leq n$)

Since $m = n$ n variables can be simultaneously solved; it is theoretically possible to reduce n variables to $(n-m)$ variables by suitable substitution

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These expressions with $(n-m)$ variables can be substituted into original objective function to make it an unconstrained optimization problem

Algorithm

Ensure the problem is of multivariable optimization with equality constraints such as x_i in $f(x)$ s.t. $g_j(x_i) = 0; j = 1, 2, \dots, m$ and $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$.

- ② Express $=$ ns in $(n-m)$ variables by suitable substitution of one equation in the other.
- ③ Substitute these expressions in $f(x)$ to make it unconstrained.
- ④ Solve it.

Ex Min. $f(x_1, x_2) = x_1^2 + (x_2 - 1)^2$
 s.t. $-2x_1^2 + x_2 = 4$

Soln. $x_2 = 4 + 2x_1^2$

$$\begin{aligned} f(x_1, x_2) &= x_1^2 + (2x_1^2 + 3)^2 \\ &= x_1^2 + 4x_1^4 + 12x_1^2 + 9 \\ &= 4x_1^4 + 13x_1^2 + 9 \end{aligned}$$

convert to
single variable
unconstrained
optimization



apply necessary condition

$$\frac{df}{dx} = 16x^3 + 26x,$$

f to be max/min. $f' = 0$

$$x_1(16x_1^2 + 26) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \overset{*}{x}_1 = 0$$

$$\text{then } \overset{*}{x}_2 = 4$$

Apply sufficient condition

$$\frac{d^2f}{dx^2} = 48x_1^2 + 26$$

at $\overset{*}{x}_1 = 0$ $f'' \rightarrow +\infty$

Hence f is relative minimal at $\overset{*}{x}_1 = 0$.

$$f(\overset{*}{x}_1 = 0, x_2 = 4) = g$$

* Minimize $f(x) = \frac{1}{2}(x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2)$

$$\text{s.t. } g_1(x) = x_1 - x_2 = 0 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$g_2(x) = x_1 + x_2 + x_3 - 1 = 0 \quad \textcircled{2}$$

$$x_1 = x_2 \text{ from } \textcircled{1}$$

$$g_2(x) = x_1 + x_1 + x_3 - 1 = 0 \\ \Rightarrow +2x_1 + x_3 - 1 = 0$$

$$x_3 = 1 - 2x_1$$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2} [2x_1^2 + (1-2x_1)^2]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} [2x_1^2 + 1 + 4x_1^2 - 4x_1]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} [6x_1^2 - 4x_1 + 1]$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} = \frac{1}{2} (12x_1 - 4) = 0$$

$$x_1 = \frac{2}{6} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$x_3 = 1 - \frac{2}{3} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$x_1 = x_2 = x_3 = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} = 6 \text{ is positive definite}$$

$\therefore f_{\min}$ at $x_1 = x_2 (= x_3 = \frac{1}{3})$

$$f_{\min} = \frac{1}{2} \left[\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^2 \right] = \frac{1}{6}$$

Merit

Simple and straight forward method

Limitations

- higher order - not easy to solve the constraints

- Convenient to solve simple problem but

- fails for complex problem.

→ Method fail for $f(x)$ which is not continuous.

Constrained Variation Method

One find closed-form expression for first order differentiated at all point at which constraints $g_j(x) = 0; j = 1, 2, \dots, m$ are satisfied

Then one find the desired optimum point by setting the differentiated of f equal to zero.

$$\min f(x_1, x_2)$$

$$\text{s.t. } g(x_1, x_2) = 0.$$

$$f(x_1, x_2) \rightarrow \min \text{ at } (x_1^*, x_2^*)$$

Necessary condition is $f'(x_1^*, x_2^*) = 0$.

Now so

$$df = \frac{\partial F}{\partial x_1} dx_1 + \frac{\partial F}{\partial x_2} dx_2 = 0$$

Since $g(x_1^*, x_2^*) = 0$ at minimum point,

any variation dx_1 and dx_2 about the point (x_1^*, x_2^*) are called admissible variation

provided that new point lies on the constraint

$$\text{i.e. } g(\vec{x}_1 + dx_1, \vec{x}_2 + dx_2) = 0$$

Taylor's series expansion at (\vec{x}_1, \vec{x}_2) give

$$g(\vec{x}_1 + dx_1, \vec{x}_2 + dx_2) = g(\vec{x}_1, \vec{x}_2) + \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_1}(\vec{x}_1, \vec{x}_2) dx_1 + \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_2}(\vec{x}_1, \vec{x}_2) dx_2 = 0$$

where $dx_1 + dx_2$ are small

$$\text{Since } g(\vec{x}_1, \vec{x}_2) = 0.$$

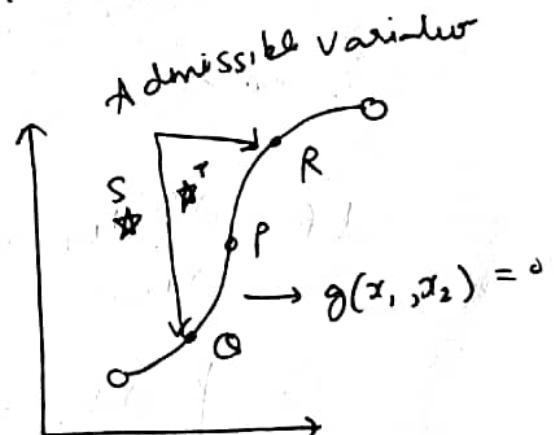
we get

$$dg = \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_1} dx_1 + \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_2} dx_2 = 0 \quad \text{at } (\vec{x}_1, \vec{x}_2)$$

has to be satisfied by all admissible variations

set of variations (dx_1, dx_2)

that satisfy the constraint
curve is called
admissible variation



* * are not
S T admissible
variation

Necessary condition for constrained variation
is satisfied by admissible variation is

$$dg = \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_1} dx_1 + \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_2} dx_2 = 0 \text{ at } (\bar{x}_1, \bar{x}_2)$$

It is rewritten as

$$\frac{\partial g}{\partial x_1} dx_1 = -\frac{\partial g}{\partial x_2} dx_2$$

$$dx_2 = -\frac{\partial g / \partial x_1}{\partial g / \partial x_2} dx_1 \text{ at } (\bar{x}_1, \bar{x}_2)$$

assumption $\partial g / \partial x_2 \neq 0$.

Now ~~check~~ the necessary condition:

$$df = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} dx_1 + \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2} dx_2 = 0$$

becomes

$$df = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} dx_1 - \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2} \left[\frac{\partial g / \partial x_1}{\partial g / \partial x_2} \right] dx_1 = 0 \text{ at } (\bar{x}_1, \bar{x}_2)$$

$$\left[\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} - \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2} \left(\frac{\partial g / \partial x_1}{\partial g / \partial x_2} \right) \right] = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} \cdot \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_2} - \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2} \cdot \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_1} = 0$$



$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} \cdot \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_2} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2} \cdot \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_1}$$

Thus in order to have (\hat{x}_1, \hat{x}_2) as extreme point
(maxima or minima)
necessary condition "

$$\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} \cdot \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_2} - \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2} \cdot \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_1} \right) \Big|_{(\hat{x}_1, \hat{x}_2)} = 0$$

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The above necessary condition can be applied if
Jacobian is not equal to zero

$$\text{i.e. } J = \begin{vmatrix} f, g_1, g_2, \dots, g_m \\ x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2} & \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_3} & \dots & \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_m} \\ \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial x_2} & \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial x_3} & \dots & \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial x_m} \\ \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial x_2} & \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial x_3} & \dots & \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial x_m} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial g_m}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial g_m}{\partial x_2} & \frac{\partial g_m}{\partial x_3} & \dots & \frac{\partial g_m}{\partial x_m} \end{vmatrix} \neq 0$$

Procedure

① Problem has to be multivariable constained eq.
optimization.

② $f(x_1, x_2)$ with $g(x_1, x_2) = 0$

③ Find partial derivatives

$$\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1}\right), \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2}\right); \left(\frac{\partial g}{\partial x_1}\right) \text{ and } \left(\frac{\partial g}{\partial x_2}\right)$$

$\text{also } \left(\frac{\partial g}{\partial x_2}\right) \neq 0$

i) Apply necessary condition

$$\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1}\right) \cdot \left(\frac{\partial g}{\partial x_2}\right)$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1}\right) \cdot \left(\frac{\partial g}{\partial x_2}\right) - \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2}\right) \cdot \left(\frac{\partial g}{\partial x_1}\right) = 0$$

to get relation b/w $x_1 + x_2$

ii) Find value of $x_1^* + x_2^*$ using ③ condition $+ g(x_1, x_2) = 0$

If problem has more than 2 variables then

find Jacobian J.

If $J=0$, one cannot go to necessary condition ③

To find Jacobian, choose $(n-m)$ independent
variables & with remaining variables, find

determination of first partial derivatives

if Jacobian $\neq 0$, one apply

necessary condition.

Use $\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_k} \right)$, $\left(\frac{\partial g_i}{\partial x_k} \right)$ ($i=1, 2, \dots, m$) as the first column where $k=m+1, m+2, \dots, n$ to find various possible relations.

- ⑦ Solve relations and $g_j(x); j=1, 2, \dots, m \geq 0$ to find values of x_i^* , $i=1, 2, \dots, n$.
- ⑧ Substitute x_i^* in f to find the extreme value

Exact ^{Max} $f(x) = \frac{1}{2} (x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 + x_4^2)$

$$g_1(x) = x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 + 5x_4 - 10 = 0$$

$$g_2(x) = x_1 + 2x_2 + 5x_3 + 6x_4 - 15 = 0$$

Problem has 4 variable with 2 constraint

$$n=4, m=2$$

Must select 2 variables as independent
to apply necessary condition
i.e. Jacobian is not zero

Let say x_3, x_4 as independent, then Jacobian becomes

$$J = \begin{vmatrix} g_1, g_2 \\ x_1, x_2 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial x_2} \\ \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial x_2} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

Since $J=0$, necessary condition can't be applied

Next x_2, x_4 as independent then Jacobian becomes

$$J = \begin{vmatrix} g_1, g_2 \\ x_1, x_3 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial x_3} \\ \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial x_3} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 5 \end{vmatrix} = 2 \neq 0$$

apply necessary conditions $k = m+1$ i.e. x_2

$$\begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2} & \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_3} \\ \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial x_2} & \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial x_3} \\ \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial x_2} & \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial x_3} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} x_2 & x_1 & x_3 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & 5 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

and for x_4

$$\begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_4} & \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_3} \\ \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial x_4} & \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial x_3} \\ \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial x_4} & \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial x_3} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} x_4 & x_1 & x_3 \\ 5 & 1 & 3 \\ 6 & 1 & 5 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \quad -\textcircled{2}$$

from ① $\cancel{x_2} \quad x_2(5-3) + x_1(10-8) + x_3(2-2) = 0$
 $2x_2 - 4x_1 = 0$
 $x_2 = 2x_1$

② $x_4(5-3) \cancel{-} x_1(25-18) + x_3(5-6) = 0$
 $2x_4 - 7x_1 - x_3 = 0$

And when $g_1(x) = 0$

$$g_1(x) = 0$$

one can know solve for x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4

$$x_3 = 2x_4 - 7x_1 \text{, and } x_2 = 2x_1 \text{ in } S_1, S_2$$

$$x_1 + 4x_1 + 6x_4 - 21x_1 + 5x_4 - 10 = 0$$

$$-16x_1 + 11x_4 = 0 \quad -\textcircled{a}$$

$$\text{also } x_1 + 4x_1 + 10x_4 - 35x_1 + 6x_4 = 15$$

$$-30x_1 + 16x_4 = 15 \quad -\textcircled{b}$$

On get soln $\textcircled{a} + \textcircled{b}$

$$x_1^* = -5/74, \quad x_4^* = 30/37$$

$$\text{Then we find } x_2^* = -5/37, \quad x_3^* = 155/74$$

The optimum soln

$$x_1^* = -\frac{5}{74}, \quad x_2^* = -\frac{5}{37}; \quad x_3^* = \frac{155}{74}, \quad \overline{x_4} = \frac{30}{37}$$



problem with two variables & one equality constraint

minimize $f(x_1, x_2)$

s.t. $g(x_1, x_2) = 0$

For this problem, we know that necessary condition
for the existence of the extreme point (max/min)
at $x = \vec{x}^*$

$$\left[\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} - \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} \left(\frac{\partial g}{\partial x_1} \right) \right]_{(\vec{x}_1^*, \vec{x}_2^*)} = 0$$

$$\text{or } \left[\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2} - \frac{(\partial f / \partial x_2)}{(\partial g / \partial x_2)} \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_2} \right]_{(\vec{x}_1^*, \vec{x}_2^*)} = 0$$

$\lambda \rightarrow$ Lagrange multiplier

$$\lambda = - \left(\frac{\partial f / \partial x_2}{\partial g / \partial x_2} \right) \Big|_{(\vec{x}_1^*, \vec{x}_2^*)}$$

so

$$\left[\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} + \lambda \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_1} \right]_{(\vec{x}_1^*, \vec{x}_2^*)} = 0$$

$$\left[\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2} + \lambda \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_2} \right]_{(\vec{x}_1^*, \vec{x}_2^*)} = 0$$

$$g(x_1, x_2) \Big|_{(\vec{x}_1^*, \vec{x}_2^*)} = 0$$

Above

Necessary condition for Lagrange multipliers method

$$L(x_1, x_2, \lambda) = f(x_1, x_2) + \lambda g(x_1, x_2)$$

L → fn. of 3 variables $x_1, x_2 + \lambda$.

necessary conditions for existence of the extreme point (\vec{x}_1, \vec{x}_2) are given by

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial x_1}(x_1, x_2, \lambda) = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1}(x_1, x_2) + \lambda \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_1}(x_1, x_2) = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial x_2}(x_1, x_2, \lambda) = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2}(x_1, x_2) + \lambda \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_2}(x_1, x_2) = 0$$

$$\text{and } \frac{\partial L}{\partial \lambda}(x_1, x_2, \lambda) = g(x_1, x_2) = 0$$

Lagrange Multiplier method



Another powerful method is Lagrange multiple
let say we want to minimize a function

$$\text{Min } f(x) \quad x = (x_1, \dots, x_n)^T \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

s.t. non linear equality constraint

$$g(x) = 0$$

then we combine the $f(x)$ with equality
form a new function,
called Lagrangian,

$$L(x_1, x_2, \lambda) = f(x_1, x_2) + \lambda g(x_1, x_2)$$

where λ is the Lagrange multiplier

λ is an unknown scalar to be determined

This converts the constrained optimization into

an ~~constrained~~ unconstrained problem

$$L(x) = f(x) + \lambda g(x)$$

M equations

$$g_j(x) = 0 \quad (j=1, \dots, M)$$

then we need M Lagrange multipliers λ_j ($j=1, \dots, M$)

$$L(x, \lambda_j) = f(x) + \sum_{j=1}^M \lambda_j g_j(x)$$

The requirements of stationarity condition leads to

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial x_i} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i} + \sum_{j=1}^M \lambda_j \frac{\partial g_j}{\partial x_i}; \quad (i=1, \dots, n)$$

$$\text{and } \frac{\partial L}{\partial \lambda_j} = g_j = 0 \quad (j=1, \dots, M)$$

Then $M+n = n$ will determine the n component of x
and M Lagrange multipliers



Now get the soln.

$$\hat{x} = (\hat{x}_1, \hat{x}_2, \dots, \hat{x}_n)^T + \lambda^* = (\hat{x}_1^*, \hat{x}_2^*, \dots, \hat{x}_m^*)$$

Note

→ value of $\frac{\partial g}{\partial x_2} \neq 0$ is an essential condition.

If dx_2 is expressed in term of dx_1 , is necessary condition.

If dx_1 is expressed in term of dx_2 then $\frac{\partial g}{\partial x_1} \neq 0$ is

basic requirement. Thus, at least one of the partial derivatives of $g(x_1, x_2)$ must be non-zero for existence of an extremum point on L.

→ Lagrangian function can be taken as $L = f + \lambda g$

$$\text{or } L = f - \lambda g$$

In second case we get values of λ with -ve signs.
while they are +ve in first case.

$$L(x_1, x_2, \lambda) = f(x_1, x_2) + \lambda g(x_1, x_2)$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial x_1}(x_1, x_2, \lambda) = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} + \lambda \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_1} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial x_2}(x_1, x_2, \lambda) = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2} + \lambda \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_2} = 0$$

$$\text{or } \frac{\partial L}{\partial \lambda}(x_1, x_2, \lambda) = g(x_1, x_2) = 0$$

$$\text{Min } f(x) = \frac{1}{2}(x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2)$$

$$g_1(x) = x_1 - x_2 = 0$$

$$g_2(x) = x_1 + x_2 + x_3 - 1 = 0$$

$$L(x_1, x_2, x_3, \lambda_1, \lambda_2) = f(x_1, x_2, x_3) + \lambda_1 g_1(x_1, x_2) + \lambda_2 g_2(x_1, x_2, x_3)$$

$$L(x, \lambda) = \frac{1}{2}(x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2) + \lambda_1(x_1 - x_2) + \lambda_2(x_1 + x_2 + x_3 - 1)$$

Necessary condition for $L(x, \lambda)$ to have extreme point are

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial x_1} = x_1 + \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = 0 \quad - (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial x_2} = x_2 - \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = 0 \quad - (2)$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial x_3} = x_3 + \lambda_2 = 0 \quad - (3)$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \lambda_1} = x_1 - x_2 = 0 \quad - (4)$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \lambda_2} = x_1 + x_2 + x_3 - 1 = 0 \quad - (5)$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \lambda_2} = x_1 + x_2 + x_3 - 1 = 0$$

$$(1) + (2) + (3) \quad (x_1 + x_2 + x_3) + 3\lambda_2 = 0 \quad - (6)$$

$$(5) \rightarrow x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 1 \Rightarrow \lambda_2^* = -\frac{1}{3}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \Rightarrow x_3^* = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\textcircled{4} \Rightarrow x_1 = x_2$$

$$\text{Put } x_1 = x_2 \text{ & } \lambda_2 = -y_3$$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad x_1 + \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 \rightarrow x_1 + \lambda_1 - \frac{1}{3} = 0 \quad - \textcircled{7}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad x_2 - \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 \rightarrow x_1 - \lambda_1 - y_3 = 0 \quad - \textcircled{8}$$

$$\textcircled{7} + \textcircled{8} \quad x_1^* = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\text{So } x_2^* = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$2\lambda_1 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_1^* = 0$$

~~QUESTION~~

$$f(x)_{\min} = \frac{1}{2} \left[\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^2 \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{9} \right] = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{3}{9} = \frac{1}{6}$$

what if we have inequality constraints

one can convert inequality constraints to equality constraints by introducing non-negative slack variables.

$$s_j^2 \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, m$$

Problem now becomes

$$\min f(x)$$

$$g_i(x, s) = g_i(x) + s_j^2 = 0 \quad ; \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, m$$

where $s_j = \begin{bmatrix} s_1 \\ s_2 \\ \vdots \\ s_m \end{bmatrix}$ is vector of slack variables

Now solve it using Lagrangian multiplier method

$$L(x, s, \lambda) = f(x) + \sum_{j=1}^m \lambda_j g_j(x, s)$$

$x = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)^T$ decision variable

$s = (s_1, s_2, \dots, s_m)^T$ slack variables

$\lambda = (\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_m)^T$ Lagrangian multipliers vector

Now write necessary conditions

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial x_i}(x, s, \lambda) = \frac{\partial f(x_i)}{\partial x_i} + \sum_{j=1}^m \lambda_j \frac{\partial g_j(x, s)}{\partial x_i} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial s_j}(x, s, \lambda) = g_j(x, s) \equiv g_j + s_j^2 = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \lambda_j}(x, s, \lambda) = 2 \lambda_j s_j = 0$$

where $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ & $j = 1, 2, \dots, m$

we have $(n + 2m) = n + (m + 2m)$ variables
hence can solve system of $n + 2m$ equations for optimum solution.

vector α



This concept was revised by Kuhn & Tucker

- $g_j = 0$ at optimum point \rightarrow active constraints
 $g_j < 0 \rightarrow$ inactive constraints

Karush-Kuhn-Tucker condition (KKT)

Necessary conditions to be satisfied at relative minimum of $f(x)$ with inequality constraint
 $g_j(x) \leq 0$ expressed as

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i} + \sum_{j=1}^m \lambda_j \frac{\partial g_j}{\partial x_i} = 0 \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n$$

$$+ \lambda_j \geq 0$$

$\lambda_j \rightarrow$ Lagrange multipliers

If set of active constraints is not known,
Kuhn-Tucker conditions can be stated as.

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follows: for case of minimize $f(x)$. subject to

$$g_j(x) \leq 0$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i} + \sum_{j=1}^m \lambda_j \frac{\partial g_j}{\partial x_i} = 0 ; \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^m \lambda_j \frac{\partial g_j}{\partial x_i} = 0 \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n$$

$$\lambda_j g_j = 0 \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, m$$

$$g_j \leq 0 \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, m$$

$$\lambda_j \geq 0 \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, m$$

constraint qualification + the corresponding values of Lagrange multipliers will obey the following relations

- ① λ_j is non-negative ($\lambda_j \geq 0$) for minimization of f with $g_j \leq 0$.
- ② λ_j is non-negative ($\lambda \geq 0$) for maximization of f with $g_j \geq 0$
- ③ λ_j is negative ($\lambda_j \leq 0$) for maximization of f with $g_j \leq 0$
- ④ λ_j is negative ($\lambda_j \leq 0$) for minimization of f with $g_j \geq 0$

$\min f(x)$

$$g_j(x) \leq 0$$

$$g_j(x) \geq 0$$

$$\lambda_j \geq 0$$

$$\lambda_j \leq 0$$

$\max f(x)$

$$\lambda_j \leq 0$$

$$\lambda_j \geq 0$$

Solve the

$$\text{max. } f(x) = \frac{1}{2} (x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2)$$

$$\text{s.t. } x_1 + x_2 \leq 3$$

$$3x_1 - x_3 \leq 6$$

$$x_1 + x_2 + x_3 \leq 6$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i} + \sum_{j=1}^m \lambda_j \frac{\partial g_j}{\partial x_i} = 0 \quad i=1, 2, \dots, n$$

$$\lambda_j g_j = 0 \quad j=1, 2, \dots, m$$

$$g_j \leq 0$$

$$\lambda_j \leq 0$$

$$\text{max. } f(x) = \frac{1}{2} (x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2)$$

$$\text{s.t. } g_1(x_1, x_2, x_3) = x_1 + x_2 \leq 3$$

$$g_2(x_1, x_2, x_3) = 3x_1 - x_3 \leq 6$$

$$g_3(x_1, x_2, x_3) = x_1 + x_2 + x_3 \leq 6$$

Lagrangian fn

$$L(x, \lambda) = f(x) + \lambda_1 g_1 + \lambda_2 g_2 + \lambda_3 g_3$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2) + \lambda_1 (x_1 + x_2 - 3) + \lambda_2 (3x_1 - x_3 - 6)$$

$$+ \lambda_3 (x_1 + x_2 + x_3 - 6)$$

$$\text{where } \lambda_1 \leq 0, \lambda_2 \leq 0, \lambda_3 \leq 0$$

first set of KKT

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial x_i} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i} + \lambda_1 \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial x_i} + \lambda_2 \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial x_i} + \lambda_3 \frac{\partial g_3}{\partial x_i} = 0$$
$$i=1, 2, 3.$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial x_1} = x_1 + \lambda_1 + 3\lambda_2 + \lambda_3 = 0 \quad - \textcircled{1}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial x_2} = x_2 + \lambda_1 + \lambda_3 = 0 \quad - \textcircled{2}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial x_3} = x_3 - \lambda_2 + \lambda_3 = 0 \quad - \textcircled{3}$$

Second set of KKT

$$\lambda_j g_j = 0 \quad j=1, 2, 3$$

$$\lambda_1 (x_1 + x_2 - 3) = 0 \quad - \textcircled{4}$$

$$\lambda_2 (x_1 + x_3 - 6) = 0 \quad - \textcircled{5}$$

$$\lambda_3 (x_1 + x_2 + x_3 - 6) = 0 \quad - \textcircled{6}$$

3rd set of KT as $g_j \leq 0 \quad j=1, 2, \dots, m$

$$g_1 (x_1, x_2, x_3) = x_1 + x_2 - 3 \leq 0 \quad - \textcircled{7}$$

$$g_2 = 3x_1 - x_3 - 6 \leq 0 \quad - \textcircled{8}$$

$$g_3 = x_1 + x_2 + x_3 - 6 \leq 0 \quad - \textcircled{9}$$

fourth set of KKT

$$\lambda_1 \leq 0 \quad - \textcircled{10}$$

$$\lambda_2 \leq 0 \quad - \textcircled{11}$$

$$\lambda_3 \leq 0 \quad - \textcircled{12}$$

①, ②, ③ equations as

$$x_1 = -\lambda_1 - 3\lambda_2 - \lambda_3 \quad - \textcircled{13}$$

$$x_2 = -\lambda_1 - \lambda_3 \quad - \textcircled{14}$$

$$x_3 = \lambda_2 - \lambda_3 \quad - \textcircled{15}$$

by ③, ④, ⑤, ⑥ rewrite ④, ⑤, ⑥

$$\lambda_1(-2\lambda_1 - 3\lambda_2 - 2\lambda_3 - 3) = 0$$

$$\lambda_1(2\lambda_1 + 3\lambda_2 + 2\lambda_3 + 3) = 0 \quad ⑦$$

$$\lambda_2(3\lambda_1 + 10\lambda_2 + 2\lambda_3 + 6) = 0 \quad ⑧$$

$$\lambda_3(2\lambda_1 + 2\lambda_2 + 3\lambda_3 + 6) = 0 \quad ⑨$$

Eight cases of basic sol.

Case 1 $\lambda_1 = 0, \lambda_2 = 0 + \lambda_3 = 0$

$$x_1 = x_2 = x_3 = 0$$

all KKT condition, hence local max.

Case 2 $\lambda_1 = 0, \lambda_2 = 0, \lambda_3 \neq 0$

$$\textcircled{10} \quad \lambda_3(2\lambda_1 + 2\lambda_2 + 3\lambda_3 + 6) = 0$$

$$2\lambda_1 + 2\lambda_2 + 3\lambda_3 + 6 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3\lambda_3 = -6; \lambda_3 = -2$$

$$x_1 = -\lambda_1 - 3\lambda_2 - \lambda_3 = 2; x_2 = -\lambda_1 - \lambda_3 = 2; x_3 = \lambda_2 - \lambda_3 = 2$$

Violates ⑦. Discovered

Case 3. $\lambda_1 = 0; \lambda_2 \neq 0 + \lambda_3 = 0$

$$\textcircled{11} \quad \lambda_2(3\lambda_1 + 10\lambda_2 + 2\lambda_3 + 6) = 0$$

$$\lambda_2 = -3/5$$

$$x_1 = \frac{9}{5}, x_2 = 2, x_3 = -\frac{3}{5}$$

(satisfy)
all KKT conditions. Local max.

as 4 $\lambda_1 \neq 0, \lambda_2 = 0, \lambda_3 = 0$

$$\lambda_1(2\lambda_1 + 3\lambda_2 + 2\lambda_3 + 3) = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_1 = -3/2$$

$$x_1 = \frac{9}{2}, x_2 = \frac{3}{2}, x_3 = 0$$

all KT conditions satisfy local max.

Case 5 $\lambda_1 = 0, \lambda_2 \neq 0, \lambda_3 \neq 0.$

(13), (18)

$$\lambda_2(3\lambda_1 + 10\lambda_2 + 2\lambda_3 + 1) = 0$$

$$\lambda_3(2\lambda_1 + 2\lambda_2 + 3\lambda_3 + 1) = 0$$

$$10\lambda_2 + 2\lambda_3 + 6 = 0 + 2\lambda_2 + 3\lambda_3 + 6 = 0$$

$$\lambda_2 = -\frac{3}{13} + \lambda_3 = \frac{24}{13}$$

$$x_1 = -\lambda_1 - 3\lambda_2 - \lambda_3 = \frac{33}{13}$$

$$x_2 = -\lambda_1 - \lambda_3 = \frac{24}{13}$$

$$x_3 = \lambda_2 - \lambda_3 = \frac{21}{13}$$

which also . (7)

Case 6 $\lambda_1 \neq 0, \lambda_2 = 0, \lambda_3 \neq 0$

$$\lambda_1(2\lambda_1 + 3\lambda_2 + 2\lambda_3 + 3) = 0$$

$$\lambda_3(2\lambda_1 + 2\lambda_2 + 3\lambda_3 + 6) = 0$$

$$2\lambda_1 + 2\lambda_3 + 3 = 0 + 2\lambda_1 + 3\lambda_3 + 6 = 0.$$

$$\lambda_1 = \frac{3}{2}, \lambda_3 = -3$$

values (10) i.e. $\lambda_1 \leq 0$. discarded.

$$\text{Case 7 } \lambda_1 \neq 0, \lambda_2 \neq 0, \lambda_3 = 0$$

$$\lambda_1(2\lambda_1 + 3\lambda_2 + 2\lambda_3 + 3) = 0$$

$$\lambda_2(3\lambda_1 + 10\lambda_2 + 2\lambda_3 + 6) = 0$$

$$2\lambda_1 + 3\lambda_2 + 3 = 0$$

$$3\lambda_1 + 10\lambda_2 + 6 = 0$$

$$\lambda_1 = \frac{-1^2}{11} + \lambda_2 = -\frac{3}{11}$$

$$x_1 = \frac{21}{11}, x_2 = \frac{12}{11}, x_3 = -\frac{3}{11}$$

make ⑥ discrete

$$\text{Case 8 } \lambda_1 \neq 0, \lambda_2 \neq 0, \lambda_3 \neq 0$$

$$2\lambda_1 + 3\lambda_2 + 2\lambda_3 + 3 = 0$$

$$3\lambda_1 + 10\lambda_2 + 2\lambda_3 + 6 = 0$$

$$2\lambda_1 + 2\lambda_2 + 3\lambda_3 + 6 = 0$$

$$\lambda_1 = 4, \lambda_2 = -1 + \lambda_3 = -7$$

$$\text{make } x_1 \leq 0.$$

out of 8, local maxima in 3 cases (1, 3+4).

$$f_1(x) = 0$$

$$f_2(x) = 1 \cdot e$$

$$f_3(x) = 2 \cdot 2;$$

$$\text{global maxima exist at}$$

$$\lambda_1 = -\frac{3}{2}, \lambda_2 = 0, \lambda_3 = 0.$$

$$x_1 = \frac{3}{2}, x_2 = \frac{3}{2} \approx x_3 = 0$$

counterpart of Lagrange multipliers for
nonoptimization with constraint inequality

$$\min f(x) = x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 + x_4^2 \rightarrow f$$

$$\text{S.t. } x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = 1 \rightarrow g$$

$$x_4 \leq A \rightarrow 4 \\ \rightarrow x_4 - A \leq 0$$

$$L = f(x) + \lambda g(x) + \mu(4)$$

$$= x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 + x_4^2 = \lambda(1 - x_1 - x_2 - x_3 - x_4) + \mu(x_4 - A)$$

KKT condition (Karush-Kuhn-Tucker condition)

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial x} = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = 1 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$x_4 \leq A \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$$\mu \geq 0 \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

$$\mu(x_4 - A) = 0 \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial x} = \begin{pmatrix} 2x_1 - \lambda \\ 2x_2 - \lambda \\ 2x_3 - \lambda \\ 2x_4 - \lambda + \mu \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\therefore x_1 = x_2 = x_3 = \frac{\lambda}{2}; \quad x_4 = \frac{\lambda - \mu}{2}$$

$$x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = 1 \quad (2)$$

$$\frac{\lambda}{2} + \frac{\lambda}{2} + \frac{\lambda}{2} + x_{\cancel{4+2}} \cancel{\lambda - \mu} = 1$$

~~x₄₊₂~~

~~2+2~~

$$4\lambda - \mu = 2$$

$$\lambda = \frac{2 + \mu}{4}$$

$$x_4 \leq A$$

$$\lambda - \frac{\mu}{2} \leq A$$

$$\frac{\frac{2+\mu}{4} - \mu}{2} \leq A \Rightarrow \frac{2+\mu - 4\mu}{8} \leq A$$

$$\frac{1}{4} - \frac{3\mu}{8} \leq A$$

$$\frac{3\mu}{8} \geq \frac{1}{4} - A$$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad A > \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\frac{1}{4} - A \leq 0$$

then as $\mu \geq 0$

then satisfy only when $\mu = 0$.

$$\therefore \lambda = \frac{2}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$x_1 = x_2 = x_3 = x_4 = \frac{1}{4}$$

II. $A = y_4$

Ignore inequality constraint

$$\frac{3\mu}{8} \geq 0$$

$$\frac{3\mu}{8} \geq 0$$

$$\text{against } \mu = 0$$

$$\text{and } x_1 = x_2 = x_3 = x_4 = \frac{1}{4}$$

III. $A < y_4$

x_4 & is strictly less than

$$A \quad x_4 \leq A$$

$$\mu(x_4 - A) = 0$$

$$\downarrow \quad \text{as it is -ve}$$

now μ is zero $\rightarrow x_4 = y_4$ which violate
 $x_4 \leq A$

But Then

$$x_4 = \cancel{\frac{3\mu}{8}}$$

$$x_4 = A +$$

$$x_1 = x_2 = x_3 = \frac{1}{3}(1-A)$$

$$\cancel{\text{so}} \quad f = x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 + x_4^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{3}(1-2A+4A^2)$$

$$f = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{4} & \text{if } A \geq \frac{1}{4} \\ \frac{1}{3}(1 - 2A + 4A^2) & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

One can also simply write KKT conditions for

$$\text{Min } f(x) \quad x = [x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n]$$

$$\text{s.t. } g_j(x) \leq 0 \text{ for } j = 1, 2, \dots, k$$

$x^* = [x_1^*, x_2^*, \dots, x_n^*]$ to be local minima of following

KKT conditions are satisfied

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i} + \sum_{j=1}^m \mu_j \frac{\partial g_j}{\partial x_i} = 0 \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n$$

$$\mu_j g_j = 0 \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, m$$

$$g_j \leq 0 \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, m$$

$$\mu_j \geq 0 \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, m$$

- * In case of minimization problem, if constraints are of form $g_j(x) \geq 0$; then μ_j have to be negative.
- * If problem is one of maximization, with constraints in form $g_j(x) \geq 0$; then μ_j to be positive.

$$\text{Min. } f = x_1^2 + x_2^2 + 60x_1$$

$$\text{s.t. } x_1 - 80 \geq 0$$

$$x_1 + x_2 - 120 \geq 0$$

KKT condition

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i} + \mu_1 \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial x_i} + \mu_2 \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial x_i} = 0 \rightarrow 2x_i + 60 + \mu_1 + \mu_2 = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$2x_2 + \mu_2 = 0 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$\mu_1(x_1 - 80) = 0 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$$\mu_2(x_1 + x_2 - 120) = 0 \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

$$g_i \leq 0 \Rightarrow x_1 - 80 \geq 0 \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

$$x_1 + x_2 - 120 \geq 0 \quad \text{--- (6)}$$

Now $\mu_1 + \mu_2$ will be ≤ 0 .

$$(3) \mu_1(x_1 - 80) = 0$$

$$\mu_1 = 0 \text{ or } (x_1 - 80) = 0$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{Case 1} \\ \mu_1 = 0 \end{array}$$

$$x_1 = -\frac{\mu_2}{2} - 30$$

$$x_2 = -\frac{\mu_2}{2}$$

Put in (4)

$$\mu_2(\mu_2 - 150) = 0$$

$$\therefore \mu_2 = 0 \text{ or } -150$$

$$\mu_2 = 0; X^* = [-30, 0] \rightarrow \text{violate (5)}$$

$$\mu_2 = -150; \tilde{x} = [45, 75] \rightarrow \text{violate (5)}$$

$$2x_1 + 60 + \mu_1 + \mu_2 = 0$$

$$\mu_1 + \mu_2 = 220$$

$$2x_1 + \mu_2 = 0 \Rightarrow \mu_2 = -2x_1$$

$$\mu_1 = 2x_1 - 220 \rightarrow$$

As $\mu_2 (x_1 + x_2 - 120) = 0$

$$-2x_1 (80 + x_2 - 120) = 0$$

$$-2x_1 (x_2 - 40) = 0$$

$$x_2 = 0 \text{ or } x_2 = 40$$

$$\rightarrow x_2 = 0 \Rightarrow \mu_1 = -220$$

$$\downarrow \quad x_1 + x_2 - 120 \geq 0$$

$$80 + 0 - 120 \geq 0 \text{ not true}$$

$$\rightarrow x_2 = 40; \mu_1 = -140 + \mu_2 = -80$$

$$\text{satisfy } ⑤ \quad x_1 - 80 \geq 0$$

$$80 - 80 \geq 0$$

$$x_1 + x_2 - 120 \geq 0$$

$$80 + 40 - 120 \geq 0 \quad \text{OK}$$

Soln. set for this optimization problem ↴

$$X = [80, 40]$$

