```
Pkg.activate(@_DIR__)
 Pkg.instantiate()
 using LinearAlgebra, Plots
 import ForwardDiff as FD
 using Printf
 using JLD2
 Activating project at `~/Desktop/2024Spring/CMU16745_OptimalControl/CMU16-
745-Optimal-Control-HW/hw1`
   Updating registry at `~/.julia/registries/General.toml`
  Resolving package versions...
  Installed Glob — v1.3.1
  Installed CSTParser — v3.4.1
  Installed Tokenize — v0.5.28
  Installed CommonMark — v0.8.12
  Installed JuliaFormatter - v1.0.45
   Updating `~/Desktop/2024Spring/CMU16745_OptimalControl/CMU16-745-Optimal
-Control-HW/hw1/Project.toml`
  [98e50ef6] + JuliaFormatter v1.0.45
   Updating `~/Desktop/2024Spring/CMU16745_OptimalControl/CMU16-745-Optimal
-Control-HW/hw1/Manifest.toml`
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  [a80b9123] + CommonMark v0.8.12
  [a8cc5b0e] + Crayons v4.1.1
  [c27321d9] + Glob v1.3.1
  [98e50ef6] + JuliaFormatter v1.0.45
  [0796e94c] + Tokenize v0.5.28
Precompiling project...
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 ✓ CSTParser
 ✓ JuliaFormatter
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iled.
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# Q2 (30 pts): Augmented Lagrangian Quadratic Program Solver

## Part (A): QP Solver (10 pts)

In [ ]: import Pkg

Here we are going to use the augmented lagrangian method described here in a video, with the corresponding pdf here to solve the following problem:

$$\min_{x} \quad \frac{1}{2}x^{T}Qx + q^{T}x \tag{1}$$

$$s.t. \quad Ax - b = 0 \tag{2}$$

$$Gx - h \le 0 \tag{3}$$

where the cost function is described by  $Q \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ ,  $q \in \mathbb{R}^n$ , an equality constraint is described by  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m imes n}$  and  $b \in \mathbb{R}^m$  , and an inequality constraint is described by  $G \in \mathbb{R}^{p imes n}$  and  $h \in \mathbb{R}^p$ .

By introducing a dual variable  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}^m$  for the equality constraint, and  $\mu \in \mathbb{R}^p$  for the inequality constraint, we have the following KKT conditions for optimality:

$$Qx + q + A^{T}\lambda + G^{T}\mu = 0 stationarity (4)$$

$$Ax - b = 0$$
 primal feasibility (5)

$$Ax - b = 0$$
 primal feasibility (5)  
 $Gx - h \le 0$  primal feasibility (6)

$$\mu \ge 0$$
 dual feasibility (7)

$$\mu \circ (Gx - h) = 0$$
 complementarity (8)

where o is element-wise multiplication.

```
In []: # TODO: read below
        # NOTE: DO NOT USE A WHILE LOOP ANYWHERE
        The data for the QP is stored in `qp` the following way:
            @load joinpath(@__DIR__, "qp_data.jld2") qp
        which is a NamedTuple, where
            Q, q, A, b, G, h = qp.Q, qp.q, qp.A, qp.b, qp.G, qp.h
        contains all of the problem data you will need for the QP.
        Your job is to make the following function
            x, \lambda, \mu = solve_qp(qp; verbose = true, max_iters = 100, tol = 1e-8)
        You can use (or not use) any of the additional functions:
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        You can use (or not use) any of the additional functions:
        as long as solve_qp works.
        function cost(qp::NamedTuple, x::Vector)::Real
            0.5 * x' * qp.Q * x + dot(qp.q, x)
        end
        function c_eq(qp::NamedTuple, x::Vector)::Vector
            qp.A * x - qp.b
        end
        function h ineq(qp::NamedTuple, x::Vector)::Vector
            qp.G * x - qp.h
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end
function mask_matrix(qp::NamedTuple, x::Vector, μ::Vector, ρ::Real)::Matrix
    h_{mask} = h_{ineq}(qp, x) < 0.0
    mu_mask = \mu .== 0.0
    Irpo = I(length(\mu)) * \rho
    zero_mask = .!(h_mask .* mu_mask)
    return Irpo .* zero_mask
end
function augmented_lagrangian(
    qp::NamedTuple,
    x::Vector,
    λ::Vector,
    μ::Vector,
    ρ::Real,
)::Real
    cost(qp, x) +
    dot(\lambda, c_eq(qp, x)) +
    dot(\mu, h_ineq(qp, x)) +
    0.5 * \rho * c_eq(qp, x)' * c_eq(qp, x) +
    0.5 * h_{ineq}(qp, x)' * mask_matrix(qp, x, \mu, \rho) * h_{ineq}(qp, x)
end
function logging(
    qp::NamedTuple,
    main_iter::Int,
    AL_gradient::Vector,
    x::Vector,
    λ::Vector,
    μ::Vector,
    ρ::Real,
    # TODO: stationarity norm
    stationarity_norm = 0.0 # fill this in
    @printf(
        "%3d % 7.2e % 7.2e % 7.2e % 7.2e % 7.2e % 5.0e\n",
        main_iter,
        stationarity_norm,
        norm(AL_gradient),
        maximum(h_ineq(qp, x)),
        norm(c_eq(qp, x), Inf),
        abs(dot(\mu, h_ineq(qp, x))),
        ρ
    )
end
function solve_qp(qp; verbose = true, max_iters = 100, tol = 1e-8)
    x = zeros(length(qp.q))
    \lambda = zeros(length(qp.b))
    \mu = zeros(length(qp.h))
    if verbose
        @printf "iter |∇Lx|
                                    |\nabla AL_{\times}| max(h)
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@printf "-
end
# TODO:
rho = 1.0
phi = 2.0
for main_iter = 1:max_iters
    if verbose
         logging(qp, main_iter, zeros(1), x, \lambda, \mu, 0.0)
    end
    # NOTE: when you do your dual update for \mu, you should compute
    # your element-wise maximum with `max.(a,b)`, not `max(a,b)`
    # update x
    for inner_iter = 1:max_iters
         L_gradient =
             FD gradient(x \rightarrow augmented_lagrangian(qp, x, \lambda, \mu, rho), x
         L hessian =
             FD.hessian(x \rightarrow augmented_lagrangian(qp, <math>x, \lambda, \mu, rho), x)
         x = x - L hessian \ L gradient
         if norm(L gradient) < tol</pre>
             break
         end
         if inner_iter == max_iters
             error("x did not converge")
         end
    end
    # update lambda, mu
    \lambda = \lambda + \text{rho} * c_{eq}(qp, x)
    \mu = \max(0.0, \mu + \text{rho} * h_{ineq(qp, x)})
    # update rho
    rho = phi * rho
    # TODO: convergence criteria based on tol CHECK: if this is the cd
    kkt_stationary = [qp.Q * x + qp.q + qp.A' * \lambda + qp.G' * \mu]
    kkt_stationary_check = norm(kkt_stationary) < tol</pre>
    kkt_primal_eq = c_eq(qp, x)
    kkt_primal_eq_check = norm(kkt_primal_eq) < tol</pre>
    kkt_primal_ineq = h_ineq(qp, x)
    kkt_primal_ineq_check = all(kkt_primal_ineq .<= 0.0)</pre>
    kkt\_complementarity = \mu .* h\_ineq(qp, x)
    kkt_complementarity_check = norm(kkt_complementarity) < tol</pre>
    if kkt_stationary_check &&
       kkt_primal_eq_check &&
        kkt_primal_ineq_check &&
       kkt_complementarity_check
         return x, λ, μ
    end
end
error("qp solver did not converge")
```

```
end
let
    # example solving qp
    @load joinpath(@__DIR___, "qp_data.jld2") qp
    x, λ, μ = solve_qp(qp; verbose = true, tol = 1e-8)
end
```

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```

#### **QP Solver test**

```
In []: # 10 points
using Test
@testset "qp solver" begin
    @load joinpath(@__DIR__, "qp_data.jld2") qp
    x, λ, μ = solve_qp(qp; verbose = true, max_iters = 100, tol = 1e-6)

@load joinpath(@__DIR__, "qp_solutions.jld2") qp_solutions
@test norm(x - qp_solutions.x, Inf) < 1e-3
@test norm(λ - qp_solutions.λ, Inf) < 1e-3
@test norm(μ - qp_solutions.μ, Inf) < 1e-3
end</pre>
end
```

iter	$ \nabla L_{\times} $	$ \nabla AL_{\times} $	max(h)	c	compl	ρ
1	0.00e+00	0.00e+00	4.38e+00	6.49e+00	0.00e+00	0e+00
2	0.00e+00	0.00e+00	5.51e-01	1.27e+00	4.59e-01	0e+00
3	0.00e+00	0.00e+00	9.68e-02	6.03e-01	6.58e-02	0e+00
4	0.00e+00	0.00e+00	7.41e-02	8.78e-02	7.71e-02	0e+00
5	0.00e+00	0.00e+00	3.92e-03	5.39e-03	2.04e-03	0e+00
6	0.00e+00	0.00e+00	2.86e-04	5.25e-04	2.36e-04	0e+00
7	0.00e+00	0.00e+00	1.36e-05	2.70e-05	1.23e-05	0e+00
8	0.00e+00	0.00e+00	3.55e-07	7.34e-07	3.32e-07	0e+00
9	0.00e+00	0.00e+00	4.91e-09	1.04e-08	4.68e-09	0e+00
10	0.00e+00	0.00e+00	3.53e-11	7.61e-11	3.42e-11	0e+00
11	0.00e+00	0.00e+00	1.31e-13	2.86e-13	1.28e-13	0e+00
12	0.00e+00	0.00e+00	4.44e-16	6.66e-16	4.70e-16	0e+00
13	0.00e+00	0.00e+00	4.44e-16	8.88e-16	1.61e-17	0e+00
14	0.00e+00	0.00e+00	2.78e-17	4.44e-16	2.88e-18	0e+00
Test	Summary:	Pass Total	Time			
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Out[]: Test.DefaultTestSet("qp solver", Any[], 3, false, false, true, 1.7062943553 79485e9, 1.706294355396911e9, false)

# Simulating a Falling Brick with QPs

In this question we'll be simulating a brick falling and sliding on ice in 2D. You will show that this problem can be formulated as a QP, which you will solve using an Augmented Lagrangian method.

## The Dynamics

The dynamics of the brick can be written in continuous time as

$$M\dot{v}+Mg=J^T\mu$$
 where  $M=mI_{2 imes2},\;g=\left[egin{array}{c}0\9.81\end{array}
ight],\;J=\left[egin{array}{c}0&1
ight]$ 

and  $\mu\in\mathbb{R}$  is the normal force. The velocity  $v\in\mathbb{R}^2$  and position  $q\in\mathbb{R}^2$  are composed of the horizontal and vertical components.

We can discretize the dynamics with backward Euler:

$$egin{bmatrix} v_{k+1} \ q_{k+1} \end{bmatrix} = egin{bmatrix} v_k \ q_k \end{bmatrix} + \Delta t \cdot egin{bmatrix} rac{1}{m} J^T \mu_{k+1} - g \ v_{k+1} \end{bmatrix}$$

We also have the following contact constraints:

$$Jq_{k+1} \ge 0$$
 (don't fall through the ice) (9)

$$\mu_{k+1} \ge 0$$
 (normal forces only push, not pull) (10)

$$\mu_{k+1}Jq_{k+1} = 0 \qquad \text{(no force at a distance)} \tag{11}$$

## Part (B): QP formulation for Falling Brick (5 pts)

Show that these discrete-time dynamics are equivalent to the following QP by writing down the KKT conditions.

minimize<sub>$$v_{k+1}$$</sub>  $\frac{1}{2}v_{k+1}^T M v_{k+1} + [M(\Delta t \cdot g - v_k)]^T v_{k+1}$  (12)

subject to 
$$-J(q_k + \Delta t \cdot v_{k+1}) \le 0 \tag{13}$$

**TASK**: Write down the KKT conditions for the optimization problem above, and show that it's equivalent to the dynamics problem stated previously. Use LaTeX markdown.

#### **PUT ANSWER HERE:**

KKT conditions:

stationarity 
$$Mv_{k+1} + M(\Delta t \cdot g - v_k) - (J^T \Delta t)\mu_{k+1} = 0$$
 (14)

$$\Rightarrow v_{k+1} = (\frac{1}{M}J^T\mu_{k+1} - g)\Delta t + v_k \tag{15}$$

primal feasibility 
$$-J(q_k + \Delta t \cdot v_{k+1}) \le 0$$
 (16)

dual feasibility 
$$\mu_{k+1} \ge 0$$
 (17)

complementarity 
$$\mu_{k+1} \circ (-J(q_k + \Delta t \cdot v_{k+1})) = 0$$
 (18)

## Part (C): Brick Simulation (5 pts)

```
In []: function brick_simulation_qp(q, v; mass=1.0, Δt=0.01)

# TODO: fill in the QP problem data for a simulation step
# fill in Q, q, G, h, but leave A, b the same
# this is because there are no equality constraints in this qp

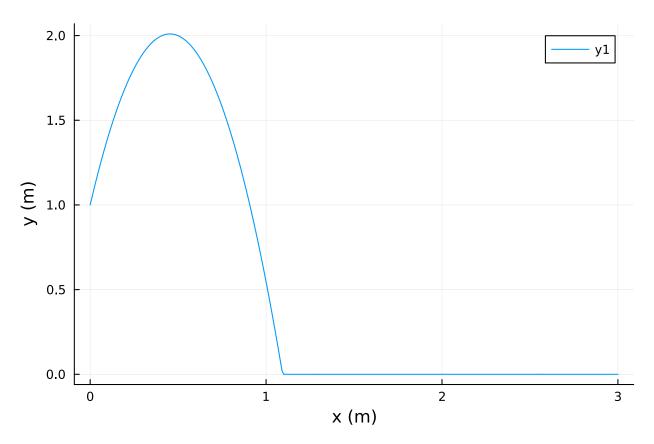
g = [0.0; 9.81]
J = [0 1.0]

qp = (
Q=[mass 0.0; 0.0 mass],
q=mass * (Δt * g - v),
A=zeros(0, 2), # don't edit this
b=zeros(0), # don't edit this
G=-[0.0 Δt],
h=J * q,
```

```
return qp
        end
Out[]: brick_simulation_qp (generic function with 1 method)
In [ ]: @testset "brick qp" begin
            q = [1, 3.0]
            v = [2, -3.0]
            qp = brick simulation qp(q, v)
           # check all the types to make sure they're right
           @show typeof(qp.q)
            qp.Q::Matrix{Float64}
            qp.q::Vector{Float64}
            qp.A::Matrix{Float64}
            qp.b::Vector{Float64}
            qp.G::Matrix{Float64}
            qp.h::Vector{Float64}
           (qp.Q) == (2, 2)
           (qp.q) == (2,)
           (qp.A) == (0, 2)
           (qp.b) == (0,)
            \text{@test size}(qp.G) == (1, 2) 
           (qp.h) == (1,)
           (etest abs(tr(qp.Q) - 2) < 1e-10
           [-2.0, 3.0981]) < [-10.0, 3.0981]
           @test norm(qp.G - [0 - 0.01]) < 1e-10
           @test abs(qp.h[1] - 3) < 1e-10
        end
       typeof(qp.q) = Vector{Float64}
       Test Summary: | Pass Total Time
       brick qp
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Out[]: Test.DefaultTestSet("brick qp", Any[], 10, false, false, true, 1.7062979973
        87241e9, 1.706297997409736e9, false)
In [ ]: include(joinpath(@__DIR__, "animate_brick.jl"))
        let
            dt = 0.01
           T = 3.0
           t \text{ vec} = 0:dt:T
           N = length(t_vec)
            qs = [zeros(2) for i = 1:N]
```

```
vs = [zeros(2) for i = 1:N]
     qs[1] = [0, 1.0]
     vs[1] = [1, 4.5]
     # TODO: simulate the brick by forming and solving a gp
     # at each timestep. Your QP should solve for vs[k+1], and
     # you should use this to update qs[k+1]
     for k = 1:N-1
         qp = brick_simulation_qp(qs[k], vs[k])
         v, \lambda, \mu = solve_qp(qp; verbose = false, max_iters = 100, tol = 1e-6)
         vs[k+1] = v
         qs[k+1] = qs[k] + dt * v
     end
     xs = [q[1] \text{ for } q \text{ in } qs]
     ys = [q[2] for q in qs]
     @show @test abs(maximum(ys) - 2) < 1e-1
     @show @test minimum(ys) > -1e-2
     @show @test abs(xs[end] - 3) < 1e-2
     xdot = diff(xs) / dt
     @show @test maximum(xdot) < 1.0001</pre>
     @show @test minimum(xdot) > 0.9999
     @show @test ys[110] > 1e-2
     @show @test abs(ys[111]) < 1e-2
     @show @test abs(ys[112]) < 1e-2
     display(plot(xs, ys, ylabel = "y (m)", xlabel = "x (m)"))
     animate_brick(qs)
 end
\#= In[80]:30 =\# @test(abs(maximum(ys) - 2) < 0.1) = Test Passed
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\#= In[80]:31 =\# @test(minimum(ys) > -0.01) = Test Passed
\#= In[80]:32 = \# @test(abs(xs[end] - 3) < 0.01) = Test Passed
\#= In[80]:35 =\# @test(maximum(xdot) < 1.0001) = Test Passed
\#= In[80]:36 =\# @test(minimum(xdot) > 0.9999) = Test Passed
\#= In[80]:37 =\# @test(ys[110] > 0.01) = Test Passed
\#= In[80]:38 =\# @test(abs(ys[111]) < 0.01) = Test Passed
\#= In[80]:39 = \# @test(abs(ys[112]) < 0.01) = Test Passed
```



[ Info: Listening on: 127.0.0.1:8701, thread id: 1
r Info: MeshCat server started. You can open the visualizer by visiting the
following URL in your browser:
http://127.0.0.1:8701

# Part D (5 pts): Solve a QP

Use your QP solver to solve the following optimization problem:

$$\min_{y \in \mathbb{R}^2, a \in \mathbb{R}, b \in \mathbb{R}} \quad rac{1}{2} y^T \left[ egin{array}{cc} 1 & .3 \ .3 & 1 \end{array} 
ight] y + a^2 + 2b^2 + \left[ -2 & 3.4 
ight] y + 2a + 4b \qquad (19)$$

$$st \quad a+b=1 \tag{20}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2.3 \end{bmatrix} y + a - 2b = 3$$
 (21)

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$$-0.5 \le y \le 1 \tag{22}$$

$$-1 \le a \le 1 \tag{23}$$

$$-1 \le b \le 1 \tag{24}$$

You should be able to put this into our standard QP form that we used above, and solve.

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            0.0 0.0 0.0 2.0
        ],
        q = [-2.0, 3.4, 2.0, 4.0],
        A = [0.0 \ 0.0 \ 1.0 \ 1.0; -1.0 \ 2.3 \ 1.0 \ -2.0],
        b = [1.0, 3.0],
        G = [
            1.0 0.0 0.0 0.0
            0.0 1.0 0.0 0.0
            -1.0 0.0 0.0 0.0
            0.0 - 1.0 0.0 0.0
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            0.0 \ 0.0 \ 0.0 \ -1.0
        ],
        h = [1.0, 1.0, 0.5, 0.5, 1.0, 1.0, 1.0, 1.0],
    )
    x, \lambda, \mu = solve_qp(qp; verbose = false, max_iters = 100, tol = 1e-6)
    y = x[1:2]
    a = x[3]
    b = x[4]
    [-0.080823; 0.834424]) < 1e-3
    (a - 1) < 1e - 3
    @test abs(b) < 1e-3
end
                             Time
```

## Part E (5 pts): One sentence short answer

1. For our Augmented Lagrangian solver, if our initial guess for x is feasible (meaning it satisfies the constraints), will it stay feasible through each iteration?

#### put ONE SENTENCE answer here

47e9, 1.706298874342658e9, false)

A: No. If the initial guess is feasible, the constraint is not active, which implies we are doing unconstrained optimization. Consequently, during the update, the constrains might be violated.

1. Does the Augmented Lagrangian function for this problem always have continuous first derivatives?

### put ONE SENTENCE answer here

A: Yes. Otherwise the Newton's method is not applicable since it requires the Hessian.

1. Is the QP in part D always convex?

### put ONE SENTENCE answer here

A: Yes. The objective function is convex, and the constraints are affine.