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1. Condition Number = $\frac{|\Delta y/y|}{|\Delta x/x|} = \frac{|x f'(x)|}{|f(x)|} = \left| \frac{x \cos x}{\sin x} \right| = |x \cot(x)|$

when $x = n\pi$, the condition number might go to infinity.

2. (a). $P = (St)^{n_s} \cdot (rt)^{n_c}$

$$\begin{aligned} \log P &= n_s \cdot \log(St) + n_c \cdot \log rt \\ &= n_s \cdot \log 3 \left(\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{4} e^{-\frac{4}{3}t} \right) + n_c \cdot \log \left(\frac{1}{4} + \frac{3}{4} e^{-\frac{4}{3}t} \right) \\ &= n_s \cdot \log 3 + n_s \cdot \log \left(\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{4} e^{-\frac{4}{3}t} \right) + n_c \cdot \log \left(\frac{1}{4} + \frac{3}{4} e^{-\frac{4}{3}t} \right) \end{aligned}$$

(b) When $n_s = 5$, $n_c = 25$

$$\log P = 5 \cdot \log 3 + 5 \cdot \log \left(\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{4} e^{-\frac{4}{3}t} \right) + 25 \cdot \log \left(\frac{1}{4} + \frac{3}{4} e^{-\frac{4}{3}t} \right)$$

$$\frac{\partial \log P}{\partial t} = 5 \cdot \left(\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{4} e^{-\frac{4}{3}t} \right)^{-1} \cdot \frac{1}{4} \cdot e^{-\frac{4}{3}t} \cdot \left(-\frac{4}{3} \right) + 25 \cdot \left(\frac{1}{4} + \frac{3}{4} e^{-\frac{4}{3}t} \right)^{-1} \cdot \frac{3}{4} \cdot e^{-\frac{4}{3}t} \cdot \left(-\frac{4}{3} \right)$$

Use Newton Method on computer for the rest part.

as we can't solve $\frac{\partial \log P}{\partial t} = 0$ analytically.

3. (a)

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = 6x^2 - 6x - 6y(x-y-1) - 6xy \cdot 1$$

$$= 6x^2 - 6x - 12xy + 6y^2 + 6y$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = -6x(x-y-1) - 6xy \cdot (-1)$$

$$= -6x^2 + 6xy + 6x + 6xy$$

$$= -6x^2 + 6x + 12xy$$

For critical points, $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = 0$ and $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 0$

$$\begin{cases} 6x^2 - 6x - 12xy + 6y^2 + 6y = 0 \\ -6x^2 + 6x + 12xy = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} x=0 \\ y=0 \end{cases} \quad \begin{cases} x=0 \\ y=-1 \end{cases} \quad \begin{cases} x=1 \\ y=0 \end{cases}$$

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(b).

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} = 12x - 6 - 12y$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} = -12x + 12y + 6$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} = 12x$$

$$H_f((0,0)) = \begin{pmatrix} -6 & 6 \\ 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$H_f((0,-1)) = \begin{pmatrix} 6 & -6 \\ -6 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$H_f((1,0)) = \begin{pmatrix} 6 & -6 \\ -6 & 12 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$H_f((-1,-1)) = \begin{pmatrix} -6 & 6 \\ 6 & -12 \end{pmatrix}$$

4. As A is $n \times n$ real symmetric matrix, A has an orthonormal eigenbasis and all eigenvalues are real.

let $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_n$ be A 's eigenvalues, $\lambda_1 \leq \lambda_2 \leq \dots \leq \lambda_n$ and v_1, \dots, v_n are their corresponding eigenvectors. and $\|v_i\|^2 = 1$ for $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$

$$v_1^T A v_1 \geq \min_{\substack{x \in \mathbb{R}^n \\ \|x\|=1}} f(x), \quad v_n^T A v_n \leq \max_{\substack{x \in \mathbb{R}^n \\ \|x\|=1}} f(x) \Rightarrow \lambda_1 \leq \min f(x) \\ \lambda_n \geq \max f(x) \\ x \in \mathbb{R}^n, \|x\|=1$$

Given $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$, $\|x\|=1$, $x = \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i v_i$ $\sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i^2 = 1$.

$$f(x) = x^T A x = \langle x, A x \rangle = \left\langle \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i v_i, A \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i v_i \right\rangle \\ = \left\langle \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i v_i, \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i \lambda_i v_i \right\rangle = \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i \cdot \alpha_i^2$$

$$f(x) \leq \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_n \alpha_i^2 = \lambda_n \quad \text{for } \forall x \in \mathbb{R}^n, \|x\|=1$$

$$f(x) \geq \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_1 \alpha_i^2 = \lambda_1, \quad \text{for any } x \in \mathbb{R}^n, \|x\|=1$$

Thus, $\min f(x) = \lambda_1$, $\max f(x) = \lambda_n$ for $x \in \mathbb{R}^n, \|x\|=1$.