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Particle swarm optimization (PSO) codes in MATLAB suitable for solving constrained optimization problem

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Save the following codes in MATLAB script file (\*.m) and save as ofun.m.

```
-----start
function f=ofun(x)

% objective function (minimization)
of=10*(x(1)-1)^2+20*(x(2)-2)^2+30*(x(3)-3)^2;

% constraints (all constraints must be converted into <=0 type)
% if there is no constraints then comments all c0 lines below

c0=[];
c0(1)=x(1)+x(2)+x(3)-5;    % <=0 type constraints
c0(2)=x(1)^2+2*x(2)-x(3);  % <=0 type constraints

% defining penalty for each constraint
for i=1:length(c0)
    if c0(i)>0
        c(i)=1;
    else
        c(i)=0;
    end
end
penalty=10000;              % penalty on each constraint violation
f=of+penalty*sum(c);        % fitness function
-----end
```

Save the following main program codes in MATLAB script file (\*.m) as run\_pso.m (any name can be used) and run.

```
-----start
tic
clc
clear all
close all
rng default

LB=[0 0 0];                %lower bounds of variables
UB=[10 10 10];             %upper bounds of variables

% pso parameters values
m=3;                       % number of variables
n=100;                     % population size
wmax=0.9;                  % inertia weight
wmin=0.4;                  % inertia weight
c1=2;                      % acceleration factor
c2=2;                      % acceleration factor

% pso main program-----start
maxite=1000;               % set maximum number of iteration
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maxrun=10;          % set maximum number of runs need to be
for run=1:maxrun
    run
    % pso initialization-----start
    for i=1:n
        for j=1:m
            x0(i,j)=round(LB(j)+rand()*(UB(j)-LB(j)));
        end
    end
    x=x0;          % initial population
    v=0.1*x0;      % initial velocity
    for i=1:n
        f0(i,1)=ofun(x0(i,:));
    end
    [fmin0,index0]=min(f0);
    pbest=x0;      % initial pbest
    gbest=x0(index0,:); % initial gbest
    % pso initialization-----end

    % pso algorithm-----start
    ite=1;
    tolerance=1;
    while ite<=maxite && tolerance>10^-12

        w=wmax-(wmax-wmin)*ite/maxite; % update inertial weight

        % pso velocity updates
        for i=1:n
            for j=1:m
                v(i,j)=w*v(i,j)+c1*rand()*(pbest(i,j)-x(i,j))...
                    +c2*rand()*(gbest(1,j)-x(i,j));
            end
        end

        % pso position update
        for i=1:n
            for j=1:m
                x(i,j)=x(i,j)+v(i,j);
            end
        end

        % handling boundary violations
        for i=1:n
            for j=1:m
                if x(i,j)<LB(j)
                    x(i,j)=LB(j);
                elseif x(i,j)>UB(j)
                    x(i,j)=UB(j);
                end
            end
        end

        % evaluating fitness
        for i=1:n
            f(i,1)=ofun(x(i,:));
        end

        % updating pbest and fitness
        for i=1:n
            if f(i,1)<f0(i,1)

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        pbest(i,:)=x(i,:);
        f0(i,1)=f(i,1);
    end
end

[fmin,index]=min(f0);    % finding out the best particle
ffmin(ite,run)=fmin;    % storing best fitness
ffite(run)=ite;        % storing iteration count

% updating gbest and best fitness
if fmin<fmin0
    gbest=pbest(index,:);
    fmin0=fmin;
end

% calculating tolerance
if ite>100;
    tolerance=abs(ffmin(ite-100,run)-fmin0);
end

% displaying iterative results
if ite==1
    disp(sprintf('Iteration    Best particle    Objective fun'));
end
disp(sprintf('%8g    %8g            %8.4f',ite,index,fmin0));
ite=ite+1;
end
% pso algorithm-----end
gbest;
fvalue=10*(gbest(1)-1)^2+20*(gbest(2)-2)^2+30*(gbest(3)-3)^2;
fff(run)=fvalue;
rgbest(run,:)=gbest;
disp(sprintf('-----'));
end
% pso main program-----end
disp(sprintf('\n'));
disp(sprintf('*****'));
disp(sprintf('Final Results-----'));
[bestfun,bestrun]=min(fff)
best_variables=rgbest(bestrun,:)
disp(sprintf('*****'));
toc

% PSO convergence characteristic
plot(ffmin(1:ffite(bestrun),bestrun),'-k');
xlabel('Iteration');
ylabel('Fitness function value');
title('PSO convergence characteristic')
#####
-----end

```

Enjoy with PSO;

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