

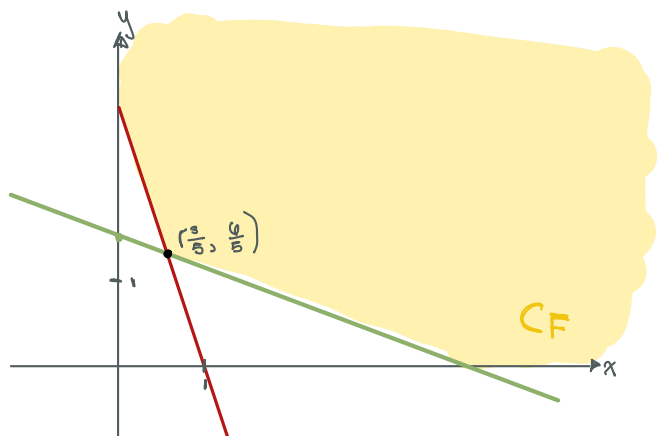
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$$3x + y \geq 3$$

$$x + 2y \geq 3$$

$$x, y \geq 0$$



Some possible values for c :

- One optimal solution:

$$c = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad x^* = \left(\frac{3}{5}, \frac{6}{5} \right)$$

- A lot of optimal solutions

$$c = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Unbounded

$$c = \begin{bmatrix} -10 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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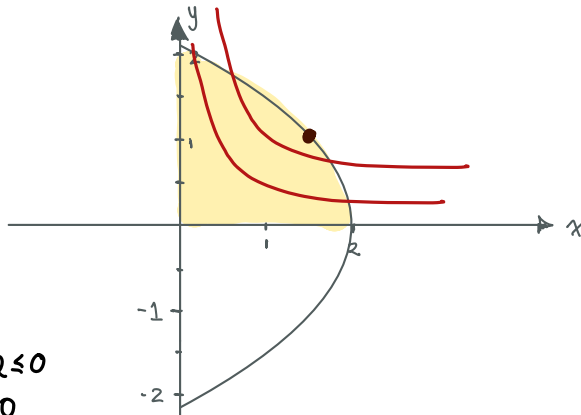
$$\begin{aligned} \min \quad & -xy \\ \text{s.t.} \quad & x+y^2 \leq 2 \\ & x, y \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

We can write these conditions as:

$$\begin{aligned} \min \quad & f(x, y) = -xy \\ \text{s.t.} \quad & g_1(x, y) = x+y^2-2 \leq 0 \\ & g_2(x, y) = -x \leq 0 \\ & g_3(x, y) = -y \leq 0 \end{aligned}$$

The Lagrangian is

$$\mathcal{L}(x, y, \lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3) = -xy + \lambda_1(x+y^2-2) + \lambda_2(-x) + \lambda_3(-y)$$



Thus the KKT conditions can be written as:

$$(1) \quad \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial x} = 0 \Leftrightarrow -y + \lambda_1 - \lambda_2 = 0$$

(stationarity)

$$(2) \quad \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial y} = 0 \Leftrightarrow -x + 2\lambda_1 y - \lambda_3 = 0$$

$$(3) \quad g_1(x, y) \leq 0 \Leftrightarrow x+y^2-2 \leq 0$$

$$(4) \quad g_2(x, y) \leq 0 \Leftrightarrow -x \leq 0$$

$$(5) \quad g_3(x, y) \leq 0 \Leftrightarrow -y \leq 0$$

$$(6) \quad \lambda_1 \geq 0$$

$$(7) \quad \lambda_2 \geq 0$$

$$(8) \quad \lambda_3 \geq 0$$

$$(9) \quad \lambda_1 g_1(x, y) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \lambda_1(x+y^2-2) = 0$$

$$(10) \quad \lambda_2 g_2(x, y) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \lambda_2(-x) = 0$$

$$(11) \quad \lambda_3 g_3(x, y) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \lambda_3(-y) = 0$$

(dual feasibility)

(complementary slackness)

CASE 1

Suppose $\lambda_1 = 0$. Then (1) tells us $y + \lambda_2 = 0$ and (2) tells us $x + \lambda_3 = 0$. Since each term is nonnegative, the only way that this can happen is if $x = y = \lambda_2 = \lambda_3 = 0$. The KKT conditions are satisfied when $x = y = \lambda_1 = \lambda_2 = \lambda_3 = 0$. In this case $f(0, 0) = 0$.

CASE 2

Suppose on the other hand that we're on the boundary of the parabola, $\lambda_1 \neq 0$ but it has to happen that $x + y^2 = 2$.

CASE 2A Suppose that $x > 0$, then by (10) it has to happen that $\lambda_2 = 0$. Then by (1) we have that $\lambda_1 = y$. By (2) we have that $x - 2\lambda_1 y + \lambda_3 = 2 - 3y^2 + \lambda_3 = 0$. Then $3y^2 = 2 + \lambda_3 > 0$ and $\lambda_3 = 0$ (by (11)). Thus $y = \sqrt{2/3}$ and hence $x = 2 - 2/3 = 4/3$. In this case $f(4/3, \sqrt{2/3}) = -\frac{4}{3}\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$.

CASE 2B On the other hand suppose that $x = 0$ thus $y = \sqrt{2}$. Since $y > 0$ it must happen that $\lambda_3 = 0$ by (11). Then by (2) it must happen that $\lambda_1 = 0$. But this is similar to CASE 1, it can't happen because of (1).

Then the possible optima are

$$(0, 0) \Rightarrow f(0, 0) = 0$$

$$(4/3, \sqrt{2/3}) \Rightarrow f(4/3, \sqrt{2/3}) = -\frac{4}{3}\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} < 0$$

Thus $(4/3, \sqrt{2/3})$ is the optimum.

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For

$$\begin{aligned} \min \quad & x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 4y \\ & x^2 \leq y \\ & x + y \leq 2 \end{aligned}$$

In this case

$$\begin{aligned} \min f(x, y) &= x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 4y \\ \text{s.t.} \quad & g_1(x, y) = x^2 - y \leq 0 \\ & g_2(x, y) = x + y - 2 \leq 0 \end{aligned}$$

The Lagrange function is

$$\mathcal{L}(x, y, \lambda_1, \lambda_2) = x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 4y + \lambda_1(x^2 - y) + \lambda_2(x + y - 2)$$

The KKT conditions are:

$$(1) \quad \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial x} = 0 \Leftrightarrow 2x - 4 + 2\lambda_1 = 0$$

$$(2) \quad \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial y} = 0 \Leftrightarrow 2y - 4 - \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = 0$$

$$(3) \quad g_1(x, y) \leq 0 \Leftrightarrow x^2 - y \leq 0$$

$$(4) \quad g_2(x, y) \leq 0 \Leftrightarrow x + y - 2 \leq 0$$

$$(5) \quad \lambda_1 \geq 0$$

$$(6) \quad \lambda_2 \geq 0$$

$$(7) \quad \lambda_1 g_1(x, y) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \lambda_1(x^2 - y) = 0$$

$$(8) \quad \lambda_2 g_2(x, y) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \lambda_2(x + y - 2) = 0$$

(stationarity)

(primal feasibility)

(dual feasibility)

(complementary slackness)

The global minimizer for the objective function is $(x, y) = (2, 2)$. This point is not feasible. Thus both constraints are active. Then we can discard the case when $\lambda_1 = \lambda_2 = 0$. Thus by (1), (2), (7), (8) we get the following system:

$$2x - 4 + 2\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = 0$$

$$2y - 4 - \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = 0$$

$$x^2 - y = 0$$

$$x + y - 2 = 0$$

We can solve this system. By (7) and (8) we get

$$0 = x^2 + x - 2 = (x+2)(x-1)$$

Then either $y = 4$ or $y = 1$.**CASE 1** we consider $(1, 1)$. By (1) and (2) we get

$$2 - 4 + 2\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad 2 - 4 - \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = 0$$

$$2\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = 2 \quad \quad -\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = 2$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = 2 \\ \lambda_1 - \lambda_2 = -2 \\ \hline 3\lambda_1 = 0 \end{array}$$

Thus $\lambda_1 = 0$ and $\lambda_2 = 2$. Thus $x, y, \lambda_1, \lambda_2$ fulfill (1)-(8). In this case $f(x, y) = f(1, 1) = -6$.**CASE 2** we consider $(-2, 4)$. By (1) and (2) we get

$$-4 - 4 + 2\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad 8 - 4 - \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = 0$$

$$2\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = 8 \quad \quad -\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = -4$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = 8 \\ \lambda_1 - \lambda_2 = -4 \\ \hline 3\lambda_1 = 12 \Leftrightarrow \lambda_1 = 4 \Rightarrow \lambda_2 = 0 \end{array}$$

In this case $f(-2, 4) = 12$

Thus the optimal is $(1, 1)$ with $f^*(x, y) = -6$.

4.

For

$$\begin{aligned} \min \quad & 2e^{x-1} + (y-x)^2 + z^2 \\ \text{s.t.} \quad & xyz \leq 1 \\ & x+z \geq c \end{aligned} \quad \left| \quad \begin{aligned} \min \quad & f(x,y,z) = 2e^{x-1} + (y-x)^2 + z^2 \\ \text{s.t.} \quad & g_1(x,y,z) = xyz - 1 \leq 0 \\ & g_2(x,y,z) = c - x - z \leq 0 \end{aligned} \right.$$

For which values of c does $X = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ with multipliers fulfill the KKT conditions?

We write the Lagrange function:

$$\mathcal{L}(x,y,z,\lambda_1,\lambda_2) = 2e^{x-1} + (y-x)^2 + z^2 + \lambda_1(xyz-1) + \lambda_2(c-x-z)$$

The KKT conditions are:

$$(1) \quad \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial x} = 0 \Leftrightarrow 2e^{x-1} - 2y + 2x + \lambda_1 yz - \lambda_2 = 0$$

$$(2) \quad \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial y} = 0 \Leftrightarrow 2y - 2x + \lambda_1 xz = 0$$

(stationarity)

$$(3) \quad \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial z} = 0 \Leftrightarrow 2z + \lambda_1 xy - \lambda_2 = 0$$

$$(4) \quad g_1(x,y,z) \leq 0 \Leftrightarrow xyz - 1 \leq 0$$

$$(5) \quad g_2(x,y,z) \leq 0 \Leftrightarrow c - x - z \leq 0$$

(primal feasibility)

$$(6) \quad \lambda_1 \geq 0$$

$$(7) \quad \lambda_2 \geq 0$$

(dual feasibility)

$$(8) \quad \lambda_1 g_1(x,y,z) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \lambda_1 (xyz - 1) = 0$$

$$(9) \quad \lambda_2 g_2(x,y,z) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \lambda_2 (c - x - z) = 0$$

(complementary slackness)

For $X = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ (1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (8), (9) are:

$$(1) \quad 2 - 2 + 2 + \lambda_1 - \lambda_2 = 0 \Leftrightarrow \lambda_1 - \lambda_2 = -2$$

$$(2) \quad 2 - 2 + \lambda_1 = 0 \Leftrightarrow \lambda_1 = 0$$

$$(3) \quad 2 + \lambda_1 - \lambda_2 = 0 \Leftrightarrow \text{SAME AS (1)}$$

$$(4) \quad 0 = xyz - 1 \leq 0$$

$$(5) \quad c - 2 \leq 0$$

$$(8) \quad \lambda_1(0) = 0$$

$$(9) \quad \lambda_2(c-2) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \lambda_2(c-2) = 0$$

Then we get that $\lambda_1 = 0$, $\lambda_2 = 2$. For primal feasibility we need $c \leq 2$. But notice that if $c < 2$ then (9) is not fulfilled. Thus it must happen that $c = 2$.

In this case $f(1,1,1) = 2 + 1 = 3$.

For this value of c only the second constraint is active.