

Simulated Annealing Algorithm

Input:

- Objective function $f(x)$ to minimize.
- Initial solution x_0
- Initial Temperature T_0 .
- Cooling rate α ($0 < \alpha < 1$)
- Step size Δx to control size of neighbor.
- Maximum number of iterations max_iter .
- Minimum Temperature T_{\min}

1. Initialise:

Set $x_{\text{current}} = x_0$ (initial solution)Set $T = T_0$ (initial temp)Set $x_{\text{best}} = x_0$ iteration counter $k = 0$ 2. Repeat until stopping criteria is met (max iteration or T reaches T_{\min}):

a) Generate a neighbor:

Generate random neighbor x_{new} of the current x_0 by modifying x_0 slightly

$$x_{\text{new}} = x_{\text{current}} + \Delta x, \quad \Delta x \text{ is a random perturbation}$$

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b) Evaluate Objective function

Objective function: Rastrigin function

$$f(x) = A \cdot n + \sum_{i=1}^n [x_i^2 - A \cos(2\pi x_i)]$$

A is typically 10

n is no. of dimensions

x_i is each element of solution vector

• Compute $f(x_{new})$ and $f(x_{current})$

c) Acceptance Probability:

If $f(x_{new}) < f(x_{current})$, accept x_{new} as new solution

d) Update current solution

If x_{new} is accepted:

$$x_{current} = x_{new}$$

e) increment iteration

3) Termination:

Stop when temperature T is lower than T_{min} or
max iterations are reached

Return x_{best}

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import math
import random
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def objective_function(x):
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    A=10
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    return A * len(x) + sum([x[i]**2 - A * math.cos(2 * math.pi * x[i])])
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def get_neighbor(x, step_size):
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    neighbor = x[:]
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    i = random.randint(0, len(x) - 1)
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    neighbor[i] += random.uniform(-step_size, step_size)
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    return neighbor
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def simulated_annealing(objective, bounds, temp, cooling_rate, step_size,  
                        max_iter, temp_min):
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    current_solution = [random.uniform(b[0], b[1]) for b in bounds]
    current_value = objective(current_solution)
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    best_solution = current_solution[:]
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    best_value = current_value
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    iteration = 0
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    while temp > temp_min and iteration < max_iter:
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        new_solution = get_neighbor(current_solution, step_size)
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        new_value = objective(new_solution)
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        delta = new_value - current_value
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        if delta < 0:
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            current_solution = new_solution
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            current_value = new_value
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if new-value < best-value:
    best-solution = new-solution
    best-value = new-value
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else:

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acceptance-prob = math.exp(-delta/temp)
if random.random() < acceptance-prob:
    current-solution = new-solution
    current-value = new-value
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temp = temp * cooling-rate
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iteration += 1
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print(f"Iteration {iteration}, Current Solution: {current-solution},  
Current Value: {current-value}, Temperature: {temp}")
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return best-solution, best-value
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if __name__ == "__main__":
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    bounds = [(-5.12, 5.12) for _ in range(2)]
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    initial-temp = 1000
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    cooling-rate = 0.99
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    step-size = 0.1
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    max-iterations = 1000
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    temp-min = 1e-3
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```
best-solution, best-value = simulated-annealing(
    bounds, initial-temp, cooling-rate, step-size, max-iterations,
    temp-min)
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print ("Best solution -", best-solution)
print ("Best Objective Value:", best-value)
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Output:

Best solution [-3.9734761, 0.9933599816625]

Best Objective Value: 16.922545902831

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