

EE2703 - Week 6

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1 Importing Libraries

```
[5]: %matplotlib ipynb
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from matplotlib.animation import FuncAnimation
from matplotlib import cm
from numpy import sin, cos, exp, pi
```

2 Gradient descent function

The below function is a general gradient-descent optimizer. It takes an initial guess and the derivative of the function.

```
[6]: def optimize(fd, init_guess, lr, iterations):
    """
    Optimize a function through gradient descent, and return
    the list of visited points.

    `fd` - derivative of function to optimize
    `init_guess` - initial guess for the point
    `lr` - learning rate
    `iterations` - number of steps to perform
    """

    p_arr = [init_guess]

    for _ in range(iterations):
        p_arr.append(p_arr[-1] - lr * fd(*p_arr[-1]))

    return np.array(p_arr)
```

3 Animation functions

3.1 2D

```
[10]: def animate_descent_2d(f, fd, xmin, xmax, lr=0.1, iterations=100):  
    """  
    Animate the gradient descent of a function using a 2D plot  
    """  
    # generate a plot of `f`  
    xr = np.linspace(xmin, xmax, 100)  
    fig, ax = plt.subplots()  
    ax.plot(xr, f(xr))  
  
    # create an initial guess  
    init_guess = np.array(  
        [np.random.rand() * (xmax - xmin) + xmin]  
    )  
  
    lnall, = ax.plot([], [], 'ro')  
    lngood, = ax.plot([], [], 'go', markersize=10)  
  
    # get a list of visited points  
    points = optimize(fd, init_guess, lr, iterations)  
    z_values = [f(*points[i]) for i in range(len(points))]  
    print(f"best point is {points[-1]}")  
  
    # now animate  
    def update(frame):  
        lngood.set_data([points[frame][0]], [f(*points[frame])])  
        lnall.set_data(  
            points[:frame+1],  
            z_values[:frame+1]  
        )  
  
    ani = FuncAnimation(  
        fig,  
        update,  
        frames=range(len(points)),  
        interval=20,  
        repeat=False  
    )  
  
    plt.show()
```

3.2 3D

```
[ ]: def animate_descent_3d(f, fd, pmin, pmax, lr=0.1, iterations=100):
    """
    Animate the gradient descent of a function using a 3D plot
    """
    # generate graph of `f`
    fig = plt.figure()
    ax = plt.axes(projection='3d')

    # create a mesh of points in the region specified
    pspace = np.linspace(pmin, pmax, 100)
    xr, yr = np.meshgrid(*np.linspace(pmin, pmax, 100).transpose())

    # plot it
    ax.plot_surface(xr, yr, f(xr, yr), linewidth=0)

    # create an initial random guess
    init_guess = np.random.rand() * (pmax - pmin) + pmin

    lnall, = ax.plot([], [], [], 'ro')
    lngood, = ax.plot([], [], [], 'go', markersize=10)

    # get a list of points visited
    points = optimize(fd, init_guess, lr, iterations)
    z_values = [f(*points[i]) for i in range(len(points))]
    print(f"best point is {points[-1]}")

    # animate it
    def update(frame):
        lngood.set_data([points[frame][0]], [points[frame][1]])
        lngood.set_3d_properties(z_values[frame])

        lnall.set_data(points[:frame+1, 0], points[:frame+1, 1])
        lnall.set_3d_properties(z_values[:frame+1])

    ani = FuncAnimation(
        fig,
        update,
        frames=range(len(points)),
        interval=20,
        repeat=False
    )

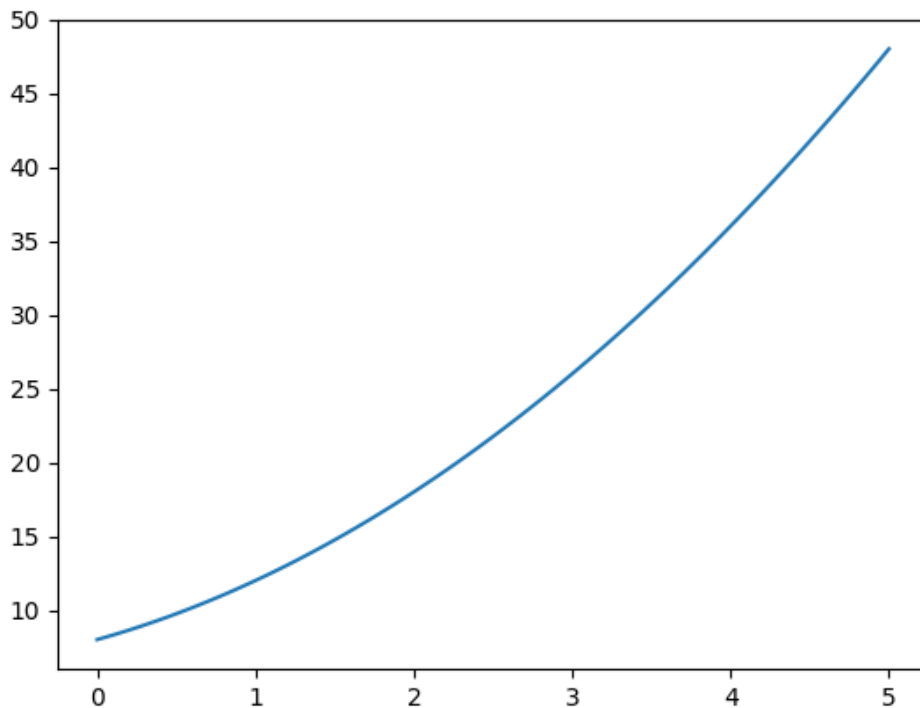
    plt.show()
```

4 Given testcases

4.1 Case 1

```
[11]: def f1(x):  
       return x ** 2 + 3 * x + 8  
  
       def f1d(x):  
           return 2 * x + 3
```

```
[12]: animate_descent_2d(f1, f1d, -5, 5)
```



```
/home/ninja/.local/lib/python3.10/site-packages/matplotlib/animation.py:884:  
UserWarning: Animation was deleted without rendering anything. This is most  
likely not intended. To prevent deletion, assign the Animation to a variable,  
e.g. `anim`, that exists until you output the Animation using `plt.show()` or  
`anim.save()`.  
warnings.warn(  

```

4.2 Case 2

```
[ ]: def f3(x, y):  
      return x**4 - 16*x**3 + 96*x**2 - 256*x + y**2 - 4*y + 262  
  
      def df3_dx(x, y):  
          return 4*x**3 - 48*x**2 + 192*x - 256  
  
      def df3_dy(x, y):  
          return 2*y - 4  
  
      def f3d(x, y):  
          return np.array([df3_dx(x, y), df3_dy(x, y)])  
  
[ ]: animate_descent_3d(  
      f3,  
      f3d,  
      np.array([-10, -10]),  
      np.array([10, 10])  
  )
```

4.3 Case 3

```
[ ]: def f4(x,y):  
      return exp(-(x - y)**2)*sin(y)  
  
      def f4_dx(x, y):  
          return -2*exp(-(x - y)**2)*sin(y)*(x - y)  
  
      def f4_dy(x, y):  
          return exp(-(x - y)**2)*cos(y) + 2*exp(-(x - y)**2)*sin(y)*(x - y)  
  
      def f4d(x, y):  
          return np.array([f4_dx(x, y), f4_dy(x, y)])  
  
[ ]: animate_descent_3d(  
      f4,  
      f4d,  
      np.array([-pi, -pi]),  
      np.array([pi, pi]),  
      iterations=1000  
  )
```

4.4 Case 4

We can numerically differentiate the given function:

```
[ ]: def differentiate(f, dx):  
    def wrapper(x):  
        return (f(x + dx) - f(x)) / dx  
    return wrapper
```

```
[ ]: def f5(x):  
    return cos(x)**4 - sin(x)**3 - 4*sin(x)**2 + cos(x) + 1  
  
f5d = differentiate(f5, 0.001)
```

```
[ ]: animate_descent_2d(  
    f5,  
    f5d,  
    0,  
    2 * pi,  
    lr=0.01  
)
```