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0.1 Question 7 (8 marks): Illustrate the trade-off between the number of iterations and the smoothing parameter μ for gradient descent with Armijo line-search and accelerated gradient with Armijo line-search. Do this by plotting the number of iterations (y-axis) vs magnitude of parameter μ (x-axis in ascending order). Start from a small μ and increase it gradually. Plot the result for both methods in the same plot. Use appropriate legends for the plot.

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[]: mus = [0.00001, 0.0001, 0.001, 0.01, 0.1, 1.0, 2.0, 5.0, 10.0]
   lambda = 45
   epsilon = 1.0e-2
   gamma = 0.3
   max_iterations = 200
   fvals_arm = []
   fvals_prac = []
   for mu_val in mus:
       optimized_gd_arm_loop, f_vals_arm_loop =_
    ⇒gradient_descent_arm(x0=noisy_image_vec,
    →lambda_=lambda_,
                                                                       mu=mu_val,
    →epsilon=epsilon,
                                                                       gamma=gamma,
    →max_iterations=max_iterations)
       optimized_gd_acc_prac_loop, f_vals_acc_prac_loop =_
    →accelerated_gd_practical(x0=noisy_image_vec,
    →lambda_=lambda_,
    →mu=mu_val,
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     →epsilon=epsilon,
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→max_iterations=max_iterations,

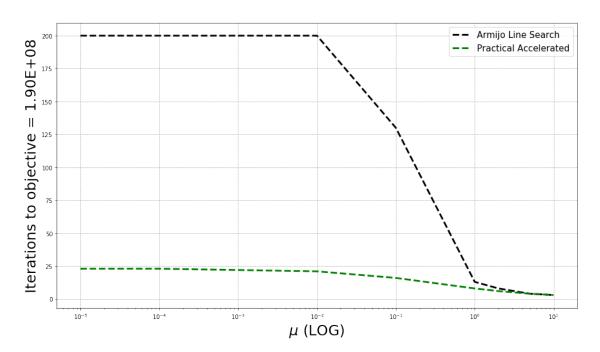
→gamma=gamma)

fvals_arm.append(f_vals_arm_loop)

fvals_prac.append(f_vals_acc_prac_loop)

: f_cutoff = 1.9e8
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[63]: f_cutoff = 1.9e8
    iter_arm = [np.where(fval <= f_cutoff) for fval in fvals_arm]</pre>
    iter_prac = [np.where(fval <= f_cutoff) for fval in fvals_prac]</pre>
    iter_arm = [max_iterations if len(i[0]) == 0 else i[0][0] for i in iter_arm]
    iter_prac = [max_iterations if len(i[0]) == 0 else i[0][0] for i in iter_prac]
    fig = plt.figure(figsize=(16, 9))
    ax = fig.add_subplot(1, 1, 1)
    ax.plot(mus, iter_arm, label=("Armijo Line Search"), linewidth=3.0, color_
     →="black", linestyle='--')
    ax.plot(mus, iter_prac, label=("Practical Accelerated"), linewidth=3.0, color_
     # ax.set_yscale('log')
    ax.set_xscale('log')
    ax.legend(prop={'size': 15},loc="upper right")
    plt.xlabel("$\mu$ (LOG)", fontsize=25)
    plt.ylabel(f"Iterations to objective = {f_cutoff:.2E}", fontsize=25)
    ax.grid(linestyle='dashed')
    # plt.show()
    plt.savefig('foo.pdf')
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