

Newton's method: 二阶近似 (局部收敛)

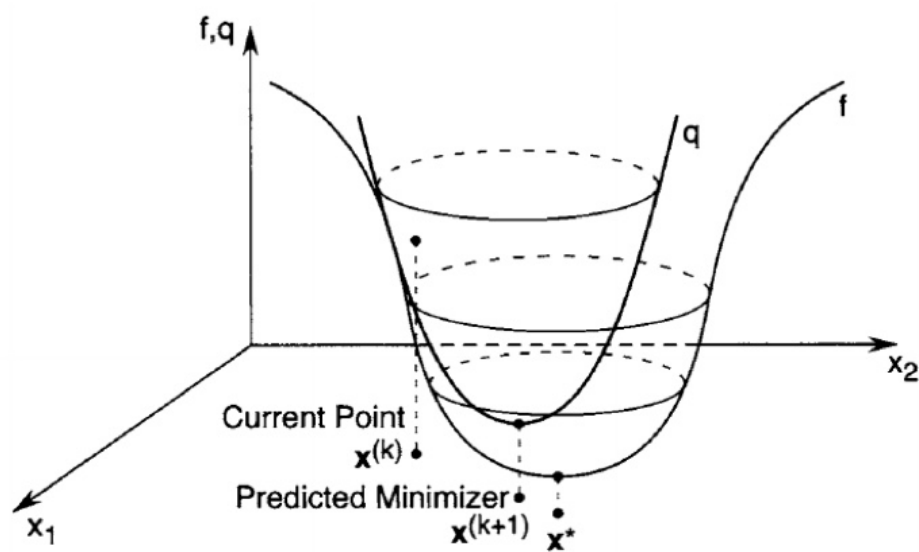
已知  $x^k$ , objective Function:  $f \in C^2$  twice differentiable.

$$f(x^{k+1}) \approx q(x^k) := f(x^k) + \nabla f(x^k)^T (x^{k+1} - x^k) + \frac{1}{2} (x^{k+1} - x^k)^T \nabla^2 f(x^k) (x^{k+1} - x^k)$$

$$\triangleq q'(x^k) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \nabla f(x^k) + \nabla^2 f(x^k)^T (x^{k+1} - x^k) = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow x^{k+1} = x^k - \frac{\nabla^2 f(x^k)^{-1} \nabla f(x^k)}{\quad}$$

前提是  $\nabla^2 f(x^k)$  可逆.



对于二次问题, newton method 一步到达  $x^*$ .

$$\text{eq. min: } \frac{1}{2} x^T Q x - b^T x \quad x^* = Q^{-1} b$$

for a random start point  $x_0$

$$x_1 = x_0 - \nabla^2 f(x_0)^{-1} \nabla f(x_0)$$

$$= x_0 - Q^{-1} (Q x_0 - b)$$

$$= Q^{-1} b$$

$$= x^*$$

一个重要的等式:

$$\nabla f(y) = \nabla f(x) + \int_0^1 \nabla^2 f(x+t(y-x)) (y-x) dt.$$

$$\nabla f(y) - \nabla f(x) = \nabla^2 f(x+t(y-x)) \cdot$$

$$x^{k+1} - x^* = x^k - x^* - \nabla^2 f(x^k)^{-1} \nabla f(x^k)$$

$$= \nabla^2 f(x^k)^{-1} ( \nabla^2 f(x^k) (x^k - x^*) - (\nabla f(x^k) - \nabla f(x^*)) )$$

$$= \nabla^2 f(x^k)^{-1} ( \nabla^2 f(x^k) (x^k - x^*) - \int_0^1 \nabla^2 f(x^* + t(x^k - x^*)) (x^k - x^*) dt )$$

$$= \nabla^2 f(x^k)^{-1} \int_0^1 ( \nabla^2 f(x^k) - \nabla^2 f(x^* + t(x^k - x^*)) ) dt (x^k - x^*)$$

$$\|x^{k+1} - x^*\| \leq \| \nabla^2 f(x^k)^{-1} \| \cdot \int_0^1 \| \nabla^2 f(x^k) - \nabla^2 f(x^* + t(x^k - x^*)) \| dt \|x^k - x^*\|$$

$$\therefore \frac{\|x^{k+1} - x^*\|}{\|x^k - x^*\|} \leq \| \nabla^2 f(x^k)^{-1} \| \cdot \int_0^1 \| \nabla^2 f(x^k) - \nabla^2 f(x^* + t(x^k - x^*)) \| dt.$$

若  $\nabla^2 f(x)$  满足 Lipschitz 连续, 即  $\| \nabla^2 f(x) - \nabla^2 f(y) \| \leq L \|x - y\|$   
 $\forall x, y$ .

$$\therefore \frac{\|x^{k+1} - x^*\|}{\|x^k - x^*\|} \leq \| \nabla^2 f(x^k)^{-1} \| \cdot \int_0^1 L \cdot \|x^k - x^* - t(x^k - x^*)\| dt.$$

$$\leq \| \nabla^2 f(x^k)^{-1} \| \cdot L \|x^k - x^*\| \cdot \int_0^1 (1-t) dt.$$

$$= \frac{L}{2} \| \nabla^2 f(x^k)^{-1} \| \cdot \|x^k - x^*\|.$$



注意到一阶泰勒展开上是个一阶近似加上正则项.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{即 } x^{k+1} &:= \arg\min f(x^k) + \nabla f(x^k)(x-x^k) + \frac{b}{2} \|x-x^k\|^2. \\ &= x^k - \frac{1}{b} \nabla f(x^k) \end{aligned}$$

↓ 保证了  $x^{k+1}$  与  $x^k$   
不会太远, 从而  
有全局收敛.

同理的, 为改进 Newton method 的局部收敛的 drawback,

可类似改进.

$$\begin{aligned} x^{k+1} &:= \arg\min f(x^k) + \nabla f(x^k)(x-x^k) + \frac{1}{2}(x-x^k)^T \nabla^2 f(x^k)(x-x^k) \\ &\quad + \frac{b}{3} \|x-x^k\|^3 \end{aligned}$$

设  $f(x)$  的在  $x^k$  处附近的  $d$  阶近似为  $\bar{f}_d(x, x^k)$

则可构造.  $x^{k+1} := \arg\min \bar{f}_d(x, x^k) + \frac{b}{d} \|x-x^k\|^d.$