

① L-Lipschitz:

GD: $x_{k+1} = x_k - \gamma \nabla f(x_k)$

$f(x) = ax^2 \quad f'(x) = 2ax$

$x_{k+1} = (1-2a\gamma)^k x_1 = (1-2a\gamma) x_k$

↳ If we want periodic, we need $(1-2a\gamma)^k = 1$

→ 2-periodic: $(1-2a\gamma)^2 = 1$

↳ CASE 1: $1-2a\gamma = 1 \Rightarrow 2a\gamma = 0 \Rightarrow \gamma = 0$

↳ CASE 2: $1-2a\gamma = -1 \Rightarrow 2a\gamma = 2 \Rightarrow a\gamma = 1 \Rightarrow \underline{\gamma = \frac{1}{a}}$ (Gives $(-1)^k \cdot x_1$, projection over y)

For function $f(x) = 2x^2$ the GD will result in periodic sequence of period 2 for learning rate $\gamma = \frac{1}{2}$

Starting point $x_1 = 1$, $f(1) = 2$, $f'(x) = 4x$, $\gamma = \frac{1}{2}$

$x_2 = 1 - \frac{1}{2} \cdot 4 = 1 - 2 = -1$

$x_3 = -1 - \frac{1}{2} \cdot (-4) = 1 \quad x_{k+1} = (1-2)^k x_1 = (-1)^k \cdot 1$

sequence

$x_{k+1} = (-1)^k \cdot 1$ Therefore GD can result in non-constant 2 period:

Polyak GD

$x_{k+1} = x_k - \gamma \nabla f(x_k) + \mu(x_k - x_{k-1})$

3-sequence $0, 0, 1 \rightarrow x_1 = 0 \quad x_2 = 0 \quad x_3 = 1$

$x_3 = 1 = 0 - \gamma \nabla f(0) + \mu(0-0) = -\gamma \nabla f(0) \Rightarrow \gamma = -\frac{1}{2 \cdot \nabla f(0)}$

$x_4 = 0 = 1 - \left(-\frac{1}{2 \cdot \nabla f(0)}\right) \cdot \nabla f(1) + \mu(1-0)$

$1 + \frac{\nabla f(1)}{2 \nabla f(0)} + \mu = 0 \Rightarrow \mu = -\frac{\nabla f(1)}{2 \nabla f(0)} - 1$

$x_5 = 0 = 0 + \frac{\nabla f(0) (= \nabla f(x_5))}{2 \nabla f(0) (= \gamma)} - \mu$

$\frac{1}{2} \cdot 1 - \mu = 0$

$\mu = \frac{1}{2}$

$-\frac{\nabla f(1)}{2 \nabla f(0)} - 1 = \frac{1}{2}$

$-\frac{\nabla f(1)}{2 \nabla f(0)} = \frac{3}{2} \Rightarrow -\nabla f(1) = 3 \nabla f(0)$

$-(a+b) = 3b$

$-a = 4b$

$b = -\frac{3}{2} \quad a = 6$

$a = -4b$

$\nabla f(x) = 6x^2 - \frac{3}{2}x$

$f(x) = \frac{6x^3}{3} - \frac{3}{2}x = 2x^3 - \frac{3}{2}x$

$x_5 = 0 - 1 \cdot \left(-\frac{3}{2}\right) + 0 = 0$

Compute γ :

$\gamma = \frac{1}{2 \nabla f(0)} = \frac{1}{2 \cdot \frac{1}{2}} = 1$

$\nabla f(x) = 4x^2 - 1$

Test: $f(x) = \frac{4x^3}{3} - x$

$\gamma = 1 \quad \mu = \frac{1}{2}$

$x_1 = 0, x_2 = 0$

$x_3 = x_2 - \gamma \cdot \nabla f(x_2) + \mu(x_2 - x_1)$

$= 0 - 1 \cdot \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) + 0 = \frac{1}{2}$

Let's try an arbitrary 3 sequence: $[0, 0, a, 0, 0, a, \dots]$

$$x_1 = 0 \quad x_2 = 0 \quad x_3 = a$$

$$x_3 = 0 - \gamma \nabla f(0) + \mu(0) \Rightarrow -\gamma \nabla f(0) = a$$

$$\gamma = -\frac{a}{\nabla f(0)} = -a \cdot (-2) = 2a$$

$$x_4 = 0 = a + \frac{a}{\nabla f(0)} \cdot \nabla f(a) + a\mu \Rightarrow \mu = \left(-a - \frac{a}{\nabla f(0)}\right) : a = \frac{-a(1 + \frac{1}{\nabla f(0)})}{a} = -1 - \frac{1}{\nabla f(0)} = -1 + 2 = 1$$

$$x_5 = 0 = 0 + \frac{a}{\nabla f(0)} \cdot \nabla f(0) + \left(-1 - \frac{1}{\nabla f(0)}\right)(-a) = 0 + a + a + \frac{a}{\nabla f(0)} = 2a + \frac{a}{\nabla f(0)} = 0$$

$$a + \frac{a}{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot \nabla f(a) + a = 0$$

$$2a - 2a \nabla f(a) = 0$$

$$2a \nabla f(a) = 2a$$

$$\nabla f(a) = 1 \quad \text{Another condition}$$

$a=0$
No, or sequence
is constant

$$\frac{1}{\nabla f(0)} = -2$$

$$-2 \nabla f(0) = 1$$

$$\nabla f(0) = -\frac{1}{2}$$

The intercept of σf is $-\frac{1}{2}$

$$\hookrightarrow \underline{\underline{\mu=1}} \quad \underline{\underline{\gamma=2a}}$$

Let's pick

$$f(x) = x^2 - \frac{1}{2}x$$

$$\mu=1 \quad \gamma=1$$

$$\nabla f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\nabla f(x) = 2x - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$x_3 = 0 - 1 \cdot \nabla f(0) + 1 \cdot 0 = 0 + \frac{1}{2} + 0 = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$x_4 = \frac{1}{2} - 1 \cdot \nabla f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + 1 \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$a \neq 0$ we pick $a = \frac{1}{2}$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Find } f(x), \text{ s. that } \nabla f(a) = 1 \quad \nabla f(0) = -\frac{1}{2} \quad \gamma=2a \quad \text{and } \mu=1$$

derivative of first term must be $\frac{3}{2}$ & first term must be of power > 1

$$\nabla f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = 1 = cx - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$3x - \frac{1}{2} \rightarrow f(x) = 1.5x^2 - \frac{1}{2}x$$

$$\text{Test: } x_3 = 0 - 1 \cdot \nabla f(0) + 0 = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$x_4 = \frac{1}{2} - 1 \cdot \nabla f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2} - 1 + \frac{1}{2} = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$$x_5 = 0 - 1 \cdot \nabla f(0) - \frac{1}{2} = 0 + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$$x_6 = 0 - 1 \cdot \nabla f(0) + 0 = 0 + \frac{1}{2} + 0 = \frac{1}{2} \quad \checkmark$$

If for $f(x) = \frac{3}{2}x^2 - \frac{1}{2}x$ we pick $\gamma=1$ $\mu=1$ we get a sequence $[0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, 0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \dots]$

Nesterov

$$x_{k+1} = x_k - \gamma \nabla f(x_k + \mu(x_k - x_{k-1})) + \mu(x_k - x_{k-1})$$

sequence $0, 0, a$

$$x_3 = 0 - \gamma \cdot \nabla f(0) + 0 = -\gamma \nabla f(0) = -a \Rightarrow \gamma = -\frac{a}{\nabla f(0)} \quad (1)$$

$$x_4 = a + \frac{a}{\nabla f(0)} \cdot \nabla f(a + \mu a) + \mu a = 0 \quad \mu = -a - \frac{a}{\nabla f(0)} \cdot \nabla f(a + \mu a) / a$$

Fix the ∇f : $\nabla f(x) = ax + x^b$ $b=1$

$$[0, 0, 2]: \quad x_3 = 0 - \gamma \cdot b + 0 = -\gamma b = 2 \Rightarrow \gamma = -\frac{2}{b} \quad b=1$$

$$x_4 = 0 = 2 + \frac{2}{b} \cdot \nabla f(2 + \mu \cdot 2) + \mu \cdot 2 = 2 + \frac{2}{b} \cdot (a(2 + \mu \cdot 2) + b) + \mu \cdot 2 = 2 + \frac{2}{b} (a(2 + \mu \cdot 2) + b) + \mu \cdot 2$$

$$= 2 + \frac{a \cdot 2^2}{b} + \frac{\mu a \cdot 2^2}{b} + 2 + \mu \cdot 2$$

$$= \frac{\mu a \cdot 2^2}{b} + \mu \cdot 2 = -2 - \frac{a \cdot 2^2}{b}$$

$$= \mu \left(\frac{a \cdot 2^2}{b} + 2 \right) = -2 - \frac{a \cdot 2^2}{b}$$

$$\mu = \frac{-2 - \frac{a \cdot 2^2}{b}}{\frac{a \cdot 2^2}{b} + 2}$$

$$a=1 \quad b=1 \quad 2=1.436$$

$$\mu = \frac{-2.872 - 2.062}{2.062 + 1} = -1.410$$

$$x_5 = 0 + \frac{2}{b} \cdot \nabla f\left(0 - 2 \left(\frac{-2 - \frac{a \cdot 2^2}{b}}{\frac{a \cdot 2^2}{b} + 2} \right)\right) - 2 \left(\frac{-2 - \frac{a \cdot 2^2}{b}}{\frac{a \cdot 2^2}{b} + 2} \right)$$

$$= 0 + \frac{2}{b} \cdot a \left(\frac{2z^2 + \frac{a \cdot z^3}{b}}{\frac{a \cdot z^2}{b} + z} \right) + \frac{2z^2 + \frac{a \cdot z^3}{b}}{\frac{a \cdot z^2}{b} + z} = 0$$

$$0 + z \cdot \frac{2z^2 + z^3}{z^2 + z} + \frac{2z^2 + z^3}{z^2 + z} = 0$$

$$\frac{2az^2}{b} + \frac{a^2z^4}{b^2} + \frac{2z^2}{1} + \frac{az^3}{b} = 0$$

$$2z^3 + z^4 + 2z^2 + z^3 = 0$$

$$z^2(z^2 + 3z + 2) = 0$$

$$z_1 = -2 \quad z_2 = -1$$

$$\frac{2az^2}{b} + \frac{a^2z^4}{b^2} + \frac{2z^2}{1} + \frac{az^3}{b} = 0$$

$$z = -5 \quad \gamma = 5 \quad \mu$$

$$\frac{2az^2 + az^3}{b} + \frac{a^2z^4}{b^2} + 2z^2 = 0$$

$$[0, 0, -5, 0, 10]$$

$b=1$

$$2az^2 + az^3 + a^2z^4 + 2z^2 = 0$$

$$x_6 =$$

$$z^2(z^2(a^2) + z(a) + (2+2a)) = 0$$

$z_{1,2} = 0$ NOT OK, CONSTANT SEQUENCE

$$z_{3,4} = \frac{-a^2 \pm \sqrt{a^2 - 4a^2(2+2a)}}{2a^2} = \frac{-a^2 \pm \sqrt{a^2 - 8a^2 - 8a^3}}{2a^2}$$

$$= \frac{-a^2 \pm \sqrt{a^2(-7-8a)}}{2a^2}$$

$$[a=1] \Rightarrow z = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{15}}{2}$$

$$z_1 = \frac{-1 + \sqrt{15}}{2}$$

$$[0, 0, \frac{-1 + \sqrt{15}}{2}]$$

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

$$\gamma = -z = -1.436 \quad \mu =$$

$$z = -2 \quad \text{seq} = [-2, 0, -2, 0, \dots]$$

but $\mu = 0$ so NOT OK \therefore

② Determine γ_{opt} : $f(x, y, z) = x^2 + 2y^2 - 2yz + 4z^2 + 3x - 4y + 5z$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} &= 2x + 3 \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} &= 4y - 2z - 4 \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} &= -2y + 8z + 5 \end{aligned} \quad H = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & -2 \\ 0 & -2 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det(H - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} 2-\lambda & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 4-\lambda & -2 \\ 0 & -2 & 8-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (2-\lambda) \cdot ((4-\lambda)(8-\lambda) - (4)) = (2-\lambda)(32 - 12\lambda + \lambda^2 - 4) = (2-\lambda)(\lambda^2 - 12\lambda + 28) = 0$$

$$\lambda_1 = 2 = \alpha$$

$$\lambda_{2,3} = \frac{12 \pm \sqrt{12^2 - 4 \cdot 28}}{2} = 6 \pm 2\sqrt{2}$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu}} = \frac{\sqrt{\beta} - \sqrt{\alpha}}{\sqrt{\beta} + \sqrt{\alpha}} = \frac{\sqrt{6+2\sqrt{2}} - \sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{6+2\sqrt{2}} + \sqrt{2}} \approx 0.35504 \Rightarrow \mu \approx \underline{0.126058}$$

$$\lambda_2 = 6 - 2\sqrt{2} \quad \lambda_3 = 6 + 2\sqrt{2} = \beta$$

$$\gamma = \frac{4}{(\sqrt{\alpha} + \sqrt{\beta})^2} = \frac{4}{(\sqrt{6+2\sqrt{2}} + \sqrt{2})^2} \approx \underline{0.120798}$$