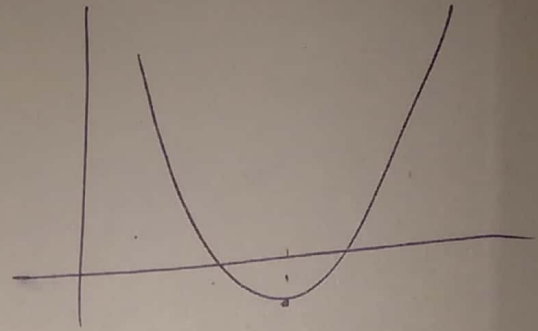


Exercise 1

Q3.

$$\min_x x^2 - 2x = f(x)$$

$$\min_x f(x)$$



$$(a) f'(x) \Big|_{x=x_{\min}} \Rightarrow 2x - 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{x = 1}$$

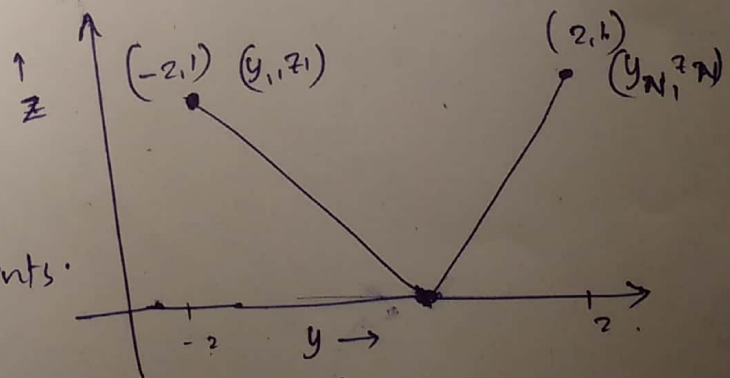
Some result observed at both. (Ans)

(b) ~~min~~ Opt. subject to $(x \geq 1.5)$
 $x = 1.5 \Rightarrow$ intuitively matches with graph. (Ans)

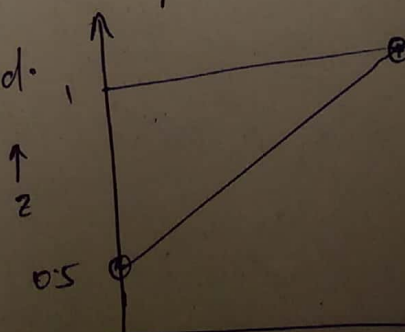
(c) Casadi returns $x = 1; y = 1$ (Ans)

Q4.

(a) a soln exist satisfying
 the given ground constraints.



(b) error returned with given ground
 constraints: $z_i \geq 0.5$ & $|z_i - 0.1 y_i| \geq 0.5$.
 \Rightarrow No solutions obtained.



(b) constraints, y_N
 $z_i > 0.5$
 \Rightarrow soln exist.

Part - III : Convex Optimization

Q5

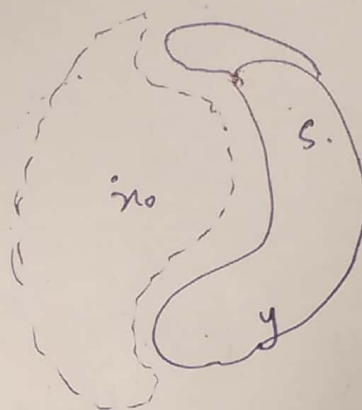
(a) A wedge

$$\{x \in \mathbb{R}^n \mid a_1^T x \leq b, a_2^T x \leq b_2\}$$

\Rightarrow convex set

(b) set of points closer to given point than a given set.

\Rightarrow Not convex



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(c) set of points closer to 1 set than another.

\Rightarrow Not convex



(d) $f(x_1, x_2) = \frac{1}{x_1 x_2} \quad x_1, x_2 \in \mathbb{R}_{++}^2$

$$\nabla f = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f(x_1, x_2)}{\partial x_1} \\ \frac{\partial f(x_1, x_2)}{\partial x_2} \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 1} = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{x_2 x_1^2} \\ -\frac{1}{x_1 x_2^2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Hessian, } H = \nabla^2 f =$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_1^2} & \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_1 \partial x_2} \\ \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_2 \partial x_1} & \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_2^2} \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2}$$

$$H = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{x_2 x_1^3} & \frac{-2}{x_1^2 x_2^2} \\ \frac{-2}{x_1^2 x_2^2} & \frac{2}{x_1 x_2^3} \end{bmatrix}$$

$\frac{2}{x_2 x_1^3} > 0$ $\frac{-2}{x_1^2 x_2^2} < 0$
 $\frac{-2}{x_1^2 x_2^2} < 0$ $\frac{2}{x_1 x_2^3} > 0$

$$\Rightarrow H \geq 0 \quad \forall (x_1, x_2) \in \mathbb{R}^{++}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Hence } f(x_1, x_2) : \boxed{\text{convex}} \text{ in } \underline{\text{given domain}} \text{ (Ans)}$$

(e) $f(x_1, x_2) = \frac{x_1}{x_2}$ on \mathbb{R}_{++}^2

$$\nabla f = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{x_2} \\ -\frac{x_1}{x_2^2} \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2$$

$\frac{1}{x_2} > 0$
 $-\frac{x_1}{x_2^2} < 0$

$$H = \nabla^2 f = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_1^2} & \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_1 \partial x_2} \\ \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_2 \partial x_1} & \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_2^2} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\frac{1}{x_2^2} \\ -\frac{1}{x_2^2} & \frac{2x_1}{x_2^3} \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2}$$

H is ~~not~~ not positive semi-definite. in $(x_1, x_2) \in \mathbb{R}_{++}^2$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{f(x_1, x_2) : \text{not convex}} \text{ (Ans)}$$

Q6). To prove: $\min_{x \in \mathbb{R}^n} f(x)$ has global min point.

where $f(x)$: continuous, coercive function.

Ans to Weierstrass th

" If $\Omega \in \mathbb{R}^n$ is non-empty & compact (bounded & closed) and $f: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is continuous, then there exist a global minimizer of optimⁿ problem

$$\min_{x \in \mathbb{R}^n} f(x) \quad \text{subject to } x \in \Omega.$$

Here, consider $\Omega \in \mathbb{R}^n$, a subset of domain (bounded & closed).

Using W.T th,

$$\min_{x \in \mathbb{R}^n} f(x) \quad \text{has global minimizer}$$

subject to $f(x): \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is continuous.

\Rightarrow

Hence proved

(Ans.)

$$\textcircled{D7} \text{ a) } V_{\text{chain}}(y, z) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^{N-1} D \left((y_i - y_{i+1})^2 + (z_i - z_{i+1})^2 \right) + g_0 \sum_{i=1}^{N-1} z_i$$

subject to $z_i \geq -0.2 + 0.1 y_i^2$.

$$V_{\text{chain}}(y, z) \Big|_{z=z_{\min}} \geq V_{\text{chain}}^{\min}(y, z) \Big|_{z=z_{\min}} = -0.2 + 0.1 y_i^2.$$

$$V_{\text{chain}}^{\min}(y, z) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^{N-1} \left[D \left((y_i - y_{i+1})^2 + (0.1 y_i^2 - 0.1 y_{i+1}^2)^2 \right) + g_0 \sum_{i=1}^{N-1} (-0.2 + 0.1 y_i^2) \right] + \text{const.}$$

... cont

Q7) a). $y = D (y_i - y_{i+1})^2 + (0.1 y_i^2 - 0.1 y_{i+1}^2)^2 + g.m (-0.2 + 0.1 y_i^2)$

$$\frac{\partial y}{\partial y_i} = 2D (y_i - y_{i+1}) + 2 (0.1 y_i^2 - 0.1 y_{i+1}^2) 0.2 y_i + g.m \cdot 0.2 y_i$$

$$\frac{\partial y}{\partial y_{i+1}} = 2D (y_i - y_{i+1})(-1) + 2 (0.1 y_i^2 - 0.1 y_{i+1}^2) (-0.2 y_{i+1}) + 0$$

$$\nabla^2 y = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial y_i^2} & \frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial y_i \partial y_{i+1}} \\ \frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial y_{i+1} \partial y_i} & \frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial y_{i+1}^2} \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2} = H$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2D + 2(0.2(0.1 y_i^2 - 0.1 y_{i+1}^2) + 0.2 y_i(0.2 y_i) + g.m \cdot 0.2) & -2D + 2 \cdot 0.2 y_i (-0.2 y_{i+1}) \\ -2D + 2 \cdot 0.2 y_i (-0.2 y_{i+1}) & 2D + 2(-0.2(0.1 y_i^2 - 0.1 y_{i+1}^2) + 0.2 y_{i+1} \cdot 0.2 y_{i+1}) \end{bmatrix}$$

$\Rightarrow H = \nabla^2 y$ is not positive semi-definite

\Rightarrow Hence function is not convex

Q8)

a) $V_{el}^i = \frac{1}{2} D d_i^2, \quad i = 1, \dots, N-1$

$$d_i^2 = (y_i - y_{i+1})^2 + (z_i - z_{i+1})^2 + L_i^2 - 2 \sqrt{(y_i - y_{i+1})^2 + (z_i - z_{i+1})^2} L_i$$

Since $\frac{d^2 V_{el}^i}{dy_i^2}, \frac{d^2 V_{el}^i}{dy_{i+1}^2} \text{ not } \geq 0$

\Rightarrow function is non-convex (Ans).

(b). $V_{el}^i = \frac{1}{2} D \max(0, d_i^2).$

$$\frac{d^2 V_{el}^i}{dy_i^2} = \frac{1}{2} D \max\left(0, \frac{d^2 d_i^2}{dy_i^2}\right).$$

$$\geq 0$$

\Rightarrow Convex function.

Q8) c).

The problem will be non-convex and do not generate unique solution.

