

## BAS-26 OPTIMIZATION TECHNIQUES

<b>Course category</b>	: Basic Sciences & Maths (BSM)
<b>Pre-requisite Subject</b>	: NIL
<b>Contact hours/week</b>	: Lecture : 3, Tutorial : 1 , Practical: 0
<b>Number of Credits</b>	: 4
<b>Course Assessment methods</b>	: Continuous assessment through tutorials, attendance, home assignments, quizzes and Three Minor tests and One Major Theory Examination
<b>Course Outcomes</b>	: The students are expected to be able to demonstrate the following knowledge, skills and attitudes after completing this course

1. To find the root of a curve using iterative methods.
2. To interpolate a curve using Gauss, Newton's interpolation formula.
3. Use the theory of optimization methods and algorithms developed for various types of optimization problems.
4. To apply the mathematical results and numerical techniques of optimization theory to Engineering problems.

### Topics Covered

<b>UNIT-I</b>	9
<b>Classical Optimization Techniques:</b> Single variable optimization, Multi-variable with no constraints. Non-linear programming: One Dimensional Minimization methods. Elimination methods: Fibonacci method, Golden Section method.	
<b>UNIT-II</b>	9
<b>Linear Programming: Constrained Optimization Techniques:</b> Simplex method, Solution of System of Linear Simultaneous equations, Revised Simplex method, Transportation problems, Karmarkar's method, Duality Theorems, Dual Simplex method, Decomposition principle.	
<b>UNIT-III</b>	9
<b>Non-Linear Programming: Unconstrained Optimization Techniques:</b> Direct search methods: Random jumping method, Univariate method, Rosenbrock's method. Indirect search methods: Steepest Descent method, Cauchy-Newton Methods, Newton's method.	
<b>UNIT-IV</b>	9
<b>Geometric Programming:</b> Polynomial, Unconstrained minimization problem, Degree of difficulty. Solution of an unconstrained <b>Geometric</b> Programming problem. Constrained minimization complementary Geometric Programming, Application of Geometric Programming.	

### Books & References

1. Engineering Optimization- S.S. Rao, New Age International
2. Applied Optimal Design-E.J. Haug and J.S. Arora; Wiley New York
3. Optimization for Engineering Design-Kalyanmoy Deb; Prentice Hall of India

You tube Channel:- [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=l\\_fhvjmdmU](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=l_fhvjmdmU)

## Indirect Search Methods

### Gradient of a function

the gradient of a function in an n-dimensional component vector is given by

$$\nabla f_{n \times 1} = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \partial f / \partial x_1 \\ \partial f / \partial x_2 \\ \vdots \\ \partial f / \partial x_n \end{array} \right\} \quad \dots (6.56)$$

↙ Steepest Descent (Cauchy) Method → The use of the negative of the gradient vector as a direction for minimization was first made by Cauchy in 1847. In this method, we start from an initial trial point  $x_1$  and iteratively move along the steepest descent directions until the optimum point is found. This method is summarized as

1. Start with an arbitrary initial point  $x_1$ .
2. Find the search direction  $S_i$  as

$$S_i = -\nabla f_i = -\nabla f(x_i)$$

3. Determine the optimal step length  $d_i^*$  in the direction  $S_i$  and set

$$x_{i+1} = x_i + d_i^* S_i = x_i - d_i^* \nabla f_i \quad (6.70)$$

4. Test the new point,  $x_{i+1}$  for optimality - If  $x_{i+1}$  is optimum, stop the process, otherwise, go to step 5.

5. Set new iteration number  $i = i+1$  and go to step 2.

Q. Minimize  $f(x_1, x_2) = x_1 - x_2 + 2x_1^2 + 2x_1x_2 + x_2^2$   
 starting from the point  $x_1 = \begin{Bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{Bmatrix}$

M Iteration 1.

the gradient of  $f$  is given by

$$\nabla f = \begin{Bmatrix} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2} \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{Bmatrix} 1 + 4x_1 + 2x_2 \\ -1 + 2x_1 + 2x_2 \end{Bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \nabla f_1 = \begin{Bmatrix} 1 + 4 \cdot 0 + 2 \cdot 0 \\ -1 + 2 \cdot 0 + 2 \cdot 0 \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{Bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{Bmatrix}$$

therefore

$$S_1 = -\nabla f_1 = -\begin{Bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{Bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{Bmatrix}$$

To find  $x_2$ , we need to find the optimum step

length  $d_1^*$ . for this, we minimize

$$\text{we minimize } f(x_1 + d_1 S_1) = f\left(\begin{matrix} -d_1 \\ d_1 \end{matrix}\right)$$

$$= -d_1 - d_1 + 2d_1^2 - 2d_1^2 + d_1^2$$

$$= d_1^2 - 2d_1$$

$$\text{now } \frac{\partial f}{\partial d_1} = 2d_1 - 2 = 0 \Rightarrow d_1^* = 1$$



we obtain

$$x_2 = x_1 + d_1^* S_1 = \begin{Bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{Bmatrix} + 1 \begin{Bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{Bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{Bmatrix}$$

$$\text{as } \nabla f_2 = \nabla f(x_2) = \begin{Bmatrix} 1 - 4 + 2 \\ -1 - 2 + 2 \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{Bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \end{Bmatrix} \neq \begin{Bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{Bmatrix}, \quad x_2 \text{ is not optimum.}$$

Iteration 2.

$$S_2 = -\nabla f_2 = \begin{Bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{Bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(x_2 + dS_2) &= f\left(\begin{Bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{Bmatrix} + d_1 \begin{Bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{Bmatrix}\right) = f(-1 + d_2, 1 + d_2) \\ &= 5d_2^2 - 2d_2 - 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{df}{dd_2} = 10d_2 - 2 = 0 \Rightarrow d_2^* = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x_3 &= x_2 + d_2^* S_2 = \begin{Bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{Bmatrix} + \frac{1}{5} \begin{Bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{Bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{Bmatrix} -1 + 0.2 \\ 1 + 0.2 \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{Bmatrix} -0.8 \\ 1.2 \end{Bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \begin{Bmatrix} -1 + 0.2 \\ 1 + 0.2 \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{Bmatrix} -0.80 \\ 1.20 \end{Bmatrix} \Rightarrow x_3 = \begin{Bmatrix} -0.80 \\ 1.20 \end{Bmatrix}$$

$$\text{now, } \nabla f_3 = \nabla f(x_3) = \begin{Bmatrix} 1 - 3 \cdot 20 + 2 \cdot 4 \\ -1 - 1.6 + 2 \cdot 40 \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{Bmatrix} 0.2 \\ -0.2 \end{Bmatrix}$$

or similarly we calculate  $x_4$ , and so on.

## Newton's Method.

consider the quadratic approximation of the function  $f(x)$  at  $x = x_i$  using the Taylor's series expansion

$$f(x) = f(x_i) + \nabla f_i^T (x - x_i) + \frac{1}{2} (x - x_i)^T [J_i] (x - x_i) \quad (6.95)$$

where  $[J_i] = [J]_{x_i}$  is the matrix of second partial derivatives (Hessian matrix) at a point  $x_i$

By set the partial derivatives of Equation (6.95) equal to zero for minimum of  $f(x)$ , we obtain

$$\frac{\partial f(x)}{\partial x_j} = 0, \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, n \quad \text{--- (6.96)}$$

Equation (6.96) and (6.95) give

$$\nabla f = \nabla f_i + [J_i] (x - x_i) = 0 \quad \text{--- (6.97)}$$

If  $[J_i]$  is non-singular, equation (6.97) can be solved to obtain an improved approximation ( $x = x_{i+1}$ ) as

$$x_{i+1} = x_i - [J_i]^{-1} \nabla f_i \quad \text{--- (6.98)}$$

The sequence of points  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{i+1}$  can be shown to converge to the actual solution  $x^*$  from any initial point  $x_1$  sufficiently close to the solution  $x^*$ , provided that  $[J_i]$  is non-singular.



Q. Minimize  $f(x_1, x_2) = x_1 - x_2 + 2x_1^2 + 2x_1x_2 + x_2^2$  by taking the starting point as  $\begin{Bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{Bmatrix} = x_1$

↳ To find  $x_L$ , we require,  $[J_1]^{-1}$

$$[J_1] = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2} \\ \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_1 \partial x_1} & \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_1 \partial x_2} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$[J_1]^{-1} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 \\ -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$g_1 = \nabla f = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2} \end{bmatrix}_{x_1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 + 4x_1 + 2x_2 \\ -1 + 2x_1 + 2x_2 \end{bmatrix}_{\{0,0\}} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Now

$$x_L = x_1 - [J_1]^{-1} \nabla f_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} - 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ +3/2 \end{bmatrix}$$

To see  $x_L$  is the optimum point, we check

$$g_L = \nabla f = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2} \end{bmatrix}_{\{-1, 3/2\}} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 + 4x_1 + 2x_2 \\ -1 + 2x_1 + 2x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 - 4 + 3 \\ -1 - 2 + 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

as  $g_2 = 0$ ,  $x_2$  is the optimum point.

Q. Minimize  $f(x_1, x_2) = 100(x_1^2 - x_2)^2 + (1 - x_1)^2$  taking

$$\nabla f = \begin{cases} \partial f / \partial x_1 \\ \partial f / \partial x_2 \end{cases} = \begin{cases} 200(x_1^2 - x_2) \cdot 2x_1 + 2(1 - x_1) \cdot (-1) \\ 200(x_1^2 - x_2) \cdot (-1) \end{cases}$$
$$= \begin{cases} 400(x_1 + 2) \cdot (-2) + 2(1 + 2) \cdot (-1) \\ 200(4 + 2) \cdot (-1) \end{cases} = \begin{cases} -4806 \\ -1200 \end{cases}$$

Q2 -  $f = x_1^2 + x_2^2 - 2x_1 - 4x_2 + 5$ ,  $x_1 = \begin{Bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{Bmatrix}$  by Newton's Method.



## Univariate Method

Univariate method can be summarized as follows

- 1) choose an arbitrary starting point  $x_1$  and set  $i=1$ .
- 2) Find the search direction  $S_i$  as

$$S_i^T = \begin{cases} (1, 0, 0, \dots, 0) & \text{for } i = 1, n+1, 2n+1, \dots \\ (0, 1, \dots, 0) & \text{for } i = 2, n+2, 2n+2, \dots \\ (0, 0, 1, \dots, 0) & \text{for } i = 3, n+3, 2n+3, \dots \\ \vdots & \vdots \\ (0, 0, 0, \dots, 1) & \text{for } i = n, 2n, 3n, \dots \end{cases}$$

- 3) Determine whether  $d_i$  should be +ve or negative. For the current direction  $S_i$ , this means find whether the function value decreases in the +ve or -ve direction. For this, we take a small probe length ( $\epsilon$ ) and evaluate  $f_i = f(x_i)$ ,  $f^+ = f(x_i + \epsilon S_i)$  and  $f^- = f(x_i - \epsilon S_i)$ . If  $f^+ < f_i$ ,  $S_i$  will be the correct direction for decreasing the value of  $f$  and if  $f^- < f_i$ ,  $-S_i$  will be the correct one. If both  $f^+$  and  $f^-$  are greater than  $f_i$ , we take  $x_i$  as the minimum along the direction  $S_i$ .

- 4) Find the optimal step length  $d_i^*$  such that

$$f(x_i \pm d_i^* s_i) = \min_{d_i} (x_i \pm d_i s_i)$$

where + or - sign has to be used depending upon whether  $s_i$  or  $-s_i$  is the direction for decreasing the function value.

5) Set  $x_{i+1} = x_i \pm d_i^* s_i$  depending on the direction for decreasing the function value, and

$$f_{i+1} = f(x_{i+1}).$$

6) Set the new value of  $i = i+1$  and go to step 2.

Continue this procedure until no significant change is achieved in the value of the objective function.

Q. Minimize  $f(x_1, x_2) = x_1 - x_2 + 2x_1^2 + 2x_1x_2 + x_2^2$   
with the starting point  $(0, 0)$

Let Probe length ( $\epsilon$ ) as 0.01.

iteration  $i=1$

Step 1. Choose the search direction  $s_1$  as  $s_1 = \begin{Bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{Bmatrix}$

Step 3. To find whether the value of  $f$  decreases along  $s_1$  or  $-s_1$ , we use the probe length  $\epsilon$ . Since

$$f_1 = f(x_1) = f(0, 0) = 0, \quad x_1 = \begin{Bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{Bmatrix}$$

$$f^+ = f(x_1 + \epsilon s_1) = f\left(\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \epsilon \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}\right) = f(\epsilon, 0)$$



$$= 0.01 - 0 + 2(0.0001) + 0 + 0 = 0.0102 > f_1$$

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 $f^- = f(x_1 - \epsilon s_1) = f(-\epsilon, 0) = -0.01 - 0 + 2(0.0001)$

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 $+ 0 + 0 = -0.9998 < f_1$   
 $-s_1$  is the correct direction for minimizing  $f$  from  $x_1$ .

To find the optimum step length  $d_1^*$ , we minimize

$$f(x_1 + d_1 s_1) = f\left\{\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + d_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}\right\} = \cancel{f\left\{\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + d_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}\right\}}$$

$$= f(-d_1, 0)$$

$$= (-d_1) - 0 + 2(-d_1)^2 + 0 + 0 = -d_1 + 2d_1^2$$

as  
 $\frac{df}{dd_1} = -1 + 4d_1 = 0 \Rightarrow d_1 = 1/4$  we have  $d_1^* = 1/4$

Set  
 $x_2 = x_1 - d_1^* s_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} - \frac{1}{4} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1/4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

$$f_2 = f(x_2) = f(-1/4, 0) = -1/8$$

iteration  $i=2$ , choose the search direction  $s_2$  as  $s_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$$f_2 = f(x_2) = -1/8 = -0.125$$

$$f^+ = f(x_2 + \epsilon s_2) = f\left(\begin{pmatrix} -1/4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + 0.01 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}\right)$$

$$= f(-0.25, 0.01) = -0.1399 < f_2$$

$$f^- = f(x_2 - \epsilon s_2) = f(-0.25, -0.01) = -0.1099 > f_2$$

$\Rightarrow s_2$  is the correct direction for decreasing the value of  $f$  from  $x_2$ .



We minimize  $f(x_L + d_L s_L)$  to find  $d_L^*$   
 here

$$f(x_L + d_L s_L) = f\left(\begin{pmatrix} -0.25 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + d_L \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}\right)$$

$$= f(-0.25, d_L) = d_L^2 - 1.5d_L - 0.125$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial d_L} = 2d_L - 1.5 = 0 \Rightarrow d_L^* = \frac{1.5}{2} = 0.75$$

Let  $x_3 = x_L + d_L^* s_L = \begin{pmatrix} -0.25 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + 0.75 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} -0.25 \\ 0.75 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$f(x_3) = -0.6875$$

Q. Minimize  $= x_1 - x_2 + x_3 + 2x_1^2 + 2x_2^2 - x_3^2 + 2x_1x_3 + 4x_2x_3 - 6x_1x_2$

$$x_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, s_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \epsilon = 0.01$$

$-s_2$  is the correct direction

$$d_1 = f(x_1) = 7$$

$$d_1^+ = 6.9502 < d_1$$

$$d_1^- = 7.0502$$

$\Rightarrow s_1$  is the correct direction

$$\Rightarrow x_3 = x_2 - d_2 s_2$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 9 \\ 15 \\ 2 - d_2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

now  $f(x_1 + d_1 s_1) = f\left(\begin{pmatrix} 1+d_1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}\right) = 7 - 5d_1 + 2d_1^2$

$$\frac{\partial f(x_1 + d_1 s_1)}{\partial d_1} = -5 + 4d_1 \Rightarrow d_1 = 5/4$$

$$\Rightarrow x_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 9/4 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$f(x_2) = d_2 = \frac{107}{25} = 4.28$$

$$d_2^+ = 4.2822$$

$$d_2^- = 4.2782 < f(x_2) = d_2$$

# Geometric Programming.

Posynomial - the objective function  $f(x)$  is given by the sum of several component costs  $U_i(x)$  as

$$f(x) = U_1 + U_2 + \dots + U_N$$

In many cases, the component cost  $U_i$  can be expressed as power functions of the type

$$U_i = c_i x_1^{a_{i1}} x_2^{a_{i2}} \dots x_n^{a_{in}}$$

the coefficients  $c_i$  are +ve constants, the exponent  $a_{ij}$  are real constants (+ve, zero, -ve) and the variables  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  are taken to be +ve. Functions  $f$  because of +ve coefficients and variables and real exponents are called posynomials. For example

$$f(x_1, x_2, x_3) = 6 + 3x_1 - 8x_2 + 7x_3 + 2x_1x_3 - 3x_1x_3 + \frac{4}{3}x_2x_3 + \frac{8}{7}x_1^2 - 9x_2^2 + x_3^2$$

is a second-degree polynomial in variables  $x_1, x_2, x_3$

while

$$g(x_1, x_2, x_3) = x_1x_2x_3 + x_1^2x_2 + 4x_3 + \frac{2}{x_1x_2} + 5x_3^{-1/2}$$

is a posynomial



# Unconstrained minimization Problems

Unconstrained minimizing problem

Find  $x = \begin{Bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{Bmatrix}$  that minimizes the objective function

$$f(x) = \sum_{j=1}^N U_j(x) = \sum_{j=1}^N (c_j x_1^{a_{1j}} x_2^{a_{2j}} \dots x_n^{a_{nj}}) \quad \dots (P.5)$$

where  $c_j > 0, x_j > 0$  and  $a_{ij}$  is real const.

Solution of an unconstrained geometric problem using Differential calculus,

as minimizing objective function is

$$f(x) = \sum_{j=1}^N U_j(x) = \sum_{j=1}^N (c_j x_1^{a_{1j}} x_2^{a_{2j}} x_3^{a_{3j}} \dots x_n^{a_{nj}})$$

For maxima or minima

$$\frac{\partial f(x)}{\partial x_k} = \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{\partial U_j}{\partial x_k} = 0$$

$k = 1 \dots n$ , means  $n$  variables.

if we multiply

$$x_k \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_k} = \sum_{j=1}^N a_{kj} U_j(x) = 0, \quad k = 1 \text{ to } n \quad \dots (P.6)$$

To find the minimizing vector  $x^\circ = \begin{Bmatrix} x_1^\circ \\ x_2^\circ \\ \vdots \\ x_n^\circ \end{Bmatrix}$

we have

$$\sum_{j=1}^N a_{kj} U_j(x^\circ) = 0 \quad \rightarrow k = 1, 2, \dots, n \quad (P.6)$$

now, divide eq (P.6) by  $f^\circ$  (min value of  $f$ )

$$\sum_{j=1}^N a_{kj} \frac{U_j(x^\circ)}{f^\circ} = \sum_{j=1}^N a_{kj} \Delta_j^\circ \quad \dots (P.7)$$

where  $\Delta_j^\circ = \frac{U_j^\circ}{f^\circ}$

this relation (P.7) is orthogonality condition

$$\text{as } f(x) = \sum_{j=1}^N U_j(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{U_j(x)}{f} = 1 \Rightarrow \sum_{j=1}^N \Delta_j^\circ = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta_1 + \Delta_2 + \dots + \Delta_N = 1$$

this condition (P.8) is called the normality condition. now

$$f^\circ = \left( \frac{U_1^\circ}{\Delta_1^\circ} \right)^{\Delta_1^\circ} \left( \frac{U_2^\circ}{\Delta_2^\circ} \right)^{\Delta_2^\circ} \dots \left( \frac{U_N^\circ}{\Delta_N^\circ} \right)^{\Delta_N^\circ} \quad \dots (P.12)$$



or relation (8.12) can be written as

$$f^* = \left( \frac{c_1}{\Delta_1^*} \right) \Delta_1^* \left( \frac{c_2}{\Delta_2^*} \right) \Delta_2^* \left( \frac{c_3}{\Delta_3^*} \right) \Delta_3^* \dots \left( \frac{c_N}{\Delta_N^*} \right) \Delta_N^*$$

\*  $n$  = no. of variables,  $N$  = no. of terms in the objective function

if  $N = n+1$ , there will be as many linear simultaneous equations as there are unknowns and we can find a unique solution.

if  $N - n - 1 = 0$ , the problem is said to have a zero degree of difficulty. If  $N > n+1$  we have more no. of variables than the equations, then sometimes this method is not applicable.

unknown  $\Delta_j^*$  can be determined uniquely from the orthogonality and normality conditions

Solve the Problem

$J(x) = 80x_1x_2 + 40x_2x_3 + 20x_1x_3 + \frac{80}{x_1x_2x_3}$  solve

the Problem, it is a general Polynomial.

$c_1 = 80, c_2 = 40, c_3 = 20, c_4 = 80$

compare with

$$J(x) = \sum_{j=1}^N (c_j x_1^{a_{1j}} x_2^{a_{2j}} \dots x_n^{a_{nj}})$$

$$= c_1 x_1^{a_{11}} x_2^{a_{21}} x_3^{a_{31}} + c_2 x_1^{a_{12}} x_2^{a_{22}} x_3^{a_{32}} + c_3 x_1^{a_{13}} x_2^{a_{23}} x_3^{a_{33}} + c_4 x_1^{a_{14}} x_2^{a_{24}} x_3^{a_{34}}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & a_{14} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} & a_{24} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} & a_{34} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

~~the orthogonality condition~~

the orthogonality and normality conditions are given by

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^N \Delta_j a_{kj} = 0 \quad k=1 \dots n \quad (1.7)$$

$$\Delta_1 a_{k1} + \Delta_2 a_{k2} + \Delta_3 a_{k3} + \Delta_4 a_{k4} = 0$$

$$\Delta_1 a_{11} + \Delta_2 a_{12} + \Delta_3 a_{13} + \Delta_4 a_{14} = 0$$

$$\Delta_1 a_{21} + \Delta_2 a_{22} + \Delta_3 a_{23} + \Delta_4 a_{24} = 0$$

$$\Delta_1 a_{31} + \Delta_2 a_{32} + \Delta_3 a_{33} + \Delta_4 a_{34} = 0$$

$\Delta_1 a_{41}$  orthogonal conditions

$$\sum_{j=1}^N \Delta_j = 1 \quad \text{in orthogonal condition}$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta_1 + \Delta_2 + \Delta_3 + \Delta_4 = 1 \quad (9)$$

$$\Delta_1 + 0 + \Delta_3 - \Delta_4 = 0$$

$$\Delta_1 + \Delta_2 + 0 - \Delta_4 = 0$$

$$0 + \Delta_2 + \Delta_3 - \Delta_4 = 0$$

Solving these eq, get

$$\Delta_4 = \Delta_1 + \Delta_3 = \Delta_1 + \Delta_2 \Rightarrow \Delta_2 = \Delta_3$$

$$\text{and } \Delta_4 = \Delta_1 + \Delta_3 = \Delta_2 + \Delta_3 \Rightarrow \Delta_1 = \Delta_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta_1 = \Delta_2 = \Delta_3 \Rightarrow \Delta_4 = 2\Delta_1$$

from eq (9),  ~~$\Delta_1 + \Delta_1 + \Delta_1 + 2\Delta_1 = 1$~~   $\Delta_1 + \Delta_1 + \Delta_1 + 2\Delta_1 = 1$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta_1 = \frac{1}{5} \Rightarrow \Delta_1^* = \Delta_2^* = \Delta_3^* = \frac{1}{5}, \Delta_4^* = \frac{2}{5}$$

So, optimal value of the objective function is

$$\begin{aligned} J^* &= \prod_{j=1}^N \left( \frac{C_j}{\Delta_j^*} \right)^{\Delta_j^*} = \left( \frac{80}{1/5} \right)^{1/5} \left( \frac{40}{1/5} \right)^{1/5} \left( \frac{20}{1/5} \right)^{1/5} \left( \frac{80}{2/5} \right)^{2/5} \\ &= (400)^{1/5} \times (200)^{1/5} \times (100)^{1/5} \times (200)^{2/5} \\ &= (400 \times 200 \times 100 \times 200 \times 200)^{1/5} \\ &= (32 \times 10^5)^{1/5} = 200 \end{aligned}$$

Now to find  $\eta_1, \eta_2, \eta_3 \dots$

$$\text{we know } U_j^* = \Delta_j^* J^*$$

$$\Rightarrow U_1^* = 80 \eta_1^* \eta_2^* = \Delta_1^* J^* = \frac{1}{5} \times 200 = 40$$

$$U_2^* = 40 \eta_2^* \eta_3^* = \Delta_2^* J^* = \frac{1}{5} \times 200 = 40$$

$$U_3^* = 20 \eta_1^* \eta_3^* = \Delta_3^* J^* = \frac{1}{5} \times 200 = 40$$

$$U_4^* = \frac{80}{\eta_1^* \eta_2^* \eta_3^*} = \Delta_4^* J^* = \frac{2}{5} \times 200 = 80$$

Solving these eqn in

$$x_2^0 = \frac{1}{2} x_1^0 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{x_2^0} = 2 x_1^0$$

$$x_3^0 = \frac{1}{x_2^0} = \frac{1}{2 x_1^0}$$

$$x_3^0 = \frac{2}{x_1^0}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2}{x_1^0} = \frac{1}{x_2^0} = 2 x_1^0 \Rightarrow x_1^0 = 1 \Rightarrow x_1^0 = 1.$$

$$x_2^0 = \frac{1}{2}, x_3^0 = 2$$

Solution of an unconstrained geometric Problem using Arithmetic-Geometric inequality

Geometrical Primal Problem (Unconstrained)

Find  $x = \begin{Bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{Bmatrix}$  so that  $\text{Min}(x) = \sum_{j=1}^n c_j x_1^{a_{1j}} x_2^{a_{2j}} \dots x_n^{a_{nj}}$

$$x_1 > 0, x_2 > 0, \dots, x_n > 0$$

then the geometric dual of Primal Problem is

Find  $\Delta = \begin{Bmatrix} \Delta_1 \\ \vdots \\ \Delta_n \end{Bmatrix}$  so that

$$\text{Max } v(\Delta) = \prod_{j=1}^n \left( \frac{c_j}{\Delta_j} \right)^{\Delta_j} \quad \text{or}$$

$$\log \{ \text{Max } v(\Delta) \} = \log \left[ \prod_{j=1}^n \left( \frac{c_j}{\Delta_j} \right)^{\Delta_j} \right]$$

subject to the constraints

$$\sum_{j=1}^n \Delta_j = 1$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} \Delta_j = 0, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n$$



# dual and Primal of Linear Problem

Find  $x = \begin{Bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{Bmatrix}$

so that

$g_0(x) = f(x) \rightarrow$  Minimum

subject to constraint

$g_1(x) \leq 1$

$g_2(x) \leq 1$

$\vdots$

$g_m(x) \leq 1$

With

$g_0(x) = \sum_{j=1}^{n_0} c_{0j} x_j = a_{01j} x_1 + a_{02j} x_2 + \dots + a_{0nj} x_n$

$g_1(x) = \sum_{j=1}^{n_1} c_{1j} x_j = a_{11j} x_1 + a_{12j} x_2 + \dots + a_{1mj} x_n$

$g_2(x) = \sum_{j=1}^{n_2} c_{2j} x_j = a_{21j} x_1 + a_{22j} x_2 + \dots + a_{2mj} x_n$

$\vdots$

$g_m(x) = \sum_{j=1}^{n_m} c_{mj} x_j = a_{m1j} x_1 + a_{m2j} x_2 + \dots + a_{mnj} x_n$

Find  $d = \begin{Bmatrix} d_{01} \\ d_{02} \\ \vdots \\ d_{0n_0} \\ d_{11} \\ d_{12} \\ \vdots \\ d_{1n_1} \\ \vdots \\ d_{m1} \\ d_{m2} \\ \vdots \\ d_{mN_m} \end{Bmatrix}$

so that

$v(d) = \sum_{k=0}^m \sum_{j=1}^{N_k} \frac{c_{kj}}{d_{kj}} \Rightarrow$  maximum

subject to the constraints

$d_{01} > 0, d_{02} > 0, \dots, d_{0n_0} > 0, d_{11} > 0, d_{12} > 0$

$d_{1n_1} > 0, \dots, d_{m1} > 0, d_{m2} > 0, \dots, d_{mN_m} > 0$

$$\sum_{j=1}^{n_0} d_{0j} = 1$$

$$\sum_{k=0}^m \sum_{j=1}^{N_k} a_{kij} d_{kj} = 0, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n$$

(  $c_{kj}$  are +ve and  $a_{kij}$  are real numbers )

Let  $k = 1$  to  $m$  (no. of constraints)

$n =$  total no. of variables

$g_0 = f =$  Primal function

$m =$  no. of Primal constraints

$N = n_0 + n_1 + \dots + n_m =$  total number of terms in the Poynomials

$N - n - 1 =$  degree of difficulty of problem

$v =$  dual function

$d_{01}, d_{02}, \dots, d_{mN_m}$  are dual variables

$\rightarrow$  are the normality constraints

$\rightarrow$  are the orthogonality constraints

$d_{kj} > 0, \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, N_k$

$k = 0$  to  $m$

$N = n_0 + n_1 + \dots + n_m$

number of dual variables

$n+1$  number of dual constraints.

Solve the Problem

$$f(D, d) = 100D^1 d^0 + 50D^2 d^0 + 20D^0 d^{-1} + 300D^0 d^2$$

Res.  $c_1 = 100, c_2 = 50, c_3 = 20, c_4 = 300$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & a_{14} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} & a_{24} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & -5 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

The orthogonality and normality conditions are

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & -5 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} D_1 \\ D_2 \\ D_3 \\ D_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{--- (I)}$$

here  $N = 4, n = 2, N > n+1 = 2+1$

$\Rightarrow$  these equations (I) do not yield the required  $D_j$  ( $j = 1$  to  $4$ ). So, solving  $D_1, D_2, D_3$  in term of  $D_4$  from (I)

$$\begin{cases} D_1 + 2D_2 - 5D_4 = 0 \\ -D_3 + 2D_4 = 0 \\ D_1 + D_2 + D_3 + D_4 = 1 \end{cases} \quad \text{--- (II)}$$

from (II)  $D_3 = 2D_4$

$$D_1 = -2D_2 + 5D_4$$

$$-2D_2 + 5D_4 + D_2 + 2D_4 + D_4 = 1$$

$$-D_2 + 8D_4 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow D_2 = 8D_4 - 1$$

so

$$D_1 = \cancel{-2D_2} - 2(1 - 8D_4) + 5D_4$$

$$= \cancel{-2} + 16D_4 + 5D_4 =$$

$$D_1 = -2(8D_4 - 1) + 5D_4 = -16D_4 + 2 + 5D_4$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} D_1 = 2 - 11D_4 \\ D_2 = 8D_4 - 1 \\ D_3 = 2D_4 \end{cases}$$

The dual problem can be written as

Maximize  $v(D_1, D_2, D_3, D_4)$

$$= \left(\frac{c_1}{D_1}\right)^{D_1} \left(\frac{c_2}{D_2}\right)^{D_2} \left(\frac{c_3}{D_3}\right)^{D_3} \left(\frac{c_4}{D_4}\right)^{D_4}$$

$$= \left(\frac{100}{2-11D_4}\right)^{2-11D_4} \left(\frac{50}{8D_4-1}\right)^{8D_4-1} \left(\frac{20}{2D_4}\right)^{2D_4} \left(\frac{300}{D_4}\right)^{D_4}$$

taking log on both sides, get

$$\log V = (2-11\Delta_4) [\log 100 - \ln(2-11\Delta_4)] \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} \text{LW} \\ \ln = \log \end{array} \right.$$

$$+ (8\Delta_4 - 1) [\ln 50 - \ln(8\Delta_4 - 1)]$$

$$+ 2\Delta_4 [\log 20 - \log 2\Delta_4] + \Delta_4 [\ln 300 - \ln \Delta_4]$$

necessary condition for the maximization

$$\frac{\partial \log V}{\partial \Delta_4} = -11 \left[ \frac{\ln 100 - \ln(2-11\Delta_4)}{2-11\Delta_4} \right] +$$

$$8 \left[ \frac{\ln 50 - \ln(8\Delta_4 - 1)}{8\Delta_4 - 1} \right] +$$

$$2 \left[ \frac{\ln 20 - \ln 2\Delta_4}{2\Delta_4} \right] + \Delta_4 \left[ -\frac{1}{\Delta_4} \right] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -11 \left[ \frac{2 - \ln(2-11\Delta_4)}{2-11\Delta_4} \right] + 11 + 8 \left[ \frac{\ln 50}{8\Delta_4 - 1} \right] - 8$$

$$+ 2 \log \left( \frac{20}{2\Delta_4} \right) - 2 + \log \frac{300}{\Delta_4} - 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{LWF}$$

$$\Rightarrow -\ln \left[ \frac{(100)^{11}}{(50)^8 (20)^2 (300)} \right] + \ln \left[ \frac{(2-11\Delta_4)^{11}}{(8\Delta_4 - 1)^8 (2\Delta_4)^2 \Delta_4} \right] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(2-11\Delta_4)^{11}}{(8\Delta_4 - 1)^8 (2\Delta_4)^2 \Delta_4} = \frac{(100)^{11}}{(50)^8 (20)^2 (300)}$$

$$= \frac{(1 \times 10^2)^{11}}{5^8 \times 10^8 \times 2^2 \times 10^2 \times 3 \times 10^2} = \frac{1 \times 10^{22}}{5^8 \times 10^{12} \times 12}$$

$$= \frac{10^{10}}{5^8 \times 12} = 2130$$

here get value of  $\Delta_4^*$  by trial method.

$$\Delta_4^* \approx 0.147, \Delta_1^* = 0.385, \Delta_2^* = 0.175$$

$$\Delta_3 = 0.294$$

$$\Rightarrow V^* = J^* = \left( \frac{100}{0.385} \right)^{0.385} \left( \frac{50}{0.175} \right)^{0.175} \left( \frac{20}{0.294} \right)^{0.294}$$

$$\times \left( \frac{300}{0.147} \right)^{0.147} = 242$$

$$U_1^* = \Delta_1^* J^* = 0.385 \times 242 = 92.2$$

$$U_2^* = 42.4$$

$$U_3^* = 71.1$$

$$U_4^* = 35.6$$



$$\begin{aligned} \text{from } V_1^* &= 100 D^* = 92.2 \\ \Rightarrow D^* &= 0.922 \quad Q^* = 0.281 \text{ m}^3/\text{s} \end{aligned}$$

Example 8.3 - zero degree of difficulty Problem  
the optimization problem can be stated as

Find  $X = \begin{Bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{Bmatrix}$  so as to minimize

$$f(x) = 20x_1x_3 + 40x_2x_3 + 80x_1x_2 \quad \text{subject to}$$

$$\frac{80}{x_1x_2x_3} \leq 10 \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{8}{x_1x_2x_3} < 1$$

Ans here,  $n = \text{no. of variables} = 3$

$N_0 = \text{no. of terms in the objective function} = 3$

$$N_1 = 1$$

$m = \text{total no. of the constraint} = 1$

$N_k = \text{number of terms in } k\text{th constraint}$

mean

$N_1 = 1 = \text{no. of terms in } 1\text{st constraint.}$

$N = N_0 + N_1 + \dots + N_m = \text{Total number of terms in the polynomials, means, here}$

$$N = 3 + 1 = 4$$

and  $N - n - 1 = 4 - 3 - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow \text{zero-degree of difficulty problems}$

So, dual Problem can be stated as



$$a_{031}d_{01} + a_{032}d_{02} + a_{033}d_{03} + a_{131}d_{11} = 0$$

$$d_{0j} \geq 0, j=1,2,3, d_{11} \geq 0$$

in this problem

$$a_{011} = 1, a_{021} = 0, a_{031} = 0,$$

$$a_{012} = 0, a_{022} = 1, a_{032} = 1, a_{013} = 1, a_{023} = 1,$$

$$a_{033} = 0, a_{111} = -1, a_{121} = -1, a_{131} = -1.$$

So, problem can be written as

$$v(d) = \left[ \frac{20}{d_{01}} (d_{01} + d_{02} + d_{03}) \right] d_{01}$$

subject to

$$d_{01} + d_{02} + d_{03} = 1$$

$$d_{01} + d_{03} - d_{11} = 0$$

$$d_{02} + d_{03} - d_{11} = 0$$

$$d_{01} + d_{02} - d_{11} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow d_{01}^* = d_{02}^* = d_{03}^* = \frac{1}{3}, d_{11}^* = \frac{2}{3}.$$

thus, the maximum value  $v$  or minimum value of  $x_0$  is given by

$$v^* = x_0^* = (60)^{1/3} (120)^{1/3} (240)^{1/3} (8)^{2/3} = 480 \text{ km}$$

### Complementary Geometric Programming

Geometric programming to include any rational function of polynomial terms and called the method of complementary geometric programming.

Let the complementary geometric programming problem be stated as follows

minimize  $R_0(x)$  subject

$$R_k(x) \leq 1 \quad k=1, 2, \dots, m, \text{ where}$$

$$R_k(x) = \frac{A_k(x) - B_k(x)}{C_k(x) - D_k(x)}, \quad k=0, 1, 2, \dots, m$$

where  $A_k(x)$ ,  $B_k(x)$ ,  $C_k(x)$  and  $D_k(x)$  are polynomial and possibly some of them may be absent. To solve the problem stated, we introduce a new variable  $x_0 > 0$ ,

constrained to satisfy the relation  $x_0 \geq R_0(x)$

i.e.  $\frac{R_0(x)}{x_0} \leq 1$ , so the problem may be



restated as

Minimize  $x_0$

subject to  $\frac{A_k(x) - B_k(x)}{C_k(x) - D_k(x)} \leq 1, k = 0, 1, 2, \dots, m$

where  $A_0(x) = R_0(x), C_0(x) = x_0, B_0(x) = 0$   
and  $D_0(x) = 0.$

thus any complementary geometric programming problem (CGPP) can be stated in the standard form

minimize  $x_0$  subject to

$$\frac{P_k(x)}{Q_k(x)} \leq 1, k = 1, 2, \dots, m \quad \dots (8.71)$$

$$x = \begin{Bmatrix} x_0 \\ x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{Bmatrix} > 0, \text{ where } \dots (8.72)$$

where  $P_k(x)$  and  $Q_k(x)$  are polynomials of

the form

$$P_k(x) = \sum_j c_{kj} \prod_{i=0}^n (x_i)^{a_{kij}} = \sum_j P_{kj}(x) \quad \dots (8.73)$$

$$Q_k(x) = \sum_j d_{kj} \prod_{i=0}^n (x_i)^{b_{kij}} = \sum_j Q_{kj}(x) \quad \dots (8.74)$$

or

$$P_k(x) = \sum_j (c_{kj}) (x_1)^{a_{k1j}} (x_2)^{a_{k2j}} (x_3)^{a_{k3j}} \dots$$

$$= \sum_j P_{kj}(x)$$

$$= P_{k1}(x) + P_{k2}(x) + P_{k3}(x) + \dots$$

$$= c_{k1} (x_1)^{a_{k11}} (x_2)^{a_{k21}} (x_3)^{a_{k31}} \dots$$

$$+ c_{k2} (x_1)^{a_{k12}} (x_2)^{a_{k22}} (x_3)^{a_{k32}} \dots$$

$$Q_k(x) = q_{k1}(x) + q_{k2}(x) + q_{k3}(x)$$

$$Q_l(x) = q_{l1}(x) + q_{l2}(x) + q_{l3}(x)$$

8.6 Minimize  $x_1$  subject to

$$-4x_1^2 + 4x_2 \leq 1$$

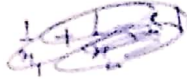
$$x_1 + x_2 \geq 1, x_1 > 0, x_2 > 0$$

for L.P.P. can be stated as

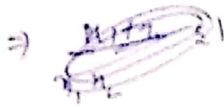
Minimize  $x_1$  subject to ①

$$+x_2 \leq 1 + 4x_1^2 \quad \text{②}$$

$$\frac{4x_2}{1+4x_1^2} \leq 1 \quad \text{③}$$



$$x_1 + x_2 \geq 1$$



$$\frac{4}{x_1 + x_2} \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1/x_1}{1+x_2/x_1} \leq 1 \Rightarrow \frac{x_1^{-1}}{1+x_1^{-1}x_2} \leq 1 \quad \text{③} \quad x_1 > 0, x_2 > 0 \quad \text{④}$$

\* now we start the process that in eq ③ and ④, denominator convert into single term

2(a) Minimize  $f(x_1, x_2) = 2x_1^2 + x_2^2$  { 1 } Univariate Method

Iteration -1,  $S_1 = \begin{Bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{Bmatrix}$ ,  $x_1 = \begin{Bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{Bmatrix}$

$$f_1 = f(x_1) = f(1, 2) = 2 \cdot 1^2 + 2^2 = 6, \quad \epsilon = 0.01$$

$$f^+ = f(x_1 + \epsilon S_1) = f(1 + \epsilon, 2) = f(1.01, 2) \\ = 2(1.01)^2 + 4 = 2.0402 + 4 = 6.0402$$

here  $f^+ > f_1$

$$f^- = f(x_1 - \epsilon S_1) = f(1 - \epsilon, 2) = f(0.99, 2) = 5.9602 < f_1$$

$\Rightarrow -S_1$  will be the correct direction  
for optimum lengths, we minimize

$$f(x_1 - d_1 S_1) = f(1 - d_1, 2) \\ = 2(1 - d_1)^2 + 4 = 2(1 + d_1^2 - 2d_1) + 4$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial d_1} = 2(2d_1 - 2) = 0 \Rightarrow d_1 = 1$$

$$\text{So } x_2 = x_1 - d_1 S_1 = (1, 2) - 1(1, 0) = (0, 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x_2) = 0 + 2^2 = 4$$

2nd iteration,  $S_2 = \begin{Bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{Bmatrix}$

$$f_2^+ = f(x_2 + \epsilon S_2) = f\{(0, 2) + 0.01(0, 1)\} = f(0, 2.01) \\ = 0 + 4.0401 \Rightarrow f_2^+ > f_2$$

$$f_2^- = f(x_2 - 0.01 S_2) = f\{(0, 2) - 0.01(0, 1)\} = f(0, 1.99) \\ = 3.9601 \Rightarrow f_2^- < 4 = f_2$$