

Theorem: let f and h be C^1 functions of two variables. Suppose that $\underline{x}^* = (x^*, y^*)$ is a solution of the problem

$$\begin{aligned} \max \quad & f(x, y) \\ \text{s.t.:} \quad & h(x, y) = c \end{aligned}$$

Suppose further that (x^*, y^*) is not a critical point of h (that is $\nabla h(x^*, y^*) \neq (0, 0)$). Then, there is a real number μ^* such that (x^*, y^*, μ^*) is a critical point of the Lagrangian function

$$\mathcal{L}(x, y, \mu) = f(x, y) - \mu (h(x, y) - c)$$

In other, at (x^*, y^*, μ^*)

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial x} = 0, \quad \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial y} = 0, \quad \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \mu} = 0.$$

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$$\max \quad f(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m)$$

$$\text{s.t.:} \quad h_1(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m) = a_1$$

$$h_2(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m) = a_2$$

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$$h_m(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m) = a_m$$

constraint set C_0 : it is the set of

constraint set C_h : it is the set of points that satisfy the constraints above

$$C_h = \{ \underline{x} \in \mathbb{R}^m : h_1(\underline{x}) = a_1, h_2(\underline{x}) = a_2, \dots, h_m(\underline{x}) = a_m \}$$

$$\dots \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial h_1}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial h_1}{\partial x_2} & \dots & \frac{\partial h_1}{\partial x_m} \\ \frac{\partial h_2}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial h_2}{\partial x_2} & \dots & \frac{\partial h_2}{\partial x_m} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial h_m}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial h_m}{\partial x_2} & \dots & \frac{\partial h_m}{\partial x_m} \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{Jacobian matrix} = \underline{\underline{J}}_h(\underline{x}) = \underline{D}_h(\underline{x})$$

non-degenerate constraint qualification (NDCQ):

$$\text{rank } \underline{\underline{J}}_h(\underline{x}^*) = m \quad \text{at the critical point } \underline{x}^*$$

$$\begin{cases} 2x - 2y = 8 \\ x + y = 2 \end{cases}$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 2 & -2 & 8 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{array} \right] \quad R_1 \leftarrow \frac{1}{2} R_1 \quad \sim$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -1 & 4 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{array} \right] \quad R_2 \leftarrow R_2 - R_1$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} \textcircled{1} & -1 & 4 \\ 0 & \textcircled{2} & 6 \end{array} \right] \text{ echelon form}$$

pivot

$$\text{rank}(\underline{A} | \underline{b}) = 2$$

THEOREM: let $f, h_1, \dots, h_m$ be C^1 functions of n variables. Consider the problem of maximizing (minimizing) $f(\underline{x})$ on the constraint set C_h . Suppose that $\underline{x}^* \in C_h$ and that $\underline{x}^*$ is a local max (or min) of f on C_h . Suppose further that $\underline{x}^*$ satisfies the NDCQ condition. Then, there exist $\mu_1^*, \dots, \mu_m^*$ such that $(\underbrace{x_1^*, \dots, x_m^*}_{\underline{x}^*}, \underbrace{\mu_1^*, \dots, \mu_m^*}_{\underline{\mu}^*})$ is a critical point of the Lagrangian

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}(\underline{x}, \underline{\mu}) &= f(\underline{x}) - \mu_1 (h_1(\underline{x}) - a_1) \\ &\quad - \dots - \mu_m (h_m(\underline{x}) - a_m) \end{aligned}$$

In other words,

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial x_i}(\underline{x}^*, \underline{\mu}^*) = 0, \dots, \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial x_m}(\underline{x}^*, \underline{\mu}^*) = 0,$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \mu_1}(\underline{x}^*, \underline{\mu}^*) = 0, \dots, \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \mu_m}(\underline{x}^*, \underline{\mu}^*) = 0$$

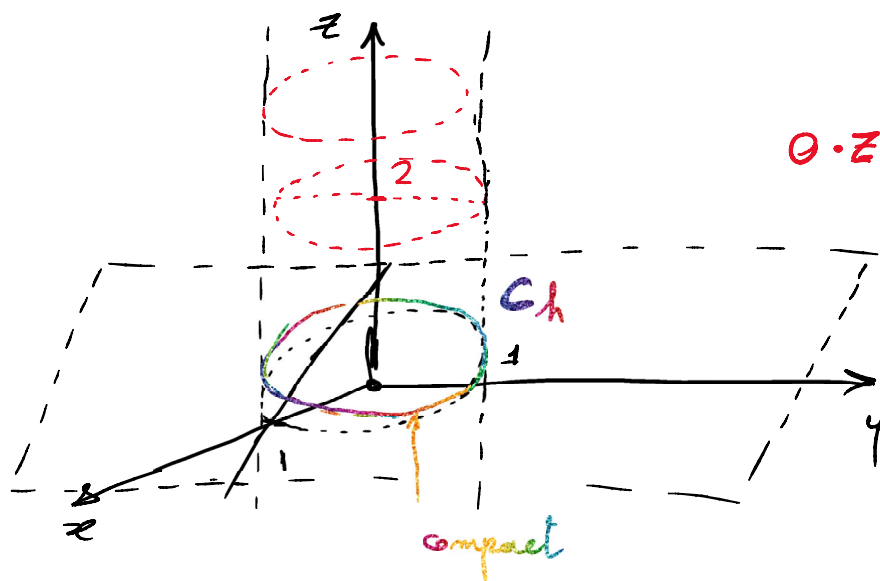
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$$\max \quad xyz$$

$$\text{s.t.} \quad x^2 + y^2 = 1 \quad \leftarrow$$

$$x + z = 1$$

$$f(x, y, z) = xyz$$



$$0 \cdot z + x^2 + y^2 = 1$$

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cylinder

$$x + z = 1$$

$$z = 1 - x$$

The constraint set is compact. The function $f(x, y, z)$ is continuous and so by Weierstraß's theorem there is a global maximum and minimum of f over C_h .

$$x^2 + y^2 = 1 \quad \leftarrow$$

$$x + z = 1$$

$$h_1(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2$$

$$h_2(x, y, z) = x + z$$

$$\underline{J}_h = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial h_1}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial h_1}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial h_1}{\partial z} \\ \frac{\partial h_2}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial h_2}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial h_2}{\partial z} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2x & 2y & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \textcircled{1} & 0 & 1 \\ 2x & 2y & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{matrix} (0, 0, 1) & (0, 0, \sqrt{2}) \\ (0, 0, z) \end{matrix}$$

$$\text{If } x = y = 0$$

the second row becomes

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

$$x = 0, \quad y = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \textcircled{1} & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & \textcircled{2} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Points in the form $(0, 0, z)$ do not satisfy the constraint qualifications.

But these points are not feasible.

If we substitute their coordinates into

$$x^2 + y^2 = 1$$

$$\text{we get } 0^2 + 0^2 = 1; \quad 0 = 1$$

hence ...

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we get $0 + 0 = 1$; $0 = 1$

that is impossible.

This means that there are points that do not satisfy the constraint qualifications but they are not in C_h .

In other words, all the points in C_h satisfy the constraint qualification.

$$\mathcal{L}(x, y, z, \mu_1, \mu_2) =$$

$$= xyz - \mu_1(x^2 + y^2 - 1) - \mu_2(x + z - 1)$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial x} = 0 \quad yz - 2\mu_1 x - \mu_2 = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial y} = 0 \quad xz - 2\mu_1 y = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial z} = 0 \quad xy - \mu_2 = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \mu_1} = 0 \quad x^2 + y^2 = 1$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \mu_2} = 0 \quad x + z = 1$$

$$\begin{cases} yz - 2x\mu_1 - \mu_2 = 0 \\ xz - 2y\mu_1 = 0 \\ xy - \mu_2 = 0 \\ x^2 + y^2 = 1 \\ x + z = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} x + y = 1 \\ x + z = 1 \end{cases}$$

either (A) $xz = 2y\mu_1$; $\mu_1 = \frac{xz}{2y}$ if $y \neq 0$
 or $y = 0$ (B)

(B)

$$\begin{cases} -2x\mu_1 - \mu_2 = 0 \\ y = 0 \\ -\mu_2 = 0 \\ x^2 = 1 \\ x + z = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} -2x\mu_1 = 0 \\ y = 0 \\ \mu_2 = 0 \\ x = \pm 1 \\ x + z = 1 \end{cases}$$

B.1

$$\begin{cases} \mu_1 = 0 \\ y = 0 \\ \mu_2 = 0 \\ x = 1 \\ z = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$A(1, 0, 0)$$

B.2

$$\begin{cases} \mu_1 = 0 \\ y = 0 \\ \mu_2 = 0 \\ x = -1 \\ z = 2 \end{cases}$$

$$B(-1, 0, 2)$$

(A)

$$\begin{cases} yz - 2x\mu_1 - \mu_2 = 0 \\ \mu_1 = \frac{xz}{2y} \\ x'' = \dots \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} xy - \mu_2 = 0 \\ x^2 + y^2 = 1 \\ x + z = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} yz - 2x \cdot \frac{xz}{2y} - xy = 0 \\ \mu_1 = \frac{xz}{2y} \\ \mu_2 = xy \\ x^2 + y^2 = 1 \\ x + z = 1 \end{cases} \quad \begin{cases} y^2 = 1 - x^2 \\ z = 1 - x \end{cases}$$

$$yz - 2x \cdot \frac{xz}{2y} - xy = 0$$

$$yz - \frac{x^2 z}{y} - xy = 0$$

$$y \cdot \frac{y^2 z - x^2 z - xy^2}{y} = 0 \cdot y$$

this is possible
because now
 $y \neq 0$

$$z(y^2 - x^2) - xy^2 = 0$$

$$(1-x)(1-x^2-x^2) - x(1-x^2) = 0$$

$$(1-x)(1-2x^2) - x(1-x)(1+x) = 0$$

$$(1-x)[1-2x^2-x(1+x)] = 0$$

$$(1-x)(1-2x^2-x-x^2) = 0$$

$$(1-x)(1-x-3x^2) = 0$$

$$(x-1)(3x^2+x-1) = 0$$

$$x = 1 \quad \vee \quad 3x^2 + x - 1 = 0$$

$$\Delta = 1 - 4 \cdot 3 \cdot (-1) = 1 + 12 = 13$$

$$x = 1 \quad \vee \quad x_c = \frac{-1 - \sqrt{13}}{6} \quad \vee \quad x_d = \frac{-1 + \sqrt{13}}{6}$$

$$y_c = \pm \sqrt{1 - x_c^2}$$

$$f(c) = f(d) = f(e) = f(f) \approx -0.8696$$

$$A(1, 0, 0) \quad f(A) = 0$$

$$B(-1, 0, 2) \quad f(B) = 0$$