

Why Numerical Method ?

- Analytical method → Numerical method
- # of design variables and constraints can be large.
 - Necessary conditions → a large number of equations
 - Functions for the design problem (cost and constraint) can be highly nonlinear.
- Cost and/or constraint functions can be implicit in terms of design variables.
- Search for the general purpose code through the internet to minimize developing your own code
 - Appendix B, <https://neos-guide.org/>

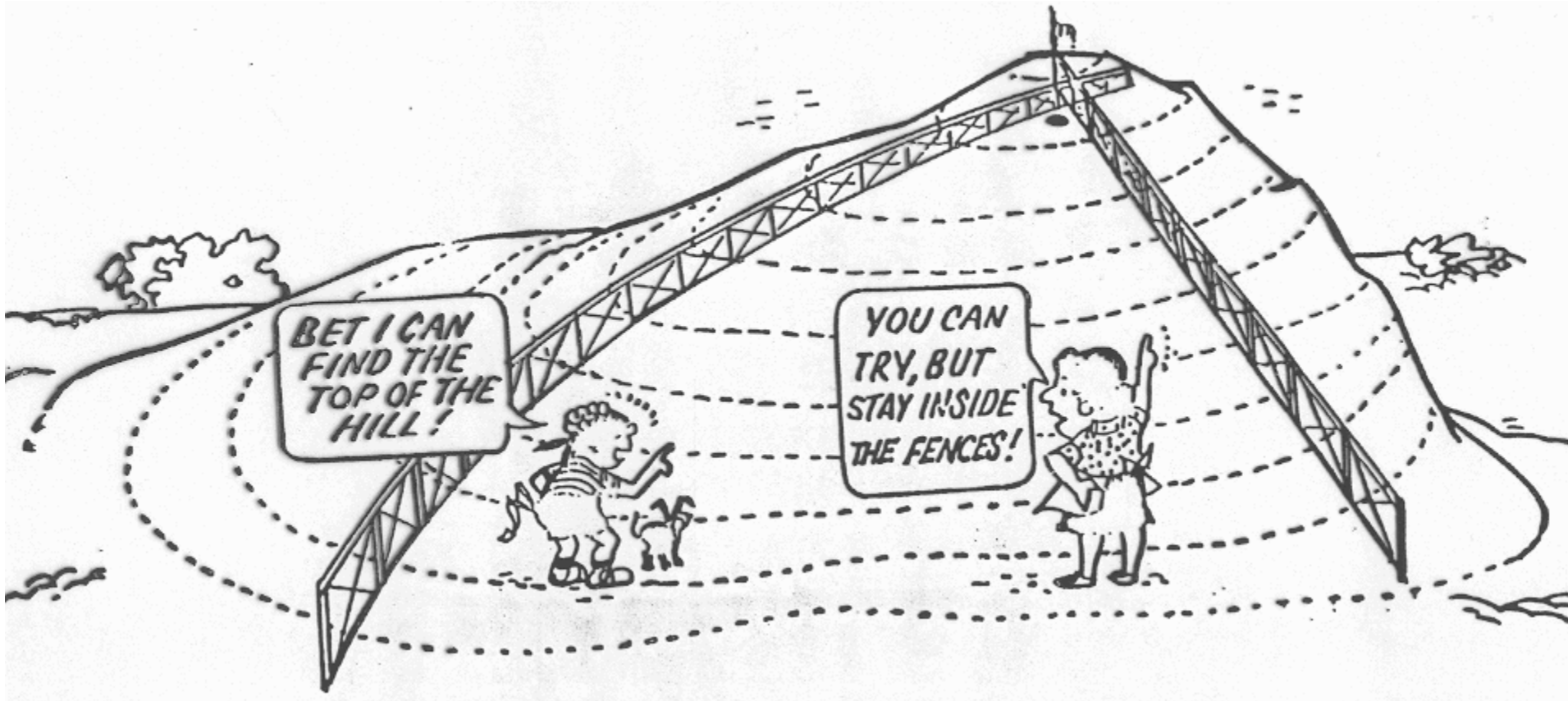
Advantages of Numerical Optimization

- Reduce the design time
 - When the same computer program can be applied to many design projects
- Provide a systematized logical design procedure
- Deal with a wide variety of design variables and constraints
- Yield some design improvement
- Not biased by intuition or experience in engineering
- Require a minimal amount of human-machine interaction

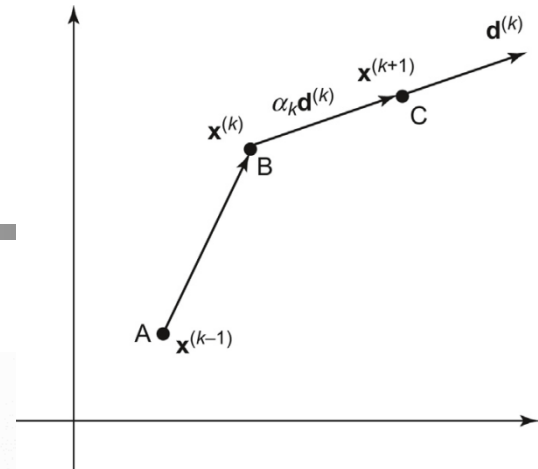
Limitations of Numerical Optimization

- Increased computational time as the number of design variables increases (ill-conditioned?)
- No stored experience or intuition
- Misleading results if the analysis program is not theoretically precise
- Difficulty in dealing with discontinuous functions and highly nonlinear problems
- Seldom be guaranteed that the optimization algorithm will obtain the global optimum design
- Significant reprogramming of analysis routines for adaptation to an optimization code

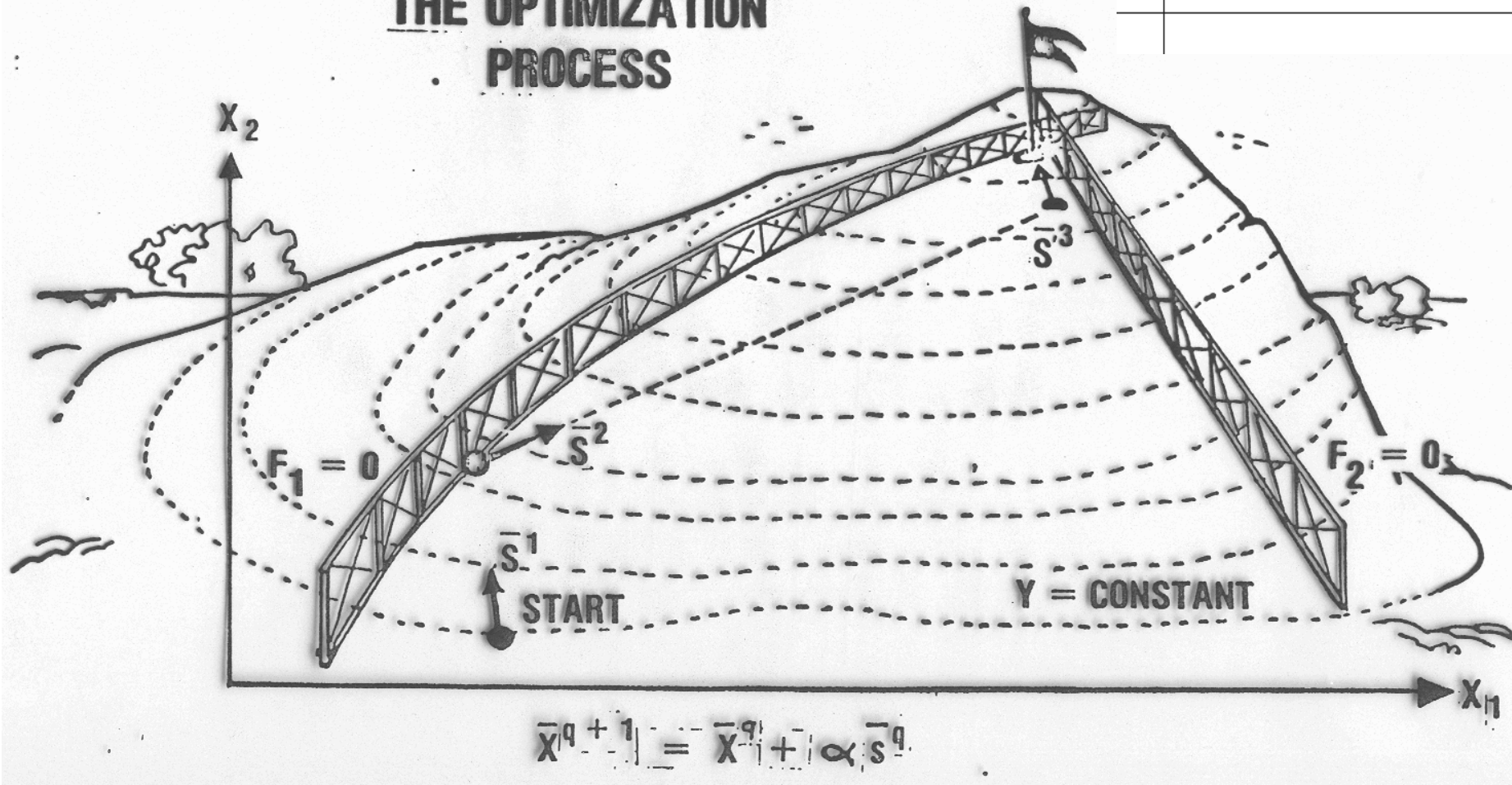
Physical Problem



Optimization Process



THE OPTIMIZATION PROCESS



Linear Programming (LP) Problem

- Constrained optimization
- “Liner”: the objective and the constraints
- “Programming”: scheduling or setting an agenda
- Minimization of a function with equality constraints and nonnegativity of design variables

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Minimize } f &= \sum_{i=1}^n c_i x_i \\ \text{subject to } \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} x_j &= b_i; \quad i = 1, \dots, m \\ x_j &\geq 0; \quad j = 1, \dots, n \end{aligned}$$

$(b_i \geq 0 : \text{resource limits, } c_i \text{ and } a_{ij} : \text{known constants})$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Minimize } f &= \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} \\ \text{subject to } \mathbf{Ax} &= \mathbf{b} \\ \mathbf{x} &\geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

Standard LP Definition

- Linear constraints
 - Inequality: nonnegative slack variable s_i ($s_i \geq 0$)
 - Why not s_i^2 ? (nonlinear)
 - Treatment of “ \leq type” / “ \geq type” constraints

$$\begin{cases} 2x_1 - x_2 \leq 4 \rightarrow 2x_1 - x_2 + s_1 = 4 & (s_1 \geq 0) \\ -x_1 + 2x_2 \geq 2 \rightarrow -x_1 + 2x_2 - s_1 = 2 & (s_1 \geq 0) \end{cases}$$

- Unrestricted variables in sign
 - All design variables to be nonnegative

$$x_j = x_j^+ - x_j^- = \begin{cases} \text{nonnegative: } x_j^+ \geq x_j^- \\ \text{nonpositive: } x_j^+ \leq x_j^- \end{cases}$$

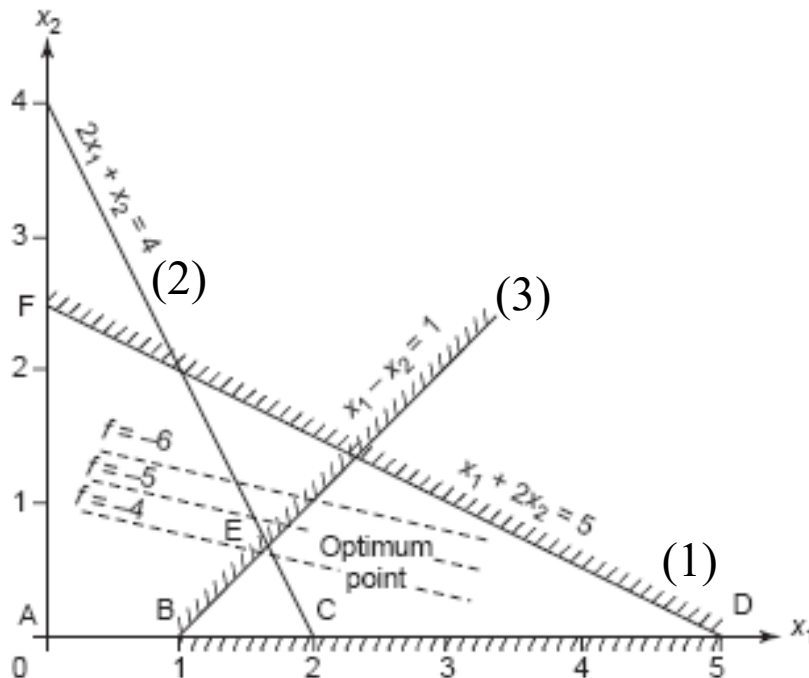
$$x_j^+ \geq 0 \text{ and } x_j^- \geq 0$$

Basic Concepts

- LP problem is convex. If an optimum solution exists, it is global.
 - Feasible region (constraint set) is convex
 - Cost function is linear, so it is convex
- Solution always lies on the boundary of the feasible region if it exists.
 - For an unconstrained optimum, contradiction: $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i} = 0 \rightarrow c_i = 0$
- Optimum solution must satisfy equality constraints \rightarrow more than one solution ($m < n$)
 - Infinite solutions \rightarrow feasible solution that minimizes the cost function

Example 8.19 ← 8.13

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{Maximize } z = x_1 + 4x_2 \\ \text{subject to } (1) x_1 + 2x_2 \leq 5 \\ (2) 2x_1 + x_2 = 4 \\ (3) x_1 - x_2 \geq 1 \\ x_1, x_2 \geq 0 \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Minimize } f = -x_1 - 4x_2 \\ \text{subject to } x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 = 5 \\ 2x_1 + x_2 + x_5 = 4 \\ x_1 - x_2 - x_4 + x_6 = 1 \\ x_i \geq 0; \quad i = 1, \dots, 6 \end{array} \right.$$



$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{\partial f}{\partial e_2} = -y_2 = \quad ; (2) 4 \rightarrow 5, f = \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial e_3} = -y_3 = \quad ; (3) 1 \rightarrow 2, f = \end{array} \right.$$

LP in Excel Solver: Example 8.19

	A	B	C	D
1	x1	0		1.666667
2	x2	0		0.666667
3	z	0	max	4.333333
4	g1	-5	≤ 0	-2
5	g2	-4	$= 0$	0
6	g3	-1	≥ 0	0

	1	2
1	1.666666667	
0	0.666666667	
1	4.333333333	

해 찾기 모델 설정

목표 셀(E):

해의 조건: ☒ 최대값(M) ☐ 최소값(N) ☐ 지정값(V):

값을 바꿀 셀(B):

제한 조건(U):

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추가(A)... 변경(C)... 삭제(D)

실행(S) 닫기 옵션(Q)... 초기화(R) 도움말(H)

해 찾기 옵션

최대 계산 시간(T): 초

최대 계산 횟수(I):

정밀도(P):

허용 한도(E): %

수렴도(V):

☒ 전형 모델 가정(M) ☐ 단위 자동 설정(U)

☒ 음수 마닌 것으로 가정(G) ☒ 중간 결과 보기(B)

근사 방법: ☒ 1차식(A) ☐ 2차식(Q)

미분 계수: ☒ 전진(F) ☐ 중앙(C)

탐색 방법: ☒ 뉴턴법(N) ☐ 공역 경사법(Q)

확인 취소 모델 읽기(L)... 모델 저장(S)... 도움말(H)

Reports : Example 8.19+21+23

민감도보고서

Range of cost coeff.

값을 바꿀 셀

셀	이름	계산 값	한계 비용	목표 셀 계수	허용 가능 증가치	허용 가능 감소치
\$D\$1	x1	1.666666667	0	1	7	1E+30
\$D\$2	x2	0.666666667	0	4	1E+30	3.5

$$-7.0 \leq \Delta c_1 \leq \infty$$

$$\xrightarrow{c_1=-1} -8.0 \leq c_1 \leq \infty$$

$$-\infty \leq \Delta c_2 \leq 3.5$$

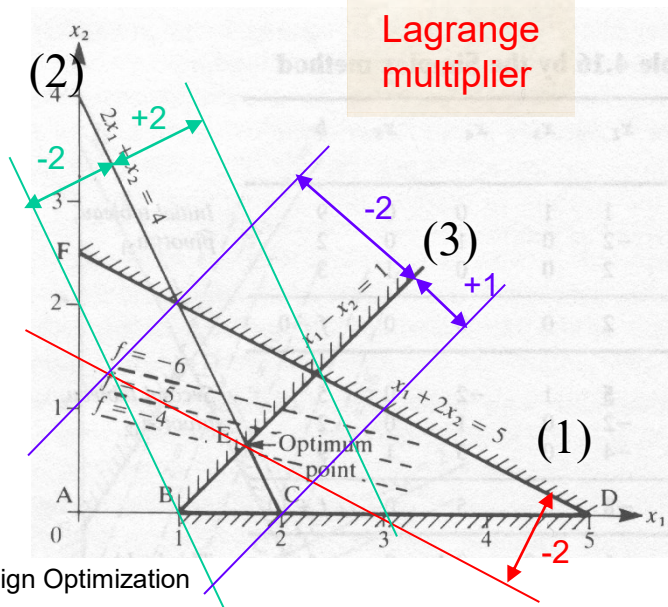
$$\xrightarrow{c_2=-4} -\infty \leq c_2 \leq -0.5$$

제한 조건

셀	이름	계산 값	잠재 가격	제한 조건 우변	허용 가능 증가치	허용 가능 감소치
\$D\$6	≥ 0	0	-2.333333333	0	1	2
\$D\$4	≤ 0	-2	0	0	1E+30	2
\$D\$5	0	0	1.666666667	0	2	2

Lagrange multiplier

Range of resource limit



$$(1) \ x_1 + 2x_2 \leq 5 \rightarrow -2 \leq \Delta_1 \leq \infty \rightarrow 3 \leq b_1 \leq \infty$$

$$(2) \ 2x_1 + x_2 = 4 \rightarrow -2 \leq \Delta_2 \leq 2 \rightarrow 2 \leq b_2 \leq 6$$

$$(3) \ x_1 - x_2 \geq 1 \rightarrow -2 \leq \Delta_3 \leq 1 \rightarrow -1 \leq b_3 \leq 2$$

Nonlinear Optimization

- Unlike for linear problems, a global optimum for a nonlinear problem cannot be guaranteed, except for special cases, e.g., if you know the space is unimodal, or convex, or monotonicity exists
- Two standard heuristics that most people use:
 - Find local extrema starting from widely varying starting points of variables and then pick the most extreme of these extrema
 - Perturb a local extremum by taking a finite amplitude step away from it, and then see whether your routine returns you to a better point or “always” to the same one
 - Question: How would you “automate” a search for a global extremum?

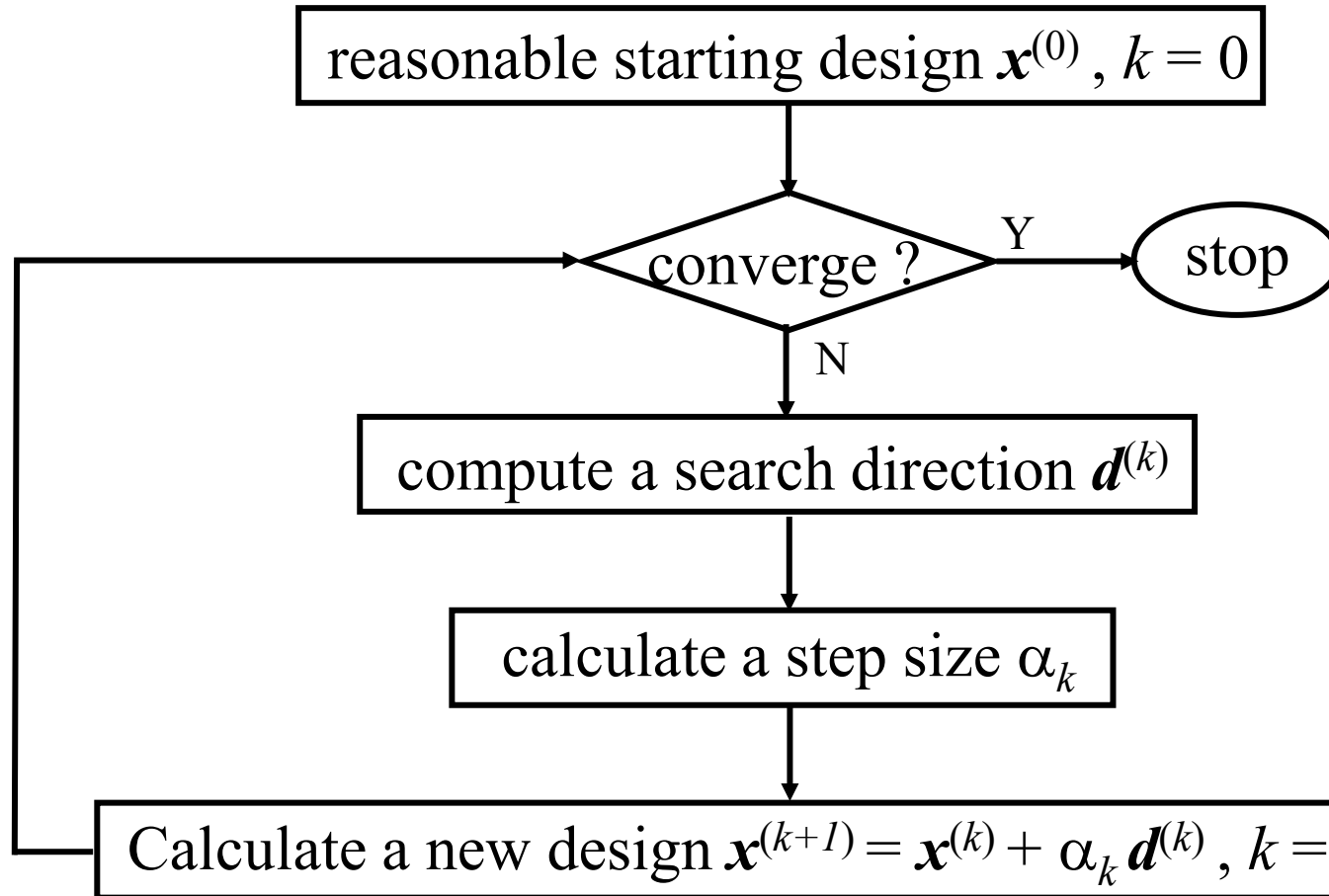
Basic Steps in Nonlinear Optimization

- In its simplest form, a numerical search procedure consists of four steps when applied to unconstrained minimization problem:
 - (1) Selection of an initial design in the n -dimensional space, where n is the number of design variables
 - (2) A procedure for the evaluation of the objective function at a given point in the design space
 - (3) Comparison of the current design with all of the preceding designs
 - (4) A rational way to select a new design and repeat the process
 - Constrained optimization requires step for evaluation of constraints as well. Same applies for evaluating multiple objective functions

Nonlinear Optimization Process

- Most design tasks seek to find a perturbation to an existing design which will lead to an improvement. Thus we seek a new design which is the old design plus a change
 - $X^{new} = X^{old} + \delta X$
- Optimization algorithms apply a two step process :
 - $X^{(k+1)} = X^{(k)} + \alpha_k d^{(k)}$
 - You have to provide an initial design $X^{(0)}$
 - The optimization will then determine a search direction $d^{(k)}$ that will improve the design
 - How far we can move in direction $d^{(k)} \rightarrow$ one-dimensional search to determine the scalar α_k to improve the design

General Algorithm



Classification of Unconstrained Optimization

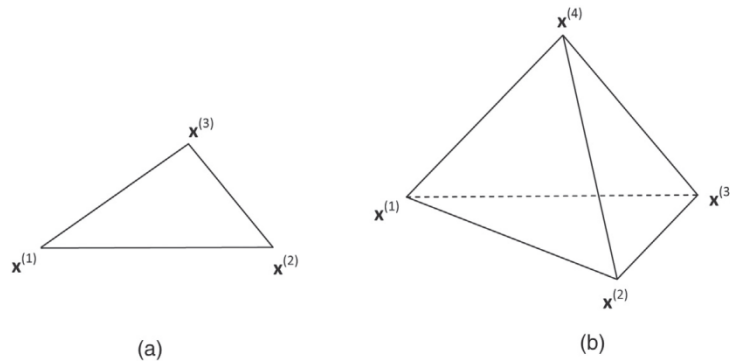
- One-dimensional unconstrained optimization: line search
 - Golden-section search
 - Quadratic interpolation
- Multidimensional unconstrained optimization
 - Nongradient or Direct methods
 - Gradient or Descent methods
- You often must choose between algorithms which need only evaluations of the objective function or methods that also require the derivatives of that function
- Algorithms using derivatives are generally more powerful, but do not always compensate for the additional calculations of derivatives
- Note that you may not be able to compute the derivatives

Multidimensional Unconstrained Optimization

Direct Search Methods	Indirect(Descent) Methods
<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Random search method▪ Univariate method▪ Pattern search method<ul style="list-style-type: none">– Powell's method▪ Simplex method▪ Simulated Annealing (SA)▪ Genetic Algorithm (GA)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Steepest descent (Cauchy) method▪ Conjugate gradient method<ul style="list-style-type: none">– Fletcher-Reeves– Polak-Rebiere▪ Newton's method▪ Marquardt's method▪ Quasi-Newton methods<ul style="list-style-type: none">– DFP (Davidon-Fletcher-Powell)– BFGS(Broydon-Fletcher-Goldfarb-Shanno)

Nelder–Mead Simplex Method

- Does not use gradients of the cost function
- Idea of a *simplex*
 - Geometric figure formed by a set of $(n+1)$ points in the n -dimensional space
 - When the points are equidistant, the simplex is said to be *regular*
- Nelder–Mead method (Nelder and ead, 1965)
 - Compute cost function value at the $(n+1)$ vertices of the simplex
 - Move this simplex toward the minimum point
 - reflection, expansion, contraction, and shrinkage
 - MATLAB: `fminsearch`



Descent Directions (1)

- Steepest descent direction: $\mathbf{d} = -\nabla f = -\frac{\partial f}{\partial \mathbf{x}}$
- Conjugate Gradient direction:

$$\mathbf{d}^{(k)} = -\nabla f(\mathbf{x}^{(k)}) + \beta_k \mathbf{d}^{(k-1)} \quad \text{where} \quad \beta_k = \frac{\|\nabla f(\mathbf{x}^{(k)})\|^2}{\|\nabla f(\mathbf{x}^{(k-1)})\|^2}$$

- Newton's method:

$$f(\mathbf{x} + \Delta \mathbf{x}) = f(\mathbf{x}) + \nabla f^T(\mathbf{x}) \Delta \mathbf{x} + \frac{1}{2} \Delta \mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{H} \Delta \mathbf{x}$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial (\Delta \mathbf{x})} = 0 \Rightarrow \nabla f(\mathbf{x}) + \mathbf{H} \Delta \mathbf{x} = 0$$

$$\mathbf{d}^{(k)} \equiv \Delta \mathbf{x} = -\mathbf{H}^{-1} \nabla f(\mathbf{x}) \rightarrow \mathbf{x}^{(1)} = \mathbf{x}^{(0)} + \Delta \mathbf{x} \quad (\text{step length} = 1)$$

- Marquardt's method: $\mathbf{d}^{(k)} = -(\mathbf{H} + \lambda \mathbf{I})^{-1} \nabla f(\mathbf{x})$

Descent Directions (2)

- Quasi-Newton Method (Variable Metric Method)

- Use of previous information, speed up the convergence !

$$\mathbf{d}^{(k)} = -\mathbf{A}^{(k)} \nabla f(\mathbf{x}^{(k)}) \Rightarrow \mathbf{A}^{(k+1)} = \mathbf{A}^{(k)} + \mathbf{A}_c^{(k)} \xrightarrow{\text{as } k \rightarrow \infty} \mathbf{H}^{-1}$$

- DFP Method: Davidon (1959) → Fletcher and Powell (1963)

- Approximate inverse of Hessian matrix

- BFGS Method: Broyden-Fletcher-Goldfarb-Shanno (1981)

- Direct update the Hessian matrix

$$\mathbf{x}^{(k+1)} = \mathbf{x}^{(k)} + \alpha_k \mathbf{d}^{(k)}$$

$$\mathbf{d}^{(k)} = -\mathbf{A}^{(k)} \nabla f(\mathbf{x}^{(k)})$$

$$\mathbf{A}^{(k+1)} = \mathbf{A}^{(k)} + \frac{\mathbf{s}^{(k)} \mathbf{s}^{(k)T}}{\mathbf{s}^{(k)T} \mathbf{y}^{(k)}} - \frac{\mathbf{z}^{(k)} \mathbf{z}^{(k)T}}{\mathbf{y}^{(k)T} \mathbf{z}^{(k)}}$$

$$\mathbf{s}^{(k)} = \alpha_k \mathbf{d}^{(k)} = \mathbf{x}^{(k+1)} - \mathbf{x}^{(k)}$$

$$\mathbf{y}^{(k)} = \nabla f(\mathbf{x}^{(k+1)}) - \nabla f(\mathbf{x}^{(k)})$$

$$\mathbf{z}^{(k)} = \mathbf{A}^{(k)} \mathbf{y}^{(k)}$$

$$\mathbf{x}^{(k+1)} = \mathbf{x}^{(k)} + \alpha_k \mathbf{d}^{(k)}$$

$$\mathbf{H}^{(k)} \mathbf{d}^{(k)} = -\nabla f(\mathbf{x}^{(k)})$$

$$\mathbf{H}^{(k+1)} = \mathbf{H}^{(k)} + \frac{\mathbf{y}^{(k)} \mathbf{y}^{(k)T}}{\mathbf{y}^{(k)T} \mathbf{s}^{(k)}} - \frac{\mathbf{H}^{(k)} \mathbf{s}^{(k)} \mathbf{s}^{(k)T} \mathbf{H}^{(k)}}{\mathbf{s}^{(k)T} \mathbf{H}^{(k)} \mathbf{s}^{(k)}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{s}^{(k)} &= \mathbf{x}^{(k+1)} - \mathbf{x}^{(k)} = \alpha_k \mathbf{d}^{(k)} \\ \mathbf{H}^{(k)} \mathbf{s}^{(k)} &= -\alpha_k \mathbf{c}^{(k)} \end{aligned} \rightarrow \mathbf{H}^{(k+1)} = \mathbf{H}^{(k)} + \frac{\mathbf{y}^{(k)} \mathbf{y}^{(k)T}}{\mathbf{y}^{(k)T} \mathbf{s}^{(k)}} + \frac{\mathbf{c}^{(k)} \mathbf{c}^{(k)T}}{\mathbf{c}^{(k)T} \mathbf{d}^{(k)}}$$

$$\mathbf{s}^{(k)} = \alpha_k \mathbf{d}^{(k)} = \mathbf{x}^{(k+1)} - \mathbf{x}^{(k)}$$

$$\mathbf{y}^{(k)} = \mathbf{c}^{(k+1)} - \mathbf{c}^{(k)} = \nabla f(\mathbf{x}^{(k+1)}) - \nabla f(\mathbf{x}^{(k)})$$

Gradient-Based Methods

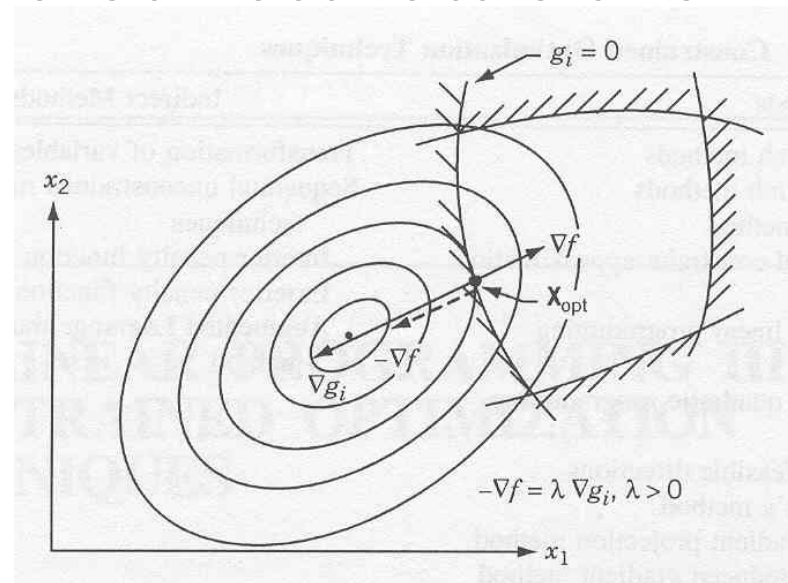
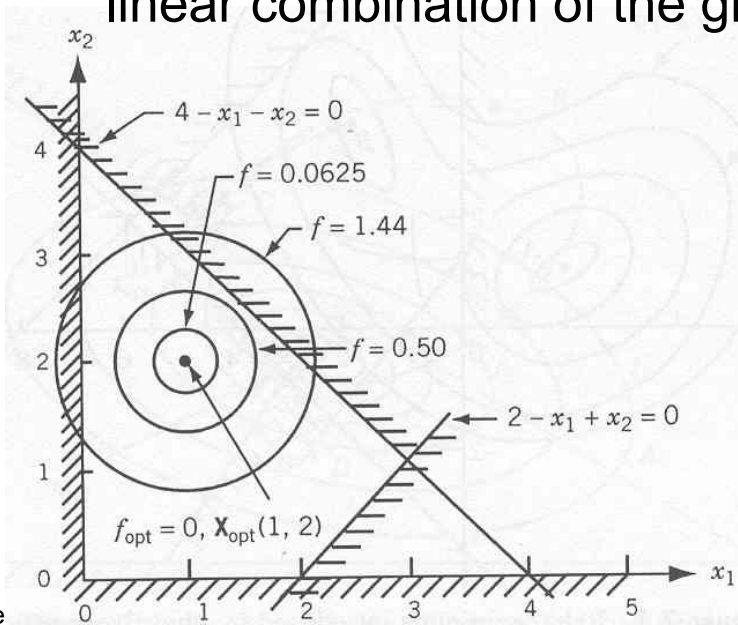
Method	Direction
Steepest Descent	$\mathbf{d}^{(k)} = -\nabla f(\mathbf{x}^{(k)})$
Conjugate Gradient	$\mathbf{d}^{(k)} = -\nabla f(\mathbf{x}^{(k)}) + \beta_k \mathbf{d}^{(k-1)}$ where $\beta_k = \frac{\ \nabla f(\mathbf{x}^{(k)})\ ^2}{\ \nabla f(\mathbf{x}^{(k-1)})\ ^2}$
Newton's	$\mathbf{d}^{(k)} = -\mathbf{H}^{-1} \nabla f(\mathbf{x}^{(k)})$
Quasi-Newton	<p>DFP: $\mathbf{d}^{(k)} = -\mathbf{A} \nabla f(\mathbf{x}^{(k)})$ where $\mathbf{A}^{(k+1)} = \mathbf{A}^{(k)} + \frac{\mathbf{s}^{(k)} \mathbf{s}^{(k)T}}{\mathbf{s}^{(k)T} \mathbf{y}^{(k)}} - \frac{\mathbf{z}^{(k)} \mathbf{z}^{(k)T}}{\mathbf{y}^{(k)T} \mathbf{z}^{(k)}}$</p> <p>BFGS: $\mathbf{H}^{(k)} \mathbf{d}^{(k)} = -\nabla f(\mathbf{x}^{(k)})$ where $\mathbf{H}^{(k+1)} = \mathbf{H}^{(k)} + \frac{\mathbf{y}^{(k)} \mathbf{y}^{(k)T}}{\mathbf{y}^{(k)T} \mathbf{s}^{(k)}} + \frac{\mathbf{c}^{(k)} \mathbf{c}^{(k)T}}{\mathbf{c}^{(k)T} \mathbf{d}^{(k)}}$</p>

Constrained Optimization Methods

Direct (Primal) Methods	Indirect Methods
<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Objective and constraint approximation methods<ul style="list-style-type: none">– Sequential Linear Programming method– Sequential Quadratic Programming method▪ Gradient Projection Method▪ Methods of Feasible Directions▪ Generalized Reduced Gradient Method	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Sequential unconstrained minimization technique<ul style="list-style-type: none">– Interior penalty function method– Exterior penalty function method– Augmented Lagrange multiplier method

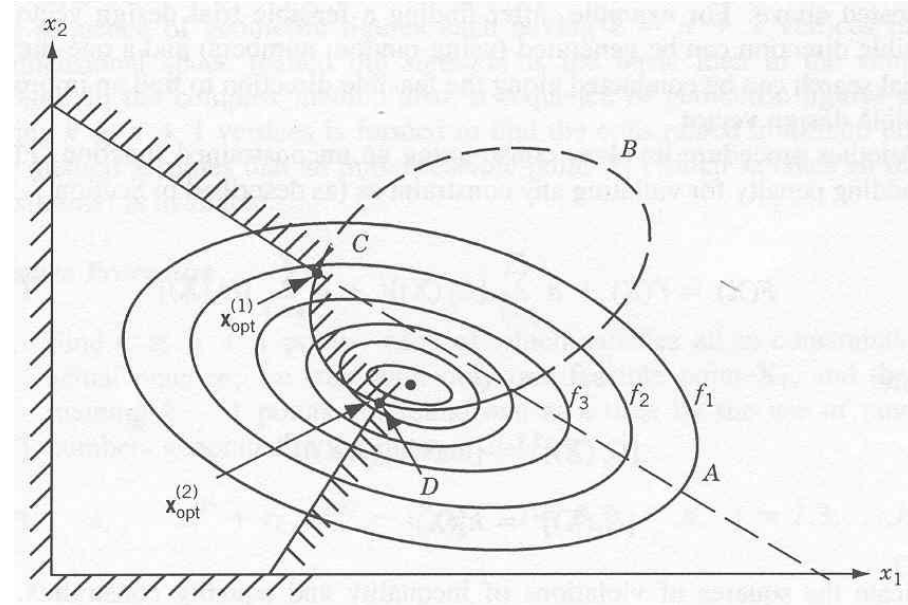
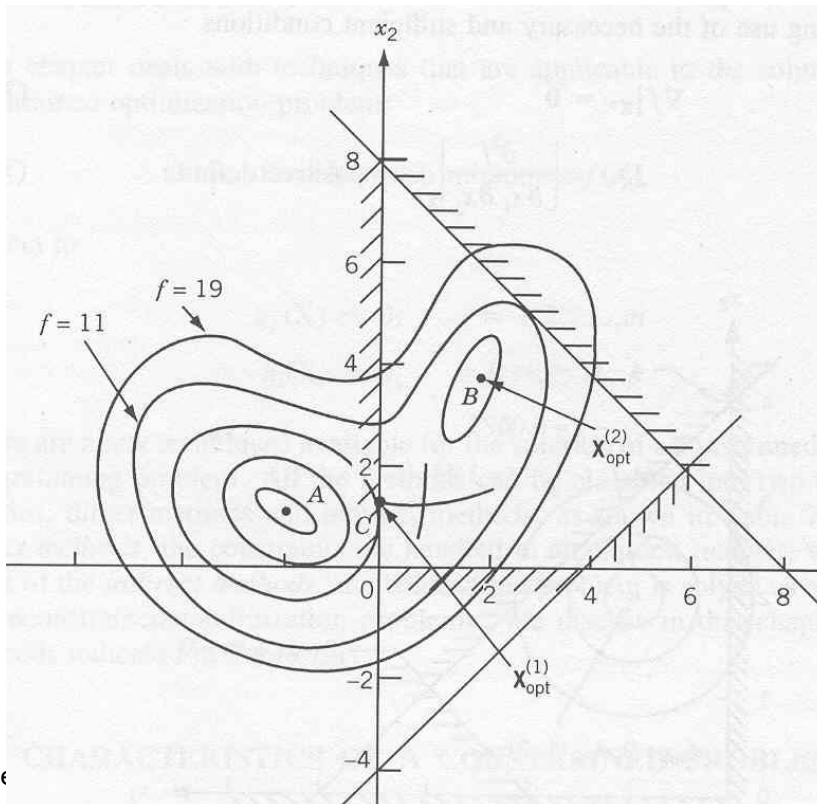
Characteristics of a Constrained Problem (1)

- The constraints may have no effect on the optimum point.
 - In most practical problems, it is difficult to identify whether the constraints have an influence on the minimum point.
- The optimum (unique) solution occurs on a constraint boundary.
 - The negative of the gradient must be expressible as a positive linear combination of the gradients of the active constraints.



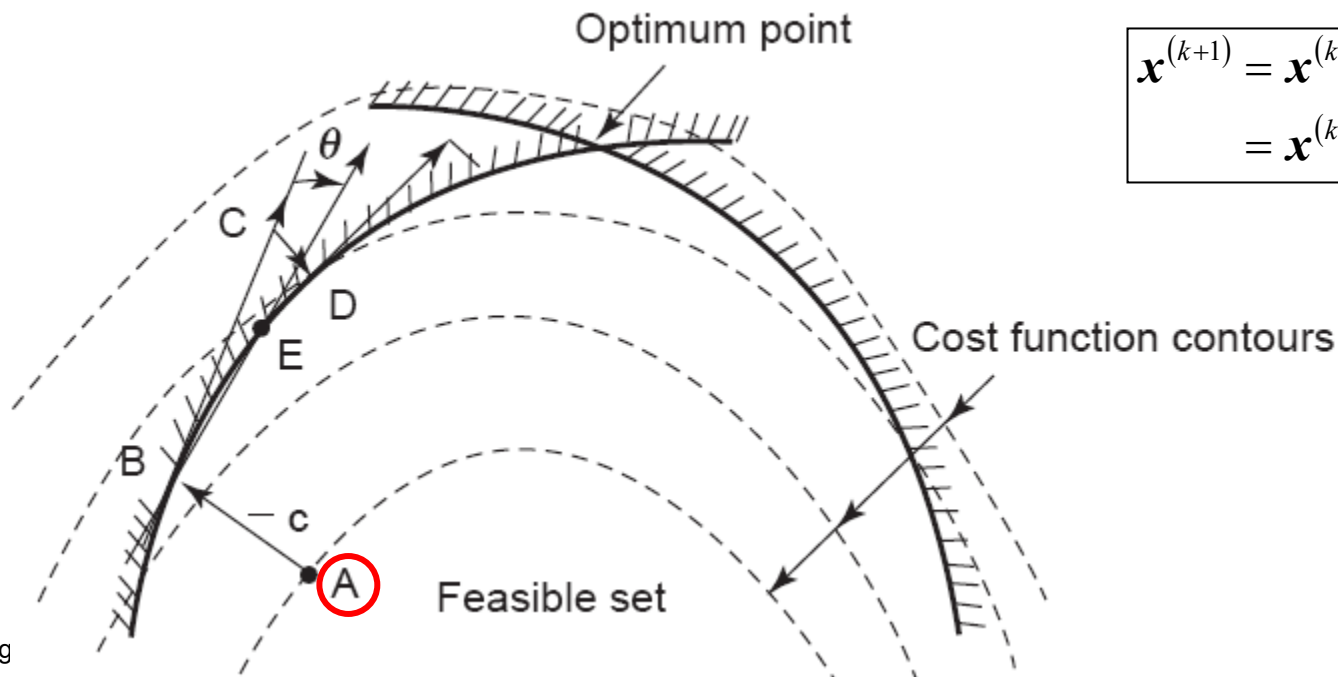
Characteristics of a Constrained Problem (2)

- If the objective function has two or more unconstrained local minima, the constrained problem may have multiple minima.
- Even if the objective function has a single unconstrained minimum, the constraints may introduce multiple local minima.



Basic Concepts (1)

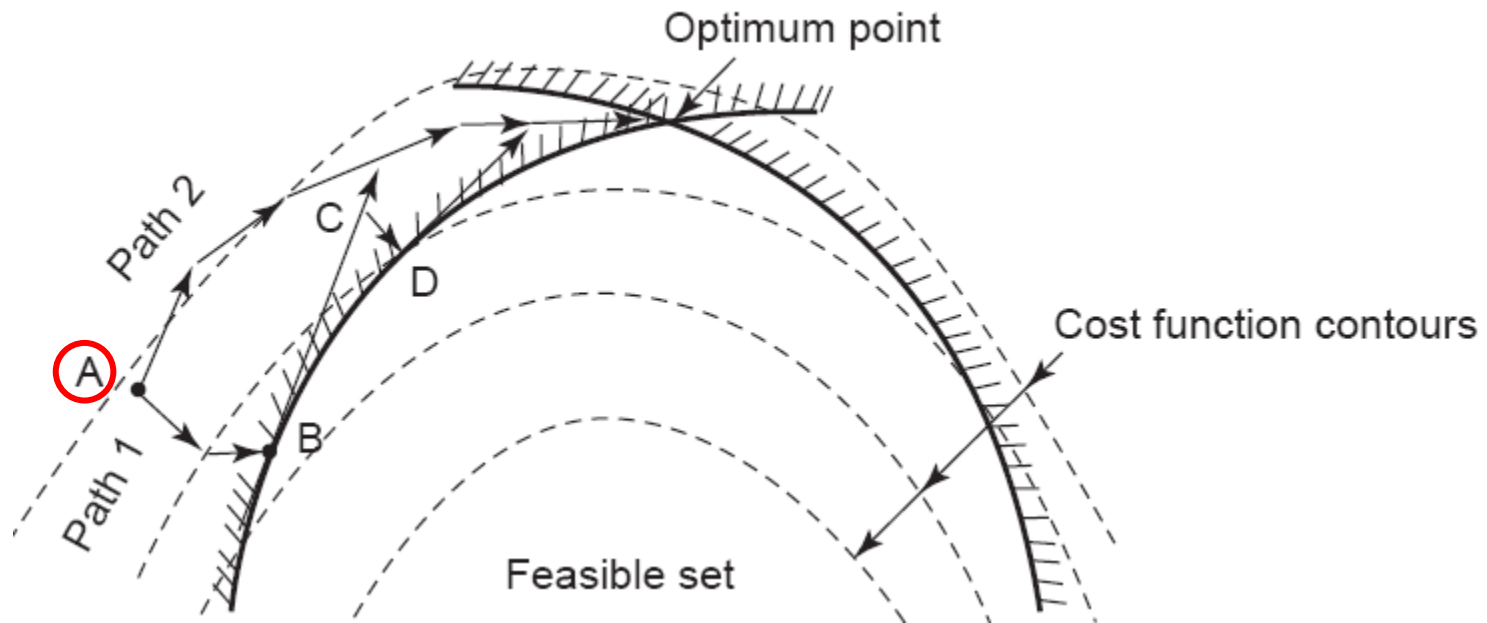
- From feasible starting point (inside the feasible region)
 - $\nabla f = 0$: Unconstrained stationary point → check sufficient condition
 - $\nabla f \neq 0$: Moving along a descent direction
 - (Assume the optimum is on the boundary of the constraint set)
 - Travel along a tangent to the boundary → correct to a feasible point
 - Deflect the tangential direction, toward the feasible region → line search



$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{x}^{(k+1)} &= \mathbf{x}^{(k)} + \Delta \mathbf{x}^{(k)} \\ &= \mathbf{x}^{(k)} + \alpha_k \mathbf{d}^{(k)}\end{aligned}$$

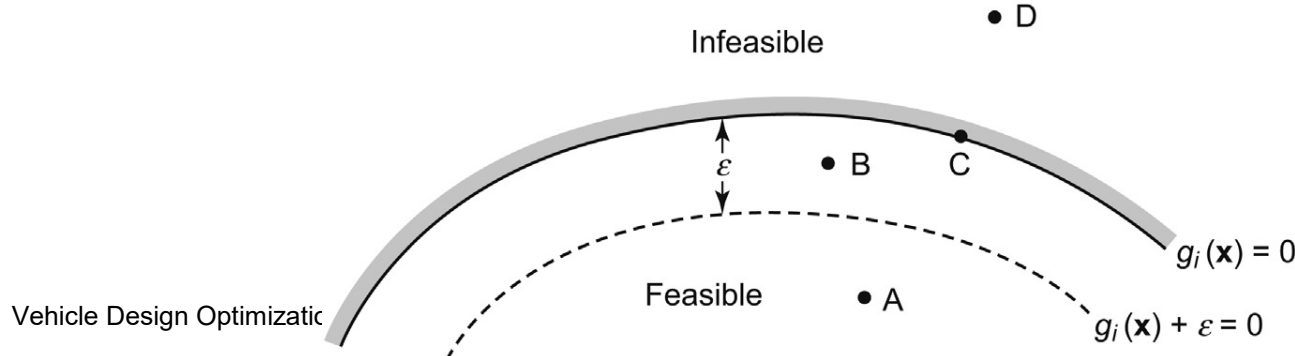
Basic Concepts (2)

- From infeasible starting point
 - Correct constraints to reach the constraint boundary → same as previous steps
 - Iterate through the infeasible region to the optimum point



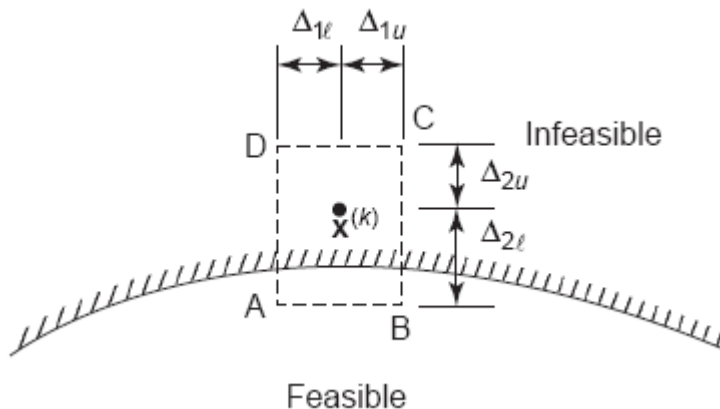
Basic Concepts (3)

- Numerical algorithm
 - Linearization of cost and constraint functions about the current design point
 - Definition of a search direction determination subproblem using the linearized functions
 - Solution of the subproblem that gives a search direction in the design space.
 - Calculation of a step size to minimize a descent function in the search direction
- Constraint status @ a design point
 - Active / Inactive / Violated / ε -Active



Sequential Linear Programming

- Basic idea
 - Use linear approximation of the nonlinear functions and apply standard linear programming techniques
 - Repeated process successively as the optimization process
 - Major concern: How far from the point of interest are these approximations valid? move limits: depend on degree of nonlinearity)
 - $$-\Delta_{il}^{(k)} \leq d_i \leq \Delta_{iu}^{(k)}, \quad i = 1, \dots, n$$
 - Some fraction of the current design variables (1~100%)
- Quite powerful and efficient for engineering design



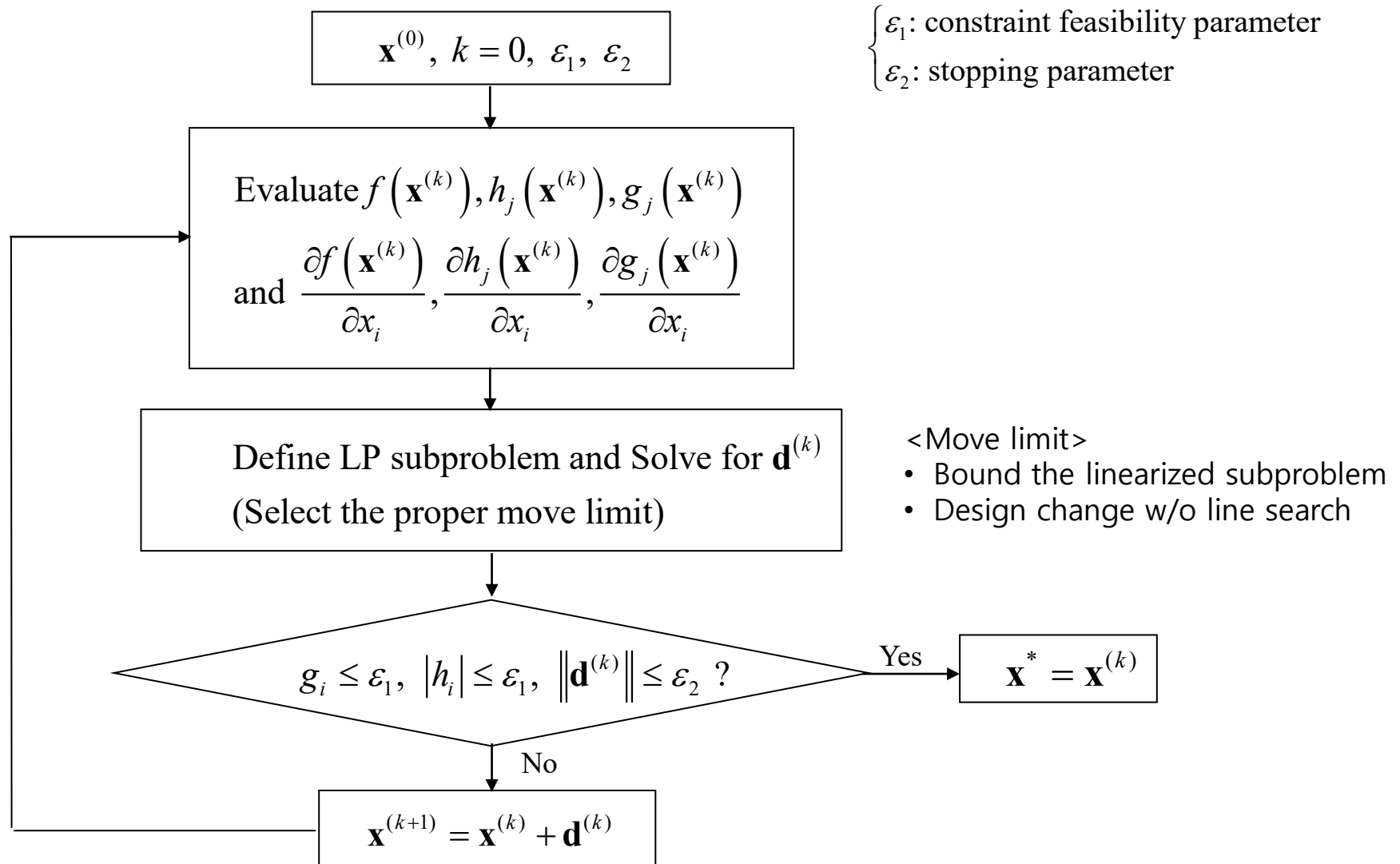
Linearization

$$\begin{aligned}
 \min \quad & f(\mathbf{x}^{(k)} + \Delta \mathbf{x}^{(k)}) \cong f(\mathbf{x}^{(k)}) + \nabla f^T(\mathbf{x}^{(k)}) \Delta \mathbf{x}^{(k)} \\
 \text{subject to} \quad & h_j(\mathbf{x}^{(k)} + \Delta \mathbf{x}^{(k)}) \cong h_j(\mathbf{x}^{(k)}) + \nabla h_j^T(\mathbf{x}^{(k)}) \Delta \mathbf{x}^{(k)} = 0, \quad j = 1, \dots, p \\
 & g_j(\mathbf{x}^{(k)} + \Delta \mathbf{x}^{(k)}) \cong g_j(\mathbf{x}^{(k)}) + \nabla g_j^T(\mathbf{x}^{(k)}) \Delta \mathbf{x}^{(k)} \leq 0, \quad j = 1, \dots, m
 \end{aligned}$$

LP subproblem

$$\left. \begin{aligned}
 \min \quad & \bar{f} = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial f(\mathbf{x}^{(k)})}{\partial x_i} \Delta x_i \\
 \text{s. t.} \quad & \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial h_j(\mathbf{x}^{(k)})}{\partial x_i} \Delta x_i = -h_j(\mathbf{x}^{(k)}) \\
 & \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial g_j(\mathbf{x}^{(k)})}{\partial x_i} \Delta x_i \leq -g_j(\mathbf{x}^{(k)})
 \end{aligned} \right\} \rightarrow \left\{ \begin{aligned}
 \min \quad & \bar{f} = \sum_{i=1}^n c_i d_i \\
 \text{s. t.} \quad & \sum_{i=1}^n n_{ij} d_i = e_j \\
 & \sum_{i=1}^n a_{ij} d_i \leq b_j
 \end{aligned} \right\} \rightarrow \left\{ \begin{aligned}
 \min \quad & \bar{f} = \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{d} \\
 \text{s. t.} \quad & \underbrace{\mathbf{N}}_{(n \times p)}^T \mathbf{d} = \mathbf{e} \\
 & \underbrace{\mathbf{A}}_{(n \times m)}^T \mathbf{d} \leq \mathbf{b}
 \end{aligned} \right.$$

SLP Algorithm

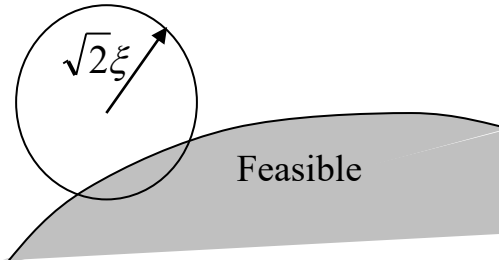


Quadratic Programming Subproblem

- Quadratic cost function + linear constraints
- SLP: linear move limits \rightarrow quadratic step size constraint

$$-\Delta_{il}^{(k)} \leq d_i \leq \Delta_{iu}^{(k)} \rightarrow \|d\| \leq \xi \rightarrow 0.5 \sum_{i=1}^n (d_i)^2 \leq \xi^2$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \min \quad \bar{f} = \sum_{i=1}^n c_i d_i \\ \text{s. t.} \quad \sum_{i=1}^n n_{ij} d_i = e_j, \quad j = 1, \dots, p \\ \sum_{i=1}^n a_{ij} d_i \leq b_j, \quad j = 1, \dots, m \\ 0.5 \sum_{i=1}^n (d_i)^2 \leq \xi^2 \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \min \quad \bar{f} = \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{d} \\ \text{s. t.} \quad \underbrace{\mathbf{N}}_{(n \times p)}^T \mathbf{d} = \mathbf{e} \\ \underbrace{\mathbf{A}}_{(n \times m)}^T \mathbf{d} \leq \mathbf{b} \\ 0.5 \mathbf{d}^T \mathbf{d} \leq \xi^2 \end{array} \right\} \leftrightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \min \quad \bar{f} = \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{d} + 0.5 \mathbf{d}^T \mathbf{d} \\ \text{s. t.} \quad \mathbf{N}^T \mathbf{d} = \mathbf{e} \\ \mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{d} \leq \mathbf{b} \end{array} \right.$$



$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \min \quad \bar{f} = \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{d} + 0.5 \mathbf{d}^T \mathbf{d} \\ \text{s. t.} \quad \mathbf{N}^T \mathbf{d} = \mathbf{e} \\ \mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{d} \leq \mathbf{b} \end{array} \right.$$

Strictly convex \rightarrow
Minimum is global and unique

$$(d_1 + c_1)^2 + (d_2 + c_2)^2 = r^2 \rightarrow d_1^2 + c_1^2 + 2c_1 d_1 + d_2^2 + c_2^2 + 2c_2 d_2 = r^2$$

$$\frac{1}{2}(r^2 - c_1^2 - c_2^2) = c_1 d_1 + c_2 d_2 + \frac{1}{2}(d_1^2 + d_2^2): \text{hypersphere with its center at } -\mathbf{c}$$

Sequential Quadratic Programming (SQP)

- QP subproblem \leftarrow curvature information of Lagrange function into the quadratic cost function
 - Constrained Quasi-Newton Methods
 - Constrained Variable Metric(CVM)
 - Recursive Quadratic Programming(RQP)
- Gradient of the Lagrange function at the two points \rightarrow Approximate Hessian of the Lagrange function
- quite simple and straightforward, but very effective

Generalized Reduced Gradient Method

- Elimination of variables using the equality constraints
 - One variable can be reduced from the set x_i for each of the $m+p$ equality constraints

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{minimize} \quad f(\mathbf{x}) \\ \text{subject to} \quad g_i(\mathbf{x}) \leq 0, \quad i = 1, \dots, m \\ \quad \quad \quad h_j(\mathbf{x}) = 0, \quad j = 1, \dots, l \\ \quad \quad \quad x_k^L \leq x_k \leq x_k^U, \quad k = 1, \dots, n \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{minimize} \quad f(\mathbf{x}) \\ \text{subject to} \quad g_i(\mathbf{x}) + x_{n+i} = 0, \quad i = 1, \dots, m \\ \quad \quad \quad h_j(\mathbf{x}) = 0, \quad j = 1, \dots, l \\ \quad \quad \quad x_k^L \leq x_k \leq x_k^U, \quad k = 1, \dots, n \\ \quad \quad \quad x_{n+i} \geq 0, \quad i = 1, \dots, m \end{array} \right. \\
 \\
 &\rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{minimize} \quad f(\mathbf{x}) \\ \text{subject to} \quad \bar{h}_j(\mathbf{x}) = 0, \quad j = 1, \dots, m+l \\ \quad \quad \quad x_i^L \leq x_i \leq x_i^U, \quad i = 1, \dots, n+m \end{array} \right.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathbf{x} = \underbrace{\begin{Bmatrix} \mathbf{y} \\ \mathbf{z} \end{Bmatrix}}_{\substack{\text{state or dependent} \\ \text{variables}}}, \quad \mathbf{y} = \underbrace{\begin{Bmatrix} y_1 \\ \vdots \\ y_{m+l} \end{Bmatrix}}_{\substack{\text{state or dependent} \\ \text{variables}}}, \quad \mathbf{z} = \underbrace{\begin{Bmatrix} z_1 \\ \vdots \\ z_{n-l} \end{Bmatrix}}_{\substack{\text{design or independent} \\ \text{variables}}}$$

Reduced Gradient

$$df(\mathbf{x}) = \sum_{i=1}^{m+l} \frac{\partial f}{\partial y_i} dy_i + \sum_{i=1}^{n-l} \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_i} dz_i = \nabla_y^T f d\mathbf{y} + \nabla_z^T f dz$$

$$d\bar{h}_i(\mathbf{x}) = \sum_{j=1}^{m+l} \frac{\partial \bar{h}_i}{\partial y_j} dy_j + \sum_{j=1}^{n-l} \frac{\partial \bar{h}_i}{\partial z_j} dz_j \rightarrow d\bar{\mathbf{h}} = \mathbf{B}d\mathbf{y} + \mathbf{C}dz$$

$$\nabla_y^T f = \begin{Bmatrix} \frac{\partial f}{\partial y_1} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial y_{m+l}} \end{Bmatrix}, \nabla_z^T f = \begin{Bmatrix} \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_1} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_{n-l}} \end{Bmatrix}, d\mathbf{y} = \begin{Bmatrix} dy_1 \\ \vdots \\ dy_{m+l} \end{Bmatrix}, dz = \begin{Bmatrix} dz_1 \\ \vdots \\ dz_{n-l} \end{Bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial \bar{h}_1}{\partial y_1} & \cdots & \frac{\partial \bar{h}_1}{\partial y_{m+l}} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial \bar{h}_{m+l}}{\partial y_1} & \cdots & \frac{\partial \bar{h}_{m+l}}{\partial y_{m+l}} \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{C} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial \bar{h}_1}{\partial z_1} & \cdots & \frac{\partial \bar{h}_1}{\partial z_{n-l}} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial \bar{h}_{m+l}}{\partial z_1} & \cdots & \frac{\partial \bar{h}_{m+l}}{\partial z_{n-l}} \end{bmatrix}$$

GRG: Direction

$$d\bar{h} = \mathbf{B}dy + \mathbf{C}dz = 0 \quad (\bar{h}(\mathbf{x}) = 0) \rightarrow dy = -\mathbf{B}^{-1}\mathbf{C}dz$$

$$df(\mathbf{x}) = \left(-\nabla_y^T f \mathbf{B}^{-1} \mathbf{C} + \nabla_z^T f \right) dz \rightarrow \frac{df(\mathbf{x})}{dz} = \mathbf{G}_R$$

$$\mathbf{G}_R = \nabla_z f - \left(\mathbf{B}^{-1} \mathbf{C} \right)^T \nabla_y f : \text{generalized reduced gradient}$$

→ projection of the original n - dimensional gradient onto the $(n - m)$ dimensional feasible region described by the design variables

$$\mathbf{d} = \begin{bmatrix} d_y \\ d_z \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{cases} d_y = -\mathbf{B}^{-1}\mathbf{C}d_z \\ (d_z)_i = \begin{cases} -(\mathbf{G}_R)_i \\ 0 & \text{if } z_i = z_i^L \text{ and } (\mathbf{G}_R)_i > 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } z_i = z_i^U \text{ and } (\mathbf{G}_R)_i < 0 \end{cases} \end{cases}$$

