

2017

Time : 3 hours

Full Marks : 80

The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks.
Answer from both the Sections as directed.

(OPTIMIZATION TECHNIQUES - II)

SECTION - A

1. Answer any four of the following : (4x4=16)

(a) Prove that the quadratic program cannot have an unbounded solution when G is a positive matrix.

(b) Prove that the function $F(x) = -\sum_{i=1}^s x_i \ln(x_i / \sum_{i=1}^s x_i)$ is concave for $x = (x_1, \dots, x_s)^T > 0$

(c) Prove that a point $x^0 \in \Omega_p$ is an optimal solution to Quadratic Program if and only if, for some $\lambda^0 \geq 0$, (x^0, λ^0) is a saddle point of the Lagrangian $L(x, \lambda) = f(x) - \lambda^T(Ax - b)$, where $\lambda \geq 0$.

(d) Prove that a solution point x^* is K-T point of the problem

$$\text{Minimize } f(x)$$

subject to

$$Ax = b$$

$$x \geq 0$$

(e) Using Kelley's cutting plane method to solve the program:

$$\text{Minimize } z = -x_1 + x_2$$

subject to

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 + x_2 &\leq 5 \\ -x_1^2 - x_2^2 + 4x_1 - 3 & \\ x_1 \geq 0, x_2 &\geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

(f) Solve the height of projectile problem.

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5. (a) Solve the problem by Kelley's cutting plane algorithm:

$$\text{Minimize } 4x_1 + 5x_2$$

subject to

$$x_1^2 + 2x_1x_2 + 2x_2^2 \leq 4$$

$$-x_1^2 - x_2^2 + 4x_1 \geq 3$$

OR

(b) Solve the problem by Frank-Wolfe method

$$\text{Minimize } (5x_1 + 2x_2)/(x_1 + 8x_2 + 1)$$

subject to

$$3x_1 + x_2 \geq 1$$

$$x_1 \geq 0, x_2 \geq 0$$

6. (a) A can is to be made in the form of right circular cylinder to contain at least V cubic inches of oil. What dimensions of the can will require the least amount of material?

OR

(b) A rectangular box, open at the top, is required to hold at least 256 cubic inches. Find the dimensions of the box for which the surface area is a minimum.

(2)

OR

2. Answer all questions : (2x8=16)

(a) Let $p_i > 0, q_i > 0, \sum_{i=1}^r p_i = \sum_{i=1}^r q_i$ then prove that $-\sum_{i=1}^r p_i \ln p_i \leq -\sum_{i=1}^r q_i \ln q_i$

(b) State weak duality theorem.

(c) State strong duality theorem

(d) Let G be an $n \times n$ symmetric matrix, A an $m \times n$ matrix, and

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} G & A^T \\ -A & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Then prove that M is copositive if G is copositive

(e) Show how geometric programming can be used to test the consistency of the constraints

$$g_k(x) \leq 1, \quad (k = 1, \dots, m) \\ x > 0$$

(f) Define Kuhn-Tucker point.

(g) Let G be an $n \times n$ symmetric matrix. Further suppose the system

$$Mx + q \geq 0, \quad x \geq 0$$

where $M = \begin{pmatrix} G & A^T \\ -A & 0 \end{pmatrix}, q = \begin{pmatrix} c \\ b \end{pmatrix}, x = \begin{pmatrix} z \\ \lambda \end{pmatrix}$, is inconsistent. Then prove that there exists a vector $d \in R^n, d \geq 0$ such that $Ad \leq 0$.

(h) Define prototype primal geometric program.

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SECTION - B

Answer all questions

(16x4=64)

3. (a) Apply Wolfe's method to the program:

$$\text{Minimize } f(x_1, x_2) \\ = -10x_1 - 25x_2 + 10x_1^2 + x_2^2 \\ + 4x_1x_2$$

subject to

$$x_1 + 2x_2 \leq 10 \\ x_1 + x_2 \leq 9 \\ x_1 \geq 0, x_2 \geq 0$$

OR

(b) Apply Fletcher's method to the program:

$$\text{Minimize } f(x_1, x_2) = \frac{1}{2}x_1^2 + 2x_2^2$$

subject to

$$3x_1 + 4x_2 \geq 13 \\ x_1 \geq 0, x_2 \geq 0$$

4. (a) Use Lemke's complementary pivoting algorithm to solve the quadratic program:

$$\text{Minimize } 2x_1 + 4x_2 - x_1^2 - x_2^2 + 2x_1x_2 \\ \text{subject to}$$

$$-x_1 + x_2 \leq 1 \\ x_1 - 2x_2 \leq 4 \\ x_1 \geq 0, x_2 \geq 0$$

OR

(b) Consider the linear complementarity problem of finding w and x satisfying

$$w - Mx = q, \quad w^T x = 0, \quad w \geq 0, x \geq 0$$

where

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 3 & 2 & -1 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad q = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$$

(i) Is the matrix M copositive-plus?

(ii) Apply Lemke's algorithm to solve the problem.

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