

Homework #6: Use the Generalized Reduced Gradient procedure to solve the below problem.

Problem statement:

The problem statement then becomes the following:

$$\min f(\underline{x}, u) = 1.5 + x_2 + 3x_2^2 + 0.5u + 0.5u^2$$

subject to

$$g_1(\underline{x}, u) = 4 - \cos x_1 - 10 \sin x_1 - x_2 = 0$$

$$g_2(\underline{x}, u) = 2 - \cos x_1 + 10 \sin x_1 - u = 0$$

Lagrangian:

The Lagrangian function becomes:

$$\mathcal{L}(\underline{x}, u, \underline{\lambda}) = f(\underline{x}, u) + \underline{\lambda}^T \underline{g}(\underline{x}, u)$$

$$= f(\underline{x}, u) + \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 \\ \lambda_2 \end{bmatrix}^T \begin{bmatrix} g_1(\underline{x}, u) \\ g_2(\underline{x}, u) \end{bmatrix} = f(\underline{x}, u) + [\lambda_1 \quad \lambda_2] \begin{bmatrix} g_1(\underline{x}, u) \\ g_2(\underline{x}, u) \end{bmatrix} = f(\underline{x}, u) + \lambda_1 g_1(\underline{x}, u) + \lambda_2 g_2(\underline{x}, u)$$

$$= 1.5 + x_2 + 3x_2^2 + 0.5u + 0.5u^2 + \lambda_1(4 - \cos x_1 - 10 \sin x_1 - x_2) + \lambda_2(2 - \cos x_1 + 10 \sin x_1 - u)$$

Optimality conditions:

The appropriate optimality conditions are given by

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}(\underline{x}, u, \underline{\lambda})}{\partial \underline{x}} = \frac{\partial f(\underline{x}, u)}{\partial \underline{x}} + \frac{\partial}{\partial \underline{x}} [\underline{\lambda}^T \underline{g}(\underline{x}, u)] = 0 \quad (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}(\underline{x}, u, \underline{\lambda})}{\partial u} = \frac{\partial f(\underline{x}, u)}{\partial u} + \frac{\partial}{\partial u} [\underline{\lambda}^T \underline{g}(\underline{x}, u)] = 0 \quad (2)$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}(\underline{x}, u, \underline{\lambda})}{\partial \underline{\lambda}} = \frac{\partial}{\partial \underline{\lambda}} [\underline{\lambda}^T \underline{g}(\underline{x}, u)] = 0 \quad (3)$$

which are

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}(\underline{x}, u, \underline{\lambda})}{\partial x_1} = \lambda_1(\sin x_1 - 10 \cos x_1) + \lambda_2(\sin x_1 + 10 \cos x_1) = 0 \quad (1a)$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}(\underline{x}, u, \underline{\lambda})}{\partial x_2} = 1 + 6x_2 - \lambda_1 = 0 \quad (1b)$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}(\underline{x}, u, \underline{\lambda})}{\partial u} = 0.5 + u - \lambda_2 = 0 \quad (2)$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}(\underline{x}, u, \underline{\lambda})}{\partial \lambda_1} = 4 - \cos x_1 - 10 \sin x_1 - x_2 = 0 \quad (3a)$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}(\underline{x}, u, \underline{\lambda})}{\partial \lambda_2} = 2 - \cos x_1 + 10 \sin x_1 - u = 0 \quad (3b)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} P_{G1} \\ P_{G2} \\ \lambda \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.5 \\ 3.5 \\ 4.0 \end{bmatrix}$$

1. Let $k = 1$. Guess an initial control vector $\underline{u}^{(k)}$. (You can use economic dispatch with losses or without losses to make the initial guess).

➔ From economic dispatch solution (see class notes), $u^{(1)}=3.5$.

2. Given $\underline{u}^{(k)}$, solve for $\underline{x}^{(k)}$ from (8c), repeated here for convenience:

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}(\underline{x}, \underline{u}, \underline{\lambda}, \underline{\mu})}{\partial \underline{\lambda}} = \frac{\partial}{\partial \underline{\lambda}} [\underline{\lambda}^T \underline{g}(\underline{x}, \underline{u})] = \underline{0} \quad (8c)$$

This is just a power flow solution!

From above equation (3b),

$$g_1 = 4 - \cos x_1 - 10 \sin x_1 - x_2 = 0, \quad \rightarrow \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial x_1} = \sin x_1 - 10 \cos x_1; \quad \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial x_2} = -1$$

$$g_2 = 2 - \cos x_1 + 10 \sin x_1 - u = 0 \quad \rightarrow \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial x_1} = \sin x_1 + 10 \cos x_1; \quad \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial x_2} = 0$$

Jacobian is: $\begin{bmatrix} \sin x_1 - 10 \cos x_1 & -1 \\ \sin x_1 + 10 \cos x_1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

Update equation:

$$\underline{J} \Delta \underline{x}^{(0)} = -\underline{f}(\underline{x}^{(0)}) \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \sin x_1 - 10 \cos x_1 & -1 \\ \sin x_1 + 10 \cos x_1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \Delta x_1 \\ \Delta x_2 \end{bmatrix} = -\begin{bmatrix} 4 - \cos x_1 - 10 \sin x_1 - x_2 \\ 2 - \cos x_1 + 10 \sin x_1 - u \end{bmatrix}$$

For $u^{(1)}=3.5$, I found $x_1=0.2495$, $x_2=0.5619$.

3. Compute:

$$\underline{\lambda}^{(k)} = - \left\{ \left[\frac{\partial \underline{g}(\underline{x}, \underline{u})}{\partial \underline{x}} \right]^T \right\}^{-1} \frac{\partial f(\underline{x}, \underline{u})}{\partial \underline{x}} \bigg|_{\underline{x}^{(k)}, \underline{u}^{(k)}} \quad (20)$$

Note that the matrix $\left[\frac{\partial \underline{g}(\underline{x}, \underline{u})}{\partial \underline{x}} \right]$ is Jacobian developed above. The second

term is $\frac{\partial f(\underline{x}, \underline{u})}{\partial \underline{x}} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f(\underline{x}, \underline{u})}{\partial x_1} \\ \frac{\partial f(\underline{x}, \underline{u})}{\partial x_2} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 + 6x_2 \end{bmatrix}$, and the whole expression becomes

$$\underline{\lambda}^{(1)} = - \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} \sin x_1 - 10 \cos x_1 & -1 \\ \sin x_1 + 10 \cos x_1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^T \right\}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 + 6x_2 \end{bmatrix} \Bigg|_{\underline{x}^{(1)} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.2495 \\ 0.5619 \end{bmatrix}, \underline{u}^{(1)} = 3.5}$$

$$- \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} \sin x_1 - 10 \cos x_1 & \sin x_1 + 10 \cos x_1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 + 6x_2 \end{bmatrix} \Bigg|_{\underline{x}^{(1)} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.2495 \\ 0.5619 \end{bmatrix}, \underline{u}^{(1)} = 3.5}$$

This results in $\lambda_1=4.3715$, $\lambda_2=4.1543$.

4. Compute the “steepest ascent” direction, i.e., the gradient of f , according to (19)

$$\nabla_{\underline{u}} f(\underline{x}, \underline{u}) = \frac{df(\underline{x}, \underline{u})}{d\underline{u}} = \left[\frac{\partial f(\underline{x}, \underline{u})}{\partial \underline{u}} - \left[\frac{\partial \underline{g}(\underline{x}, \underline{u})}{\partial \underline{u}} \right]^T \underline{\lambda} \right]_{\underline{x}^{(k)}, \underline{u}^{(k)}} \quad (19)$$

(the reduced gradient).

The first derivative term is $\frac{\partial f(\underline{x}, \underline{u})}{\partial \underline{u}} = 0.5 + u$

The second derivative term is $\left[\frac{\partial \underline{g}(\underline{x}, \underline{u})}{\partial \underline{u}} \right] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$

Lambda is (from above) $\underline{\lambda} = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 \\ \lambda_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4.3715 \\ 4.1543 \end{bmatrix}$

And the entire expression becomes:

$$\nabla_{\underline{u}} f(\underline{x}, \underline{u}) = \frac{df(\underline{x}, \underline{u})}{d\underline{u}} = \left[0.5 + u - \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}^T \begin{bmatrix} 4.3715 \\ 4.1543 \end{bmatrix} \right]_{\underline{x}^{(1)} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.2495 \\ 0.5619 \end{bmatrix}, \underline{u}^{(1)} = 3.5}$$

This results in $\nabla_{\underline{u}} f(\underline{x}, \underline{u}) = -0.1543$.

5. Update the control vector by moving it in the direction of steepest descent.

$$\underline{u}^{(k+1)} = \underline{u}^{(k)} - \alpha^{(k)} \nabla_{\underline{u}} f(\underline{x}, \underline{u}) \quad (21)$$

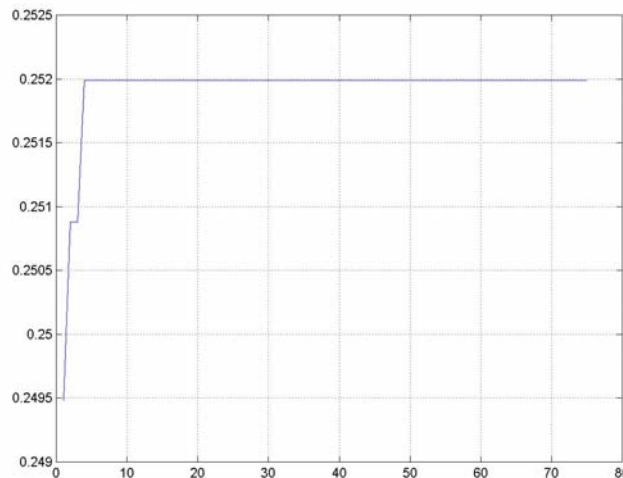
where $\alpha^{(k)}$ is a step size which is reduced for every iteration.

Using $\alpha^{(1)} = 0.1$ and $\alpha^{(k+1)} = 0.9\alpha^{(k)}$, we get that $u^{(2)} = 3.5139$.

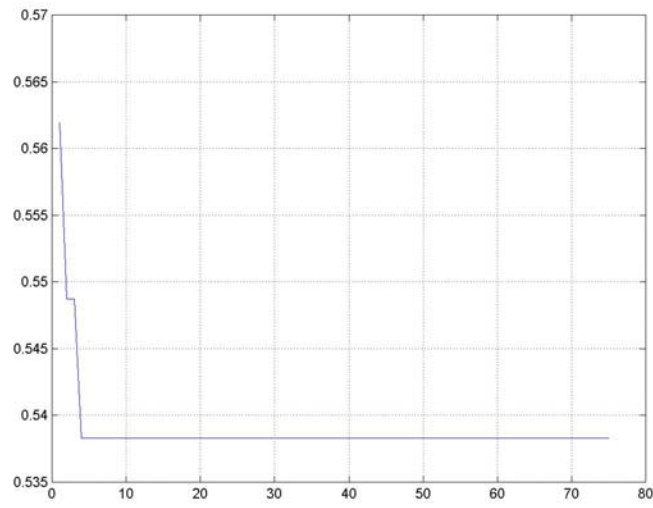
6. If $|\nabla_{\underline{u}} f(\underline{x}, \underline{u})| < \varepsilon$, stop. Else, $k = k + 1$, and go to (2).

Using $\varepsilon = 0.00001$, the final result was $u = 3.5174$, $x_1 = 0.252$, $x_2 = 0.5383$

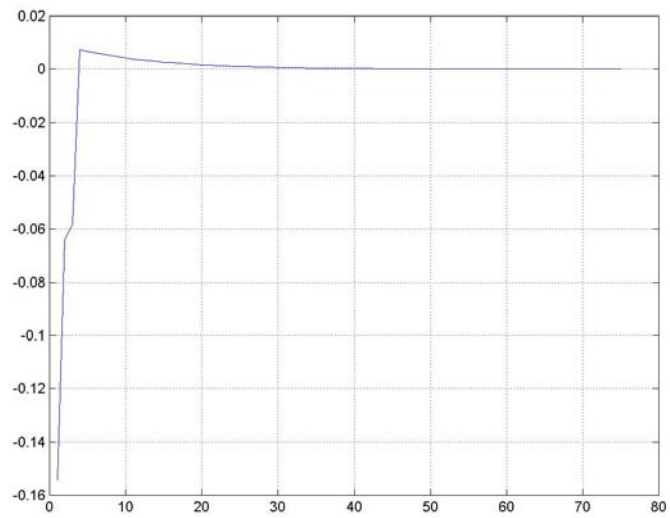
Values of x_1 , x_2 , $\text{del}_u(f)$, and u are plotted against for each successive step in the below figures.



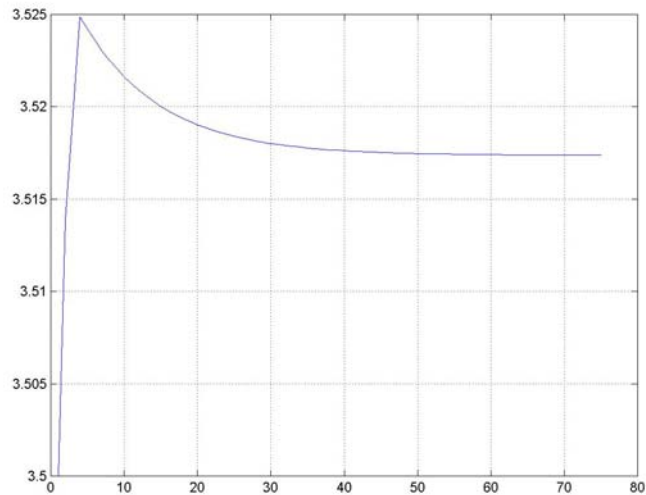
Plot for x1



Plot for x2



Plot for del u (f)



Plot for u

The matlab code for the problem is given below.

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clear
% Set stopping tolerance
eps=0.00001;
% Set step size reduction per iteration
beta=0.9;
% Set initial step size
alpha=0.1;
% Set initial conditions
x1=0;
x2=0.5;
u=3.5;
unew=100;
k=0;
delf=100;
while abs(delf) > eps
    k=k+1;
    ustore(k)=u;
% Solve the power flow equations to get update on x1 and x2
    b=[4-cos(x1)-10*sin(x1)-x2; 2-cos(x1)+10*sin(x1)-u];
    maxb=max(abs(b(1)), abs(b(2)));
    while maxb > 0.01,
        J=[sin(x1)-10*cos(x1)  -1; sin(x1)+10*cos(x1)  0];
        delx=-1*inv(J)*b;
        new=[x1;x2]+delx;
        x1=new(1);
        x2=new(2);
        b=[4-cos(x1)-10*sin(x1)-x2; 2-cos(x1)+10*sin(x1)-u];
        maxb=max(abs(b(1)), abs(b(2)));
    end
% Write solution to power flow equations
    x1store(k)=x1;

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x2store(k)=x2;
% Compute Lambda
J=[sin(x1)-10*cos(x1)  -1;sin(x1)+10*cos(x1)  0];
lam=-1*inv(J')*[0; 1+6*x2];
lam1store(k)=lam(1);
lam2store(k)=lam(2);
% Compute steepest ascent direction
delf=0.5+u+[0;-1]'*lam;
delfstore(k)=delf;
% Compute the new value of the control
unew=u-beta*alpha*delf;
u=unew;
end
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