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Random Numbers

Simulation, solving Optimization, Numerical integration, Test data
Decision making iterations

Un-compressibility: ~~True~~ Random
Pseudo random

Random number \Rightarrow uniform distribution
normal/poisson can be generated

$$10^{10000} \times \frac{200,000}{200,000} \times \frac{200,000}{100,000} \times \frac{1}{10^5} \times \frac{1}{10^5} \times \dots$$

$$\frac{1000,000!}{(2,000,000)! (8,000,000)!} \times \frac{200,000!}{(100,000)! (100,000)!} \times \frac{1}{10^{10}}$$

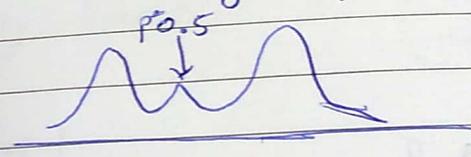
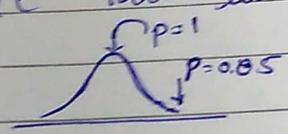
* Null test ⁵ Multiple simulation hypothesis
p-value of surprise high p-value - less surprise

(Non-) Parametric

T-test method; $Z \text{ score} = \frac{x - \mu}{\sigma}$

How many std dev are you away from the mean

One tail test



- * Coding the Matrix; Book
- # Computer Age Statistical Inference

Jon von Neumann's Middle square method;
1,359; 12,257; 0484;

Knuth's Algorithm K; "Super-random" number generator;
started to converge
Random number should be generated randomly;

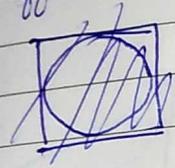
→ Random Number Generators;

$$1 - \frac{365}{365} \cdot \frac{364}{365} \cdot \frac{363}{365} \dots \frac{365-n}{365}$$

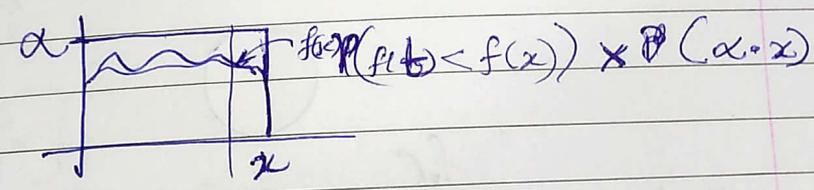
$$1 - \frac{365}{365} \times \frac{364}{365} \times \frac{363}{365} \times \dots \times \frac{365-n}{365}$$

of people: $n+2$

Buffon's needle



Monte Carlo simulation for integration



Linear Congruential Generator;

$$X_{n+1} = (aX_n + c) \bmod(m)$$

m , modulus; $m > 0$; $0 \leq c < m$
 a , $0 \leq a < m$; X_0 = seed value

Random seed

Try ? $m=10, a=7, c=9, X_0=9$
 $m=4096, a=269, c=253, X_0=0;$

Bootstrapping;

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$$RQR^{-1} = \Lambda$$

$$Ax = \lambda x \quad RQ$$

$$QRQ^{-1} = \lambda x$$

$$RQR^{-1} x = \lambda x$$

$$A = QX^{-1}\Lambda X$$

$$RQR^{-1} = \underline{R}X^{-1}\Lambda XR^{-1}$$

Monte Carlo Simulation:

base on relative theory & frequency theory

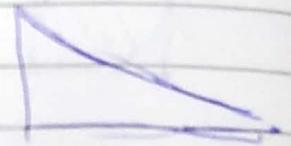
$$Pr(A) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n_A}{n}$$

A random variate

$$0 < u < 1; \quad a \leq a + (b-a)u \leq b$$

Always try to use a builtin random generator
randperm gives random

Acceptance rejection method



or $f(x)$

→ Bootstrapping → data analytics & statistical inferences

→ Discrete event simulation

→ Prob. Stochastic - Pillai

→ Markov chains

$$f(x, \theta) = ?$$

$$f_X(x) = \int f(x, \theta) d\theta; \quad F_X(x) = \int$$

$$f_\theta(\theta) = \int f(x, \theta) dx = c$$

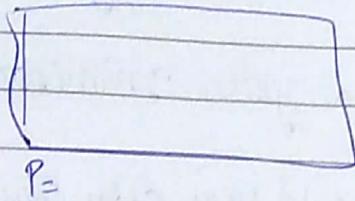
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$\int f_\theta$

| 0 0

0 0

0 0

~~for~~

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} \frac{1}{3} & \frac{2}{3} \\ -\frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 7^{25} & 0 \\ 0 & 4^{25} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 7^{25} & -2 \cdot 4^{25} \\ 7^{25} & 4^{25} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{3} & \frac{2}{3} \\ -\frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{7^{25} + 2 \cdot 4^{25}}{3} \quad \frac{2 \cdot 7^{25} - 2 \cdot 4^{25}}{3}$$

$$\frac{7^{25} - 4^{25}}{3}$$

$$\frac{2 \cdot 7^{25} + 4^{25}}{3}$$

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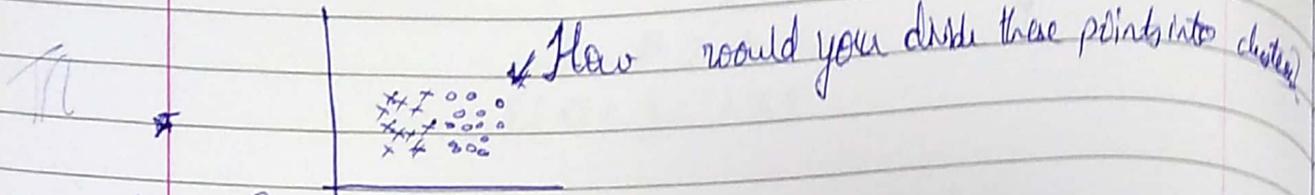
Optimisation;

$$f(\theta) = \sum_i \left(\frac{x_{mi} - x_{pi}(\theta)}{x_{mi}} \right)^2$$

$x_{pi}(\theta)$ is a very complex function,

maximize/minimize $f(\theta)$

Given a function how would you minimize $f(\theta)$?



* Gradients

Minimize $f(x)$ subject to $f_i(x) \leq b_i$; $i=1, 2, \dots, m$

Constraint of optimisation.

Special Case Convex optimisation: Objective & constraints are convex.

A set such that on joint two points ~~the~~ all points ~~are~~ lie within the set.

$$f_i(\alpha x + \beta y) \leq \alpha f_i(x) + \beta f_i(y), \quad \alpha + \beta = 1; \quad \alpha \geq 0; \quad \beta \geq 0;$$

~~Convexity~~ Convexity is more general than linearity.

Common "Optimisations:

Least square problems, LP; QP; (Mixed) integer programming, solutions are integer

Dynamic Programming, Local optimisation & global optimisation;

multi-objective optimisation \rightarrow more than one objective ~~parameters~~ point functions.

- \rightarrow Practical methods of Optimization.
- \rightarrow How to solve it: Modern Heuristics
- \rightarrow Clever Algorithms.

Gradient based Algos & Direct search algos;

Local, Global, Convex & Stochastics.

Gradient based Methods:

\rightarrow General recipe: Start with initial guess x_0 .

$$x_{k+1} = x_k + \alpha_k p_k$$

\rightarrow Test for convergence (Testing quality of the solution)

2. Find a search direction p_k (opposite to the direction of gradient)
3. Decide a step-length α_k
4. Update x_{k+1} and go back to 0;
$$x_{k+1} = x_k + \alpha_k p_k$$

$$f(x,y) = 4x^2 - 4xy + 2y^2$$

~~$f(2,3) = 16$~~

Search direction: $\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \right) = (8x - 4y, 4y - 4x) = \mathbf{0}$

$$x_{k+1} = x_k - \alpha_k (8x - 4y, 4y - 4x)$$

$$= (2, 3) - \alpha_k (4\alpha, 4 - 4\alpha) = (2 - 4\alpha, 3 - 4\alpha)$$

$$f(x,y) = 8 \cdot (2 - 4\alpha)^2 - 4 \cdot (-4(3 - 4\alpha)) + 4(3 - 4\alpha)^2 - 2(2 - 4\alpha)(-9)$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= (0, 1)$$

$$F(\cancel{2-4\alpha}, y) = F(2-4\alpha) = (2-4\alpha)^2 - 4(2-4\alpha)(3-4\alpha) + 2(3-4\alpha)^2$$

$$F'(2-4\alpha, 3-4\alpha) = 0 \text{ find } \alpha, \text{ and then: } x_{k+1} = x_k - \alpha_k$$

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- Steepest Descent Method
- Conjugate Gradient Method
- Newton's Method (requires Hessian at every step)
- Modified Newton's Method
- Quasi-Newton Methods (avoid Hessian)
 - BFGS
 - SFGS
 - SR1
- Trust region methods

Direct search methods

Many real challenges -

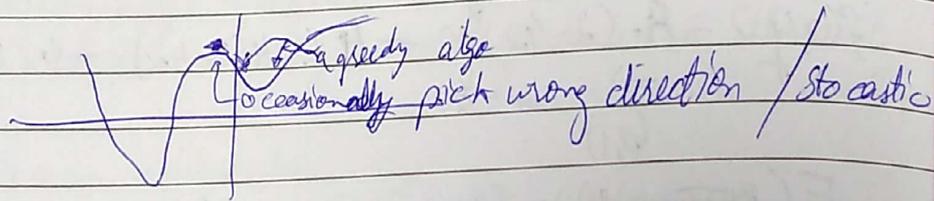
- Very high dimensionality
- Many local minima
- discrete search space
- Mixed variables

- * methods cannot compute / use gradient information; 
- strategy to vary parameter vector
- strategy to accept / reject a new parameter vector

Stern & Rice 1997 J. of Global Optimization

Greedy - locally optimal choice / short sighted

- Greedy decision processes; converges fairly fast - ~~reduces~~ risk of getting stuck in local minima



- Ability to handle non-linear, non-differentiable / multimodal cost function;
- Parallelizable
- Ease of use (Eg: α - variable steering minimization / hyperparameters minimizing hyper parameters)
- Robust & easy to choose
- Consistent convergence to global minimum in consecutive independent trial.

- Hooke - Jeeves Pattern Search
- Downhill Simplex (Fminsearch) / Nelder - Mead Simplex
- Grid Search
- Random Search
- Hill climbing

Stochastic Search Algorithms:

- (i) Simulated ~~Algorithms~~ Annealing
- (ii) Swarm Algorithms (eg Ant modelled / nature inspired)
- (iii) ~~Genetic Algorithms~~ Evolutionary Algos

Simulated Annealing:

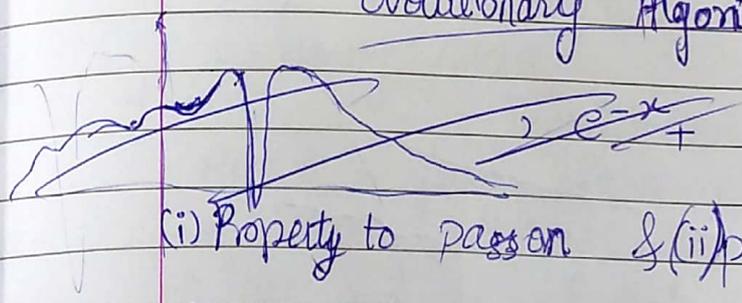
at low temp.

More exploratory at "higher ^{capit} ~~iteration~~ temperature & more convergence
 Usually accept moves that reduce cost and occasionally accept the moves that increase the cost.

→ Metropolis Criterion

Initial temperature; ^{cooling} annealing schedule, Length of run; stopping conditions, trials & errors.

Evolutionary Algorithms



- (i) Property to pass on & (ii) population of solution.
- (iii) Selection pressure property
- Computational procedures patterned on biological evolution

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Search procedure that probabilistically applies search operators to a set of points in a search space

Lamarckian Algorithm

Darwin: - Natural selection of the fittest.

⇒ Mendelian genetics → Genotype - Phenotype mapping

Evolutionary Algorithms
→ Genetic Algorithms (Binary/Integer)
→ Evolutionary Programming
→ Evolution Strategies (Real Numbers)

Genetic Programming
→ Evolvable softwares
→ Evolvable hardware

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Population

Individuals/Chromosome

Mutation

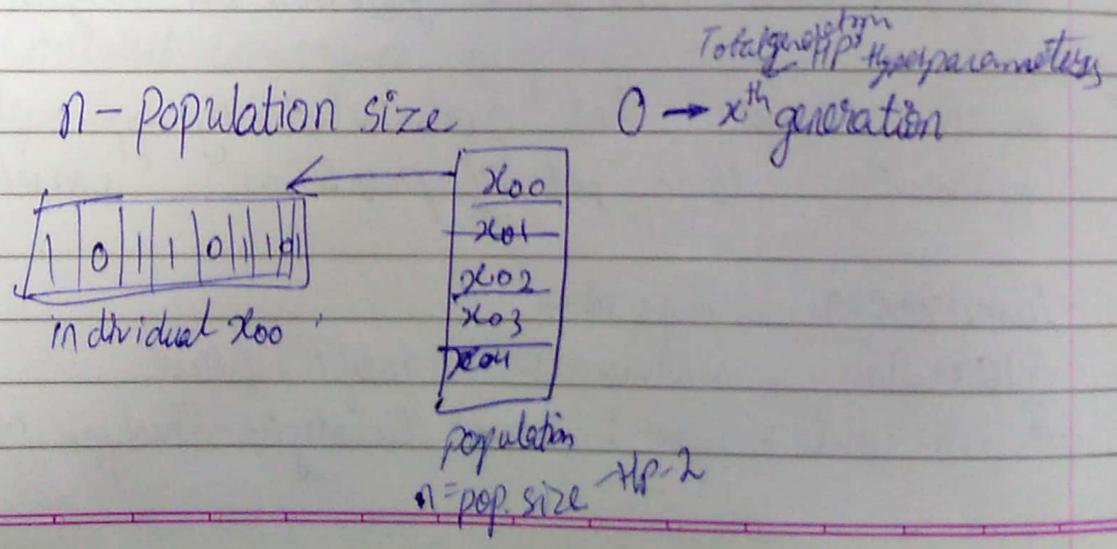
Recombination/crossover

Fitness function

Selection

Generation

Population size



Permutation: Select a bit and flip it. / Swap / Redefine operators in each case

$NM =$ Number of mutation in a generation
 $- HP3$

Make few children & recombine:

10101 | 011 → 10101 110
 10000 | 110 → 10000 011

} Many diff strategies
 Hyper strategy!

→ Fitness ↑ Cost ↓ Hyper strategy:
 function function

Tournament playing, probabilistic / fitness proportionate selection,
~~elitist~~ elitist, random selection,
 nich like hill climber

NASA antenna design.

~~NASA~~ Adson Thomson
 Evolutionary algorithms

* Evolutionary strategies

→ Self-adaptation - genotype adapts to alter the evolutionary process

* → Implementation of EAs

FPGA - field programmable gate array - special arrays that specialize in particular function.

→ Simple binary chromosome

→ Trees and complex data structures

→ Cartesian genetic programming (for Evolvable Hardware)

GPU - General purpose graphic processing

Macro-mutation: Large changes in alleles without recombination

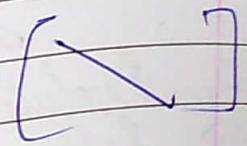
Any optimisation problems:

- Specially useful if search space is poorly characterized
- might help understand the problem better

Genetic expression programming
 Ant colony Opt.
 Particle Swarm Opt.
 Tabu Search.

1. diag solv,
2. back subs
2. Gaussian
4. LU
5. Cholesky
6. Householder /
7. Power iter
8. QR factorisation
9. Birthday
10. Integration Monte Carlo
11. Value of PI.
12. Uniform circle
- 13.

Singular Value decomposition



$$A = \begin{pmatrix} Q & R \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} P & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = QIR$$

$$A = QIR$$

$$A_{k+1} = Q_k R_k Q_k$$

$$\textcircled{A_{k+1}} = Q_k^{-1} A_k Q_k$$

Diagonal

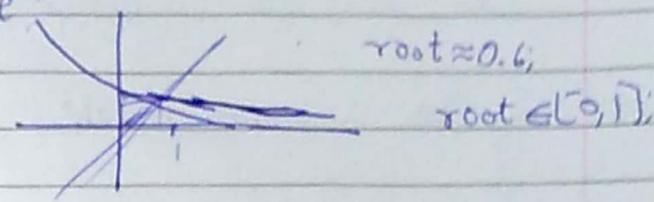
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Solution of Non-linear Equations

(Root Finding Problems)

Given a Continuous function $f(x)$, find the value x such that $f(x) = 0$

Analytical solutions \rightarrow only special equations
 Graphical method $x - e^x$



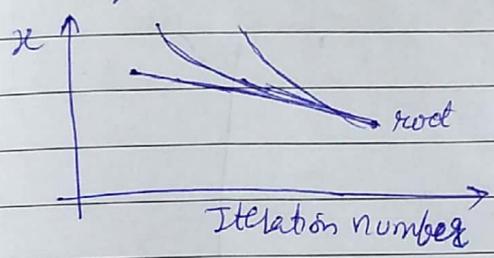
Numerical methods:

- \rightarrow Bisection Method
 - \rightarrow Newton's Method
 - \rightarrow Secant Method
- \rightarrow False position Method
 - \rightarrow Muller's method
 - \rightarrow

\rightarrow Open Method:

Starts with initial guess and in each iteration, a new guess of the root is estimated. Usually more efficient than ~~then bracket method~~

\rightarrow Convergence relation of order p $\left| \frac{x_{n+1} - x_n}{(x_n - x)^p} \right| \leq C$



\rightarrow Bracketed Method: Boundaries are set.

Bisection Algorithm

Let $f(x)$ be defined on interval $[a, b]$;

IMVT;

$f(a) \cdot f(b) < 0$, then at least one zero in the interval $[a, b]$;

